

[Workshop on Strangeness and charm in hadrons and dense matter

May 26 (Fri) , 2017, YITP, Kyoto Univ.)]

Interplay of kaon condensation and hyperons in nuclei and in neutron stars

T. Muto (Chiba Inst. Tech.)

Collaborators : T. Maruyama (JAEA) , T. Tatsumi (Kyoto Univ.)

1. Introduction

Kaonic clusters and Strangeness physics

Kaonic nuclei

(Kaonic cluster)

• Chiral symmetry
and its spontaneous / explicit breaking

K^-pp experiments

In-medium $\bar{K}N$ dynamics

FINUDA [M. Agnello et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 94 (2005) 212303;
Phys. Lett. B654(2007), 80.]

${}^6\text{Li}, {}^7\text{Li}, {}^{12}\text{C} + K^-$ stopped
 $\rightarrow \Lambda p + \dots$

$B = 115 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 67 \text{ MeV}$

DISTO Collaboration [T. Yamazaki et al., Phys.Rev.Lett.104, 132502 (2010).]

$(p p \rightarrow K^+ + K^- p p)$

$B = 105 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 118 \text{ MeV}$

E27 (J-PARC)

[Y. Ichikawa et al., PTEP 2015, 021D01 (2015).]

$d(\pi^+, K^+)K^-pp$

$B = 95 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 162 \text{ MeV}$

E15 (J-PARC)

[Y. Sada et al., PTEP 2016, 051D01 (2016).]

${}^3\text{He} (K^-, \Lambda p)n$

$B = 15 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 110 \text{ MeV}$

Finite system Strangeness is conserved

Kaonic nuclei



Multi- \bar{K} nuclei

- dense and cold object ?
- Structure (composition, density distributions of kaons and baryons)

Multi-kaonic clusters

[T.Yamazaki, A. Dote, Y. Akaishi,
Phys. Lett.B587, 167(2004).]

Bound state of multi K^- mesons

[T. Muto, T. Maruyama, and T. Tatsumi,
Phys. Rev. C79, 035207 (2009);
JPS Conf. Proceedings 1 (2014) 013081;
EPJ Web of Conferences 73 (2014) 05007.]

c.f., Meson-exchange models

[D. Gazda, E. Friedman, A. Gal, J. Mares,
Phys. Rev. C76, 055204 (2007);
Phys. Rev. C77, 045206 (2008).
Phys. Rev. C80, 035205 (2009).]

[S. Ohnishi, W. Horiuchi et al.,
JPS meeting (2016).]

Infinite matter

Kaon condensation
in neutron stars

Coexistence of kaon
condensation and hyperons
(Y+K) phase

Strangeness is spontaneously
generated by weak processes

- Softening of EOS
- Rapid cooling of neutron stars

I. Relation between Kaonic nuclei and Kaon condensation in dense matter

II. Equation of state (EOS) with kaon condensation in hyperon-mixed matter [(Y+K) phase]

- consistency with massive neutron stars observations ($M_{\max} \sim 2 M_{\odot}$)

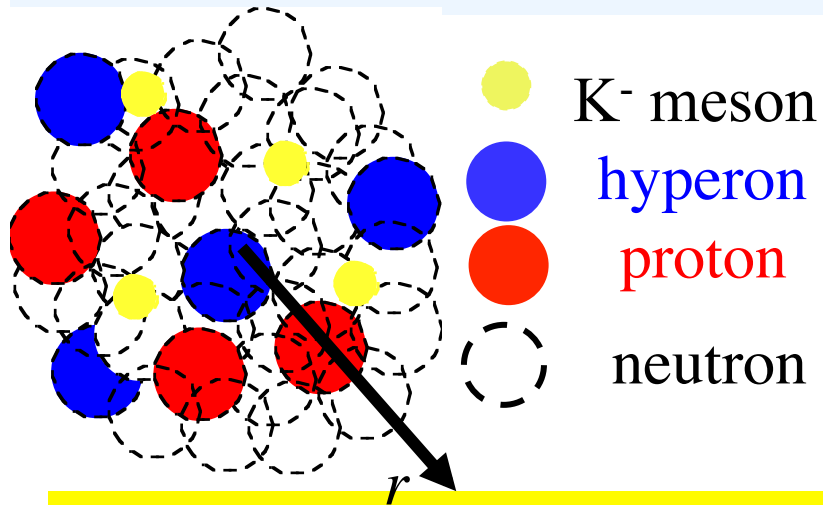
Interaction model for multi-strangeness system of kaons and baryons

Effective chiral Lagrangian for $\bar{K}B$ and $\bar{K}\bar{K}$ interactions,
coupled with Relativistic Mean-field Theory for B-B interactions

K^- mesons and hyperons are taken into account together in a unified way for both finite nuclei and neutron stars within the same framework.

**Density Functional description of \bar{K} and Baryons
in terms of density distribution functions**

2. Multi-antikaonic nuclei [Initial target nucleus] (A, Z)



Assume : Spherical symmetry

Local density approximation
for baryons

Input K⁻ mesons : |S|
conservation

[strangeness] |S| : given
 [e.m.charge] Z - |S| : constant
 [baryon number] A : constant

Thermodynamic potential

$$\Omega = \int d^3r \mathcal{H}(r) + \mu_s \hat{S} + \mu_Q \hat{Q} + \nu \hat{N}_B$$

$\delta\Omega = 0$ as $\rho_a \rightarrow \rho_a + \delta\rho_a$
 ($a = K^-, p, n, \Lambda, \Sigma^-, \Xi^-$)

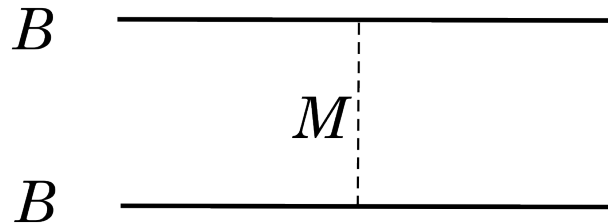
$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{K^-} &= \mu_Q - \mu_s \\ \mu_p &= -(\mu_Q + \nu) & \mu_{\Sigma^-} &= \mu_Q - \mu_s - \nu \\ \mu_n &= -\nu & \mu_{\Xi^-} &= \mu_Q - 2\mu_s - \nu \\ \mu_{\Lambda} &= -(\mu_s + \nu) \end{aligned}$$

Chemical equilibrium
for strong processes

$$\begin{aligned} \omega_{K^-} + \mu_p &= \mu_{\Lambda} \\ \omega_{K^-} + \mu_n &= \mu_{\Sigma^-} \\ \omega_{K^-} + \mu_{\Lambda} &= \mu_{\Xi^-} \end{aligned}$$

2.1 Interaction model

Baryon-Baryon interaction



Relativistic mean-field theory

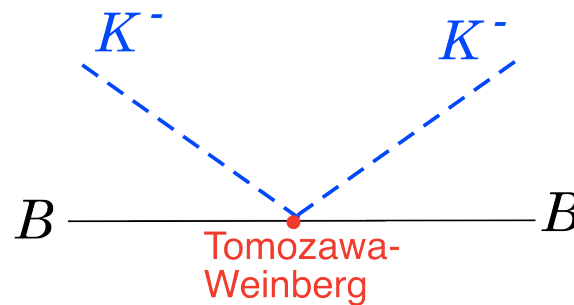
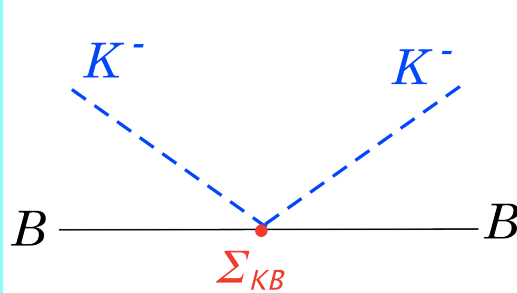
Baryons: $(p, n, \Lambda, \Sigma^-, \Xi^-)$

Mesons: $\sigma, \omega, \rho, \sigma^*, \phi$

$\bar{K} - B, \bar{K} - \bar{K}$ interactions

$SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R$ chiral effective Lagrangian

[D. B. Kaplan and A. E. Nelson, Phys. Lett. B 175 (1986) 57.]



