

S-MATRIX APPROACH TO THERMODYNAMICS OF HADRONS

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ECT* WORKSHOP
THE COMPLEX STRUCTURE OF STRONG INTERACTIONS IN
EUCLIDEAN AND MINKOWSKI SPACE
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S-MATRIX FORMULATION OF STATISTICAL MECHANICS

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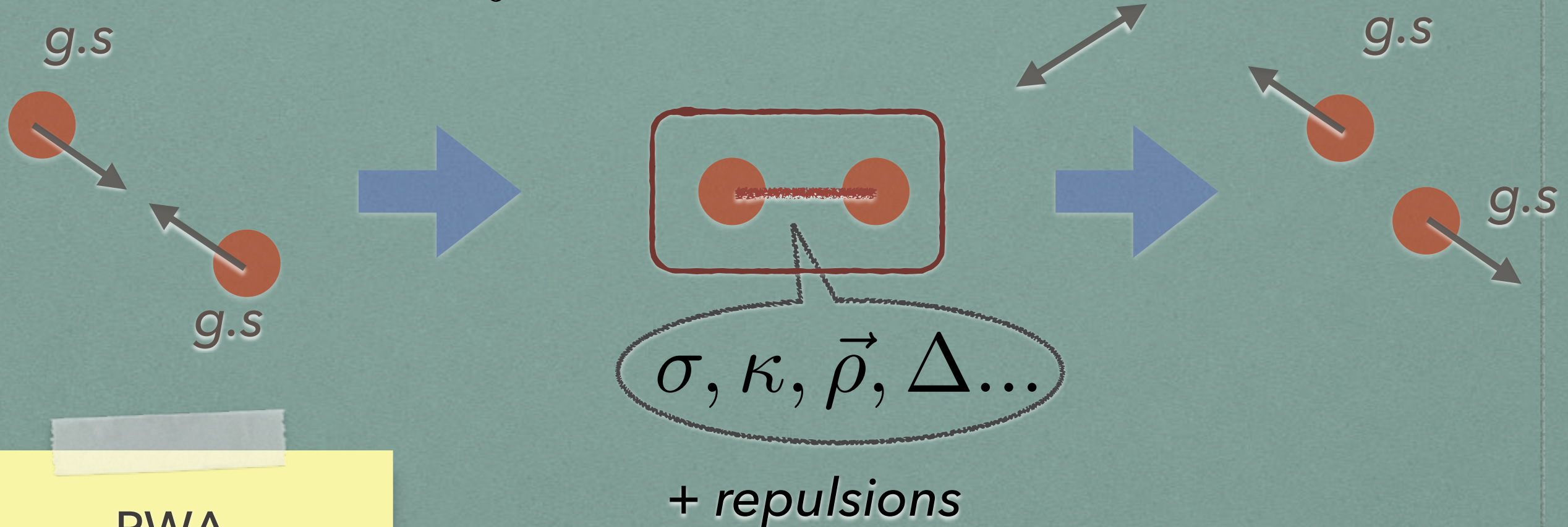
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S-MATRIX FORMULATION OF STATISTICAL MECHANICS

$$\Delta \ln Z = \int dE e^{-\beta E} \times \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \text{tr} (\delta_E) .$$



PWA

X

S-matrix thermo.

$$\delta \longrightarrow Q(M) \equiv \frac{1}{2} \text{Im} (\text{tr} \ln S)$$

Thermodynamics & Scattering

$$\Delta \ln Z = \int dE e^{-\beta E} \frac{1}{4\pi i} \text{tr} \left\{ S_E^{-1} \overleftrightarrow{\frac{\partial}{\partial E}} S_E \right\}_c$$

lousy derivation

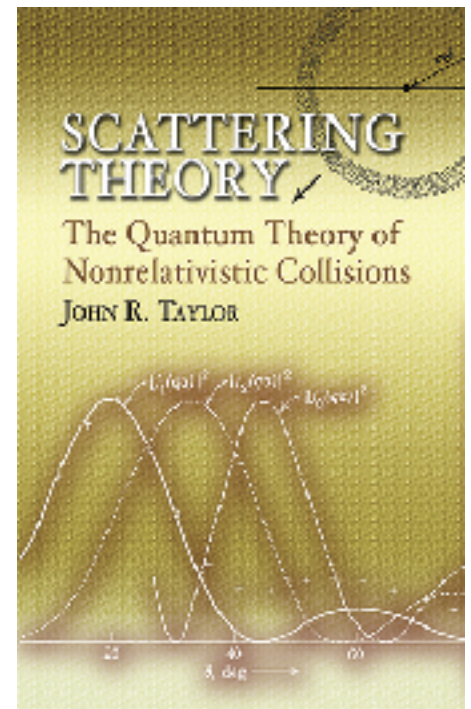
$$\text{tr} e^{-\beta \hat{H}} \rightarrow \int \frac{dE}{2\pi} e^{-\beta E} \text{tr} \underline{2\pi \delta(E - \hat{H})}$$

$$-2 \text{Im} \frac{1}{E - \hat{H} + i\delta} = \frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \ln \left(G^{*-1} G \right)$$

subtract the free part

$$-\frac{1}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \ln \left(G_0^{*-1} G_0 \right)$$

$$S_E = G_0^* G^{*-1} G G_0^{-1} \rightarrow I - 2\pi i \delta(E - \hat{H}_0) \times T_E$$



S-MATRIX FORMULATION OF STATISTICAL MECHANICS

thermo-statistical

dynamical



$$\Delta \ln Z = \int dE e^{-\beta E} \frac{1}{4\pi i} \text{tr} \left\{ S_E^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} S_E \right\}_c$$

- Separation of thermo & dynamics, unlike imaginary time FTFT
- Shift of burden: S-matrix elements
- Model Independence w scattering data
- Consistent way to include resonances + non-resonant effects
- Poles, Roots & Riemann sheets; Coupled-channel effects
- In-medium effects

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$$\text{tr}\{\dots\} \xLeftrightarrow{\text{QM}} \int d^3 q \, \langle q | \dots | q \rangle \xrightarrow{\text{N-body}} \int (d k) \, \langle k_1 k_2 | \dots | k_1 k_2 \rangle \xLeftrightarrow{\text{QFT}}$$

Fock Space Expansion

$$\int (d k) (\dots) \rightarrow \int \frac{d^3 p_1}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_1} \frac{d^3 p_2}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_2} (\dots)$$

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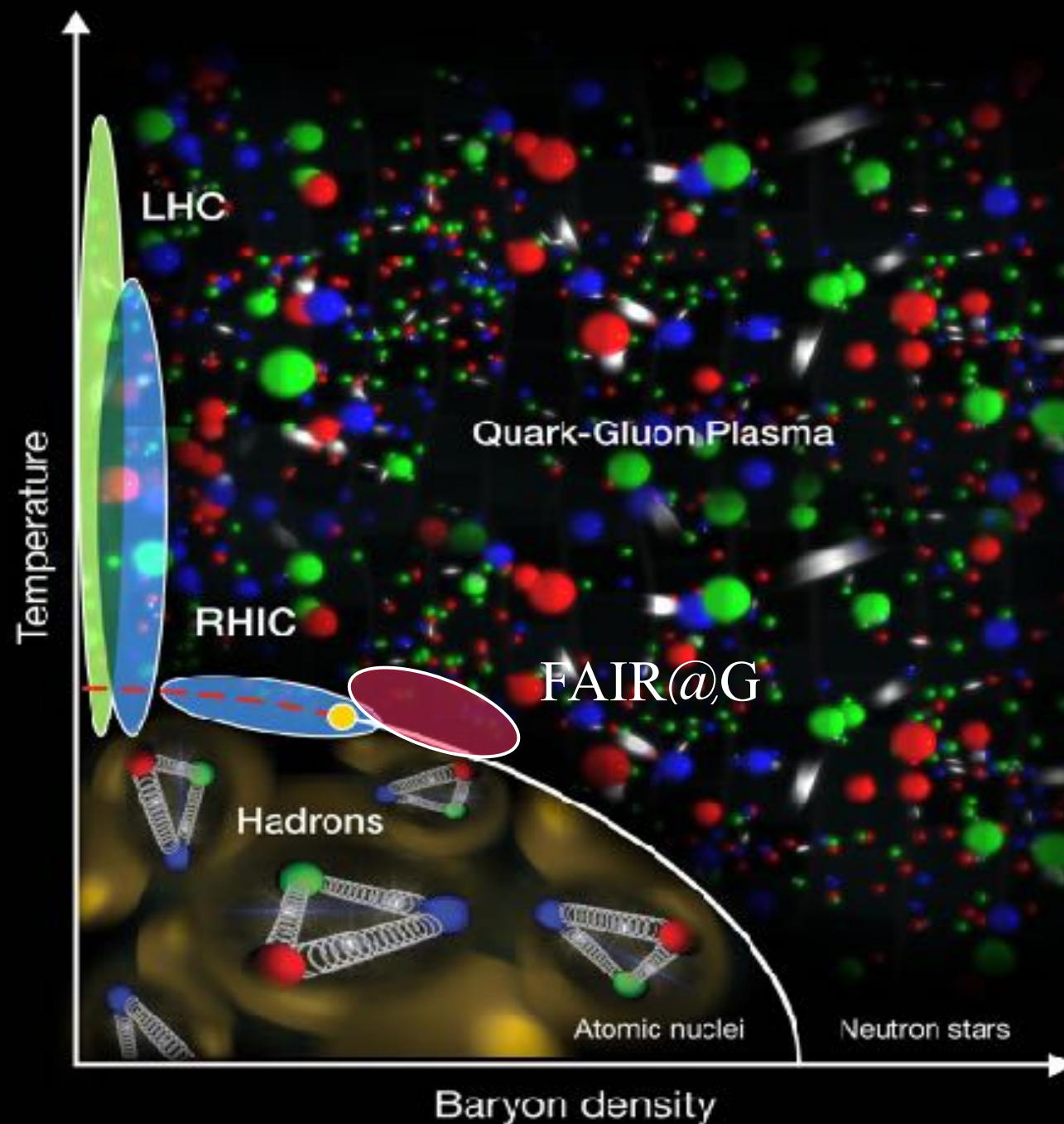
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***completeness assumption:
via asymptotic states***

$$b_{\pi\pi} \xi_\pi^2 + b_{\pi K} \xi_\pi \xi_K + b_{\pi N} \xi_\pi \xi_N + b_{\pi\eta} \xi_\pi \xi_\eta + b_{K\bar{K}} \xi_K \xi_{\bar{K}} + \dots$$

$$b_{\pi N} = 2 \times b_{\pi N}^{I=1/2} + 4 \times b_{\pi N}^{I=3/2} \quad \text{orbital } L: \\ S, P, D, F, \text{ etc..}$$

S-MATRIX FORMULATION OF STATISTICAL MECHANICS



dynamical



$$\left\{ S_E^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} S_E \right\}_c$$

completeness assumption:
asymptotic states

$$\pi\eta\xi\pi\xi\eta + b_{K\bar{K}}\xi_K\xi_{\bar{K}} + \dots$$

$$- 4 \times b_{\pi N}^{I=3/2} \quad \text{orbital } L: \\ S, P, D, F, \text{ etc..}$$

S-M
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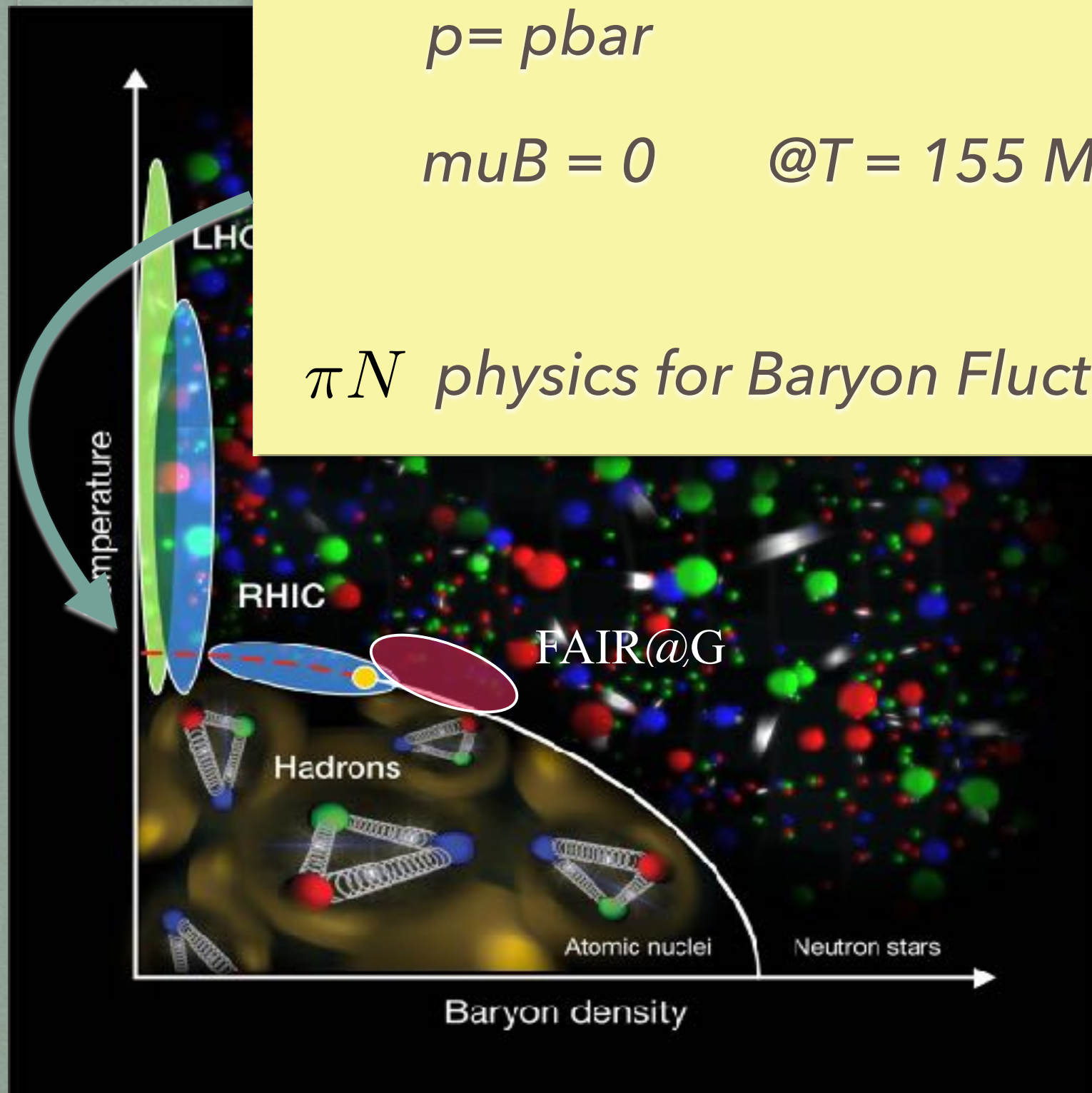
LHC conditions

$$\langle \pi \rangle / \langle p \rangle \approx 15$$

$$p = p_{\text{bar}}$$

$$\mu_B = 0 \quad @T = 155 \text{ MeV}$$

πN physics for Baryon Fluctns



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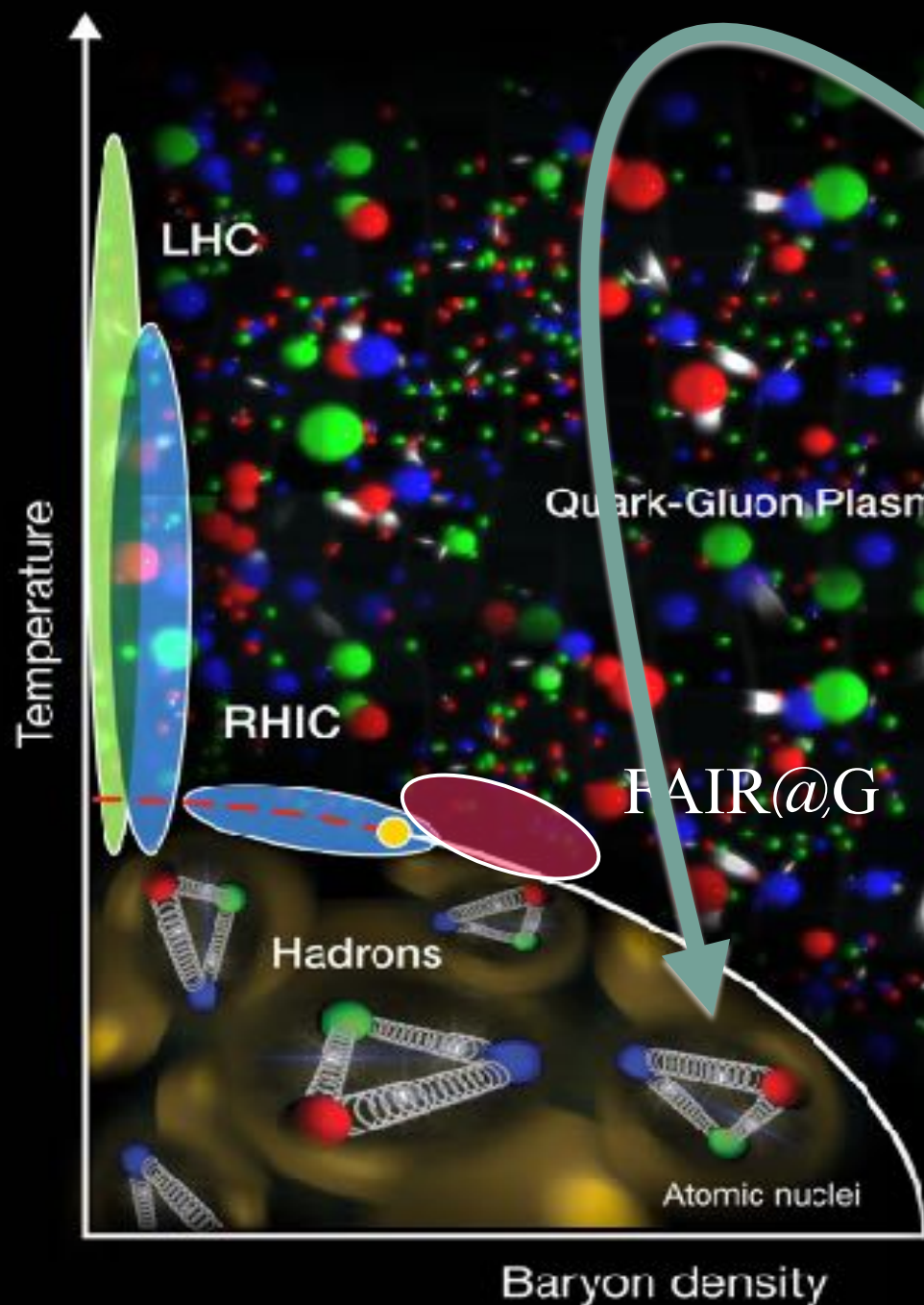
$$\left. \begin{matrix} \bar{E} S_E \\ c \end{matrix} \right\}$$

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S-MATRIX FORMULATION OF STATISTICAL MECHANICS



dynamical



$$r \left\{ S_E^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} S_E \right\}_c$$

NN guesstimate

$$a_S = 20 \text{ fm}$$

$$r \approx 0.0727 \quad \text{LHC}$$

$$r \approx 0.36 \quad \text{HADES}$$

$$r \approx 1.92$$

$$T = 60 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\mu_B = 700, 800 \text{ MeV}$$

HOW TO RELATE PHASE SHIFTS TO THERMODYNAMICS?

thermo-statistical

dynamical

$$\Delta \ln Z = \int dE e^{-\beta E} \frac{1}{4\pi i} \text{tr} \left\{ S_E^{-1} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} S_E \right\}_c$$

single channel, elastic

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \frac{d}{dE} \delta$$

N-body &

Coupled-Channel problem

multi (coupled) channel

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \frac{d}{dE} Q$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= \frac{1}{2} \text{Im Tr } \ln S \\ &= \sum_{\text{channels}} \lambda_i \end{aligned}$$

REPULSION AND RESONANCES

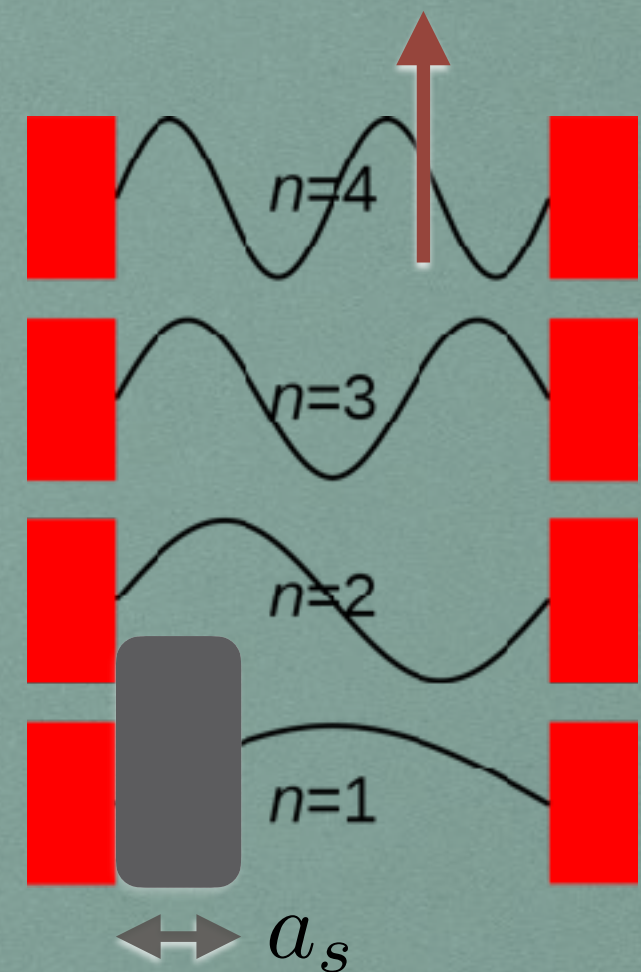
PHASE SHIFT AND DENSITY OF STATES

particle in a box

$$\psi \sim \sin(k^{(0)}x) \quad k^{(0)} = \frac{n\pi}{L}$$

in the presence of a scattering potential

$$\psi \sim \sin(kx + \delta(k))$$



density of states

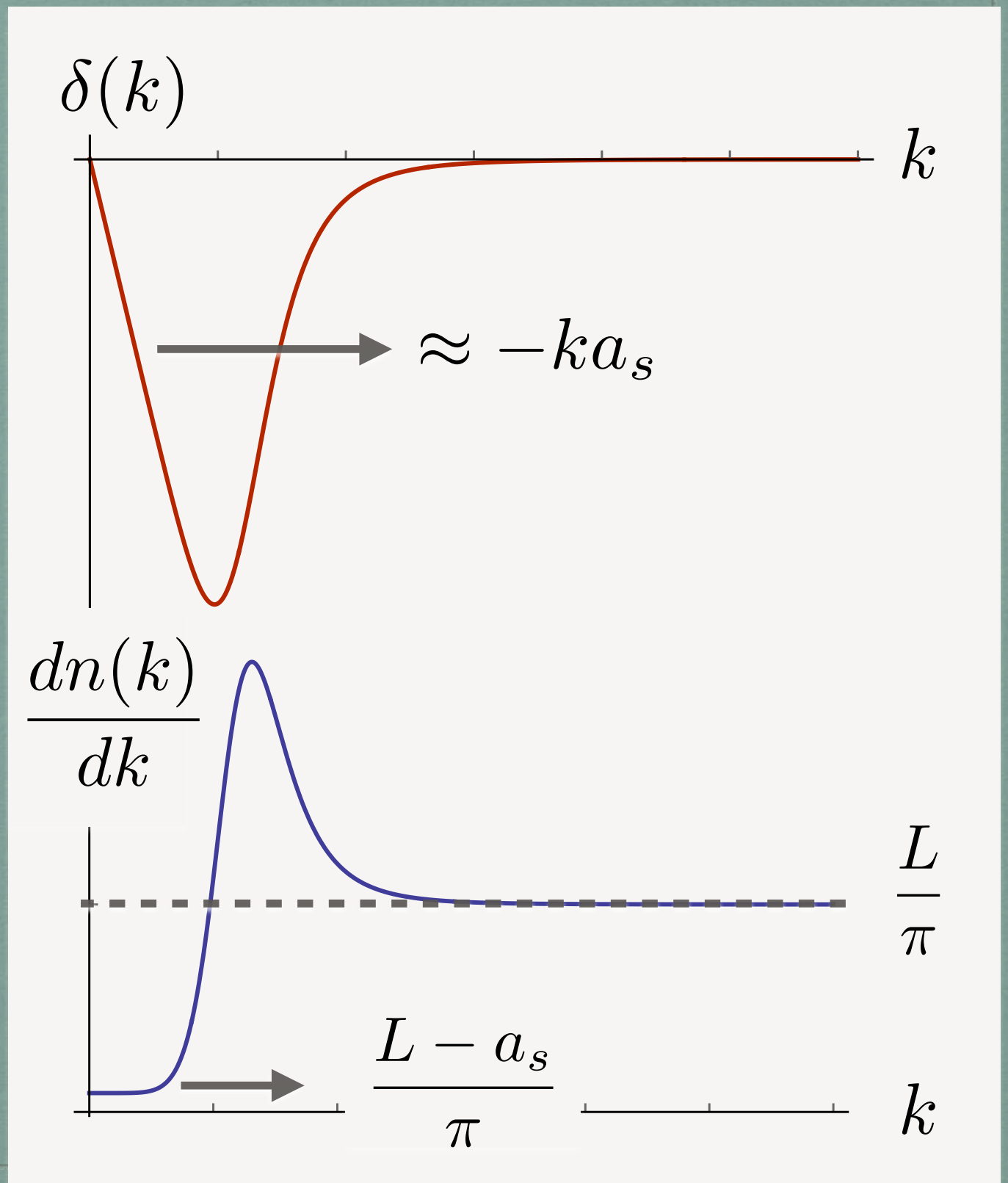
$$kL + \delta(k) = n\pi \quad \longrightarrow \quad \frac{dn(k)}{dk} = \frac{L}{\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{d\delta}{dk}$$

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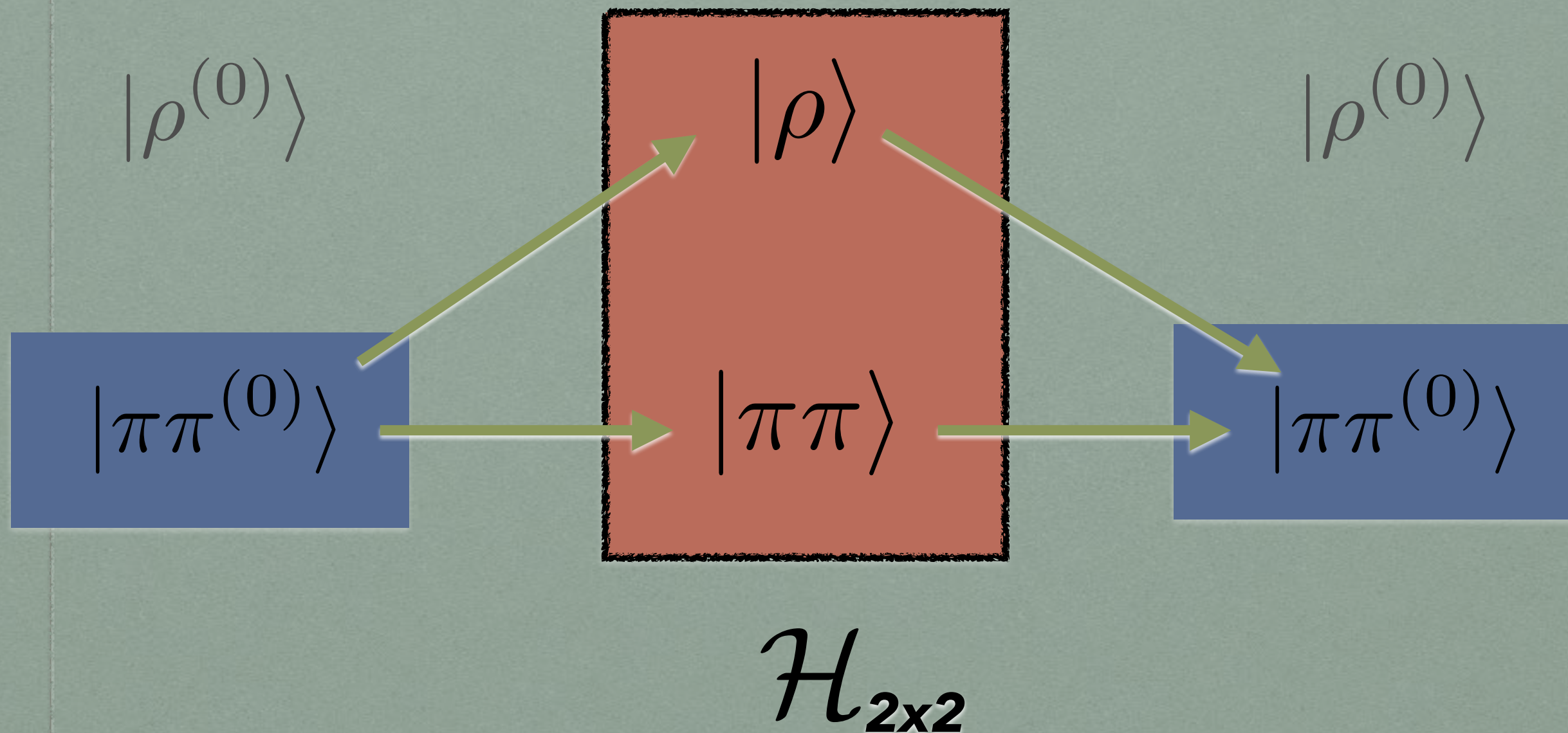
*change in d.o.s.
due to int.*

