

Functional renormalization group study of anomalous magnetic moment in a low energy effective theory

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low energy effective theory within FRG

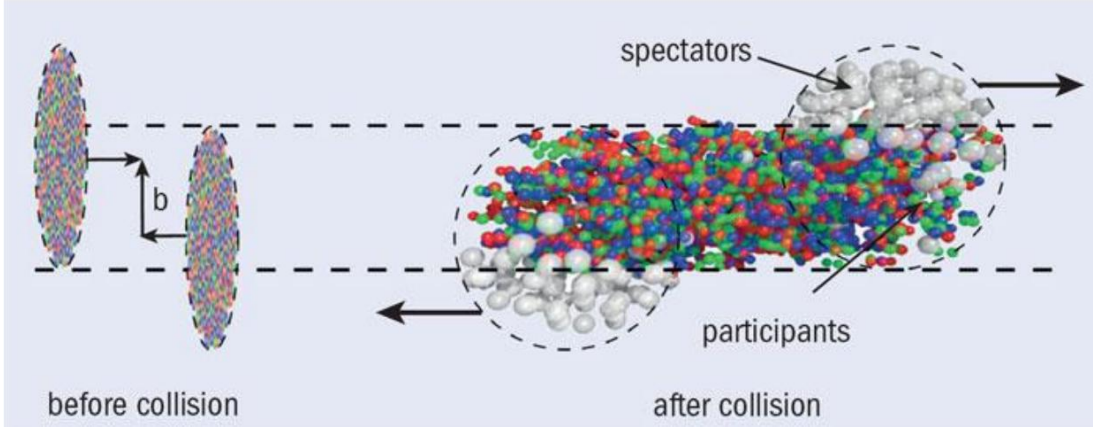
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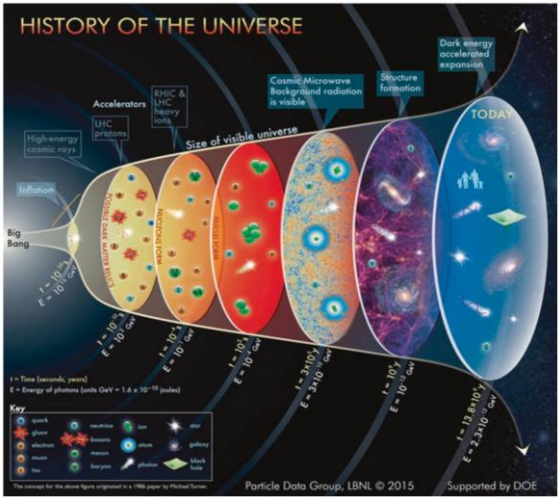
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non-central heavy-ion collisions $B \sim 10^{18}$ Gauss
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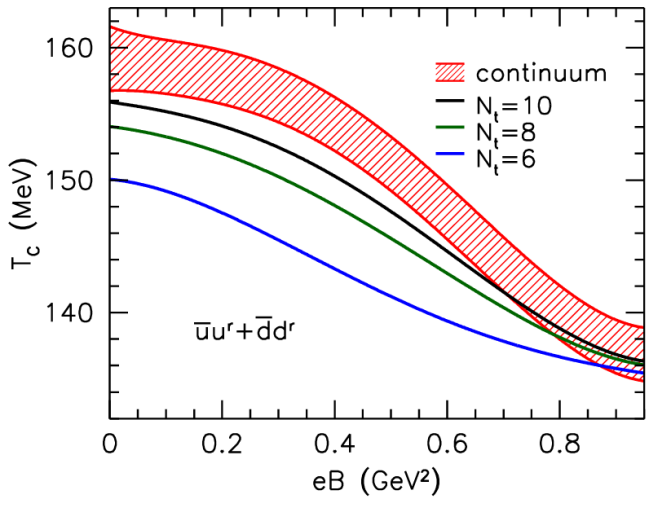
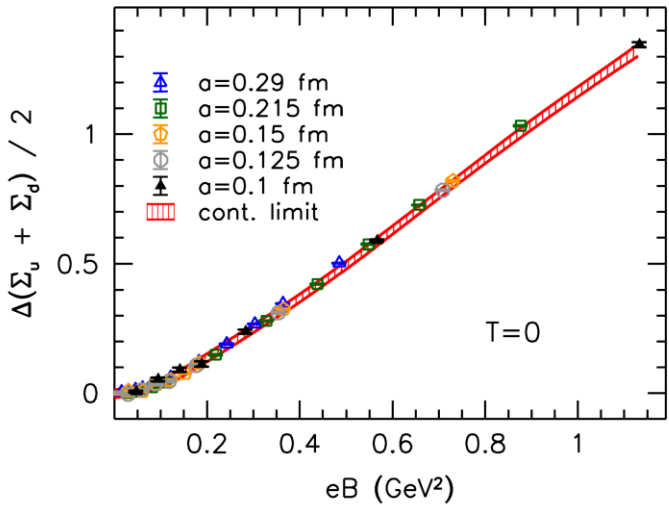


