



# Chiral Effective Field Theories For Strong and Weak Dynamics

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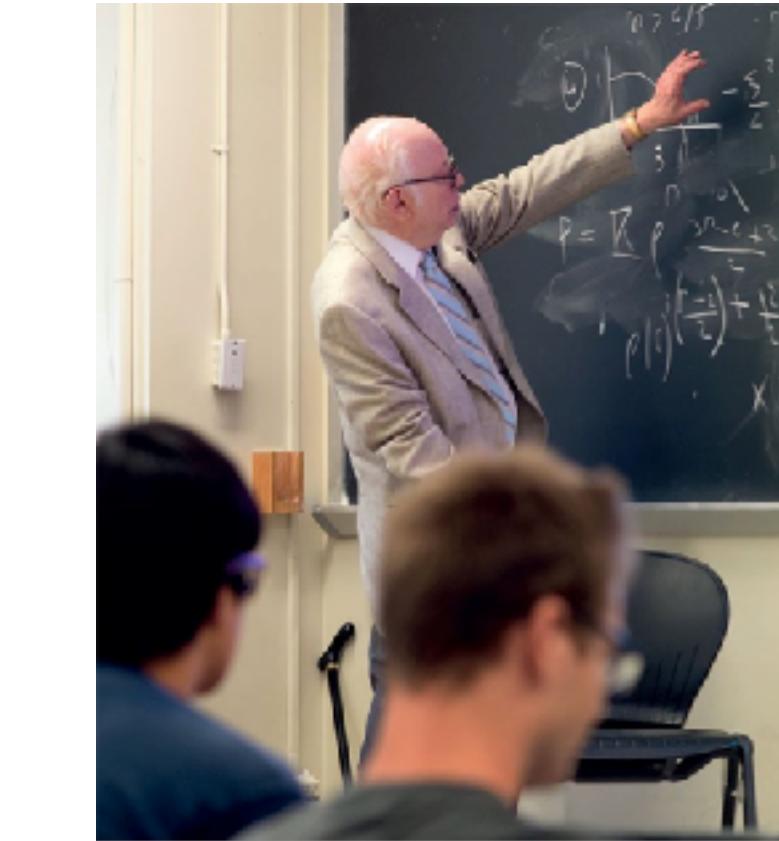
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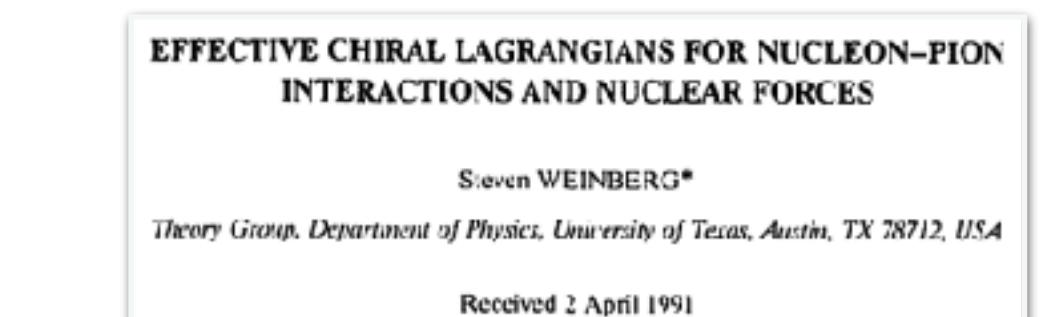
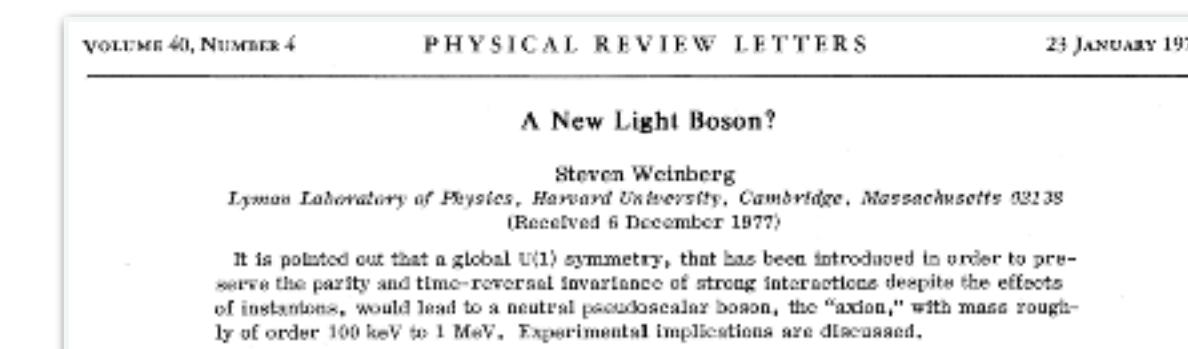
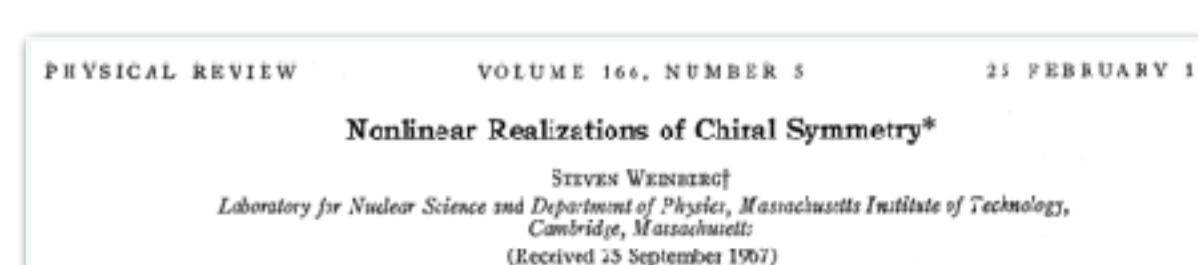
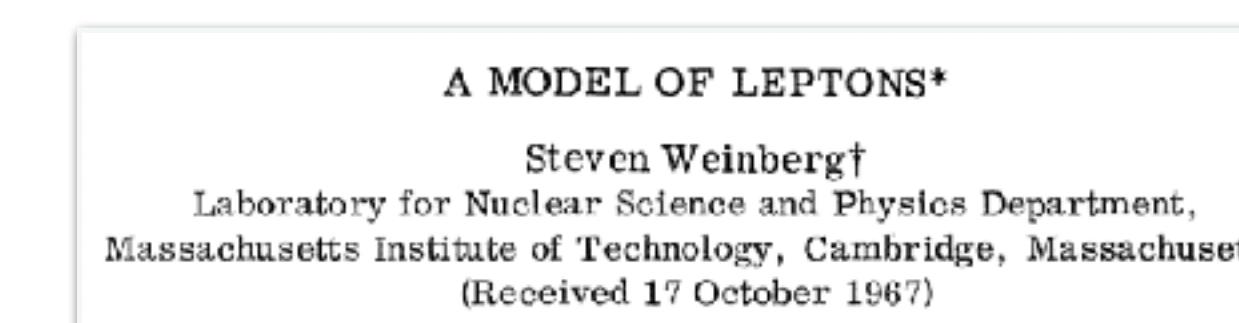
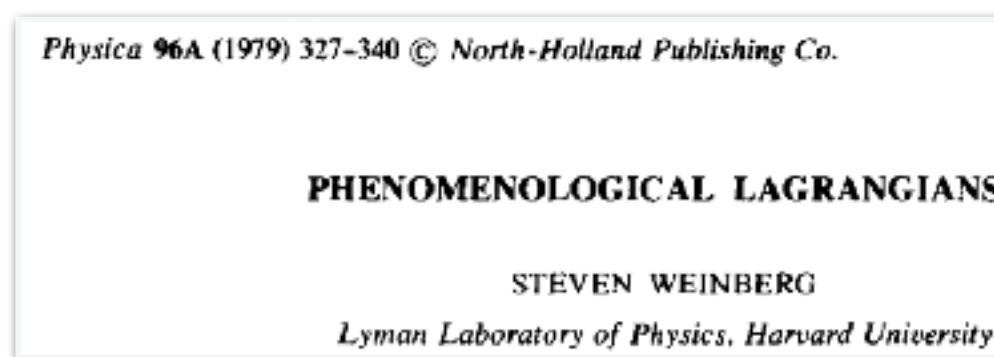
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- This talk is dedicated to the memory of Steven Weinberg (1933 - 2021)



[ Weinberg 1933.5.3 - 2021.7.23 ]

- Review chiral Lagrangian at various scales: QCD, electroweak, TeV, nuclei scale



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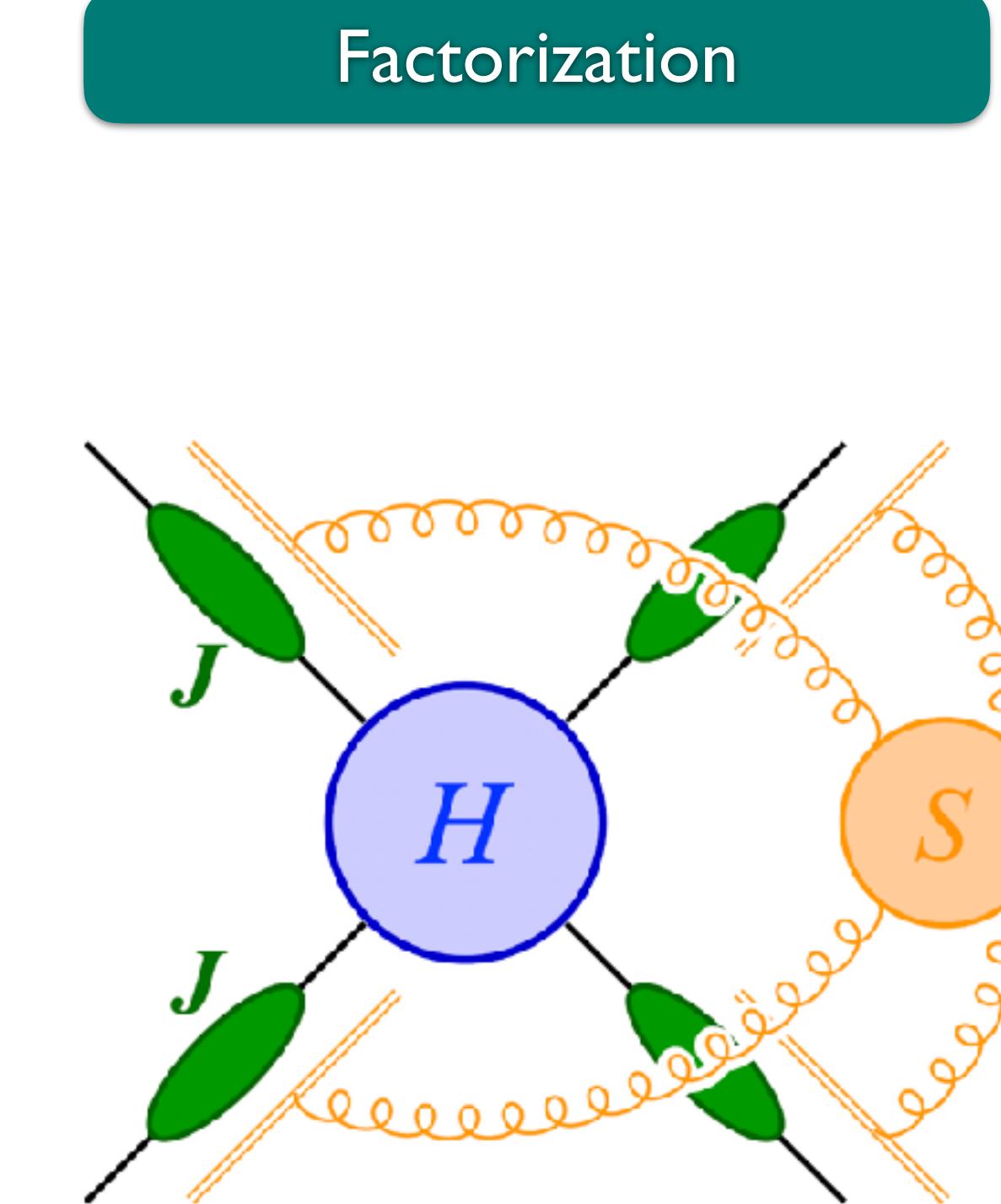
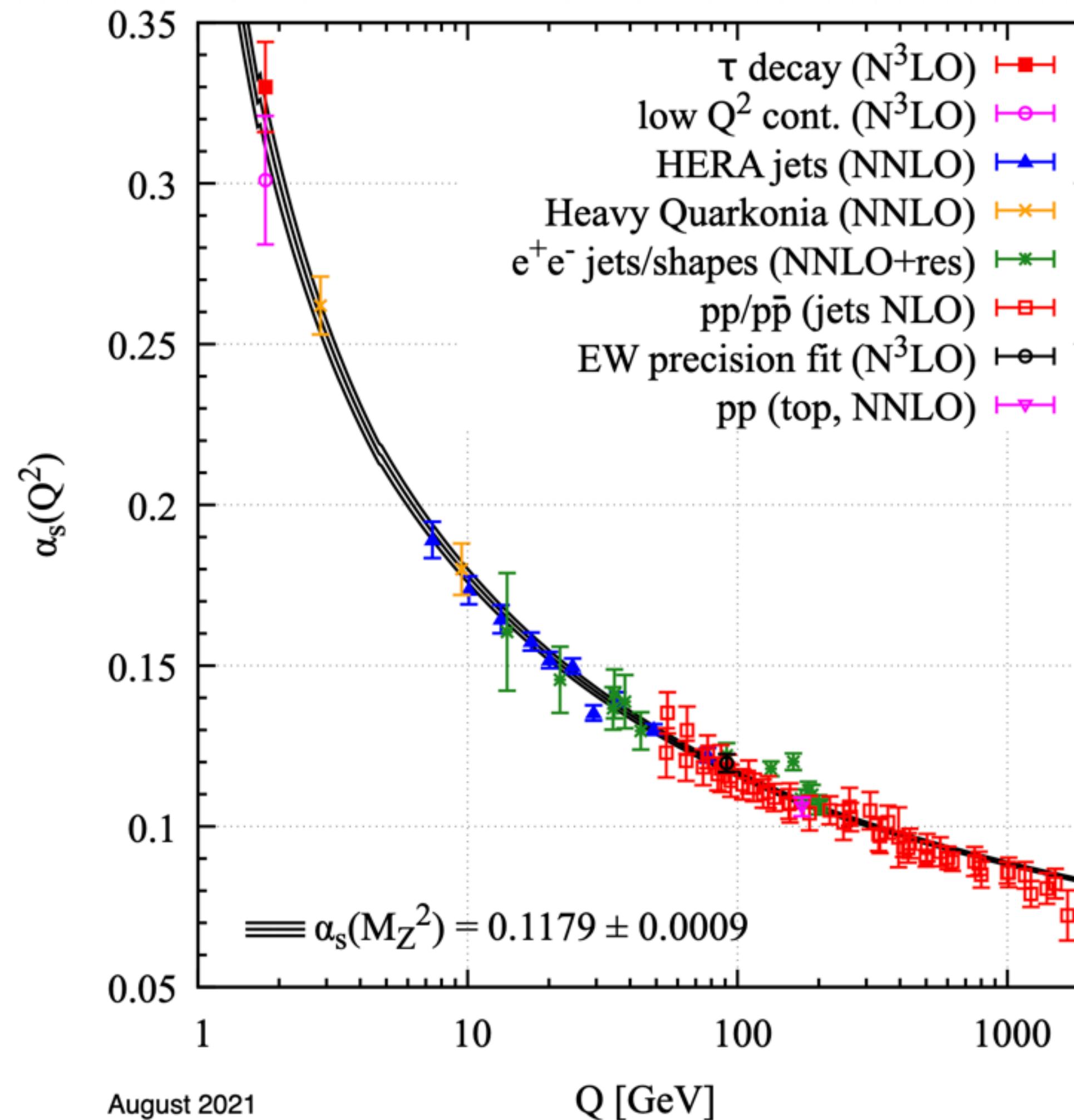
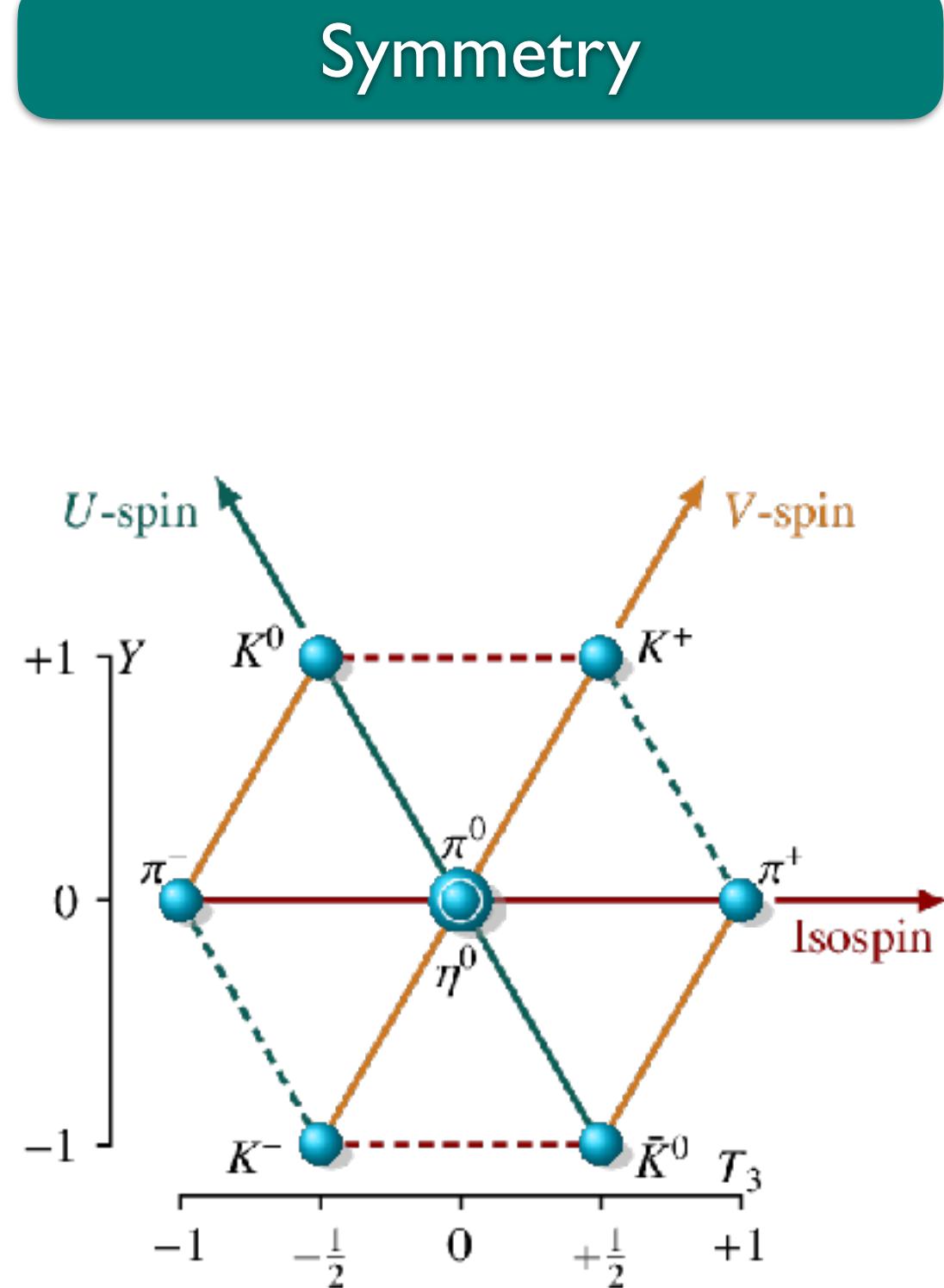
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# **Overview on Chiral Symmetry**

# QCD at high and low scales

Perturbative QCD vs non-perturbative QCD



# Symmetries in QCD

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \sum_q \bar{q}(iD - m_q e^{i\theta_q})q - \frac{1}{4}G_a^{\mu\nu}G_{\mu\nu}^a - \theta \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_a^{\mu\nu}\tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}^a$$

Scale symmetry

$$x^\mu \rightarrow \lambda x^\mu, \\ \psi_q(x) \rightarrow \lambda^{3/2} \psi_q(\lambda x), \quad A_\mu^a(x) \rightarrow \lambda A_\mu^a(\lambda x)$$

Anomalous: trace anomaly

$$\partial_\mu S^\mu = \Theta_\mu^\mu = -\frac{\beta}{2g_s} F_{\mu\nu}^{(a)} F^{(a)\mu\nu} + \sum_q m_q \bar{\psi}_q \psi_q$$

$$m_N \bar{u}(\mathbf{p}) u(\mathbf{p}) = \langle N(\mathbf{p}) | \theta_\mu^\mu | N(\mathbf{p}) \rangle \\ = \langle N(\mathbf{p}) | \frac{\beta_{\text{QCD}}}{2g_3} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_a^{\mu\nu} + \sum_q m_q \bar{q} q | N(\mathbf{p}) \rangle$$

90% proton mass from gluon dynamics

Chiral symmetry

$U(3) \times U(3)$

$$\psi_q \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} \psi_q \quad \text{Baryon number} \quad \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \\ s \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow U \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \\ s \end{pmatrix} \\ \psi_q \rightarrow e^{i\alpha\gamma_5} \psi_q \quad \text{U(I)A} \quad \text{Gell-mann SU(3)}$$

Anomalous: axial anomaly

$$\partial^\mu J_{5\mu}^{(0)}(x) = \frac{3\alpha_s}{4\pi} F_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{F}_a^{\mu\nu} + \sum_q m_q \bar{q} \gamma_5 q$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{det}} = (-1)^{N_f} K^{-5} \langle \bar{u}_L u_R \rangle \langle \bar{d}_L d_R \rangle \langle \bar{s}_L s_R \rangle e^{i2\theta_{\eta'}} \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2 \eta'^2$$

Eta-prime mass from instanton dynamics

Although anomalies, still approximate  $SU(3) \times SU(3)$  symmetry for  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \gg m_q$

# Chiral Symmetry

Enlarged  $SU(3) \times SU(3)$  symmetry for small quark masses

$$q_L \equiv \begin{pmatrix} u_L \\ d_L \\ s_L \end{pmatrix} \mapsto L q_L \equiv \exp\left(-i\epsilon_L^a \frac{\lambda^a}{2}\right) q_L$$
$$q_R \equiv \begin{pmatrix} u_R \\ d_R \\ s_R \end{pmatrix} \mapsto R q_L \equiv \exp\left(-i\epsilon_R^a \frac{\lambda^a}{2}\right) q_R$$

$$V_\mu^a = R_\mu^a + L_\mu^a = \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \frac{\lambda^a}{2} q$$
$$A_\mu^a = R_\mu^a - L_\mu^a = \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \frac{\lambda^a}{2} q$$

$Q_1^V, \dots, Q_8^V$  (vector currents)  
 $Q_1^A, \dots, Q_8^A$  (axial currents)

## Wigner-Weyl realization

$$Q_V^a |0\rangle = 0 \quad Q_A^a |0\rangle = 0$$

Vacuum is symmetric

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q}_R q_L | 0 \rangle = 0$$

## Nambu-Goldstone realization

$$Q_V^a |0\rangle = 0 \quad Q_A^a |0\rangle \neq 0$$

Quark condensation breaks chiral vacuum

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q}_R q_L | 0 \rangle \neq 0$$

## Vafa-Witten Theorem

### Parity doubling for hadron spectra

Gell-man SU(3)

$$H_0 Q_i^A |0\rangle = Q_i^A H_0 |0\rangle = 0$$

$$E = 0 : \quad Q_1^A |0\rangle, \dots, Q_8^A |0\rangle$$

Pion, K, eta are identified as  
8 Goldstone modes

# Lagrangian for low energy pion

Most general scalar Lagrangian

Current algebra, PCAC, sigma model, NJL model ...

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_\pi = & \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \pi^a \partial^\mu \pi^a + b_0 \pi^a \pi^a && \text{quadratic in pion fields} \\ & + b_1 (\pi^a \pi^a)^2 + \dots && \text{quartic, no derivative} \\ & + c_1 (\partial_\mu \pi^a \pi^a)^2 + c_2 (\partial_\mu \pi^a \partial^\mu \pi^a) (\pi^b \pi^b) + \dots && \text{quartic, two derivatives} \\ & + \dots && \text{quartic, four derivatives, ...}\end{aligned}$$

## Chiral symmetry

Flavor symmetry relates matrix elements of multiplets

$$\alpha \rightarrow \beta \quad \xrightleftharpoons[\text{At low energy}]{\longleftrightarrow} \alpha + n_1 \pi \rightarrow \beta + n_2 \pi$$

Goldberger-Trieman, Callan-Trieman, Adler-Weisberger, etc

## Adler Zero condition

$b_k = 0$  for  $k = 1, \dots$

## Chiral Ward Identity

$$c_1 = -c_2 \quad 9$$

## PCAC relation

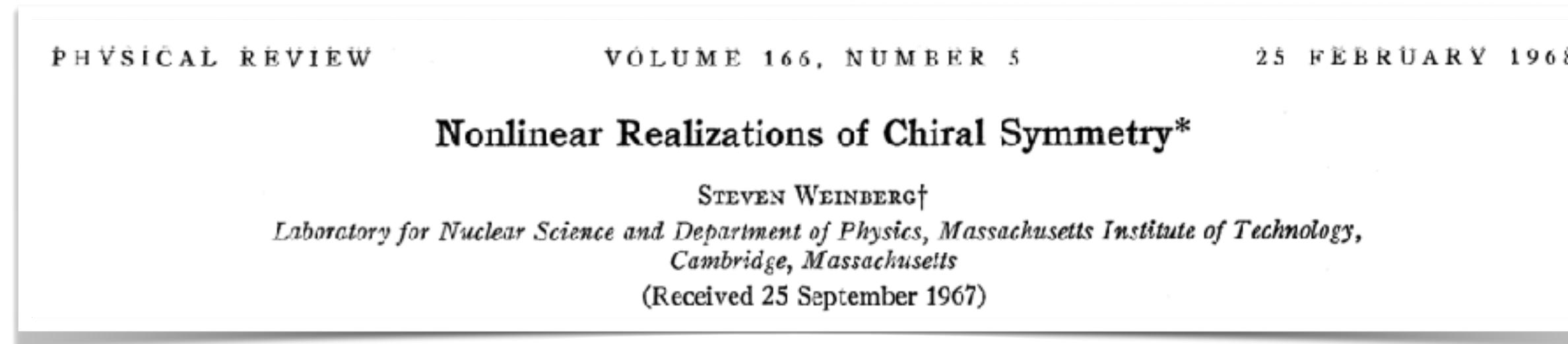
$$c_1 = -c_2 = \frac{1}{6f^2}$$

$$T(\alpha + \phi(p), \beta) = -\frac{p_\mu}{F} R^\mu(p) \xrightarrow{p \rightarrow 0} 0$$

$$\langle 0 | j_{5\mu}^a(x) | \pi^b(p) \rangle = \delta^{ab} i p_\mu F e^{-ip \cdot x}$$

# Goldstone EFT and Power Counting

Construct generic EFT for Goldstone at IR broken phase



**Shift symmetry:**

$$\pi \rightarrow \pi + \epsilon + \dots$$

**Goldstone mode is a fluctuation around the background in the direction of broken generator**

Gapless mode

Weakly coupled at IR

Non-linear transform under G/H

No interaction at long-wave limit

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{p^2} + \mathcal{L}_{p^3} + \mathcal{L}_{p^4} + \mathcal{L}_{p^5} + \mathcal{L}_{p^6} + \dots$$

$$\frac{f^2}{4} \langle D_\mu \mathbf{U}^\dagger D^\mu \mathbf{U} \rangle$$

Power counting: Derivative expansion

$$\Pi_{\hat{a}} \rightarrow \Pi_{\hat{a}}^{(g_H)} = \left( e^{i \alpha_a t_\pi^a} \right)_{\hat{a}}^{\hat{b}} \Pi_{\hat{b}}$$

$$\Pi_{\hat{a}} \rightarrow \Pi^{(g_{g/H})}_{\hat{a}} = \Pi_{\hat{a}} + \frac{f}{\sqrt{2}} \alpha_{\hat{a}} + \mathcal{O} \left( \alpha \frac{\Pi^2}{f} + \alpha \frac{\Pi^3}{f^2} \dots \right)$$

$$U[\Pi] = e^{i \frac{\sqrt{2}}{f} \Pi_{\hat{a}}(x) \hat{T}^{\hat{a}}}$$

$$g \cdot U[\Pi] = U[\Pi^{(g)}] \cdot h[\Pi; g] \quad h[\Pi; g] = e^{i \zeta_a [\Pi; g] T^a}$$

Coset Construction

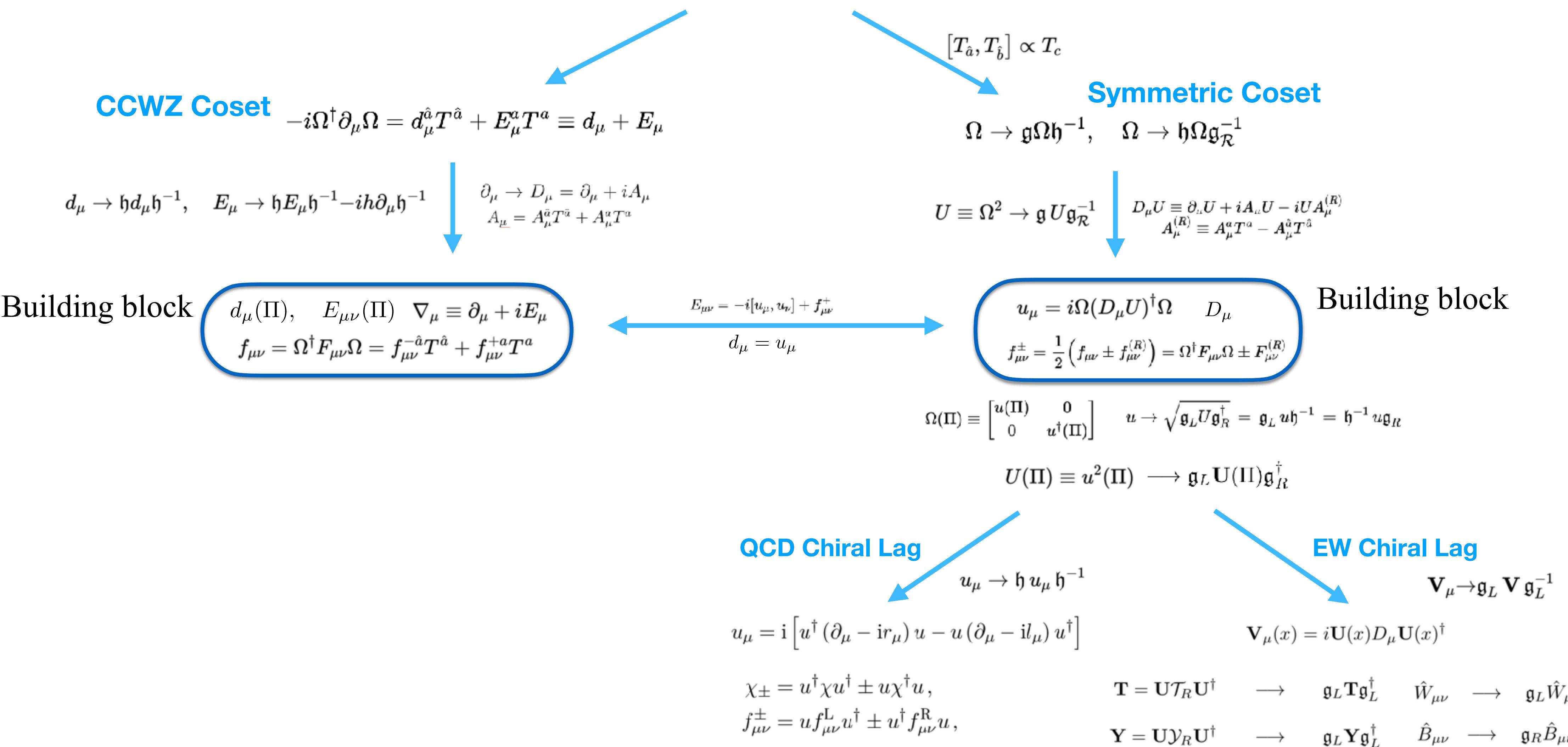
[Callan, Coleman, Wess, Zumino, 1969]

# CCWZ Chiral Lagrangian

Define the nonlinear Goldstone matrix

$$\Omega(\Pi) \equiv \exp \left[ \frac{i}{2f} \Pi(x) \right] \rightarrow \Omega(\Pi^{(\mathfrak{g})}) = \mathfrak{g} \Omega(\Pi) \mathfrak{h}^{-1}(\Pi; \mathfrak{g})$$

[Callan, Coleman, Wess, Zumino, 1969]



# **QCD Chiral Perturbation Theory**

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# Weinberg's Folk Theorem

Weinberg developed a systematic procedure on effective Lagrangian in 1979



[ Weinberg 1933 - 2021 ]

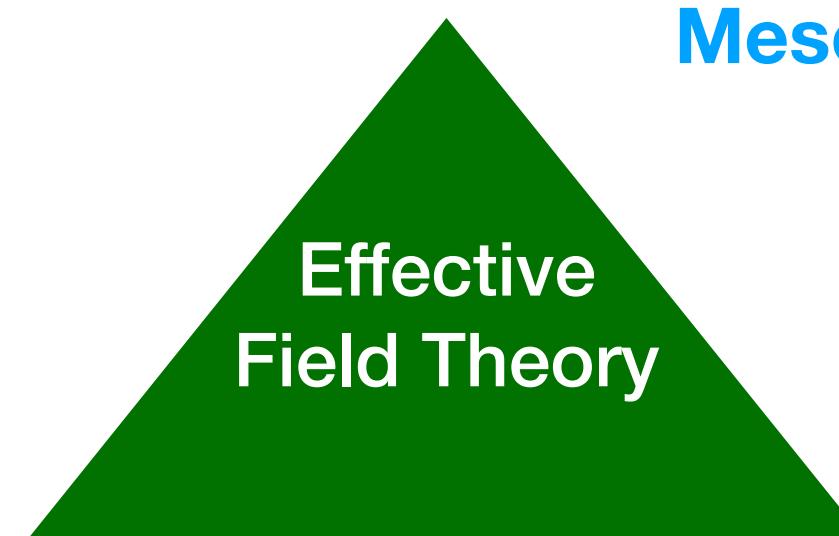
## Weinberg's Folk theorem

a folk theorem: “if one writes down the most general possible Lagrangian, including *all* terms consistent with assumed symmetry principles, and then calculates matrix elements with this Lagrangian to any given order of perturbation theory, the result will simply be the most general possible *S*-matrix consistent with perturbative unitarity, analyticity, cluster decomposition, and the assumed symmetry properties.”

