



Chiral phase transition of three flavor QCD with nonzero magnetic field



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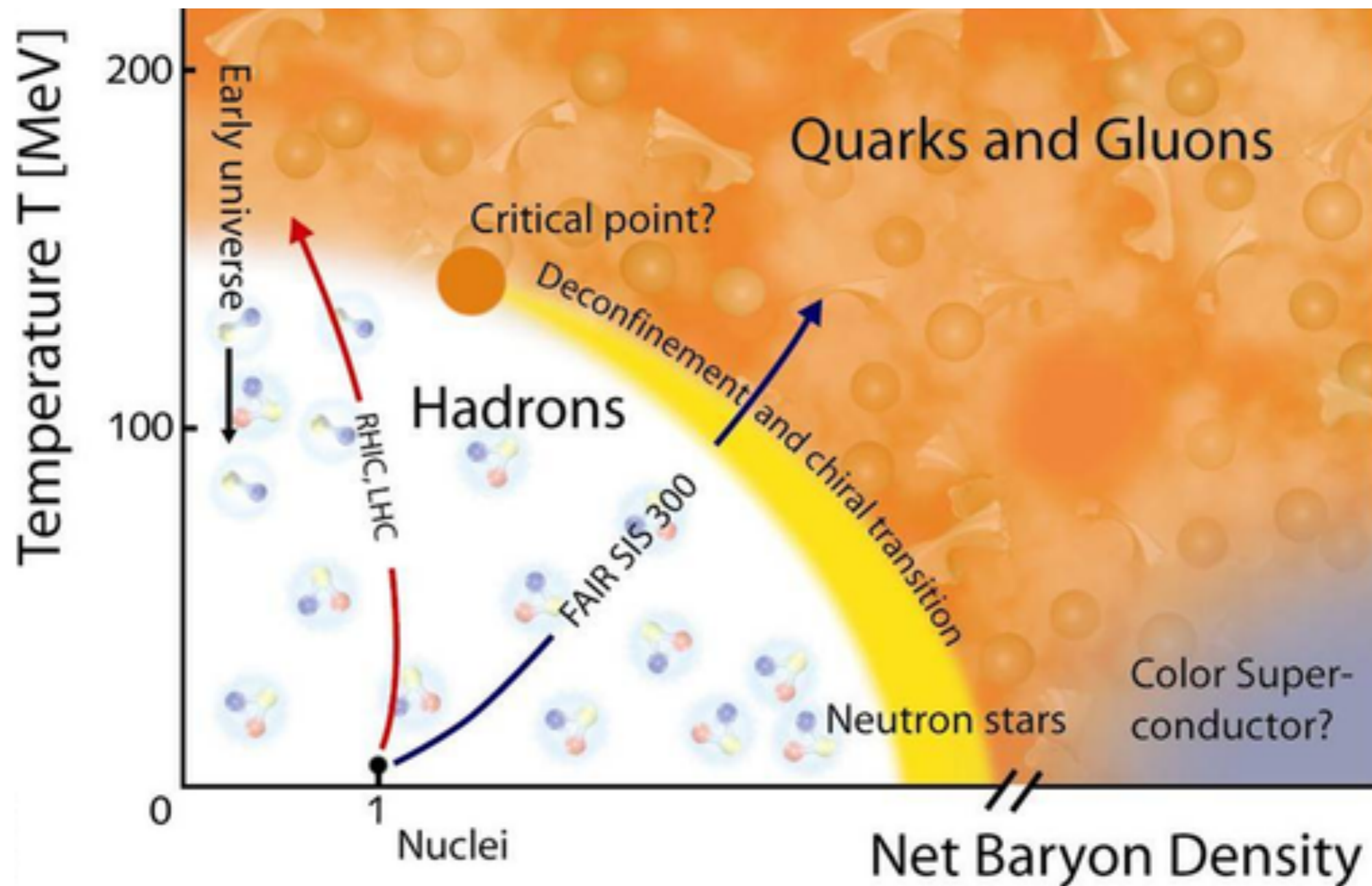
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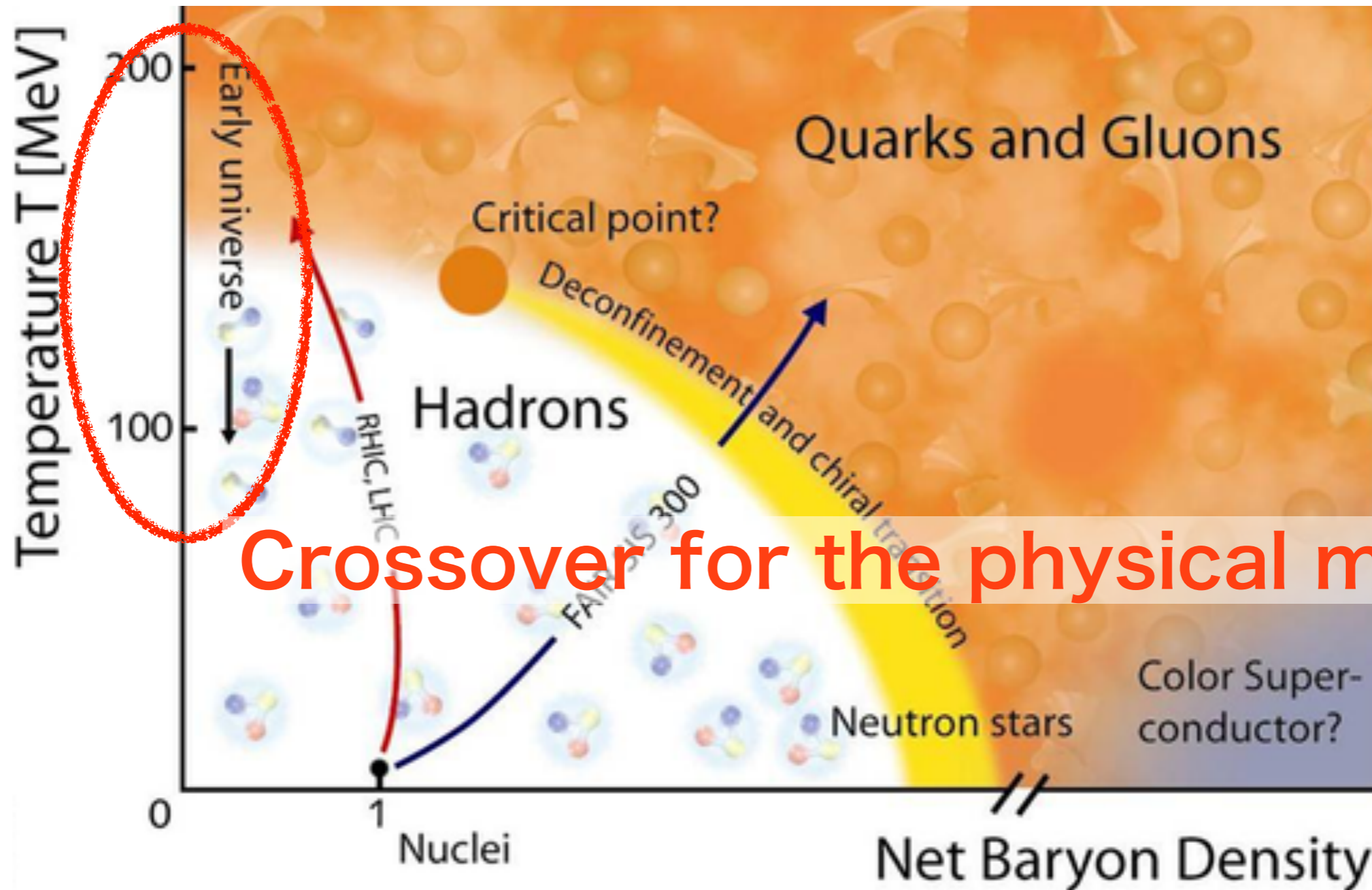
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Crossover for the physical mass

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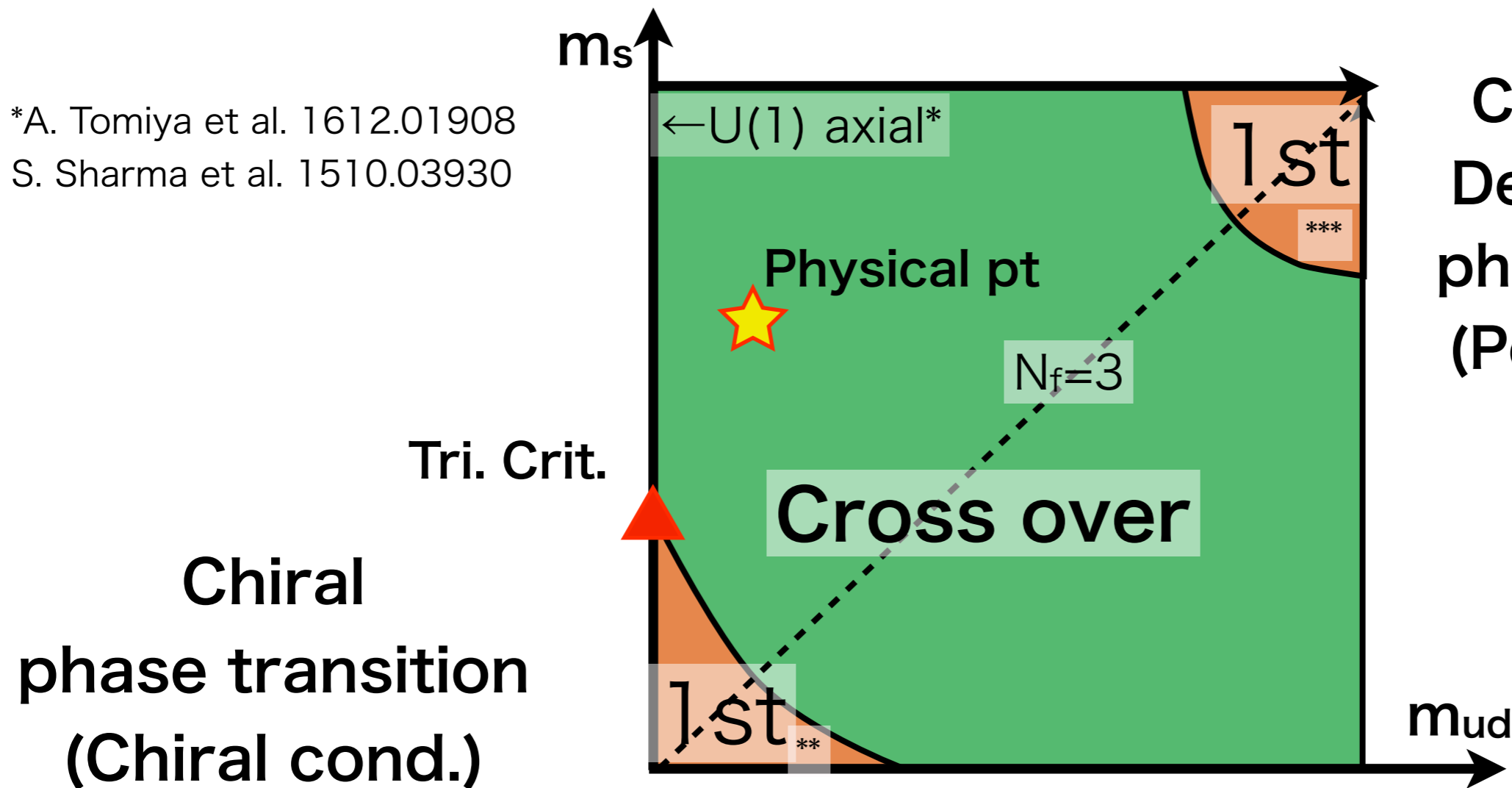
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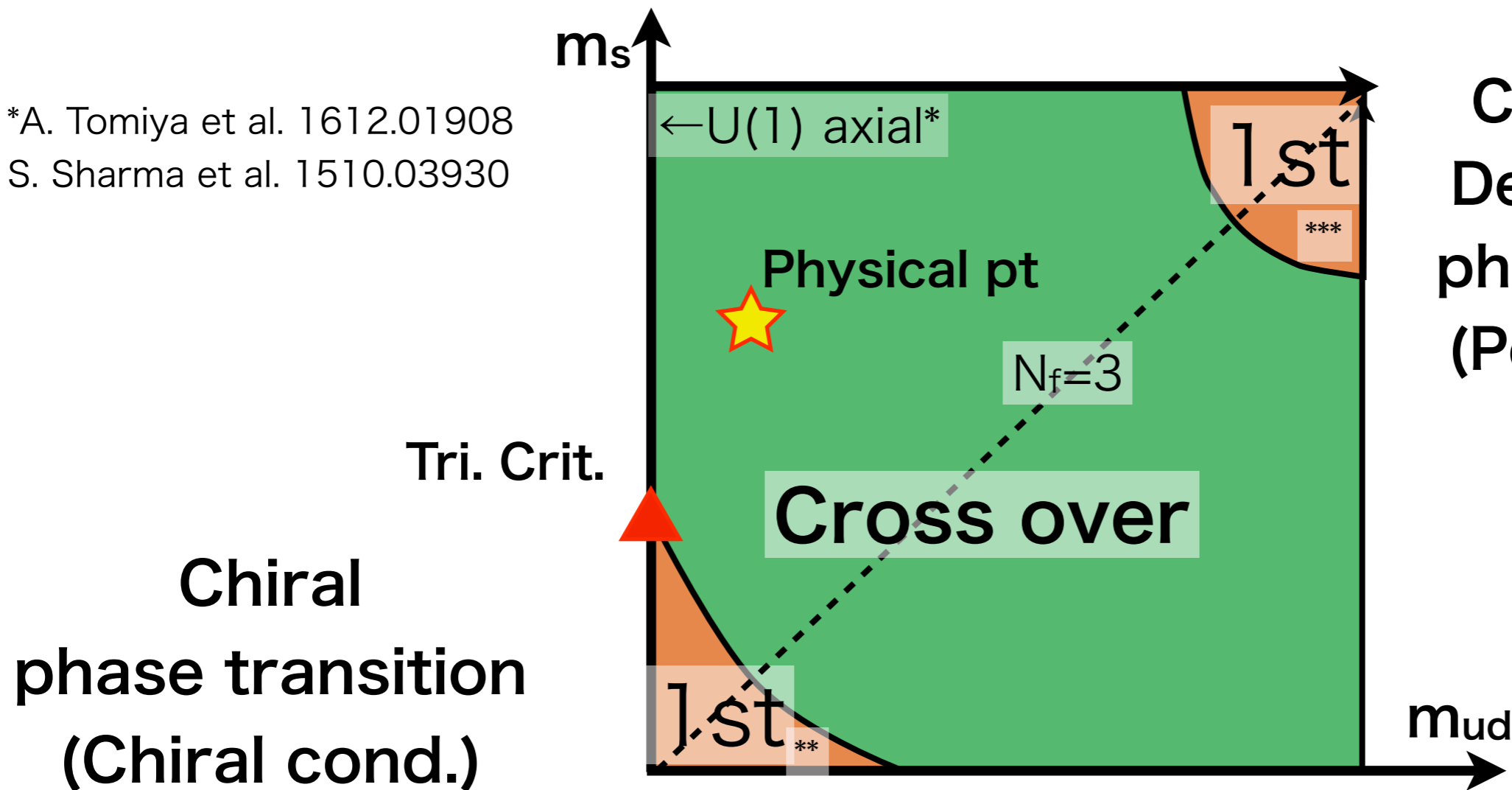
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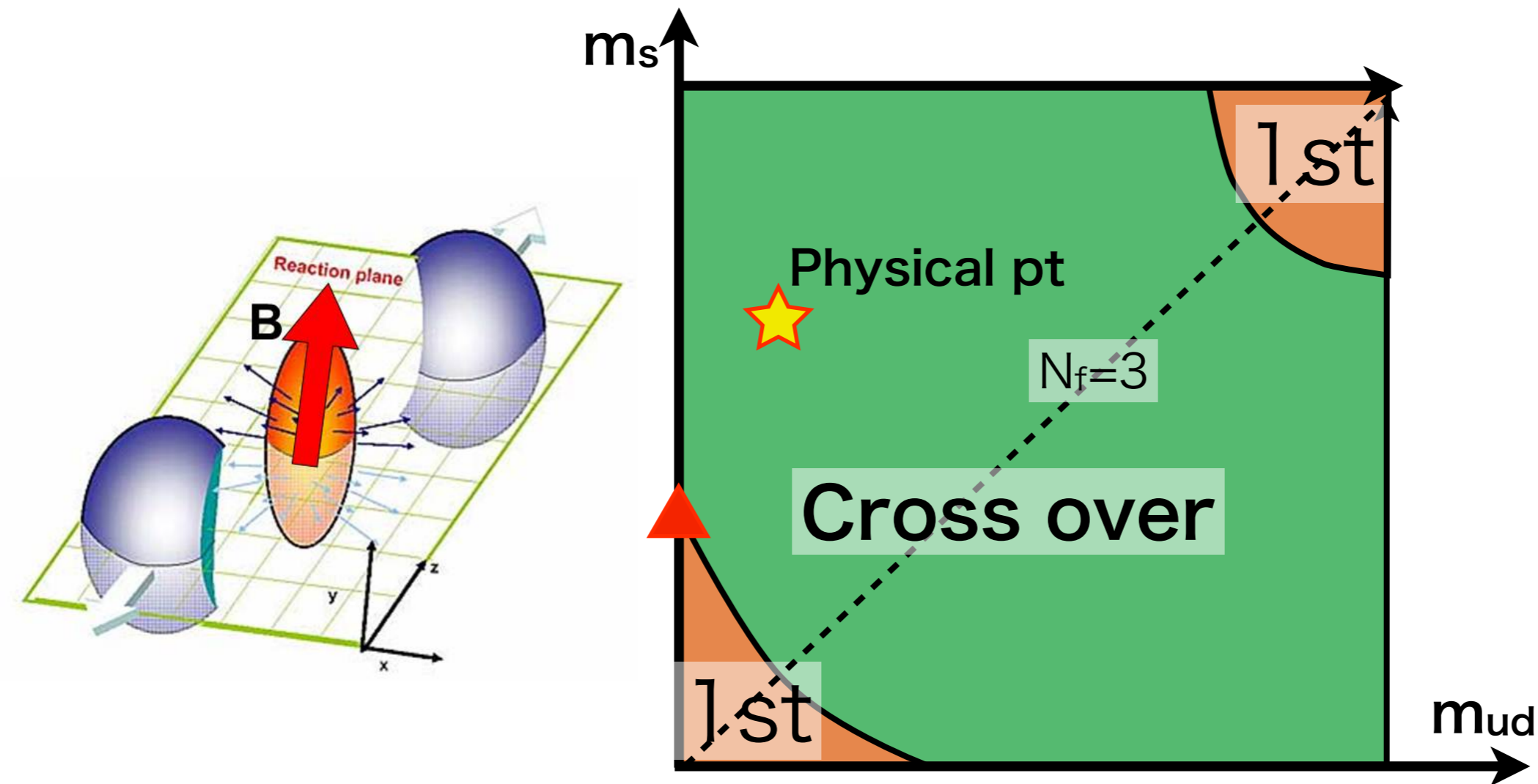
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Other than the physical point info. is useful
for model building

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*V. V. SKOKOV
et al(arXiv:0907.1396)

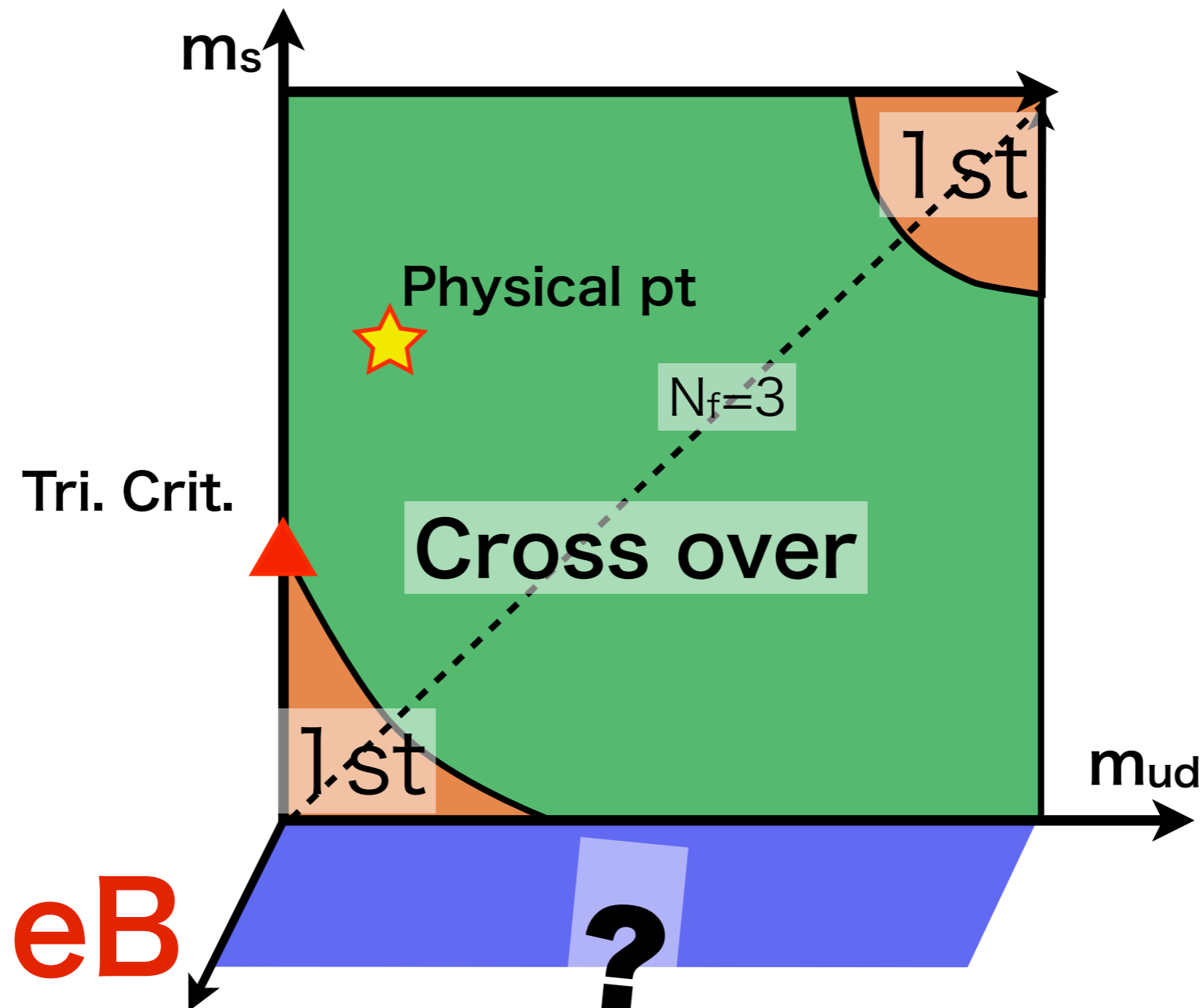
Off-central AA collisions generate huge magnetic field($15m\pi^*$)

Does it affect phase structure?

