



Criticality of QCD in correlated Dirac eigenvalues

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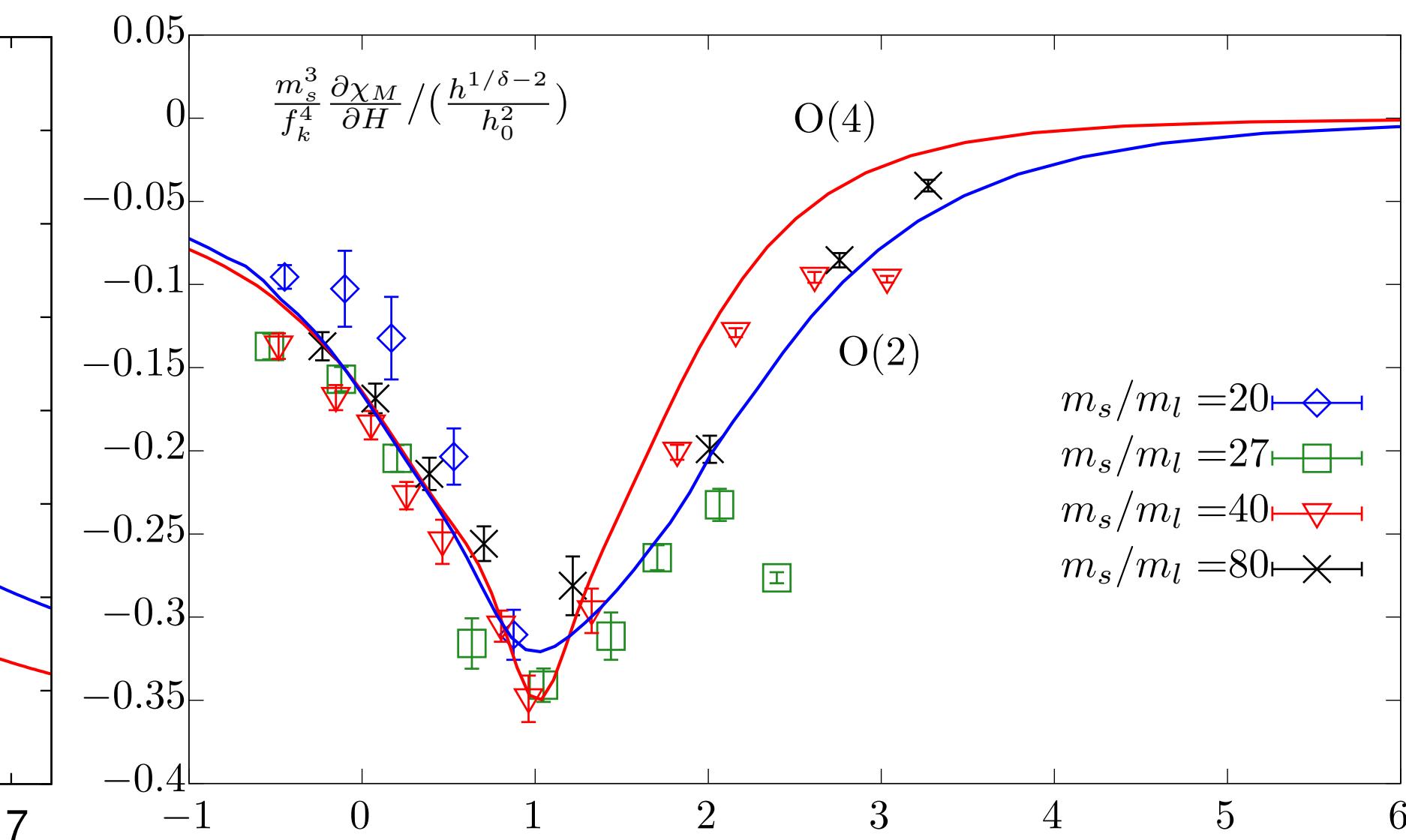
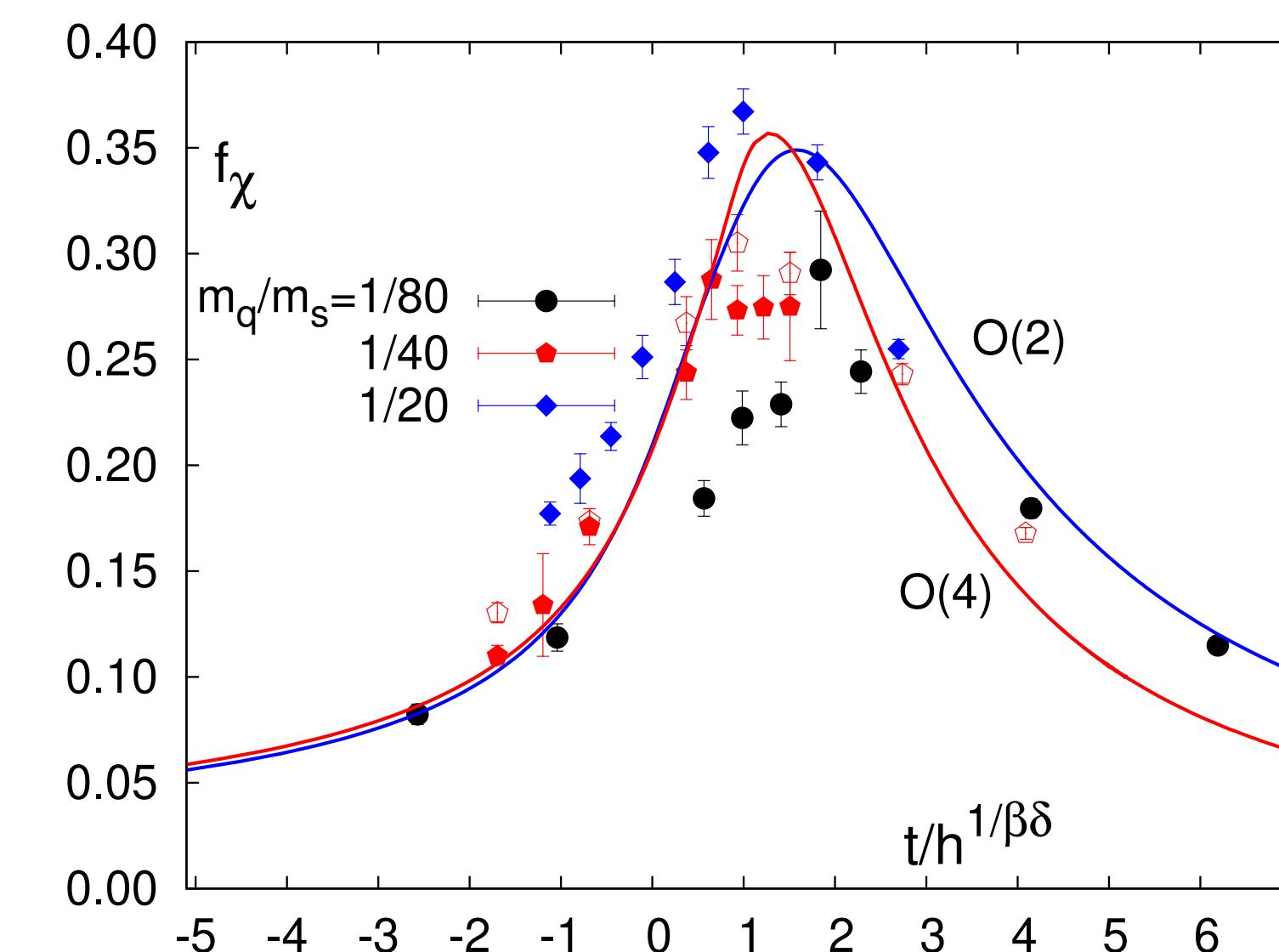
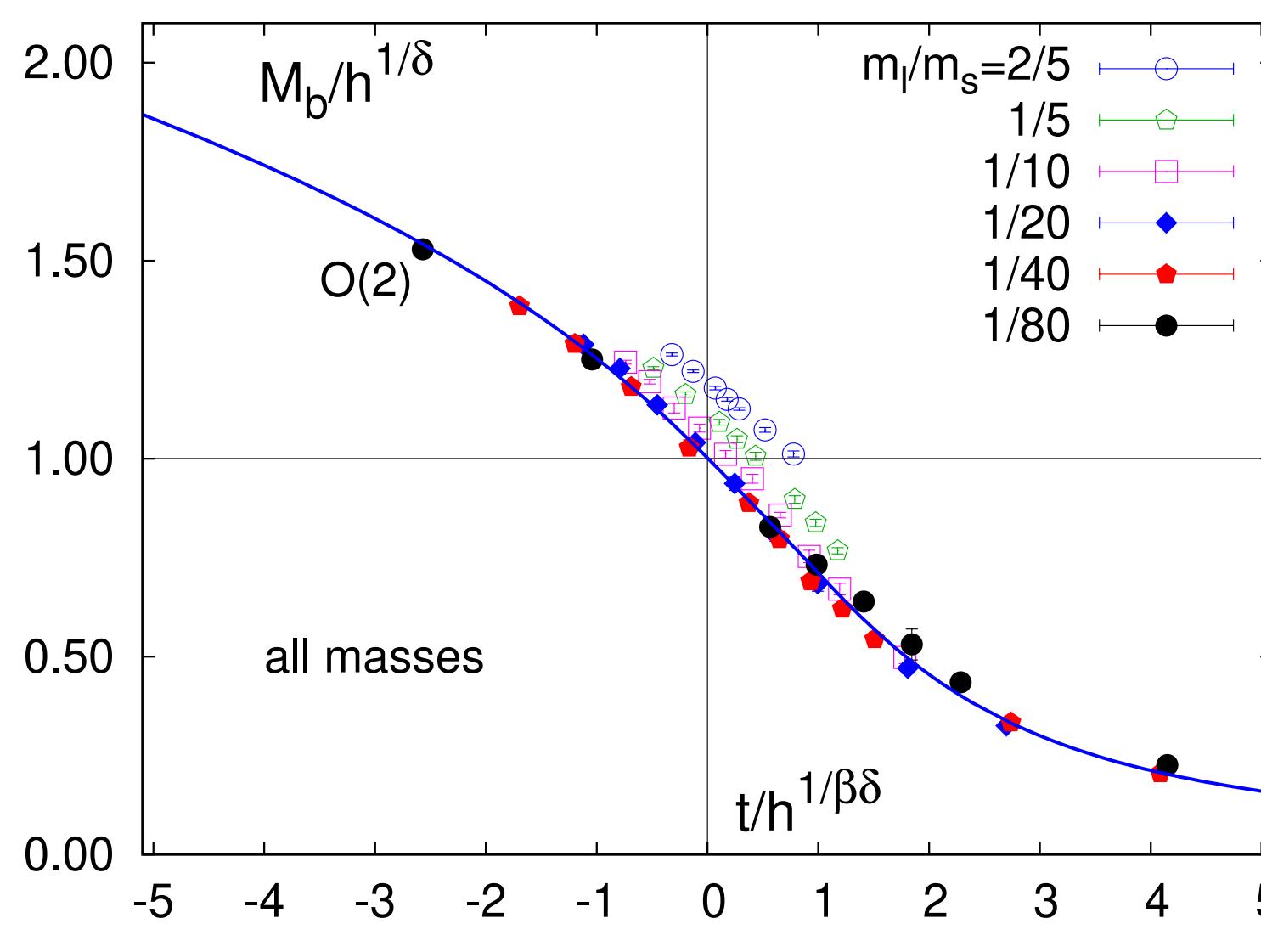
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Critical behavior and Magnetic Equation of State