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \frac{F^2}{4} \text{Tr} (\partial_\mu U \partial^\mu U^\dagger) + \frac{F^2}{4} \text{Tr} (\chi U^\dagger + U \chi^\dagger)$$

## Proper Degree of freedom

Meson and baryon, external source



Global and local symmetry

$SU(2) \times SU(2) / SU(2)$

Power Counting scheme

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_2 + \mathcal{L}_4 + \mathcal{L}_6 + \dots$$

# Naive Dimension Analysis (NDA)

Weinberg power counting on amplitude and NDA for LEC

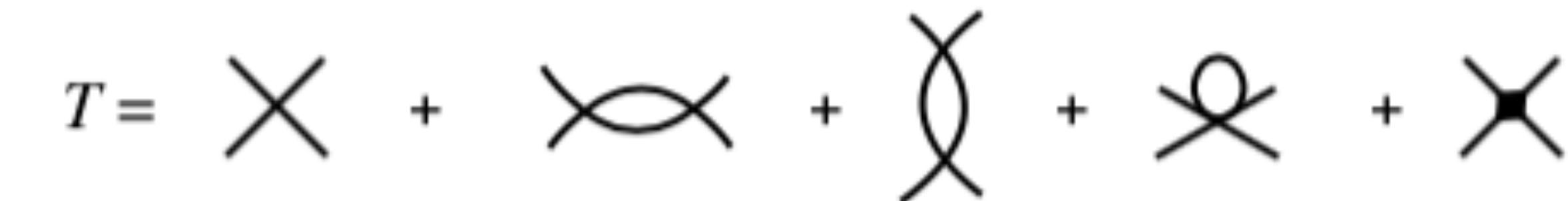
$$p^2/(4\pi f)^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_0 = \frac{f^2}{4} \text{Tr } \partial U^\dagger \partial U = \text{Tr } \partial \pi \partial \pi + \frac{1}{3f^2} \text{Tr}[\partial \pi, \pi]^2 + \dots$$

**Curved field space**

$$\mathcal{L} = \Lambda^2 f^2 \left[ \frac{1}{4\Lambda^2} \text{Tr } \partial_\mu U^\dagger \partial^\mu U + \frac{1}{\Lambda^4} (\text{Tr}(\partial_\mu U^\dagger \partial^\mu U))^2 + \dots \right]$$

**Up to given order, only finite # of LEC are needed to renormalize the EFT**



$$\mathcal{L}_{2,4\pi} \simeq \frac{p^2 \pi^4}{f^2} \quad 2 \times \mathcal{L}_{2,4\pi} \simeq \frac{p^4 \pi^4}{f^4} \int \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{(k^2)^2} \quad \mathcal{L}_{4,4\pi}$$

$$\simeq \frac{p^4 \pi^4}{f^4} \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2} \log(\Lambda_{\chi SB}^2 / \kappa^2) \quad \frac{f^2}{\Lambda_{\chi SB}^2} \text{tr}(\partial^\mu \Sigma \partial^\nu \Sigma^\dagger \partial_\mu \Sigma \partial_\nu \Sigma^\dagger)$$

**Loop factor**

$$\Lambda \sim 4\pi f_\pi$$

$$\frac{f^2}{\Lambda_{\chi SB}^2} \gtrsim \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2}$$

NDA

$$f^2 \Lambda^2 \left[ \frac{\partial}{\Lambda} \right]^{N_p} \left[ \frac{\phi}{f} \right]^{N_\phi} \left[ \frac{A}{f} \right]^{N_A} \left[ \frac{\psi}{f\sqrt{\Lambda}} \right]^{N_\psi} \left[ \frac{g}{4\pi} \right]^{N_g} \left[ \frac{y}{4\pi} \right]^{N_y} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{16\pi^2} \right]^{N_\lambda}$$

Weinberg PC

$$D = 2 + 2N = 2 + 2 \left( L + \sum_d \frac{d-2}{2} V_d \right)$$

$V_d$  = # vertices with  $d$  derivatives

$I$  = # internal lines

$L$  = # loops

# Building Blocks

Two kinds of parametrizations  $\mathcal{G} = SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \rightarrow \mathcal{H} = SU(2)_V$   $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}^0 + \bar{q}\gamma^\mu(v_\mu + \gamma_5 a_\mu)q - \bar{q}(s - i\gamma_5 p)q$

$$\Omega(\Pi) \equiv \begin{bmatrix} u(\Pi) & 0 \\ 0 & u^\dagger(\Pi) \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \mathfrak{g}_L & 0 \\ 0 & \mathfrak{g}_R \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u(\Pi) & 0 \\ 0 & u^\dagger(\Pi) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathfrak{h}^{-1} & 0 \\ 0 & \mathfrak{h}^{-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u \rightarrow \sqrt{\mathfrak{g}_L U \mathfrak{g}_R^\dagger} = \mathfrak{g}_L u \mathfrak{h}^{-1} = \mathfrak{h}^{-1} u \mathfrak{g}_R$$

Symmetric coset

$$U(\Pi) \equiv u^2(\Pi) \rightarrow \mathfrak{g}_L \mathbf{U}(\Pi) \mathfrak{g}_R^\dagger$$

Transform under  $\mathsf{H}$

$$u_\mu = i \left[ u^\dagger (\partial_\mu - ir_\mu) u - u (\partial_\mu - il_\mu) u^\dagger \right]$$

$$u_\mu \rightarrow \mathfrak{h} u_\mu \mathfrak{h}^{-1} \quad B \rightarrow \mathfrak{h} B \mathfrak{h}^{-1}$$

External source

$$\chi = 2B_0(s + ip)$$

$$f_{\mu\nu}^R \equiv \partial_\mu r_\nu - \partial_\nu r_\mu - i[r_\mu, r_\nu]$$

$$f_{\mu\nu}^L \equiv \partial_\mu l_\nu - \partial_\nu l_\mu - i[l_\mu, l_\nu]$$

External source

$$\chi_\pm = u^\dagger \chi u^\dagger \pm u \chi^\dagger u,$$

$$f_{\mu\nu}^\pm = u f_{\mu\nu}^L u^\dagger \pm u^\dagger f_{\mu\nu}^R u,$$

Covariant derivative and chiral connection

$$D_\mu X \equiv \partial_\mu X - ir_\mu X + iX l_\mu$$

Covariant derivative and chiral connection

$$D_\mu X = \partial_\mu X + [\Gamma_\mu, X] \quad \Gamma_\mu = \frac{1}{2} \left[ u^\dagger (\partial_\mu - ir_\mu) u + u (\partial_\mu - il_\mu) u^\dagger \right]$$

$$[D_\mu, D_\nu] A = \frac{1}{4} [[u_\mu, u_\nu], A] - \frac{i}{2} [f_{\mu\nu}^+, A]$$

$$U, D_\mu, \chi, f_{\mu\nu}^L U, U f_{\mu\nu}^R$$

$$u_\mu, D_\mu, \chi^\pm, f^\pm$$

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu} = \nabla^\mu \Gamma^\nu - \nabla^\nu \Gamma^\mu - [\Gamma^\mu, \Gamma^\nu] = \frac{1}{4}[u^\mu, u^\nu] - \frac{i}{2} f_{\mu\nu}^+$$

# Redundancies

Equation of motion (field redefinition)

$$\begin{aligned} D^\mu u_\mu &= 0, & i\gamma^\mu D_\mu N &= \left(M - \frac{g_A}{2}\gamma^5\gamma^\mu u_\mu\right)N, \\ & & -iD_\mu \bar{N}\gamma_\mu &= \bar{N}\left(M - \frac{g_A}{2}\gamma^5\gamma^\mu u_\mu\right). \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\bar{N}D^\mu u_\mu \Gamma N) &\rightarrow 0, \\ (\bar{N}\gamma^\mu \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu N) &\rightarrow (\bar{N}\left(M - \frac{g_A}{2}\gamma^5\gamma^\mu u_\mu\right)N), \\ (\bar{N}\gamma^5\gamma^\mu \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu N) &\rightarrow (\bar{N}\gamma^5\left(M - \frac{g_A}{2}\gamma^5\gamma^\mu u_\mu\right)N), \end{aligned}$$

Integration by part (momentum conservation)

$$D^{\mu_1} D^{\mu_2} \dots D^{\mu_n} (\bar{N} \Gamma \Pi N) \rightarrow (\bar{N} \Gamma D^{\mu_1} D^{\mu_2} \dots D^{\mu_n} \Pi N),$$

Ferz identity (Schouten identity)

$$(\bar{N}^\alpha \Gamma_{1\alpha\beta} N^\lambda)(\bar{N}^\rho \Gamma_{2\rho\lambda} N^\beta) \rightarrow (\bar{N}^\alpha \Gamma_{3\alpha\beta} N^\beta)(\bar{N}^\rho \Gamma_{4\rho\lambda} N^\lambda),$$

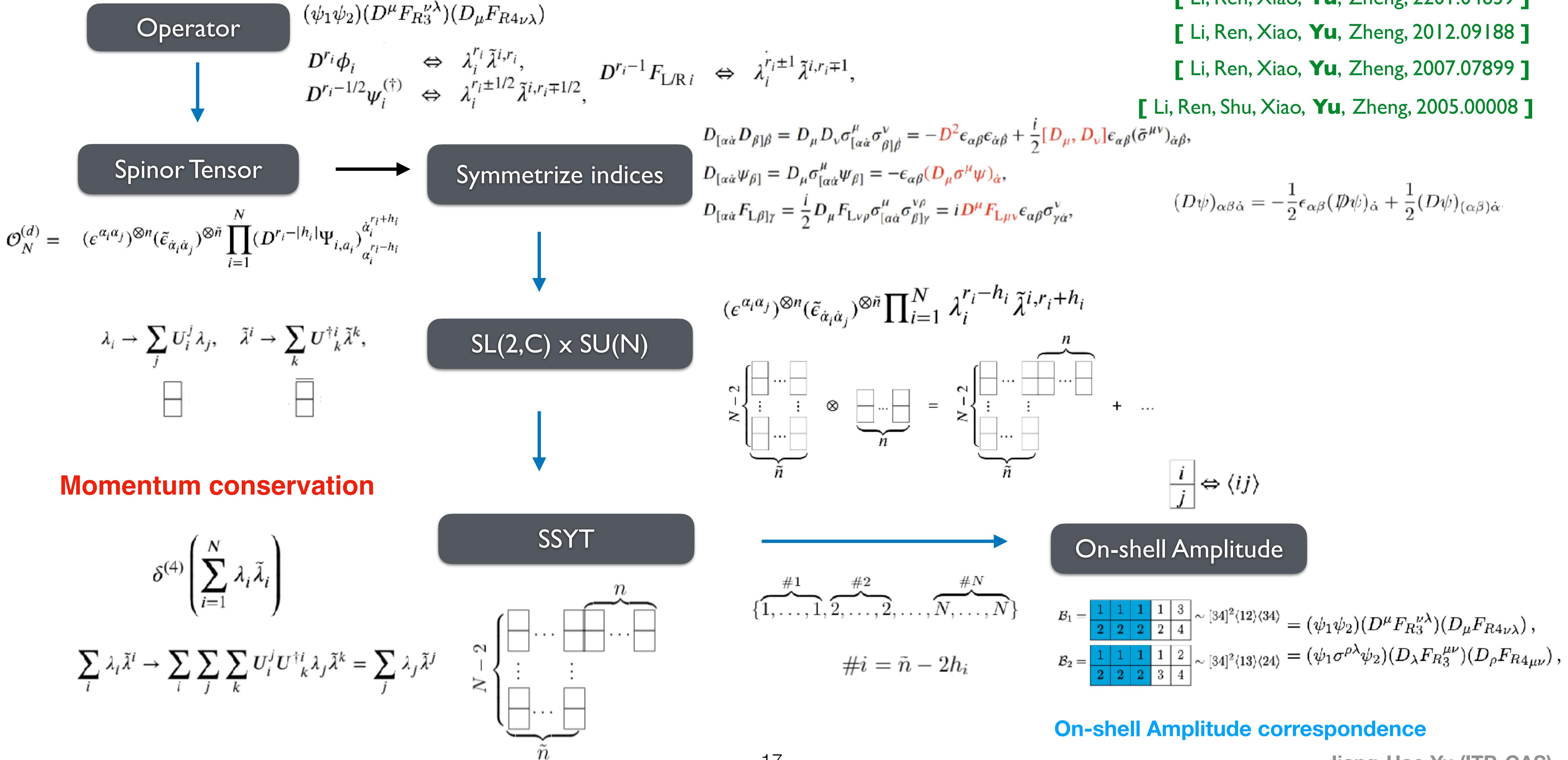
$$(\bar{N}^i \Gamma_1 \tau^I{}_{il} N^l)(\bar{N}^k \Gamma_2 \tau^I{}_{kj} N^j) \rightarrow (\bar{N}^i \Gamma_1 N_j)(\bar{N}^j \Gamma_2 N_i) - (\bar{N}^i \Gamma_1 N_i)(\bar{N}^j \Gamma_2 N_j).$$

Cayley-Hamilton relation (trace basis)

$$\begin{aligned} &- \langle AD \rangle \langle BC \rangle - \langle AC \rangle \langle BD \rangle - \langle AB \rangle \langle CD \rangle \\ &+ \langle ABCD \rangle + \langle ACBD \rangle + \langle ABDC \rangle + \langle ACDB \rangle + \langle ADBC \rangle + \langle ADCB \rangle \\ &= 0, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T_1 &= \langle AC \rangle \langle BD \rangle, & T_2 &= \langle AB \rangle \langle CD \rangle, \\ T_3 &= \langle ABCD \rangle, & T_4 &= \langle ABDC \rangle, & T_5 &= \langle ACBD \rangle \\ T_6 &= \langle ACDB \rangle, & T_7 &= \langle ADBC \rangle, & T_8 &= \langle ADCB \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

# Operator as Spinor Young Tensor



# Adler Zero Condition for Goldstone Boson

Chiral symmetry (PCAC)

$$\alpha \rightarrow \beta \quad \xleftarrow{\text{At low energy}} \quad \alpha + n_1 \pi \rightarrow \beta + n_2 \pi$$

Goldberger-Trieman, Callan-Trieman, Adler-Weisberger, etc

Adler Zero condition

$$T(\alpha + \phi(p), \beta) = -\frac{p_\mu}{F} R^\mu(p) \xrightarrow{p \rightarrow 0} 0$$

[ Adler, 1965 ]

Amplitude (soft limit of external leg s)

$$\mathcal{A}(1, \dots, N, s) \xrightarrow{p_s \rightarrow 0} \begin{cases} (S^{(0)}(s) + S^{(\text{sub})}(s)) \mathcal{A}(1, \dots, N) \\ \mathcal{O}(p_s^\sigma) \quad \text{for Goldstone Boson} \end{cases}$$

$$\{-1/2, -1/2, 1, 0, 0\}$$

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Expand the soft-limit amplitude into the SSYT basis

Put constraints on the SSYT basis

$$\mathcal{B}_i^{(N)}(p_\pi \rightarrow 0) = \sum_{l=1}^{d_N} \mathcal{K}_{il} \mathcal{B}_l^{(N)}$$

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[ Sun, Xiao, Yu, 2210.14939 ]

[ Sun, Xiao, Yu, 2206.07722 ]

[ Low, Shu, Xiao, Zheng, 2022 ]

Chiral symmetry breaking: spurion technique

# Chiral Lagrangian for QCD and beyond

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{p^2} + \mathcal{L}_{p^3} + \mathcal{L}_{p^4} + \mathcal{L}_{p^5} + \mathcal{L}_{p^6} + \dots$$

Pure Meson sector

p2 order

[ Weinberg, 1979 ]

p4 order

[ Gasser, Leutwyler, 1984, 1985 ]

[ Fearing, Scherer 1994 ]

p6 orde

[ Bijnens, Colangelo, Ecker, 1999 ]

[ Jiang, Ge, Wang, 2014 ]

CP-odd

p8 orde

[ Bijnens, Hermansson, Wang, 2018 ]

[ Li, Sun, Tang, **J.H.Yu**, 2404.14152 ]

CP-odd

SU(2) p3

SU(2) p4

p3 order

p4 order

p5 order

Meson-Baryon sector

[ Krause, 1990 ]

[ Ecker, 1994 ]

[ Fettes, Meisner, Mojzis, Steininger, 2000 ]

[ Oller, Verbeni, Prades, 2006 ]

[ Frink, Meisner, 2006 ]

[ Jiang, Chen, Liu, 2017 ]

[ Song, Sun, **J.H.Yu**, 2405.15047 ]

# Classifying Operators by CP

Parity and charge conjugation are the outer automorphism of the Lorentz and internal symmetry

$$SO(4) \rtimes \{1, \mathcal{P}\} = O(4) = SO(4) \sqcup O_-(4)$$

[ Hao Sun, Yi-Ning Wang, J.H.Yu, 2211.11598 ]

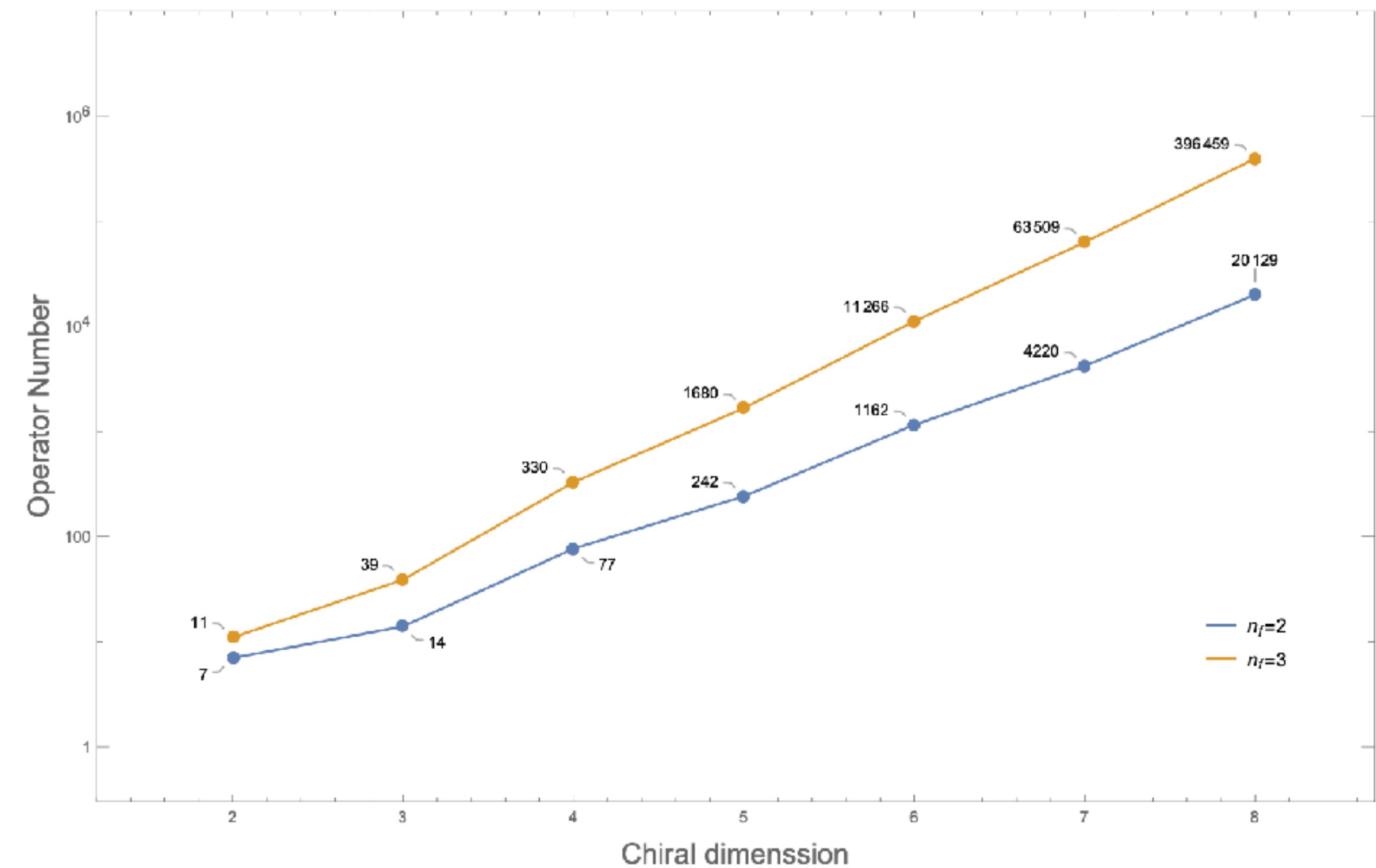
$$I \rtimes \{1, \mathcal{C}\} = I \sqcup I_-.$$

[ Sun, Wang, Yu, in préparation ]

## Hilbert series

$$\mathcal{H}^{C^\pm P^\pm}(D, \phi) \equiv \int_G d\mu(g) \left( \sum_{C^\pm P^\pm} \frac{\text{PE}(\phi \chi_{R_\phi}(D, g_{\{C^\pm P^\pm\}}))}{P(D, g_{\{C^\pm P^\pm\}})} \right)$$

Group Branch	$SO(4)$	$O_-(4)$	
integral variable	$a_+ = a = (a_1, a_2)$	$a_- = a_1$	
reparametrization	$\bar{a}_+ = a$	$\bar{a}_- = (a_1, 1)$	
Haar measure	$d\mu_{SO(4)}(a)$	$d\mu_{Sp(2)}(a_-)$	
Group Branch	$U(1)$	$U_-(1)$	
integral variable	$x_+ = x$	$x_- = x$	
reparametrization	$\bar{x}_+ = x$	$\bar{x}_- = x$	
Haar measure	$d\mu_{U(1)}(x)$	$d\mu_{U(1)}(x)$	
Group Branch	$SU(2)$	$SU_-(2)$	
integral variable	$y_+ = y$	$y_- = y$	
reparametrization	$\bar{y}_+ = y$	$\bar{y}_- = y$	
Haar measure	$d\mu_{SU(2)}(y)$	$d\mu_{SU(2)}(y)$	
Group Branch	$SU(N)$	$SU_-(N = 2k)$	$SU_-(N = 2k + 1)$
integral variable	$z = (z_1, \dots, z_N)$	$z_- = (z_1, \dots, z_k)$	$z_- = (z_1, \dots, z_k)$
reparametrization	$\bar{z}_+ = z$	$\bar{z}_- = (\sqrt{z_1}, \dots, \sqrt{z_k}, 1/\sqrt{z_k}, \dots, 1/\sqrt{z_1})$	$\bar{z}_- = (\sqrt{z_1}, \dots, \sqrt{z_k}, 1, 1/\sqrt{z_k}, \dots, 1/\sqrt{z_1})$
Haar measure	$d\mu_{SU(N)}(z)$	$d\mu_{SO(2k+1)}(z_-)$	$d\mu_{Sp(2k)}(z_-)$



# Operator Bases for Generic EFT up to All Order

## Amplitude Basis Construction for Effective Field Theory

[ Li, Ren, Xiao, Yu, Zheng, 2201.04639 ]

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This is the website for the Mathematica package: Amplitude Basis Construction for Effective Field Theory Package

This package has the following features:

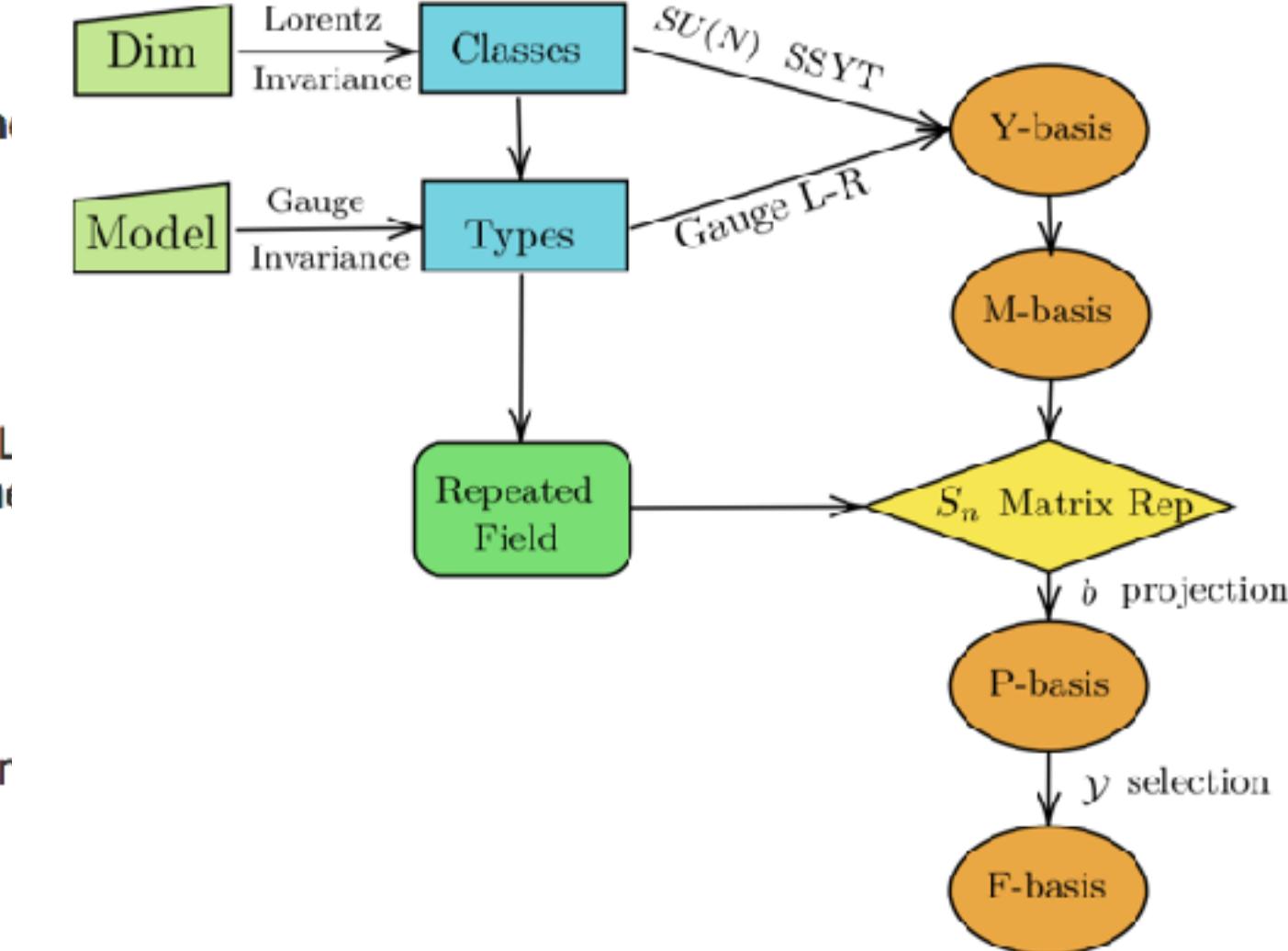
- It provides a general procedure to construct the independent and complete operator bases for generic  $L$ -invariant effective field theory, given any kind of gauge symmetry and field content, up to any mass dimension.
- Various operator bases have been systematically constructed to emphasize different aspects: operator independence ( $y$ -basis), flavor relation ( $p$ -basis) and conserved quantum number ( $j$ -basis).
- It provides a systematic way to convert any operator into our on-shell amplitude basis and the basis conversion can be easily done.

