

# An excursion into dense matter with Marcello



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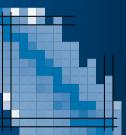
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One-body Green's function

- Definition

$$i\mathcal{G}(\vec{r}, \vec{r}') = \text{Tr} \left\{ \hat{\rho} T [\hat{a}(\vec{r}) \hat{a}^\dagger(\vec{r}')] \right\}$$

All the one-body properties of a many-body system can be derived from the one-body Green's function:

$$\langle \hat{F} \rangle = -i \int d^3r \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} f(\vec{r}) \mathcal{G}(\vec{r}, \vec{r}')$$

- Correlation functions

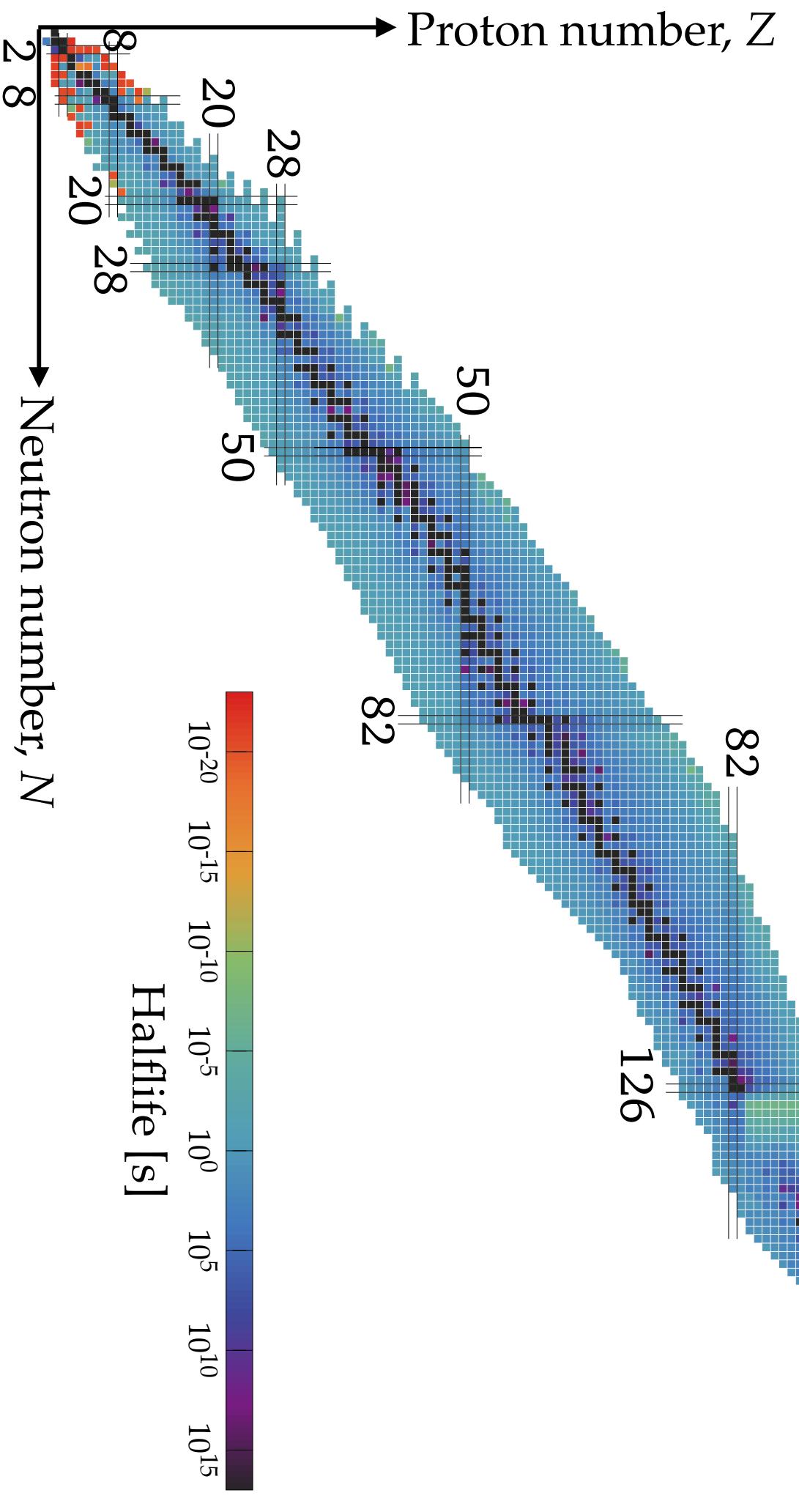
$$i\mathcal{G}^>(\vec{r}, \vec{r}') = \text{Tr} \left\{ \hat{\rho} \hat{a}(\vec{r}) \hat{a}^\dagger(\vec{r}') \right\}$$
$$\mathcal{G}^<(\vec{r}, \vec{r}') = -\text{Tr} \left\{ \hat{\rho} \hat{a}^\dagger(\vec{r}') \hat{a}(\vec{r}) \right\}$$

Atom-Basis Diagrams (Dynamical LBD)  
Theory-Debye  
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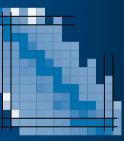


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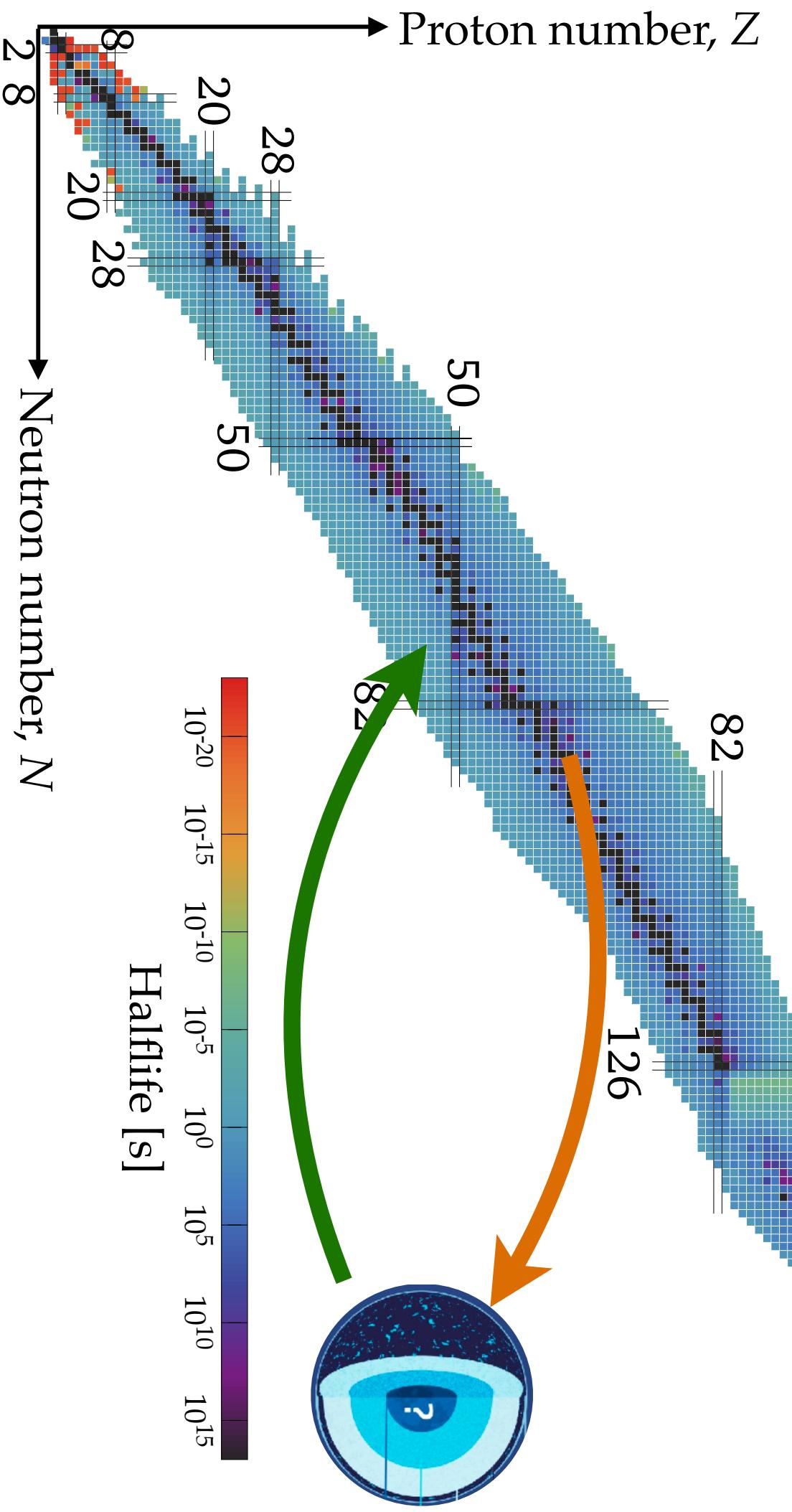
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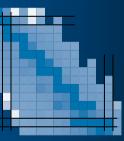
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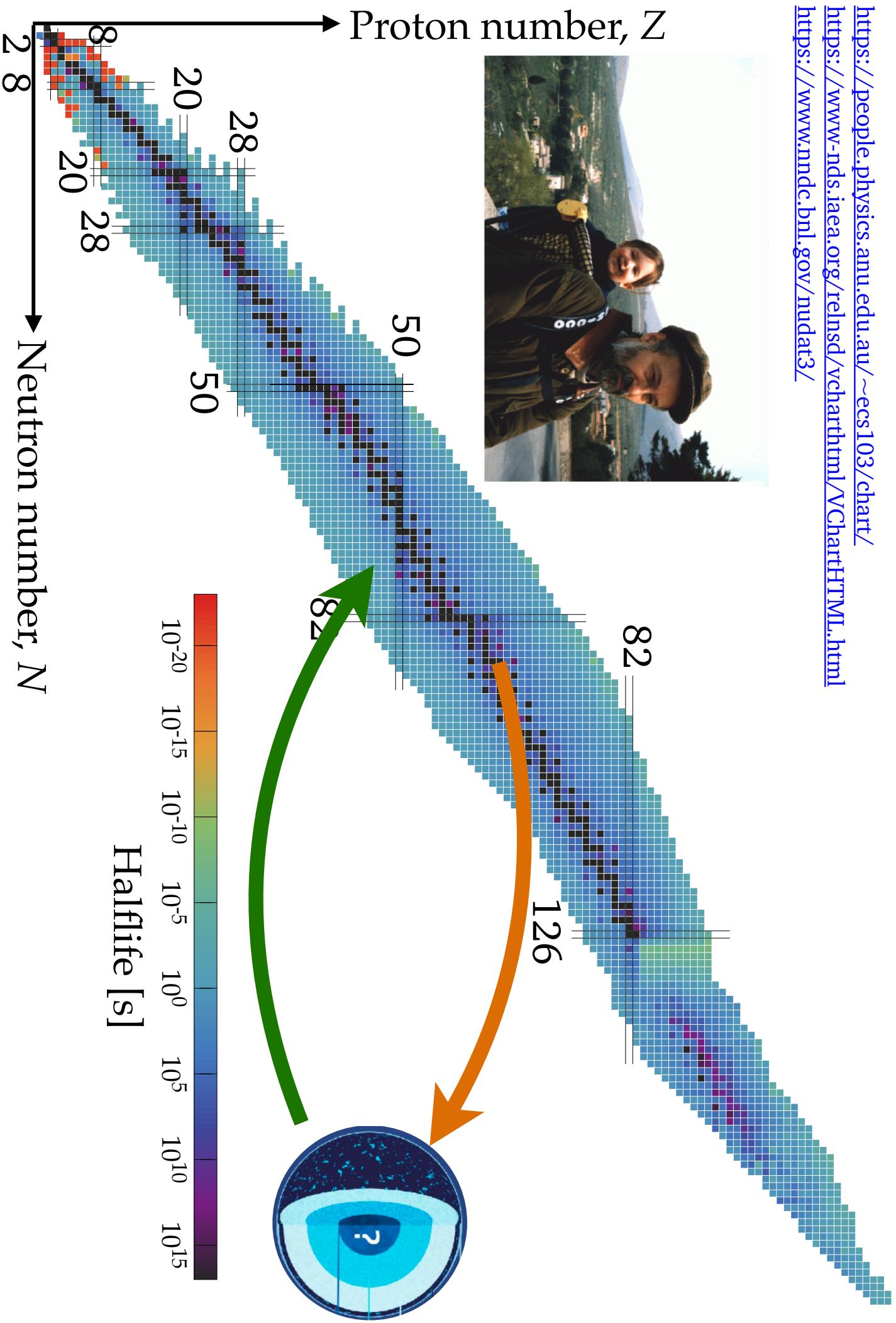
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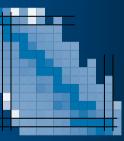
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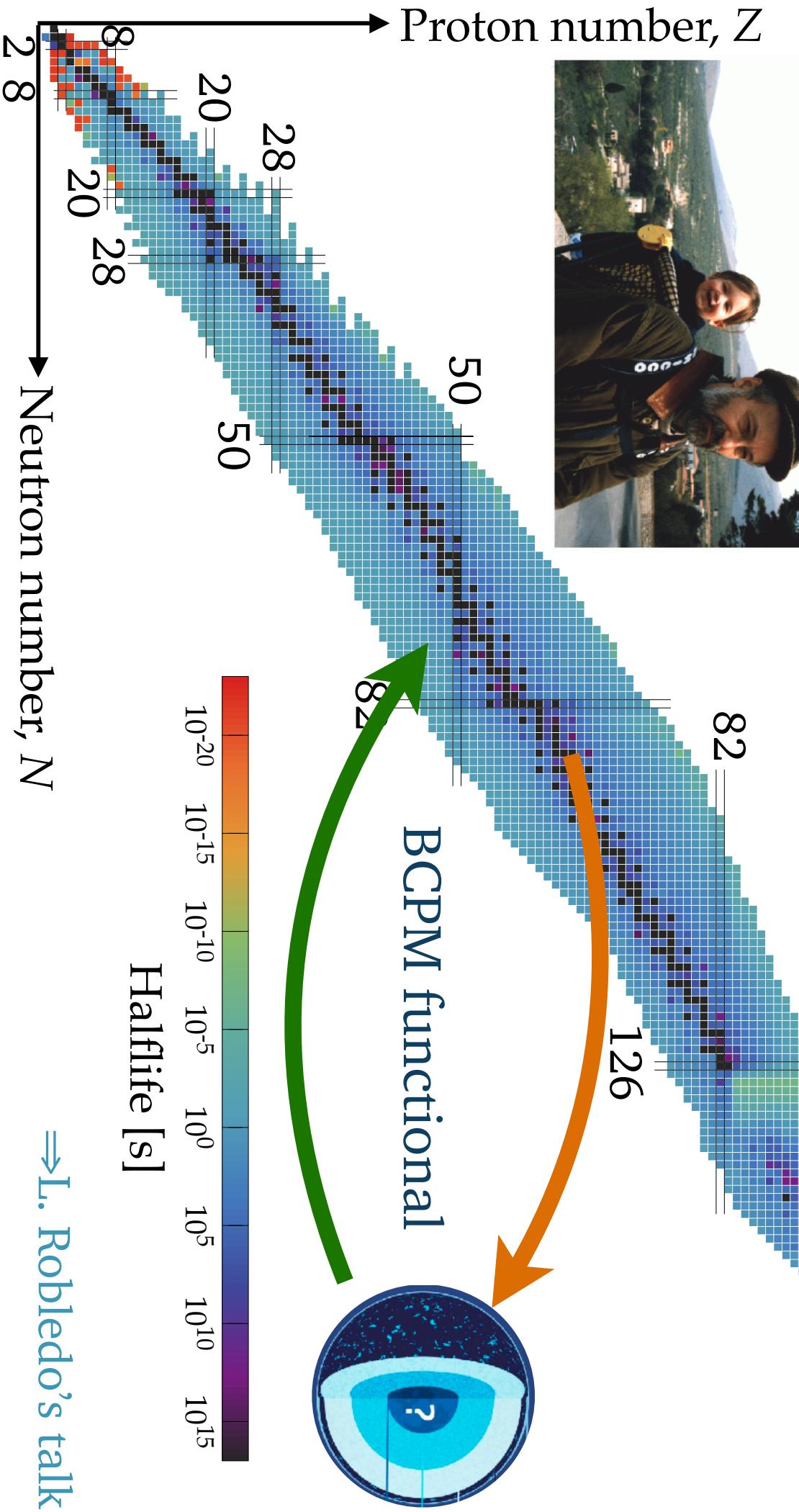
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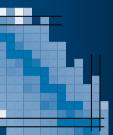


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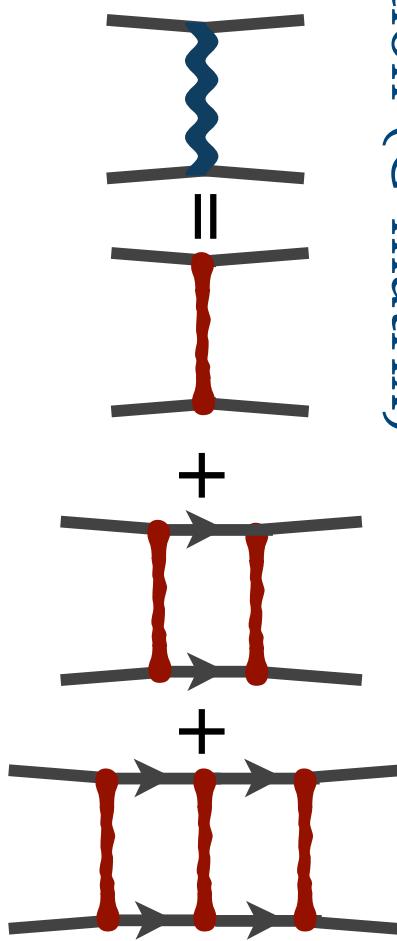


# Brueckner-Bethe-Goldstone

- Infinite resummation of two-hole line diagrams (energy expansion)
- pp Pauli blocked in-medium interaction (G-matrix)

## Effective interaction

$$G(\omega) = V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - e - e' + i\eta} G(\omega)$$



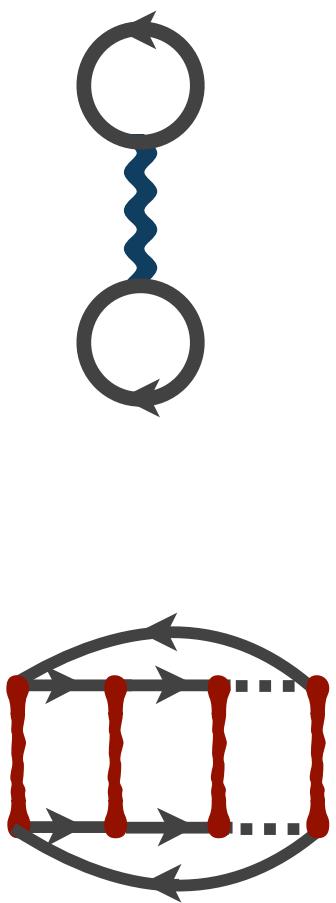
## Single-particle spectrum

$$U(k) = \sum_{|\vec{k}'| < k_F} \langle \vec{k} \vec{k}' | G(\omega = e(k) + e(k')) | \vec{k} \vec{k}' \rangle_A$$

$$e(k) = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m_\tau} + Re[U(k)]$$

## Energy

$$\frac{E}{A}(\rho, \beta) = \frac{1}{A} \sum_{\tau} \sum_{|\vec{k}| < k_{F\tau}} \left( \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m_\tau} + \frac{1}{2} Re[U_\tau(\vec{k})] \right)$$



# 3-hole line “epics”

## Three hole-line contribution in nuclear matter revisited

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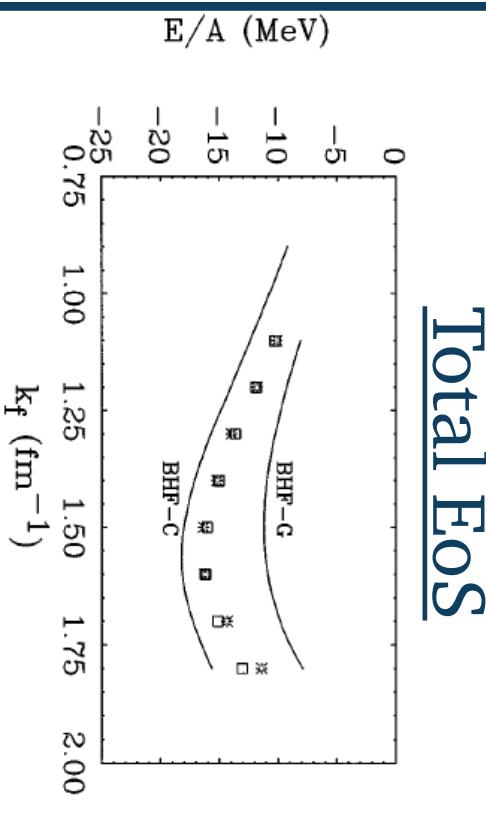
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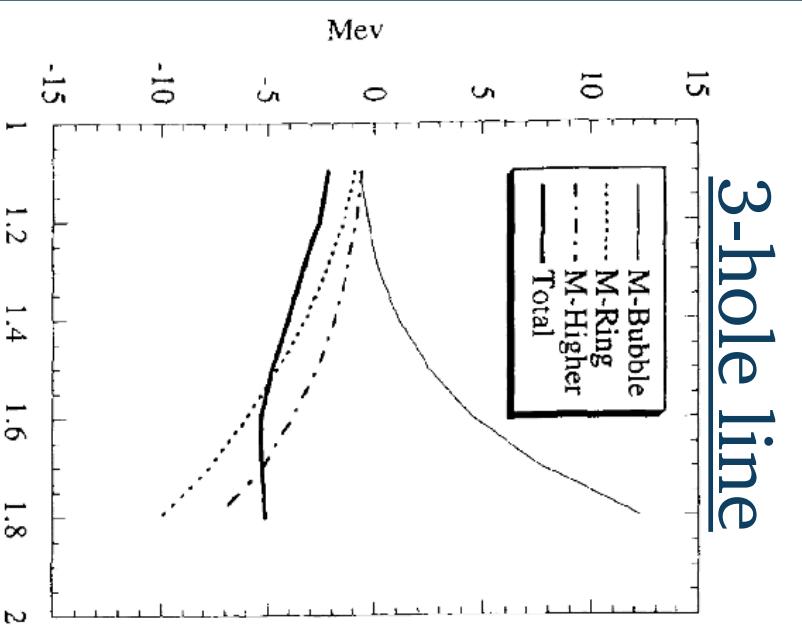
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## Total EoS



