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Jet Quenching at BES energies and Partonic Critical Opalescence

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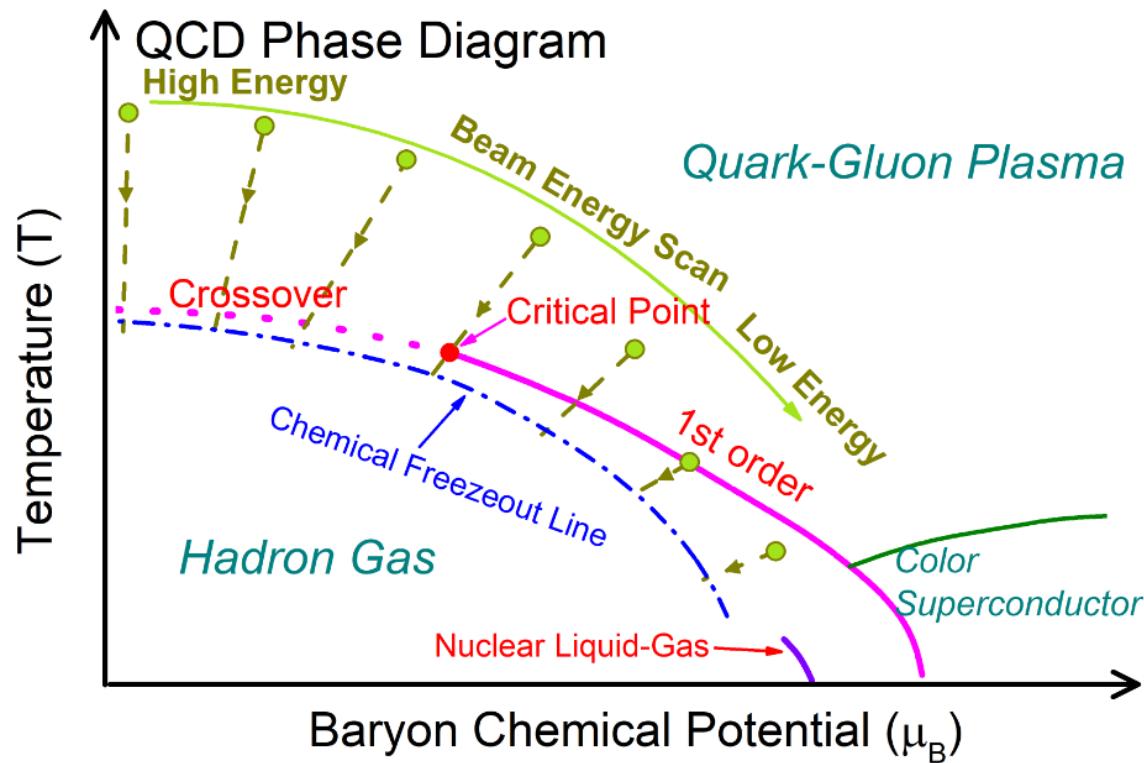


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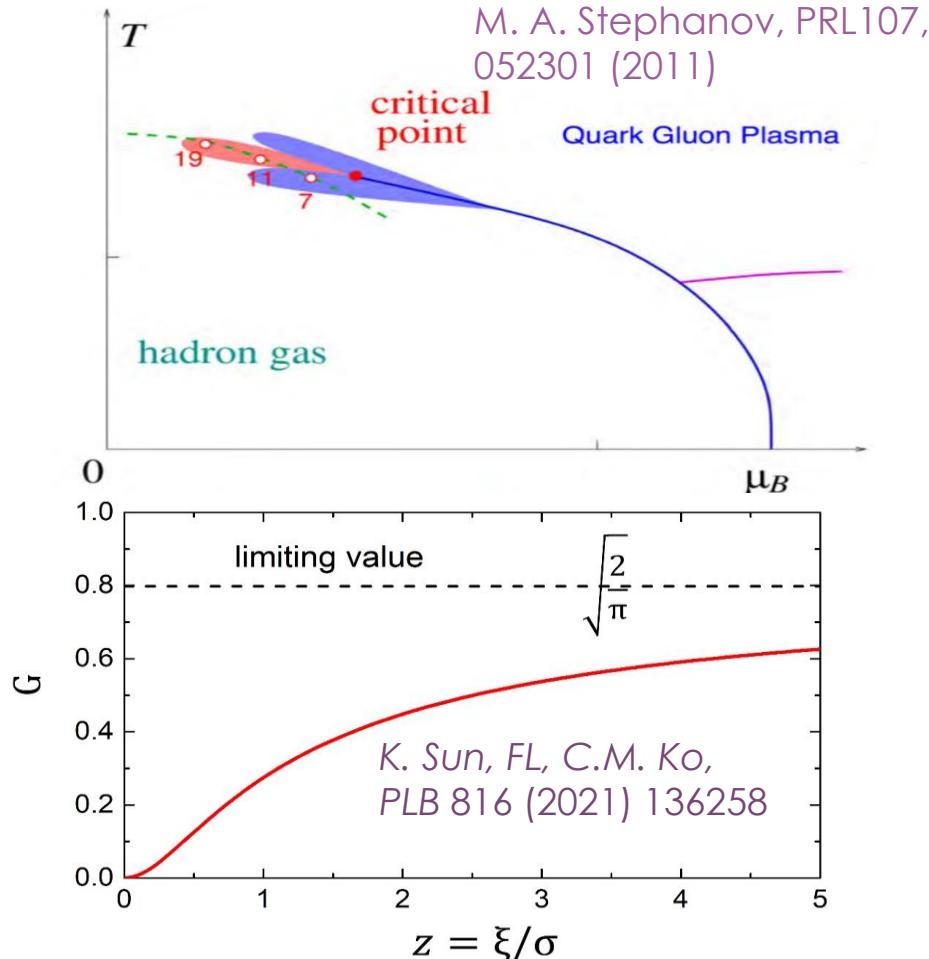
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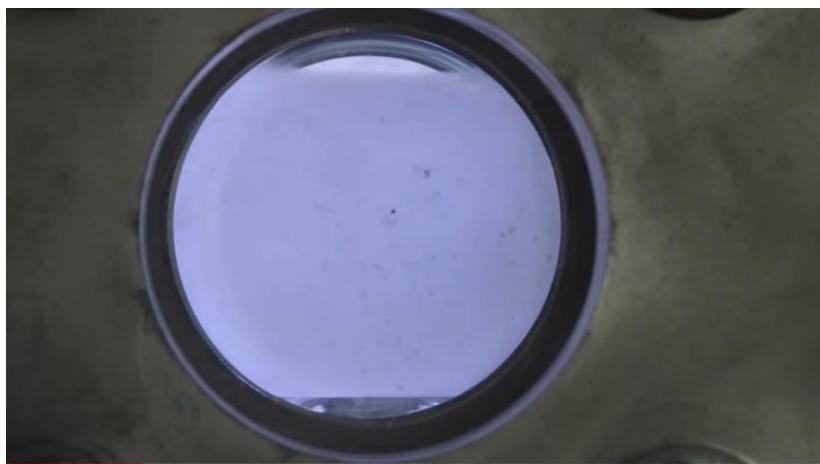


