

# Non-Perturbative Thermal QCD: AdS/QCD and Gluon Condensates

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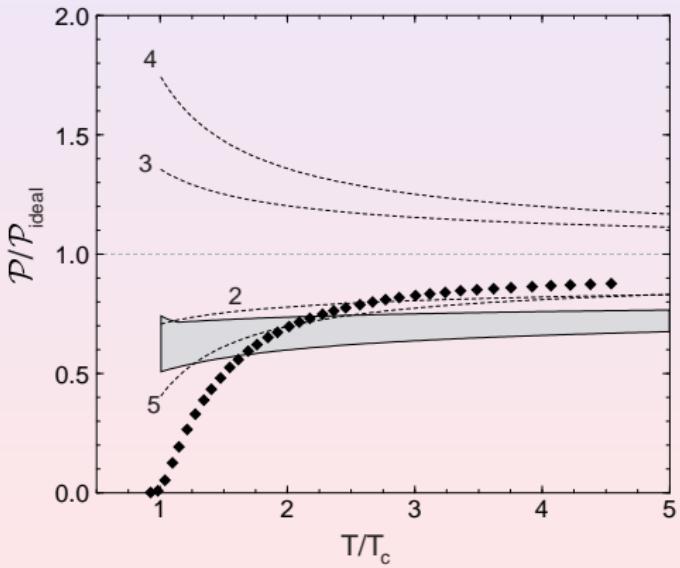
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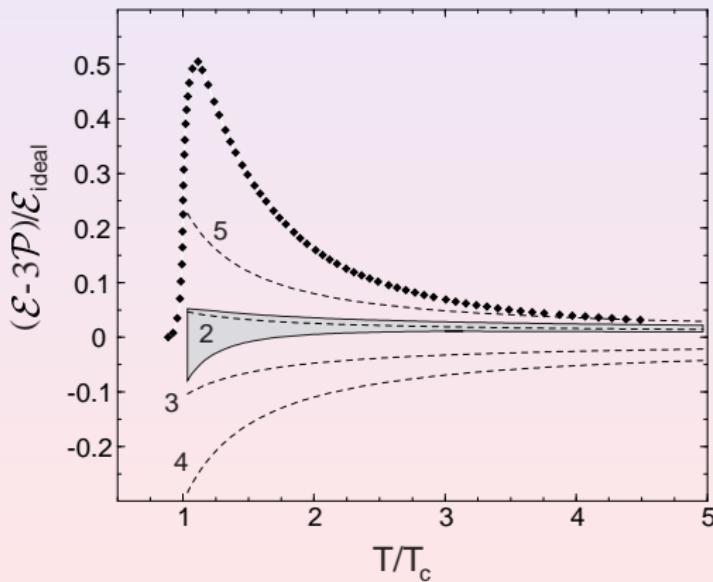
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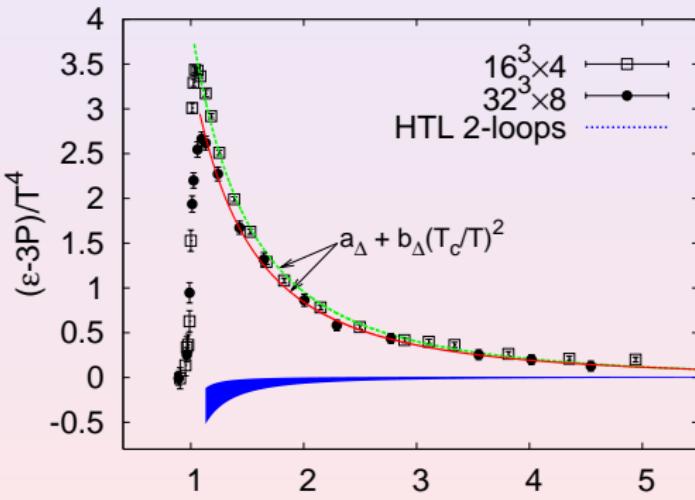
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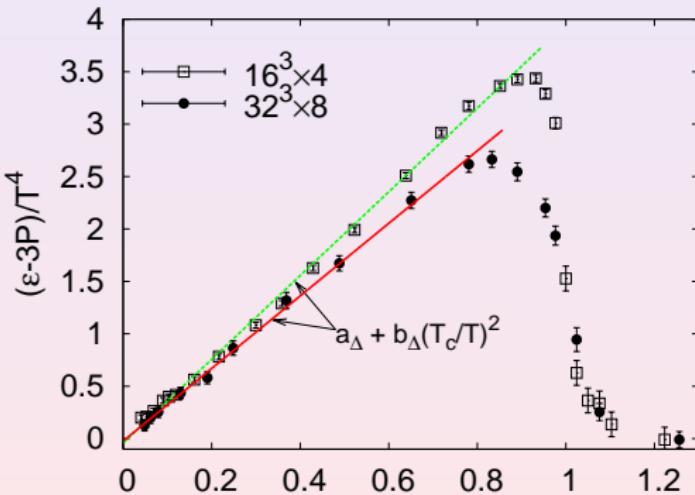
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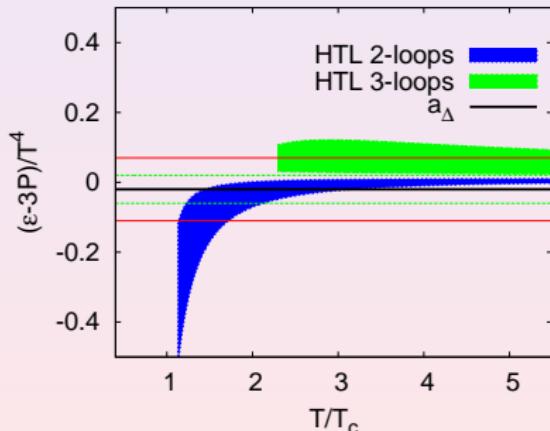
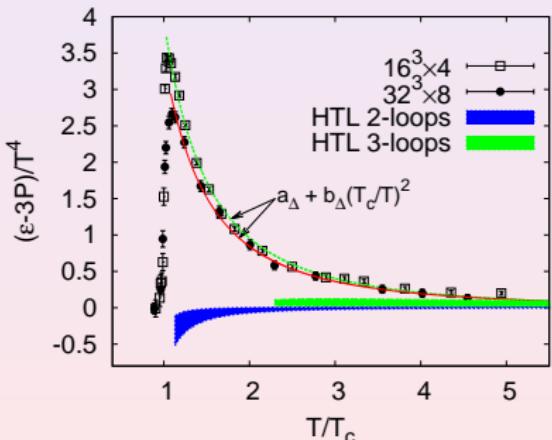
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$$\Delta \equiv \frac{\epsilon - 3P}{T^4} = \underbrace{\Delta_{HTL}(\mu_T)}_{\sim 1/\log T} + \frac{b_\Delta}{T^2}$$



Perturbation Theory and Hard Thermal Loops only yield  $a_\Delta$  !!.

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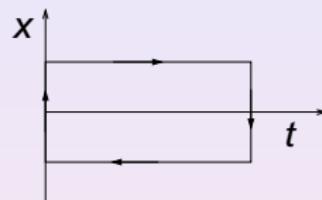
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# Scale Invariance and Confinement

Consider a rectangular Wilson loop:

$$W(\mathcal{C}) = \exp \left( ig \int_{\mathcal{C}} A_\mu dx^\mu \right)$$



It is related to the potential  $V_{q\bar{q}}(R)$  acting between charges  $q$  and  $\bar{q}$ :

$$\langle W(\mathcal{C}) \rangle \underset{t \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} \exp(-t \cdot V_{q\bar{q}}(R))$$

Scale transformations:  $t \rightarrow \lambda t$ ,  $R \rightarrow \lambda R$ .

The only scale invariant solution is the Coulomb Potential:

$$V_{q\bar{q}} \sim \frac{1}{R}$$

Running coupling and string tension break scale invariance:

$$V_{q\bar{q}}(R) = -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s(R)}{R} + \sigma R.$$

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# Soft-wall model of AdS/QCD

$$ds_{QCD}^2 = h(z) \cdot ds^2 = h(z) \underbrace{\frac{\ell^2}{z^2} (-dt^2 + d\vec{x}^2 + dz^2)}_{AdS_5} .$$

- $h(z) = 1 \implies$  Conformal
- $h(z) \neq 1 \implies$  Non conformal

Breaking of scaling invariance in QCD is given by the running coupling:

$$\Delta \equiv \frac{\epsilon - 3p}{T^4} = \frac{\beta(\alpha_s)}{4\alpha_s^2} \langle F_{\mu\nu}^2 \rangle .$$

where  $\beta(\alpha_s) = \mu \frac{d\alpha_s}{d\mu}$  and  $\alpha_s(E) \sim 1/\log(E/\Lambda)$ .