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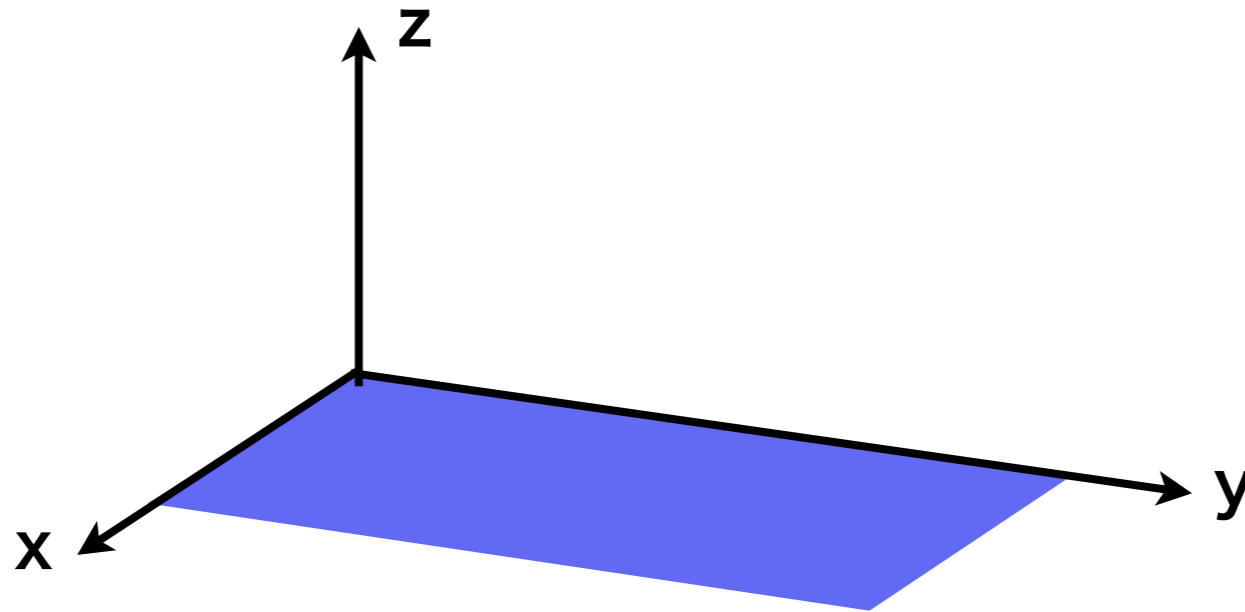
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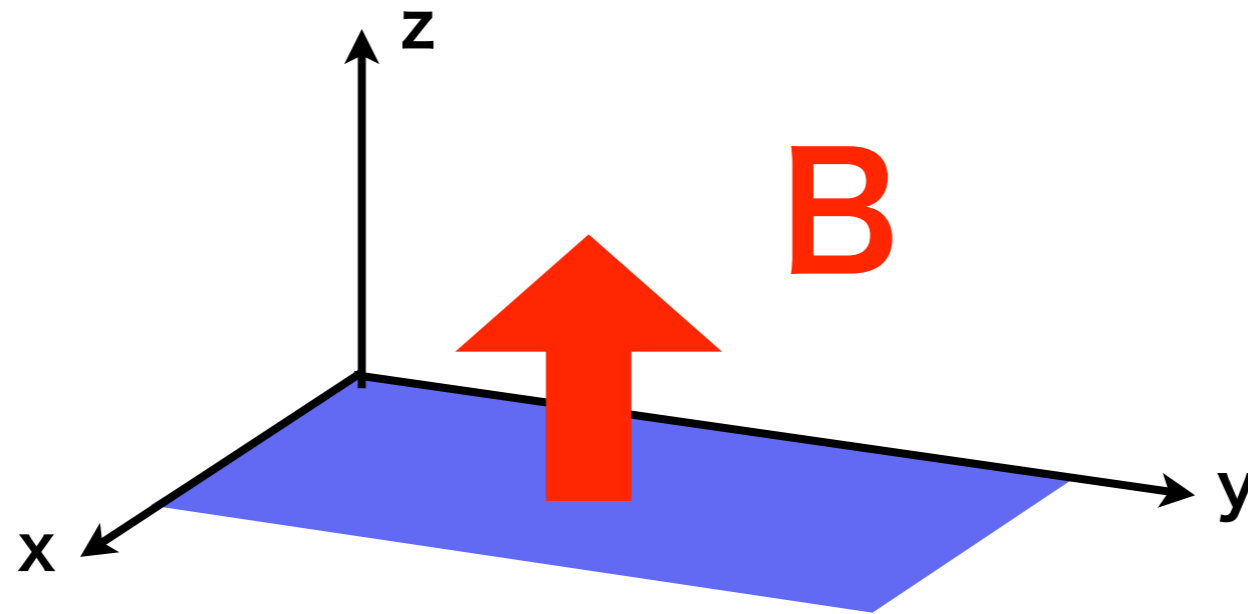
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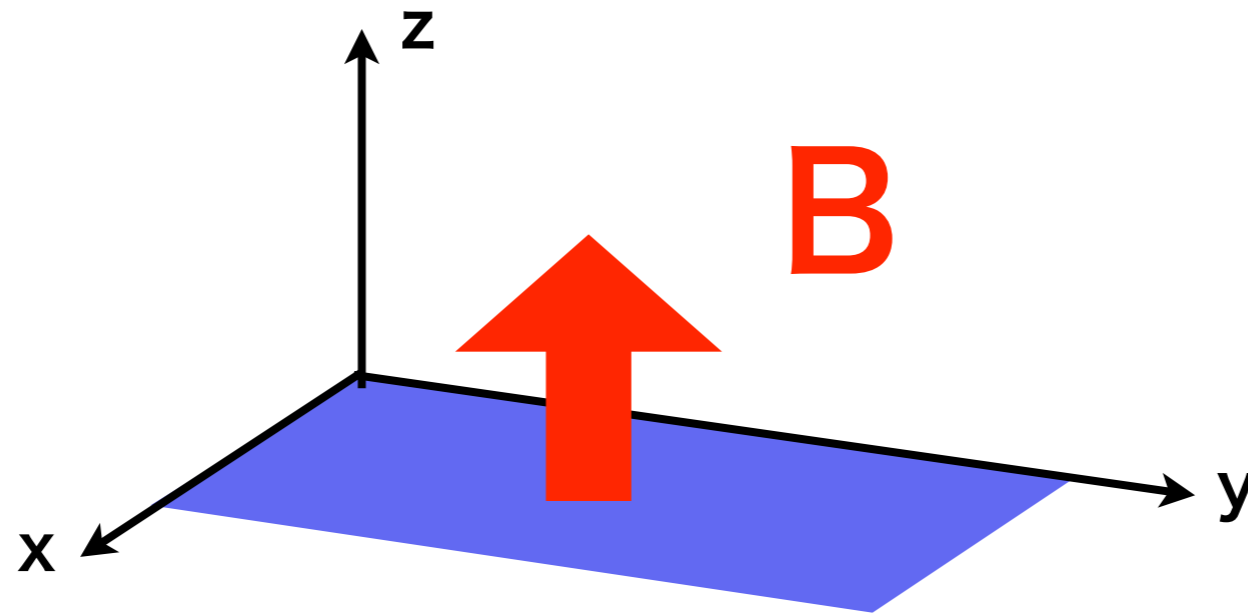
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U(1) mag. $a_\mu = (0, xB, 0, 0)$

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Magnetic field breaks:

- Lorentz symmetry
- Flavor symmetry
- Time reversal

Phase diagram will change

Outline

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2. Previous studies (5 studies as example)
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5. Summary

Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice

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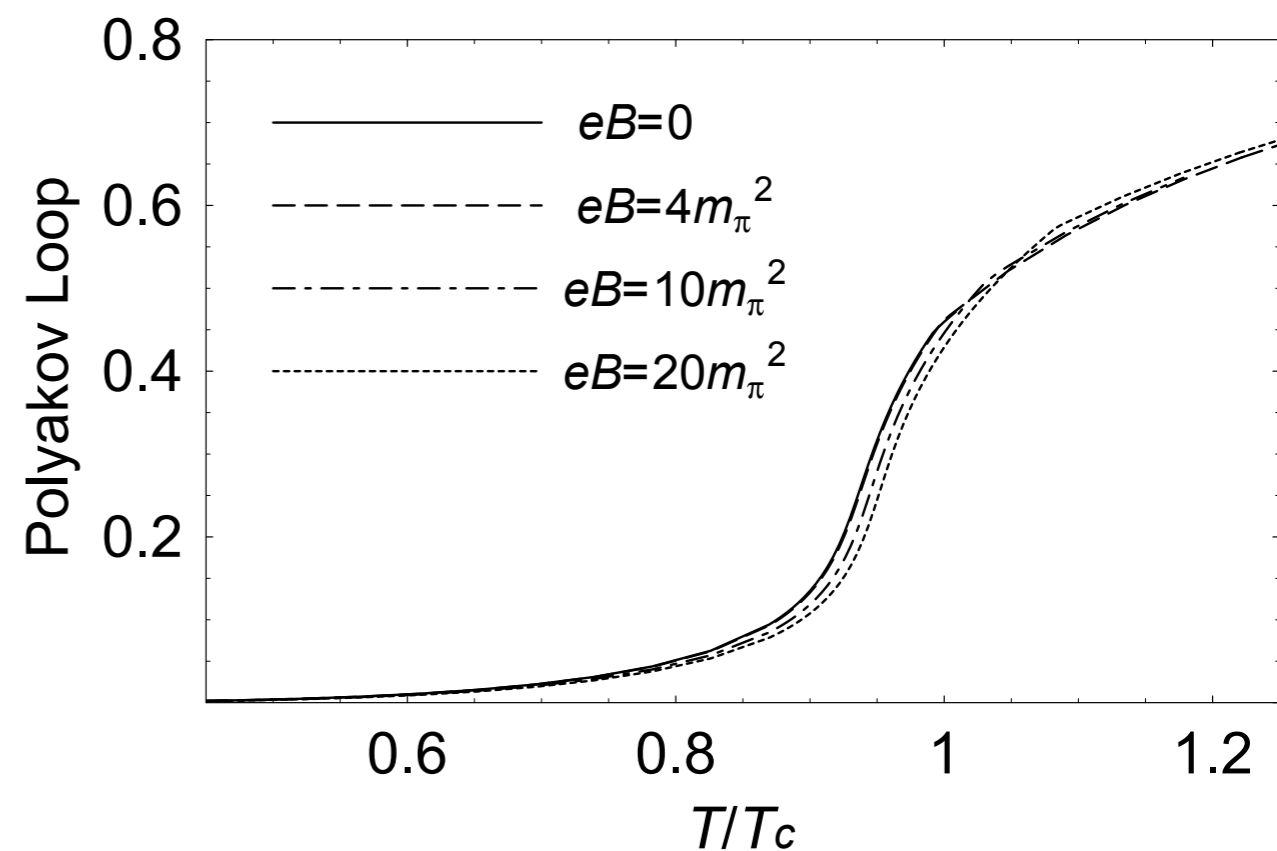
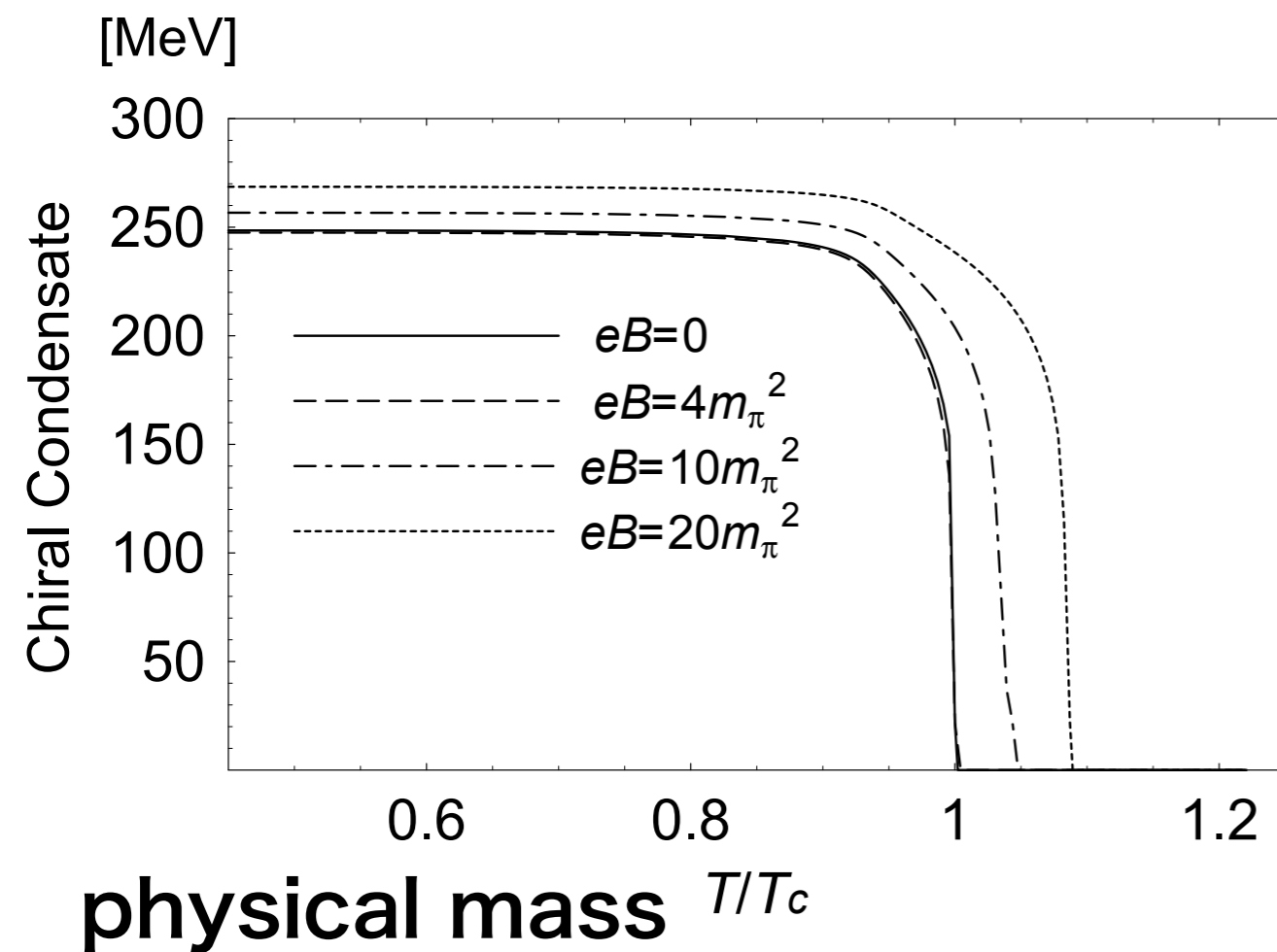
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| Model | Kenji Fukushima et al (arXiv: 1003.0047) N. O. Agasian et al (arXiv: arXiv: 0803.3156) Jens Braun et al (arXiv: 1412.6025) |
| Lattice | Massimo D'Elia et al (arXiv: 1005.5365) Gergely Endrődi 2015 (arXiv: 1504.08280) |

Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice 1/5

Model(1/3) : PNJL (Nf=2)

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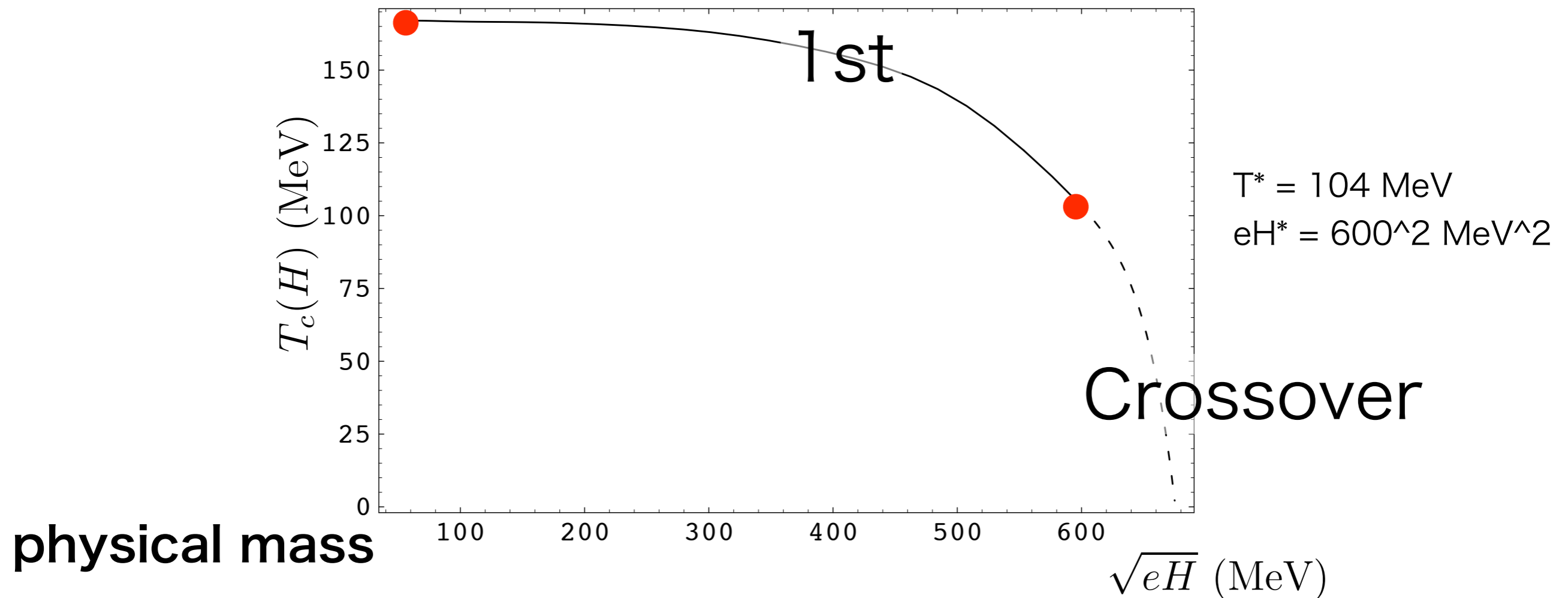
- T_c goes **up** along with mag. field.
- Order does not depend on eB ? (not discussed)

Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice 2/5

Model(2/3) : ChPT (Nf=2) + gluon

N. O. Agasian and S. M. Fedorov 2008 (arXiv: 0803.3156)



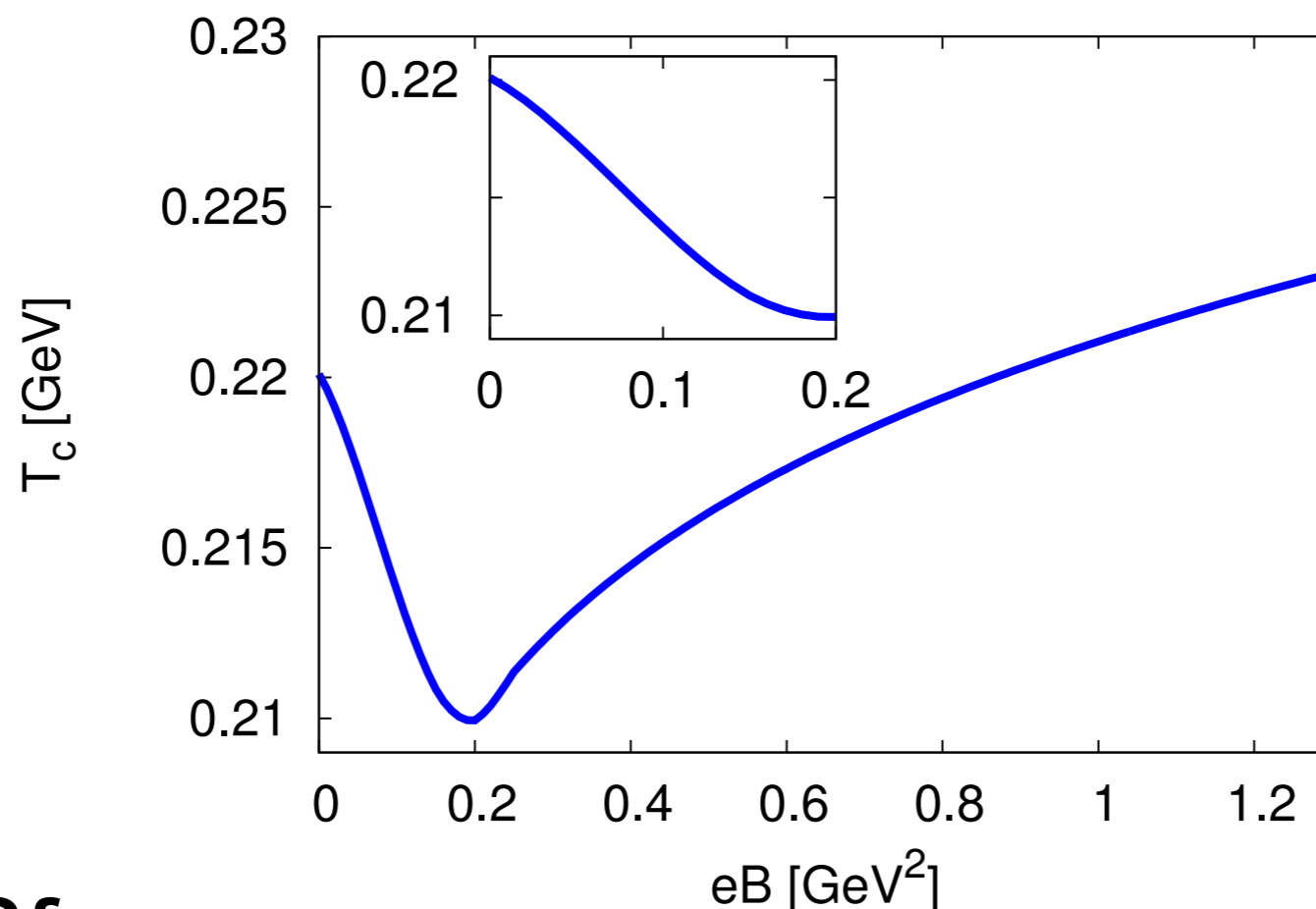
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Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice 3/5

Model(3/3) : QCD + 4-fermi intr. + Renormalization Group

Jens Braun, Walid Ahmed Mian, Stefan Rechenberger 2014 (arXiv: 1412.6025)



Massless 2f

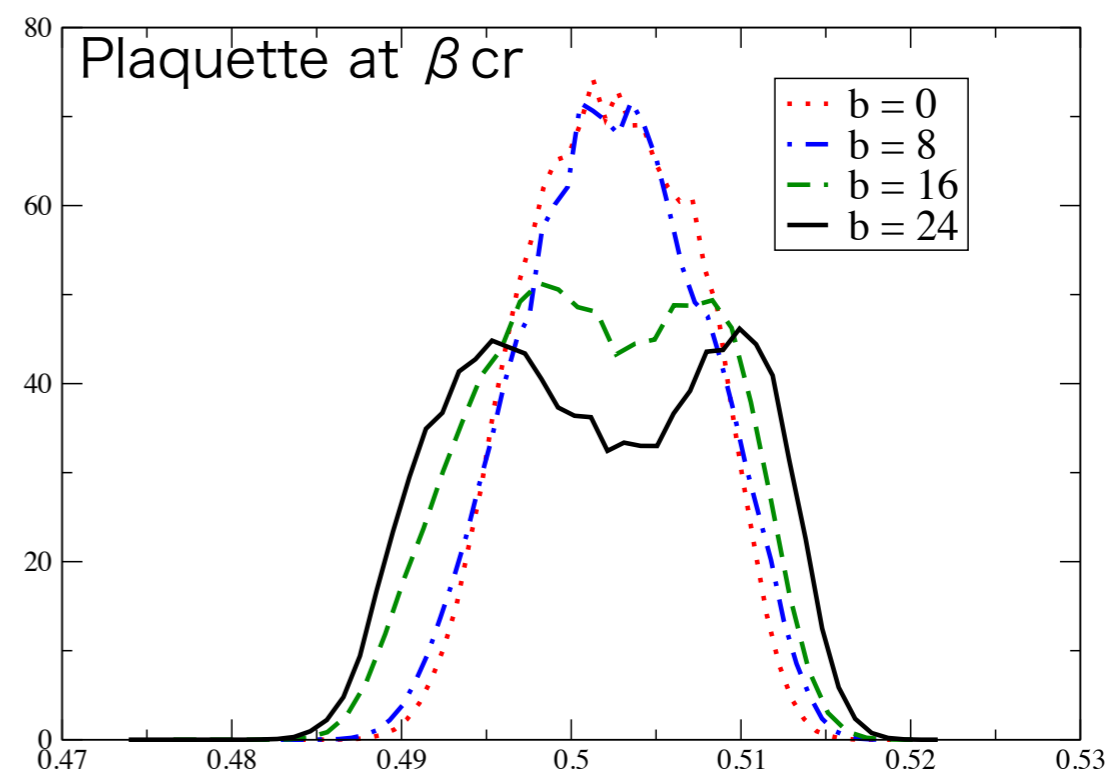
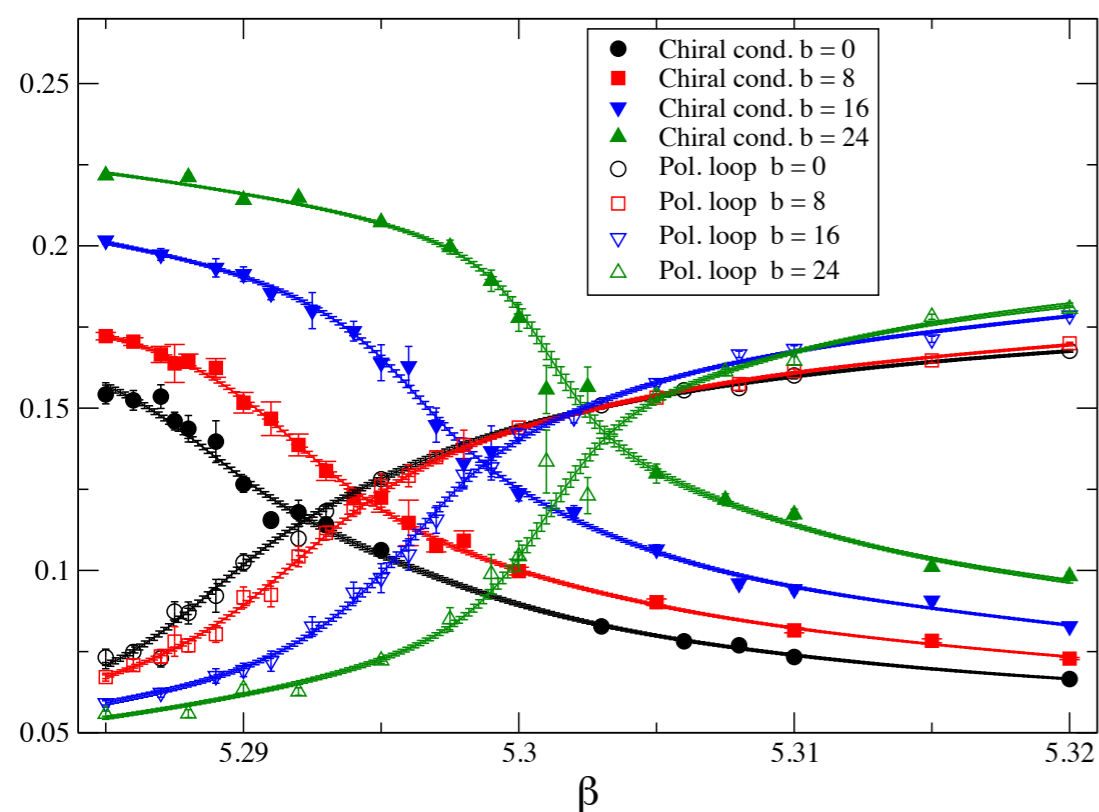
- T_c goes **down** and **up** along with mag. field.
- Order is not discussed

Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice 4/5

Lattice(1/2): $N_f=2$, standard KS

Massimo D'Elia, Swagato Mukherjee and Francesco Sanfilippo (arXiv: 1005.5365)



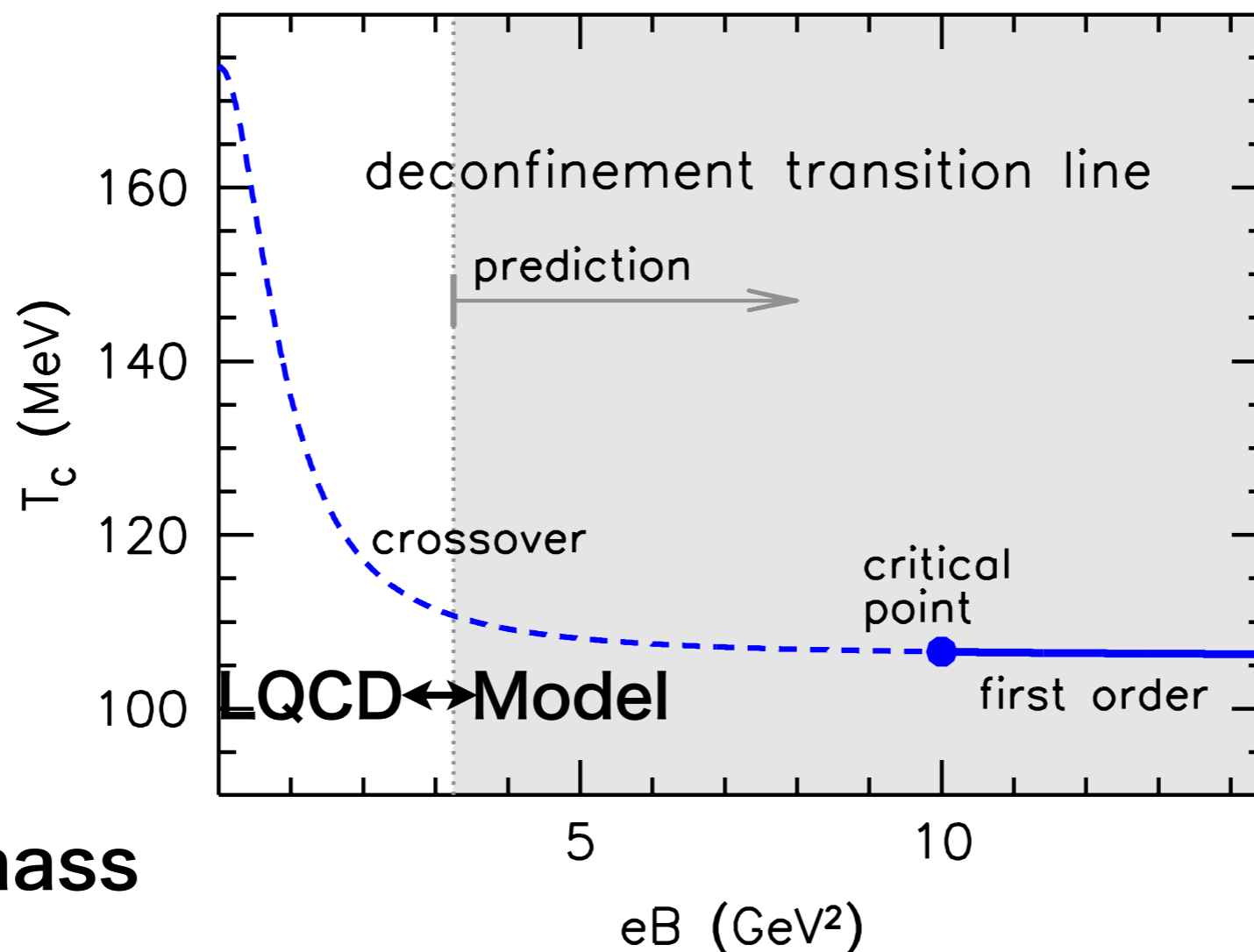
$m_\pi \approx 275$ MeV

- T_c goes **up** along with mag. field.
- Order depends on eB (Crossover to strong 1st)

Background & Motivation

Previous studies: Model & Lattice 5/5

Lattice(2/2) + model: $N_f = 3$, stout KS, physical mass
 Gergely Endrődi 2015 (arXiv: 1504.08280)



Physical mass

- T_c goes **down** along with mag. field.
- Order depends on eB (crossover to 1st by a model)

Background & Motivation

Tc and order

QCD phase transition with external U(1) magnetic field has been investigated for long years, from J. Schwinger(1951)

| Author(s) | Ref. | Method | Tc w/ eB | Order w/ eB |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Kenji Fukushima et al | arXiv: 1003.0047 | PNJL(2f) at m_{phys} | Increase | No change? |
| N. O. Agasian et al | arXiv: 0803.3156 | ChPT(2f) at m_{phys} | Decrease | 1st to crossover |
| Jens Braun et al | arXiv: 1412.6025 | RG, massless 2f | Decrease and increase | ? |
| Massimo D'Elia et al | arXiv: 1005.5365 | KS(2f) | Increase | Crossover to strong 1st |
| Gergely Endrődi | arXiv: 1504.08280 | Stout KS (3f) at m_{phys} + model | Decrease | Crossover to 1st (model) |

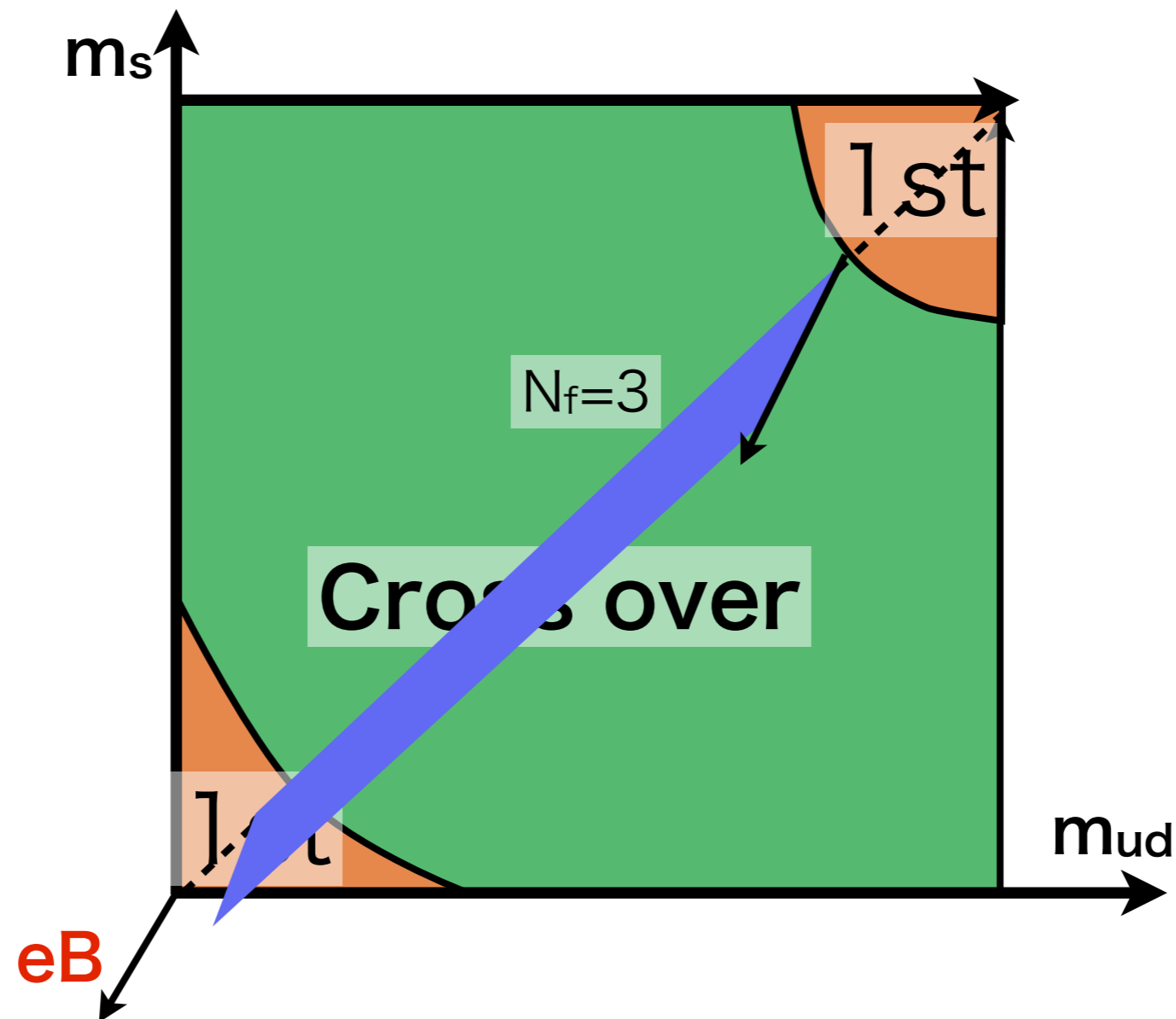
Ref. 1208.0917, 1209.0374, 1411.7176 and there in

We examine dependence of the order of phase transition on quark mass and external magnetic field

What we have done

Dependence of order of transition on m_a and eB

Mass degenerated 3 flavor QCD with magnetic field



$m_a = 0.024$ (1st order), 0.028 (~critical pt), $0.2, 0.4, 0.8$
 Check the order of phase transition on eB

Setup

3 Flavor Standard staggered + Wilson plaq. action

Setup: 3 Flavor degenerated mass staggered fermion (same as *)

4th rooted RHMC, Observables: chiral condensates, Polyakov loop

Resource: Fermi-lab GPU cluster

| | $m_q a$ | Size | β range | Nb (Magnetic flux) | #Conf. |
|-------|--------------------------------|--|---------------|-----------------------|---------|
| Light | 0.024(1st order for Nb=0*) | $24^3 \times 4$ ($16^3 \times 4$) | 5.128-5.160 | 0-56 | O(2000) |
| | 0.028(Critical for Nb = 0*) | $16^3 \times 4$ | 5.130-5.170 | 0-56 | O(1500) |
| Heavy | 0.2 | $16^3 \times 4$ | 5.10-5.65 | 0-56 | O(500) |
| | 0.4 | $16^3 \times 4$ | 5.35-5.65 | 0-56 | O(500) |
| | 0.8 | $16^3 \times 4$ | 5.35-5.85 | 0-56 | O(700) |

$$qBa^2 = \frac{2\pi N_b}{N_x N_y}$$

* Dominik Smith et al 2010 (arXiv: 1109.6729)

Nb: Number of magnetic flux

Mass vs magnetic field

Magnetic field changes eigenvalues

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi} \left(\gamma_{\mu} (\partial_{\mu} - iq \underline{a_{\mu}}) + \underline{m} \right) \psi$$

U(1) gauge field affects as “mass” to the system
then we can estimate a “comparable mass” as,

$$a\sqrt{eB} = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi N_b}{N_x N_y |q|}} = am_{N_b}$$

q=2/3 Nx=Ny=16 case,

| | | | | | | | |
|------------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| N_b | 1 | 4 | 17 | 24 | 32 | 56 | 64 |
| am_{N_b} | 0.19 | 0.38 | 0.79 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.5 |

For each N_b is consider to be compatible with the quark mass

We choose $ma=0.2, 0.4, 0.8$ to see effect of quark mass and the magnetic field

Preliminary Results

For 5 quark mass points:

$m_a = 0.024$ (1st order),

$m_a = 0.028$ (just above the critical pt, crossover regime),

$m_a = 0.2$ (comparable with magnetic field $N_b=1$)

$m_a = 0.4$ (comparable with magnetic field $N_b=5$)

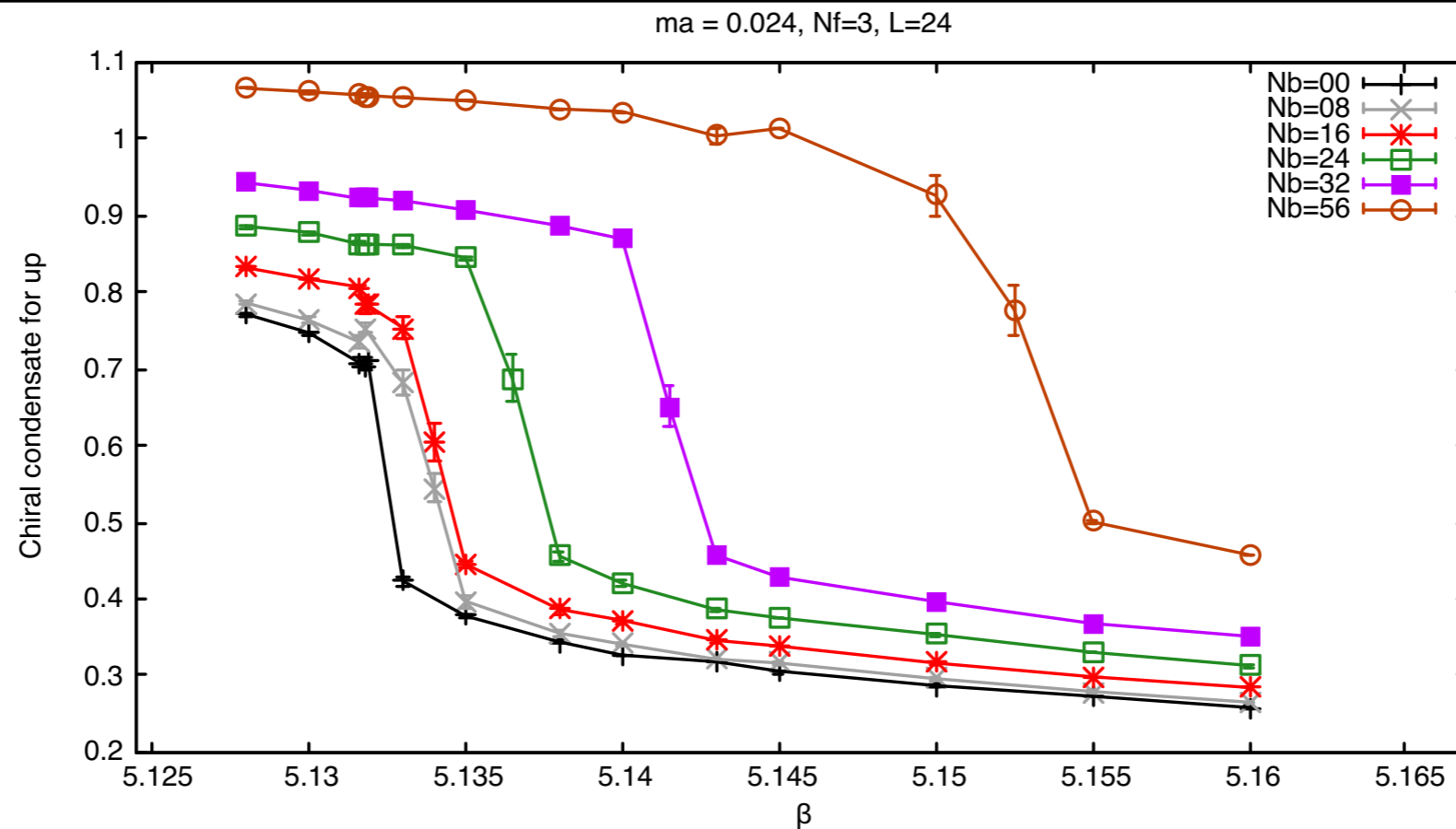
$m_a = 0.8$ (comparable with magnetic field $N_b=24$)

Preliminary Result (1/5)

am = 0.024(1st for Nb=0): 1st becomes stronger?

$L=24^3 \times 4$

Up quark cond.



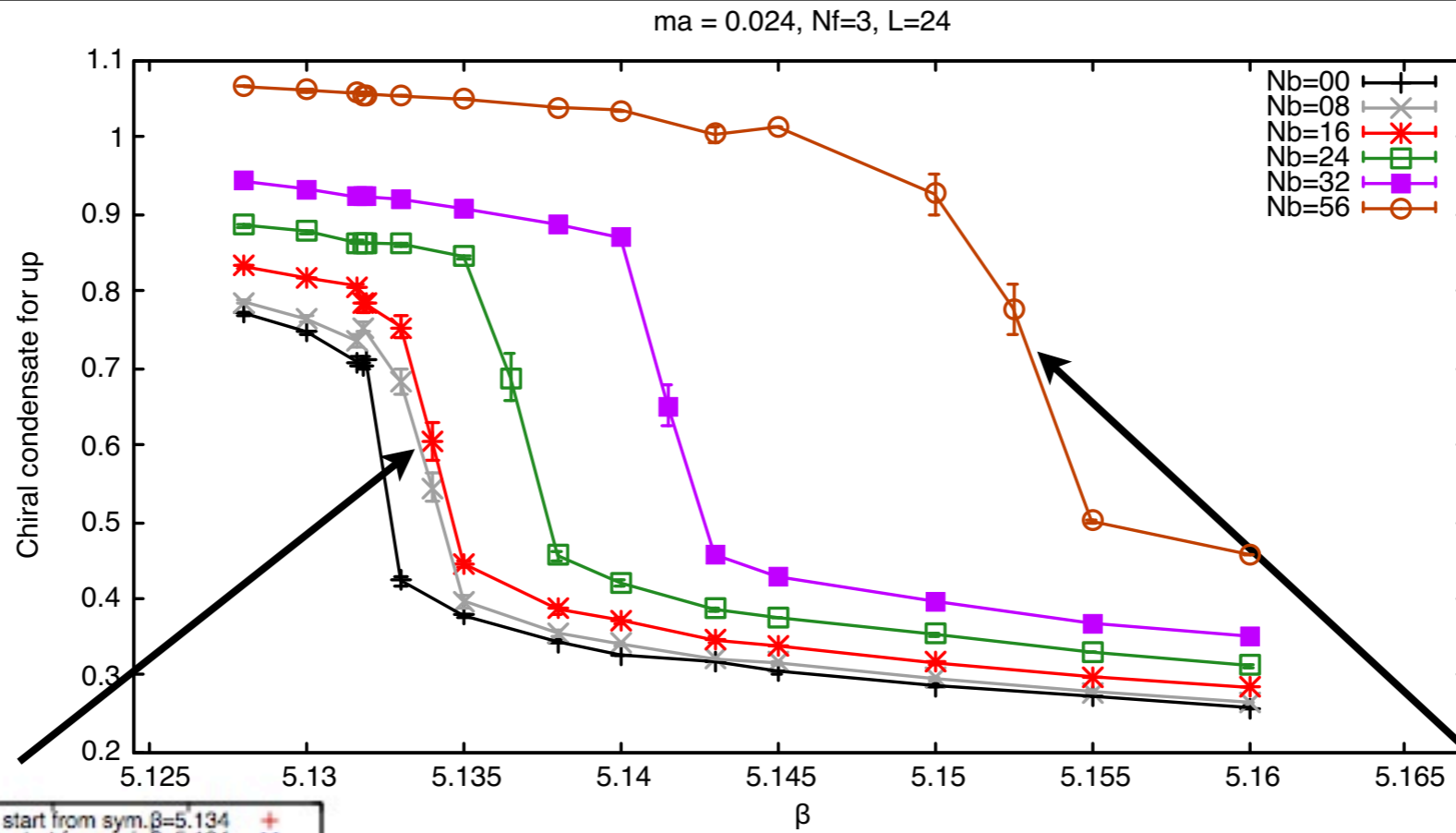
**Tc increases
Nb -> Large**

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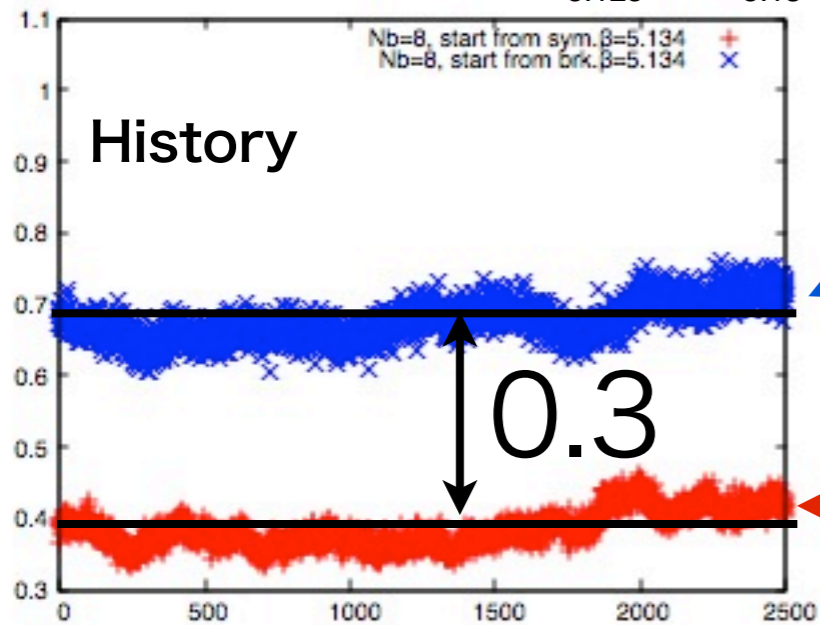
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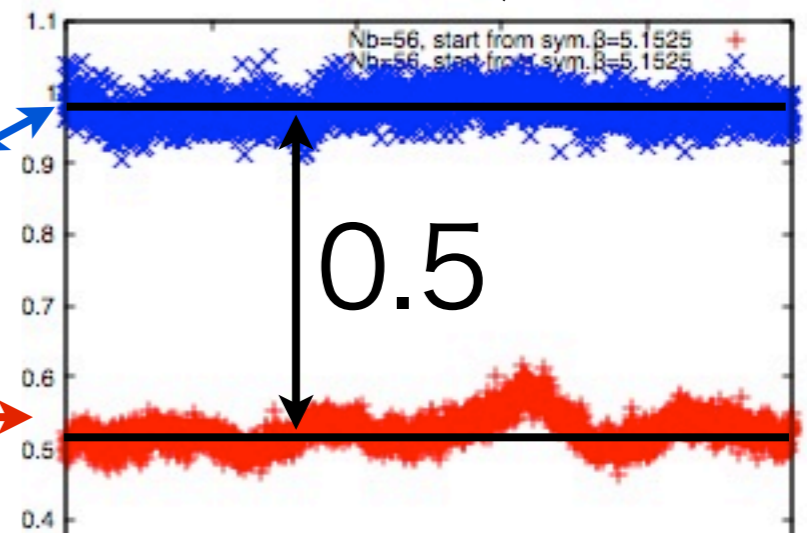


**T_c increases
Nb \rightarrow Large**



Start from broken phase

Start from sym. phase



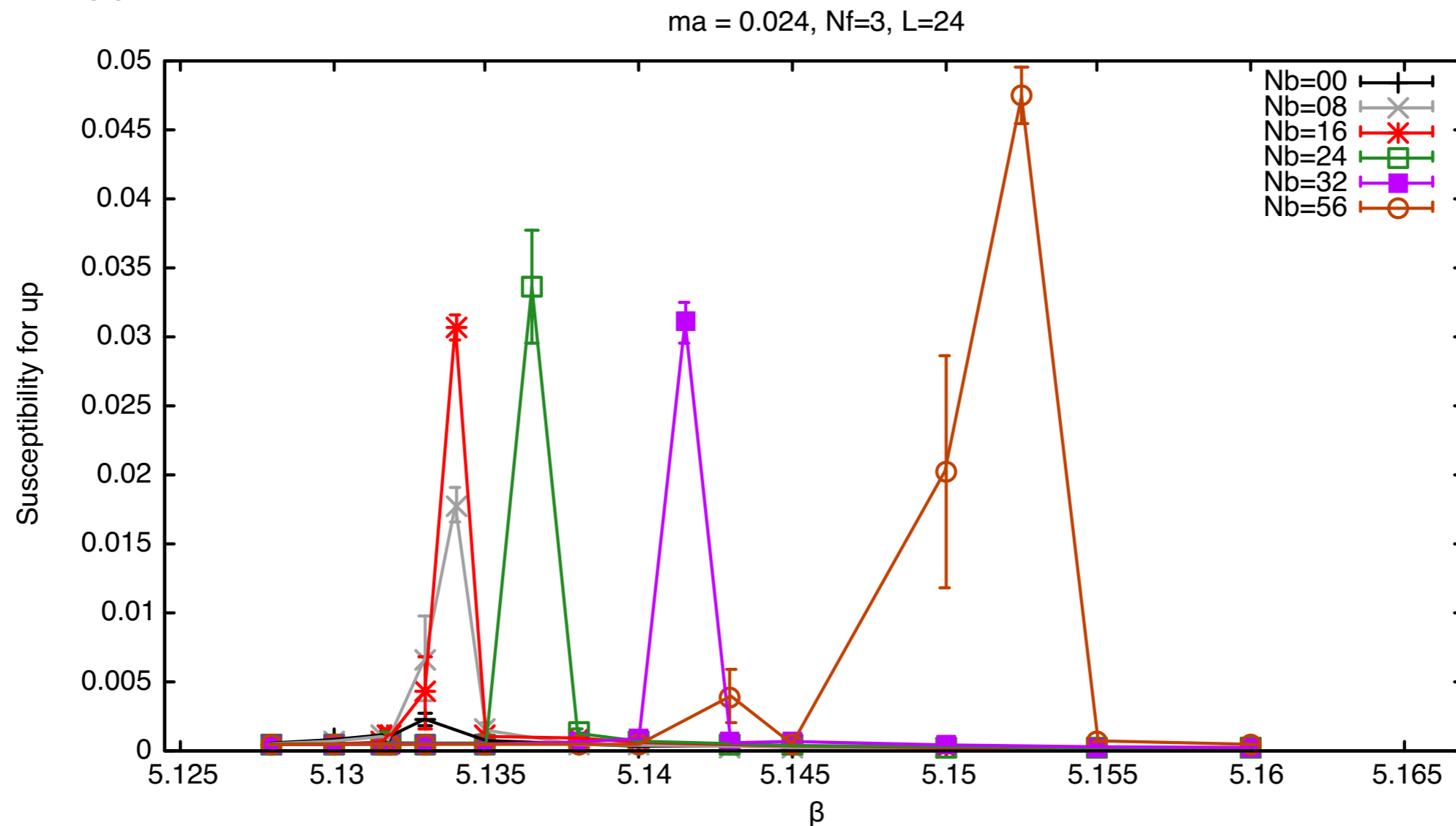
Hysteresis (=1st order) and the gap of them becomes larger