$$\frac{N_t N_p}{N_d^2} \approx \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \left[1 + \Delta\rho_n + \frac{\lambda}{\sigma} G \left(\frac{\xi}{\sigma} \right) \right] + \mathcal{O}(G^2)$$

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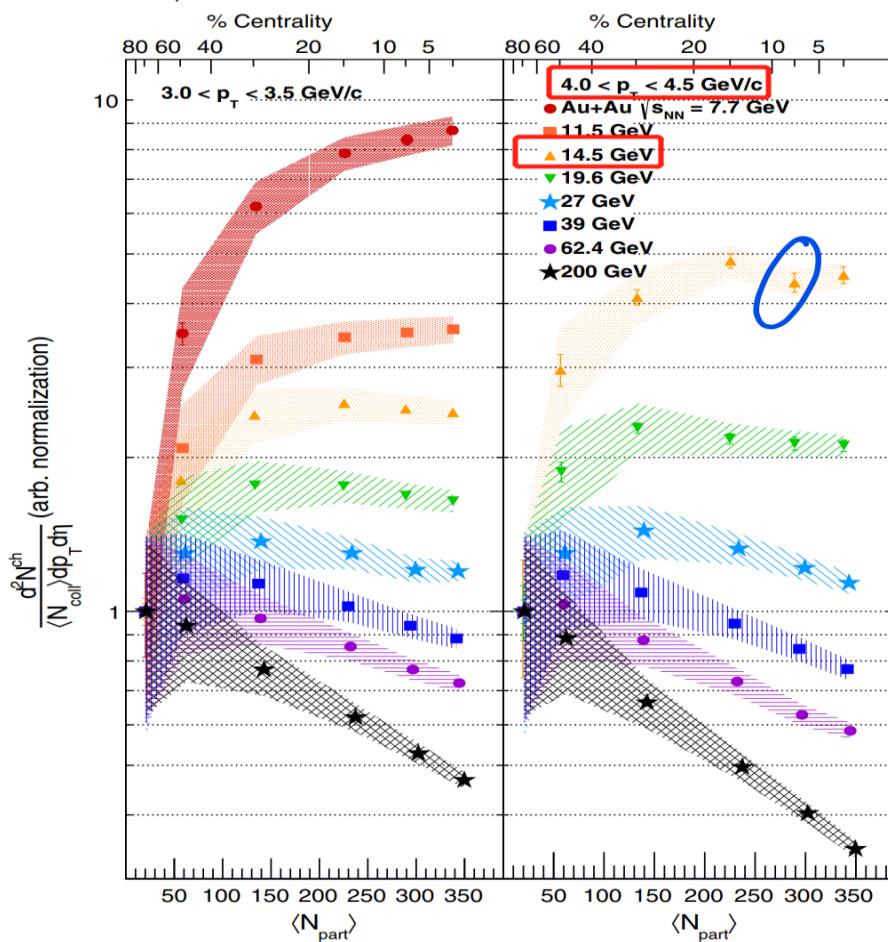
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In quark-meson (QM) model:
 $H_I = g \int d^3 \vec{x} \bar{q} (\sigma' + i\gamma_5 \vec{\pi} \cdot \vec{\tau}) q$

- Gluon contributions replaced by the mesonic field
- Applicable near phase boundary

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$\Sigma \equiv \sigma' + i\gamma_5 \vec{\pi} \cdot \vec{\tau}$

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Degeneracy

Spectral Function of Mesonic Field

$$\tilde{G}_\sigma(k) = \int d^4x \langle \sigma'(0) \sigma'(x) \rangle e^{ik \cdot x}$$

Minor Correlation (of the fluctuation of order parameter)

$$\tilde{G}_\pi(k) = \int d^4x \langle \vec{\pi}(0) \cdot \vec{\pi}(x) \rangle e^{ik \cdot x}$$

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$$\tilde{G}_\sigma(k) = \int d^4x \langle \sigma'(0) \sigma'(x) \rangle e^{ik \cdot x} \quad \mathbf{k}^0 = -q + |\vec{q} + \vec{k}|$$

$$\tilde{G}_\pi(k) = \int d^4x \langle \vec{\pi}(0) \cdot \vec{\pi}(x) \rangle e^{ik \cdot x} \quad \mathbf{k}^2 < 0$$

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$$U = \frac{\lambda}{4} (\sigma^2 + \vec{\pi}^2 - v^2)^2 - c\sigma$$

