

# Phase structure of dense QCD matter with magnetic field and Rotation



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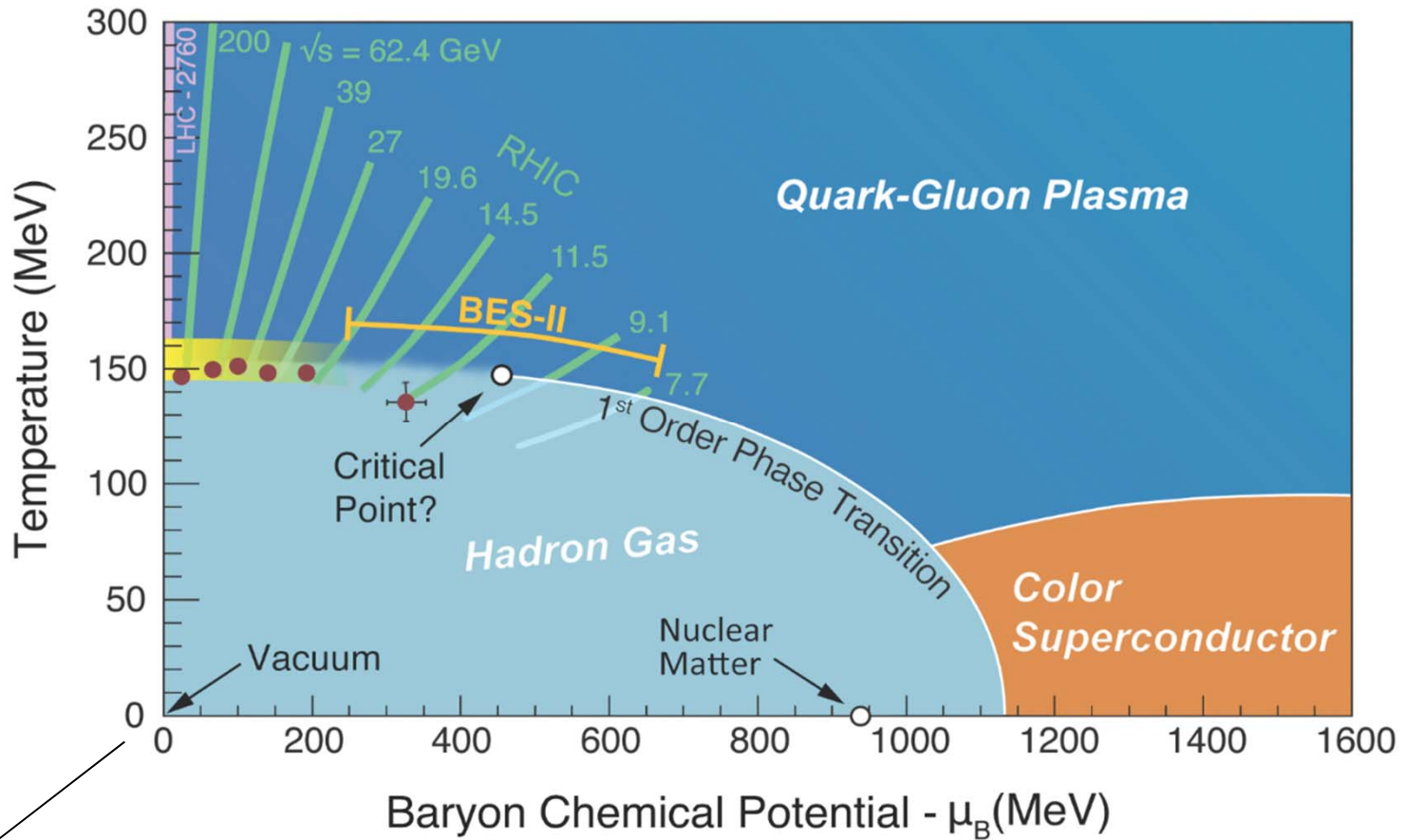
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# Outlines

- Motivations
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- Rotation effects on phase structure
- Summary

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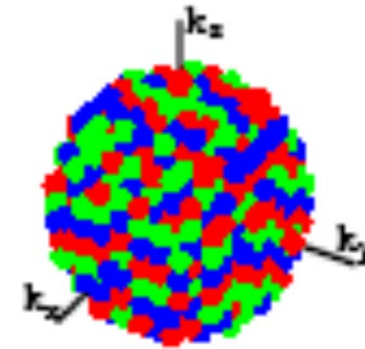
New dimension: Magnetic field, Rotation, etc.  $\longrightarrow$  change the phase diagram



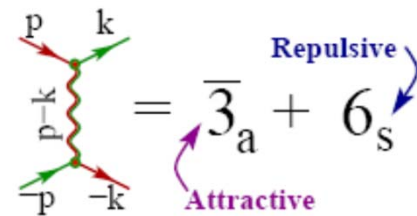
# Dense quark matter

Ground state of dense quark matter is CSC

- (i) Deconfined quarks(  $\mu \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$  )
- (ii) Pauli principle(s=1/2)



- (i) Effective models(  $\mu \geq \Lambda_{QCD}$  )
- (ii) One-gluon exchange(  $\mu \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$  )



Cooper instability

Color superconductivity

$$\langle (\bar{\psi}^C)_i^\alpha \gamma_5 \psi_j^\beta \rangle \neq 0$$

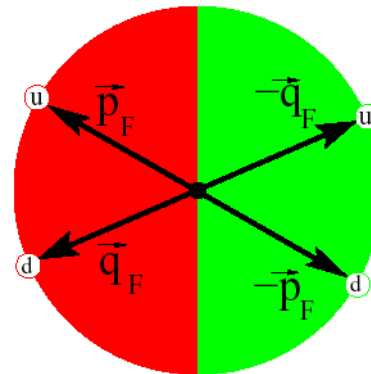
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- D. Bailin and A. Love, Phys. Rep. 107,325 (1984)
- M. Alford et al., PLB 422, 247 (1998)
- R. Rapp et al., PRL 81, 53 (1998)

# Phase structure in CSC

- BSC-like pairing

**J=0:** 2SC: u\_r, d\_r, u\_g, d\_g  
 CFL: all flavor and color

M. Alford, K. Rajagopal and F. Wilczek, NPB 537, 443 (1999)



**J=1:**

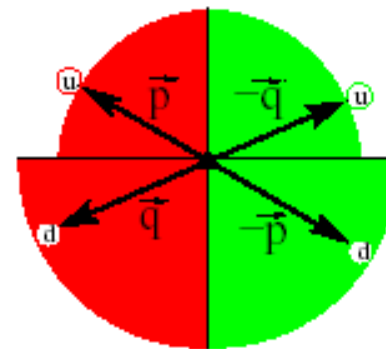
T. Schaefer, PRD 62, 094007 (2000)  
 A. Schmitt, PRD 71, 054016 (2005)

- Non-BCS pairing  
 gapless CSC  
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Shovkovy and M. Huang, PLB 546, 205 (2003)  
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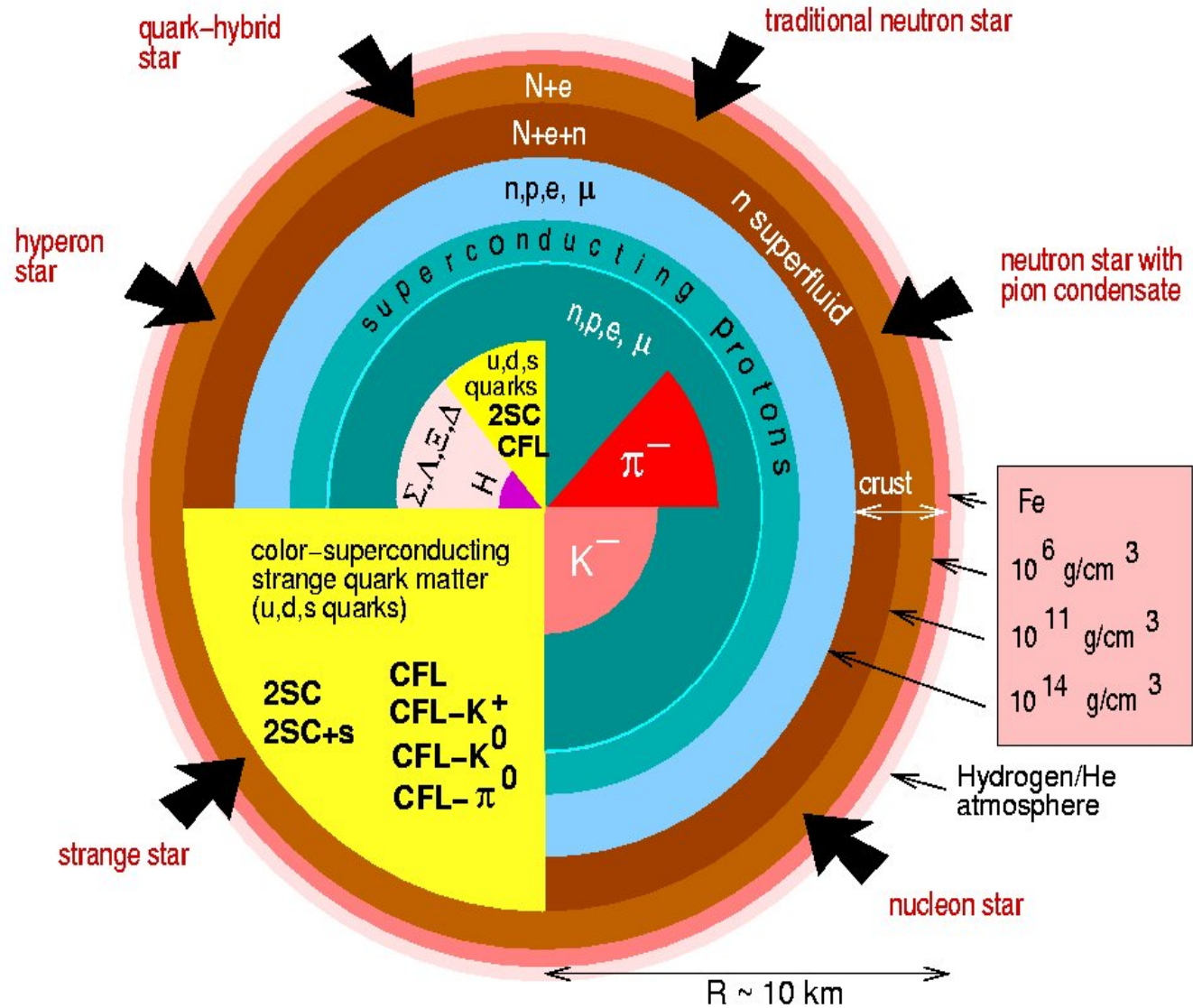
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# CSC in a compact star

Profile of neutron star

*Webber, astro-ph/0407155*



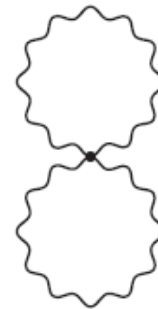
# CJL effective action

$$\Gamma[\bar{D}, \bar{S}] = \frac{1}{2} \{ \text{Tr} \ln \bar{D}^{-1} + \text{Tr}(D^{-1}\bar{D} - 1) - \text{Tr} \ln \bar{S}^{-1} - \text{Tr}(S^{-1}\bar{S}) - 2\Gamma_2[\bar{D}, \bar{S}] \}$$

The two-loop approximation to  $\Gamma_2$



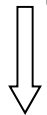
Order of  $g^2 \mu^4$



Powers of T

Stationary points

$$\left. \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta \bar{D}} \right|_{\bar{D}=\mathcal{D}, \bar{S}=\mathcal{S}} = 0, \quad \left. \frac{\delta \Gamma}{\delta \bar{S}} \right|_{\bar{D}=\mathcal{D}, \bar{S}=\mathcal{S}} = 0$$



$$\mathcal{D}^{-1} = D^{-1} + \Pi[S] \quad \mathcal{S}^{-1} = S_0^{-1} + \Sigma$$

