

Lattice QCD

at Finite Isospin Chemical Potential



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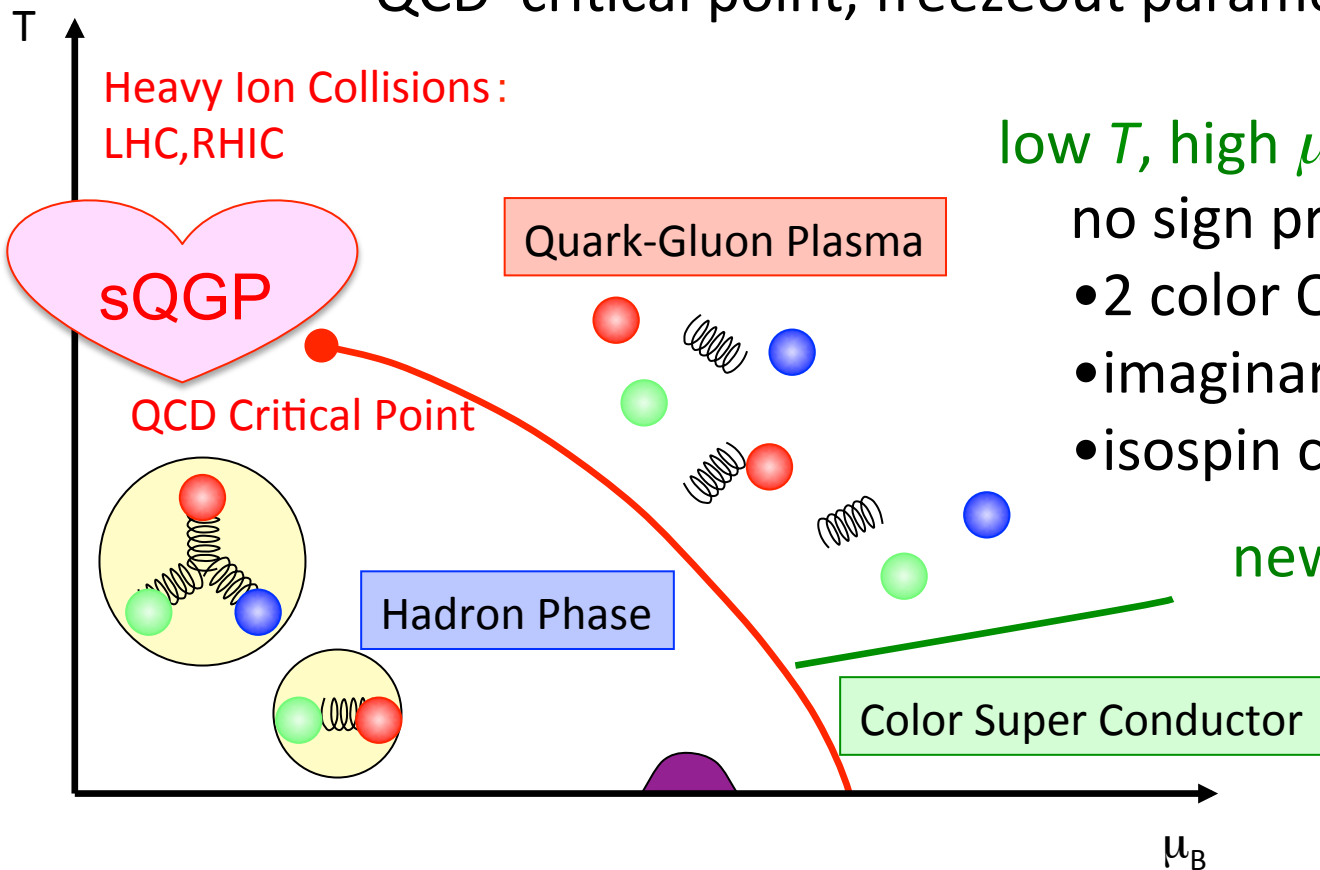
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Introduction

- Finite density lattice QCD - sign problem

high T , low μ : reweighting method, Taylor expansion...

QCD critical point, freezeout parameters, fluctuations...



low T , high μ : QCD like theories

no sign problem

- 2 color QCD

- imaginary chemical potential

- isospin chemical potential

new development :

complex Langevin

etc.

Finite Isospin Chemical Potential

- Core of neutron stars ?