$$M(t, h) = h^{1/\delta} f_G(z) + f_{\text{reg}}(T, H)$$

$$\chi_M(t, h) = \frac{\partial M}{\partial H} = h_0^{-1} h^{1/\delta - 1} f_\chi(z) + f'_{\text{reg}}$$

$$\frac{\partial \chi_M(t, h)}{\partial H} = h_0^{-2} h^{1/\delta - 2} f_{\text{pp}}(z) + f''_{\text{reg}}$$



S. Ejiri et al., Phys. Rev. D 80, 094505 (2009)

$$\langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle_l = \int_0^\infty \frac{4m_l \cdot \rho(\lambda, m_l)}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2} d\lambda$$

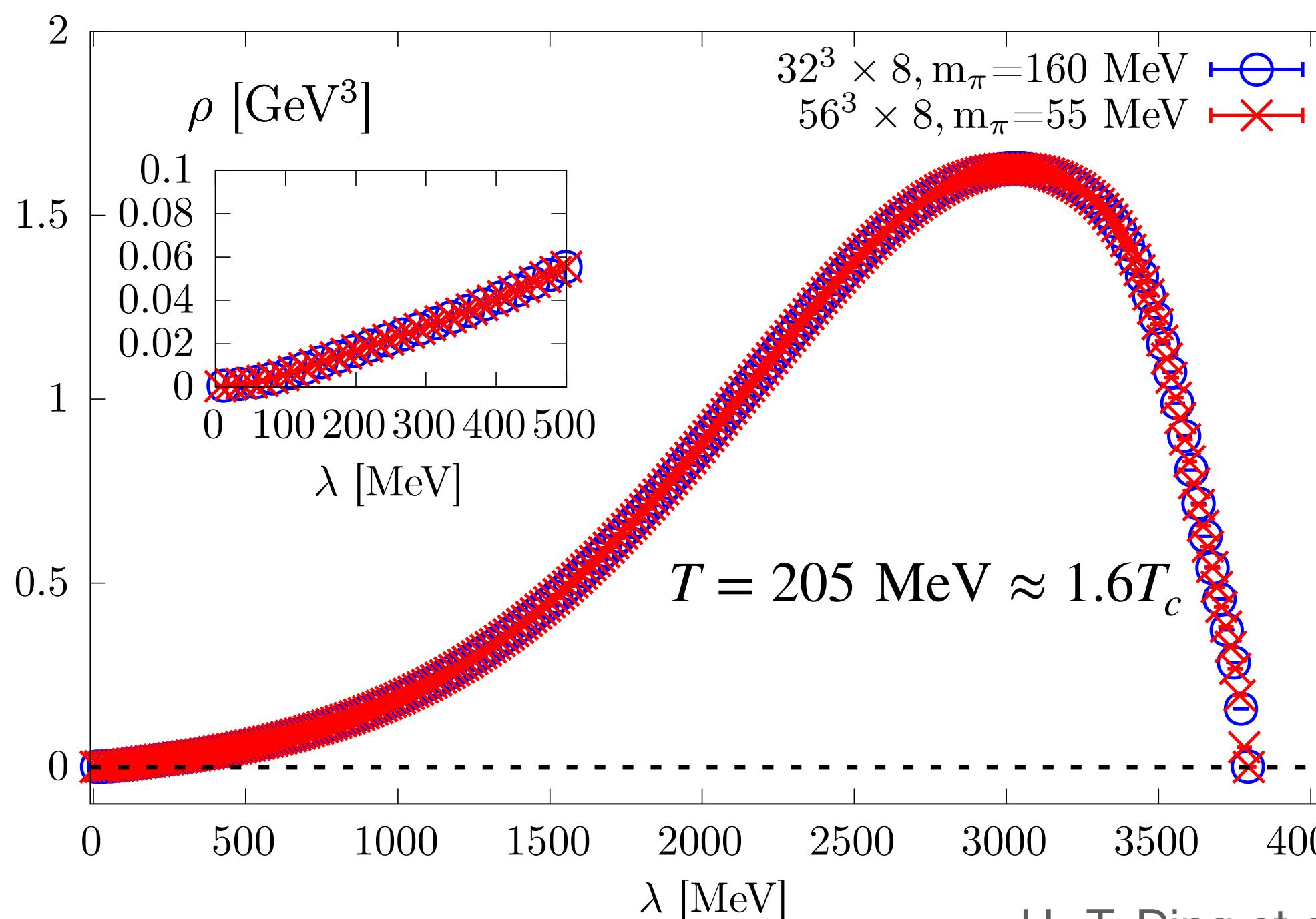
$$\chi_{\text{disc}} = \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4m_l \cdot \partial \rho / \partial m_l}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2}$$

$$\chi_2 \equiv \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4m_l \cdot \partial^2 \rho / \partial m_l^2}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2}$$

How critical behavior is manifested in $\rho, \partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$ around T_c ?