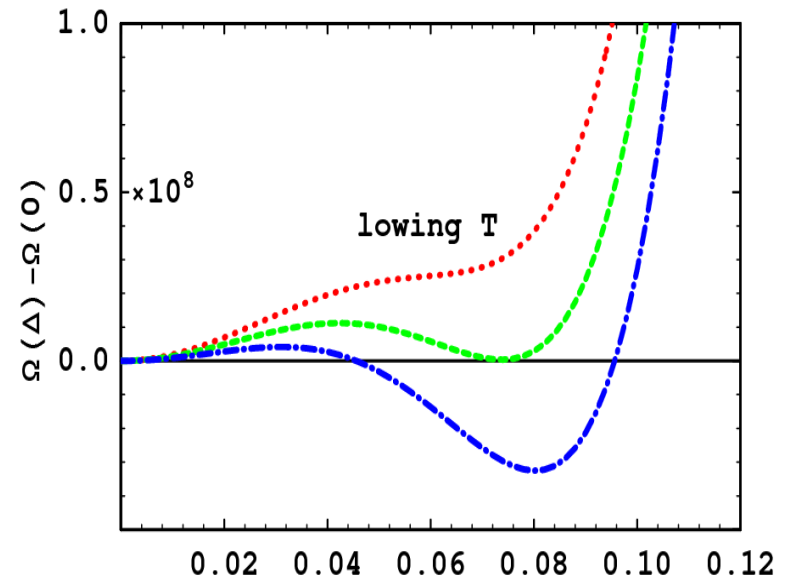
$$\Gamma_2[\bar{D}, \bar{S}] = -\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \{ \bar{D} \Pi[\bar{S}] \}$$

# Gauge field fluc. induce 1<sup>st</sup> order PT of CSC in dense QCD

Ginnakis, Hou, Ren, Rischke, PRL 93 (04) ; PRD73 (06)

$$\Gamma_{cond} = \frac{1}{4} \text{diag}_1 - \frac{1}{4} \text{diag}_2 - \frac{1}{2} \text{diag}_3 + \frac{1}{2} \text{diag}_4 - \frac{3}{8} \text{diag}_5 - \frac{3}{2} \text{diag}_6 + \frac{1}{4} \text{diag}_7$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \text{diag}_8 + \frac{1}{3} \text{diag}_9 + \frac{1}{4} \text{diag}_{10}$$



Introduction of  $\Delta^3$  term in free energy by fluc.  
 Inducing 1<sup>st</sup> order PT instead of 2<sup>nd</sup> order PT in MFA



# Color Superconductor with B

Oscillation, decrease the gap at low B, and increase gap at high B

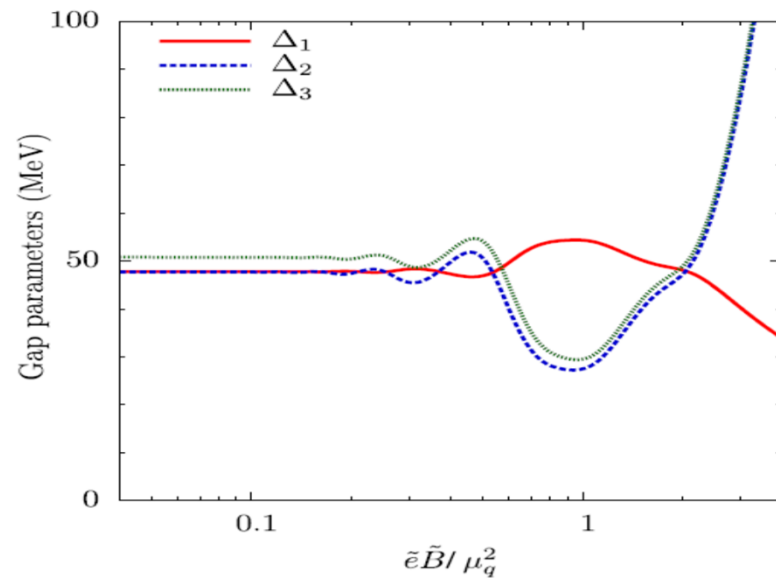


FIG. 1 (color online). Gap parameters as a function of  $\tilde{e}\tilde{B}/\mu_q^2$  for  $\mu_q = 500$  MeV and  $M_s = 100$  MeV without neutrality.

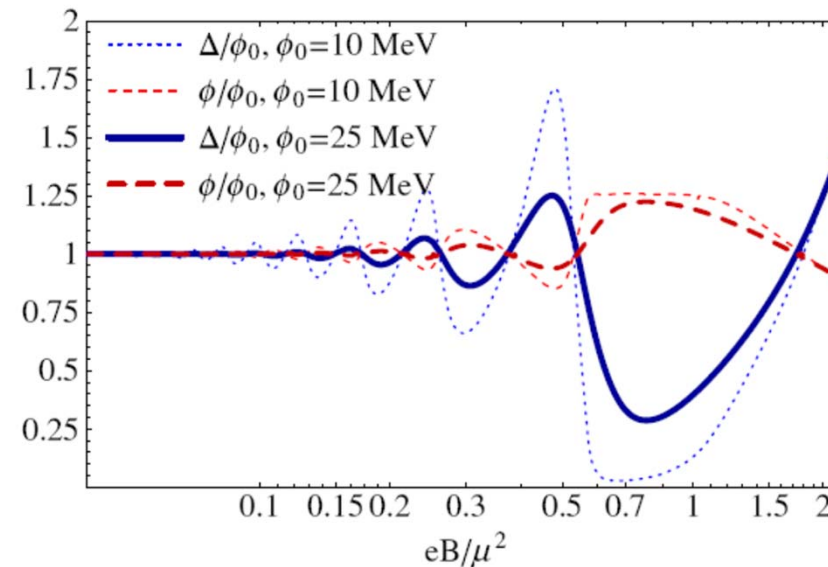


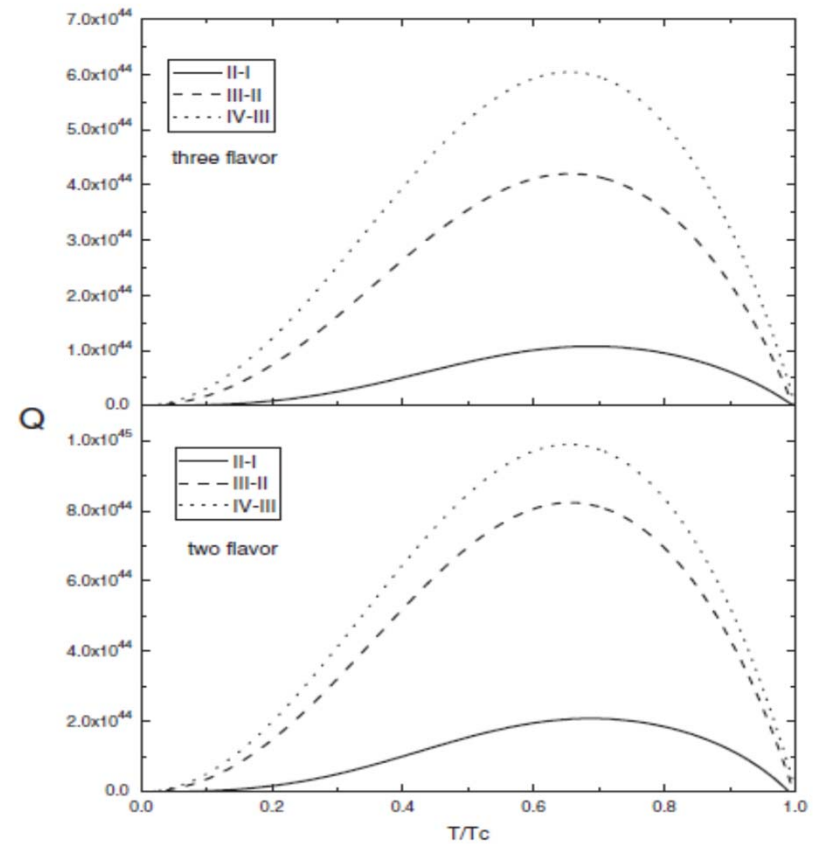
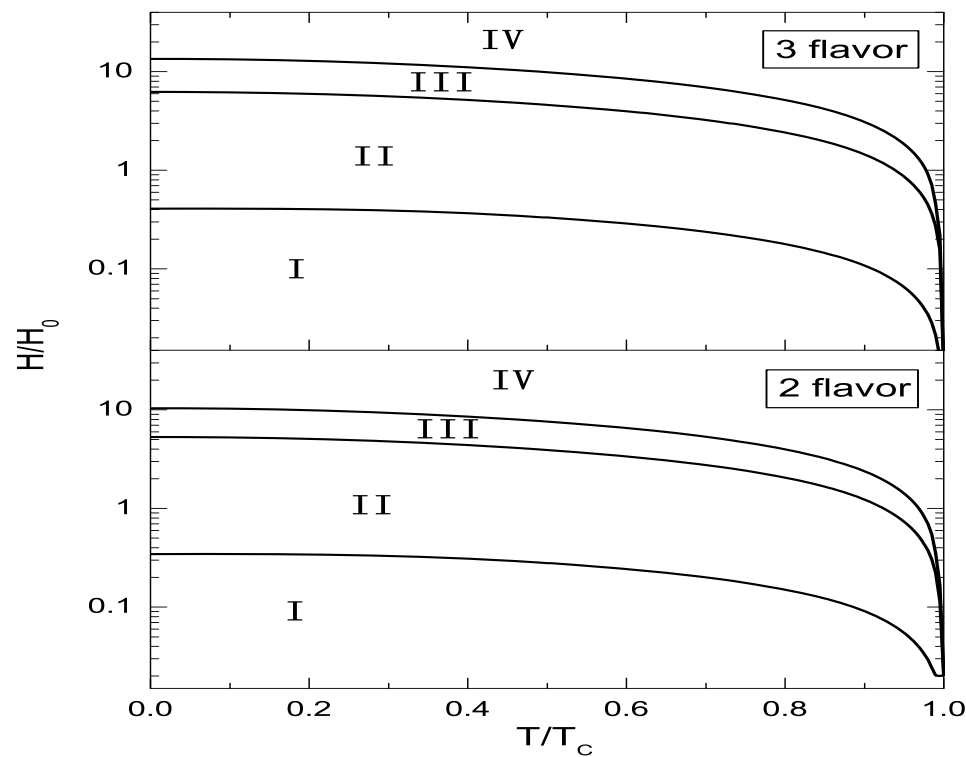
FIG. 1 (color online). Ratios  $\Delta/\phi_0$  and  $\phi/\phi_0$  versus  $eB/\mu^2$  for two sets of parameters that yield  $\phi_0 = 10$  MeV and  $\phi_0 = 25$  MeV.

K.Fukushima,etc.  
PRL 100(2008)032007, CFL

J.Noroha,etc. PRD 76(2007)105030, CFL

# Nonspherical states in dense QCD with B

	I	II	III	IV	$T_c(10^{-1} \text{ MeV})$
Two-flavor	$\text{CSL}_u, \text{CSL}_d$	$(\text{polar})_u, (\text{planar})_d$	$(\text{normal})_u, (\text{polar})_d$	$(\text{normal})_u, (\text{normal})_d$	1.35
Three-flavor	$\text{CSL}_u, \text{CSL}_{d,s}$	$(\text{polar})_u, (\text{planar})_{d,s}$	$(\text{normal})_u, (\text{polar})_{d,s}$	$(\text{normal})_u, (\text{normal})_{d,s}$	0.49



Feng, Hou, Ren, Wu, PRL 105(2010)

Wu, He, Hou, Ren, PRD84 (2011)

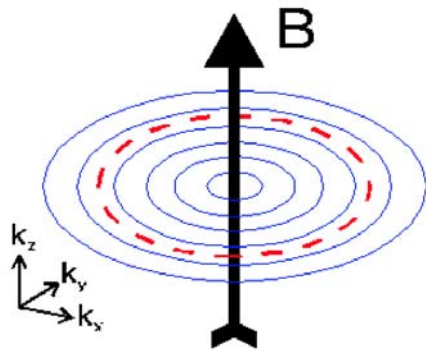
# Chiral Magnetic Catalysis

- Chiral magnetic catalysis: Gusyn, Miransky & Shovkovy (1994)

$$\langle 0 | \bar{\psi} \psi | 0 \rangle \stackrel{\lim m=0}{=} -\frac{|eB|}{2\pi}$$

Dynamical breakdown of chiral symmetry takes place at  $m = 0$  and  $B \neq 0$  even without any additional interactions between fermions.