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Standard model EFT

Low energy EFT

Dark matter EFT

Sterile neutrino EFT

Gravity EFT

Axion EFT

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# Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian

[ Hao Sun, Ming-Lei Xiao, **J.H.Yu**, 2206.07722 ]

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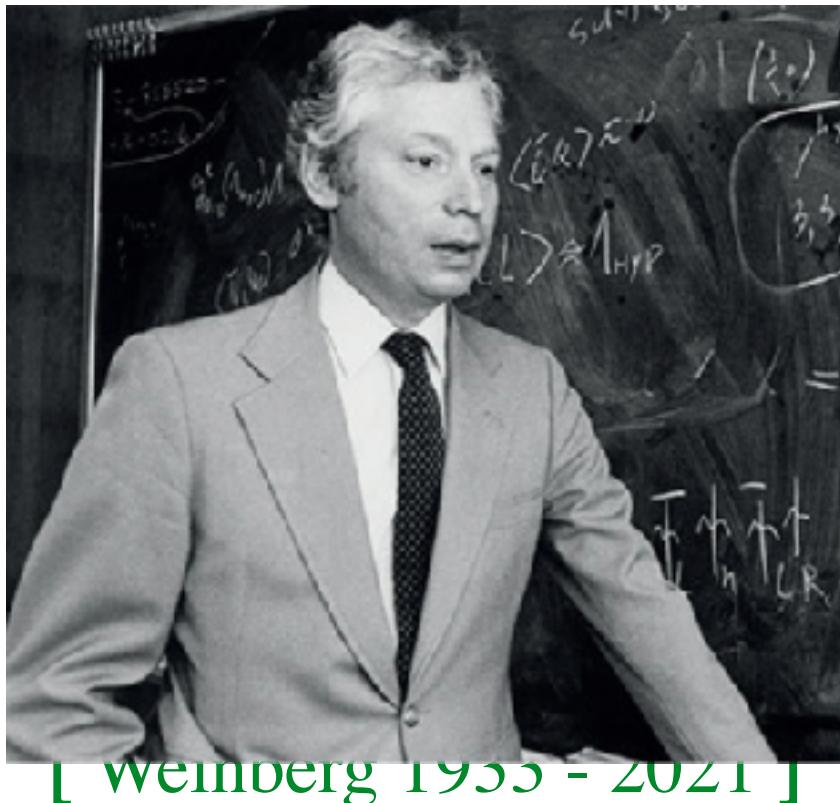
[ Li, Xu, **J.H.Yu**, Zhu, 2019 ]

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# Weinberg's Standard Model

Electroweak unification inspired by QCD chiral dynamics



[ Weinberg 1955 - 2021 ]

A MODEL OF LEPTONS\*

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My starting point in 1967 was the old aim, going back to Yang and Mills, of developing a gauge theory of the strong interactions, based on the symmetry group  $SU(2) \times SU(2)$

Then it suddenly occurred to me that this was a perfectly good sort of theory, but I was applying it to the wrong kind of interaction. The right place to apply these ideas was not to the strong interactions, but to the weak and electromagnetic interactions.

Weinberg 2004

$SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \rightarrow SU(2)_{L+R}$  Symmetry

$$\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi^+ \\ \Phi^0 \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v + H)U(\vec{\varphi}) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\Phi = (D_\mu \Phi)^\dagger D^\mu \Phi - \lambda \left( |\Phi|^2 - \frac{v^2}{2} \right)^2$$

$$\Sigma \equiv (\Phi^c, \Phi) = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi^{0*} & \Phi^+ \\ -\Phi^- & \Phi^0 \end{pmatrix} \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v + H)U(\vec{\varphi})$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\Phi = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[(D^\mu \Sigma)^\dagger D_\mu \Sigma] - \frac{\lambda}{4} (\text{Tr}[\Sigma^\dagger \Sigma] - v^2)^2$$

Gell-mann-Levi model

$$\mathcal{L}_\Phi = \frac{v^2}{4} \left( 1 + \frac{h}{v} \right)^2 \langle D_\mu \mathbf{U}^\dagger D^\mu \mathbf{U} \rangle + \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h - m_h^2 h^2) - \frac{m_h^2}{2v} h^3 - \frac{m_h^2}{8v^2} h^4$$

Custodial symmetry:

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \frac{v^2}{4} \text{Tr}(D_\mu U^\dagger D^\mu U)$$

$$\xrightarrow{U=1}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = M_W^2 W_\mu^\dagger W^\mu + \frac{1}{2} M_Z^2 Z_\mu Z^\mu$$

$$M_W = M_Z \cos \theta_W = \frac{1}{2} g v$$

# Electroweak chiral Lagrangian

Standard Model Effective Field Theory

Matching  
Running

Low Energy Effective Field Theory

approximate custodial symmetry  
 $SU(2) \times SU(2)$

$$\Sigma \equiv (\Phi^c, \Phi) = \begin{pmatrix} \Phi^{0*} & \Phi^+ \\ -\Phi^- & \Phi^0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow g_L \Sigma g_R^\dagger$$

$$\langle \Sigma \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} v & 0 \\ 0 & v \end{pmatrix} \neq 0$$

Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian

approximate chiral symmetry  
 $SU(3) \times SU(3)$

$$\mathbf{q}_L \rightarrow g_L \mathbf{q}_L, \quad \bar{\mathbf{q}}_R \rightarrow g_R \bar{\mathbf{q}}_R,$$

$$\langle 0 | (\bar{\mathbf{q}}_L \mathbf{q}_R + \bar{\mathbf{q}}_R \mathbf{q}_L) | 0 \rangle \neq 0$$

QCD Chiral Lagrangian

$$\Phi \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{\varphi} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \varphi^0 & \varphi^+ \\ \varphi^- & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \varphi^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

SM fields and Goldstone

$$\Phi \equiv \frac{\vec{\lambda}}{\sqrt{2}} \vec{\phi} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \eta & \pi^+ & K^+ \\ \pi^- & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \eta & K^0 \\ K^- & \bar{K}^0 & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \eta \end{pmatrix}$$

meson and baryon

**SM Fermion masses from Higgs VEV**

**Baryon masses around cutoff scale from Trace anomaly**

# Ingredients of electroweak chiral Lagrangian

Three ingredients: field, symmetry and power counting

building blocks	spinor-helicity	Lorentz group	$SU(2)_L$	$SU(3)_C$	$d_\chi$
$L_L$	$L_{L\alpha}$	$(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$	Fundamental	Singlet	1
$L_R$	$L_R^{\dot{\alpha}}$	$(0, \frac{1}{2})$	Fundamental	Singlet	1
$Q_L$	$Q_{L\alpha}$	$(\frac{1}{2}, 0)$	Fundamental	Fundamental	1
$Q_R$	$Q_R^{\dot{\alpha}}$	$(0, \frac{1}{2})$	Fundamental	Fundamental	1
$W_L$	$W_{L\alpha\beta}^I \tau^I$	$(1, 0)$	Adjoint	Singlet	2
$W_R$	$W_R^{I\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}} \tau^I$	$(0, 1)$	Adjoint	Singlet	2
$G_L$	$G_{L\alpha\beta}$	$(1, 0)$	Singlet	Adjoint	2
$G_R$	$G_R^{\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}}$	$(0, 1)$	Singlet	Adjoint	2
$B_L$	$B_{L\alpha\beta}$	$(1, 0)$	Singlet	Singlet	2
$B_R$	$B_R^{\dot{\alpha}\dot{\beta}}$	$(0, 1)$	Singlet	Singlet	2
$\mathbf{V}^\mu \sim D^\mu \Pi$	$(D\phi^I)_{\dot{\alpha}\beta} \tau^I$	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$	Adjoint	Singlet	1
$D^\mu$	$D_{\alpha\dot{\beta}}$	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$	Singlet	Singlet	1
$\mathbf{T}$	$\mathbf{T}^T \tau^I$	$(0, 0)$	Adjoint	Singlet	0

Chiral dimension (NDA)

$$d_\chi = d_i + k_i + \frac{F_i}{2} + V_i = 2L_i + 2.$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_\mu &= iu(D_\mu U)^\dagger u = -iu^\dagger D_\mu U u^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H u_\mu \mathfrak{g}_H^\dagger \\
 f_\pm^{\mu\nu} &= u^\dagger \hat{W}^{\mu\nu} u \pm u \hat{B}^{\mu\nu} u^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H f_\pm^{\mu\nu} \mathfrak{g}_H^\dagger \\
 \mathcal{T} &= u \mathcal{T}_R u^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H \mathcal{T} \mathfrak{g}_H^\dagger \\
 u^\dagger \psi_L &&\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H u^\dagger \psi_L \\
 u \psi_R &&\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H u \psi_R \\
 \mathcal{Y} &= u \mathcal{Y}_R u^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_H \mathcal{Y} \mathfrak{g}_H^\dagger \\
 \\ 
 \mathbf{V}_\mu(x) &= i\mathbf{U}(x) D_\mu \mathbf{U}(x)^\dagger, &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \mathbf{V}_\mu \mathfrak{g}_L^\dagger \\
 \hat{W}_{\mu\nu} &&\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \hat{W}_{\mu\nu} \mathfrak{g}_L^\dagger \\
 \hat{B}_{\mu\nu} &&\rightarrow & \hat{B}_{\mu\nu} \\
 \mathbf{T} &= \mathbf{U} \mathcal{T}_R \mathbf{U}^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \mathbf{T} \mathfrak{g}_L^\dagger \\
 \psi_L &&\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \psi_L \\
 \mathbf{U} \psi_R &&\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \mathbf{U} \psi_R \\
 \mathbf{Y} &= \mathbf{U} \mathcal{Y}_R \mathbf{U}^\dagger &\rightarrow & \mathfrak{g}_L \mathbf{Y} \mathfrak{g}_L^\dagger
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{p^2}{16\pi^2 \mathbf{v}^2} \sim \frac{g^2}{(4\pi)^2}, \frac{y^2}{(4\pi)^2}, \frac{\lambda}{(4\pi)^2} \ll 1.$$

# Spurion Technique

The  $SU(2)$  spurion is introduced to parametrize custodial symmetry breaking

$$\begin{aligned} & \tau^K{}_l \tau^M{}_j \epsilon^{IJM} \mathbf{T}^J \mathbf{T}^K W_L{}^I{}_{\mu\nu} (L_{Lp_i} \sigma_{\lambda}{}^{\nu} L_{Rr}^{\dagger}{}^j) (Q_{Lsak} \sigma^{\mu\lambda} Q_{Rt}^{\dagger}{}^{al}) \\ & \tau^J{}_l \mathbf{T}^I \mathbf{T}^J W_L{}^I{}_{\mu\nu} (L_{Lp_i} \sigma^{\mu\nu} L_{Rr}^{\dagger}{}^i) (Q_{Lsak} Q_{Rt}^{\dagger}{}^{al}) \end{aligned}$$

$$t_i \in \mathbf{2} \sim \square$$

$$\epsilon_{ij} t^j \in \bar{\mathbf{2}} \sim \square$$

$$t^I \tau_i^{Ik} \epsilon_{kj} \in \mathbf{3} \sim \square \square$$

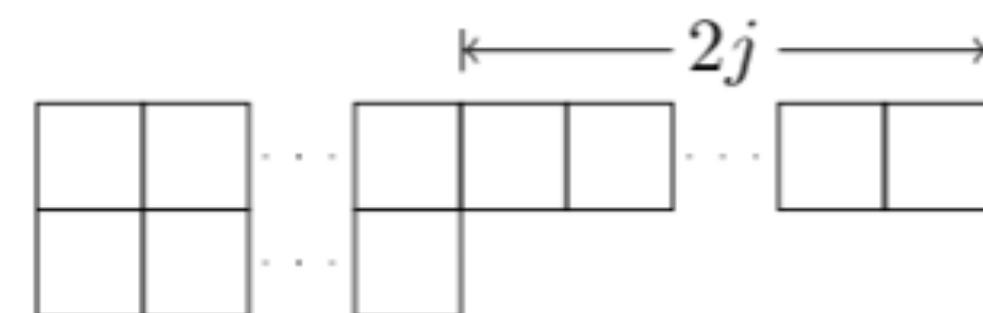
$$\mathbf{T}^I \tau^{Ik}{}_i \epsilon_{kj} \in [i | j],$$

$$\mathbf{T}^{\{I_1} \dots \mathbf{T}^{I_j\}} \in \text{spin } j$$

$$\mathbf{T}^I \mathbf{T}^J = \mathbf{T}^2 \delta^{IJ} + \mathbf{T}^{[I} \mathbf{T}^{J]} + \mathbf{T}^{(I} \mathbf{T}^{J)},$$

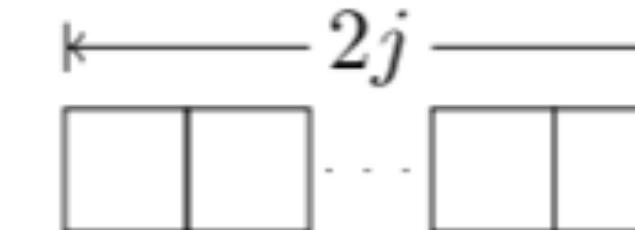
$$\mathbf{3} \otimes \mathbf{3} = \mathbf{1} + \mathbf{3} + \mathbf{5}.$$

**Littlewood-Richarson rules**



**Symmetric highest weight**

$$\epsilon^{IJK} \mathbf{T}^I \mathbf{T}^J A^K$$



**Gauge Singlet**

$$SU(2) \sim \square \square \dots \square$$

[ Sun, Xiao, Yu, 2206.07722 ]

# Results at LO/NLO/NNLO

Compared with literatures, new 6 (9) operators found at NLO

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{p^2} + \mathcal{L}_{p^3} + \mathcal{L}_{p^4} + \mathcal{L}_{p^5} + \mathcal{L}_{p^6} + \dots$$

**LO Lagrangian**

[ Weinberg, 1979 ]

**NLO bosonic**

[ Appelquist, Bernard, 1980 ]

[ Longhitano, 1980, 1981 ]

[ Feruglio, 1993 ]

**NLO 2-fermion**

[ Buchalla, Cata, Krause, 2014 ]

**NLO 4-fermion**

[ Buchalla, Cata, Krause, 2014 ]

[ Pich, Rosell, Santos, Sanz-Cillero, 2015, 2018 ]

[ Sun, Xiao, Yu, 2206.07722 ]

**6 term missing**

**NNLO Basis**

[ Sun, Xiao, Yu, 2210.14939 ]

Classes	$\mathcal{N}_{\text{type}}$	$\mathcal{N}_{\text{term}}$	$\mathcal{N}_{\text{operator}}$
$UhD^4$	$3+6+0+0$	15	15
$X^2Uh$	$6+4+0+0$	10	10
$XUhD^2$	$2+6+0+0$	8	8
$X^3$	$4+2+0+0$	6	6
$\psi^2UhD$	$4+8+0+0$	13(16)	$13n_f^2$ ( $16n_f^2$ )
$\psi^2UhD^2$	$6+10+0+0$	60(80)	$60n_f^2$ ( $80n_f^2$ )
$\psi^2UhX$	$7+7+0+0$	22(28)	$22n_f^2$ ( $28n_f^2$ )
$\psi^4$	$12+24+4+8$	117(160)	$\frac{1}{4}n_f^2(31 - 6n_f + 335n_f^2)$ ( $n_f^2(9 - 2n_f + 125n_f^2)$ )
Total	123	261(313)	$\frac{335n_f^4}{4} - \frac{3n_f^3}{2} + \frac{411n_f^2}{4} + 39$ ( $39 + 133n_f^2 - 2n_f^2 - 2n_f^3 + 125n_f^4$ ) $\mathcal{N}_{\text{operators}}(n_f = 1) = 224(295), \quad \mathcal{N}_{\text{operators}}(n_f = 3) = 7704(11307)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{O}_{33}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{q}_{Ls}\gamma_\mu\tau^I\mathbf{T}q_{Lp})(\bar{q}_{Rr}\gamma^\mu\mathbf{U}^\dagger\tau^I\mathbf{U}q_{Rt})\mathcal{F}_{33}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{34}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{q}_{Ls}\gamma_\mu\lambda^A\tau^I\mathbf{T}q_{Lp})(\bar{q}_{Rr}\gamma^\mu\lambda^A\mathbf{U}^\dagger\tau^I\mathbf{U}q_{Rt})\mathcal{F}_{34}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{89}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{l}_{Ls}\gamma_\mu\tau^I l_{Lp})(\bar{l}_{Rt}\sigma^\mu\tau^I\mathbf{U}^\dagger\mathbf{T}\mathbf{U}l_{Rs})\mathcal{F}_{89}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{107}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{l}_{Ls}\gamma_\mu\tau^I\mathbf{T}l_{Lp})(\bar{q}_{Lt}\gamma^\mu\tau^I q_{Lr})\mathcal{F}_{107}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{113}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{l}_{Rs}\gamma_\mu\tau^I\mathbf{T}l_{Rp})(\bar{q}_{Rt}\gamma^\mu\tau^I q_{Rr})\mathcal{F}_{113}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{119}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{l}_{Rs}\gamma_\mu\mathbf{U}^\dagger\tau^I\mathbf{T}\mathbf{U}l_{Rp})(\bar{q}_{Lt}\gamma^\mu\tau^I q_{Lr})\mathcal{F}_{119}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{125}^{Uh\psi^4} &= (\bar{l}_{Ls}\gamma_\mu\tau^I\mathbf{T}l_{Lp})(\bar{q}_{Rt}\gamma^\mu\mathbf{U}^\dagger\tau^I\mathbf{U}q_{Rr})\mathcal{F}_{125}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{140}^{Uh\psi^4} &= \mathcal{Y}\left[\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline r & s \\ \hline t & \\ \hline \end{array}\right] \epsilon^{abc} \epsilon^{ln} \epsilon^{km} ((\mathbf{T}l_L^T)_{pm} C(\mathbf{T}q_L)_{ran}) (q_{Lrak}^T C q_{LtcI}) \mathcal{F}_{159}^{Uh\psi^4}(h), \\
 \mathcal{O}_{160}^{Uh\psi^4} &= \mathcal{Y}\left[\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline r & s \\ \hline t & \\ \hline \end{array}\right] \epsilon^{abc} \epsilon^{km} \epsilon^{ln} ((\mathbf{T}l_R^T)_{pm} C(\mathbf{T}q_R)_{ran}) (q_{Rsbk}^T C q_{RtcI}) \mathcal{F}_{160}^{Uh\psi^4}(h).
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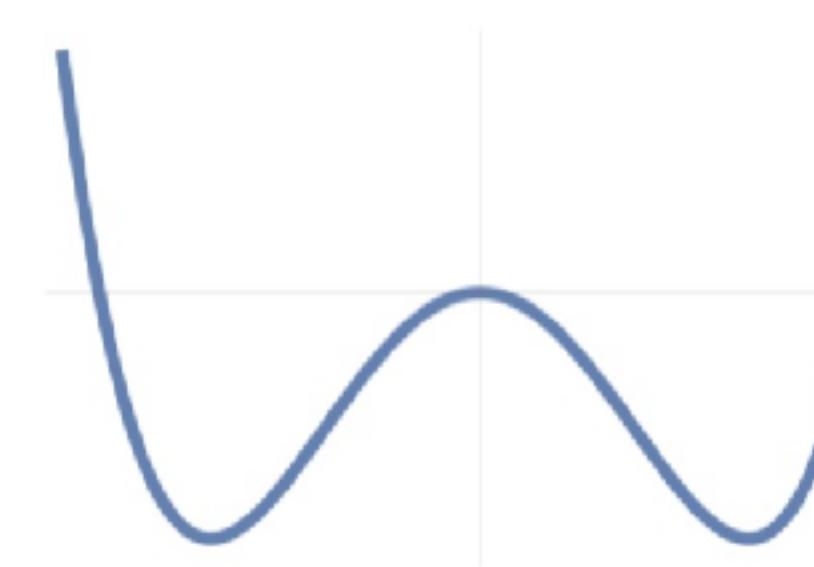
# Which EFT? SMEFT or HEFT

Does the SMEFT cover all kinds of new physics scenarios?

[ Agrawal, Saha, Xu, Yu, Yuan, 1907.02078 ]

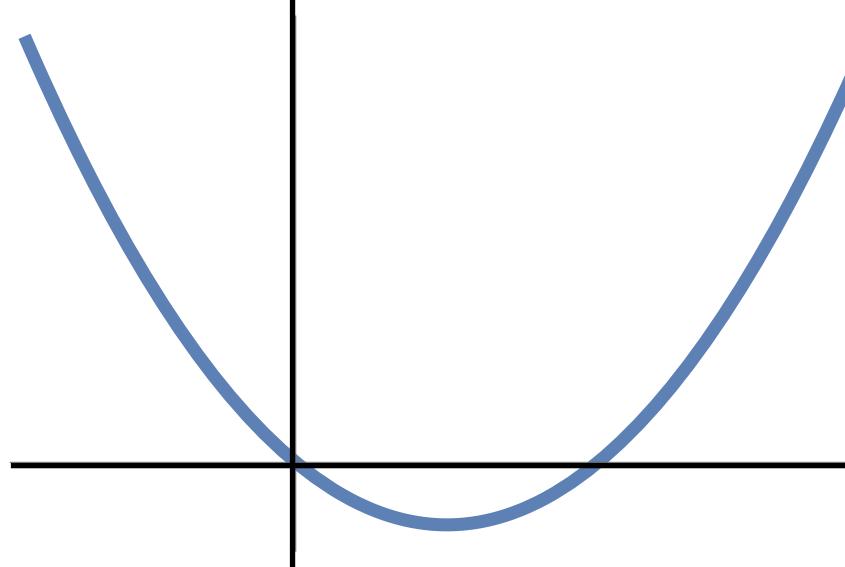
Depending on nature of the Higgs boson and decoupling feature of new particle

Landau-Ginzburg Higgs



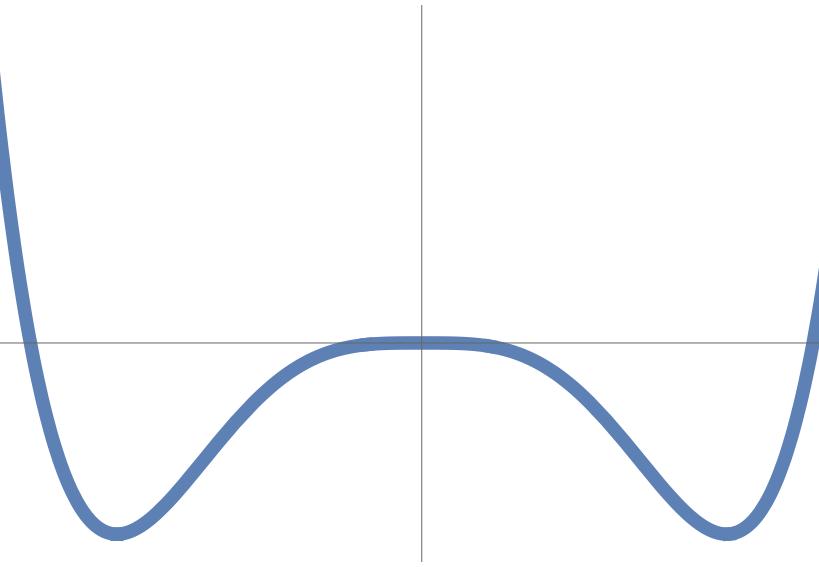
$$V(\phi) = -m^2\phi^\dagger\phi + \lambda(\phi^\dagger\phi)^2$$

Tadpole-induced Higgs



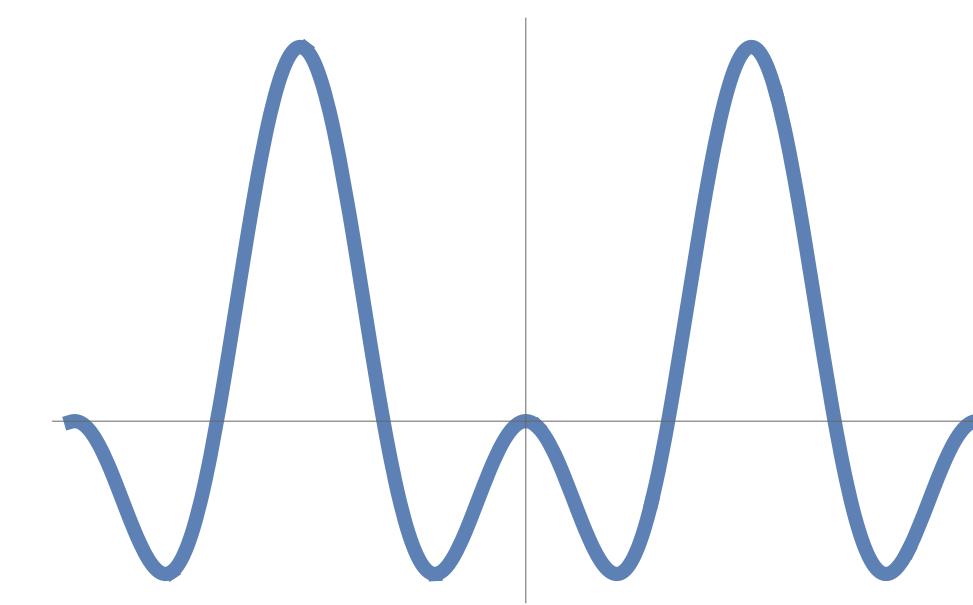
$$V(\phi) = -\mu^3\sqrt{\phi^\dagger\phi} + m^2\phi^\dagger\phi$$

Coleman Weinberg Higgs



$$V(\phi) = \lambda(\phi^\dagger\phi)^2 + \epsilon(\phi^\dagger\phi)^2 \log \frac{\phi^\dagger\phi}{\mu^2}$$

Pseudo-Goldstone Higgs



$$V(\phi) = -a \sin^2(\phi/f) + b \sin^4(\phi/f)$$

Fundamental  
particle

Partial  
Fundamental  
(condensate)

Conformal  
particle

Composite  
particle



Also [ Falkowski, Rattazzi 2019 ]

[ Cohen, Craig, Lu, Sutherland, 2021 ]

# Nature of the Higgs Boson

Before the Higgs discovery, and after ...

What is dynamics at EW scale?

Weak dynamics @ EW scale

SM, SUSY, etc

Strong dynamics @ EW scale

Technicolor, etc



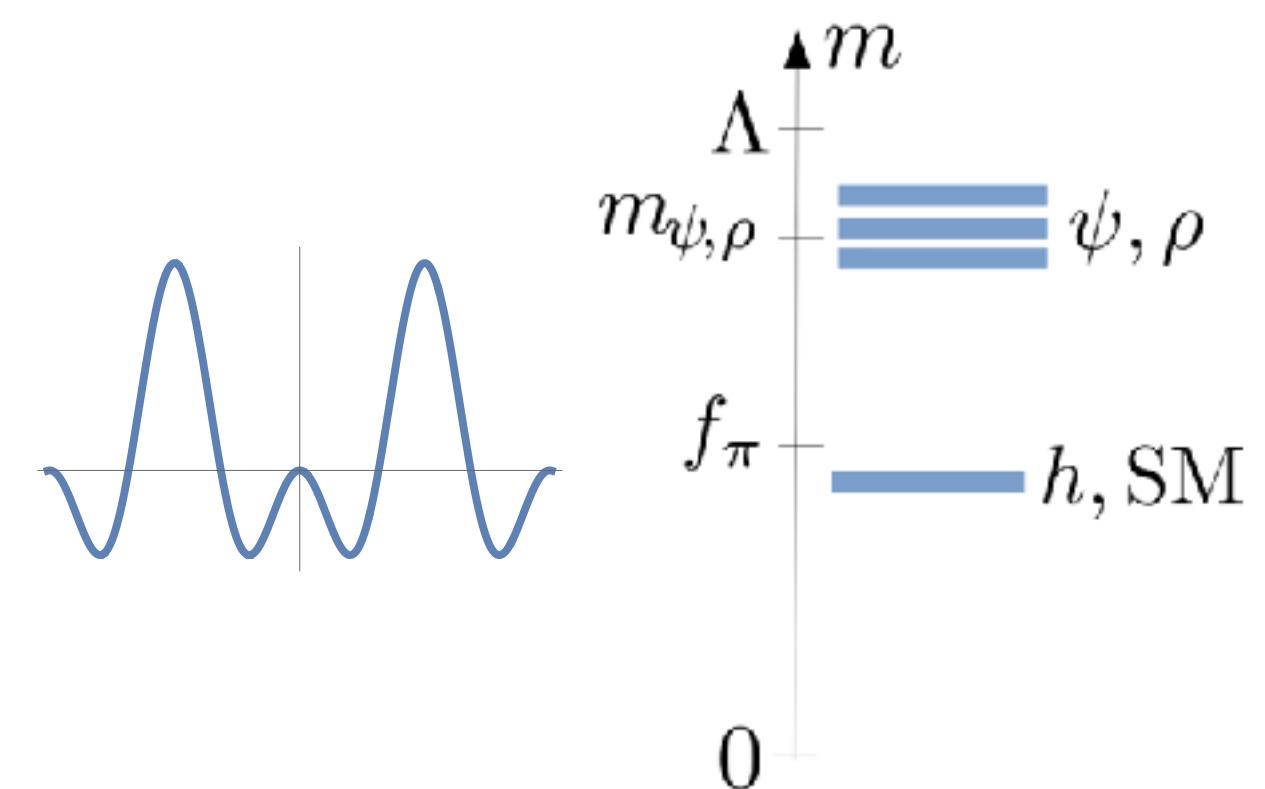
What is dynamics at TeV scale?

