

# Few-body systems with pionless effective field theory

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# Outline

- Calculation of  $A = 3$  bound state matrix element in pionless effective field theory
- Low energy magnetic reactions in  $A \leq 3$  nuclear systems and uncertainty estimation.

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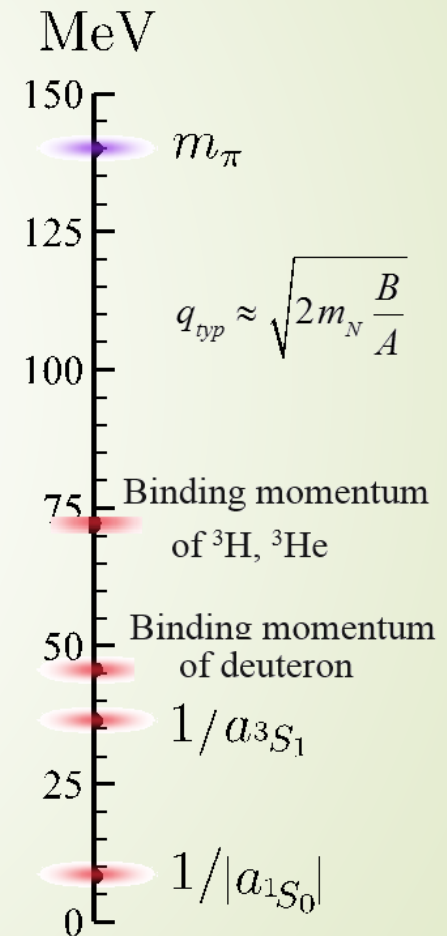
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# Effective Field Theory

- The fundamental theory is Quantum Chromo-Dynamics (QCD), non-perturbative in the low energy regime.
- If the momentum scale,  $q$ , is small compared to the physical cutoff  $\Lambda_{cut}$ , a physical process can be described using Effective Field Theory.
- For low energies: ( $q < \Lambda_{cut} = m_\pi$ ), pion can be integrate out and only nucleons are left as effective degrees of freedom.

$$\text{QCD} \rightarrow \not{\pi} \text{EFT}$$

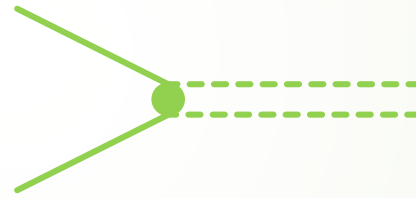
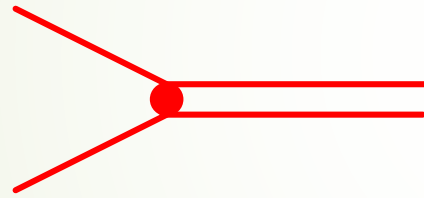
$$\text{➤ } \mathcal{L}_{\text{effective}} = \underbrace{\mathcal{O}(1)}_{LO} + \underbrace{\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{q}{\Lambda_{cut}}, \frac{r}{a}\right)}_{NLO} + \dots +$$



# Building $\pi$ EFT Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \underbrace{N^T \left( iD_0 + \frac{D^2}{2M_N} \right) N}_{\text{red solid line}} \underbrace{- t^{i\dagger} \left( \sigma_t + iD_0 + \frac{D^2}{4M_N} \right) t^i}_{\text{red double line}} \underbrace{- s^{A\dagger} \left( \sigma_s + iD_0 + \frac{D^2}{4M_N} \right) s^A}_{\text{green dashed line}}$$

$$y_t [t^{i\dagger} (NP_t^i N) + h.c.] + y_s [s^{A\dagger} (NP_s^A N) + h.c.] + \mathcal{L}_3 + \mathcal{L}_{\text{photon}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{weak}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{magnetic}}$$



Where:

$$t^i (^3S_1, I=0), \quad s^A (^1S_0, I=1)$$

$$P_t^i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \sigma^2 \sigma^i \tau^2, \quad P_s^A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \sigma^2 \tau^2 \tau^A$$

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + iA_\mu \hat{Q}$$

$$y_{t,s}^2 = \frac{8\pi}{M_N^2 \rho_{t,s}}$$

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Scale separation:

$$a \sim \frac{1}{q} \quad \rho \sim \frac{1}{\Lambda_{\text{cut}}}$$

| Parameter  | Value      | Parameter | Value    |
|------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| $\gamma_t$ | 45.701 MeV | $\rho_t$  | 1.765 fm |
| $a_s$      | -23.714 fm | $\rho_s$  | 2.73 fm  |
| $a_p$      | -7.8063 fm | $a_p$     | 2.794 fm |

LO

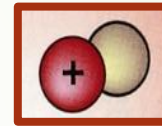
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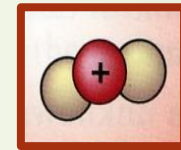
# $\pi$ EFT: $1 + 2 \neq 3$

- For  $\pi$ EFT there is a **big difference** between a nuclear system with **2 particles and 3 particles**

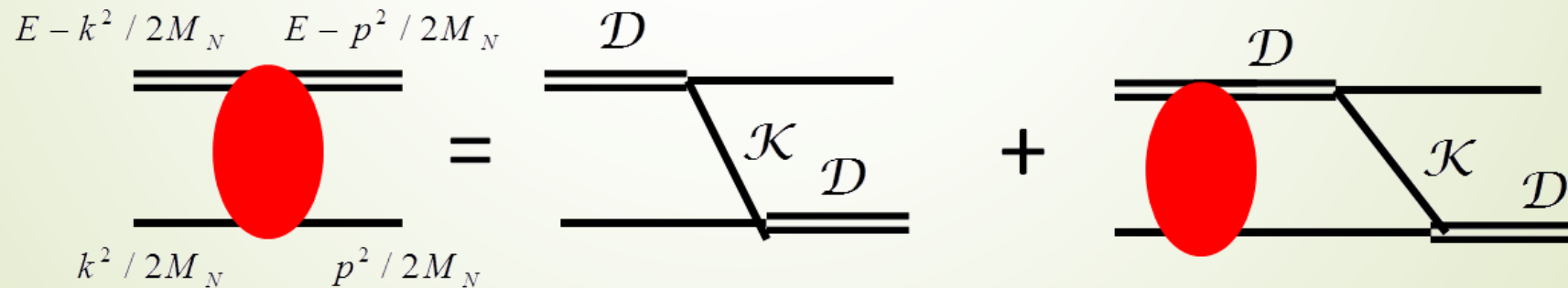
- Deuteron:  $\psi_d(k) = \frac{\sqrt{8\pi\gamma_t}}{k^2 + \gamma_t^2}$



- Triton:  $T(E, k, p) = \int_0^\Lambda d^3p' T(E, k, p') \mathcal{D}(E, p') \mathcal{K}(E, p', p)$



Summing over all possible amplitudes (Faddeev equation)

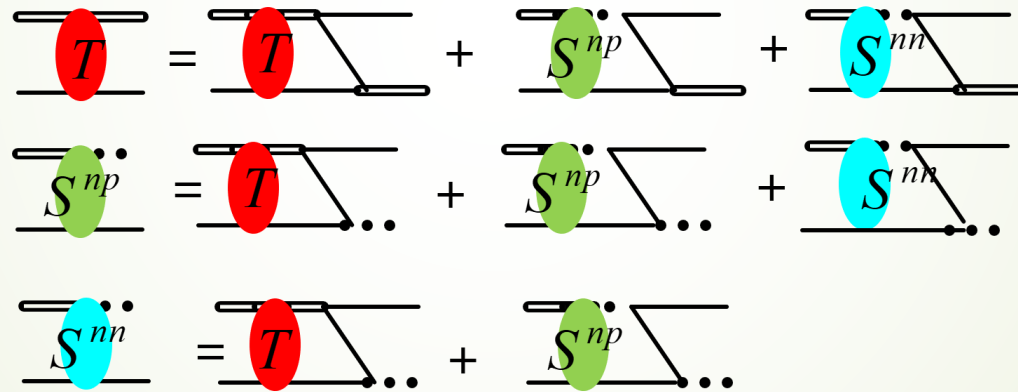


# $\pi$ EFT: $A = 3$ scattering amplitude

► For bound state:  $T(E_B, k, p) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(k, E)^\dagger \mathcal{B}(p, E)}{E - E_B} + \mathcal{R}$

$$\mathcal{B}(p, E_B) = \int_0^\Lambda d^3 p' \mathcal{B}(E_B, p') \mathcal{D}(E_B, p') \mathcal{K}(E_B, p', p)$$

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The diagrams show the following equations:

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- $S^{np} = T + S^{np} + S^{nn}$  (with a nucleon line connecting the two vertices)
- $S^{nn} = T + S^{np}$  (with a nucleon line connecting the two vertices)

$$\vec{B} = \vec{M} \times \vec{B}$$

Eigen value problem

$$\vec{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \Gamma_t \\ \Gamma_{np} \\ \Gamma_{nn} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{M}_{\mu,\nu} = M_N \gamma_\mu \gamma_\nu a_{\mu\nu} K_0(E, p, p') D_\nu(E, p')$$

