

Non-Abelian dual Meissner effect and confinement/deconfinement phase transition in SU(3) Yang-Mills theory

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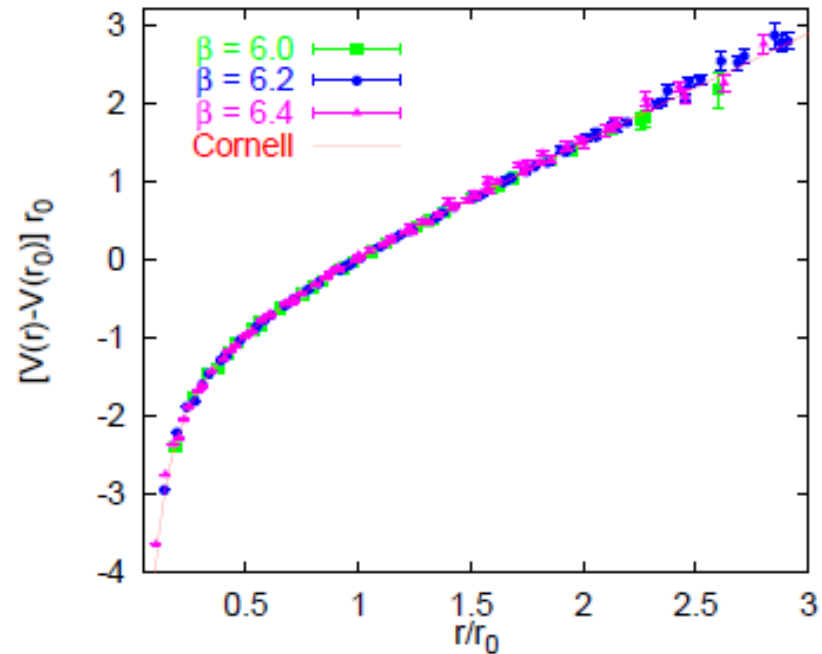
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Plan of the talk

- Introduction
- A new formulation of Yang-Mills theory on a lattice
- lattice measurement at zero temperature (quick review)
- lattice measurement at finite temperature
 - Restricted field dominance
 - Measurement of flux tube in deconfinement phase
- summary

Introduction

- Quark confinement follows from the area law of the Wilson loop average [Wilson,1974]
- The **dual superconductivity** is a promising mechanism for quark confinement. [Y.Nambu (1974). G. 't Hooft, (1975). S. Mandelstam, (1976) A.M. Polyakov, (1975). Nucl. Phys. B 120, 429(1977).]



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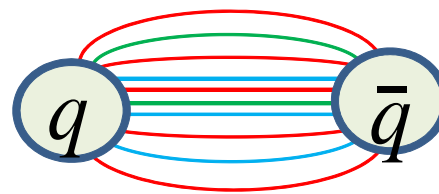
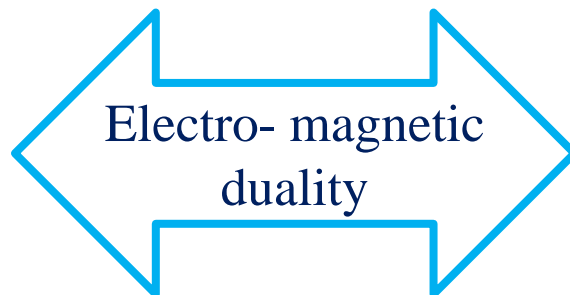
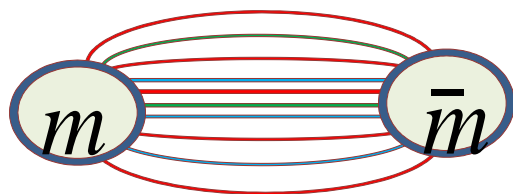
dual superconductivity

superconductor

- Condensation of electric charges (Cooper pairs)
- Meissner effect:
Abrikosov string
(magnetic flux tube)
connecting monopole and anti-monopole
- ◆ Linear potential between monopoles

dual superconductor

- Condensation of magnetic monopoles
- Dual Meissner effect:
formation of a hadron string (chromo-electric flux tube) connecting quark and antiquark
- ◆ Linear potential between quarks



The evidence for dual superconductivity

To establish the dual superconductivity picture, we must show that **the magnetic monopole plays a dominant role for quark confinement:**

Many preceding studies based on the **Abelian projection**: $U_{x,\mu} = X_{x,\mu} V_{x,\mu}$
The gauge link is decomposed into the Abelian (diagonal) part V and the remainder (off-diagonal) part X

- Abelian dominance in the string tension [Suzuki & Yotsuyanagi, 1990]
- Abelian magnetic monopole dominance in the string tension [Stack, Neiman and Wensley, 1994][Shiba & Suzuki, 1994]
- Measurement of (Abelian) dual Meissner effect
- ◆ Observation of chromo-electric flux tubes and Magnetic current due to chromo-electric flux[]
- ◆ Type the super conductor is the order between Type I and Type II [Y.Matsubara, et.al. 1994]

◆ These are only obtained in the case of **special gauge** such as maximal Abelian gauge (MAG), and gauge fixing **breaks the gauge symmetry as well as color symmetry (global symmetry).**

A new lattice formulation

- *We have presented a new lattice formulation of Yang-Mills theory, that can establish “Abelian” dominance and magnetic monopole dominance in the gauge independent way (gauge-invariant way)*

We have proposed the decomposition of gauge link,

$$U_{x,\mu} = X_{x,\mu} V_{x,\mu}$$

which can extract the relevant mode V for quark confinement.

- For SU(2) case, the decomposition is a lattice compact representation of the *Cho-Duan-Ge-Faddeev-Niemi-Shabanov (CDGFNS) decomposition*.
- For SU(N) case, the formulation is the extension of the SU(2) case.

The path integral formulation in continuum theory by Kondo-Murakami-Shinohara;

SU(2) case: Eur. Phys. J. C 42, 475 (2005), Prog. Theor. Phys. 115, 201 (2006).

SU(N) case: Prog.Theor. Phys. 120, 1 (2008)

A new formulation of Yang-Mills theory (on a lattice)

Decomposition of SU(N) gauge links

- The decomposition as the extension of the SU(2) case.
- For SU(N) YM gauge link, there are several possible options of decomposition *discriminated by its stability groups*:
 - SU(2) Yang-Mills link variables: unique $U(1) \subset SU(2)$
 - SU(3) Yang-Mills link variables: **Two options**
 - maximal option** : $U(1) \times U(1) \subset SU(3)$
 - ✓ Maximal case is a **gauge invariant version of Abelian projection** in the maximal Abelian (MA) gauge. (the maximal torus group)
 - minimal option** : $U(2) \cong SU(2) \times U(1) \subset SU(3)$
 - ✓ Minimal case is derived for the Wilson loop, defined for quark in **the fundamental representation**, which follows from the non-Abelian Stokes' theorem

The decomposition of SU(3) link variable: **minimal option**

$$W_C[U] := \text{Tr} \left[P \prod_{\langle x, x+\mu \rangle \in C} U_{x,\mu} \right] / \text{Tr}(\mathbf{1})$$

$$U_{x,\mu} = X_{x,\mu} V_{x,\mu}$$

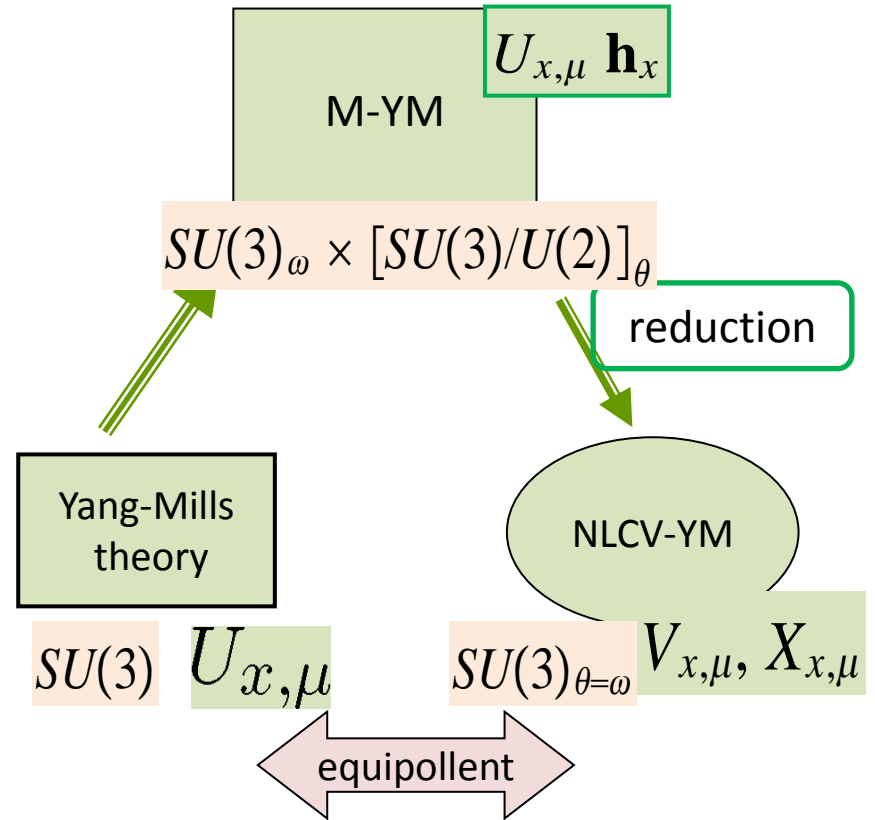
$$U_{x,\mu} \rightarrow U'_{x,\mu} = \Omega_x U_{x,\mu} \Omega_{x+\mu}^\dagger$$

$$V_{x,\mu} \rightarrow V'_{x,\mu} = \Omega_x V_{x,\mu} \Omega_{x+\mu}^\dagger$$

$$X_{x,\mu} \rightarrow X'_{x,\mu} = \Omega_x X_{x,\mu} \Omega_x^\dagger$$

$$\Omega_x \in G = SU(N)$$

$$W_C[V] := \text{Tr} \left[P \prod_{\langle x, x+\mu \rangle \in C} V_{x,\mu} \right] / \text{Tr}(\mathbf{1})$$



$$W_C[U] = \text{const.} W_C[V] \quad !!$$

Defining equation for the decomposition

Phys.Lett.B691:91-98,2010 ; arXiv:0911.5294 (hep-lat)

Introducing a color field $\mathbf{h}_x = \xi(\lambda^8/2)\xi^\dagger \in SU(3)/U(2)$ with $\xi \in SU(3)$, a set of the defining equation of decomposition $U_{x,\mu} = X_{x,\mu}V_{x,\mu}$ is given by

$$D_\mu^\epsilon[V]\mathbf{h}_x = \frac{1}{\epsilon}(V_{x,\mu}\mathbf{h}_{x+\mu} - \mathbf{h}_x V_{x,\mu}) = 0,$$

$$g_x = e^{-2\pi q_x/N} \exp(-a_x^{(0)}\mathbf{h}_x - i \sum_{i=1}^3 a_x^{(i)} u_x^{(i)}) = 1,$$

which correspond to the continuum version of the decomposition, $\mathcal{A}_\mu(x) = \mathcal{V}_\mu(x) + \mathcal{X}_\mu(x)$,

$$D_\mu[\mathcal{V}_\mu(x)]\mathbf{h}(x) = 0, \quad \text{tr}(\mathcal{X}_\mu(x)\mathbf{h}(x)) = 0.$$