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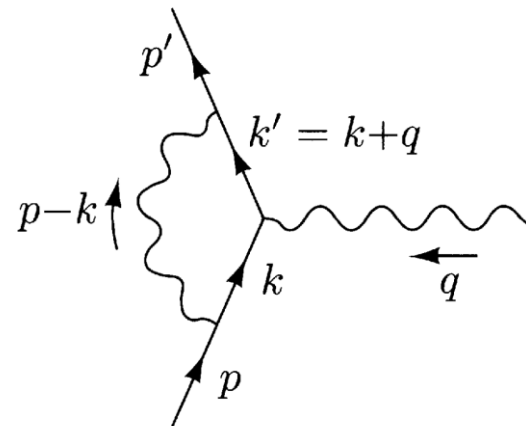
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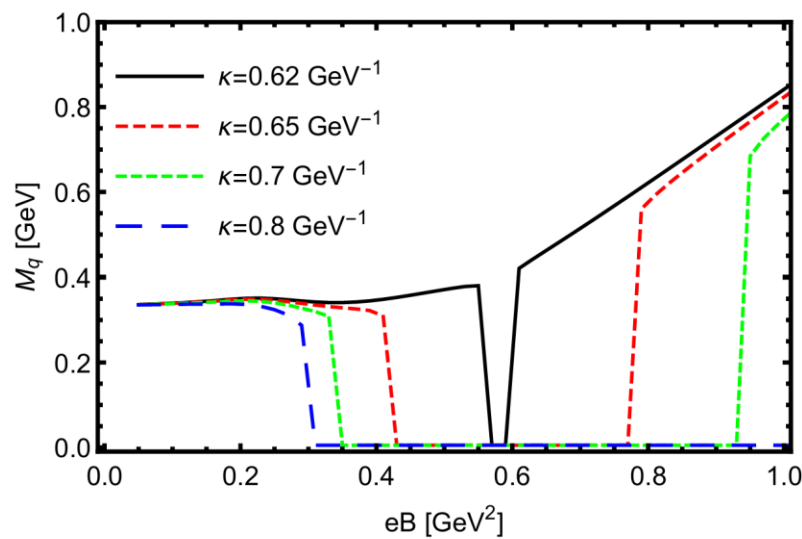
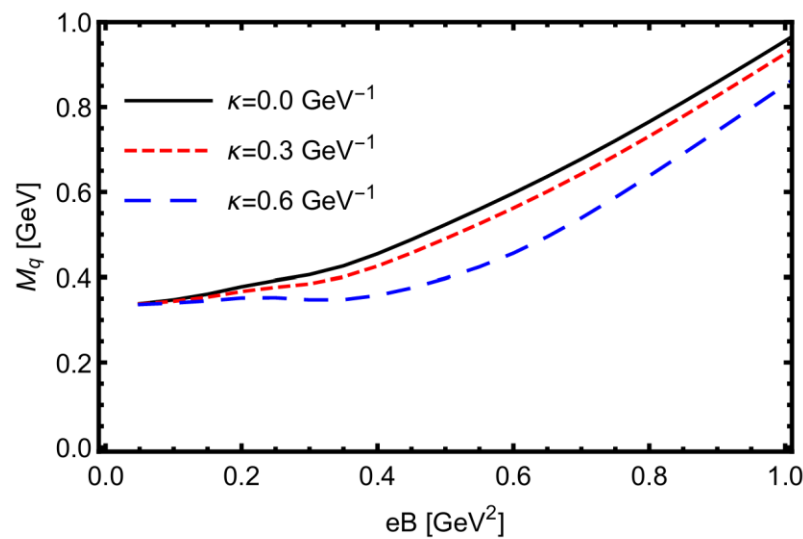
Introduction

$$\Gamma^\mu(p', p) = \gamma^\mu F_1(q^2) + \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2m} F_2(q^2),$$



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$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_0 + \kappa_f q_f F_{\mu\nu} \sigma^{\mu\nu})\psi + G_S \left\{ (\bar{\psi}\psi)^2 + (\bar{\psi}i\gamma^5 \vec{\tau}\psi)^2 \right\}$$



Phys. Rev. D 103.076015 K. Xu, J. Chao, and M. Huang

The effective action

The effective action of 2-flavor Nambu-Jona-Lasinio type low energy effective theory in Euclidean space

$$\partial_t \left(\text{---} \bullet \text{---} \right) = \tilde{\partial}_t \left(- \text{---} \bullet \text{---} \right)$$

$$\partial_t \left(\text{---} \bullet \text{---} \right) = \tilde{\partial}_t \left(- \text{---} \bullet \text{---} + \text{---} \bullet \text{---} + \frac{1}{2} \text{---} \bullet \text{---} \right)$$

$$\Gamma_k[\bar{q}, q] = \int_x \bar{q}(\gamma_\mu D_\mu + m)q + \sum_\alpha \lambda^{(\alpha)} \mathcal{T}_{4q,ijklm}^{(\alpha)} \bar{q}_i q_j \bar{q}_l q_m$$

