

# Nuclear matter calculations with chiral interactions

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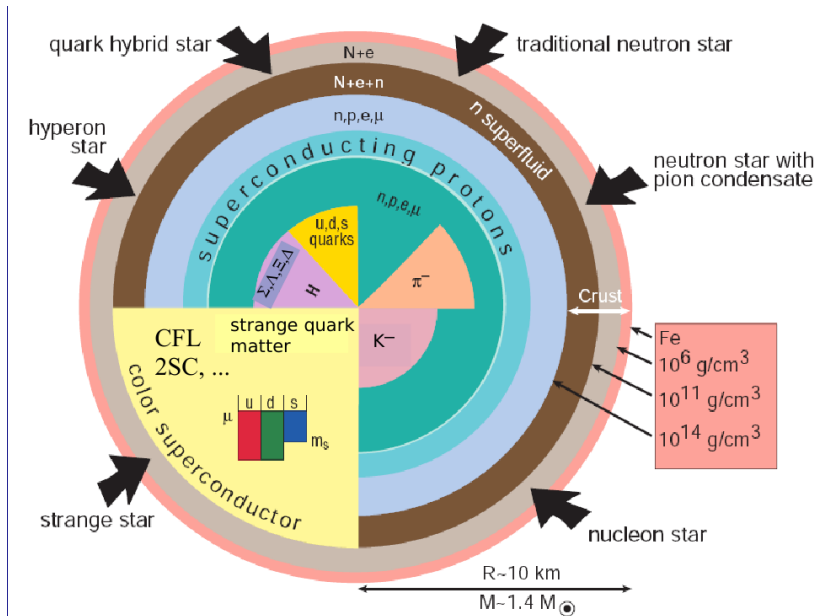
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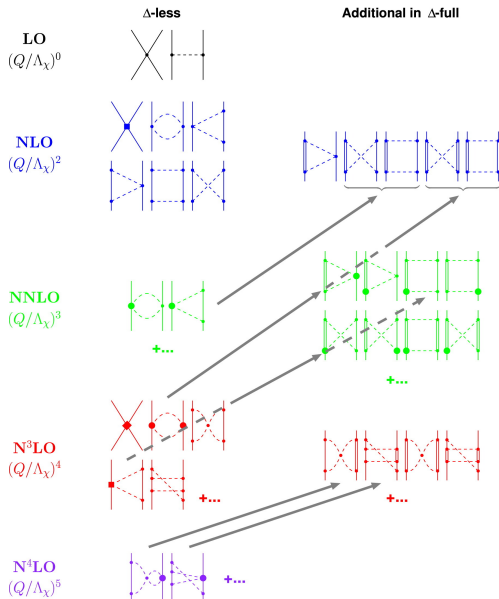
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- **NN** potentials: **non local N3LO** (Idaho-2003), **minimal non local N3LO $\Delta$**  (M. Piarulli-2014 et al.)
- N3LO (Idaho-2003)  $\Rightarrow$  in  $\mathcal{L}$  included  **$N, \pi$**
- N3LO $\Delta$  (M. Piarulli-2014 et al.)  $\Rightarrow$  in  $\mathcal{L}$  included  **$N, \pi$**  and  **$\Delta$**
- **NNN** potential: **local N2LO** (P. Navratil 2007)
- **Parameters of NNN force fixed in few body calculations**  $\Rightarrow$  **no free parameters**

## Chiral 2N Force



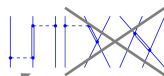
## Chiral 3N Force

**LO**  
 $(Q/\Lambda_\chi)^0$

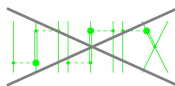
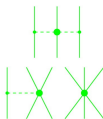
$\Delta$ -less

Additional in  $\Delta$ -full

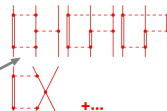
**NLO**  
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**NNLO**  
 $(Q/\Lambda_\chi)^3$



