

カイラル感受率とU(1)アノマリー



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Nf=2 simulation updates from

S. Aoki, Y. Aoki, HF, S. Hashimoto, C. Rohrhofer, K. Suzuki,
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and preliminary Nf-2+1 QCD results

QCD相転移

Temperature

~150MeV
(10 μ s
after Big-bang)

カイラル対称,
クォークグルーオン
プラズマ

カイラル対称性破れる,
クォークとじこめ

Chiral condensate (at $m=0$)
probes $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$
symmetry breaking/
restoration :

For $T > T_c$,

$$\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = 0$$

For $T < T_c$,

$$\langle \bar{q}q \rangle \neq 0$$

カイラル感受率

QCD partition function

A : gluon fields

$$Z(m) = \int [dA] \det(D(A) + m)^{N_f} e^{-S_G(A)}$$

chiral condensate

$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = \frac{1}{N_f V} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} \ln Z(m)$$

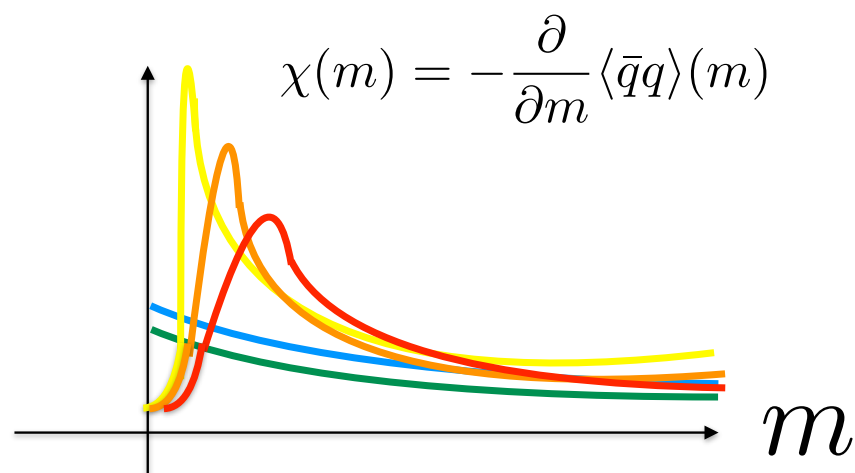
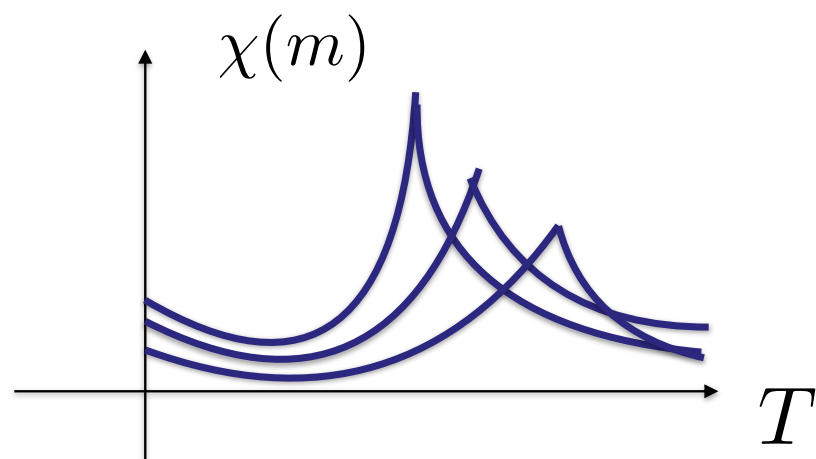
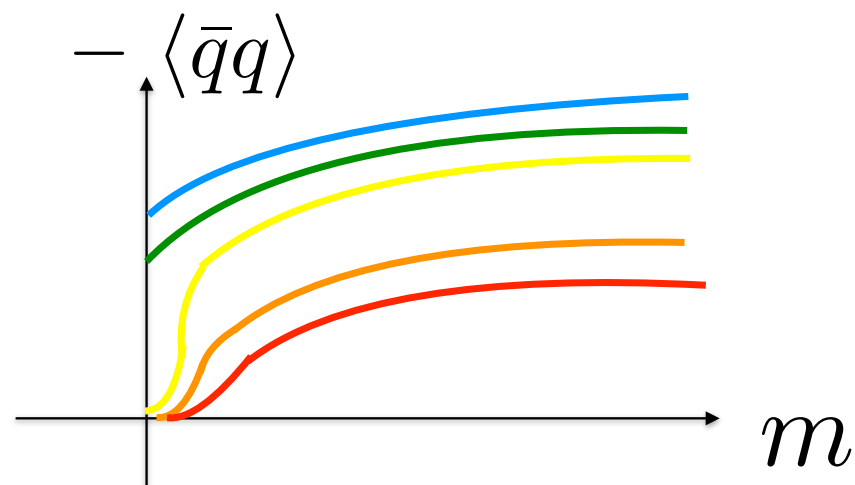
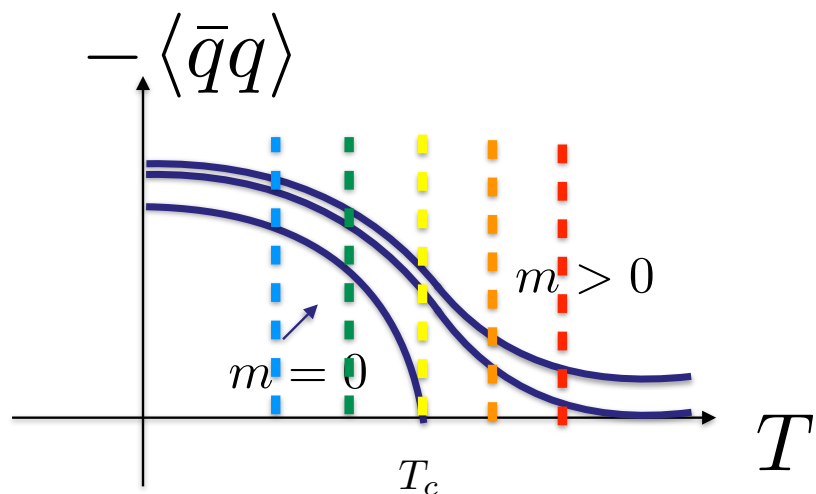
chiral susceptibility

$$\chi(m) = -\frac{\partial}{\partial m} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle(m)$$

In this talk, $N_f = 2$ ($m_u = m_d = m$)

