

Probing **QCD** in the **CONFINEMENT DOMAIN**

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CONFINEMENT
and its **IMPLICATIONS**

Spontaneous
CHIRAL SYMMETRY BREAKING

CORRELATIONS and QUASIPARTICLES
in QCD

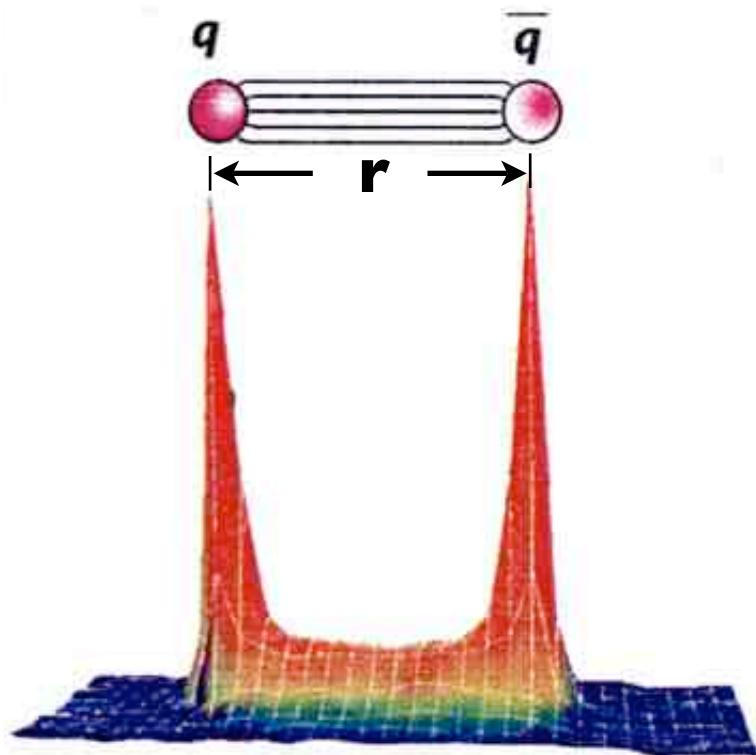
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INTRODUCTORY SURVEY

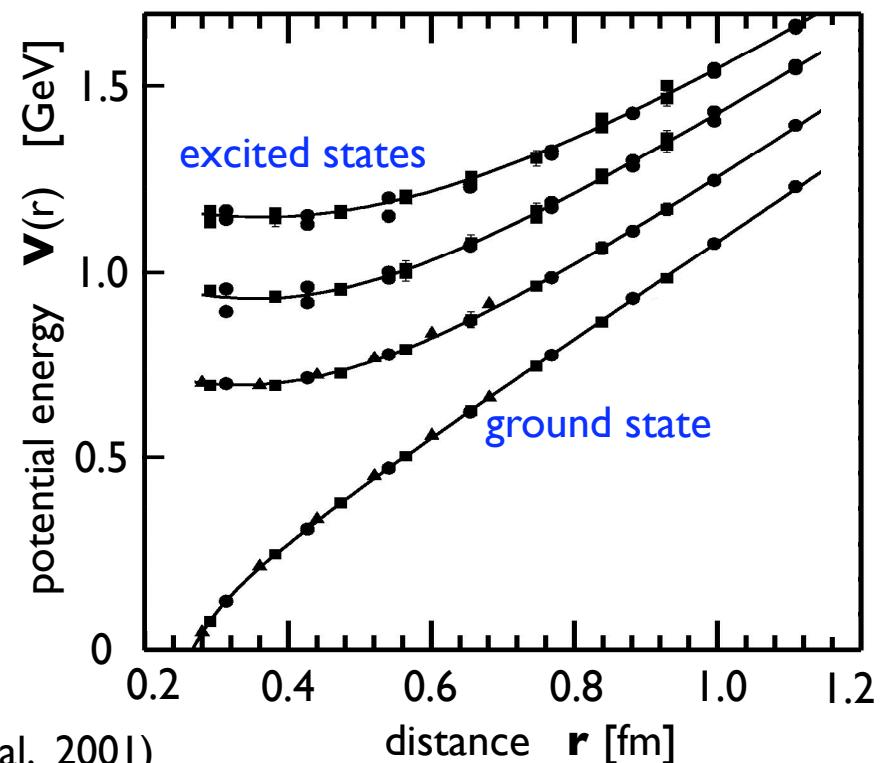
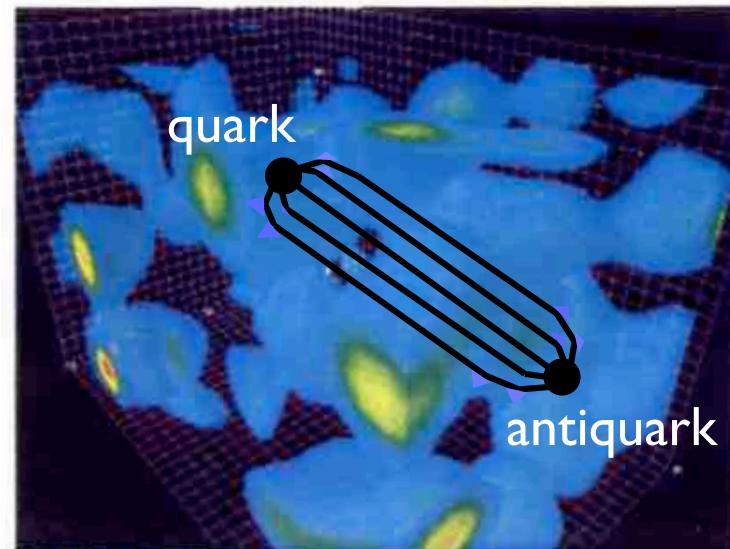
CONFINEMENT

Gluonic Flux Tube
and
Confining Potential
between Heavy Quarks

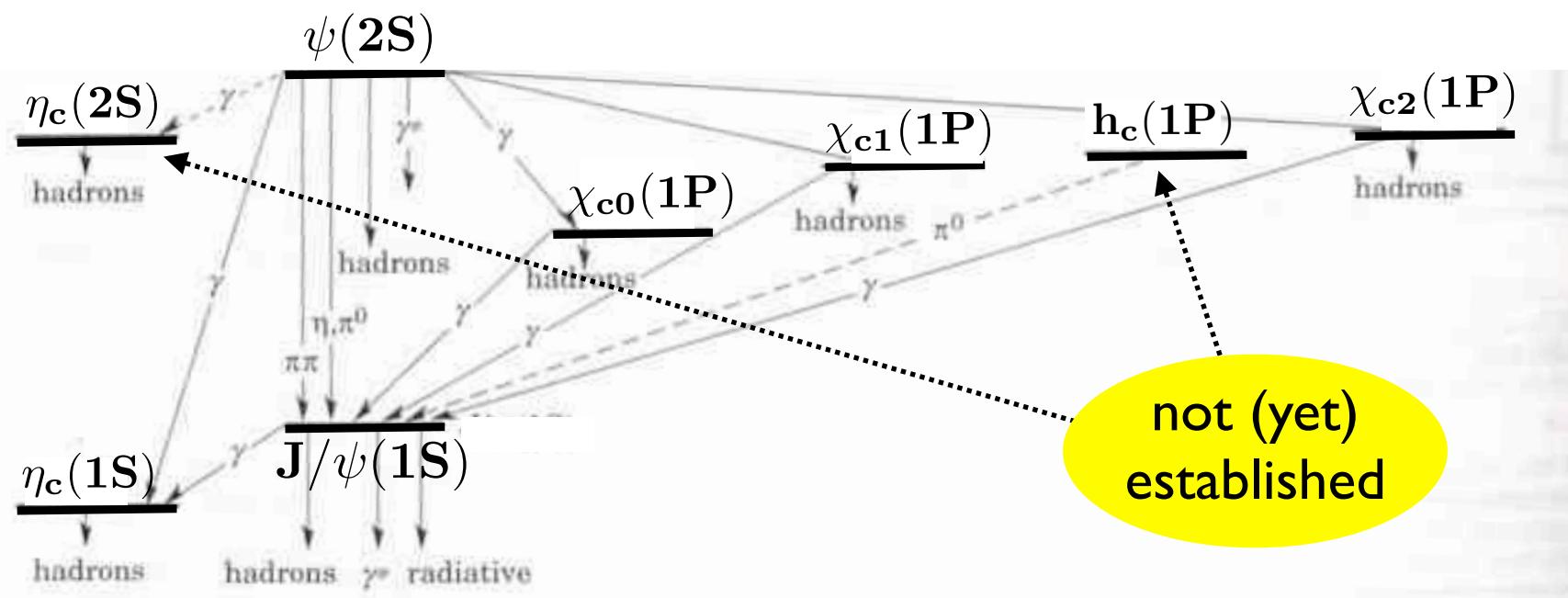
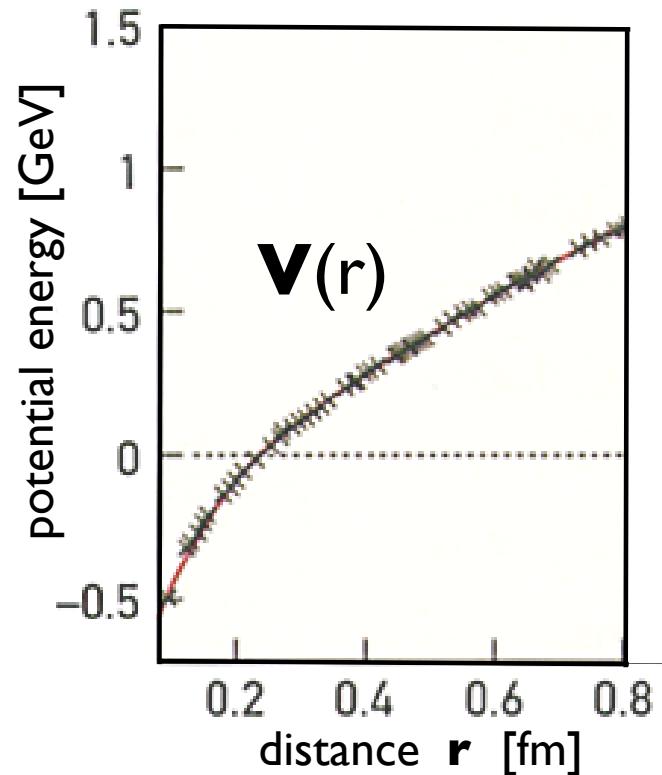
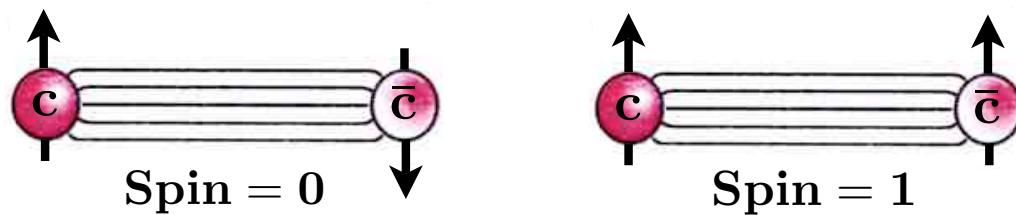
Energy Density of Color Fields



