



# Hyperon-Nucleon Interaction from Lattice QCD

格点QCD方法研究超子-核子相互作用

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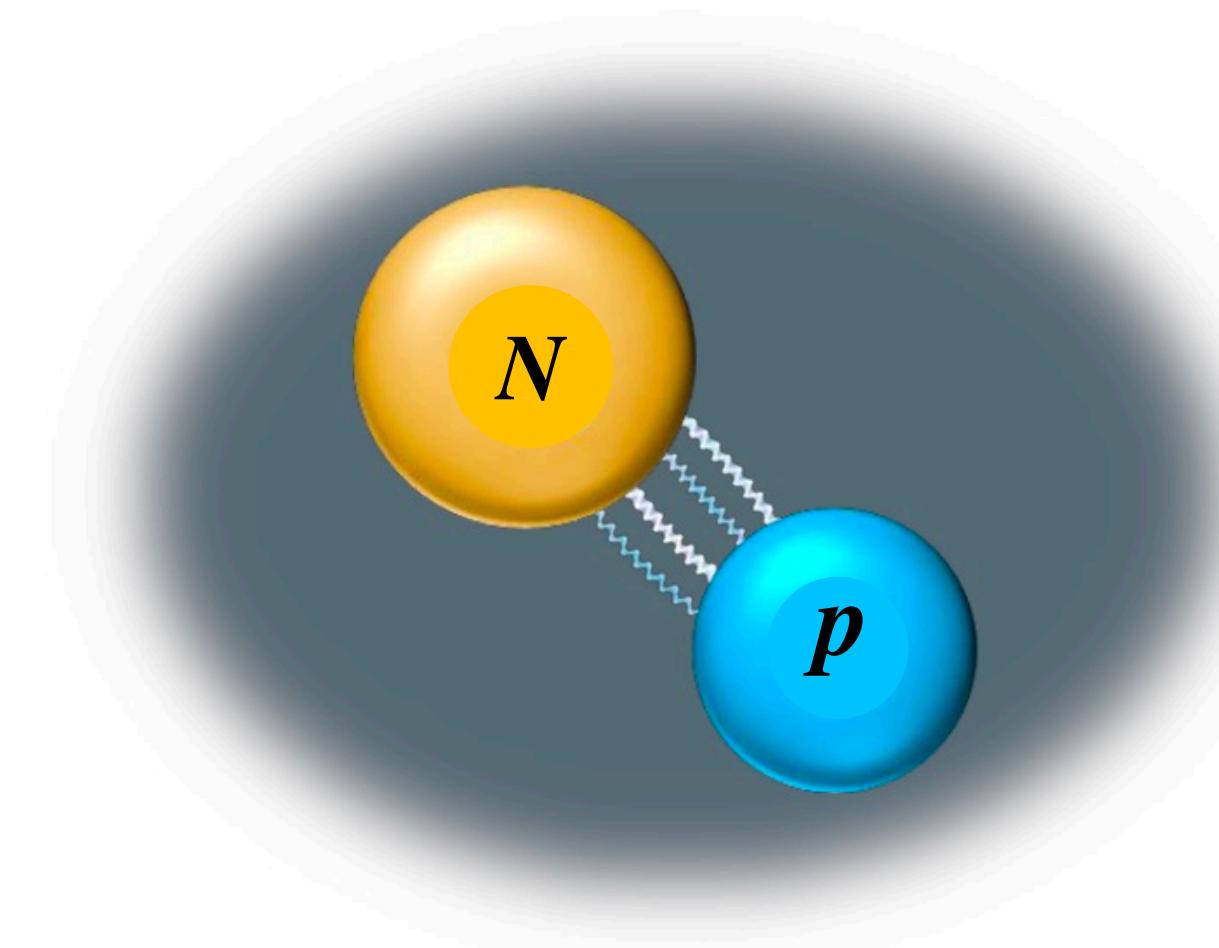
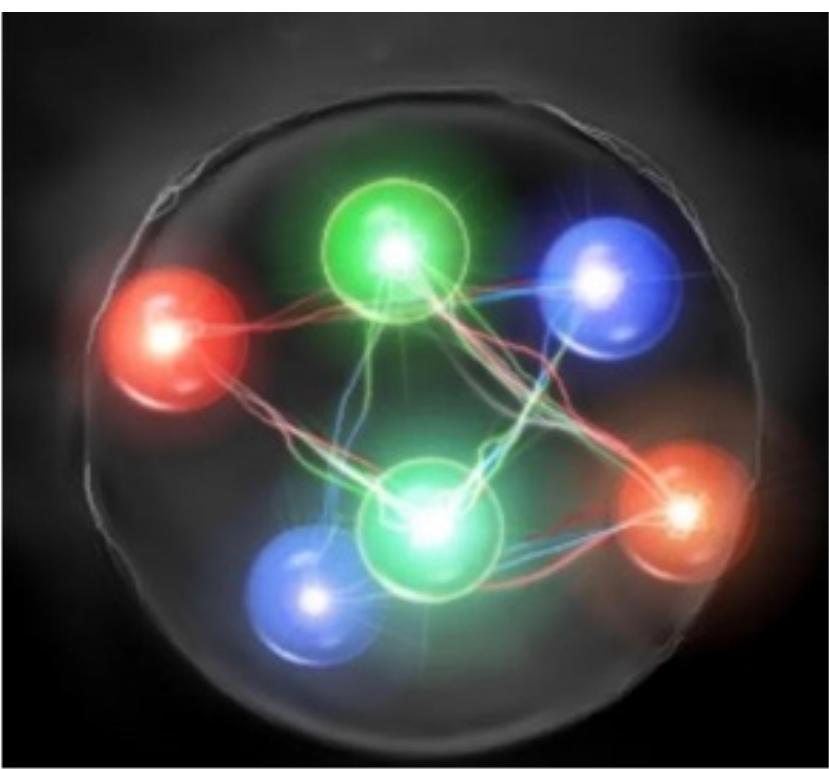
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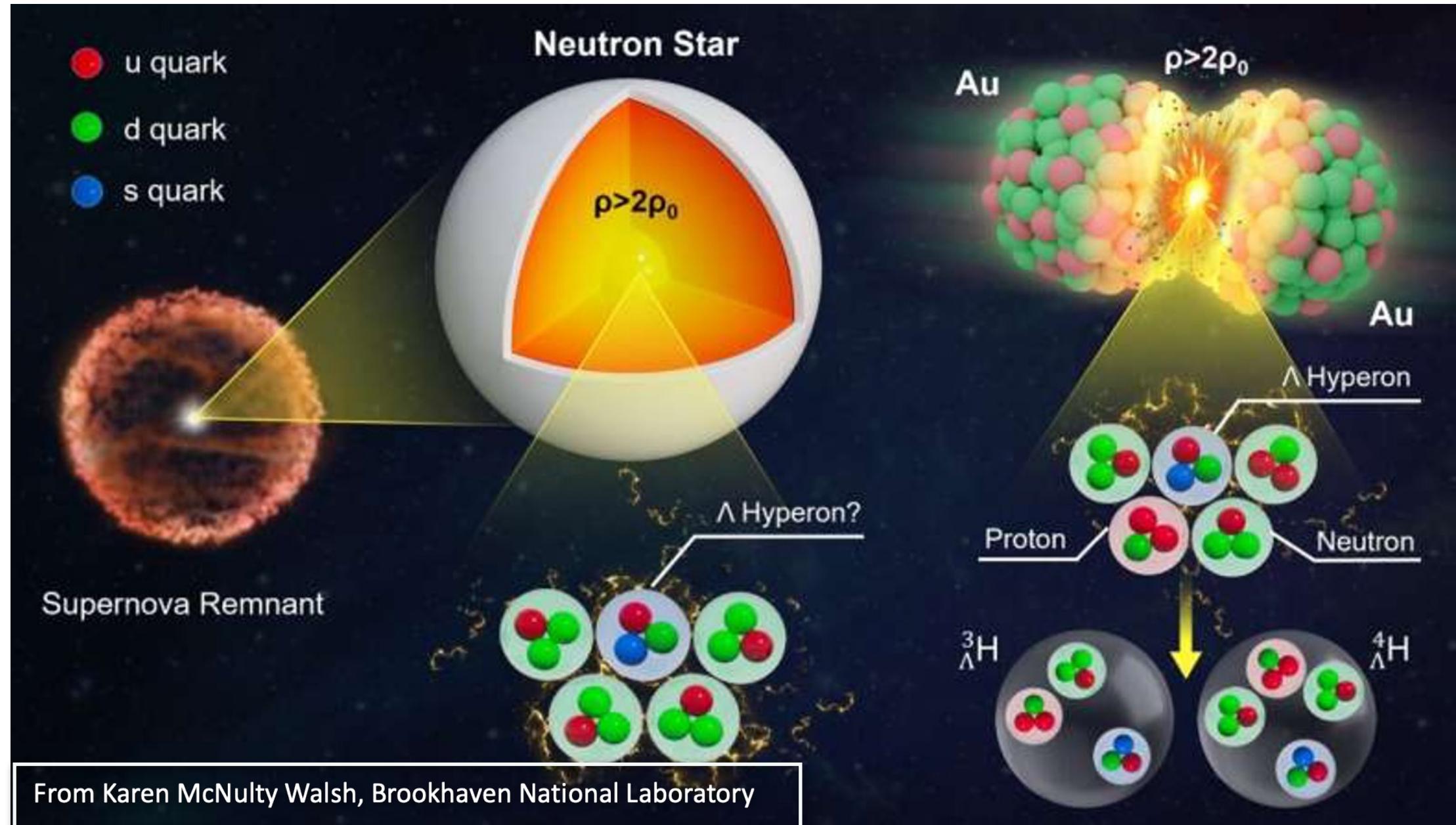
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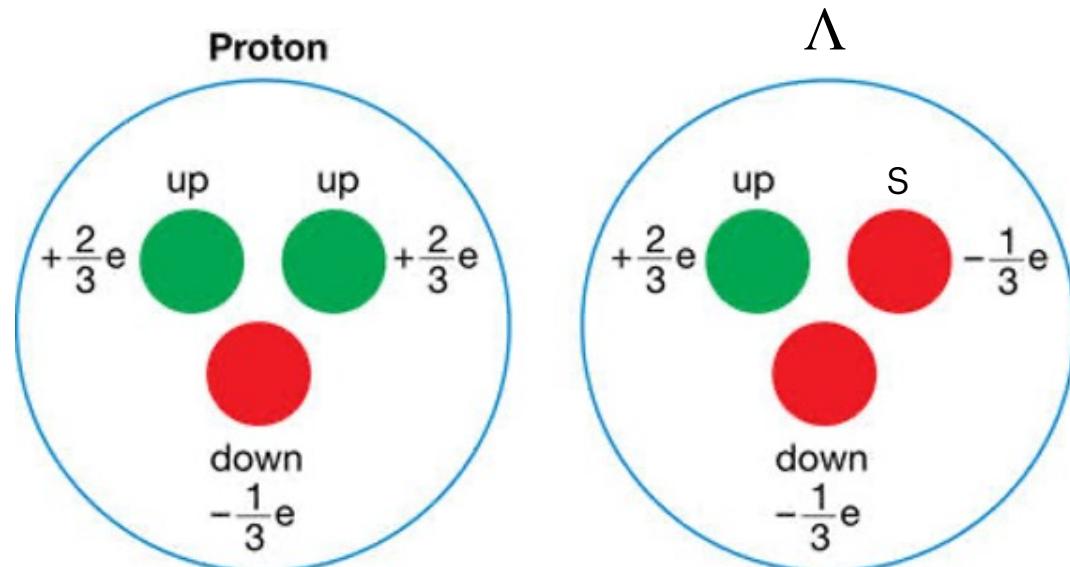


