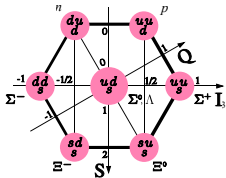


Isospin breaking effects from lattice QCD and QED



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Baryon octet mass splittings: hep-lat/1306.2287

Dashen's theorem and quark masses: in preparation

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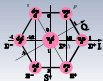
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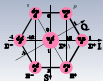
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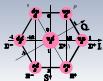


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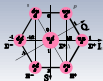
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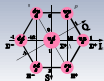
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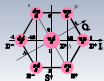


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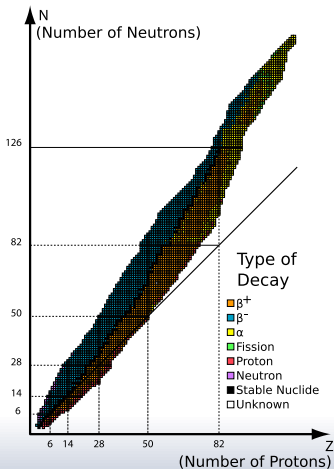
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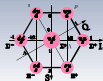
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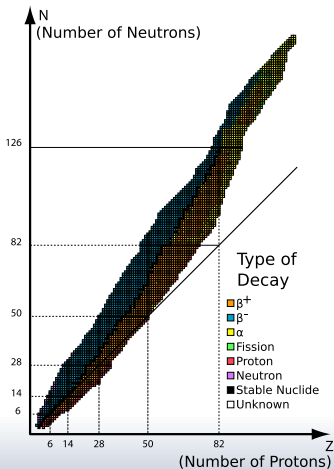
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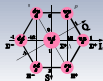
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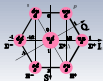
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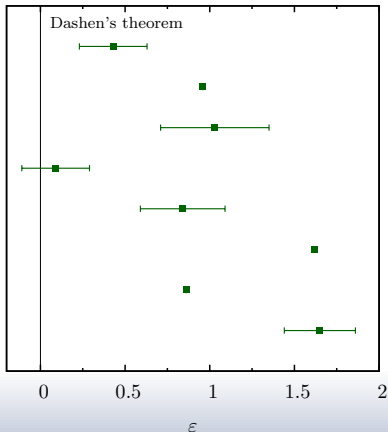
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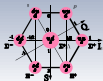
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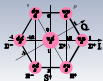
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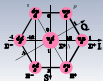
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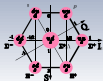
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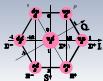
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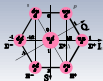
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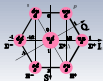
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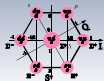
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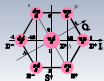


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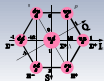


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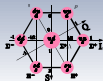


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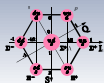
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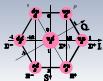
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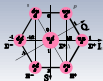
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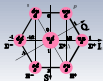
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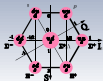


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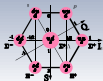


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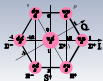


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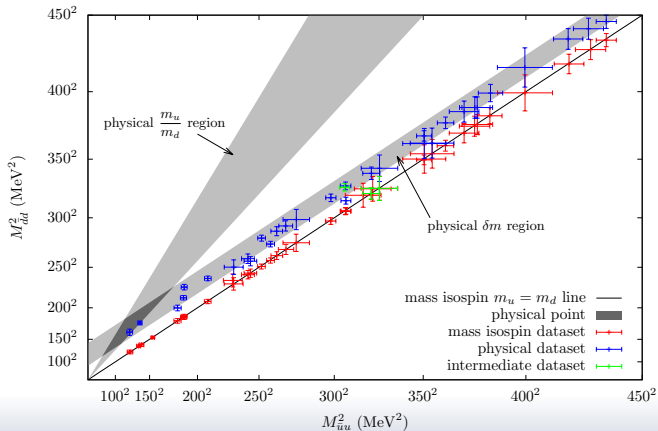
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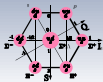
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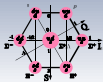


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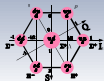
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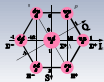
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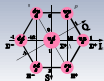


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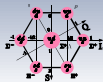
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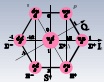
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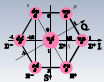
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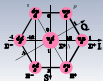
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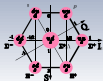
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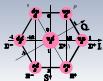
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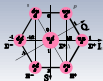
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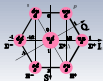
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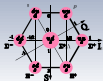
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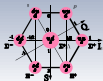
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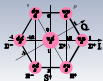
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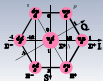
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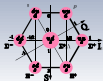


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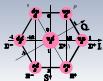


