

Quark-Hadron Phase Transition in the PNJL model for interacting quarks

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1. Motivations : quark-hadron transition

2. 2-flavor PNJL model

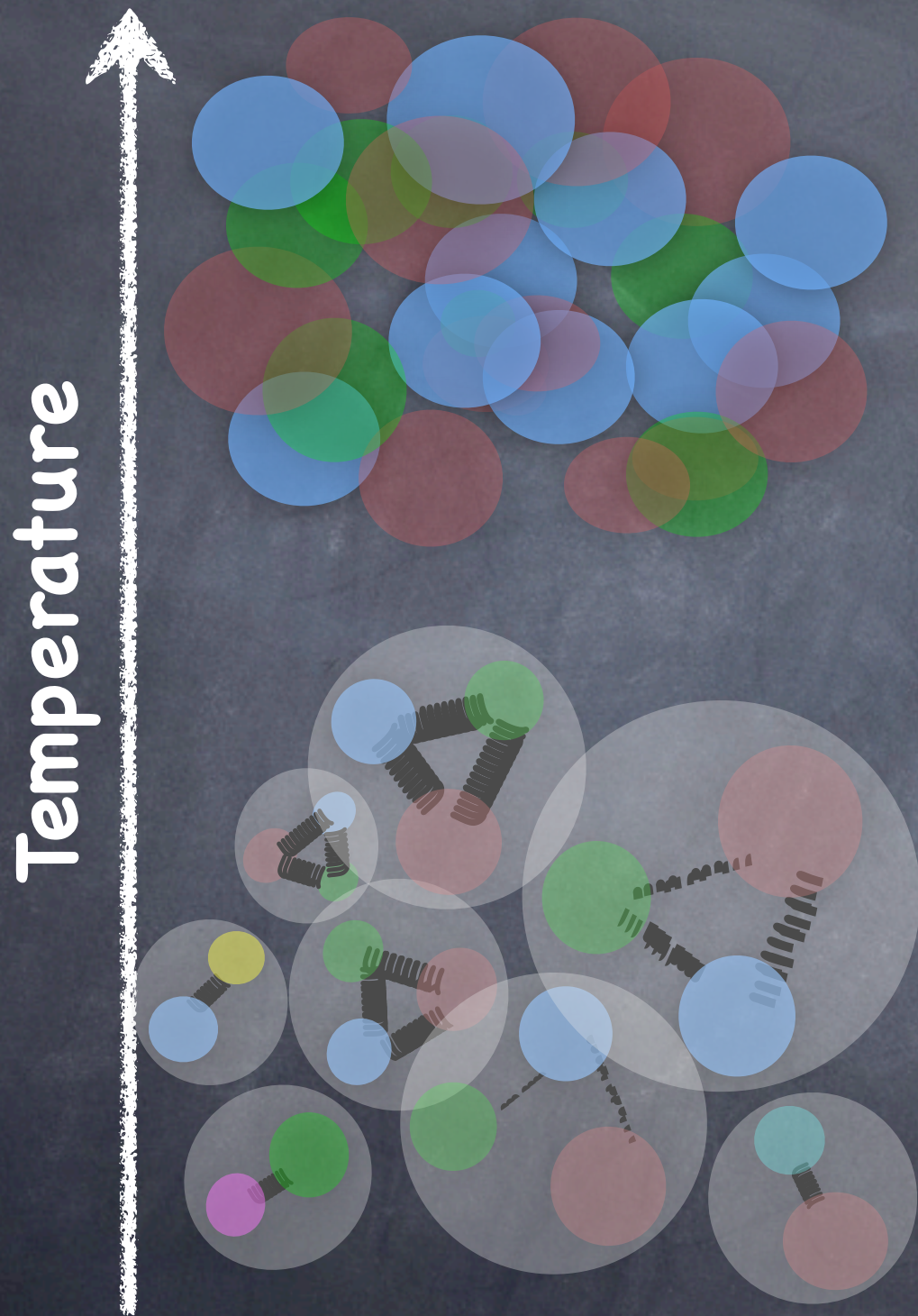
KY and T. Matsui, Nucl. Phys. A913 (2013) 19.

3. 3-flavor PNJL model

KY and T. Matsui, arXiv:1310.4960.

4. Numerical results

Quark-Hadron Phase Transition



- Chiral symmetry **restoration**
- Color **de-confinement**

- Chiral symmetry **breaking**
- Color **confinement**

Quark-Hadron Phase Transition

Temperature

- Chiral symmetry restoration

Questions :

- What is happening in intermediate region between two phases ?
- How degrees of freedom change from hadrons to quarks ?

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- color confinement

Method

- Calculating partition function in path integral method
- Model choosing

- Chiral phase transition

➔ **Nambu-Jona-Lasinio (NJL)**

Y. Nambu, G. Jona-Lasinio, 1961

T. Hatsuda, T. Kunihiro, 1994

- De-confining phase transition

➔ **Polyakov loop**

A. M. Polyakov, 1978

PNJL model

K. Fukushima, 2004

- Bosonization

- inserting **dummy integrals**

- 4- and 6-point interactions --> **bosonic fields**

- Mean field approximation + **Mesonic correlations**

2-flavor PNJL model

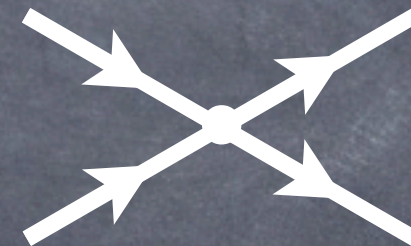
Model setup

Partition function

$$Z(T, A_4) = \int [dq][d\bar{q}] \exp \left[\int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^3x \mathcal{L}_{\text{NJL}}(q, \bar{q}, A_4) \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{NJL}}(q, \bar{q}, A_4) = \bar{q}(i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_0)q + G [(\bar{q}q)^2 + (i\bar{q}\gamma_5\tau q)^2]$$

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + g A_0 \delta_{\mu,0} \quad , \quad A_4 = i A_0$$



- m_0 : bare quark mass
breaks chiral symmetry explicitly
- A_4 : temporal component of gauge field
treated as external field

Bosonization

Hubbard-Stratonovich transformation

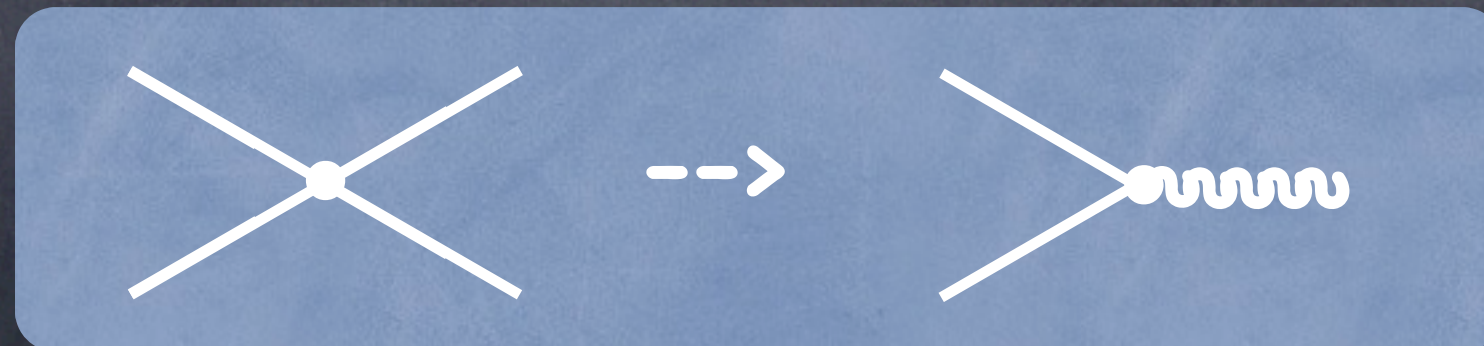
J. Hubbard, 1956

R. L. Stratonovich, 1957

- introducing auxiliary bosonic fields : $\phi_i = (\sigma, \boldsymbol{\pi})$
- eliminating **4 point interaction** by inserting dummy integral over boson fields