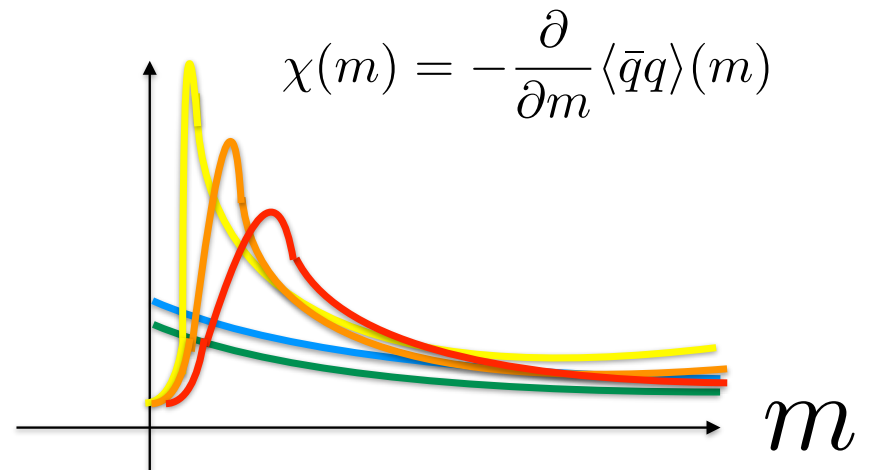
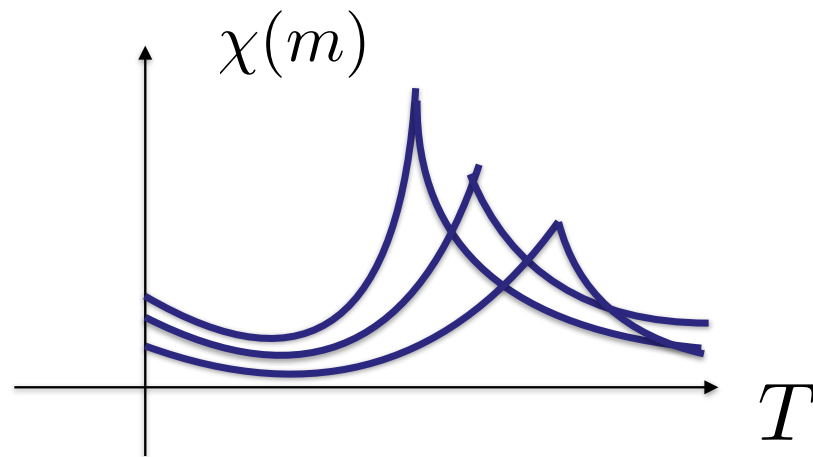
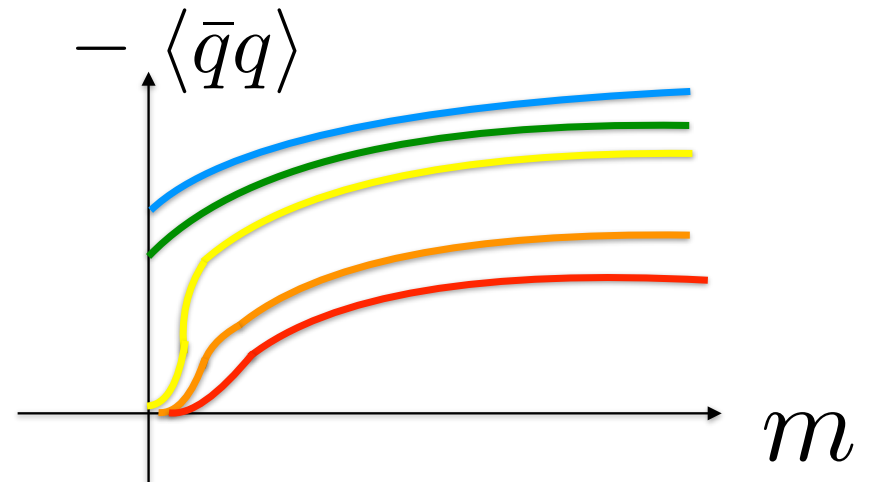
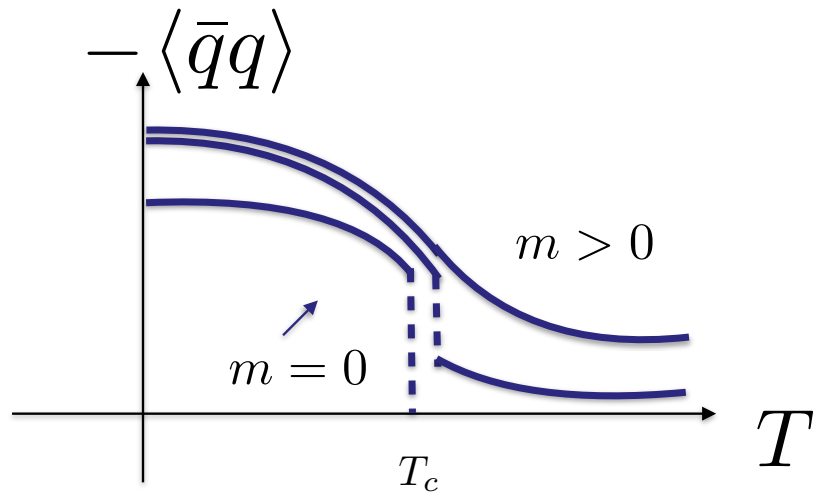
* strange quark is just a spectator.

温度(T)、質量(m) 依存性



When the transition is 1st order

* But finite V effect makes the transition not sharp.



カイラル凝縮は

どの対称性の破れを見ているのか？

Chiral condensate probes

$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ symmetry breaking/restoration :

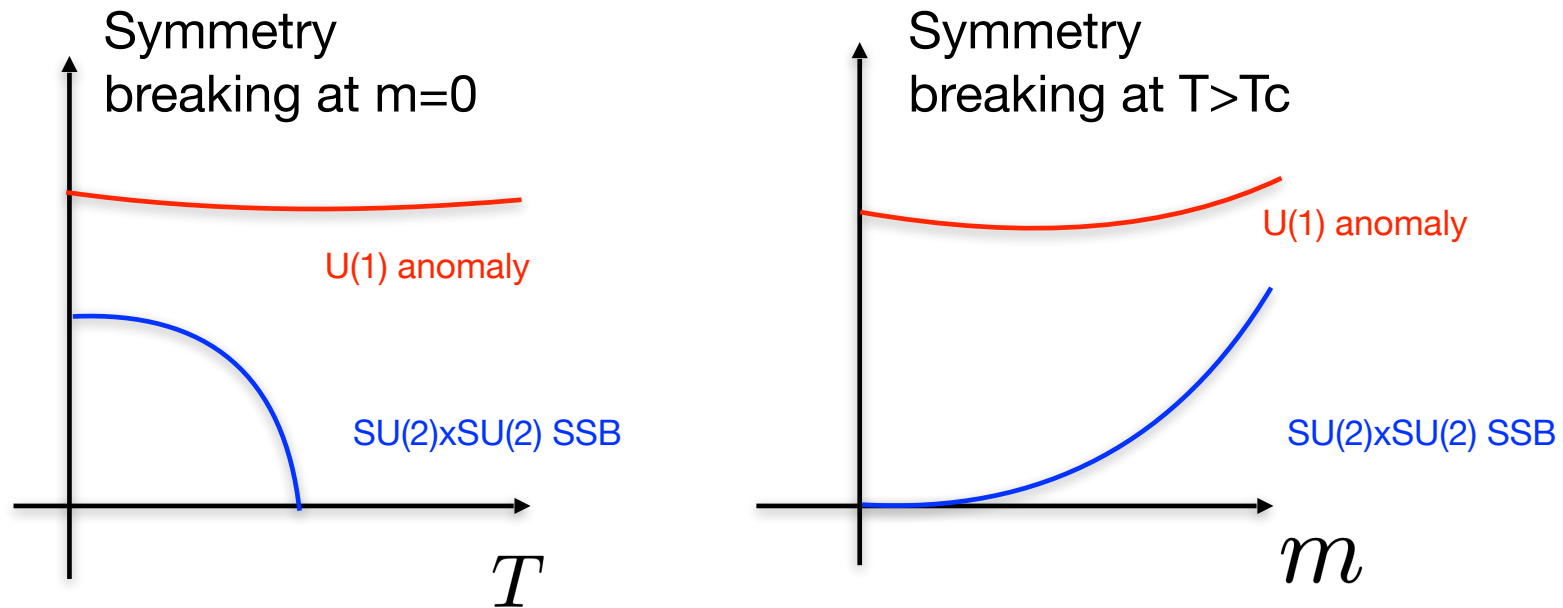
For $T < T_c$, $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle \neq 0$ For $T > T_c$, $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = 0$

But $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$ also breaks $U(1)_A$ symmetry.

Question:

How much does $U(1)_A$ (anomaly) contribute to the transition?

Naive expectation: U(1) anomaly はどのスケールでも存在する(そんなに変化しないはず)



カイラル凝縮の温度、質量依存性はU(1) anomaly ではなく $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ に起因すると考えるのが自然。

でも初期のQCDでは、、、

70's and 80's のQCD創始者たちの考えは

インスタントン \rightarrow U(1) 量子異常 \rightarrow SU(2)xSU(2) の破れ

Callan, Dashen & Gross 1978:

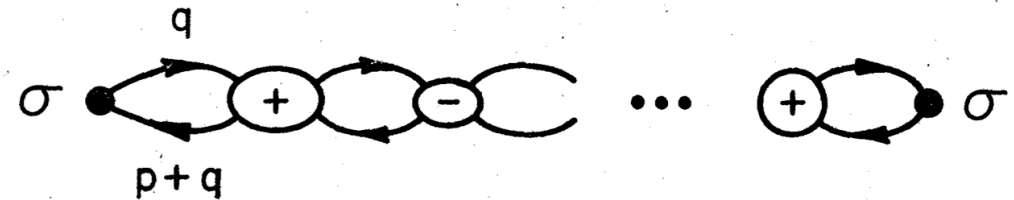


FIG. 9. The structure of the diagrams that produce a tachyon in the σ channel. The + (-) blobs refer to the effective determinantal four-fermion interaction induced by instantons (anti-instantons).