$$\mu_u = \mu + \mu_I$$

$$\mu_d = \mu - \mu_I$$

$\mu_I > 0$: $\mu_u > \mu_d$, positive charge

$\mu_I < 0$: $\mu_u < \mu_d$, negative charge

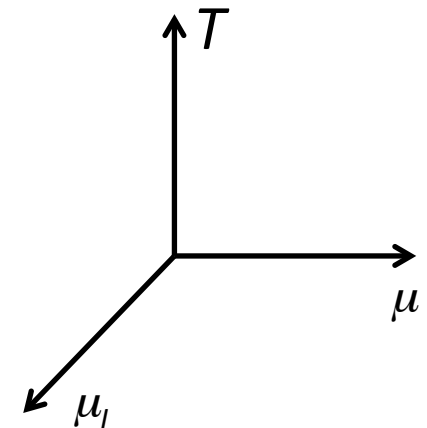
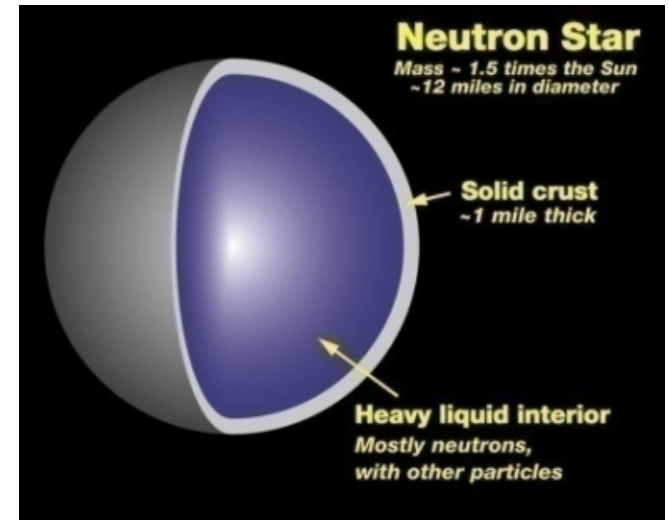
pion condensation occurs at $\mu_{IC} = \frac{1}{2}m_\pi$ (lowest meson mass)

rho condensation ?

strangeness: kaon condensation? hyperons?

- Insight of finite chemical potential

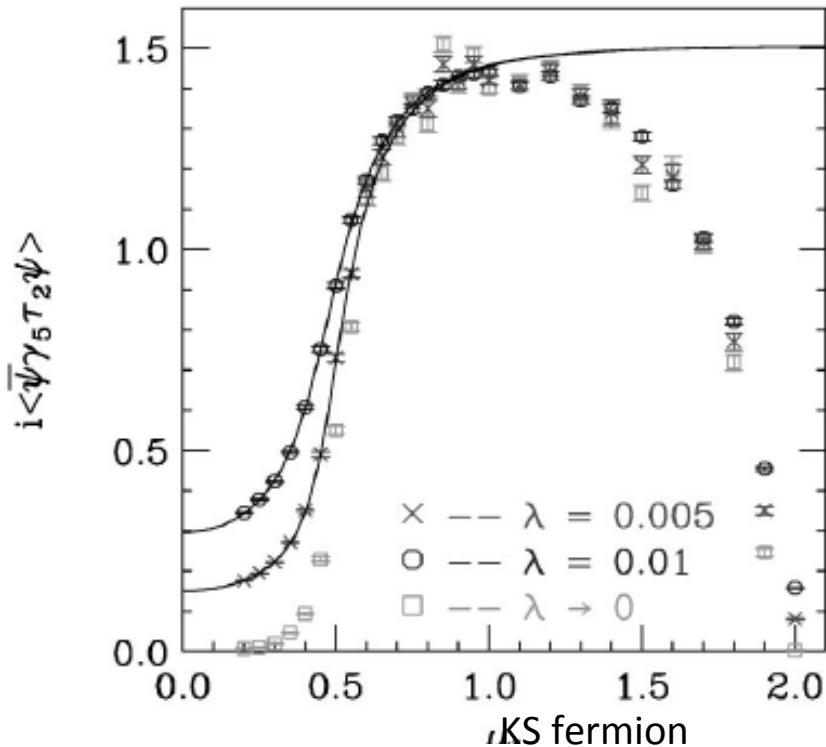
– Phase diagram as a function of T , μ and μ_I



Pion Condensation on the lattice

charged pion condensation

SU(3) $N_f=2$ $\beta=4.0$ $m=0.05$ $8^3 \times 4$ lattice



J.B.Kogut, D.K.Sinclair

Phys rev.D66,034505(2002)

Questions?

μ_1 dependence of m_π, m_ρ ?
 π condensation?
 ρ condensation?

Introduction of μ_1

- 2 flavor fermion action (Wilson fermion)

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_F &= \bar{\Psi}[\gamma_\mu D_\mu + m_q + \mu\gamma_4 \frac{\tau^3}{2} + i\lambda\gamma_5 \frac{\tau^2}{2}]\Psi \\
 &= \bar{\Psi} \begin{pmatrix} D(\mu) & \lambda\gamma_5 \\ -\lambda\gamma_5 & D(-\mu) \end{pmatrix} \Psi \\
 &= \bar{\Psi} D(U) \Psi
 \end{aligned}
 \qquad D(\mu) = \gamma_\mu D_\mu + m_q + \frac{\mu}{2}\gamma_4$$

τ^2, τ^3 : Pauli matrix

- $\bar{\Psi} [i\lambda\gamma_5 \frac{\tau^2}{2}] \Psi$
 - λ : explicit I_3 breaking parameter
 - positivity of $\det D(U)$ \longleftrightarrow sign problem at finite μ
 $\det D(U) = \det [D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2]$
 - Hybrid Monte Carlo method
 - observables: $\lambda \longrightarrow 0$

Hybrid Monte Carlo

- Hybrid Monte Carlo method

Partition function

$$Z = \int D\phi^* D\phi DU e^{-S_G + S_F}$$

$$S_F = \phi^\dagger D^{-1} (D^\dagger)^{-1} \phi$$

ϕ : pseudo fermion field



P : conjugate momentum of U

$$Z = \int DPDU \exp \left\{ - \left(\frac{1}{2} P^2 + S_G + S_F \right) \right\}$$

