

Lecture 4: multi-body

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Lecture content

- Many body numerical investigations
 - Mesons
 - Few baryons
 - Many Baryons...
- Multi-particle systems at finite temperature

Multi meson systems

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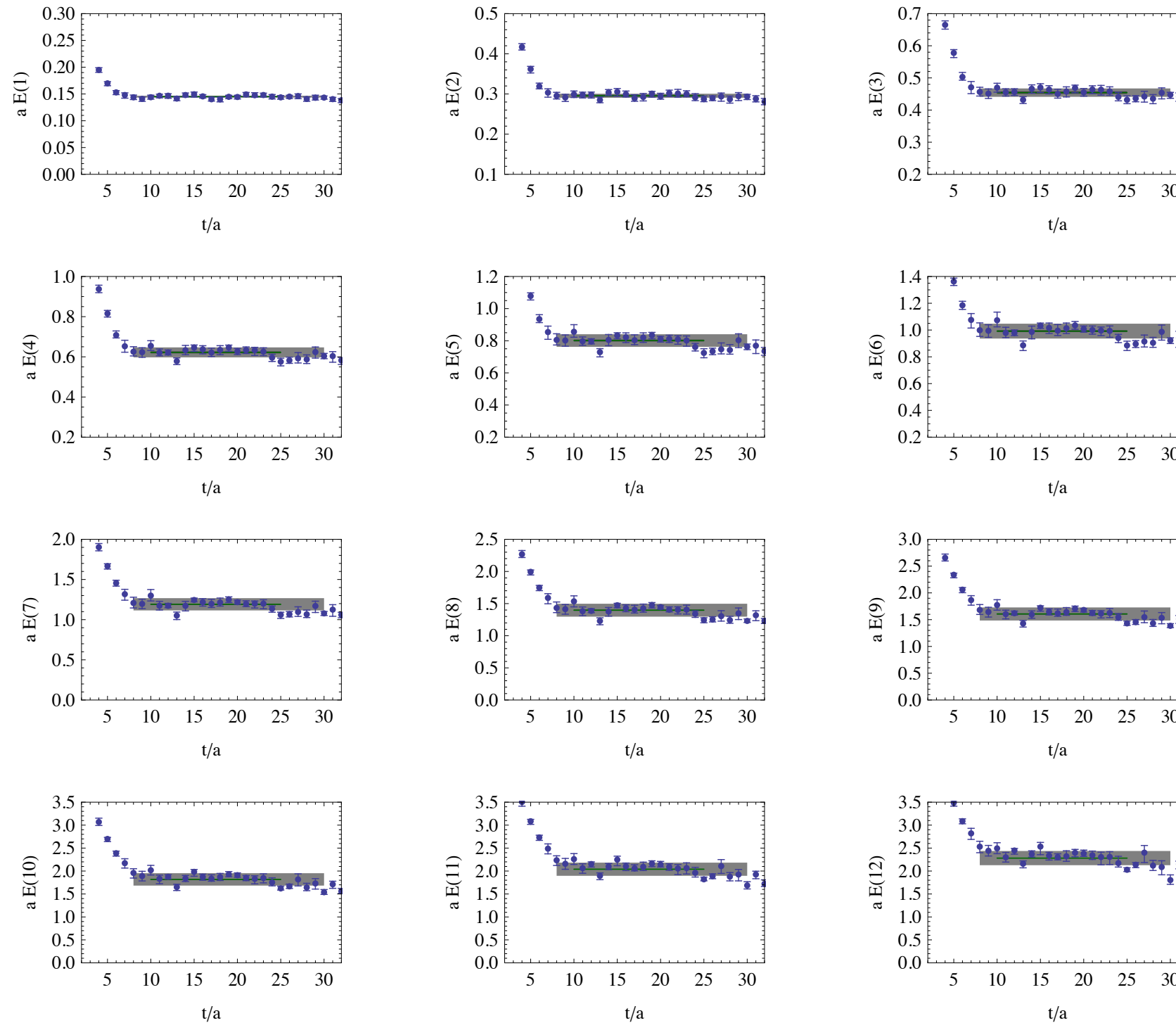
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- $n=2$: reproduces expansion of Lüscher
- Can include higher partial waves, higher body, excited states, fermions
- Measurement of energies allows extraction of interaction parameters

$n=1, \dots, 12$ pion energies

- Effective energy plots: $\log[C_n(t)/C_n(t+1)]$



DWF on MILC
 $m_\pi = 319$ MeV
 $a=0.09$ fm, $28^3 \times 96$

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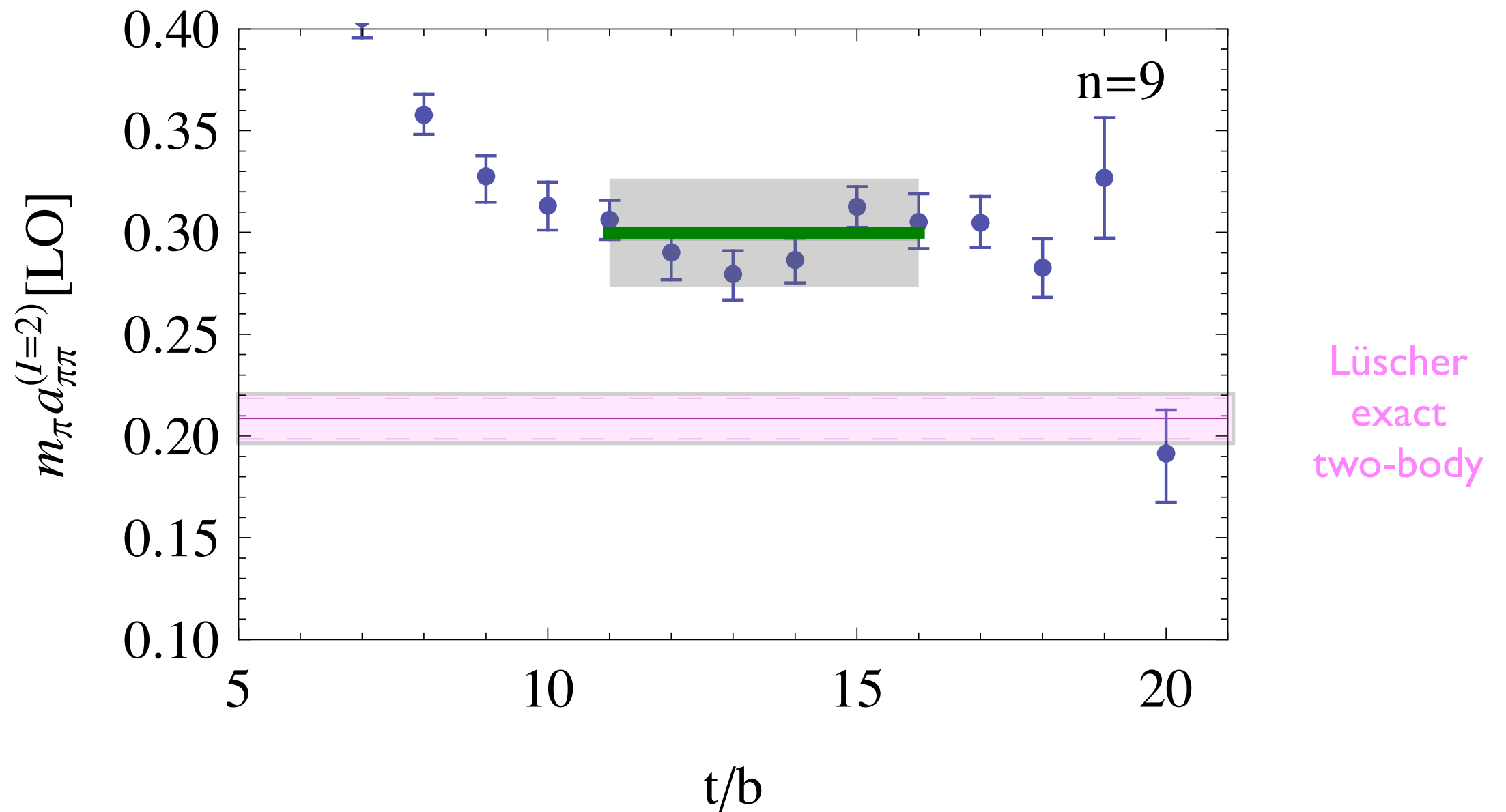
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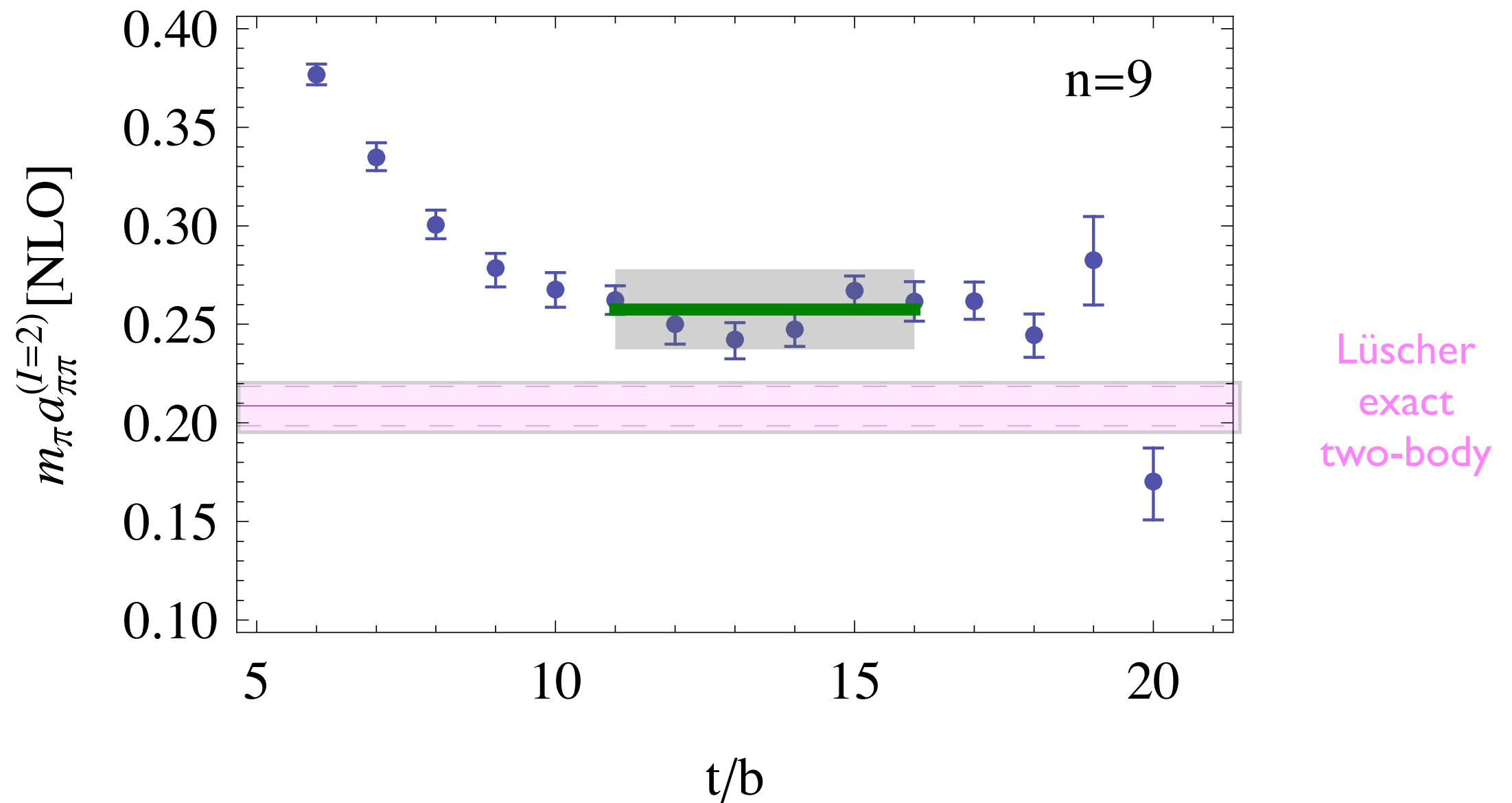
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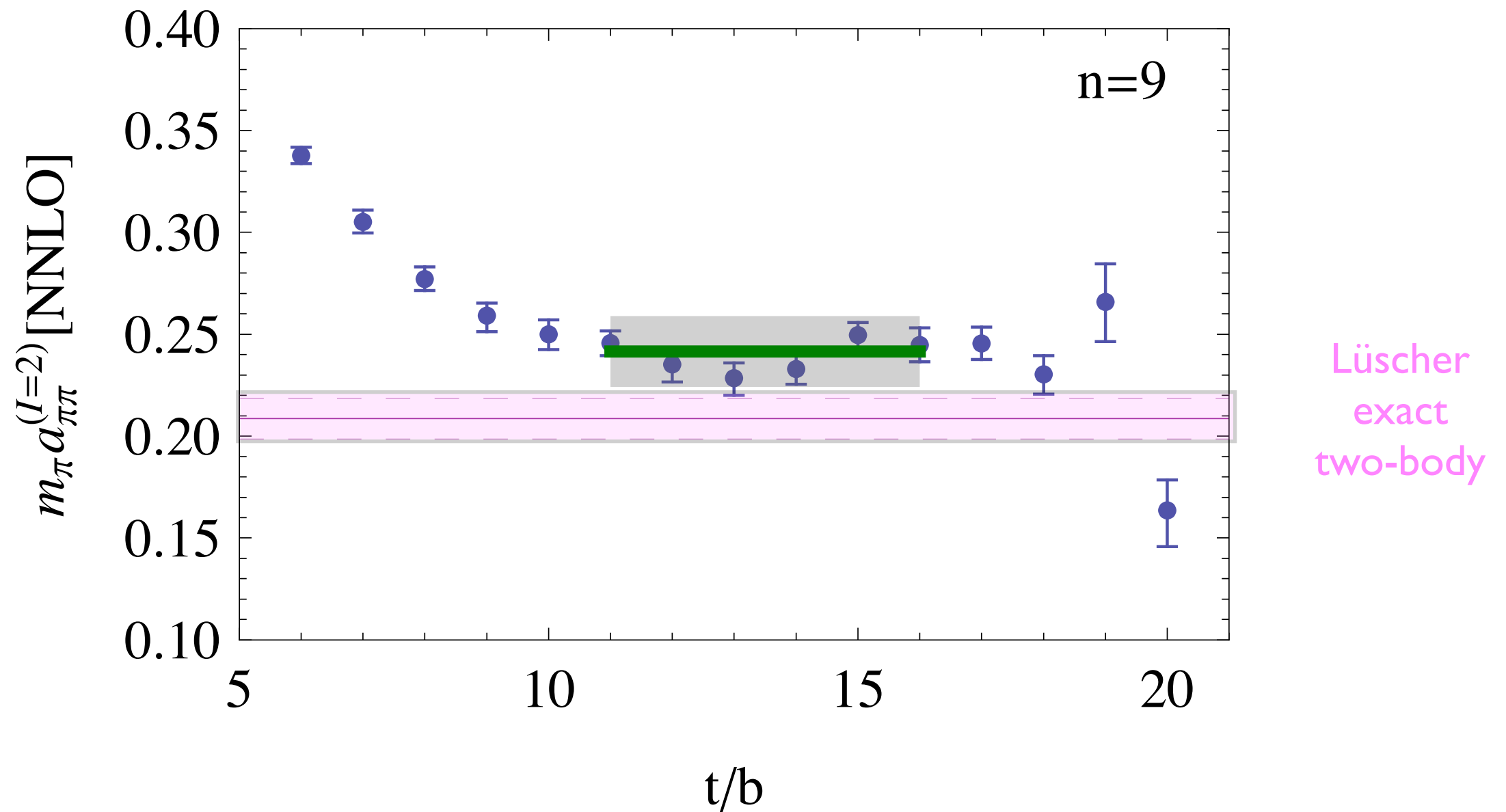
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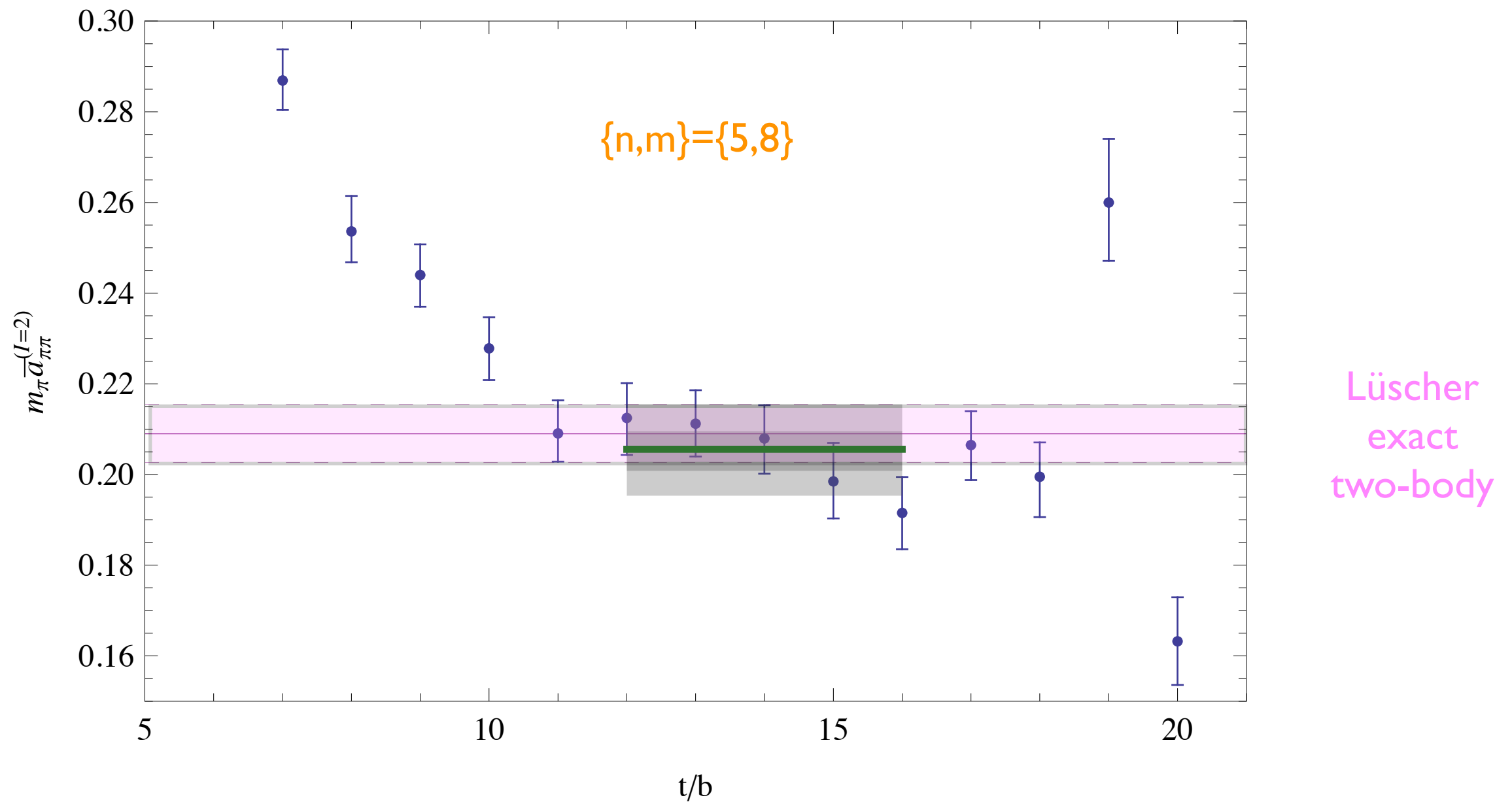
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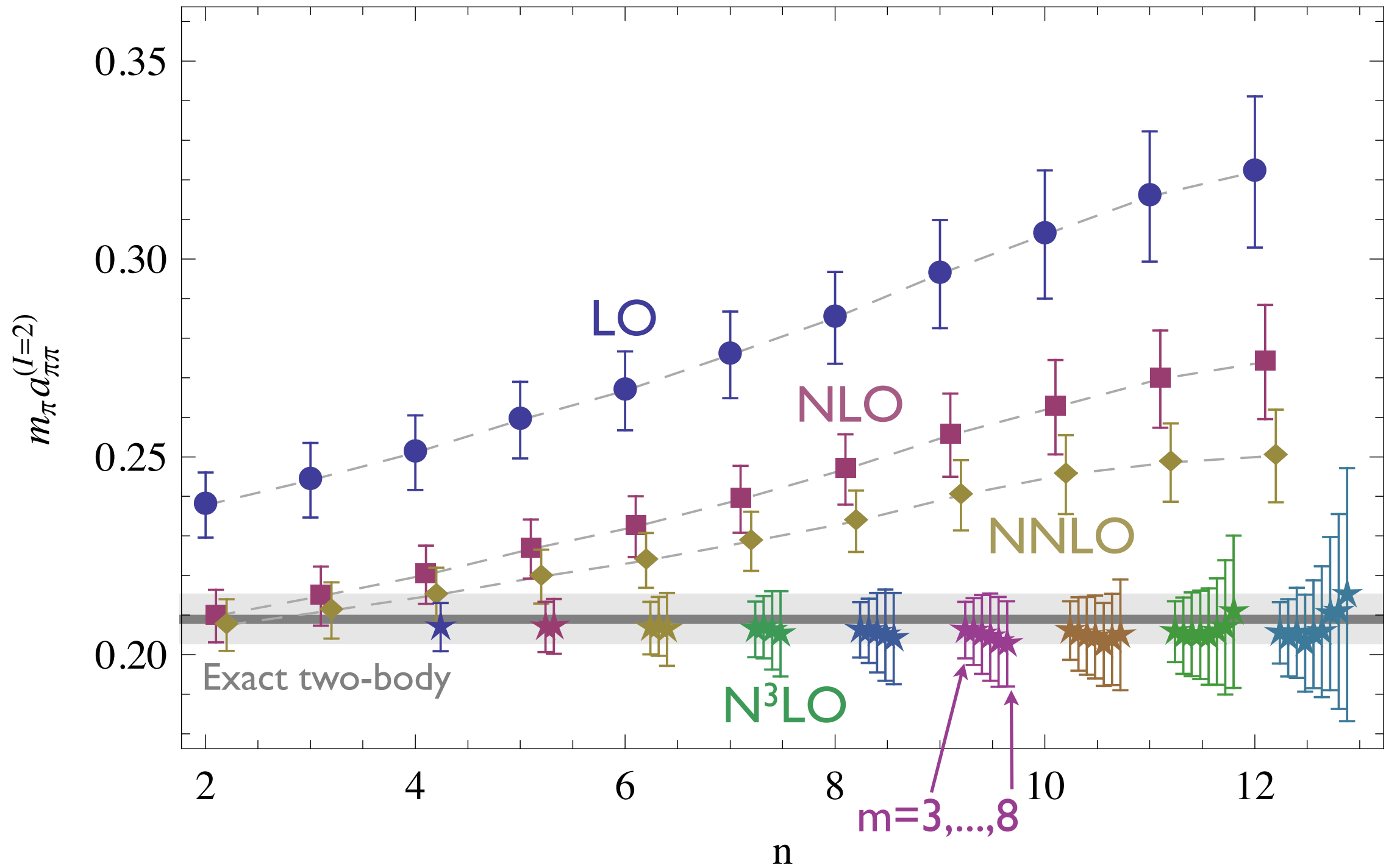