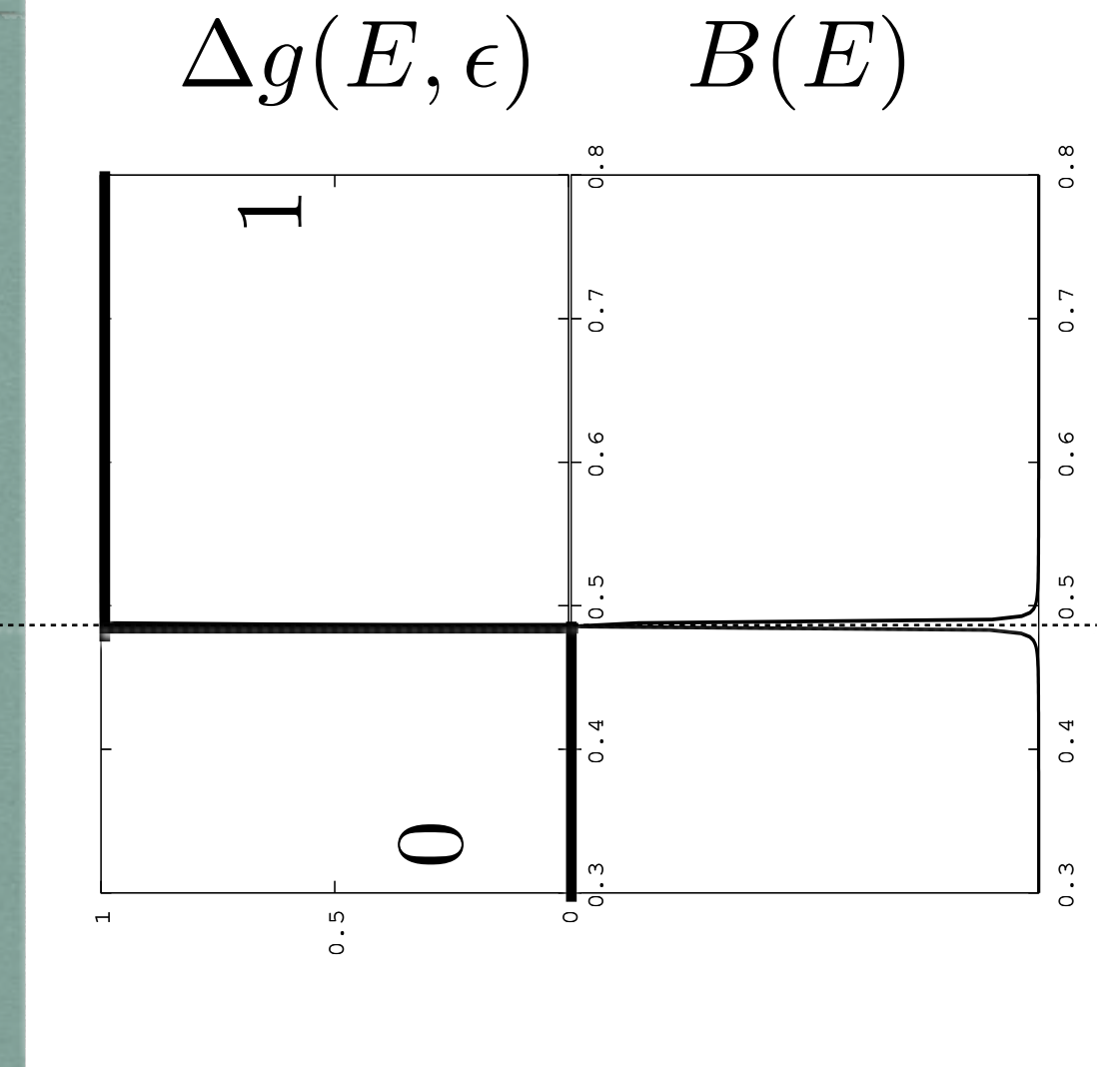
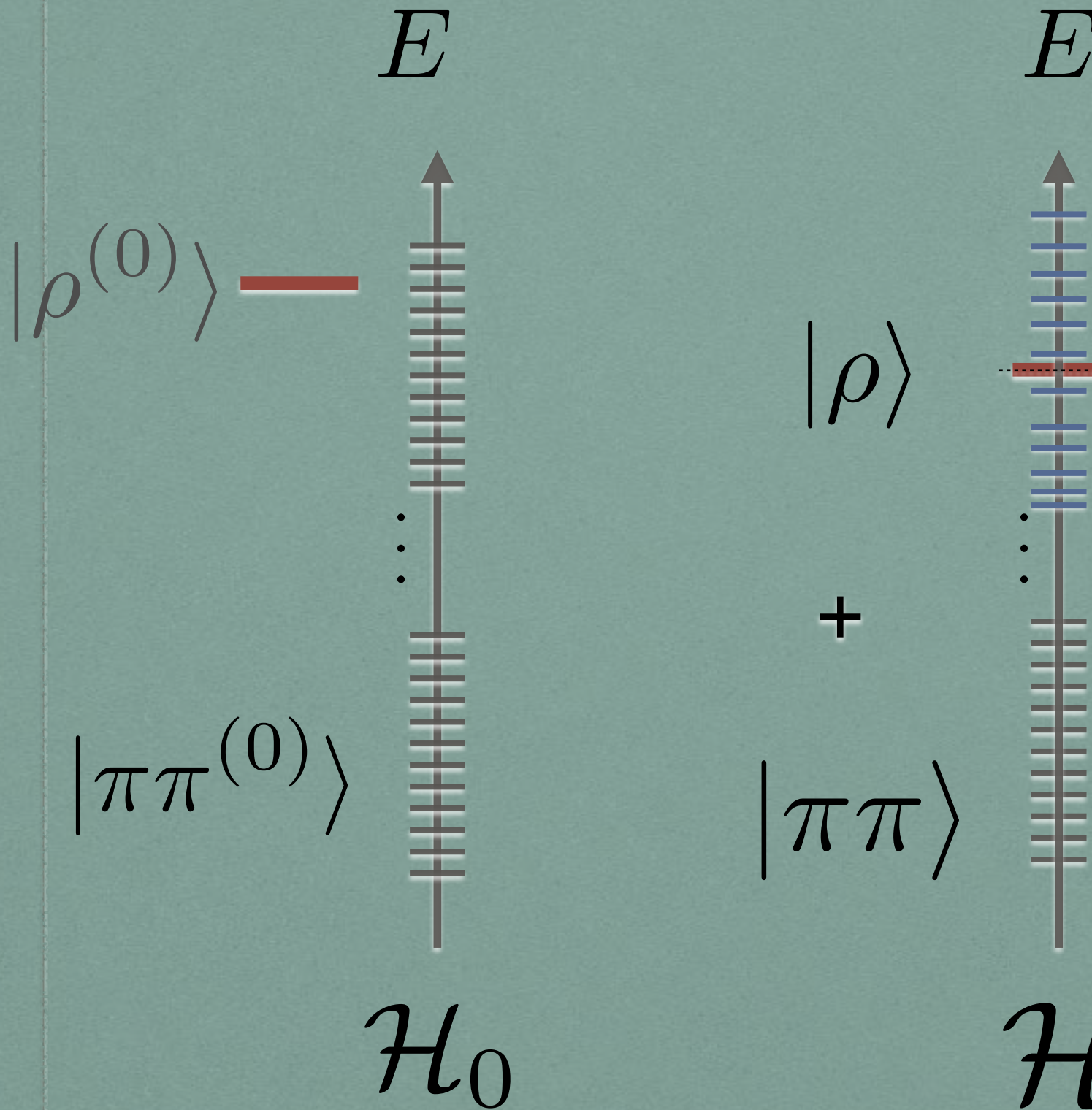
Effect of repulsive
interaction:
pushing states from low k
to high k



phase shift and d.o.s. (schematics)

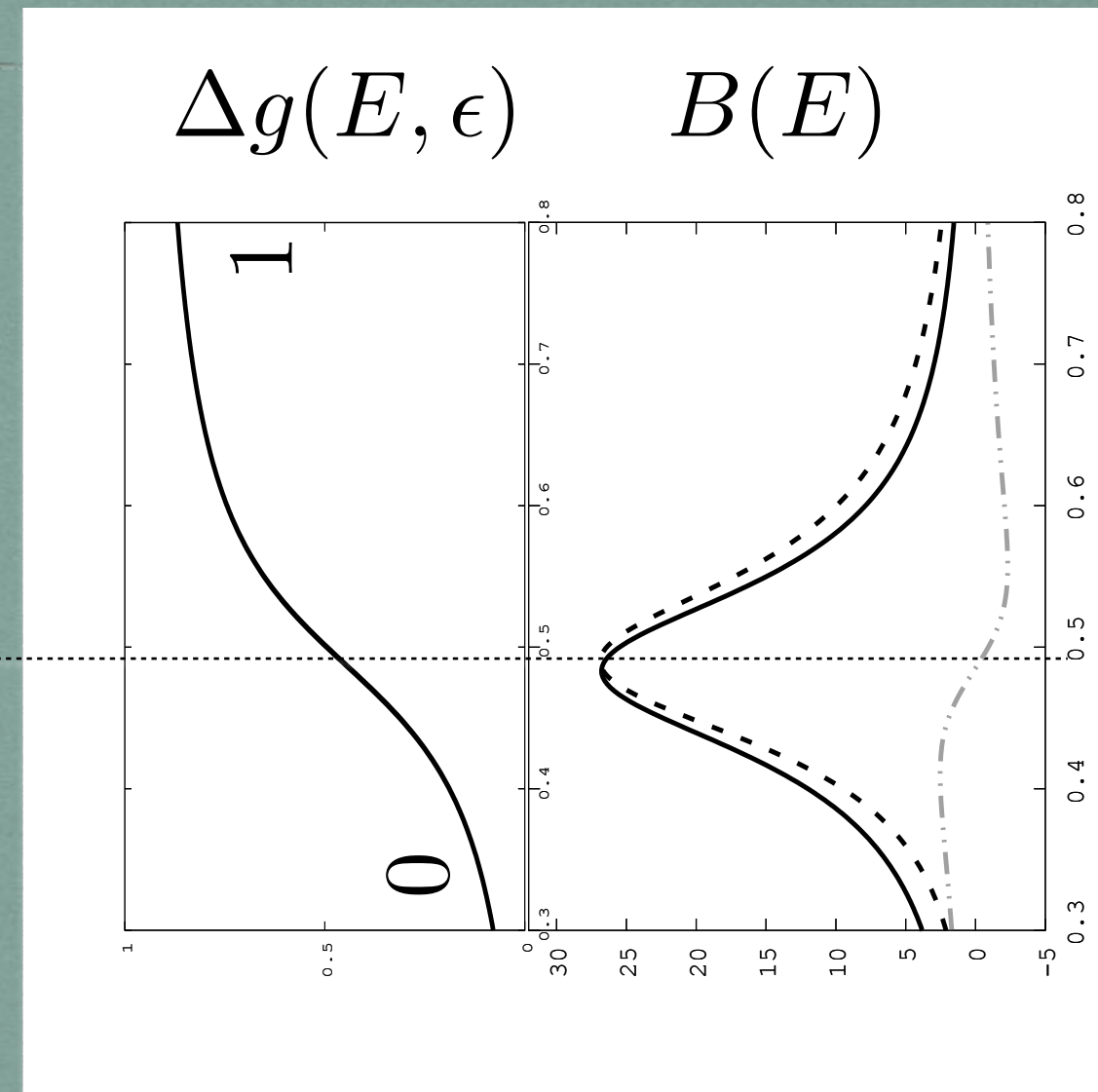
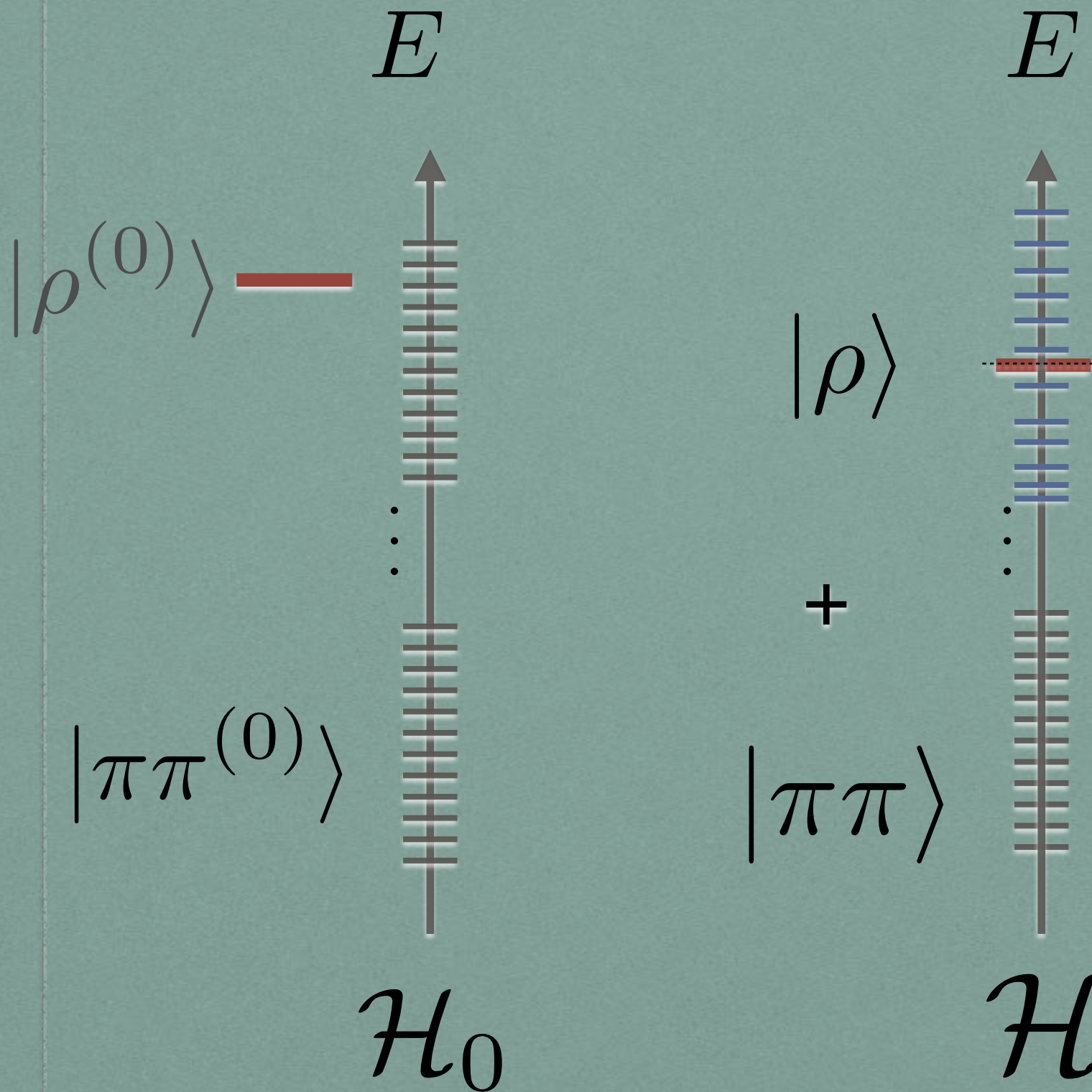
SCATTERING THEORY VS HAMILTONIAN (LEE MODEL)





$$g(E, \epsilon) = \sum_n \theta_\epsilon(E - E_n)$$

$$B(E) = 2\pi \frac{d}{dE} \Delta g(E, \epsilon)$$



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$$\text{Tr } e^{-\beta \mathcal{H}_0} \quad \text{vs} \quad \text{Tr } e^{-\beta \mathcal{H}} = A_\rho + \Delta A_{\pi\pi}$$

PHYSICS OF B

$$\delta = -\text{Im Tr ln } G_{\rho}^{-1}$$

$$B = 2 \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \delta$$

$$= -2 \text{Im} \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \ln G_{\rho}^{-1}$$

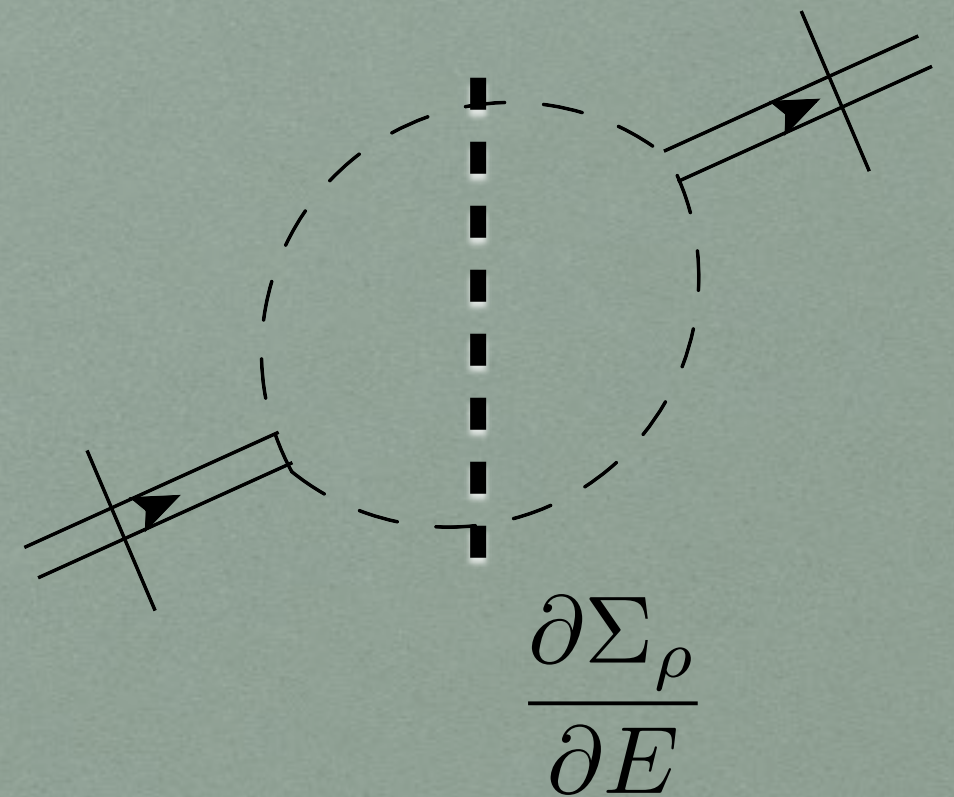
$$= -2 \text{Im}[G_{\rho}](2E) + 2 \text{Im}\left[\frac{\partial \Sigma_{\rho}}{\partial E} G_{\rho}\right]$$

$$= A_{\rho}(E) + \Delta A_{\pi\pi}$$

$$-\frac{\partial}{\partial E} \int d\phi_E T_{\text{re}} \quad \text{pipi} \rightarrow \text{pipi}$$

physical interpretation:

*contribution from
correlated pi pi pair*



PHYSICS OF B

to rho or not to rho?
that's OUT of the question!

resonance's picture:

$$B(E) = A_\rho(E) + \Delta A_{\pi\pi}$$

rho

scattering picture:

$$B_1 = \frac{\partial}{\partial E} \text{Tr } \hat{t}_{\text{re}}$$

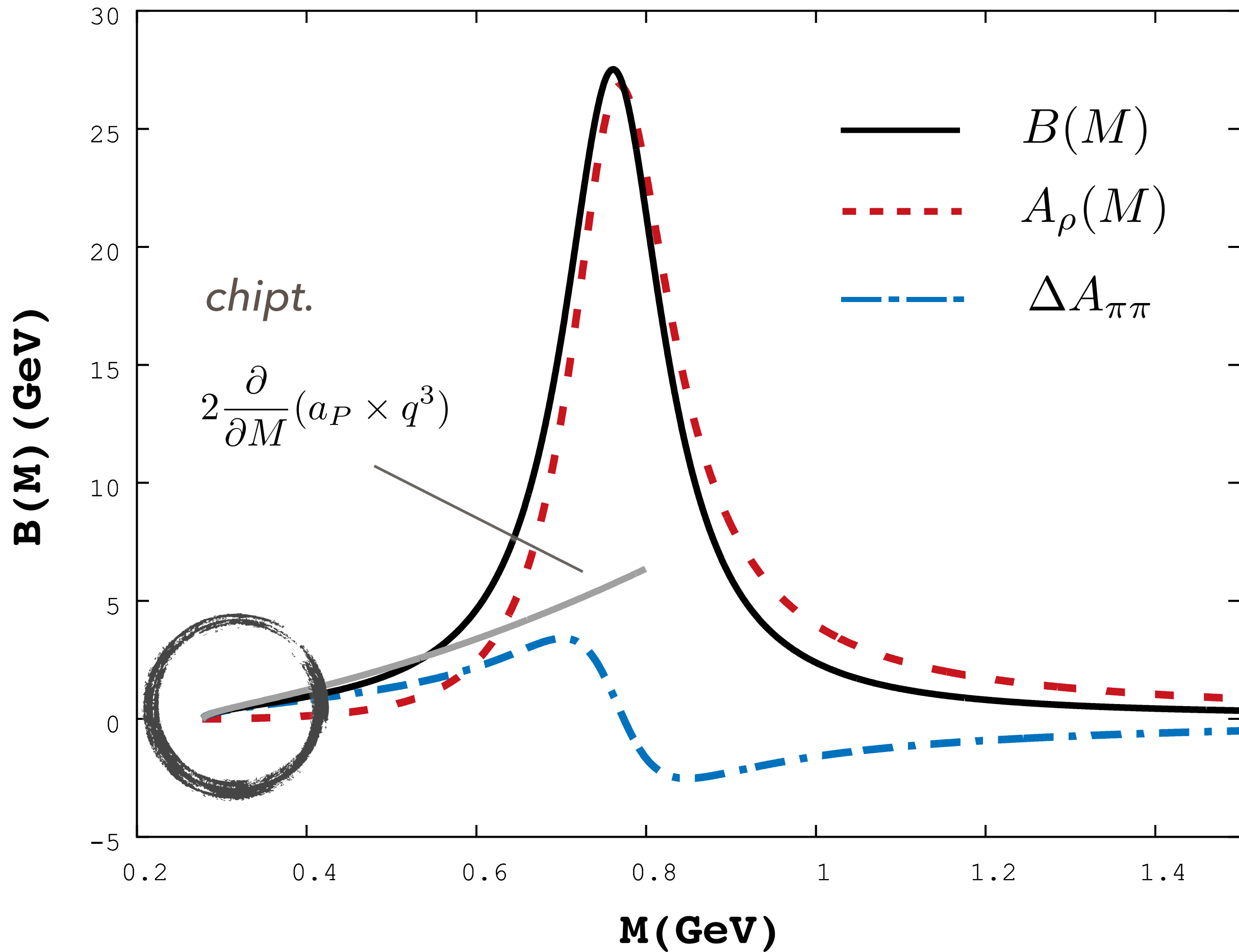
pipi -> pipi

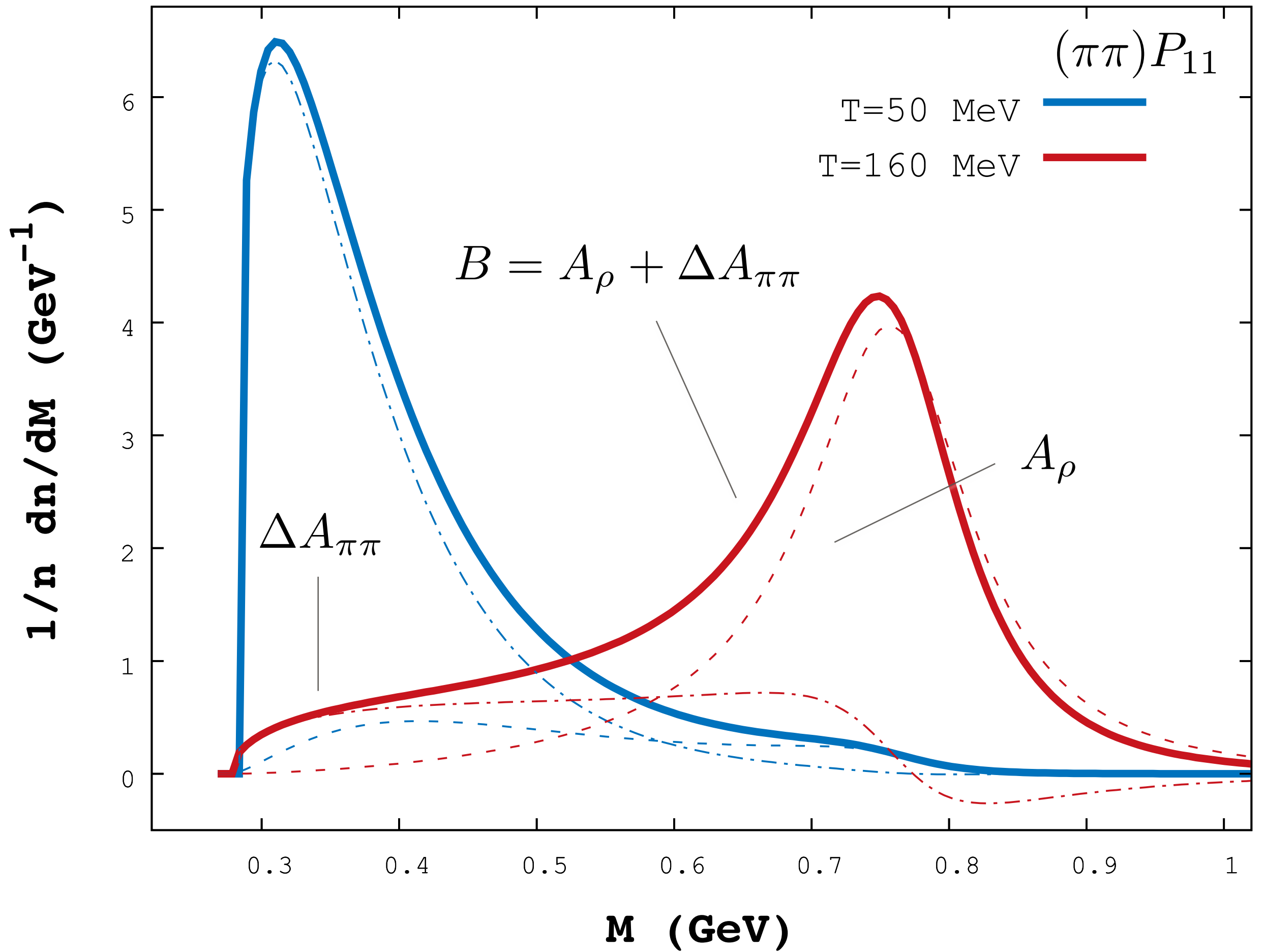
$$B_2 = \frac{1}{2} \text{Im Tr } \hat{t}^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{\partial_E} \hat{t}$$