Exact solution
(N=3)

$$X_{x,\mu} = \hat{L}_{x,\mu}^\dagger (\det \hat{L}_{x,\mu})^{1/N} g_x^{-1} \quad V_{x,\mu} = X_{x,\mu}^\dagger U_x = g_x \hat{L}_{x,\mu} U_x (\det \hat{L}_{x,\mu})^{-1/N}$$

$$\hat{L}_{x,\mu} = \left(\sqrt{L_{x,\mu} L_{x,\mu}^\dagger} \right)^{-1} L_{x,\mu}$$

$$L_{x,\mu} = \frac{N^2 - 2N + 2}{N} \mathbf{1} + (N - 2) \sqrt{\frac{2(N - 2)}{N}} (\mathbf{h}_x + U_{x,\mu} \mathbf{h}_{x+\mu} U_{x,\mu}^{-1}) \\ + 4(N - 1) \mathbf{h}_x U_{x,\mu} \mathbf{h}_{x+\mu} U_{x,\mu}^{-1}$$

continuum version
by continuum

limit

$$\mathbf{V}_\mu(x) = \mathbf{A}_\mu(x) - \frac{2(N - 1)}{N} [\mathbf{h}(x), [\mathbf{h}(x), \mathbf{A}_\mu(x)]] - ig^{-1} \frac{2(N - 1)}{N} [\partial_\mu \mathbf{h}(x), \mathbf{h}(x)],$$

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Reduction Condition

- The decomposition is uniquely determined for a given set of link variables $U_{x,\mu}$ describing the original Yang-Mills theory and color fields.
- The reduction condition is introduced such that the theory in terms of new variables is equipollent to the original Yang-Mills theory
- The configuration of the color fields \mathbf{h}_x can be determined by the reduction condition such that the reduction functional is minimized for given $U_{x,\mu}$

$$F_{\text{red}}[\mathbf{h}_x; U_{x,\mu}] = \sum_{x,\mu} \text{tr} \left\{ (D_\mu^\epsilon[U]\mathbf{h}_x)^\dagger (D_\mu^\epsilon[U]\mathbf{h}_x) \right\}$$

$$SU(3)_\omega \times [SU(3)/U(2)]_\theta \rightarrow SU(3)_{\omega=\theta}$$

- This is invariant under the gauge transformation $\theta=\omega$
- The extended gauge symmetry is reduced to the same symmetry as the original YM theory.
- We choose a reduction condition of the same type as the SU(2) case

Non-Abelian magnetic monopole

From the non-Abelian Stokes theorem and the Hodge decomposition, the magnetic monopole is derived **without using the Abelian projection**

$$\begin{aligned}
 W_C[\mathcal{A}] &= \int [d\mu(\xi)]_\Sigma \exp\left(-ig \int_{S:C=\partial\Sigma} dS^{\mu\nu} \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{2N}} \text{tr}(2\mathbf{h}(x)\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}[\mathcal{V}](x))\right) \\
 &= \int [d\mu(\xi)]_\Sigma \exp\left(ig \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{2N}} (k, \Xi_\Sigma) + ig \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{2N}} (j, N_\Sigma)\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{magnetic current } k := \delta^* F = *dF, \quad \Xi_\Sigma := \delta^* \Theta_\Sigma \Delta^{-1}$$

$$\text{electric current } j := \delta F, \quad N_\Sigma := \delta \Theta_\Sigma \Delta^{-1}$$

$$\Delta = d\delta + \delta d, \quad \Theta_\Sigma := \int_\Sigma d^2 S^{\mu\nu}(\sigma(x)) \delta^D(x - x(\sigma))$$

k and j are gauge invariant and conserved currents; $\delta k = \delta j = 0$.

K.-I. Kondo PRD77 085929(2008)

The lattice version is defined by using plaquette:

$$\Theta_{\mu\nu}^8 := -\arg \text{Tr} \left[\left(\frac{1}{3} \mathbf{1} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \mathbf{h}_x \right) V_{x,\mu} V_{x+\mu,\mu} V_{x+\nu,\mu}^\dagger V_{x,\nu}^\dagger \right],$$

$$k_\mu = 2\pi n_\mu := \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \partial_\nu \Theta_{\alpha\beta}^8,$$

LATTICE RESULTS IN ZERO TEMPERATURE

■ SU(3) Yang-Mills theory

- In confinement of fundamental quarks, a restricted non-Abelian variable V , and the extracted non-Abelian magnetic monopoles play the dominant role (dominance in the string tension), in marked contrast to the Abelian projection.

gauge independent “Abelian” dominance

$$\frac{\sigma_V}{\sigma_U} = 0.92$$

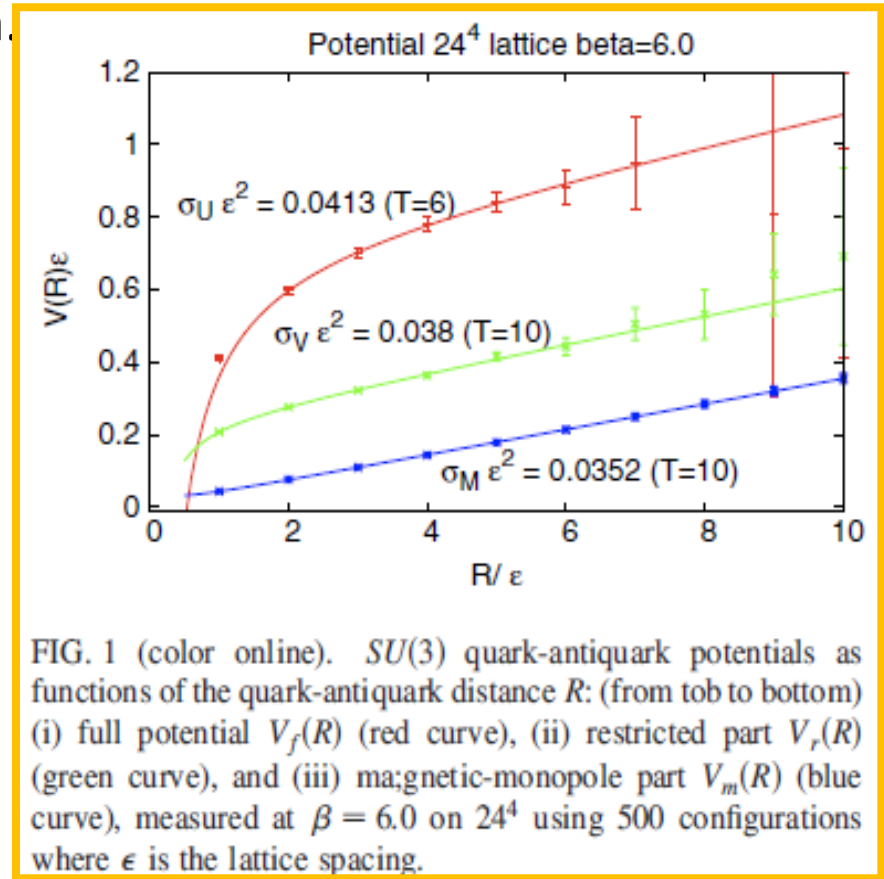
$$\frac{\sigma_V}{\sigma_{U^*}} = 0.78 - 0.82$$

Gauge independent non-Abelian monopole dominance

$$\frac{\sigma_M}{\sigma_U} = 0.85$$

$\frac{\sigma_M}{\sigma_{U^*}} = 0.72 - 0.76$ in R. G. Edwards, U. M. Heller, and T. R. Klassen, Nucl. Phys. B517, 377 (1998).

(based on Abelian projection)



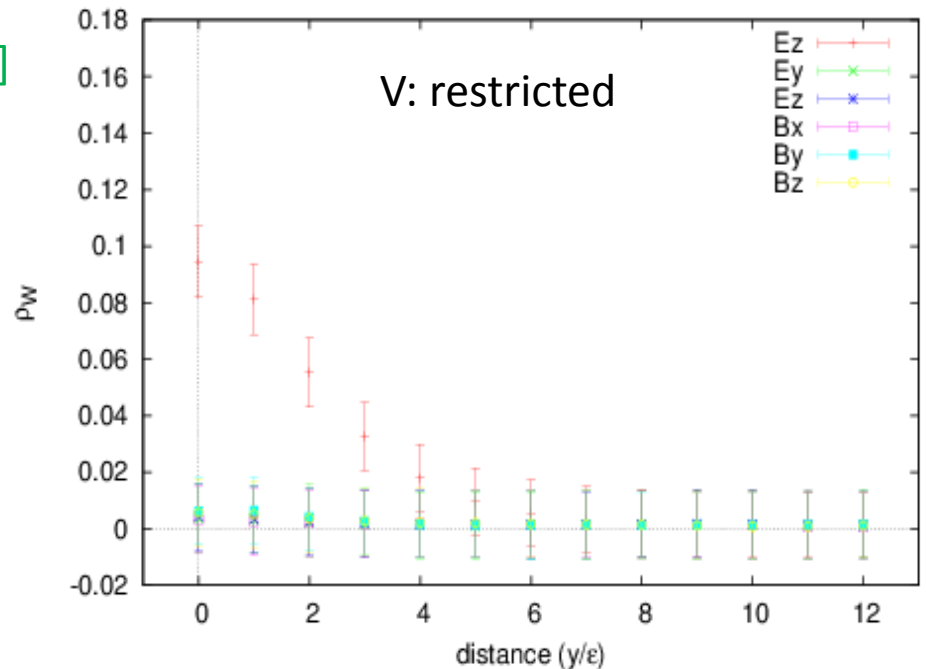
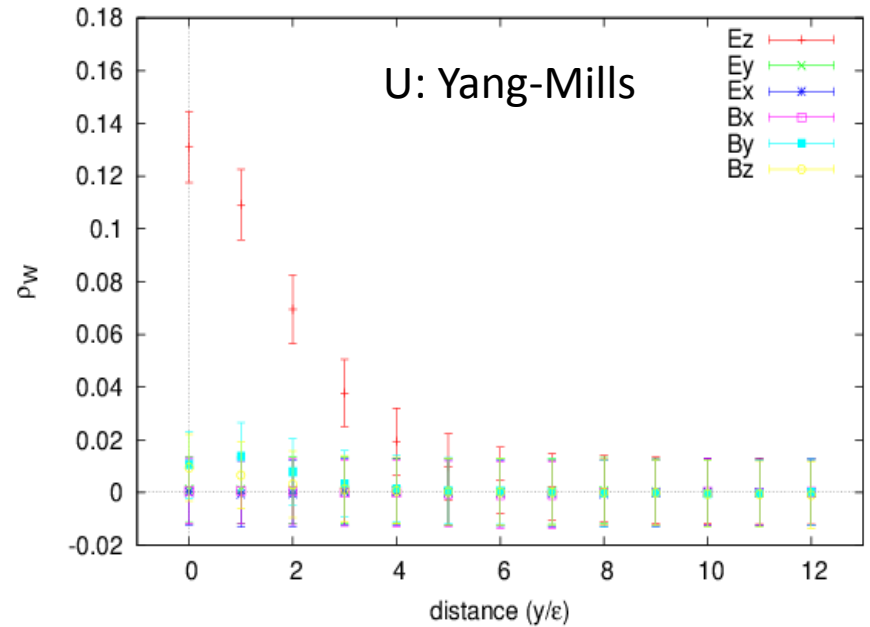
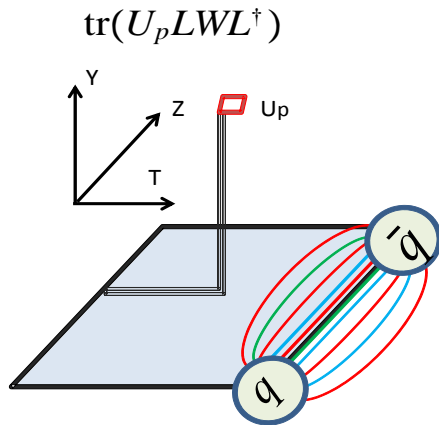
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Chromo flux

$$\rho_W = \frac{\langle \text{tr}(WLU_pL^\dagger) \rangle}{\langle \text{tr}(W) \rangle} - \frac{1}{N} \frac{\langle \text{tr}(W)\text{tr}(U_p) \rangle}{\langle \text{tr}(W) \rangle}$$

