

# Hyperons in nuclear matter with YN and YNN interactions of ChEFT

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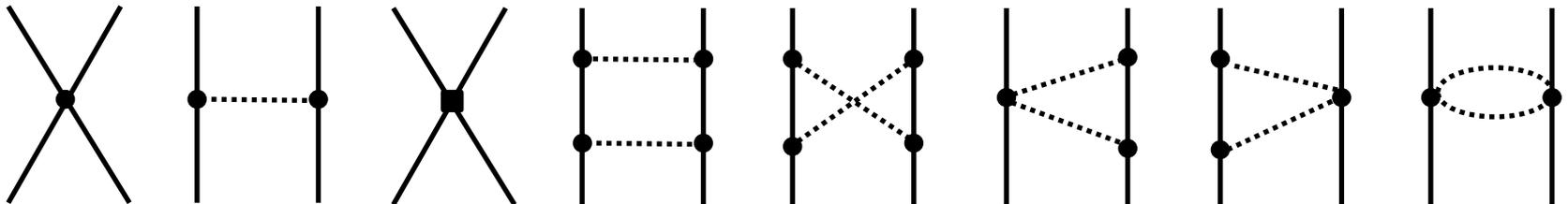
- Use of NN interactions parametrized by ChEFT is now standard for ab initio calculations of nuclear structures.
  - Low-energy effective theory of spontaneously broken chiral symmetry of QCD.
  - 3NFs are introduced systematically and consistently with 2NFs.
- Progress also in strangeness sector; at present NLO.
  - Experimental data of elementary processes is insufficient.
- It is important to carry out hyper nuclear physics on the basis of YN and YNN interactions of ChEFT.
  - Role of YNN interactions. (3NFs are decisively important in nuclear physics.)
  - Reason of the existence or non-existence of hyperons in neutron star matter.
    - Negative information from recent observation of  $2m_{\odot}$  neutron stars.
- Investigate properties of present NLO YN and YNN interactions developed by Bonn-Jülich-München group, by calculating hyperon properties in nuclear matter.

# Nuclear physics on the basis of ChEFT

- 3NF is introduced systematically and consistently with 2NF
  - Previous 3NF is largely phenomenological.
  - 3NFs in ChEFT consist of the components determined by the parameters in 2NFs and the new contact terms.
- Basic properties of nuclei are reproduced by adjusting two parameters ( $c_D$  and  $c_E$ ) without relying on much phenomenology.
  - Few-body systems and saturation properties (saturation curve)
  - Strength of one-body spin-orbit field essential for nuclear shell structure
  - Enhancement of tensor force (explain the neutron drip-limit of O isotopes)
- ChEFT NN and 3NF are standard for use in ab initio studies of nuclear structures: ( CCM, no-core shell model, Monte-Carlo, ... )
  - In place of modern NN potentials such as AV18, CD-Bonn, Nijmegen
- Studies in strangeness sector are in progress (Bonn-Jülich-München group)

# Baryon-baryon interactions in chiral effective field theory

- Starting from general Lagrangian written in terms nucleons and pions which satisfies chiral symmetry (of QCD), and expanding it with respect to momentum (power counting) (low energy effective theory)
- Construction of NN potential (elimination of pions by unitary-transformation or calculation of Feynman diagrams)
  - Coupling constants are determined by  $\pi\pi$ ,  $\pi N$ , and  $NN$  scattering data and few nucleon systems.
    - E. Epelbaum, H.-W. Hammer and U.-G. Meißner, Rev. Mod. Phys.81 1773 (2009)
    - R. Machleidt and D.R. Entem, Phys. Rep. 503,1 (2011)
- Actual scattering and bound states cannot be treated in perturbation:
  - Lippmann-Schwinger or Schroedinger eq.
- Renormalization in Feynman diagrams and regularization in L-S equation
  - LS eq.  $\mathcal{D}$  regulator function  $f(\Lambda) = \exp(-(p'^4 + p^4)/\Lambda^4)$   
cutoff scale  $\Lambda = 400 - 600$  MeV
- NLO diagrams ( $\pi$ ,  $K$ , and  $\eta$  exchanges in SU(3) )

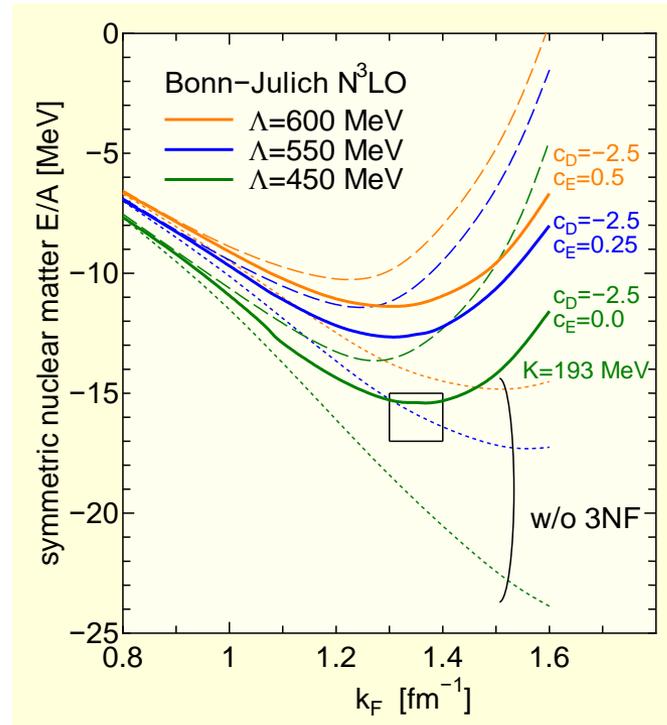
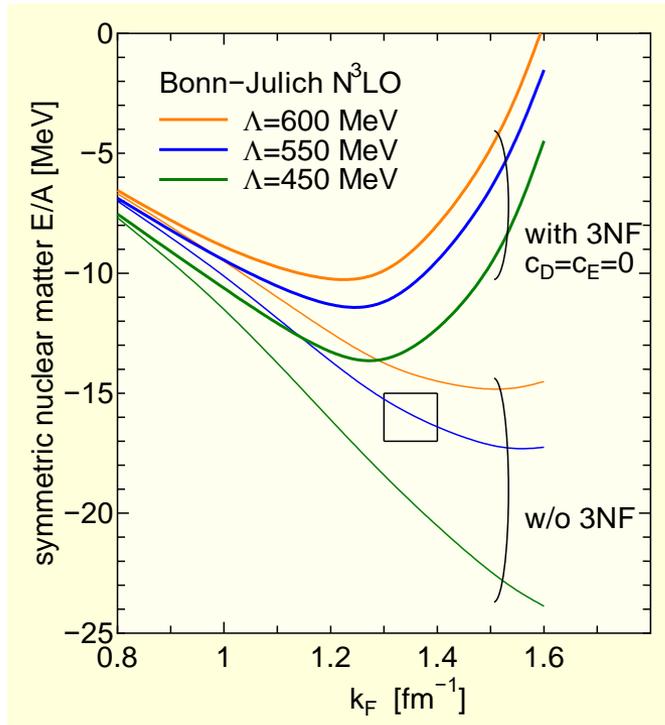
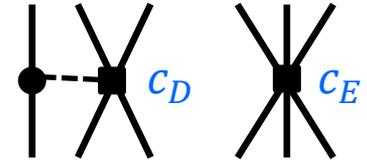


# LOBT calculations with NN+"3NF" of ChEFT

- Calculated saturation curves with 3 choices of cutoff  $\Lambda$ .

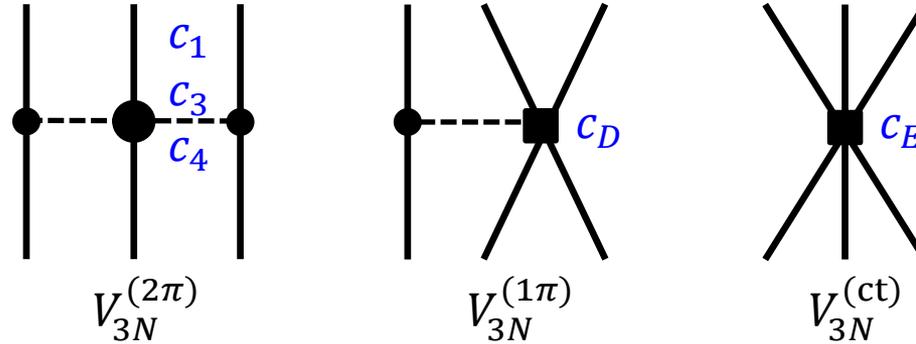
- Results of  $c_D = 0$  and  $c_E = 0$ .
- Pauli effects are sizable.

- Tune  $c_D$  and  $c_E$ .



It is not easy to explain nuclear matter properties with parameters fitted in few-body systems. There are attempts to readjust parameters to fit simultaneously finite nuclei and nuclear matter at the NNLO level [NNLO<sub>sat</sub>, Ekström et al., Phys.Rev. C91 (2015) 051301].

## NNLO 3NFs in Ch-EFT



$$V_{3N}^{(2\pi)} = \sum_{i \neq j \neq k} \frac{g_A^2}{8f_\pi^4} \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot \mathbf{q}_i)(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \cdot \mathbf{q}_j)}{(\mathbf{q}_i^2 + m_\pi^2)(\mathbf{q}_j^2 + m_\pi^2)} F_{ijk}^{\alpha\beta} \tau_i^\alpha \tau_j^\beta$$

$$F_{ijk}^{\alpha\beta} = \delta^{\alpha\beta} [-4c_1 m_\pi^2 + 2c_3 \mathbf{q}_i \cdot \mathbf{q}_j] + c_4 \epsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \tau_k^\gamma \boldsymbol{\sigma}_k \cdot (\mathbf{q}_i \times \mathbf{q}_j)$$

$$V_{3N}^{(1\pi)} = - \sum_{i \neq j \neq k} \frac{g_A c_D}{8f_\pi^4 \Lambda_\chi} \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \cdot \mathbf{q}_j}{(\mathbf{q}_j^2 + m_\pi^2)} \boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot \mathbf{q}_j \boldsymbol{\tau}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_j$$

$$V_{3N}^{(ct)} = \sum_{i \neq j \neq k} \frac{c_E}{2f_\pi^4 \Lambda_\chi} \boldsymbol{\tau}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_j$$

$$\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{p}_i, \Lambda_\chi = 700 \text{ MeV}$$

$c_1 = -0.81 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ ,  $c_3 = -3.4 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ , and  $c_4 = 3.4 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$  are fixed in NN sector.  $c_D$  and  $c_E$  are to be determined in many-body systems.

