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High Precision Relativistic Chiral Nuclear Force: Present and Future

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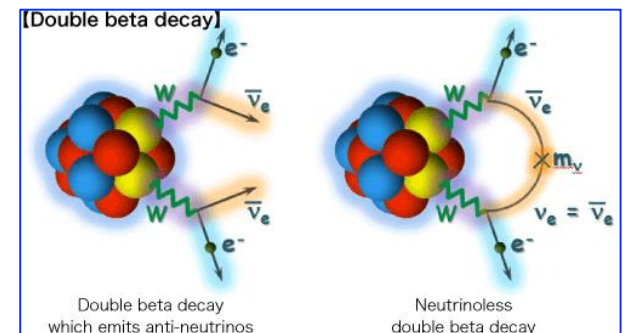
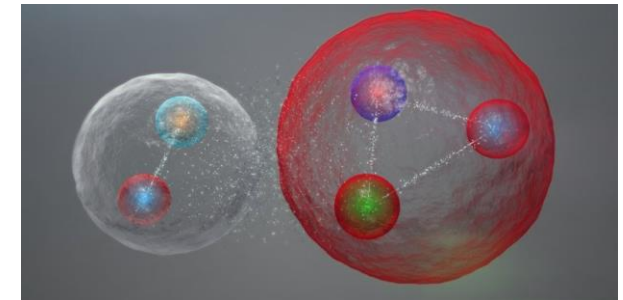
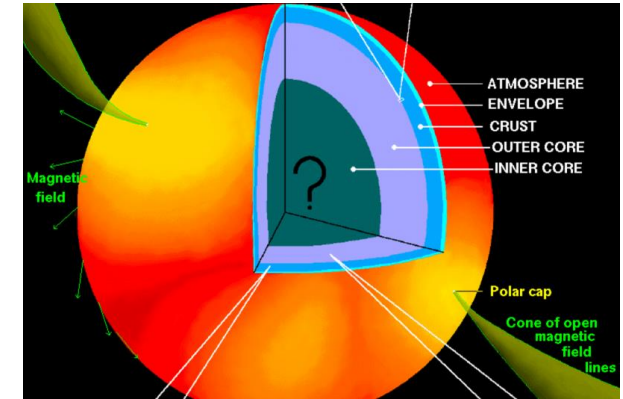
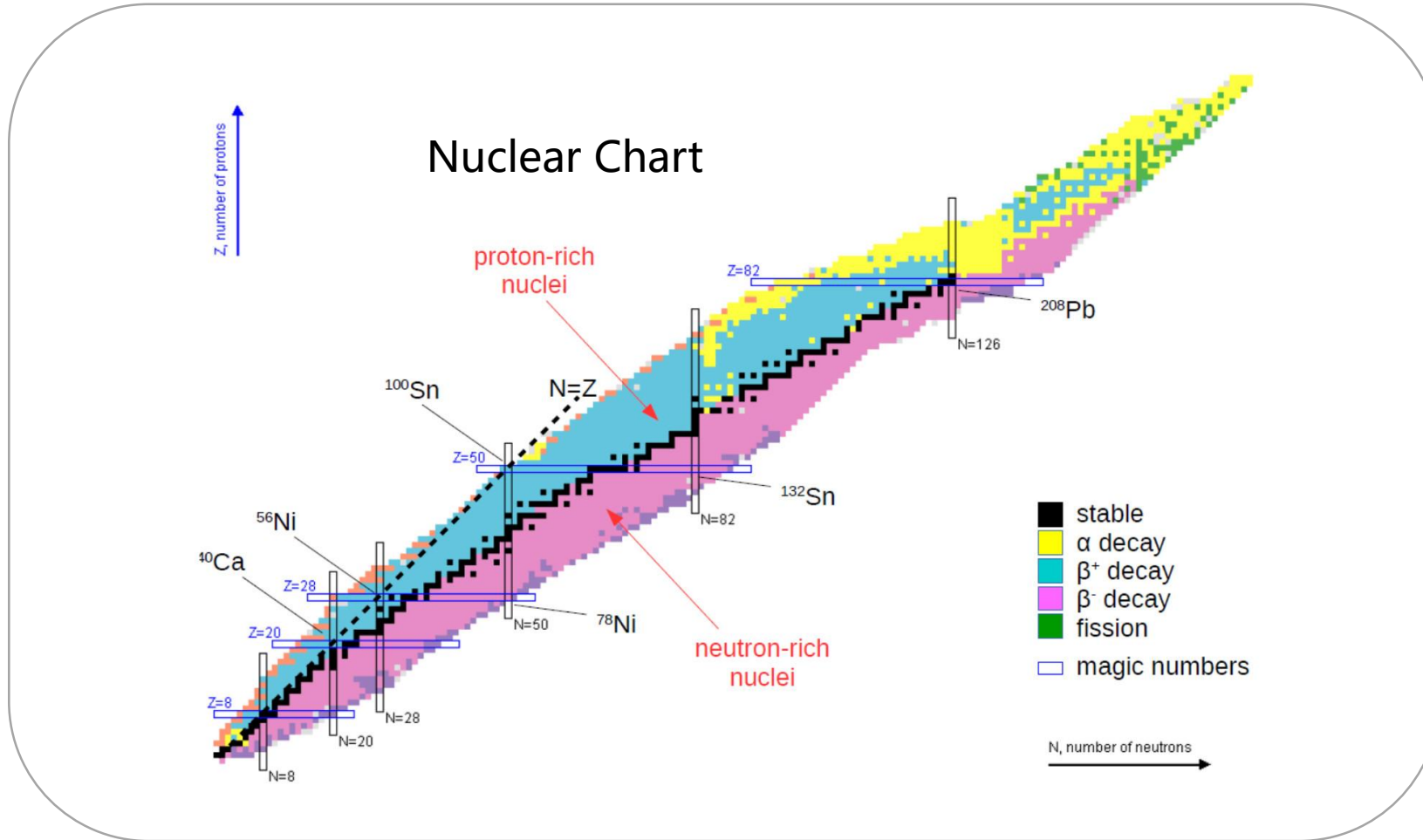


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Summary and outlook

NN—most important input for microscopic understanding of nuclei



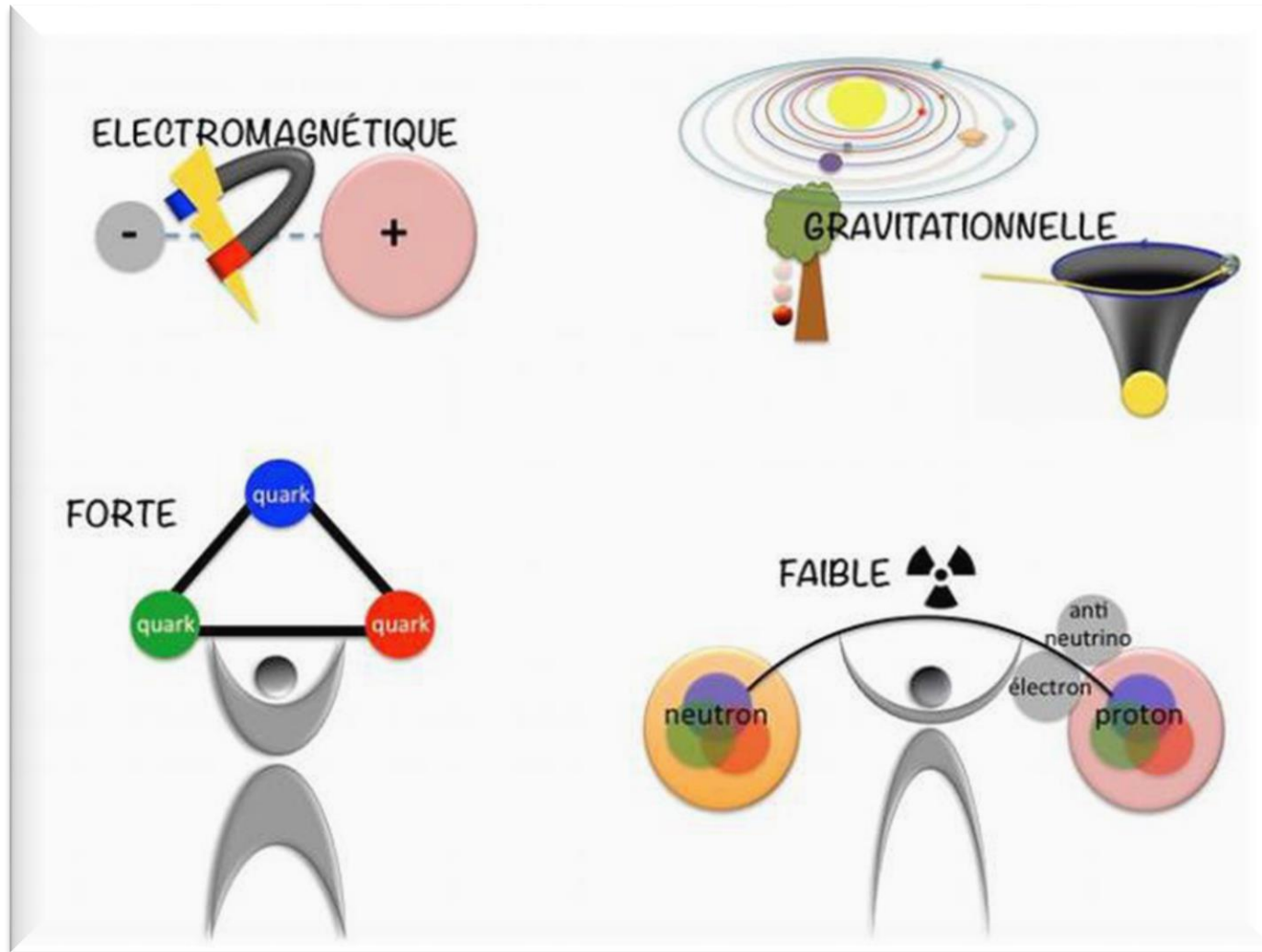
- Nuclear structure, reactions
- Nuclear astrophysics

- Exotic hadrons~deuteron
- Searches for BSM physics

One of the four interactions in Nature

$$F = \frac{kq_1q_2}{r^2}$$
$$F = q\vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

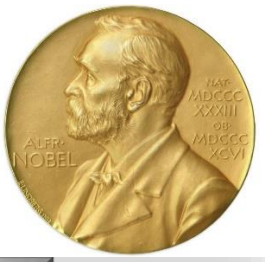
F=.....
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$$F = \frac{Gm_1m_2}{r^2}$$

$$F = G_F$$

One of the most difficult scientific problems



SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN, September 1953

What Holds the Nucleus Together?

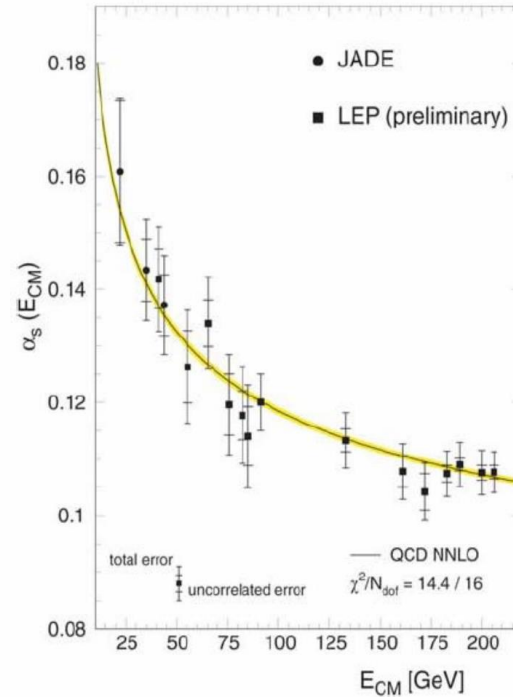
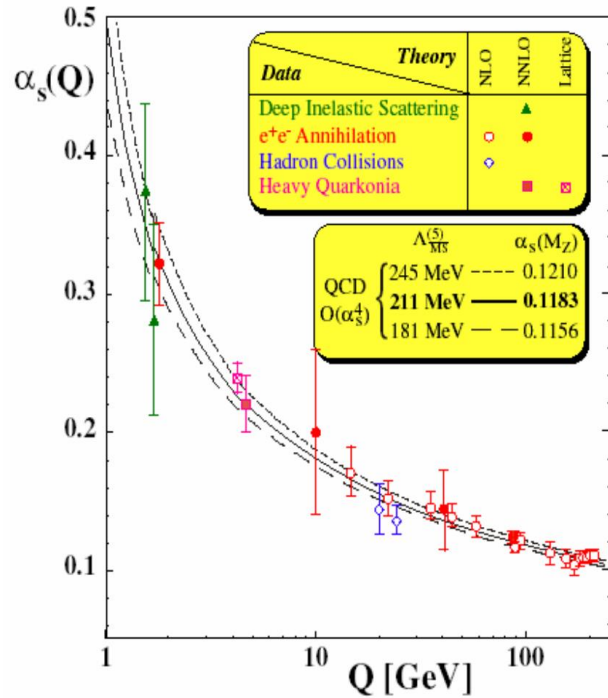
by Hans A. Bethe

In the past quarter century physicists have devoted a huge amount of experimentation and mental labor to this problem – probably more man-hours than have been given to any other scientific question in the history of mankind.



- Hans Bethe
- Nobel Prize in Physics 1967

After QCD, even more difficult



Asymptotic Freedom

The Nobel Prize in Physics 2004



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David J. Gross
Prize share: 1/3



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The Nobel Prize in Physics 2004 was awarded jointly to David J. Gross, H. David Politzer and Frank Wilczek "for the discovery of asymptotic freedom in the theory of the strong interaction"



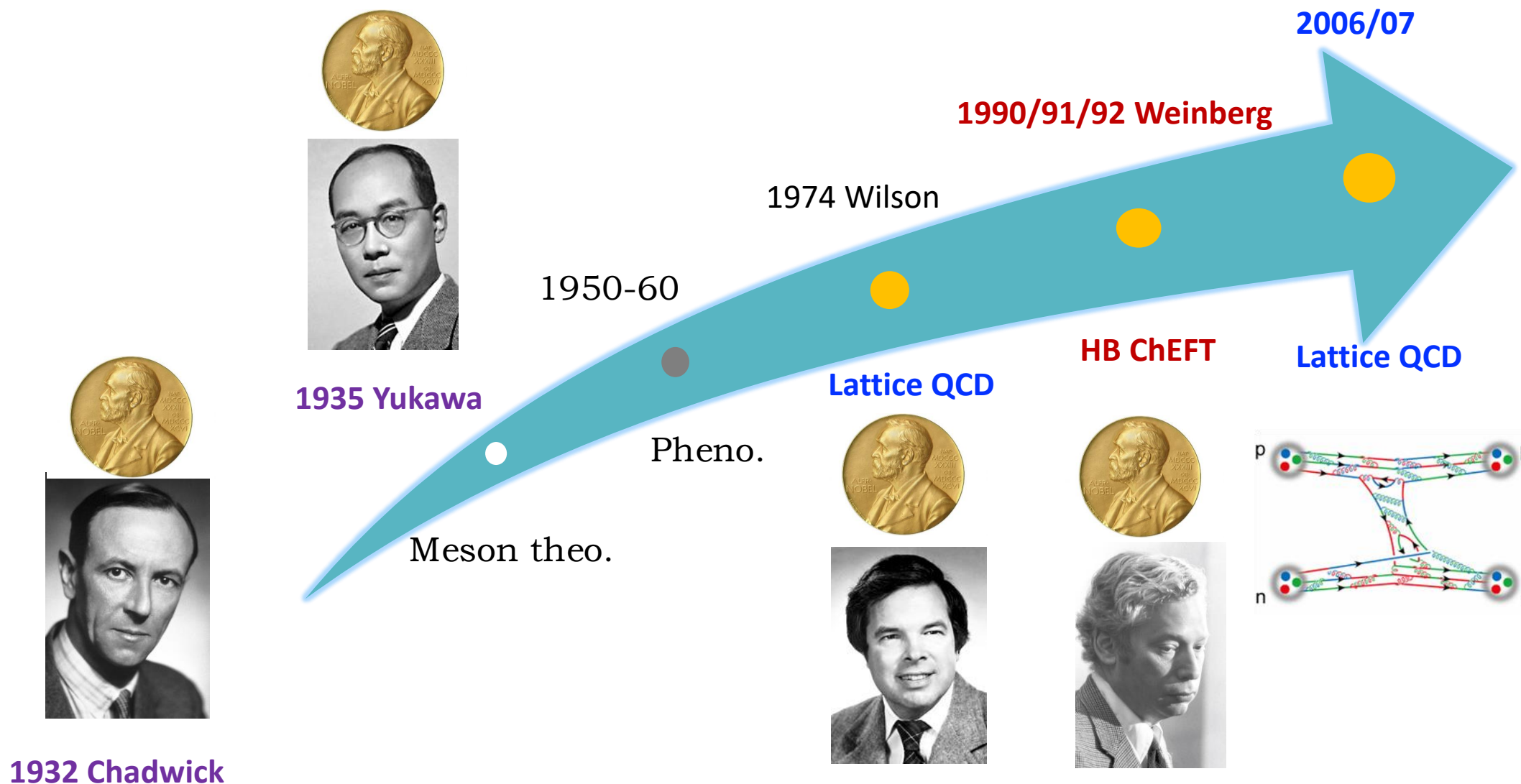
Millennium Problems

Yang–Mills and Mass Gap

Experiment and computer simulations suggest the existence of a "mass gap" in the solution to the quantum versions of the Yang-Mills equations. But no proof of this property is known.