もし逆も正しければ

インスタントンの消失 \rightarrow U(1)量子異常の消失 \rightarrow SU(2)xSU(2) の回復.

まだ未解決の問題

解析的手法:

インスタントンによる半古典近似で全て記述できるほど低エネルギーQCDは甘くなかった。

従来の格子QCD 数値計算は格子間隔誤差だらけ:

Staggered fermions explicitly breaks

$$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_A \rightarrow U(1)_A'$$

Wilson fermion explicitly breaks

$$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times U(1)_A \rightarrow SU(2)_V$$

Moreover, we found that

lattice artifacts are enhanced at high temperature

(even for domain-wall fermions)

[JLQCD 2015, 2016]

私たちの研究

カイラル対称性を精密に保つドメインウォール/オーバーラップフェルミオンを用いて 2- and 2+1-flavor QCD を大規模シミュレーション、

カイラル感受率における軸性U(1)の破れの寄与を、理論的に厳密な方法で分離して抽出、定量評価。

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Dirac eigenmode decomposition

$$Z(m) = \int [dA] \det(D(A) + m)^{N_f} e^{-S_G(A)} = \int [dA] \prod_{\lambda} (i\lambda(A) + m)^{N_f} e^{-S_G(A)}$$

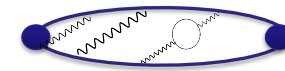
O(100) eigenvalues can be computed on the lattice.

$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = \frac{1}{N_f V} \frac{\partial}{\partial m} \ln Z(m) = \frac{1}{V} \left\langle \sum_{\lambda} \frac{1}{i\lambda(A) + m} \right\rangle,$$

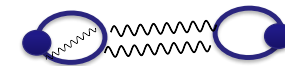
chiral susceptibility

$$\chi(m) = \frac{1}{N_f V} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial m^2} \ln Z(m) = \chi^{con.}(m) + \chi^{dis.}(m),$$

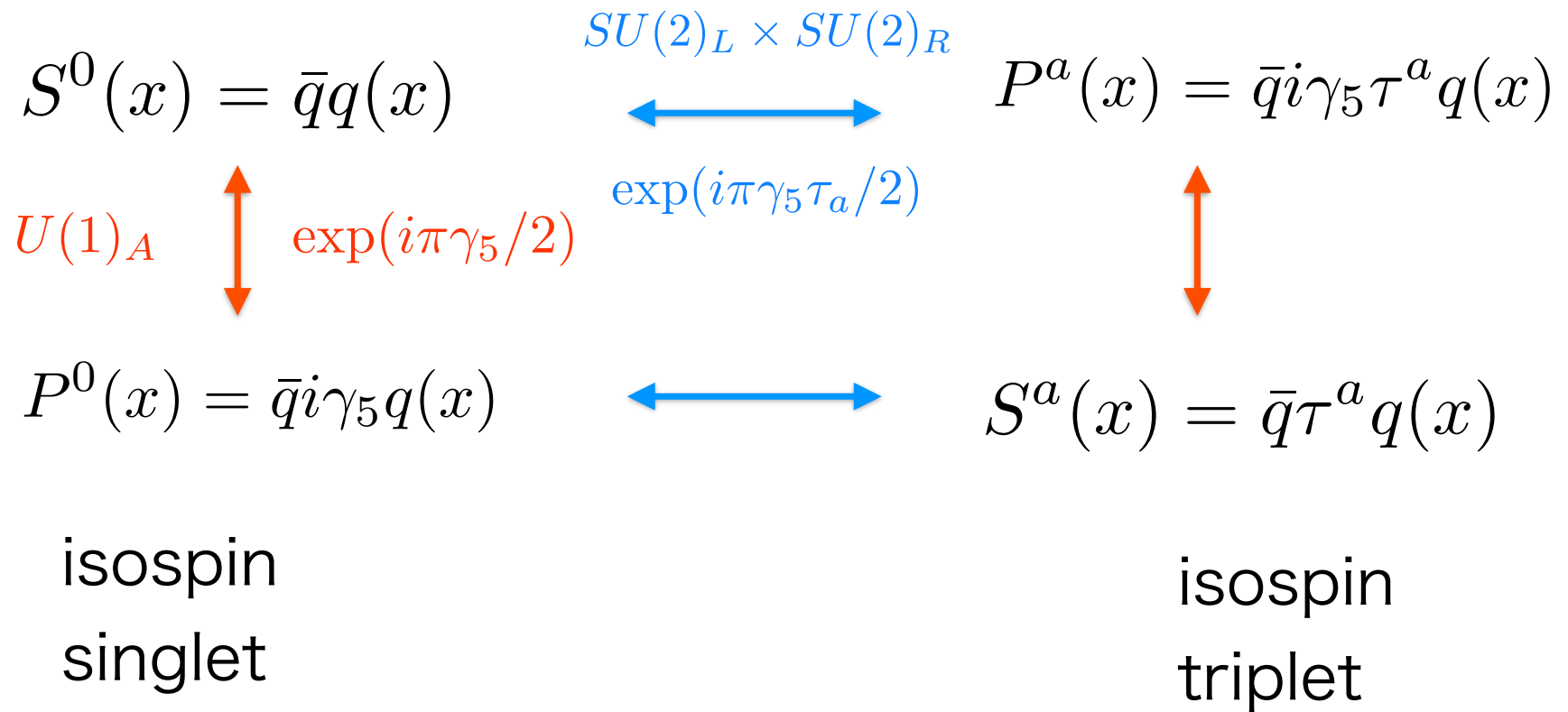
$$\chi^{con.}(m) = - \frac{\partial}{\partial m_{valence}} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \Big|_{m_{valence}=m}$$



$$\chi^{dis.}(m) = - \frac{\partial}{\partial m_{sea}} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \Big|_{m_{sea}=m}$$



Chiral rotations (with angle π)



Relation to scalar susceptibility

$$L_{\text{QCD}} = \left[\frac{1}{4} \text{Tr} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} + \bar{q} (\gamma^\mu (\partial_\mu - igA_\mu) + m) q \right]$$

$$\chi(m) = \frac{1}{N_f V} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial m^2} \ln Z(m, \theta = 0)$$

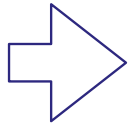
$$= - \sum_x \langle S^0(x) S^0(0) \rangle - V \langle S^0 \rangle^2$$

$$S^0(x) = \bar{q} q(x)$$

Relation to pseudoscalar susceptibility

$$\begin{aligned} Z(m, \theta) &= \int [dA] \det(D(A) + m)^{N_f} e^{-S_G(A) + i\theta Q(A)} \\ &= \int [dA] \det(D(A) + m e^{i\gamma_5 \theta / N_f})^{N_f} e^{-S_G(A)} \quad \leftarrow \text{U(1)}_A \text{ rotation} \end{aligned}$$

$$\chi_{\text{top.}}(m) = -\frac{1}{N_f V} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \ln Z(m, \theta) \Big|_{\theta=0} = m \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \langle \bar{q} i \gamma_5 e^{i\gamma_5 \theta / N_f} q \rangle \right] \Big|_{\theta=0}$$



$$\frac{N_f}{m^2} \chi_{\text{top.}}(m) = - \sum_x \langle P^0(x) P^0(0) \rangle - \frac{\langle \bar{q} q \rangle(m)}{m}. \quad P^0(x) = \bar{q} i \gamma_5 q(x)$$