**N<sup>3</sup>LO**  
 $(Q/\Lambda_\chi)^4$



**N<sup>4</sup>LO**  
 $(Q/\Lambda_\chi)^5$



- Starting point: the **Bethe-Goldstone equation**

$$G(\omega)_{B_1 B_2, B_3 B_4} = V_{B_1 B_2, B_3 B_4} + \sum_{B_i B_j} V_{B_1 B_2, B_i B_j} \times \frac{Q_{B_i B_j}}{\omega - E_{B_i} - E_{B_j} + i\eta} G(\omega)_{B_i B_j, B_3 B_4}$$

$$U_{B_i}(k) = \sum_{B_j} \sum_{\vec{k}'} n_{B_j}(|\vec{k}'|) \times \langle \vec{k} \vec{k}' | G(E_{B_i}(\vec{k}) + E_{B_j}(\vec{k}'))_{B_i B_j, B_i B_j} | \vec{k} \vec{k}' \rangle_{\mathcal{A}}$$

$$E_{B_i}(k) = M_{B_i} + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2M_{B_i}} + \text{Re}[U_{B_i}(k)]$$

$$\epsilon_{BHF} = \frac{1}{V} \sum_{B_i} \sum_{k \leq k_{F_i}} \left[ M_{B_i} + \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2M_{B_i}} + \frac{1}{2} U_{B_i}(k) \right]$$



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- Usually for p-space average  $\Rightarrow$  non local cutoff:

$$F_{\Lambda}(p', p) = e^{-(p/\Lambda)^{2n} - (p'/\Lambda)^{2n}}$$

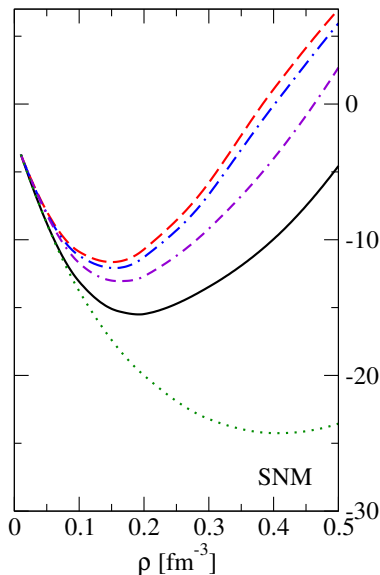
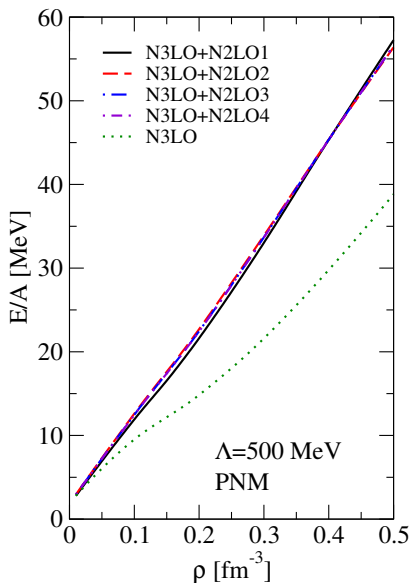
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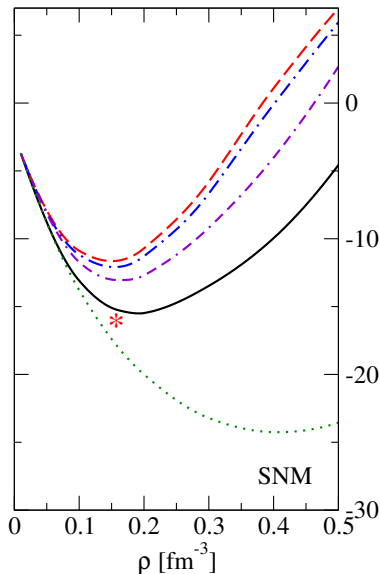
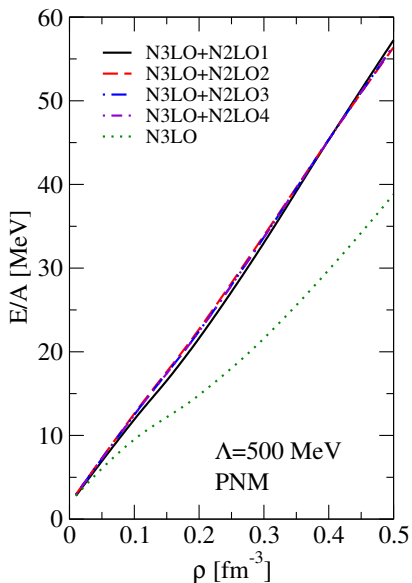
- Low energy constants ( $c_D, c_E$ ) fixed to reproduce the  ${}^3\text{H}$  binding energy + ( ${}^3\text{H}$ - ${}^3\text{He}$ )  $GT$  transition matrix element.
- In our many-body calculations we use the same cutoff  $F_\Lambda(q^2) = e^{-q^4/\Lambda^4}$  employed in the few-body ones  $\Rightarrow$  fully consistent calculation.