Color confinement

A brief account of the long history: three milestones



Central to developments in the field of nuclear physics

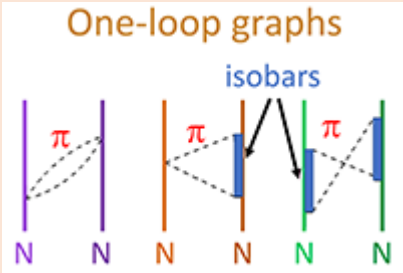


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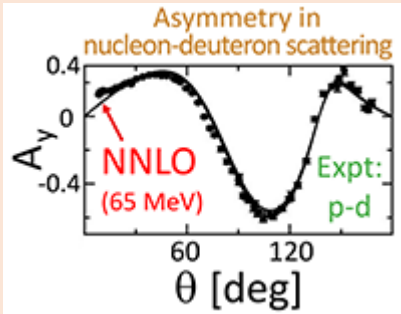
Remain central to developments in the field of nuclear physics
Announcing major discoveries/opening up new avenues of research

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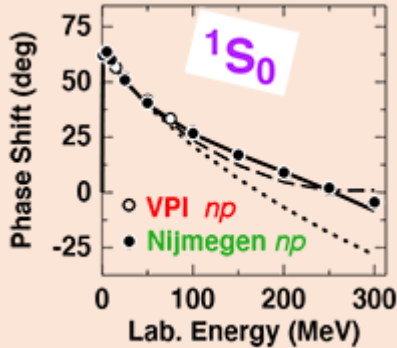
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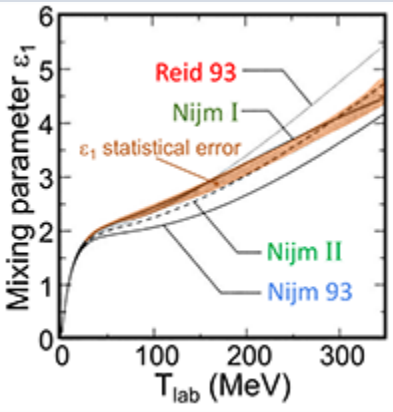
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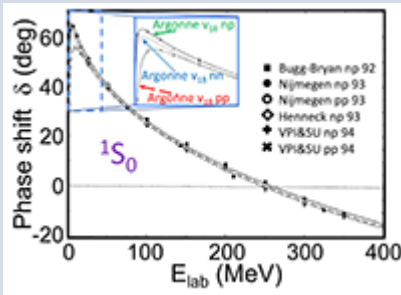
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Phys. Rev. C **66**, 064001 (2002)



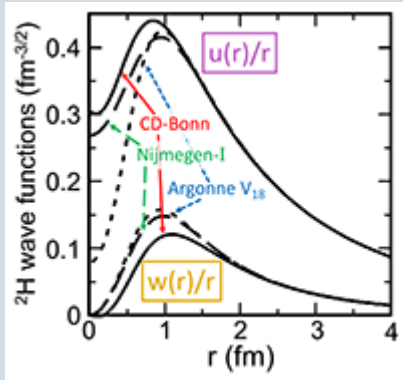
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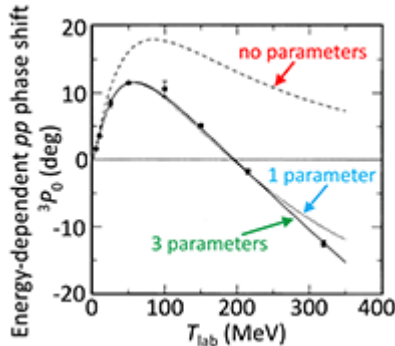
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Phys. Rev. C **49**, 2950 (1994)



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Phys. Rev. C **51**, 38 (1995)



R. Machleidt
Phys. Rev. C **63**, 024001 (2001)



Stoks, Klomp, Rentmeester, Swart
Phys. Rev. C **48**, 792 (1993)

realistic

Always at the frontiers of nuclear physics

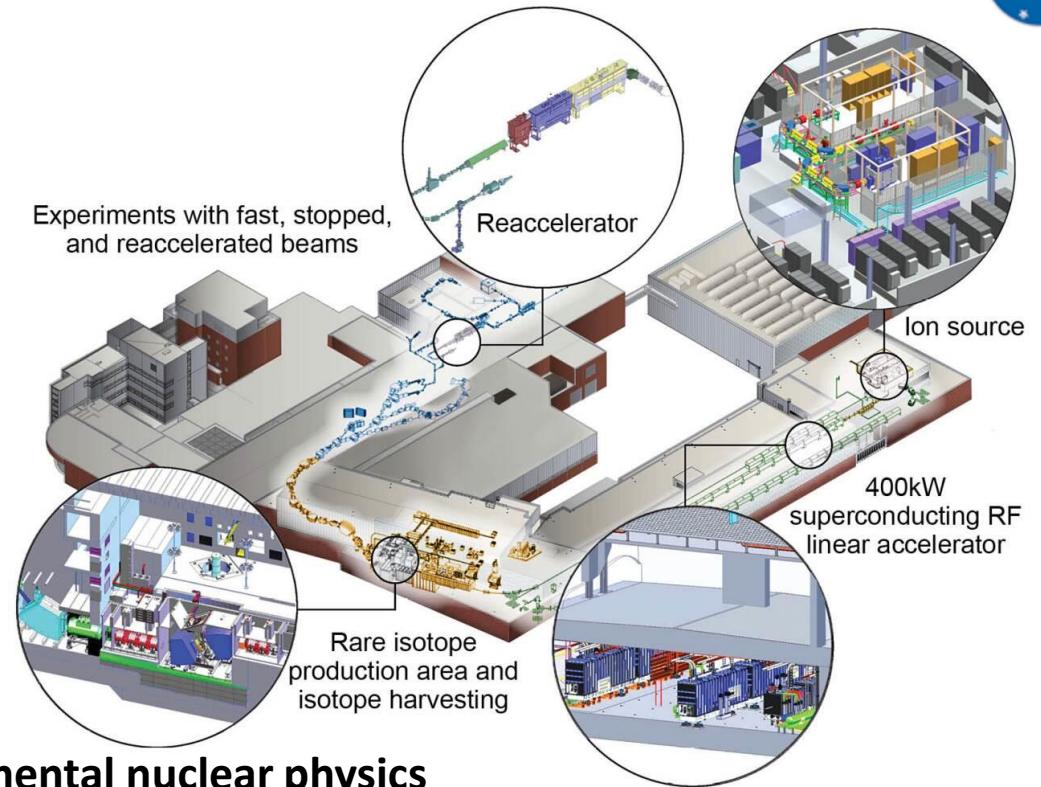
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“强流重离子加速器装置” | impcas.ac.cn



- 认识原子核内有效相互作用。
- 探索宇宙中从铁到铀元素的来源
- 粒子辐照应用研究

杨建成、孙志宇

Facility for Rare Isotope Beams
at Michigan State University



Experimental nuclear physics

- map the nuclear landscape,
- **understand the forces that bind nucleons into nuclei,**
- answer questions about the astrophysical origin of nuclear matter,
- address societal needs related to nuclear science and technology.

Solute to Chinese Pioneers

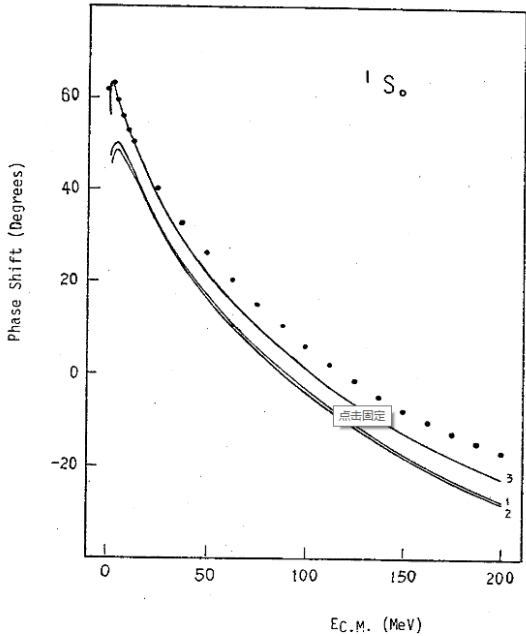


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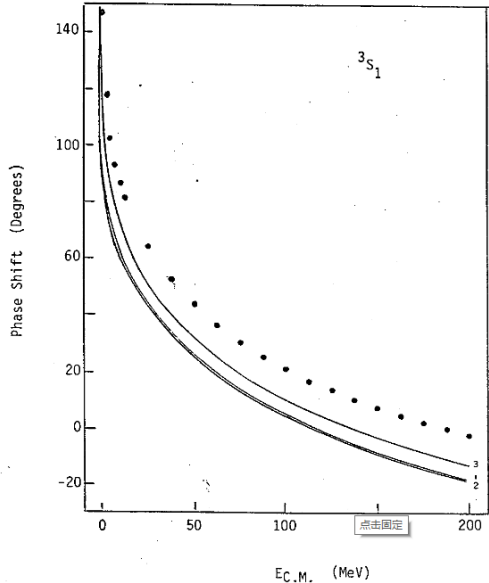


Fig.4

1988	Quark model	CPL 5 (1988) 297
1991	Quark-antiquark pair creation model	NPA 528 (1991) 513
1993	Quark potential model	NPA 561 (1993) 595
2003	Extended chiral SU(3) quark model	NPA 727 (2003) 321

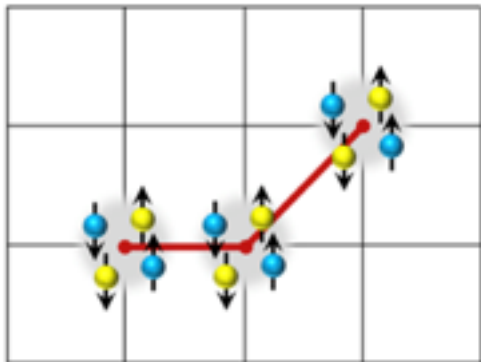
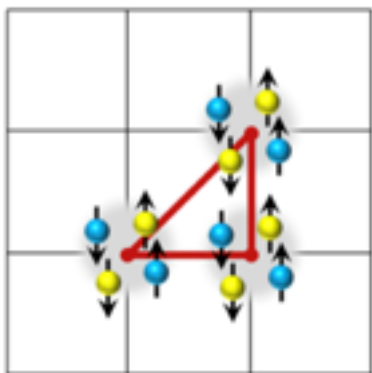
Quark Delocalization Color Screening Model (QDCSM)

1980, F. Wang, and Y. He, Chin. J. Nucl. Phys. 2,261 (1980)

1992, F. Wang, G. H. Wu, L. J. Teng and T. Goldman, Phys. Rev. Lett. **69**, 2901 (1992)



Why high precision—we are entering the era of first principles



Hoyle state of Carbon

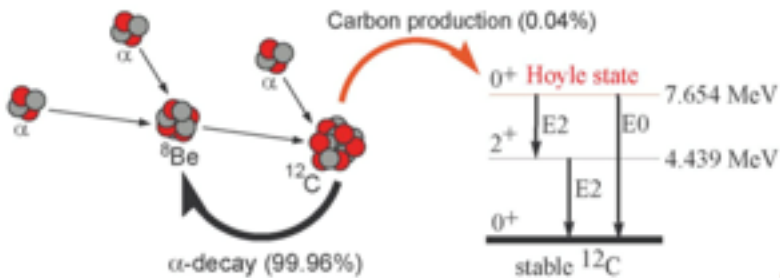


TABLE II. Lattice and experimental results for the energies of the low-lying even-parity states of ^{12}C , in units of MeV.

	0_1^+	$2_1^+(E^+)$	0_2^+	$2_2^+(E^+)$
LO	-96(2)	-94(2)	-89(2)	-88(2)
NLO	-77(3)	-74(3)	-72(3)	-70(3)
NNLO	-92(3)	-89(3)	-85(3)	-83(3)
Expt.	-92.16	-87.72	-84.51	-82.6(1) [8,10] -81.1(3) [9] -82.32(6) [11]

PRL 109, 252501 (2012)

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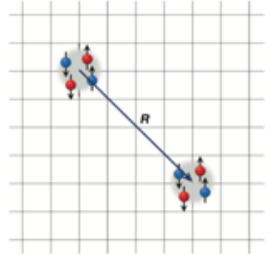
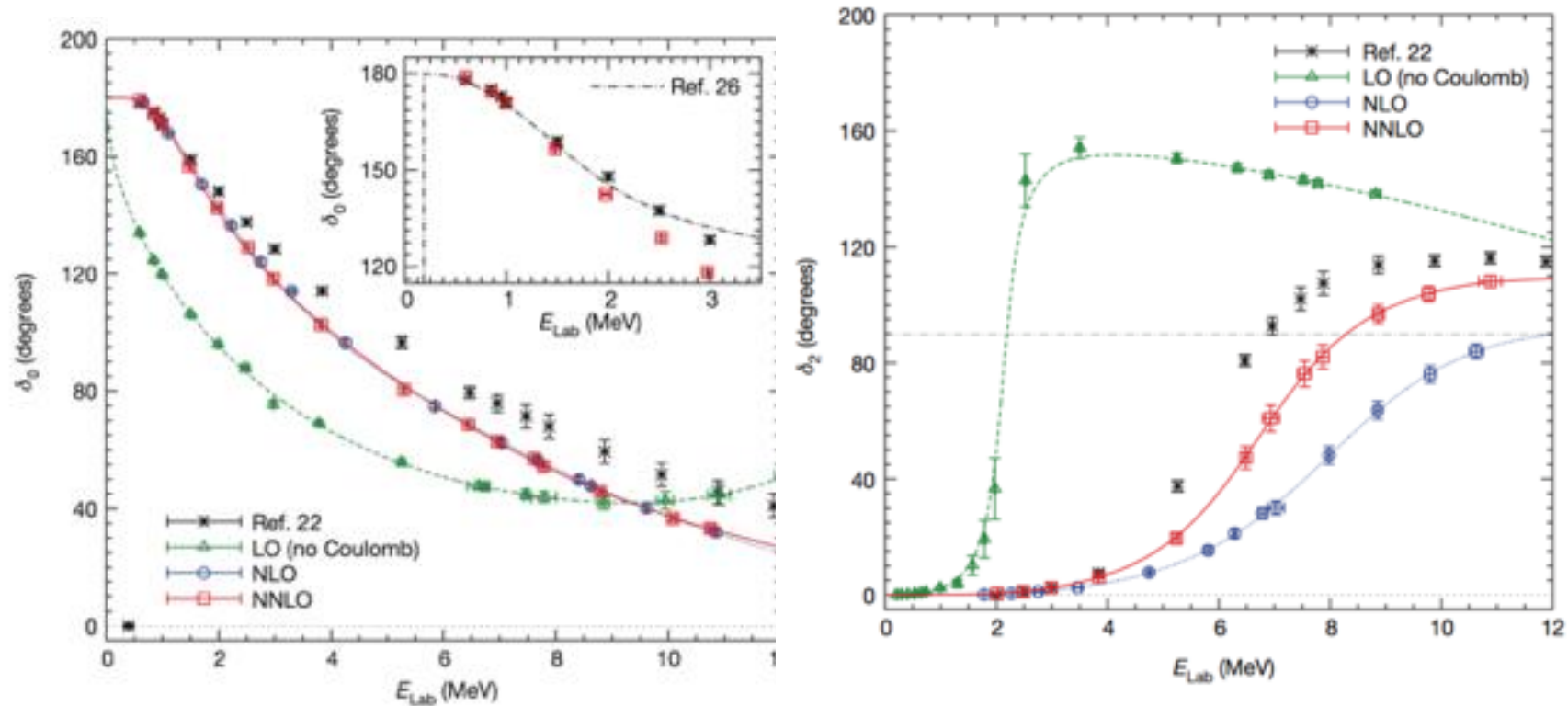
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Structure and Rotations of the Hoyle State

Evgeny Epelbaum,¹ Hermann Krebs,¹ Timo A. Lähde,² Dean Lee,⁴ and Ulf-G. Meißner^{5,2,3}

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Ab initio alpha-alpha scattering

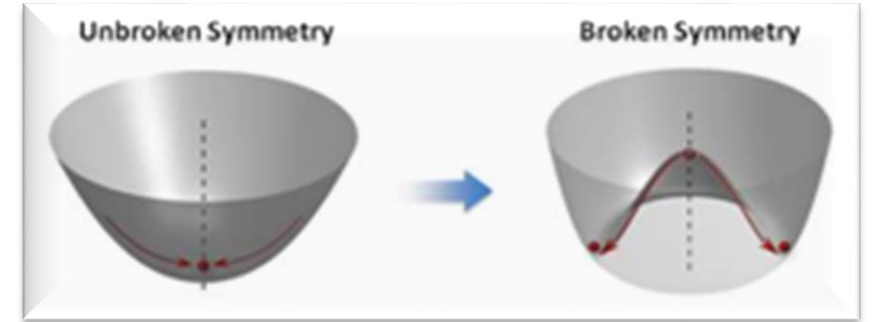
Serdar Elhatisari¹, Dean Lee², Gautam Rupak³, Evgeny Epelbaum⁴, Hermann Krebs⁴, Timo A. Lähde⁵, Thomas Luu^{1,5} & Ulf-G. Meißner^{1,5,6}

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Why chiral (effective field theory)

□ Chiral perturbation theory—low energy EFT of QCD

- ✓ Because of **quark confinement and asymptotic freedom**, low energy QCD can not be solved perturbatively
- ✓ Maps quark (u, d, s) dof's to those of the asymptotic states, hadrons
- ✓ Allows a perturbative formulation of **low energy QCD** in powers of external momenta and light quark masses, by utilizing chiral symmetry and its breaking pattern (**the third feature of QCD**)



□ Development—Trilogy

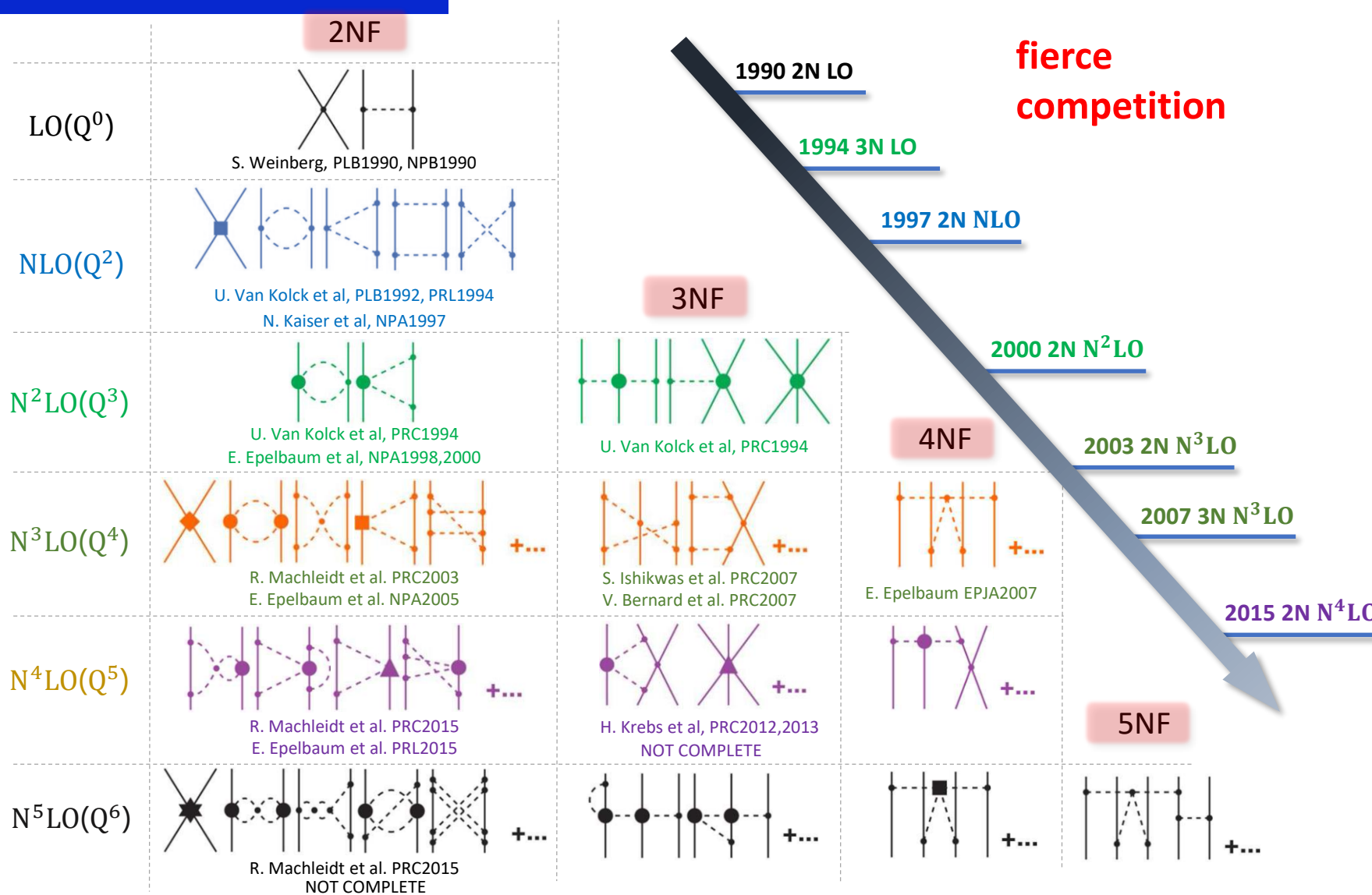
- ✓ 1979, pion-pion, Weinberg
- ✓ 1989, to the one-baryon sector, Gasser, Sainio, Svarc
- ✓ 1990/91/92, to NN/NNN, Weinberg—very successful

[Rev. Mod. Phys. 81\(2009\)1773](#); [Phys. Rept. 503\(2011\)1](#); [Rev. Mod. Phys. 92 \(2020\) 025004](#)



Steven Weinberg
Nobel Prize in Physics in 1979

Many scientists contributed: 30 years of endeavor



Adopted from Front.in Phys. 8 (2020) 57



van Kolck



Kaiser



Epelbaum



Machleidt



Philipps



Savage

Why chiral nuclear forces

□ Fewer parameters, similar precision

	AV-18	Chiral		
		N3LO	NNLO	NLO
No. of parameters	40	24	9	9
Description of 2402 np data	1.04	1.10	10.1	36.2

□ More importantly, they are derived from EFTs

- ✓ Closer link with QCD
- ✓ Systematic/order-by-order improvements
- ✓ Consistent descriptions of two/three/four body interactions on the same footing
- ✓ Quantifiable uncertainties-- PRA83(2011)040001

Why relativistic/covariant

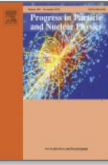
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- ❑ Lorentz invariance is one of **the most important symmetries** in Nature.
- ❑ Both kinematical and dynamical relativistic corrections self-consistently included
- ❑ Relativistic approaches successful in explaining **fine structures**
 - ✓ Atomic and molecular systems: why gold is yellow
 - ✓ Nuclear system: spin-orbit splitting, pseudospin symmetry, **covariant DFT** 孟杰、龙文辉、郭建友、蒋维洲
 - ✓ One-baryon sector: magnetic moments、masses、sigma terms