The quark fields $q = (u, d)^T$ $Q = \text{diag}(2/3, -1/3)e$

The covariant derivative of quark fields $D_\mu \equiv \partial_\mu - iQA_{\mu,0}$

A background homogeneous magnetic field along z-direction

$$A_{\mu,0} = (0, 0, xB, 0)$$

Four-quark scatterings.

$$\alpha \in \{\pi, \sigma, \eta, a, (V \pm A), (V - A)^{adj}, (S \pm P)_-^{adj}, (S + P)_+^{adj}\}.$$

The Schwinger formalism of quark propagator

$$G(x, y; q_f) = \Phi(x, y) \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} e^{-ip(x-y)} \tilde{G}(p; q_f).$$

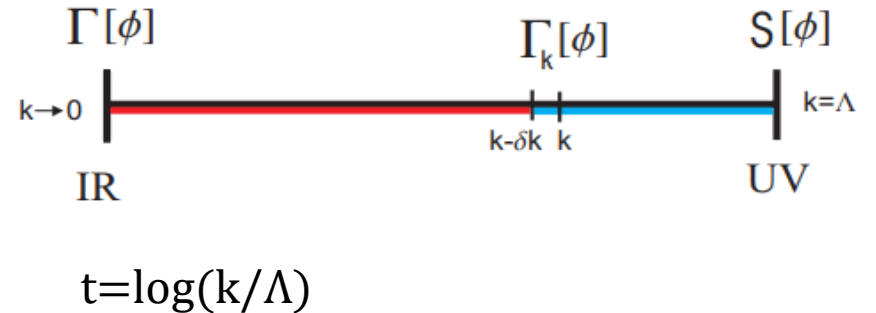
Translation invariance part

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{G}(p; q_f) = & \int_0^\infty ds \exp \left[-s \left((1 + r_{f,s})^2 \left(p_{\parallel}^2 + p_{\perp}^2 \frac{\tanh(q_f B s)}{q_f B s} \right) + m^2 \right) \right] \\ & \cdot [(-ip_{\parallel} \gamma_{\parallel} (1 + r_{f,s}) + m)(1 + i\gamma_1 \gamma_2 \tanh(q_f B s)) \\ & - ip_{\perp} \gamma_{\perp} (1 + r_{f,s})(1 - \tanh^2(q_f B s))]. \end{aligned}$$

4d regulator

$$r_{f,s} = \frac{e^{-x}}{x}, \quad x = \frac{p_{\parallel}^2 + p_{\perp}^2 \tanh(q_f B s)/(q_f B s)}{k^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \left(\text{quark line with vertex} \right) &= \tilde{\partial}_t \left(\text{quark line with loop} \right) \\ \partial_t \left(\text{quark line with two vertices} \right) &= \tilde{\partial}_t \left(\text{quark line with two loops} + \text{quark line with one loop and one vertex} + \frac{1}{2} \text{quark line with two vertices and one loop} \right) \end{aligned}$$



Anomalous magnetic moment

Full quark-photon vertex

$$\Gamma_{A\bar{q}q,\mu} = \delta(p + p' + l)Q \otimes \sum_{i=1}^8 \Gamma_{A\bar{q}q,\mu}^{(i)}$$

$$\Gamma_{A\bar{q}q,\mu}^{(i)} = \lambda_{A\bar{q}q}^{(i)} [\mathcal{T}^{(i)}]_{\mu}(p, p', l)$$

Friederike Ihssen, Jan M. Pawłowski, Franz R. Sattler, Nicolas Wink [arXiv:2408.08413](https://arxiv.org/abs/2408.08413)

The classical tensor structure

$$[\mathcal{T}^{(1)}]_{\mu}(p, p', l) = \Pi_{\mu\nu}^{\perp}(l) i\gamma_{\nu},$$

tensor structure related to the anomalous magnetic moment

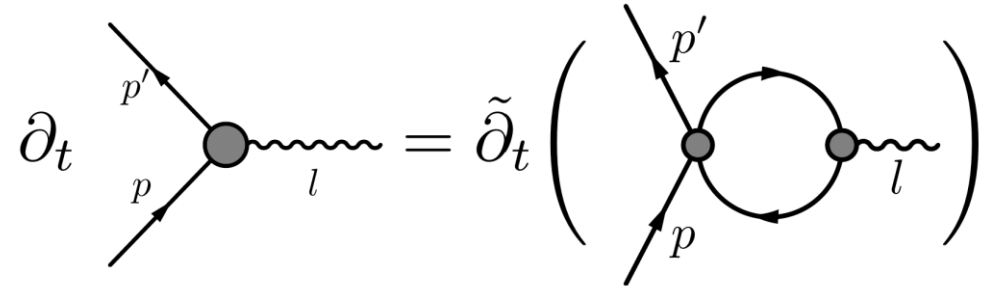
$$[\mathcal{T}^{(4)}]_{\mu}(p, p', l) = i\sigma_{\mu\nu}(l)_{\nu}.$$

