

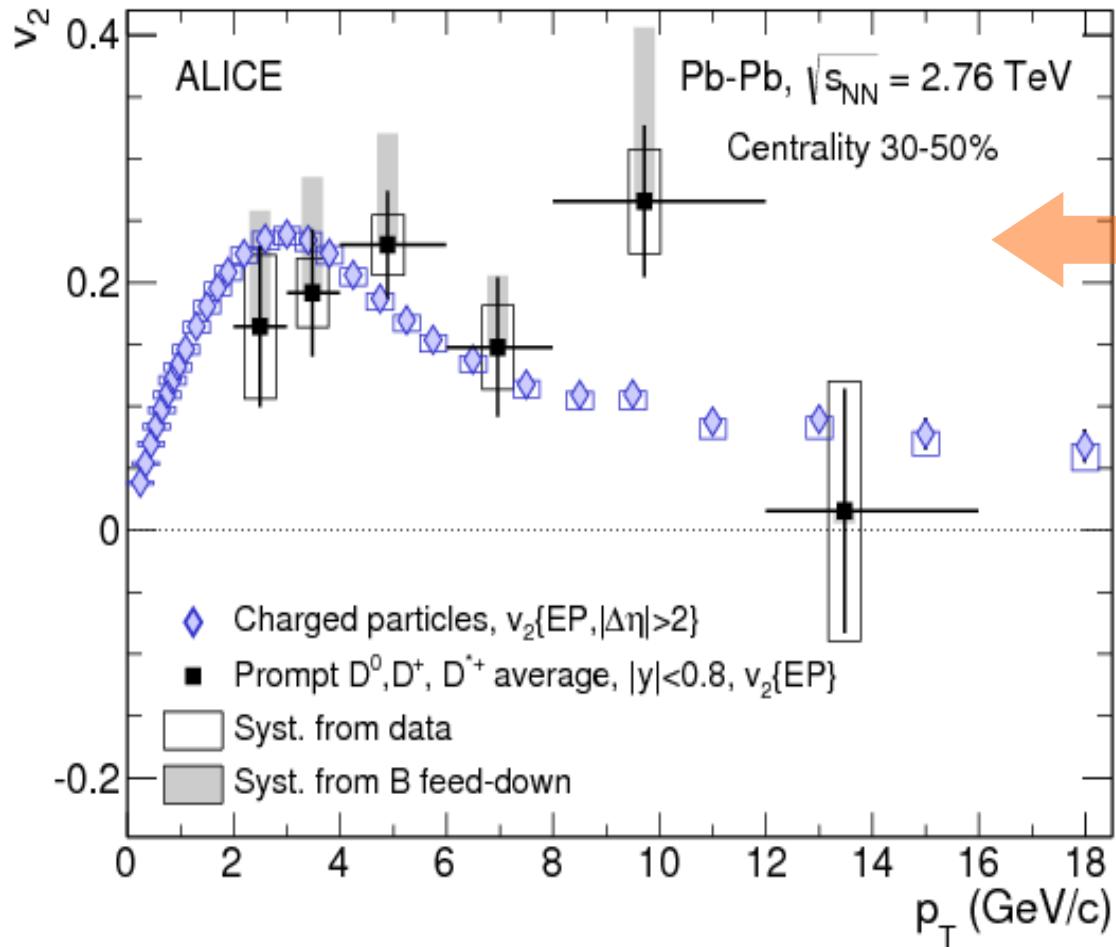
Melting of Open Charm  
and  
Screening properties of Charmonia

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# Deconfined open charm in HIC ?



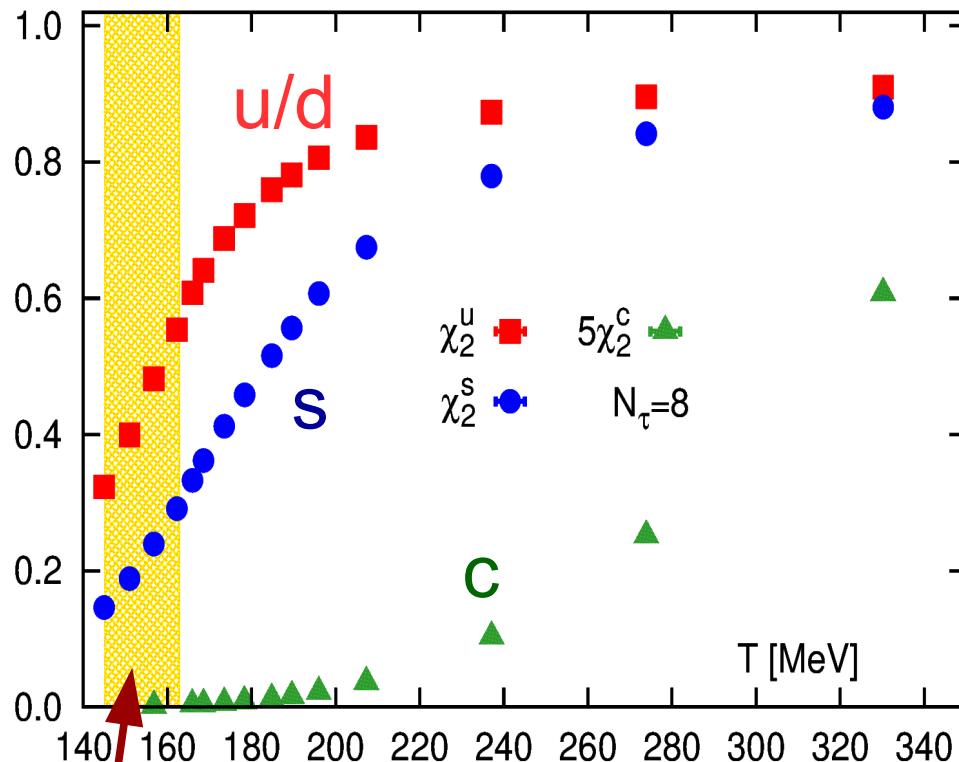
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partonic nature of  
charm degrees of  
freedom

- ✓ when do the open charm hadrons start to deconfine ?
- ✓ role of chiral crossover ?
- ✓ what are the open charm hadrons during the freeze-out ?

Lattice QCD

# Role of chiral crossover on charm deconfinement ?



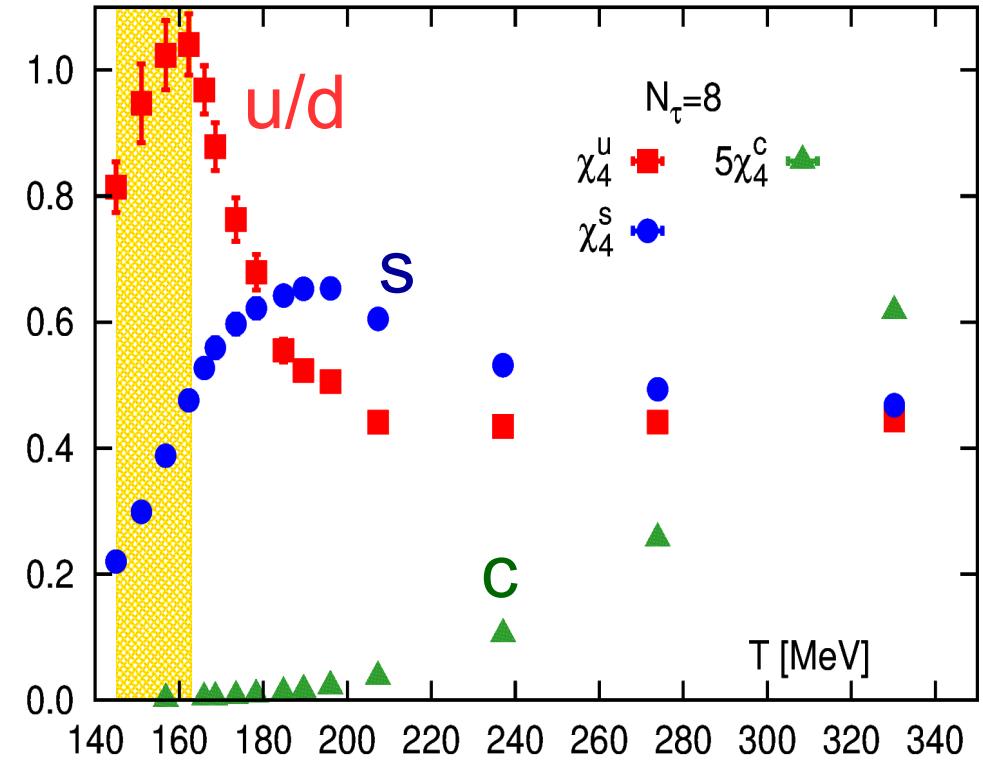
2<sup>nd</sup> order quark number fluctuations

chiral crossover:

$$T_c = 154 \pm 9 \text{ MeV}$$

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4<sup>th</sup> order quark number fluctuations

liberation of quark DoF:  $N_c^0 \rightarrow N_c$   
rise in quark number fluctuations

# Proper observables: conserved number correlations

probe quantum numbers associated with the DoF

baryon(B)/charge(Q)/strangeness(S)/charm(C) correlations

$$P = p/T^4$$

$$\chi_{mn}^{XY} = \left. \frac{\partial^{m+n} P}{\partial^m \hat{\mu}_X \partial^n \hat{\mu}_Y} \right|_{\mu_X = \mu_Y = 0}$$

$$\chi_{0n}^{XY} \equiv \chi_n^Y$$

$$\hat{\mu}_x = \mu_x / T$$

$$\hat{m} = m / T$$

hadron gas:  $P_h \sim f(\hat{m}_h) \exp[-B_h \hat{\mu}_B - Q_h \hat{\mu}_Q - S_h \hat{\mu}_S - C_h \hat{\mu}_C]$

$$\chi_{nm}^{BX} = B^n \times F(\hat{m})$$

$$\chi_{nm}^{BX} - \chi_{km}^{BX} = (B^n - B^k) \times F(\hat{m})$$

depends on hadron spectra



= 0 when B=1, DoF are hadronic

=/= 0 when B=1/3, DoF are quark like  
irrespective of the hadron spectra

## Example: strangeness

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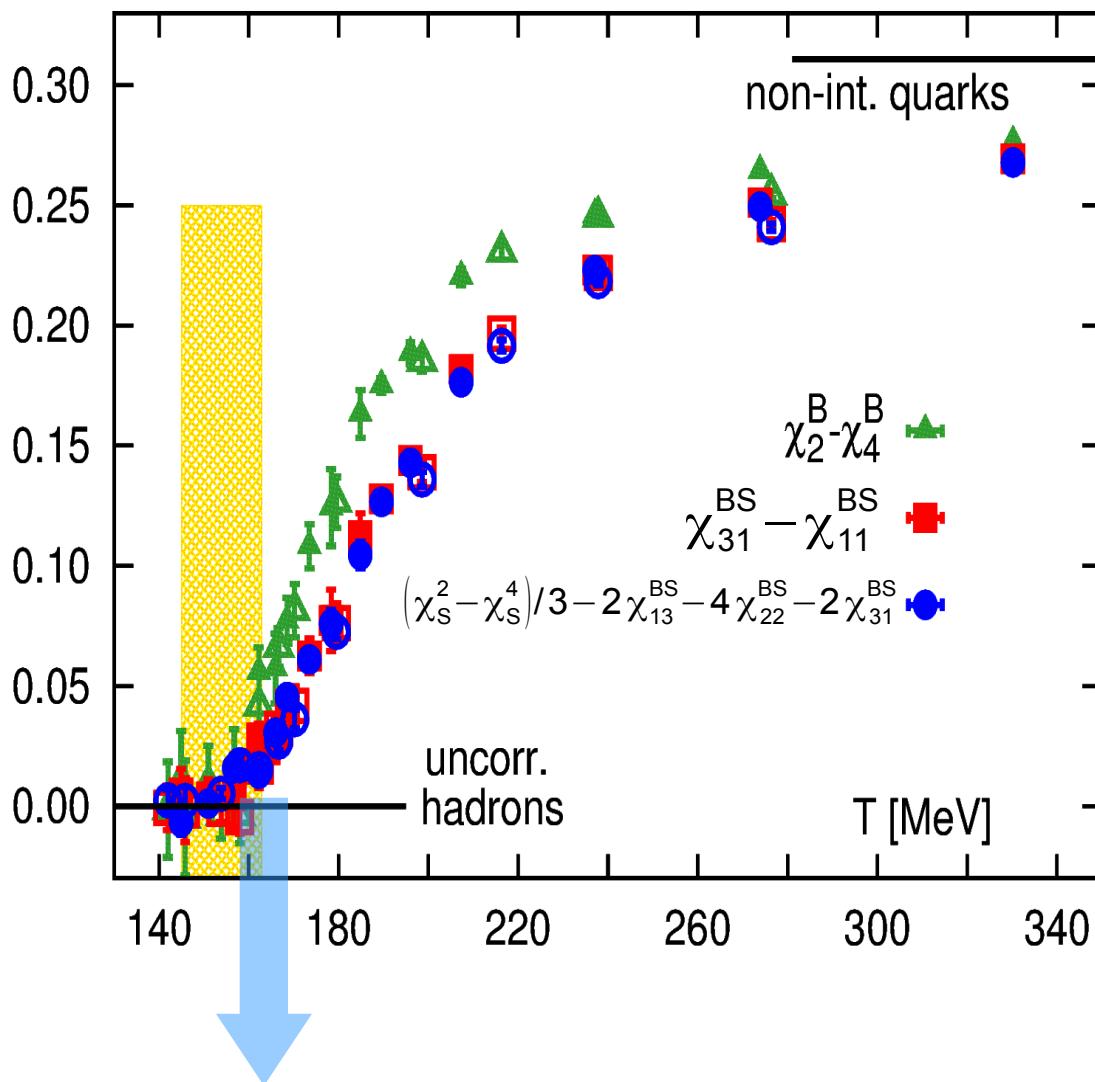
$$S_1 = 0 \text{ for } B = 0, 1$$

