

Lattice QCD for Nuclear Physics

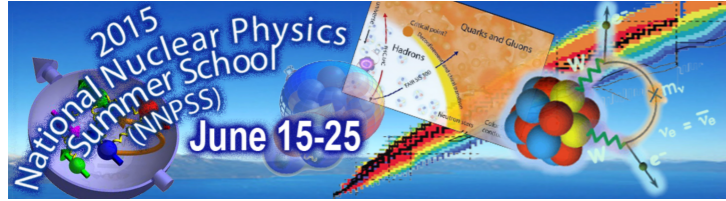
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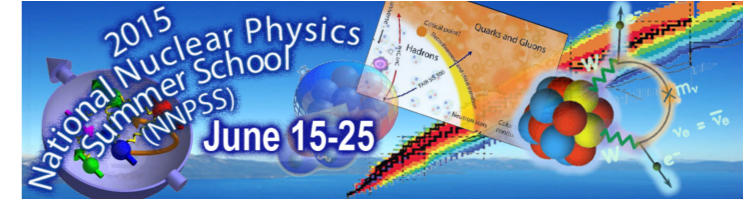


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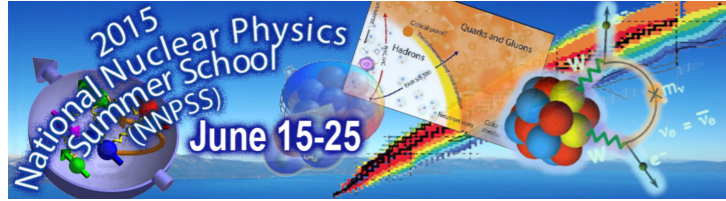




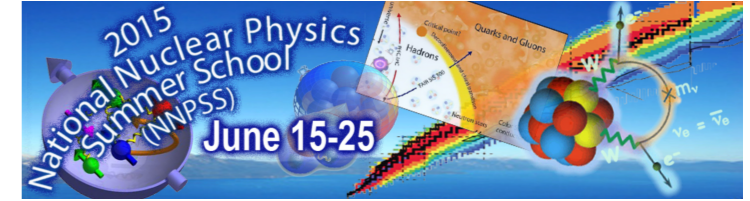
Topics



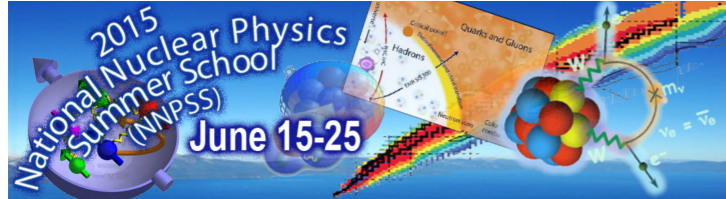
- Motivation for solving QCD
- Basic aspects of the structure of the nucleon and of quantum field theory
- An introduction to QCD - gauge symmetry, flavor symmetry, chiral symmetry
- Quantum fluctuations, the path integral and QCD
- Length scales in, and pertinent features of, Nuclear Physics
- Lattice QCD - formulation, gauge and fermion action, doublers, Symanzik action and Improvement, Tadpole-improvement, the clover action, Ginsparg-Wilson fermions and chiral symmetry
- Elements of a LQCD calculation
- Monte-Carlo algorithms for generating ensembles of gauge fields
- Iterative Algorithms for quark propagators
- Contractions of quark propagators
- Setting the lattice spacing - masses, static potential and Wilson flow
- Recovering rotational symmetry from cubic symmetry
- Correlation functions - production, statistics of, noise, the signal-to-noise issue with baryons
- Re-sampling techniques, Robust estimators and fitting, statistical behavior of correlators
- Uncertainty quantification - volume and lattice-spacing extrapolations, the dispersion relations
- Error budgets



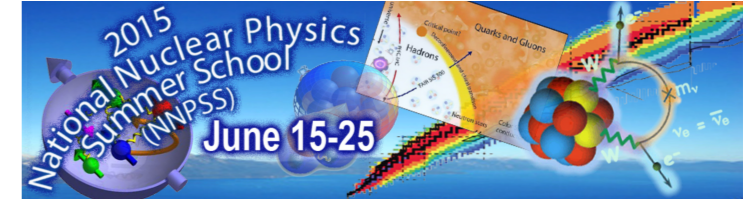
Topics



- Status and the future
- USQCD
- Tuning, Hadron masses and light-quark masses
- Nucleon mass, static moments, strange-quark content and form factors, beta-decay matrix elements
- Hyperon form factors
- Scattering, Maiani-Testa theorem, Luscher's method,
- Resonances, exotic meson spectra, $I=2$ pion-pion scattering phase shift, multi-meson systems
- Coupled channels
- Nucleon-nucleon scattering and the deuteron
- Light nuclei, matching to effective field theory
- Dark matter matrix elements
- Hyperon-nucleon scattering
- Nuclear Magnetic moments, radiative capture cross section, Feshbach resonance in nn
- Exotic nuclei
- Parity violation
- Formal developments - boosted deuteron, i -periodic boundary conditions, FV QED
- Impact of algorithmic developments - AMG, recursive contraction, ...
- Resource requirements
- Status and near term outlook
- Conclude



Primary Objective



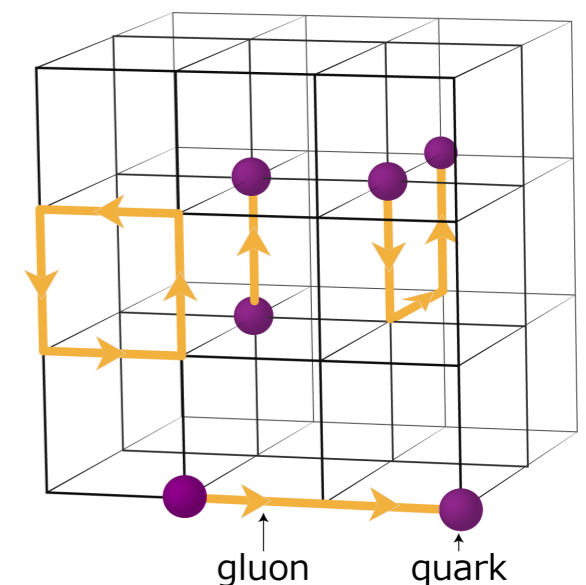
To develop first principles predictive capabilities for nuclear physics.

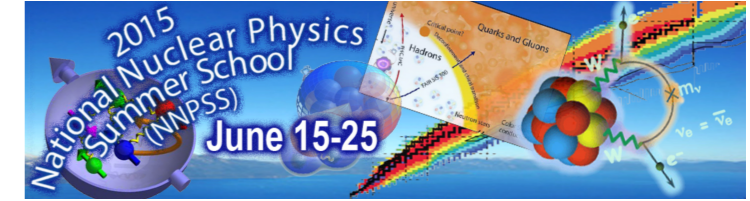
This will occur either by direct calculation or, more likely, by providing input into nuclear many-body calculations that cannot be obtained experimentally.

e.g., multi-neutron forces, hyperon-nucleon, hyperon-hyperon interactions

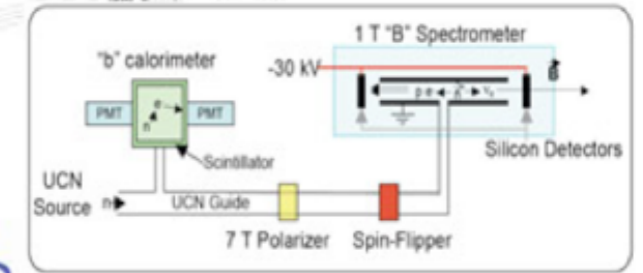
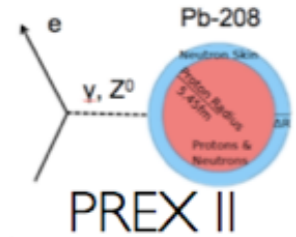
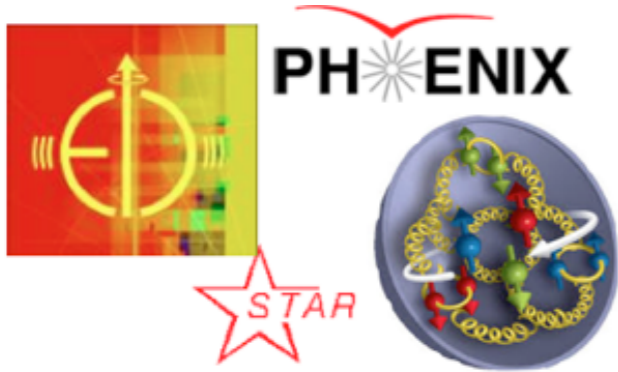
- First step is verification of technology/method by precision comparisons with experiment.
- Second step is to make predictions for quantities that are followed up/verified by experiment
- Third step is predictions for important quantities that cannot be accessed experimentally (on appropriate time-scales).

Lattice QCD is the only known way to rigorously solve QCD without any uncontrolled assumptions. Peta-scale computational resources will soon become available for such calculations. This will be a turning point for nuclear theory.

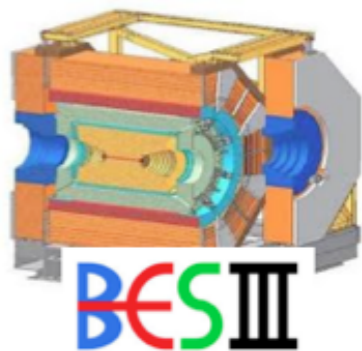




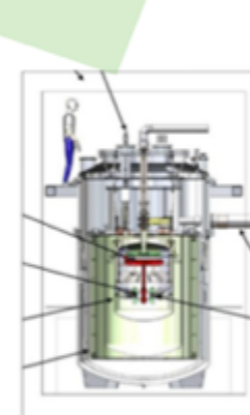
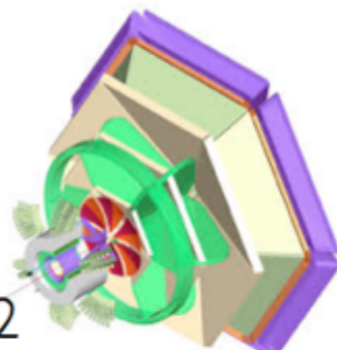
Supports NP Experimental Program



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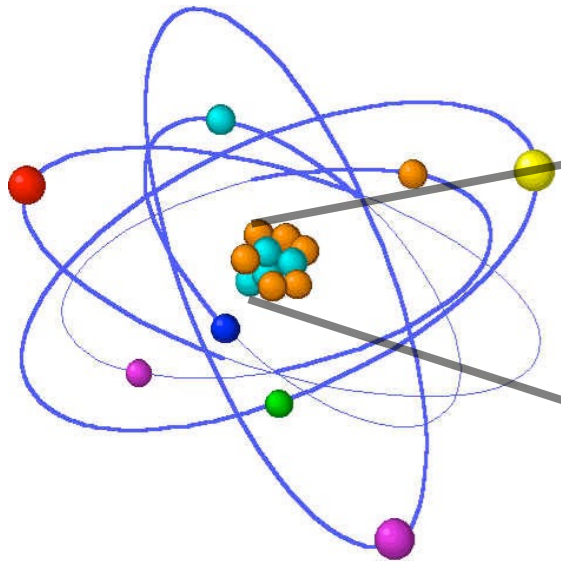


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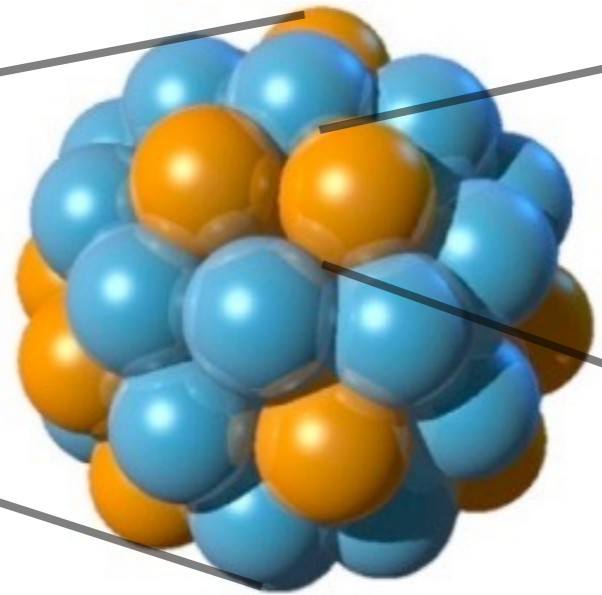


Quantum Chromodynamics

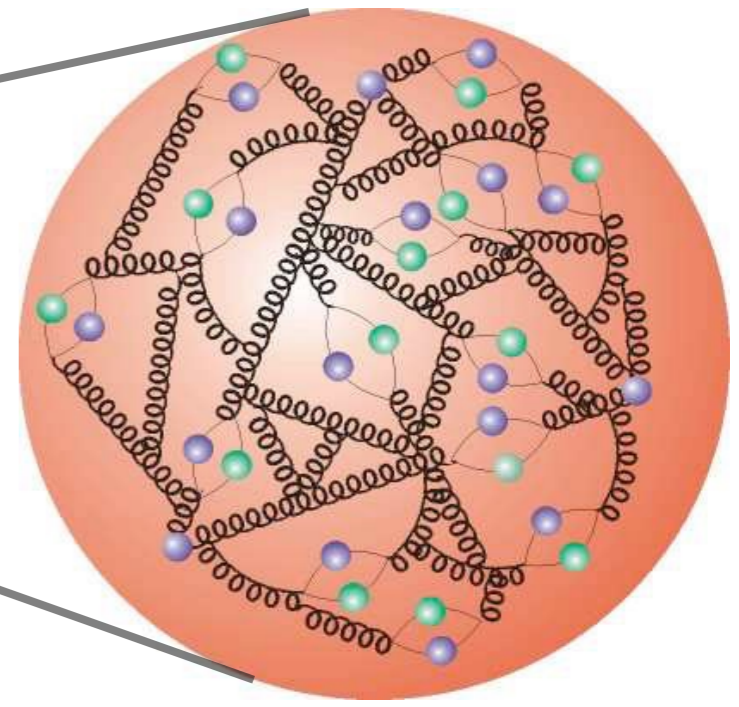
Atom



Nucleus



Proton



Electrons and Nuclei

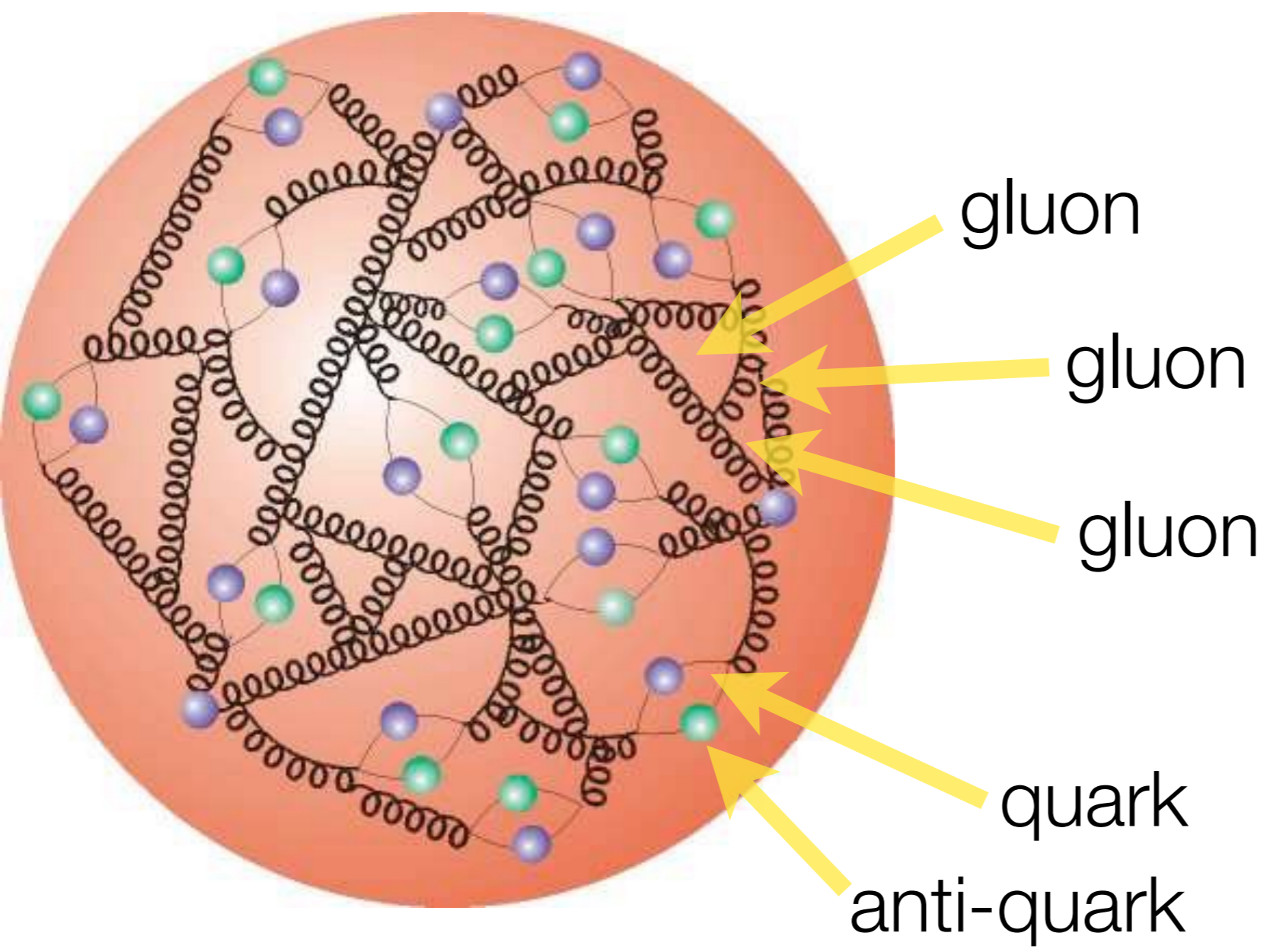
Protons and Neutrons

Quarks and Gluons

Quantum Chromodynamics

A quantum field theory describing the dynamics of massless gluons and quarks with a wide range of masses

Quantum Chromodynamics



up-quark mass ~ 3 MeV
down-quark mass ~ 5 MeV
gluon mass = 0 MeV

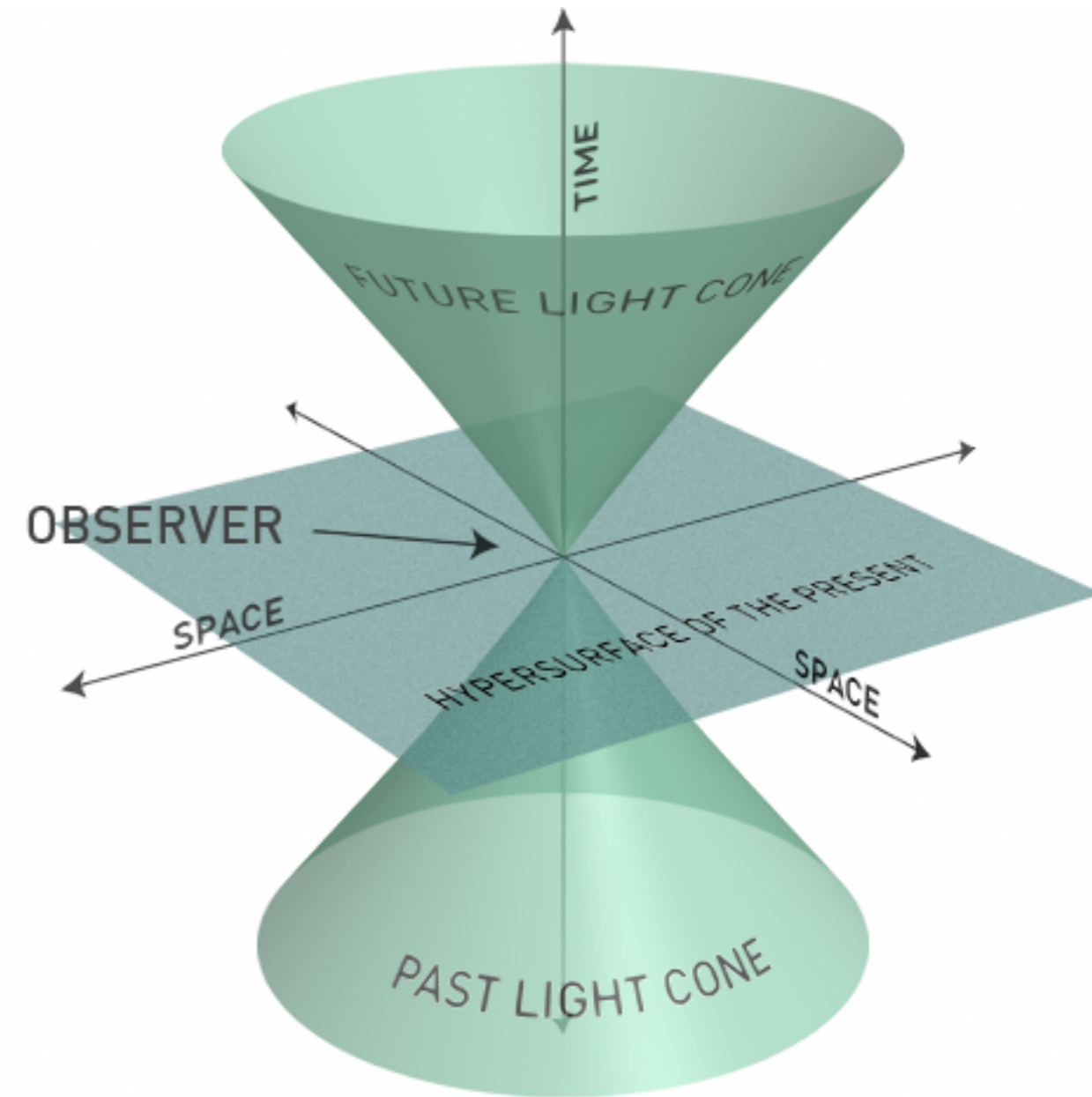
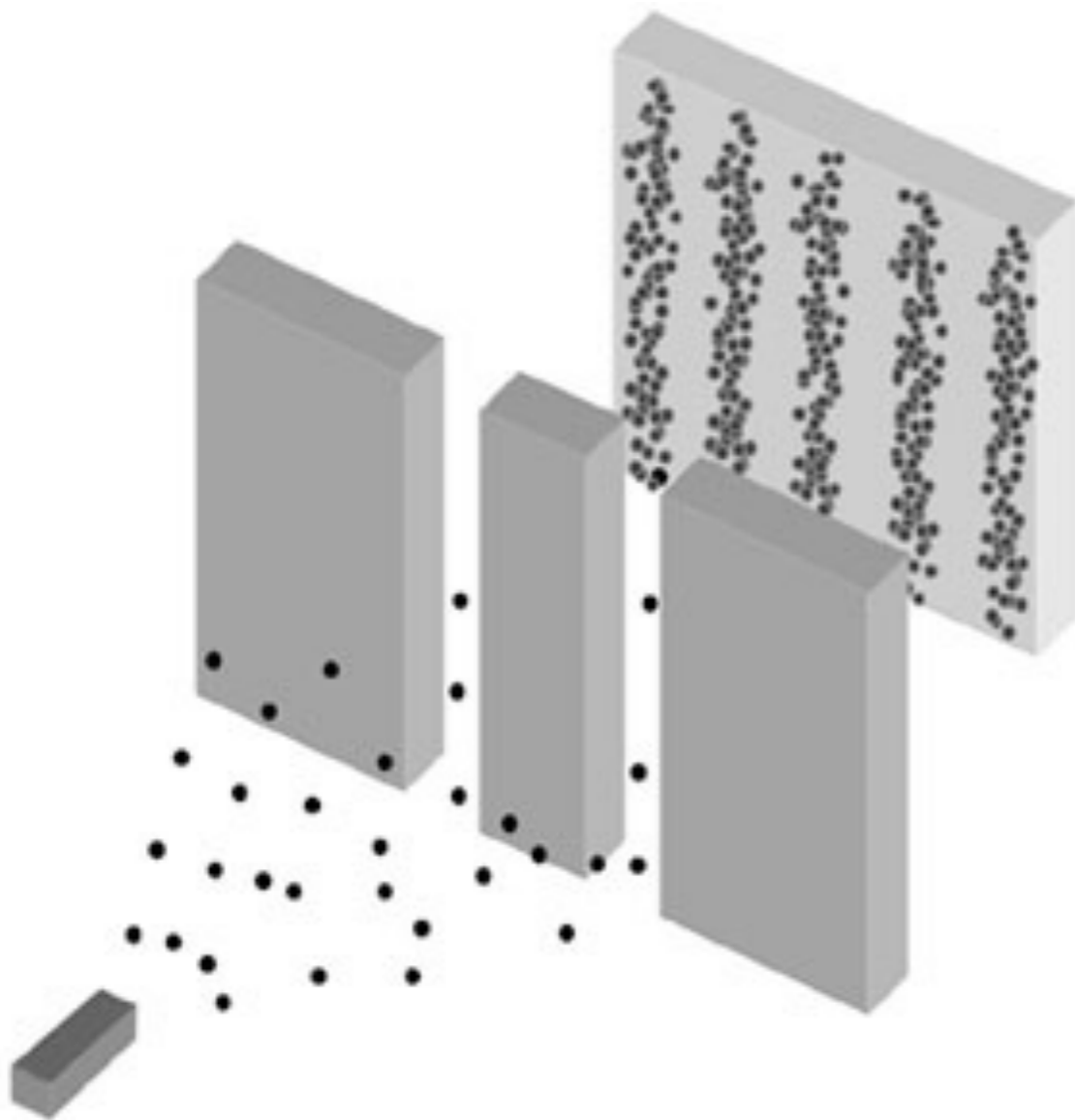
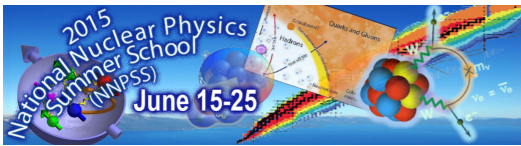
proton ~ 940 MeV

Nucleon

Nucleon is an entangled state of indefinite particle number with spin-1/2

quark masses defined in a scheme at a scale: e.g. Dim. Reg. with MSbar at $\mu=2$ GeV

Quantum Mechanics and Special Relativity

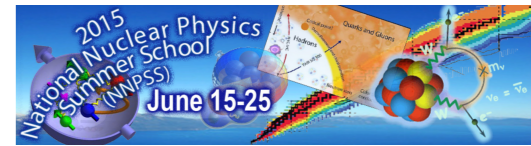
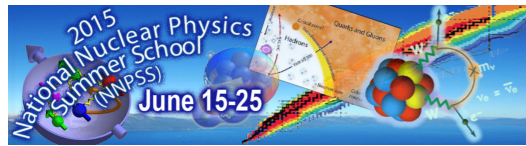


$$\hbar = 1.055 \times 10^{-34} \text{ Js}$$

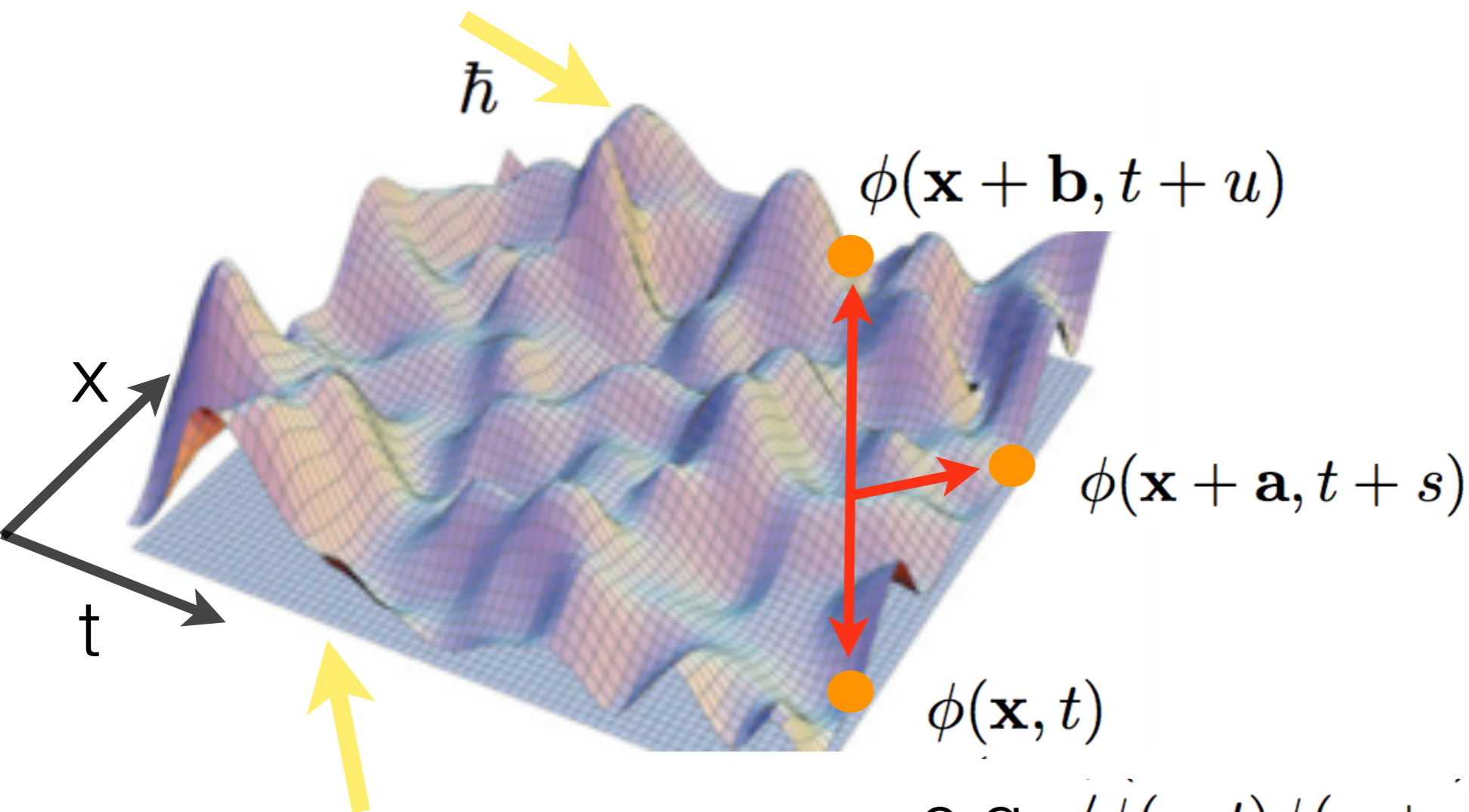
$$c = 2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$$

$$| \Psi(\mathbf{x}, t) \rangle$$

Quantum Field Theory e.g. a Scalar Field



Quantum Vacuum



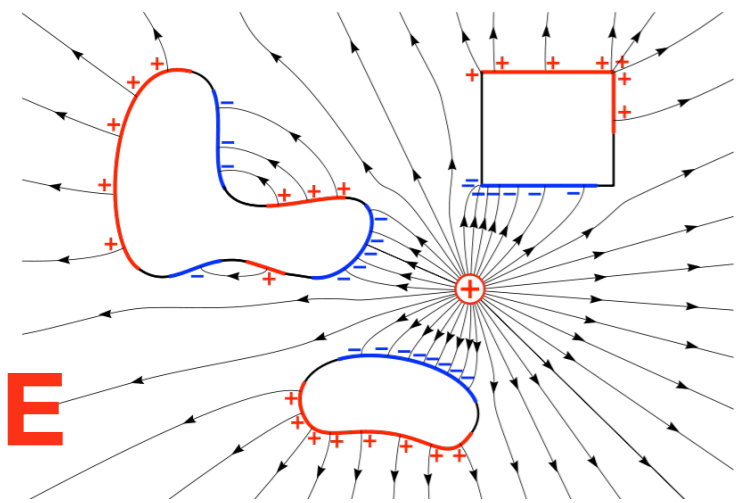
$$e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} S[\phi]}$$

Classical Vacuum

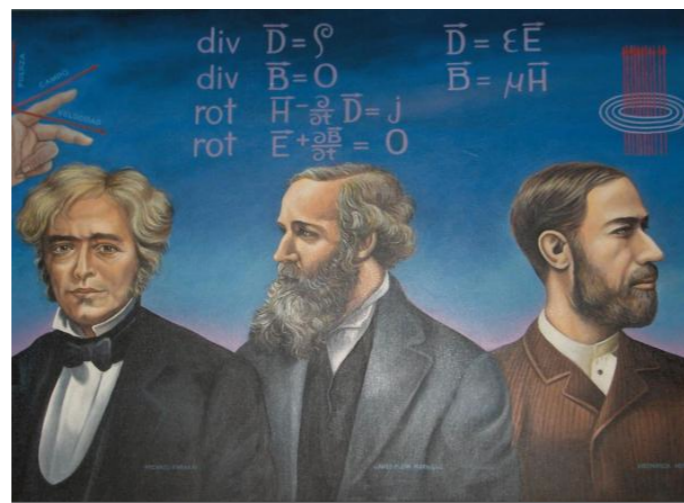
e.g. $\langle \phi(\mathbf{x}, t) \phi(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{a}, t + s) \phi(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}, t + u) \rangle$

Quantum Fluctuations in the Vacuum Dictate Observables.

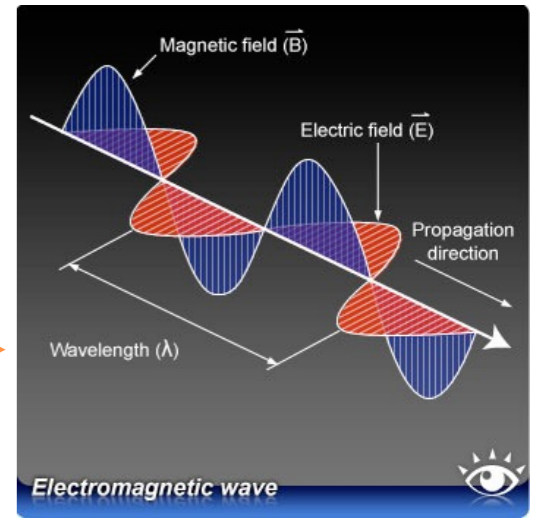
Electromagnetism (1861)



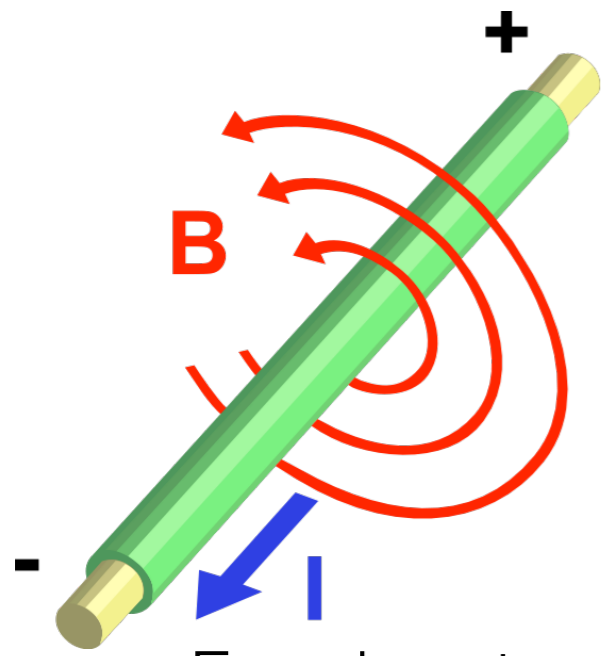
Experiment



Thinking



Theoretical Prediction - EM Waves



Experiment

EM is Linear and essentially Classical

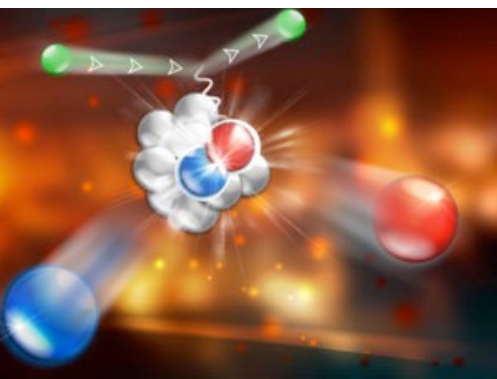


Application



Experiment

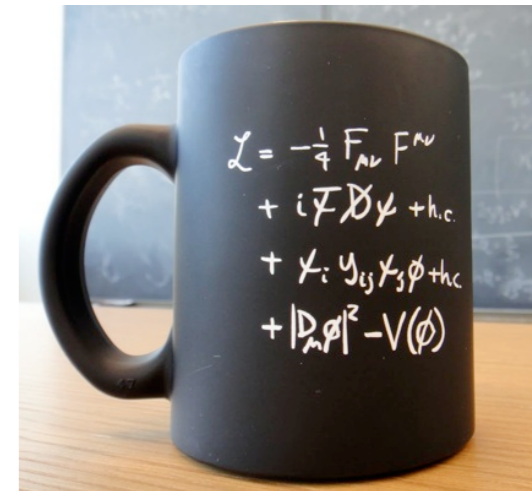
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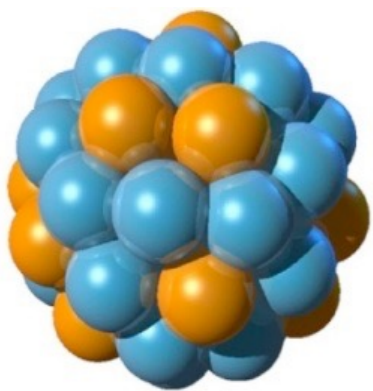
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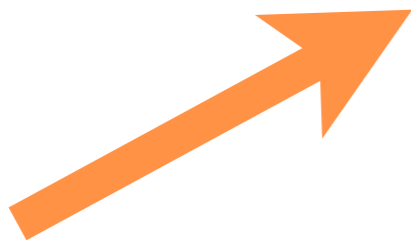
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QCD



Experiment



electric charges

EM waves



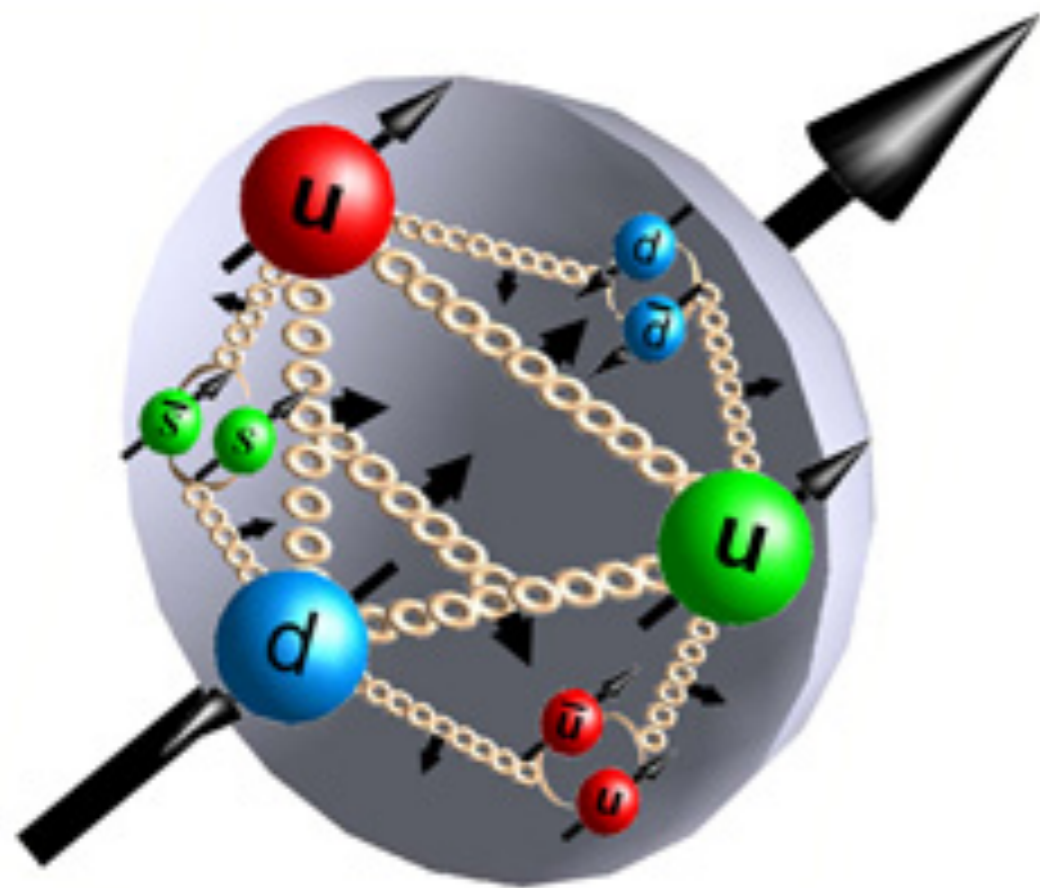
color charges



Excited Glue

QCD is Non-Linear and essentially Quantum

Important Features of QCD



Nucleon

- Each quark comes in 3 colors
- SU(3) Local Gauge Symmetry
- 8 gluons - "photon-like"
- Asymptotic Freedom (QM)
- Confinement (QM)
- Chiral Symmetry Breaking (QM)
- 4 well-defined input parameters

QCD Lagrange Density

A Renormalizable Quantum Field Theory

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{i=u,d,s,c,b,t} \bar{q}_i [i\not{D} - m_i] q_i - \frac{1}{4} \sum_{a=1,\dots,8} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{\mu\nu,a}$$

quark kinetic
quark mass
(Higgs mechanism)
gluon kinetic
Yang-Mills action

$$D_\mu q(x) = \partial_\mu q(x) + ig \sum_{a=1,\dots,8} A_\mu^a(x) T^a q(x)$$

covariant derivative

$$G_{\mu\nu}(x) = \frac{1}{ig} [D_\mu, D_\nu] = \sum_{a=1,\dots,8} T^a G_{\mu\nu}^a(x)$$

gluon field strength

QCD Lagrange Density

Gauge Symmetry - local

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$$q(x) \rightarrow q'(x) = \Omega(x)q(x) \quad d(x) = \begin{pmatrix} d^1(x) \\ d^2(x) \\ d^3(x) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bar{q}' \not{D}' q' = \bar{q} \Omega^{-1} \not{D}' \Omega q = \bar{q} \not{D} q$$

$$D'_\mu = \Omega D_\mu \Omega^{-1}$$

$$A'_\mu = \Omega A_\mu \Omega^{-1} + \frac{1}{ig} \Omega \partial_\mu \Omega^{-1}$$

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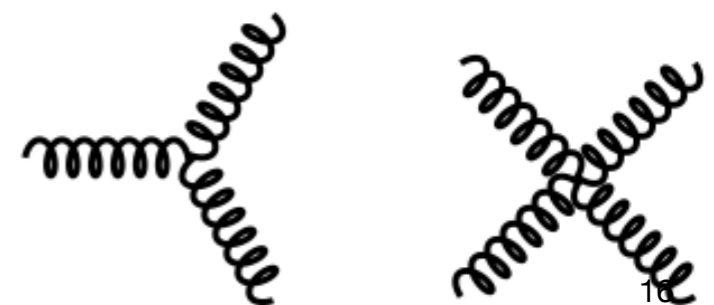
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Gauge transformation

- SU(3) (special unitary) local color gauge symmetry is an exact symmetry of nature, i.e., it holds at each point in spacetime



QCD Lagrange Density

Flavor Symmetries - global

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{Q} [i\not{D} - M_Q] Q - \frac{1}{4} G^2$$

$$Q(x) = \begin{pmatrix} u(x) \\ d(x) \end{pmatrix} \quad M_Q = \begin{pmatrix} m_u & 0 \\ 0 & m_d \end{pmatrix}$$

When $m_u = m_d$

$$Q(x) \rightarrow V Q(x)$$

SU(2) (vector) flavor symmetry of QCD Lagrange density.

V is a spacetime independent SU(2) matrix

Spectrum of the Hamiltonian classified into irreps. of flavor SU(2)

e.g., the neutron and proton are degenerate - the nucleon is a doublet of SU(2)

QCD Lagrange Density

Chiral Symmetry - global

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{Q} [i\not{D} - M_Q] Q - \frac{1}{4} G^2$$

$$\bar{Q} [i\not{D} - M_Q] Q = \bar{Q}_L i\not{D} Q_L + \bar{Q}_R i\not{D} Q_R - \bar{Q}_L M_Q Q_R - \bar{Q}_R M_Q^\dagger Q_L$$

Invariant

NOT Invariant

$$Q_L \rightarrow L Q_L$$

$$Q_R \rightarrow R Q_R$$

Condensate spontaneously break chiral symmetry $\langle \bar{Q}_R Q_L \rangle_i^j = v \delta_i^j$

Goldstone's theorem : massless particle for each broken generator : 3 massless pions

Explicit chiral symmetry breaking by quark masses : small pion masses

QCD Lagrange Density

Quantum Effects - Path Integral

So far only classical Lagrange density !

Quantum effects included via the path integral (as usual)

$$Z \propto \int \mathcal{D}A_{\mu}^a \mathcal{D}\bar{q}_i \mathcal{D}q_i e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int d^4x \mathcal{L} + \mathcal{L}_{g.f.} + \mathcal{L}_{ghosts}}$$

Planck's constant dictates fluctuations away from classical field configuration(s).

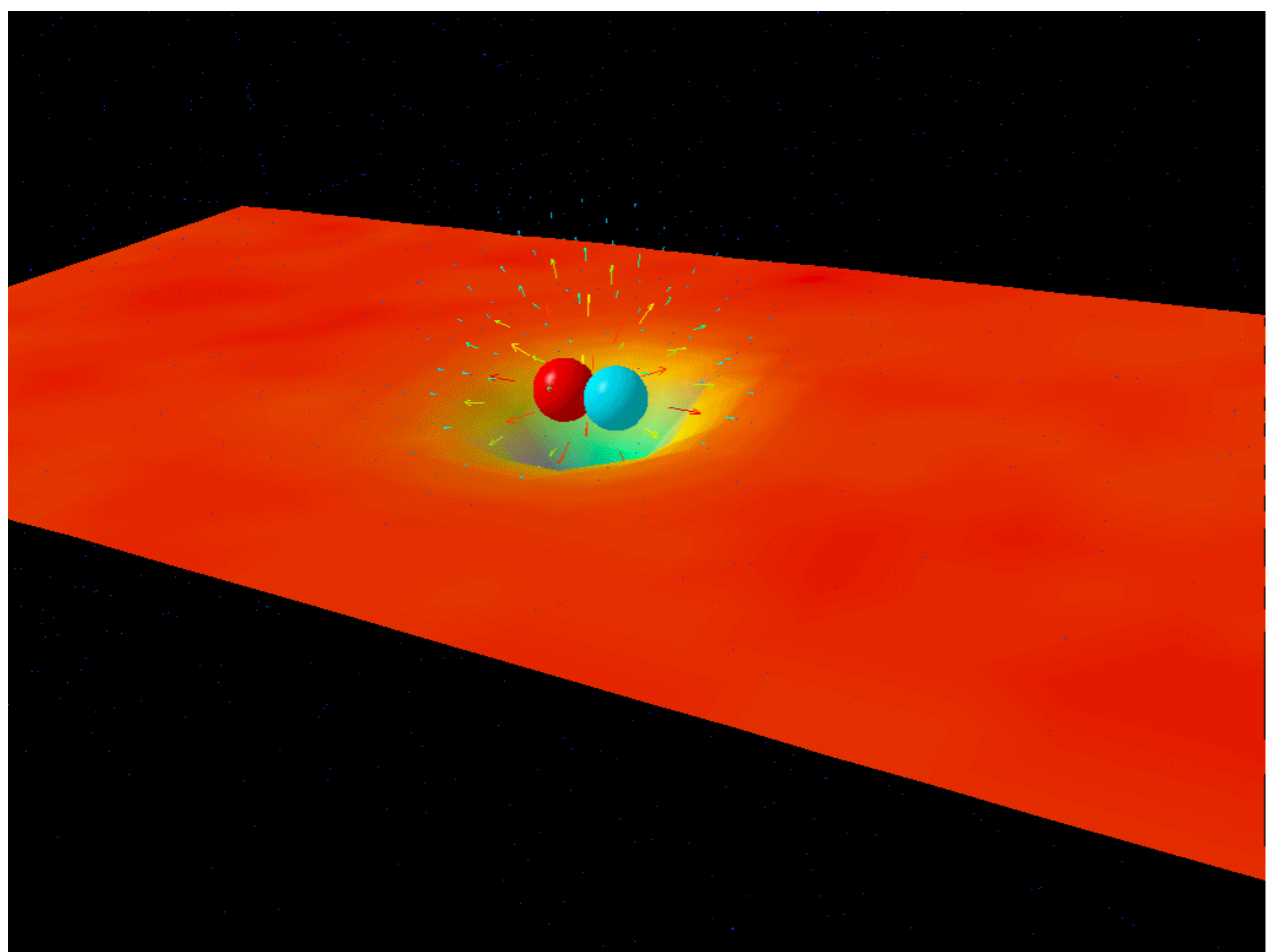
Integrate over all possible values of every field at each point in spacetime

Observables dictated by expectation values over these fluctuations

QCD Lagrange Density

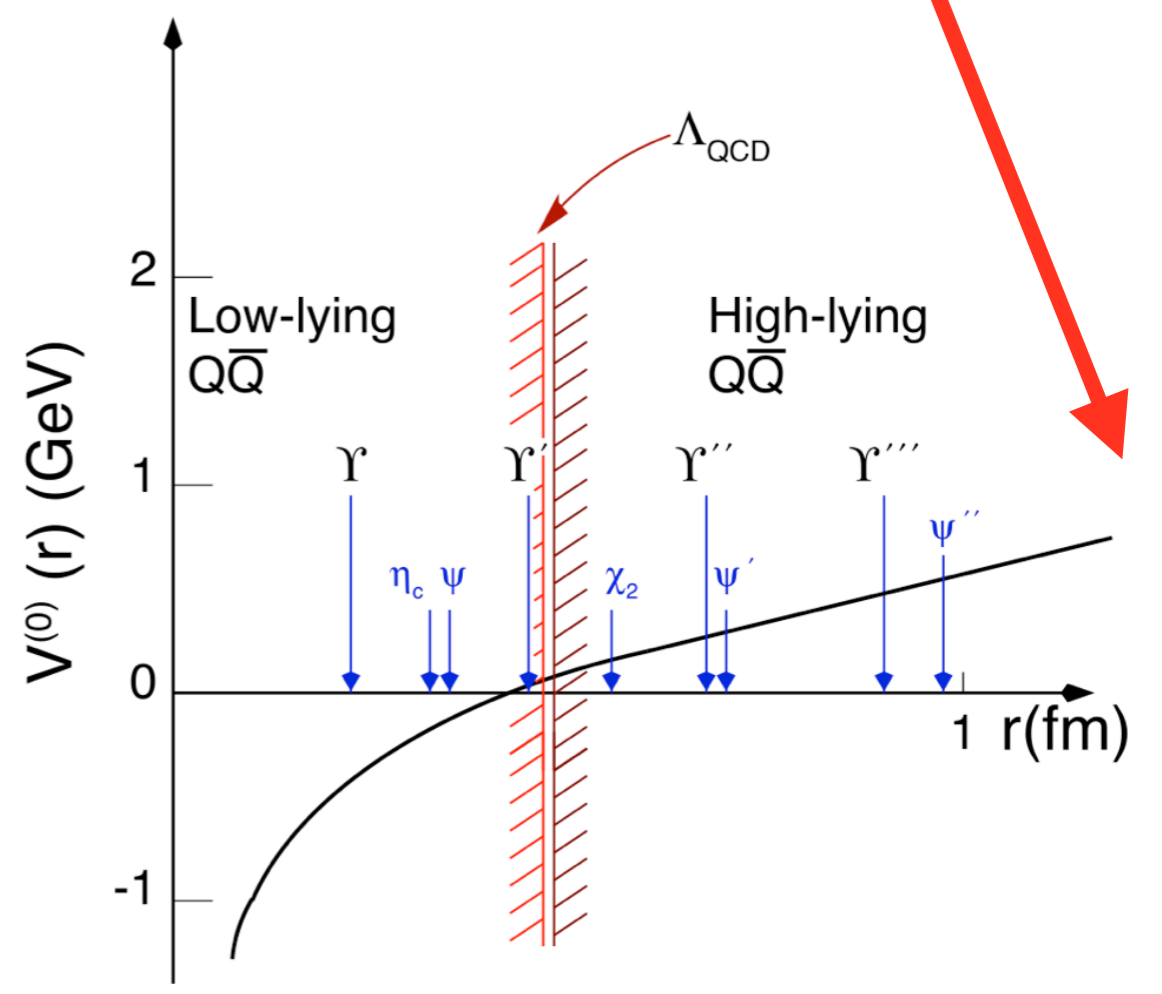
Quarks and Gluons are confined

$$F \sim 2 \times 10^5 \text{ N}$$



Gluon Energy Density
(Derek Leinweber)

Flux-Tubes between color charges



QCD Lagrange Density

Quantum Effects - Renormalization group

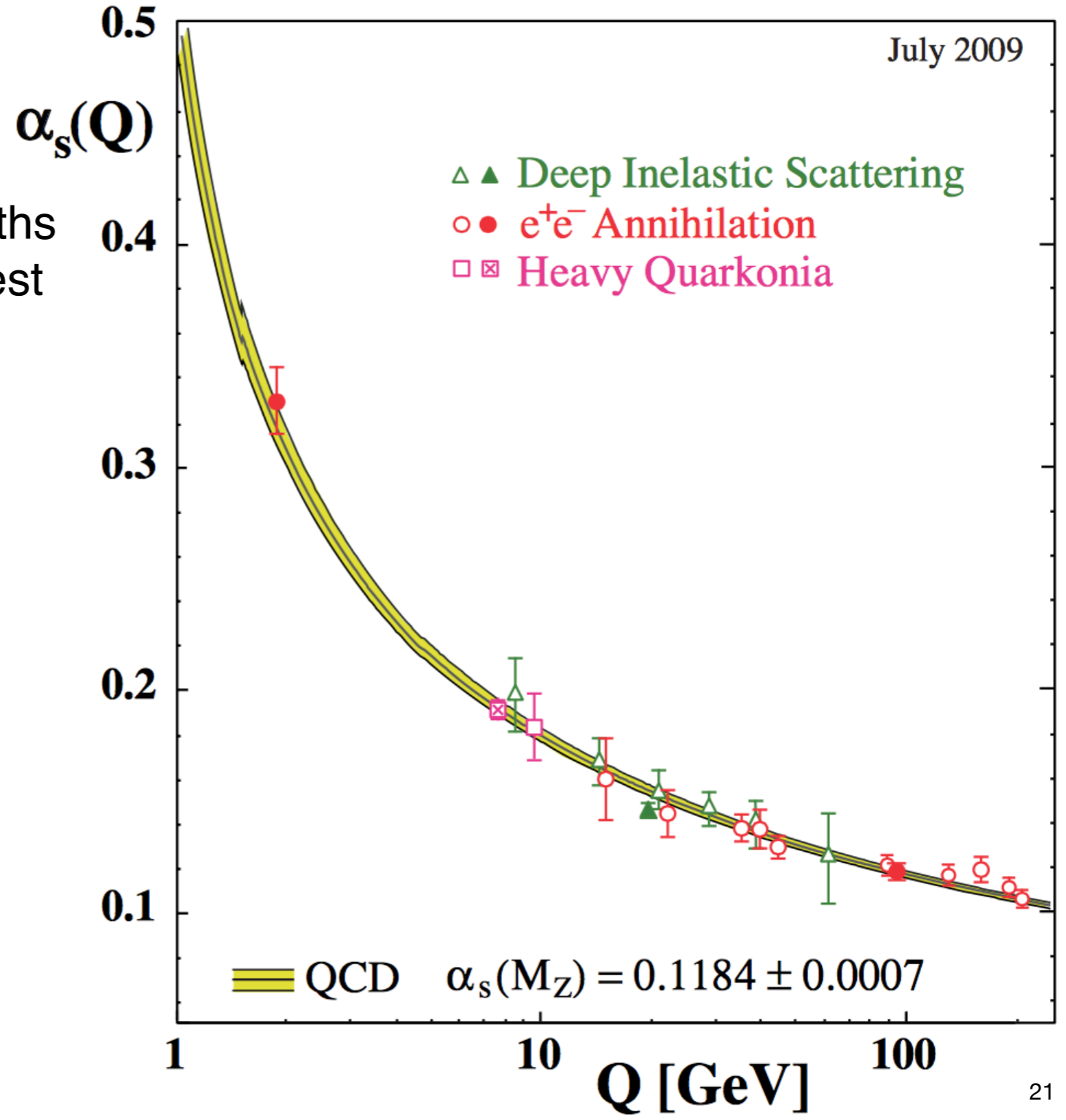
RG is used to sum the contributions from quantum fluctuations with wavelengths smaller than the scale of physics of interest

As there is no intrinsic length scale, $\sim \text{Log}(Q/\mu)$, which can become large.

e.g., $g(\mu)$, $m(\mu)$ to describe quantities involving momenta $Q \sim \mu$

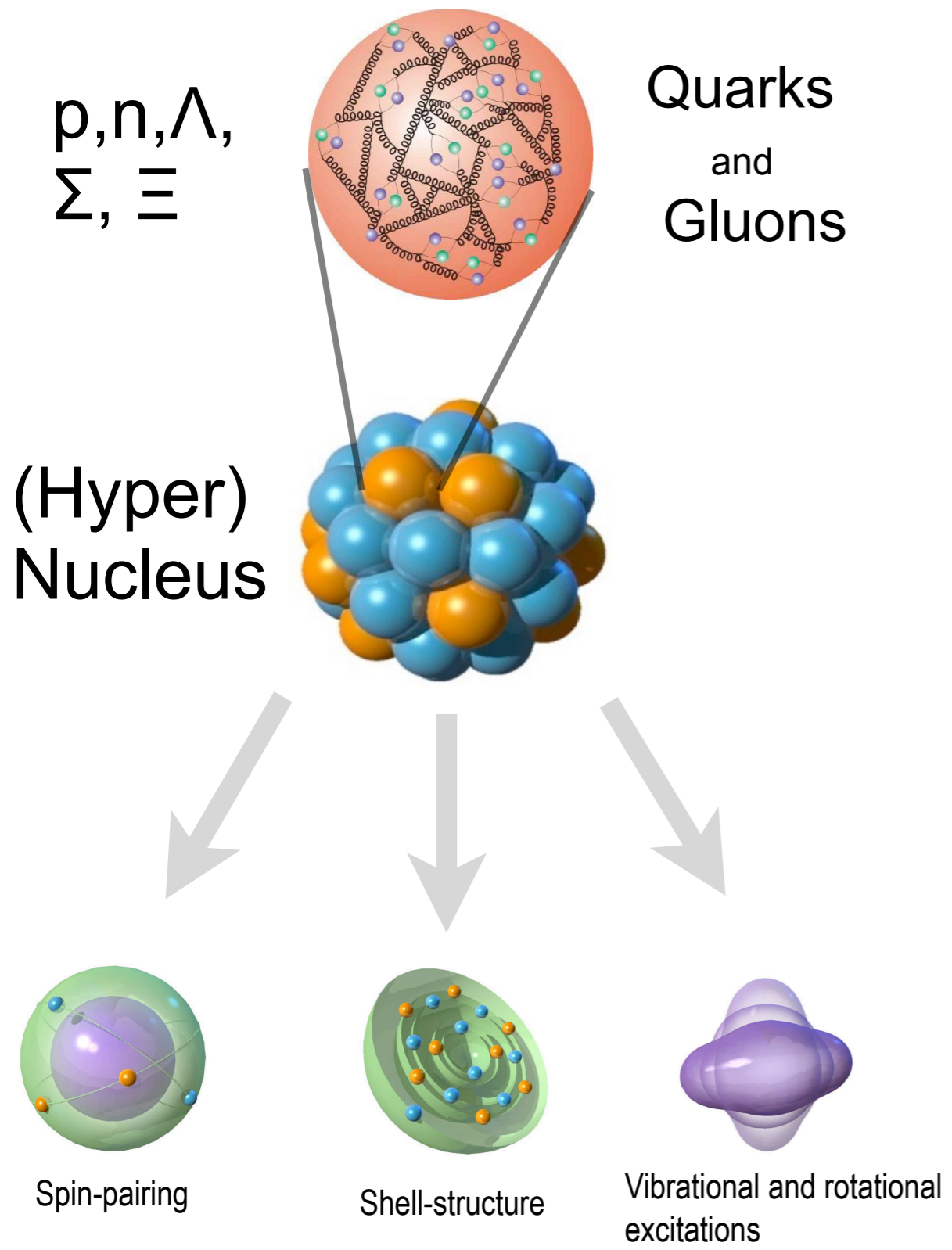
Observables are independent of YOUR choice of RG scale, μ