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The Binder ratio(cumulant)

$B_4 = 1$: 1st. $B_4 \sim 1.6$: 2nd(Z_2). $B_4 = 3$: Crossover

The Binder cumulant is defined as ratio of 4th order cumulant with square of 2nd order cumulant,

$$B_4(x) = \frac{\langle (\delta M(x))^4 \rangle}{\langle (\delta M(x))^2 \rangle^2} \quad \text{M: order parameter}$$

This quantity can distinguish the order of phase transition

$$B_4 \begin{cases} = 1 & \text{First order} \\ \sim 1.6 & \text{Second with } Z_2 \\ \sim 3 & \text{Crossover} \end{cases}$$

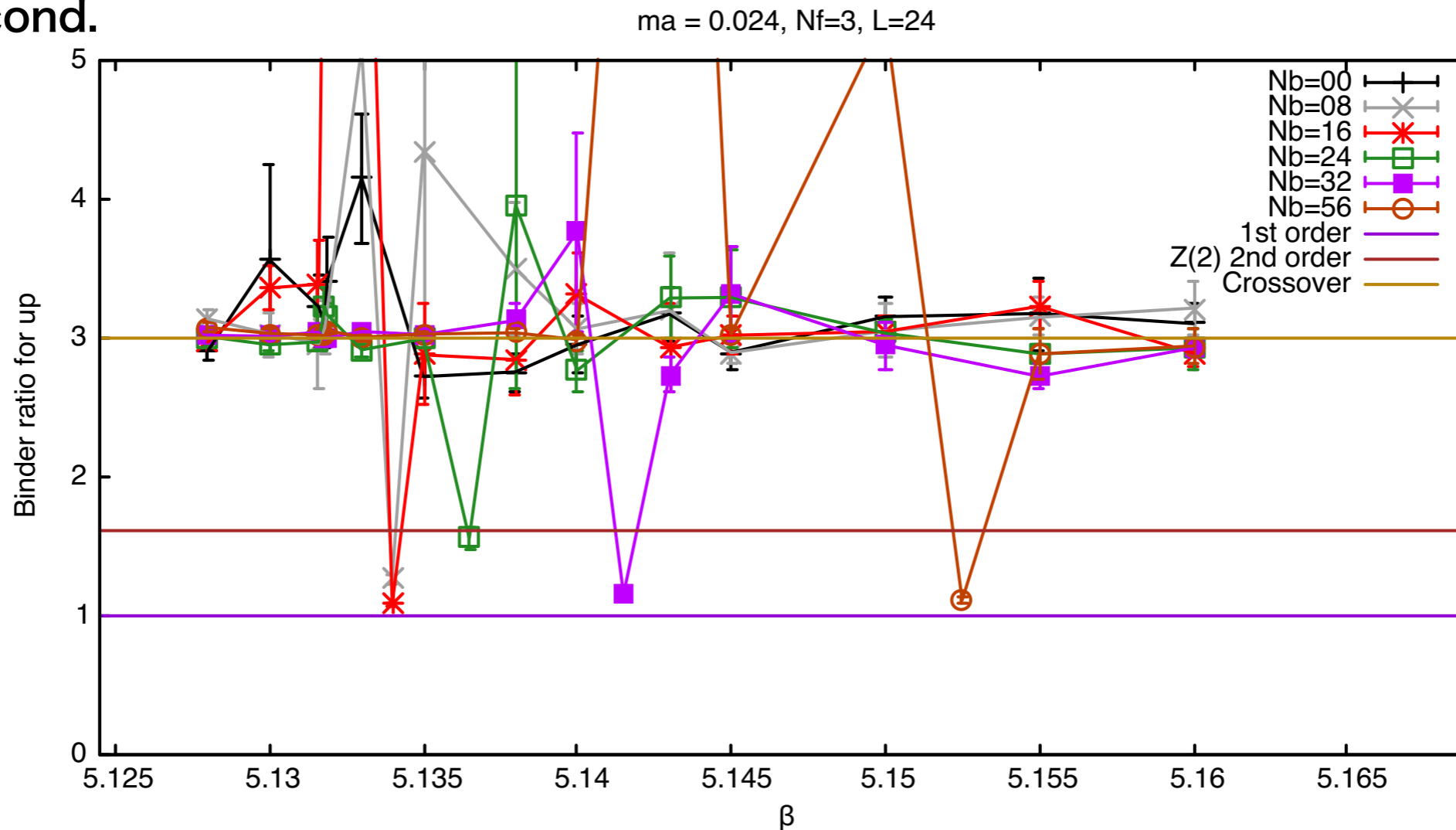
But higher statistics are demanded

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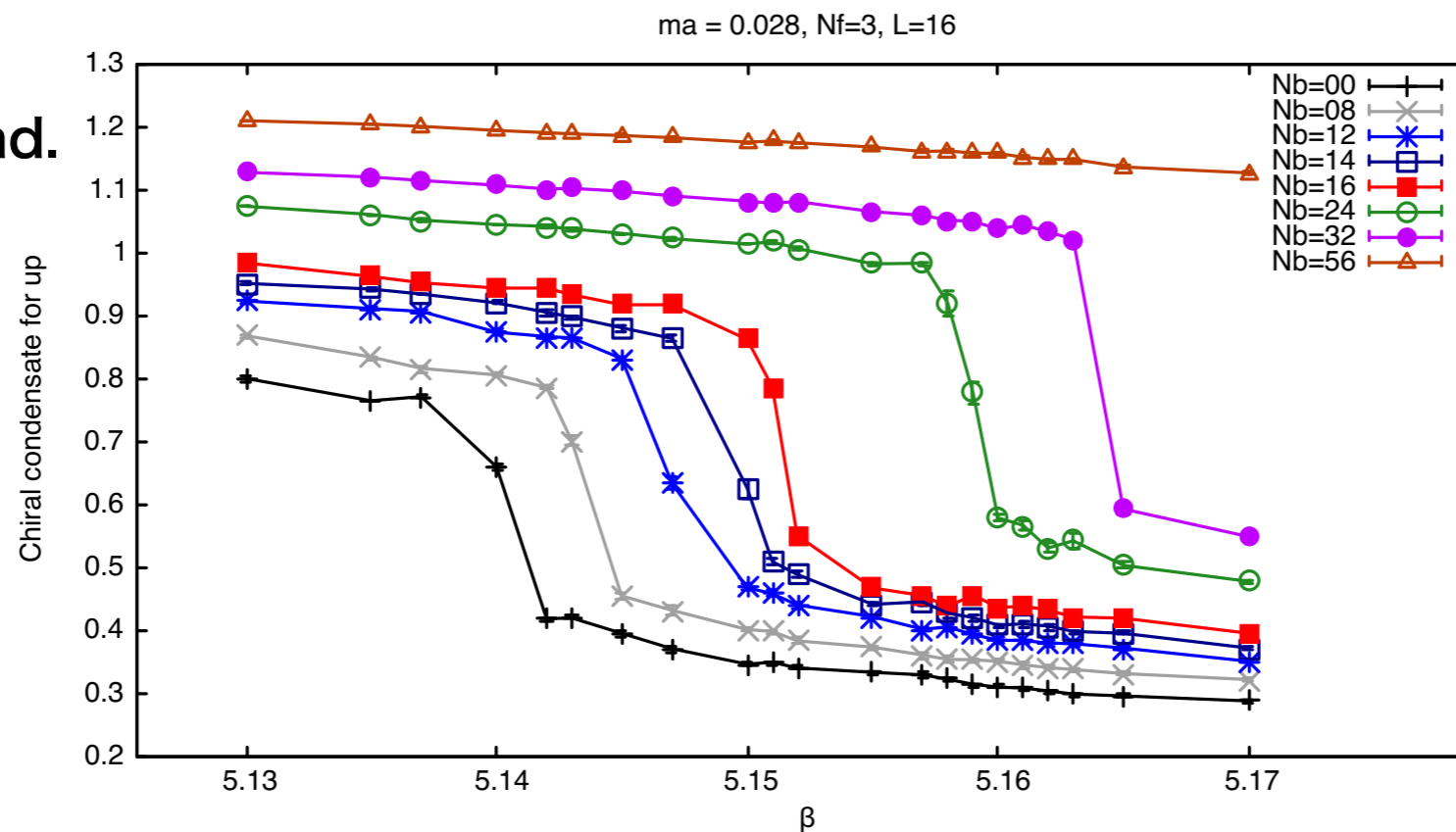
(For Nb=0, 1st order is already confirmed in
Dominik Smith & Christian Schmidt 2010)
Statistics is not enough

Preliminary Result (2/5)

$am = 0.028$ (crossover for $N_b=0$): crossover to 1st

$L=16^3 \times 4$

Up quark cond.



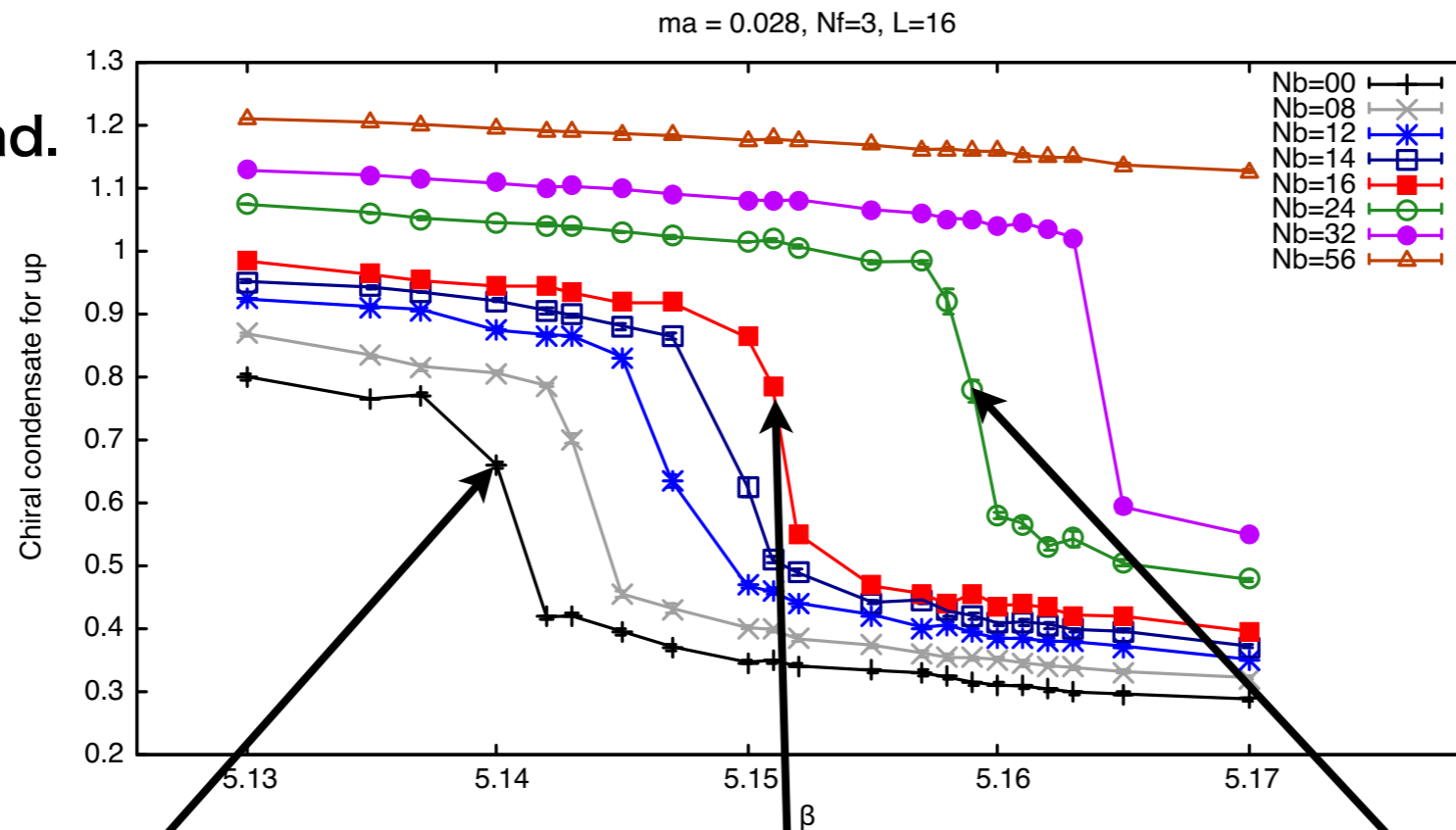
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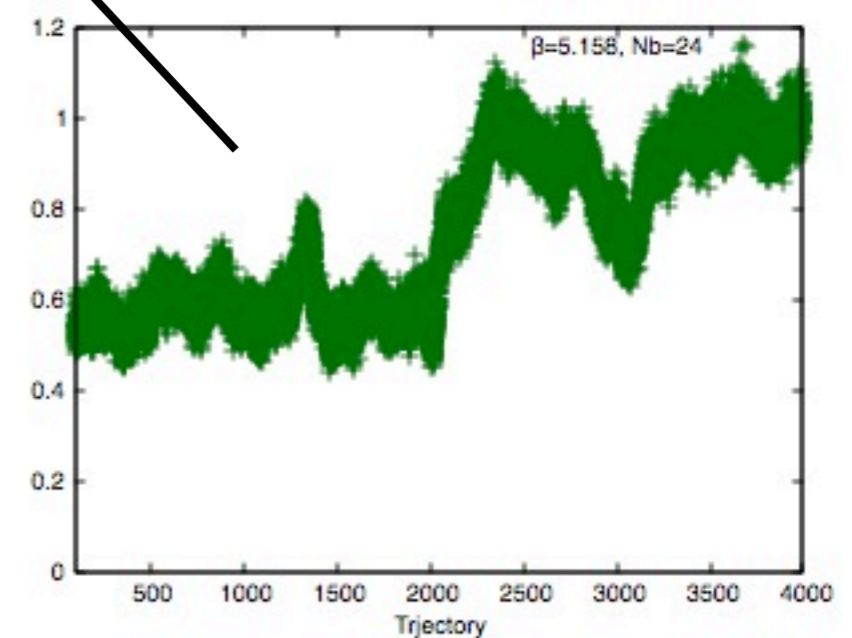
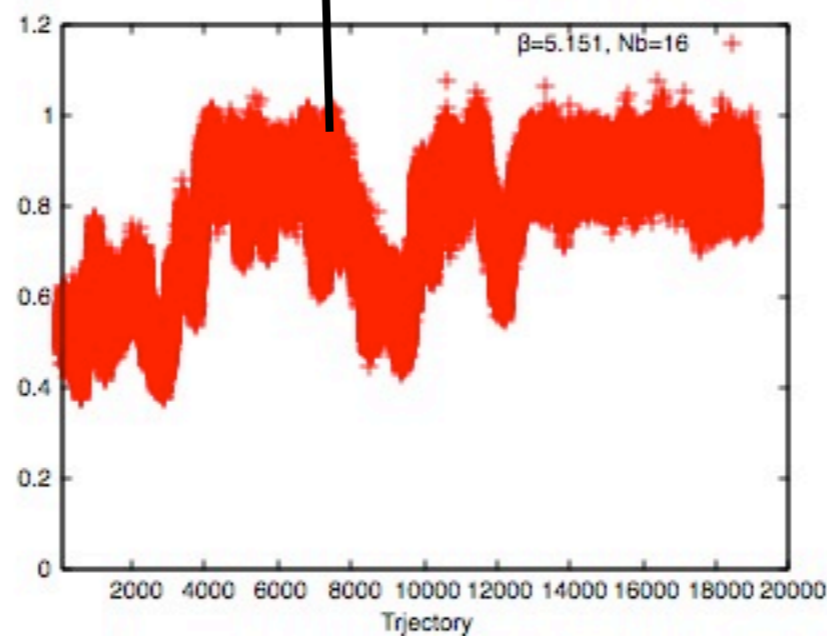
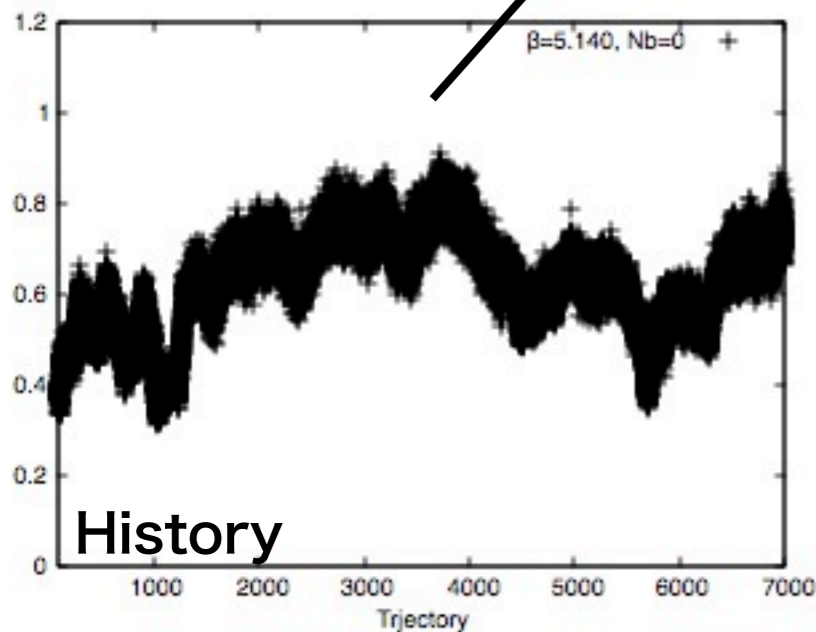
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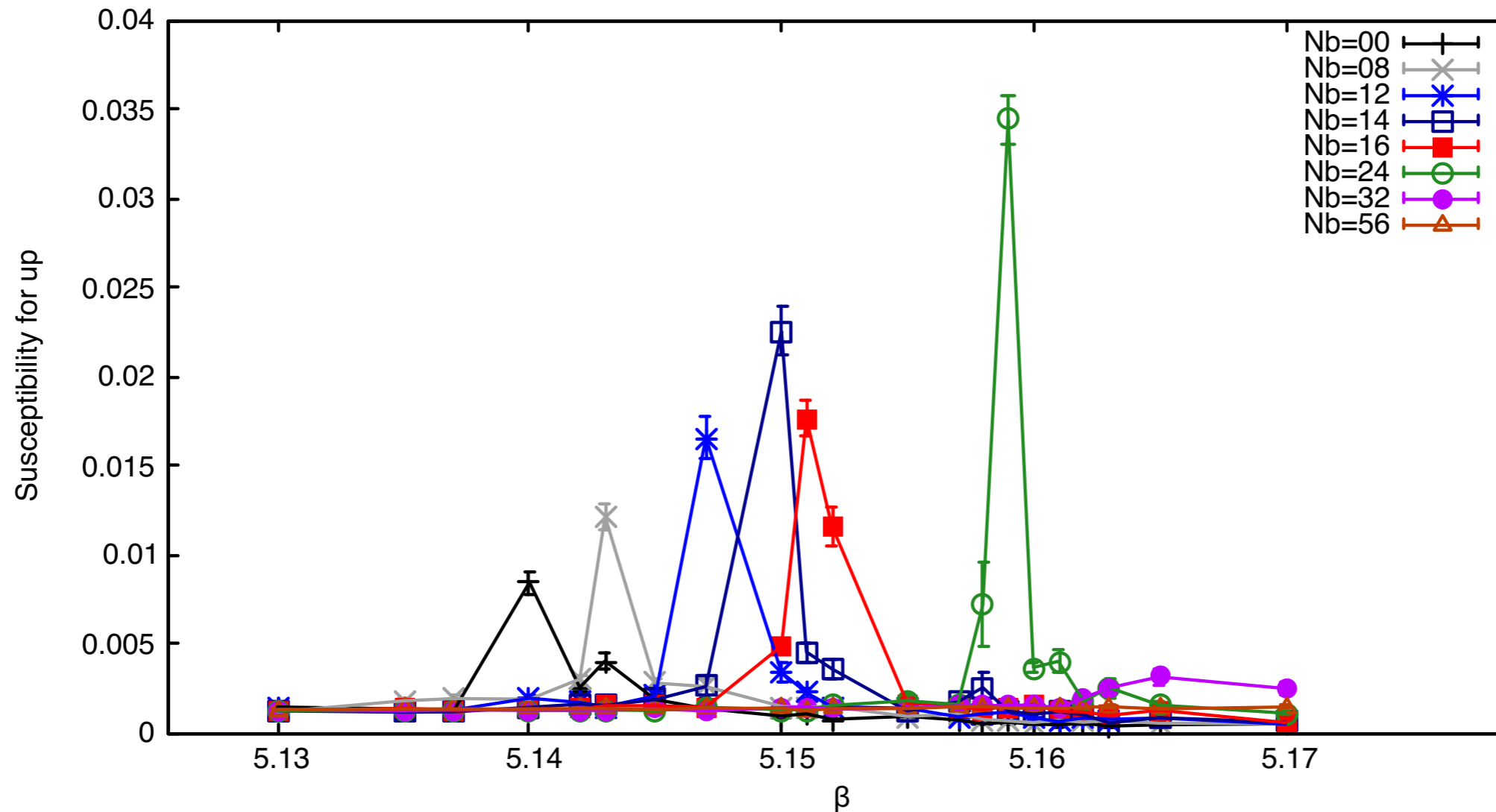
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Up quark cond. susceptibility

ma = 0.028, Nf=3, L=16



Tc increases
Nb -> Large

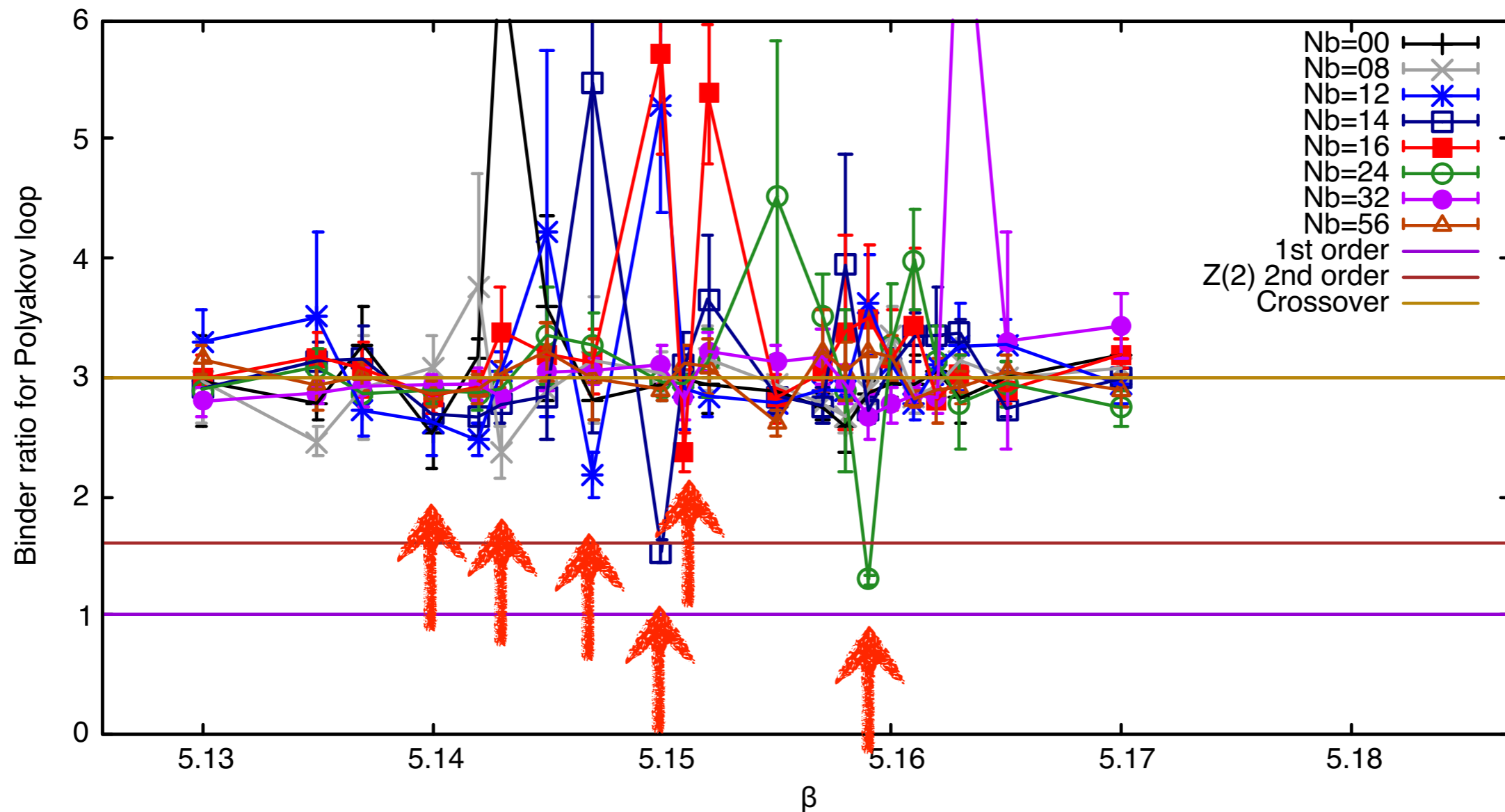
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$N_b \rightarrow \text{Large,}$