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chiral order parameter

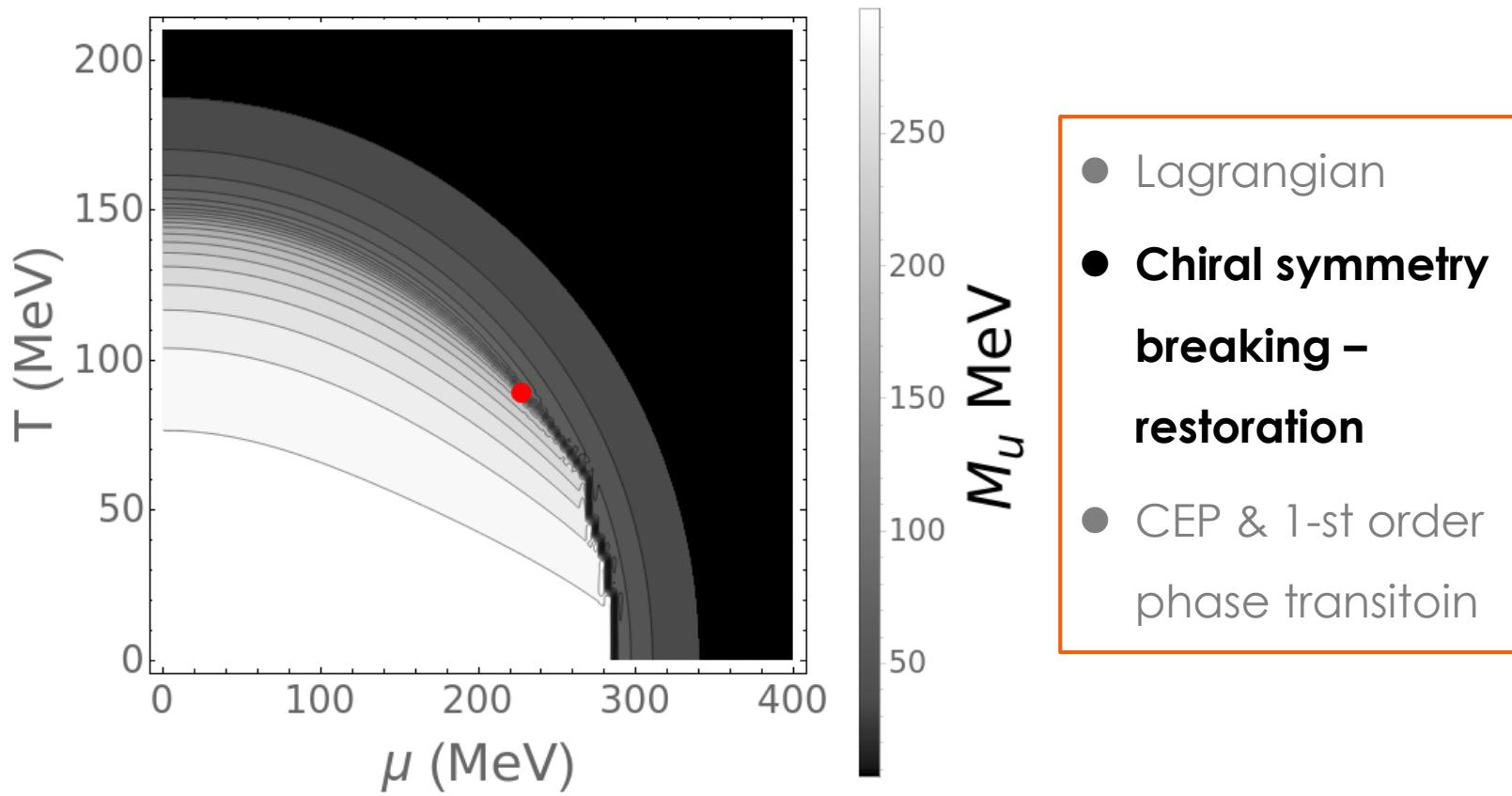
$$\sigma = \sigma^* + \sigma' \text{ breaks chiral symmetry}$$
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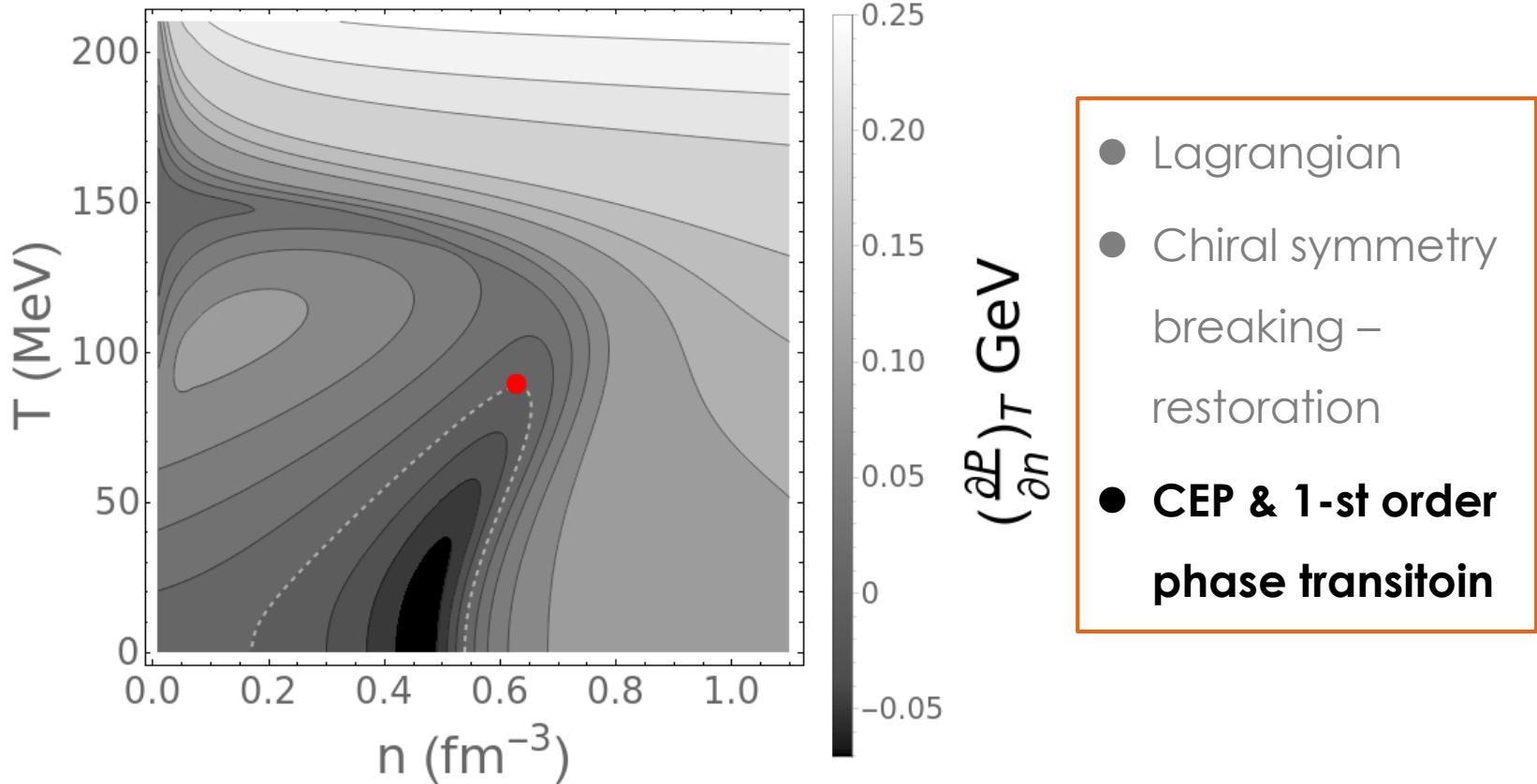