Hamiltonian: H

Hamilton equation

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dA_l}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial P_l} \\ \frac{dP_l}{dt} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial A_l} \end{cases} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{dU}{dt} = iPU \\ \frac{dP_l}{dt} = -\frac{\partial S_G}{\partial A_l} - \frac{\partial S_F}{\partial A_l} \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{\partial S_F}{\partial A_l} = -\eta^\dagger \frac{\partial D}{\partial A_l} X - X^\dagger \frac{\partial D^\dagger}{\partial A_l} \eta$$

where

$$\eta = (D^\dagger)^{-1} \phi, X = D^{-1} \eta$$

Inverse of fermion matrix

HMC with μ_1

- Fermion matrix: $D = D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2$

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial S_F}{\partial A} = & -\frac{1}{2} \left[-i\kappa_\lambda^+ T\{(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda(x)Q(x, x + \lambda)\} + i\kappa_\lambda^- T\{Q(x + \lambda, x)(r + \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} \right] \quad \text{X U } \eta \\ & + i\kappa_\lambda^+ T\{Q(x + \lambda, x)(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} - i\kappa_\lambda^- T\{(r + \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda(x)Q(x, x + \lambda)\} \\ & - i\kappa_\lambda^+ \kappa_\nu^+ T\{(r - \gamma_\nu)U_\nu(x)Q(x + \lambda, x + \nu)(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} \\ & + i\kappa_\mu^+ \kappa_\lambda^+ T\{(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda(x)Q(x + \mu, x + \lambda)(r - \gamma_\mu)U_\mu^\dagger(x)\} \\ & - i\kappa_\lambda^+ \kappa_\nu^- T\{(r + \gamma_\nu)U_\nu^\dagger(x - \nu)Q(x + \lambda, x - \nu)(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} \\ & - i\kappa_\mu^+ \kappa_\lambda^- T\{Q(x + \mu + \lambda, x)(r - \gamma_\mu)(r + \gamma_\lambda)U_\mu^\dagger(x + \lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} \\ & + i\kappa_\lambda^- \kappa_\nu^+ T\{(r + \gamma_\lambda)(r - \gamma_\nu)U_\lambda(x)U_\nu(x + \lambda)Q(x, x + \lambda + \nu)\} \\ & + i\kappa_\mu^- \kappa_\lambda^+ T\{(r - \gamma_\lambda)U_\lambda(x)Q(x - \mu, x + \lambda)(r + \gamma_\mu)U_\mu(x - \mu)\} \\ & + i\kappa_\lambda^- \kappa_\nu^- T\{(r + \gamma_\lambda)(r + \gamma_\nu)U_\lambda(x)U_\nu^\dagger(x + \lambda - \nu)Q(x, x + \lambda - \nu)\} \\ & - i\kappa_\mu^- \kappa_\lambda^- T\{Q(x - \mu + \lambda, x)(r + \gamma_\mu)(r + \gamma_\lambda)U_\mu(x - \mu + \lambda)U_\lambda^\dagger(x)\} \end{aligned}$$

Observables

- Propagators of π and ρ

pion operator: $\pi^a = \bar{\psi} \gamma_5 \tau^a \psi \quad a = 0, +, -$

pion propagator:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \pi^a(x) \pi^b(y) \rangle &= \langle \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma_5 \tau^a \psi(x) \bar{\psi}(y) \gamma_5 \tau^b \psi(y) \rangle \\ &= \int dU \det D(U) e^{-S_{\text{gauge}}(U)} [-\text{Tr}\{\gamma_5 \tau^a D^{-1}(U)_{xy} \gamma_5 \tau^b D^{-1}(U)_{yx}\} \\ &\quad + \text{Tr}\{\gamma_5 \tau^a D^{-1}(U)_{xx}\} \cdot \text{Tr}\{\gamma_5 \tau^b D^{-1}(U)_{yy}\}] \end{aligned}$$

Tr: color, dirac

Rho operator: $\rho^a = \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu \tau^a \psi$ rho propagator: $\langle \rho^a(x) \rho^b(y) \rangle$

- $D^{-1}(U)$ ← source term for isospin chemical potential

$$D^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} (D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) & -\lambda (D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \gamma_5 \\ \lambda \gamma_5 D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^{-1}(\mu) & \gamma_5 D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu)D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \gamma_5 \end{pmatrix}$$

Isospin chemical potential affects propagators of π and ρ .

Propagators for π and ρ

- Pion

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \pi^-(x) \pi^+(y) \rangle &= -\text{Tr} \left[\left\{ D(\mu) (D(\mu) D^\dagger(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \right\}_{xy} \left\{ (D(\mu) D^\dagger(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) \right\}_{yx} \right] \\ \langle \pi^+(x) \pi^-(y) \rangle &= -\text{Tr} \left[\left\{ (D(\mu) D^\dagger(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) \right\}_{xy} \left\{ D(\mu) (D(\mu) D^\dagger(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \right\}_{yx} \right] \\ \langle \pi^0(x) \pi^0(y) \rangle &= -\frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left[\gamma_5 \left\{ (D^\dagger(\mu) D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) \right\}_{xy} \gamma_5 \left\{ (D^\dagger(\mu) D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) \right\}_{yx} \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \left\{ D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu) D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \right\}_{xy} \gamma_5 \left\{ D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu) D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \gamma_5 \right\}_{yx} \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left[\gamma_5 (D^\dagger(\mu) (D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) - D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu) (D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \gamma_5) \right]_{xx} \\ &\quad \times \text{Tr} \left[\gamma_5 (D^\dagger(\mu) (D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} D^\dagger(\mu) - D(\mu) (D^\dagger(\mu) (D(\mu) + \lambda^2)^{-1} \gamma_5) \right]_{yy} \end{aligned}$$