We define the form factor

$$F_{2,f}(p, p', l) \equiv 2m\lambda_{A\bar{q}_f q_f}^{(4)}(p, p', l), \quad f \in \{u, d\},$$

And quark AMM

$$\kappa_f \equiv \lim_{l \rightarrow 0} \lambda_{A\bar{q}_f q_f}^{(4)}(p, p', l), \quad f \in \{u, d\},$$



The quark masses as functions of magnetic fields

$$\Lambda = 1\text{GeV}, m_\Lambda = 13.5\text{MeV}$$

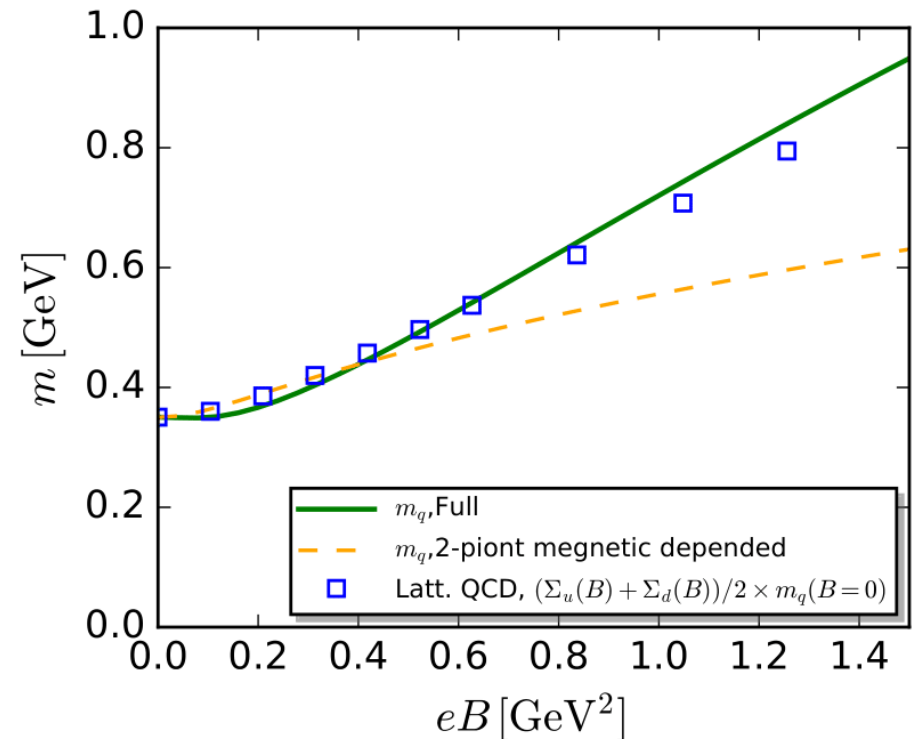
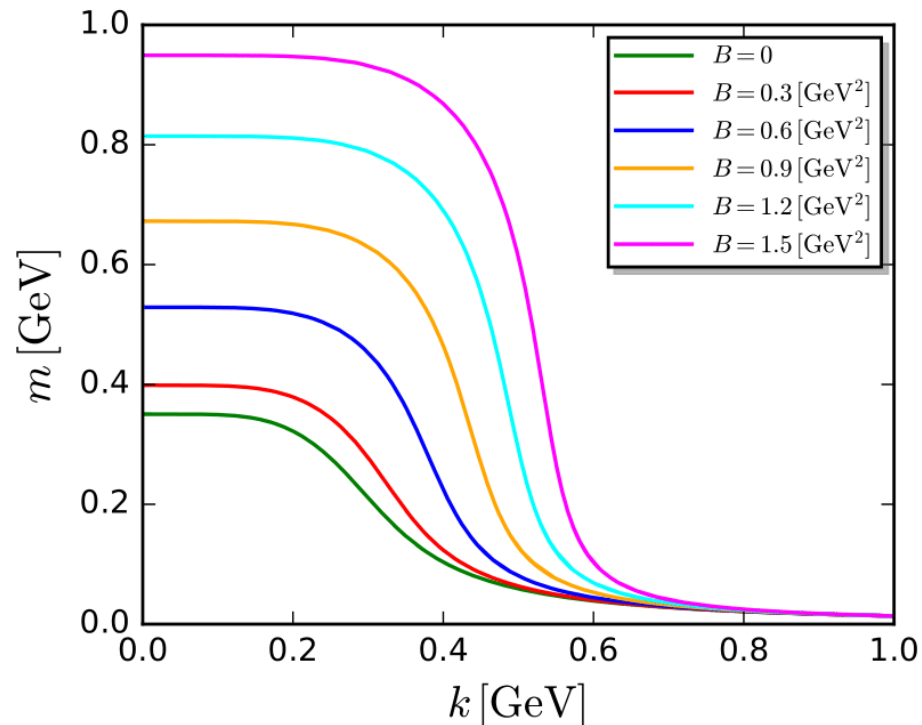
$$\lambda_{\pi,\Lambda} = \lambda_{\sigma,\Lambda} = 10.6\Lambda^{-2}$$