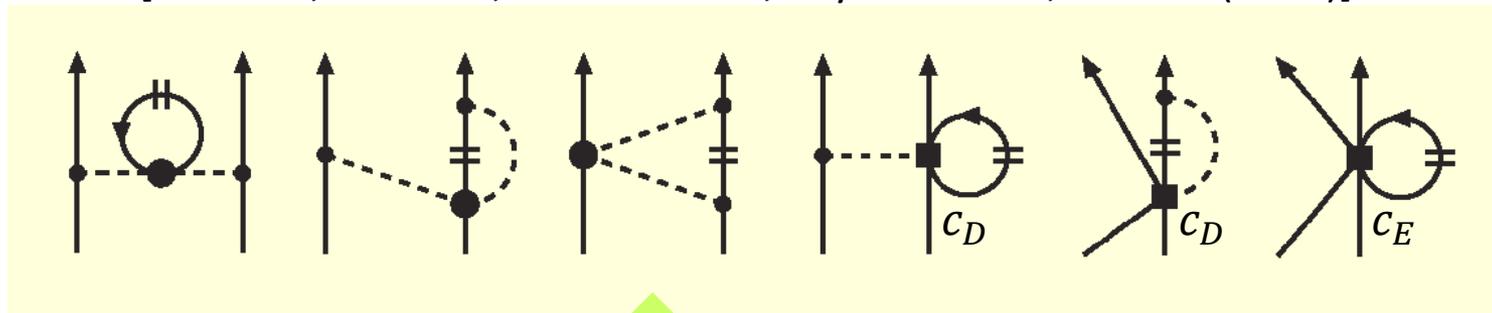
# Reduction of 3NF $v_{123}$ to density dependent NN $v_{12(3)}$

Normal-ordered 2NF from 3NF with respect to nuclear matter:

$$\langle ab | v_{12(3)} | cd \rangle_A \equiv \sum_h \langle abh | v_{123} | cdh \rangle_A$$

Diagrammatical representation by Holt et al.

[J.W. Holt, N. Kaiser, and W. Weise, Phys. Rev. C81, 024002 (2010)]



■ Contributions from the two left diagrams tend to cancel.

■ This diagram partly corresponds to the Pauli blocking of the isobar  $\Delta$  excitation in a conventional picture.

■ Expand them into partial waves, add them to NN and carry out G matrix calculation.

➤ (\*) A factor of  $\frac{1}{3}$  is necessary for the calculation of energy at the HF level.

# Effective two-body interaction and partial wave expansion

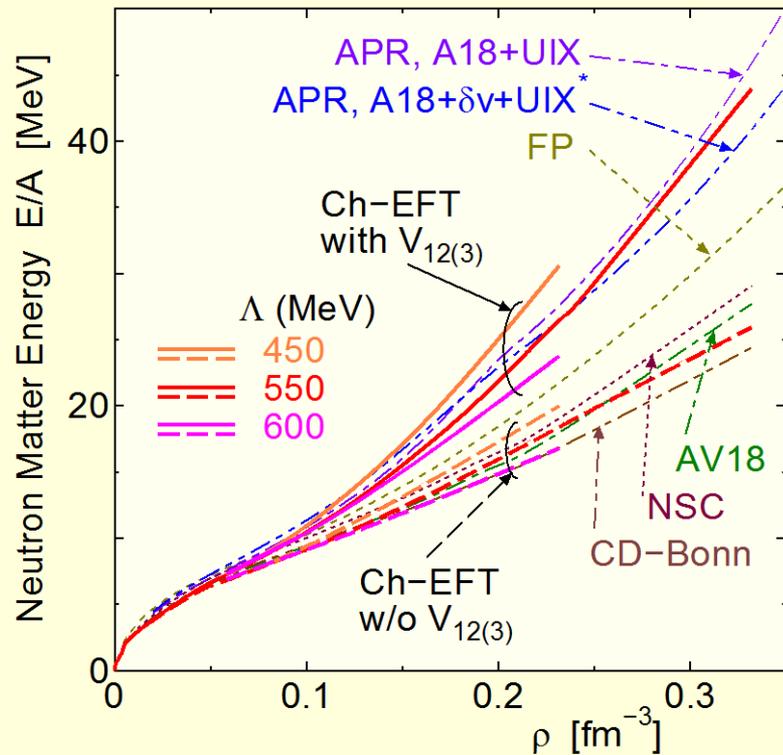
- Integrating over the third nucleon in nuclear matter ( $|\mathbf{k}_3| \leq k_F, \sigma_3, \tau_3$ ).  
Example:  $c_1$  term of the Ch-EFT NNLO 3NF.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \langle \mathbf{k}' \sigma'_1 \tau'_1, -\mathbf{k}' \sigma'_2 \tau'_2 | V_{12(3)}^{c_1} | \mathbf{k} \sigma_1 \tau_1, -\mathbf{k} \sigma_2 \tau_2 \rangle \\
 &= -\frac{c_1 g_A^2 m_\pi^2}{f_\pi^4} \sum_{\mathbf{k}_3, \sigma_3, \tau_3} \langle \mathbf{k}' \sigma'_1 \tau'_1, -\mathbf{k}' \sigma'_2 \tau'_2, \mathbf{k}_3 \sigma_3 \tau_3 | \left\{ \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \mathbf{q}_1)(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}_2)}{(q_1^2 + m_\pi^2)(q_2^2 + m_\pi^2)} (\boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_2) \right. \\
 & \quad \left. + \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \mathbf{q}_1)(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_3 \cdot \mathbf{q}_3)}{(q_1^2 + m_\pi^2)(q_2^2 + m_\pi^2)} (\boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3) + \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}_2)(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_3 \cdot \mathbf{q}_3)}{(q_2^2 + m_\pi^2)(q_3^2 + m_\pi^2)} (\boldsymbol{\tau}_2 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3) \right\} \\
 & \quad | [\mathbf{k} \sigma_1 \tau_1, -\mathbf{k} \sigma_2 \tau_2]_a, \mathbf{k}_3 \sigma_3 \tau_3 + [-\mathbf{k} \sigma_2 \tau_2]_a, \mathbf{k}_3 \sigma_3 \tau_3, [\mathbf{k} \sigma_1 \tau_1]_a + \mathbf{k}_3 \sigma_3 \tau_3, [\mathbf{k} \sigma_1 \tau_1, -\mathbf{k} \sigma_2 \tau_2]_a \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

- Spin and isospin summations
  - two-body central, spin-orbit, and tensor components
- $\mathbf{k}_3$ -integration for general case of  $k' \neq k$
- expand the result into partial waves
- Then, form factor in the form of  $\exp \left\{ -\left(\frac{k'}{\Lambda}\right)^6 - \left(\frac{k}{\Lambda}\right)^6 \right\}$  is multiplied

# Neutron matter

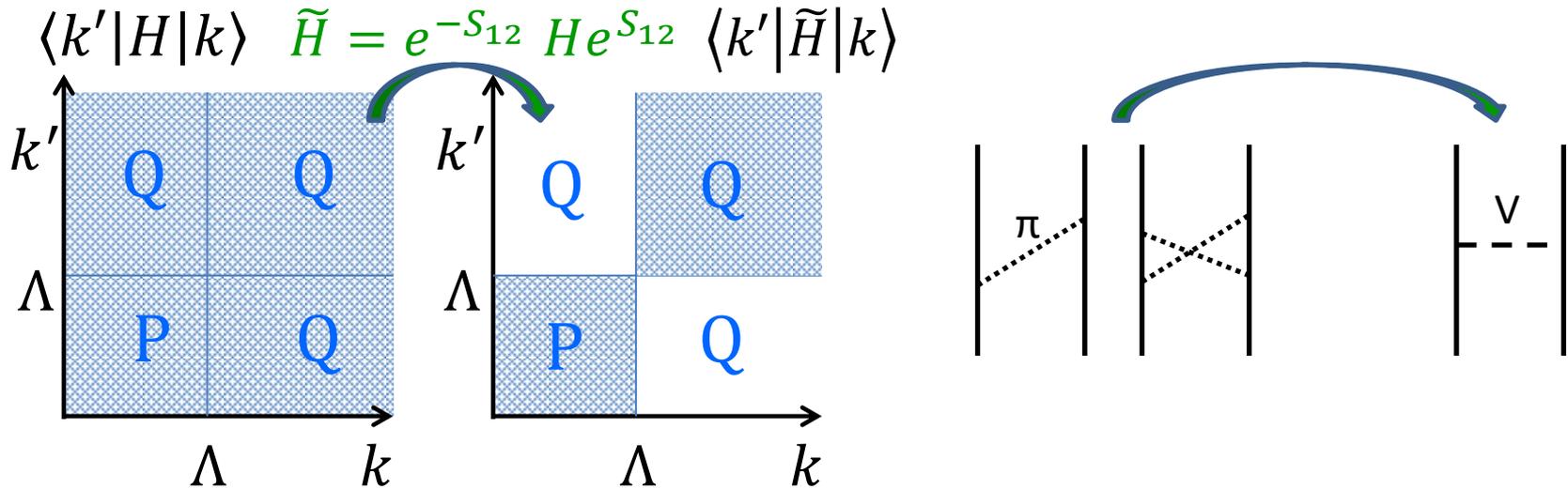
- EoS of neutron matter: basic to theoretical studies of neutron star.
  - EoS of APR, including phenomenological 3NFs, has been standard.
    - Necessity of the repulsive contributions from 3NF.



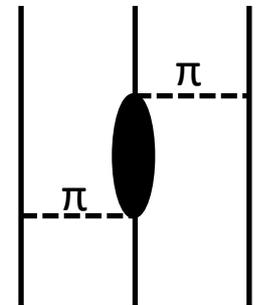
- Dependence on different two-body NN interactions is small, because of the absence of tensor effects in the  ${}^3E$  state.
- The contribution of ChEFT 3NFs (no  $c_D$  and  $c_E$  terms) is similar to the standard phenomenological one by APR.
  - ChEFT is not applicable to the high-density region of  $\rho > 2\rho_0$ .

