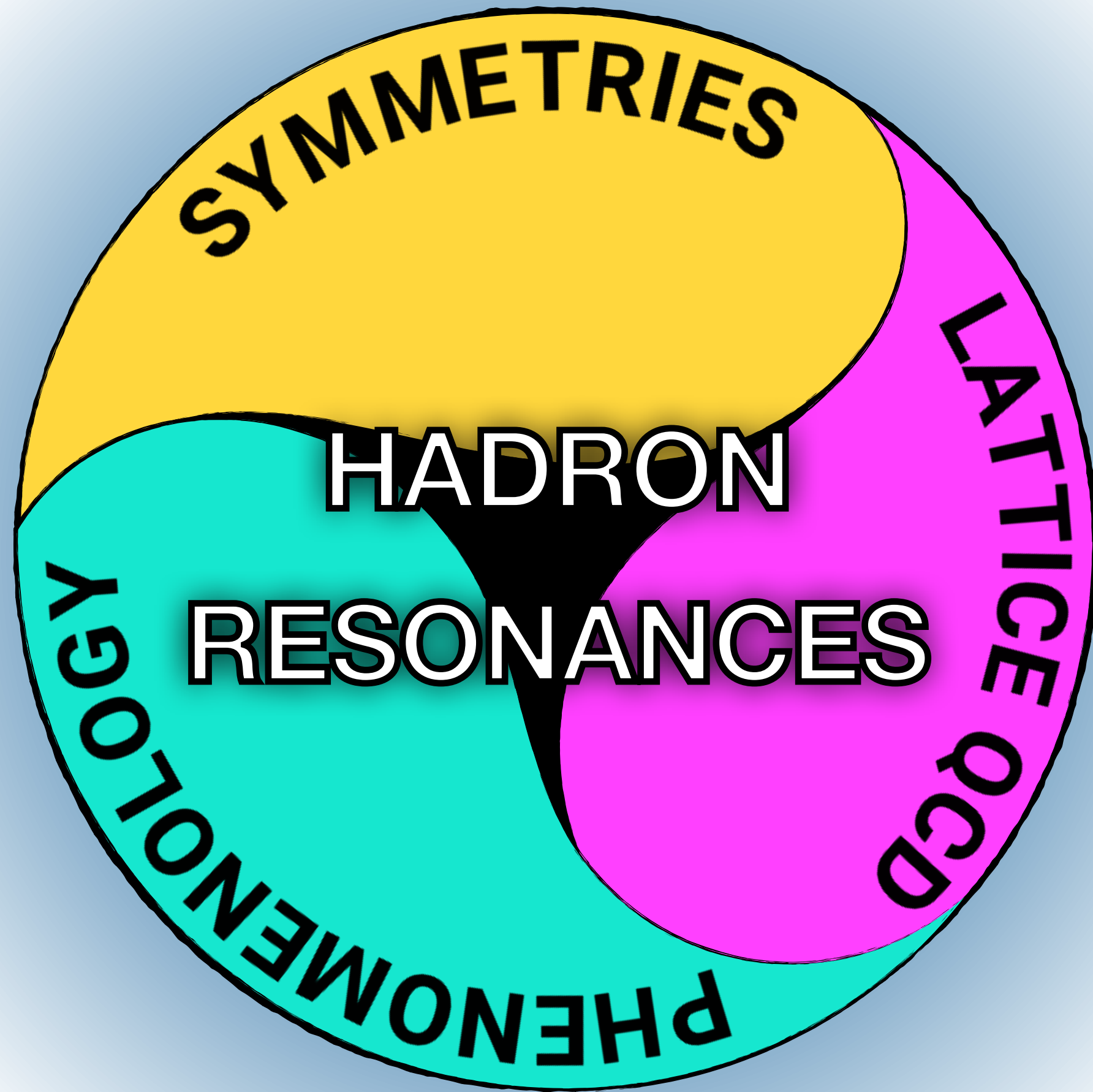




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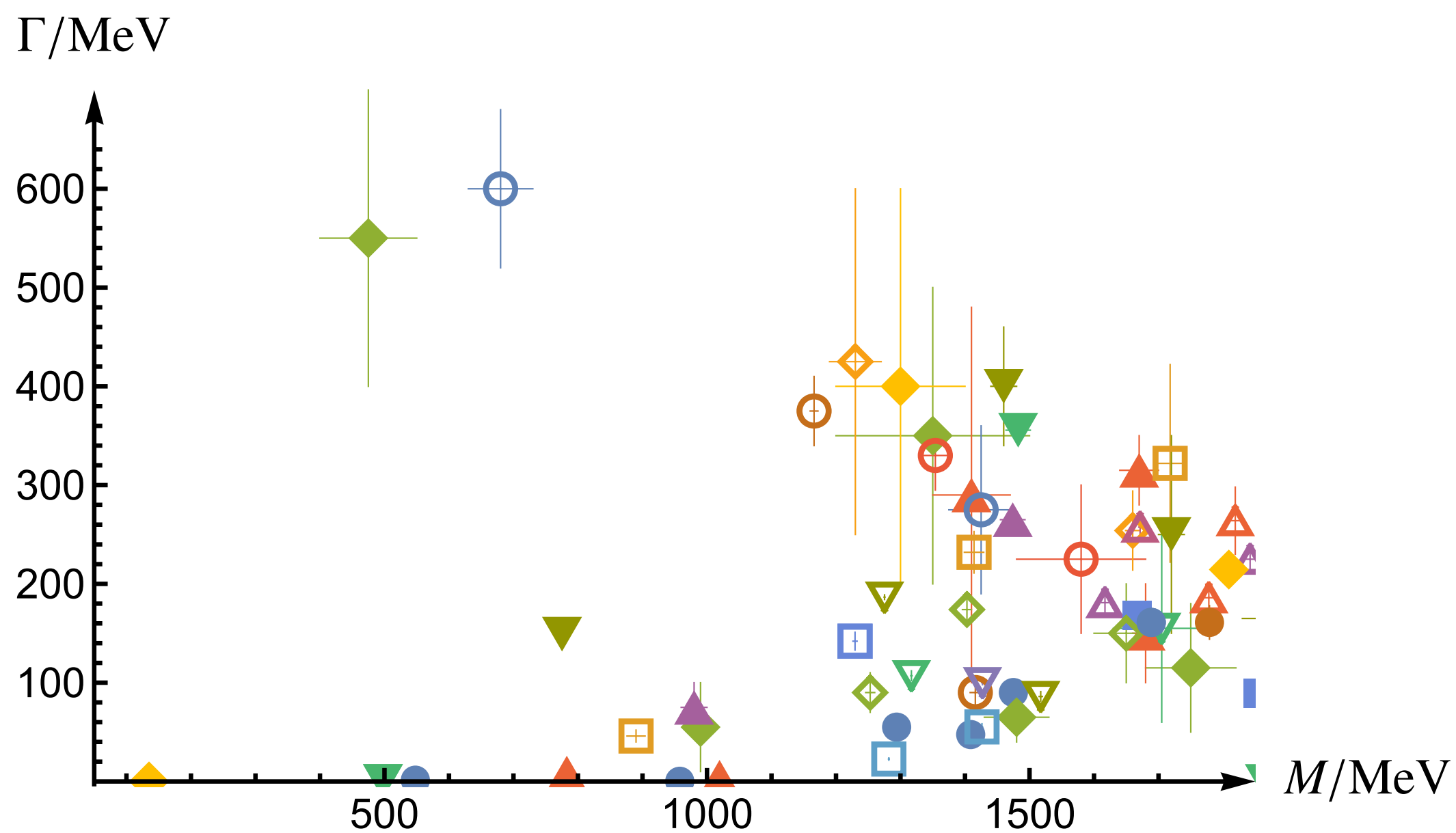
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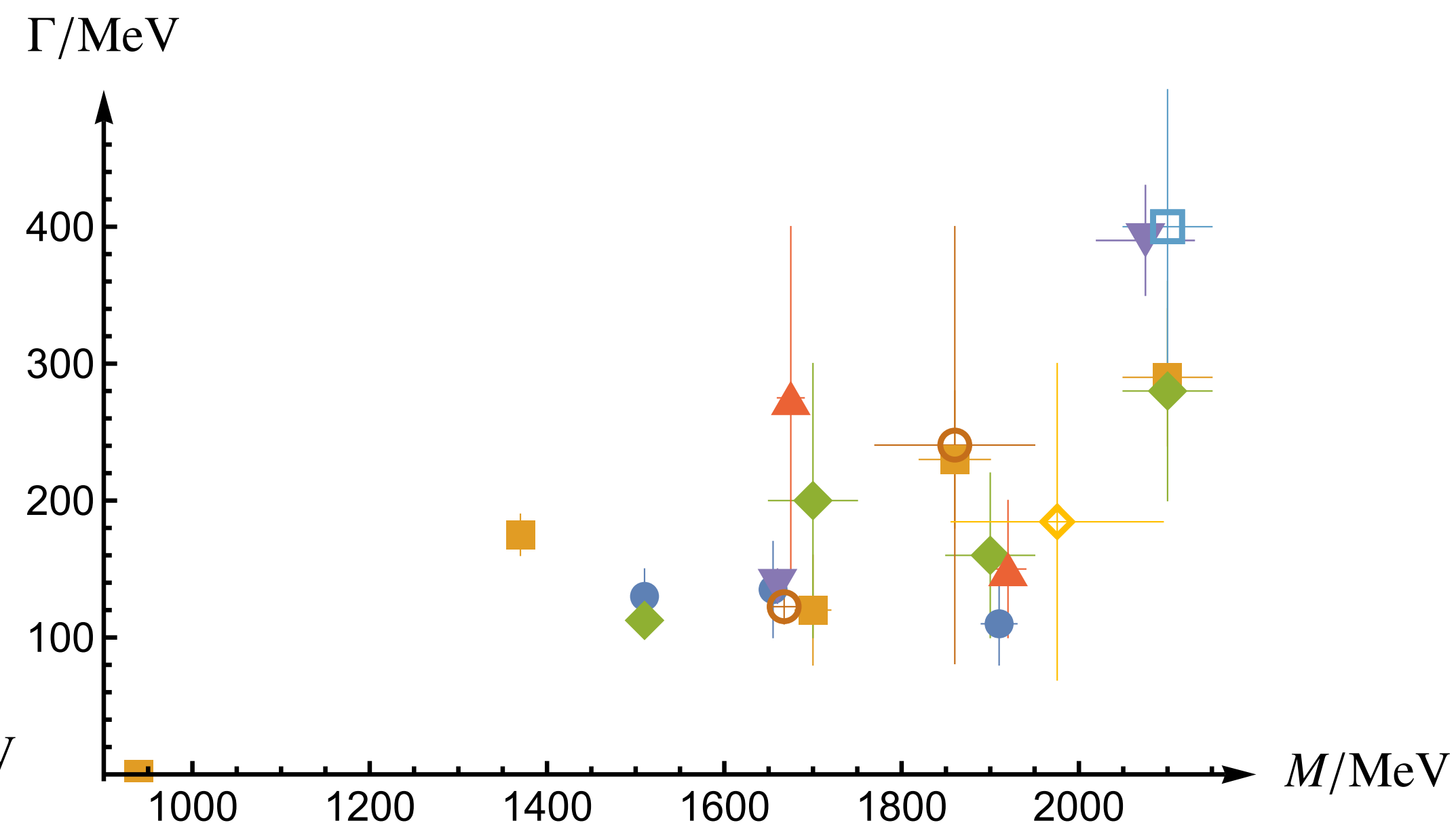
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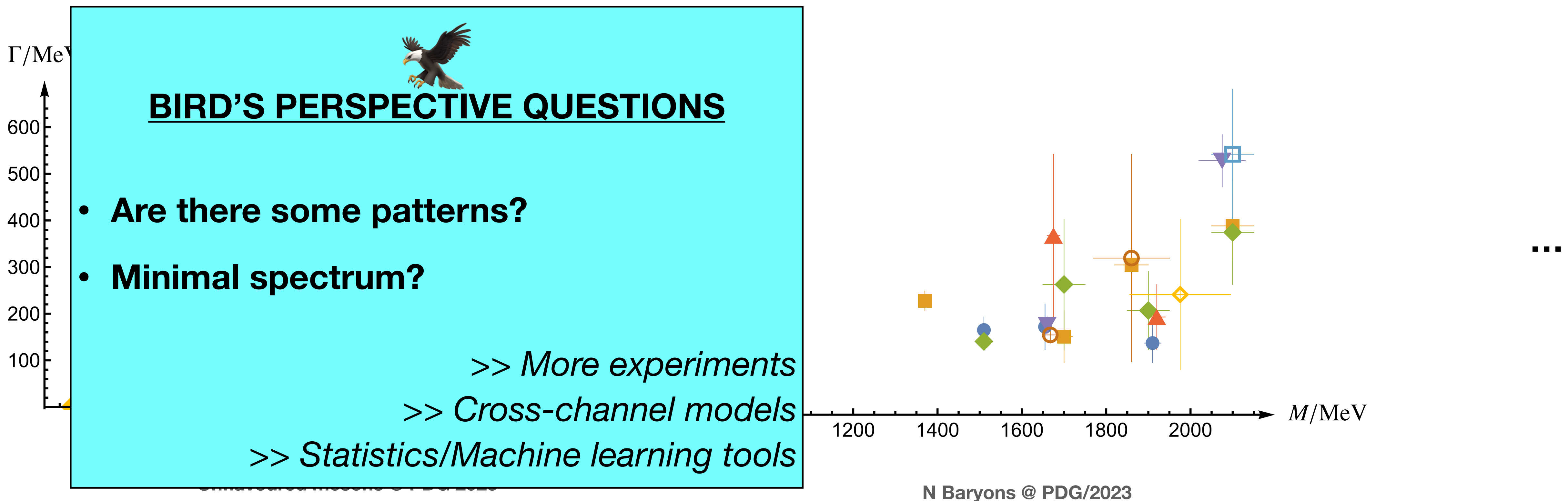
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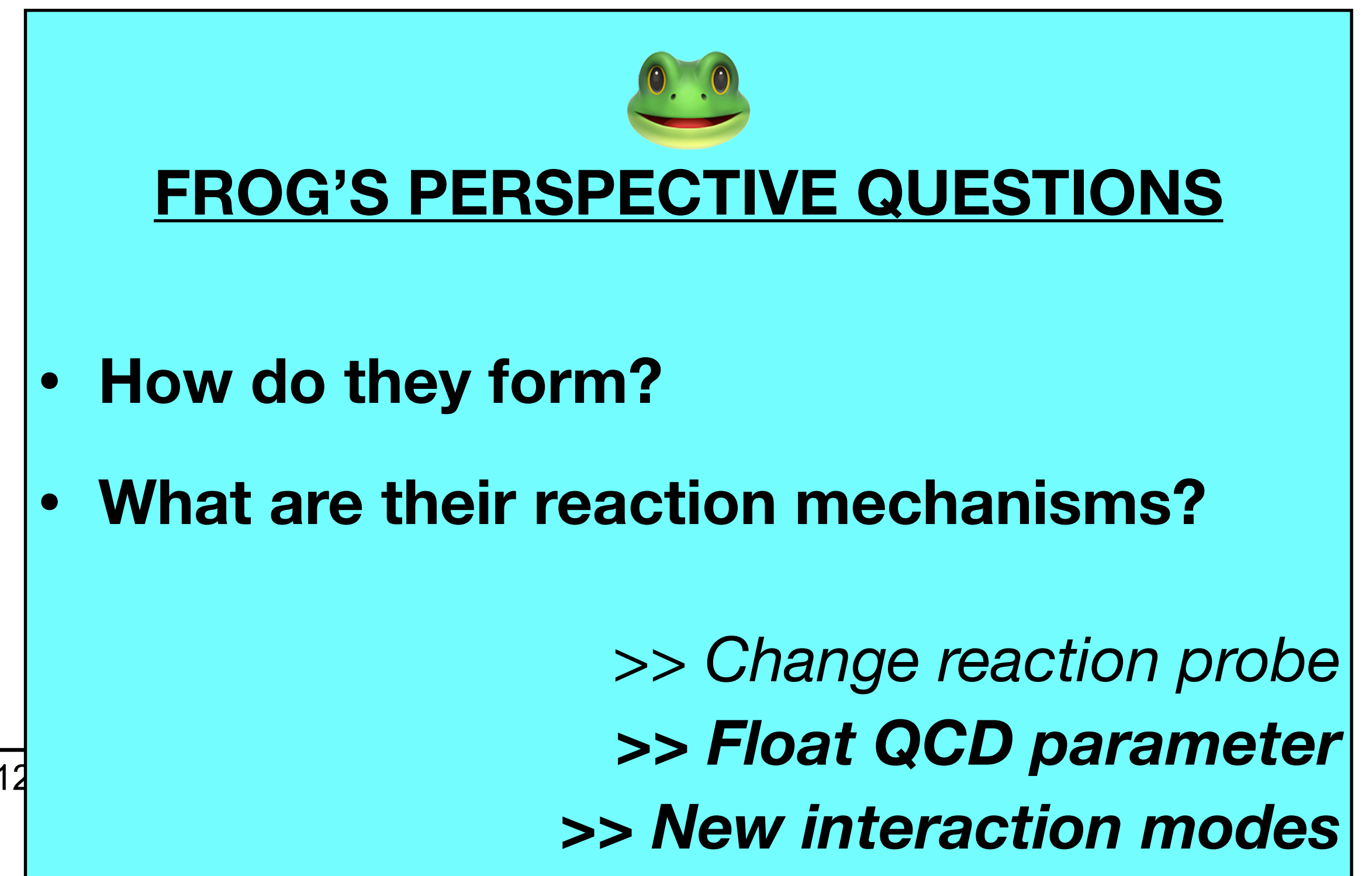
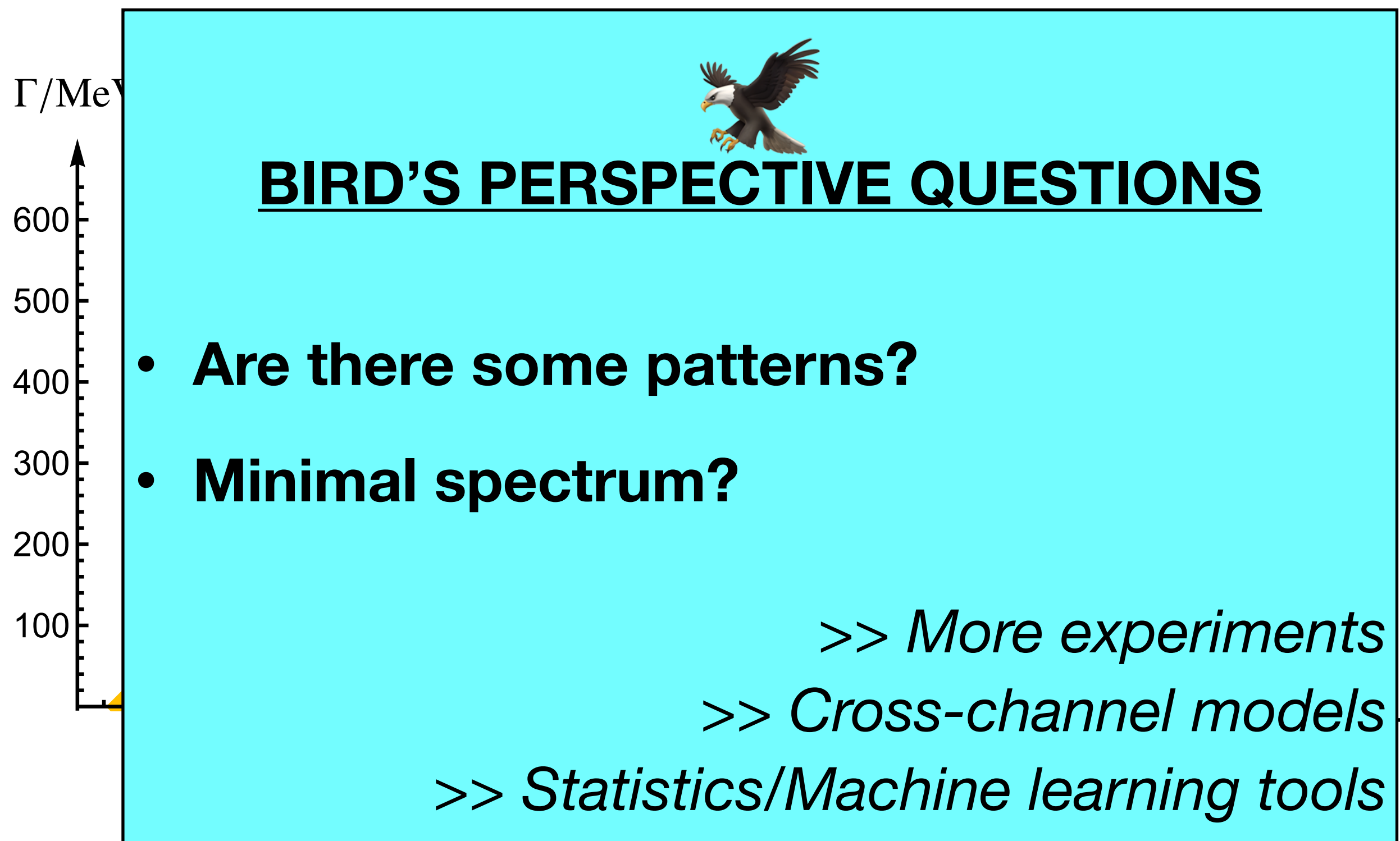
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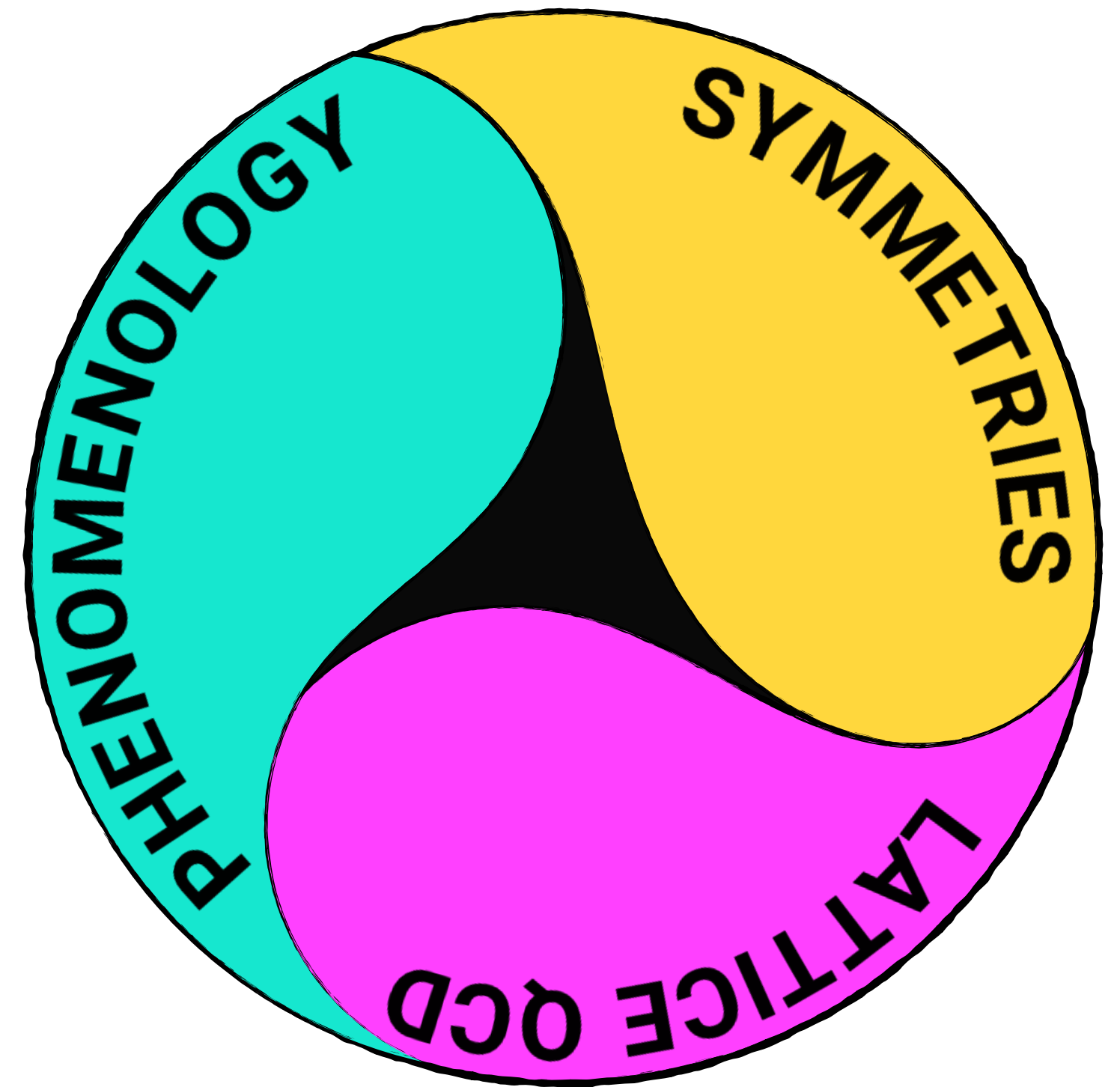
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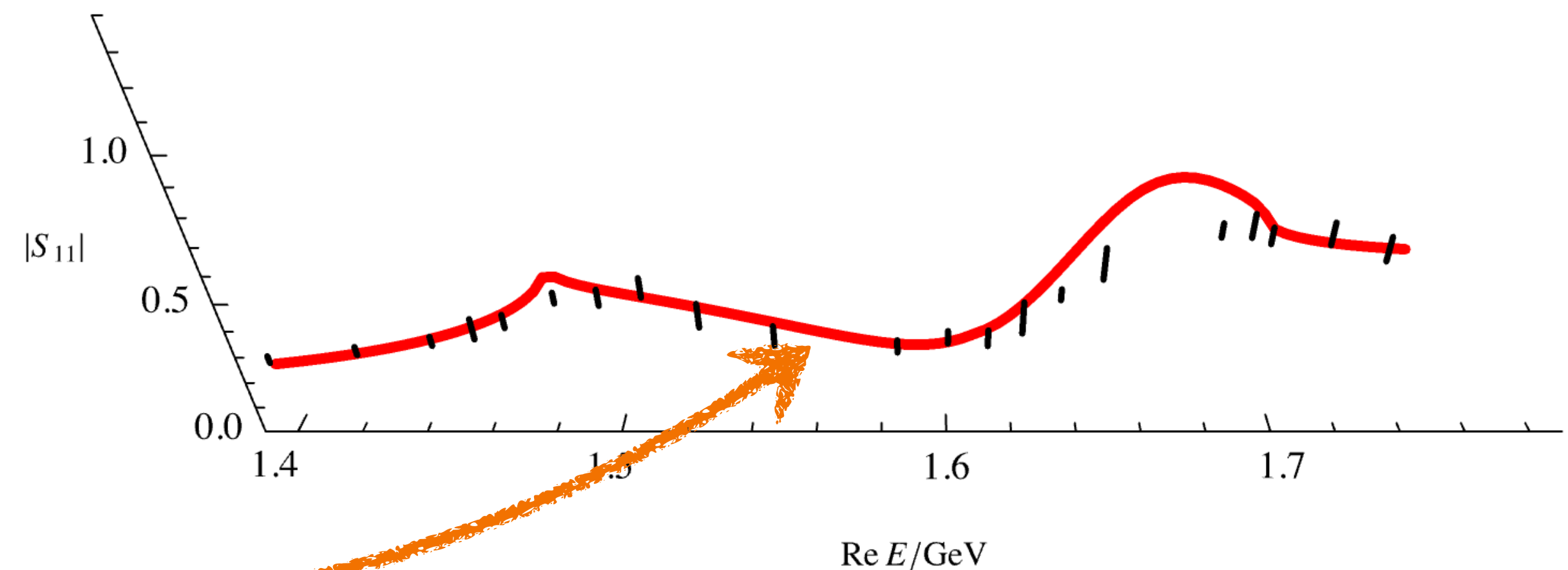
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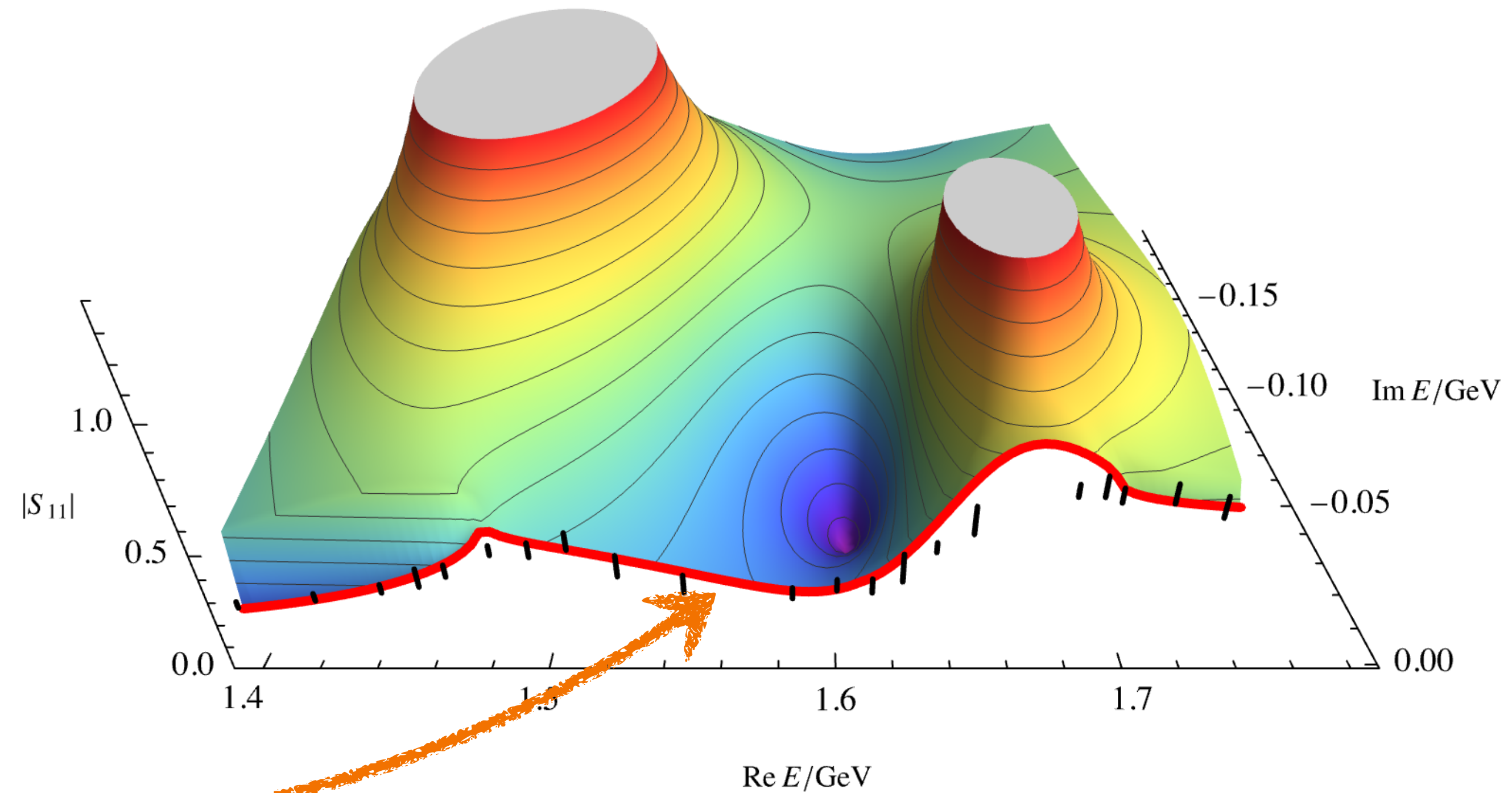
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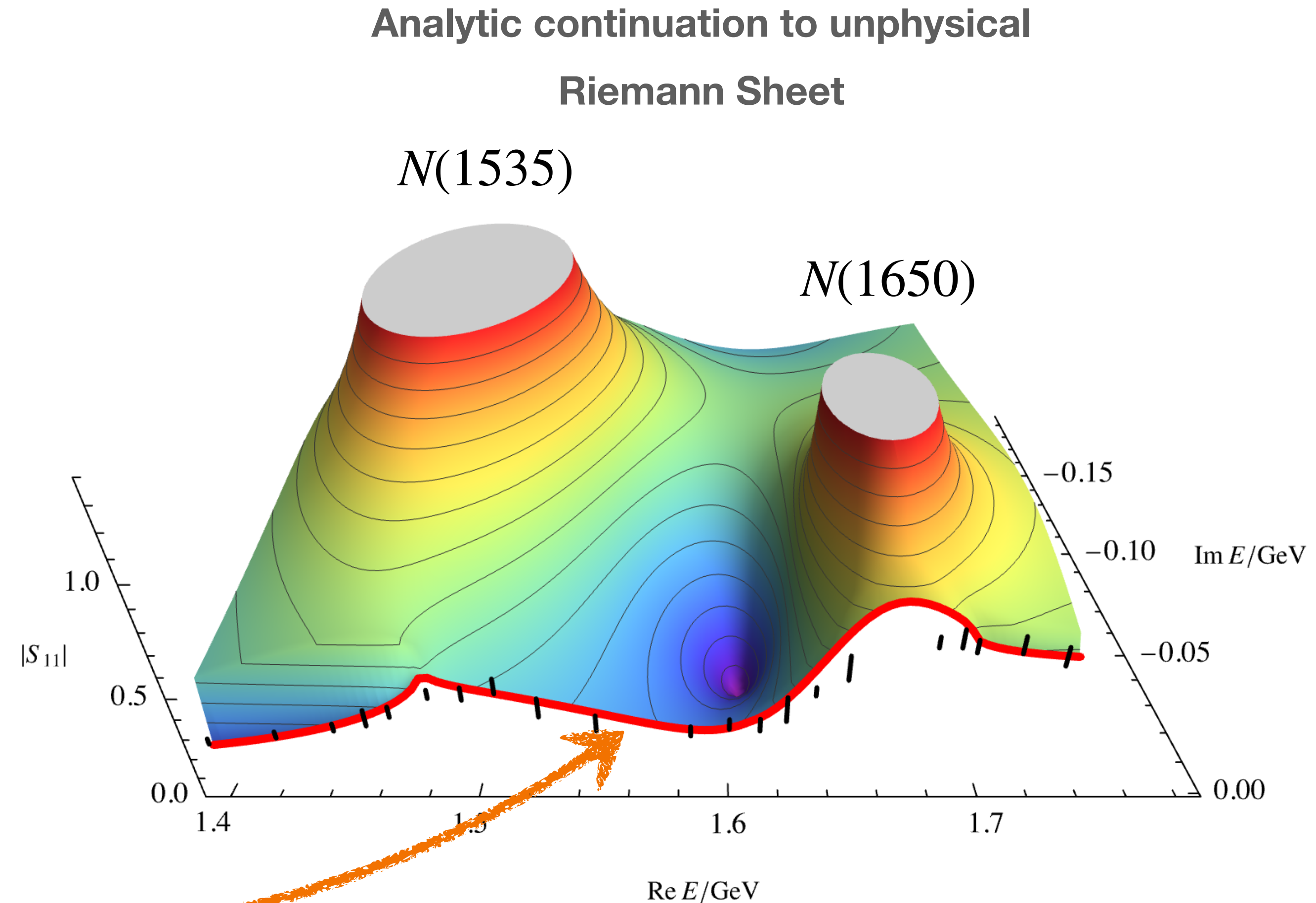
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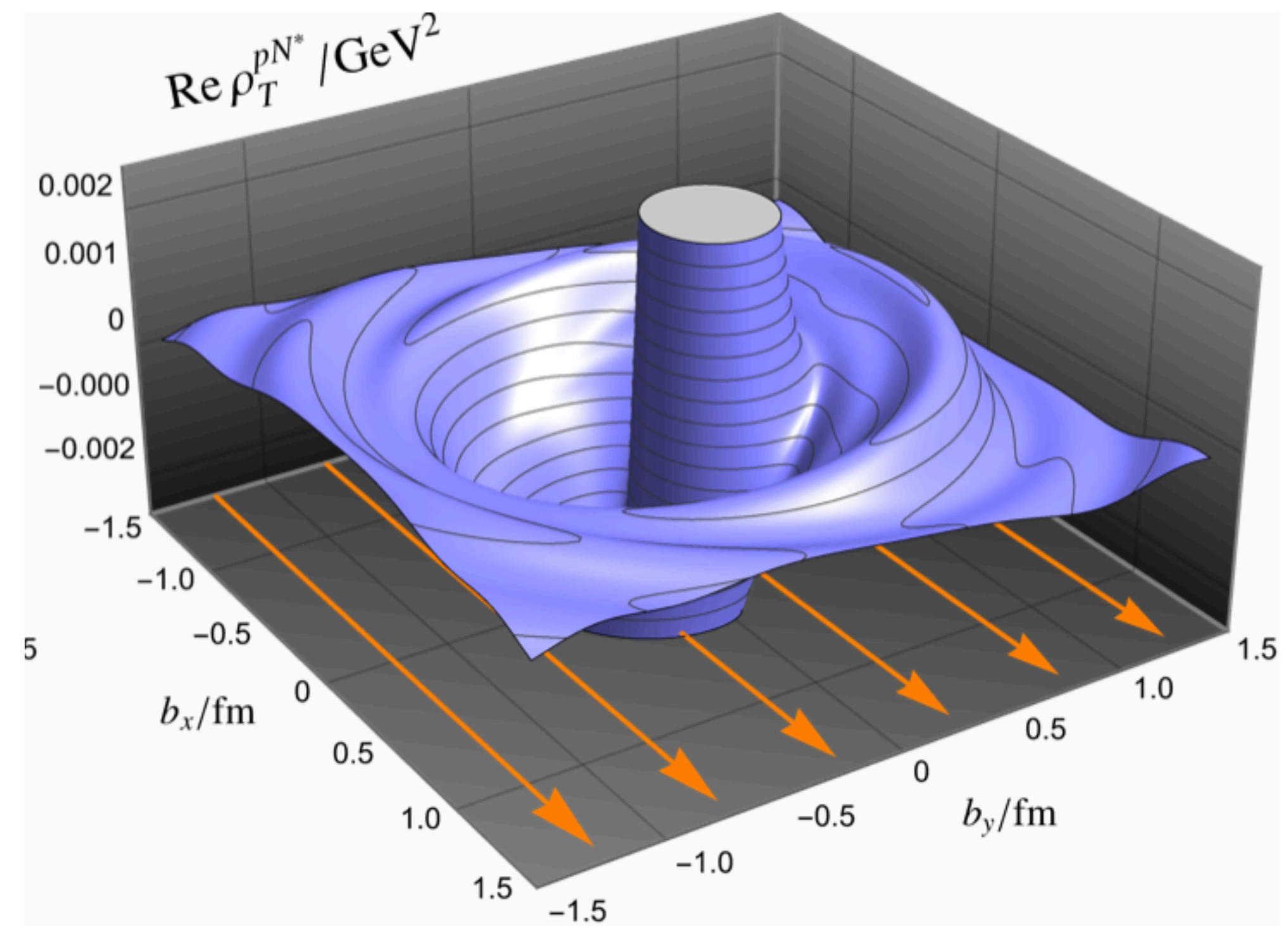
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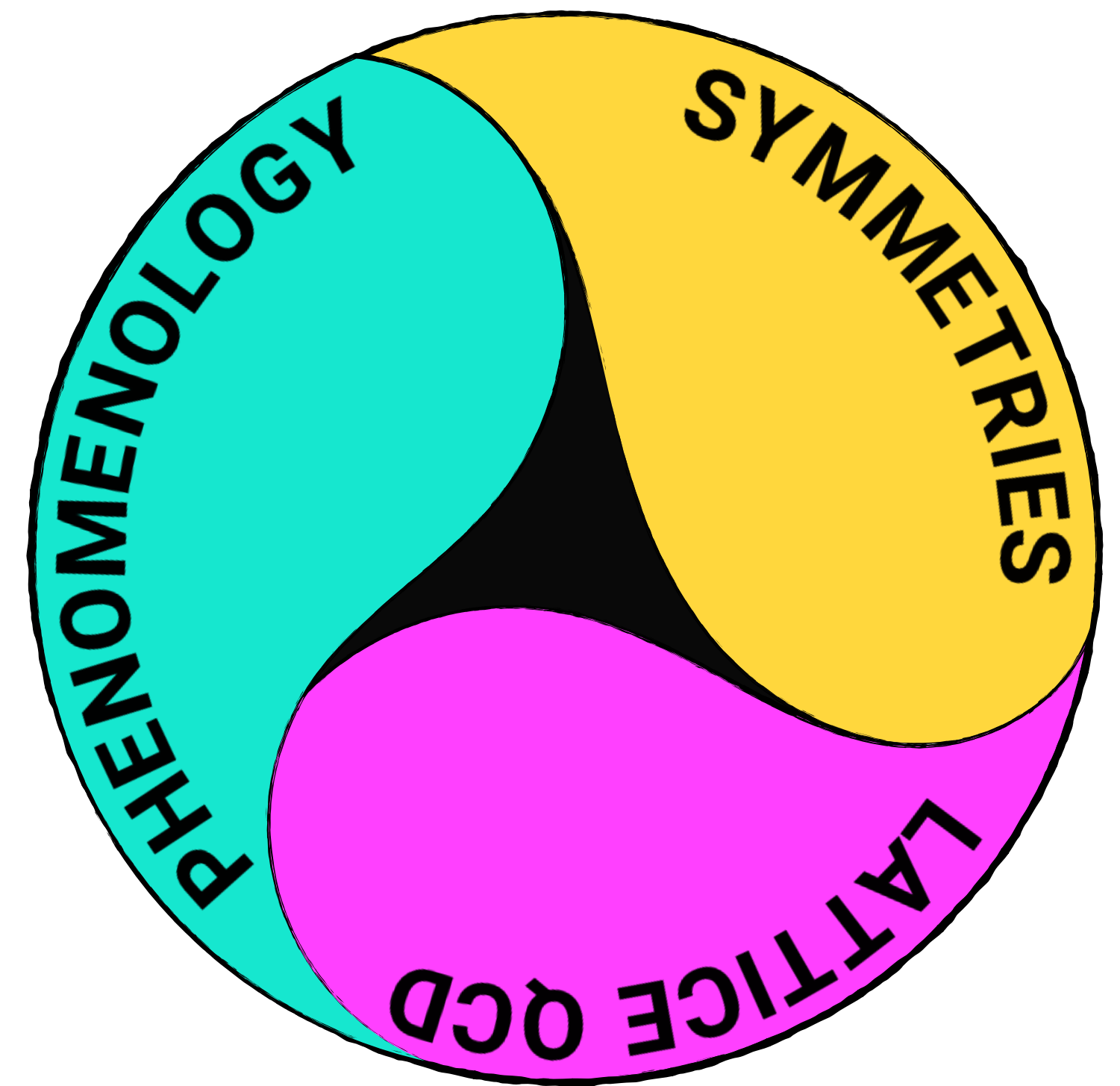


