

Two-Colour QCD at finite Baryon density

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Motivation

Why QCD-like theories?

- testing effective theories
- $\mu > 0$ equation of state

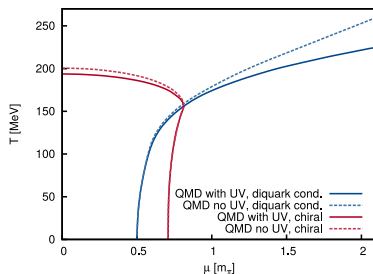
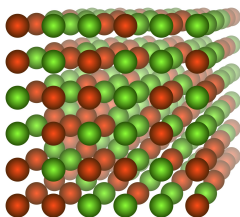


Figure: 2-colour Quark-Meson-Diquark model [Strodthoff, Smekal, Phys. Let. B.2014.03.008]

$$(\det \mathcal{M}(\mu))^* = \det \mathcal{M}(-\mu)$$

- Reweighting
- Taylor expansion
- Lefschetz thimbles
- Complex Langevin
- Effective theories

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QCD-like theories

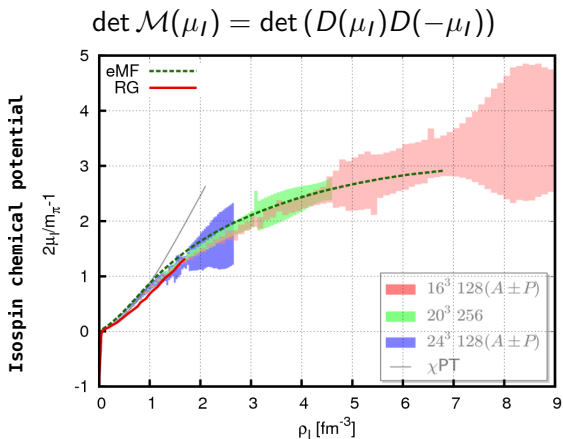
- generator isometry
⇒ **Anti-unitary sym.**

$$T_a^* = -ST^a S^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow [A, D] = [SCK, D] = 0$$

- Dyson classification
 - $\beta = 1$: $A^2 = +1$, $\det D \in \mathbb{R}$
 - $\beta = 2$: $\text{ev.} \in \mathbb{C}$
 - $\beta = 4$: $A^2 = -1$, $\det D > 0$, $\det D \in \mathbb{R}$

Isospin chemical potential



[Kamikado, Strodthoff, Smekal, PLB 718 (2013) 1044]

[Detmold, Orginos, Shi, Phys. Rev. D86 (2012) 054507]

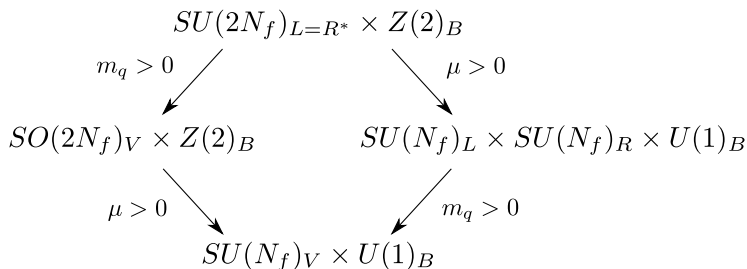
G₂-QCD

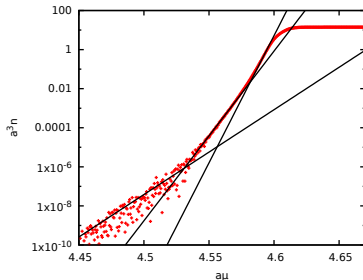
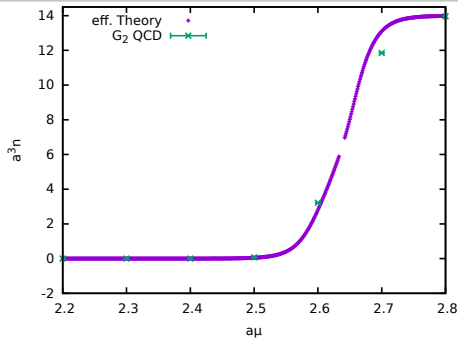
- 7 colours, 14 gluons
- deconf. 1st order

$$SU(3) \subset G_2 \subset SO(7)$$

$$c_{abc} = c_{def} U_{da} U_{eb} U_{fc}$$

$$c_{abc} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \psi_{abc}$$



Effective G₂ Polyakov loop theory

- diquarks $q^T q$
 - nucleons $(\bar{q}q)q$, $(q^T q)q$
 - hybrid states $qggg$
- ⇒ string breaking in G₂-YM