$$Z(T, A_4) = \int [dq][d\bar{q}][d\phi] \exp \left[\int_0^\beta d\tau \int d^3x \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}(q, \bar{q}, \phi, A_4) \right]$$

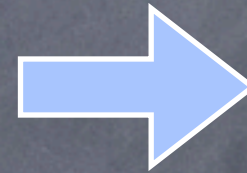
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}(q, \bar{q}, \phi, A_4) = \bar{q} [i\gamma^\mu D_\mu + \sigma + i\gamma_5 \boldsymbol{\tau} \cdot \boldsymbol{\pi}] q - \frac{1}{4G} ((\sigma - m_0)^2 + \pi_i^2)$$



four fermi interaction \dashrightarrow Yukawa interaction

Thermodynamic potential

- integrating over **fermion fields**



$$Z(T, A_4) = \int [d\phi] e^{-I(\phi, A_4)}$$

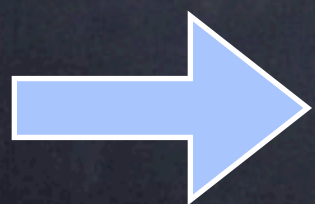
- expand effective action up to second order of fluctuation

$$Z(T, A_4) \simeq e^{-I_0} \int [d\varphi] \exp \left[-\frac{1}{2} \frac{\delta^2 I}{\delta\phi_i \delta\phi_j} \Big|_{\phi=\phi_0} \varphi_i \varphi_j \right]$$

$$\varphi_i = \phi_i - \phi_0$$

determined by **stationary condition** :

$$\frac{\delta I}{\delta\phi'_i} \Big|_{\phi'=\phi'_0} = 0.$$



$$\Omega(T, A_4) = T \left(I_0 + \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}_M \ln \frac{\delta I}{\delta\phi_i \delta\phi_j} \right)$$

$$\sigma_0 = -M_0$$

$$\pi_0 = 0$$

contribution from **mean field** contribution from **mesonic excitations**

Mean field approximation

$$\Omega_{\text{MF}}(T, A_4) = T I_0 = -p_{\text{MF}} V.$$

- Taking statistical average over the external color gauge field A_4
- Replacing A_4 with the thermal average of Polyakov loop Φ

$$p_{\text{MF}}(T, \Phi, M_0) = p_{\text{MF}}^0(M_0) - \Delta p_{\text{vac}} + 4 \times 3 \times \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^2}{3E_p} f_{\Phi}(E_p) \mathcal{U}(T, \Phi)$$

effective potential of Φ

represent dynamics of gluon phenomenologically

$$\mathcal{U}(T, \Phi)/T^4 = -\frac{1}{2} b_2(T) \bar{\Phi} \Phi - \frac{1}{6} b_3(\Phi^3 + \bar{\Phi}^3) + \frac{1}{4} b_4(\bar{\Phi} \Phi)^2$$

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modified quark distribution function

$$f_{\Phi}(E_p) = \frac{\bar{\Phi} e^{2\beta E_p} + 2\Phi e^{\beta E_p} + 1}{e^{3\beta E_p} + 3\bar{\Phi} e^{2\beta E_p} + 3\Phi e^{\beta E_p} + 1}$$

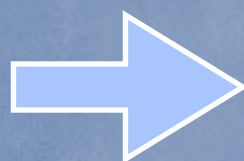
$$\Phi = \frac{1}{3} \langle \text{tr}_c L \rangle, \quad \bar{\Phi} = \frac{1}{3} \langle \text{tr}_c L^\dagger \rangle$$

Quark distribution function

Two extreme cases

- De-confining phase

$$\Phi = \bar{\Phi} = 1$$

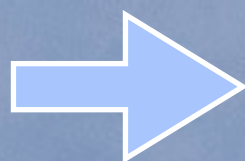


$$f_{\Phi}(E_p)|_{\Phi=1} = \frac{1}{e^{\beta E_p} + 1}$$

quark distribution function

- Confining phase

$$\Phi = \bar{\Phi} = 0$$



$$f_{\Phi}(E_p)|_{\Phi=0} = \frac{1}{e^{3\beta E_p} + 1}$$

triad three quark distribution function

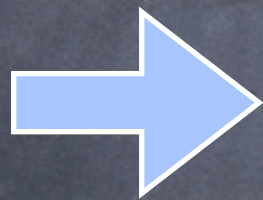
$$E_p = \sqrt{p^2 + M_0^2}$$

M_0 is determined by Gap equation

Gap equation

- M_0 is determined by stationary condition

$$\left. \frac{\delta I}{\delta \phi'_i} \right|_{\phi' = \phi'_0} = 0.$$



$$M_0 - m_0 = 8GN_f \sum_n \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{M_0}{(\epsilon_n - gA_4)^2 + p^2 + M_0^2}$$

self-consistent equation : **Gap equation**

M_0 : **constituent quark mass**

m_0 : **bare quark mass**



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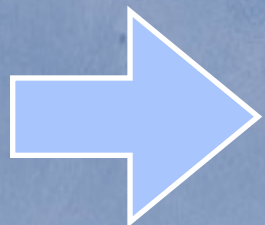
Mesonic Correlations

- Contribution of mesonic correlations

$$p_M = - \sum_n \int \frac{d^3 q}{(2\pi)^3} \left\{ 3 \ln \mathcal{M}_\pi(\omega_n, q) + \ln \mathcal{M}_\sigma(\omega_n, q) \right\}$$

• **chiral limit** : $m_0=0$

$$\mathcal{M}_\pi = (\omega_n^2 + q^2) F(\omega_n, q) , \quad \mathcal{M}_\sigma = (\omega_n^2 + q^2 + 4M_0^2) F(\omega_n, q)$$



$$p_M = p_\pi^{\text{free}} + p_\sigma^{\text{free}} + p_{\text{non-coll.}}$$

• **breaking chiral symmetry** with $m_0 \neq 0$

$$\mathcal{M}_\pi = (\omega_n^2 + q^2) F(\omega_n, q) + \frac{m_0}{2GM_0} , \quad \mathcal{M}_\sigma = (\omega_n^2 + q^2 + 4M_0^2) F(\omega_n, q) + \frac{m_0}{2GM_0}$$