	$c_D$	$c_E$
N2LOL1 ( $\Lambda = 500$ )	1.00	-0.029
N2LOL2 ( $\Lambda = 500$ )	-0.20	-0.208
N2LOL3 ( $\Lambda = 500$ )	-0.04	-0.184
N2LOL4 ( $\Lambda = 500$ )	0.0	-0.18

# E/A pure and symmetric nuclear matter N3LO+N2LO (*r-space average*)

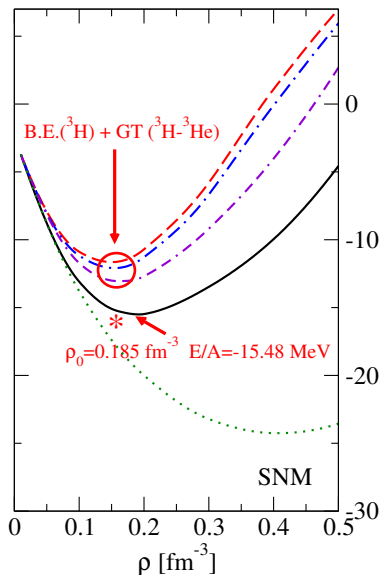
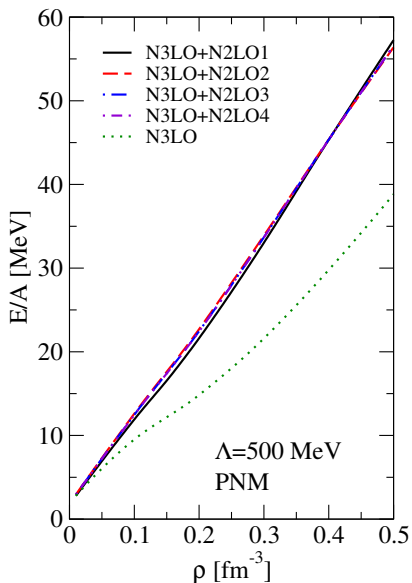


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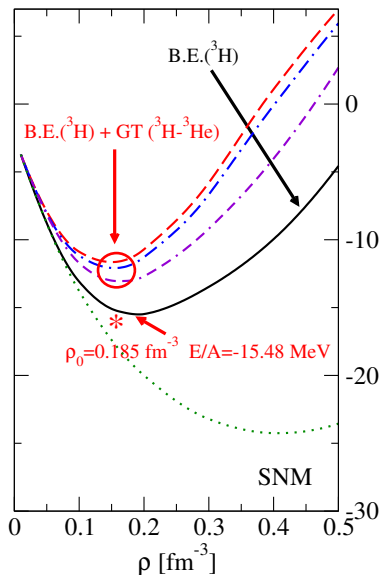
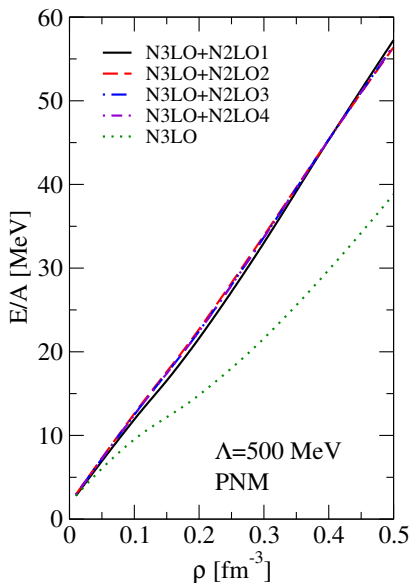