The essence of this effect is the dimensional reduction  $3+1 \rightarrow 1+1$  in the dynamics of fermion pairing in a magnetic field.



$$E_n(p_3) = \pm \sqrt{m_{dyn}^2 + 2|eB|n + p_3^2}, \quad n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

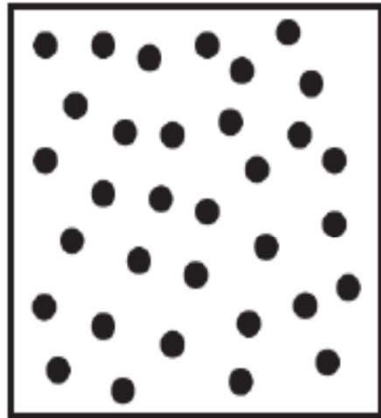
In a strong magnetic field, all charged fermions will be restricted in lowest Landau level only, thus effectively reduce the dimension of the system.

$$m_{dyn} \approx C \sqrt{eB} \exp \left[ -\left( \frac{\pi}{\alpha} \right)^{1/2} \right]$$

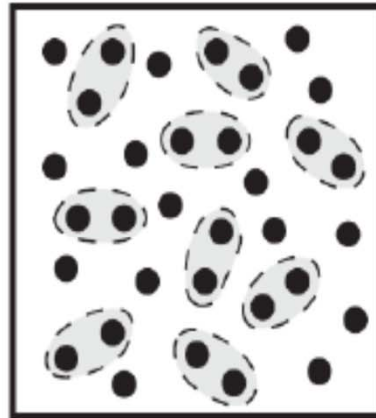
## BEC with Magnetic field B

- 1 BEC shares the **same physics** as chiral condensate.
- 2 Chiral condensates correspond to the BEC limit in BCS/BEC crossover.

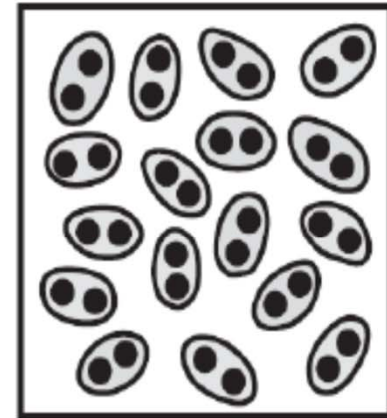
*BCS*



*Pseudogap (PG)*

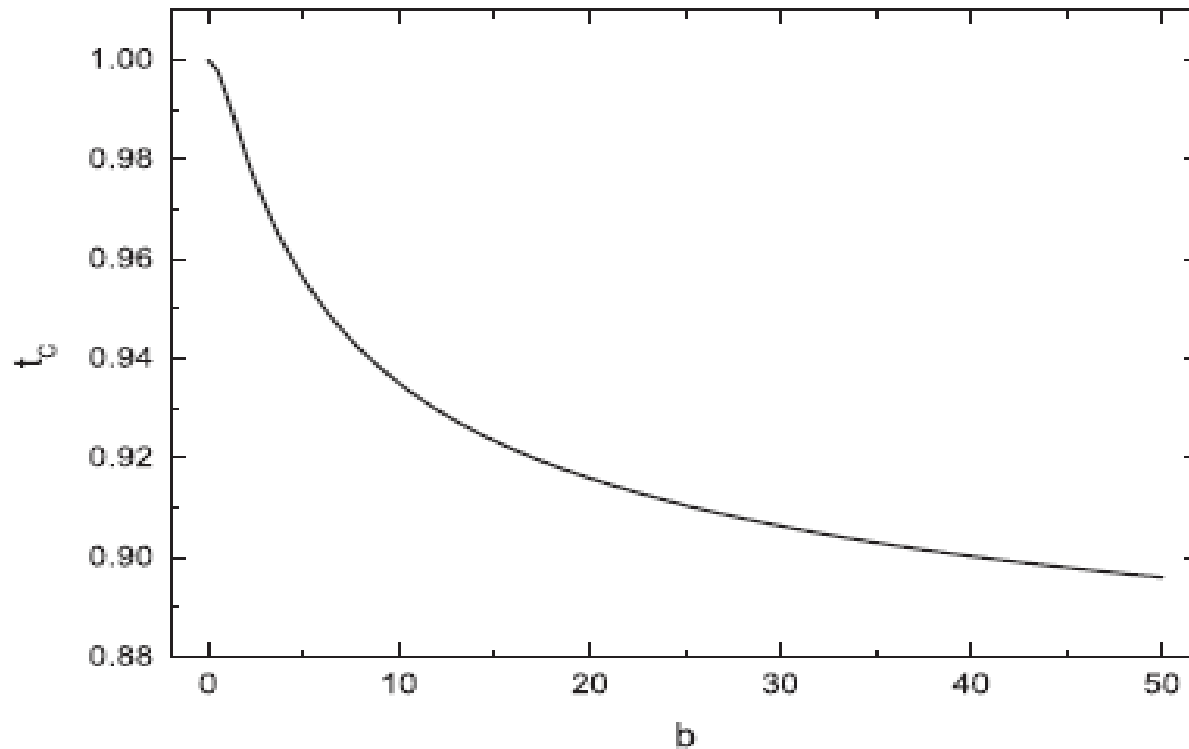


*BEC*



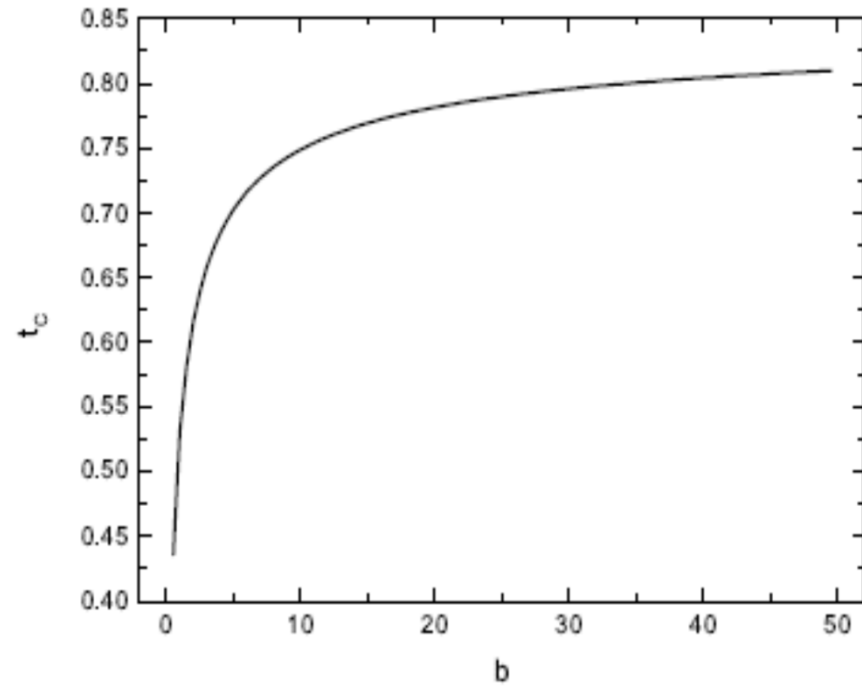
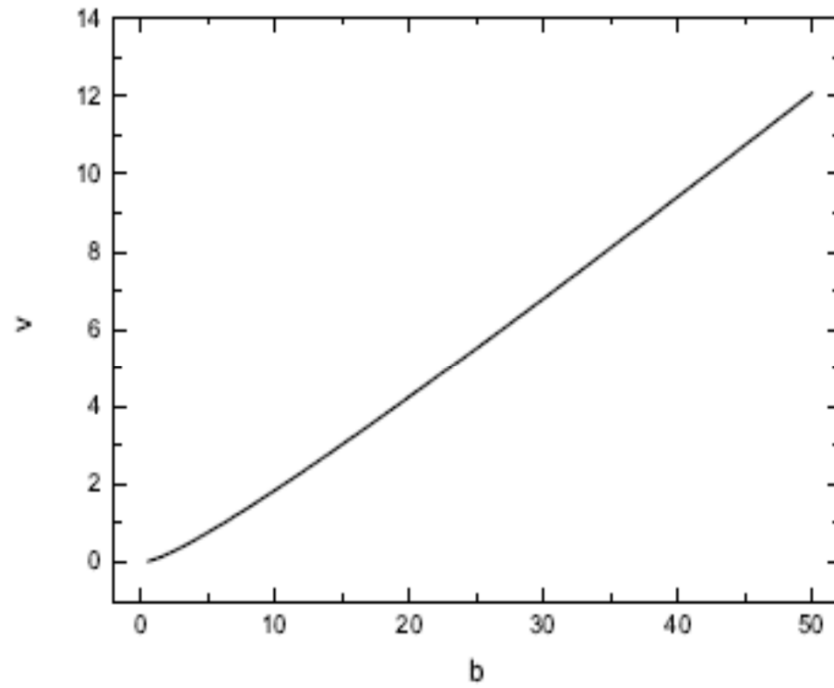
# BEC with Magnetic field B

Inverse chiral catalysis in strong coupling

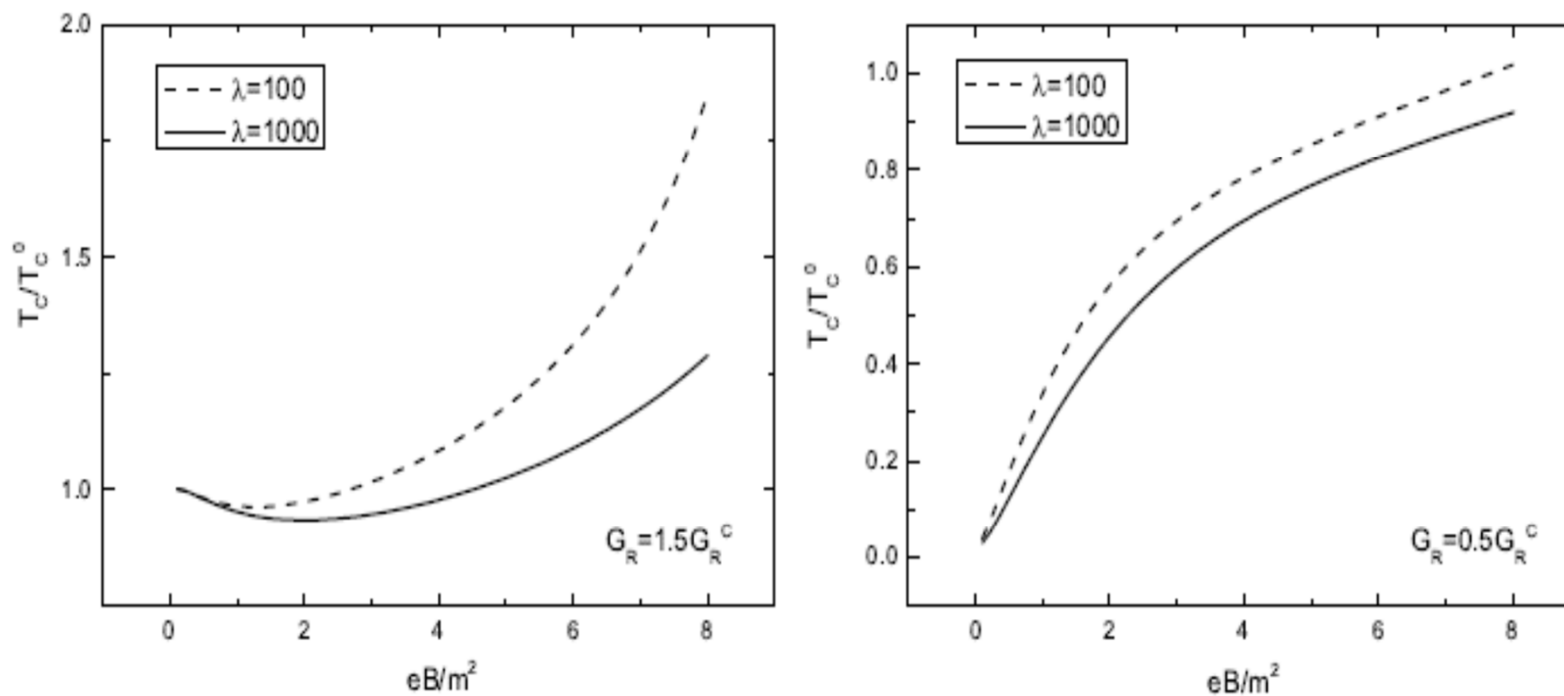


The ratio of BEC temperature  $t_c$  versus  $b$

## Chiral catalysis in weak coupling



Feng, Hou, Ren PRD 92(2015)