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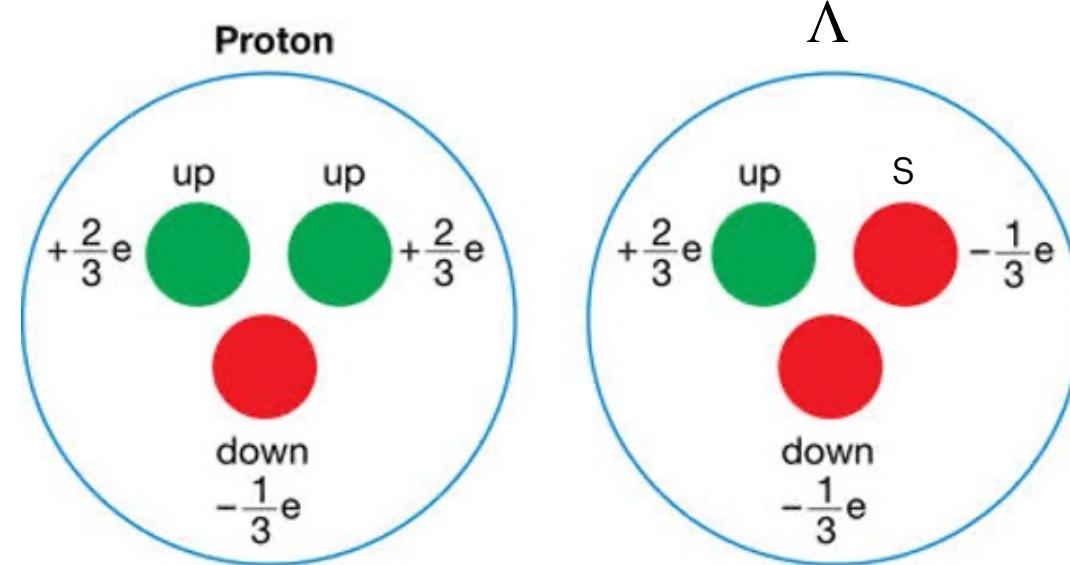
- Hyperon-Nucleon interactions



Also concerned

- ✓ hadronic molecule?
- ✓ multiquark state?
- ✓ the effective potential ?
- ✓ the binding energy?
- ✓ “hyperon puzzle” in neutron stars

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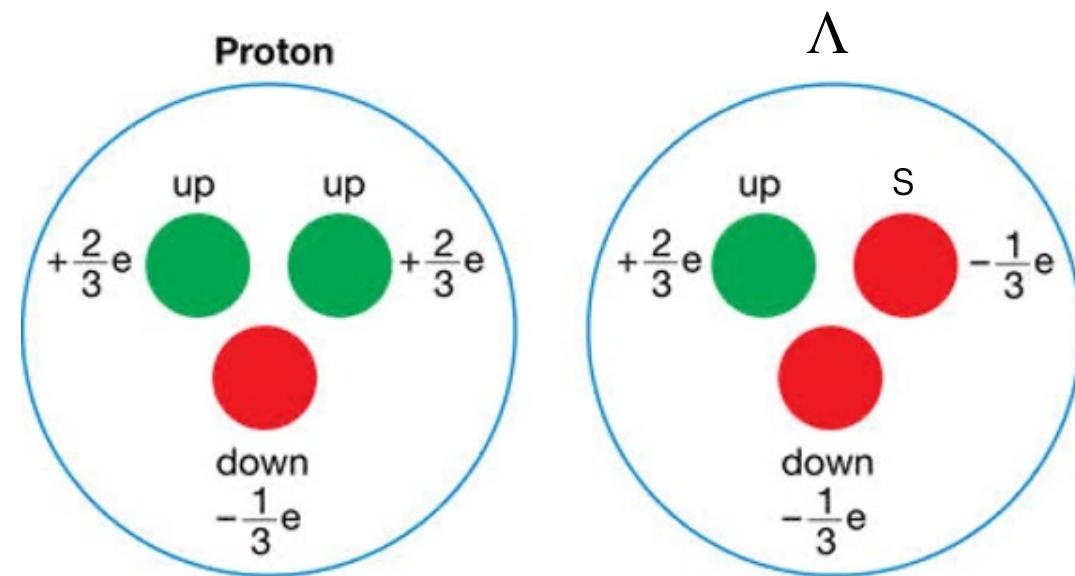
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$$C(\mathbf{k}^*) \approx 1 + \frac{|f(k)|^2}{2R_G^2} F(d_0) + \frac{2\text{Re}f(k)}{\sqrt{\pi}R_G} F_1(2kR) - \frac{\text{Im}f(k)}{R_G} F_2(2kR_G)$$

$$\frac{1}{f(k)} \approx \frac{1}{f_0} + \frac{\mathbf{d}_0 k^2}{2} - ik$$

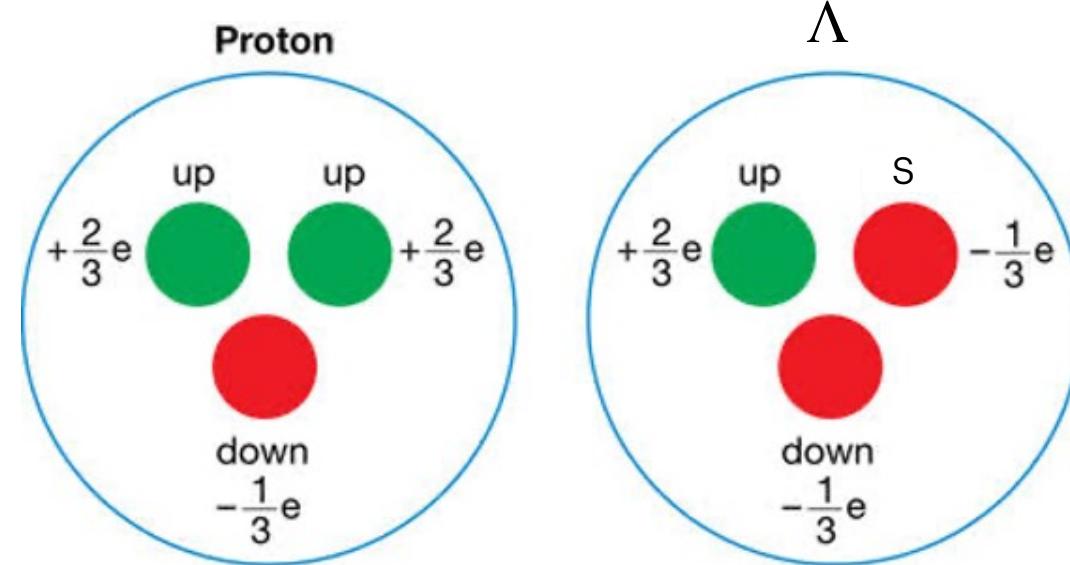
Different  $f_0$  and  $d_0$  for different spin states

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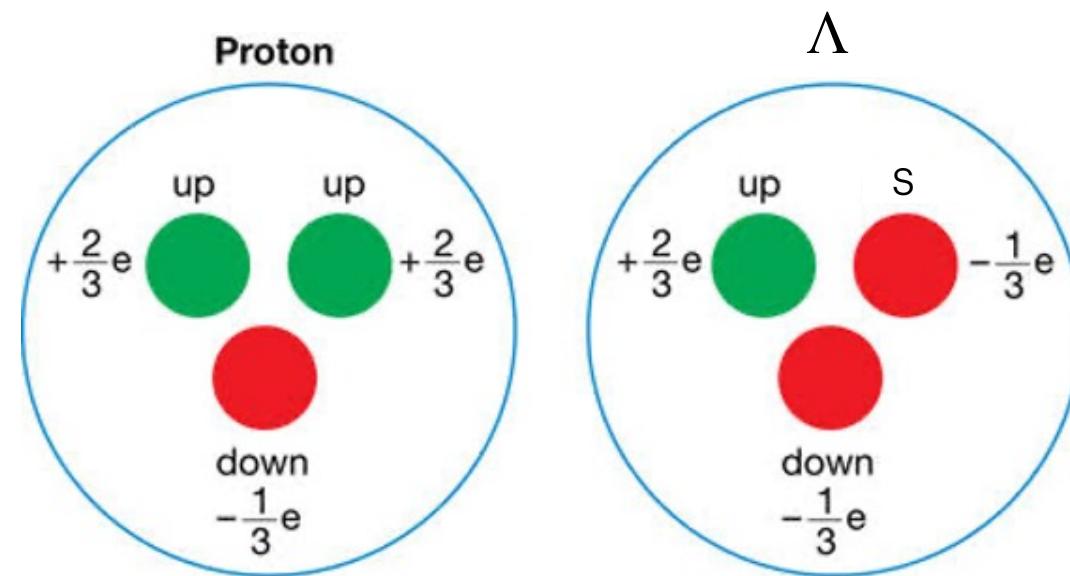
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Editors' Suggestion

Observation of Coulomb-Assisted Nuclear Bound State of  $\Xi^-$ - $^{14}\text{N}$  System

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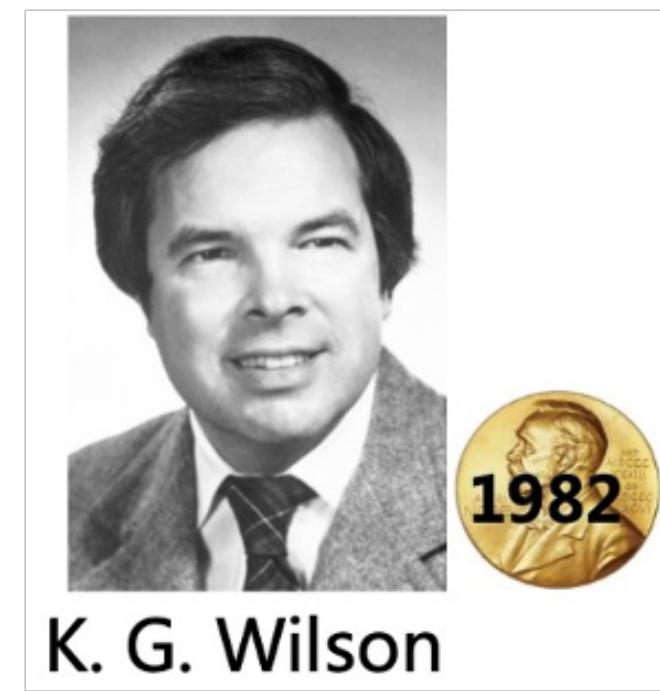
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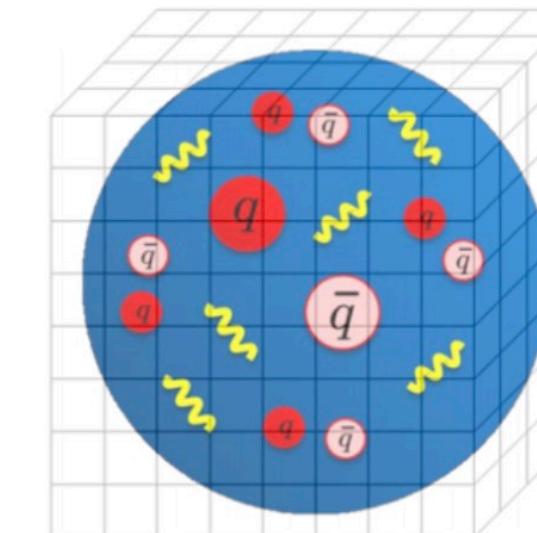
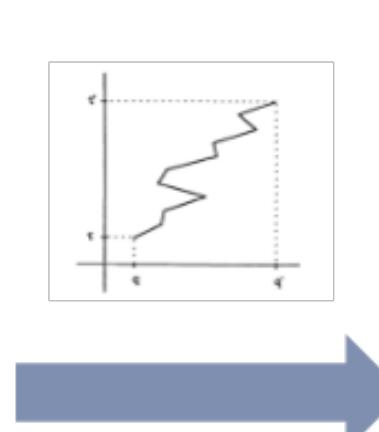
large uncertainty due to short-lifetime of hyperon beams