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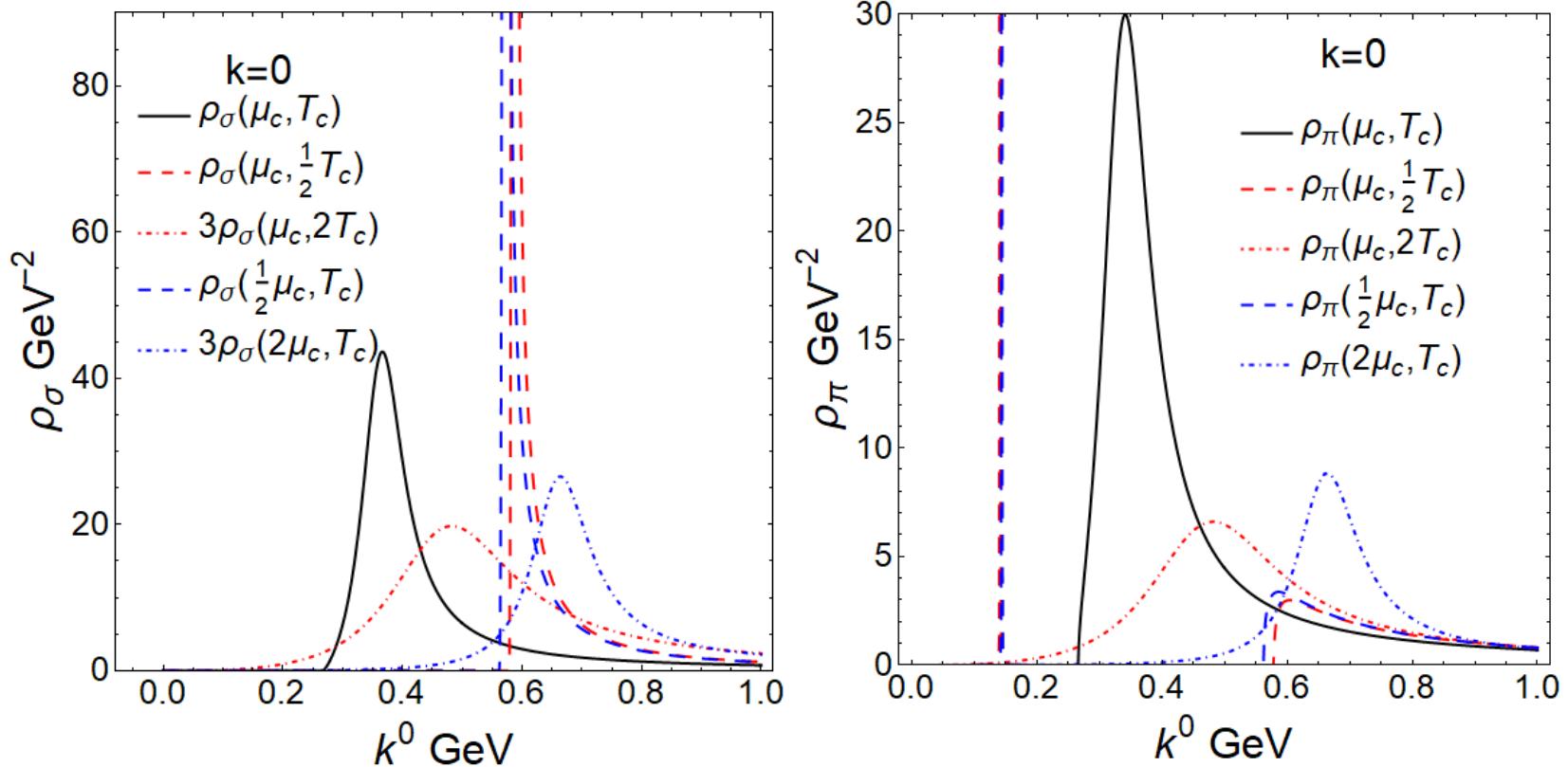
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$$T_c = 89 \text{ MeV}; \mu_c = 228 \text{ MeV}; n_c = 0.63 \text{ fm}^{-3}$$