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$$\mathcal{L}_{NJL} = \sum_{i,j=1}^3 \bar{q}_i (i\not{D} - \hat{m})_{i,j} q_j + \mathcal{L}_4 + \mathcal{L}_6$$

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + g A_0 \delta_{\mu,0}$$

- 4 point interaction

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = G \sum_{a=0}^8 \left[(\bar{q} \lambda^a q)^2 + (\bar{q} i \gamma_5 \lambda^a q)^2 \right]$$

$$a = 0 \sim 8$$



- 6 point interaction $U(1)_A$ breaking

$$\mathcal{L}_6 = -K \left[\det \bar{q} (1 + \gamma_5) q + \det \bar{q} (1 - \gamma_5) q \right]$$



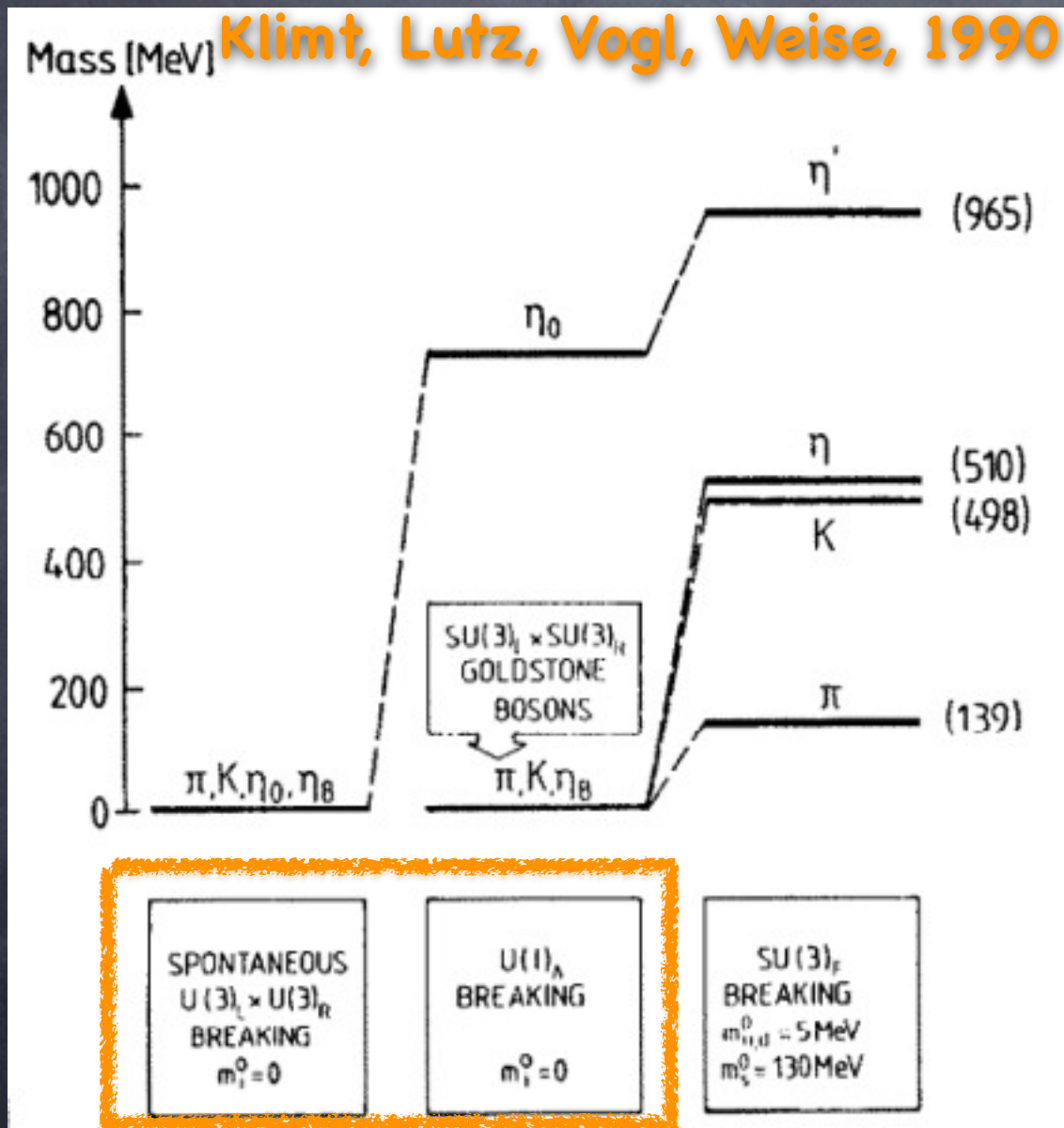
Meson nonets

Pseudo scalar meson

π, K, η, η'

Scalar meson

σ, κ, f_0, a_0



Ishida, 1998

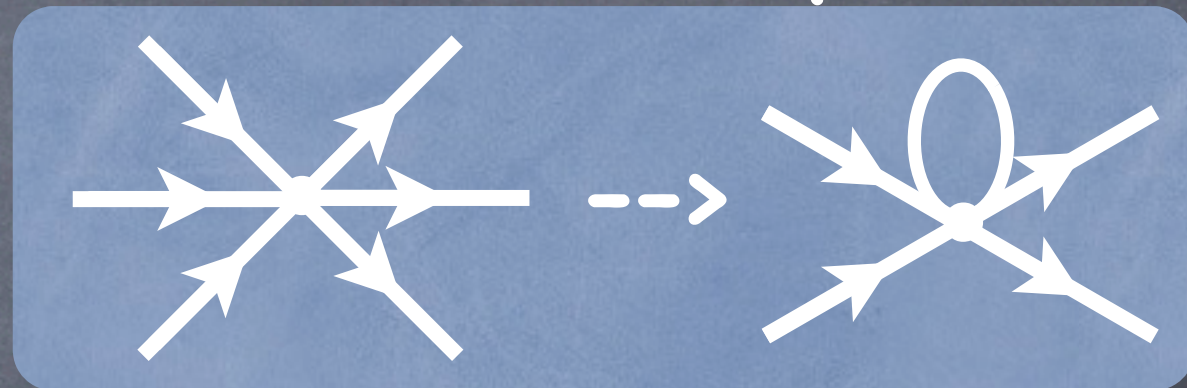
Fariborz, Jora, Schechter, 2009

	Mass [MeV]	Width [MeV]
σ	~ 550	400 - 700
κ	~ 800	
$f_0(980)$	~ 980	40 - 100
$a_0(980)$	~ 980	50 - 100

\mathcal{L}_6 plays a role in mass splitting

Rewrite P.F. by auxiliary fields

- Lagrangian contains **4th power** and **6th power** of fermion fields.
- 6th power can be effectively rewritten to 4th power by **replacing with condensate**.