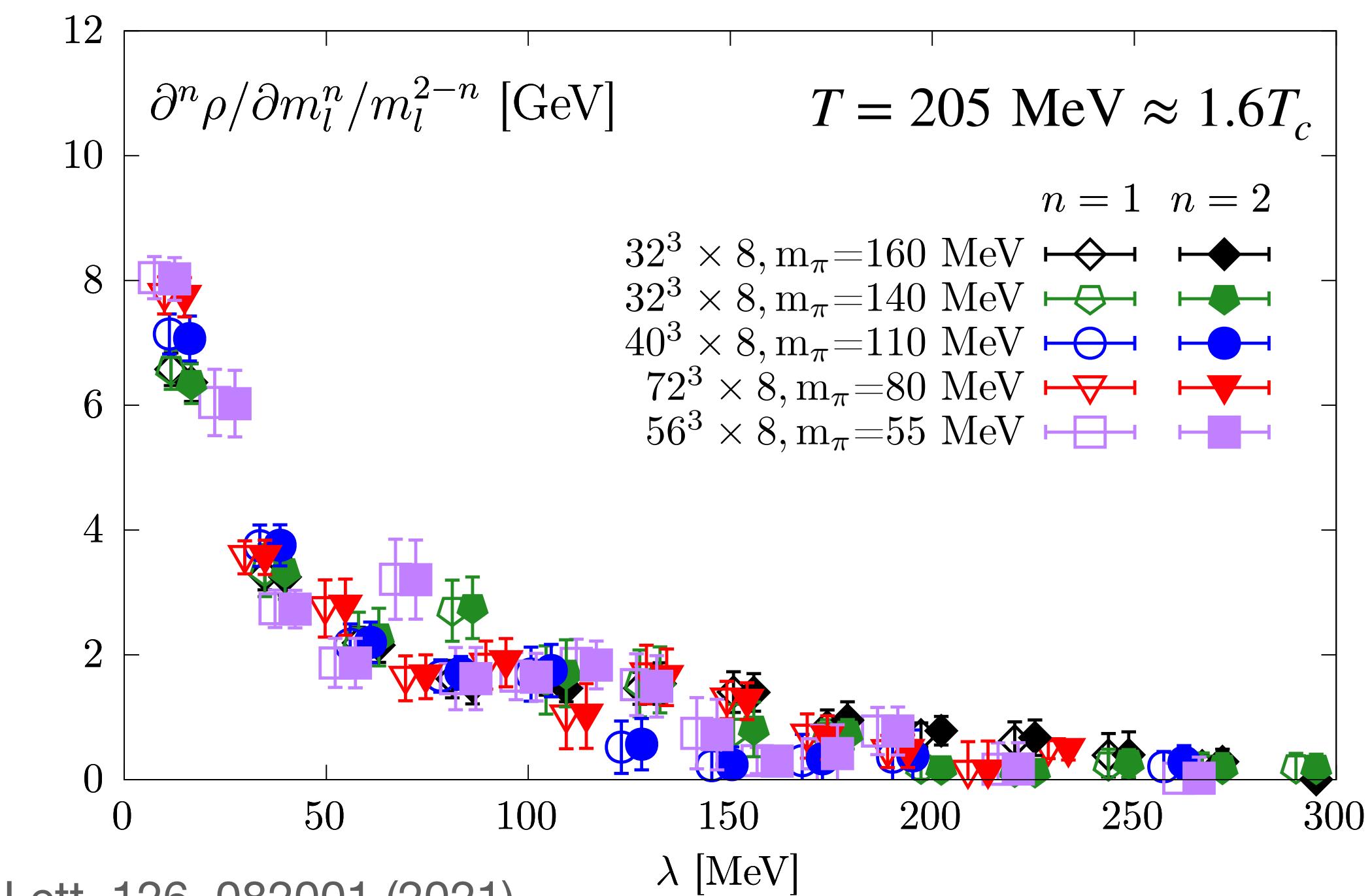
Dirac eigenvalue spectra and their correlations

Chebyshev filtering technique



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A novel relation between $\partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$ and C_{n+1}

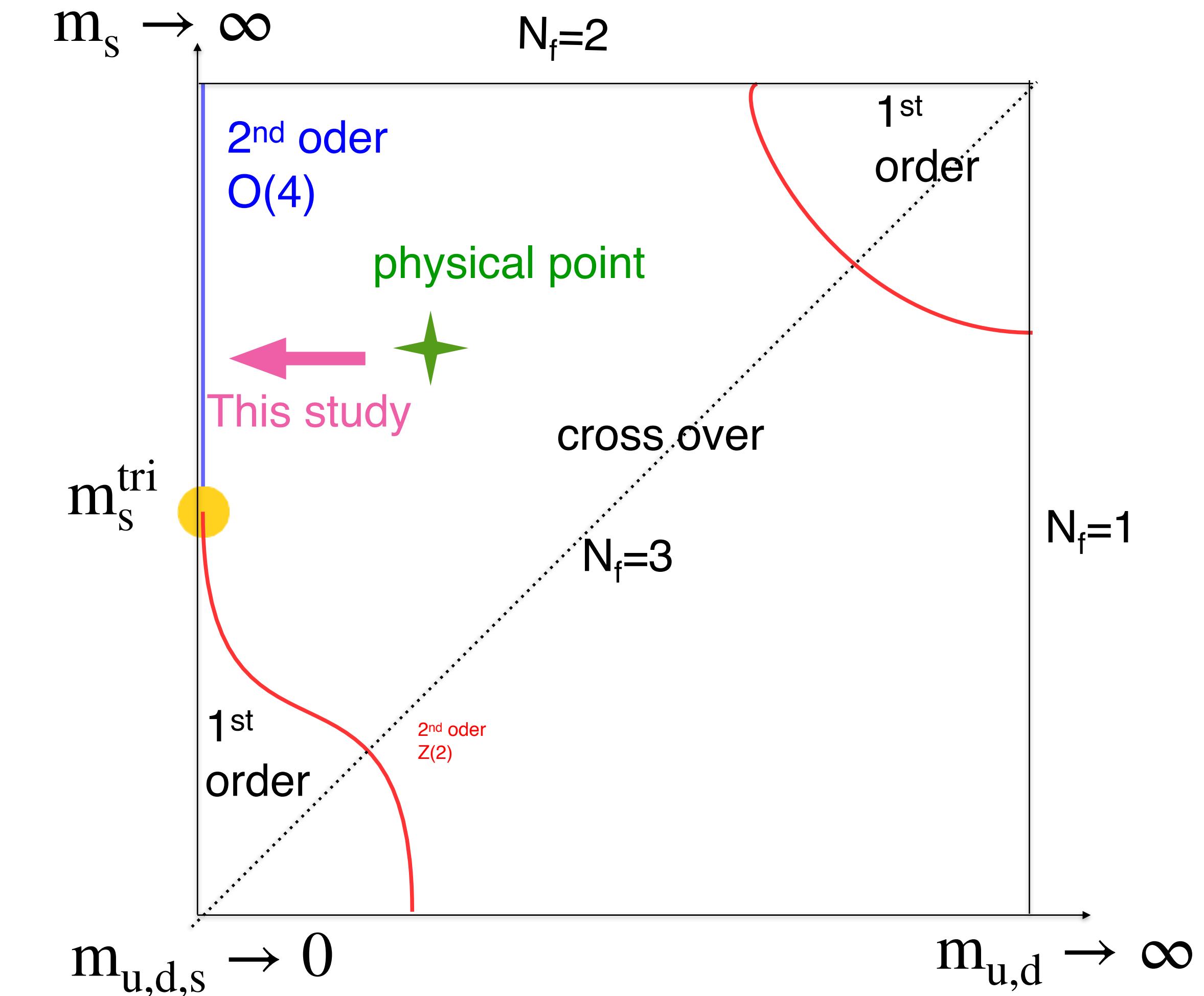


At $1.6T_c$, $m_l^{-1} \partial \rho / \partial m_l \approx \partial^2 \rho / \partial m_l^2$ & $\partial^3 \rho / \partial m_l^3 \approx 0 \implies \rho(\lambda \rightarrow 0, m_l) \propto m_l^2 \delta(\lambda)$

How about the case at $T \sim T_c$?