Dimensional transmutation relates dimensionless coupling constant to quantum-induced scale, Λ_{QCD}



QCD Lagrange Density

Low-energy QCD



$$\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$$

$$\frac{m_u}{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}$$

$$\frac{m_d}{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}$$

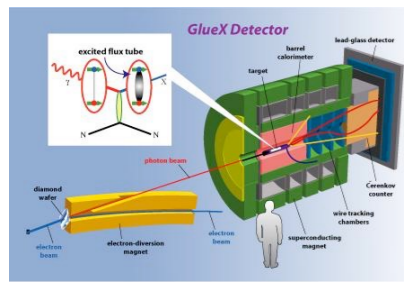
$$\frac{m_s}{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}$$

$$\alpha_e$$

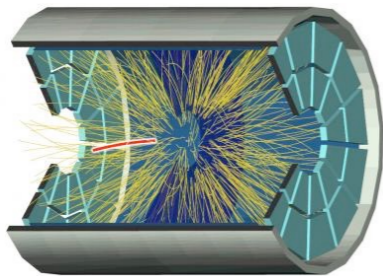
Small number of input parameters responsible for all of strongly interacting matter

Refine predictive capabilities for low-energy nuclear physics with complete uncertainty quantification^{??}

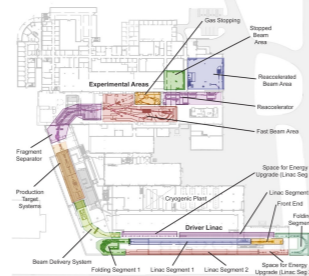
The Roadmap from QCD to Nuclear Physics



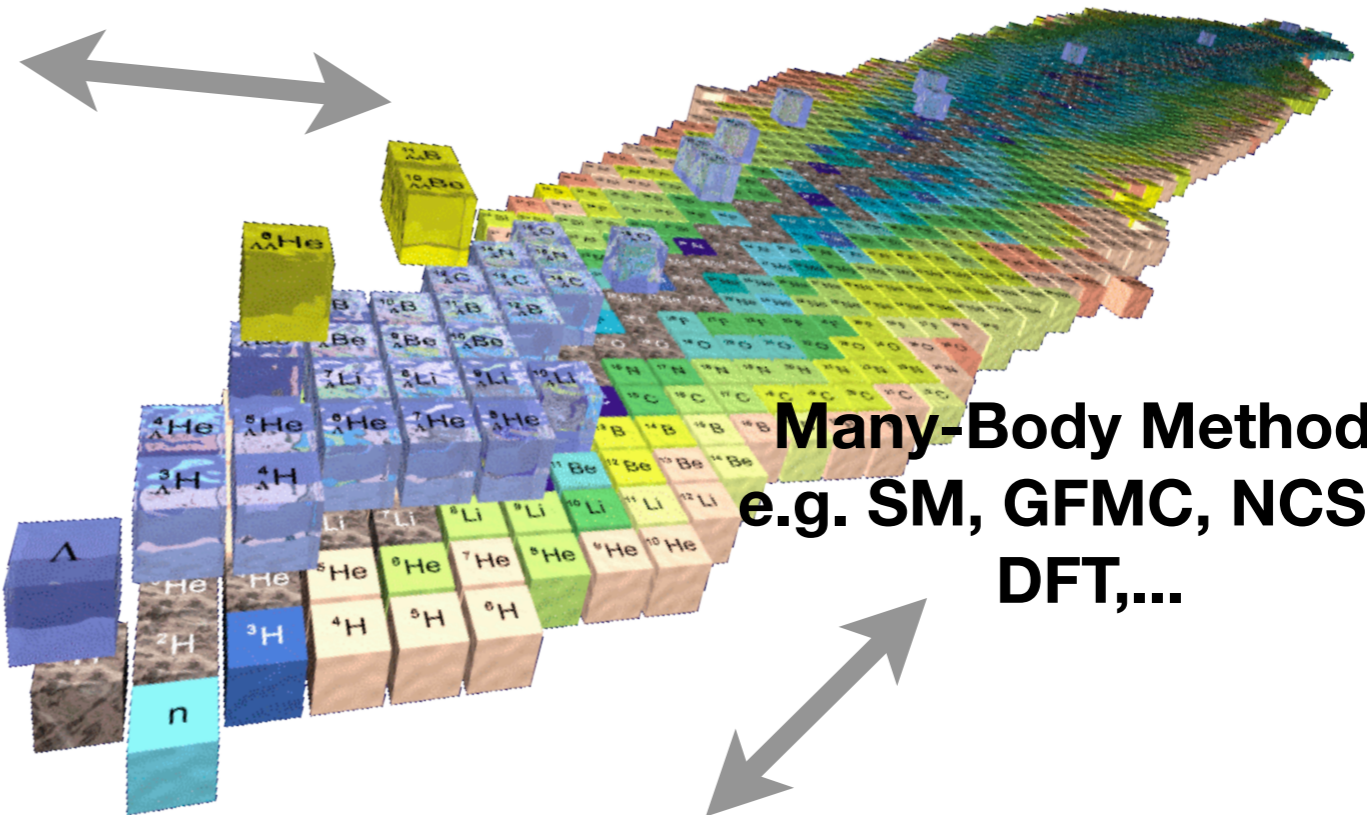
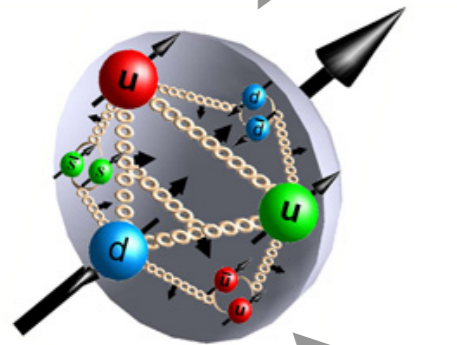
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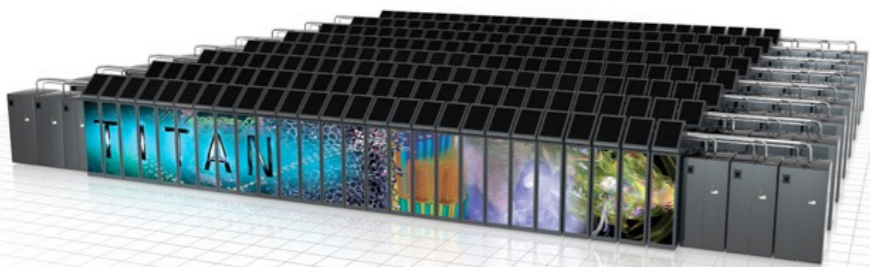
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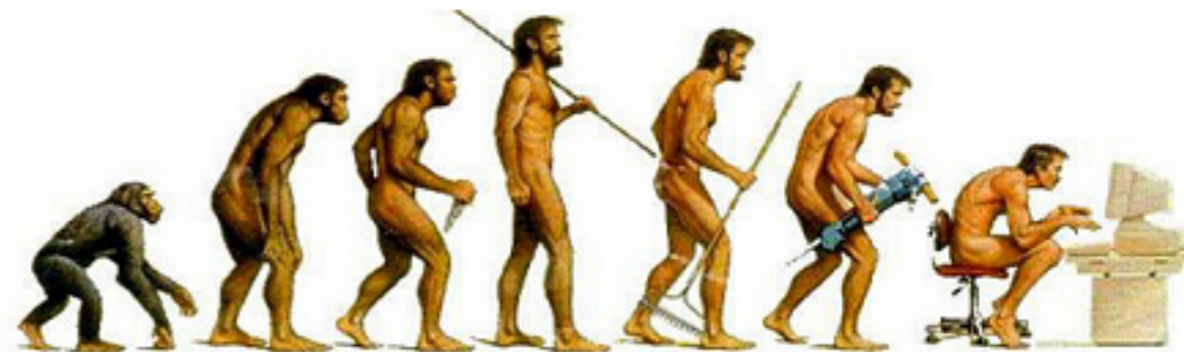
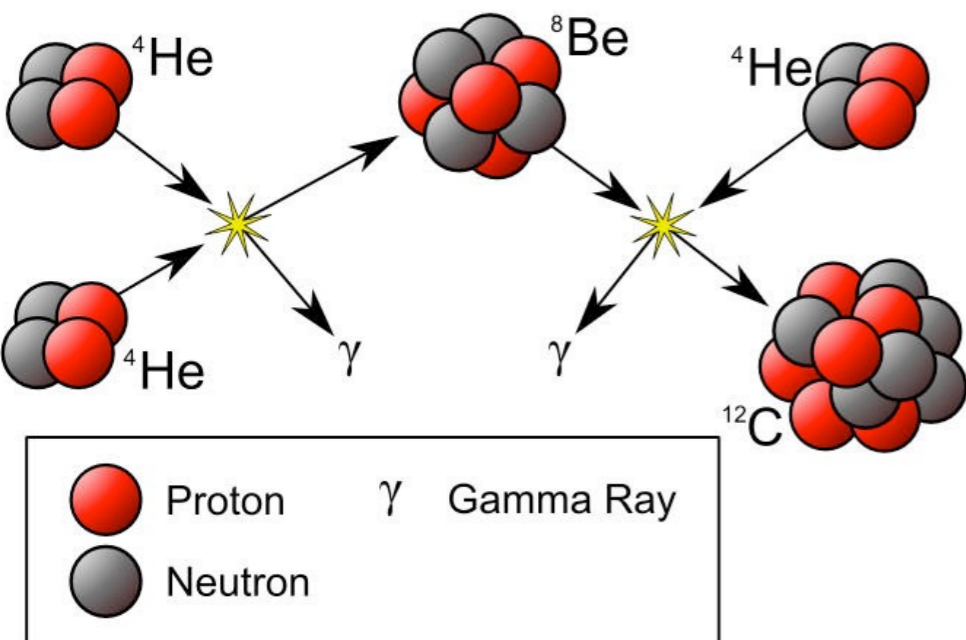
Many-Body Methods
e.g. SM, GFMC, NCSM, DFT,...



Solve QCD

	2N force	3N force	4N force
LO		—	—
NLO		—	—
N ² LO			—

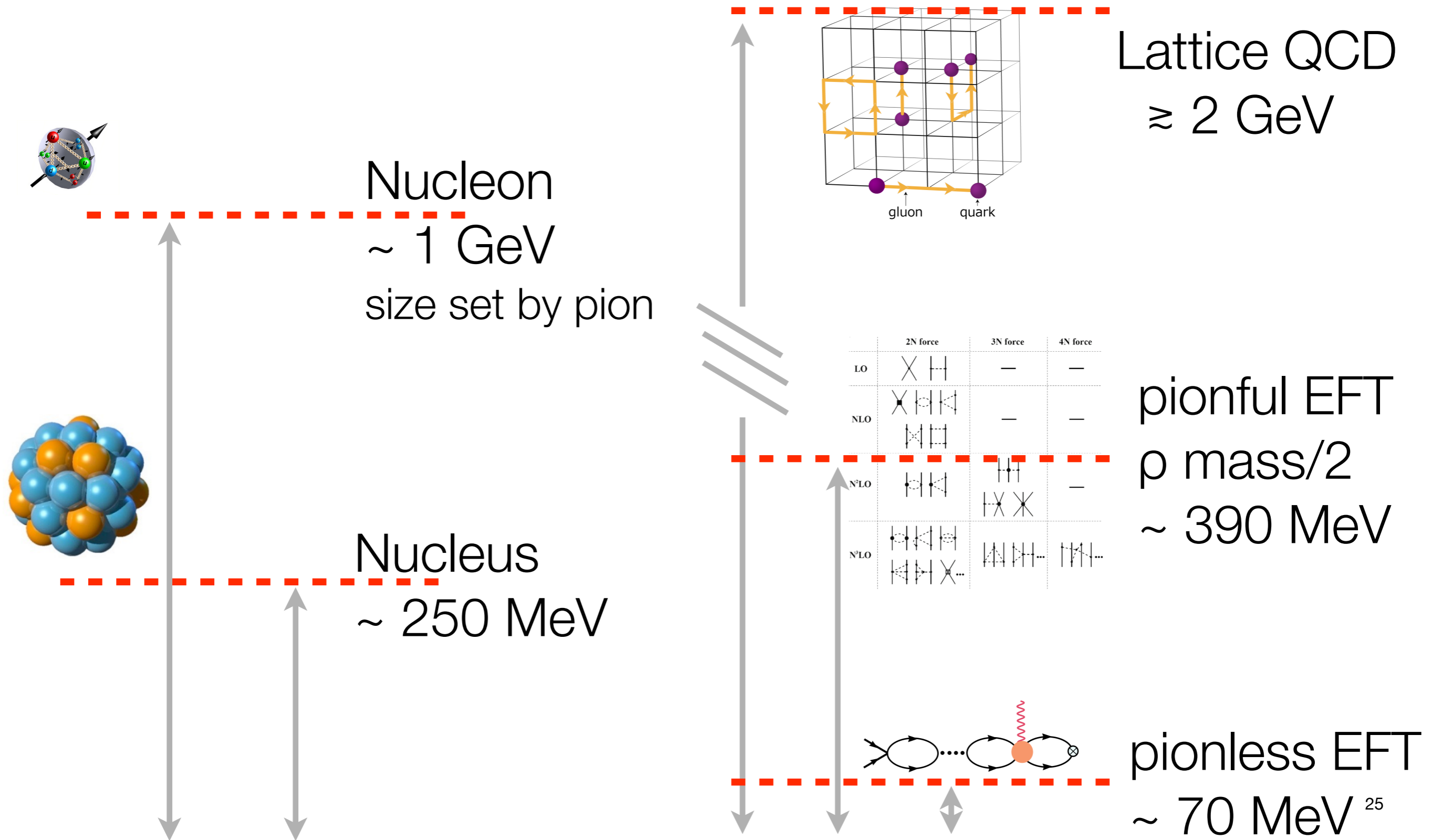
Fine-Tunings Define Our Universe



- Nuclear physics exhibits fine-tunings
 - *Why ??*
 - *Range of parameters to produce sufficient carbon ?*
 - *Large cancellation in NN interactions - weakly bound deuteron*

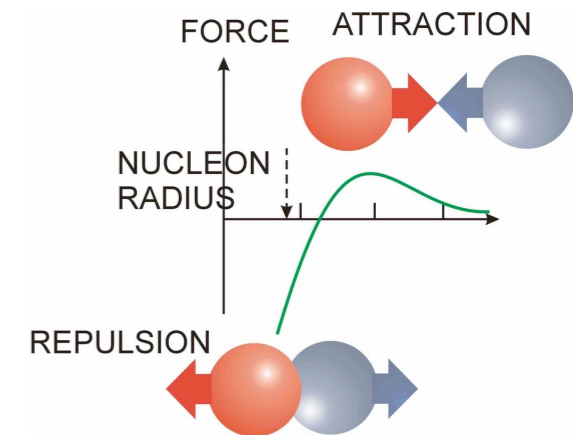
Energy Scales

Dynamical Degrees of Freedom



Why Lattice QCD

- Nuclear Models provide a QM ***interpolation*** of experimental data



- EFTs for Nuclei

- model dependence largely pushed to higher orders - truncation
- proliferation of counterterms for higher precision - run out of constraints
- momentum and quark-mass expansions below $p \sim 1$ GeV (350 MeV)

- pionful - chiral symmetries of QCD
- required to rigorously describe nuclei at physical light-quark masses



- momentum expansion below $p \sim 70$ MeV

- pionless - ERE (Bethe 1930's), EFT generalization in 1990's (SNO analysis, etc)

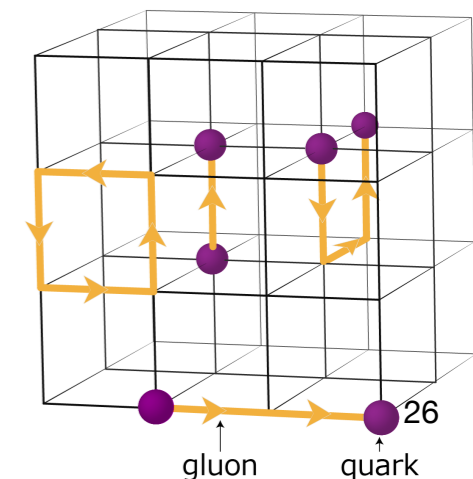
- not rigorously applicable to nuclei, but numerically seems to not be too bad (why?)

- Lattice QCD

- valid below $p \sim \pi/a$ - corrections to QCD $\sim (a p)^n$ - no truncation

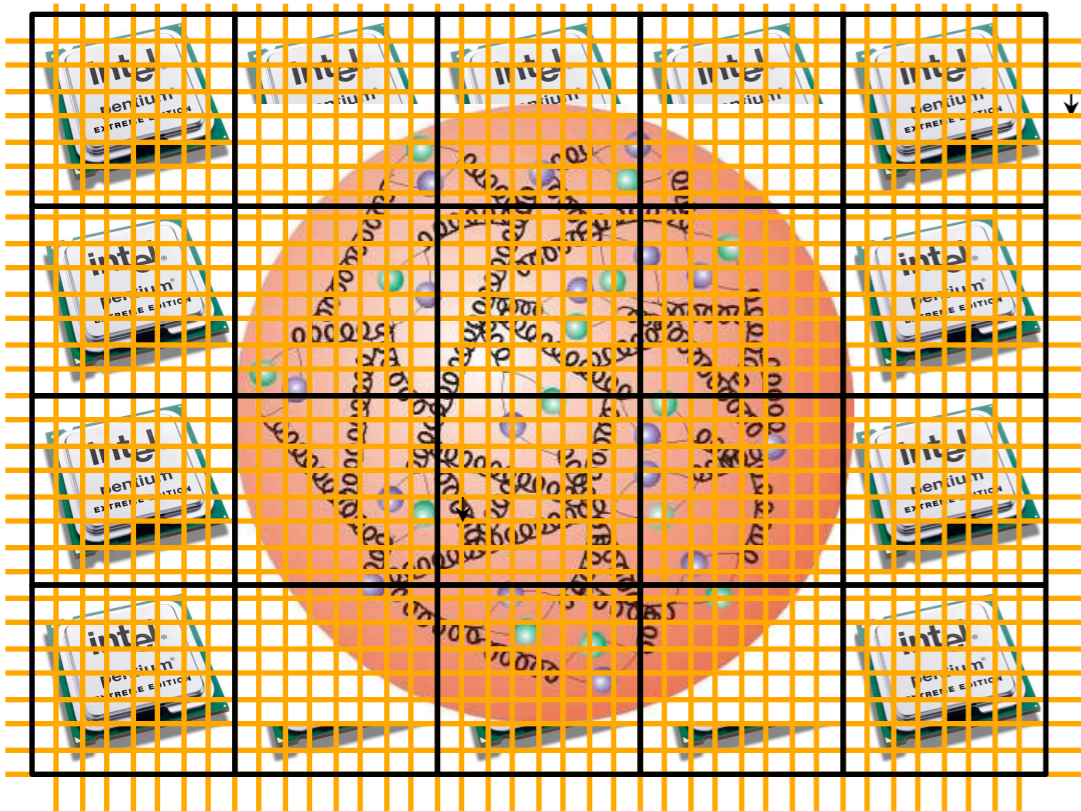
- $a \sim 0.1$ fm $\sim (2 \text{ GeV})^{-1}$

- systematically remove by extrapolating calcs with different a 's



Lattice QCD:

A Discretized Euclidean Spacetime

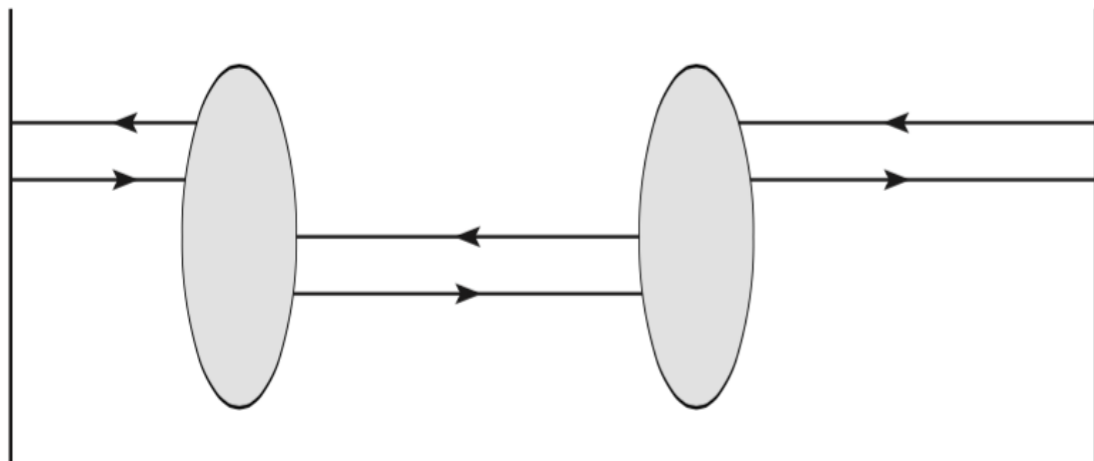


Lattice Spacing :
 $a \ll 1/\Lambda\chi$
 (Nearly Continuum)

Lattice Volume :
 $m_\pi L \gg 2\pi$
 (Nearly Infinite Volume)

Extrapolation to $a = 0$ and $L = \infty$

Systematically remove non-QCD parts of calculation through the Symanzik action and p-regime effective field theories

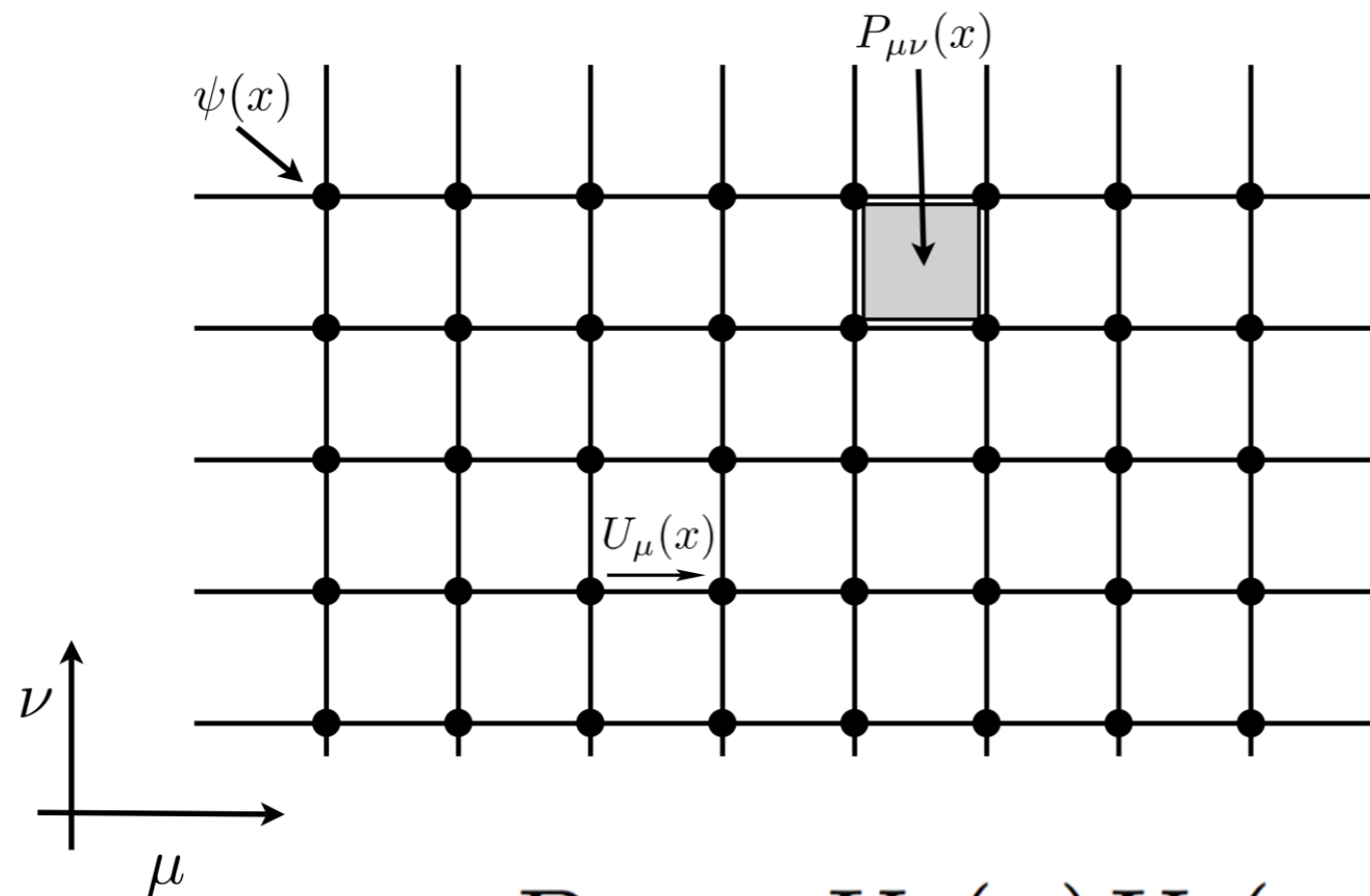


Thermal effects can be problematic, requires

$$m_\pi T \gg 10$$

Lattice QCD:

Simplest Discretization : Gauge Fields



$$U_\mu(x) = \exp \left(i \int_x^{x+\hat{\mu}} dx' A_\mu(x') \right)$$

$$U_\mu(x) \rightarrow U'_\mu(x) = \Omega(x) U_\mu(x) \Omega^{-1}(x + \hat{\mu})$$

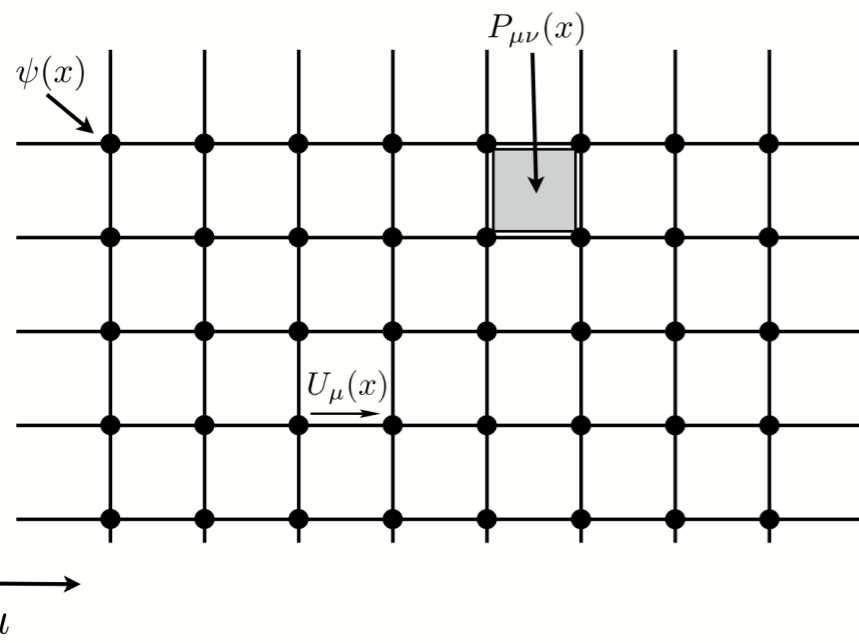
$$P_{\mu\nu} = U_\mu(x) U_\nu(x + \hat{\mu}) U_\mu^\dagger(x + \hat{\nu}) U_\nu^\dagger(x)$$

$$P_{\mu\nu} = 1 - ia^2 G_{\mu\nu} - \frac{a^4}{2} G_{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu} + \dots$$

HMWK: find the a^6 contribution, and find a set of other loops to add to exactly cancel this term. This is called "improvement".

Lattice QCD:

Simplest Discretization : Gauge Fields



$$\sum_{x, \mu > \nu} [N_c - \text{Tr} [P_{\mu\nu}]] = \int d^4x \frac{1}{8} G_{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu} + \dots$$

$$S = \frac{\beta}{N_c} \sum_{x, \mu > \nu} [N_c - \text{Tr} [P_{\mu\nu}]] \quad \beta = \frac{2N_c}{g^2}$$

N_c is the number of colors - shows how to generalize to possible BSM physics or to explore hadronic and nuclear physics on the large- N_c limit of QCD.

$\beta=6.1$ corresponds to a lattice spacing of $a \sim 0.11$, and
 $\beta=6.3$ corresponds to a lattice spacing of $a \sim 0.09$ for $N_c=3$

Lattice QCD:

Simplest Discretization : Scalar Fields



$$-\frac{\pi}{a} \leq k_\mu \leq \frac{\pi}{a}$$

$$\phi(x - a) \sim e^{ikx} e^{-ika}$$

$$\phi(x) \sim e^{ikx}$$

$$\phi(x + a) \sim e^{ikx} e^{ika}$$

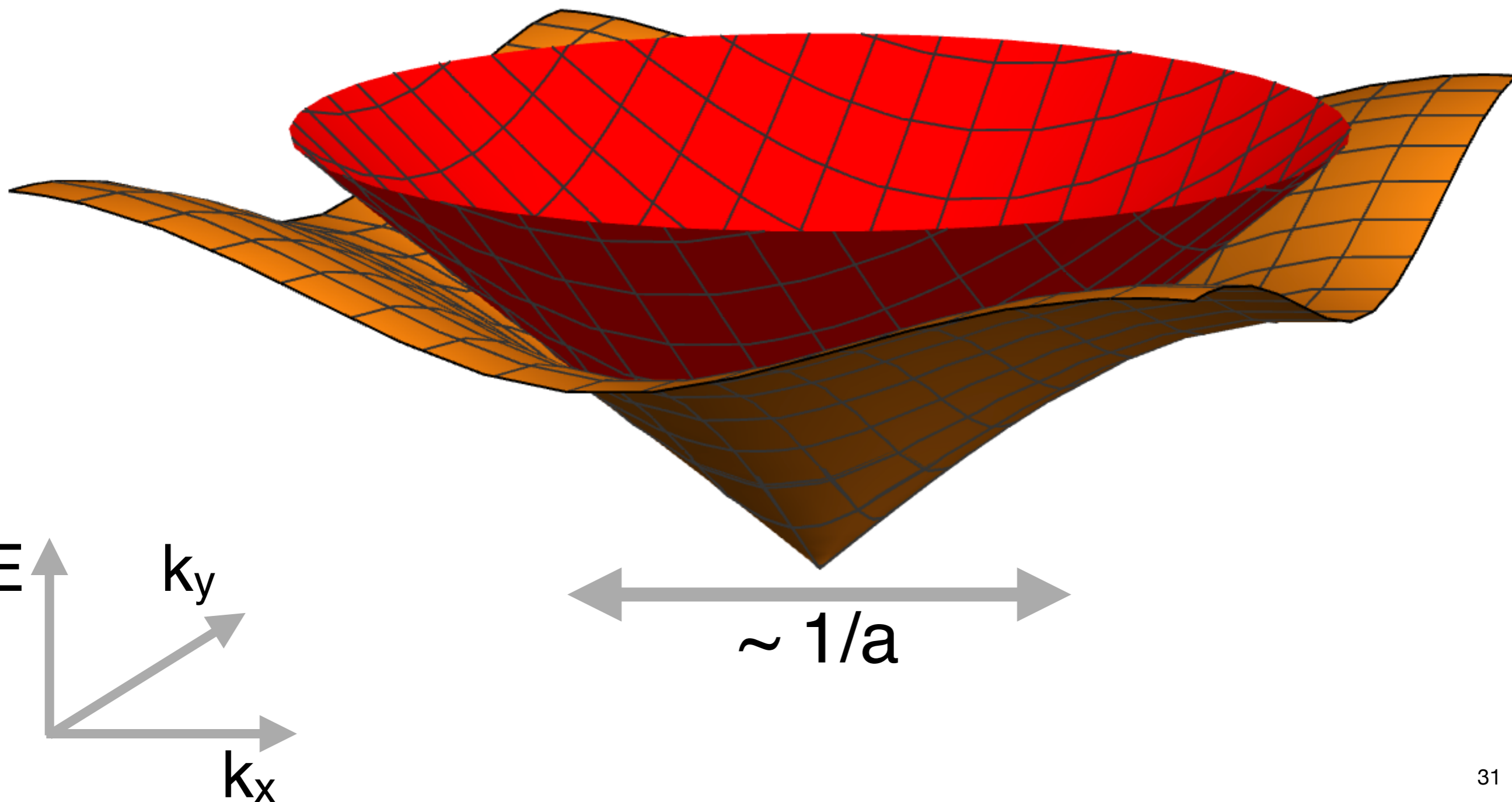
$$\begin{aligned} -\phi^*(x) \partial_\mu^2 \phi(x) &\rightarrow -\frac{1}{a^2} \phi^*(x) (\phi(x + a\hat{\mu}) + \phi(x - a\hat{\mu}) - 2\phi(x)) \\ &= \frac{4}{a^2} \sin^2 \left(\frac{ak_\mu}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$-\sum_\mu \phi^*(x) \partial_\mu^2 \phi(x) = \frac{4}{a^2} \sum_\mu \sin^2 \left(\frac{ak_\mu}{2} \right) \rightarrow k^2 - \frac{a^2}{6} \sum_\mu k_\mu^4 + \dots$$

Lorentz violating

Lattice QCD: Simplest Discretization : Scalar Fields

Dispersion Relation



Lattice QCD: Simplest Discretization : Fermions



$$-\frac{\pi}{a} \leq k_\mu \leq \frac{\pi}{a}$$

$$\phi(x - a) \sim e^{ikx} e^{-ika}$$

$$\phi(x) \sim e^{ikx}$$

$$\phi(x + a) \sim e^{ikx} e^{ika}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_\mu \partial_\mu \psi(x) &\rightarrow \frac{1}{2a} \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_\mu (\psi(x - a\hat{\mu}) - \psi(x + a\hat{\mu})) \\ &\sim \frac{1}{a} \sin(k_\mu a) \gamma_\mu \end{aligned}$$

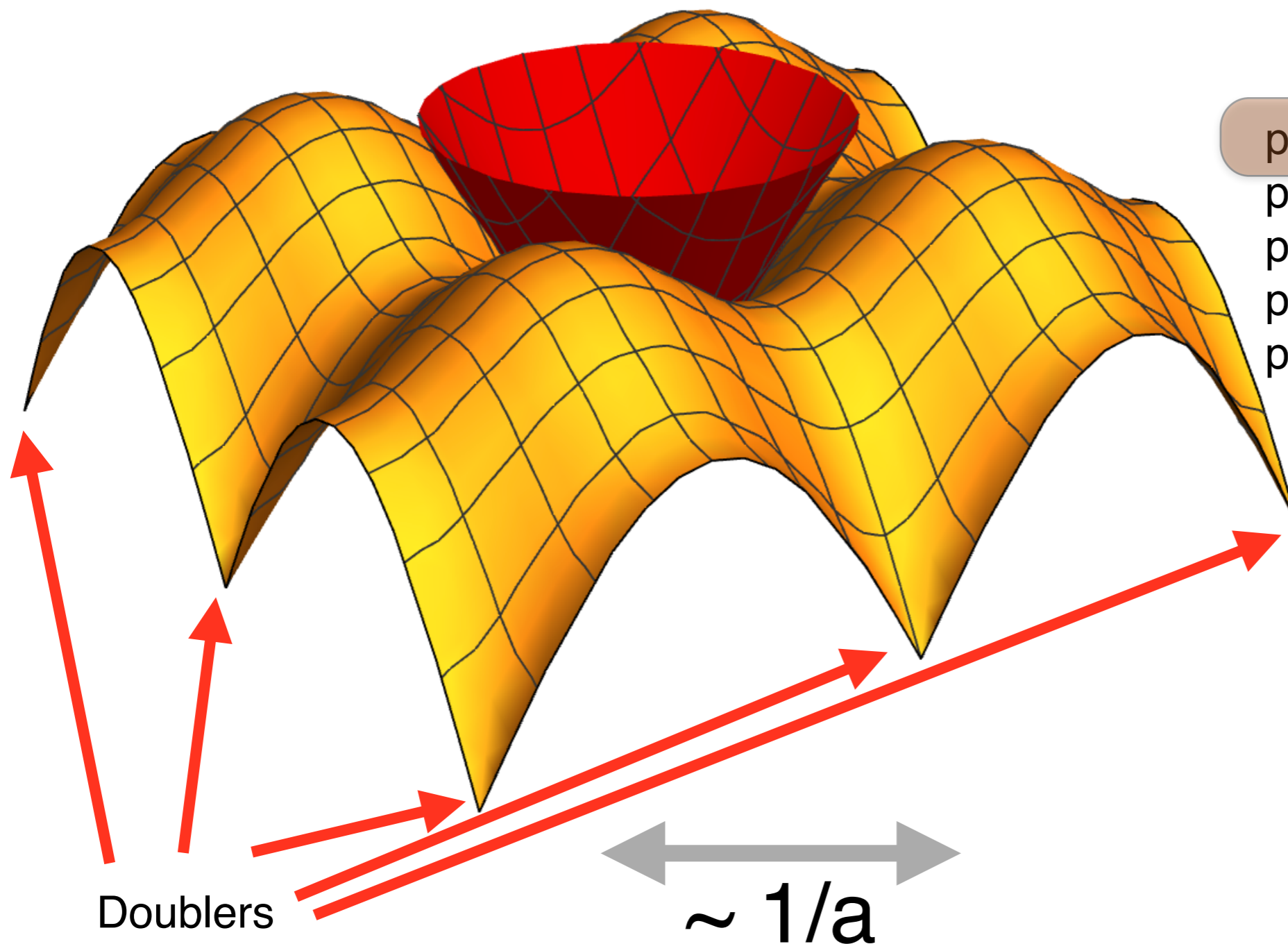
$$\frac{1}{a} \sum_\mu \gamma_\mu \sin(k_\mu a) \rightarrow \cancel{\not{k}} - \frac{a^2}{6} \sum_\mu \gamma_\mu k_\mu^3 + \dots$$

Lorentz violating

Lattice QCD:

Simplest Discretization : Doublers

Tried to describe 1 massless particle, but actually got 16.
The 15 at the edges of the Brillouin zone are called doublers



$\rho=(0,0,0,0)$: deg =1
$\rho=(\pi/a,0,0,0)$: deg=4
$\rho=(\pi/a,\pi/a,0,0)$: deg=6
$\rho=(\pi/a,\pi/a,\pi/a,0)$: deg=4
$\rho=(\pi/a,\pi/a,\pi/a,\pi/a)$: deg=1

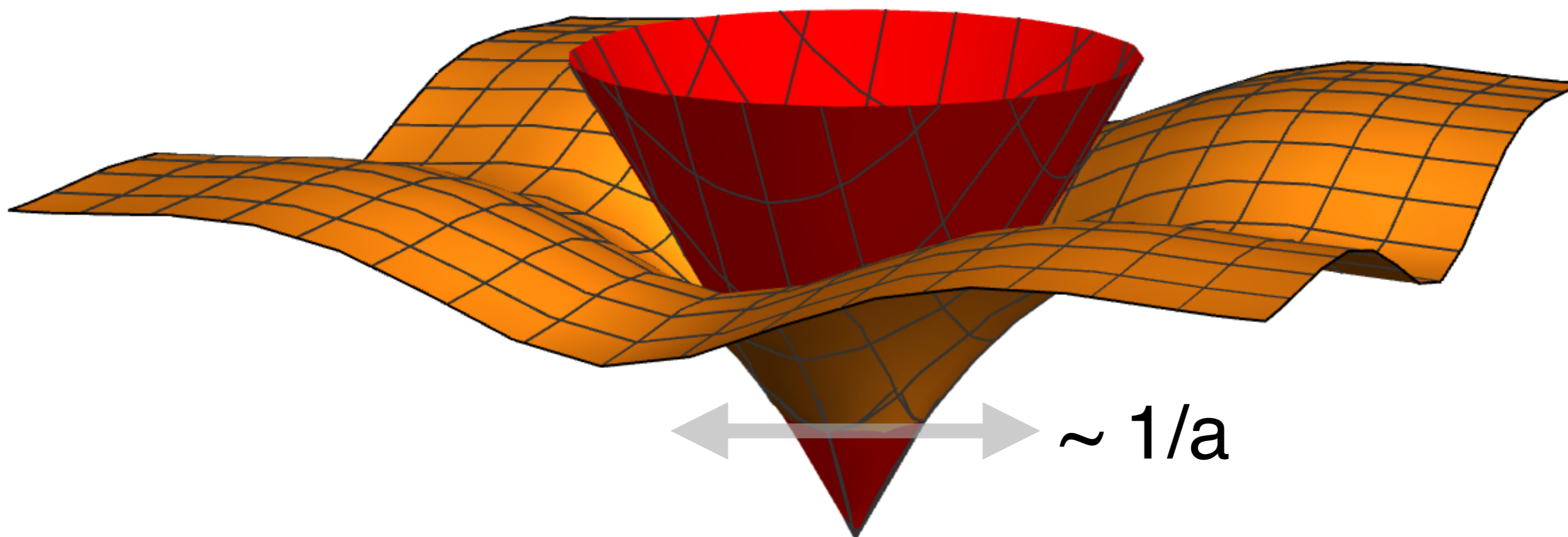
Lattice QCD:

Less Simple Discretization : Wilson Term

Simplest way to eliminate doublers is to include the Wilson Term:

$$\frac{r}{2a} \bar{\psi}(x) (\psi(x - a\hat{\mu}) + \psi(x + a\hat{\mu}) - 2\psi(x)) \rightarrow \frac{2r}{a} \sin^2 \left(\frac{ak_{\mu}}{2} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow ar k_{\mu}^2 + \dots$$



Breaks chiral symmetry - no gamma matrix

introduces a bare mass term for quarks, chiral symmetry breaking higher dim. operators⁴

Lattice QCD:

Symanzik Action and Improved Discretizations

$\psi(x)$
 $R_{\mu\nu}(x)$
 $U_{\mu}(x)$
 $P_{\mu\nu}(x)$

ν
 μ

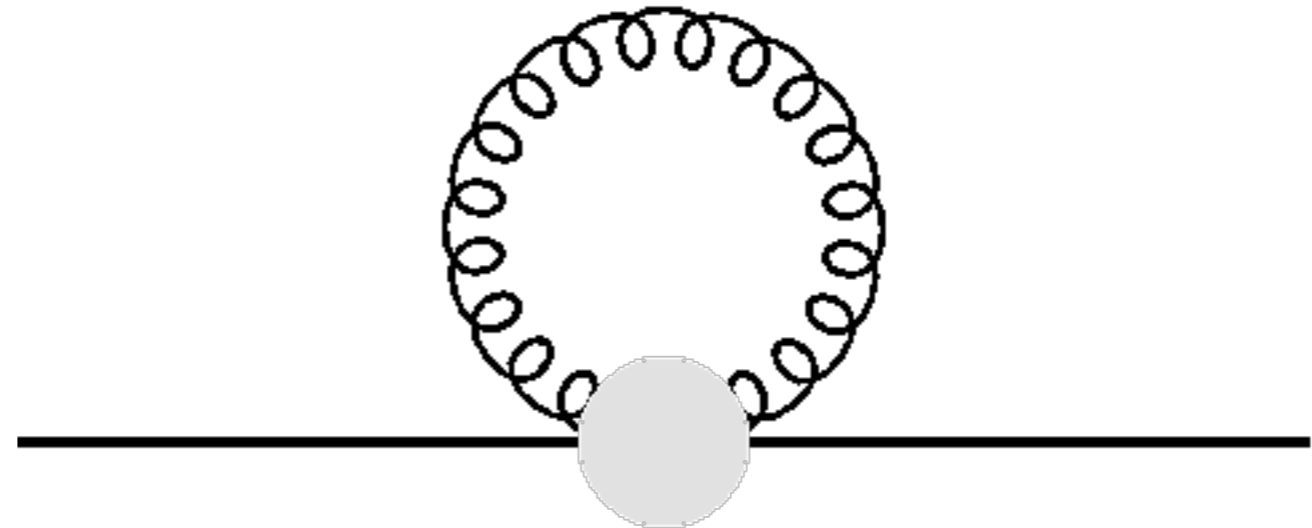
$$S_{\text{classical}} \equiv \text{Re} \left[-\beta \sum_{x, \mu > \nu} \left\{ \frac{5P_{\mu\nu}}{3} - \frac{R_{\mu\nu} + R_{\nu\mu}}{12} \right\} + \text{const} \right]$$

$$= \int d^4x \sum_{\mu, \nu} \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} F_{\mu\nu}^2 + \mathcal{O}(a^4).$$

Lattice QCD:

Tadpoles and Improved Discretizations

$U_\mu(x)$ contains
(at quantum level)



$$\text{tadpole} \sim \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{q^2} = 0 \text{ (DR)} \sim \frac{\pi^2}{a^2} \text{ (Lattice)}$$

$$u_0 = \langle 0 | P_{\mu\nu} | 0 \rangle^{1/4}$$

Quantum gauge action
tadpole improved

$$S = \text{Re} \left[-\beta \sum_{x, \mu > \nu} \left\{ \frac{5}{3} \frac{P_{\mu\nu}}{u_0^4} - \frac{R_{\mu\nu} + R_{\nu\mu}}{12 u_0^6} \right\} \right]$$

Lattice QCD:

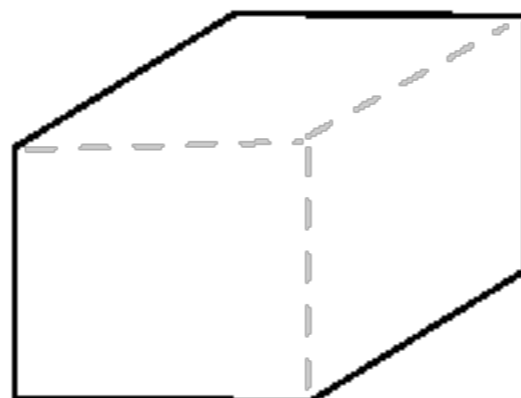
Improved Discretizations : Improved Gauge Action

$$\begin{aligned} \delta \mathcal{L} = & \alpha_s r_1 a^2 \sum_{\mu, \nu} \text{Tr}(F_{\mu\nu} D_\mu^2 F_{\mu\nu}) \\ & + \alpha_s r_2 a^2 \sum_{\mu, \nu} \text{Tr}(D_\mu F_{\nu\sigma} D_\mu F_{\nu\sigma}) \\ & + \alpha_s r_3 a^2 \sum_{\mu, \nu} \text{Tr}(D_\mu F_{\mu\sigma} D_\nu F_{\nu\sigma}) \\ & + \dots, \end{aligned}$$

From momentum scales above π/a

Can add these terms directly to LQCD action and tune coefficients

OR remove by adding more loops to discretization to improve action to order $a^2 a^2, a^4$



Lattice QCD:

Improved Discretizations : e.g. the Clover Action

Broken chiral symmetry means that :

- the quark mass suffers arbitrary shift
- UV physics induces low-energy chiral symmetry breaking operators into action

Sheikholeslami-Wohlert term

$$\delta\mathcal{L} = a c_1 \bar{\psi} \sigma_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu} \psi$$

Add this to action and tune c_1 to eliminate order- a effects (remain in operator).
This is called the clover action

Lattice QCD:

Chiral Symmetry : Ginsparg-Wilson fermions

$$S_F = a^4 \sum_{x,y} \bar{\psi}(x) D(x-y) \psi(y)$$

1. Require a local action

$$|D(x)| \leq c e^{-\gamma x}$$

2. Require the correct continuum limit

$$D(p) = \not{p} + \mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$$

3. Require D to be invertible, i.e. no doublers

4. Require chiral symmetry

$$\gamma_5 D + D \gamma_5 = 0$$

Nielson-Ninomiya Theorem (1981) : Cannot satisfy all of these !!!!

Wilson term violates 4

Staggered fermions (Kogut-Susskind) violates 3

Lattice QCD:

Chiral Symmetry : Ginsparg-Wilson fermions (1982)

$$S_F = a^4 \sum_{x,y} \bar{\psi}(x) D(x-y) \psi(y)$$

4. Require chiral symmetry

$$\gamma_5 D + D \gamma_5 = 0 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \gamma_5 D + D \gamma_5 = a 2R D \gamma_5 D$$

vanishes for eigenstates

$$\gamma_5 D^{-1}(p) + D^{-1}(p) \gamma_5 = a 2R \gamma_5$$

$$\gamma_5 D^{-1}(x) + D^{-1}(x) \gamma_5 = a 2R \gamma_5 \delta^{(n)}(x)$$

chiral symmetry preserved for any non-zero separation

$$\psi \rightarrow \psi + \epsilon \gamma_5 (1 - aD) \psi$$

lattice chiral transformations

$$\bar{\psi} \rightarrow \bar{\psi} + \epsilon \bar{\psi} (1 - aD) \gamma_5$$

Domain-Wall fermions : Kaplan
Overlap fermions : Neuberger ⁴⁰

Lattice QCD: The Mechanics

Simply do the integration over quark fields analytically

$$\int \mathcal{D}\psi \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} e^{-\int d^4x \bar{\psi} K \psi} = \det(K)$$

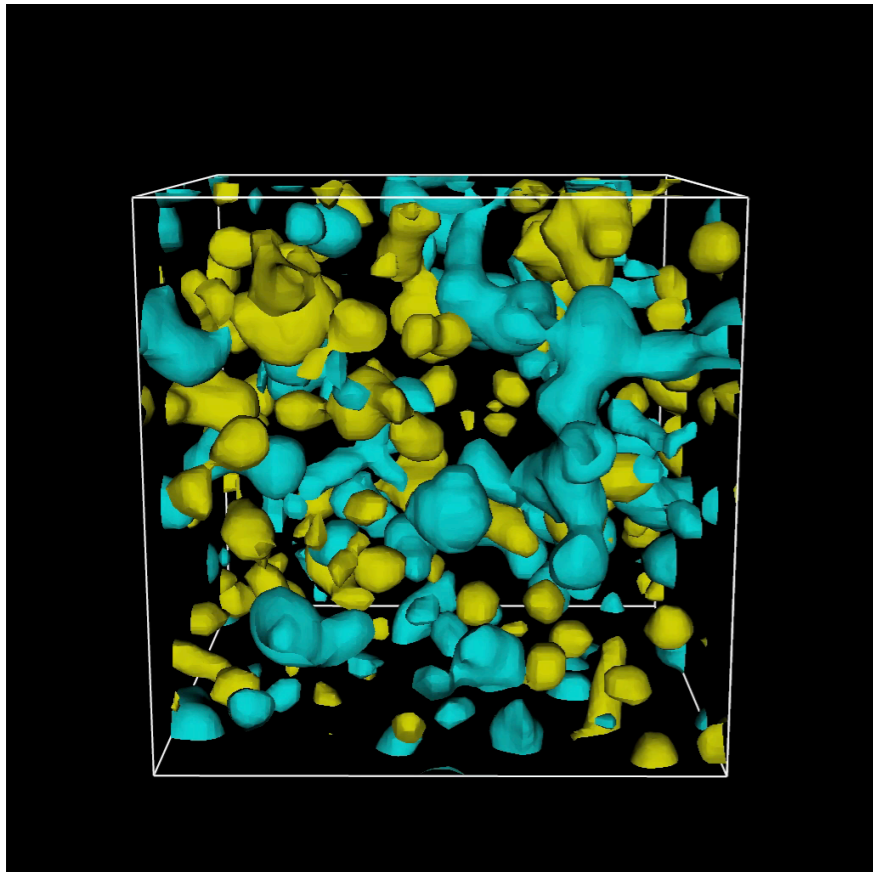
In perfect world - would just do the integrals, but instead we sample over snapshots of the gluon fields:

$$\langle \hat{\theta} \rangle \sim \int \mathcal{D}\mathcal{U}_\mu \hat{\theta}[\mathcal{U}_\mu] \det[\kappa[\mathcal{U}_\mu]] e^{-S_{YM}}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\text{gluon cfgs}}^N \hat{\theta}[\mathcal{U}_\mu]$$

Large computing resources are required to calculate a statistically decorrelated ensemble of gauge-field configurations - snapshots of the quantum vacuum. Capability compute platforms (Leadership-class) are required for this purpose

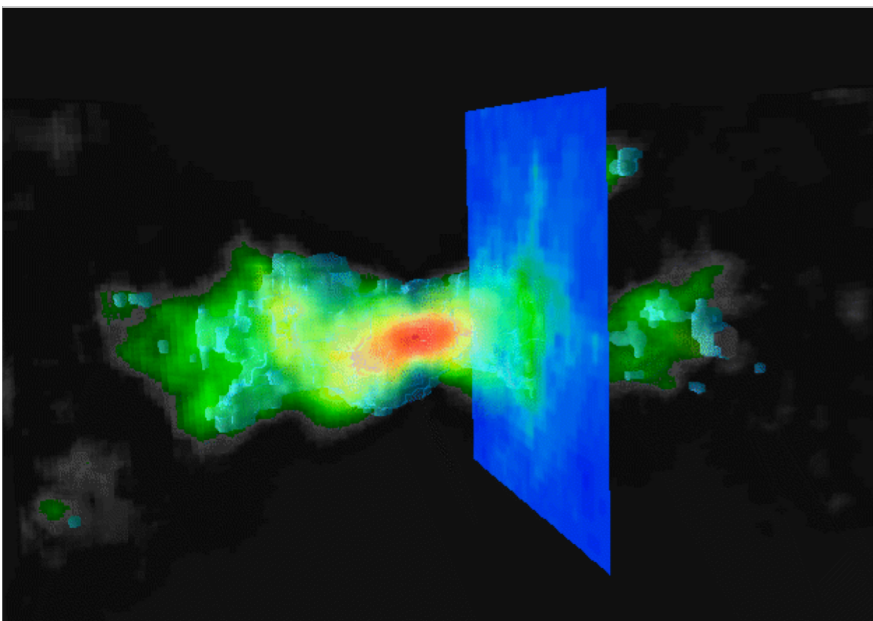
Lattice QCD: Current sizes



Configuration : e.g.,

Vol = $32 \times 32 \times 32 \times 256$ lattice sites

Vol $\times 4 \times 8 = 268$ Million independent real numbers
to define $U_\mu(x)$ (generally double precision)



Propagator : e.g.,

$32 \times 32 \times 32 \times 256$ lattice sites

~ 100 Million \times 100 Million complex sparse matrix
(to invert and take determinant)

Lattice QCD:

Configurations : Metropolis and Sampling

Metropolis Algorithm:

Start with a set of links $\{U\}$

- Select U_i
- Pick U'_i
- Evaluate $S(U_i)$ and $S(U'_i)$
- Accept U'_i with probability $\min[1, \exp(-S(U'_i)) / \exp(-S(U_i))]]$
- (if action is smaller - always accept)
- Repeat over all links and many times

After a long period of time the $\{U\}$ will have a distribution $\exp(-S(U))$

Downside - it is very slow as this has to be repeated on each link sequentially and there are a large number of links

Not practical for Lattice QCD



Lattice QCD:

Configurations : HMC and Sampling

HMC Algorithm:

Start with a set of links $\{U\}$

To generate one HMC trajectory:

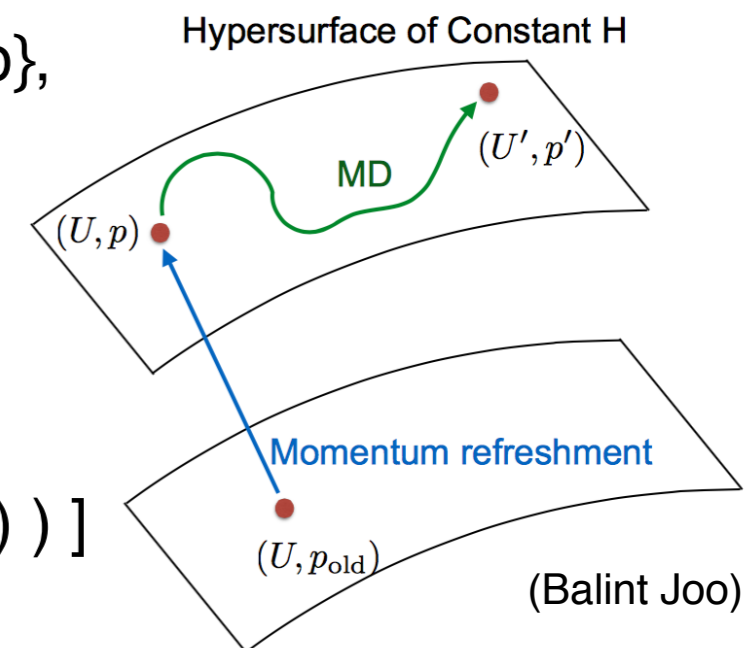
- Assign to each link a Gaussian distributed canonical momentum $\{p\}$, hence the variable $\{U,p\}$
- Compute Hamiltonian of this system, $H = p^2/(2) + S(U)$
- Perform Molecular Dynamics evolution of the variables using Hamilton's equations to give $\{U',p'\}$ (need reversible and area preserving integrators to evolve)
- Accept $\{U',p'\}$ with probability $\min[1, \exp(-H(U',p')) / \exp(-H(U,p))]$ (if Hamiltonian is smaller - always accept)
- If rejected, new state is $\{U,p\}$

Repeat to produce another trajectory

Advantage - all links updated at once through Hamiltonian evolution in fictitious time

Tuning of evolution is essential to optimize productivity

Figure from: "Improving dynamical lattice QCD simulations through integrator tuning, using Poisson Brackets and a force-gradient Integrator", M. A. Clark, B. Joo, A.D. Kennedy, P.J. Silva
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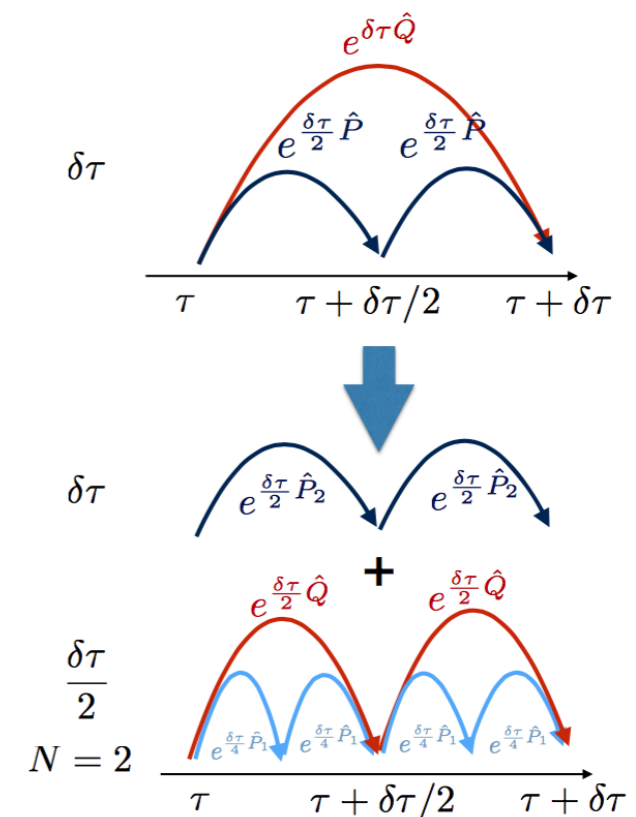
Lattice QCD: Configurations : HMC and Quarks

$$\int \mathcal{D}\psi \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} e^{-\int d^4x \bar{\psi} K \psi} = \det(K)$$

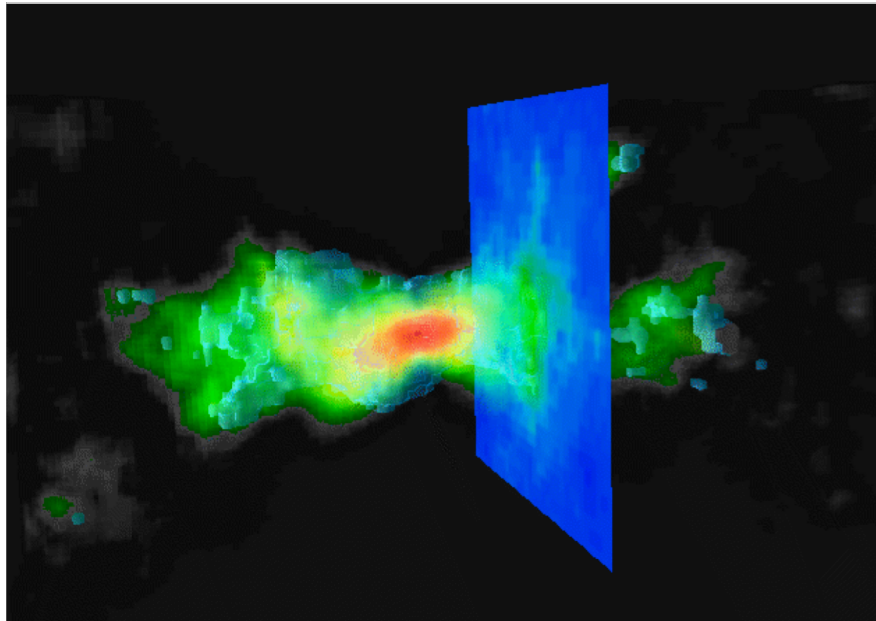
$$\int \mathcal{D}\phi \mathcal{D}\phi^\dagger e^{-\int d^4x \phi^\dagger K^{-1} \phi} = \det(K)$$

Pseudo-fermions typically are fixed along a given HMC trajectory, but re-sampled at the beginning of each.