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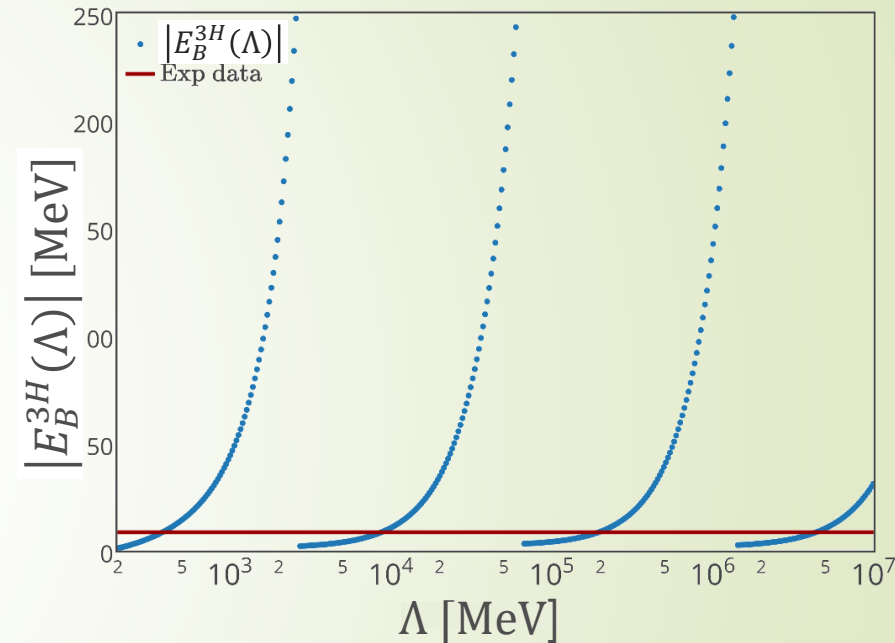
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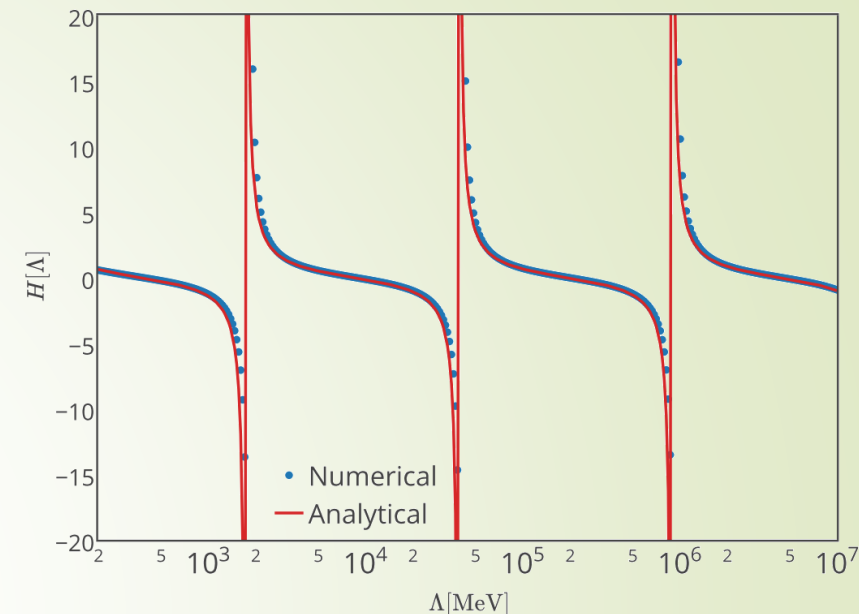
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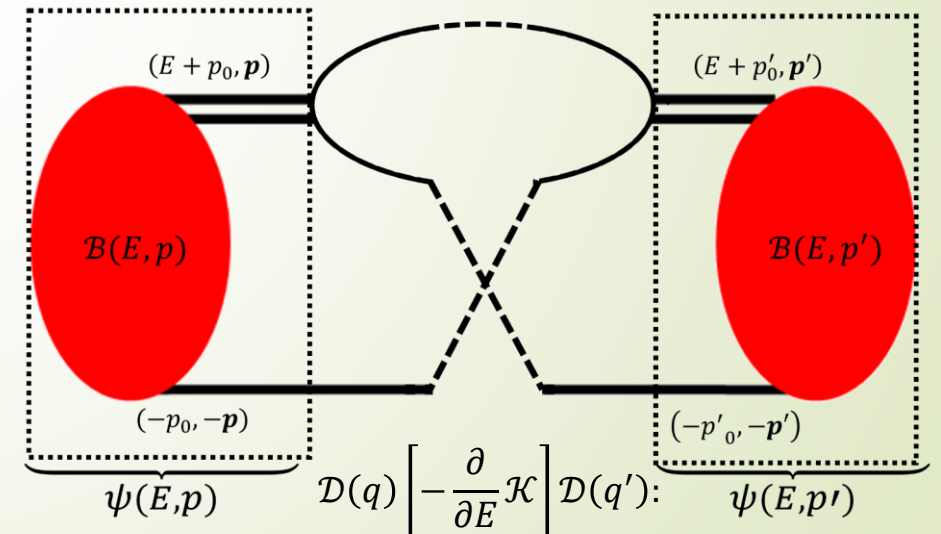
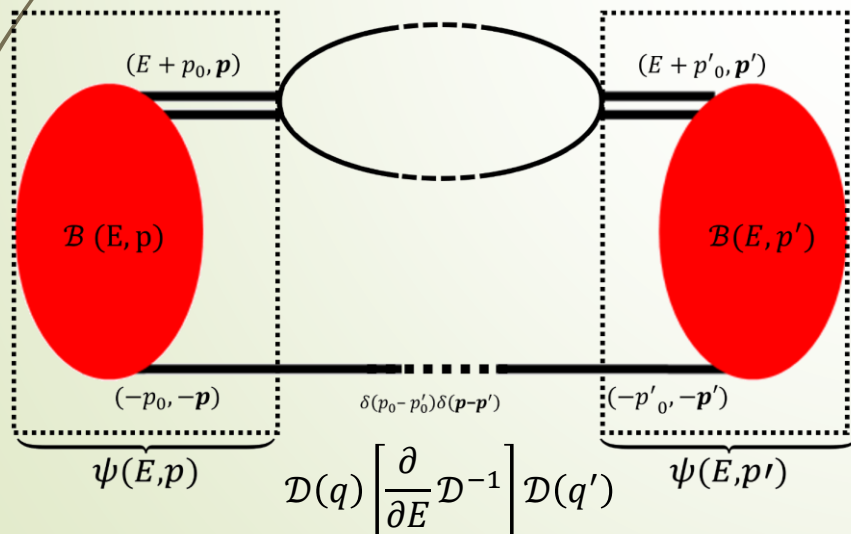
**Matrix Element!**

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$$\frac{\partial S(E, p)}{\partial E} = S(E, p) S(E, p') \delta(p - p')$$

We show that the normalization is equivalent to all possible connections between two identical bubbles:

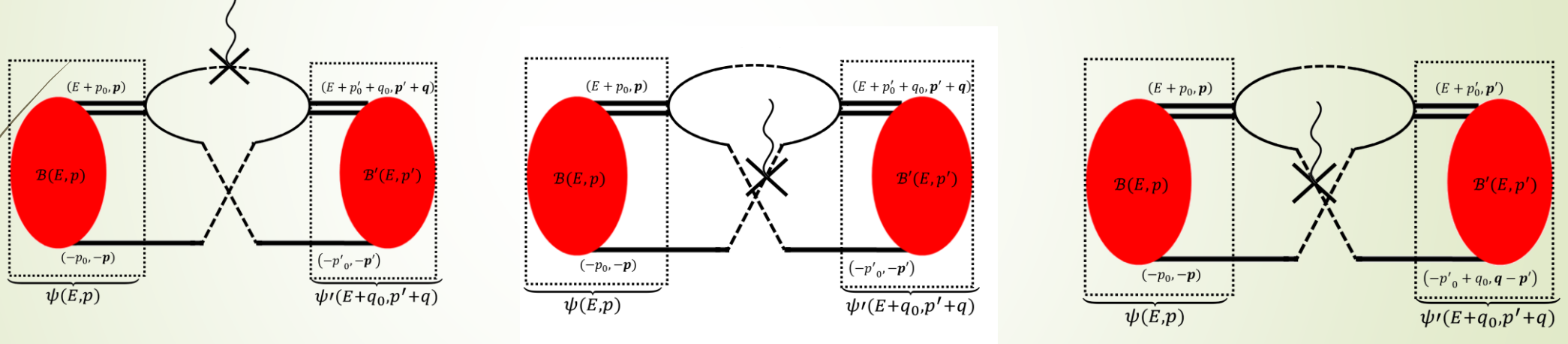




# General matrix element

$$\mathcal{O}|S, S_z, I, I_z, E\rangle \propto |S, S'_z, I, I'_z, E', q\rangle, \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = a^J \langle S, S'_z, I, I'_z, E', q | \mathcal{O}^J \mathcal{O}^I \mathcal{O}^q | S, S_z, I, I_z, E \rangle$$

