

# **Yang-Mills Thermodynamics: an Effective Theory Approach**

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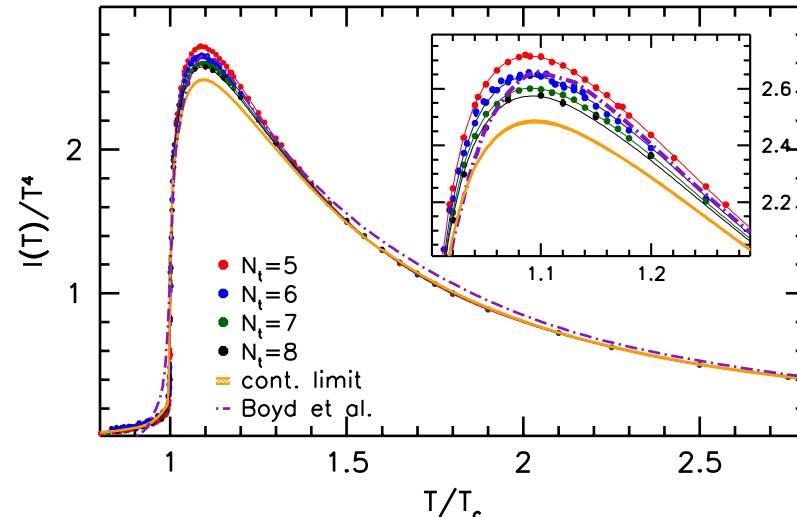
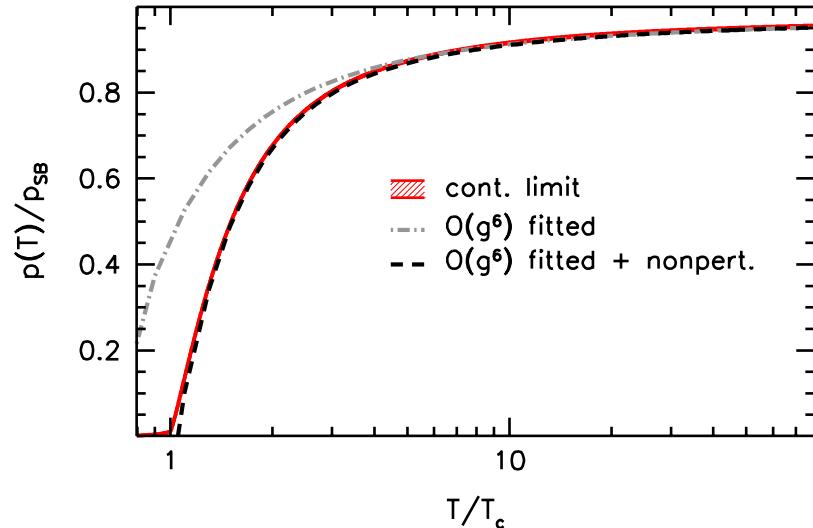
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# I. Modeling QCD Thermodynamics

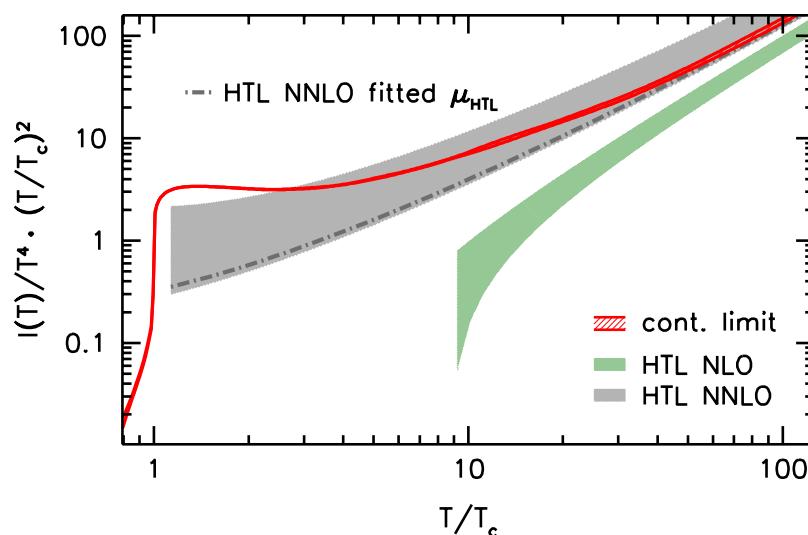
# Yang-Mills thermodynamics from Lattice QCD

[Borsanyi et al. (12)]

- EoS does not reach SB limit.  $I = \mathcal{E} - 3P$  does not vanish.



- $I/T^2 T_c^2 \sim \text{constant}$  in intermediate temperatures.