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if sDoF are quarks then B=1/3:  $S_1 \neq 0$

similarly:  $\chi_4^B - \chi_2^B = (B^4 - B^2) \times f(m_{u,d,s}^{\text{had}})$

## Example: strangeness



deconfinement & chiral crossovers in same temperature range

sDoF appears with fractional baryon number

# Charm DoF

hadron gas:  $P^C = P_M^C \cosh[\hat{\mu}_C] + \sum_{k=1,2,3} P_B^{C=k} \cosh[B\hat{\mu}_B + k\hat{\mu}_C]$

$P_M^C$ : partial pressure of  $|C|=0$  mesons  
 $P_B^{C=k}$ : partial pressure of  $|C|=k$  baryons

relative contribution of  
 $C=2,3$  baryons negligible:  
 $\times 1000$  suppressed for  
 $T \sim 150$  MeV

$$\chi_{mn}^{BC} = B^m P_B^{C=1} + B^m 2^n P_B^{C=2} + B^m 3^n P_B^{C=3} \simeq B^m P_B^{C=1}$$

weakly interacting charm quasi-quarks:  $P^C = F(m_c) \cosh[B\hat{\mu}_B + \hat{\mu}_C]$

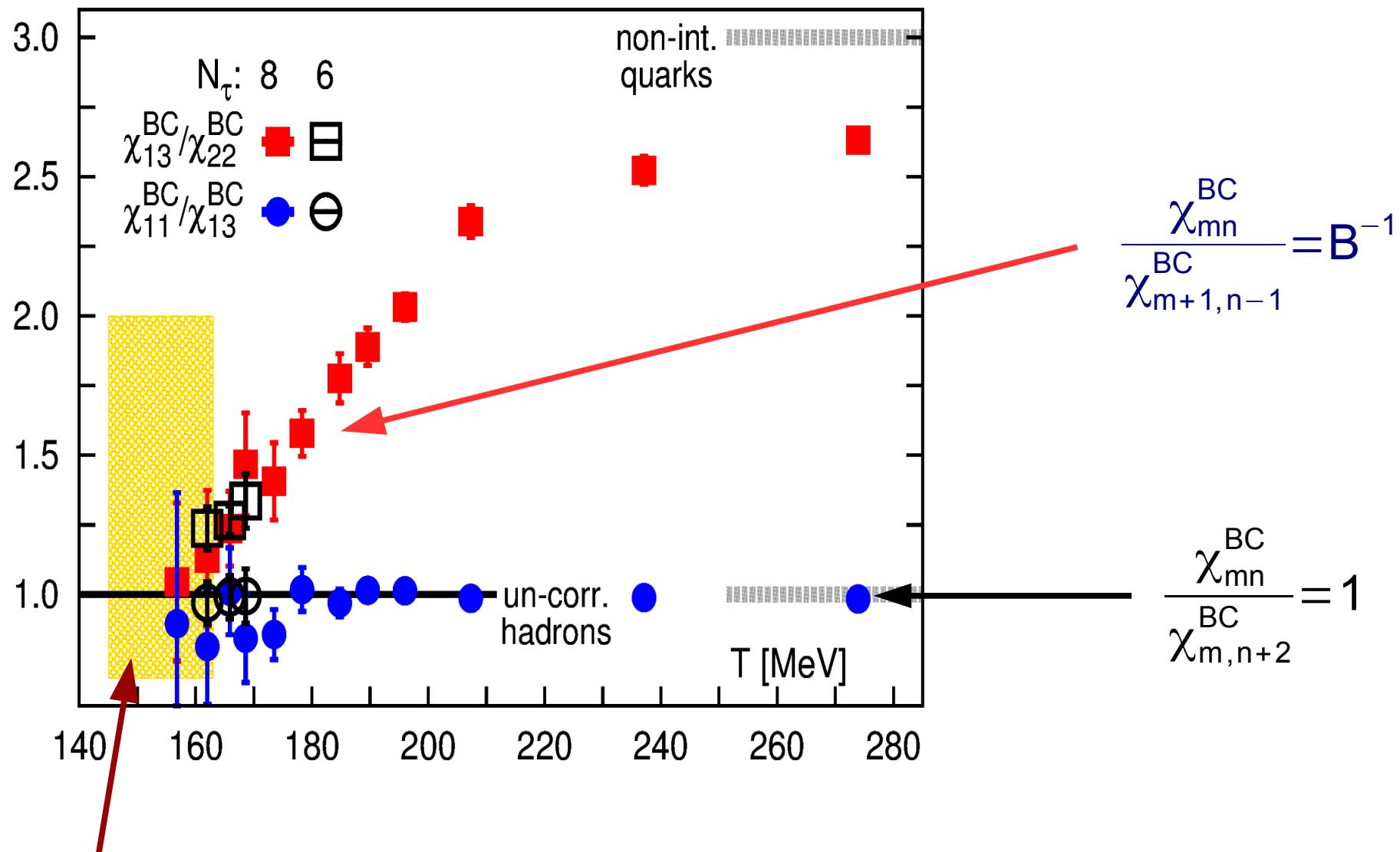
$$\chi_{mn}^{BC} = B^m F(m_c)$$

$$\frac{\chi_{mn}^{BC}}{\chi_{m+1,n-1}^{BC}} = B^{-1}$$

$$\frac{\chi_{mn}^{BC}}{\chi_{m,n+2}^{BC}} = 1$$

independent of mass spectra

# Deconfinement of open charm baryons



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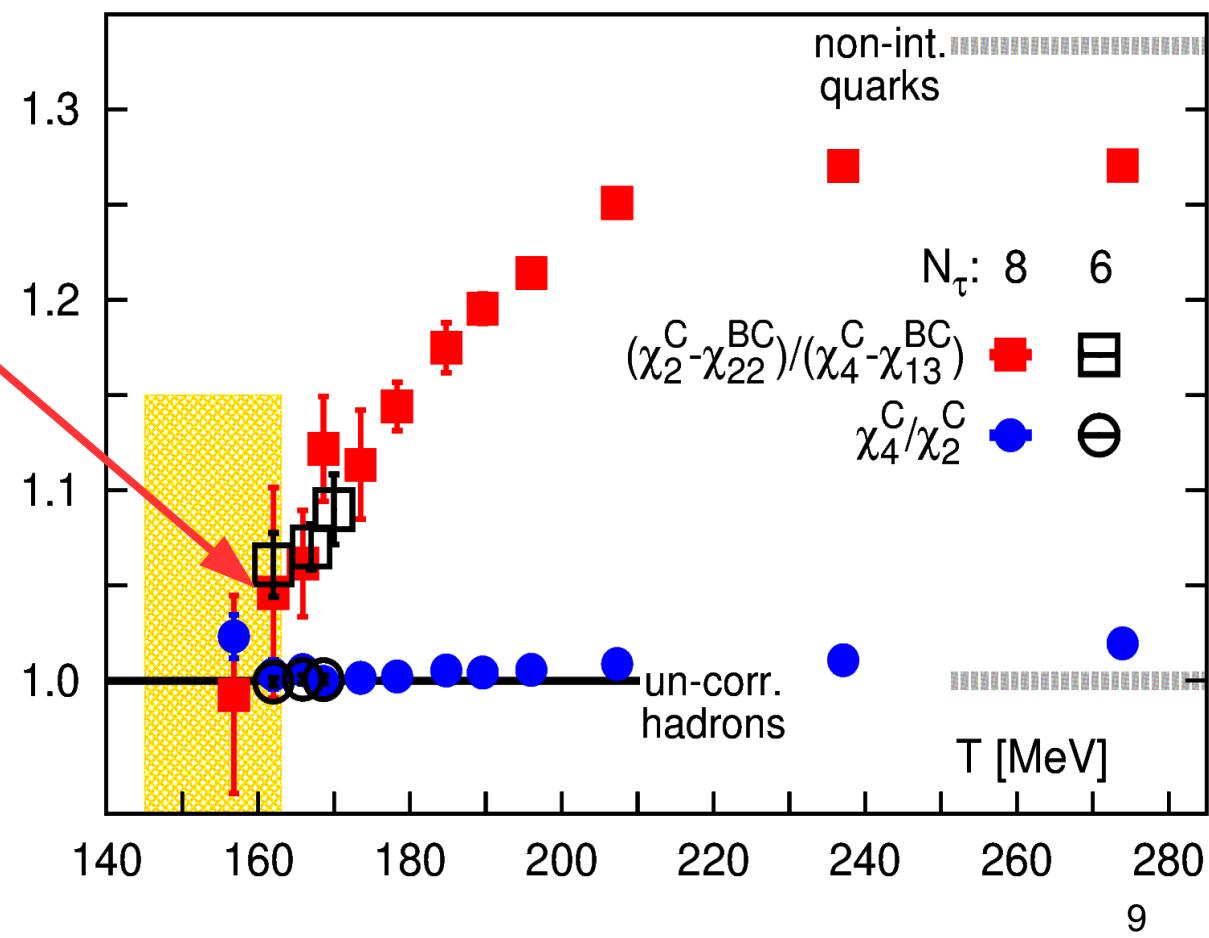
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$$P_M^C = \chi_2^C - \chi_{22}^{BC} = \chi_4^C - \chi_{13}^{BC}$$