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A CURIOUS CASE OF A STRANGENESS RESONANCE

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- MM/Ulf-G. Meißner *Nucl.Phys.A* 900 (2013) 51 - 64
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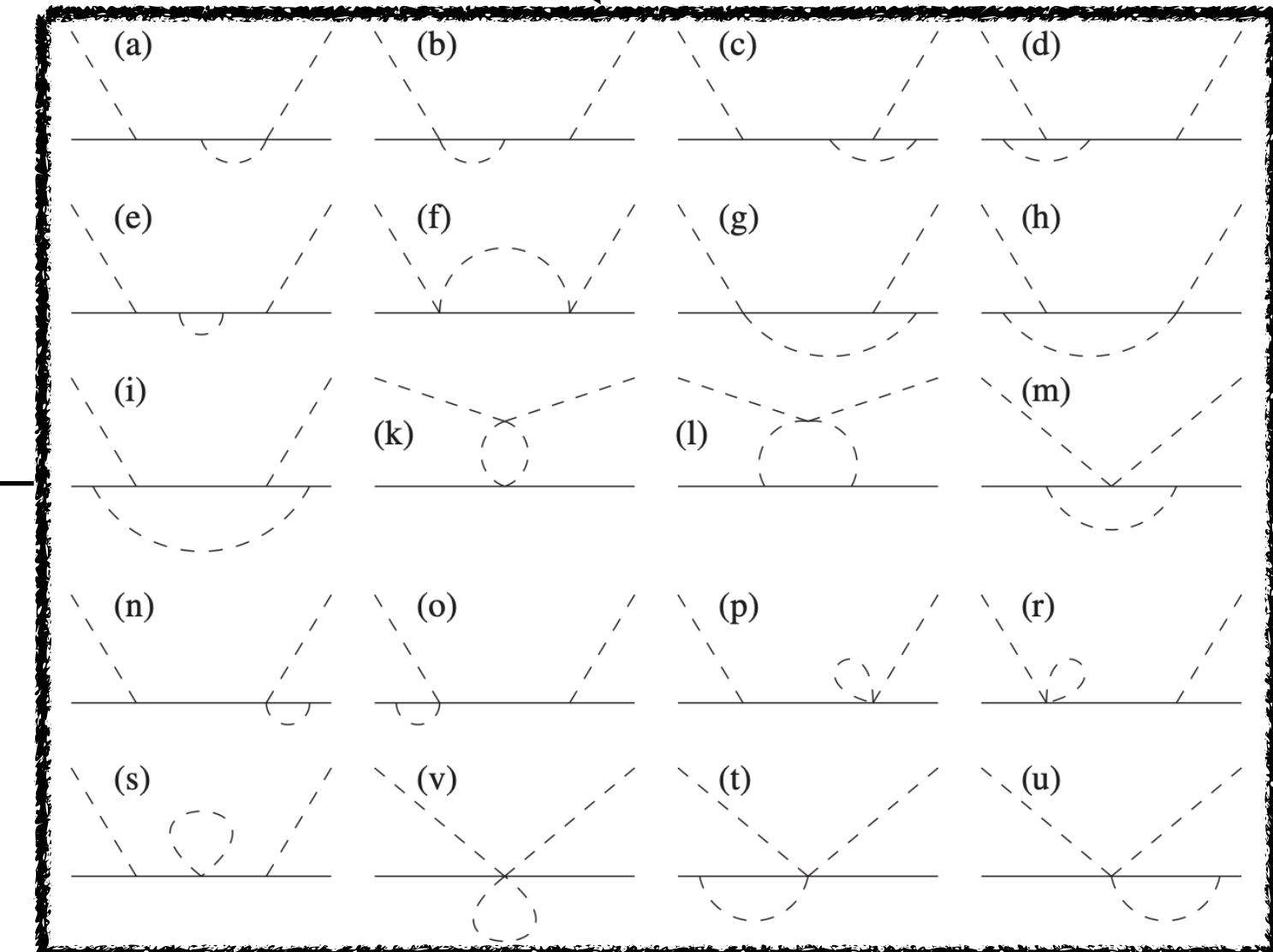
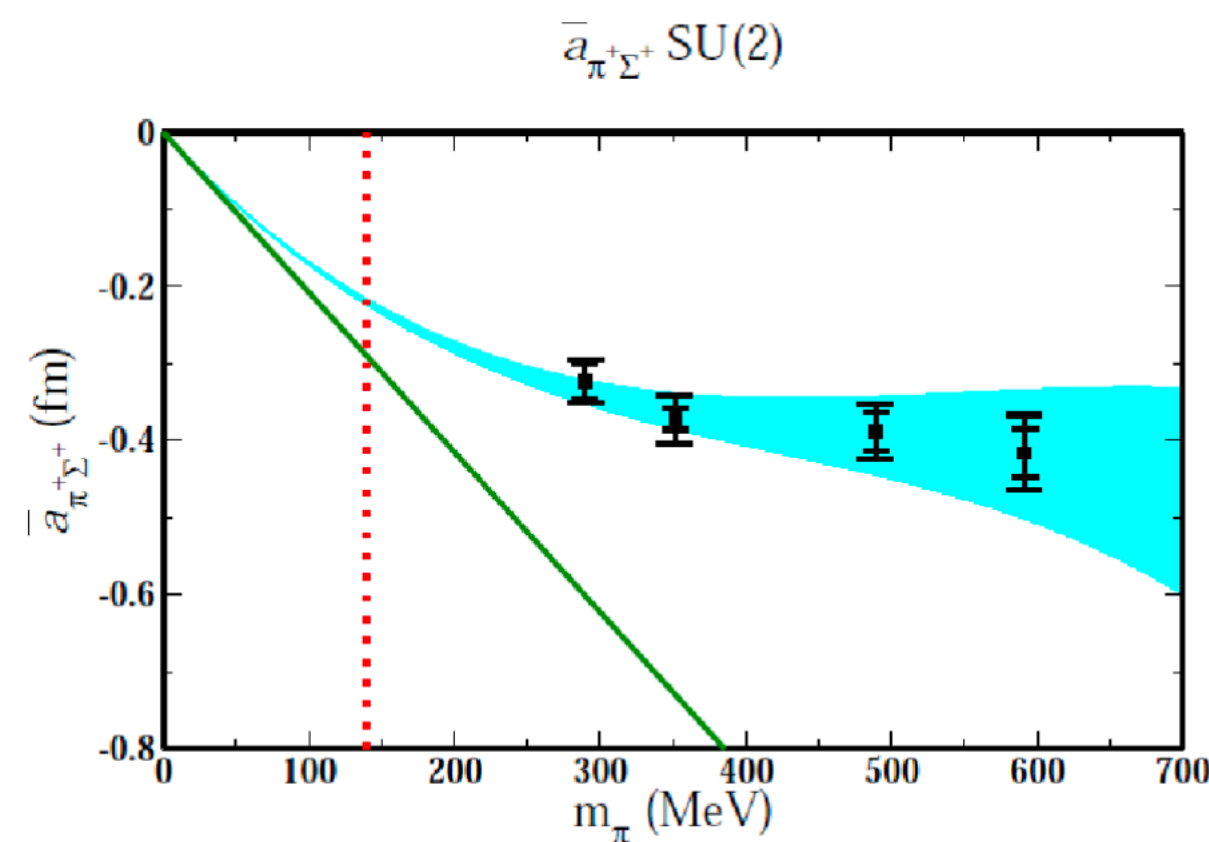
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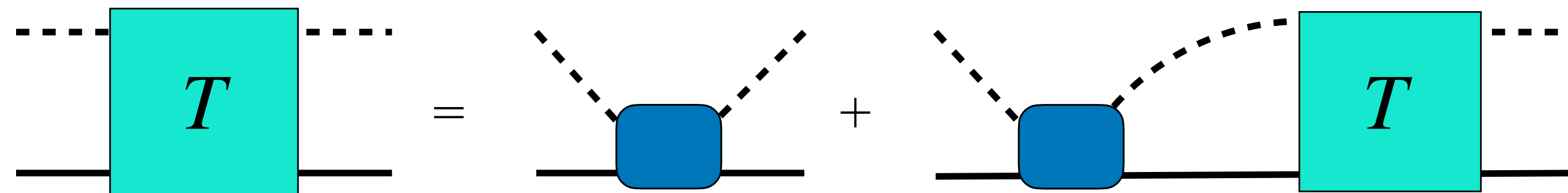
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Weise/Kaiser/Meißner/Lutz/Oset/Oller/Ramos/Hyodo/Borasoy/MM/Bruns/...



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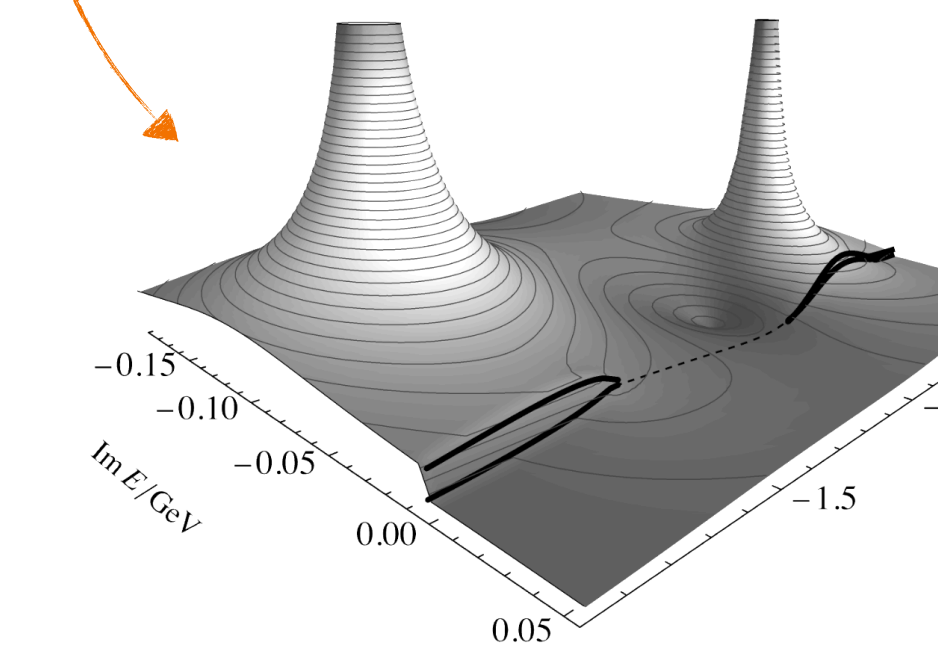
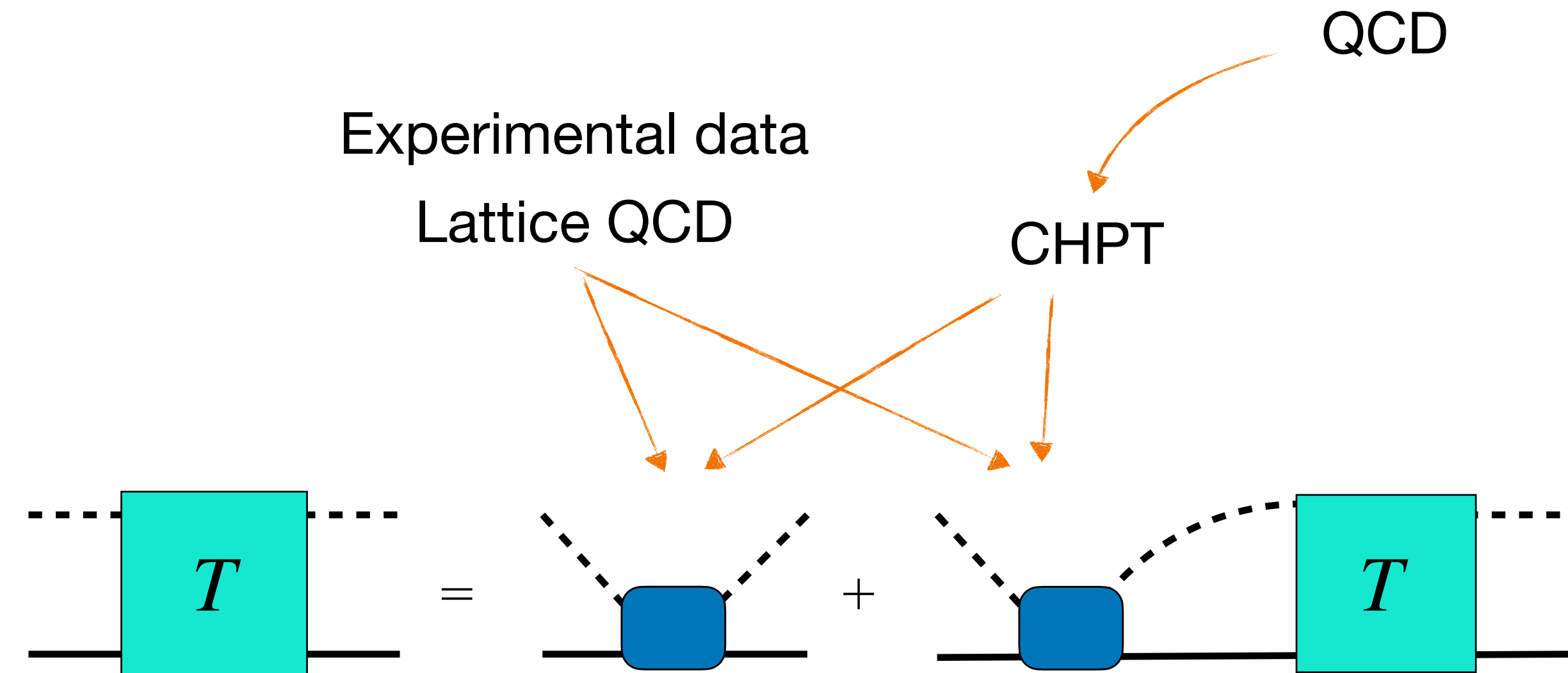
- Non-perturbative scheme
- Record complex pole-positions
- Often works:
 $N(1535), N(1650), \Lambda(1405), \Lambda(1380), \dots$

Kaiser/Siegel/Weise Phys.Lett.B 362 (1995)
 Lutz/Soyeur Nucl.Phys.A 773 (2006);
 MM et al. Phys.Lett.B 697 (2011); ...

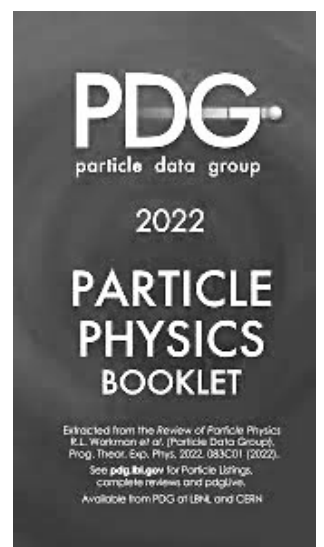
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- Renormalisation/Crossing symmetry/Power counting only perturbatively
- Choice of potential MM et al. Phys.Lett.B 697 (2011); ...

$$V(q_2, q_1; p) = A_{WT}(q_1 + q_2) + \text{Born}(s) + \text{Born}(u) \\ + A_{14}(q_1 \cdot q_2) + A_{57}[q_1, q_2] + A_M + A_{811}(q_2(q_1 \cdot p) + q_1(q_2 \cdot p))$$

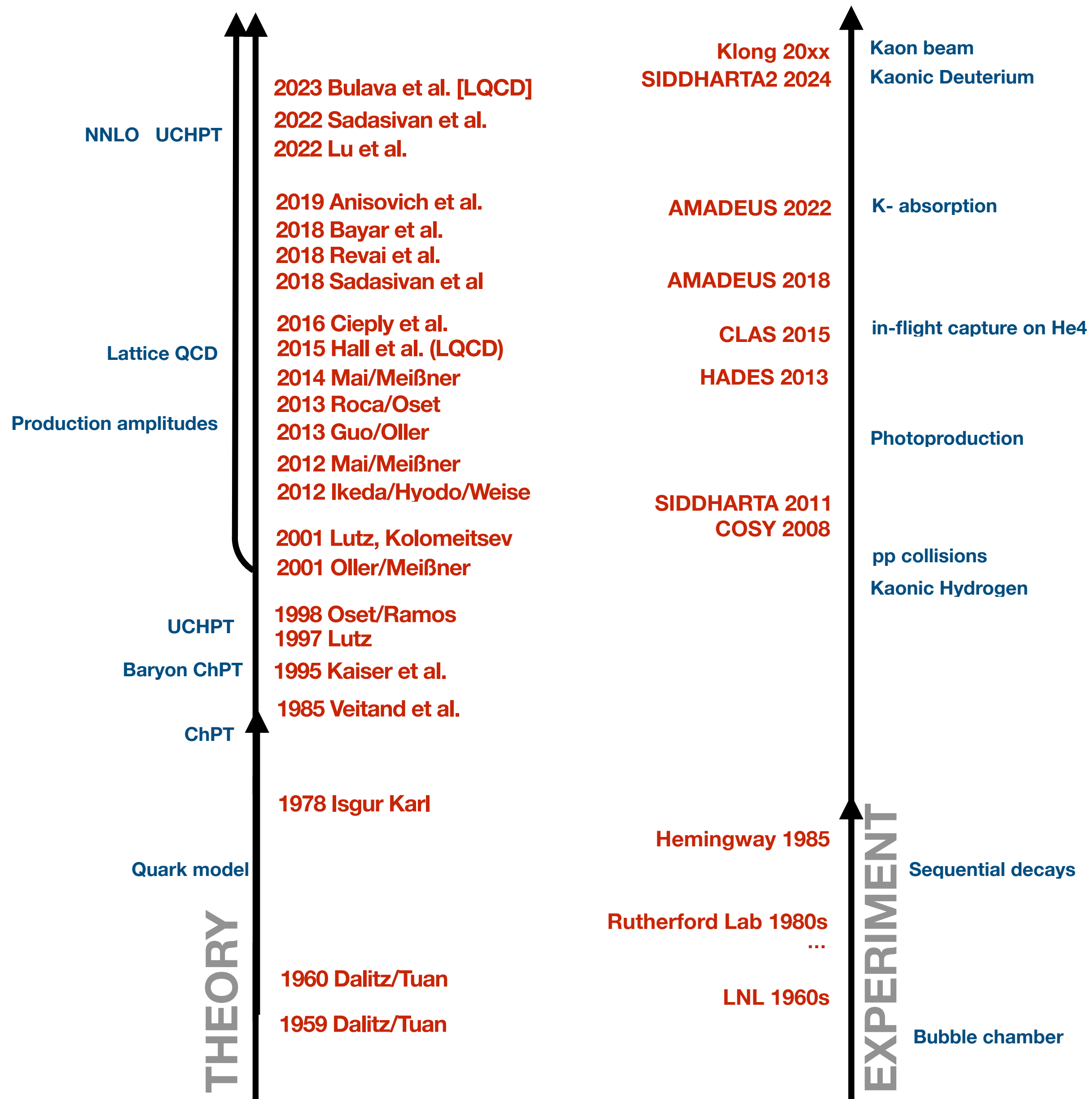


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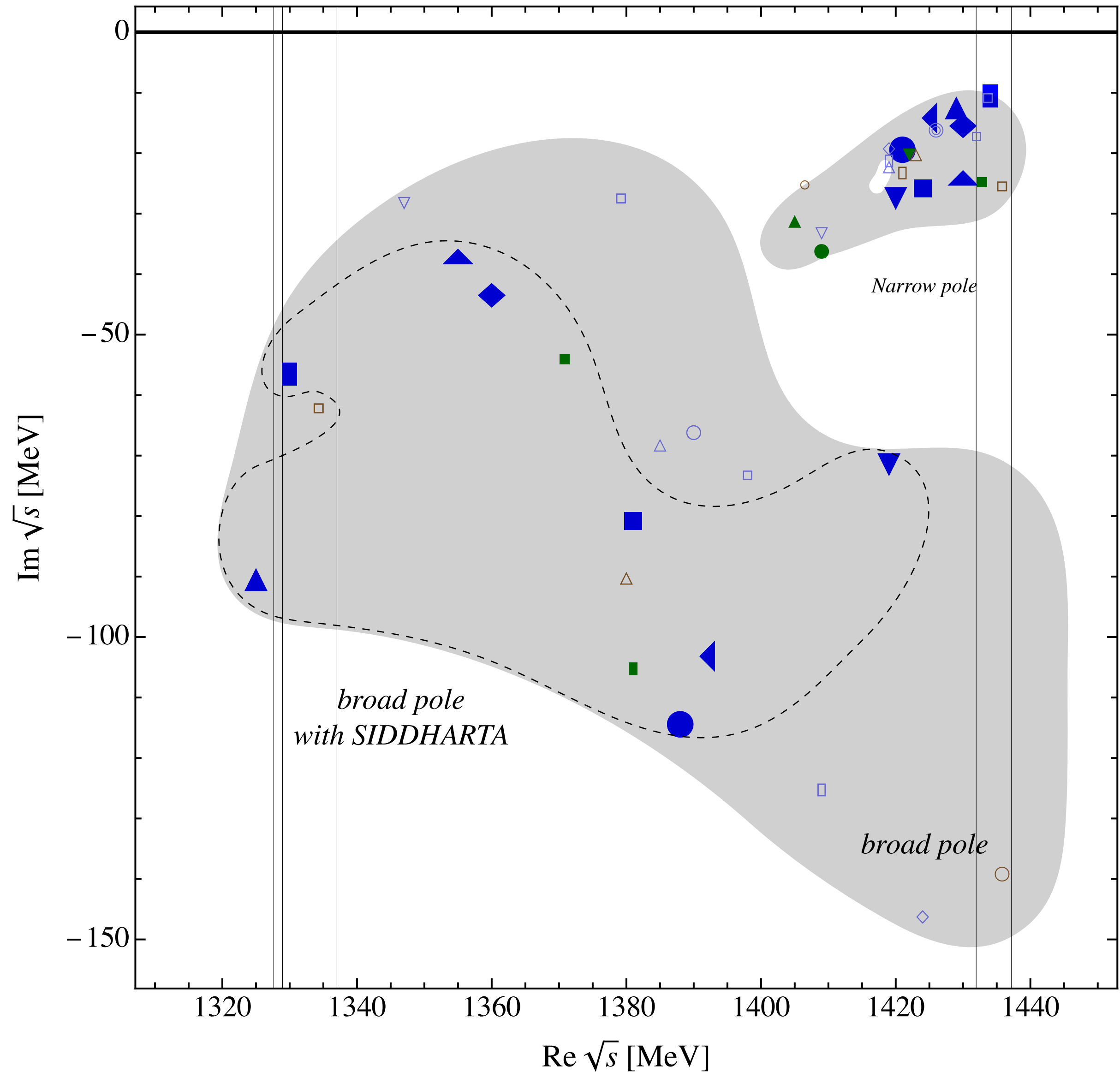


Long history of experimental and theoretical efforts

- Sub- $(\bar{K}N)$ -threshold $\Lambda(1405)$ resonance
- second state $\Lambda(1380)$ predicted from UCHPT
- no direct experimental verification
- confirmed by many critical tests & LQCD



THE ENIGMA OF THE $\Lambda(1405)$



CURRENT STATUS

- | UCHPT w. SIDDHARTA | UCHPT w/o SIDDHARTA |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| ■ Ikeda:2011pi | □ Oller:2000fj |
| ● Guo:2012vv | ○ Oset:2001cn |
| ■ Mai:2014xna(2) | ○ Jido:2003cb |
| ▲ Mai:2014xna(4) | □ Borasoy:2005ie |
| ▼ Feijoo:2018den | △ Roca:2013av(1) |
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| | ▼ Revai:2019ipq |

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- $SU(3)$ limit provides a simpler resonance structure

Jido et al. Nucl.Phys.A 725 (2003); Garcia-Recio/Lutz/Nieves Phys.Lett.B 582 (2004) 49-54;