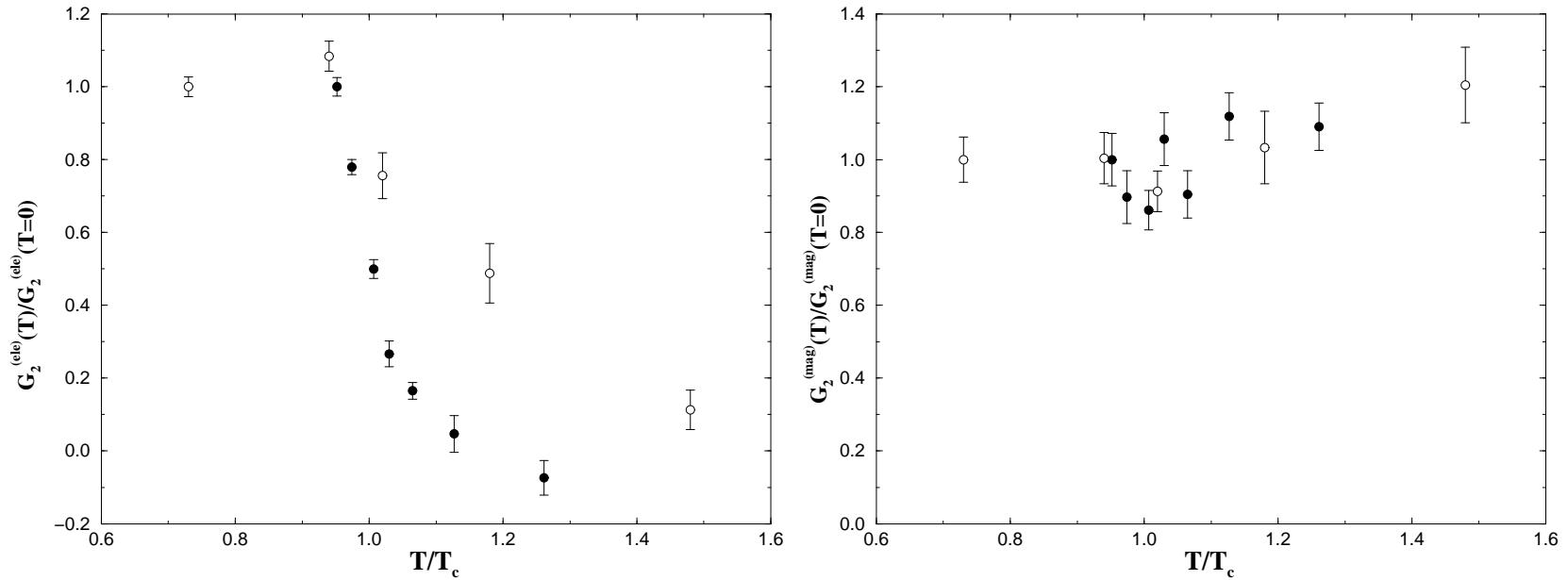


$$\begin{aligned} \text{cf. } I^{\text{pert}} &\propto (gT)^4 \\ \Rightarrow I^{\text{pert}}/T^2 &\propto (gT)^2 \end{aligned}$$

hot gluon matter in deconf. phase:  
still nontrivial!

## Residual interaction due to magnetic confinement

- electric sector ( $G_{0i}^2 \sim E^2$ ) changes qualitatively with  $T$ : deconfinement phase transition driven by electric gluons
- magnetic sector ( $G_{ij}^2 \sim B^2$ ) unaffected: [Borgs (85), Manousakis-Polonyi (87)] spatial string tension non-vanishing at any  $T \Rightarrow$  **confined**



[D'Elia-Di Giacomo-Meggiolaro (02)]

- how to model these aspects?  $\Rightarrow$  effective theory approach
  - Z(3) center symmetry and Polyakov loops  $\Phi$

- **Polyakov loop model** [Pisarski (00)]

made based on  $Z(3)$  symmetry:

$$\mathcal{U} = a(T)\bar{\Phi}\Phi + b(T) \left(\bar{\Phi}^3 + \Phi^3\right) + c(T) \left(\bar{\Phi}\Phi\right)^2 + \dots$$

- T-dep. coefficients *unconstrained* by  $Z(3)$   
⇒ putting T-dep. by hand & fitting Lattice EoS **not unique!**
- drawback: insufficient  $\mathcal{U}$  for fluctuations [CS-Friman-Redlich (06)]
- where T-dep. comes from? … thermal gluon excitations  $\sim \mathcal{L}_{\text{YM}}$   
⇒ closer contact with the underlying theory

- **issues**

- how thermal gluon distributions appear from  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{YM}}$ ?
- how to model the interplay between chromoelectric (*deconf.*) and chromomagnetic (*conf.*) aspects of YM?