Spectral Function up to 1-loop

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$$m_\pi^*(H.G.) < m_\pi^*(CEP) < m_\pi^*(QGP)$$

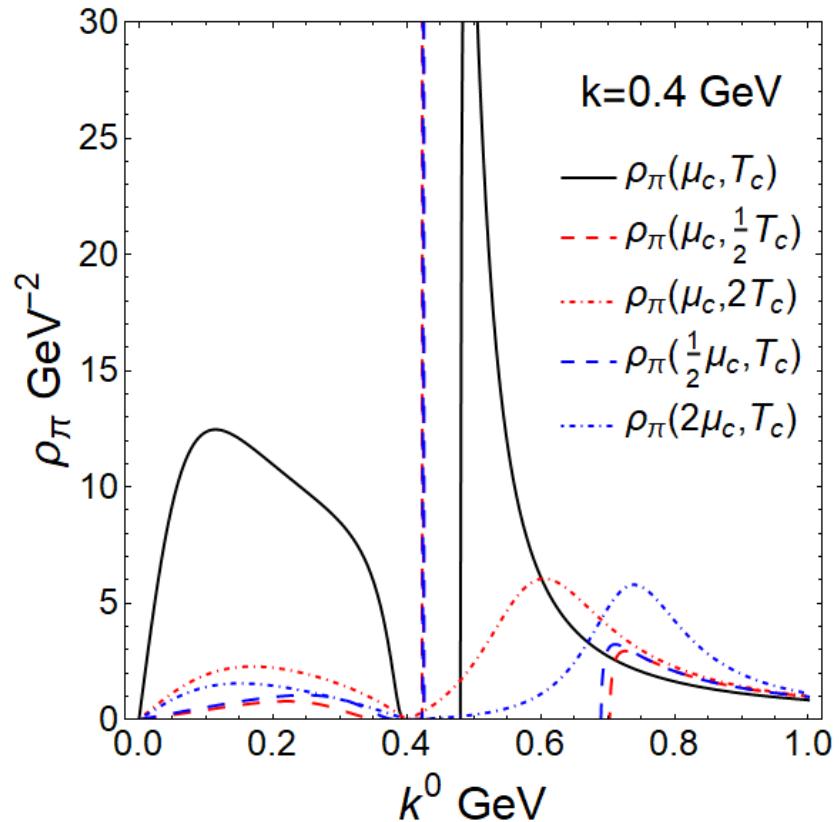
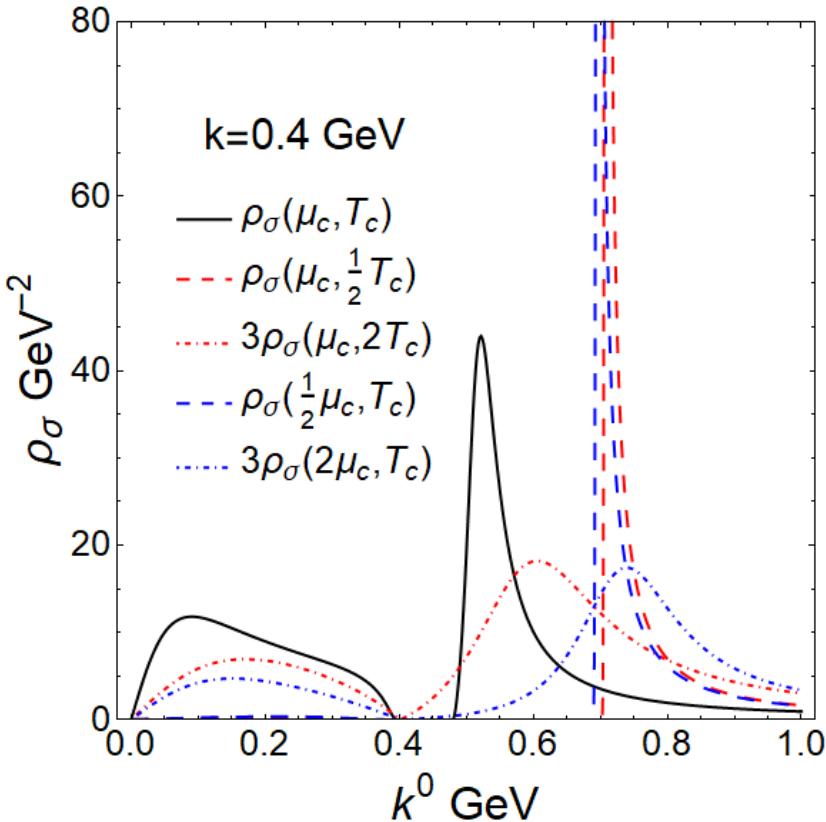
$$m_\sigma^*(CEP) < m_\sigma^*(H.G. \text{ or } QGP)$$

$$\rho_\pi(\mu_c, 2T_c) \sim \rho_\sigma(\mu_c, 2T_c) \quad \rho_\pi(2\mu_c, T_c) \sim \rho_\sigma(2\mu_c, T_c)$$

- Expression
- K=0
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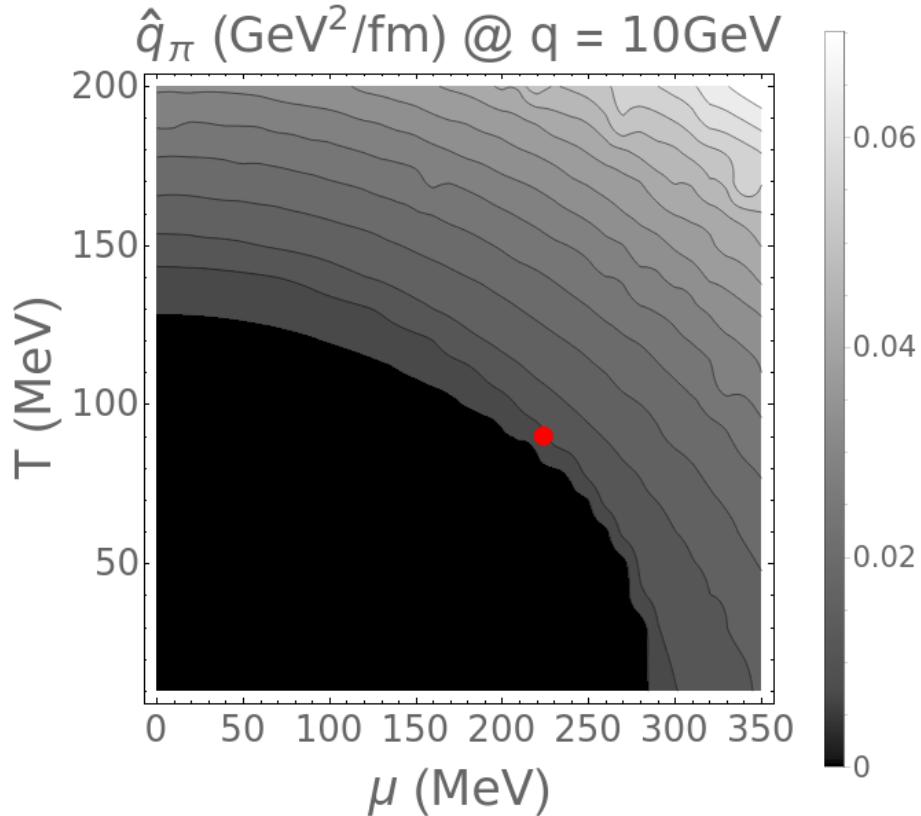
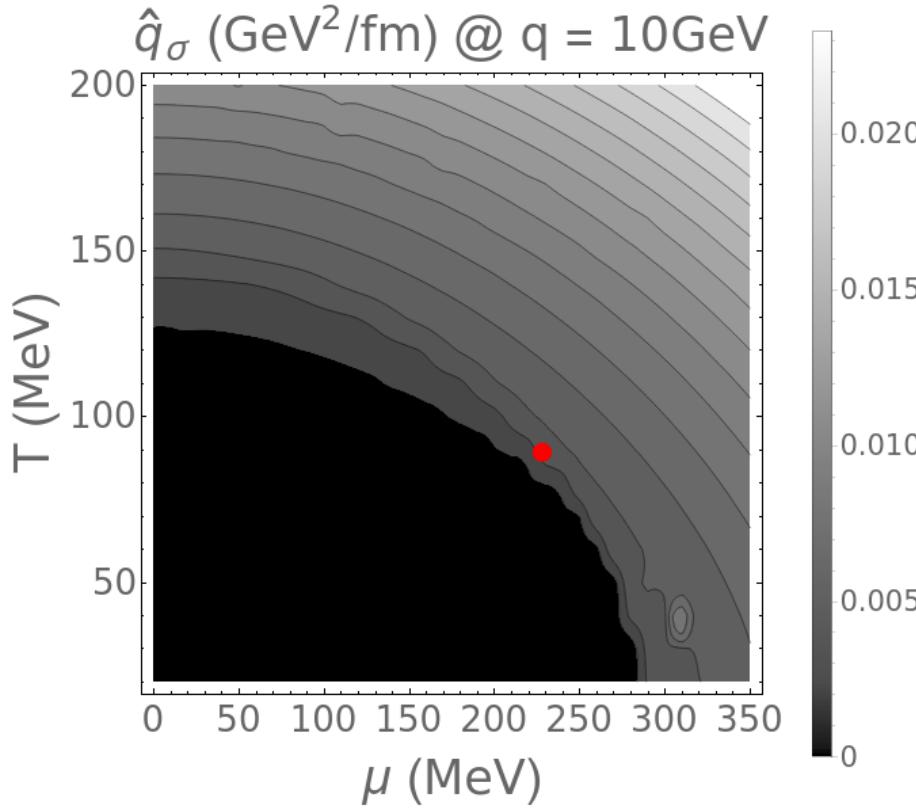
For $|\vec{k}| = 0.4 \text{ GeV}$ & $k^2 < 0$:

- $\rho(CEP)$ is the maximum
- $\rho(H.G.)$ is negligible

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Q-hat up to 1-loop

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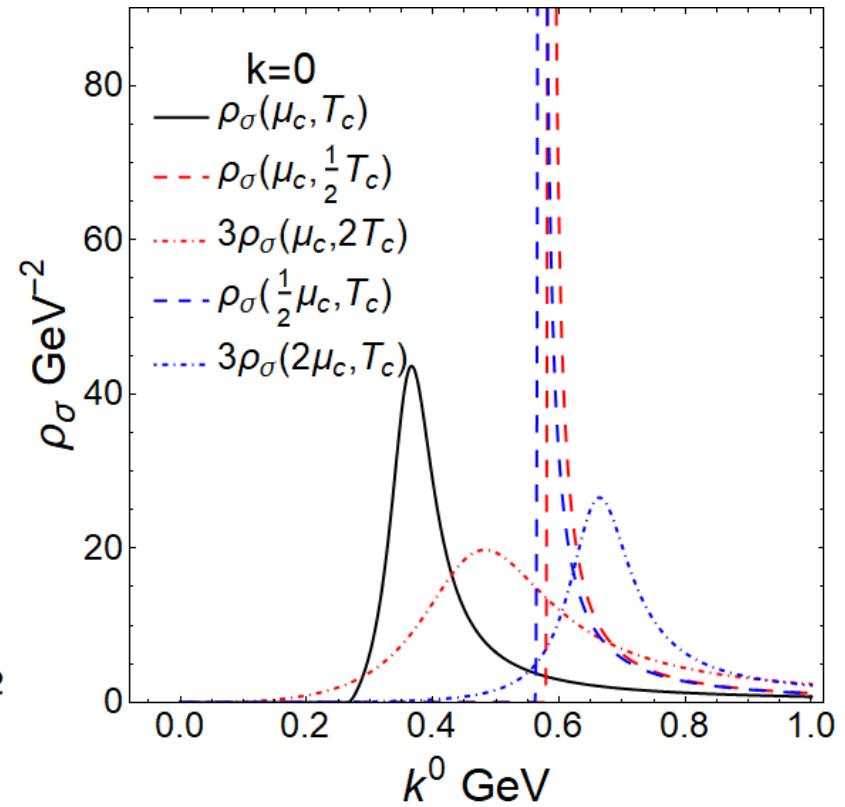
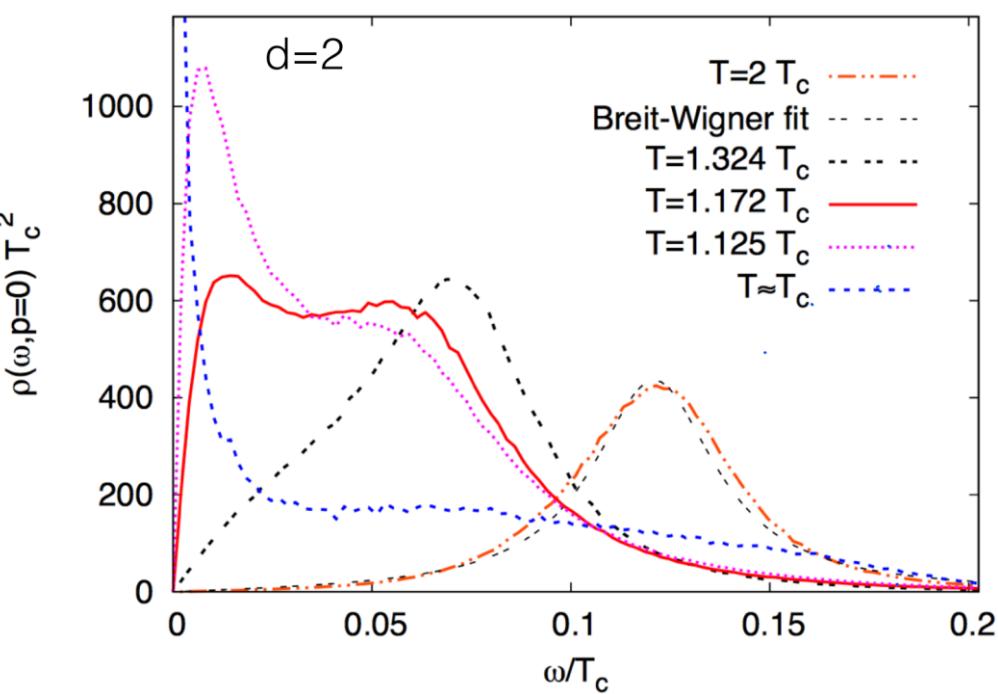
$$\hat{q}_\sigma \sim 0.12 n_{parton}$$