Lattice Setup

- Actions: Highly improved staggered quarks and tree-level Symanzik gauge action
- Lattices size: $N_\tau = 8, N_\sigma = 32, 40, 56$
- Quark mass: $m_s^{\text{phy}}/m_l = 27, 40, 80$
 $(m_\pi \approx 140, 110, 80 \text{ MeV})$
- Temperatures: $T \in (134, 176) \text{ MeV}$
- Measurements carried out on NSC³ at CCNU

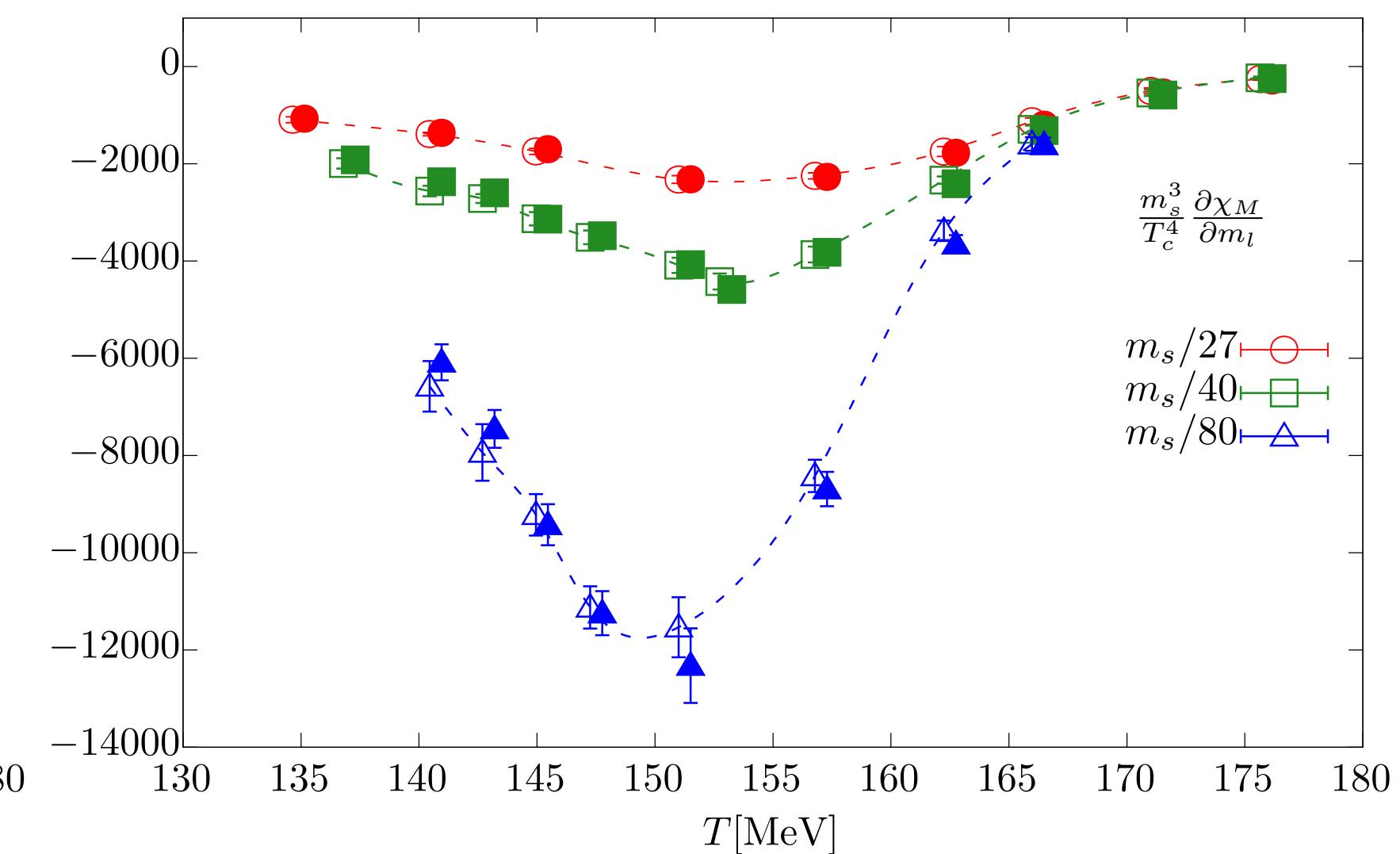
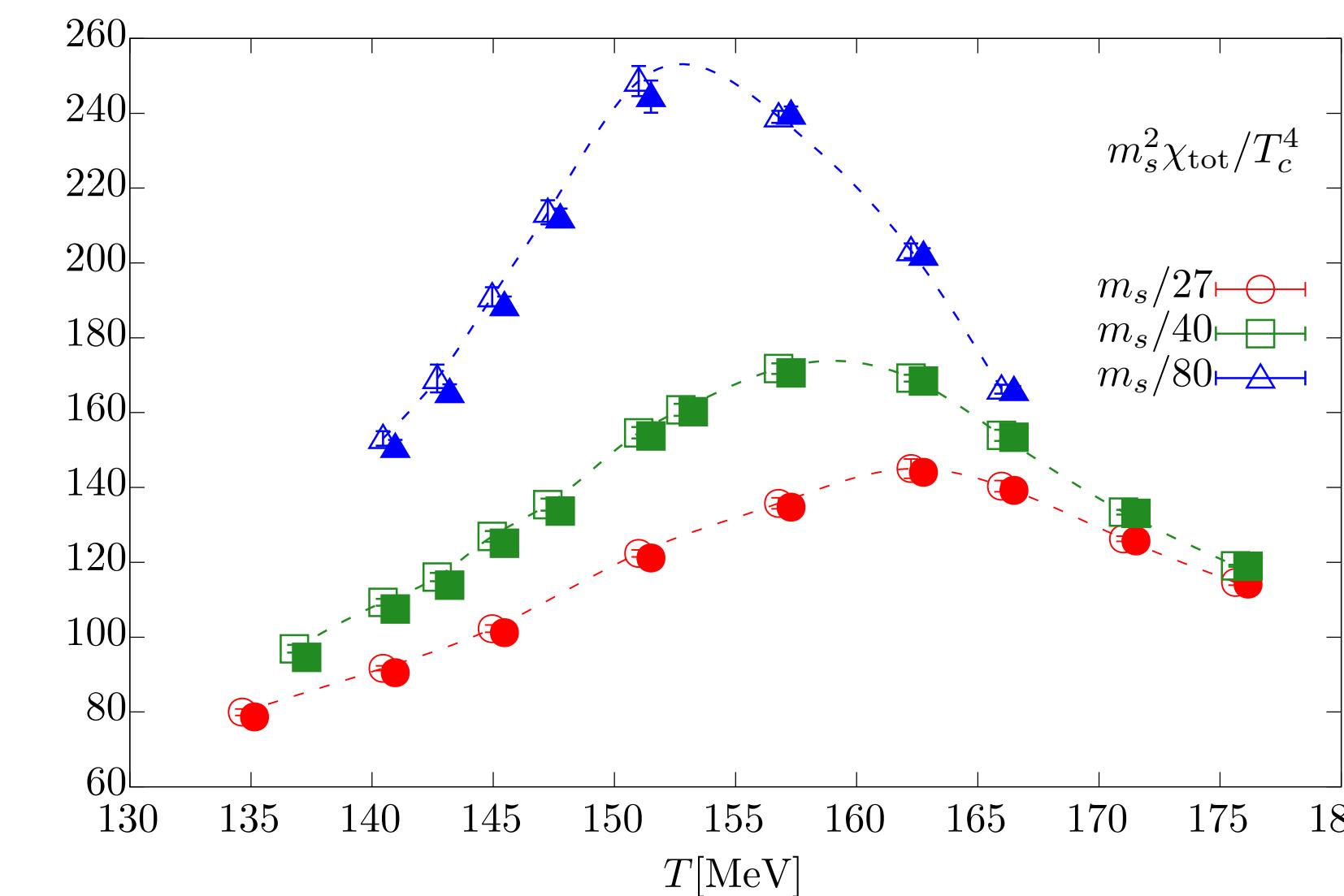
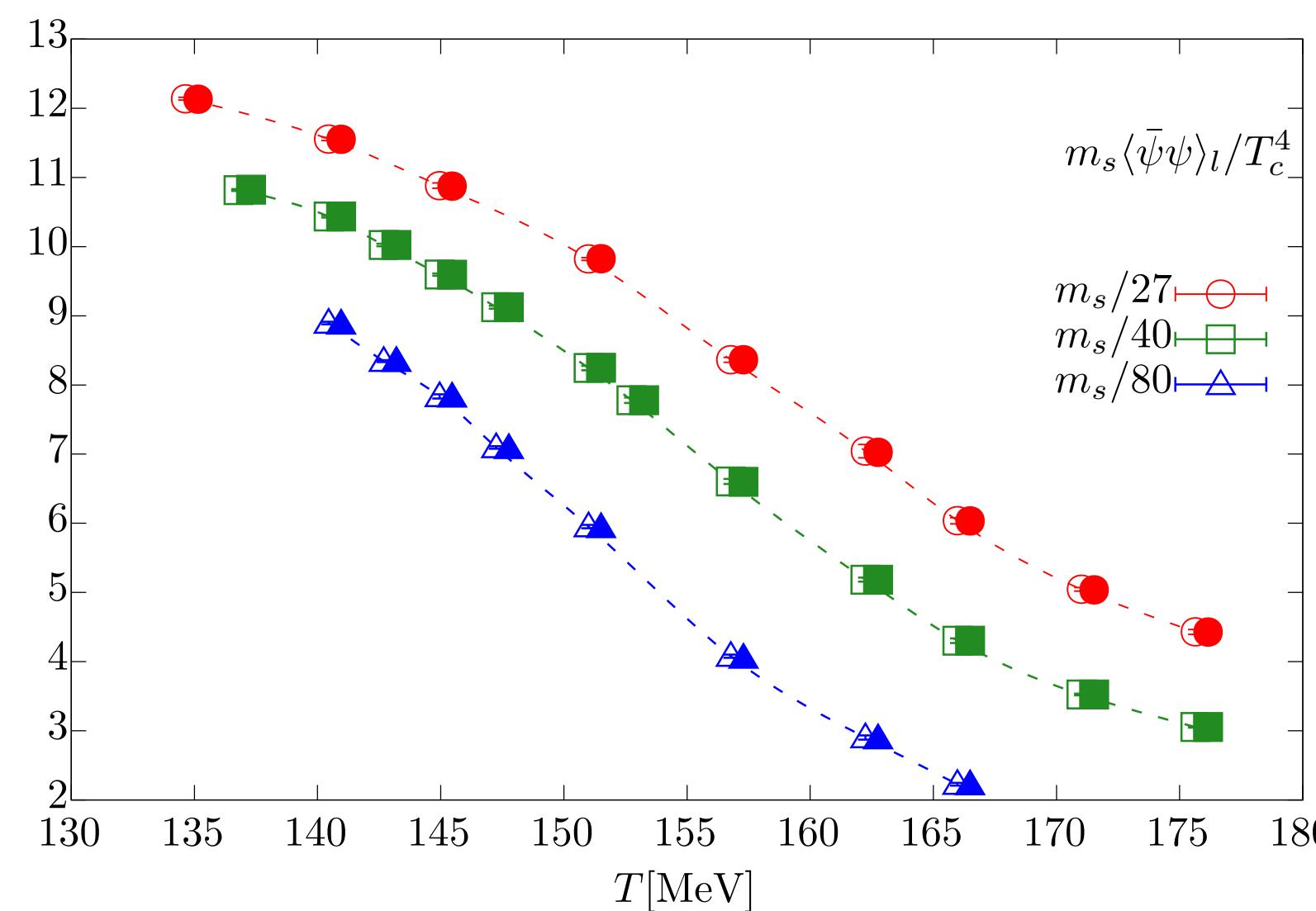