$\implies$  Assume an ansatz for conformal symmetry breaking similar to 1-loop running coupling (H.J. Pirner & B. Galow '09):

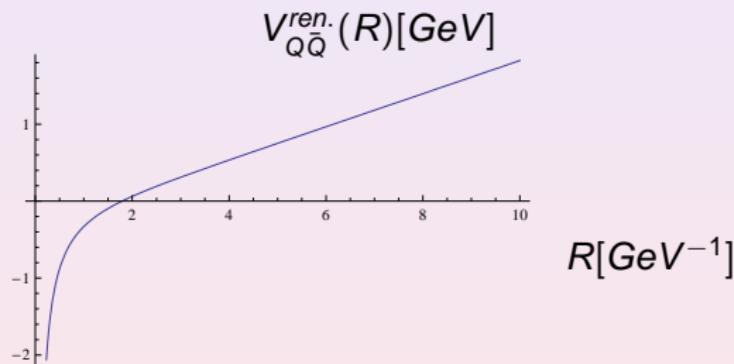
$$h(z) = \frac{\log(\epsilon)}{\log(\epsilon + (\Lambda z)^2)} , \quad z \sim \frac{1}{E} .$$

Other ansatz:  $h(z) = e^{\frac{1}{2}cz^2}$  Andreev & Zakharov '07

# Soft-wall model of AdS/QCD

H.J.Pirner & B.Galow '09

$$\langle W(\mathcal{C}) \rangle \approx \exp(-S_{\text{NG}}) \propto \exp(-t \cdot V_{Q\bar{Q}}(R))$$



$$V_{q\bar{q}} \approx -\frac{a}{R} + \sigma R, \quad a = 0.48, \quad \sigma = (0.425 \text{ GeV})^2$$

$$\implies \epsilon = \Lambda^2 l_s^2 = 0.48, \quad \Lambda = 264 \text{ MeV}.$$

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# The 5D Einstein-dilaton model

5D Einstein-dilaton model (Gürsoy et al. '08):

$$S_{5D} = \frac{1}{16\pi G_5} \int d^5x \sqrt{-g} \left( R - \frac{4}{3} \partial_\mu \phi \partial^\mu \phi - V(\phi) \right) - \frac{1}{8\pi G_5} \int_{\partial M} d^4x \sqrt{-h} K.$$

One to one relation between  $\beta$ -function and dilaton potential  $V(\phi)$ :

$$V(\phi) = -\frac{12}{\ell^2} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{\beta(\alpha)}{3\alpha} \right)^2 \right) \exp \left[ -\frac{8}{9} \int_0^\alpha \frac{\beta(a)}{a^2} da \right], \quad \alpha = e^\phi.$$

Ansatz (E.Megías et al., NPB834, 2010):

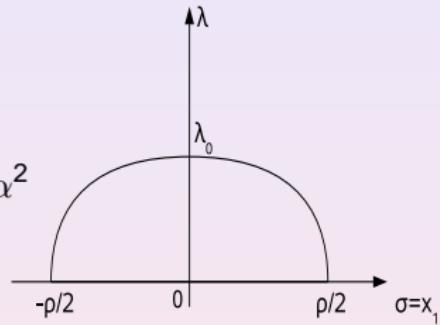
$$\beta(\alpha) = -b_2 \alpha + \left[ b_2 \alpha + \left( \frac{b_2}{\bar{\alpha}} - \beta_0 \right) \alpha^2 + \left( \frac{b_2}{2\bar{\alpha}^2} - \frac{\beta_0}{\bar{\alpha}} - \beta_1 \right) \alpha^3 \right] e^{-\alpha/\bar{\alpha}}.$$

- $\alpha \ll \bar{\alpha} \implies$  Ultraviolet:  $\beta(\alpha) \approx -\beta_0 \alpha^2 - \beta_1 \alpha^3$
- $\alpha \gg \bar{\alpha} \implies$  Infrared:  $\beta(\alpha) \approx -b_2 \alpha$

# The 5D Einstein-dilaton model

$$\langle W(\mathcal{C}) \rangle \approx \exp(-S_{\text{NG}}) \propto \exp(-t \cdot V_{Q\bar{Q}}(R))$$

$$ds^2 = e^{\frac{4}{3}\phi} e^{2A} (dt^2 + d\vec{x}^2) + e^{\frac{4}{3}\phi} \ell^2 e^{2D} d\alpha^2$$



$$\rho(\alpha_0) = \int_{-\frac{\rho}{2}}^{\frac{\rho}{2}} d\sigma = 2\ell e^{-A_0} \cdot \int_0^{\alpha_0} \frac{e^{D-3\tilde{A}} \cdot \tilde{\alpha}^{-\frac{4}{3}}}{\sqrt{1 - \tilde{\alpha}^{-\frac{8}{3}} e^{-4\tilde{A}}}} d\alpha,$$

$$V_{Q\bar{Q}}^{\text{reg.}}(\alpha_0) = \frac{1}{t} S_{\text{NG}}^{\text{reg.}} = V - V_s$$

$$= \frac{2\ell \alpha_0^{\frac{4}{3}} e^{A_0}}{\pi \tilde{l}_s^2} \left[ \int_0^{\alpha_0} d\alpha \frac{\tilde{\alpha}^{\frac{4}{3}} e^{D+\tilde{A}}}{\sqrt{1 - \tilde{\alpha}^{-\frac{8}{3}} e^{-4\tilde{A}}}} - \int_0^\infty d\alpha \tilde{\alpha}^{\frac{4}{3}} \cdot e^{D+\tilde{A}} \right]$$

# Heavy $\bar{Q}Q$ potential at Short Distances

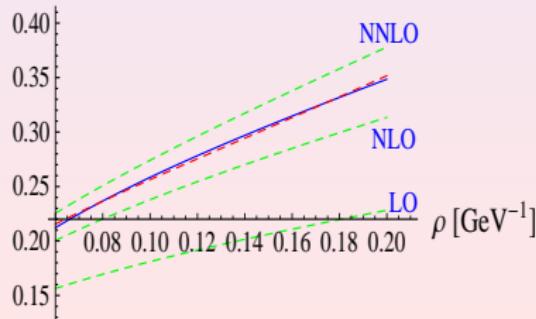
Analytical result at short distances:

$$V_{Q\bar{Q}}(\rho) = -\frac{2}{\pi} \frac{\ell^2}{\bar{l}_s^2} \frac{\alpha_0^{4/3}(\rho)}{\rho} \left[ \underbrace{0.359}_{\text{LO}} + \underbrace{0.533\beta_0\alpha_0}_{\text{NLO}} + \underbrace{(1.347\beta_0^2 + 0.692\beta_1)\alpha_0^2}_{\text{NNLO}} \right]$$

where the running coupling is

$$\alpha_0(\rho) = \left[ \beta_0 \log \left( \frac{1.32\ell}{\rho} \right) + \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_0} \log \left( \beta_0 \log \left( \frac{1.32\ell}{\rho} \right) \right) \right]^{-1} + \mathcal{O}(\log^{-3})$$

$|\rho \cdot V_{Q\bar{Q}}(\rho)|$



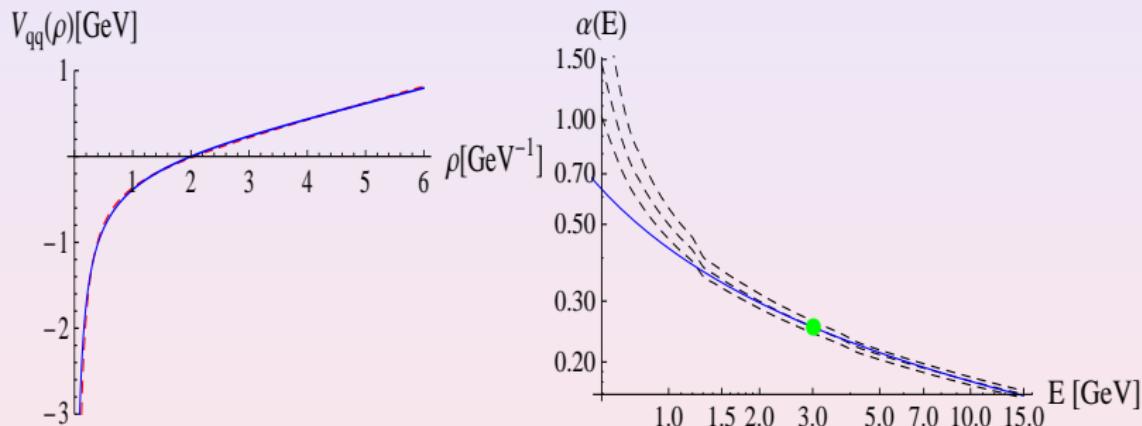
$$V_{Q\bar{Q}}^{\text{PT}}(\rho) = -\frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2N_c} \frac{\alpha_{\text{PT}}(\rho)}{\rho} (1 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_{\text{PT}}))$$

Comparison with PT  $\Rightarrow$

$$\frac{\bar{l}_s}{\ell} = 0.33$$

# Heavy $\bar{Q}Q$ potential and running coupling

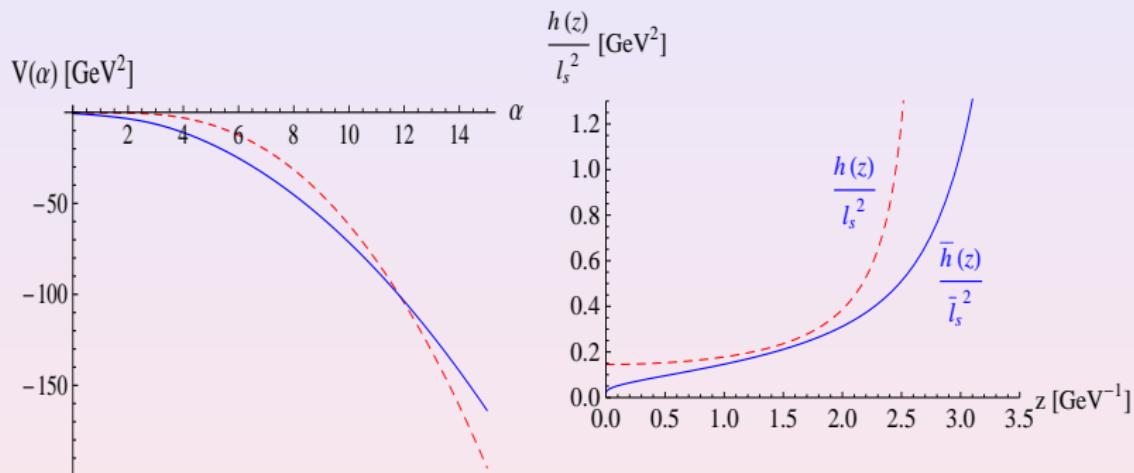
$$\langle W(\mathcal{C}) \rangle \approx \exp(-S_{\text{NG}}) \propto \exp(-t \cdot V_{Q\bar{Q}}(R))$$