## 3-hole line



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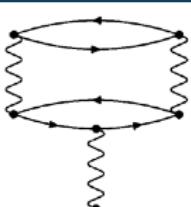
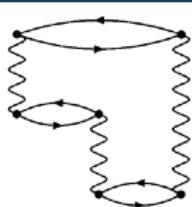
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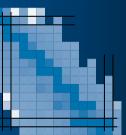
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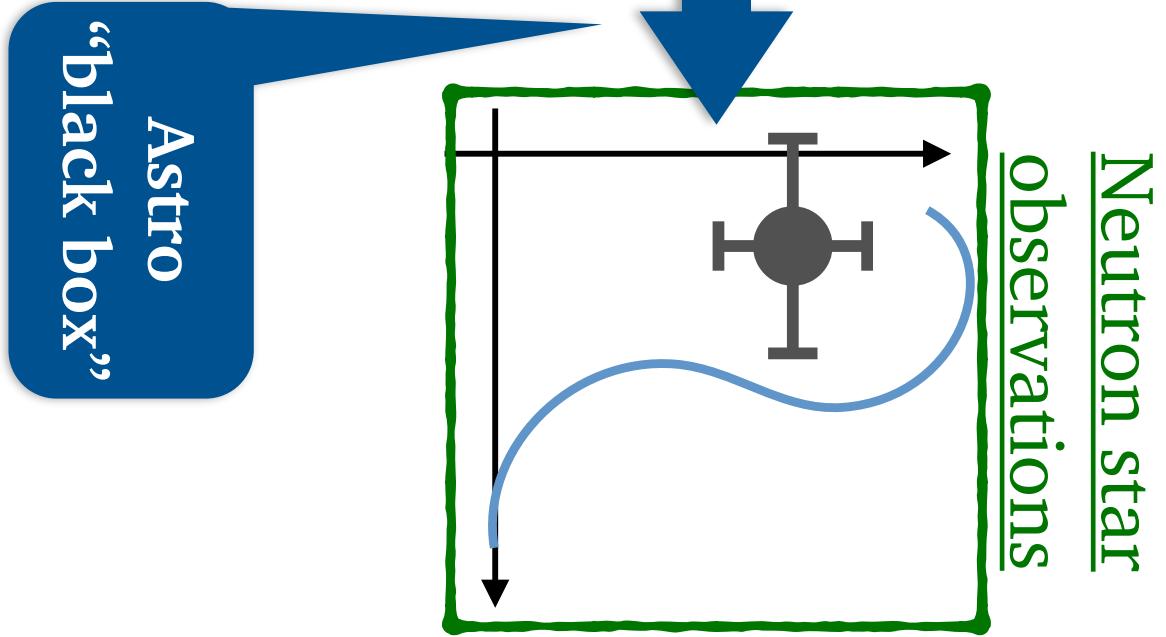
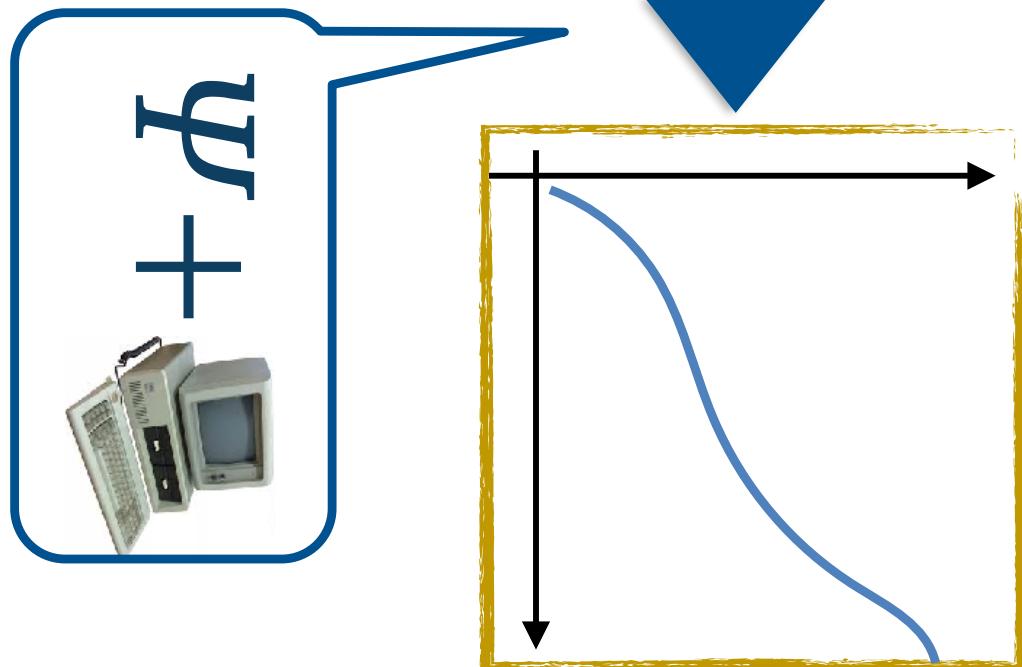
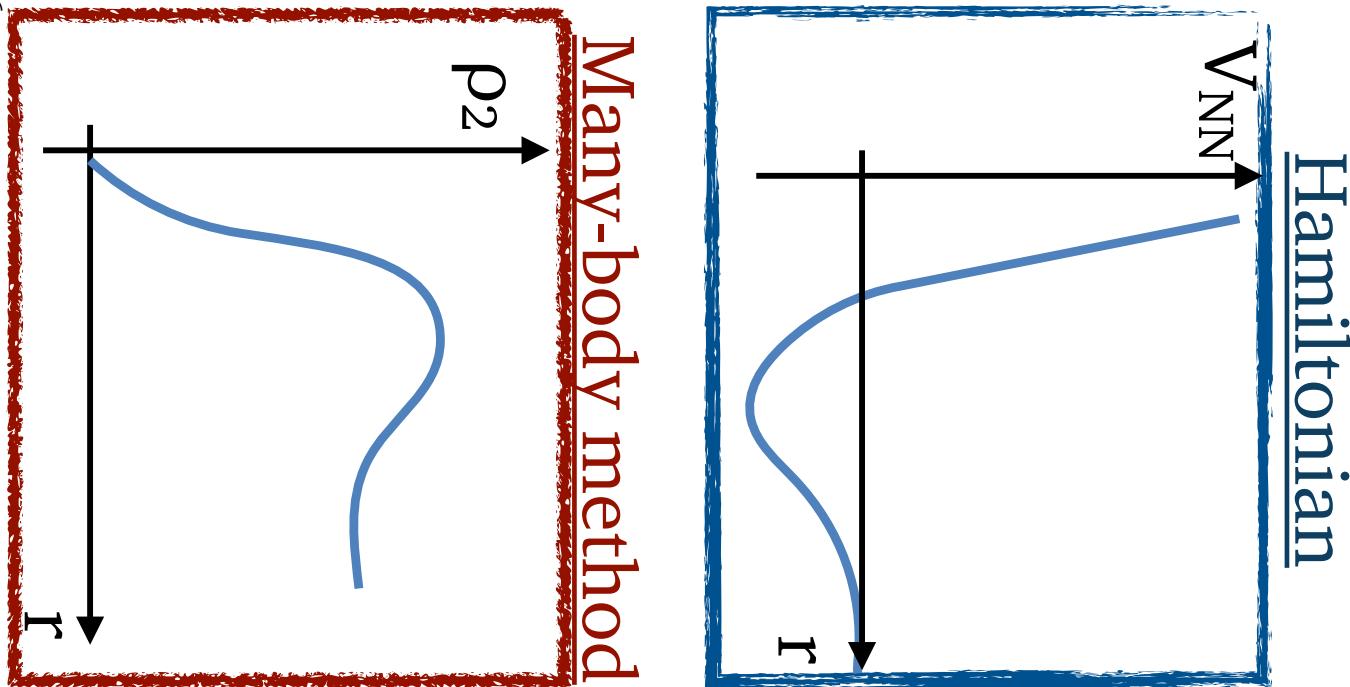
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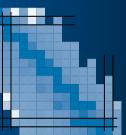




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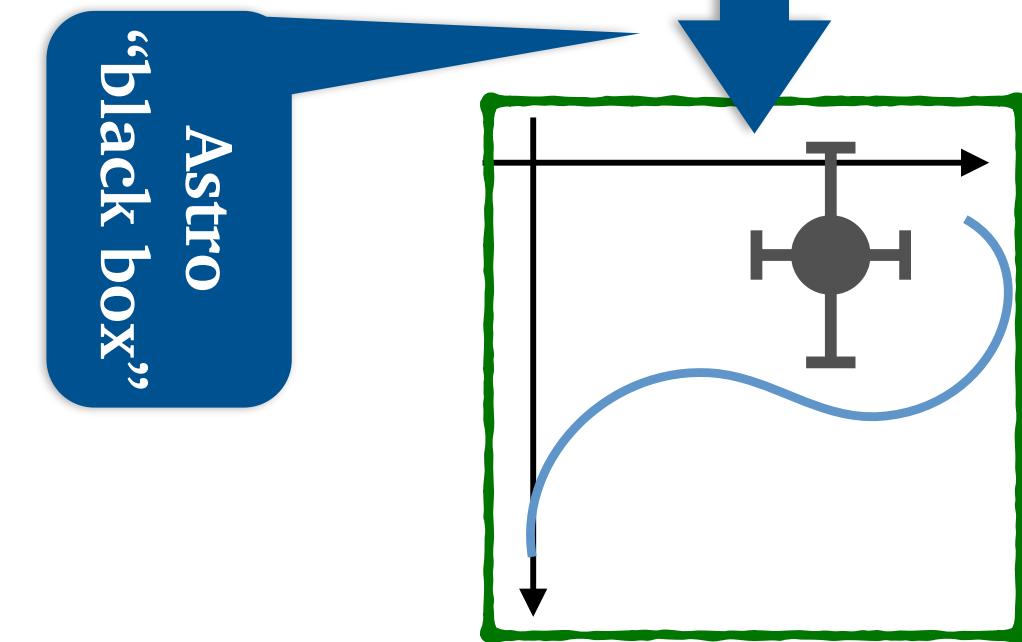
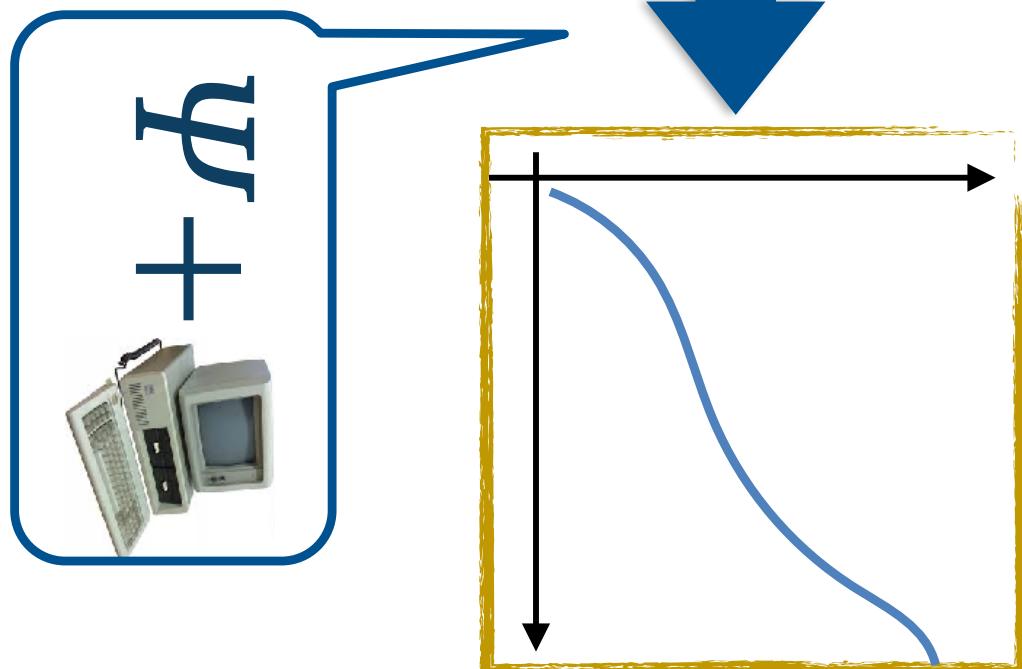
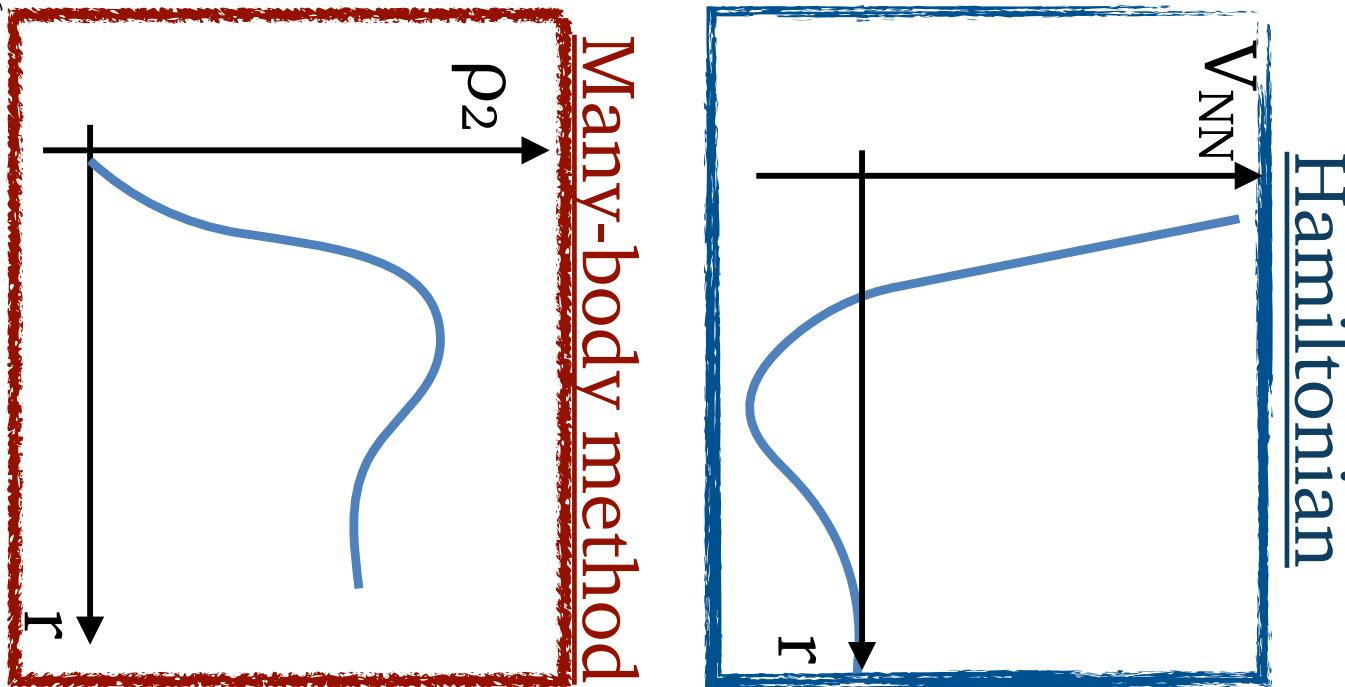
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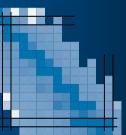


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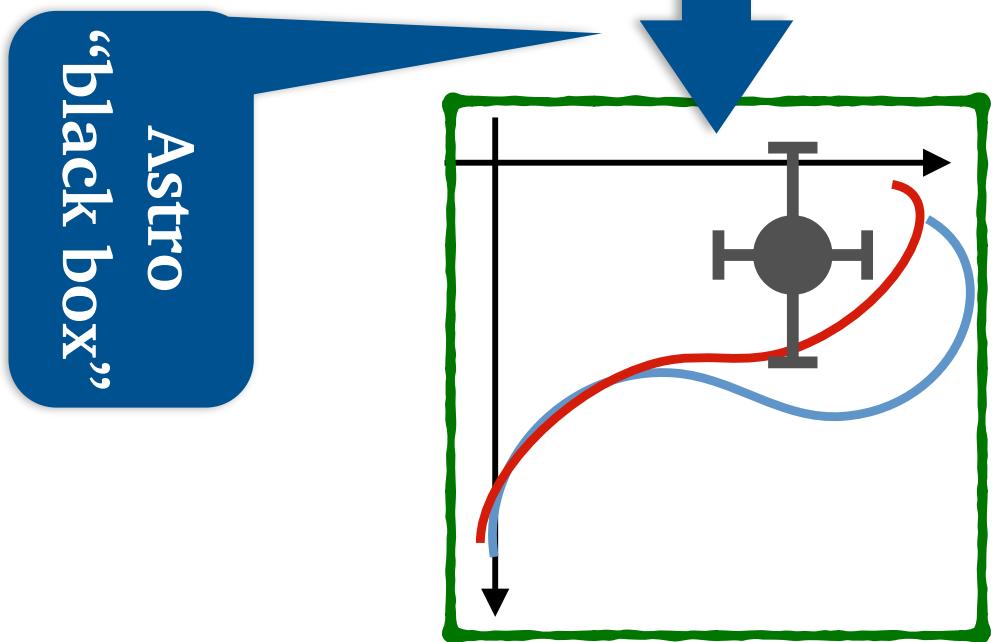
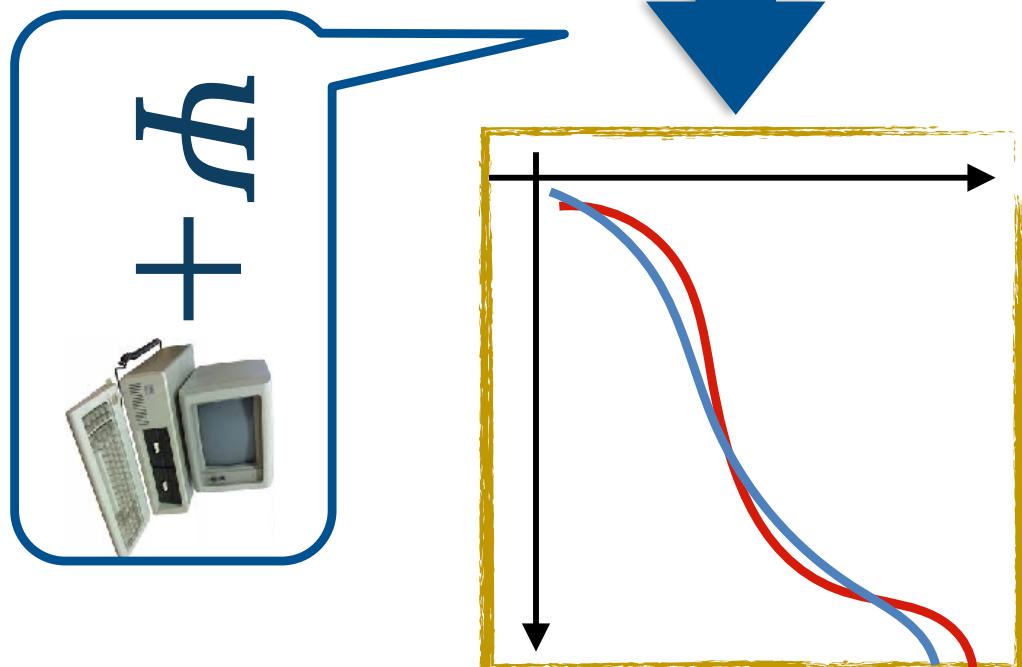
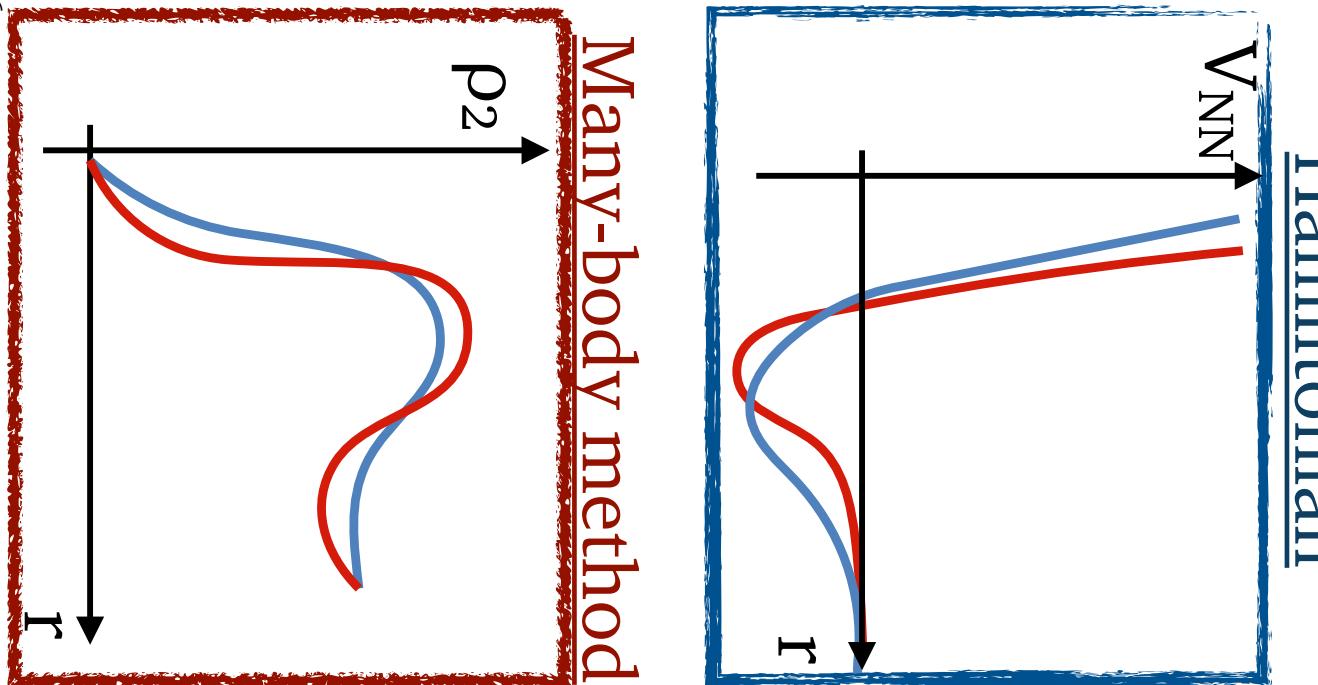