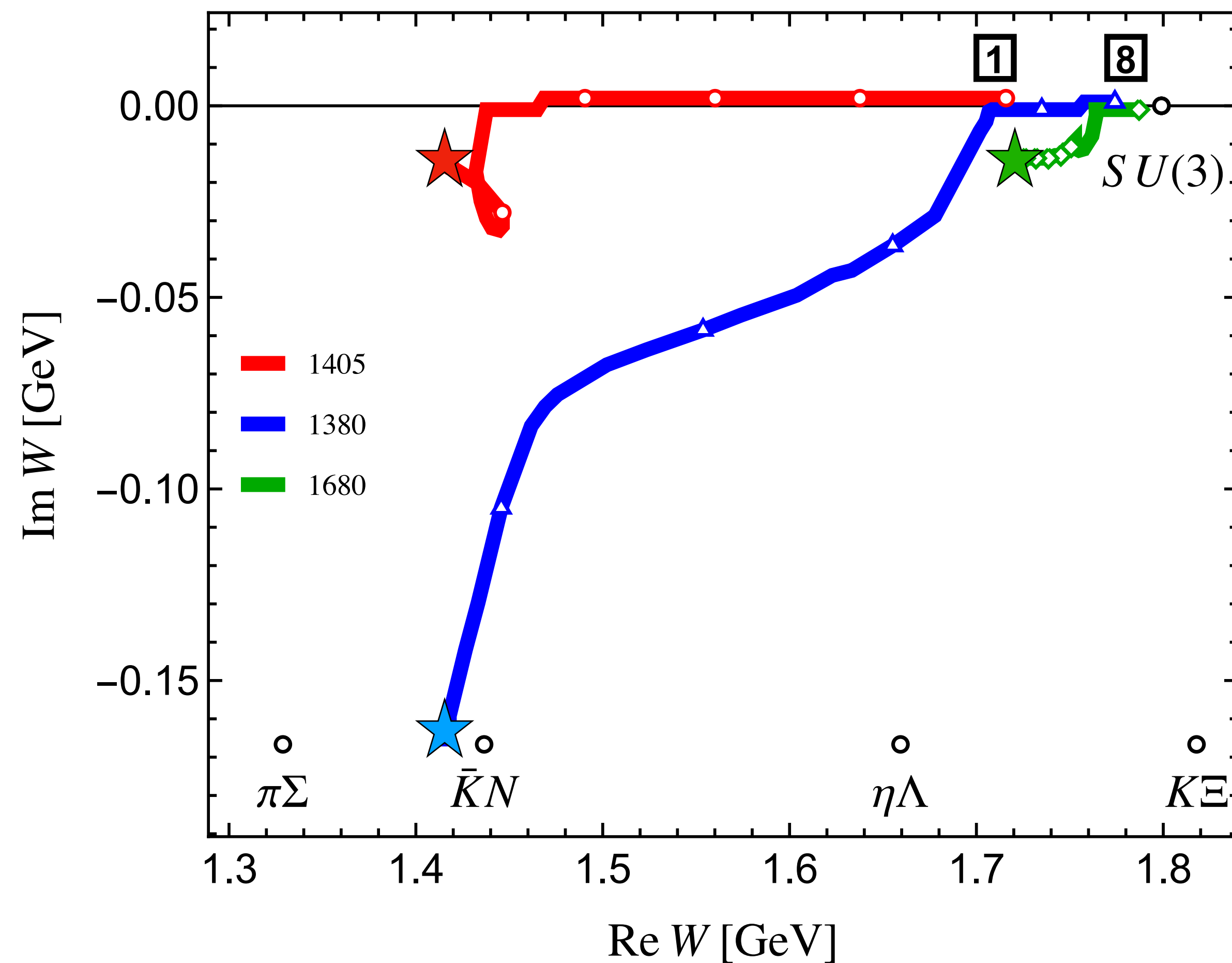
→ 1 singlet + 2 octet poles

→ LO/NLO “tracks” differ

Guo/Kamyia/MM/Meißner Phys.Lett.B 846 (2023)

- Resonance $\leftrightarrow$ virtual bound state $\leftrightarrow$ bound state

(?) Lattice QCD



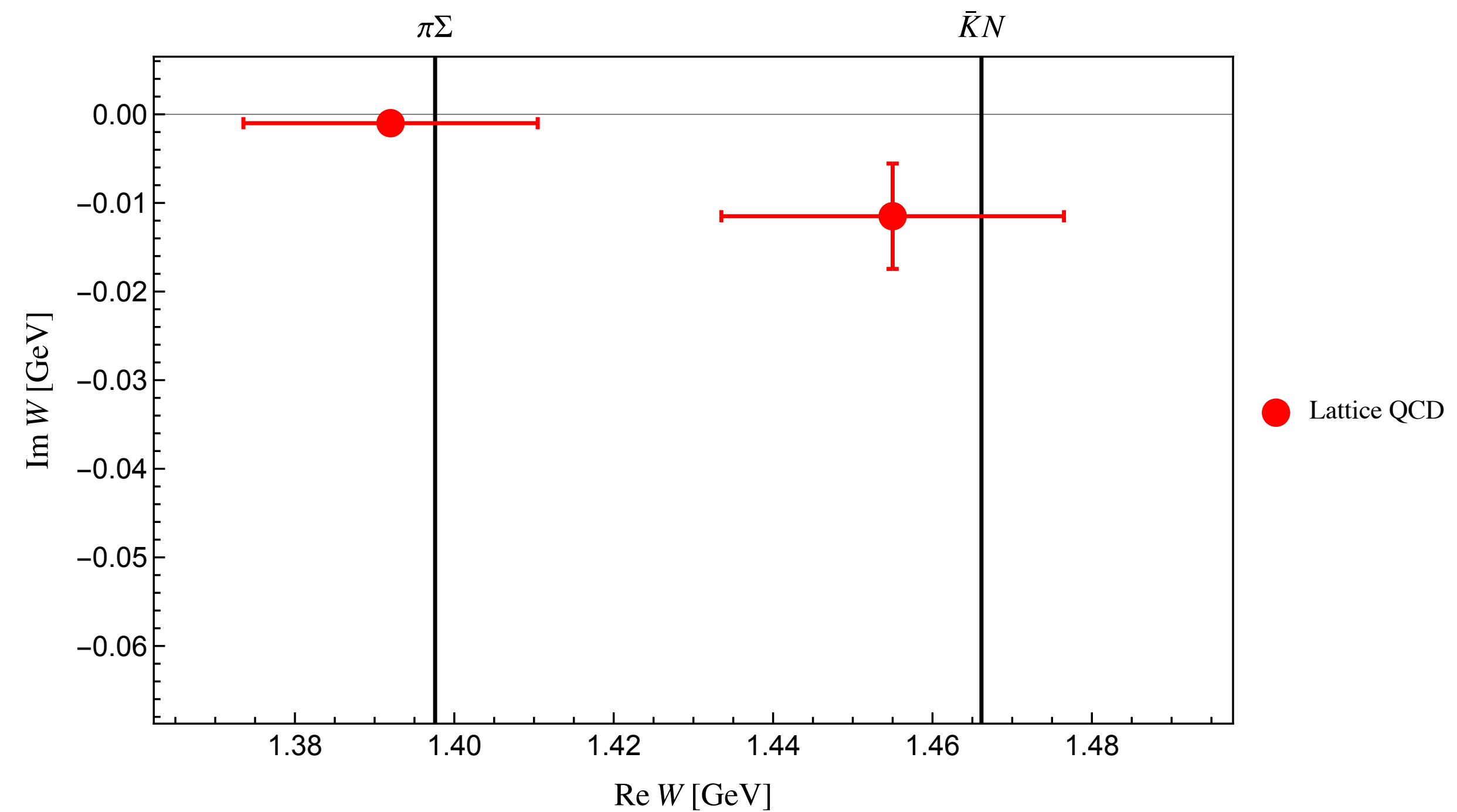
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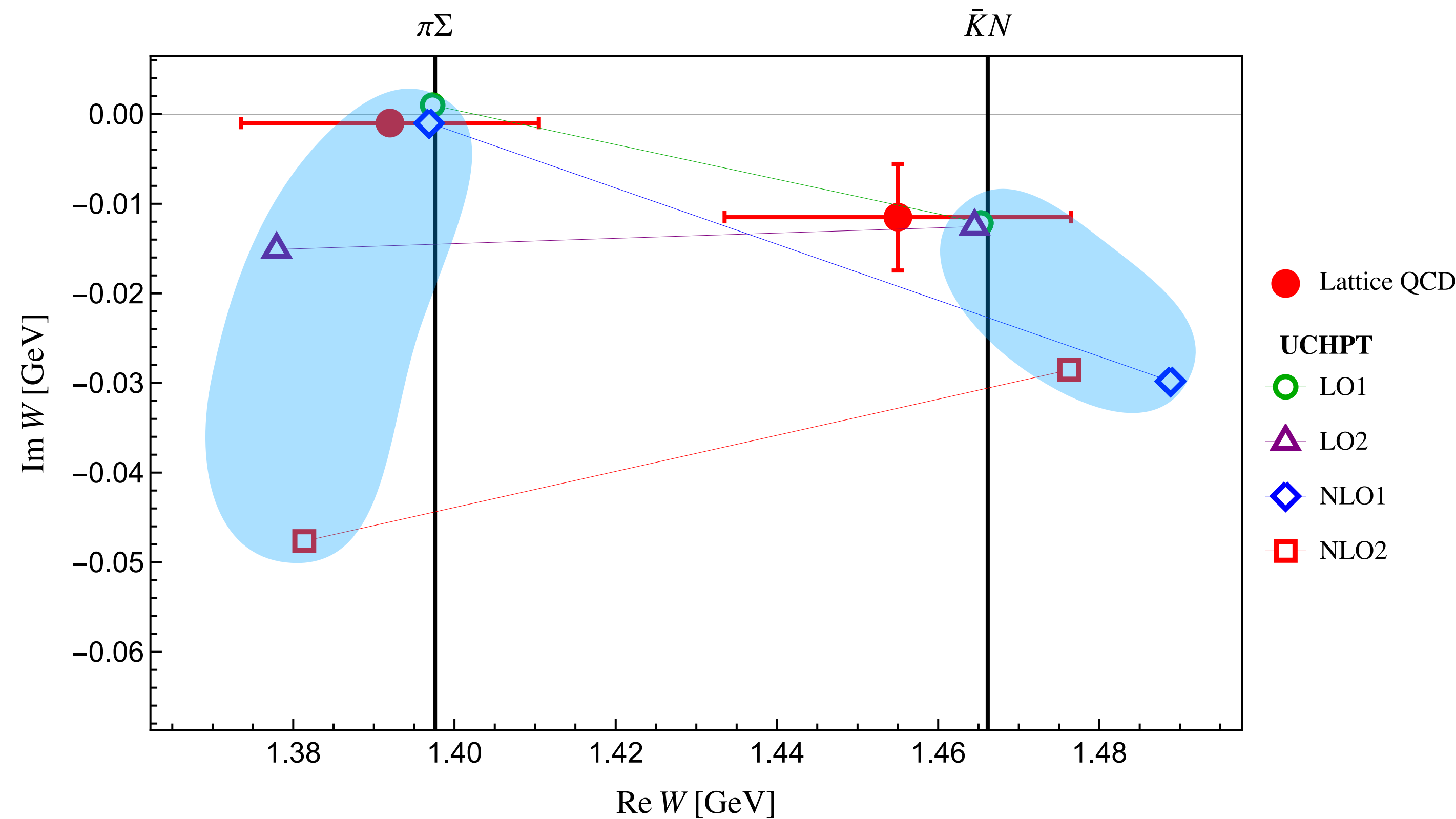
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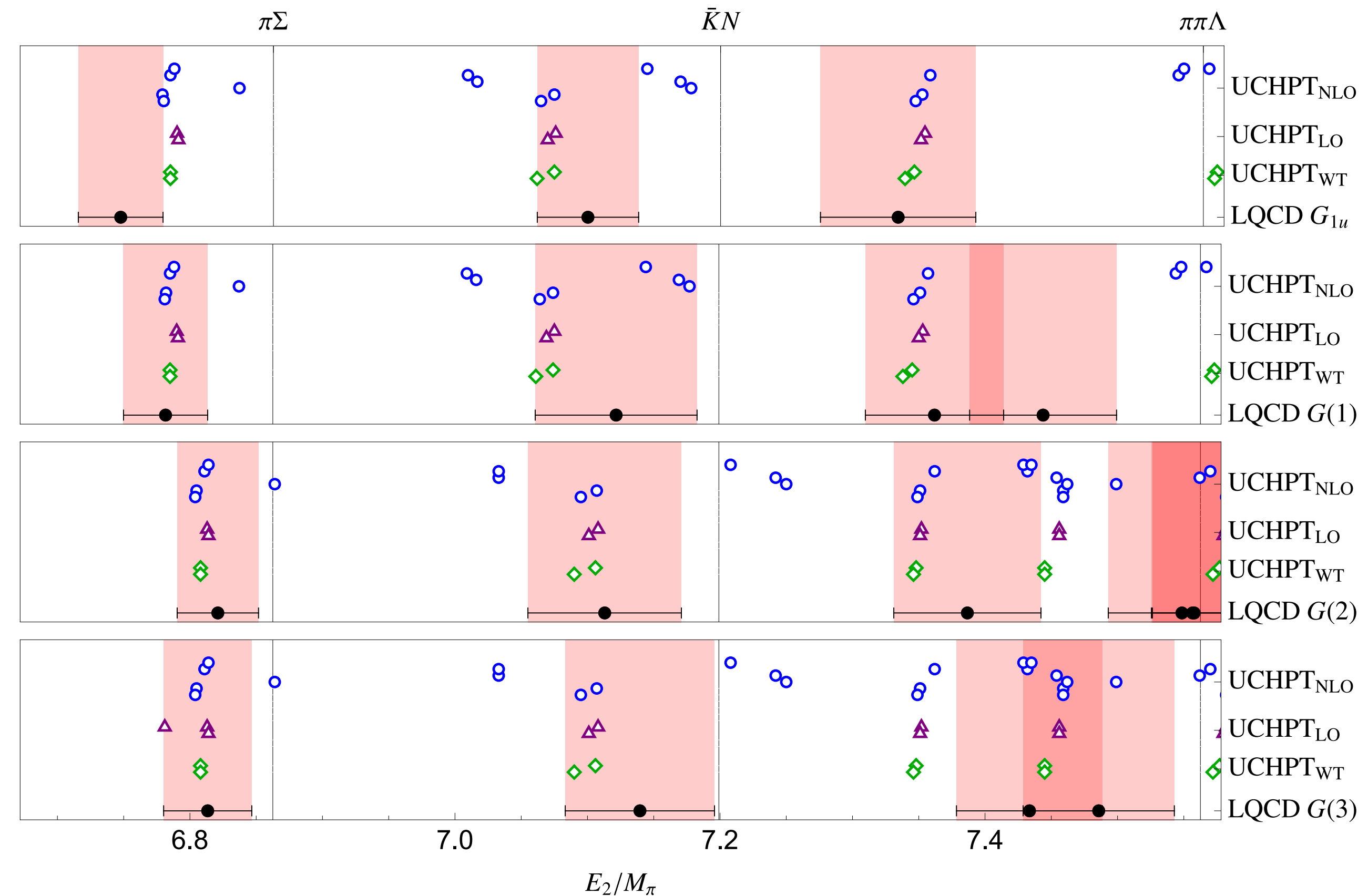
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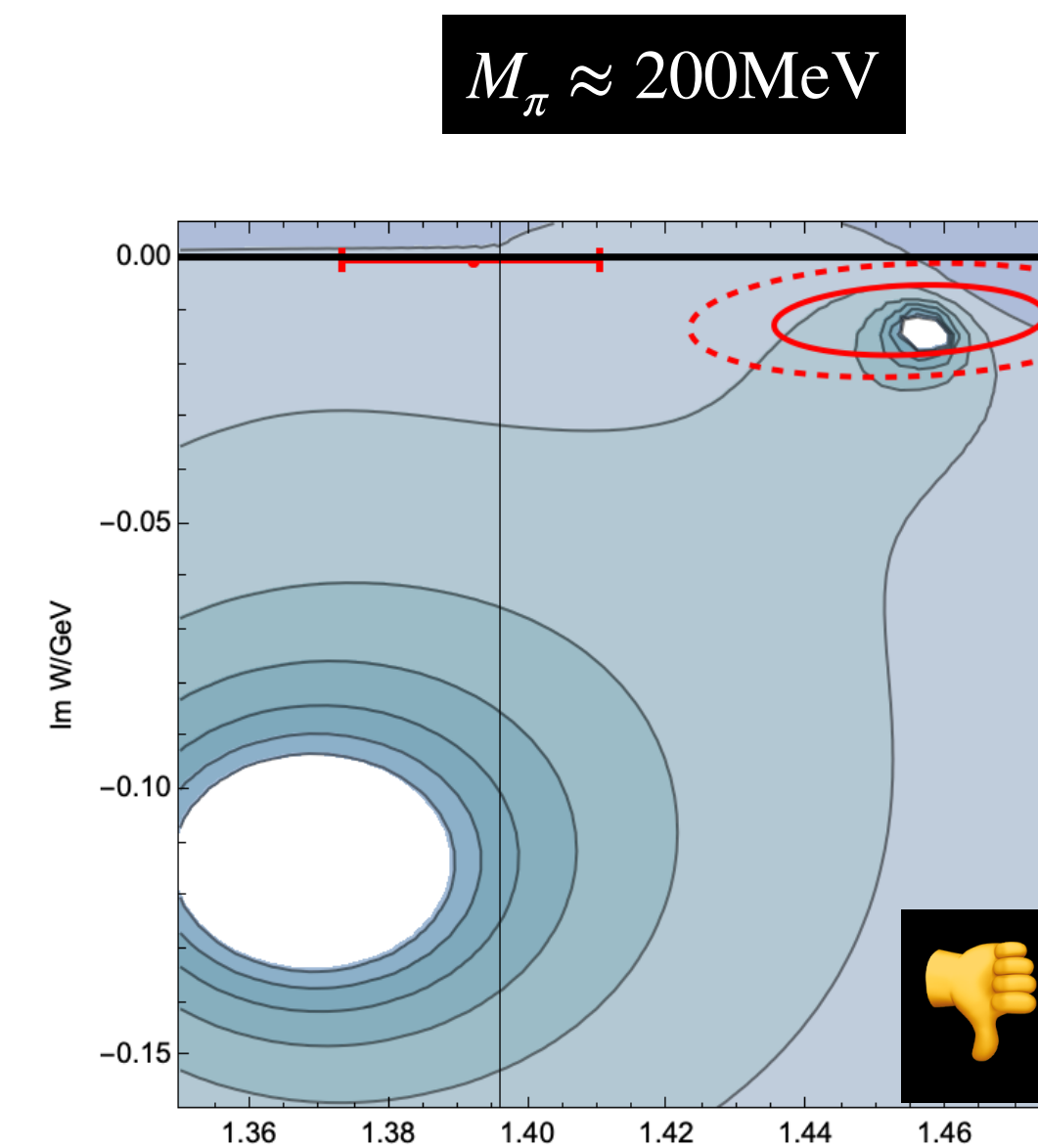
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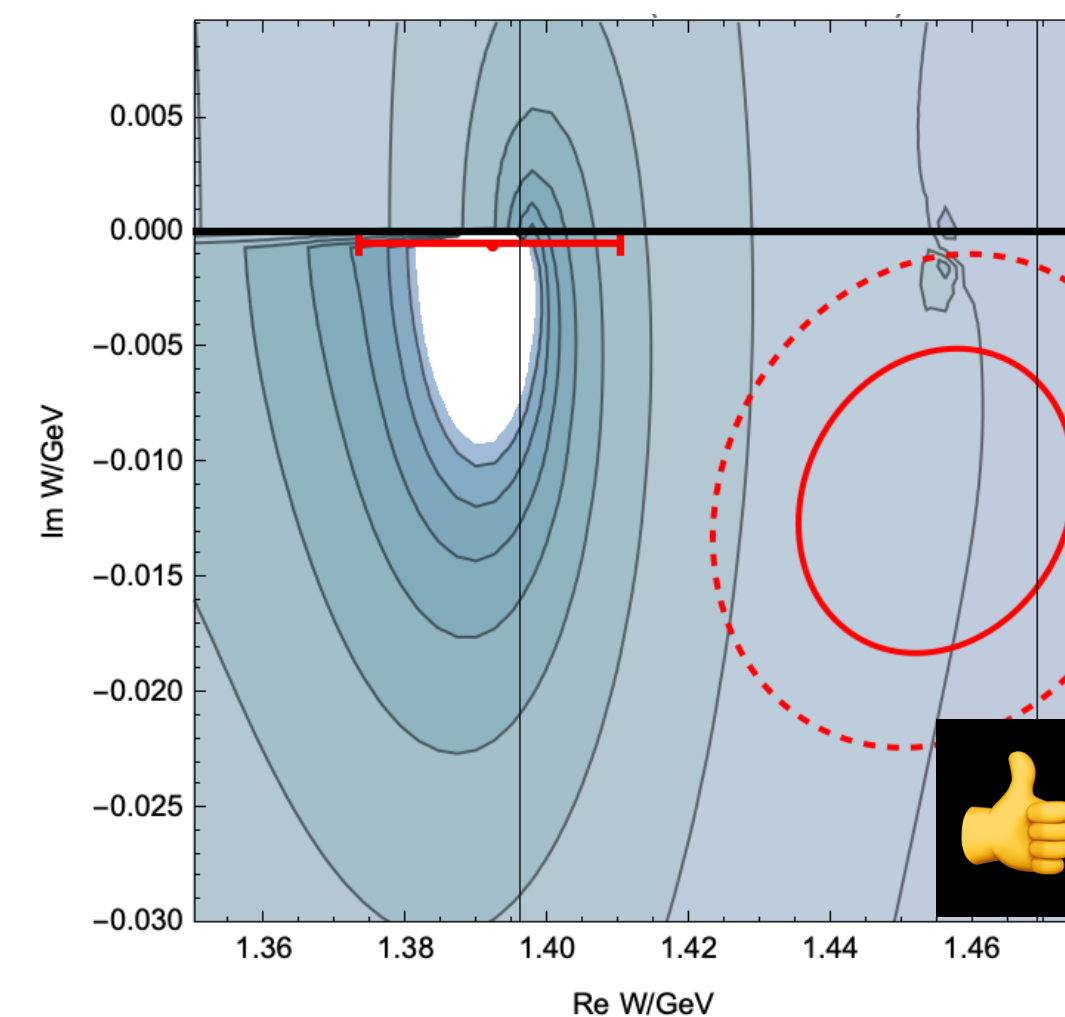
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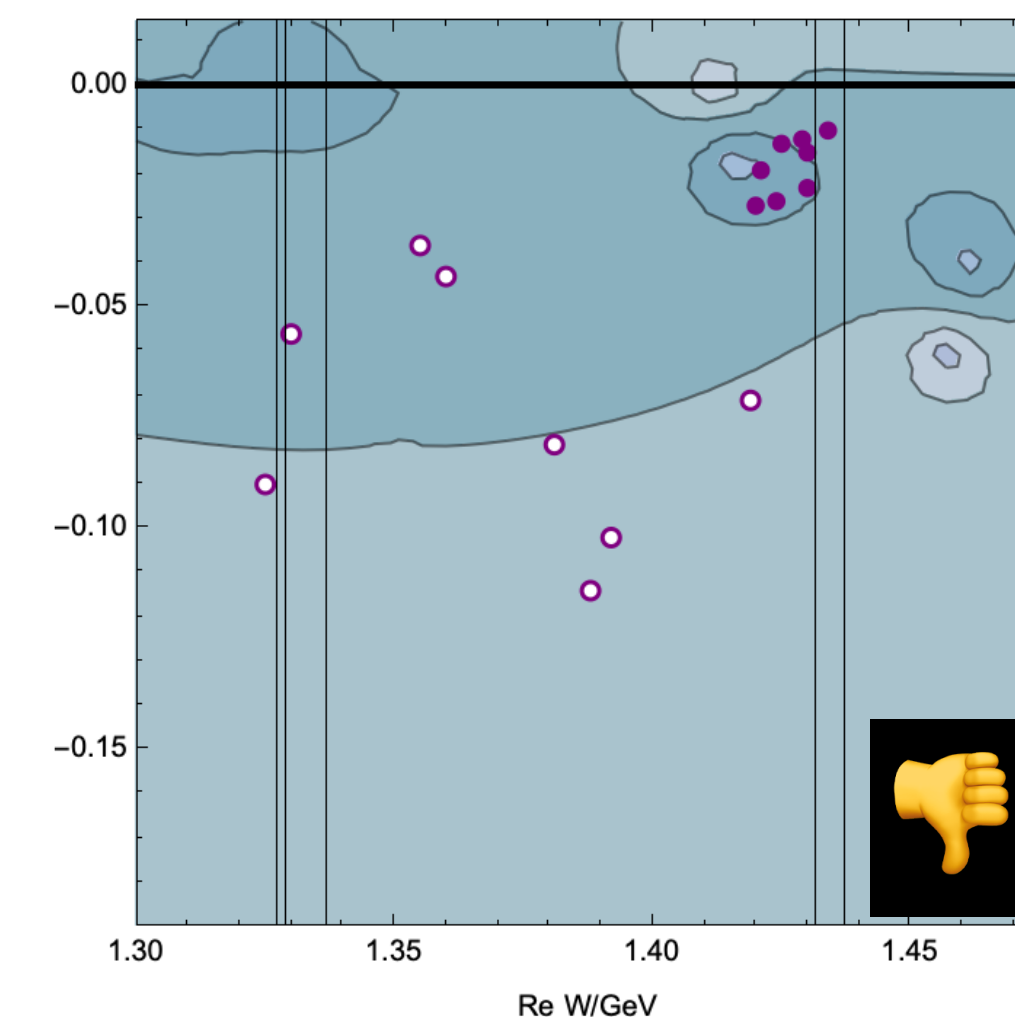
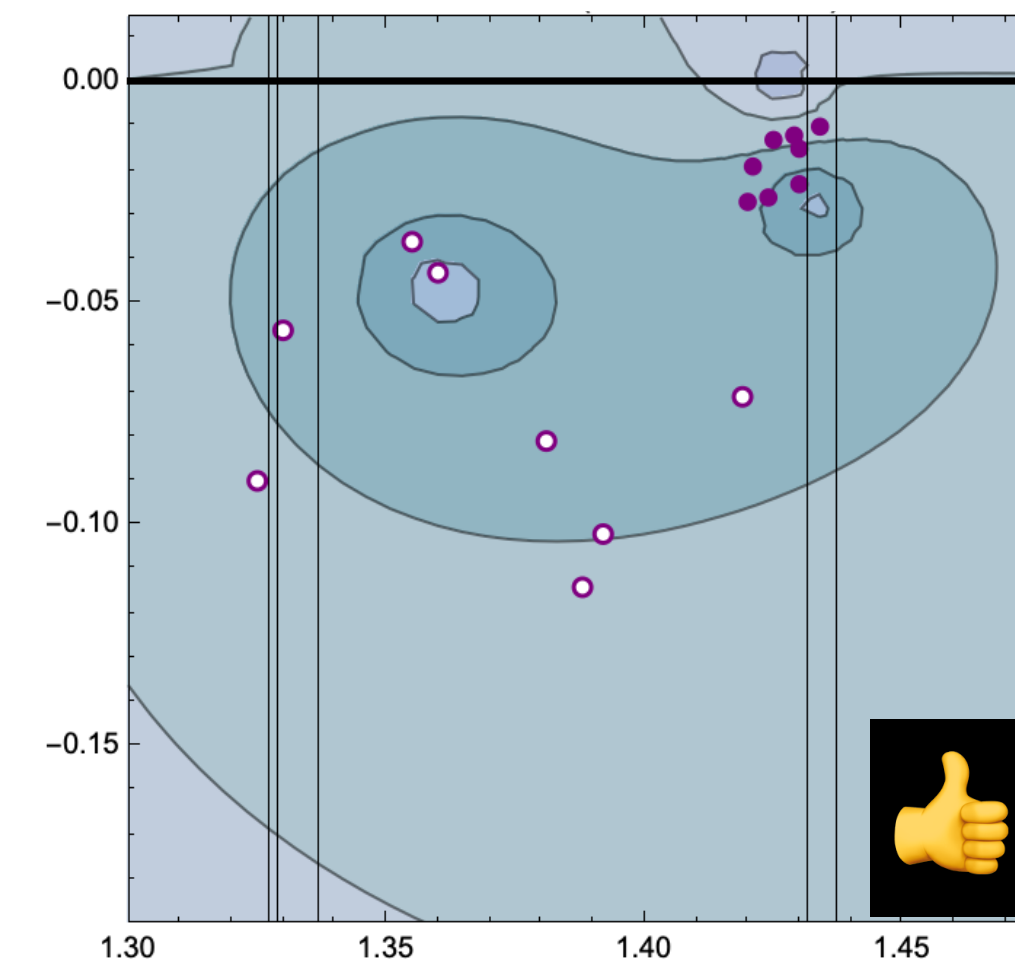


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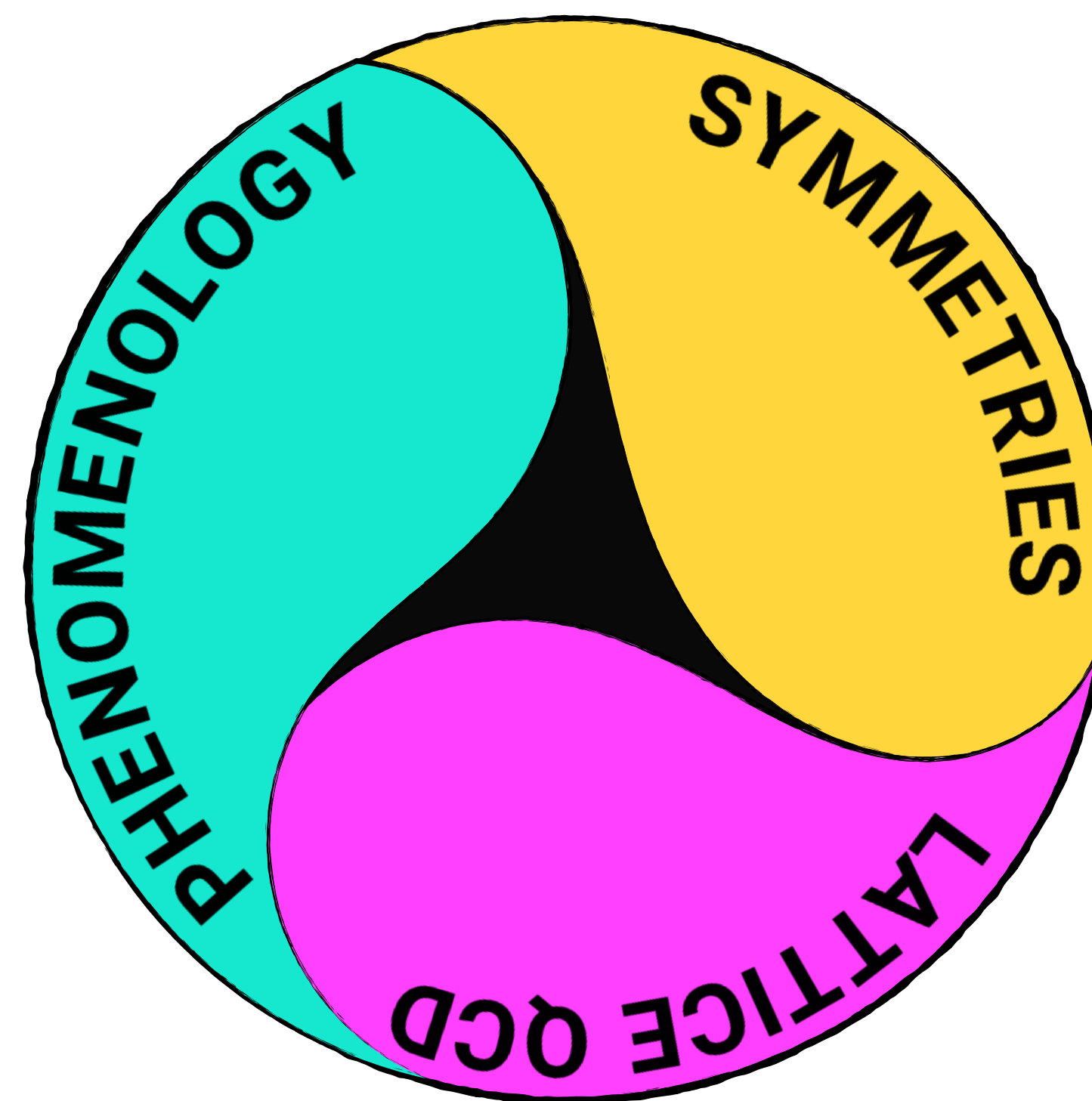
• LQCD/Kmatrix

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• UCHPT/1405 • UCHPT/1380

THREE-HADRON STATES



Most known states have large 3-body content

Review: MM/Meißner/Urbach *Phys.Rept.* 1001 (2023) 1-66

- $\omega(782) \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$
- $a_1(1260) \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$
- $N(1440) \rightarrow \pi\pi N$
- $X(3872) \rightarrow DD\pi$

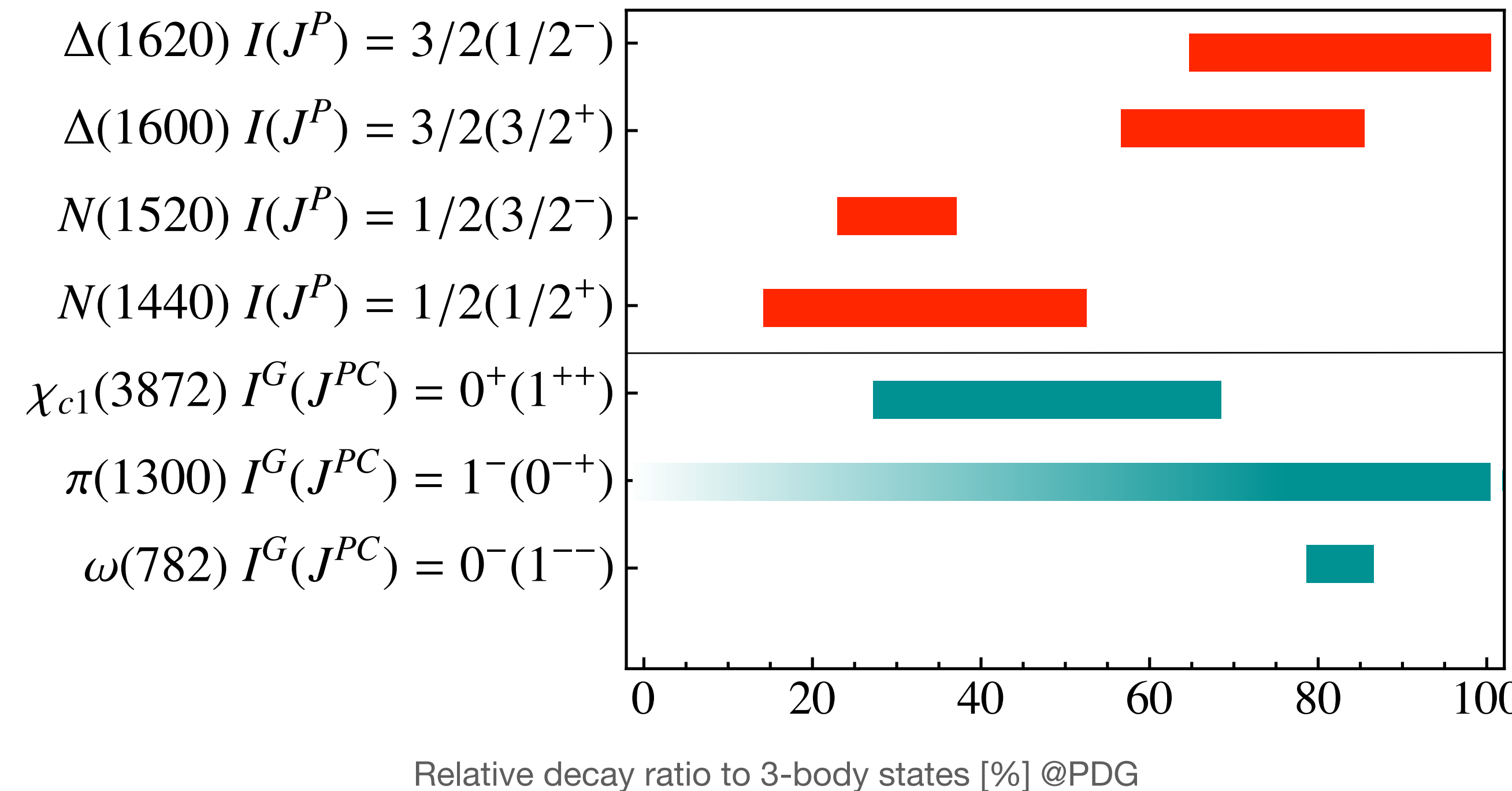
Beyond Standard Model searches (τ -EDM/...)