- eliminating 4point interactions to bosonic fields : ϕ^a, π^a
- We get partition function **as a function of auxiliary bosonic fields** :

$$Z(T, A_4) = \int [d\phi][d\pi] \exp \left[-I_{eff}(\phi^a, \pi^a, A_4) \right]$$

Thermodynamic potential

- Expanding effective action up to **second order of fluctuation** around **stationary point**
- Stationary point is determined by **stationary condition** :
$$\left. \frac{\delta I}{\delta \phi_a} \right|_{\phi = \phi_0} = 0.$$
- Performing **Gaussian integrals** over bosonic fields
- Thermodynamic potential

$$\Omega(T, A_4) = T \left(\underbrace{I_0}_{\text{mean field}} + \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}_M \ln \frac{\delta^2 I}{\delta \phi_a \delta \phi_b} + \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}_M \ln \frac{\delta^2 I}{\delta \pi_a \delta \pi_b} \right)$$

mean field

mesonic excitations

Constituent quark mass

- Pressure depends on **constituent quark masses**.
- Constituent quark masses are determined by solving

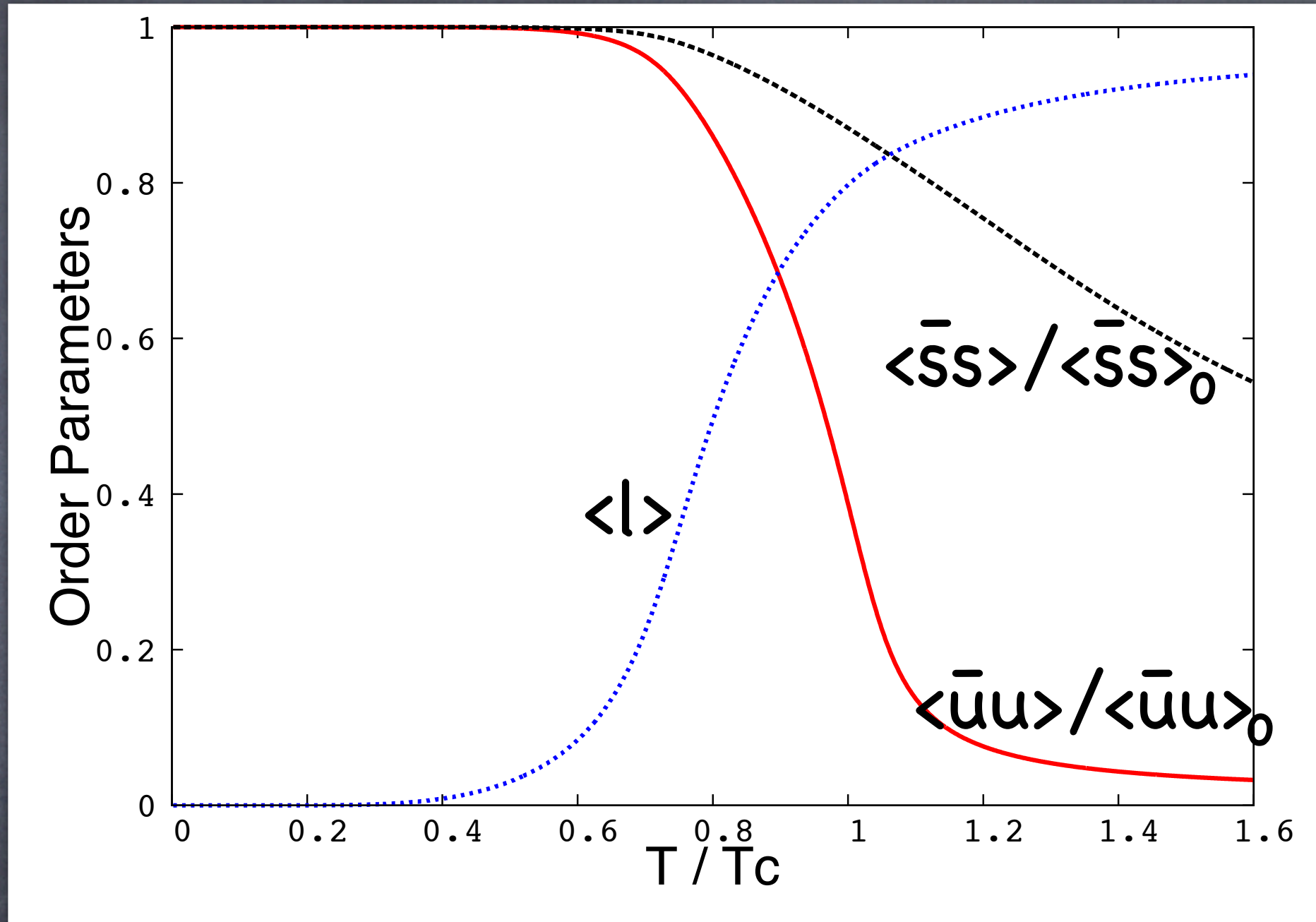
gap equations :

$$\begin{cases} M_u = m_u - 4G \langle \bar{u}u \rangle + 2K \langle \bar{d}d \rangle \langle \bar{s}s \rangle \\ M_s = m_s - 4G \langle \bar{s}s \rangle + 2K \langle \bar{u}u \rangle \langle \bar{d}d \rangle \end{cases}$$



- Chiral condensates : $\langle \bar{u}u \rangle (= \langle \bar{d}d \rangle), \langle \bar{s}s \rangle$

Order Parameters



$\langle l \rangle$: Expectation value of Polyakov loop

T_c : pseudo critical temperature

$T_c \sim 220 \text{ MeV}$

Pressure

- mean field

$$p_{MF}(T) = \sum_f p_{M_f}^0 + 4N_c \sum_f \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{p^2}{3E_f} f_{\langle l \rangle}(E_f) - \mathcal{U}(T)$$

- mesonic correlations

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Pseudo
scalar

$$\mathcal{M}_\alpha(\omega_n, q) = \frac{1}{2G'_\alpha} - \Pi_\alpha(\omega_n, q)$$

$$\Pi(\omega_n, q) = \text{[diagram: a loop with a wavy line and an arrow]} + \text{[diagram: a loop with two wavy lines and an arrow]}$$