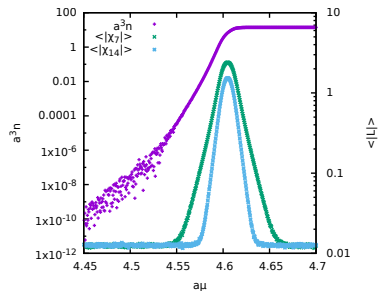


Figure: [P. Scior, PhD thesis, TU Darmstadt 2016]

QC₂D

Previous lattice studies:

- Hands et al., Nucl. Phys. B558, 327-346, (1999)
- Morrison et al., hep-lat/9902012, (1999)
- Kogut et al., Phys. Let. B514, 77-87, (2001)
- Kogut et al., Phys. Rev. D68, 1-32, (2003)
- Boz et al., arXiv/1502.01219, (2015)
- Braguta et al., arXiv/1605.04090, (2016)
- **Talk by V. Braguta this morning**

Quark-Meson-Diquark model

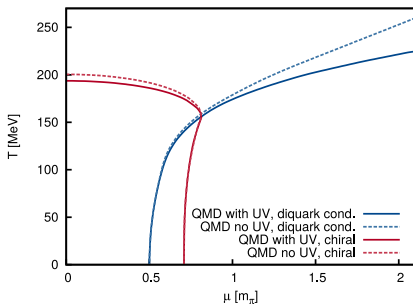
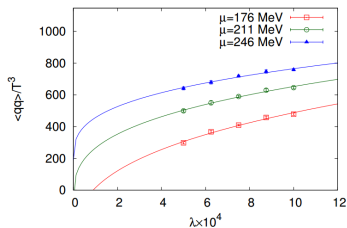
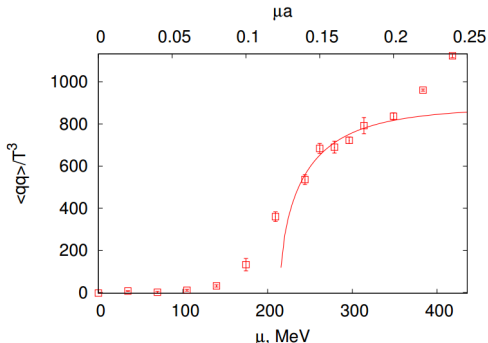
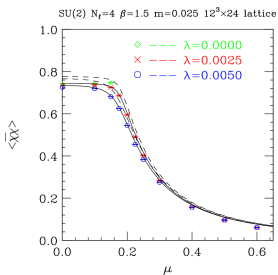
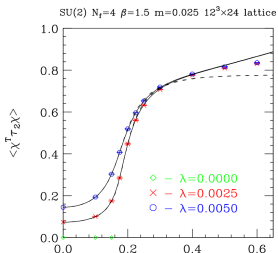


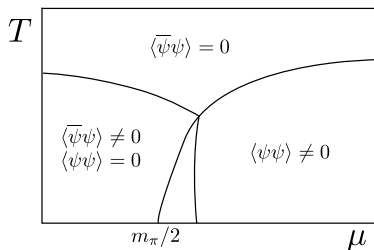
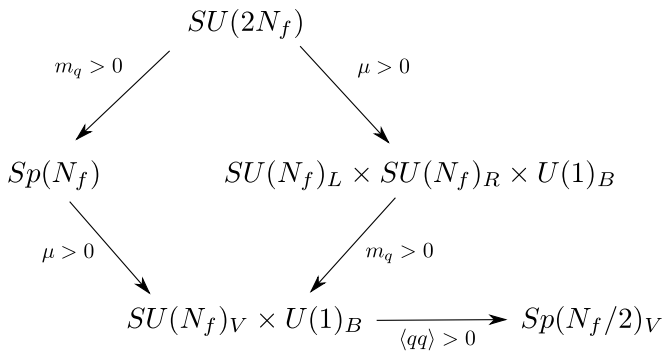
Figure: [Strodthoff, Smekal, Phys. Let. B.2014.03.008]

Previous studies



[Kogut, Toublan, PRD68, 054507 (2003)]

[Braguta, Ilgenfritz, Kotov, Molochkov, Nikolaev, arXiv:1605.04090v3 (2016)]



$$T_a^* = -ST^a S^{-1}$$

where $S = i\sigma_2$
 q & \bar{q} in equiv. repr.