Nonlinear K field

$$\Sigma \equiv e^{2i\Pi/f}$$

$$\Pi = \pi_a T_a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & K^+ \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ K^- & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Classical K⁻ field

$$K^-(r) = \frac{f}{\sqrt{2}} \theta(r)$$

Meson decay constant

$$f = 93 \text{ MeV}$$

μ_K : kaon chemical potential

Thermodynamic potential Ω

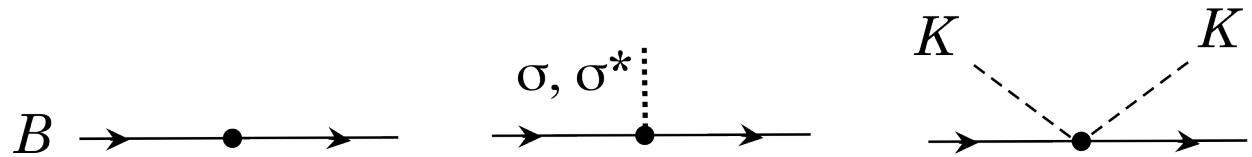
$$\Omega = \Omega_B + \Omega_K + \Omega_M + \Omega_{\text{Coulomb}}$$

[Baryon part]

$$\Omega_B = \sum_{b=p,n,\Lambda,\Sigma^-, \Xi^-} \int d^3r \left[2 \int_0^{k_F(b)} \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \sqrt{k^2 + M_b^{*2}} - \rho_b \sqrt{k_F(b)^2 + M_b^{*2}} \right]$$

Effective baryon mass

$$M_b^* = M_b - g_{\sigma b} \sigma - g_{\sigma^* b} \sigma^* - \Sigma_{Kb} (1 - \cos \theta)$$



[kaon part]

$$\Omega_K = \int d^3r \left[f^2 m_K^2 (1 - \cos \theta) - \frac{1}{2} (\omega_K - V_{\text{Coulomb}})^2 f^2 \sin^2 \theta + \frac{f^2}{2} (\nabla \theta)^2 \right]$$

V_{coulomb} : Coulomb potential

$$\Omega_M = \int d^3r \left[\frac{1}{2} (\nabla \sigma)^2 + \frac{1}{2} m_\sigma^2 \sigma^2 + U(\sigma) - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla \omega_0)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m_\omega^2 \omega_0^2 - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla R_0)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m_\rho^2 R_0^2 \right]$$

$$\Omega_{\text{Coulomb}} = \int d^3r \left[-\frac{1}{8\pi e^2} (\nabla V_{\text{Coulomb}})^2 \right]$$

$$\delta\Omega/\delta\theta(r) = 0$$

Classical K- field equation

$$\nabla^2\theta = \sin\theta \left[m_K^{*2} - 2(\omega_K - V_{\text{Coulomb}})X_0 - (\omega_K - V_{\text{Coulomb}})^2 \cos\theta \right]$$

$$m_K^{*2} = m_K^2 - \frac{1}{f^2} \sum_{b=p,n,\Lambda,\Sigma^-, \Xi^-} \rho_b^s \Sigma_{Kb}$$

S wave KB scalar int.

$$X_0 \equiv \frac{1}{2f^2} \left(\rho_p + \frac{1}{2}\rho_n - \frac{1}{2}\rho_{\Sigma^-} - \rho_{\Xi^-} \right)$$

S wave KB vector int.

Coupling constants in RMF

--- NN interaction ---

gross features of normal nuclei and nuclear matter

--- vector meson couplings to Y ---

SU(6) symmetry

--- σ, σ^* meson couplings for Y ---

g_{MB} ($\rho_0 = 0.153 \text{ fm}^{-3}$) (K=240 MeV)

M \ B	p	n	Λ	Ξ^-	Σ^-
σ	$g_{\sigma N} = 6.38$		3.84	1.94	2.28
ω	$g_{\omega N} = 8.71$		$2/3 g_{\omega N}$	$1/3 g_{\omega N}$	$2/3 g_{\omega N}$
ρ	$g_{\rho N} = 4.26$			$g_{\rho N}$	$2g_{\rho N}$
ϕ			$-\sqrt{2/3} g_{\omega N}$	$-2\sqrt{2/3} g_{\omega N}$	$-\sqrt{2/3} g_{\omega N}$
σ^*			8.38	4.00	0

Hyperon potentials deduced from hypernuclear experiments

$$U_{\Lambda}^N(\rho_0) = -g_{\sigma\Lambda}\sigma + g_{\omega\Lambda}\omega_0 = -27 \text{ MeV}$$

$$g_{\sigma\Lambda} = 3.84$$

$$U_{\Sigma^-}^N(\rho_0) = -g_{\sigma\Sigma^-}\sigma + g_{\omega\Sigma^-}\omega_0 = 23.5 \text{ MeV} \quad : \text{repulsive}$$

$$g_{\sigma\Sigma^-} = 2.28$$

$$U_{\Xi^-}^N(\rho_0) = -g_{\sigma\Xi^-}\sigma + g_{\omega\Xi^-}\omega_0 = -14 \text{ MeV}$$

$$g_{\sigma\Xi^-} = 1.94$$

--- σ, σ^* meson couplings for Y ---

$$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}) = B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}) - 2B_{\Lambda}({}^5_{\Lambda}\text{He})$$

Nagara event : $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He}) = 0.67 \pm 0.17 \text{ MeV}$

[H.Takahashi et al., Phys. Rev.Lett. 87,212502 (2001).
J.K.Ahn et al., Phys. Rev. C88, 014003 (2013).]

$g_{\sigma\Lambda}$	$g_{\sigma^*\Lambda}$	$V_{\Lambda}(\rho_0)$ (MeV)	$B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He})$ (MeV)	$B_{\Lambda}({}^5_{\Lambda}\text{He})$ (MeV)	$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^6_{\Lambda\Lambda}\text{He})$ (MeV)
3.84	8.38	- 27	24.38	11.82	+ 0.74
	Exp.	- 27	6.91	3.12	+ 0.67

2.3 Multi-antikaonic nuclei (MKN)

For finite nuclei ($^{15}_8\text{O}$)

1. density distributions

2. ground state of multi-strangeness nuclei

[T. Muto, T. Maruyama, and T. Tatsumi, Phys. Rev. C79, 035207 (2009).]