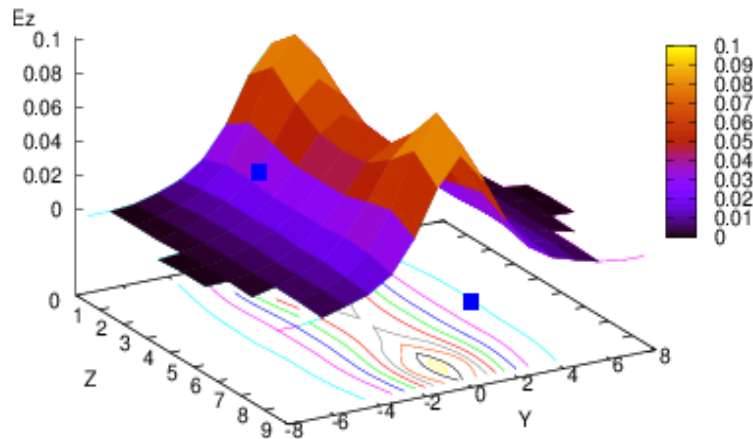
Gauge invariant correlation function:

This is settled by Wilson loop (W) as quark and antiquark source and plaquette (U_p) connected by Wilson lines (L). N is the number of color (N=3) [Adriano Di Giacomo et.al. PLB236:199,1990 NPBB347:441-460,1990]

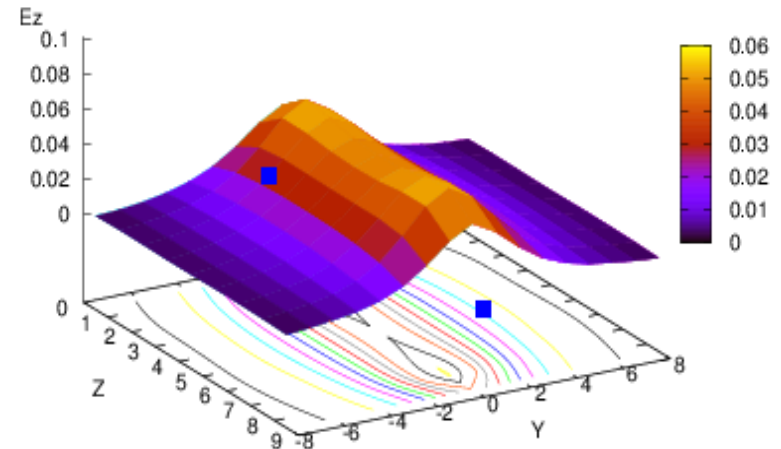


Chromo-electric (color flux) Flux Tube

Original YM field



Restricted field



A pair of quark-antiquark is placed on z axis as the 9x9 Wilson loop in Z-T plane. Distribution of the chromo-electronic flux field created by a pair of quark-antiquark is measured in the Y-Z plane, and the magnitude is plotted both 3-dimensional and the contour in the Y-Z plane.

Flux tube is observed for the restricted U(2) field case.

Magnetic current induced by quark and antiquark pair

Yang-Mills equation (Maxwell equation) for V_μ field, the magnetic monopole (current) can be calculated as

$$\mathbf{k} = *dF[\mathbf{V}] ,$$

$F[\mathbf{V}]$ is the field strength 2-form of V_μ field
 d the exterior derivative and $*$ denotes the Hodge dual.

$\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0} \Rightarrow$

signal of the monopole condensation
 the field strength is given by $F[\mathbf{V}] = d\mathbf{V}$
 the Bianchi identity : $\mathbf{k} = *d^2\mathbf{V} = 0$

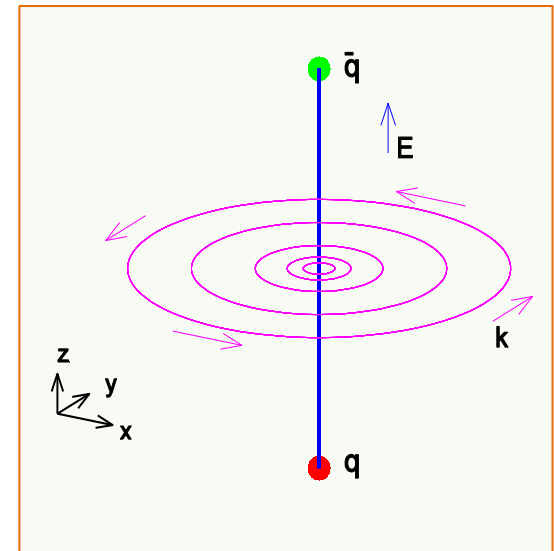
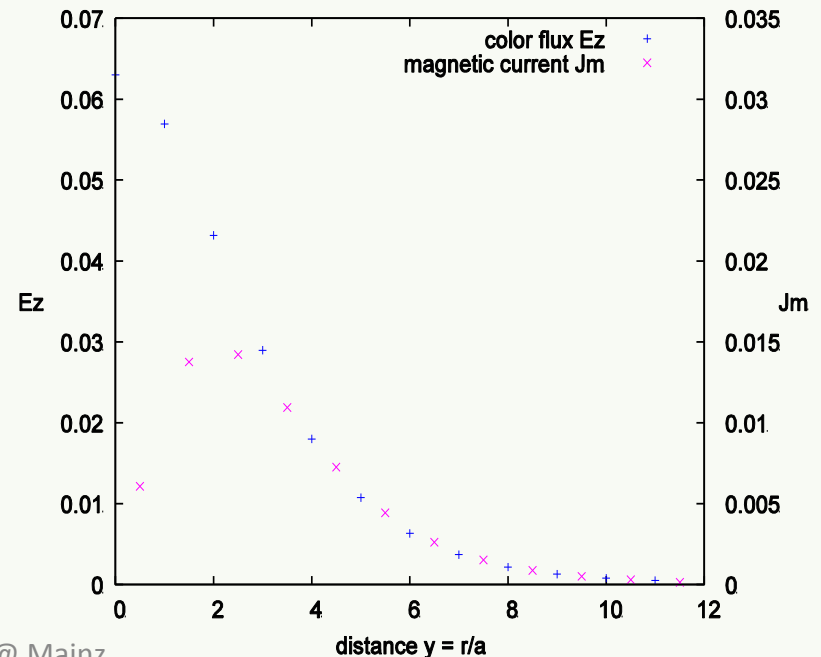
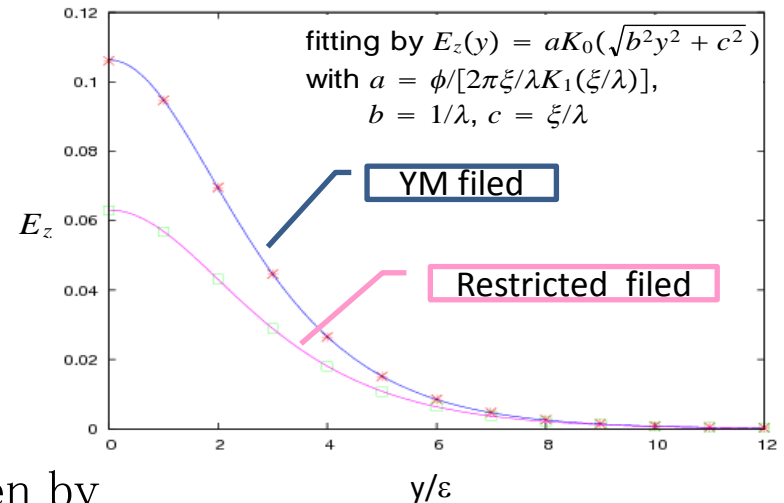


Figure: (upper) positional relationship of chromo-electric flux and magnetic current. (lower) combination plot of chromo-electric flux (left scale) and magnetic current(right scale).



Type of dual superconductivity (Ginzburg-Landau parameter)

Ginzburg-Landau equation
 $D_\mu D^\mu \phi - \lambda(\phi^* \phi - \mu^2/\lambda^2)\phi = 0$
 Ampere equation
 $\partial^\nu F_{\mu\nu} + iq[\phi^*(D_\mu \phi) - (D_\mu \phi)^* \phi] = 0$



The shape of the chromoelectric field is given by

$$E_x[y] = \frac{\phi}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\lambda\xi} \frac{K_0(R/\lambda)}{K_1(\xi/\lambda)}, \quad R = \sqrt{y^2 + \xi^2}$$

where K_ν is the modified Bessel function of the ν -th order, λ the London penetration length, ξ a variational core radius parameter, and ϕ external flux, respectively.

	λ/ϵ	ξ/ϵ	$a\epsilon^2$	Φ_0	κ
Yang-Mills	1.65	3.24	1.09	2.00	0.43
restricted U(2)	1.81	3.36	0.567	1.33	0.45

Ginzburg-Landau (GL) parameter

$$\kappa = \sqrt{2}/(\xi/\lambda) \sqrt{1 - K_0^2(\xi/\lambda)/K_1^2(\xi/\lambda)}$$

Type I $\kappa < \kappa_c = 1/\sqrt{2} \approx 0.707$

Type II $\kappa > \kappa_c$

MAIN PART:

LATTICE RESULTS IN NON-ZERO TEMPERATURE

Polyakov loops

- Polyakov loops

$$P_U(x) = \prod_{t=1}^{Nt} U_{x,t,4} \text{ for original Yang-Mills field}$$

$$P_V(x) = \prod_{t=1}^{Nt} V_{x,t,4} \text{ for restricted field}$$

- Distribution of space-averaged Polyakov loops for each configurations

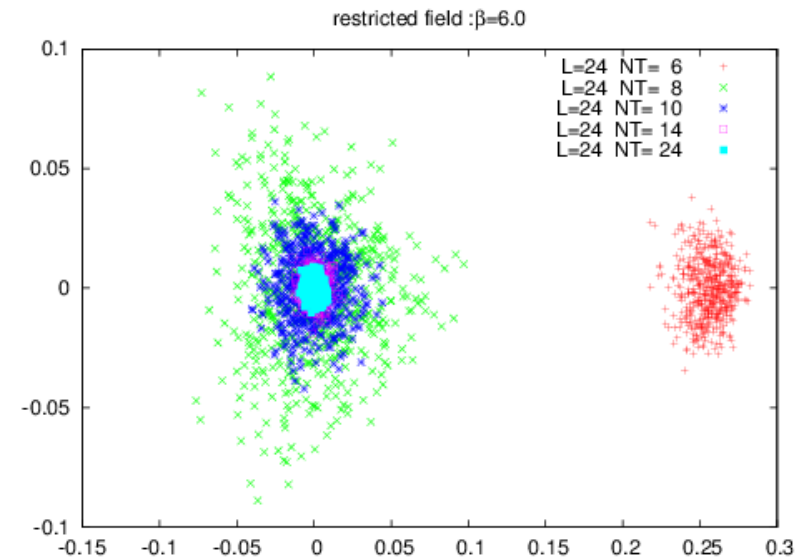
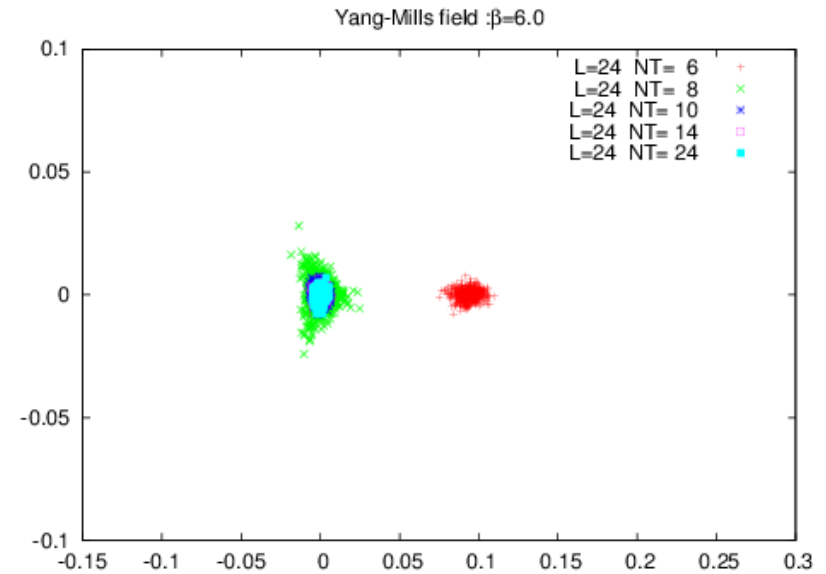
$$\langle P_U \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_U(x), \quad \langle P_V \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_V(x)$$