APR: Akmal, Pandharipande, and Ravenhall, PRC58, 1804 (1998)

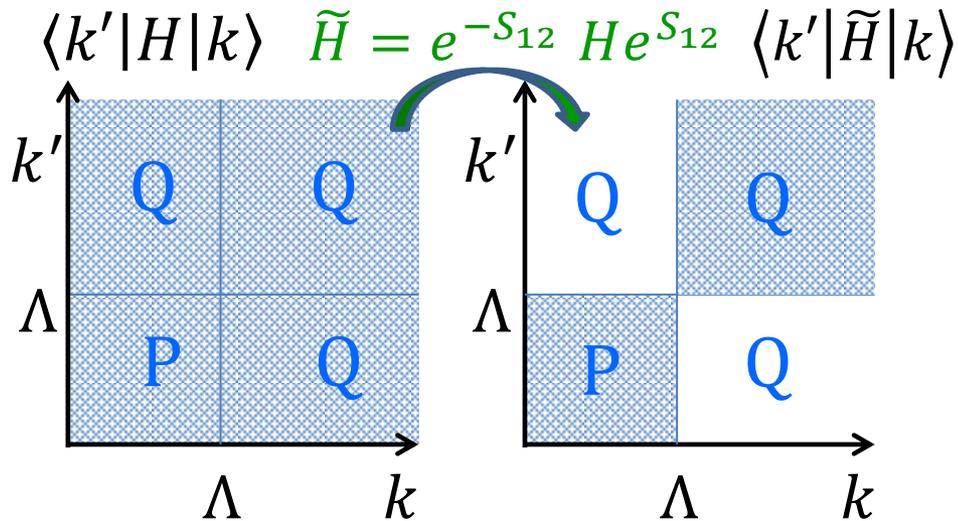
# Instantaneous NN potential



- To construct instantaneous interaction between two nucleons, meson degrees of freedom is eliminated by some unitary transformation. [Okubo, PTP64 (1958)]
- The unitary tf.  $e^{S_{12}}$  should satisfy a decoupling condition  $\langle Q|\tilde{H}|P\rangle = \langle P|\tilde{H}|Q\rangle = 0$  in two-body space.
- (Induced) Many-body forces appear in many-nucleon space. Typical example: Fujita-Miyazawa type.



## Equivalent interaction in restricted (low-mom.) space



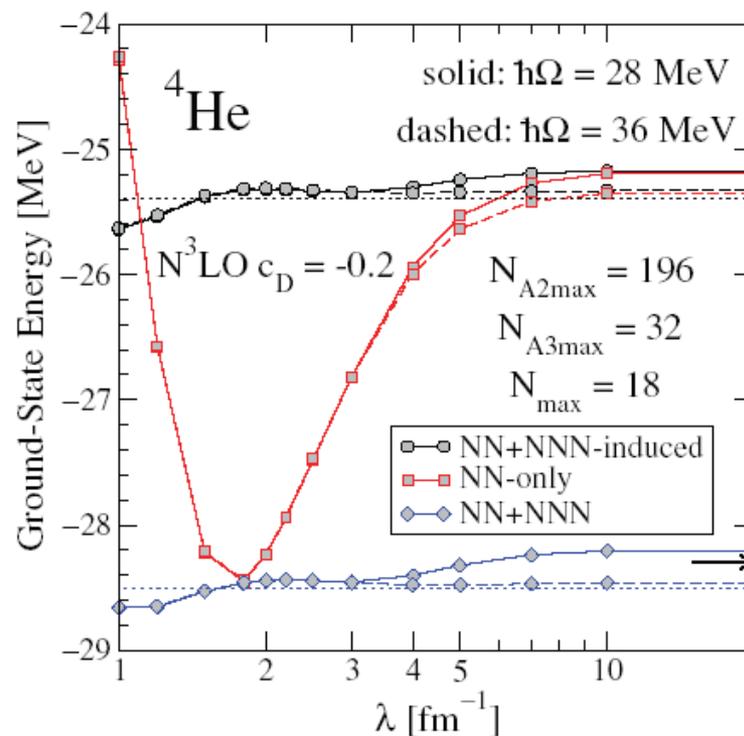
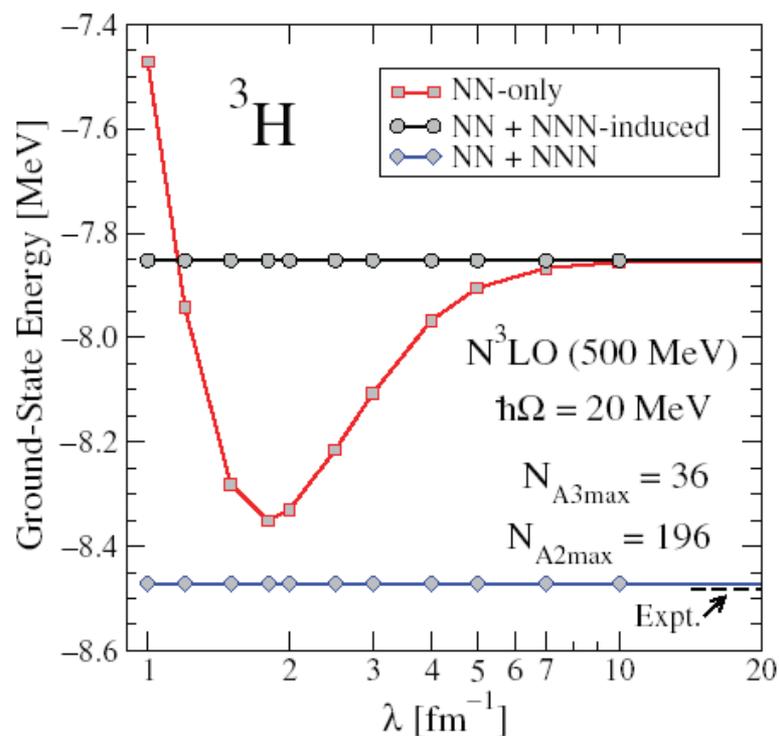
- Apply some unitary transformation  $e^{S_{12}}$  to  $H$  to obtain an equivalent Hamiltonian  $\tilde{H}$  in a restricted (P) space

[Suzuki and Lee, PTP64 (1980)]

- The unitary tf.  $e^{S_{12}}$  should satisfy a decoupling condition  $\langle Q|\tilde{H}|P\rangle = \langle P|\tilde{H}|Q\rangle = 0$  in two-body space (block diagonal).
  - Singular high-momentum components are eliminated.
- Eigenvalues, namely on-shell properties, in the restricted (P) space do not change.
  - Off-shell properties naturally change.
- Induced many-body forces appear in many-body space.

## Example of induced 3NF in SRG method

- Red curve: calculation with low-momentum interaction by SRG method
- When induced 3NF is included, the exact energy is recovered (black curve).
  - $\lambda$  represents the scale of low-momentum space.
  - To reproduce experimental values, genuine 3NF is needed (attractive).



E.D. Jurgenson, P. Navratil, and R.J. Furnstahl, Phys. Rev. C83, 034301 (2011)  
 "Evolving nuclear many-body forces with the similarity renormalization group"

## Summary of effects of 3NF in chiral effective field theory

- Phenomenological adjustment is minimal.
- 3NFs have to be expected as induced effective interaction when other degrees of freedom than nucleons are eliminated in many-nucleon space.
- The repulsive contribution is essential, at least semi-quantitatively, to explain basic saturation properties.
- In addition:
  - Enhancement of spin-orbit strength of the nuclear mean field.
  - Enhancement of tensor component: due to the suppression of the reduction of the tensor force from NNLO  $2\text{-}\pi$  exchange.
    - E.g., the neutron drip limit is reproduced in oxygen isotopes.
- Subjects to be studied: 3BF contributions in the strangeness sector; hyper nuclei and neutron star matter.

# Strangeness sector: YN and YNN interaction in ChEFT

- Parametrization by Bonn-Jülich-München

- Lowest order:

- Polinder, Haidenbauer, and Meißner, Nucl. Phys. A779, 244 (2006)

- Parameters:  $f_{NN\pi} = \frac{2f_\pi}{g_A}$  and  $\alpha = \frac{F}{F+D}$ , also five low-energy constants:

$$C_{150}^{\Lambda\Lambda}, C_{3S1}^{\Lambda\Lambda}, C_{150}^{\Sigma\Sigma}, C_{3S1}^{\Sigma\Sigma}, C_{3S1}^{\Lambda\Sigma}$$

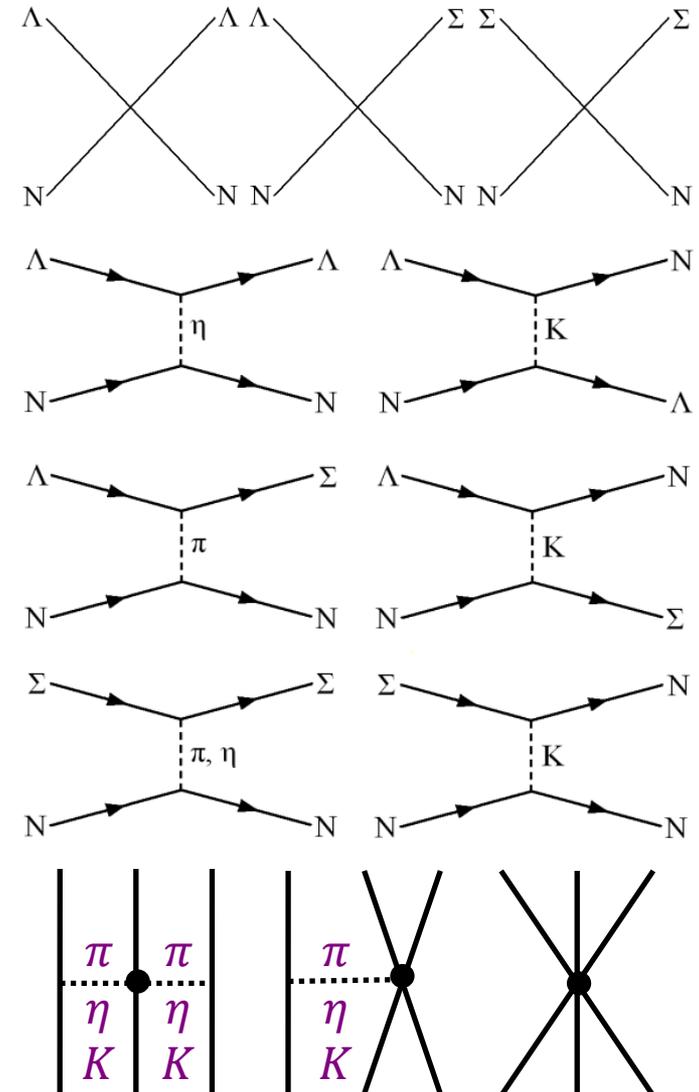
- Next-to-Leading order

- Haidenbauer, Petschauer, Kaiser, Meißner, Nogga, and Weise, Nucl. Phys. A915, 24 (2013)