Condensation temperature versus the dimensionless magnetic field

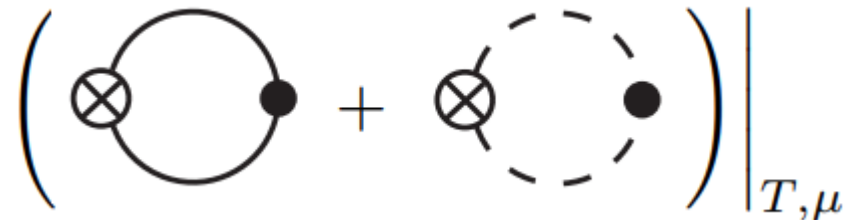
# FRG and phase structure

## FRG flow equation

- For continuum field theory
- Non-perturbative
- (known) microscopic laws  $\rightarrow$  complex macroscopic phenomena
- Flow from classical action  $S[\varphi]$  to effective action  $\Gamma[\varphi]$
- Scale dependent effective action  $\Gamma_k[\varphi]$

Wetterich, PLB301, 90 (1993).

$$\partial_k \Gamma_k = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{\partial_k R_k}{\Gamma_k^{(2)} + R_k} \right]$$

$$\left( \text{Diagram 1} + \text{Diagram 2} \right) \Big|_{T, \mu}$$




# FRG study of phase structure at finite density

Zhang, Hou, Kojo, Qin Phys.Rev. D96,114029 (2017)

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & \bar{\psi} \left[ i\gamma_\mu \partial^\mu - g_s (\sigma + i\gamma_5 \boldsymbol{\tau} \cdot \boldsymbol{\pi}) - g_v \gamma_\mu \omega^\mu - \gamma_0 \mu \right] \psi \\ & + \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \sigma \partial^\mu \sigma + \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \boldsymbol{\pi} \cdot \partial^\mu \boldsymbol{\pi} - \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \\ & - U(\sigma, \boldsymbol{\pi}, \omega) \\ F_{\mu\nu} = & \partial_\mu \omega_\nu - \partial_\nu \omega_\mu \quad \psi = (u, d)^T\end{aligned}$$

The potential for  $\sigma$ ,  $\boldsymbol{\pi}$ , and  $\omega$  is

$$U(\sigma, \boldsymbol{\pi}, \omega) = \frac{\lambda}{4} (\sigma^2 + \boldsymbol{\pi}^2 - f_\pi^2)^2 - \frac{m_v^2}{2} \omega_\mu \omega^\mu, \quad \text{For chiral limit}$$

$$U(\sigma, \boldsymbol{\pi}, \omega) = \frac{\lambda}{4} (\sigma^2 + \boldsymbol{\pi}^2 - \nu^2)^2 + H\sigma - \frac{m_v^2}{2} \omega_\mu \omega^\mu, \quad \text{For explicit SB}$$

# Mean-Field

For  $T=0$  &  $\mu=0$ , the MF potential is

$$U_{\text{MF}}(\sigma, \omega_0) = \frac{\lambda}{4}(\sigma^2 - f_\pi^2)^2 - \frac{m_v^2}{2}\omega_0^2,$$

For chiral limit

$$U_{\text{MF}}(\sigma, \omega_0) = \frac{\lambda}{4}(\sigma^2 - \nu^2)^2 + H\sigma - \frac{m_v^2}{2}\omega_0^2,$$

For explicit Chiral SB.

For  $T \neq 0$  &  $\mu \neq 0$ , the MF potential is

$$\Omega_{\text{MF}} = \Omega_{\bar{\psi}\psi} + U_{\text{MF}}(\sigma, \omega_0)$$

$$\Omega_{\bar{\psi}\psi} = -\nu_q T \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{p}}{(2\pi)^3} \left\{ \ln[1 + e^{-(E_q - \mu_{\text{eff}})/T}] + \ln[1 + e^{-(E_q + \mu_{\text{eff}})/T}] \right\}$$

$$m_{\text{eff}} = g_s \sigma, \quad \mu_{\text{eff}} = \mu - g_v \omega_0.$$

$f_\pi=93\text{MeV}$ ,  $m_\pi=138\text{MeV}$ ,  $\lambda=20$ ,  $g_s=3.3$       O. Scavenius, A. Mocsy, I. N. Mishustin & D. H. Rischke, Phys. Rev. C 64, 045202 (2001)

# FRG flow equation

3d-analogue of the optimized regulator

$$R_{k,B}(\mathbf{p}) = (k^2 - \mathbf{p}^2)\theta(k^2 - \mathbf{p}^2),$$

$$R_{k,F}(\mathbf{p}) = -\mathbf{p} \cdot \boldsymbol{\gamma} \left( \sqrt{\frac{k^2}{\mathbf{p}^2} - 1} \right) \theta(k^2 - \mathbf{p}^2),$$

the flow equation for the potential  $U_k^\phi$  can be obtained as [Schaefer & Wambach NPA 2005](#)

$$\partial_k U_k^\phi(T, \mu) = \frac{k^4}{12\pi^2} \left\{ \frac{3[1 + 2n_B(E_\pi)]}{E_\pi} + \frac{1 + 2n_B(E_\sigma)}{E_\sigma} - \frac{2\nu_q [1 - n_F(E_q, \mu_{\text{eff}}^k) - n_F(E_q, -\mu_{\text{eff}}^k)]}{E_q} \right\}$$

with single-particle energies are

$$E_\pi = \sqrt{k^2 + 2U'_k},$$

$$E_\sigma = \sqrt{k^2 + 2U'_k + 4\phi^2 U''_k},$$

$$E_q = \sqrt{k^2 + g_s^2 \phi^2}$$

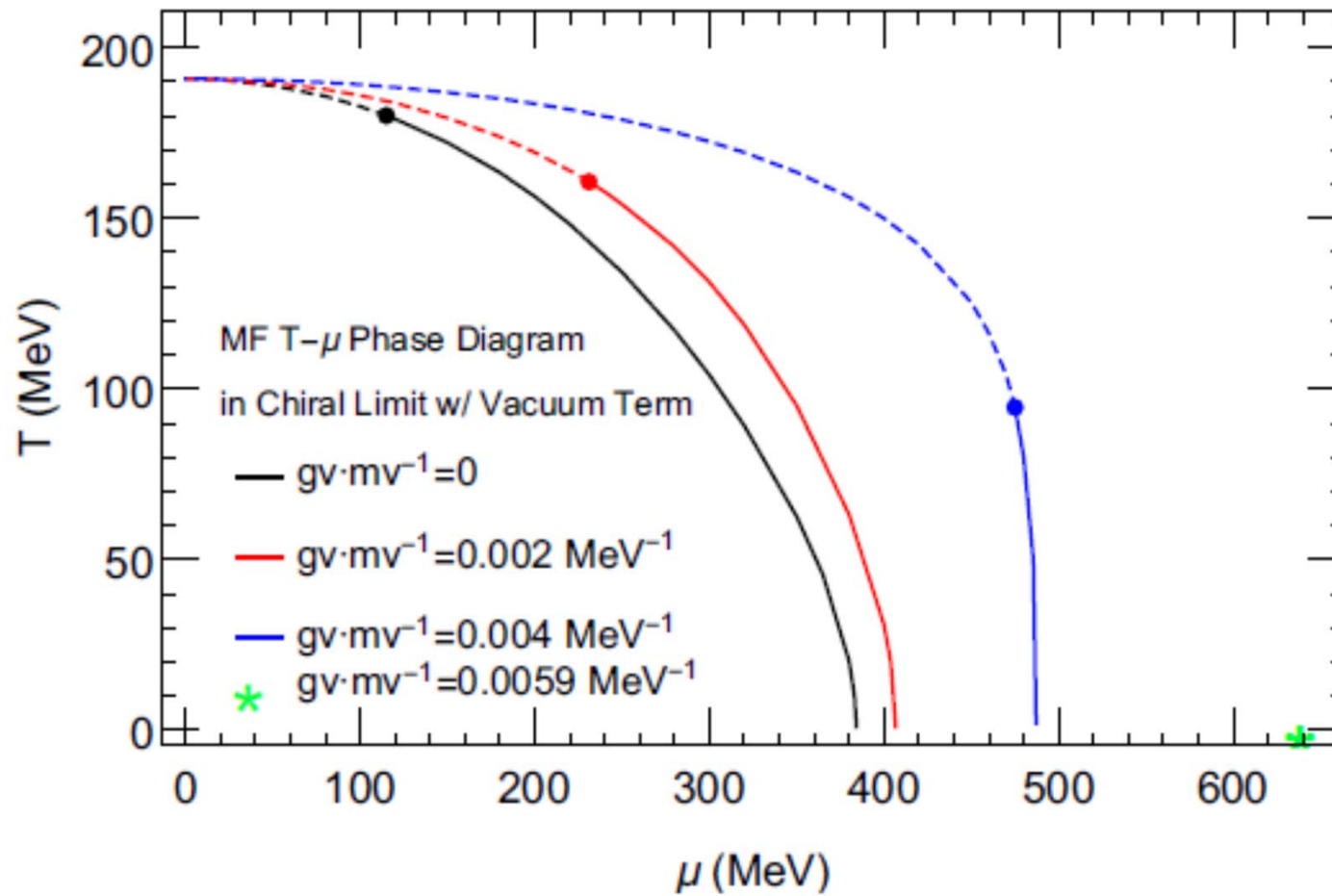
The boson and fermion occupation numbers are