N³LO: 1/L⁶

- Two energies to cancel 3-body: 45 combinations



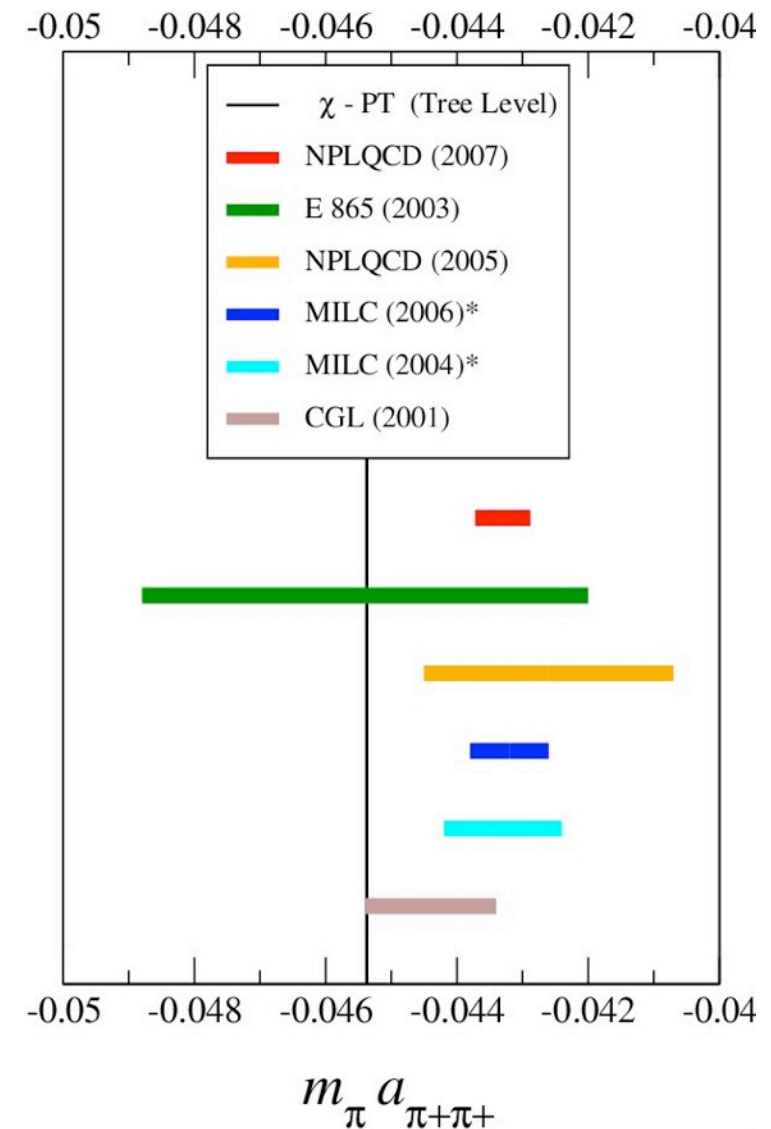
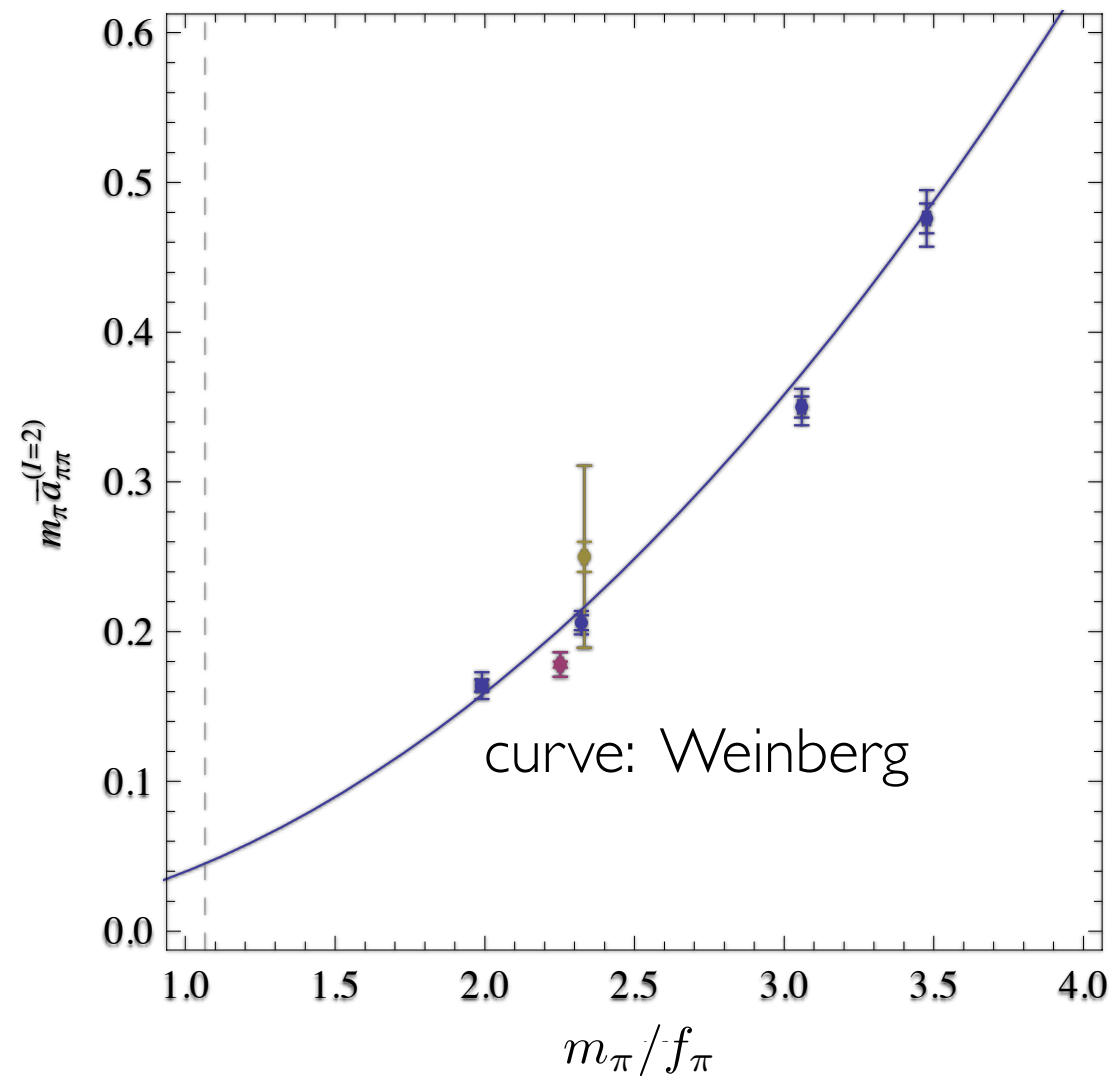
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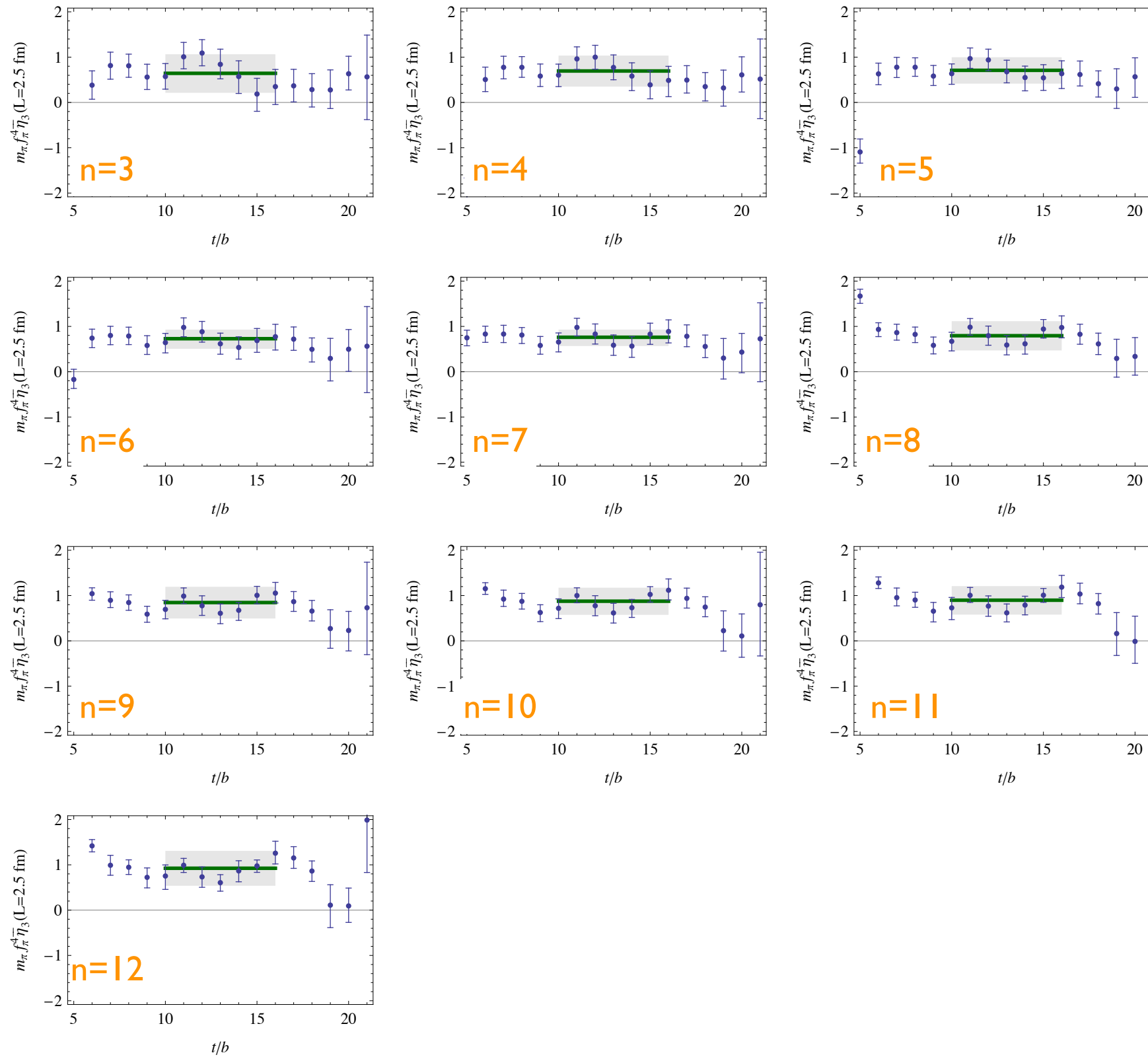
Expansion seems to be working for $n < 13$

$2\pi^+$ interaction

- Scattering lengths equally well extracted for two mesons or ten mesons and compares well with experiment
- Well described by analytic prediction – shows presence of contribution that scales as $\binom{n}{3}$
- varies by two-orders of magnitude



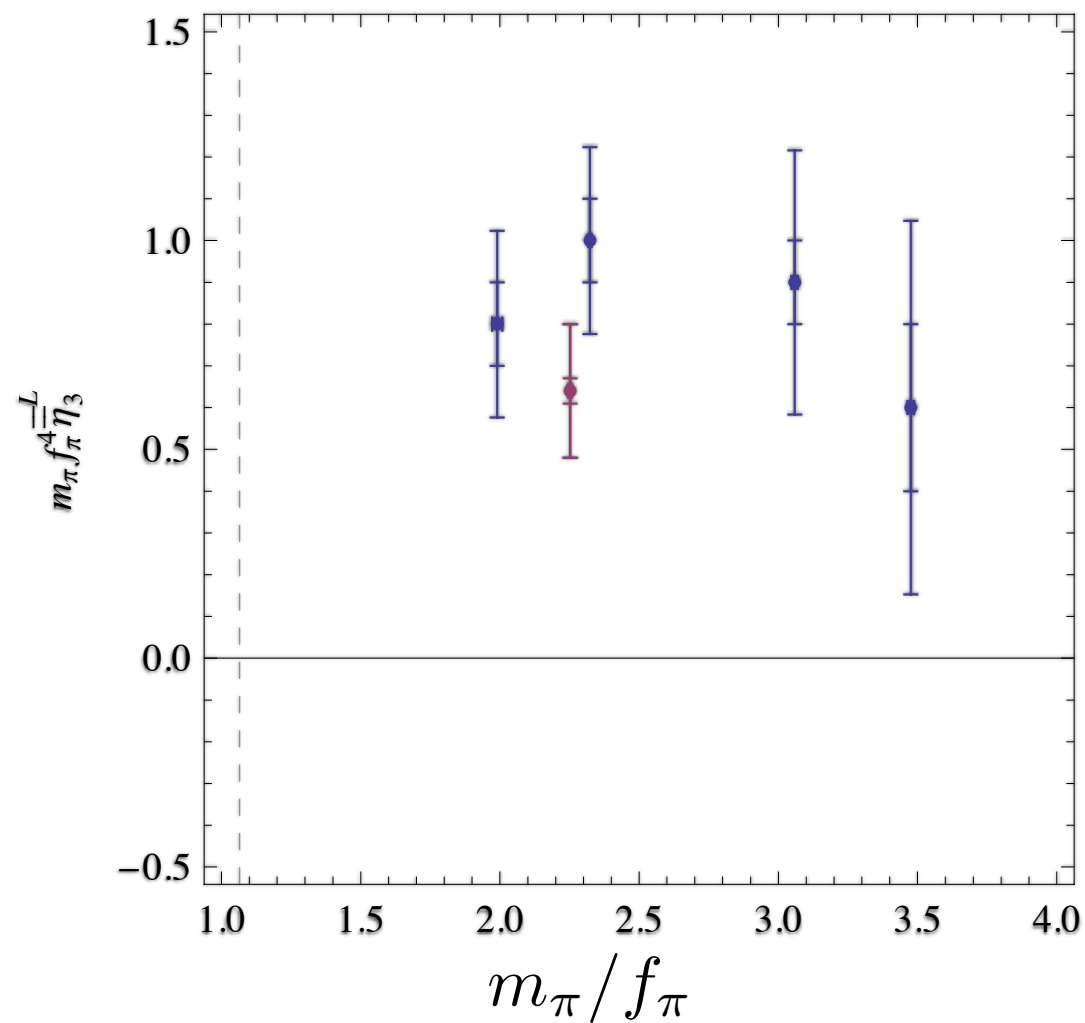
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$m_\pi = 352 \text{ MeV}$

$3\pi^+$ interaction

- First QCD determination of three body interaction
- Final extraction from combined fit to all energies



Units such that naïve dimension analysis: I

n pions and m kaons

[WD, B Smigielski | 103.4362]

- Just how complex can we go?
- Weakly interacting two species systems: pions and kaons
 - $E_{n,m}$ of n pions and m kaons depends on three 2-body and four 3-body interaction parameters
 - Perturbative form is known for weakly interacting case [Smigielski & Wasem '08]
 - Matching to lattice energies allows for extraction of interaction parameters
- Extend single species construction (project to $p_{\text{tot}}=0$ at sink)

$$C_{N,M}(t) = \left\langle \left(\sum_x \pi^-(x, t) \right)^N \left(\sum_x K^-(x, t) \right)^M \left(\pi^+(0, t) \right)^N \left(K^+(0, t) \right)^M \right\rangle$$

where

$$\pi^+ = \bar{u}\gamma_5 d, \quad K^+ = \bar{u}\gamma_5 s$$

- Reduced symmetry: contractions significantly more complex
Eg: $n=6$ pions, $m=6$ kaons: 1500 terms vs $n=12$ pions: 90 terms

n pions and m kaons

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- 90 observables to analyse
- Boxes correspond to extracted energies and their uncertainties
- Dependence on N_π and N_K determines 2 & 3 body interactions

$$m_K \bar{a}_{KK} = 0.461 \pm 0.010,$$

$$m_\pi \bar{a}_{\pi\pi} = 0.271 \pm 0.021,$$

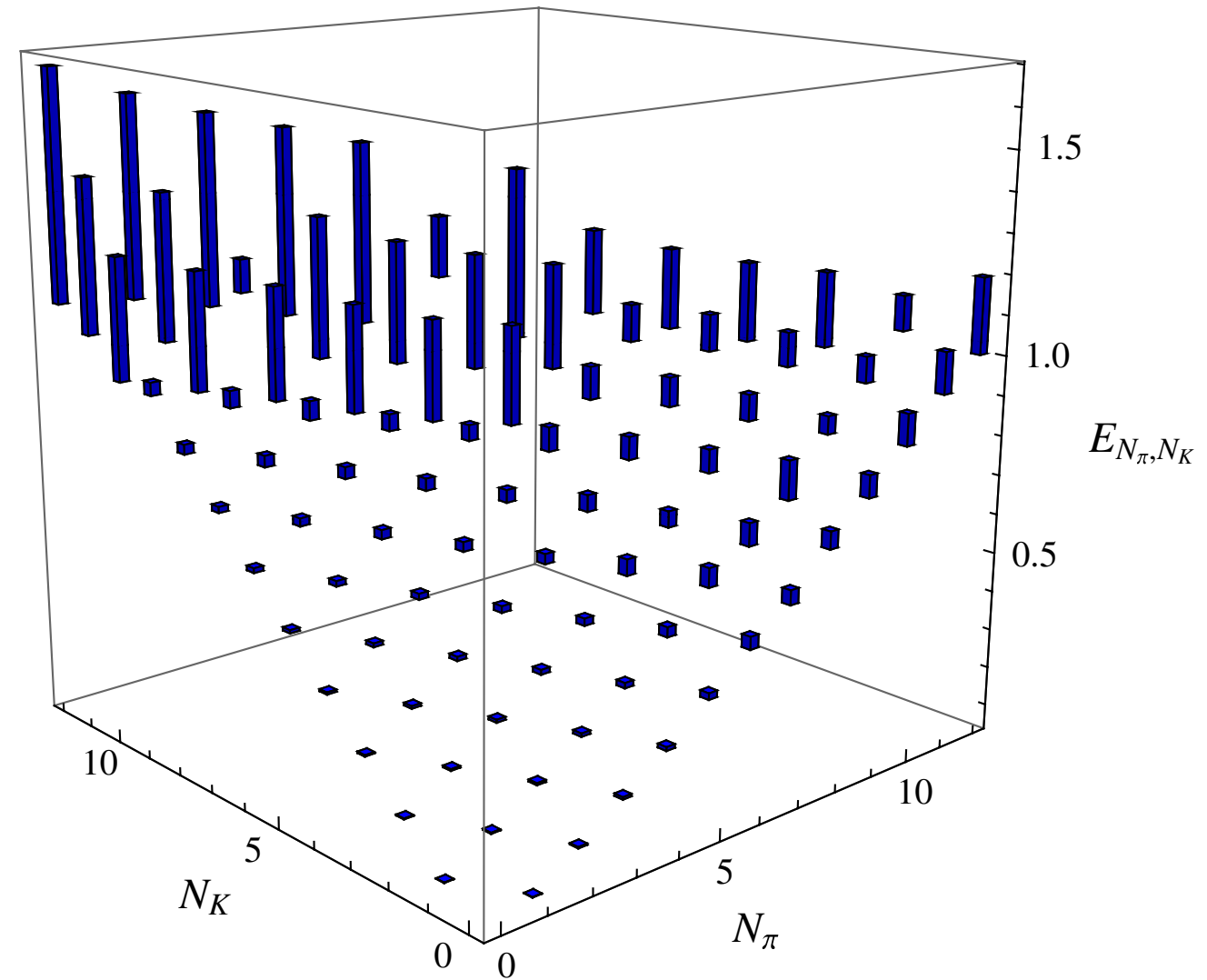
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$$m_K \bar{\eta}_{3,KKK} f_K^4 = -0.08 \pm 0.12,$$

$$m_\pi \bar{\eta}_{3,\pi\pi\pi} f_\pi^4 = 0.68 \pm 0.33,$$

$$\frac{m_\pi m_K}{m_\pi + 2m_K} \bar{\eta}_{3,\pi KK} f_{\pi KK}^4 = 0.22 \pm 0.17,$$