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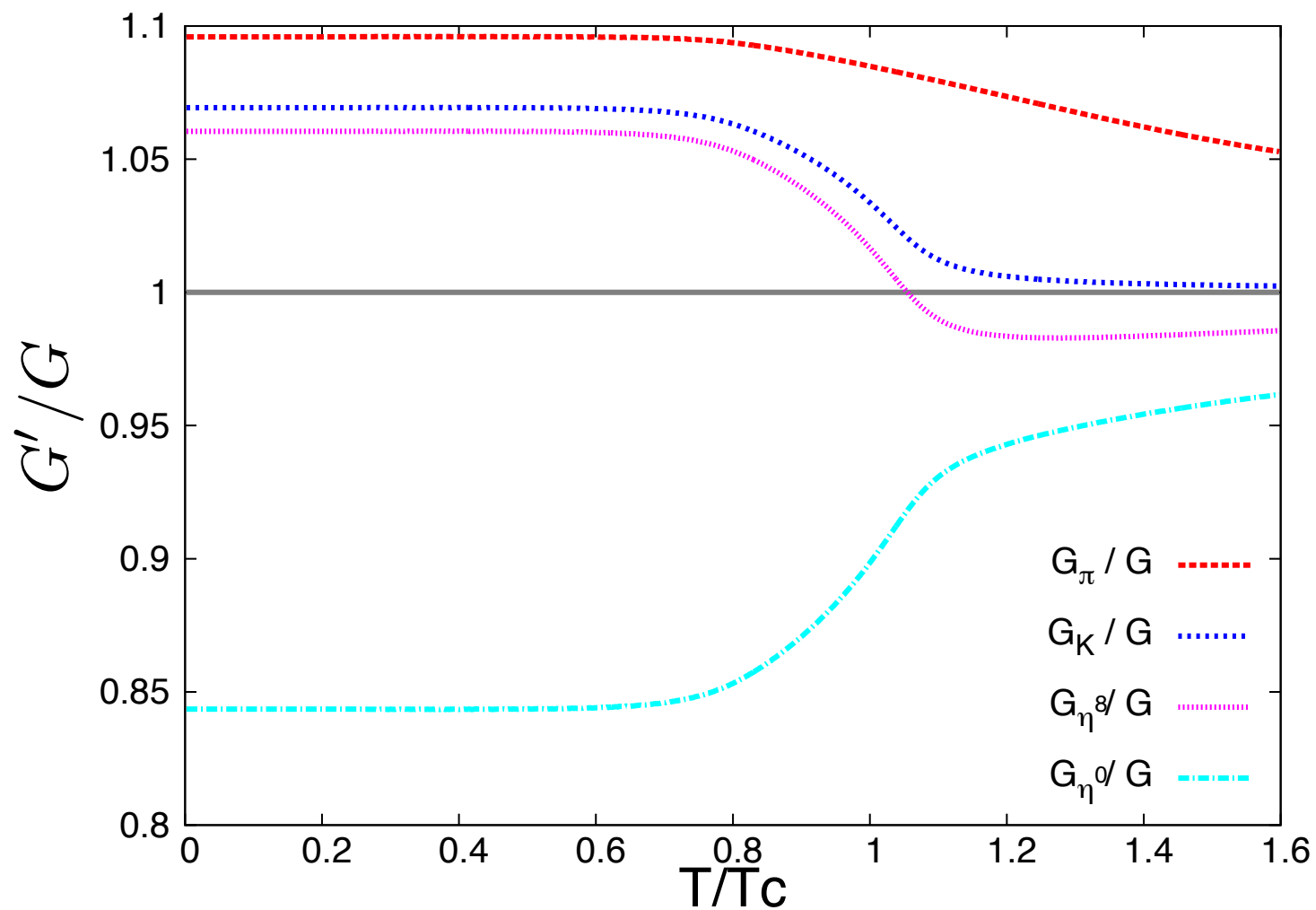
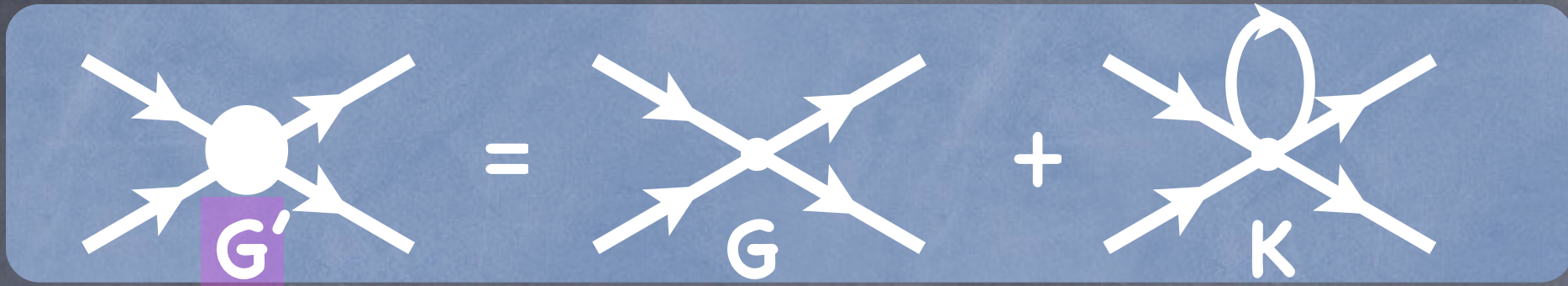
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Effective coupling G'



$$G'_\pi = G - \frac{K}{2} \langle \bar{s}s \rangle$$

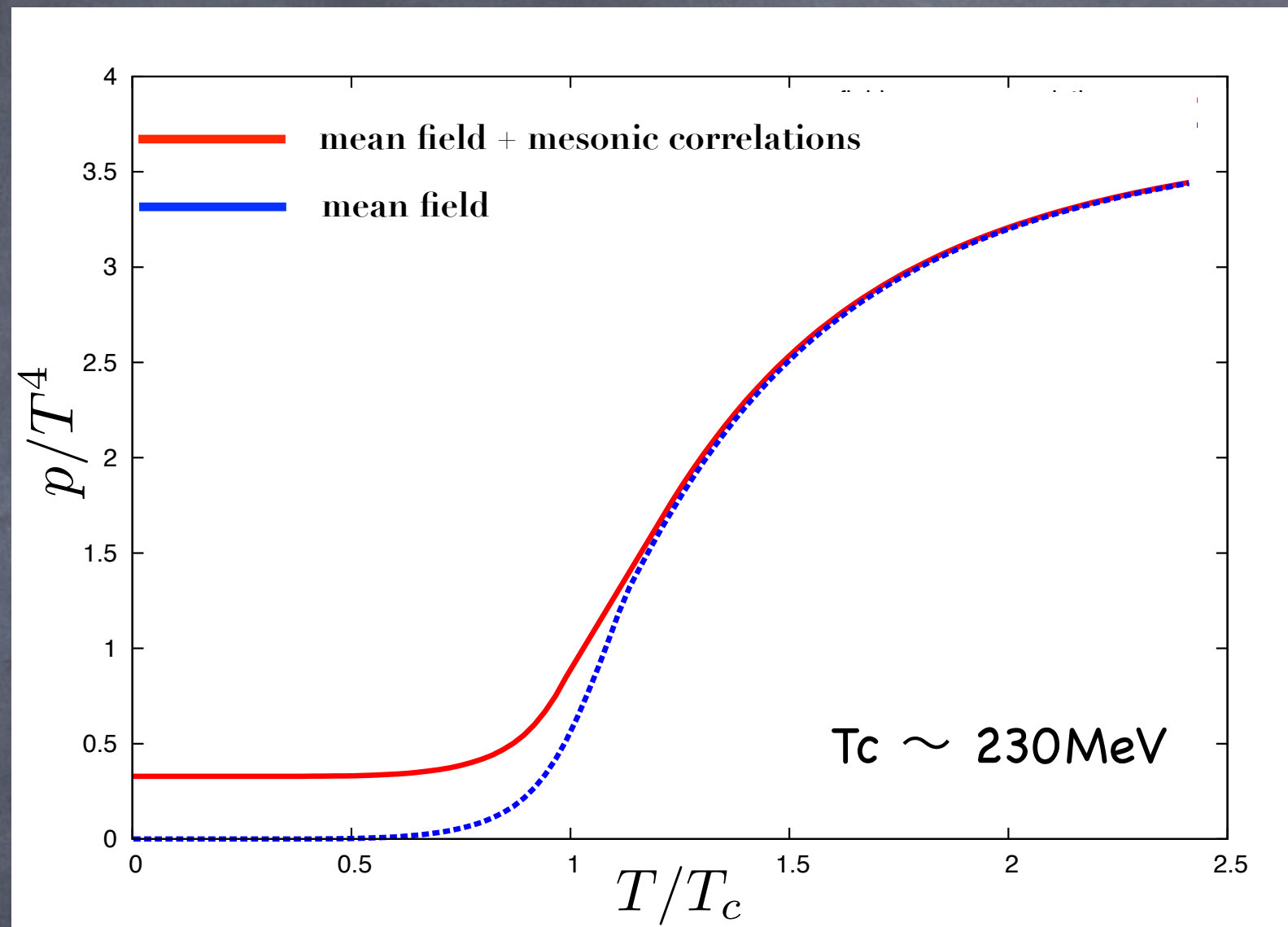
$$G'_K = G - \frac{K}{2} \langle \bar{u}u \rangle$$

$$G'_{\eta^8} = G + \frac{K}{6} \left(\langle \bar{s}s \rangle - 4 \langle \bar{u}u \rangle \right)$$

$$G'_{\eta^0} = G + \frac{K}{3} \left(\langle \bar{s}s \rangle + 2 \langle \bar{u}u \rangle \right)$$