(Bali et al. 2001)



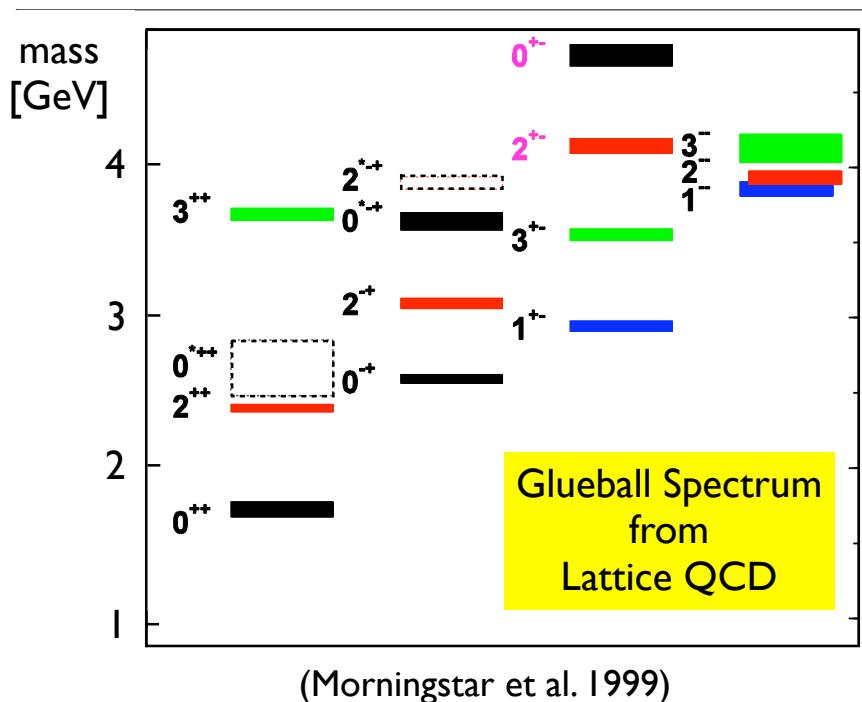
CHARMONIUM



STRUCTURES yet to be DISCOVERED

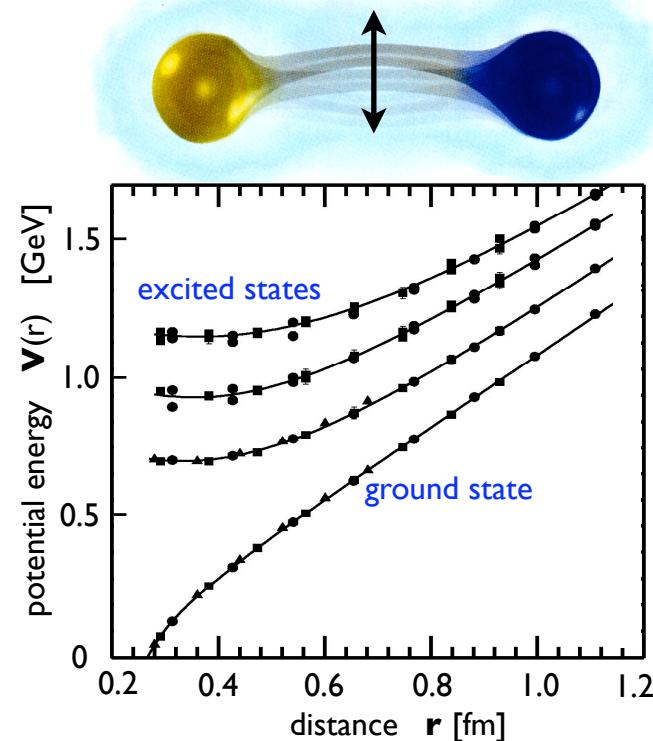
● GLUEBALLS

QCD predicts existence of
GLUON-rich states



● HYBRIDS

QCD predicts quark-antiquark states
with “excited” GLUE

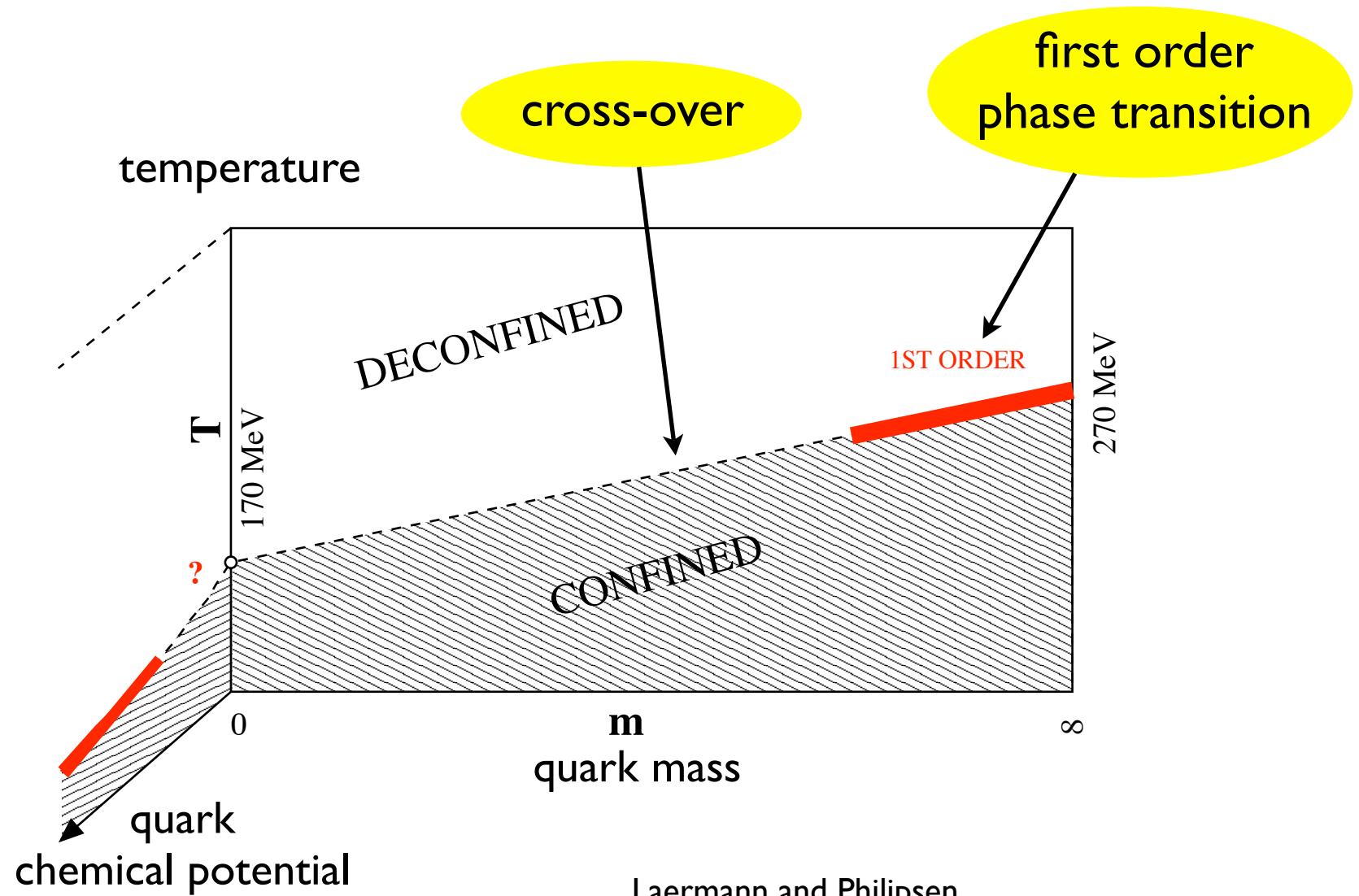


Question:

- How do these IDEALIZED pictures translate into actual OBSERVABLES ?
- Projects: FAIR (Darmstadt) , GlueX / Hall D (Jefferson Lab)

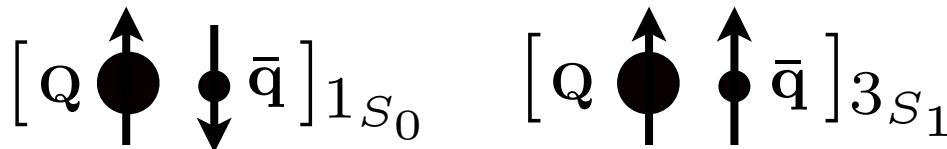
CONFINEMENT and QUARK MASSES

- Qualitative difference between **HEAVY** and **LIGHT QUARKS**



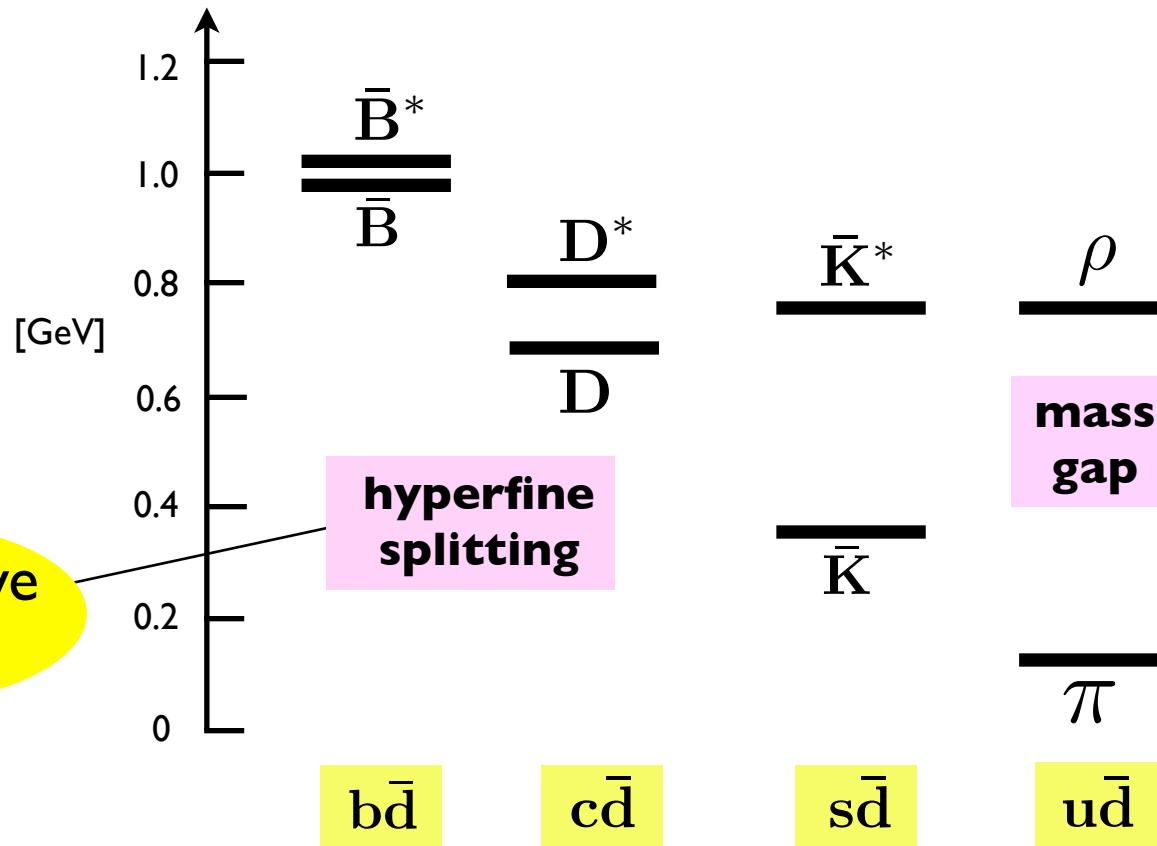
Laermann and Philipsen,
Ann. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci. 53 (2003) 163

MASS SPLITTINGS of SINGLET and TRIPLET states



Spectroscopic patterns: **LIGHT** versus **HEAVY**

$$M_{\text{meson}} - m_Q - m_q$$



2.

CONFINEMENT

and

**CHIRAL SYMMETRY
BREAKING**

Chiral Effective Field Theory

and

Selected Applications

CHIRAL SYMMETRY

- QCD with $N_f = 2$ MASSLESS QUARKS

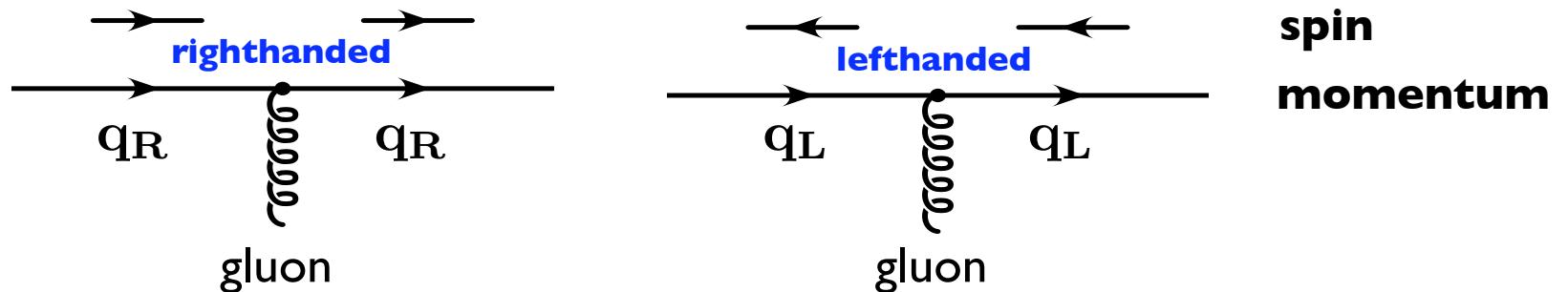
$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = \bar{\psi}_R i\gamma_\mu \mathcal{D}^\mu \psi_R + \bar{\psi}_L i\gamma_\mu \mathcal{D}^\mu \psi_L + \mathcal{L}_{GLUE}$$

$$\psi_R = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma_5)\psi \quad \psi_L = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \gamma_5)\psi$$

- ... invariant under

$$\psi_{R,L} \rightarrow \exp \left[i \frac{\theta_{R,L}^a \tau_a}{2} \right] \psi_{R,L}$$

CHIRAL $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ SYMMETRY



LOW - ENERGY QCD

- Physics in the **HADRONIC** (low T) phase of QCD

$$\mathcal{Z} = \text{tr} \exp \left[-\frac{H_{QCD}}{k_B T} \right] = \sum_n \langle n | e^{-E_n / k_B T} | n \rangle$$

- CONFINEMENT** at $T < T_{crit}$:
 - Eigenstates $|n\rangle$ are (colour-singlet) **HADRONS**



- Spontaneously broken **CHIRAL SU(2) x SU(2) SYMMETRY**
 - low-mass collective excitations:
GOLDSTONE BOSONS (PIONS)
... interact **weakly** at low energy / momentum
 - non-trivial **VACUUM** $|0\rangle$:
CHIRAL (QUARK) CONDENSATE $\langle \bar{u}u \rangle = \langle \bar{d}d \rangle \neq 0$

CHIRAL EFFECTIVE FIELD THEORY

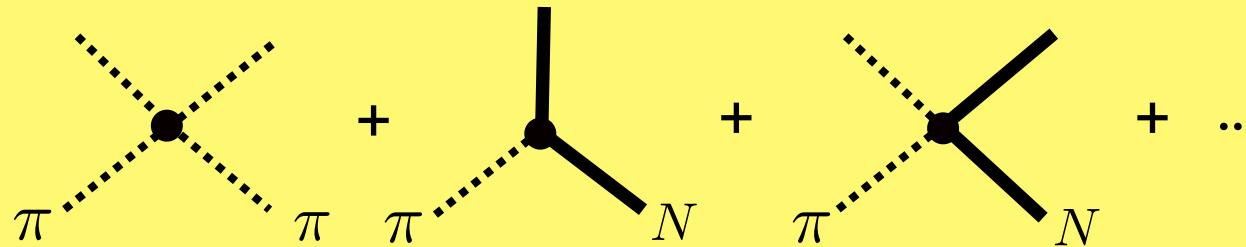
(Weinberg; Gasser & Leutwyler)