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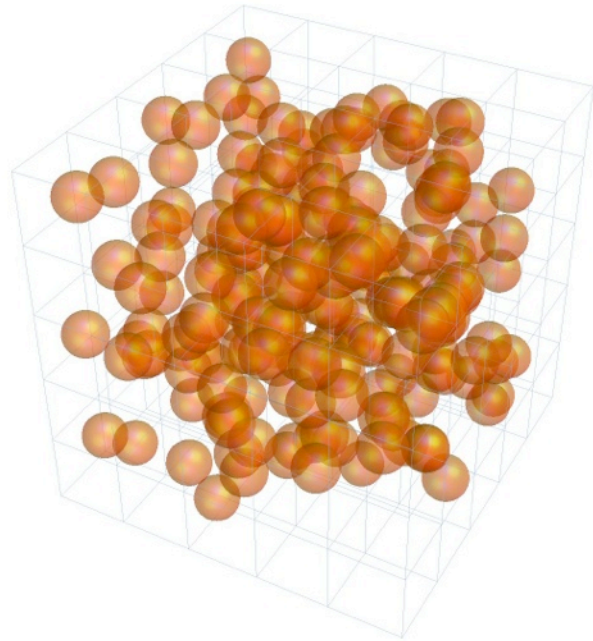
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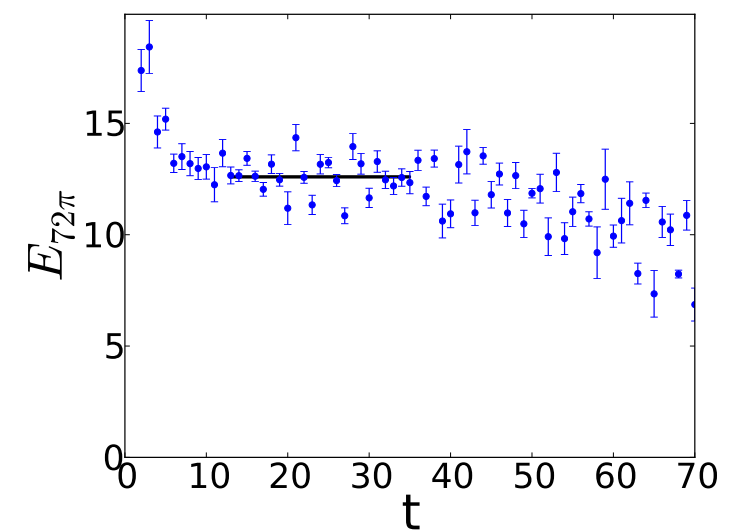
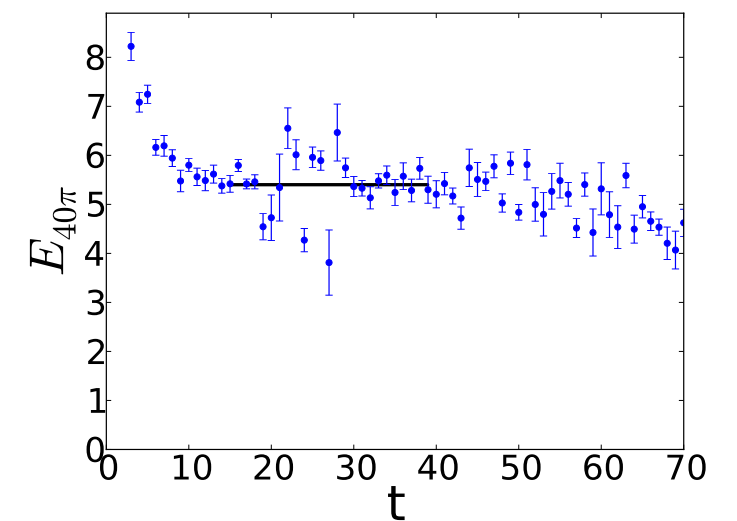
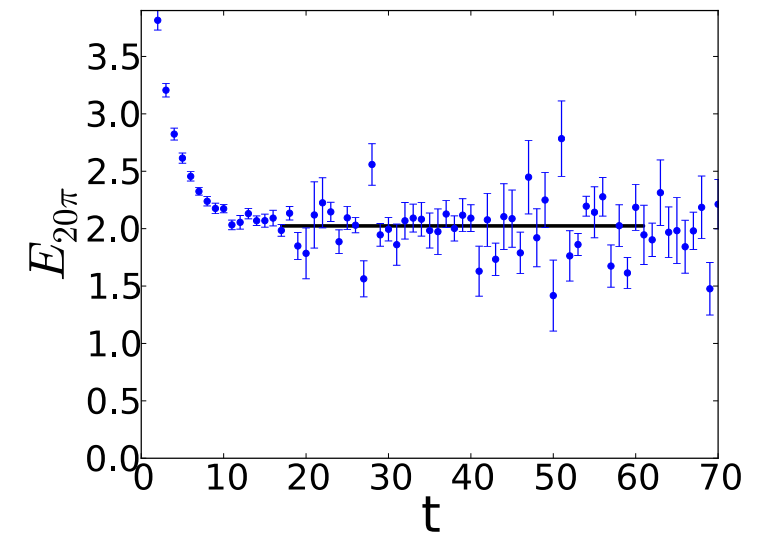
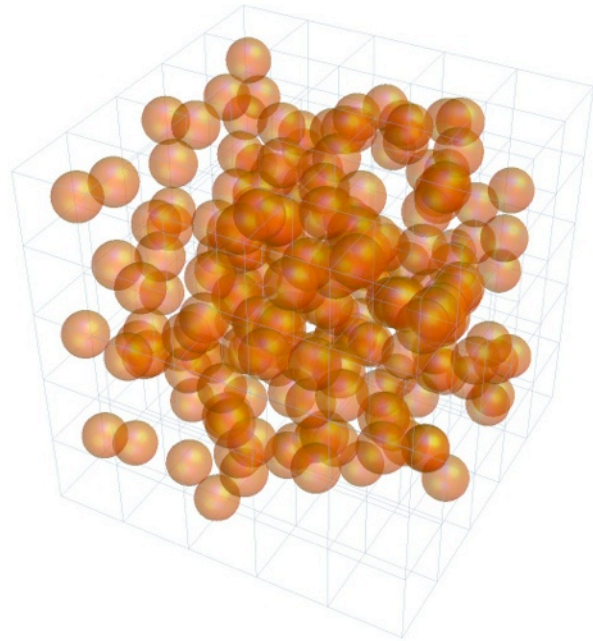
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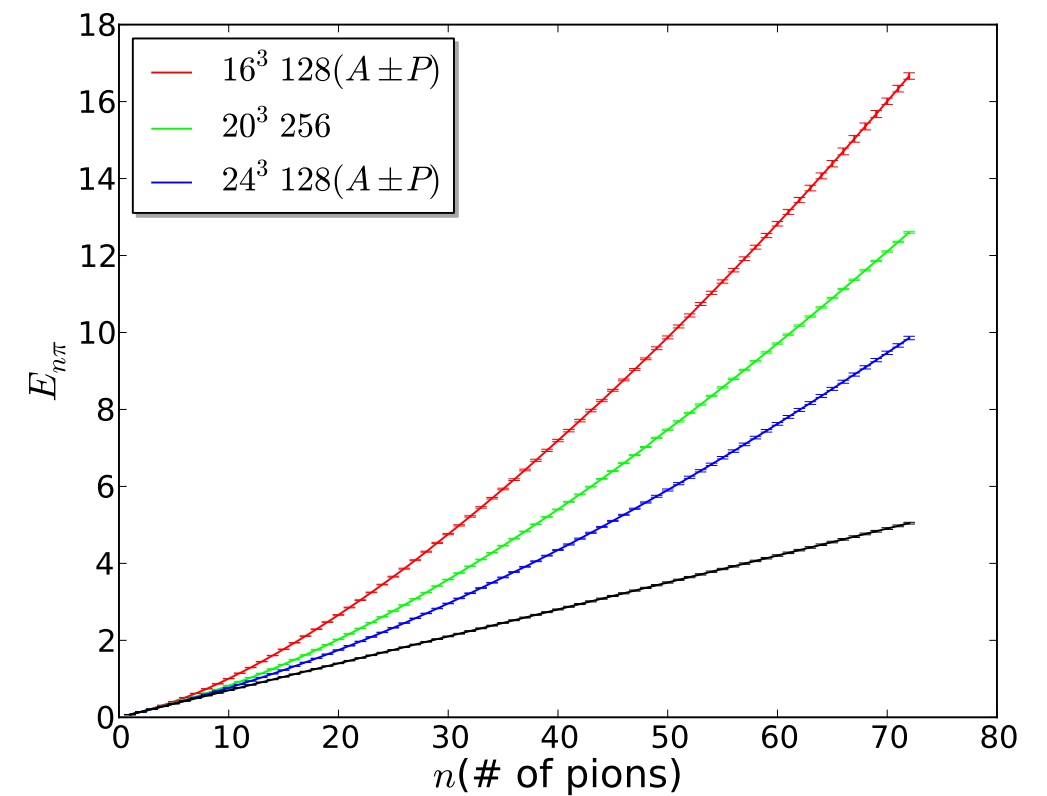
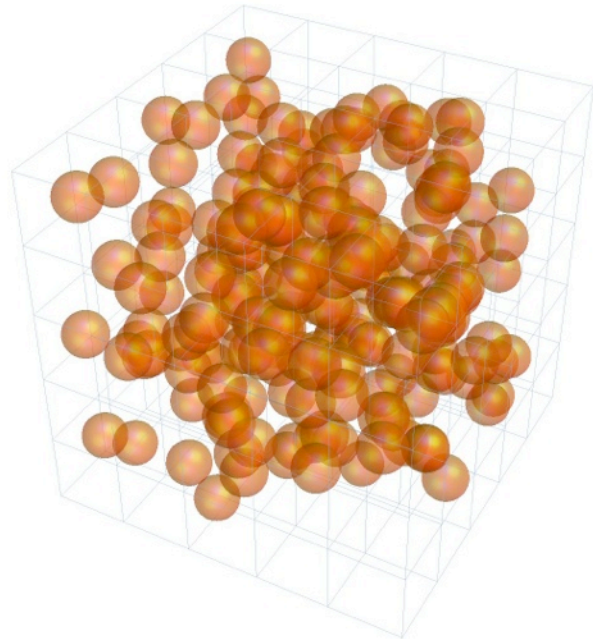
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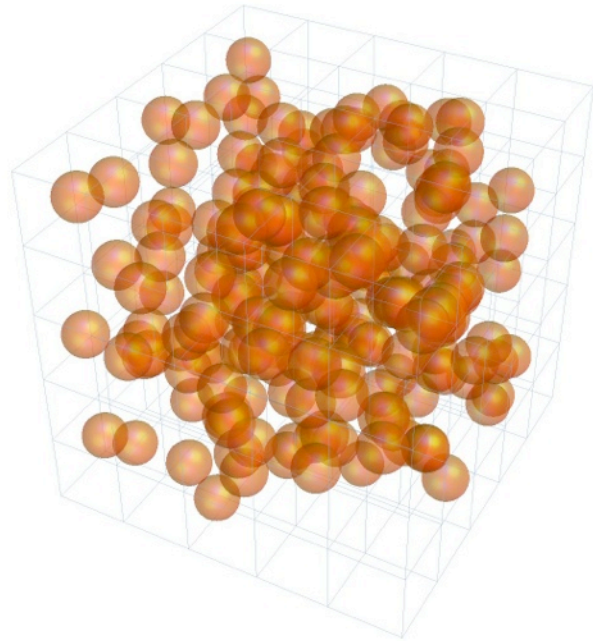


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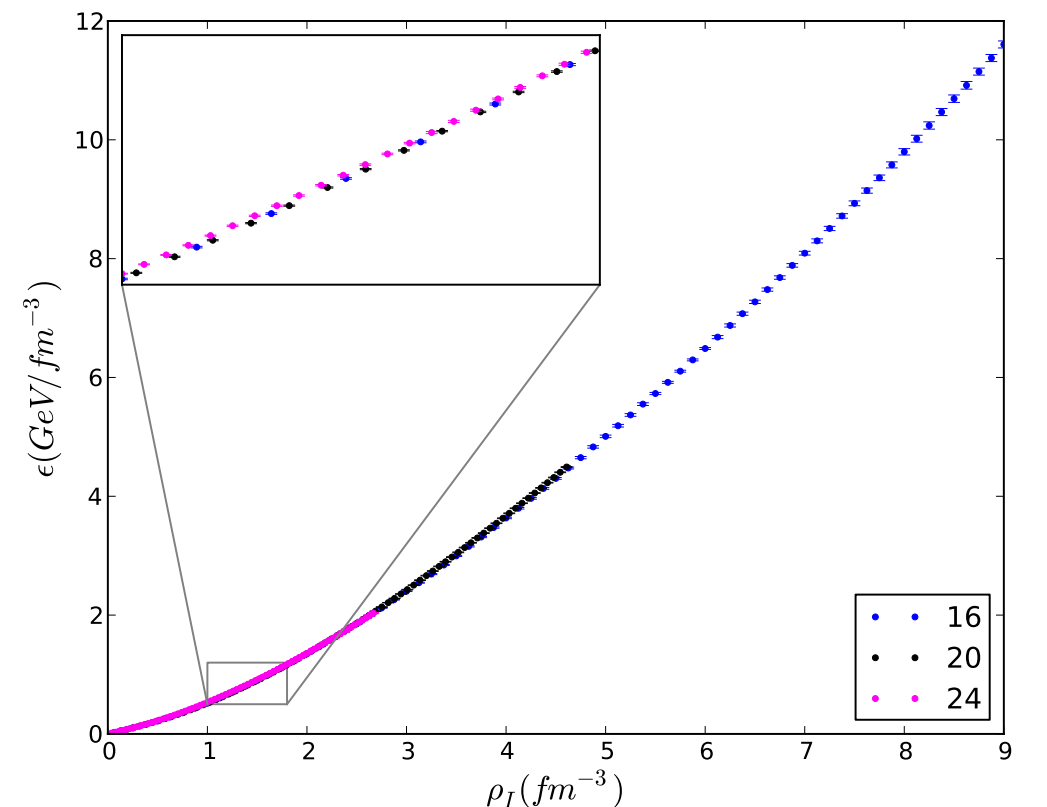
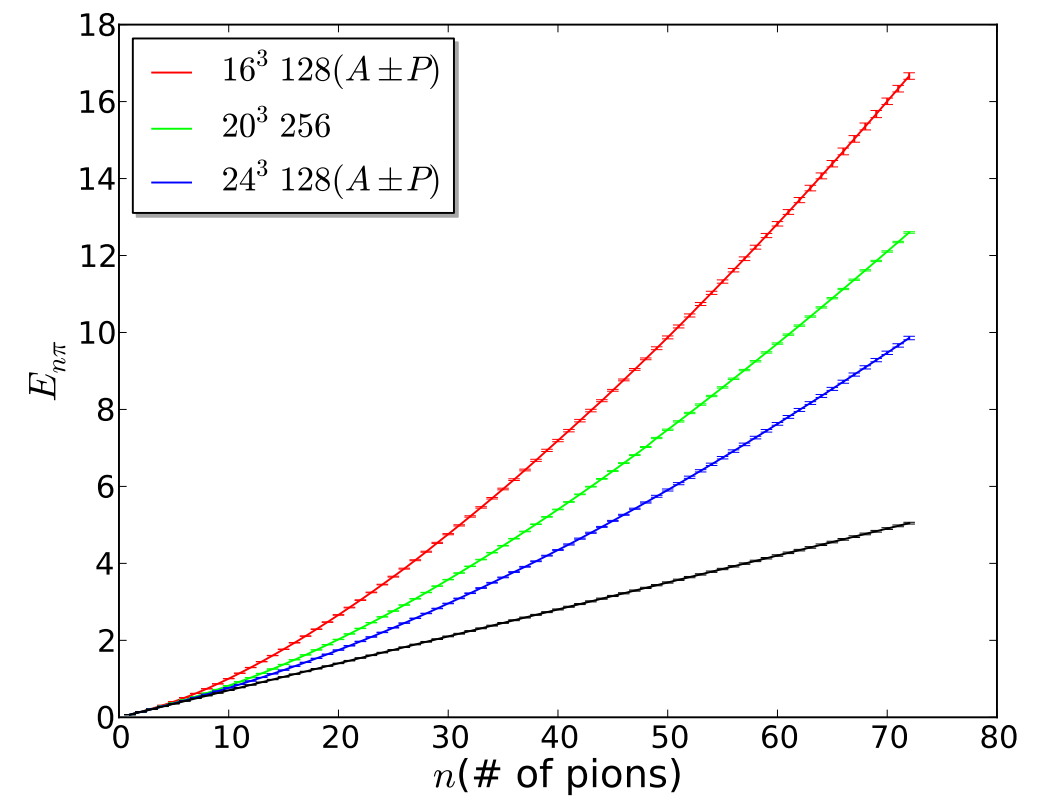
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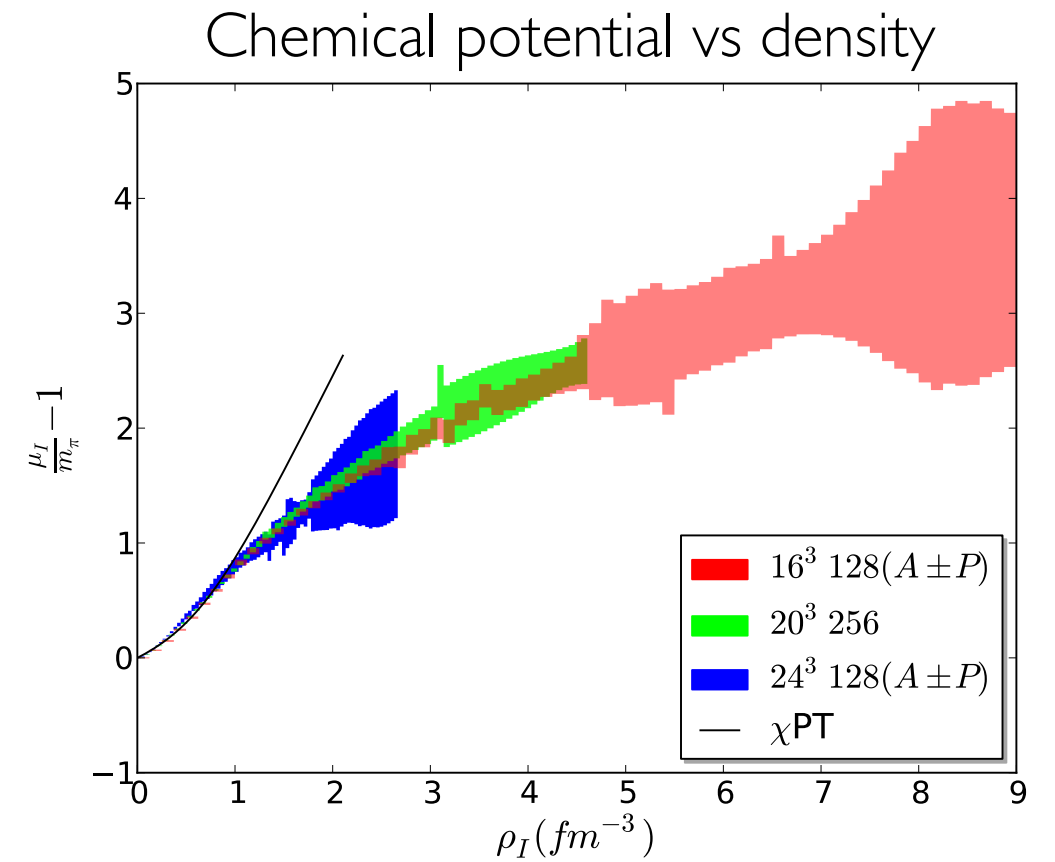
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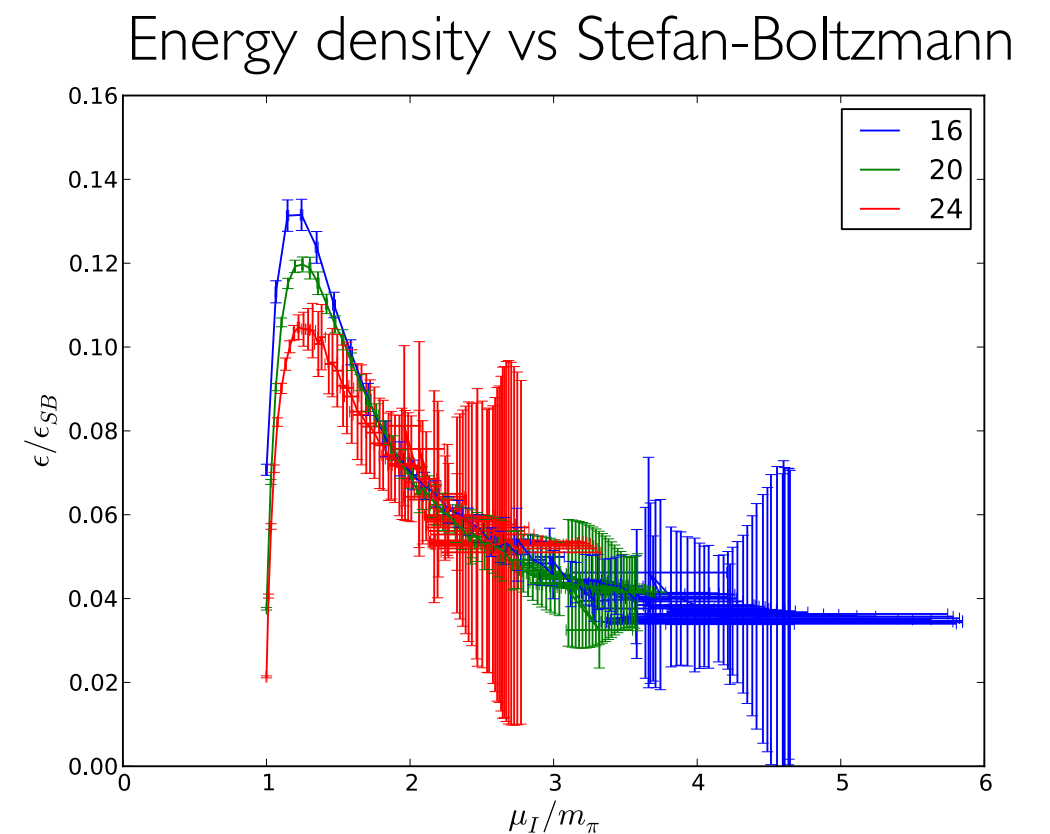
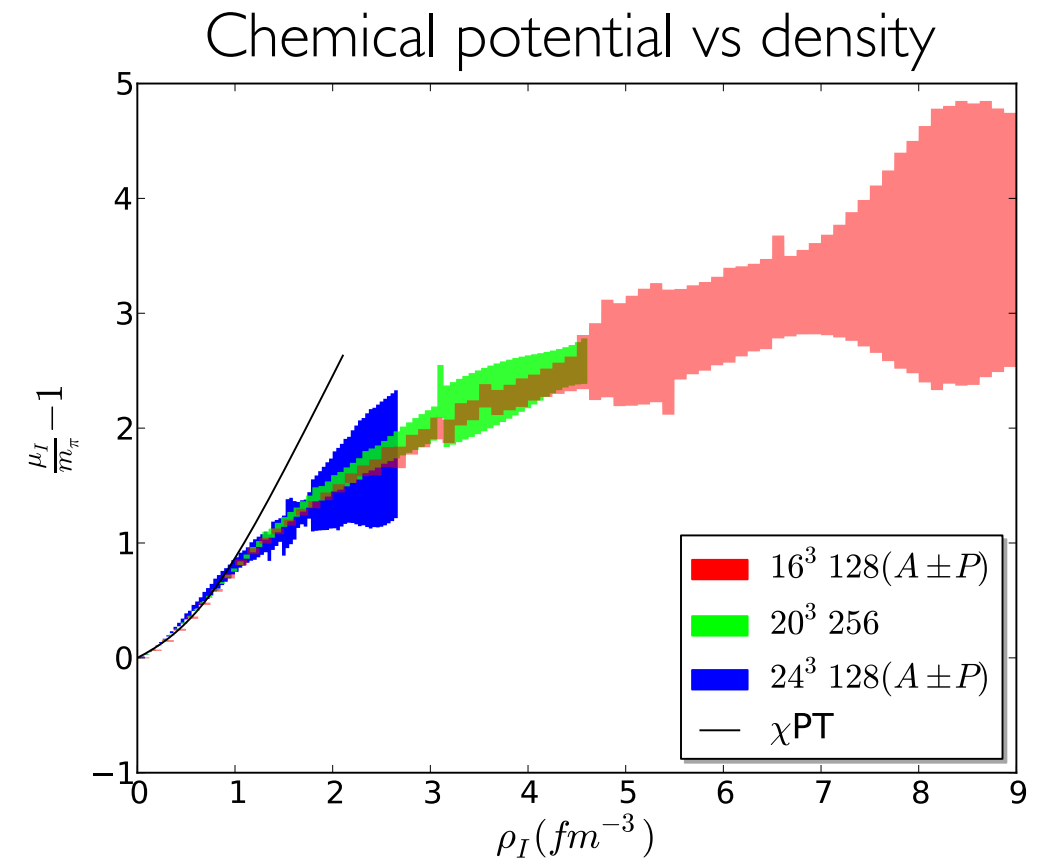