Reproduction of chiral observables via ρ and $\partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$

$$\langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle_l = \int_0^\infty \frac{4m_l \cdot \rho(\lambda, m_l)}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2} d\lambda$$

$$\chi_{\text{tot}} = \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4m_l \cdot \partial \rho / \partial m_l}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2} + \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4(\lambda^2 - m_l^2) \rho}{(\lambda^2 + m_l^2)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \chi_{\text{tot}}}{\partial m_l} &= \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4m_l \cdot \partial^2 \rho / \partial m_l^2}{\lambda^2 + m_l^2} + 2 \cdot \int_0^\infty d\lambda \frac{4(\lambda^2 - m_l^2) \partial \rho / \partial m_l}{(\lambda^2 + m_l^2)^2} \\ &+ \int_0^\infty d\lambda \rho \left[\frac{-8m_l}{(\lambda^2 + m_l^2)^2} - \frac{16m_l(\lambda^2 - m_l^2)}{(\lambda^2 + m_l^2)^3} \right] \end{aligned}$$

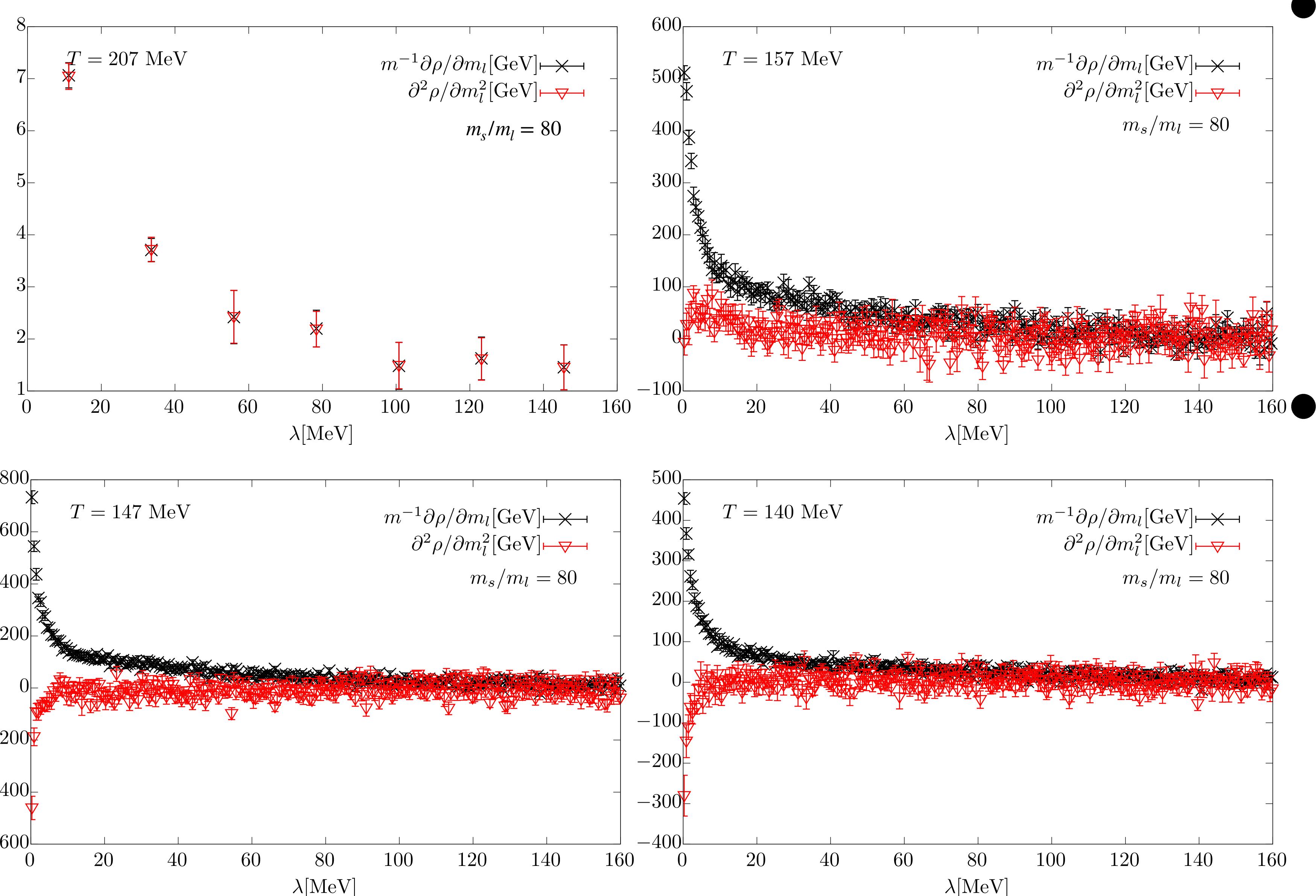


Open symbols: computation via ρ and $\partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$

Filled symbols: computation via inversions of the fermion matrix

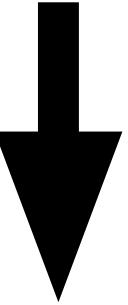
Quantities related to ρ and $\partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$ can successfully reproduce their corresponding directly-computed results

$\partial\rho/\partial m_l$ v.s. $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$



● High Temperature ($1.6T_c$) :

$$m_l^{-1} \partial\rho/\partial m_l \approx \partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$$



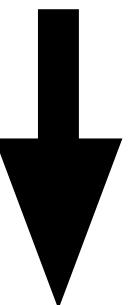
$$\rho \propto m_l^2$$

consistent with dilute instanton
gas approximation

● Temperature approaches to T_c :