- **LOW-ENERGY QCD:** Effective Field Theory of weakly interacting **GOLDSTONE BOSONS (PIONS)**

- Interacting systems of **PIONS** coupled to **BARYONS**

(Weinberg ('68); modern developments: Ecker et al. ('94), Bernard, Kaiser, Meissner ('95) + many others)

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff}(U, \partial U, \dots, N, \dots); \quad U(x) = \exp[i\tau_a \pi_a(x)/f_\pi] \in SU(2)$$



- Low-Energy Expansion: **CHIRAL PERTURBATION THEORY**

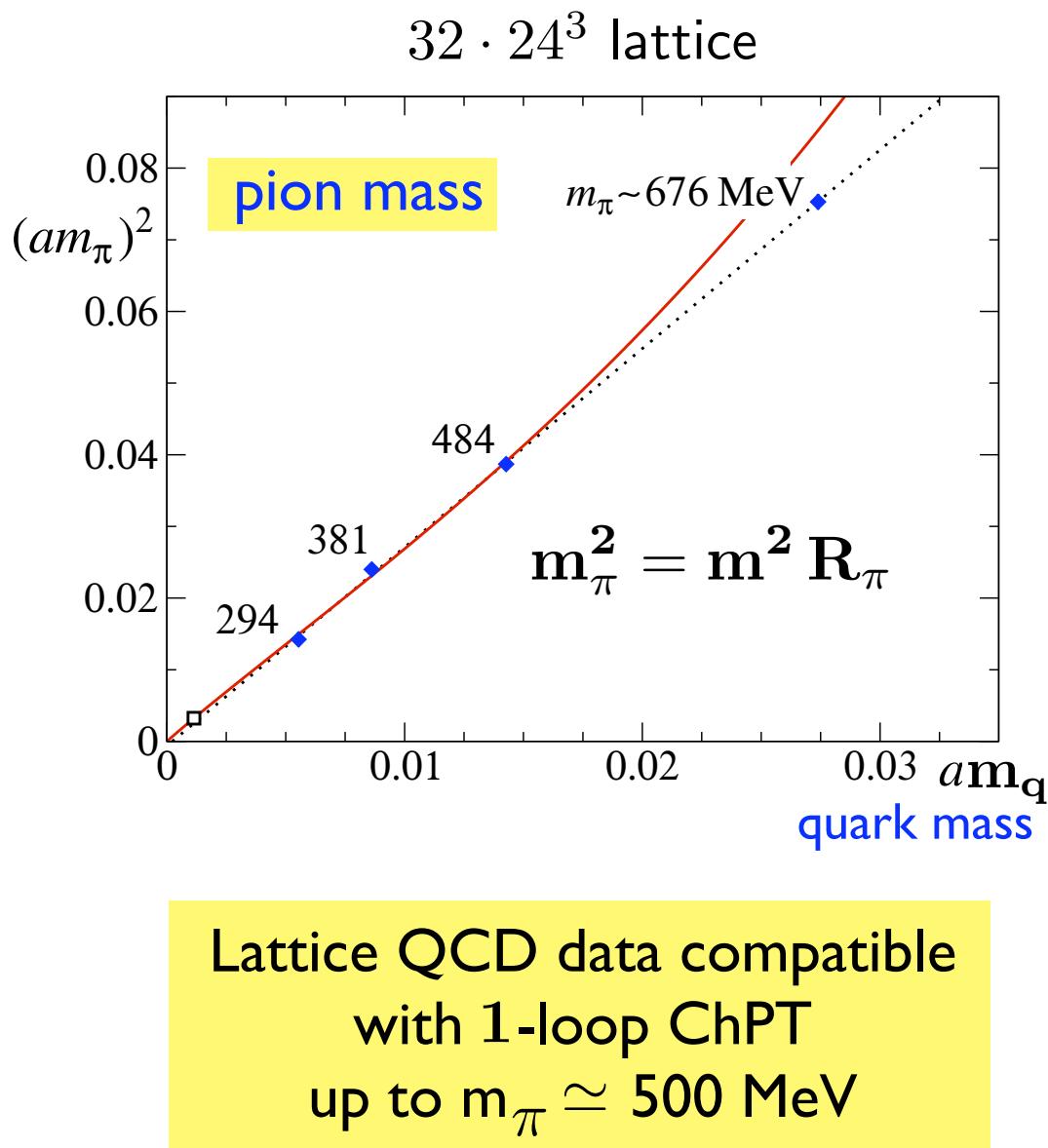
“small parameter”:

$$\frac{p}{4\pi f_\pi}$$

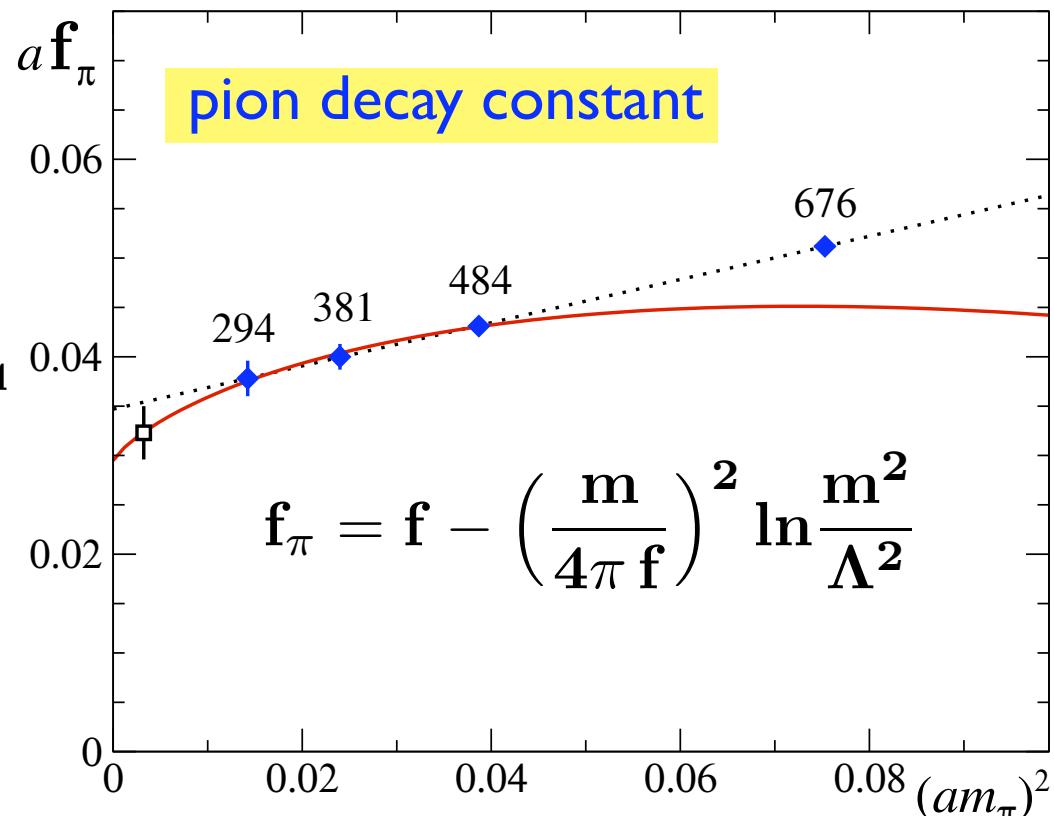
energy / momentum / pion mass
mass gap of order 1 GeV

GOLDSTONE BOSON in LATTICE QCD

Example I:



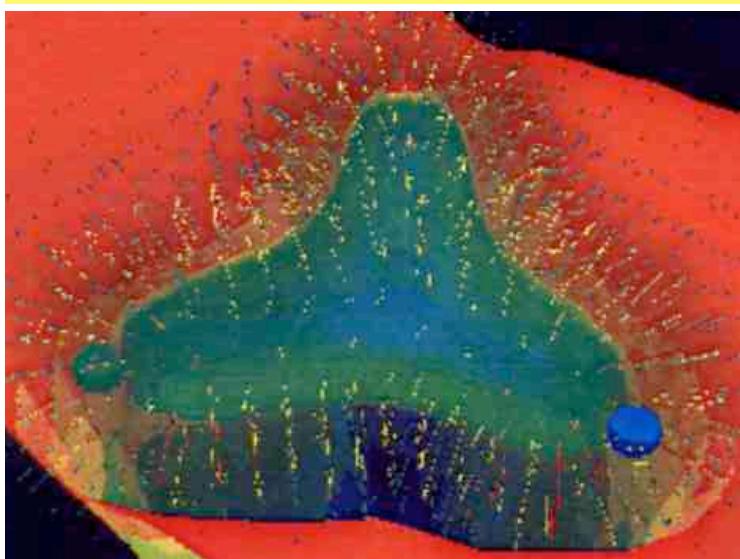
- PCAC: $m^2 = -\frac{2m_q}{f^2} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle$
(Gell-Mann, Oakes, Renner)
- ChPT correction:
 $R_\pi = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{m}{4\pi f} \right)^2 \ln \left(\frac{m^2}{\Lambda^2} \right) + \dots$