- Vacuum expectation value of space-averaged Polyakov loop $\langle\langle P_U \rangle\rangle, \langle\langle P_V \rangle\rangle$

Distribution of space-averaged Polyakov loops $\beta=6.0$

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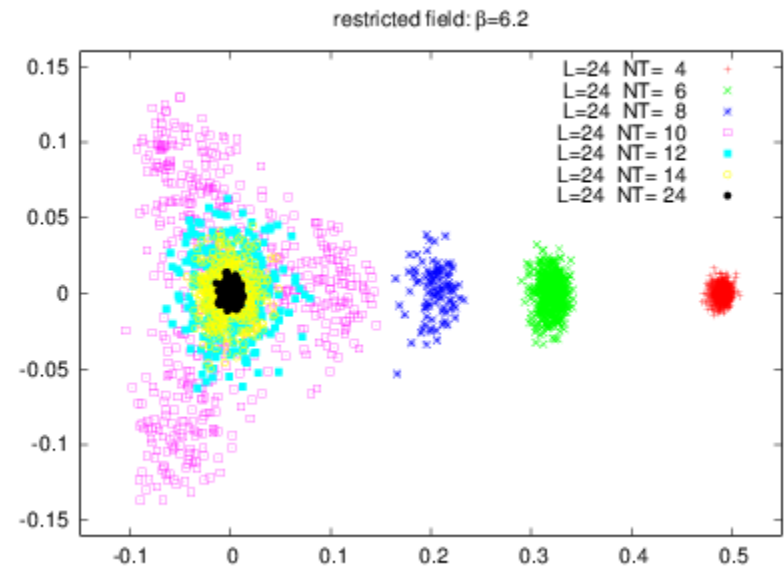
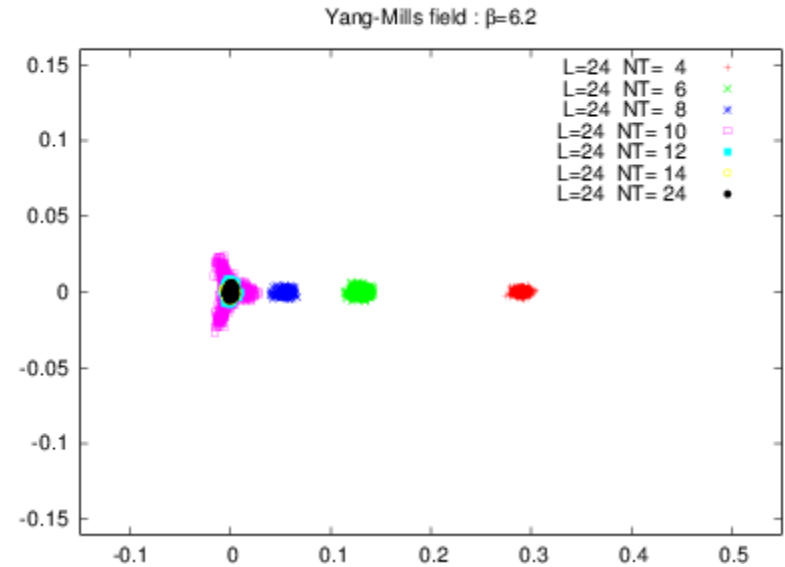
$$\langle P_V \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_V(x)$$



Distribution of space-averaged Polyakov loops $\beta=6.2$

$$\langle P_U \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_U(x)$$

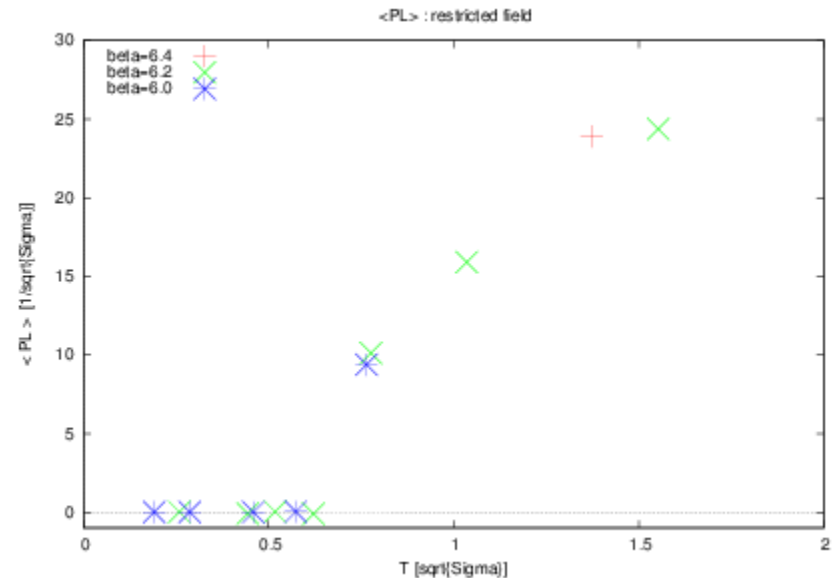
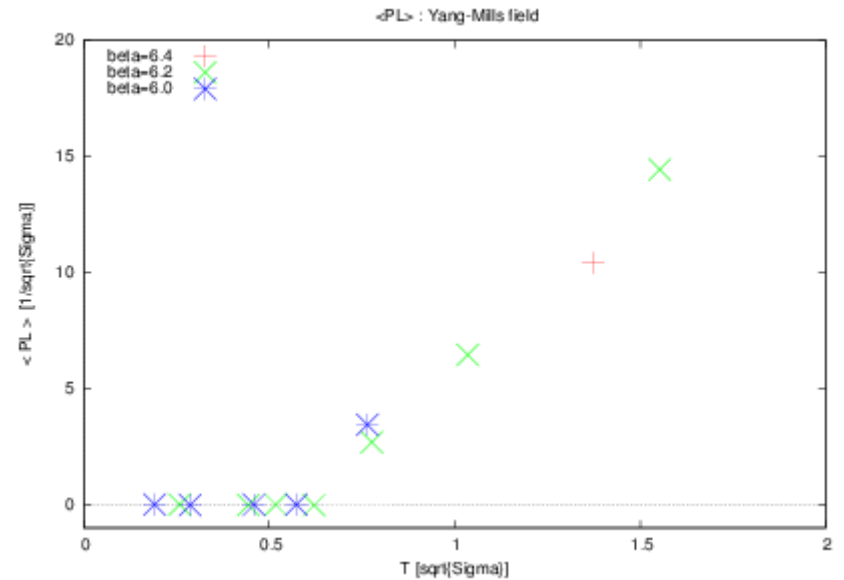
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Average of Polyakov loops

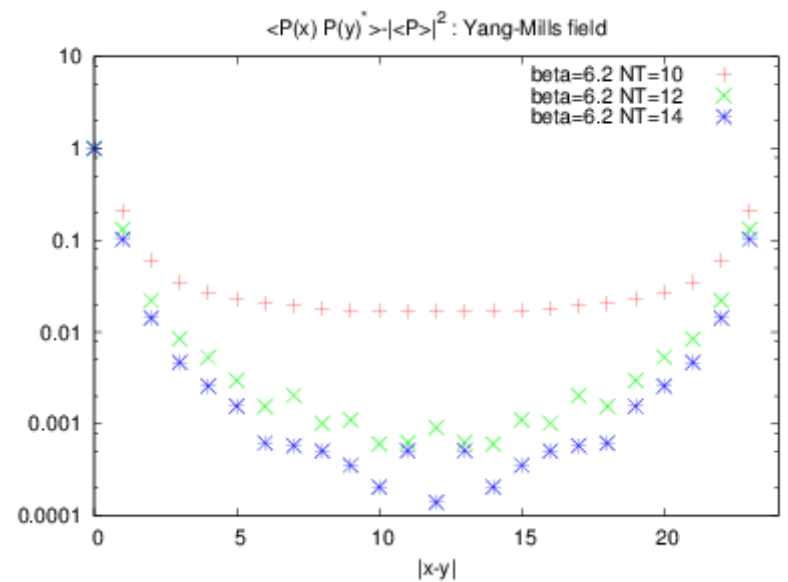
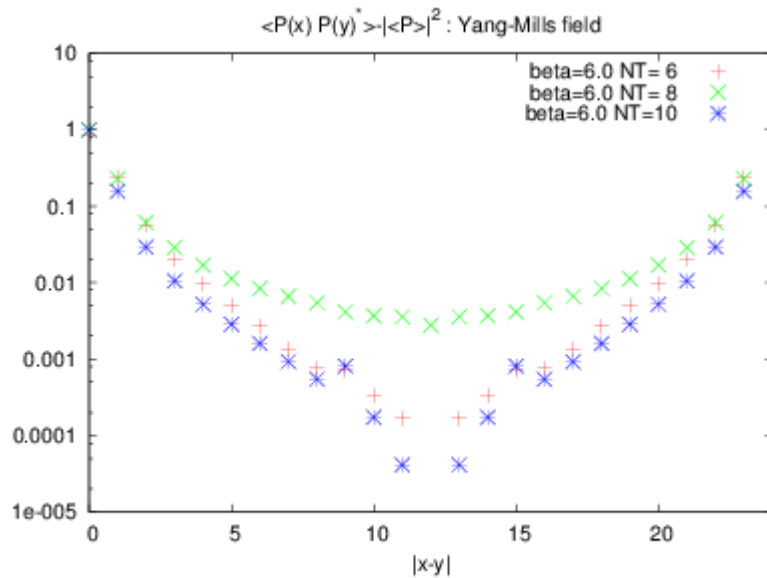
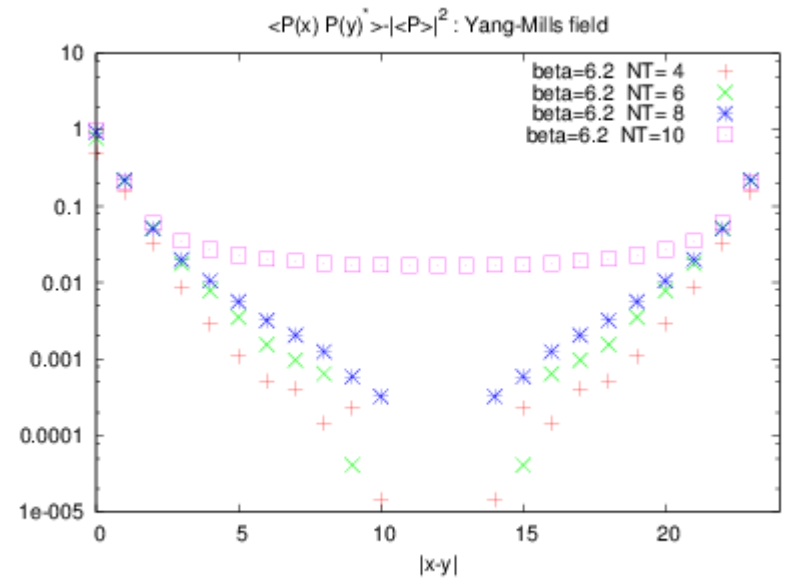
Comparison of vacuum expectation values in Space

