

CHIRAL SYMMETRY RESTORATION: PATTERNS AND PARTNERS

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OUTLINE:

- ★ Chiral partners from effective theory: (χ_S, χ_P)
- ★ ChPT (model independent) results
- ★ Direct lattice analysis. Screening masses and S/P degeneration
- ★ Unitarizing: thermal $f_0(500)$ saturation for χ_S

AGN, J.Ruiz Elvira, R.Torres, *Phys.Rev. D88 (2013) 076007*

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Basic Theory Ingredients

Chiral Perturbation Theory (ChPT):

- ★ Based on Chiral Symmetry Breaking $SU_L(N_f) \times SU_R(N_f) \rightarrow SU_V(N_f)$
 - ⇒ **model independent** low-energy predictions for $N_f = 2, 3$
 - ⇒ Chiral expansion formally organized in F_π^{-2} powers.
- ★ Systematic and consistent **Meson Gas** description for T below T_c
 - ⇒ Predicts (extrapolated) $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T$ melts
 - ⇒ Reliable near $T_{FO} \sim 100$ MeV
 - ⇒ Also useful near $m_q \rightarrow 0^+$ (chiral limit scaling e.g. in lattice)

Unitarity (UChPT):

Improves the ChPT analytical description of scattering

⇒ essential for generating **resonances** (ρ, σ, \dots)

⇒ accurate description of **collisions** for thermal width, transport, ...

Meson gas: Recent Progress within ChPT+UChPT

- ★ **Hot and dense light resonances:** ρ broadening, chiral restoration in $\sigma/f_0(500)$ channel, threshold enhanc.

D.Cabrera, A.Dobado, D.Fernández-Fraile, AGN, F.J.Llanes-Estrada, J.R.Peláez, E.T.Herruzo: **PLB 02, PRC 02, PLB 05, PRD 07, EPJC 09**

- ★ **Transport coefficients:** Γ^{-1} chiral power counting, σ_{el} , η/s , ζ/s OK pheno and theoretically

D.Fernández-Fraile, AGN: **PRD 06, NPA 07, EPJA 07, EPJC 09, PRL 09**

- ★ **Chemical nonequilibrium for interacting pions:** T_{CFO} , T_{FO} reduced, BEC accesible via M_π dropping

D.Fernández-Fraile, AGN: **PRD 09**

- ★ **Isospin breaking, EM effects:** $\chi_S^{con,dis}$ scaling, $\Sigma_{\pi^\pm} - \Sigma_{\pi^0}$.
 $\langle \bar{q}q\bar{q}q \rangle$, χ_S/χ_P

AGN, J.R.Elvira, J.R.Peláez, R.Torres: **PRD 11, 13, 14**

Scalar-Pseudoscalar Degeneration

- ★ Old problem of $O(4)$ chiral partners (σ, π^a) addressed in LSM through $M_\sigma(T) \downarrow \langle \sigma \rangle(T) \downarrow$ with explicit σ field (not physical!)

T.Hatsuda, T.Kunihiro PRL 85

- ★ Vector-Axial degeneration @ chiral restoration well established with physical (ρ, a_1) states

R.Rapp, J.Wambach ANP 00

- ★ Crossover Ch.Sym.Rest $N_f = 2$ in lattice @ $T_c \sim 150-160$ MeV consistent with $O(4)$ pattern

Y.Aoki et al JHEP 09, S.Ejiri et al PRD 09 , A.Bazavov et al PRD 12

$\Rightarrow S/P$ degeneration expected from χ_S maximum onwards

Look at correlators: S/P Susceptibilities

$$\chi_P(T)\delta^{ab} = \int_0^\beta \int d^3\vec{x} \langle \mathcal{T} (\bar{q}\gamma_5\tau^a q)(x) (\bar{q}\gamma_5\tau^b q)(0) \rangle$$

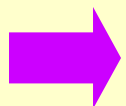
$$\chi_S(T) = -\frac{\partial}{\partial m} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T = \int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^3\vec{x} [\langle \mathcal{T}(\bar{q}q)(x)(\bar{q}q)(0) \rangle_T - \langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T^2]$$

Expected to be saturated by π and σ -like poles:

$$\chi_P = 4B_0^2 F_\pi^2 G_\pi(p^2 = 0) \sim 4B_0^2 \frac{F_\pi^2}{M_\pi^2} = -\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle}{m_q} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{from PCAC+GOR } (T=0) \\ \text{or LO ChPT} \end{array}$$

$$B_0 = M_\pi^2 / 2m_q$$

$$\chi_S = 4B_0^2 F_\pi^2 G_\sigma(p^2 = 0) \sim \frac{4B_0^2 F_\pi^2}{M_\sigma^2} \quad \text{from } \mathcal{L}_{SB} = 2B_0 F_\pi s(x)\sigma(x)$$

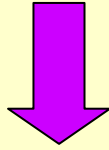


But no need to deal with a particle-like σ state.
 \Rightarrow suitable for ChPT (model independent) and UChPT

ChPT calculation at $T \neq 0$ to NLO

SCALAR CORRELATOR:

$\langle (\bar{q}q)^2 \rangle_T$ factorization breaking term $\mathcal{O}(F^0)$



$$\chi_S^{ChPT}(T) = B_0^2 [8 (l_3^r(\mu) + h_1^r(\mu)) - 12\nu_\pi + 6g_2(M_\pi, T)] + \mathcal{O}(F_\pi^{-2})$$

$$\nu_i = \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \left(1 + \log \frac{M_i^2}{\mu^2} \right)$$

$$g_1(M, T) = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \int_0^\infty dp \frac{p^2}{E_p} \frac{1}{e^{\beta E_p} - 1} \rightarrow \frac{T^2}{12} \quad \text{for } T \gg M$$

$$g_2(M, T) = -\frac{dg_1(M, T)}{dM^2} = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_0^\infty dp \frac{1}{E_p} \frac{1}{e^{\beta E_p} - 1} \rightarrow \frac{T}{8\pi M} \quad \text{for } T \gg M$$

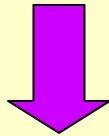
ChPT calculation at $T \neq 0$ to NLO

Coupling external **pseudoscalar** sources, the Euclidean correlator:

$$K_P(p) = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ T=0 \text{ LEC}}}{a} - 4B_0^2 F^2 \frac{Z_\pi(T)}{p^2 - M_\pi^2(T)} - \frac{c(T)}{p^2 - M_\pi^2(T)} + \mathcal{O}(F_\pi^{-2})$$

Not just proportional to G_π^{NLO} !. Actually the residue:

$$4B_0^2 F^2 Z_\pi(T) + c(T) = \frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0} \frac{F_\pi^2(0) M_\pi^2(0)}{m_q^2} M_\pi^2(T) + \mathcal{O}(F_\pi^{-2})$$



$$K_P(0) = \chi_P^{ChPT}(T) = -\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T}{m_q} + \mathcal{O}(F^{-2})$$

$$= 4B_0^2 \left[\frac{F^2}{M^2} + \frac{1}{32\pi^2} (4\bar{h}_1 - \bar{l}_3) - \frac{3}{2M^2} g_1(M, T) \right] + \mathcal{O}(F_\pi^{-2})$$

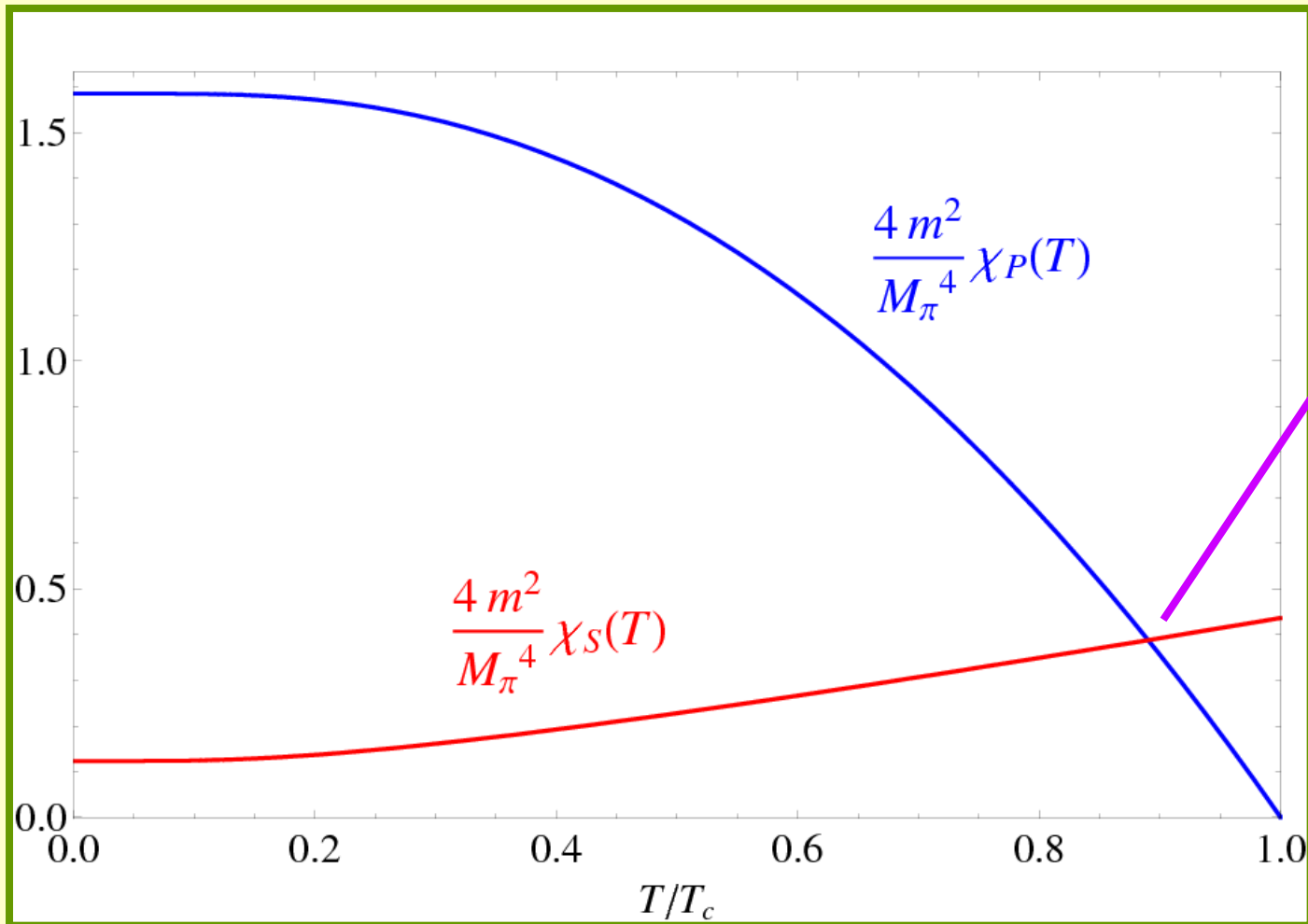
ChPT calculation at $T \neq 0$ to NLO

$$\chi_P^{ChPT}(T) = - \frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T}{m_q}$$