## **II. Effective Gluon Potential**

## Deriving partition function from YM Lagrangian

- background field method, a constant uniform background  $\bar{A}_0$

$$A_\mu = \bar{A}_\mu + g \check{A}_\mu$$

$$\bar{A}_\mu^a = \bar{A}_0^a \delta_{\mu 0}, \quad \bar{A}_0 = \bar{A}_0^3 T^3 + \bar{A}_0^8 T^8$$

$$\sum_n \ln \det \left( D^{-1} \right) = \ln \det \left( 1 - \hat{L}_A e^{-|\vec{p}|/T} \right)$$

[Gross-Pisarski-Yaffe (81)]

- Polyakov loop matrix in adjoint representation (8x8 matrix)

$$\hat{L}_A = \text{diag} \left( 1, 1, e^{i(\phi_1-\phi_2)}, e^{-i(\phi_1-\phi_2)}, e^{i(2\phi_1+\phi_2)}, e^{-i(2\phi_1+\phi_2)}, e^{i(\phi_1+2\phi_2)}, e^{-i(\phi_1+2\phi_2)} \right)$$

rank of SU(3) group = 2  $\Rightarrow$  elements expressed in 2 variables

- express in terms of

$$\Phi = \text{tr} \hat{L}_F / 3, \quad \bar{\Phi} = \text{tr} \hat{L}_F^\dagger / 3$$

- full thermodynamic potential:

$$\Omega = \underbrace{\Omega_g}_{\sim a(T) \bar{\Phi} \Phi?} + \underbrace{\Omega_{\text{Haar}}}_{\text{responsible for Z(3) breaking}}$$

- full thermodynamics potential:  $\Omega = \Omega_g + \Omega_{\text{Haar}}$  [CS-Redlich (2012)]

$$\Omega_g = 2T \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left( 1 + \sum_{n=1}^8 C_n(\Phi, \bar{\Phi}) e^{-n|\vec{p}|/T} \right) ,$$

$$\Omega_{\text{Haar}} = -a_0 T \ln \left[ 1 - 6\bar{\Phi}\Phi + 4 \left( \Phi^3 + \bar{\Phi}^3 \right) - 3 \left( \bar{\Phi}\Phi \right)^2 \right] ,$$

$$C_1 = C_7 = 1 - 9\bar{\Phi}\Phi , \quad C_2 = C_6 = 1 - 27\bar{\Phi}\Phi + 27 \left( \bar{\Phi}^3 + \Phi^3 \right) ,$$

$$C_3 = C_5 = -2 + 27\bar{\Phi}\Phi - 81 \left( \bar{\Phi}\Phi \right)^2 ,$$

$$C_4 = 2 \left[ -1 + 9\bar{\Phi}\Phi - 27 \left( \bar{\Phi}^3 + \Phi^3 \right) + 81 \left( \bar{\Phi}\Phi \right)^2 \right] , \quad C_8 = 1$$

⇒ energy distributions solely determined by group characters of SU(3)

- no free parameter in  $\Omega_g$
- one parameter in  $\Omega_{\text{Haar}}$ :  $a_0 \Leftrightarrow T_c^{\text{lat}} = 270 \text{ MeV}$

## Character expansion of $\Omega_g$

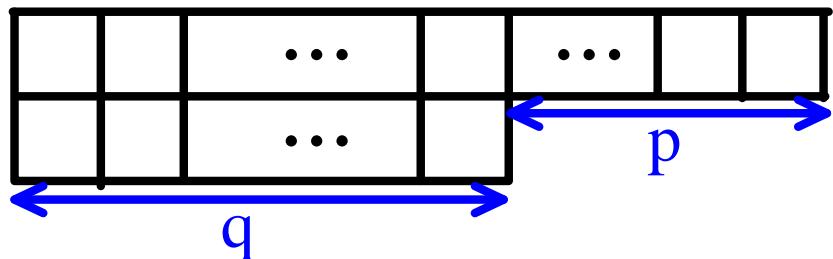
*all the phenomenological potentials deduced from  $\Omega_g$ !*

$$\Omega \rightarrow \alpha(T)\bar{\Phi}\Phi + \Omega_{\text{Haar}}, \quad \Omega \rightarrow \text{polynomials}$$

- effective action in the strong coupling exp. [Wozar-Kaestner-Wipf-Heinzl-Pozsgay (06)]

$$S_{\text{eff}}^{(\text{SC})} = \lambda_{10}S_{10} + \lambda_{20}S_{20} + \lambda_{11}S_{11} + \lambda_{21}S_{21}$$

$S_{pq}$ : products of SU(3) characters  $\sim$  a series of  $Z(3)$ -inv. operators



$$\begin{aligned} C_{1,7} &= S_{10}, & C_{2,6} &= S_{21}, \\ C_{3,5} &= S_{11}, & C_4 &= S_{20} \end{aligned}$$

- a “minimal” model:  $S_{\text{eff}} = \lambda S_{10} \sim \lambda \bar{\Phi}\Phi$  plus  $S_{\text{Haar}}$   
 $\Rightarrow$  1st-order phase transition
- coefficient  $\lambda$  can be deduced from  $\Omega_g$ !  $\Omega_g \simeq \mathcal{F}(T)\bar{\Phi}\Phi$ 
  - correct sign  $\Rightarrow$  a 1st-order phase transition
  - strength of the phase transition  $\Rightarrow \langle \Phi \rangle_c^{\text{lattice}} \simeq 0.4$   
 $\langle \Phi \rangle_c = 0.39$  from  $\Omega_g$

### **III. Thermodynamics**

## Thermodynamics

- any finite temperature in confined phase:  $\Phi = 0$  thus  $\Omega_{\text{Haar}} = 0$

$$\Omega_g(\Phi = \bar{\Phi} = 0) \sim 2T \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left( 1 + e^{-|\vec{p}|/T} \right)$$

**wrong sign!**  $\Rightarrow$  unphysical EoS  $s, \epsilon < 0$

**Gluons are NOT correct dynamical variables below  $T_c$ !**

- ★ “conventional” potential  $\Omega_{\text{polynomial}}$   $\Rightarrow$  gluon confinement NOT seen
- ★ correct physics requires all the higher-order in character expansion.
- cf. PNJL/PQM: quarks are suppressed but exist at any T.