Progress in Particle and Nuclear Physics

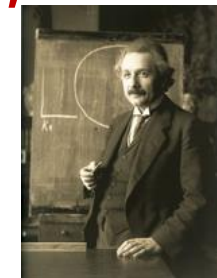
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Review

Towards an *ab initio* covariant density functional theory for nuclear structure

Shihang Shen ^{a, b, c}, Haozhao Liang ^{d, e}, Wen Hui Long ^{f, g}, Jie Meng ^{a, h, i} ✉, Peter Ring ^{a, j}



Einstein



Dirac



Mayer



Jensen



Arima

Why covariant/relativistic

- Lorentz invariance or relativistic corrections might play an important role in **speeding up** the convergence of ChEFT

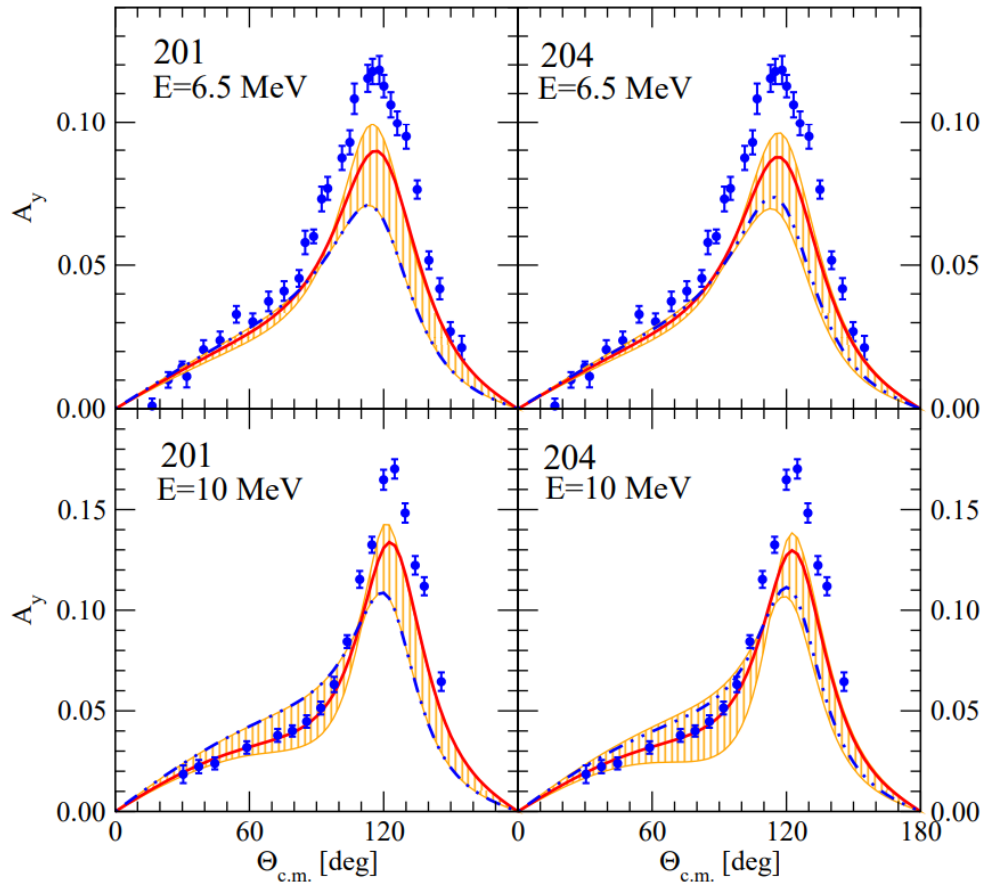
T_{lab} [MeV]	1	50	100	150	200	250	300
P_{cm} [MeV/c]	21.67	153.22	216.68	265.38	306.43	342.60	375.30
P_{cm}/M_N	0.023c	0.16c	0.23c	0.28c	0.33c	0.36c	0.40c

In comparison $m_\pi/m_N = 138/939 \sim 0.15$

Possible solution to puzzles in NR chiral nuclear forces

A_y puzzle in N-d scattering

J. Golak et al. EPJA50,177

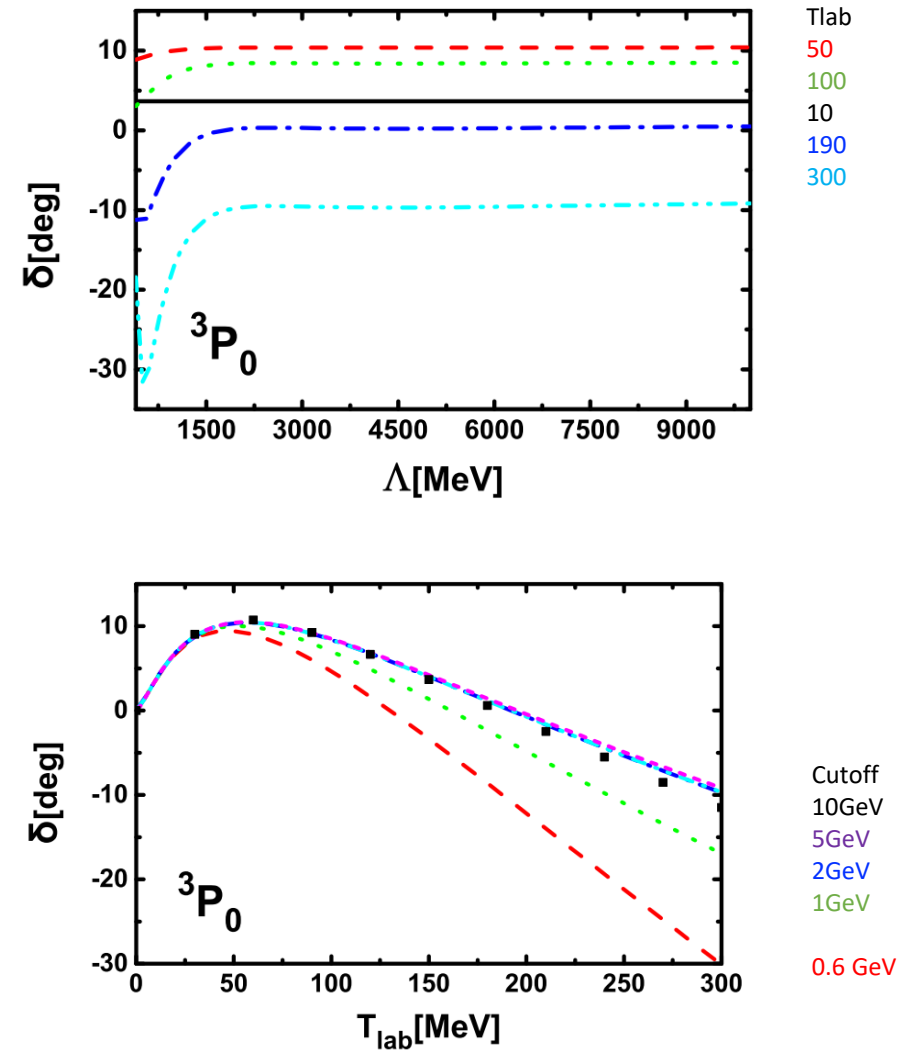


Red: N3LO chiral NN potential

Blue: N3LO chiral NN + full 3N potential

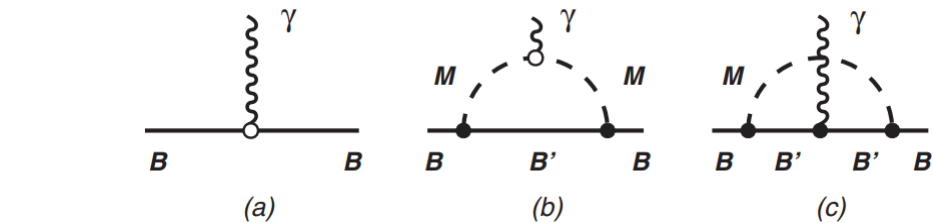
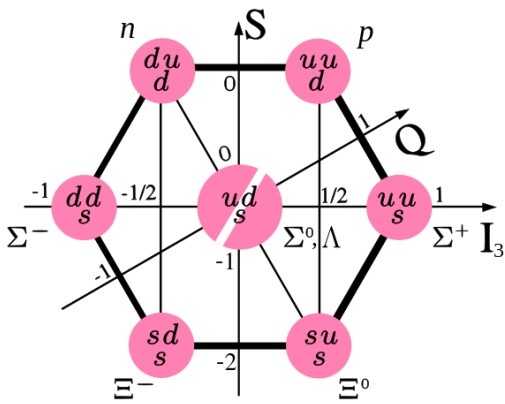
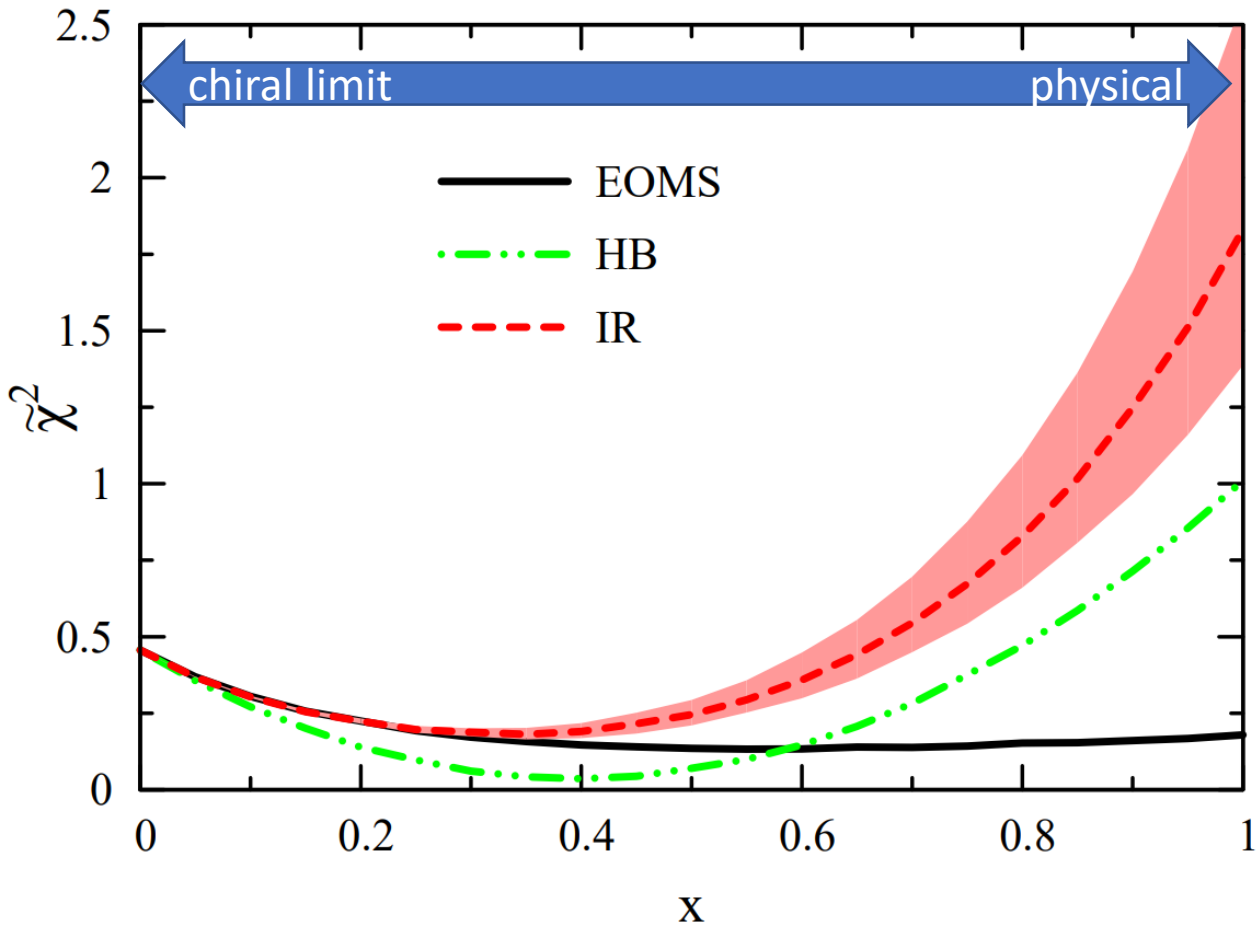
Renormalization group invariance in 3P_0

C.X. Wang et al. CPC45.054101



One-Baryon sector: covariant BChPT is essential

Li-Sheng Geng et al., PRL101 (2008) 222002



	<i>p</i>	<i>n</i>	Λ	Σ [−]	Σ ⁺	Σ ⁰	Ξ [−]	Ξ ⁰	ΛΣ ⁰	<i>b</i> ₆ ^{<i>D</i>}	<i>b</i> ₆ ^{<i>F</i>}	$\bar{\chi}^2$
<i>O</i> (<i>p</i> ²)												
Tree level	2.56	−1.60	−0.80	−0.97	2.56	0.80	−1.60	−0.97	1.38	2.40	0.77	0.46
<i>O</i> (<i>p</i> ³)												
HB	3.01	−2.62	−0.42	−1.35	2.18	0.42	−0.70	−0.52	1.68	4.71	2.48	1.01
IR	2.08	−2.74	−0.64	−1.13	2.41	0.64	−1.17	−1.45	1.89	4.81	0.012	1.86
EOMS	2.58	−2.10	−0.66	−1.10	2.43	0.66	−0.95	−1.27	1.58	3.82	1.20	0.18
Expt.	2.793(0)	−1.913(0)	−0.613(4)	−1.160(25)	2.458(10)	⋯	−0.651(3)	−1.250(14)	±1.61(8)	⋯	⋯	⋯

It solves a longstanding problem in the understanding of the **baryon magnetic moments**

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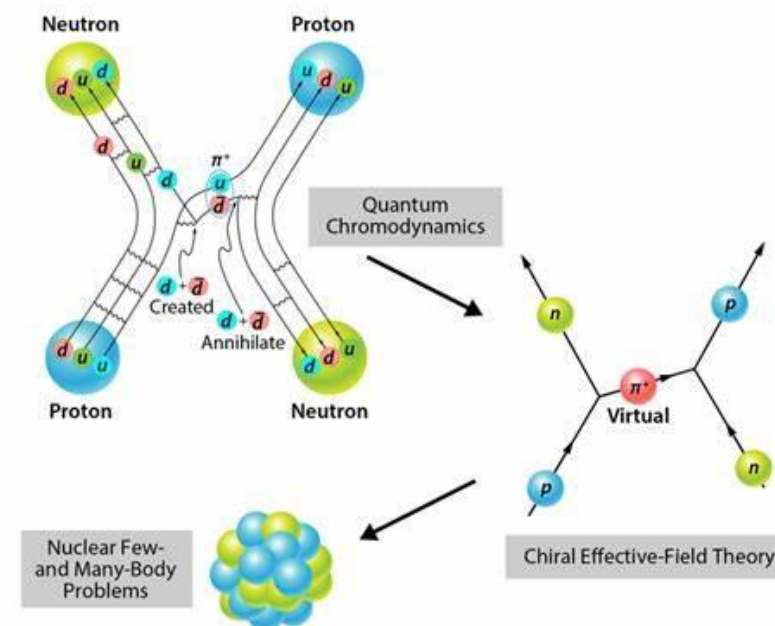
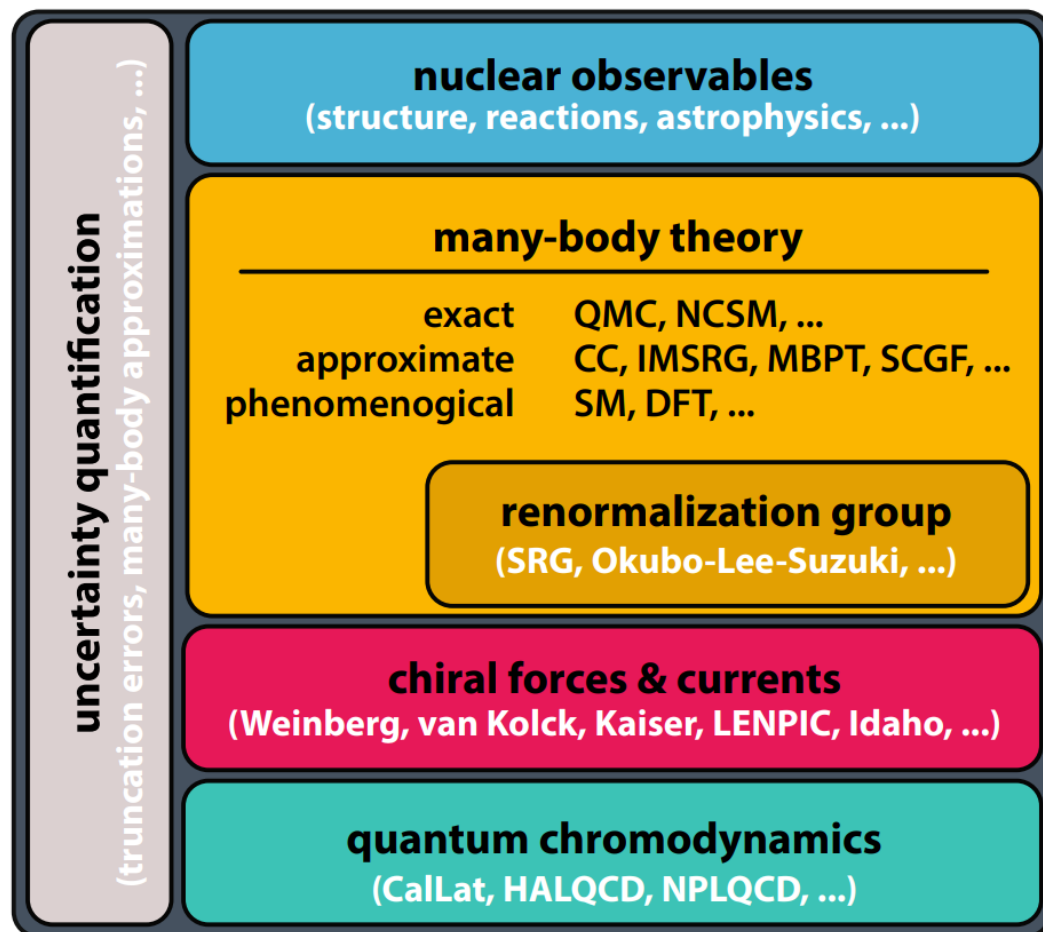
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Summary and outlook

P1: **inputs** for **ab initio covariant** nuclear physics studies

Idealized workflow for ab initio many-body calculations
in modern nuclear theory



Progress in Particle and Nuclear
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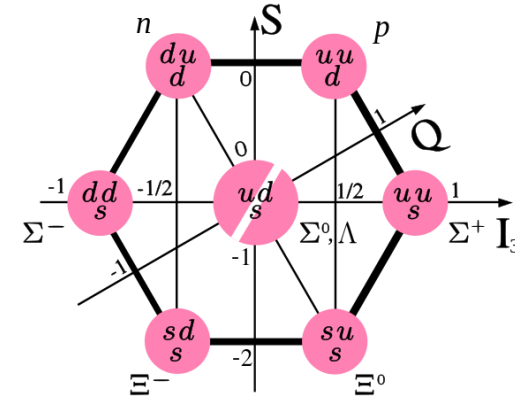
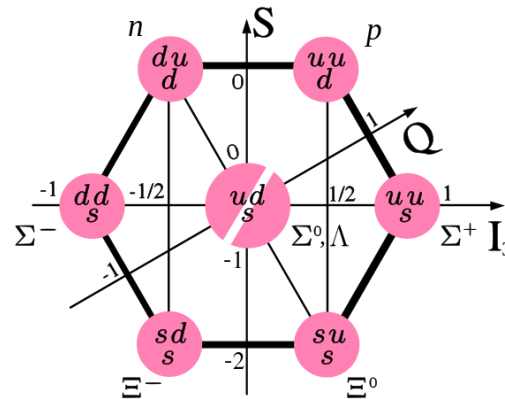
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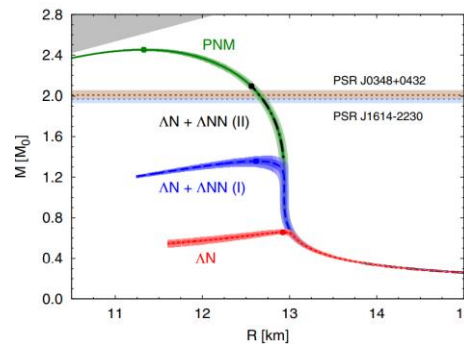
P2: **inputs** for studies of **hypernuclei** and **neutron stars**

- Nucleon-nucleon
- Hyperon-nucleon
- Hyperon-hyperon



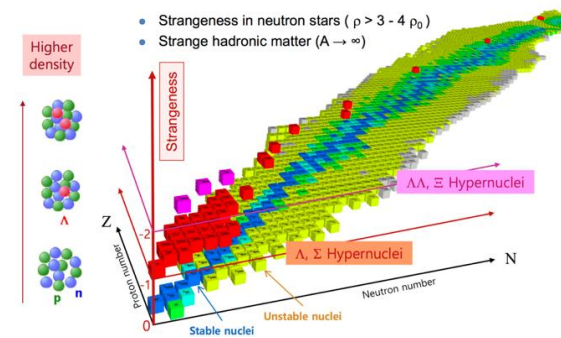
A bound H-dibaryon?