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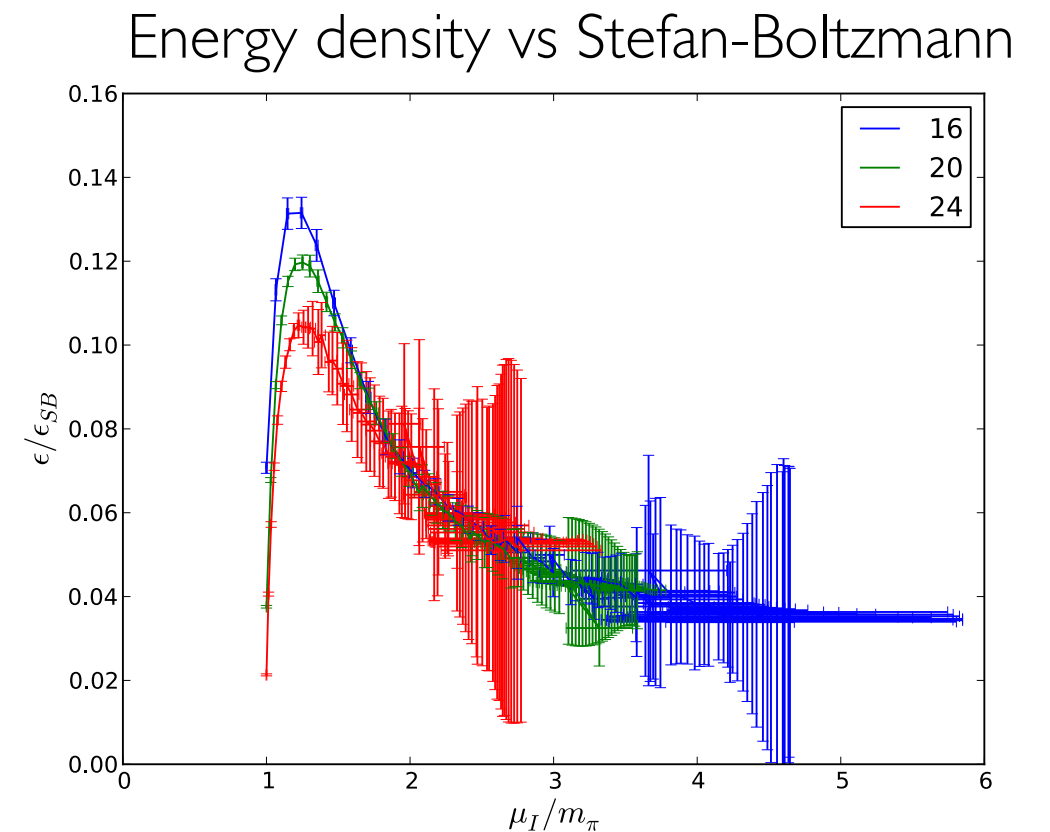
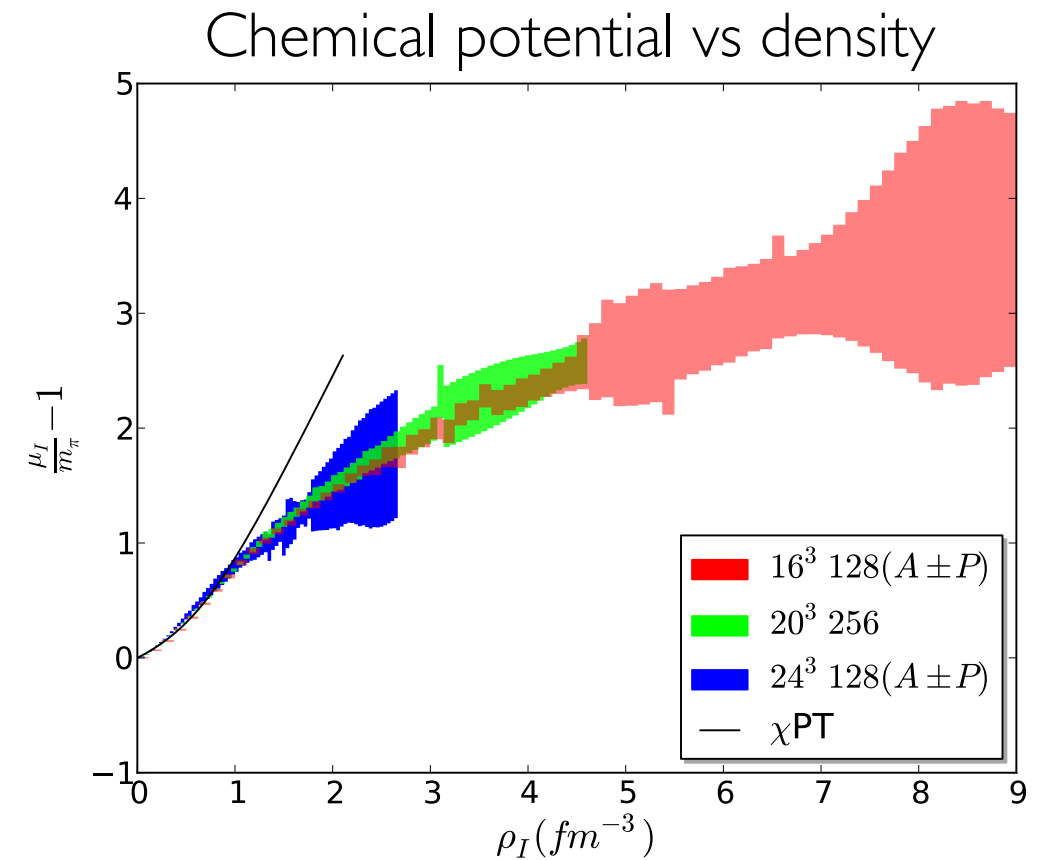
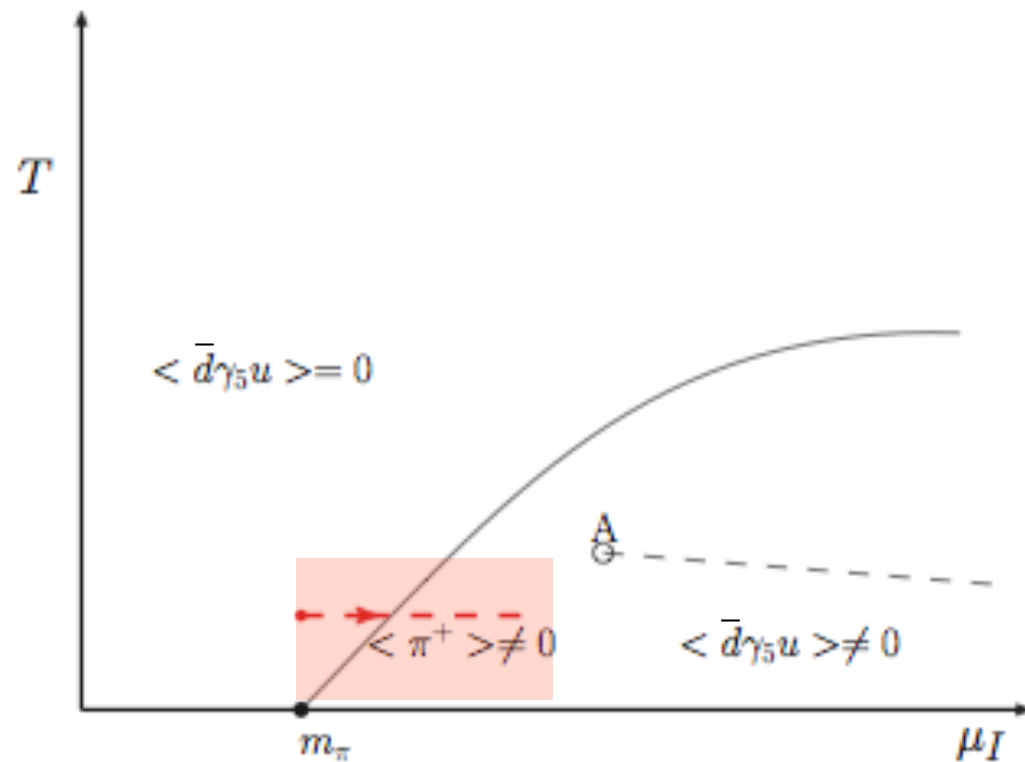


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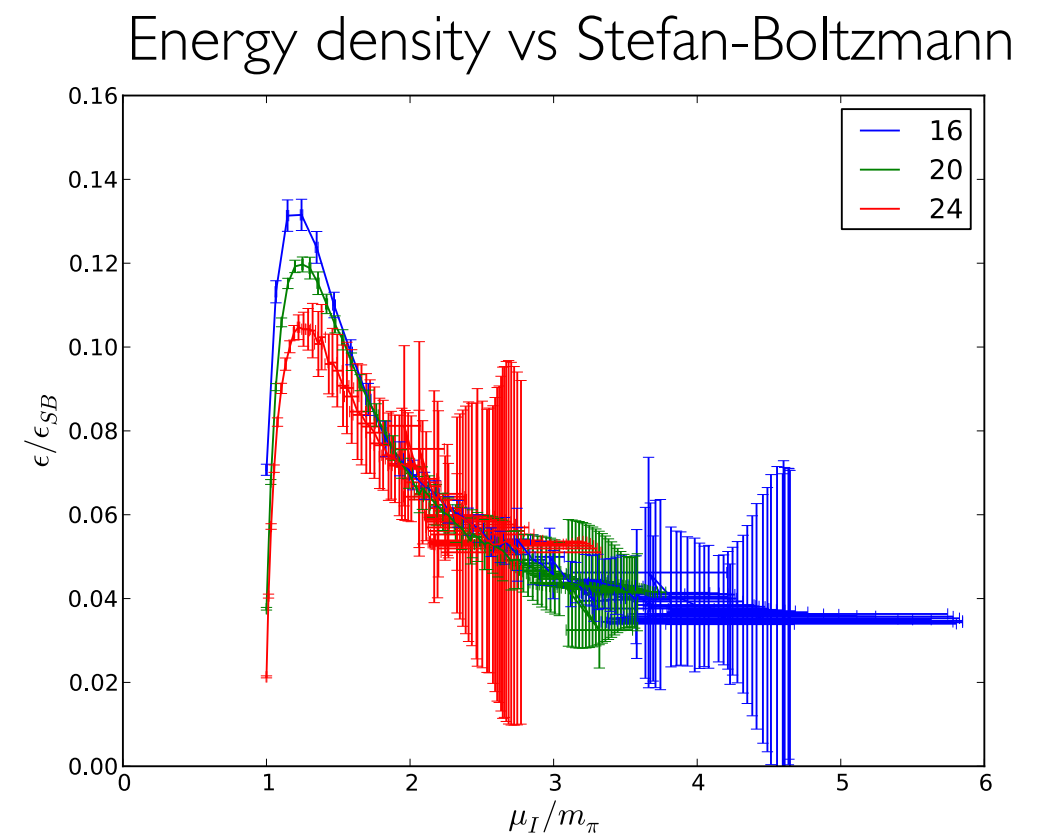
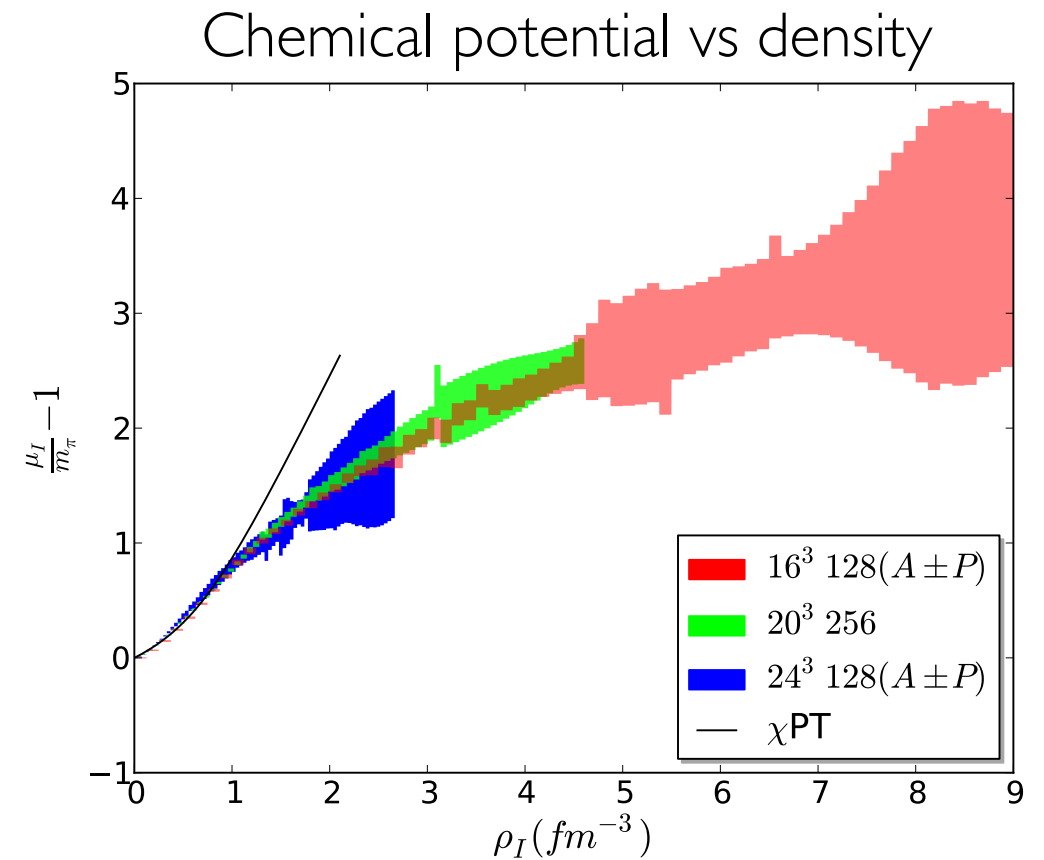
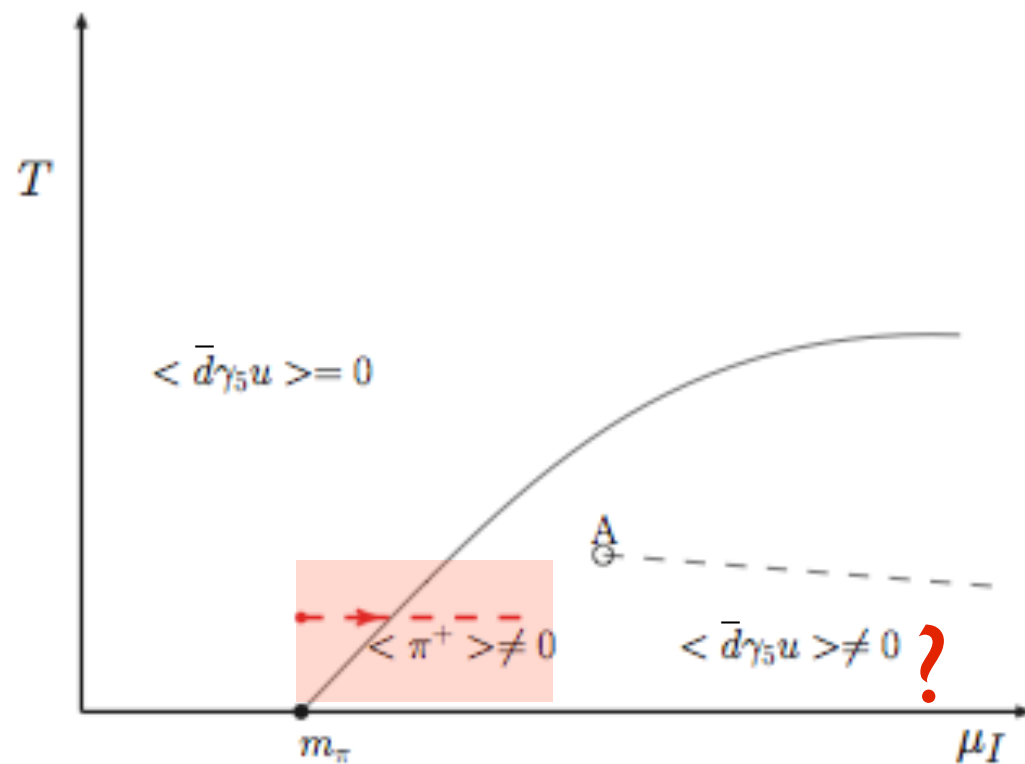


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Multi baryon systems

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- Importance sampling of QCD functional integrals
 - correlators determined stochastically
- Variance in single nucleon correlator (C) determined by

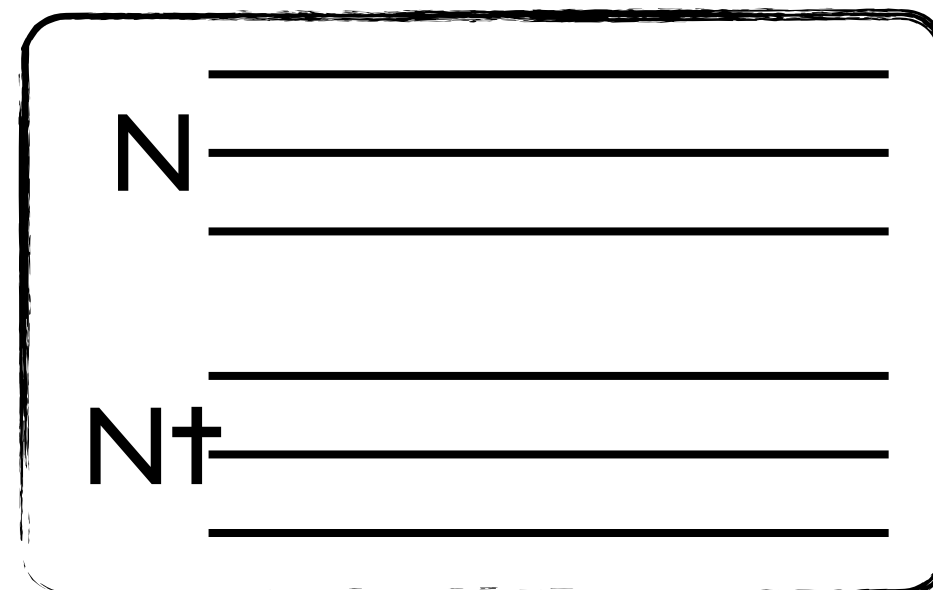
$$\sigma^2(C) = \langle CC^\dagger \rangle - |\langle C \rangle|^2$$

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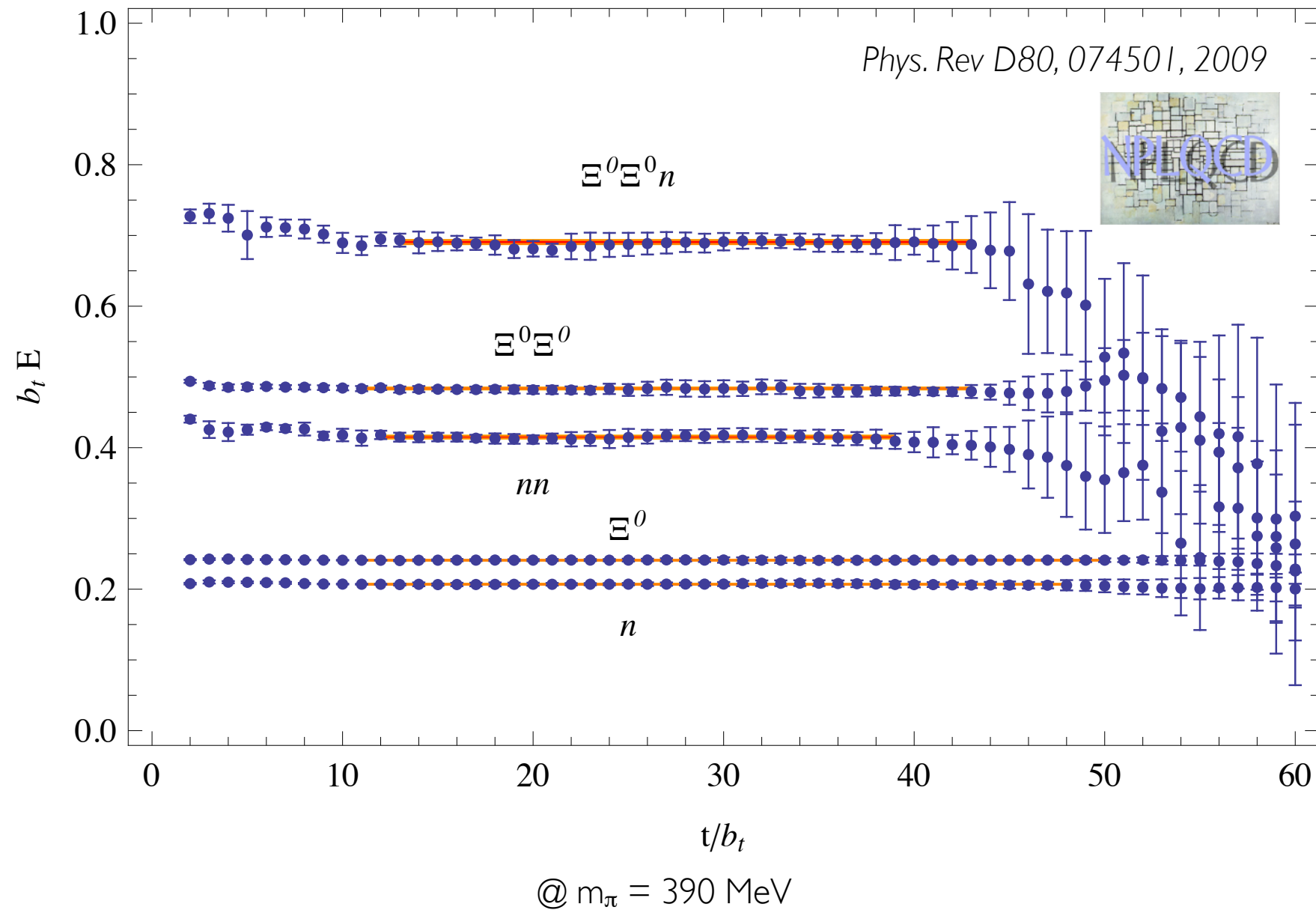
- For nucleus A :