Disconnected diagram

At finite isospin chemical potential

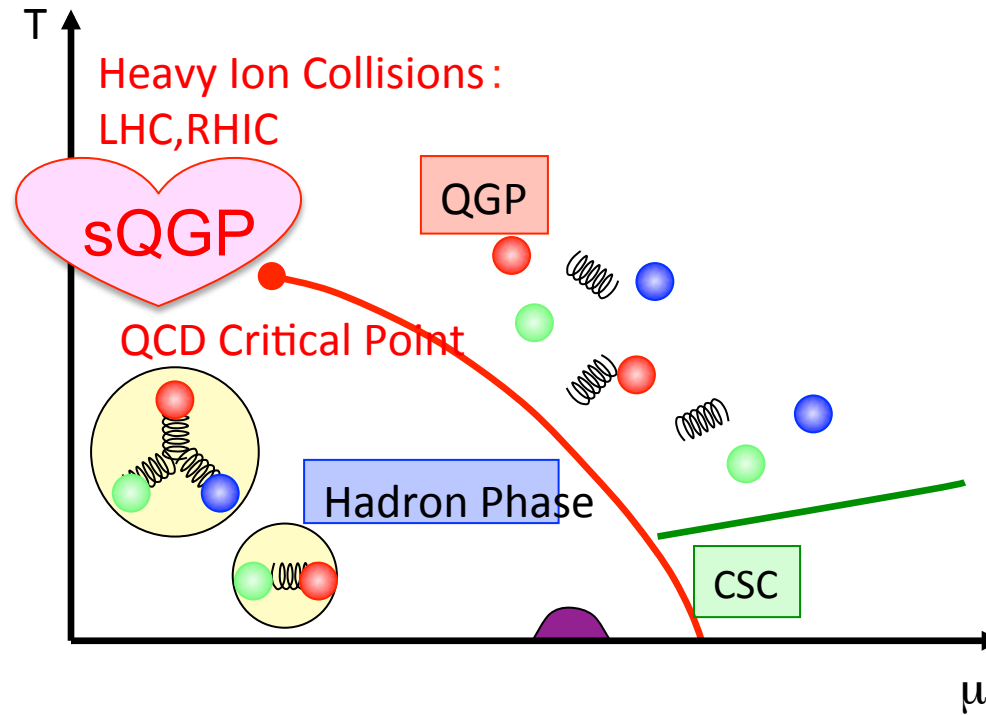
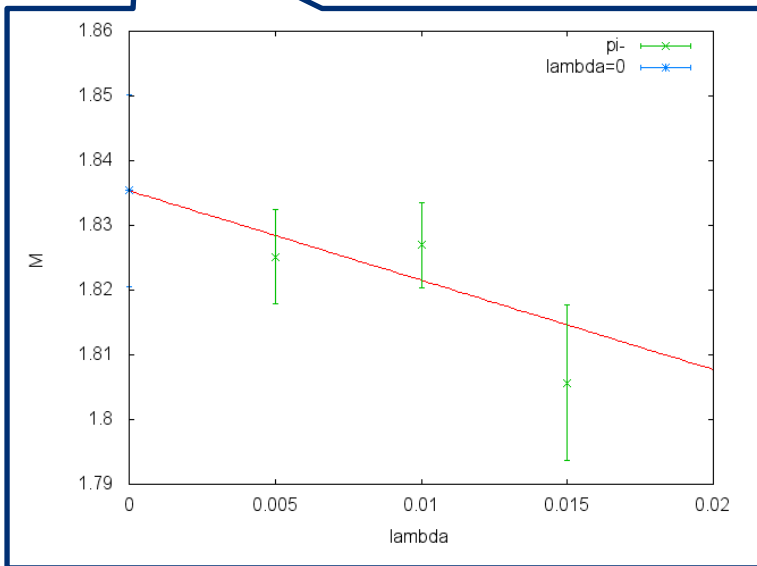
π^+ , π^- : different response

π^0 : contribution from disconnected diagrams appear.