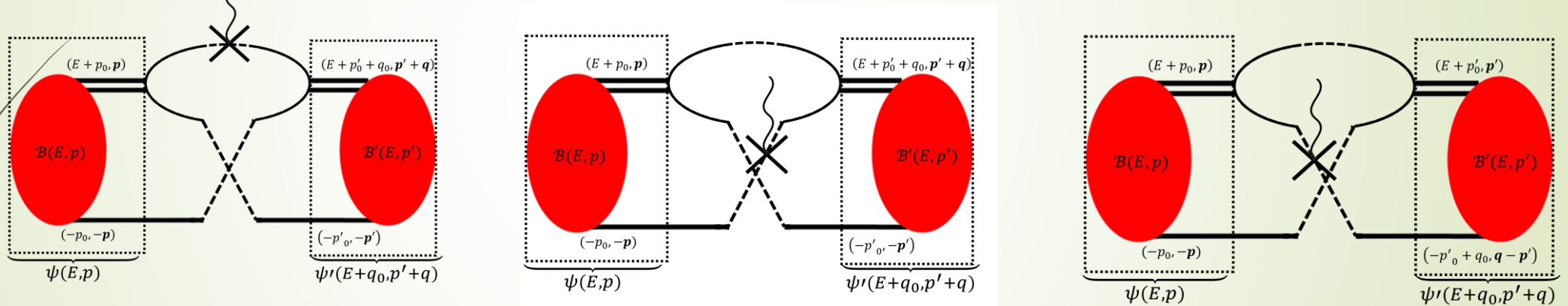
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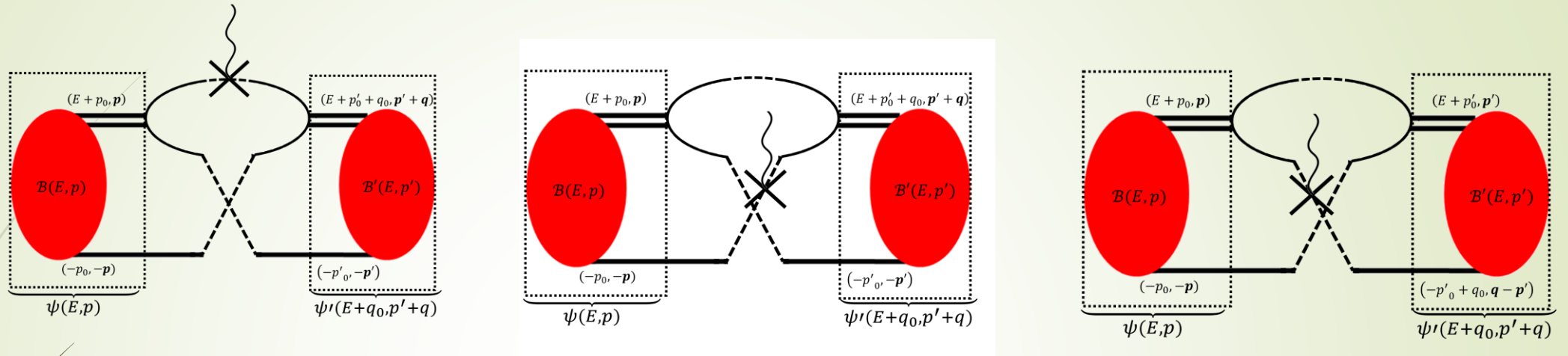
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➔ For the case that  $i = j, q = 0, E' = E$ :

$$a_{\mu\nu}^{i,j} = a_{\mu\nu}$$

$$d_{\mu\nu}^{i,j} = \delta_{\mu,\nu}$$

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|      |                          |  |   |
|------|--------------------------|--|---|
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| (1b) | $t^\dagger(NP^sN) + h.c$ |  | $\frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{\rho_t\rho_s}} \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_t}\right) \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_s}\right) \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}\sigma^2\tau^2\tau^A + h.c\right]$   |
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| (3)  | $s^\dagger t+h.c$        |  | $\frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{\rho_t\rho_s}} \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_t}\right) \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_s}\right)$   |

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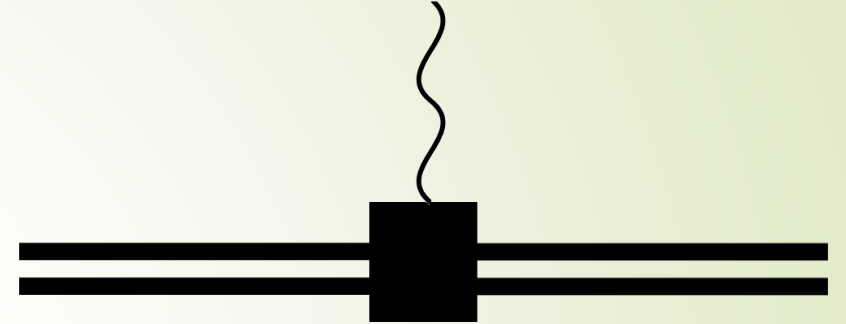
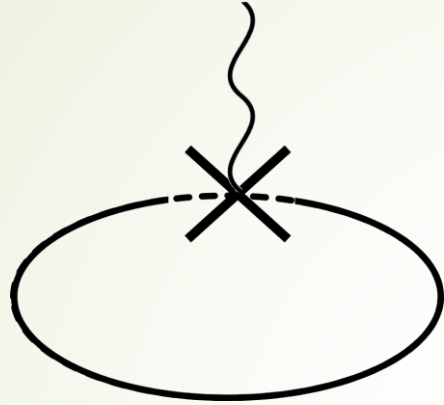
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|------|-------------------------|--|--|
| (4a) | $t^\dagger(NP^t N)+h.c$ |  | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\rho_t}} \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_t}\right) \left[ \frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} \sigma^2 \tau^2 \sigma^i + h.c \right].$ |
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| (5)  | $t^\dagger t$           |  | $\frac{1}{2\pi\rho_t} \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_t}\right)^2$  |
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| (7)  | $s^\dagger s$           |  | $\frac{1}{2\pi\rho_s} \left(\mu - \frac{1}{a_s}\right)^2$  |



# Deuteron matrix element



► Reduced matrix element:

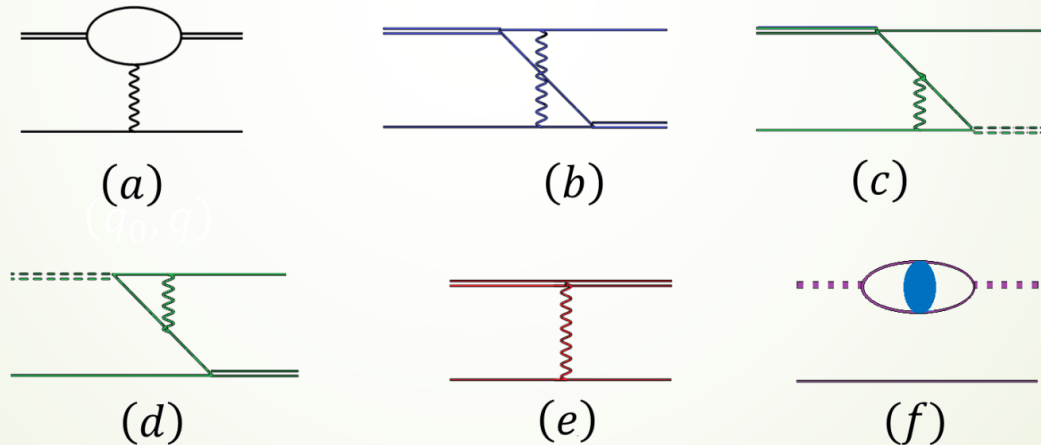
$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = a^J \left[ \left\langle \frac{1}{2} \parallel \mathcal{O}^J \parallel \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \langle \psi_t(E', p+q) | d_{t,t} J^q(E, p, p') | \psi_t^i(E, p) \rangle + L_2 \langle \psi_t(E', p+q) | \psi_t^i(E, p) \rangle \right]$$

This implies that  $\pi$ EFT is consistent for  $A = 2 \leftrightarrow 3$  transitions for bound states.