$$m(T=0, B=0) = 350\text{ MeV}$$

$$m_\pi = 141\text{MeV}$$

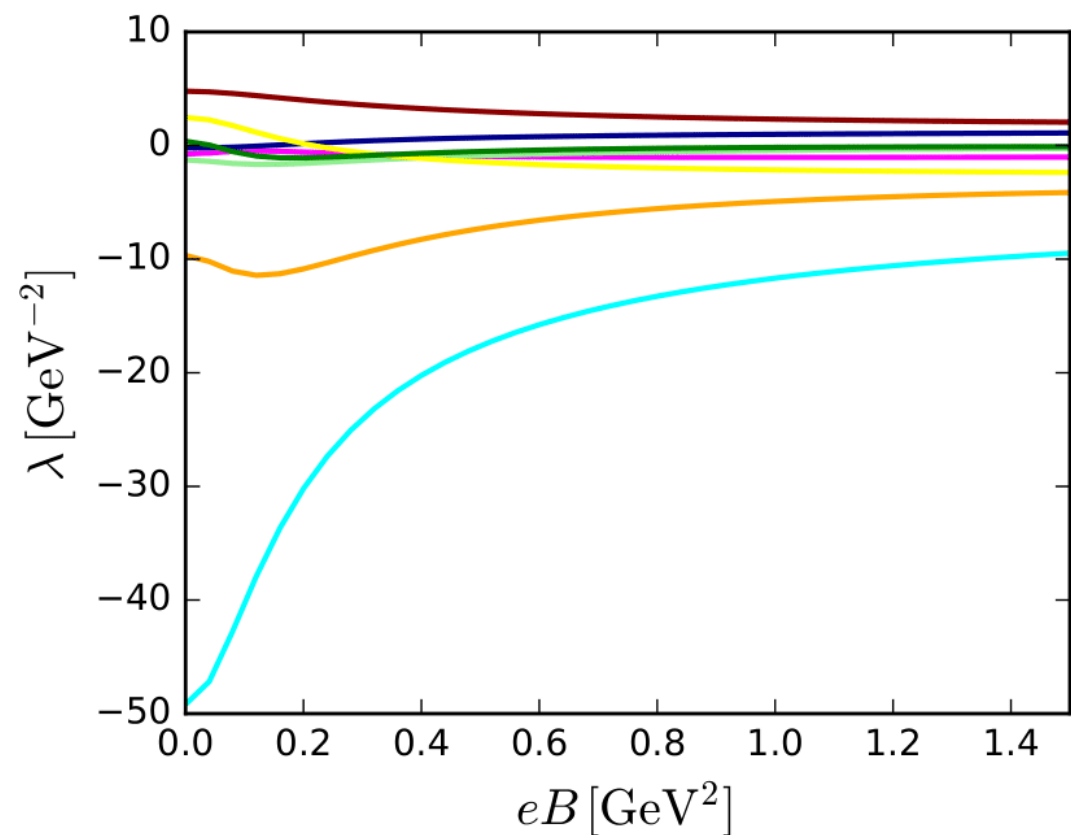
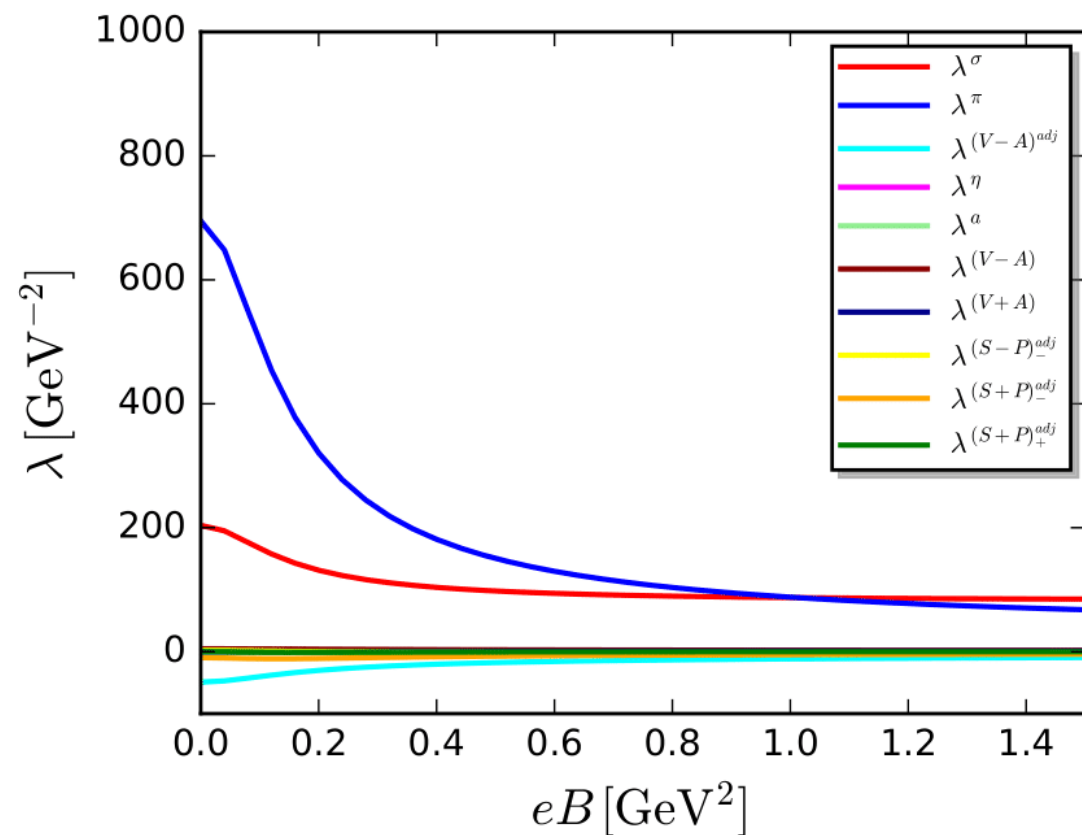
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H. T. Ding, S. T. Li, A. Tomiya, X. D. Wang, and Y. Zhang Phys. Rev. D 105, 034514 (2022)