Multiple MD time scales due to different forces
(different sectors of the action)



Lattice QCD: Solvers and Quark Propagators



$$[D(U)]_{X,Y} [S(U)]_{Y,X_0} = G_{X,X_0}$$

light-quark propagator Source

Iterative using Krylov-subspace solvers
CG, BiCGstab

Condition number of D gets larger as quark mass is reduced toward physical
- critical slowing down in convergence

Preconditioning used to improve condition number

Lattice QCD: Solvers and Deflation

COMPUTING AND DEFLATING EIGENVALUES WHILE SOLVING MULTIPLE RIGHT HAND SIDE LINEAR SYSTEMS WITH AN APPLICATION TO QUANTUM CHROMODYNAMICS

ANDREAS STATHOPOULOS AND KONSTANTINOS ORGINOS arXiv preprint arXiv:0707.0131, 2007

SIAM J. Sci. Comput. Vol. 32, No. 1, 439--462, 2010

$$A.x = b$$

- Iteratively solve for each source location to a given tolerance.
e.g. CG, BiCGstab,
- Heavy on CPU, light on memory

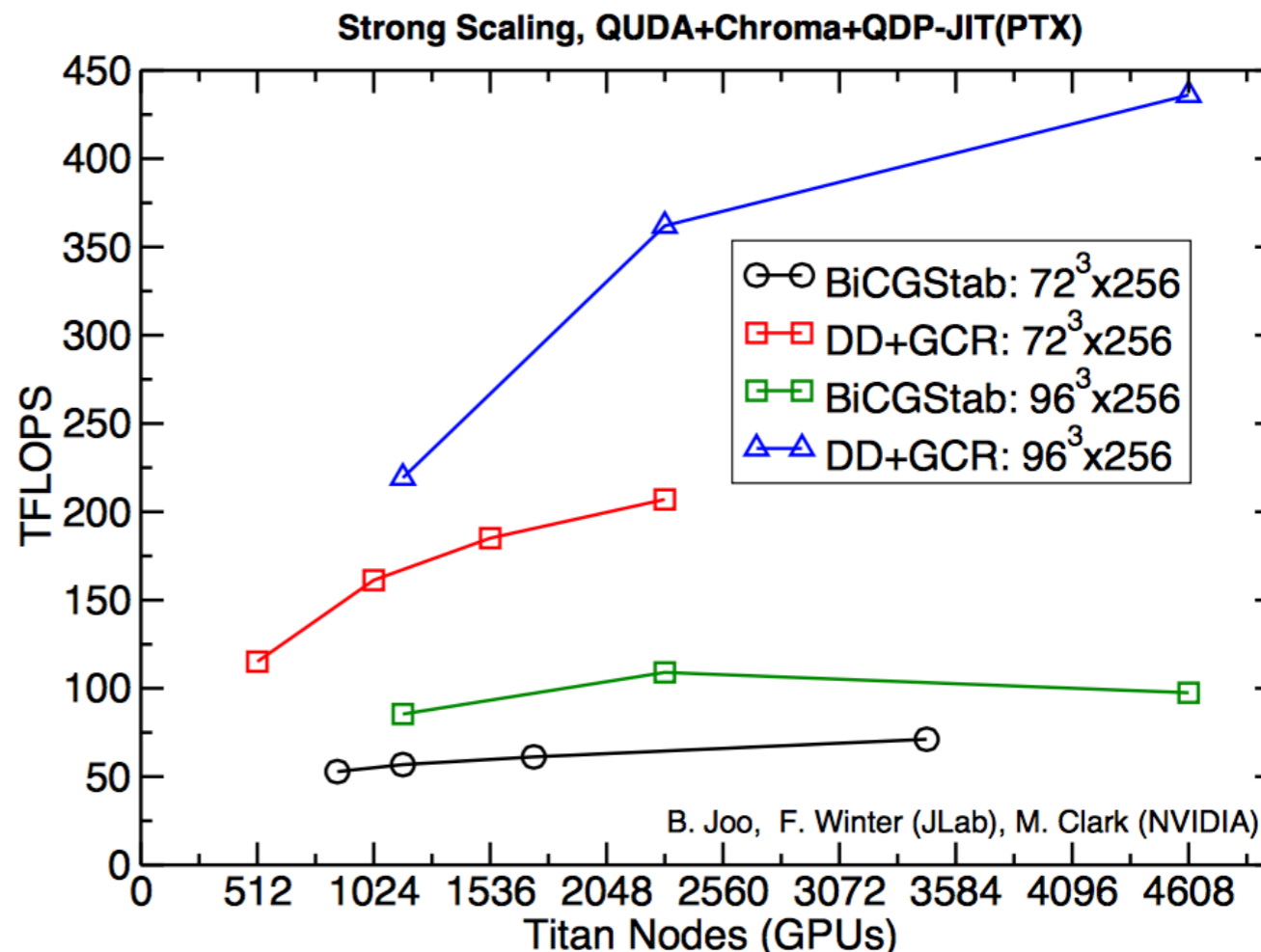
$$U.A.U^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \lambda_2 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \lambda_N \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{U}.A.\tilde{U}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & & & \\ & \ddots & & \\ & & \lambda_p & \\ & & & \bar{A} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Inversion solved exactly for all source locations
- Computationally prohibitive - cpu and memory
- Determine the lowest p eigenvalues and eigenvectors - tune the number p
- Re-use for all sources.
- Memory heavy - depends on p.
- Iteratively solve in reduced space.
- Better condition number.
- Set-up ``costs'' recovered with large number of sources

Lattice QCD: Solvers and Quark Propagators

- QUDA Solver performance on Titan
 - Cray XK7 system
 - 1 NVIDIA K20X GPU per node
 - Gemini Interconnect
- The DD+GCR solver does considerably better than the standard BiCGStab
- But even DD+GCR is affected by strong scaling effects



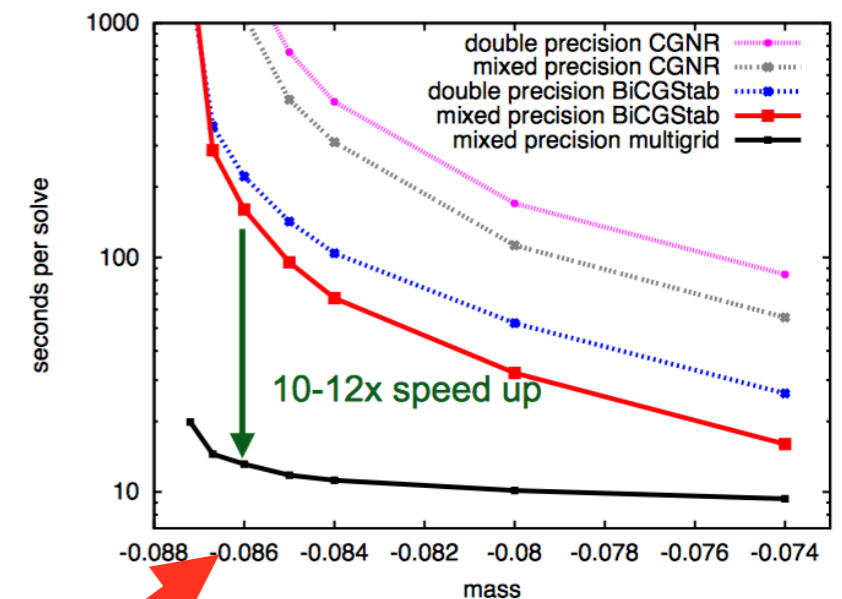
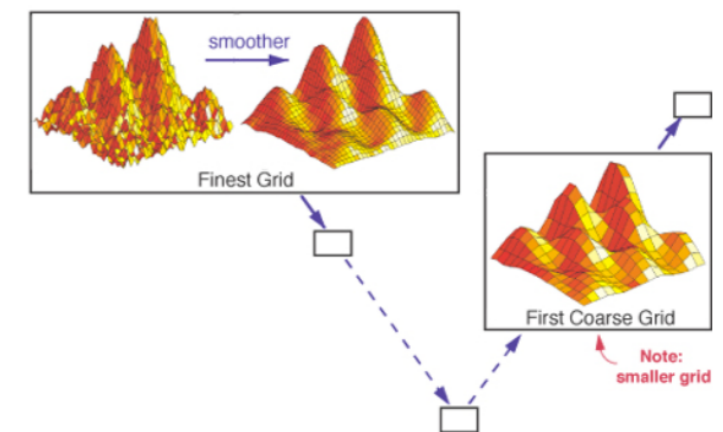
DD = Domain Decomposition Preconditioner
 GCR = Generalized Conjugate Residual
 multigrid not yet ported to GPUs

Lattice QCD:

Algebraic Multigrid and Quark Propagators

- Critical Slowing down is caused by ‘near zero’ modes
- Multi-Grid method
 - separate (project) low lying and high lying modes
 - solve for high lying modes with “smoother”
 - solve for low modes on coarse grid with reduced dimensional operator
 - Gauge field is ‘stochastic’, so no geometric smoothness on low modes => algebraic multigrid
 - Setting up restriction/prolongation operators is costly
 - Easily amortized in Analysis with $O(100,000)$ solves

Image From: http://computation.llnl.gov/casc/sc2001_fliers/SLS/SLS01.html
Credit: LLNL, CASC

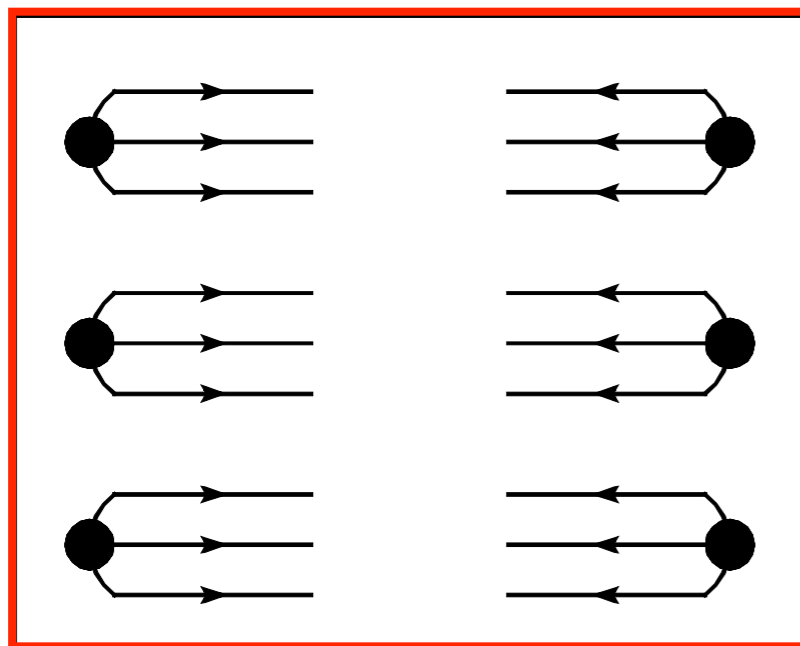


Multi-Grid. figure from J. C. Osborn et. al. PoS Lattice 2010:037,2010, R. Babich et. al. Phys. Rev. Lett, 105:201602,2010

physical point

Lattice QCD: Contractions of Quark Propagators

Large number of Wick contractions



$$\text{Proton} : N^{\text{cont}} = 2$$

$${}^{235}\text{U} : N^{\text{cont}} = 10^{1494}$$

$$N_{\text{cont.}} = u!d!s! \quad (\text{Naive})$$

$$= (A + Z)!(2A - Z)!s!$$

Symmetries provide significant reduction

$${}^3\text{He} : 2880 \rightarrow 93$$

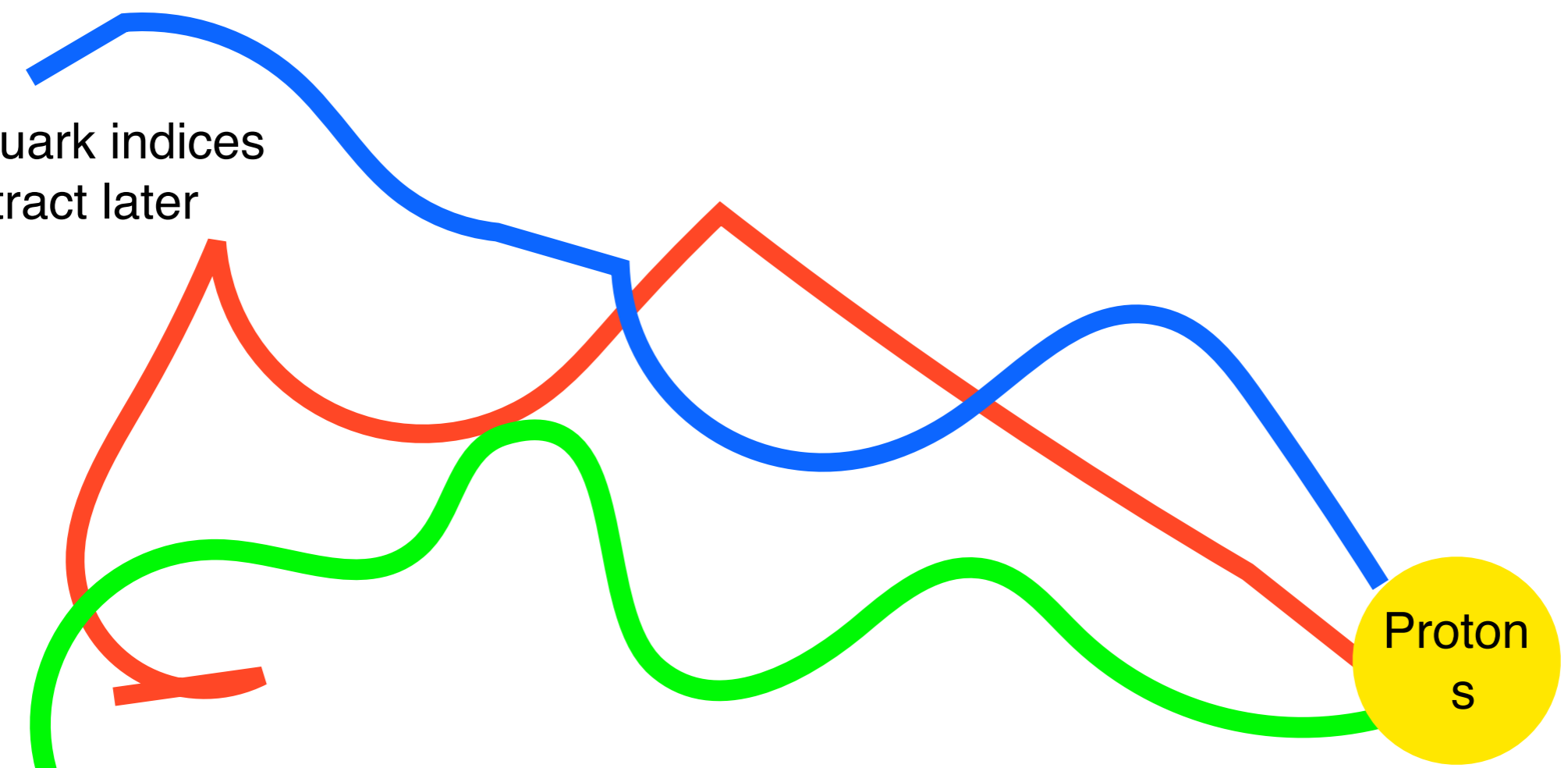
Recursion Relations are crucial

Lattice QCD:

Contractions : Hadronic Building Blocks

e.g.,

Free quark indices to contract later



Construct "shell-model" interpolating operators at the hadronic level to overlap onto nuclei (?)

Lattice QCD: Setting the Scale

Everything that is computed with lattice QCD is in terms of lattice units.
Without EM and isospin breaking, need to tune $m_u = m_d$, m_s , Λ_{QCD}

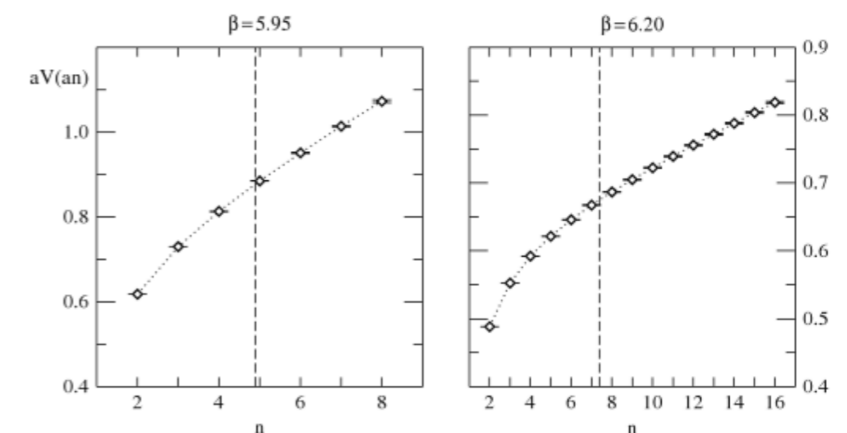
Of course, there is a need to convert to physical units to make predictions for quantities with dimensions, such as masses and radii.

1) M_Ω , m_π , m_K : M_Ω is quite insensitive to up, down masses

2) Force between static quarks

$$V(r) = A + \frac{B}{r} + \sigma r \quad F(r) = -\frac{B}{r^2} + \sigma$$

$$r_0^2 F(r_0) = 1.65 \quad r_0 \sim 0.5 \text{ fm from expt/phen charmonium, bottomonium}$$



Lattice QCD: Setting the Scale

3) Wilson Flow

$$\partial_t \phi = - \frac{\partial S}{\partial \phi}$$

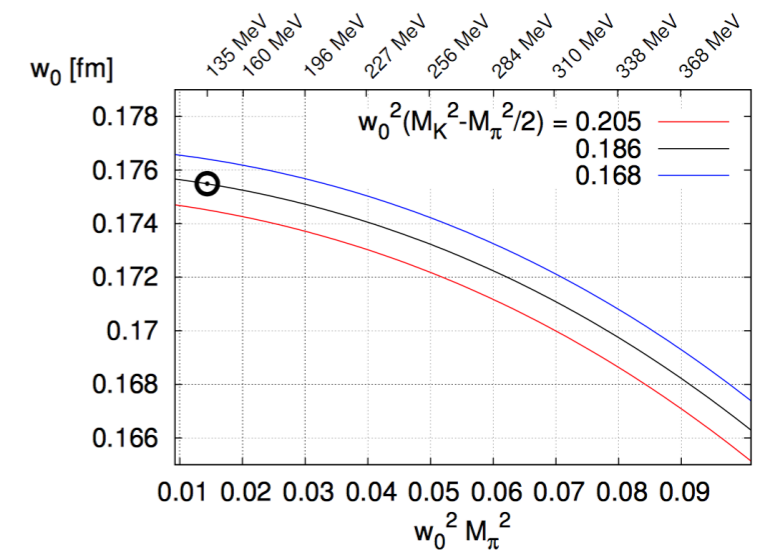
$$\dot{B}_\mu = D_\nu G_{\nu\mu}, \quad B_\mu|_{t=0} = A_\mu,$$

$$G_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu B_\nu - \partial_\nu B_\mu + [B_\mu, B_\nu], \quad D_\mu = \partial_\mu + [B_\mu, \cdot],$$

$$W(t) = t \frac{d}{dt} \left[t^2 \left\langle \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu}^a G_{\mu\nu}^a \right\rangle \right]$$

$$W(t)|_{t=w_0^2} = 0.3, \quad w_0 = 0.1755(18)(04) \text{ fm}$$

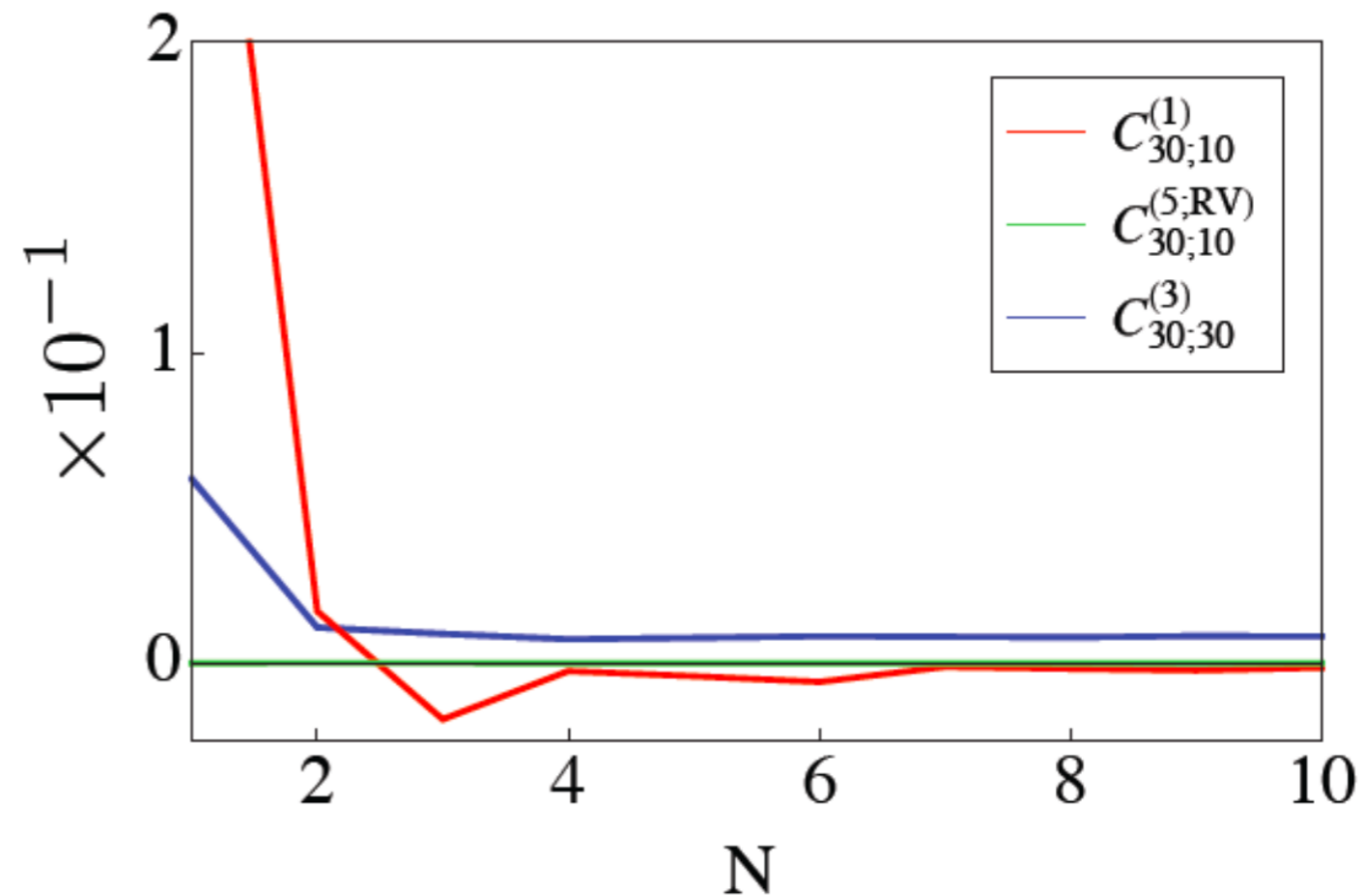
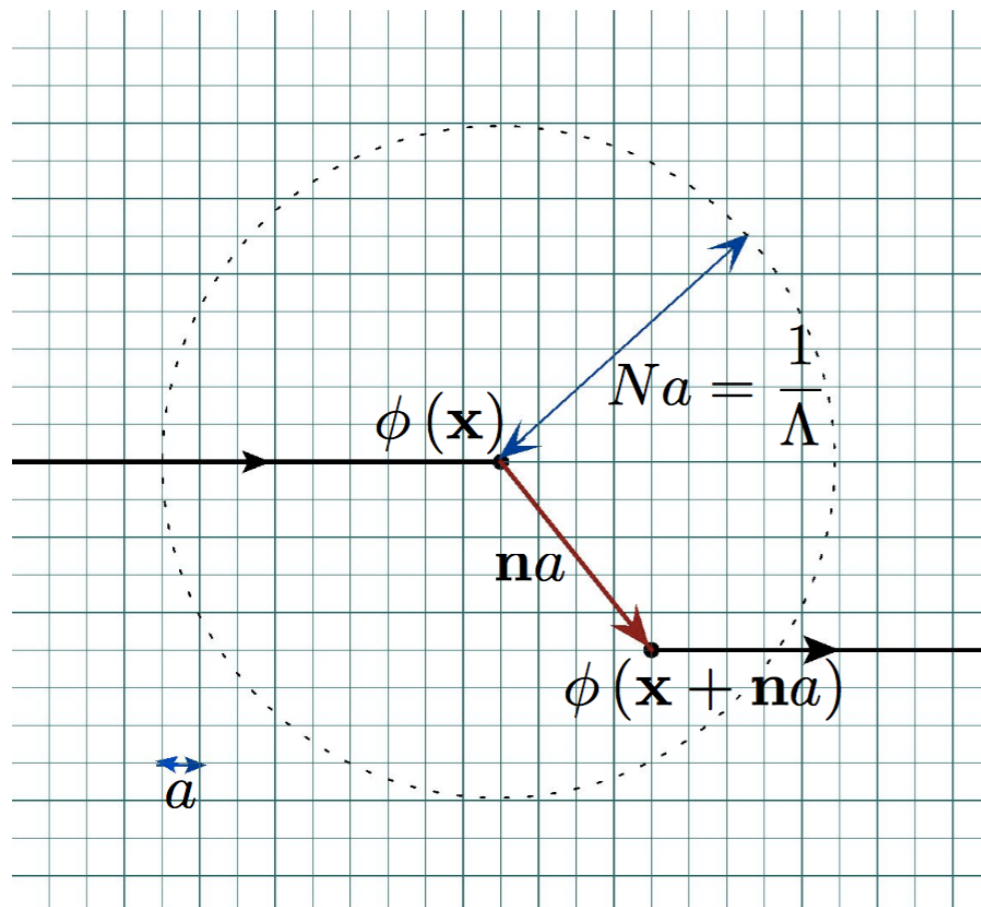
Gaussian smearing parameter - simple to calculate



$$\mu^2 = \frac{1}{8\pi t}$$

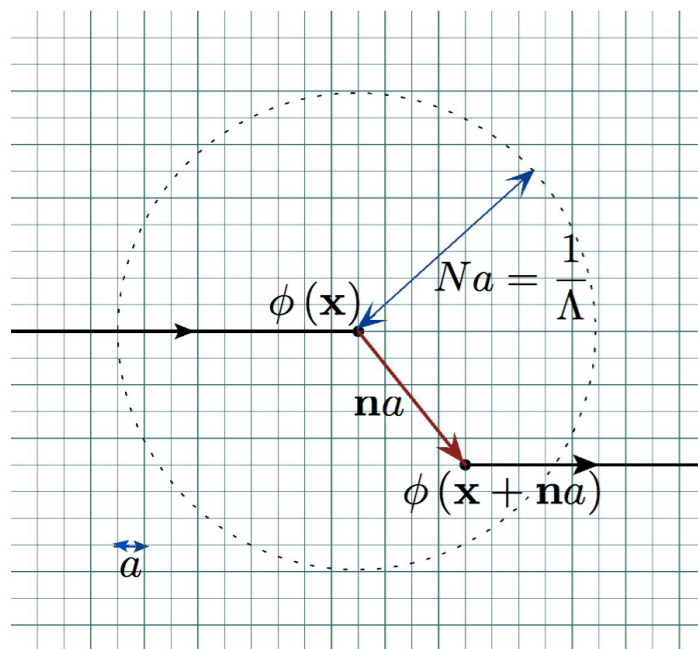
MSbar renorm. scale related to smearing scale

Lattice QCD: Recovering SO(3) from H(3)



$$\hat{\theta}_{L,M}(\mathbf{x}; a, N) = \frac{3}{4\pi N^3} \sum_{|\mathbf{n}| \leq N} \phi(\mathbf{x}) \phi(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{n}a) Y_{L,M}(\hat{\mathbf{n}})$$

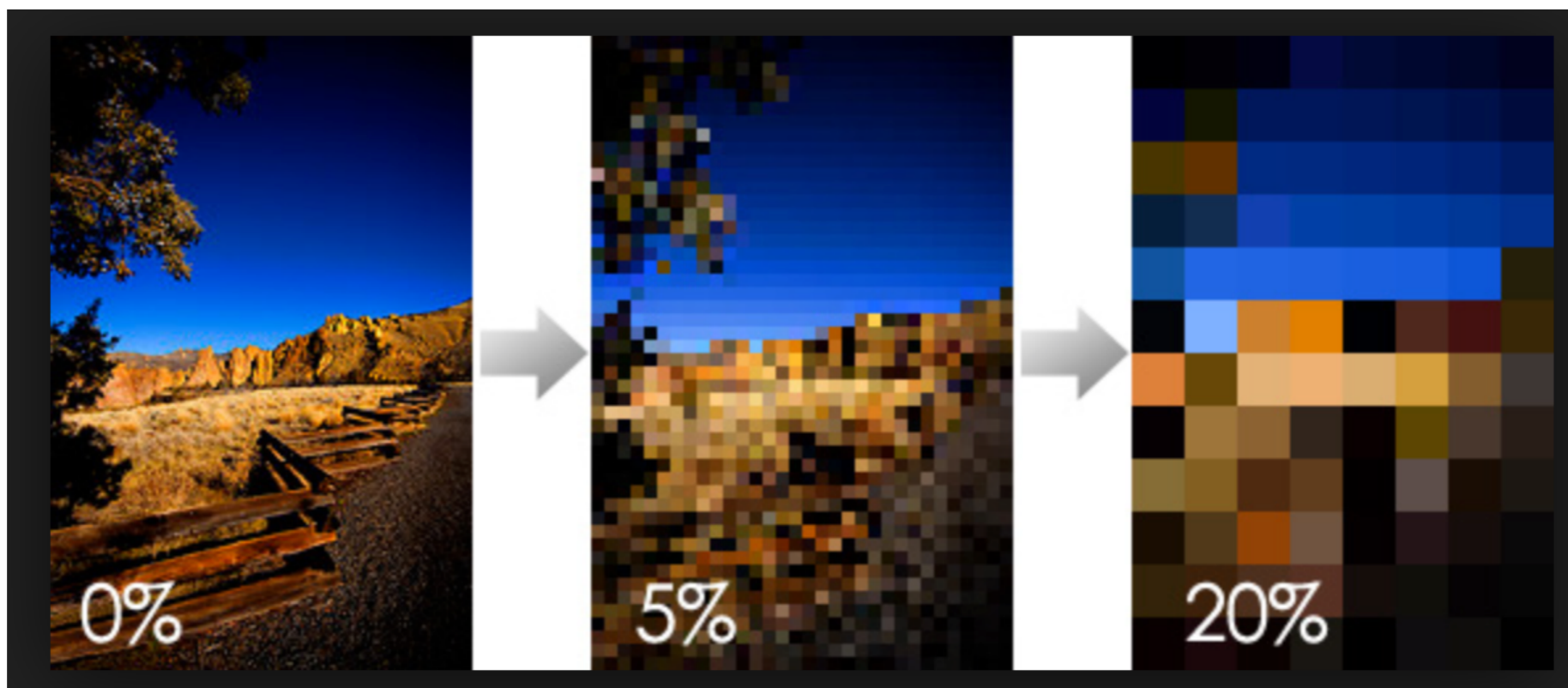
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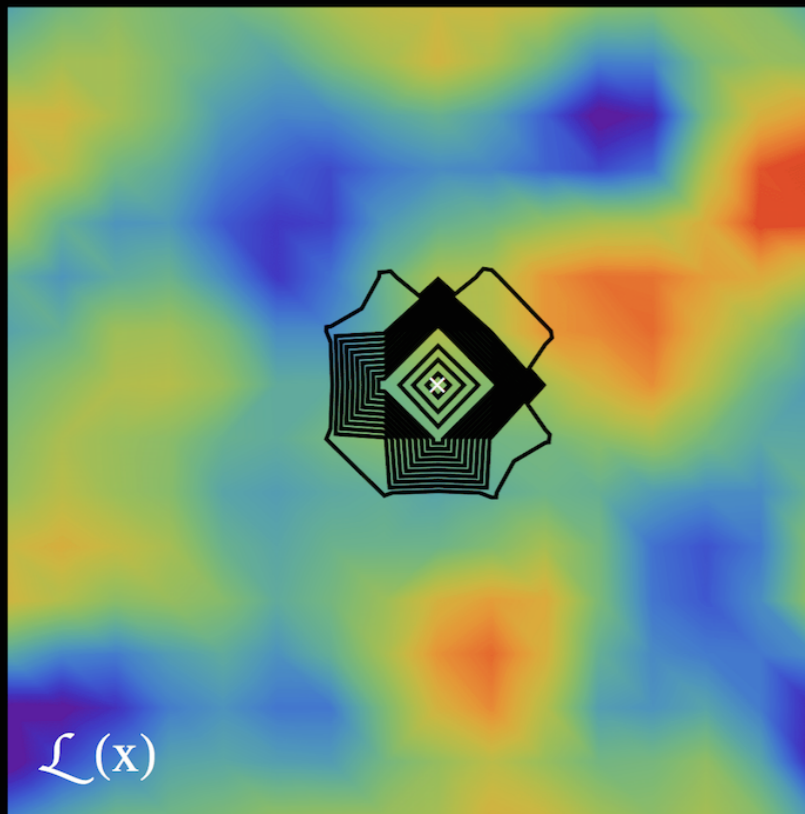
Hold all physical scales, and the renormalization scale fixed when taking lattice spacing to zero

Survives at quantum level in QCD - smearing is critical so as not to ``see'' the UV cubic structure

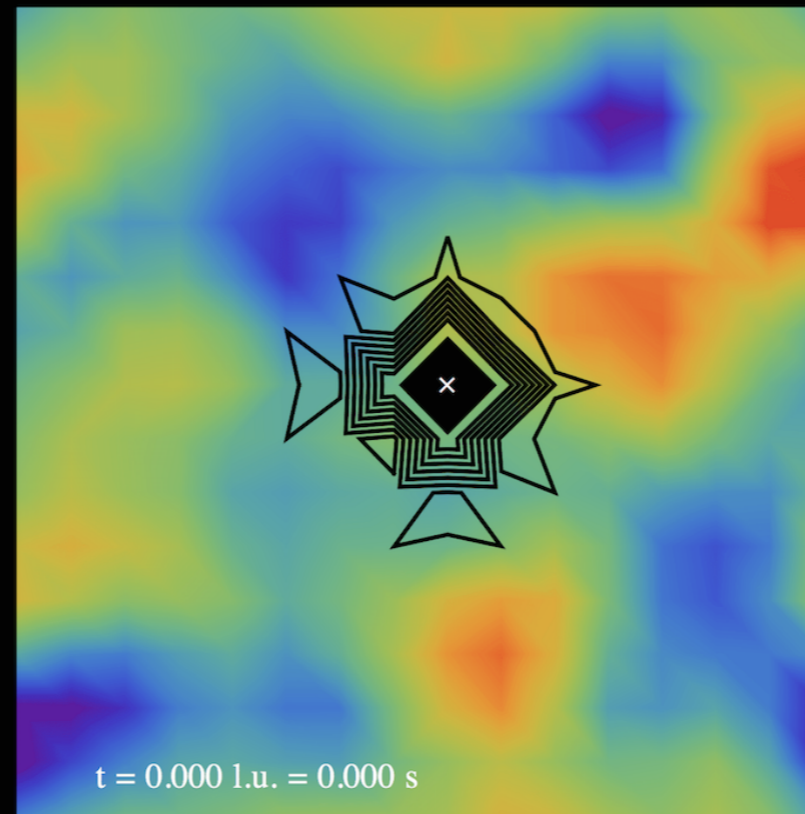
Multiplicity of irreps of H(3) allow for combinations to approach SO(3) states - both in position space (a) and momentum space (L)



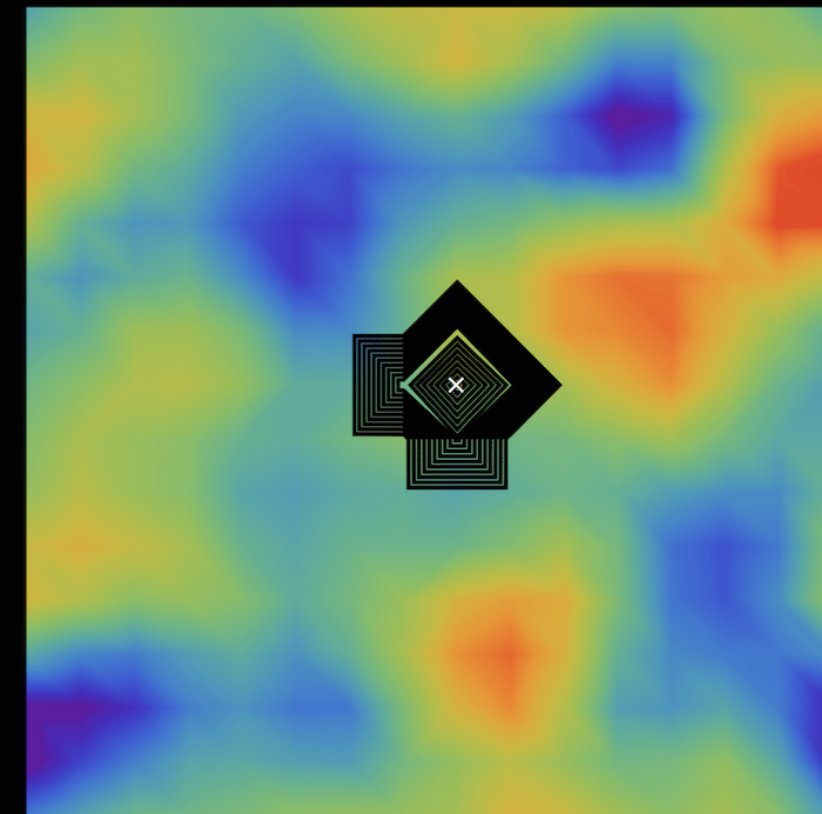
Lattice QCD: Statistics of Correlation Functions



π Propagator



Λ Propagator

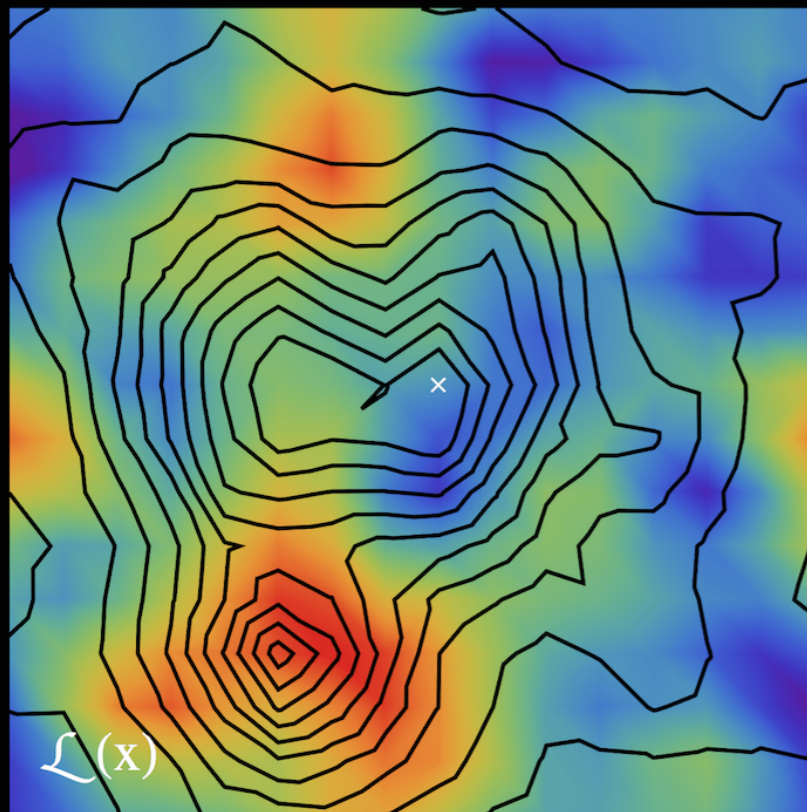


H-dibaryon Propagator

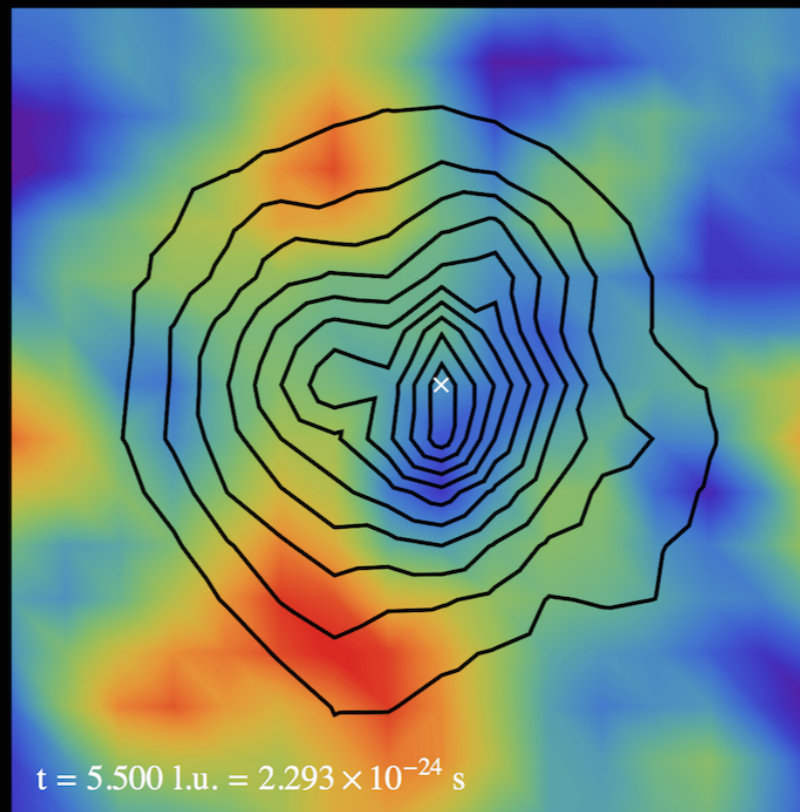
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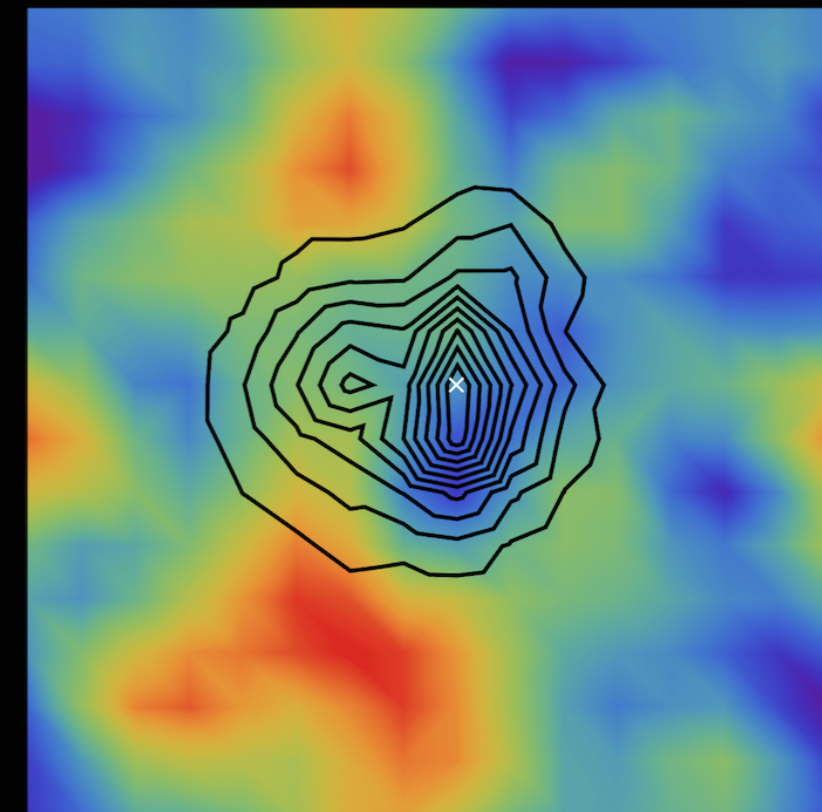


π Propagator



$t = 5.500 \text{ l.u.} = 2.293 \times 10^{-24} \text{ s}$

Λ Propagator

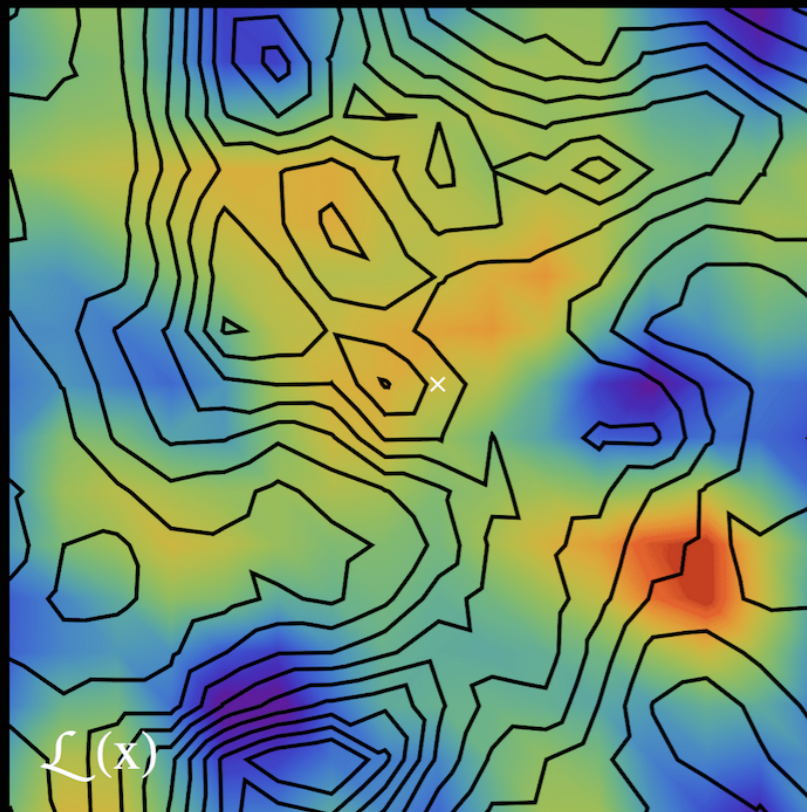


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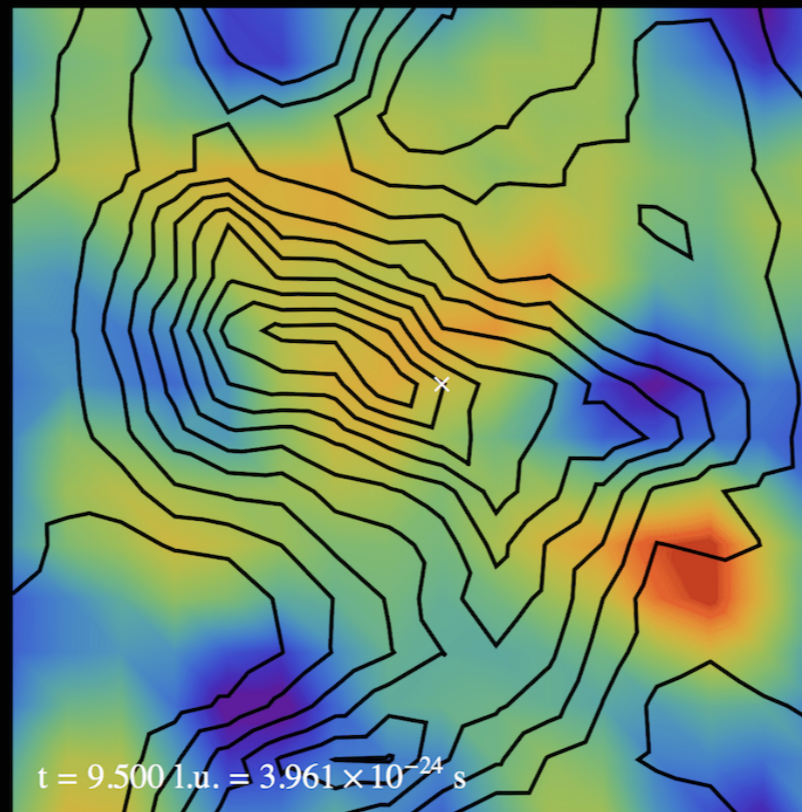
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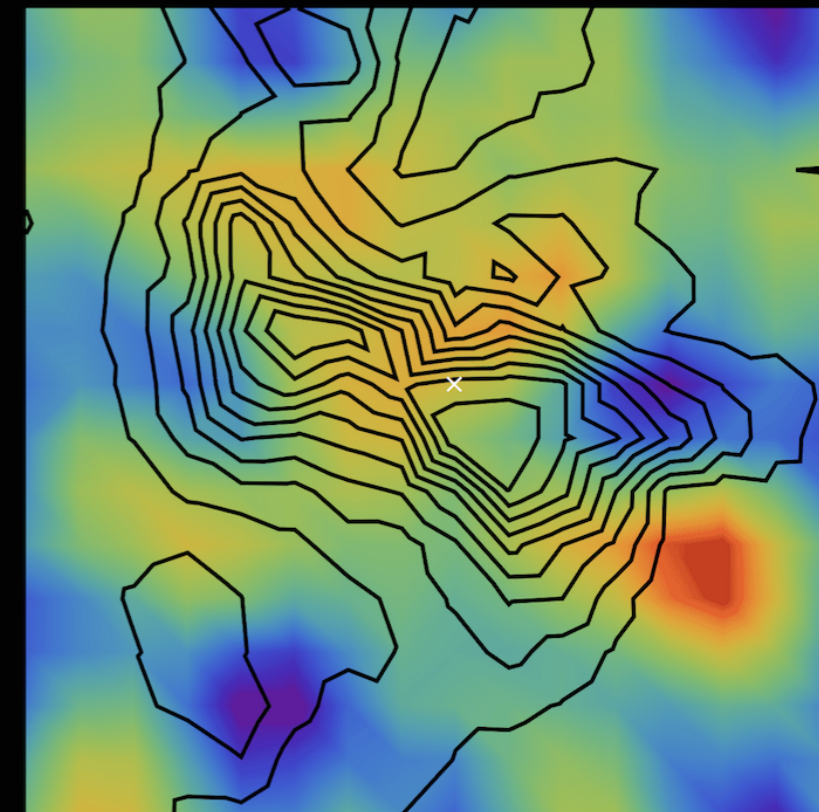
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Λ Propagator



H-dibaryon Propagator

The results of a quenched Lattice QCD calculation of the π , Λ , and H-dibaryon correlation functions. The gauge-field configuration was generated with the DBW2 gauge action on a lattice with 16 sites in each spatial direction, 32 sites in the temporal direction and a lattice spacing of approximately 0.12 fermis. The masses of the light quarks were chosen to produce a pion mass of $m_\pi \sim 350$ MeV and a kaon mass of $m_K \sim 490$ MeV. The colors of the background show the (Gaussian-smeared) local action density, while the black contours are a topographical map of the given correlation function.