Inoue PRL 106 (2011) 162002



Hyperon puzzle

Lonardoni PRL 114 (2015) 092301



Three D nuclear chart

Kaneta M, Tohoku University, Japan)



Nucleon-nucleon interaction in the 3S1-3D1 coupled channel for a pion mass of 469 MeV

PLB833(2022)137347

Renormalizability of leading order covariant chiral NN interaction

CPC45(2021)054101

Relativistic Chiral Description of the 1S0 NN Scattering

CPL38(2021)062101

Pion-mass dependence of the NN interaction

PLB809(2020)135745

Leading order relativistic chiral NN interaction

CPC42(2018)014103

Relativistic high precision chiral nuclear forces

PRL128(2022)142002

Non-perturbative two-pion exchange contributions

PRC105(2022)014003

Perturbative two-pion exchange contributions

PRC102(2020)054001

Meson-baryon scattering up to one-loop

PRD99(2019)054024

Covariant chiral NN contact

Lagrangians up to N3LO

PRC99(2019)024004

leading order

next-to-next-to-leading order

Strangeness $S = -2$ BB interactions and femtoscopic correlation functions

2201.04997

Test of the YN interaction of the leading order covariant ChEFT

PRC105(2022)035203

Strangeness $S = -3$ and $S = -4$ BB interactions

PRC103(2021)025201

Strangeness $S = -2$ BB interactions

PRC98(2018)065203

Strangeness $S = -1$ YN interactions

PRC98(2018)065203

Leading order relativistic YN interactions

CPC42(2018)014105

Strangeness $S = -1$ YN scattering in covariant ChEFT

PRD94(2016) 014029



YN&YY

A systematic study from scratch

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How to become relativistic/covariant



□ **Dirac spinors and algebra** (instead of non-relativistic wave functions and Pauli matrices)

$$u(\mathbf{p}, s) = N_p \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_p} \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \mathbf{p} \\ \epsilon_p \end{pmatrix} \right) \chi_s, N_p = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_p}{2M_N}}$$

	$\mathbb{1}$	γ_5	γ_μ	$\gamma_5 \gamma_\mu$	$\sigma_{\mu\nu}$	$\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}$	$\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu$	∂_μ
$\mathcal{P}$	+	-	+	-	+	-	+	+
$\mathcal{C}$	+	+	-	+	-	+	-	+
h.c.	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+
$\mathcal{O}$	0	1	0	0	0	-	0	1

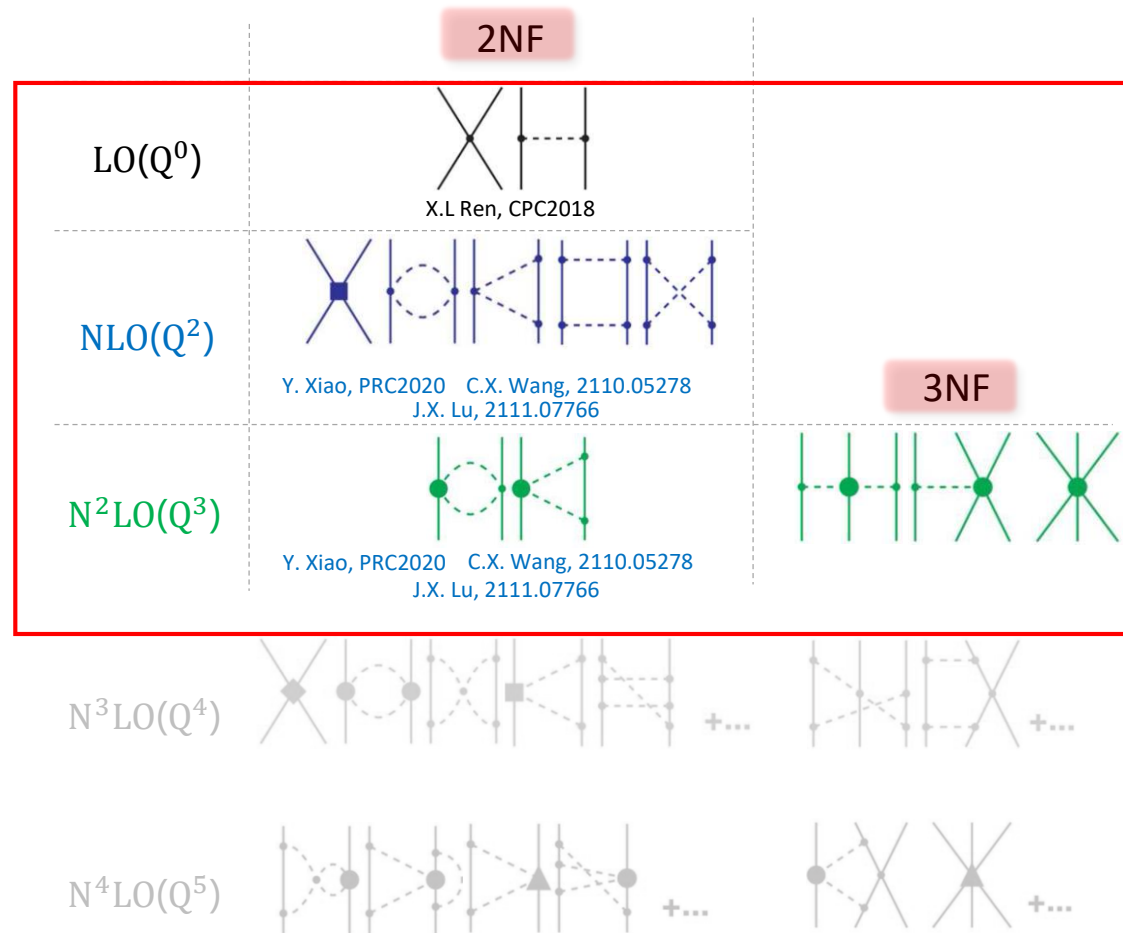
□ **Covariant scattering equation** (instead of Lippmann-Schwinger eq.)

$$\mathcal{T}(p', p | W) = \mathcal{A}(p', p | W) + \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi^4)} \mathcal{A}(p', k | W) G(k | W) \mathcal{T}(k, p | W)$$

$$G(k | W) = \frac{i}{[\gamma^\mu (W + k)_\mu - m_N + i\epsilon]^{(1)} [\gamma^\mu (W - k)_\mu - m_N + i\epsilon]^{(2)}}$$

□ **Covariant power counting** (vs. the Weinberg PC)

Accurate relativistic chiral NN interaction up to NNLO



Three key ingredients

1. Four nucleon (baryon) vertices:
✓ **PRC99(2019)024004**
2. Meson-baryon vertices:
✓ **PRD99(2019)054024**
3. Two-meson exchanges
✓ **PRC102(2020)054001**
✓ **PRC105(2022)014003**

□ NR leading order BoX diagram

$$V_{\text{NLO}}^{\text{TPEP}} = -\frac{\boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_2}{384 \pi^2 f_\pi^4} L(q) \left\{ 4 M_\pi^2 (5 g_A^4 - 4 g_A^2 - 1) + q^2 (23 g_A^4 - 10 g_A^2 - 1) + \frac{48 g_A^4 M_\pi^4}{4 M_\pi^2 + q^2} \right\} - \frac{3 g_A^4}{64 \pi^2 f_\pi^4} L(q) \{ \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \mathbf{q} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q} - q^2 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \} + P(\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{q}),$$

$$L(q) = \frac{1}{q} \sqrt{4 M_\pi^2 + q^2} \ln \frac{\sqrt{4 M_\pi^2 + q^2} + q}{2 M_\pi}$$

□ Leading order BoX diagram

$$\mathcal{A} = \text{Loop integral} \times \text{Bilinear}$$

- Bilnear (**114 项**)

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} \bar{u}_3 u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \not{p}_i u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \not{p}_i \not{p}_j u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \gamma^\mu u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \gamma_\mu u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \not{p}_i \gamma^\mu u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_j \gamma_\mu u_2 \\ \bar{u}_3 u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_i u_2 & \bar{u}_3 u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_i \not{p}_j u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \not{p}_i u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_j u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \gamma^\mu u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_i \gamma_\mu u_2 & \bar{u}_3 \gamma^\mu u_1 \cdot \bar{u}_4 \not{p}_i \not{p}_j \gamma_\mu u_2 \end{array}$$

and more...

- Loop integrals—— scalar and tensor (**29 terms**)

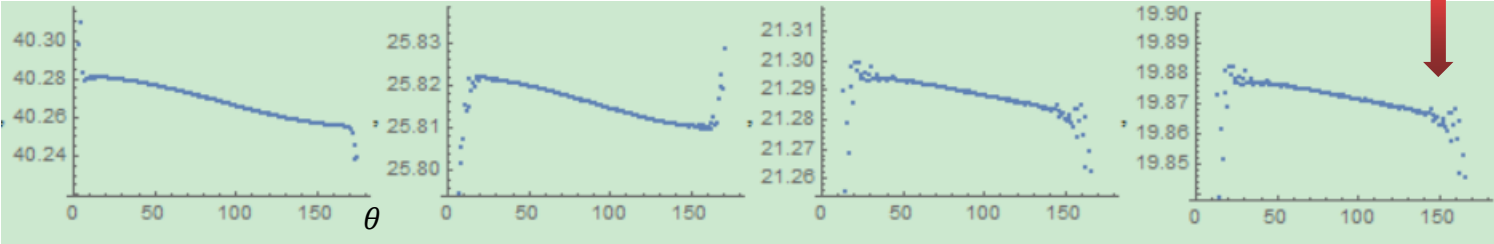
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- Numerical accuracy and singularity

$D_{11}, D_{12}, D_{22}, D_{23}$ coefficients diverge

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{➤ } \frac{1}{1-\cos \theta^2} \\ \text{➤ } (\frac{p_{\text{off}}}{M_N})^n \approx 10^{-3n} \end{array}$$

Hardware accuracy



Uncertainty Estimates

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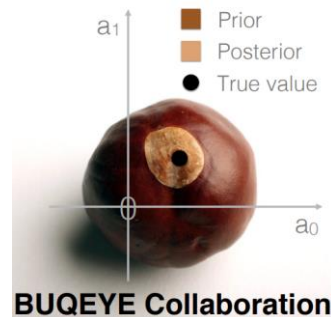
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Bayesian Uncertainty quantification

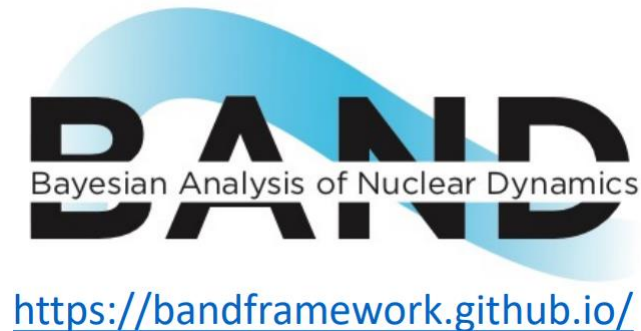
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<https://bandframework.github.io/>

NNLO high precision relativistic chiral force

□ 19 LECs fitted to the phase shifts of all the partial waves

with $J \leq 2$ at $E_{lab} = 1, 5, 10, 25, 50, 100, 150, 200$ MeV

$$\tilde{\chi}^2 = \sum (\delta^i - \delta_{\text{PWA93}}^i)^2,$$

□ TPE&OPE fixed

c_1	c_2	c_3	c_4	f_π	g_A
-1.39	4.01	-6.61	3.92	92.4	1.29

□ Fit results

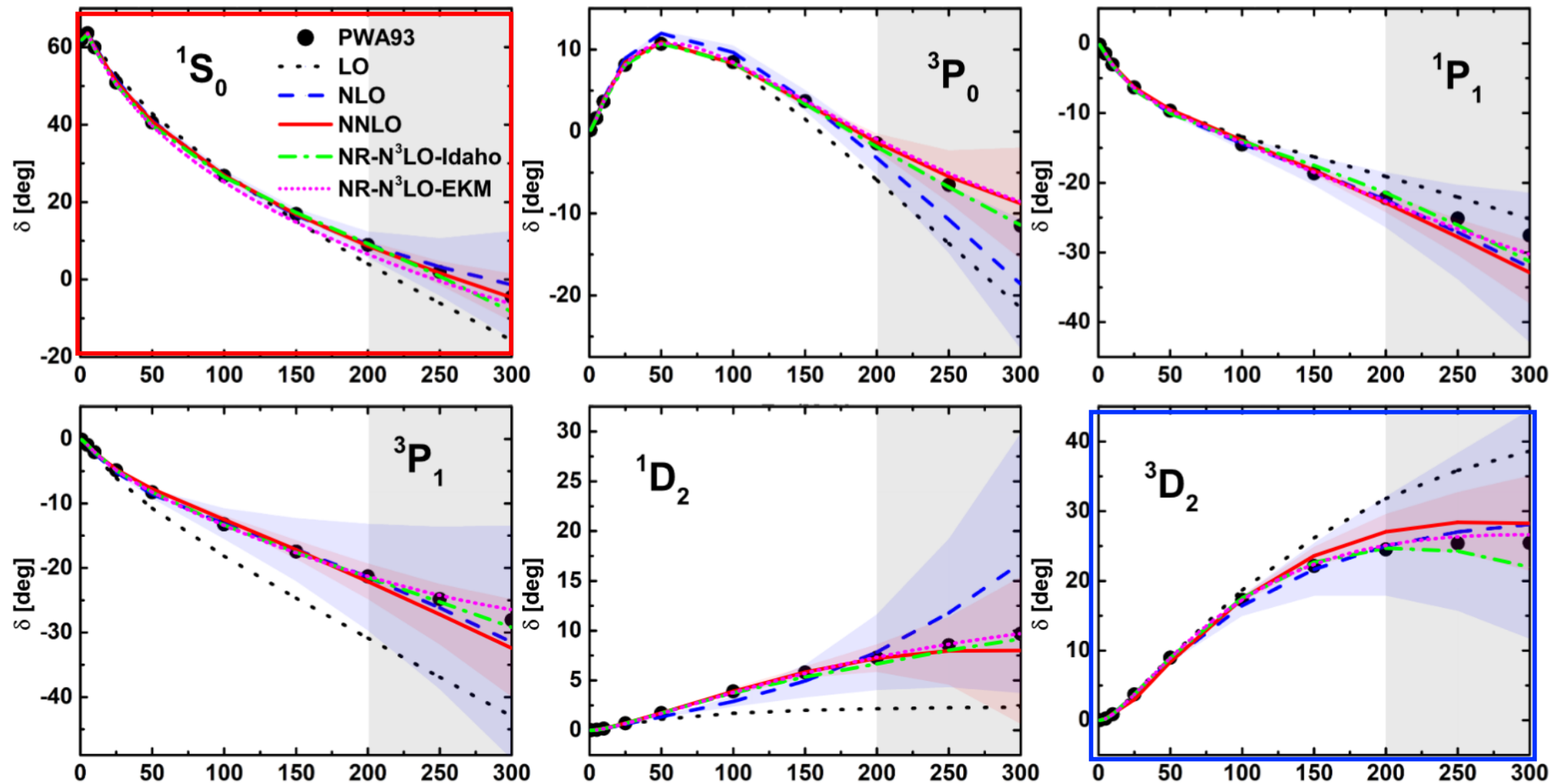
	O_1	O_2	O_3	O_4	O_5	O_6	O_7	O_8	O_9	O_{10}	O_{11}	O_{12}	O_{13}	O_{14}	O_{15}	O_{16}	O_{17}	D_1	D_2
LO	-13.23	-2.06	-9.34	3.14															
NLO	-2.62	9.45	-5.42	-6.05	30.09	9.02	-9.19	8.74	4.74	7.02	3.52	11.42	-6.03	-20.55	-4.99	-12.80	6.30	0.42	0.28
NNLO	-14.83	-2.25	-4.85	6.24	-0.82	1.96	-6.89	7.19	1.44	3.50	-8.10	-9.38	-4.33	-12.89	-12.26	-11.69	3.86	-1.88	-0.63

TABLE III. $\tilde{\chi}^2 = \sum_i (\delta^i - \delta_{\text{PWA93}}^i)^2$ of different chiral forces for partial waves up to $J \leq 2$.