$$*N_f = 2$$

Connected/disconnected pseudoscalar susceptibilities

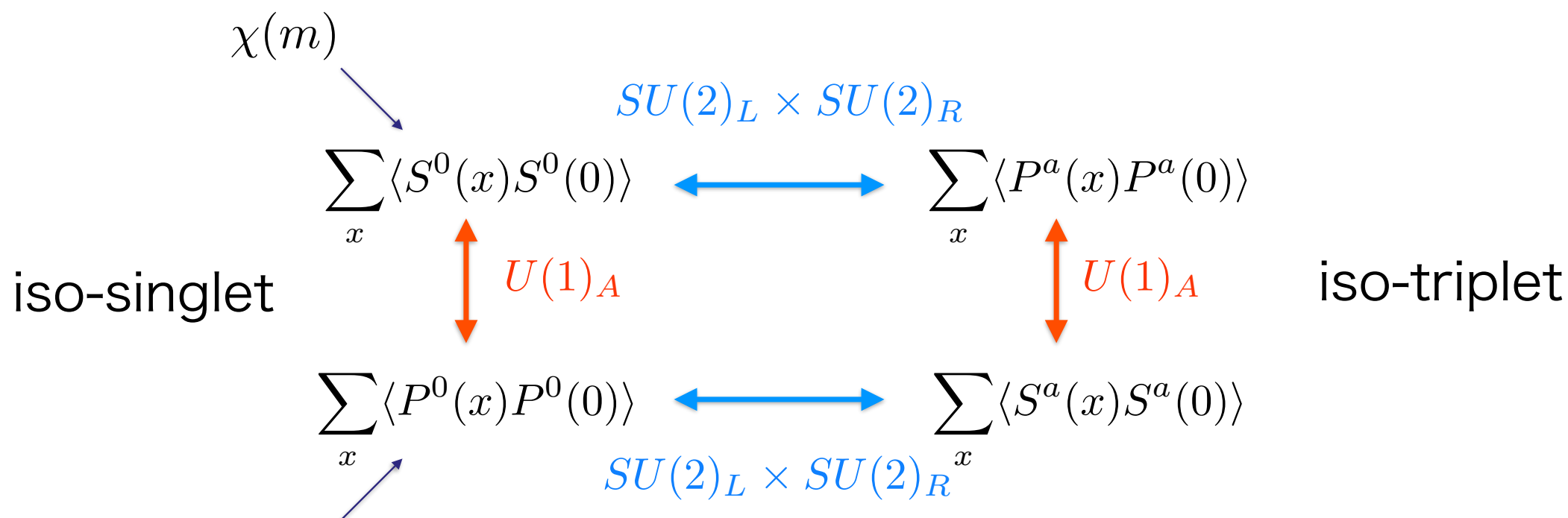
From a Ward-Takahashi identity $0 = \langle \delta_{SU(2)}^a P^a(0) \rangle - \langle \delta_{SU(2)}^a S P^a(0) \rangle$,
we have

$$m \sum_x \langle P^a(x) P^a(0) \rangle + \langle S^0 \rangle = 0.$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{N_f}{m^2} \chi_{\text{top.}}(m) &= - \sum_x \langle P^0(x) P^0(0) \rangle - \frac{\langle S(0) \rangle}{m} \\ &= \sum_x \langle P^a(x) P^a(0) \rangle - \sum_x \langle P^0(x) P^0(0) \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Symmetry structure of scalar/pseudoscalar susceptibilities



$$-\frac{N_f}{m^2} \chi_{\text{top.}}(m) - \frac{-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle(m)}{m}$$

See also LLNL/RBC Collaboration 2014, Nicola & Elvira 2018, Nicola 2020.

Separating U(1)_A breaking part

$$\chi(m) = \chi^{\text{con.}}(m) + \chi^{\text{dis.}}(m)$$

$$\chi^{\text{con.}}(m) = \underbrace{-\Delta_{U(1)}(m) + \frac{\langle |Q(A)| \rangle}{m^2 V}}_{\text{U(1)}_A \text{ breaking contribution}} \underbrace{- \frac{-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{sub.}}(m)}{m}}_{\text{mixed}}$$

* quadratic divergence is subtracted using the data at reference quark mass $m_{\text{ref}}=0.005$.

$$\chi^{\text{dis.}}(m) = \underbrace{\frac{N_f}{m^2} \chi_{\text{top.}}(m)}_{\text{U(1)}_A \text{ breaking contribution}} + \underbrace{\Delta_{SU(2)}^{(1)}(m) - \Delta_{SU(2)}^{(2)}(m)}_{\text{SU(2)} \times \text{SU(2) breaking}}$$

where $\Delta_{U(1)}(m) \equiv \sum_x \langle P^a(x)P^a(0) - S^a(x)S^a(0) \rangle$ is axial U(1) susceptibility

$$\Delta_{SU(2)}^{(1)}(m) \equiv \sum_x \langle S^0(x)S^0(0) - P^a(x)P^a(0) \rangle \quad \Delta_{SU(2)}^{(2)}(m) \equiv \sum_x \langle S^a(x)S^a(0) - P^0(x)P^0(0) \rangle$$

Lattice formulas

Using

λ_m = eigenvalues of $H_m = \gamma_5 [(1 - m)D_{ov} + m]$

$$\Delta_{U(1)}(m) = \frac{1}{V(1 - m^2)^2} \left\langle \sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{2m^2(1 - \lambda_m^2)^2}{\lambda_m^4} \right\rangle,$$

$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = \frac{1}{V(1 - m^2)} \left\langle \sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{m(1 - \lambda_m^2)}{\lambda_m^2} \right\rangle.$$

$$\chi^{\text{dis.}}(m) = \frac{N_f}{V} \left[\frac{1}{(1 - m^2)^2} \left\langle \left(\sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{m(1 - \lambda_m^2)}{\lambda_m^2} \right)^2 \right\rangle - |\langle \bar{q}q \rangle^{\text{lat}}|^2 V^2 \right].$$

Remark.1 eigen functions do not matter.

Remark.2 **chiral symmetry is essential for this decomposition.**

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Simulation setup (Nf=2)

Nf=2 flavor QCD

$1/a = 2.6 \text{ GeV}$ (0.075fm)

Symanzik gauge action

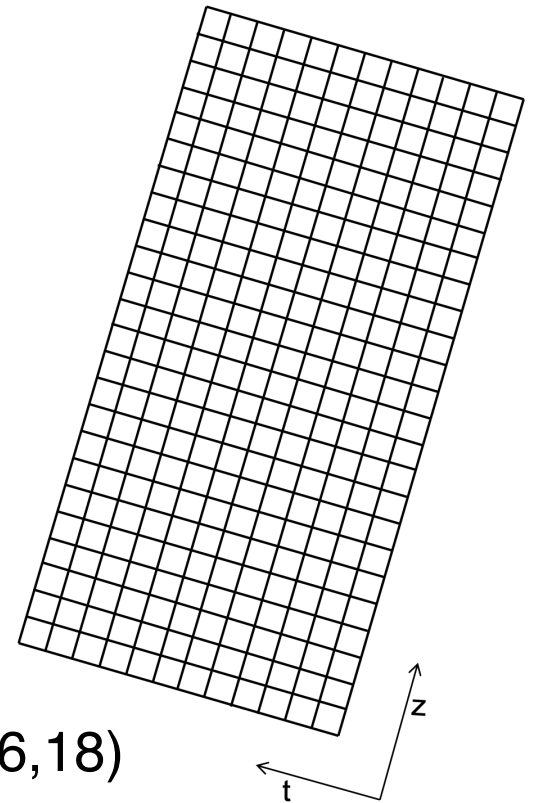
$L=24,32,40,48$ [1.8-3.6fm] (at $T=220\text{MeV}$)

Mobius domain-wall fermions with $m_{\text{res}} < 1\text{MeV}$
(and reweighted overlap fermion)

Quark mass from 3MeV (< phys. pt. $\sim 4\text{MeV}$) to 30MeV.