Lattice QCD: Analysis of Correlation Functions

e.g., the pion

$$\bar{u}(\mathbf{x}, t) \gamma_5 d(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

$$C_{\pi^+}(t) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \langle 0 | \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, t) \pi^+(\mathbf{0}, 0) | 0 \rangle$$

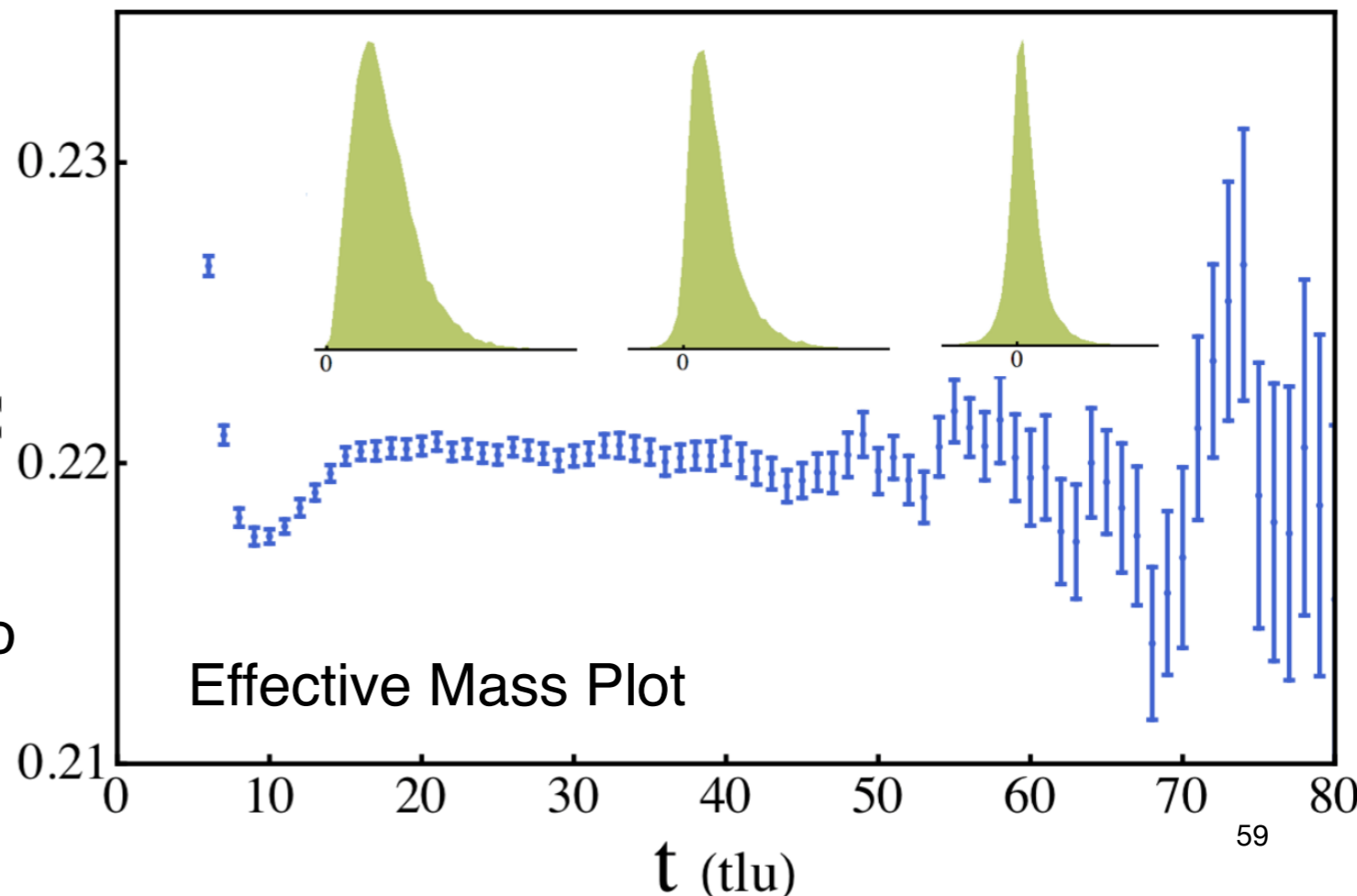
$$= \sum_n \frac{e^{-E_n t}}{2E_n} \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \langle 0 | \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, 0) | n \rangle \langle n | \pi^+(\mathbf{0}, 0) | 0 \rangle \rightarrow |Z_0|^2 \frac{e^{-E_0 t}}{2E_0}$$

(the mean value of measurements from different sources throughout the ensemble)

e.g., the effective mass

$$M_{\text{eff.}}(t; t_J) = \frac{1}{t_J} \log \left(\frac{C_{\pi^+}(t)}{C_{\pi^+}(t + t_J)} \right) \rightarrow m_{\pi} \quad (m_{\Lambda} \text{ (slu)})$$

Non-Gaussian (interacting field theory)
~ Log Normal in plateau region evolves into symmetric but non-Gaussian at late times



Lattice QCD: Noise is Worth Listening to

e.g., Nucleon Correlation function

$$\langle \theta_N(t) \rangle = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \Gamma_+^{\beta\alpha} \langle 0 | N^\alpha(\mathbf{x}, t) \bar{N}^\beta(\mathbf{0}, 0) | 0 \rangle \rightarrow Z_N e^{-M_N t}$$

At long times - non-Gaussian symmetric distribution - signal-to-noise problem

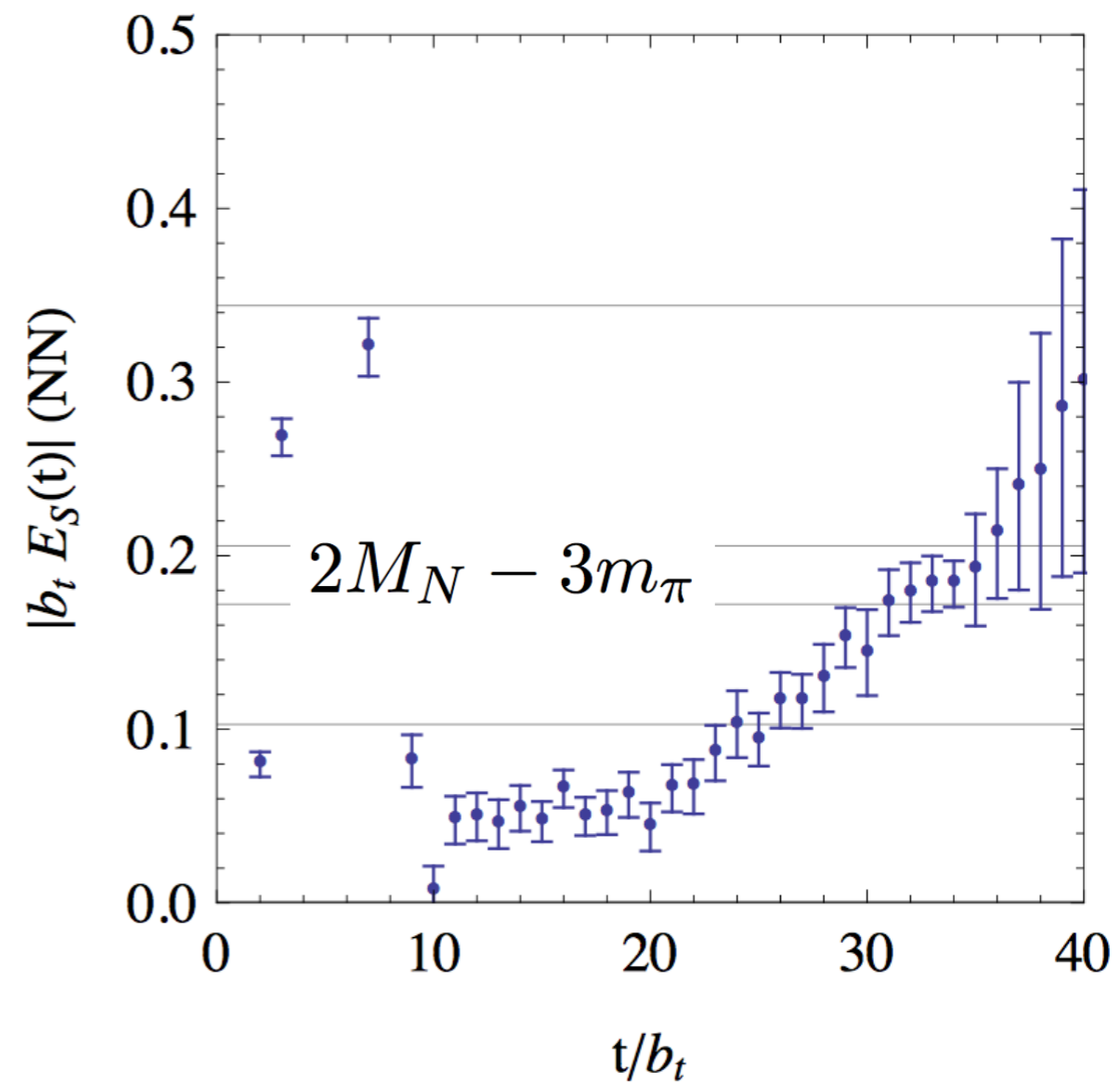
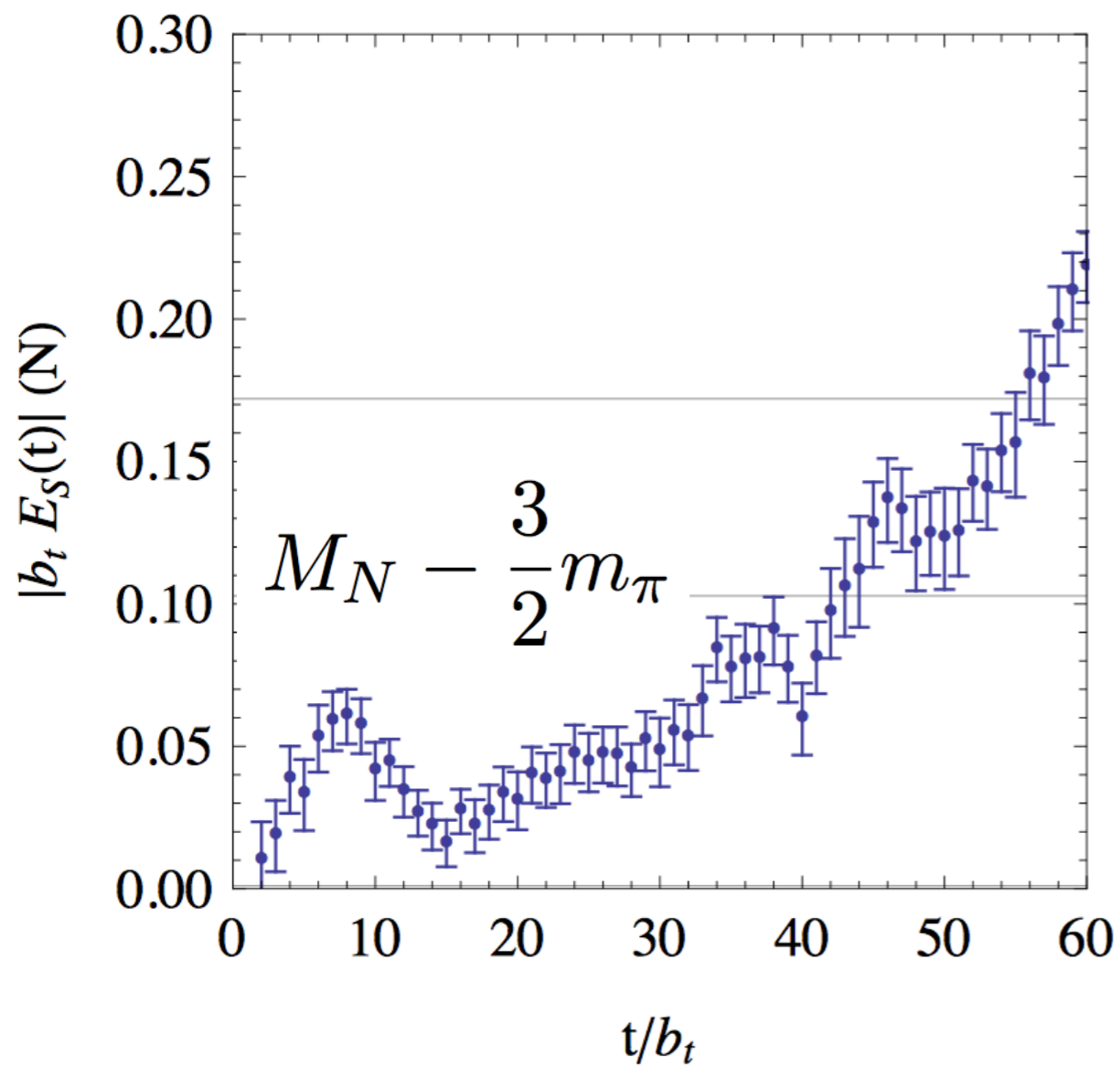
$$\langle \left(\theta_N^\dagger \theta_N \right)^{2n} \rangle \sim e^{-3nm_\pi t}, \quad \langle \left(\theta_N^\dagger \theta_N \right)^{2n+1} \rangle \sim e^{-M_N t} e^{-3nm_\pi t}$$

At short times - asymmetric distribution - no signal to noise problem

$$\langle \left(\theta_N^\dagger \theta_N \right)^n \rangle \sim e^{-nM_N t}$$

Lattice QCD: Noise is Worth Listening to

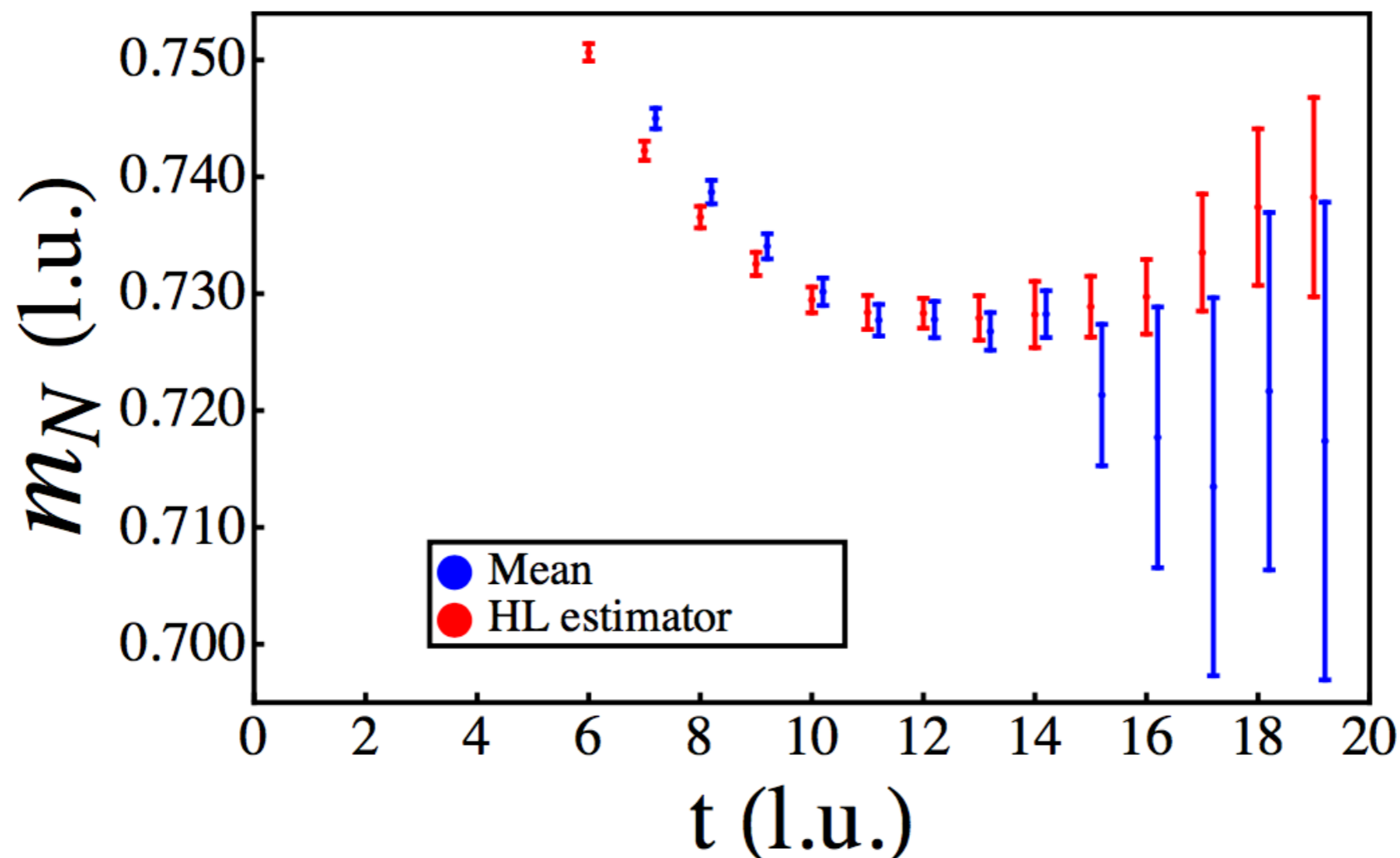
Energy scale of the signal-to-noise ratio



Lattice QCD:

Analysis of Correlation Functions

- One averaged correlator per configuration per species
- Block multiple configurations down to ~ 100 decorrelated correlation functions
- Central Limit Theorem has distribution becoming Gaussian - mean equals median
- Jackknife and Bootstrap resampling techniques commonly used as samples typically have residual correlations
- Outliers present from initial non-Gaussianity - disturbs mean but not median
- Robust estimators (Hodges-Lehmann etc).

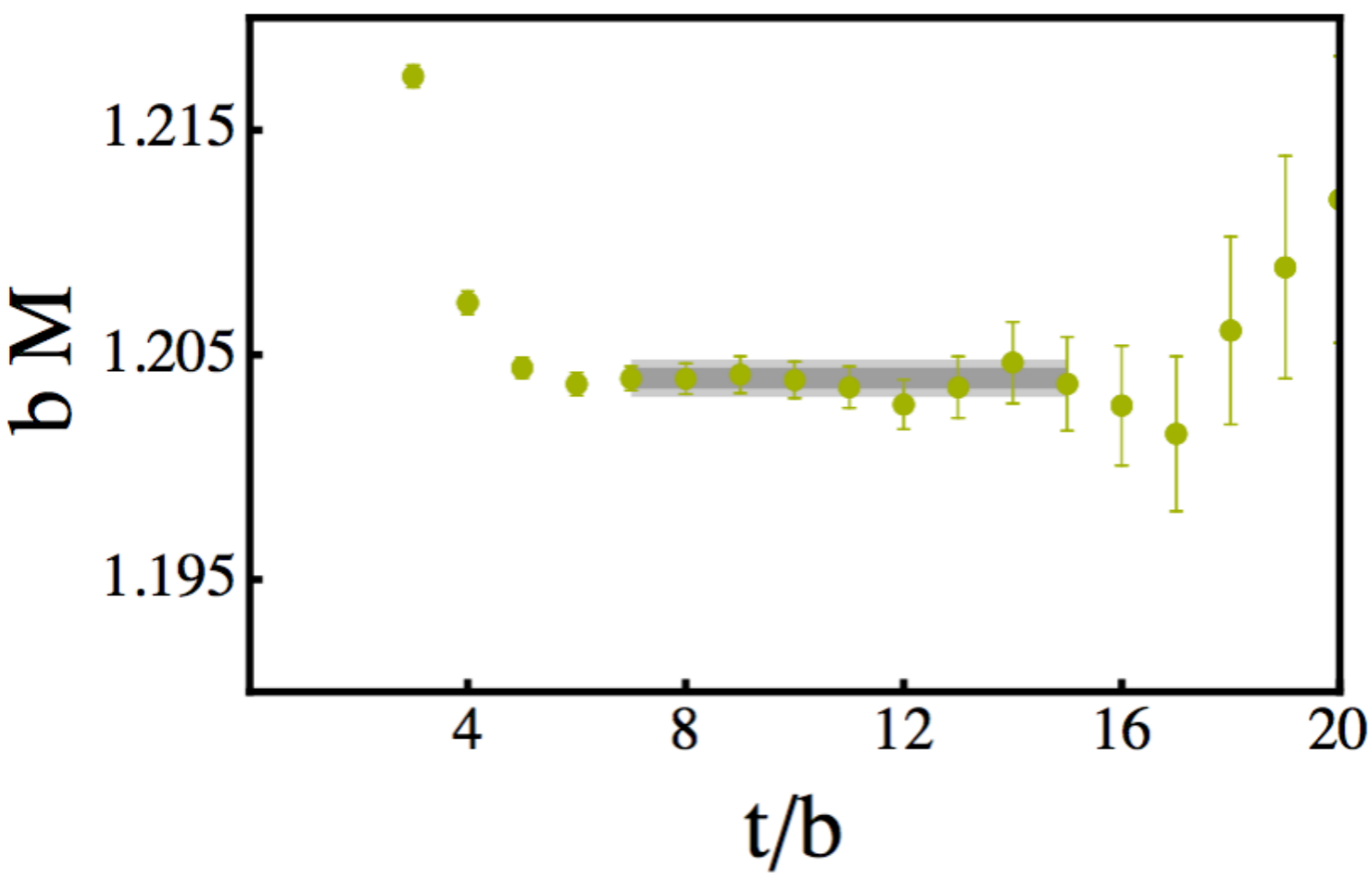


Lattice QCD:

Effective Mass Plots and Plateau Fitting

$$\chi^2(A) = \sum_{i,j > i_{\min}}^{i_{\max}} [\bar{G}(t_i) - F(t_i, A)] [C^{-1}]_{ij} [\bar{G}(t_j) - F(t_j, A)]$$

$$\bar{G}(t) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N G_k(t) , \quad C_{ij} = \frac{1}{N(N-1)} \sum_{k=1}^N [G_k(t_i) - \bar{G}(t_i)] [G_k(t_j) - \bar{G}(t_j)]$$

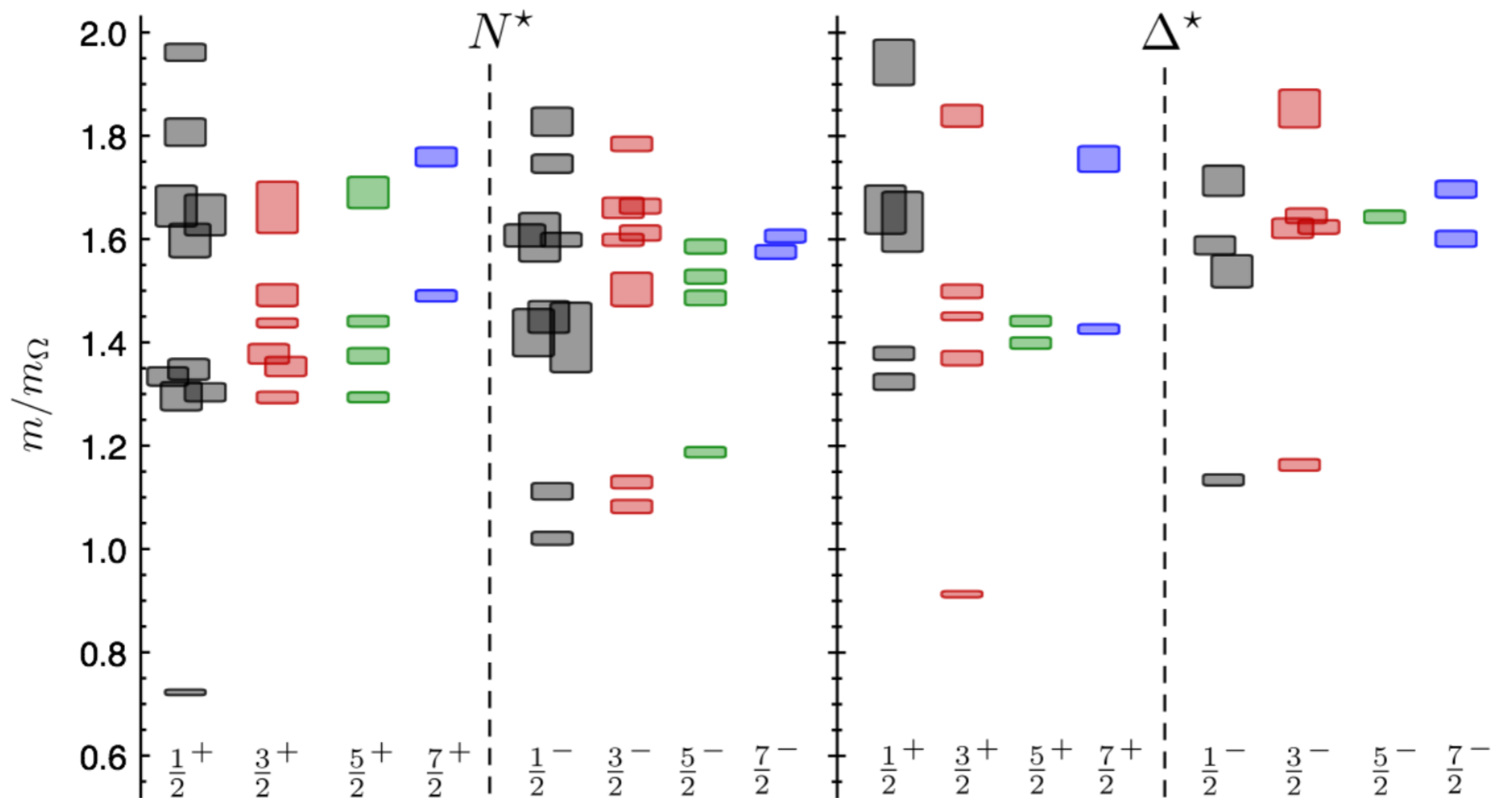


- Statistical uncertainty from χ^2
- Systematic uncertainty from baryon fit region

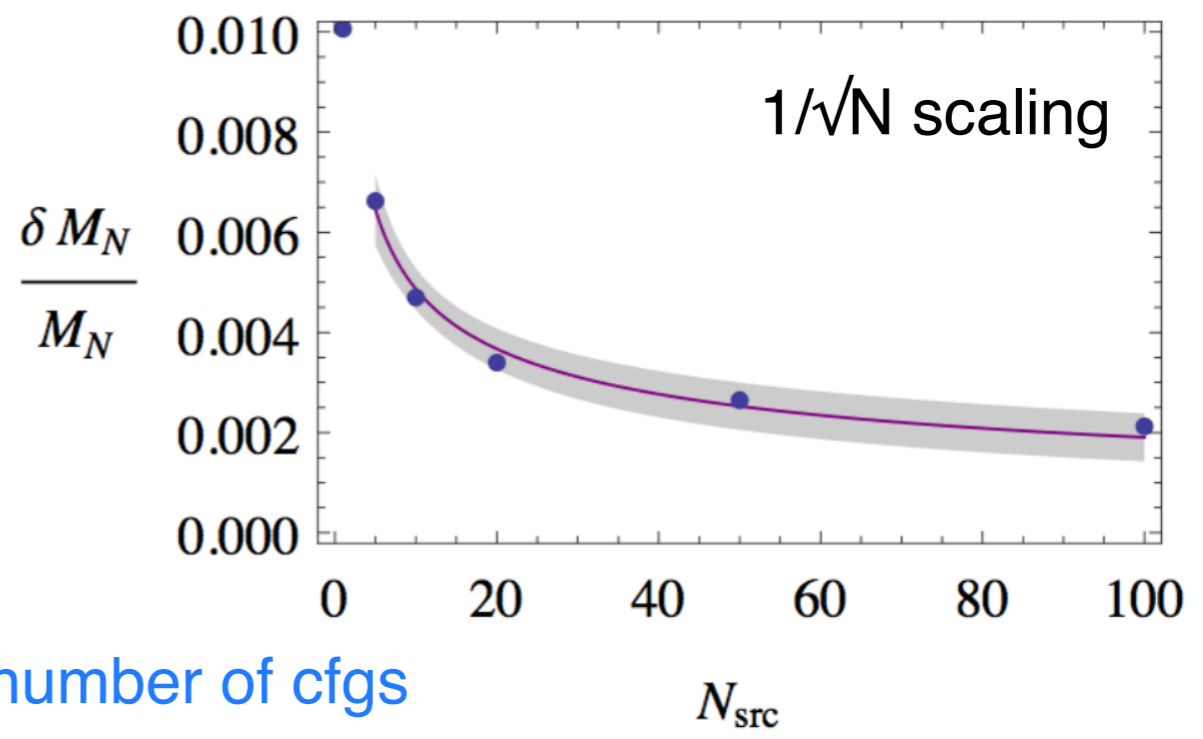
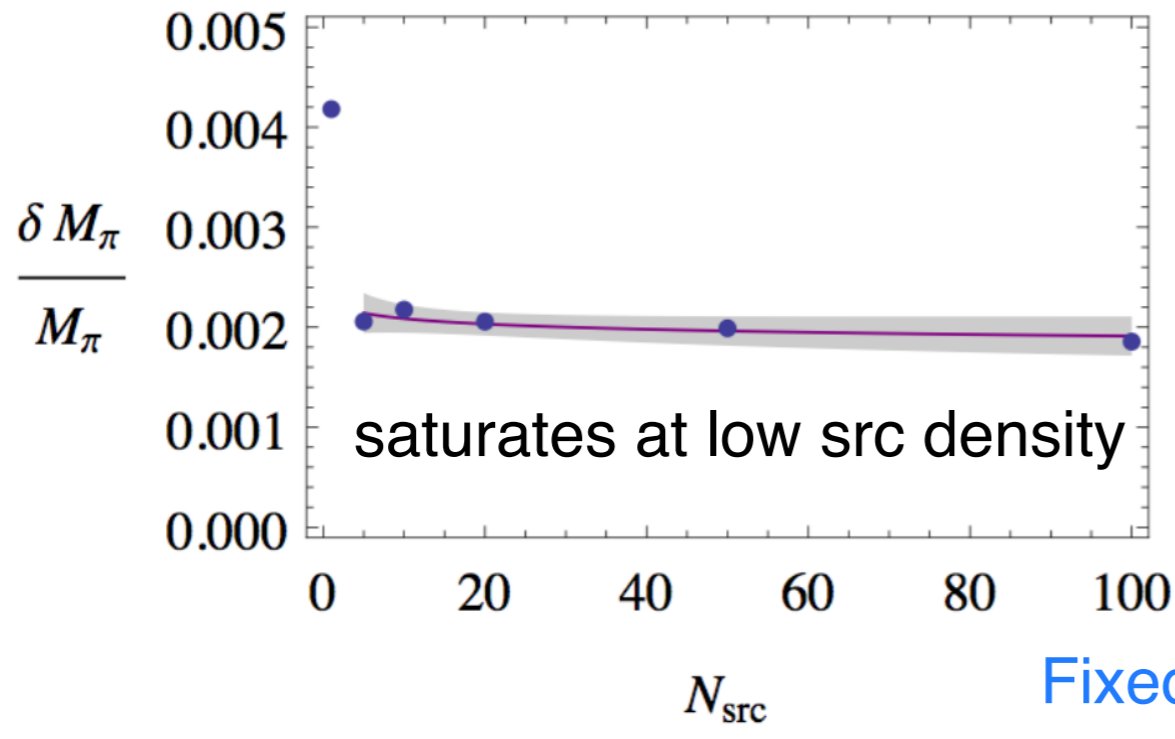
Lattice QCD:

Effective Mass Plots and Plateau Fitting

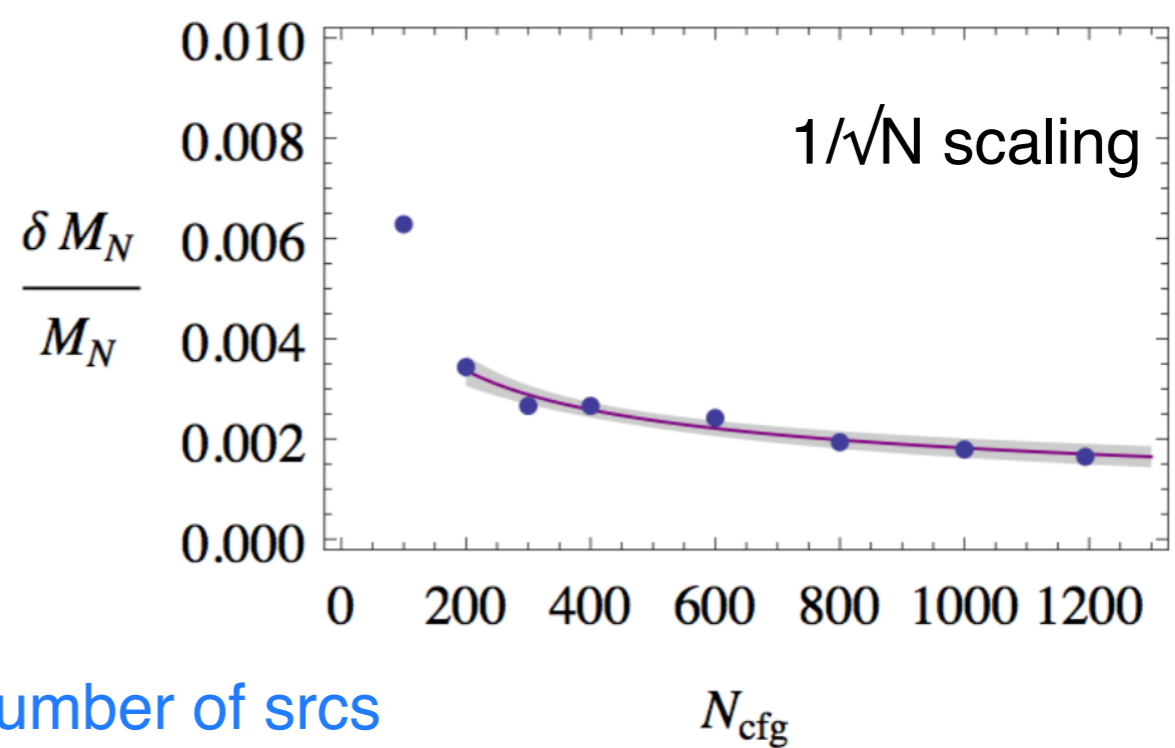
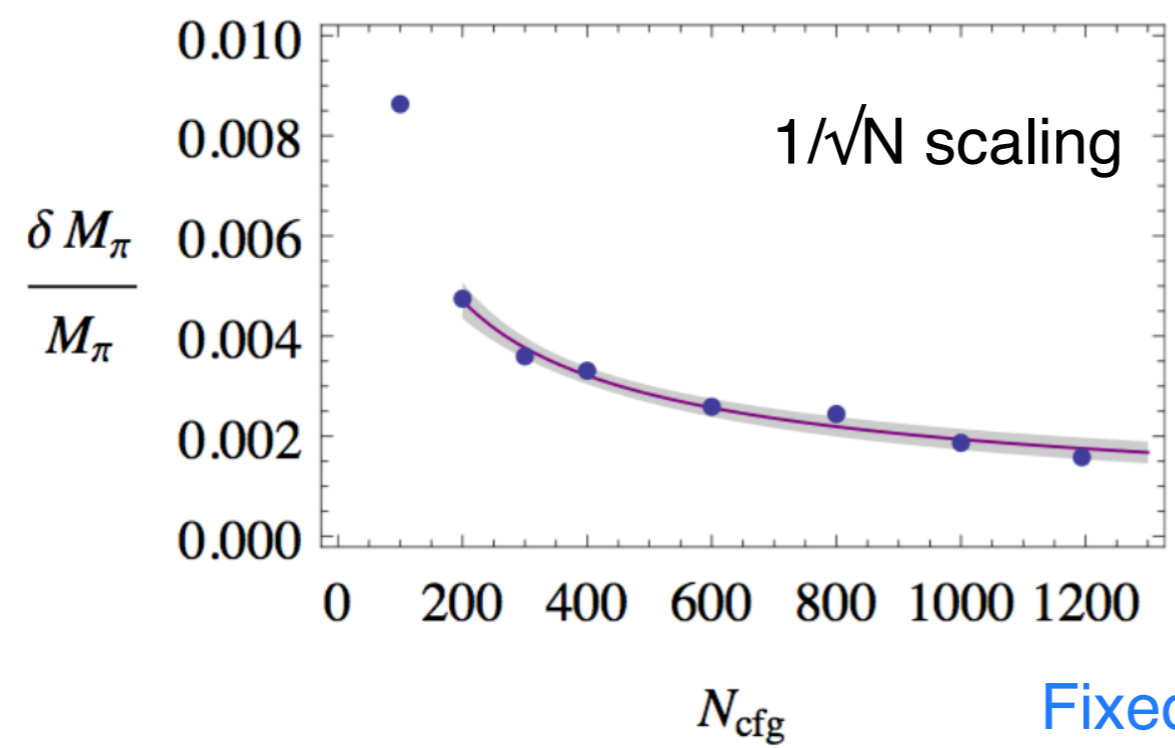
- Excited states require correlation functions with the same quantum numbers but different spacetime structure at the source and sink (with different overlaps onto the lowest-lying states)
- Also requires good temporal resolution to distinguish/identify multiple exponentials



Lattice QCD: Statistics of Correlation Functions



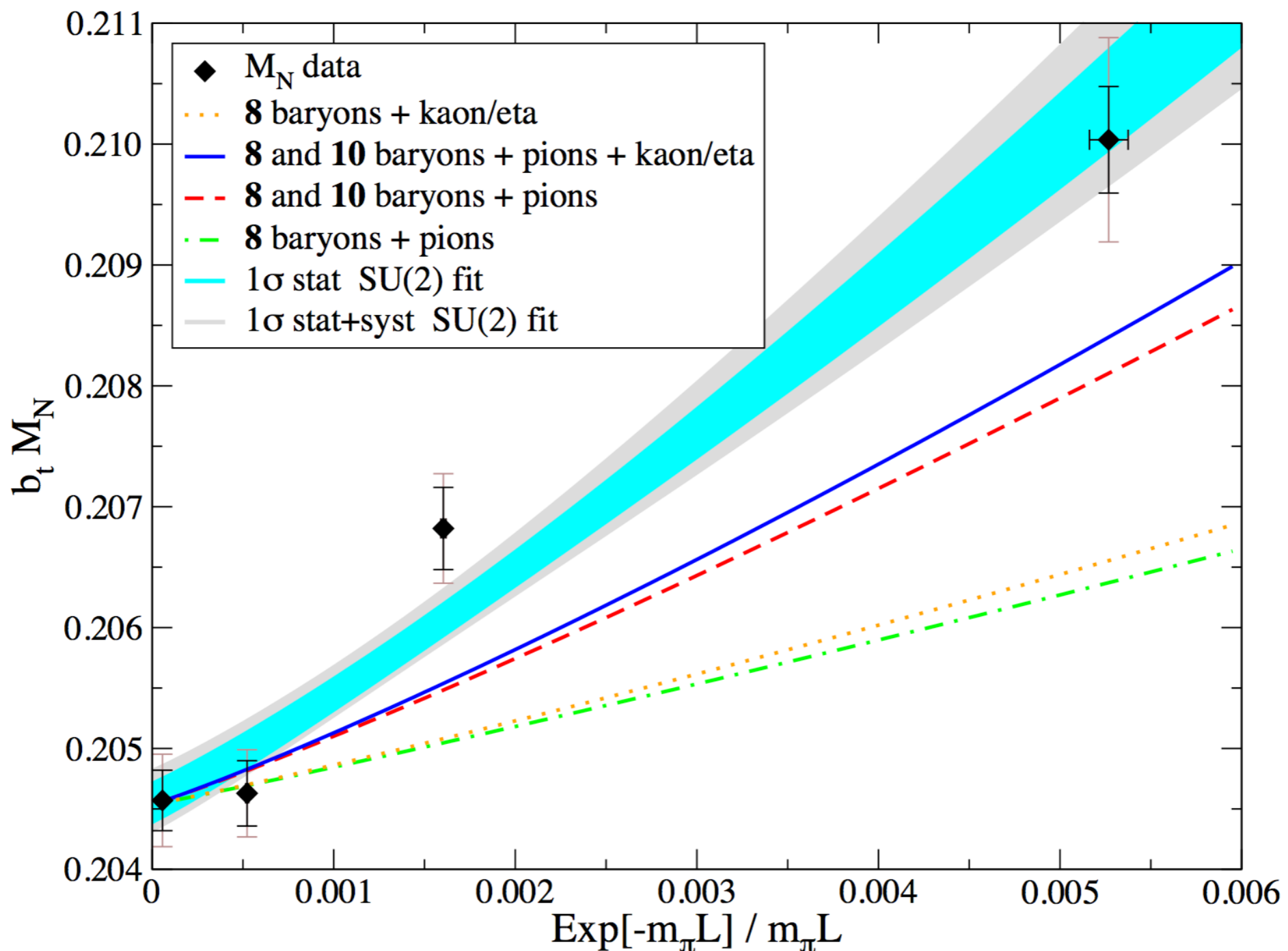
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Fixed number of srcs

Lattice QCD:

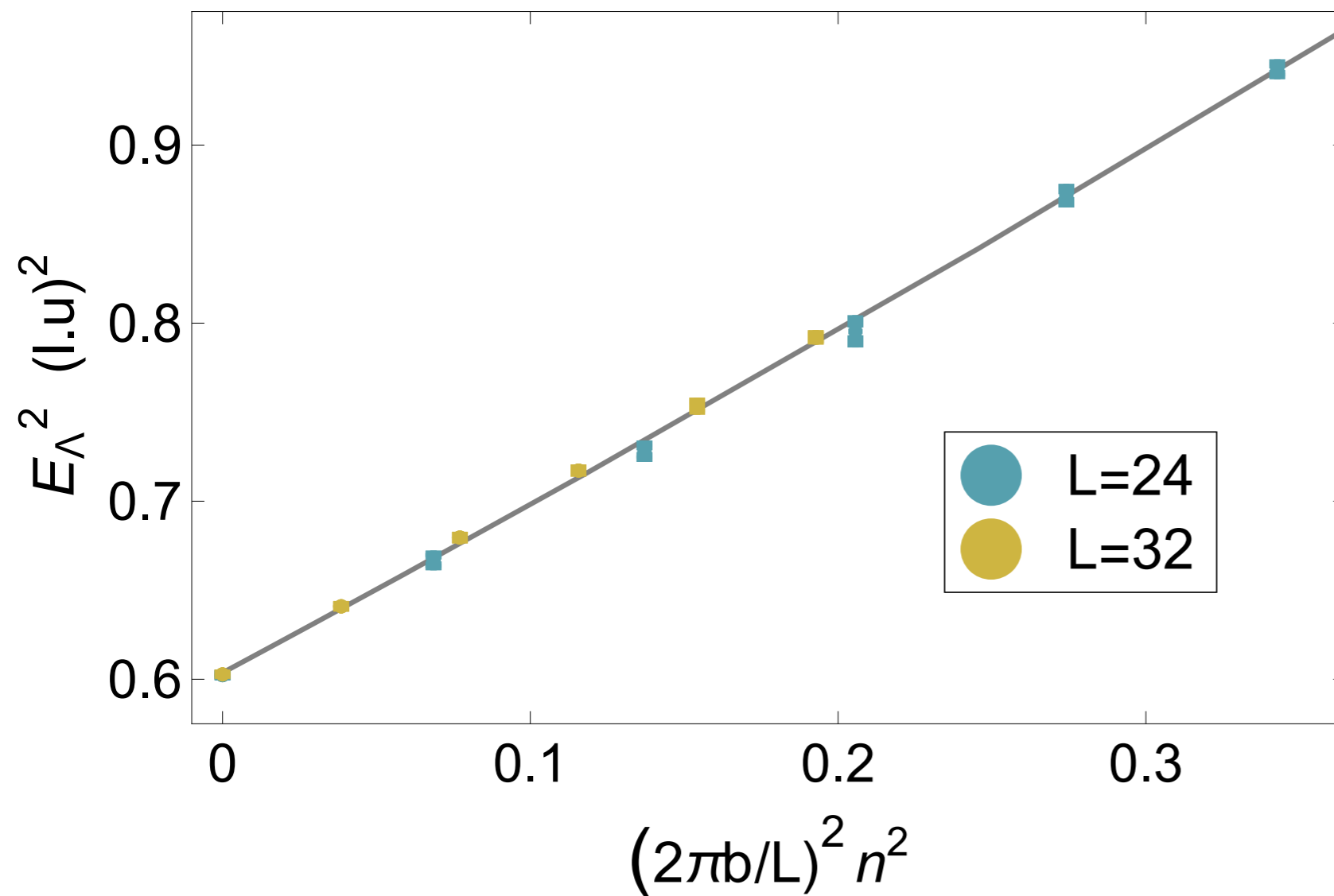
FV Effects - Uncertainty Quantification



Low-energy EFT dictates form of the volume extrapolation

Lattice QCD:

Dispersion Relations - Uncertainty Quantification

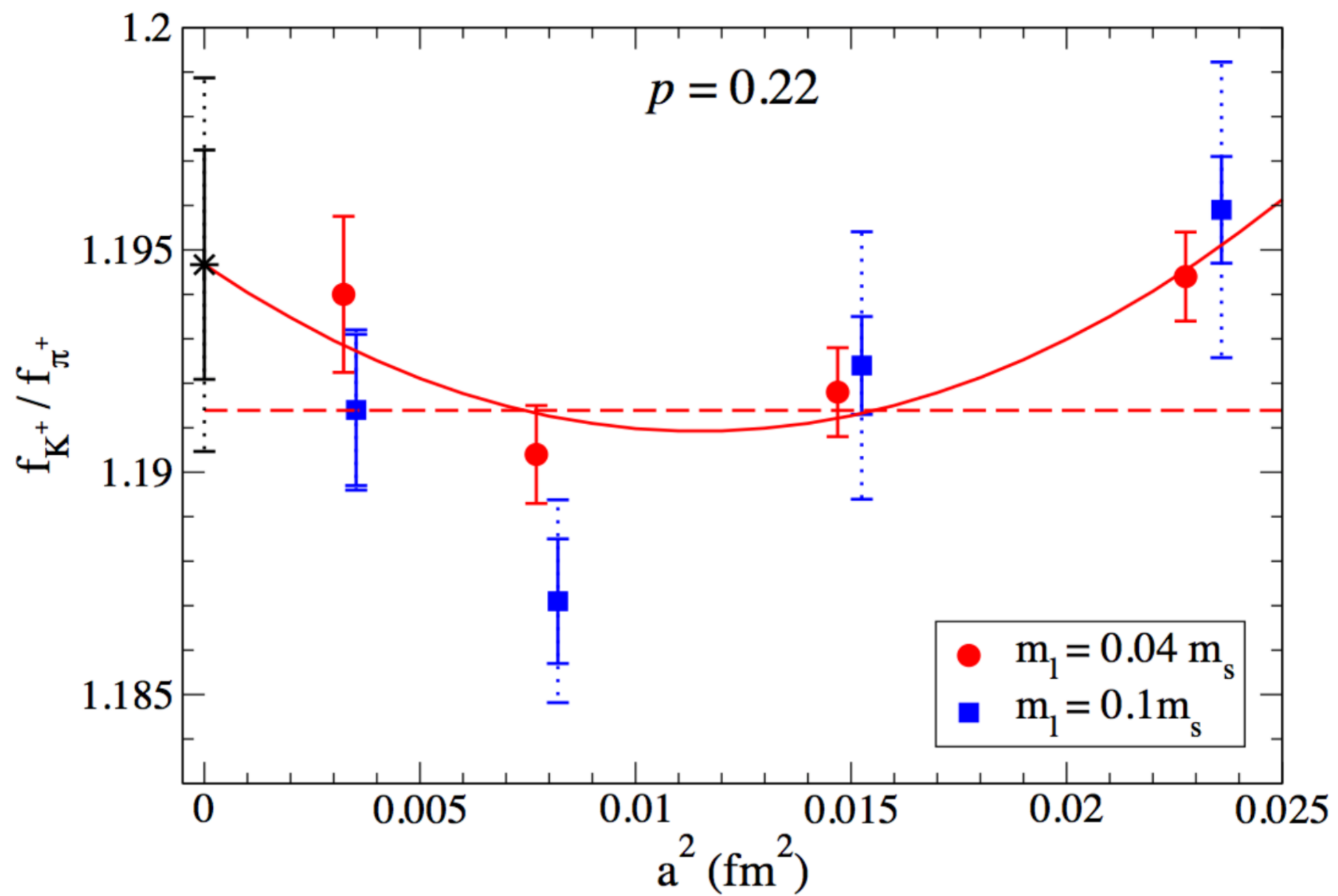


$$v = 1.016 \pm 0.019 \pm 0.001$$

Do not expect them to be “as bad” as the quark and gluon dispersion relations as the typical momenta of the q’s and g’s is much smaller.

Lattice QCD:

Lattice-Spacing Extrapolation - Uncertainty Quantification



Symanzik action and low-energy EFT dictates form of lattice-spacing extrapolation

Lattice QCD:

Uncertainty Quantification - Error Budgets

Error	$f_{\Upsilon} \sqrt{M_{\Upsilon}}$	$\bar{m}_b(10\text{GeV})$
Statistics	0.3	0.0
Z_V/k_1	2.5	0.3
perturbation theory/ α_s	-	0.3
uncertainty in a	1.6	0.0
lattice spacing dependence	3.4	0.4
sea-quark mass dependence	1.0	0.0
b -quark mass tuning	1.0	0.0
NRQCD systematics	1.0	0.3
electromagnetism η_b annihilation	0.0	0.0
total	4.8	0.7

Error (Uncertainty) Budgets are standard in Lattice QCD - to provide a breakdown of the fully-quantified uncertainties of the calculation(s).



Lattice QCD



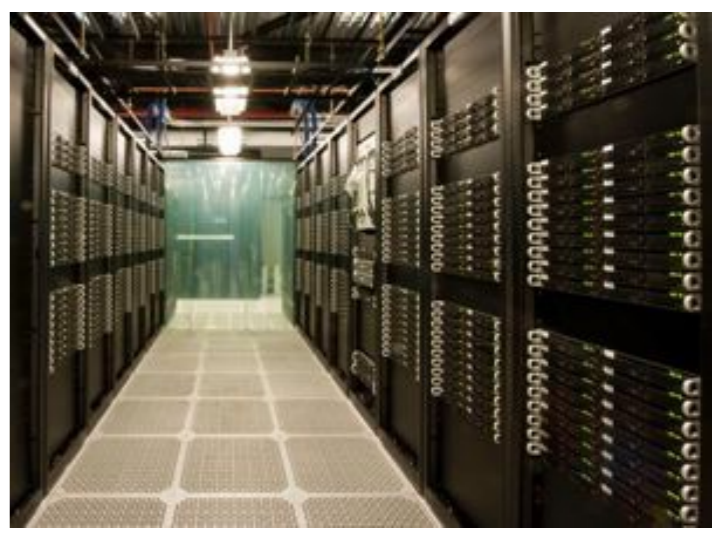
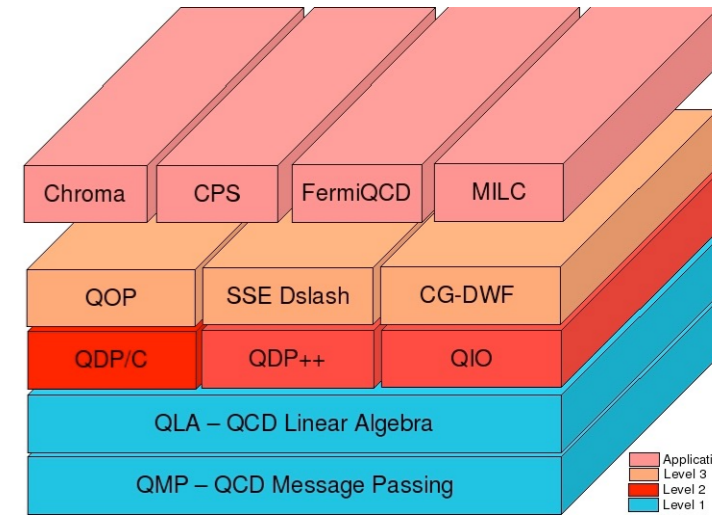
Status and Future

Lattice QCD

USQCD Collaboration



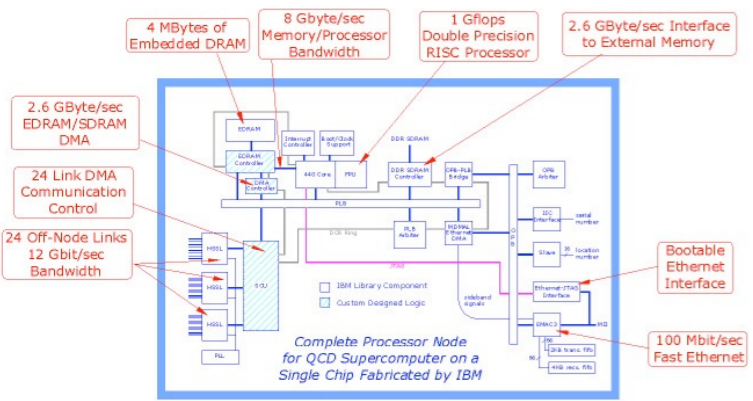
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Ancient History -
 QCDSPP : 1998 Gordon Bell Prize



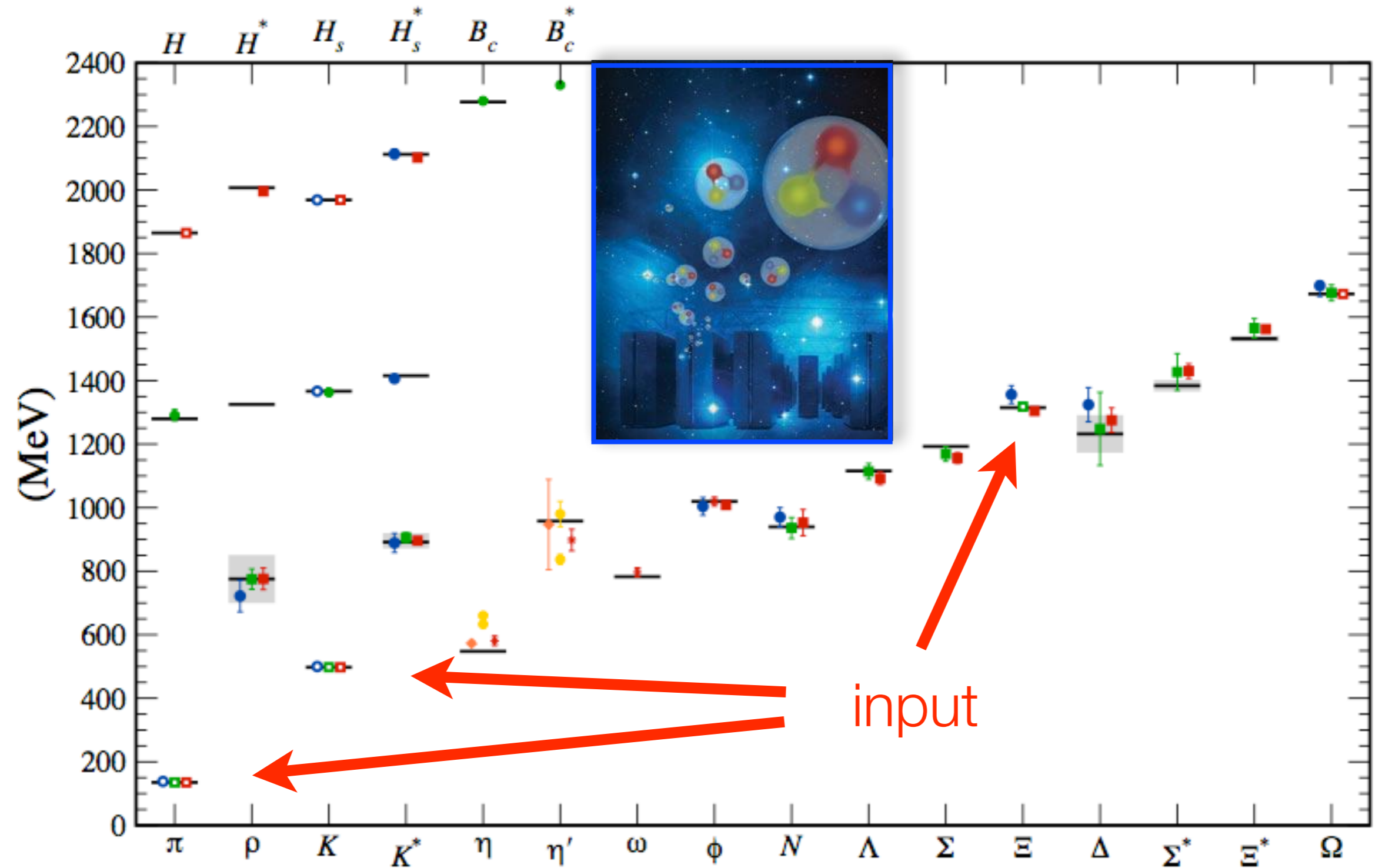
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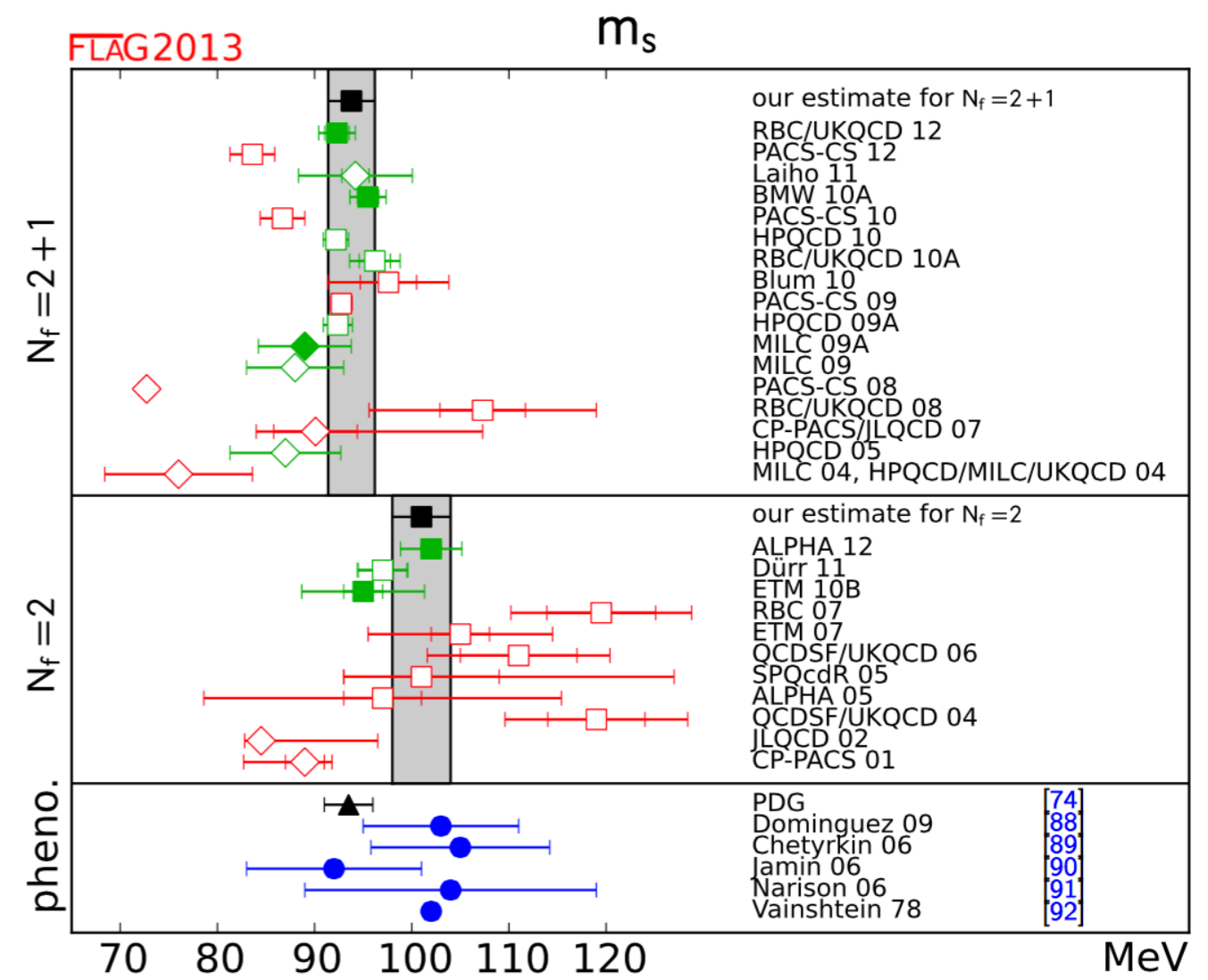
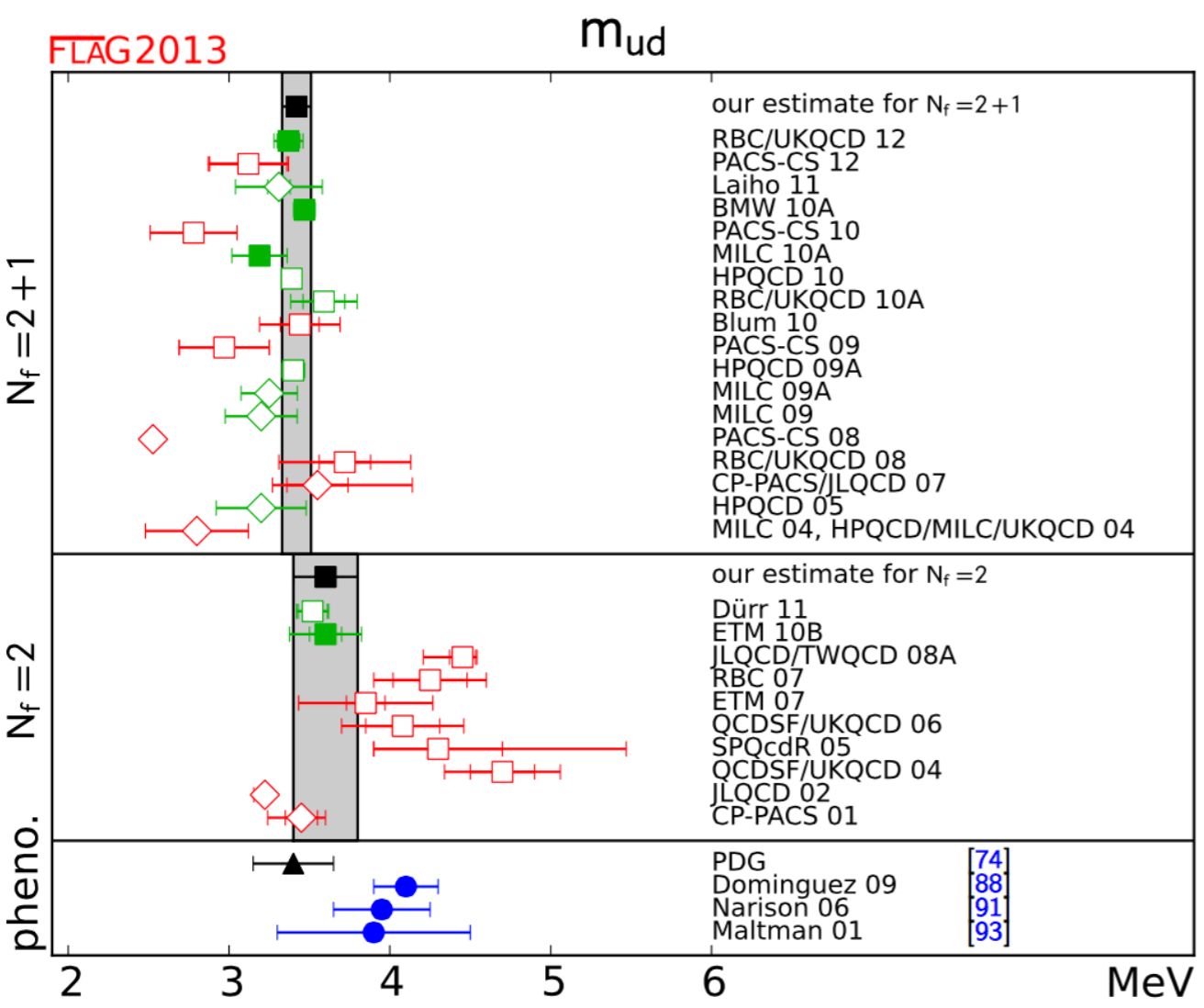
Mission-critical, custom logic (hatched) for high-performance memory access and fast, low-latency off-node communications is combined with standards-based, highly integrated commercial library components.



Hadron Masses



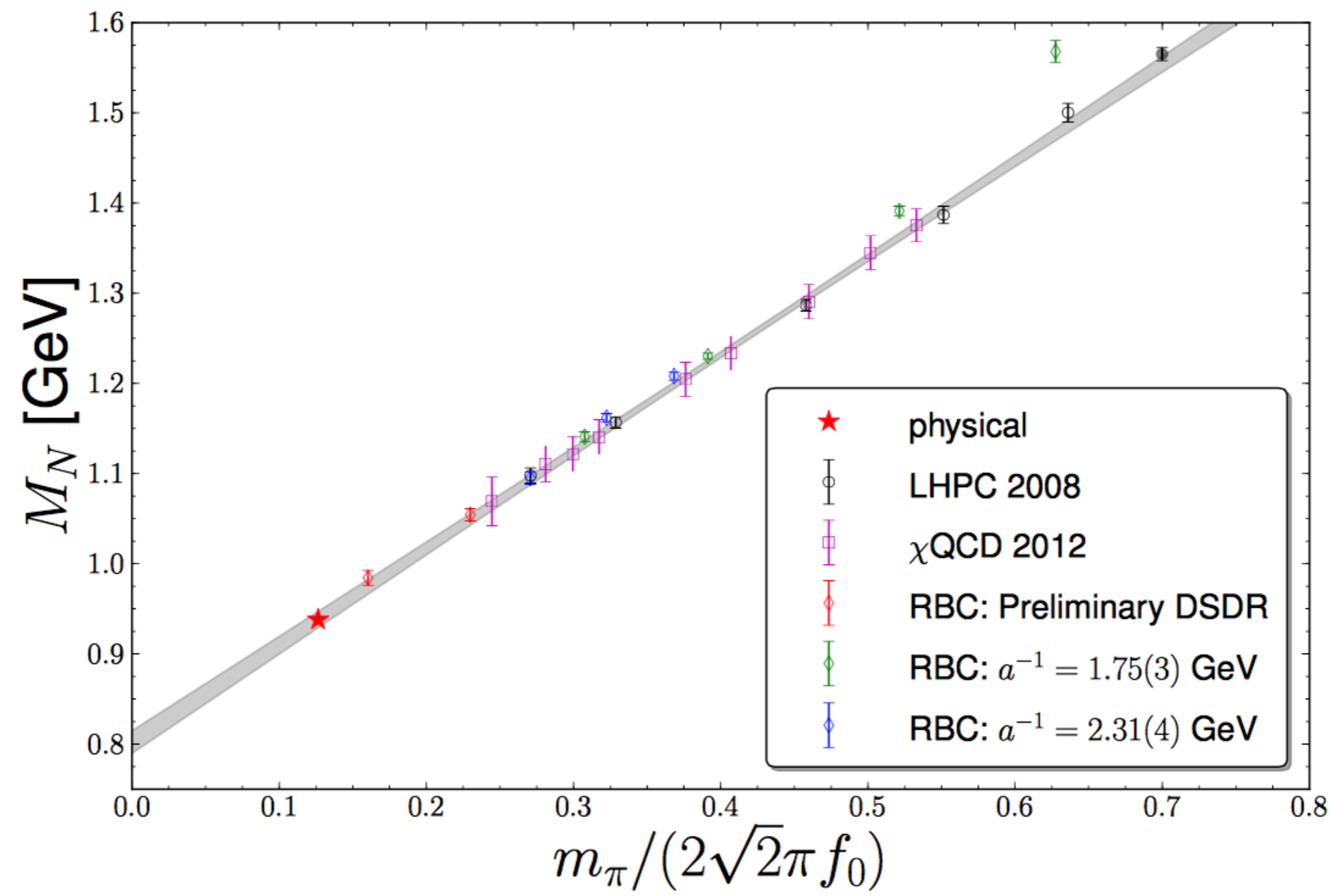
Lattice QCD: Results - quark masses



N_f	m_u	m_d	m_u/m_d
2+1	2.16(9)(7)	4.68(14)(7)	0.46(2)(2)
2	2.40(23)	4.80(23)	0.50(4)

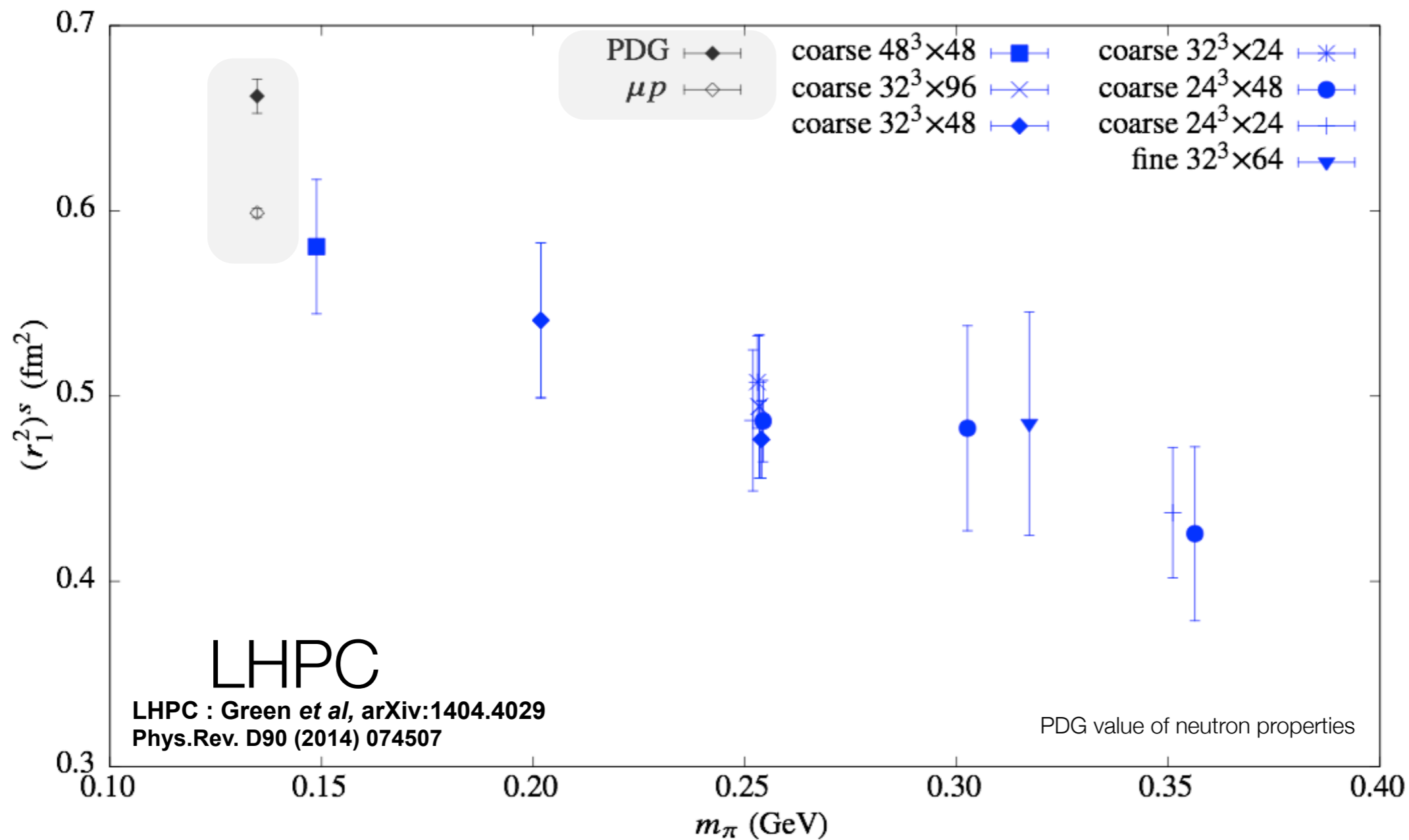
$$\overline{MS}, \mu = 2 \text{ GeV}$$

Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon



$M_N = 800 \text{ MeV} + m_\pi$ Unexpected behavior !!