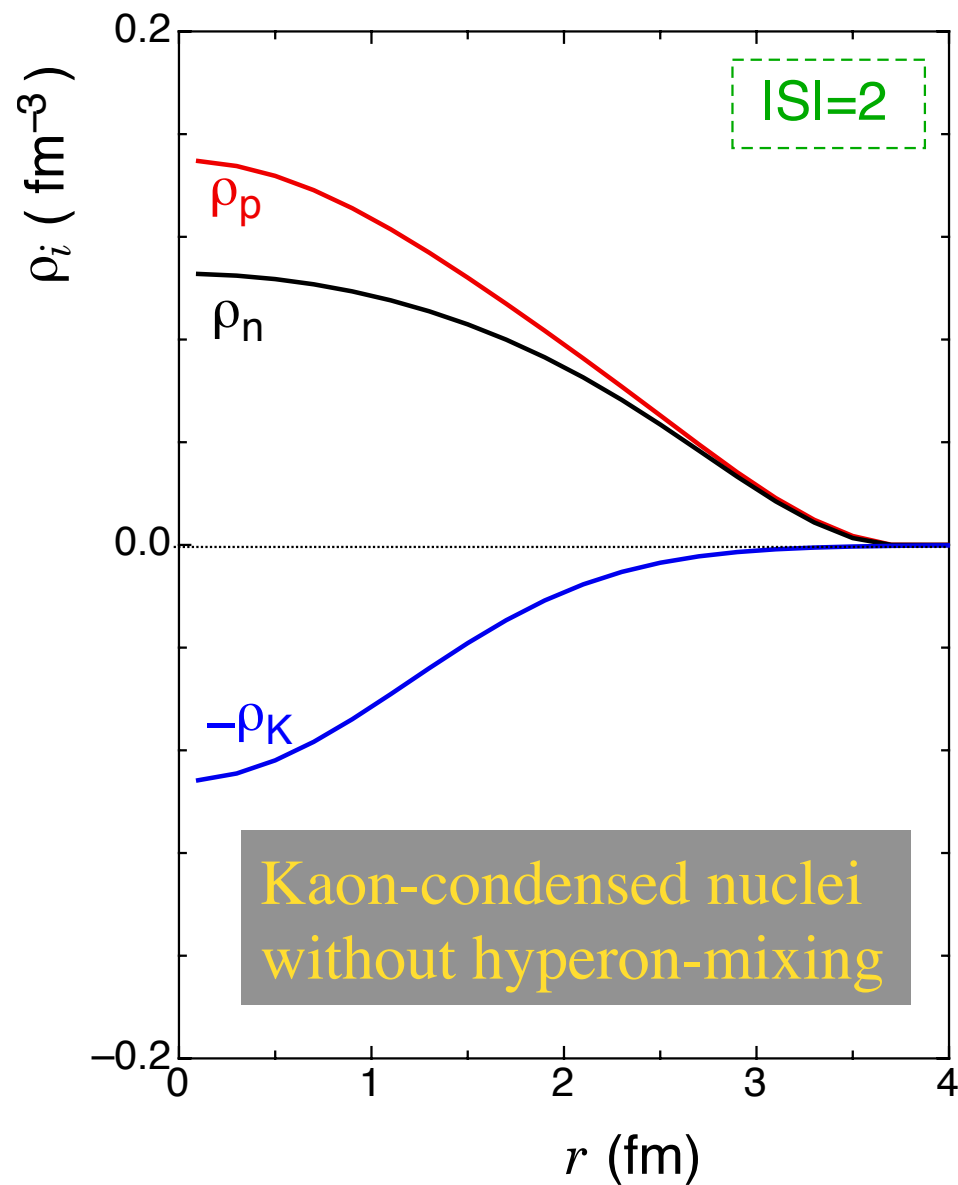
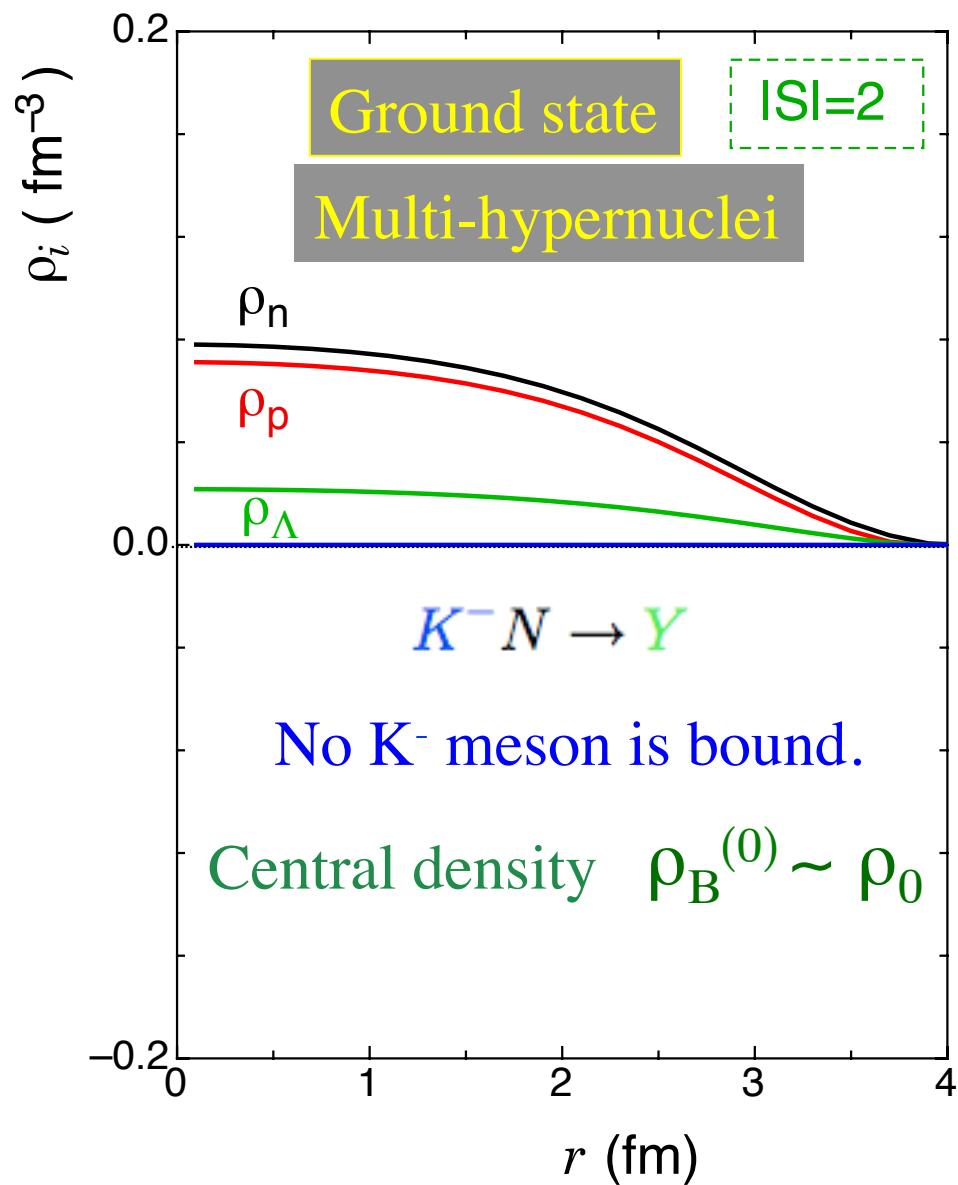
[T. Muto, T. Maruyama, and T. Tatsumi, JPS Conf. Proceedings 1 (2014) 013081;
EPJ Web of Conferences 73 (2014) 05007.]

c.f., Meson-exchange models [D. Gazda, E. Friedman, A. Gal, J. Mares,
Phys. Rev. C76, 055204 (2007);
Phys. Rev. C77, 045206 (2008).
Phys. Rev. C80, 035205 (2009).]

density distributions

$A=15, Z=8$ ($^{15}_8\text{O}$)

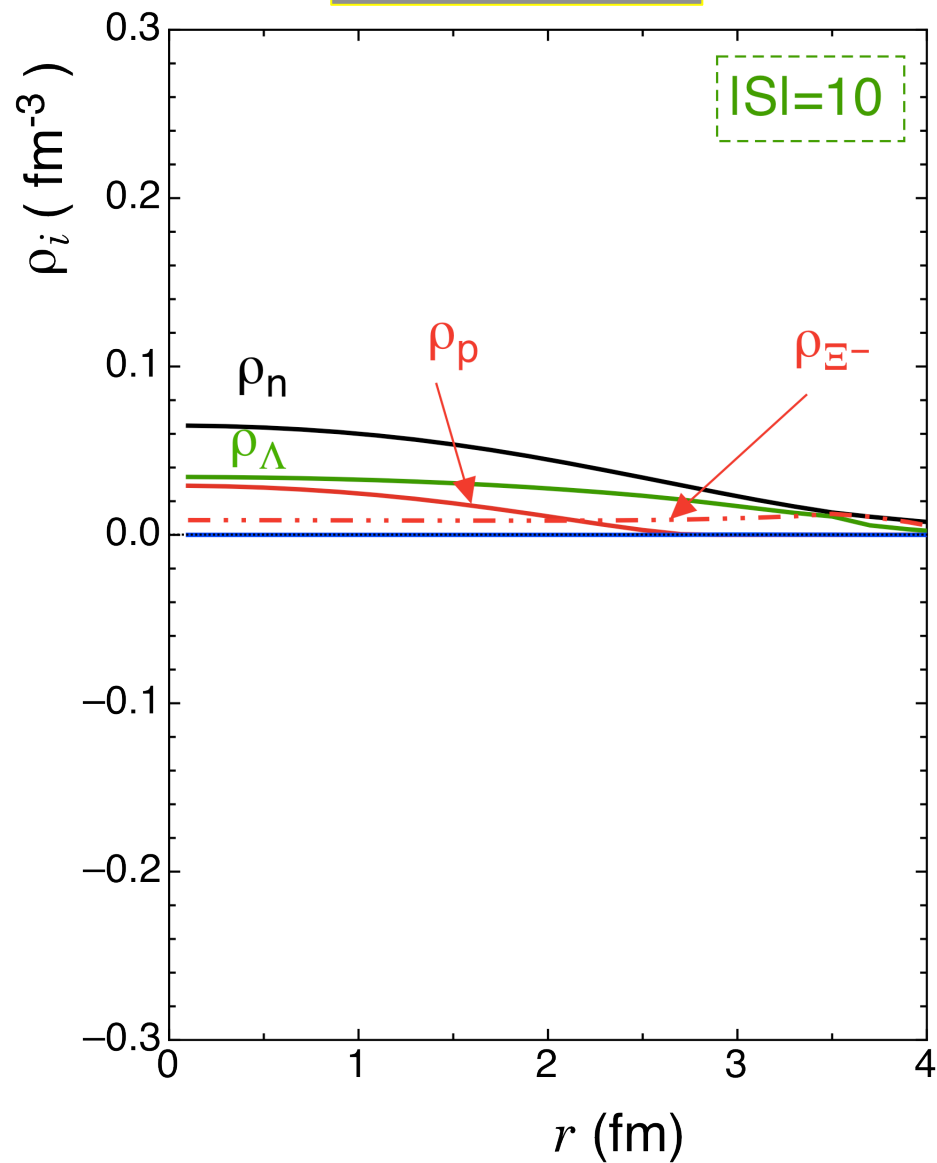
$U_K = -80$ MeV ($\Sigma_{Kn} \sim 300$ MeV)