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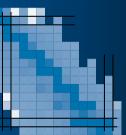
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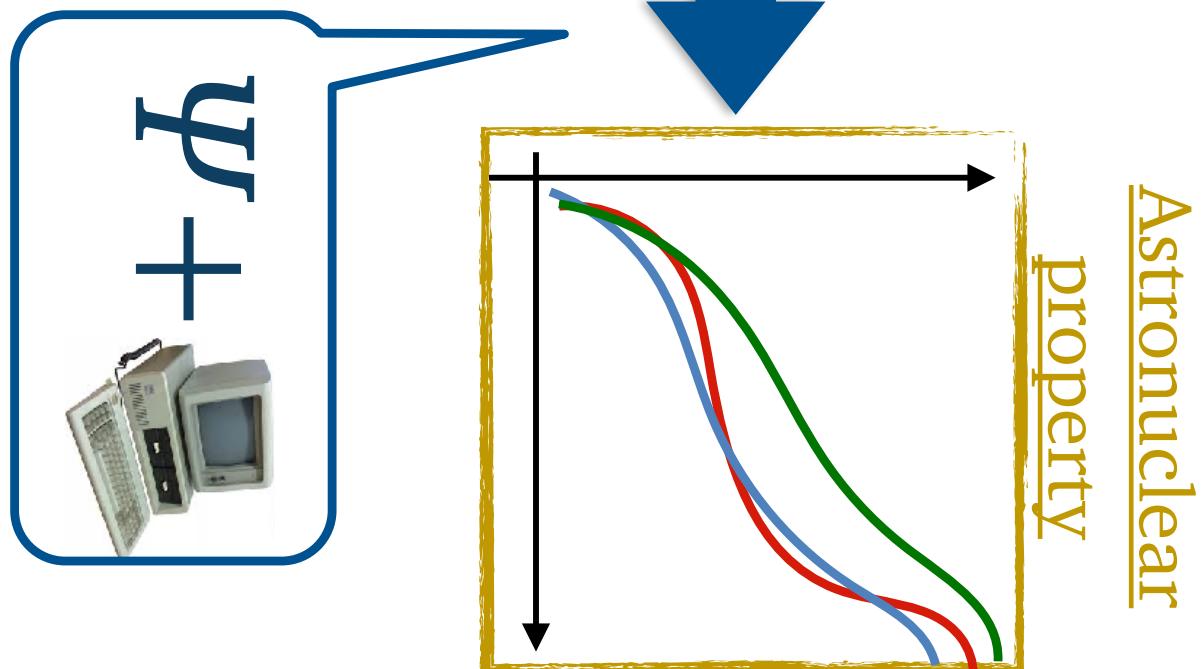
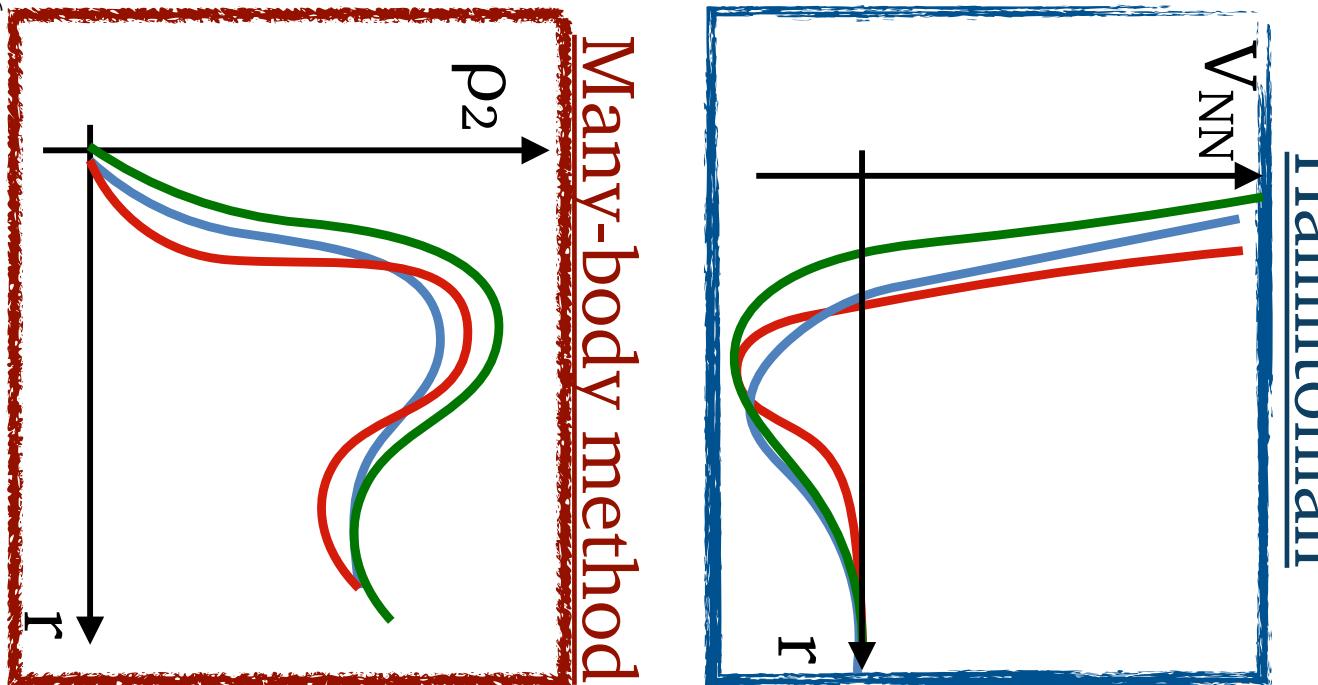
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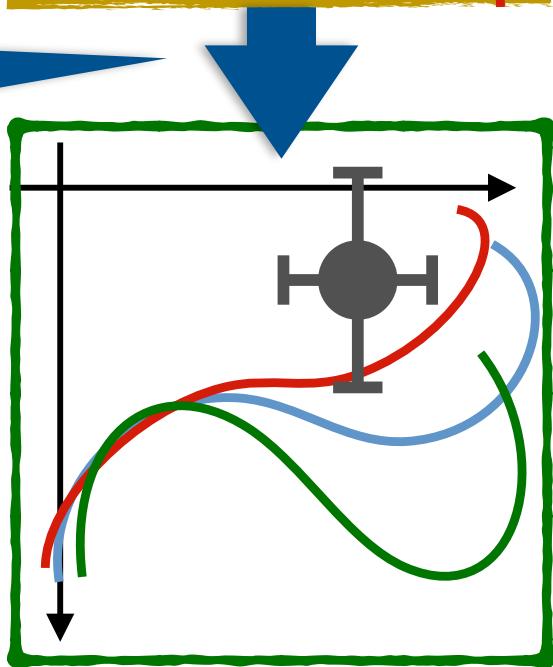


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# Our common paper

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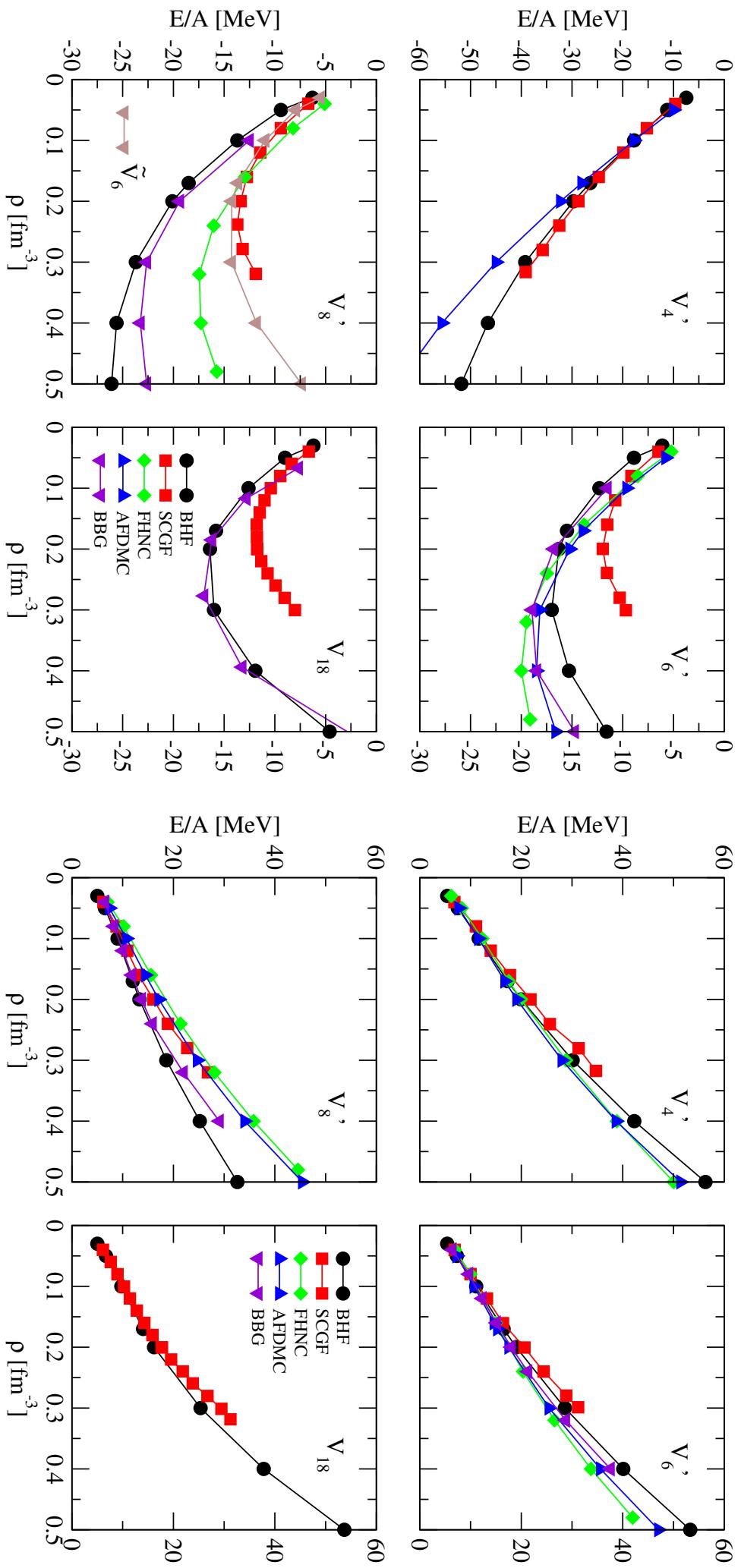
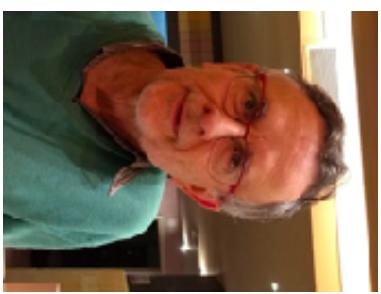
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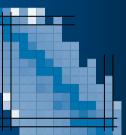
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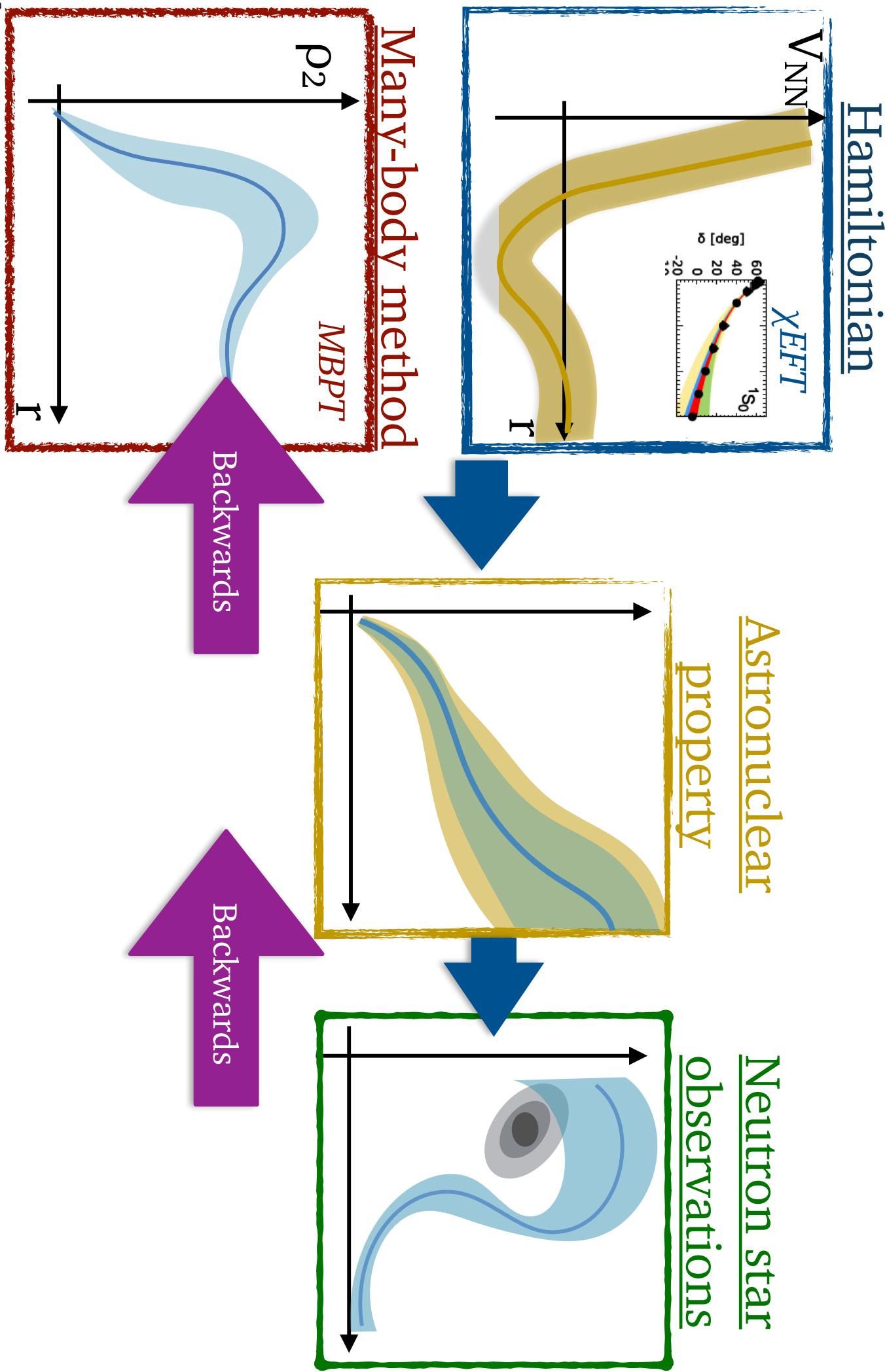
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# Nuclear error quantification



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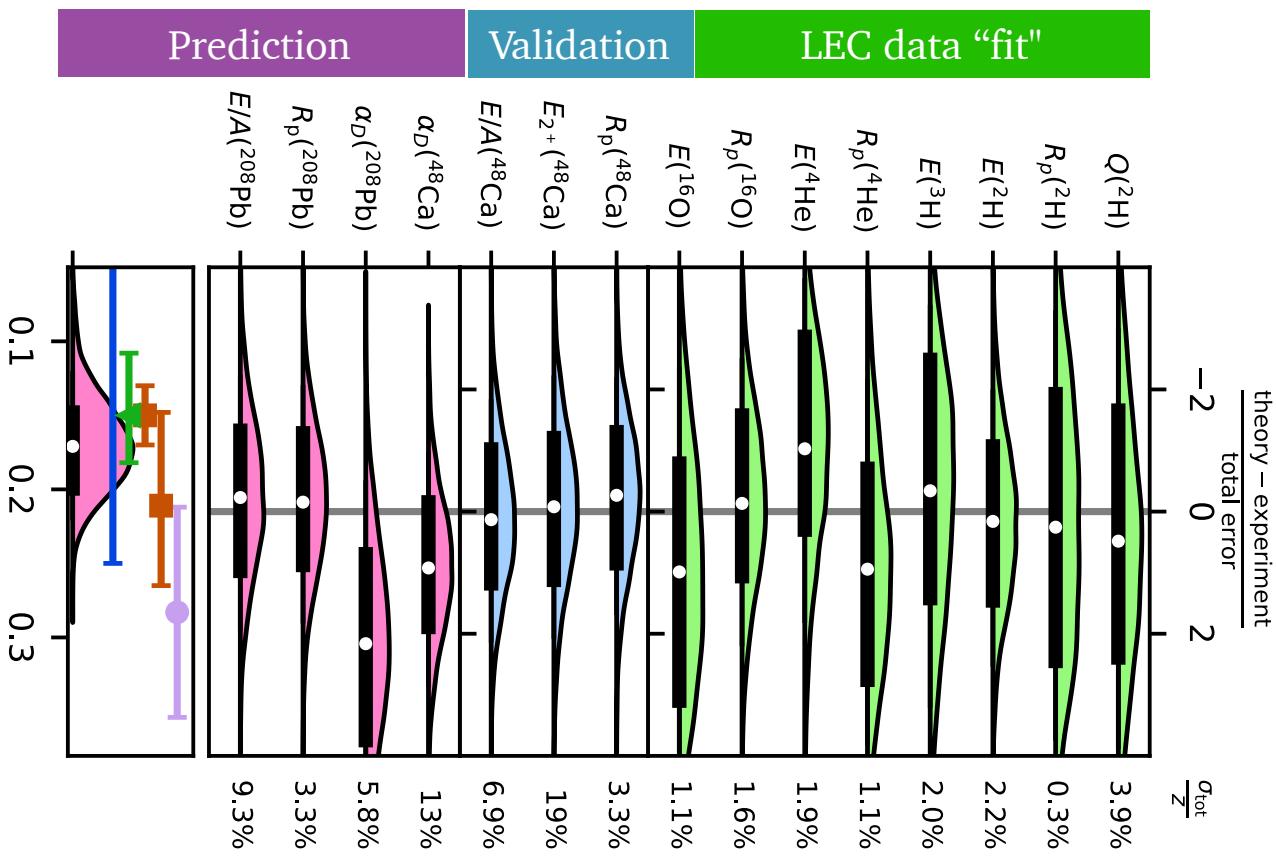
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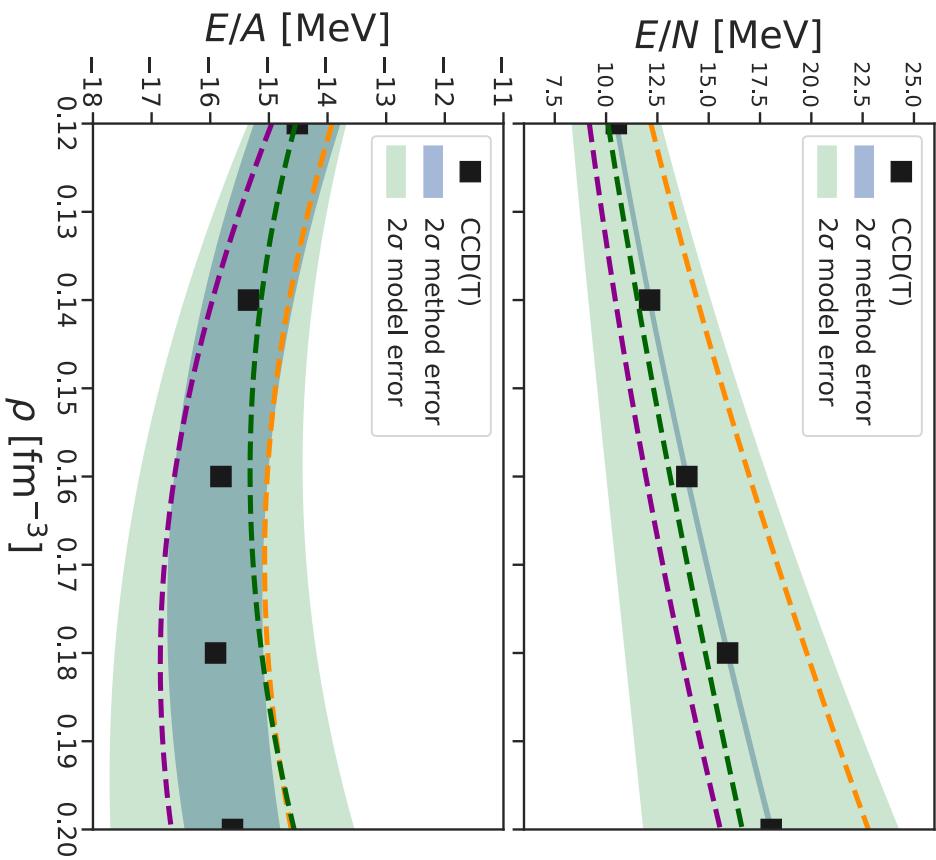
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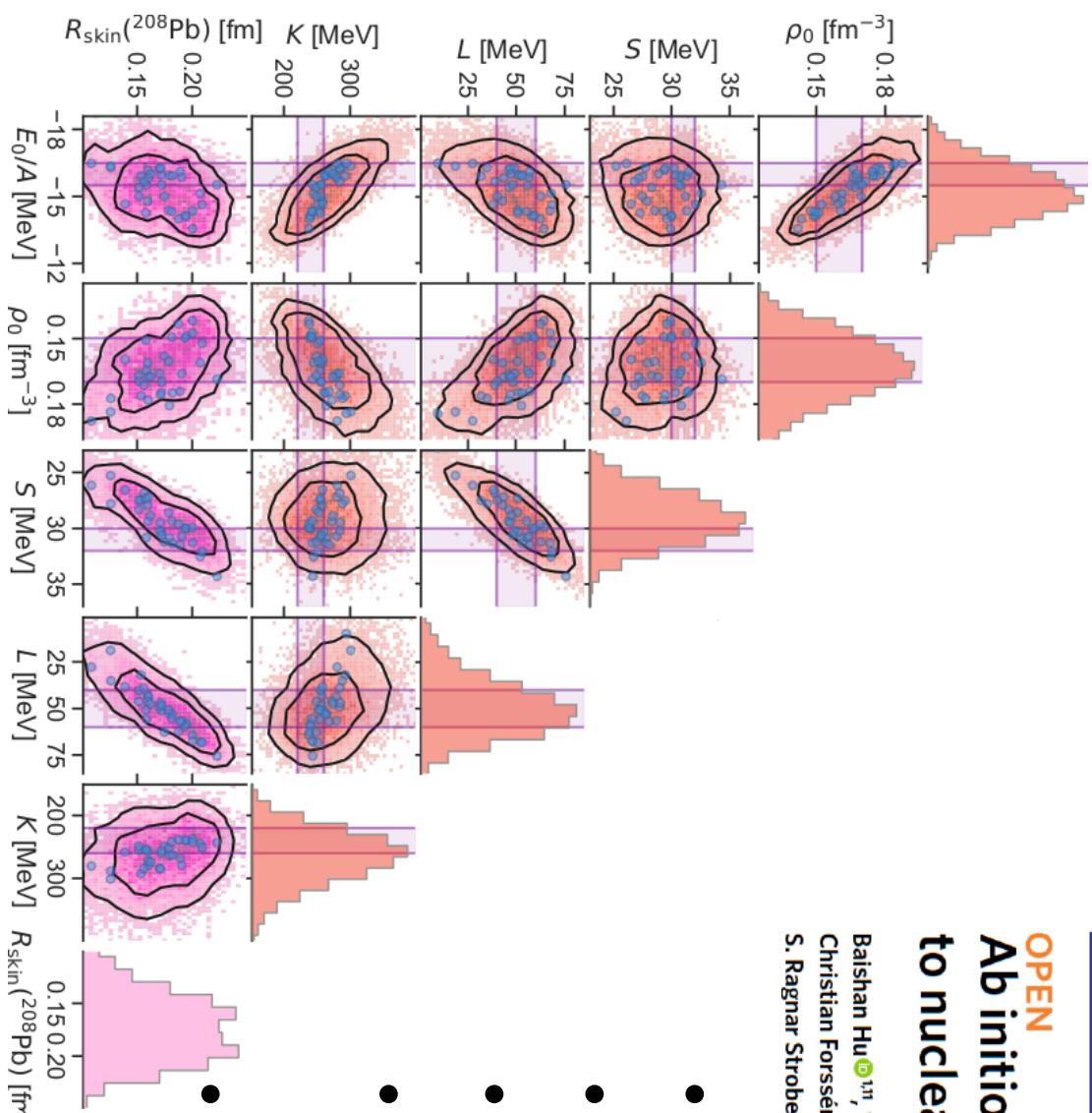


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# An idea that lasted!