- $\sigma = (0.425 \text{ GeV})^2 \implies \frac{b_2}{\bar{\alpha}} = 3.51 \text{ GeV} \cdot \bar{l}_s$
- Fit of running coupling  $\implies \frac{b_2}{\bar{\alpha}} = 5.09$

$$\bar{l}_s = 1.45 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$$

# Dilaton potential and warp factor

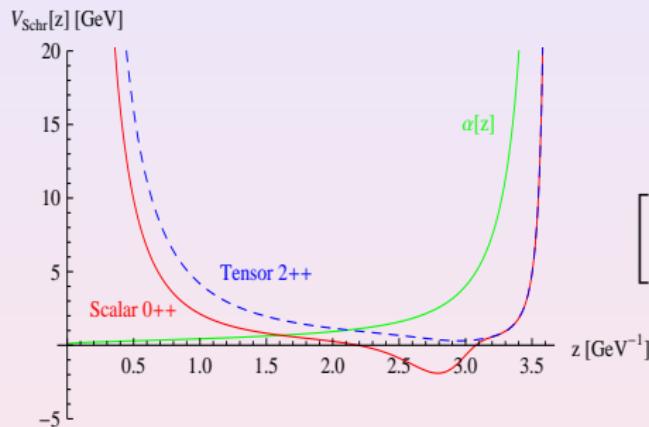


$$V(\alpha) \sim -(b_2^2 - 9)\alpha^{\frac{8}{9}b_2}, \quad \alpha \rightarrow \infty;$$

$$\alpha(z) \sim \frac{1}{(z_{\text{IR}} - z)^{\frac{b_2}{\frac{4}{9}b_2^2 - 1}}}, \quad z \rightarrow z_{\text{IR}}$$

# Confinement and 'good' IR singularity

Effective Schrödinger potentials for glueballs  $0^{++}$  and  $2^{++}$ :



$$\left[ -\frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} + V_{\text{Schr.}}(z) \right] \psi_n(z) = m_n^2 \psi_n(z)$$

- Confining theory  $\Rightarrow 1.5 < b_2$
- IR singularity repulsive to physical modes  $\Rightarrow b_2 < 2.37$

Best choice of parameters:

$$b_2 = 2.3, \quad \bar{\alpha} = 0.45, \quad \ell = 4.39 \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \quad \bar{l}_s = 1.45 \text{ GeV}^{-1}.$$

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# Schwarzschild black hole

General Relativity with no source  $\Rightarrow$  Einstein-Hilbert action

$$S_{EH} = \frac{1}{16\pi G_D} \int d^D x \sqrt{-g} R, \quad R = g^{\mu\nu} R_{\mu\nu}$$

Classical solution  $\frac{\delta}{\delta g_{\mu\nu}} \Rightarrow$  Einstein equations

$$E_{\mu\nu} \equiv R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} g_{\mu\nu} R = 0 \stackrel{\text{spherical}}{\Rightarrow} R_{\mu\nu} = 0$$

Schwarzschild solution in spherical coordinates (1915):

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu = -f(r) dt^2 + \frac{1}{f(r)} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega_2^2, \quad f(r) = 1 - \frac{r_h}{r}$$

$r_h$  is the horizon. Not physical singularity:  $R^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} R_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = 12 \frac{r_h^2}{r^6}$ .

Large distance limit:  $g_{tt}(r) \underset{r \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} -(1 + 2V_{\text{Newton}}(r)) \Rightarrow r_h = 2G_4 M.$

# Black hole thermodynamics

$$Z = \text{Tr} \left( e^{-\beta H} \right), \quad \beta = \frac{1}{T}$$

Periodicity in euclidean time ( $\tau = it$ ):  $\Phi(\tau + \beta) = \Phi(\tau)$

\*Regularity: Expansion around the horizon  $f(r_h) = 0$ ;  $r = r_h(1 + \rho^2)$ :

$$ds_{\text{BH}}^2 = -f(r)dt^2 + \frac{1}{f(r)}dr^2 + r^2d\Omega_2^2 \underset{\rho \rightarrow 0}{\sim} 4r_h^2 \left( d\rho^2 + \rho^2 \underbrace{\left( \frac{d\tau}{2r_h} \right)^2}_{d\theta^2} + \frac{1}{4}d\Omega_2^2 \right)$$

$\implies$  Periodicity:  $\frac{\tau}{2r_h} \rightarrow \frac{\tau}{2r_h} + 2\pi \implies \tau \rightarrow \tau + 4\pi r_h =: \tau + \beta$

$$T = \frac{1}{8\pi MG_4}$$

\*Thermodynamical interpretation of black holes:

$$dM = TdS \implies S = \int \frac{dM}{T} = 4\pi G_4 M^2$$

$$\mathcal{A} = 4\pi r_h^2 = 16\pi(G_4 M)^2 \implies S_{\text{Black Hole}}(T) = \frac{\mathcal{A}(r_{\text{horizon}})}{4G_D} \quad \text{Bek-Hawking}$$

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Finite temperature solutions (E. Kiritsis et al. JHEP (2009) 033):

- Thermal gas solution (confined phase):

$$ds_{\text{th}}^2 = b_0^2(z) (-dt^2 + d\vec{x}^2 + dz^2), \quad t \sim t + i\beta$$

- Black hole solution (deconfined phase):

$$ds_{\text{BH}}^2 = b^2(z) \left[ -f(z) dt^2 + d\vec{x}^2 + \frac{dz^2}{f(z)} \right]$$

In the UV ( $z \simeq 0$ ): flat metric  $b(z) \simeq \ell/z$  and  $f(0) = 1$ .

There exists an horizon  $f(z_h) = 0$ .

Regularity at the horizon  $\Rightarrow T = \frac{|\dot{f}(z_h)|}{4\pi}$ .

# The 5D Einstein-dilaton model

Einstein equations  $\frac{\delta}{\delta g_{\mu\nu}}$  :

$$\underbrace{\left( R_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}R \right)}_{E_{\mu\nu}} - \underbrace{\left( \frac{4}{3}\partial_\mu\phi\partial_\nu\phi - \frac{1}{2}g_{\mu\nu}\left(\frac{4}{3}(\partial\phi)^2 + V(\phi)\right) \right)}_{T_{\mu\nu}} = 0$$

$$(a) \quad \frac{\ddot{f}}{f} + 3\frac{\dot{b}}{b} = 0, \implies f(z) = 1 - \frac{\int_0^z \frac{du}{b(u)^3}}{\int_0^{z_h} \frac{du}{b(u)^3}}$$

$$(b) \quad 6\frac{\dot{b}^2}{b^2} - 3\frac{\ddot{b}}{b} = \frac{4}{3}\dot{\phi}^2,$$

$$(c) \quad 6\frac{\dot{b}^2}{b^2} + 3\frac{\ddot{b}}{b} + 3\frac{\dot{b}\dot{f}}{b\dot{f}} = \frac{b^2}{f}V(\phi)$$

Conformal solution:

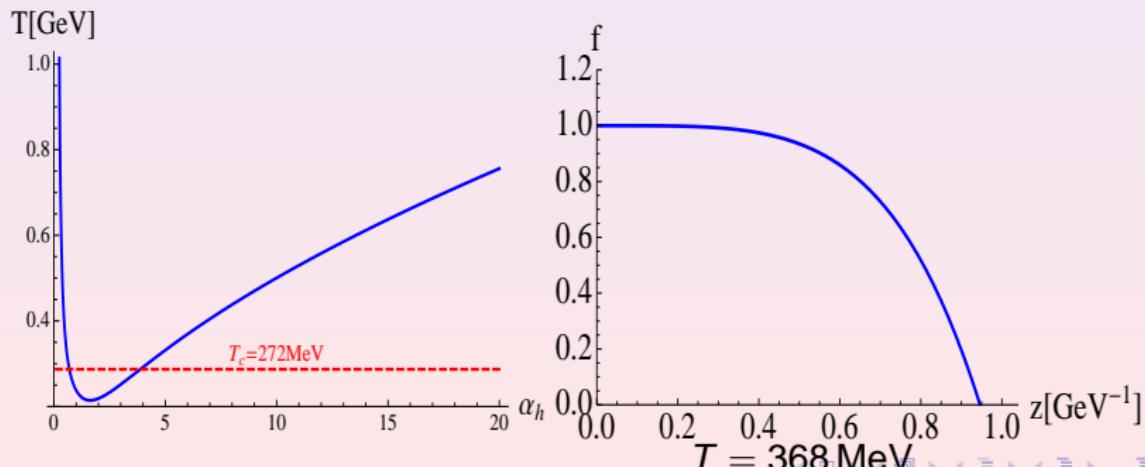
$$V(\phi) = -\frac{12}{\ell^2}, \quad \dot{\phi} = 0 \implies b(z) = \frac{\ell}{z}, \quad f(z) = 1 - \left(\frac{z}{z_h}\right)^4, \quad T = \frac{1}{\pi z_h}$$