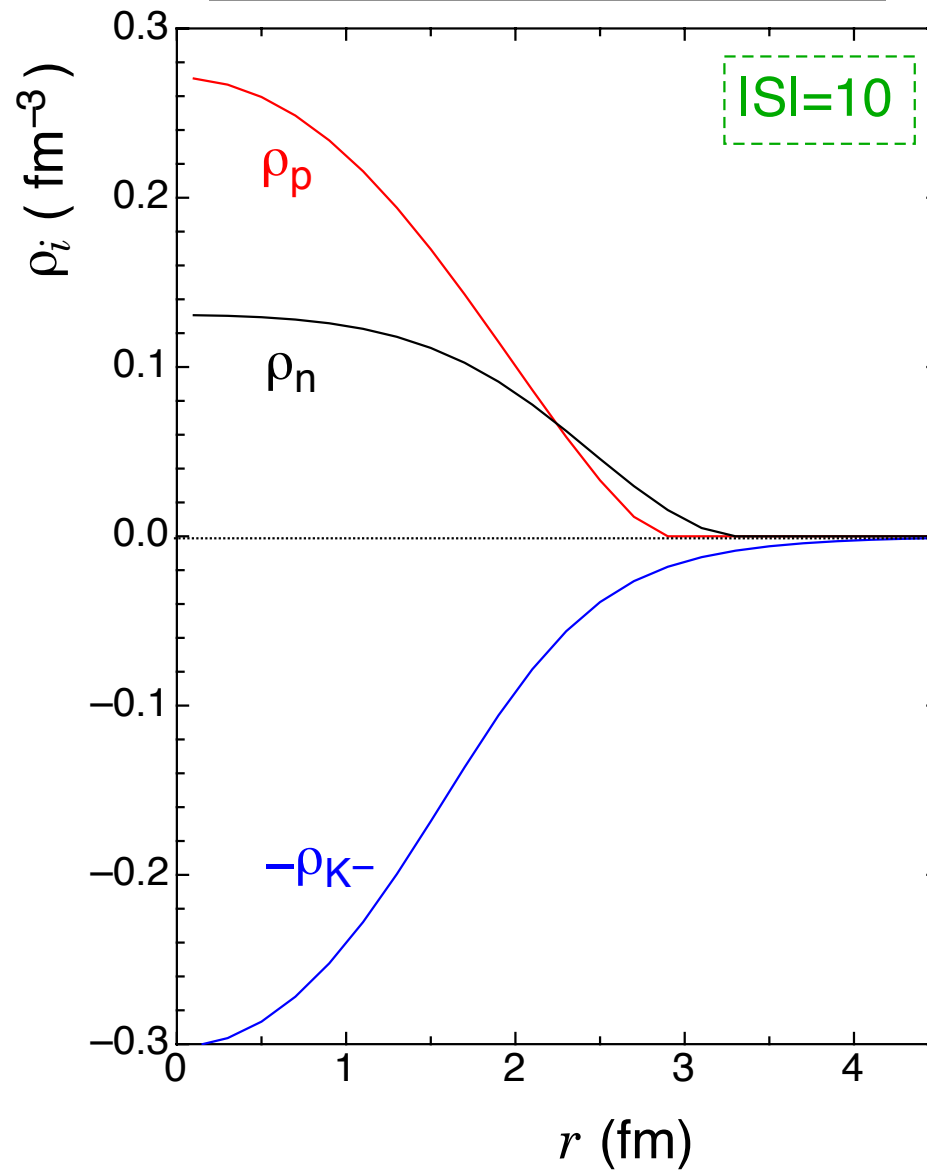
$$U_K = -80 \text{ MeV}$$

Density distributions

Ground state

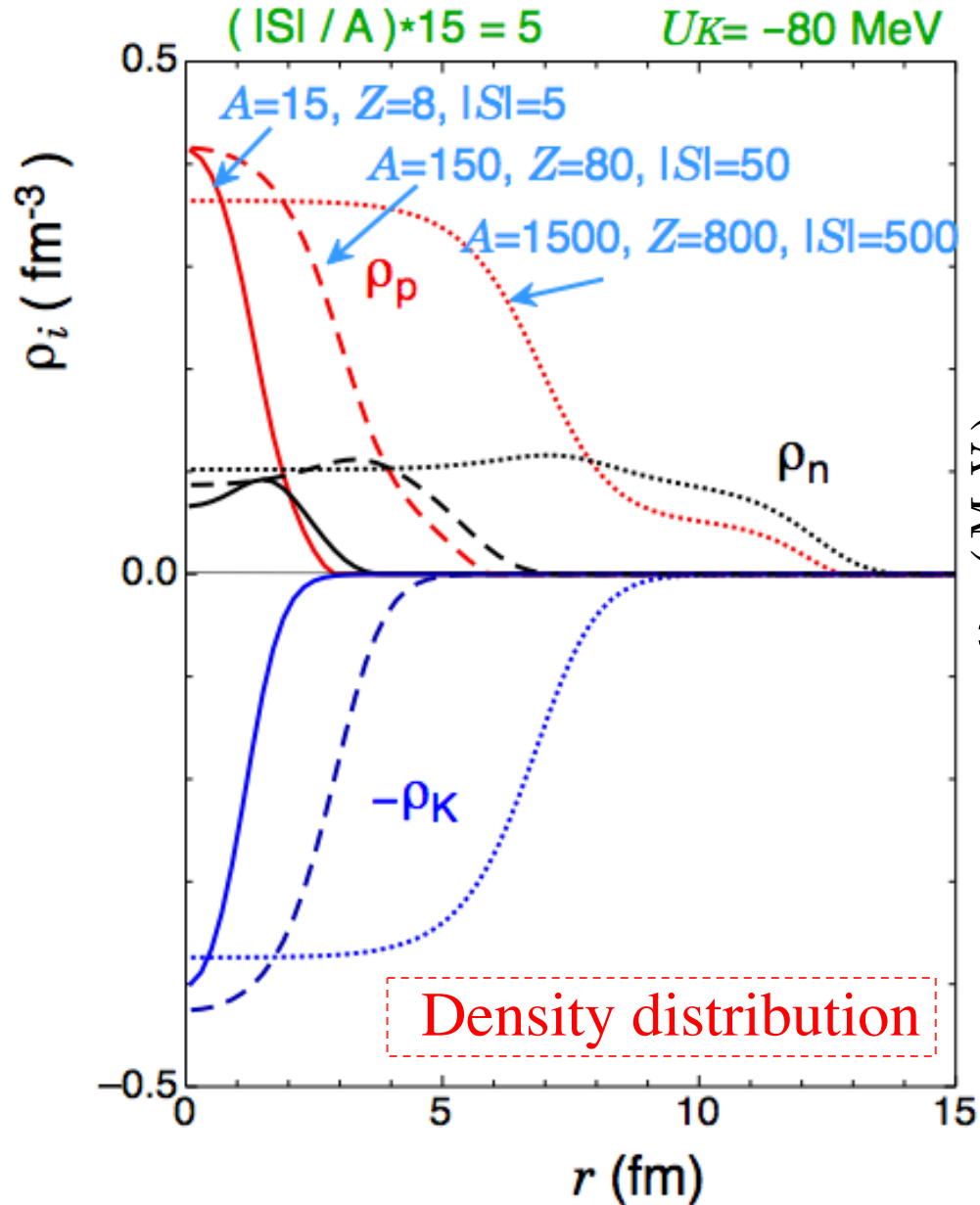


Without hyperon-mixing

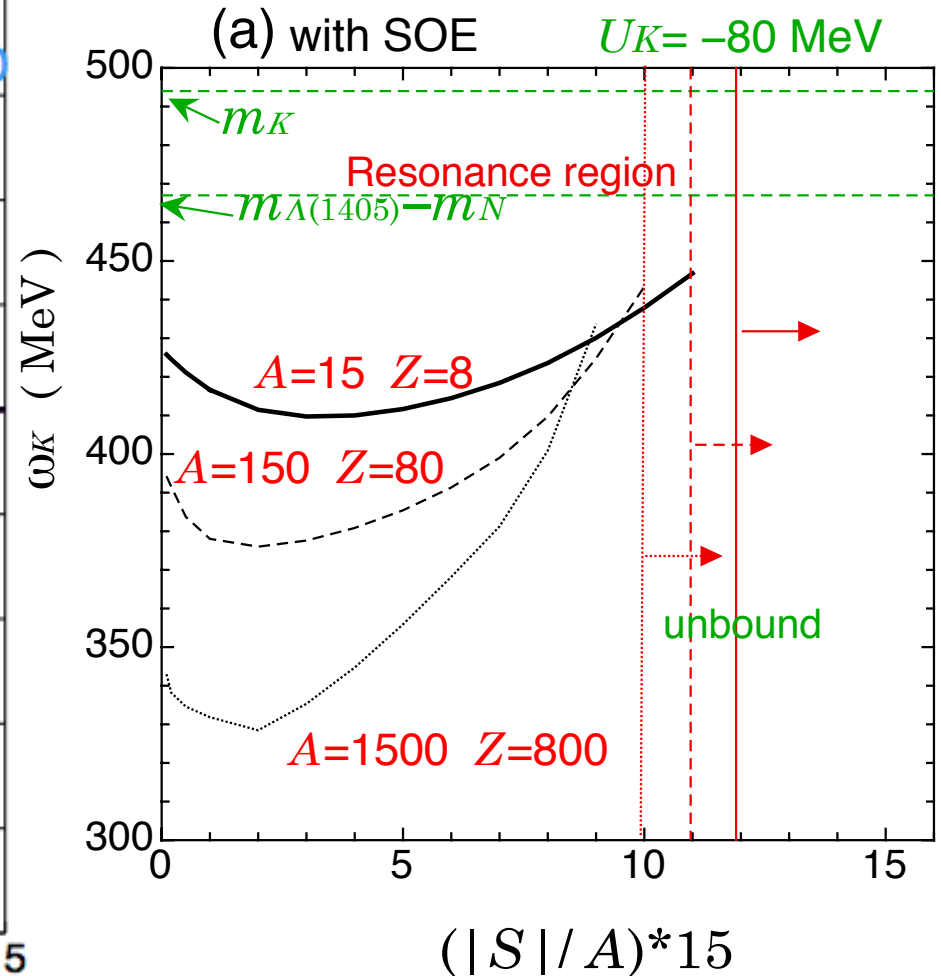


condensation in dense matter

3.1 Increasing A with $|S|/A$ and Z/A fixed



lowest K^- energy ω_{K^-}



3.2 Comparison with kaon condensation in neutron stars

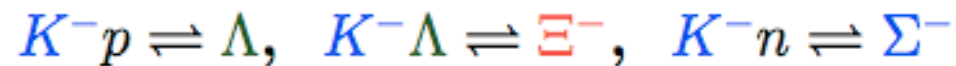
Finite system formed in laboratory

Antikaons do not receive much $\bar{K} - B$ attraction ← Finite effects of nuclei