$$S_f = \frac{1}{2} \left(\bar{\psi}, \psi^T \tau_2 \right) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda & D(\mu) \\ -D^\dagger(\mu) & \lambda \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tau_2 \bar{\psi}^T \\ \psi \end{pmatrix}$$

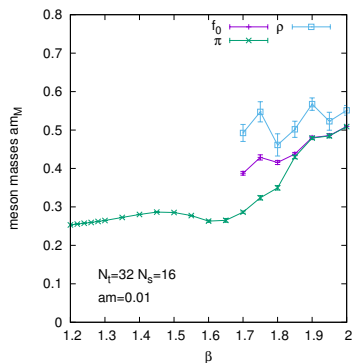
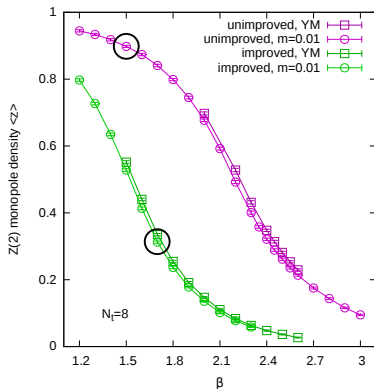


Figure:

$$\langle z \rangle = 1 - \frac{1}{N_\square} \sum_{C \in \square} \prod_{P \in \partial C} \text{sgn tr } P$$

Figure: [D. Scheffler, PhD Thesis, Technische Universität Darmstadt (2015)]

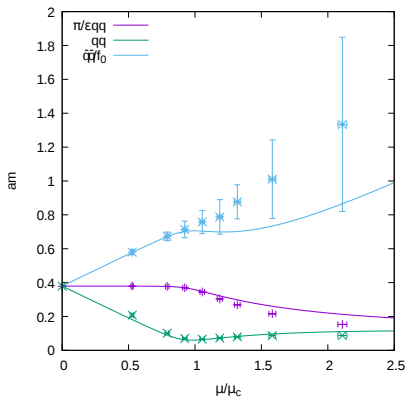
QC₂D with staggered quarks

Figure: $\beta = 1.5$: $\langle z \rangle \approx 0.88404(10)$
Dyson index: $\beta = 4$

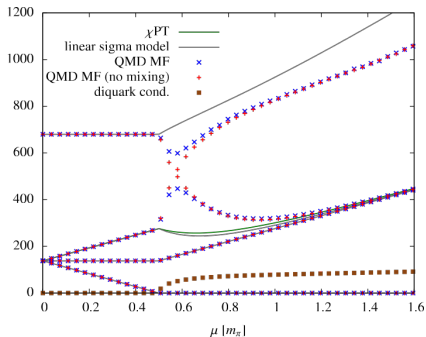


Figure: [Strodthoff, Schaefer, Smekal,
Phys. Rev. D.85.074007]

$$f_0/q\bar{q} : \frac{1}{2} \left(\chi^T \tau_2 \chi + \bar{\chi} \tau_2 \bar{\chi}^T \right) \cos \alpha + \bar{\chi} \chi \sin \alpha$$

$$\pi/\epsilon q\bar{q} : \bar{\chi} \epsilon \chi \cos \alpha + \frac{1}{2} \left(\chi^T \tau_2 \epsilon \chi + \bar{\chi} \tau_2 \epsilon \bar{\chi}^T \right) \sin \alpha$$

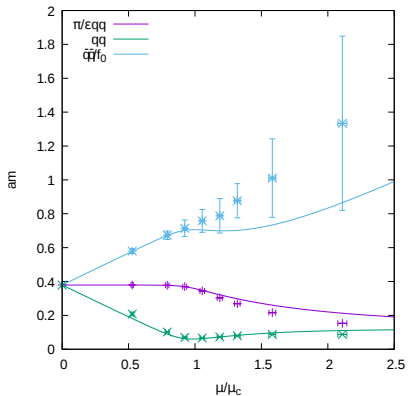
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 any-colour, adjoint quarks