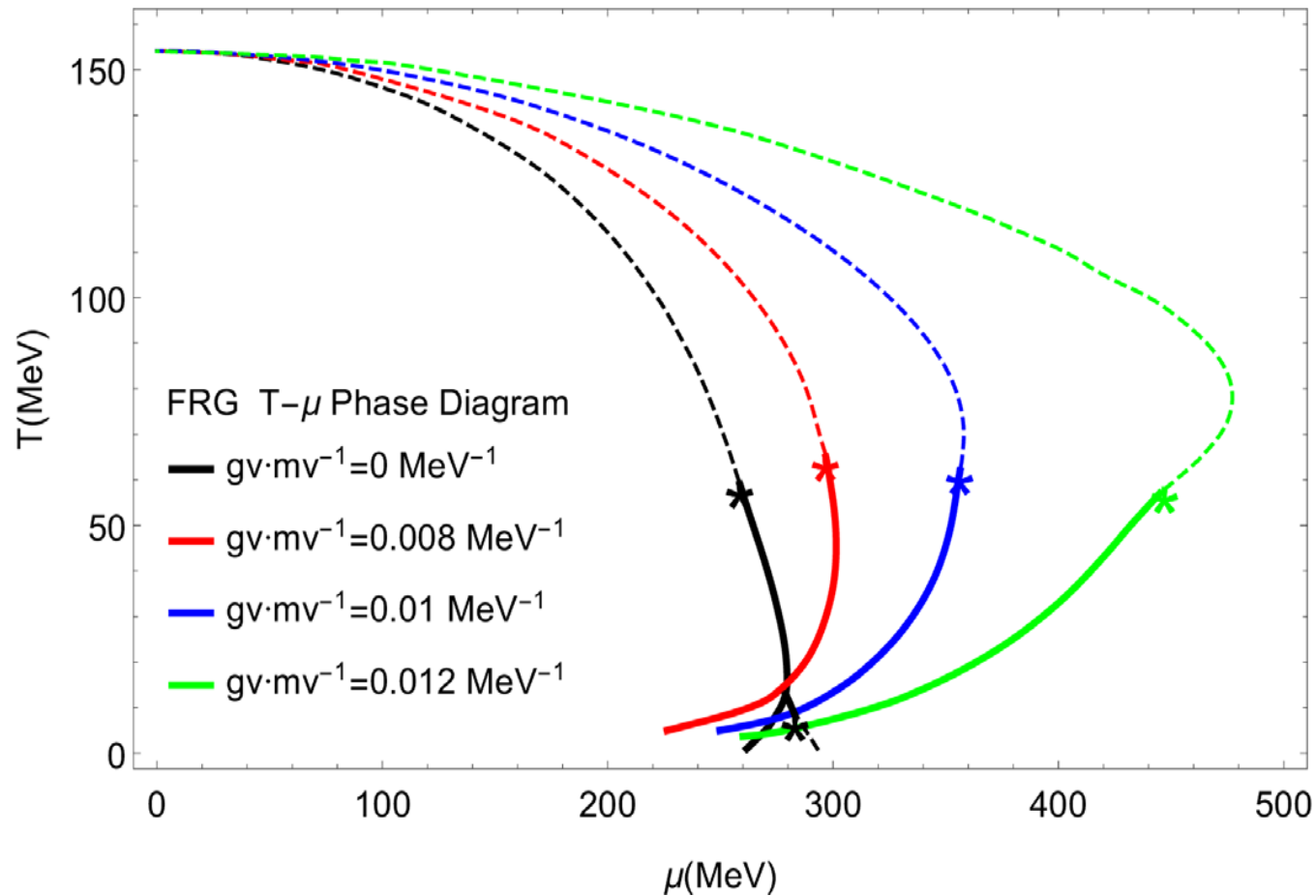
$$n_B(E) = \frac{1}{e^{\beta E} - 1}$$

$$n_F(E, \mu) = \frac{1}{e^{\beta(E-\mu)} + 1}$$

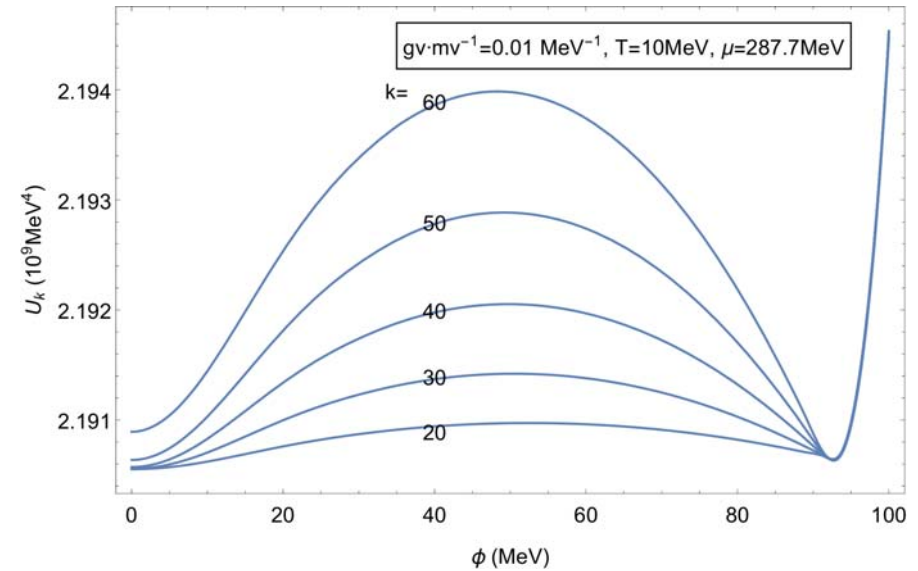
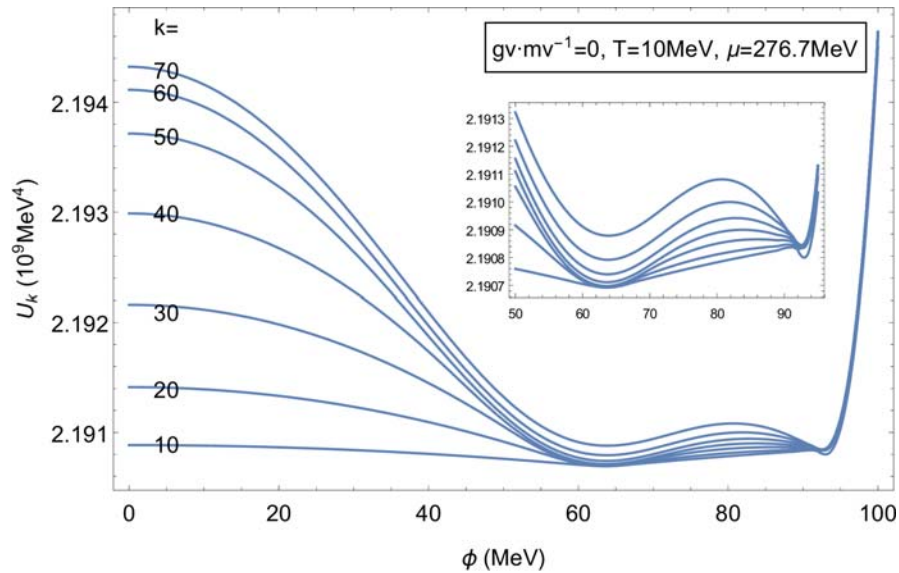
# Phase structure

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- (i) At high  $T$  the fluctuations turn the 1<sup>st</sup> order line in the MF into 2<sup>nd</sup> order, yielding the TCP
- (ii) While the critical  $\mu$  of the TCP is sensitive to the vector coupling, its critical  $T$  is similar



The scale evolution of the EP  $\Gamma_k(\varphi)$  at low T. (left)  $g_v/m_v=0$ ,  $T=10$  MeV &  $\mu=276.7$  MeV; (right)  $g_v/m_v=0.01$  MeV<sup>-1</sup>,  $T=10$  MeV &  $\mu=287.7$  MeV.

The fluctuations erase the barrier between two local minima in the MF potential.

At finite vector coupling, the essential features remain the same as the  $g_v=0$  case; the fluctuations do not modify the potential around  $\varphi \approx 93$  MeV, the potential around  $\varphi \approx 0$  is strongly affected.

## Order parameter and baryon density

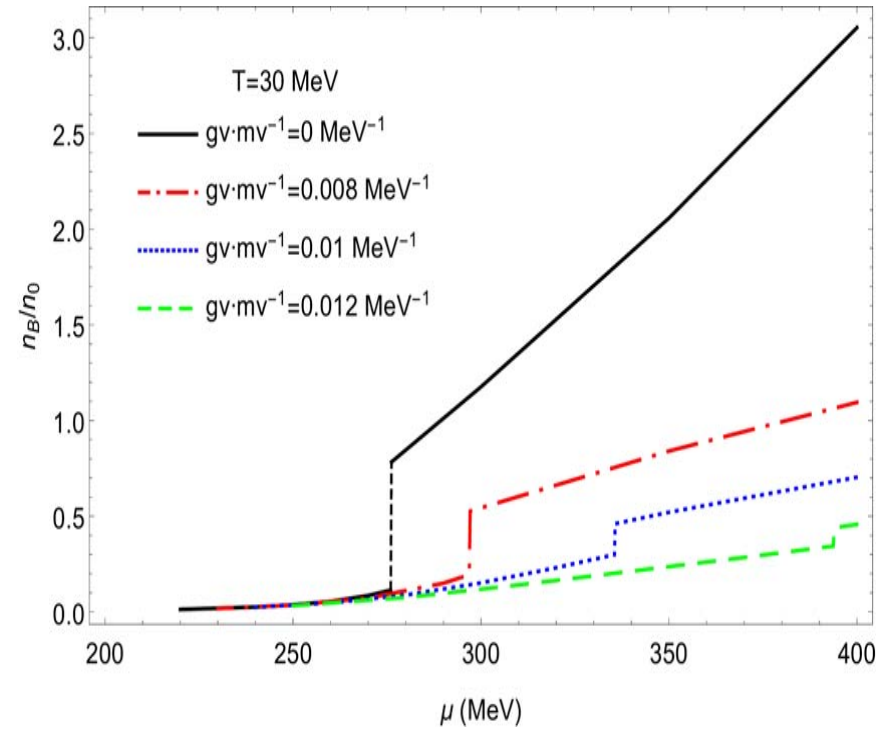
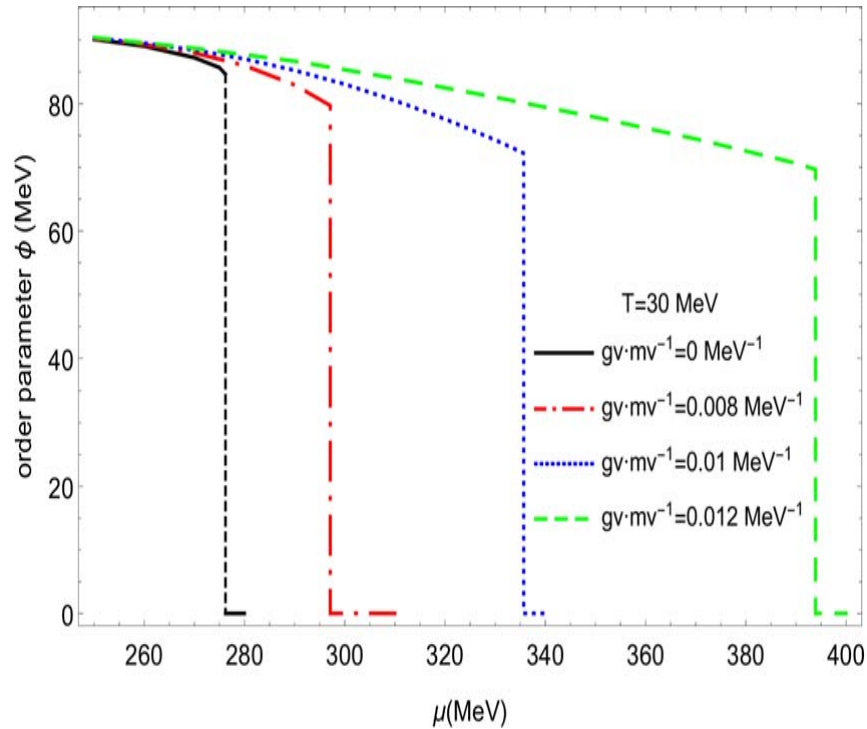


Figure: The  $\mu$ -dependence of the baryon density considerably deviates from  $\sim \mu^3$  behavior expected from the single particle contributions.