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Editors' Suggestion

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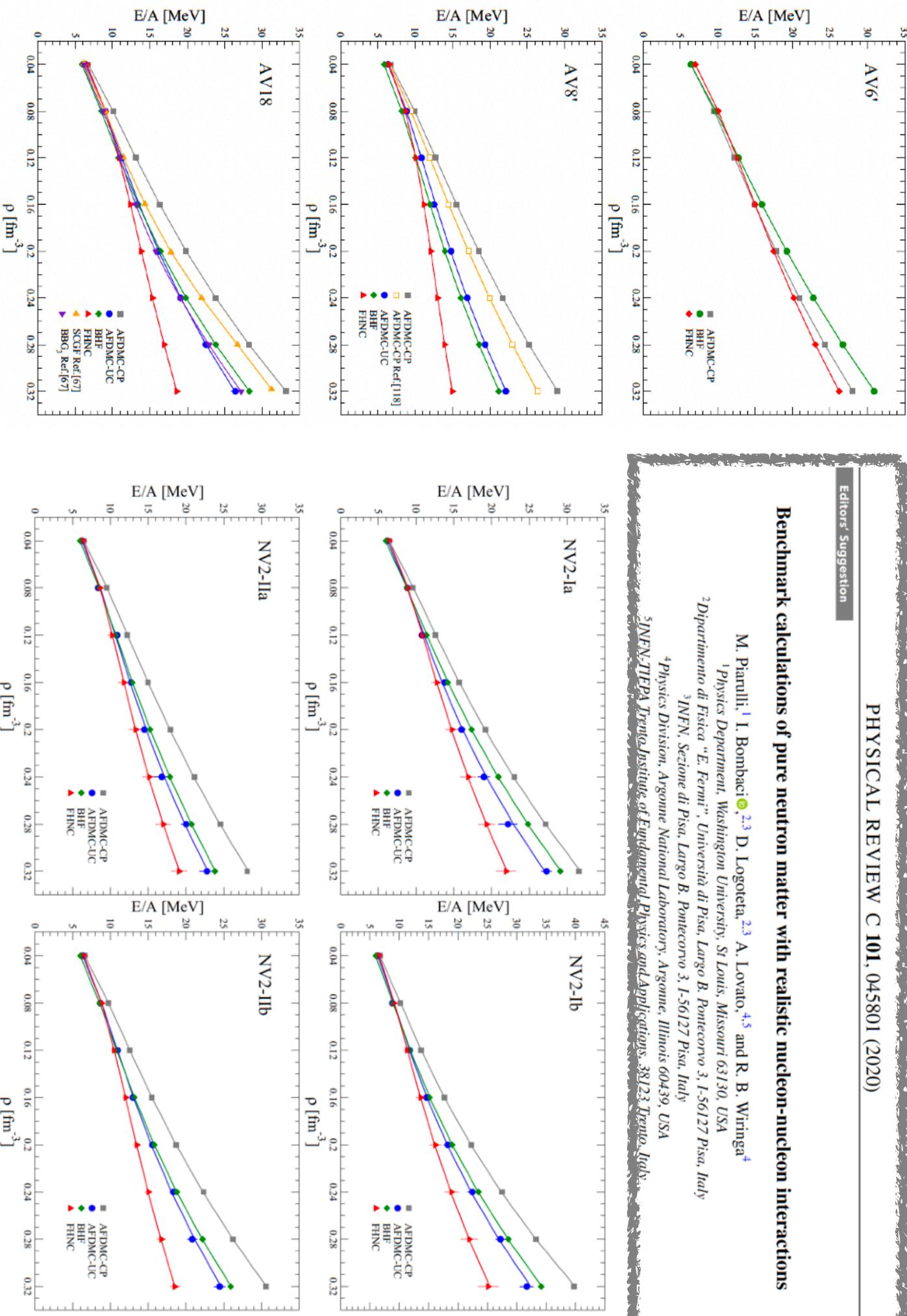
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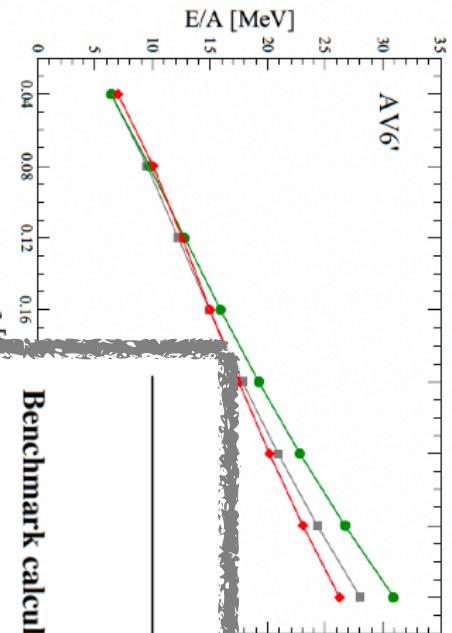
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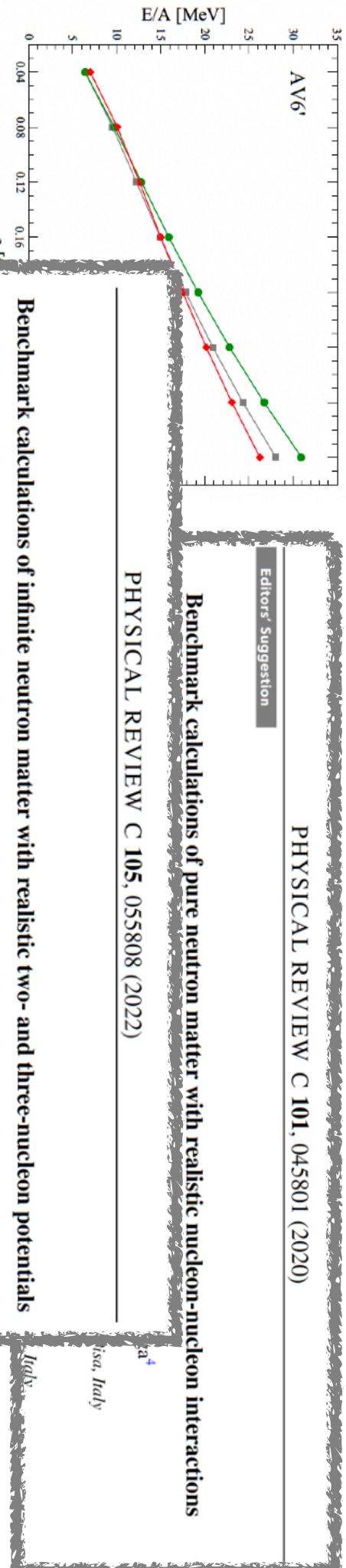
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Figure 1. A schematic diagram of the two-photon excitation process.

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Table 3. Summary of the results of the simulation study.



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$(\rho, T)$

2N & 3N forces

$$\omega_{\text{eff}} = \omega_0 + \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\text{loop}}$$

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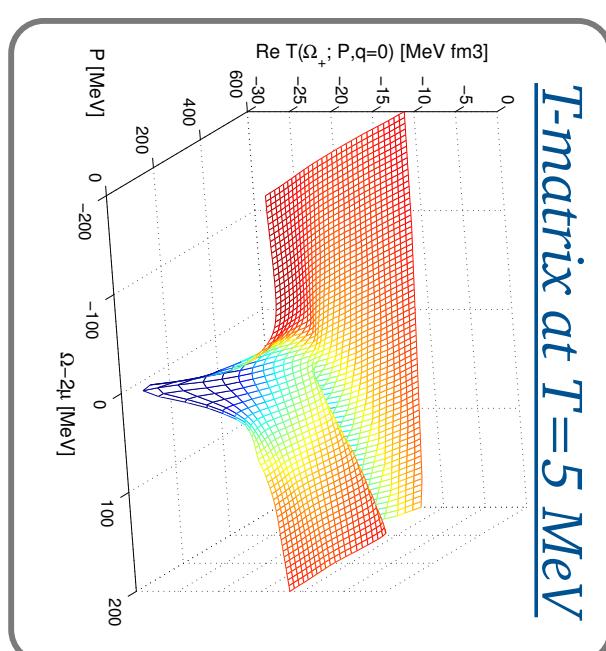
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Self-energy

$$\Sigma = \omega_{\text{loop}} + \frac{1}{2} \omega_{\text{loop}}$$

Propagator

$$= \frac{\omega}{P} + \Sigma^I$$



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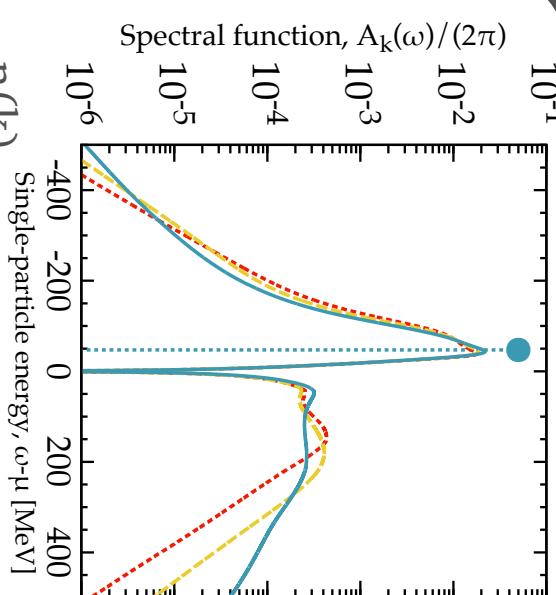
Self-energy

$$\Sigma = \bullet \cdots \bullet + T$$

Propagator

$$= \bullet \cdots \bullet + \Sigma^1$$

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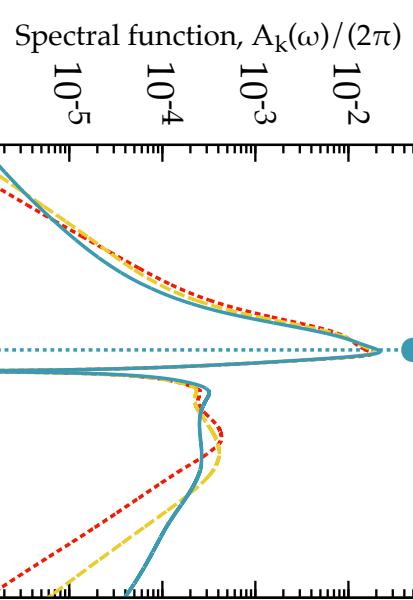
Self-energy

$$\Sigma = \omega_{\text{eff}} + T$$

Propagator

$$= \bullet \cdots \bullet + \Sigma^1$$

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Thermodynamics & EoS  
Transport

- Off-shell ✓
- Matsubara formalism ✓
- $\Phi$ -derivable ✓

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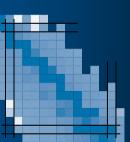
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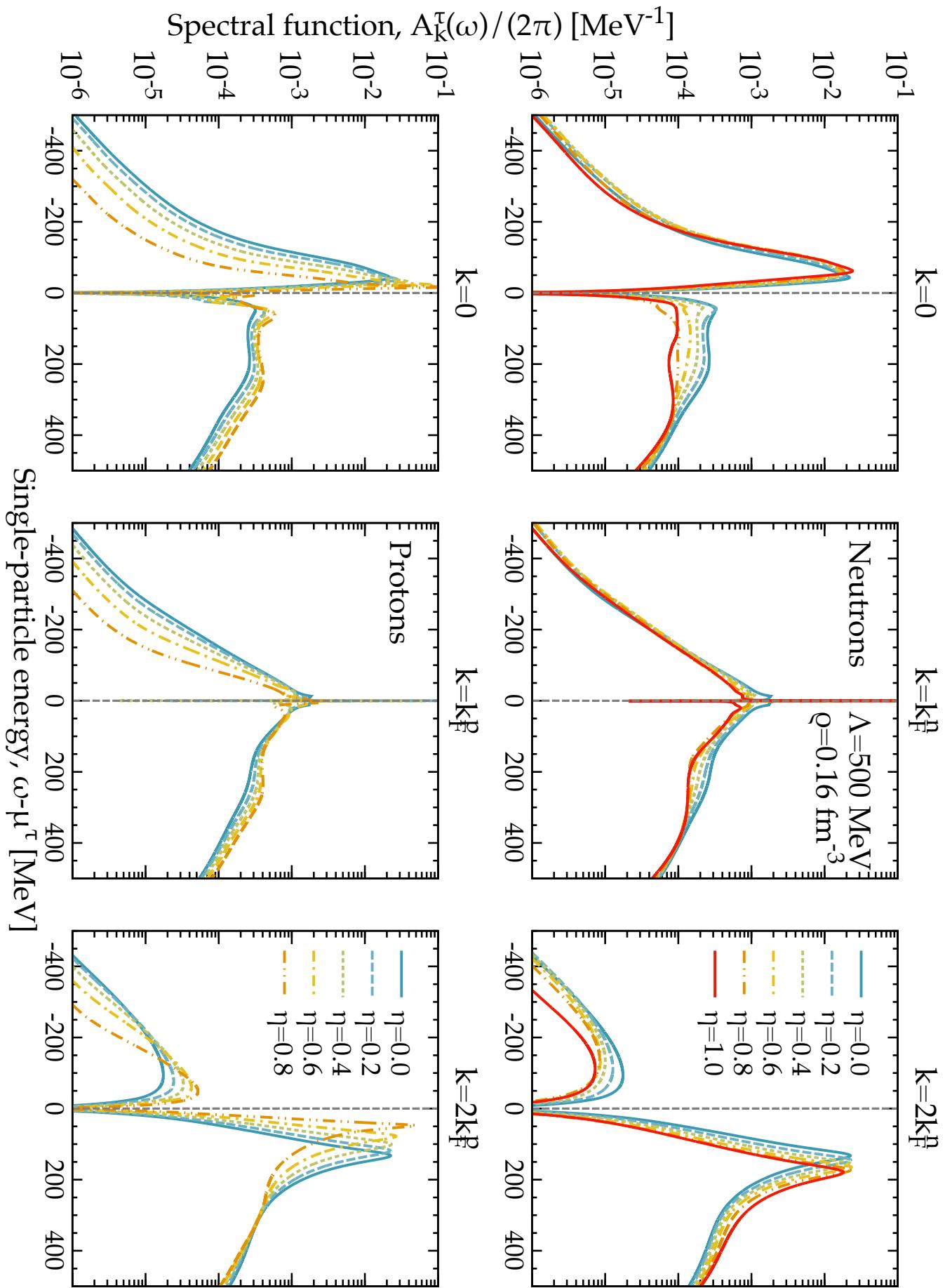
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# Asymmetry dependence in spectral functions



# Spectral functions à la Baldo

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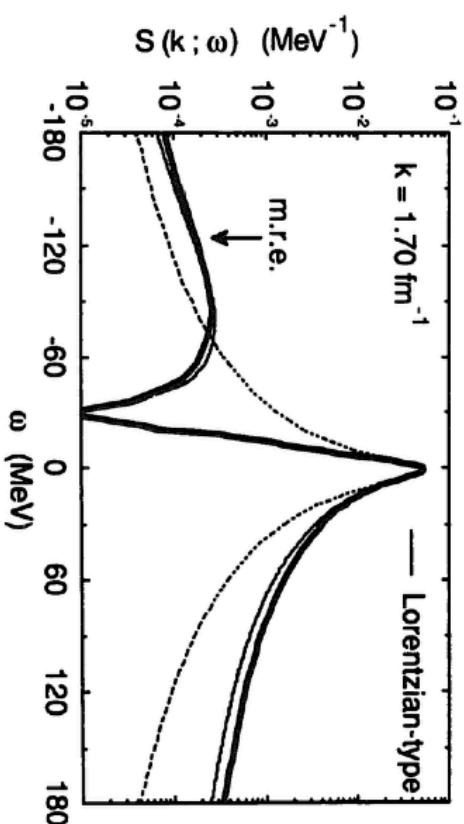
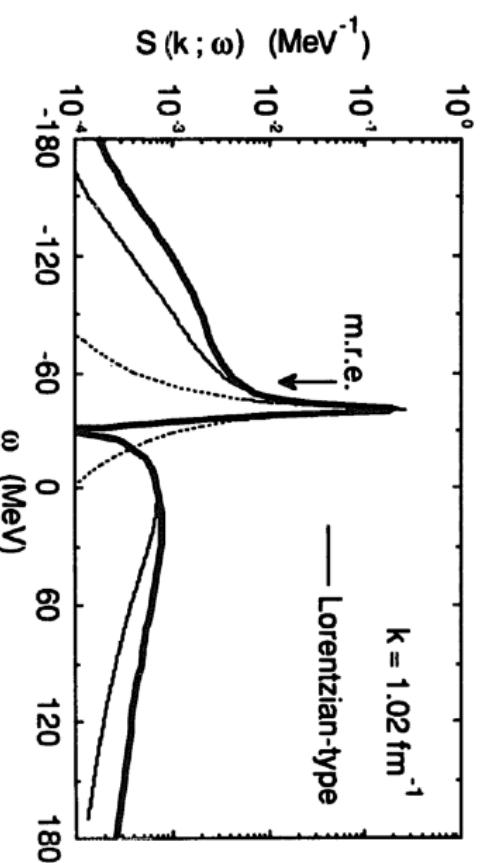
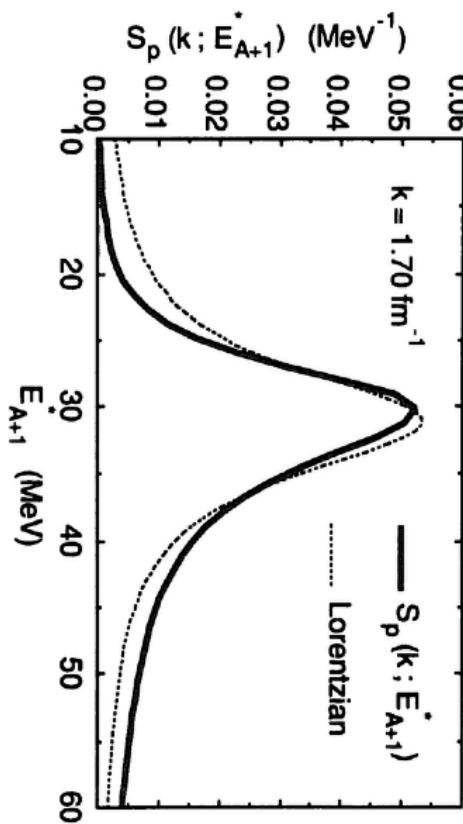
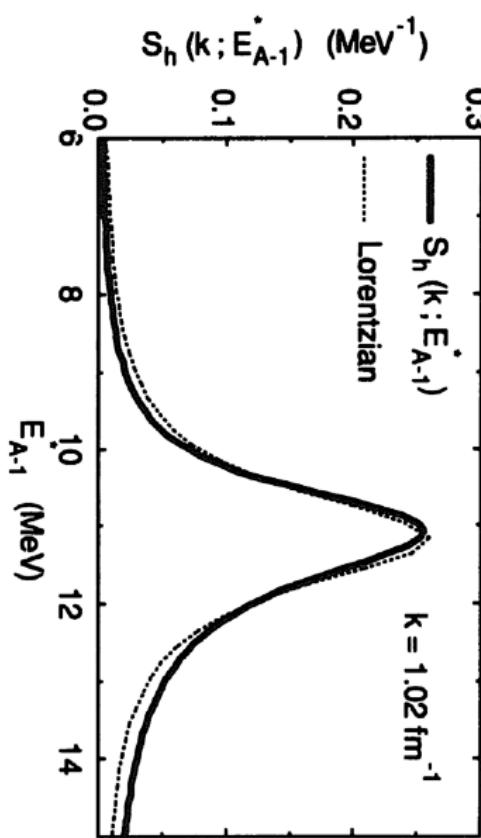
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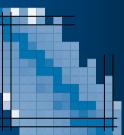
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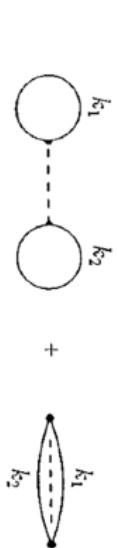
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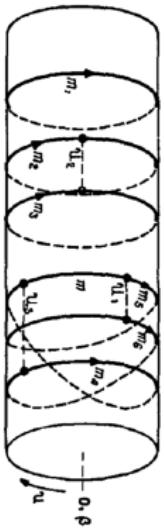
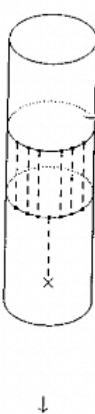