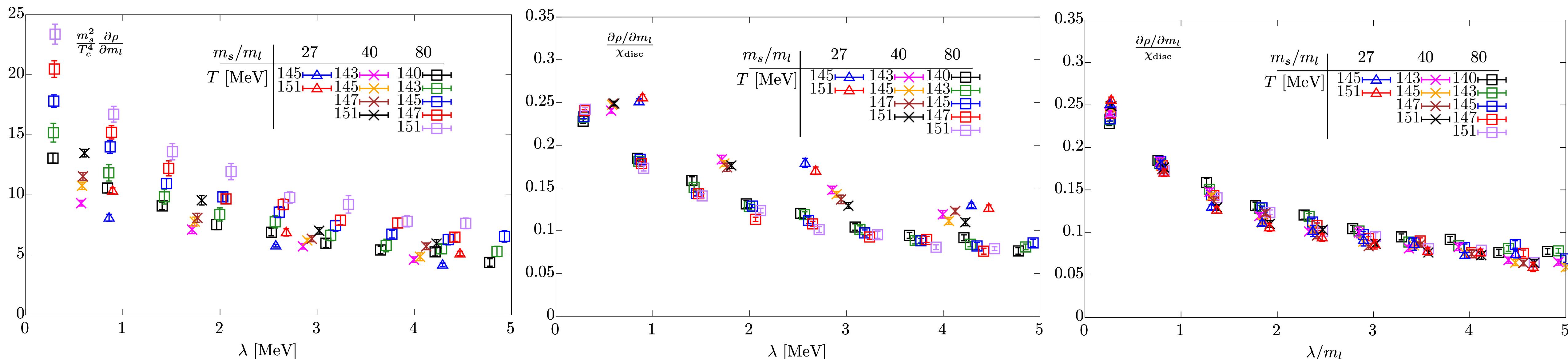
$$m_l^{-1} \partial\rho/\partial m_l \neq \partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$$

infrared region of $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2 < 0$



Dilute instanton gas
picture is not valid
as getting closer to T_c

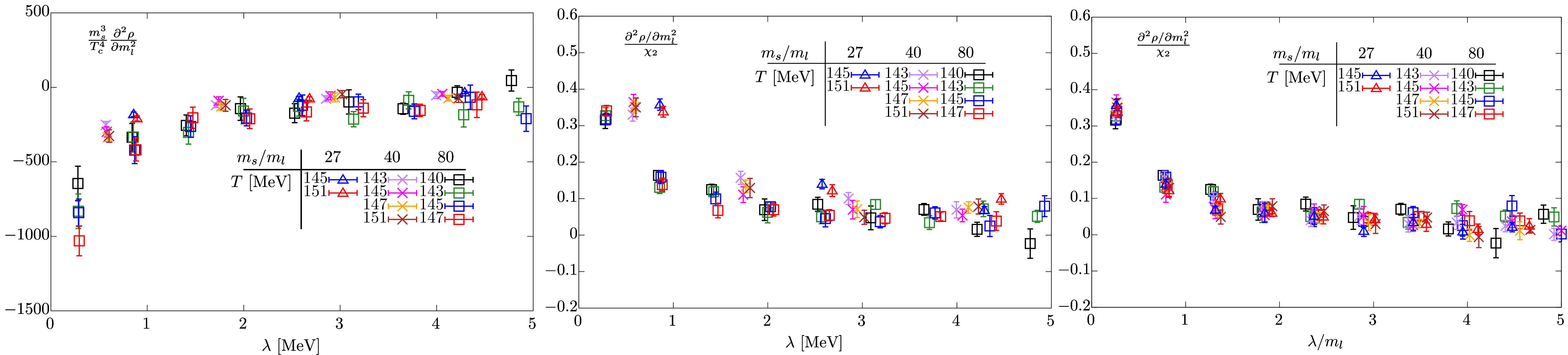
χ_{disc} -Rescaled $\partial\rho/\partial m_l$



$\frac{\partial \rho / \partial m_l(\lambda / m_l)}{\chi_{\text{disc}}} : \text{quark mass and temperature}$

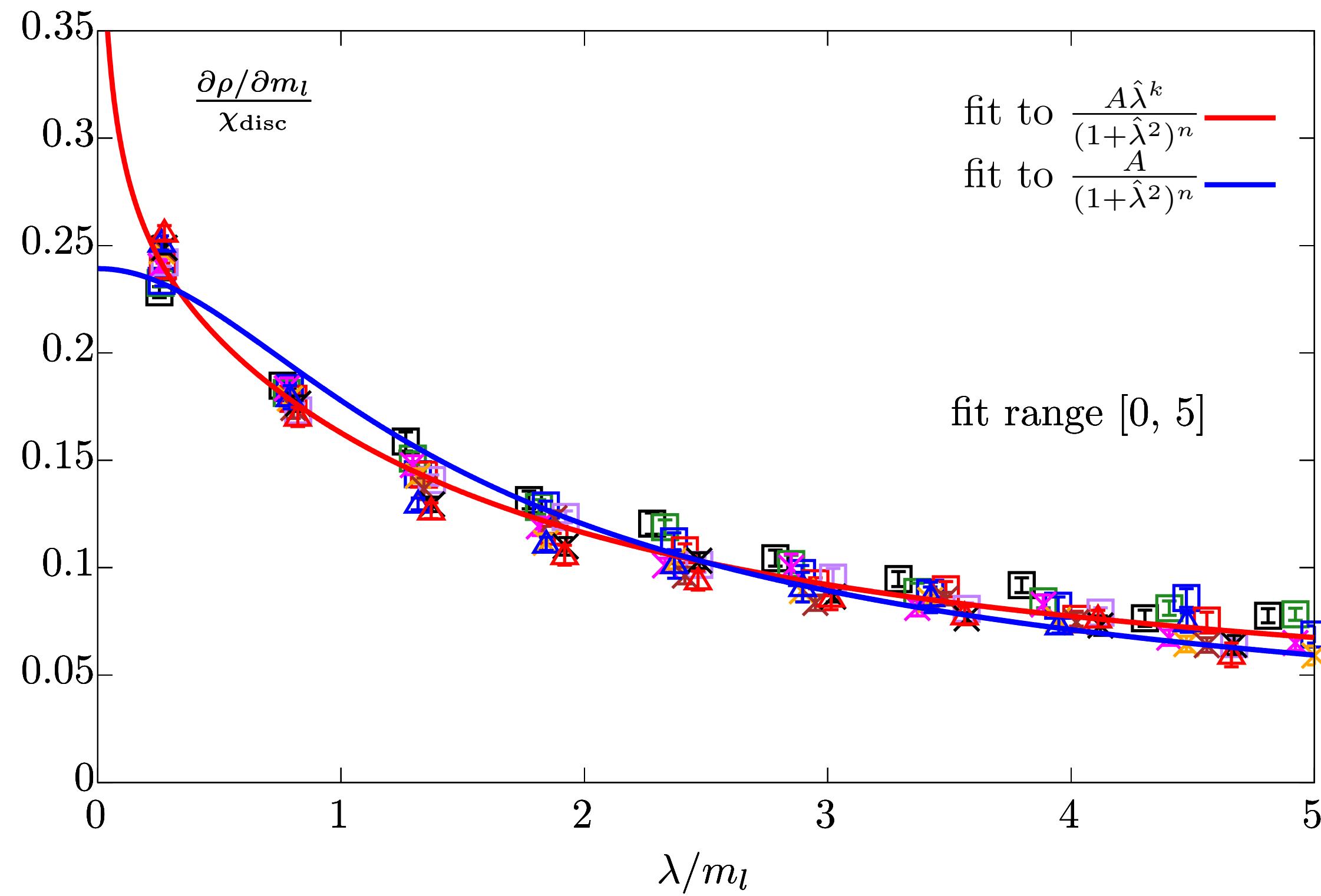
independent at about $T \in (140, 151)$ MeV

χ_2 -Rescaled $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$



$$\frac{\partial^2 \rho / \partial m_l^2(\lambda/m_l)}{\chi_2}$$
 : quark mass and temperature
 independent in the same T window