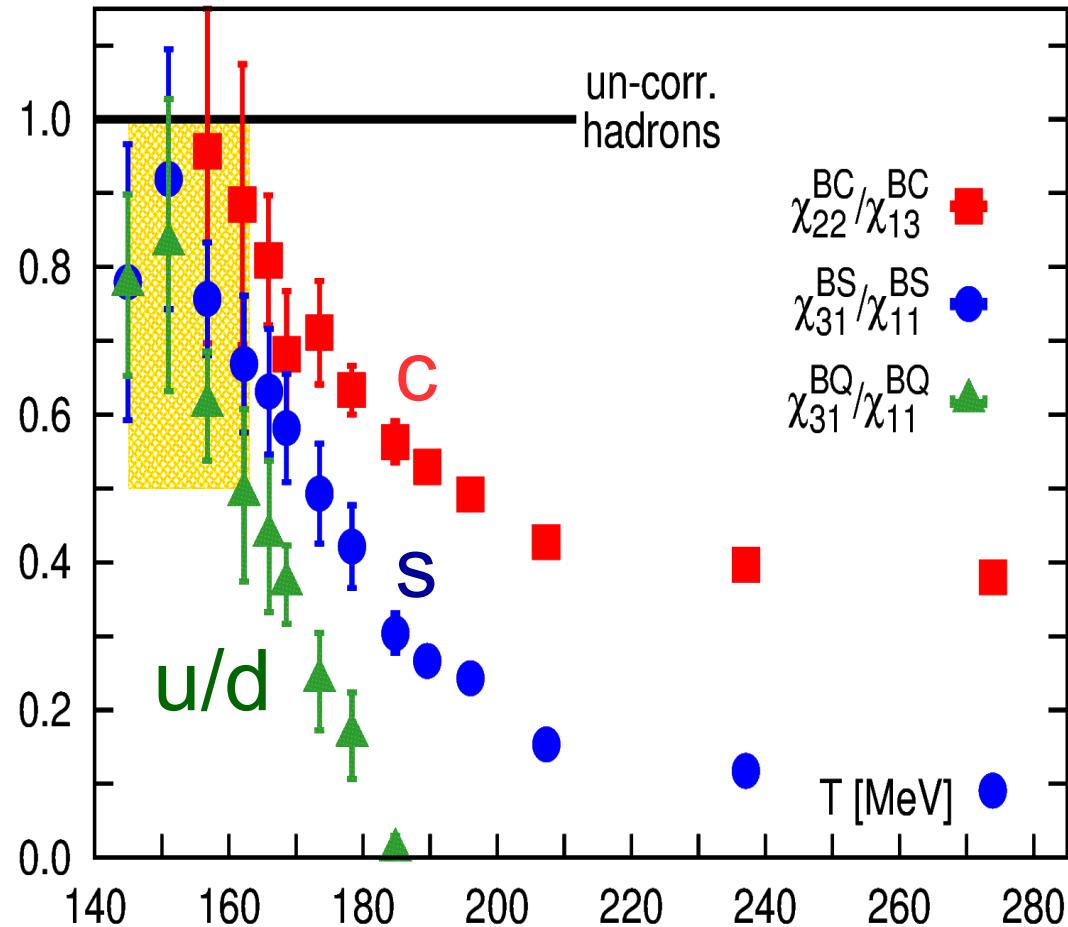
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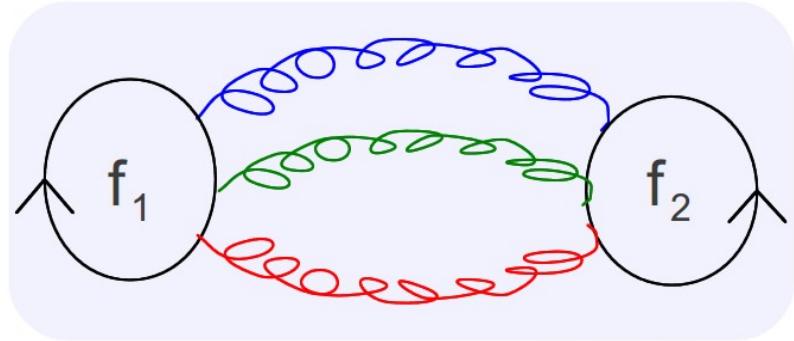
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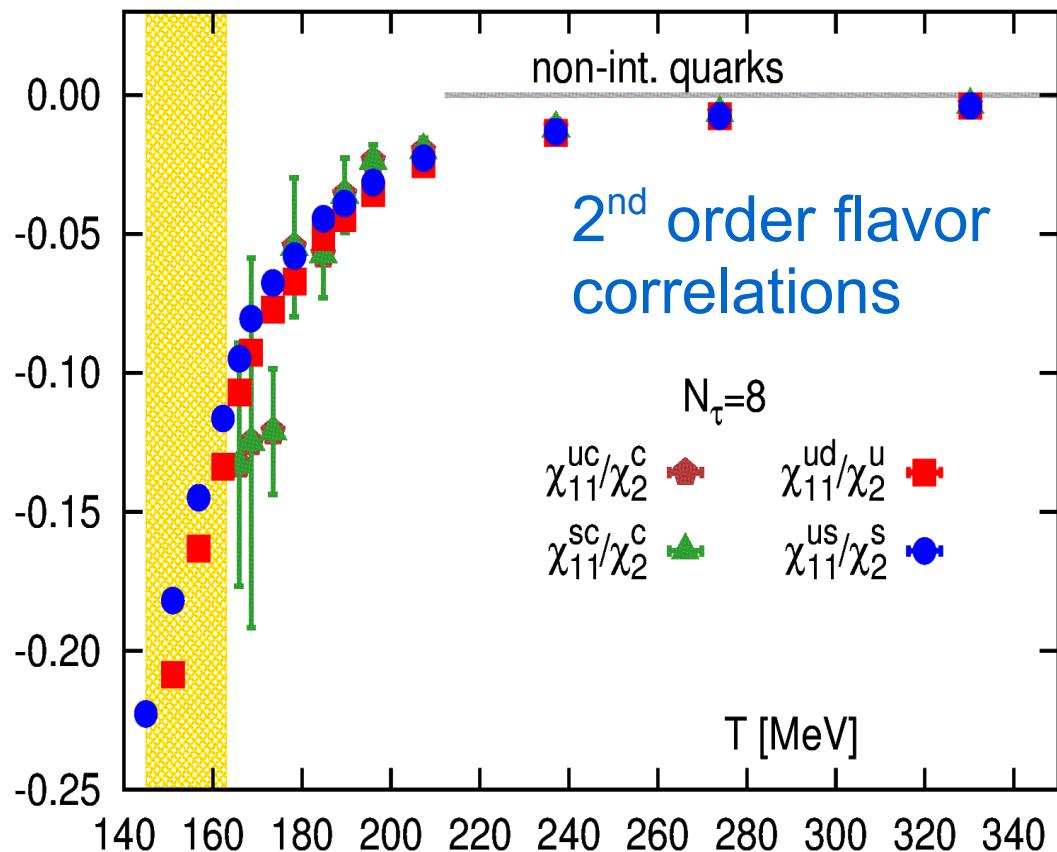
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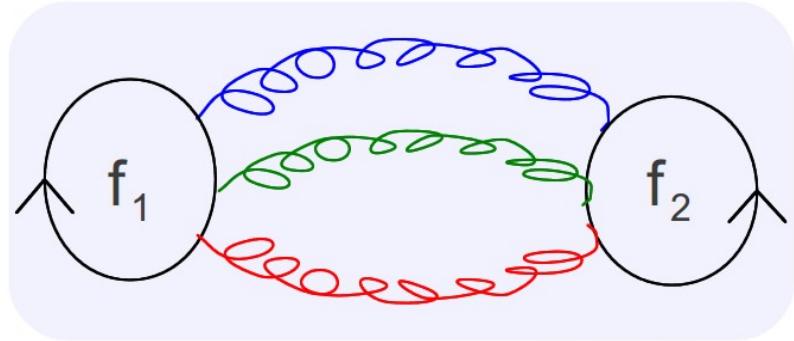
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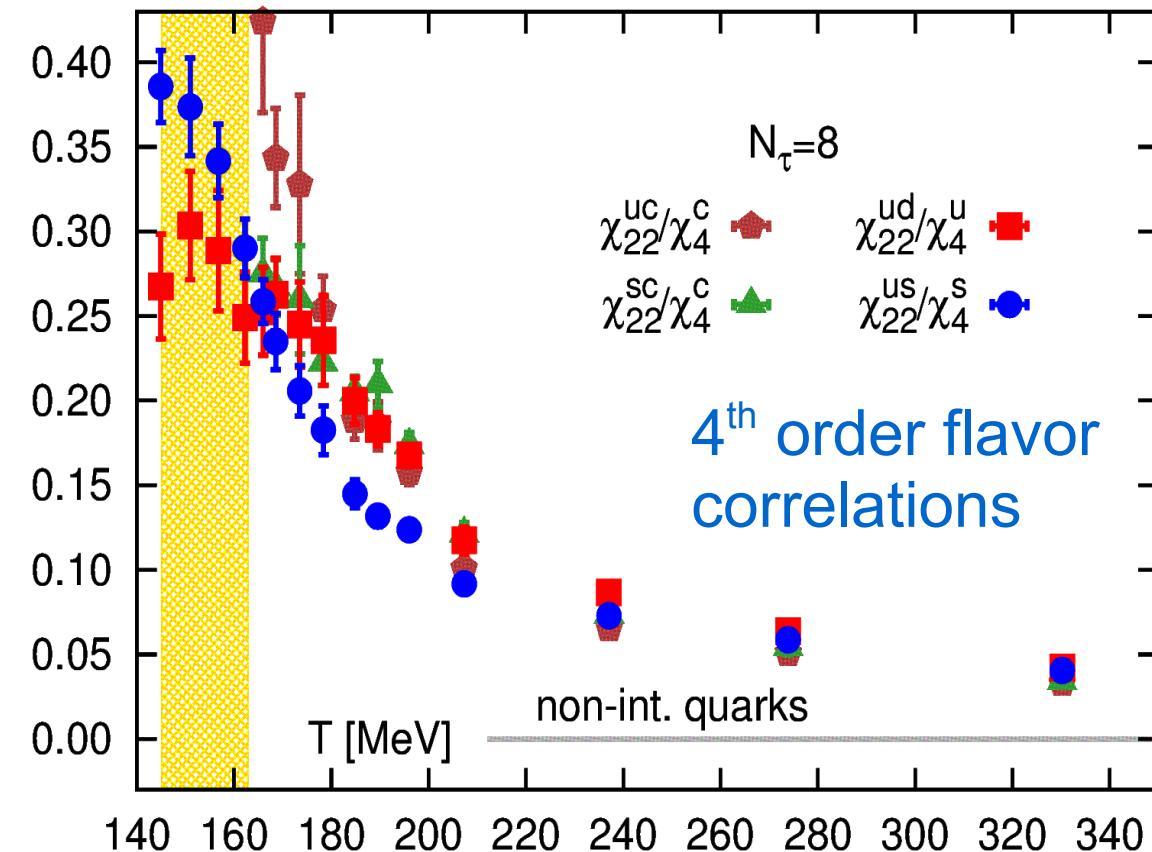
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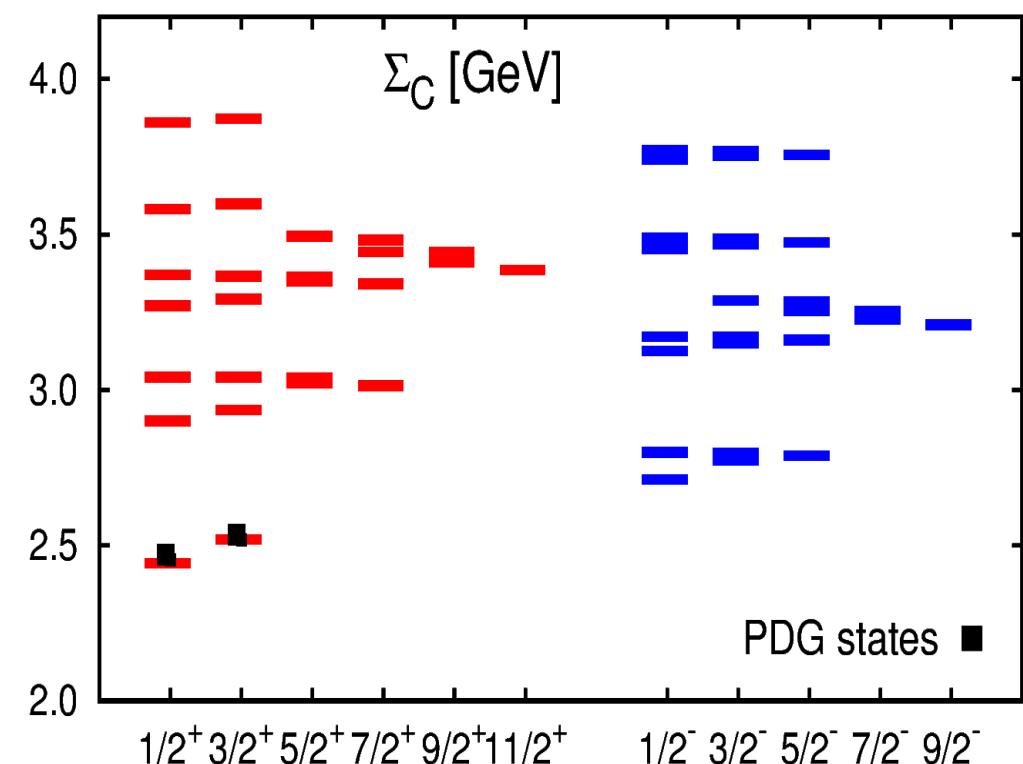
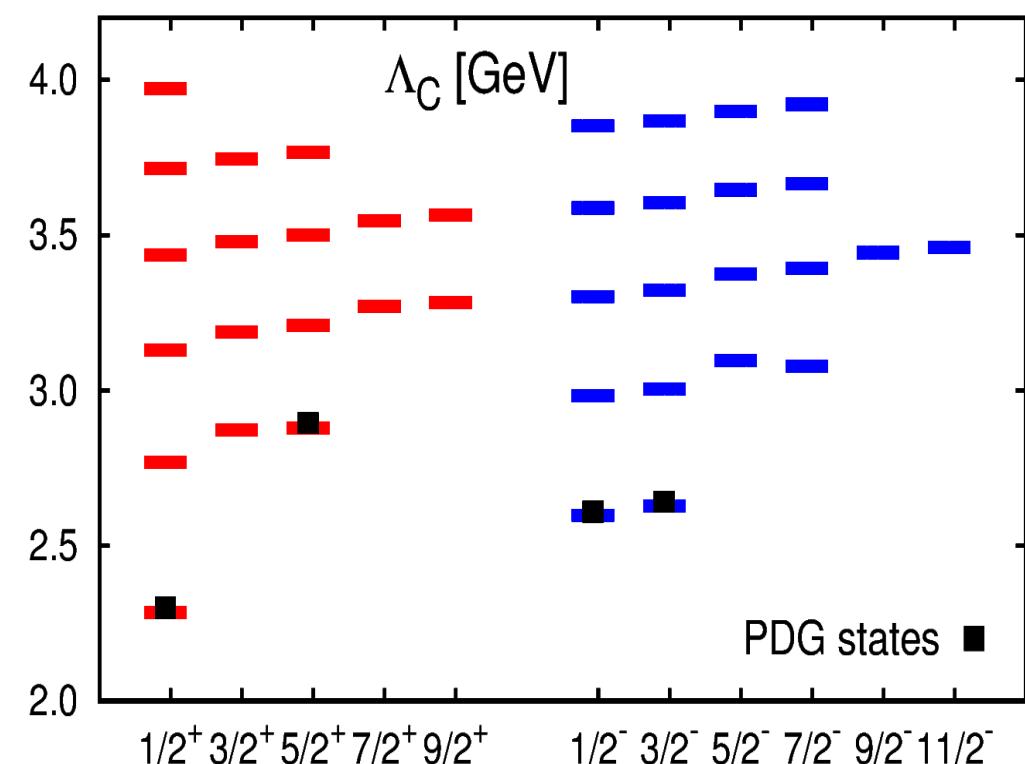
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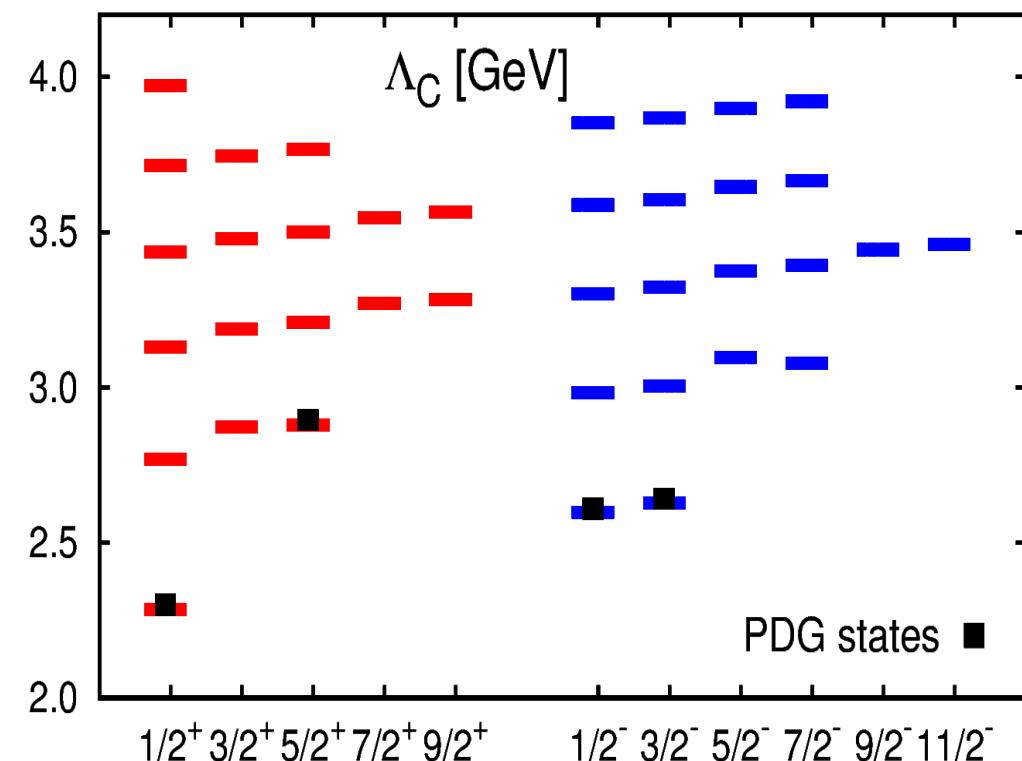
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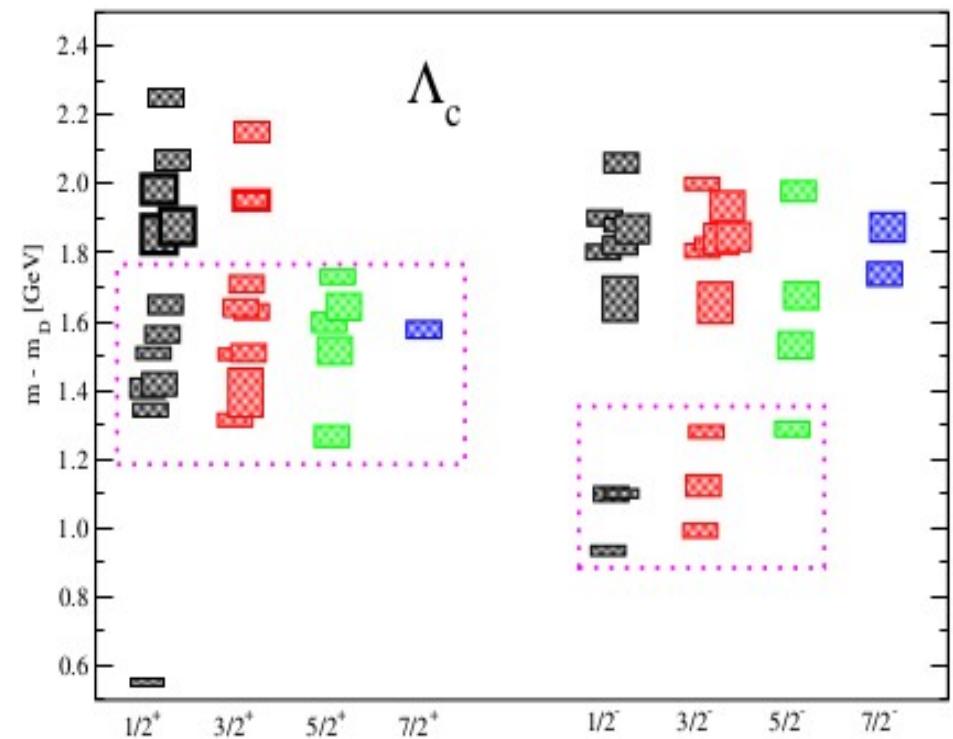
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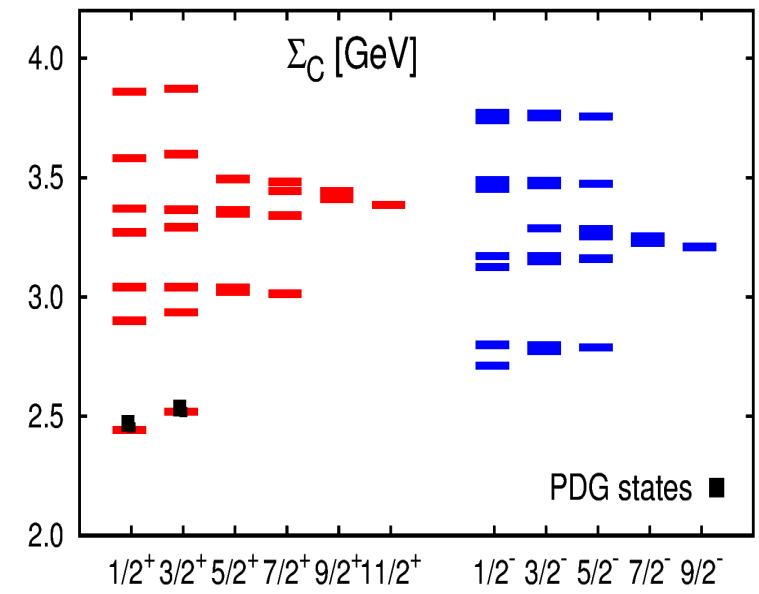
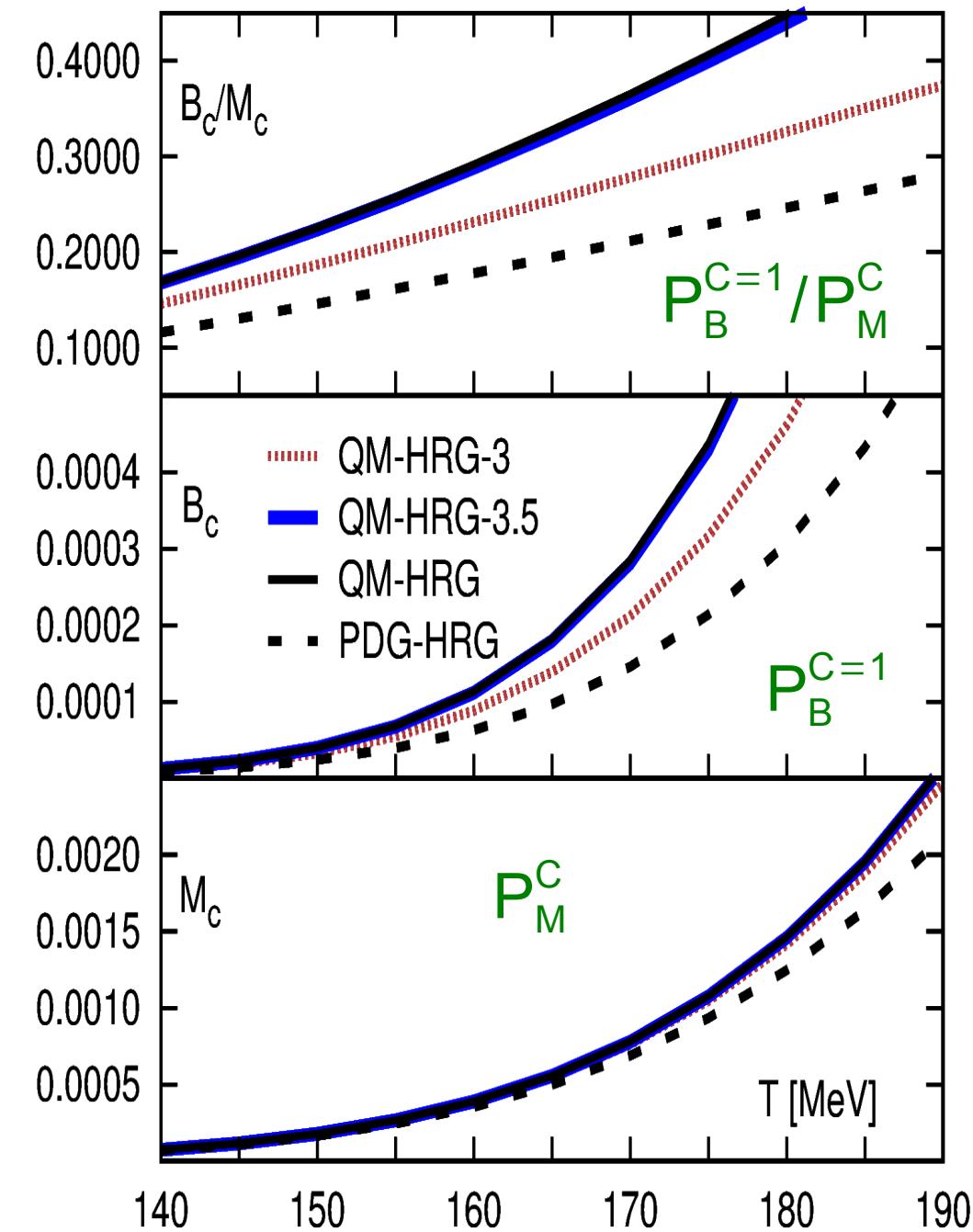