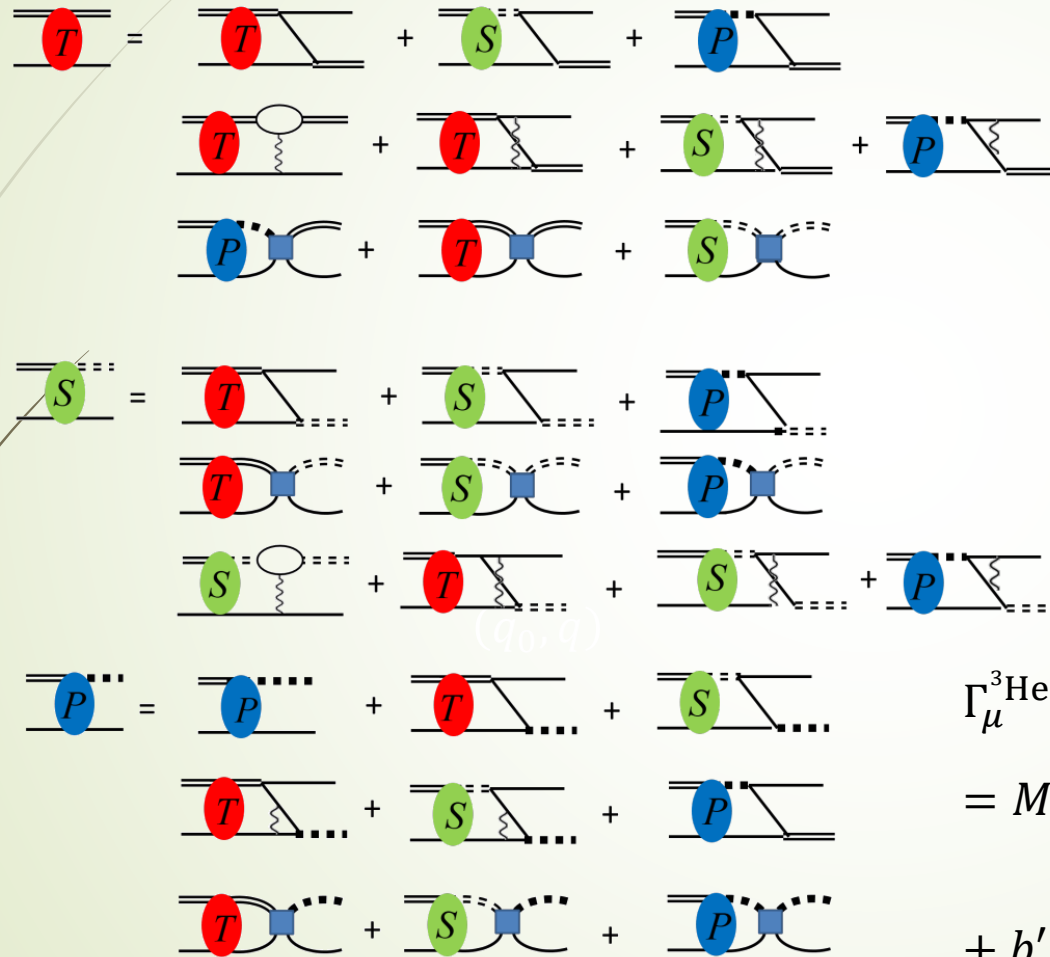
# Adding photons – perturbative and non perturbative approaches:

- ▶ For the bound state the typical momentum  $q \geq \sqrt{M_N E_{^3\text{He}}} \sim 85\text{MeV}$ , one photon exchange -  $\frac{\alpha M_N}{q} \ll 1$ .
- ▶ The Columbic correction :



- ▶ Diagrams a-d:  $\sim \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{K}) \frac{\alpha M_N}{q}$ , diagram e  $\sim \mathcal{O}(a) \frac{Q}{\Lambda}$  which is NLO, diagram f: result of the pp propagator.

# ${}^3\text{He}$ – non perturbative photons:



$$\begin{aligned}
 & \Gamma_{\mu}^{3\text{He}}(E_{3\text{He}}, p) \\
 &= M \sum_{v=t,np,pp} y_{\mu} y_{\nu} \left[ a'_{\mu\nu} K_0(E_{3\text{He}}, p, p') + c'_{\mu\nu} K_{\mu\nu}^C(E_{3\text{He}}, p, p') \right. \\
 & \left. + b'_{\mu\nu} \frac{H(\Lambda)}{\Lambda^2} \right] \otimes D_{\nu}(E, p') \Gamma_{\nu}(E_{3\text{He}}, p')
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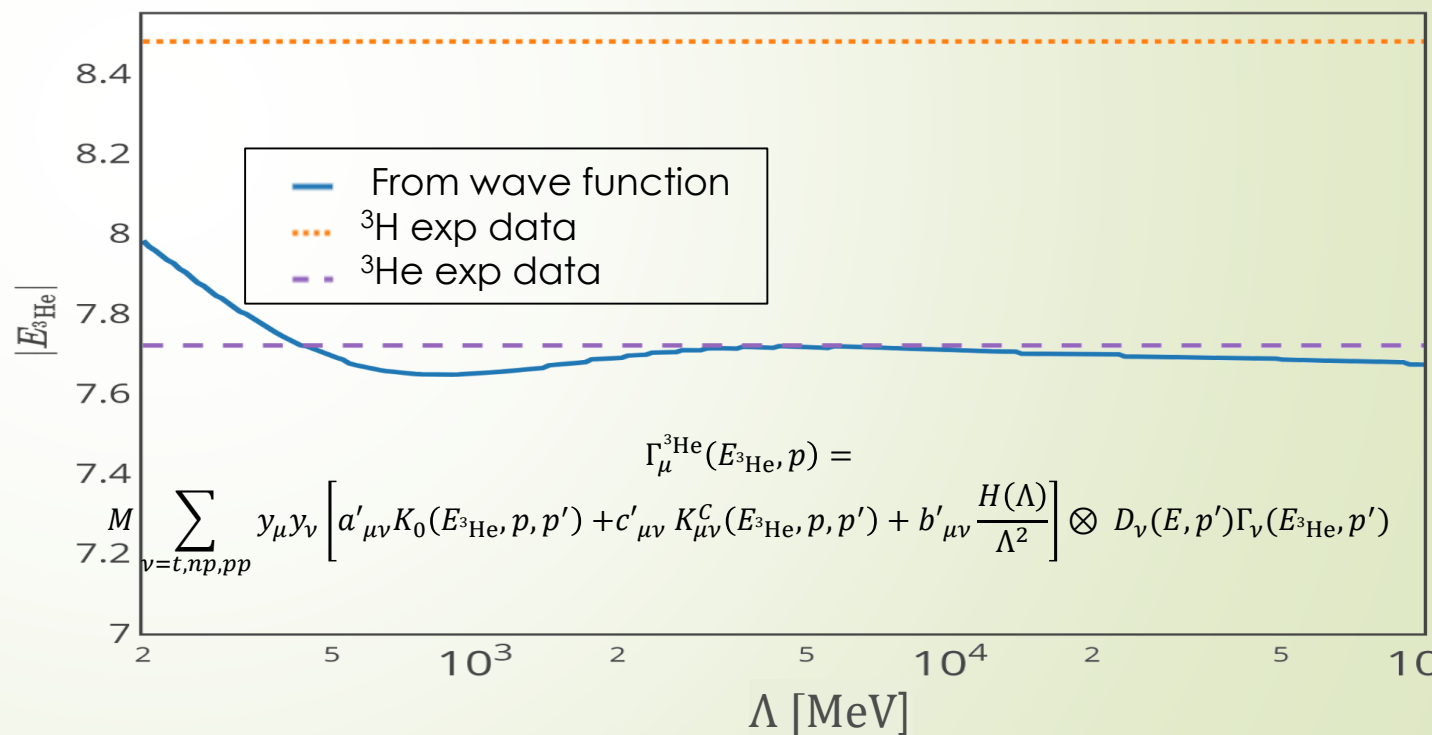
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$(q_0, q)$



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- Since Coulomb interaction is perturbative in  $^3\text{He}$ , one can calculate the energy shift in the one-photon approximations as a matrix element.