$T=147, 165$ ($\sim T_c$), 195, 220, 260, 330 MeV ($L_t=8,10,12,14,16,18$)

T_c is estimated to be around 175MeV (from Polyakov loop)



Simulation codes : IroIro++ (<https://github.com/coppolachan/IroIro>)

Grid (<https://github.com/paboyle/Grid>)

Bridge++(<https://bridge.kek.jp/Lattice-code/>)

Simulation setup ($N_f=2+1$)

$N_f=2+1$ flavor QCD

$1/a = 2.453\text{GeV}$

$L=32$ (2.58 fm), 40 (3.22 fm), 48(3.9fm)

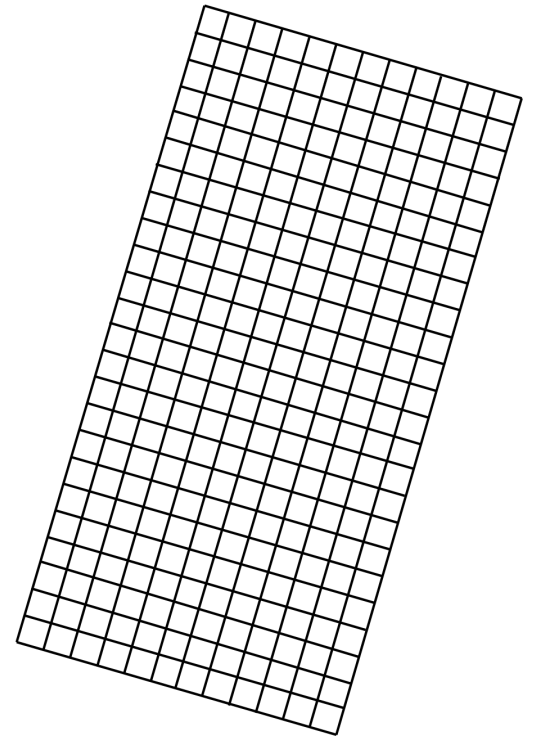
Mobius domain-wall fermion with $m_{\text{res}} < 1\text{MeV}$
(and reweighted overlap fermion)

up-down quark mass from

phys. pt. $\sim 4\text{MeV}$ to 30MeV .

strange quark mass at phys.pt.

$T=136, 153(\sim T_c), 175, 220\text{ MeV}$



Overlap/domain-wall reweighting

The fermion action can be changed
AFTER simulation.

$$\begin{aligned}\langle O \rangle_{overlap} &= \frac{\int dA O [\det D_{ov}(m)]^2 e^{-S_G}}{\int dA [\det D_{ov}(m)]^2 e^{-S_G}} \\ &= \frac{\int dA O R [\det D_{DW}^{4D}(m)]^2 e^{-S_G}}{\int dA R [\det D_{DW}^{4D}(m)]^2 e^{-S_G}} \\ &= \frac{\langle OR \rangle_{domain-wall}}{\langle R \rangle_{domain-wall}}\end{aligned}$$

$$R \equiv \frac{\det[D_{ov}(m)]^2}{\det[D_{DW}^{4D}(m)]^2}$$

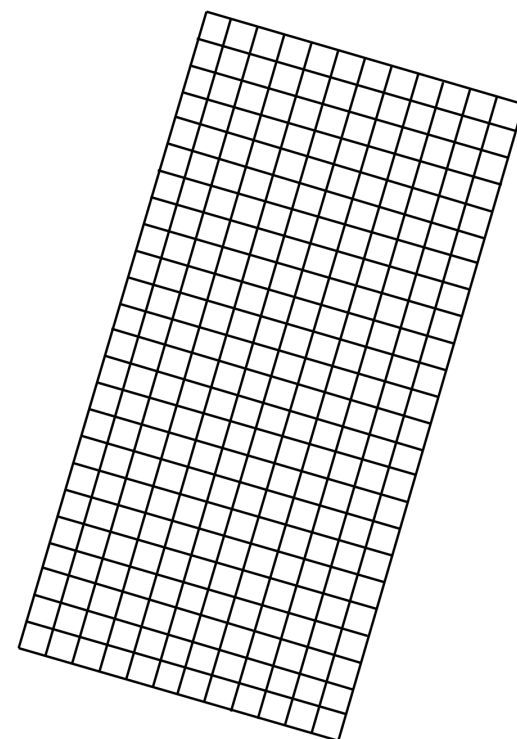
can be numerically computable.

Mass reweighting

さらにchiral limit に近づけるため、質量の異なるdeterminantにreweightingを実施。

Nf=2 : $m=0.0002$ (1/5 physical mass),
0.0005, 0.0015 from $m=0.001$

Nf=2+1: $m=0.001$ (1/2 physical mass)
from $m=0.002$



Low-mode approximation

In the eigenvalue summations,

$$\Delta_{U(1)}(m) = \frac{1}{V(1-m^2)^2} \left\langle \sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{2m^2(1-\lambda_m^2)^2}{\lambda_m^4} \right\rangle,$$

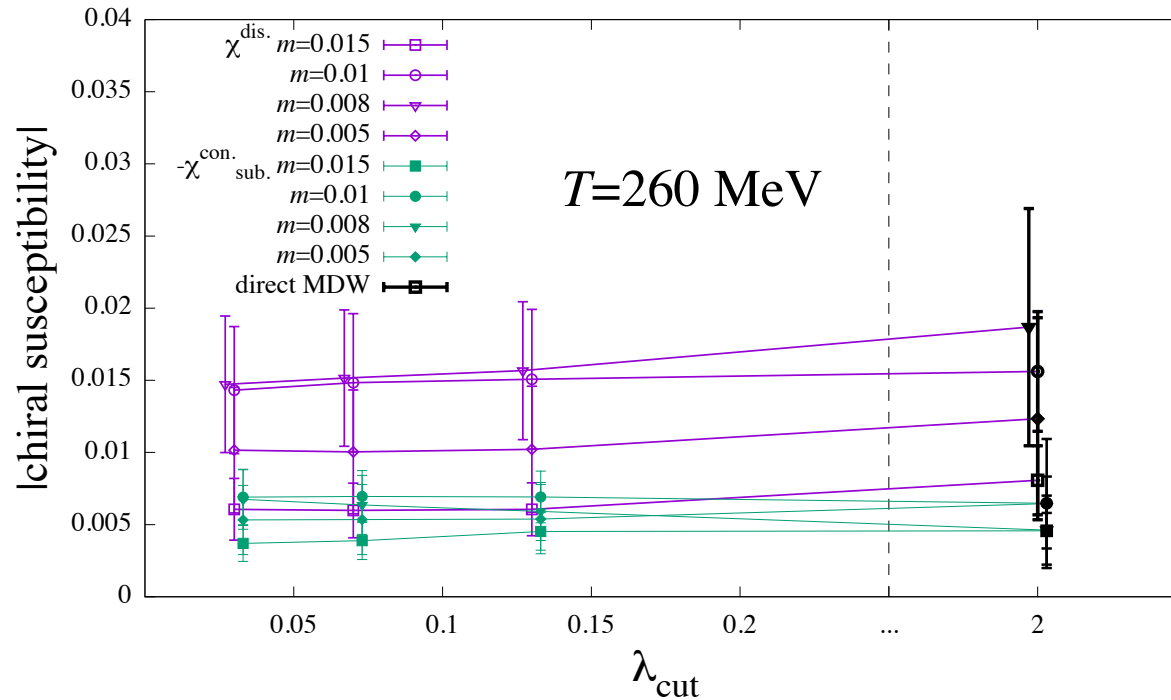
$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = \frac{1}{V(1-m^2)} \left\langle \sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{m(1-\lambda_m^2)}{\lambda_m^2} \right\rangle.$$

$$\chi^{\text{dis.}}(m) = \frac{N_f}{V} \left[\frac{1}{(1-m^2)^2} \left\langle \left(\sum_{\lambda_m} \frac{m(1-\lambda_m^2)}{\lambda_m^2} \right)^2 \right\rangle - |\langle \bar{q}q \rangle^{\text{lat}}|^2 V^2 \right].$$

where λ_m = eigenvalues of $H_m = \gamma_5[(1-m)D_{ov} + m]$

we truncate at 30-40th lowest mode ($\lambda_{\text{threshold}} \sim 150\text{--}300$ MeV).