$$\frac{\text{signal}}{\text{noise}} \sim \exp [-A(M_N - 3/2m_\pi)t]$$



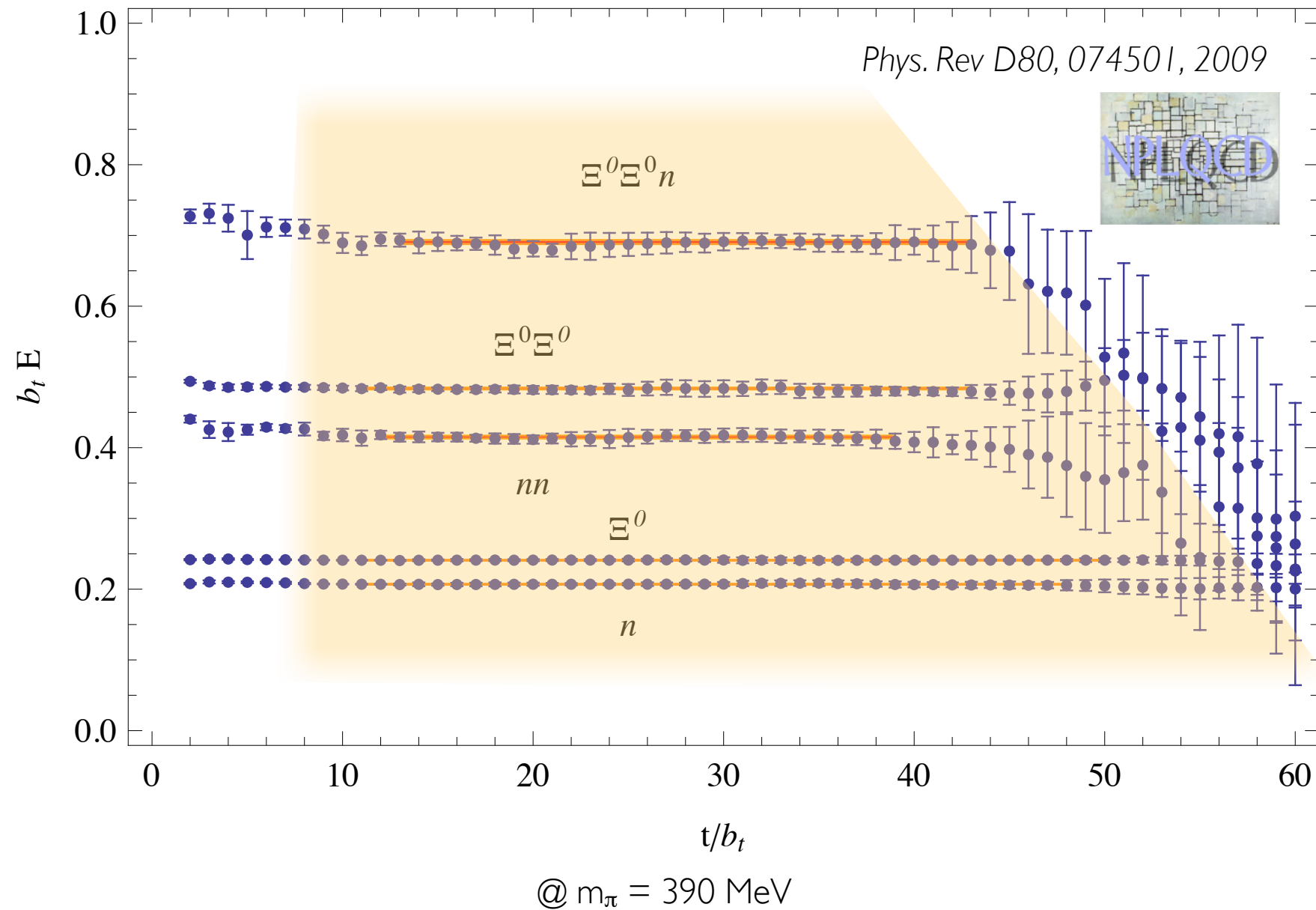
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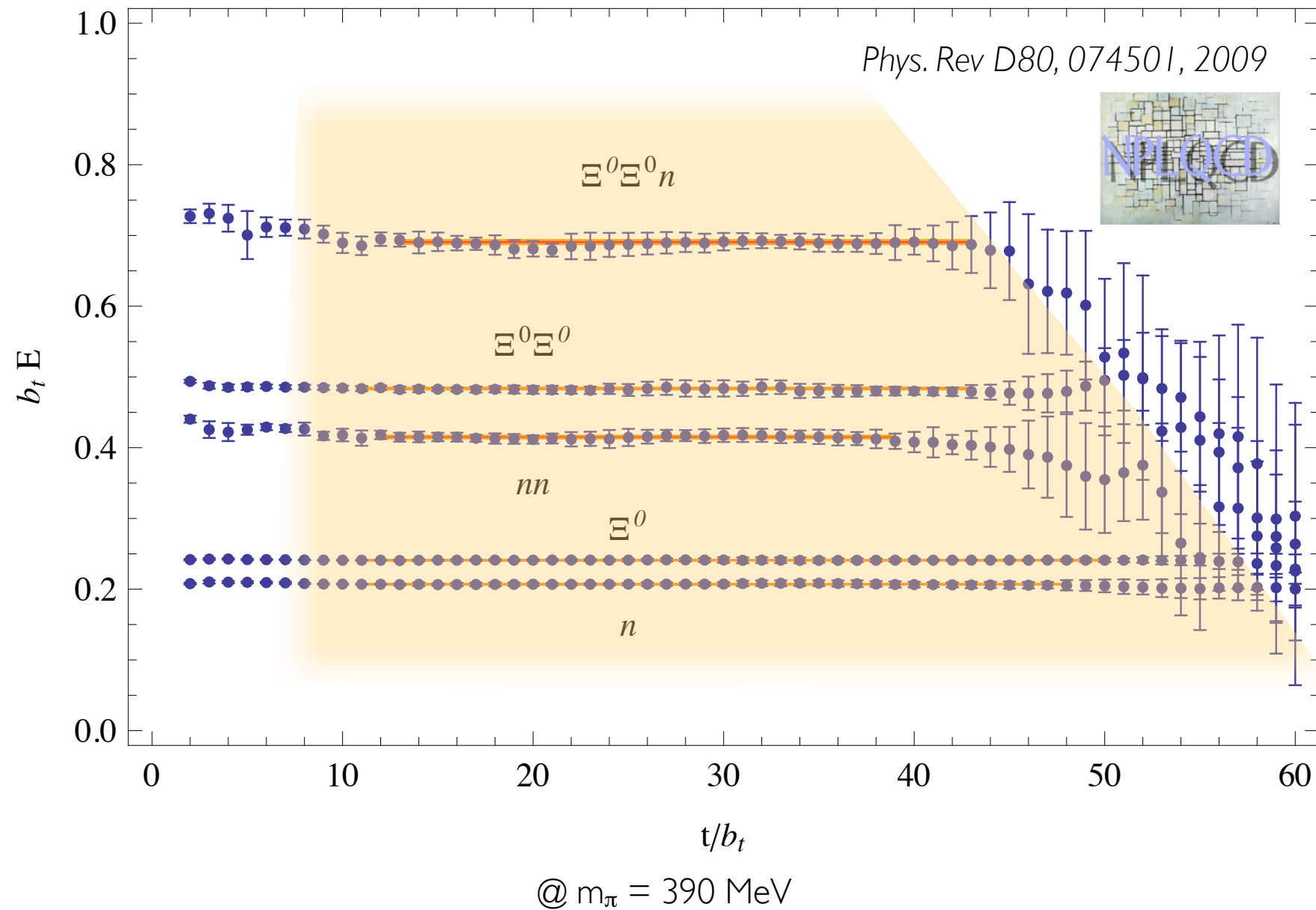
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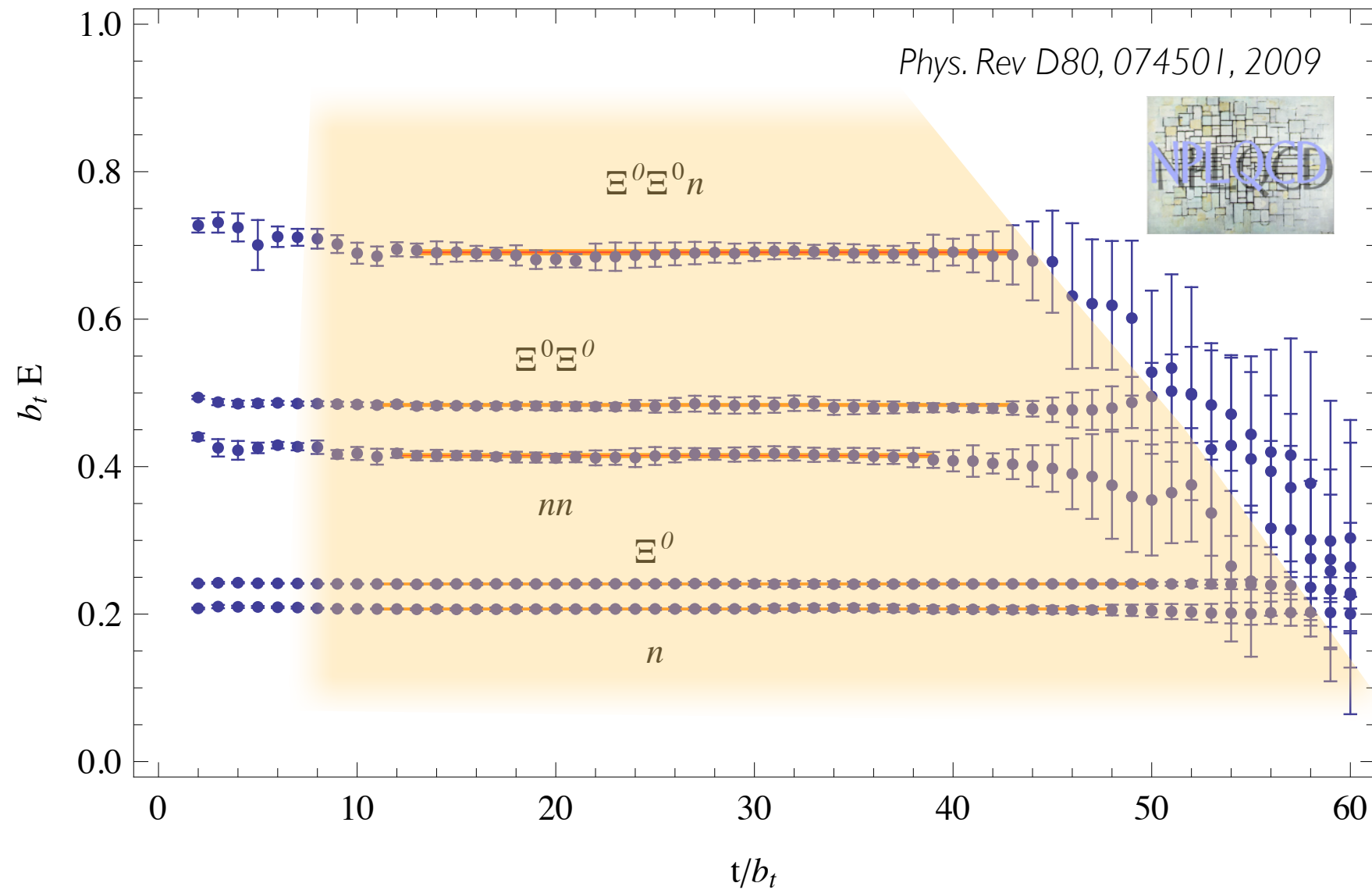
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@ $m_\pi = 390$ MeV

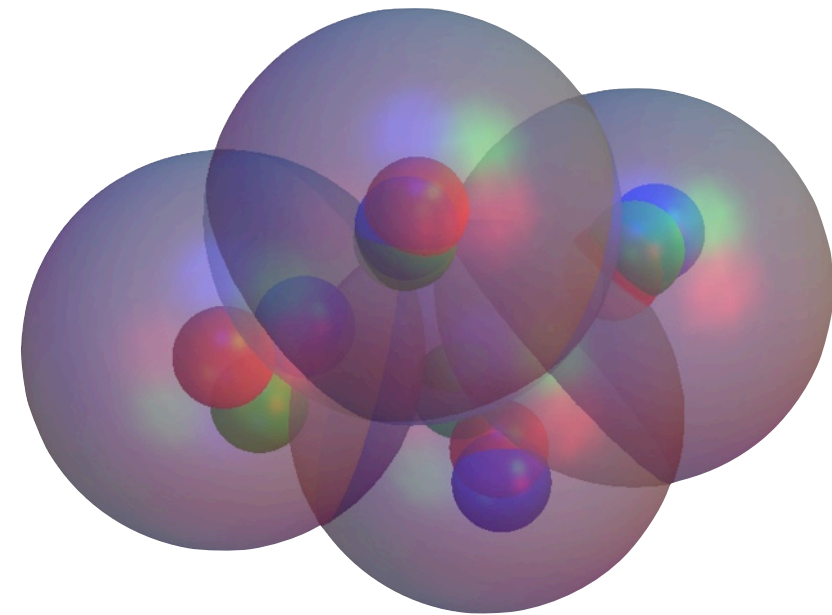


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- Recent studies at $\text{SU}(3)$ point (physical m_s)
 - Isotropic clover lattices
 - Single lattice spacing: 0.145 fm
 - Multiple volumes: 3.4, 4.5, 6.7 fm
 - High statistics

Label	L/b	T/b	β	$b m_q$	b [fm]	L [fm]	T [fm]	m_π [MeV]	$m_\pi L$	$m_\pi T$	N_{cfg}	N_{src}
A	24	48	6.1	-0.2450	0.145	3.4	6.7	806.5(0.3)(0)(8.9)	14.3	28.5	3822	48
B	32	48	6.1	-0.2450	0.145	4.5	6.7	806.9(0.3)(0.5)(8.9)	19.0	28.5	3050	24
C	48	64	6.1	-0.2450	0.145	6.7	9.0	806.7(0.3)(0)(8.9)	28.5	38.0	1212	32

SU(3) symmetric world



- In flavour SU(3) symmetric case, multi-baryon states come in multiplets

$$\mathbf{8} \otimes \mathbf{8} = \mathbf{27} \oplus \mathbf{10} \oplus \overline{\mathbf{10}} \oplus \mathbf{8}_S \oplus \mathbf{8}_A \oplus \mathbf{1}$$

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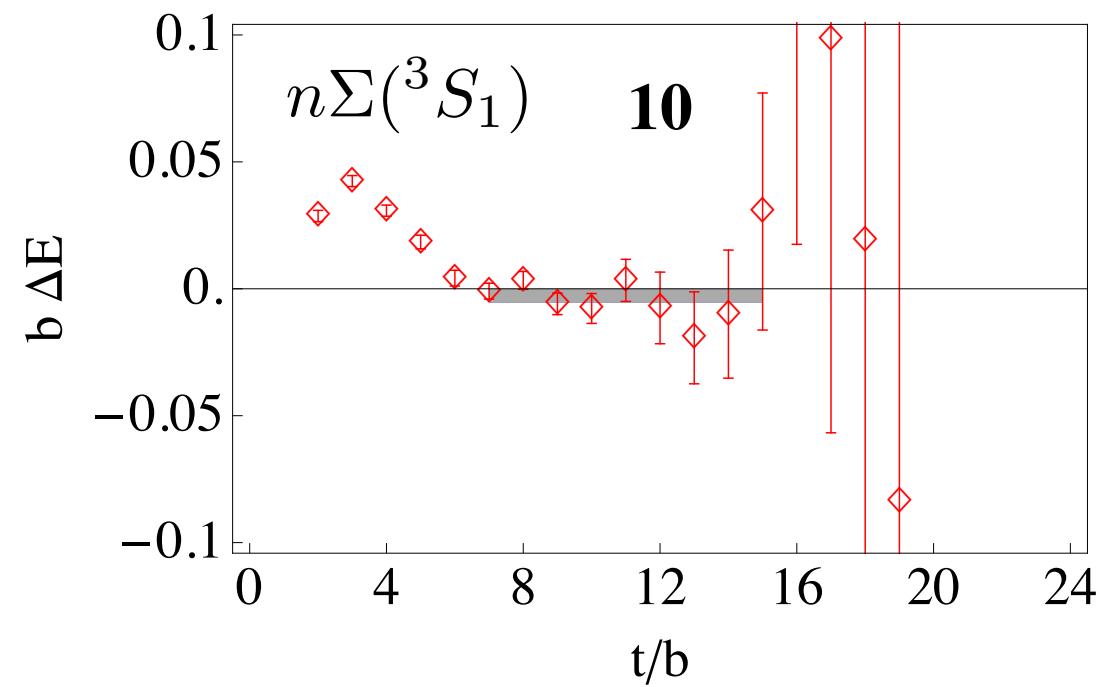
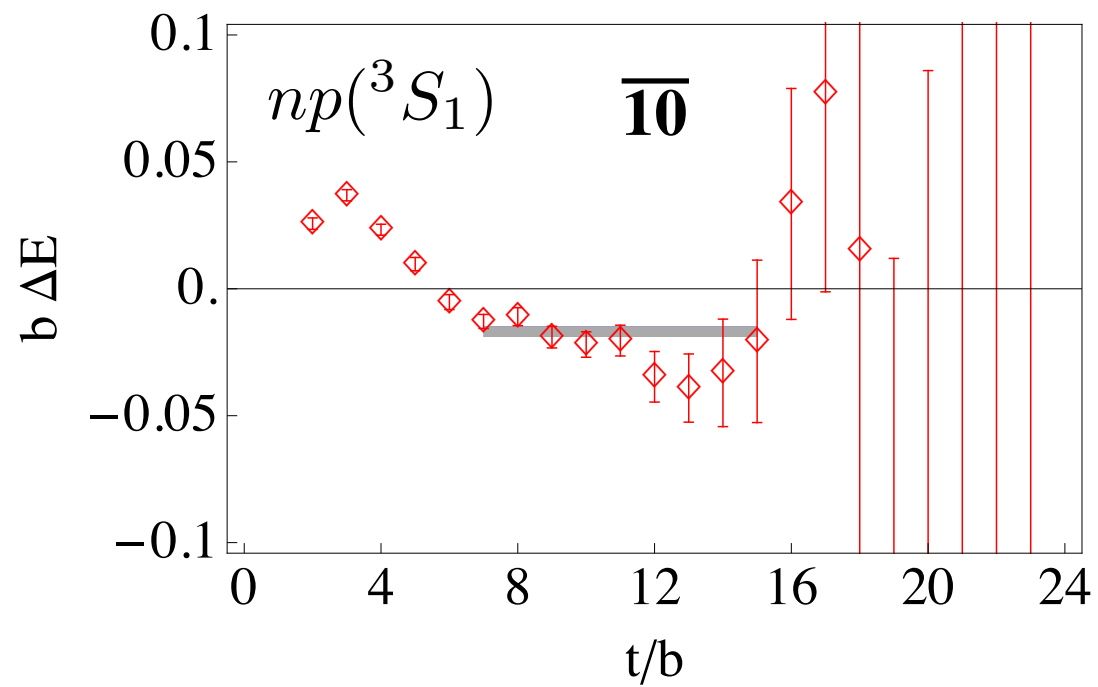
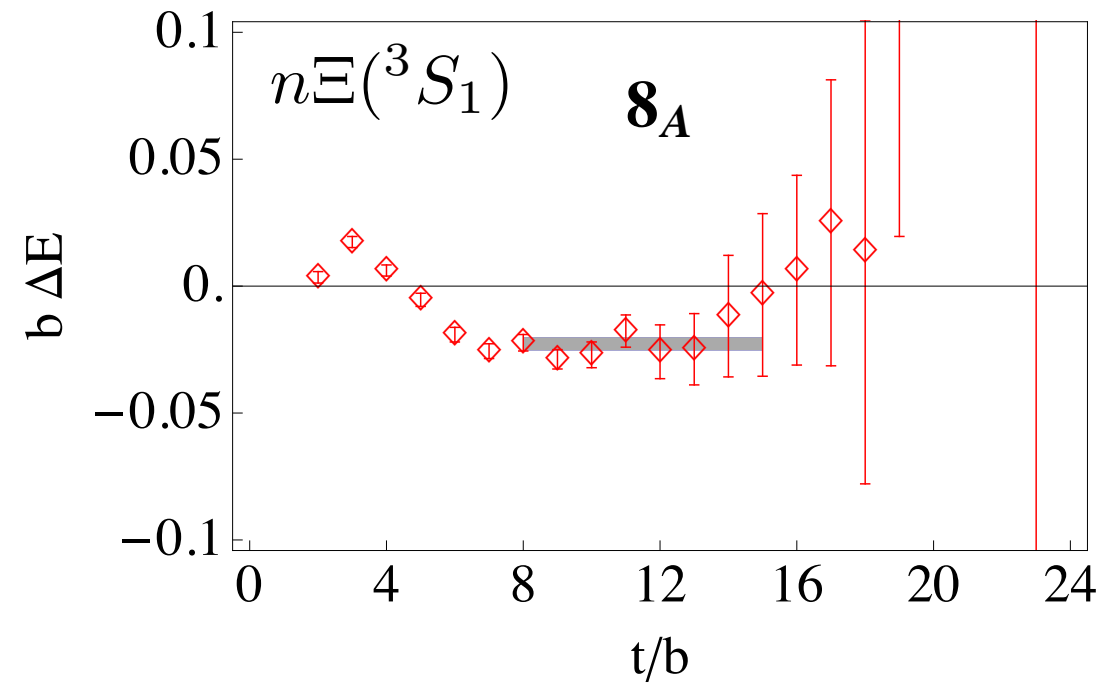
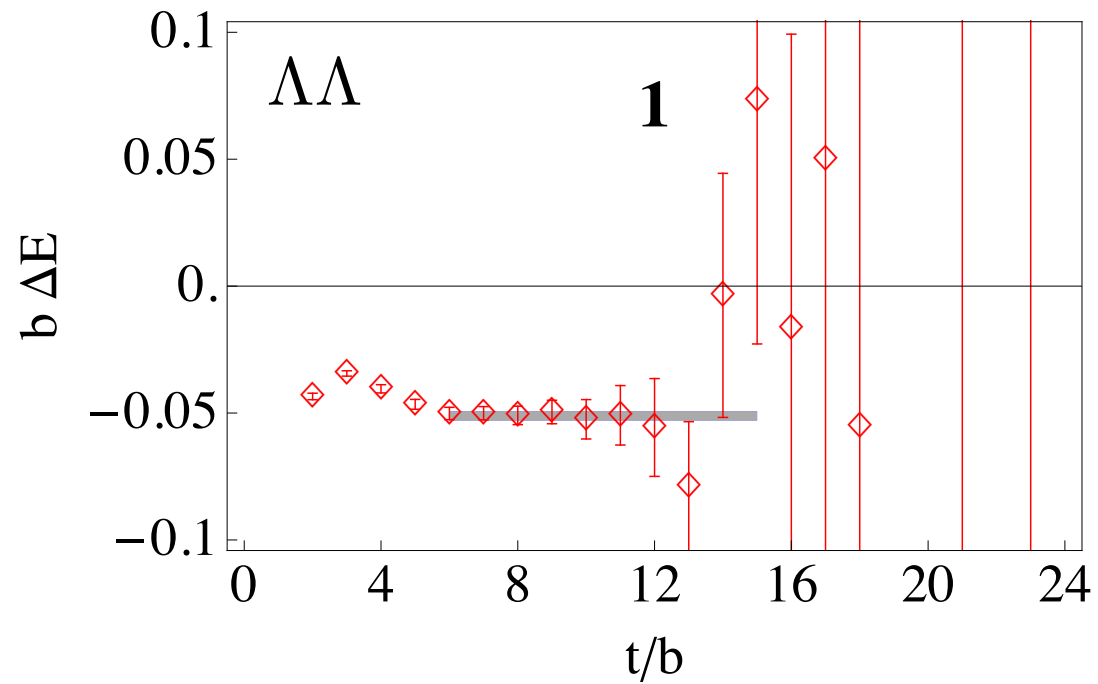
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- Unphysical symmetries manifest in spectrum

Nuclei ($A=2$)