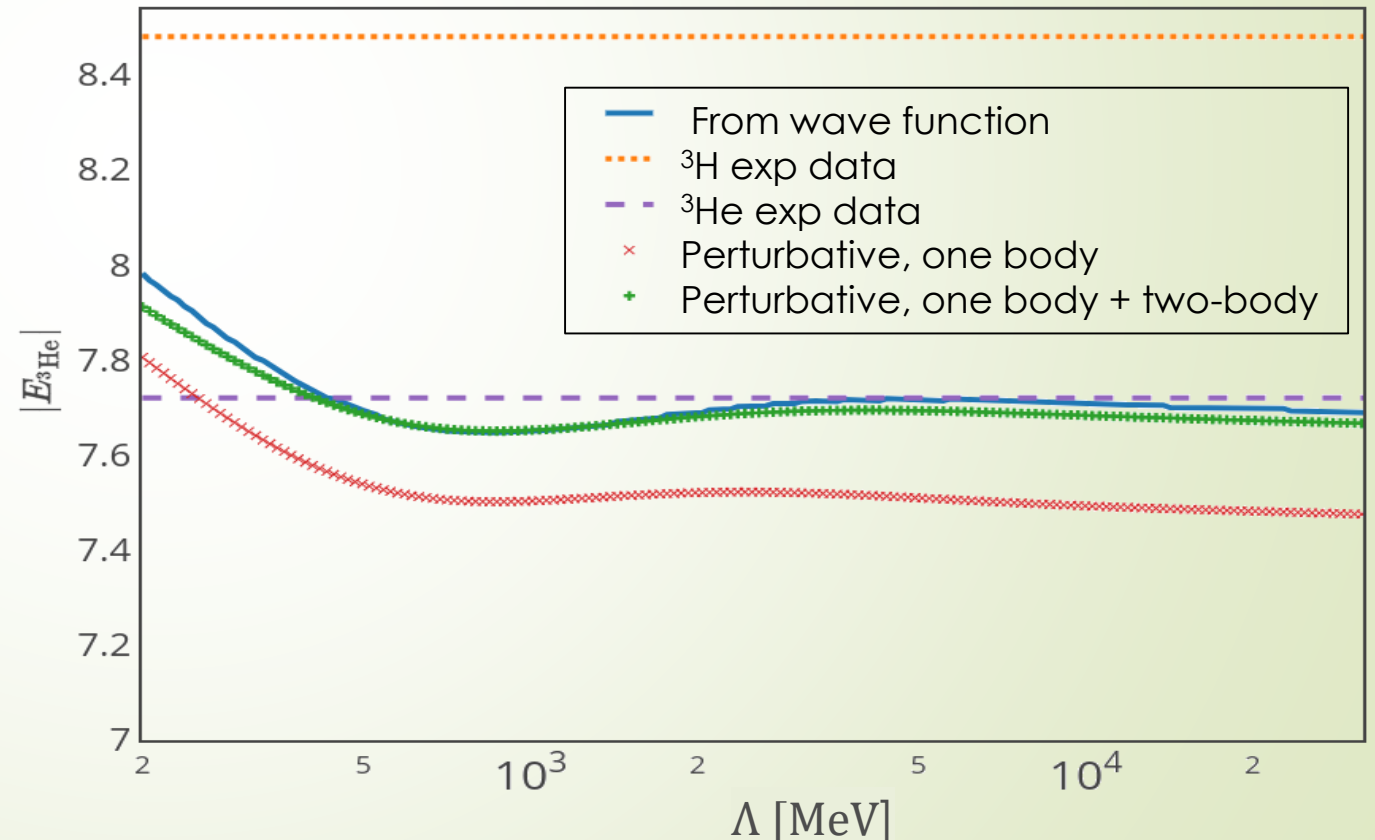
$$\begin{aligned}
 \Delta E = & \frac{1}{Z^{3\text{H}}} \sum_{\mu,\nu=t,np,nn} y_\mu y_\nu \left[ \Gamma_\mu^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p) D_\mu(E_{3\text{H}}, p) \right] \otimes c_{\mu\nu} K_{\mu\nu}^C(p, p', E) \otimes \left[ D_\nu(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \Gamma_\nu^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \right] + \\
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 & \left\{ [D_{pp}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') - D_{nn}(E_{3\text{H}}, p')] \Gamma_{nn}^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \right\} = \\
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 & \frac{1}{Z^{3\text{H}}} \underbrace{\Gamma_{nn}^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p) \otimes \frac{2\pi^2}{p'^2} \delta(p - p') \otimes \left\{ [D_{pp}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') - D_{nn}(E_{3\text{H}}, p')] \Gamma_{nn}^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \right\}}_{\text{two body}} = \\
 & \sum_{\mu=t,np,nn} \left\langle \psi_\mu^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p) \left| \mathcal{O}_{\mu\nu}^{q(1)}(E_{3\text{H}}, p, p') + \mathcal{O}_{\mu\nu}^{q(2)}(E_{3\text{H}}, p, p') \right| \psi_\mu^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \right\rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

# $^3\text{He}$ perturbative photons:

## ► Binding energy:

Two ways to find  $^3\text{He}$  binding energy difference:

- Find the pole of the non-perturbative solution of the homogenous Faddeev equation with Coulomb interaction.
- Since Coulomb interaction is perturbative in  $^3\text{He}$ , one can calculate the energy shift in the one-photon approximations as a matrix element.





# NLO $A=3$ , Binding Energy

For triton:

$$\Delta E_B = \lim_{E \rightarrow E_B} \frac{(E - E_B)^2 T^{\text{NLO}}(E, k, p)}{Z^{\text{LO}}(k, p)} =$$

$$\langle \psi^{\text{LO}}(E, p) | \mathcal{O}^{\text{NLO}}(E, p, p') | \psi^{\text{LO}}(E, p') \rangle = f(\Lambda)$$



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Determines the three-body force up to NLO:

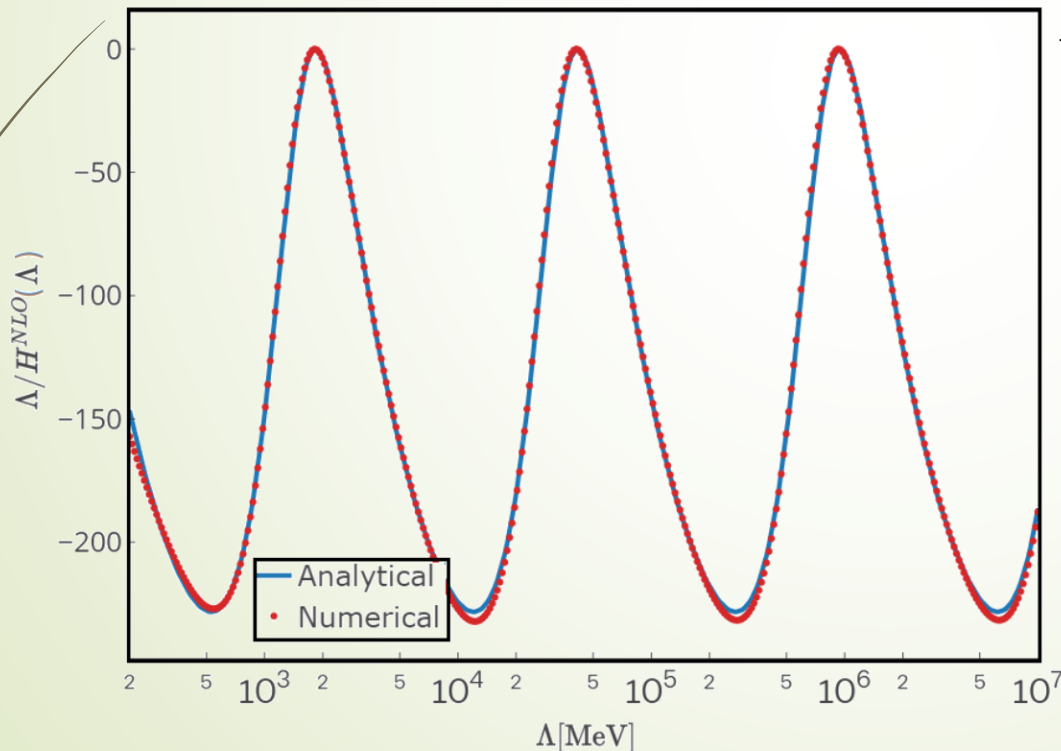


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$$\begin{aligned}
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 & + \frac{\rho_s}{y_s^2} \int_0^\Lambda dp' (\Gamma_{np}^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p'))^2 \frac{\sqrt{\frac{3p'^2}{4} - ME_{3\text{H}}}}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{3p'^2}{4} - ME_{3\text{H}}} - \frac{1}{a_s}\right)^2} \\
 & \left. + \frac{\rho_s}{y_s^2} \int_0^\Lambda dp' (\Gamma_{nn}^{3\text{H}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p'))^2 \frac{\sqrt{\frac{3p'^2}{4} - ME_{3\text{H}}}}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{3p'^2}{4} - ME_{3\text{H}}} - \frac{1}{a_s}\right)^2} \right] \\
 & \times \left[ \frac{My_t^2}{4\pi^4} \int_0^\Lambda \psi_t(E_{3\text{H}}, p') p'^2 dp' + \frac{My_s^2}{4\pi^4} \int_0^\Lambda \psi_t(E_{3\text{H}}, p') p'^2 dp' \right. \\
 & \left. + \frac{My_s^2}{4\pi^4} \int_0^\Lambda \psi_{nn}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') p'^2 dp' \right]^{-2}
 \end{aligned}$$

# NLO A=3, wave function

For triton:

► Photon perturbation:

$$\Delta E_B^C = f(\Lambda) = \sum_{\mu} \langle \psi_{\mu}^{\text{LO}}(E, p) | \mathcal{O}_{\mu, \nu}^C(E, p, p') | \psi_{\nu}^{\text{LO}}(E, p') \rangle$$

$$\Gamma_{\mu}^{3\text{He}}(E_{3\text{He}}, p) = \sum_{\nu} \left[ \underbrace{\mathcal{O}_{\mu, \nu}^S}_{\text{identical to } ^3\text{H}} + \mathcal{O}_{\mu, \nu}^C \right] \otimes D_{\nu}(E_{3\text{He}}, p') \Gamma_{\nu}^{3\text{He}}(E_{3\text{He}}, p'),$$