Low mode approximation

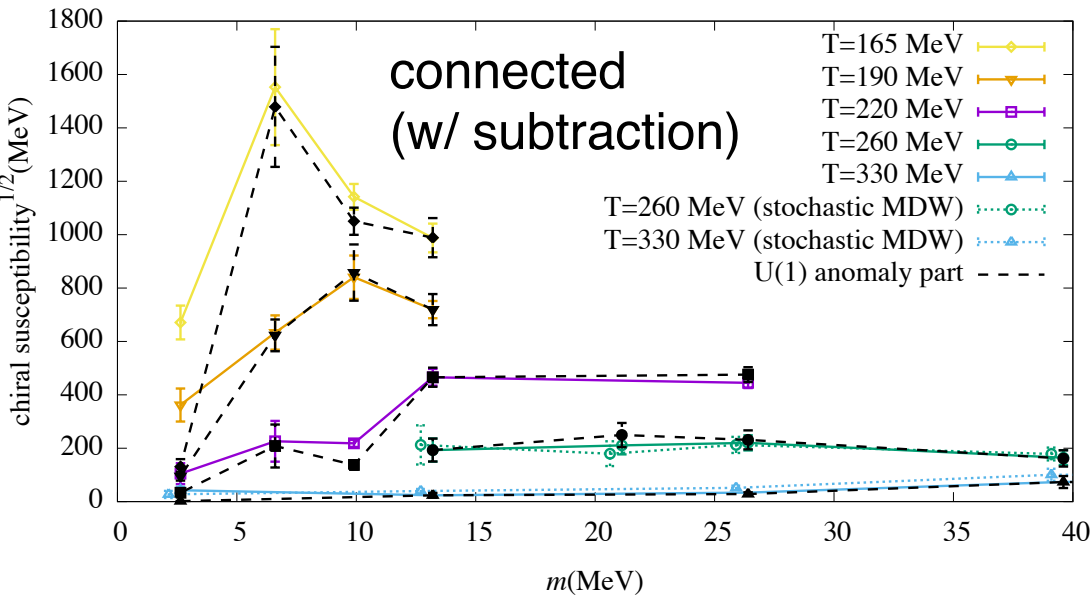


For $T \leq 260$ MeV, we find a good saturation and consistency with direct inversion of Mobius domain-wall Dirac operator (direct MDW) but $T=330$ MeV, it is not good; we use direct MDW.

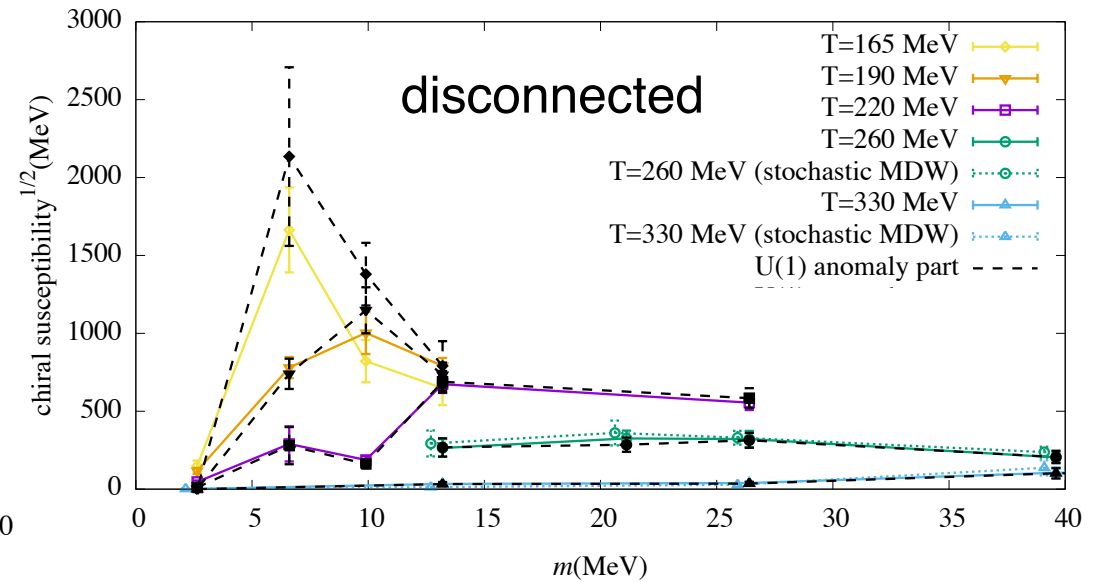
Previous $N_f=2$ results at higher T_s

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(-chiral susceptibility) $^{1/2}$ (connected, subtracted)



(chiral susceptibility) $^{1/2}$ (disconnected)

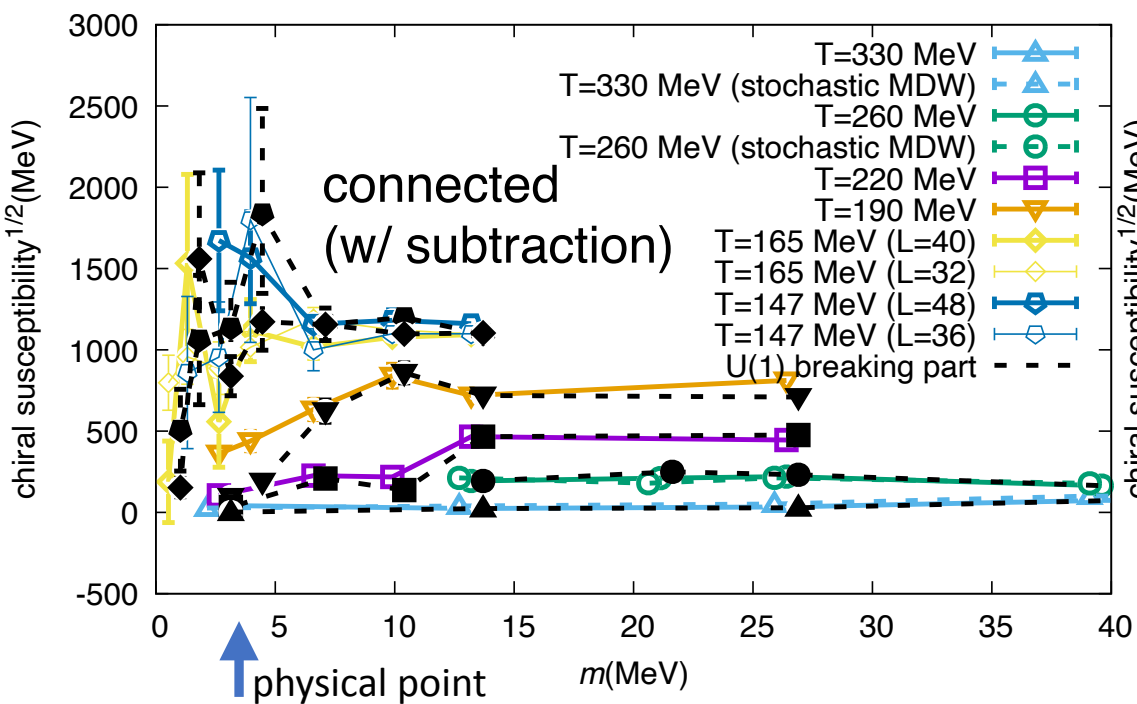


The dominance by axial U(1) anomaly is seen at 5 different T_s .

$$\chi^{\text{con.}}(m) = \underbrace{-\Delta_{U(1)}(m)}_{\text{U(1)}_A \text{ breaking}} + \underbrace{\frac{\langle |Q(A)| \rangle}{m^2 V} - \frac{-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle_{\text{sub.}}(m)}{m}}_{\text{mixed}}$$