Exotic states of matter

GlueX@JLAB; COMPASS@CERN;

Triangle Singularities, long-range forces ...

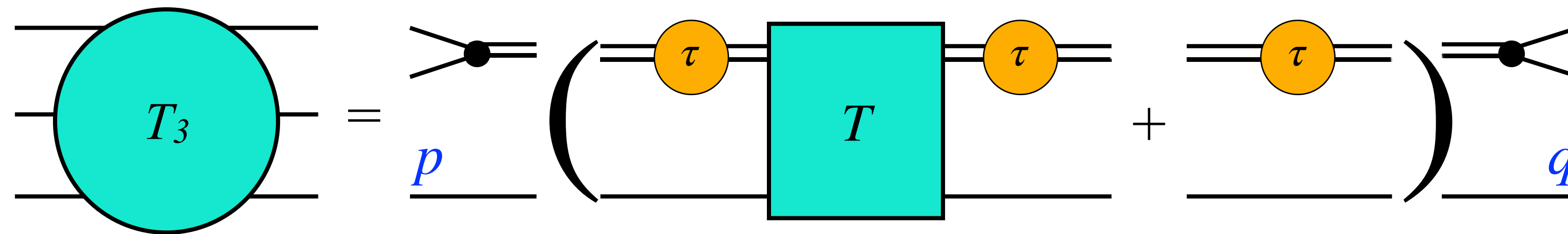
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- 3 asymptotic states (scalar particles of equal mass m)

- Connectedness structure of matrix elements

Olive/Eden/... "The Analytic S-matrix"



isobar-parametrization of two-body amplitude by

Bedaque, Griesshammer (1999)

- “isobars” with right-hand-singularities $\tau(\sigma_p = s + m^2 - 2\sqrt{p^2 + m^2}\sqrt{s})$
- in general a tower of “isobars” for $L=0,1,2,\dots$
- coupling to asymptotic states: cut-free vertex function $v_{a \rightarrow bc}(p_b, p_c)$