Fundamental

weak dynamics at TeV

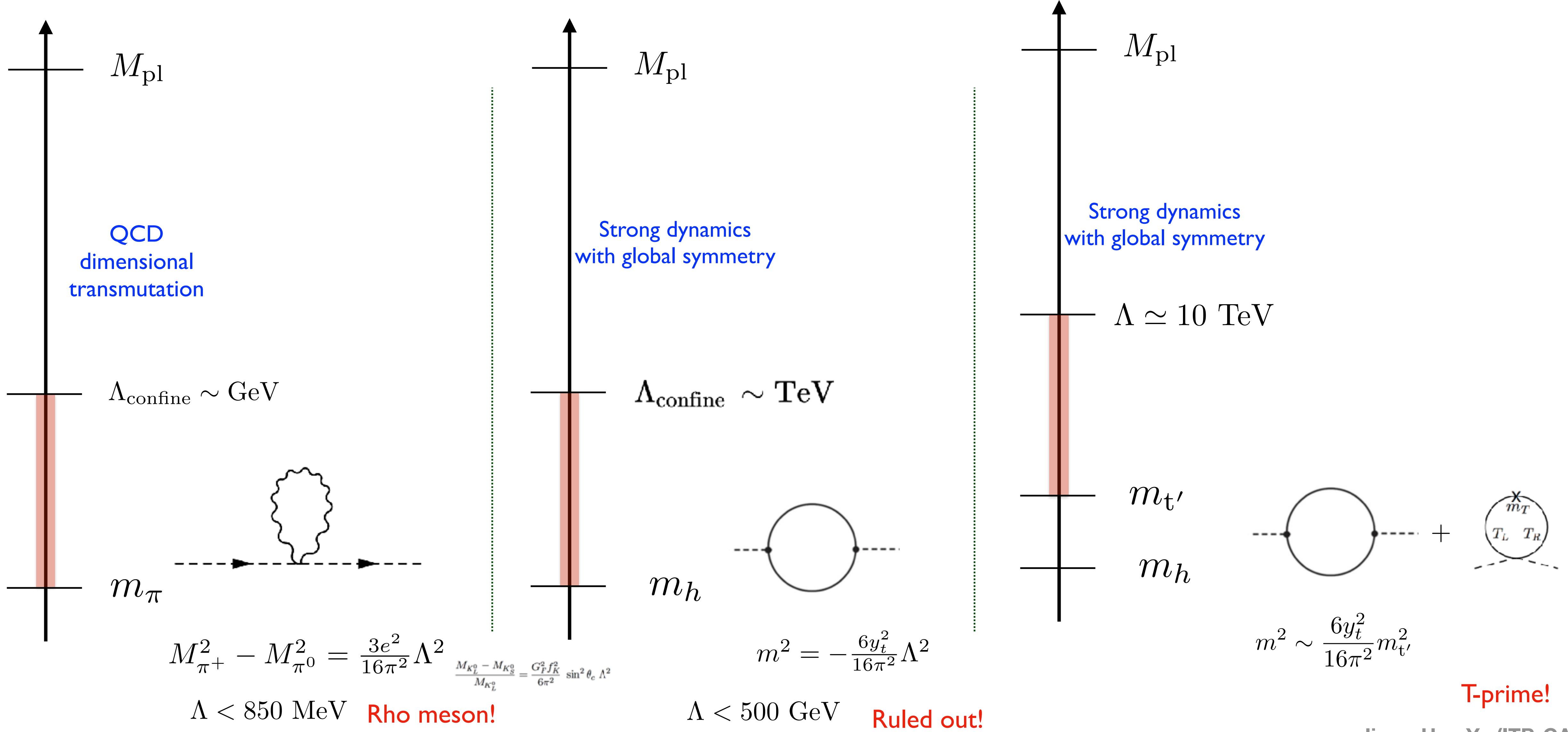
Composite

strong dynamics at TeV



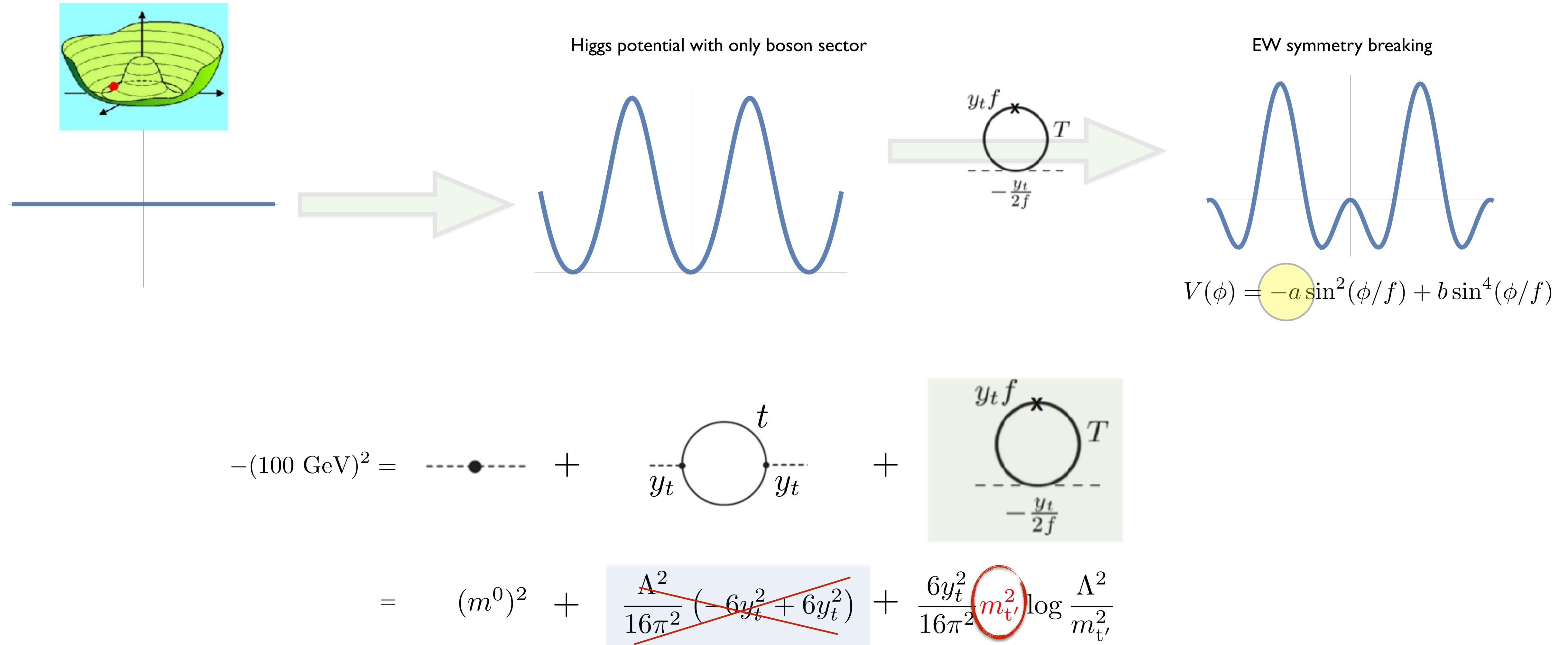
# Higgs as Goldstone Boson

From QCD to composite Higgs to little Higgs



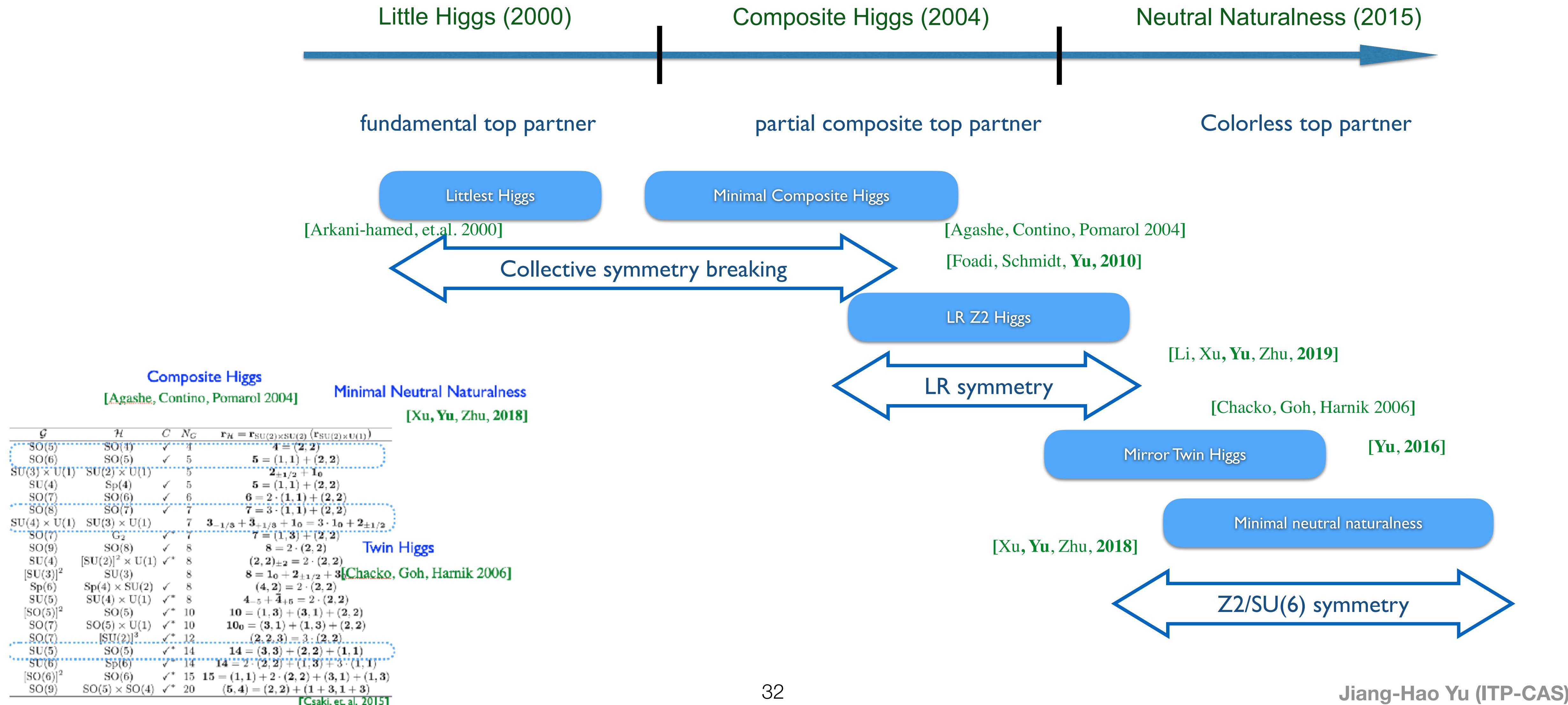
# Vacuum misalignment

There is no vacuum for pion, how to obtain the Higgs vacuum?

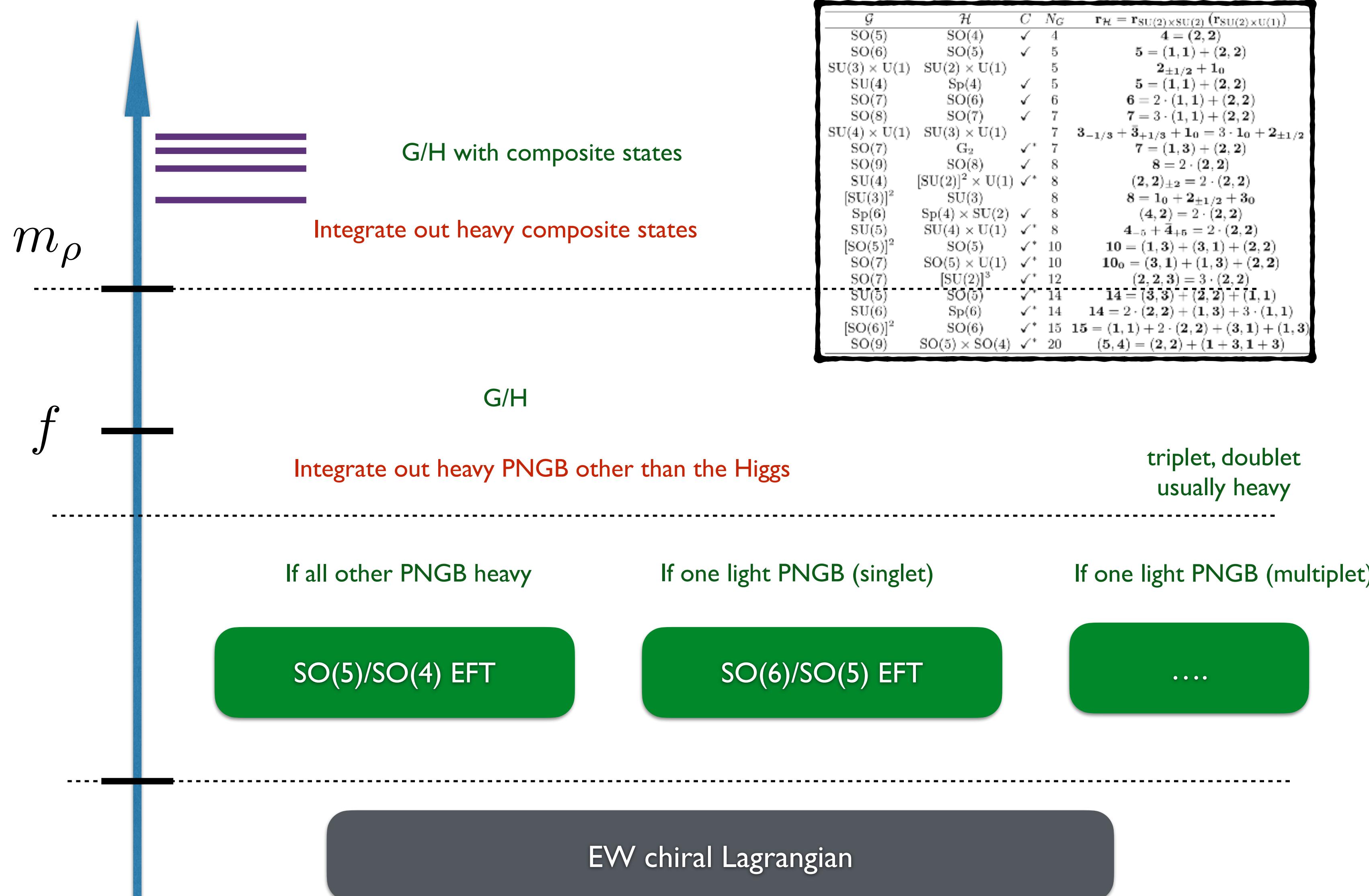


# Model Buildings

G/H coset and fermion assignment with symmetries



# Effective Field Theory for Composite Higgs



# Effective Lagrangian

Composite Higgs

Left-Right Z2

Twin Higgs

Minimal NN

Composite Higgs

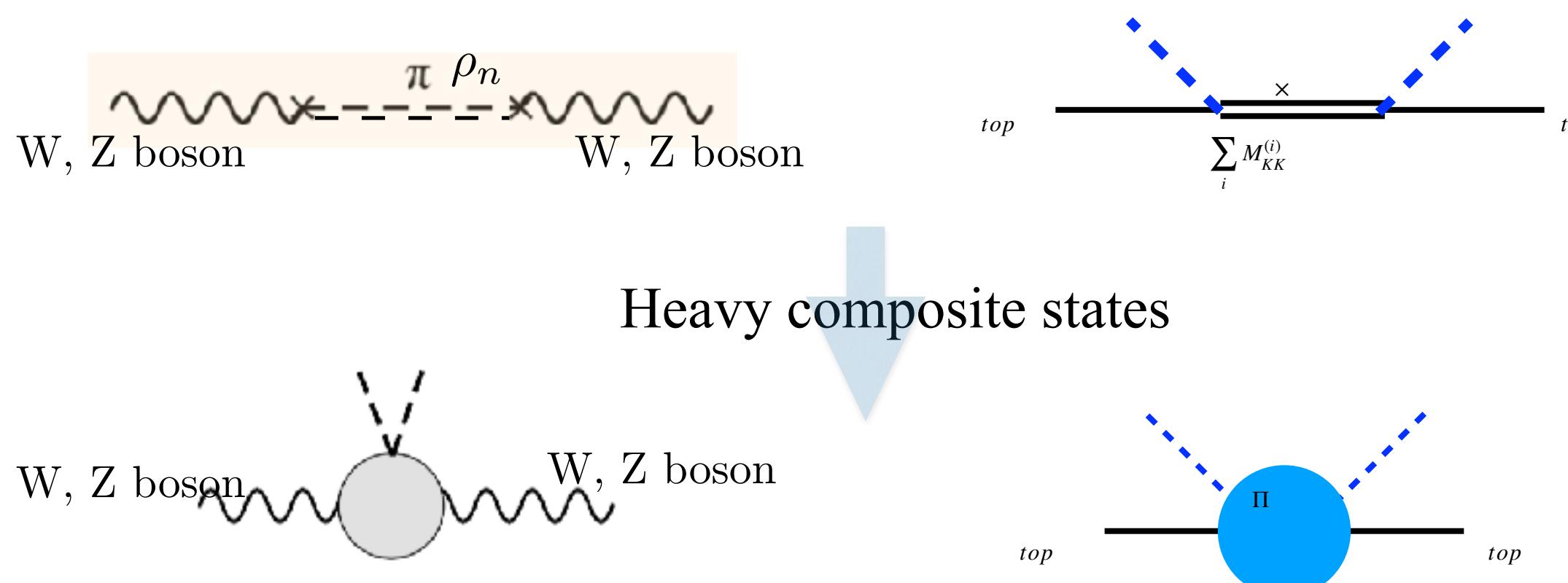
Left-Right Z2

Twin Higgs

Minimal NN

[Li, Xu, Yu, Zhu, 2019]

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{1}{2}(P_T)^{\mu\nu} (\Pi_0(q^2)\text{Tr}(A_\mu A_\nu) + \Pi_1(q^2)\Sigma A_\mu A_\nu \Sigma^T)$$



Generalized Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \bar{t}_L \not{p} \Pi_{t_L}(p^2) t_L + \bar{t}_R \not{p} \Pi_{t_R}(p^2) t_R - (\bar{t}_L \Pi_{t_L t_R}(p^2) t_R + \text{h.c.})$$

$$c_g = v \frac{\partial}{\partial \langle h \rangle} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \log \Pi_{t_L t_R}(0) \right]$$

$$c_{gghh} = -v^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \langle h \rangle^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \log \Pi_{t_L t_R}(0) \right]$$

$$c_t = v \frac{\partial}{\partial \langle h \rangle} \log \Pi_{t_L t_R}(0)$$

$$c_{thh} = \frac{v^2}{2} \frac{1}{m_t} \frac{\partial^2 \Pi_{t_L t_R}(0)}{\partial \langle h \rangle^2}$$

Composite Higgs

Left-Right Z2

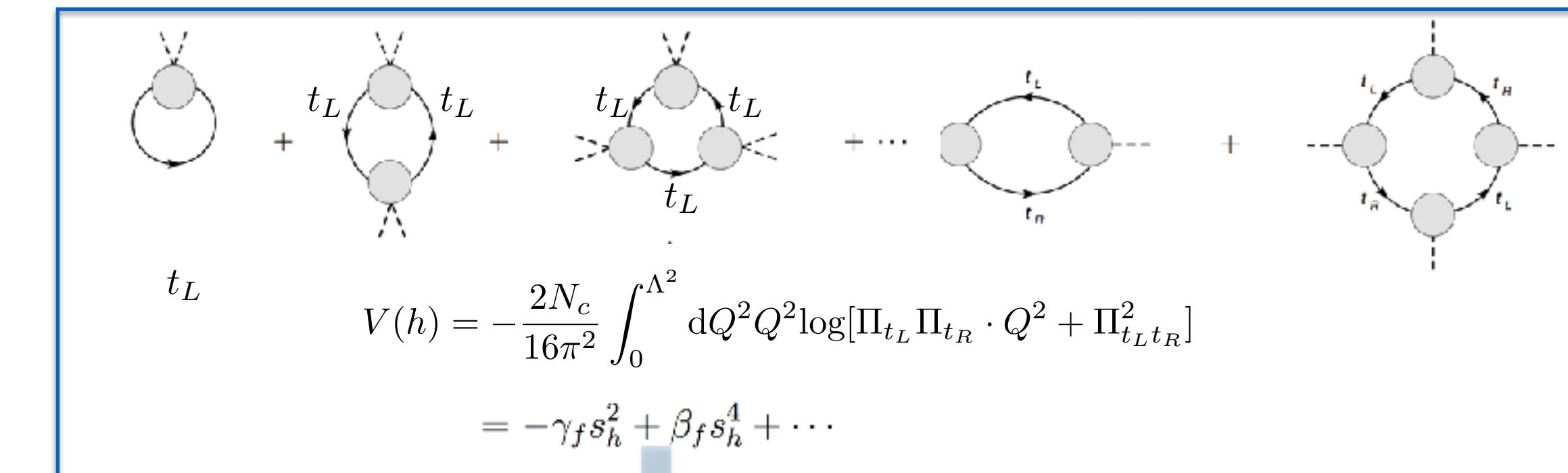
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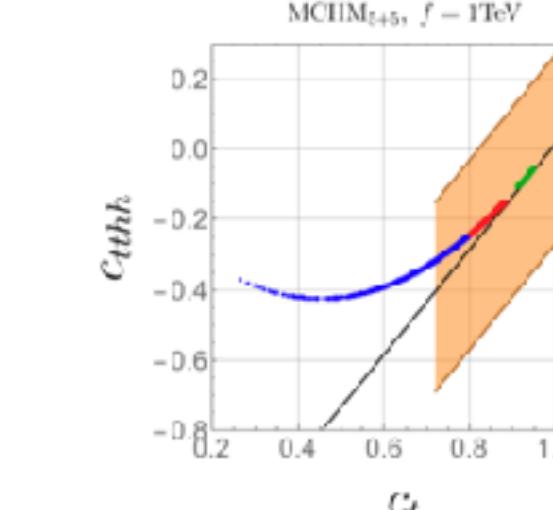
$$\Pi_{t_L}(-Q^2) = \Pi_{0t_L}(-Q^2) + \Pi_{1t_L}(-Q^2) s_h^2 + \Pi_{2t_L}(-Q^2) s_h^4 + \dots$$

Coleman-Weinberg effective potential



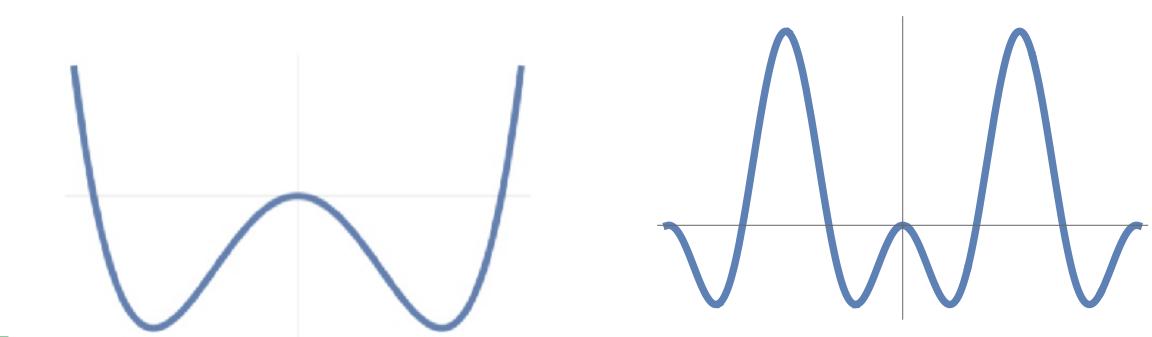
EW Chiral Lagrangian

Higgs nonlinearity



[Li, Xu, Yu, Zhu, 2019]

Shape of Higgs potential



[Agrawal, Saha, Xu, Yu, Yuan, 2019]

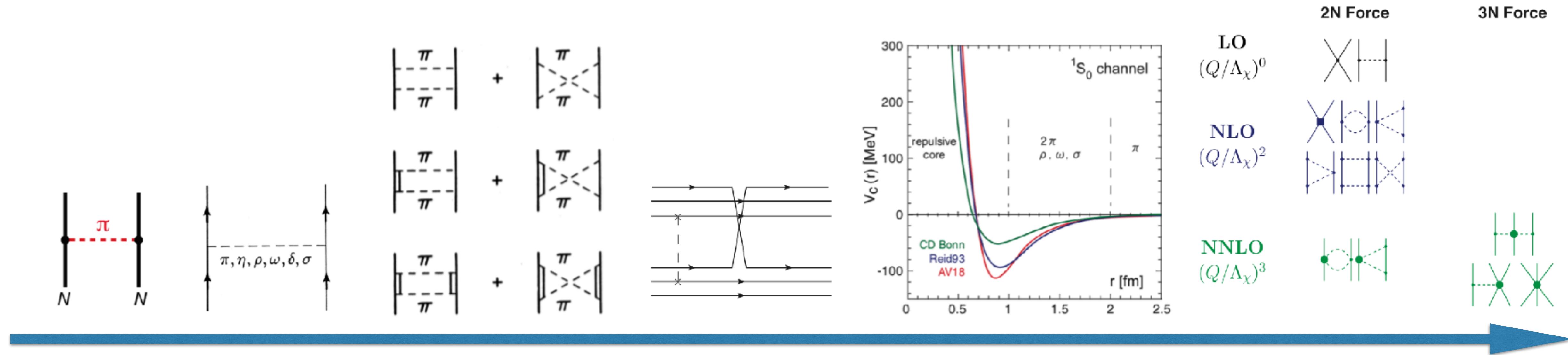
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# Nuclear Chiral Effective Theory

[ Hao Sun, Yi-Ning Wang, **J.H.Yu**, in préparation ]

[ Yong-Kang Li, Yi-Ning Wang, **J.H.Yu**, in préparation ]

# Historical overview on nuclear force



Yukawa Pion Theory  
1935

One-Boson Exchange Model  
1936 - 1960

Proca, Kemmer, Moller, Rosenfeld and Schwinger, Pauli, ...

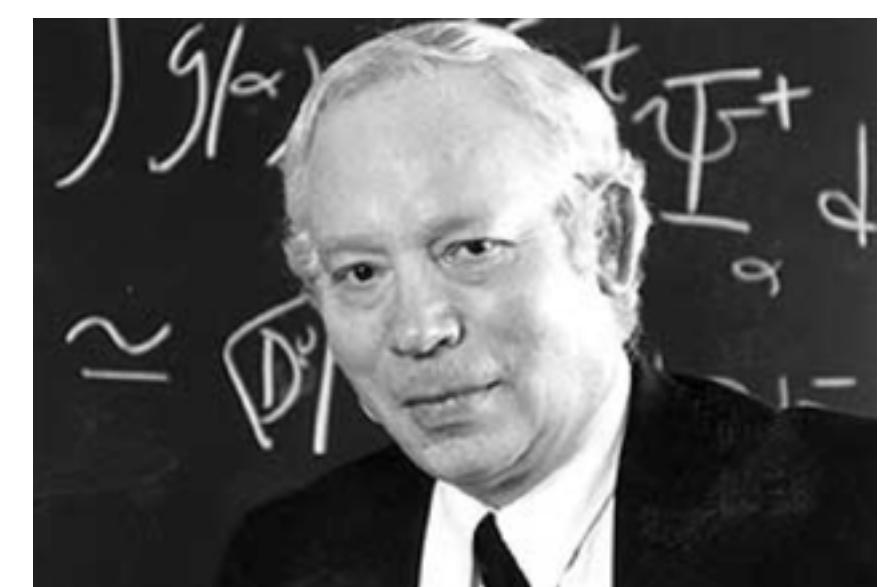
Two-Pion Exchange  
1950 - 1980

Taketani, Nakamura Sasaki, Bruckner, Watson, ...

N-N from quark/chiral-bag model  
1970 - 1980

High precision potential  
1990 -

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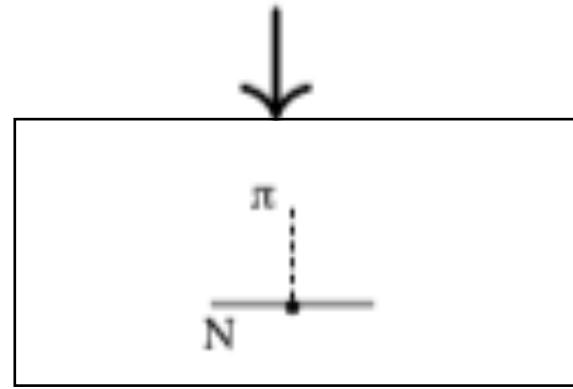
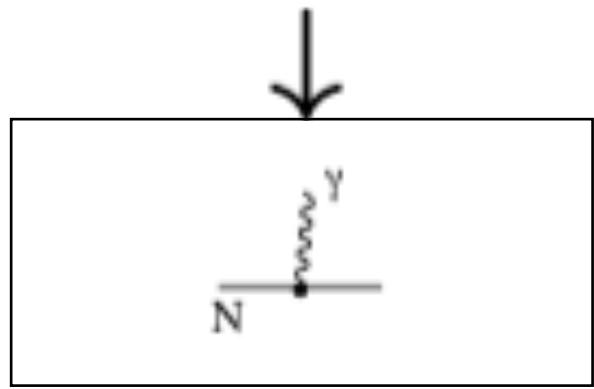


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# Why chiral nuclear force?