- ★ Model independent. Finite and scale-independent
- ★ $\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0} = \frac{\chi_P(T)}{\chi_P(0)}$ also LEC and m_q independent
- ★ χ_P drops as the condensate (**not as softer** $\sim M_\pi^{-2}(T)$)
- ★ $\chi_P(\rho) \sim \langle \bar{q}q \rangle(\rho)$ also in nuclear matter **G.Chanfray, M.Ericson EPJA 03**
- ★ Formal (bare and chiral symmetric) QCD Ward Identity.

D.J.Broadhurst NPB 75
M.Bochicchio et al NPB 85
P.Boucaud et al PRD 10

Results: ChPT



$$\langle \bar{q}q \rangle(T_c) = 0$$

$$T_d \sim 0.9T_c$$

$$\chi_S(T_d) = \chi_P(T_d)$$

$$T_d \simeq T_c - \frac{3M_\pi}{4\pi}$$

$(M_\pi \ll T)$

$T_d \rightarrow T_c$ in chiral limit
(exact chiral sym.rest.)

Direct Analysis of Lattice Data

1) $\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0} = \frac{\chi_P(T)}{\chi_P(0)}$ from K_P (screening) masses:

$$\frac{M_P(T)}{M_P(0)} \sim \left[\frac{\chi_P(0)}{\chi_P(T)} \right]^{1/2} \sim \left[\frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T} \right]^{1/2}$$

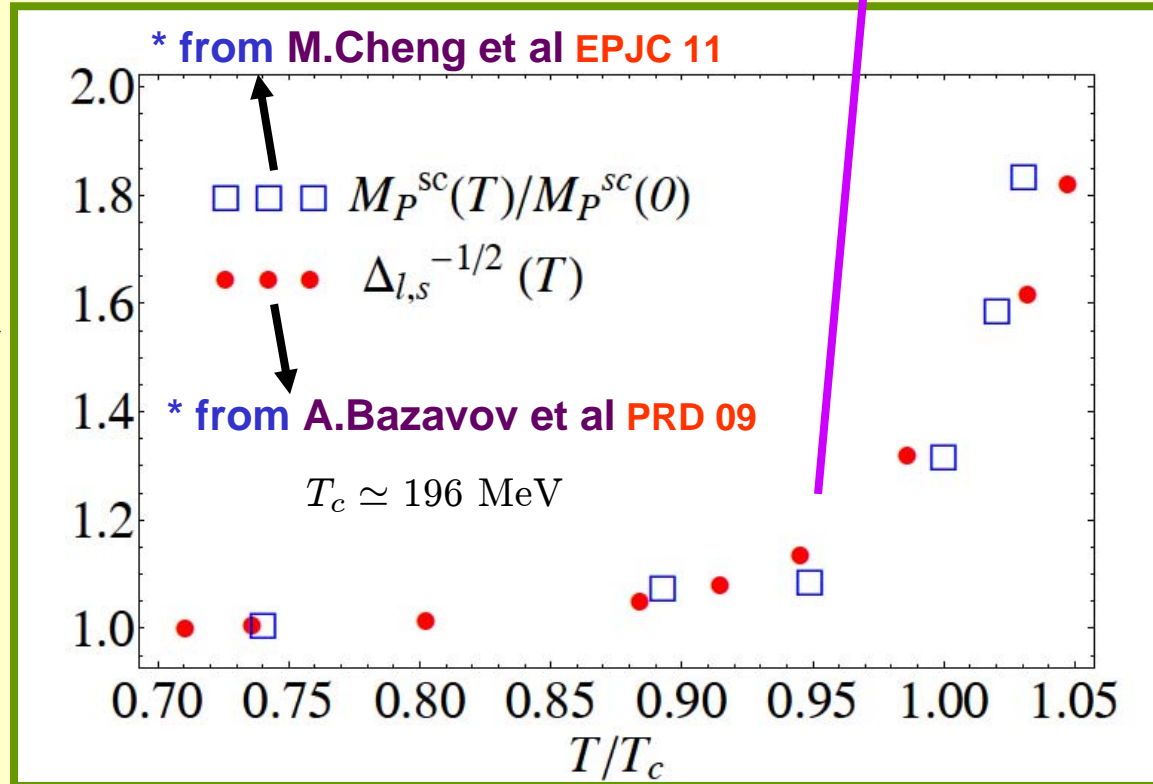
Explains sudden increase near T_c



$$\Delta_{l,s} = \frac{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T - (2m_q/m_s)\langle \bar{s}s \rangle_T}{\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0 - (2m_q/m_s)\langle \bar{s}s \rangle_0}$$

Uncertainties:

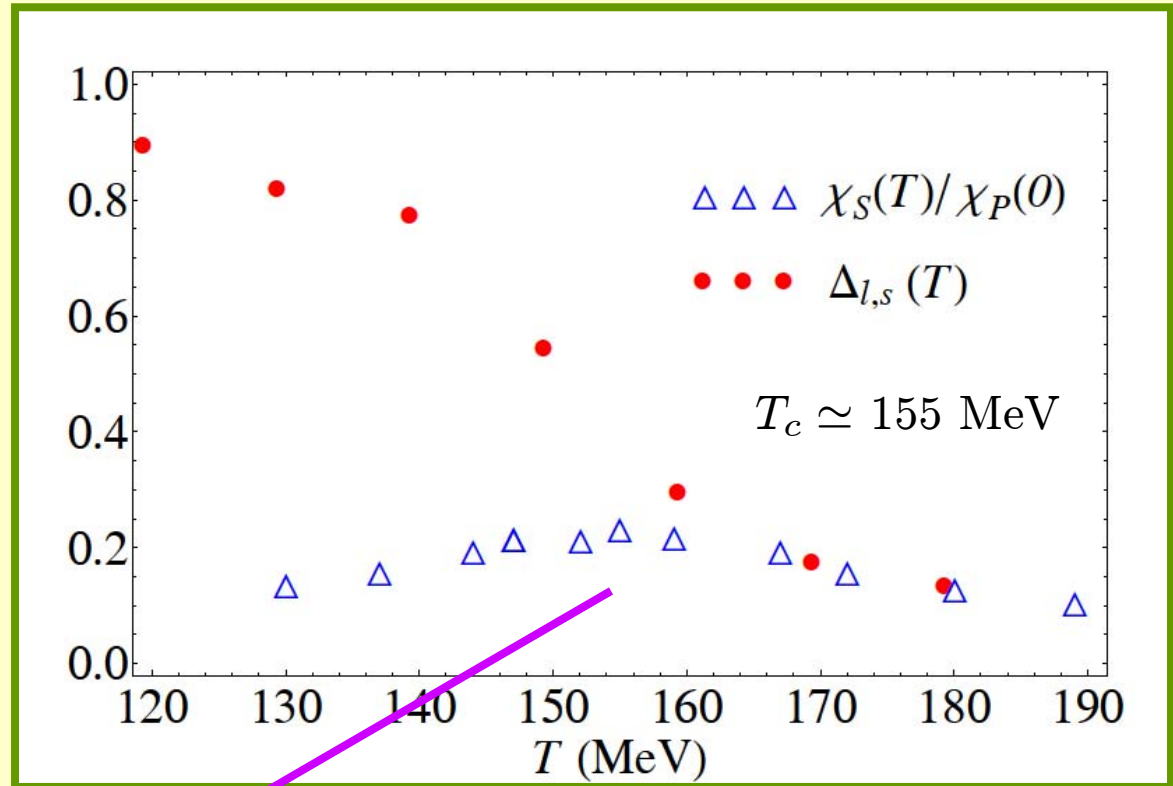
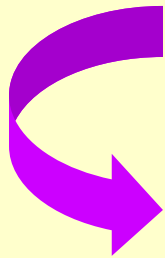
- $\langle \bar{s}s \rangle$ subtr $\sim 15\%$ @ T_c
- M_P^{sc}/M_P^{pole} smoothness
- Lattice effects



* same lattice conditions for masses and condensate

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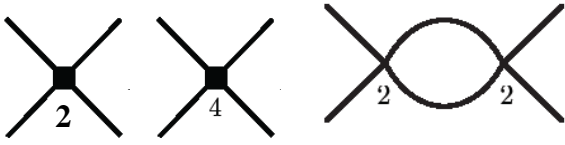
2) χ_S/χ_P degeneration:



Data from Y.Aoki et al JHEP 09

Degeneration from the χ_S maximum onwards

Unitarizing ChPT: scattering vs susceptibility

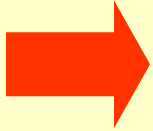


ChPT Partial waves $t^{IJ} = t_2^{IJ} + t_4^{IJ} + \dots$

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Unitarity $\rightarrow \text{Im } t(s) = \sigma(s)|t(s)|^2 \quad (s \geq 4M^2) \Rightarrow \text{Im } t^{-1} = -\sigma$

$$\sigma(s) = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4M^2}{s}} = \frac{p_{CM}}{\sqrt{s}} \quad \text{two-particle phase space}$$

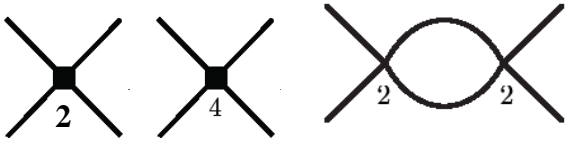


$$t^U(s) = \frac{[t_2(s)]^2}{t_2(s) - t_4(s)}$$

Resonances dynamically generated as poles in 2nd RS, no assumptions about their nature or couplings. Formally justified by dispersion relations.

Successful for scattering data up to 1 GeV & low-lying resonance multiplets.