# Lattice QCD

LatticeQCD(Wilson,1974): the ab-initio non-perturbative method



K. G. Wilson



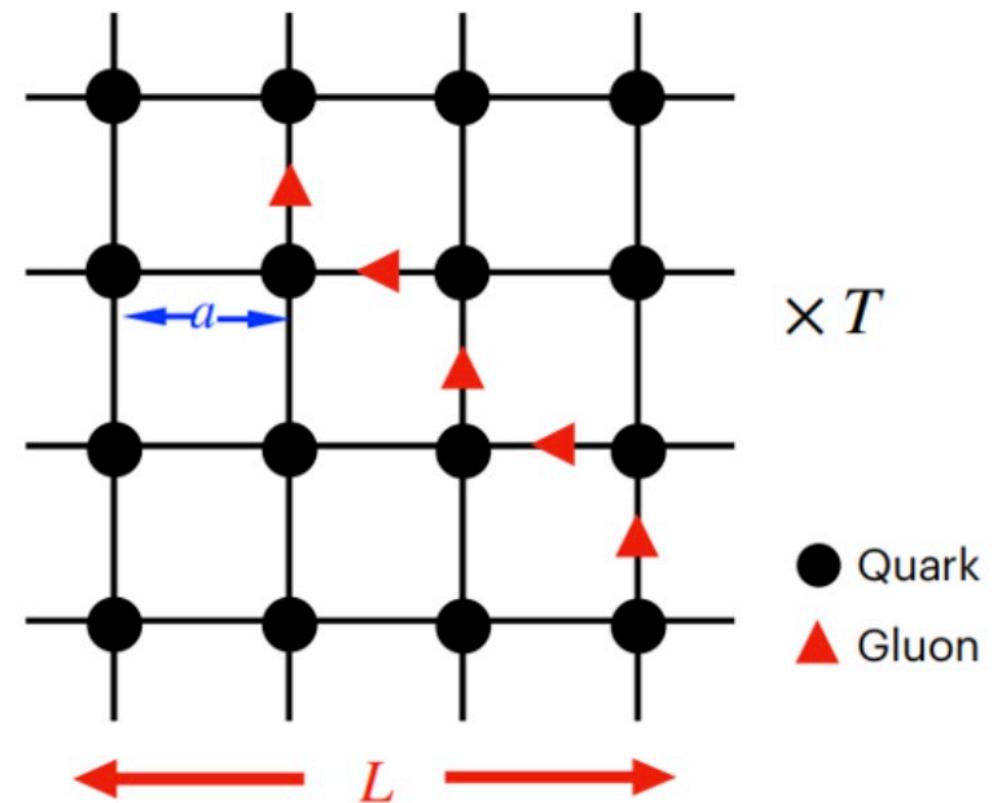
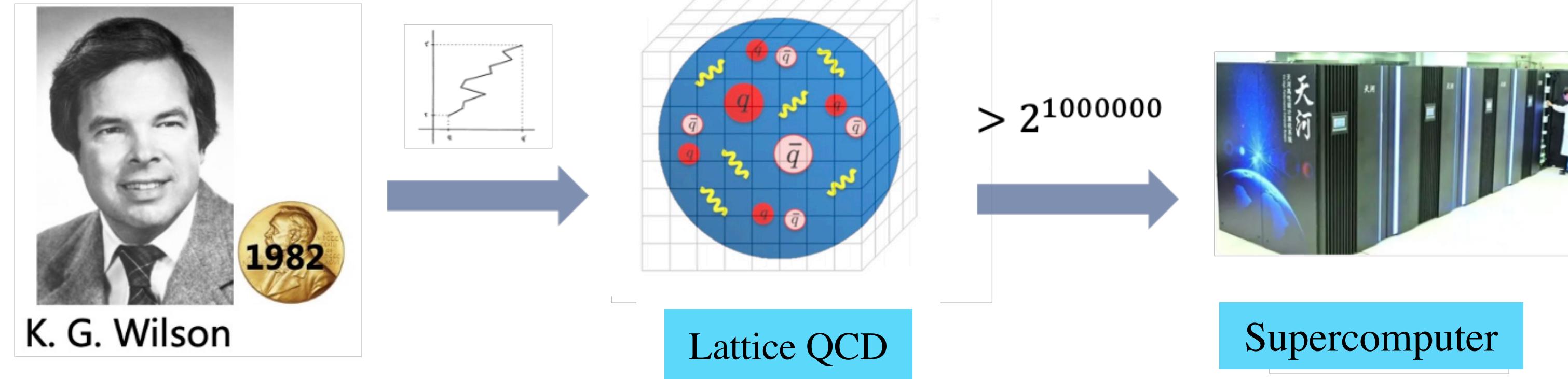
Lattice QCD

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Supercomputer

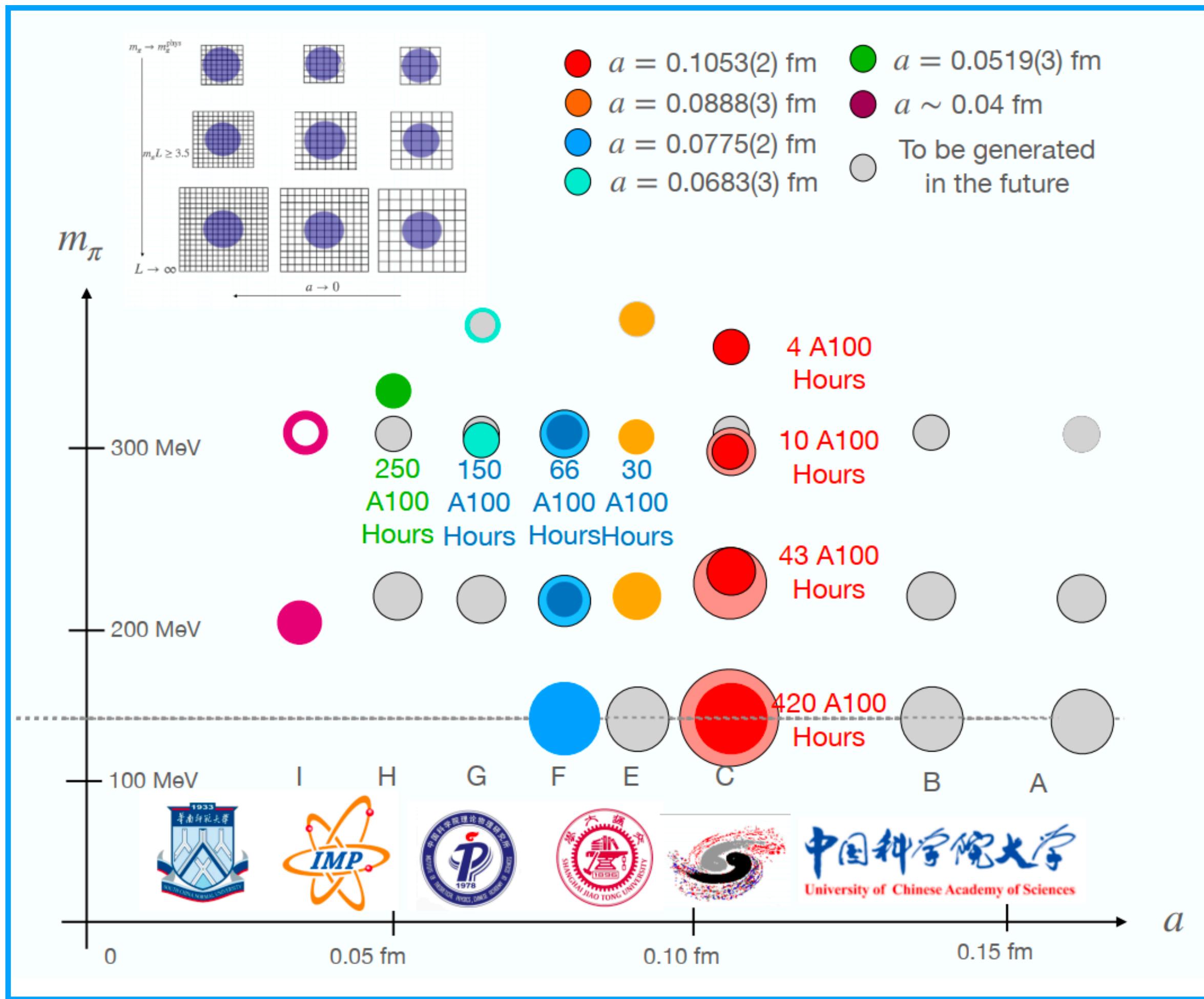
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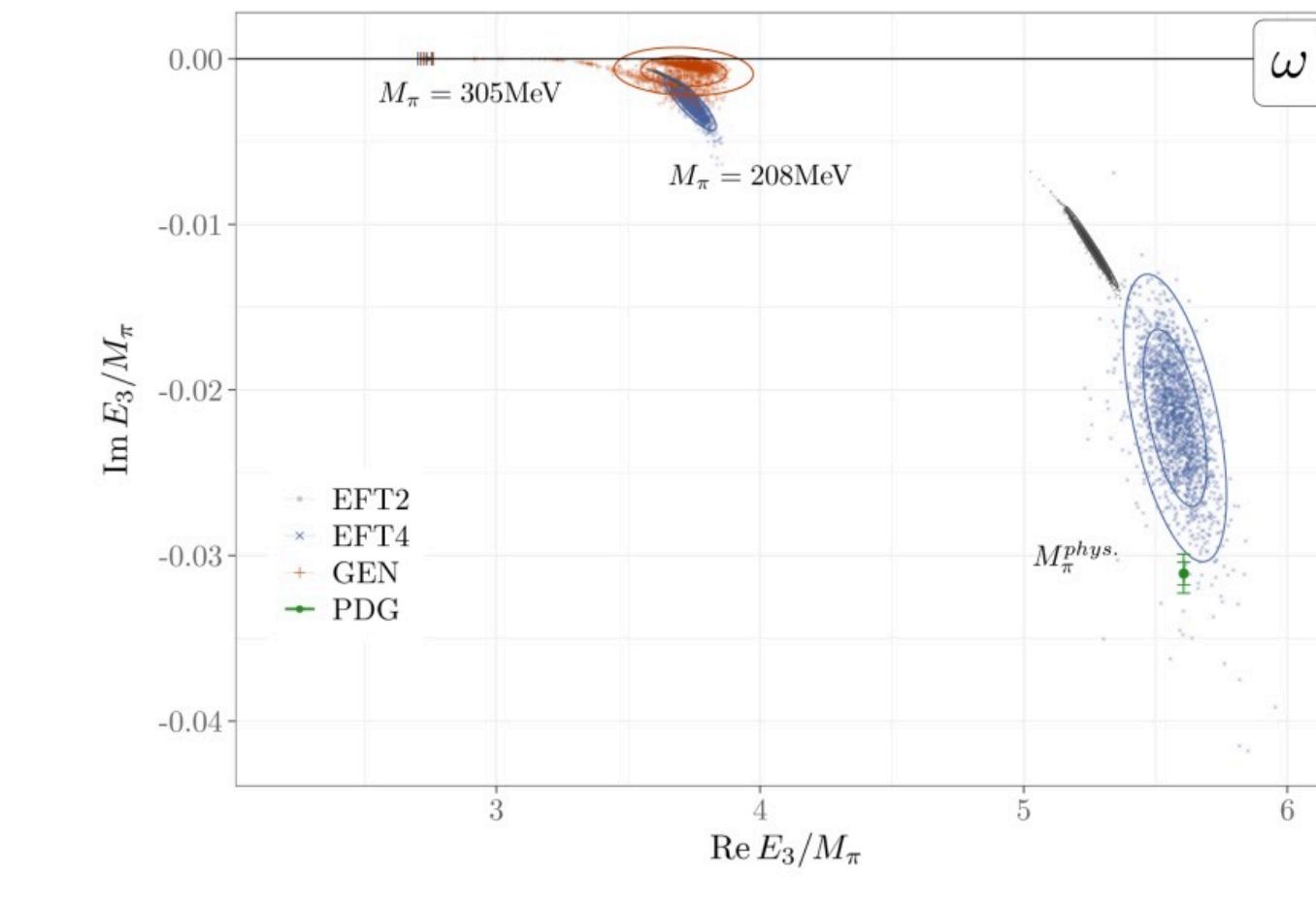
- Quark on discrete lattice:  
consider both **IR** and **UV** effects:

$$m_\pi L \gtrsim 4, \quad \text{and} \quad a^{-1} \gg \text{mass scale}$$

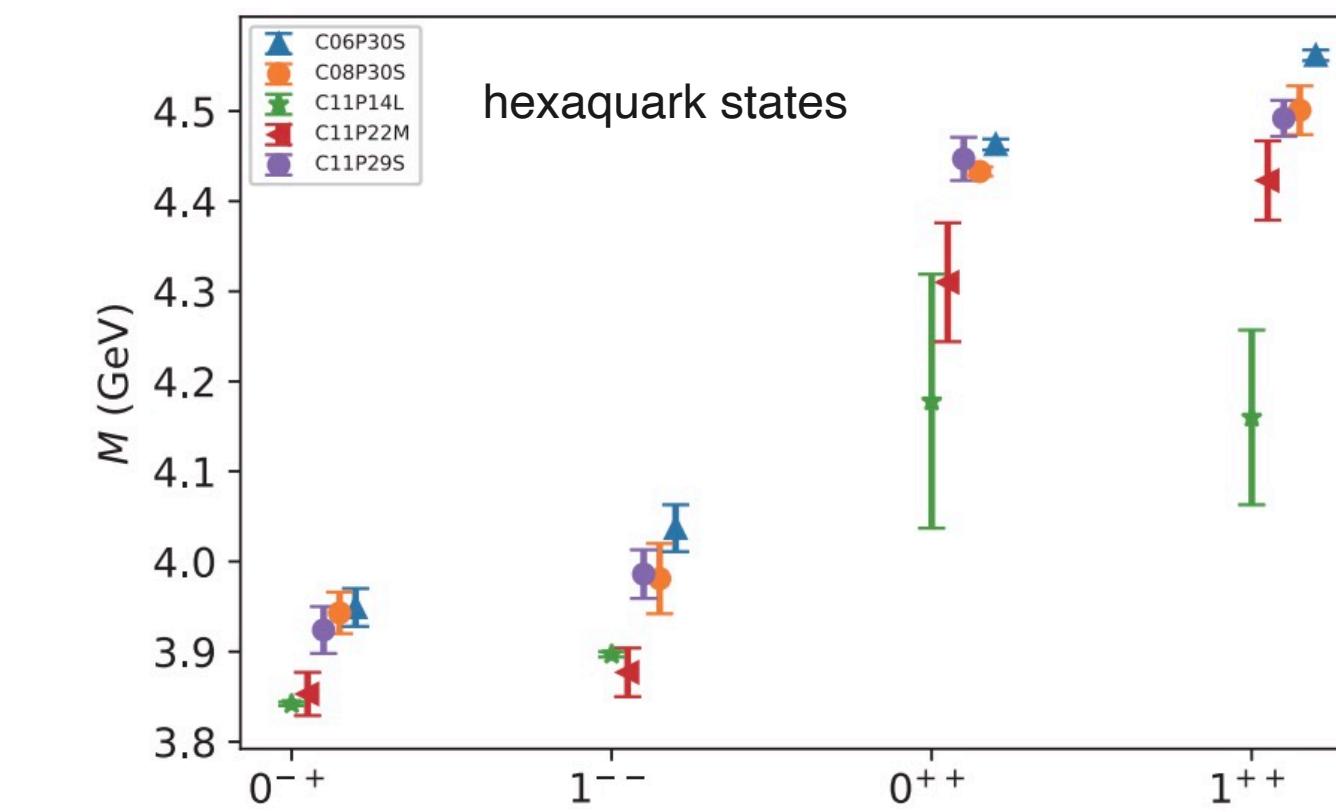
# New Lattice QCD configurations



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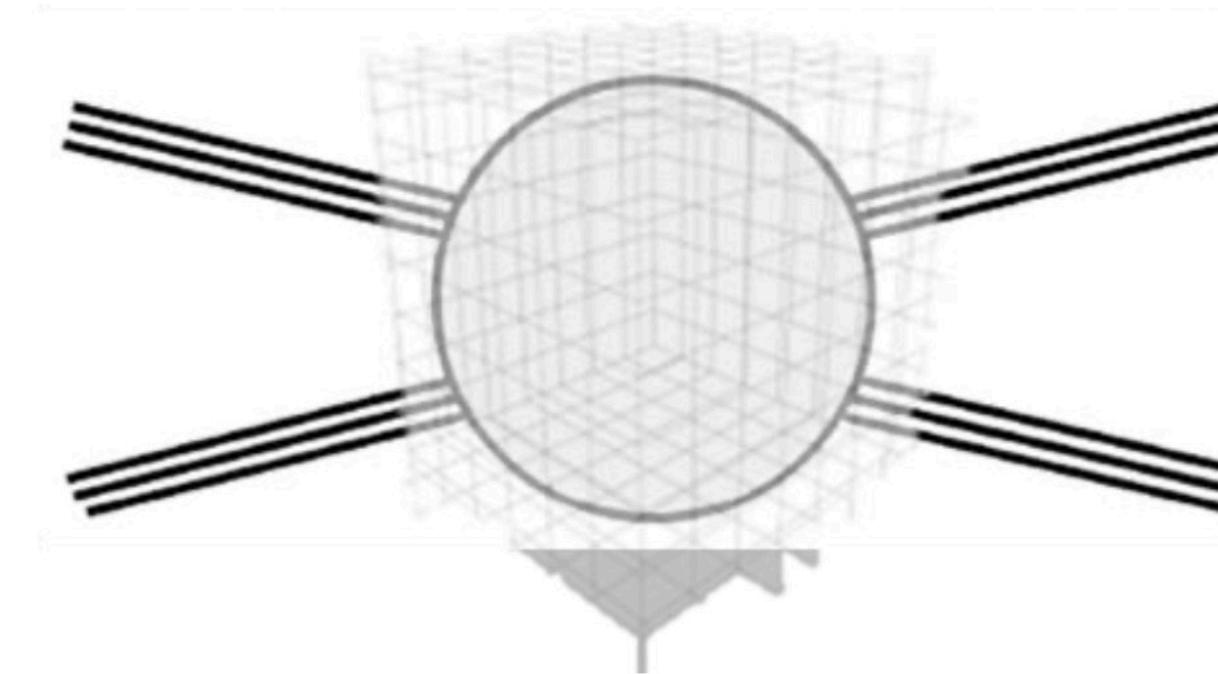
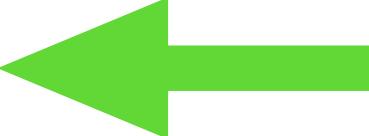
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# The HALQCD method

$$C_{p\Lambda}(\vec{r}, t) = \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle 0 | p(\vec{x}, t) \Lambda(\vec{x} + \vec{r}, t) \bar{J}_{p\Lambda}(0) | 0 \rangle$$

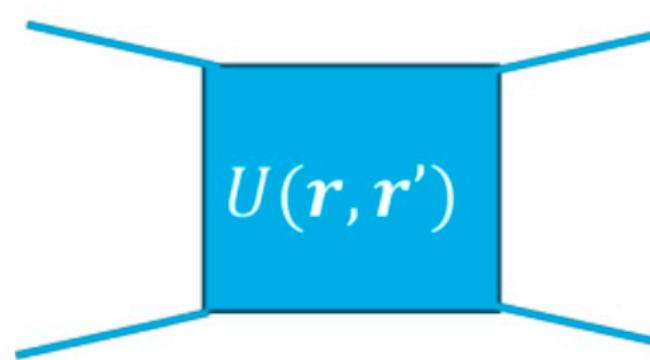
$$\Psi^W_n(\vec{r}) e^{-W_n t}$$

Nambu-Bethe-Salpeter  
wave function

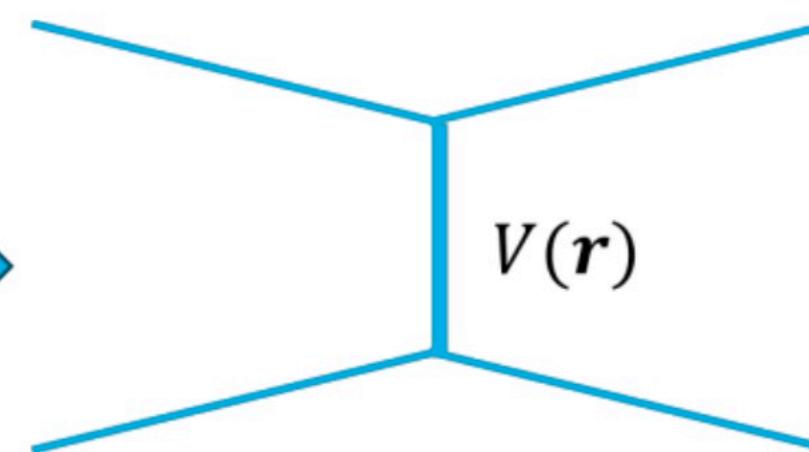


Lattice simulations

$$(E_k - H_0)\Psi^W(\vec{r}) = \int d^3\vec{r}' U(\vec{r}, \vec{r}') \Psi^W(\vec{r}')$$



$$U(\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{r}') = V(\mathbf{r}, \nabla) \delta^{(3)}(\mathbf{r} - \mathbf{r}')$$



## The HALQCD method

To enhance the signal, the following ratio was attempted:

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Assume the nonlocal potential is energy independent

$$\left[ -H_0 - \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{8\mu} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right] R(\vec{r}, t) = \int d^3 \vec{r}' U(\vec{r}, \vec{r}') R(\vec{r}', t)$$

Then the effective potential leads to

$$V_0^{LO}(\vec{r}) = \frac{1}{2\mu} \frac{\nabla^2 R(\vec{r}, t)}{R(\vec{r}, t)} - \frac{(\partial/\partial t)R(\vec{r}, t)}{R(\vec{r}, t)} + \frac{1}{8\mu} \frac{(\partial^2/\partial t^2)R(\vec{r}, t)}{R(\vec{r}, t)}$$

# Lattice setup for $p - \Lambda$



	$\beta$	$L^3 \times T$	$a$	$m_\pi$	$N_{confs}$
C24P29	6.20	$24^3 \times 72$	0.10530	292.7(1.2)	872
C32P29	6.20	$32^3 \times 64$	0.10530	292.4(1.1)	984
C48P23	6.20	$48^3 \times 96$	0.10530	225.6(0.9)	265
C48P14	6.20	$48^3 \times 96$	0.10530	135.5(1.6)	259
F48P21	6.41	$48^3 \times 96$	0.07746	207.2(1.1)	220
F48P30	6.41	$48^3 \times 96$	0.07746	303.4(0.9)	359
H48P32	6.72	$48^3 \times 144$	0.05187	317.2(0.9)	274

**7 different ensembles:** 3 different lattice spacings,  
pion mass 140MeV~320MeV,  
different volume

*Results can be extend to the physical point and the continuum limit.*

# Two-point Correlation Function

One-particle operators and two-particle operators

$$\begin{aligned} p_\sigma &= \epsilon^{abc} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [u_\zeta^a(x) (C\gamma_5 P_+)_{\zeta\xi} d_\xi^b(x) - d_\zeta^a(x) (C\gamma_5 P_+)_{\zeta\xi} u_\xi^b(x)] \\ &\quad \times [P_+ (1 - (-1)^\sigma i\gamma_1\gamma_2)]_{\sigma\rho} u_\rho^c(x) \\ \Lambda_\sigma &= \epsilon^{abc} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [d_\zeta^a(x) (C\gamma_5 P_+)_{\zeta\xi} u_\xi^b(x) - u_\zeta^a(x) (C\gamma_5 P_+)_{\zeta\xi} d_\xi^b(x)] \\ &\quad \times [P_+ (1 - (-1)^\sigma i\gamma_1\gamma_2)]_{\sigma\rho} s_\rho^c(x) \end{aligned}$$



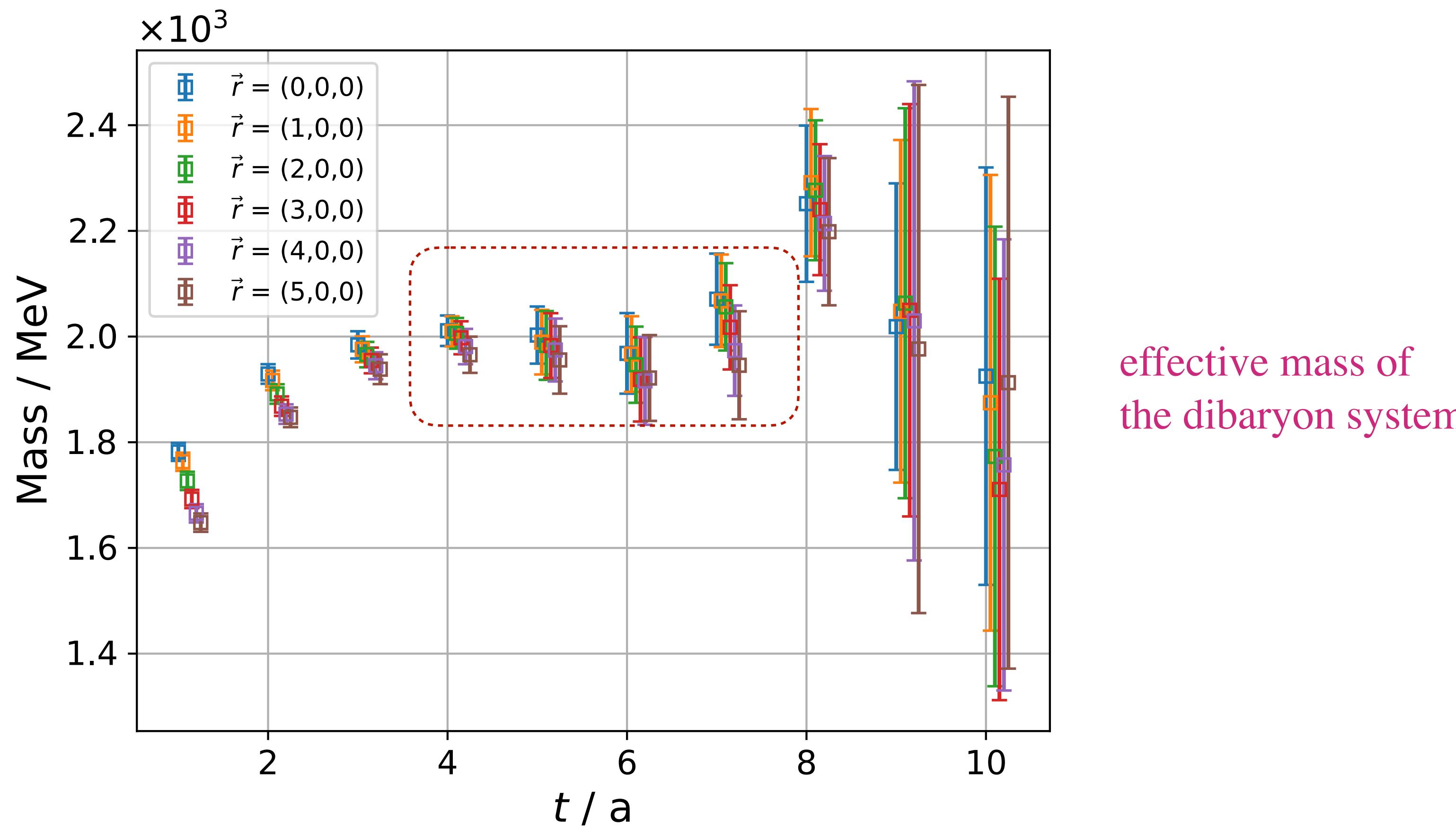
$$\begin{aligned} p\Lambda_{\rho\mathfrak{m}}(t) &= \sum_{\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2 \in \Lambda_S} \psi_{\mathfrak{m}}^{[D]}(\vec{x}_1, \vec{x}_2) \sum_{\sigma, \sigma'} v_{\sigma\sigma'}^\rho, \\ &\quad \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [p_\sigma(\vec{x}_1, t)\Lambda_{\sigma'}(\vec{x}_2, t) + (-1)^{1-\delta_{\rho 0}} \Lambda_\sigma(\vec{x}_1, t)p_{\sigma'}(\vec{x}_2, t)], \end{aligned}$$

For the p- $\Lambda$  system, correlation functions can be obtained

$$C_{p\Lambda}(\vec{r}, t) = \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle 0 | (p(\vec{x}, t)\Lambda(\vec{x} + \vec{r}, t))^D \bar{J}_{p\Lambda}^H(0) | 0 \rangle$$

# The effective mass

We find the appropriate time slice for the ground state saturation of the system.