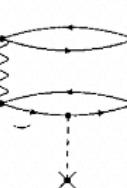
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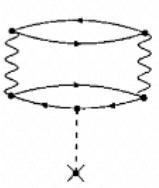
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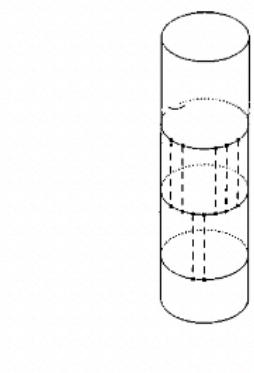
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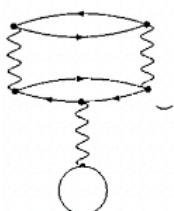
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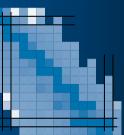


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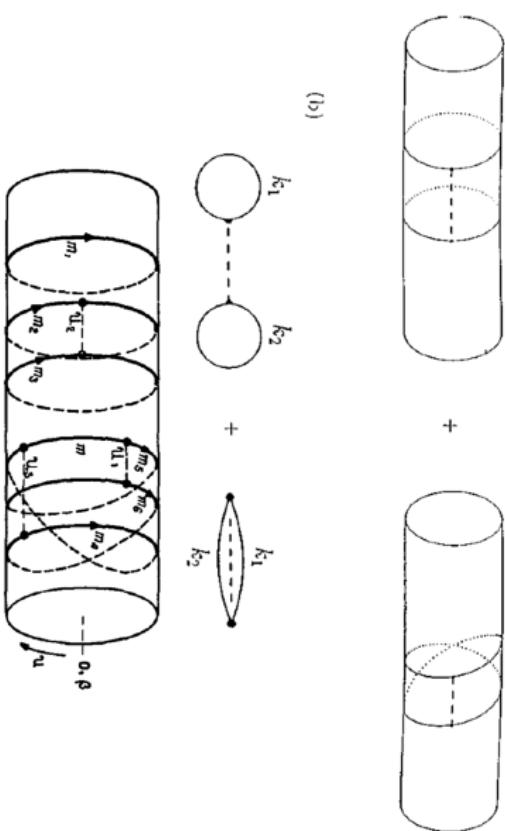
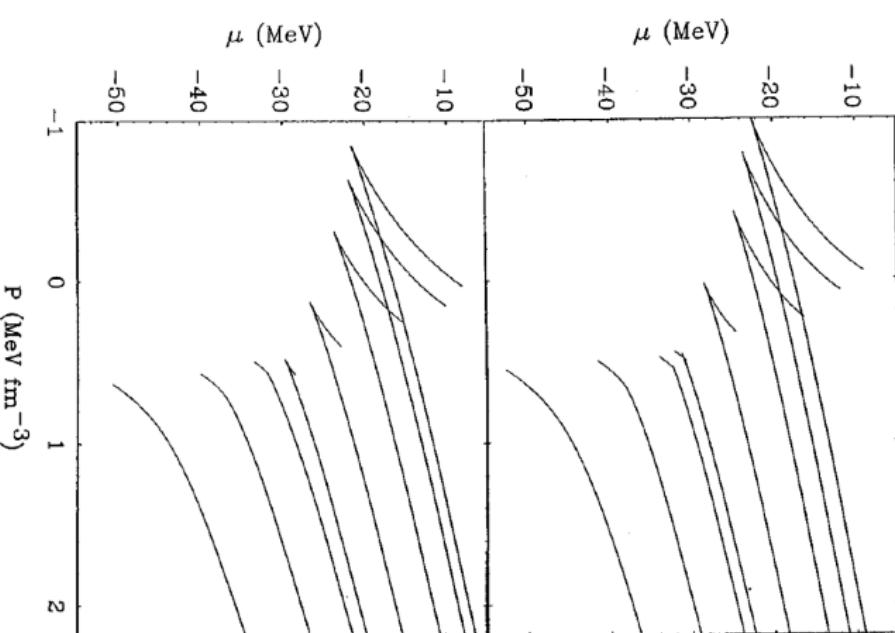