LQCD



Padmanath et.al.:  
arXiv:1311.4806 [hep-lat]

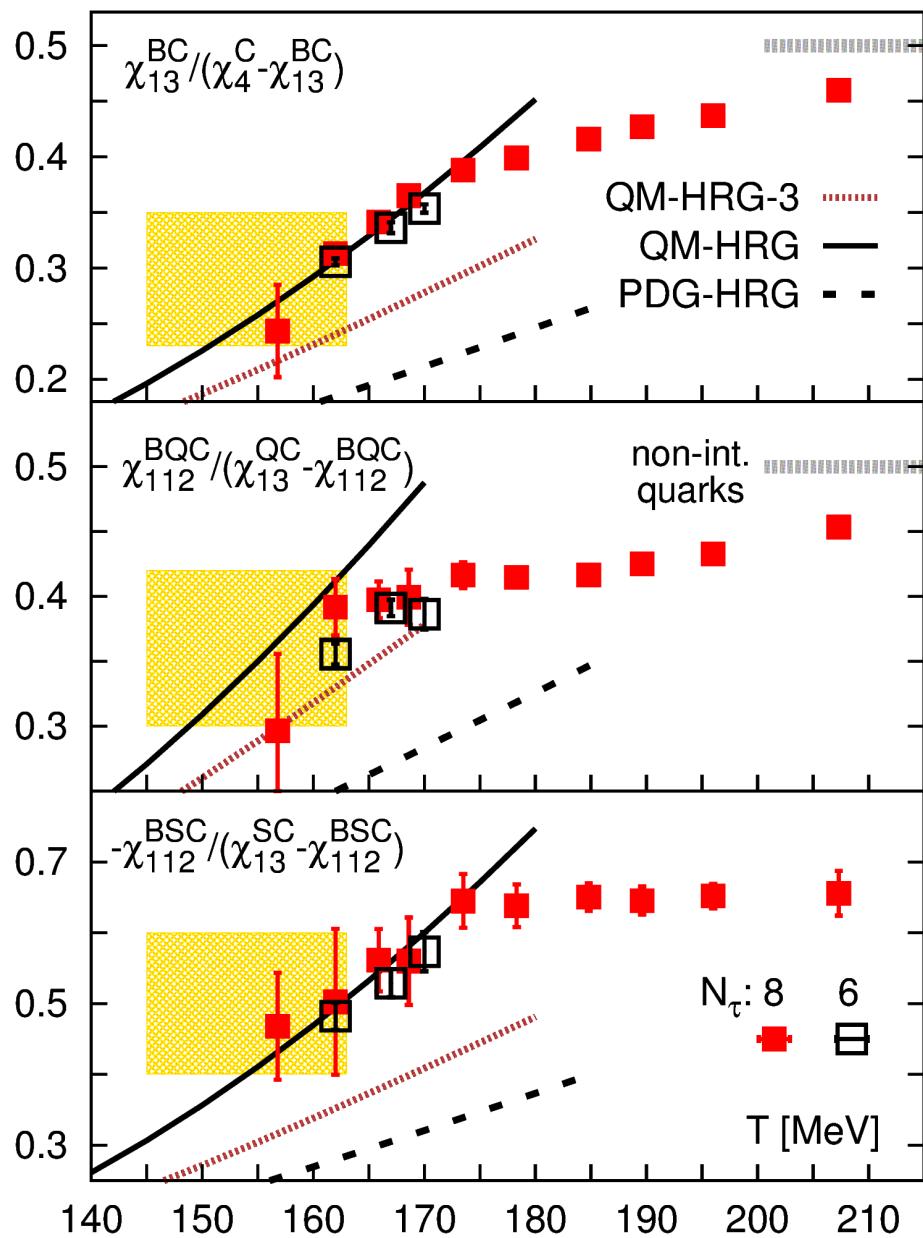
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$P_B^{C=1}$  : partial pressure of  
|C|=1 baryons