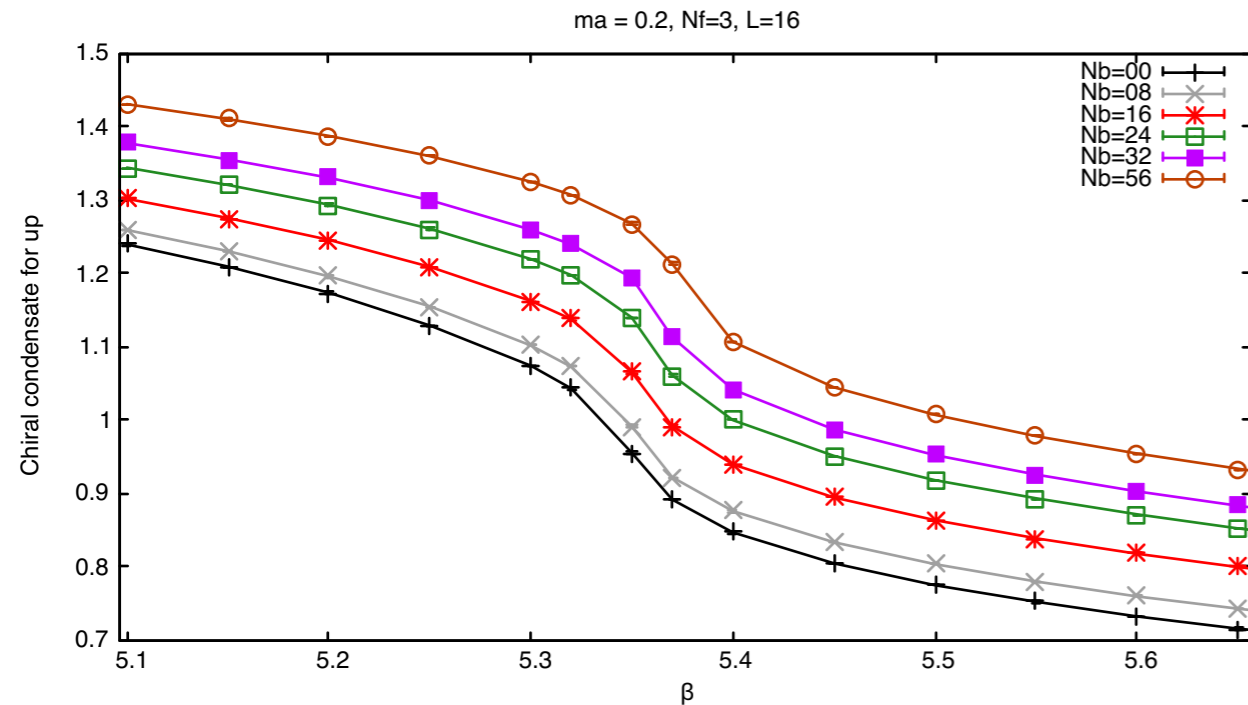
$B \rightarrow 1$? Statistics is not enough

Preliminary Result (3/5)

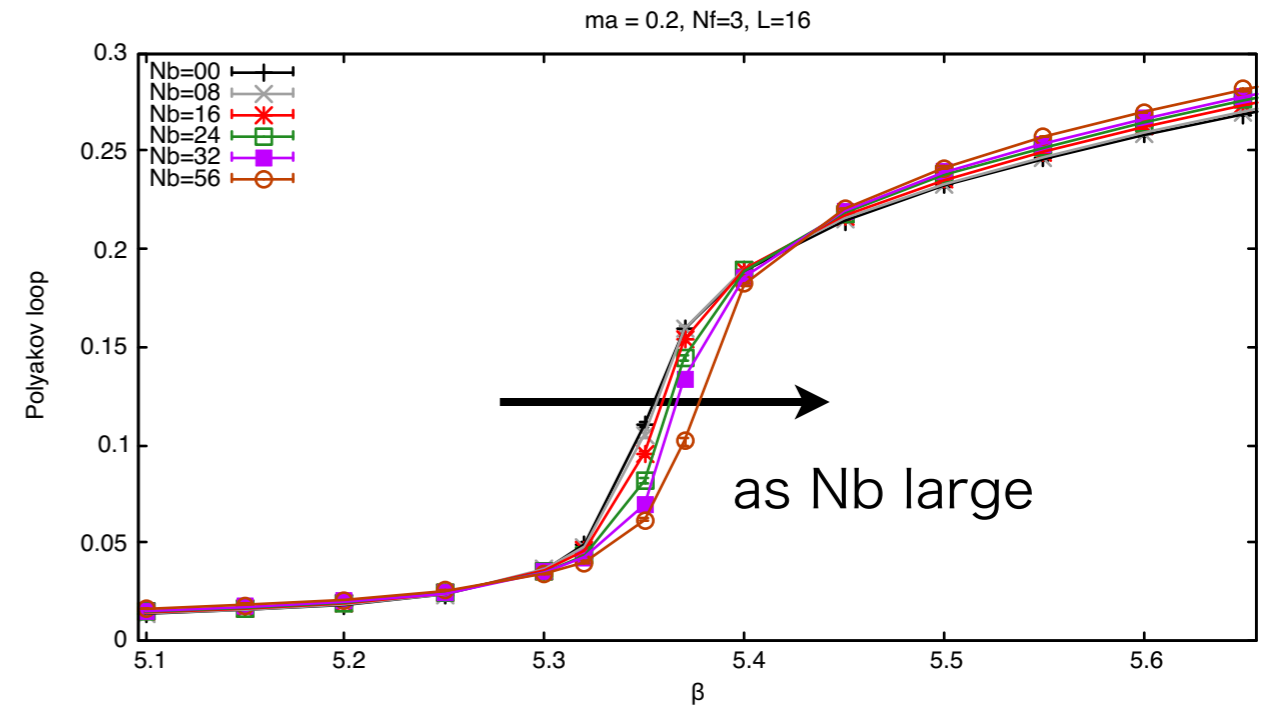
am = 0.2: Tc goes up

$L=16^3 \times 4$

Up quark condensate



Polyakov loop



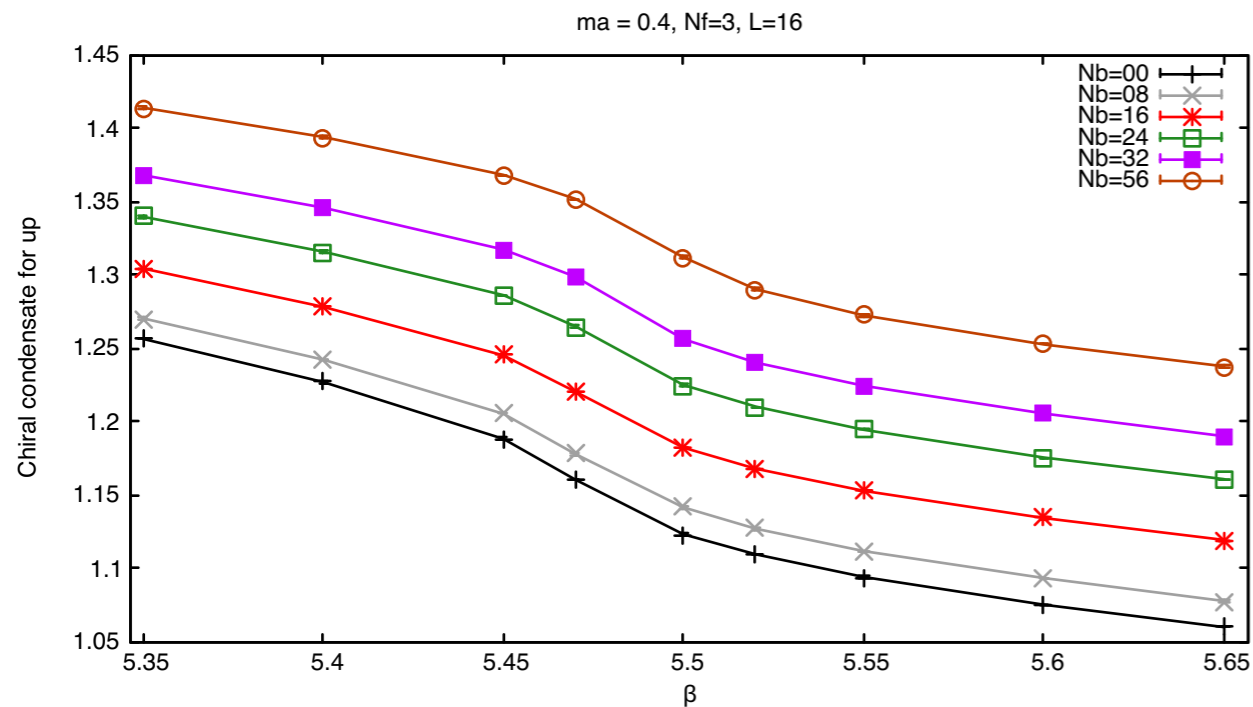
- Chiral condensate does not show phase transition for $N_b = 0-56$
- Behavior of the Polyakov loop is similar to that in PNJL results
- Tc for deconf/conf trans. goes up for increasing N_b (not clear)

Preliminary Result (4/5)

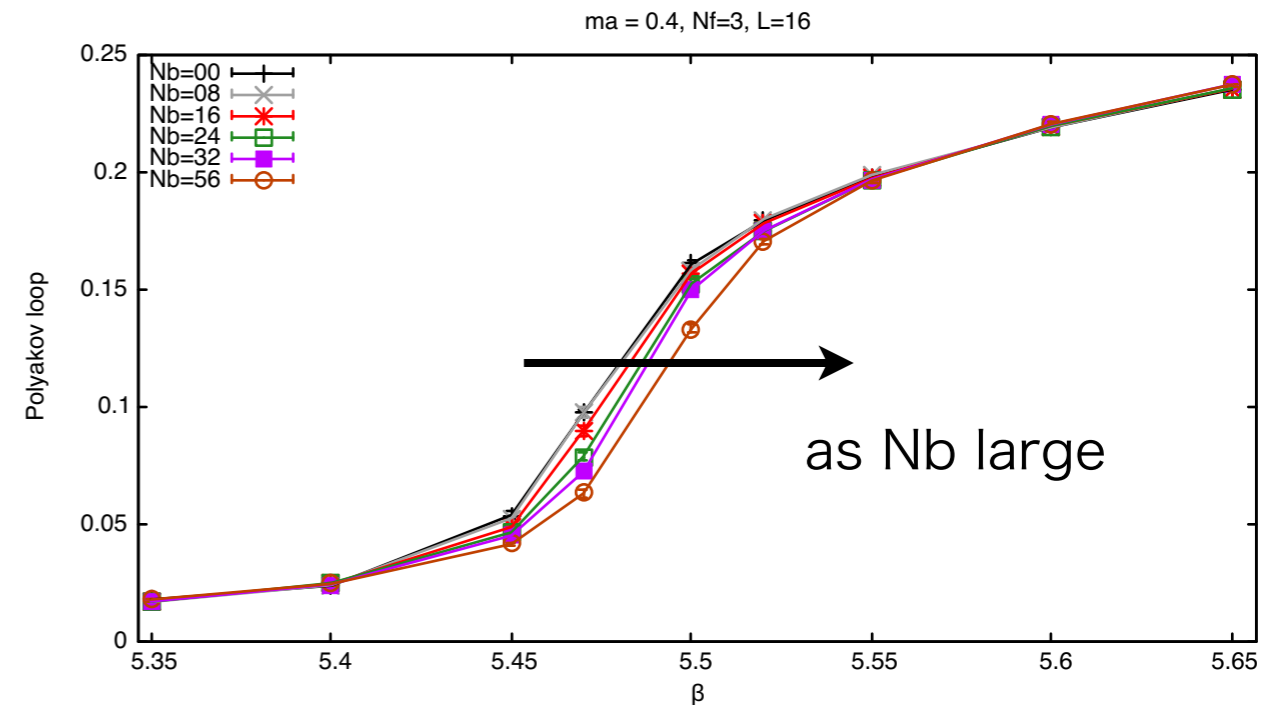
am = 0.4: No clear signal yet but Tc goes up

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Up quark condensate



Polyakov loop



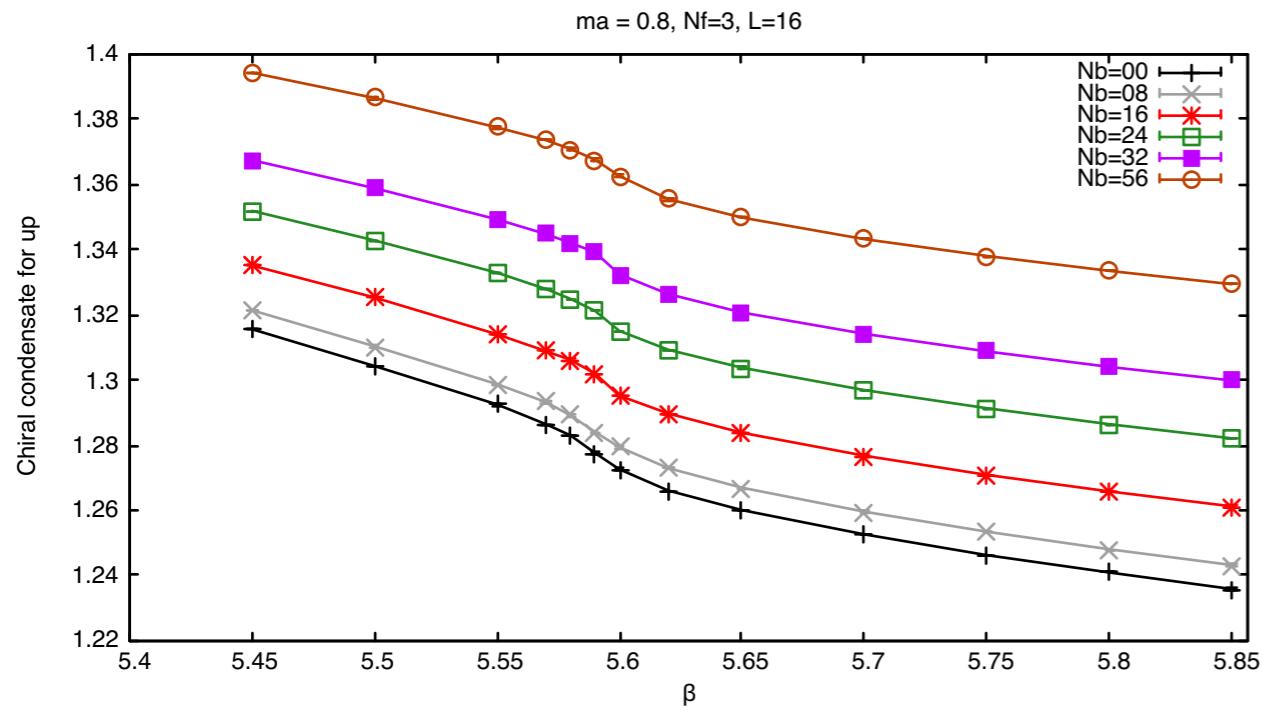
- Chiral condensate does not show phase transition (trivially scaled)
- Behavior of the Polyakov loop is similar to that in PNJL results
- Tc for deconf/conf trans. goes up for increasing Nb (not clear)

Preliminary Result (5/5)

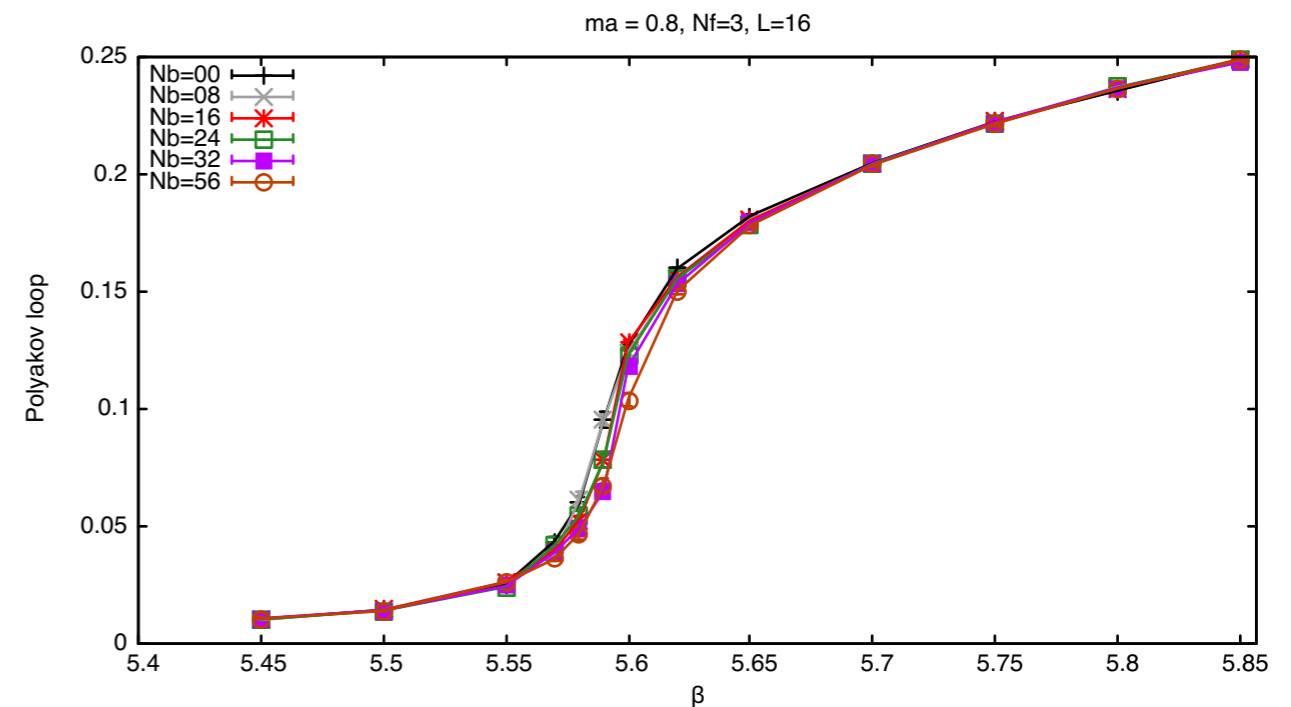
am = 0.8: No clear signal (1st order like for conf.)

$L=16^3 \times 4$

Up quark condensate



Polyakov loop



- Chiral condensate does not show phase transition (trivially scaled)
- Conf/deconf. transition is not changed for Nb=0 to 56 (expected)

Summary of preliminary results

Tc goes up

| am_q | Tc(chiral) dep. on Nb | Order(Chiral) dep. on Nb | Tc(Confinement) dep. on Nb | Order(Confinement) dep. on Nb |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 0.024 (1st order for Nb=0) | Increase | 1st to strong 1st? | Increase | 1st to strong 1st? |
| 0.028 (Crossover for Nb = 0) | Increase | crossover to 1st | Increase | crossover to 1st |
| 0.2 | no critical behavior | - | Increase | crossover like |
| 0.4 | no critical behavior | - | Increase | crossover like |
| 0.8 | no critical behavior | - | Increase? | 1st ? |

Summary

QCD phase transition depends on Magnetic field

Summary:

1. We investigate 3 flavor QCD with U(1) external magnetic field for various mass using standard staggered fermion with $N_\sigma = 16(24)$, $N_t = 4$
2. We observed strengthening of order of phase transition in light mass regime
3. Except for $ma = 0.8$, T_c goes up. $ma = 0.8$, no clear response to N_b .

Tasks:

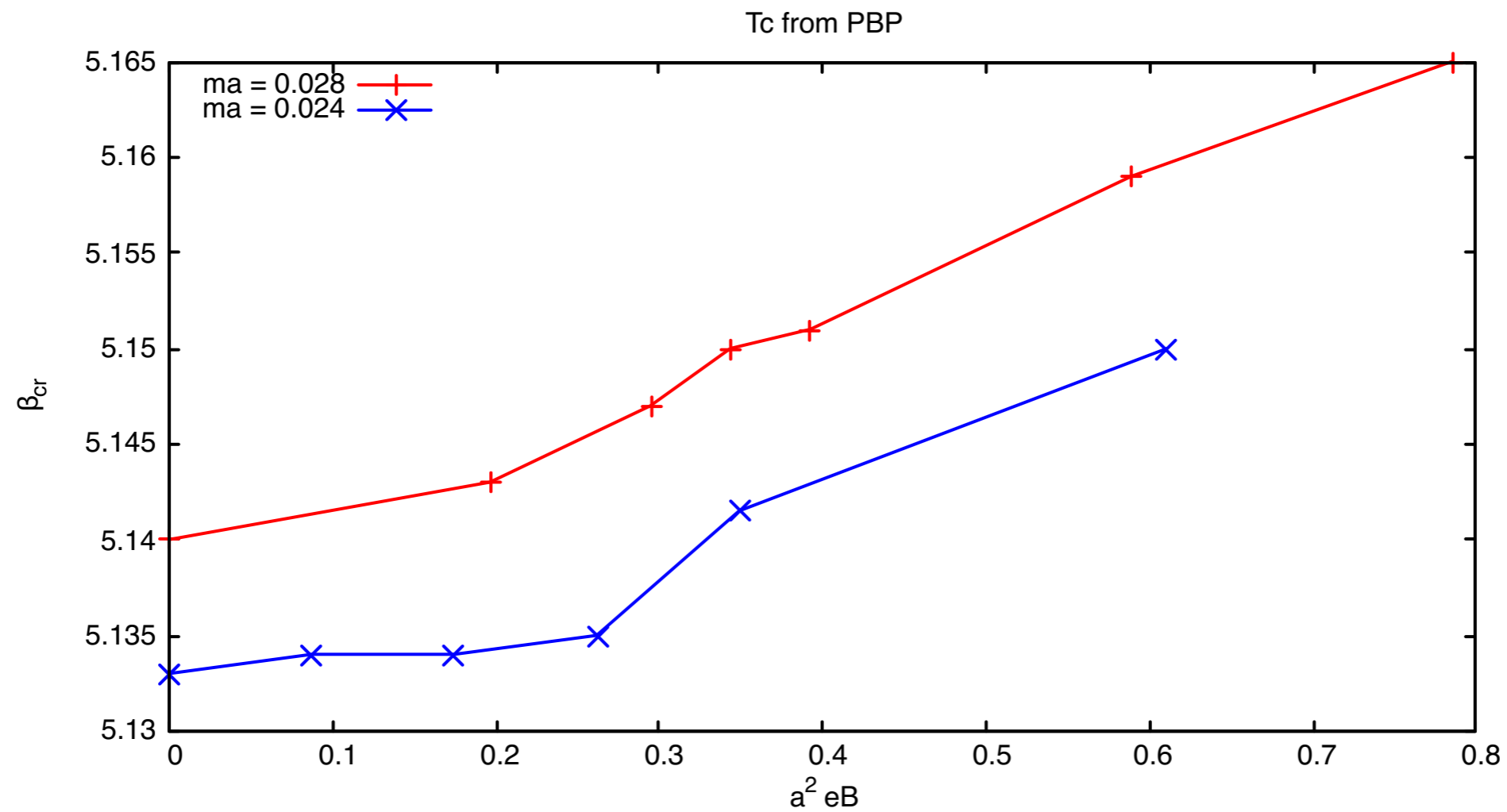
1. Increasing statistics
2. Improve resolution of beta
3. Scaling analysis to determine the order
5. Determination of the order of phase transition from the Binder ratio
6. Scale setting
7. Other cutoff scheme to check the cutoff effect on T_c vs N_b