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**Input:**

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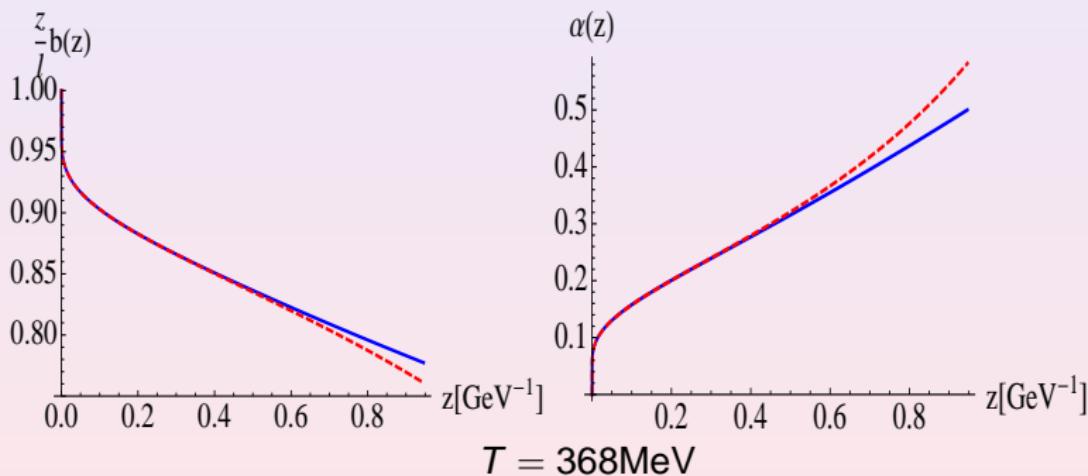
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# Thermodynamics

**Postulate:** Entropy of gauge theories is equal to the Bekenstein-Hawking entropy of their string duals.

$$S(T) = \frac{\mathcal{A}(z_h)}{4G_5} = \frac{V_3 b^3(z_h)}{4G_5}, \quad z_h \simeq \frac{1}{\pi T}$$

High temperature limit:  $s(T) \underset{T \rightarrow \infty}{\sim} \frac{\pi^3 \ell^3}{4G_5} T^3 = \frac{32}{45} \pi^2 T^3 =: s_{\text{ideal}}(T)$

One can compute all the thermodynamic quantities:

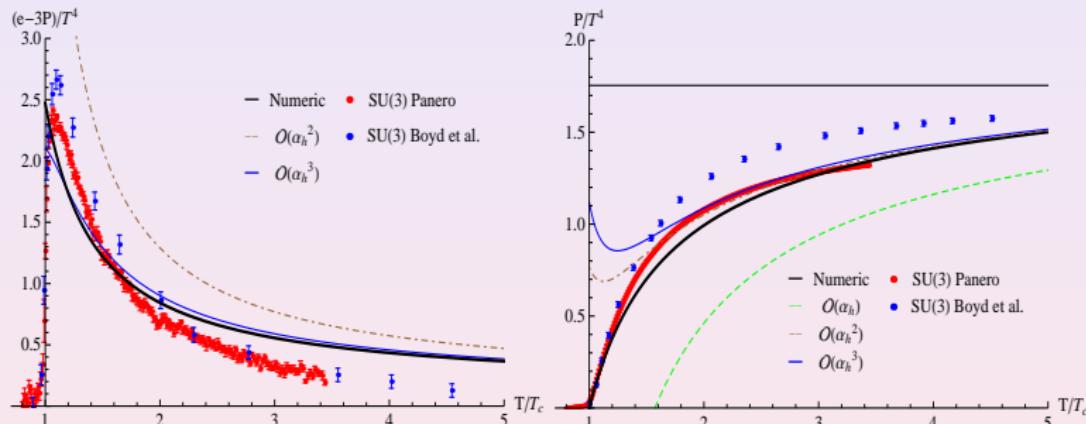
$$s(T) = \frac{d}{dT} p(T), \quad \Delta(T) \equiv \frac{\epsilon - 3p}{T^4} = \frac{s}{T^3} - \frac{4p}{T^4}.$$

In the free energy  $\Rightarrow$  contributions from big and small black holes:

$$p(T) = p(T_0) + \int_{T_0}^T d\tilde{T} s(\tilde{T}) = \int_{+\infty}^{\alpha_h} d\tilde{\alpha}_h \left( \frac{dT}{d\tilde{\alpha}_h} \right) s(\tilde{\alpha}_h).$$

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Input  $\beta(\alpha)$ .



$$N_c = 3, \quad N_f = 0, \quad b_2 = 2.3, \quad \bar{\alpha} = 0.45$$

$$\frac{p(T)}{T^4} = \frac{\pi^3 \ell^3}{16 G_5} \left( 1 - \frac{4}{3} \beta_0 \alpha_h + \frac{2}{9} (4\beta_0^2 - 3\beta_1) \alpha_h^2 + \dots \right), \quad \alpha_h \simeq \frac{1}{\beta_0 \log(\pi T/\Lambda)}$$

# Thermodynamics

Free Energy from:

Bekenstein-Hawking entropy

$\iff$   
Classically

Free Energy from:

Gibbons-Hawking action

$$S = \frac{\mathcal{A}}{4G_5}$$

$$\beta\mathcal{F} = S_{\text{reg}} := S_{BH} - S_{th} \implies$$

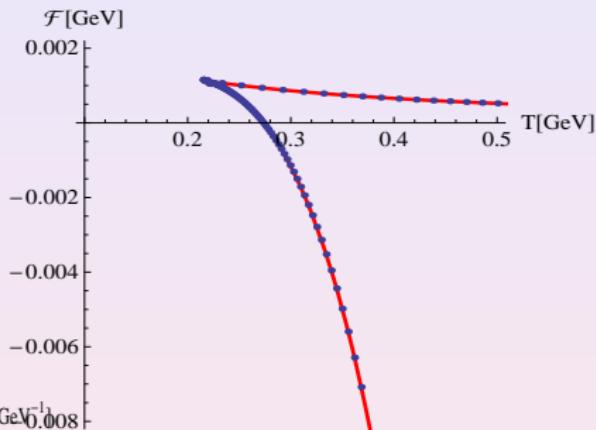
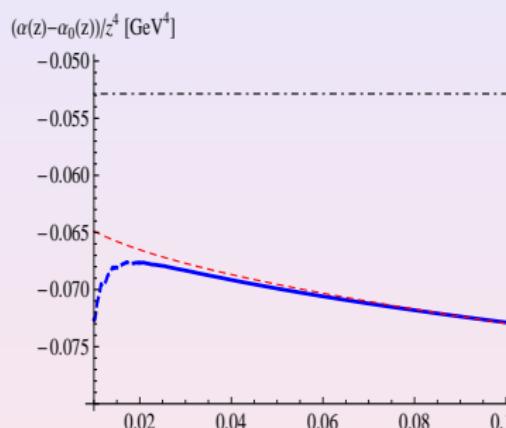
$$\implies \mathcal{F} = \frac{V_3}{16\pi G_5} \left( 15G - \frac{C_f}{4} \right)$$

E. Kiritsis et al. JHEP (2009) 033.

$$G = \frac{\pi G_5}{15} \frac{\beta(\alpha)}{\alpha^2} \langle \text{Tr} F_{\mu\nu}^2 \rangle, \quad C_f = 4\pi T b^3(z_h) \sim T \cdot s$$

$$b_T(z) = b_0(z) \left[ 1 + \frac{G}{\ell^3} z^4 \left( 1 + \frac{19}{12} \beta_0 \alpha_0(z) + c_2^b \alpha_0^2(z) + \dots \right) + \dots \right], \quad z \rightarrow 0$$

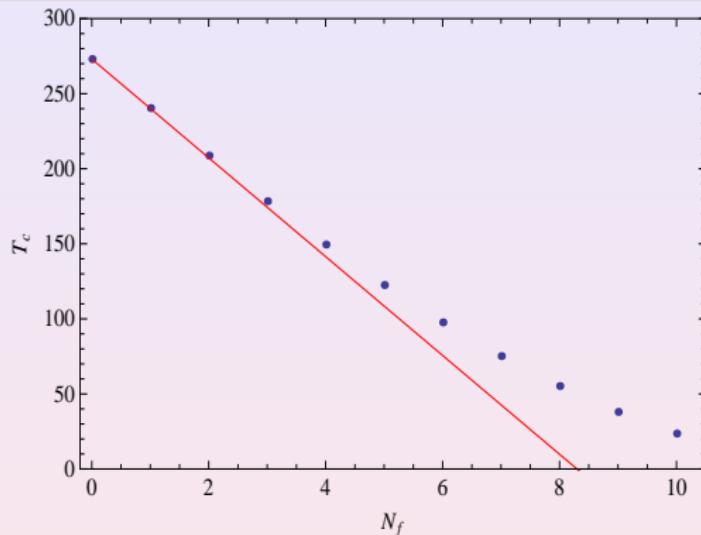
# Thermodynamics



$$\frac{\alpha_T(z) - \alpha_0(z)}{z^4} = -\frac{45}{8} \frac{G}{\ell^3 \beta_0} \left( 1 + \left( \frac{11}{6} \beta_0 - \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_0} \right) \alpha_0(z) + c_2^\alpha \alpha_0^2(z) + \dots \right)$$

⇒ Corrections in  $\alpha_0$  are very important for agreement.