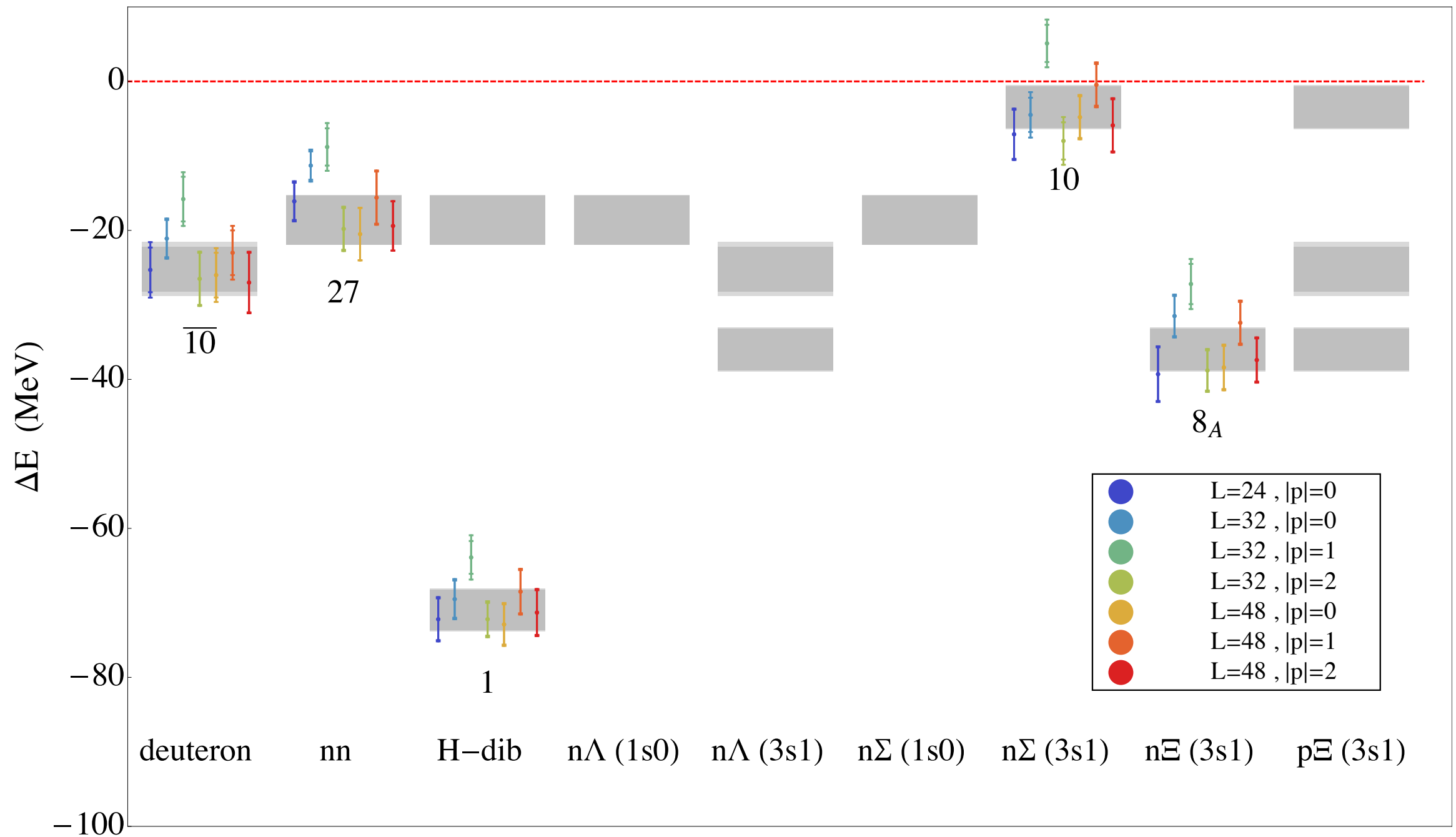
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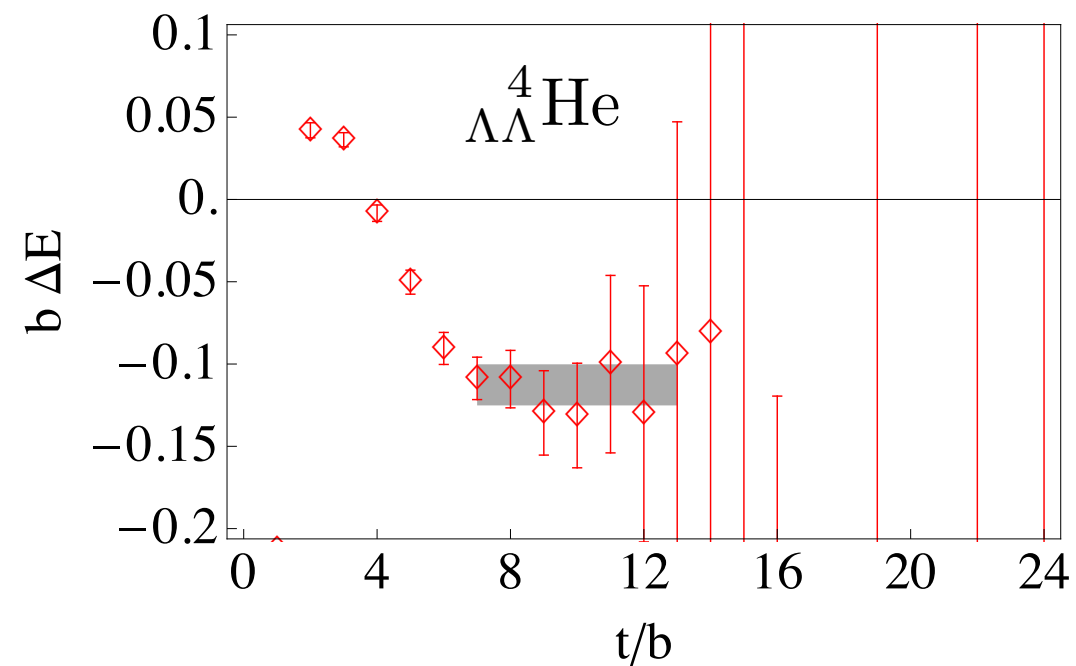
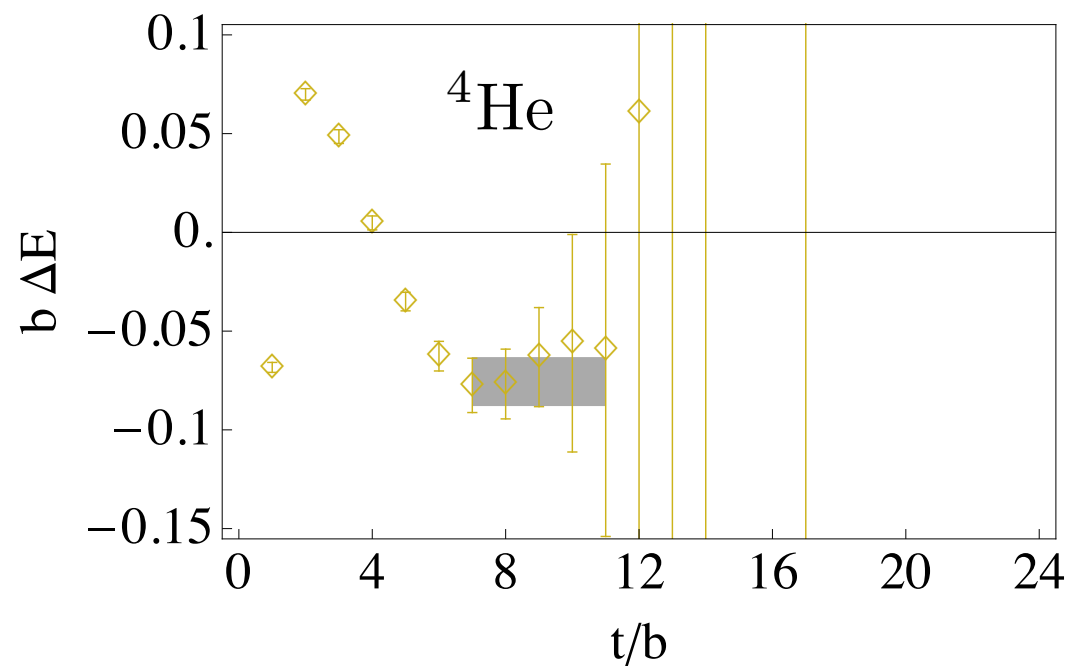
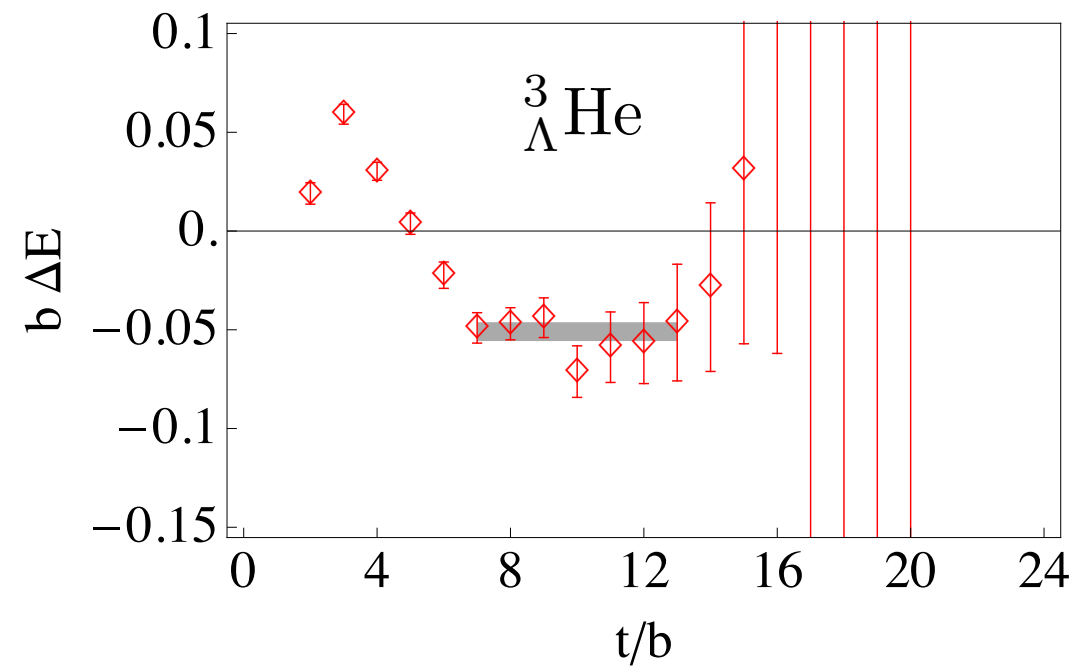
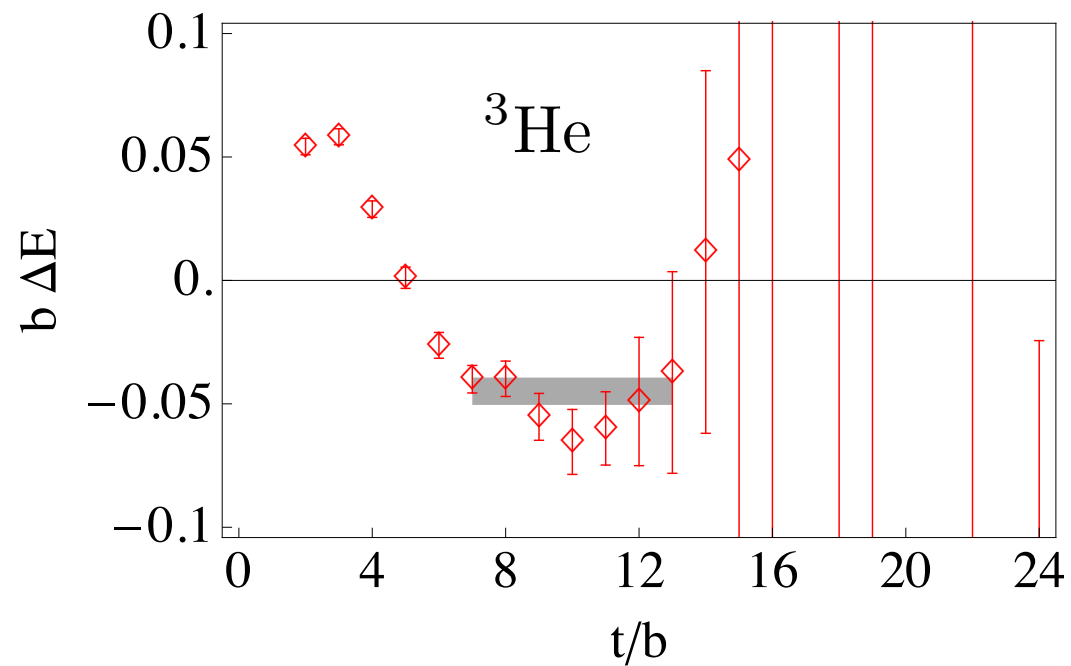
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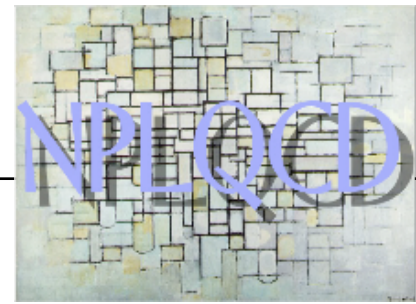
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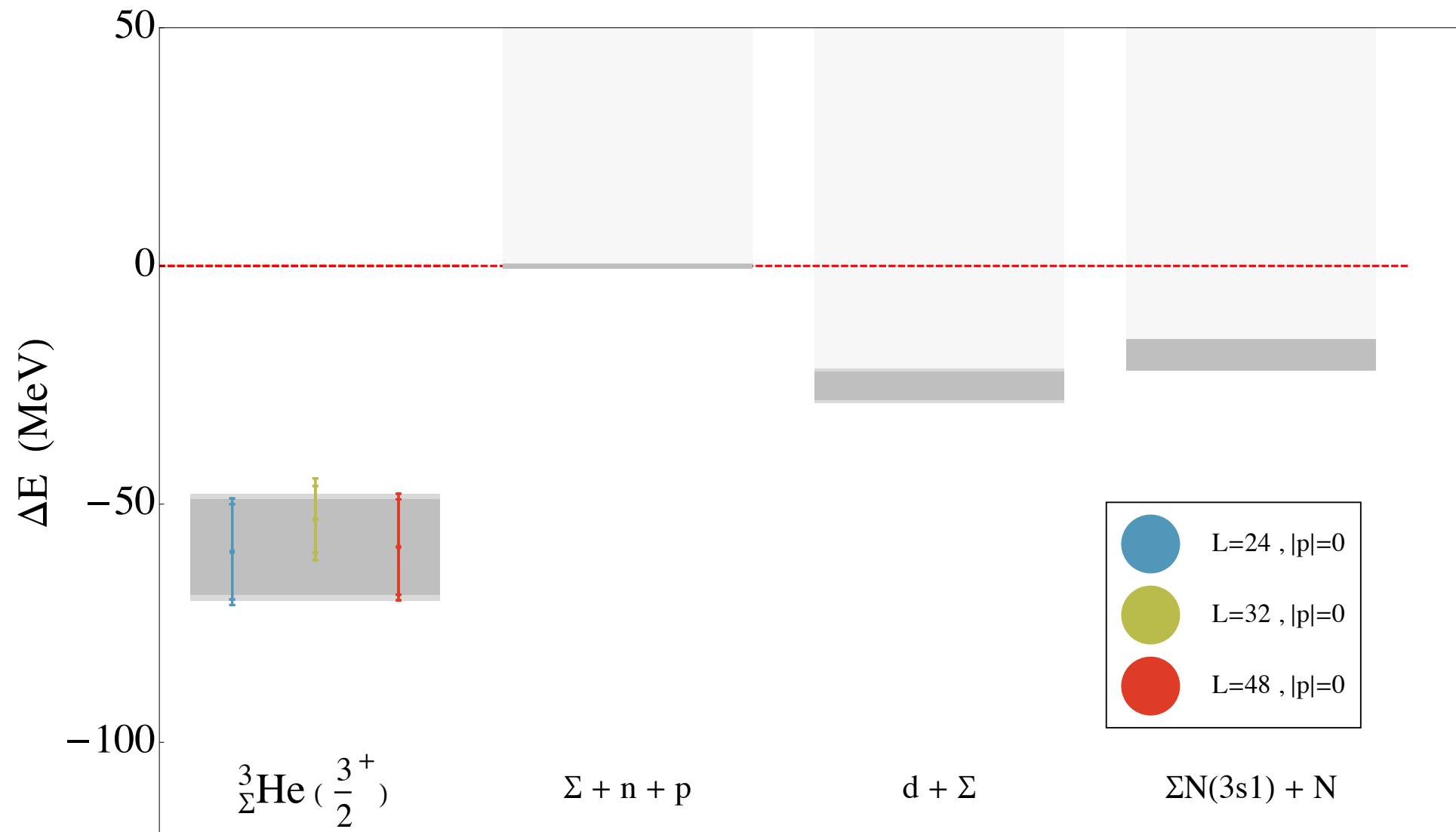
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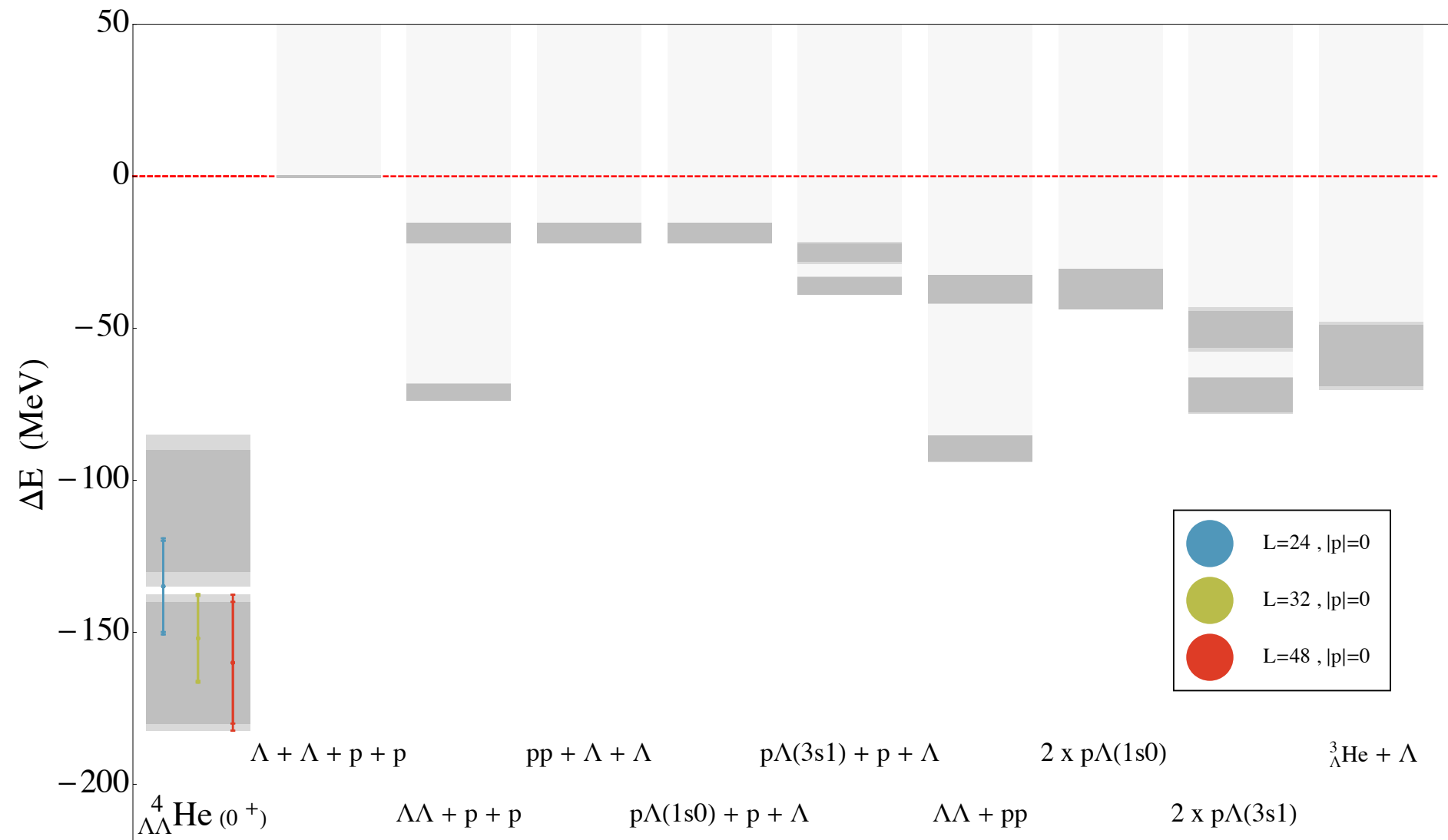
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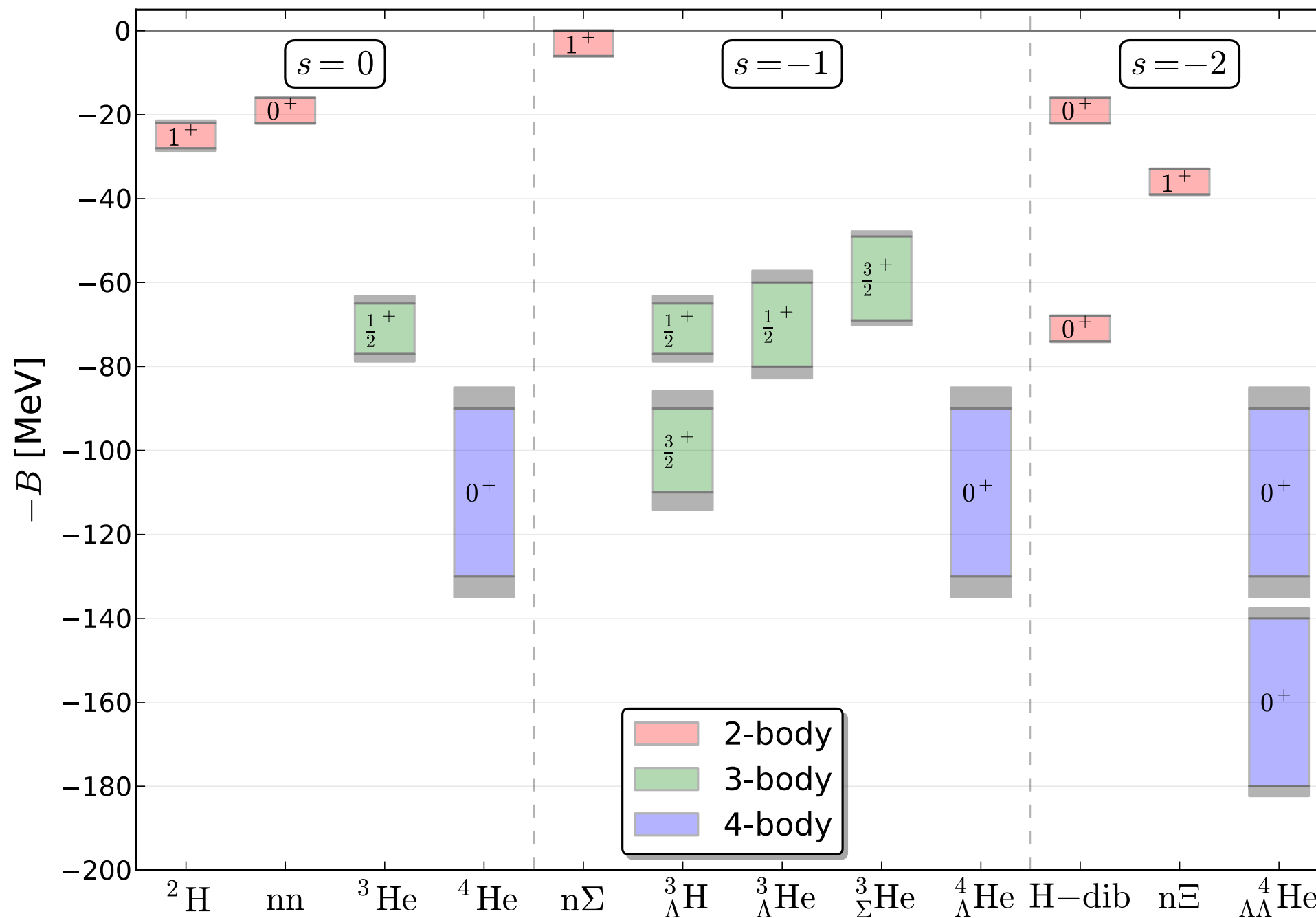
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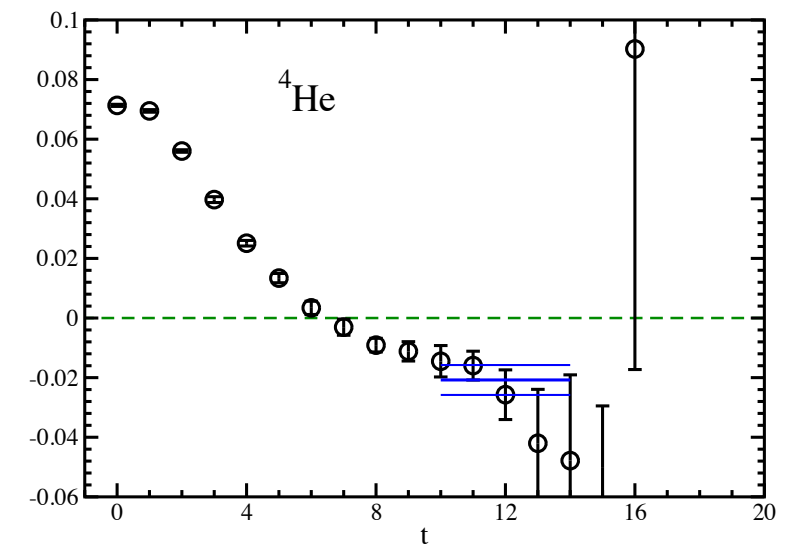
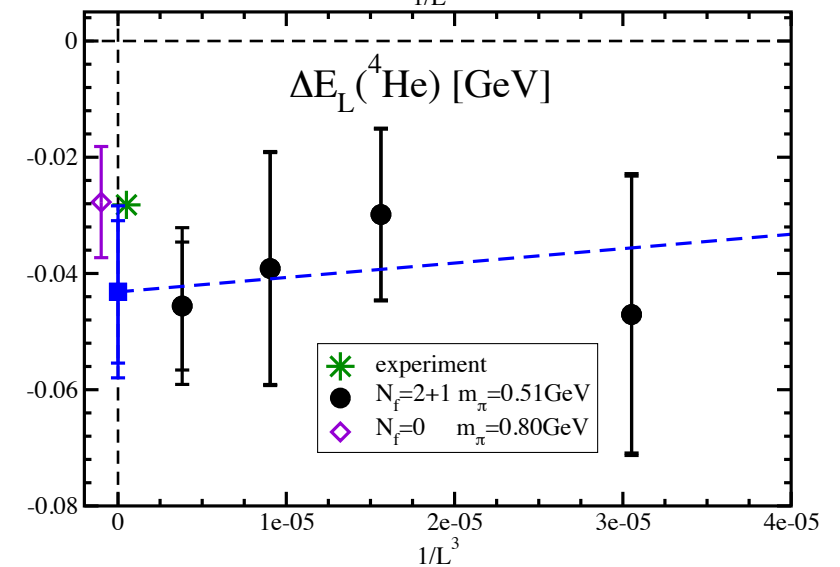
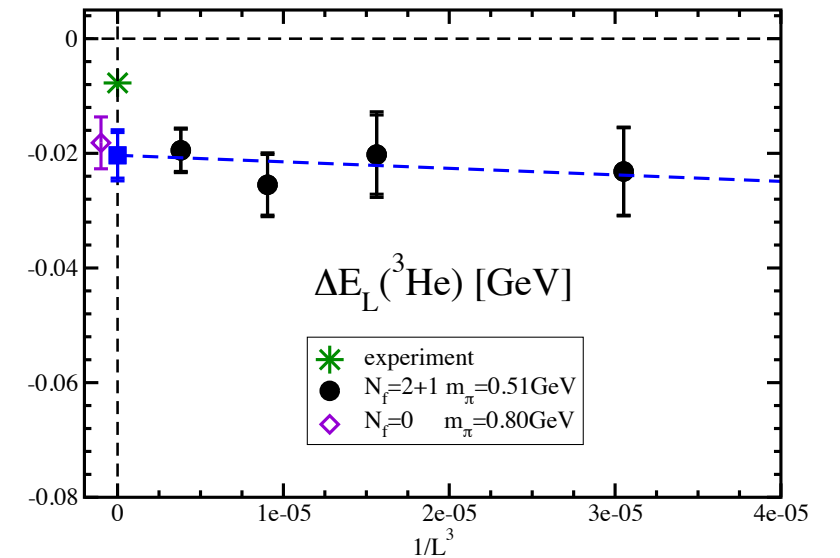
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- PACS-CS: bound d, nn, ^3He , ^4He
- Previous quenched work
- Recent unquenched study at $m_\pi=500$ MeV
- HALQCD
 - Extract an energy-dependent NN potential
 - Strong enough to bind H, ^4He at $m_{PS}=490$ MeV
 - SU(3) pt
- d, nn not bound