Backup

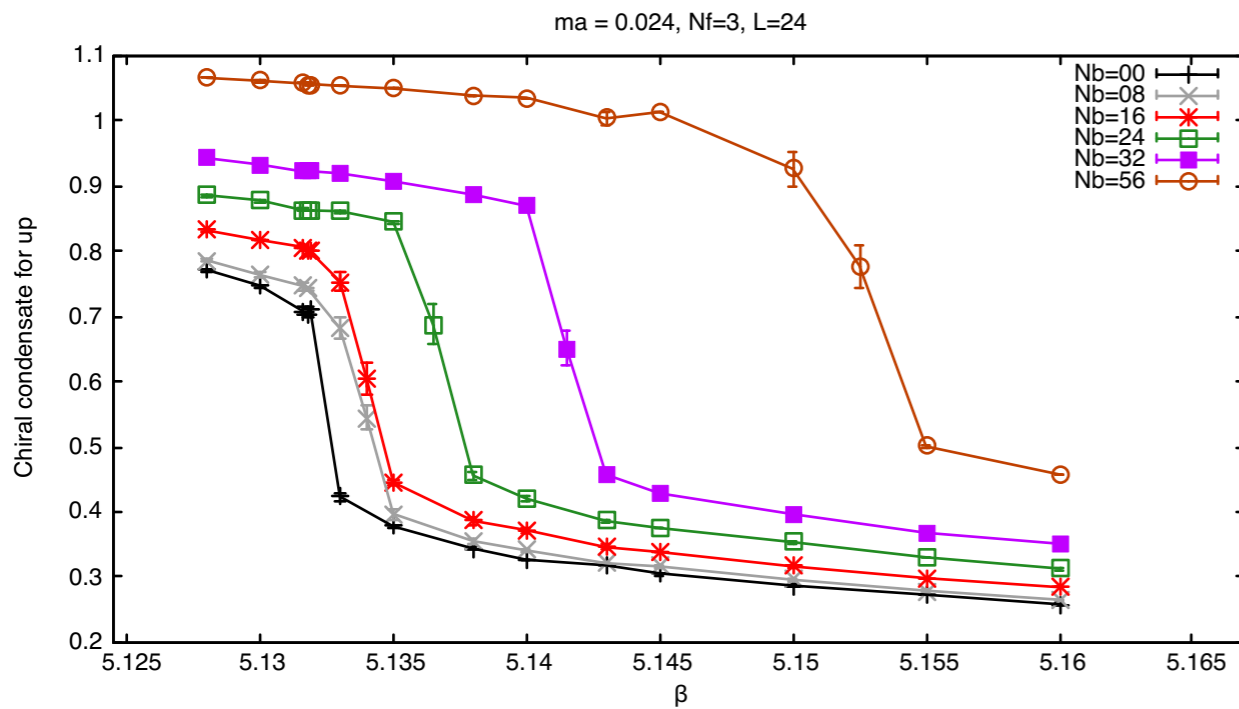
Tc for

$ma = 0.024$ (1st for $N_b=0$)

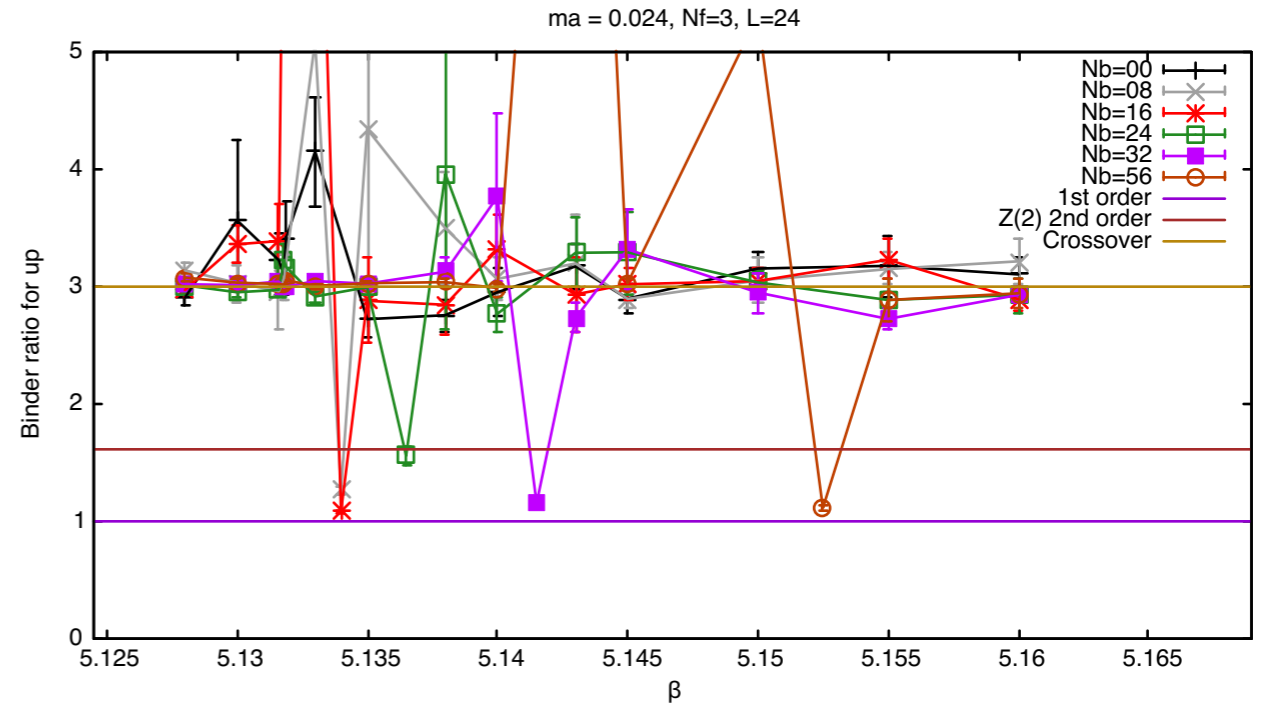
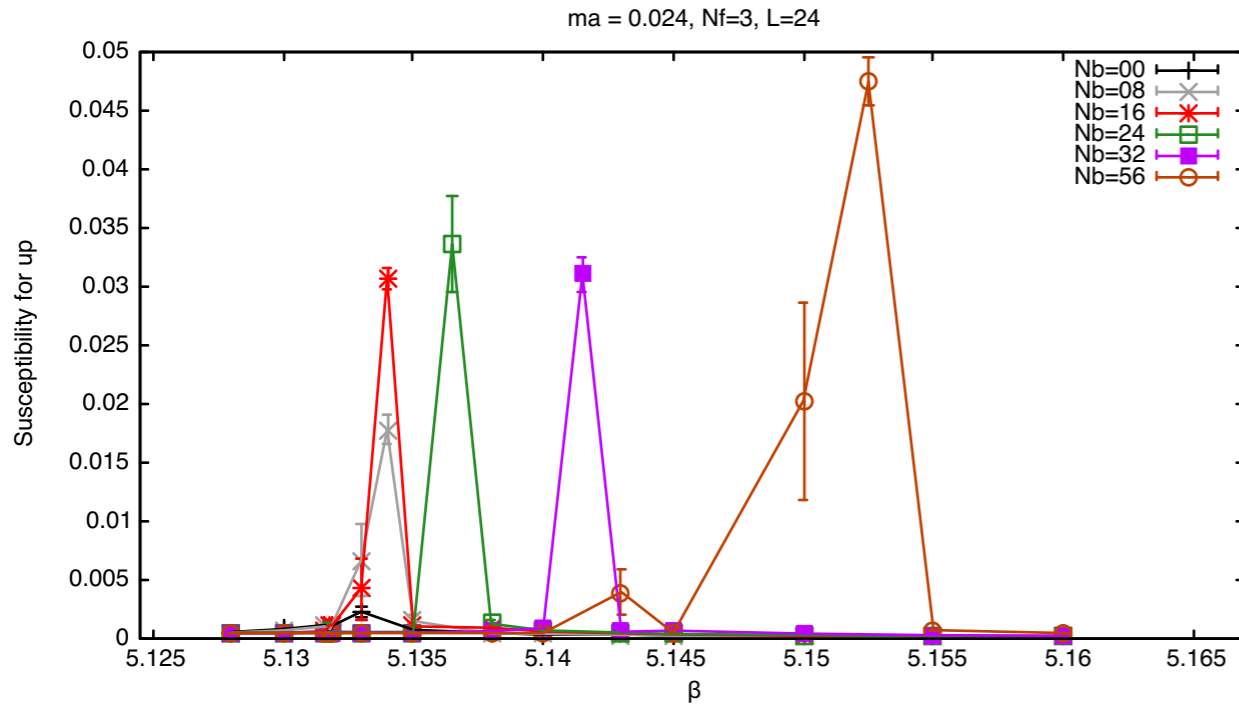
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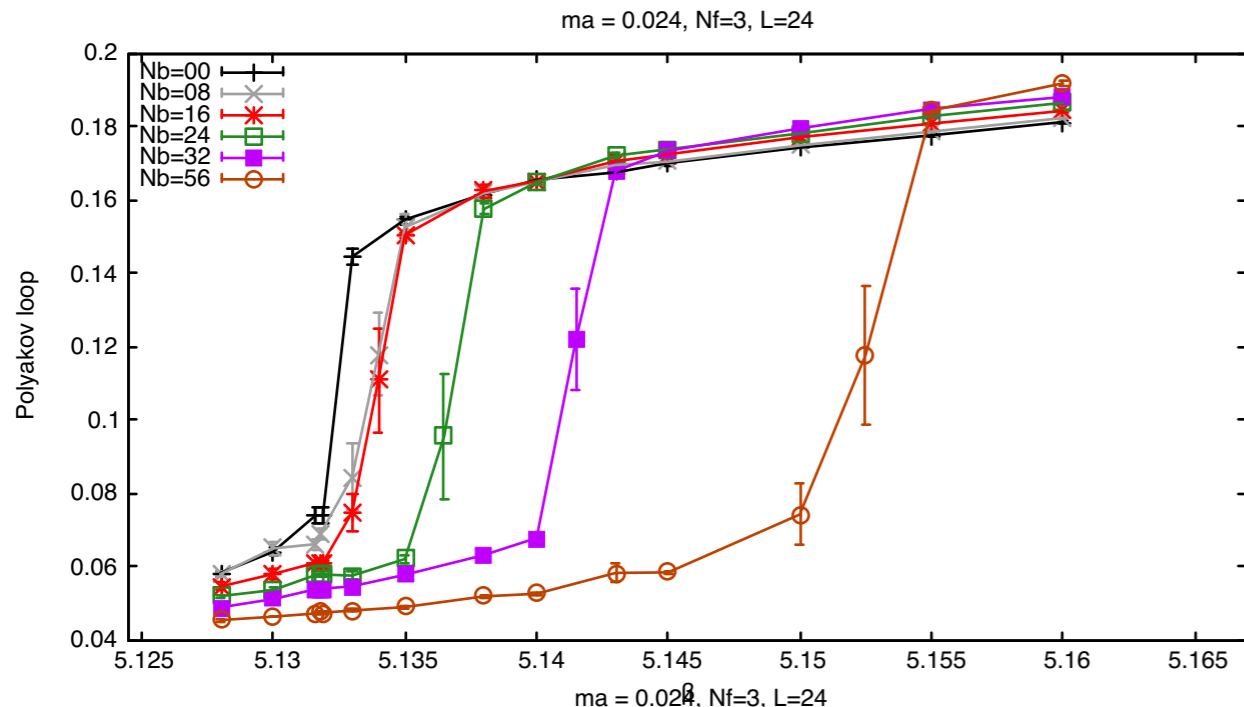
ma = 0.024(1st for Nb=0) Up quark condensates



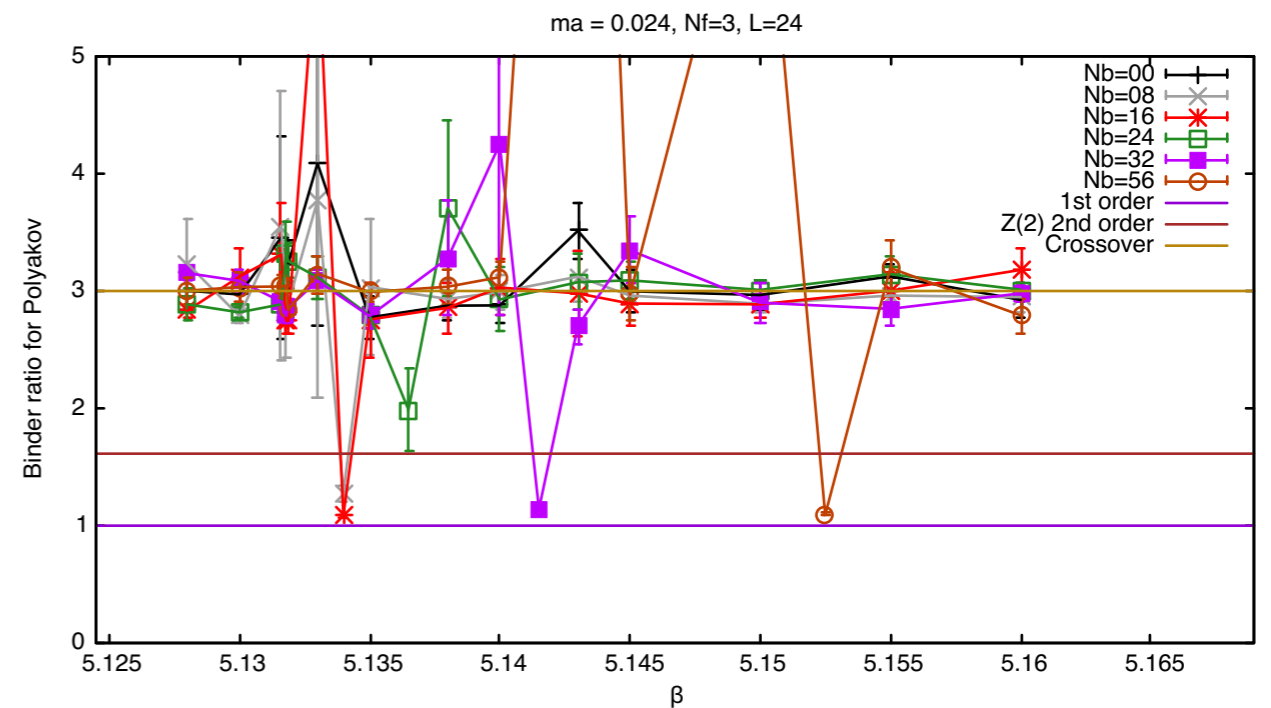
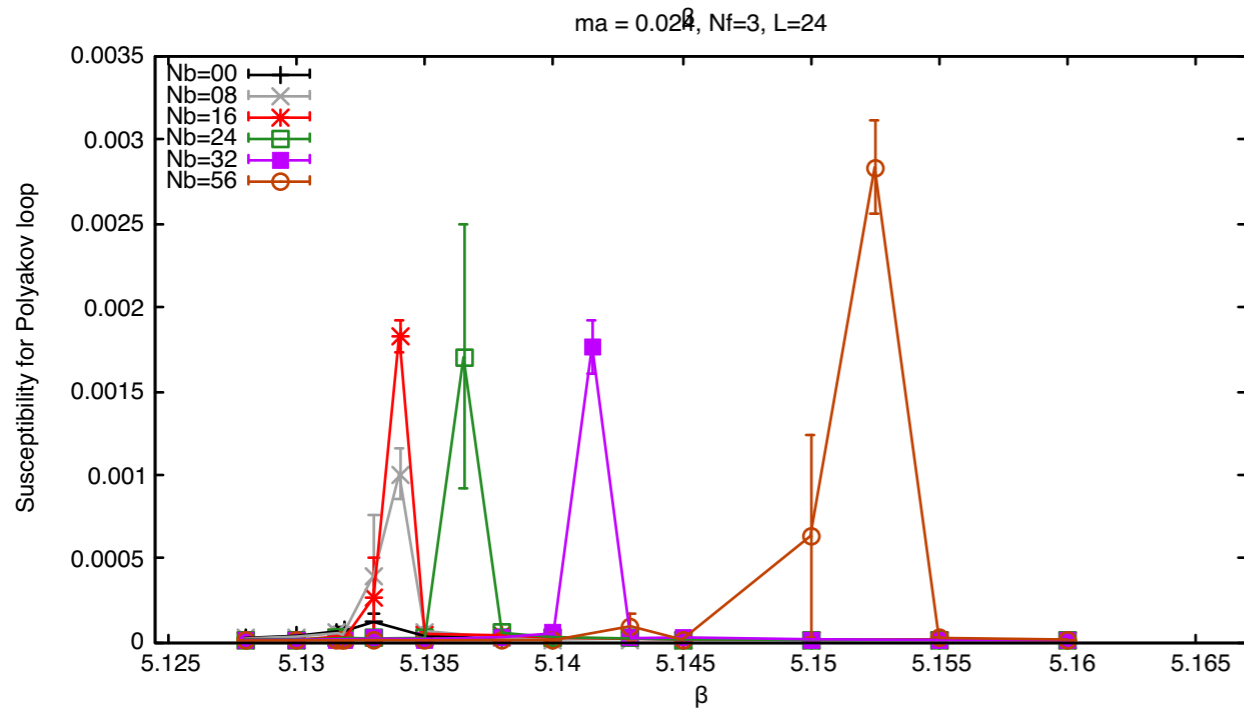
Consistent with
1st order



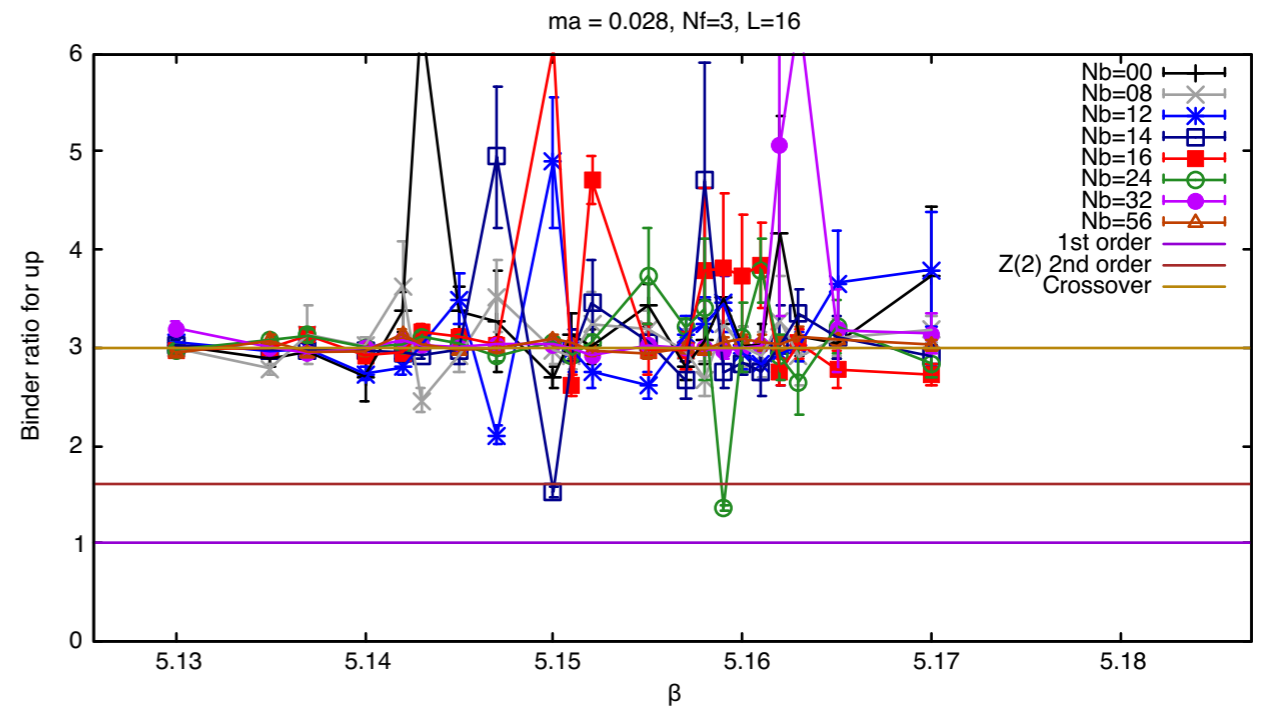
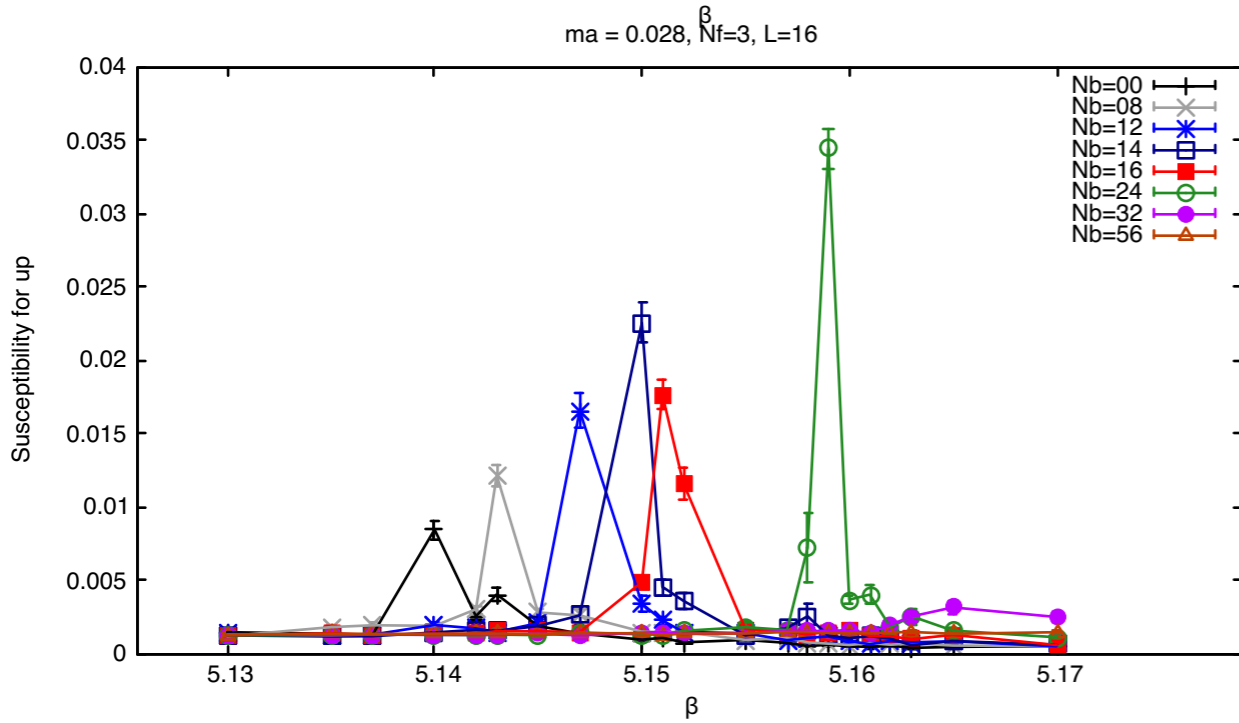
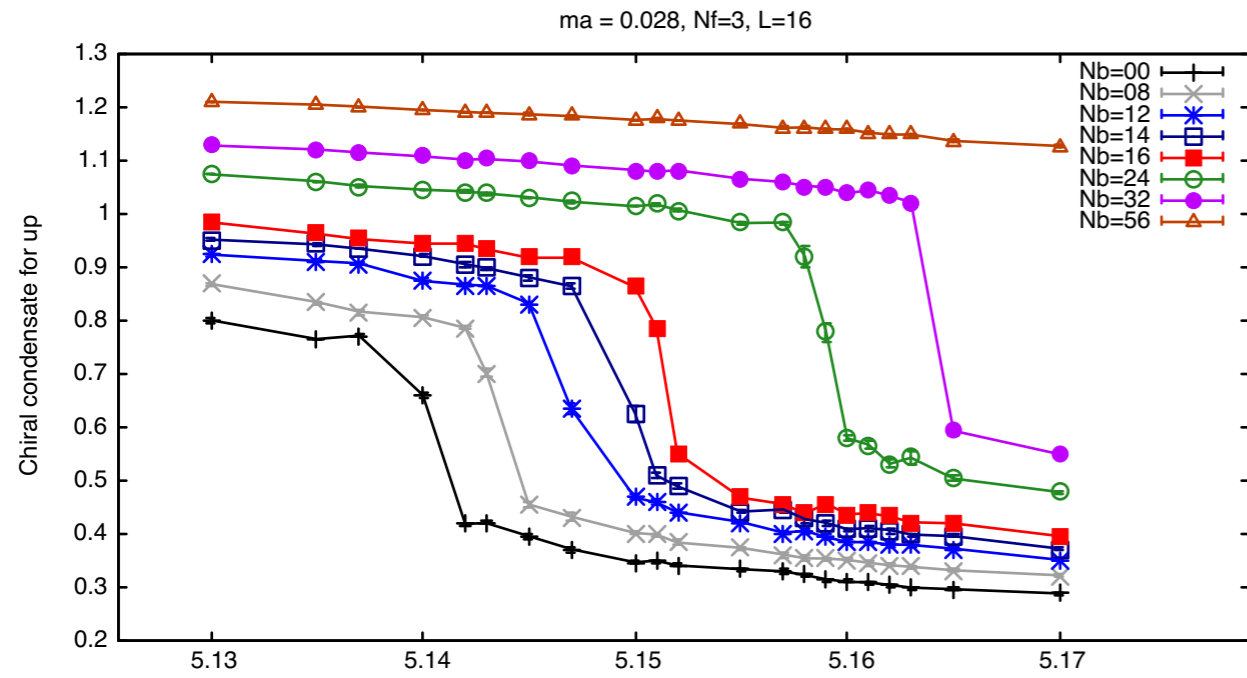
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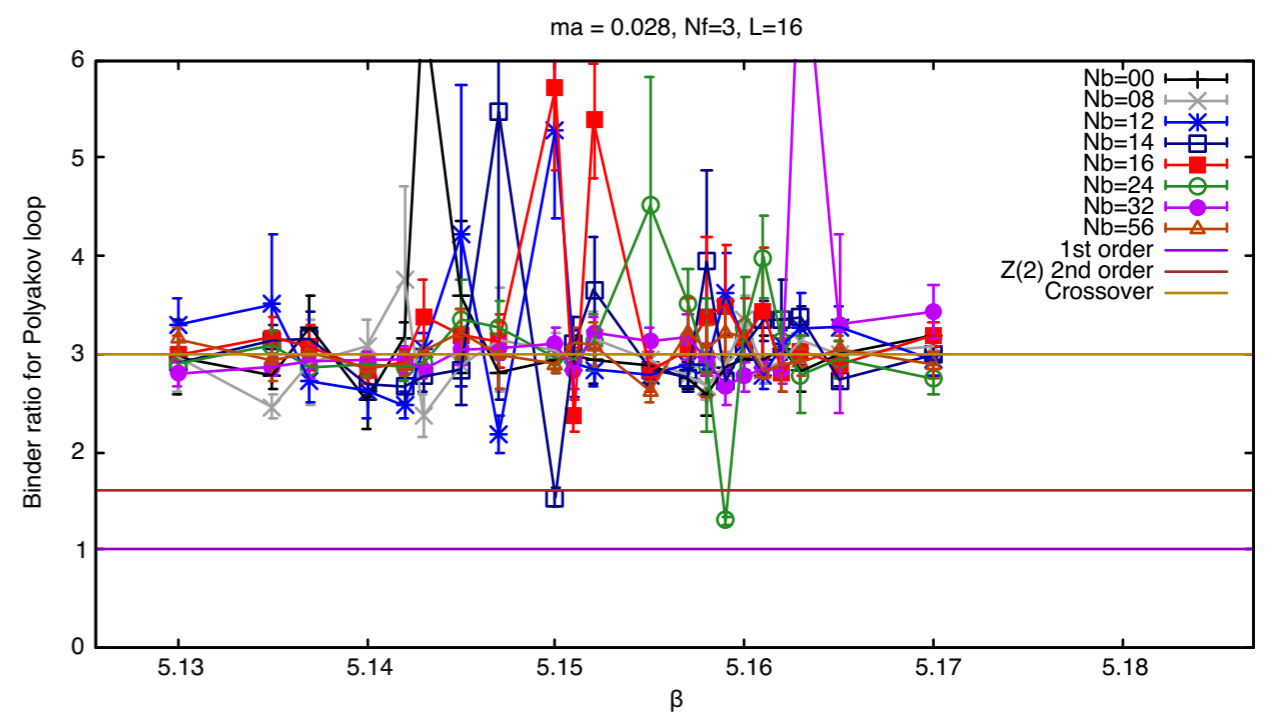
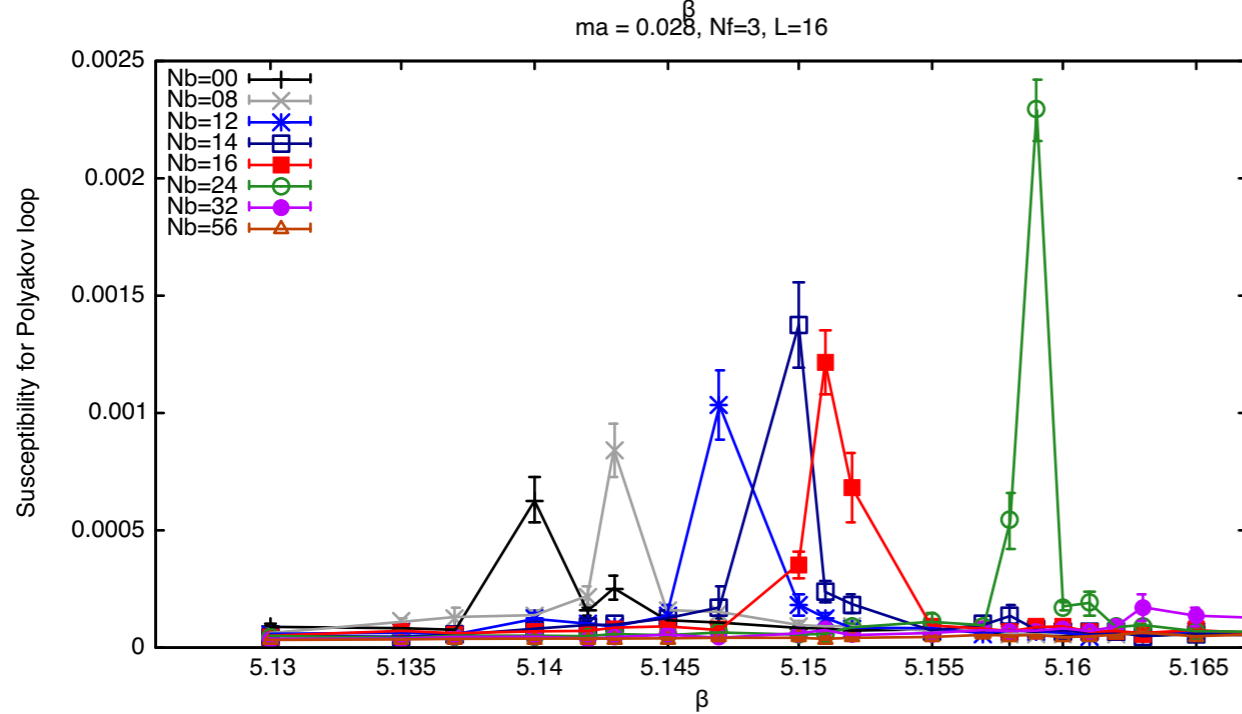
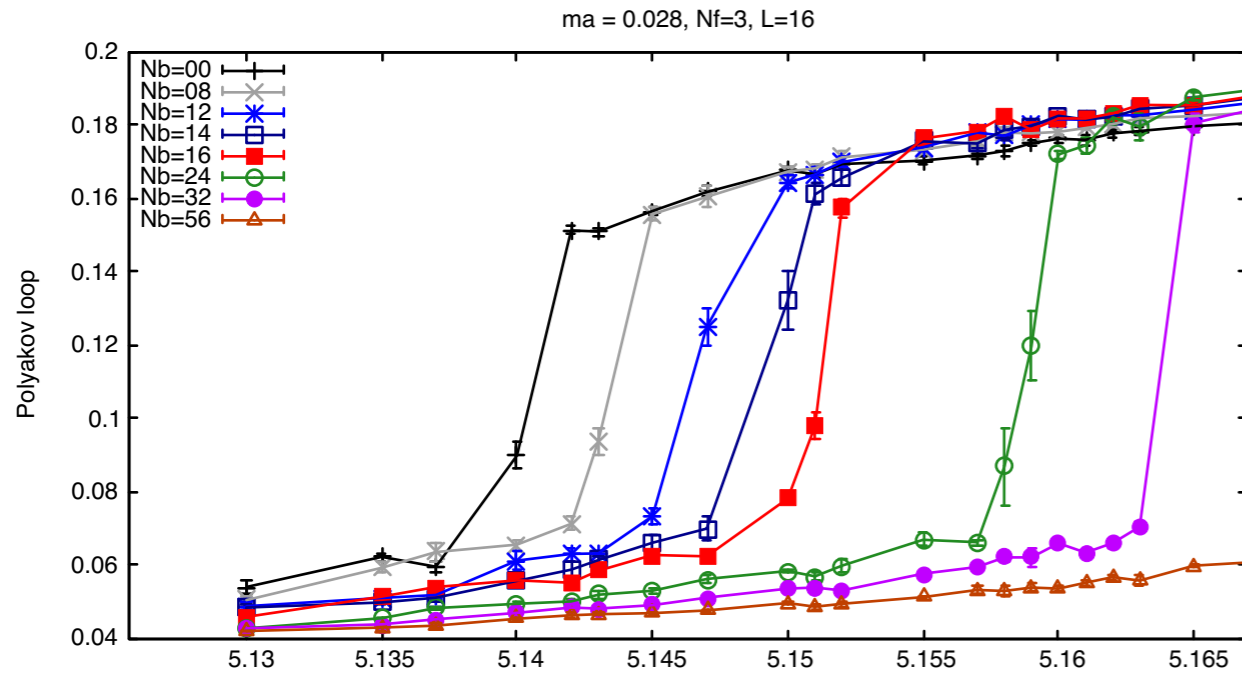