## Meson Exchange Model

$$\mathcal{L}_\sigma = \overline{N_L} iD N_L + \overline{N_R} iD N_R - g \overline{N_R} \Sigma N_L - g \overline{N_L} \Sigma^\dagger N_R$$



$$+ \frac{1}{4} \langle \partial_\mu \Sigma \partial^\mu \Sigma \rangle - \frac{\lambda}{16} (\langle \Sigma^\dagger \Sigma \rangle - 2v^2)^2$$

$$\Sigma = (v + S)U(\varphi)$$

$$\psi_L = uN_L, \quad \psi_R = u^\dagger N_R, \quad U = u^2$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{v^2}{4} \left(1 + \frac{S}{v}\right)^2 \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle$$

$$+ \bar{\psi} i(\partial + F) \psi + \frac{1}{2} \bar{\psi} \not{a} \gamma_5 \psi - g(v + S) \bar{\psi} \psi$$

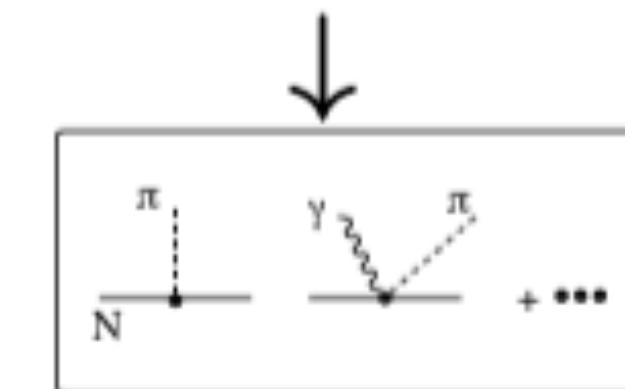
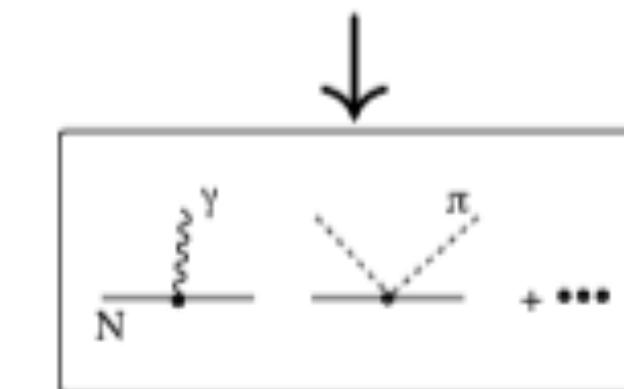
$$g_{\pi NN} \simeq 13.40$$

**Modeling only**

$$g_A = 1 \quad m_N = gv \equiv g_{\pi NN} F_\pi$$

## Chiral EFT

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(1)} = \bar{\psi} (iD - m_N + \frac{1}{2} g_A \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u^\mu) \psi$$



$$D_\mu \equiv \partial_\mu + u^\dagger \partial_\mu u + u \partial_\mu u^\dagger = \partial_\mu + \frac{i}{2F^2} \tau \cdot \pi \times \partial_\mu \pi + \mathcal{O}(\pi^4)$$

## Chiral Ward Identity

$$\begin{aligned} < p(p') | \partial^\mu j_{5\mu}^A | n(p) > &= \bar{u}_p(p') (\not{q} g_A(q^2) + q^2 h_A(q^2)) \gamma_5 u_n(p) \\ &= \frac{M_\pi^2 F_\pi}{M_\pi^2 - q^2} g_{\pi NN} \bar{u}_p(p') \gamma_5 u_n(p) \end{aligned}$$

$$M_N g_A(0) = F_\pi g_{\pi NN}$$

$$g_A \simeq 1.27$$

## Goldberger-Treiman Relation

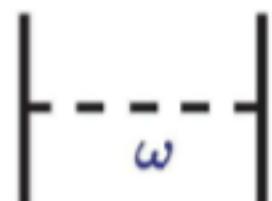
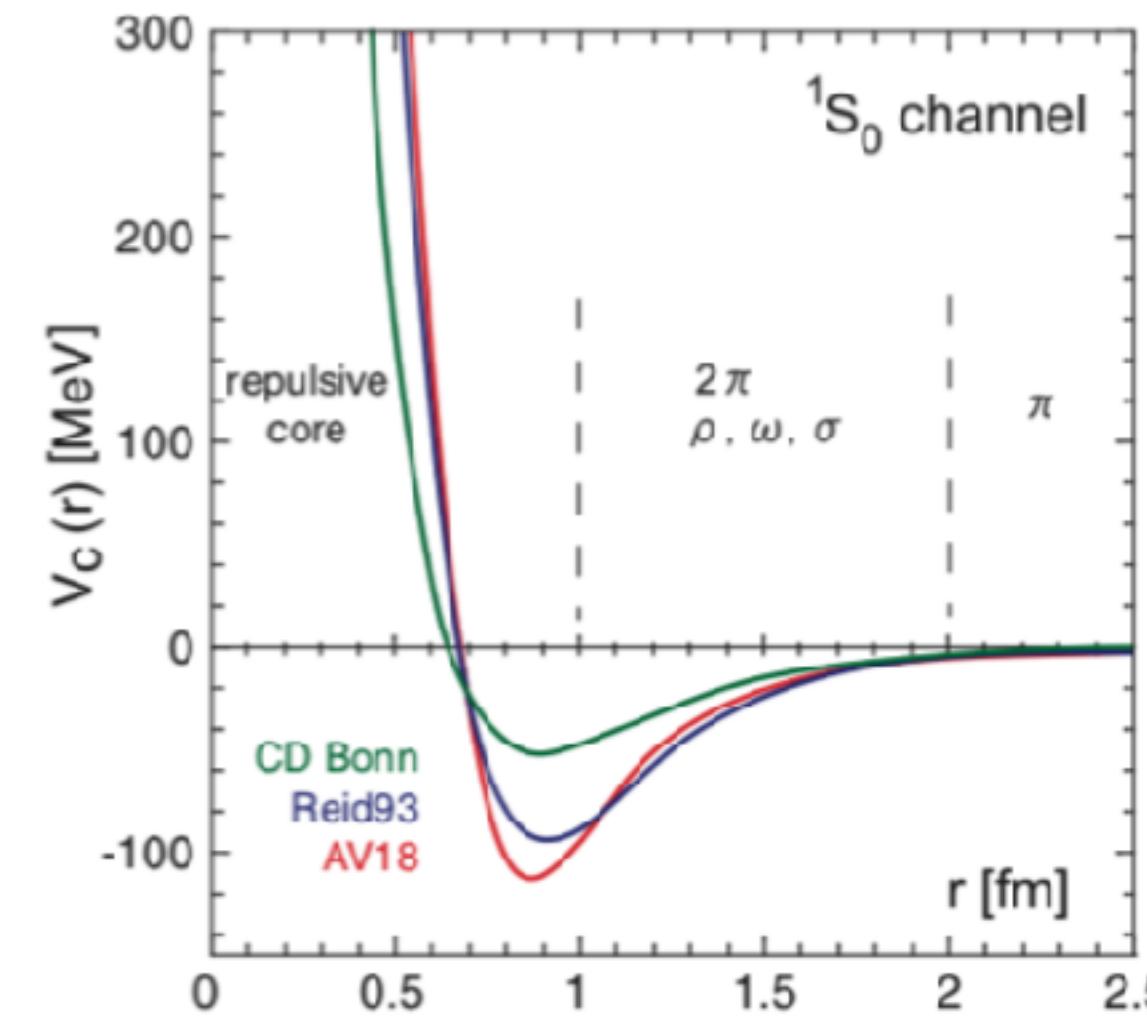
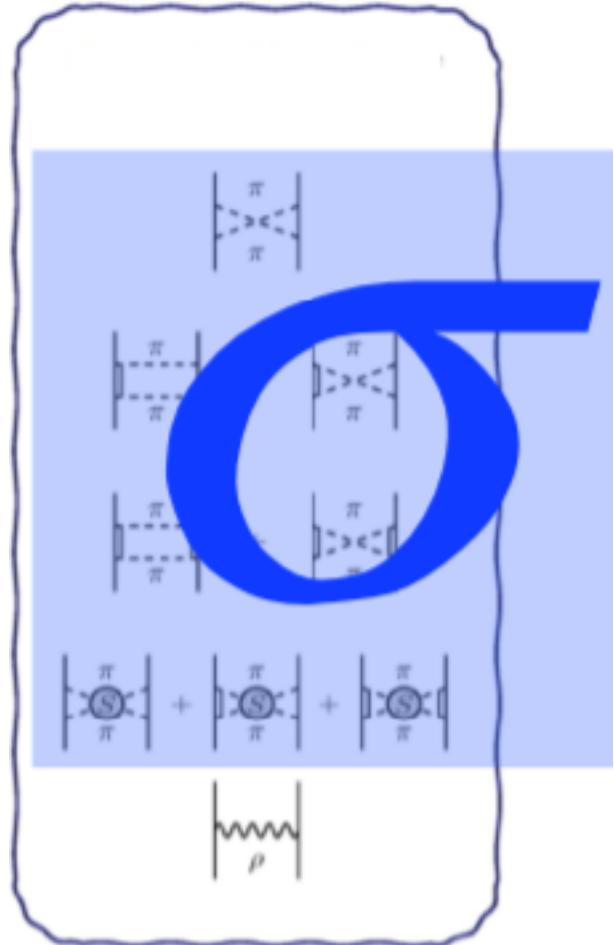
**Perturbative derivative expansion**

# Chiral Nuclear Force

## Meson Exchange Model

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$$V(\mathbf{r}) = \left\{ C_c + C_\sigma \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 + C_T \left( 1 + \frac{3}{m_\alpha r} + \frac{3}{(m_\alpha r)^2} \right) S_{12}(\hat{r}) + C_{SL} \left( \frac{1}{m_\alpha r} + \frac{1}{(m_\alpha r)^2} \right) \mathbf{L} \cdot \mathbf{S} \right\} \frac{e^{-m_\alpha r}}{m_\alpha r} (1, \tau_1 \cdot \tau_2)$$

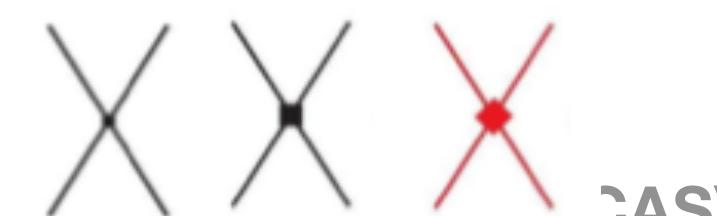
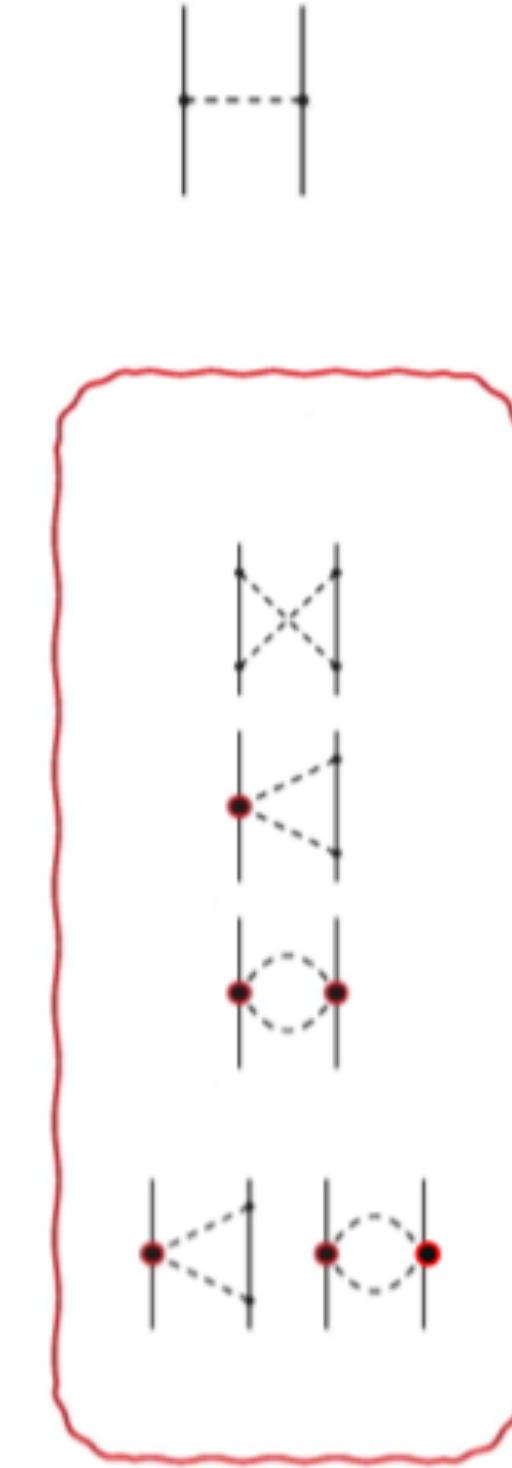
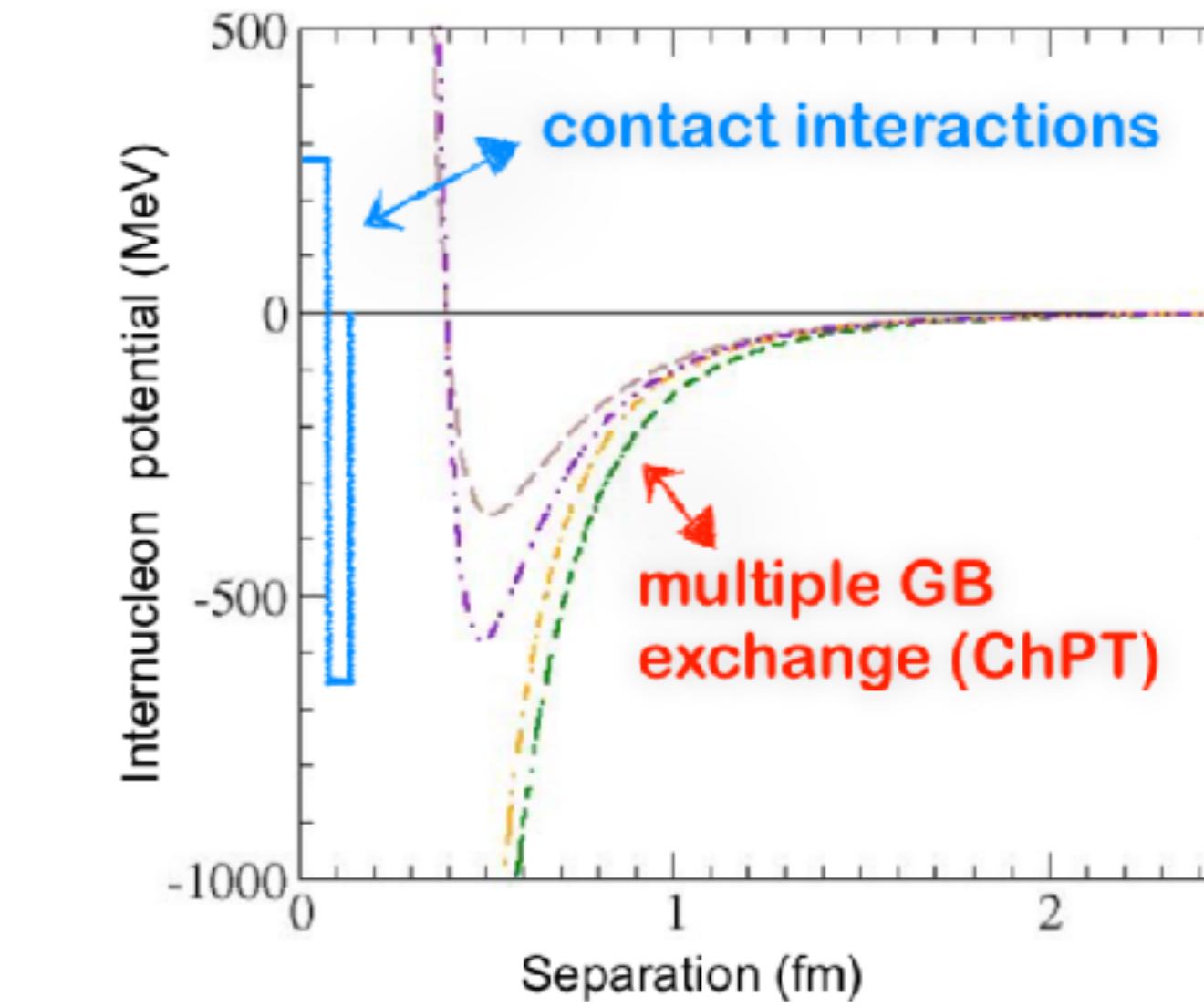


Repulsive central

## Chiral EFT

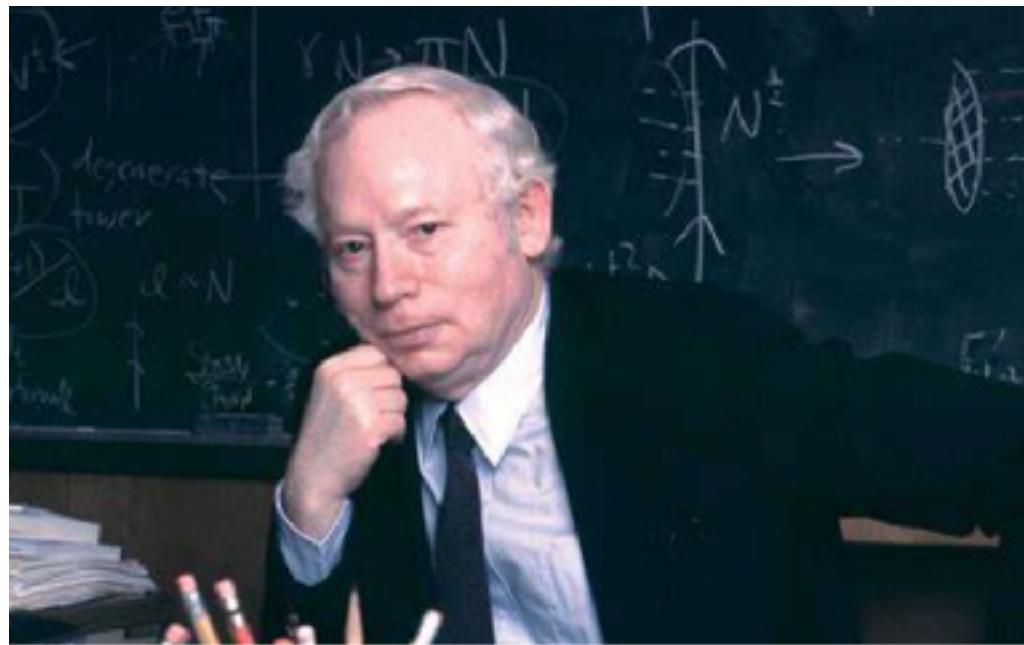
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# Weinberg's nuclear force

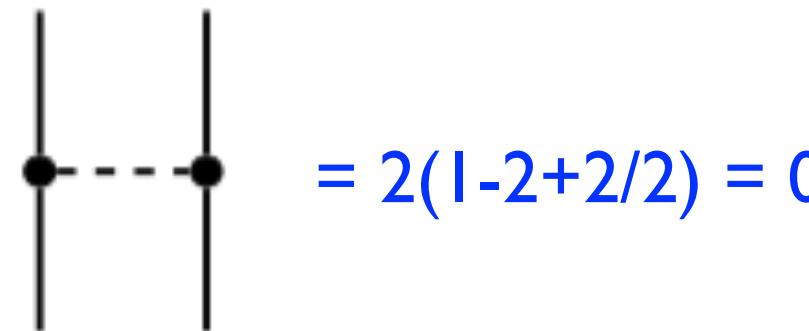
Hard-core nucleon-nucleon interaction



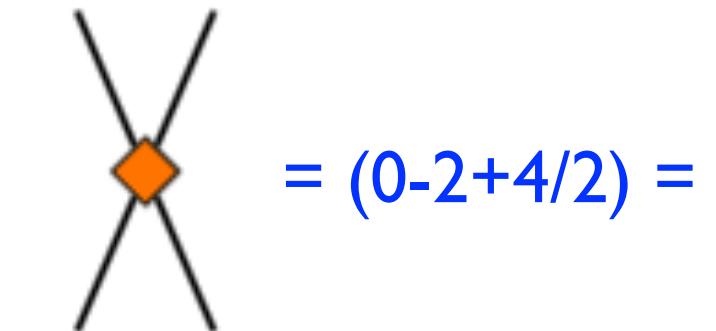
[ Weinberg 1933 - 2021 ]

Weinberg power counting

$$D = 2 - A + 2L + \sum_d V_d \left( d - 2 + \frac{f}{2} \right)$$



$$= 2(1-2+2/2) = 0$$



$$= (0-2+4/2) = 0$$

taken me a decade to realize that four divided by two is two. This sort of interaction is just the kind of hard-core nucleon-nucleon interaction that nuclear physicists had always known would be needed to understand nuclear forces. But now we had a rationale for it.

Weinberg 2021

Nuclear forces from chiral lagrangians

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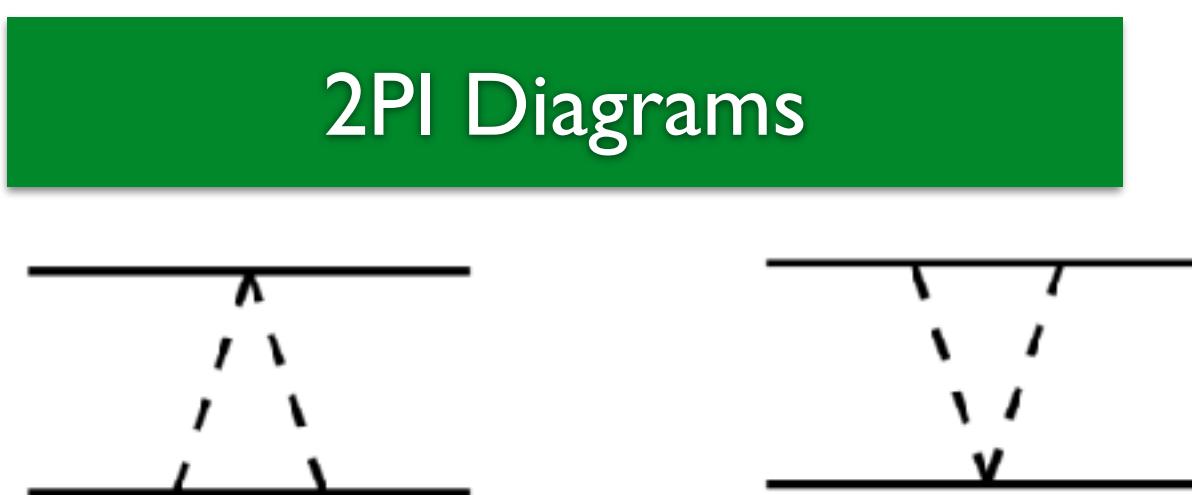
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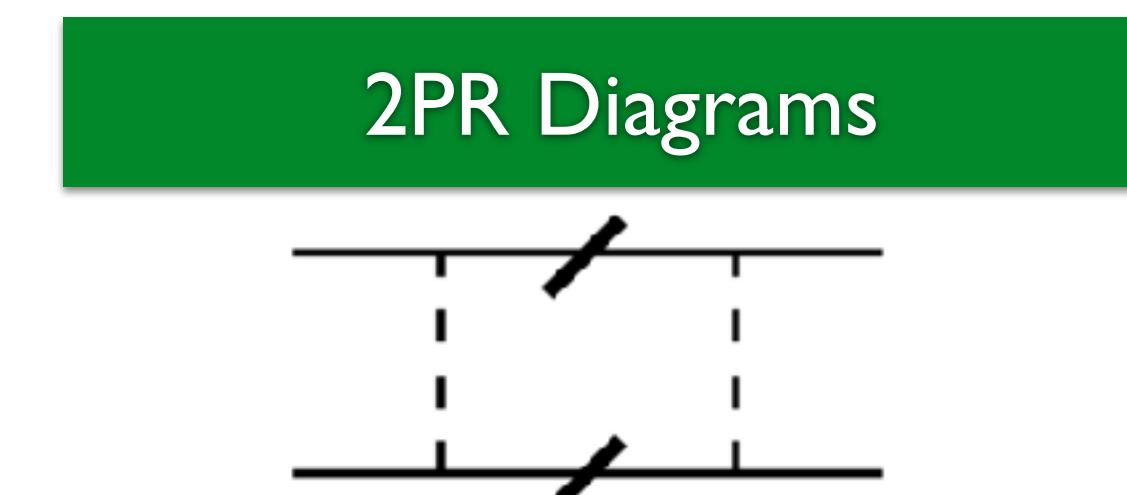
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Nuclear potential from Irre. 2PI only

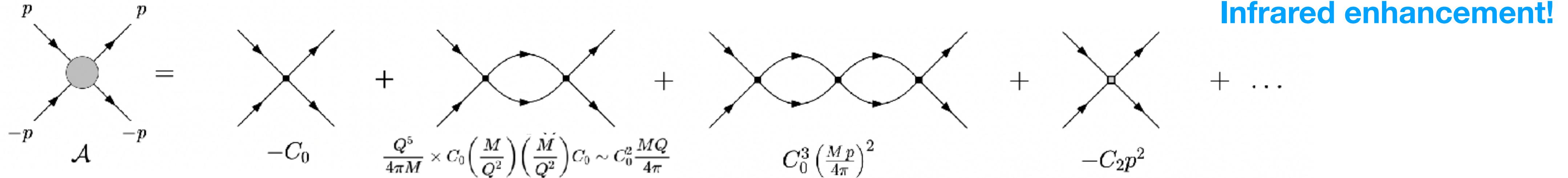


Breakdown in perturbation theory = nuclear bound states

Resumed by Schrodinger equation

# Pionless effective field theory

At low energy, the NN contact interaction shows non-perturbative nature (nuclei bound states)



## Effective Range Expansion

$$\sigma_{tot} \rightarrow 4\pi a^2 \text{ as } p \rightarrow 0.$$

$$A = \frac{4\pi}{M} \frac{1}{p \cot \delta - ip}$$

$$1/m_\pi \approx 1.4 \text{ fm}$$

$$p \cot \delta = -\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{2} r_0 p^2 + \dots = -\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{2} \Lambda^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} r_n \left( \frac{p^2}{\Lambda^2} \right)^n$$

$$a_0 \approx -23.7 \text{ fm}$$

Natural scattering length

$$|a| \lesssim 1/\Lambda$$

Unnatural scattering length

$$|a| \gg 1/\Lambda$$

Weinberg, 1991

Kaplan, Savage, Wise 1998

**Expansion converge** up to  $p \sim \Lambda$

$$A = -\frac{4\pi a}{M} \left[ 1 - iap + \left( \frac{1}{2}ar_0 - a^2 \right) p^2 + O(p^3/\Lambda^3) \right]$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \quad A_n \sim \mathcal{O}(p^n)$$

$$\mathcal{O}(p^0) \quad C_0 \sim 4\pi a/M$$

Irrelevant

**Expansion breaking when**  $p \sim 1/|a|$ , far below  $\Lambda$ . keep  $ap$  to all orders

$$A = -\frac{4\pi}{M} \frac{1}{(1/a + ip)} \left[ 1 + \frac{r_0/2}{(1/a + ip)} p^2 + \frac{(r_0/2)^2}{(1/a + ip)^2} p^4 + \dots \right]$$

$$= A_{-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \quad A_n \sim \mathcal{O}(p^n)$$

$$\mathcal{O}(p^{-1}) \quad C_0 \sim 4\pi/MQ$$

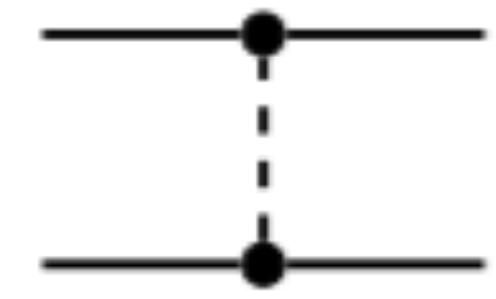
Relevant

# Chiral effective field theory

Weinberg power counting

$$\mu = 2 + 2\ell - r + \sum_i V_i \left( d_i + \frac{1}{2} n_i - 2 \right)$$

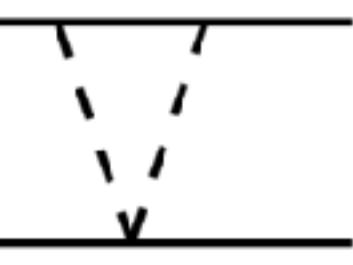
[ Weinberg, 1990 ]



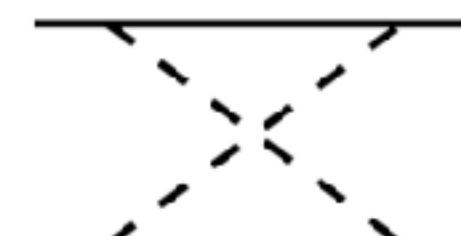
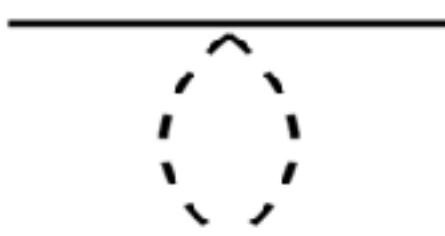
$$\text{Dim} = 2(1-2+2/2) = 0$$

$$V_{1\pi} = -\left(\frac{g_A}{2F_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{q} \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot \vec{q}}{q^2 + M_\pi^2} \vec{\tau}_1 \cdot \vec{\tau}_2 \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

**Irreducible**



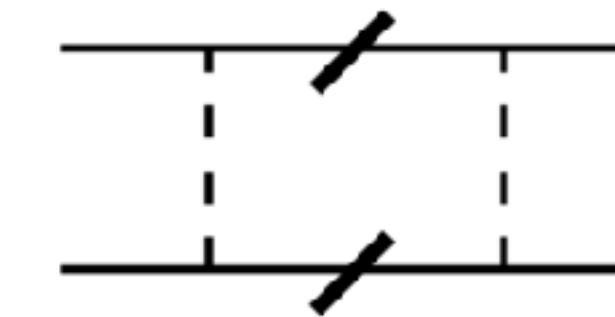
$$\text{Dim} = 2+2-2+2(1-2+2/2) = 2$$



1. calculate nuclear potential from irreducible diagrams

pinch diagrams subtracted

2PR Diagrams



$$\sim \left(\frac{g_A}{F_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{Q}{\Lambda_{NN}} \quad \Lambda_{NN} = \frac{4\pi F_\pi^2}{g_A^2 m_N} \sim f_\pi$$

$$I \sim \int \frac{d^d q}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{q^0 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{-q^0 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q+k)^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q-k)^2 + i\epsilon}$$

nucleon pole

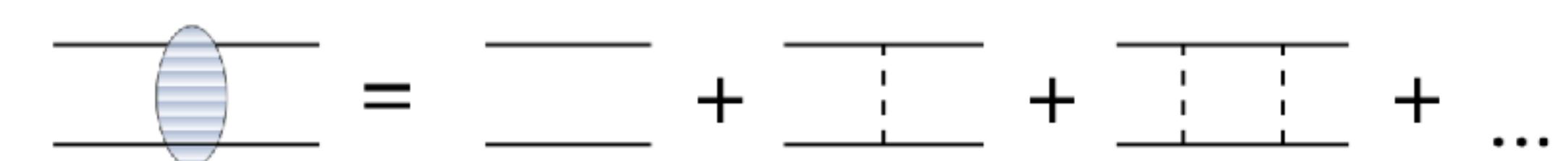
Pinch singularity

$$I \sim \int \frac{d^d q}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{q^0 - \frac{\vec{p}^2 - \vec{q}^2}{2M} - i\epsilon} \frac{1}{-q^0 + \frac{\vec{p}^2 - \vec{q}^2}{2M} + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q+p)^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(q-p)^2 + i\epsilon}$$

$$\frac{Q^3}{16\pi^2} (2\pi) \frac{2M_N}{\vec{p}^2 - \vec{q}^2 + i\epsilon}$$

mN enhancement

$$\frac{g_A^2 Q^2}{f_\pi^2 (Q^2 + m_\pi^2)} \times \frac{m_N Q}{4\pi} \times \frac{g_A^2 Q^2}{f_\pi^2 (Q^2 + m_\pi^2)}$$



2. Truncated nuclear potential is iterated to all order

Solve Schrodinger equation

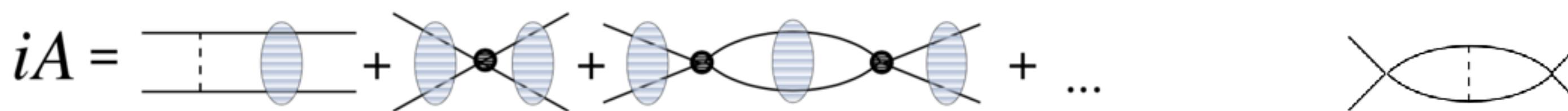
# Power counting schemes

Complicated due to non-perturbative natures and renormalization problems

## Weinberg Scheme

$$V_{\text{Weinberg}}^{\text{LO}} \sim \mathcal{O}(1), \quad V_{\text{Weinberg}}^{\text{NLO}} \sim \mathcal{O}(p^2)$$

[i.e. scaling of  $C_{2n}$  according to NDA ( $\sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ )]



Renormalization problem!