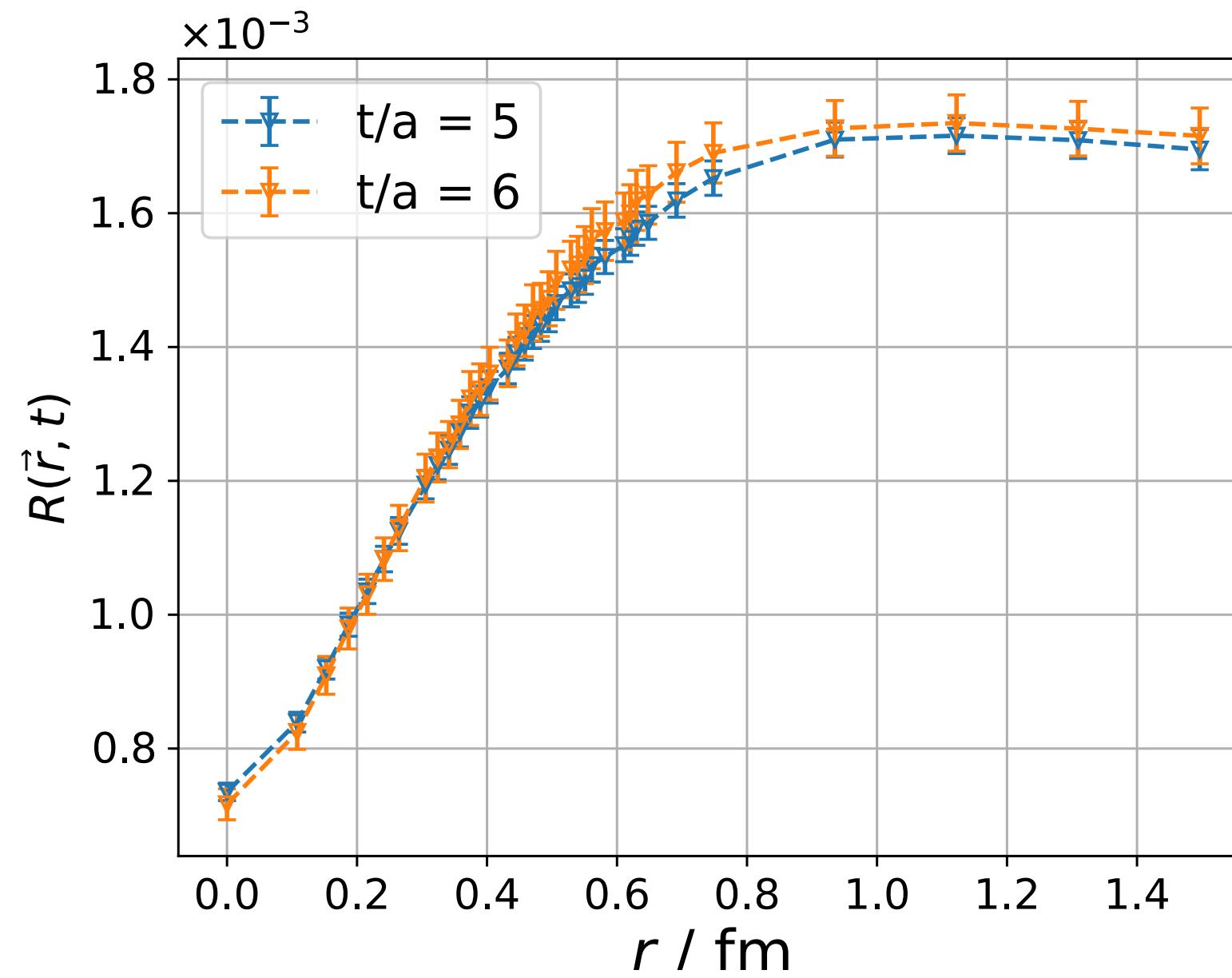


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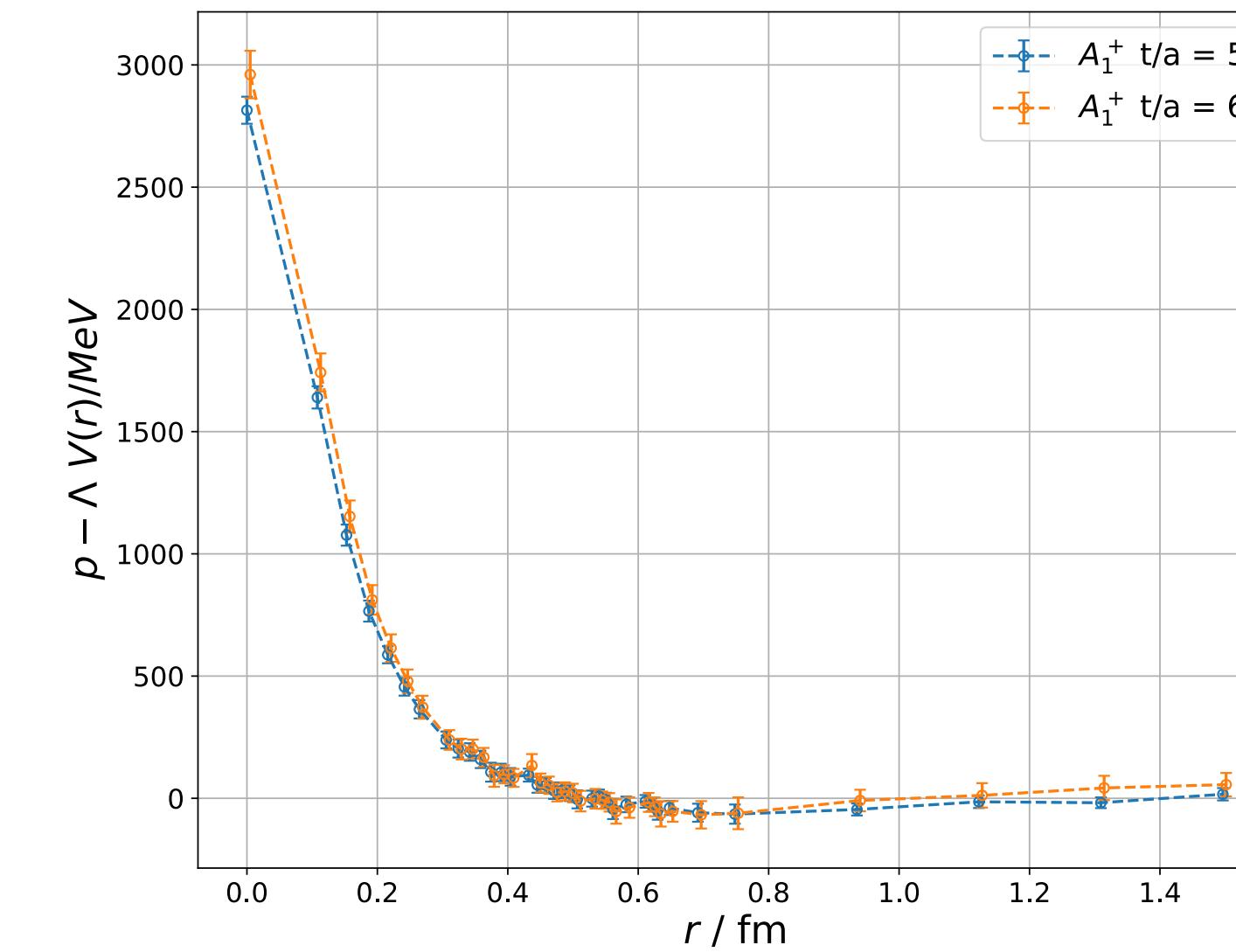
We extract the **NBS wave function** and the **effective potential** on the timeslice  $t/a = 5, 6$ .