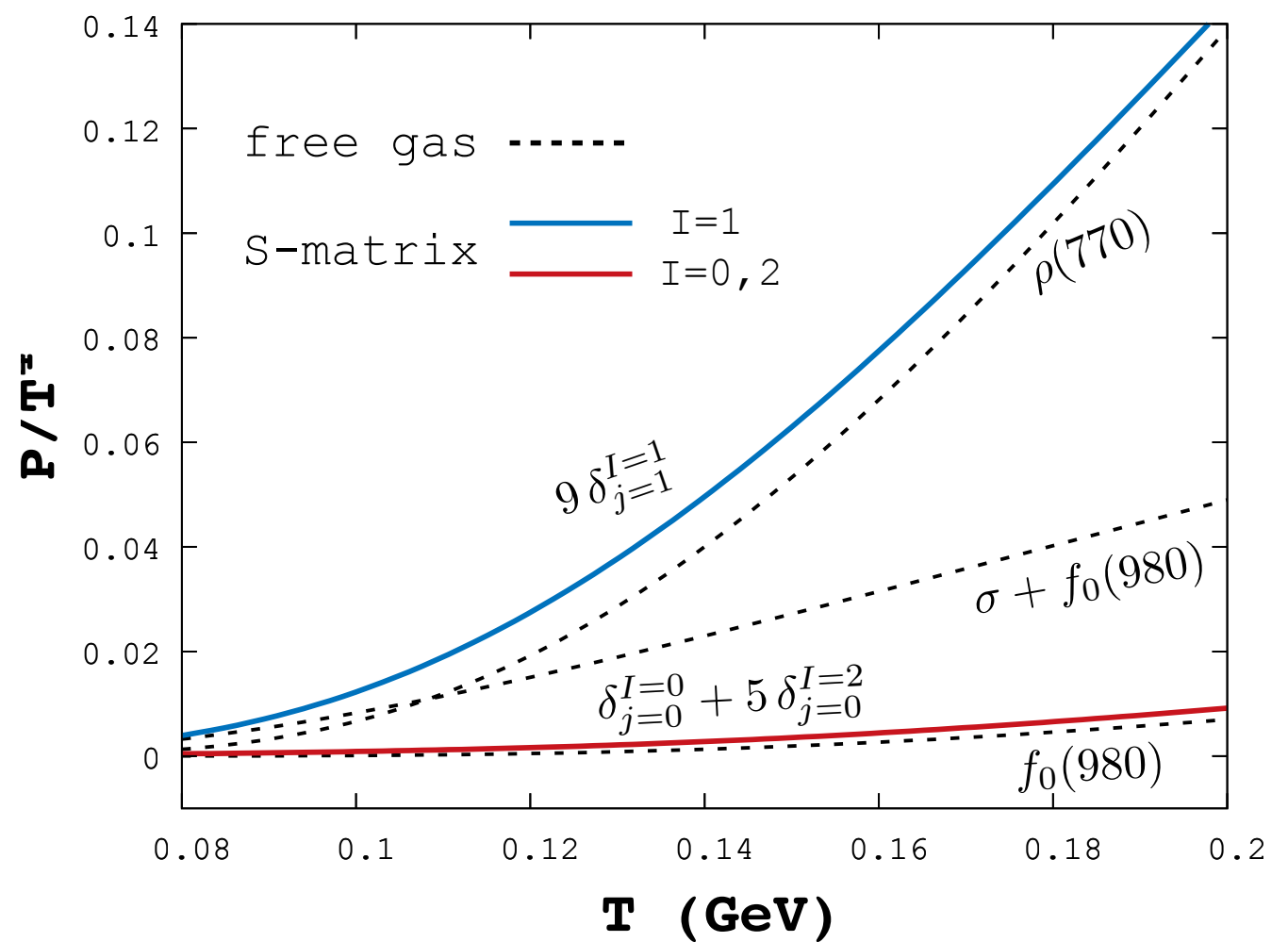
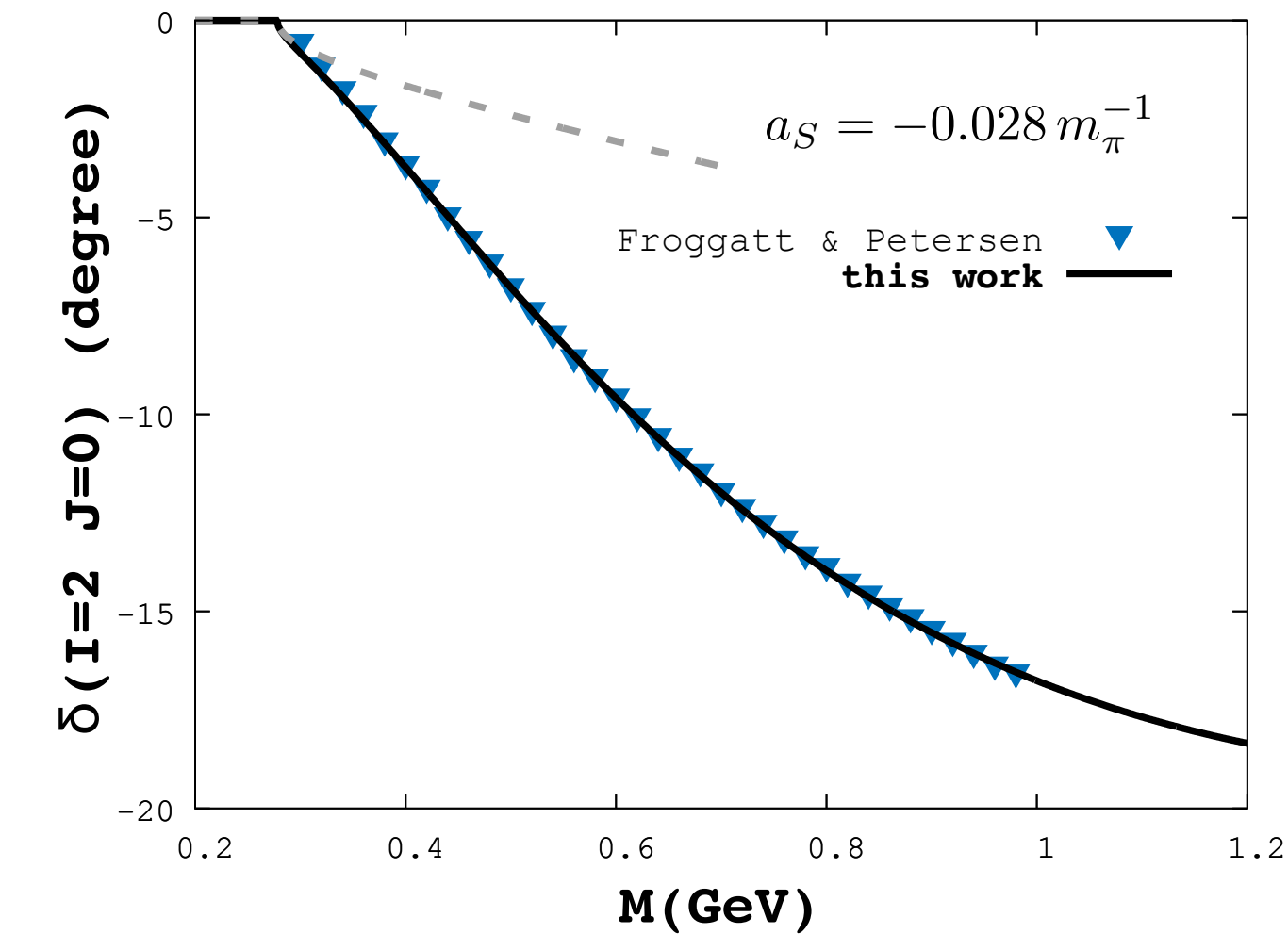
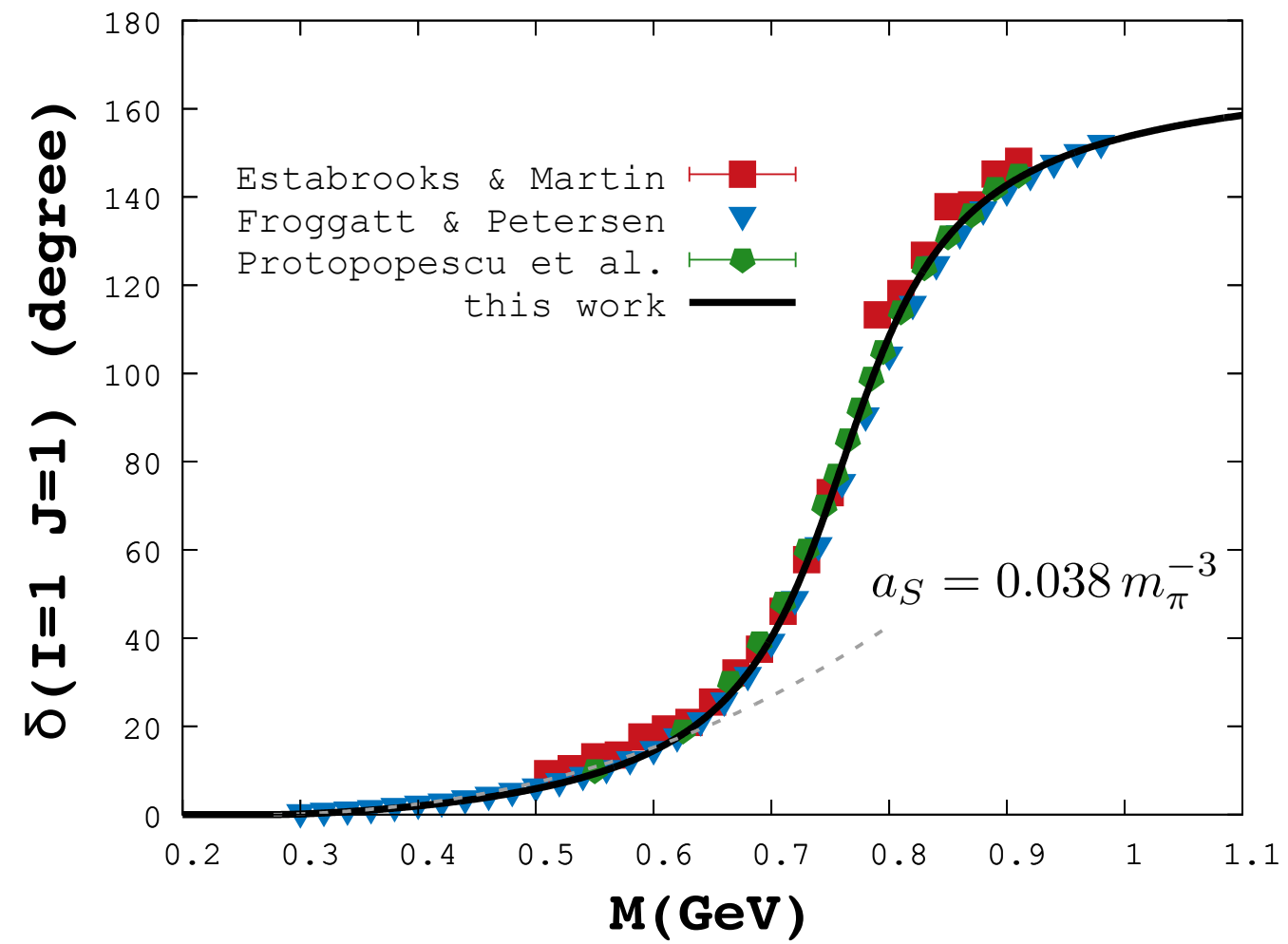
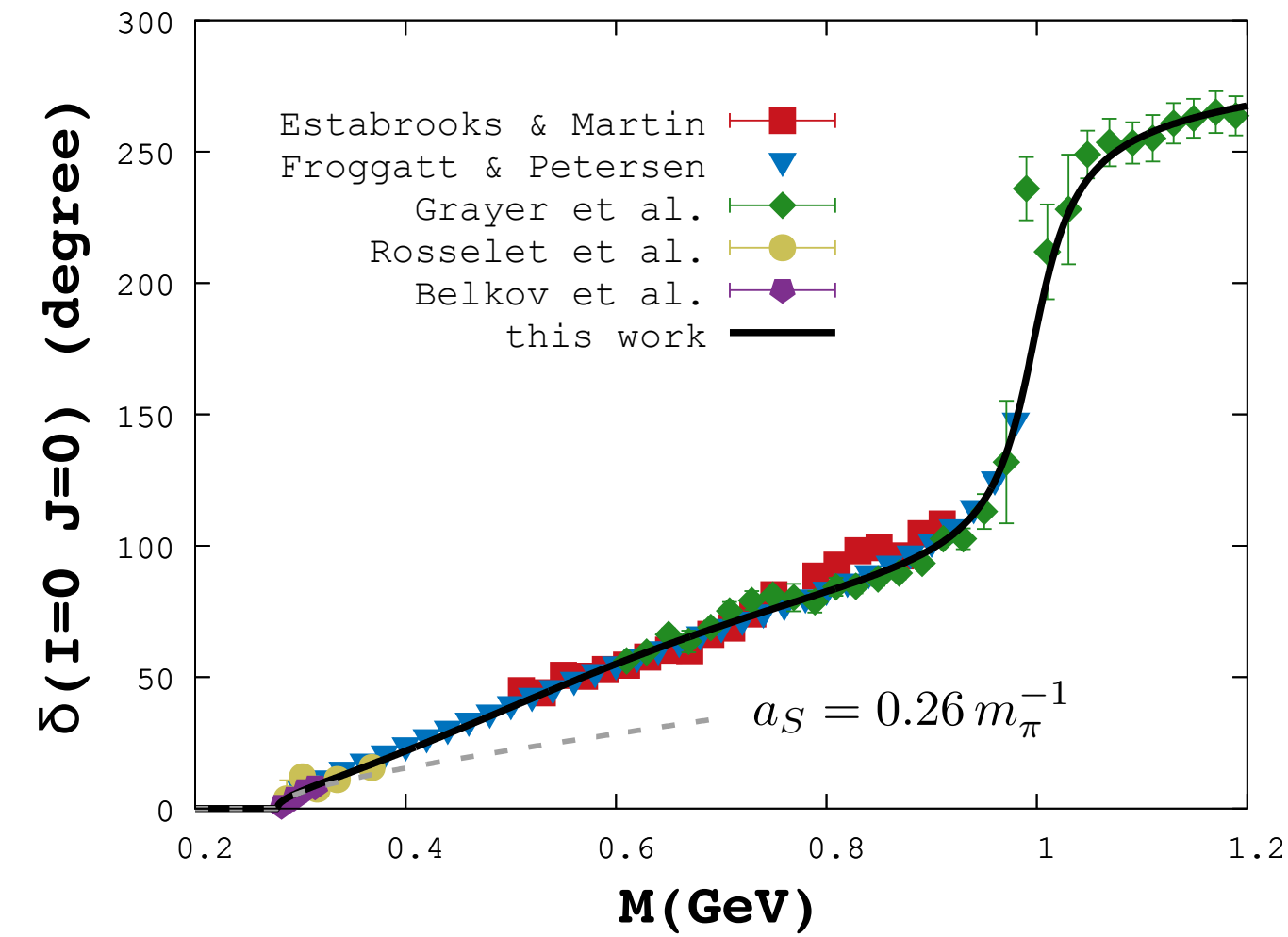
$$= A_\rho(E) + \Delta A_{\pi\pi}$$

$$-\frac{\partial}{\partial E} \int d\phi_E T_{\text{re}} \quad \text{pipi} \rightarrow \text{pipi}$$

$$\frac{\partial \Sigma_\rho}{\partial E}$$







THE S-MATRIX PROGRAM

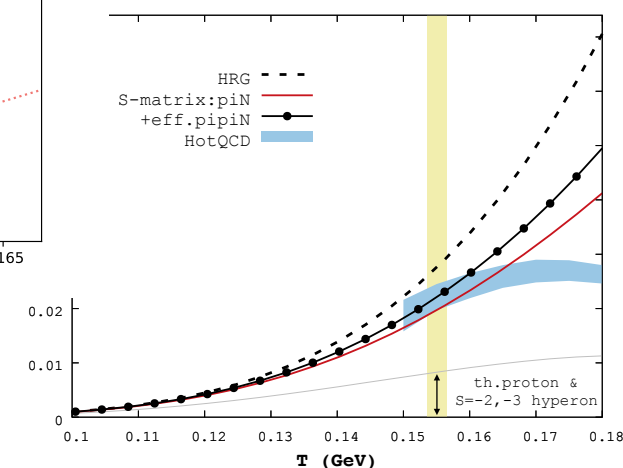
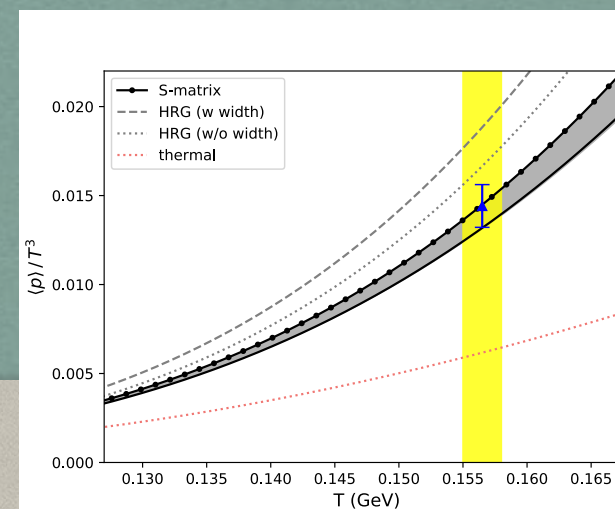
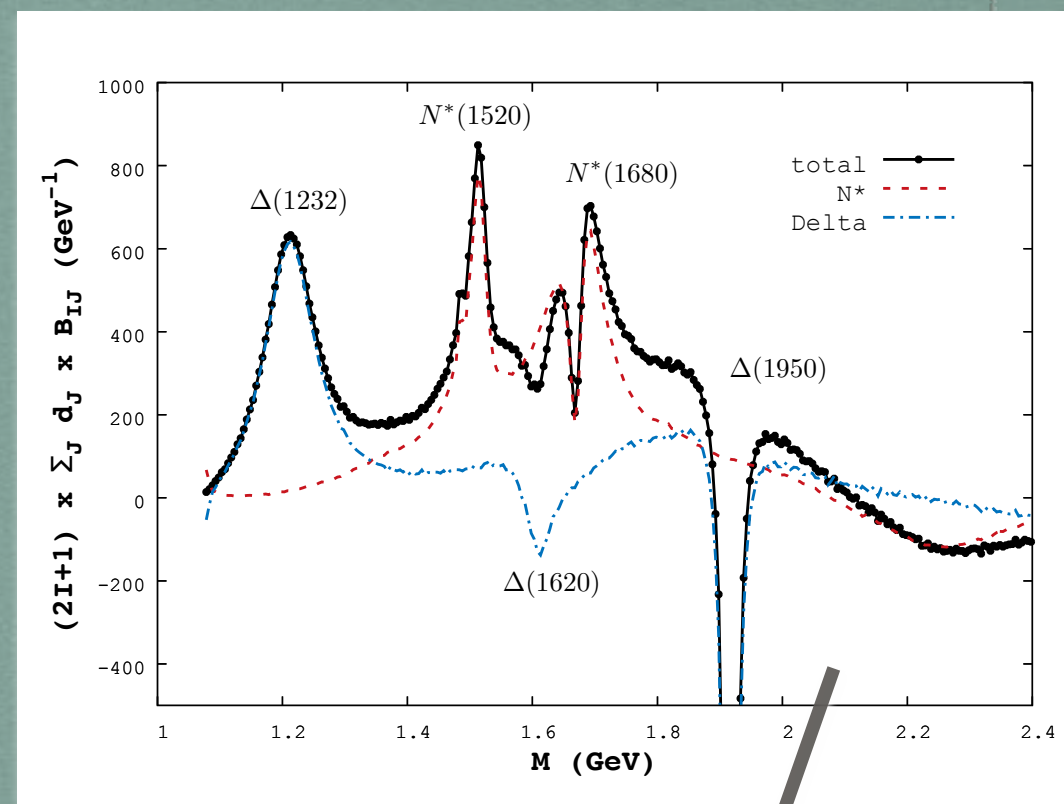
step 1: build a model for S-matrix

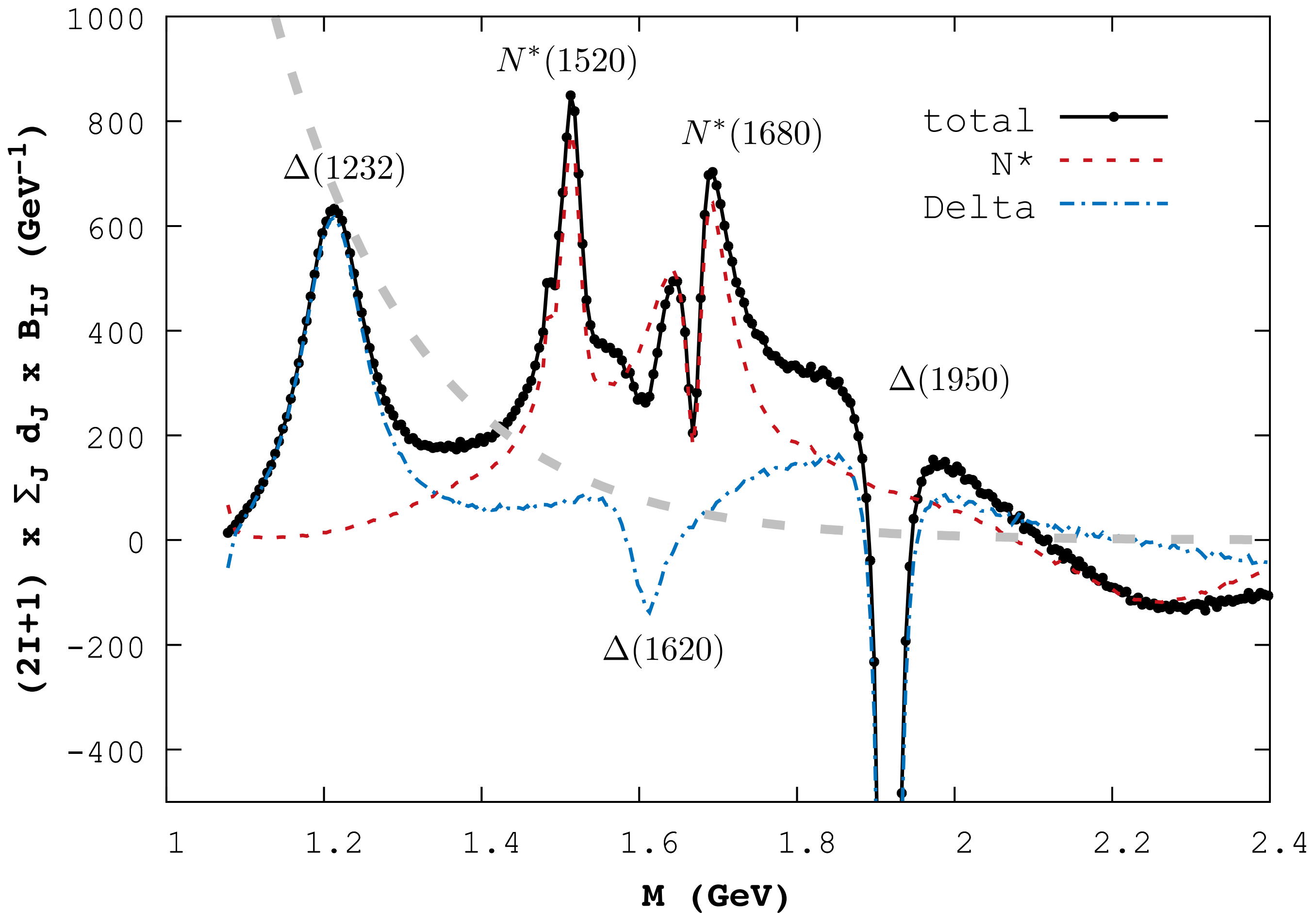
step 2: adjust model parameters to match scattering experiments

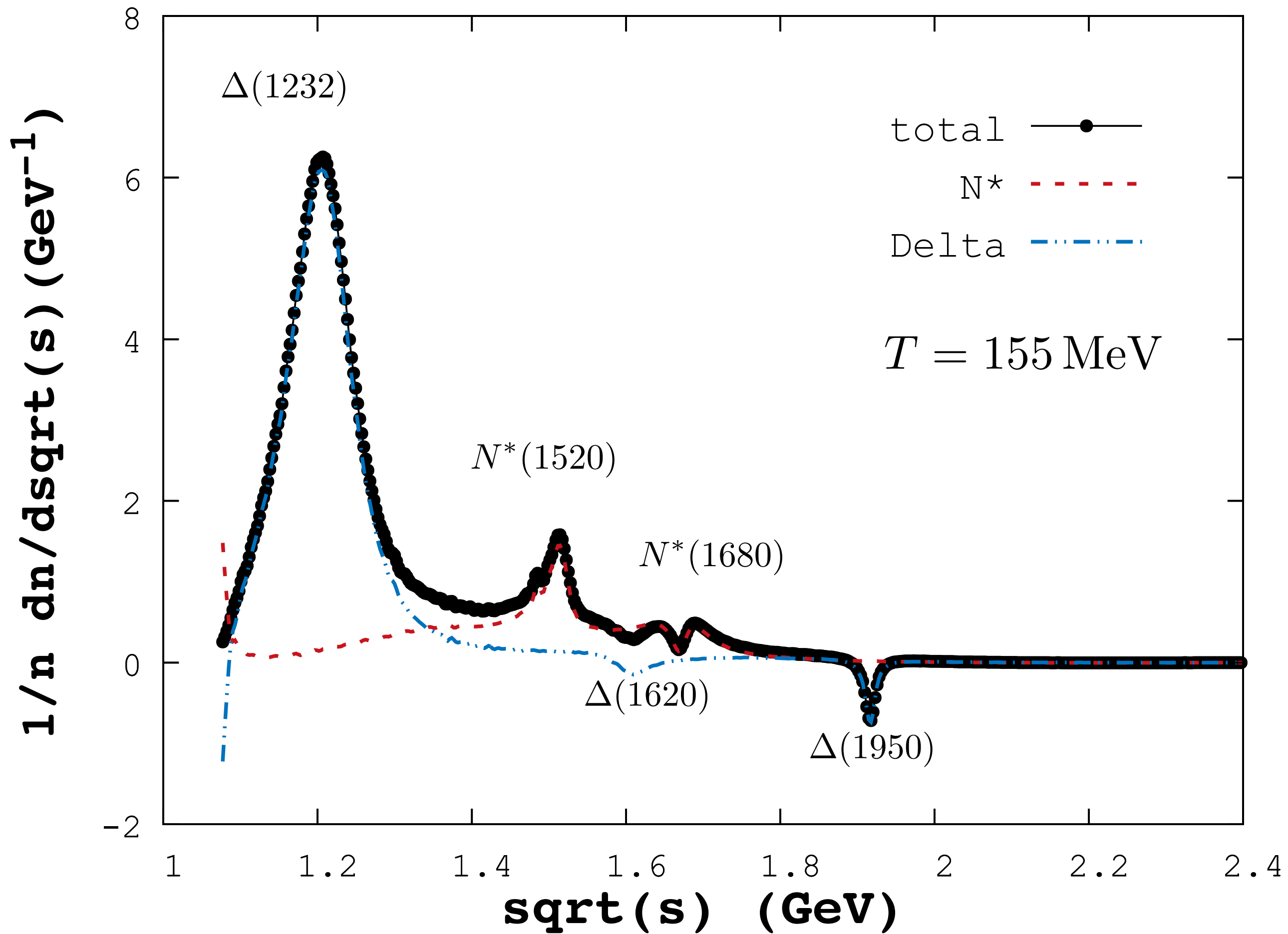
broad resonances & thresholds
coupled channel effects
energy dependent branchings

step 3: compute thermodynamics

HICs & LQCD







S = -1 HYPERONS COUPLED CHANNEL SYSTEM

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PHASE SHIFT FROM PWA

Coupled Channels partial wave calculator for KN scattering

by the Joint Physics Analysis Center (JPAC)

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- $1 \rightarrow \bar{K}N,$

- $2 \rightarrow \pi\Sigma,$

- $3 \rightarrow \pi\Lambda,$

- $4 \rightarrow \eta\Lambda,$

- $5 \rightarrow \eta\Sigma,$

- $6 \rightarrow \bar{K}_1N,$

- $7 \rightarrow [\bar{K}_3N]_-,$

- $8 \rightarrow [\bar{K}_3N]_+,$

- $9 \rightarrow [\pi\Sigma^*]_-,$

- $10 \rightarrow [\pi\Sigma^*]_+,$

- $11 \rightarrow [\bar{K}\Delta]_-,$

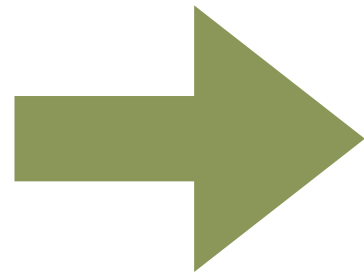
- $12 \rightarrow [\bar{K}\Delta]_+,$

- $13 \rightarrow [\pi\Lambda(1520)]_-,$

- $14 \rightarrow [\pi\Lambda(1520)]_+,$

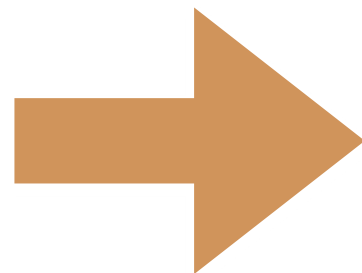
- $15 \rightarrow \pi\pi\Lambda,$

- $16 \rightarrow \pi\pi\Sigma.$

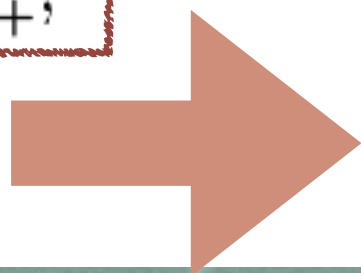


elastic scatterings (elementary)