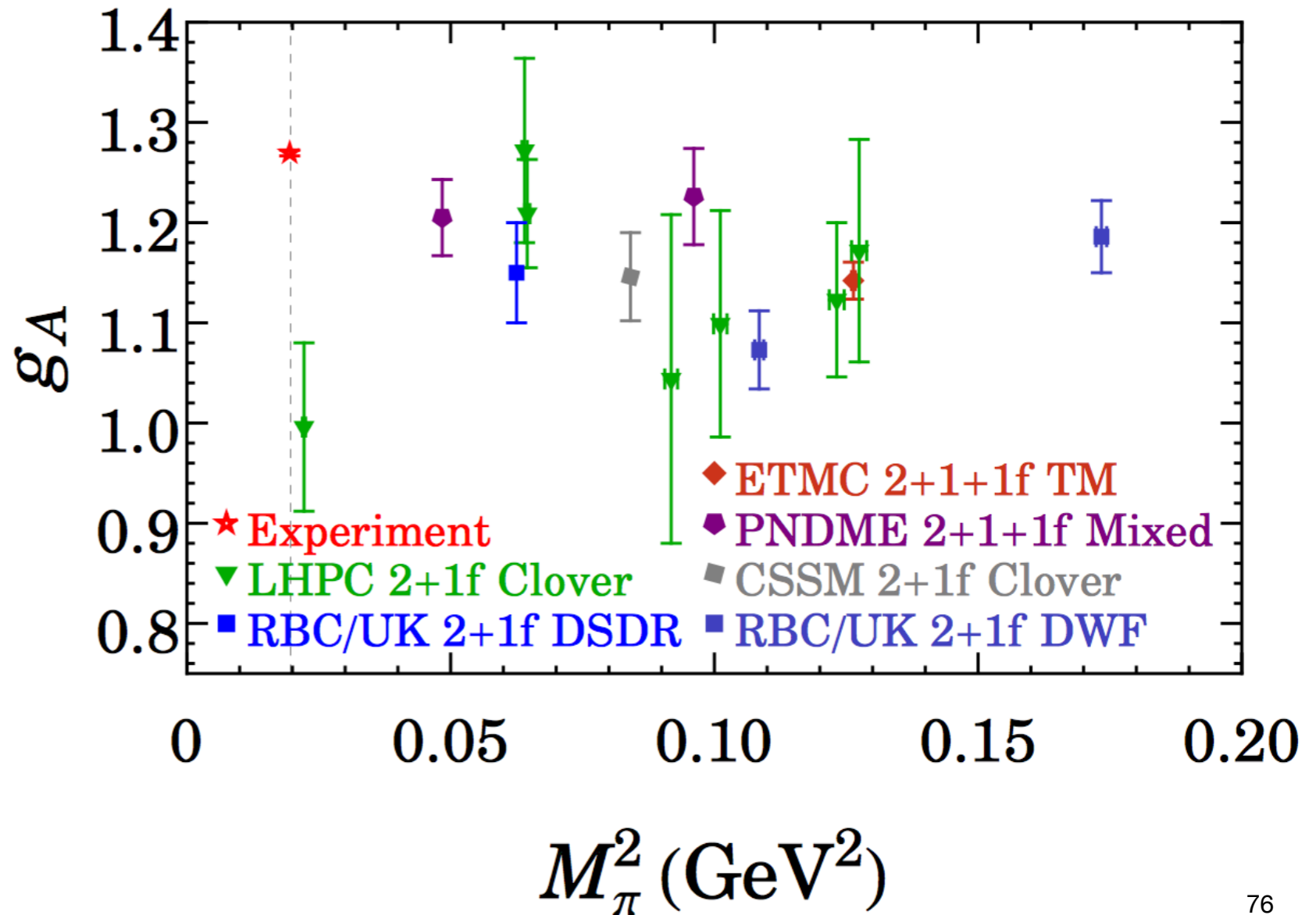
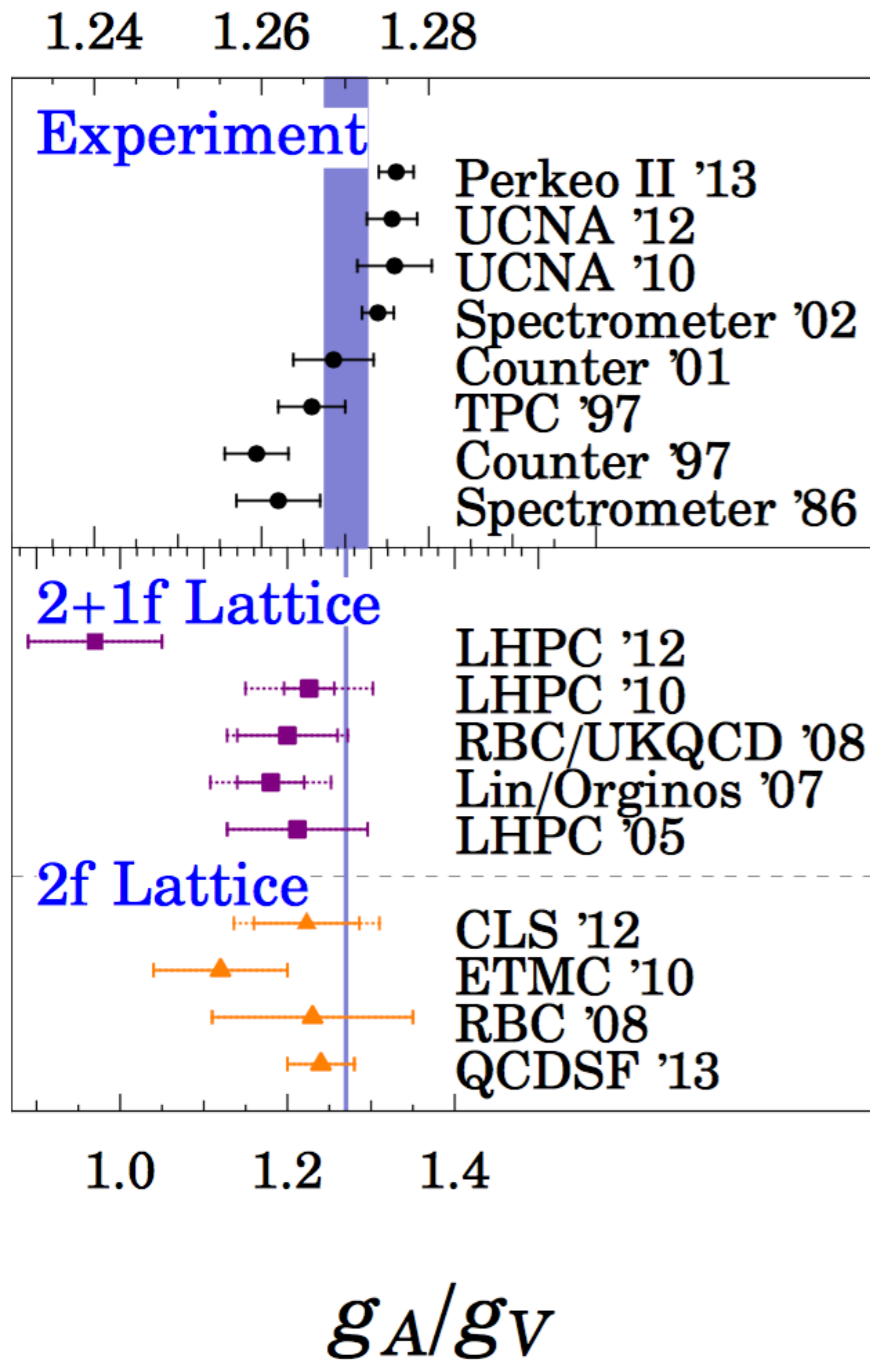
Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Size



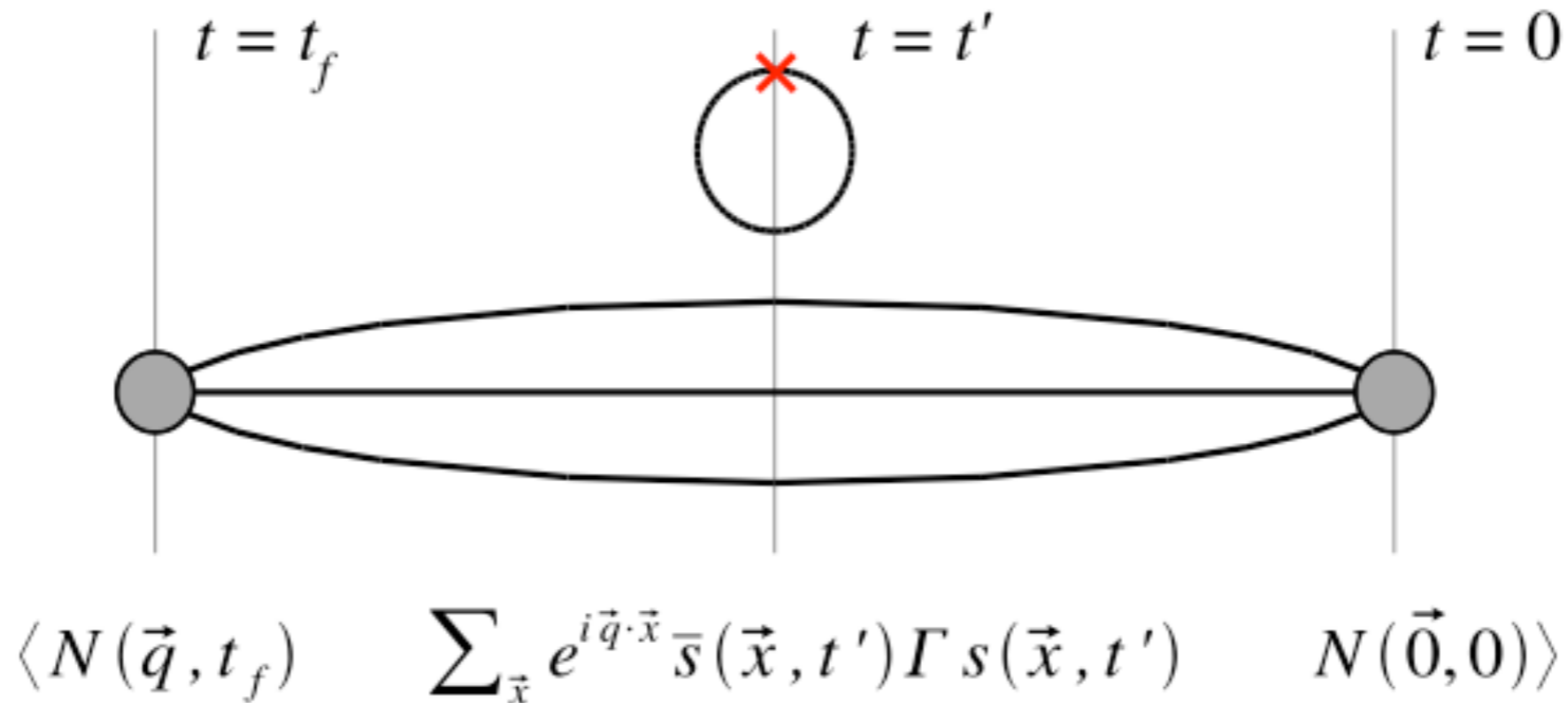
First LQCD calculations at physical pion mass during 2012



Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Axial Charge



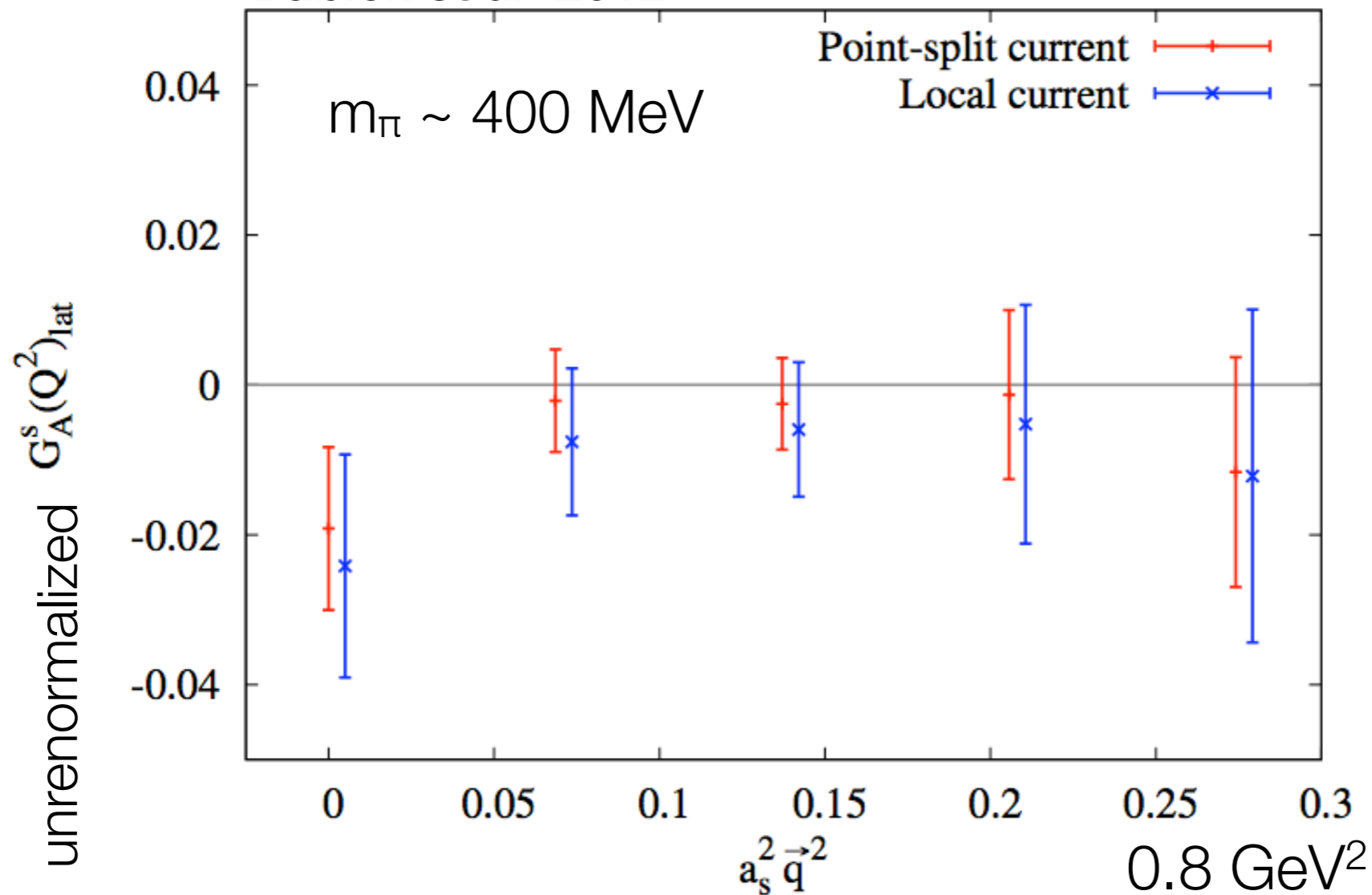
Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Strangeness



- Disconnected diagram only
- Need propagator at each point in the lattice volume
- GPU's have allowed for major progress

Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Strangeness

Babich et al 2012



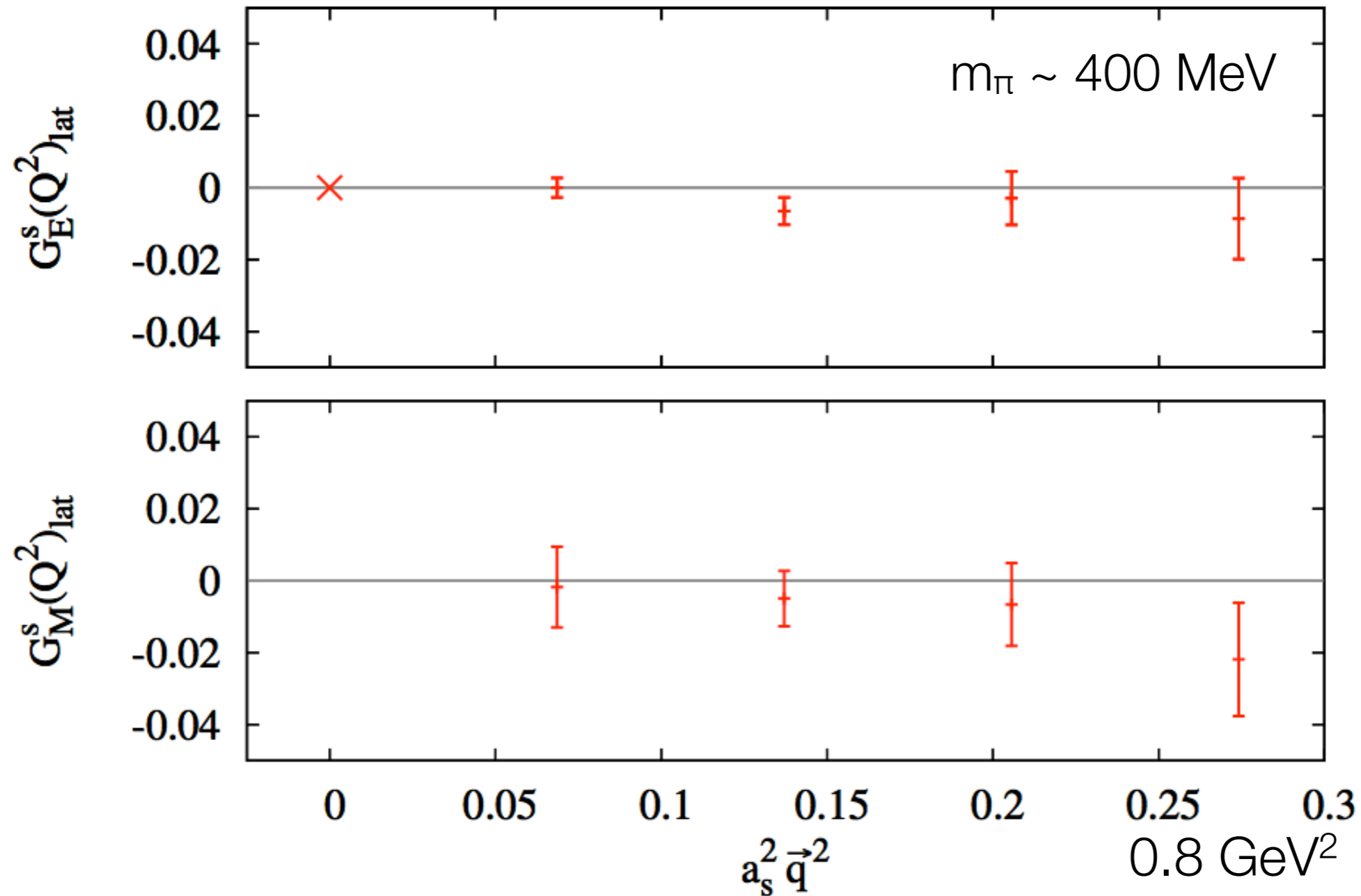
Engelhardt (2012)

$$\Delta s = -0.031(16) \begin{pmatrix} +3 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} (1)(4)(3)(4)$$

$m_\pi \sim 140 \text{ MeV}$

Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Strangeness

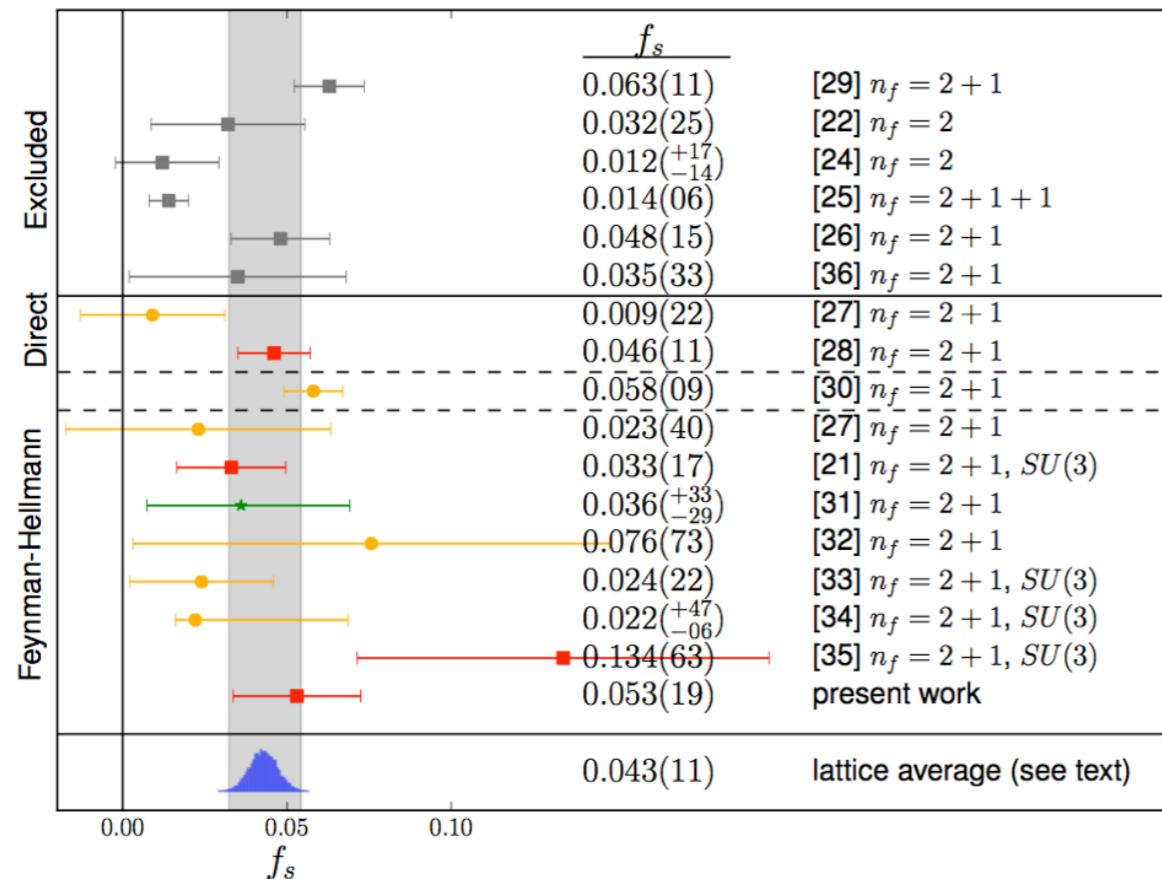
Babich *et al* 2012



- Recent analysis : Shanahan *et al*, [arXiv:1403.6537](https://arxiv.org/abs/1403.6537)

Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon Strangeness

Pari Junnarkar's PhD thesis @ UNH (Beane)
Junnarkar and Walker-Loud, Phys.Rev. D87 (2013) 11, 114510



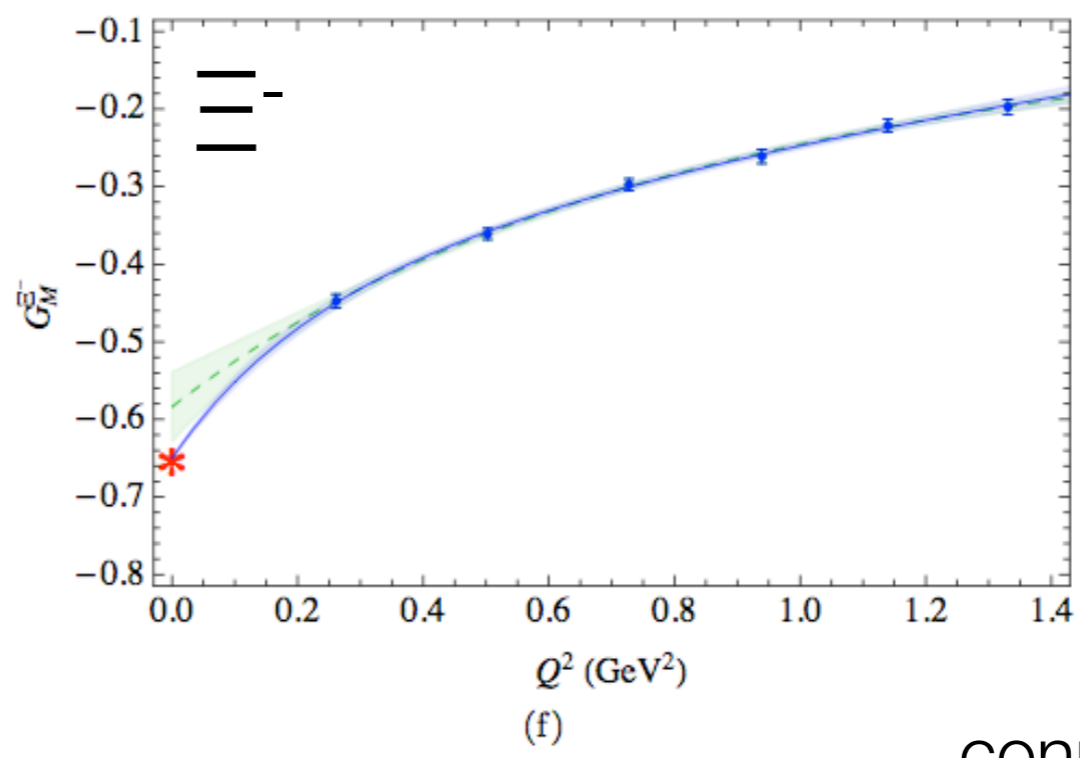
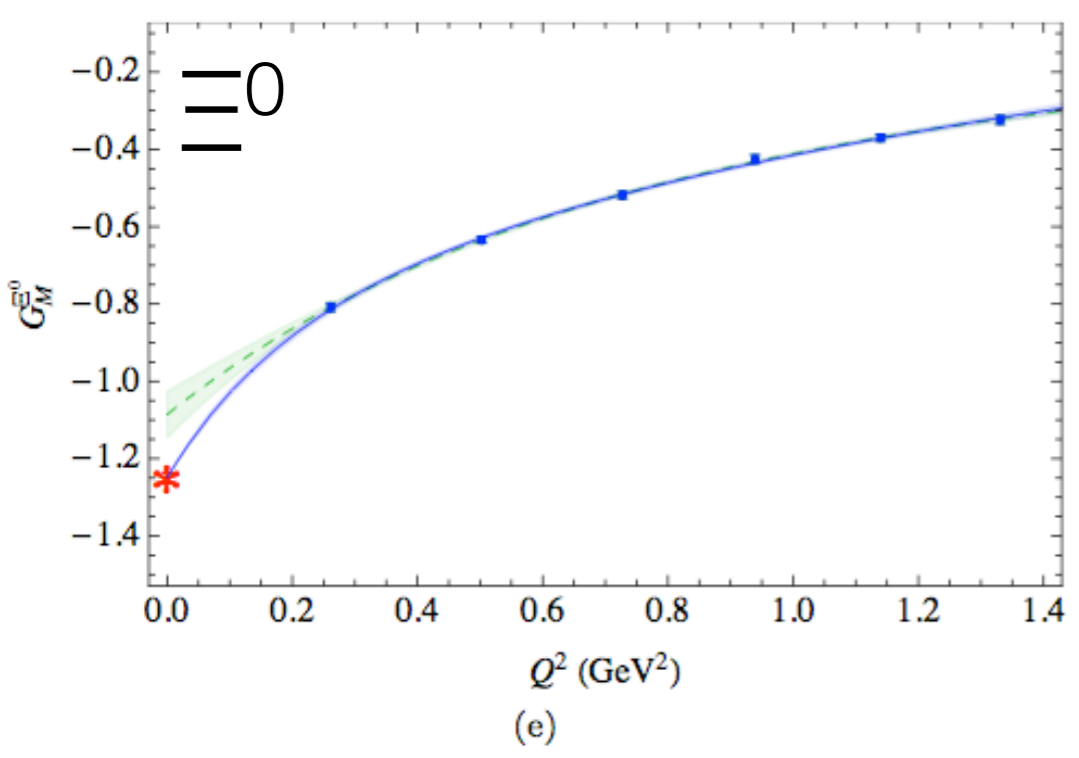
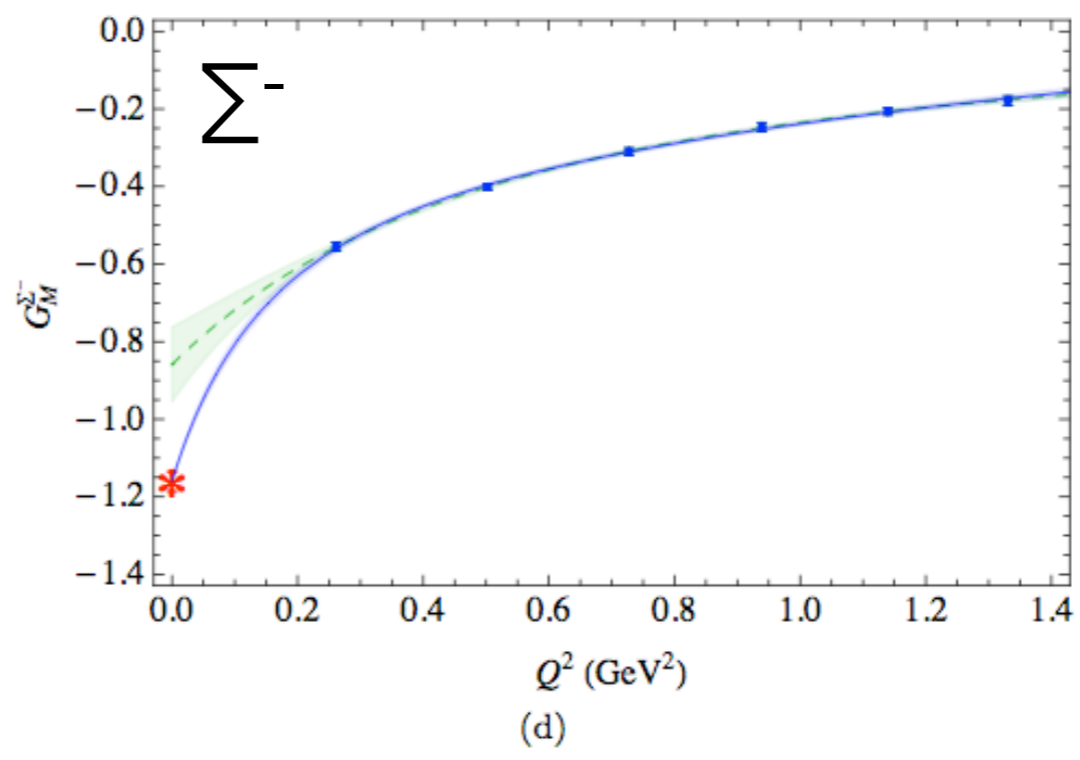
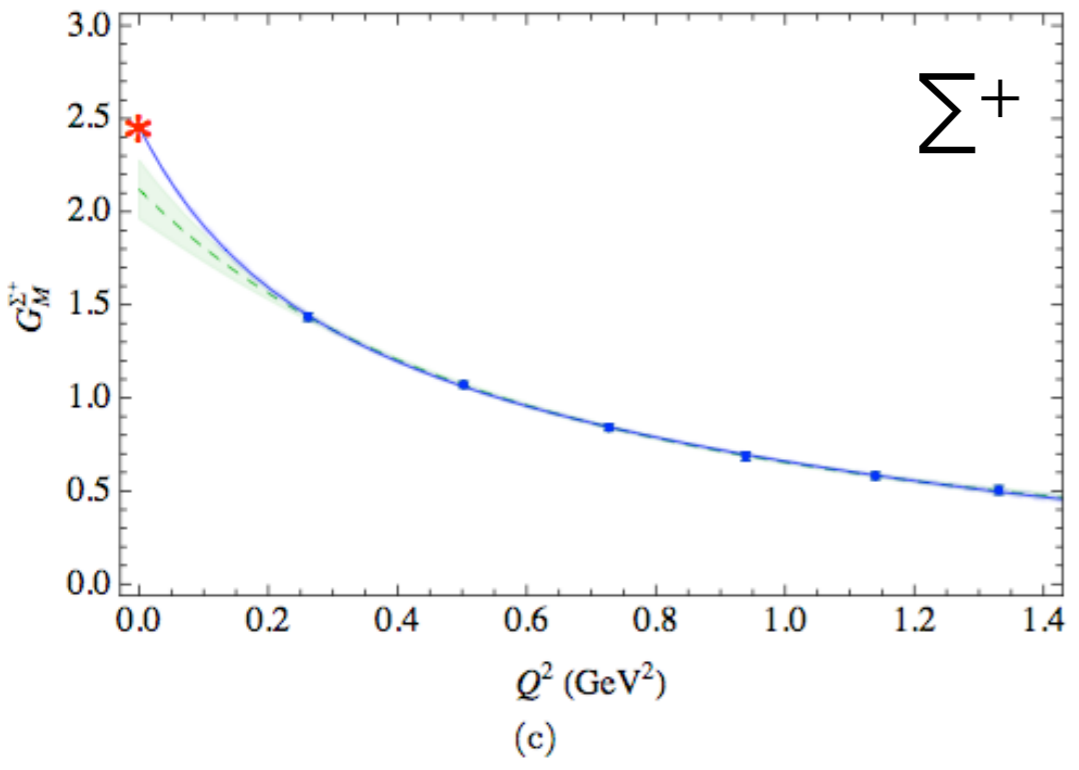
$$m_s \langle N | \bar{s}s | N \rangle = 48 \pm 10 \pm 15 \text{ MeV},$$

$$f_s = 0.051 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.016$$

- Feynman-Hellman - 2pt function
 - M_N as a function of m_s
 - multiple ensembles of lattices
- Operator Insertion
 - multiple propagator calculations

Lattice QCD:

Results - Hyperon Magnetic Form Factors



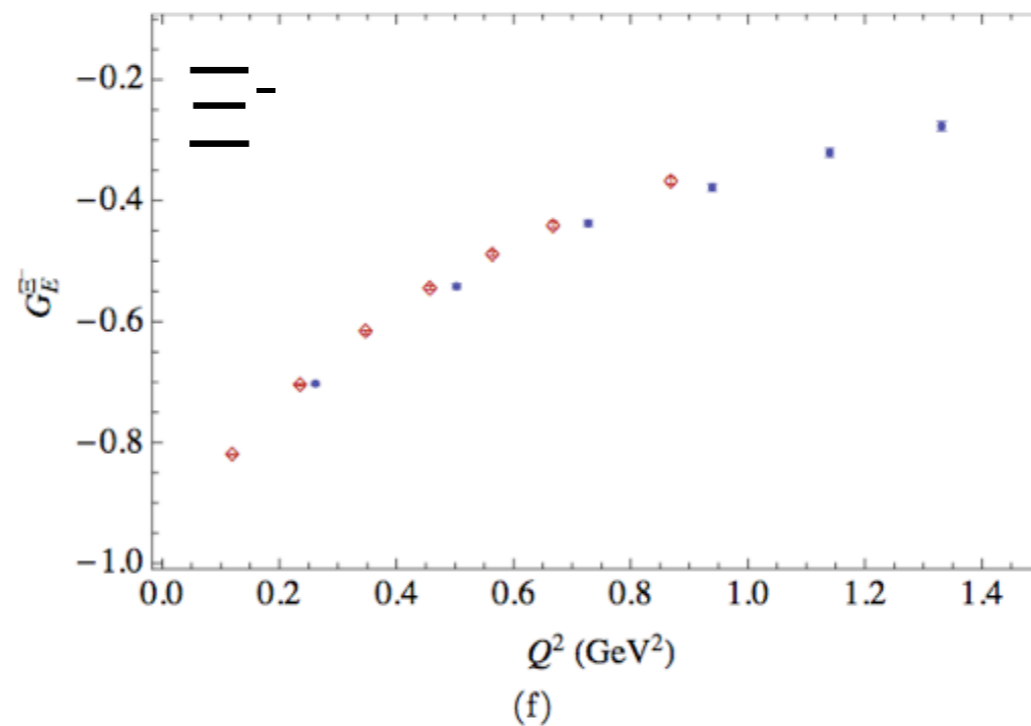
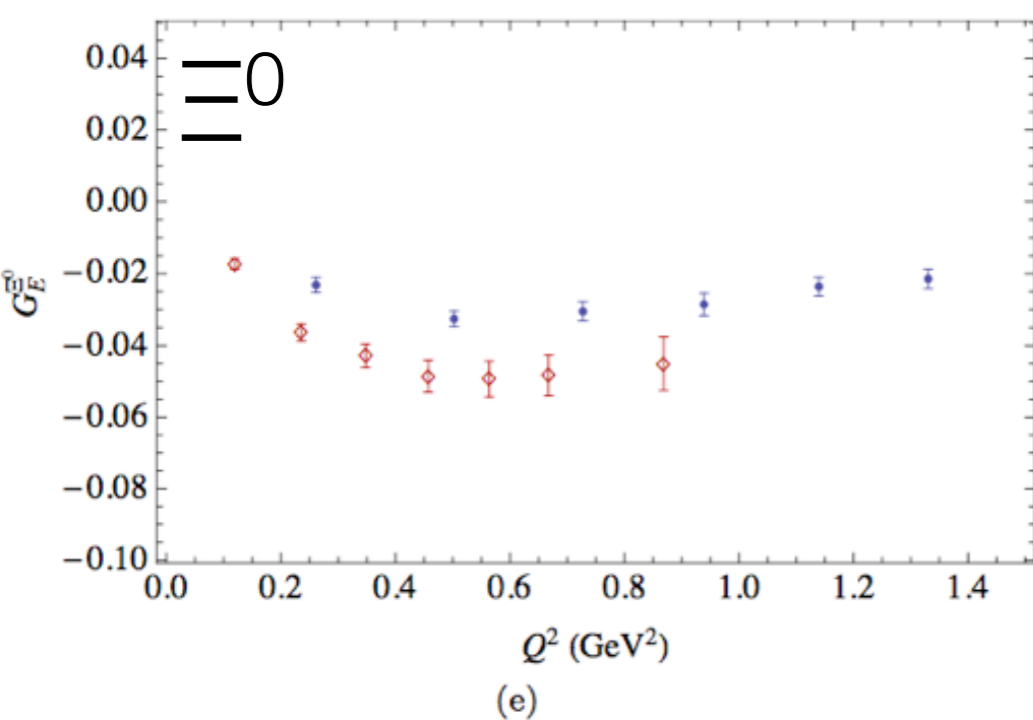
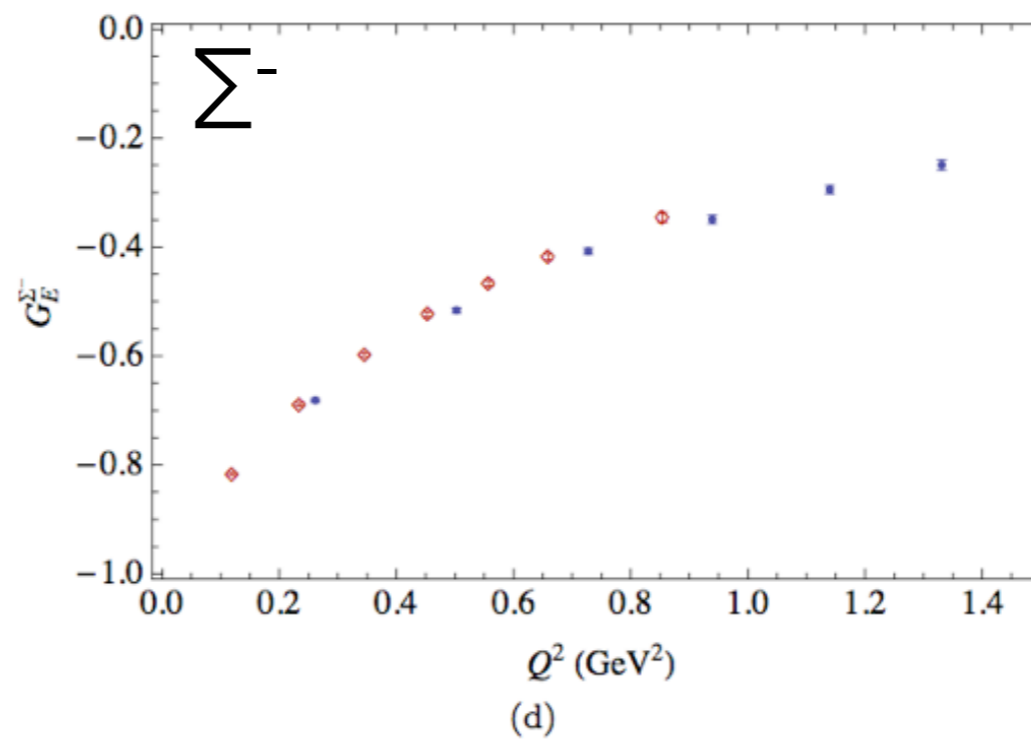
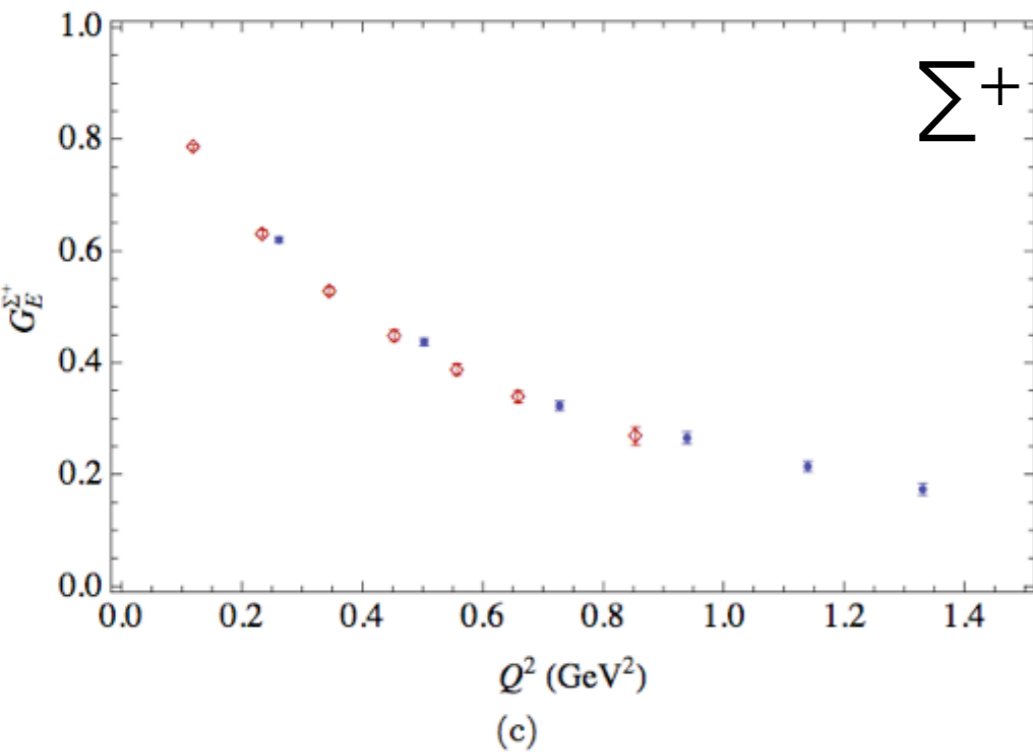
**Shanahan *et al*
QCDSF/UKQCD**

Chirally
extrapolated

Lattice QCD:

Results - Hyperon Electric Form Factors

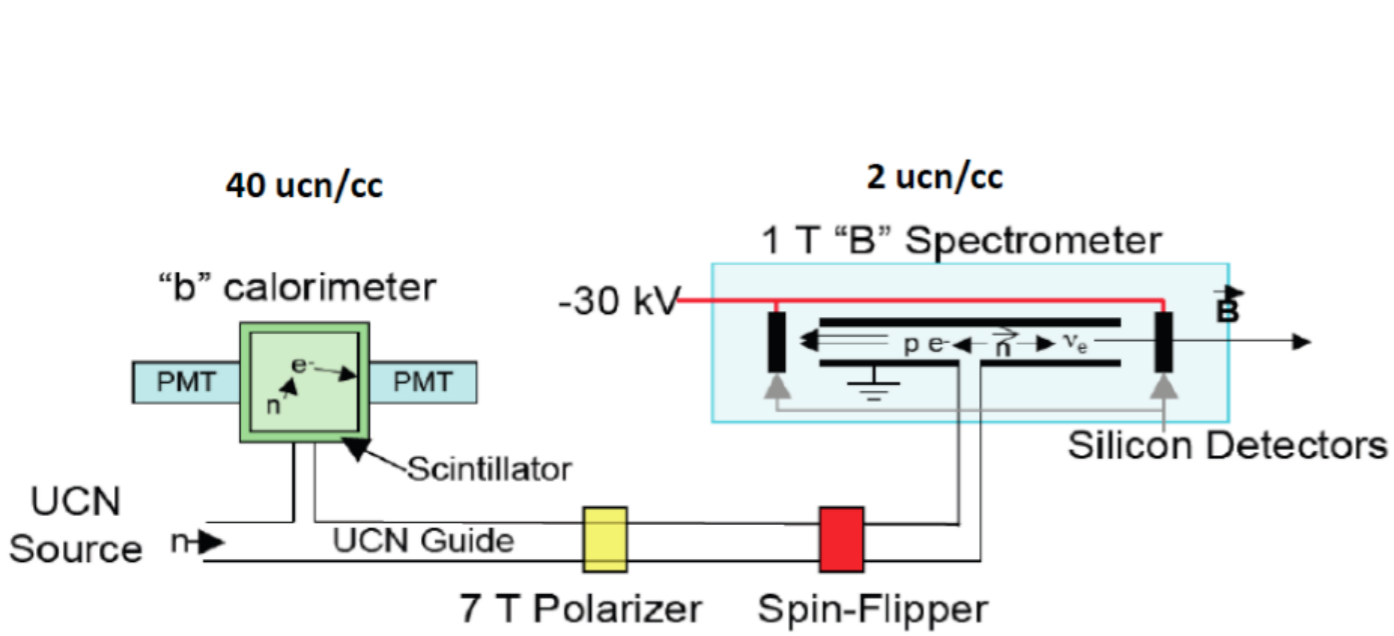
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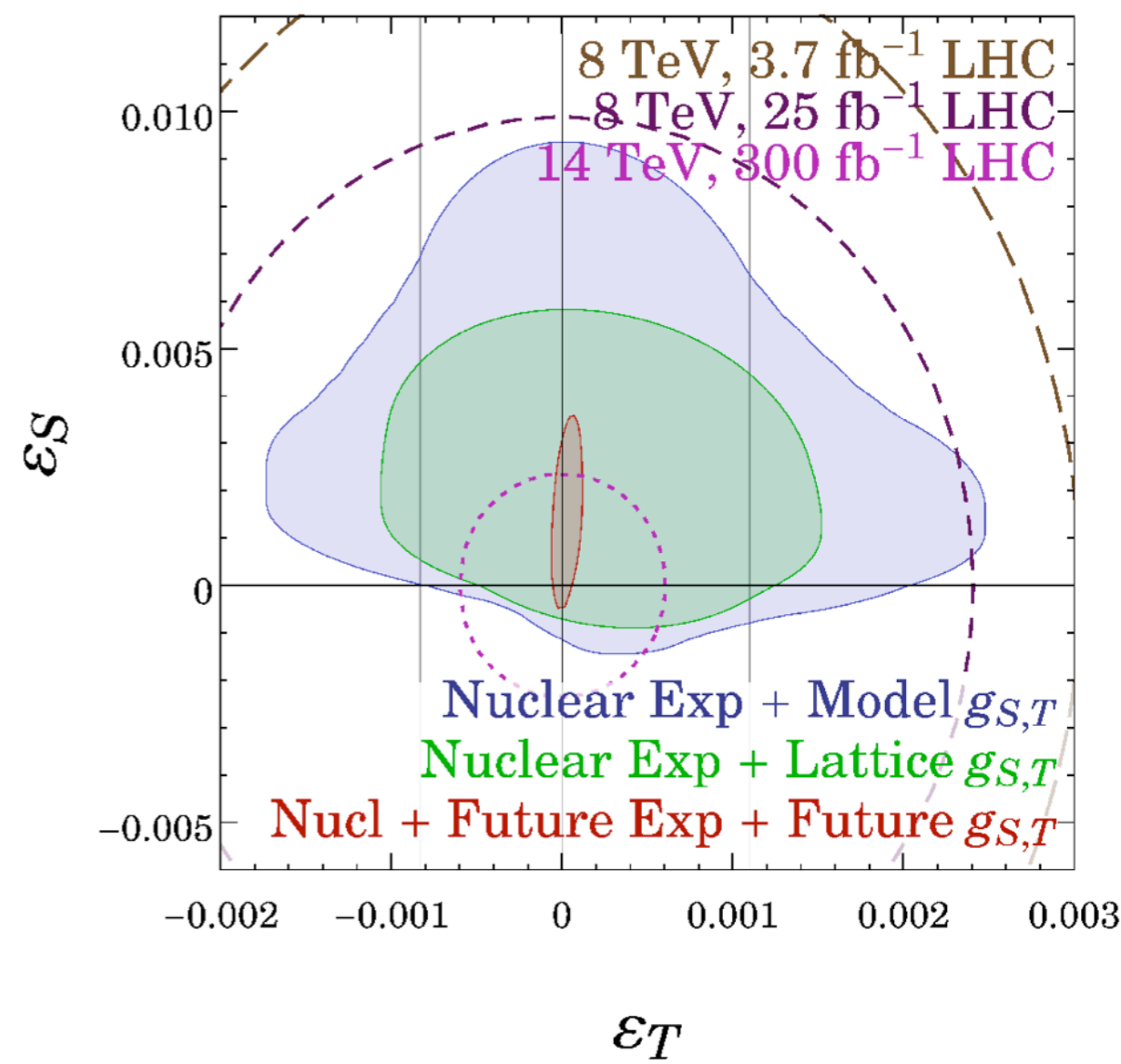
$m_\pi \sim 220$ MeV

Lattice QCD:

Results - Neutron Beta-Decay - Constraining New Physics



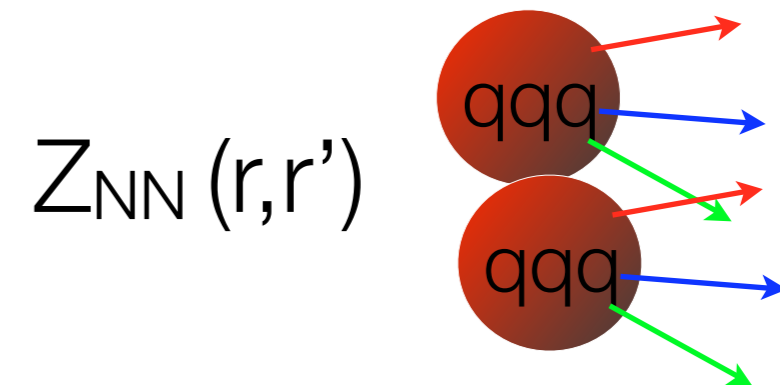
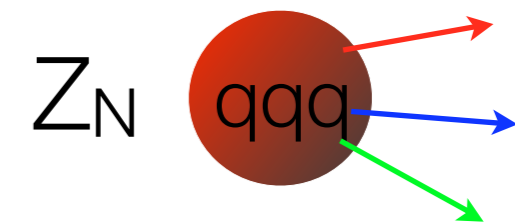
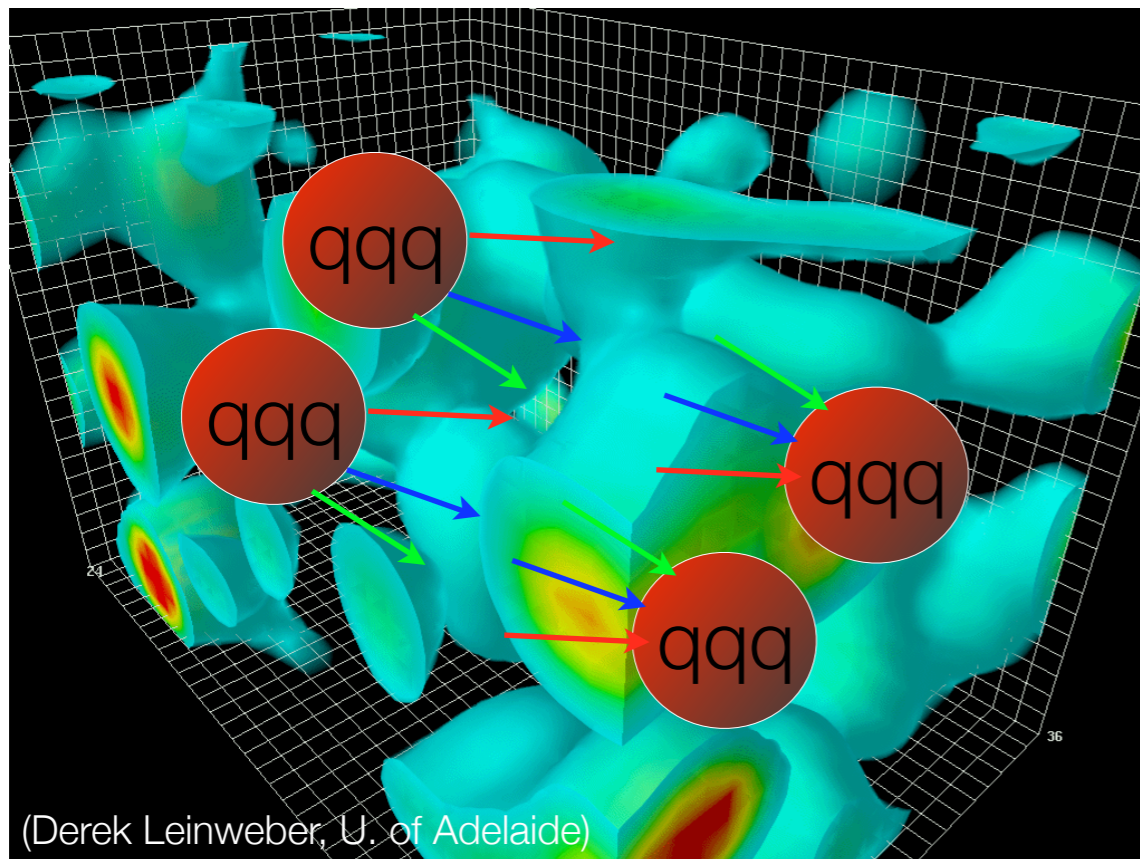
LANL experiment



PNDME collab

- LQCD calcs at pion mass of 220 MeV
- Looking toward 140 MeV

Lattice QCD: Results - n-Body Physics

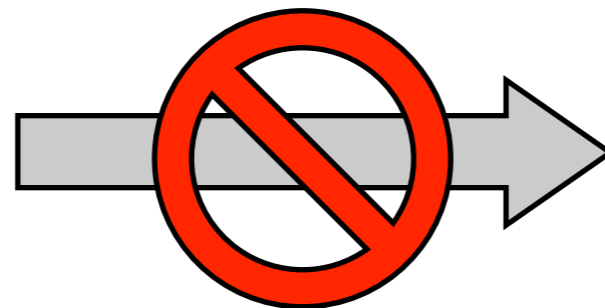


- Self-consistent extraction of S-matrix elements, with uncertainty quantification
- $V(r)$ not possible without Modeling