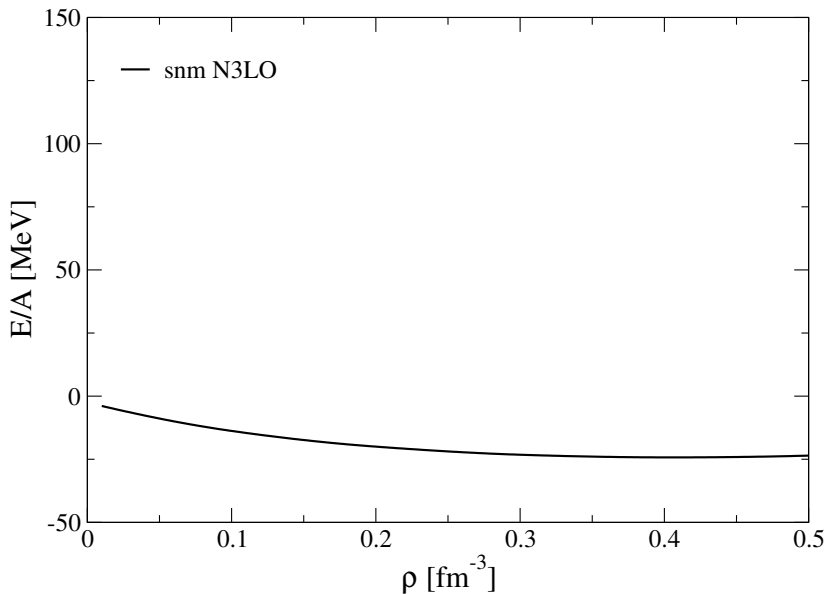


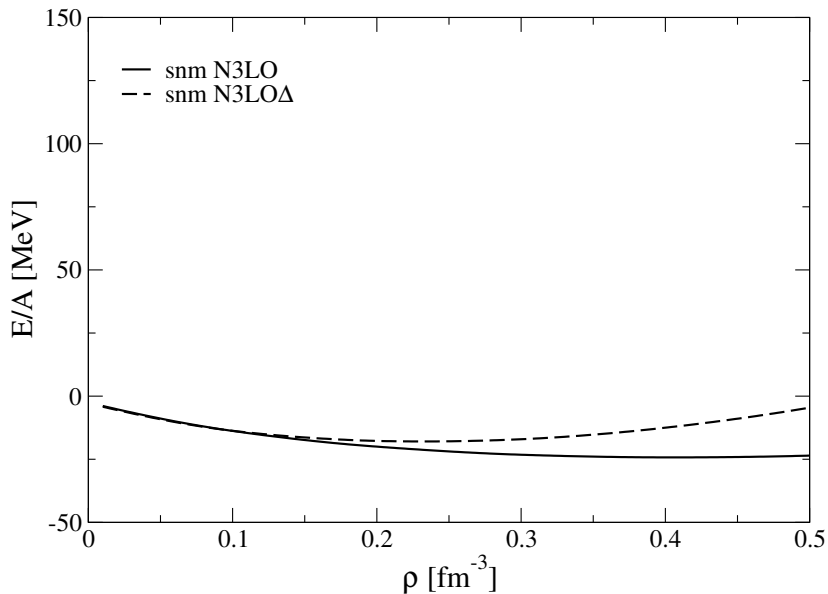
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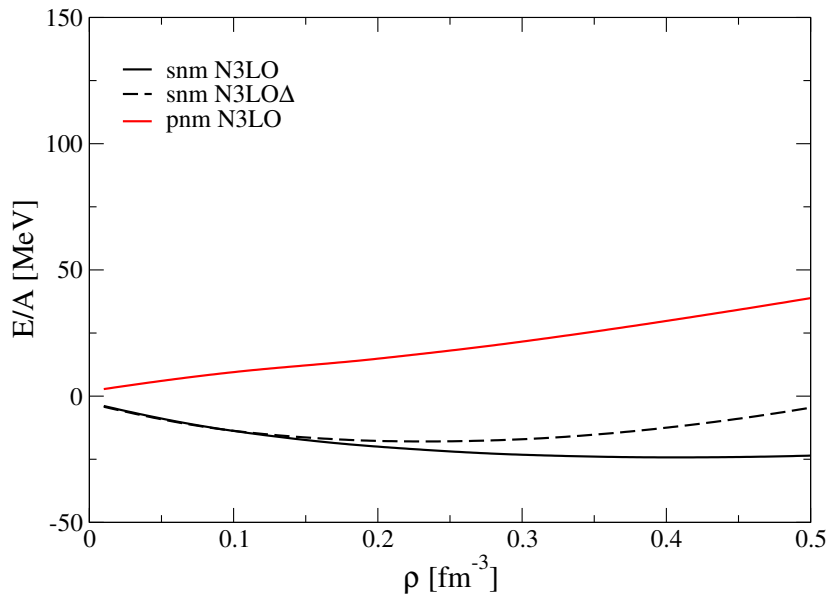