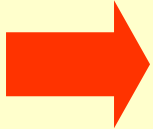
Unitarizing ChPT: scattering



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FINITE TEMPERATURE:

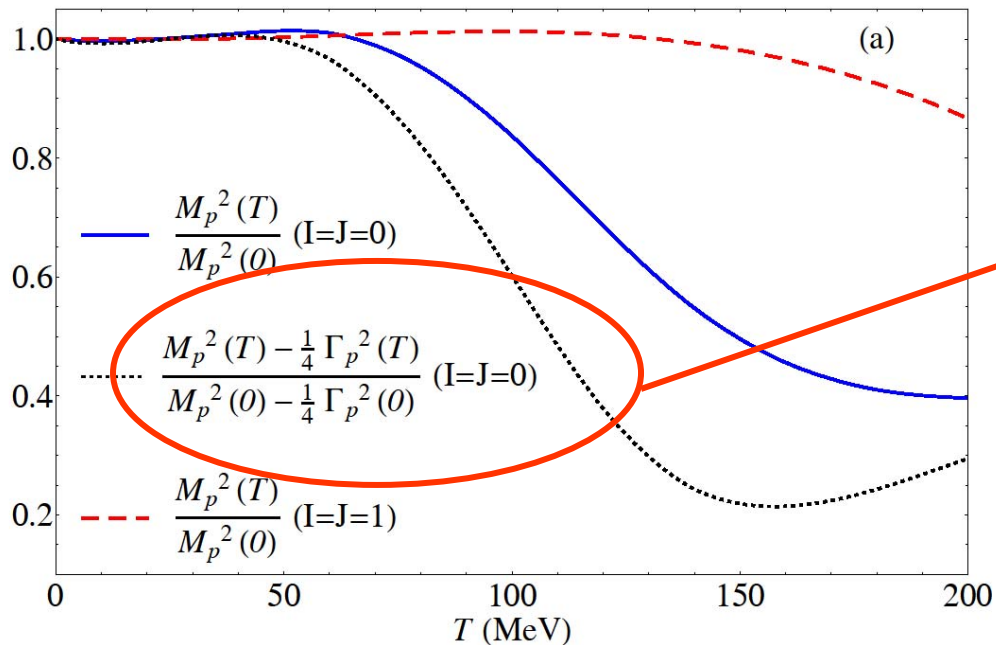
$$t_4(s) \rightarrow t_4(s; T)$$

$$\sigma \rightarrow \sigma [1 + 2n_B(\sqrt{s}/2)] \equiv \sigma_T$$

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Thermal phase Space.

Bose net enhancement $(1 + n)^2 - n^2$



$$M_S^2(T) = M_p^2(T) - \Gamma_p^2(T)/4$$

scalar pole mass

Chiral restoring behaviour !

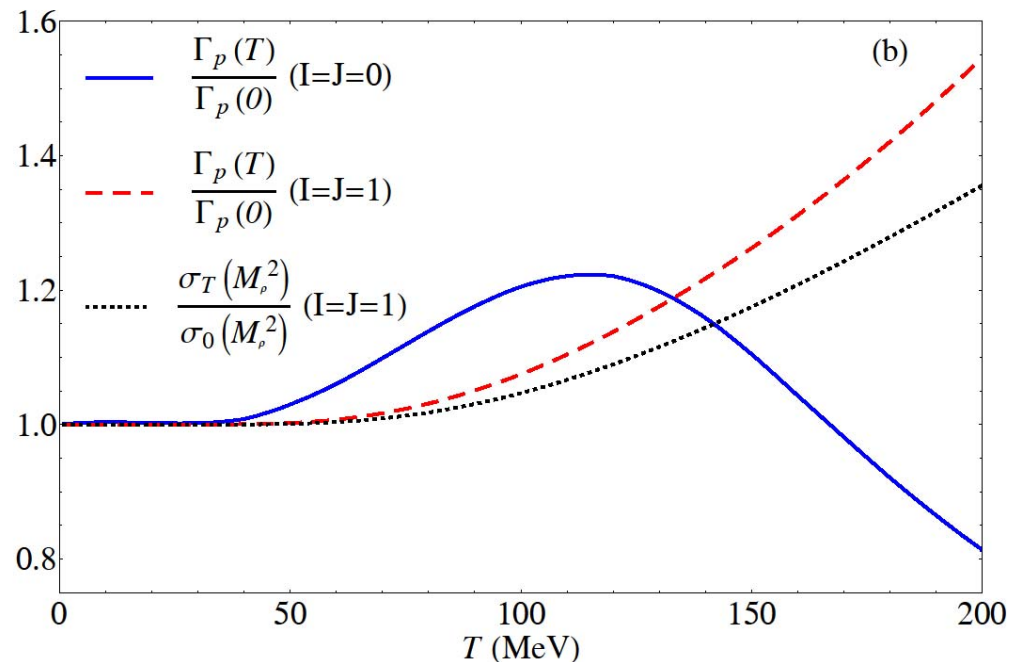
$$I = J = 0 : f_0(500)$$

$$I = J = 1 : \rho(770)$$

Pole position:

$$s_p(T) = [M_p(T) - i\Gamma_p(T)/2]^2$$

(2nd Riemann sheet)



Unitarized Scalar Susceptibility

- ★ Saturate the scalar correlator with the $f_0(500)$ thermal state:
(assuming $p = 0$ pole not very diff. from s_p)

$$\chi_S^U(T) = \frac{\chi_S^{\text{ChPT}}(0) M_S^2(0)}{M_S^2(T)}$$

Normalization to match $T = 0$ ChPT.
Compensates pole diff.

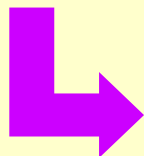
- ★ Unitarized condensate from χ^U requires additional scaling assumptions (holding in ChPT):

$$\delta \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^U(T, M) = B_0 T^2 g(T/M)$$

$$\delta f(T) = f(T) - f(0)$$

$x_0 \ll 1$ matching point

$$\delta \chi_S^U = B_0^2 h(T/M)$$



$$g(x) = g(x_0) + \int_{x_0}^x \frac{h(y)}{y^3} dy \quad (x > x_0)$$

$$g(x) = g_{\text{ChPT}}(x) \quad (x \leq x_0)$$

Results: ChPT & UChPT

Data from
Y.Aoki et al JHEP 09

Not a fit for Unit.

