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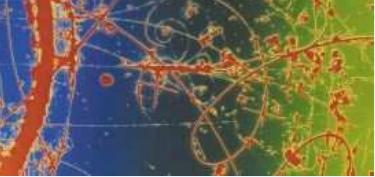
# Two baryons on a lattice

## *Phase shifts and beyond*

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# Outline

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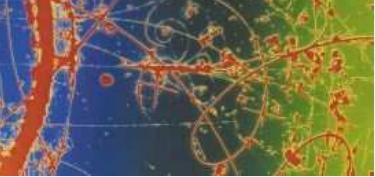
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- Nuclear physics from lattice QCD
- Electroweak properties of two nucleon systems  
*[WD & Martin Savage, hep-lat/0403007]*
  - Two particle energy levels in background fields
  - Radiative capture  $n p \rightarrow d \gamma$
  - Deuteron breakup:  $\bar{\nu}_e d \rightarrow n n e^+$
  - Deuteron magnetic moment
- Other recent highlights
  - Twisted boundary conditions/Aharonov-Bohm effect  
*[Bedaque '04]*
  - Hyperon nucleon scattering  
*[Beane, Bedaque, Parreño & Savage '03]*



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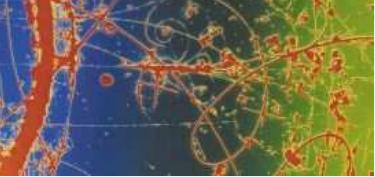
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- Traditional nuclear physics: based on meson exchange models, generic functional forms etc
  - Not really clear what questions to ask of lattice QCD
  - NN potential not an observable/measurable quantity
- Effective field theory (modern) approach to nuclear physics [*Weinberg 90,91*] is more systematic
  - Clear what we want to know from the lattice: fix counterterms via matching. E.g.

$$\mu_d = f(m_\pi, \kappa_0, \gamma, L_2)$$

- Nuclear physics from first principles
- Particularly import in context of unphysical masses and partially-quenched simulations
- Once counterterms are fixed, the physical limit can be taken



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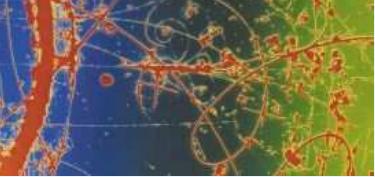
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$$S \equiv \exp[2i\delta(p)] \equiv 1 + \frac{i p M}{2\pi} \mathcal{A}$$

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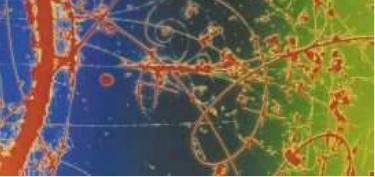
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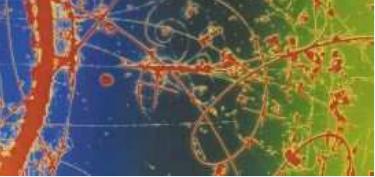
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- ${}^1S_0 : J = 0, I = 1$ 
  - $a_1 = -23.714 \text{ fm}, r_1 = 2.73 \text{ fm}$
- ${}^3S_1 : J = 1, I = 0$ 
  - mixes with  ${}^3D_1$  channel
  - $a_3 = 5.425 \text{ fm}, r_3 = 1.75 \text{ fm}$
  - deuteron bound state:  $B = 2.2 \text{ MeV}, \gamma = 45 \text{ MeV}$



# Neutrino masses and mixing

- SNO and SuperK have given conclusive evidence for non-electron neutrino components in  ${}^8\text{B}$  solar neutrino flux

$\Rightarrow$  **NEUTRINO OSCILLATIONS!!!**

- Results based on three reactions ( $x = e, \mu, \tau$ ):

$$\sigma_{CC} : \nu_e d \longrightarrow p p e^- \quad \textit{Charged current}$$

$$\sigma_{NC} : \nu_x d \longrightarrow p n \nu_x \quad \textit{Neutral current}$$

$$\sigma_{ES} : \nu_x e^- \longrightarrow \nu_x e^- \quad \textit{Elastic scattering}$$

- Event rates  $\Rightarrow$  neutrino fluxes ( $f_{\nu_i}$ ):

$$R_{CC/NC/ES} \sim \int dE \sigma_{CC/NC/ES} f_{\nu_{e/x/x}}$$

- Cross sections are a major source of theoretical uncertainty in determination of fluxes

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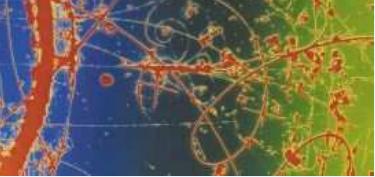
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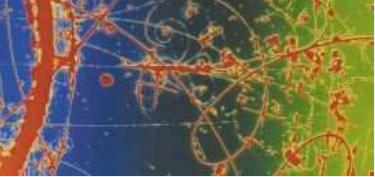
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- Elastic scattering cross-section is well known, but the CC and NC cross-sections have large uncertainties
- Difficulties are because of the poorly constrained two-body interaction with the external current
  - Meson exchange currents (MEC's) in potential models
  - Effective Field Theory: multi-nucleon – current operators
- Most relevant operator is zero-derivative, isovector axial two-body current  $\sim L_{1,A}$
- In terms of this coupling (at  $E_\nu = 10$  MeV):

$$\sigma_{CC} = 4.07 + 0.12 L_{1,A} \quad \sigma_{NC} = 1.76 + 0.056 L_{1,A}$$

- $L_{1,A}$  is only poorly known:  $L_{1,A} = 4 \pm 6$  fm<sup>3</sup> from experiment  
*[Chen, Heeger & Robertson, '03]*
- A lattice determination of it would be very useful



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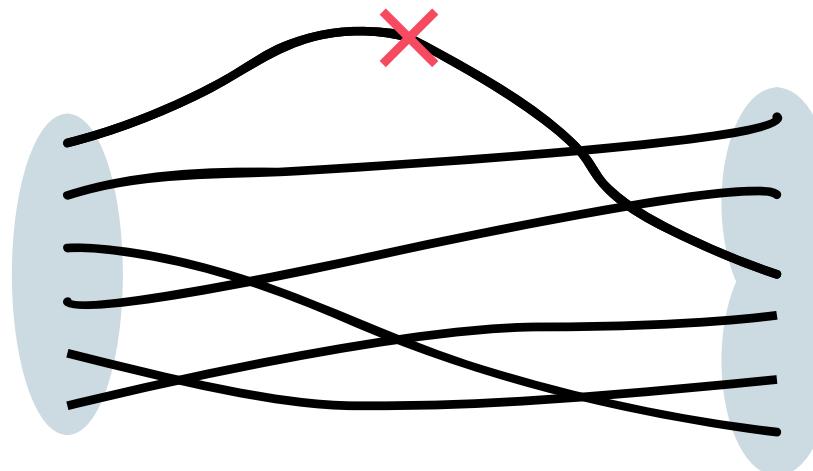
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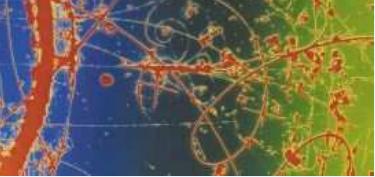
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- How does one determine these hadronic cross-sections (two-body counterterms) from the lattice?
- Measure  $\langle d(\mathbf{p} = 0) | J_{5,a}^\mu | n(\mathbf{p} = 0) p(\mathbf{p} = 0) \rangle$  at unphysical kinematics



- Would allow determination of the coefficients ( $L_{1,A}$  etc) in the low energy EFT to give an ab initio calculation from QCD
- Extremely difficult: one or two orders of magnitude harder than two-particle energies



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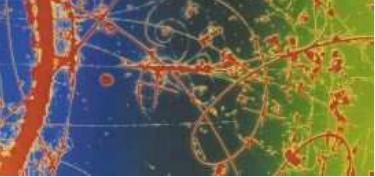
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- A simpler way ...
- By measuring the proton mass on a lattice with a background magnetic field, one can extract the magnetic moment [*Bernard et al.; Martinelli et al.*] and even polarisability [*F. Lee et al.*]
- Using same philosophy: by calculating two-particle energies in background magnetic field one can probe eg: deuteron magnetic moment
- Background ( $Z_0$ ) axial field (a flux of neutrinos across the lattice): extract axial, isovector two-nucleon coupling  $L_{1,A}$ , weak moment of the deuteron, ...
- Need additional ensembles of gauge configurations
- Computational advantage for isosinglet: disconnected contributions automatically included



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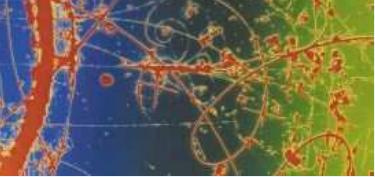
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- ERE describes NN data but not eg:  $d \gamma \longrightarrow n p$

Improvements:

- Traditional potential models: meson-exchange currents (MECs)
- EFT provides a model independent approach (but requires parameters to be determined)



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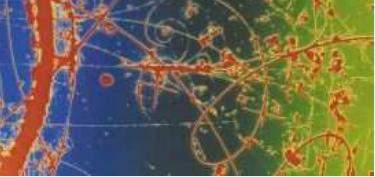
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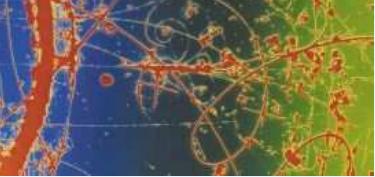
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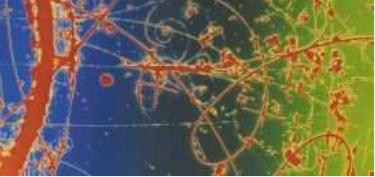
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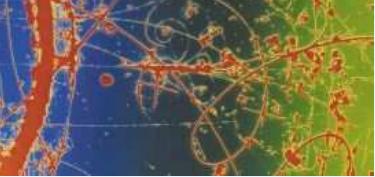
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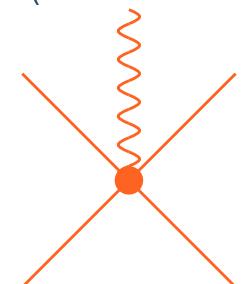
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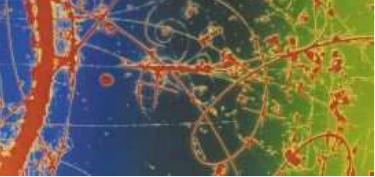
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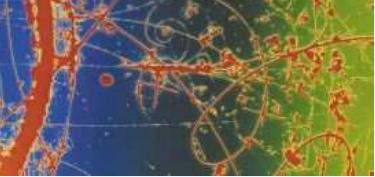
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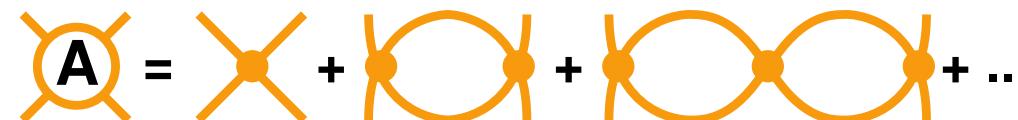
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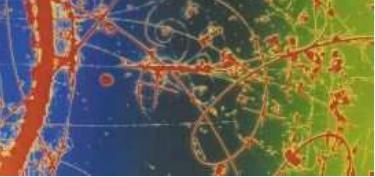
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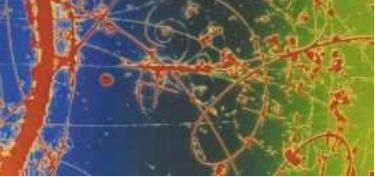
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- Loop integral [Kaplan, Savage & Wise]

$$I_0^{PDS} = \left( \frac{\mu}{2} \right)^{4-D} \int \frac{d^{D-1}\mathbf{k}}{E - |\mathbf{k}|^2/M + i\epsilon} = -\frac{M}{4\pi}(\mu + ip)$$