Four-point quark correlation functions



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Form factors

The magnetic moments of quarks

$$\mu_f = q_f(1 + F_2(0))\frac{m_N}{m}\mu_N, \quad f \in \{u, d\}$$

The constituent quark model

$$\mu_{\text{proton}} = \frac{1}{3}(4\mu_u - \mu_d),$$

$$\mu_{\text{neutron}} = \frac{1}{3}(4\mu_d - \mu_u).$$

Our results with the constituent quark model

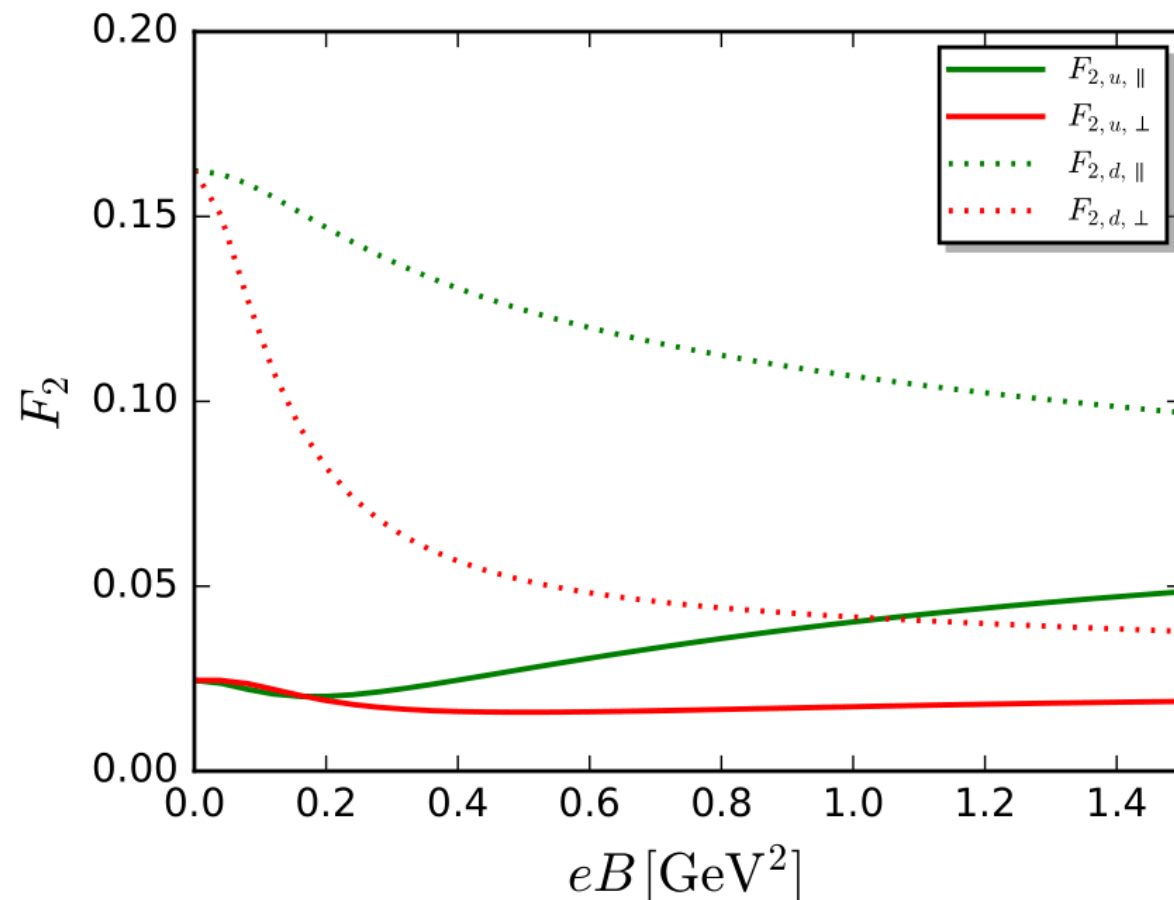
$$\mu_{\text{proton}}/\mu_N = 2.7877$$

$$\mu_{\text{neutron}}/\mu_N = -1.9967$$