- Leading three-baryon forces

- Petschauer, Kaiser, Haidenbauer, Meißner, and Weise, Phys. Rev. C93, 014001 (2016)

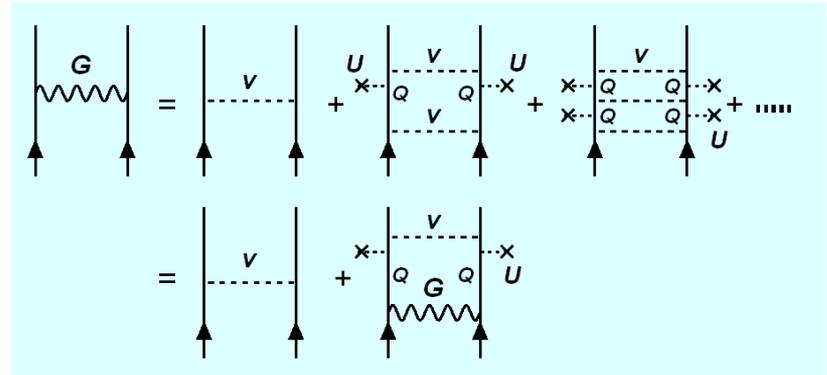
- Estimation of  $1\pi$  and contact LEC: decouplet dominance



# Hyperon s.p. potentials in nuclear matter

- **First**, hyperon ( $\Lambda$ ,  $\Sigma$  and  $\Xi$ ) single-particle potentials are calculated in nuclear matter using Ch-NLO YN interactions only.
  - cutoff scale of 400~600 MeV is still hard to treat the interaction by HF method.
- ➔ Standard lowest-order Brueckner method to take care of high momentum part with the continuous choice for intermediate spectra.

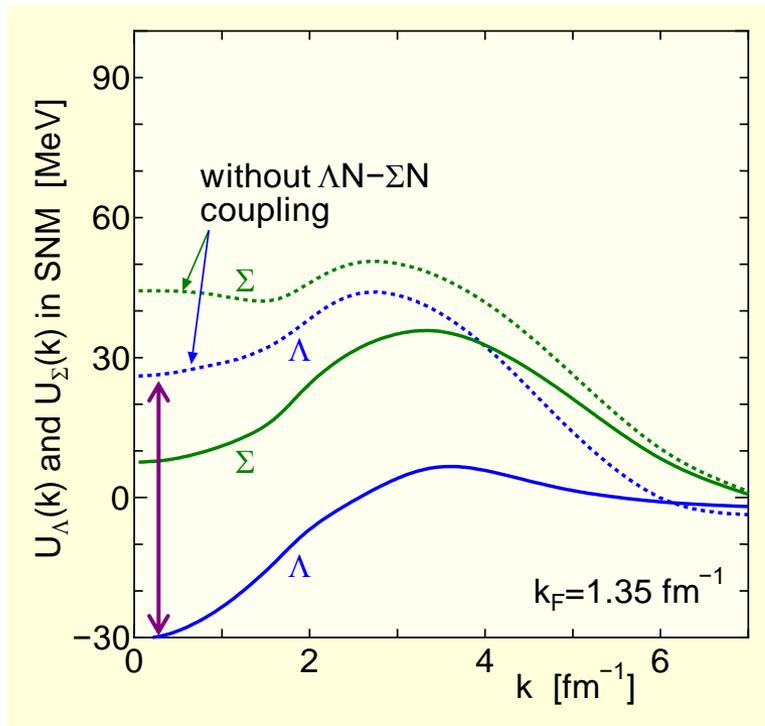
$$G = v + v \frac{Q}{\omega - (t_1 + U_1 + t_2 + U_2)} G$$



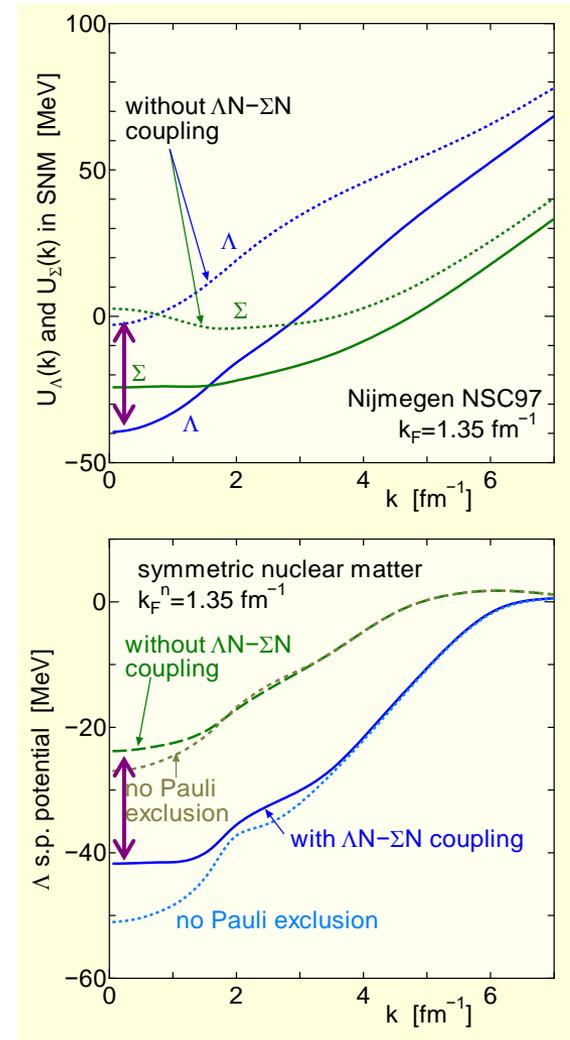
- Salient features, in comparison with other previous YN interactions.
  - Strong  $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  coupling, which generates  $\Lambda N$  attraction
    - Charge symmetry breaking in few-body systems may be accounted for.
  - $\Lambda$  s.p. potential does not become deeper at high densities.

# $\Lambda$ and $\Sigma$ s.p. potentials from G-matrices in symmetric nuclear matter

- The  $\Lambda N$  attraction (experimentally, s.p. potential depth is around 30 MeV) comes from  $\Lambda N$  -  $\Sigma N$  coupling through tensor force.
- The coupling effect is large in ChNLO potential.

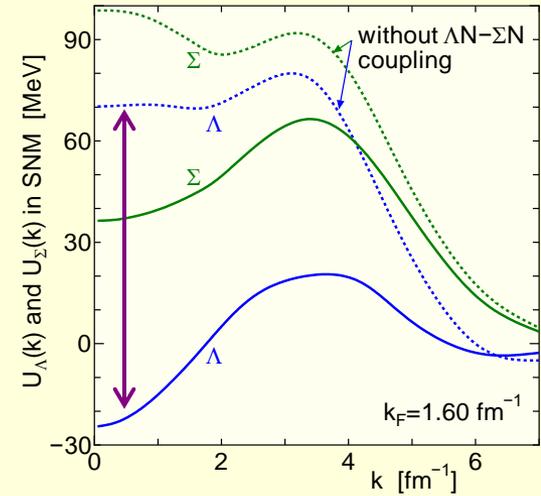
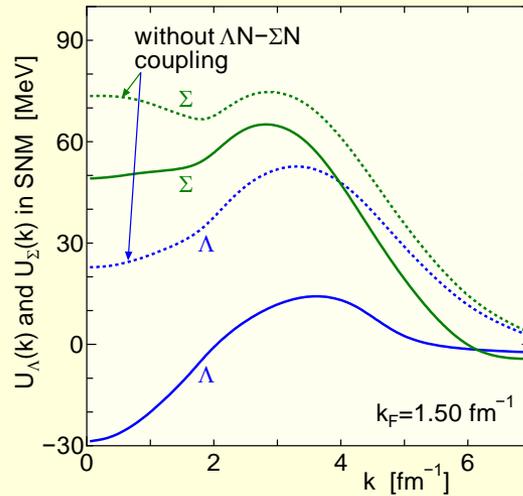
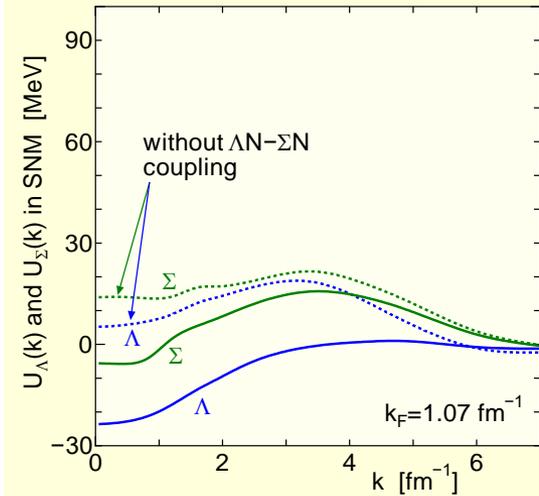


Cf: Results of Nijmegen and quak model (fss2) potentials

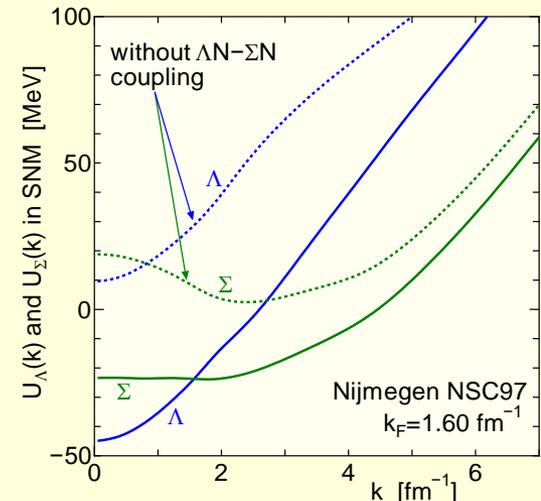
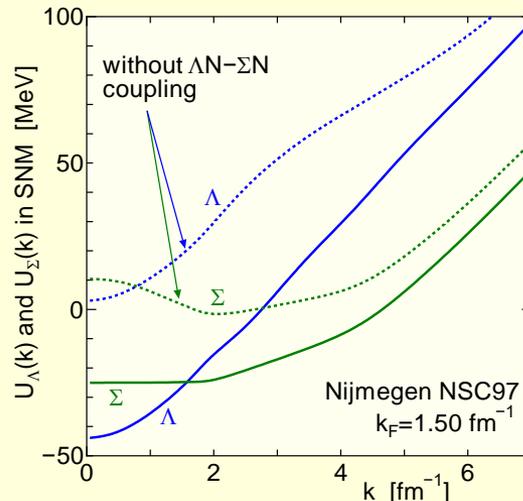
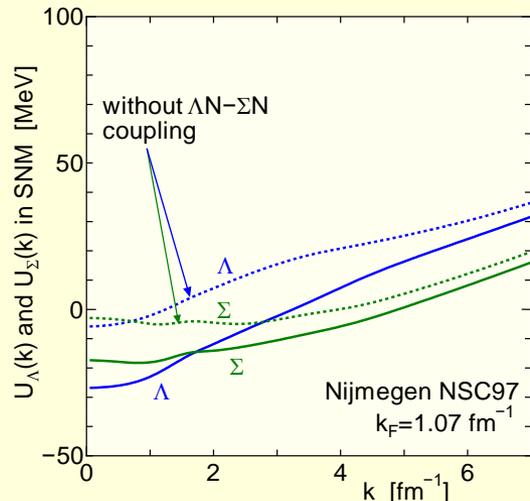