$$\langle\langle P_U \rangle\rangle, \langle\langle P_V \rangle\rangle$$



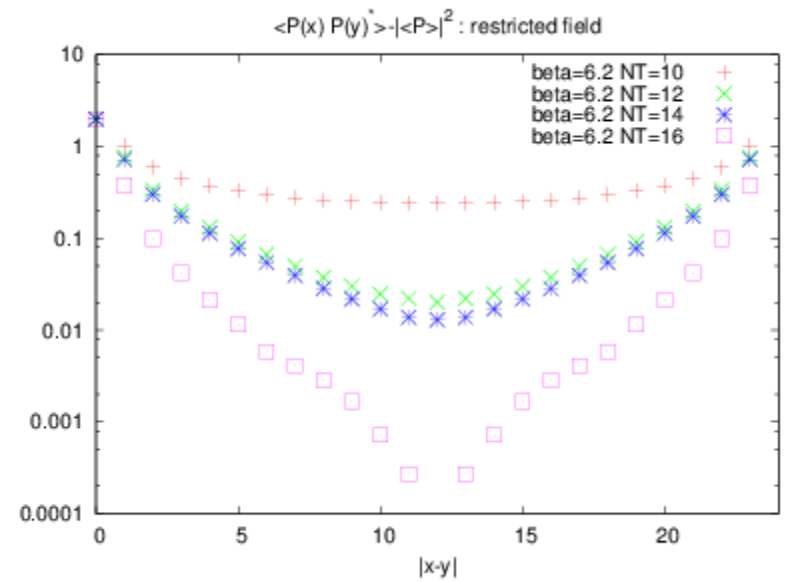
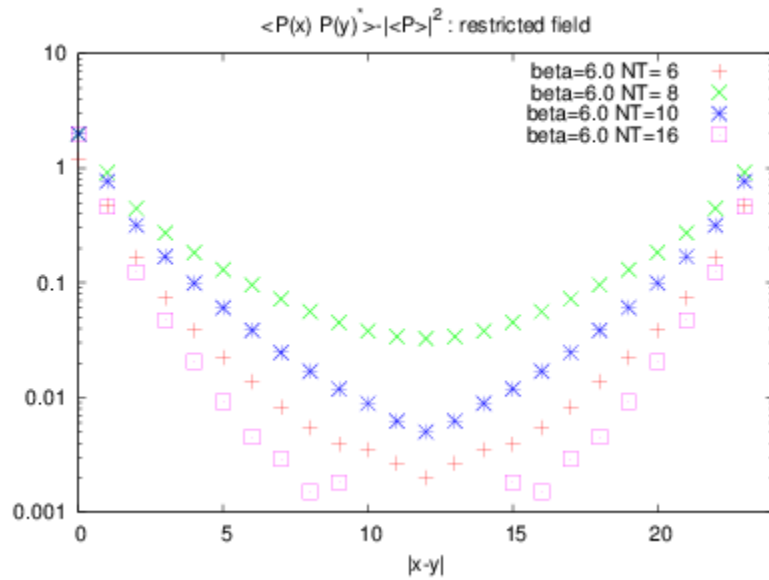
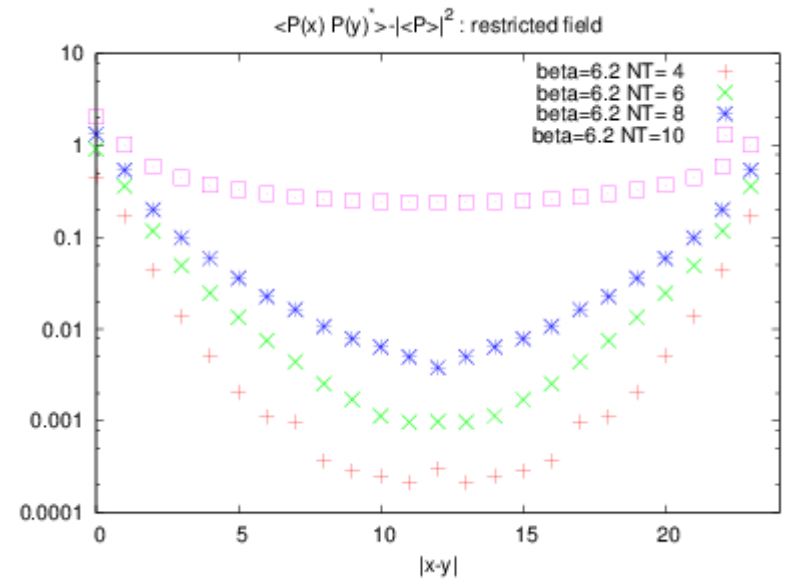
Correlation function of Polyakov loop for the original Yang-Mills field : U

$$\langle P(x)P(y)^* \rangle - |\langle P \rangle|^2$$



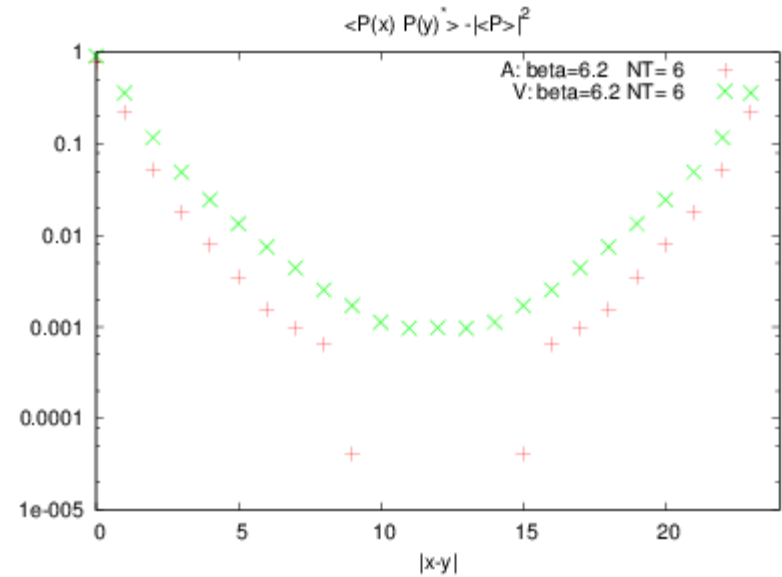
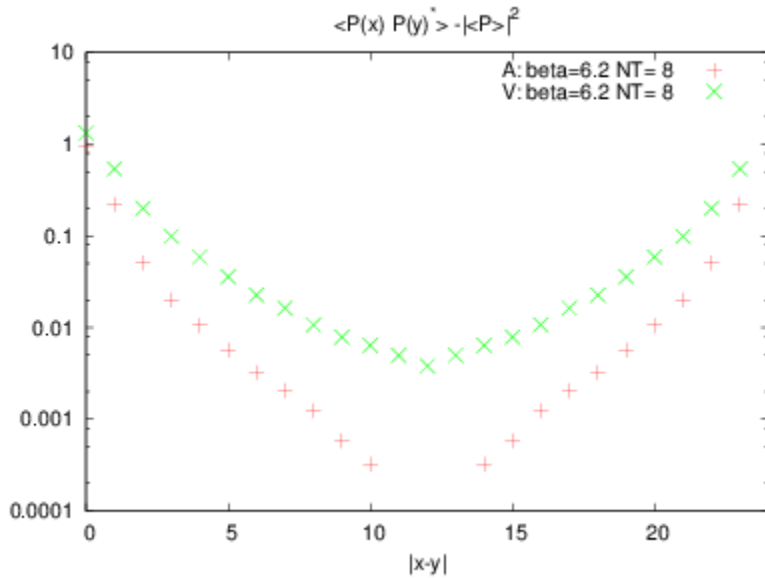
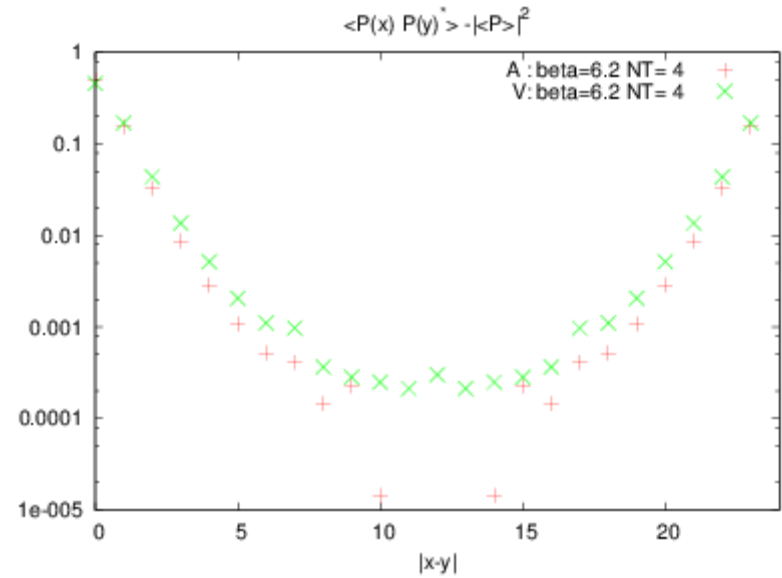
Correlation function of polyakov loops for the restricted field : V

$$\langle P(x)P(y)^* \rangle - |\langle P \rangle|^2$$



Comparison of the correlation function between the original Yang-Mills, U and the restricted field, V