[Yamazaki et al. 1207.4277]

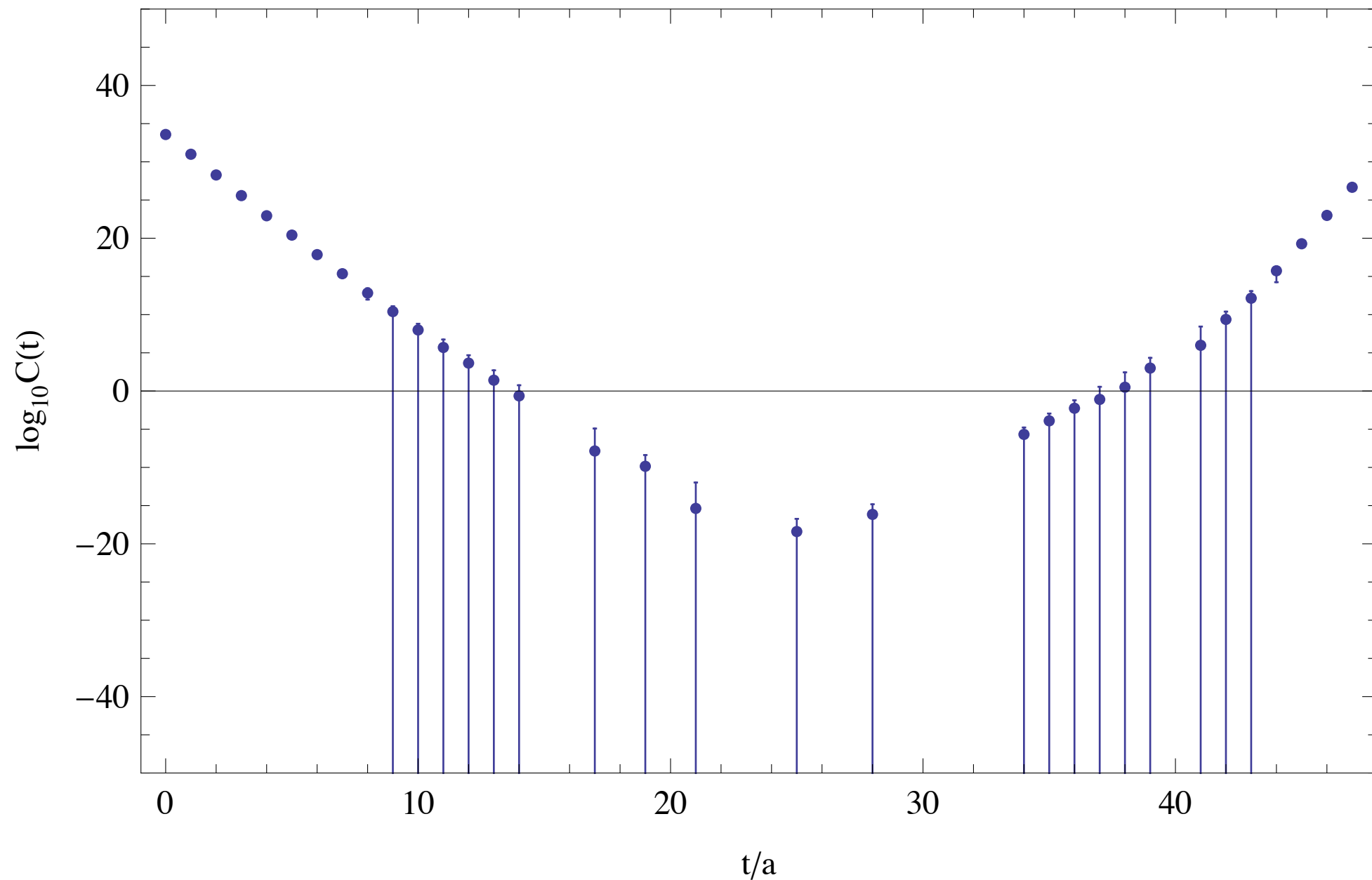
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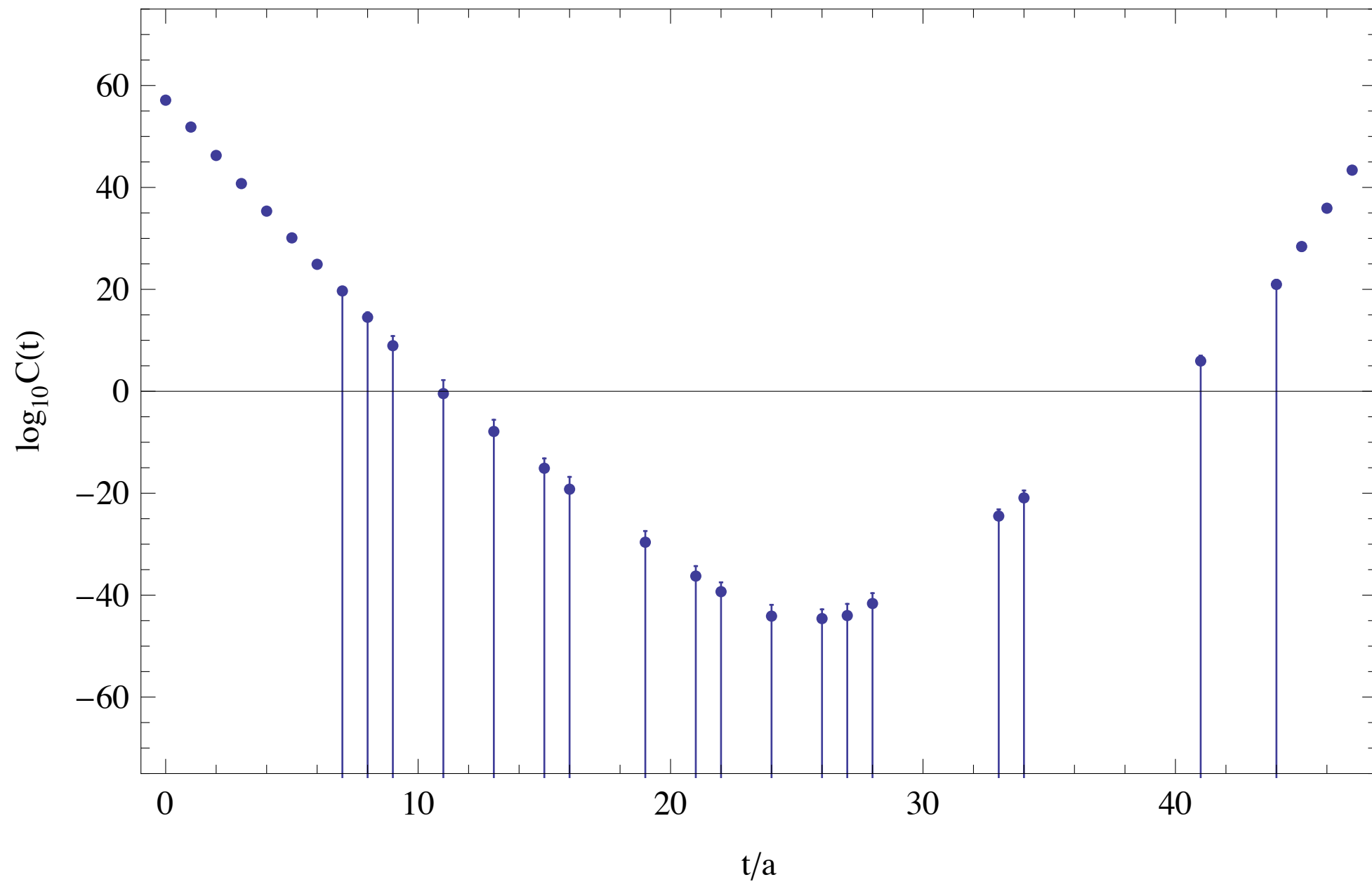
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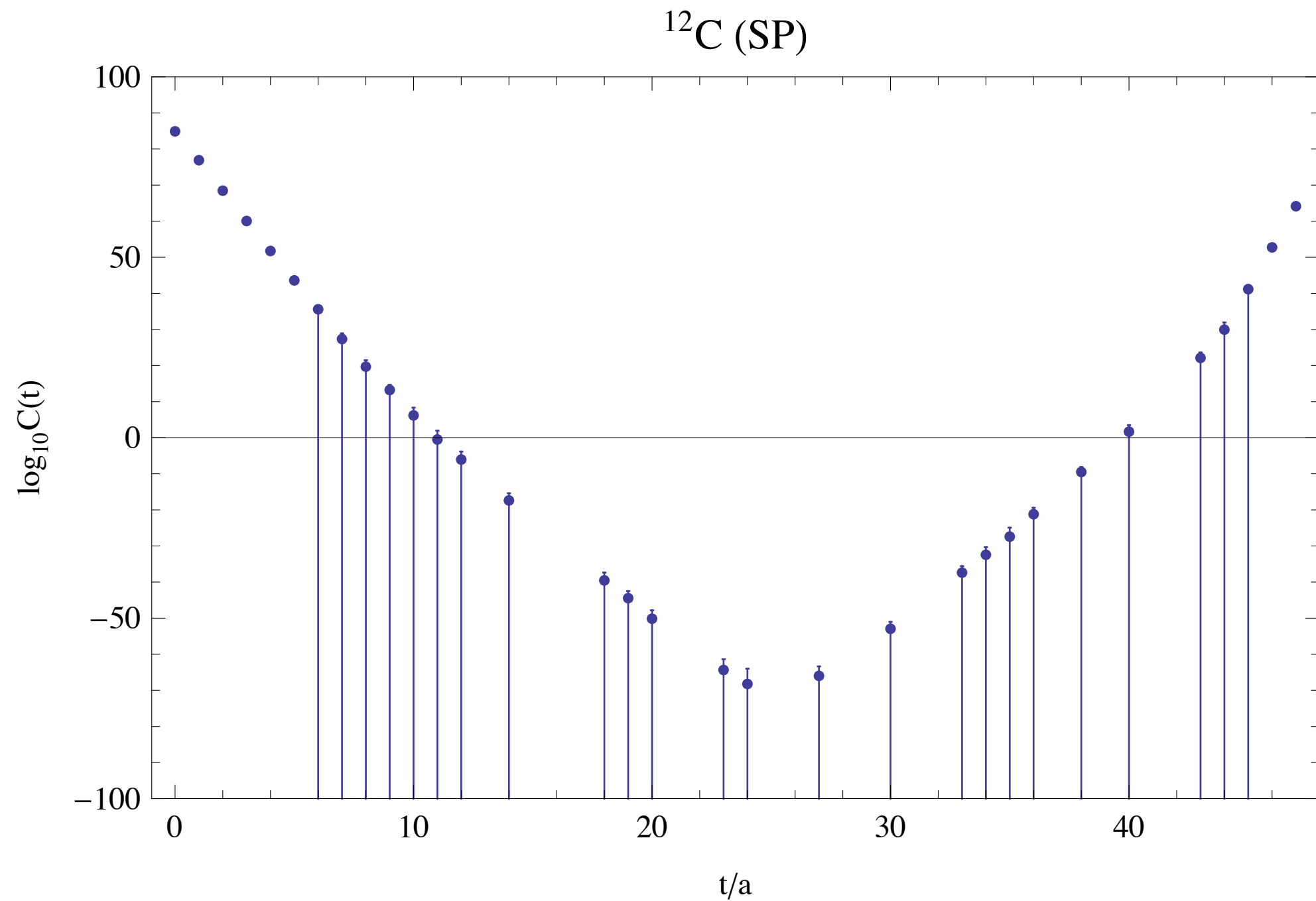


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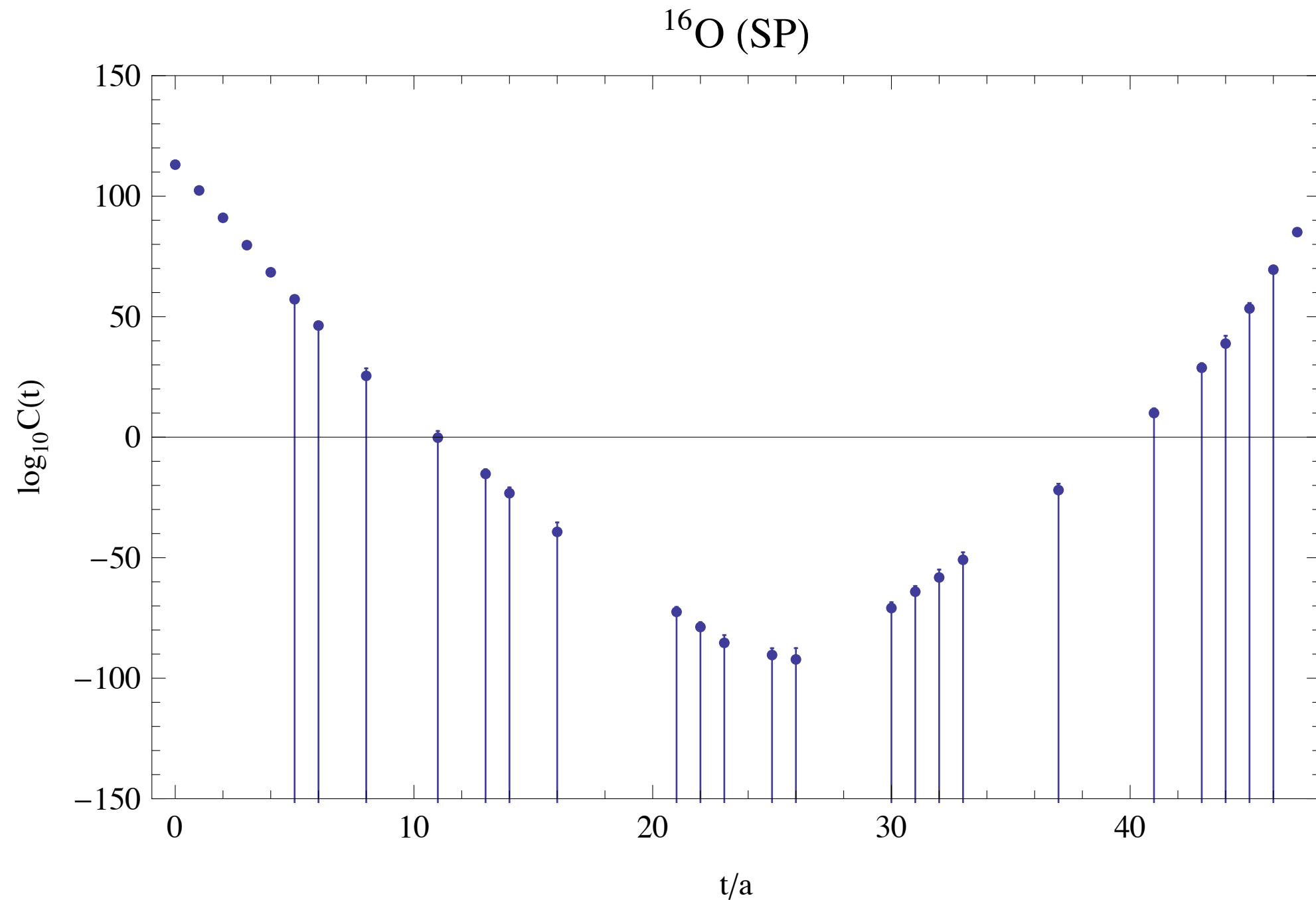


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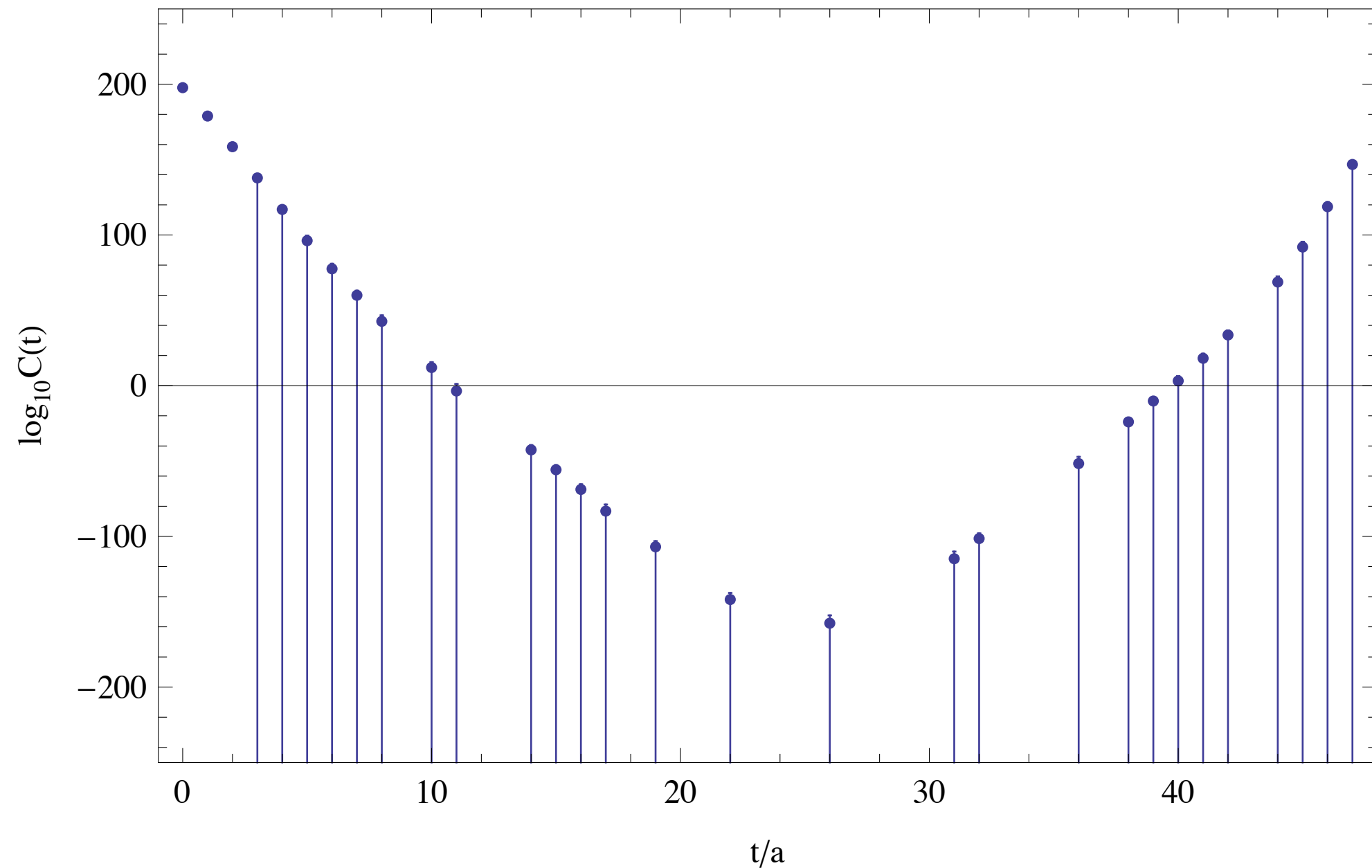
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Multi-particle systems at finite temporal extent

Multi-pion correlation function

- Consider N pion correlation function

$$C_n(t) \propto \left\langle \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, t) \right)^n \left(\pi^+(\mathbf{0}, 0) \right)^n \right\rangle$$