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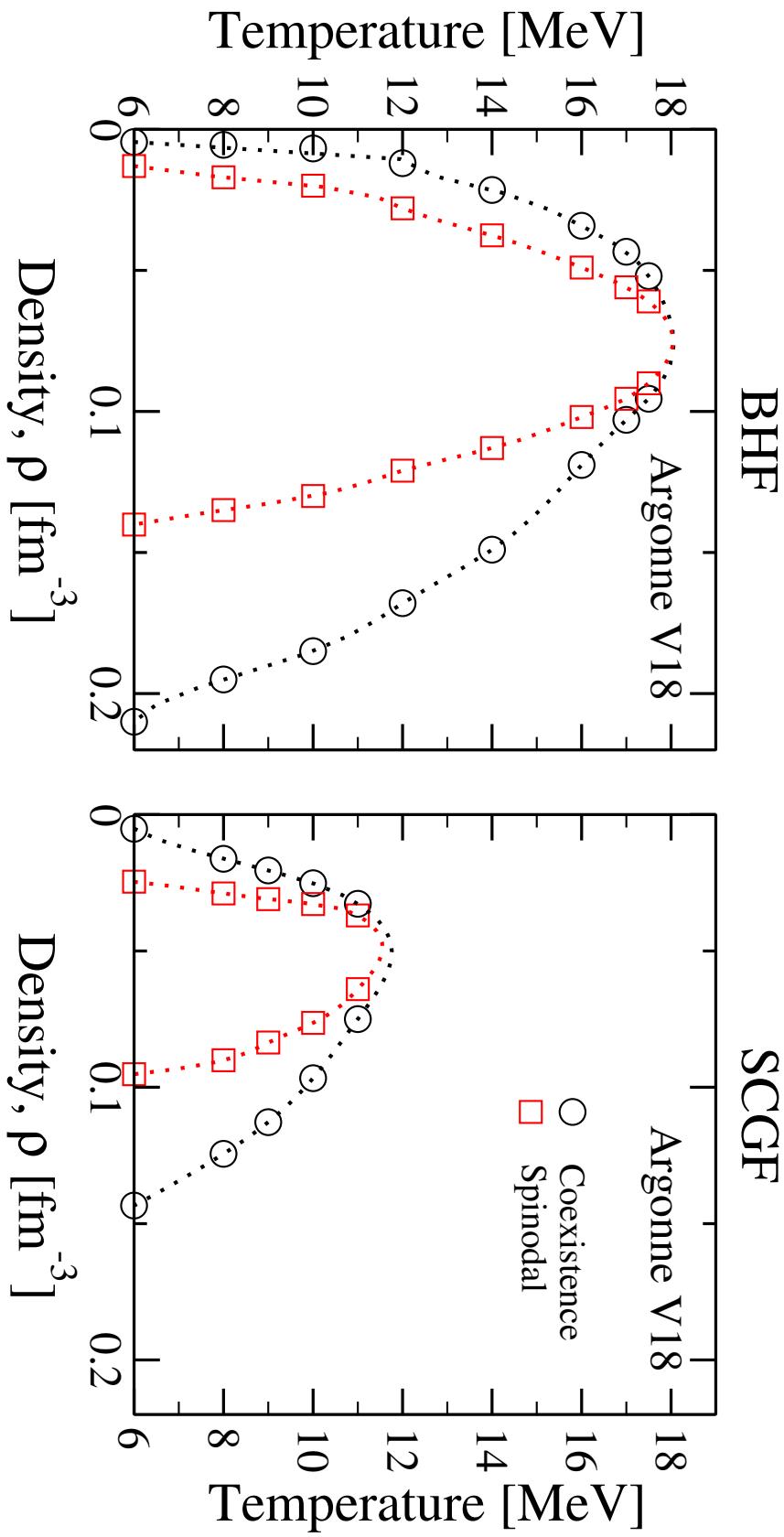
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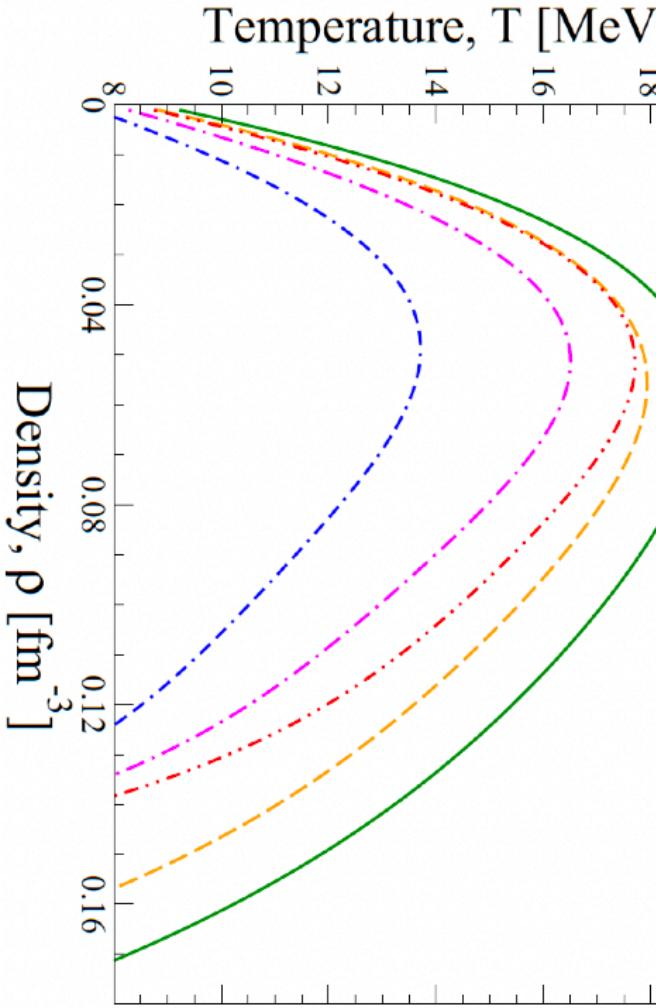
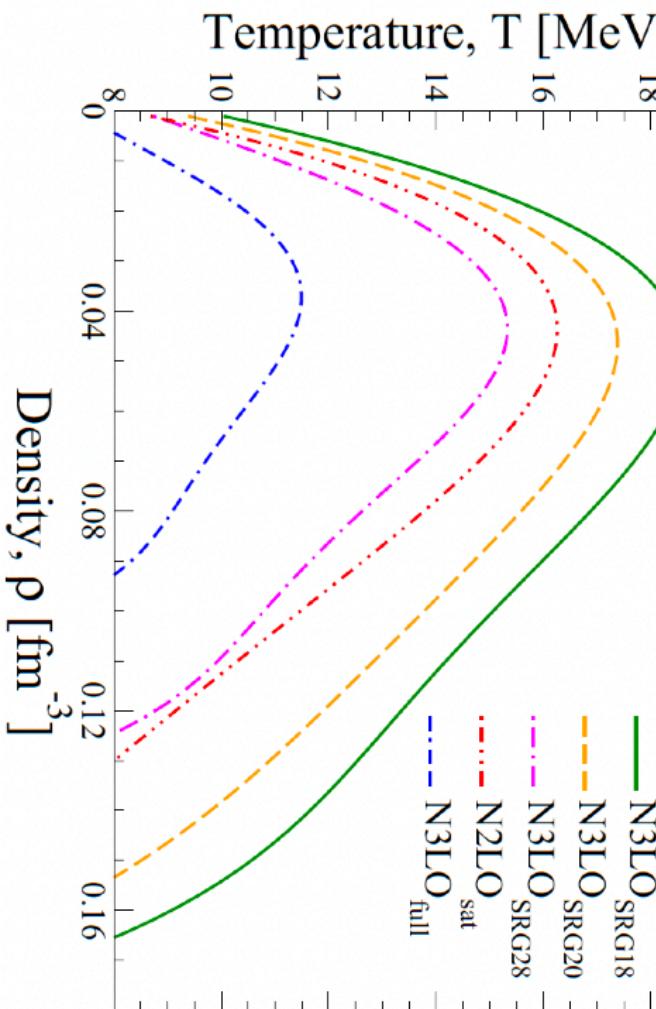
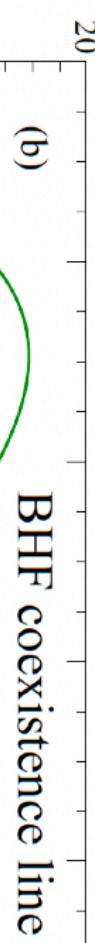
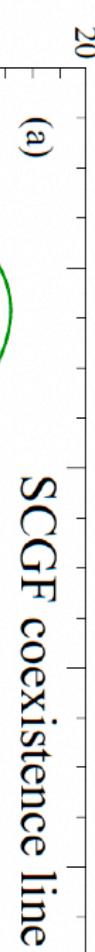
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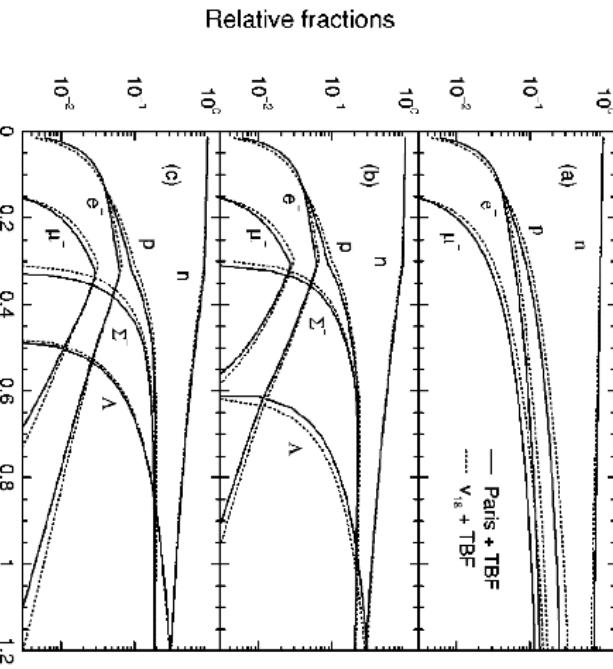
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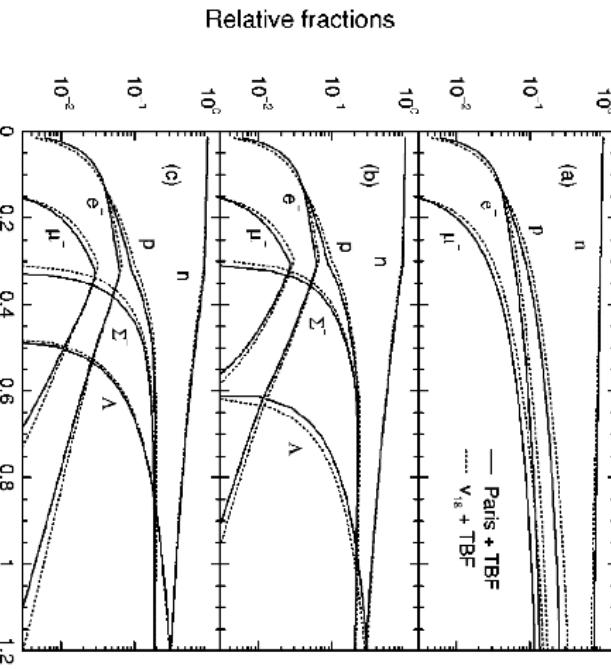
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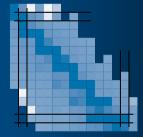
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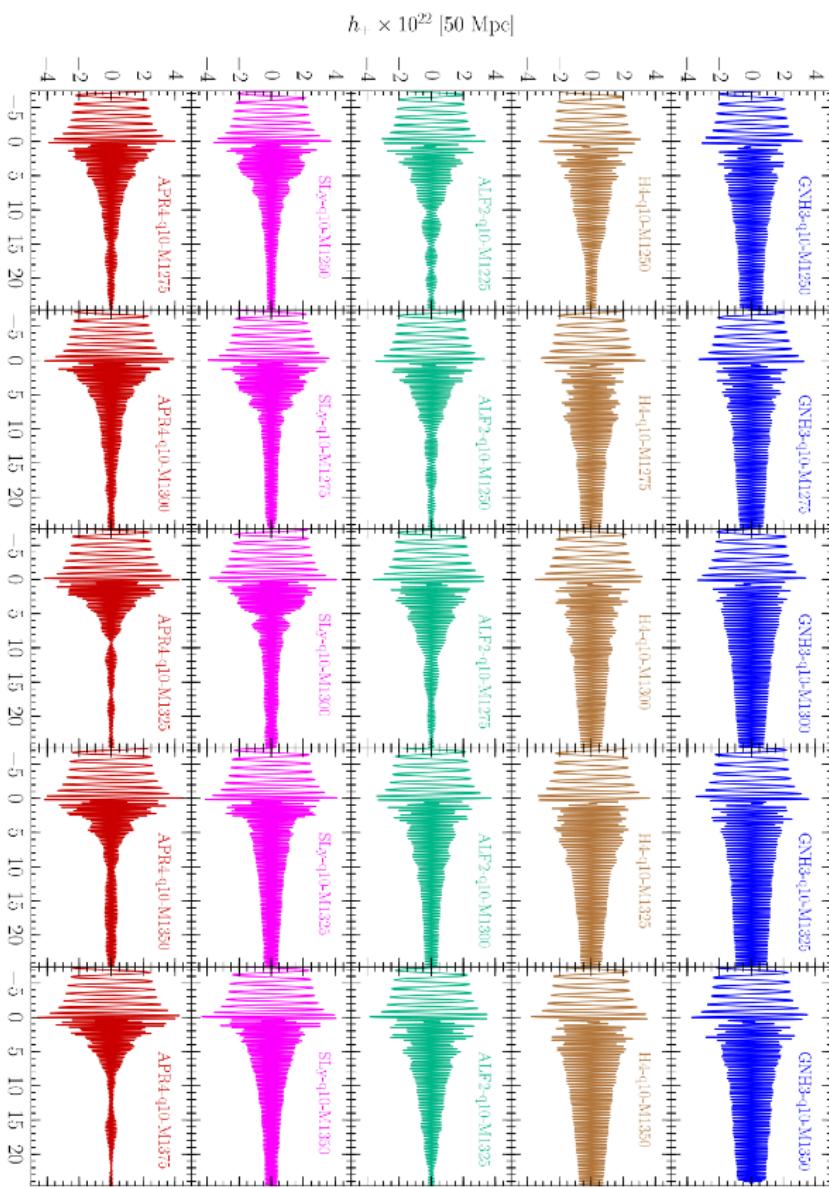
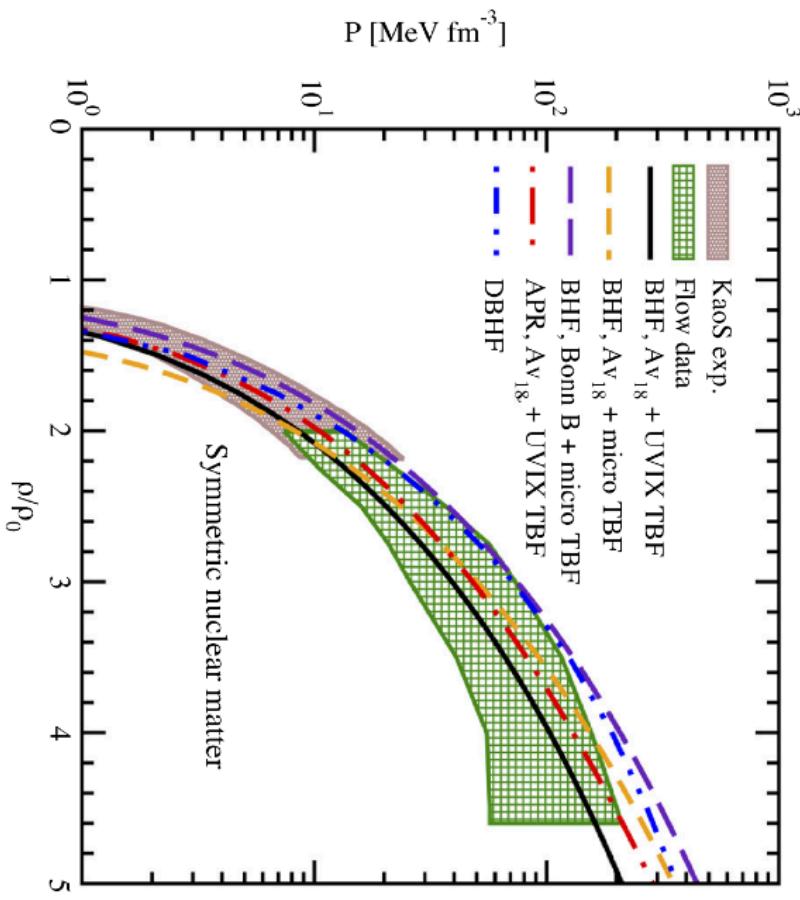
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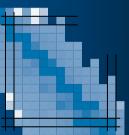
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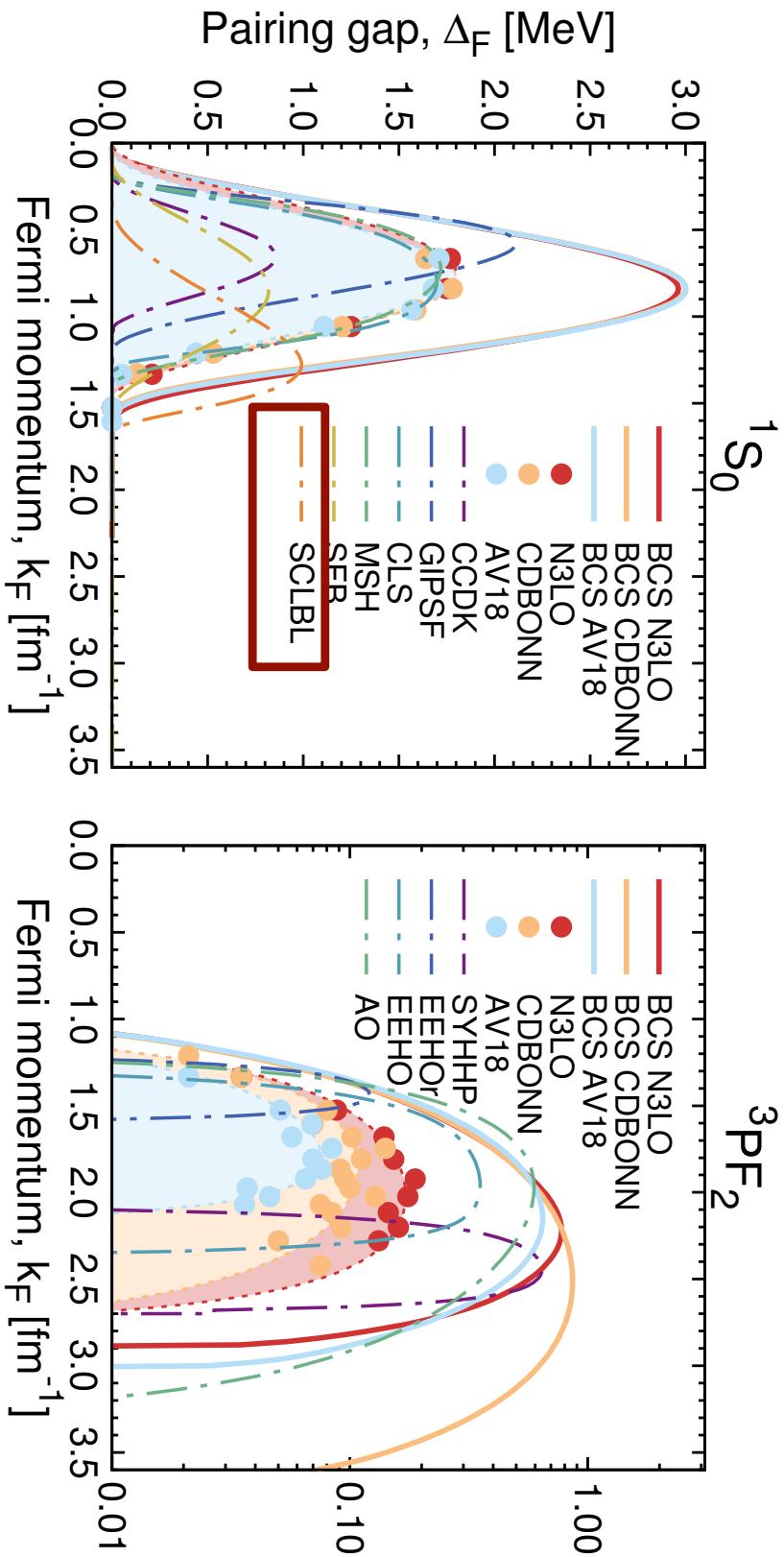
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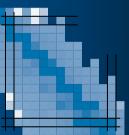
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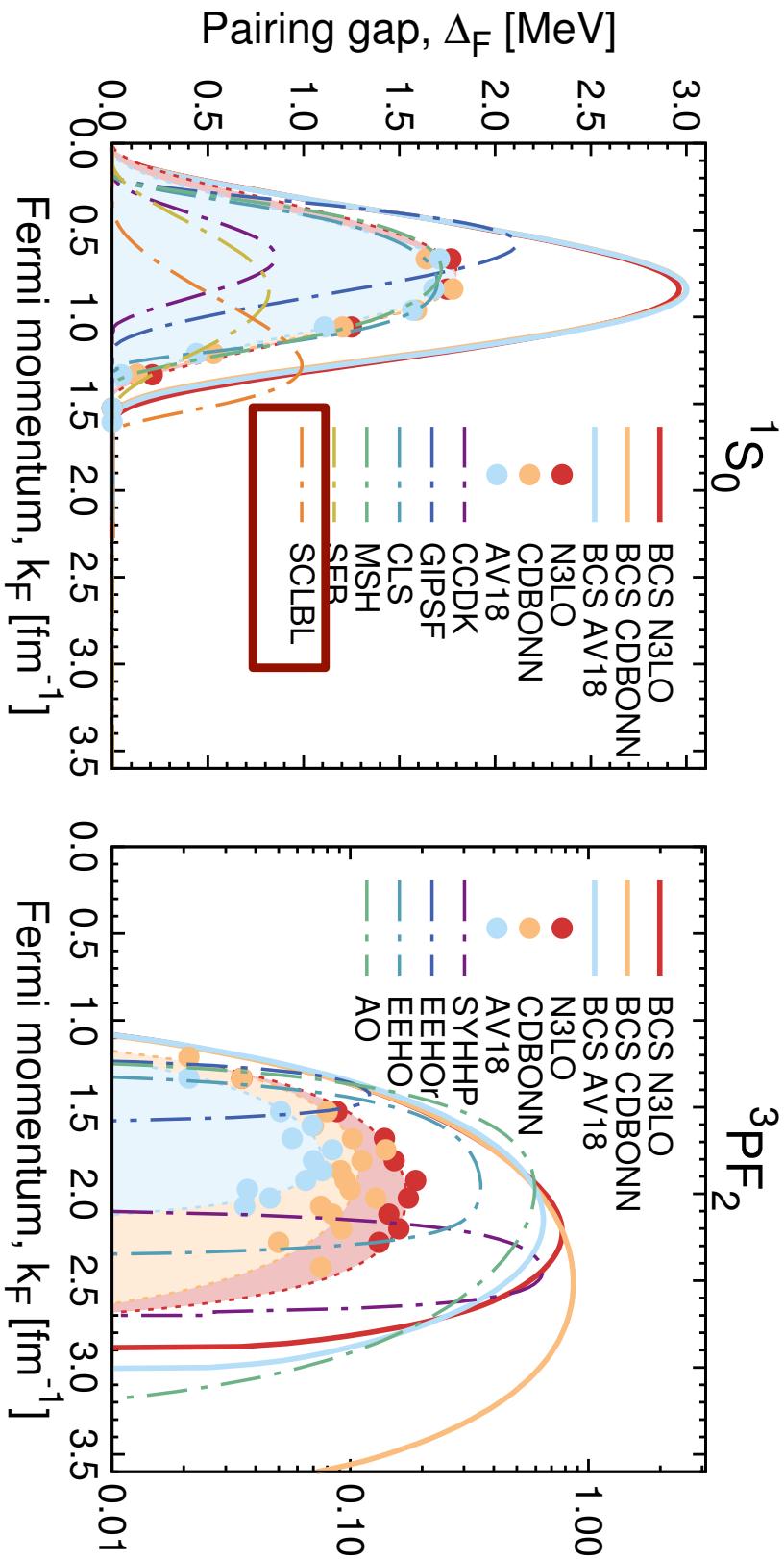
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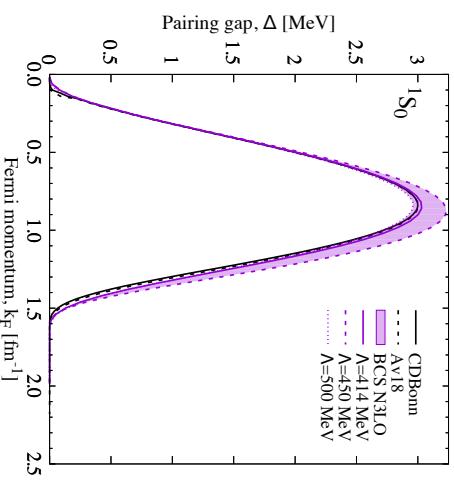
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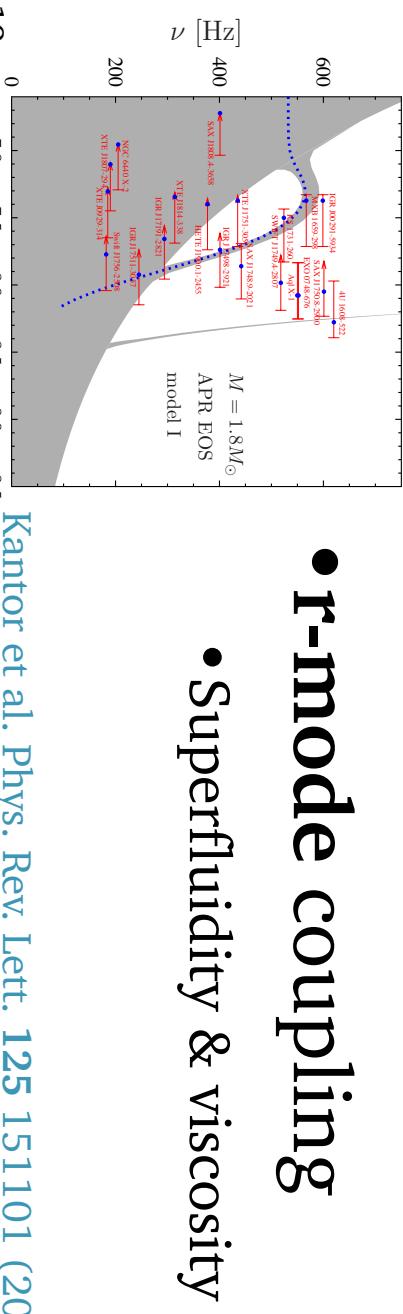
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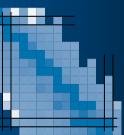
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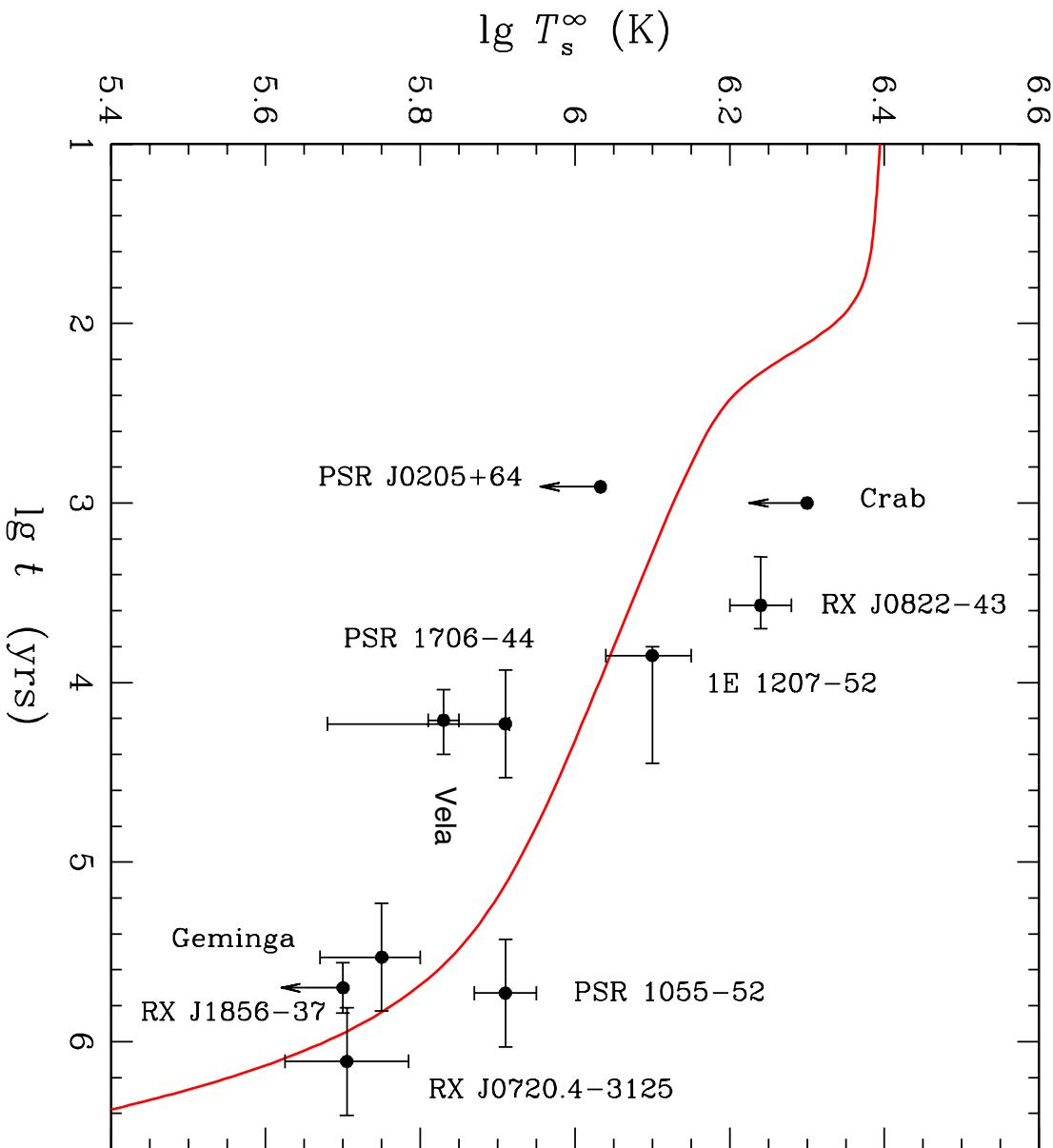
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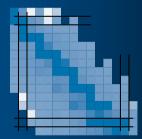
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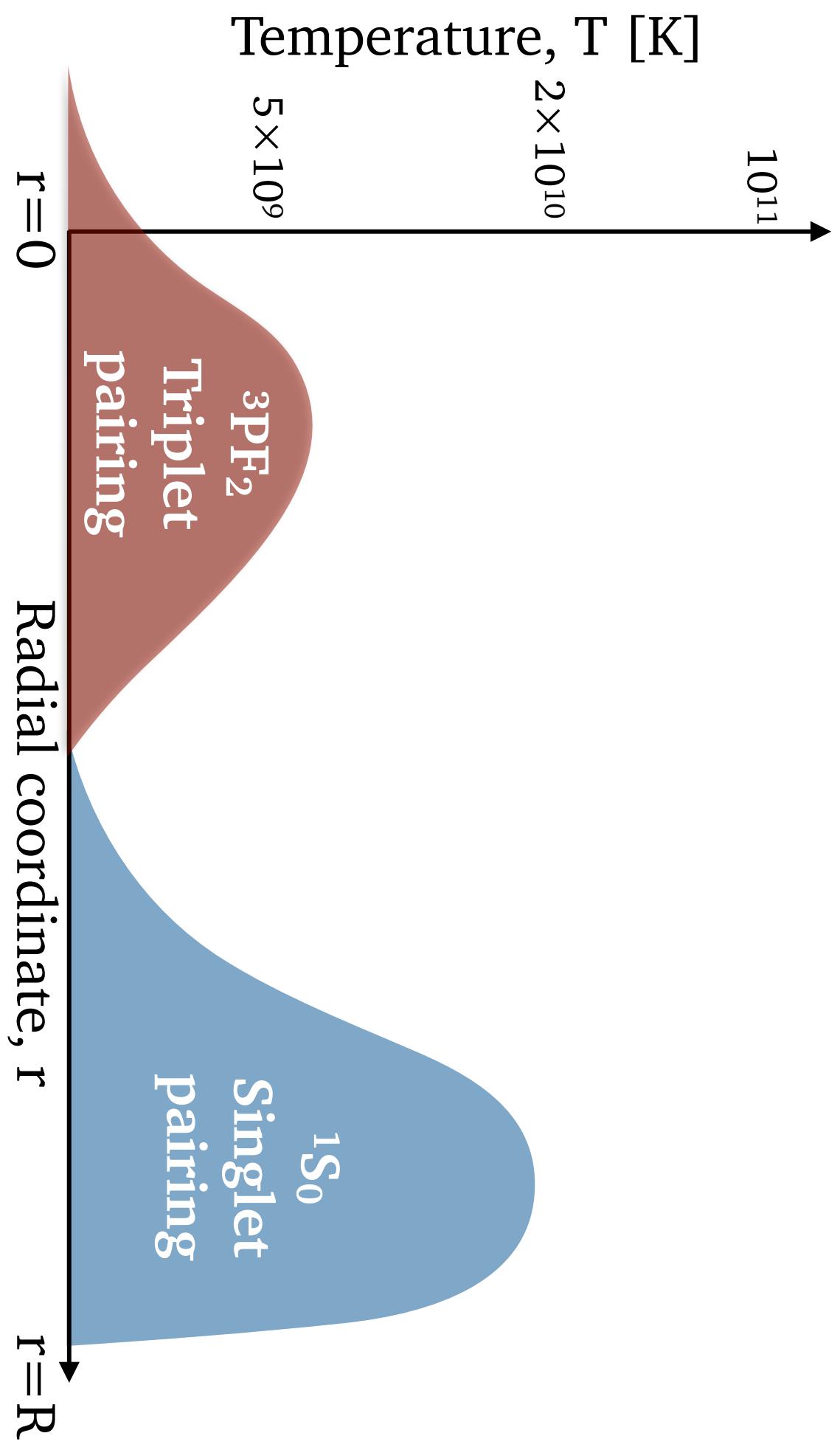
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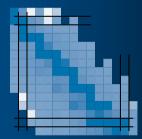


- Observational data available for a handful of NS
- Sensitive to interior physics (mostly pairing)



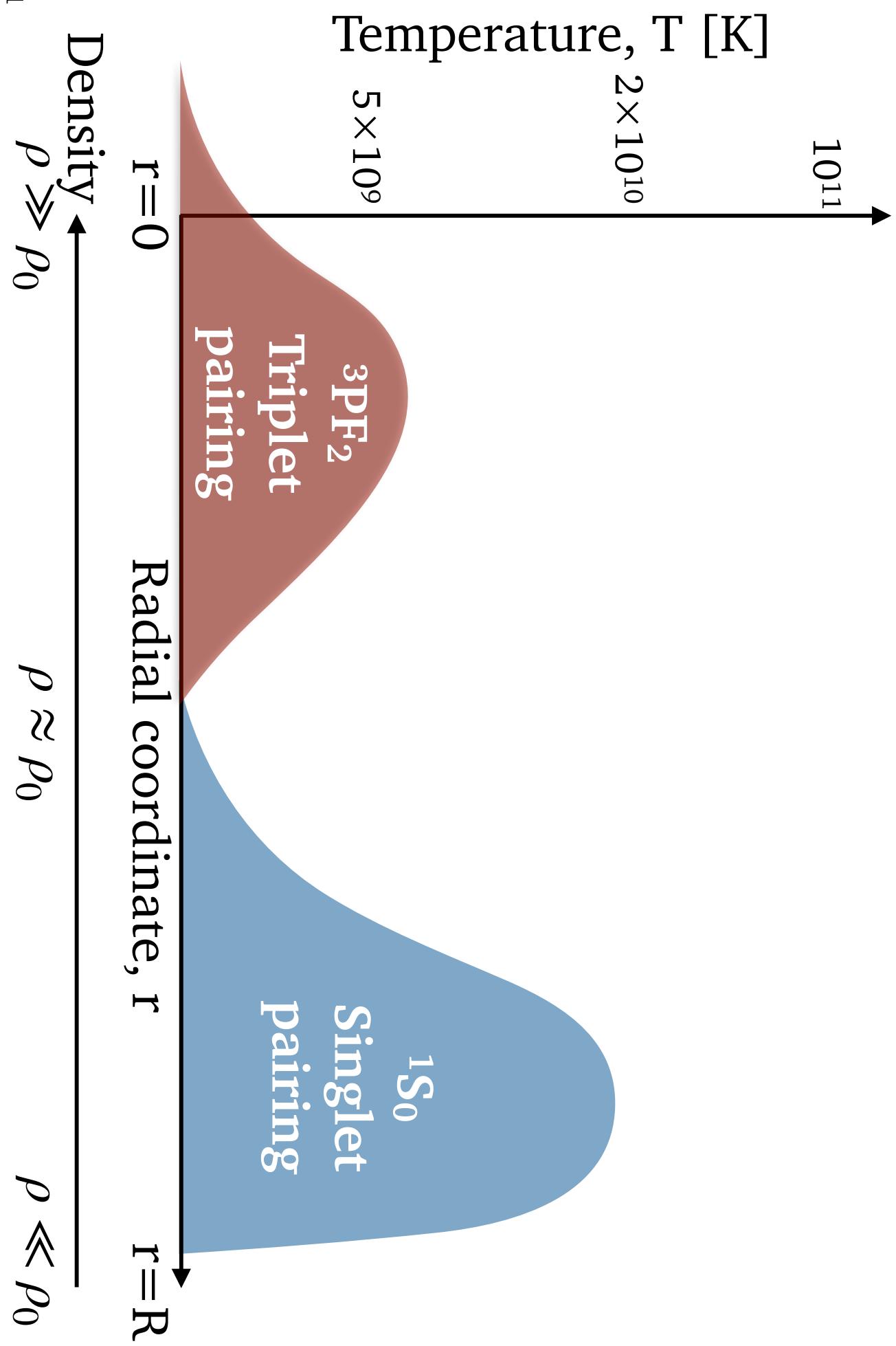
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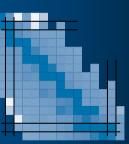




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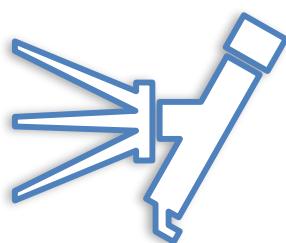




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$t=0$ , “hot” protoneutron star

$$n + n \rightarrow n + p + e + \bar{\nu}_e$$



Temperature, T [K]

$2 \times 10^{10}$

$10^{11}$

Density  
 $\rho \gg \rho_0$

Radial coordinate, r

$r=R$

$r=0$

$^3\text{PF}_2$   
Triplet pairing

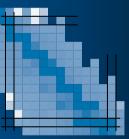
$5 \times 10^9$

$^1\text{S}_0$

Singlet pairing

$\rho \approx \rho_0$

$\rho \ll \rho_0$



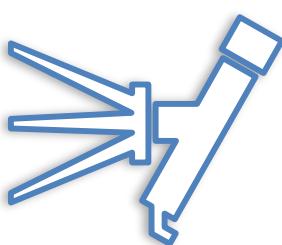
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1st superfluid transition

$$n + \bar{n} \rightarrow [nn] + \bar{\nu} + \nu$$



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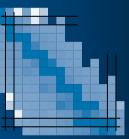
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$r=0$

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Density



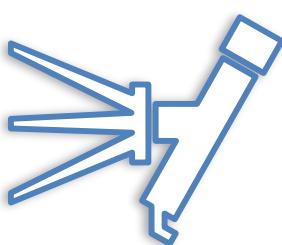
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$$n + \bar{n} \rightarrow [nn] + \bar{\nu} + \nu$$



FAST COOLING!