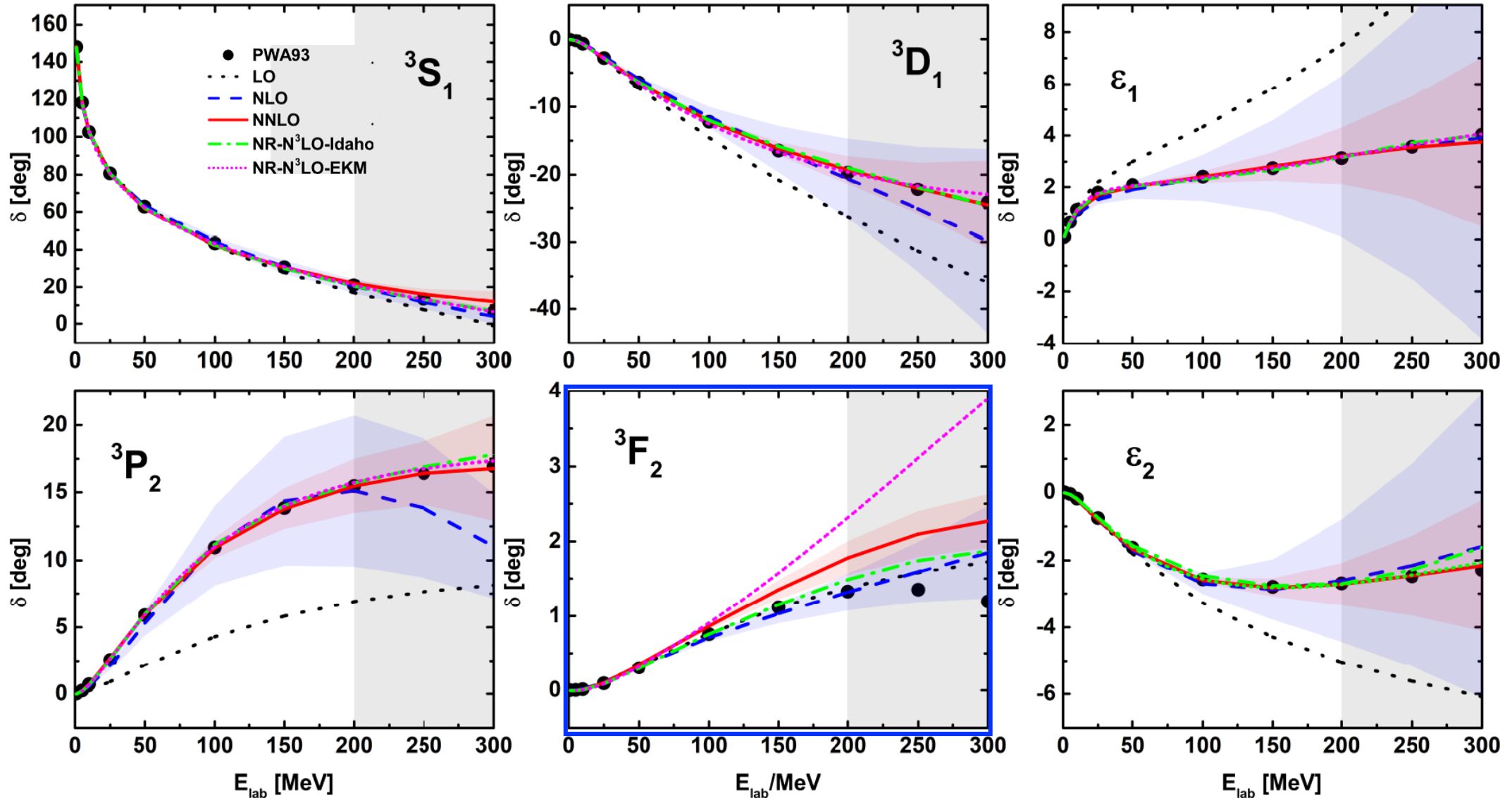
	Total	1S_0	3P_0	1P_1	3P_1	3S_1	3D_1	ϵ_1	1D_2	3D_2	3P_2	3F_2	ϵ_2
NLO	17.02	1.02	7.04	0.46	0.33	1.80	1.69	0.15	2.18	1.35	0.95	0.01	0.04
NNLO	16.61	0.18	0.30	1.07	1.55	3.36	0.26	0.03	0.01	9.56	0.01	0.27	0.01
NR-N ³ LO-Idaho	8.84	1.53	0.30	2.41	0.04	2.33	1.00	0.02	0.57	0.42	0.17	0.03	0.02
NR-N ³ LO-EKM	16.08	13.45	0.29	0.34	0.06	0.01	0.13	0.01	0.02	0.43	0.12	1.22	0.00

comparable
to best NR-N3LO

Fit results for $J \leq 2$ partial waves

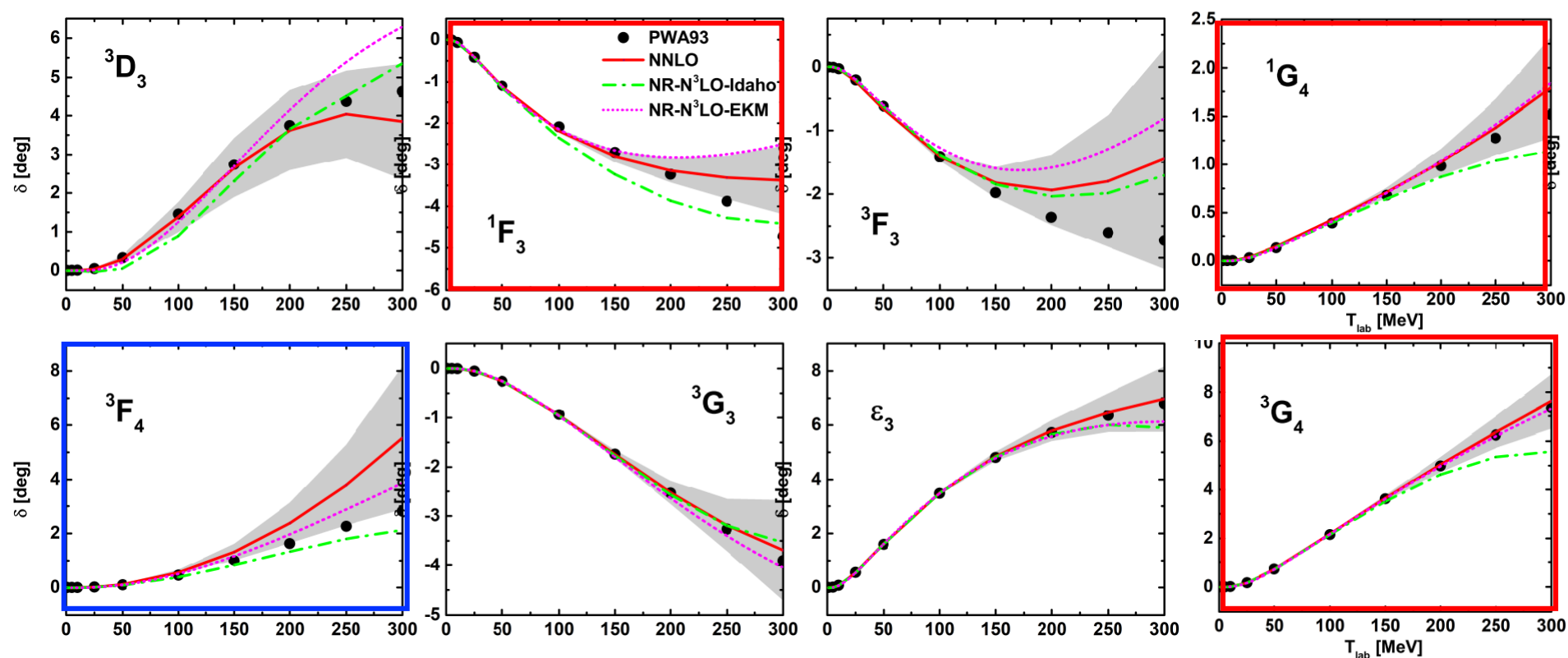


Fit results for $J \leq 2$ partial waves



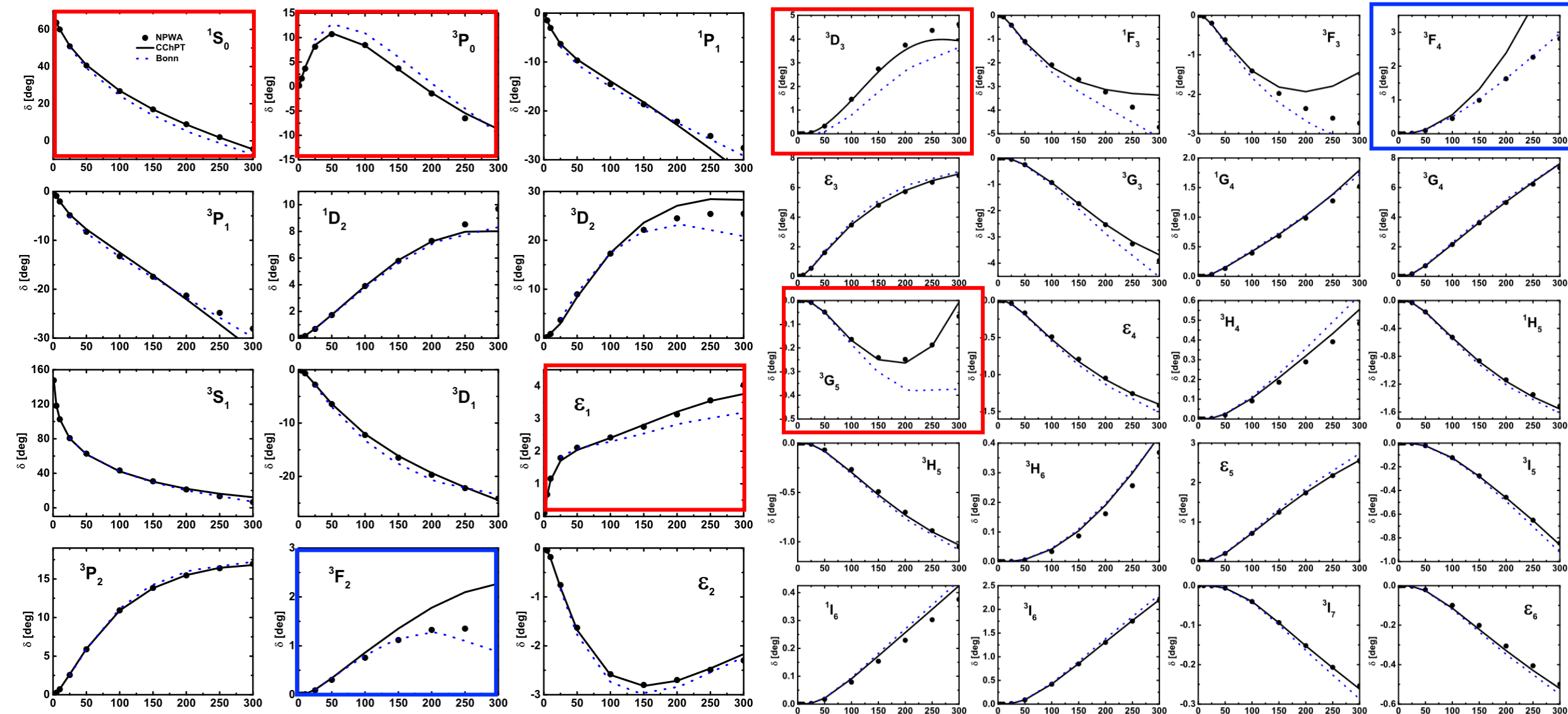
Better predictions for higher partial waves

	Total	3D_3	1F_3	3F_3	3F_4	3G_3	ϵ_3	1G_4	3G_4
NNLO	0.98	0.03	0.03	0.21	0.70	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00
NR-N ³ LO-Idaho	1.73	0.58	0.73	0.13	0.12	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.15
NR-N ³ LO-EKM	3.00	0.56	1.44	0.28	0.54	0.01	0.01	0.03	0.13

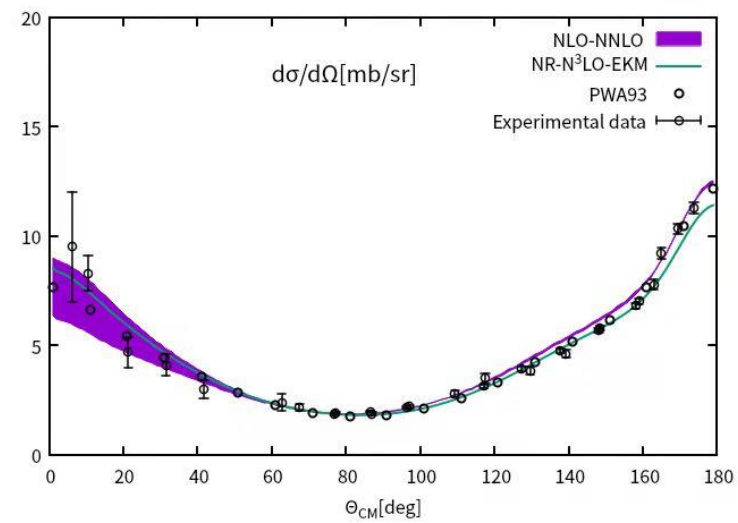
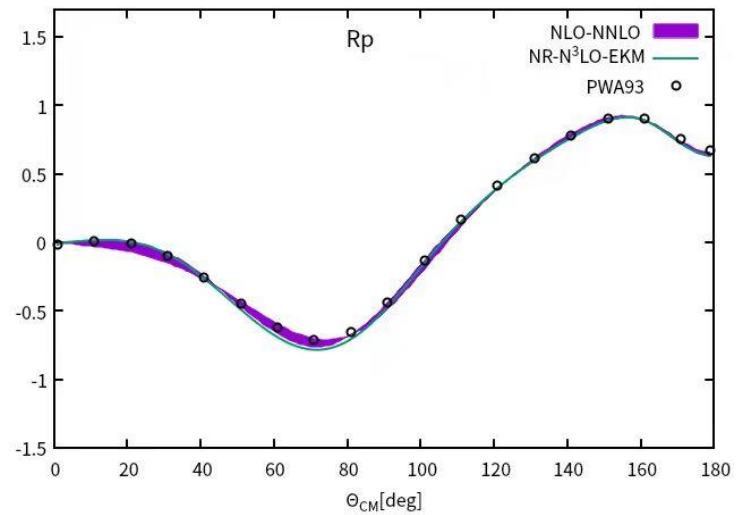
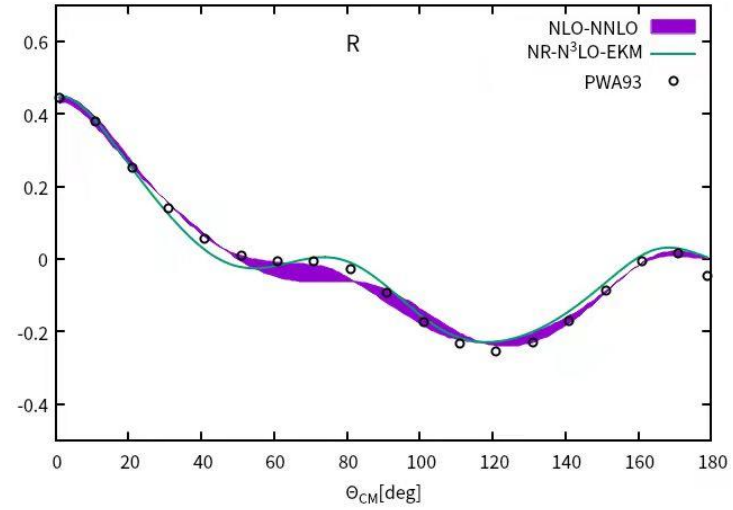
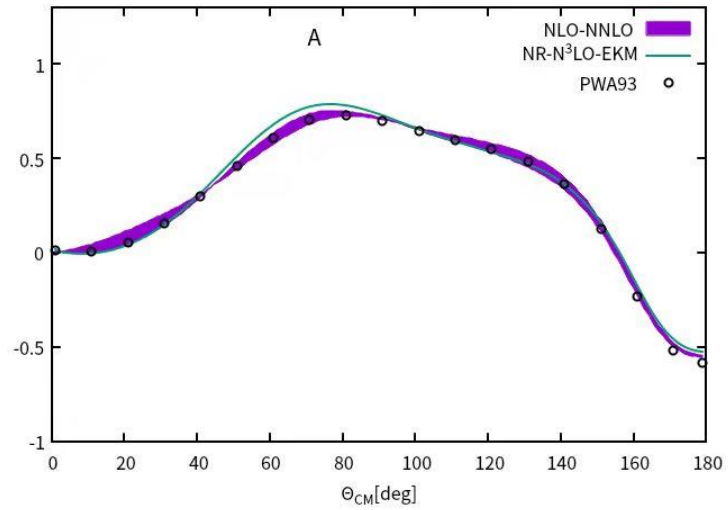


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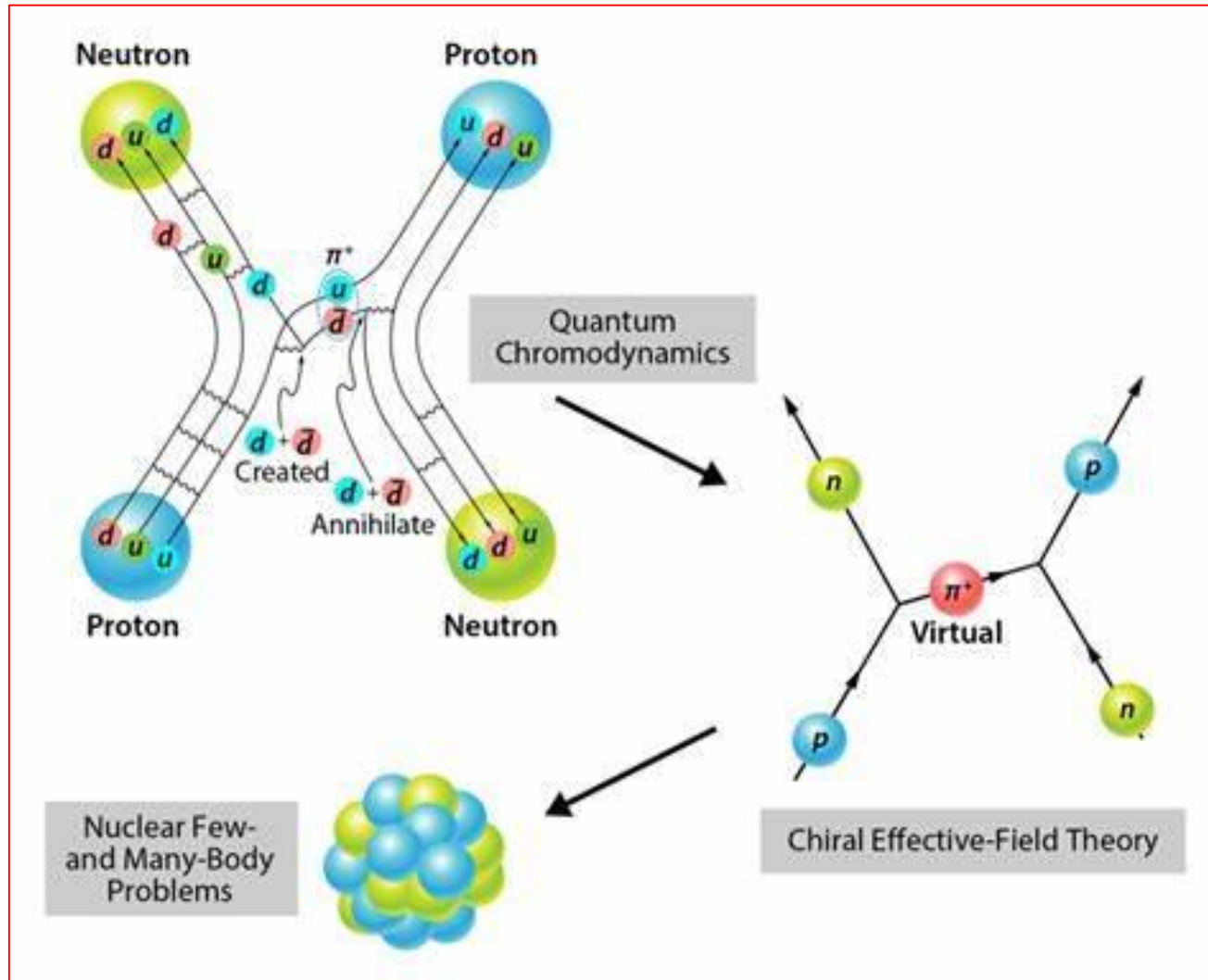


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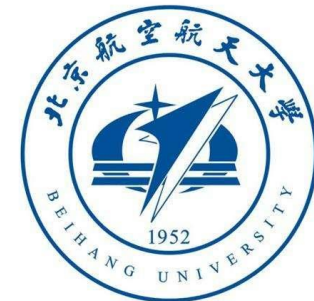
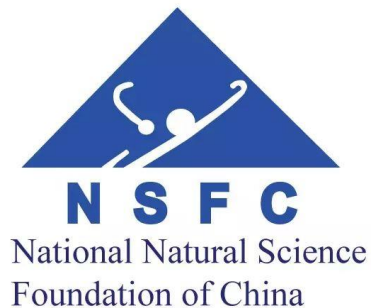