$P_M^C$  : partial pressure of  
C=/=0 mesons

# Signature of unobserved charm baryons



relative contributions:

charm baryons to  
charmed mesons

$$\chi_{13}^{\text{BC}} / (\chi_4^{\text{C}} - \chi_{13}^{\text{BC}}) = P_B^{\text{C}=1} / P_M^{\text{C}}$$

charged charm baryons to  
charged charmed mesons

strange charm baryons to  
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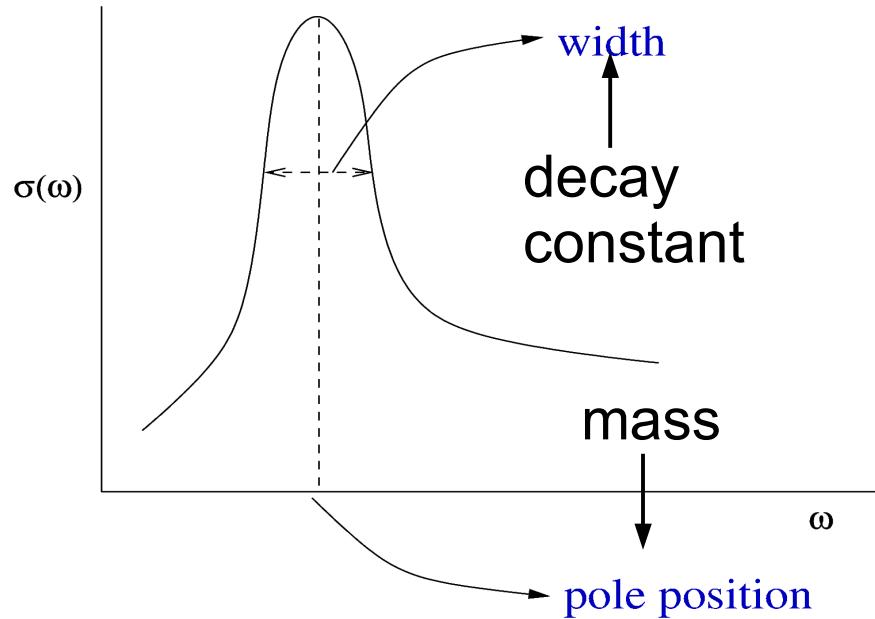
signatures of additional,  
unobserved charm baryons  
from QCD thermodynamics

# Charmonia melting from LQCD via analytic continuation

temporal correlation function of charmonia  
always limited to physical distance of  $1/T$

$$C(\tau, T) = \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \sigma(\omega, T) \frac{\cosh[\omega(\tau - 1/2T)]}{\sinh(\omega/2T)}$$

spectral function

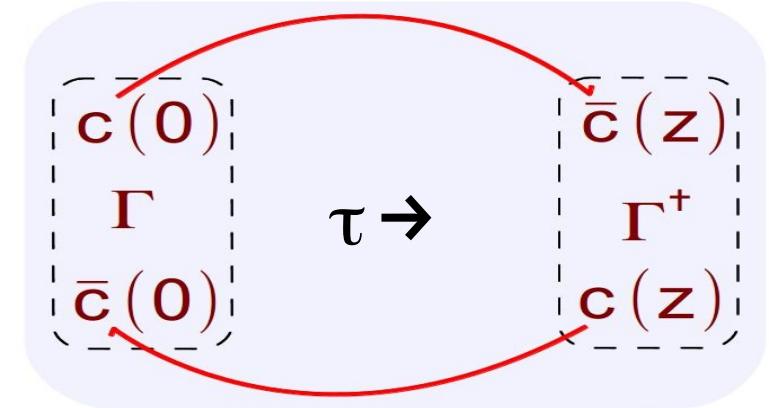


reconstruct through analytic continuation:  
Euclidean  $\rightarrow$  Minkowski

ill-posed:  
Bayesian (maximum entropy) method

require lattices with very large  
temporal extents

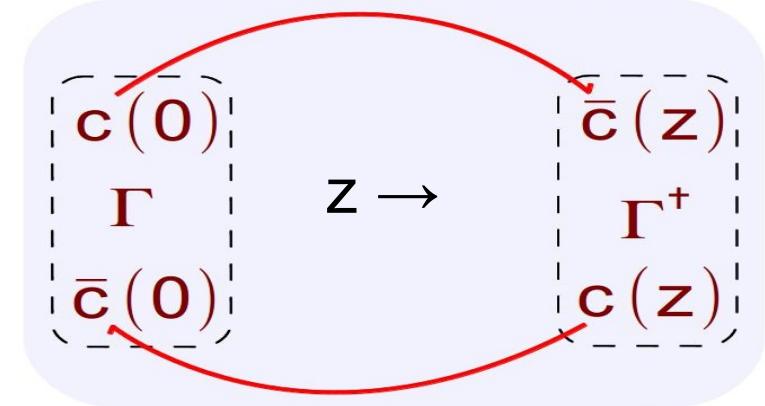
complementary avenue: spatial correlation functions



# Spatial correlations of charmonia

spatial (screening) correlation functions  
of charmonia

$$C(z, T) = \int_0^\infty \frac{2d\omega}{\omega} \int_{-\infty}^\infty dp_z e^{izp_z} \sigma(\omega, p_z, T)$$

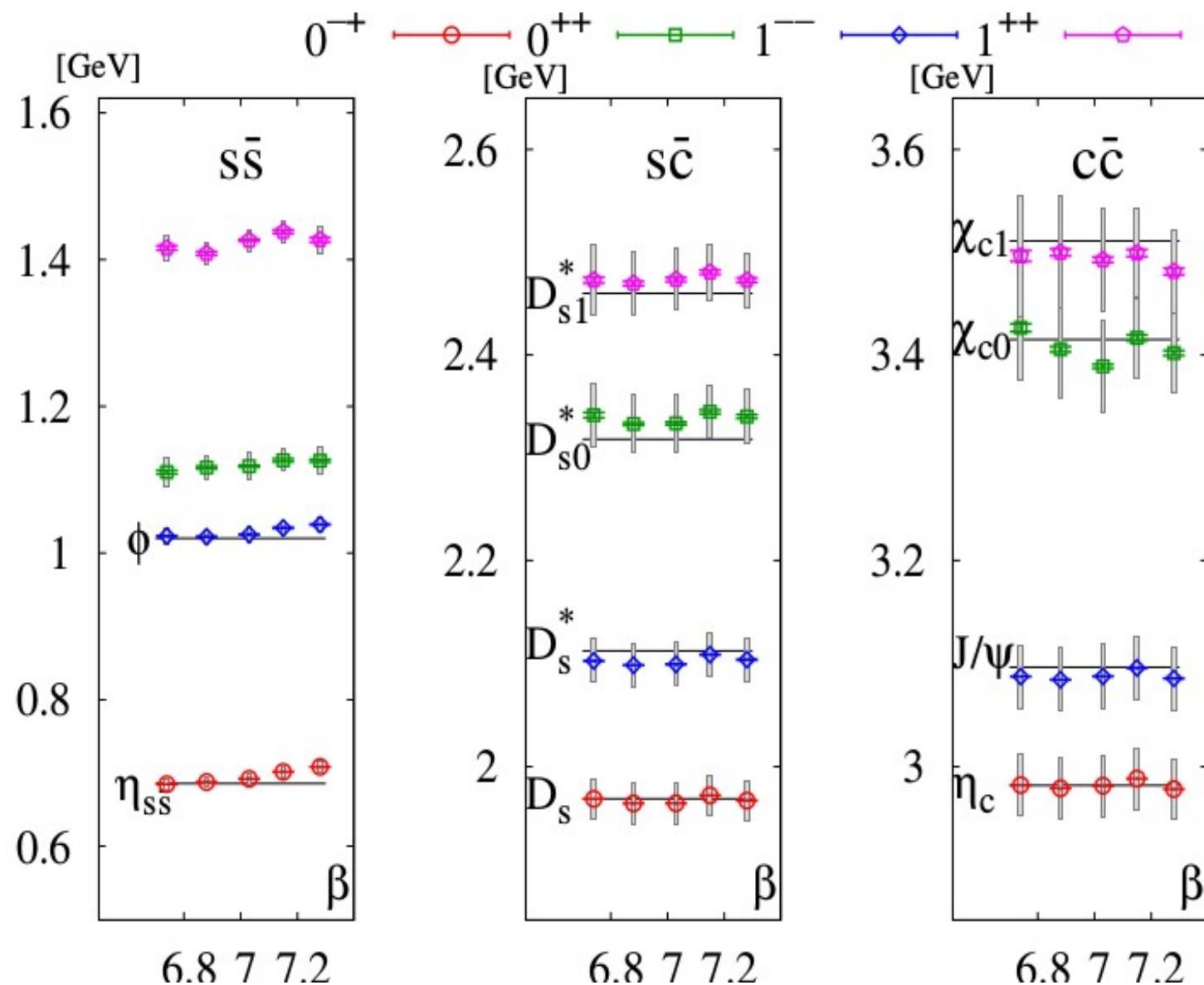


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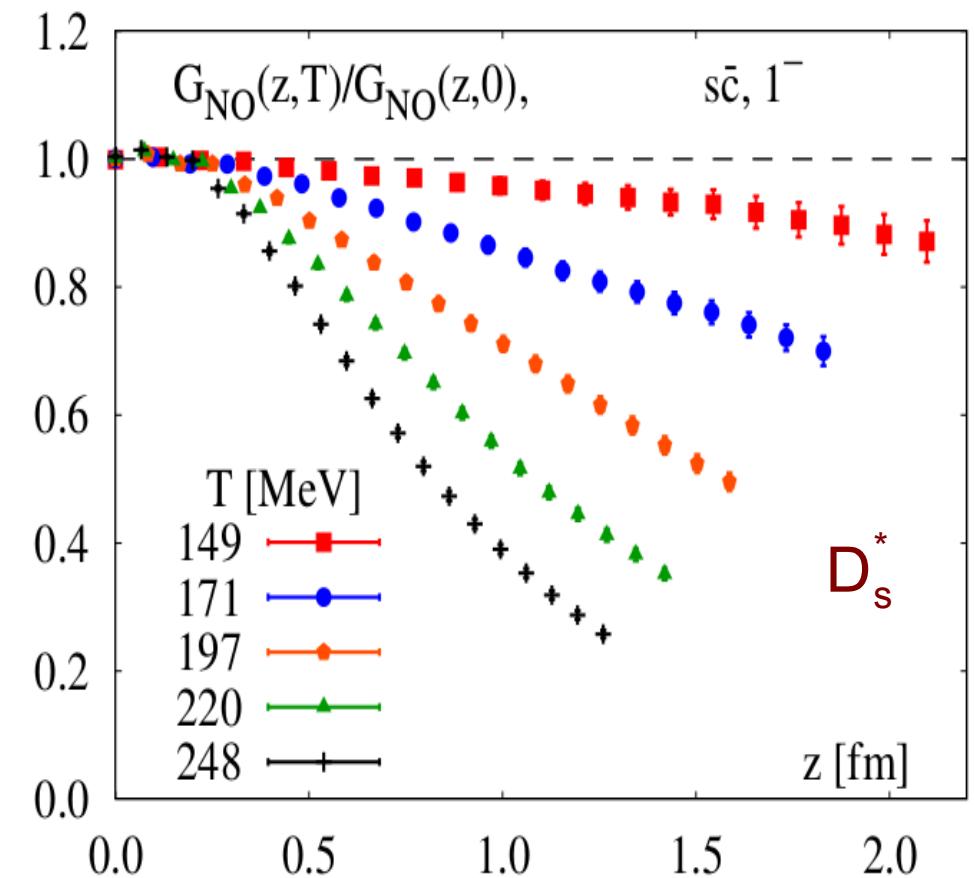
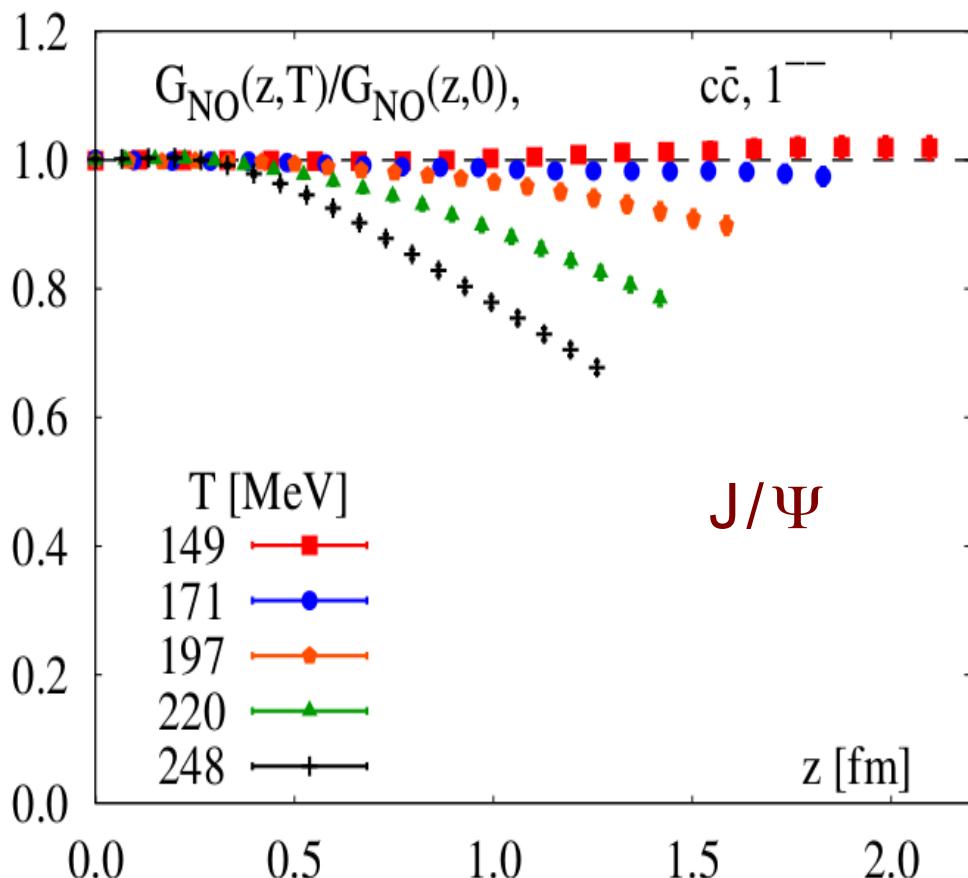
spatial correlation function:

- ✓ is not limited to the physical distance of  $1/T$
- ✓ transport-type zero mode contribution:  $\sigma(\omega) \sim \omega \delta(\omega)$   
does not lead to a non-decaying constant at large distances,  
only generates a contact term
- ✓ the kernel is  $T$  independent  $\rightarrow$  direct comparison with  $T=0$ ,  
thermal modification of spectral  
function itself

# Charm meson spectra at T=0



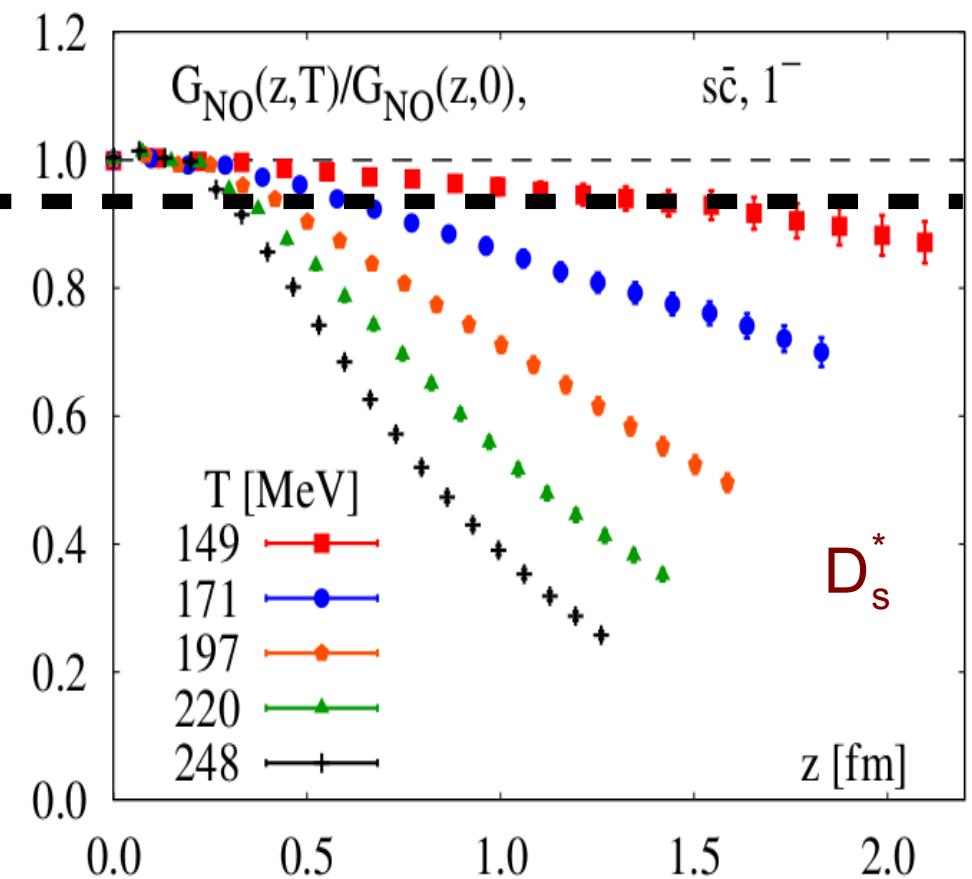
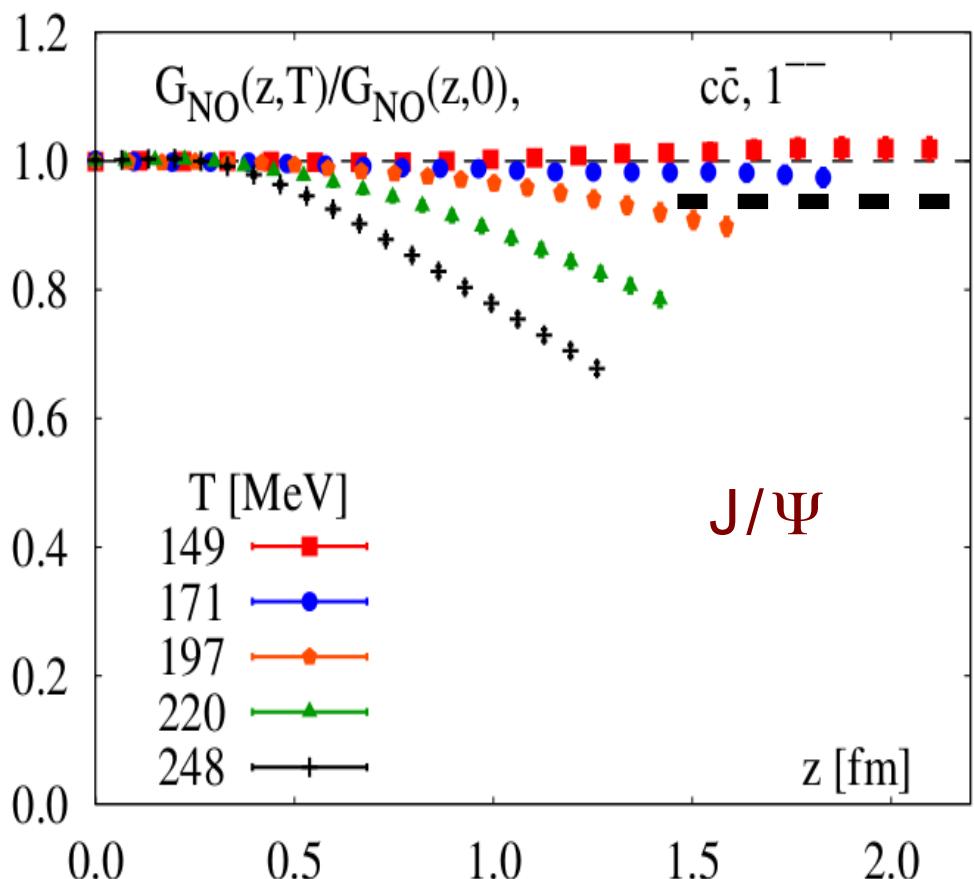
# In-medium charm mesons: $J/\Psi$ vs. $D_s^*$