Connected part: isobar-spectator interaction $\rightarrow T(q, p; s)$

R. Aaron, R. D. Amado, and J. E. Young, Phys.Rev. 174, 2022 (1968)

>> Stable isobars assumed <<

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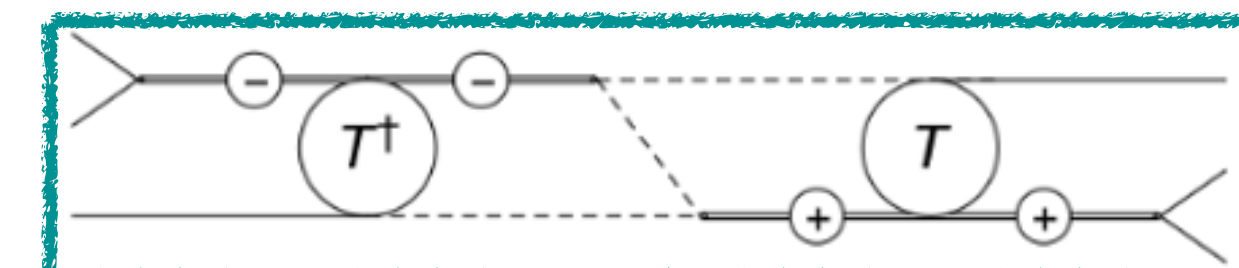
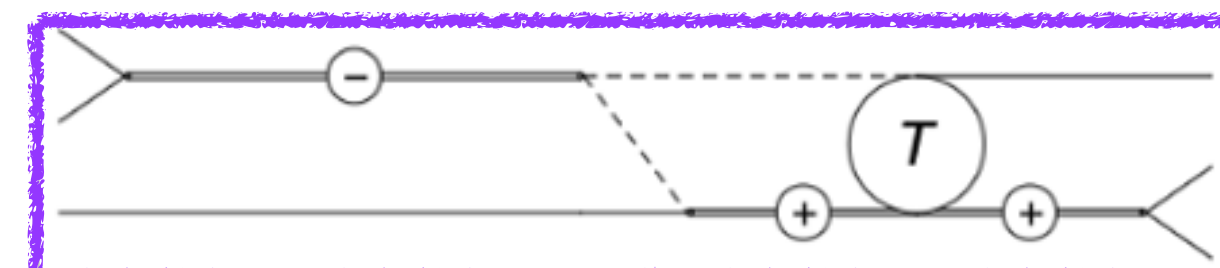
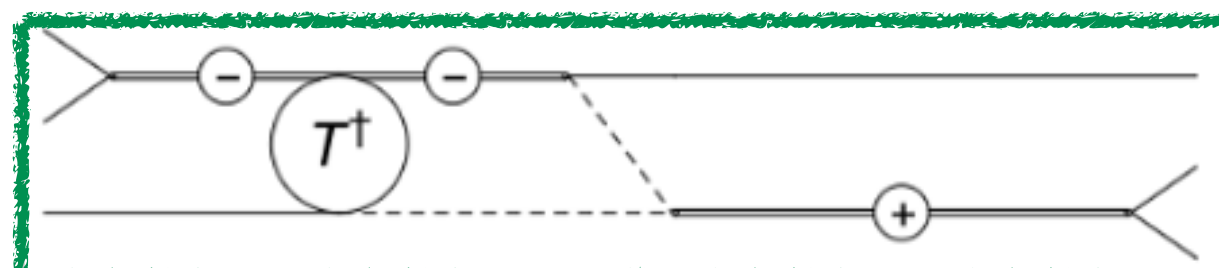
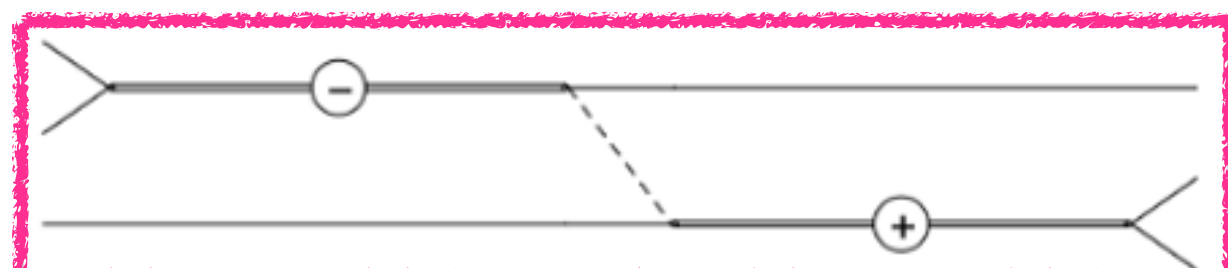
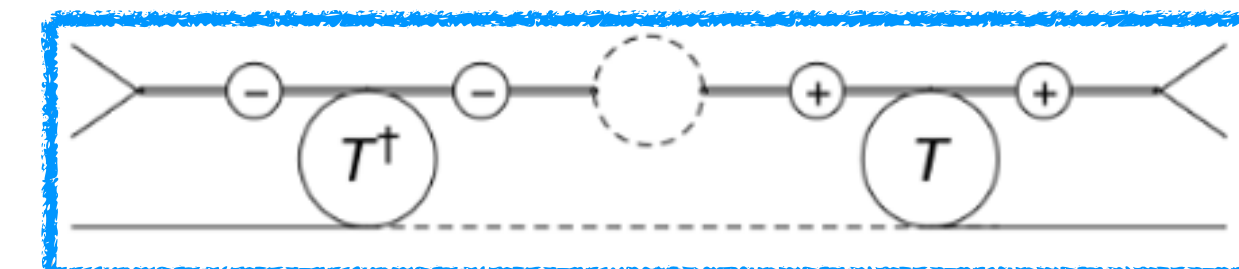
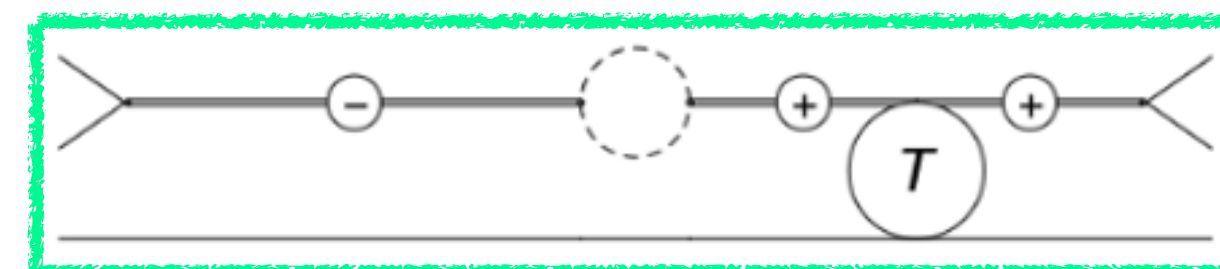
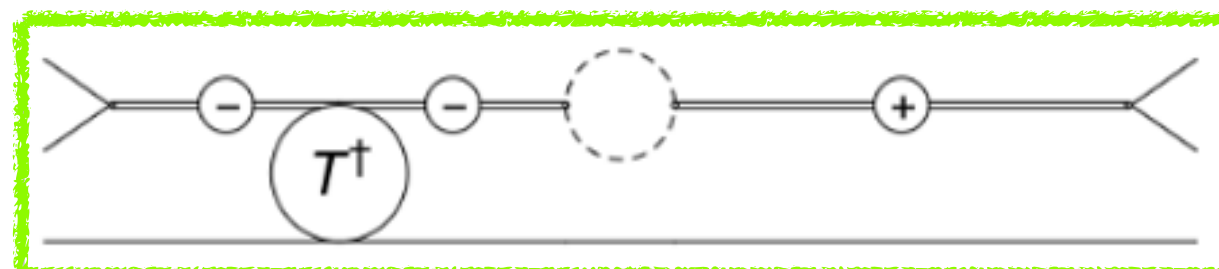
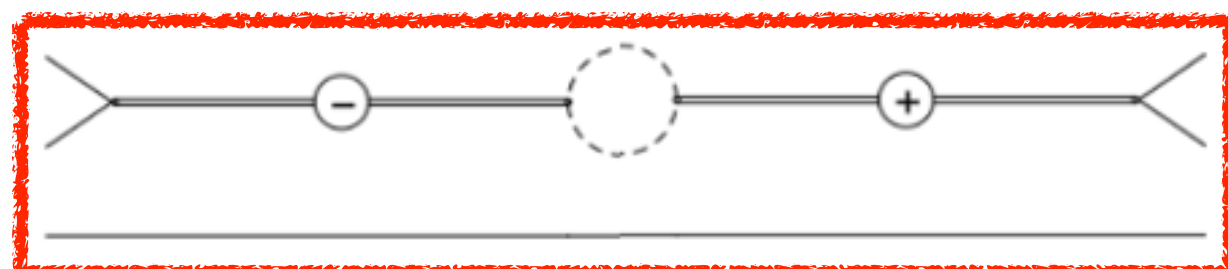
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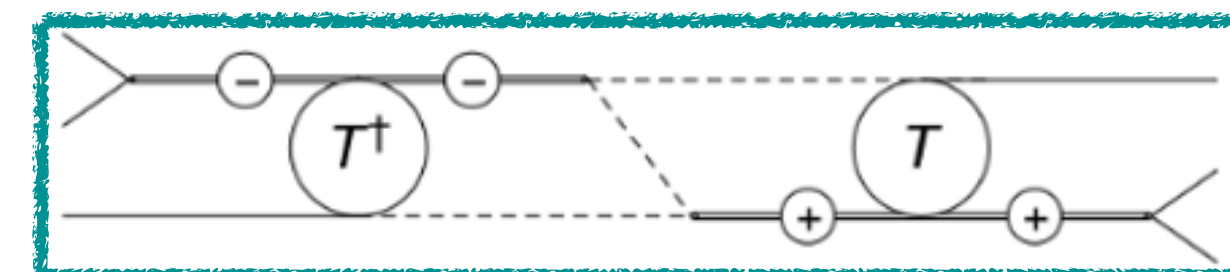
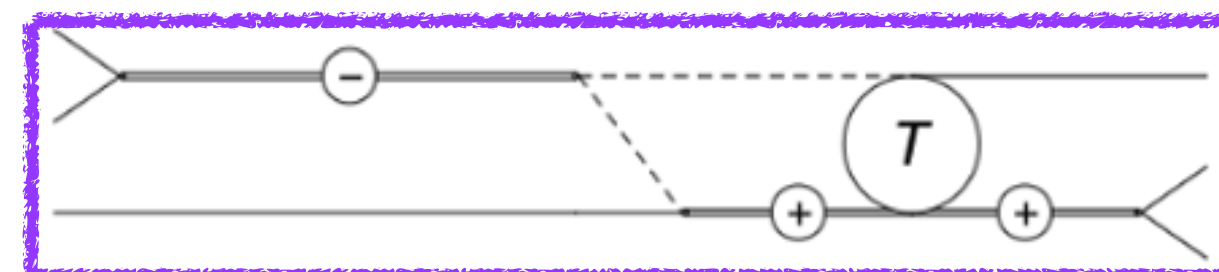
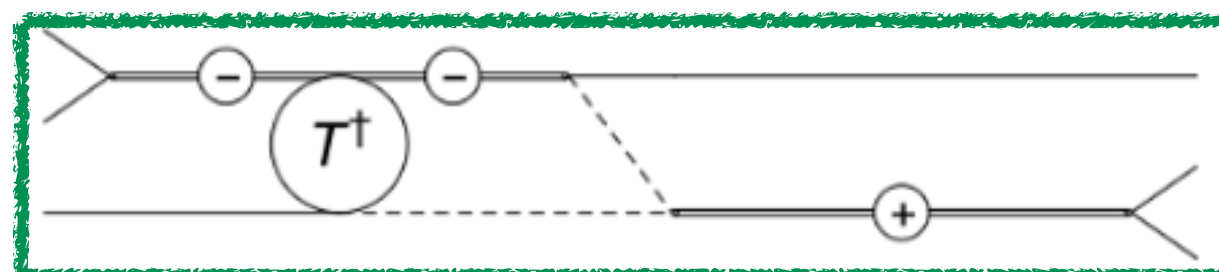
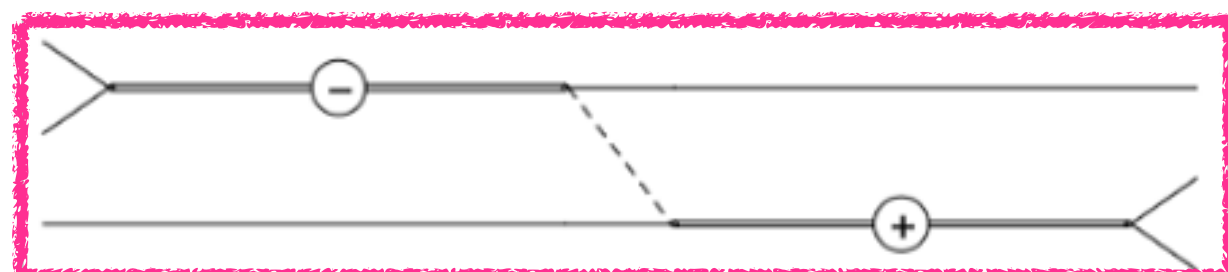
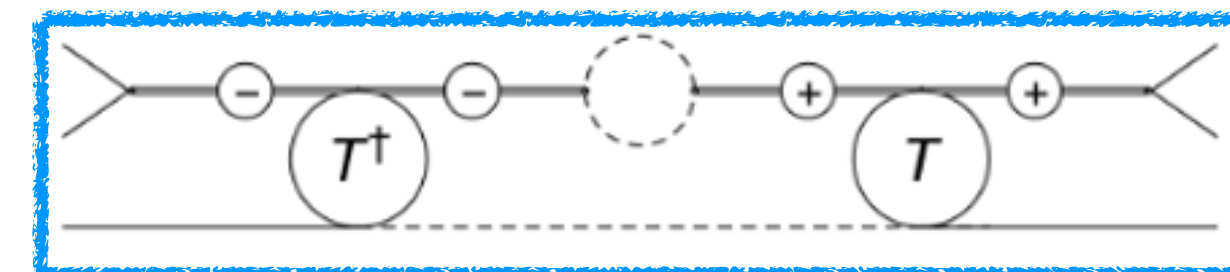
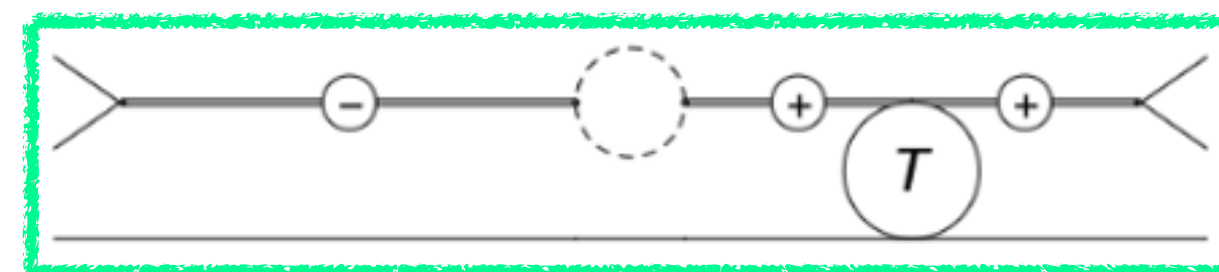
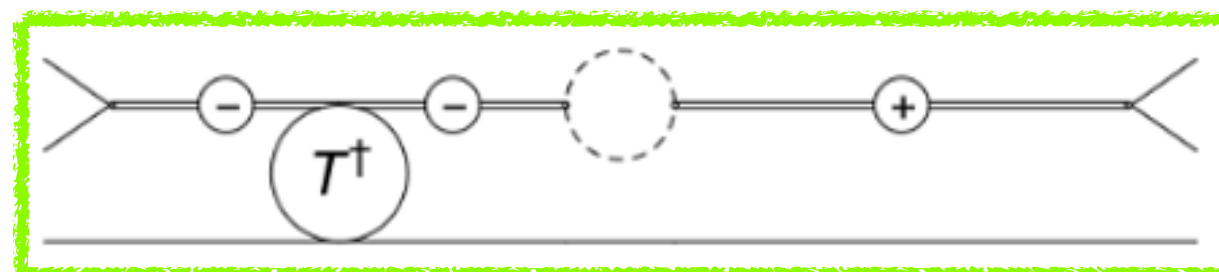
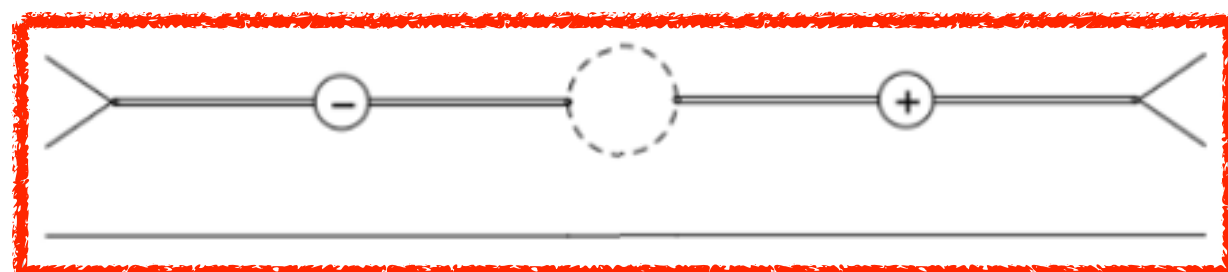
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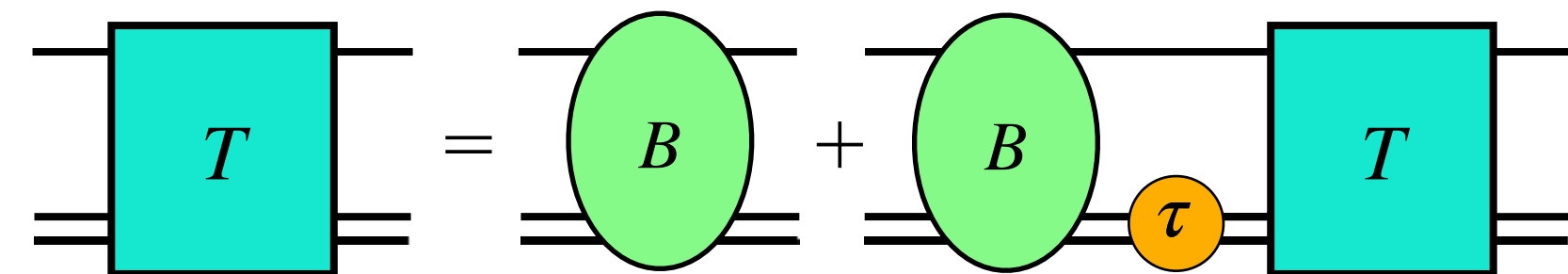
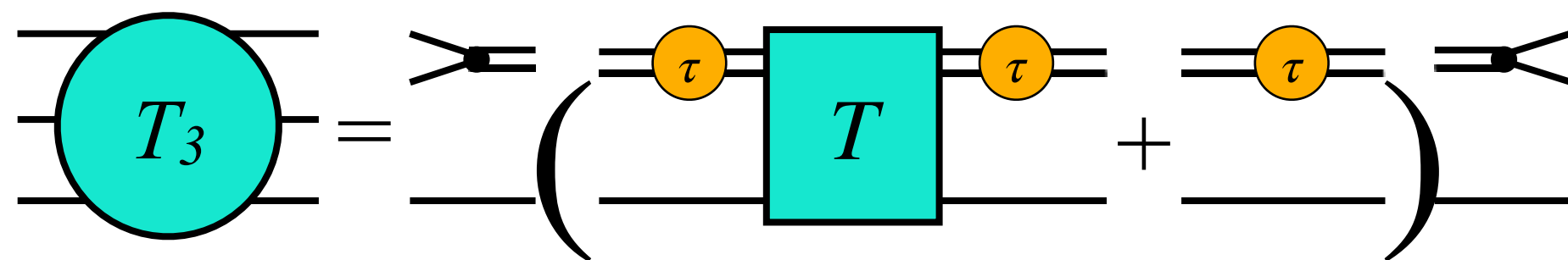
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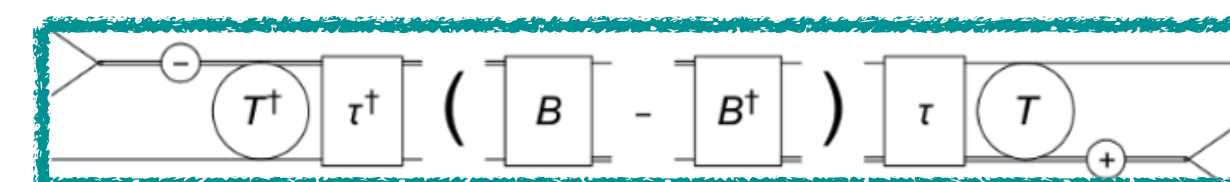
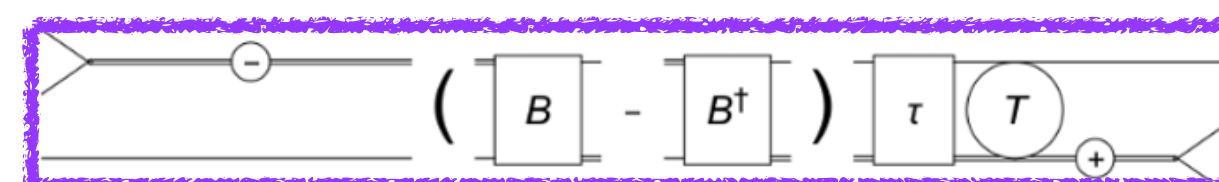
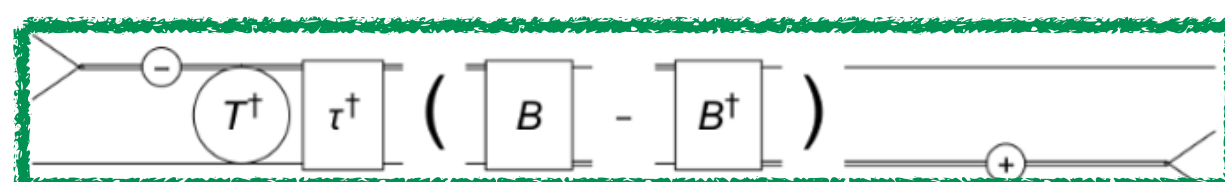
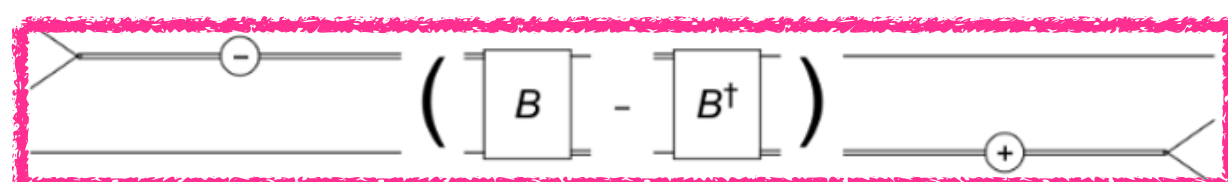
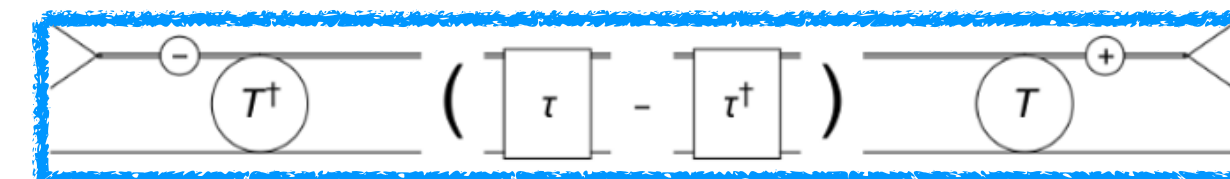
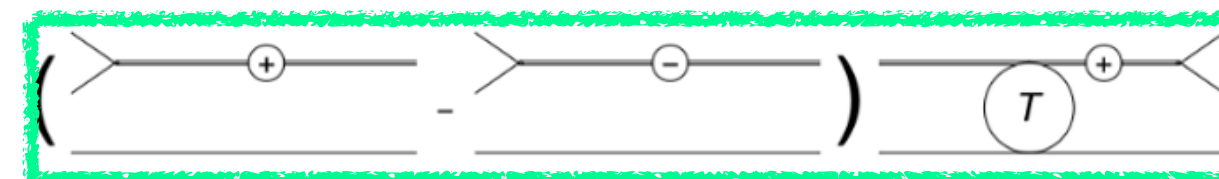
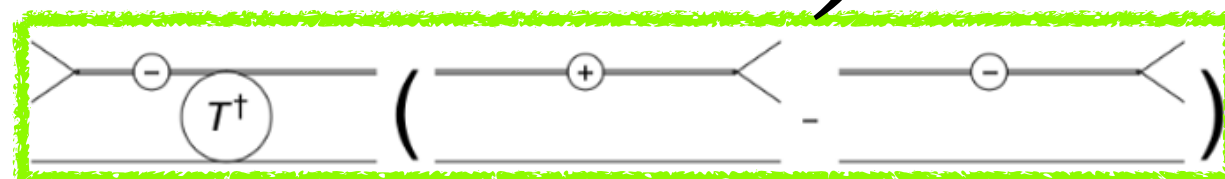
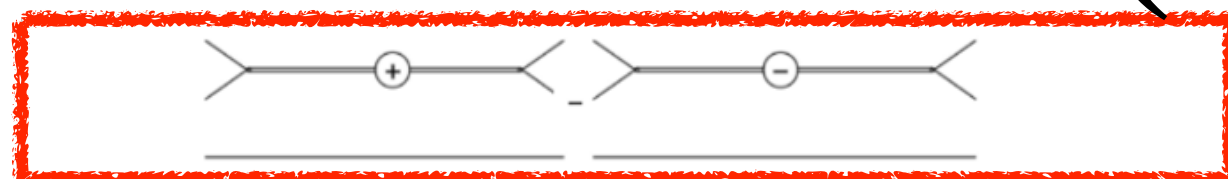
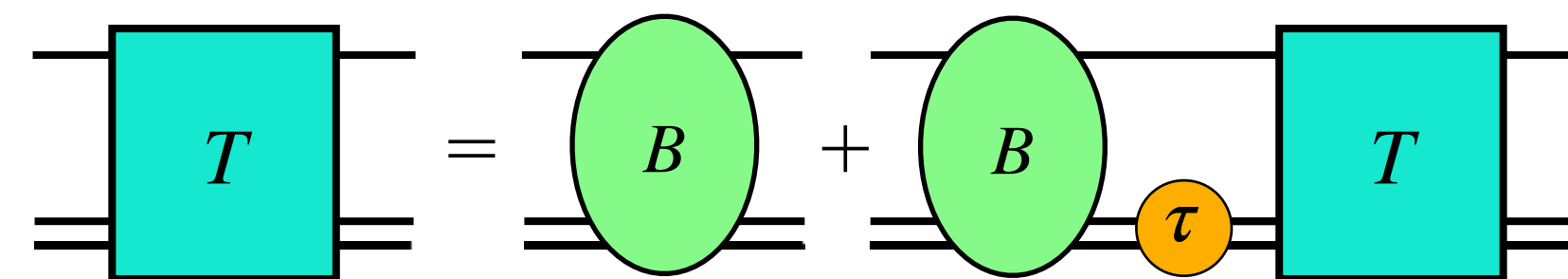
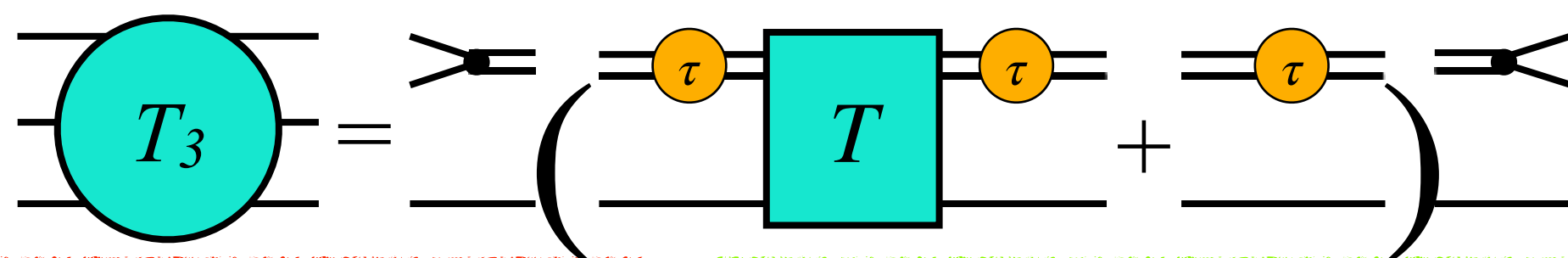
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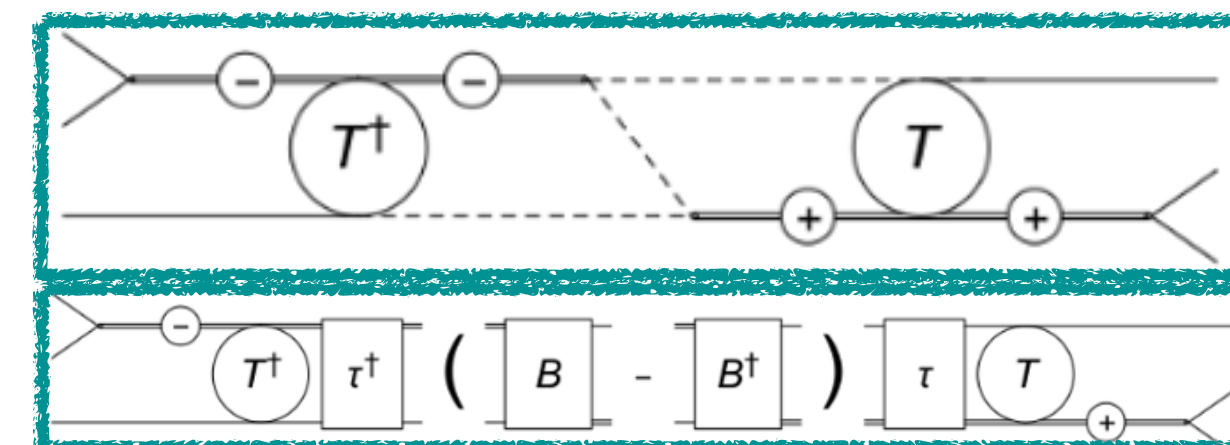
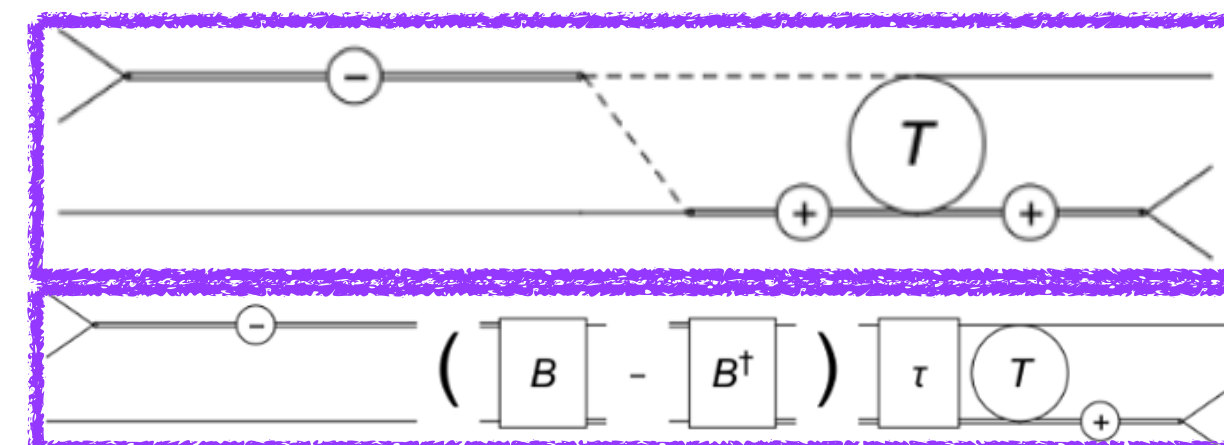
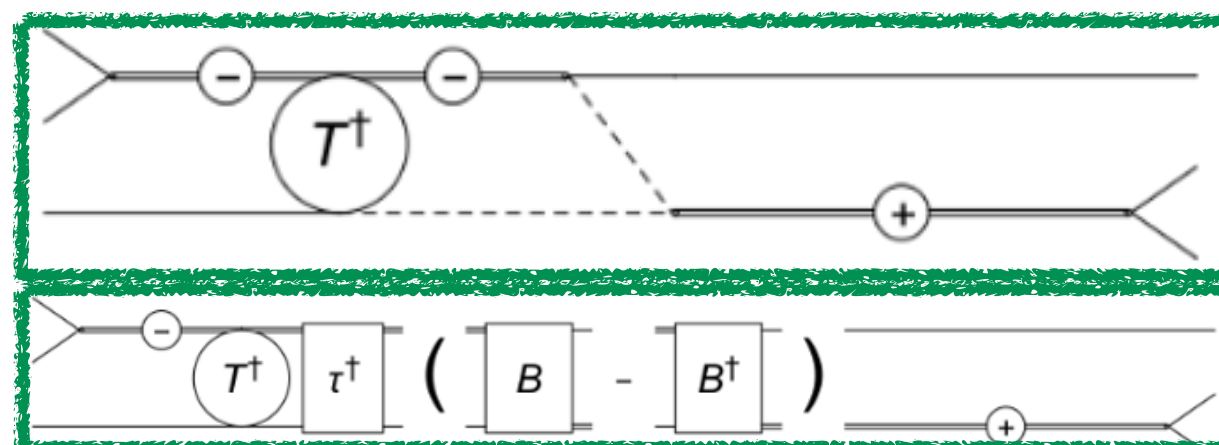
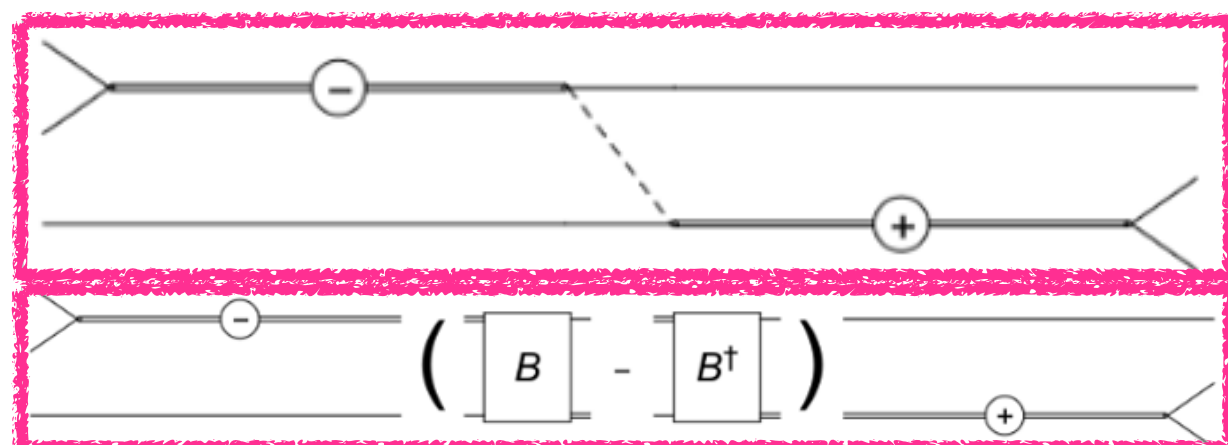
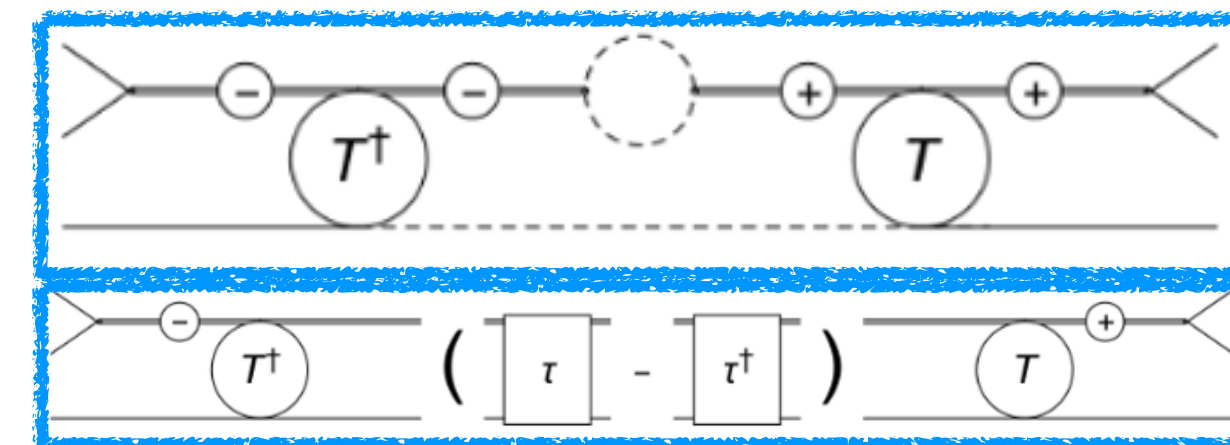
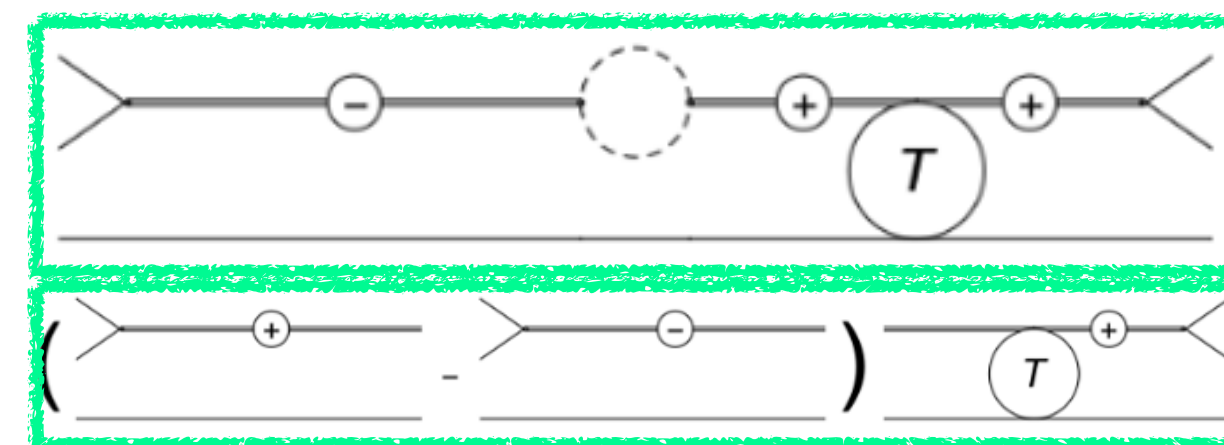
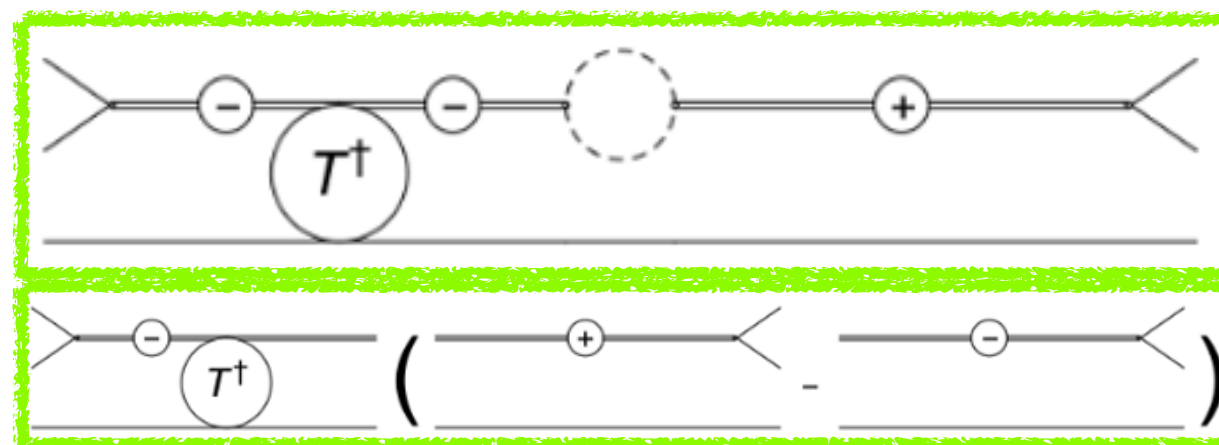
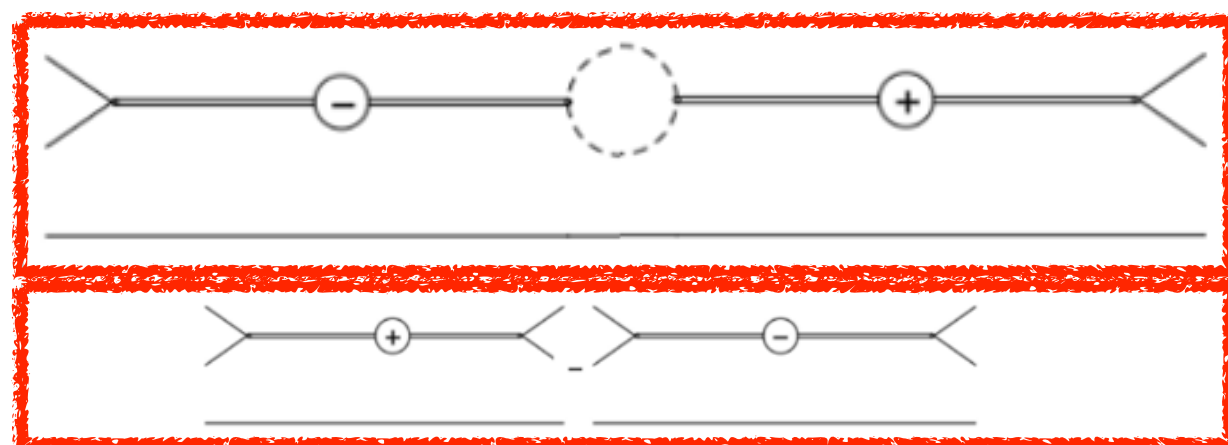
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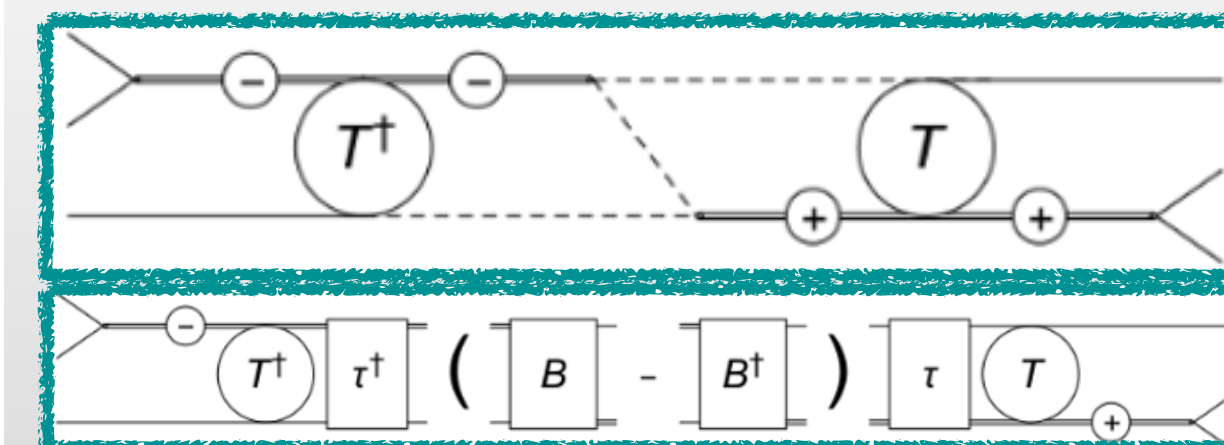
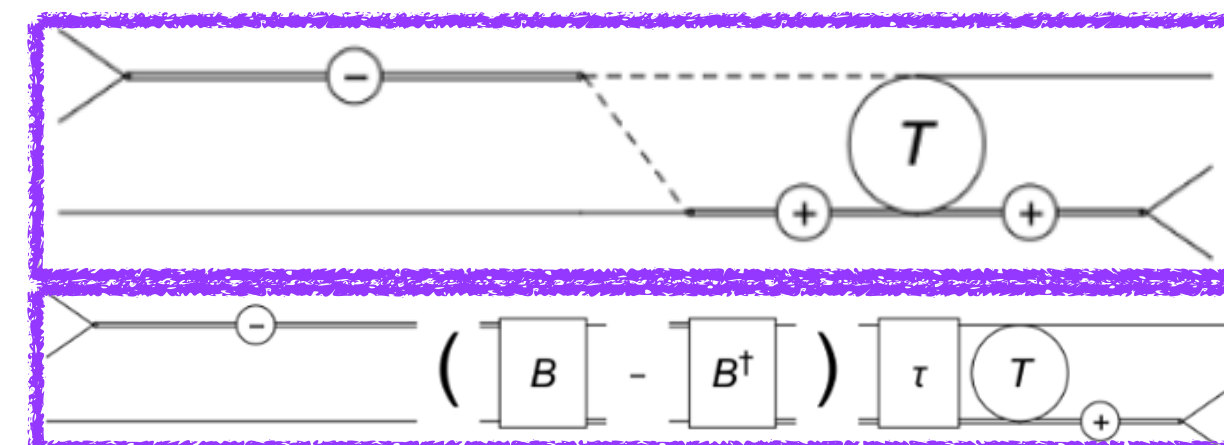
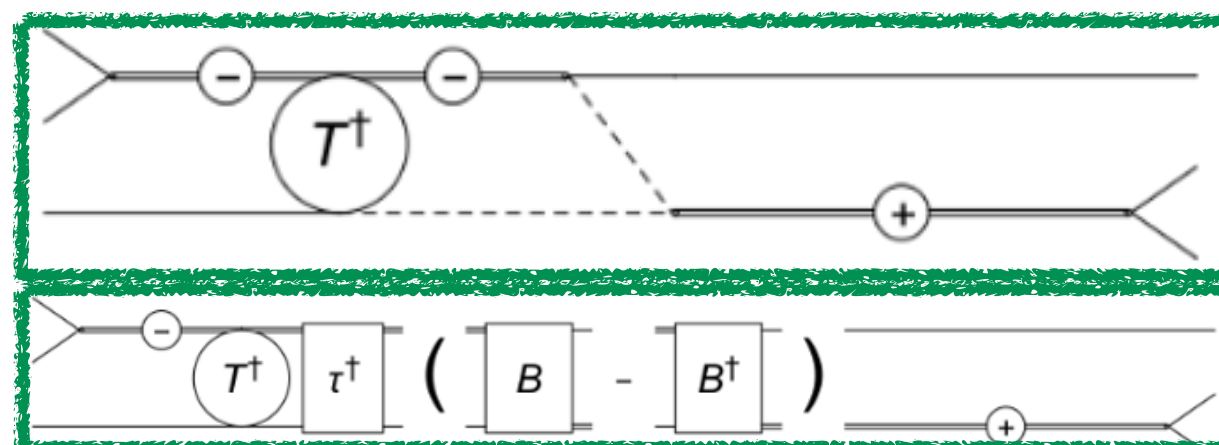
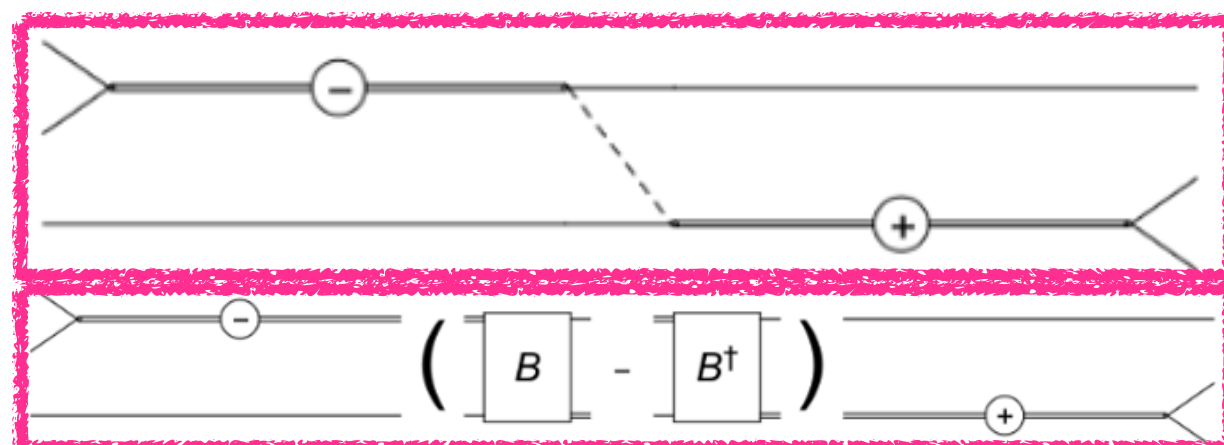
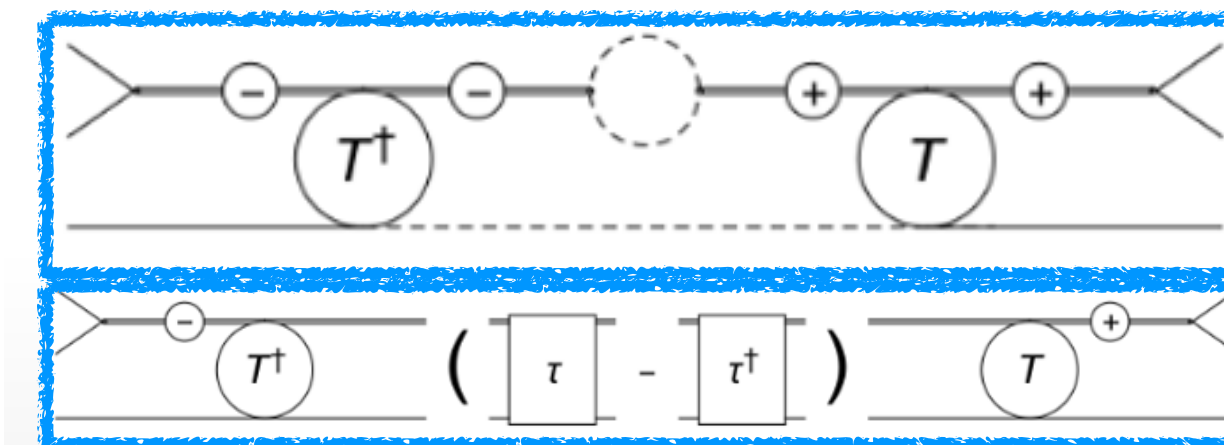
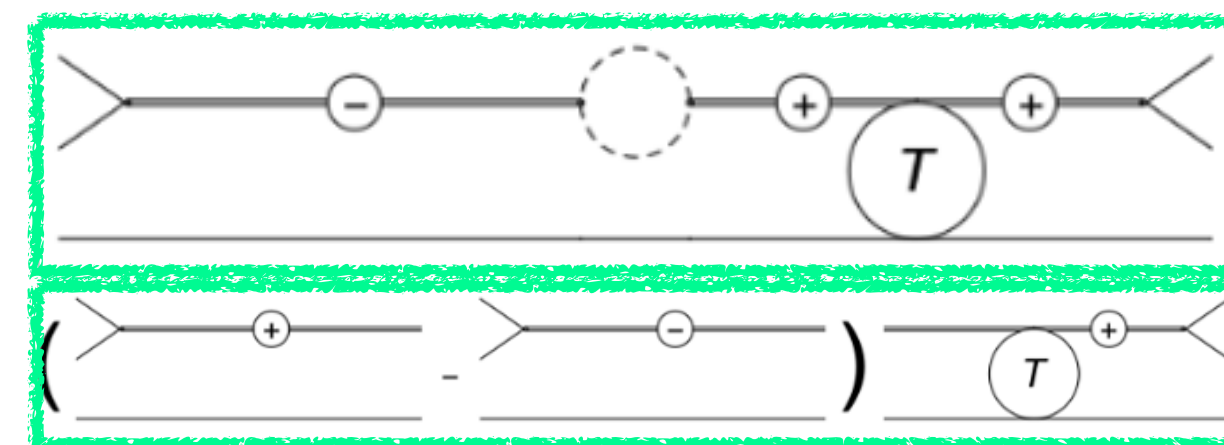
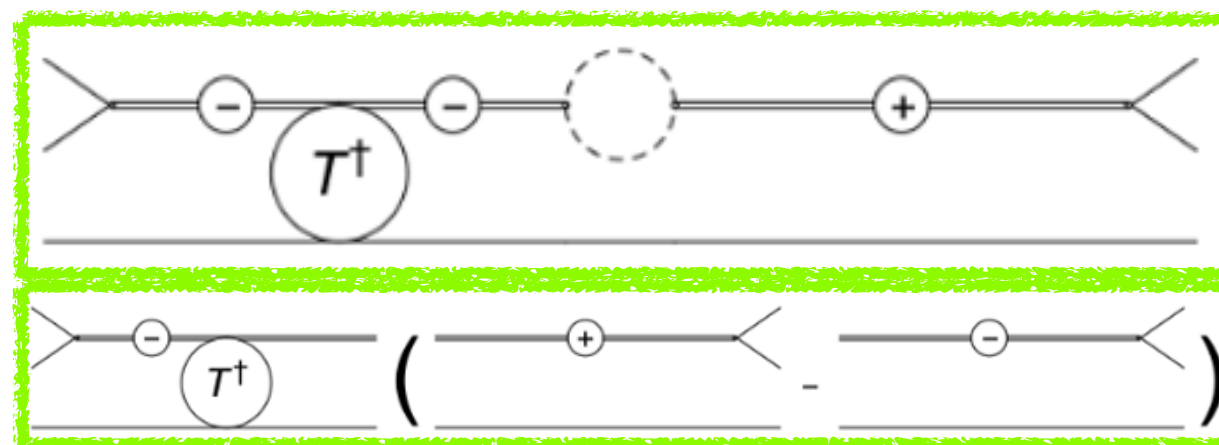
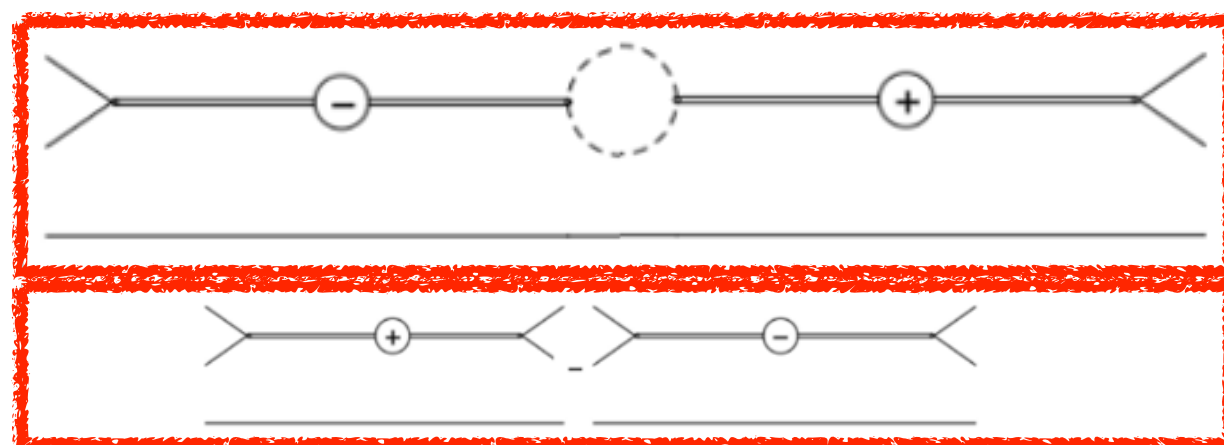
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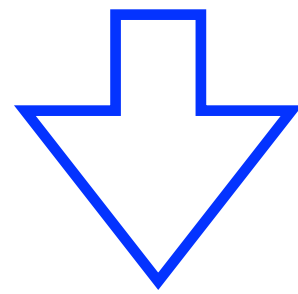
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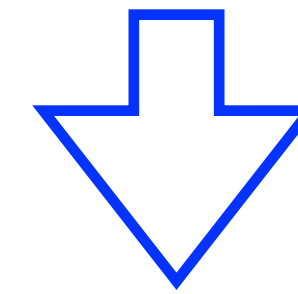
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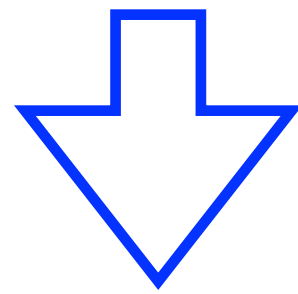
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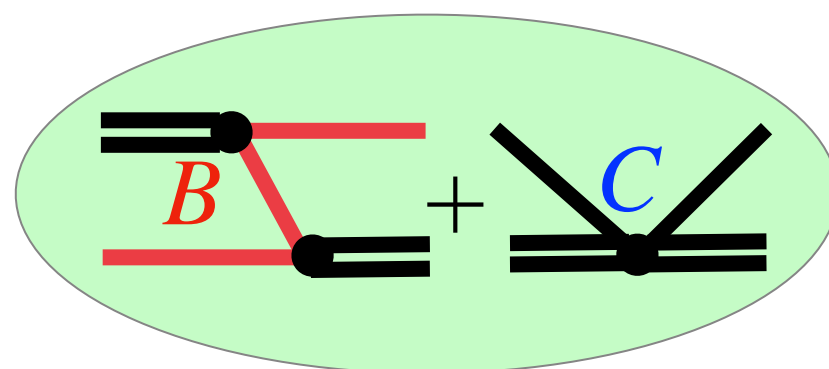
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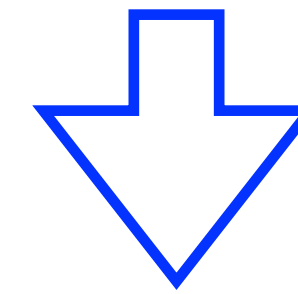
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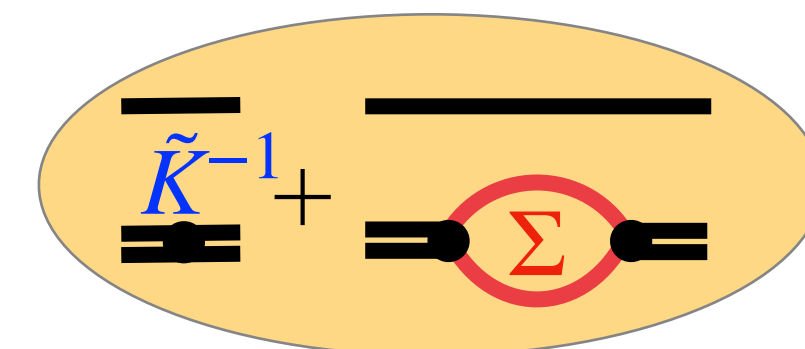
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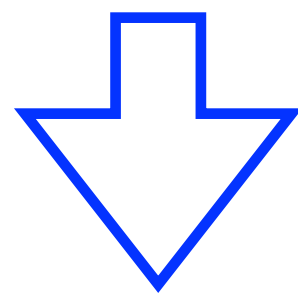
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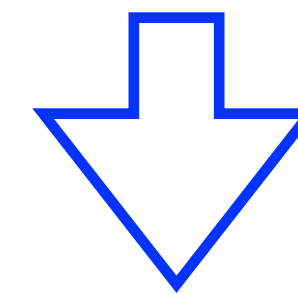
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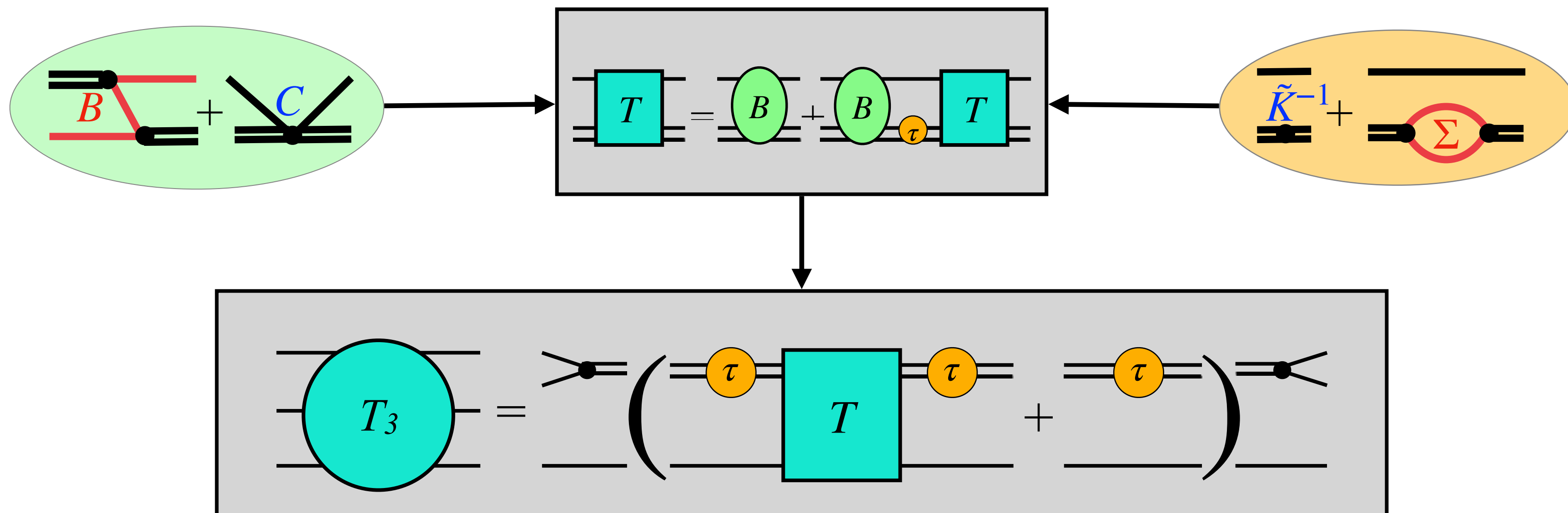


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“Infinite Volume Unitarity” – IVU formalism

- Three-body scattering amplitude

MM/Hu/Döring/Pilloni/Szczepaniak Eur.Phys.J.A 53 (2017)

Related: Hansen/Sharpe(2014), Wunderlich et al. JHEP 08 (2019); Jackura et al. Eur.Phys.J.C 79 (2019);