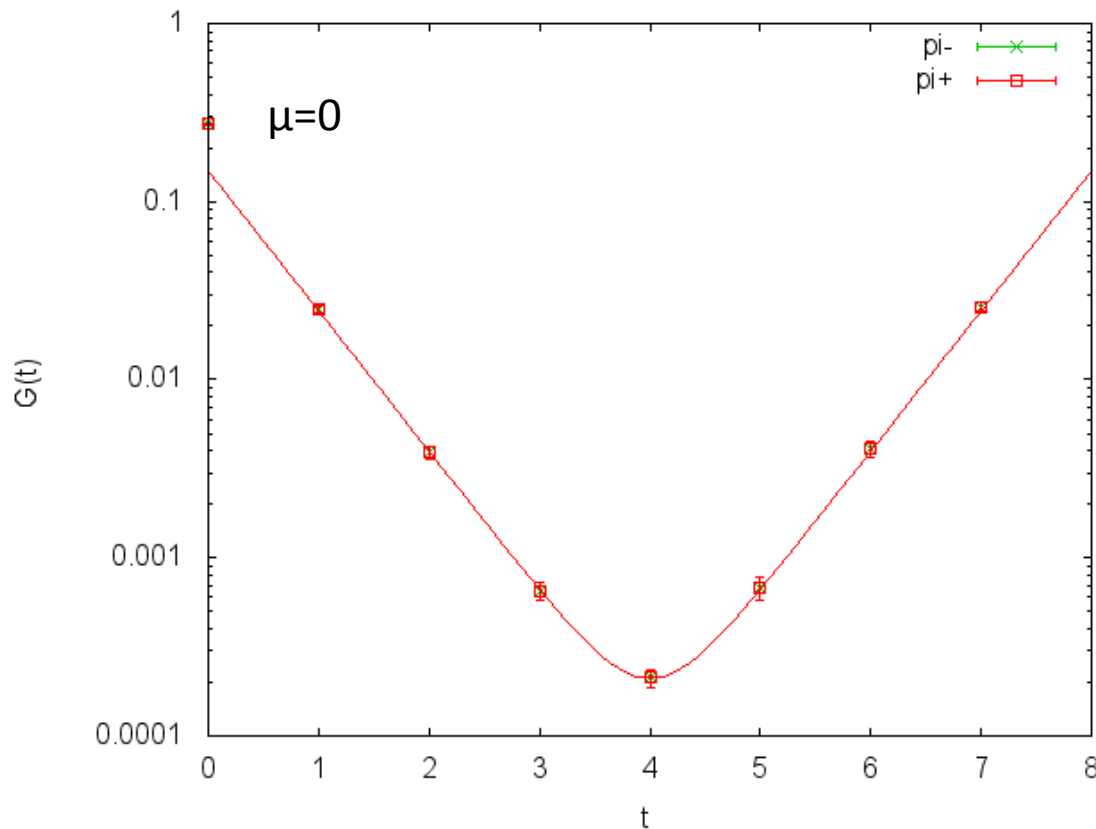
Parameters

- Wilson fermion

- lattice size: $4^3 \times 8$
- $\kappa=1.6$
- $\beta=4.0$
- $\mu=0 \sim 0.8$
- $\lambda=0.005 \sim 0.015 (\mu \geq 0.3)$



μ_1 Effect on Pion Correlators



- $\mu_1=0$
The propagator of π^+ is identical with that of π^- .