$$\omega_{K^-} > \mu_\Lambda - \mu_p$$

$$\omega_{K^-} = \mu_Q - \mu_s$$

Chemical equilibrium for strong processes



hard to satisfy

Ground state: multi-hypernuclei

In neutron stars

Antikaons receive much $\bar{K} - B$ attraction

dense infinite matter

chemical equilibrium for weak processes



K^- chemical potential : $\omega_{K^-} = \mu = \mu_n - \mu_p = O(m_\pi)$

Ground state: (Y+K) phase

Off-shell for high densities

4. kaon condensation in β -equilibrated matter (Neutron stars)

II. Equation of state (EOS) with kaon condensation in hyperon-mixed matter [(Y+K) phase]

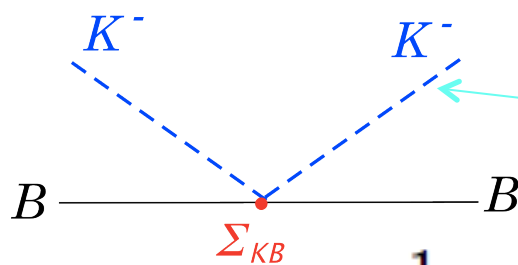
4.1 Driving force and onset density of kaon condensation

uniform condensation

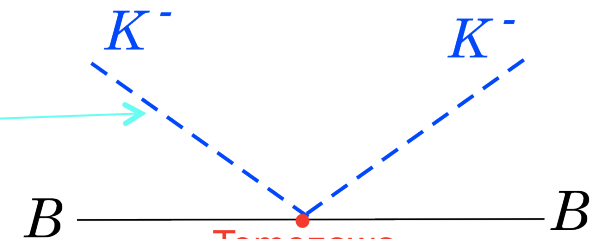
S wave KB scalar int.

S wave KB vector int.

Nonlinear K^- field



$$K^\pm = \frac{f}{\sqrt{2}} \theta \exp(\pm i\mu_K t)$$



$$m_K^{*2} \equiv m_K^2 - \frac{1}{f^2} \sum_{(i = p, n, \Lambda, \Sigma^-, \Xi^-)} \rho_i^s \Sigma_{Ki}$$

$$X_0 \equiv \frac{1}{2f^2} \left(\rho_p + \frac{1}{2}\rho_n - \frac{1}{2}\rho_{\Sigma^-} - \rho_{\Xi^-} \right)$$

Effective energy density

$$\mathcal{E}^{\text{eff}}(\theta, \mu, \rho_p, \rho_n, \rho_\Lambda, \rho_{\Xi^-}, \rho_{\Sigma^-}, \rho_e) = \mathcal{E} + \mu(\rho_p - \rho_{\Xi^-} - \rho_{\Sigma^-} - \rho_{K^-} - \rho_e)$$

Charge neutrality

Classical K^- field equation $\partial\mathcal{E}^{\text{eff}}/\partial\theta = 0$

$$\mu^2 \cos \theta + 2\mu X_0 - m_K^{*2} = 0$$

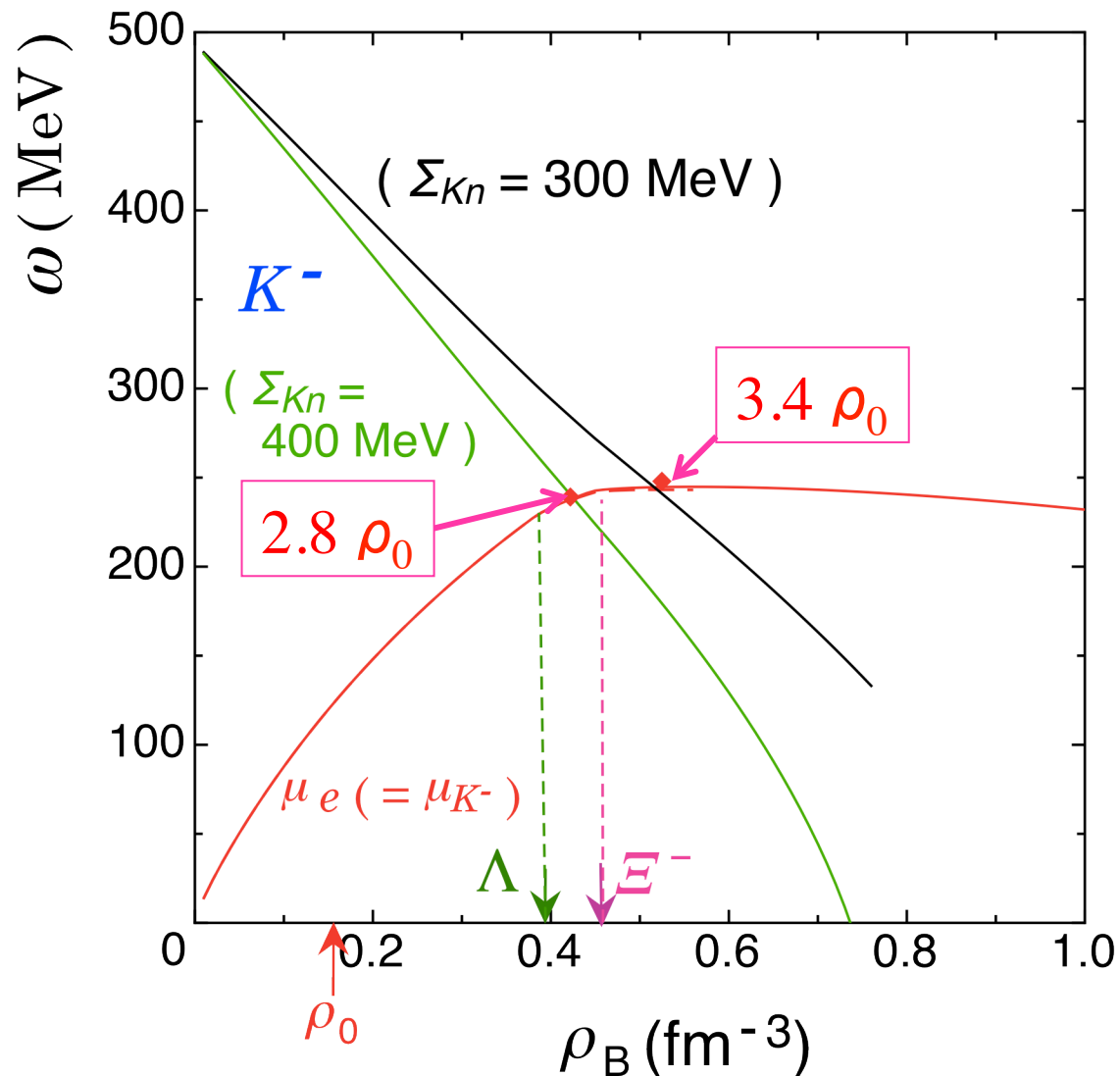
S-wave vector int.

S-wave scalar int.