Fit to $\partial\rho/\partial m_l/\chi_{\text{disc}}$

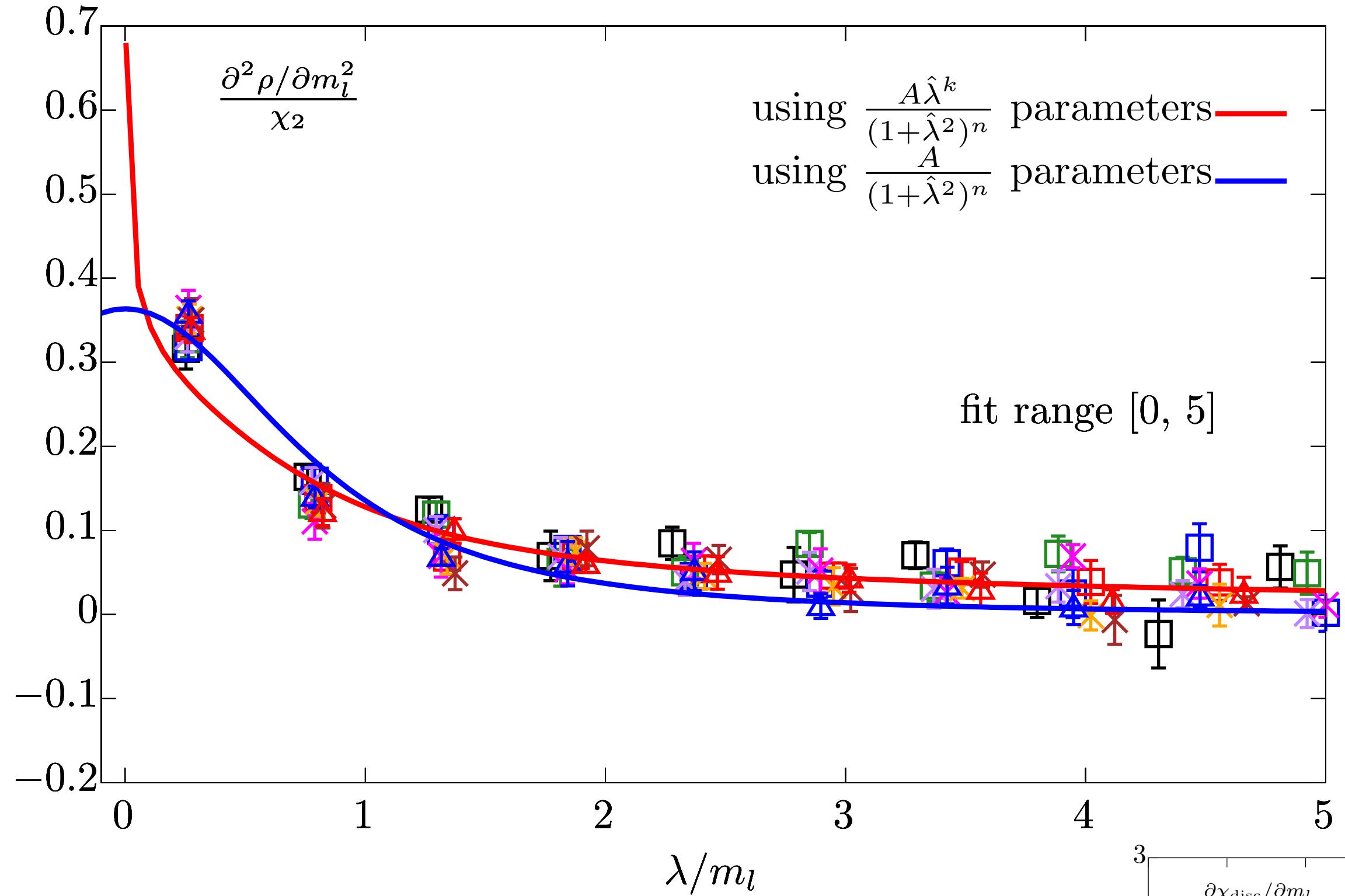


- $T & m$ -independent $\partial\rho/\partial m_l/\chi_{\text{disc}}$ **factorize** $\rightarrow \frac{\partial\rho}{\partial m_l} = f\left(\frac{\lambda}{m_l}\right) \cdot \chi_{\text{disc}}$
- Assuming $f(\hat{\lambda} \equiv \frac{\lambda}{m_l}) = \frac{A\hat{\lambda}^k}{(1 + \hat{\lambda}^2)^n}$ **fit to** $\partial\rho/\partial m_l/\chi_{\text{disc}}$
- Banks-Casher-like relations **constrain** $\rightarrow k = 0$

$$\lim_{m_l \rightarrow 0} \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} \chi_{\text{disc}} = \lim_{m_l \rightarrow 0} \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} 2\pi \cdot \partial\rho/\partial m_l(0, m_l)$$

$$= 2\pi \lim_{m_l \rightarrow 0} \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} \chi_{\text{disc}} \cdot \lim_{m_l \rightarrow 0} \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{\lambda \rightarrow 0} \frac{Am_l^{2n-k}\lambda^k}{(m_l^2 + \lambda^2)^n}$$

Reconstruction of $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2/\chi_2$

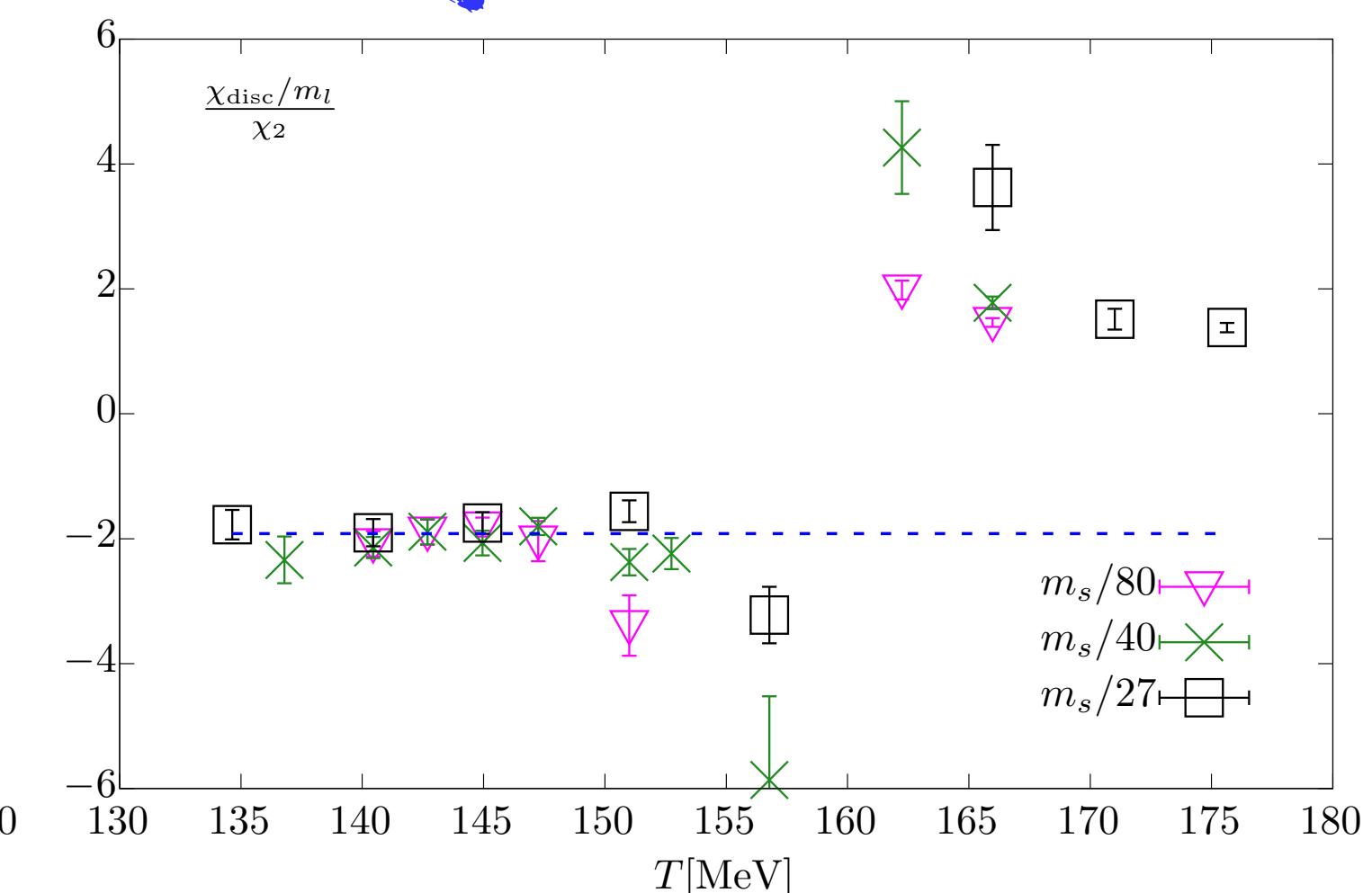
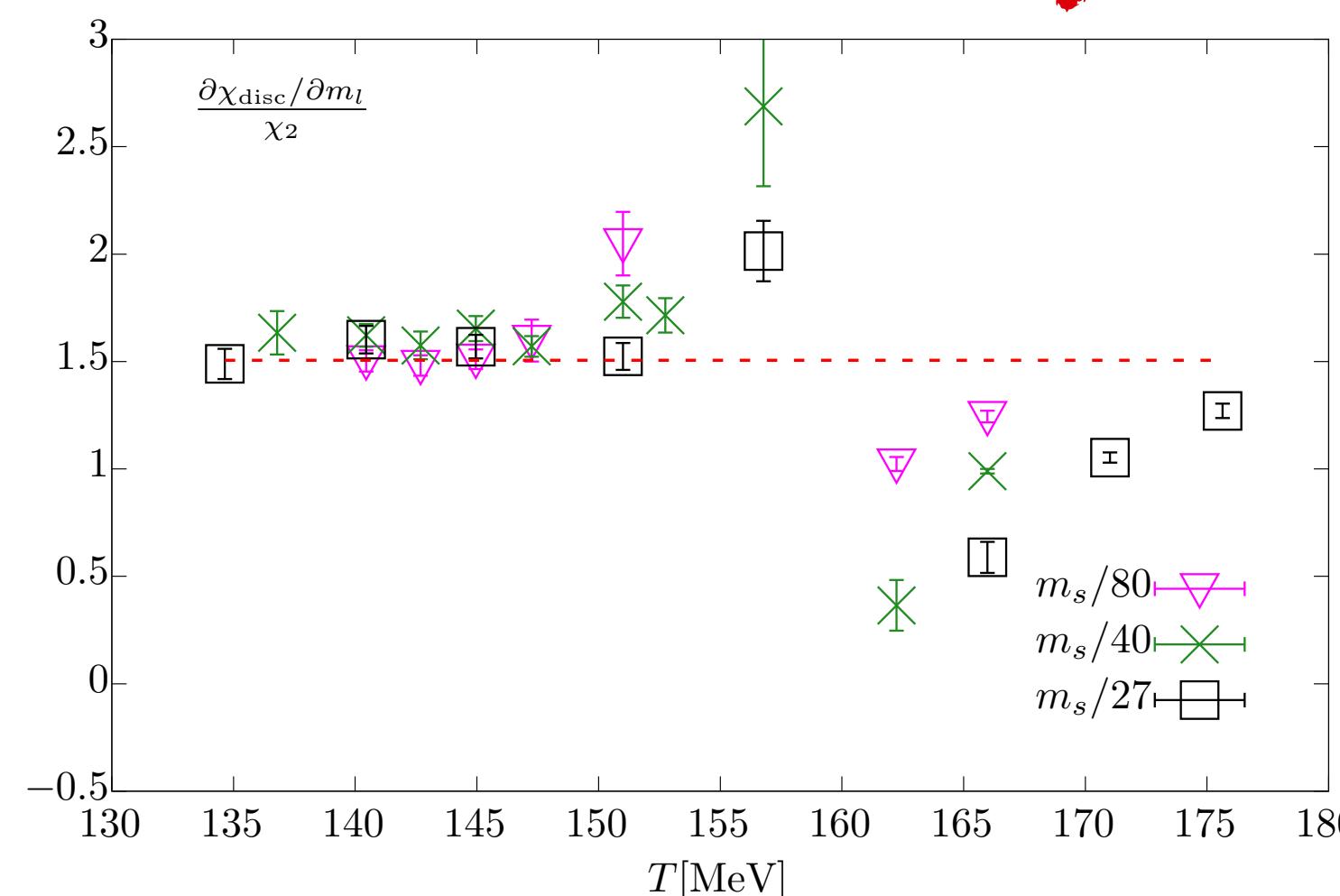