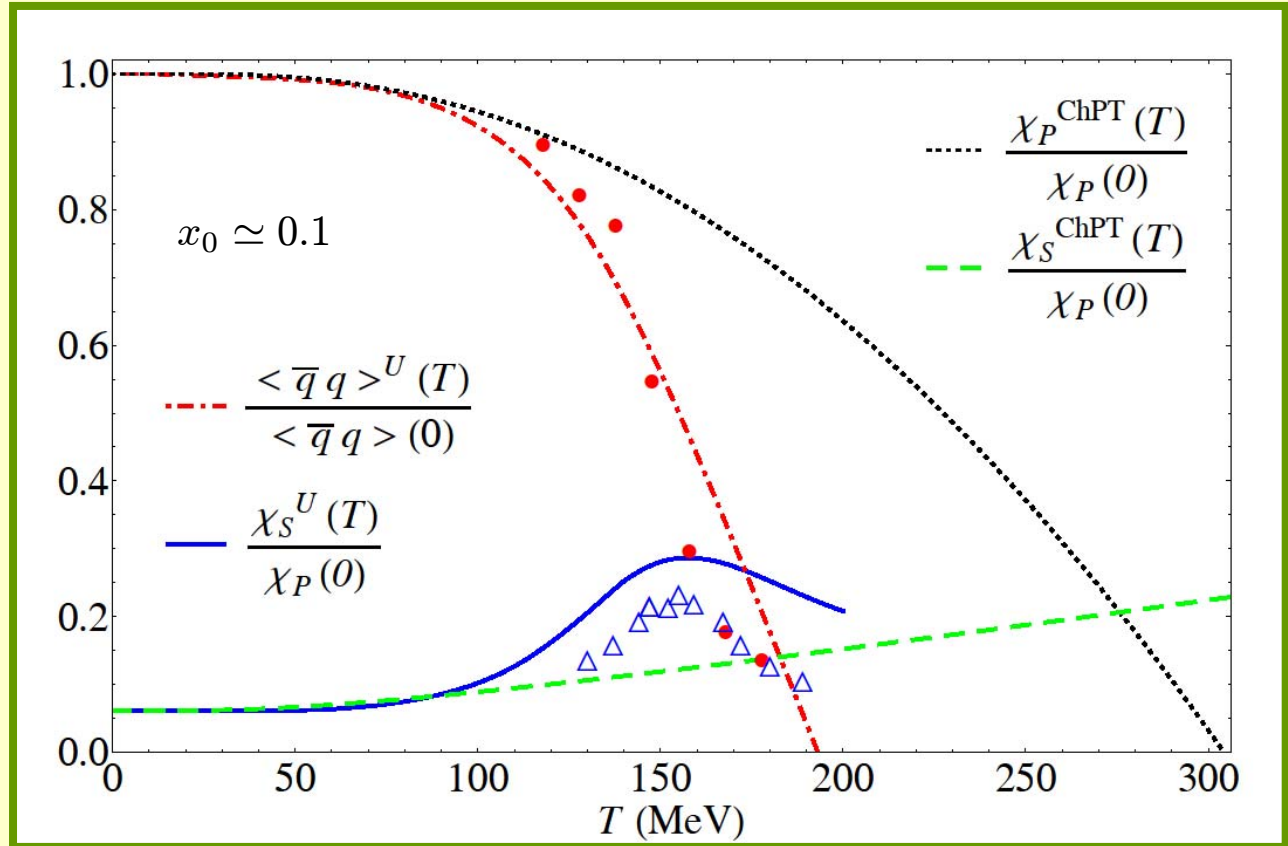
LEC fixed to $T = 0$
comp. with PDG:

$$M_p^{00} = 441 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_p^{00} = 466 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_p^{11} = 756 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_p^{11} = 151 \text{ MeV}$$



- ★ Improving of critical behaviour $\rightarrow \chi_S^U$ peak at $T_c = 157 \text{ MeV}$
 $T_c \downarrow$ and more abrupt χ_S^U near chiral limit
- ★ low- T χ_S^U and $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle^U$ OK with ChPT
- ★ S/P intersection near χ_S^U peak

Conclusions

- ★ **Chiral partner degeneration at T_c within $O(4)$ pattern holds for $(\chi_S, \chi_P) \Rightarrow$ eff.theory & lattice analysis.**
- ★ **$\chi_P(T) = -\langle \bar{q}q \rangle(T)/m_q$ proved to NLO ChPT (model ind). Holds also for lattice data \Rightarrow explains sudden growth of pseudoscalar screening mass.**
- ★ **Saturation by thermal $f_0(500)/\sigma$ state (dyn.gen. via unitariz.) is a very relevant effect to get χ_S and S/P degeneration in accordance with lattice data**
- ★ **In progress: $SU(3)$, $a_0(980)$...**

Backup Slides

Chiral lagrangians and power counting

$$\mathcal{L}[U, s, v, a, p, \theta] = \mathcal{L}_2 + \mathcal{L}_4 + \mathcal{L}_4^{WZW} + \dots$$

systematic expansion in $D_\mu U$ and external fields $s \sim m_q \sim M^2, v, a, p, \theta$

$$U = \exp[i \sum_a \pi_a t^a / F] \quad D_\mu U = \partial_\mu U - i(v_\mu + a_\mu)U + iU(v_\mu - a_\mu)$$