- Express 3-body through 2+1 system

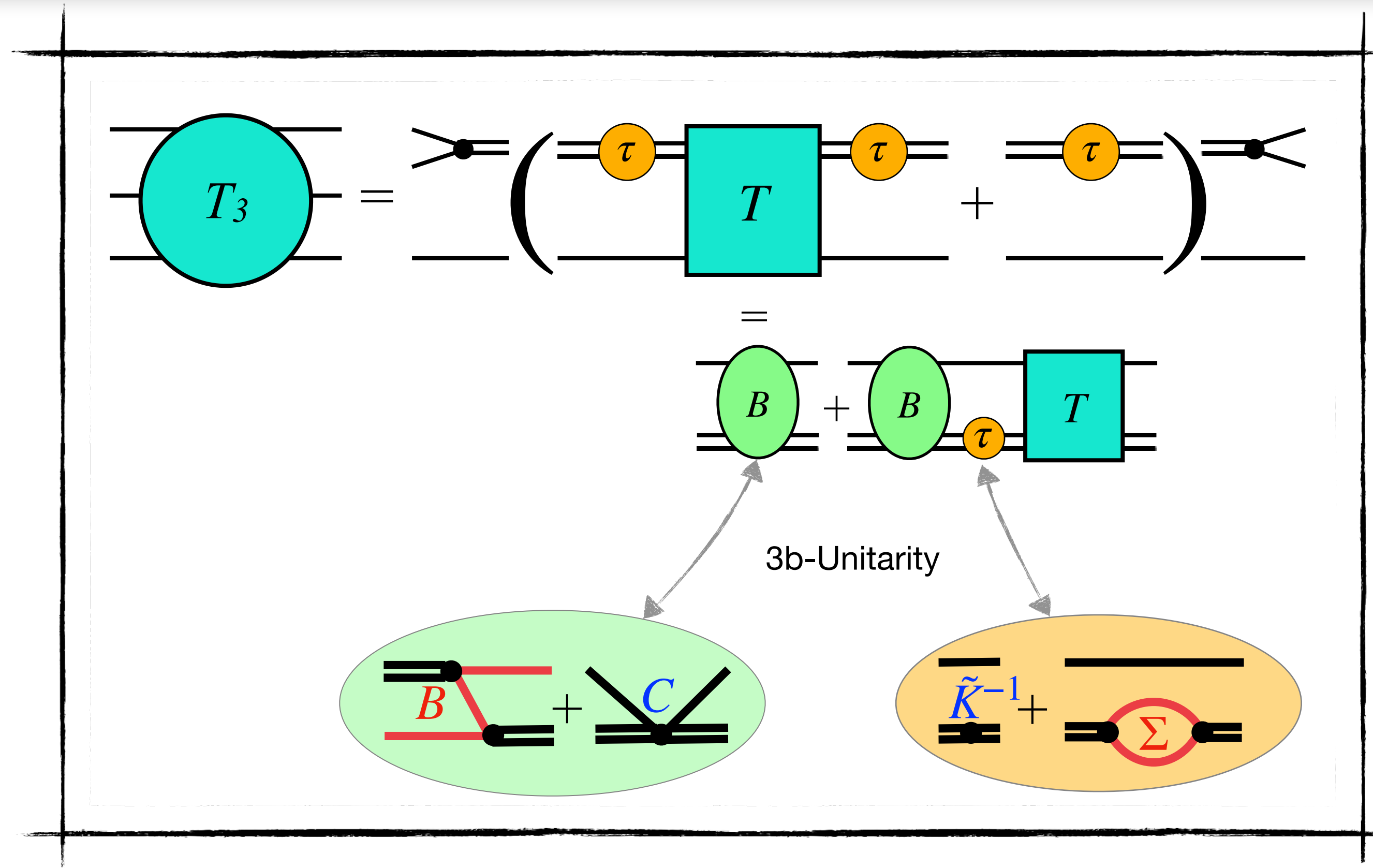
- 3b-Unitarity:

- On-shell configs (B, Σ) – fixed

- Off-shell parts ($C, \tilde{K}$) – input

- Generalised to all channels + strangeness

Feng+ 2407.08721 [nucl-th]



$$T^c = B + C + \int \frac{d^3\ell}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{(B + C)}{2E_l} \frac{1}{\tilde{K}^{-1} - \Sigma} T^c$$

IVU

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- 3b scattering equation necessarily: Integral equation

Singularities:

- One-particle exchange diagram
- Two-body self energy

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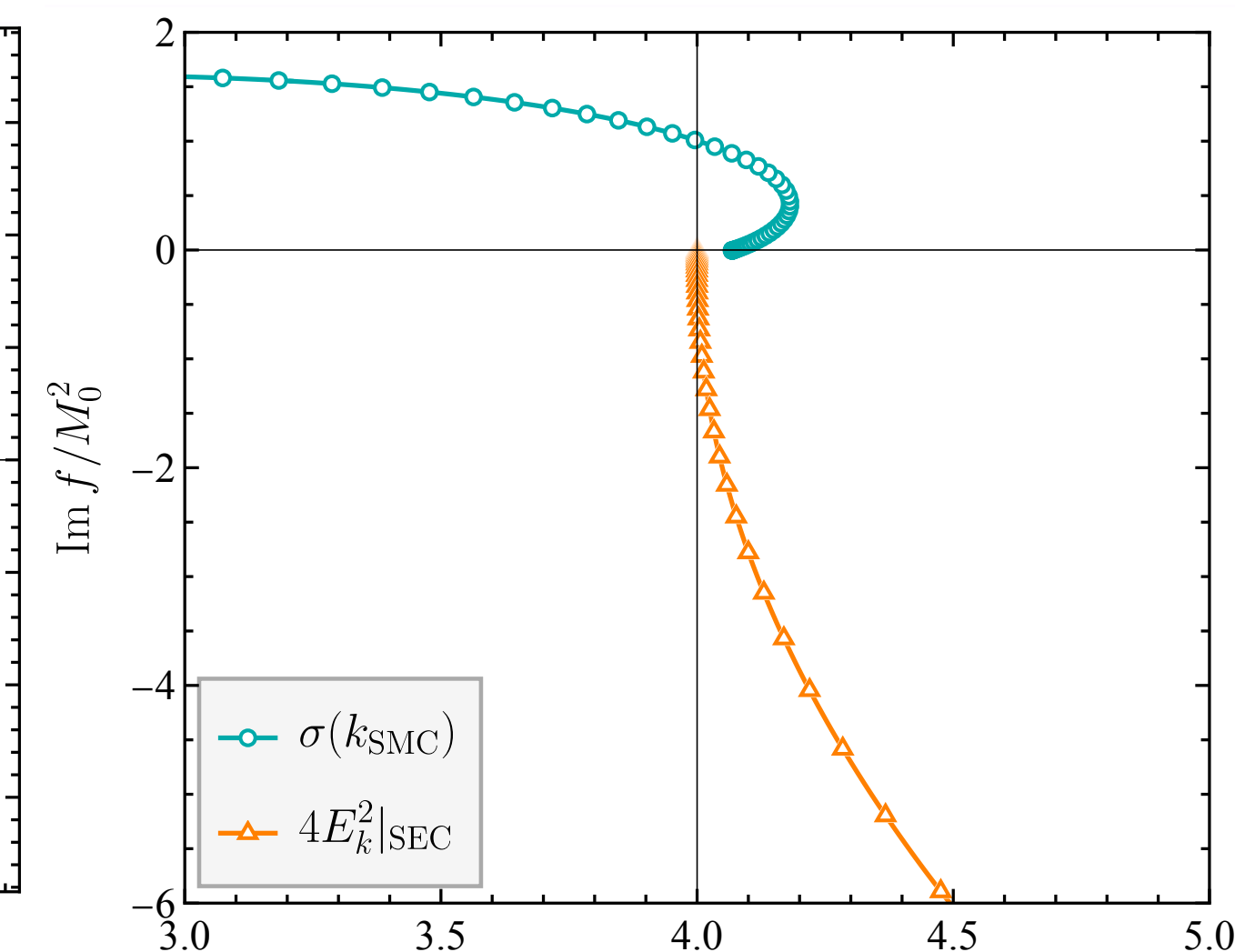
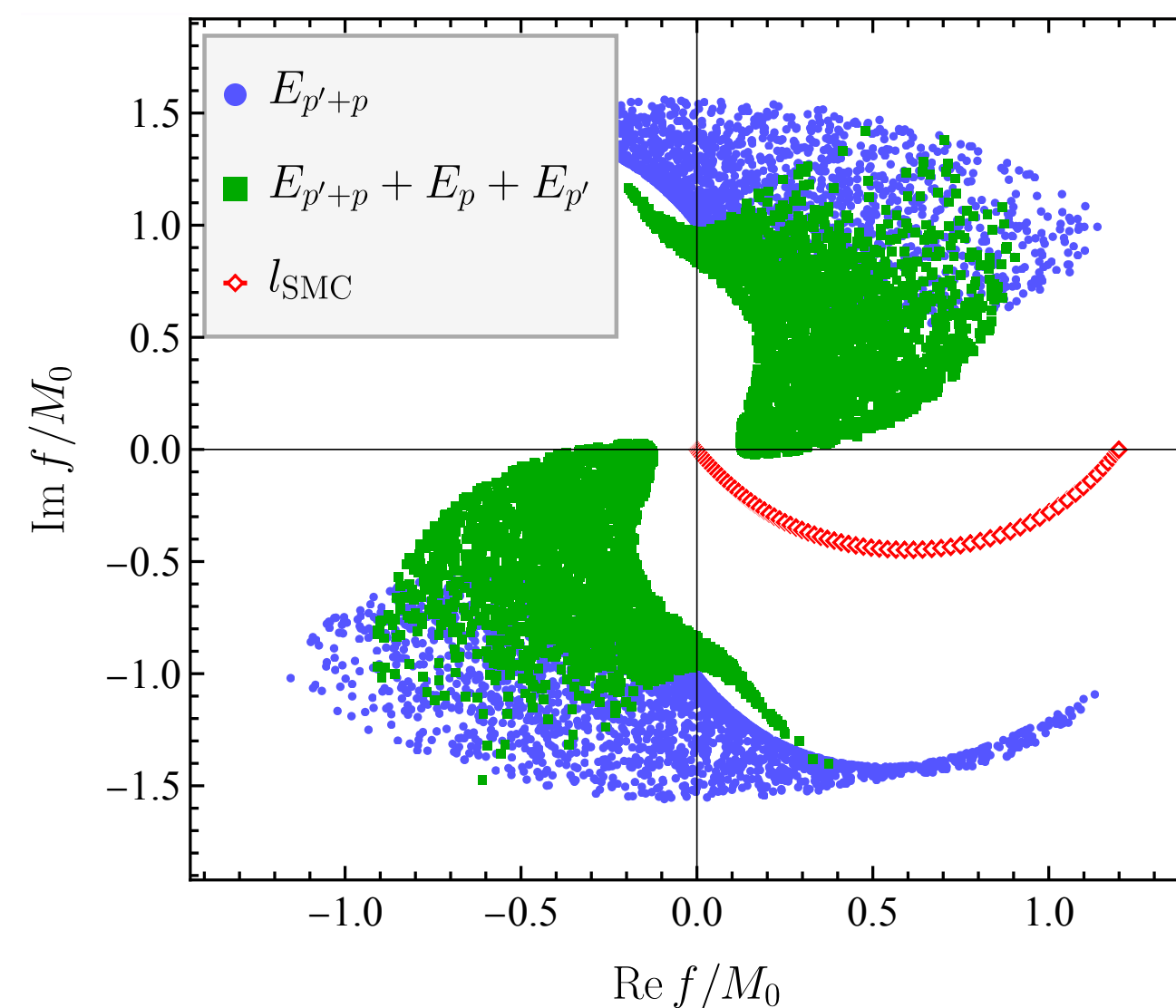
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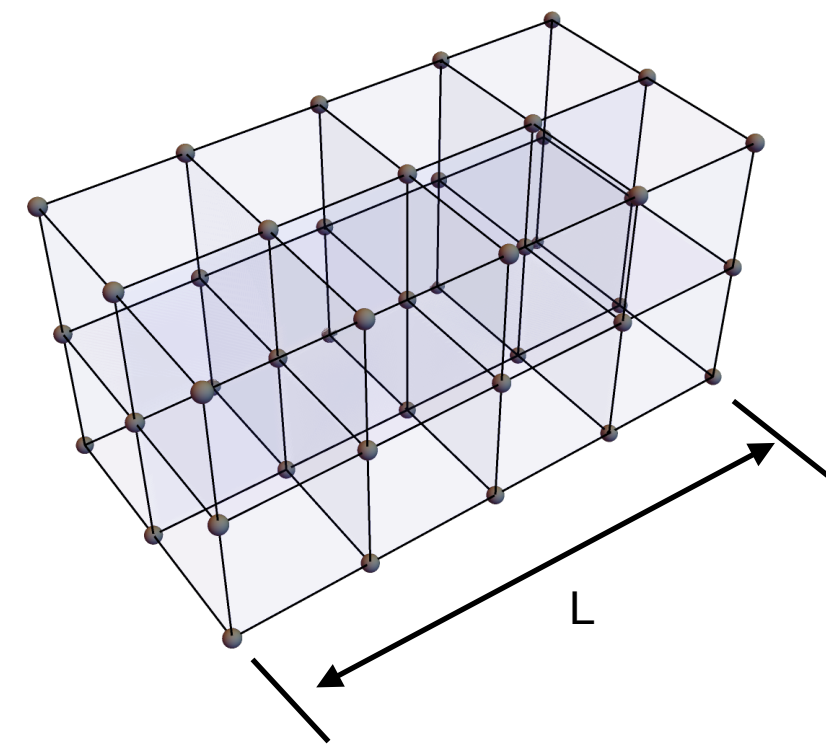
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- Analytic continuation to the real axis

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- Application to Triangle singularities

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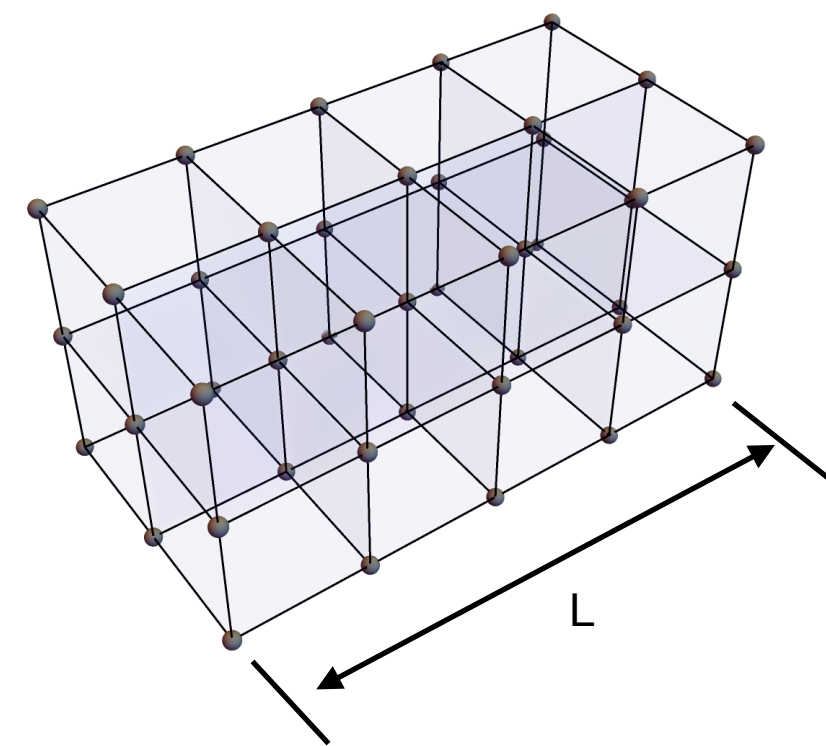




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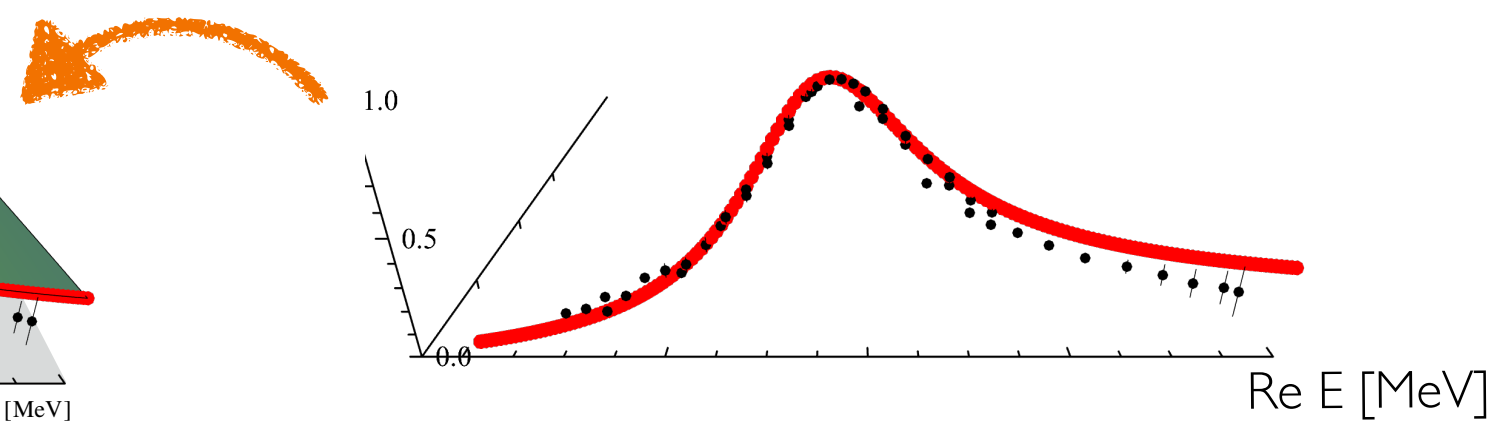
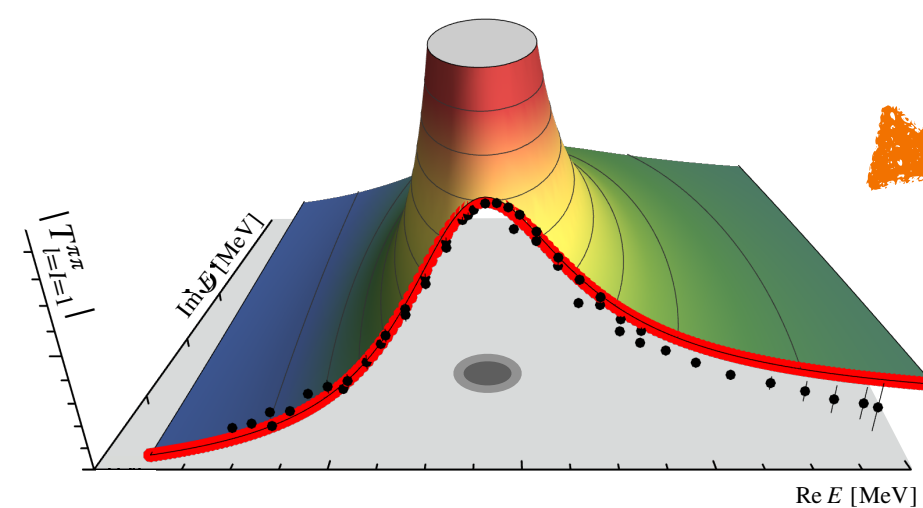


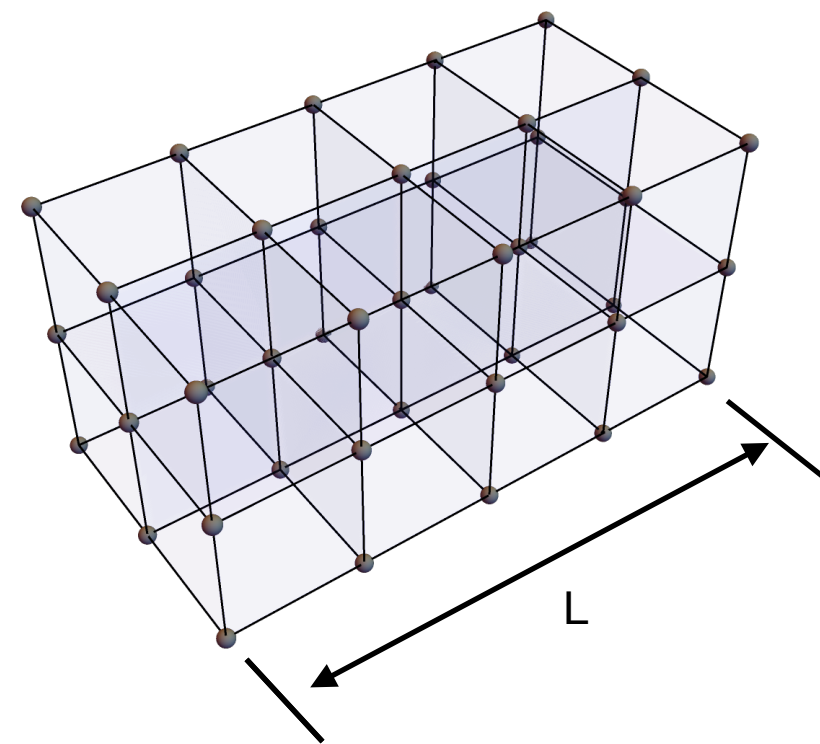
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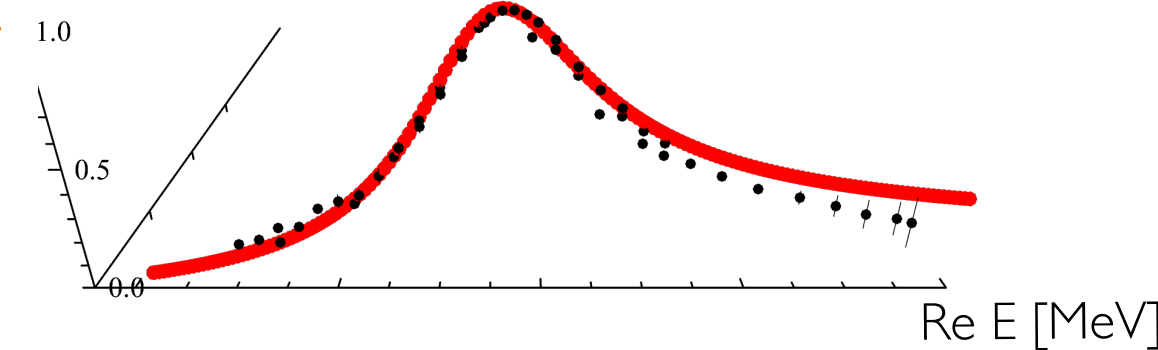
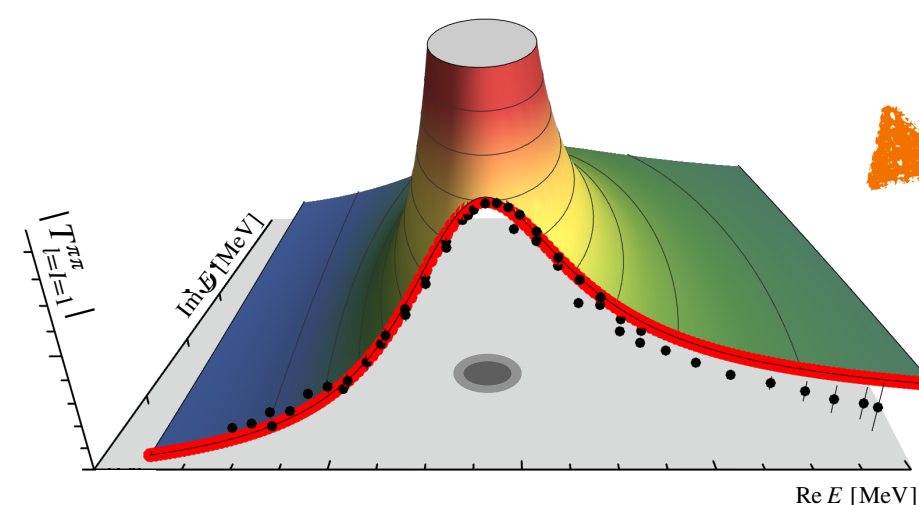


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**Quantization
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- on-shell states “feel” the box-size
- off-shell configurations decay exponentially $\sim e^{-ML}$
- unitarity separates those
- “Finite Volume Unitarity” 3-body quantization condition

FVU

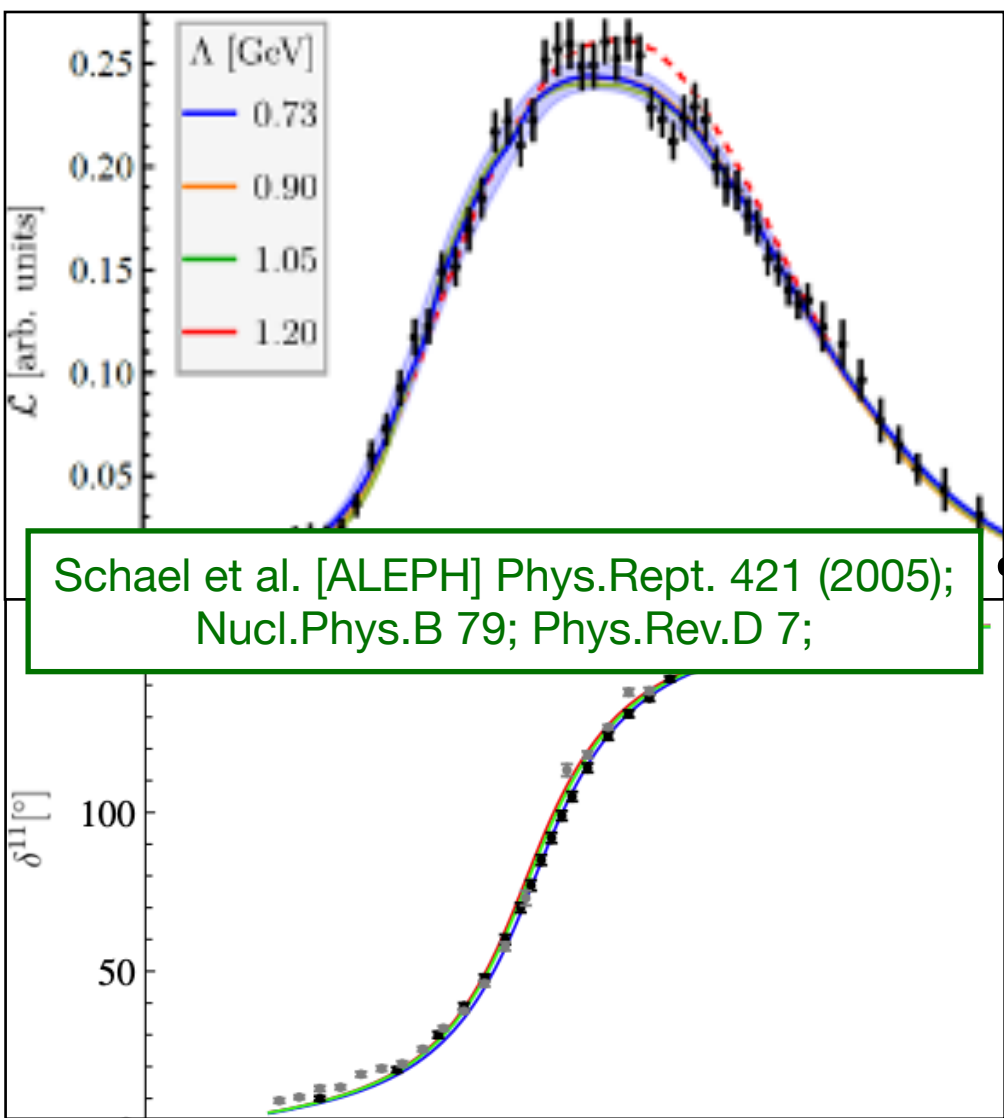
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Soon as a python package: H.Yan+MM

- Alternatives:
 - RFT(Hansen/Sharpe 2014)
 - NREFT(Rusetsky/Hammer/Pang 2017)

AXIAL-VECTOR MESON



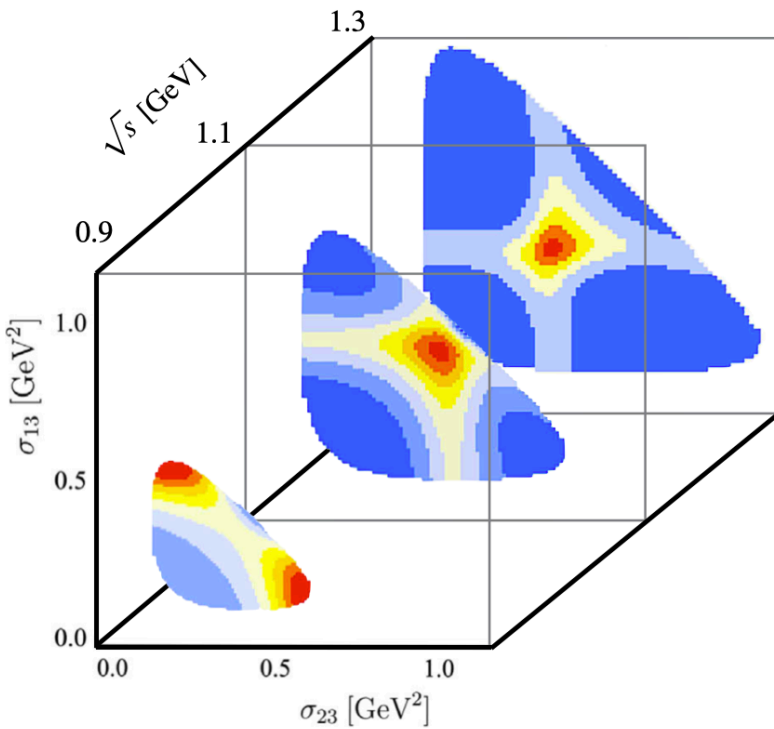
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EXPERIMENT