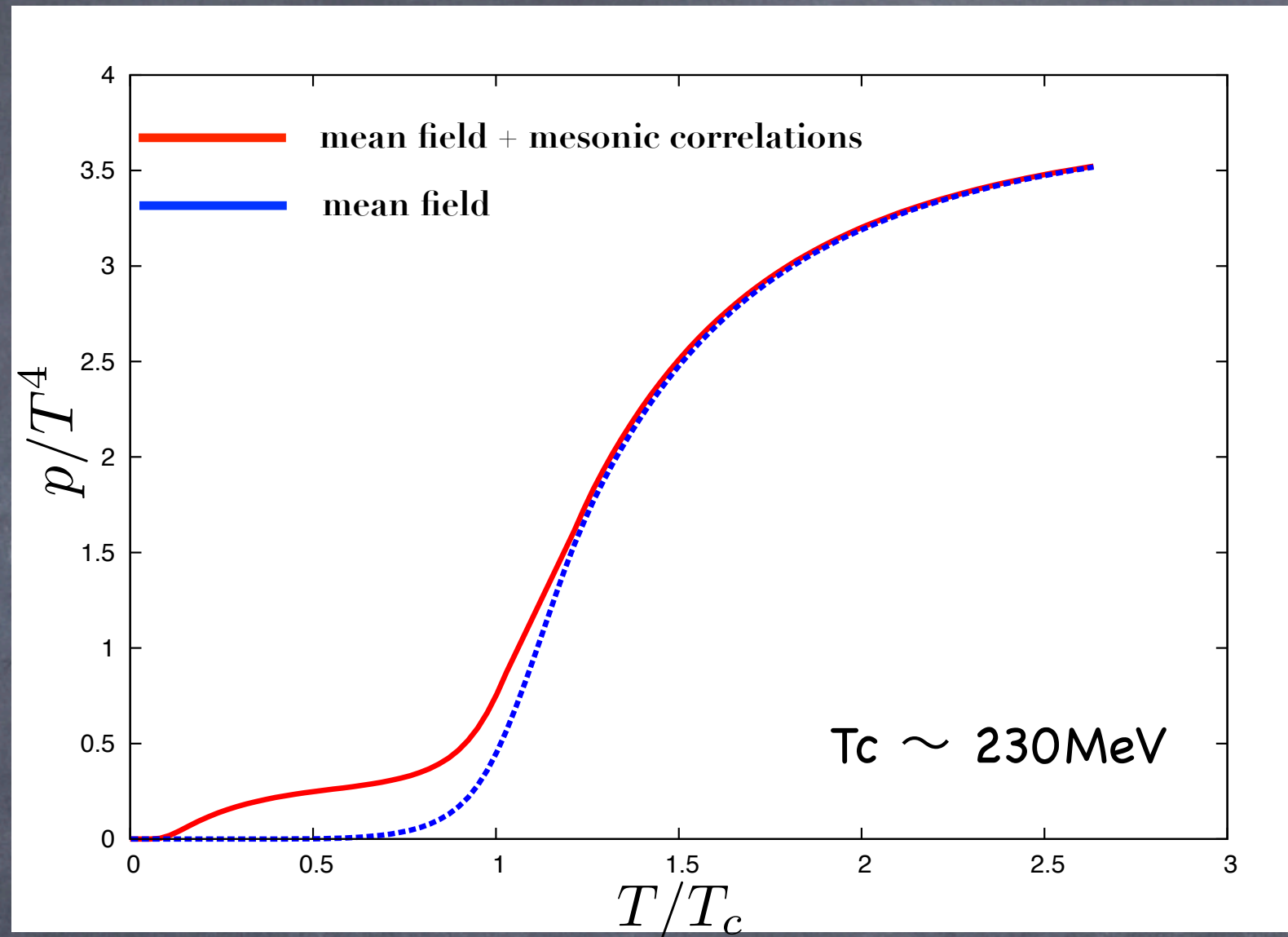
Numerical Results

Pressure in the chiral limit (2-flavor)



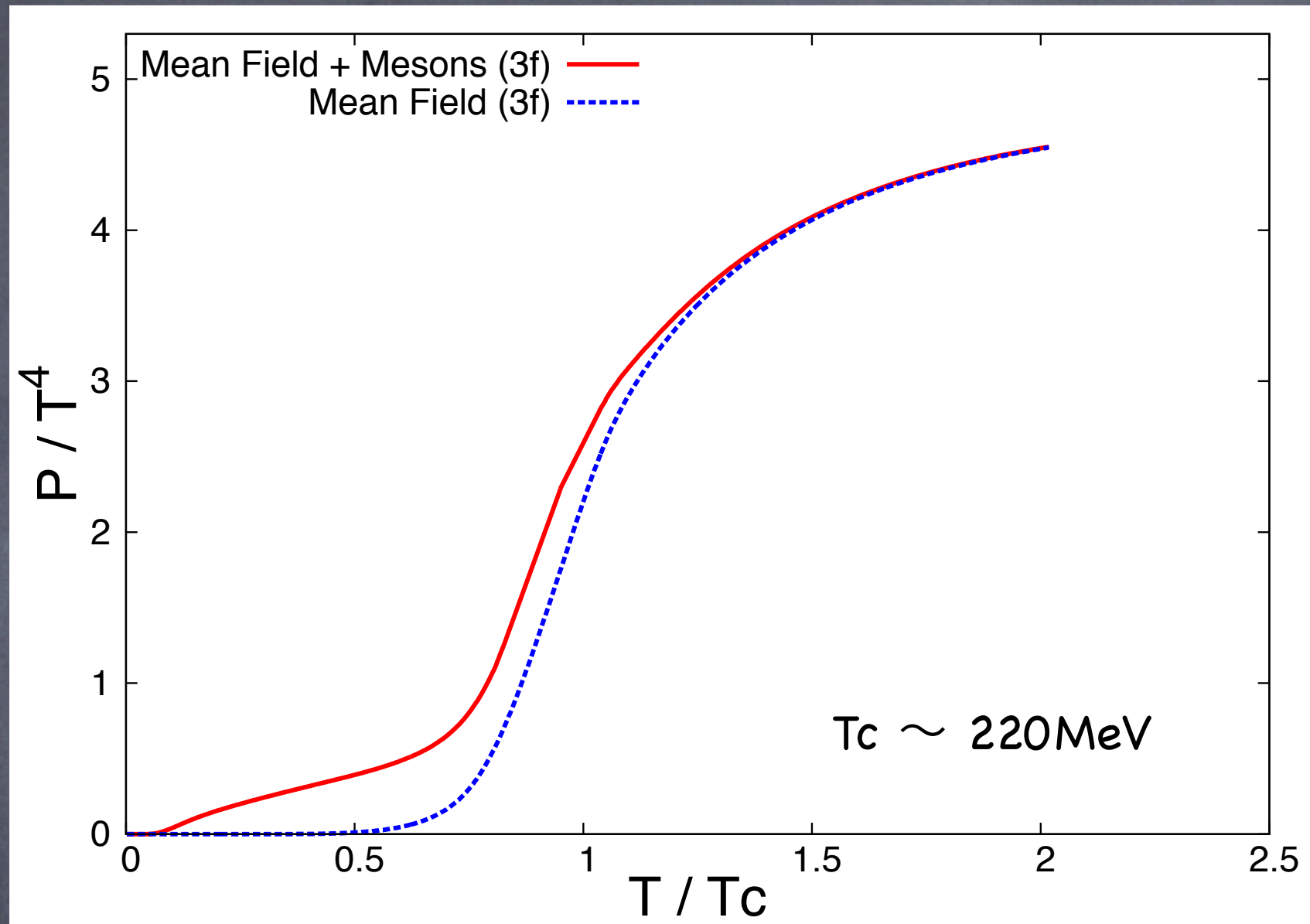
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Pressure with finite bare quark mass (2-f)