# Flavor dependence of the phase transition



Agrees quite well with  
 J. Braun & H. Gies  
 JHEP 1005 (2010),

$$\kappa = 0.107$$

$$T_c = T_{N_f=0} (1 - \kappa N_f + \mathcal{O}(N_f^2))$$

$$\kappa = 0.1205 ,$$

$$T_{N_f=0} = 273.0 \text{ MeV} ,$$

$$T_{N_f=4} = 149.5 \text{ MeV} ,$$

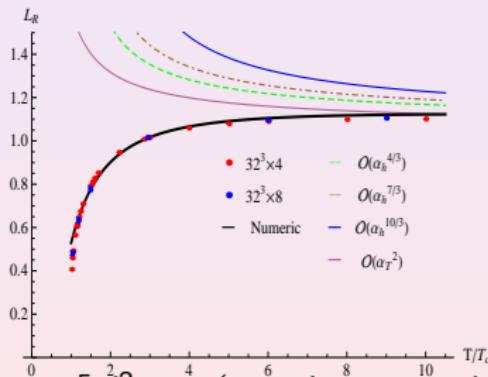
$$T_{N_f=0}^{\text{Lattice}} = 270 \pm 2 \text{ MeV} ,$$

$$T_{N_f=4}^{\text{Lattice}} = 140 - 170 \text{ MeV} .$$

# Polyakov Loop

$$L(T) := \langle P \rangle = \int DX e^{-S_w} \xrightarrow{\text{semiclassically}} \langle P \rangle = \sum_i w_i e^{-S_i} \simeq e^{-S_0}$$

$$S_0^{\text{reg}} = \frac{1}{2\pi l_s^2 T} \left[ \int_0^{z_h} dz \alpha^{4/3}(z) b^2(z) - \int_0^{z_c} dz \alpha_0^{4/3}(z) b_0^2(z) \right]$$



Lattice Gluodynamics  
 SU(3): S.Gupta et al.,  
 PRD77(2008).

$$l_s = 2.36 \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ z_c = 0.43 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$$

$$L(T) = \exp \left[ \frac{\ell^2}{2l_s^2} \alpha_h^{\frac{4}{3}} \left( 1 + \frac{4}{9} \beta_0 \alpha_h + \frac{1}{81} (161 \beta_0^2 + 72 \beta_1) \alpha_h^2 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_h^3) \right) \right],$$

In contradiction with PT:  $L_{\text{PT}}(T) = \exp \left( \frac{4}{3} \sqrt{\pi} \alpha_h^{\frac{3}{2}} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_h^2) \right)$ .

# Spatial Wilson Loops

Rectangular Wilson loop in (x,y) plane:

$$\langle W(\mathcal{C}) \rangle = \left\langle \exp \left( ig \int_{\mathcal{C}} A_\mu dx^\mu \right) \right\rangle \stackrel{l_y \rightarrow \infty}{\simeq} e^{-l_y \cdot V(d)},$$

$$V(d) \stackrel{d \rightarrow \infty}{\simeq} \sigma_s \cdot d$$

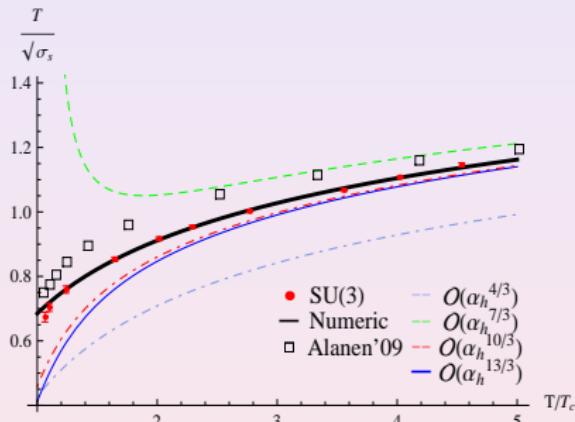


$$S_{\text{NG}} = \frac{\ell^2}{2\pi l_s^2} l_y \int_{-l_x/2}^{l_x/2} dx \frac{h(z)}{z^2} \sqrt{1 + \frac{(\partial_x z)^2}{f(z)}}, \quad X(x, y) = (x, y, 0, 0, z(x))$$

$$\sigma_s(T) = \frac{1}{2\pi l_s^2} \alpha_h^{4/3} b_h^2$$

# Spatial Wilson Loops

**Spatial string tension: Lattice data: G. Boyd et al. NPB469 (1996)**



$$l_s = 1.94 \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \chi^2/\text{d.o.f.} = 0.87.$$

$$\sigma_s(T) = \frac{1}{2\pi l_s^2} \alpha_h^{\frac{4}{3}} b^2(z_h) = \frac{\ell^2}{2l_s^2} \pi T^2 \alpha_h^{\frac{4}{3}} \left[ 1 - \frac{8}{9} \beta_0 \alpha_h + \frac{2}{81} (25\beta_0^2 - 2\beta_1) \alpha_h^2 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_h^3) \right]$$

This is in contradiction with pQCD:  $\sigma_{\text{pQCD}} \sim T^2 \alpha_s^2(T)$ .  
 See also Kajantie et al. PRD80 (2009).

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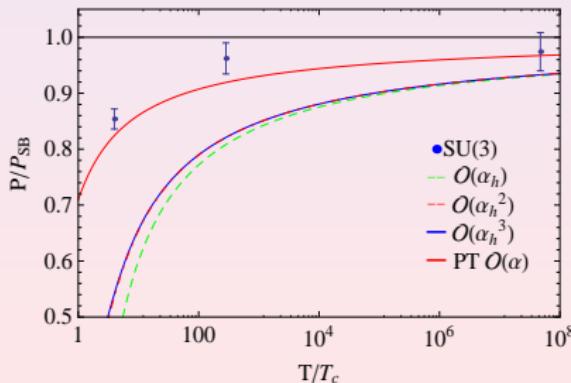
- Pressure from AdS/QCD (UV expansion):

$$P_{AdS/QCD} = P_{SB} \cdot (1 - 2.33\alpha_h + 1.86\alpha_h^2 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_h^3))$$

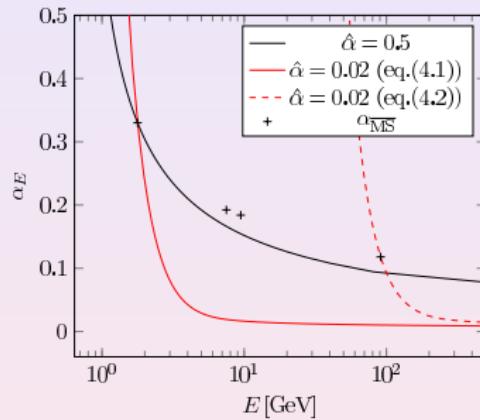
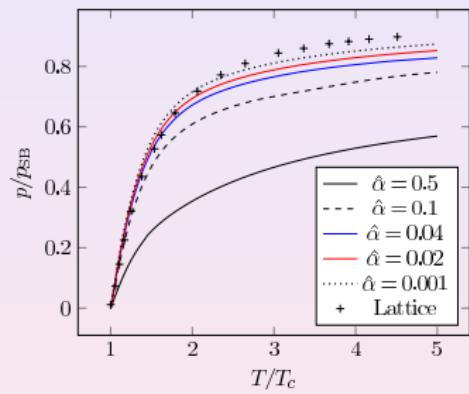
- Pressure from perturbation theory:

$$P_{pQCD} = P_{SB} \cdot (1 - 1.19\alpha_T + 5.4\alpha_T^{3/2} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_T^2))$$

A comparison at high  $T$  demands  $\alpha_{AdS/QCD} \simeq \alpha_{pQCD}/2$ .