$1S_0$

Singlet  
pairing

Temperature, T [K]

$2 \times 10^{10}$

$10^{11}$

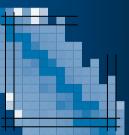
$3P_F{}_2$   
Triplet  
pairing

$r=0$

Radial coordinate, r

$r=R$

Density



# Pairing gaps & cooling

$t=0$ , “hot” protoneutron star



1st superfluid transition



2nd superfluid transition



$3PF_2$

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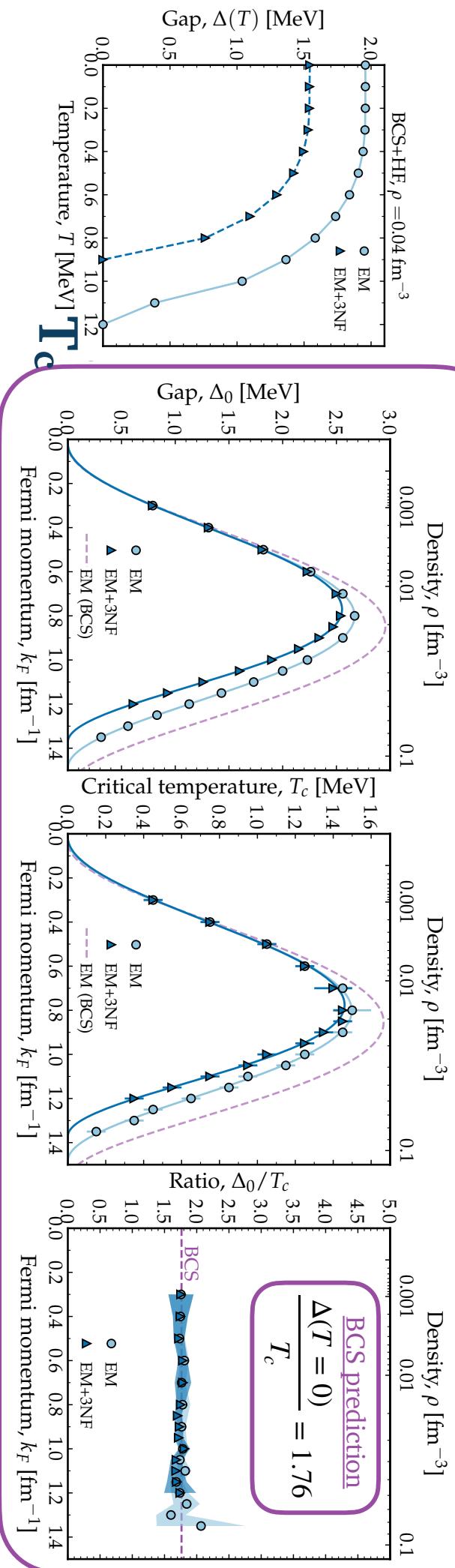
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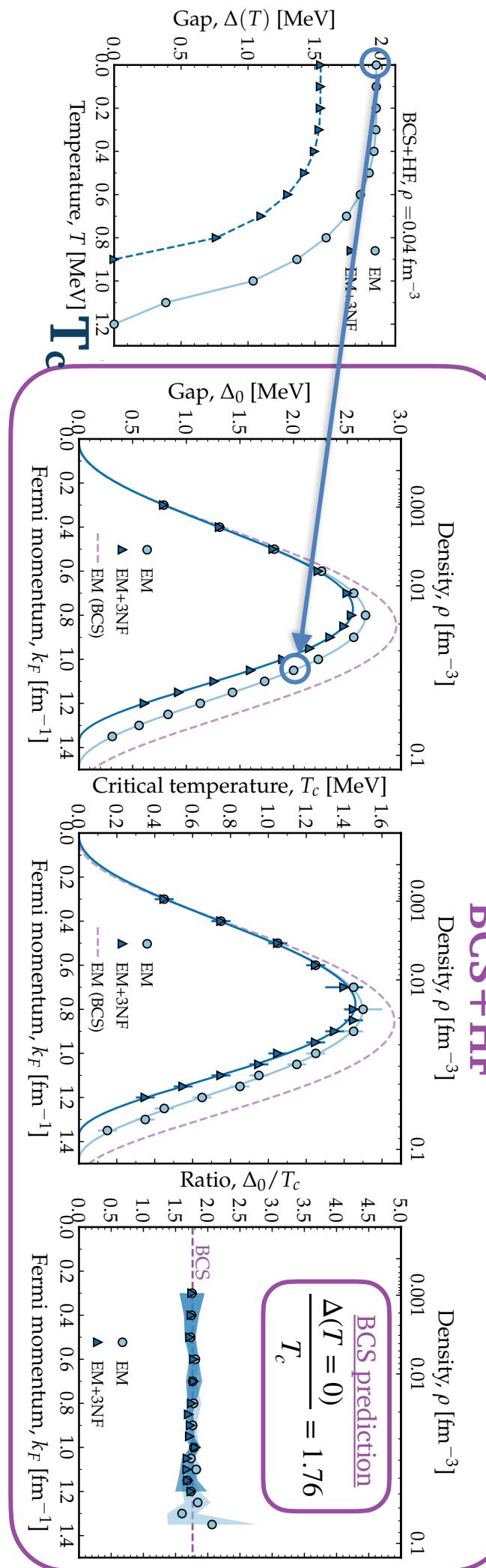
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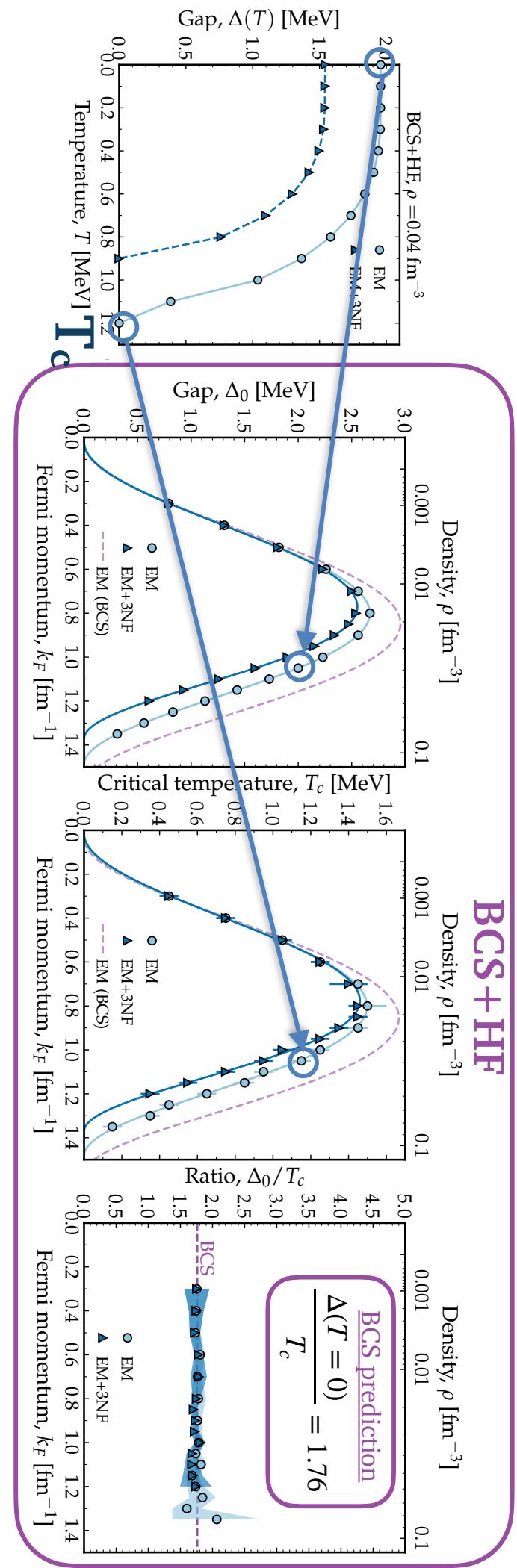
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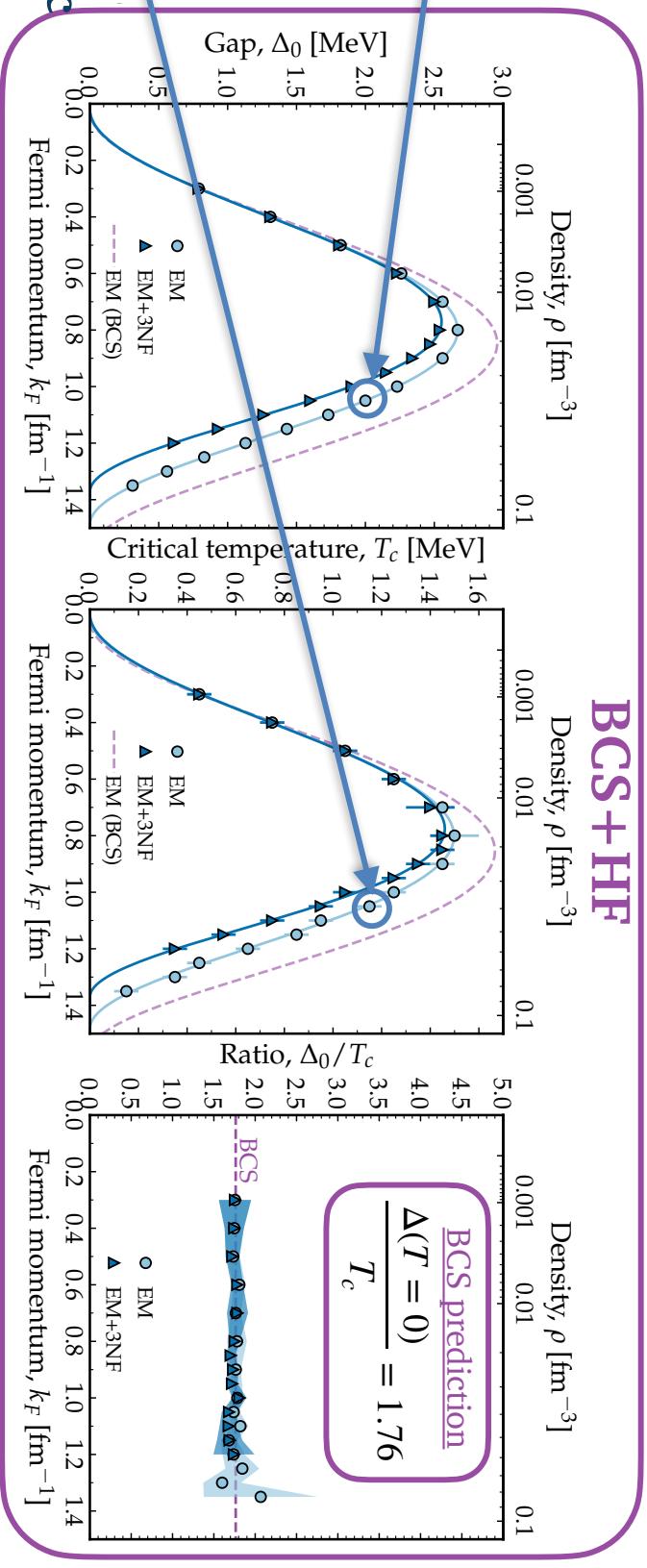
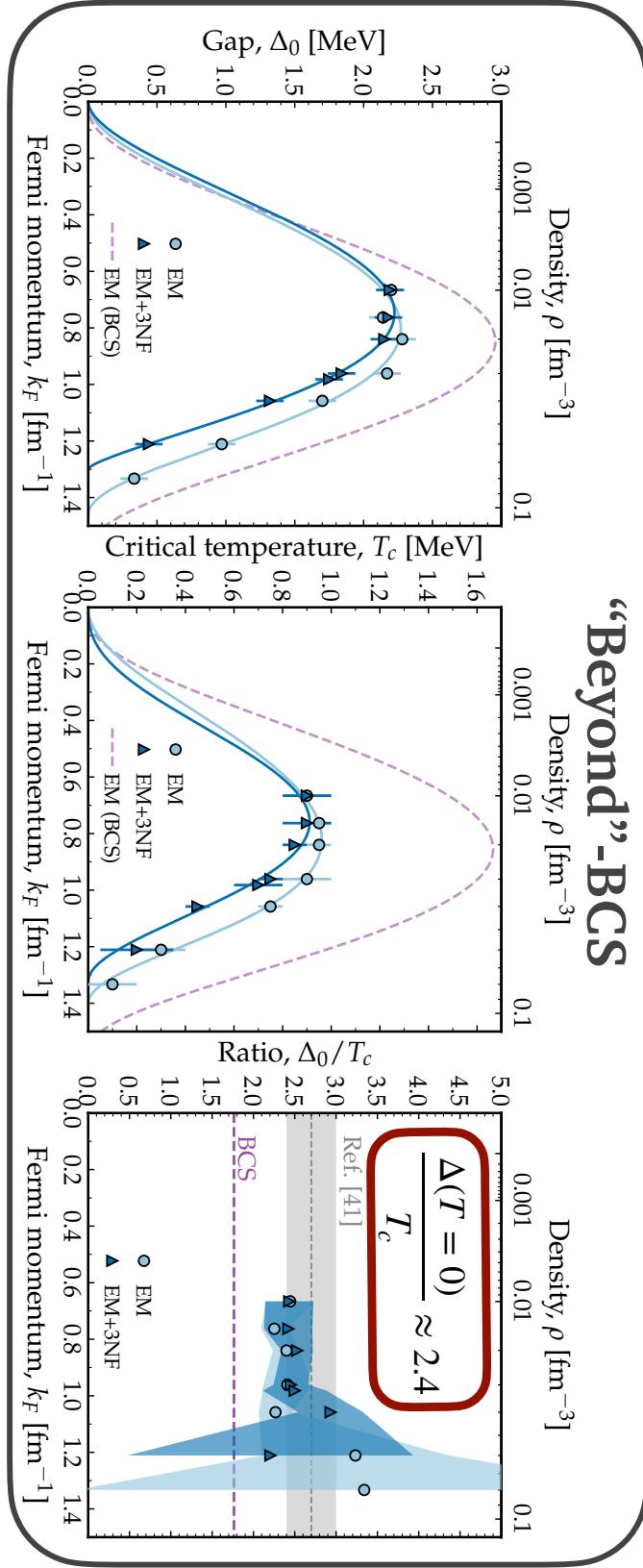
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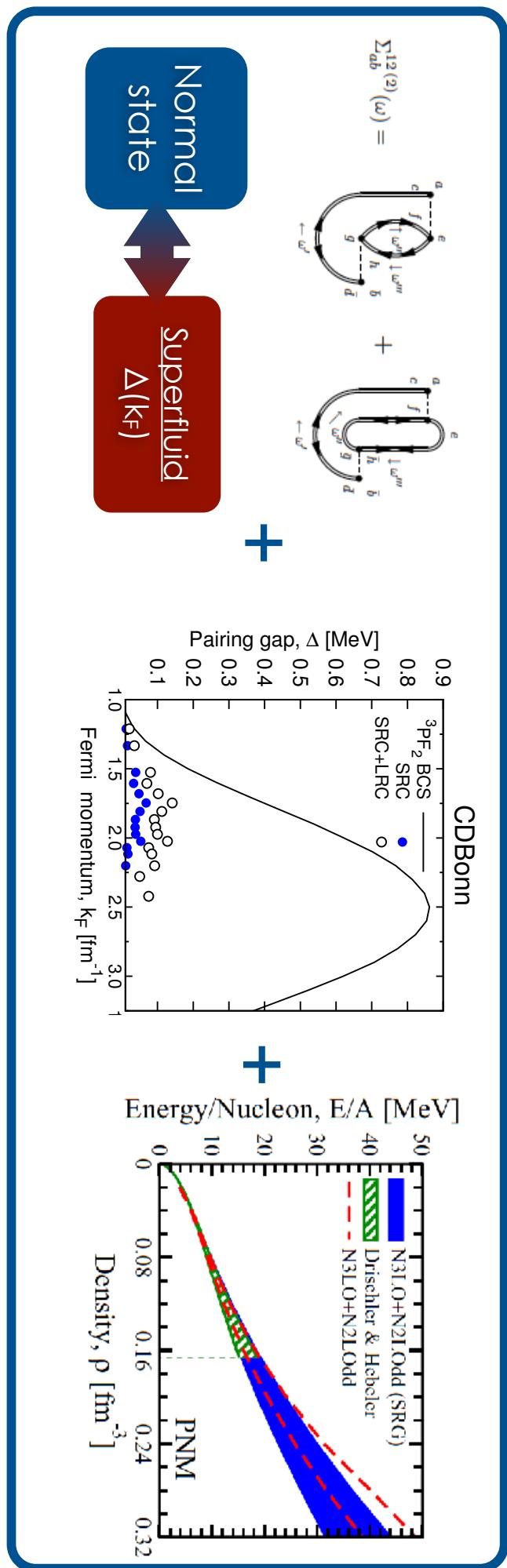


# Why does it matter?



# How to go beyond?

- Existing frameworks difficult to generalise
- Nambu-covariant SCGF technique
  - Symmetry breaking ✓
  - Finite temperature ✓
  - Systematic expansion w diagrams ✓
  - 3 nucleon forces ✓

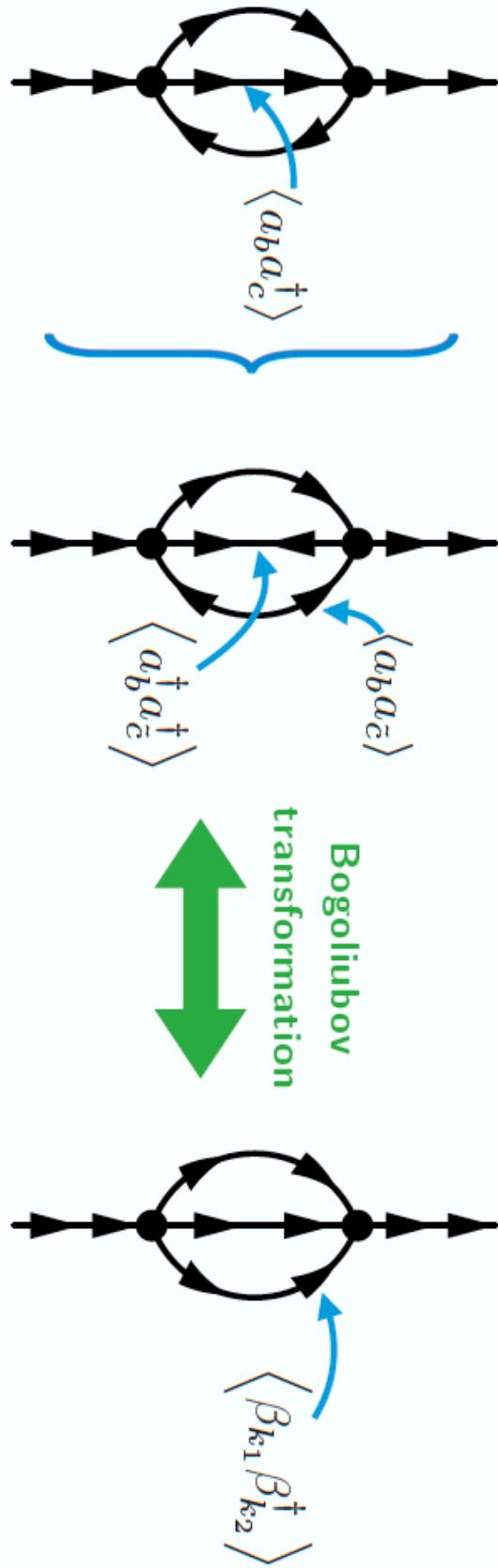


# What was the issue before?

Standard PT

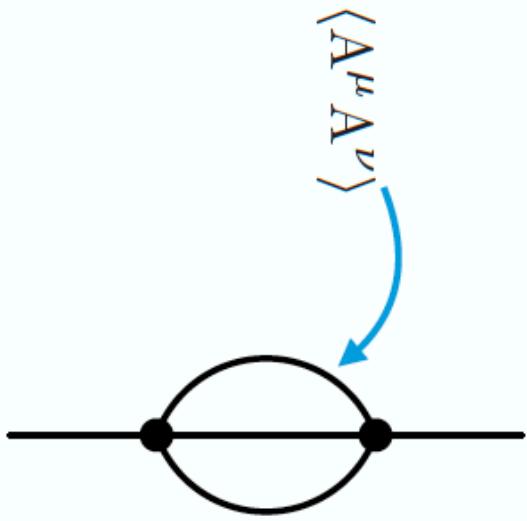
PT à la Gor'kov

PT à la Bogoliubov



## Reformulation

- Based on Nambu fields
- Propagators transform contravariantly
- Vertices transform covariantly
- Un-oriented diagrammatic