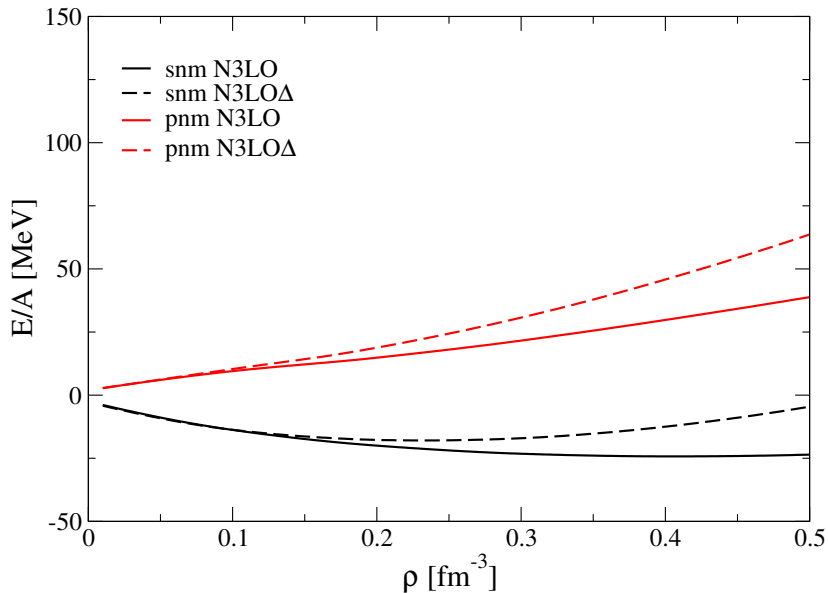
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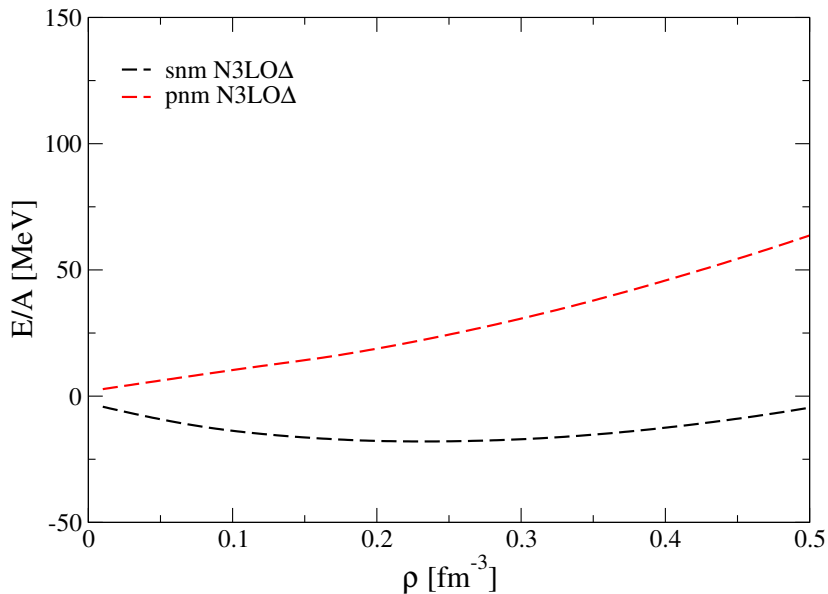