## KSW Scheme

$$V_{\text{KSW}}^{\text{LO}} \sim \mathcal{O}(p^{-1}), \quad V_{\text{KSW}}^{\text{NLO}} \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

[i.e. scaling of  $C_{2n}$  as  $C_{2n} \sim \mathcal{O}(p^{-1-n})$ ]

Pion are perturbative



Converge problem!

## Modified Weinberg

[ Nogga, Timmermans, van Kolck, 2005 ]

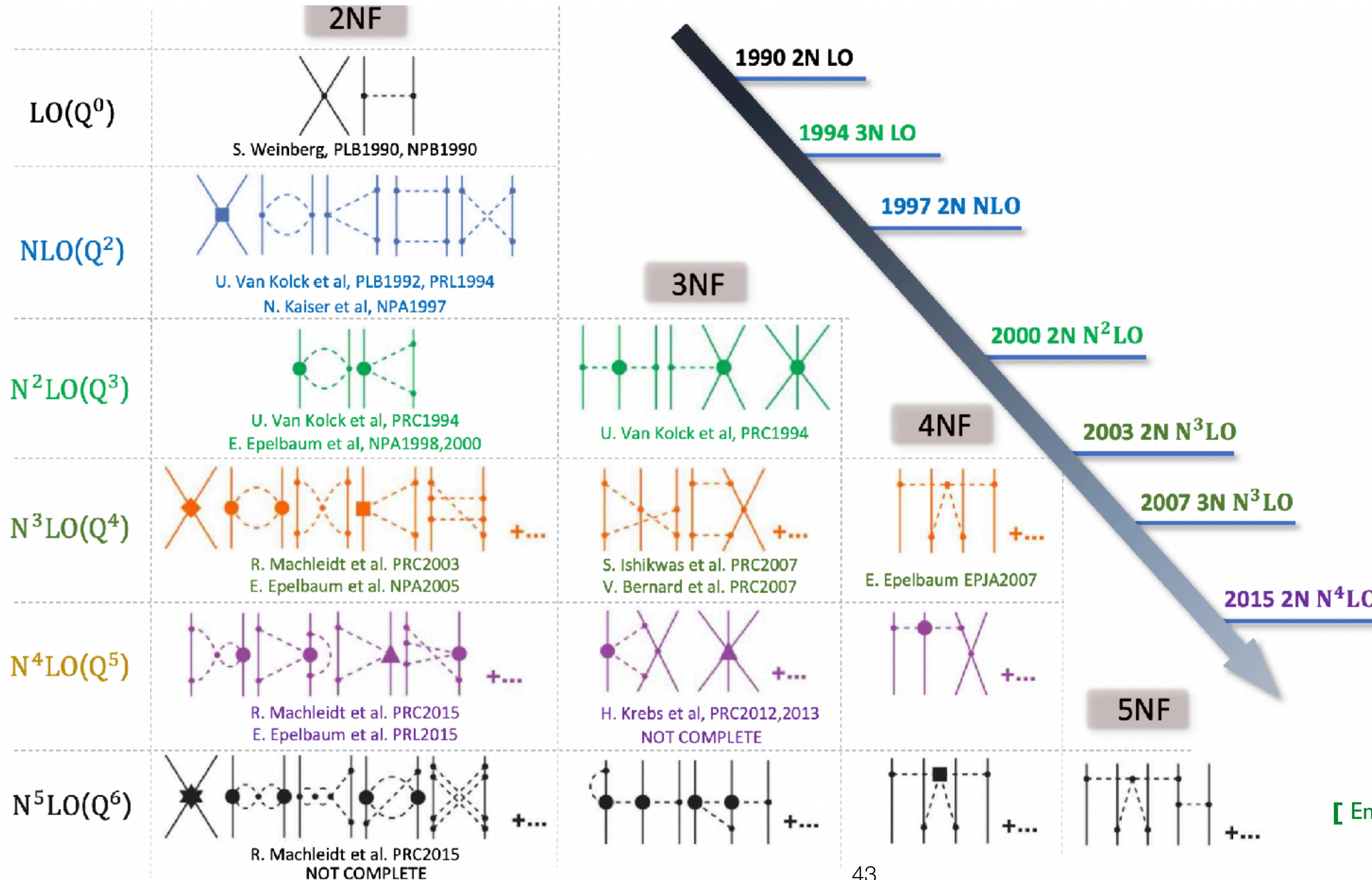
[ Epelbaum, Gegelia, 2012 ]

[ S. Wu, B. W. Long, 2019 ]

$$V_{\text{LO}}^{\text{WPC}}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') = \frac{g_A^2}{4f_\pi^2} \tau_1 \cdot \tau_2 \frac{(\sigma_1 \cdot \mathbf{q})(\sigma_2 \cdot \mathbf{q})}{m_\pi^2 + \mathbf{q}^2} + \tilde{C}_{1S_0} + \tilde{C}_{3S_1} \rightarrow V_{\text{LO}}^{\text{MWPC}}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') = V_{\text{LO}}^{\text{WPC}}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') + (\tilde{C}_{3P_0} + \tilde{C}_{3P_2}) pp'$$

Solve both but why?

# High precision nuclear force



# NN and 3N Operators

Nucleon-nucleon sector

LO

[ Weinberg 1990 ] [ Weinberg 1991 ]

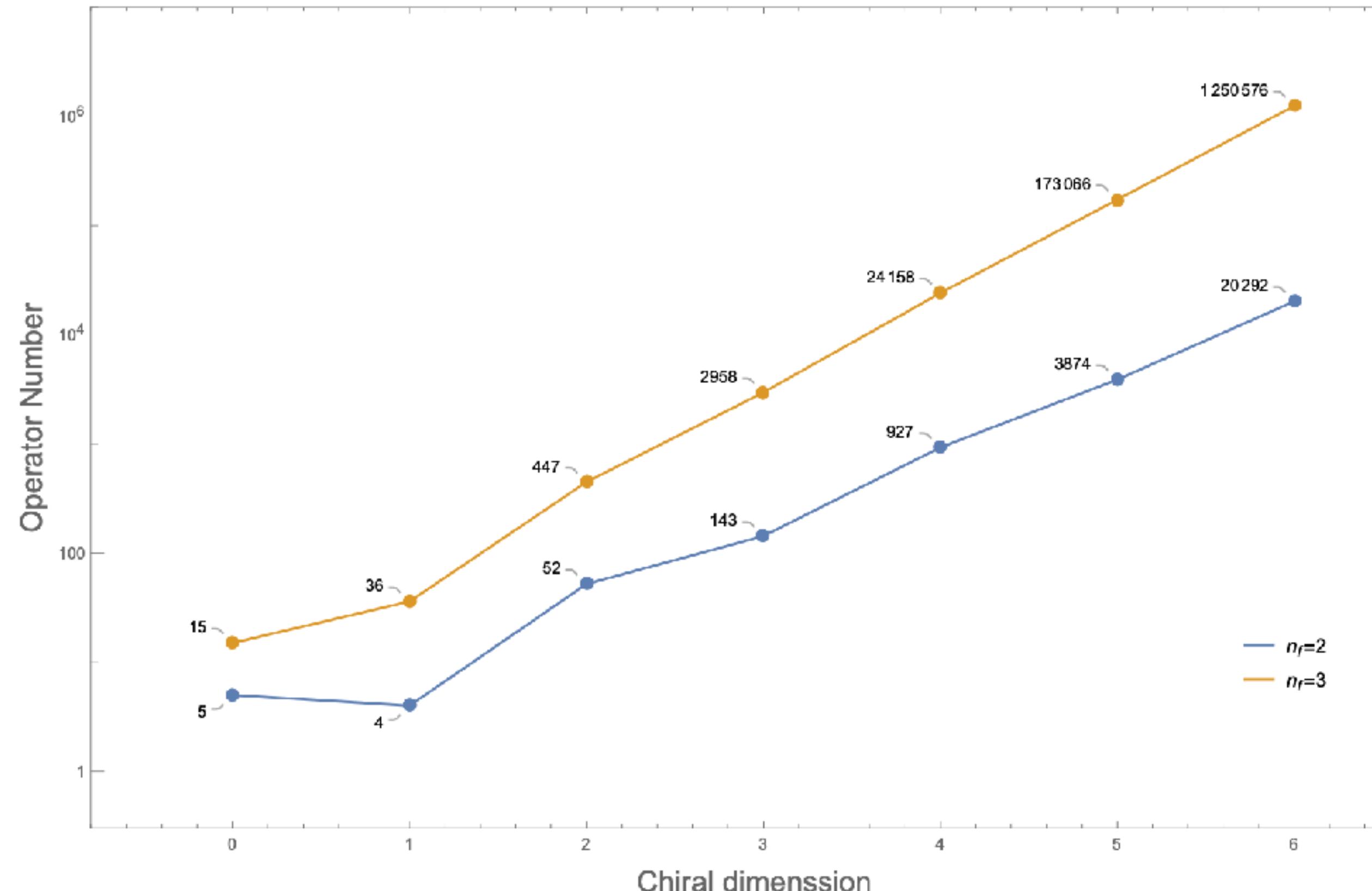
[ van Kolck, Ordóñez, 1992 ]

NLO

[ Girlanda, Pastore, Schiavilla, Viviani, 2010 ]

[ Petschauer, Kaiser, 2013 ] [ Xiao, Geng, Ren, 2019 ]

NNLO



3 nucleon sector

[ Petschauer, Haidenbauer, Kaiser, Meisner, Weise, 2016 ]

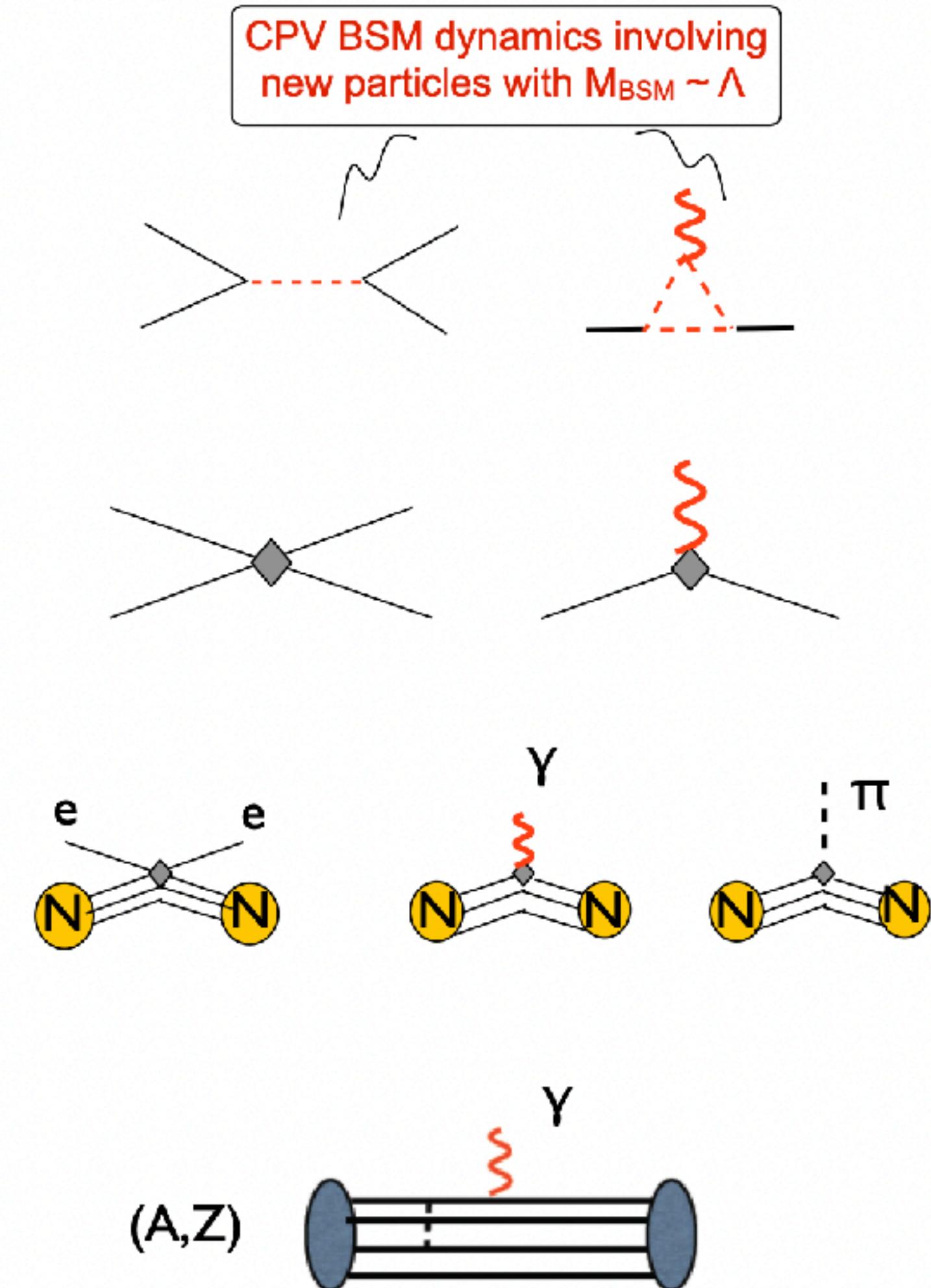
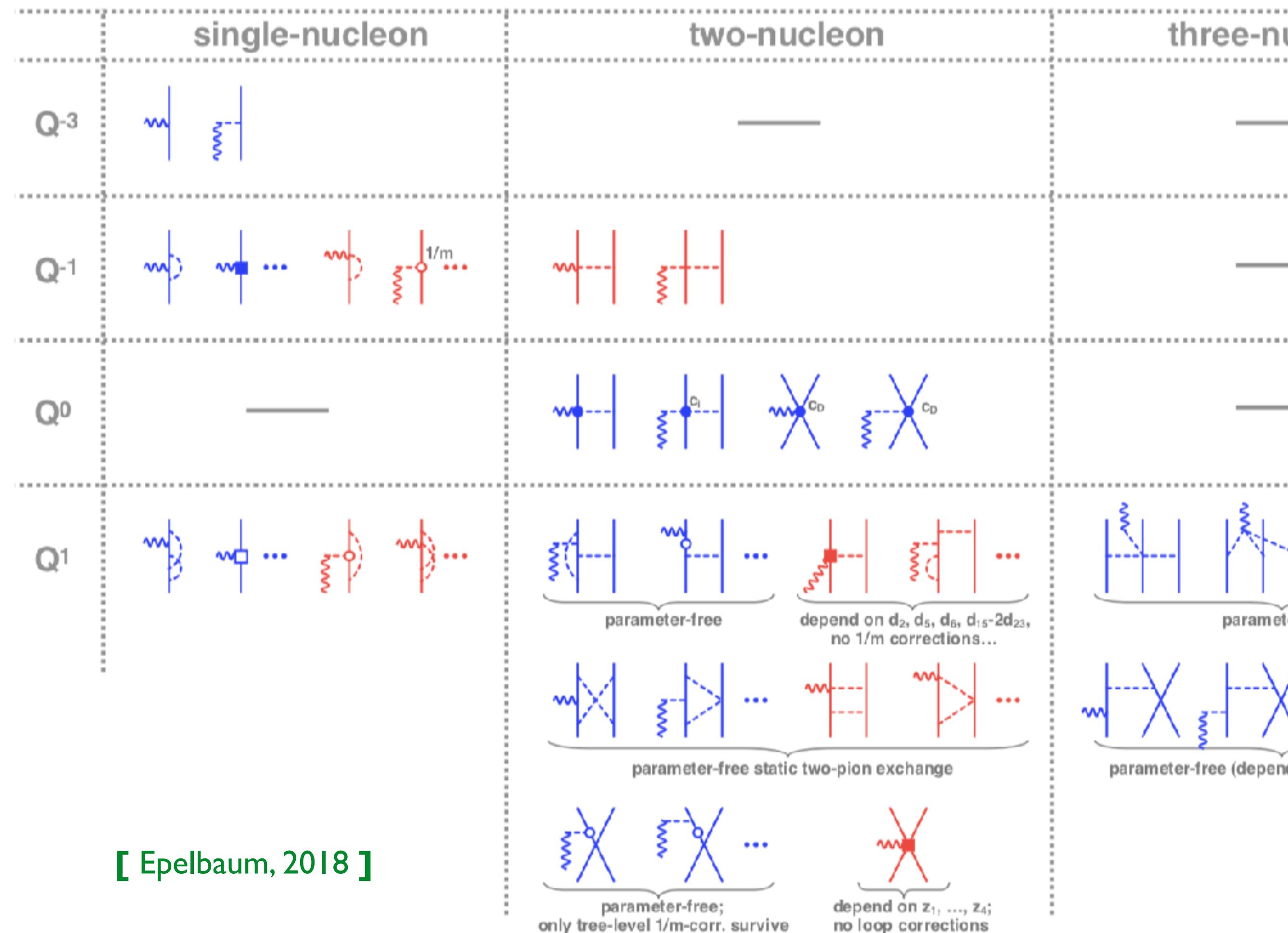
[ Nasoni, Filandri, Girlanda, 2023 ]

In order to obtain the most general contact Lagrangian in flavor SU(3), we follow the same procedure as used for the four-baryon contact terms in Ref. [47]. Generalizing these construction rules straightforwardly to six-baryon contact terms, we end up with a (largely) overcomplete set of terms for the leading covariant Lagrangian:

[ Sun, Wang, Yu, in préparation ]

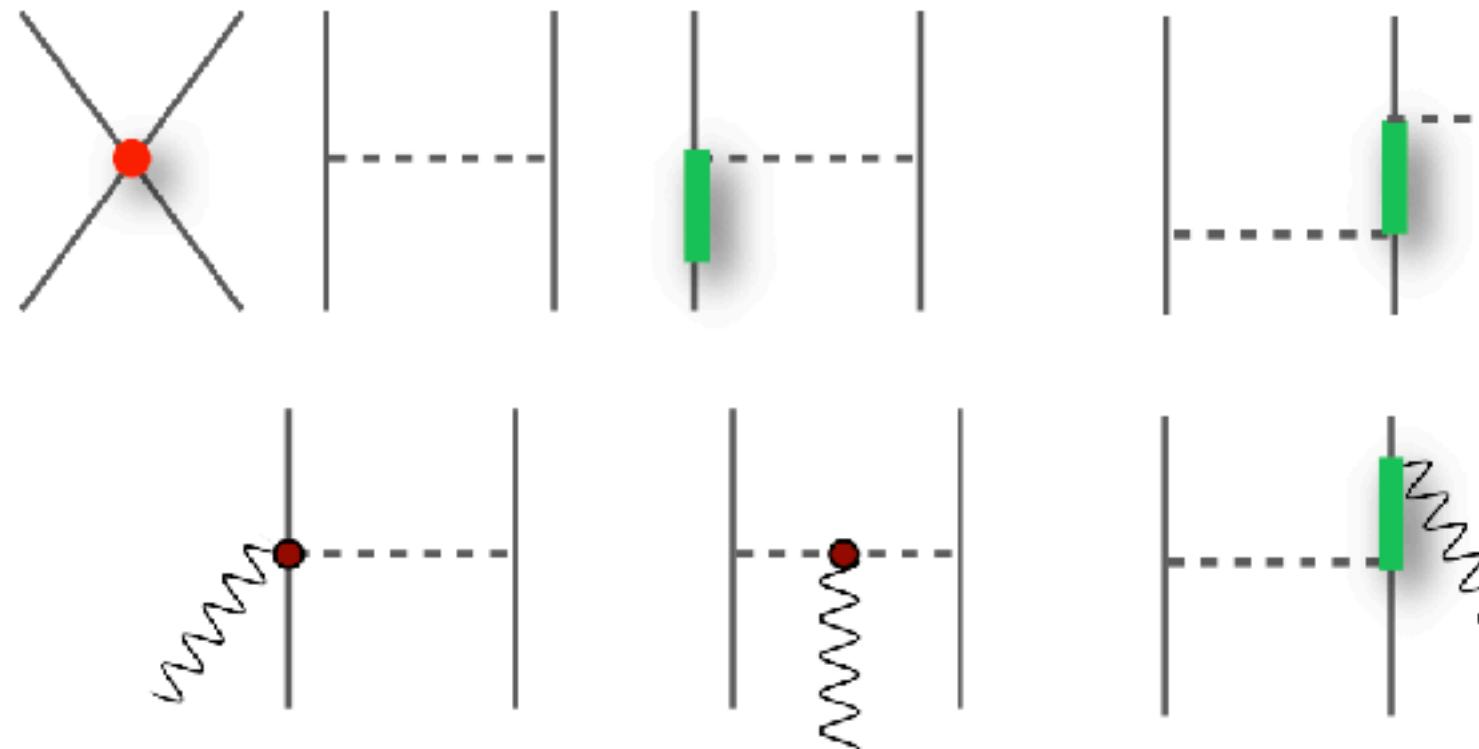
# Nuclear Weak Currents

Explore the nuclear weak currents (EDM,  $0\nu\beta\beta$ , etc) in chiral EFT



# Ab initio nuclear structure

Effective Hamiltonians and consistent currents



Accurate nuclear many-body methods



$$H|\Psi_n\rangle = E_n|\Psi_n\rangle$$

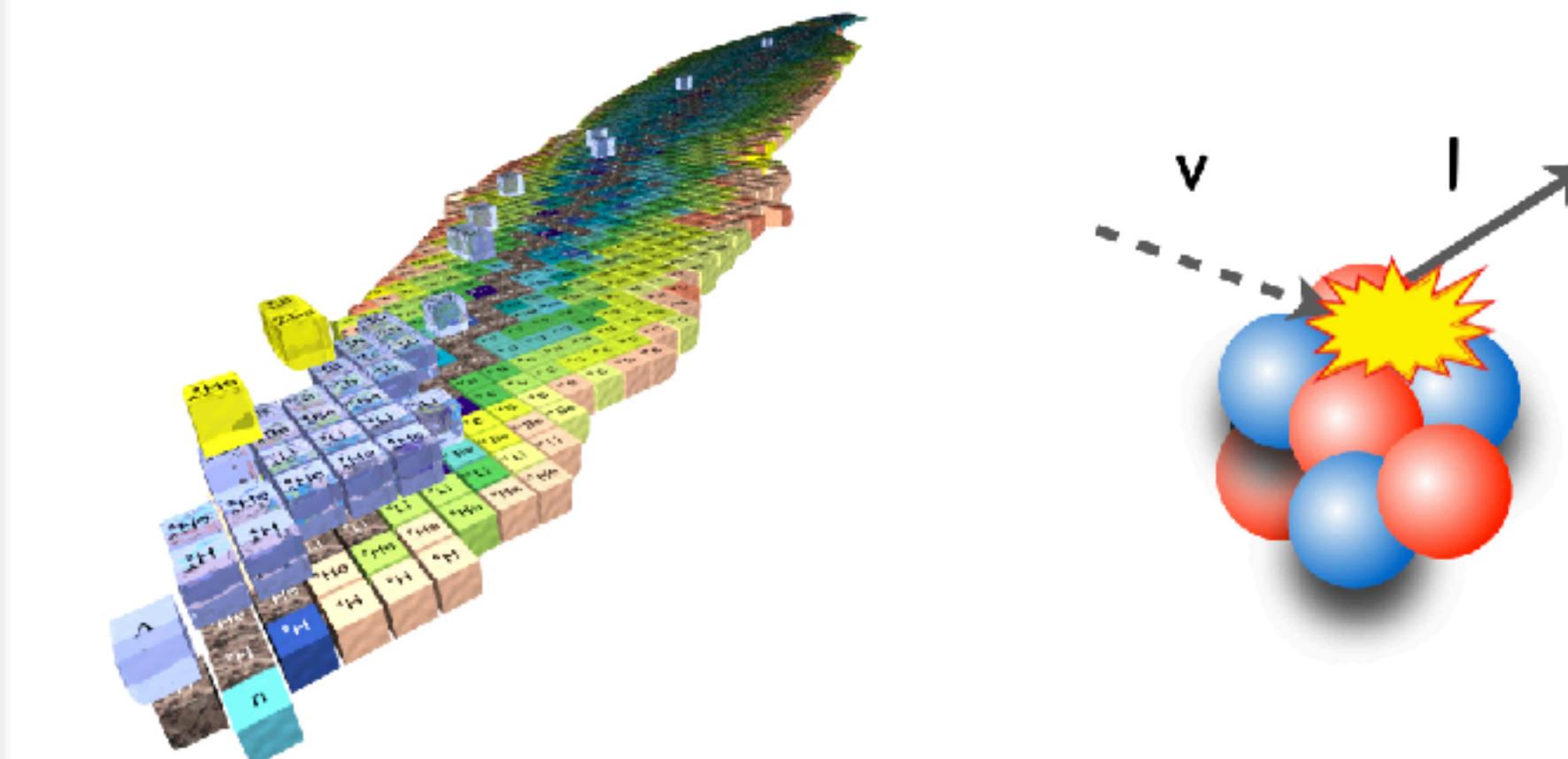
$$J_{mn} = \langle \Psi_m | J | \Psi_n \rangle$$

many-body theory	
exact	QMC, NCSM, ...
approximate	CC, IMSRG, MBPT, SCGF, ...
phenomenological	SM, DFT, ...
renormalization group	
(SRG, Okubo-Lee-Suzuki, ...)	