Effective elementarity



quasi elastic scatterings



unitarity background

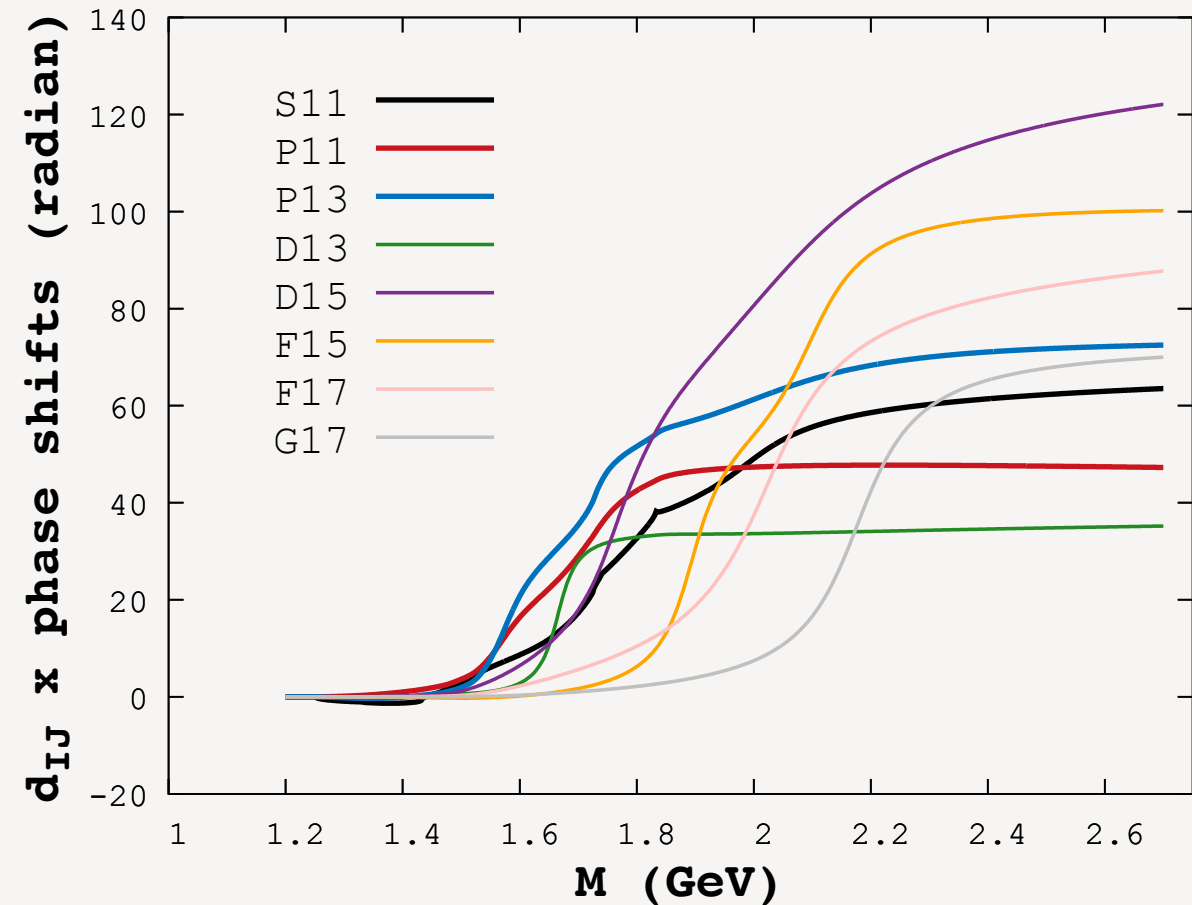
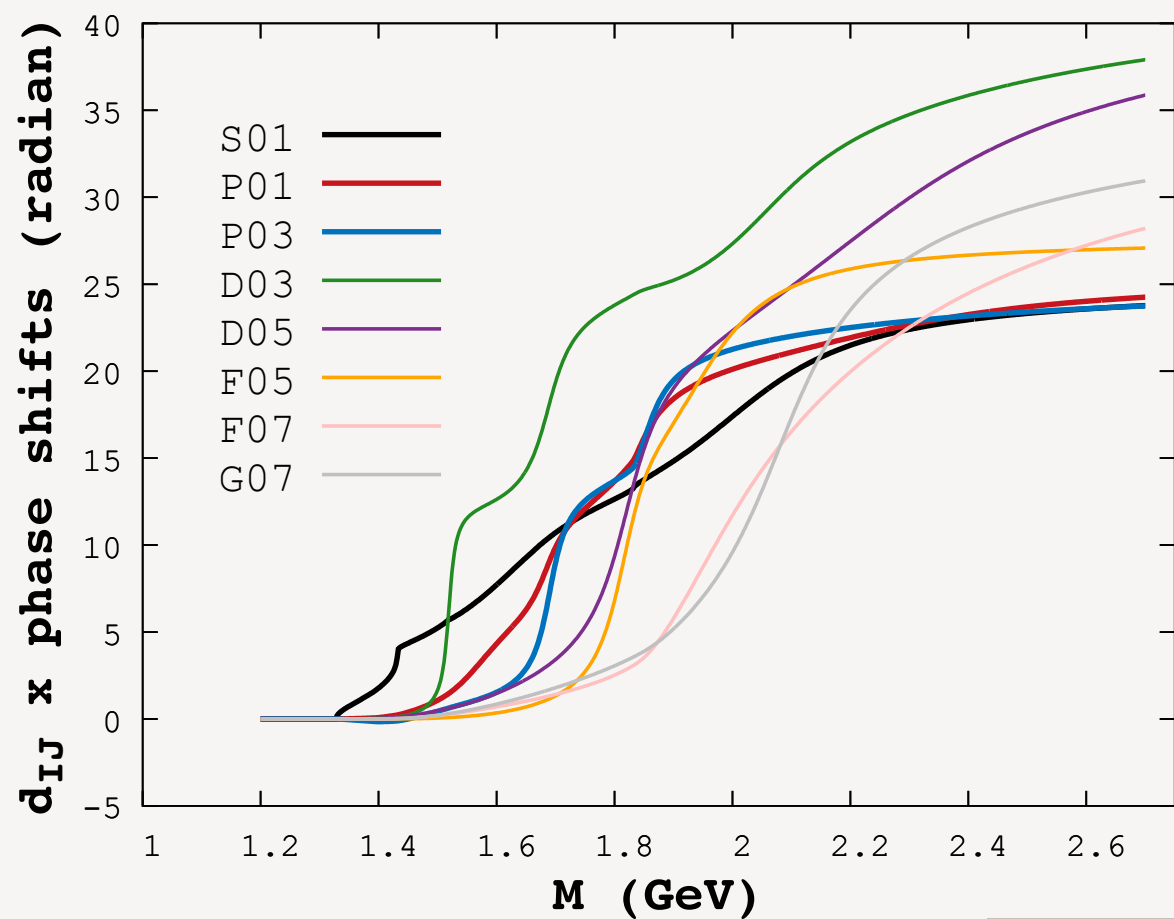
STRANGENESS CONTENT IN A HADRON GAS

- K-N system requires a coupled channel analysis

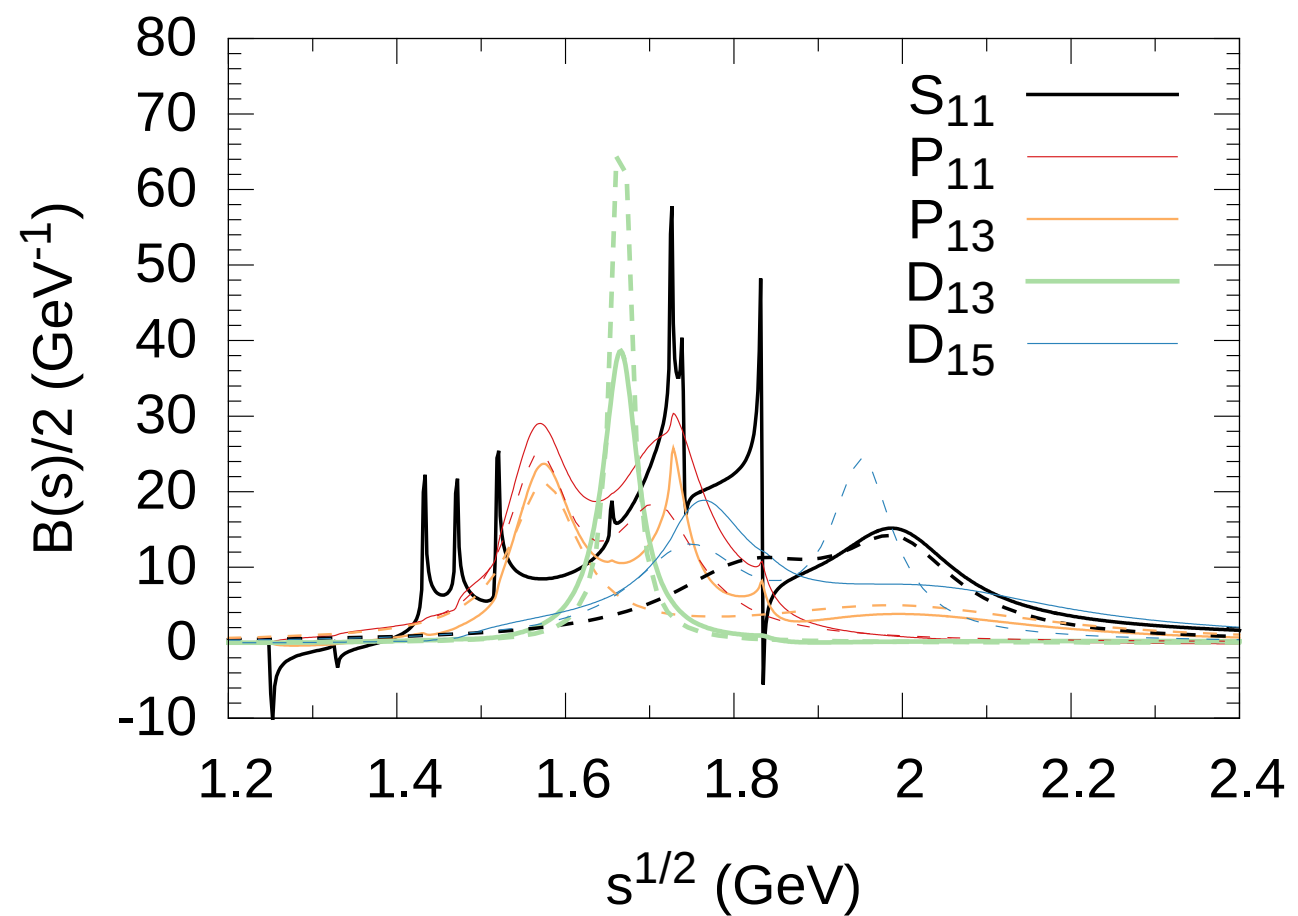
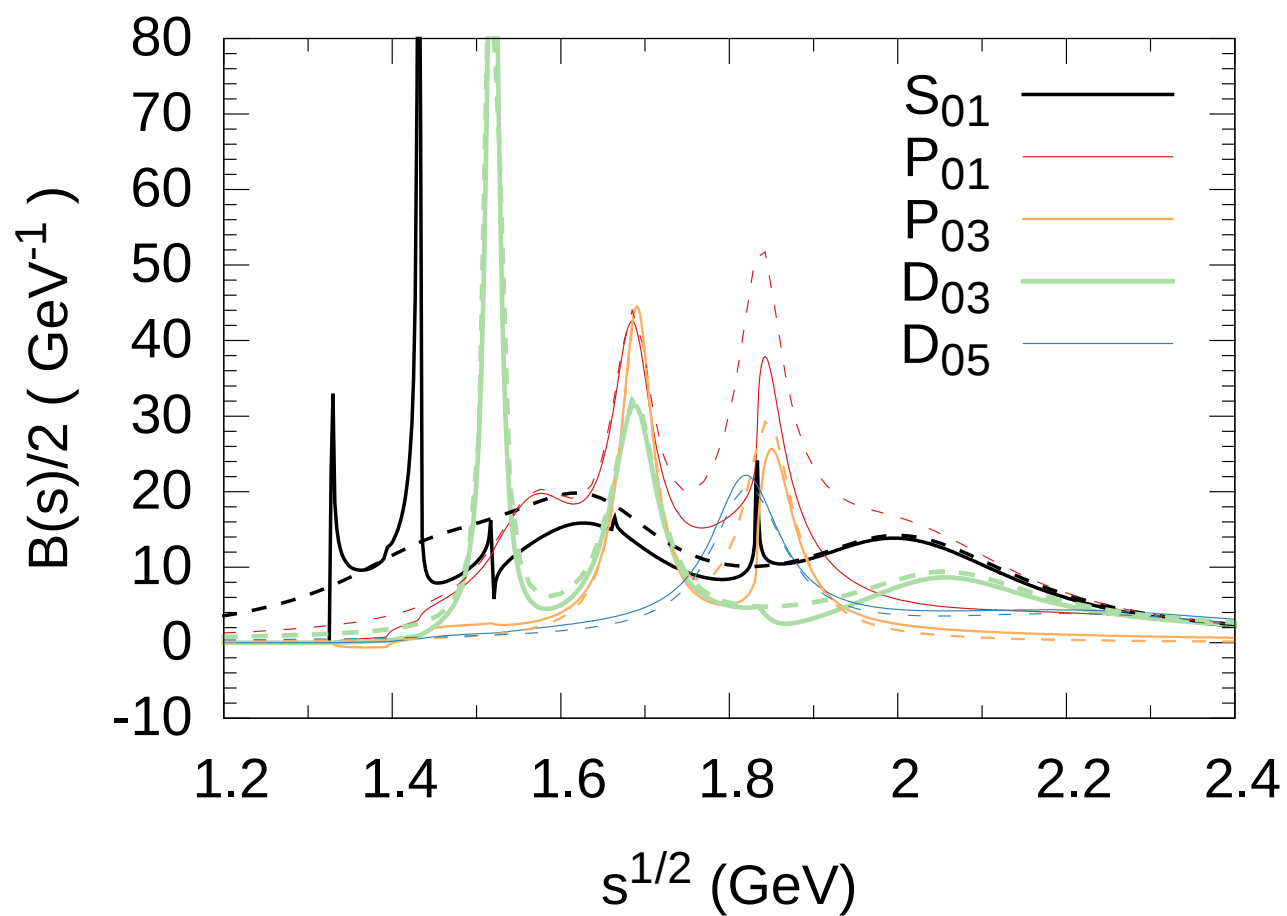
$$|\bar{K}N\rangle, |\pi\Sigma\rangle, |\pi\Lambda\rangle, |\eta\Lambda\rangle, \dots \quad 16 \text{ basis states}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(M) &\equiv \frac{1}{2} \text{Im} (\text{tr} \ln S) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \text{Im} (\ln \det [S]) \\ &= \delta_{\bar{K}N} + \delta_{\pi\Sigma} + \delta_{\pi\Lambda} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

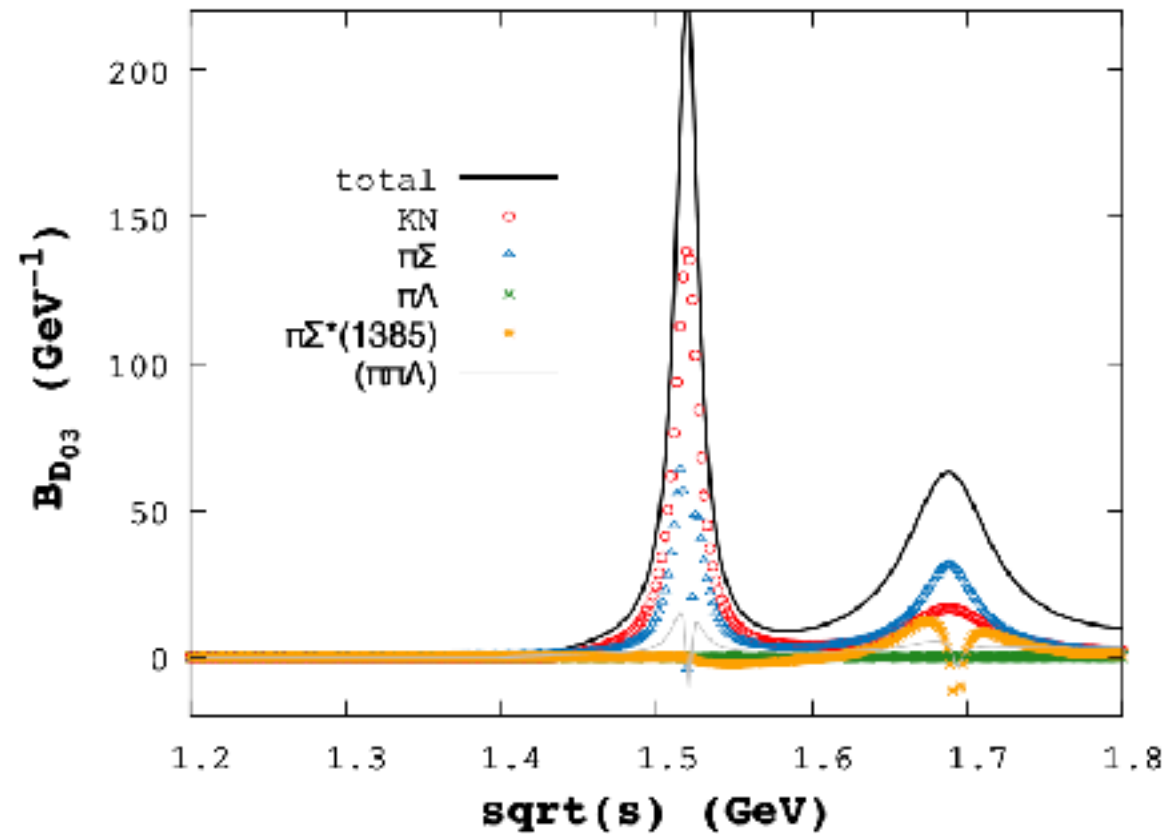
Compute $\det S$ for each
 $\sqrt{s}$ for each channel
isospin conserving



S=-1 Hyperon



1520, 1690



$\Lambda(1520) 3/2^-$

$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{3}{2}^-)$

Mass $m = 1519.5 \pm 1.0$ MeV [d]
Full width $\Gamma = 15.6 \pm 1.0$ MeV [d]
 $p_{\text{beam}} = 0.35$ GeV/c $4\pi\chi^2 = 82.8$ mb

$\Lambda(1520)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$N\bar{K}$	$45 \pm 1\%$	243
$\Sigma\pi$	$42 \pm 1\%$	268
$\Lambda\pi\pi$	$10 \pm 1\%$	259
$\Sigma\pi\pi$	$0.9 \pm 0.1\%$	169
$\Lambda\gamma$	$0.85 \pm 0.15\%$	350

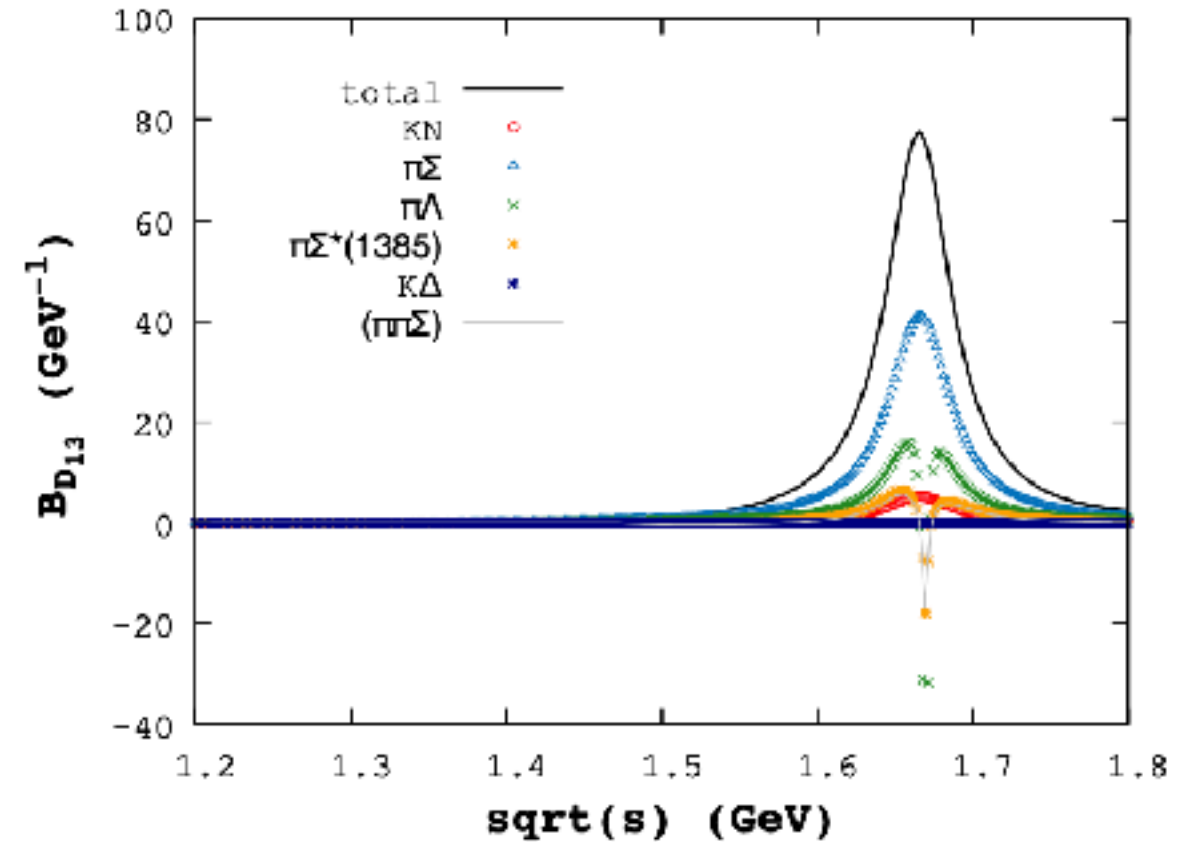
$\Lambda(1690) 3/2^-$

$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{3}{2}^-)$

Mass $m = 1685$ to 1695 (≈ 1690) MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 50$ to 70 (≈ 60) MeV
 $p_{\text{beam}} = 0.78$ GeV/c $4\pi\chi^2 = 26.1$ mb

$\Lambda(1690)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$N\bar{K}$	20–30 %	433
$\Sigma\pi$	20–40 %	410
$\Lambda\pi\pi$	~ 25 %	419
$\Sigma\pi\pi$	~ 20 %	358

1670

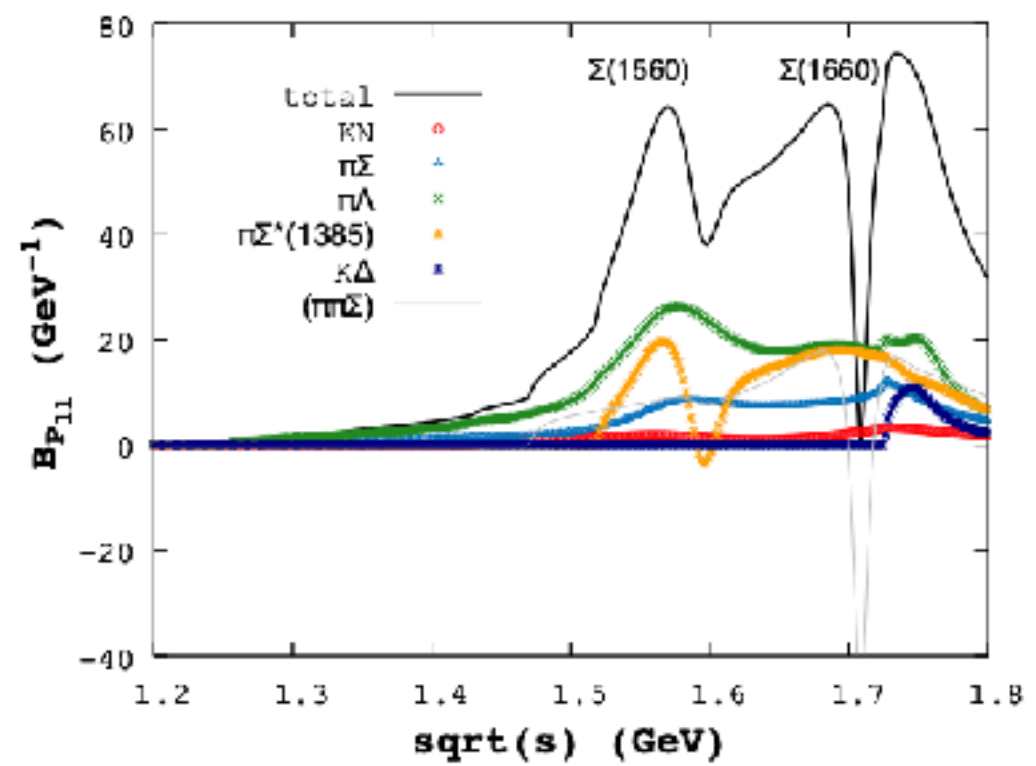
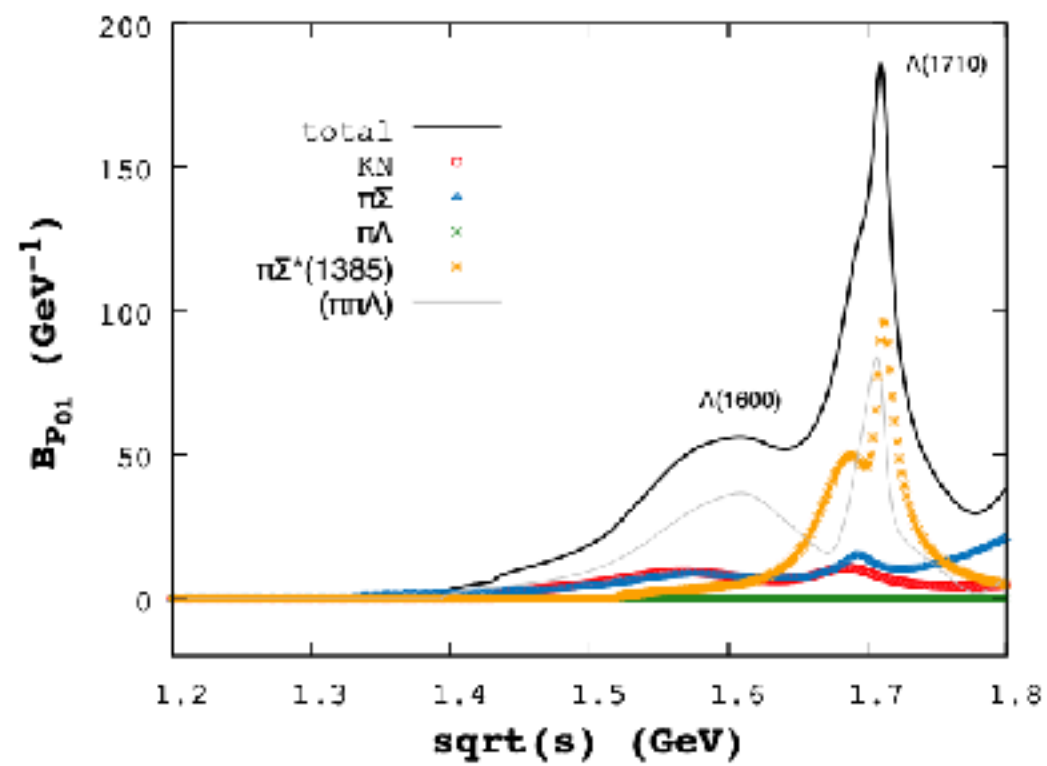
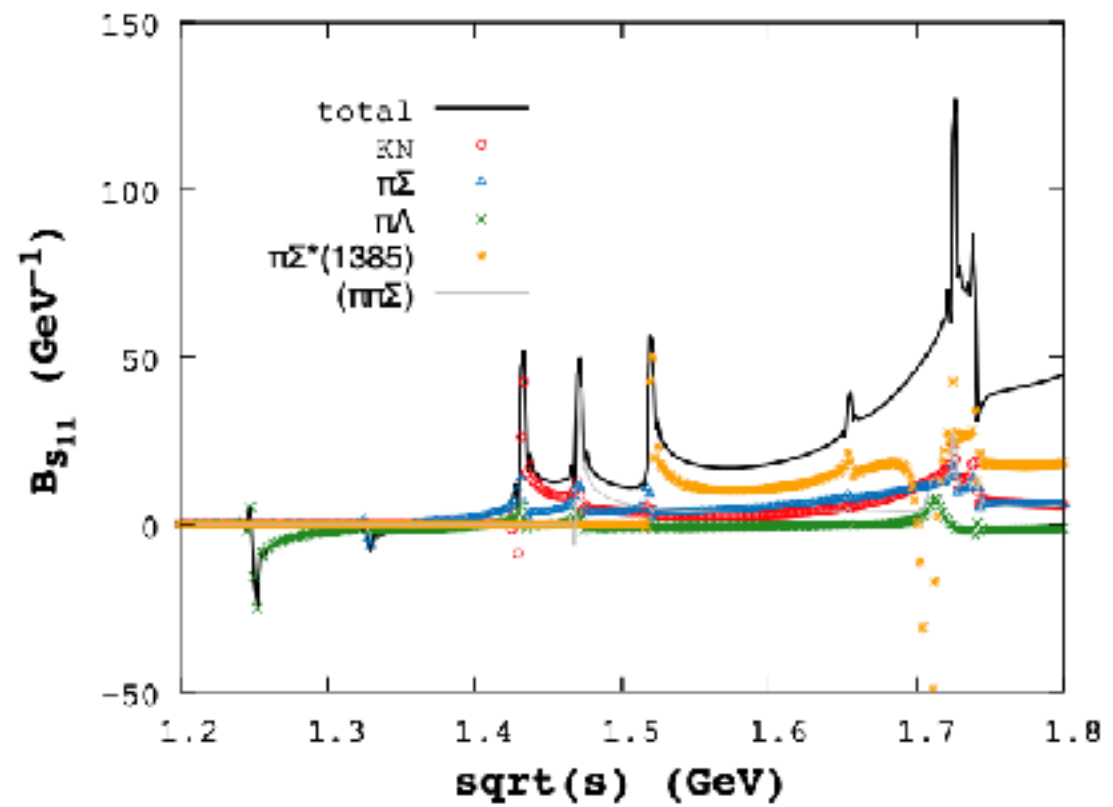
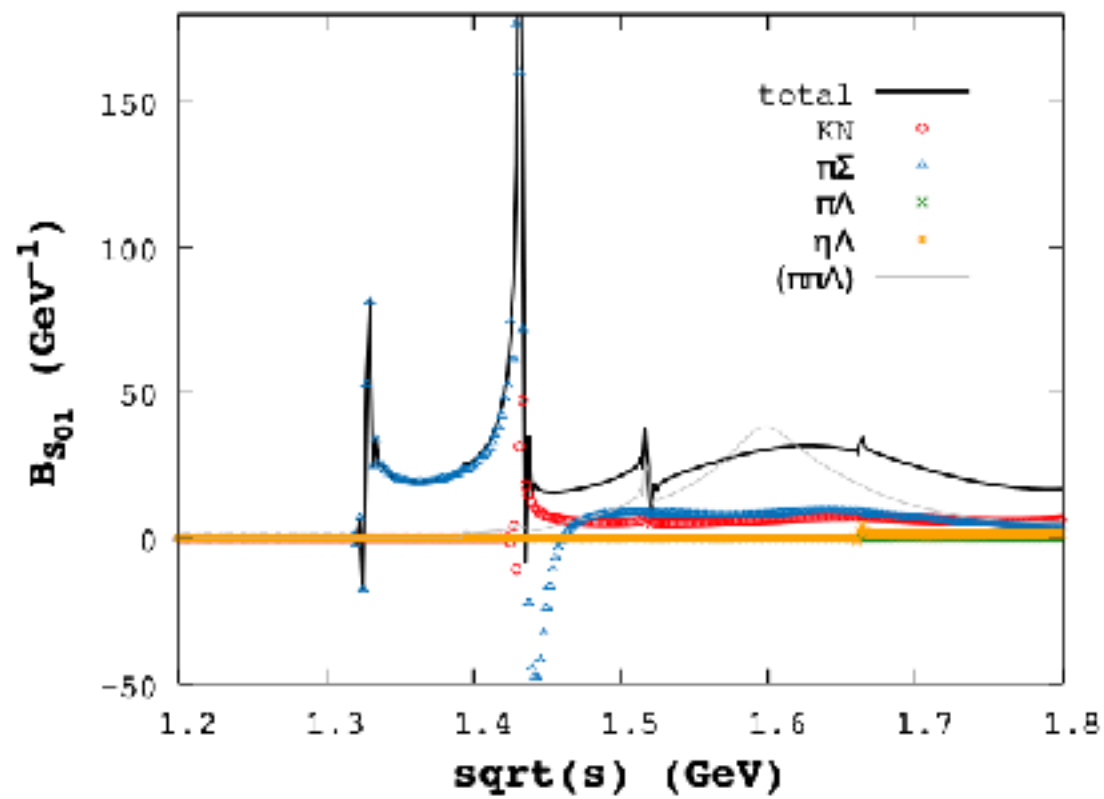