[Meisinger-Ogilvie (96), Fukushima (03), Ratti et al. (06)]

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{q} (i\cancel{D} - A) q + G (\bar{q} q)^2 - \mathcal{U}(\bar{\Phi}, \Phi), \quad A_\mu = \delta_{\mu 0} A^0$$

$$\Omega_q = -d_q T \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} \ln \left[ 1 + 3\Phi e^{-E_+/T} + 3\bar{\Phi} e^{-2E_+/T} + e^{-3E_+/T} \right]$$

$\langle \Phi \rangle \simeq 0$  at low T: 1- and 2-quark states *thermodynamically* irrelevant  
 $\Rightarrow$  mimicking confinement

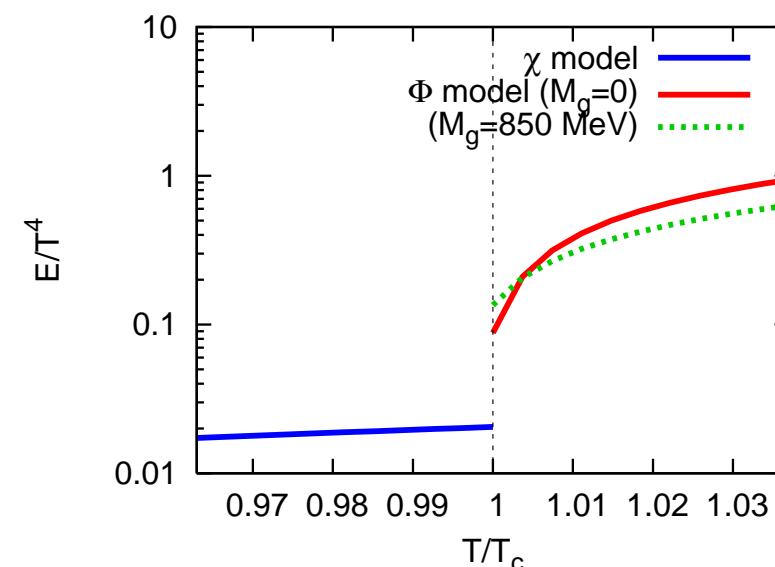
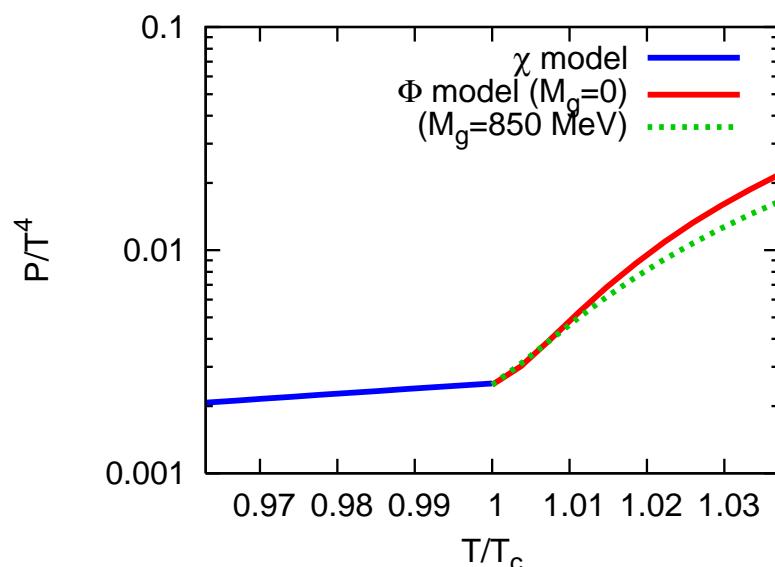
# A hybrid approach for Yang-Mills thermodynamics

- below  $T_c$ : no gluons but **glueballs**  $\Rightarrow$  introduce dilatons  $\chi$
- **QCD trace anomaly**:  
 $T_\mu^\mu \sim \langle \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu} \rangle$  scale symmetry breaking due to gluon condensate  
 $\Rightarrow$  this is encoded with dilaton potential such that  $T_\mu^\mu \sim \chi^4$  [Schechter (80)]

$$V_\chi = \frac{B}{4} \left( \frac{\chi}{\chi_0} \right)^4 \left[ \ln \left( \frac{\chi}{\chi_0} \right)^4 - 1 \right]$$

- switching dynamical variables at  $T_c$

$$\Omega = \Theta(T_c - T) \Omega(\chi) + \Theta(T - T_c) \Omega(\Phi)$$



## **IV. Chromoelectric and Chromomagnetic Dynamics**

## Chromoelectric vs. chromomagnetic gluons

- electric sector ( $G_{0i}^2 \sim E^2$ ) changes qualitatively with T: **electric screening** deconfinement phase transition driven by electric gluons
- magnetic sector ( $G_{ij}^2 \sim B^2$ ) unaffected: **no magnetic screening** string tension non-vanishing at any T [Borgs (85), Manousakis-Polonyi (87)]