► NLO perturbation:

$$\Delta E_B^{\text{NLO}} = f(\Lambda) = \sum_{\mu} \langle \psi_{\mu}^{\text{LO}}(E, p) | \mathcal{O}_{\mu \nu}^{\text{NLO}}(E, p, p') | \psi_{\nu}^{\text{LO}}(E, p') \rangle$$

$$\Gamma_{\mu}^{\text{LO}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p) + \Gamma_{\mu}^{\text{NLO}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p) = \sum_{\nu} \left[ \underbrace{\mathcal{O}_{\mu, \nu}^S}_{\text{LO}} + \underbrace{\mathcal{O}_{\mu, \nu}^{\text{NLO}}}_{\text{NLO}} \right] \otimes D_{\nu}(E_{3\text{H}}, p') \Gamma_{\nu}^{\text{LO}}(E_{3\text{H}}, p'),$$

# NLO A=3, general EW matrix element

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \langle \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{LO} \rangle + \langle \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{NLO} \rangle = \\
 & \underbrace{\langle \psi^{LO} | \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{LO} | \psi^{LO} \rangle}_{\mathcal{O}_{EW}^{LO}} + \underbrace{\langle \psi^{NLO} | \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{LO} | \psi^{LO} \rangle + \langle \psi^{LO} | \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{NLO} | \psi^{LO} \rangle + \langle \psi^{LO} | \mathcal{O}_{EW}^{LO} | \psi^{NLO} \rangle}_{\mathcal{O}_{EW}^{NLO}} \\
 & \psi_\mu(E, p) = D_\mu^{NLO}(E, p) \Gamma_\mu^{LO}(E, p) + D_\mu^{LO}(E, p) \Gamma_\mu^{NLO}(E, p) +
 \end{aligned}$$

# Low energy magnetic reactions in $A \leq 3$ nuclear systems and uncertainty estimation.

De-Leon and Gazit (2018), in prep.

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|     | Weak  | Electromagnetic   |   |
|-----|---|---|---|
| A=2 | Proton-proton fusion:<br>$p + p \rightarrow d + \nu_e + e^+$                            | Radiative capture:<br>$n + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$                | Deuteron magnetic moment:<br>$\langle \mu_d \rangle$                  |
| A=3 | $^3\text{H}$ $\beta$ decay:<br>$^3\text{H} \rightarrow \bar{\nu}_e + e^- + ^3\text{He}$ | $^3\text{H}$ magnetic moment:<br>$\langle \mu^{^3\text{H}} \rangle$ | $^3\text{He}$ magnetic moment:<br>$\langle \mu^{^3\text{He}} \rangle$ |

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|                           | EM  | Weak                           |
|---------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1-body LEC                | $\kappa_0, \kappa_1$  | $g_A$                          |
| 1-body operator           | $\sigma, \sigma\tau^0$  | $\tau^{+,-}, \sigma\tau^{+,-}$ |
| 2-body operator           | $L_1 s^\dagger d, L_2 d^\dagger d$                                    | $L_{1A} s^\dagger d$           |
| $A = 2, q \approx 0$ obs. | $\sigma_{np}, \langle \mu_d \rangle$                                  | $\Lambda_{pp}$                 |
| $A = 3, q \approx 0$ obs. | $\langle \mu^3_{\text{H}} \rangle, \langle \mu^3_{\text{He}} \rangle$ | ${}^3\text{H } \beta$ decay    |

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# Magnetic interaction in $\pi$ EFT :

- The one body Lagrangian of the magnetic interaction is given by:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{magnetic}}^1 = \frac{e}{2M_N} N^\dagger (\kappa_0 + \kappa_1 \tau_3) \sigma \cdot BN$$

- The two body Lagrangian of the magnetic interaction is given by:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{magnetic}}^2 = -[\kappa_1 L'_1 (t^\dagger s + s^\dagger t) \cdot \vec{B} - \kappa_0 L'_2 (t^\dagger t) \cdot \vec{B}]$$

$$L'_1 = -\frac{\rho_t + \rho_s}{\sqrt{\rho_t \rho_s}} + l_1(\mu)$$

$$L'_2 = -2 + l_2(\mu)$$

$$l_1(\mu) = \frac{M}{\pi \sqrt{\rho_t \rho_s} \kappa_1} L_1 \left( \mu - \frac{1}{a_t} \right) \left( \mu - \frac{1}{a_s} \right)$$

$$l_2(\mu) = 2 \frac{M}{\pi \rho_t \kappa_0} L_2 \left( \mu - \frac{1}{a_t} \right)^2$$

# Magnetic interaction in $\pi$ EFT :

**A=2**

►  $n + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$

$$\sigma_{np} \propto (Y')^2$$

$$Y' = \sqrt{\mathbf{Z}_d^{NLO}} \underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{1}{a_s \gamma_t}\right)}_{\mathcal{O}(0)} + \sqrt{\mathbf{Z}_d} \left[ \underbrace{-\frac{\gamma_t(\rho_s + \boldsymbol{\rho}_t)}{4} + l'_1(\mu)}_{\mathcal{O}(1)} \right]$$

►  $\langle \mu_d \rangle$

$$\langle \mu_d \rangle = (2\kappa_0) \left\{ \mathbf{Z}_d^{NLO} - \mathbf{Z}_d \left[ \underbrace{\gamma_t \boldsymbol{\rho}_t - l'_2(\mu)}_{\mathcal{O}(1)} \right] \right\}$$

$$Y', \langle \mu_d \rangle \approx 1$$

All calculations were done up to NLO, and we keep consistency in  $Z_d$ .

# Deuteron normalization

- Deuteron normalization:  $Z_d^{-1} = \frac{i\partial}{\partial p_0} \frac{1}{iD_t(p_0, p)} \Big|_{p_0 = -\frac{\gamma_t}{M_N^2}, p=0}, Z_d = \frac{1}{1 - \gamma_t \rho_t}$

Up to NLO there are two alternatives to arrange the EFT expansion

- Effective range expansion (ERE),  $\gamma_t \rho_t$  is the small parameter:

$$Z_d = \frac{1}{1 - \gamma_t \rho_t} = \underbrace{1}_{\text{LO}} + \underbrace{\gamma_t \rho_t}_{\text{NLO}} + \underbrace{(\gamma_t \rho_t)^2}_{\text{N}^2\text{LO}} + \underbrace{(\gamma_t \rho_t)^3}_{\text{N}^3\text{LO}}$$

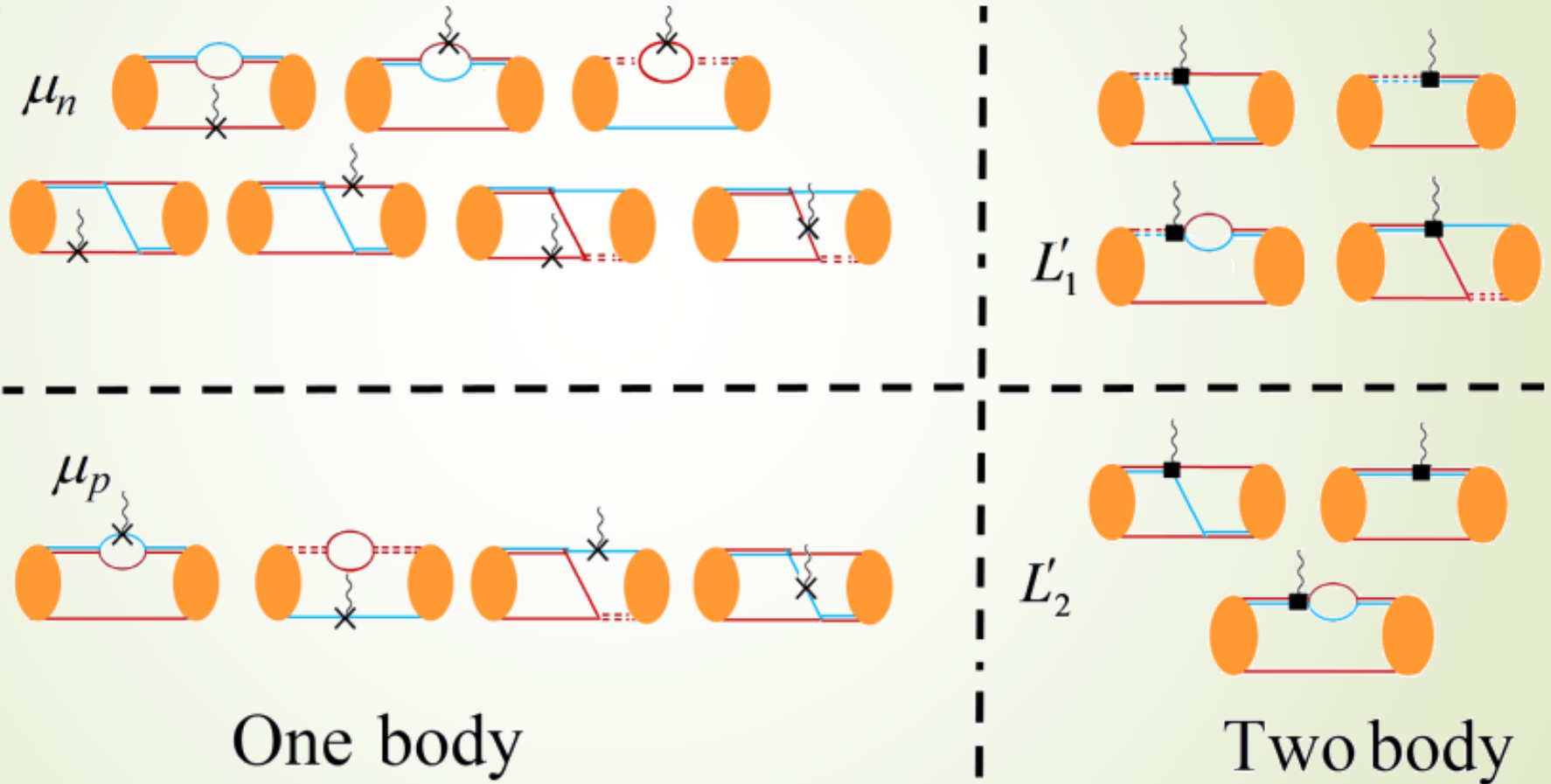
- Z-parameterization,  $Z_d - 1$  is the small parameter:

$$Z_d = \frac{1}{1 - \gamma_t \rho_t} = \underbrace{1}_{\text{LO}} + \underbrace{Z_d - 1}_{\text{NLO}} + \underbrace{0}_{\text{N}^2\text{LO}} + \underbrace{0}_{\text{N}^3\text{LO}}$$

|     | $Z_d^{\text{LO}}$ | $Z_d^{\text{NLO}}$ | $\rho_t^{\text{LO}}$ | $\rho_t^{\text{NLO}} = \frac{Z_d^{\text{NLO}} - 1}{\gamma_t}$ |
|-----|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---|
| ERE | 1                 | 1.408              | 0                    | Physical  |
| Z   | 1                 | Physical           | 0                    | $0.69/\gamma_t$   |

# A=3 magnetic moments calculations:

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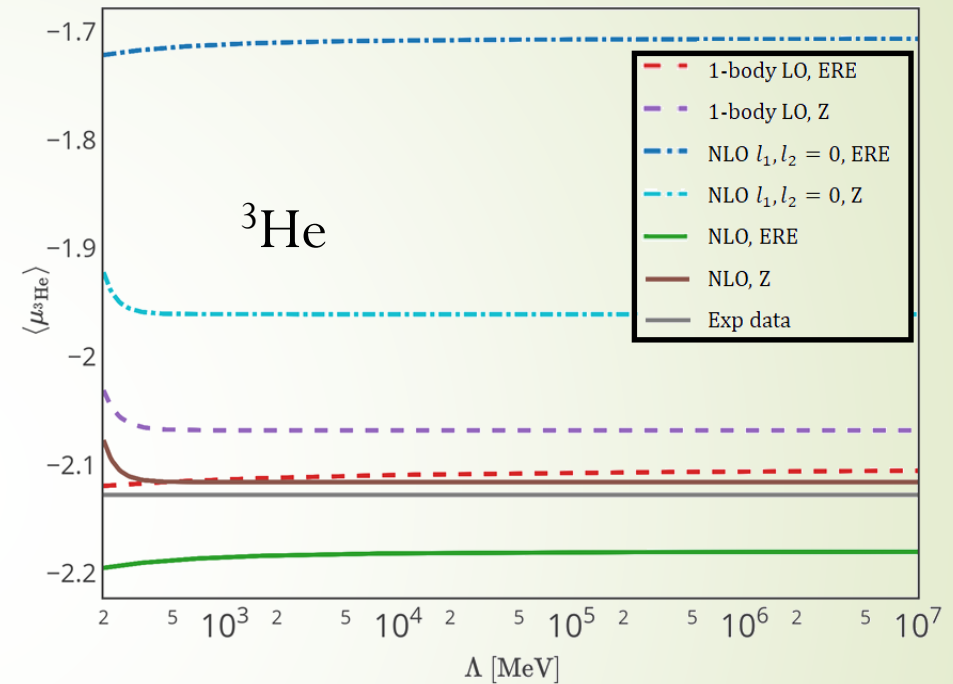
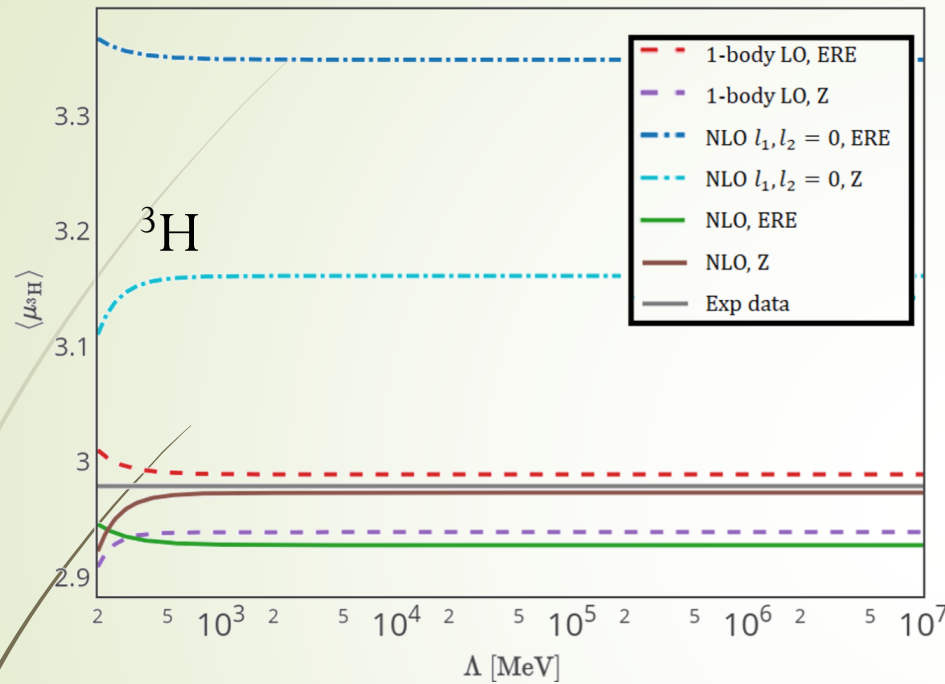
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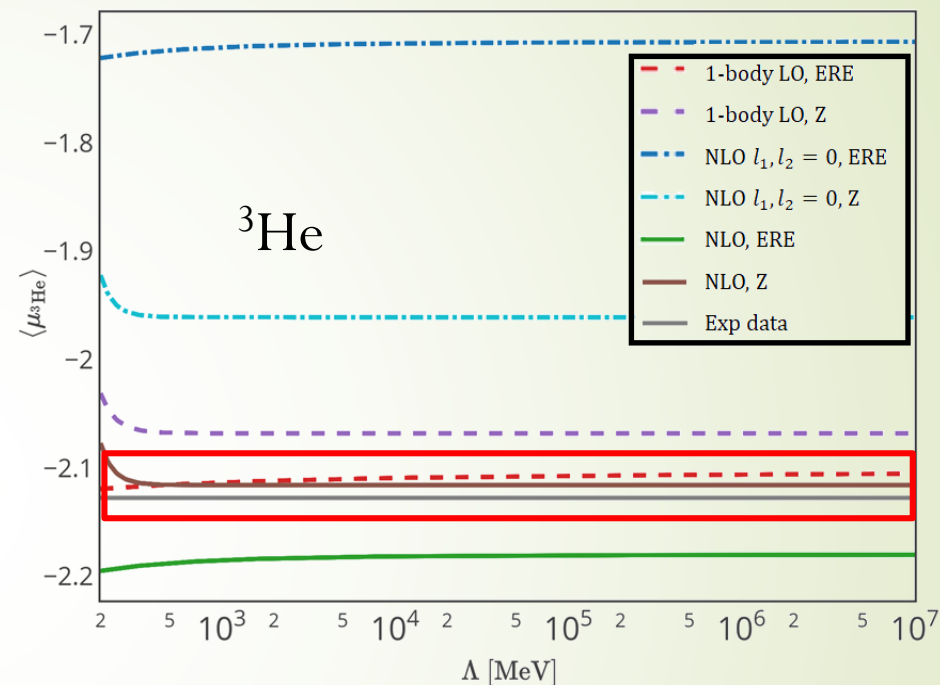
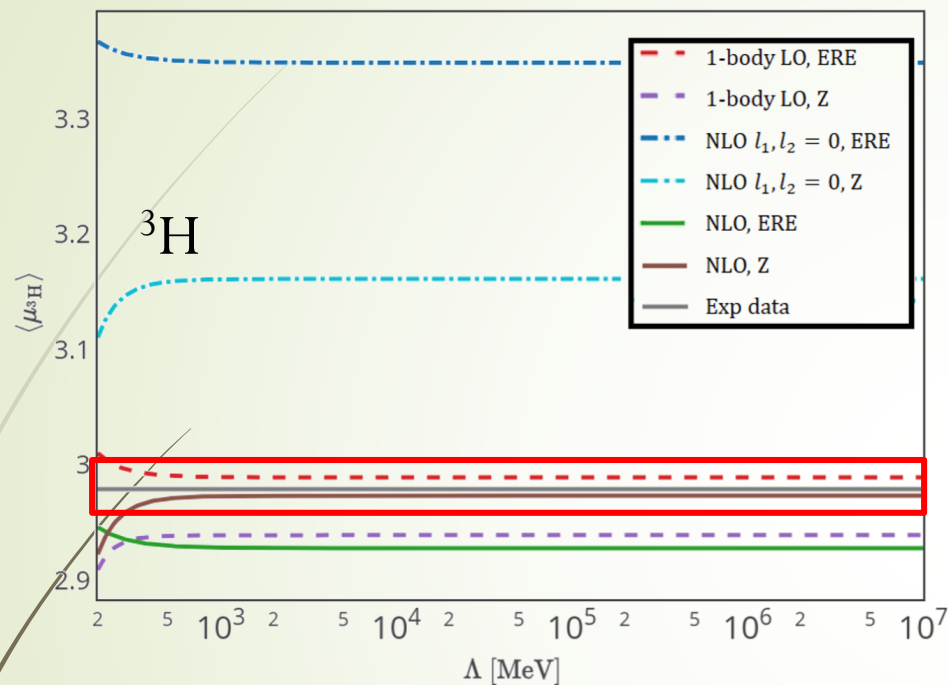
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- **Cutoff independence.**
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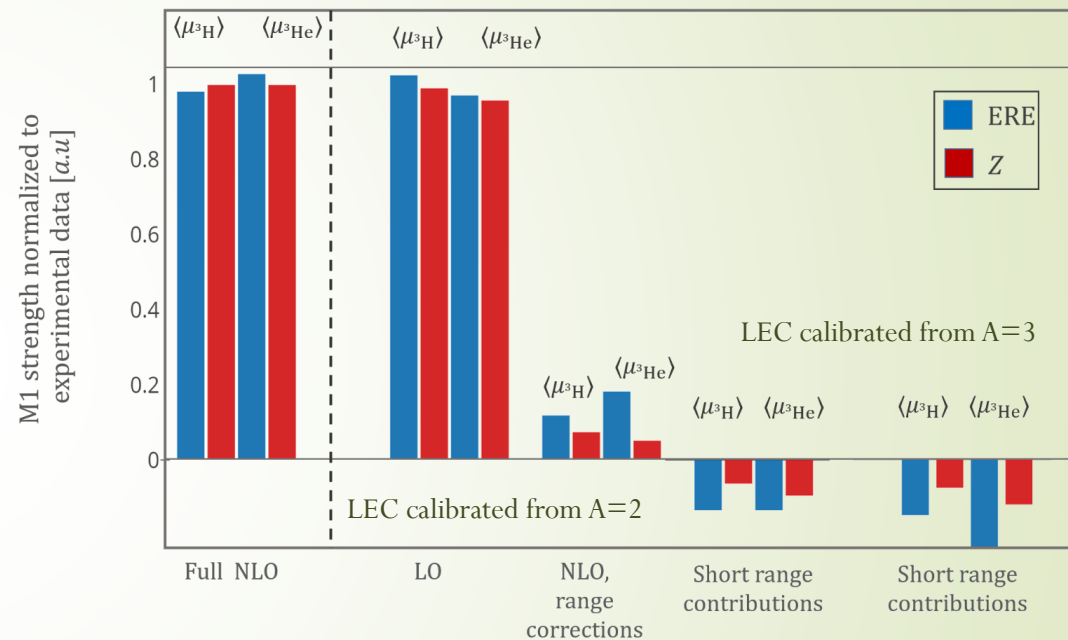
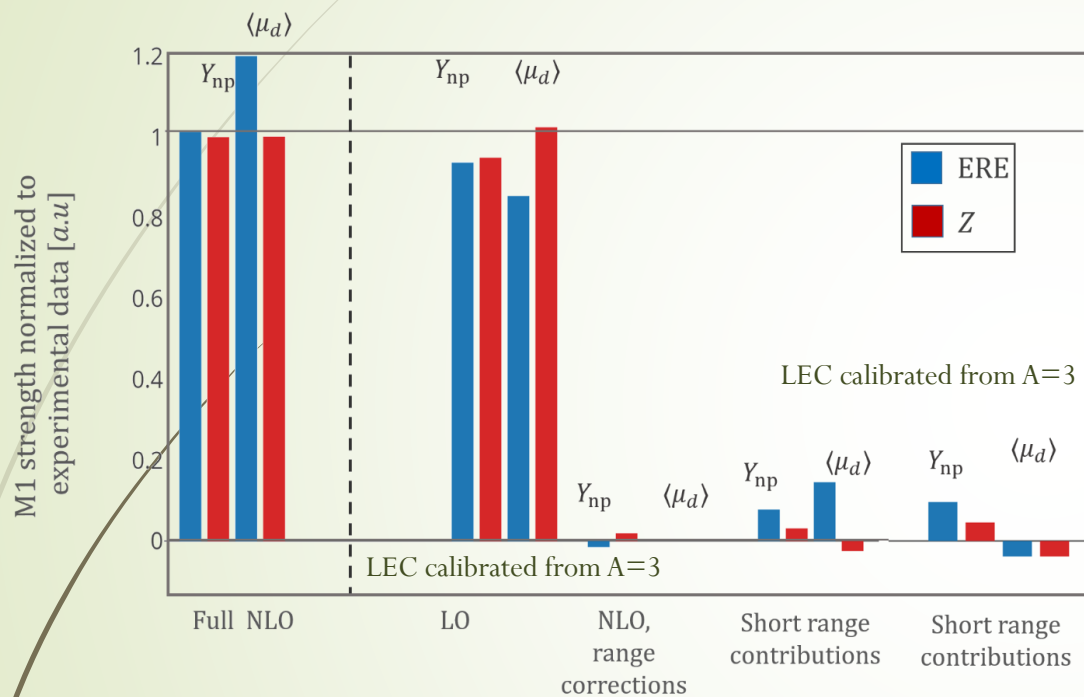
|     | $l'_1$               | $l'_2$                |
|-----|----------------------|-----------------------|
| ERE | $8.18 \cdot 10^{-2}$ | $-2.25 \cdot 10^{-2}$ |
| Z   | $3.86 \cdot 10^{-2}$ | $-2.25 \cdot 10^{-2}$ |

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|     | $Y'_{np}$           | $\langle \mu_d \rangle$ |
|-----|---------------------|-------------------------|
| ERE | 1.2613              | 1.02                    |
| Z   | 1.2455              | 0.8587                  |
| Exp | $1.2450 \pm 0.0019$ | 0.8574                  |

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# Electromagnetic as study case: theoretical uncertainty