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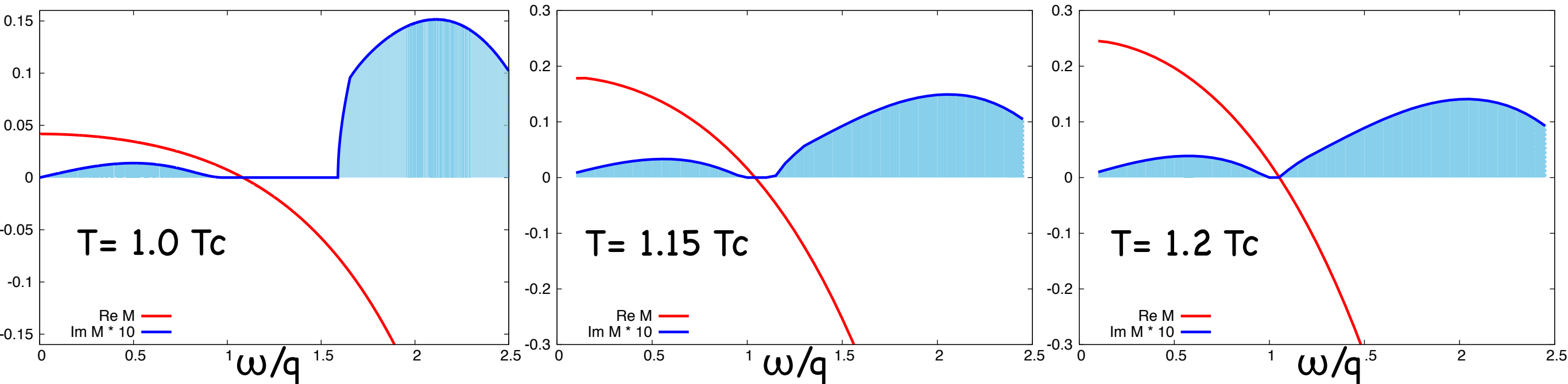
Pressure (3-flavor)



- π , K and σ are taken into this calculation.
- At **low T** , **pion** and **kaon** dominate pressure.
- At **high T** , pressure approaches to quark mean field pressure.

Collective modes

Pion

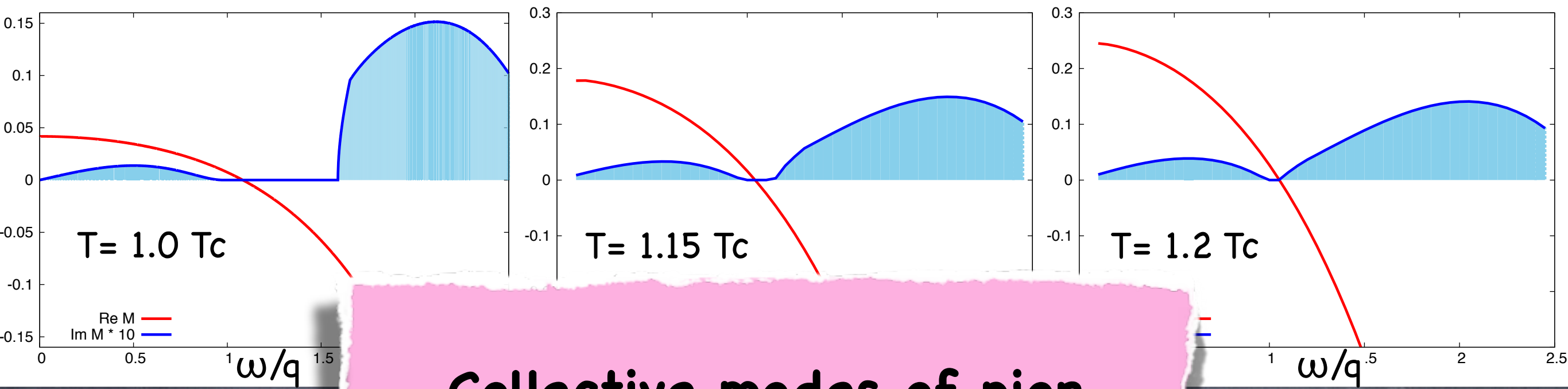


- Real part of M
- Imaginary part of M

$$\mathcal{M}(\omega, q) = \frac{1}{2G'} - \Pi(\omega, q)$$

Collective modes

Pion



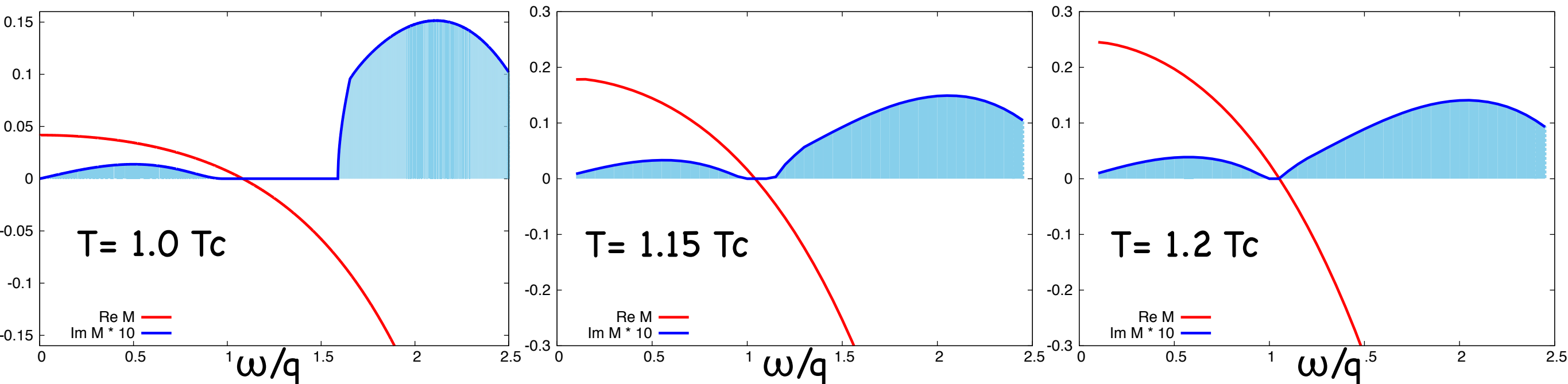
- Collective modes of pion disappear at $T=1.2T_c$