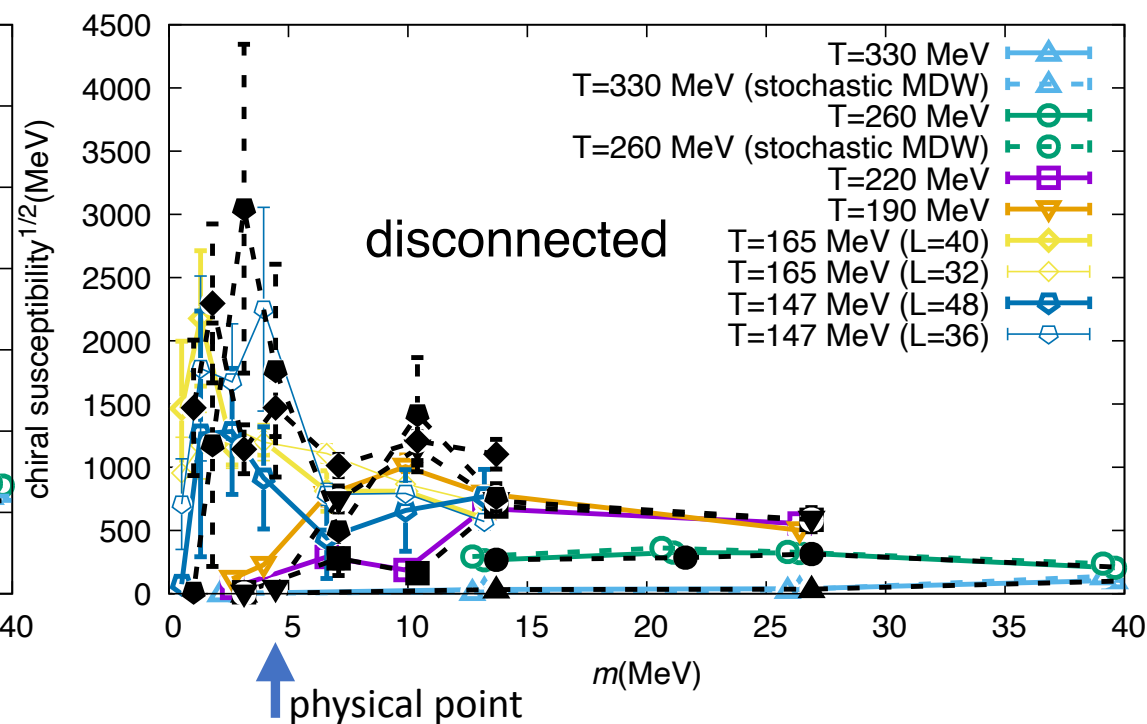
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Nf=2 QCD updates (w/ lower T and m and larger V)



低温 (0.9T_c) 1/5 physical quark mass

でもAxial U(1) の破れが支配的！

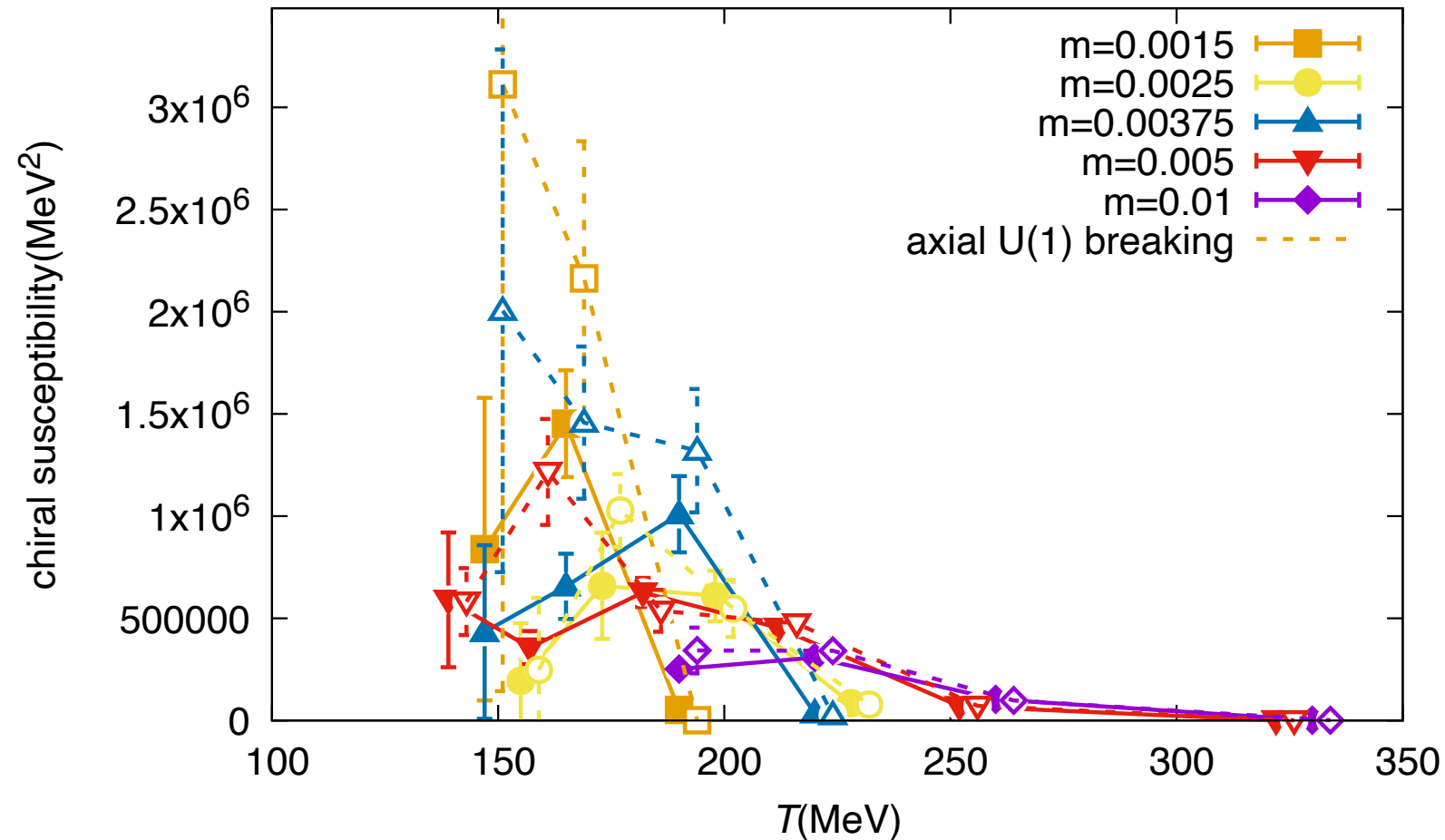


Colored open symbols: data for chiral susceptibility

Black filled symbols: axial U(1) anomaly part

Finite V effects look under control.

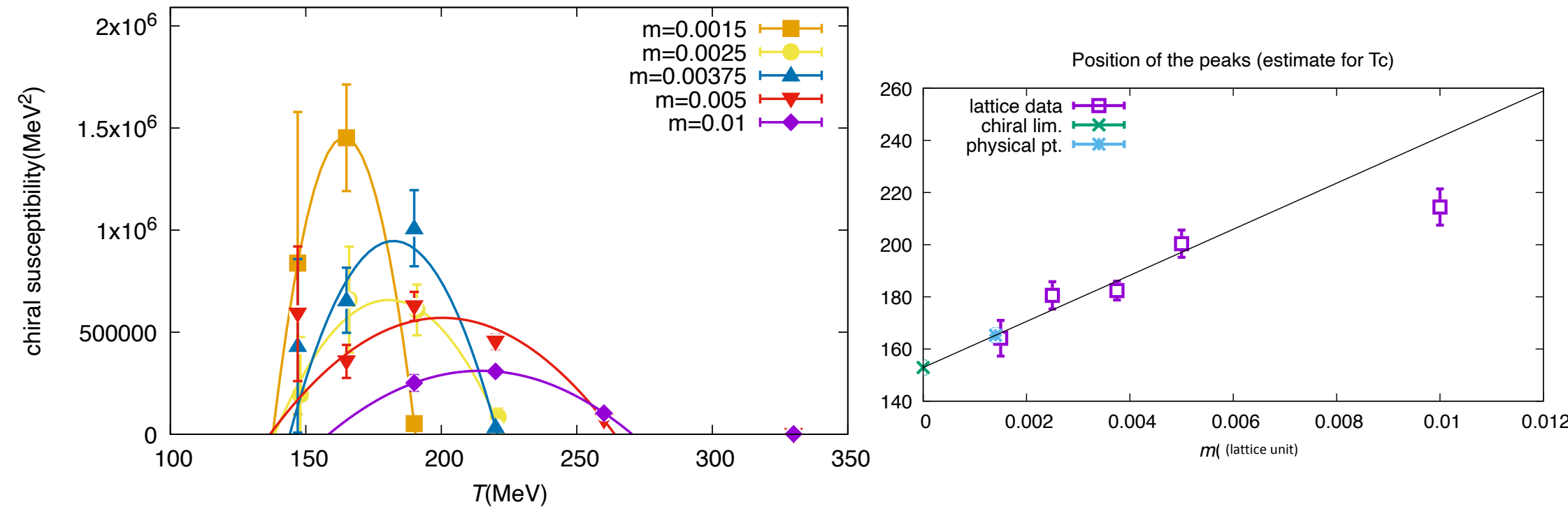
T dependence of disconnected part



At higher T than the peaks, axial U(1) breaking is dominant.