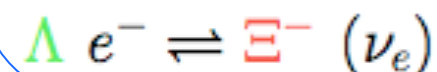
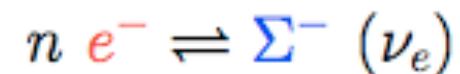
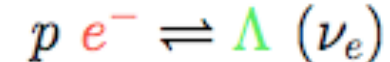
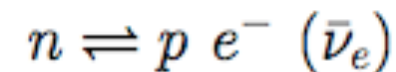
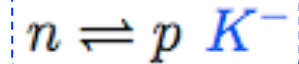
Lowest kaon energy ω in hyperonic matter and onset density of kaon condensation

Coexistence of Kaon condensates and hyperons

(Y+K) phase

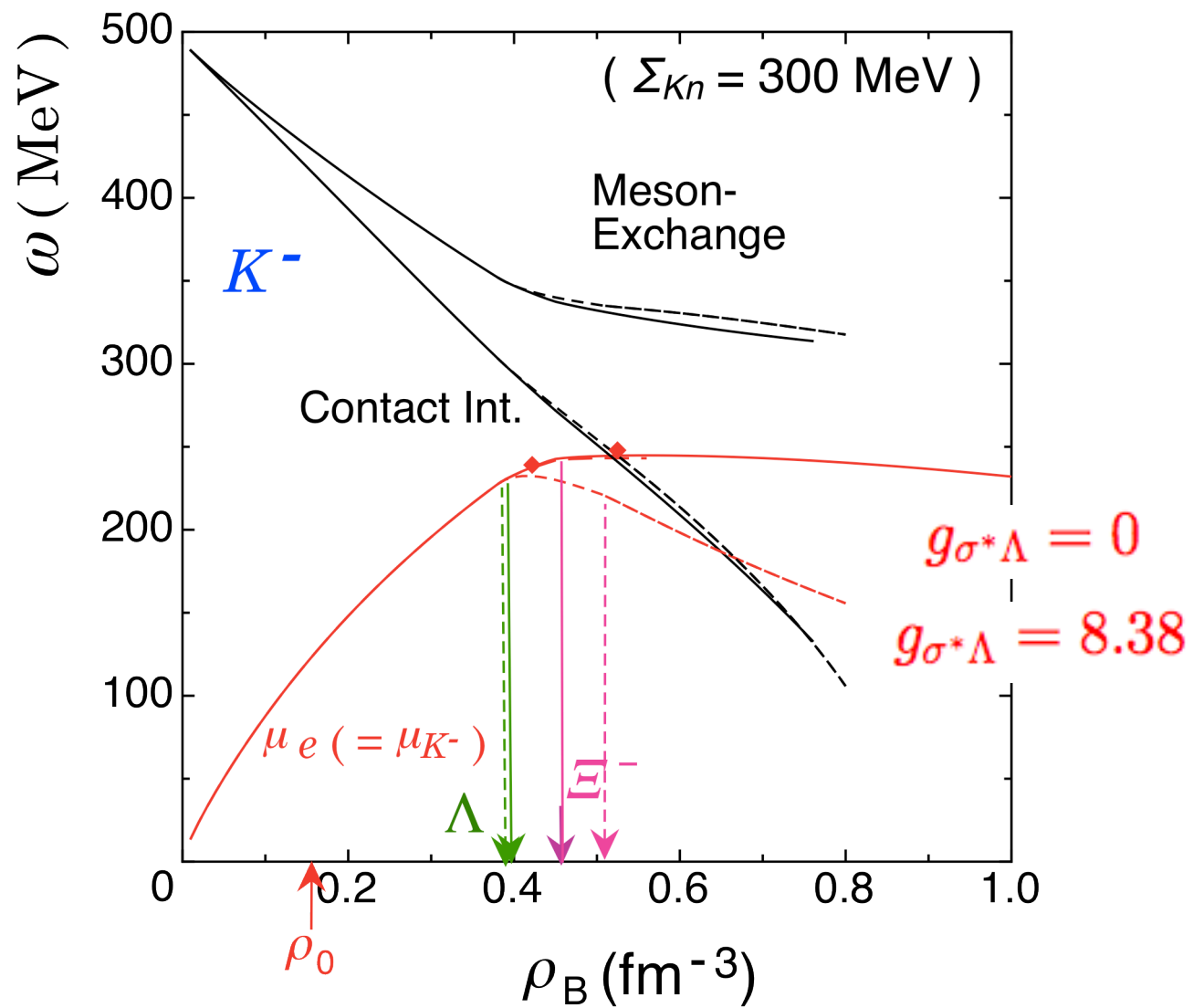


chemical equilibrium for weak processes



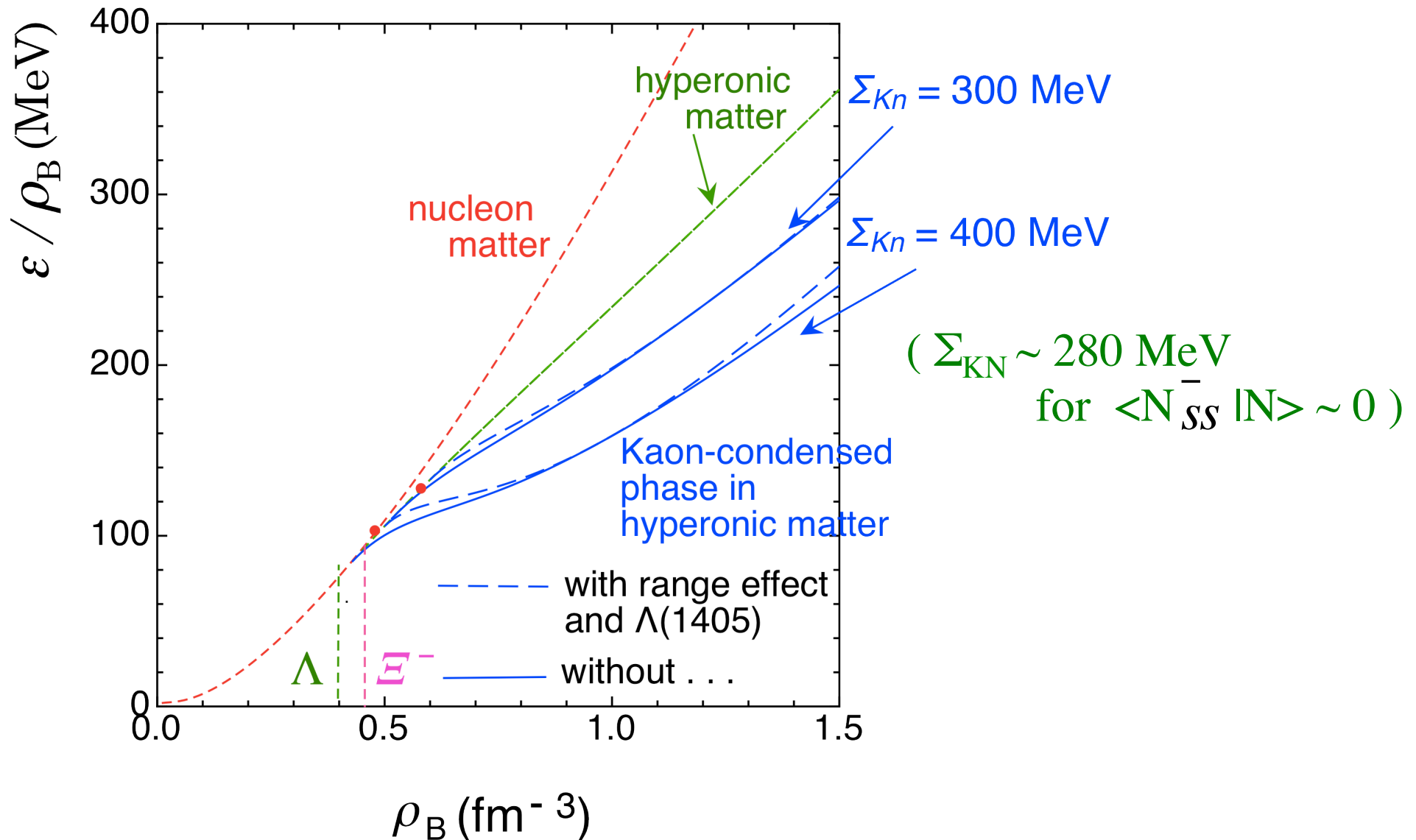
Onset condition of Kaon condensation

$$\omega_{K^-} = \mu_{K^-} (= \mu_e = \mu_n - \mu_p)$$



4.2 EOS of (Y+K) phase in β -equilibrated matter

Energy per particle --- without universal 3-body repulsions ---



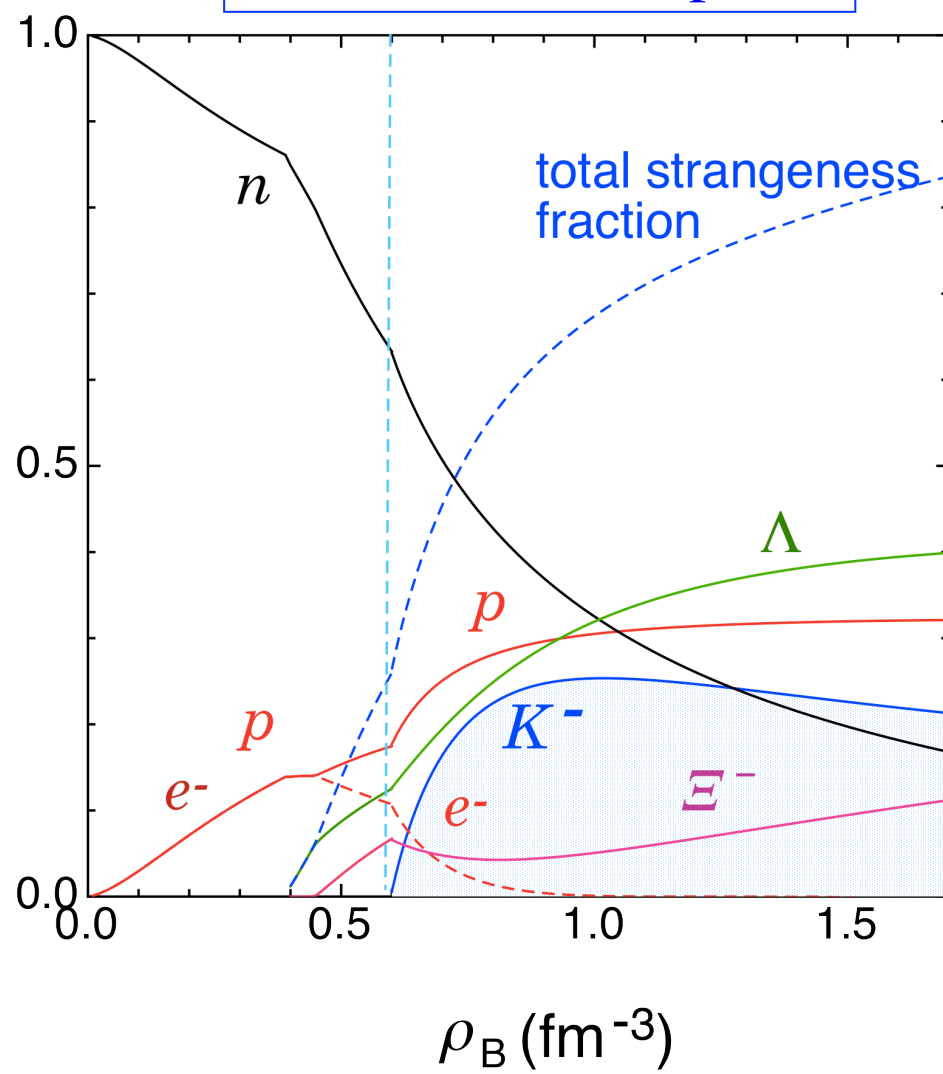
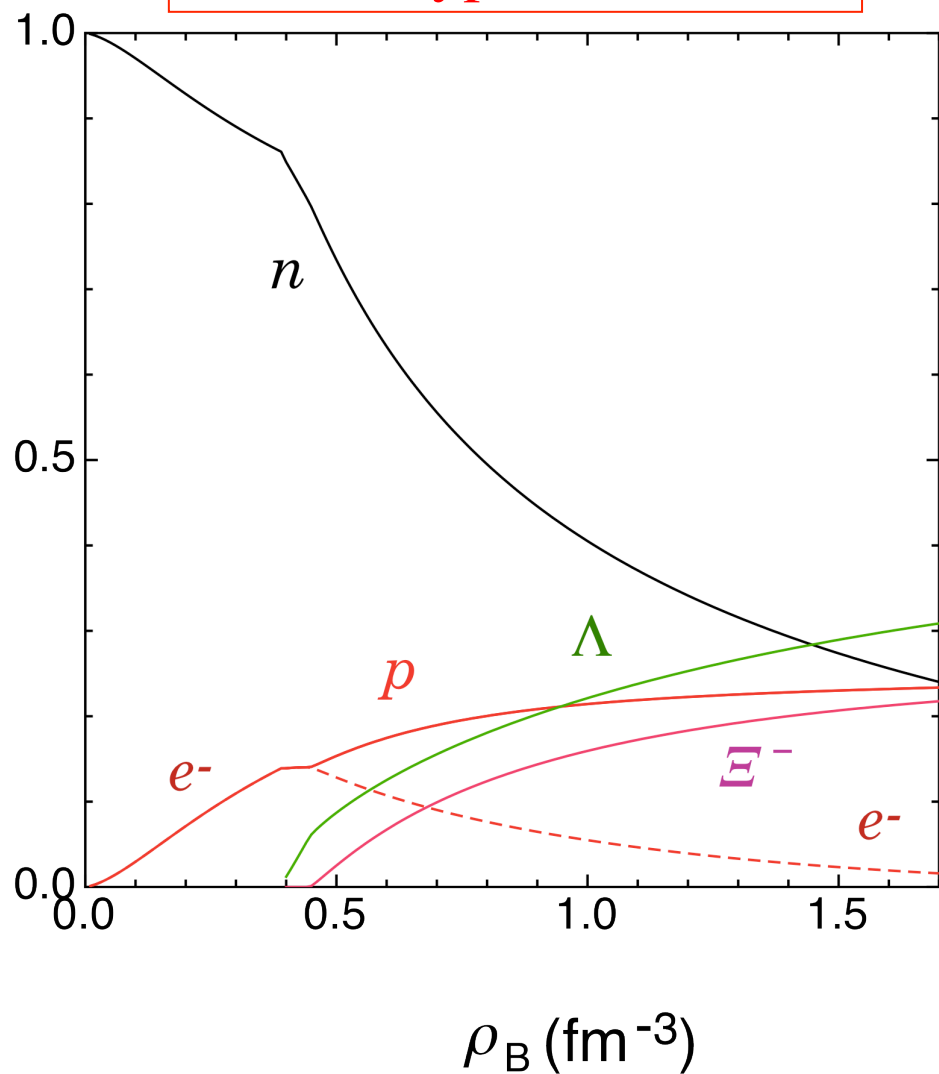
Particle fractions

--- without universal 3-body repulsions ---

$$\Sigma_{K_n} = 300 \text{ MeV}$$

Normal hyperonic matter

Kaon-condensed phase



4.3 Possible Solutions to the “Hyperon Puzzle”