ORIGIN of MASS

- HOW does the rest mass of the PROTON arise ? ●

$m_u \simeq 3 \text{ MeV}$ $m_d \simeq 6 \text{ MeV}$
 $u + u + d = \text{proton}$
mass : $3 + 3 + 6 \neq 938!$
answer:
mostly **GLUONS**

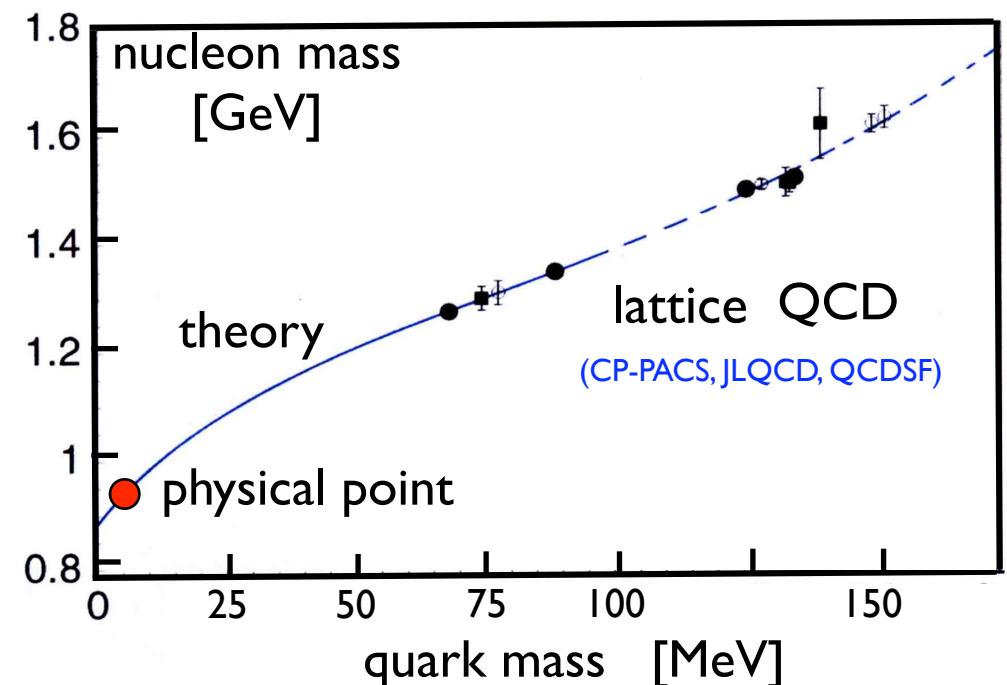


(D. Leinweber et al. 2004)

... at the same time:

$$M_N \sim \langle \bar{q}q \rangle$$

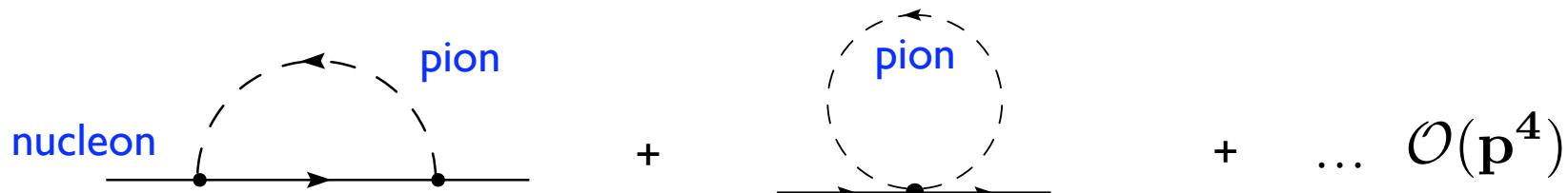
LATTICE QCD and CHIRAL EFFECTIVE FIELD THEORY



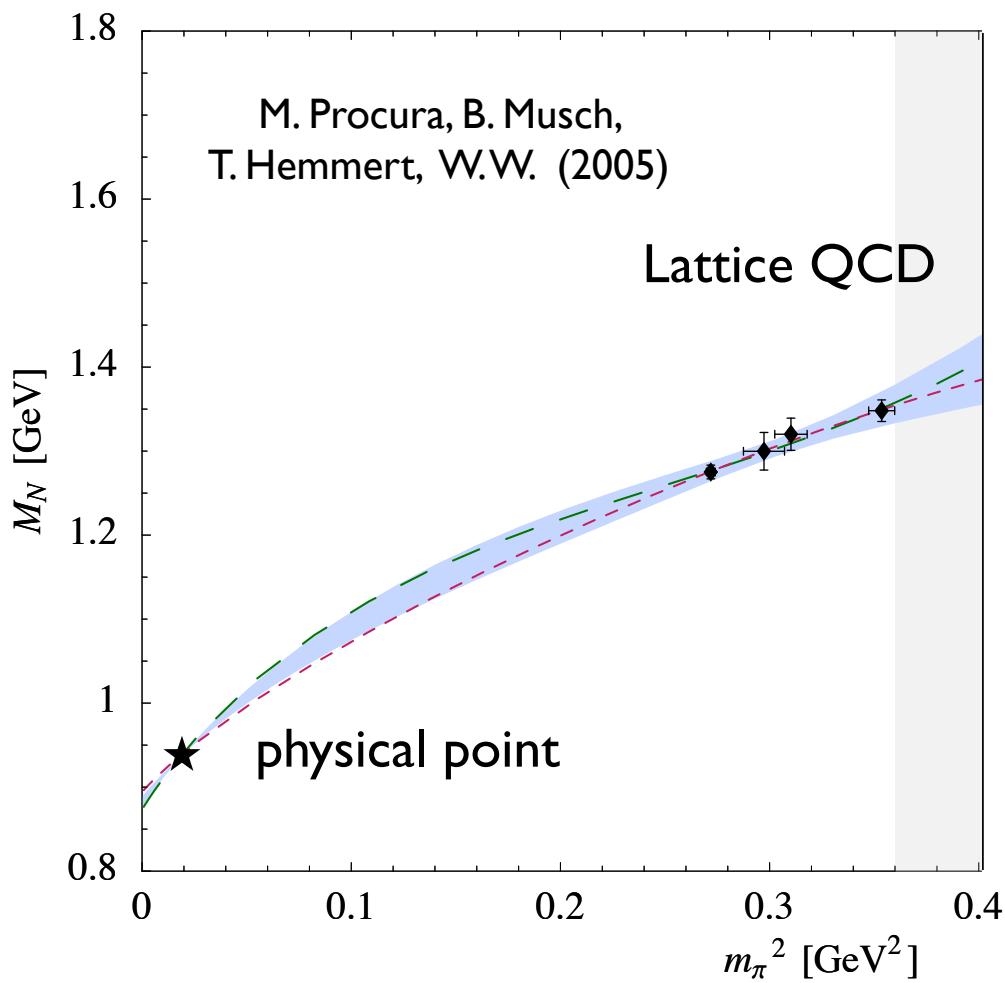
M. Procura, Th. Hemmert, W.W.
Phys. Rev. D69 (2004) 034505

(see also: Adelaide / JLab group,
D. Leinweber, A.W.Thomas et al.)

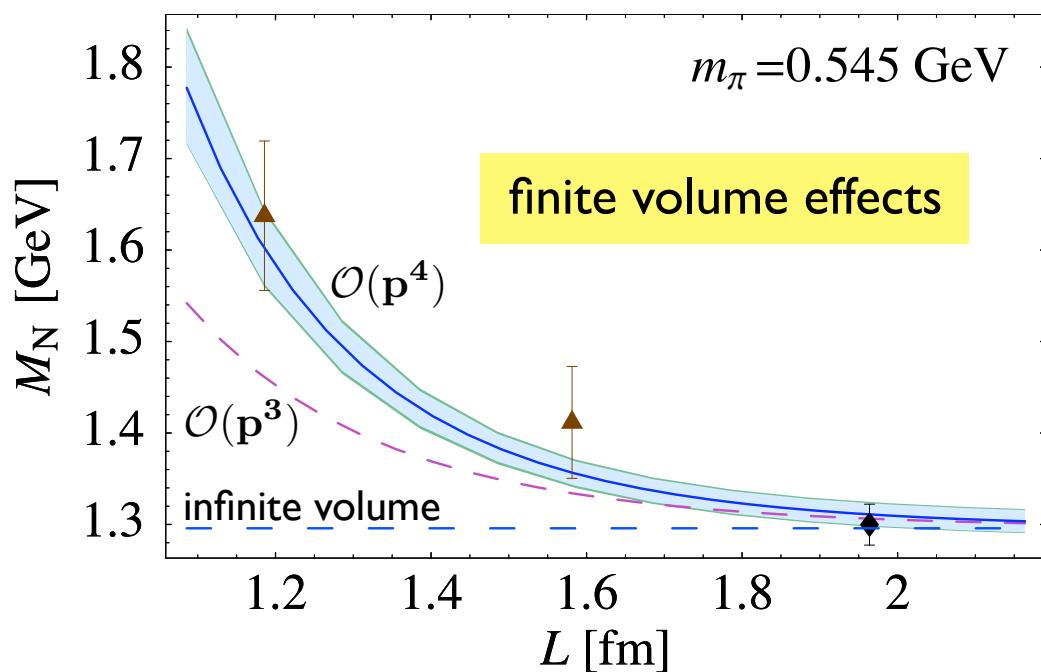
Example II: Chiral Extrapolation of NUCLEON MASS



$$M_N = M_0 + c m_\pi^2 + d m_\pi^4 + \frac{3\pi}{2} g_A^2 m_\pi \left(\frac{m_\pi}{4\pi f_\pi} \right)^2 \left[1 + \frac{m_\pi^2}{4M_0^2} \right] + \mathcal{O}(m_\pi^6)$$