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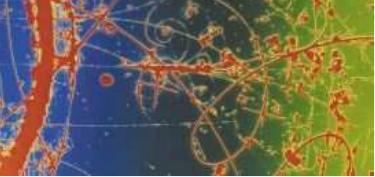
- Eg: deuteron magnetic moment

$$\mu_d = \frac{2}{1 - \gamma r_3} (\gamma L_2 + \kappa_0)$$

- Eg: radiative capture  $n p \rightarrow d\gamma$  near threshold ( ${}^1S_0$  to  ${}^3S_1$ )

$$\sigma(np \rightarrow d\gamma) = \frac{4\pi\alpha (\gamma_0^2 + |\mathbf{p}|^2)^3}{M^4 \gamma_0^3 |\mathbf{p}|} \left[ |\tilde{X}_{M1}|^2 + |\tilde{X}_{E1}|^2 + \dots \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{X}_{M1} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \gamma_0 r_3}} \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{2} r_1 |\mathbf{p}|^2 - i |\mathbf{p}|} \\ &\times \left[ \frac{\kappa_1 \gamma_0^2}{\gamma_0^2 + |\mathbf{p}|^2} \left( \gamma_0 - \frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{2} r_1 |\mathbf{p}|^2 \right) + L_1 \frac{\gamma_0^2}{2} \right] \end{aligned}$$



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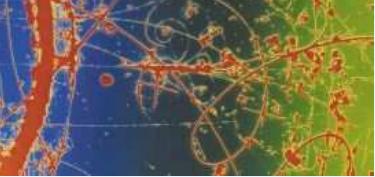
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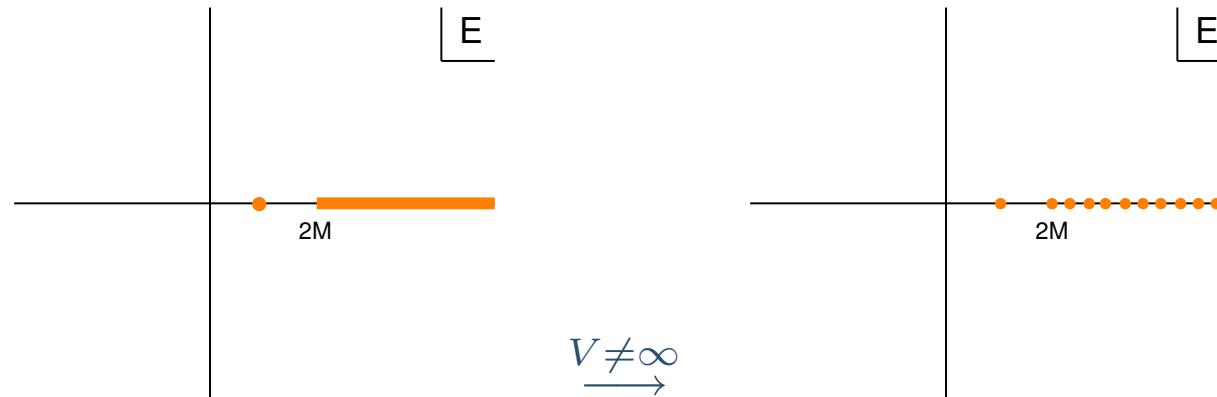
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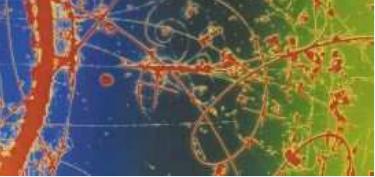
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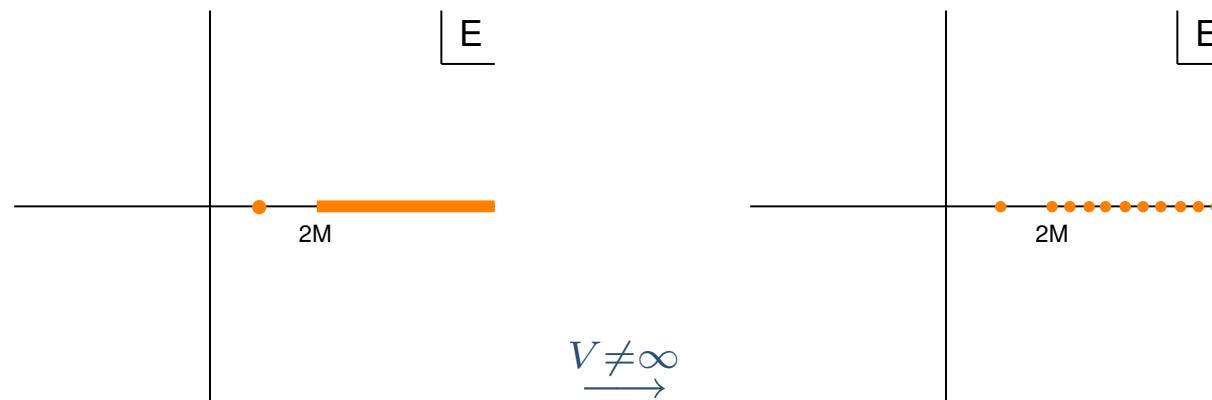
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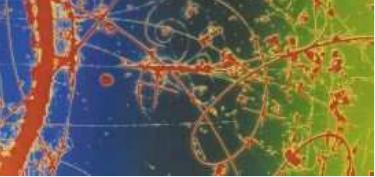
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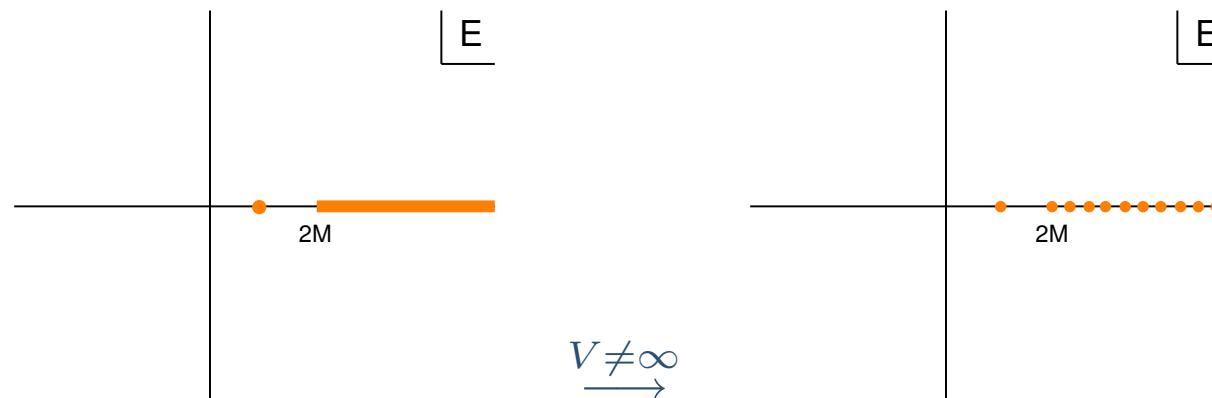
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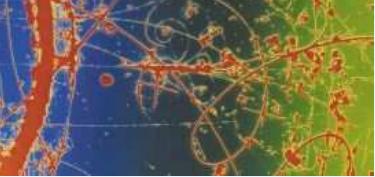
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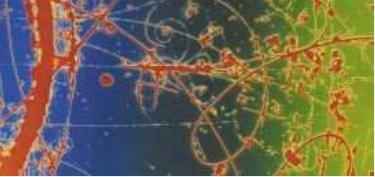
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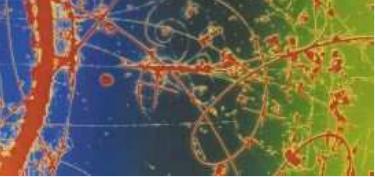
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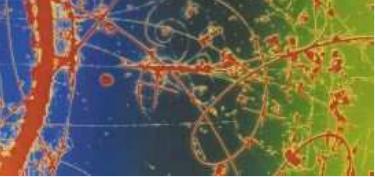
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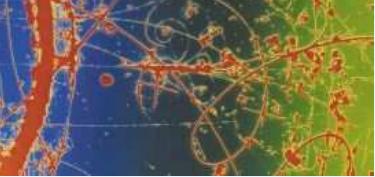
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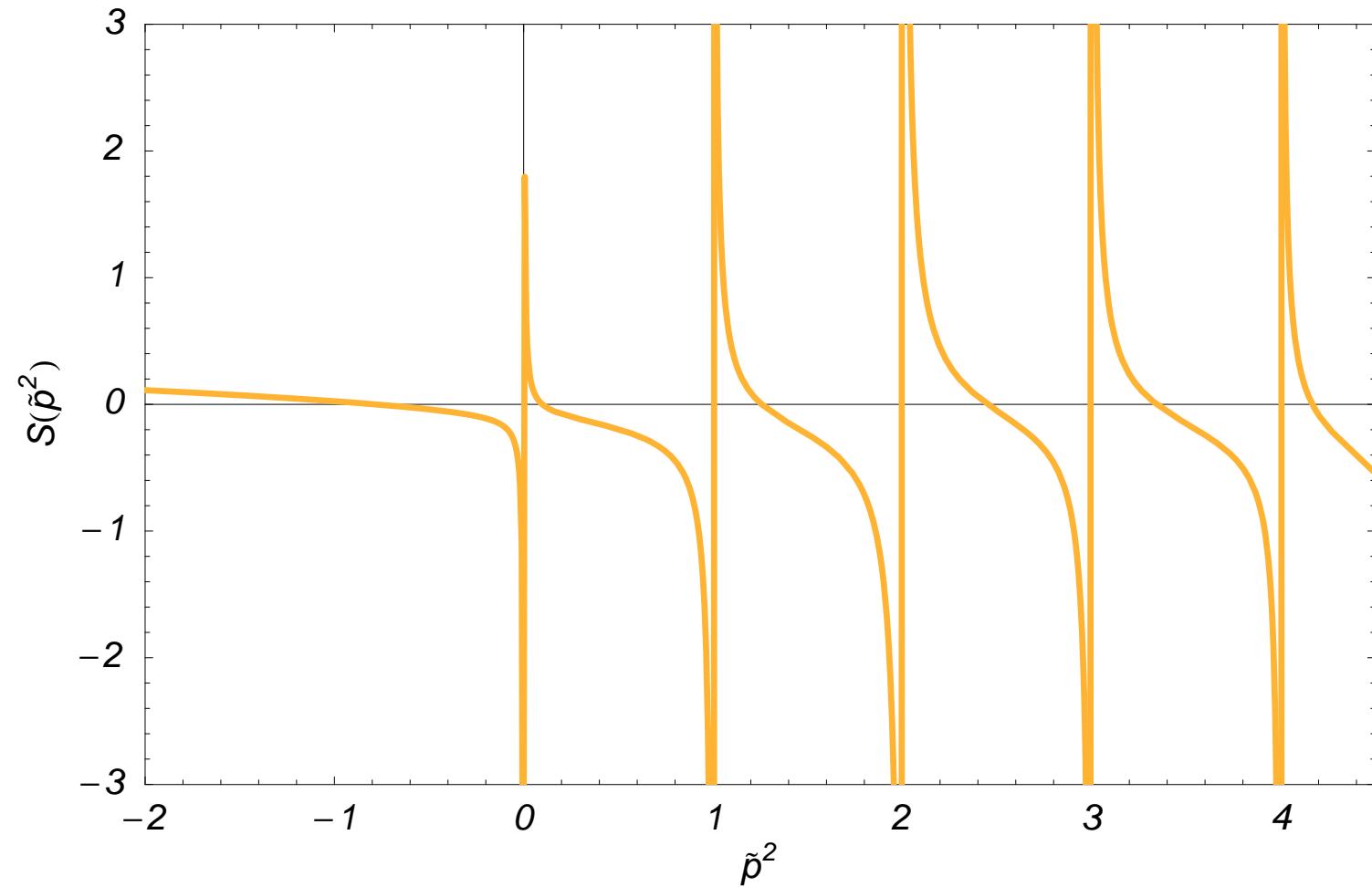
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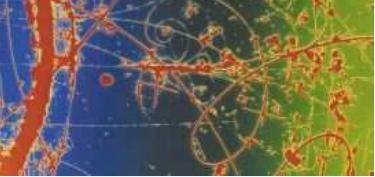
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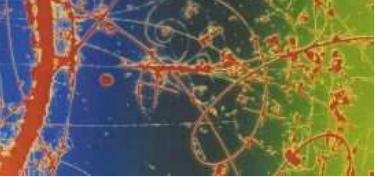
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- Asymptotic expansions [*Lüscher*]:  $L \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned} E_0 &= \frac{4\pi a}{ML^3} \left[ 1 - c_1 \left( \frac{a}{L} \right) + c_2 \left( \frac{a}{L} \right)^2 + \dots \right] \\ E_1 &= \frac{4\pi^2}{ML^2} - \frac{12 \tan \delta_0}{ML^2} [1 + c'_1 \tan \delta_0 + c'_2 \tan \delta_0 + \dots] \\ E_{-1}^{(^3S_1)} &= -\frac{\gamma_0^2}{M} \left[ 1 + \frac{12}{\gamma_0 L (1 - \gamma_0 r_3)} e^{-\gamma_0 L} + \dots \right] \end{aligned}$$