Many-body repulsion effects on EOS at high densities

➔ Stiffening the EOS at high densities

- Universal YNN, YYN, YYY repulsions

[S. Nishizaki, Y. Yamamoto and T. Takatsuka, Prog. Theor. Phys. 108 (2002) 703.]

[R. Tamagaki, Prog. Theor. Phys. 119 (2008), 965.] : String-Junction model

- Multi-pomeron exchange potential

[Y. Yamamoto, T. Furumoto, N. Yasutake, and Th.A. Rijken, Phys. Rev. C 90, 045805 (2014).]

- RMF extended to BMM, MMM type diagrams

[K. Tsubakihara and A. Ohnishi, Nucl. Phys. A 914 (2013), 438; arXiv:1211.7208.]

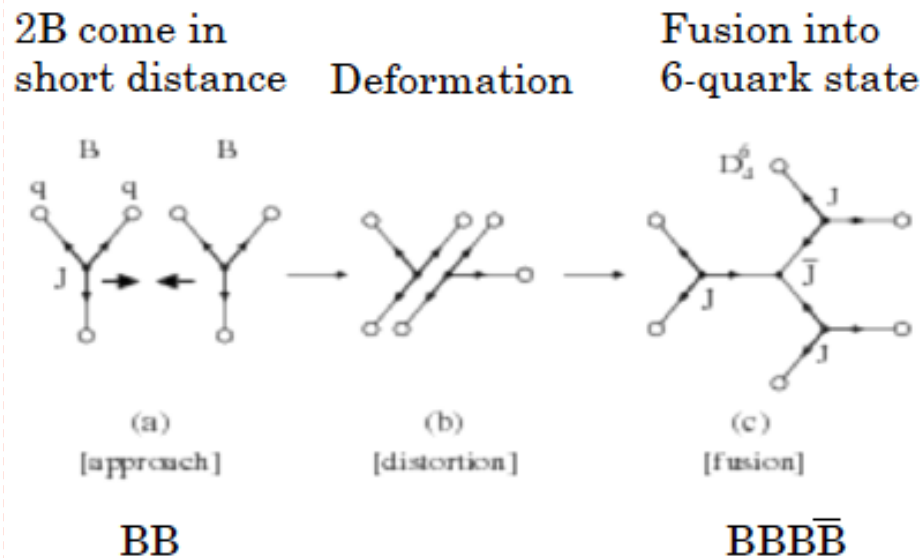
We consider the (Y+K) phase by taking into account the universal three-body repulsion introduced by the String-junction model.

4.4 Effects of universal three-body repulsion with

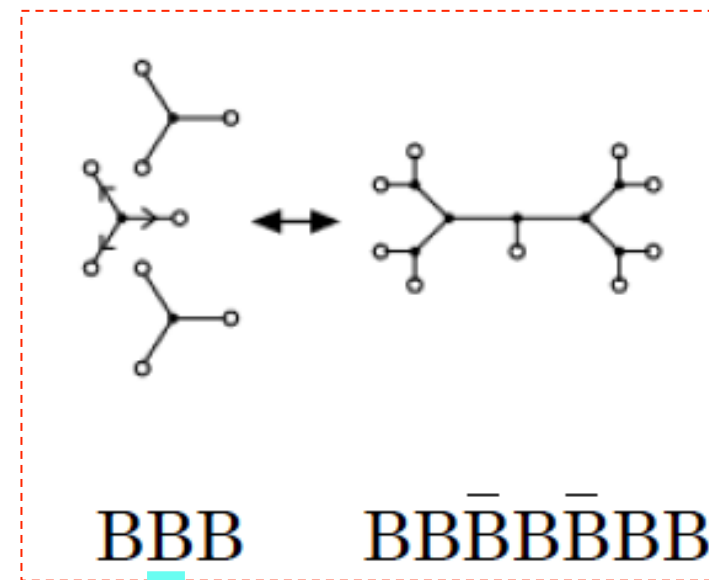
String Junction Model (Flavor-independent three-body repulsion)

[R. Tamagaki, Prog. Theor. Phys.119 (2008) 965.]