Parameters consistent with
ChPT analysis of low-energy
pion-nucleon scattering

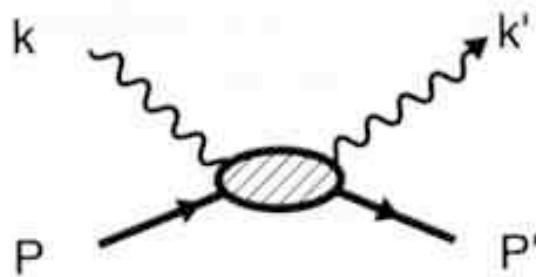


Example III:

COMPTON SCATTERING

on PROTON and DEUTERON

- Goal: determine PROTON and NEUTRON e.m. POLARIZABILITIES



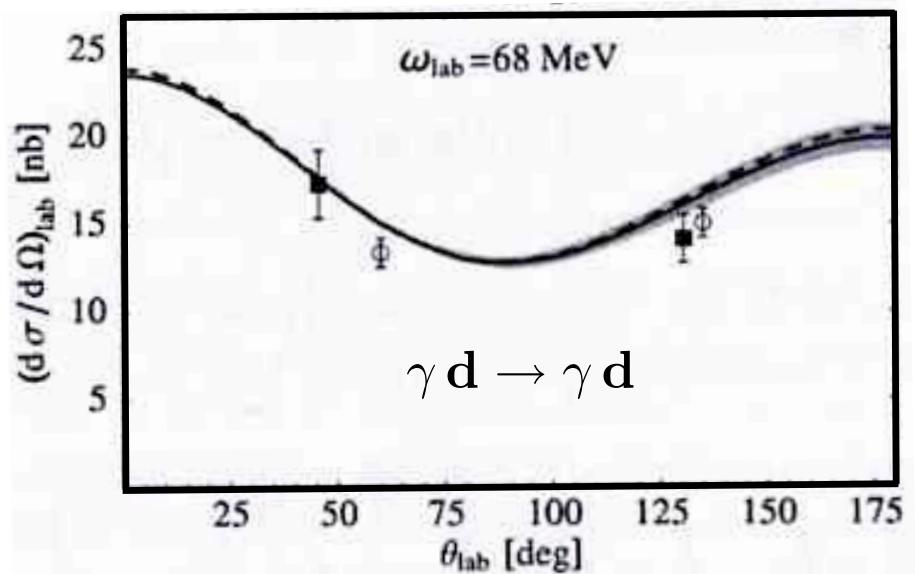
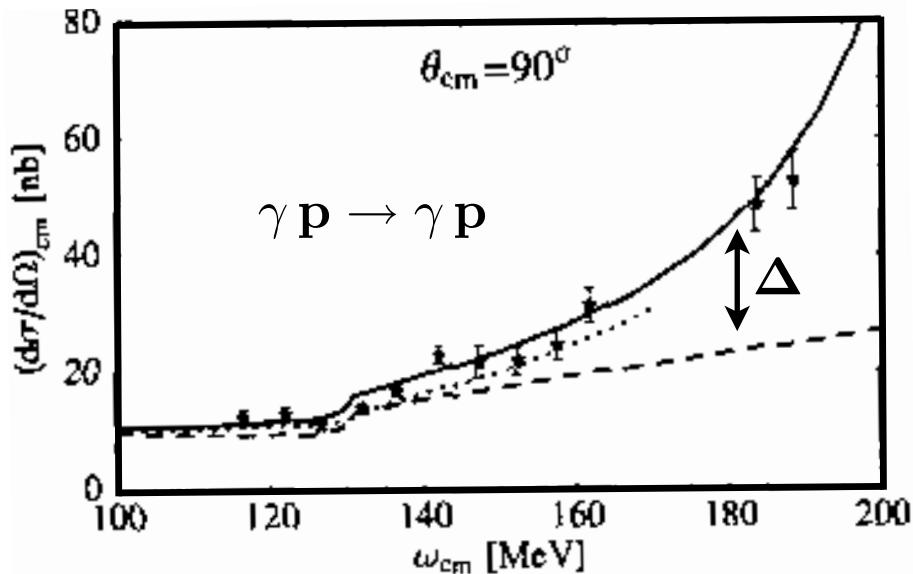
$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} - \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \right)_{\text{point}} = - \frac{e^2}{4\pi M} \omega \omega' \left[\frac{\alpha_E + \beta_M}{2} (1 + \cos \theta)^2 + \frac{\alpha_E - \beta_M}{2} (1 - \cos \theta)^2 \right]$$

- Use CHIRAL EFFECTIVE FIELD THEORY for NUCLEON and DEUTERON

- Analyze detailed ENERGY DEPENDENCE of amplitudes: separate PARAMAGNETISM ($\Delta(1230)$) from DIAMAGNETISM

COMPTON SCATTERING on PROTON and DEUTERON

- contd. -



R. Hildebrandt, H. Grießhammer, T. Hemmert, D. Phillips:
Nucl. Phys. A 748 (2005) 573

POLARIZABILITIES:

proton

$$\alpha_E^p = (11.0 \pm 1.4) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

$$\beta_M^p = (2.8 \mp 1.4) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

neutron

$$\alpha_E^n = (11.6 \pm 2.1) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

$$\beta_M^n = (3.6 \mp 2.1) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

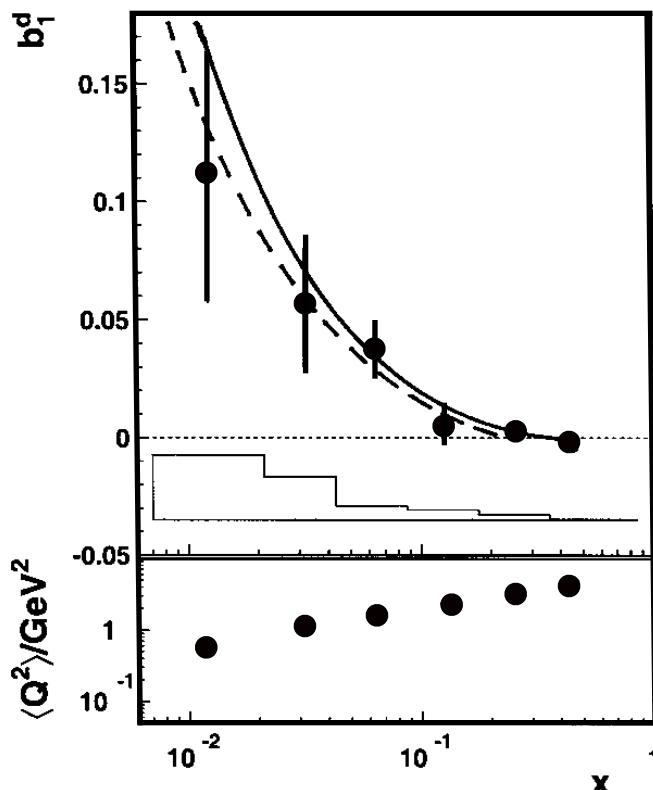
Example IV: TENSOR STRUCTURE FUNCTION b_1 of the DEUTERON

- Deep-inelastic scattering from a **POLARIZED DEUTERON** (spin-one) target

$$b_1(x, Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_q e_q^2 \left[q^{m=0}(x, Q^2) - q^{|m|=1}(x, Q^2) \right]$$

- Sensitive to **TENSOR** component of **GOLDSTONE BOSON** (pion) exchange between **PROTON** and **NEUTRON**

- Physics at the interface between partons and hadrons / nuclei



HERMES data:
C. Riedl et al. (2005)