$$n_B = n_B^{\text{single}} + n_B^{\text{fluct}}$$

# Several other checks

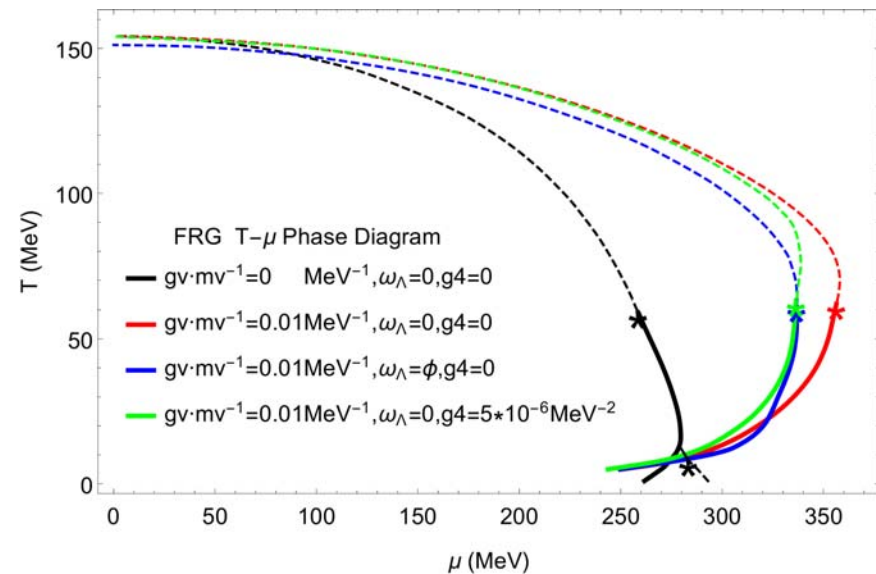
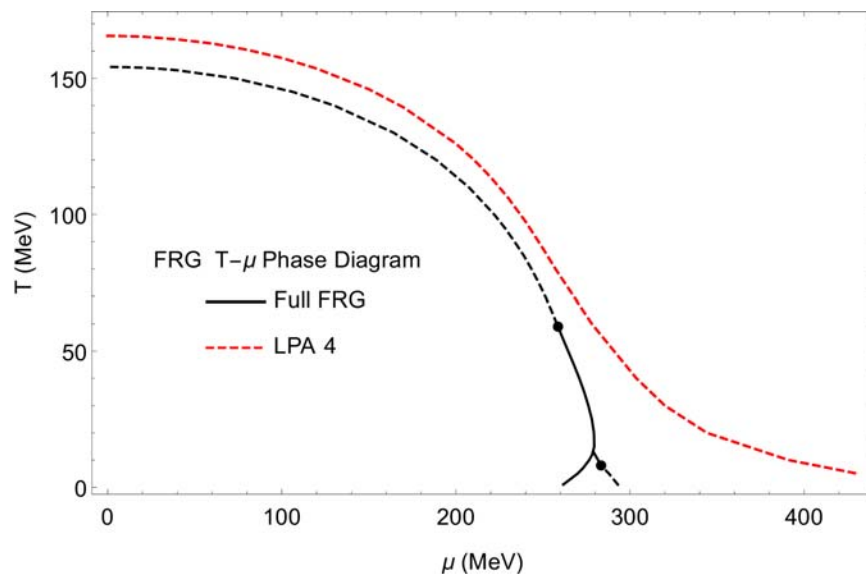
LPA 4 
$$U_k(\phi) = \frac{\lambda_k}{4}(\phi^2 - a_k)^2$$

With  $g_4$  & initial condition for  $\omega$

$$\omega_\Lambda = \phi$$

$$U_k(\omega) = -\frac{1}{2}m_v^2\omega_{0,k}^2 + \frac{1}{12}g_4 \cdot (g_v^2 m_v^2) \cdot \omega_{0,k}^4$$

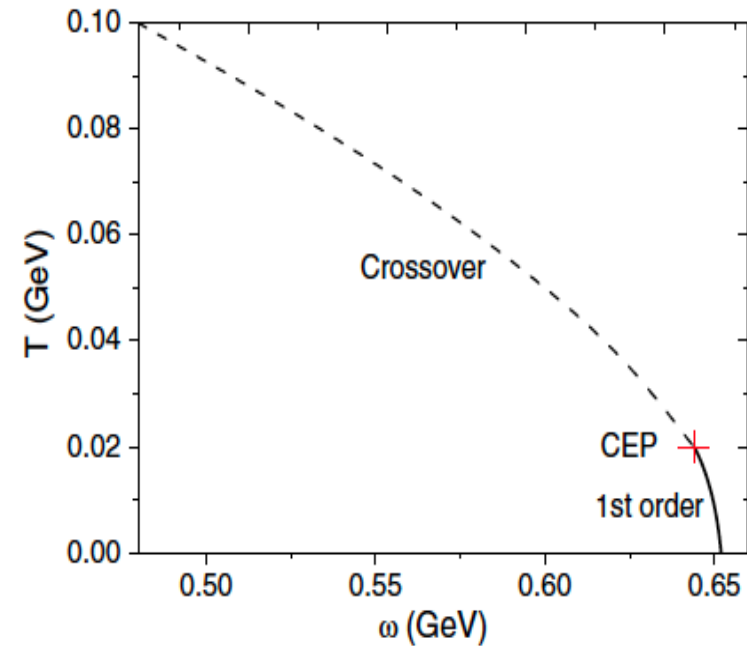
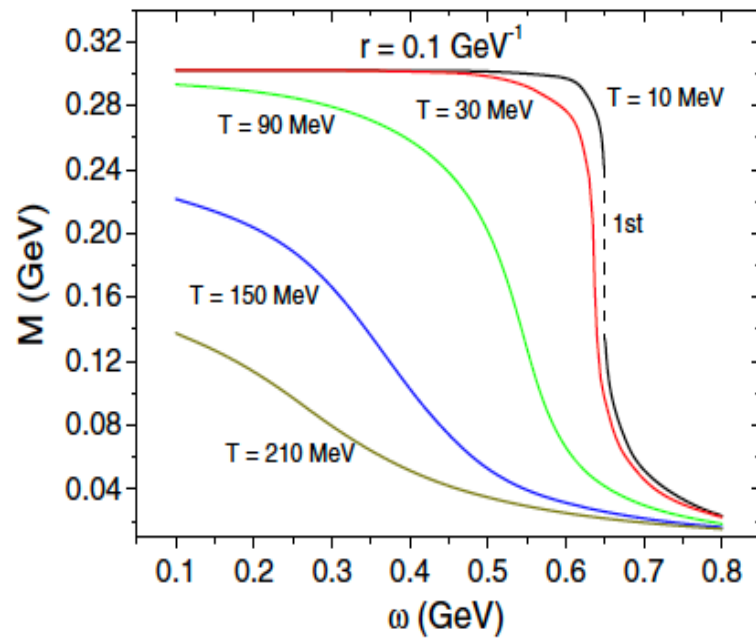
With the quartic term, the overall structure such as the back bending behavior is not significantly affected.





# Phase structure under rotation

Jiang, Liao: PRL117(2016)192303



## Mesonic superfluidity under rotation

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(i\gamma_\mu\partial^\mu - m_0 + \frac{\mu_I}{2}\gamma_0\tau_3)\psi + G_s \left[ (\bar{\psi}\psi)^2 + (\bar{\psi}i\gamma_5\boldsymbol{\tau}\psi)^2 \right] \\ - G_v \left[ (\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\boldsymbol{\tau}\psi)^2 + (\bar{\psi}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\boldsymbol{\tau}\psi)^2 \right]$$

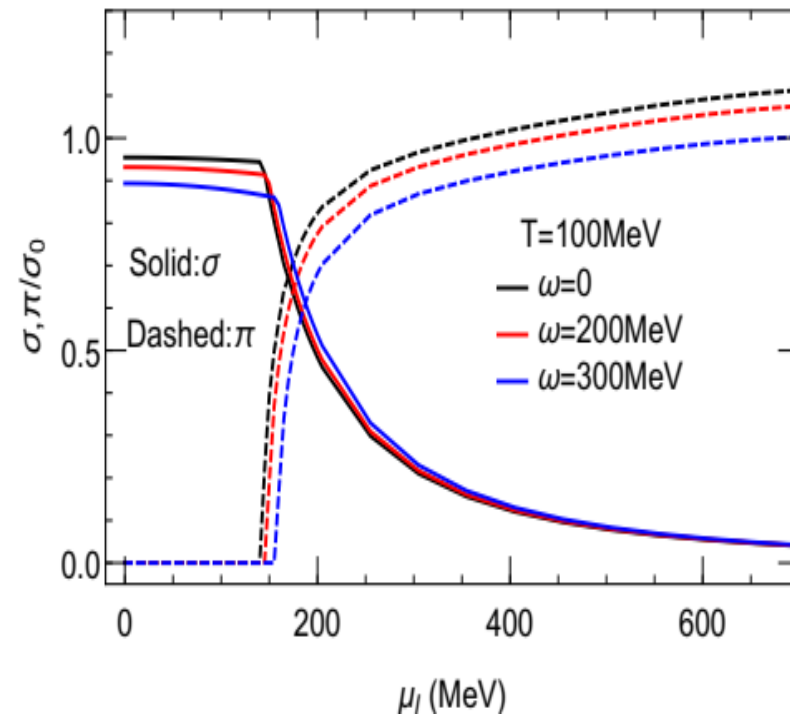
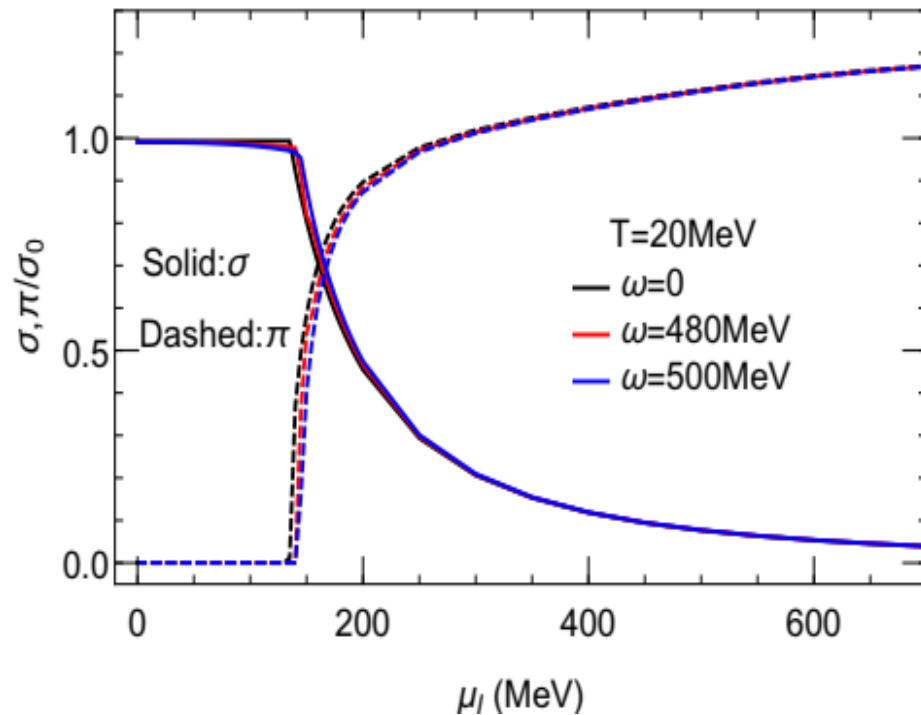
MF approximation:  $\sigma = \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle$ ,  $\pi = \langle \bar{\psi}i\gamma_5\boldsymbol{\tau}\psi \rangle$ ,  $\rho = \langle \bar{\psi}i\gamma_0\gamma_5\boldsymbol{\tau}_3\psi \rangle$

$$\Omega = G(\sigma^2 + \pi^2) - G\rho^2 - \frac{N_c N_f}{16\pi^2} \sum_n \int dk_t^2 \int dk_z [J_{n+1}(k_t r)^2 + J_n(k_t r)^2] \\ \times T \left[ \ln \left( 1 + \exp\left(-\frac{\omega^+ - (n + \frac{1}{2})\omega}{T}\right) \right) + \ln \left( 1 + \exp\left(\frac{\omega^+ - (n + \frac{1}{2})\omega}{T}\right) \right) \right. \\ \left. + \ln \left( 1 + \exp\left(-\frac{\omega^- - (n + \frac{1}{2})\omega}{T}\right) \right) + \ln \left( 1 + \exp\left(\frac{\omega^- - (n + \frac{1}{2})\omega}{T}\right) \right) \right]$$