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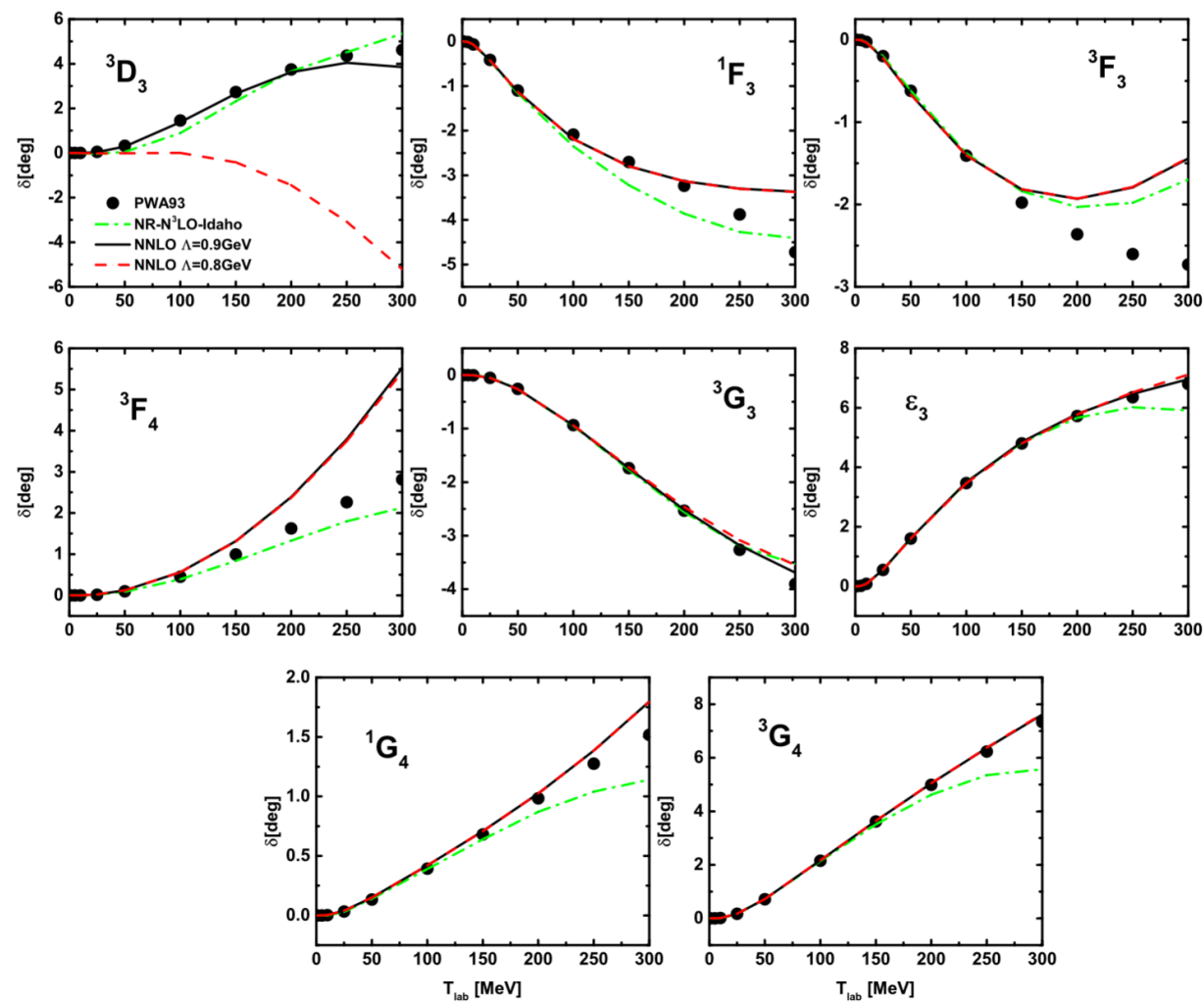
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Cutoff dependence



Family of chiral two- plus three-nucleon interactions for accurate nuclear structure studies

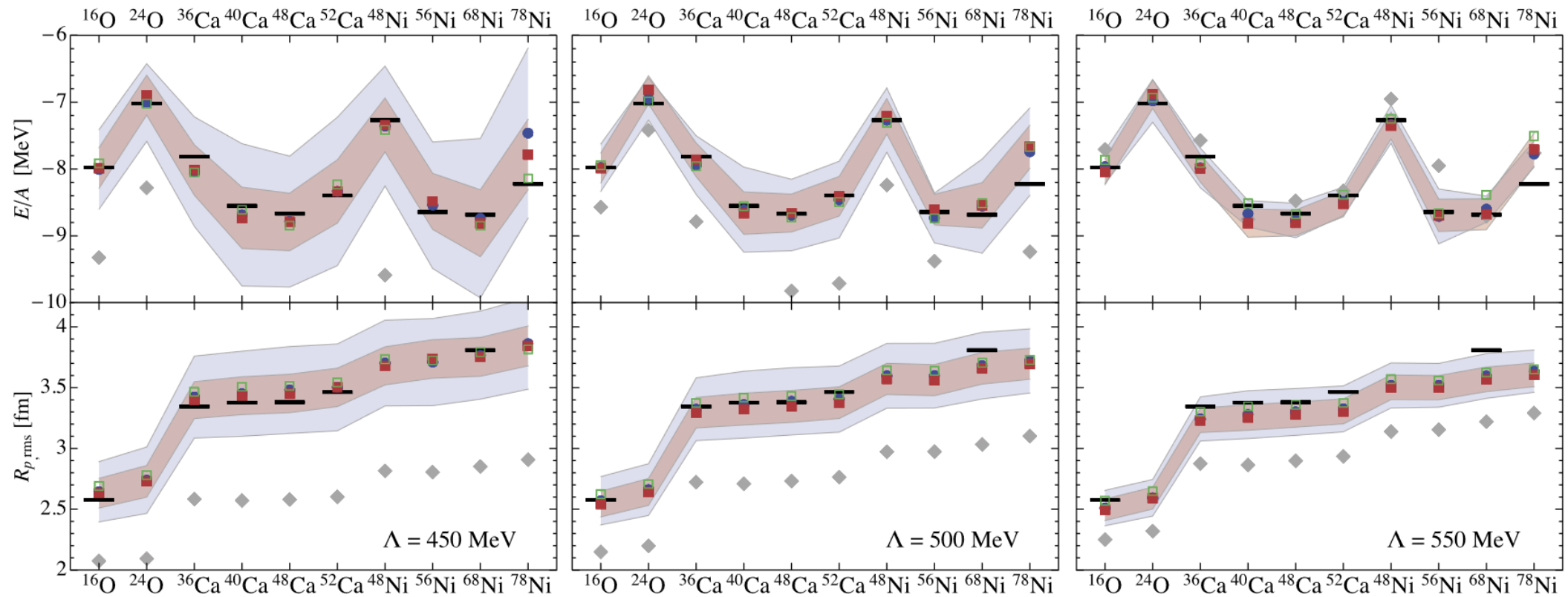


Fig. 4. Ground-state energies (top panels) and point-proton rms radii (bottom panels) obtained in IM-SRG calculations for the NLO (solid gray diamonds), N²LO (blue circles), N³LO (red boxes), and N³LO' (open green boxes) interactions with $\Lambda = 450$ MeV (left), 500 MeV (center), and 550 MeV (right). The error bands for N²LO (blue) and N³LO (red) are derived from the order-by-order behavior and include the many-body uncertainties (see text). Experimental data is indicated by black bars [5,37–39].

Accurate vs. Precise

Accuracy	Precision
The degree of correctness to the true or exact value.	The degree of exactness to the values obtained each time.
The closeness of the measured value to a standard or true value.	The closeness of two or more measured values, to each other.
Single measurement	Multiple measurements
For something to be accurate consistently, it must be precise.	Precision is independent of accuracy.

Accurate vs Precise



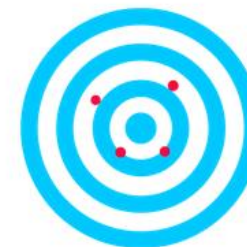
Accurate
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Precise



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Not Precise



Non-perturbative treatment

Blankenbecler-Sugar equation (BbS equation)

$$\mathcal{T}(p', p|W) = \mathcal{A}(p', p|W) + \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi^4)} \mathcal{A}(p', k|W) G(k|W) \mathcal{T}(k, p|W),$$

Solution: difficult

➤ 3D reduction

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{T} &= \mathcal{V} + \mathcal{V}g\mathcal{T}, \\ \mathcal{V} &= \mathcal{A} + \mathcal{A}(G - g)\mathcal{V} \end{aligned} \quad g = \frac{\pi i \delta(k^0) \Lambda_+^1(\mathbf{k}) \Lambda_+^2(-\mathbf{k})}{2E_k(E_k^2 - s/4 - i\epsilon)} \quad \text{3D propagator}$$

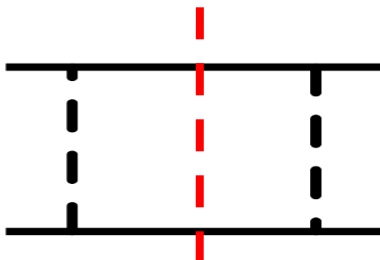
$$T_{l'l}^{sj}(p', p|\sqrt{s}) = V_{l'l}^{sj}(p', p|\sqrt{s}) + \sum_{l''} \int \frac{k^2 dk}{(2\pi)^3} V_{l'l''}^{sj}(p', k|\sqrt{s}) \frac{M^2}{E_k} \frac{1}{p^2 - k^2 + i\epsilon} T_{l''l}^{sj}(k, p|\sqrt{s})$$

➤ Ultraviolet divergence: Regulator

$$V_{l'l}^{sj}(p', p|\sqrt{s}) = f_R(p) V(p', p|\sqrt{s}) f_R(p') \quad f_R(p) = f_R^{\text{sharp}}(p) = \theta(\Lambda^2 - p^2)$$

Iterated OPE

➤ Planar box diagram and once-iterated OPE: double counting



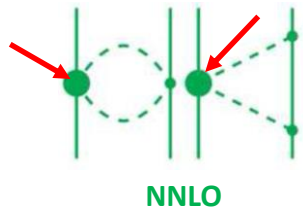
$$V_{\text{IOPE}}^{l'l, sj}(p', p|\sqrt{s}) = \sum_{l''} \int \frac{k^2 dk}{(2\pi)^3} V_{\text{OPE}}^{l'l'', sj}(p', k|\sqrt{s}) G_{\text{BbS}}(k|\sqrt{s}) V_{\text{OPE}}^{l''l, sj}(k, p|\sqrt{s}),$$

Fitting details

- n-p phase shifts for partial waves with $J \leq 2$ and $T_{\text{lab}} \in \{1, 5, 10, 25, 50, 100, 150, 200\}$ MeV

- Function to be minimized: $\tilde{\chi}^2 = \sum (\delta^i - \delta_{\text{PWA93}}^i)^2$ [PWA93: V. G. J. Stoks et al, PRC1993](#)

- Fixed input: LECs $c_{1,2,3,4}$ from $\mathcal{L}_{\text{MB}}^{(2)}$



Covariant NNLO πN scattering

[Y.-H. Chen et al. PRD2013](#)

c_1	c_2	c_3	c_4
-1.39	4.01	-6.61	3.92

- Parameters and regulators

CO-NNLO	19	4(LO) + 13(NLO) + 2(promoted)	Sharp cutoff
NR-N ³ LO-Idaho	29	2(LO) + 7(NLO) + 15(N ³ LO) + 2(Charge) + 3($c_{2,3,4}$ semi-free)	$e^{-p^{n_1}}(S), e^{-p^{n_2}}(L)$
NR-N ³ LO-EKM	26	2(LO) + 7(NLO) + 15(N ³ LO) + 2(Charge)	$e^{-p^{n_1}}(S), (1 - e^{-r^2})^{n_2}(L)$

- NR-N³LO-Idaho: R. Machleidt and D. R. Entem, Phys.Rev.C(2003), Phys.Rept.(2011)
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TABLE II. χ^2 /datum for the reproduction of the 1999 np database [38] below 290 MeV by various np potentials.

Bin (MeV)	# of data	N ³ LO ^a	NNLO ^b	NLO ^b	AV18 ^c
0–100	1058	1.06	1.71	5.20	0.95
100–190	501	1.08	12.9	49.3	1.10
190–290	843	1.15	19.2	68.3	1.11
0–290	2402	1.10	10.1	36.2	1.04

TABLE III. χ^2 /datum for the reproduction of the 1999 pp database [38] below 290 MeV by various pp potentials.

Bin (MeV)	# of data	N ³ LO ^a	NNLO ^b	NLO ^b	AV18 ^c
0–100	795	1.05	6.66	57.8	0.96
100–190	411	1.50	28.3	62.0	1.31
190–290	851	1.93	66.8	111.6	1.82
0–290	2057	1.50	35.4	80.1	1.38

R. Machleidt et al. PRC2003

N³LO: Non-relativistic Chiral NF reached the level of most refined phenomenological forces

NUMBER OF PARAMETERS
for the np potential

	Nijmegen PWA93	CD-Bonn “high precision”	NLO Q^2 (NNLO)	N ³ LO Q^4 (N ⁴ LO)	N ⁵ LO Q^6
¹ S ₀	3	4	2	4	6
³ S ₁	3	4	2	4	6
³ S ₁ - ³ D ₁	2	2	1	3	6
¹ P ₁	3	3	1	2	4
³ P ₀	3	2	1	2	4
³ P ₁	2	2	1	2	4
³ P ₂	3	3	1	2	4
³ P ₂ - ³ F ₂	2	1	0	1	3
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³ D ₂	2	2	0	1	2
³ D ₃	1	2	0	1	2
³ D ₃ - ³ G ₃	1	0	0	0	1
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³ F ₃	1	2	0	0	1
³ F ₄	2	1	0	0	1
³ F ₄ - ³ H ₄	0	0	0	0	0
¹ G ₄	1	0	0	0	0
³ G ₃	0	1	0	0	0
³ G ₄	0	1	0	0	0
³ G ₅	0	1	0	0	0
Total	35	38	9	24	50

An Accurate nucleon-nucleon potential with charge independence breaking

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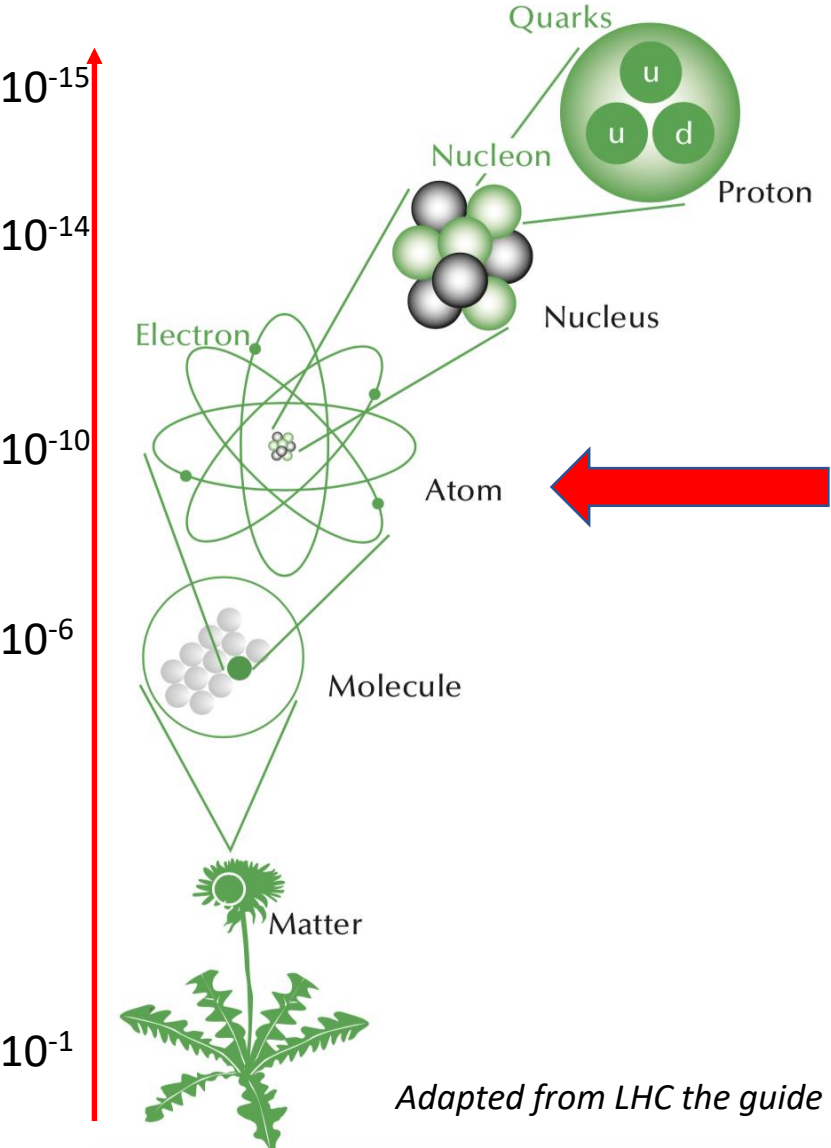
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Nucleons are the essential building blocks of Matter!



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3 Li lithium 6.94 [6.938, 6.997]	4 Be beryllium 9.0122																	10
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19 K potassium 39.098	20 Ca calcium 40.078(4)	21 Sc scandium 44.956	22 Ti titanium 47.867	23 V vanadium 50.942	24 Cr chromium 51.996	25 Mn manganese 54.938	26 Fe iron 55.845(2)	27 Co cobalt 58.933	28 Ni nickel 58.693	29 Cu copper 63.546(3)	30 Zn zinc 65.38(2)	31 Ga gallium 69.723	32 Ge germanium 72.630(8)	33 As arsenic 74.922	34 Se selenium 78.971(8)	35 Br bromine 79.904	36 Kr krypton 83.798(2)	18
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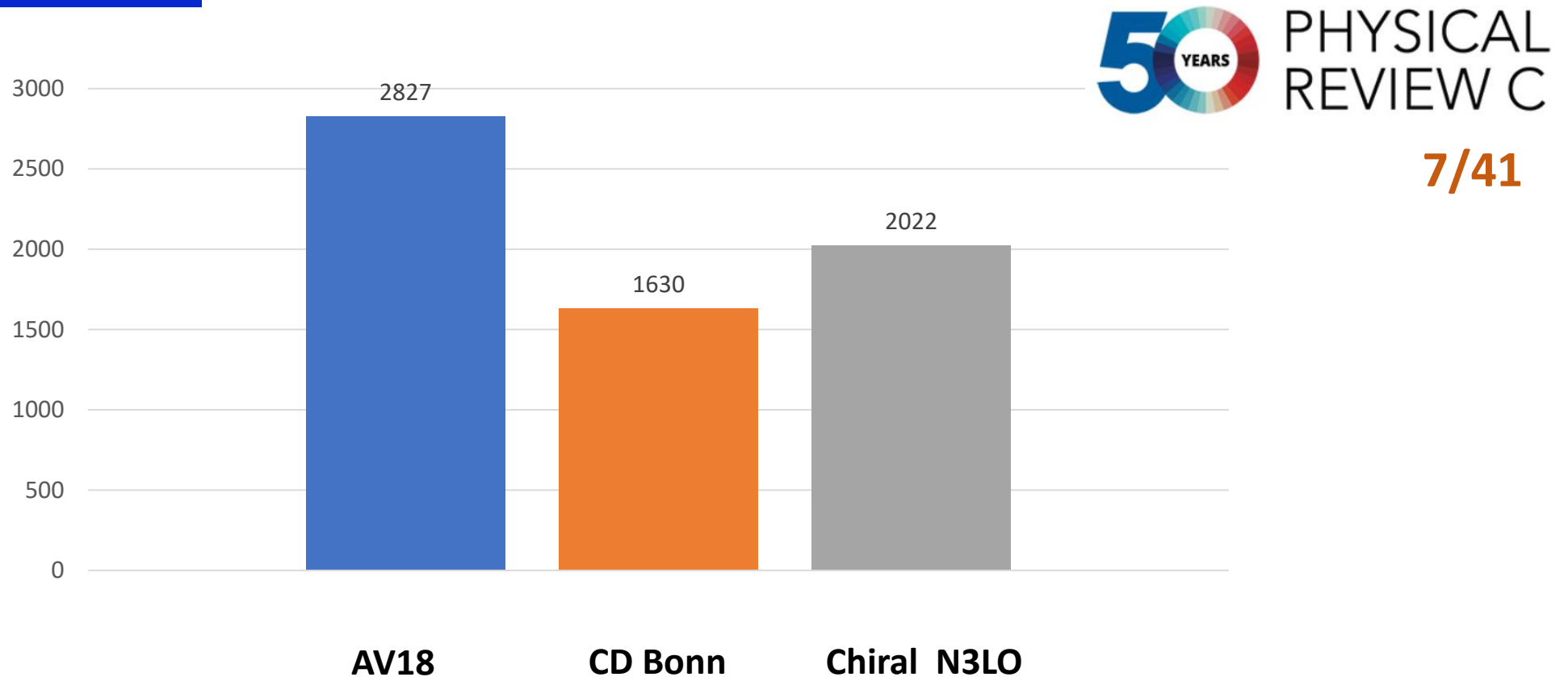
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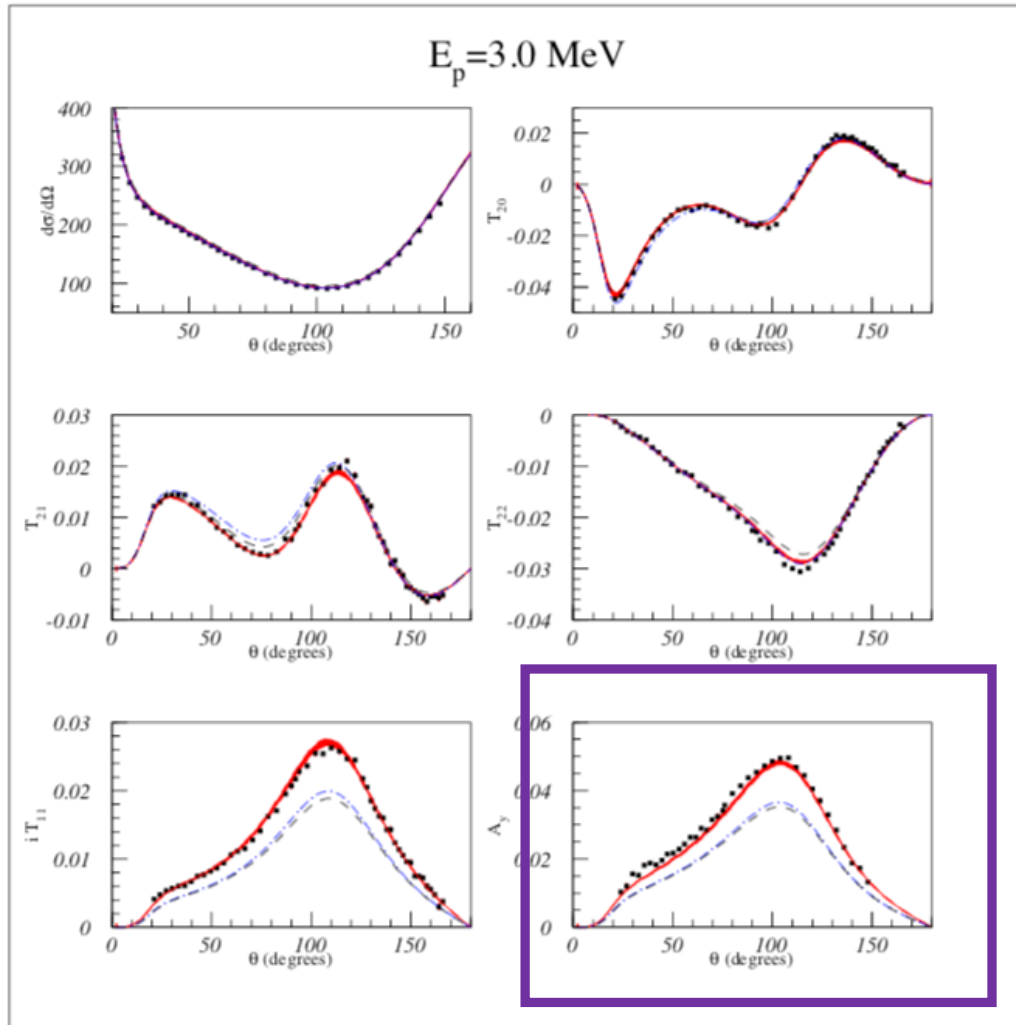
A brief account of the long history: accurate/precise