*dilatons can survive above  $T_c$ !*

$\Phi \Leftrightarrow A_0$ : electric       $\chi \Leftrightarrow G_{\mu\nu}G^{\mu\nu}$ : electric plus magnetic

- **how to transmute  $\langle E^2 \rangle$ - $\langle B^2 \rangle$  interaction into  $\Phi$ - $\chi$  interaction?**
  - effective theory above  $T_c$ :

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_\Phi + \mathcal{L}_\chi + \underbrace{\mathcal{L}_{\text{mix}}}_{\sim \chi^4(a\bar{\Phi}\Phi + b(\bar{\Phi}^3 + \Phi^3) + \dots)}$$

- effective gluon mass?  $\sim G^2 \chi^2 A_\mu A^\mu$  would appear when hard modes integrated out  $\dots m_g \sim \langle B^2 \rangle$  in deconfined phase

# An effective theory

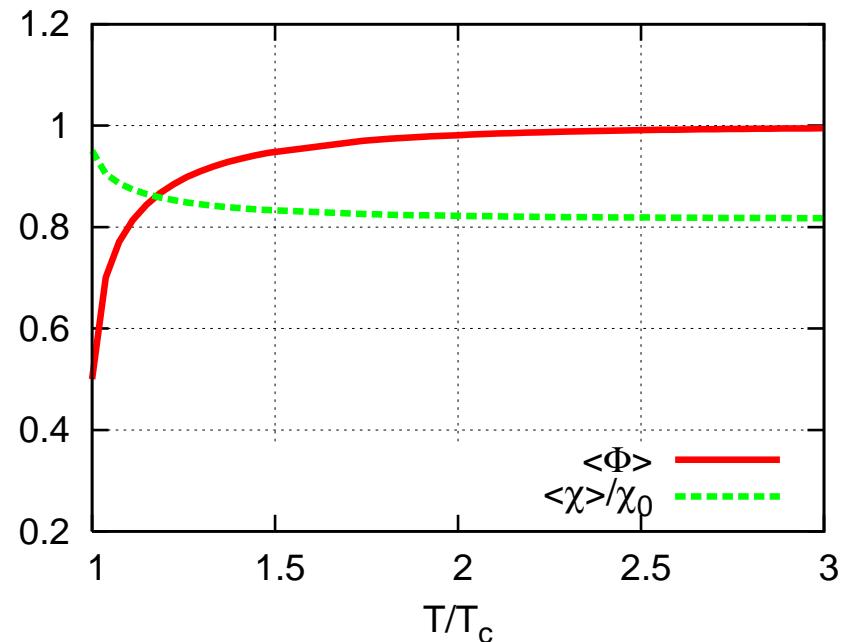
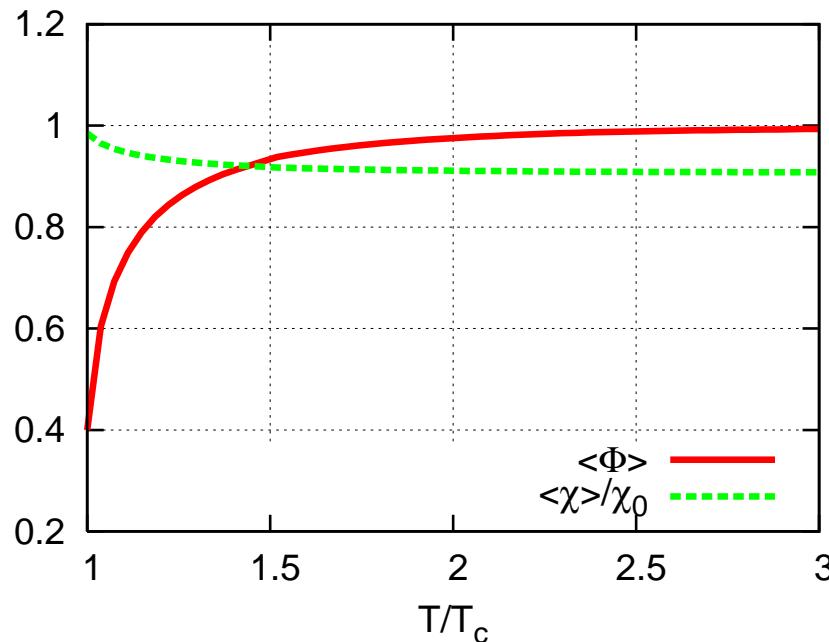
[CS-Mishustin-Redlich (13)]

- effective potential

$$\Omega(\Phi, \chi; T) = \Omega_g(\Phi; T) + \Omega_{\text{Haar}}(\Phi; T) + V_\chi(\chi) + V_{\text{mix}}(\Phi, \chi),$$

$$V_{\text{mix}}(\Phi, \chi) = G_{\phi\chi} \left( \frac{\chi}{\chi_0} \right)^4 \bar{\Phi}\Phi : \text{invariant under Z(3) and scale sym.}$$