- Small  $L$  expansion also exists:  $L/a \ll 1$  [*Beane et al.*]
- Minimum  $L$  set by range of interaction:  $L > r \sim m_\pi^{-1}$
- Two-particle energy levels have been studied on the lattice:
  - Scalar theory [*Göckeler et al. '94*]
  - $NN, KN, \pi N$  quenched, large masses [*Aoki et al., '95*]
  - $\pi\pi$  ( $I=2$ ) unquenched [*Aoki et al., '03*]
- So far (hadronic results) not realistic



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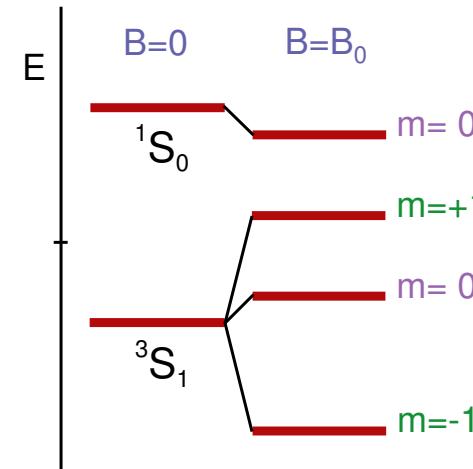
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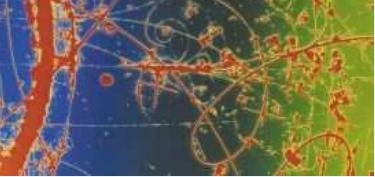
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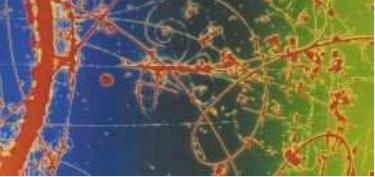
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- Magnetic fields on the lattice:  $U_\mu(x) \rightarrow U_\mu^{\text{ext}}(x)U_\mu(x)$

$$U_{0,3}^{\text{ext}}(x) = 1 \quad U_1^{\text{ext}}(x) = e^{+i\beta x_2} \quad U_2^{\text{ext}}(x) = e^{-i\beta x_1}$$

- generates  $\mathbf{B} = B_0 \hat{\mathbf{z}}$ ,  $eB_0 a^2 \sim \beta$
- Homogeneity requires  $eB_0 L_\perp^2 / 2\pi \in \mathbb{Z}$
- Weak background fields can be implemented: couple differently to left- and right- chirality quarks
  - eg: DW fermions with background field varying in 5th direction
  - Similar shifts in two particle states



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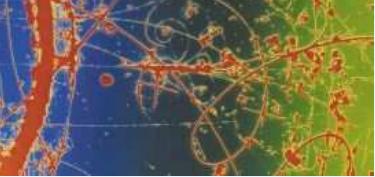
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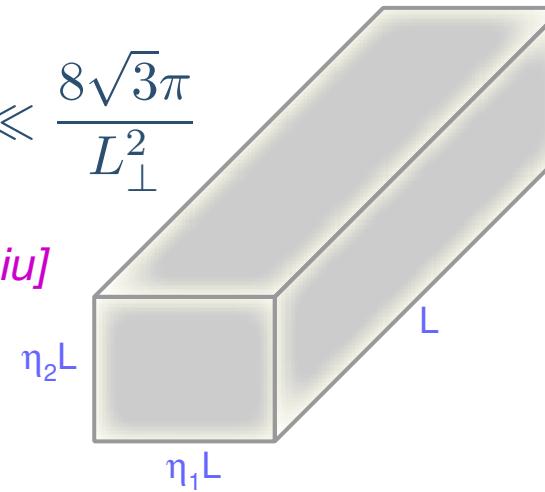
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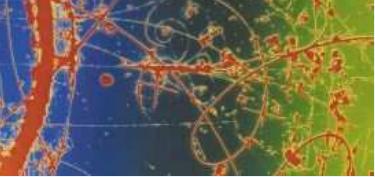
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- Use an asymmetric box [Li & Liu]
- Redo Lüscher analysis
- Small transverse directions ( $\sim 4$  fm) move transverse levels up in spectrum
- Low lying excitations are all longitudinal



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- Eigenvalue equation in presence of background magnetic field

$$p \cot \delta_3 - \frac{1}{\pi L} S(\tilde{p}^2 \pm \tilde{u}_0^2; \eta_1, \eta_2) \mp \frac{eB_0}{2} (L_2 - r_3 \kappa_0) = 0$$

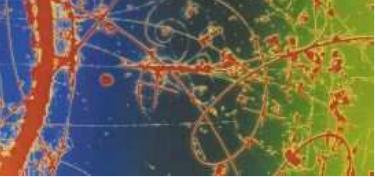
where  $\tilde{u}_0^2 = \frac{L^2}{4\pi^2} eB_0 \kappa_0$  and  $\mp$  correspond to  ${}^3S_1$  ( $m = \pm 1$ ) states

- Asymptotic behaviour of first continuum [ $\mathbf{p} = (0, 0, 0)$ ]:

$$E_0^{(m=\pm 1)} = \mp \frac{eB_0}{M} \kappa_0 + \frac{4\pi A_3}{ML^3} \left[ 1 - c_1 \frac{A_3}{L} + c_2 \left( \frac{A_3}{L} \right)^2 + \dots \right]$$