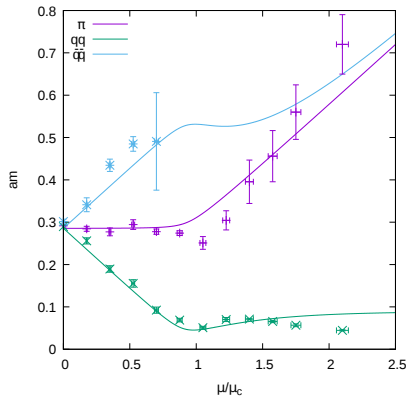
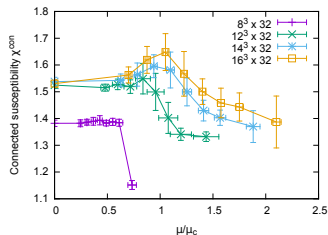
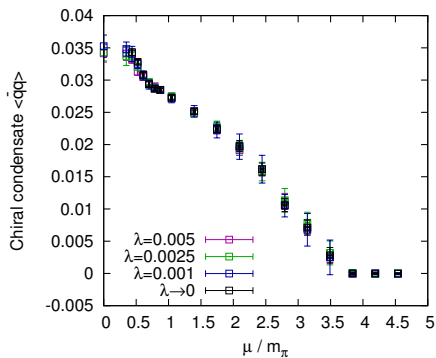
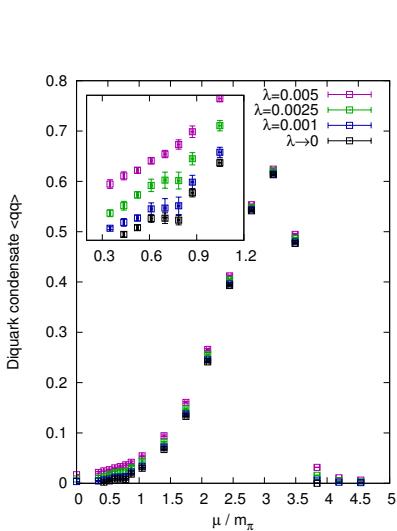
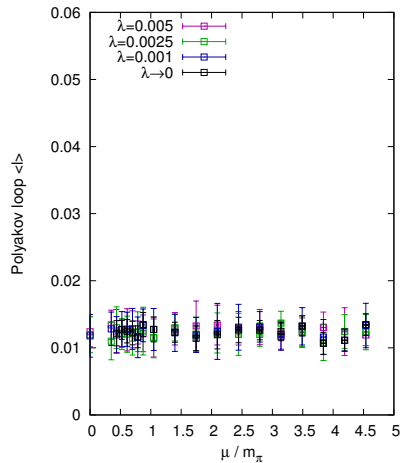
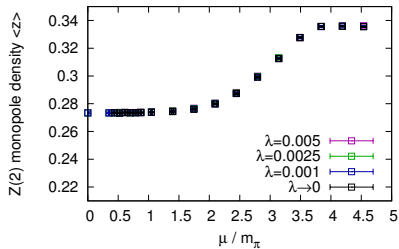
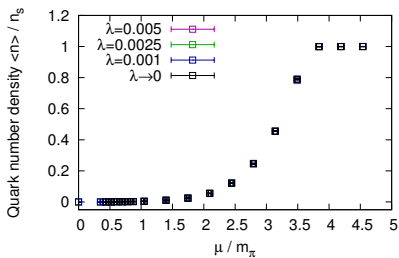
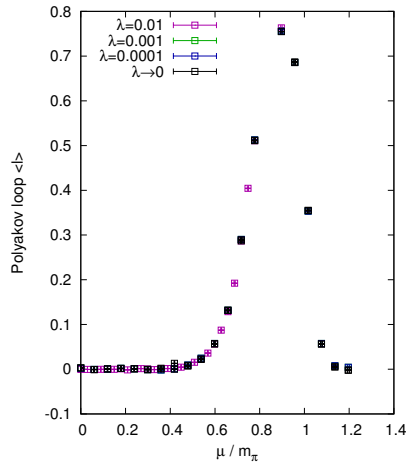
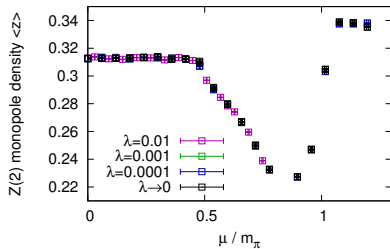
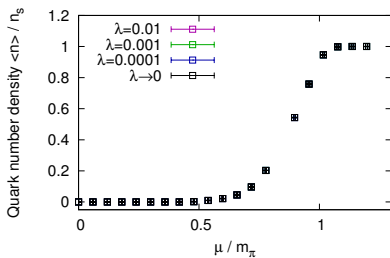


Figure: $\beta = 1.7$: $\langle z \rangle \approx 0.27340(66)$
 Dyson index: $\beta = 1$
 two-colour, fundamental quarks

QC₂D with staggered quarks

QC₂D with staggered quarks

QC₂D with Wilson quarks

Conclusion

- Leaving the bulk phase
- Continuum sym. breaking pattern $\beta = 4 \rightarrow 1$
- Discretization effects

Outlook:

- Renormalization of $\langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle$ at $\mu > 0$