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NBS wave function



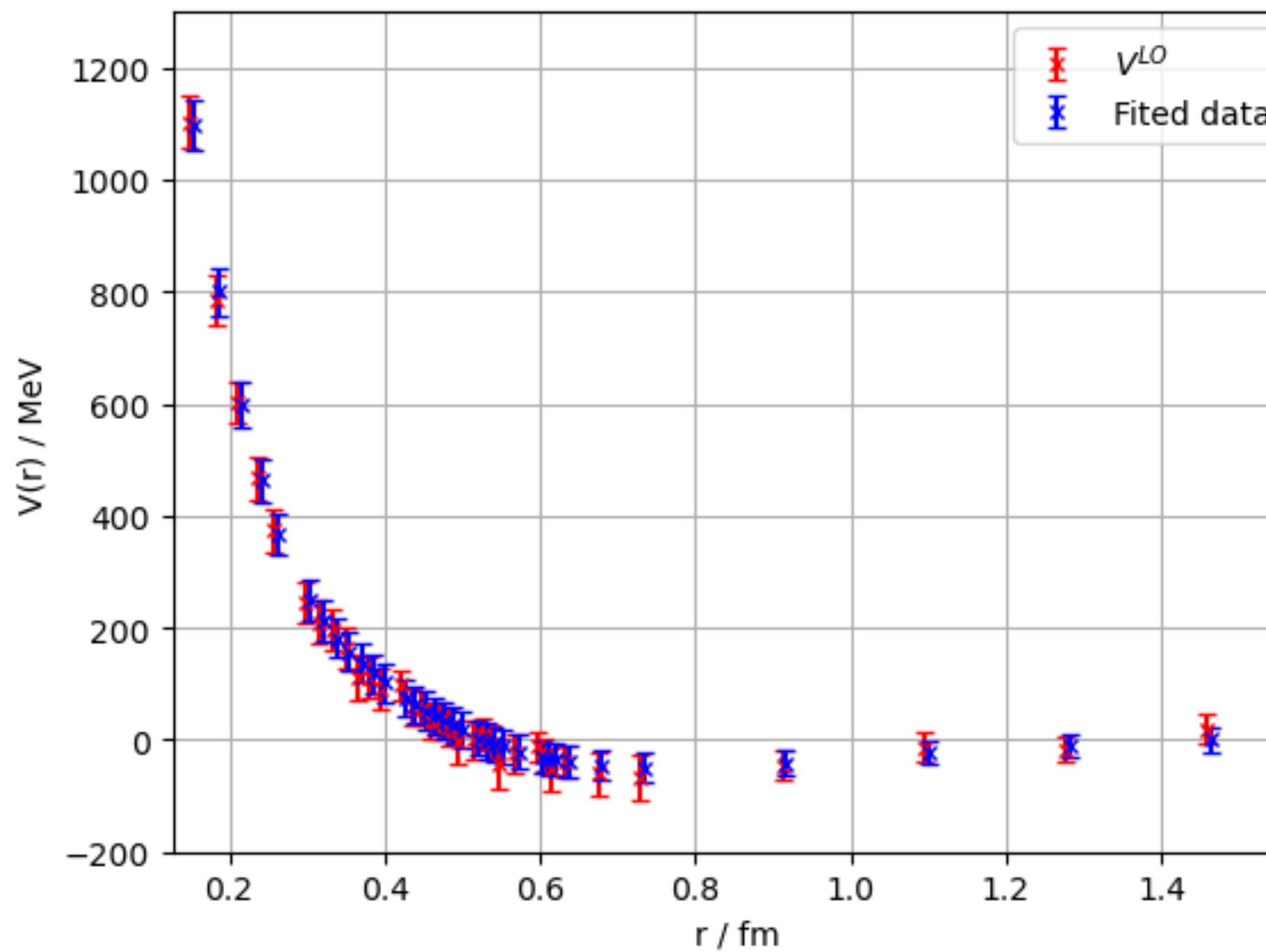
The effective potential

# Phase shift from the HALQCD method

We parameterize the effective potential in this form

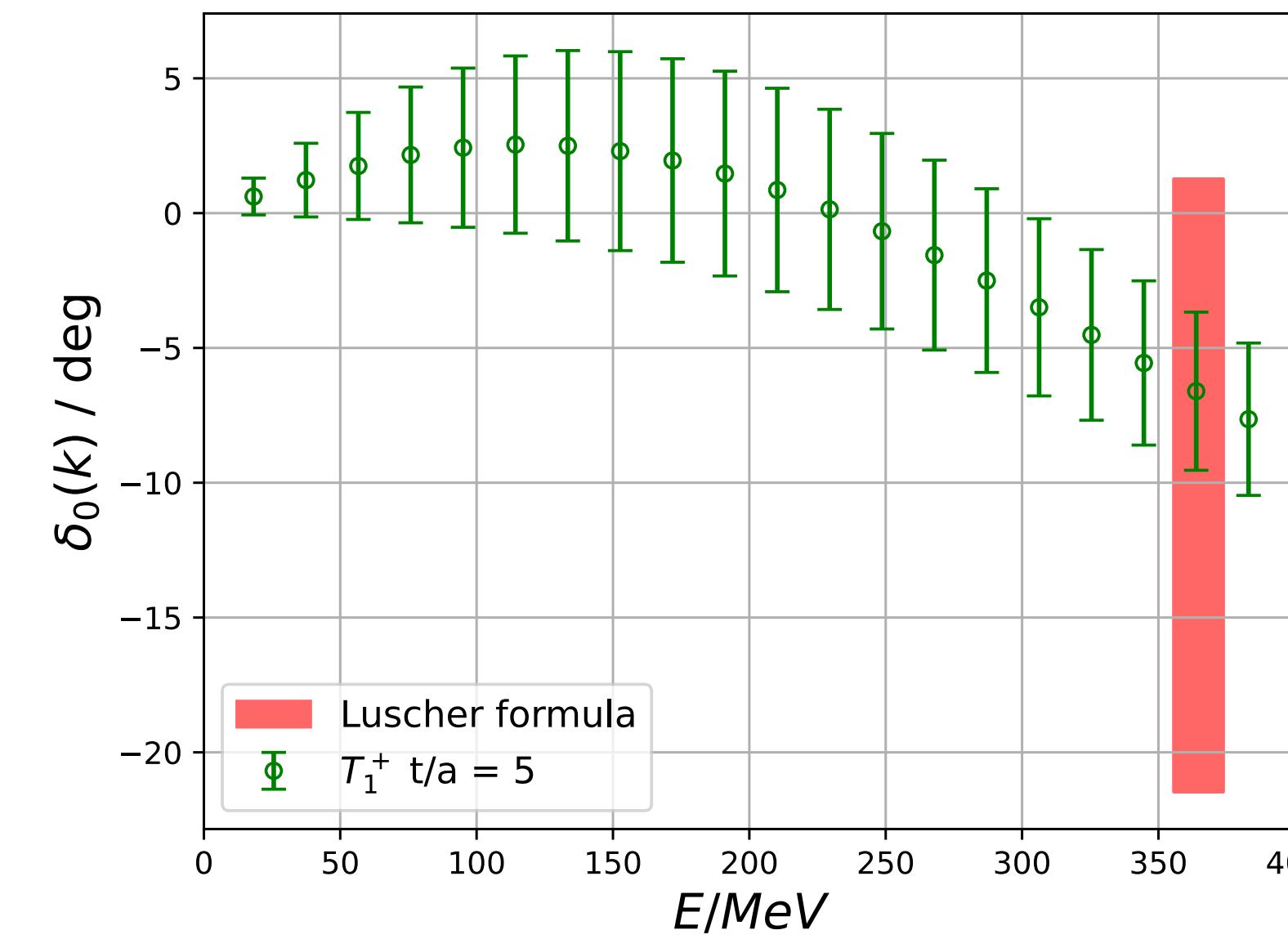
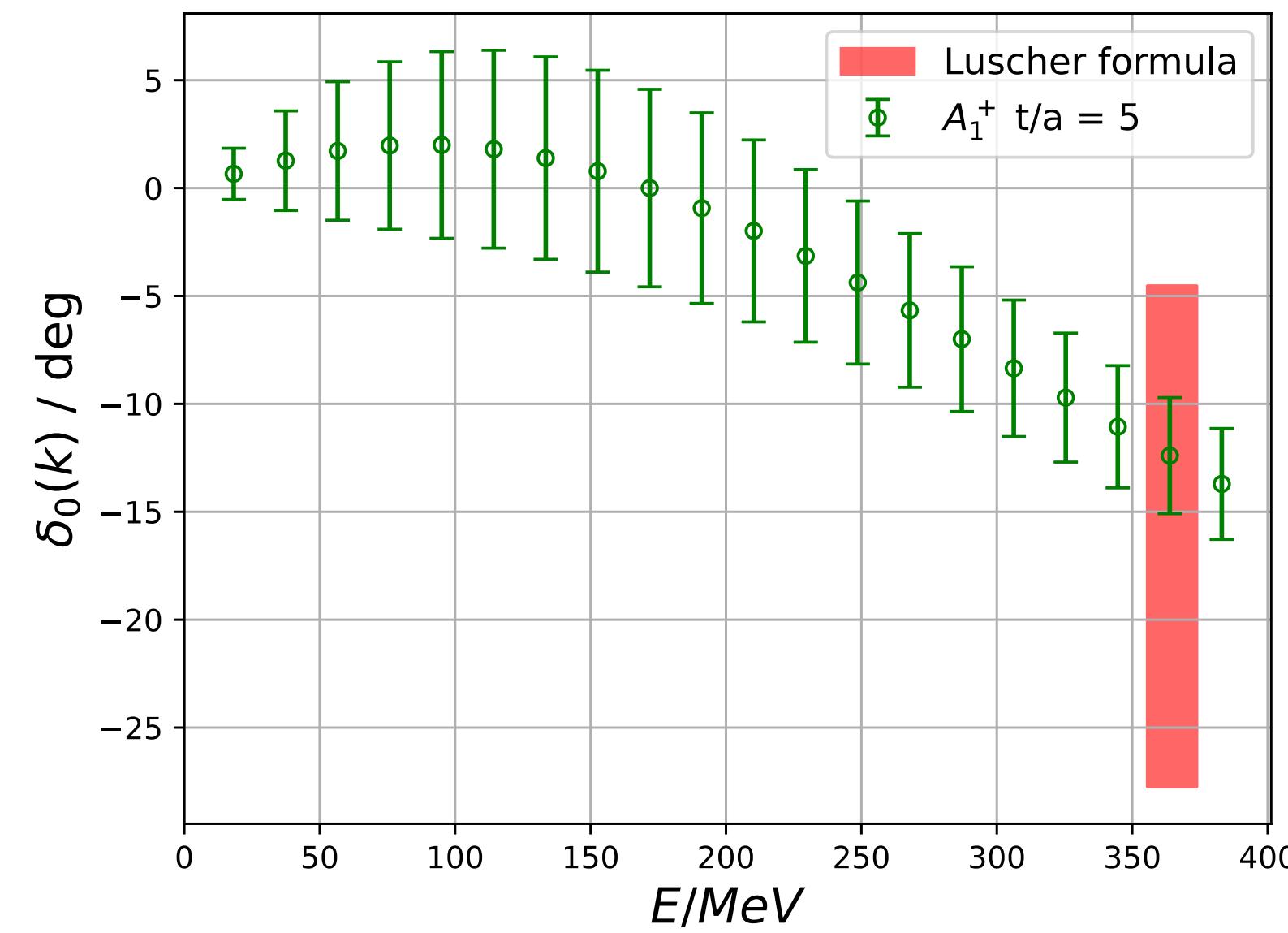
$$V(r) = \underbrace{v_{C1} e^{-\kappa_{C1} r^2} + v_{C2} e^{-\kappa_{C2} r^2}}_{\text{Gaussian form}} + v_{C3} \left(1 - e^{-\alpha_C r^2}\right)^2 \left(\frac{e^{-\beta_C r}}{r}\right)^2 \underbrace{\left(\frac{e^{-\beta_C r}}{r}\right)^2}_{\text{two-pion exchange}}$$

Argonne-type form factor



## Phase shift from the HALQCD method

The scattering phase shift can be obtained by solving the Schrodinger equation



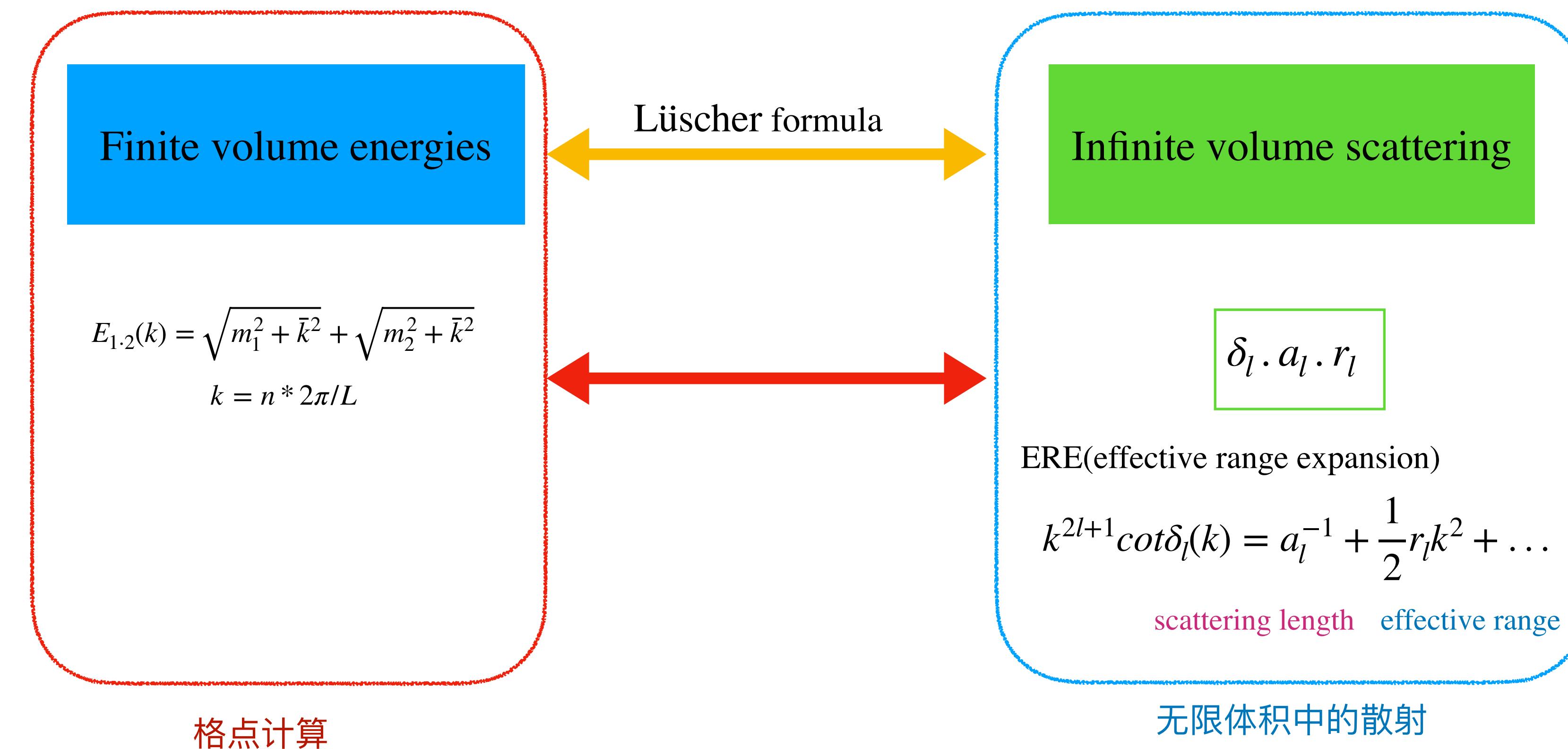
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# Lüscher's finite volume formula

The direct method for scattering on the lattice: **Lüscher's finite volume method**

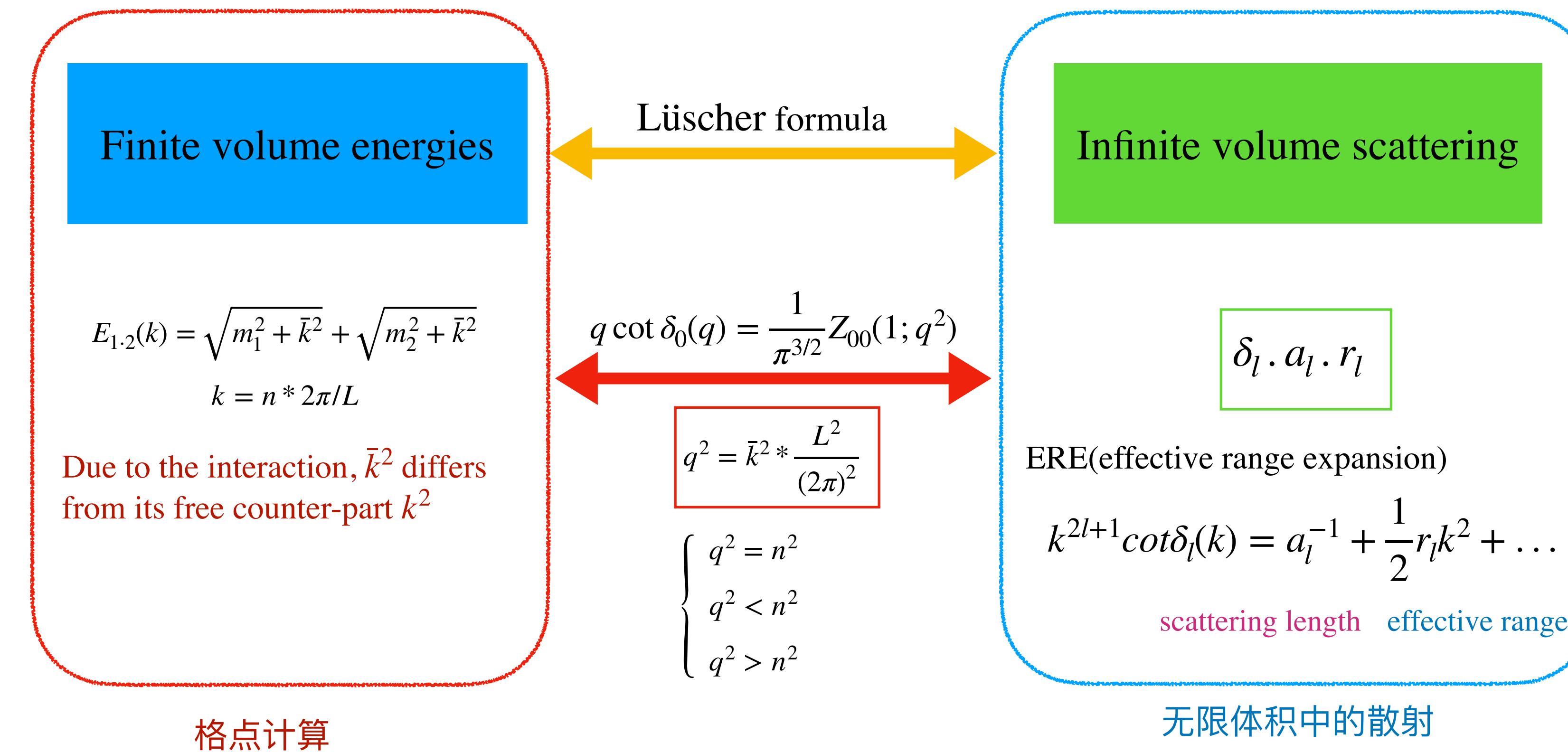
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## Lattice calculation