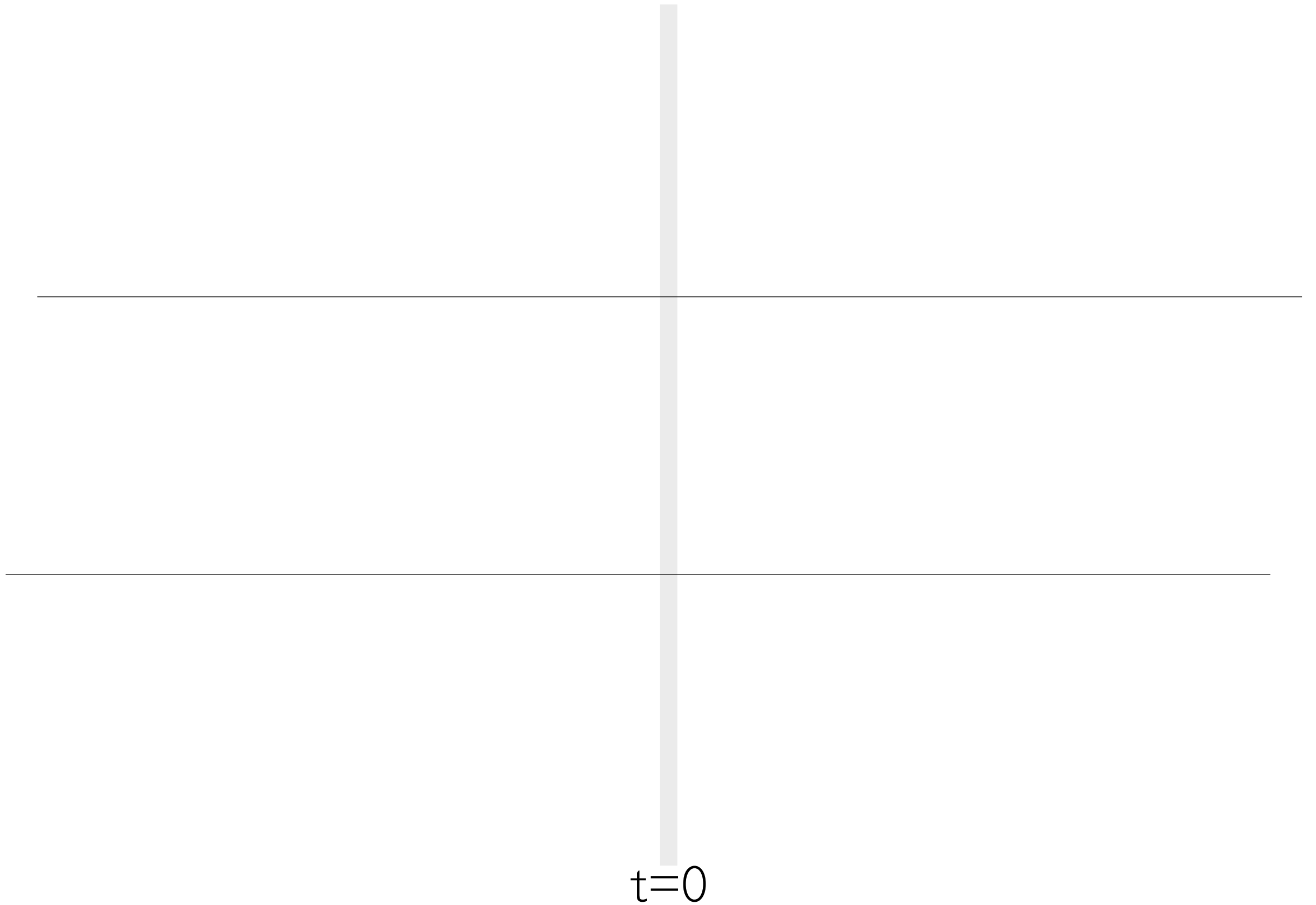
- For a lattice of temporal extent T (inverse temperature)

$$\begin{aligned} C_n(t) &= \text{Tr} \left[e^{-HT} \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, t) \right)^n (\pi^+(0))^n \right] \\ &= \sum_m \left\langle m \left| e^{-HT} \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, t) \right)^n (\pi^+(0))^n \right| m \right\rangle \\ &= \sum_{m, \ell} \left\langle m \left| e^{-HT} \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, t) \right)^n \right| \ell \right\rangle \langle \ell | (\pi^+(0))^n | m \rangle \\ &= \sum_{m, \ell} \left\langle m \left| e^{-H(T-t)} \left(\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi^-(\mathbf{x}, 0) \right)^n e^{-Ht} \right| \ell \right\rangle \langle \ell | (\pi^+(0))^n | m \rangle \\ &= \sum_{m, \ell} e^{-E_m(T-t)} e^{-E_\ell t} \mathcal{Z}_{\ell, m} \end{aligned}$$

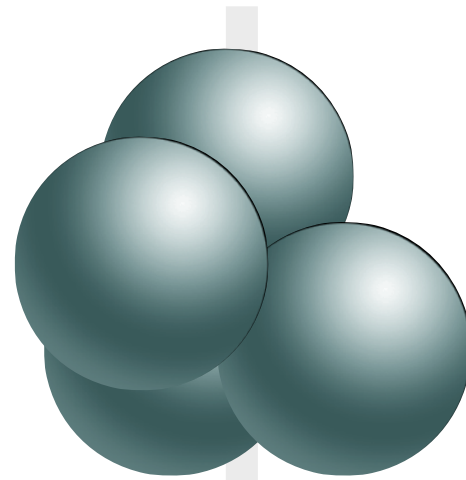
- Many states contribute (ignore excitations)

$$\{|m\rangle = |0\rangle, |\ell\rangle = |n\pi\rangle\}, \{|m\rangle = |\pi\rangle, |\ell\rangle = |(n-1)\pi\rangle\}, \dots, \{|m\rangle = |n\pi\rangle, |\ell\rangle = |0\rangle\}$$

Four pion correlation

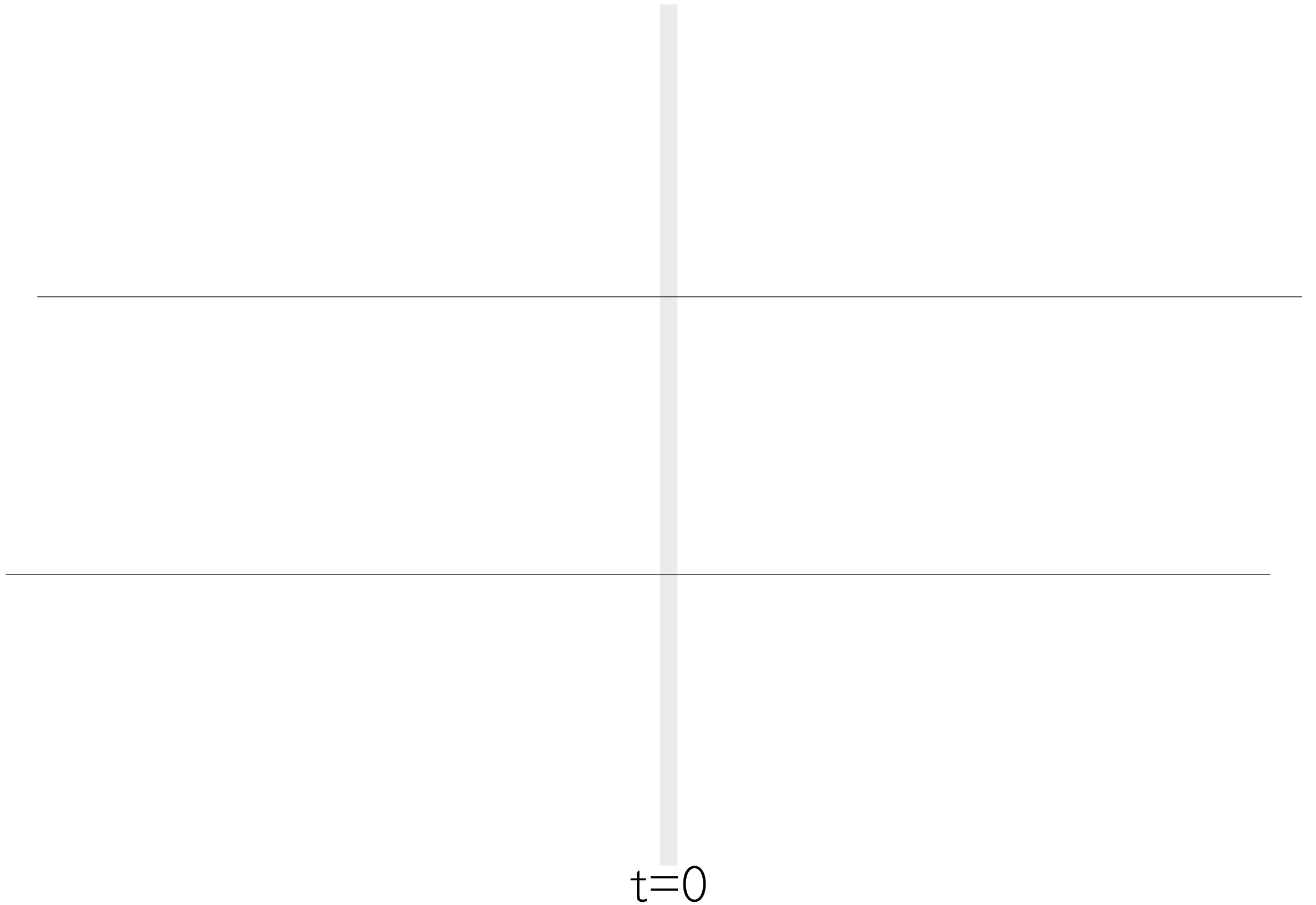


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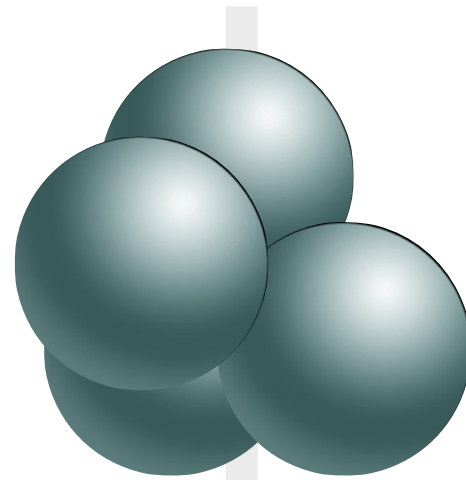


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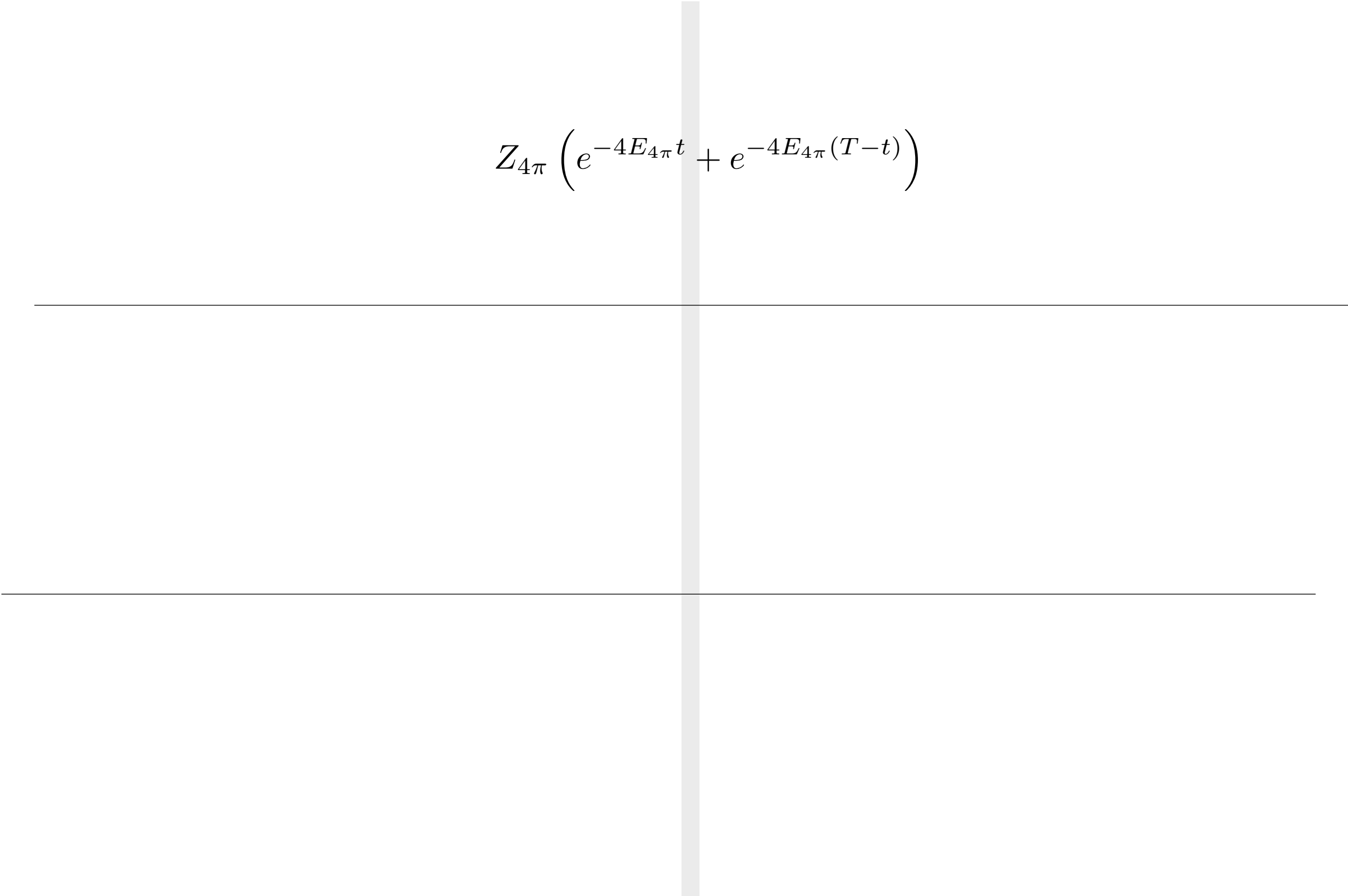
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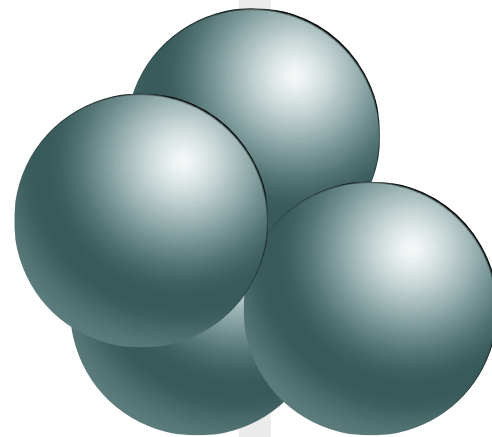


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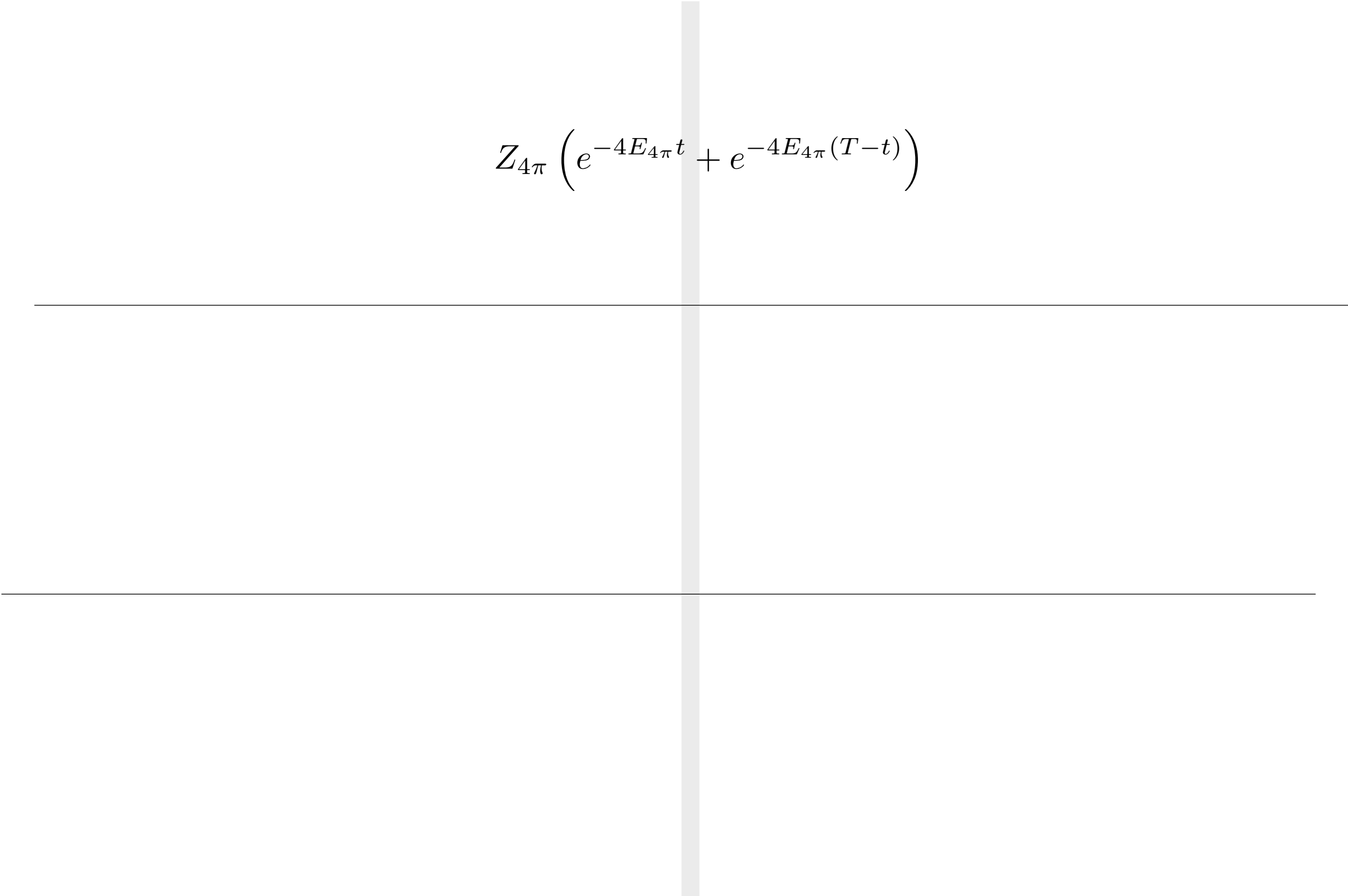
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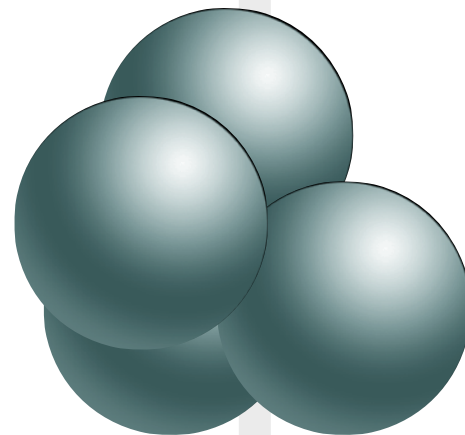
$$Z_{3/1\pi} \left(e^{-E_{3\pi}t} e^{-E_{1\pi}(T-t)} + e^{-E_{3\pi}(T-t)} e^{-E_{1\pi}t} \right)$$

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$$Z_{2/2\pi} e^{-E_{2\pi}t} e^{-E_{2\pi}(T-t)} = Z_{2/2\pi} e^{-E_{2\pi}T}$$

$t=0$

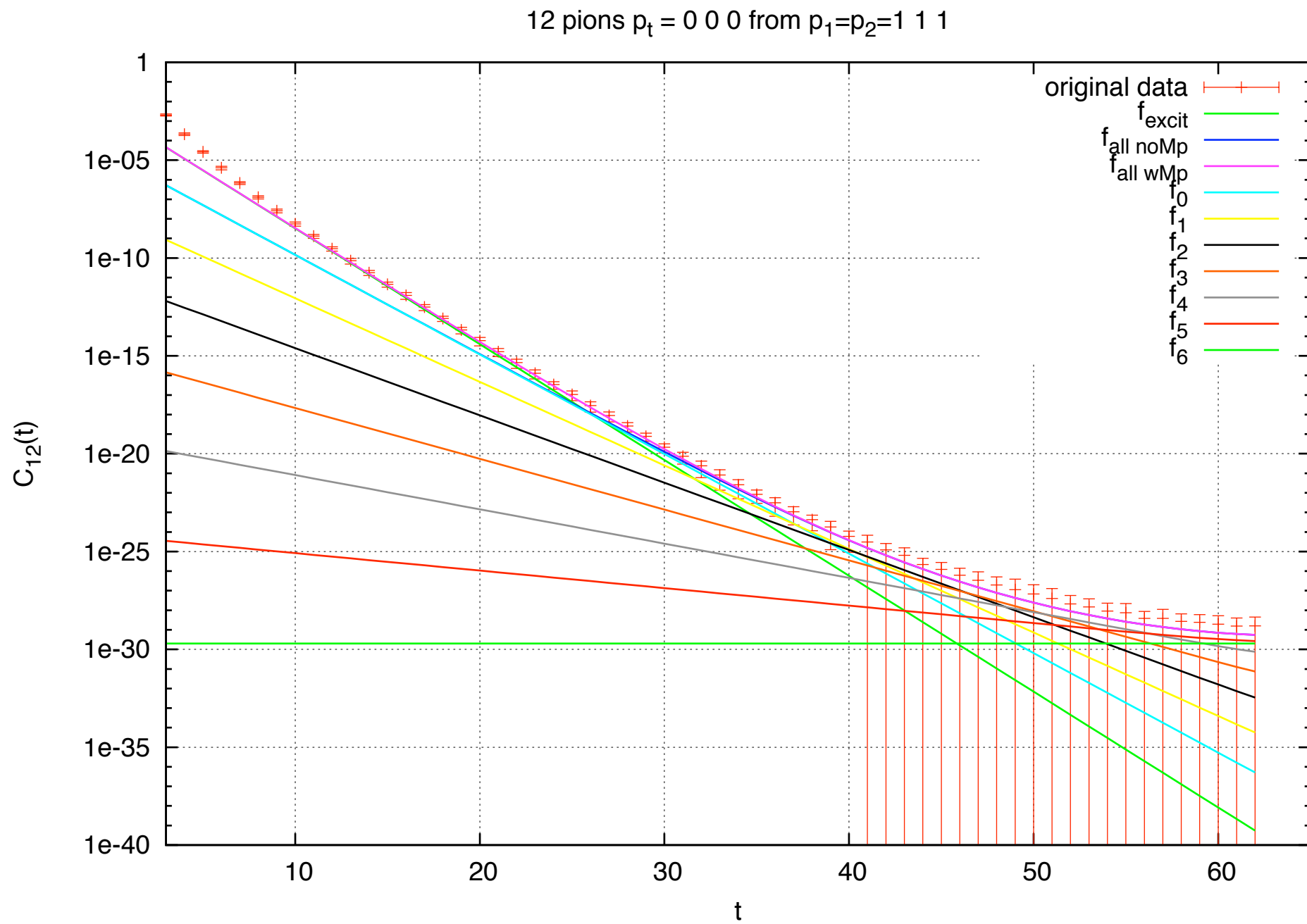
Analysis on finite T correlators

- Can rewrite the t dependence as

$$C_{n\pi}(t) = \sum_{m=0}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} \binom{n}{m} A_m^n Z_m^n e^{-(E_{n-m} + E_m)T/2} \cosh((E_{n-m} - E_m)(t - T/2)) + \dots$$

- Extracting the eigen-energies from these correlators is difficult
 - Many parameters appear in each correlator
 - Correlations between different C_j as the energy E_k occur in all C_j ($j \geq k$) occur in multiple places
 - Various ways to deal with this: eg cascading fits

Thermal pollution



At no point does the ground state dominate the correlator!!!