THEORY (prediction):
J. Edelmann, G. Piller, W.W.
Phys. Rev. C 57 (1998) 3392

3. CORRELATIONS and QUASI-PARTICLES in QCD

Field Strength Correlation Length

**Quasiparticles:
Nambu & Jona-Lasinio Model**

Diquarks and related

GLUONIC FIELD STRENGTH CORRELATIONS

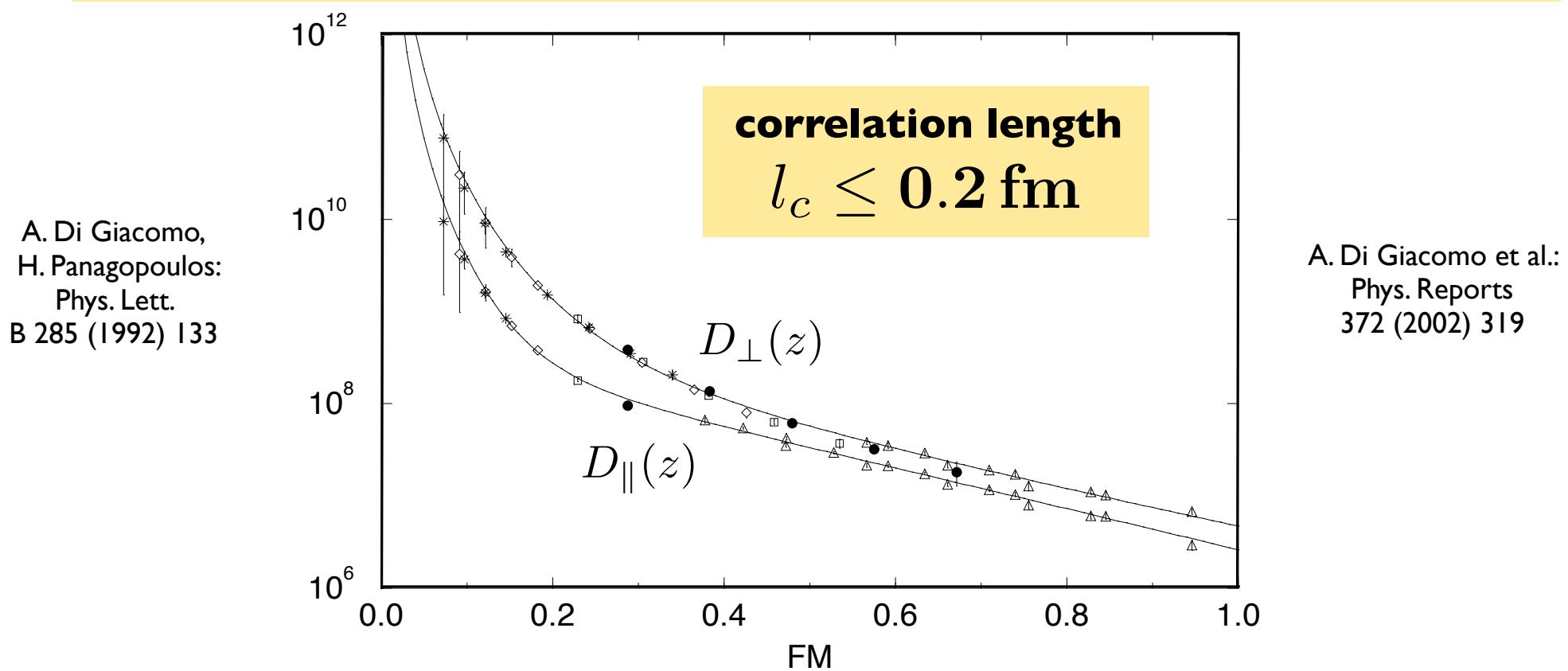
from LATTICE QCD

- Gluon Condensate:

$$\mathcal{G}_0 \equiv \left\langle \frac{2\alpha_s}{\pi} \text{Tr } G_{\mu\nu} G_{\mu\nu} \right\rangle \sim 1.6 \text{ GeV fm}^{-3} \quad (G_{\mu\nu} \equiv \frac{\lambda_a}{2} G_{\mu\nu}^a)$$

- Field Strength Correlation Function:

$$\mathcal{D}(x, y) \equiv \left\langle \frac{2\alpha_s}{\pi} \text{Tr } G_{\mu\nu}(x) \mathcal{S}(x, y) G_{\mu\nu}(y) \mathcal{S}^\dagger(x, y) \right\rangle \sim \mathcal{G}_0 \exp(-|x - y|/l_c)$$



A SCHEMATIC MODEL: NJL

Y. Nambu, G. Jona-Lasinio: Phys. Rev. 122 (1961) 345

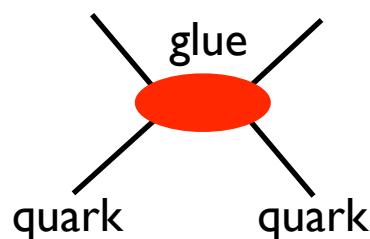
... updates with applications to HADRON PHYSICS:
 U.Vogl, W.W.; Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 27 (1991) 195
 T. Hatsuda, T. Kunihiro; Phys. Reports 247 (1994) 221

- **QUARK COLOUR CURRENT:**

$$\mathbf{J}_\mu^a(x) = \bar{\psi}(x) \gamma^\mu \frac{\lambda^a}{2} \psi(x)$$

- Assume: **short correlation range** for “**color transport**” between quarks

$$l_c < 0.2 \text{ fm}$$



$$G_c \sim g^2 l_c^2$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(x) (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - \mathbf{m}_0) \psi(x) + \mathcal{L}_{int}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = -G_c \mathbf{J}_\mu^a(x) \mathbf{J}_a^\mu(x)$$

LOCAL SU(N_c) gauge symmetry of QCD



GLOBAL SU(N_c) symmetry of NJL model

- from local interaction of quark colour currents ...

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = -G_c \mathbf{J}_\mu^a(x) \mathbf{J}_a^\mu(x) \quad (+ \text{ instanton-induced interaction})$$

- via Fierz transform to ...

→ **QUARK-ANTIQUARK** channels

$$\mathcal{L}_{q\bar{q}} = G [(\bar{\psi}\psi)^2 + (\bar{\psi}i\gamma_5\vec{\tau}\psi)^2] + \dots$$

+ vector
+ axial vector
+ colour octet terms

→ **DIQUARK** channels

$$\mathcal{L}_{qq} = H(\bar{\psi} \Gamma^\dagger \bar{\psi}^T)(\psi^T \Gamma \psi) + \dots$$

- from (light) current quarks to (massive) **CONSTITUENT QUARKS**

→ $M = m_0 - 2G\langle\bar{\psi}\psi\rangle$ (gap equation)

→ spontaneous **Chiral Symmetry Breaking**

- pseudoscalar meson spectrum incl. **GOLDSTONE PIONS**

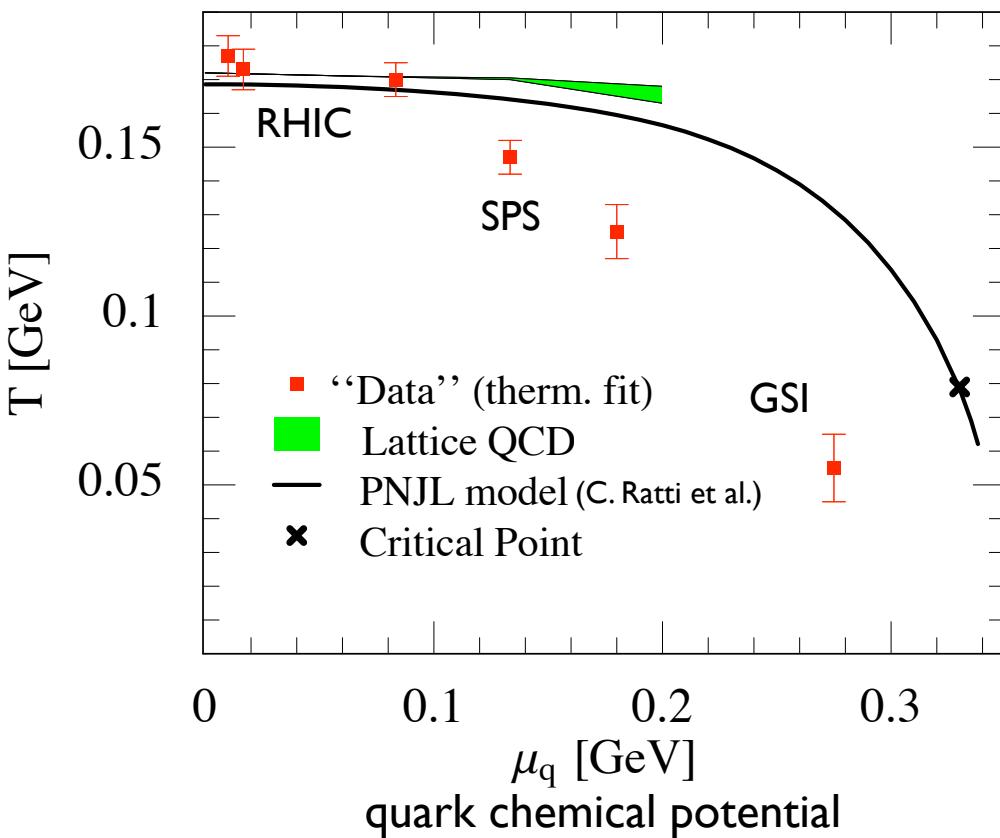
- **NEW** developments:

→ synthesis **NJL** & **POLYAKOV LOOP** (confinement)