# Pressure and Running Coupling



Simple model:  $\beta(\alpha) = \begin{cases} \beta_{\text{pert}}(\alpha) - \hat{\beta}_2 \alpha^4 & \text{if } \alpha \leq \hat{\alpha} \\ \beta_{\text{pert}}(\hat{\alpha}) - \hat{\beta}_2 \hat{\alpha}^4 - 3(\alpha - \hat{\alpha}) & \text{if } \alpha > \hat{\alpha} \end{cases}$

# Debye Screening

$$S_{AdS/QCD} = -\frac{1}{4G_5^2} \int dz \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} (F_{MN}^V F^{VMN} + F_{MN}^A F^{AMN})$$

**Debye mass:**  $m_D^2 = g^2 \Pi_{00}(\omega = 0, \vec{k}^2 = -m_D^2)$

Screening mass in the absence of an external field (Gorsky et al. '10):

$$S_{AdS/QCD} = \frac{V_{4D}}{2G_5^2} \int dz b(z) (\partial_z V_0(z))^2$$

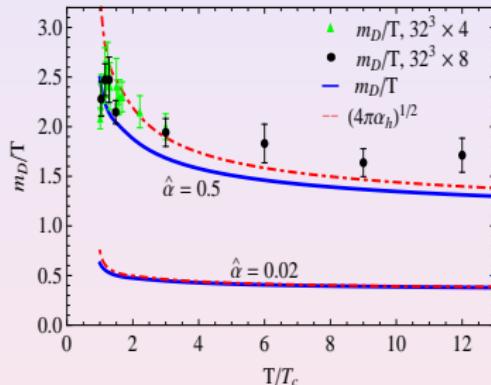
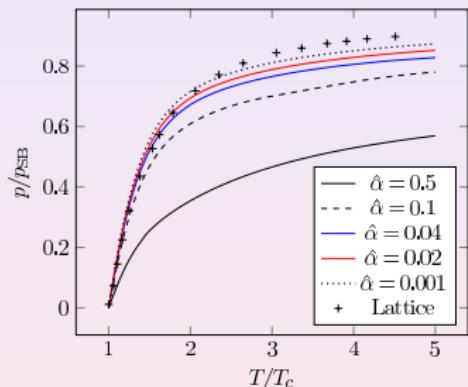
e.o.m.:  $\partial_z(b(z)\partial_z V_0(z)) = 0, \quad V_0(z_h) = 0 \text{ & } V_0(z=0) = \mu.$

$$V_0(z) = \mu \cdot \left( 1 - C_h \int_0^z du b^{-1}(u) \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \Pi_{00} = \frac{1}{V_{4D}} \frac{\partial^2 S}{\partial \mu^2} \Rightarrow m_D^2 = \frac{4\pi}{G_5^2} \alpha_h \cdot \left[ \int_0^{z_h} du b^{-1}(u) \right]^{-1} \underset{T \rightarrow \infty}{\simeq} g_h^2 T^2$$

# Debye Screening

## Debye Mass (E. Megías et al. PLB696(2011))



$$\frac{m_D}{T} \underset{T \rightarrow \infty}{\simeq} (4\pi\alpha_h)^{1/2} \left( 1 - \frac{2}{9}\beta_0\alpha_h + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_h^2) \right)$$

- $\hat{\alpha} = 0.02 \Rightarrow$  “Good”  $P$  and “bad”  $m_D$ .
- $\hat{\alpha} = 0.5 \Rightarrow$  “Bad”  $P$  and “good”  $m_D$ .

## DIMENSION TWO GLUON CONDENSATE

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# Dimension 2 condensates?

Standard wisdom: There are no local gauge invariant operators of dimension 2.

But, are there operators of dimension 2 relevant for phenomenology?

There exists a nonlocal gauge invariant condensate

$$\langle A_{\min}^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{VT} \min_g \int d^4x \langle (gA_\mu g^\dagger + g\partial_\mu g^\dagger)^2 \rangle,$$

which reduces to the  $\langle A_\mu^2 \rangle$  condensate in the Landau gauge.

Example: Can  $f_\pi^2$  be written as the expectation value of a gauge invariant local operator?

# Dimension 2 condensates?

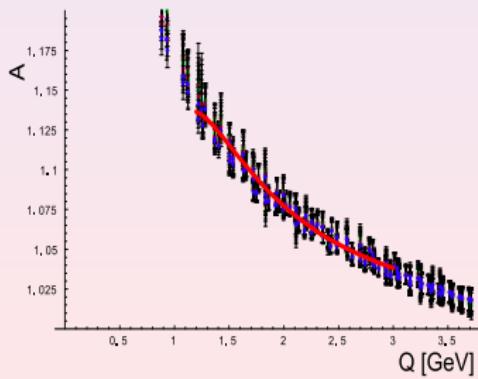
- In perturbation theory one must fix the gauge.
- There is no complete gauge fixing. Thus, there is always a dimension 2 local operator which is invariant under the residual gauge invariance.
- Dimension-2 objects have been seen in fixed gauge lattices: (Skullerad, Rodriguez-Quintero, Oliviera 2006).

# Quark propagator on the Lattice in Landau Gauge

P. Bowman, W. Broniowski and E. Ruiz Arriola, PRD70:097505 (2004).

$$S^{-1}(p) = \not{p}A(p) - B(p)$$

$$A(Q) = 1 + \frac{\pi\alpha_s(\mu^2)\langle A^2 \rangle_\mu}{N_c Q^2} - \frac{\pi\alpha_s(\mu^2)\langle G^2 \rangle_\mu}{3N_c Q^4} + \dots,$$



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# Dimension Two Gluon Condensate and Polyakov loop

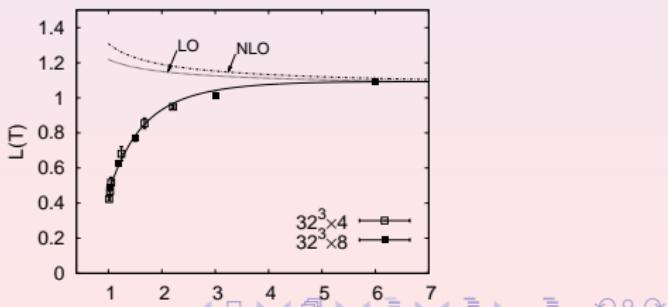
$$D_{\mu\nu}^{ab}(p^2) = \frac{\delta^{ab}\delta_{\mu\nu}}{k^2} \rightarrow \frac{\delta^{ab}\delta_{\mu\nu}}{k^2} \left( 1 + \frac{m_G^2}{k^2} \right) \quad \text{Narison \& Zakharov '99}$$

At finite temperature:  $D_{00}(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2} \left( 1 + \frac{m_G^2}{\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2} \right)$  Megías '06

$$\langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle = (N_c^2 - 1) T \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} D_{00}(\vec{k}) = -\underbrace{\frac{2}{\pi} m_D T}_{\sim T^2} + \underbrace{\frac{m_G^2 T}{\pi m_D}}_{\sim T^0} \equiv \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^P + \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^{NP}$$

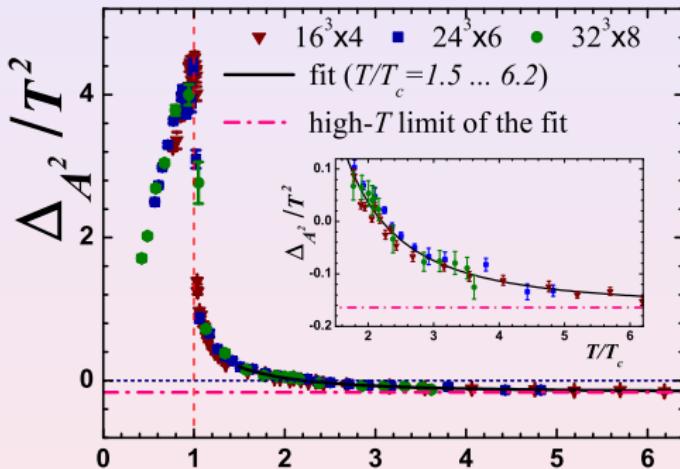
**Polyakov loop:**

$$\begin{aligned} L &= \left\langle \frac{1}{N_c} \text{Tr}_c e^{igA_{0,a}/T} \right\rangle \rightarrow \\ &\rightarrow e^{-g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle / (4N_c T^2)} + \mathcal{O}(g^6) \\ g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^{NP} &= (0.84(6) \text{ GeV})^2 \end{aligned}$$



# Gluon Asymmetry: Lattice data

**Gluon asymmetry**  $N_c = 2, N_f = 0$   
**Lattice data (M. Chernodub, E.M. Ilgenfritz, PRD78 (2008))**



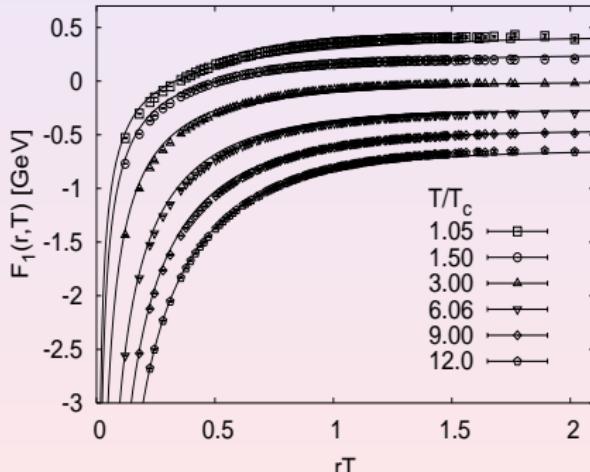
$$\Delta_{A^2} = g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle - \frac{1}{3} \sum_i g^2 \langle A_{i,a}^2 \rangle$$

$$\Delta_{A^2}/T^2 \sim 1/T^2$$

$$g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle = \underbrace{g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^P}_{\sim T^2} + \underbrace{g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^{NP}}_{\sim \text{cte}} \xrightarrow{c} g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle / T^2 = c_P + c_{NP} / T^2.$$

# Heavy $\bar{q}q$ Free Energy

**Singlet Free Energy  $N_c = 3, N_f = 0$**   
**Lattice data (O. Kaczmarek PRD70 (2004))**



$$e^{-F_{q\bar{q}}(\vec{x}, T)/T + c(T)} = \frac{1}{N_c^2} \langle \text{tr}_c \Omega(\vec{x}) \text{tr}_c \Omega^\dagger(\vec{0}) \rangle, \quad g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle^{NP} = (0.90(5) \text{ GeV})^2$$