■ Robert B. Wiringa et al, PRC51, 38(1995) ■ R. Machleidt, PRC63,024001(2001) ■ D.R. Entem et al., PRC68,041001 (2003); E. Epelbaum et al., NPA747(2005) 362

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Promising three-body potential



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L. Girlanda, A. Kievsky, M.
Viviani and L.E. Marcucci

“Fit results in the leading order of the relativistic counting to a set of cross section and polarization $p - d$ observables at 3 MeV proton energy, for $\Lambda = 200 - 500 \text{ MeV}$ (red bands) as compared to the purely two-body AV18 interaction (dashed, black lines) and to the AV18+UIX two- and three-nucleon interaction (dashed-dotted, blue lines).”

Ay puzzle— a 32 year old persistent problem!

Renormalization Group Invariance

- A fundamental feature of EFT that physics at low-energy/long-distance scales is insensitive to the details at high-energy/short-distance scales



Peter Lepage

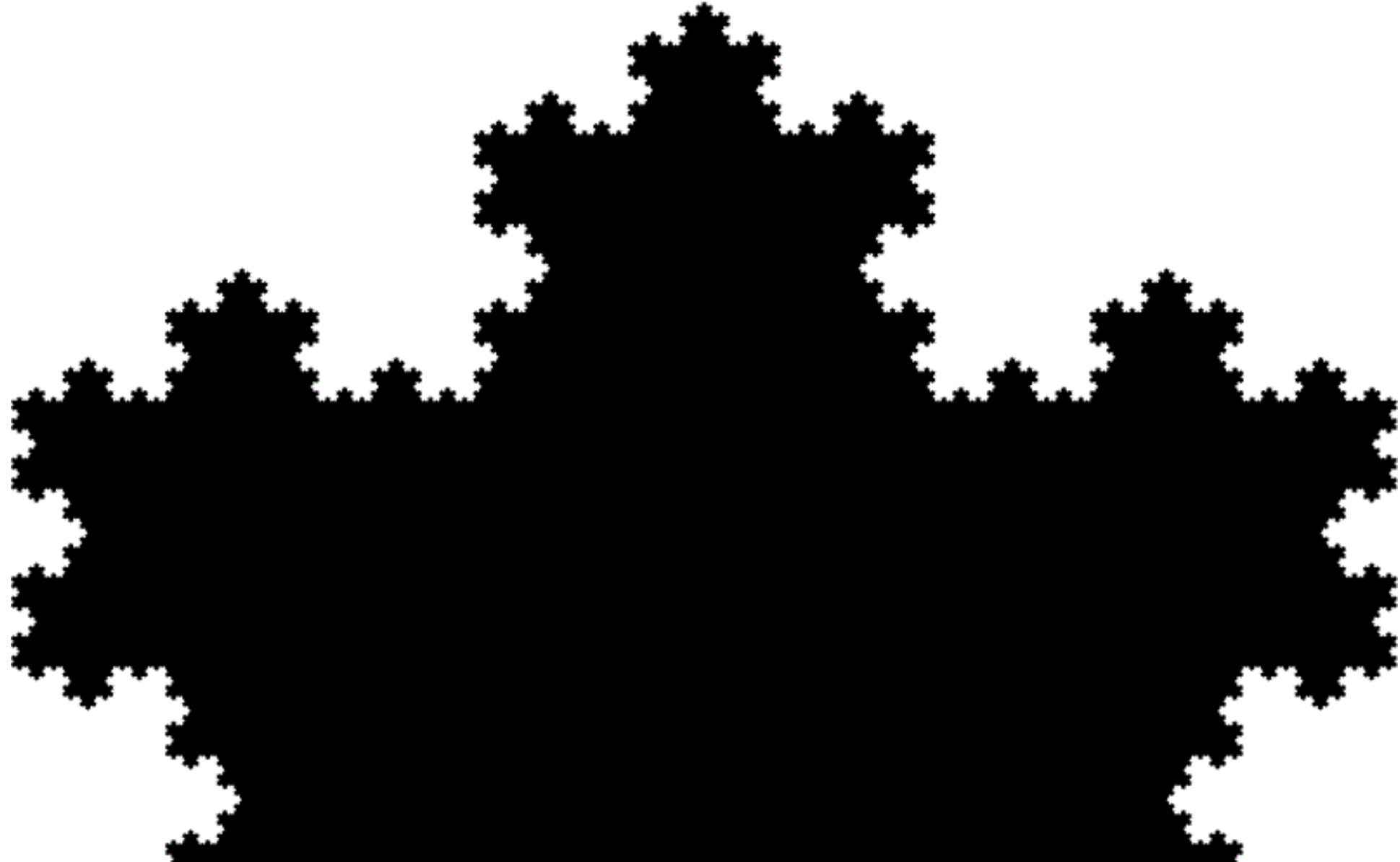
- The NN interaction can be considered properly renormalized when the calculated observables are independent of the cutoff scale within the range of validity of the ChEFT or involves a small residual cutoff dependence due to the truncation of the chiral expansion.

- In the language of Wilson's renormalization group, this means that the LECs must run with the cutoff scale in such a way that the scattering amplitude becomes renormalization group invariant (RGI)



Kenneth G. Wilson

RGI vs. self-similarity



RGI-a highly debated topic



Kaplan



van Kolck



Epelbaum



Machleidt

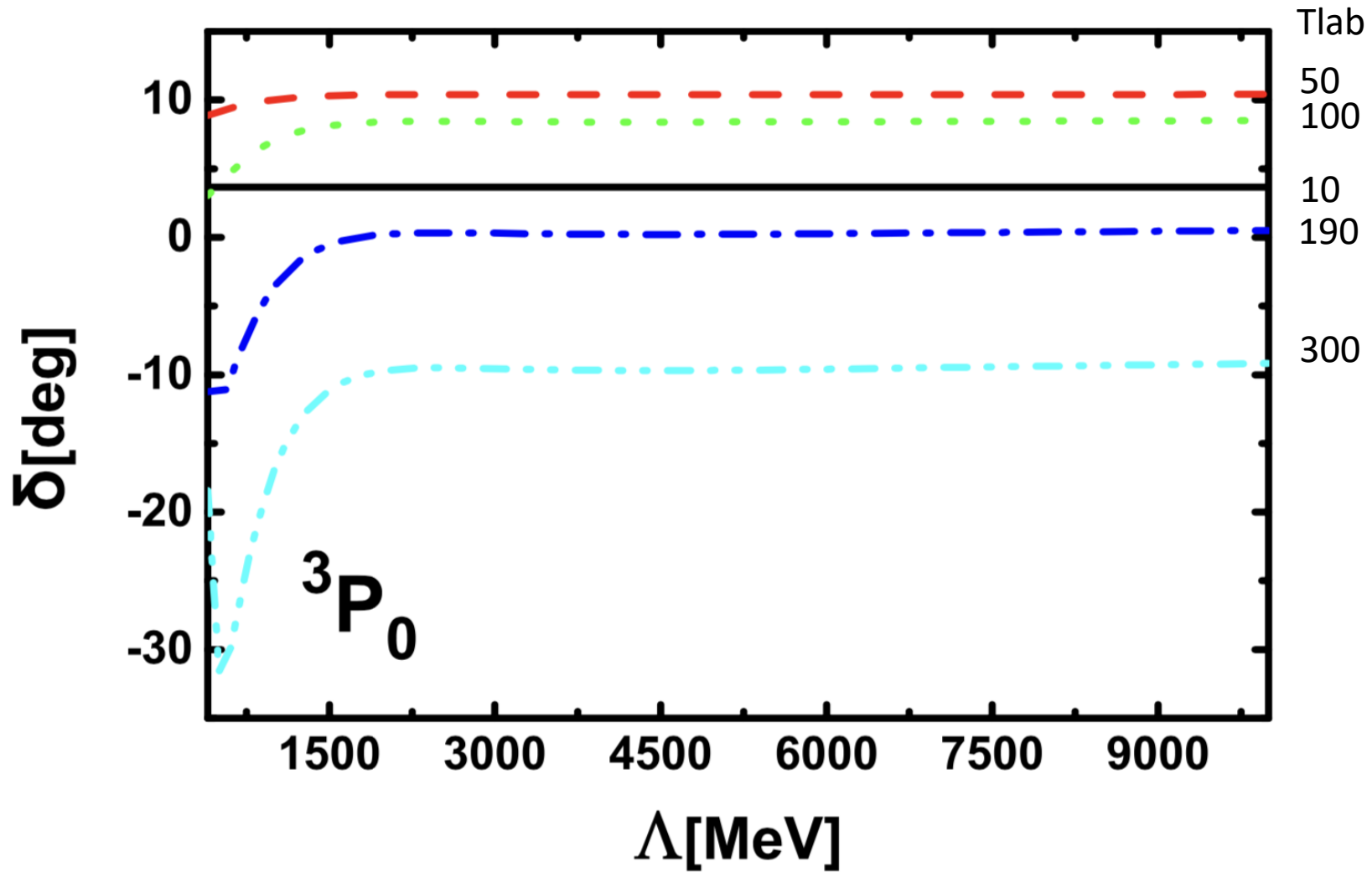
Key issues

- Whether RGI is essential?
- How to realize it?

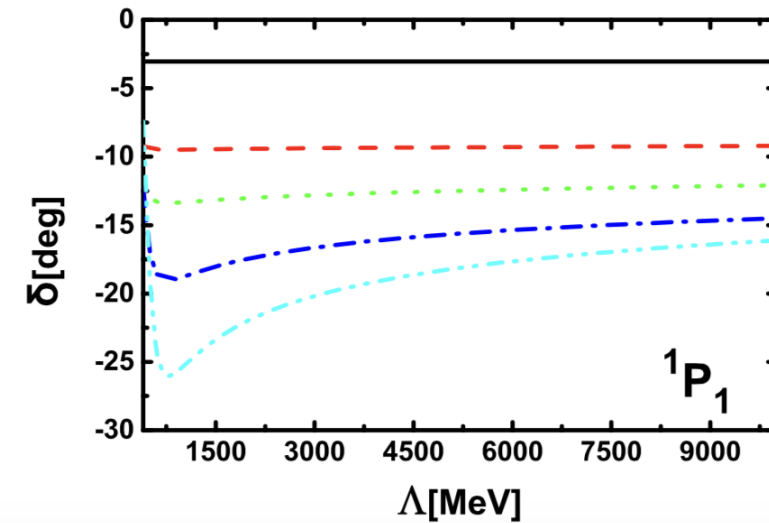
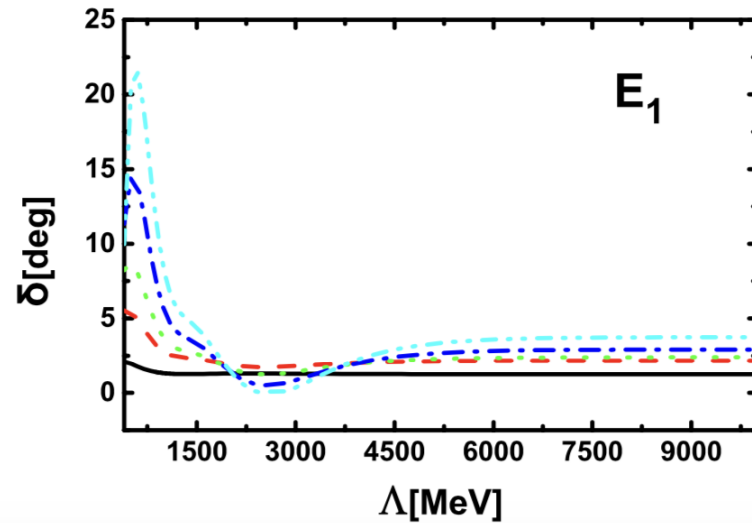
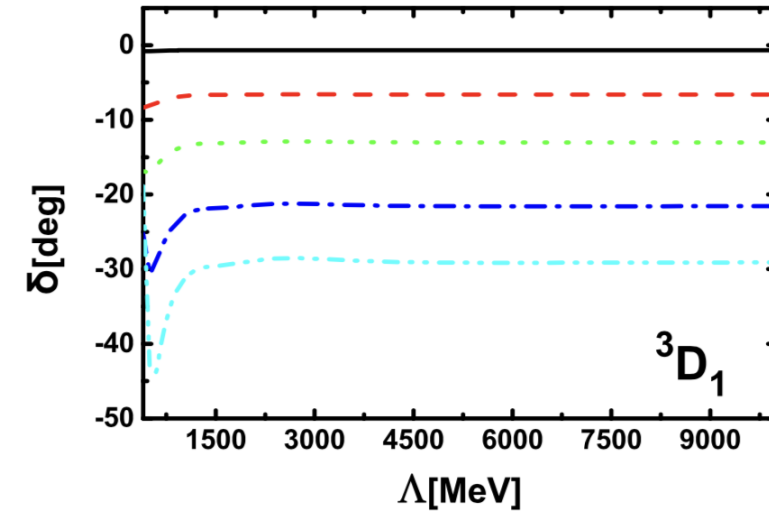
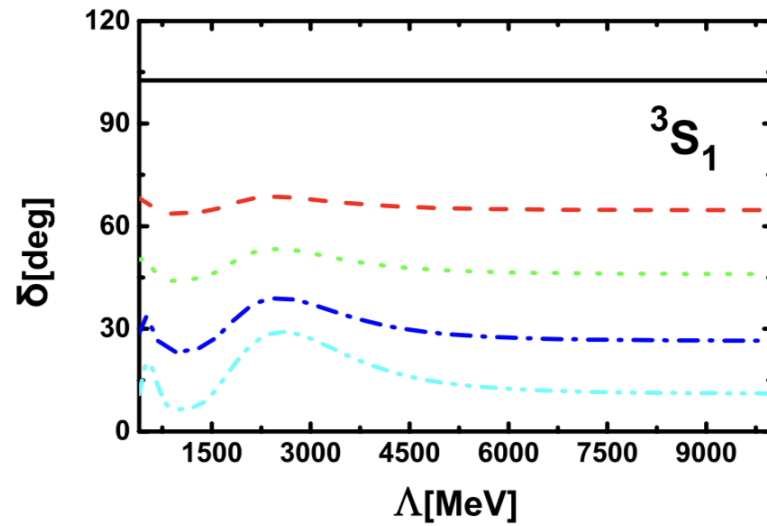
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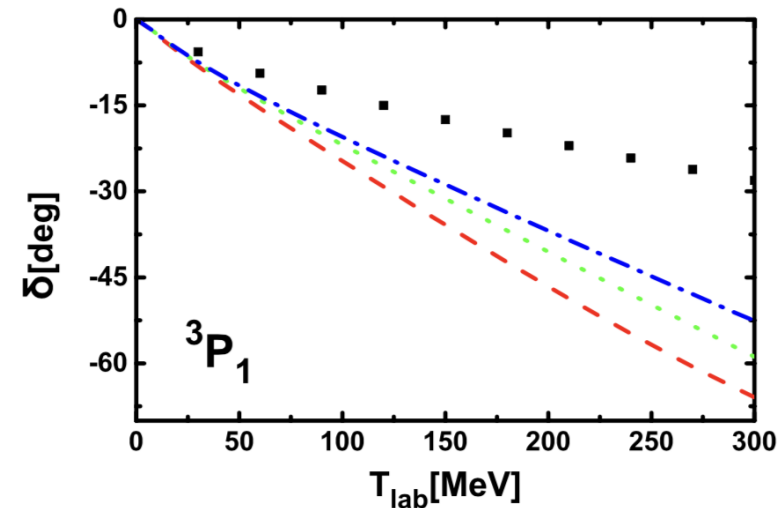
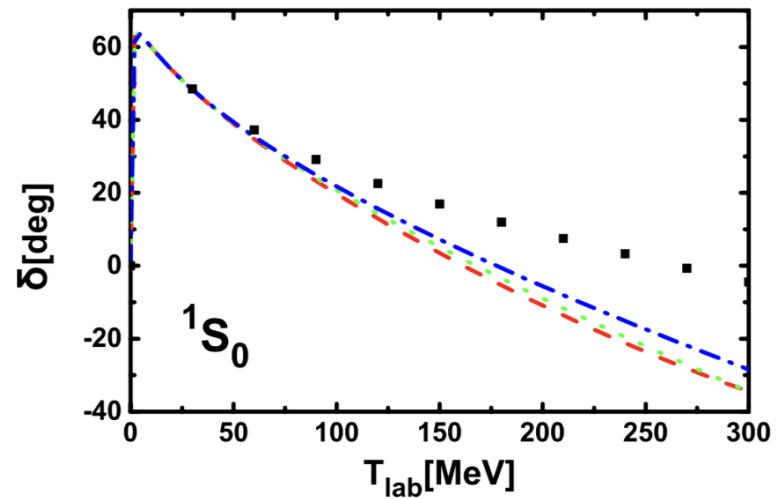
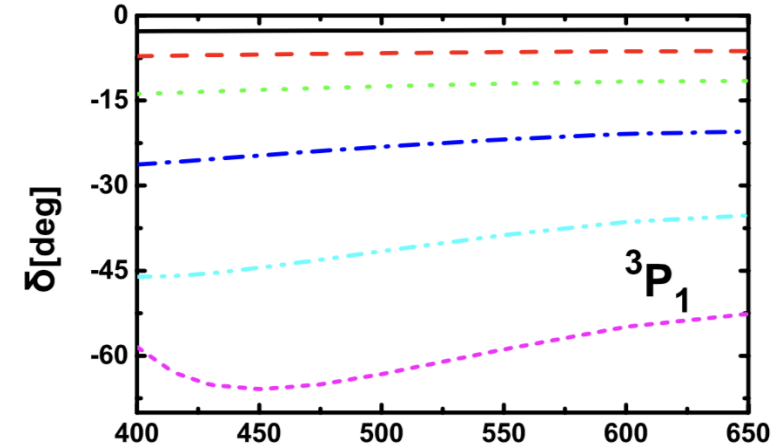
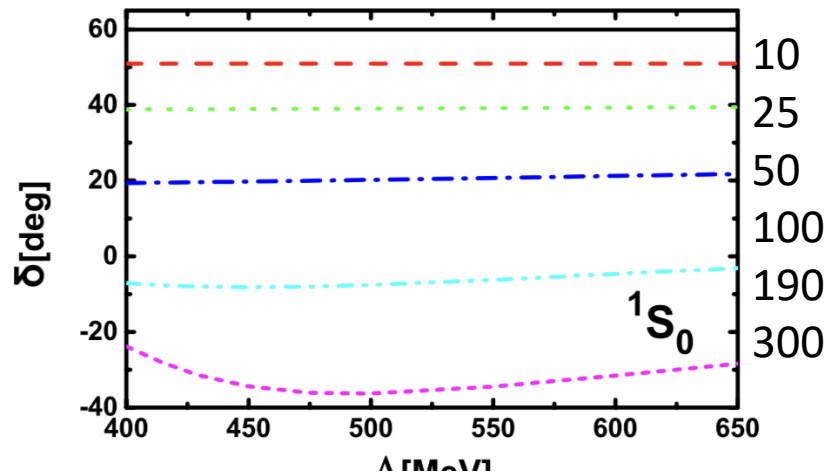
3P0 issue nicely solved