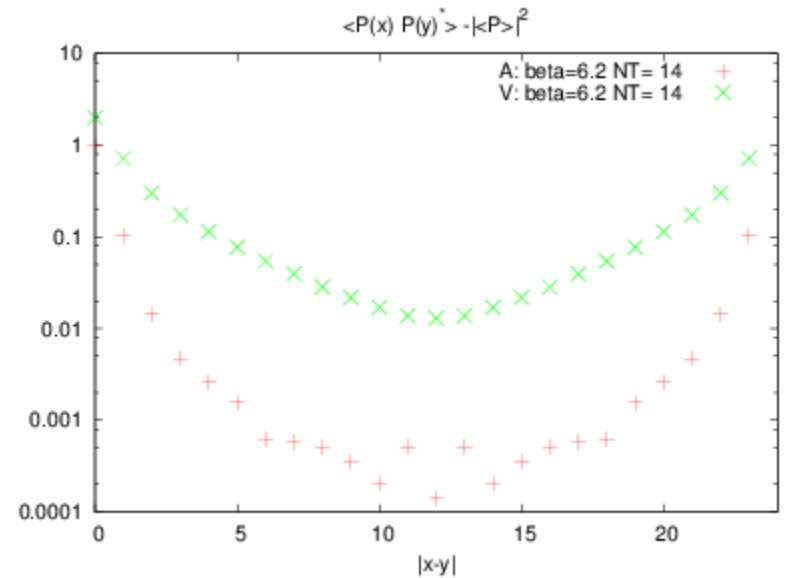
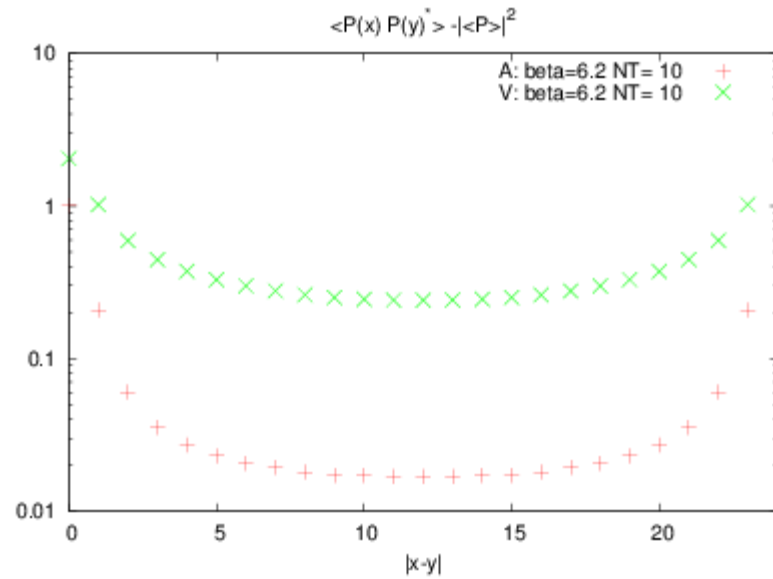
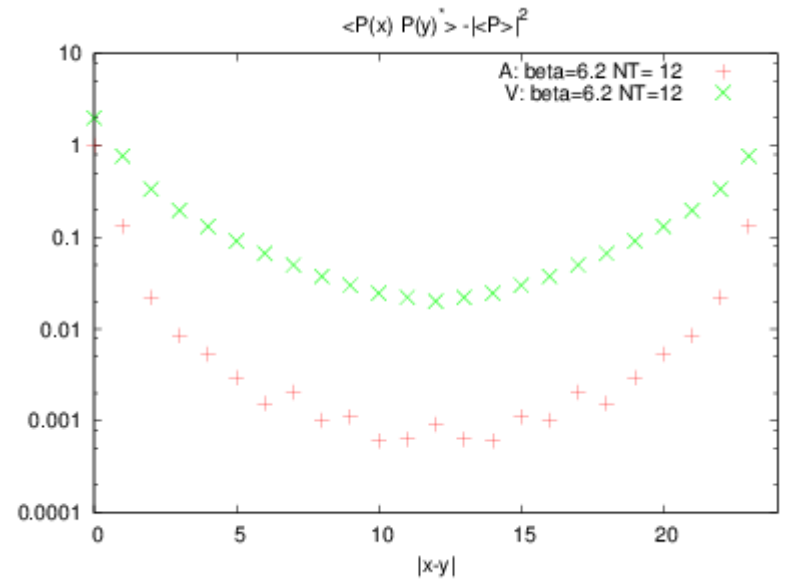
$$T_c < T$$



Comparison of the correlation function between the original Yang-Mills, U and the restricted field, V

$T < T_c$ (right panels)

$T \simeq T_c$ (lower panel)



Chromo-electric flux

$$\rho_W = \frac{\langle \text{tr}(WLU_pL^\dagger) \rangle}{\langle \text{tr}(W) \rangle} - \frac{1}{N} \frac{\langle \text{tr}(W)\text{tr}(U_p) \rangle}{\langle \text{tr}(W) \rangle}$$

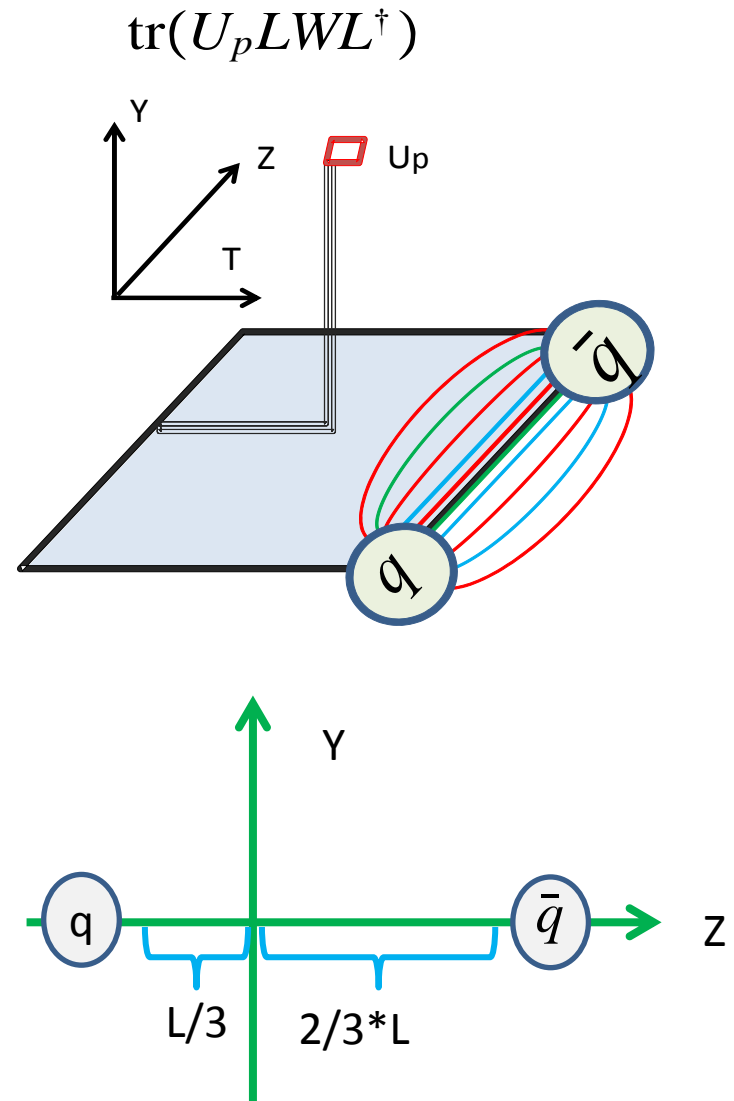
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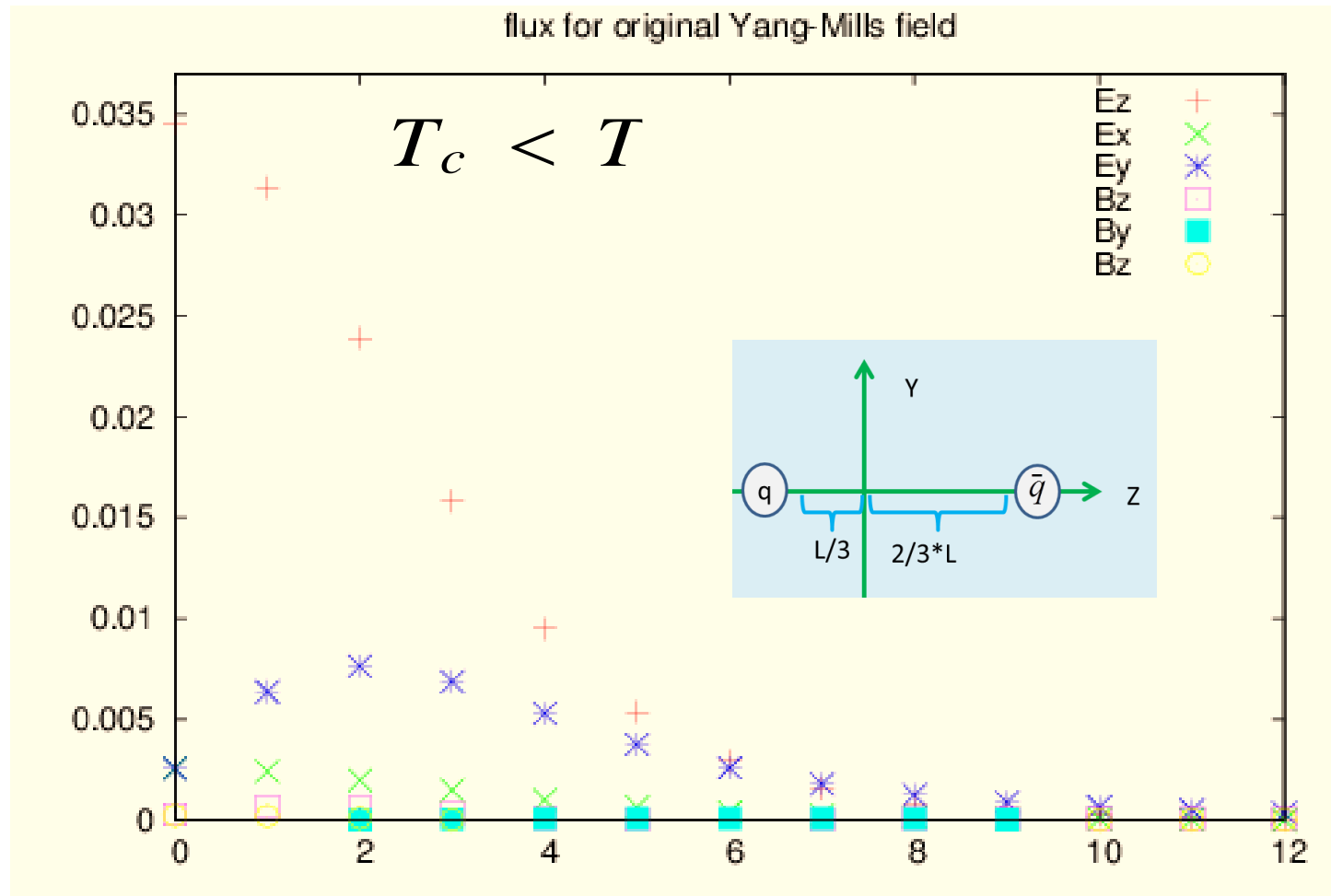
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$$\rho_W \stackrel{\epsilon \rightarrow 0}{\simeq} \frac{\text{tr}(ig\epsilon\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}LWL^\dagger)}{\text{tr}(LWL^\dagger)} =: \langle g\epsilon\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \rangle_{q\bar{q}}$$