# Thermodynamics

From the gluon propagator, one gets (Megías '09):

$$\langle (F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2 \rangle = 2 \langle (B_i^a)^2 - (E_i^a)^2 \rangle \simeq 2 \langle \partial_i A_{0,a} \partial_i A_{0,a} \rangle = -\frac{6}{\pi} m_G^2 m_D T \sim T^2.$$

It reproduces the thermal behaviour of the **trace anomaly**:

$$T^4 \Delta \equiv \epsilon - 3P = \frac{\beta(g)}{2g} \langle (F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2 \rangle = \underbrace{(\text{Pert.})}_{\sim T^4} - \underbrace{\frac{3}{\pi} \frac{\beta(g)}{g} m_G^2 m_D T}_{\sim T^2}.$$

It is straightforward to compute all the thermodynamic quantities:

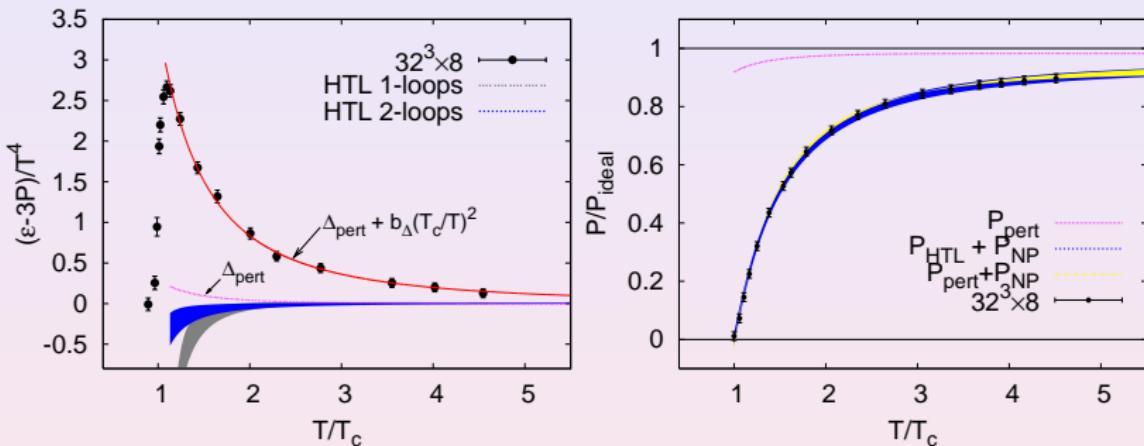
**Pressure :**  $\frac{P(T)}{T^4} = \int^T \frac{dT'}{T'} \Delta(T') = \underbrace{(\text{Pert.})}_{\sim T^0} + \underbrace{\frac{3}{2\pi} \beta(g) \frac{m_G^2}{T^2}}_{\sim 1/T^2}$

**Entropy :**  $\frac{S}{T^3} = \Delta + \frac{4P}{T^4} = \underbrace{(\text{Pert.})}_{\sim T^0} + \underbrace{\frac{3}{\pi} \frac{\beta(g)}{g} \frac{m_G^2 m_D}{T^3}}_{\sim 1/T^2}.$

See also O.Andreev's talk.

# Thermodynamics

Lattice data: G. Boyd et al. NPB469 (1996).



Values of the dimension two gluon condensate from a fit of:

Observable	$g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle_{\text{NP}}$
Polyakov loop	$(3.22 \pm 0.07 T_c)^2$
Heavy $\bar{q}q$ free energy	$(3.33 \pm 0.19 T_c)^2$
Trace Anomaly	$(2.86 \pm 0.24 T_c)^2$

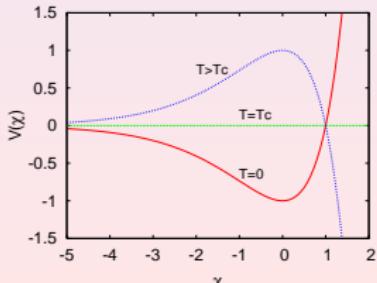
# Power Corrections from ET of scale invariance

- Scale invariance  $x_\mu \rightarrow \lambda x_\mu$  is broken by quantum effects.  
 Effective theory of scale invariance D.Kharzeev '08.

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{|\epsilon_V|}{m^2} \frac{1}{2} e^{\chi/2} (\partial_\mu \chi)^2 + \underbrace{\left( |\epsilon_V| + \frac{c}{4} (F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2 \right) e^\chi (1 - \chi)}_{-V(\chi)} - \frac{1}{4} (F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2$$

**Properties:**

- $\chi = 1$ : No coupling between dilatons and gluons  $\Rightarrow$  dynamics of color fields is pert. It happens at some scale  $M_0 \sim 5 - 6 T_c$ .
- No color fields  $\Rightarrow$  minimum of dilaton pot. at  $V(\chi = 0) = -|\epsilon_V|$ .



$$|\epsilon_V| + \frac{c}{4} (F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2 \begin{cases} > 0 & T < T_c \\ = 0 & T = T_c \\ < 0 & T > T_c \end{cases}$$

# Power Corrections from ET of scale invariance

D. Kharzeev, E. Levin & E. Megías '09

- Classical equation for  $A_\mu$  gives:

$$E_i^a = -\partial_i A_{0,a} = \frac{E_0}{F(\chi)} e^{-m_D r} \hat{n} + \frac{g C_a}{F(\chi) 4\pi r^2} (1 + m_D r) e^{-m_D r} \hat{r}$$

- Unlike in pQCD  $(F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2|_{\min} = 0$ , the minimum of the effective theory corresponds to a finite chromoelectric field  $E_0$ .

$$(F_{\mu\nu}^a)^2|_{\min} = 2(\vec{B}^{a2} - \vec{E}^{a2}) \stackrel{B \approx 0}{\simeq} -2E_0^2 = -4|\epsilon_v|/c$$

In momentum space:  $A_{0,a}(\vec{k}) = -\frac{g}{F(\chi)(\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2)} - \frac{8\pi E_0}{F(\chi)(\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2)^2}$ ,  
 so the gluon propagator is

$$D_{00}(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2} + \frac{m_G^2}{(\vec{k}^2 + m_D^2)^2}, \quad m_G^2 = \frac{8\pi E_0}{g}.$$

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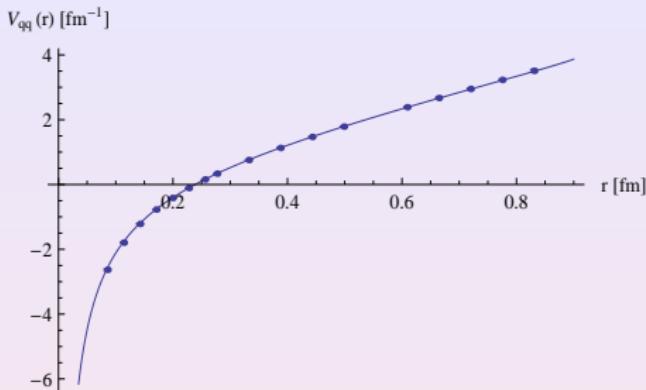
# Duality between perturbative series and power corrections

Perturbative-Non perturbative duality (Narison & Zakharov, PLB679 (2009)): Large order perturbative series are dual to non-perturbative contributions.

$$\begin{aligned} V_{q\bar{q}}(r) &\approx -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{r} + \sigma \cdot r \\ V_{q\bar{q}}(r) &\approx \frac{1}{r} \sum_{n=1}^N a_n \alpha_s^n(r) + \sigma_N \cdot r \end{aligned}$$

Both formulas fit lattice data very well.

⇒ Perturbative resummation could be written in terms of condensates, starting from dimension two.



$$N_c = 3, N_f = 0 : \text{Tree Level} \quad \alpha_s = 0.19, \quad \sigma = 4.99 \text{ fm}^{-2} \text{ (dim-2).}$$

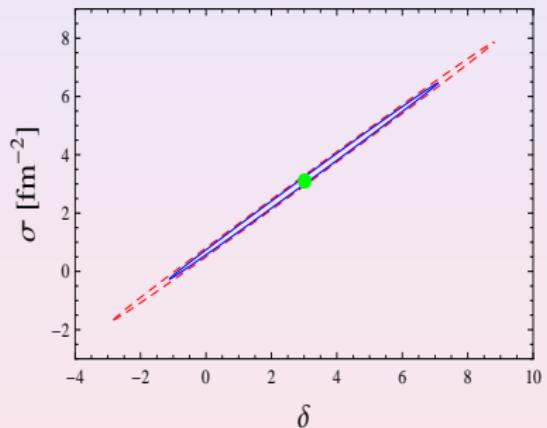
**(E.Megías, E.Ruiz Arriola & L.L.Salcedo, PRD81(2010)):**

In a fit including Pert. and Non Pert. contributions, one should see:

- Smaller contributions from condensates at increasing perturbative orders.  $\sigma_N \rightarrow 0$  (duality).
- Rather strong statistical correlation between  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$  and condensates ( $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$  is the only scale in QCD).  $r(\sigma_N, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) \sim \pm 1$ .