- Effective scattering length:

$$\frac{1}{A_3} = \frac{1}{a_3} \pm \frac{eB_0}{2} L_2$$



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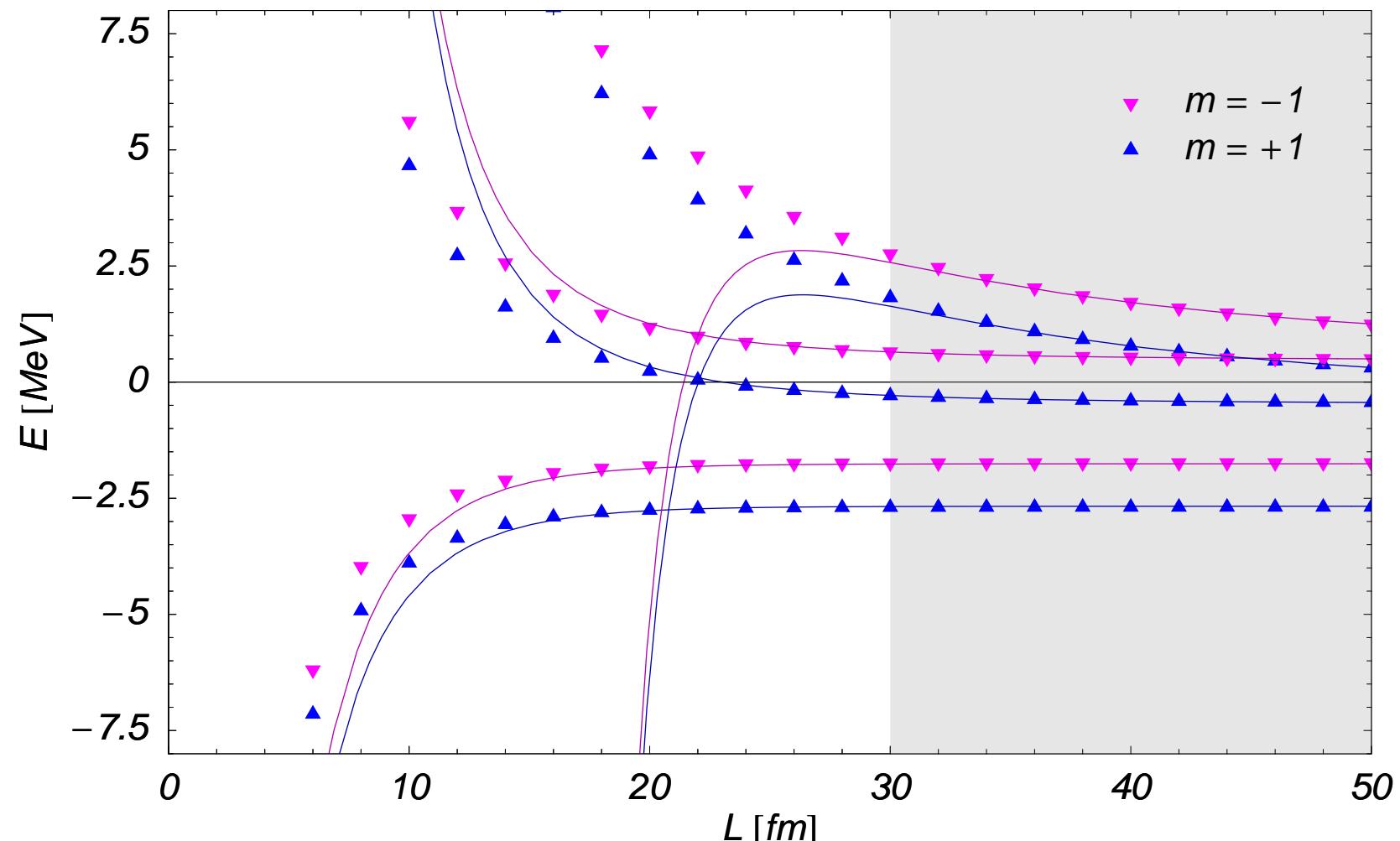
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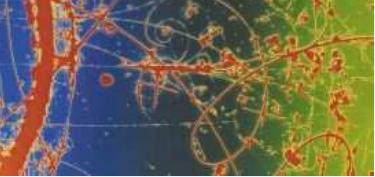
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$$\eta_1 = \eta_2 = 1, |eB_0| = 1000 \text{ MeV}^2$$





# $L_1$ counterterm: $n p \longrightarrow d \gamma$

- $L_1$  induces mixing between  $^1S_0$  and  $^3S_1$  states
- Need to diagonalize coupled channel system
- Eigenvalue equation:

$$\left[ p \cot \delta_1 - \frac{S_1 + S_2}{2\pi L} \right] \left[ p \cot \delta_3 - \frac{S_1 + S_2}{2\pi L} \right] = \left[ \frac{eB_0 L_1}{2} + \frac{S_1 - S_2}{2\pi L} \right]^2$$

$$S_1 = S(\eta_1, \eta_2; \tilde{p}^2 + \tilde{u}_1^2) \quad , \quad S_2 = S(\eta_1, \eta_2; \tilde{p}^2 - \tilde{u}_1^2)$$

$$\tilde{u}_1^2 = \frac{L^2}{4\pi^2} e B_0 \kappa_1$$

- How could we determine  $L_1$ ?
- Bound state:
  - Fine tuning between kinetic and potential terms
  - Very sensitive to short distance physics ( $L_1$ )