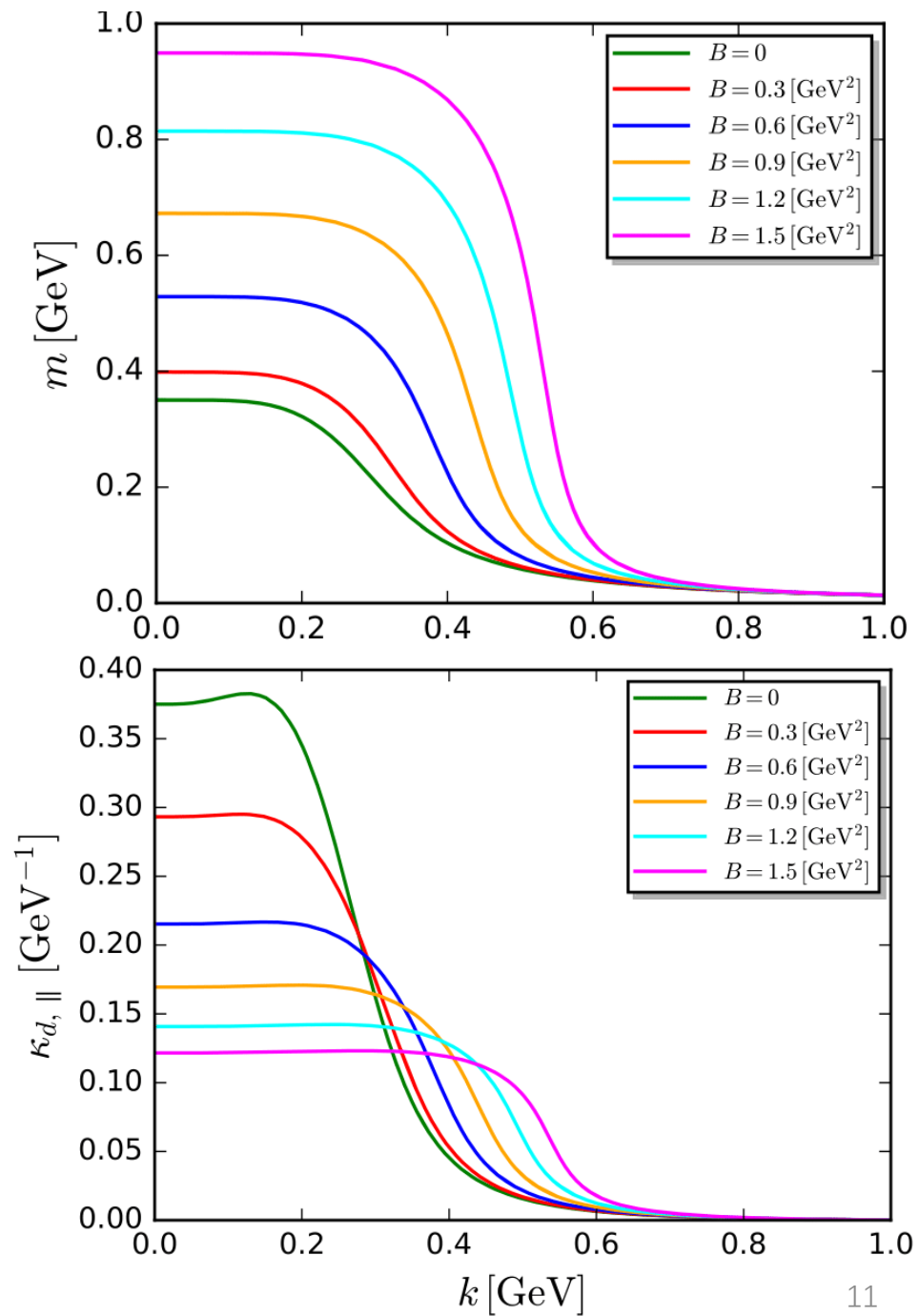
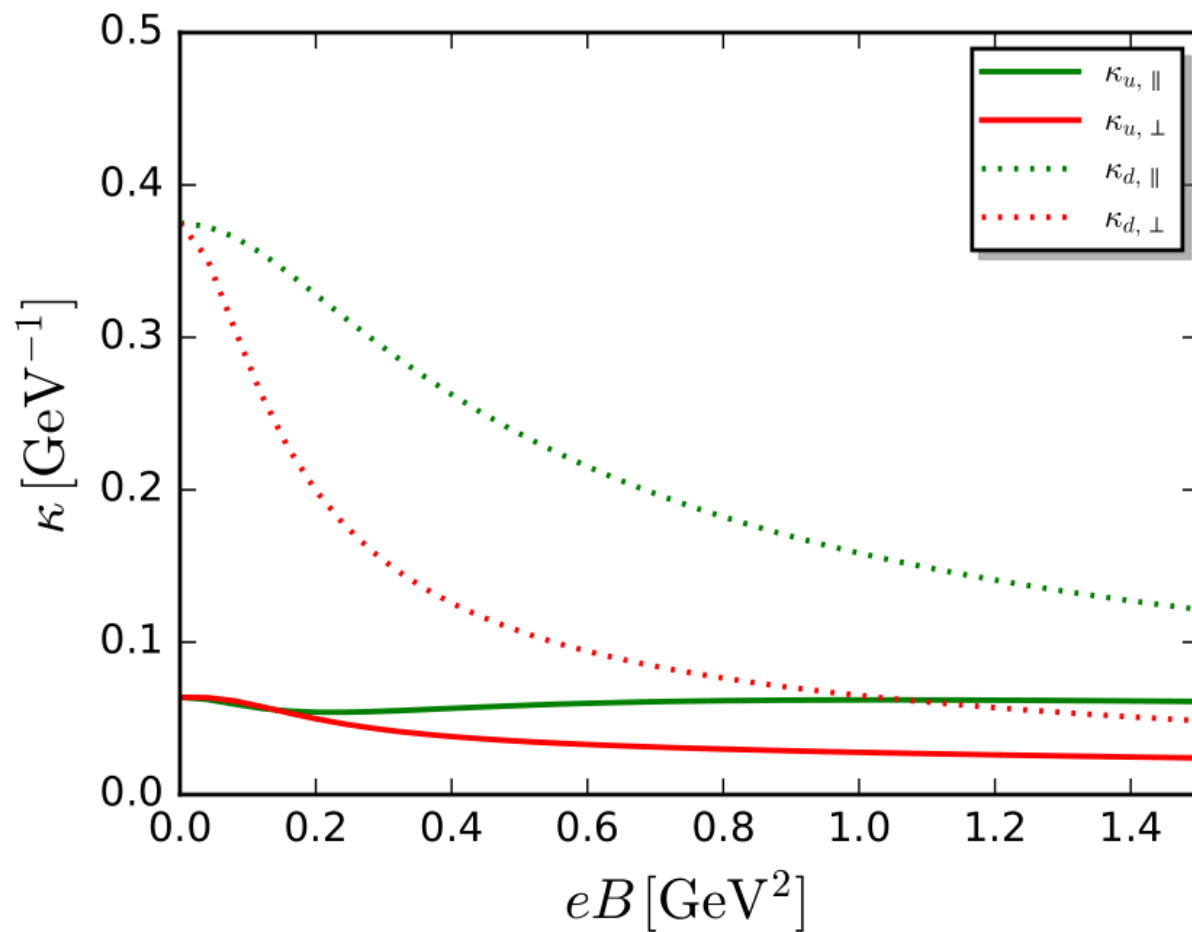
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$$\mu_{\text{proton}}/\mu_N = 2.7928$$

$$\mu_{\text{neutron}}/\mu_N = -1.9130$$



Quarks AMM

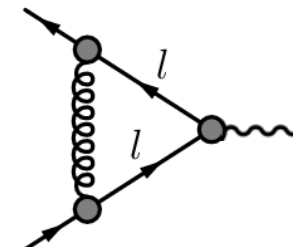


Summary

1. We build a 2-flavor Nambu-Jona-Lasinio type low energy effective theory under magnetic fields, which self-consistently include the Fierz-complete four-quark scatterings through RG flows. The quark mass as a function of the strength of magnetic field are in agreement with the lattice QCD results.

2. We calculate quark AMM in this LEFT. We find the quark AMM is dynamically generated with chiral symmetry breaking. The quark AMM in the direction perpendicular to the magnetic field monotonically decreases with increasing magnetic field, while u-quark AMM in the parallel direction slightly increases with the magnetic field.

We will calculate quark AMM in QCD within in future work.



We hope lattice QCD groups could provide a calculation of the quark AMM.

Thanks for your attention