$\Sigma(1670) 3/2^-$

$I(J^P) = 1(\frac{3}{2}^-)$

Mass $m = 1665$ to 1685 (≈ 1670) MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 40$ to 80 (≈ 60) MeV
 $p_{\text{beam}} = 0.74$ GeV/c $4\pi\chi^2 = 28.5$ mb

$\Sigma(1670)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$N\bar{K}$	7–13 %	414
$\Lambda\pi$	5–15 %	448
$\Sigma\pi$	30–60 %	394



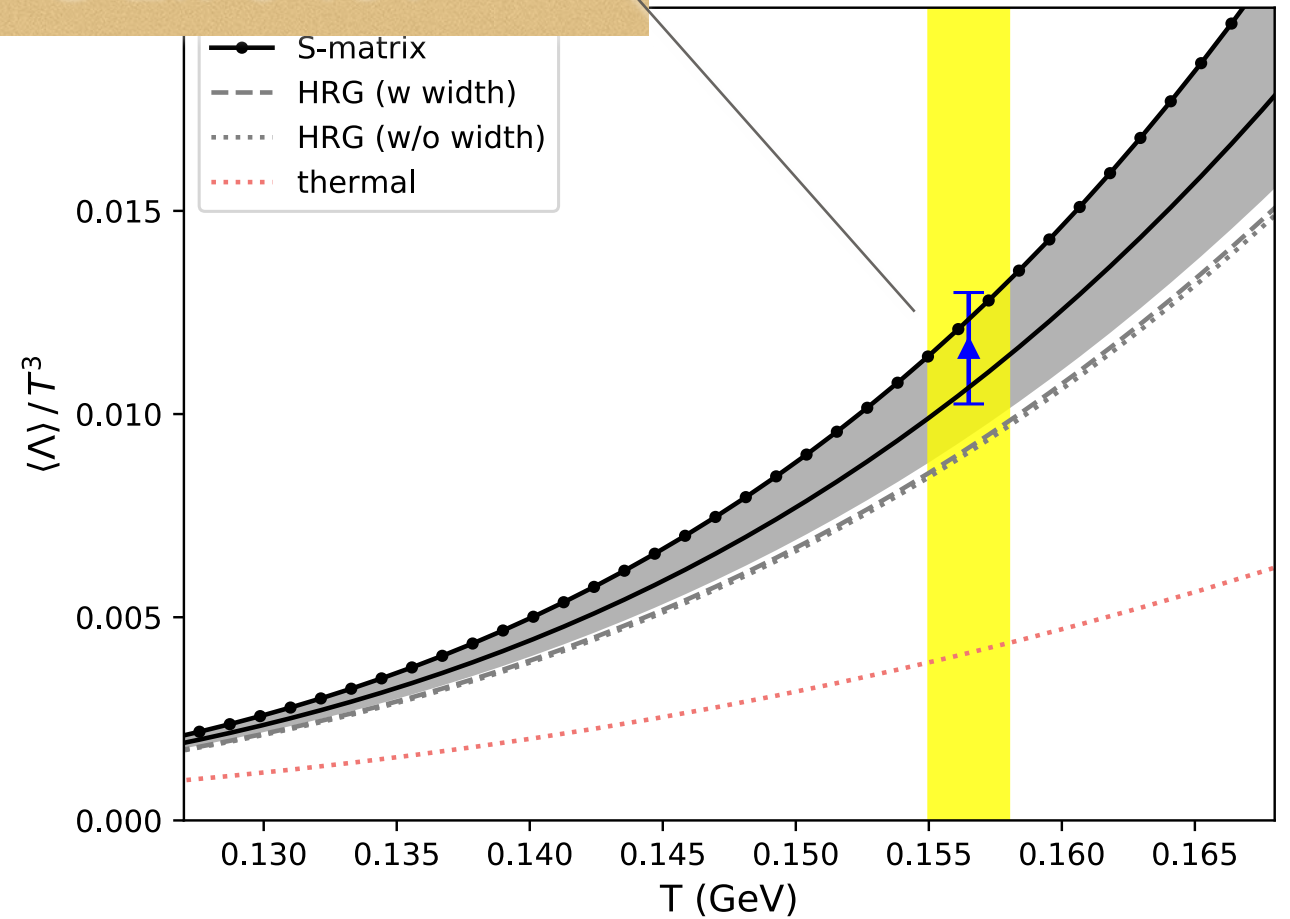
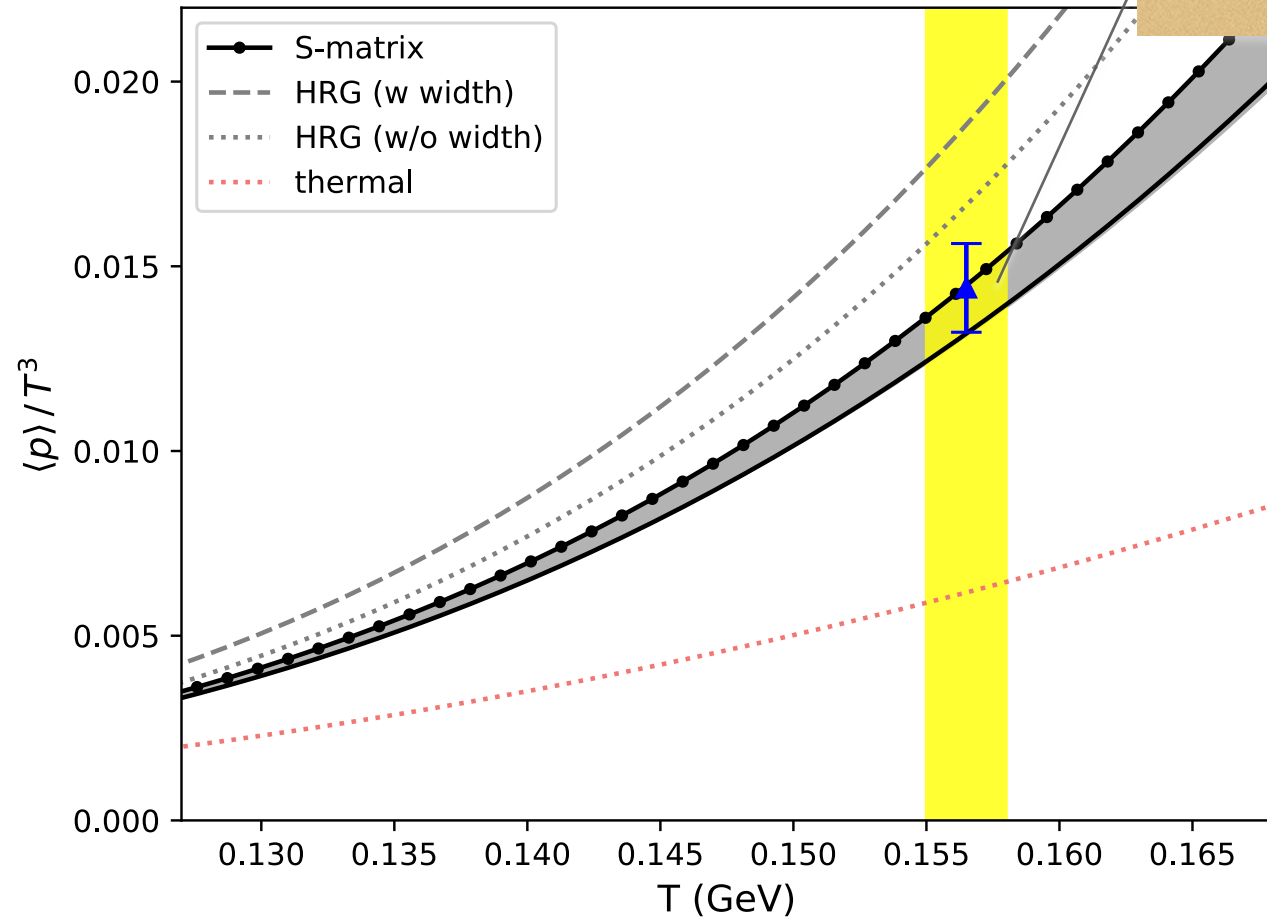
branching ratio?

S-matrix VS HRG

Will still go up!

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ALICE proton yield
@ 2.76 TeV



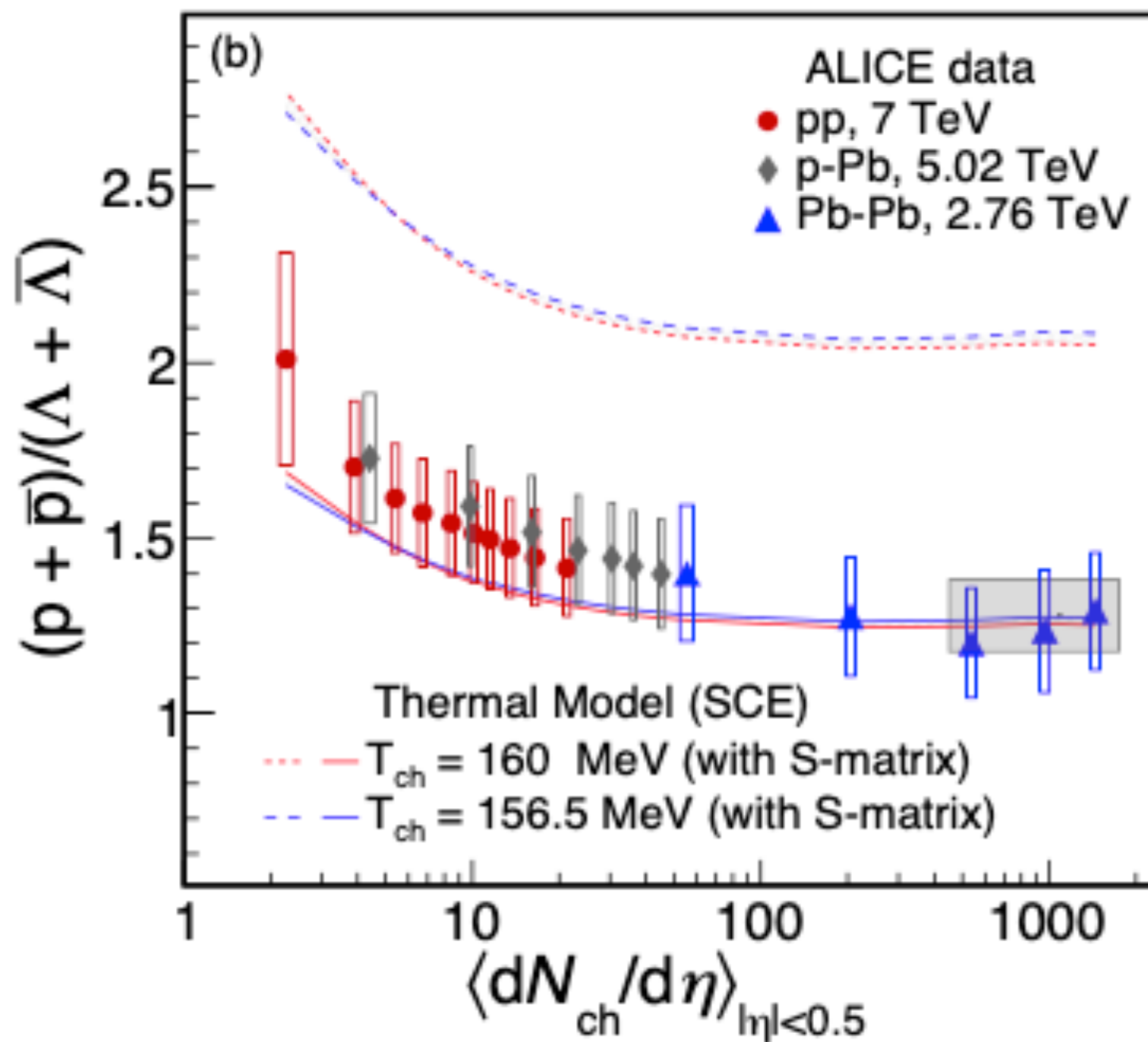
πN phase shifts
 $\pi \pi N$ BGs
hyperons



Coupled-Channel model:

$\bar{k}N, \pi\Lambda, \pi\Sigma, \dots$
extra hyperon states
beyond PDG
unitarity BGs

consistent treatment of res and non-res. int.



less protons

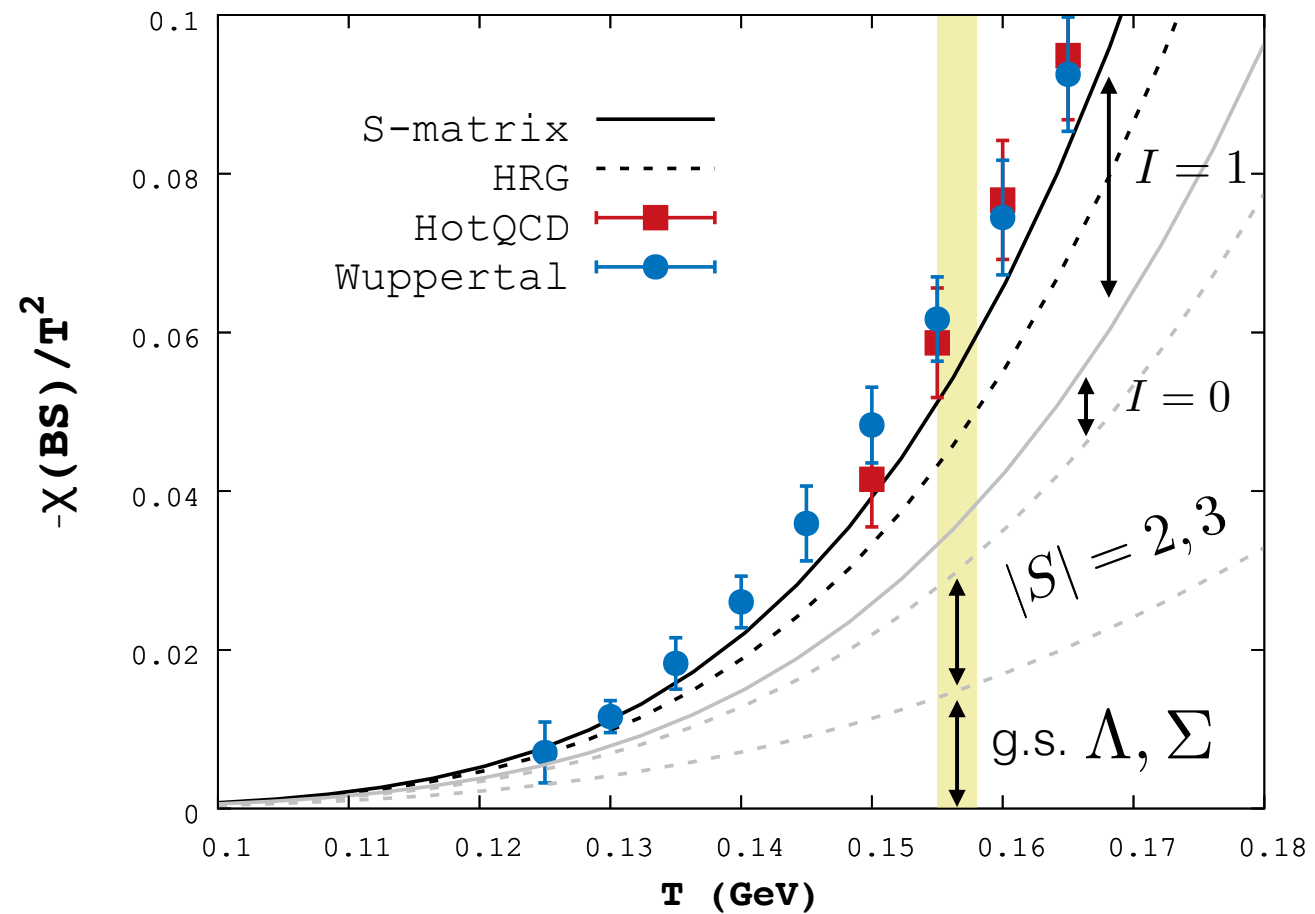
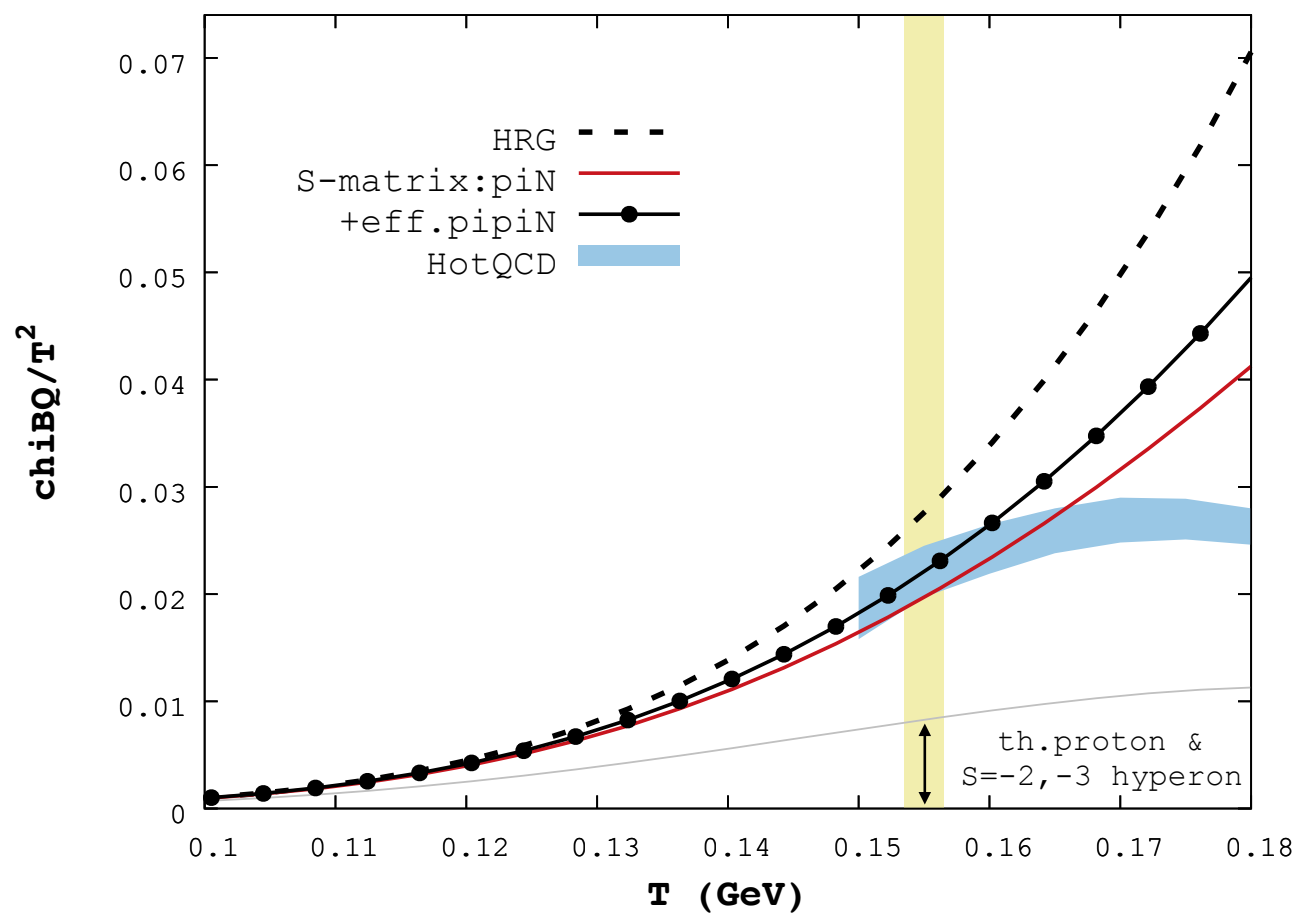
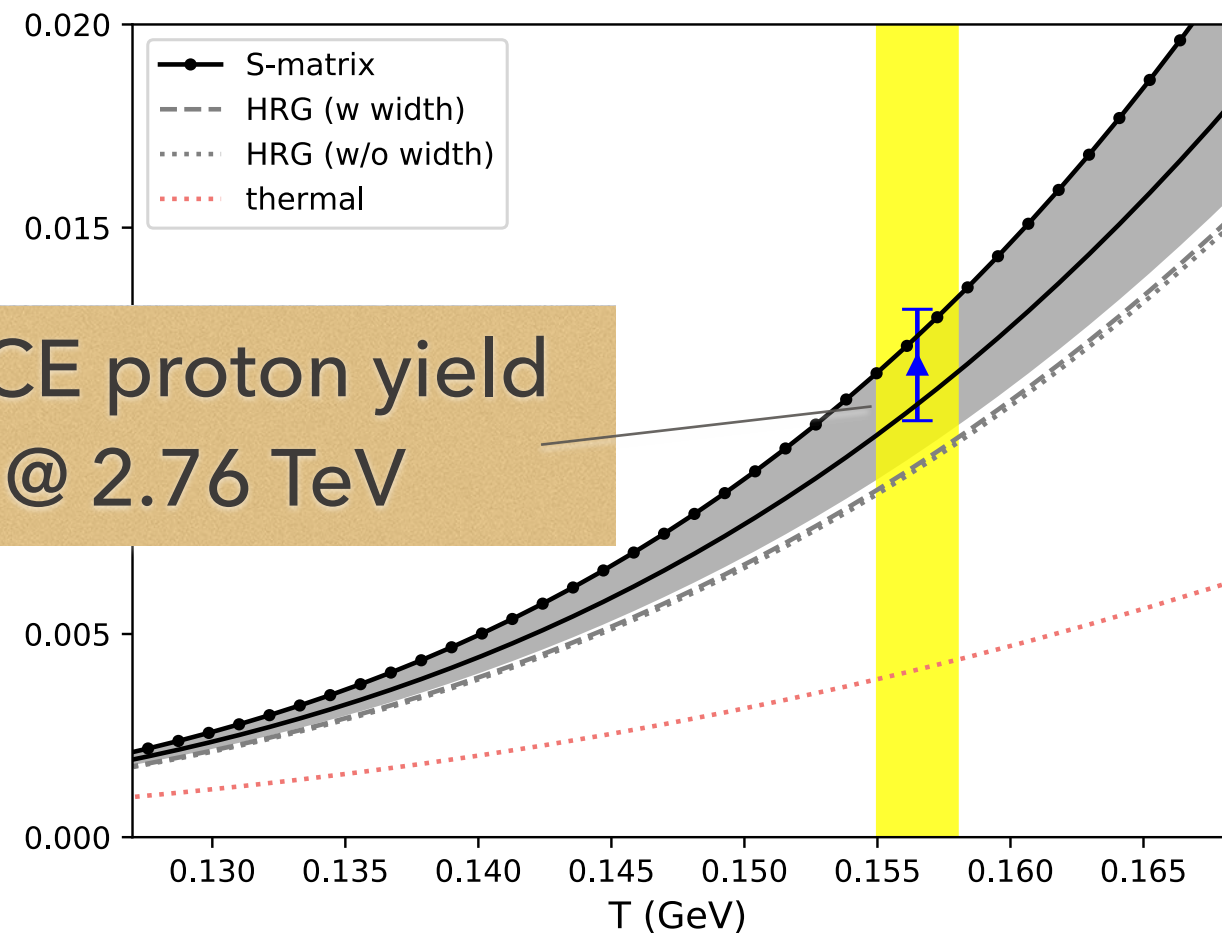
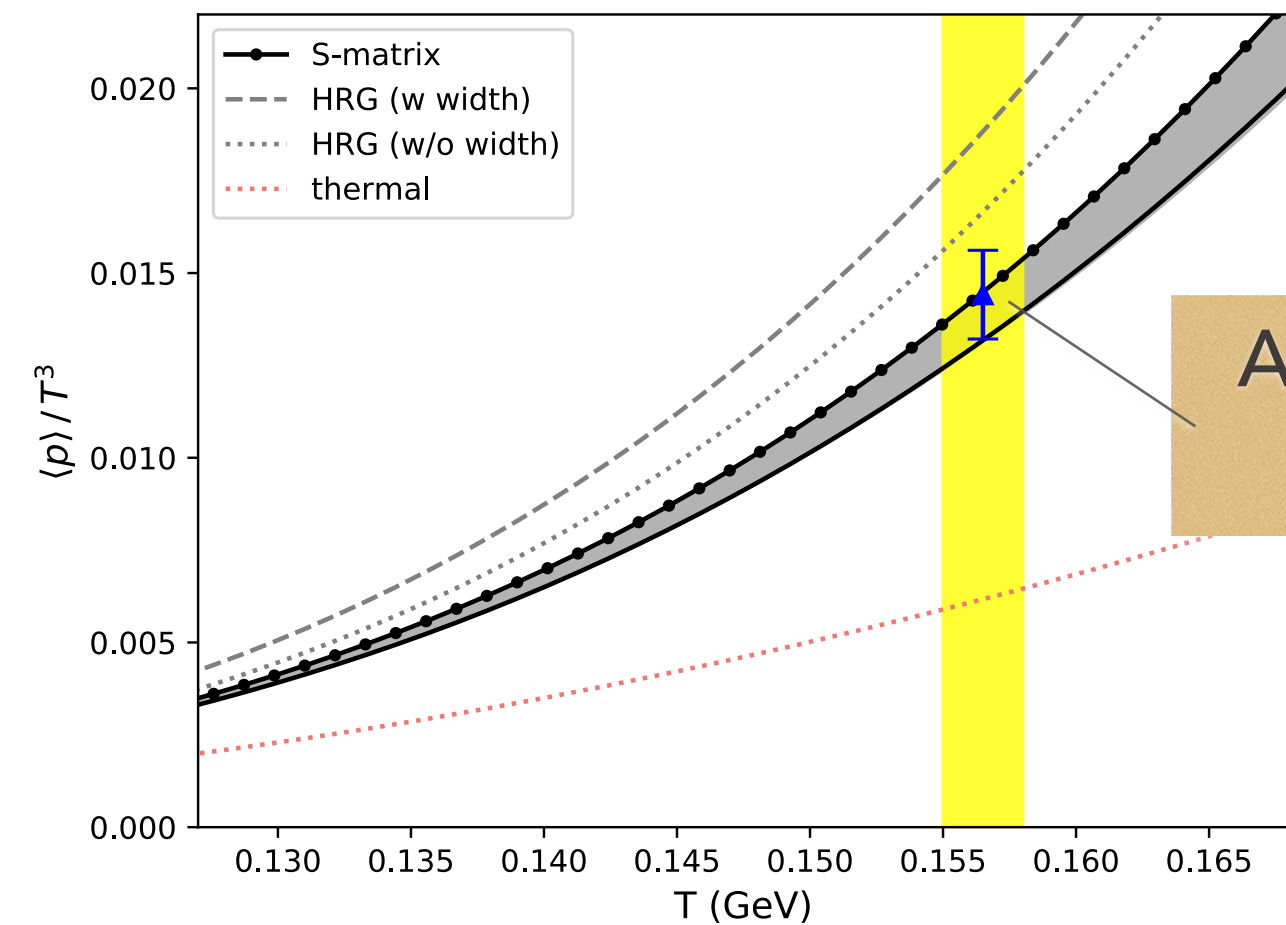
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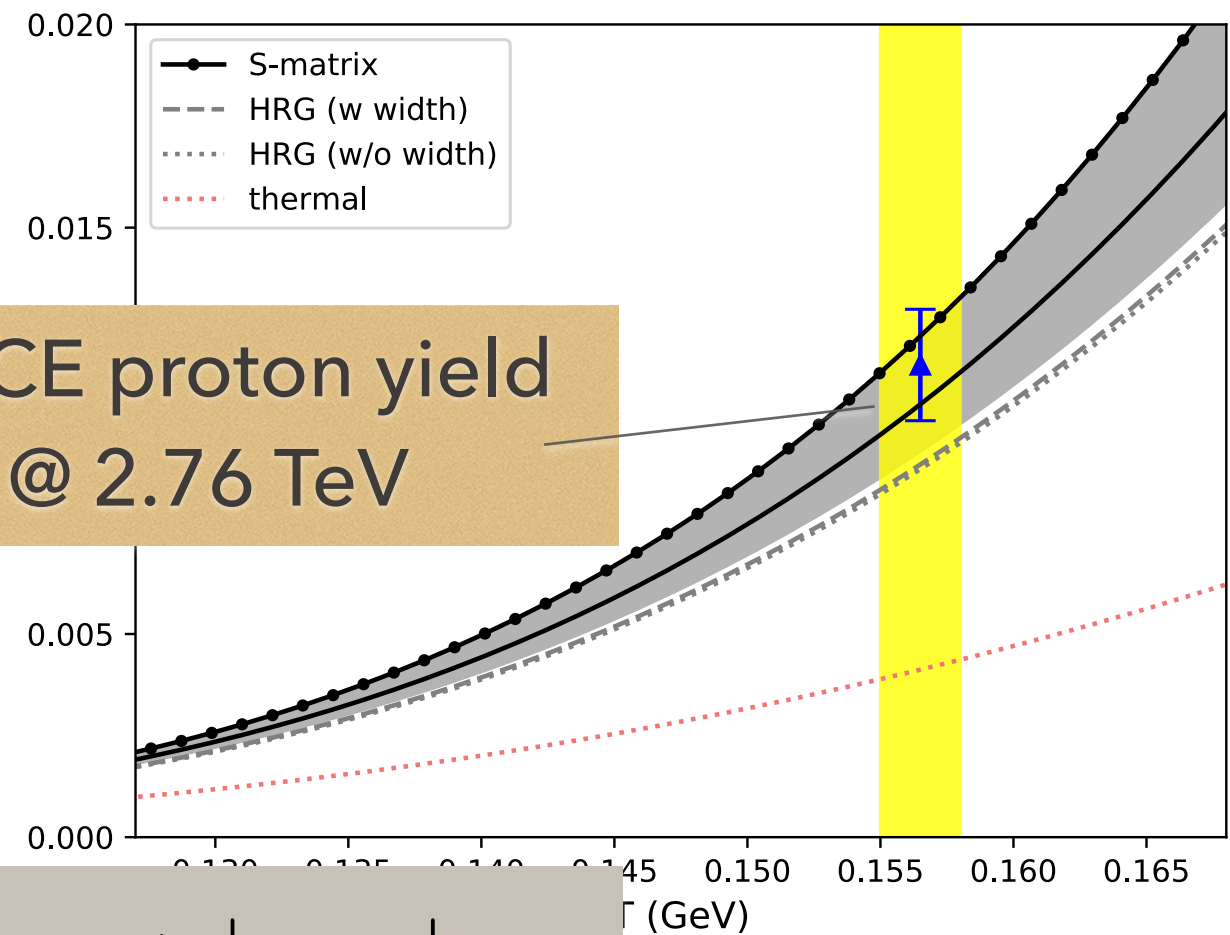
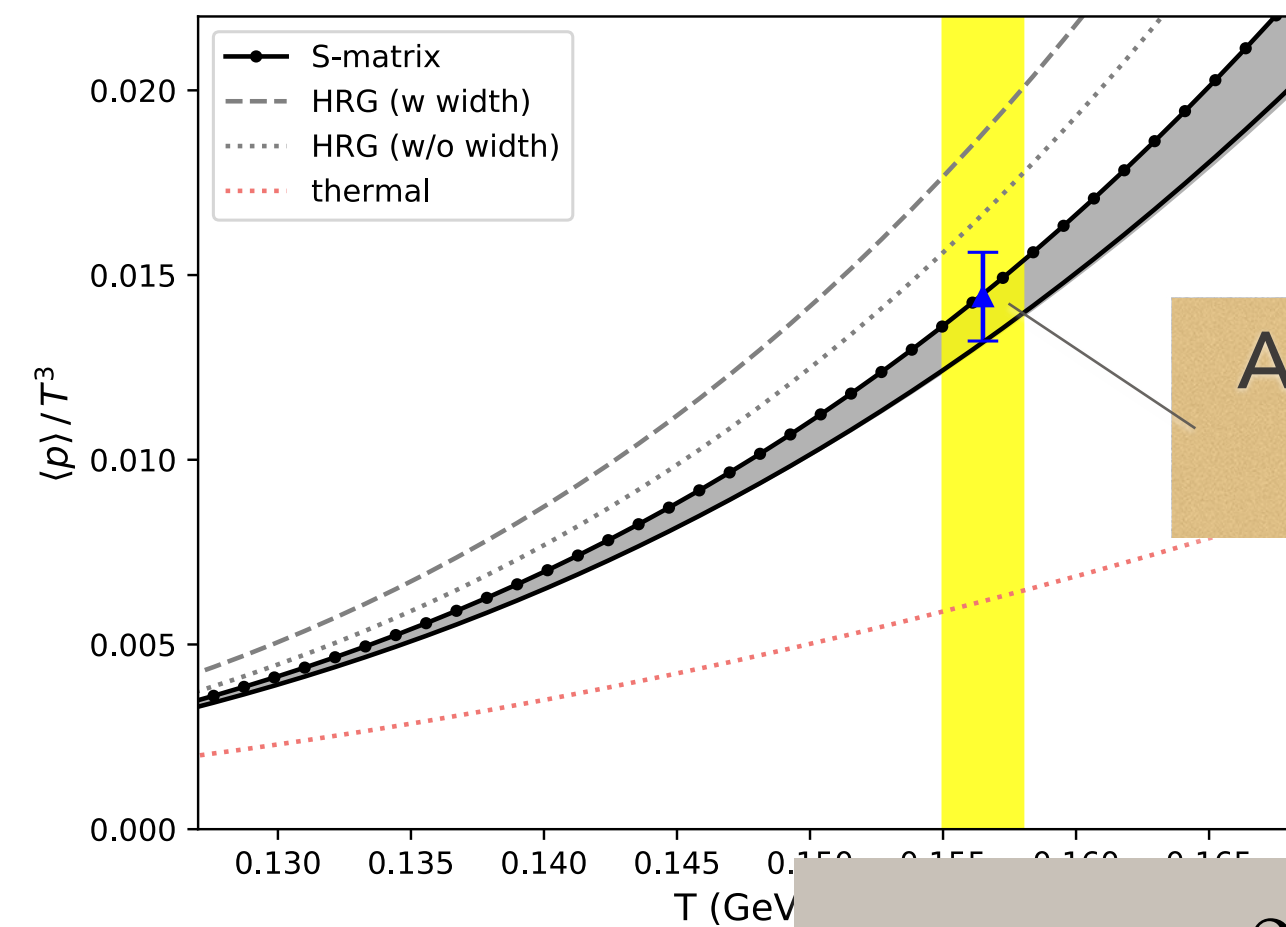
more lambdas