- two condensates:  $\chi/\chi_0 = \exp[-G_{\phi\chi}\bar{\Phi}\Phi/B]$



- $\langle\chi\rangle$  at higher temperature? ... magnetic scale  $g^2(T)T!$

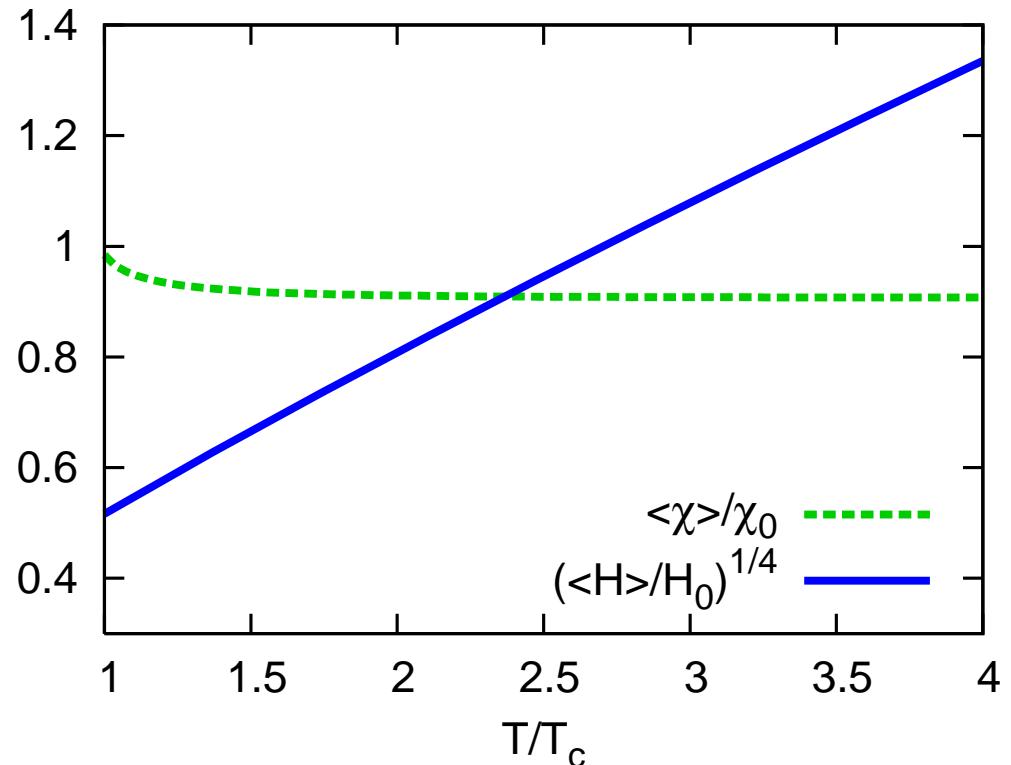
- residual interaction at high temperature: *magnetic confinement*

- matching to 3d YM theory (high T effective theory)

$$\mathcal{D} \sim \langle B^2 \rangle e^{-|\vec{x}|/\xi}, \quad \sigma_s \sim \langle B^2 \rangle \xi^2 \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \text{3-dim YM: } \sqrt{\sigma_s} = c g^2(T) T$$

$$\langle B^2 \rangle = c_B \left( g^2(T) T \right)^4 \quad [\text{Agasian (03)}]$$

- identify  $\langle B^2 \rangle$  with  $\langle \chi \rangle^4$  at  $T \gg T_c$ :  $V(\chi) \rightarrow V(g^2(T)T)$