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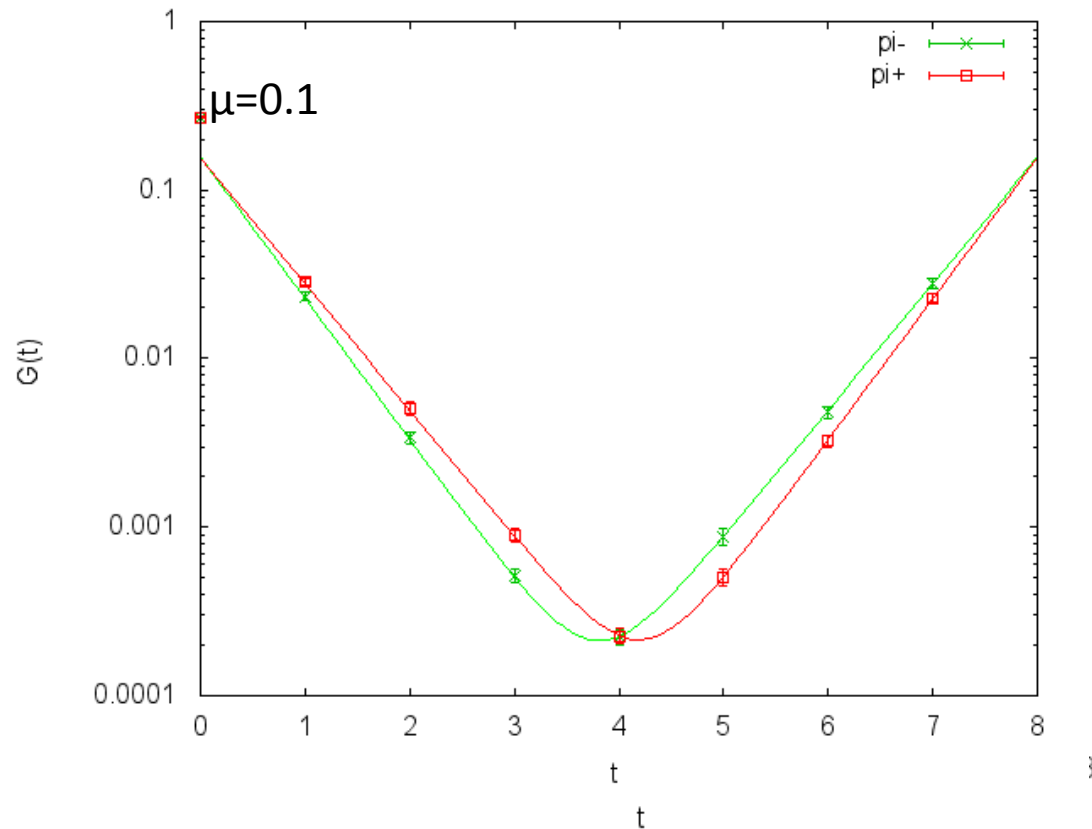
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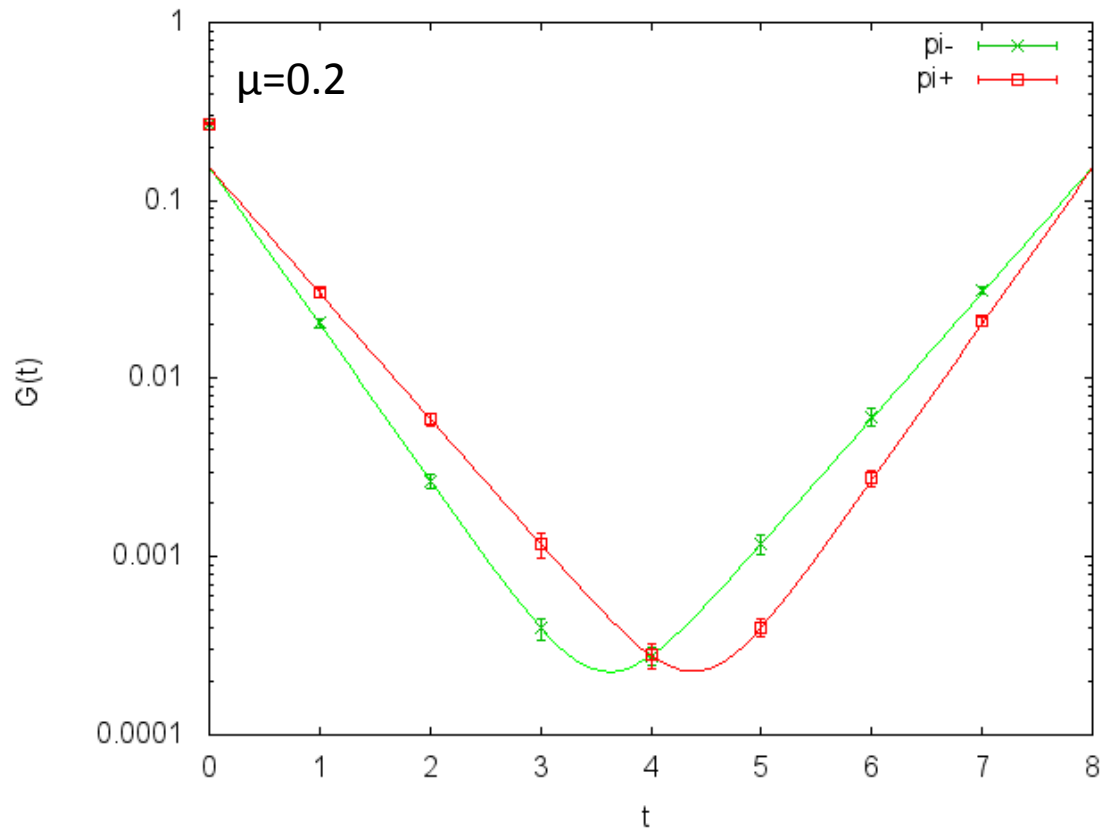
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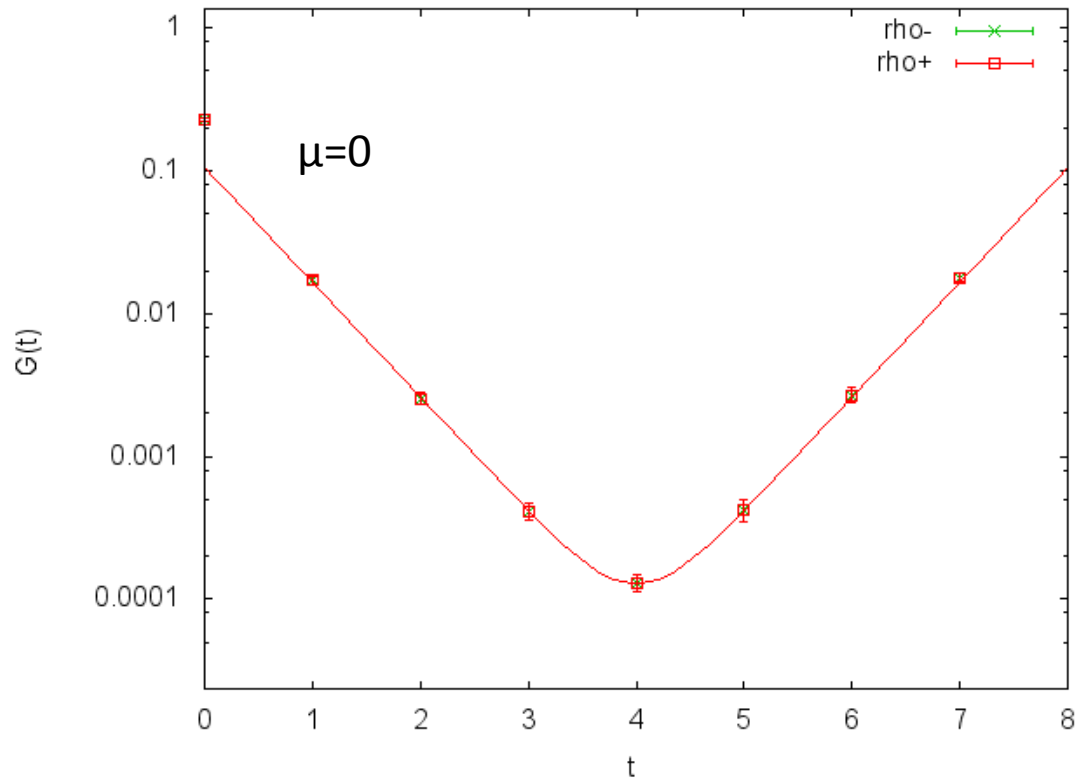
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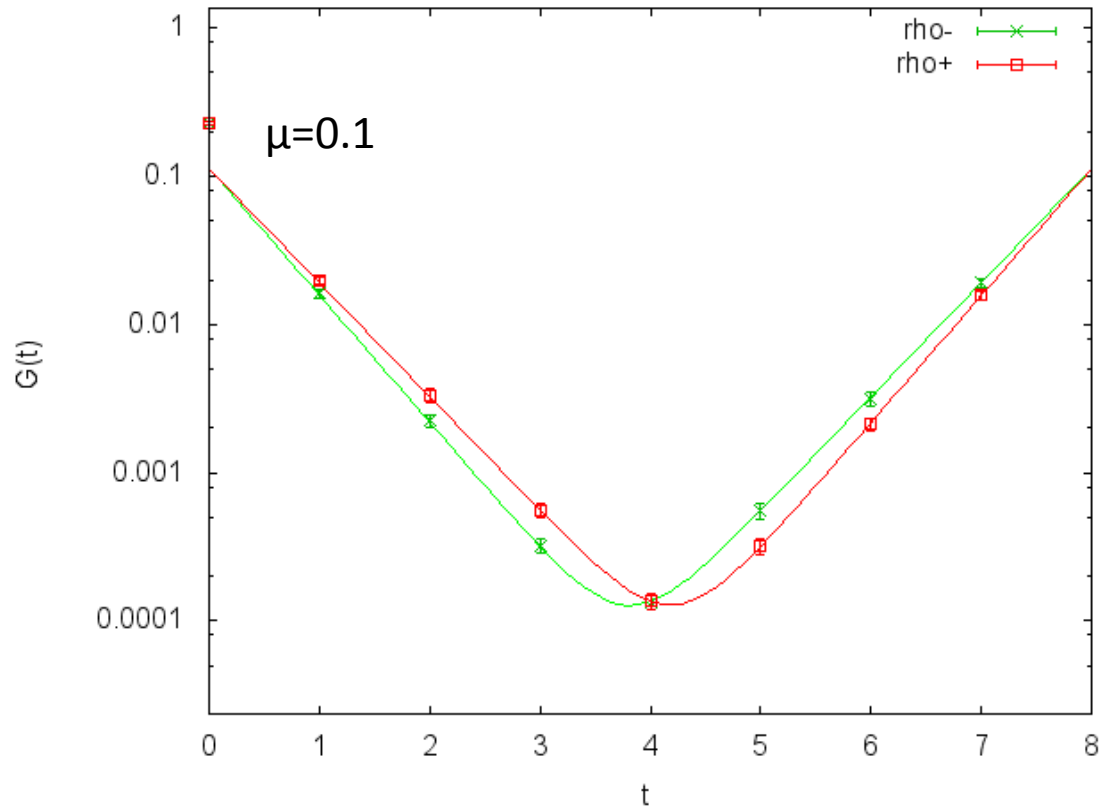