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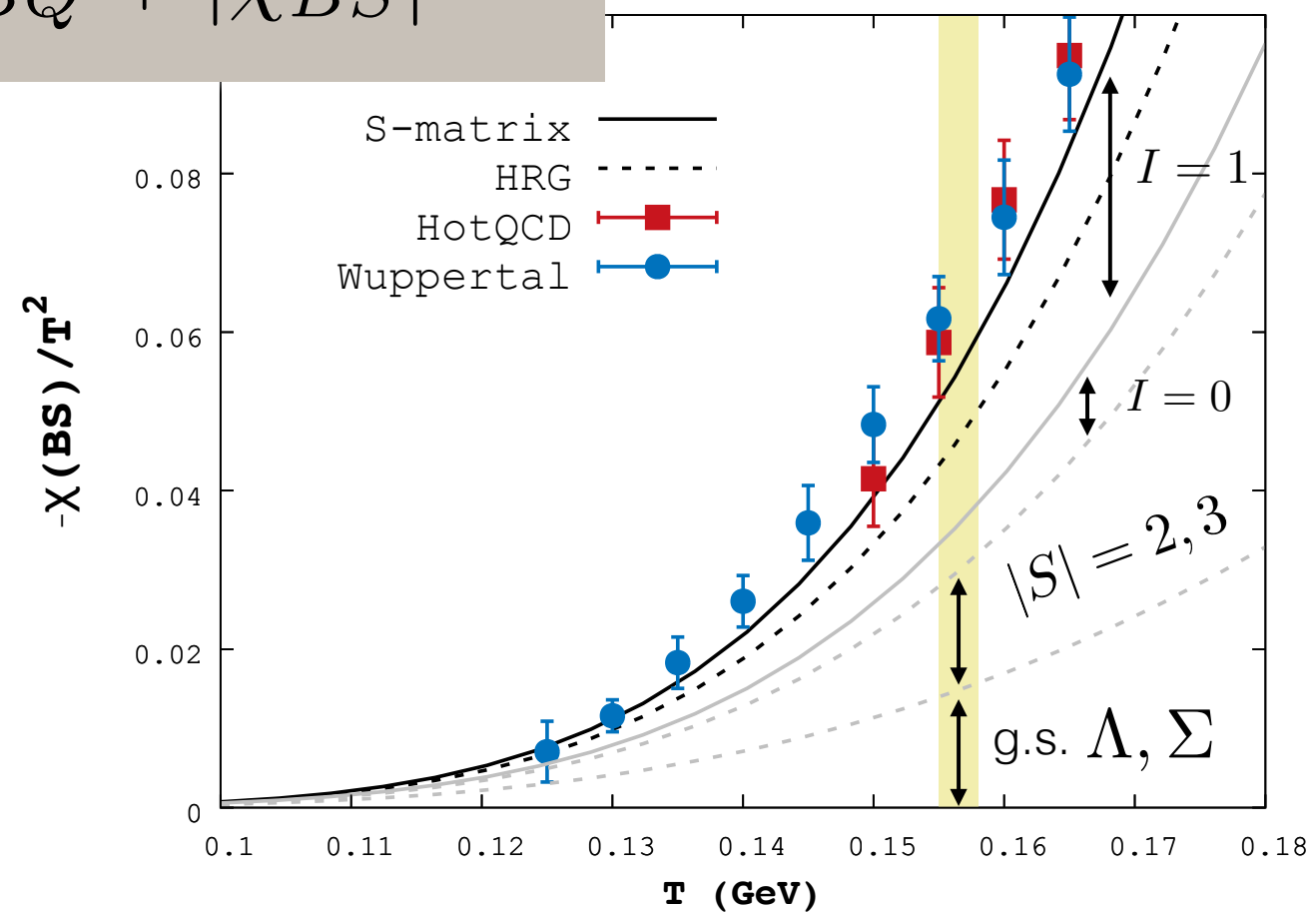
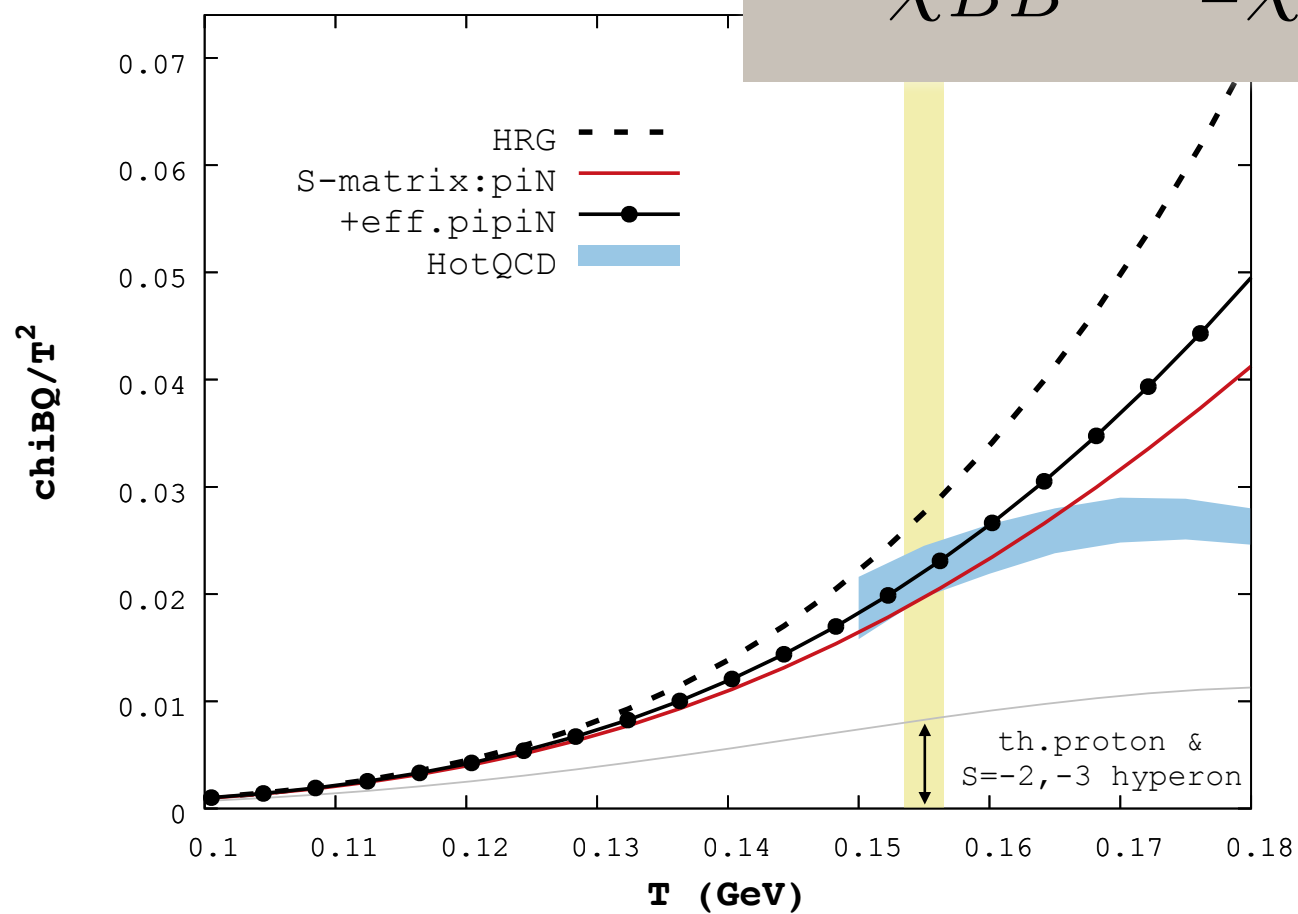
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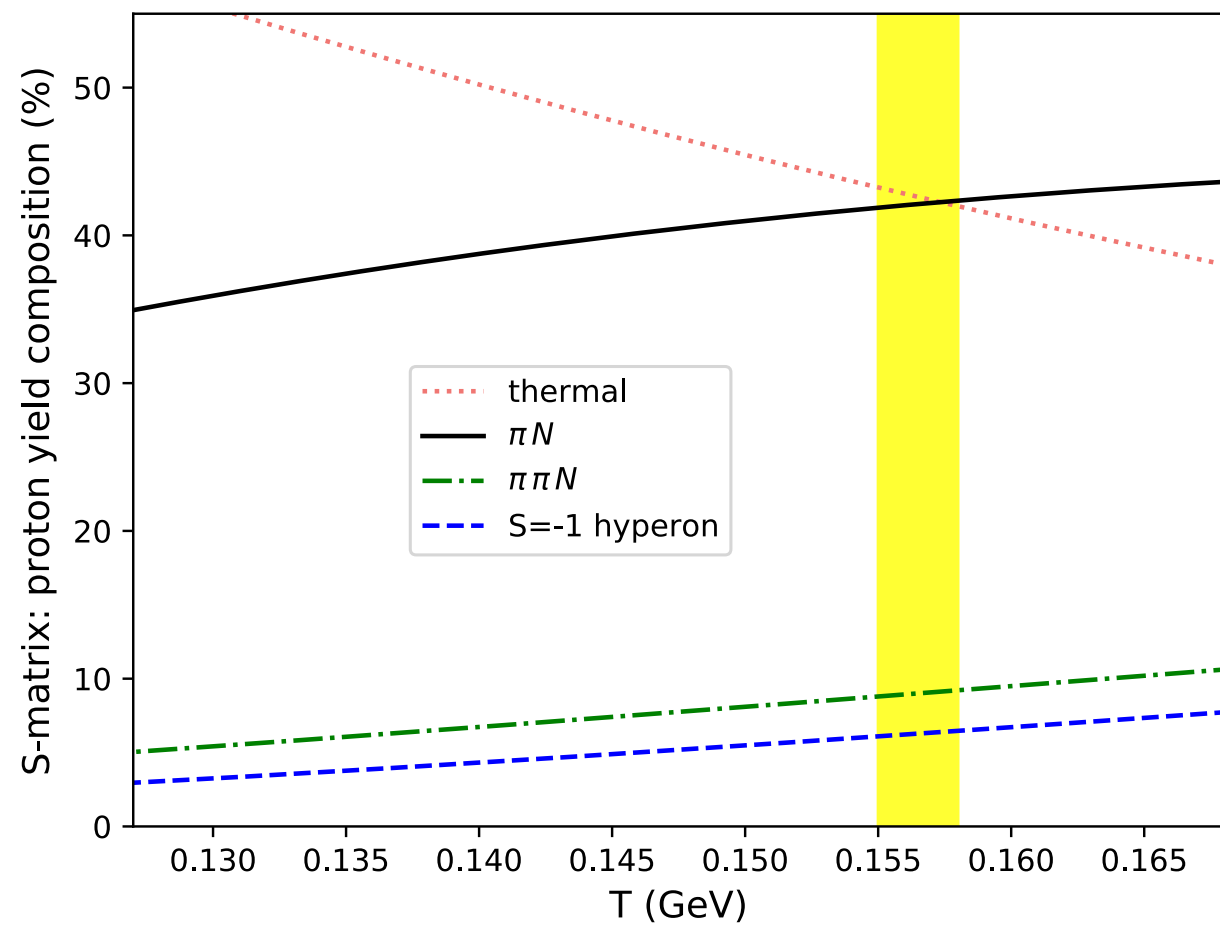




ALICE proton yield
@ 2.76 TeV

$$\chi_{BB} = 2\chi_{BQ} + |\chi_{BS}|$$

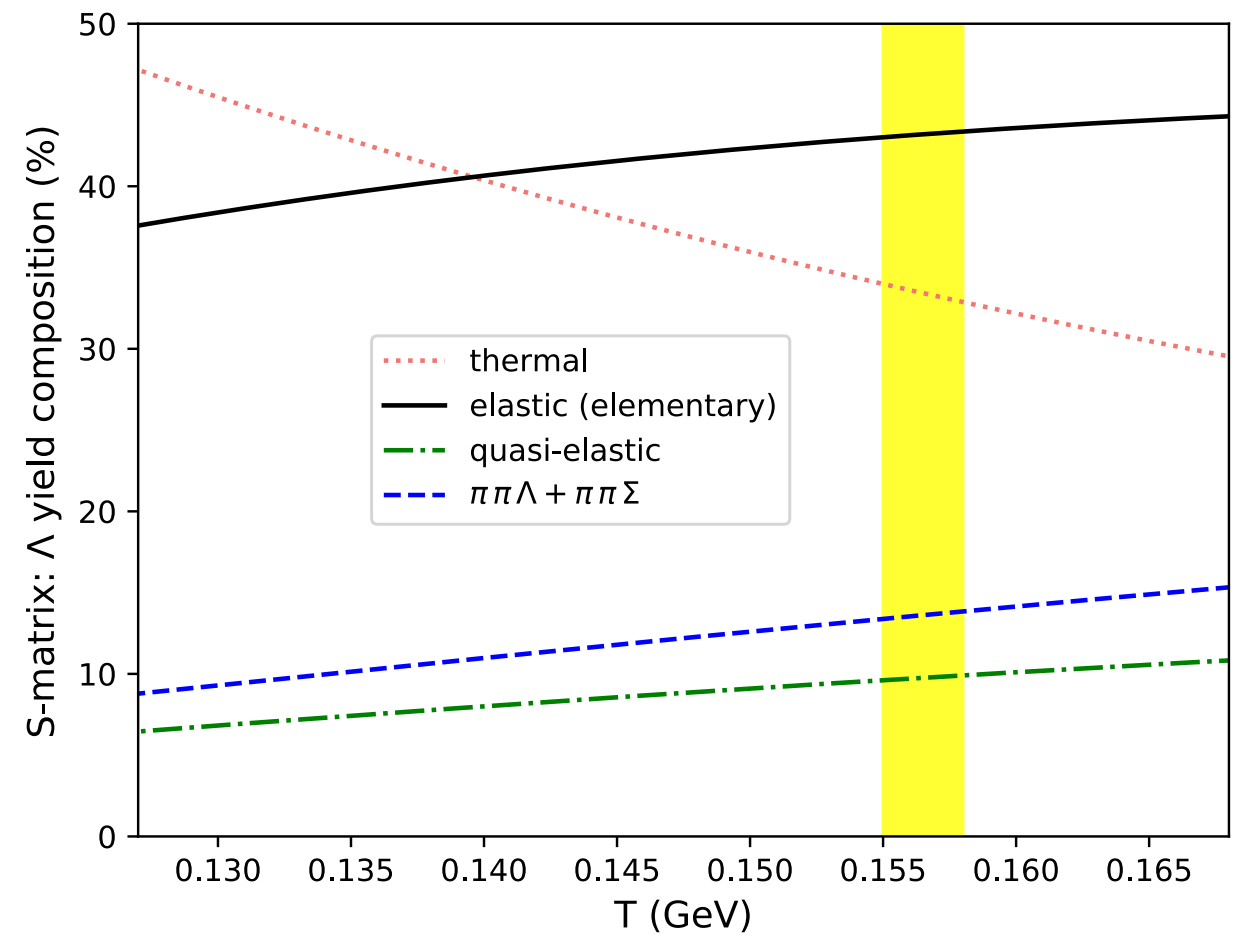




SAID GWU

πN phase shifts
 $\pi\pi N$ BGs
 hyperons

consistent treatment of res and non-res. int.