ma = 0.028(crossover for Nb=0) Up quark condensates



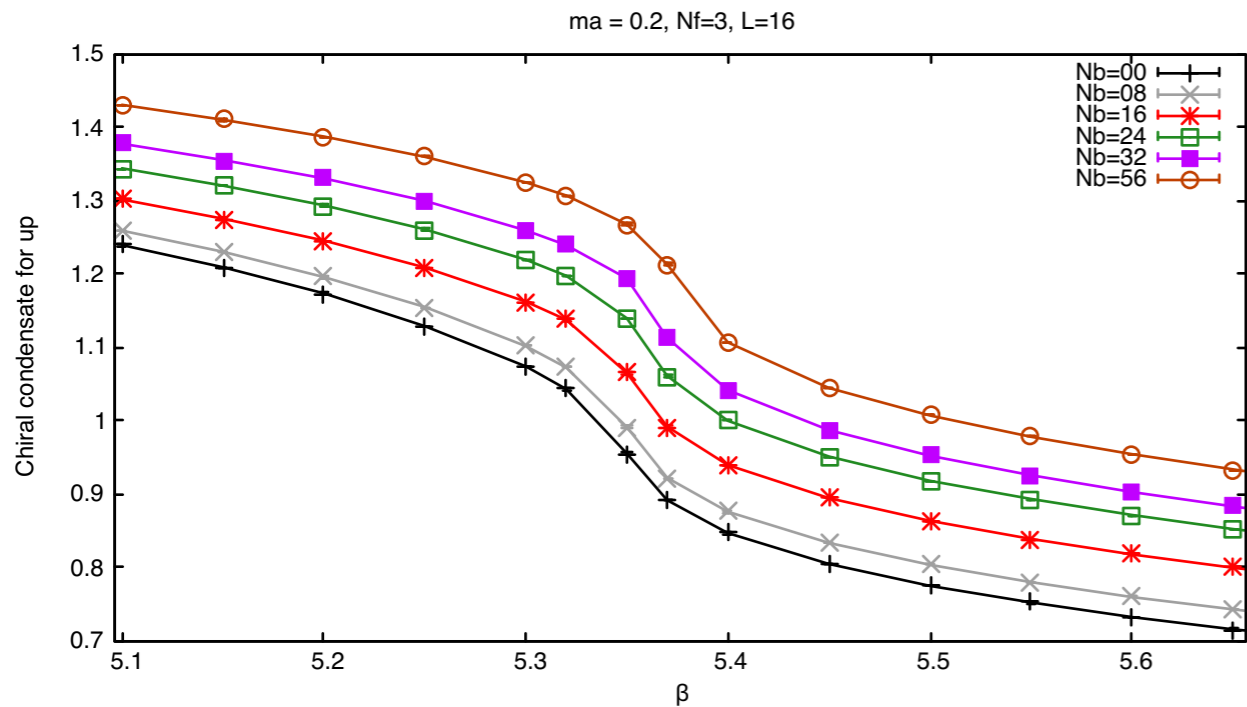
Nb=14 is "critical" eB*

ma = 0.028(crossover for Nb=0) Polyakov loop

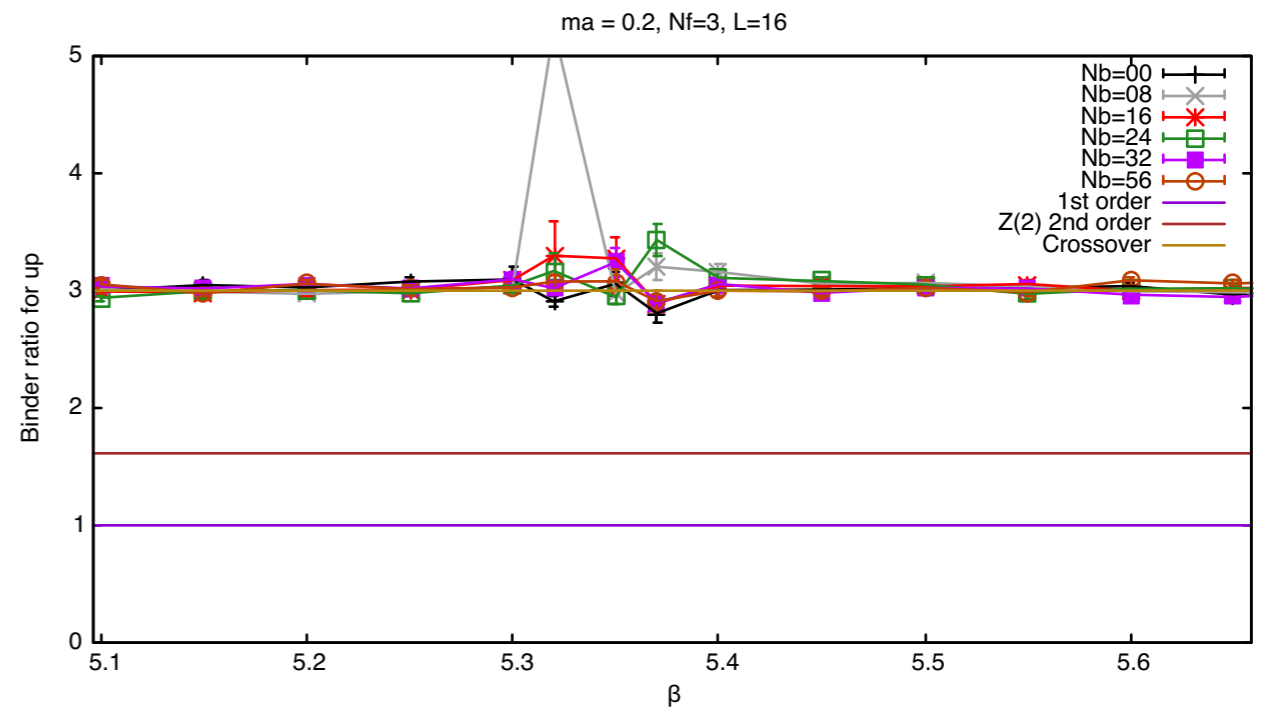
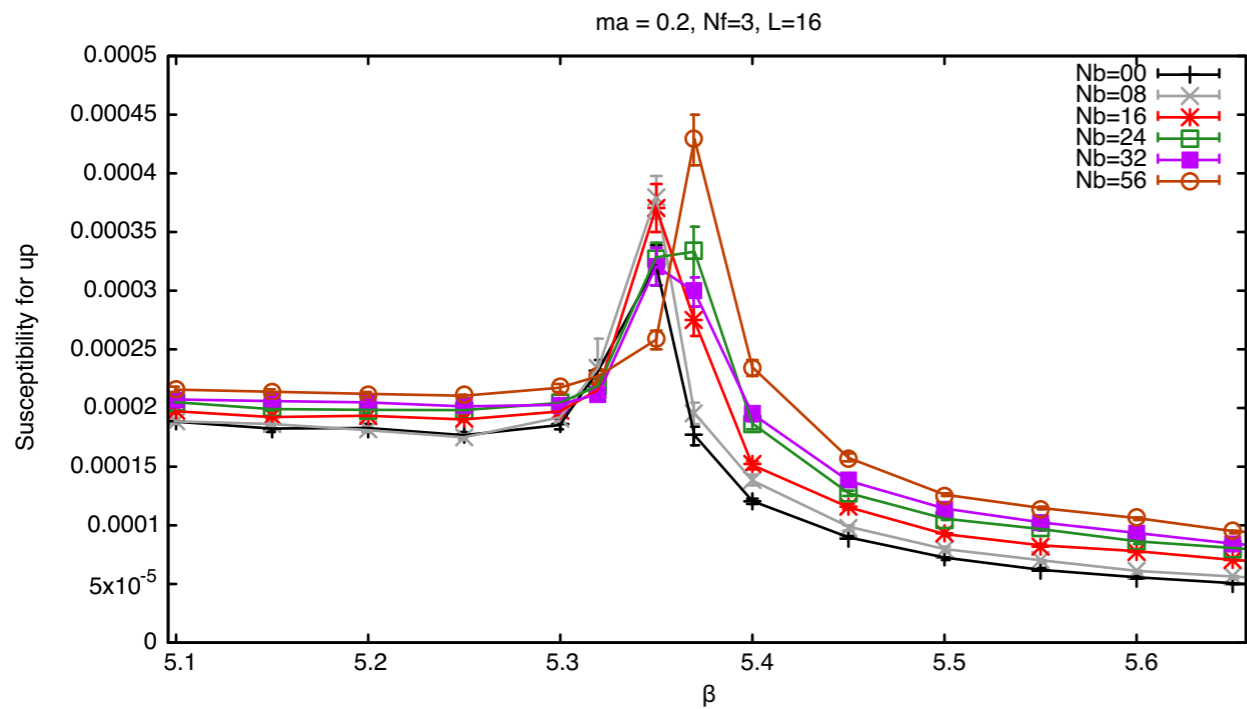


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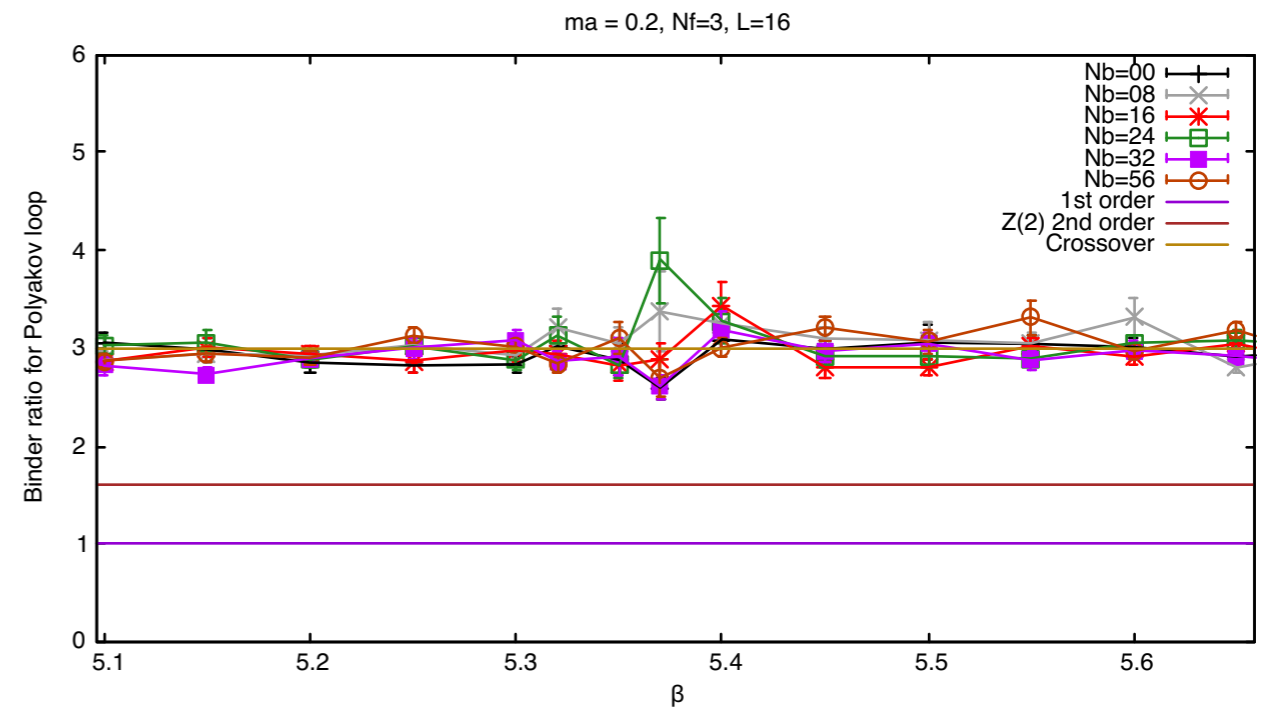
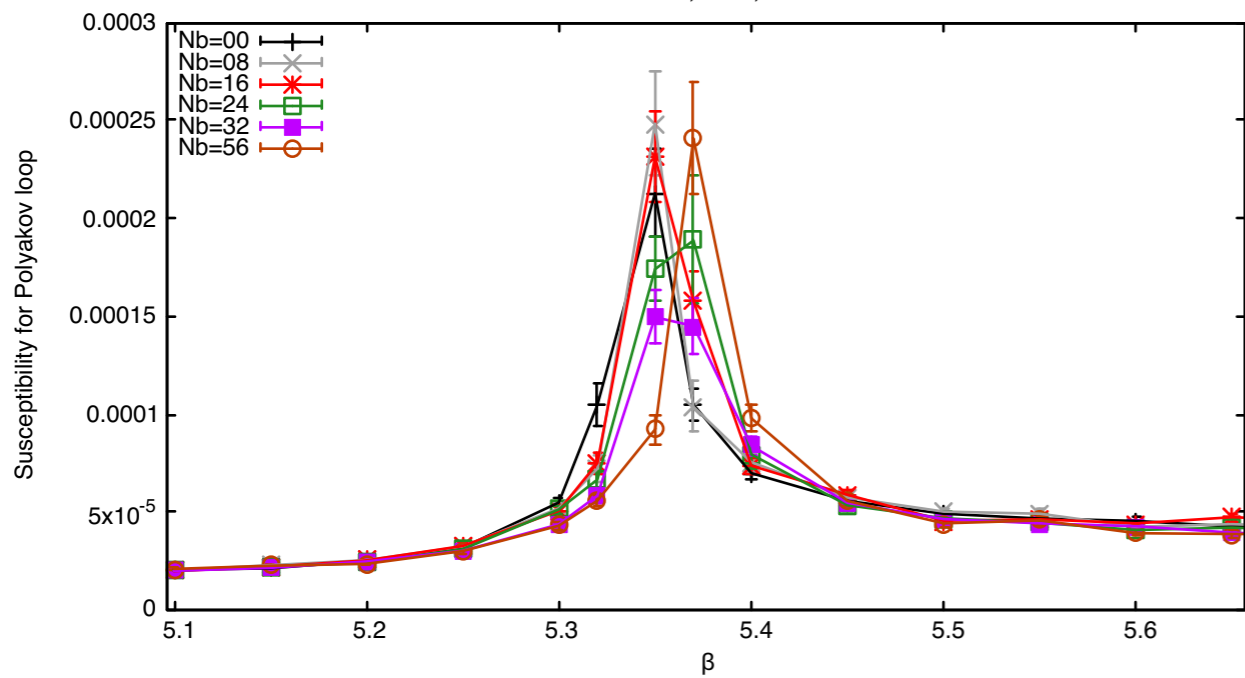
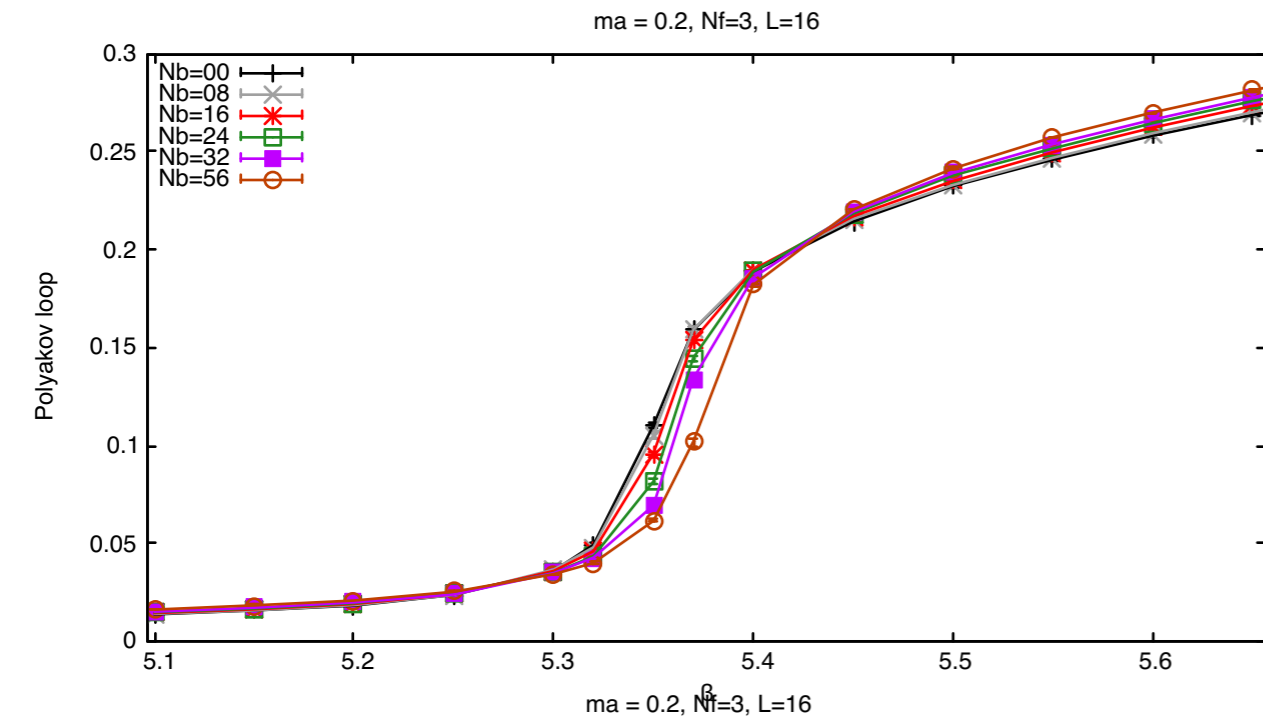
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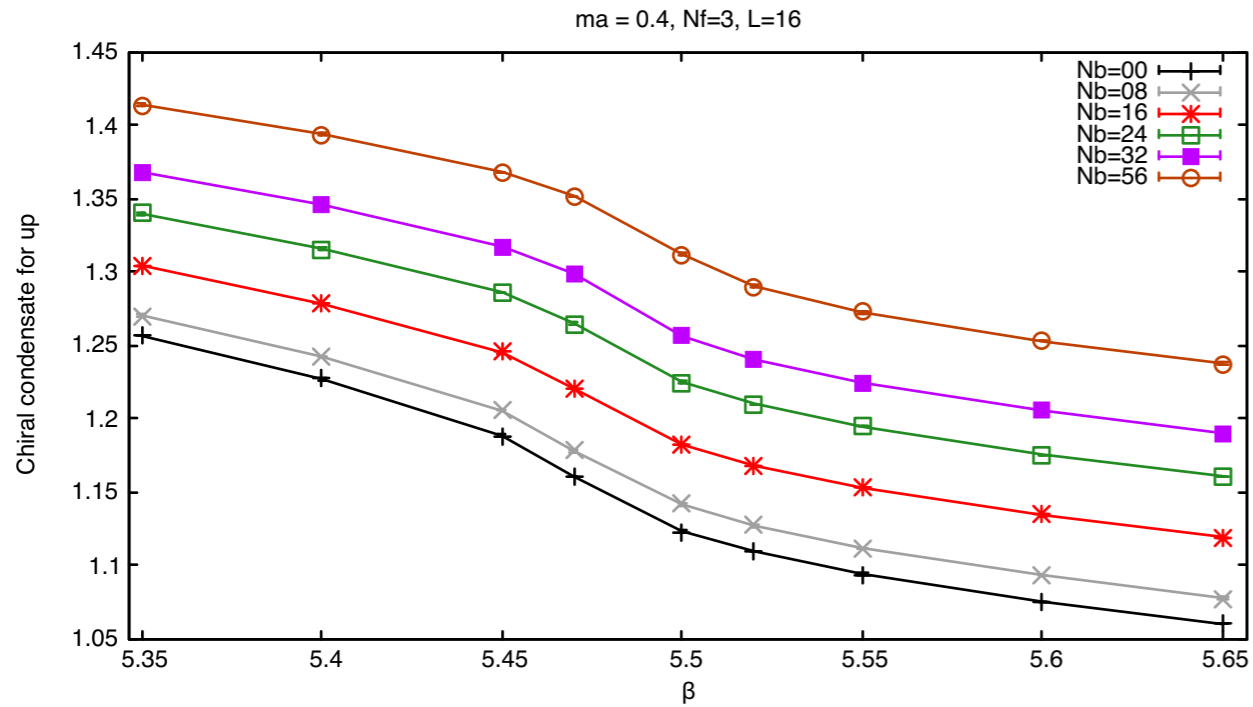
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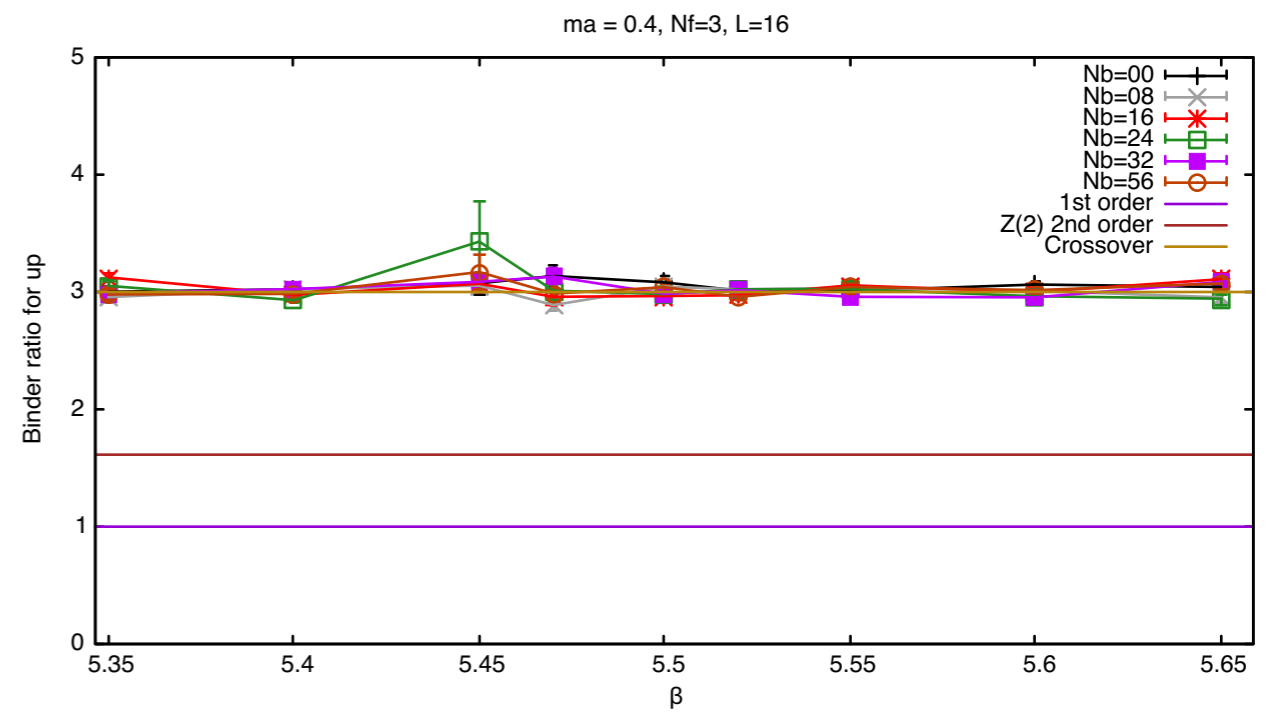
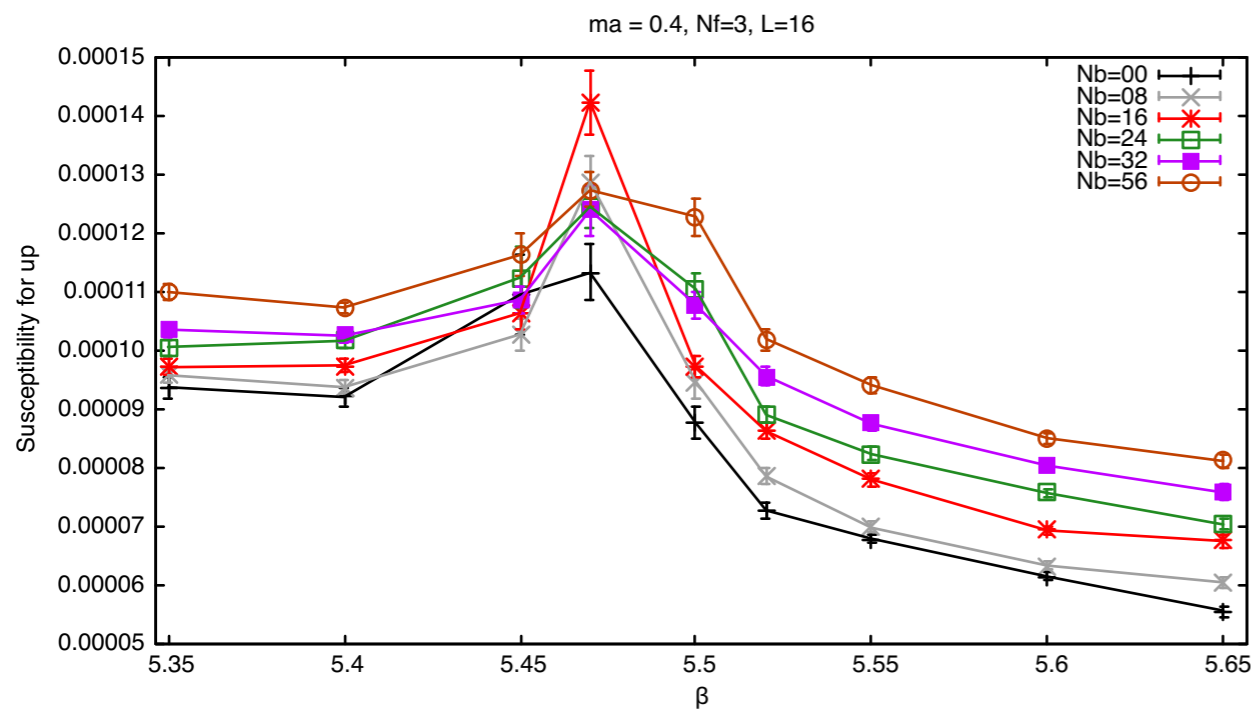
ma = 0.2(crossover for Nb=0) Polyakov loop