Quantum Chromodynamics

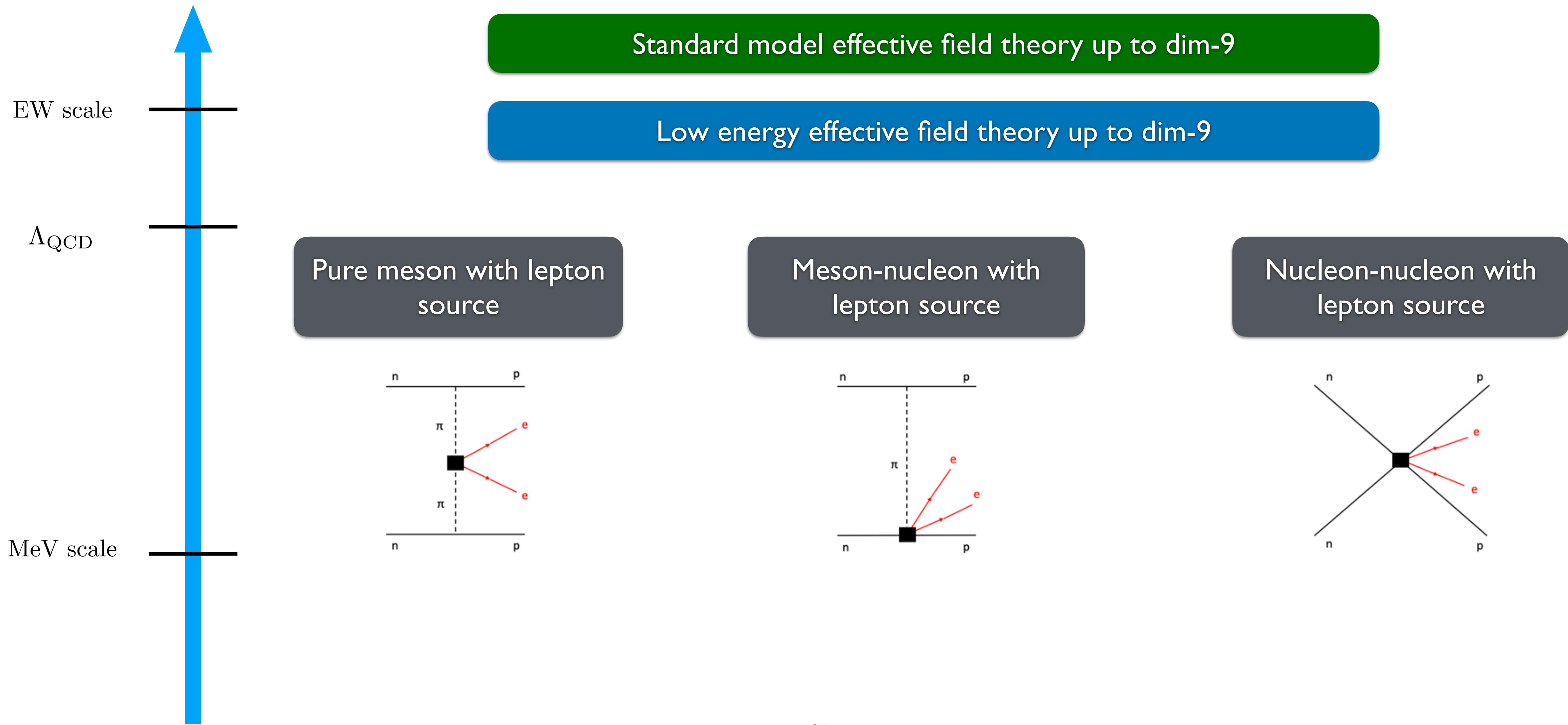


Nuclei and electroweak interactions



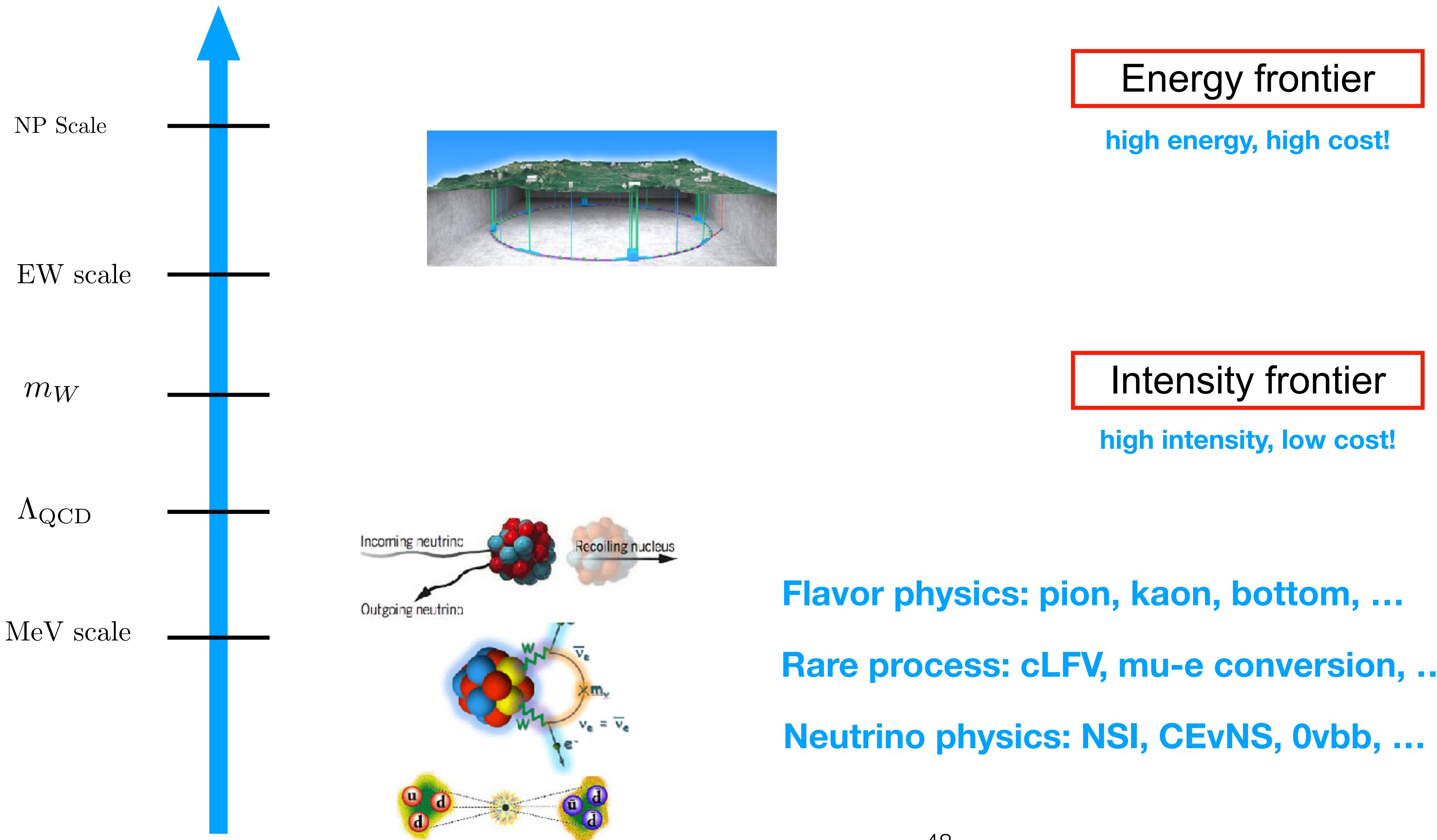
# Neutrinoless double beta decay

Operators at different level



# Low energy probe of high energy physics

weak currents of nuclear processes (intensity frontier)



# Axion Effective Field Theory

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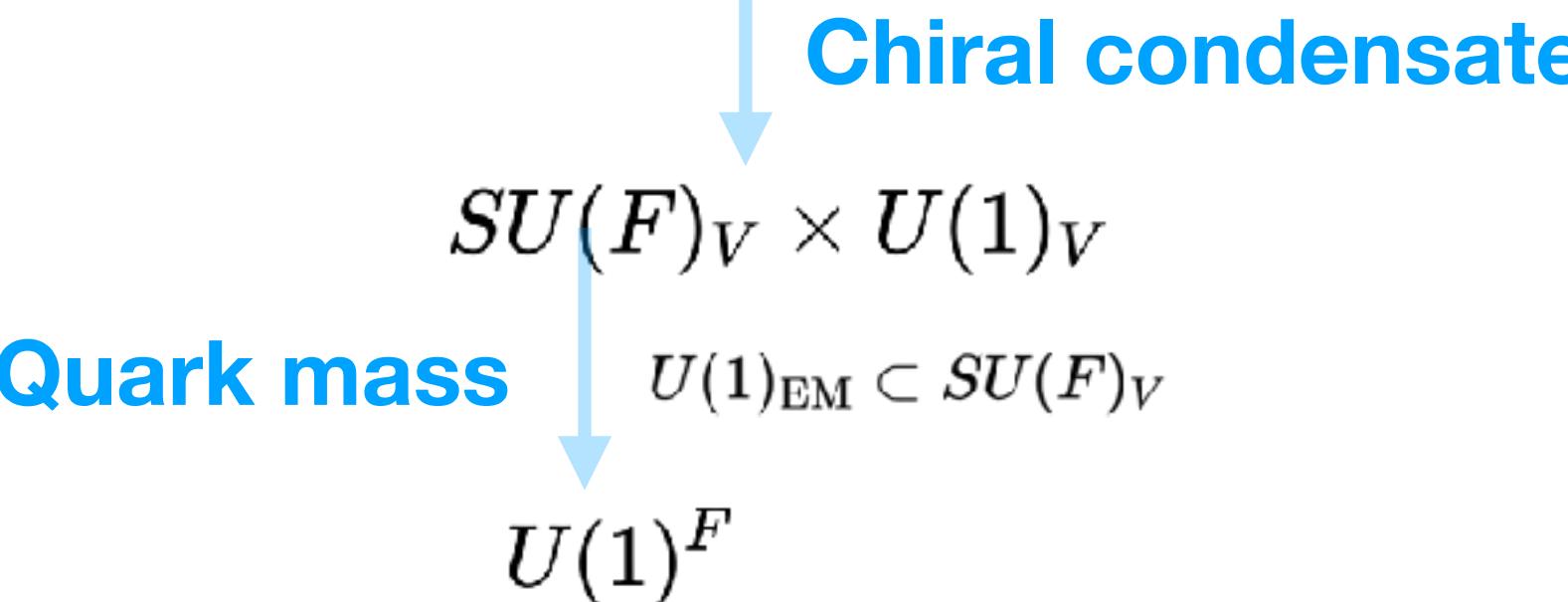
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# U(1)A Problem

Where is the 9th Goldstone boson? Eta-prime?

$$U(F) \times U(F) \equiv SU(F)_V \times SU(F)_A \times U(1)_V \times U(1)_A$$



The U(1) problem

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ABSTRACT

A detailed analysis of the problems associated with the conserved U(1) axial-vector current in quark-gluon models is presented. It is shown that such models involve a light isoscalar pseudoscalar boson, with a mass less than  $\sqrt{3}m_\pi$ . The existence of this boson would produce a strong off-shell variation in the  $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$  matrix element, thus invalidating the usual conclusions about the rate and energy dependence of this decay. Following Kogut and Susskind, it is proposed that the light Goldstone boson is actually a dipole, with positive- and negative-metric parts, which cancel in matrix elements of gluon-gauge-invariant operators but not in operators such as the U(1) current. It is shown that the masses of the observable pseudoscalar bosons and the  $\eta$  decay rate are then just as they would be in a theory without the U(1) symmetry, and in fair agreement with experiment. The application of current algebra to theories with charmed quarks is briefly discussed.

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Under the chiral transformation, path integral measure changes and the Lagrangian becomes

$$\psi \rightarrow e^{i\alpha}\psi, \quad \bar{\psi} \rightarrow e^{i\beta\gamma_5}\bar{\psi} \quad \psi_L \rightarrow e^{i(\alpha-\beta)}\psi_L, \quad \psi_R \rightarrow e^{i(\alpha+\beta)}\psi_R \quad \alpha = 0 \quad \mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L} + \beta \frac{g^2}{32\pi} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_{\alpha\beta}^a$$

## Chiral Anomaly

$$\begin{aligned} & U(1)_{\text{QED}}^2 \times U(1)_{\pi^0} \\ & U(1)_{\text{QED}}^2 \times U(1)_A \quad \partial^\mu J_{A\mu}^a = N_c \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \text{tr} \left( \frac{\sigma^a}{2} Q^2 \right) F^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \\ & U(1)_{\pi^0} \subset SU(F)_A \end{aligned}$$

Total derivative absorbed to current

## U(1)A Anomaly

$$\begin{aligned} & SU(3)_{\text{color}}^2 \times SU(F)_A \\ & SU(3)_{\text{color}}^2 \times U(1)_A \quad \partial^\mu J_{5\mu} = -iN_f \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}^a \end{aligned}$$

Non-vanishing total derivative due to instanton

# Instanton and 't Hooft Lagrangian

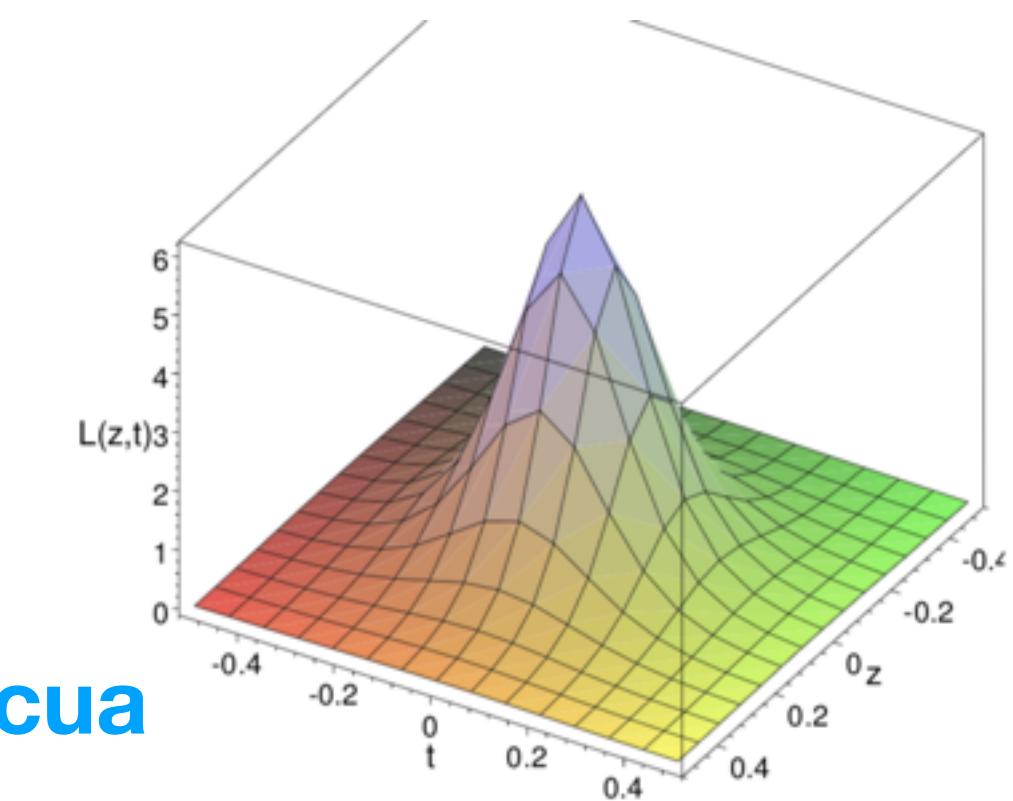
Under the QCD vacuum  $|\theta\rangle = e^{-in\theta}|n\rangle$  the Lagrangian becomes

$$\mathcal{L}_{A,\psi} = -\frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} + \bar{\psi}_i(iD - M_{ij})\psi_j + \theta \frac{g^2}{32\pi^2} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{a\mu\nu}$$

What is an instanton?

**Configuration localized in Euclidean space and time**

**Tunnelling between different vacua**



Integrating out instanton induces the following fermion path integral

$$\int DA^{(\nu)} D\psi D\bar{\psi} [\exp(-S_{A,\psi} - J\bar{\psi}\psi)] \Leftrightarrow e^{-8\pi^2/g^2} \int D\psi D\bar{\psi} [\exp(-S_{0,\psi} - J\bar{\psi}\psi)] \cdot \det[\bar{\psi}_R(x)\psi_L(x)]$$

**Fermion integral in an instanton bg**

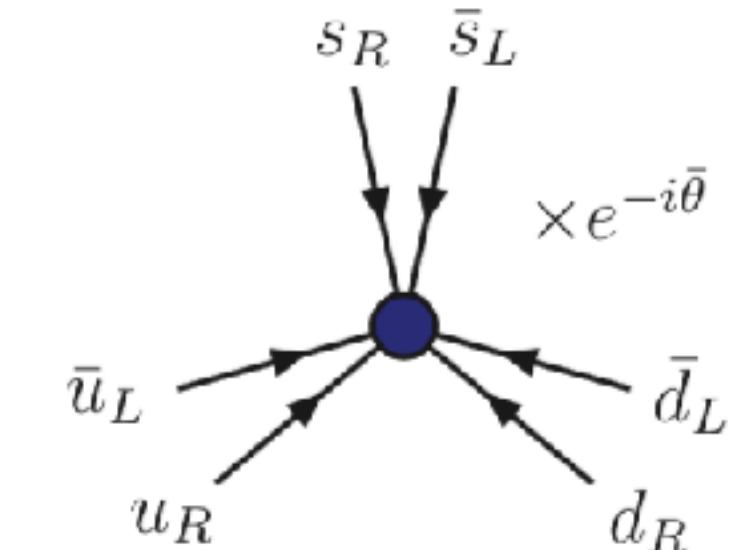
**Fermion integral without gauge bg, but determinant**

Sum over all (anti-)instantons, obtain the 't Hooft effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \kappa [e^{i\theta} \det \psi_L(x) \bar{\psi}_R(x) + e^{-i\theta} \det \psi_R(x) \bar{\psi}_L(x)]$$

$$\psi_L \rightarrow e^{+i\beta} \psi_L, \quad \psi_R \rightarrow e^{-i\beta} \psi_R$$

$$\theta \rightarrow \theta + 2N_f\beta$$



# Spurion Transformation

The U(1)A relevant Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} \supset -\sum_{j=1}^{N_f} \bar{\psi}_j m_j e^{i\alpha_j \gamma^5} \psi_j + \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \theta \text{tr} F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$$
$$\bar{\psi}_i (m_i e^{i\alpha_i \gamma^5}) \psi_i = \bar{\psi}_{iR} (m_i e^{-i\alpha_i}) \psi_{iL} + \bar{\psi}_{iL} (m_i e^{i\alpha_i}) \psi_{iR}$$

Chiral transformation

$$\begin{aligned}\psi &\rightarrow e^{i\beta\gamma_5} \psi & \psi_L &\rightarrow e^{+i\beta} \psi_L \\ \bar{\psi} &\rightarrow \bar{\psi} e^{i\beta\gamma_5} & \psi_R &\rightarrow e^{-i\beta} \psi_R\end{aligned}$$



Spurion transformation

$$\begin{aligned}m_j e^{i\alpha_j \gamma^5} &\rightarrow m_j e^{i(\alpha_j - 2\beta)\gamma^5} \\ \theta &\rightarrow \theta - 2N_f \beta\end{aligned}$$

Choose the phase  $\beta = \alpha/2$  making the Dirac mass phase real, obtain the rephasing invariant

$$\theta \rightarrow \theta + \sum_i \alpha_i = \theta + \text{Arg det } M \equiv \bar{\theta}$$

If  $\arg \det M = 0$ ,  $\theta$  phase can always be rotated away

Massless u quark

Theta phase induces physical effects!

# Chiral Lagrangian

Chiral Lagrangian for  $SU(3)L \times SU(3)R \times U(1)A$ , invariant under spurion transformation

$$\theta \rightarrow \theta + 2N_f\alpha$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \text{Tr}[(\partial_\mu U)^\dagger \partial^\mu U] + a\Lambda f_\pi^2 (\text{Tr}[M_Q U] + \text{h.c.}) + b\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 (e^{i\theta} \det U + \text{h.c.})$$

$$U(x) \equiv e^{i\eta'} e^{i\pi^a T^a}$$

$$-2b\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \cos(\theta - N_f\eta') \xrightarrow{\quad} \eta' = \frac{\theta + 2k\pi}{N_f}$$

$$U(x) \simeq e^{i\frac{\theta}{N_f}} e^{i\pi^a T^a}$$

$$M_Q = e^{i\theta_q} m_q$$

$$V_\pi = -a\Lambda f_\pi^2 e^{i\bar{\theta}/N_f} \text{Tr}(m_q e^{i\pi^a T^a}) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$-2a\Lambda f_\pi^2 \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} m_i \cos\left(\frac{\bar{\theta}}{N_f} + t_i^j \pi^j\right)$$

$$V_2 = -2a\Lambda f_\pi^2 \left[ m_u \cos\left(\frac{\bar{\theta}}{2} + \pi^0\right) + m_d \cos\left(\frac{\bar{\theta}}{2} - \pi^0\right) \right]$$

$$V_{\min} = -2|a|\Lambda f_\pi^2 \sqrt{m_u^2 + m_d^2 + 2m_u m_d \cos \bar{\theta}}$$

# EDM in Chiral Lagrangian

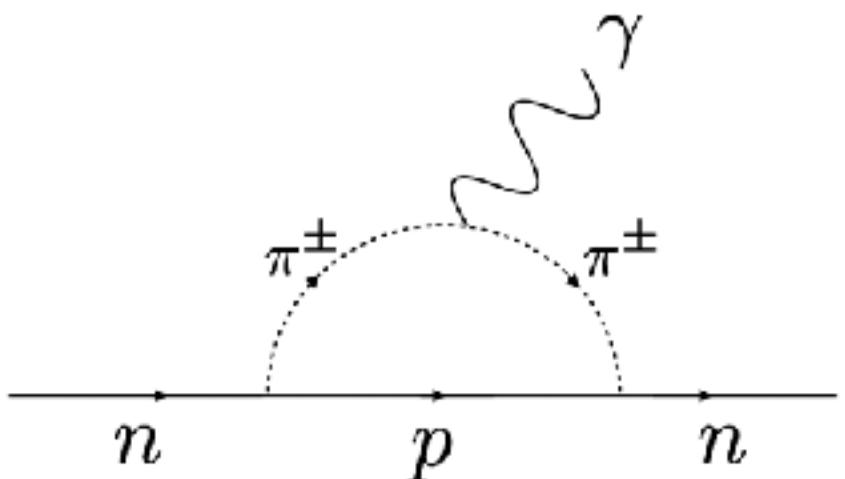
## Pion-Nucleon Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = -m_N N U^\dagger N^c - c_1 N M N^c - c_2 N U^\dagger M^\dagger U^\dagger N^c - \frac{i}{2}(g_A - 1) [N^\dagger \sigma^\mu U \partial_\mu U^\dagger N + N^{c,\dagger} \sigma^\mu U^\dagger \partial_\mu U N^c]$$



**CP-violating**

$$\mathcal{L} = -\bar{\theta} \frac{c_+ \mu}{f_\pi} \pi^a N \tau^a N^c - i \frac{g_A m_N}{f_\pi} \pi^a N \tau^a N^c, \quad \mu = \frac{m_u m_d}{m_u + m_d}. \quad c_+ = c_1 + c_2 \approx 1.7$$



$$\approx \frac{e \bar{\theta} g_A c_+ \mu \log \frac{\Lambda^2}{m_\pi^2}}{4\pi^2 f_\pi^2} \epsilon_\mu^*(q) \bar{u}(p') \gamma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu i\gamma_5 u(p)$$

$$d_n = \frac{e \bar{\theta} g_A c_+ \mu}{8\pi^2 f_\pi^2} \log \frac{\Lambda^2}{m_\pi^2} \sim 3 \times 10^{-16} \bar{\theta} \text{ e cm.}$$

Massless up quark

Axion

P/CP symmetry

rotate away theta

$$q \rightarrow e^{i\gamma_5 \alpha} q \rightarrow \begin{cases} \theta_q \rightarrow \theta_q + 2\alpha \\ \theta \rightarrow \theta + 2\alpha \end{cases}$$

$\eta'$  is the axion

Ruled out!

IR:

$\theta$  is relaxed in the infrared.  
Peccei-Quinn (axion),  
 $m_u=0$  (eta prime)\*  
sensitive to UV symmetry-breaking

UV:

$\theta=0$  is a BC assoc. P/CP.  
Preserved in IR via  $\beta_\theta \ll 1$  in SM  
Nelson-Barr, Parity models  
little IR trace  
sensitive to new BSM phases,  
how P/CP are broken

# PQ Symmetry and Axion

The U(1)A symmetry for chiral quarks

$$\partial^\mu J_{5\mu} = -iN_f \frac{g^2}{16\pi^2} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}^a$$

Induces Theta phase and eta-prime

Theta becomes dynamical dof by introducing additional U(1)PQ

**U(1)PQ axion particle**

**1. Goldstone of global U(1)PQ breaking**

**2. U(1)PQ are anomalous under QCD**

$$\partial^\mu J_\mu^{\text{PQ}} = N_{\text{PQ}} \frac{g_s^2}{16\pi^2} G\tilde{G} + E_{\text{PQ}} \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} F\tilde{F}$$

Under PQ symmetry, again the spurion analysis

$$a \rightarrow a + \varphi f_a, \quad \theta \rightarrow \theta - N_{\text{PQ}} \varphi$$

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \left( N_{\text{PQ}} \frac{a}{f_a} + \theta \right) \frac{1}{16\pi^2} G\tilde{G}$$



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## A New Light Boson?

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It is pointed out that a global U(1) symmetry, that has been introduced in order to preserve the parity and time-reversal invariance of strong interactions despite the effects of instantons, would lead to a neutral pseudoscalar boson, the "axion," with mass roughly of order 100 keV to 1 MeV. Experimental implications are discussed.

# KSVZ and DFSZ Axion

Consider UV setup, the PQ transformation with the spurion

**KSVZ: SM are PQ neutral**

$$\sigma \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} \sigma$$

$$(Q, Q^c) \rightarrow e^{-i\alpha/2} (Q, Q^c)$$

**DFSZ: SM are PQ charged**

$$\sigma \rightarrow e^{i\alpha} \sigma$$

$$H_{u,d} \rightarrow e^{-i\alpha} H_{u,d}$$

$$\psi_{\text{SM}} \rightarrow e^{i\alpha/2} \psi_{\text{SM}}$$

**Spurion transformation**

$$a \rightarrow a + \alpha f_a$$

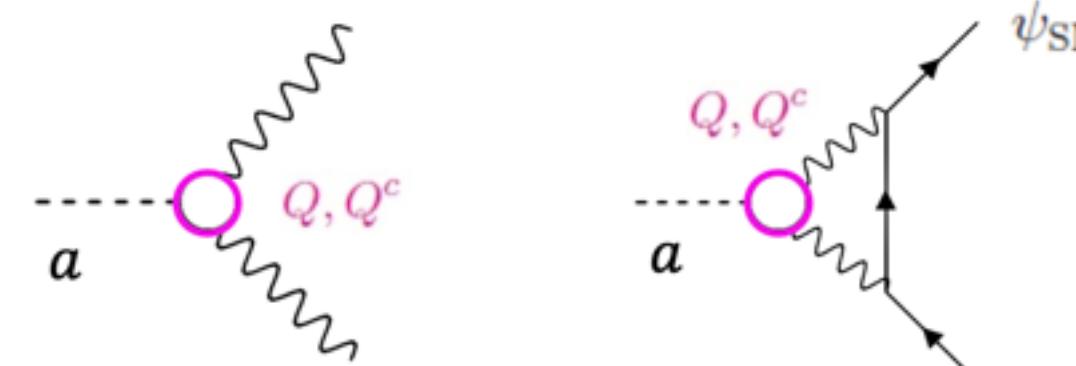
$$\theta \rightarrow \theta - N_{PQ} \alpha$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{KSVZ}} \supset -m_Q \bar{Q}_L Q_R e^{ia/v_a} + \text{h.c.}$$

$$Q_L \rightarrow e^{i\frac{a}{2v_a}} Q_L, \quad Q_R \rightarrow e^{-i\frac{a}{2v_a}} Q_R$$

$$\delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{KSVZ}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} \frac{a}{f_a} G\tilde{G} + \frac{\alpha}{8\pi} \frac{E}{N} \frac{a}{f_a} F\tilde{F}$$

**Integrate out Q  
No kinetic term**



$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{DFSZ-I}} \supset -m_U \bar{u}_L u_R e^{i\mathcal{X}_{H_u} \frac{a}{v_a}} - m_D \bar{d}_L d_R e^{i\mathcal{X}_{H_d} \frac{a}{v_a}} - m_E \bar{e}_L e_R e^{i\mathcal{X}_{H_d} \frac{a}{v_a}} + \text{h.c.}$$

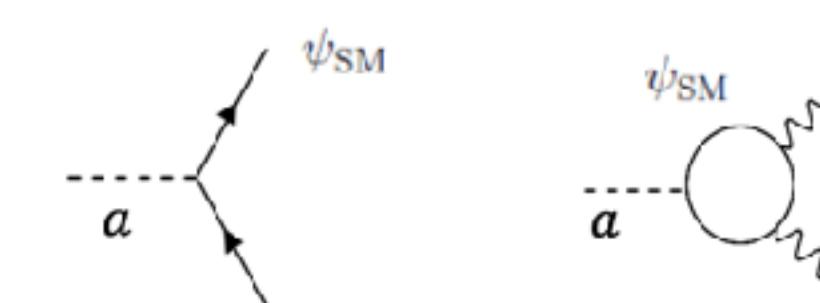
$$u \rightarrow e^{-i\gamma_5 \mathcal{X}_{H_u} \frac{a}{2v_a}} u, \quad d \rightarrow e^{-i\gamma_5 \mathcal{X}_{H_d} \frac{a}{2v_a}} d, \quad e \rightarrow e^{-i\gamma_5 \mathcal{X}_{H_d} \frac{a}{2v_a}} e$$

$$\delta \mathcal{L}_{\text{DFSZ-I}} = \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} \frac{a}{f_a} G\tilde{G} + \frac{\alpha}{8\pi} \left( \frac{E}{N} \right) \frac{a}{f_a} F\tilde{F}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(\bar{u} i \partial u) &= \mathcal{X}_{H_u} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2v_a} \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 u \\ \delta(\bar{d} i \partial d) &= \mathcal{X}_{H_d} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2v_a} \bar{d} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 d \end{aligned}$$

**With shift symmetry**

$$\frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \bar{q} c_q^0 \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 q$$

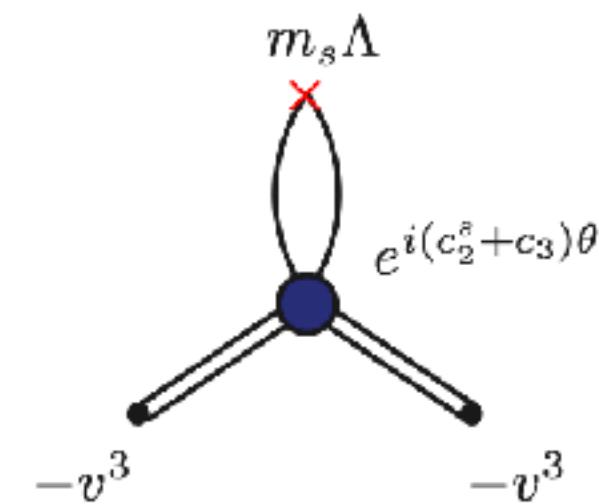
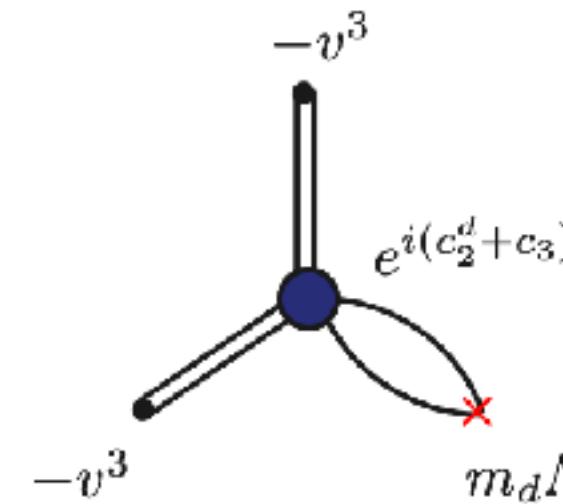
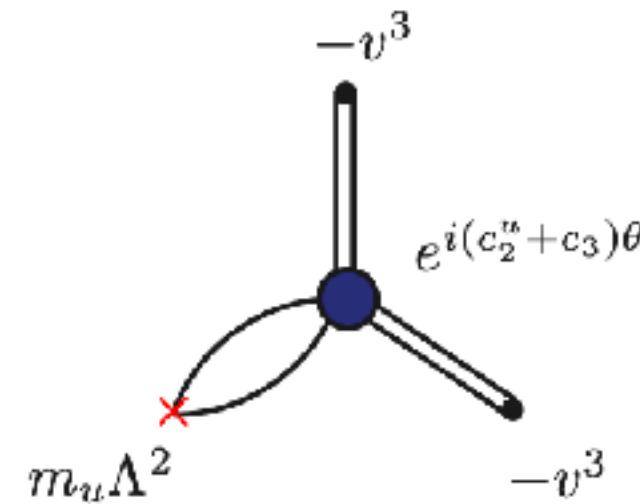
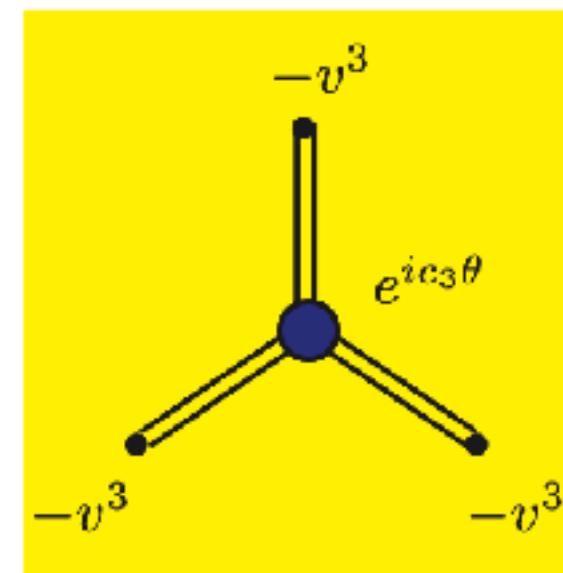
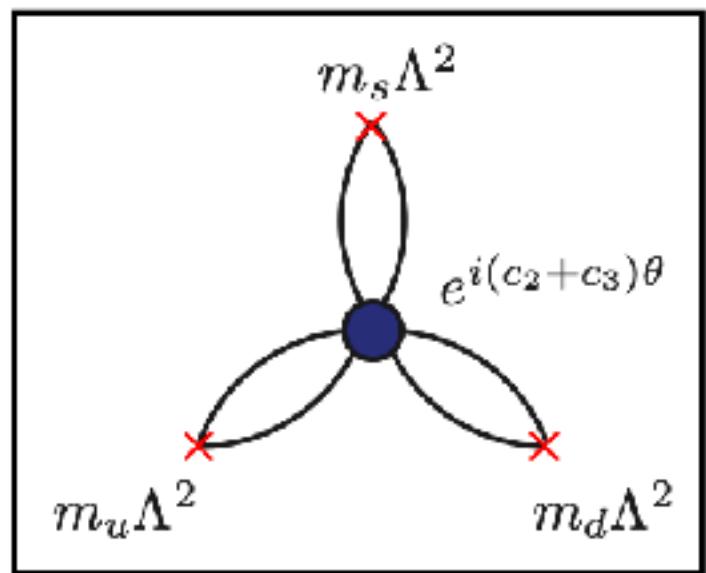