# Calculations at other densities of $k_F = 1.07, 1.50$ and $1.60 \text{ fm}^{-1}$

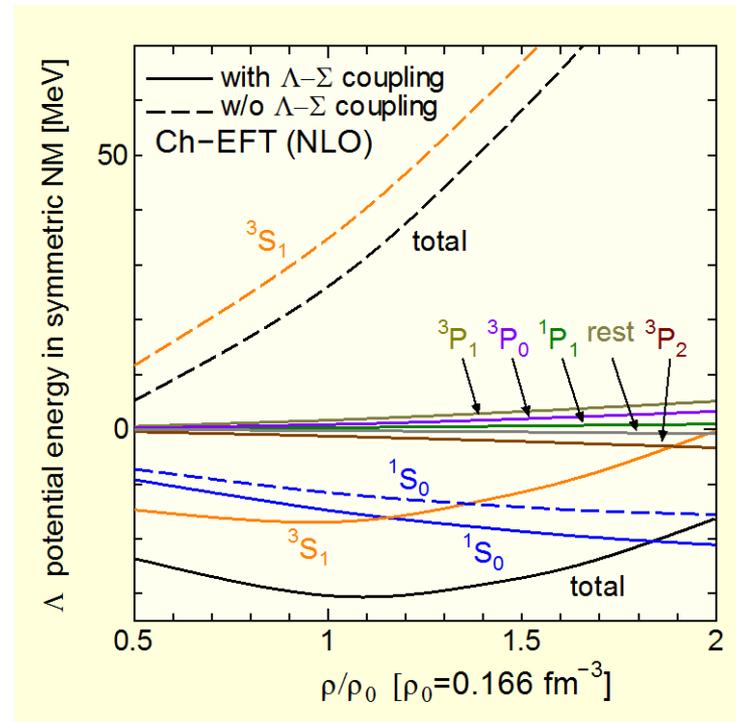
- NLO ChEFT    The  $\Lambda$  potential stays shallow at higher densities.



- Nijmegen

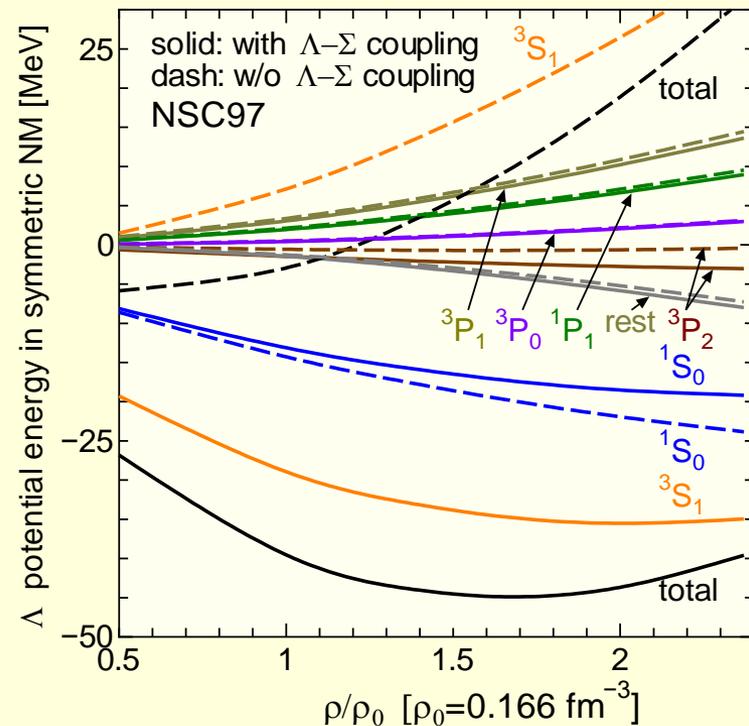
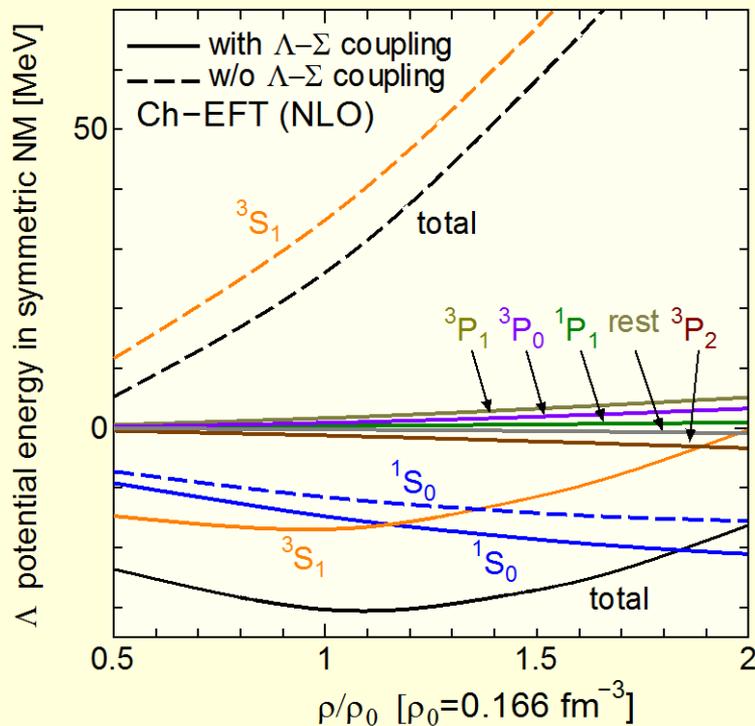


# Density-dependence of the potential of the $\Lambda$ hyperon at rest



- Shallowness of the potential of the  $\Lambda$  hyperon at rest is due to behavior of the  $^3S_1$  contribution.
- Qualitatively same results with those of Haidenbauer, Meißner, Keiser, and Weise [arXiv:1612.03758, EPJA in print].

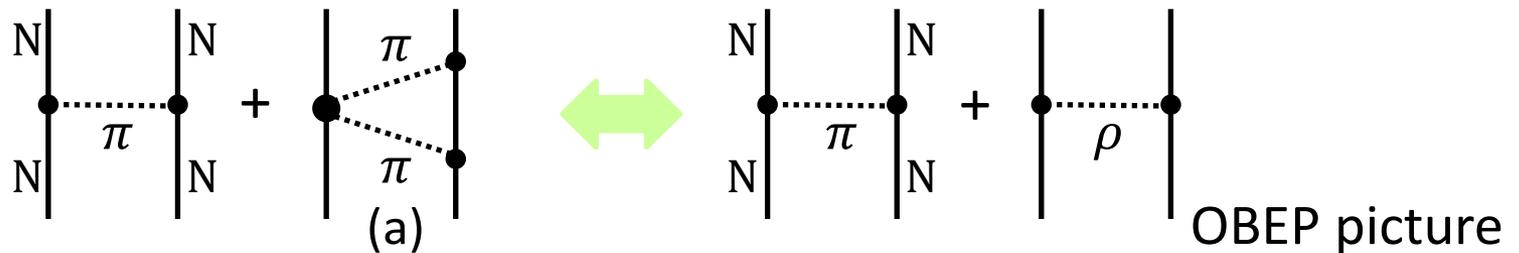
# Comparison with the results from Nijmegen 97f potential



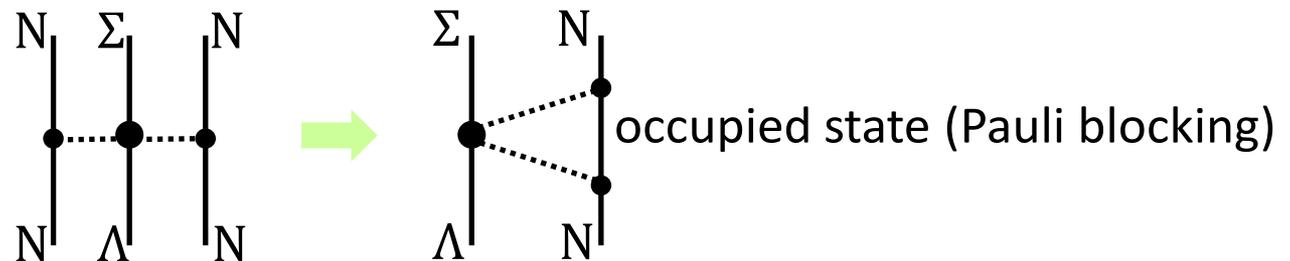
- Qualitative resemblance between ChEFT and NSC97F.
  - Note that NSC97f predicts attractive  $\Sigma$  potential; inconsistent with experimental data.

## comment

- The tensor component from one-pion exchange process in the  $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  coupling at the NLO may be overestimated.
  - In the NN case, it is known that  $2\pi$  exchange NNLO diagram (a) reduces the strong one-pion exchange tensor force, which corresponds to the role of the  $\rho$  meson in the OBEP picture.