# Rotational suppression of Pion superfluid

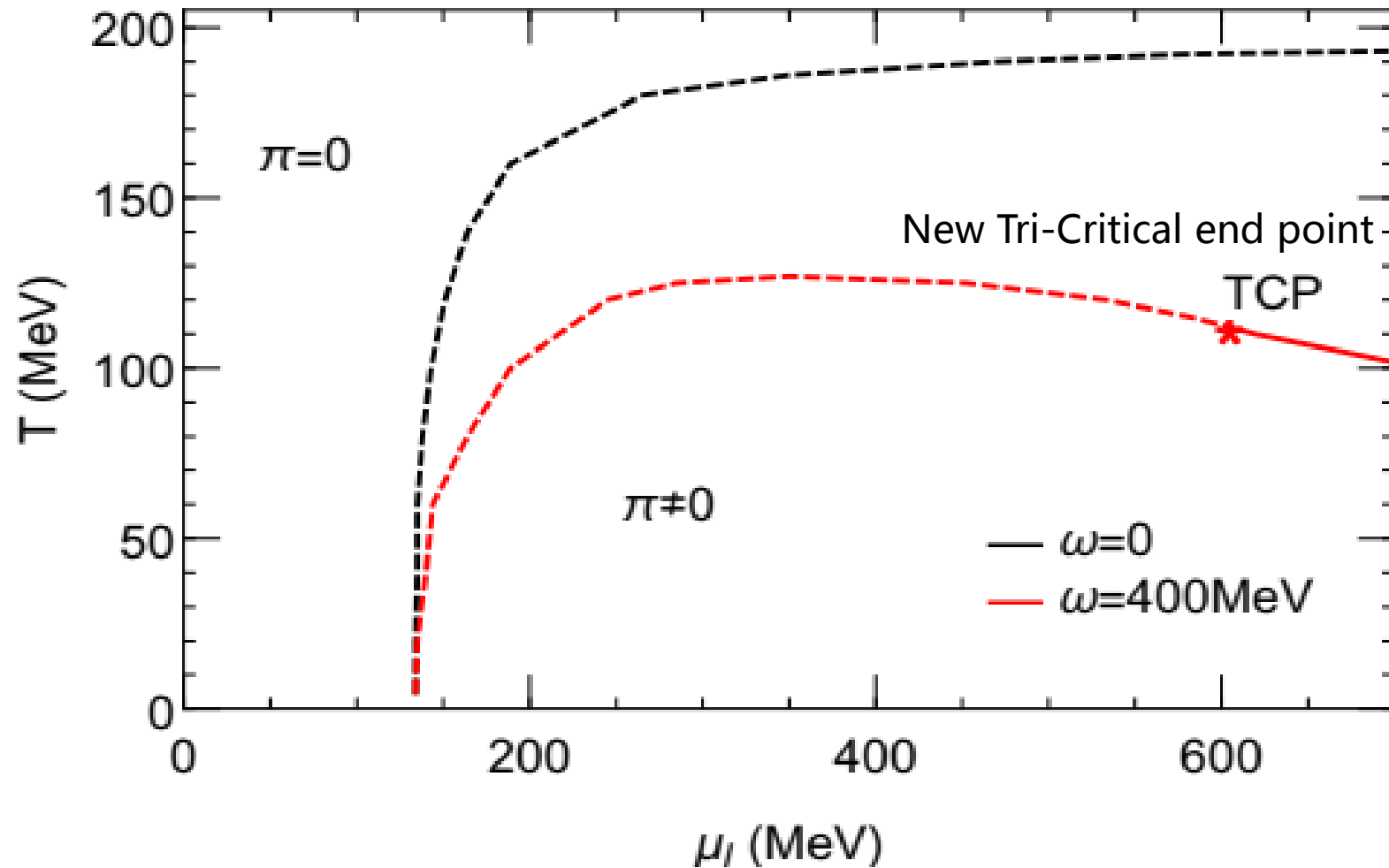
Rotation weaken spin 0 condensate, inverse catalysis effect

H. Zhang, DF Hou, JF Liao, arxiv 1812.11787



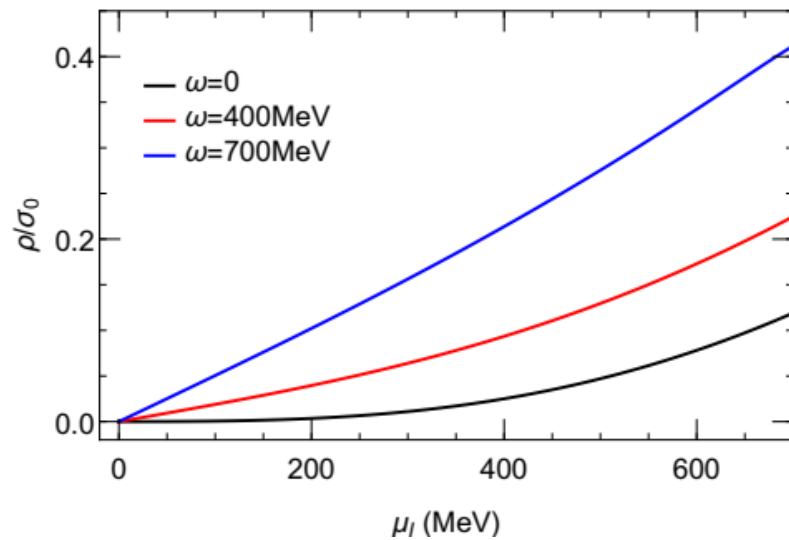
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# Pion superfluidity phase diagram in T- $\mu_I$

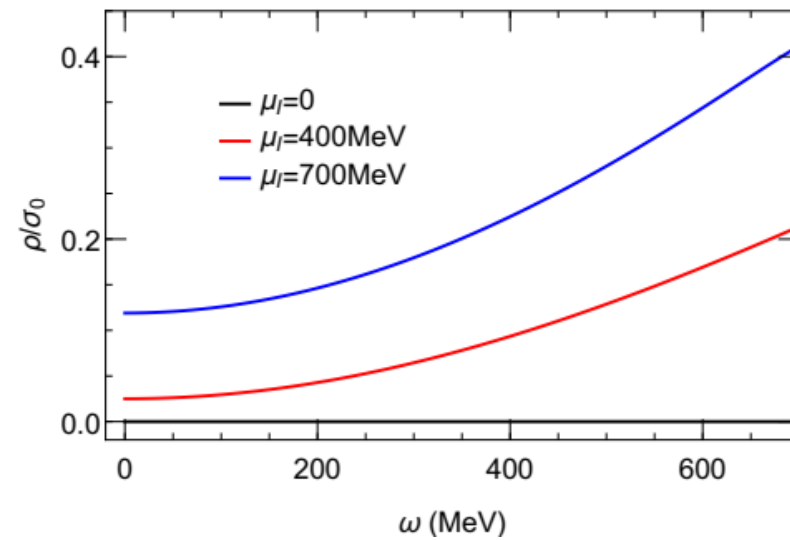


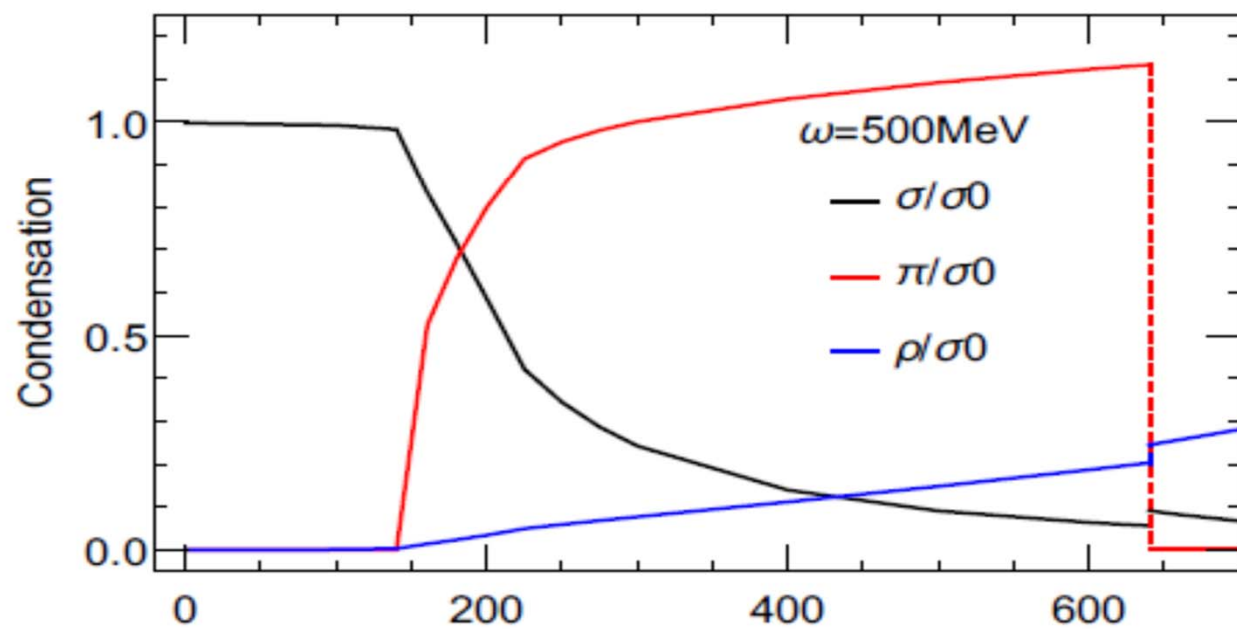
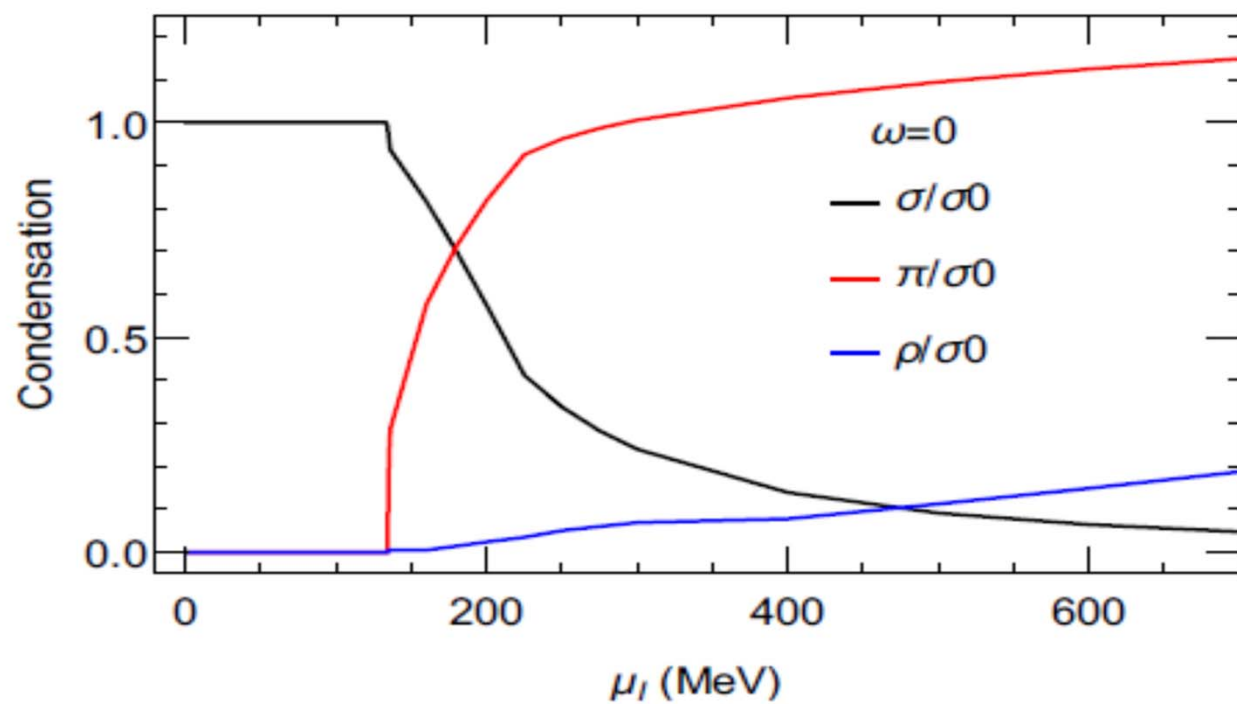
# Enhanced Rho Superfluid under rotation