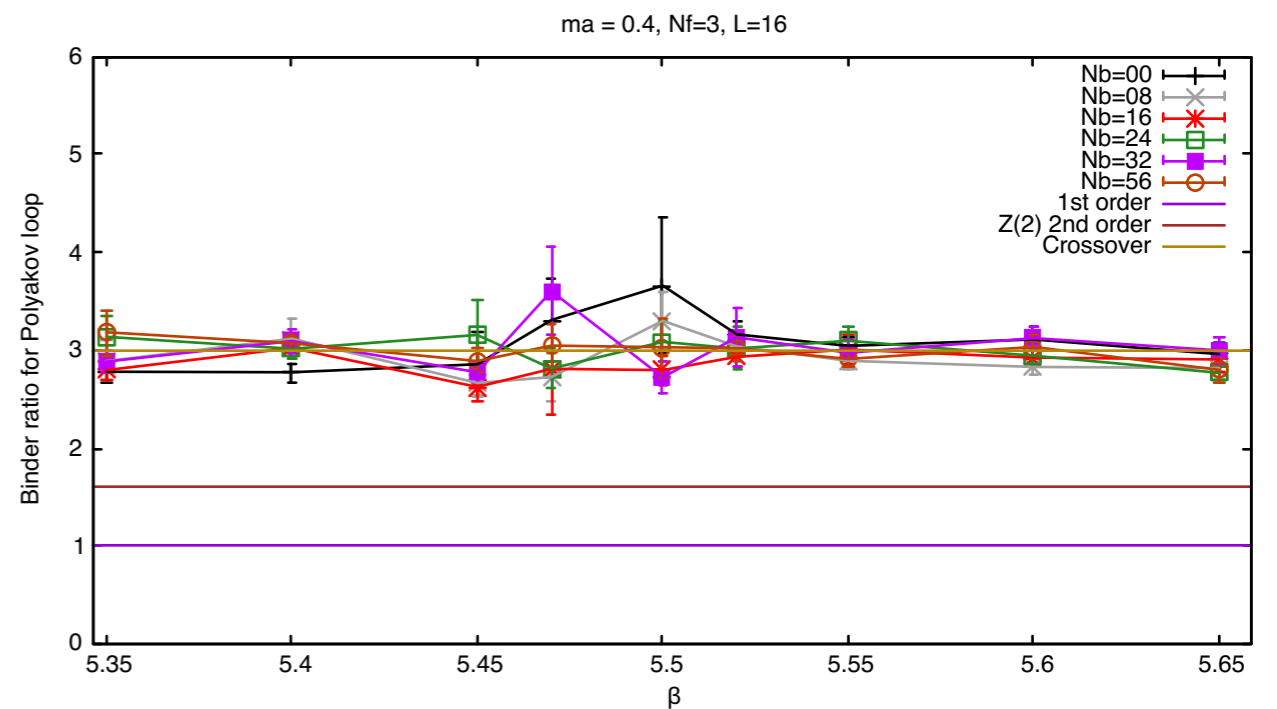
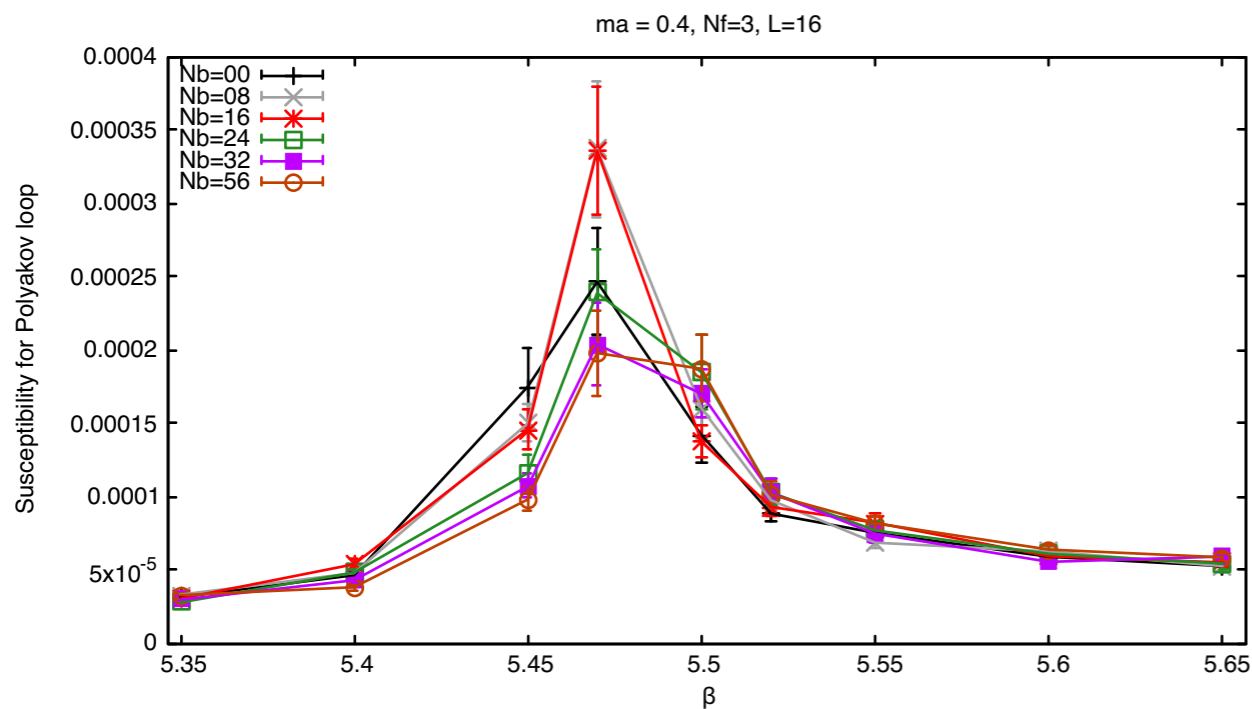
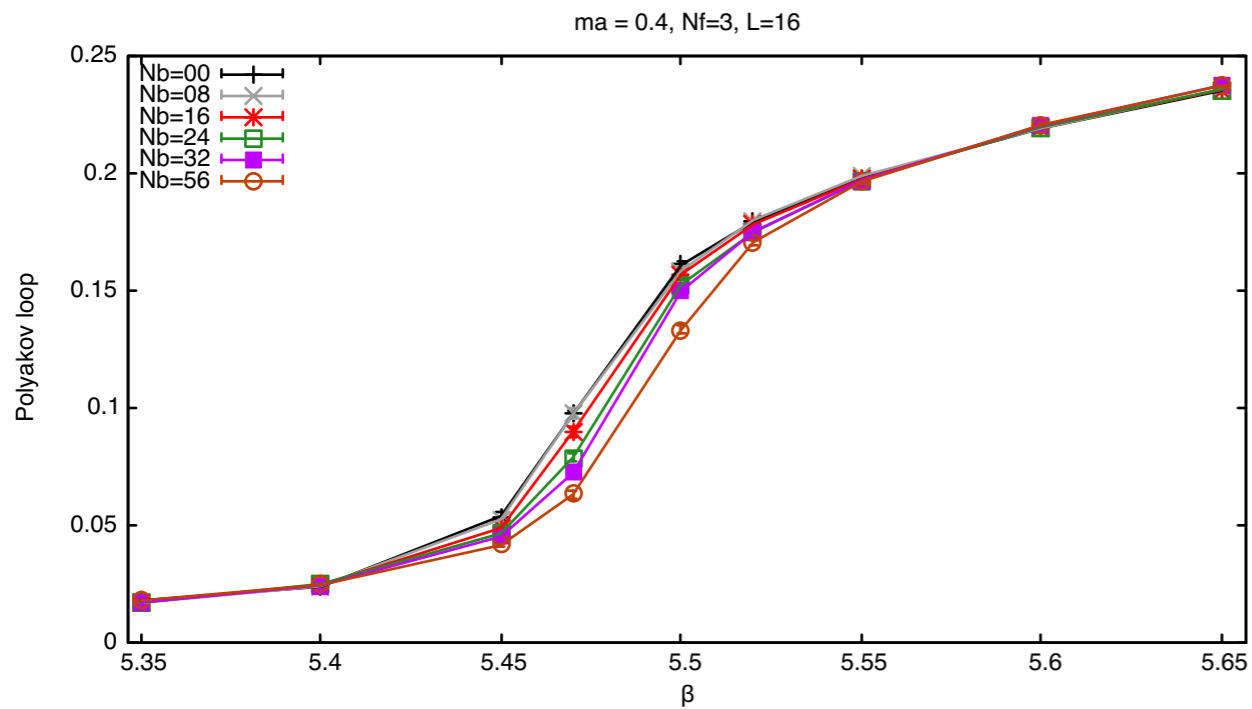
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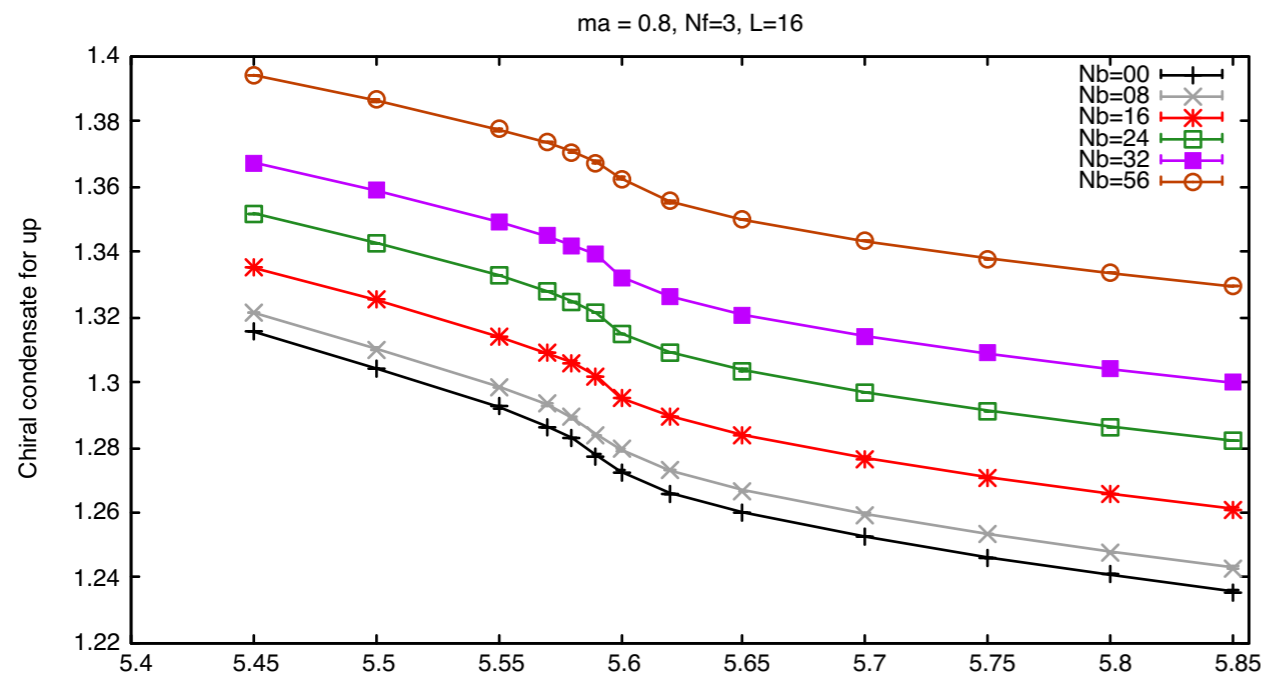
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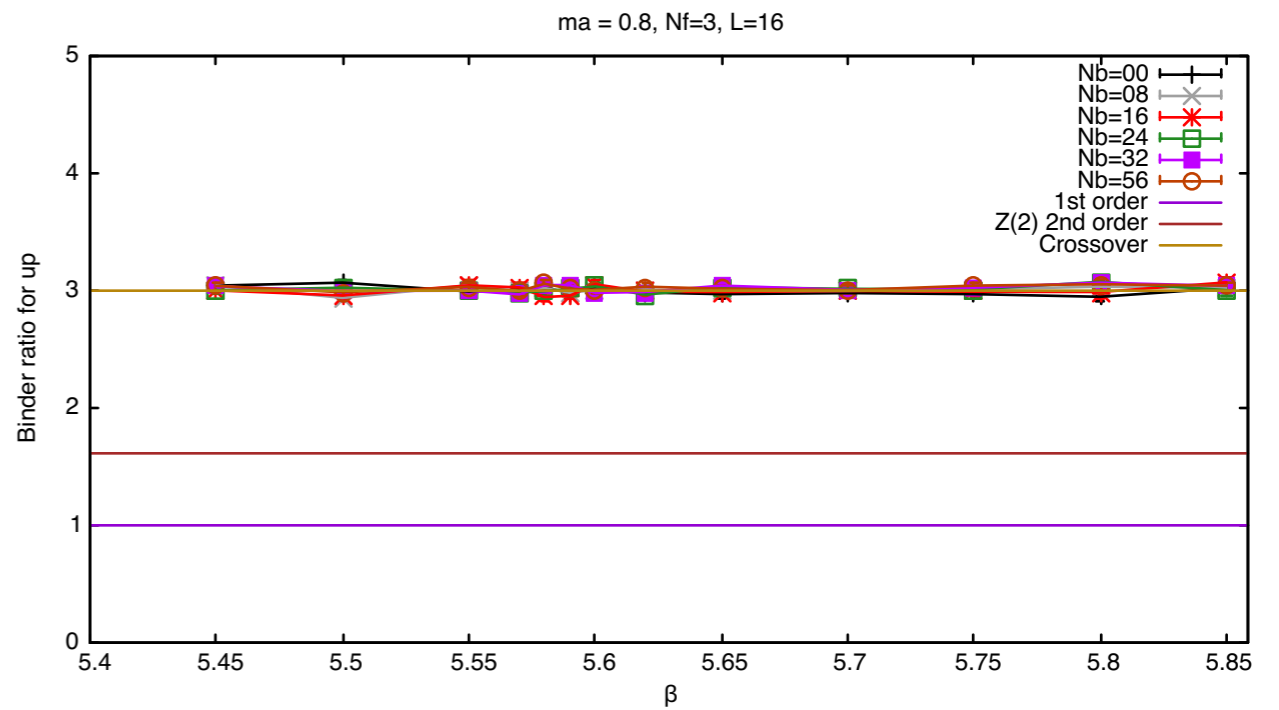
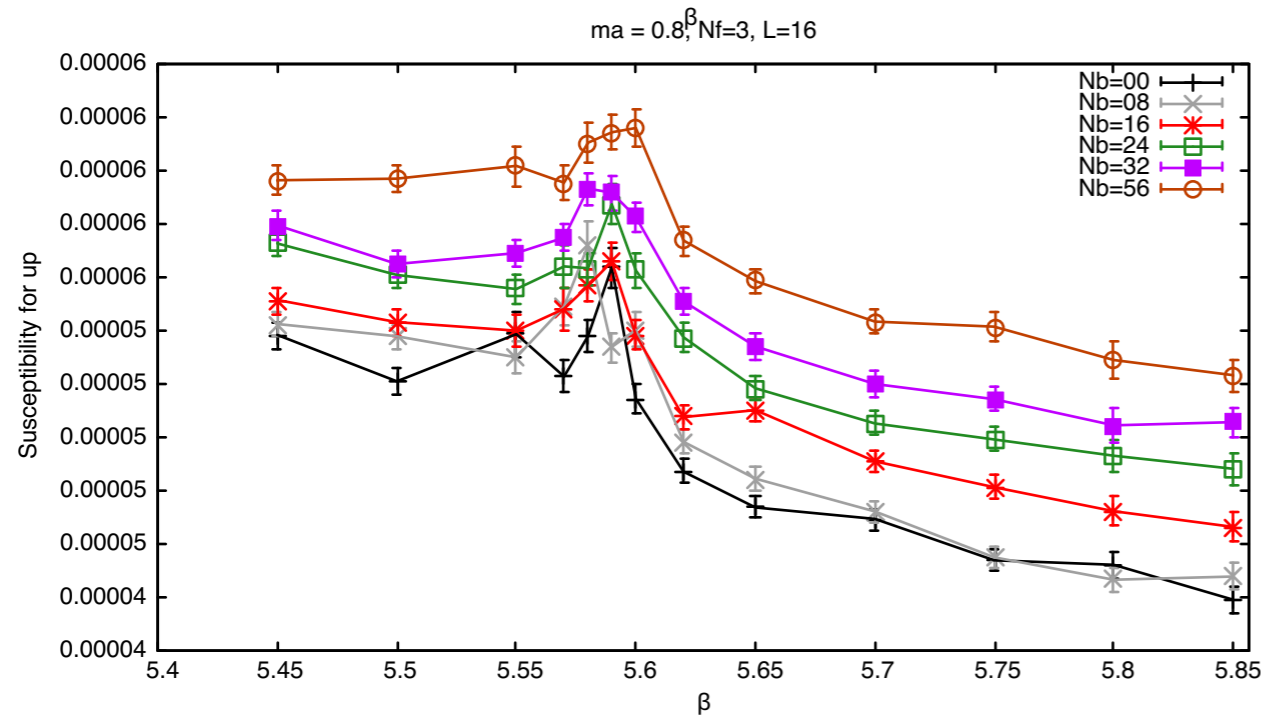
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ma = 0.8 Up quark condensate



No criticality



ma = 0.8 Polyakov loop