— Real
— Imag

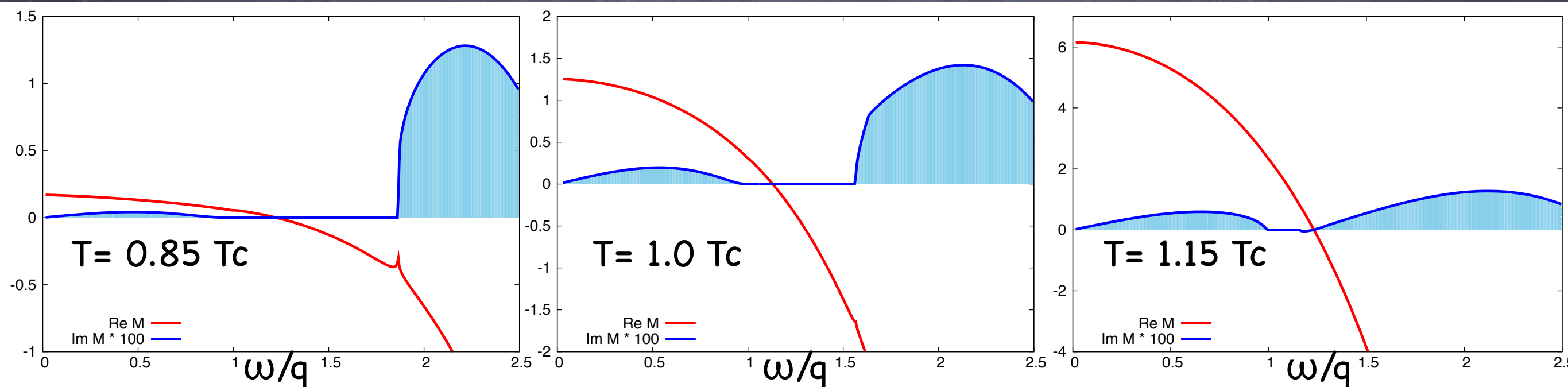
$\Pi(\omega, q)$

Collective modes

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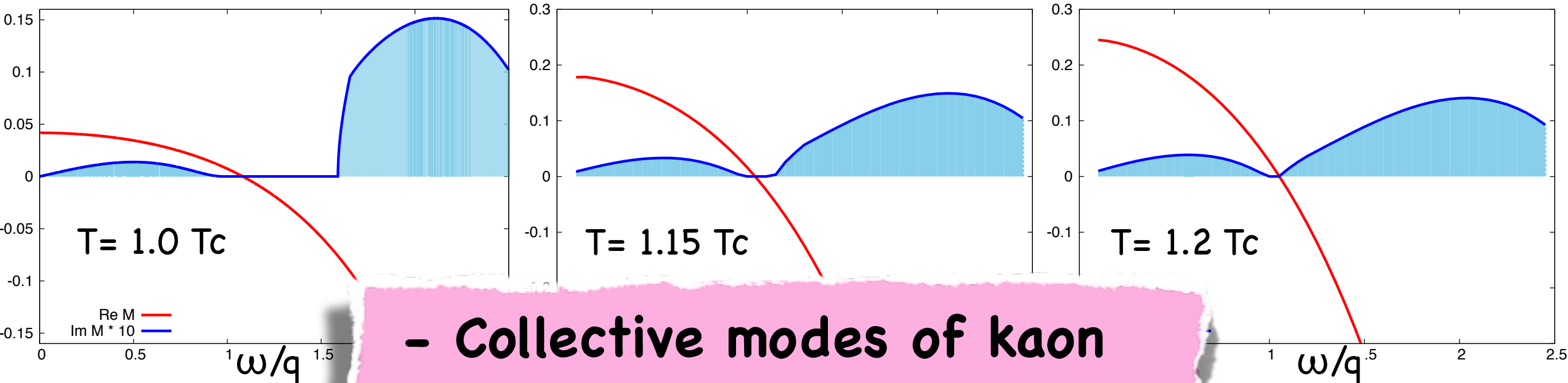


Kaon



Collective modes

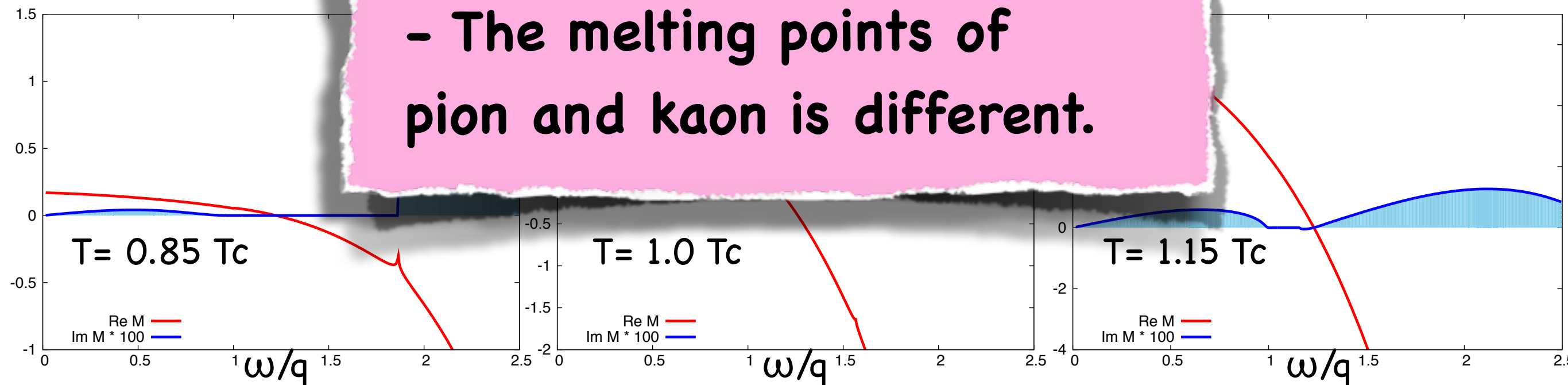
Pion



- Collective modes of kaon disappear at $T = 1.15 T_c$

- The melting points of pion and kaon is different.

Kaon



Summary

Summary and Outlook

- We have described a quark-hadron phase transition from **interacting quarks**.
- Collective modes of mesons at low T **melt** with increasing temperature, and **resolve to quarks**.
- Melting temperature of pion is higher than that of kaon.
- How to put **baryonic correlation** at finite chemical potential.