Lattice QCD: Results - Maiani-Testa Theorem



$G_{NN}(s)^{\text{Euclidean}}$



$G_{NN}(s)^{\text{Minkowski}}$

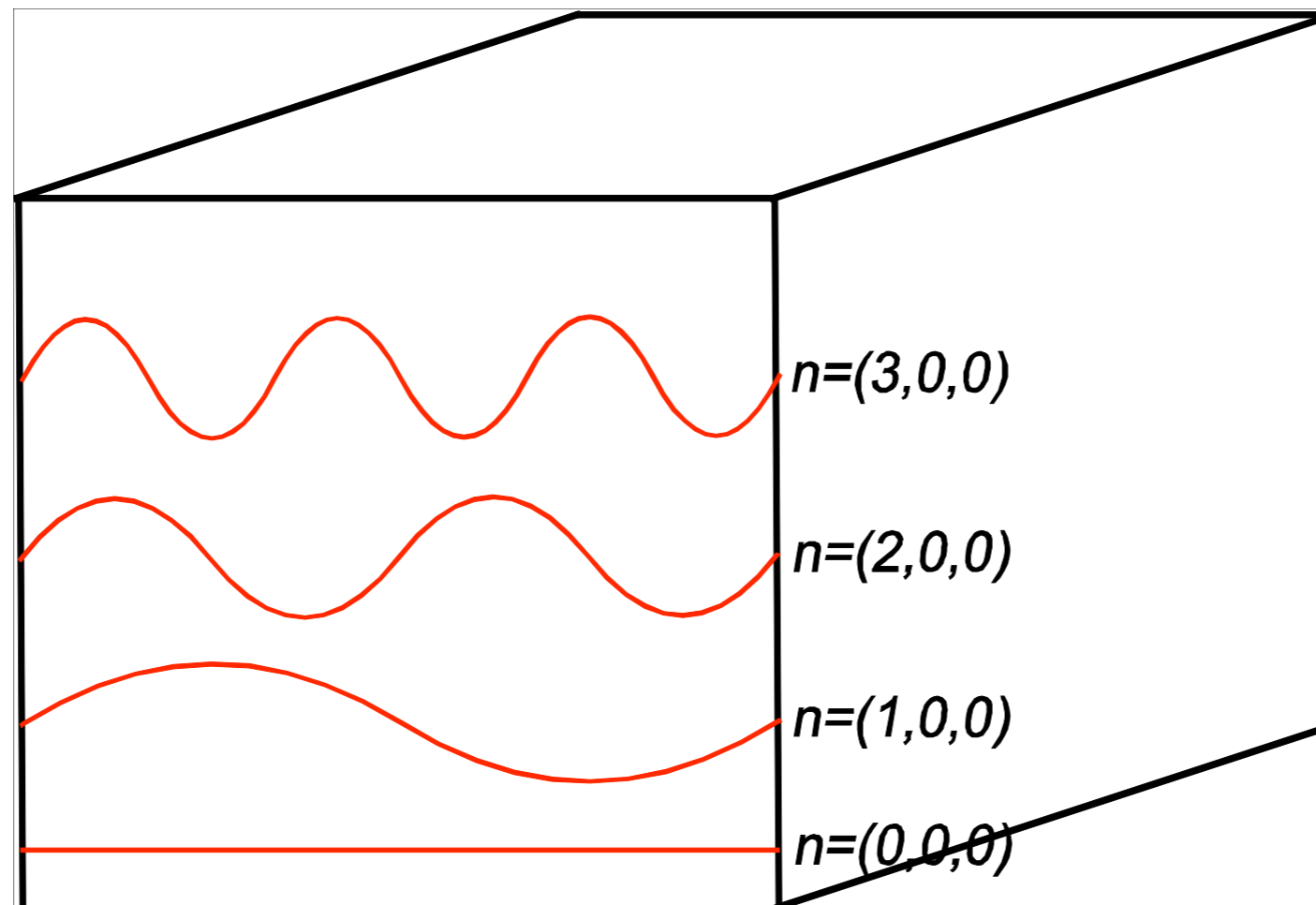
$\delta(s) ?$

Lattice QCD:

Results - Luscher's Quantization Conditions

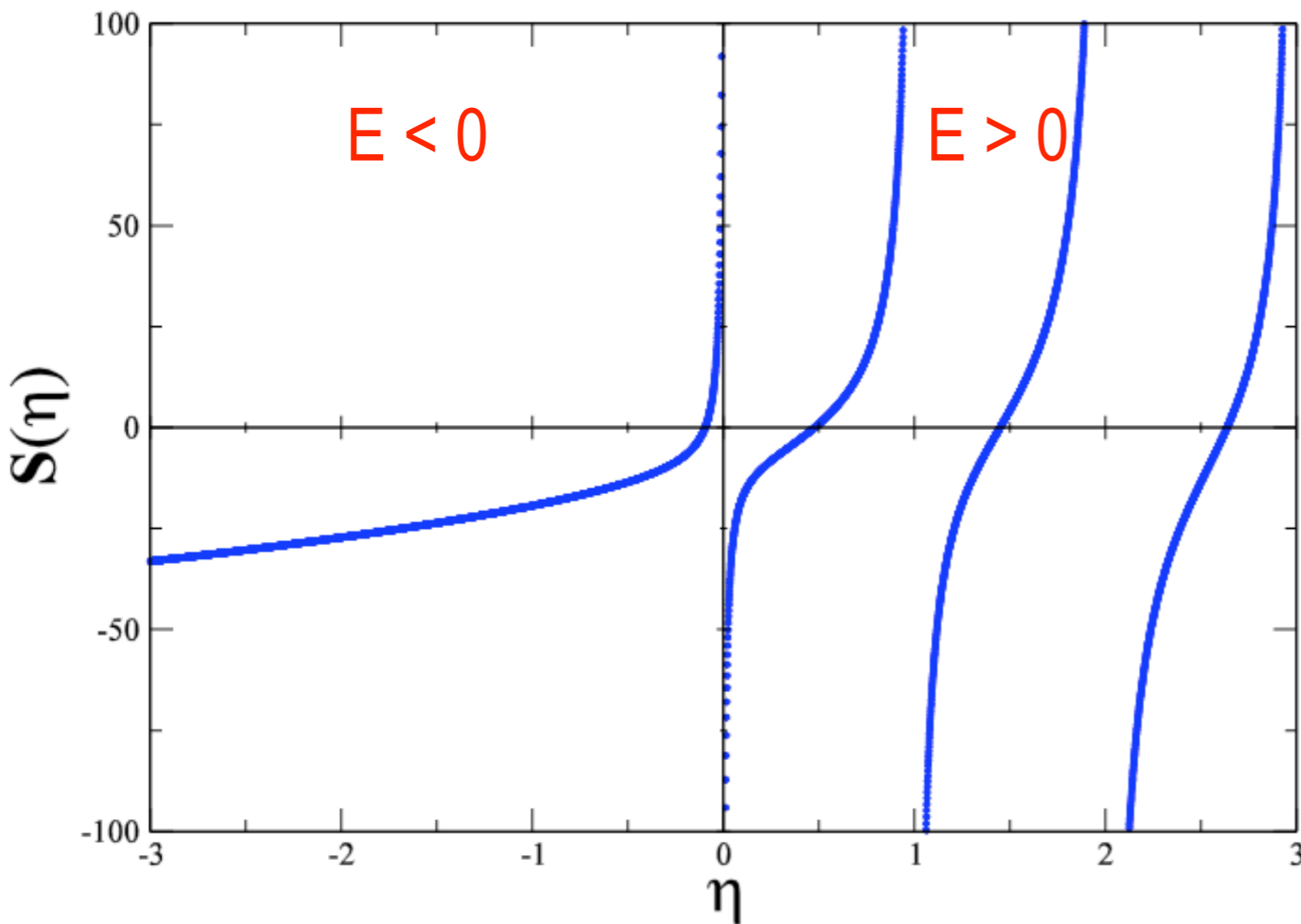
Below Inelastic Thresholds :

Measure on lattice $\longrightarrow \delta E = 2\sqrt{p^2 + m^2} - 2m$



Lattice QCD:

Results - Luscher's Quantization Conditions



A_1^+
Bound-state or
Scattering state ?

$$p \cot \delta(p) = \frac{1}{\pi L} \mathbf{S} \left(\left(\frac{Lp}{2\pi} \right)^2 \right)$$

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{L} n$$

$$n = (n_x, n_y, n_z)$$

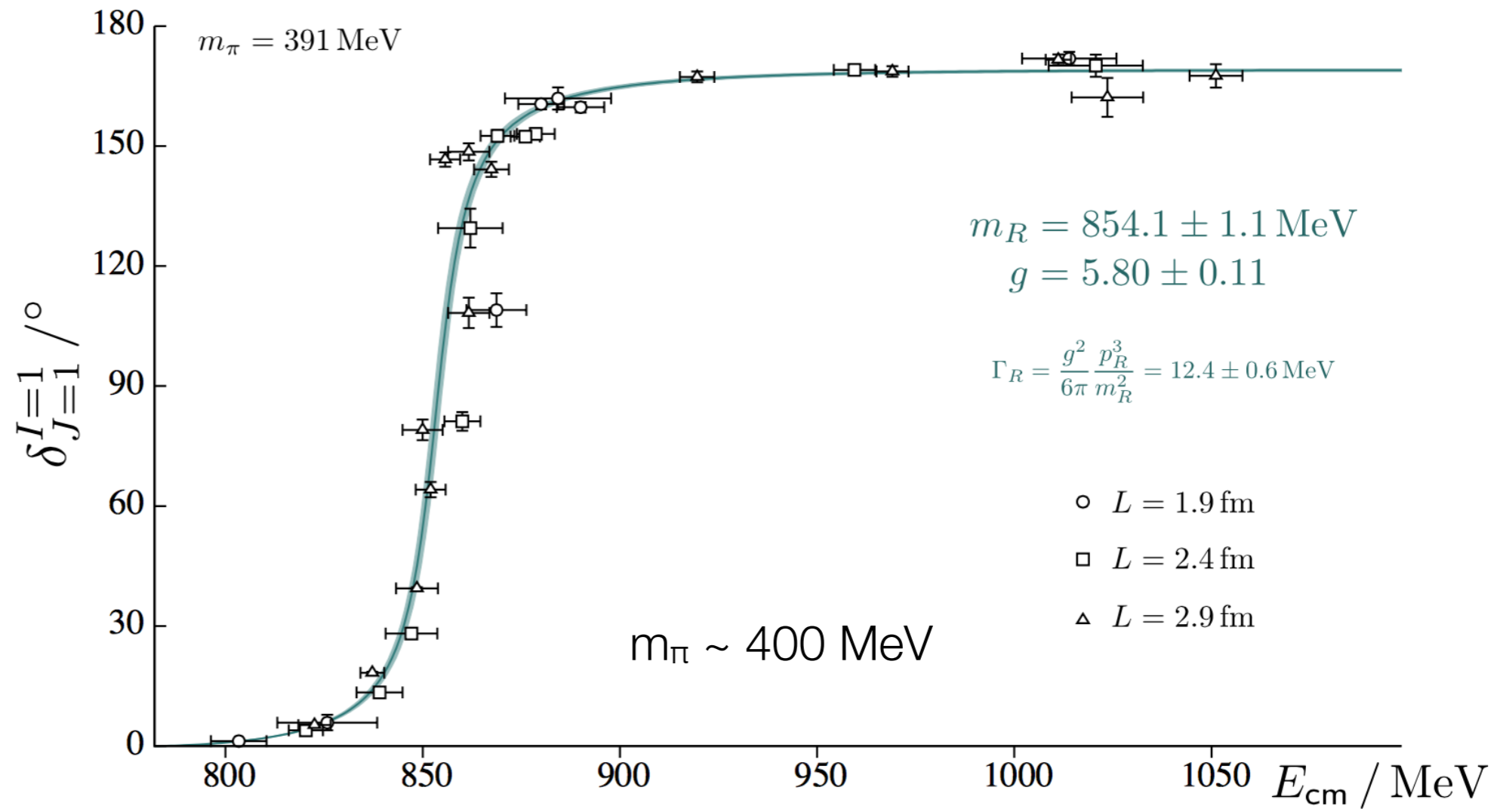
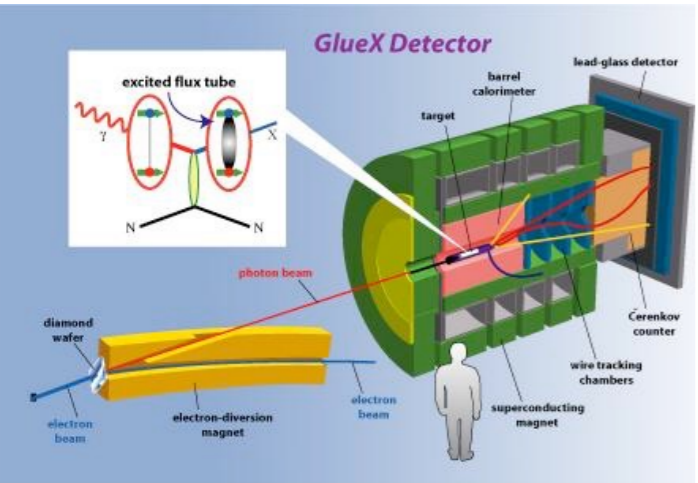
Non-interacting particles

$$V = 0 \rightarrow a = r = 0$$

$$S = \infty$$

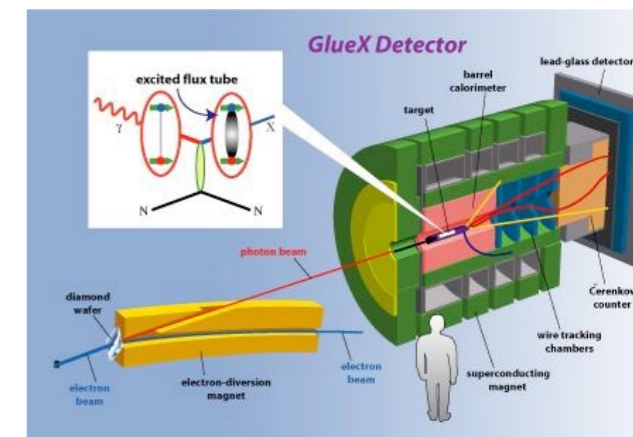
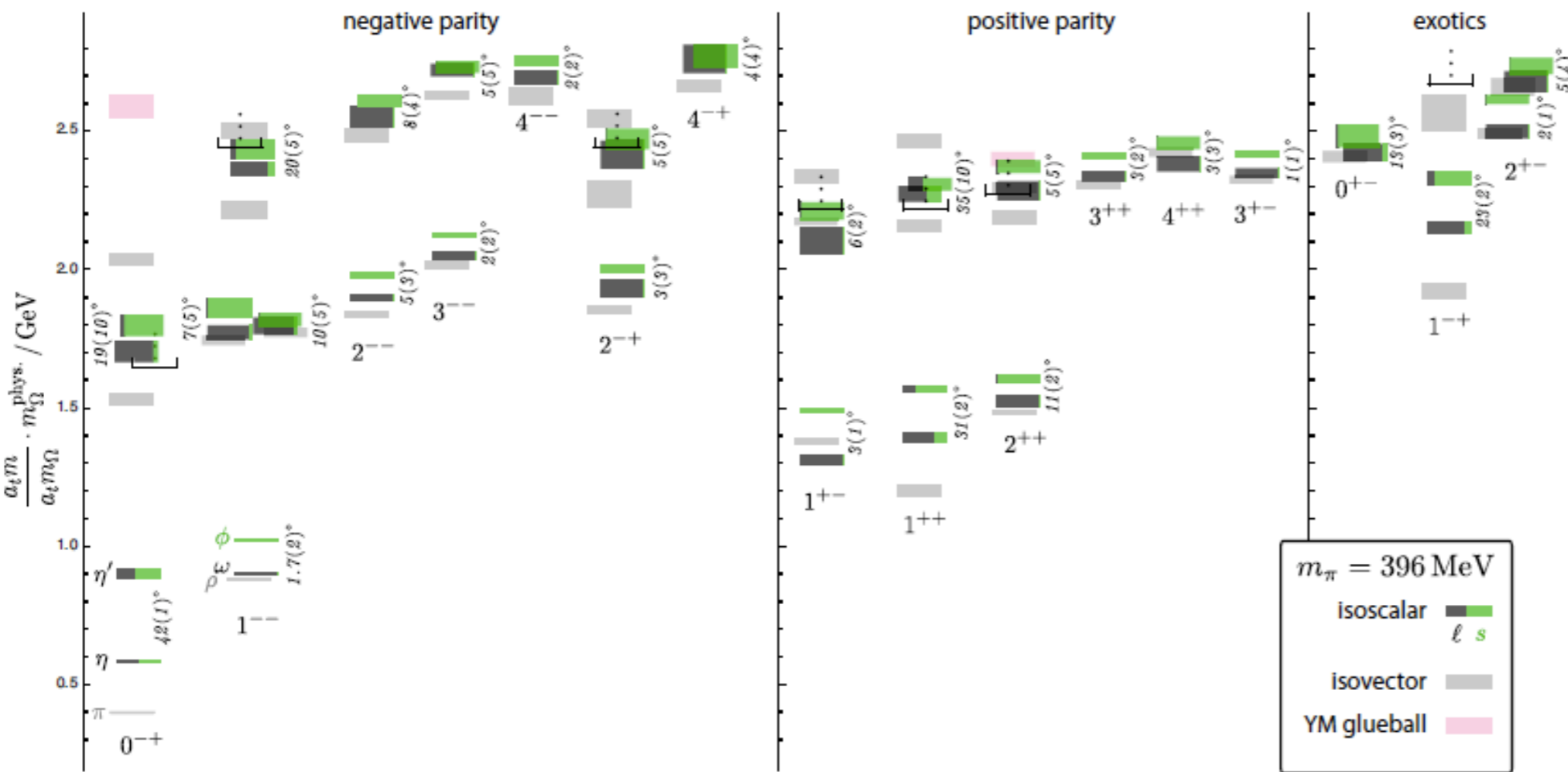
Lattice QCD: Results - Resonances

Dudek *et al*, Phys.Rev. D87 (2013) 3, 034505



ρ - resonance successfully determined

Lattice QCD: Results - Excited Meson Spectrum



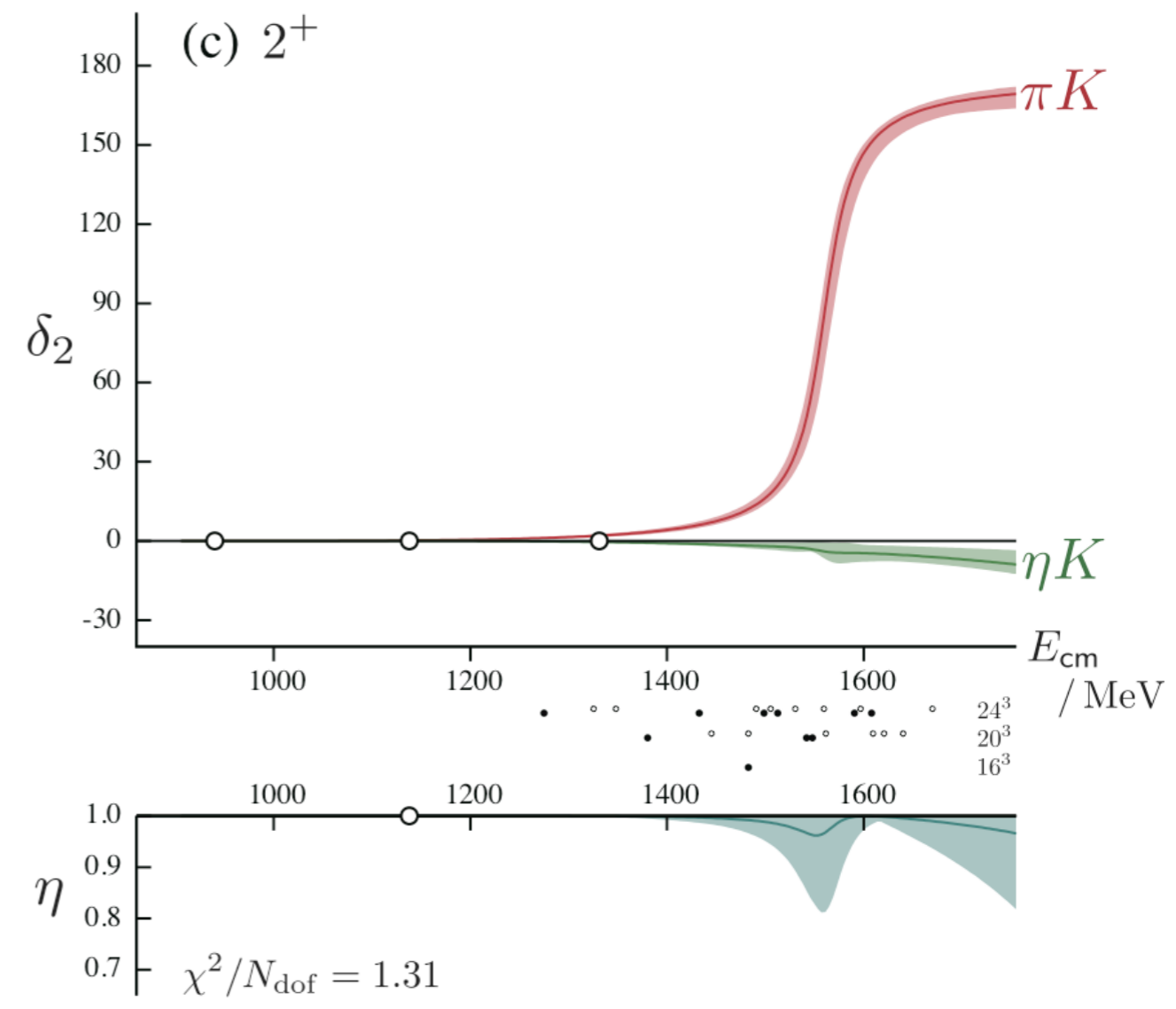
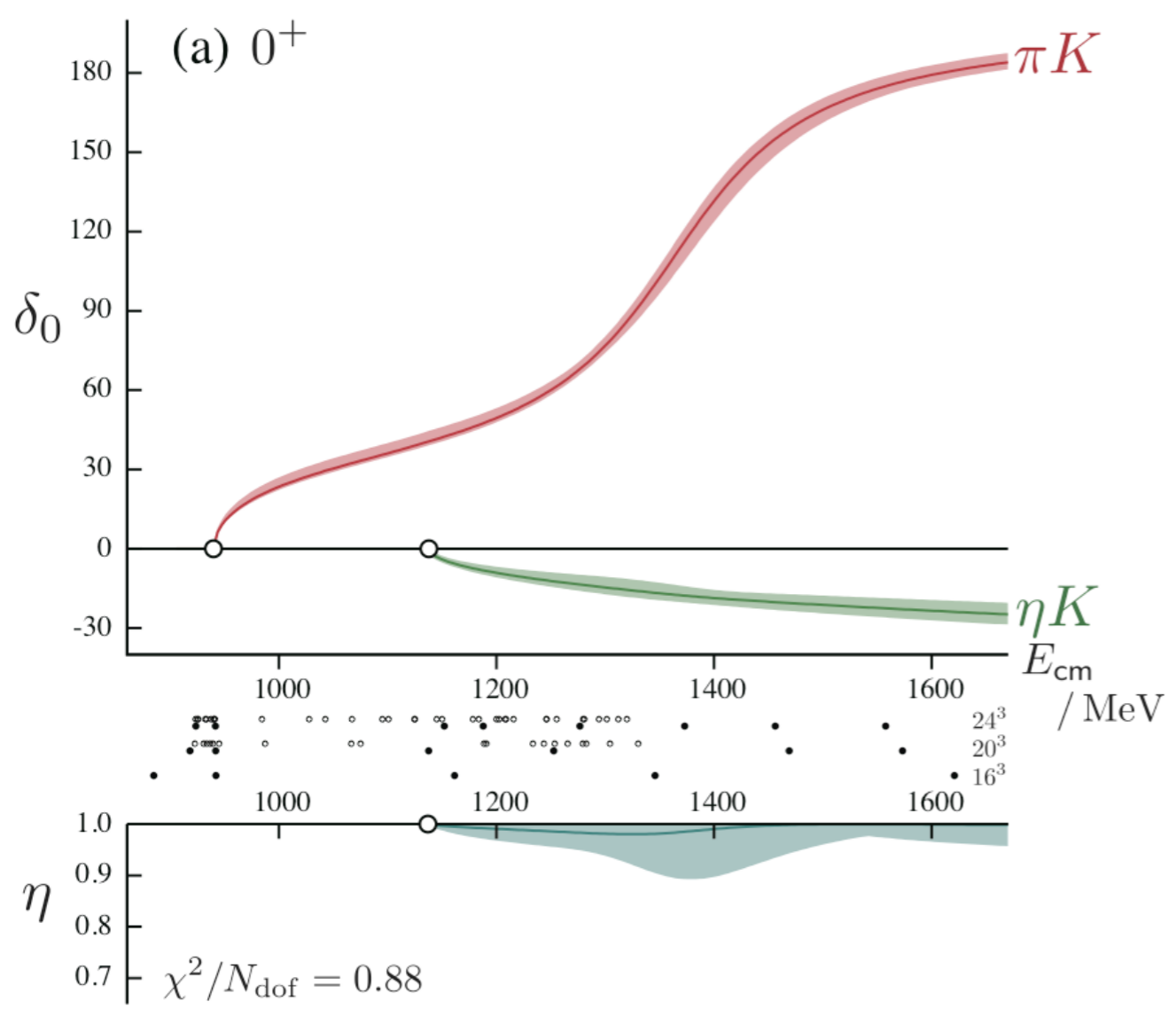
Dudek *et al* , arXiv: 1102.4299

Lattice QCD will predict the exotic spectrum before or during the GlueX experiment

Lattice QCD: Results - Coupled Channels

$m_\pi \sim 390$ MeV **Jefferson Lab**

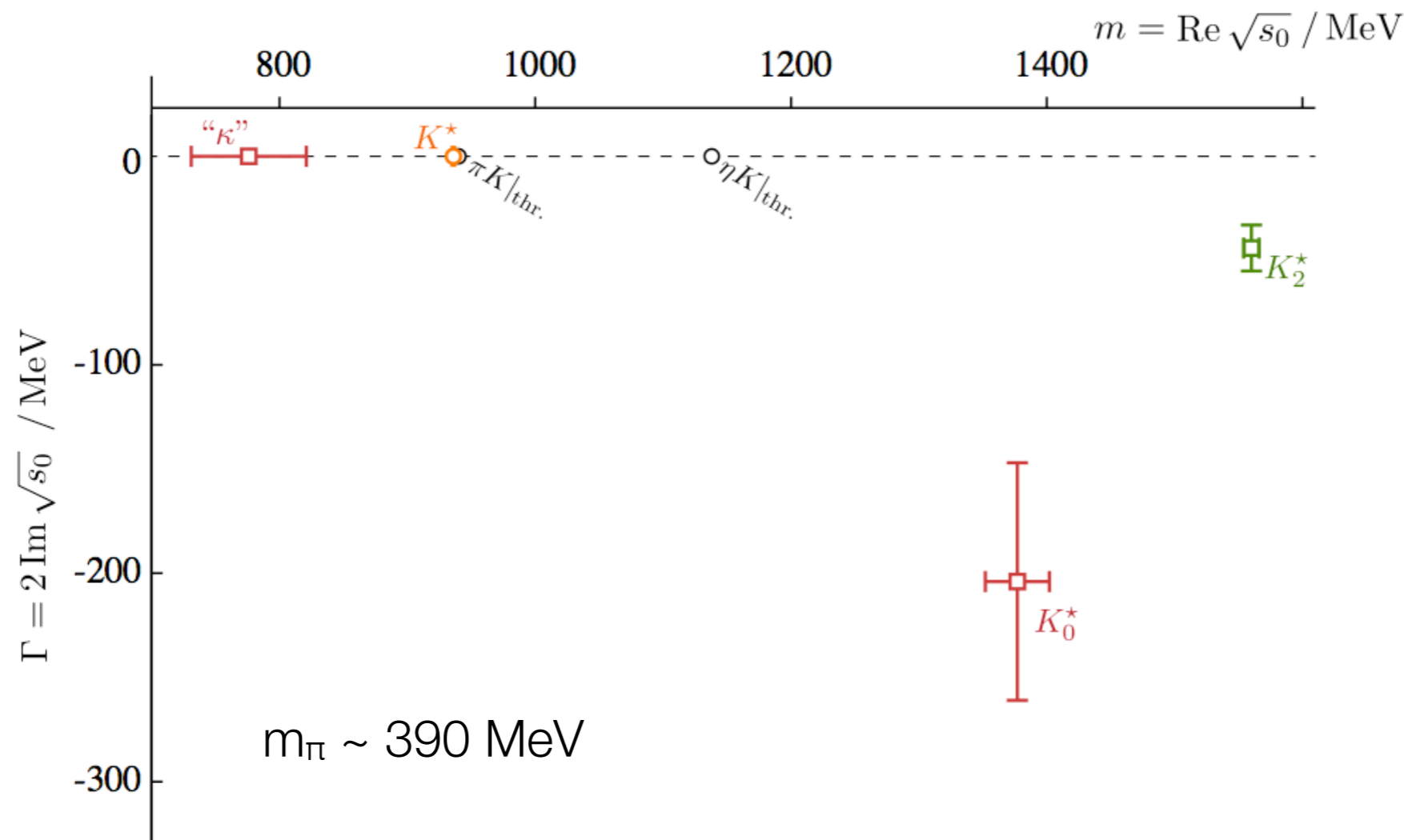
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- Parameterization of the T-matrix required
- Regions include systematics from many different params.

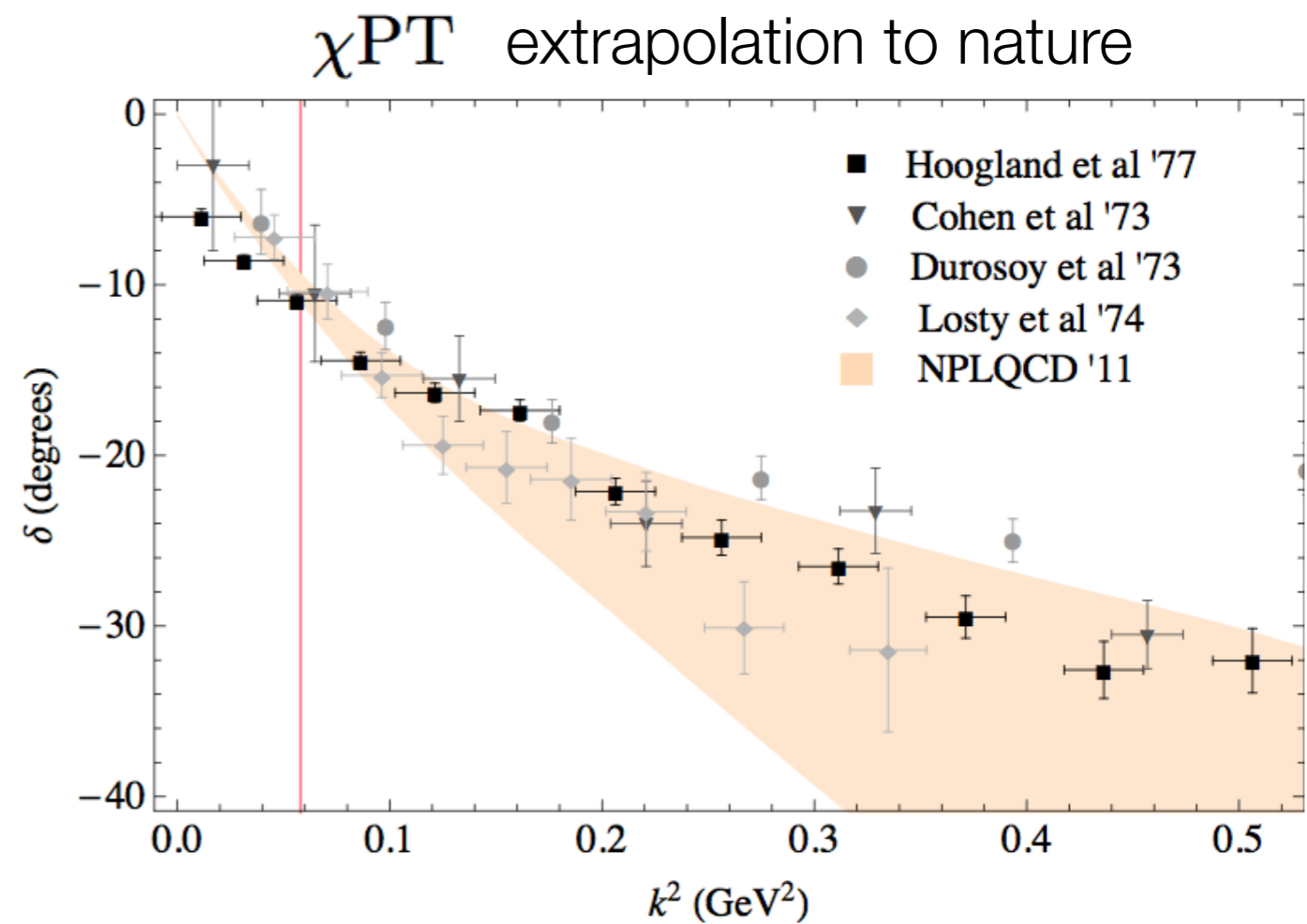
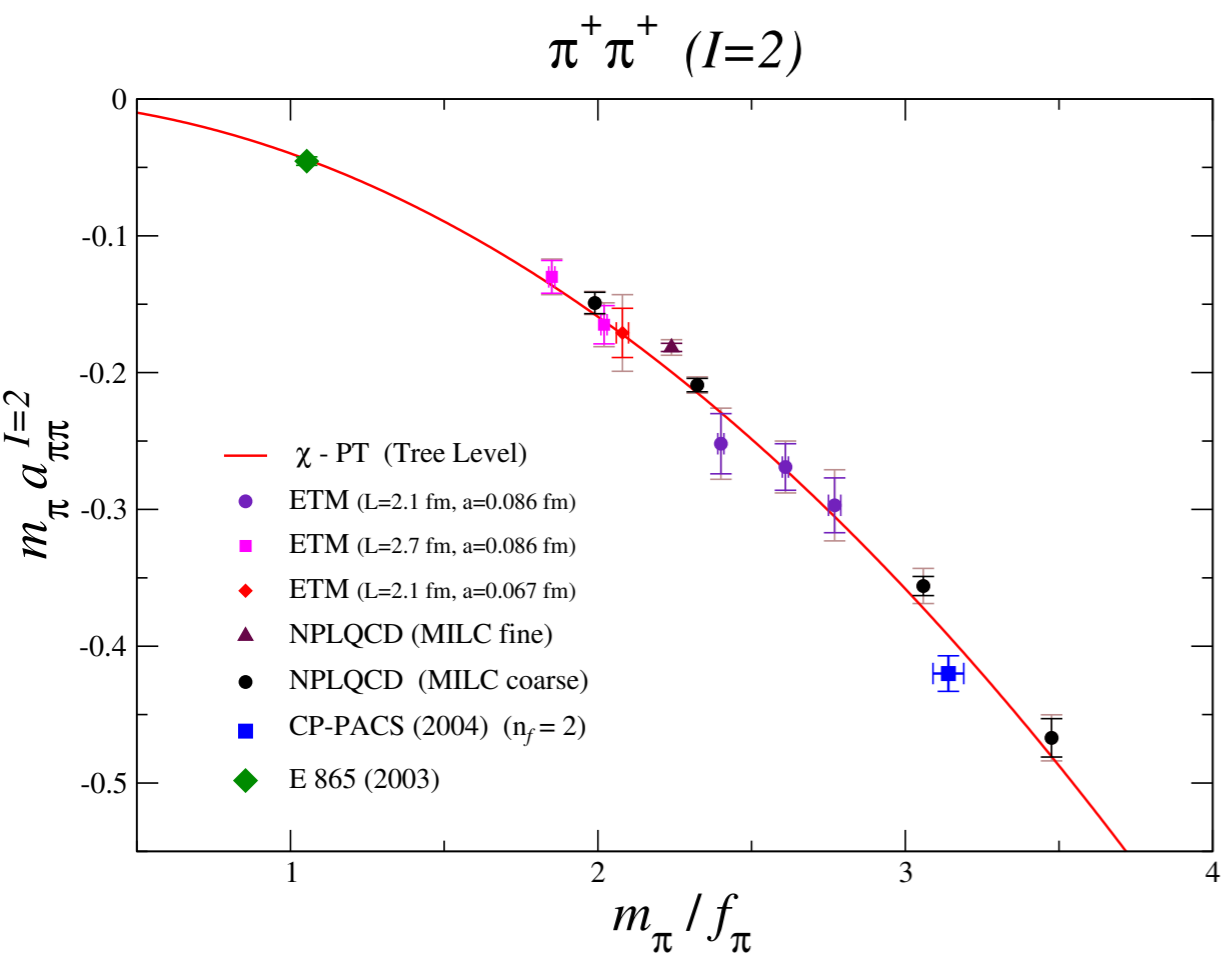
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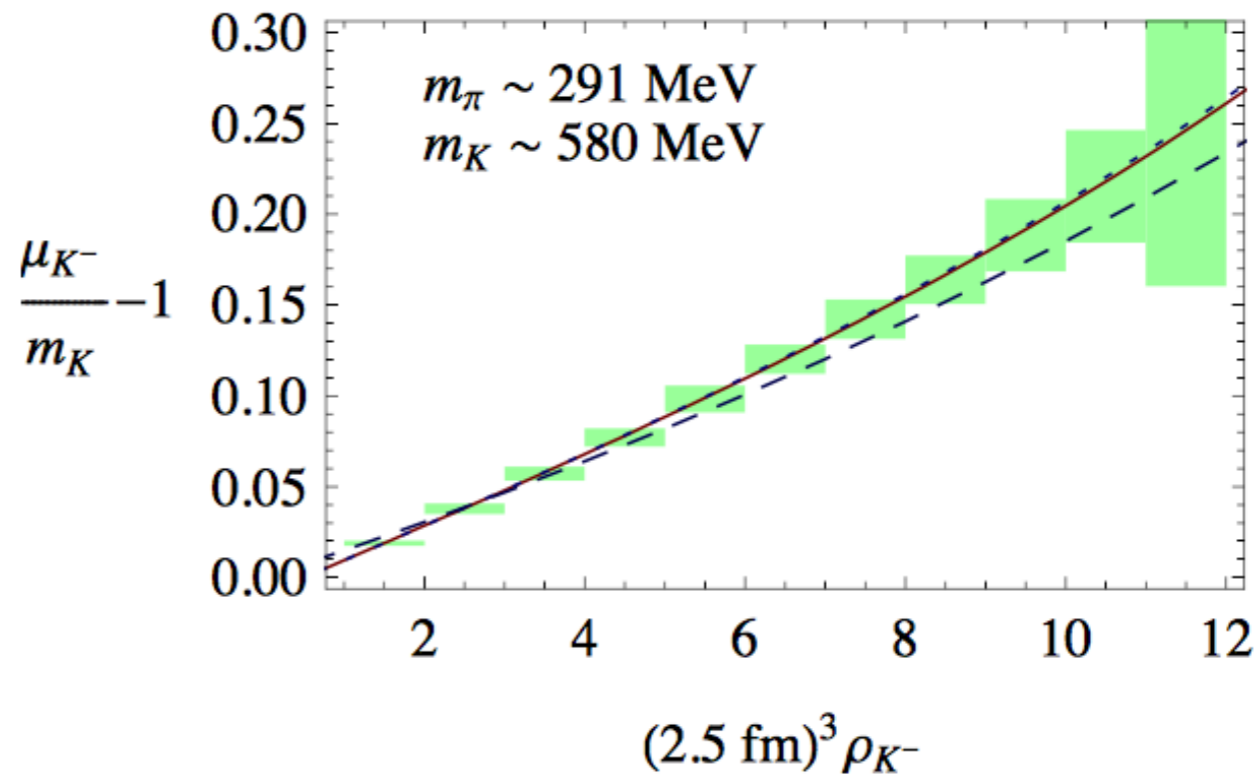
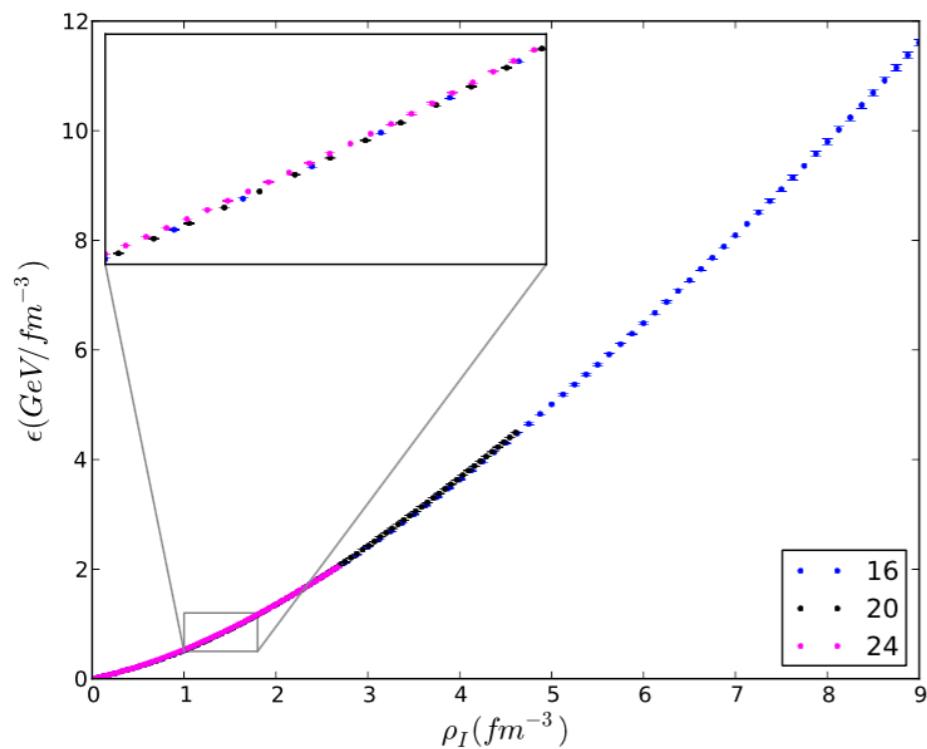


- Bound states and Resonances from T-matrix
- QCD predictions at these quark masses
- Efforts to extend to multi-hadron coupled channels
- Extended to KK systems, but less developed

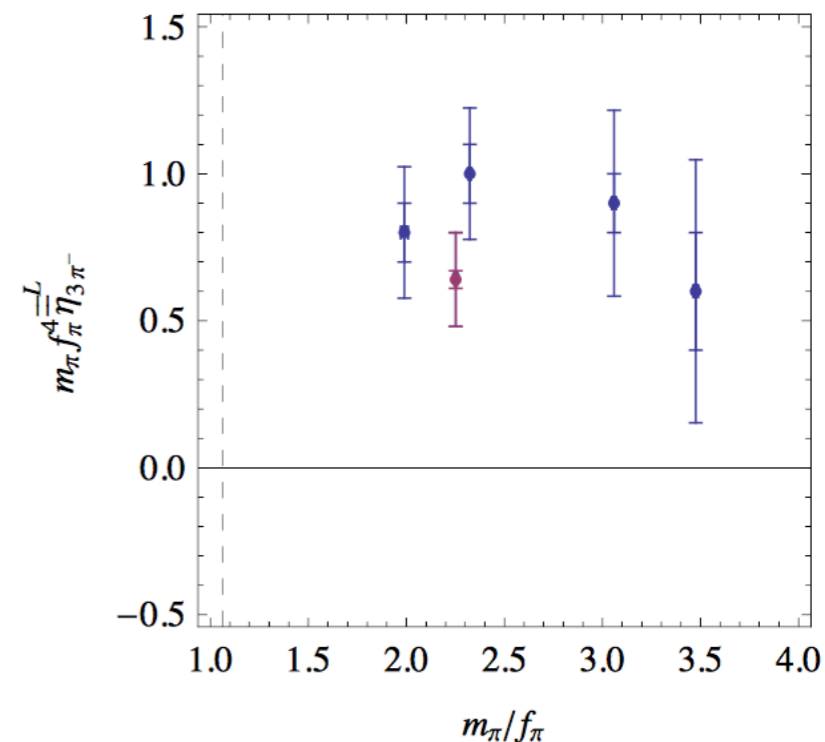
Lattice QCD: Results - I=2 pion-pion Scattering



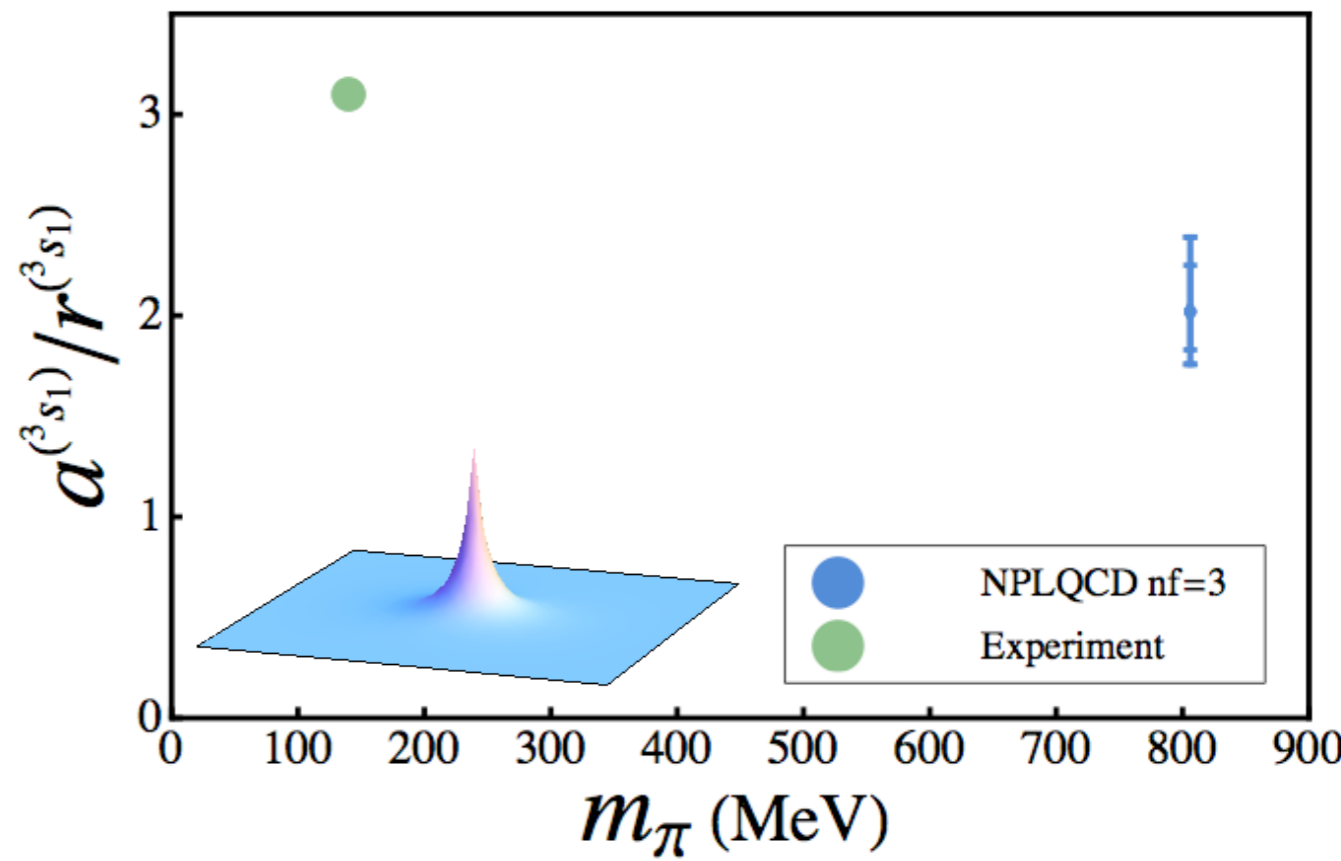
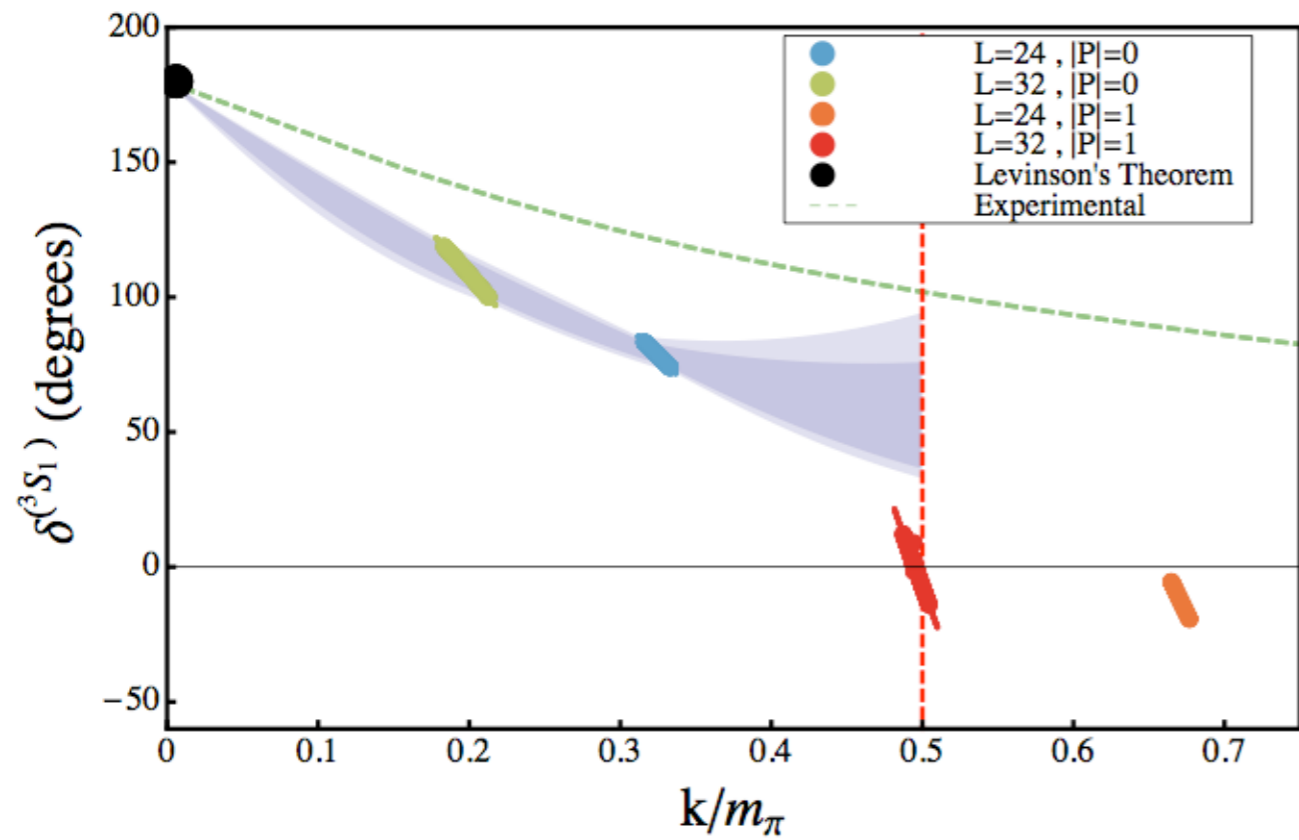
Lattice QCD: Results - Multi-Meson Systems



$$\Delta E_n = \frac{4\pi \bar{a}}{M L^3} {}^n C_2 \left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{\bar{a}}{\pi L} \right) \mathcal{I} + \left(\frac{\bar{a}}{\pi L} \right)^2 [\mathcal{I}^2 + (2n - 5)\mathcal{J}] \right. \\ \left. - \left(\frac{\bar{a}}{\pi L} \right)^3 [\mathcal{I}^3 + (2n - 7)\mathcal{I}\mathcal{J} + (5n^2 - 41n + 63)\mathcal{K}] \right. \\ \left. + \left(\frac{\bar{a}}{\pi L} \right)^4 [\mathcal{I}^4 - 6\mathcal{I}^2\mathcal{J} + (4 + n - n^2)\mathcal{J}^2 + 4(27 - 15n + n^2)\mathcal{I}\mathcal{K} \right. \\ \left. + (14n^3 - 227n^2 + 919n - 1043)\mathcal{L}] \right\} \\ + {}^n C_3 \left[\frac{192 \bar{a}^5}{M\pi^3 L^7} (\mathcal{T}_0 + \mathcal{T}_1 n) + \frac{6\pi \bar{a}^3}{M^3 L^7} (n + 3) \mathcal{I} \right] \\ + {}^n C_3 \frac{1}{L^6} \bar{\eta}_3^L + \mathcal{O}(L^{-8}),$$



Lattice QCD: Results - Nucleon-Nucleon Scattering

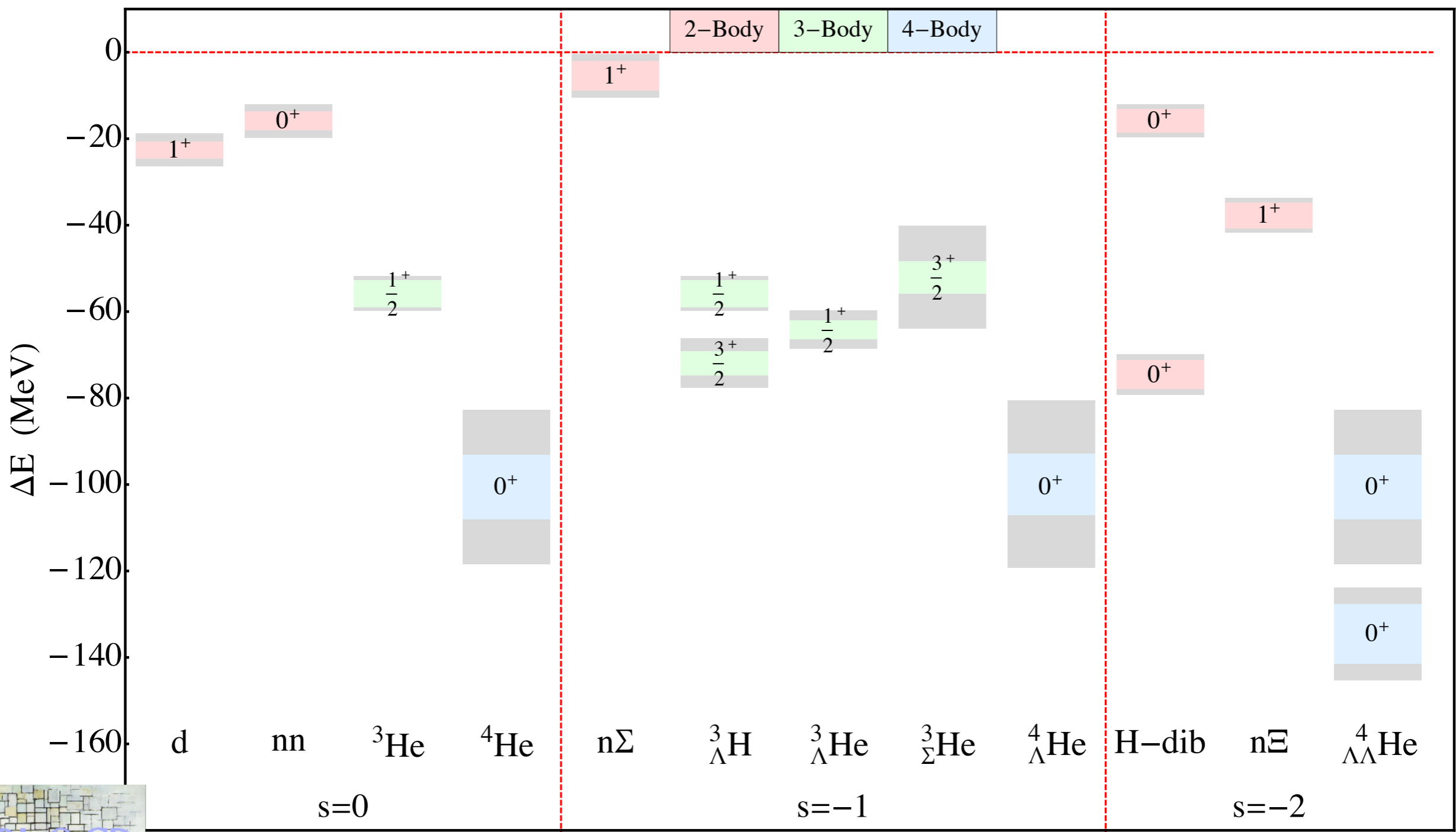


$m_\pi \sim 800$ MeV

Deuteron appears to be unnatural but not finely-tuned ??
Generic feature of YM with $n_f=3$



Lattice QCD: Results - Nuclei



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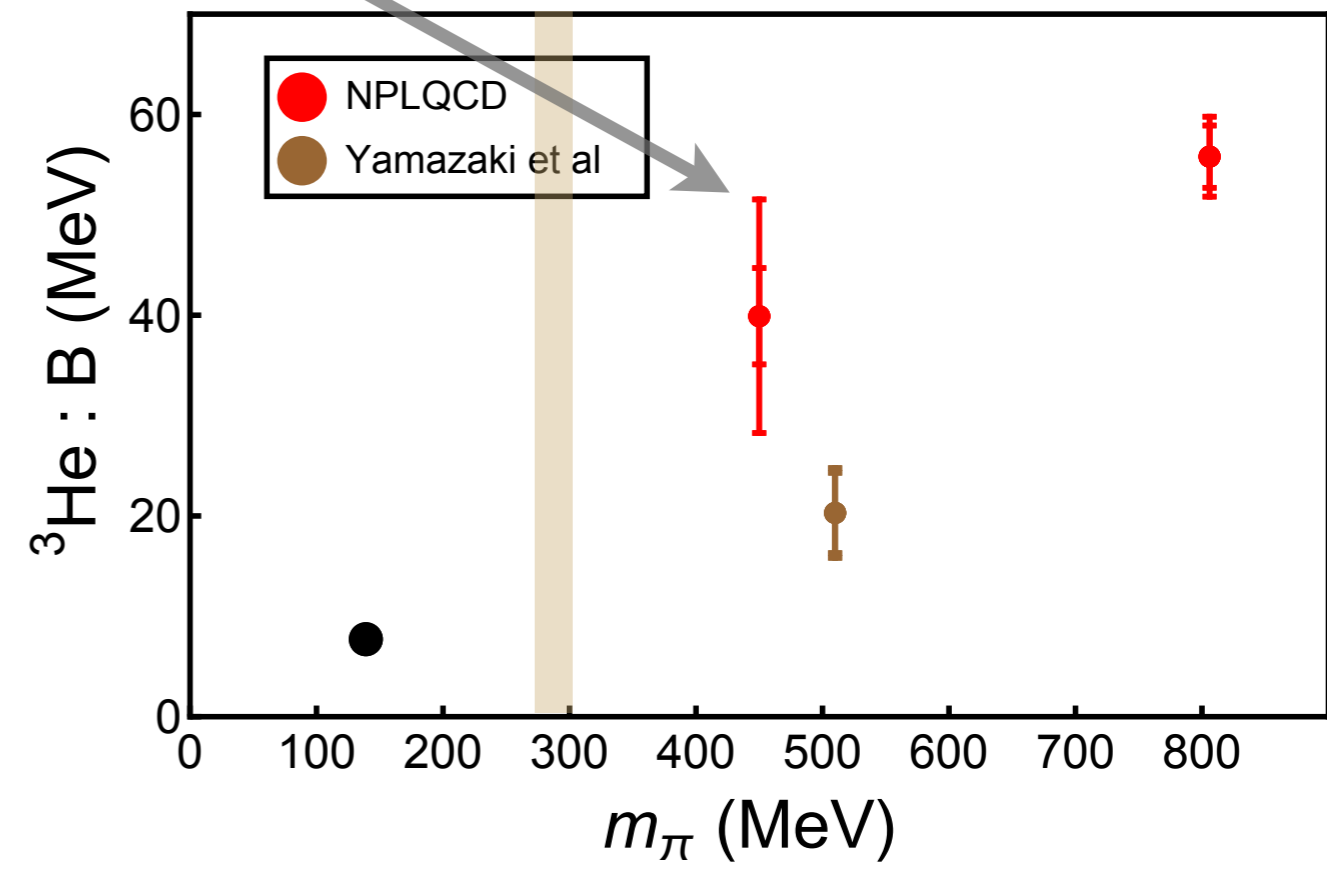
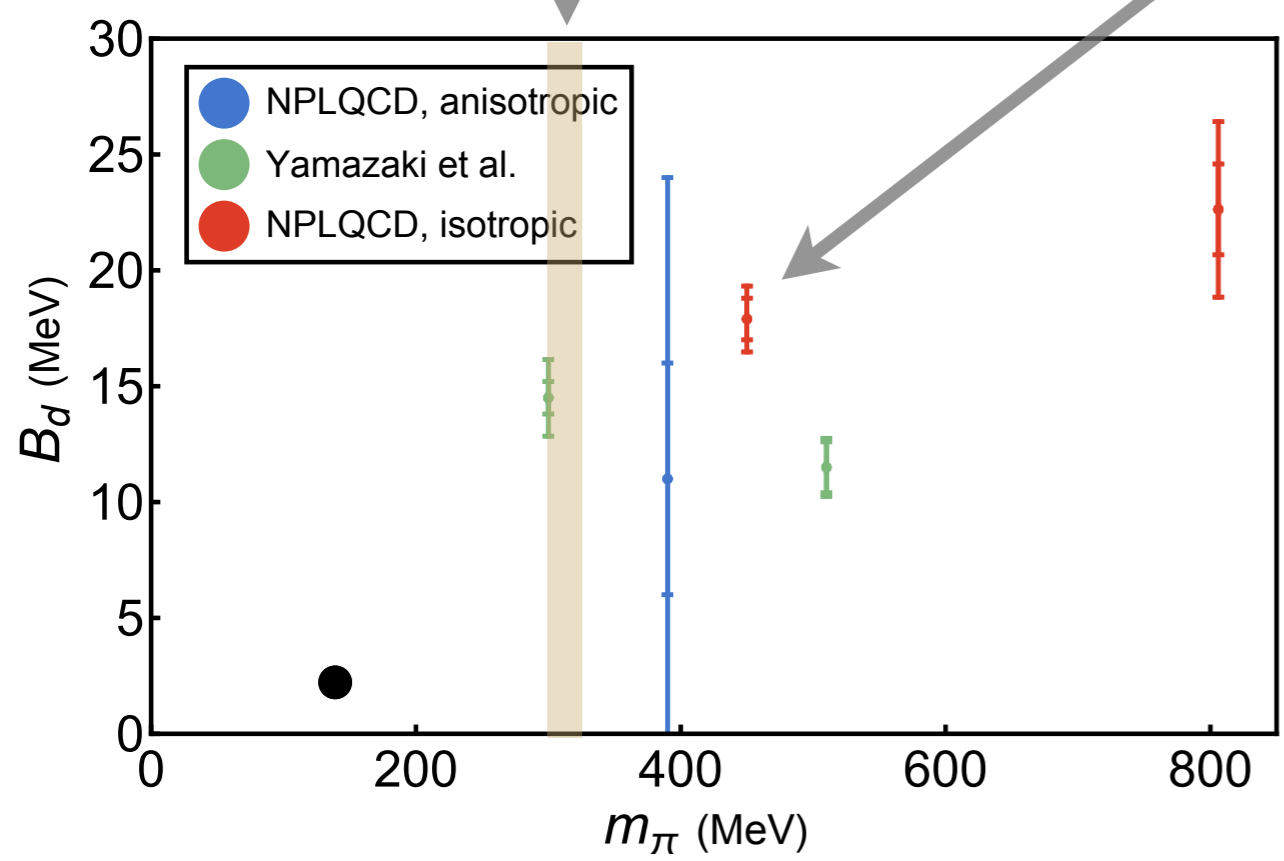


Lattice QCD:

Results - Nuclei - Quark-Mass Dependence

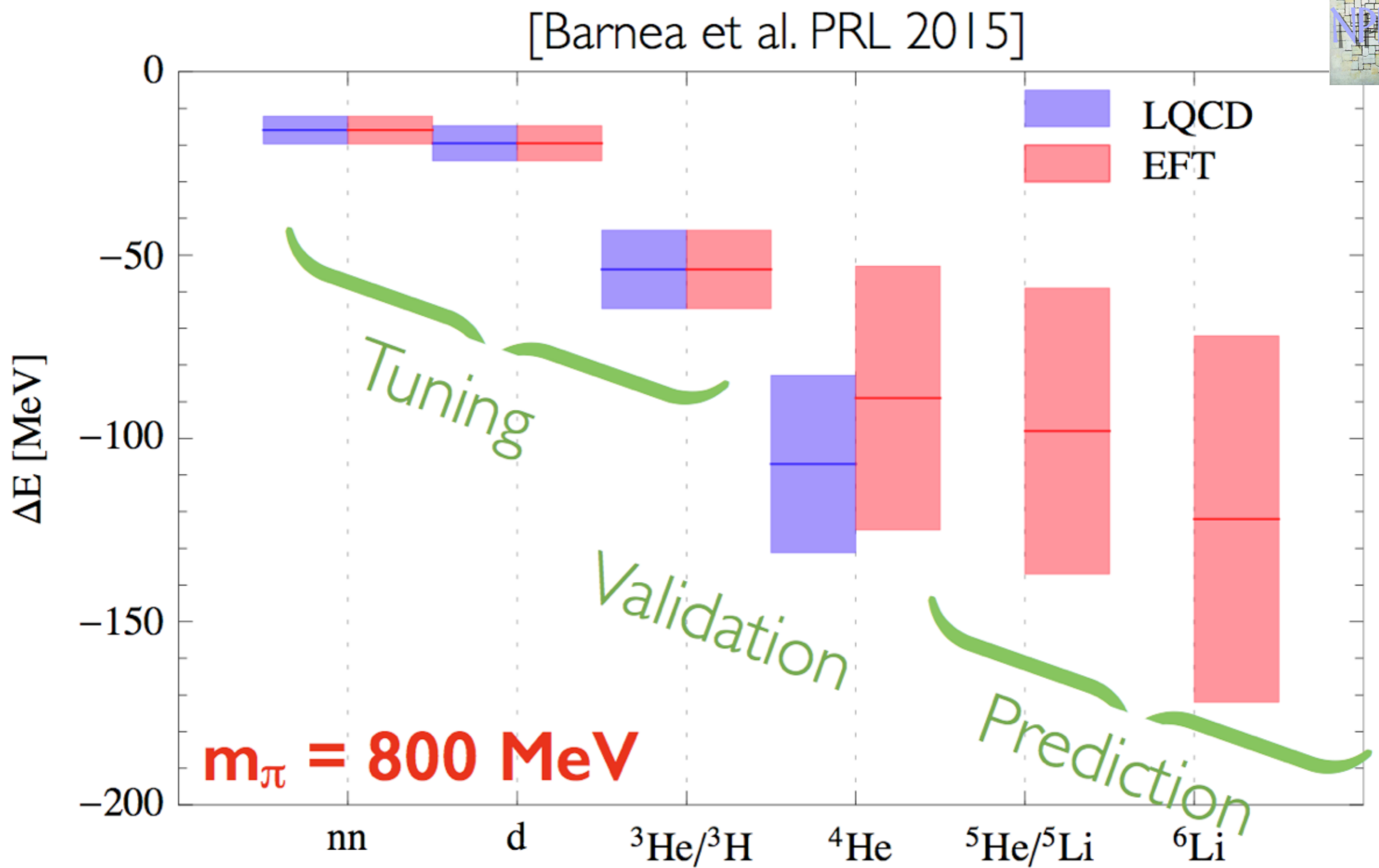
current production

preliminary



Lattice QCD:

Results - Nuclei - Toward the Periodic Table



Lattice QCD:

Results - Nuclei - Dark Matter Interactions(?)