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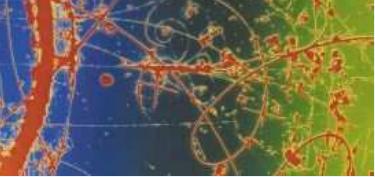
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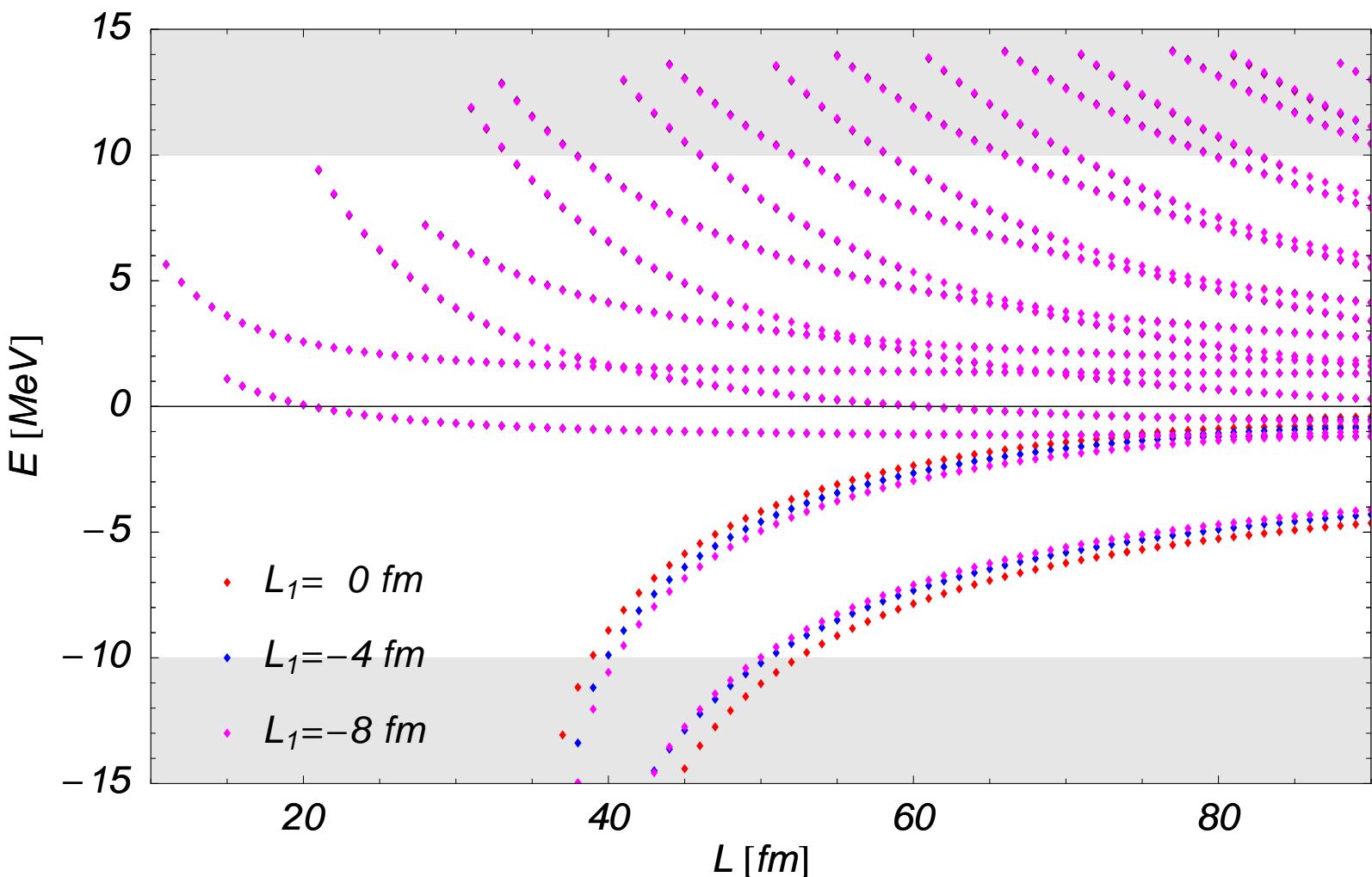
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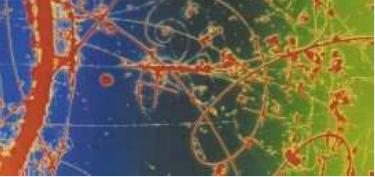
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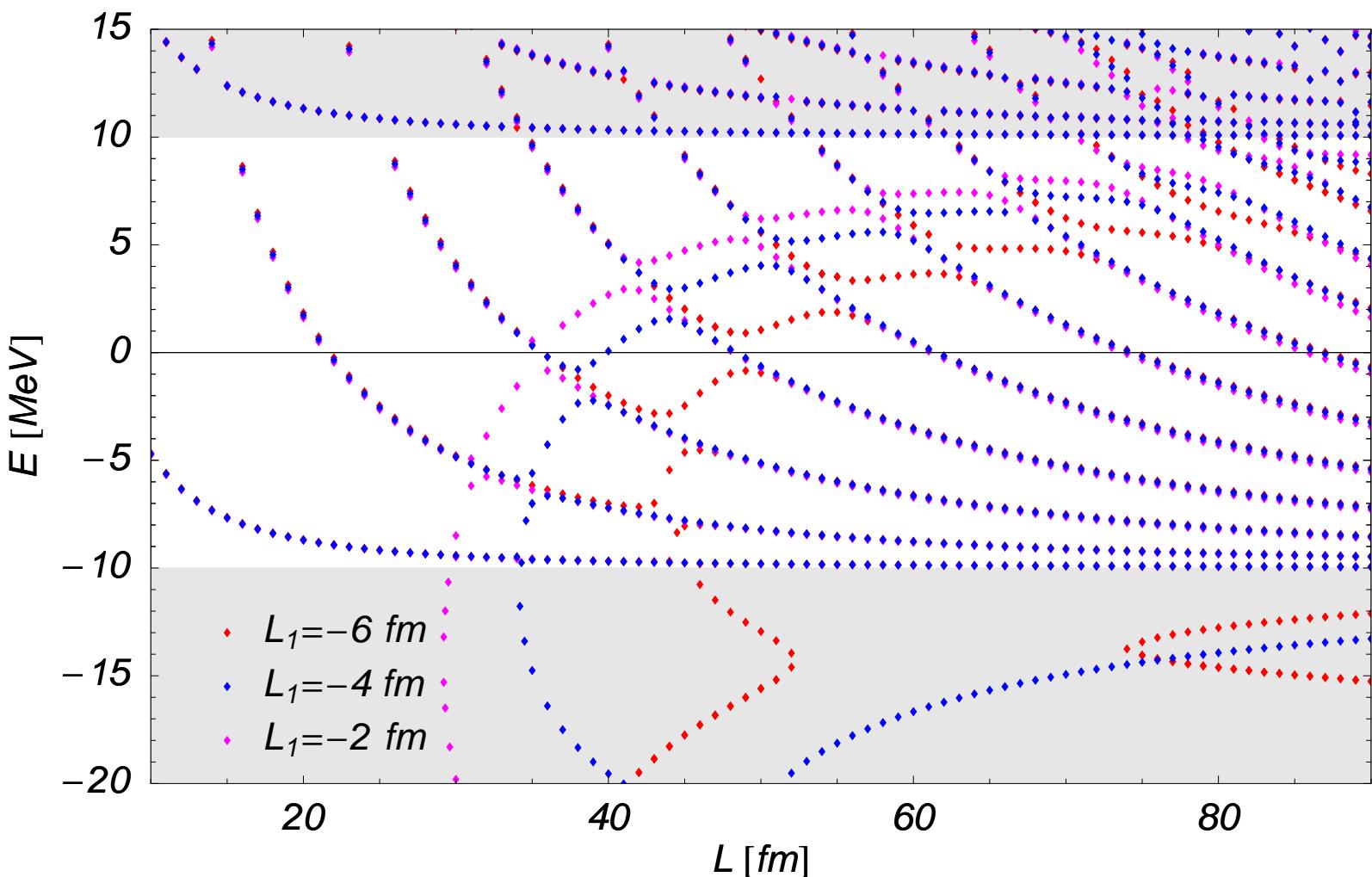
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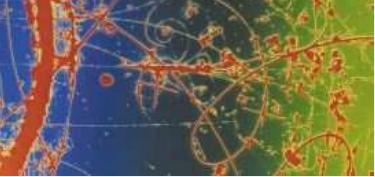
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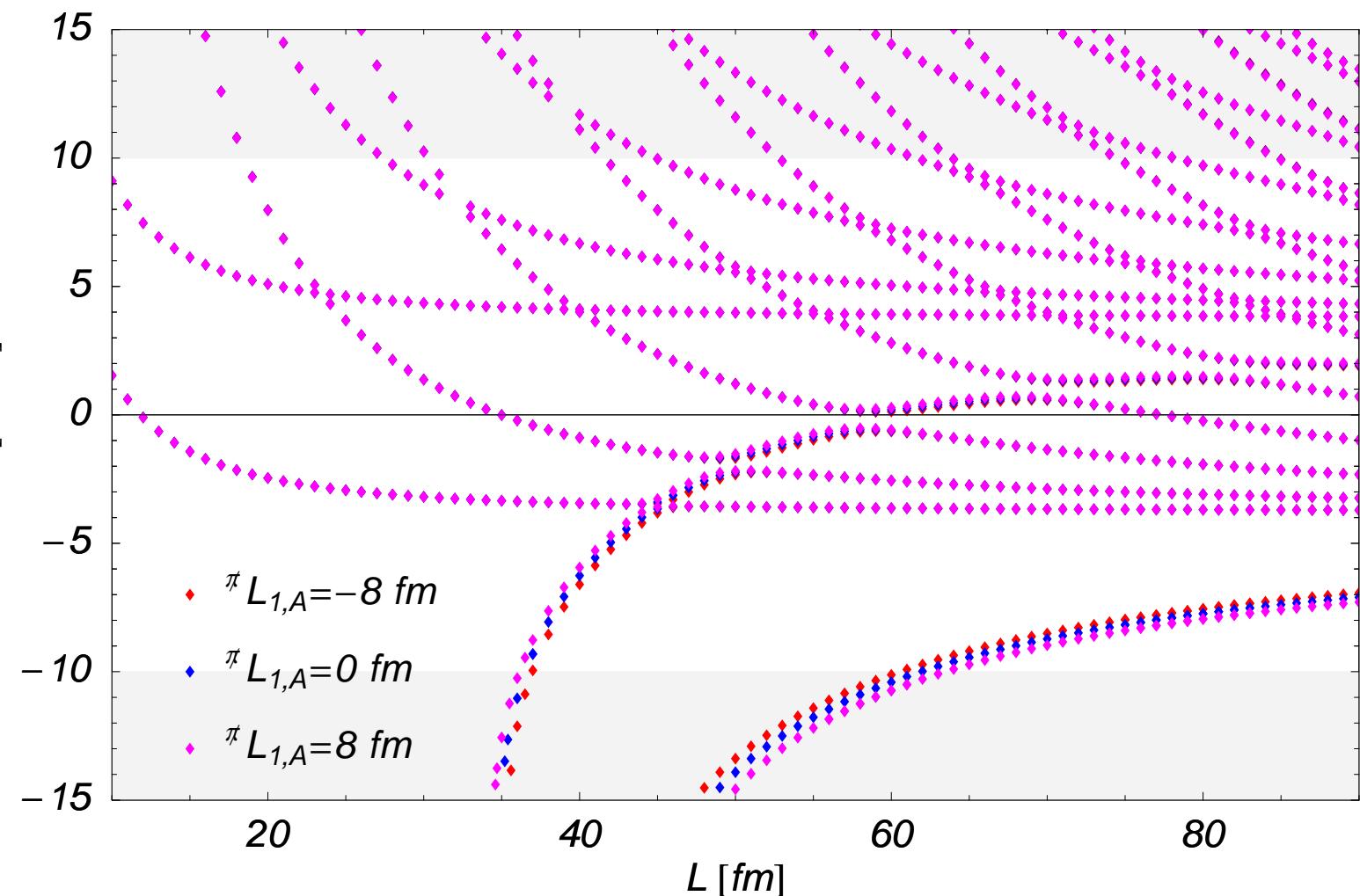
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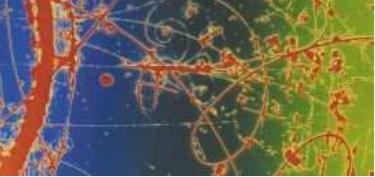
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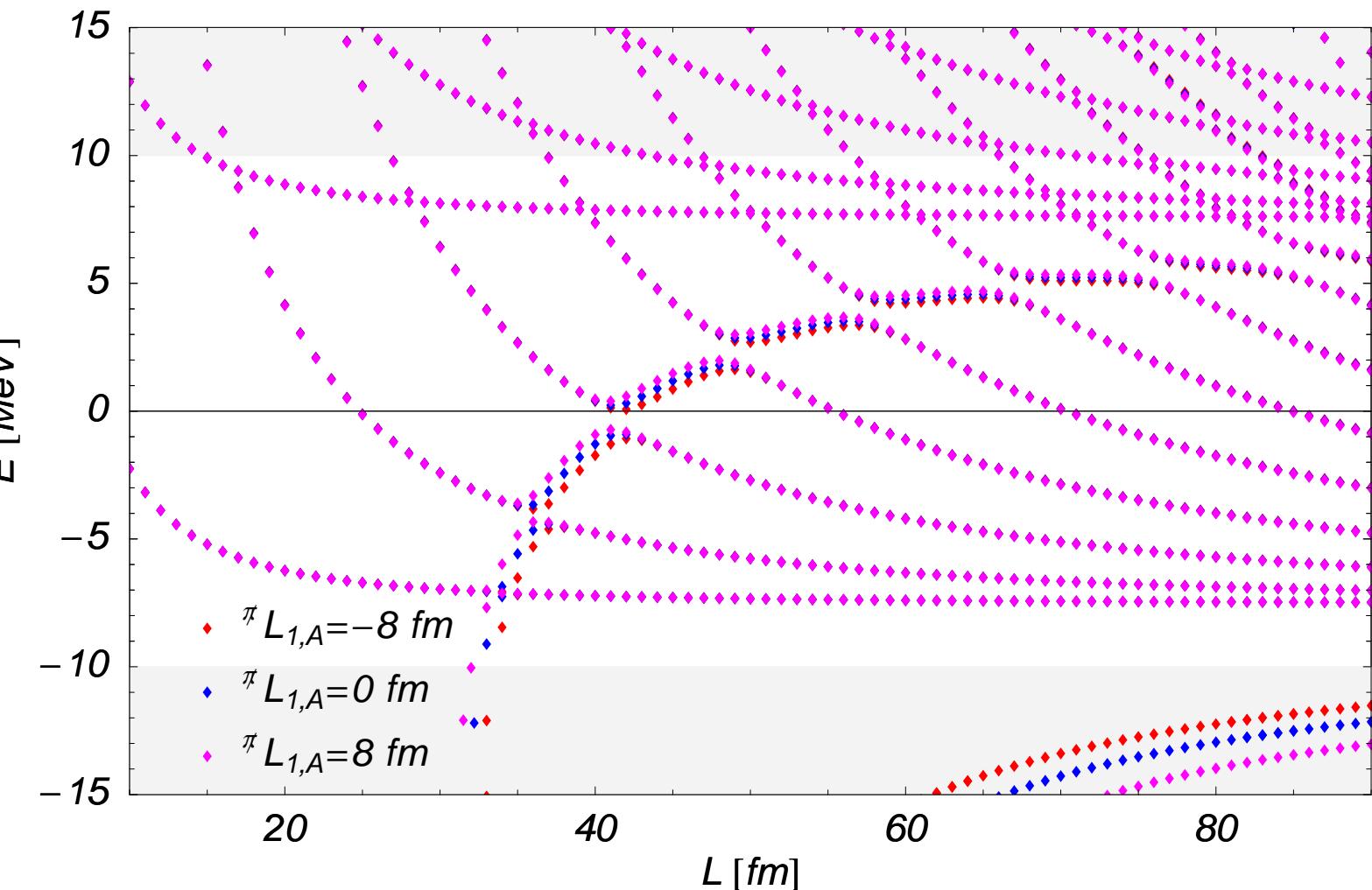
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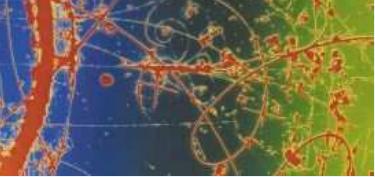
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# $m_q$ dependence of NN scattering