Rotation enhances spin 1 condensate  $\rho$  channel

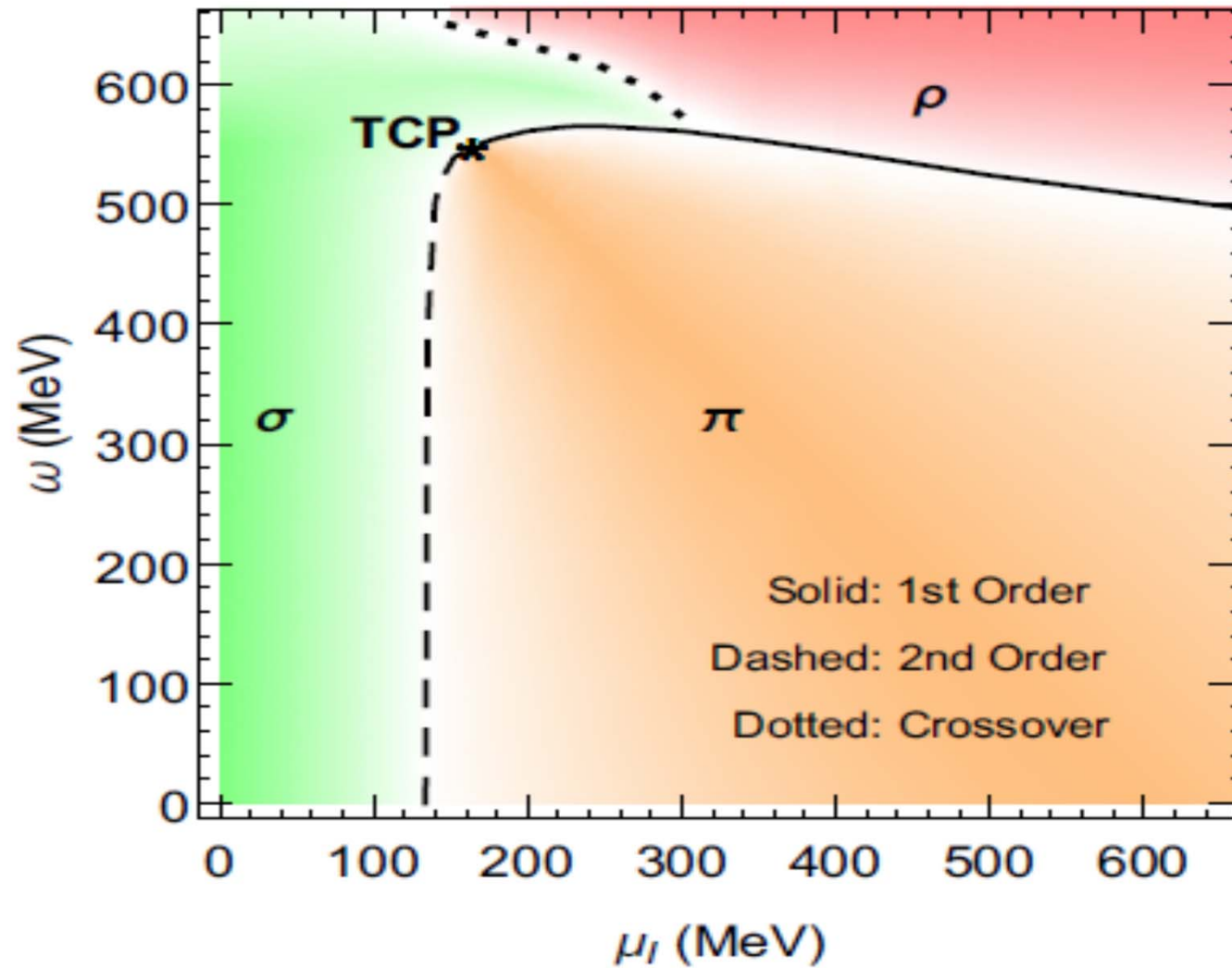


Rho condensate at  $T=\mu=0$  with none zero isospin chemical potential under rotation





# New mesonic superfluid phase diagram



# Summary and outlook

- Dense QCD matter has very rich phase structures.
- Fluctuations are important for TCP of QCD, FRG provides an useful tool
- Magnetic field has nontrivial effects on phase structure
- (Magnetic Catalyse & inverse Magnetic catalyse)
- Rotation suppresses spin 0 condensate , enhances nonzero spin ones
- A new phase diagram for isospin matter under rotation with a new TCP



Thank you very much for  
your attention!

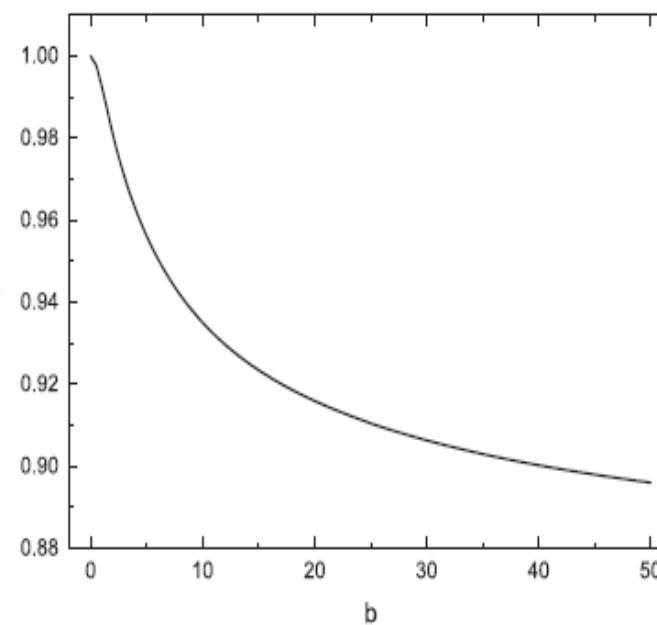
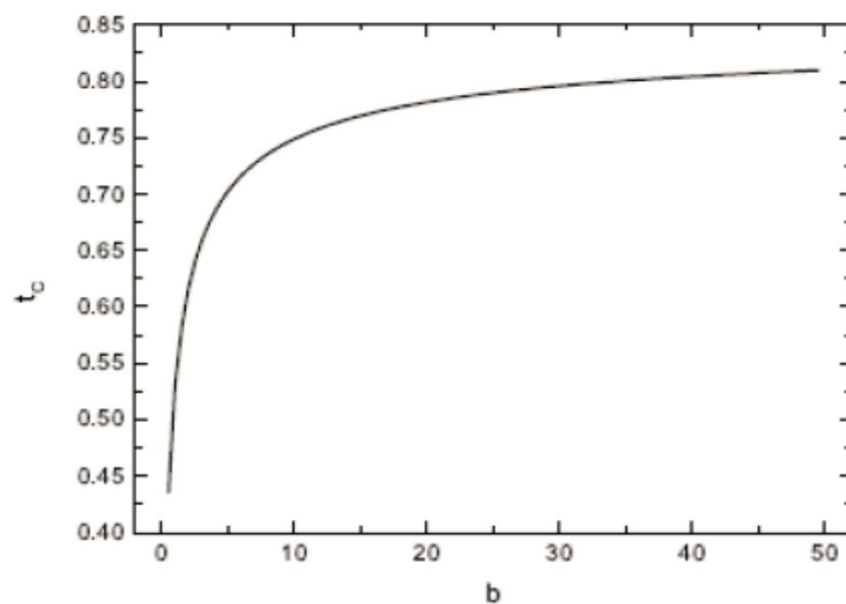


# Summary for BEC under B

- We point out that magnetic field has **two effects**: dimension reduction and enhancement of fluctuations.
- We elaborate this mechanism via a simple example: **BEC of neutral composite bosons**.
- We find that in NR case the fluctuations play a significant role and **inverse magnetic catalysis** arises in strong coupling domain.
- In relativistic case, the fluctuations are **NOT** as significant as that in NR. The inverse magnetic catalysis found in Lattice QCD may be due to the complexity in the dynamics in QCD.

## Magnetic ( Inverse )chiral catalysis at weak (strong) coupling

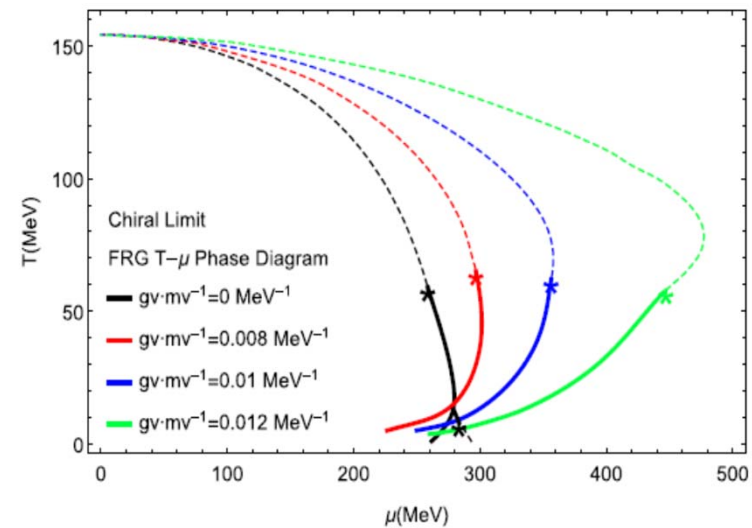
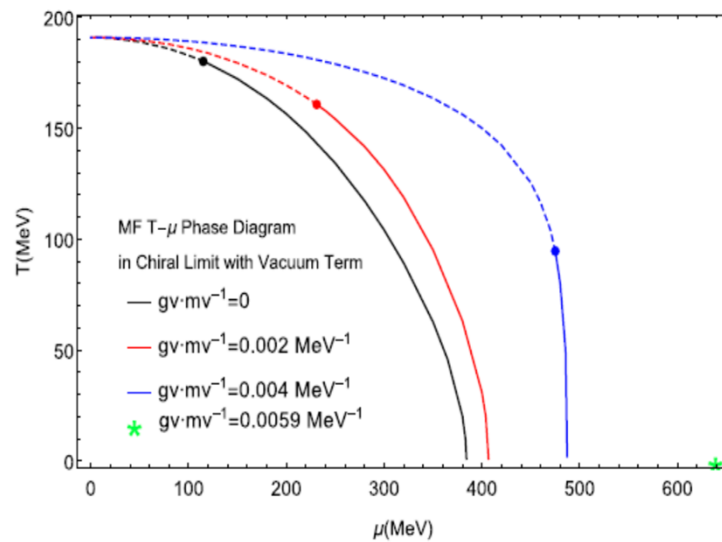
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The ratio of critical temperature  $t_c$  versus magnetic field  $b$  at weak and strong coupling

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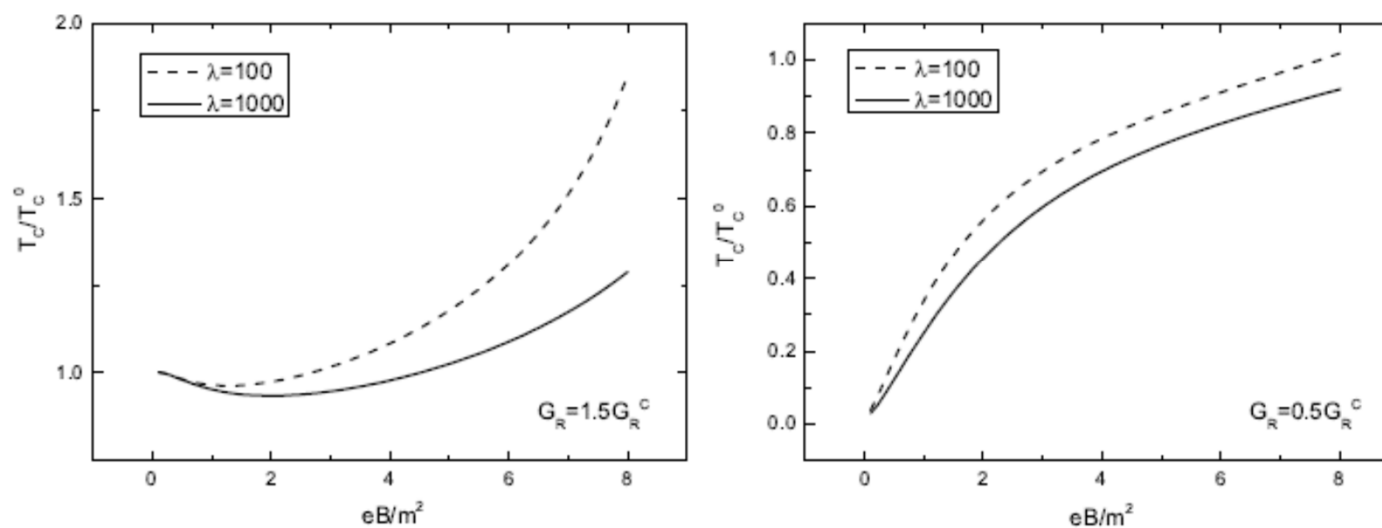


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Condensation temperature versus the dimensionless magnetic field