$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial m_l} = f\left(\frac{\lambda}{m_l}\right) \cdot \chi_{\text{disc}}$$

$$f(\hat{\lambda} \equiv \frac{\lambda}{m_l}) = \frac{A\hat{\lambda}^k}{(1 + \hat{\lambda}^2)^n}$$

mass derivative

$$\frac{\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2}{\chi_2} = f(\hat{\lambda}) \left[\frac{\partial \chi_{\text{disc}}/\partial m_l}{\chi_2} + \frac{\chi_{\text{disc}}/m_l}{\chi_2} \frac{[2n\hat{\lambda}^2 - k(1 + \hat{\lambda}^2)]}{(1 + \hat{\lambda}^2)} \right]$$



Summary

Based on HISQ configurations $(32^3, 40^3, 56^3) \times 8$ lattices with $m_\pi \approx (140, 110, 80)$ MeV,

- ✓ Chiral observables can be reproduced via ρ , $\partial\rho/\partial m_l$ and $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$
- ✓ As T approaches to T_c , the m_l^2 behavior in ρ does not exist any more
- ✓ $\partial\rho/\partial m_l/\chi_{\text{disc}}$ and $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2/\chi_2$ are temperature and quark mass independent around T_c

Outlook

- Check the scaling behavior in the Dirac eigenvalue correlations v.s. MEOS

Backup

Calculation of eigenvalue spectrum

- Commonly used method: Lanczos algorithm to calculate the individual low-lying eigenvalues
- Here we utilized the Chebyshev filtering technique combined with a stochastic estimate of the mode number

$$\text{Mode number : } n_{[s,t]} \approx \frac{1}{n_v} \sum_{k=1}^{n_v} \left[\sum_{j=0}^p g_j^p \gamma_j v_k^T T_j(A) v_k \right]$$

T_j : Chebyshev polynomial
 γ_j & g_j^p : expansion coefficients
 n_v : number of random vectors
 p : number of polynomial orders

$$\text{eigenvalue spectrum : } \rho_U(\lambda) = \frac{1}{4} \frac{n_{[\lambda-\delta/2, \lambda+\delta/2]}}{2\delta\lambda}$$

1/4 : Staggered Fermion Discretization Scheme
1/2 : positive and negative eigenvalue pairs
 $\delta\lambda$: bin-size

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Yu Zhang, Lattice 19', arXiv: 2001.05217

Cossu et al., arXiv: 1601.00744

$\partial^n \rho / \partial m_l^n$ and Dirac eigenvalue correlations

Eigenvalue spectrum for (2+1)-flavor QCD:

$$\rho(\lambda, m_l) = \frac{T}{VZ[U]} \int D[U] e^{-S_G[U]} \det [\mathcal{D}[U] + m_s] \times \left(\det [\mathcal{D}[U] + m_l] \right)^2 \rho_U(\lambda)$$

Eigenvalue spectrum for a given configuration:

$$\rho_U(\lambda) = \sum_j \delta(\lambda - \lambda_j)$$

Partition function:

$$Z[U] = \int D[U] e^{-S_G[U]} \det [\mathcal{D}[U] + m_s] \times \left(\det [\mathcal{D}[U] + m_l] \right)^2$$

Trace of fermion matrix:

$$\det [\mathcal{D}[U] + m_l] = \prod_j (+i\lambda_j + m_l) (-i\lambda_j + m_l) = \exp \left(\int_0^\infty d\lambda \rho_U(\lambda) \ln [\lambda^2 + m_l^2] \right)$$

Mass derivative of $\rho(\lambda, m_l)$:

$$\frac{V}{T} \frac{\partial \rho}{m_l} = \int_0^\infty d\lambda_2 \frac{4m_l C_2}{\lambda_2^2 + m_l^2} \quad C_2(\lambda, \lambda_2) = \langle \rho_U(\lambda) \rho_U(\lambda_2) \rangle - \langle \rho_U(\lambda) \rangle \langle \rho_U(\lambda_2) \rangle$$

MEOS and Scaling functions

Magnetic Equation of State (regular term up to H^3):

$$z = t/h^{1/\delta\beta}, \text{ where } t = \frac{T - T_c}{t_0 T_c}, h = \frac{H}{h_0}$$

$$M(t, h) = h^{1/\delta} f_G(z) + [a_0 + a_1 \frac{T - T_c}{T_c} + a_2 (\frac{T - T_c}{T_c})^2] H + [c_0 + c_1 \frac{T - T_c}{T_c} + c_2 (\frac{T - T_c}{T_c})^2] H^3$$

$$\chi_M(t, h) = \frac{1}{h_0} h^{1/\delta-1} f_\chi(z) + [a_0 + a_1 \frac{T - T_c}{T_c} + a_2 (\frac{T - T_c}{T_c})^2] + 3[c_0 + c_1 \frac{T - T_c}{T_c} + c_2 (\frac{T - T_c}{T_c})^2] H^2$$

$$\frac{\partial \chi_M}{\partial H} = \frac{1}{h_0^2} h^{1/\delta-2} f_{pp}(z) + 6[c_0 + c_1 \frac{T - T_c}{T_c} + c_2 (\frac{T - T_c}{T_c})^2] H$$

$$f_{pp}(z) \equiv \frac{1}{\delta} [(1/\delta - 1)f_G(z) + (\frac{z}{\beta} + \frac{z}{\beta^2 \delta} - 2 \cdot \frac{z}{\beta \delta}) f'_G(z) + \frac{z^2}{\beta^2 \delta} f''_G(z)]$$

Temperature dependence of $\partial^2\rho/\partial m_l^2$