- Above discussion all at  $m_q \simeq m_q^{\text{phys}}$
- Explicitly makes use of a near-threshold state (large scattering lengths)
- For  $m_q = m_q^{\text{lattice}} \gg m_q^{\text{phys}}$ , scattering lengths will relax to natural size [*Beane & Savage; Epelbaum, Meißner & Glöckle*]:

$$a_{1S_0}^{-1} = \gamma + \frac{g_A^2 M}{8\pi f_\pi^2} \left[ m_\pi^2 \log \frac{\mu}{m_\pi} + (\gamma - m_\pi)^2 - (\gamma - \mu)^2 \right] - \frac{M m_\pi^2}{4\pi} (\gamma - \mu)^2 D_2(\mu) \quad [\gamma = \mu + 4\pi/M C_0(\mu)]$$

(NLO analysis)

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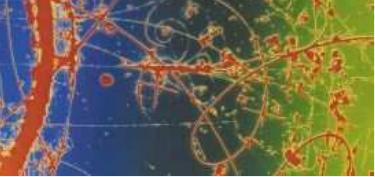
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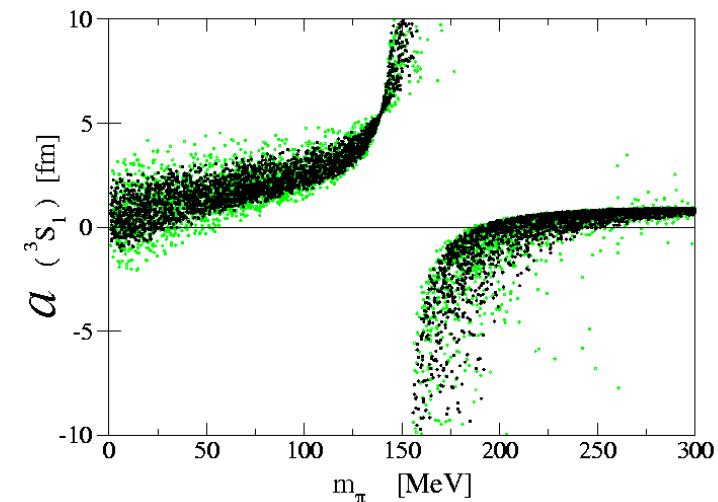
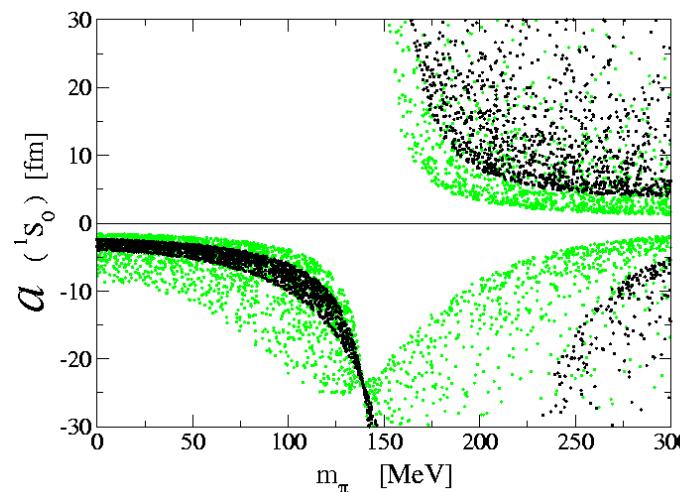
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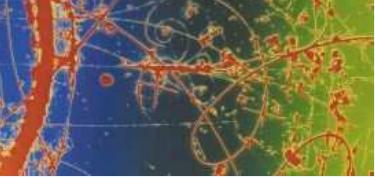
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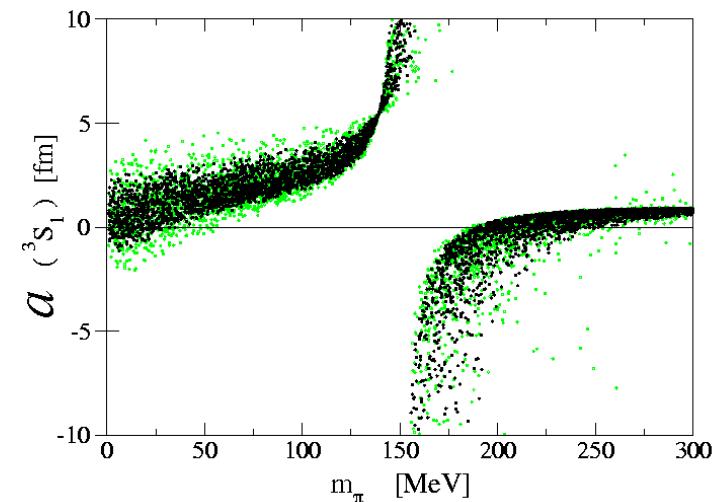
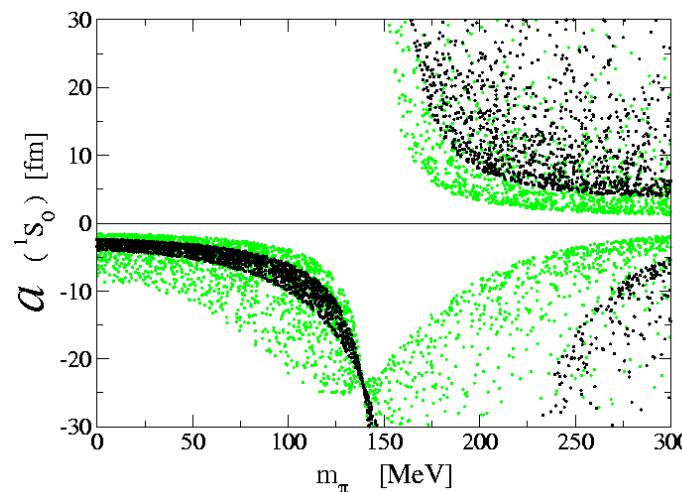
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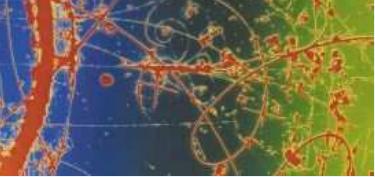
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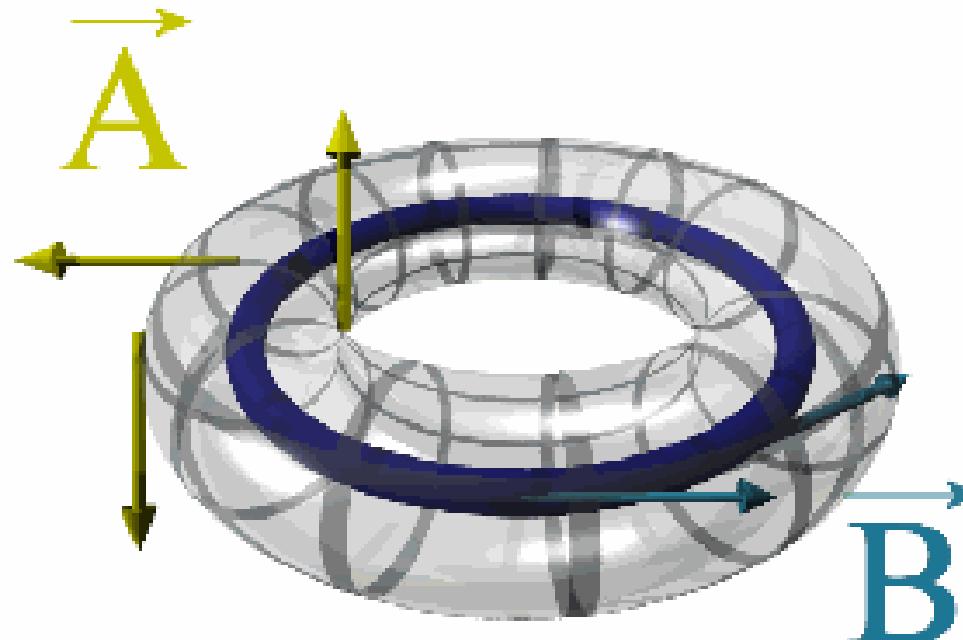


- No longer see extreme sensitivity to short-distance physics



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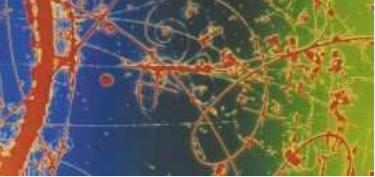
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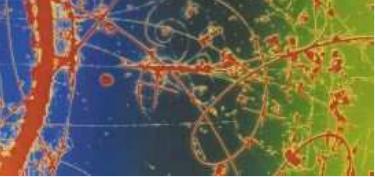
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- Equivalent to twisted boundary conditions (c.f. [Petronzio et al.])

$$q(x + \hat{\mathbf{z}}L) = \exp(i\phi/3)q(x)$$

- Phase shifts can be probed for continuous (NN COM) momenta

$$\mathbf{q} = \frac{2\pi}{L} \left( n_1, n_2, n_3 + \frac{\phi}{2\pi} \right)$$

- Allows ground state energy level to be tuned to be within range of  $\pi$ EFT for smaller lattices
- Perhaps tune  $m_q = m_q^{\text{lattice}}$  systems to large (infinite) scattering lengths too (Feshbach resonances)  $\Rightarrow$  EW properties



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- Important in hypernuclear structure and decays:  ${}^5_\Lambda \text{He}$ ,  ${}^7_\Lambda \text{Li}$ ,  ${}^{12}_\Lambda \text{C}$  [*CERN, BNL, KEK, DAΦNE*]
- Very poorly known [*CERN '60s*]

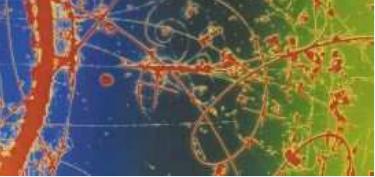
$$\begin{aligned} 0 > a_{1S_0}^\Lambda > -15 \text{ fm} & \quad 0 < r_{1S_0}^\Lambda < 15 \text{ fm} \\ -0.6 > a_{3S_1}^\Lambda > -3.2 \text{ fm} & \quad 2.5 < r_{3S_1}^\Lambda < 15 \text{ fm} \end{aligned}$$

but no reason to expect scattering lengths and effective ranges to be unnaturally large

- EFT developed [*Beane, Bedaque, Parreño & Savage*]. E.g.