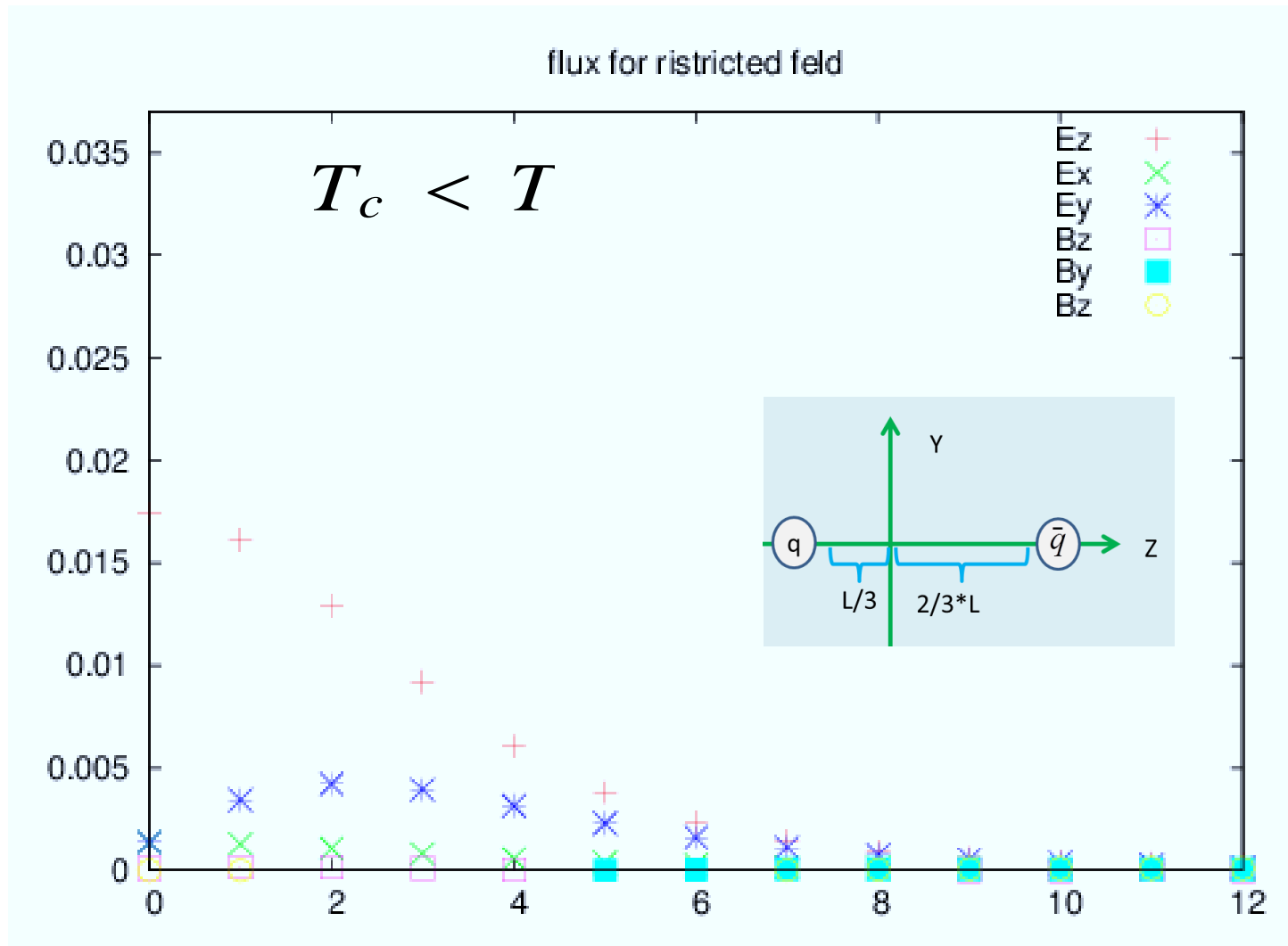
$$F_{\mu\nu}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{\beta}{2N}} \rho_W(x)$$



Chromo-flux measurements for YM source



Chromo-flux for restricted field source

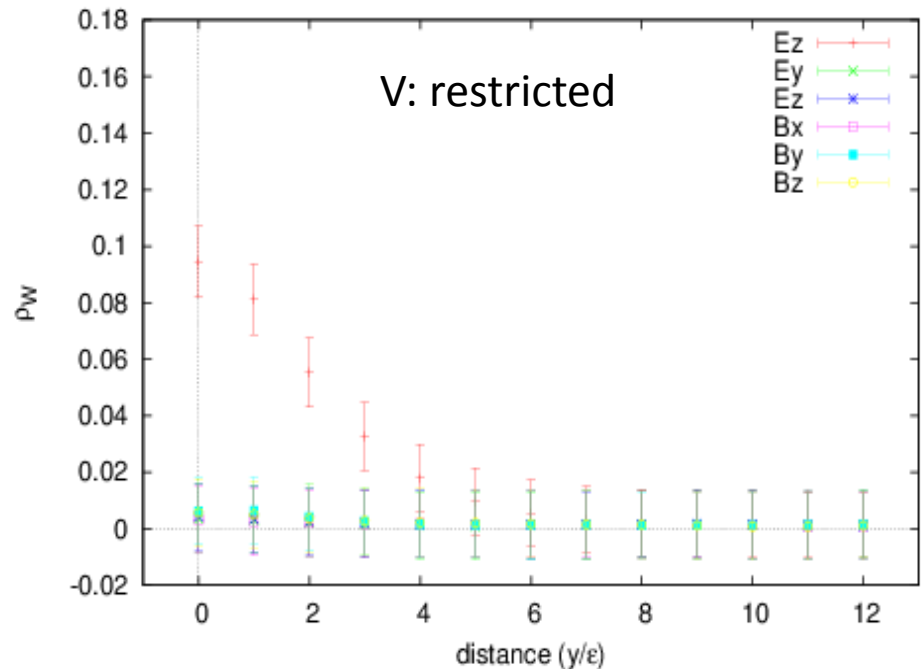
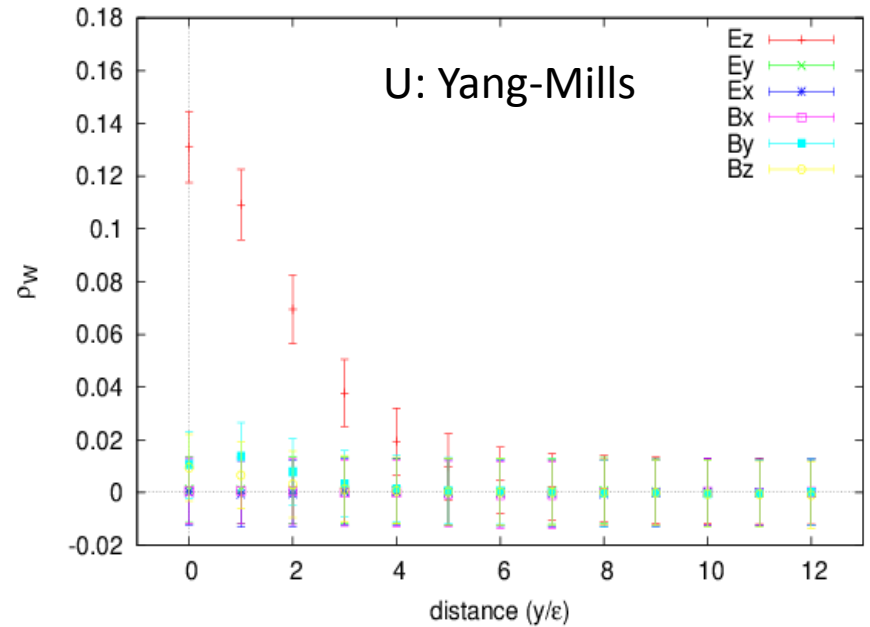


Chromo flux in confinement phase ($T=0$)

Flux tube is obtained
 E_z only get non-zero value.

$$E_x = E_y = 0$$

$$B_x = B_y = B_z = 0$$

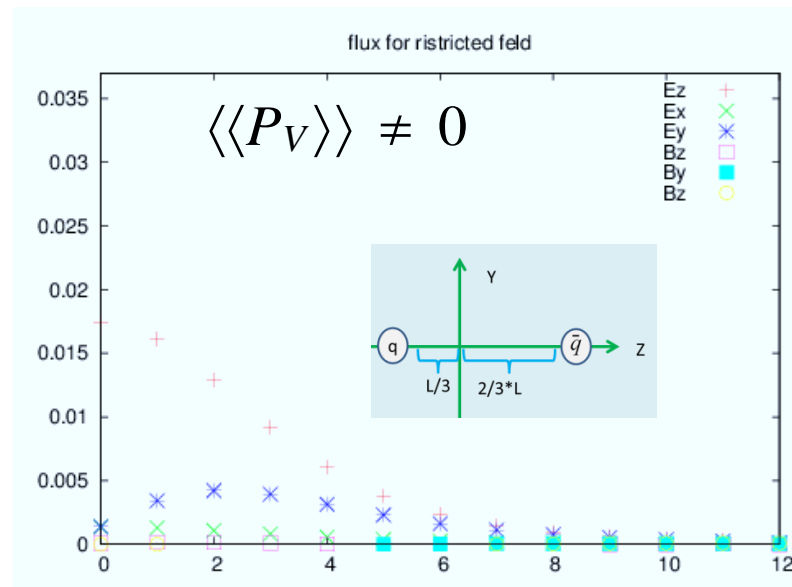
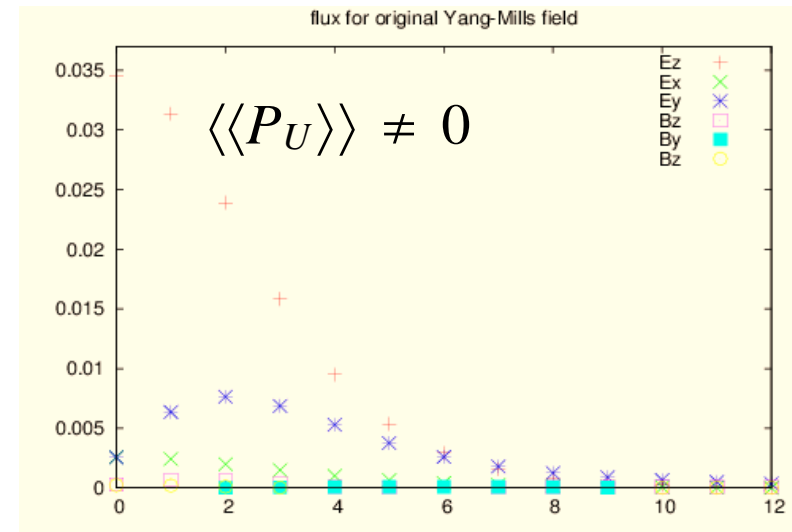


Chromo-electric flux in deconfinement phase

- $E_y \neq 0$ for deconfinement phase
c.f., $E_y = 0$ (confinement phase)
i.e., No sharp chromo-flux tube exists
→ Disappearance of dual
superconductivity.

- To know relation to the monopole
condensation, we further need the
measurement of magnetic current in
Maxwell equation for V field.

$$k = *dF[V] \quad (\text{under investigation})$$



Summary & outlook

- We investigate non-Abelian dual Meissner effects at finite temperature, applying our new formulation of Yang-Mills theory on the lattice.
- The restricted field play the dominant role in both confinement and deconfinement phase.
- We measure the chromo-electric flux and find the flux tube is broken in the deconfinement phase.
- This is first observation on quark confinement / deconfinement phase transition in terms of flux tube based on the "non-Abelian" dual superconductivity picture we have proposed in the previous work

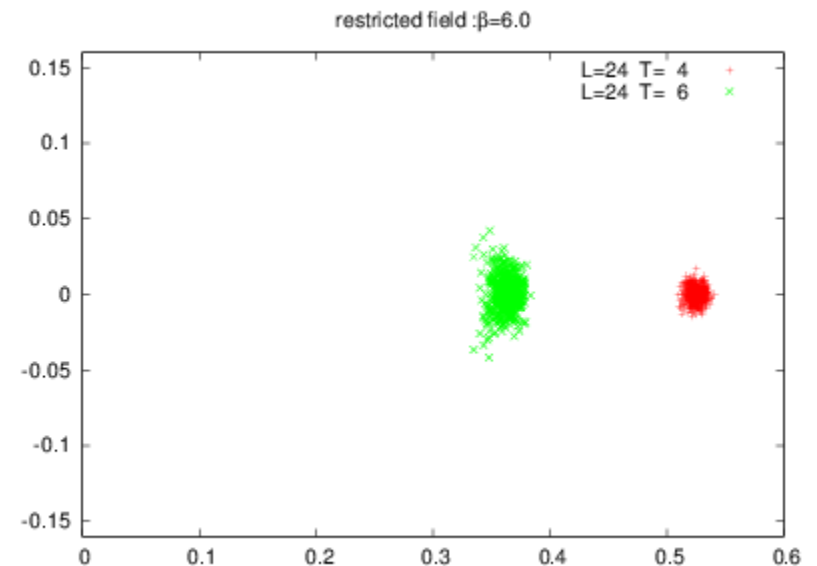
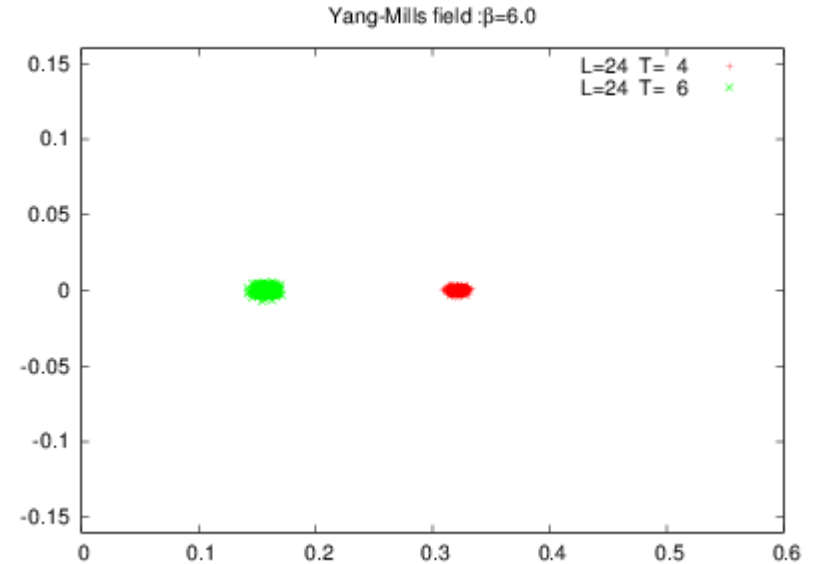
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APPENDIXES