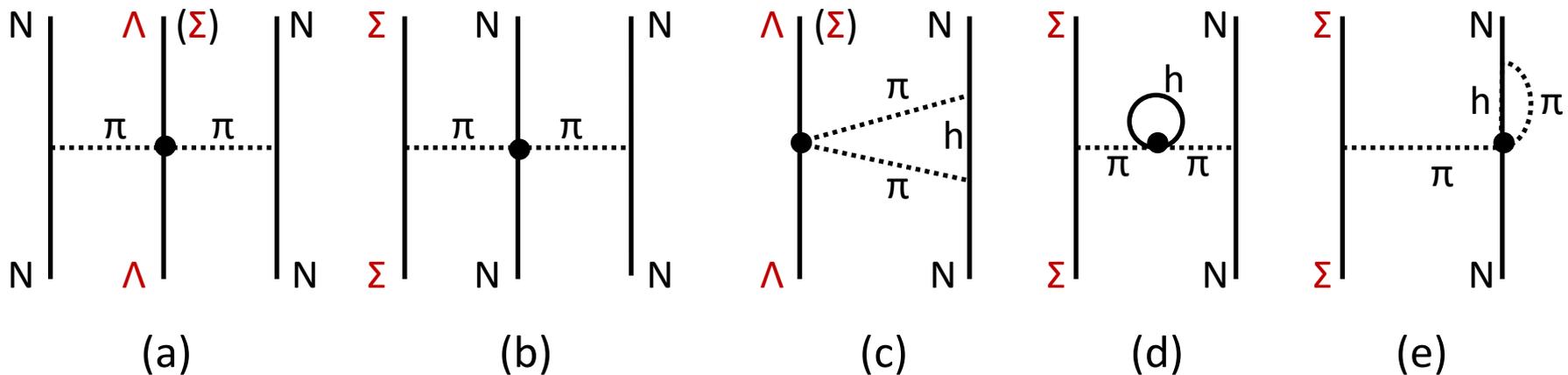


- This is related to the later observation that the effect of  $\Lambda NN$ - $\Sigma NN$  3BF coupling enhances the tensor component.



## Inclusion of YNN interactions

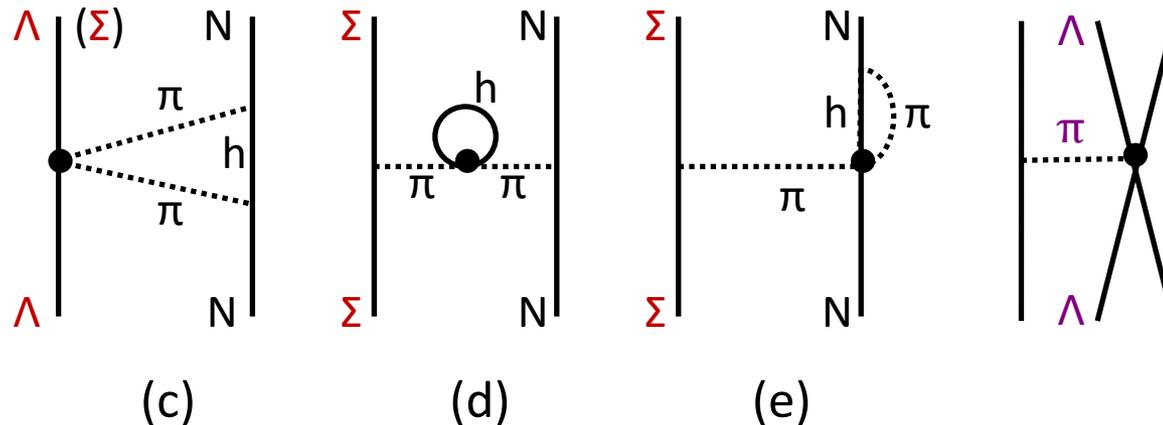
- **Next**, introducing normal-ordering for YNN force in the 2BF level, LOBT calculations are carried out.
  - Petschauer et al., “Leading three-baryon force from SU(3) chiral effective field theory”, Phys. Rev. C93, 014001 (2016)



- YNN 3BF(a) is reduced to density-dependent 2BF(c) in nuclear matter (normal-ordering). Solve G-matrix equations, with 2BF + DD 2BF, to obtain  $\Lambda$  s.p. potential.

## Effects of YNN interactions in ChEFT

- Pauli blocking type contribution (c) suppresses the attraction in free space, namely the repulsive contribution. The suppression becomes larger at higher density, like in the NNN case.



- Contributions of  $1\pi$  exchange 3BF can be attractive contribution, depending the sign of the coupling constant.
- Effects from  $\Lambda NN$ - $\Sigma NN$  coupling can be attractive by the enhancement of the tensor component.

# Contributions of 2-pion exchange $\Lambda$ NN interaction

- $2\pi$  exchange  $\Lambda$ NN 3-body interaction  $V_{\Lambda NN}^{TPE}$

$$\frac{g_A^2}{3f_0^2} (\boldsymbol{\tau}_2 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3) \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_3 \cdot \mathbf{q}_{63})(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}_{52})}{(\mathbf{q}_{63}^2 + m_\pi^2)(\mathbf{q}_{52}^2 + m_\pi^2)} \{-Am_\pi^2 + B\mathbf{q}_{63} \cdot \mathbf{q}_{52}\}$$

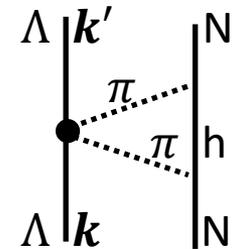
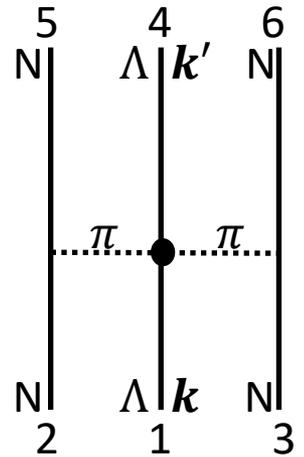
Estimation by Petschauer:  $A = 0$ ,  $B = -3.0 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$

- Normal-ordered 2-body int. in symmetric nuclear matter

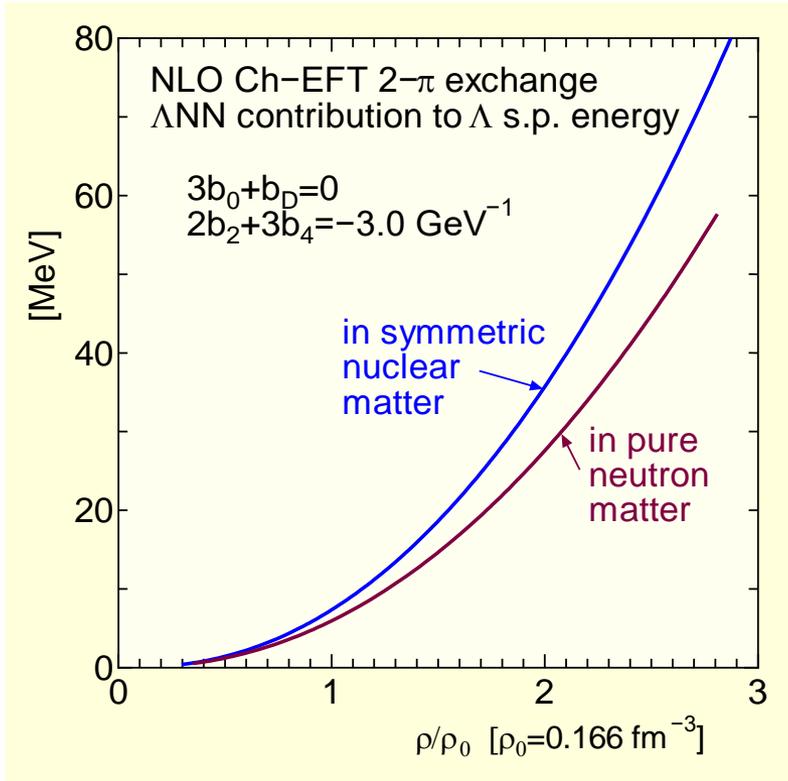
$$\langle \mathbf{k}' \sigma_{\Lambda'}, -\mathbf{k}' \sigma' \tau' | V_{\Lambda N(N)} | \mathbf{k} \sigma_{\Lambda}, -\mathbf{k} \sigma \tau \rangle$$

$$\equiv \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{k}_h, \sigma_h, \tau_h} \langle \mathbf{k}' \sigma_{\Lambda'}, -\mathbf{k}' \sigma' \tau', \mathbf{k}_h, \sigma_h, \tau_h | V_{\Lambda NN} | \mathbf{k} \sigma_{\Lambda}, -\mathbf{k} \sigma \tau, \mathbf{k}_h, \sigma_h, \tau_h \rangle_A$$

- Density-dependent central, LS, ALS 成分
- No tensor component
- Additional statistical factor  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Repulsive character of Pauli blocking type
- Partial waves expansion → G-matrix calculation

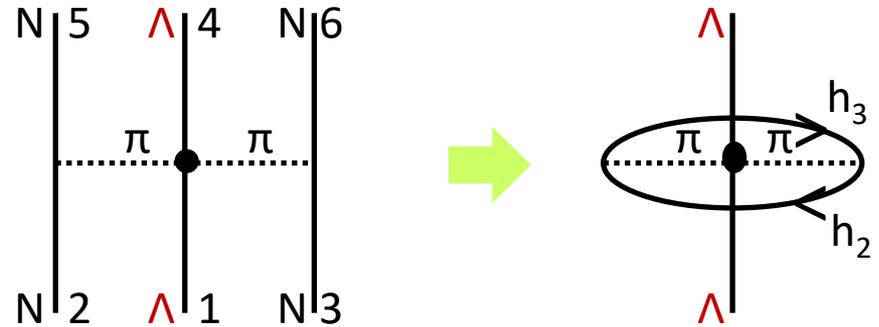


# HF contribution of $2\pi$ exchange $\Lambda$ NN force to $\Lambda$ potential



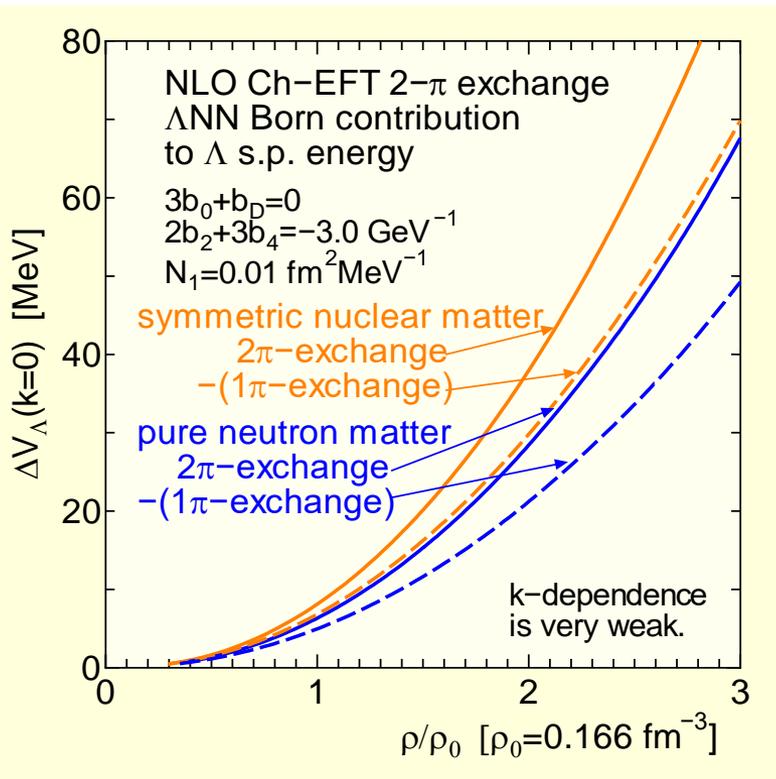
- ChEFT may not be relevant to  $\rho > 2\rho_0$ .
- Contributions from contact terms have also to be considered.