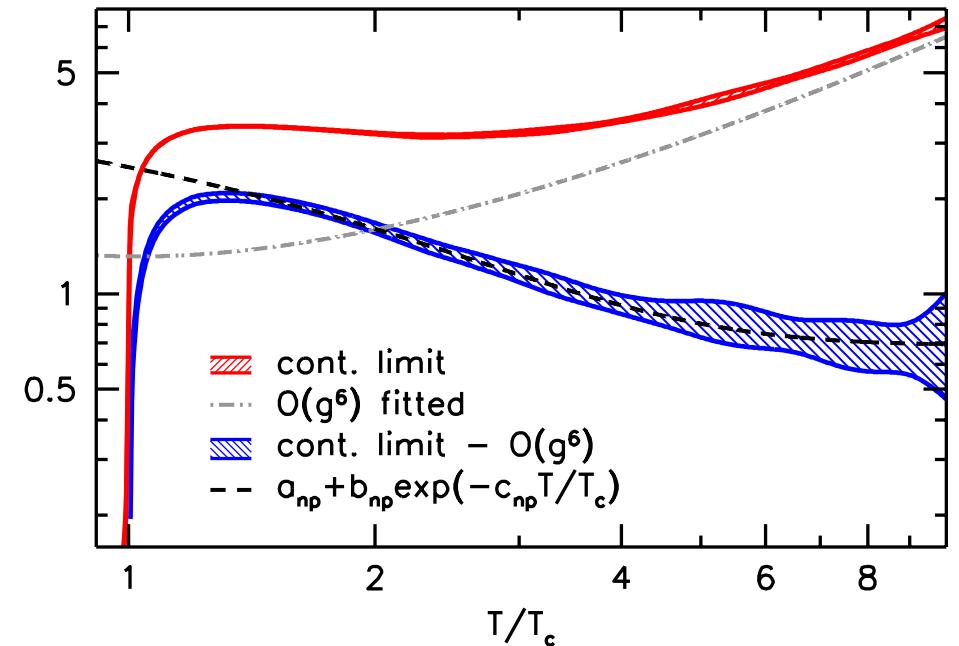
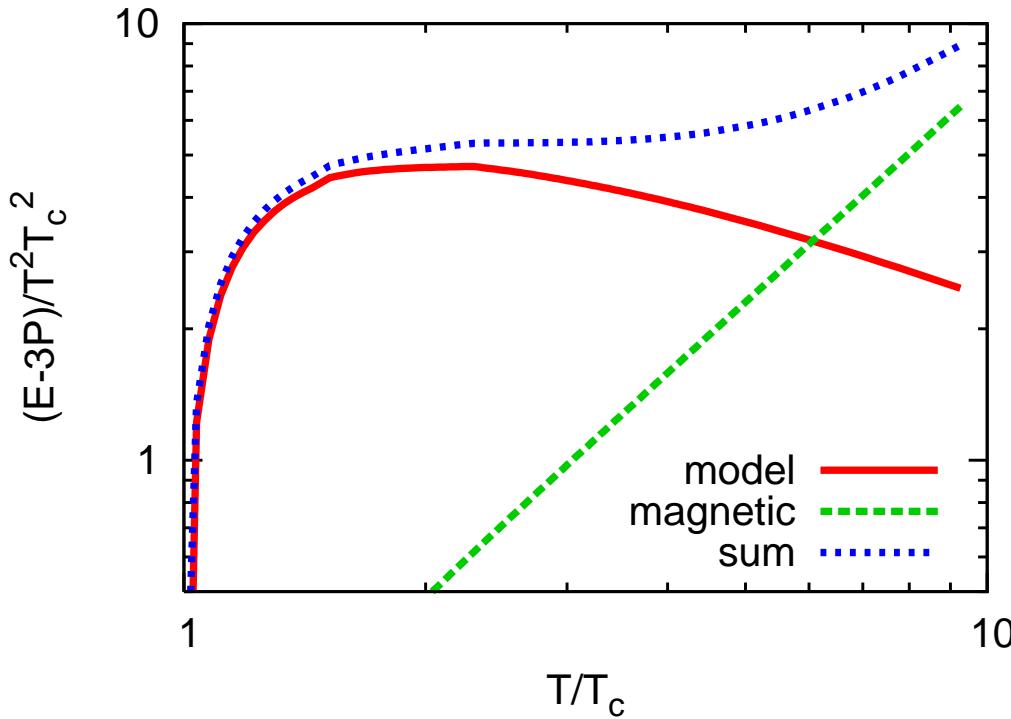


at which T does  $\langle \chi \rangle$  start to go like  $g^2(T)T$ ?

$\Rightarrow$  level crossing at  $T_0 \sim 2.5 T_c$

$$H \equiv B^2$$

- interaction measure: this model (L) & lattice [Borsanyi et al. (12)] (R)



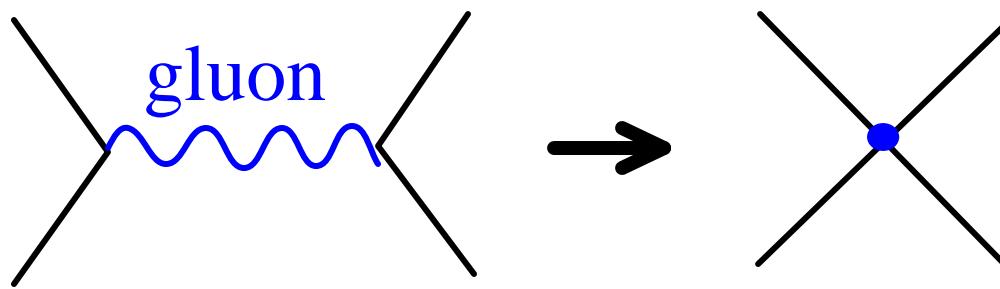
$$\Omega = \underbrace{\Omega_g}_{\sim T^4} + \underbrace{\Omega_{\text{Haar}}}_{\sim T} + \underbrace{V_{\chi+\text{mix}}}_{\sim \text{const} \Rightarrow \sim (g^2 T)^4}$$

$$I_1(T < T_0) = \mathcal{E} - 3P \sim \Omega_g \sim 0 \times T^4 \quad \Rightarrow \quad I_2(T_0 < T) \sim V_{\chi+\text{mix}} \sim T^4$$

- decreasing  $I_1/T^2$  + increasing  $I_2/T^2 \Rightarrow I/T^2 \sim \text{constant}$
- tendency of  $I^{\text{lat}}/T^2$  is reproduced.