IVU

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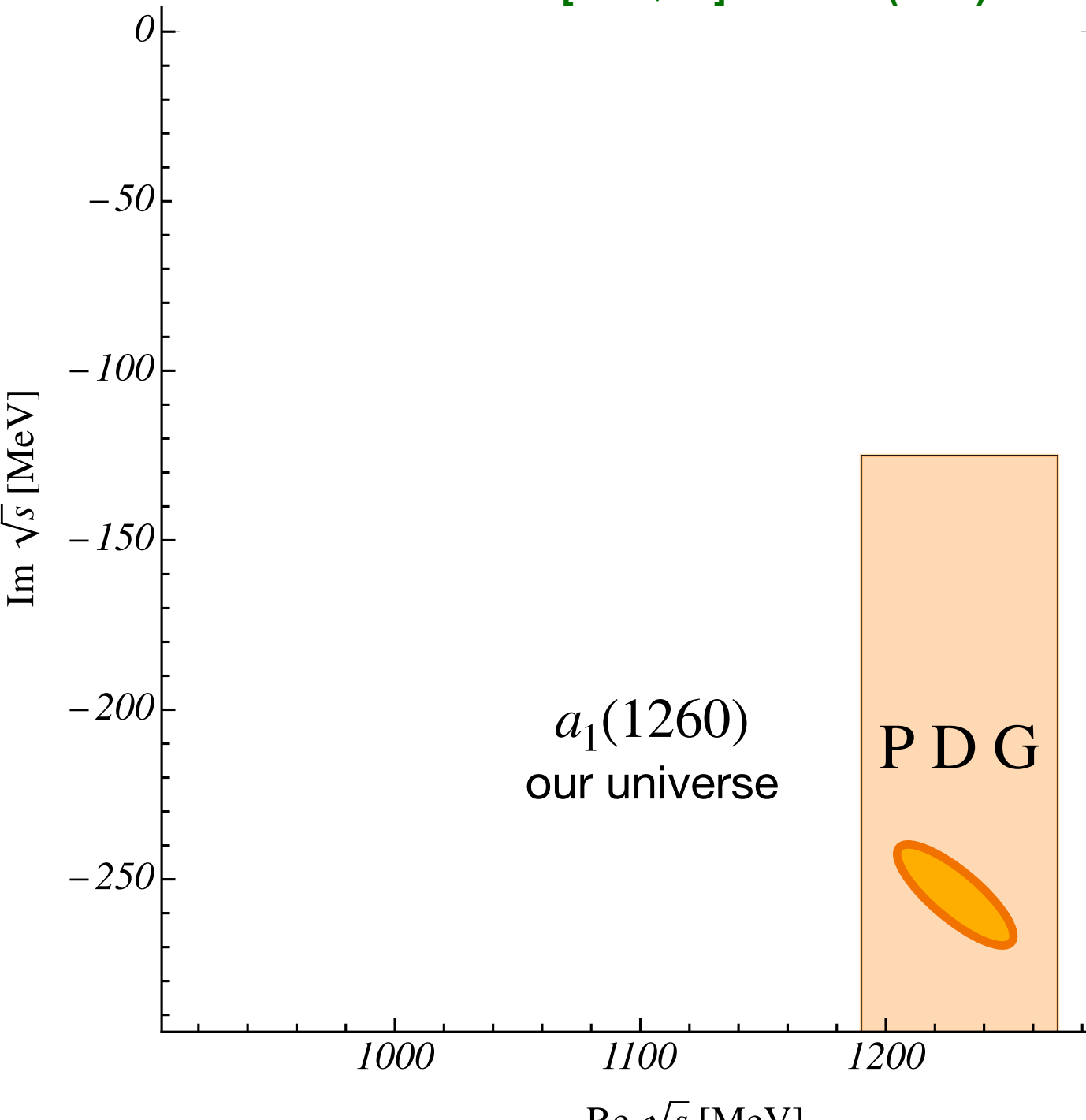
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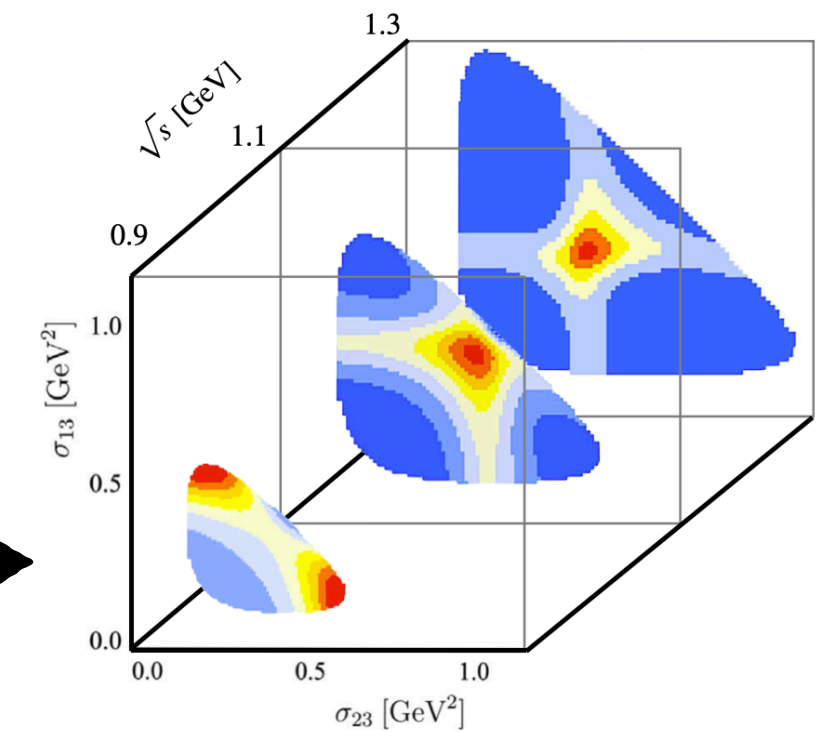
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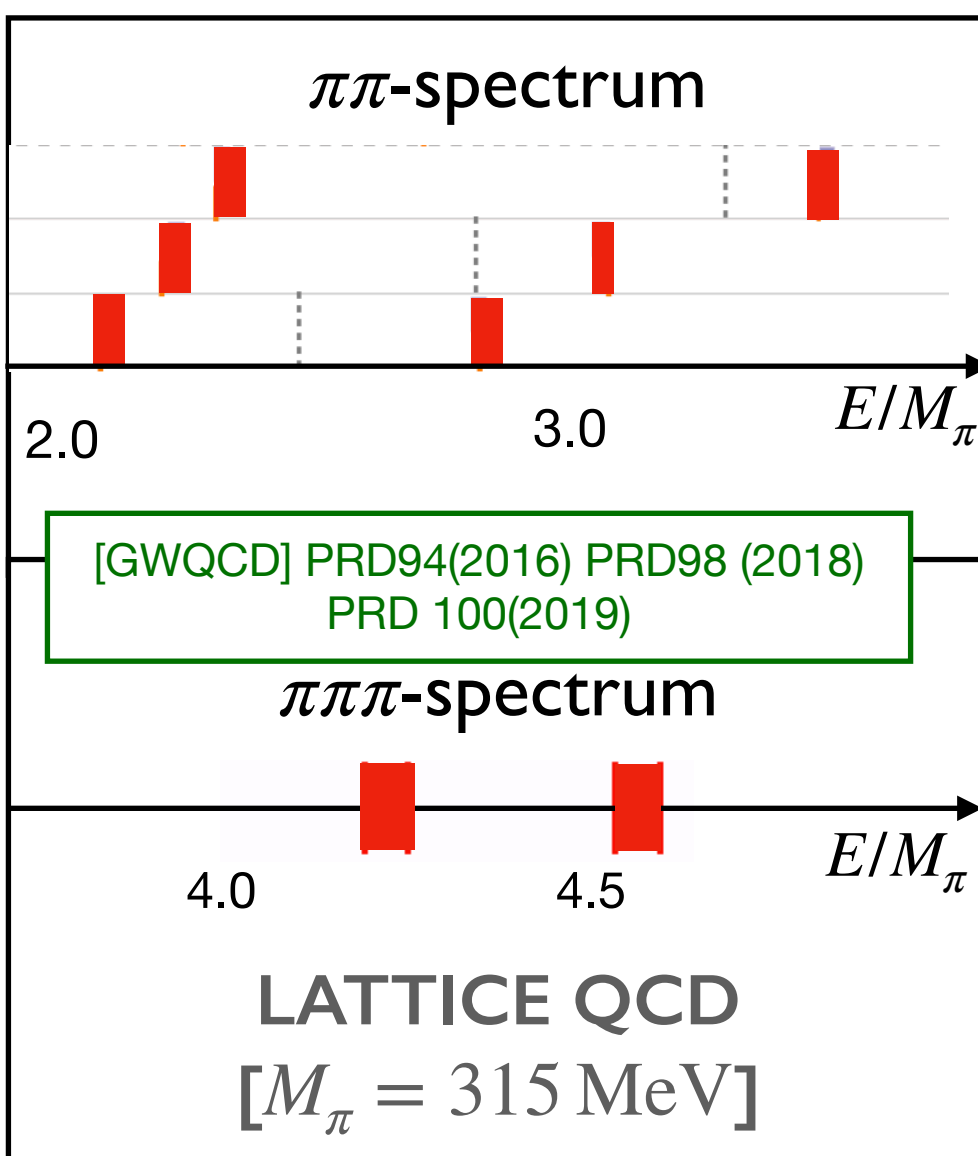
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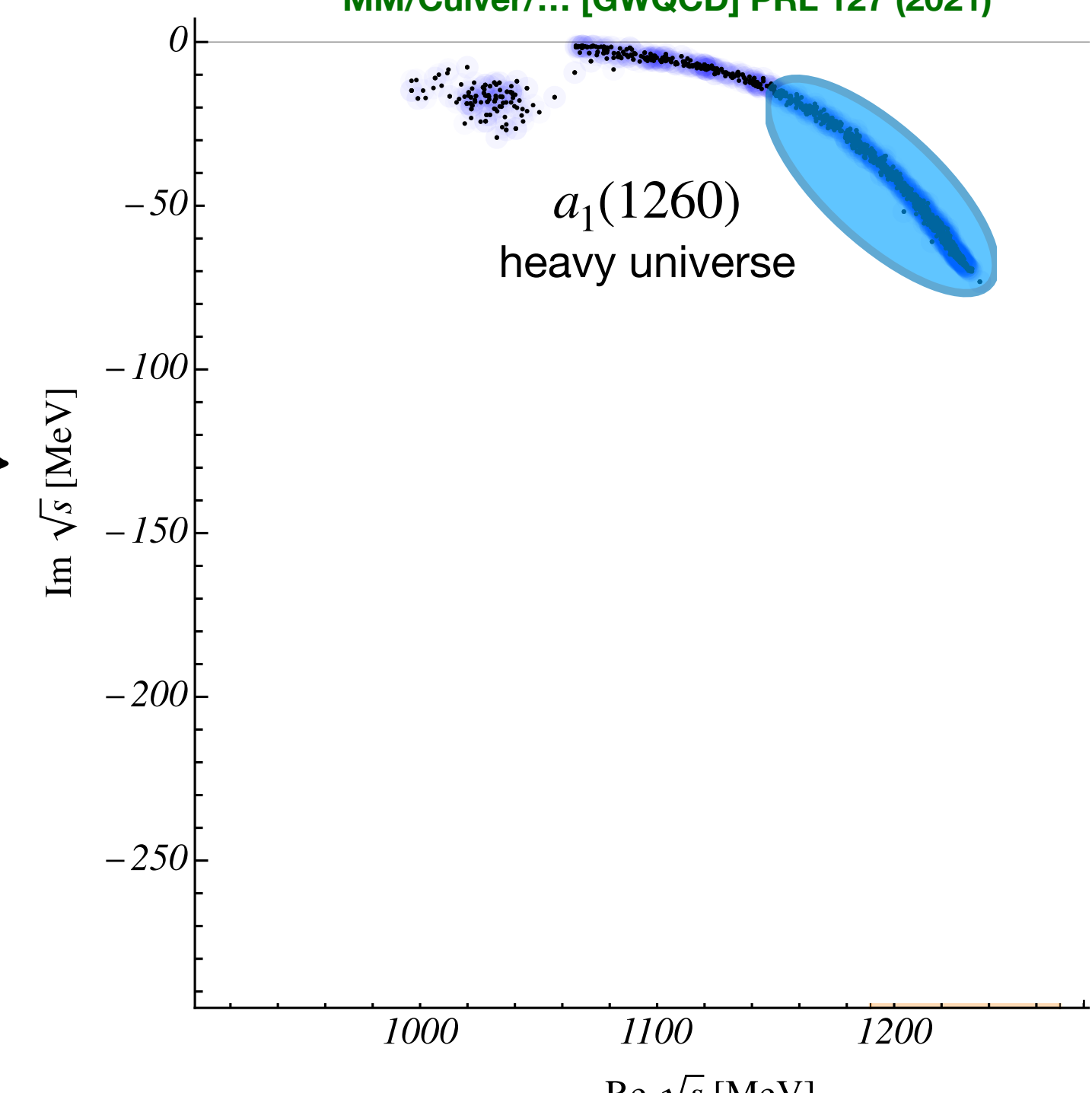
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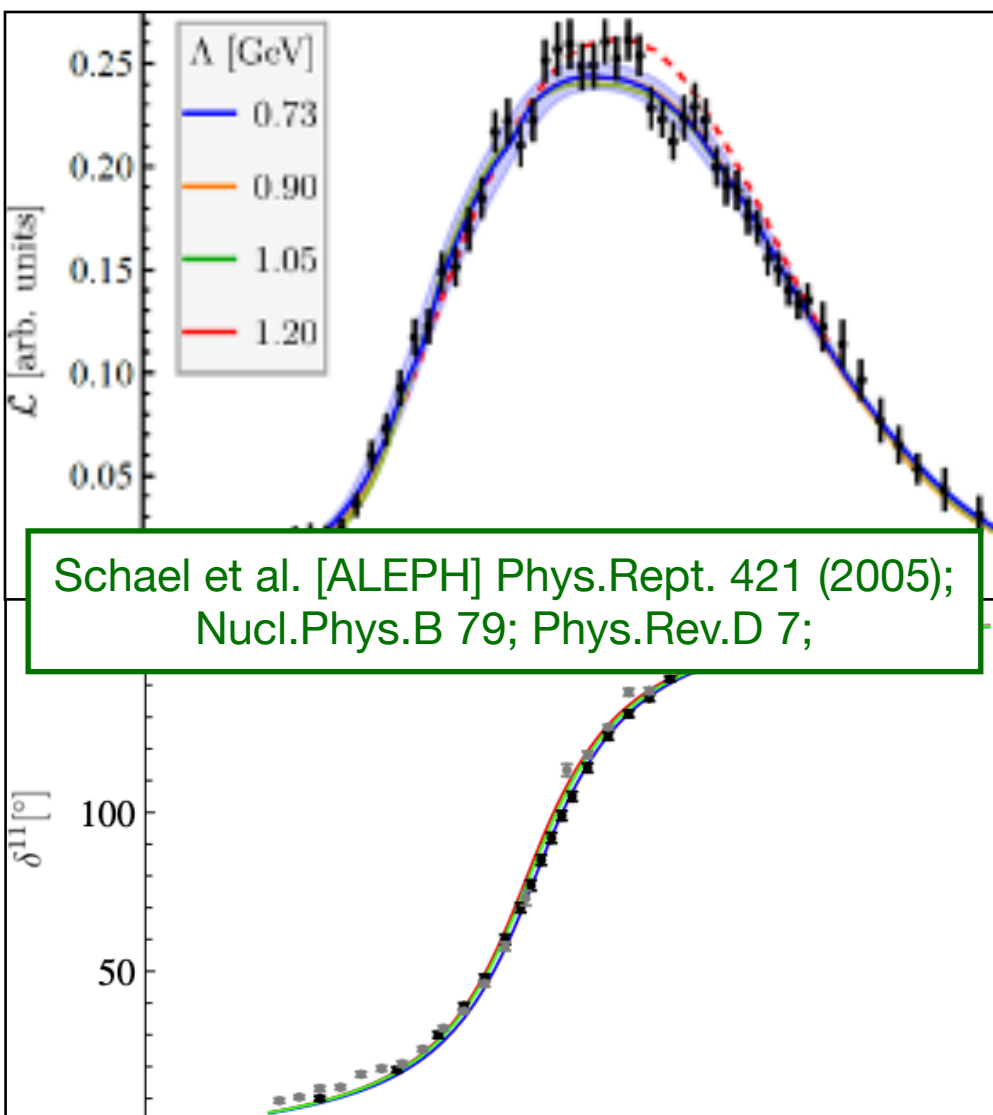


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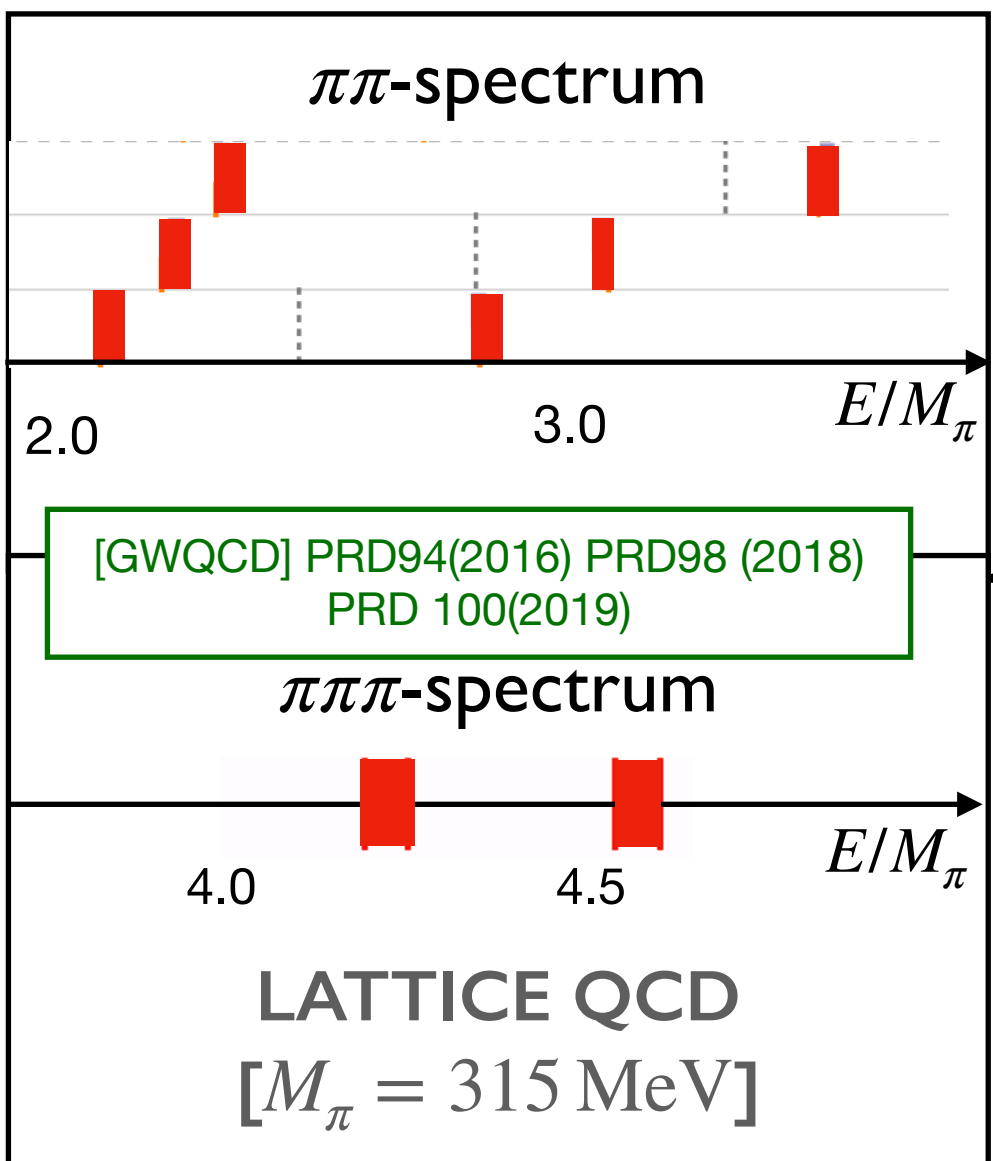
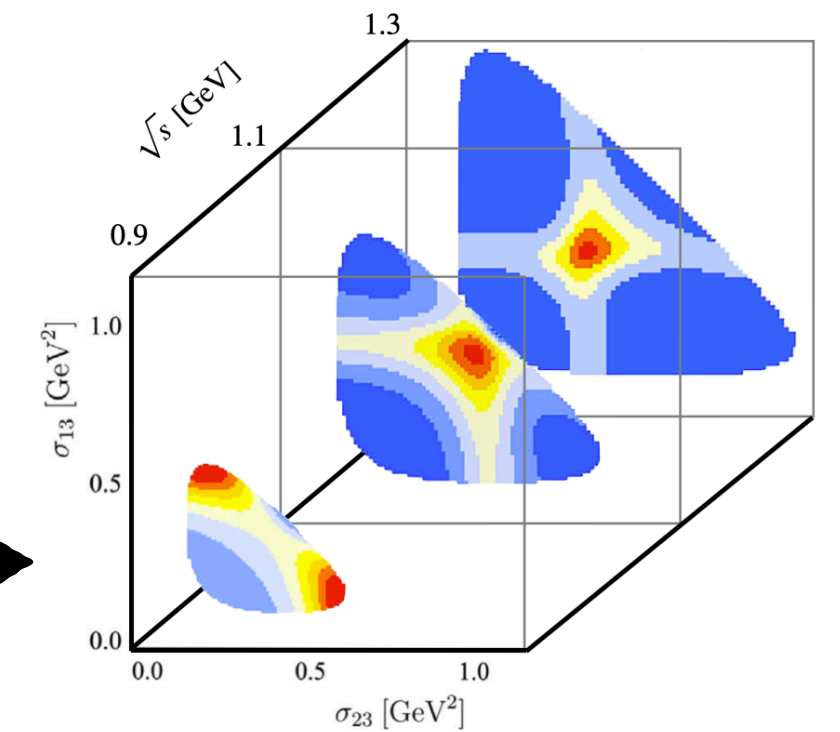


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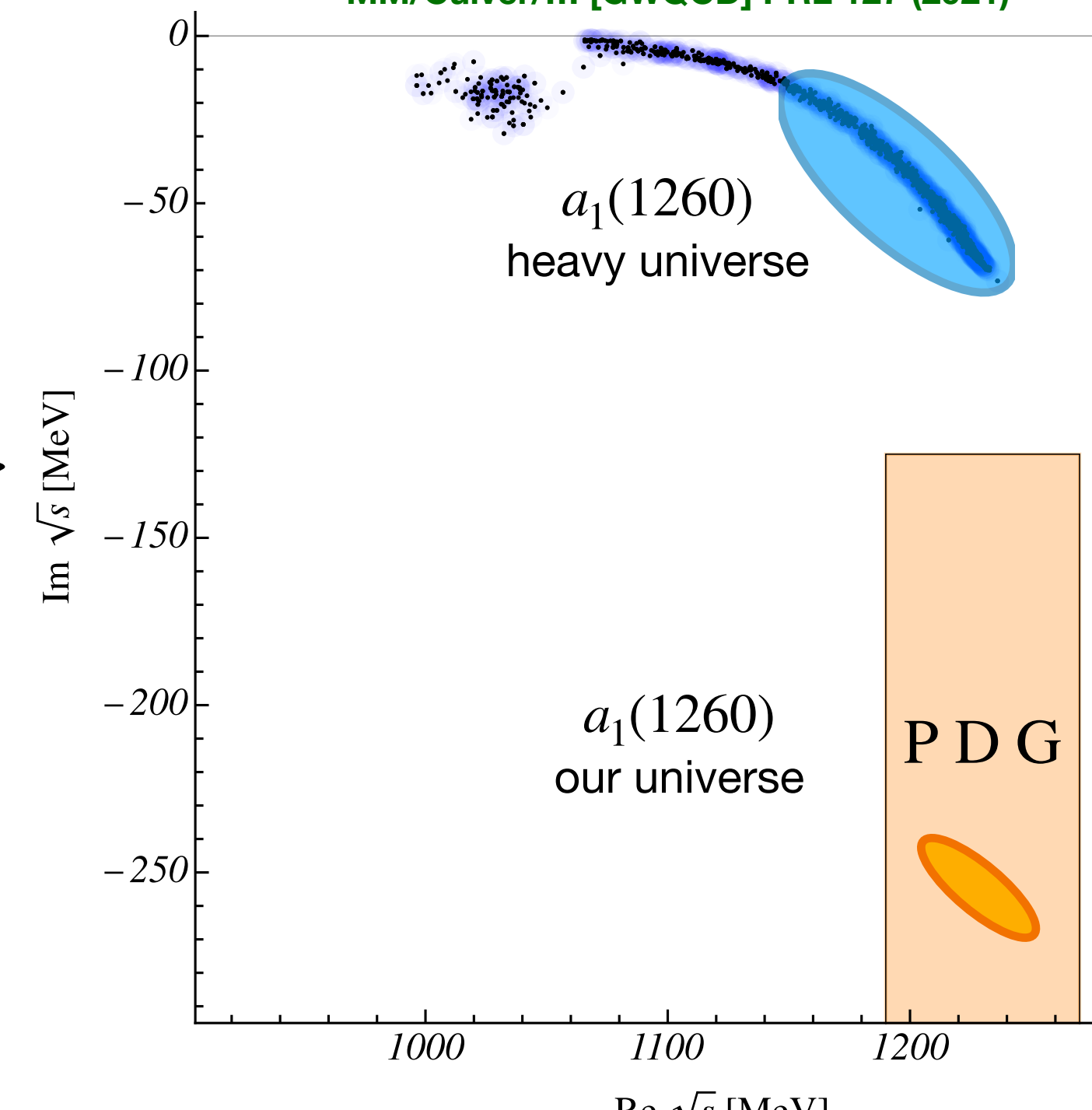


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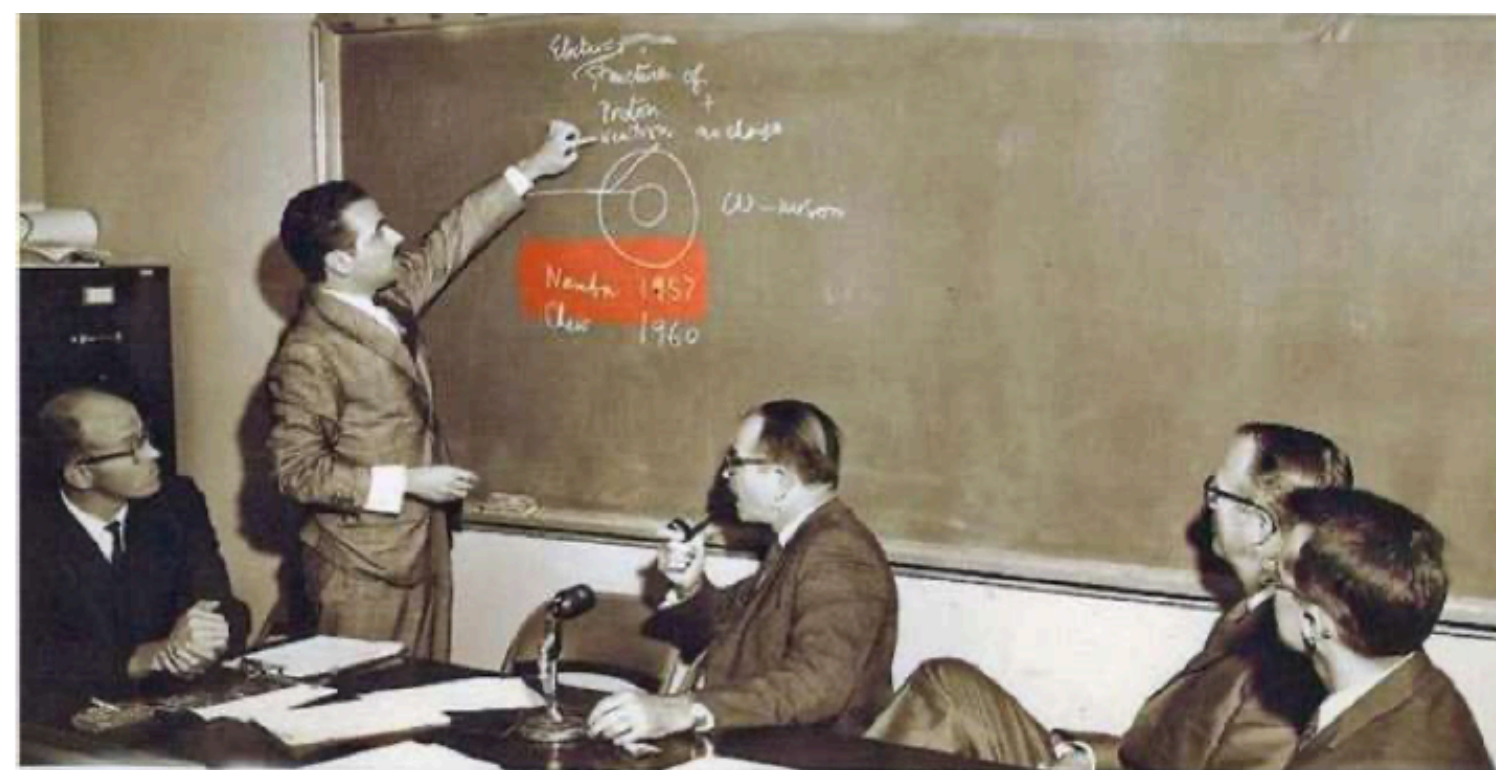
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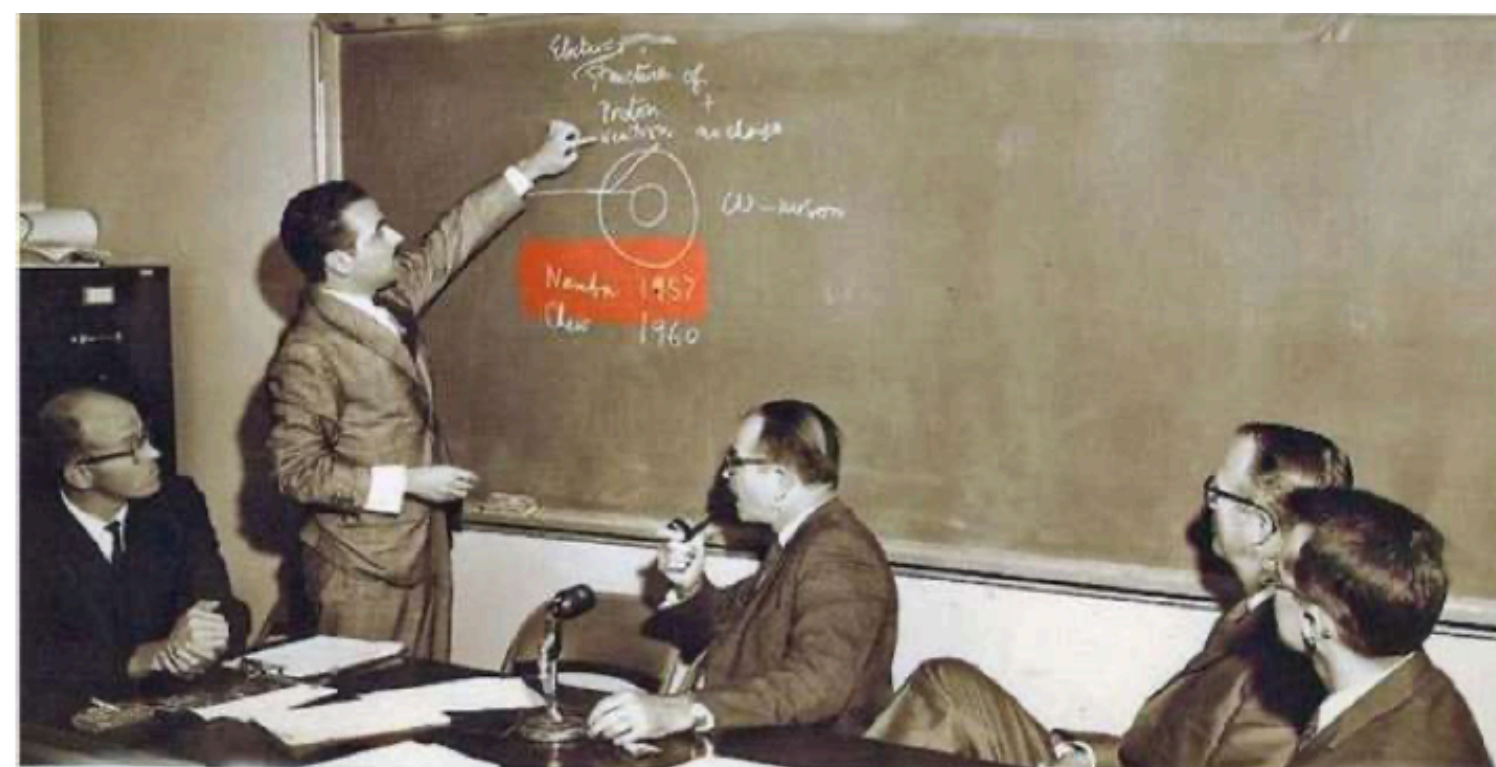
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What can we learn from Lattice QCD?

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- two/three-body force
- pion-mass dependence
- KSFR/Universality relations/... in EFT

Gell-Mann/Sharp/Wagner/Fujiwara/Kawarabayashi... **Review:** Meißner *Phys.Rept.* 161 (1988) 213

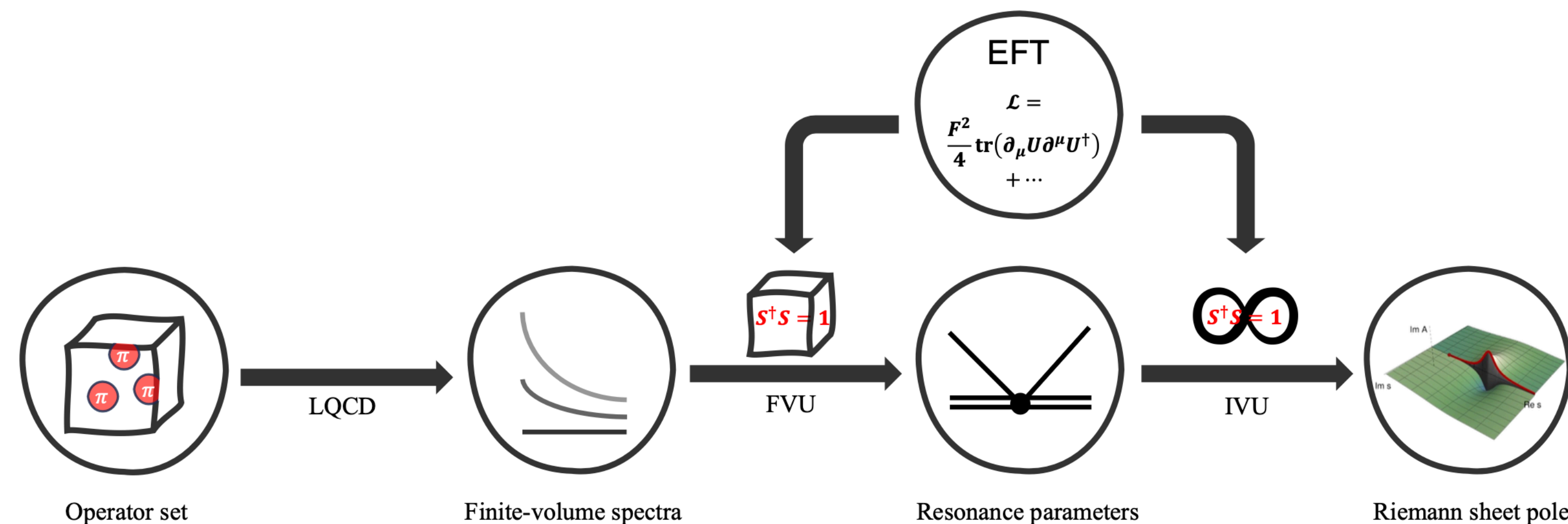
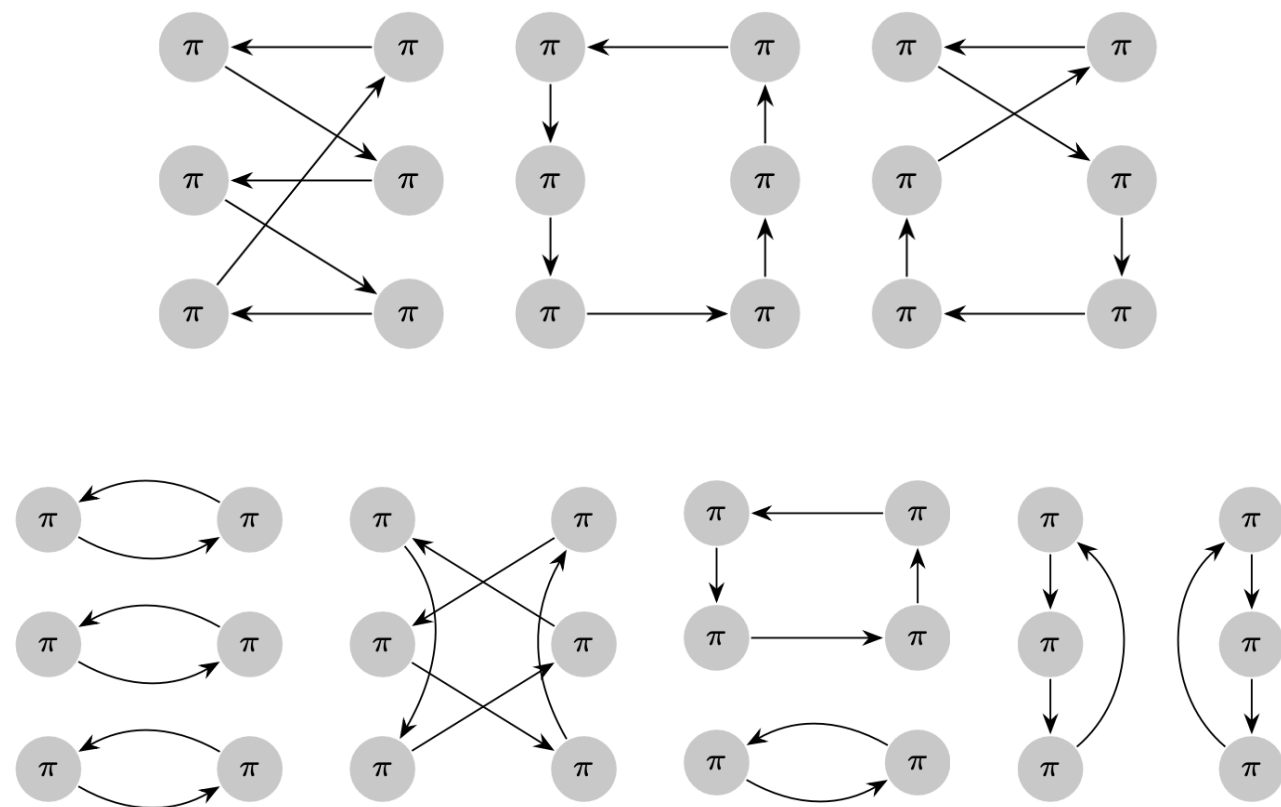