$$V_{\Lambda NN}^{TPE} = \frac{g_A^2}{3f_0^4} (\boldsymbol{\tau}_2 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3) \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_3 \cdot \mathbf{q}_{63})(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{q}_{52})}{(q_{63}^2 + m_\pi^2)(q_{52}^2 + m_\pi^2)} \times \{-(3b_0 + b_D)m_\pi^2 + (2b_2 + 3b_4)\mathbf{q}_{63} \cdot \mathbf{q}_{52}\}$$

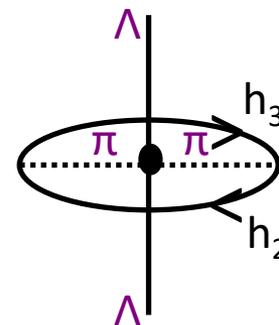


$$\begin{aligned} \Delta U_\Lambda(\mathbf{k}_\Lambda) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{2,3} \langle \mathbf{k}_\Lambda \mathbf{k}_2 \mathbf{k}_3 | V_{\Lambda NN}^{TPE} | \mathbf{k}_\Lambda \mathbf{k}_2 \mathbf{k}_3 \rangle_A \\ &= \frac{g_A^2}{3f_0^4} \frac{1}{(2\pi)^6} \int_0^{k_F} q^2 dq \frac{64\pi^2}{3} (k_F - q)^2 \\ &\quad \times (2k_F + q) \frac{4q^2}{(4q^2 + m_\pi^2)^2} \\ &\quad \times \{-(3b_0 + b_D)m_\pi^2 + (2b_2 + 3b_4)q^2\} \end{aligned}$$

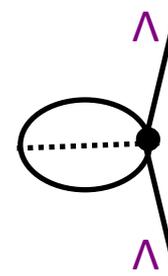
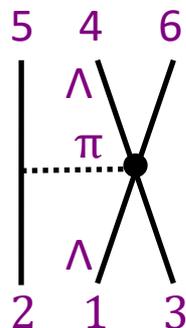
# HF contribution of $2\pi$ and $1\pi$ exchange $\Lambda$ NN forces to $\Lambda$ potential



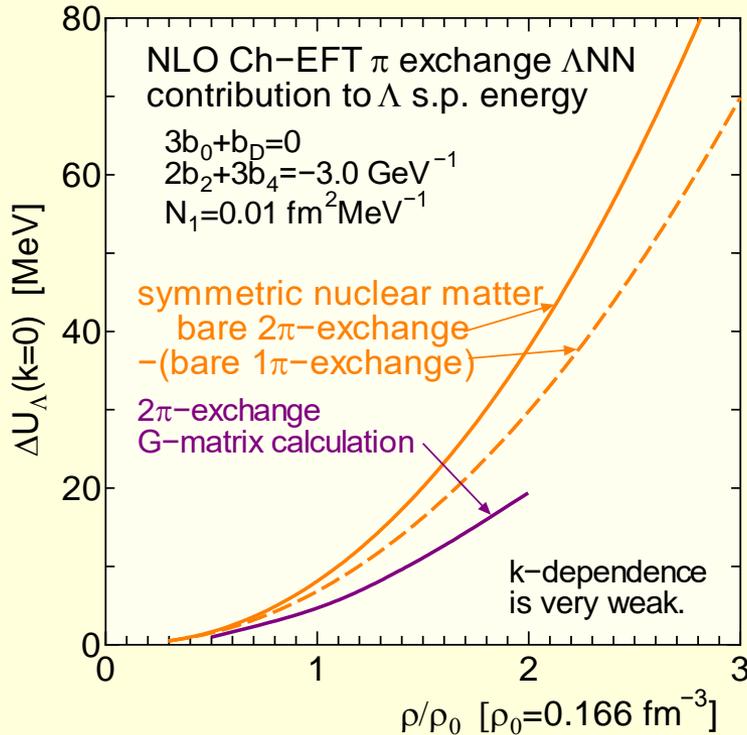
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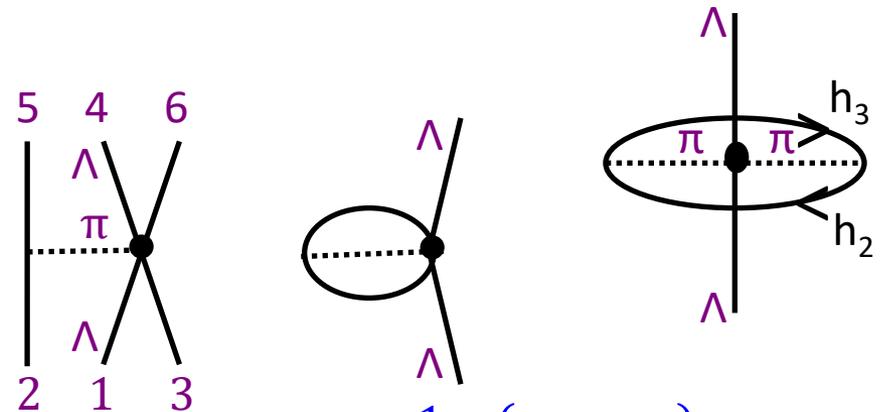
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# Contributions of $2\pi$ exchange $\Lambda$ NN force in G-matrix calculations



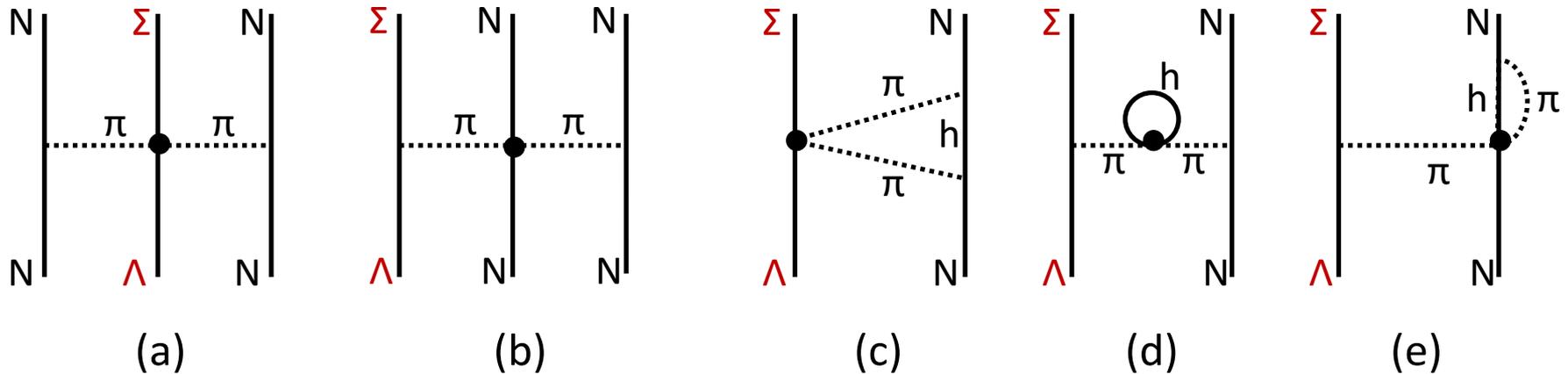
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- Absolute values of the are reduced by the correlation from the G-matrix equation.
- Contributions below the normal density are not large, though depending on the sign of the 1-pion exchange contact term.
- Effects of the  $\Lambda$ NN- $\Sigma$ NN coupling are to be included.

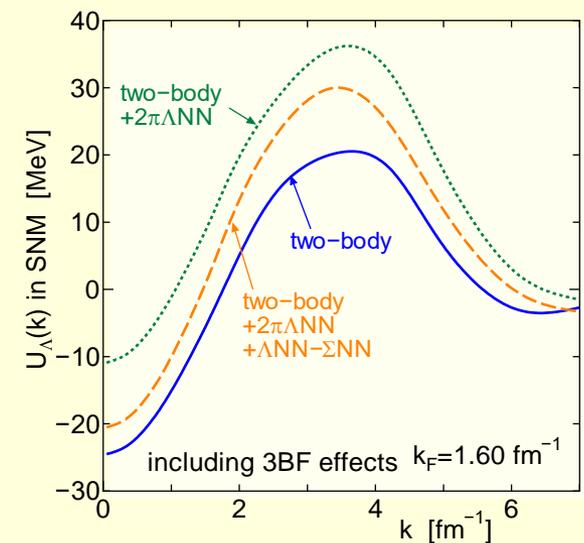
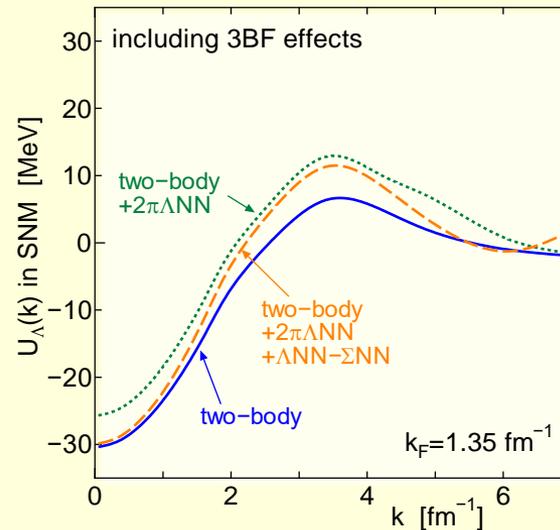
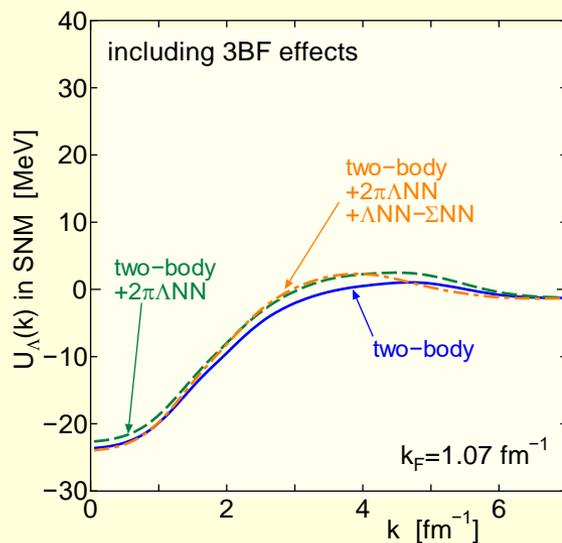
# Normal-ordered 2body force from $\Lambda$ NN- $\Sigma$ NN coupling interaction



- Again, normal-ordered 2NF is introduced.
- As in the case of 3NFs
  - Contributions of (d) and (e) diagrams cancel each other.
  - The diagram (c) enhances the tensor component.