ratios of  $T > 0$  to  $T = 0$  spatial correlators

$=/ \approx 1 \leftarrow$  thermal modification of the spectral function

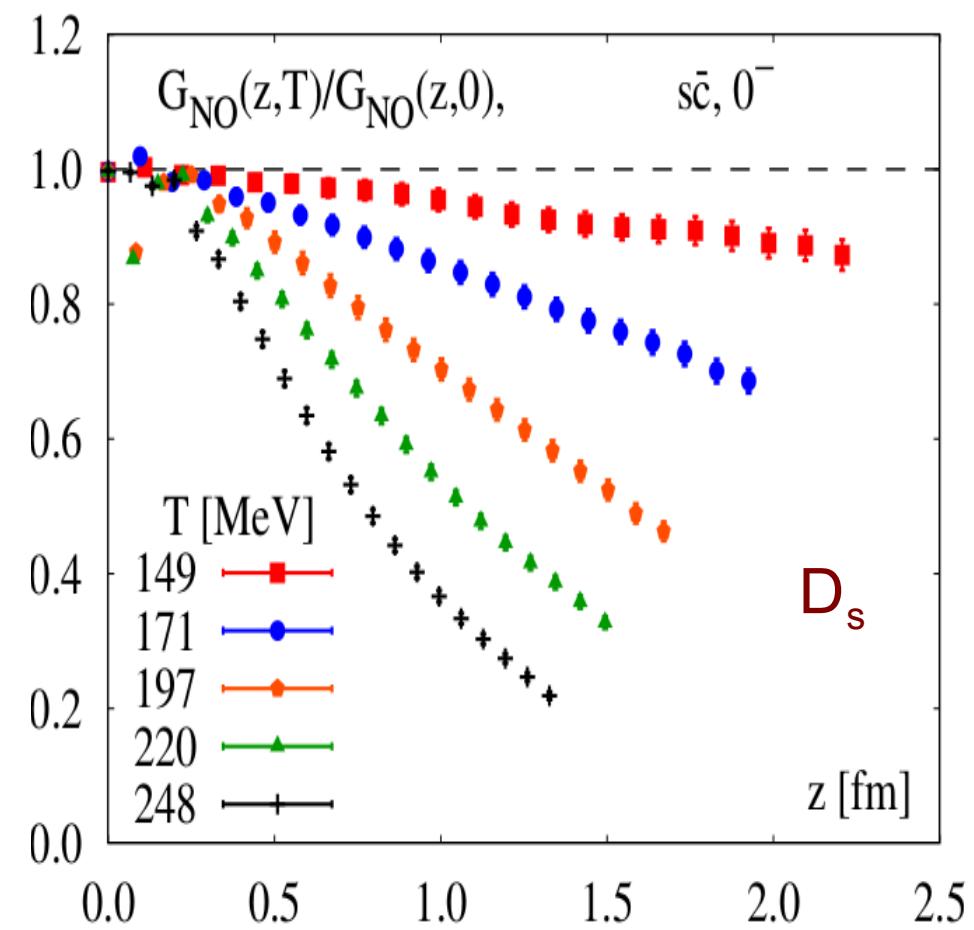
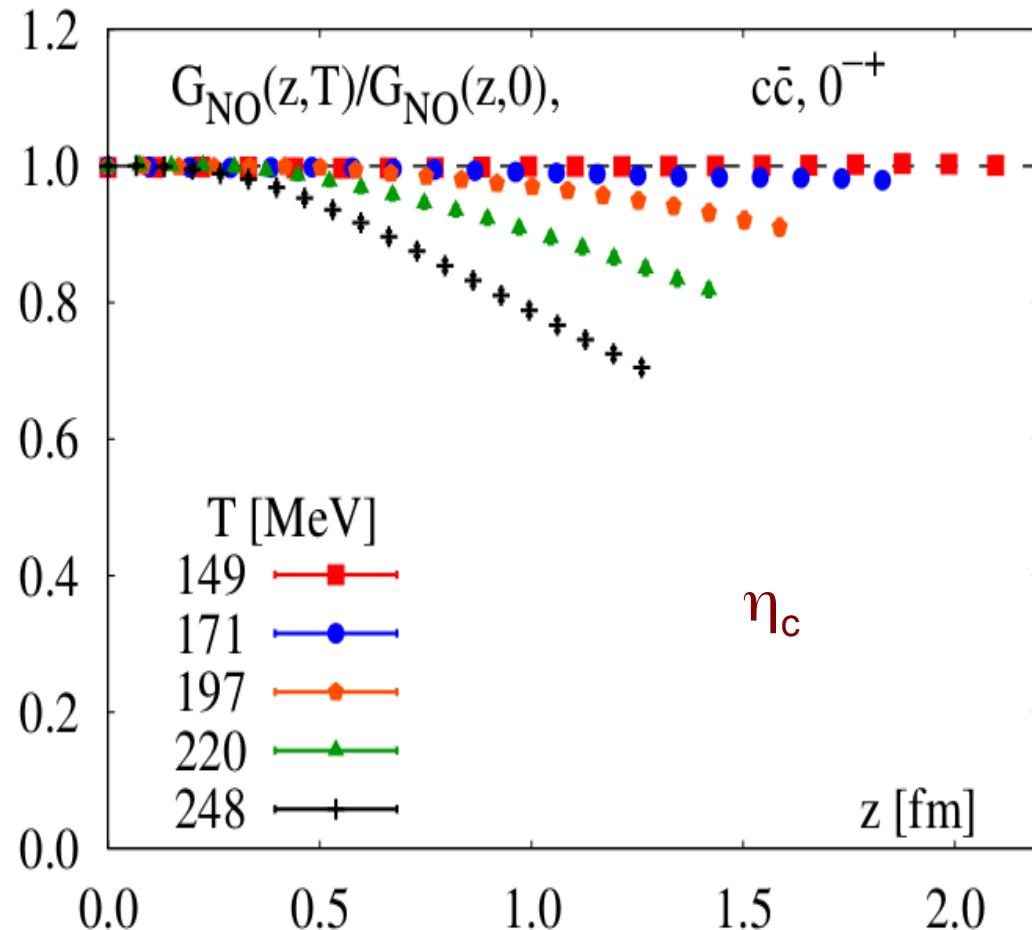
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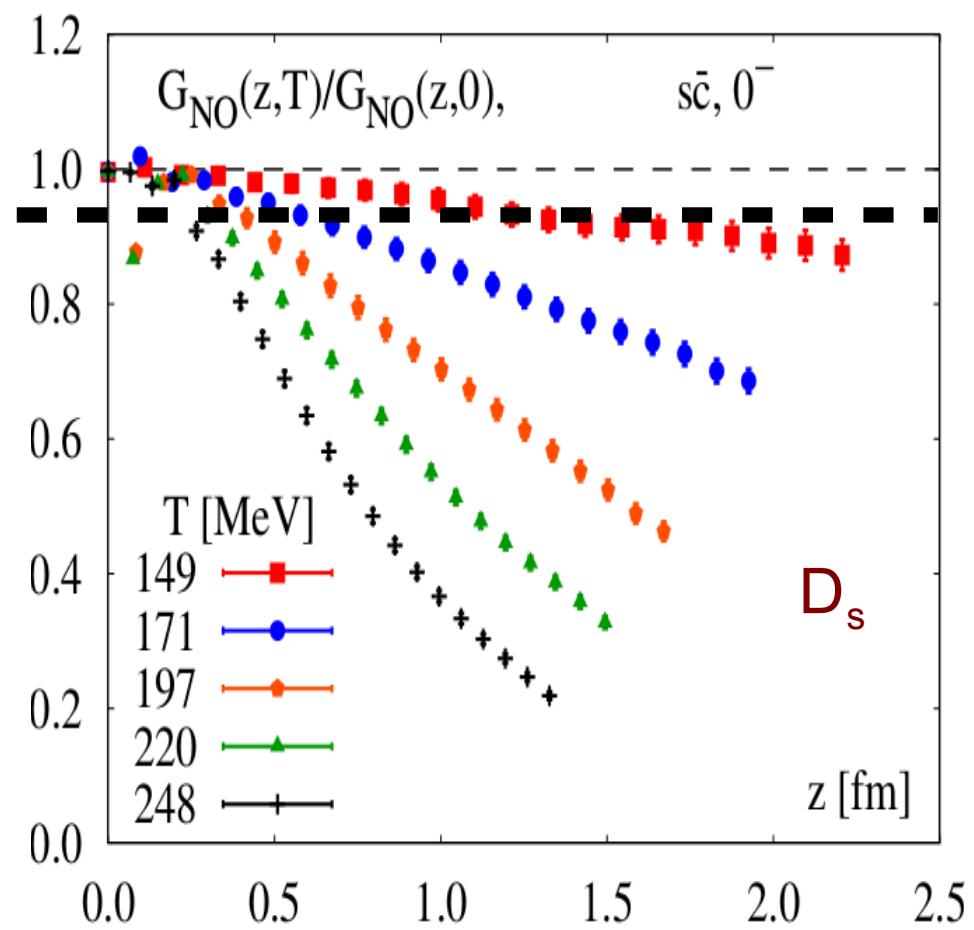
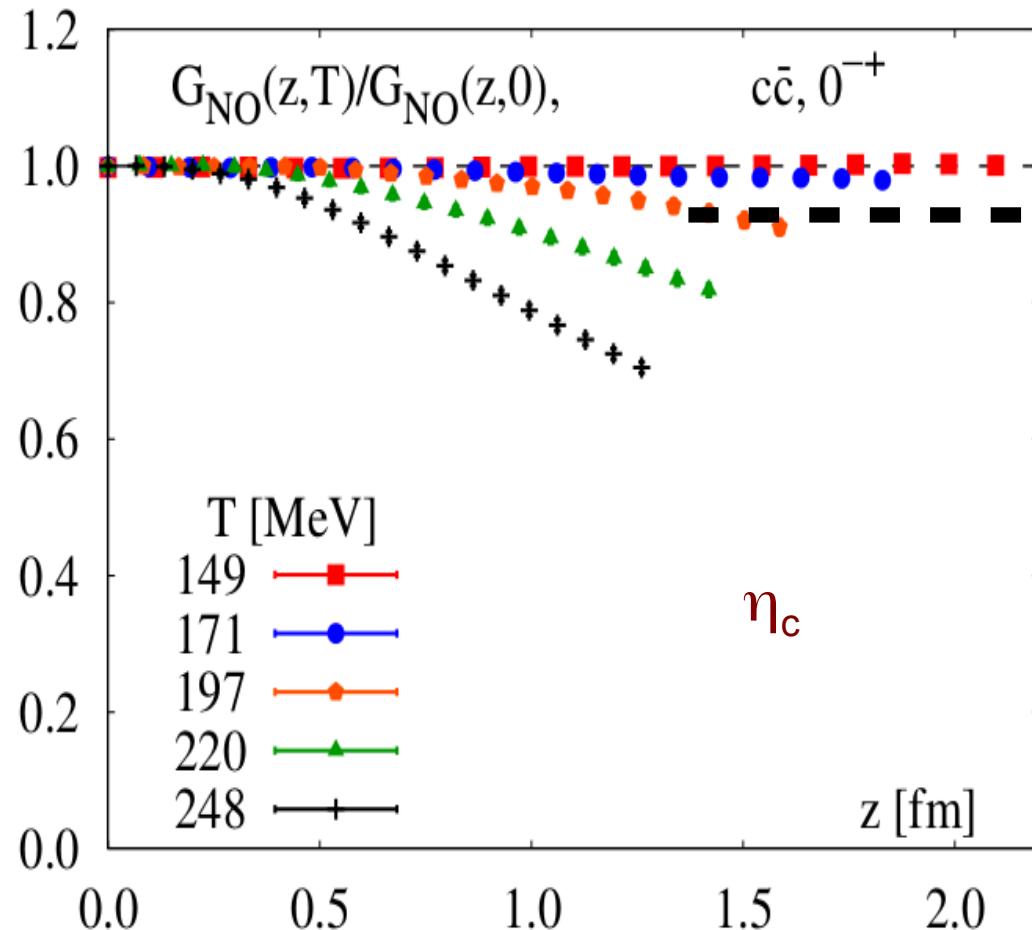
thermal modifications are already significant for  $T \gtrsim T_c$ ?

remember:  
open charm mesons starts to deconfine at  $T \simeq T_c$

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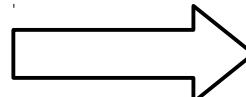
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$$C(z \rightarrow \infty, T) \sim e^{-Mz}$$

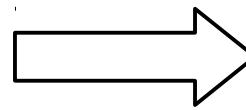
M : screening mass

high T, non-interacting quark–antiquark pair:



$$M = 2 \sqrt{(\pi T)^2 + m_c^2}$$

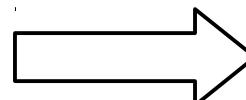
low T, well-defined mesonic bound state:  $\sigma(\omega, p_z) \sim \delta(\omega^2 - p_z^2 - m_{\text{mes}}^2)$



$$M = m_{\text{mes}}$$

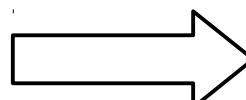
a trick: one can study the onset of T dependence of M more clearly by imposing a periodic temporal boundary conditions for the valence charm quarks along with the usual anti-periodic ones

high T, no minimal Matsubara mode:



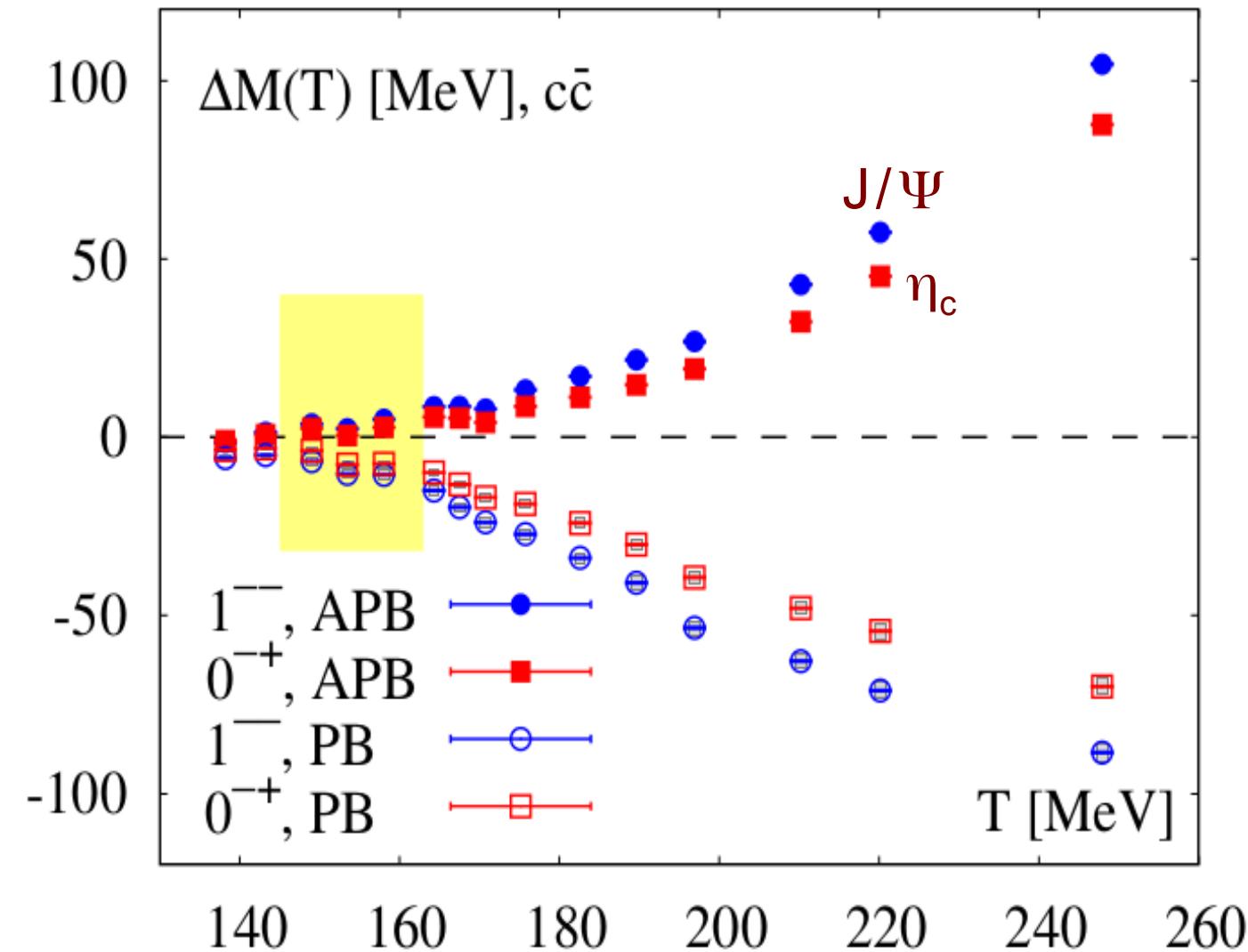
$$M = 2 m_c$$

low T, bosonic meson bound states insensitive to fermionic b.c at the quark level:



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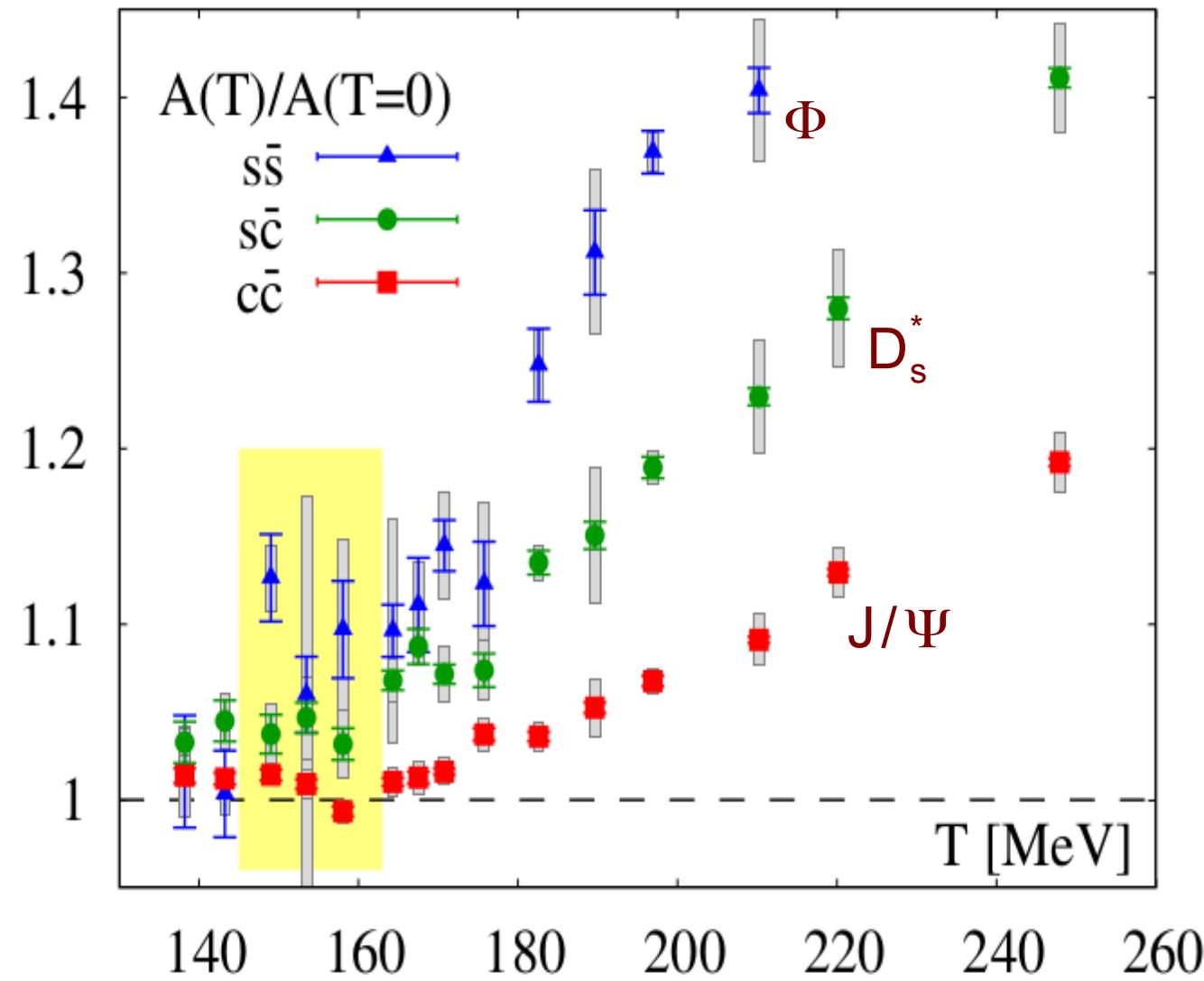
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$$\Delta M(T) = M_{\text{scr}}(T) - m_{\text{mes}}(0)$$