$$a_{1S_0}^\Lambda = -\frac{\mu_{\Lambda N}}{2\pi} \left[ {}_{\Lambda\Lambda} C_0^{1S_0} + \dots - \frac{3g_{\Sigma\Lambda}^2 g_A^2 \mu_{\Lambda N}}{4\pi f^4} f(m_\pi, \Delta_{\Lambda\Sigma}) \right]$$

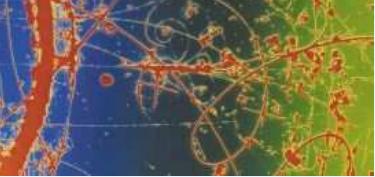
- Lattice calculation of  $\Lambda N$  energy levels (even at current masses) would improve this dramatically
- Partial-quenching might be an obstacle



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- Can use lattice QCD to calculate electroweak nuclear properties of two baryon states:
  - Measure two-nucleon energy levels in background field
  - Match  $\not{EFT}$  to energy levels to fix two-body counterterms
  - Calculate observables in  $\not{EFT}$
- Will allow extraction of NC and CC cross-sections for SNO
- Just a first step, much to be done:
  - Analyze higher orders (include Landau levels)
  - Extend to larger energies (include pions)
  - Polarisibilities
  - Three nucleon system
  - ...
- Twisted boundary conditions,  $\Lambda N$  scattering





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## Projectors

$$P_3^j = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \tau_2 \otimes \sigma_2 \sigma^j \quad P_1^a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \tau_2 \tau^a \otimes \sigma_2$$

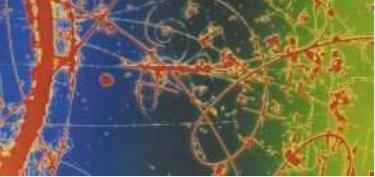
## Dibaryon formalism

$$y_{1,3}^2 = \frac{8\pi}{M^2 r_{1,3}} \quad \Delta_{1,3} = \frac{2}{Mr_{1,3}} \left( \frac{1}{a_{1,3}} - \mu \right)$$

## Binding momentum and energy of the deuteron

$$\gamma_0 - \frac{1}{a_3} - \frac{1}{2} r_3 \gamma_0^2 = 0$$

$$B = -\gamma_0^2/M$$



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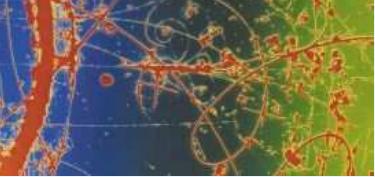
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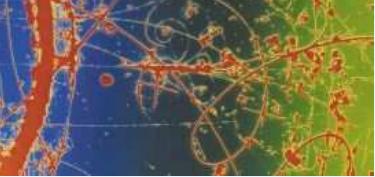
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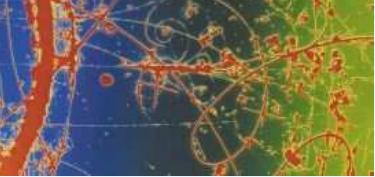
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$$\hat{H} = \frac{|\hat{\mathbf{p}}|^2}{2M} + \frac{1}{2} M \omega^2 (\hat{x}^2 + \hat{y}^2) + \frac{eB_0}{2M} \hat{l}_z \quad \omega = \left| \frac{eB_0}{2M} \right|$$

- Tower of eigenstates with energy shifts  $\sim B_0$ :

$$E_{p\uparrow}^{(n)}(B_0) = M + \frac{|eB_0|}{M} \left( n + \frac{1}{2} \right) + \frac{p_z^2}{2M} + \mu_p B_0 + 4\pi \frac{\beta_p}{2} B_0^2$$



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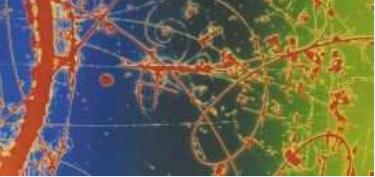
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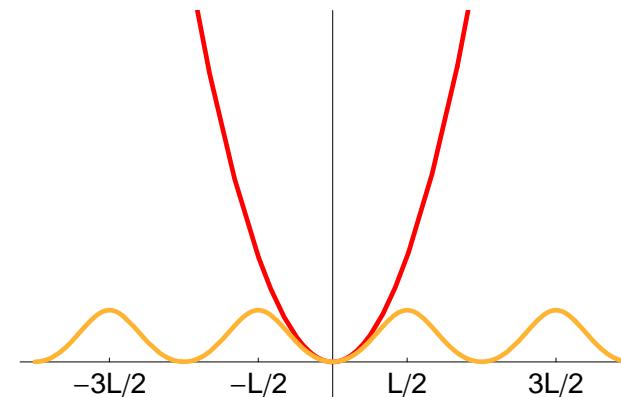
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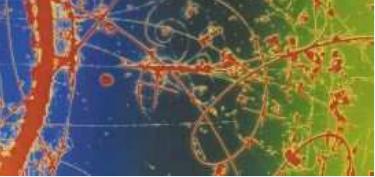
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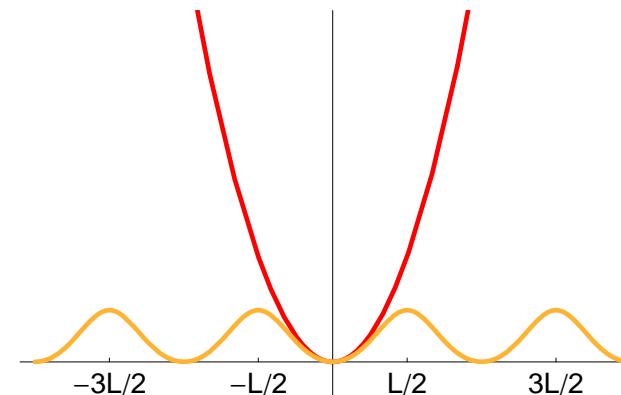
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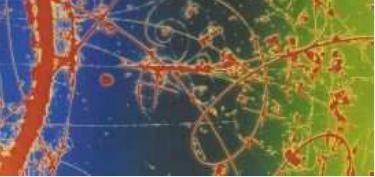
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- Need  $\Delta E_{LL}$  to be small compared to spacing of energy levels

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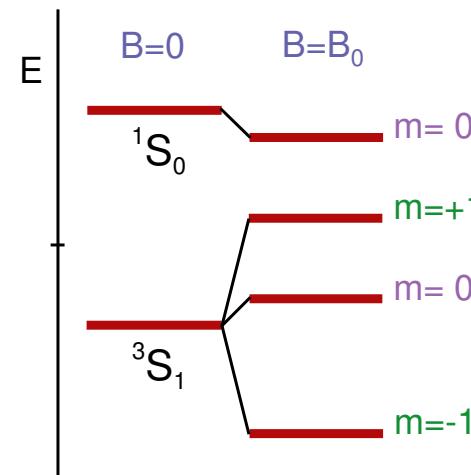
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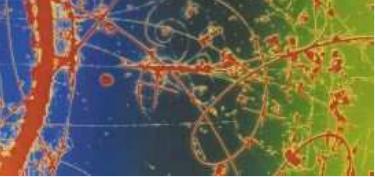
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- Magnetic fields: split two particle mass eigenstates



- Two-particle states also have Landau like effects
- Deuteron deformed
- Weak background field gives similar shifts
- No weak Landau levels



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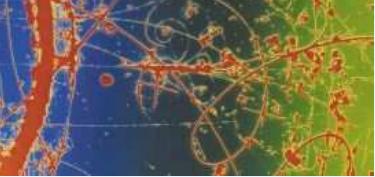
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## ■ Magnetic fields

$$U_\mu(x) \longrightarrow U_\mu^{\text{ext}}(x)U_\mu(x)$$

$$U_{0,3}^{\text{ext}}(x) = 1 \quad U_1^{\text{ext}}(x) = e^{+i\beta x_2} \quad U_2^{\text{ext}}(x) = e^{-i\beta x_1}$$

- generates  $\mathbf{B} = B_0 \mathbf{e}_z$ ,  $eB_0 a^2 \sim \beta$
- Homogeneity requires  $eB_0 A_{xy}/2\pi \in \mathbb{Z}$
- Have been used to compute:
  - Magnetic moments
  - Electric and magnetic polarisabilities
  - Neutron EDM (unsuccessfully)
- Weak background fields can be implemented: couple differently to left- and right- chirality quarks
  - eg: DW fermions with background field varying in 5th direction
  - used in first calculation of  $g_A$



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## ■ Magnetic field introduce a problem: Landau levels

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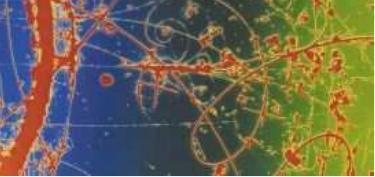
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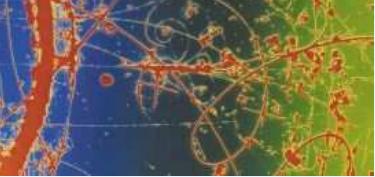
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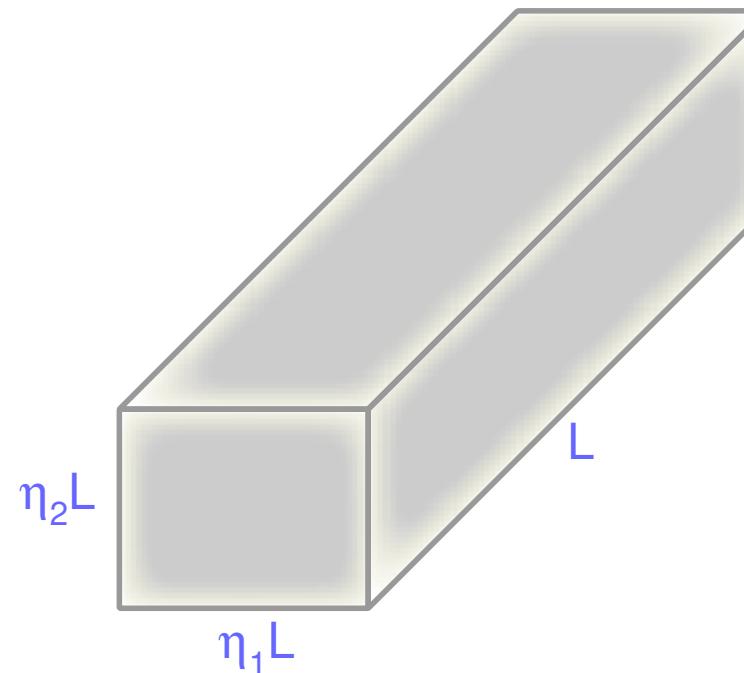
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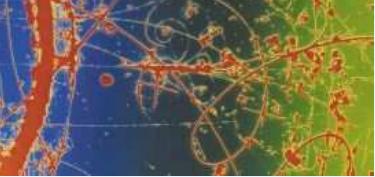
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- Small transverse directions ( $\sim 4$  fm) move Landau levels up in spectrum
  - Low lying excitations are all longitudinal