A given diagram $\mathcal{O}(p^D) \longrightarrow E, |\vec{p}|, T, eA_\mu, \dots$

\Rightarrow more precisely, $p/\Lambda_\chi, T/T_c, \dots$ with $\Lambda_\chi \sim 1 \text{ GeV}$.

$$D = 2 + \sum_n N_n (n - 2) + 2L$$

Number of loops

Number of vertices from \mathcal{L}_n

Chiral Lagrangians: leading order non-linear sigma model

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \frac{F^2}{4} \text{tr} \left[(D_\mu U)^\dagger D^\mu U + 2B_0 \mathcal{M} (U + U^\dagger) \right]$$

$$U = \exp[i\Phi/F]$$

$$\mathbf{SU}(2) : \Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 & \sqrt{2}\pi^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\pi^- & -\pi^0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{SU}(3) : \Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta & \sqrt{2}\pi^+ & \sqrt{2}K^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\pi^- & -\pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta & \sqrt{2}K^0 \\ \sqrt{2}K^- & \sqrt{2}\bar{K}^0 & \frac{-2}{\sqrt{3}}\eta \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{M} = \text{diag}(m_u, m_d, m_s)$ **explicit ch.sym. Breaking perturbations**

$$M_\pi^2 = 2B_0(m_u + m_d) [1 + \mathcal{O}(m_q)] ; F_\pi = F [1 + \mathcal{O}(m_q)] ; \langle \bar{q}q \rangle = -2F^2 B_0 [1 + \mathcal{O}(m_q)]$$

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}$ **chiral invariant** $U \rightarrow RUL^\dagger$ in the chiral limit $\mathcal{M} = 0$
 \Rightarrow **isospin invariant** $L = R = V$ for $\mathcal{M} = m_1$

- Systematic construction of the effective lagrangian order by order in (covariant) derivatives and masses.
- All possible independent terms compatible with the symmetries:

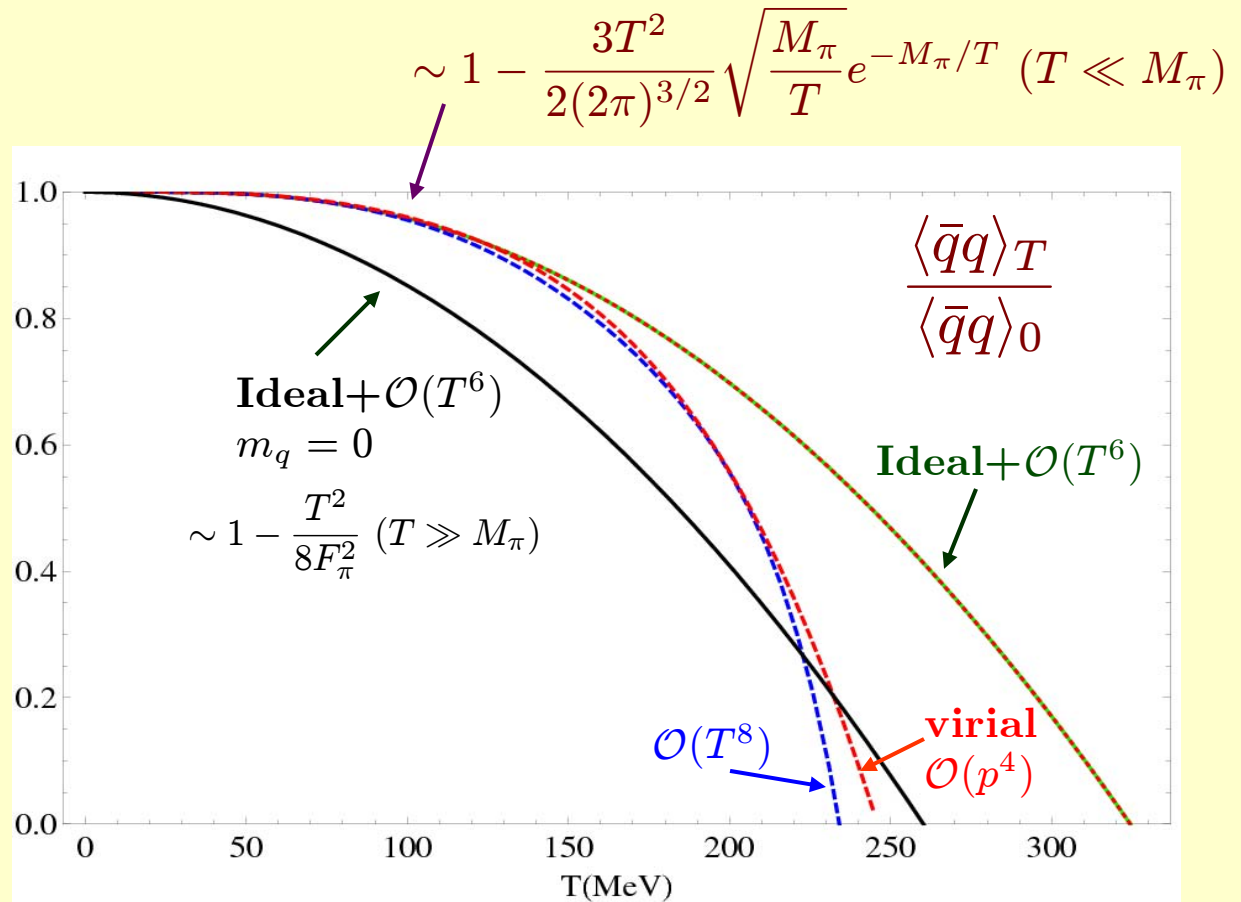
$$\mathcal{L}_4 = l_1 \left(\text{tr} \left[(D_\mu U)^\dagger D^\mu U \right] \right)^2 + l_2 \text{tr} \left[(D_\mu U)^\dagger D_\nu U \right] \text{tr} \left[(D^\mu U)^\dagger D^\nu U \right] + \dots$$