# Instanton Analysis

Below scale  $f$ , take Georgi-Kaplan-Randall basis (only axion transform under  $U(1)PQ$ , other invariant)

$$\frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu a\partial^\mu a + \frac{\partial_\mu a}{f_a} \left[ i c_\phi (\phi^* D^\mu \phi - \phi D^\mu \phi^*) + c_\psi \bar{\psi} \bar{\sigma}^\mu \psi \right] + c_A \frac{g_A^2}{32\pi^2} \frac{a(x)}{f_a} F^{A\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}^A, \quad F_{\mu\nu}^A = (G_{\mu\nu}^\alpha, W_{\mu\nu}^i, B_{\mu\nu})$$

Instanton diagrams, where  $a$  is a spurion of the theta parameter



$$+ \mathcal{O}(m^2 \Lambda^4 v^3) \times e^{-i\bar{\theta} - N_{PQ} a/f}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{det}} = -2^{-1} i c_3 \theta (-1)^{N_f} \frac{e^{-i c_3 \theta}}{K^{3N_f-4}} \text{Det}(q_R \bar{q}_L) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{det}} = (-1)^{N_f} K^{-5} \left( \langle \bar{u}_L u_R \rangle \langle \bar{d}_L d_R \rangle \langle \bar{s}_L s_R \rangle e^{i(2\theta_{\eta'} - c_3 \theta)} + \dots + \text{flavor singlet constraint} \right) + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = -m_u \langle \bar{u}_L u_R \rangle e^{i[(\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'}) + c_2^u \theta]} - m_d \langle \bar{d}_L d_R \rangle e^{i[(-\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'}) + c_2^d \theta]} + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V = & m_u v^3 \cos(\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'}) + m_d v^3 \cos(-\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'}) + \frac{v^9}{K^5} \cos(2\theta_{\eta'} - (c_2^u + c_2^d + c_3)\theta) \\ & + m_u \frac{\Lambda_u^2 v^6}{K^5} \cos(-\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'} - (c_2^u + c_2^d + c_3)\theta) + m_d \frac{\Lambda_d^2 v^6}{K^5} \cos(\theta_\pi + \theta_{\eta'} - (c_2^u + c_2^d + c_3)\theta). \end{aligned}$$

# Chiral Lagrangian with Axion

Chiral Lagrangian for  $SU(3)L \times SU(3)R \times U(1)A$  again + axion currents

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \text{Tr}[(\partial_\mu U)^\dagger \partial^\mu U] + a\Lambda f_\pi^2 (\text{Tr}[M_Q U] + \text{h.c.}) + b\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \left( e^{i\theta + iN_{PQ}a/f} \det U + \text{h.c.} \right) + \frac{\partial^\mu a}{2f_a} \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[c_q \sigma^a] J_\mu^a$$

$$J_\mu^a = \frac{i}{2} f_\pi^2 \text{Tr}[\sigma^a (UD_\mu U^\dagger - U^\dagger D_\mu U)]$$

$$V_k(\eta', a, \pi^j) = -2\alpha\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} \frac{m_i}{\Lambda} \cos(\eta' + \theta_q + t_i^j \pi^j) - 2b\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \cos(\theta - N_f \eta' + N_{PQ}a)$$

$$V_a = -2\alpha\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \sum_{i=1}^F \frac{m_i}{\Lambda} \cos\left(\frac{\bar{\theta} + aN_{PQ}}{N_f} + t_i^j \pi^j\right)$$

$$\eta' = \frac{\theta + N_{PQ} a}{N_f}$$

$$\langle a \rangle = -\frac{\bar{\theta}}{N_{PQ}}, \quad \langle \pi^i \rangle = 0 \quad a\Lambda^2 f_\pi^2 \sum_{i=1}^F \frac{m_i}{\Lambda} \left( \frac{aN_{PQ}}{F} + t_i^j \pi^j \right)^2$$

$$V(a) = -m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_u m_d}{(m_u + m_d)^2} \sin^2\left(\frac{a}{2f_a}\right)} \longrightarrow m_a^2 = 2\alpha\Lambda N_{PQ}^2 \frac{f_\pi^2}{f_a^2} \frac{m_u m_d}{m_u + m_d} = N_{PQ}^2 m_\pi^2 \frac{f_\pi^2}{f_a^2} \frac{m_u m_d}{(m_u + m_d)^2}$$

Depending on quark mass

# Axion EFT Operators

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## Adler zero conditions for axion

$$\mathcal{A}_3[aVV] = C_{aVV} \frac{i}{f_a} (\langle \mathbf{12} \rangle^2 - [\mathbf{12}]^2)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_3[aff\bar{f}] = C_{aff} \frac{im_f}{f_a} (\langle \mathbf{12} \rangle - [\mathbf{12}])$$

$(\mathbf{1}^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mathbf{2}^{\frac{1}{2}}, \mathbf{3}^0)$	$\langle \mathbf{12} \rangle$	$[\mathbf{12}]$
$(-\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}, 0)$	$\langle \mathbf{12} \rangle$	-
$(+\frac{1}{2}, +\frac{1}{2}, 0)$	-	$[\mathbf{12}]$

**Parity:**  $c_1 (\langle \mathbf{12} \rangle - [\mathbf{12}])$

$$c_1 \frac{m_f}{gv} \partial_\mu \phi \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \psi$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = -\frac{g_{\phi\gamma}}{4} \phi F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu} + \frac{g_{\phi N}}{2m_N} \partial_\mu \phi (\bar{N} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 N) + \frac{g_{\phi e}}{2m_e} \partial_\mu \phi (\bar{e} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 e) - \frac{i}{2} g_d \phi \bar{N} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 N F^{\mu\nu}$$

Class	Type	Real	F	Axion	Majoron
$F_L^2 \phi$	$B_L^2 s$	$s B_{L\mu\nu} B_L^{\mu\nu}$		✓	
	$W_L^2 s$	$s W_L^I{}_{\mu\nu} W_L^{I\mu\nu}$		✓	
	$G_L^2 s$	$s G_L^A{}_{\mu\nu} G_L^{A\mu\nu}$		✓	
$\psi^2 \phi^2$	$e_c H^\dagger L s$	$s H^{\dagger i} (e_{cp} L_{ri})$		✓	
	$d_c H^\dagger Q s$	$s H^{\dagger i} (d_{cp}^a Q_{rai})$		✓	
	$H Q u_c s$	$\epsilon^{ij} s H_j (Q_{pa_i} u_{cr}^a)$		✓	
$D^2 \phi^4$	$D^2 H H^\dagger s^2$	$(D_\mu s)(D^\mu s) H_i H^{\dagger i}$		✓	
$D F_L \phi \psi \bar{\psi}$	$D B_L u_c u_c^\dagger s$	$(D_\nu s) B_L^{\mu\nu} (u_{cp}^a \sigma_\mu u_{cr}^\dagger)$		✓	
	$D B_L Q Q^\dagger s$	$(D_\nu s) B_L^{\mu\nu} (Q_{pa_i} \sigma_\mu Q_r^\dagger)$		✓	
$D d_c L^2 u_c^\dagger s$	$\epsilon^{ij} (D^\mu s) (d_{cp}^a L_{ri}) (L_{sj} \sigma_\mu u_{ct}^\dagger)$	$\mathcal{Y}^{[r s]}$		✓	✓

## Axion - Nucleon chiral Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_N = \bar{N} v^\mu \partial_\mu N + 2g_A \frac{c_u - c_d}{2} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \bar{N} S^\mu \sigma^3 N + 2g_0^{ud} \frac{c_u + c_d}{2} \frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \bar{N} S^\mu N + \dots$$

## Majoron, Goldstone for LNV, leading order at dim-8

# Explicit PQ Breaking

Axion becomes pseudo-Goldstone due to explicit PQ breaking

Instanton  
effects

UV breaking  
gravity

SM  
Yukawa

Small Instanton  
effects

CPV Effective  
Operators

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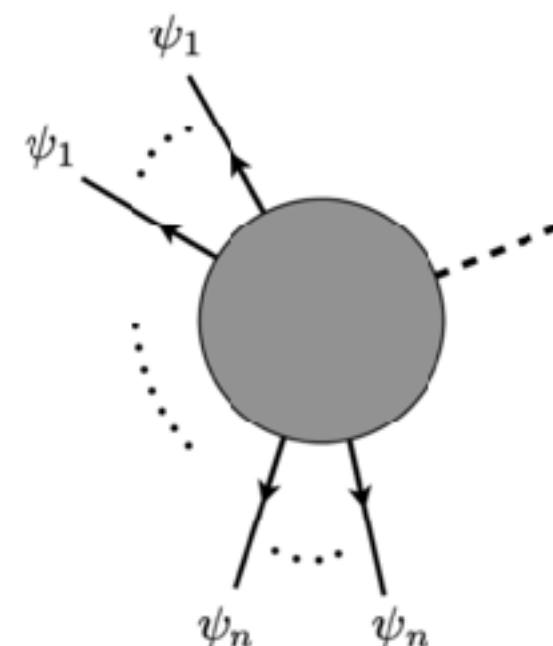
Axion quality problem

CKM phase

Increase axion mass

Higher dim Op

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = K \left( \prod_{i=1}^{N_f} \det(\bar{q}_L^i q_R^i) \right) e^{-i \frac{a}{f_a}}$$



$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u}_L u_R &\approx |\langle \bar{u}_L u_R \rangle| \exp(i(\theta_{\pi^0} + \theta_{\eta'})) \\ \bar{d}_L d_R &\approx |\langle \bar{d}_L d_R \rangle| \exp(i(-\theta_{\pi^0} + \theta_{\eta'})) \\ \bar{s}_L s_R &\approx |\langle \bar{s}_L s_R \rangle| \exp(i\theta_{\eta'}) \end{aligned}$$

spurion analysis

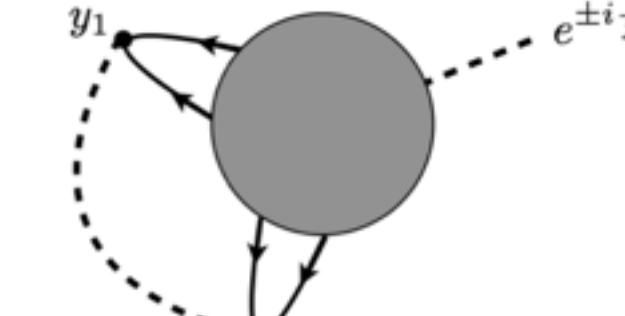
$$V(a) = m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2 \cos\left(\frac{a}{f_a}\right)$$

$$V \sim \epsilon^2 \Phi^2 + \frac{\Phi^n}{M_{\text{pl}}^{n-4}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &\sim \epsilon^2 f_a^2 \cos\left(\frac{a}{f_a} + \phi\right) \\ V &\sim \frac{f_a^n}{M_{\text{pl}}^{n-4}} \cos\left(\frac{a}{f_a} + \phi_n\right) \end{aligned}$$

Enhanced symmetry

1. Discrete gauge
2. Composite dynamics
3. Extra dimension



$$\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} \sim \frac{G_F^2}{m_c^2} J_{\text{CKM}} f_\pi^4 \Lambda_\chi^2 \sim 10^{-19}$$

Flavor connection

flavion

axiflaviton

Majoron-axion

$$V(a) = m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2 \cos\left(\frac{a}{f_a}\right) + \sum \Lambda_i^4 \cos\left(\frac{n_i a}{f_a} + \alpha_i\right)$$

$$\frac{\delta m_a^2}{m_a^2} = \frac{\Lambda_i^4}{m_\pi^2 f_\pi^2}$$

**Heavy axion**  
**New QCD**

Partially broken

$$\theta_{\text{eff}} = \alpha_i \frac{\delta m_a^2}{m_a^2}$$

$$\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{BSM}} \sim \left(\frac{\Lambda_\chi}{\Lambda_{\text{BSM}}}\right)^2 \sim 10^{-10} \left(\frac{100 \text{TeV}}{\Lambda_{\text{BSM}}}\right)^2$$

Multi-axion

[ Hu, Jiang, Li, Xiao, **Yu**, 2009.01452 ]

[ Sun, Wang, **Yu**, in progress ]

Jiang-Hao Yu (ITP-CAS)

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{T}(F \bar{F}(x)) \mathcal{O}_{\text{CPV}}(0) | 0 \rangle$$

**CPV Op**

**New CPV effects**

# Axion effective field theories

[ Georgi, Kaplan, Randall, 1986 ]

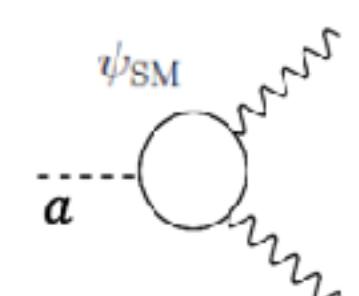
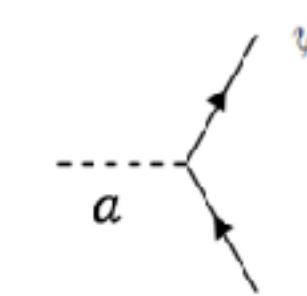
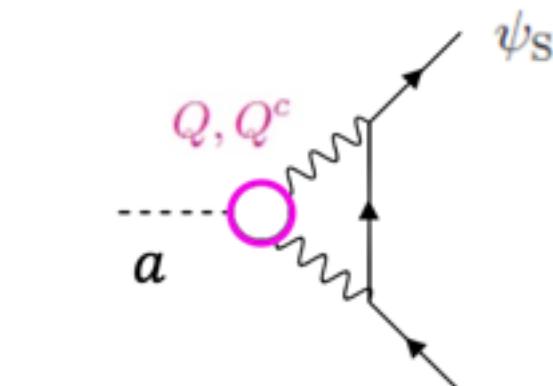
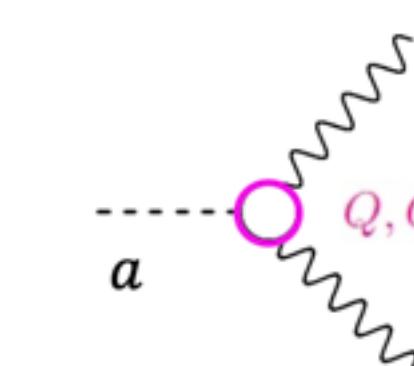
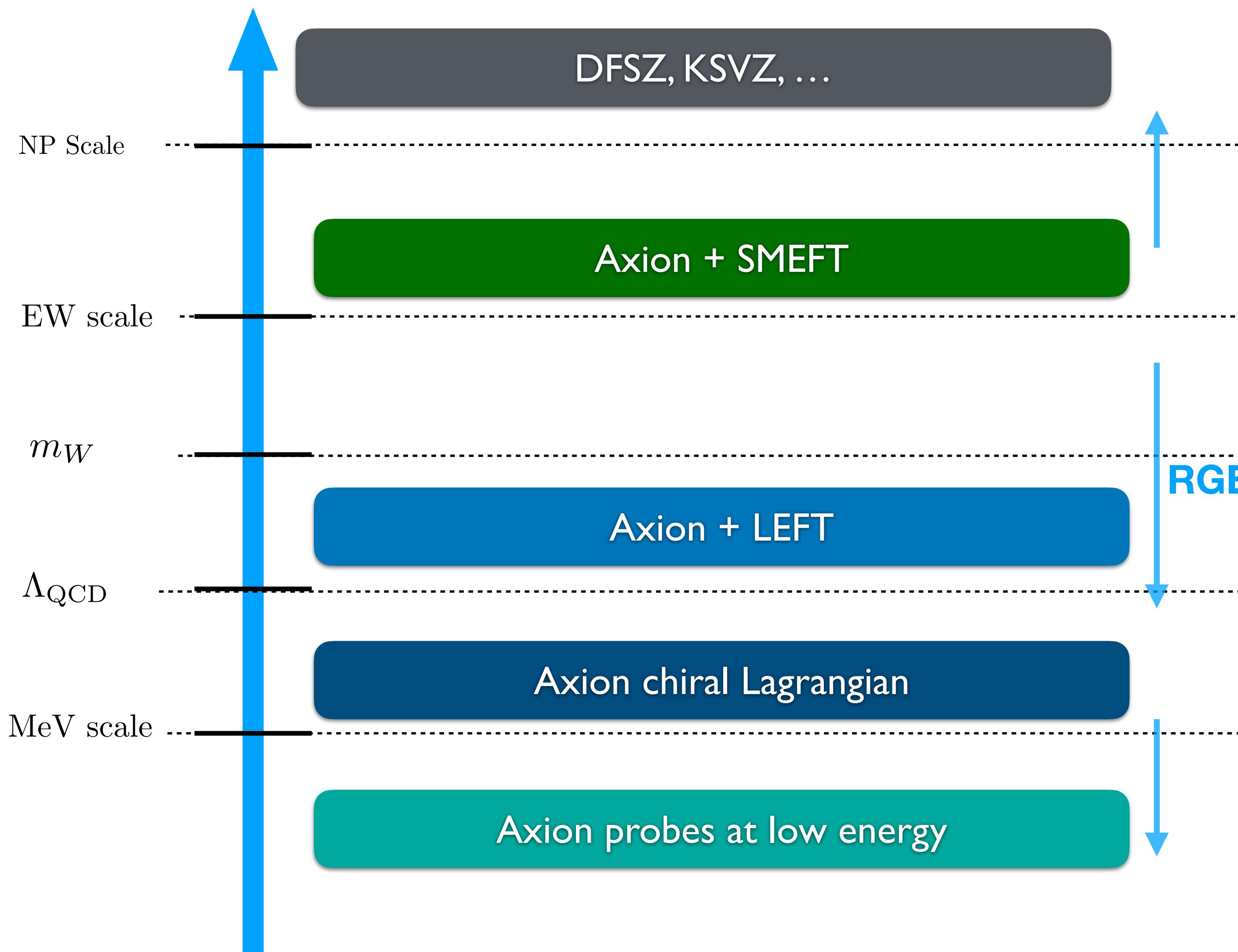
[ Bauer, Neubert, Renner, Schäuble, Thamm, 2021 ]

[ Dekens, de Vries, Shain, 2022 ]

[ Di Luzio, Levati, Paradisi, 2023 ]

[ Vonk, Guo, Meissner, 2021 ]

From high scale models to low scale descriptions



$$\frac{\partial_\mu a}{2f_a} \left( \sum_\psi c_\psi \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi + \sum_\phi c_\phi \phi^\dagger i \partial_\mu \phi \right) + \frac{a}{f_a} \sum_V c_V \frac{g_V^2}{32\pi^2} F_V^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{V\mu\nu} \\ c_{GG} \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \frac{a}{f} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu,a} + c_{WW} \frac{\alpha_2}{4\pi} \frac{a}{f} W_{\mu\nu}^A \tilde{W}^{\mu\nu,A} + c_{BB} \frac{\alpha_1}{4\pi} \frac{a}{f} B_{\mu\nu} \tilde{B}^{\mu\nu}.$$

$$\frac{\partial^\mu a}{f} \sum_F \bar{\psi}_F c_F \gamma_\mu \psi_F + c_{GG} \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \frac{a}{f} G_{\mu\nu}^a \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu,a} + c_{\gamma\gamma} \frac{\alpha_1}{4\pi} \frac{a}{f} F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_a^{\chi\text{PT}} = \frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \left[ \text{Tr}((D^\mu U)^\dagger D^\mu U) + 2B_0 \text{Tr}(U M_a^\dagger + M_a U^\dagger) \right] + \frac{\partial^\mu a}{2f_a} \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}[c_q \sigma^a] J_\mu^a$$

$$J_\mu^a = \frac{i}{2} f_\pi^2 \text{Tr}[\sigma^a (UD_\mu U^\dagger - U^\dagger D_\mu U)] \quad D_\mu U = \partial_\mu U + ie A_\mu [Q, U].$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{ALP}}^{\text{QCD}} = \frac{\partial_\mu \phi}{\Lambda} \left[ 2 \text{Tr}(Y_V T_a) (j_{V,a}^\mu)_B + \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr}(Y_V) (j_V^\mu)_B' + 2 \text{Tr}(Y_A T_a) (j_{A,a}^\mu)_B + \frac{1}{N} \text{Tr}(Y_A) (j_A^\mu)_B' \right]$$

$$(j_A^{a,\mu})_N = \frac{1}{2} \bar{N}_v \gamma^\mu [\xi T^a \xi^\dagger - \xi^\dagger T^a \xi] N_v + \frac{g_A}{2} \bar{N}_v \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 [\xi T^a \xi^\dagger + \xi^\dagger T^a \xi] N_v,$$

$$(j_V^{a,\mu})_N = -\frac{1}{2} \bar{N}_v \gamma^\mu [\xi T^a \xi^\dagger + \xi^\dagger T^a \xi] N_v - \frac{g_A}{2} \bar{N}_v \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 [\xi T^a \xi^\dagger - \xi^\dagger T^a \xi] N_v,$$

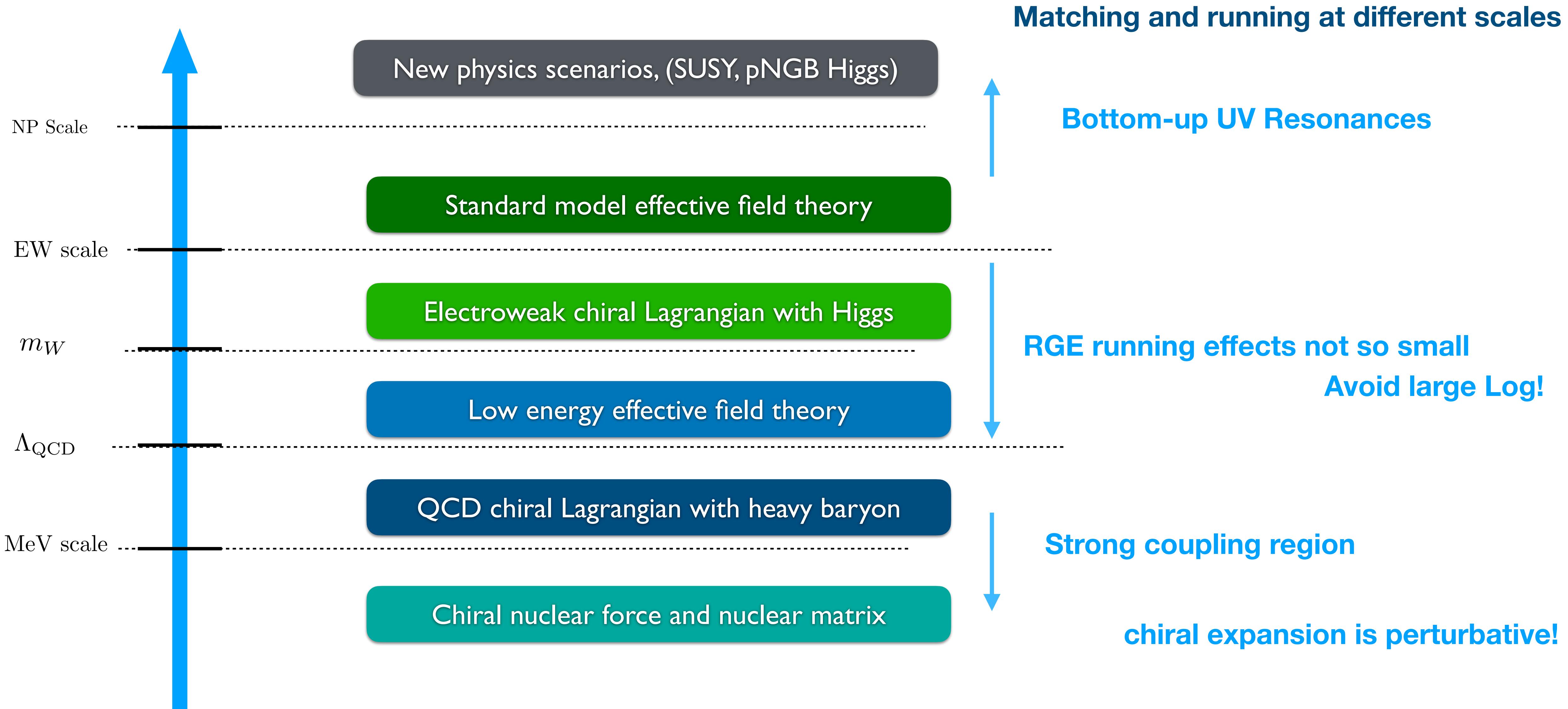
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# **Summary**

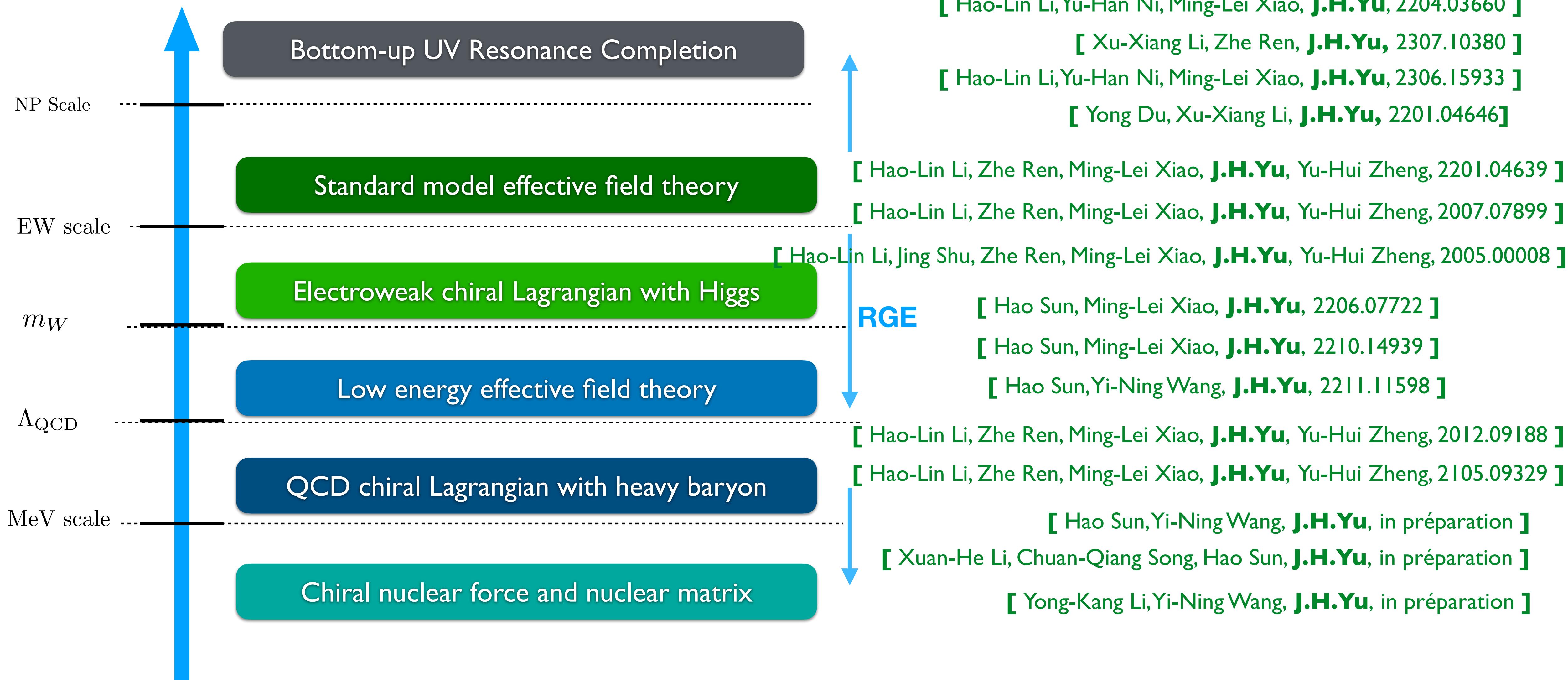
# Summary

- Revisit tower of EFTs based on Young tensor and Adler zero/spurion technique



# Tower of effective field theories

Five years (2019 - 2023) on reorganizing effective field theories among several scales



# **Thanks for your attention!**