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## ■ Momentum mode sum:

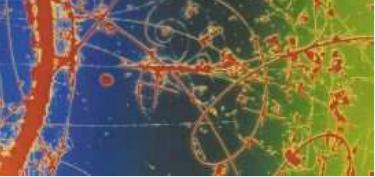
$$S(\tilde{p}^2) \longrightarrow S(\tilde{p}^2; \eta_1, \eta_2) = \frac{1}{\eta_1 \eta_2} \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{n}}}^{\Lambda_n} \frac{1}{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 - \tilde{p}^2} - 4\pi \Lambda_n$$

where

$$\tilde{\mathbf{n}} = \left( \frac{1}{\eta_1} n_1, \frac{1}{\eta_2} n_2, n_3 \right)$$

## ■ Energy levels now given by eigenvalues of

$$p \cot \delta(p) - \frac{1}{\pi L} S(\tilde{p}^2; \eta_1, \eta_2) = 0$$



# Integral representation of $\zeta$ functions

- Momentum mode sums are slowly convergent (or divergent)

$$S(\tilde{p}^2; \eta_1, \eta_2; s) = \sum_{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 \neq \tilde{p}^2} \frac{1}{(|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 - \tilde{p}^2)^s}$$

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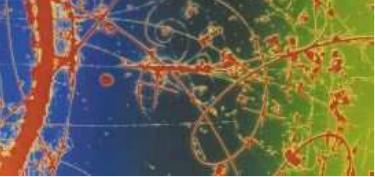
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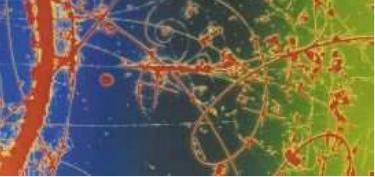
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- Using Poisson summation formula  $\implies$

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where  $n_{\text{deg}}(\eta_1, \eta_2) = \sum_{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 = \tilde{p}^2}$  and  $|\bar{\mathbf{n}}|^2 = \eta_1^2 n_1^2 + \eta_2^2 n_2^2 + n_3^2$

- Remaining sums converge exponentially



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■ Asymptotic expansions are simple generalisations

■ Bound states:

$$E_{-1}^{(3S_1)} = \frac{\gamma_0^2}{M} \left[ 1 + \frac{4}{\gamma_0 L (1 - \gamma_0 r_3)} \left( e^{-\gamma_0 L} + \frac{e^{-\gamma_0 \eta_1 L}}{\eta_1} + \frac{e^{-\gamma_0 \eta_2 L}}{\eta_2} \right) \right]$$

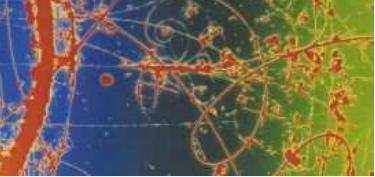
■ Lowest continuum [ $\mathbf{p} = (0, 0, 0)$ ]

$$E_0 = \frac{4\pi a}{\eta_1 \eta_2 M L^3} \left[ 1 - c_1(\eta_1, \eta_2) \left( \frac{a}{L} \right) + c_2(\eta_1, \eta_2) \left( \frac{a}{L} \right)^2 + \dots \right]$$

■ Second continuum [ $\mathbf{p} = (0, 0, \pm \frac{2\pi}{L})$  for  $\eta_{1,2} \leq 1$ ]

$$E_1 = \frac{4\pi^2}{ML^2} - \frac{4d \tan \hat{\delta}}{\eta_1 \eta_2 M L^2} \left[ 1 + c'_1(\eta_1, \eta_2) \tan \hat{\delta} + c'_2(\eta_1, \eta_2) \tan^2 \hat{\delta} + \dots \right]$$

$[\hat{\delta} = \delta(|\mathbf{p}|^2 = 4\pi^2/L^2), \text{ and } d \text{ is a degeneracy factor}]$



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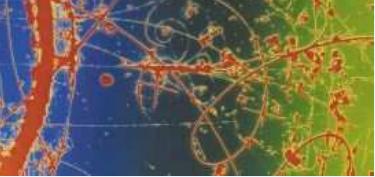
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$$c_1(\eta_1, \eta_2) = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{1}{\eta_1 \eta_2} \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{n}} \neq 0}^{\Lambda_n} \frac{1}{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2} - 4\pi \Lambda_n \right)$$

$$c_2(\eta_1, \eta_2) = c_1^2(\eta_1, \eta_2) - \frac{1}{\pi^2 \eta_1^2 \eta_2^2} \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{n}} \neq 0}^{\Lambda_n} \frac{1}{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^4}$$

$$c'_1(\eta_1, \eta_2) = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{\eta_1 \eta_2} \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{n}} \neq 1}^{\Lambda_n} \frac{1}{|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 - 1} - 4\pi \Lambda_n \right)$$

$$c'_2(\eta_1, \eta_2) = (c'_1(\eta_1, \eta_2))^2 - \frac{1}{2\pi^4 \eta_1^2 \eta_2^2} \sum_{\tilde{\mathbf{n}} \neq 1}^{\Lambda_n} \frac{1}{(|\tilde{\mathbf{n}}|^2 - 1)^2}$$



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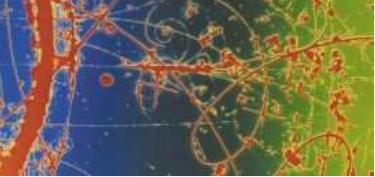
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0.1 , 0.1	65.7171	2111.12	-3.60224	-52.944	1
0.2 , 0.2	6.67861	-99.6627	-2.3242	0.950737	1
0.5 , 0.5	-3.61168	6.65945	0.73400	0.24642	1
1 , 1	-2.837297	6.375183	-0.061367	-0.354156	3
2 , 2	-1.466654	1.278623			2
2 , 1	-1.805872	1.664979			1
1.5 , 1.25	-2.200918	3.647224			1



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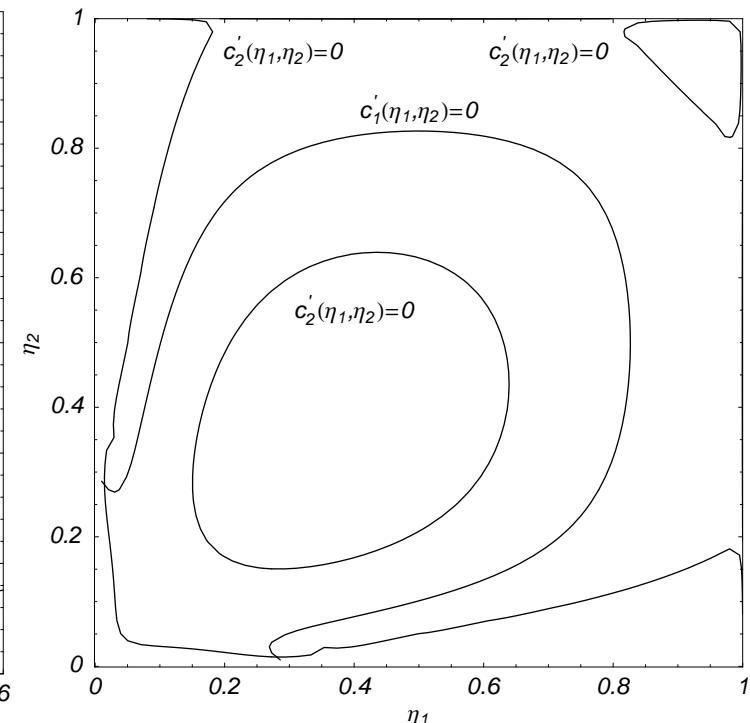
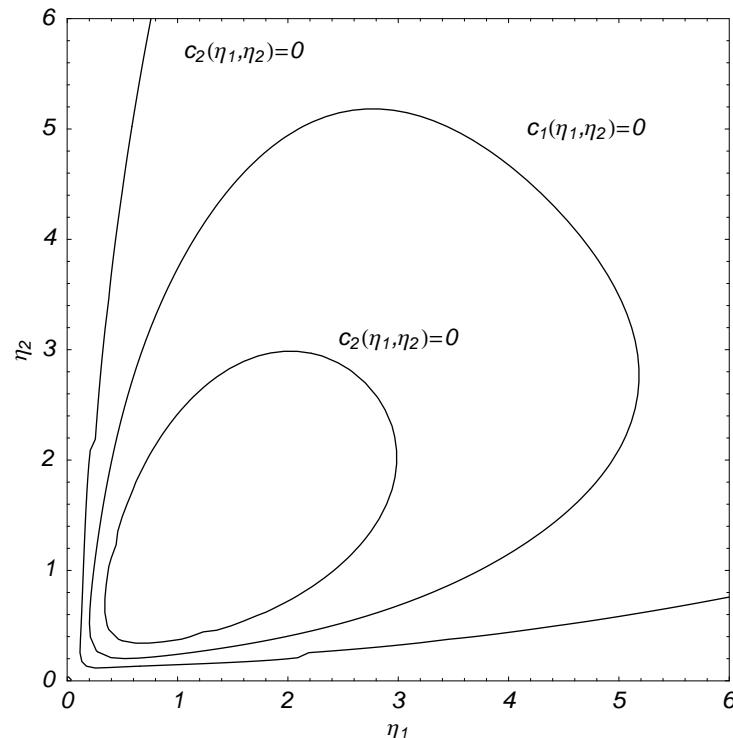
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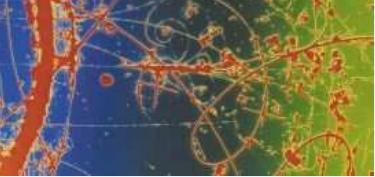
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■ Can find magic boxes such that subleading finite volume effects are suppressed:  $c_i^{(1)}(\eta_1 \eta_2) = 0$





# $\Lambda_Q \Lambda_Q$ potential

- For infinitely heavy  $Qqq$  baryons, a potential is well-defined
- LHP collaboration will hopefully measure it ( $Q\bar{q} - Q\bar{q}$  already studied [*Richards et al.; Markum et al.*])
- NLO pionful EFT analysis [*Arndt, Beane & Savage '03*]

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