Energy-barrier (~ 2 GeV) \rightarrow
Repulsive core of B-B interactions



B-B-B interactions



$$W(\mathbf{r}_1, \mathbf{r}_2, \mathbf{r}_3) = W_0 g(\mathbf{r}_1 - \mathbf{r}_3) g(\mathbf{r}_2 - \mathbf{r}_3)$$

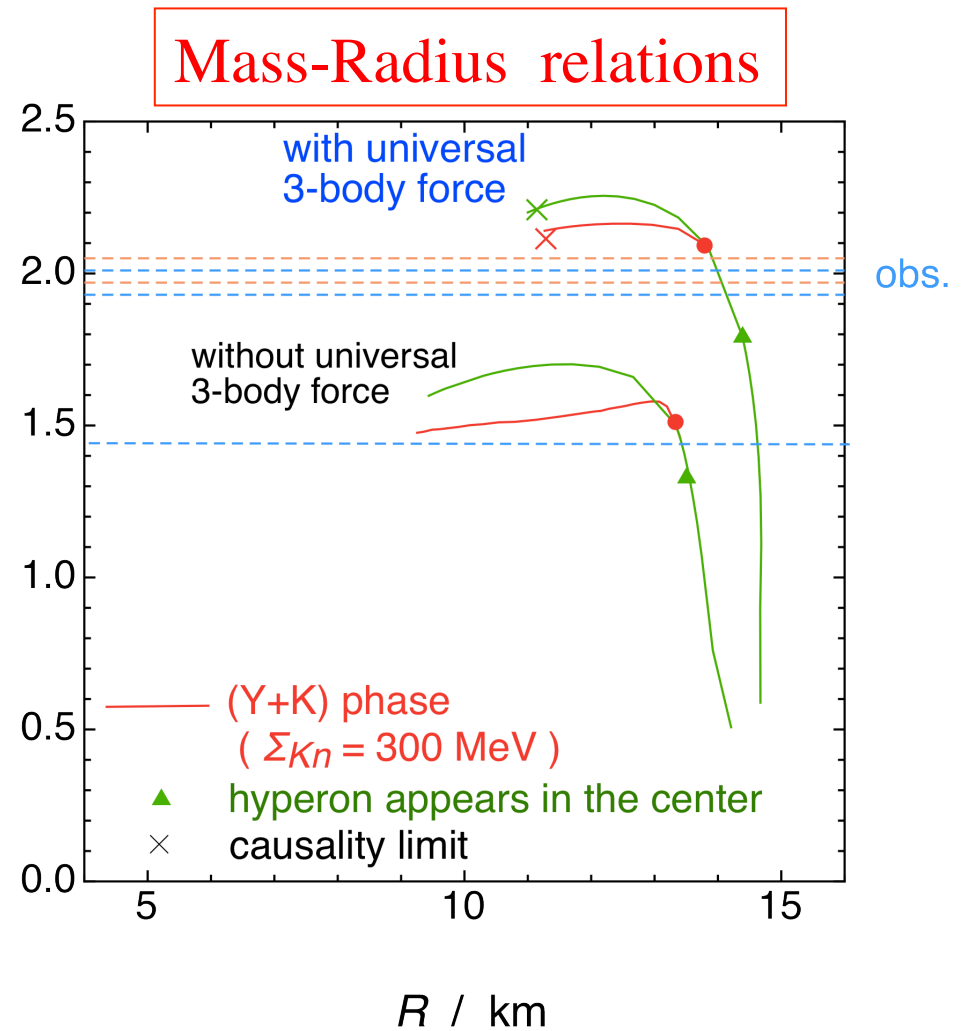
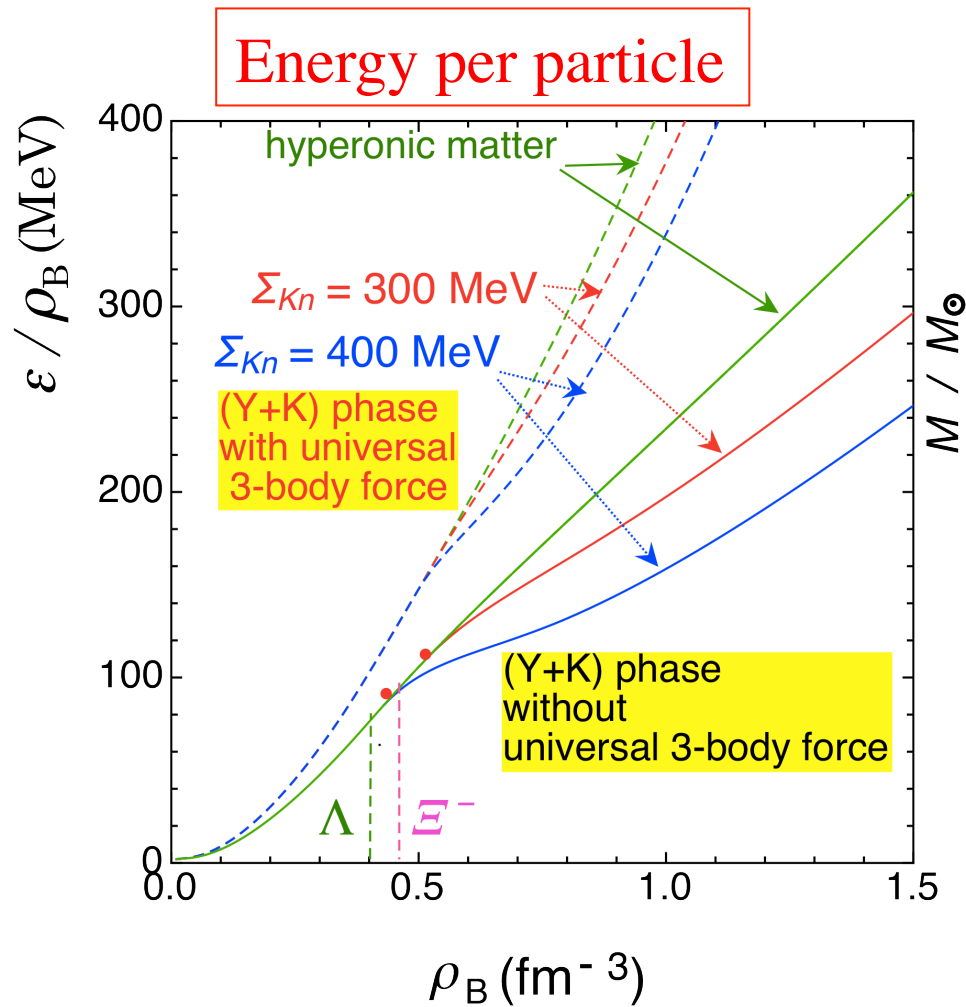
$W_0 \sim 2 \text{ GeV}$ Relative w. f.

$$g(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j) = \exp(-\lambda(\mathbf{r}_i - \mathbf{r}_j)^2)$$

• Short range part \rightarrow quark structure of Baryon : String Junction Model

• intermediate and long-range part \rightarrow point-like : RMF

Effects of universal three-body repulsion with SJM2



[P. Demorest, T.Pennucci, S. Ransom, M. Roberts and J.W.T.Hessels,
Nature 467 (2010) 1081.]

[J. Antoniadis et al.,
Science 340, 6131 (2013).]

$$M(\text{PSR J1614-2230}) = (1.97 \pm 0.04) M_\odot$$

$$M(\text{PSR J0348+0432}) = (2.01 \pm 0.04) M_\odot$$

5. Concluding remarks


I. Relation between Kaonic nuclei and Kaon condensation in neutron stars

Strangeness-conserving
Finite-size effect

Chemical equil. for weak processes
infinite matter $\omega_{K^-} = O(200 \text{ MeV})$
Ground state: (Y+K) phase

II. Equation of state (EOS) with kaon condensation in hyperon-mixed matter [(Y+K) phase]

- **Universal 3-body repulsion** leads to a stiff EOS with (Y+K) phase.
- **Kaon condensates** appear in the center of the core only for neutron stars near the maximum mass.


$$M_{\max} > 2M_{\odot}$$

Problem :

- derivation of universal 3-body repulsion at high densities
- Consistency of a stiff EOS at very high densities with soft EOS for lower densities ($\rho_B \lesssim 2\rho_0$)

relevant to SN explosions

Heavy-ion collisions

Thank you !