$$\hat{q}_\pi \sim 0.35 n_{parton}$$

$$\hat{q} \sim 0.47 n_{parton}$$

Defect of 1-loop Spectral

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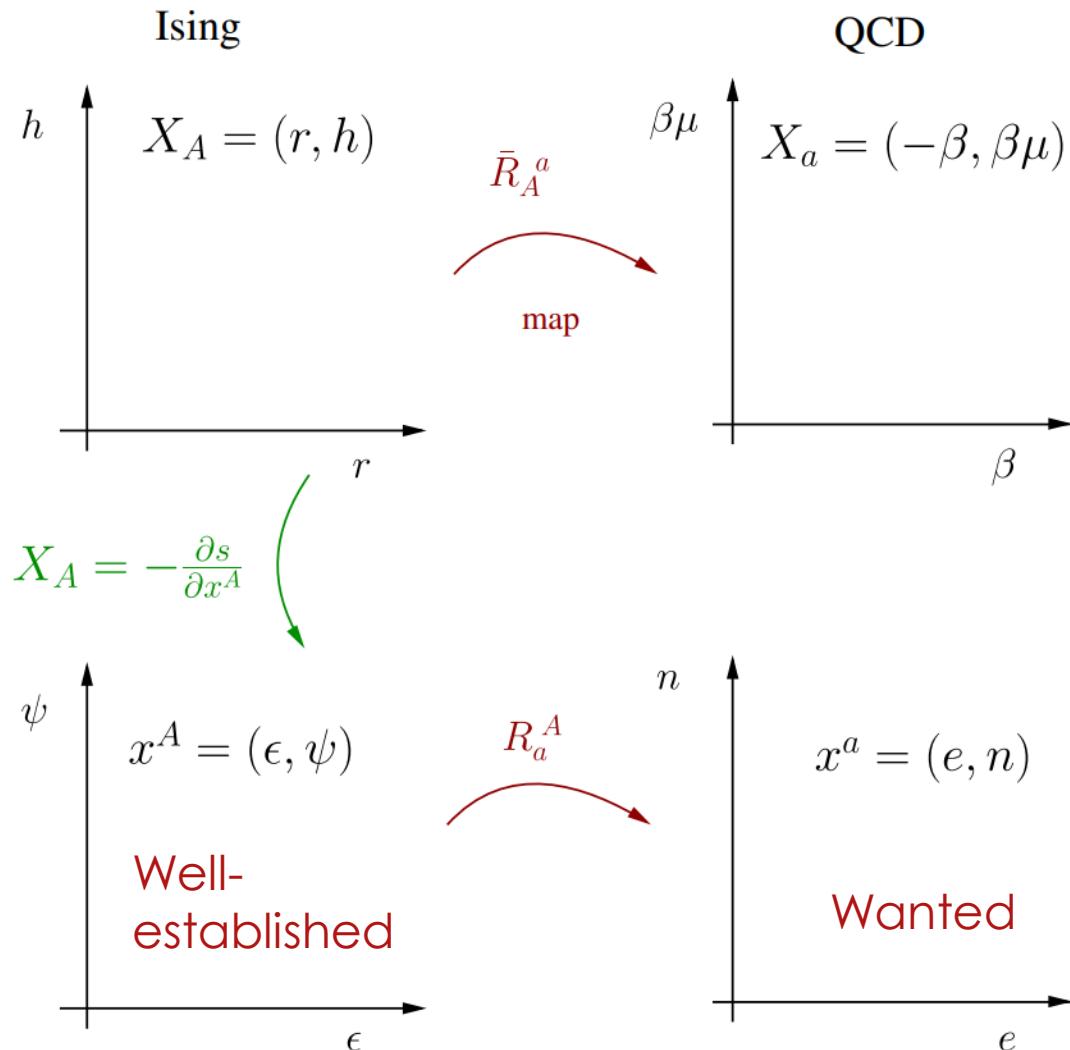


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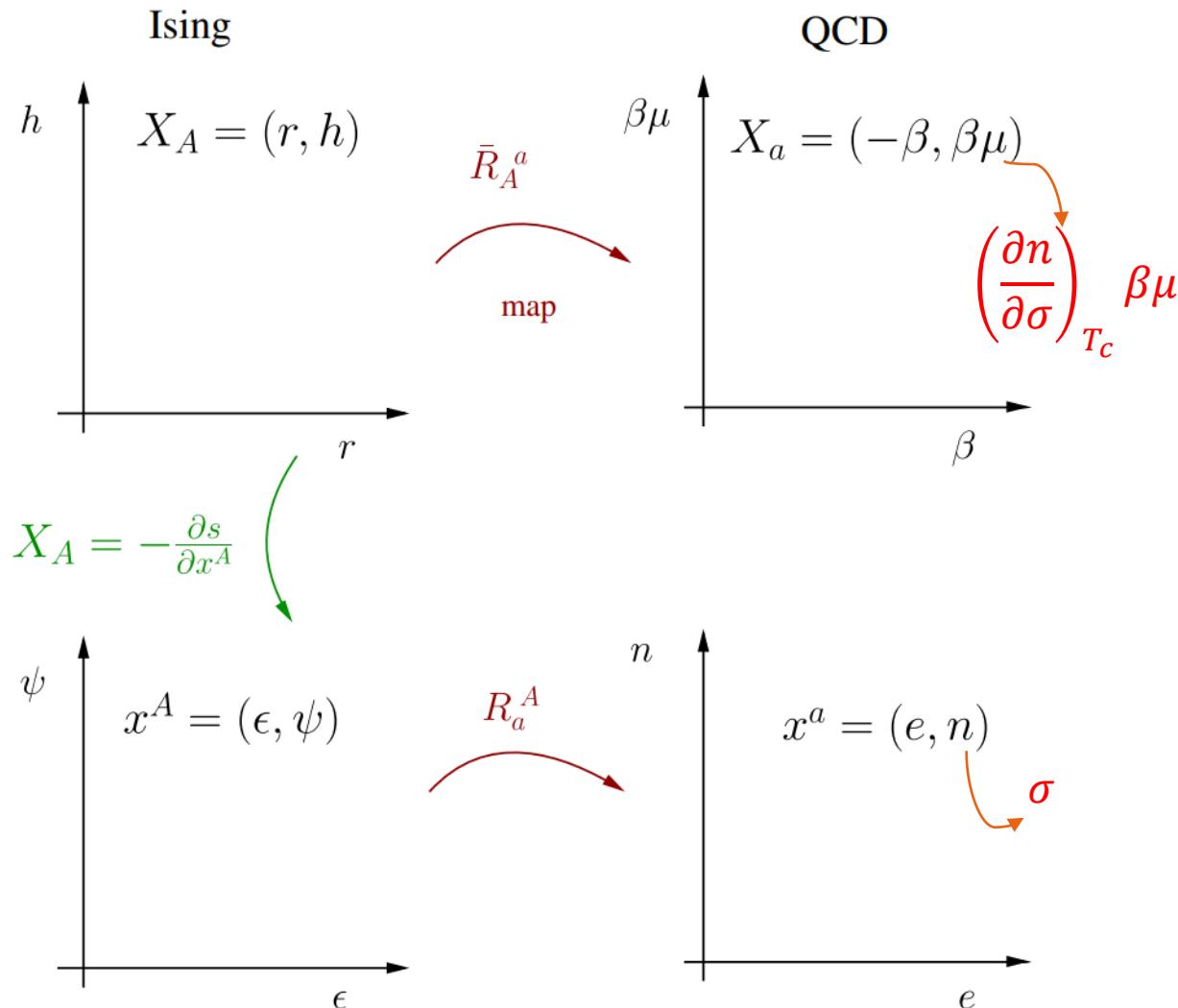
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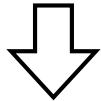