→ modeling **QCD THERMODYNAMICS**

QCD THERMODYNAMICS

PHASE DIAGRAM



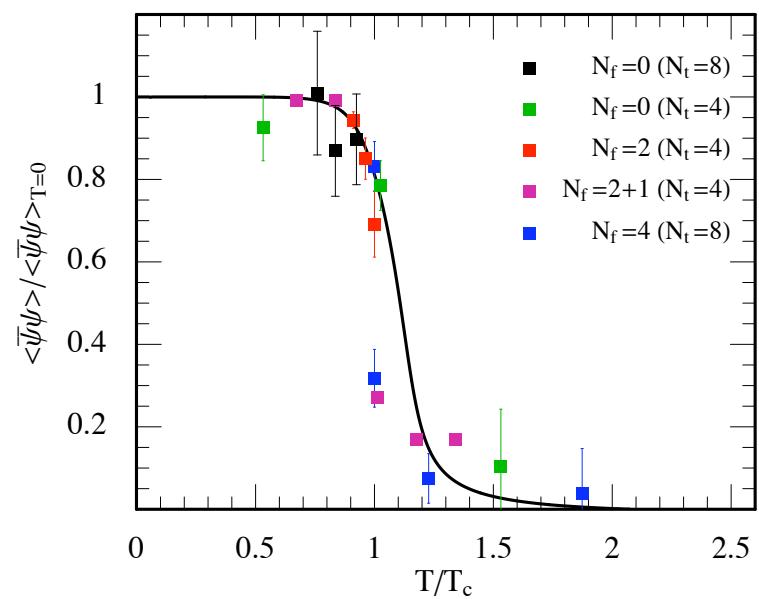
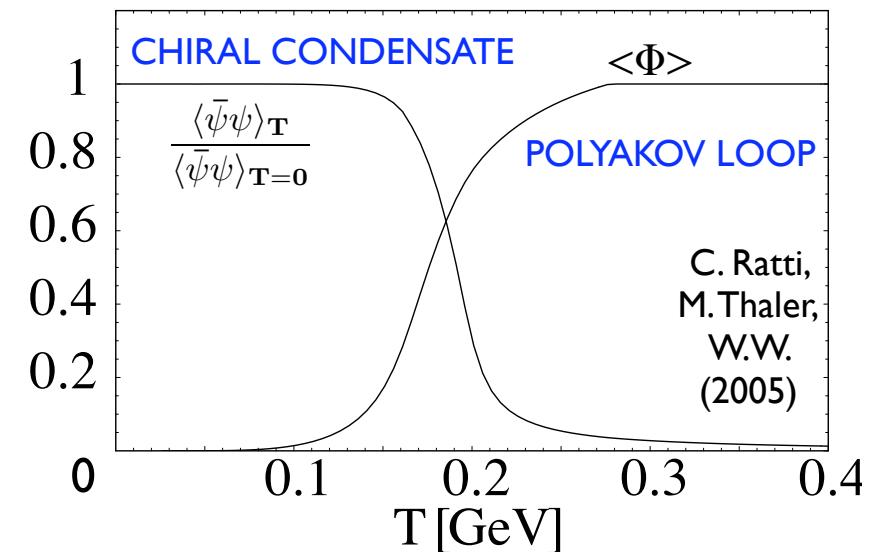
CHIRAL and **DECONFINEMENT**
transitions (almost) coincide !

BCS-type pairing of quarks into
DIQUARKS at low T , large μ_q

(Rajagopal,Wilczek,... **Colour superconductivity**)

PNJL

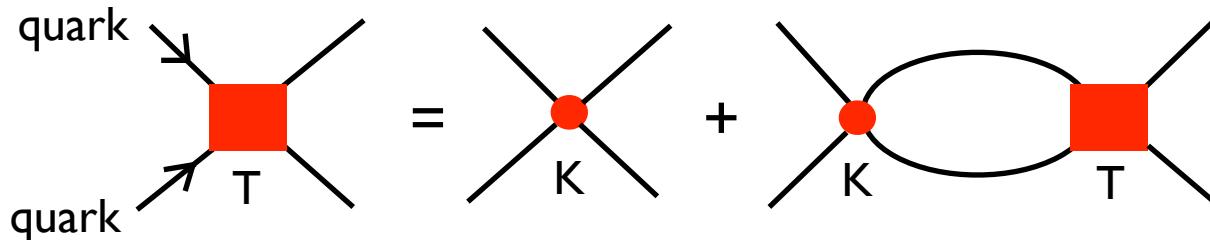
(Synthesis NJL & Polyakov/Wilson)



Lattice:
G. Boyd et al., Phys. Lett. B349 (1995) 170

the quest for DIQUARKS

- Bethe-Salpeter Equation in DIQUARK channels:



- Scalar Diquarks: $[q \uparrow \downarrow q]_{1S_0}$ strongly attractive correlations

with NJL constituent quark masses $M_{u,d} = 0.35 \text{ GeV}$, $M_s = 0.55 \text{ GeV}$:



$$M_{(ud-ud)} = 0.3 \text{ GeV}$$

SCALAR - ISOSCALAR

$$M_{(us-su)} = 0.6 \text{ GeV}$$

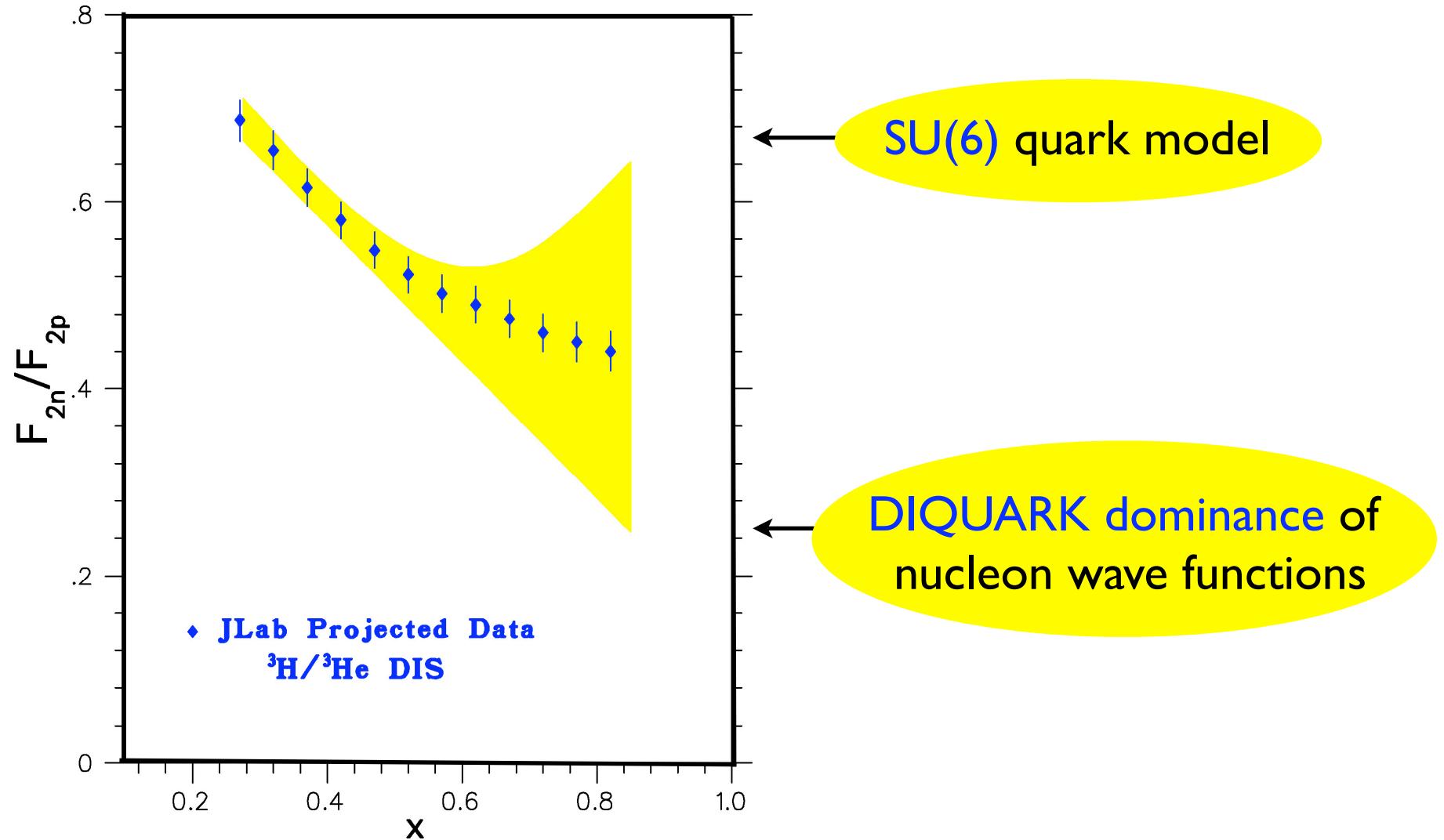
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- Origin of Jaffe - Wilczek interpretation of the $[ud]^2\bar{s}$ pentaquark

R.Jaffe, F.Wilczek: Phys. Rev. Lett. 91 (2003) 232003

Correlations and Quasiparticles in DIS ?

- $F_2^{\text{neutron}}/F_2^{\text{proton}}$ in the VALENCE QUARK region $x \rightarrow 1$



4. **SUMMARY**

- Confinement: “hidden” phenomenon, but:
resulting symmetry breaking patterns govern LOW-ENERGY QCD
- Change of Paradigm in Hadron Physics;
from naive quark-antiquark mesons and 3-quark-baryons to:

HADRONS as **MANY-BODY** systems

QCD VACUUM STRUCTURE and **THERMODYNAMICS**:
Condensed Matter Problem

Spontaneously broken **CHIRAL SYMMETRY** implies:
PIONS as long-wavelength constituents of nucleons (and other hadrons)

... also implies strong pairing correlations between quarks: **DIQUARKS**