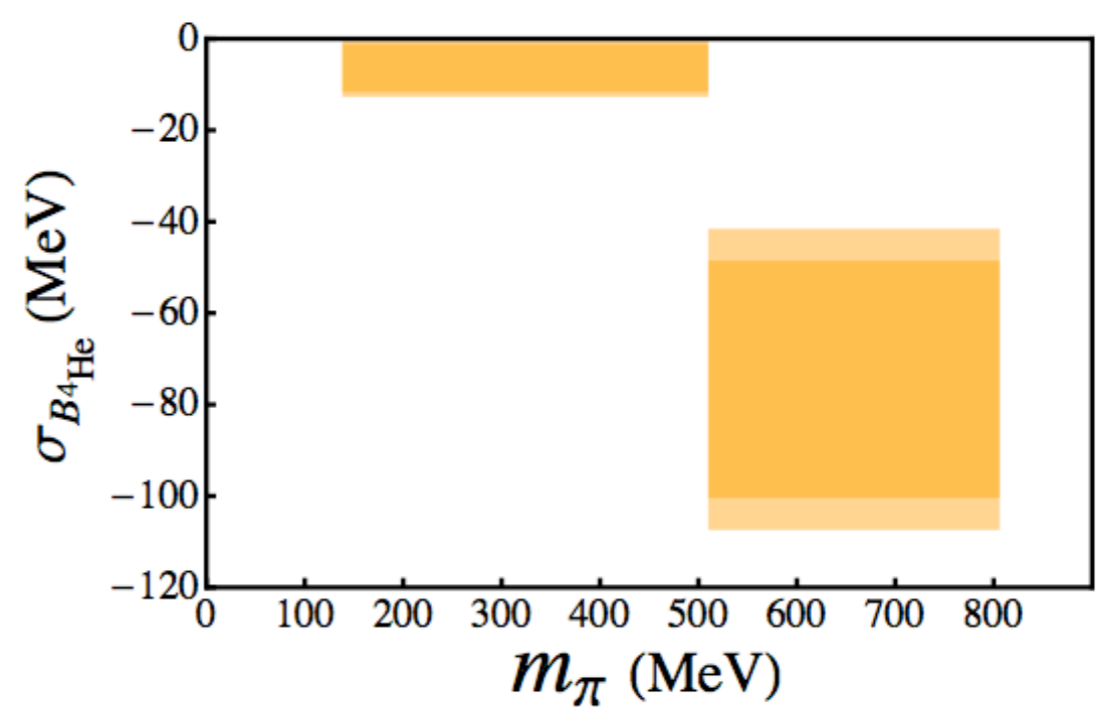
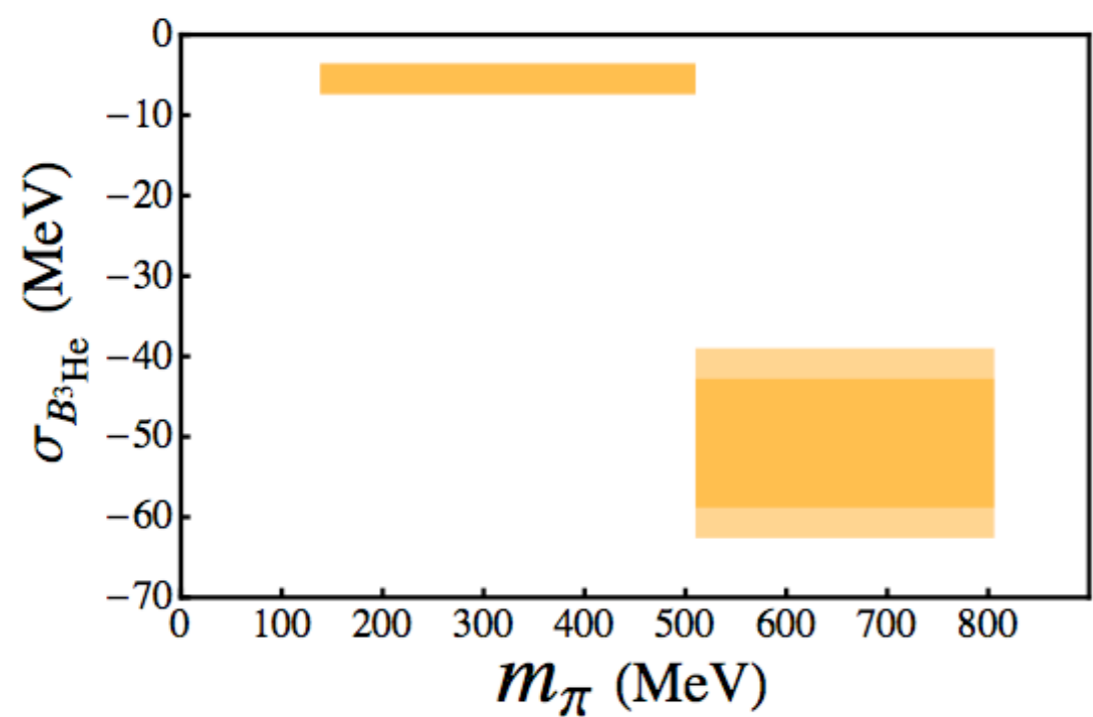
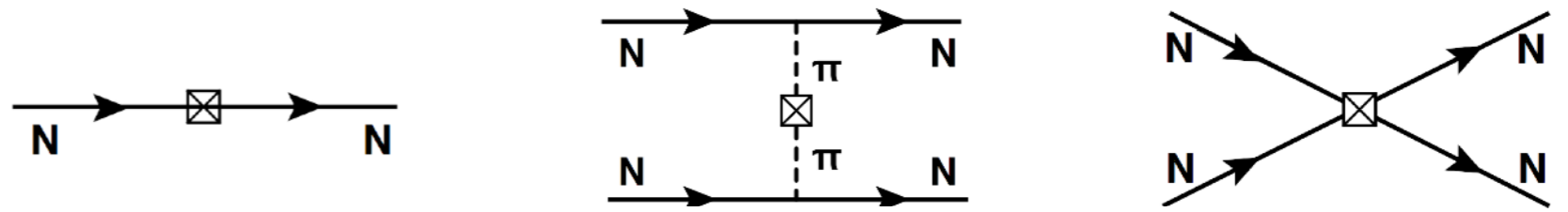
Nuclear σ -terms

(Beane *et al*, Phys.Rev. D89 (2014) 074505)

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{Z,N} &= \bar{m} \langle Z, N(\text{gs}) | \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d | Z, N(\text{gs}) \rangle = \bar{m} \frac{d}{d\bar{m}} E_{Z,N}^{(\text{gs})} \\ &= \left[1 + \mathcal{O}(m_\pi^2) \right] \frac{m_\pi}{2} \frac{d}{dm_\pi} E_{Z,N}^{(\text{gs})} \end{aligned}$$



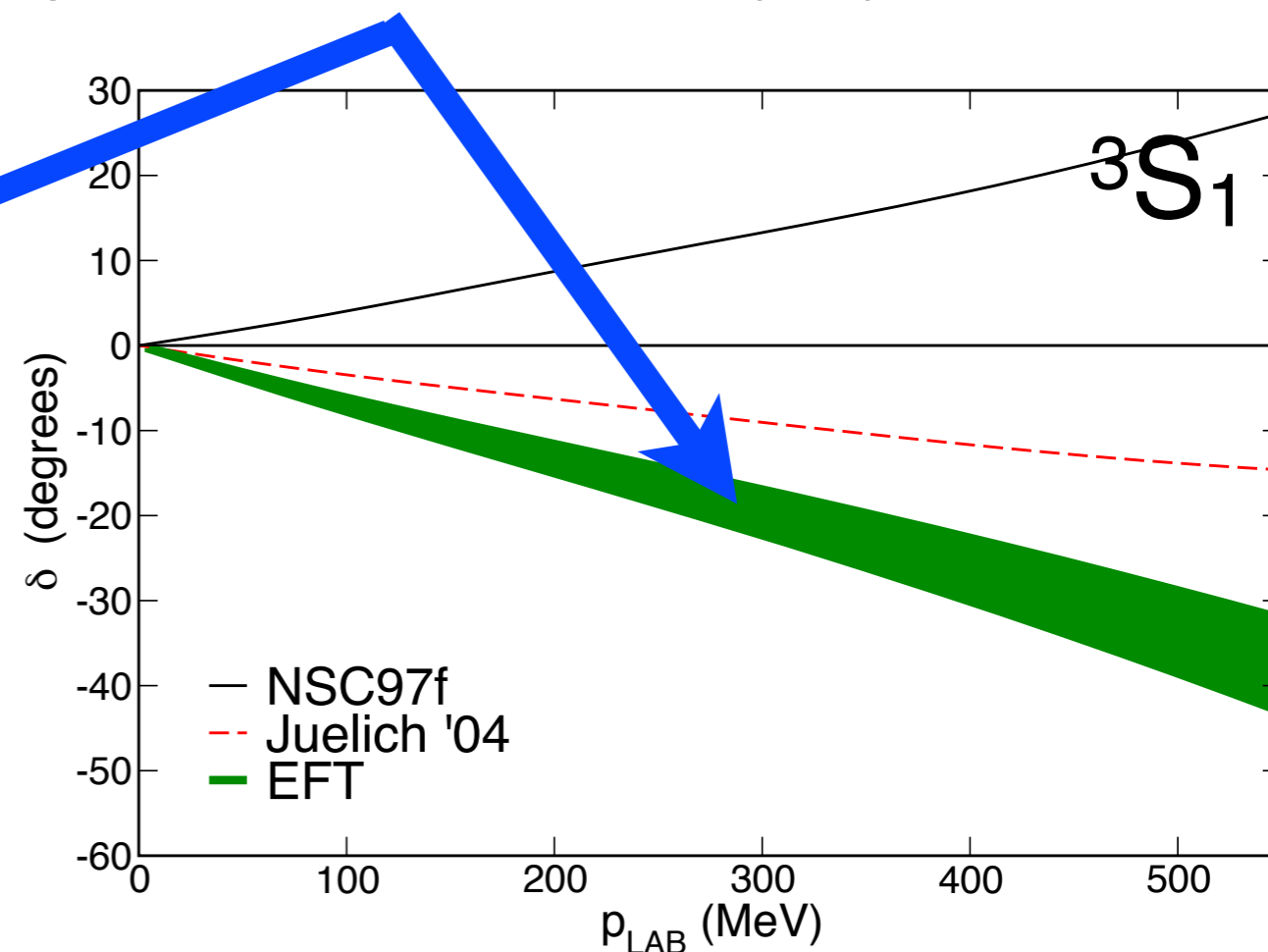
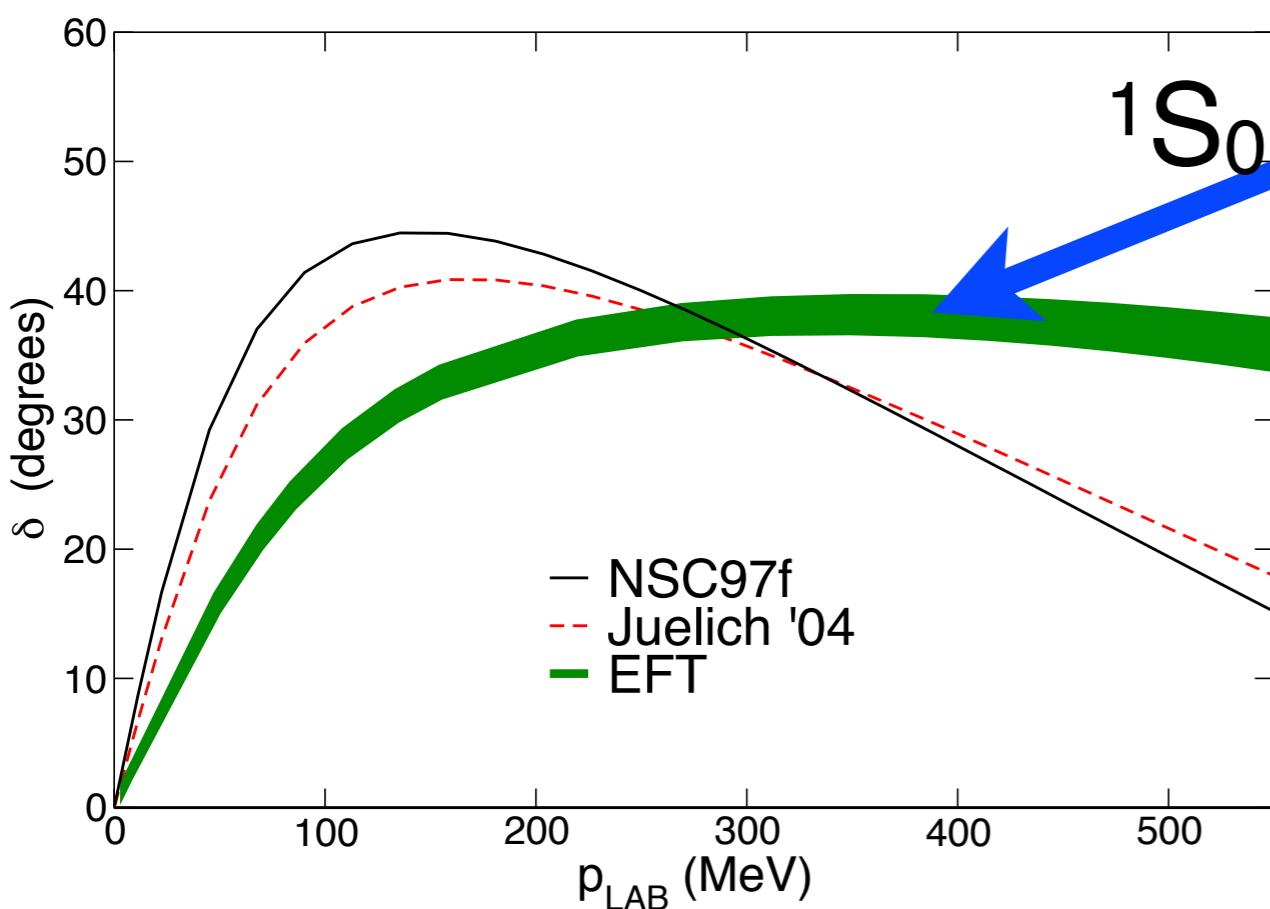
σ -term from binding only



Lattice QCD:

Results - Hyperon-Nucleon Interactions

Meissner+Haidenbauer - Experiment + YN-EFT (LO)

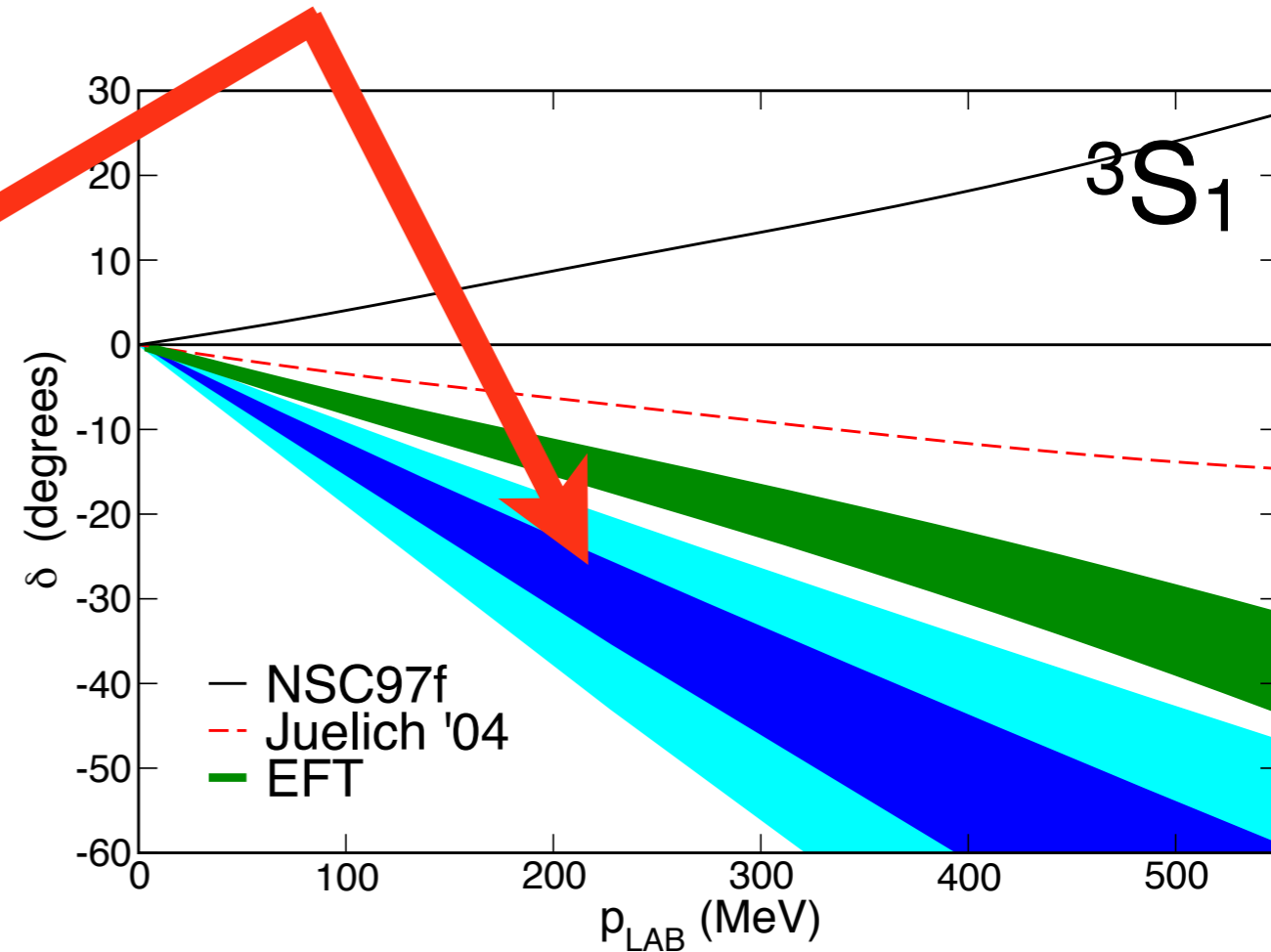
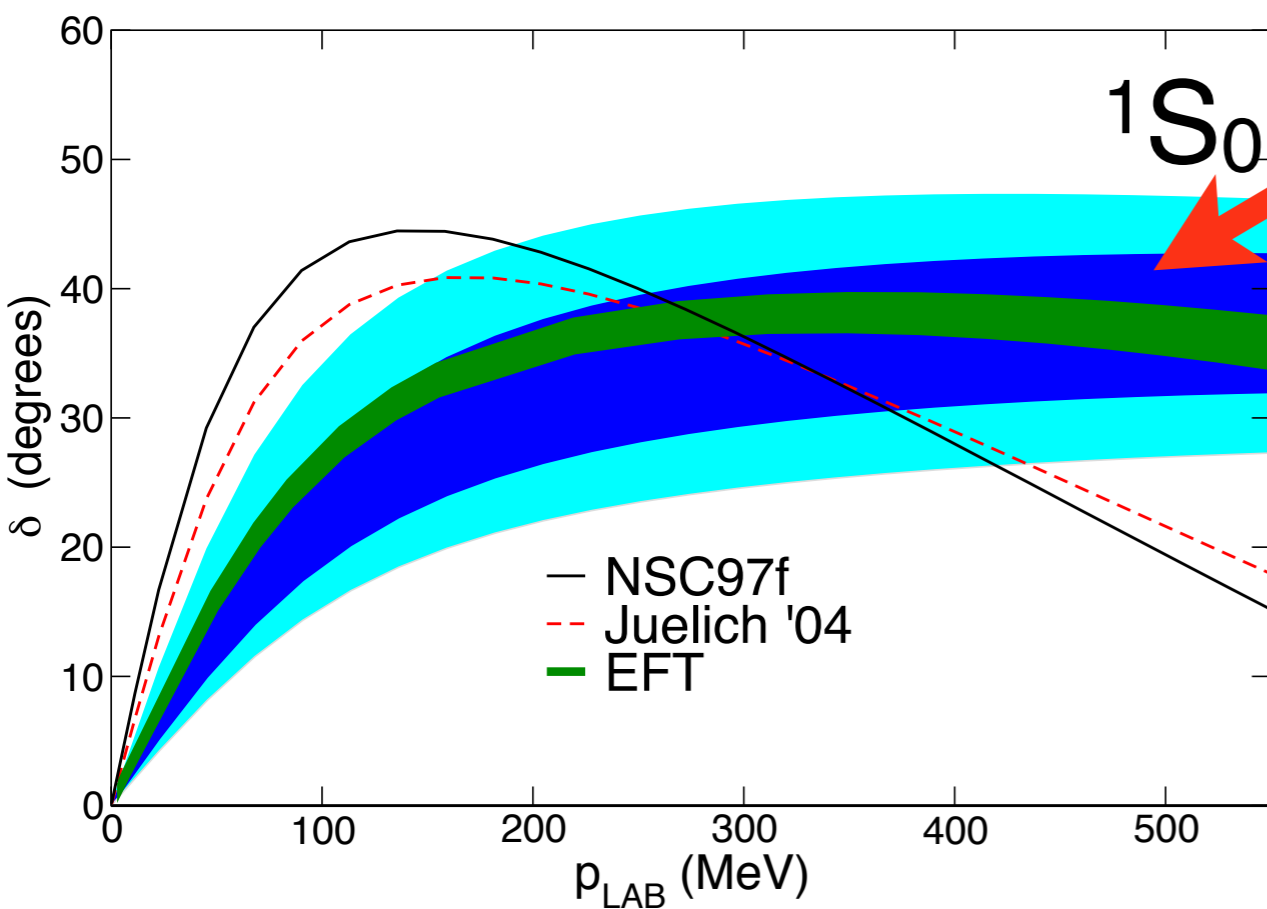


Cancellation between channels in dense matter
energy-shift of hyperon

Lattice QCD:

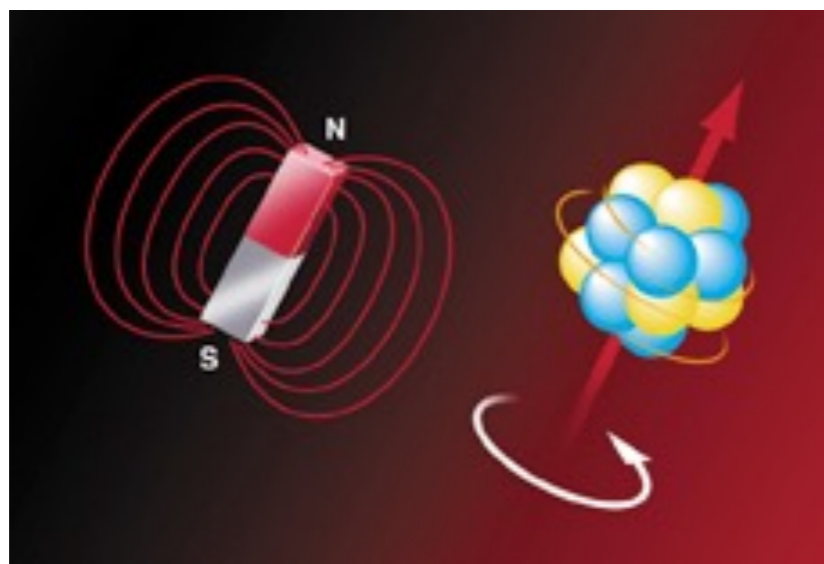
Results - Hyperon-Nucleon Interactions

NPLQCD - Lattice QCD + YN-EFT (LO)



Cancellation between channels in dense matter
 energy-shift of hyperon

Lattice QCD: Results - Nuclear Magnetic Moments



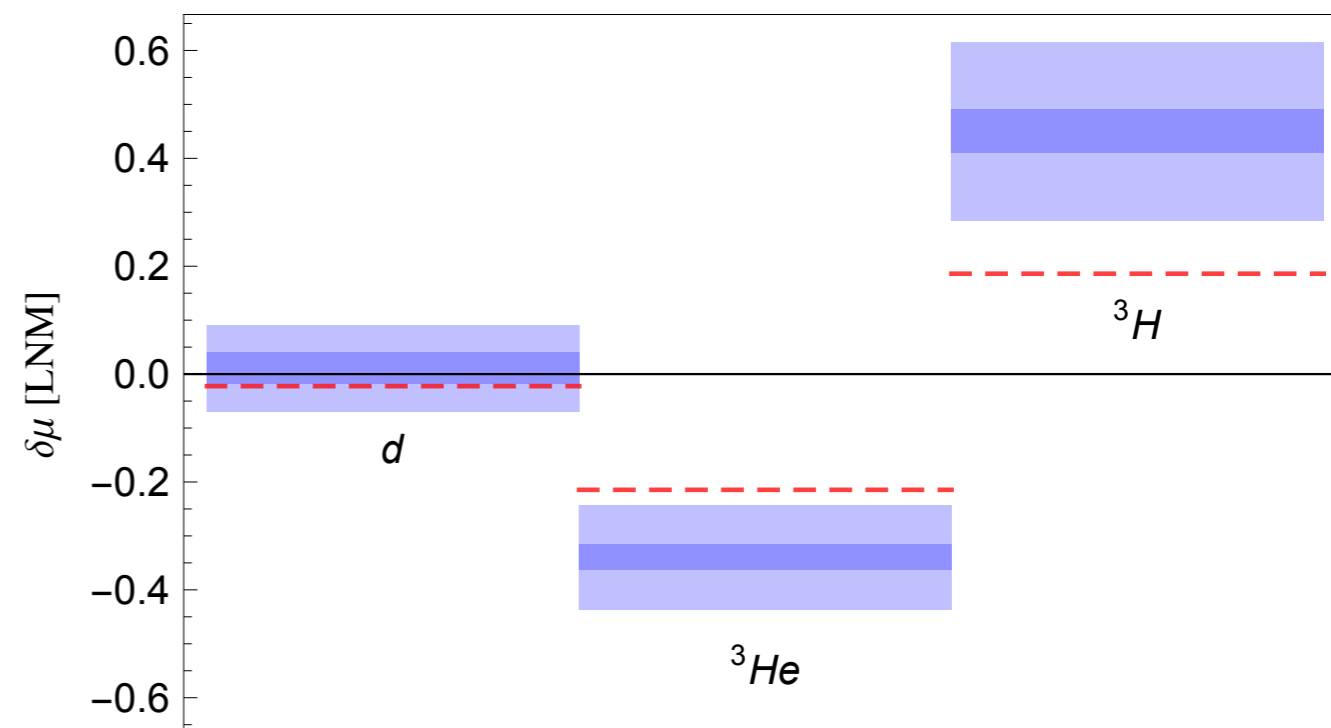
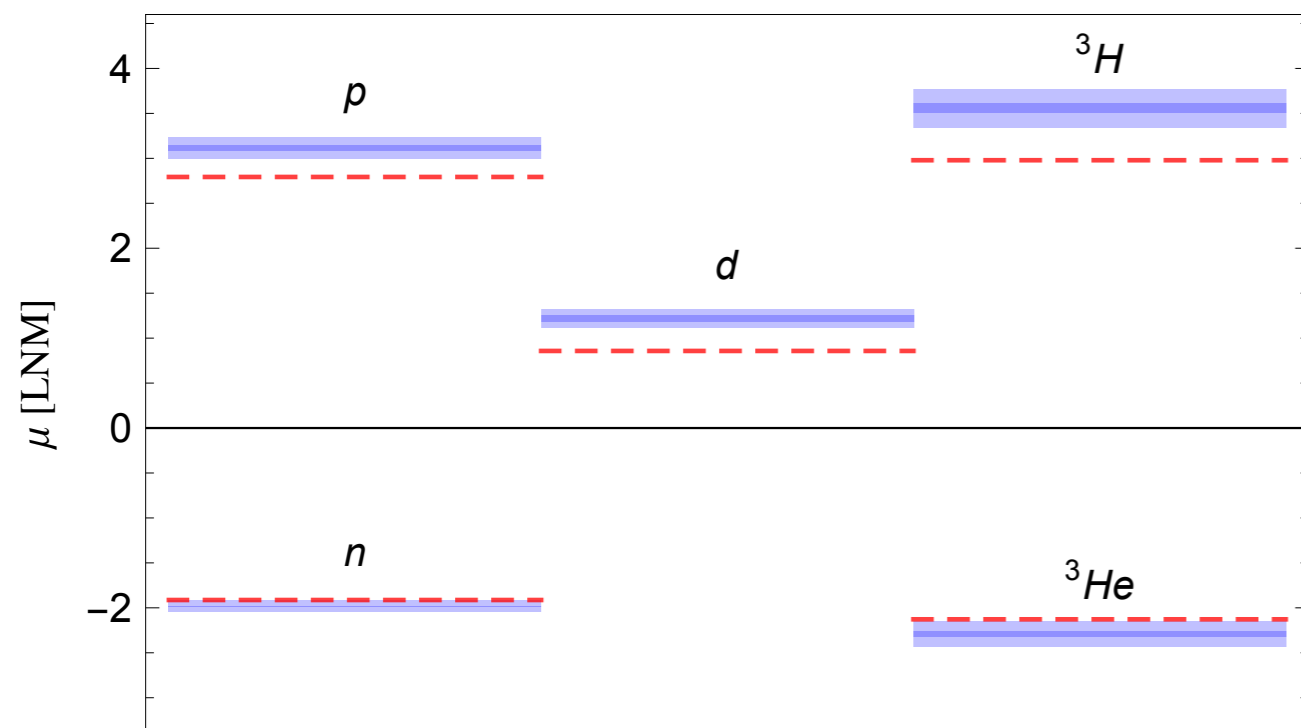
Magnetic moments of light nuclei from lattice quantum chromodynamics

S.R. Beane, E. Chang, S. Cohen, W. Detmold, H.W. Lin, K. Orginos, A. Parreno, M.J. Savage, B.C. Tiburzi

Published in *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 113 (2014) 25, 252001

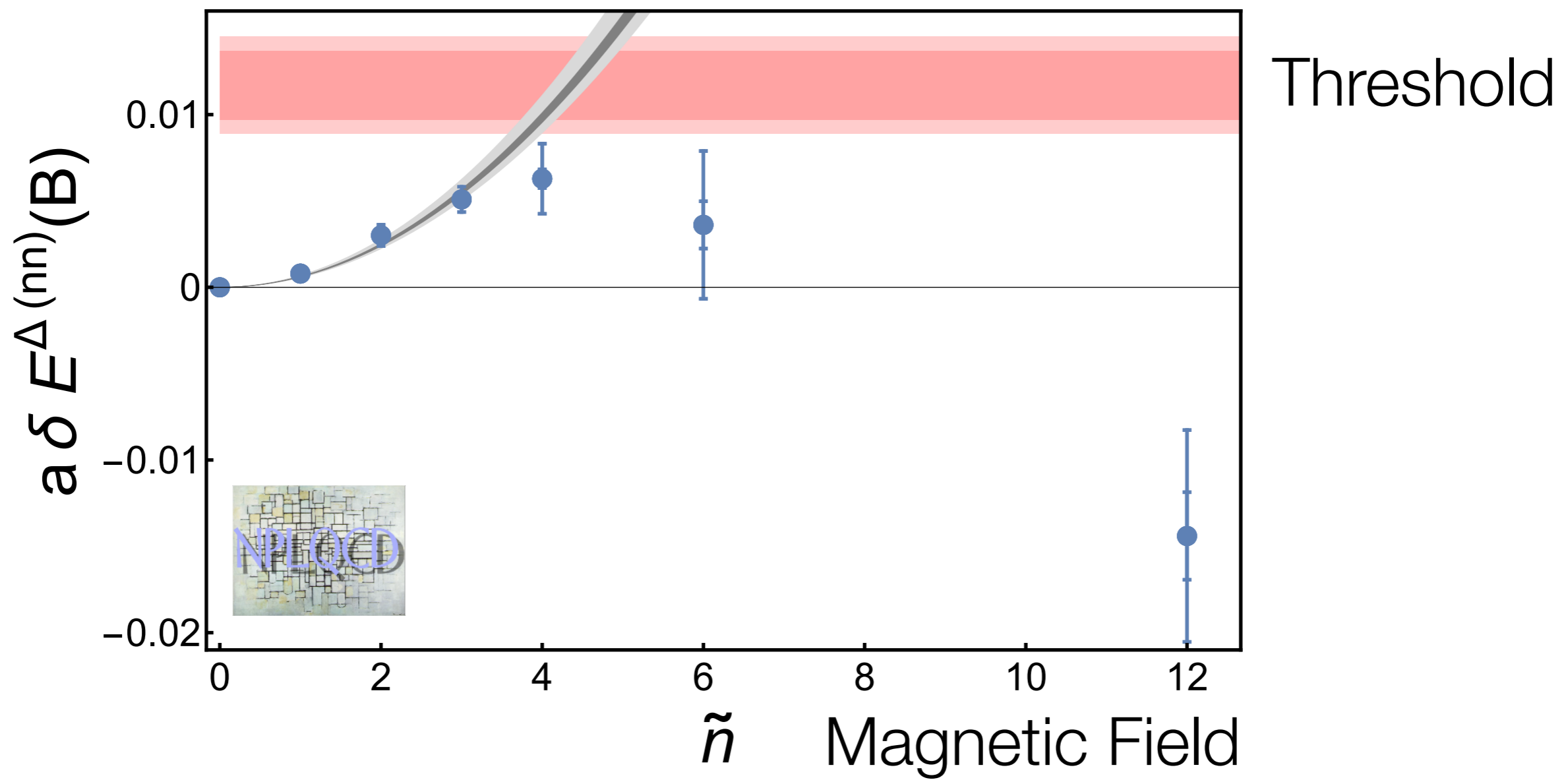
e-Print: [arXiv:1409.3556](https://arxiv.org/abs/1409.3556) [hep-lat]

$m_\pi \sim 800 \text{ MeV}$ Vs Nature

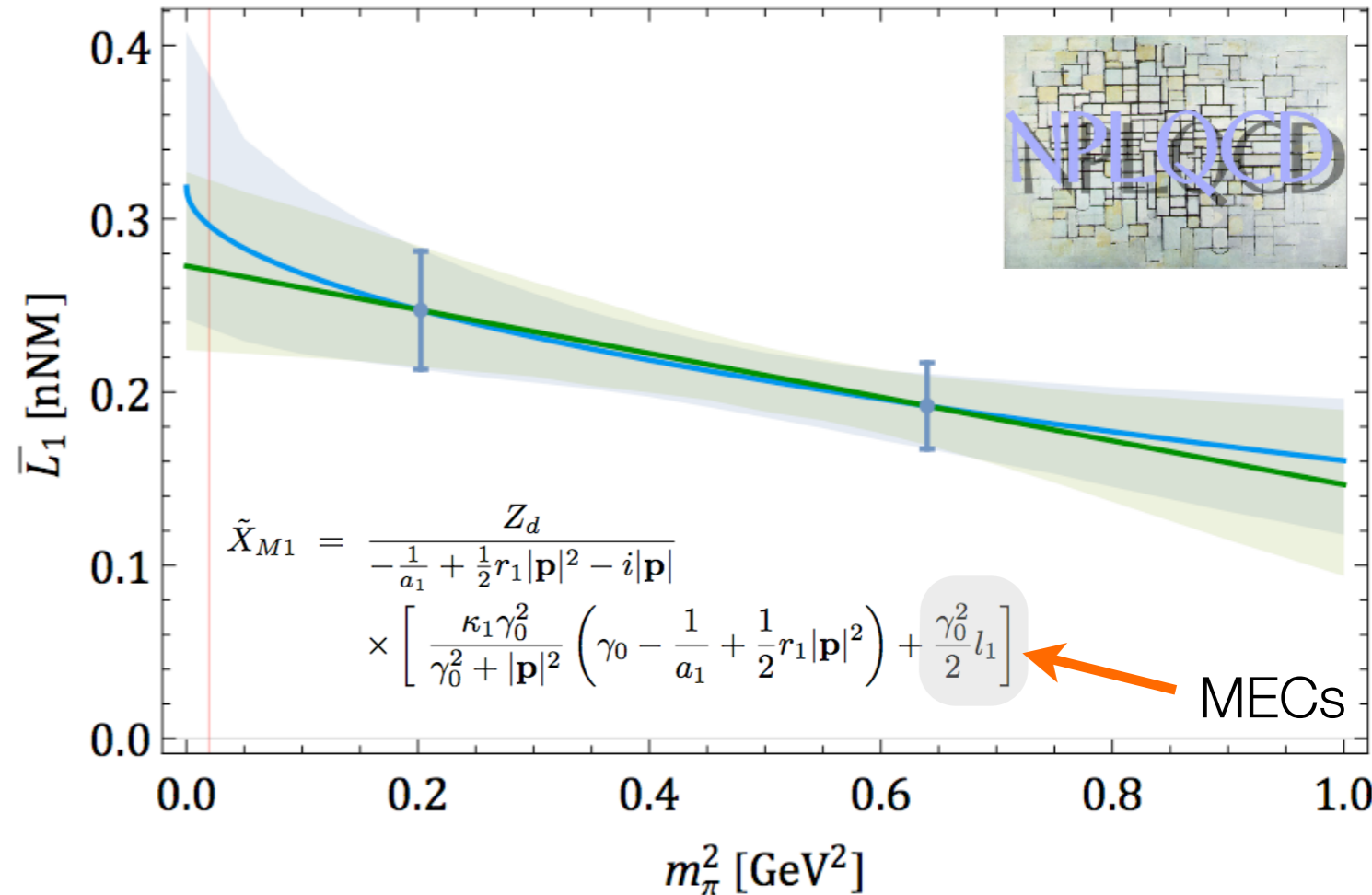
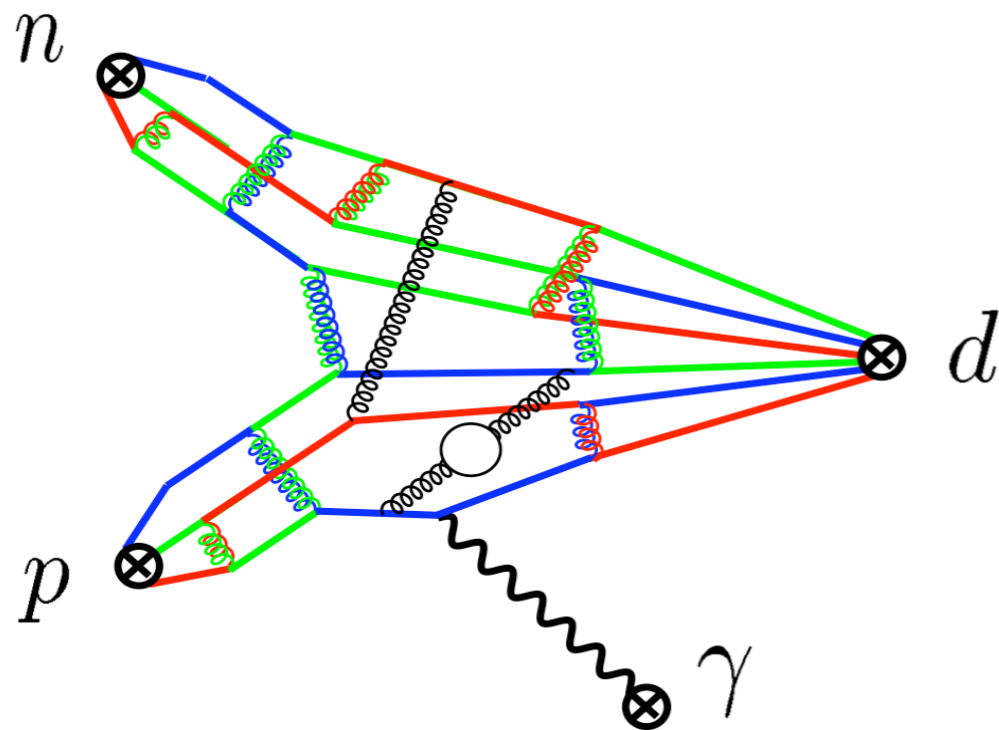


Nuclei are collections of nucleons
- shell model phenomenology!

Lattice QCD: Results - A Feshbach Resonance!



Lattice QCD: Results - $np \rightarrow d\gamma$

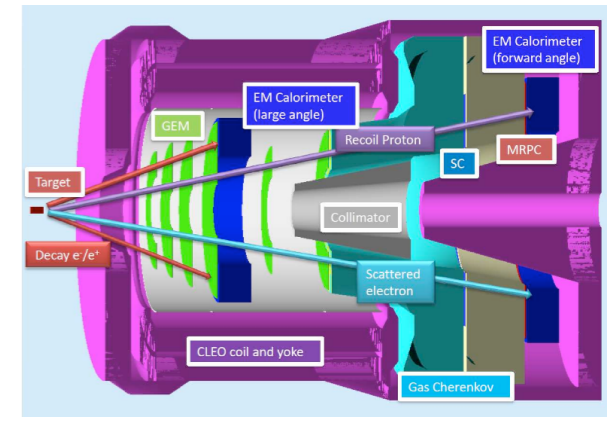
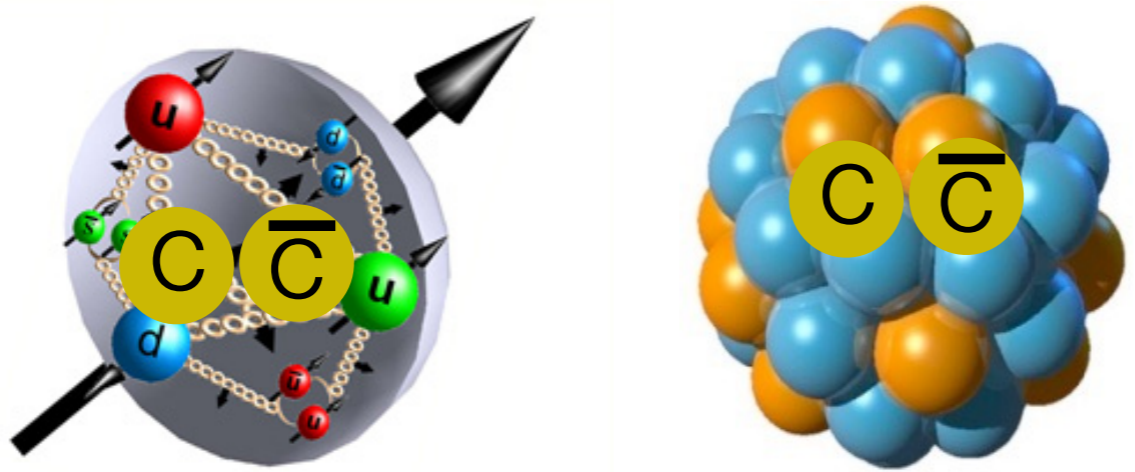


prediction at the physical point (verification) :

$$\sigma^{\text{lqcd}} = 332.4 \left(\begin{array}{c} +5.4 \\ -4.7 \end{array} \right) \text{ mb} \quad v = 2,200 \text{ m/s}$$

$$\sigma^{\text{expt}}(np \rightarrow d\gamma) = 334.2(0.5) \text{ mb}$$

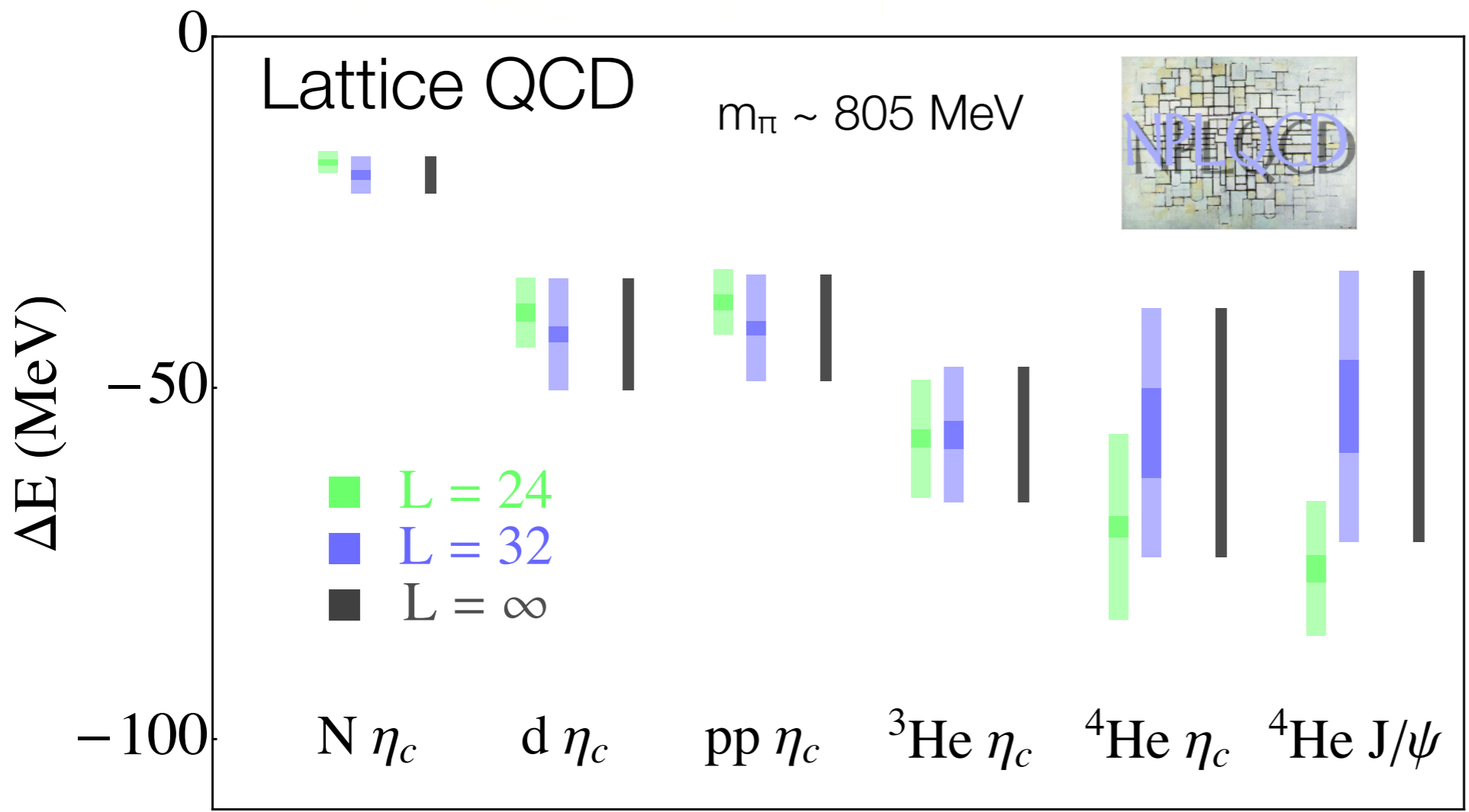
Lattice QCD: Results - Exotic Nuclei



Athena



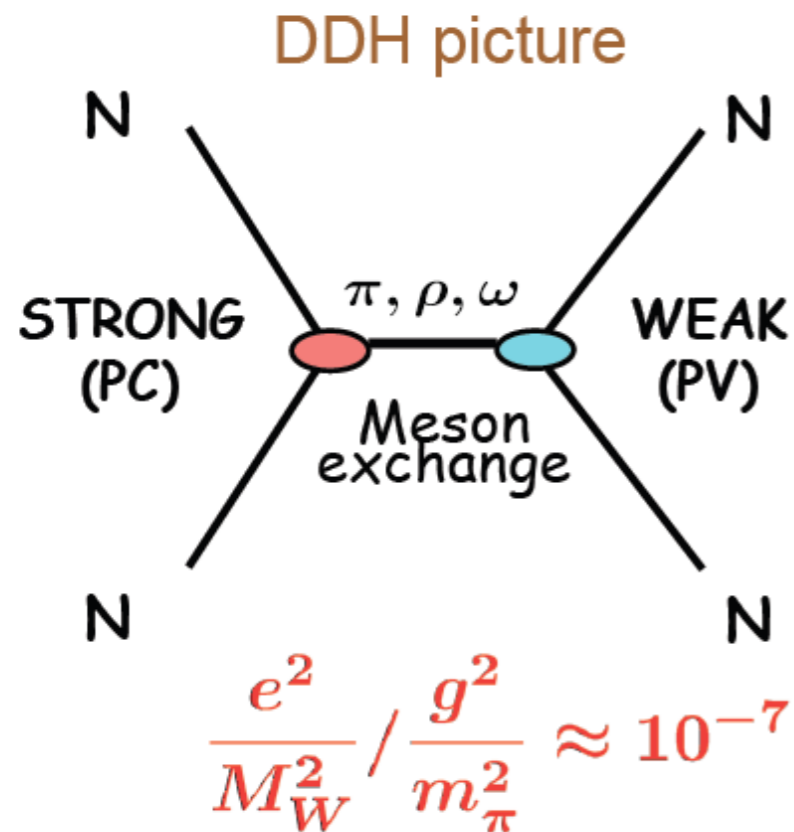
experimental effort led by
Zein-Eddine Meziani
Temple



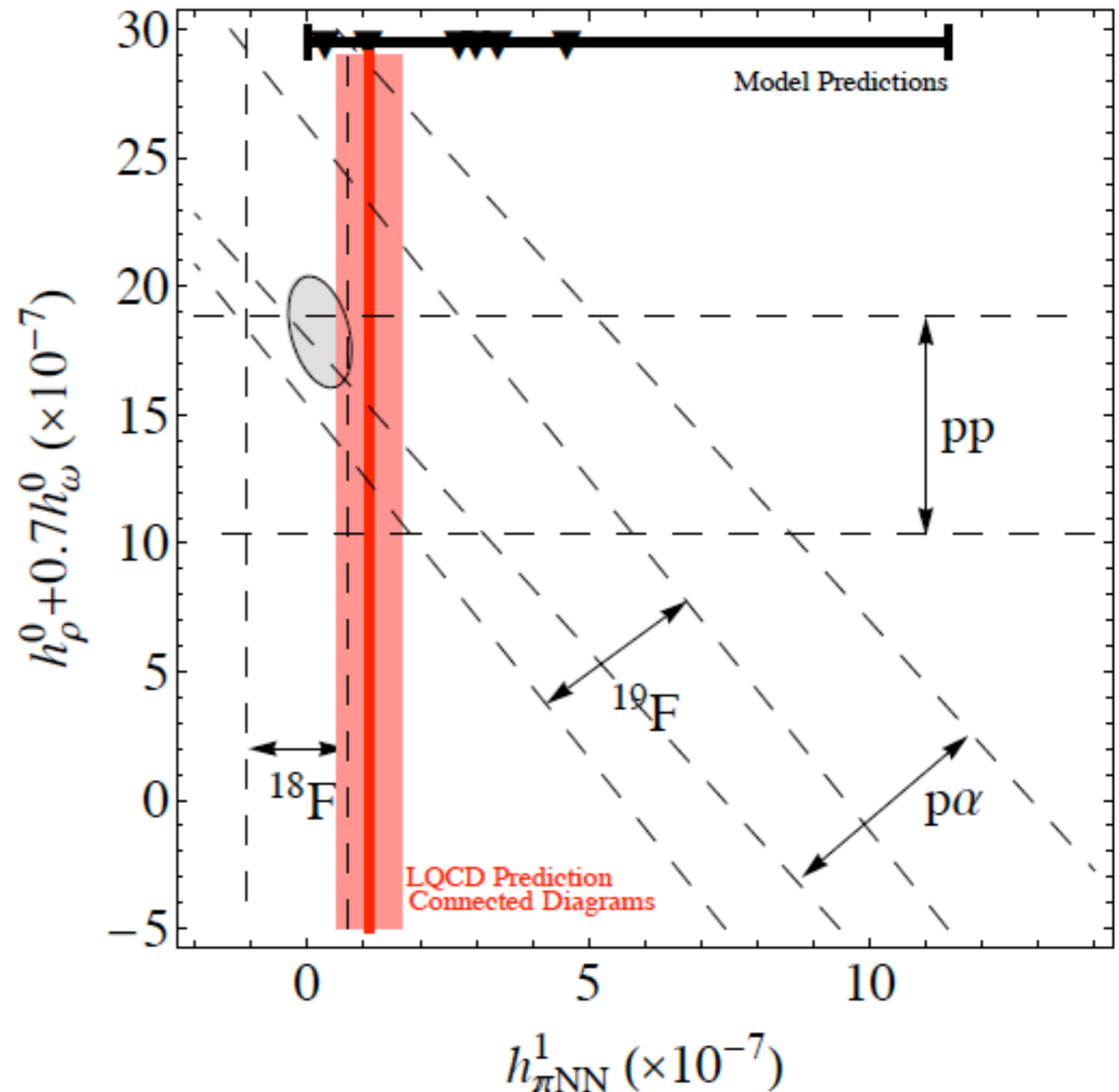
(Beane, Chang, Cohen, Detmold, Lin, Orginos, Parreno, MJS, [arXiv:1410.7069](https://arxiv.org/abs/1410.7069))

Lattice QCD:

Results - Nuclear Parity Violation



(Wasem (UW/LLNL) 2011)