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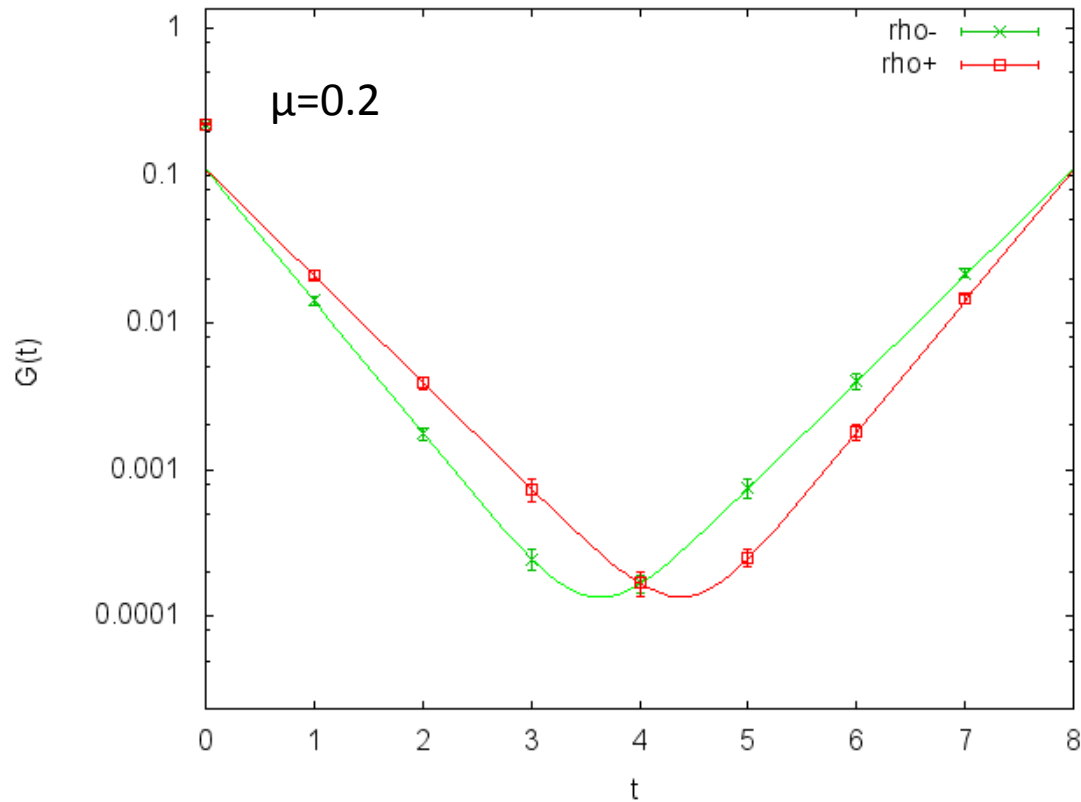
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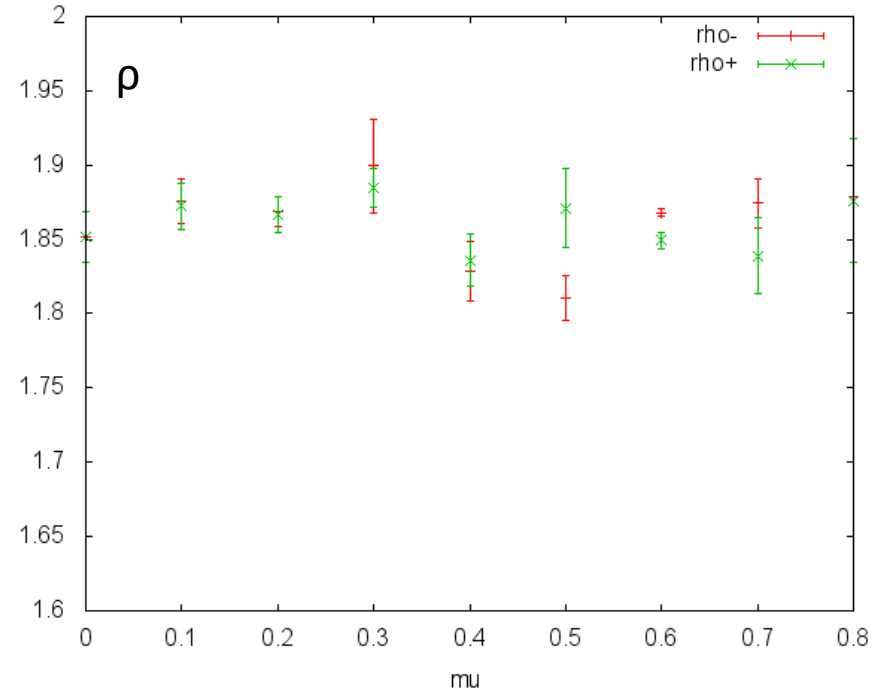
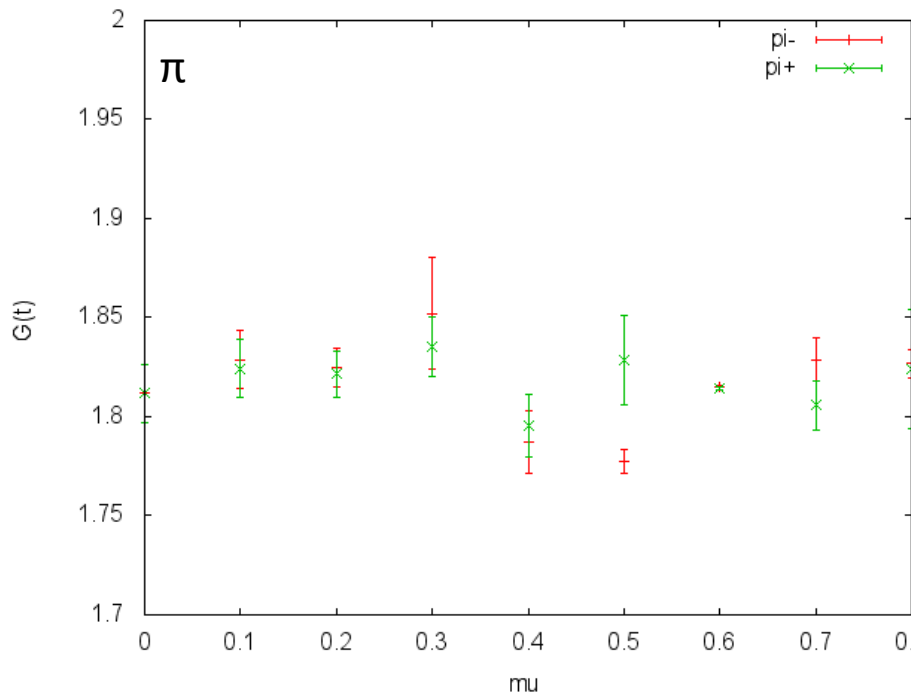
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Isospin Chemical Potential Dependence



- heavy quark mass
- higher μ_1

Summary

- Isospin chemical potential dependence of m_π and m_ρ
 - Introduction of isospin chemical potential to HMC
 - Pion and rho propagators with finite μ_1
 - Isospin chemical potential dependence of m_π and m_ρ
 - pion (rho) condensation?
- Work in progress
 - Larger lattice size, high μ_1 and light quark mass
 - π condensation, ρ condensation $\longleftrightarrow m_\pi, m_\rho$
 - Temperature dependence