+ \mathcal{L}_{WZW} also of $\mathcal{O}(p^4)$ accounting for anomalous processes

- Low-Energy Constants (LEC) L_i absorb one-loop UV divergences
- Their finite part to be fixed by data or estimated theoretically with QCD models. Encode the underlying particle and field dynamics of heavier states.

Quark Condensate: Pure pion gas in ChPT & Virial

$$\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_T = \langle \bar{q}q \rangle_0 + \frac{\partial P}{\partial m_q}$$



⇒ Chiral limit only qualitative.

For the relevant region, T, M_π of same chiral order

⇒ Improving the perturbative expansion reduces (extrapolated) T_c

Pole vs Screening masses

$$\chi_P = K_P(p=0) \sim (M_P^{pole})^{-2}$$

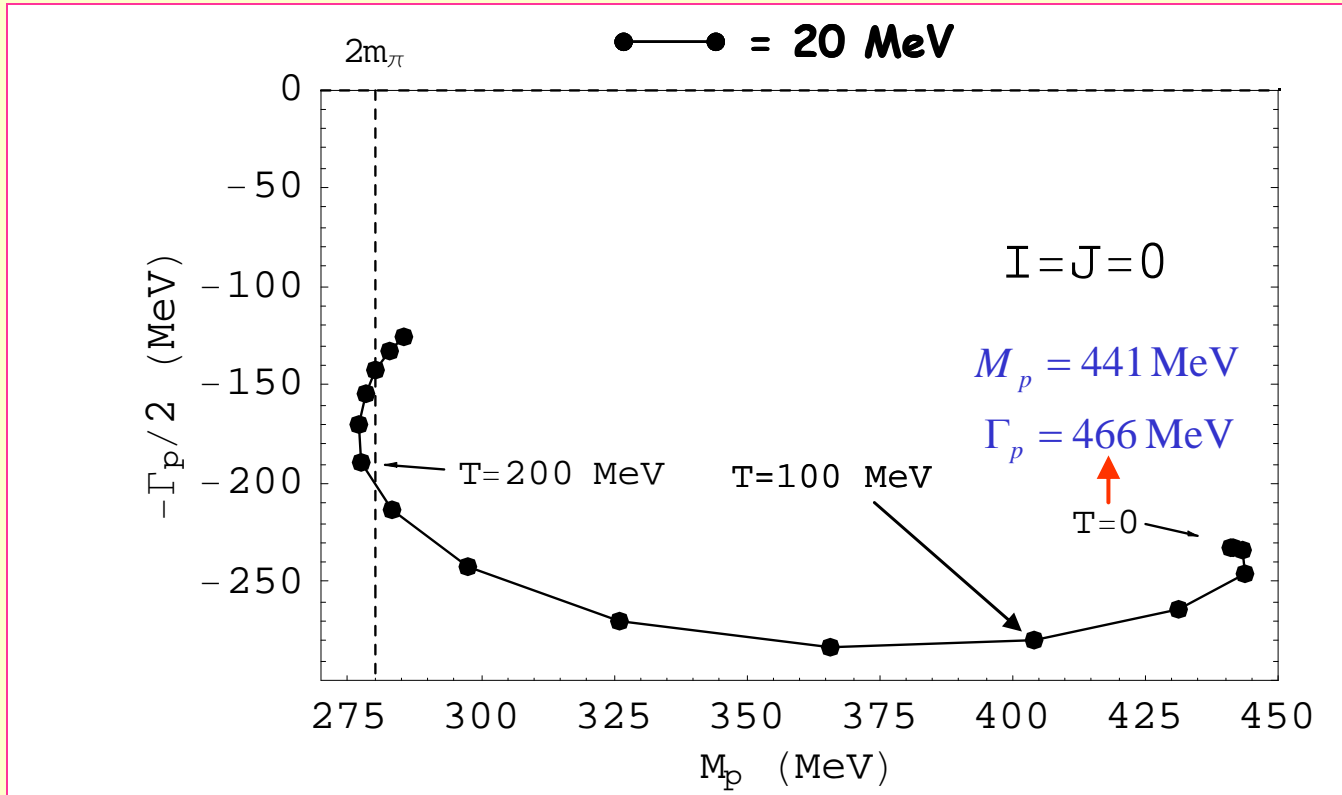
General (lattice-like) parametrization:

$$K_P^{-1}(\omega, \vec{p}) = -\omega^2 + A^2(T)|\vec{p}|^2 + M_P^{pole}(T)^2$$

$A(T) = M_P^{pole}(T)/M_P^{sc}(T)$ assumed smooth

($A = 1$ in one-loop ChPT, although may change near T_c)

f₀(500) thermal pole:



Pole position $s_p(T) = [M_p(T) - i\Gamma_p(T)/2]^2$ (2nd Riemann sheet)

$\rho(770)$ thermal pole

$$s_{pole} = (M_p - i\Gamma_p/2)^2 \quad (\text{2nd Riemann sheet})$$