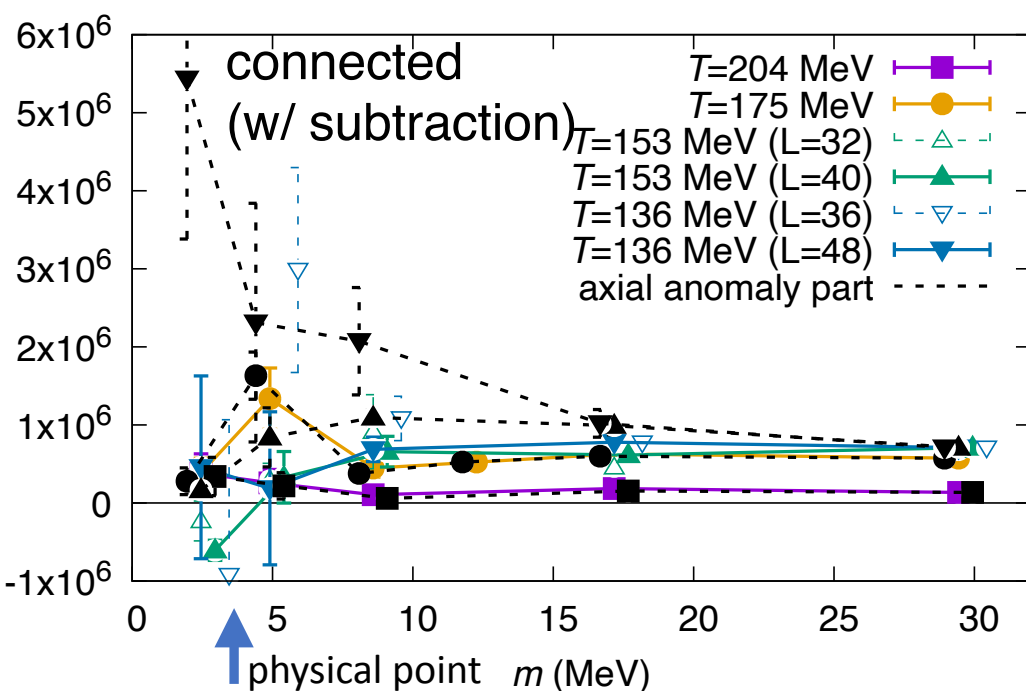
But it deviates at lower T .

Determination of T_c (very preliminary)

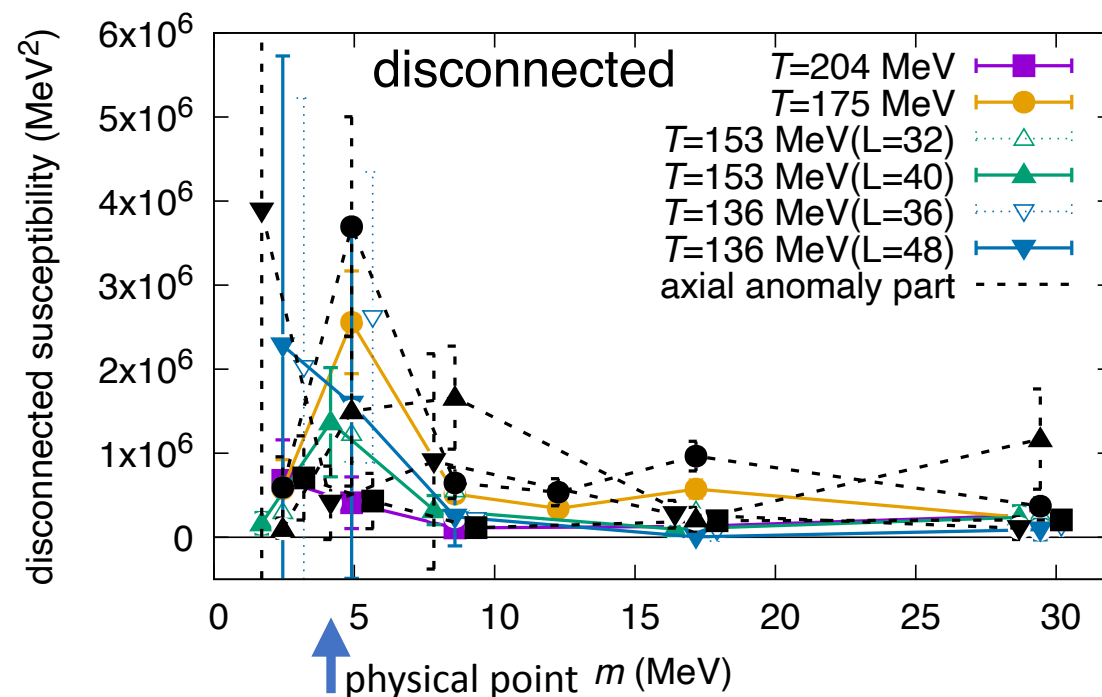


From a quadratic estimate for the position of the peak, **we** obtain T_c (physical pt.) = 165(3) MeV, T_c (chiral limit)=153(3) MeV.

$N_f=2+1$ results



Colored open symbols: data for chiral susceptibility
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Axial U(1) dominance is seen.

However, statistically noisy.

Different V_s are consistent.

At the physical point $m \sim 4 \text{ MeV}$, pseudo-critical T is estimated to be 140-150 MeV.

Subtlety in the total contribution

$$\chi(m) = \chi^{\text{con.}}(m) + \chi^{\text{dis.}}(m)$$

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a large cancellation

$O(1/V^{1/2})$ effect

It is difficult to see what survives in the total contribution.

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T_c 以上の高温でカイラル感受率のシグナルのほとんどを axial U(1) の破れが占めている。

4. Summary

まとめ

1. $N_f=2$ and 2+1 lattice QCD をカイラル対称性を精密にたもつ domain-wall/overlap クォーク作用で実行→カイラル感受率におけるU(1)量子異常の寄与を正確に抽出.
2. 今回は $N_f=2$ 低温側 with mass reweighting ($\sim 1/5$ physical point)、 $N_f=2+1$ の新しい結果について発表。
3. $T \geq T_c$ において、Connected/disconnected カイラル感受率は U(1) の破れが支配的(相転移のトリガーはaxial U(1)なのではないか)

Connected part \sim axial U(1) susceptibility.

Disconnected part \sim top. susceptibility $\times 2/m^2$

What if axial $U(1)$ “restored”?

Not only $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ but also $U(1)_A$
may be restored at T_c .

Then, the effective action = $SU(2) \times SU(2)$ [or $O(4)$] linear sigma
model needs additional degrees of freedom.

-> effective potential becomes complicated

-> 1st-order transition is favored [Pisarski & Wilczek]

(the same suggestion as Yonekura-san's PPP2020 talk but
from different point of view.)

What if chiral phase transition is 1st order?

- * 1st order region may be spanned to finite quark mass.
- * If physical point is not a crossover but 1st order, QCD may explain dark matter (Witten) [Yonekura-san's PPP2020 talk]
- * Gravitational waves due to QCD bubbles.
- * Axion dark matter scenario may be difficult (abundance is likely to be too big).

Interesting! But we have not detected its sign.