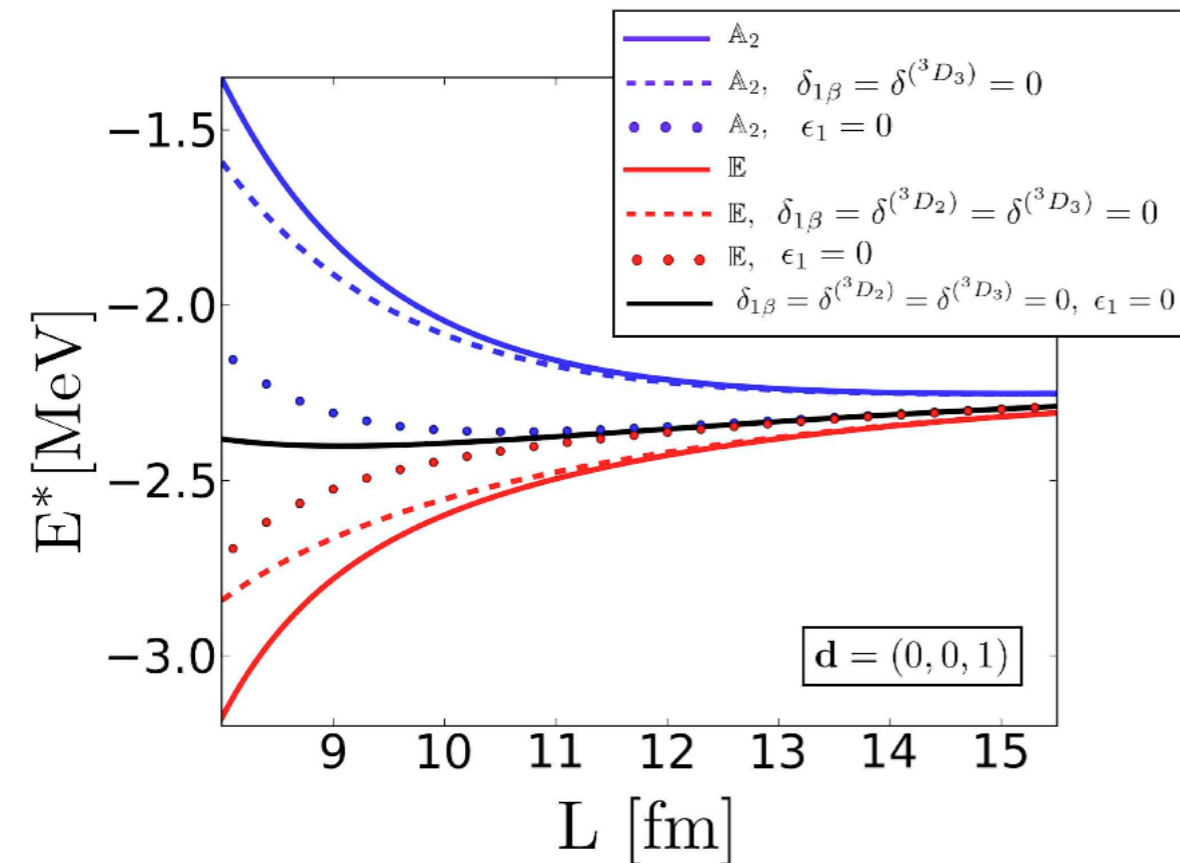
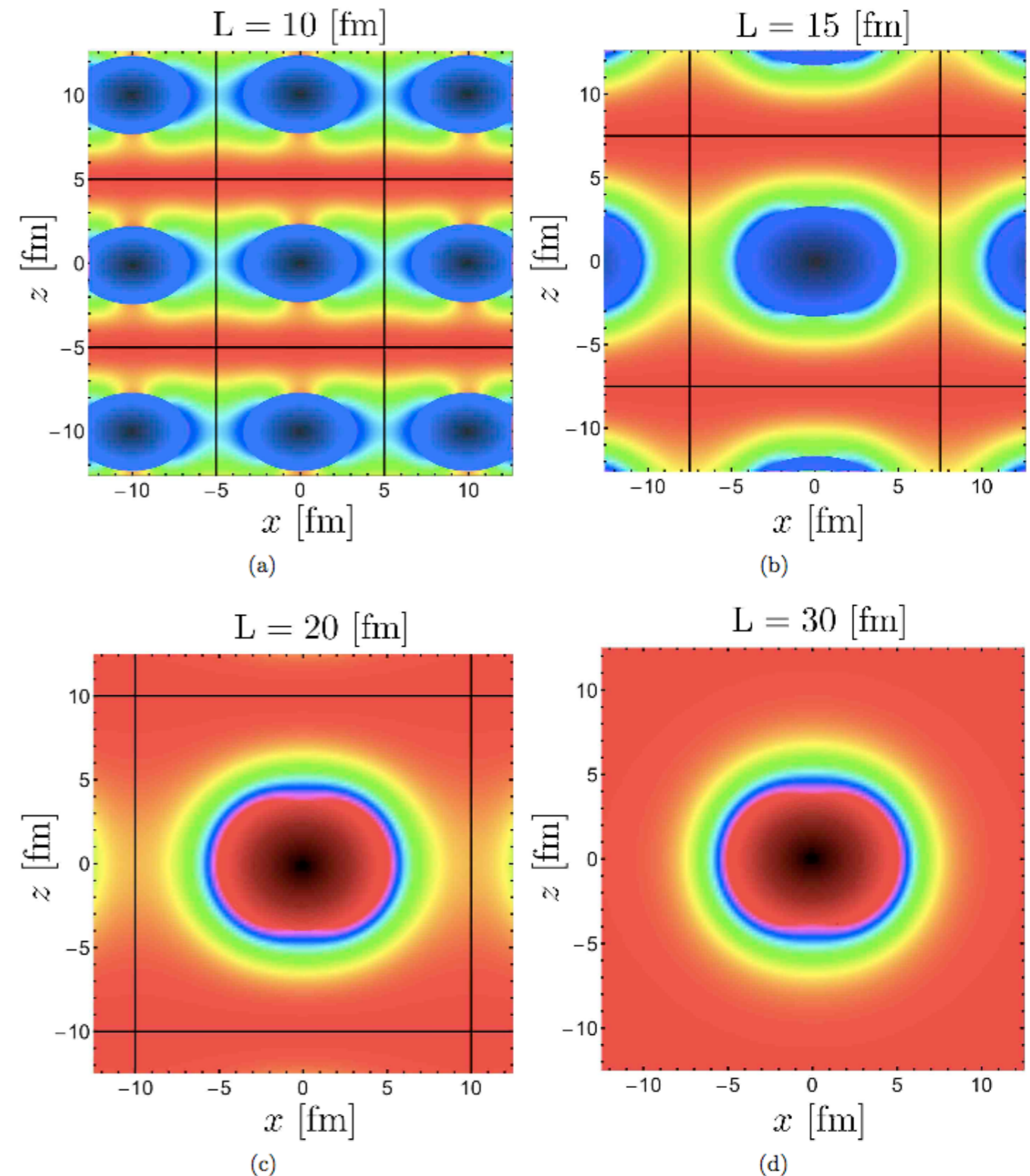
Presently incomplete

- unphysical quark masses
- operator matching
- LQCD interpolators

Lattice QCD: Recent Formal Developments

Two-Nucleon Systems in a Finite Volume:
(II) 3S1-3D1 Coupled Channels and the Deuteron
Raul A. Briceno, Zohreh Davoudi, Thomas Luu, MJS

Mass density of
boosted deuteron
 $d=(0,0,1)$



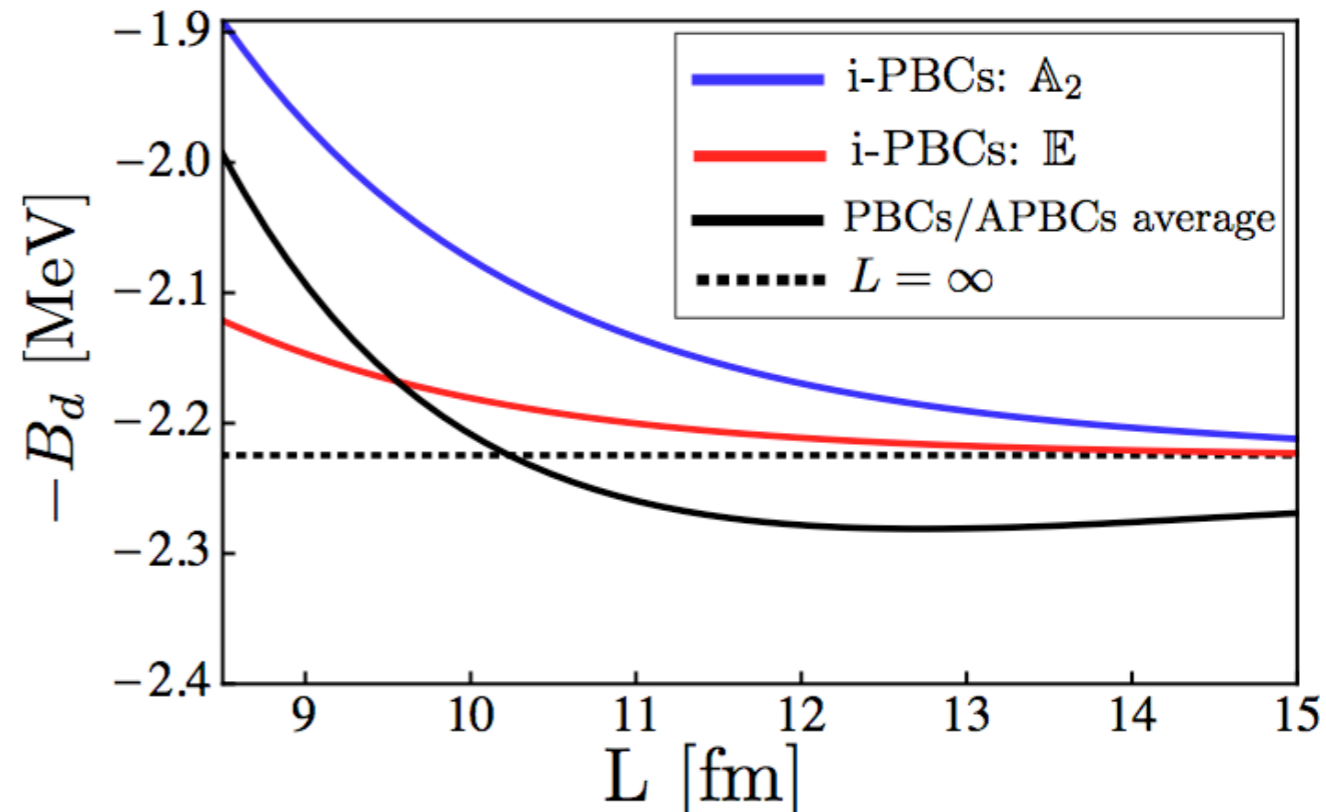
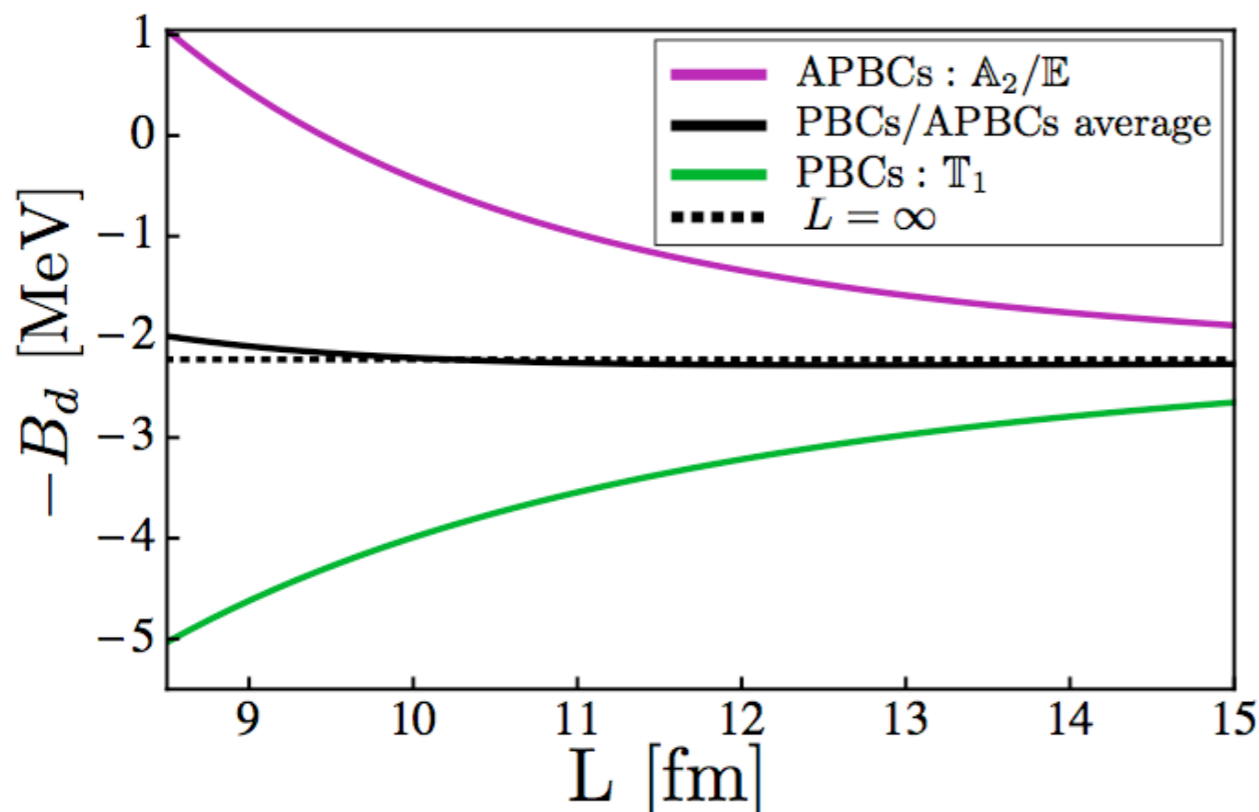
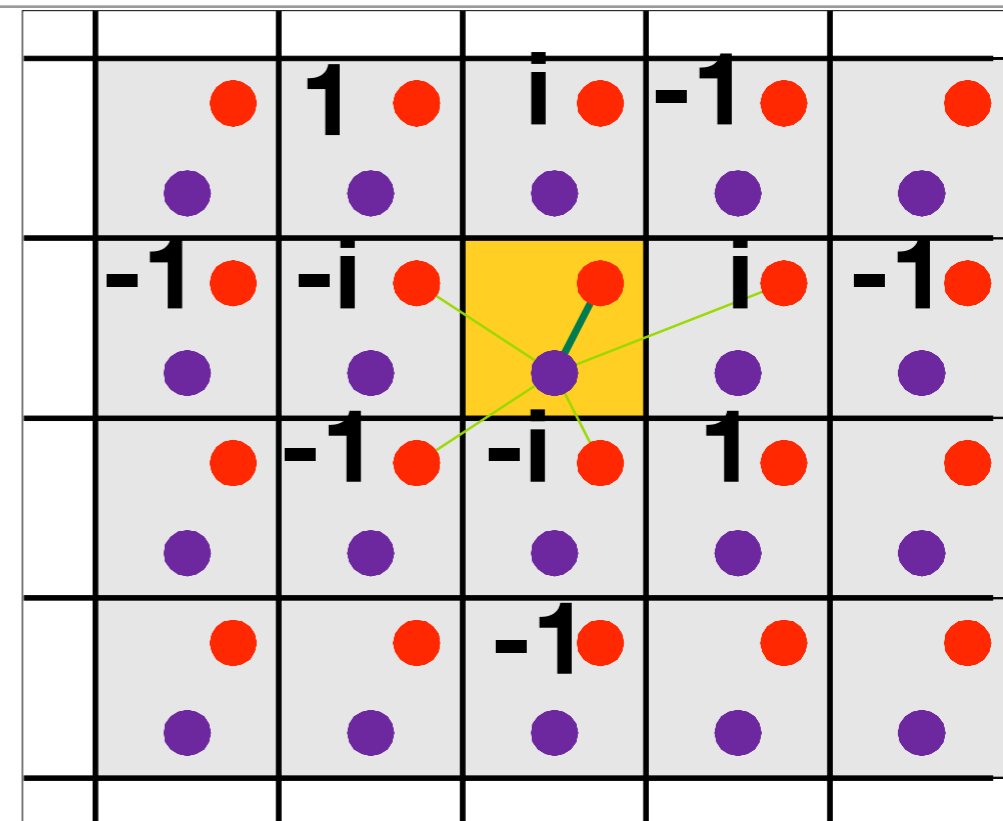
Lattice QCD:

Recent Formal Developments - i-Periodic Boundary Conditions

[Raul A. Briceño](#), [Zohreh Davoudi](#), [Thomas Luu](#), [MJS](#)
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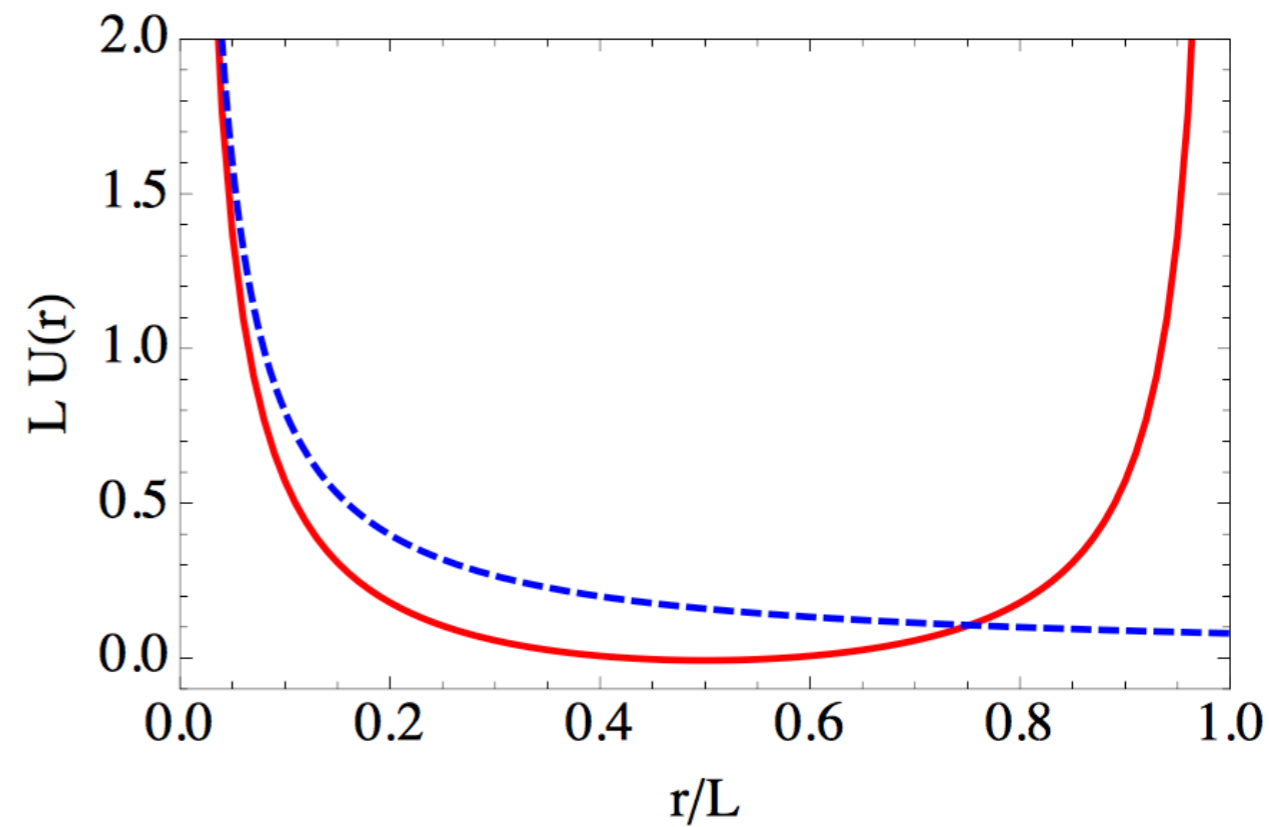
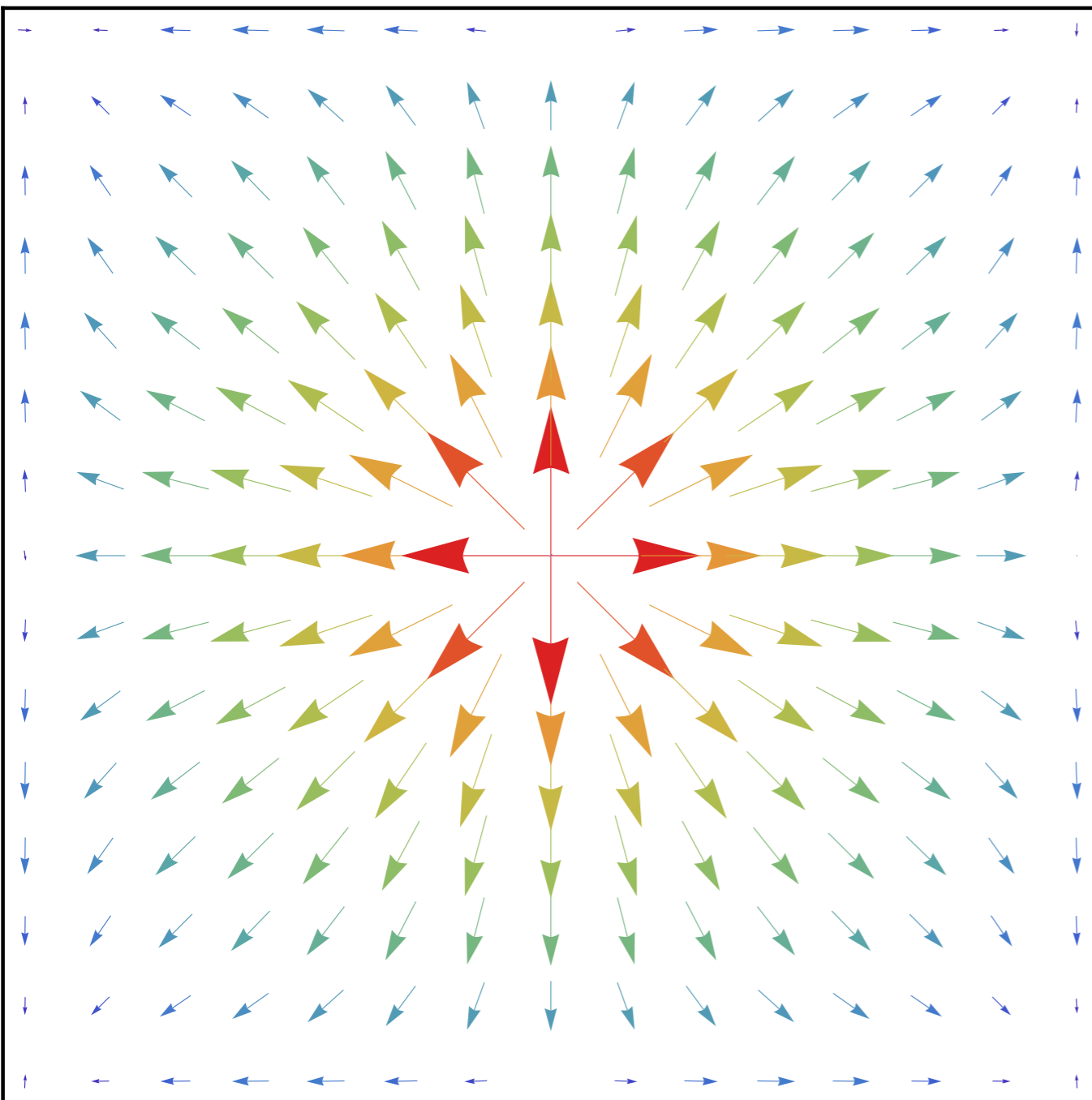
INT Program : Quantitative Large Amplitude Shape Dynamics:
 fission and heavy ion fusion

i-PBCs



Lattice QCD: Recent Formal Developments - QED

The potential with periodic BCs



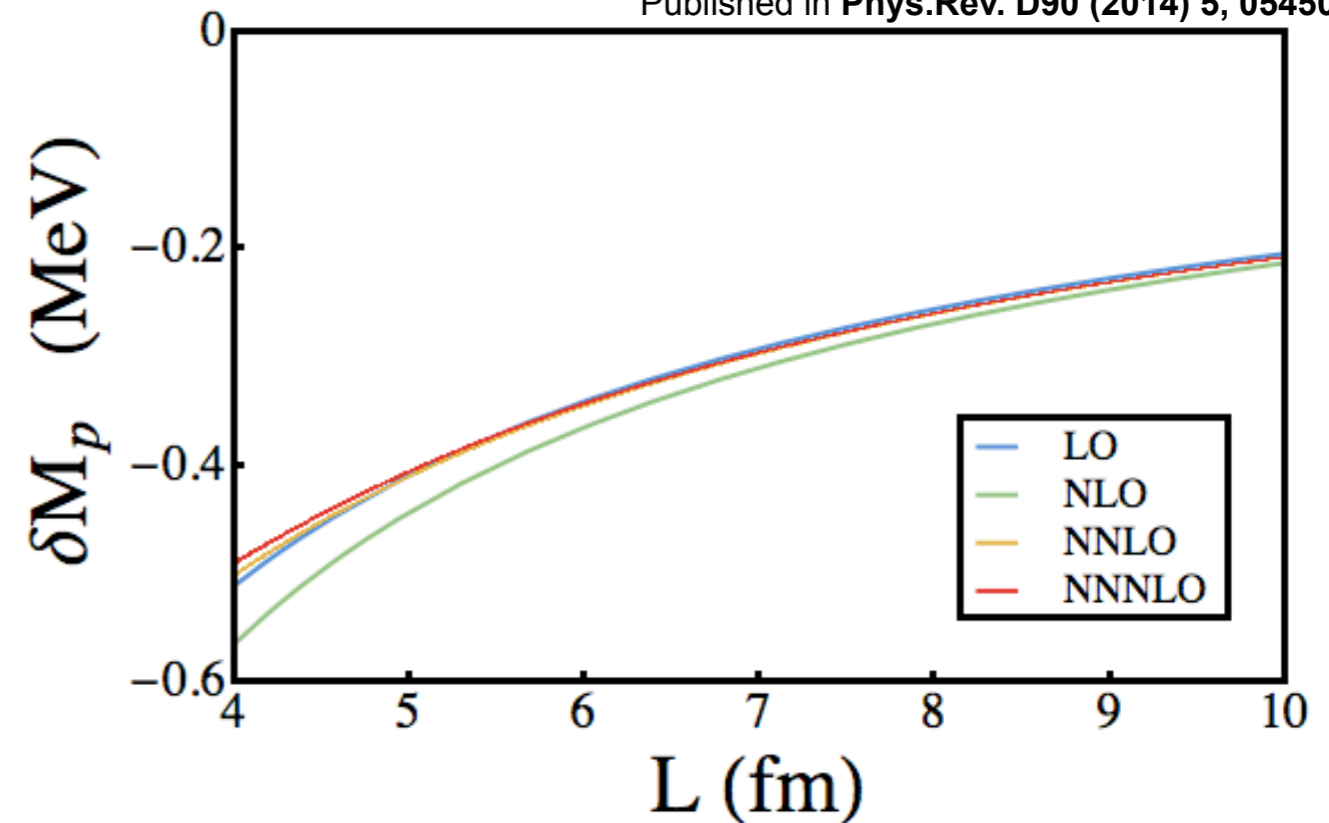
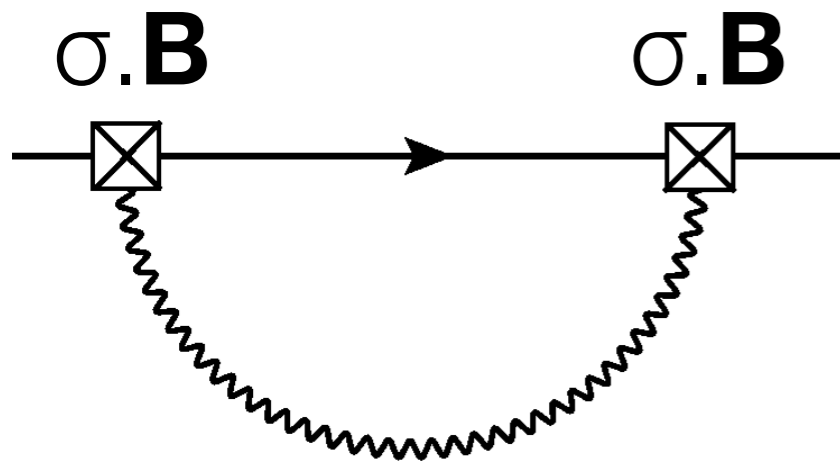
Lattice QCD:

Recent Formal Developments - QED

Zohreh Davoudi and MJS

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FV NRQED, e.g.,

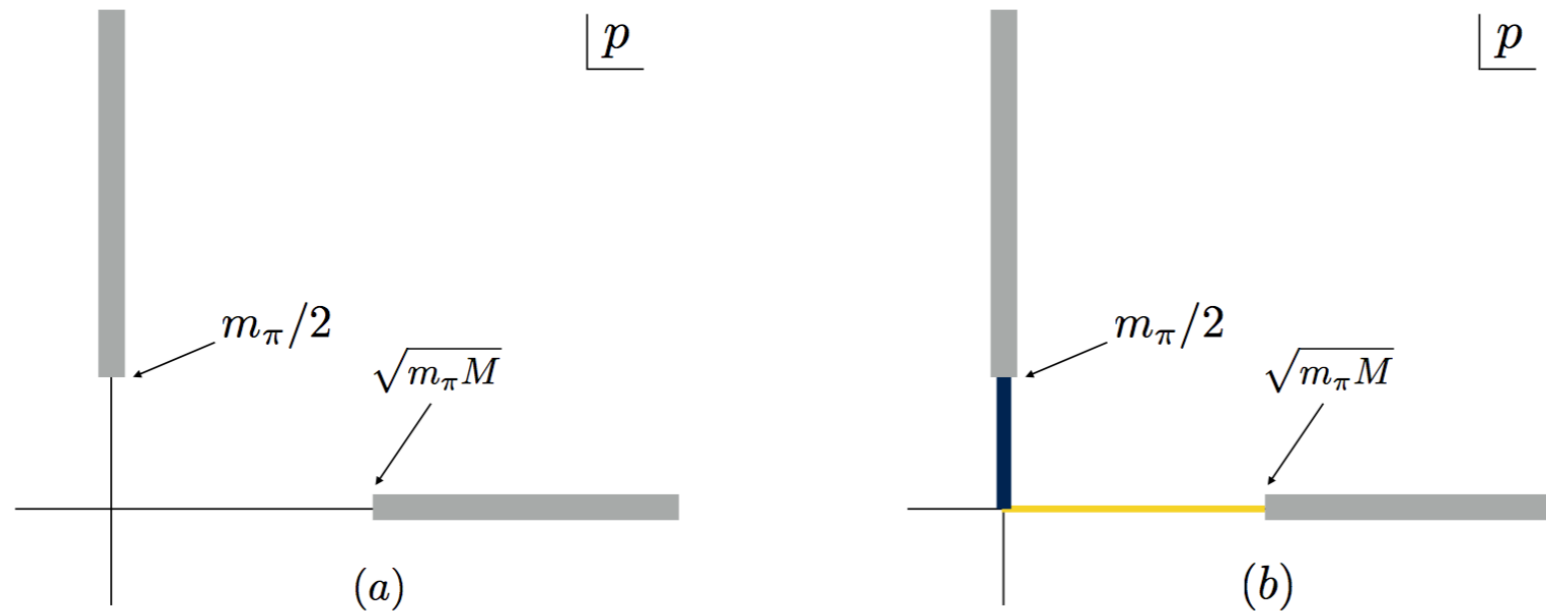


$$\delta M_p = \frac{\alpha_e}{2L} c_1 \left(1 + \frac{2}{M_p L} \right) + \frac{2\pi\alpha_e}{3L^3} \left(1 + \frac{4\pi}{M_p L} c_{-1} \right) \langle r^2 \rangle_p + \frac{\pi\alpha_e}{M_p^2 L^3} \left(\frac{1}{2} + (1 + \kappa_p)^2 \right) - \frac{4\pi^2}{L^4} \left(\alpha_E^{(p)} + \beta_M^{(p)} \right) c_{-1} - \frac{2\pi^2 \alpha_e \kappa_p}{M_p^3 L^4} c_{-1},$$

$$\delta M_n = \kappa_n^2 \frac{\pi\alpha_e}{M_n^2 L^3} - \frac{4\pi^2}{L^4} \left(\alpha_E^{(n)} + \beta_M^{(n)} \right) c_{-1},$$

Lattice QCD:

Recent Formal Developments - QED - Scattering



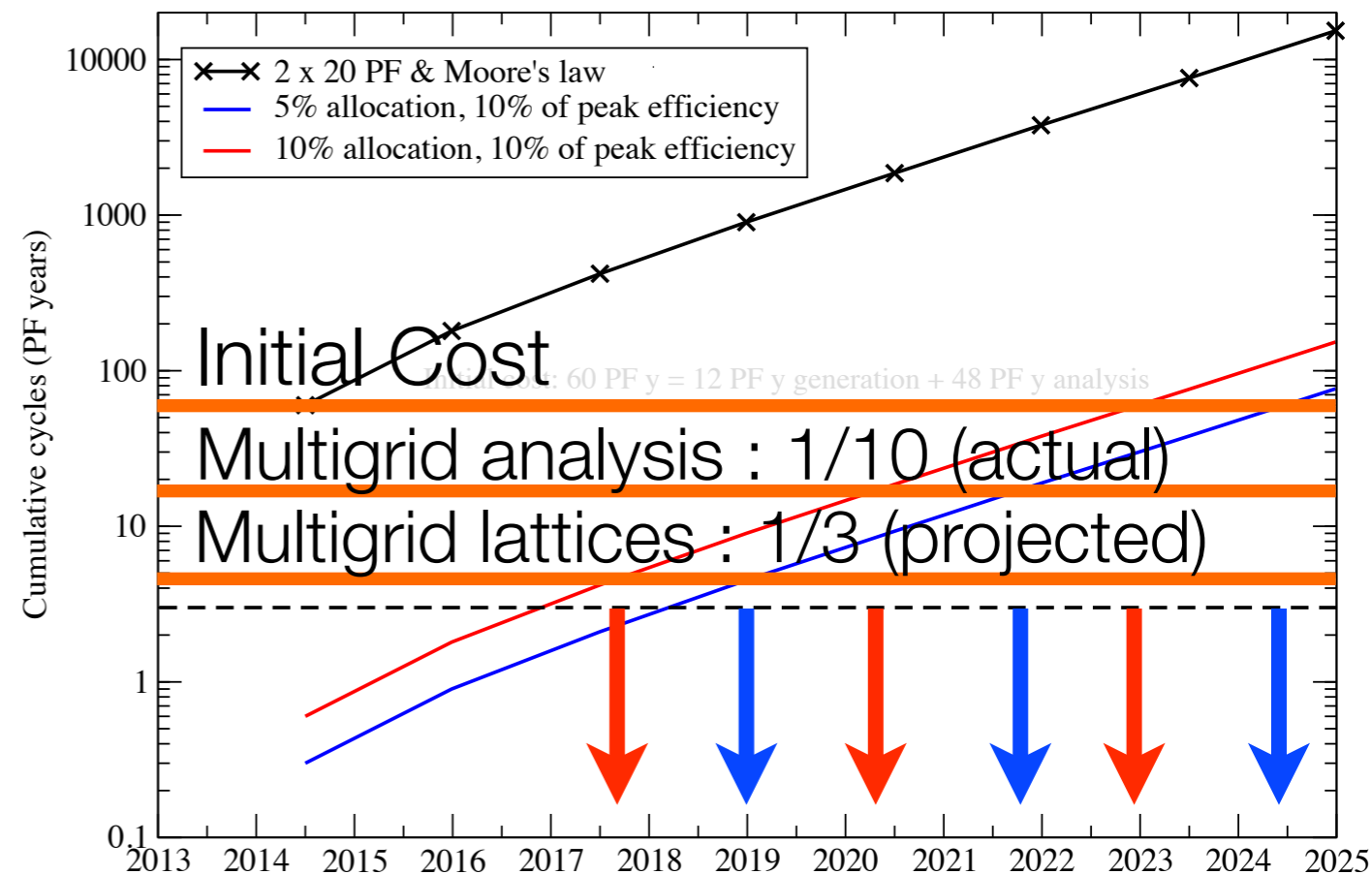
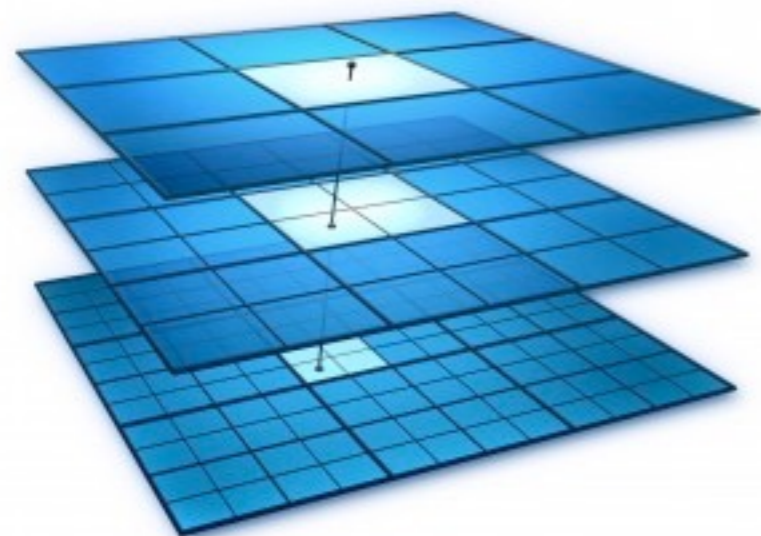
$$-\frac{1}{a'_C} + \frac{1}{2}r'_0 p^2 + \dots = \frac{1}{\pi L} \mathcal{S}^C(\tilde{p}) + \alpha M \left[\ln \left(\frac{4\pi}{\alpha M L} \right) - \gamma_E \right] + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta E_0^C &= \Delta E_0 + \Delta E_0^{(\alpha)} \\ &= \frac{4\pi a'}{M L^3} \left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{a'}{\pi L} \right) \mathcal{I} + \left(\frac{a'}{\pi L} \right)^2 [\mathcal{I}^2 - \mathcal{J}] + \dots \right\} \\ &\quad - \frac{2\alpha a'}{L^2 \pi^2} \left\{ \mathcal{J} + \left(\frac{a'}{\pi L} \right) [\mathcal{K} - \mathcal{I}\mathcal{J} - \mathcal{R}/2] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left(\frac{a'}{\pi L} \right)^2 [\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I} + \mathcal{I}^2\mathcal{J} - 2\mathcal{J}^2 - 2\mathcal{I}\mathcal{K} + \mathcal{L} - \mathcal{R}_{24}] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{2a'r'_0\pi^2}{L^2} \mathcal{I} + \dots \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

Lattice QCD: Quantified Impact of Algorithms

How to solve **optimally** ?

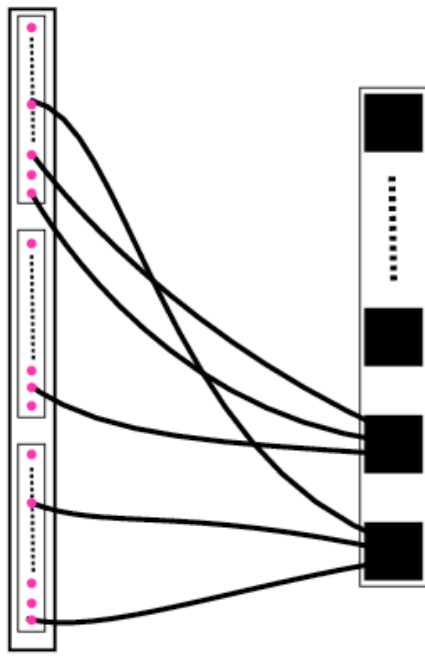
$$A \cdot x = b$$



- Multigrid is current (new) technology...
- What is next ?
- Requires talking/collaboration with CS and AM researchers

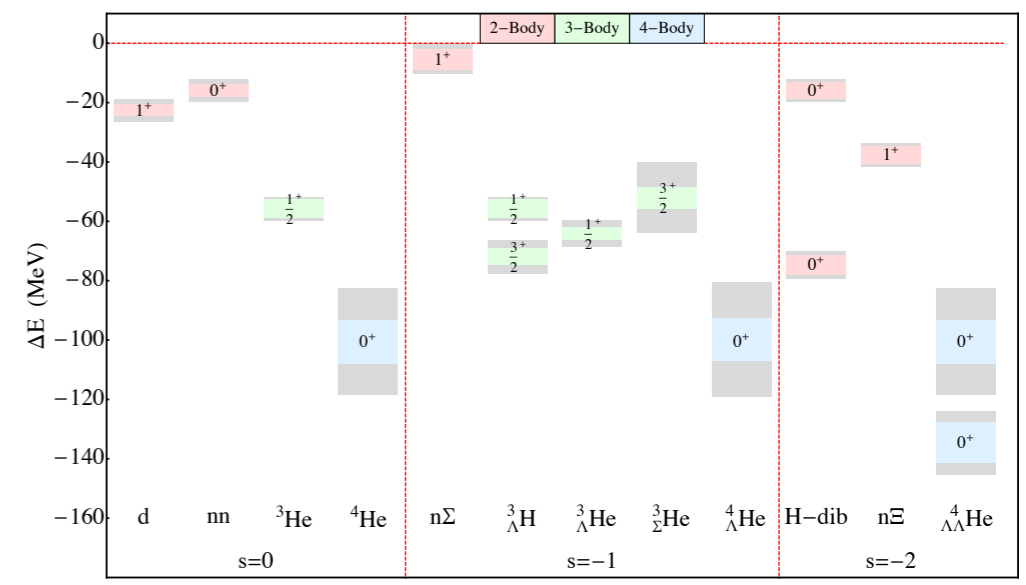


Lattice QCD: Roadblocks of the Past



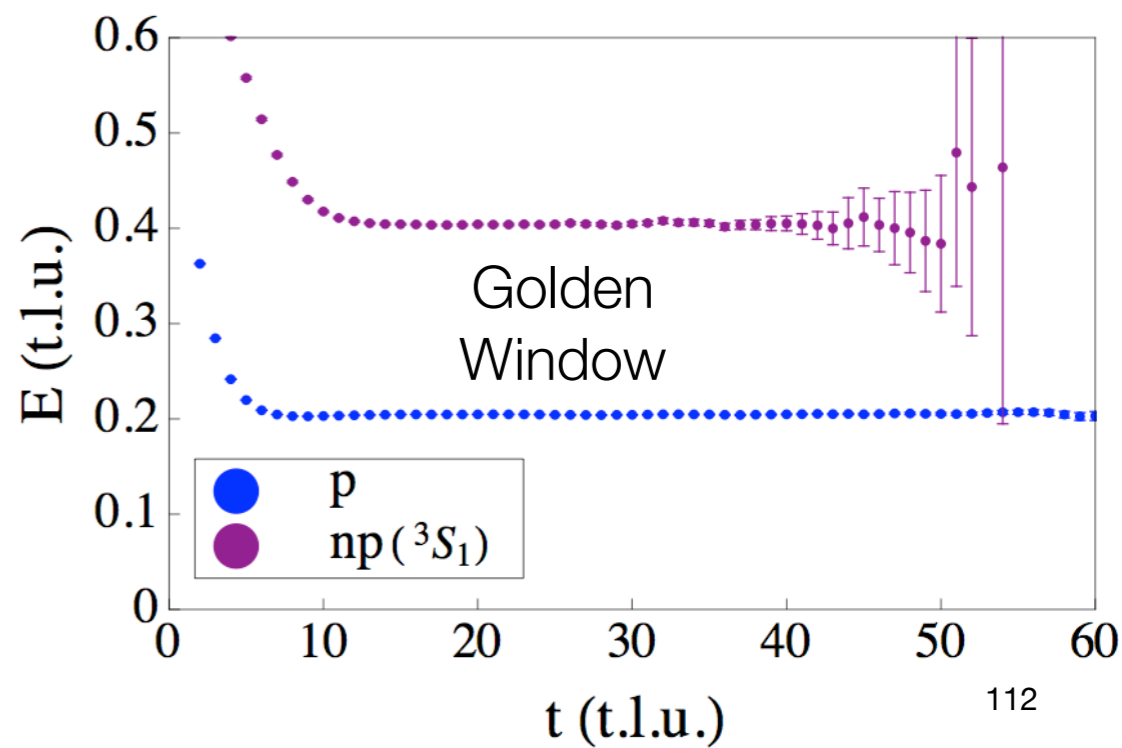
Contractions - 2012
no longer an issue for light nuclei

e.g. ${}^4\text{He}$: 0.8 core-seconds per time-slice
Orginos+Detmold algorithm
Phys.Rev. D87 (2013) 11, 114512
see also, Doi and Endres,
Comput.Phys.Commun. 184 (2013) 117

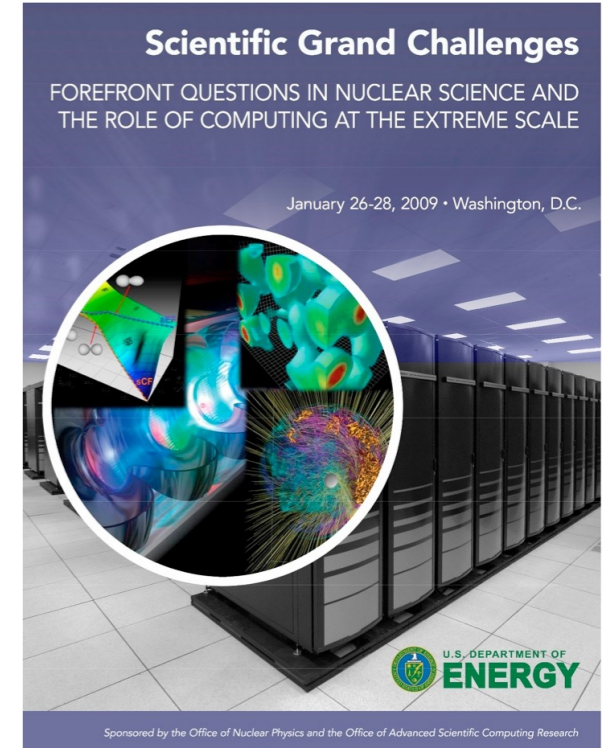
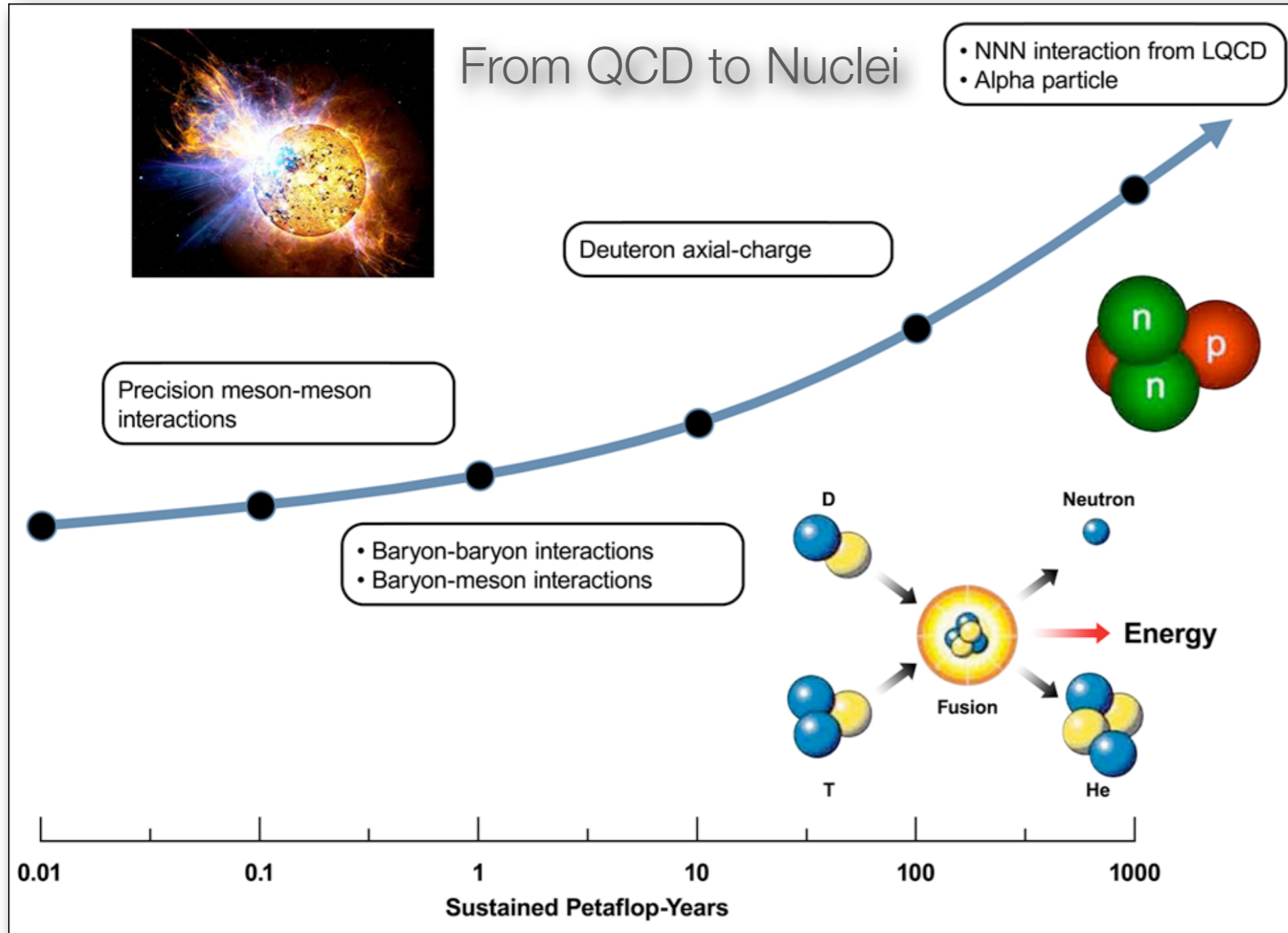


Signal to noise

Large numbers of measurements



Lattice QCD: Resource Estimates



Electromagnetism
 Isospin Breaking
 The Real Deal !

Lattice QCD: How much is that ?



~ 1 Gigaflop
~ 9 thousand core-hours/year

1 Exaflop = 10^3 Petaflops = 10^6 Teraflops = 10^9 Gigaflops



~33.9 Petaflops, 17.6 MWatts
~3 million compute cores
(32K Ivy Bridges, 48K Xeon Phi)

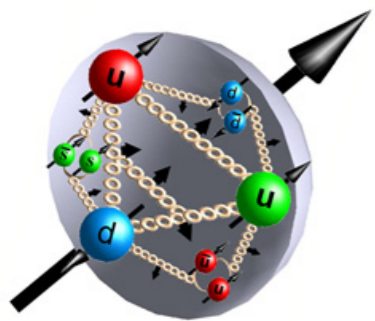
US will deploy ~100 Pflop machines ~ 2017-18
expect ~ 1 Eflop machines ~ 2022

Lattice QCD: Status as of 2014

2007-2014 ...

Structure of the Baryons

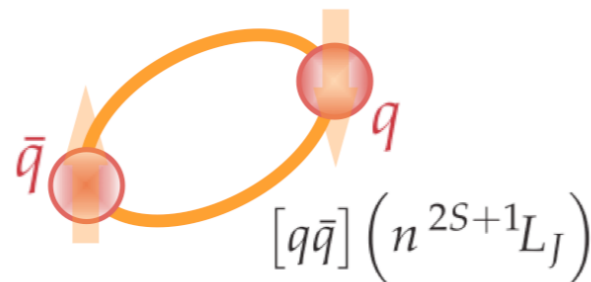
multiple L, T, lattice spacings
multiple discretizations
N predictions for $m_q(\text{phys})$



140 MeV

Meson and Baryon Spectroscopy

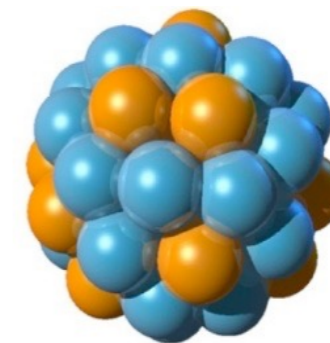
multiple L, T
one lattice spacing
resolved spectrum
mapped out resonances



300 MeV

Nuclei and Nuclear Forces

multiple L, T
one lattice spacing
light (hyper-)nuclei, scattering
simple properties of nuclei

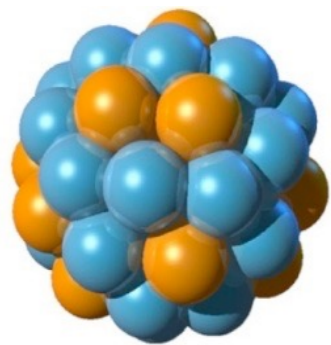
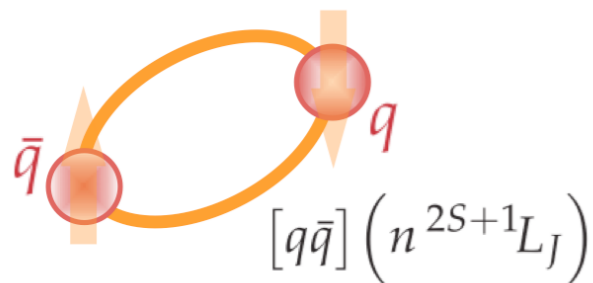
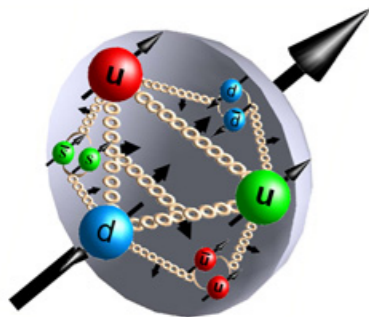


800 MeV

Pion Mass

Lattice QCD: Next Few years

Before 2022 ...



- physical pion mass with $n_f = 1 + 1 + 1 + 1$
- electromagnetism
- precision calculations
- multiple lattices volumes with large T
- multiple lattice spacings
- multiple discretizations
- fully quantified uncertainties
- complement experimental program
- guide future experimental program
- provide critical inputs for theory

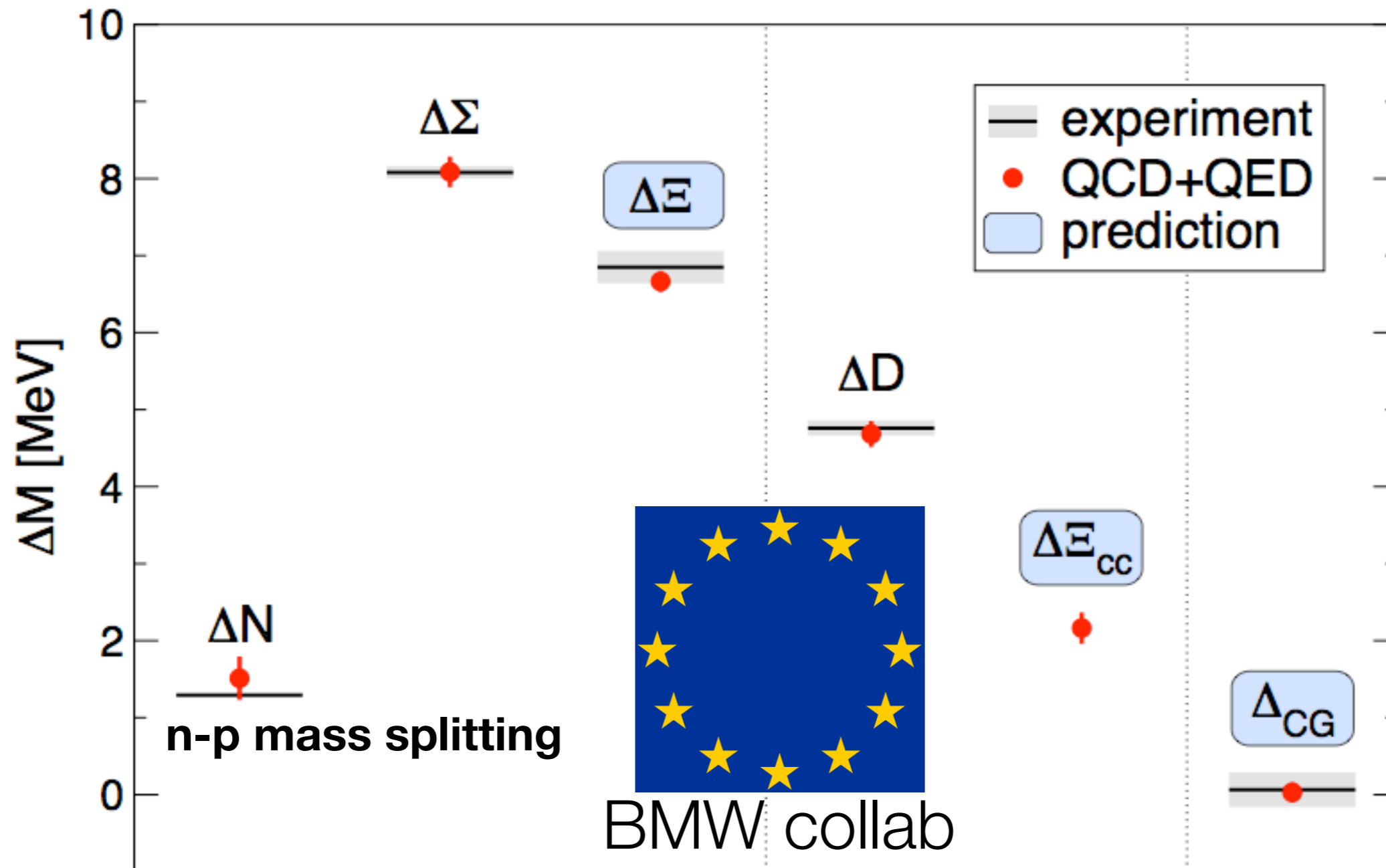
140 MeV

300 MeV

800 MeV

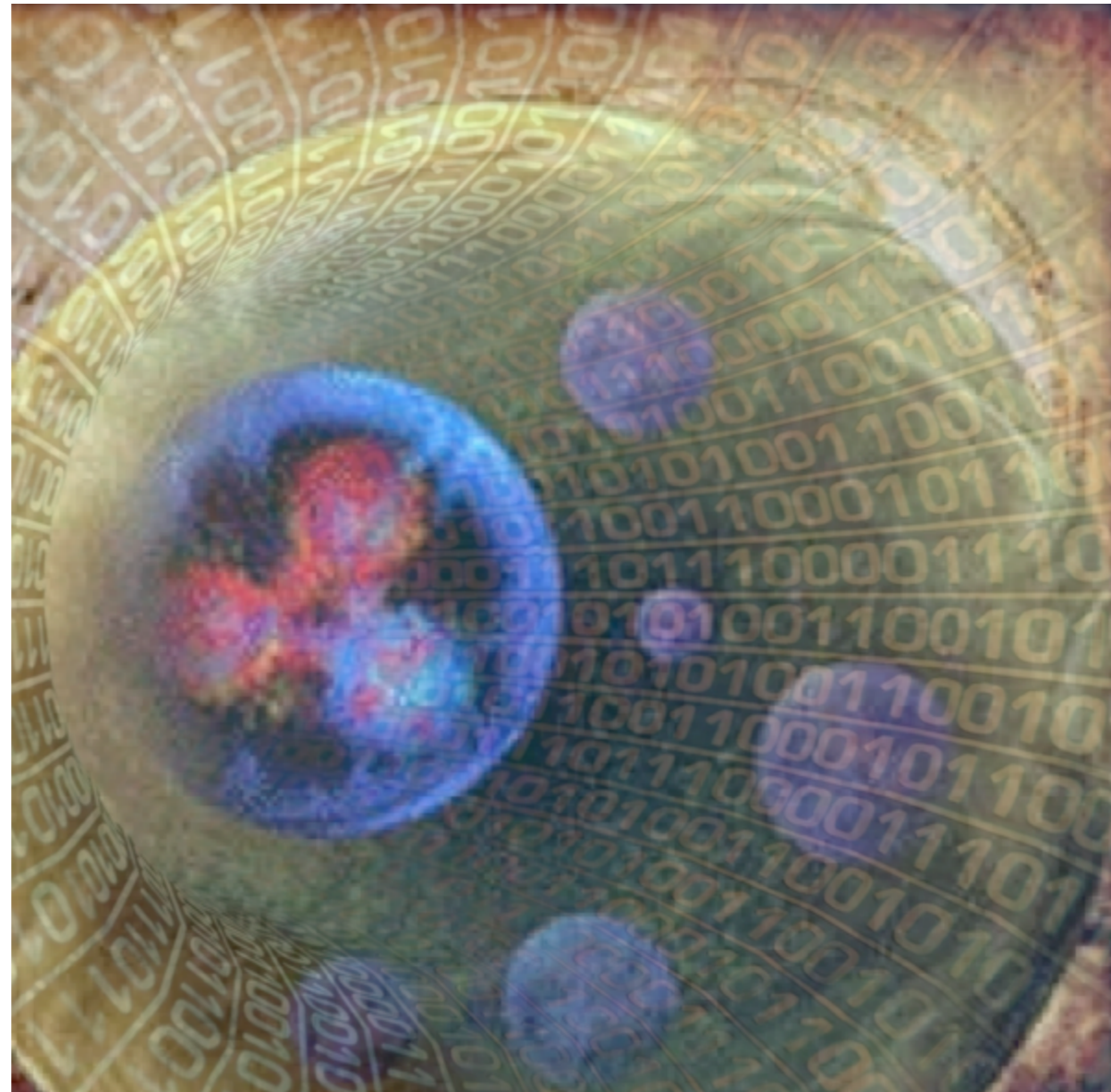
Pion Mass

Lattice QCD: The Bleeding Edge



- Physical up, down, strange and charm quark masses
- Fully dynamical QCD+QED

Lattice QCD: Closing Remarks



Lattice QCD is beginning to provide first principles predictive capabilities for nuclear physics

END