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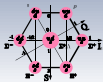
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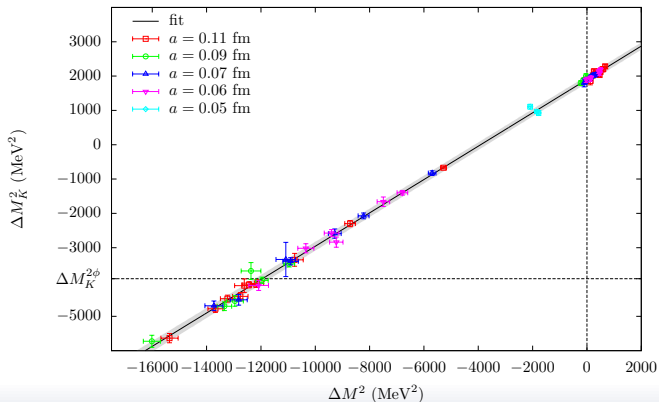
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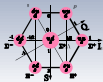
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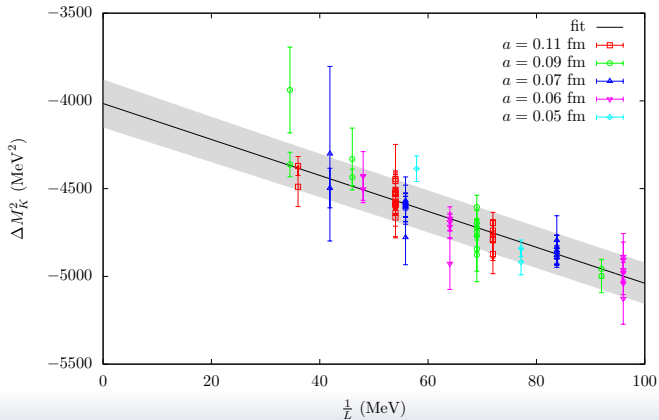


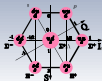
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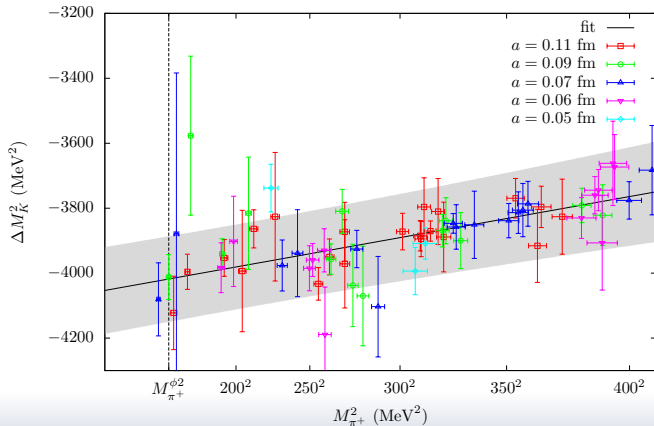


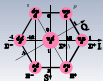
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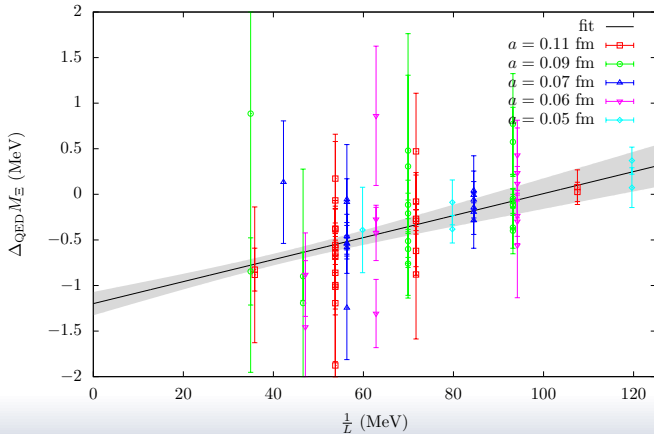


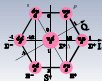
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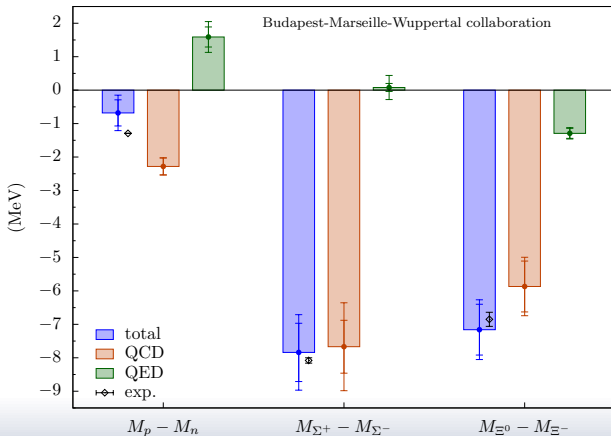


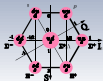
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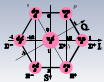
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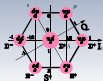
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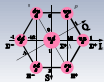
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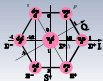
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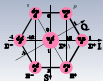
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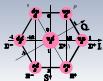
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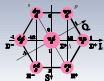
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Thank you.

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