Cold and dense QCD matter

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~10⁻¹⁰m



Quantum ElectroDynamics U(1) gauge theory Electron Photon

small mass, spin 1/2massless, spin 1charge: -10

Quantum ChromoDynamics SU(3) gauge theory Gluon Quark massless, spin 1 small mass, spin 1/2 color charge: 3 (R,G,B) 8

Asymptotic freedom Confinement Chiral symmetry breaking

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At high energy scale, interaction becomes weaker

Confinement



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Baryons (proton, neutron, ... and mesons (pion, Kaon,...)

Chiral symmetry = a symmetry of massless quarks



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Light pion as Nambu-Goldstone boson

Quarks \sim 1-7MeV

Nucleon $\sim 940 {\rm MeV}$





Y. Nambu, spontaneous symmetry breaking

What happens in Extreme conditions?











Hot Dense, cold



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Phase diagram of water













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Quark matter















Lattice QCD





From dilute to dense



Gas of nucleons.

Nuclear matter



Fermi liquid of nucleons. Pion condensation,

More dense.



Nucleons start overlapping.

Quarks highly degenerate.



Boundary of nucleon vanishes, and quark Fermi-sea is formed.

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Quarkyonic limit Dense: $\mu \gg \Lambda_{\rm QCD}$ Confined: $\Lambda_{\rm QCD} \gg m_D$

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How about chiral symmetry?

Chiral symmetry

 $\langle \psi \psi
angle$ Order parameter

Chiral symmetry



In vacuum, quark anti-quark pairing. In medium, quark anti-quark pairing or quark hole pairing.









Particle-antiparticle

$$P_{\rm tot} = 0$$

homogeneous



homogeneous





Deryagin, Grigoriev, & Rubakov ('92), Shuster & Son ('99), Rapp, Shuryak, and Zahed ('00).



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Quarkyonic chiral spirals T. Kojo, Y.H., L. McLerran, and R. Pisarski Nonuniform condensation realizes. $\langle \overline{\psi}\psi\rangle = C\cos(2\mu z)$ $\langle \overline{\psi}\gamma^0\gamma^3\psi\rangle = C\sin(2\mu z)$ C=constChiral symmetry: **Quarkyonic Chiral Spirals** locally broken, globally restored. $\langle \overline{\psi} \psi \rangle$ Baryon number is spatially $i \overline{\psi}_{\gamma} 0_{\gamma} 3_{\psi}$ const. \mathcal{Z}

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