## How to introduce quarks?

- non-pert. part  $\sim$  **non-local** ( $T, \Phi$ ) effective 4-fermi interaction



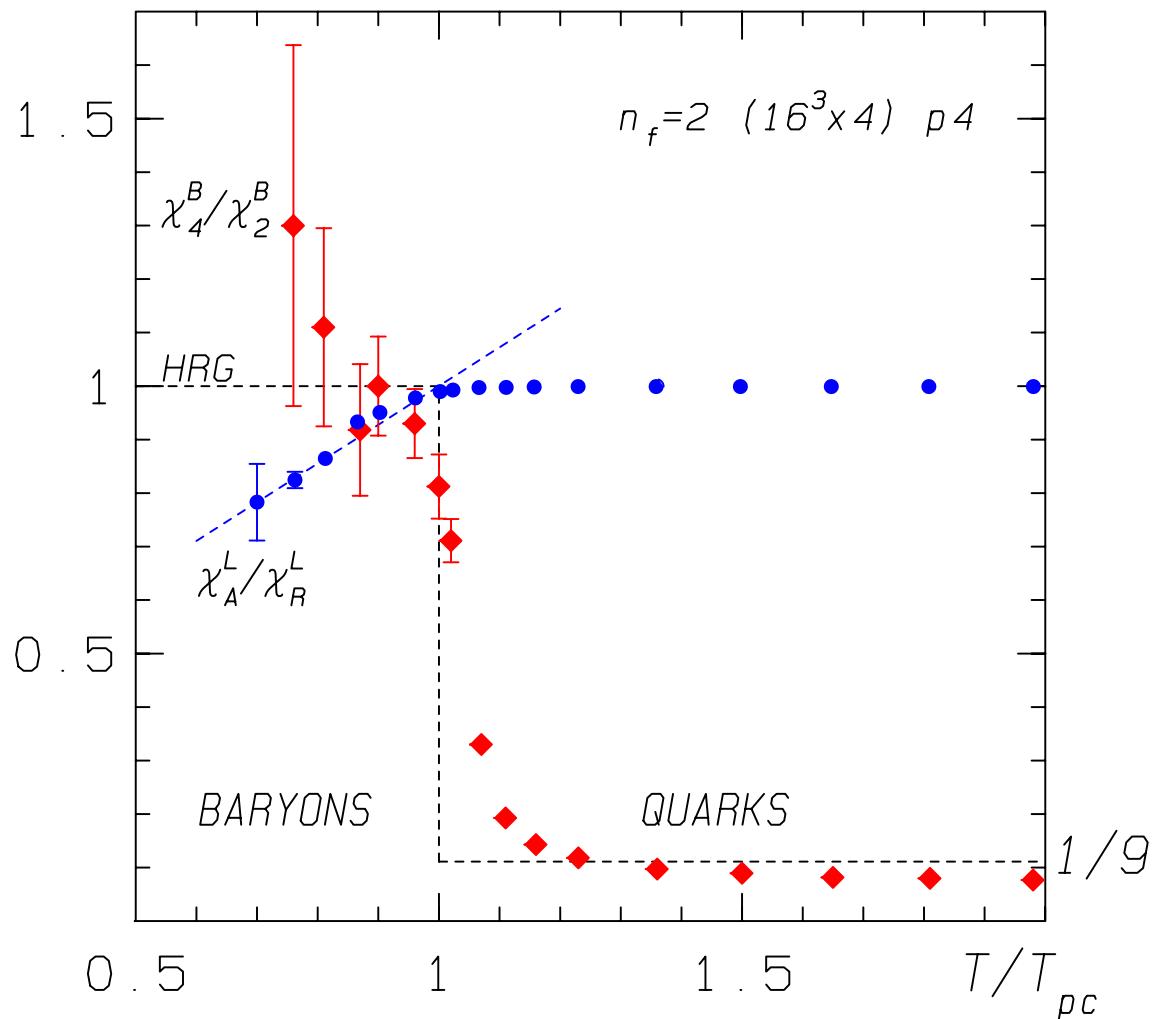
ref1. Kondo (2010):

SU(2) formulation using Faddeev-Niemi decomposition and FRG  
⇒ SU(3)???

ref2. Haas et al. (2013):

quark back-reaction to the gluon potential in PQM plus FRG

# How to characterize deconfinement? $\Leftarrow$ talk by Redlich



- Polyakov loop and baryon number susceptibilities
- ratios  $\chi_B^4 / \chi_B^2$  and  $\chi_A^L / \chi_R^L \Rightarrow$  gluon and quark conf.

## Summary

- **derivation of gluon partition function from YM Lagrangian**
  - higher representations of Polyakov loop: mean field treatment
  - Polyakov loops naturally appear representing group character.
  - gluons are forbidden below  $T_c$  dynamically.
  - a hybrid approach.
- **interplay between chromoelectric and chromomagnetic gluon dynamics**
  - identify  $\langle B^2 \rangle$  with  $\langle \chi^4 \rangle$
  - matching to 3-dim theory: magnetic scale  $g^2(T)T$  comes in.
  - reproducing lattice interaction measure  $I/T^2$

**Happy Birthday, Kodama san! Wishing you all teh best!**