3S1, 3D1, E1, and 1P1 as well



Interesting correlation 1s0 & 3P1



- Pure contact interactions cannot describe $1S_0$ – large cutoff limit
- NLO $3P_1$ in the Weinberg case loses RGI

◆ **Realistic nuclear forces:**

Nijmegen, Paris, JISP, Argonne, Bonn, **Chiral EFT (NN, NNN)**

◆ **Renormalization:** full space (bare) $\rightarrow$ finite space (effective)

G-Matrix, UCOM, OLS, **$V_{\text{low-}k}$, SRG**

◆ ***ab initio many-body methods***

No Core Shell Model (NCSM)

Coupled Cluster (CC)

In-medium Similarity Renormalization Group (IM-SRG)

Configuration interaction shell model

Selfconsistent Green's Function

Diffusion Monte Carlo

Many-Body Perturbation Theory (MBPT)

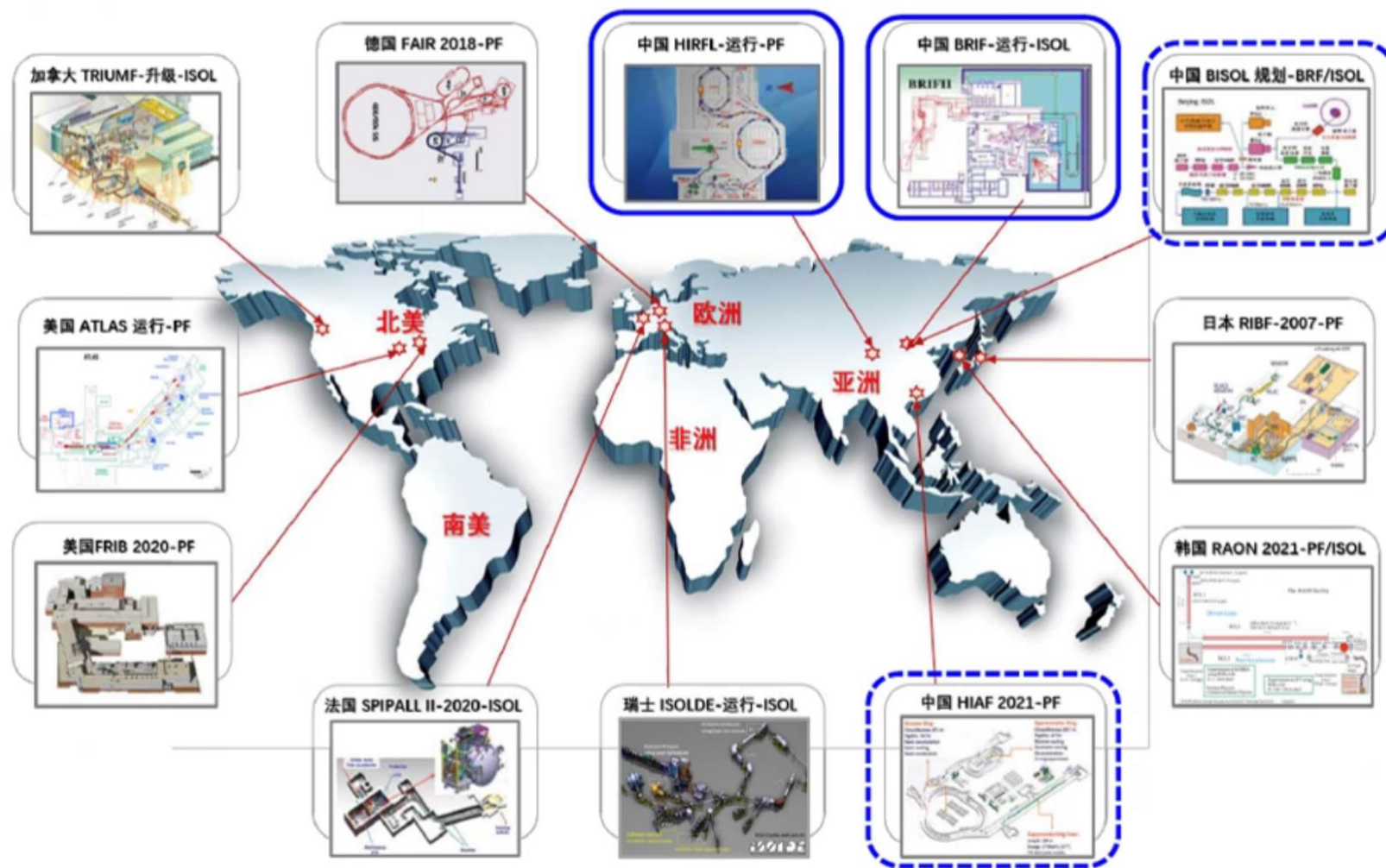
Lattice Nuclear Chiral EFT

(Dirac-) Bruckner-Hartree-Fock ...

Number of parameters

NUMBER OF PARAMETERS for the np potential					
	Nijmegen PWA93	CD-Bonn “high precision”	NLO Q^2 (NNLO)	N ³ LO Q^4 (N ⁴ LO)	N ⁵ LO Q^6
1S_0	3	4	2	4	6
3S_1	3	4	2	4	6
3S_1 - 3D_1	2	2	1	3	6
1P_1	3	3	1	2	4
3P_0	3	2	1	2	4
3P_1	2	2	1	2	4
3P_2	3	3	1	2	4
3P_2 - 3F_2	2	1	0	1	3
1D_2	2	3	0	1	2
3D_1	2	1	0	1	2
3D_2	2	2	0	1	2
3D_3	1	2	0	1	2
3D_3 - 3G_3	1	0	0	0	1
1F_3	1	1	0	0	1
3F_2	1	2	0	0	1
3F_3	1	2	0	0	1
3F_4	2	1	0	0	1
3F_4 - 3H_4	0	0	0	0	0
1G_4	1	0	0	0	0
3G_3	0	1	0	0	0
3G_4	0	1	0	0	0
3G_5	0	1	0	0	0
Total	35	38	9	24	50

放射性核束物理(RIB)大科学装置



更高流强、更远离稳定线



HIAF简介



2010

May, 2011

December, 2015

April, 2017

2018

提交 **HIAF**
项目建议书

HIAF进入“十二五”
候选项目名单（共16项）

建设地点最终确定，**HIAF**
项目得到政府批准立项

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研报告获批

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强流重离子加速器装置 (HIAF)

国际上脉冲束流强度最高的重离子加速器装置

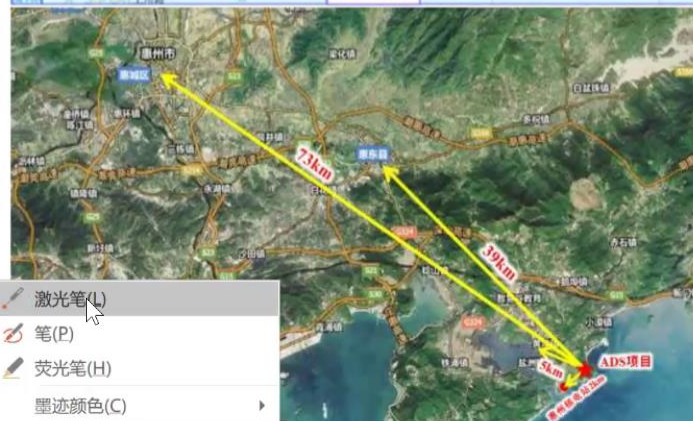
定位于重离子物理及应用研究

科学目标:

- 1) 认识原子核中的有效相互作用
- 2) 理解宇宙中从铁到铀重元素的来源
- 3) 研究高能量密度物理性质
- 4) 空间辐射环境地面模拟
- 5)

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技基础设施



- 下一张(N)
 - 上一张(P)
 - 上次查看的位置(V)
 - 查看所有幻灯片(A)
 - 放大(Z)
 - 自定义放映(W) ▶
 - 显示演示者视图(R)
 - 屏幕(C) ▶
 - 指针选项(O) ▶
 - 帮助(H)
 - 暂停(S)
 - 结束放映(E)
- 激光笔(L)
 - 笔(P)
 - 荧光笔(H)
 - 墨迹颜色(C) ▶
 - 橡皮擦(R)

Covariant NN contact Lagrangians (N4LO)

$\bar{O}_1$	$(\bar{\psi}\psi)(\bar{\psi}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{21}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\mu\psi)\partial^2\partial^\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$
$\bar{O}_2$	$(\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{22}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\alpha}\psi)\partial^2\partial_\alpha\partial^\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$
$\bar{O}_3$	$(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{23}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)\partial^\beta\partial_\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\alpha\beta}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu\psi)$
$\bar{O}_4$	$(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}\psi)(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{24}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\psi)\partial^4(\bar{\psi}\psi)$
$\bar{O}_5$	$(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{25}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu\psi)\partial^4(\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\psi)$
$\bar{O}_6$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{26}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu\psi)\partial^4(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu\psi)$
$\bar{O}_7$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\alpha}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\nu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{27}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}\psi)\partial^4(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$
$\bar{O}_8$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\mu\psi)\partial^\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{28}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5 i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5 i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha\psi) - \bar{O}_5$
$\bar{O}_9$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\alpha}\psi)\partial_\alpha\partial^\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{29}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - \bar{O}_6$
$\bar{O}_{10}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{30}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\alpha}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\nu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - \bar{O}_7$
$\bar{O}_{11}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{31}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)\partial^\alpha(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\alpha}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - \bar{O}_8$
$\bar{O}_{12}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{32}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\alpha}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)\partial_\alpha\partial^\nu(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - \bar{O}_9$
$\bar{O}_{13}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{33}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha\psi) - \bar{O}_{10}$
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$\bar{O}_{16}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha\psi) - \bar{O}_3$	$\bar{O}_{36}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha\psi) - \bar{O}_{13}$
$\bar{O}_{17}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha\psi) - \bar{O}_4$	$\bar{O}_{37}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - 2\bar{O}_{14} - \bar{O}_1$
$\bar{O}_{18}$	$\frac{1}{4m^2}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{38}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - 2\bar{O}_{15} - \bar{O}_2$
$\bar{O}_{19}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\nu\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\nu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{39}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma^\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}\gamma_5\gamma_\mu i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - 2\bar{O}_{16} - \bar{O}_3$
$\bar{O}_{20}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha\psi)\partial^2(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\alpha}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\nu\psi)$	$\bar{O}_{40}$	$\frac{1}{16m^4}(\bar{\psi}\sigma^{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}^\beta\psi)(\bar{\psi}\sigma_{\mu\nu}i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\alpha i\overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\beta\psi) - 2\bar{O}_{17} - \bar{O}_4$

Relativistic: 40
vs.
Non-relativistic: 24

Non-relativistic reduction

□ **Non-relativistic expansion:** $\psi \rightarrow N$, expand Lagrangians in terms of $1/m$

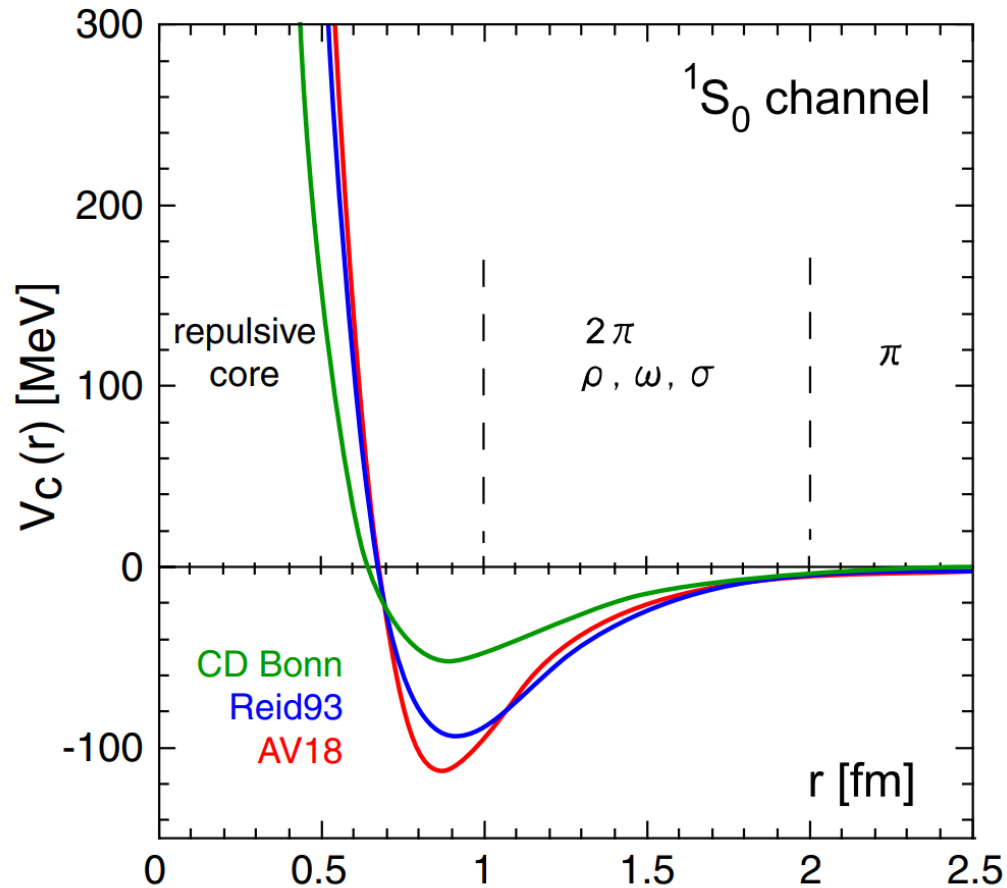
- ✓ **Relativistic nucleon field operator:** $\psi(x) = \int \frac{d\mathbf{p}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{m}{E_p} \tilde{b}_s(\mathbf{p}) u^{(s)}(\mathbf{p}) e^{-ip \cdot x},$
- ✓ **Non-relativistic nucleon field operator:** $N(x) = \int \frac{d\mathbf{p}}{(2\pi)^3} b_s(\mathbf{p}) \chi_s e^{-ip \cdot x}$
- ✓ **Expansion of field operator**
- ✓ **Dirac matrices expressed in term of pauli matrices**

$$\psi(x) = \left[\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{i}{2m} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{8m^2} \begin{pmatrix} \nabla^2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} - \frac{3i}{16m^3} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \boldsymbol{\sigma} \cdot \boldsymbol{\nabla} \nabla^2 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{11}{128m^4} \begin{pmatrix} \nabla^4 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \right] N(x) + \mathcal{O}(Q^5).$$

$$\gamma^0 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \gamma^5 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \vec{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \vec{\sigma} \\ -\vec{\sigma} & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma^{\mu\nu} = \frac{i}{2} [\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu].$$

□ After expansion and keeping only appropriate powers of $1/m_N$, we can reduce the **40** relativistic terms into the **2+7+15** non-relativistic terms

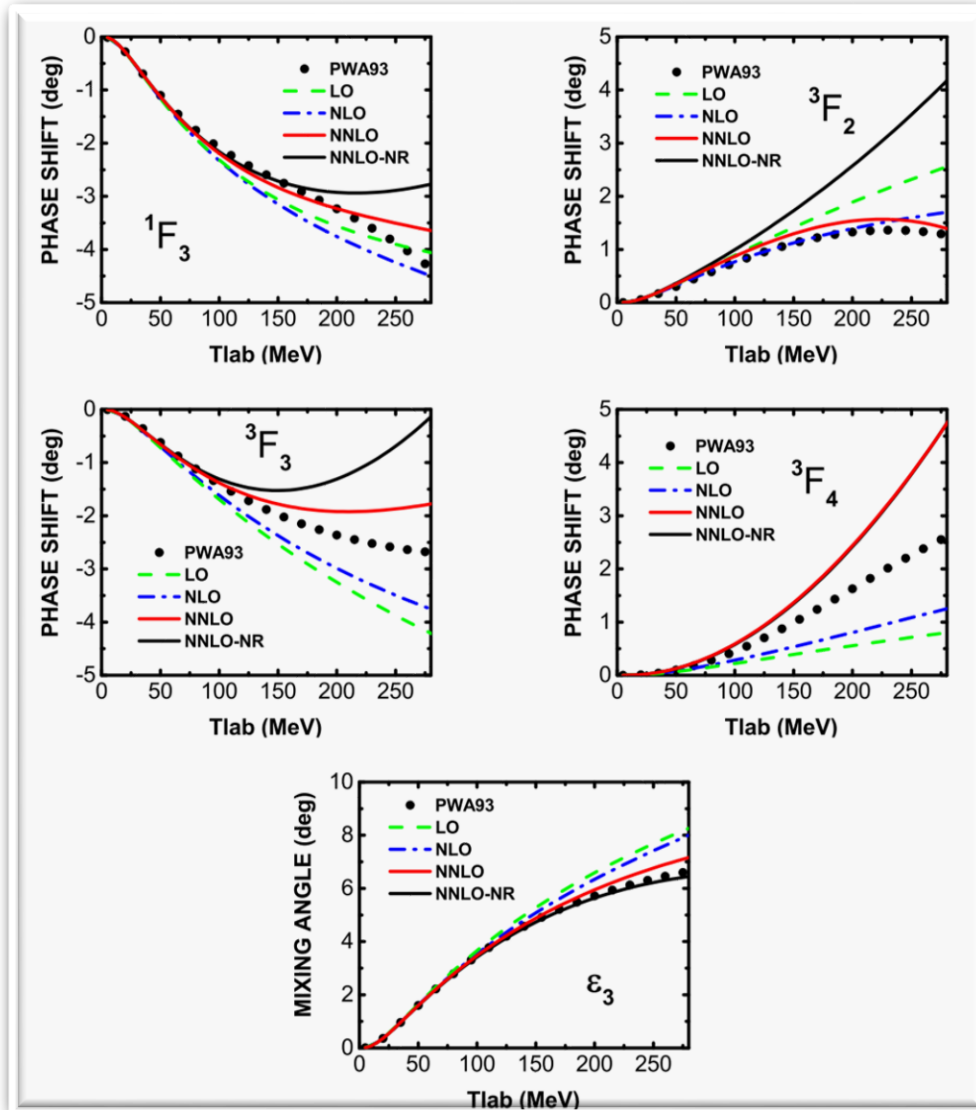
Highly nontrivial



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- There are no unknown LECs
- Contribute to all the partial waves, but almost saturate partial waves of $L \geq 3$
- Perfect candidates to check chiral corrections and the convergence of chiral expansions

F-waves



- Agreement with data is better than D-wave
- Relativistic TPE more moderate than non-relativistic TPE, and agree better with data (except $3F_4$)
- Improvement still needed

TPE contributions in a word

- Perturbative relativistic corrections are relatively small
- **Amazingly**, they **improve** the NR results
- **Non-perturbative summation improves further the description**