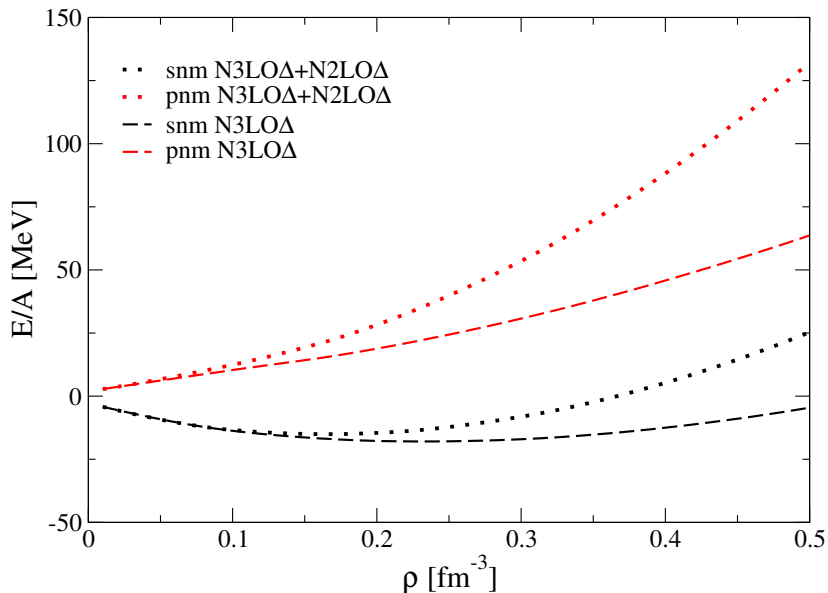




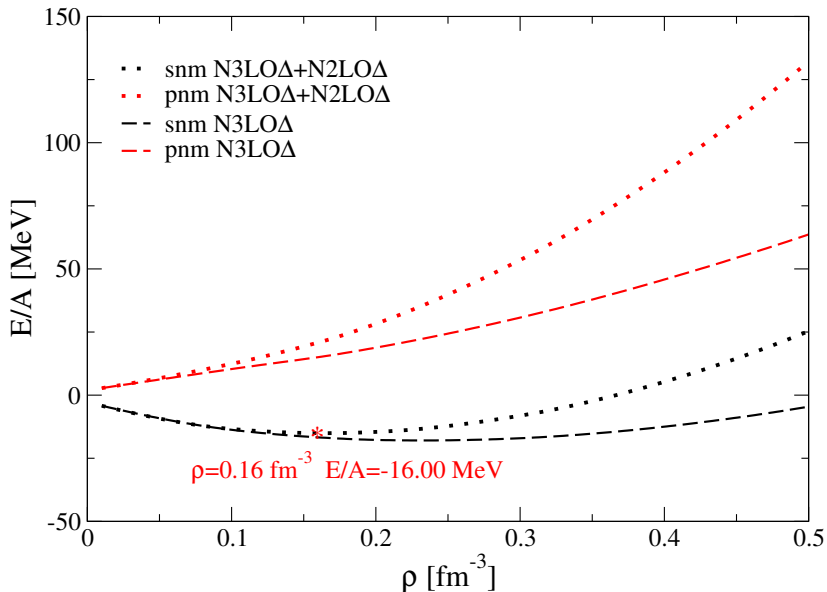




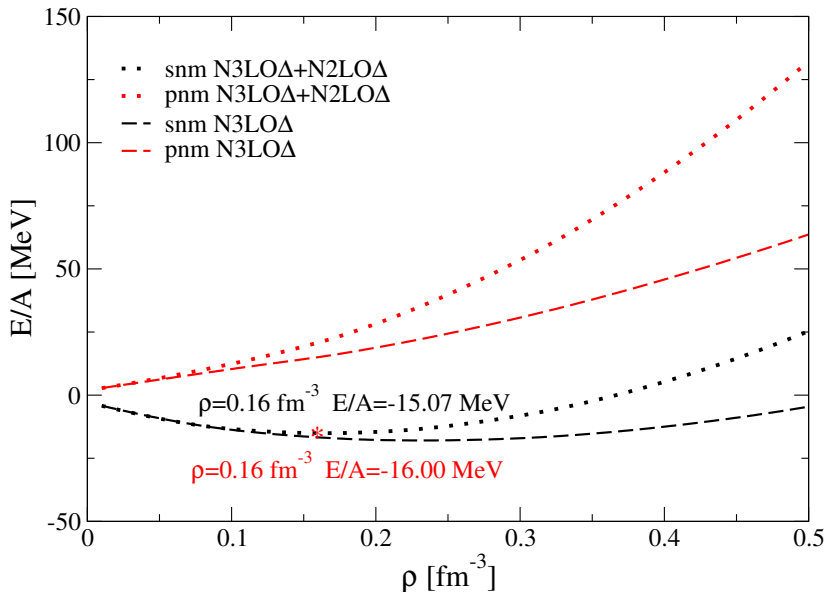








# Energy per particle $E/A$ $\rho$ -space average



- **Microscopic calculations of nuclear matter** based on **realistic interaction** can help us to understand discrepancies between **many-body** and **few-body** nuclear physics.
- New generation of interactions based on **chiral perturbation theory** provide very interesting results.
- Next to do  $\Rightarrow$  study of **hyperonic matter** based on **chiral forces**.



- Problem of maximum mass on **neutron stars**.