The **two-particle operators** for the  $^3S_1(T_1^+)$  and  $^1S_0(A_1^+)$  channels

$A_1^+$  :

$$\mathcal{O}_{A_1^+} = p_{\frac{1}{2}}(0)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(0) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(0)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(0)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{O}'_{A_1^+} = & p_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_x)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_x) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_x)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_x) + p_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_x)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_x) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_x)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_x) \\ & + p_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_y)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_y) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_y)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_y) + p_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_y)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_y) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_y)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_y) \\ & + p_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_z)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_z) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_z)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_z) + p_{\frac{1}{2}}(-e_z)\Lambda_{-\frac{1}{2}}(e_z) - p_{-\frac{1}{2}}(-e_z)\Lambda_{\frac{1}{2}}(e_z)\end{aligned}$$

The **correlation matrix** of the form

$$C_i^{\alpha\beta}(t) = \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i^\alpha(t) \mathcal{O}_i^{\beta\dagger}(0) | 0 \rangle$$

Solving the so-called **Generalized Eigenvalue Problem(G EVP)**

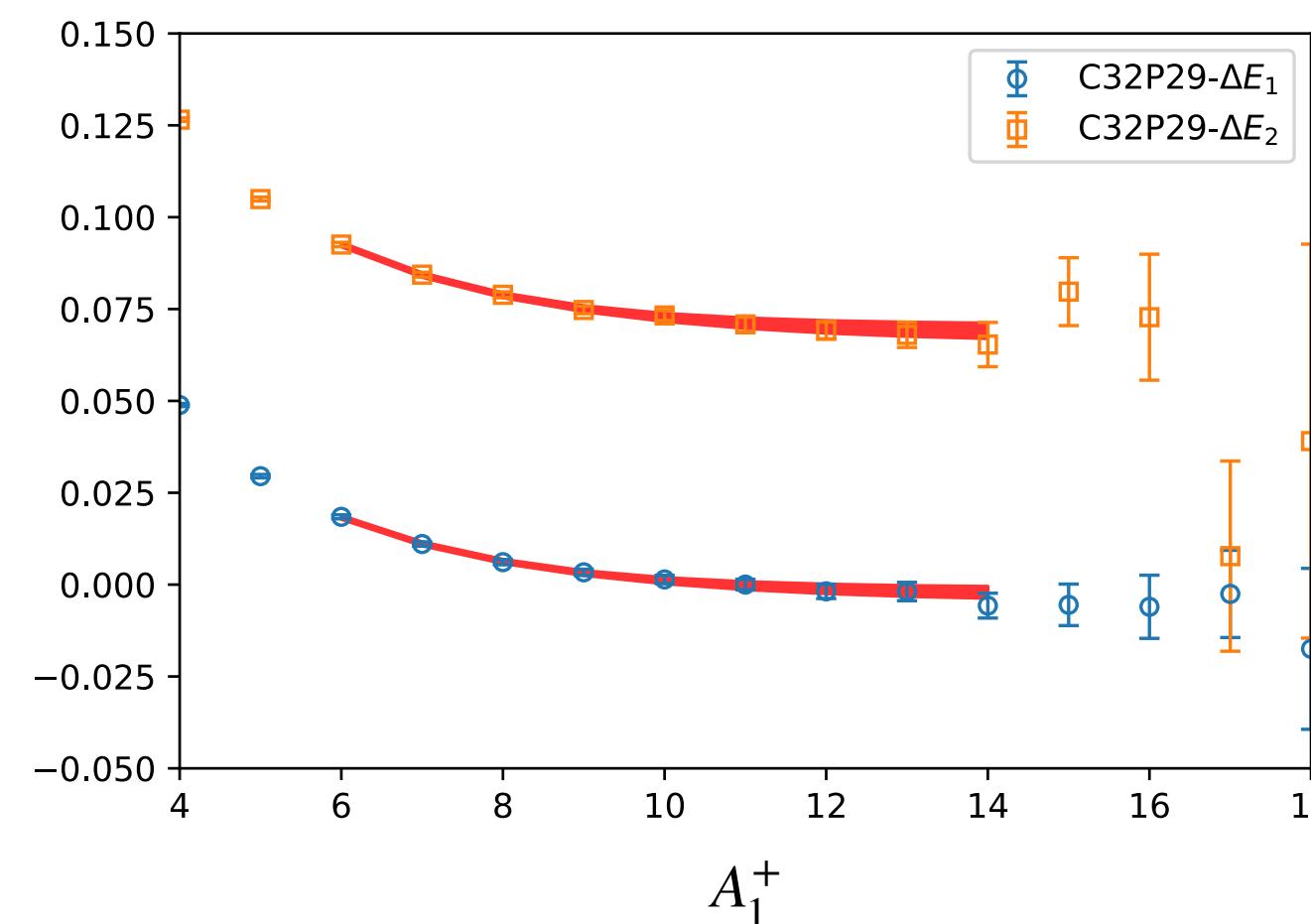
$$C(t)v_n(t) = \lambda_n(t)C(t_r)v_n(t)$$

$$\lambda_n(t) = c_0 e^{-E_n(t-t_r)} \left( 1 + c_1 e^{-\Delta E(t-t_r)} \right)$$

# The Effective mass of the YN system

To enhance the signal, the following ratio was attempted:

$$R_\alpha(t, t_0) = \frac{\lambda_\alpha(t, t_0)}{C^p(t - t_0, \mathbf{0}) C^\Lambda(t - t_0, \mathbf{0})} \propto e^{-\Delta E_\alpha(t - t_0)}$$



Preliminary	C32P29	C48P23	C48P14	F48P30	F48P21	H48P32
Irrep	$\Delta E_0$					
$A_1^+$ (MeV)	-5.43(0.56)	-2.44(0.56)	-1.69(0.56)	-2.04(0.51)	-1.78(0.76)	-2.55(0.38)

## Scattering length & effective range

ERE(effective range expansion)

$$k^{2l+1} \cot\delta_l(k) = a_l^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} r_l k^2 + \dots$$

Close to the threshold,  $a_0$  and  $r_0$  can be determined by minimizing the  $\chi^2$

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{L,n,n'} [E_n(L) - E_n^{sol.}(L, \boxed{a_0}, \boxed{r_0})] C_{nn'}^{-1} [E_{n'}(L) - E_{n'}^{sol.}(L, \boxed{a_0}, \boxed{r_0})],$$

<i>Preliminary</i>	${}^1S_0$	
ensemble	$a_0/\text{fm}$	$r_0/\text{fm}$
H48P32	2.40(2.01)	4.48(0.84)

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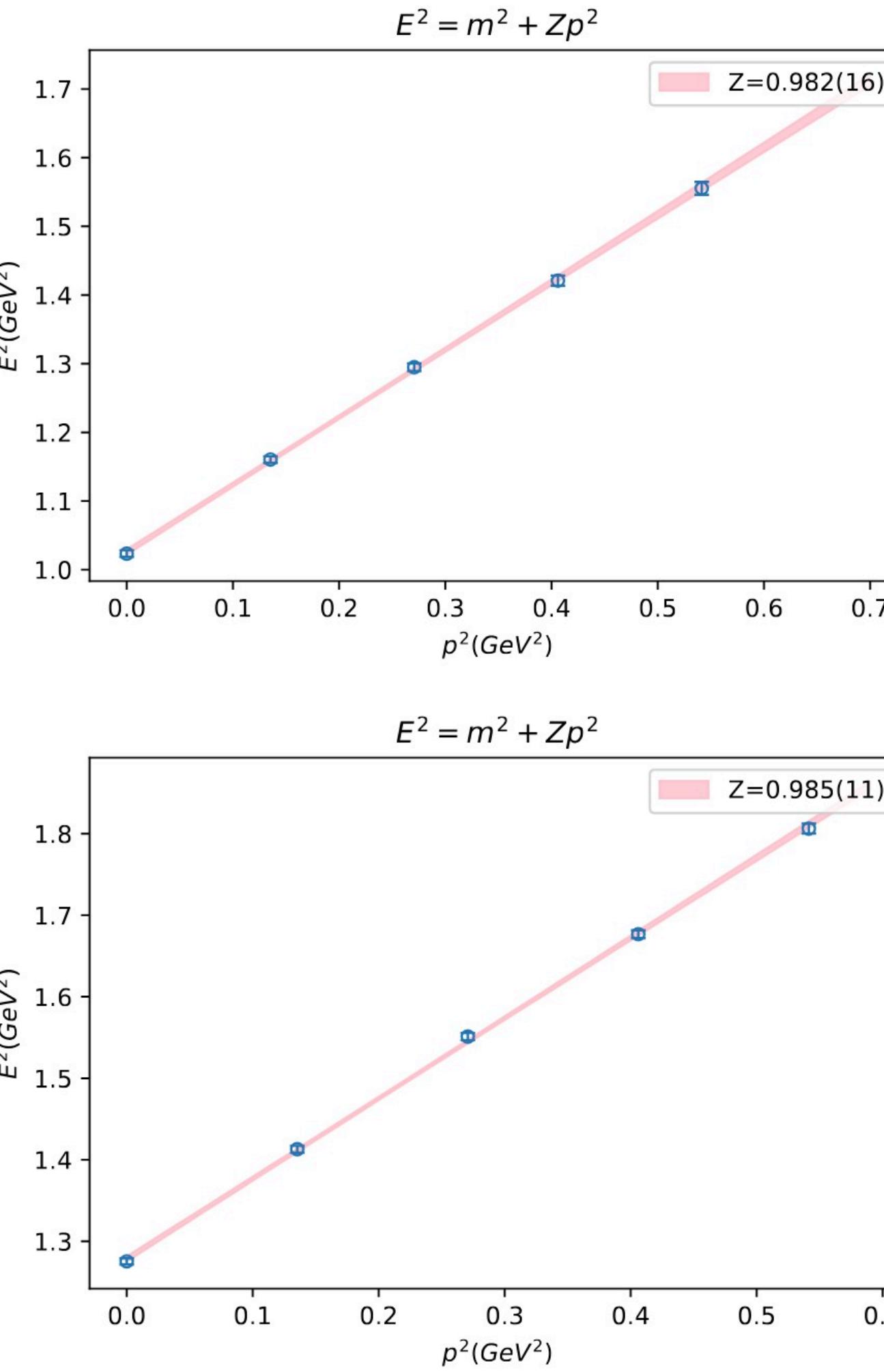


FIG. 1. Dispersion relation for proton (upper panel) and for  $\Lambda$  on the C32P29 ensembles(lower panel).

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