# Nambu-Covariant Perturbation Theory

## Double dimension H space

$$\mathcal{H}_1^e \equiv \mathcal{H}_1 \times \mathcal{H}_1^\dagger$$

Basis

$$\mathcal{B}^e \equiv \mathcal{B} \cup \bar{\mathcal{B}}$$

$$|b\rangle$$

$$\langle \bar{b}|$$

## Elements

$$\mu = (b, l) \quad \vdash : 1 \mapsto \bar{1} = 2$$

$$\bar{\mu} \equiv (b, \bar{l})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \begin{array}{c} |\Psi_1\rangle \\ \langle\Psi'_1| \end{array} \right) & \quad |b, 1\rangle \equiv \begin{pmatrix} |b\rangle \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} & |b, 2\rangle \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \langle\bar{b}| \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## Product & metric tensor

$$g \left( \left( \begin{array}{c} |\Psi_1\rangle \\ \langle\Psi'_1| \end{array} \right), \left( \begin{array}{c} |\Psi_2\rangle \\ \langle\Psi'_2| \end{array} \right) \right) \equiv \langle \Psi'_2 | \Psi_1 \rangle + \langle \Psi'_1 | \Psi_2 \rangle$$

$$g_{\mu\nu} \equiv g(|\mu\rangle, |\nu\rangle) = \delta_{\mu\bar{\nu}}$$

## Nambu fields

$$\begin{aligned}
 A^{(b,1)} &\equiv a_b , & A^\mu &\equiv A^{(b,g)} = \begin{pmatrix} a_b \\ a_b^\dagger \end{pmatrix} \\
 A^{(b,2)} &\equiv \bar{a}_b , & \bar{a}_b &= a_b^\dagger \neq a_b \\
 \bar{A}_{(b,1)} &\equiv \bar{a}_b , & \bar{A}_\mu &\equiv \bar{A}_{(b,g)} = (a_b^\dagger && a_b) \\
 \bar{A}_{(b,2)} &\equiv a_b .
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\bar{a}_b = a_b^\dagger \neq a_b$$

## Commutator relations

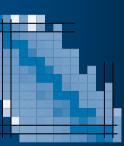
(On extended indices!)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \{ A^\mu, A^\nu \} &= g^{\mu\nu} , \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

## Co- or contravariant

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bar{A}_\mu &= \sum_\nu g_{\mu\nu} A^\nu , \\
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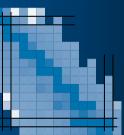


# Why Bogoliubov tensor algebra?

$$\text{Tensor product: } r^{\mu_1}{}_{\nu_1}^{\mu_2 \mu_3} = s^{\mu_1}{}_{\nu_1} t^{\mu_2 \mu_3}$$

$$\text{Tensor contraction: } r^{\mu}{}_{\nu} = \sum_{\alpha} s^{\mu}{}_{\alpha} t^{\alpha}{}_{\nu}$$

- Co(contra-)variance under Bogoliubov transforms provide invariant expressions in any basis
- Potential to optimise the extended basis
- Tensor-network structure becomes **transparent**
- Leads to **diagrammatic expansion** (à la de Dominicis-Martin or Haussmann)
- Other formalisms through specific basis or metric



# Perturbative expansion

## Hamiltonian partitioning

$$\Omega = \Omega_0 + \Omega_1$$

$$\Omega_0 = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mu\nu} U_{\mu\nu} A^\mu A^\nu$$

$$\Omega_1 = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{(2k)!} \sum_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{2k}} v_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{2k}}^{(k)} A^{\mu_1} \dots A^{\mu_{2k}}$$



## Covariant k-body vertices

## Green's functions

- Contravariant k-body Green's function

$$(-1)^k \mathcal{G}^{\mu_1 \dots \mu_{2k}}(\tau_1, \dots, \tau_{2k}) \equiv \left\langle T[A^{\mu_1}(\tau_1) \dots A^{\mu_{2k}}(\tau_{2k})] \right\rangle$$

$$e^{-\beta \Omega}$$

with  $\langle \cdot \rangle = \text{Tr}(\cdot \rho)$  and  $\rho \equiv \frac{e^{-\beta \Omega}}{\text{Tr}(e^{-\beta \Omega})}$

- Unperturbed case:  $\Omega \longleftrightarrow \Omega_0$

## Fully antisymmetric vertex

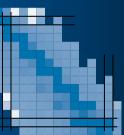
$$v_{[\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_{2k-1} \mu_{2k}]}^{(k)} \equiv \frac{1}{(2k)!} \sum_{\sigma \in S_{2k}} \epsilon(\sigma) v_{\mu_{\sigma(1)} \mu_{\sigma(2)} \dots \mu_{\sigma(2k-1)} \mu_{\sigma(2k)}}^{(k)}$$

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# Why antisymmetric vertices?

Un-symmetrised

vertex  $\mu_1$

$$v_{\mu_1 \mu_2 \dots \mu_{2k-1} \mu_{2k}}^{(k)} =$$

$\mu_{2k}$

$\mu_{2k-1}$

+

+

+ ...

Antisymmetrized

vertex

$\mu_1$        $\mu_2$

$\mu_{2k}$        $\mu_{2k-1}$

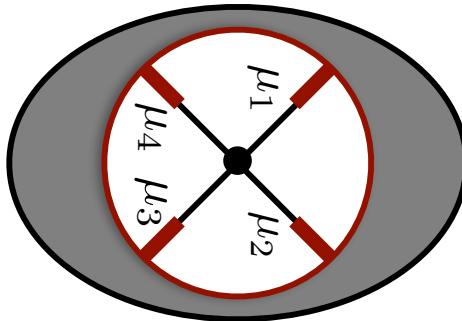


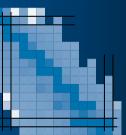
Diagram factorisation

Derivations rely on

- ▶ Wick theorem  $\Rightarrow$  sum over pairing
- ▶ Sum over single-particle and Nambu indices

→ Extends Hugenholtz antisymmetrisation

○ Antisym is a one-off pre-computing cost



# Perturbative expansion

## Order $n$ graphical rules

- Draw all topologically distinct connected unlabelled diagrams
- with  $2k$  external legs
- with  $n$  vertices (for order  $n$  contributions)

## Feynman rules

- Label vertices from 1 to  $n$

$\blacktriangleright S$  is the number of vertex labels permutations leaving the diagram invariant

- For each line multiply by  $- \left( \mathcal{G}^{(0)} \right)^{\mu\nu}(\omega_e)$

- For each  $k$ -body vertex multiply by  $v_{[\mu_1 \dots \mu_x \dots \mu_y \dots \mu_{2k}]}^{(k)}$

- Sum over each internal  $\mu$  index and each independent  $\omega_e$  frequency

$$5. \text{ Multiply by } \frac{(-1)^{n+L}}{S \times 2^T \prod_{l=2}^{\max} (l!)^m}$$

## Gaudin rules

- These simplify Matsubara sums
- Require spanning trees

## Tadpoles are exceptional

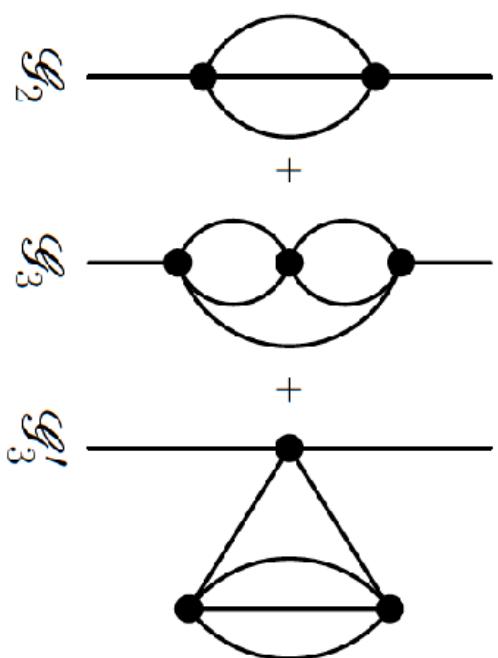
$$\begin{aligned} I_{\mu\nu} &= \sum_{\mu_2 \dots \mu_{2k-1}} \frac{(-1)^k}{2^{k-1}(k-1)!} v_{[\mu \mu_2 \mu_3 \nu]}^{(k=2)} \\ &\times \frac{1}{\beta} \sum_{\omega_e} -\mathcal{G}^{\mu_2 \mu_3}(\omega_e) e^{-i\omega_e \eta_p} \end{aligned}$$

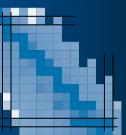
- Partially antisymmetrized vertices needed:

$$v_{[\mu_1 \dots \mu_x \dots \mu_y \dots \mu_{2k}]}^{(k)} \equiv \frac{2^p p!}{(2k)!} \sum_{\sigma \in S_{2k}/S_2^p \times S_p} e(\sigma) v_{\mu_{\sigma(1)} \dots \mu_{\sigma(2k)}}^{(k)}$$

- $p$  internal lines are fixed
- $k$ -body generalisation works

## HFB partitioning 3rd order





# Advantages vs Gorkov

Gorkov GF

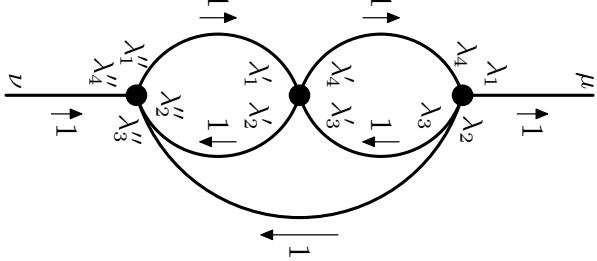
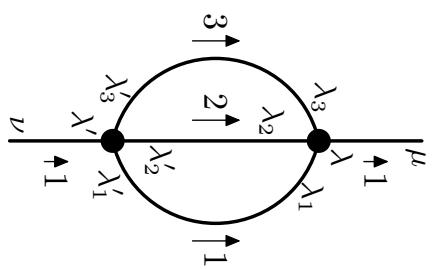
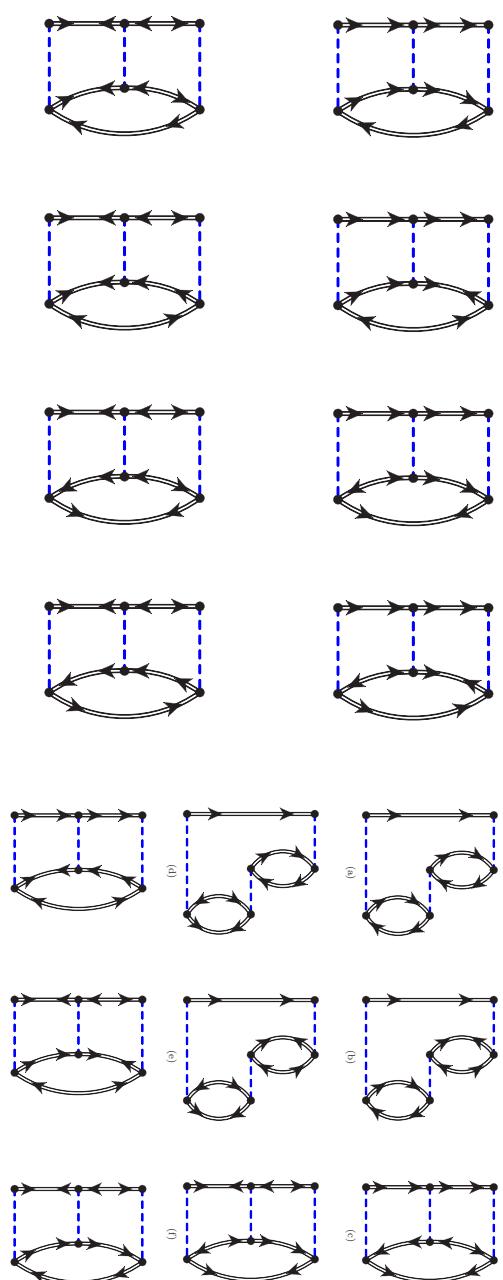
Order 2

$$\Sigma_{ab}^{11(2)}(\omega) =$$



NCGF

Order 3





# Self-consistent Green's function resummation

## Dyson equation

### Partitioning considered

$$\Omega = \frac{1}{2!} \sum_{\mu\nu} U_{\mu\nu} A^\mu A^\nu + \underbrace{\frac{1}{4!} \sum_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} \nu^{(2)}_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} A^\alpha A^\beta A^\gamma A^\delta}_{\Omega_0}$$

$$+ \underbrace{\Omega_1}_{\Sigma_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n)}$$

### Dyson equation

$$\mathcal{G}^{\mu\nu}(\omega_n) = \mathcal{G}^{(0)\mu\nu}(\omega_n) + \sum_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \mathcal{G}^{(0)\mu\lambda_1}(\omega_n) \Sigma_{\lambda_1\lambda_2}(\omega_n) \mathcal{G}^{\lambda_2\nu}(\omega_n)$$

## Diagrammatic expansion of $\Sigma_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n)$

### with unperturbed propagators

$$\Sigma_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n) = \frac{\mathcal{I}_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n) - \mathcal{I}_{\nu\mu}(-\omega_n)}{2}$$

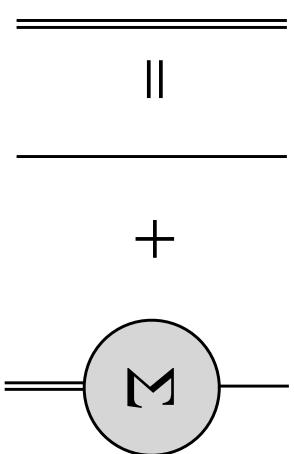
$\mathcal{I}_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n)$  =  $\sum$  1PI diagrams with  $\mathcal{G}^{(0)}$

### with self-consistent propagators

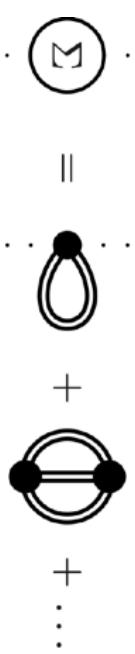
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$$\mathcal{I}_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n) = \sum \text{2PI diagrams with } \mathcal{G} \left( = \mathcal{I}_{\mu\nu}(\omega_n) \right)$$

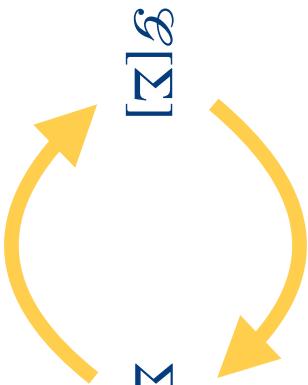
## Diagrammatic representation



## Self-energy expression



## SCGF cycle



# T-matrix: ladders



## Approximations on $\Gamma_{\text{2PFI}}^{(2)}$

- Sum of all possible rungs

$$\Gamma_{\text{2PFI}}^{(2)} = \text{X} + \text{Y} + \dots$$

## Ladder approximation

- Analytic/Retarded/Advanced/Sp function  $\Rightarrow$  as usual

### T-matrix equation

$$T_{MN}(Z) = V_{MN}^{(2)} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{LL'} V_{ML}^{(2)} \Pi^{LL'}(Z) T_{L'N}(Z)$$

where  $V_{MN}^{(2)} \equiv v_{[\mu_1 \mu_2 \nu_1 \nu_2]}^{(2)}$ ,  $M \equiv (\mu_1, \mu_2)$  &  $N \equiv (\nu_1, \nu_2)$

**T-matrix  $\equiv \Gamma^{(2)}$  in ladder approximation**

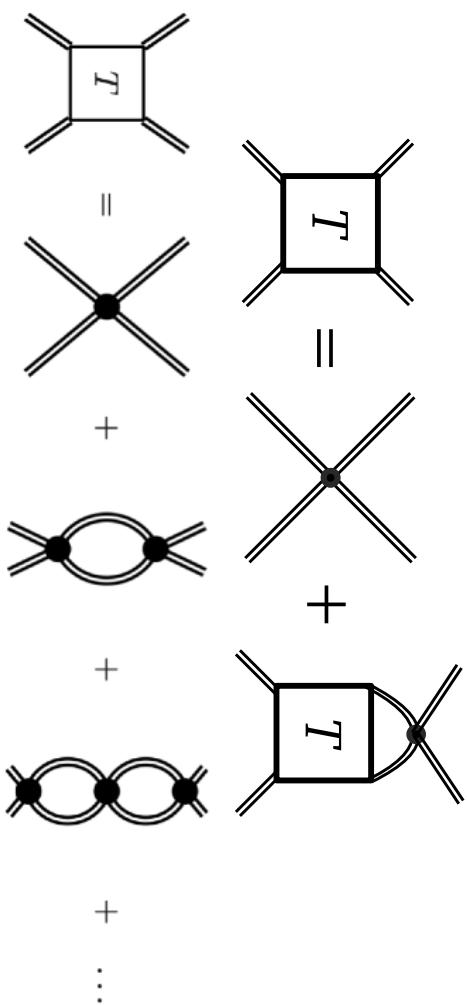
## Solving the ladder

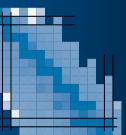
### Spectral representation

$$T_{MN}(Z) \equiv V_{MN}^{(2)} + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{d\Omega}{2\pi} \frac{\mathcal{T}_{MN}(\Omega)}{Z - \Omega}$$

### Solution

$$\mathcal{T}(\Omega) = iV^{(2)} \left\{ \left( gg - \frac{1}{2} \Pi^R(\Omega) V^{(2)} \right)^{-1} - \left( gg - \frac{1}{2} \Pi^A(\Omega) V^{(2)} \right)^{-1} \right\}$$





# Nambu-Covariant Ladders

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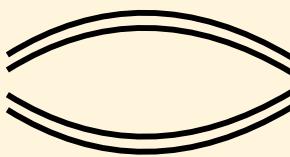
 $(\rho, T)$ 

Initial  
guess

or

$$\boxed{\quad} = \boxed{\quad} + \Sigma$$

Propagator  $\mathcal{G}$



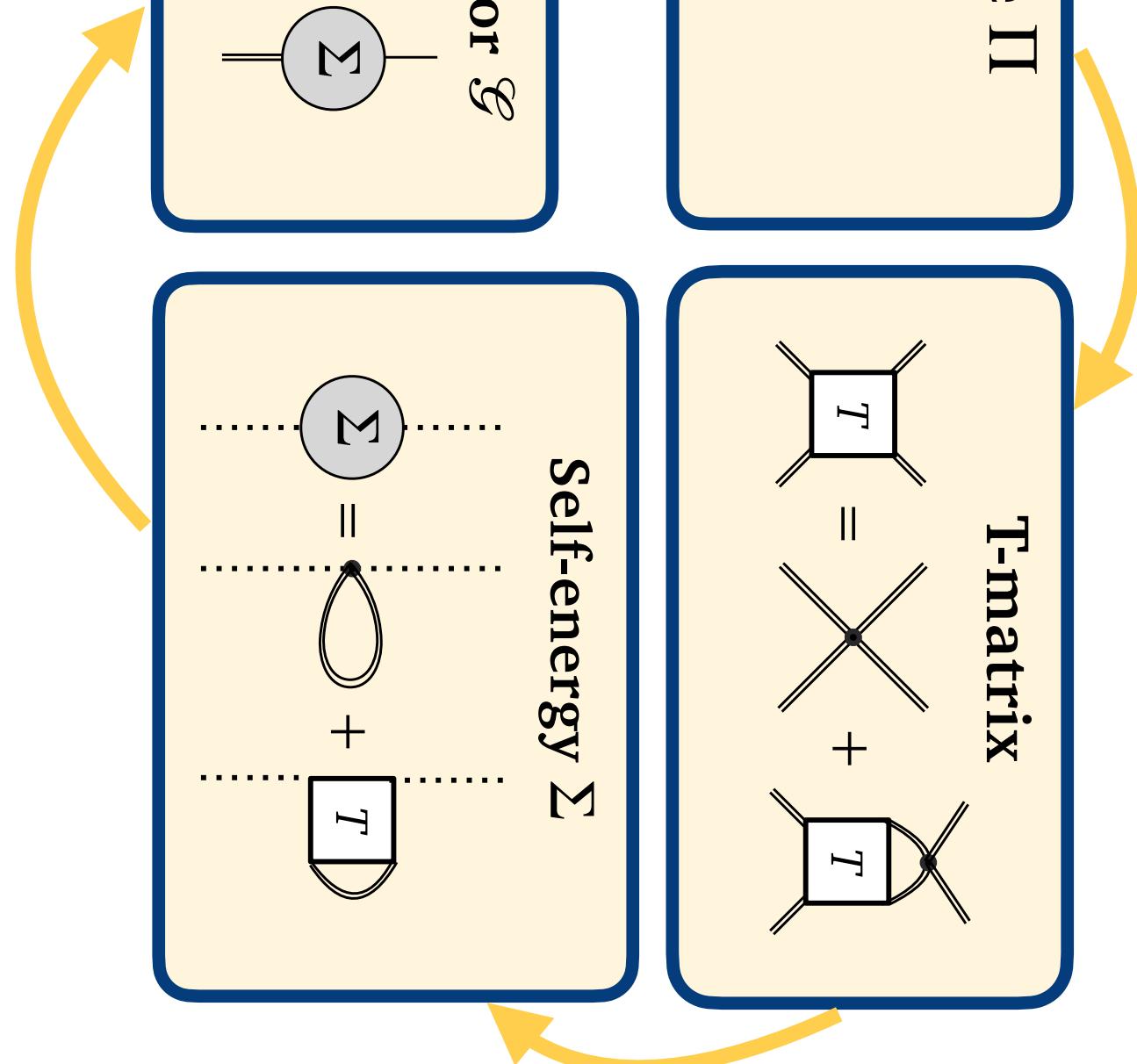
Bubble  $\Pi$

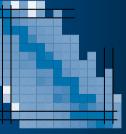
$$\Sigma = \text{loop} + T$$

Self-energy  $\Sigma$

$$T = \text{X} + \text{loop}$$

T-matrix





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