JPAC

Coupled-Channel system:
 $\bar{k}N, \pi\Lambda, \pi\Sigma, \dots$
extra hyperon states
beyond PDG
unitarity BGs

COUPLED-CHANNEL DYNAMICS

DYNAMICAL GENERATION OF BS / RESONANCES

- dynamical generation of bound states / resonances:
f(980) close to $K \bar{K}$ threshold
f(500) dynamically generated
- coupling of open channels: $\pi\pi$, KK
with a $|q\bar{q}\rangle$ state

what you give $\neq$ what you get

1 in 5 out!

$$\frac{1}{E - \mathcal{H}_0} = \begin{matrix} & |\pi\pi\rangle \\ & |K\bar{K}\rangle \\ |R^0\rangle & (|q\bar{q}\rangle) \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} \Pi_{\pi\pi}(E) & & \\ & \Pi_{K\bar{K}}(E) & \\ & & \frac{1}{E - m_{res}^0} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_{int} = \begin{bmatrix} g_{\pi\pi} & g_{\pi K} & g_{\pi R} \\ g_{\pi K} & g_{K K} & g_{K R} \\ g_{\pi R} & g_{K R} & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$G = G_0 + G_0 V_{int} G$$

TESTING THE ROBUSTNESS

$$Q(E) = \frac{1}{2} \text{ImTr} \{ \ln S_E \}$$

*Getting
Effective DOS
on
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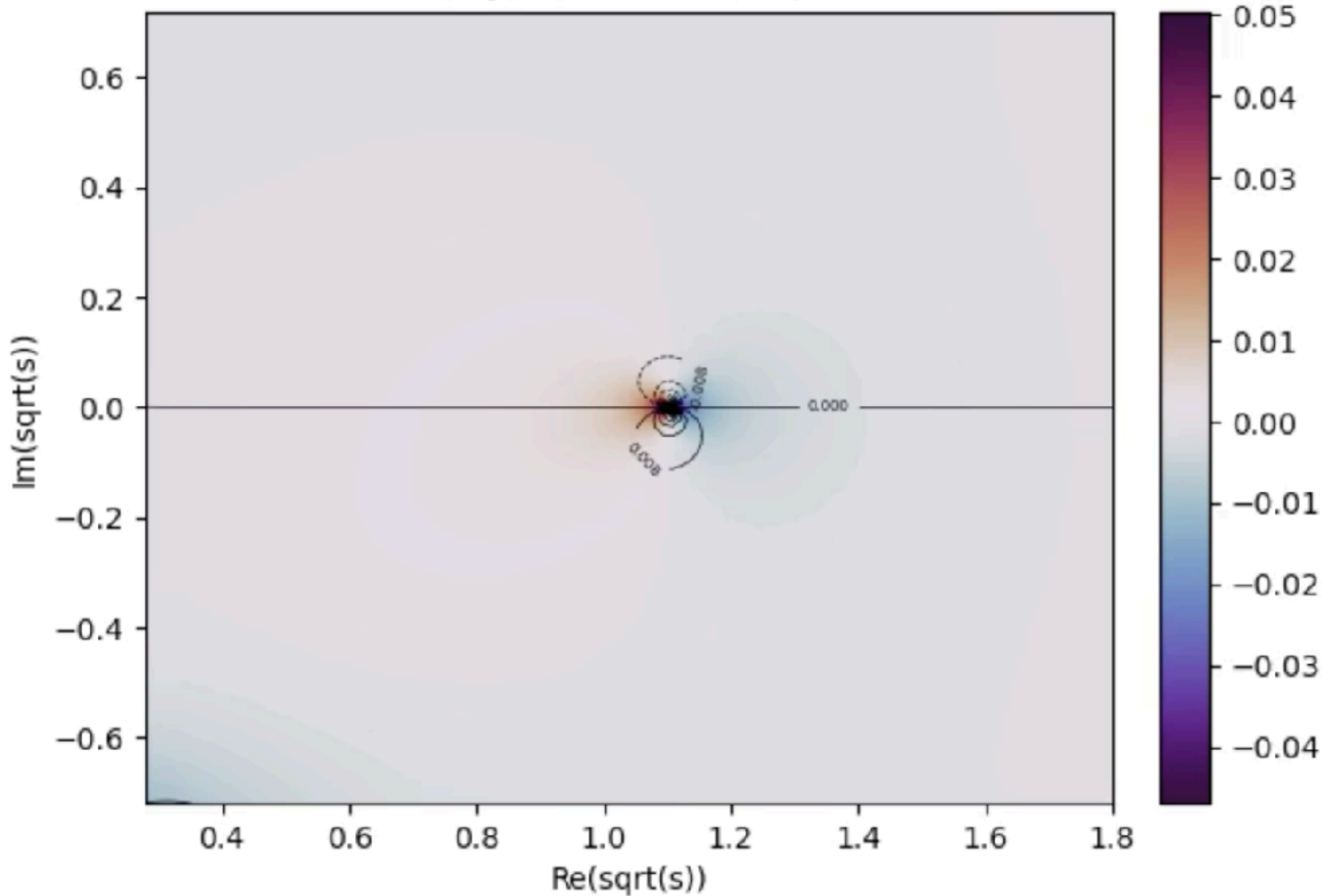
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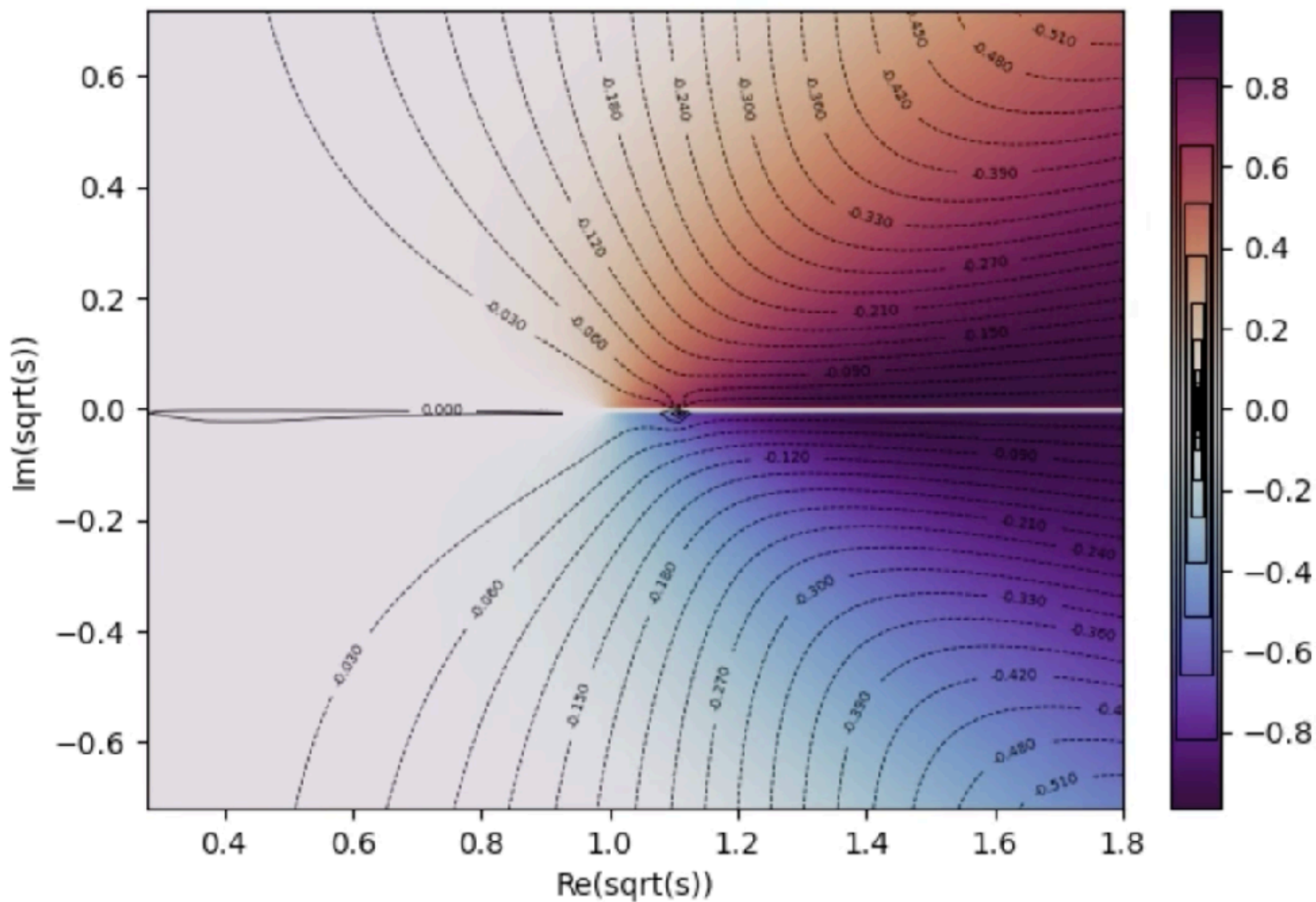
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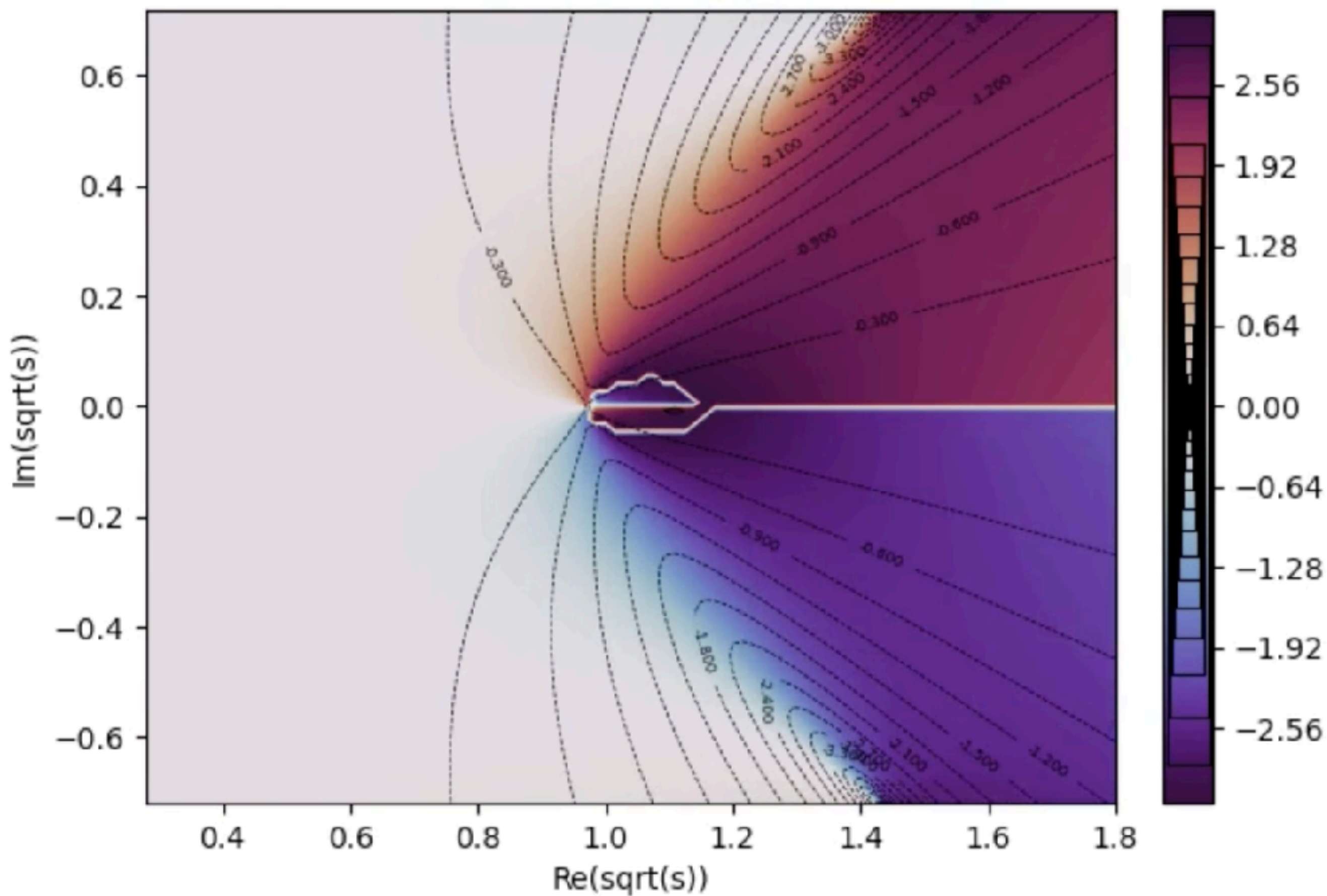
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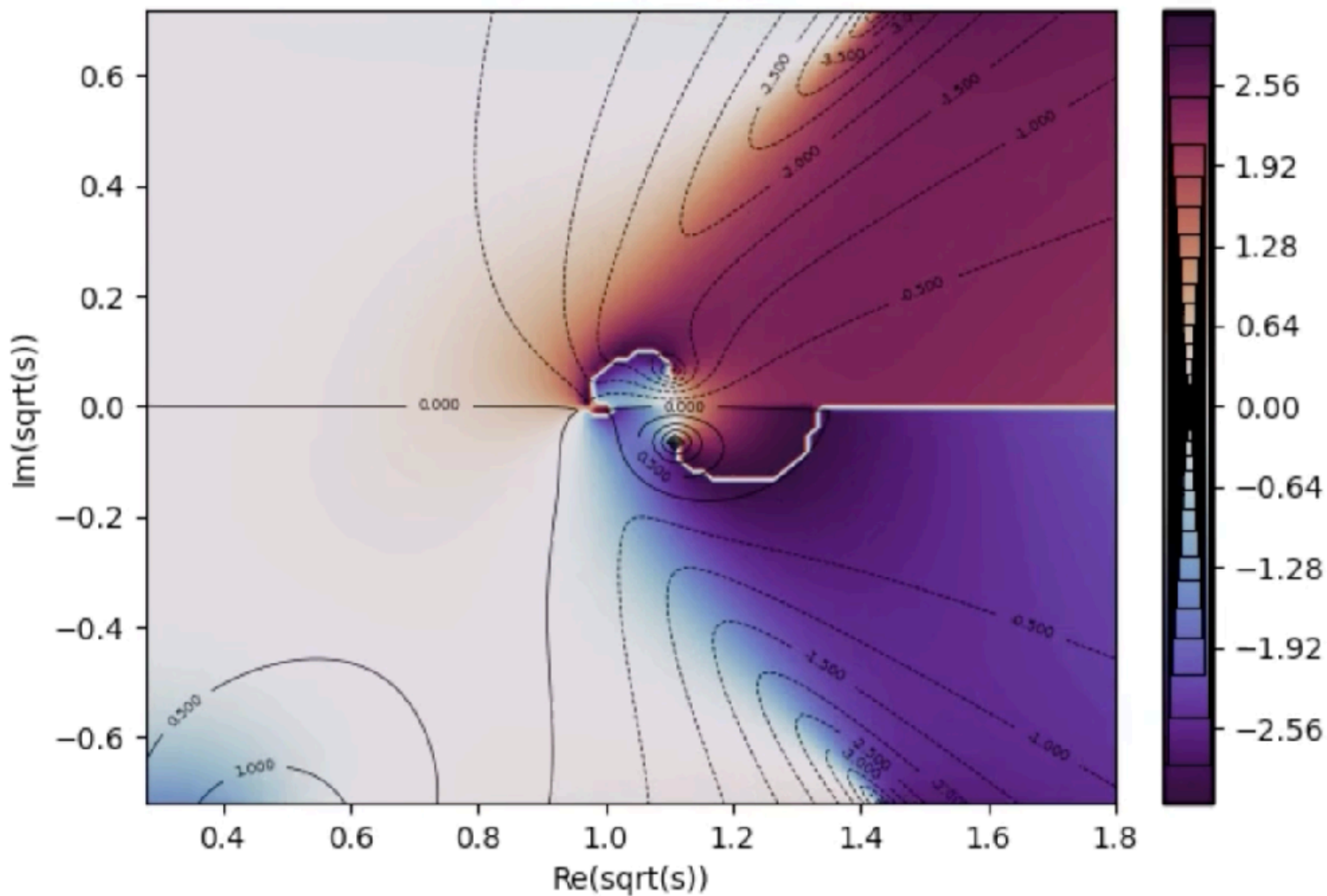
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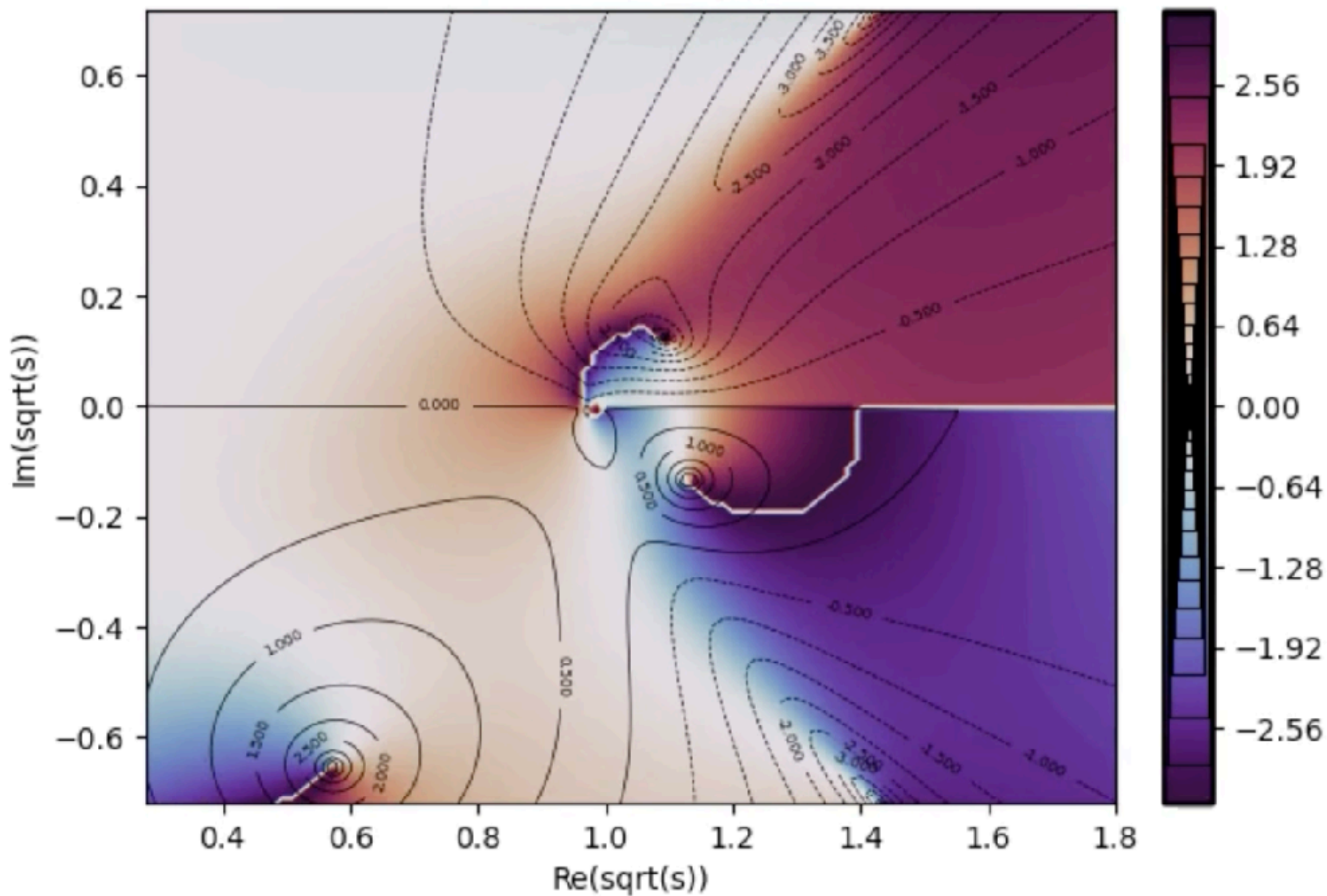
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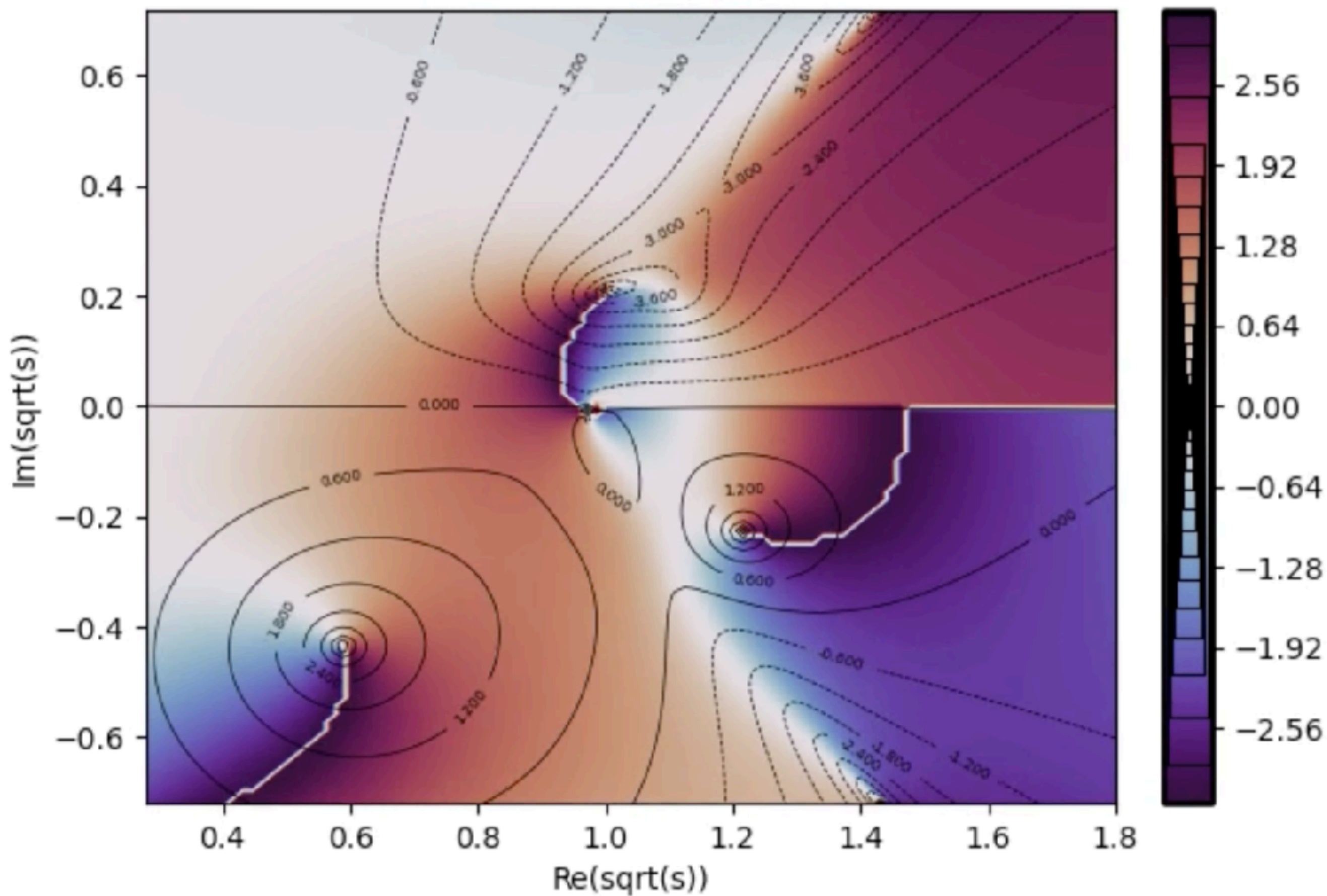
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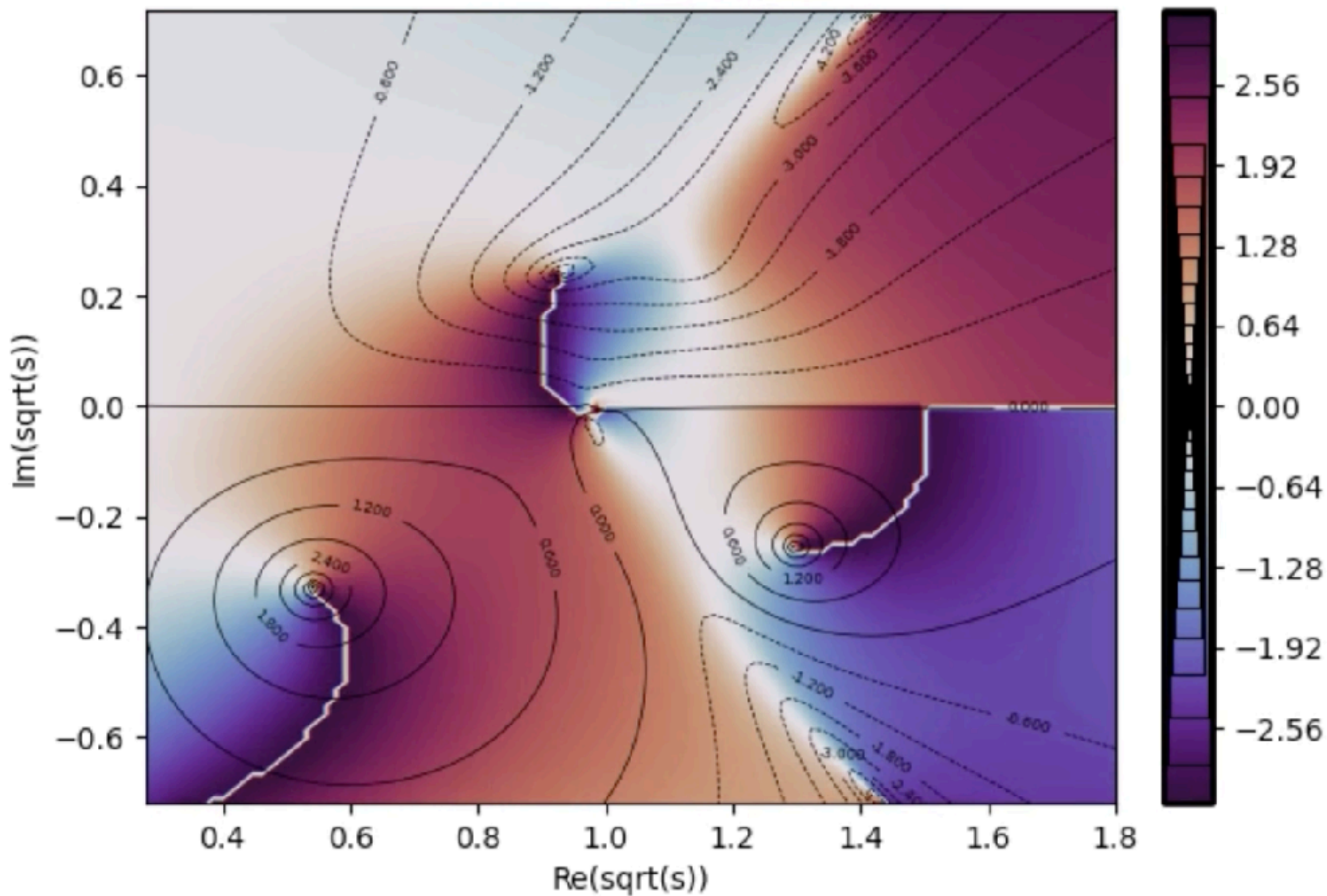
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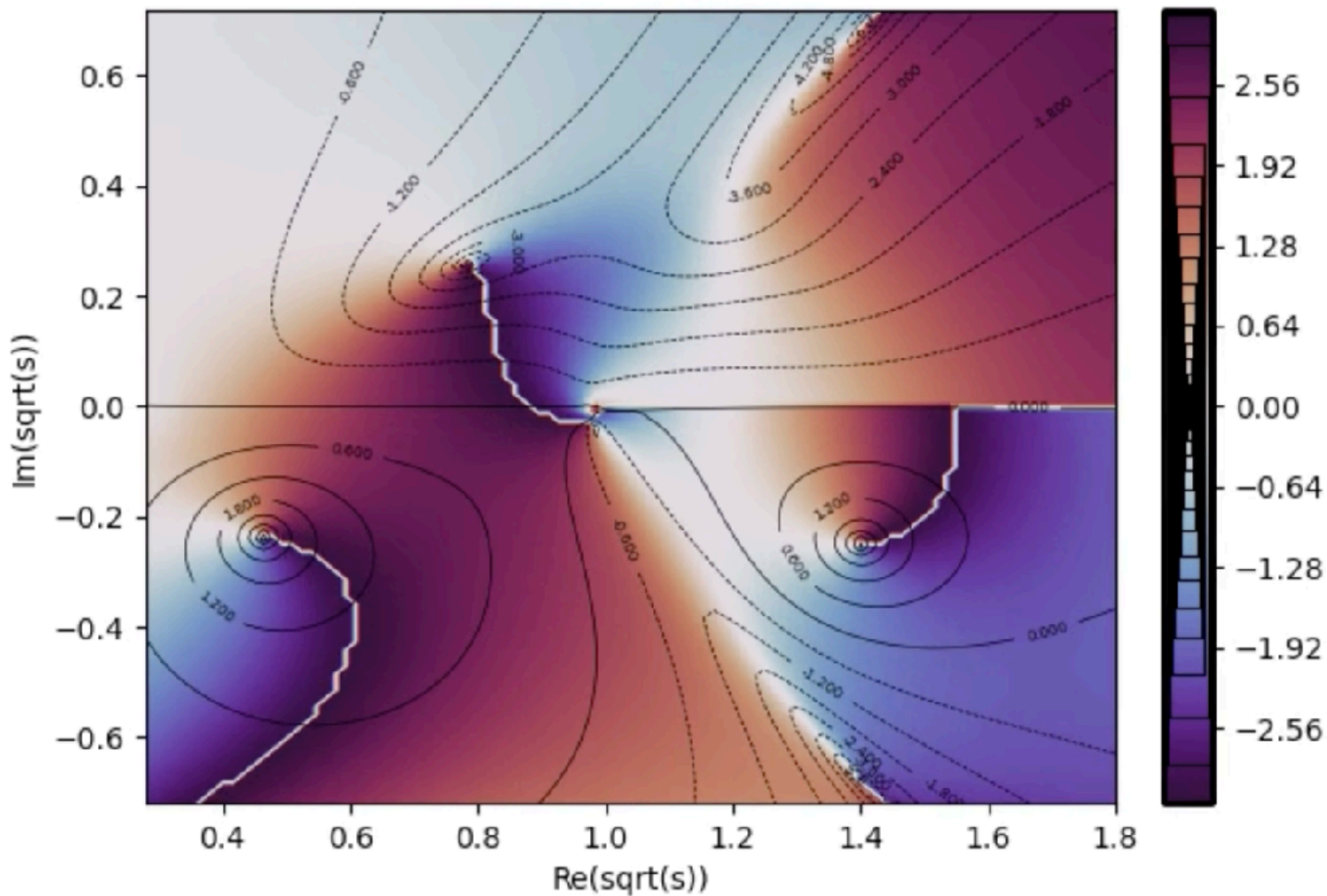
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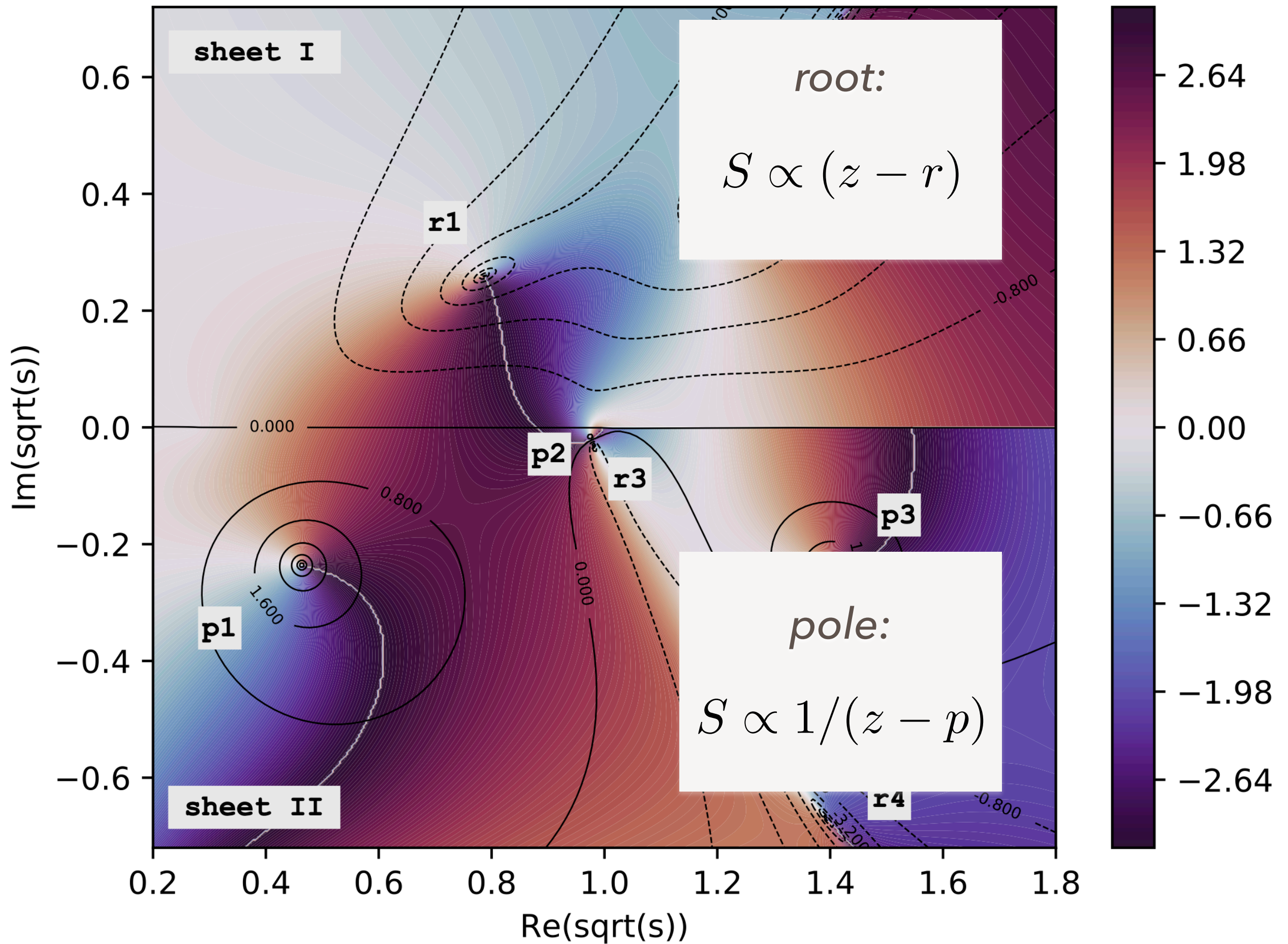
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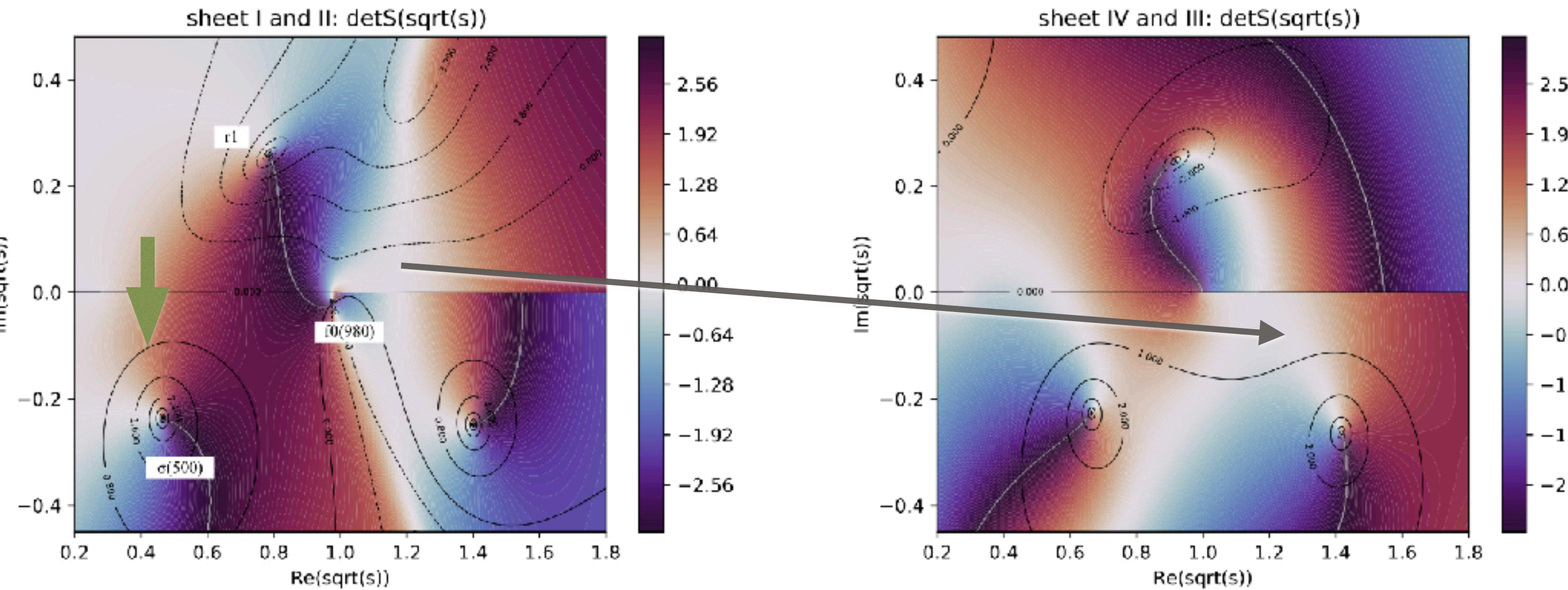
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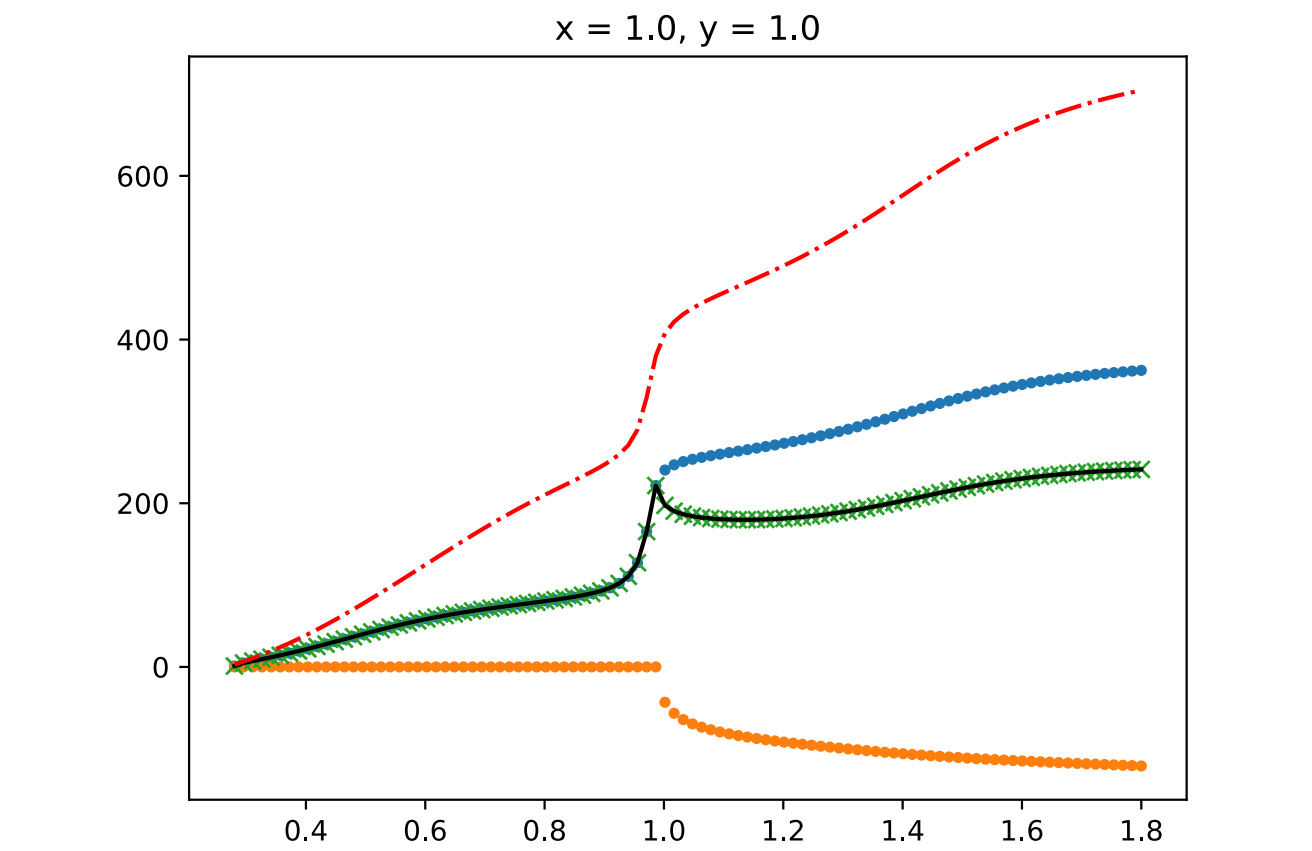