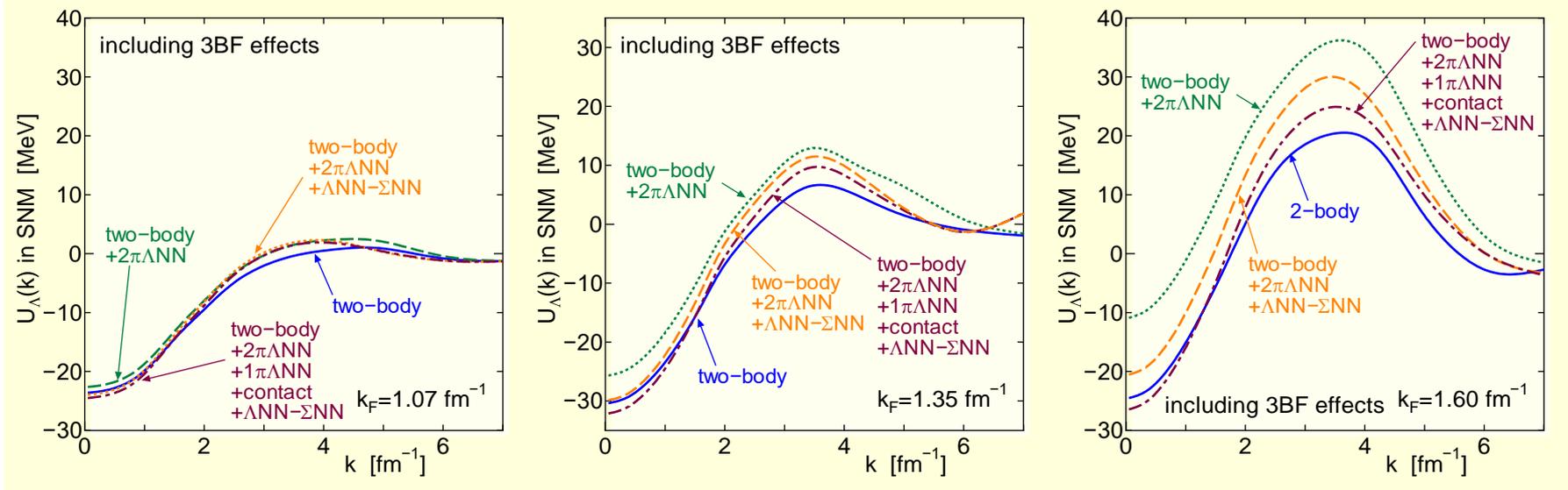
# $\Lambda$ s.p. potential in symmetric nuclear matter including 3BFs

- $k_F = 1.07, 1.35$  and  $1.60 \text{ fm}^{-1}$  ( $\rho = \frac{1}{2}\rho_0, \rho_0,$  and  $1.66\rho_0,$  respectively)
  - $2\pi$ -exchange  $\Lambda$ NN interaction
  - $2\pi$ -exchange  $\Lambda$ NN-  $\Sigma$ NN interaction



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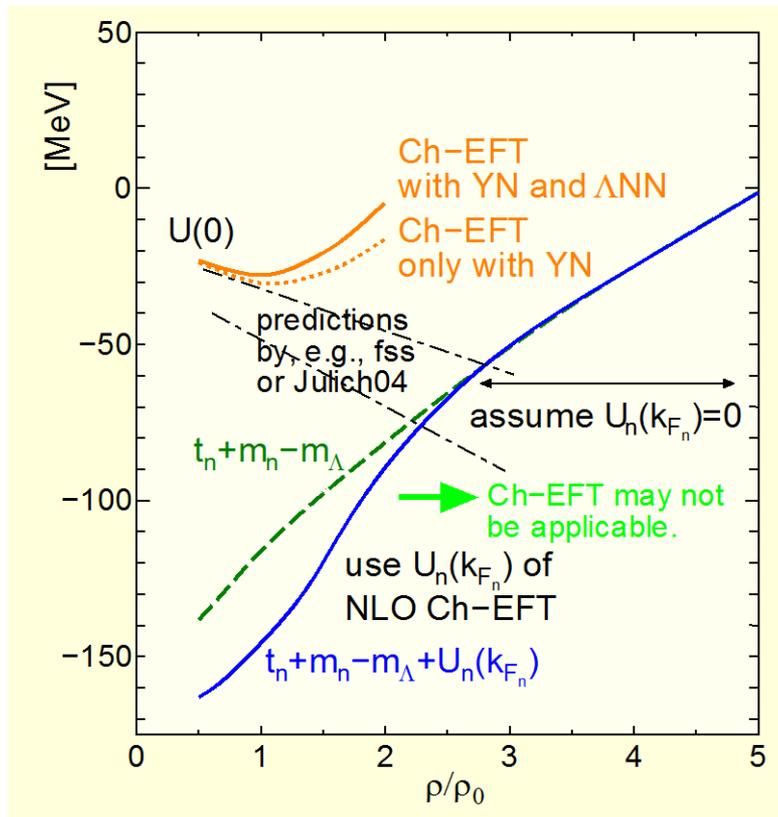
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  - $2\pi$ -exchange  $\Lambda$ NN interaction
  - $2\pi$ -exchange  $\Lambda$ NN-  $\Sigma$ NN interaction
  - Contact + attractive  $1\pi$ -exchange  $\Lambda$ NN interaction



# Possibility to resolve hyperon puzzle

- A naive condition for the  $\Lambda$  hyperon to appear in pure neutron matter.

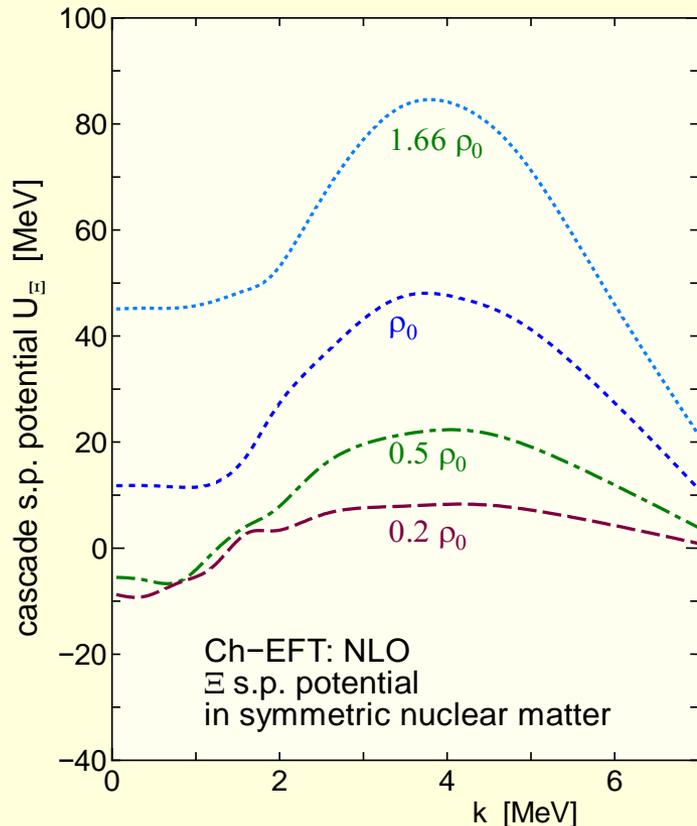
$$U_{\Lambda}(0) < \frac{\hbar^2}{2m_n} k_{F_n}^2 + m_n - m_{\Lambda} + U_n(k_{F_n})$$



- $\Lambda$  s.p. potential predicted by NLO YN potential does not become deep at high densities.
  - $U_{\Lambda}(0) > -30$  MeV
  - The attractive effect from  $\Lambda$ NN- $\Sigma$ NN coupling does not change this feature qualitatively.
- $U_{\Lambda}(0)$  is always above  $\frac{\hbar^2}{2m_n} \times k_{F_n}^2 + m_n - m_{\Lambda} + U_n(k_{F_n})$ ; namely,  $\Lambda$  hyperon does not appear in the high density medium.

(Note: Actual calculations in neutron matter are in progress.)

# $\Xi$ s.p. potential in symmetric nuclear matter



- Coupling constants in  $S = -2$  sector are largely uncertain.
  - Constraint from the non-existence of  $H$  and bound  $\Xi N$  state.
- Various baryon-channel coupling ( $\Xi N$ - $\Lambda\Lambda$ - $\Sigma\Sigma$  ( $T=0$ ),  $\Xi N$ - $\Lambda\Sigma$ - $\Sigma\Sigma$  ( $T=1$ )) state and density dependences
- $\Xi$ -nucleus potential from ChEFT NLO interaction may be attractive but shallow at the surface region.
- Recent experimental data suggest some weakly bound  $\Xi$ -nucleus states.
  - Kiso event:  $\Xi^-$ - $^{14}\text{N}$  (Nakazawa et al.)
  - $^{12}\text{C}(K^-, K^+)X$  spectra at 1.8 GeV/c (Nagae et al.), which showed some strength below the threshold, though not conclusive until the future experiment.
- Effects from 3BFs should be included.

# Summary

- General remarks for 3-body interaction
- LOBT G-matrix calculations to obtain hyperon single-particle potentials in (symmetric) nuclear matter, using Ch-EFT NLO interactions in the strangeness sector developed by the Bonn-Jülich-München group.
  - Strong  $\Lambda N$ - $\Sigma N$  coupling
  - $\Lambda$  s.p. potential does not become deeper at higher densities.
    - $\Lambda$  is energetically unfavorable in high density matter. Does hyperon puzzle dissolve?
  - Contributions of 3BF do not change the situation.
  - $\Lambda NN$  3BF gives repulsive contribution, while the effect from  $\Lambda NN$ -  $\Sigma NN$  is attractive.
- Subjects to be studied in the future
  - NNLO
  - New experiments to reduce uncertainties of coupling constants and low energy constants.
  - Consideration of diagrams including  $K$  and  $\eta$  exchanges.
  - Explicit (ab initio) calculations of finite hypernuclei.