Map between QCD & Ising Model

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Observables

$$\begin{pmatrix} \delta e \\ \delta n/\sigma' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \delta \epsilon \\ \delta \psi \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\rho_{n/\sigma}^{\text{QCD}} \propto \rho_{\epsilon}^{\text{Ising}}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{\delta G}{\delta r}$$

$$\beta_c G = \int d^3x \left(\kappa (\nabla \psi)^2 + \left(\frac{\nu}{2} + \gamma C_0 \beta_c r \right) \psi^2 + \tilde{u} \psi^4 \right)$$

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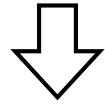
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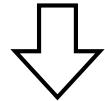
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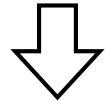
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$$\Delta_R = \frac{\chi_k(\xi) \Gamma_k(\xi)}{\Gamma_k(\xi) - ik^0}$$

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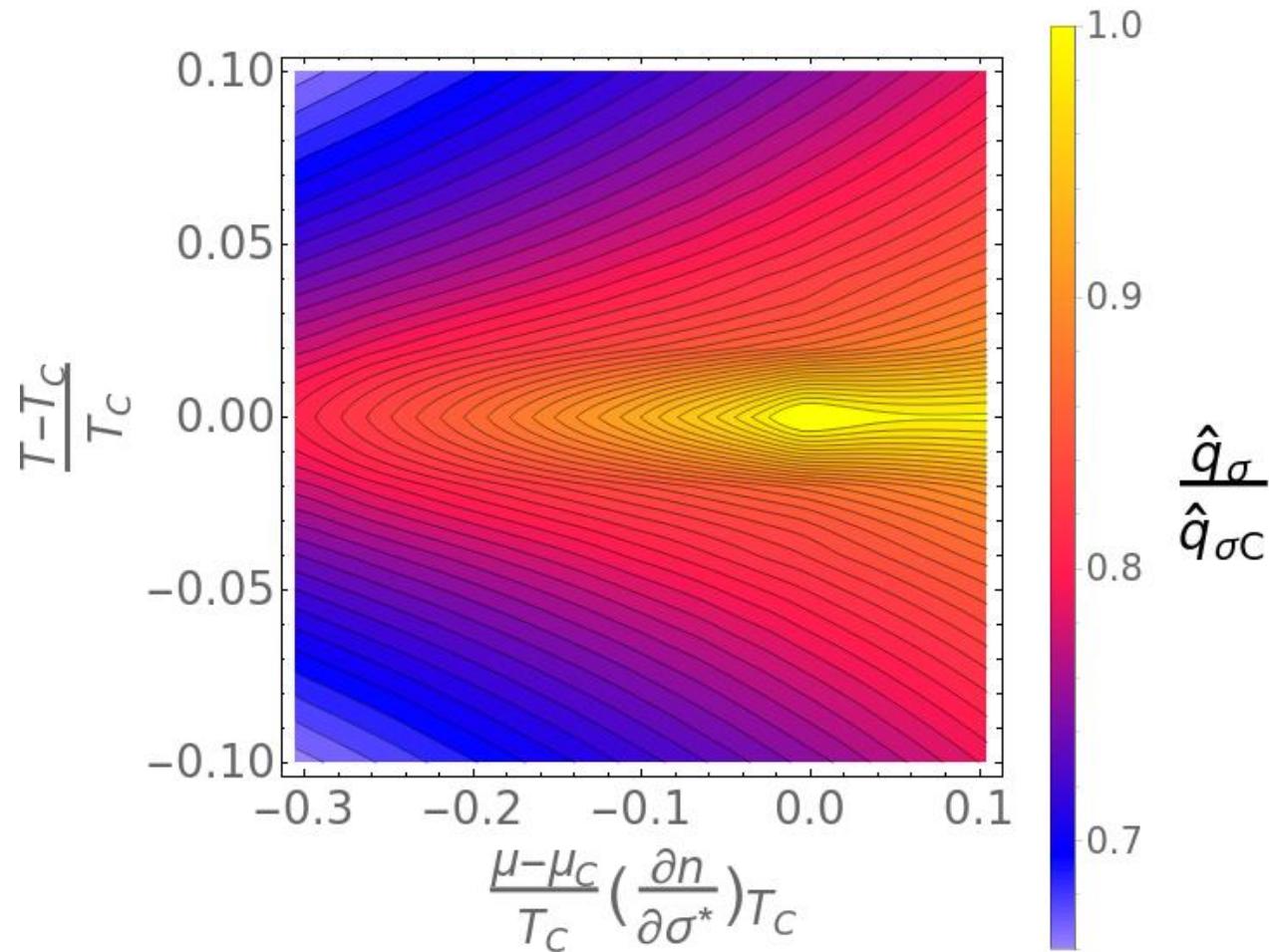
$$h = h_0 R^{\beta \delta} \tilde{h}(\theta)$$

CEP @ R=0

$$\xi = \xi_0 R^{-\nu} \sqrt{1 - \frac{5\theta^2}{18}}$$

Q-hat near CEP

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- Establish a new formalism studying jet quenching at finite μ_B
- $Q\text{-hat} \sim 0.47$ parton number density in the QGP phase
- $Q\text{-hat}$ prominently enhanced at CEP (PCO)
- **For the first time, the hard probes, such as jet, are proposed as the signal of CEP.**
- Affect on jet substructure will be looked into in the near future.