Distribution of space-averaged Polyakov loops $\beta=6.4$

$$\langle P_U \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_U(x)$$

$$\langle P_V \rangle := 1/V \sum_x P_V(x)$$



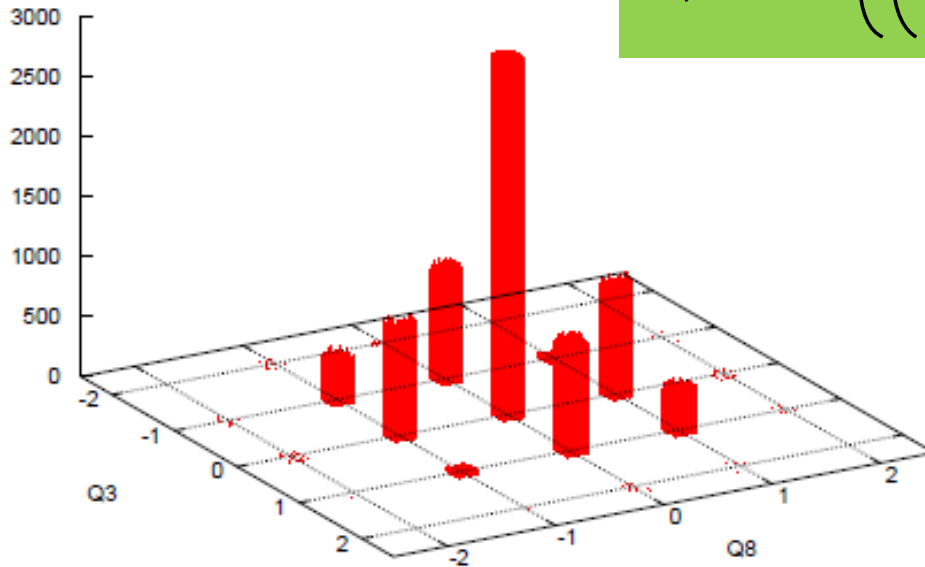
Histogram of monopole charge: maximal case

$$\kappa_{\mu}^{(k)} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \partial_{\nu} \Theta_{\alpha\beta}^{(k)}$$

$$\text{Tr}(V_{x,\mu} V_{x+\mu,\nu} V_{x+\mu,\nu}^{\dagger} V_{x,\nu}^{\dagger}) = \exp(i\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^{(3)} n + i\mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^{(8)} m)$$

$$\Theta_{\mu\nu}^{(3)} = \text{Tr} \left(\left(\frac{1}{3} + n + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} m \right) V_{x,\mu} V_{x+\mu,\nu} V_{x+\mu,\nu}^{\dagger} V_{x,\nu}^{\dagger} \right)$$

$$\Theta_{\mu\nu}^{(8)} = \text{Tr} \left(\left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} m \right) V_{x,\mu} V_{x+\mu,\nu} V_{x+\mu,\nu}^{\dagger} V_{x,\nu}^{\dagger} \right)$$

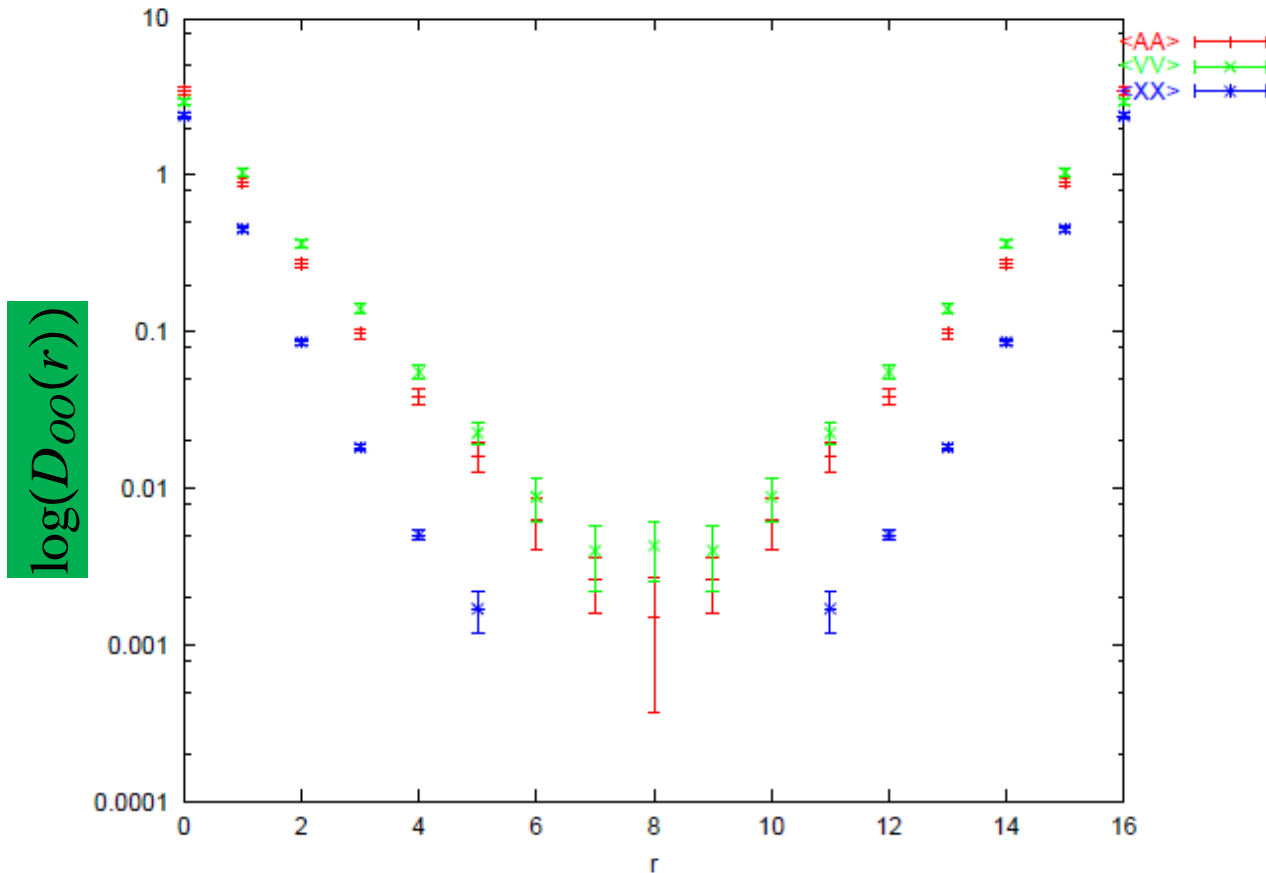


#configurations = 120

distributions are blocked on lattice site (quantized charge)

Correlation function (Propagators) maximal option

$$D_{OO}(r) = \langle O(x)O(y) \rangle \quad O=A,V,X$$



Mass dumping: Maximal opton

Inverse Fourier transformation of the massive gauge boson propagator gives

$$G_{\mu\nu}(r; M) = \langle X_\mu(x) X_\nu(y) \rangle = \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} e^{ik(x-y)} \frac{1}{k^2 + M^2} \left(4 + \frac{k^2}{M^2} \right)$$

$$\simeq \frac{3\sqrt{M}}{2(2\pi)^{3/2}} \frac{e^{-Mr}}{r^{3/2}}$$

gauge invariant mass term

$$\mathcal{L}_{M_X} = \frac{1}{2} M_X^2 (X_{x,\mu})^2$$

can be introduced, since $X_{x,\mu}$ transforms Adjoint under gauge transformation;

$$X_{x,\mu} \rightarrow \Omega_x X_{x,\mu} \Omega_x^\dagger$$

$\log(r^{3/2} D_{00}(r))$

$\langle AA \rangle$

$\langle VV \rangle$

$\langle XX \rangle$

■ SU(2) Yang-Mills Theory

- We have presented the compact representation of Cho-Duan-Ge-Faddeev-Niemi (CDGFN) decomposition for SU(2) case on a lattice, i.e., **the decomposition of gauge link, $U=XV$.**

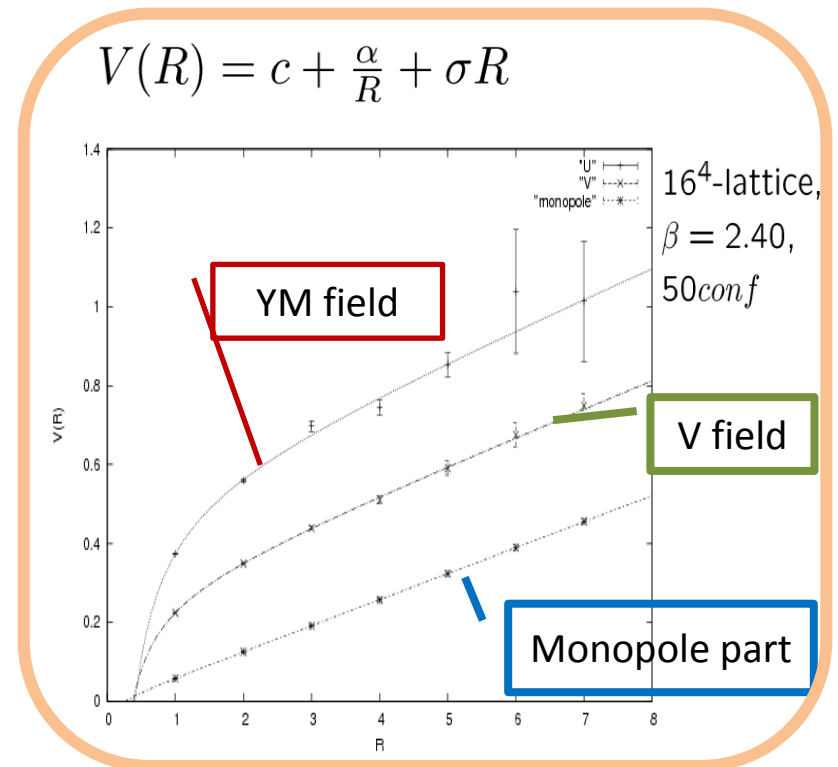
quark-antiquark potential from Wilson loop operator shows

- **gauge-independent “Abelian” dominance** : the decomposed V field reproduced the potential of original YM field.

$$\sigma_{full} \sim \sigma_V \quad (93 \pm 16\%)$$

- **gauge-independent monopole dominance** : the string tension is almost reproduced by only magnetic monopole part.

$$\sigma_{full} \sim \sigma_{monopole} \quad (88 \pm 13\%)$$



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