- For Z-parameterization, similar small NLO contributions.
- Post-dictions accurate to  $<1\%$  for Z-parameterizations.
- All observables are consistent with each other in the Z-parameterization.
- ERE parameterization postdictions of  $A=2$  and  $A=3$  inconsistent at NLO.
- We can estimate the theoretical uncertainty  $< 1\%$



# Summary and outlook

- ▶ B.S. normalization is equivalent to all possible connections between two amplitudes with identity insertion.
- ▶ Summing over all the one-and-two body photon exchange diagrams perturbatively yields the energy difference between  ${}^3\text{He}$  and  ${}^3\text{H}$ . This implies that the Coulomb interaction can be treated perturbatively
- ▶ At NLO, we proved that a consistent diagrammatic expansion is just the sum of all possible diagrams with a single NLO perturbation insertion.



# Summary and outlook

- The small NLO contribution leads to a minor breaking of the  $SU(4)$  symmetry (for the  $Z$ -parameterization  $\rho_t \sim \rho_s$ ).
- $\pi$ EFT is consistent for the  $A=2 \leftrightarrow 3$  transitions, for the  $Z$ -parameterization.
- The strong qualitative analogue between the weak and electromagnetic operators, implies that we can assume the same consistency for the weak interactions.

# A=3 magnetic moments calculations:

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$$\langle \mu^{3H} \rangle = \frac{\langle \frac{1}{2} \|\sigma\| \frac{1}{2} \rangle}{\sqrt{3}} \sum_{\mu, \nu} \left\langle \psi_{\mu}(E_{3H}, P) \left| a_{\mu, \nu}^{i, j} \mathcal{K}^{q=0}(E, p, p') + d_{\mu, \nu}^{i, j} \mathcal{J}^{q=0}(E, p, p') \right| \psi_{\nu}(E_{3H}, P) \right\rangle -$$

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