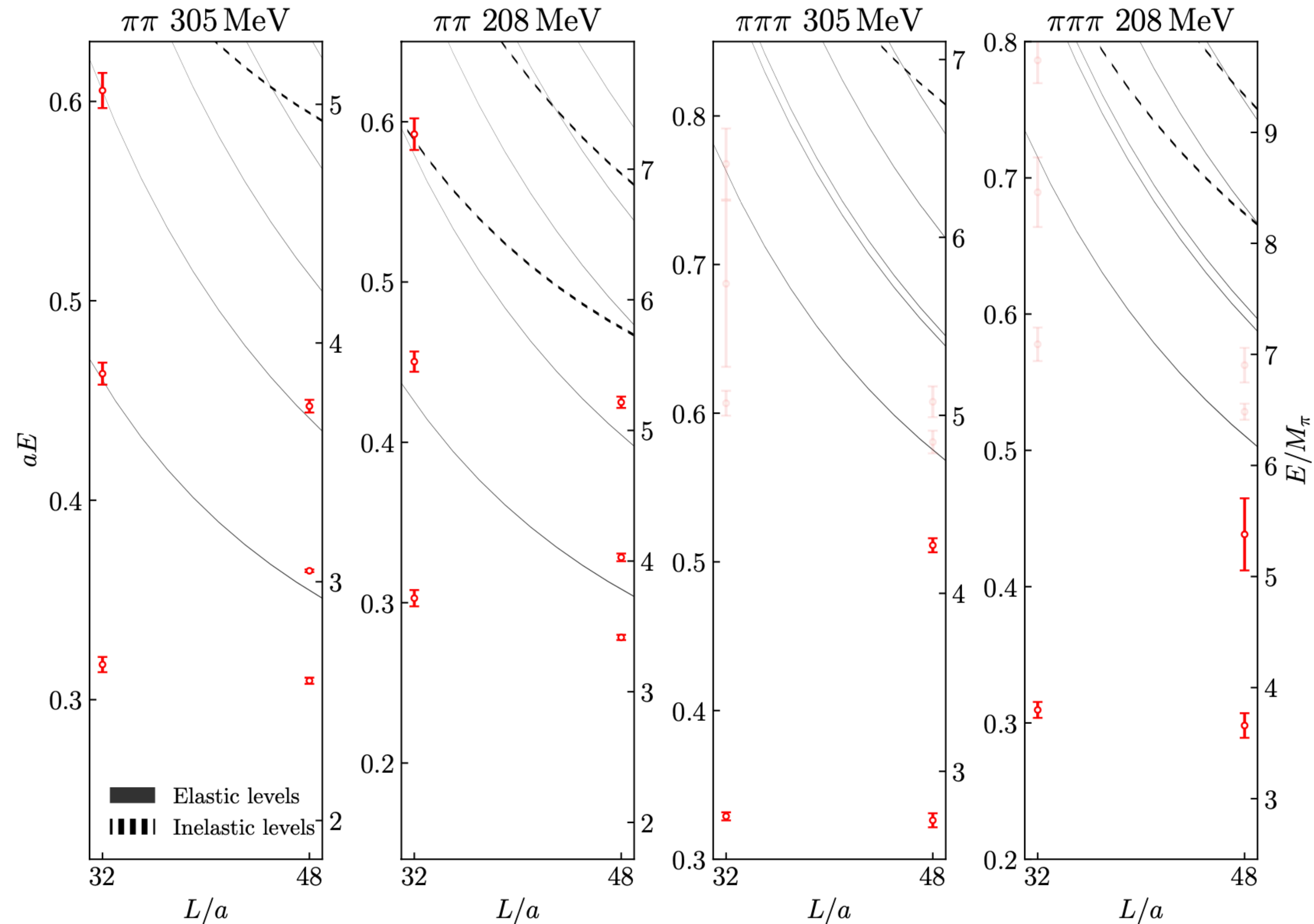
Fig by Haobo Yan (燕浩波)

Lattice QCD setup

- $N_f = 2 + 1$ Clover fermions
CLQCD, 2024
- 2/3 particle operators
OpTion package @HaoboYan
- 2 pion masses ($\approx 210, 305$ MeV)
- 2 volumes ($L^3 = 32^3, 48^3$)



Finite-volume spectrum = Energy eigenvalues



Mapping to infinite volume

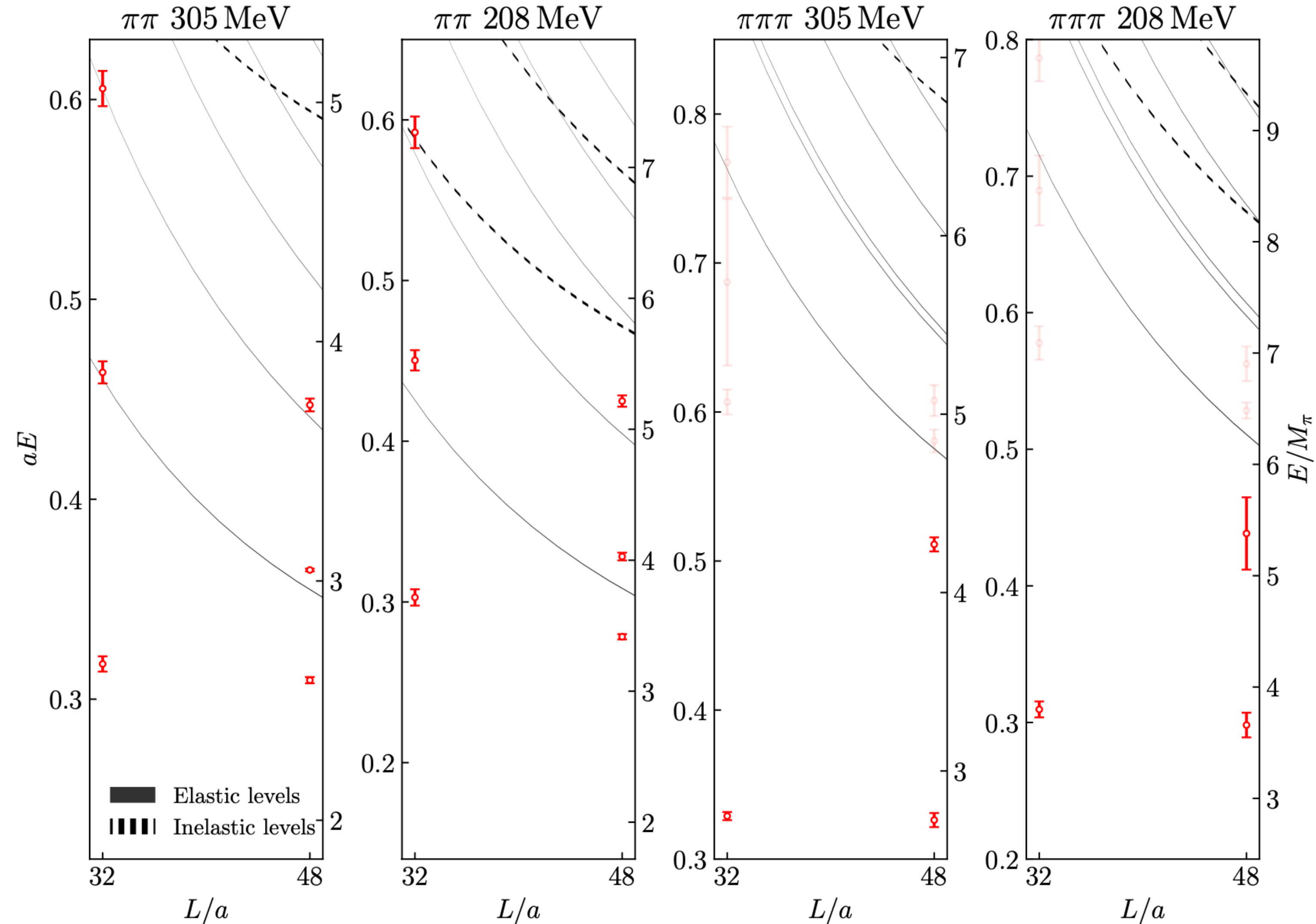
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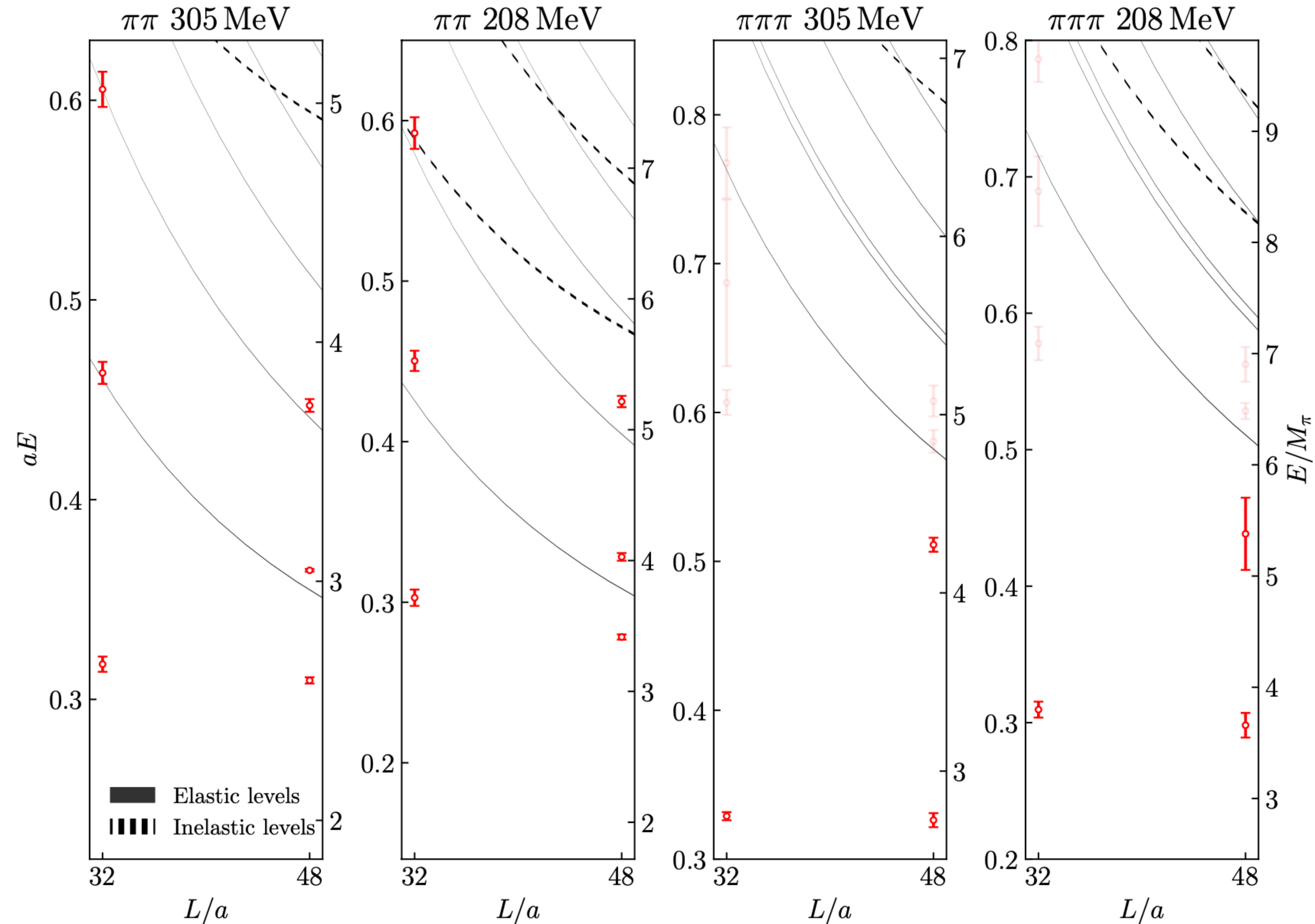
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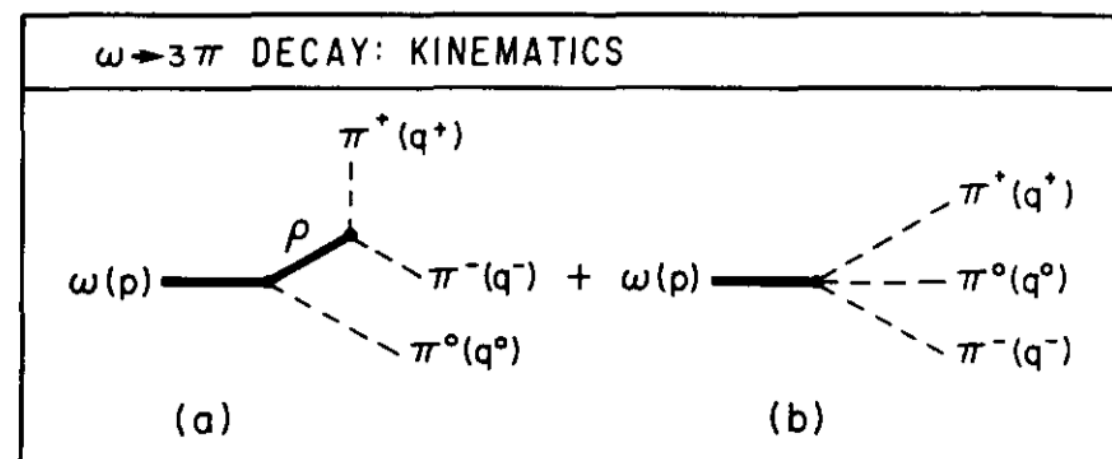
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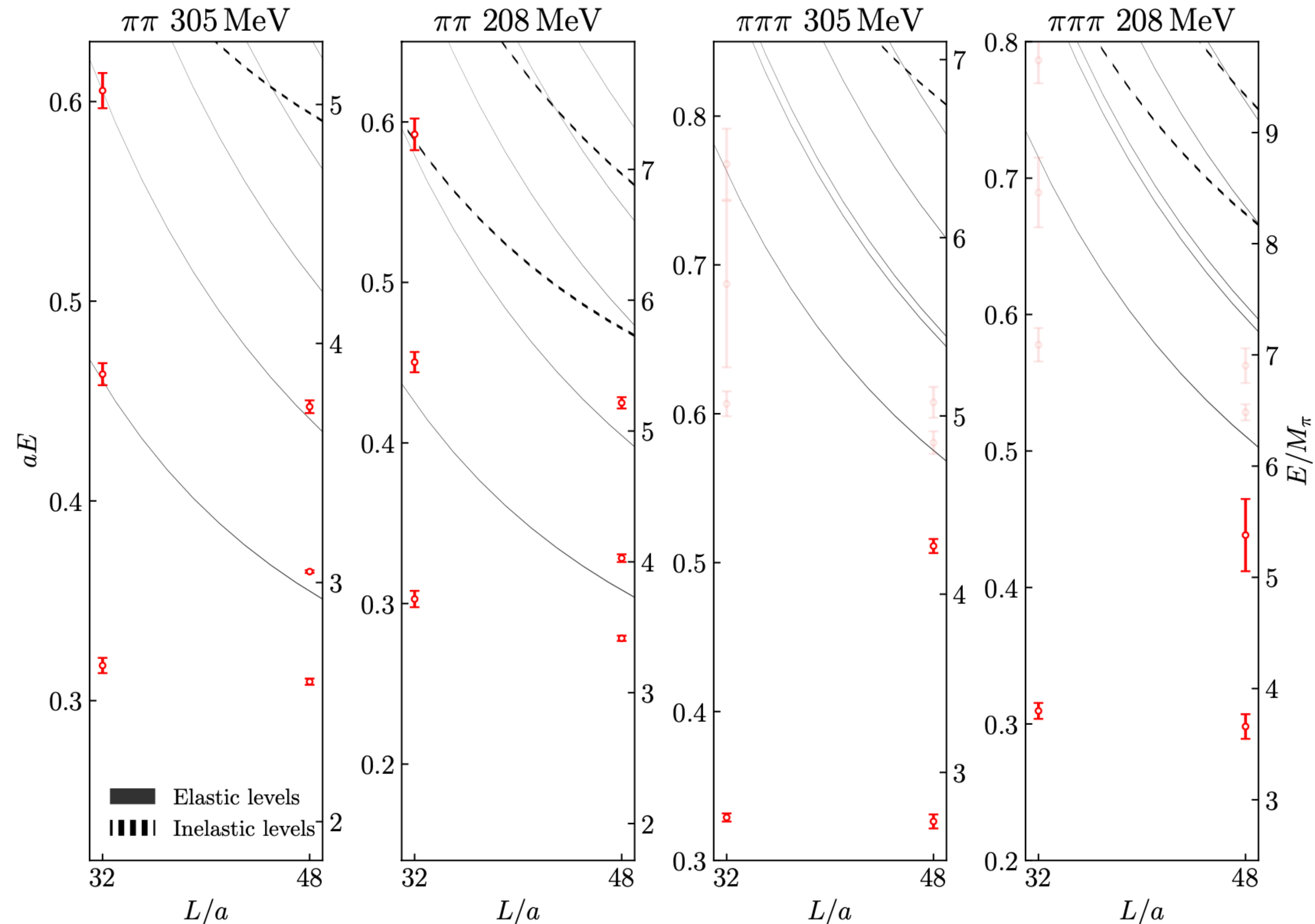
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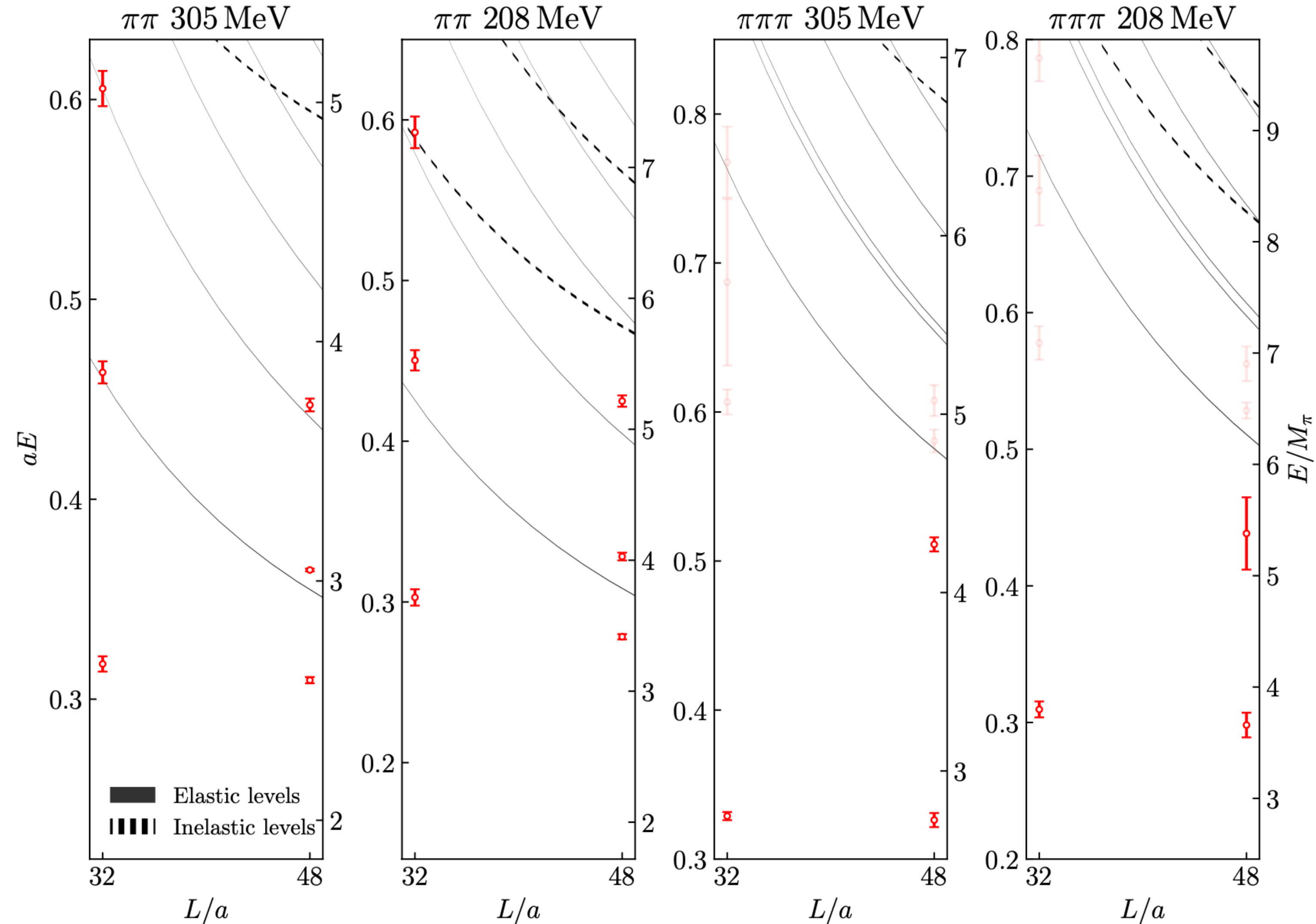
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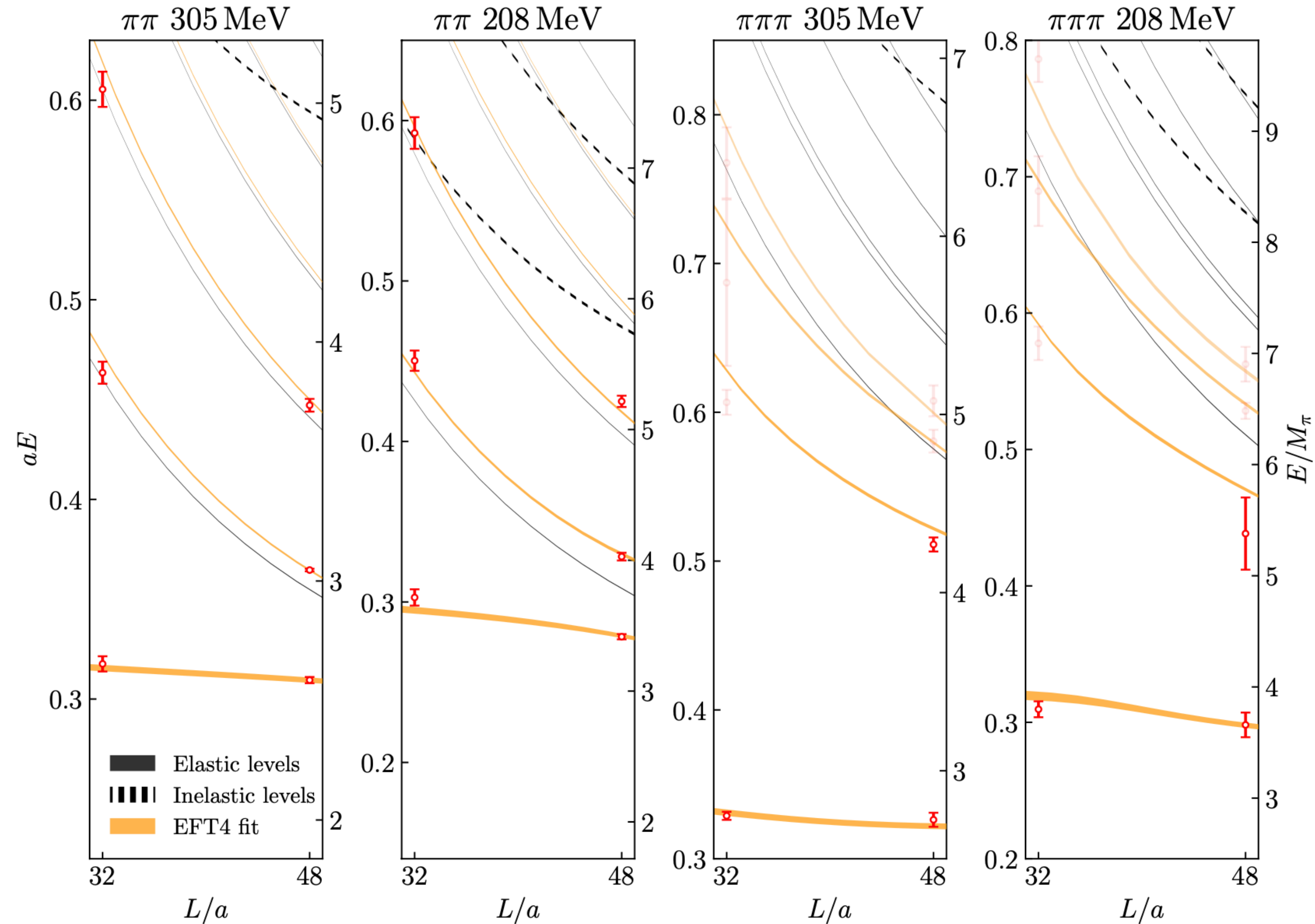
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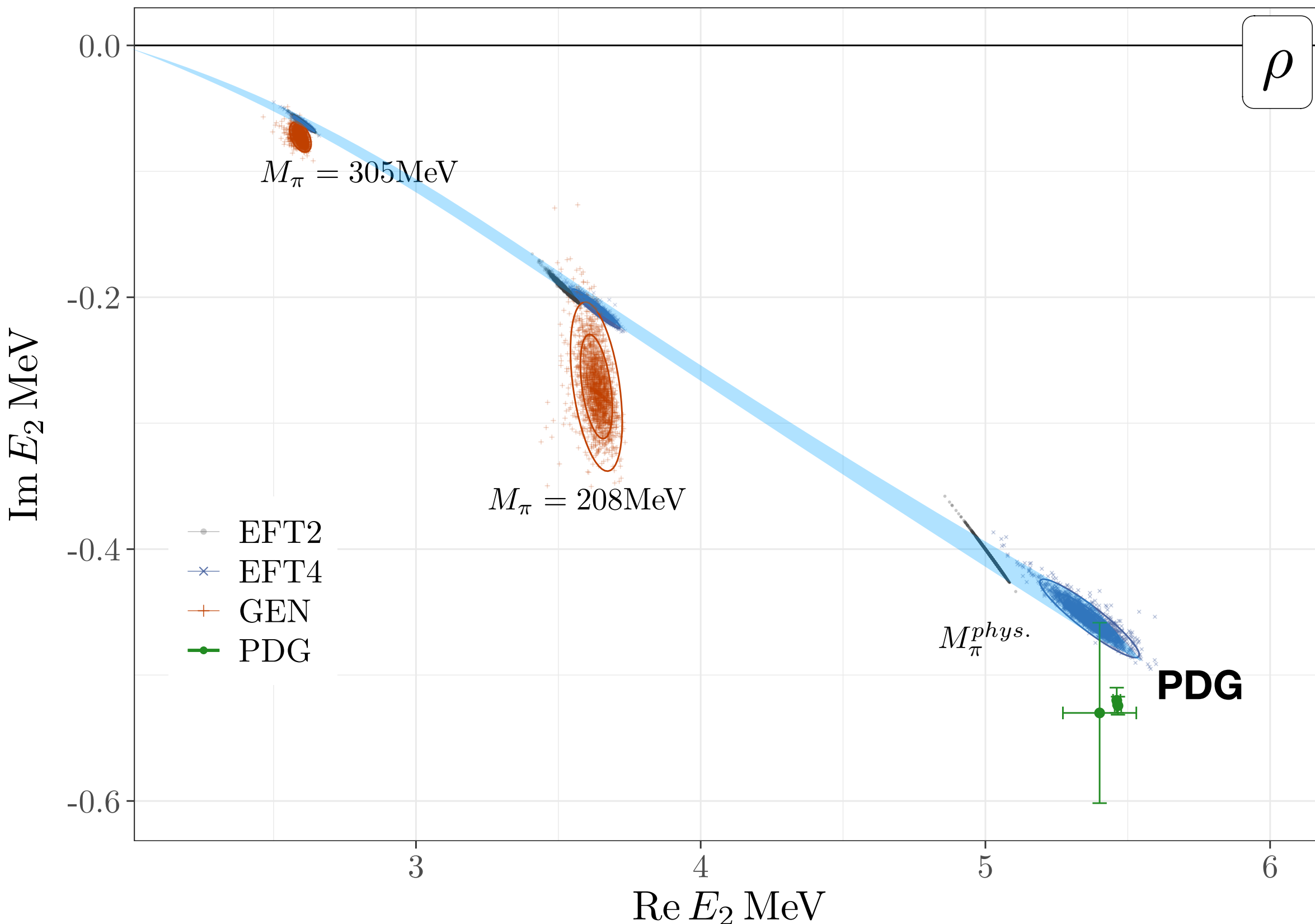
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Final step

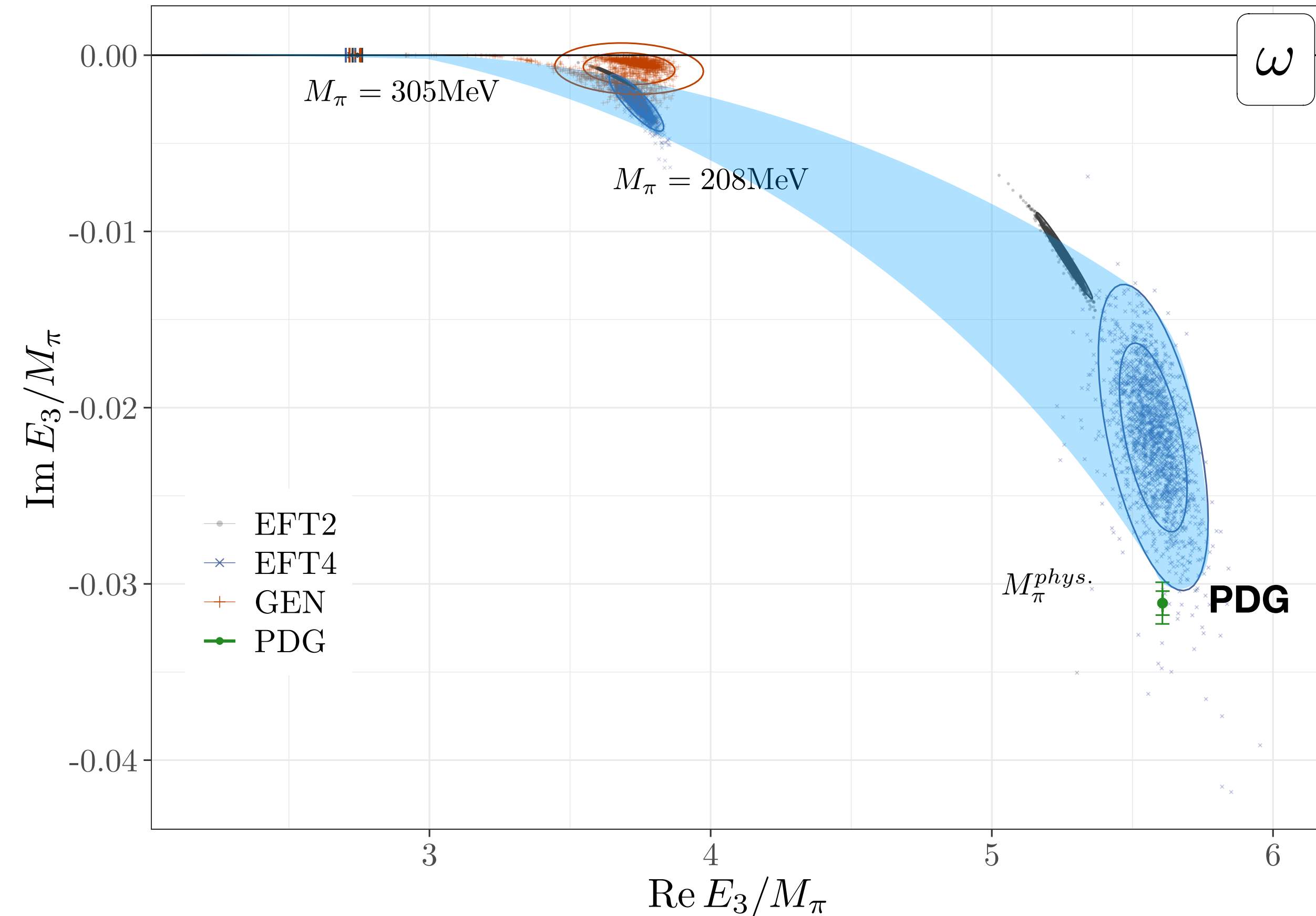
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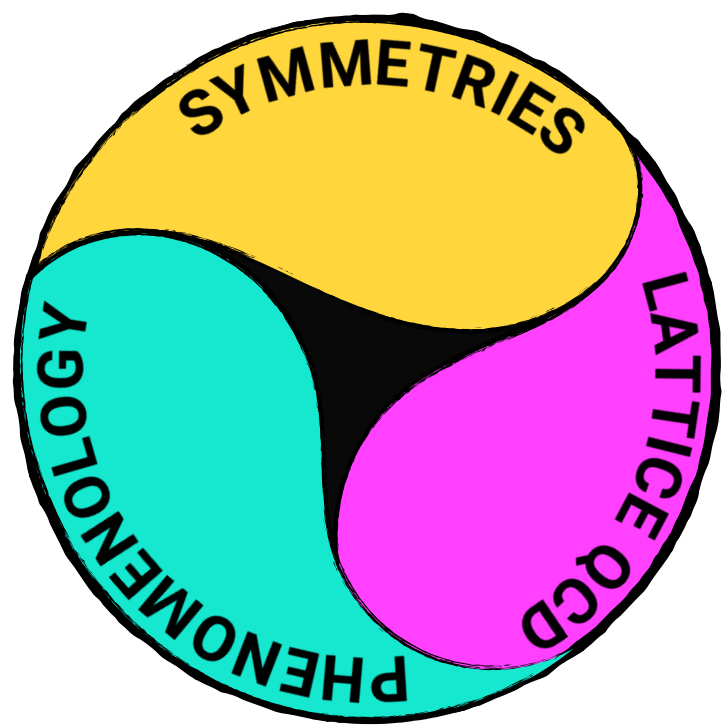


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Result

- GEN/EFT2/EFT4 ansatzes consistent
- $\omega(782)$ becomes bound state at ~ 300 MeV
- at the physical point very close to the EXP value





Synergetic approach to hadron spectrum

- **Lattice QCD:** ab-initio QCD calculations
- **EFTs:** quark-mass dependence, symmetries
- **(S-matrix/..):** 3-body Quantization condition

2-body systems/3-body systems

- $f_0(500), \rho(770), \dots$ well established quark-mass dependence
- $N(1535), N(1650), \Lambda(1405), \Lambda(1380)$
- pilot results on $3\pi(I=2), \omega(782), a_1(1260)$
- chiral trajectories

Outlook — it is just the beginning!

- $DD\pi - N(1440) - \dots$ spin-exotics? — $a_1(1420)$
- systematic/statistics improvement
- EFT tests — Universality of $\omega \rightarrow 3\pi, \rho \rightarrow 2\pi$ coupling? — KSFR relation? ...
- Cutoff treatment — Gradient flow?

SUMMARY