'proxy' for mass shift

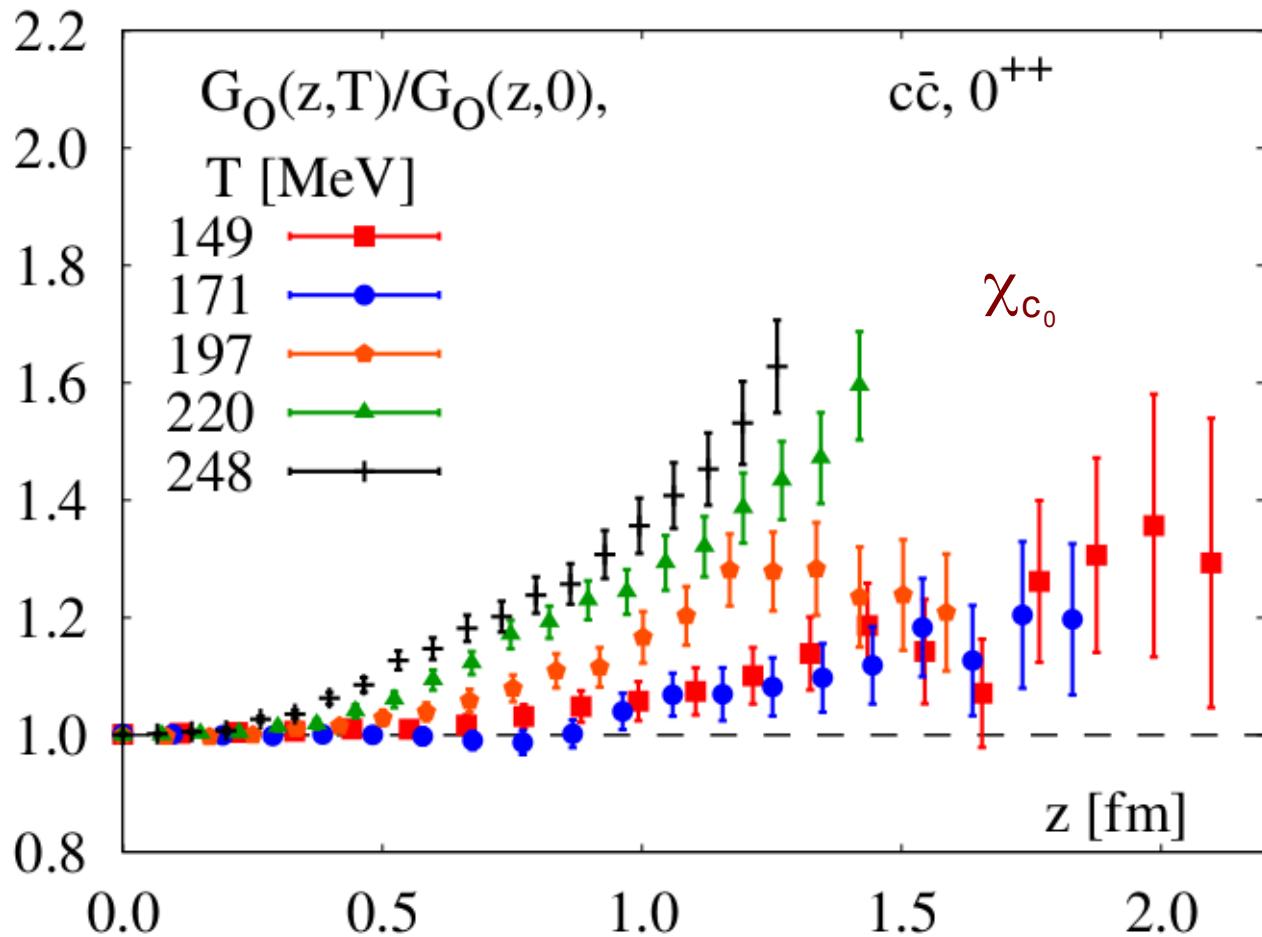
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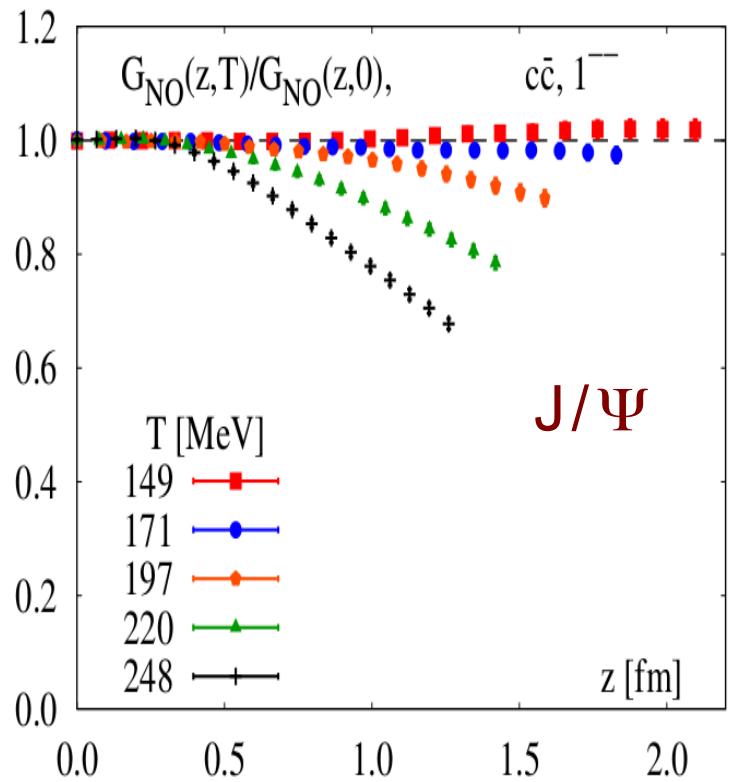
ratio of amplitudes  $\sim |\psi(0, T)|^2 / |\psi(0, 0)|^2$

'proxy' for broadening

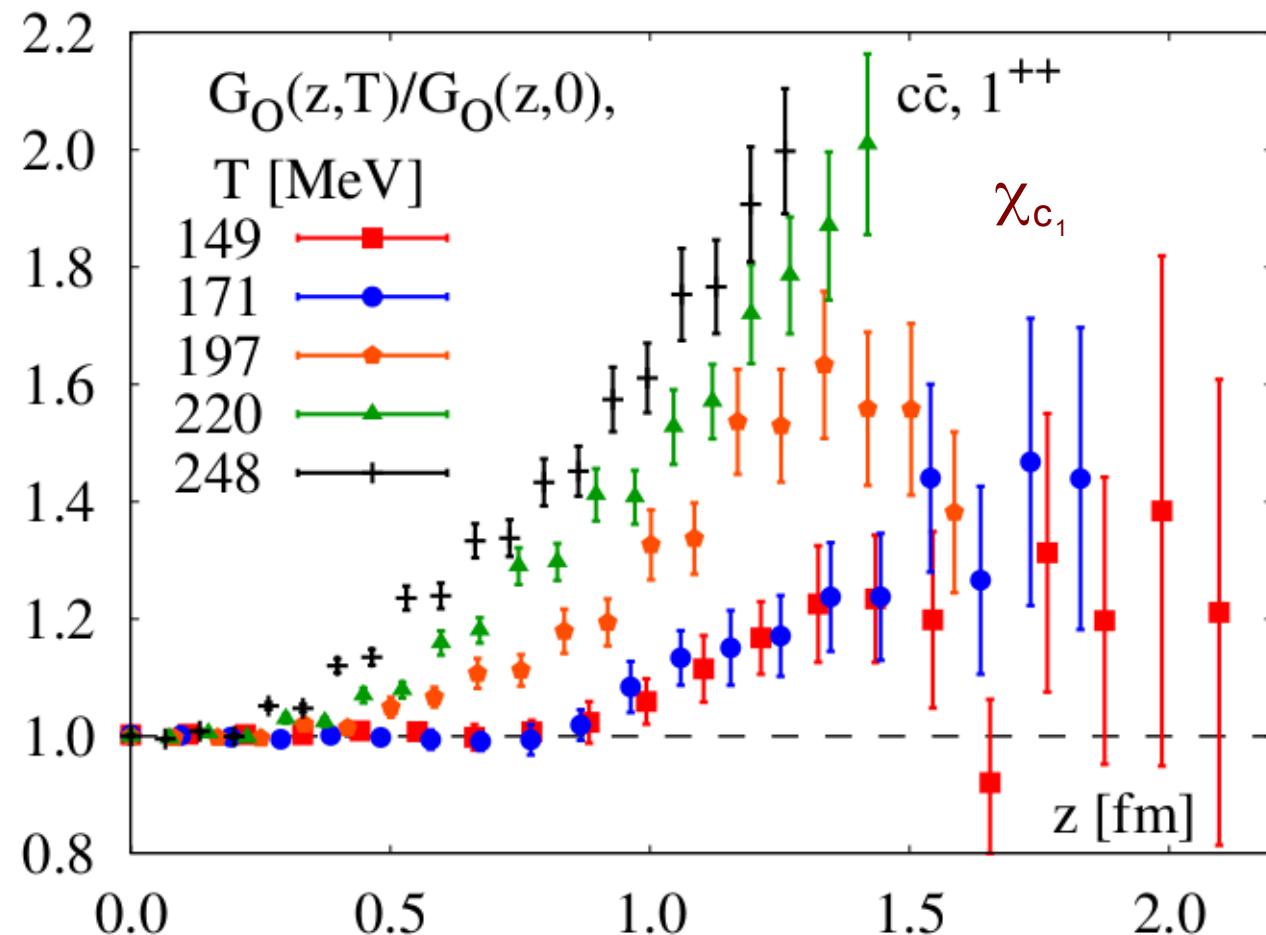
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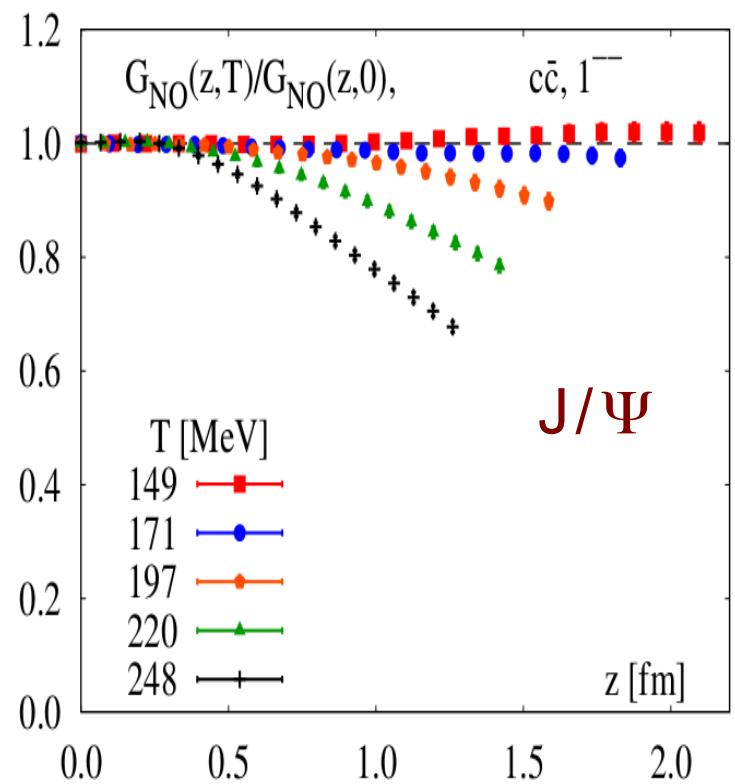
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## Summary

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hits for additional, unobserved charmed baryons  
from QCD thermodynamics

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