# Correlations: Perturbative - Non Perturbative

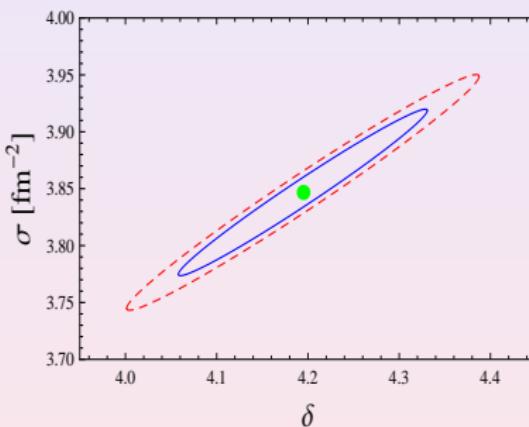
**Fit using PT at  $N^3LL$ , N. Brambilla et al. PRD80 (2009).**



$0.085\text{fm} < r < 0.17\text{fm}$

$$r(\delta, \sigma) = 0.9986$$

$$\alpha_s(\mu) : \quad \delta = \log(\mu/\Lambda_{QCD})$$



$0.085\text{fm} < r < 0.83\text{fm}$

$$r(\delta, \sigma) = 0.984$$

# Correlations: Perturbative - Non Perturbative

Order	$\delta$	$\sigma[\text{fm}^{-2}]$	$r(\sigma, \delta)$	$\chi^2/\text{dof}$
Tree Level	—	4.99(11)	0.991	0.98
1-loop	3.66(7)	4.25(6)	0.974	0.20
2-loop	4.54(10)	4.12(6)	0.978	0.79
$N^3\text{LO}$	4.31(13)	4.07(6)	0.980	0.93
$N^3\text{LL}$	4.19(14)	3.85(7)	0.984	0.76

- $\sigma_N$  decreases with  $N$ .
- Very high correlation  $r(\sigma, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}) \sim 1$ .

More examples of non-perturbative corrections:

- Polyakov loop (Megías et al. JHEP 0601 (2006)):

$$L(T) = L_{\text{PT}}(T) \exp \left( -\frac{\mathcal{C}_2}{4N_c T^2} \right).$$

- Heavy  $q\bar{q}$  free energy (Megías et al. PRD75 (2007)):

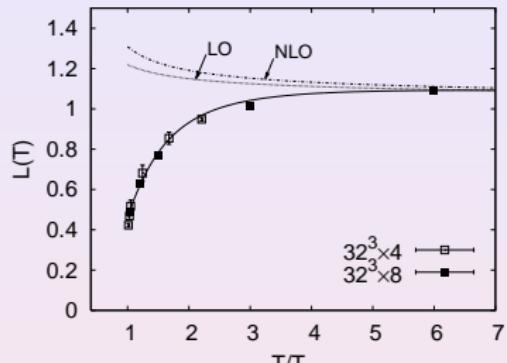
$$F_{q\bar{q}}(r, T) = \underbrace{-\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{r} e^{-m_D r} - \frac{2}{3} \alpha_s m_D + \dots}_{\text{PT}} - \underbrace{\frac{\sqrt{\pi \alpha_s}}{6m_D} \mathcal{C}_2 (1 - 2e^{-m_D r})}_{\text{NP}}.$$

- Trace anomaly (Megías et al. PRD80 (2009)):

$$\frac{\epsilon - 3p}{T^4} = \underbrace{\frac{11}{3} \alpha_s^2}_{\text{PT}} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^{5/2}) + \underbrace{\frac{33}{4\pi} \alpha_s \frac{\mathcal{C}_2}{T^2}}_{\text{NP}}.$$

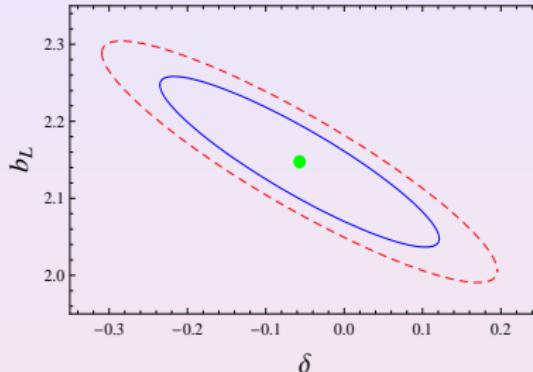
Dimension two gluon condensate:  $\mathcal{C}_2 \equiv g^2 \langle A_{0,a}^2 \rangle$ .

# Polyakov loop



$$\text{PT : } \delta = \log(\mu/2\pi T)$$

$$\text{NP : } b_L = \frac{c_2}{6T_c^2}$$



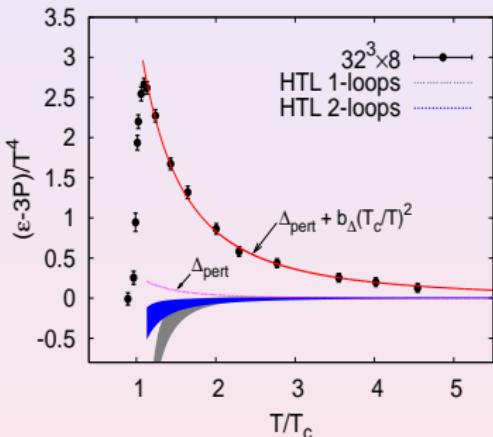
$$1.03 < T/T_c < 6$$

$$r(\delta, b_L) = -0.828$$

Order	$L_P(6T_c)$	$\delta$	$b_L$	$r(b_L, \delta)$	$\chi^2/\text{dof}$
$L_P = \text{const}$	1.121(8)	—	1.72(5)	-0.472	0.45
$\mathcal{O}(\alpha^{3/2})$	1.125(11)	-0.72(20)	2.23(16)	-0.957	1.22
$\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2)$	1.123(9)	-0.06(18)	2.15(11)	-0.901	1.44

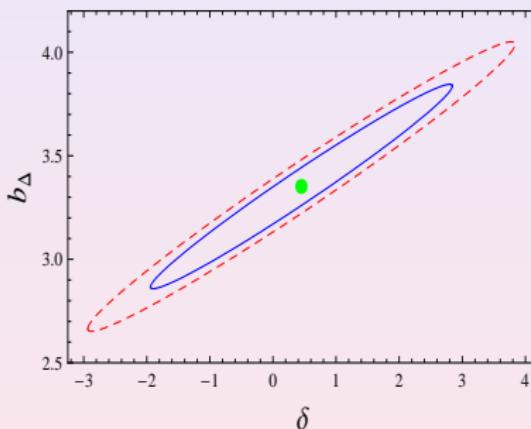
# Trace Anomaly

$$\frac{(\epsilon - 3P)}{T^4} = \frac{(\epsilon - 3P)_{\text{pert}}}{T^4} + b_\Delta \left( \frac{T_c}{T} \right)^2$$



$$\text{PT : } \delta = \log(\mu/2\pi T)$$

$$\text{NP : } b_\Delta = -\frac{3\beta}{g} \frac{\mathcal{C}_2}{T_c^2}$$



$$1.13 < T/T_c < 4.54$$

$$r(\delta, b_\Delta) = 0.983$$

# Trace Anomaly

**Fit using HTLpt at 1-loop Andersen'00, 2-loops Andersen'02,  
 3-loops Andersen'09**

Order	$\Delta_{\text{HTL}}/T^4 _{T=4.5T_c}$	$\delta$	$b_\Delta$	$r(b_\Delta, \delta)$
1-loop	$-0.03^{+0.03}_{-0.04}$	$-0.03 \pm 0.69$	$3.69(40)$	0.975
2-loops	$-0.004^{+0.05}_{-0.004}$	$-0.42 \pm 0.48$	$3.57(28)$	0.949
3-loops	$0.08(5)$	$2.3 \pm 9.7$	$2.3 \pm 1.5$	0.977

Order	$\delta$	$b_\Delta$	$c_\Delta$	$r(b_\Delta, \delta)$	$r(b_\Delta, c_\Delta)$
1-loop	$0.7 \pm 1.8$	$4.3 \pm 1.0$	$-0.6 \pm 1.1$	0.932	-0.976
2-loops	$-0.47(80)$	$3.58(40)$	$-0.1 \pm 1.0$	0.411	-0.145
3-loops	$2.3 \pm 9.3$	$2.37 \pm 1.6$	$1.3 \pm 1.3$	0.964	-0.898

$$\frac{(\epsilon - 3P)}{T^4} = \frac{(\epsilon - 3P)_{\text{pert}}}{T^4} + b_\Delta \left( \frac{T_c}{T} \right)^2 + c_\Delta \left( \frac{T_c}{T} \right)^4.$$

# Conclusions:

- AdS/QCD serves as a powerful tool to study the non-perturbative (NP) regime of QCD at zero and finite temperature.
- Model of conformal symmetry breaking in 5D based on dilatons.
- Numerical results of e.o.s. of QCD from Bekenstein-Hawking entropy formula and Gibbons-Hawking action agree.
- Good and unified description for:
  - Equation of State (trace anomaly, pressure, entropy, ...)
  - Flavor dependence for  $T_c$ .
  - Polyakov loop and Spatial Wilson loops.
- Dilemma:  
Equation of State  $\overset{?}{\longleftrightarrow}$  Running coupling & Debye screening.
- The NP behaviour of QCD near and above  $T_c$  is characterized by power corrections in  $T$ . These power corrections are signals of the contribution of a dimension two gluon condensate.
- Study of correlations gives us a tool to understand the duality between perturbative series and power corrections. Lattice data of observables at  $T = 0$  and  $T \neq 0$  seem to confirm this duality.