detS(sqrt(s))

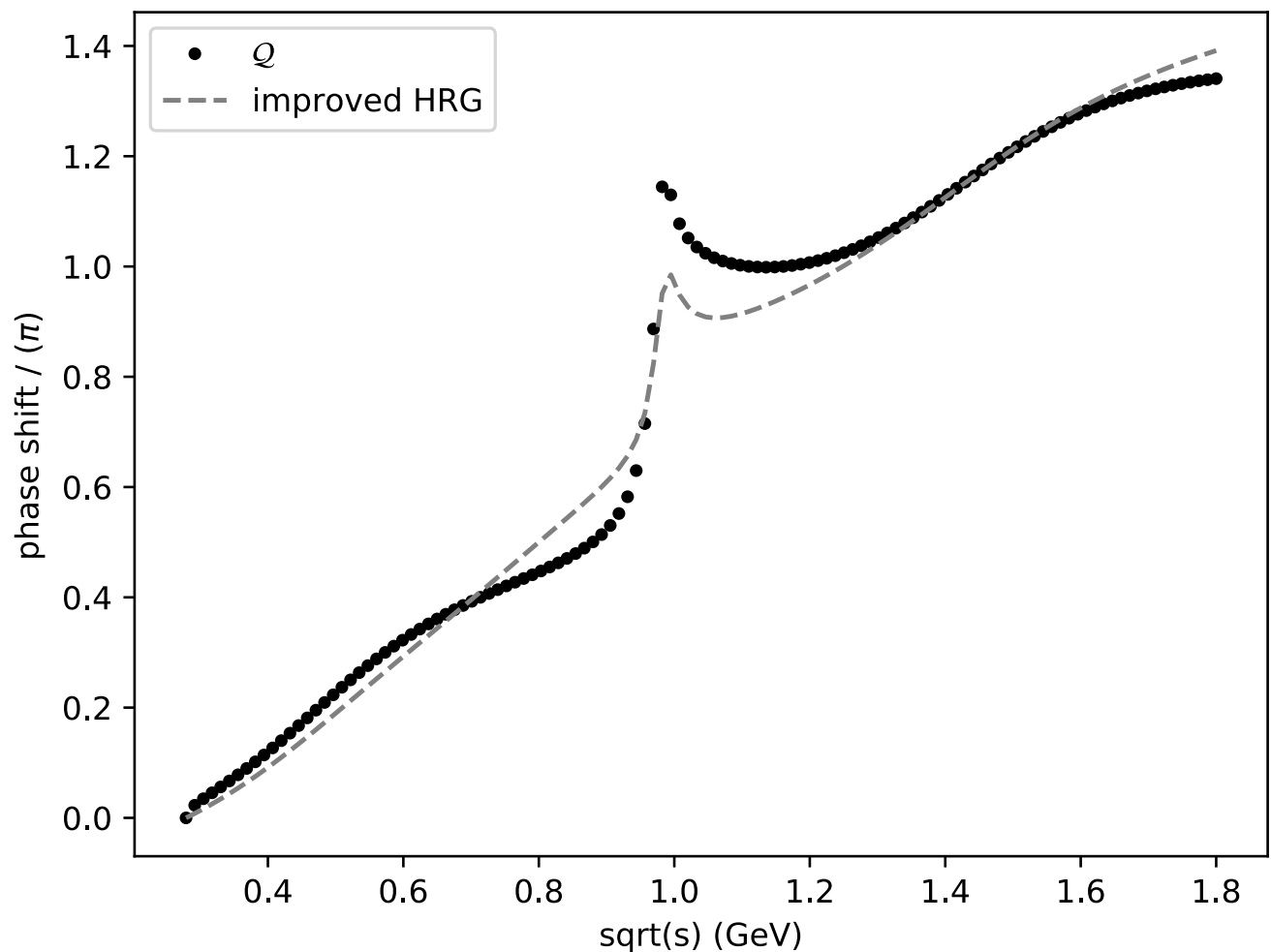


Continuity of Phase Change





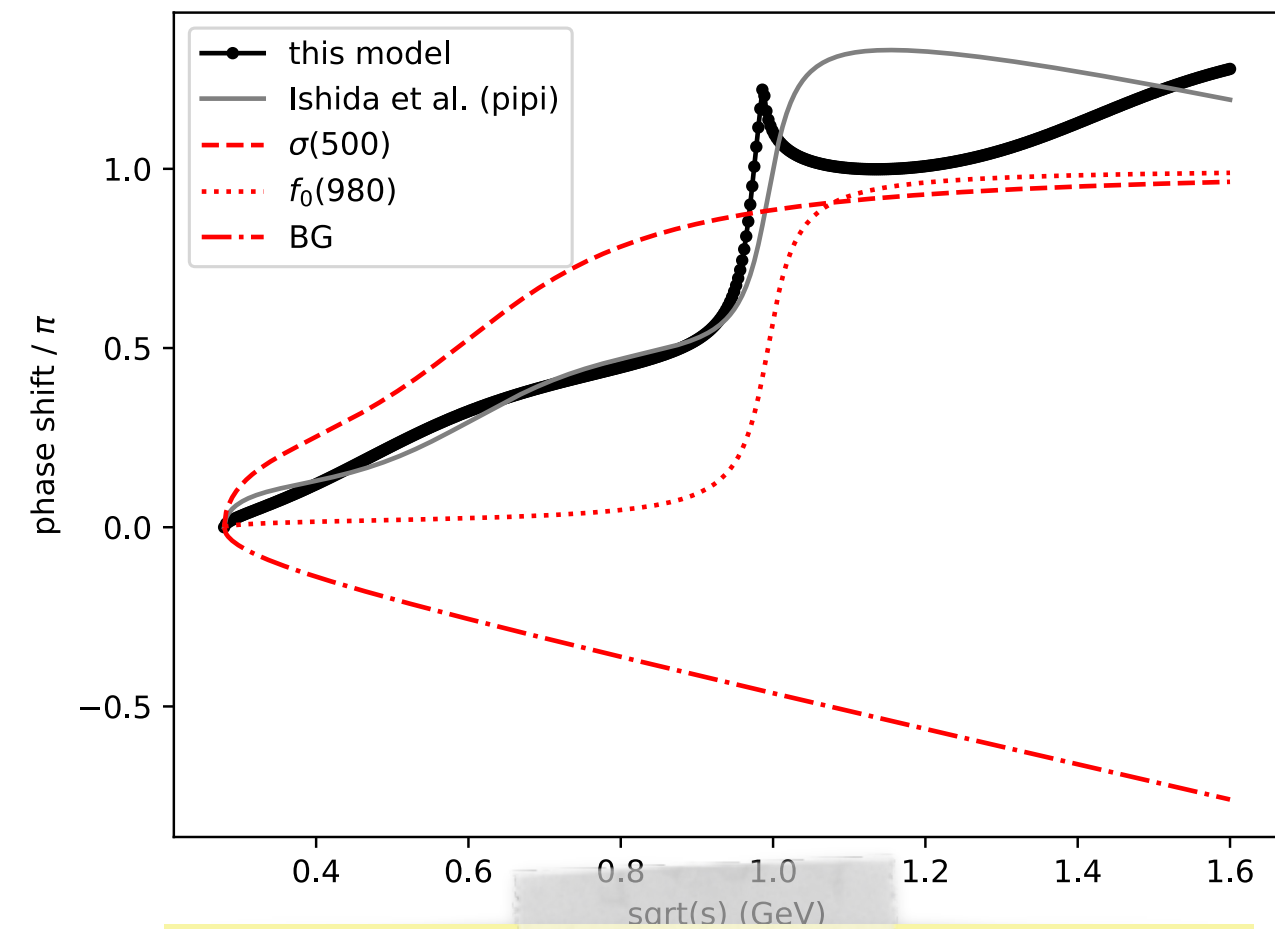
	$\text{Re } \sqrt{s}$	$\text{Im } \sqrt{s}$	sheet
p1	0.4637	-0.2357	II
p2	0.975	-0.0164	II
p3	1.401	-0.249	II
p4	0.6654	-0.2263	III
p5	1.4176	-0.2640	III
r1	0.787	+0.259	I
r2	1.410	+0.691	I
r3	0.981	-0.032	II
r4	1.393	-0.669	II
r5	0.918	+0.248	IV



II. Location of resonance poles (p_i) and roots (r_i) in the model.

repulsive corrections in
HRG-like scheme:
via roots

M (GeV)



non-Briet-Wigner
 $\Rightarrow$ poles and roots
 distribution

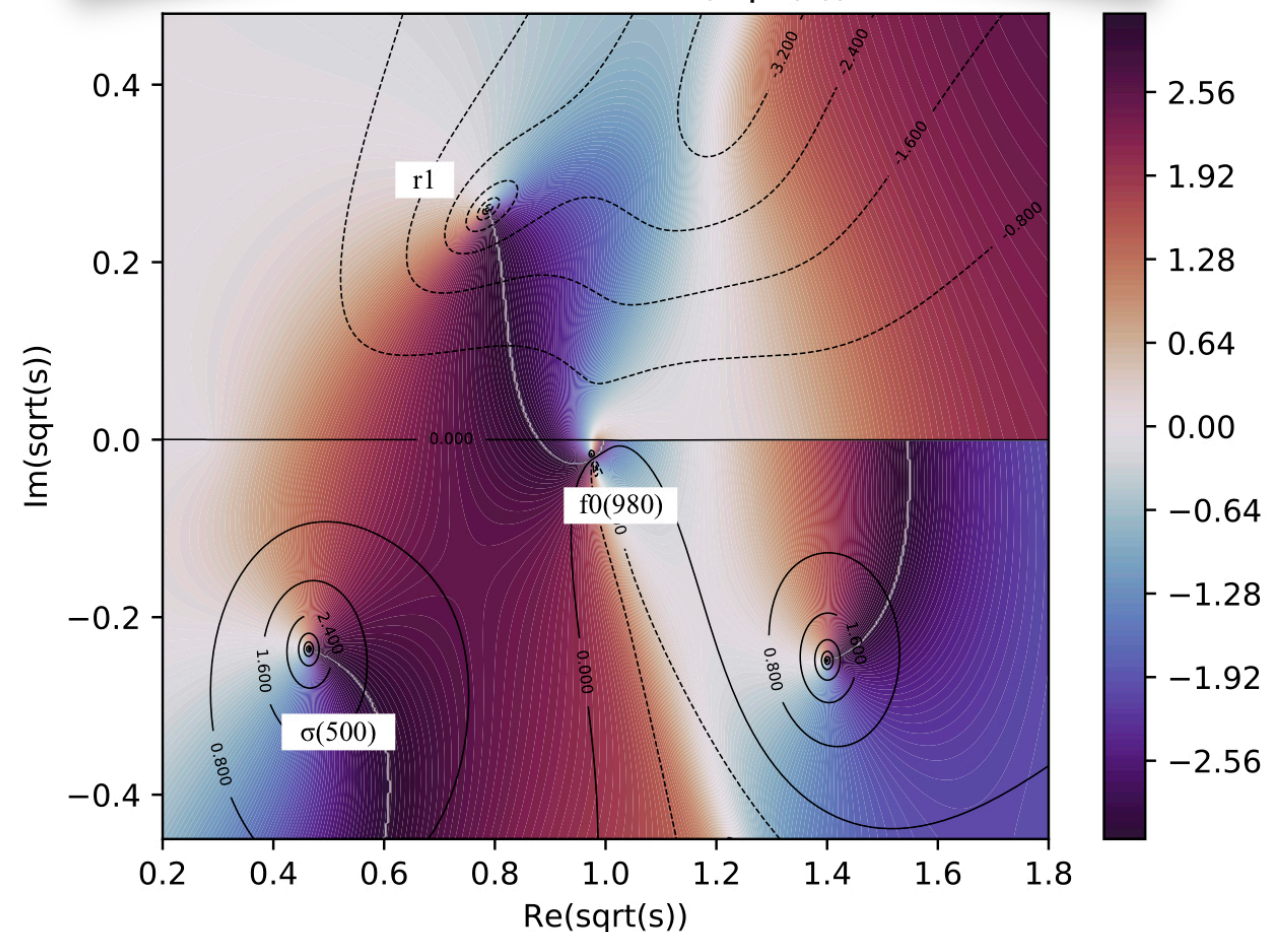
subtractive corrections

$\Delta P/T^4$

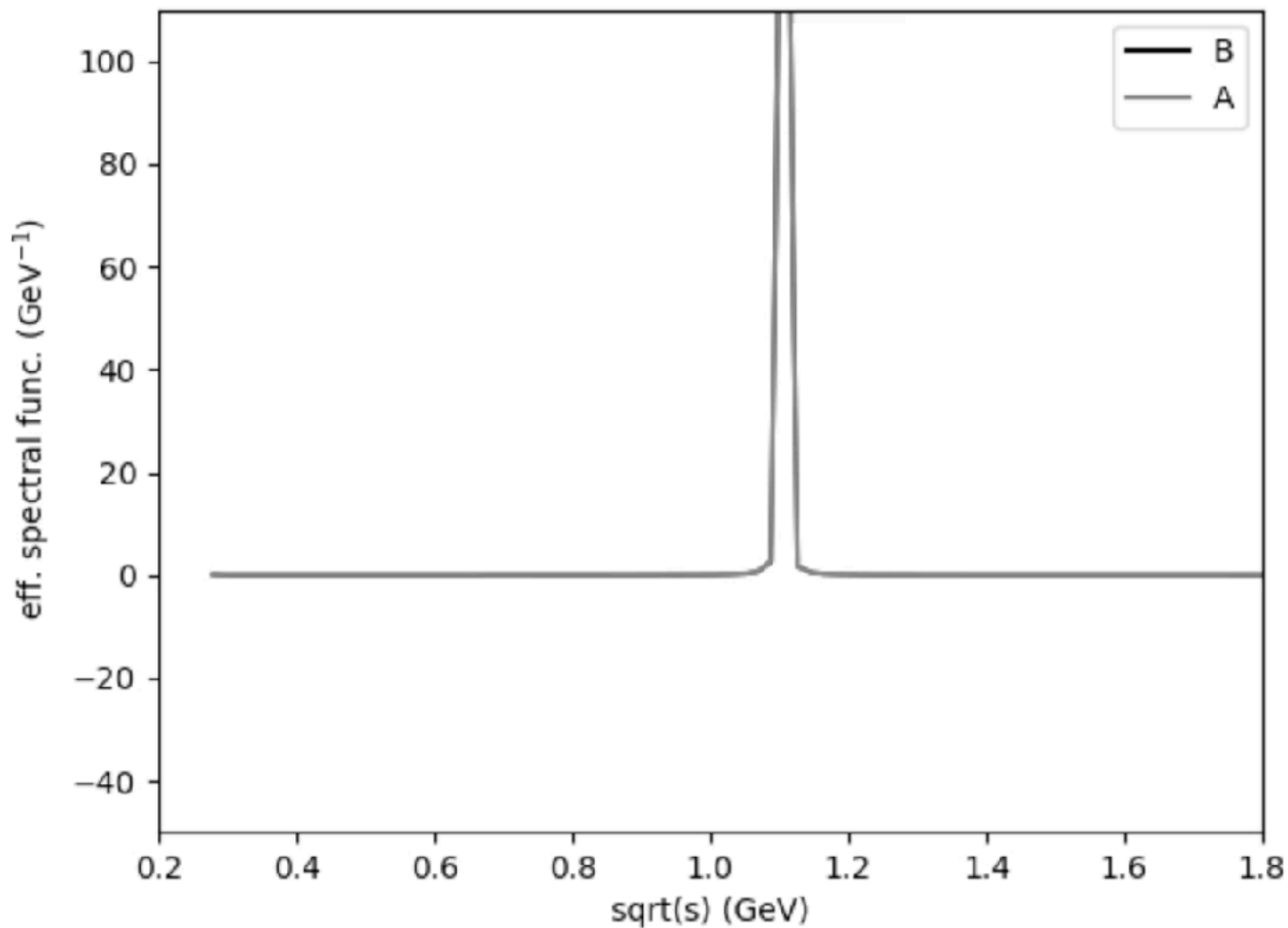
some resonances are more
 equal than others...
 (sheet structures)

T [GeV]

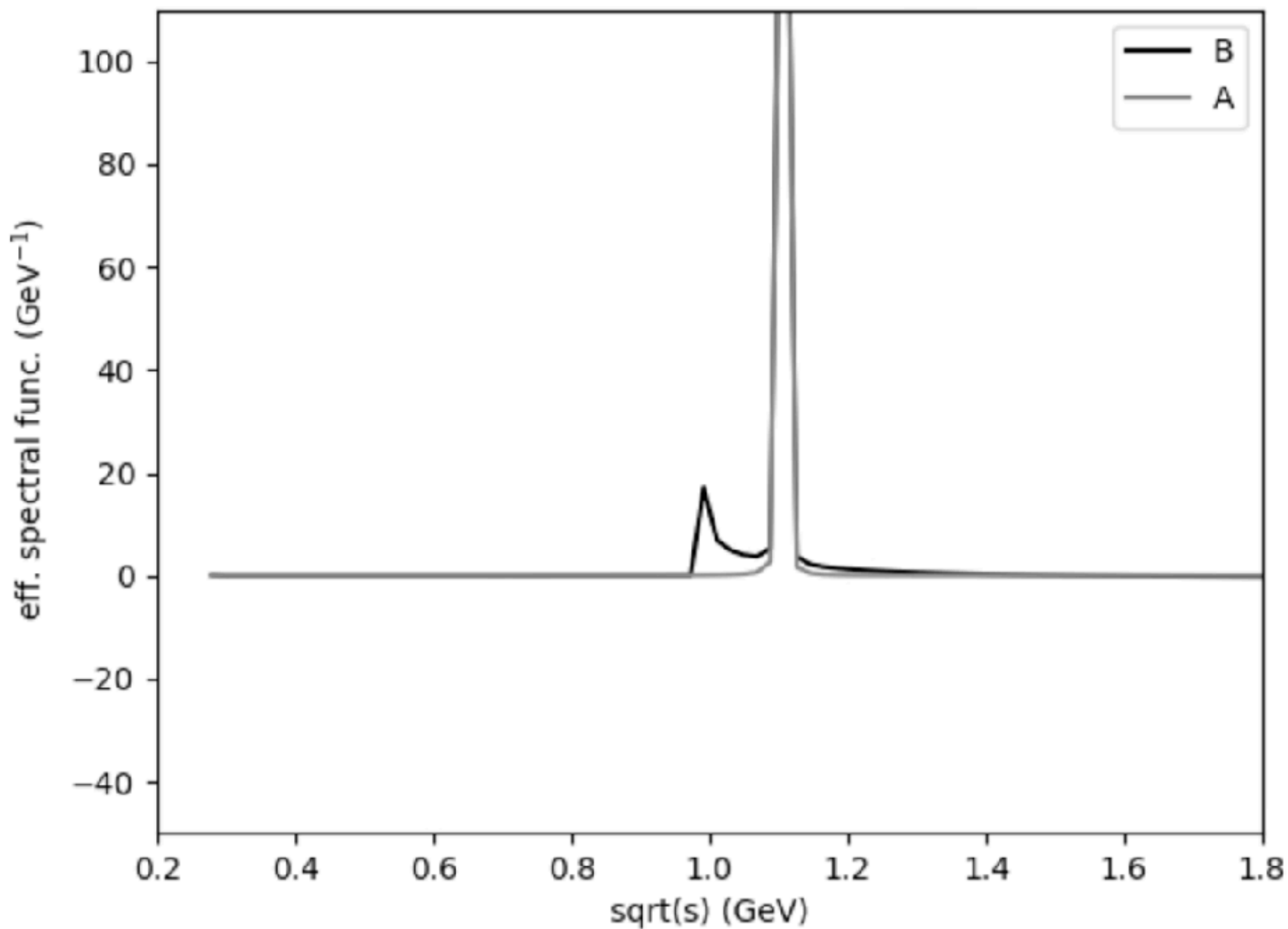
sheet I and II: $\det S(\sqrt{s})$



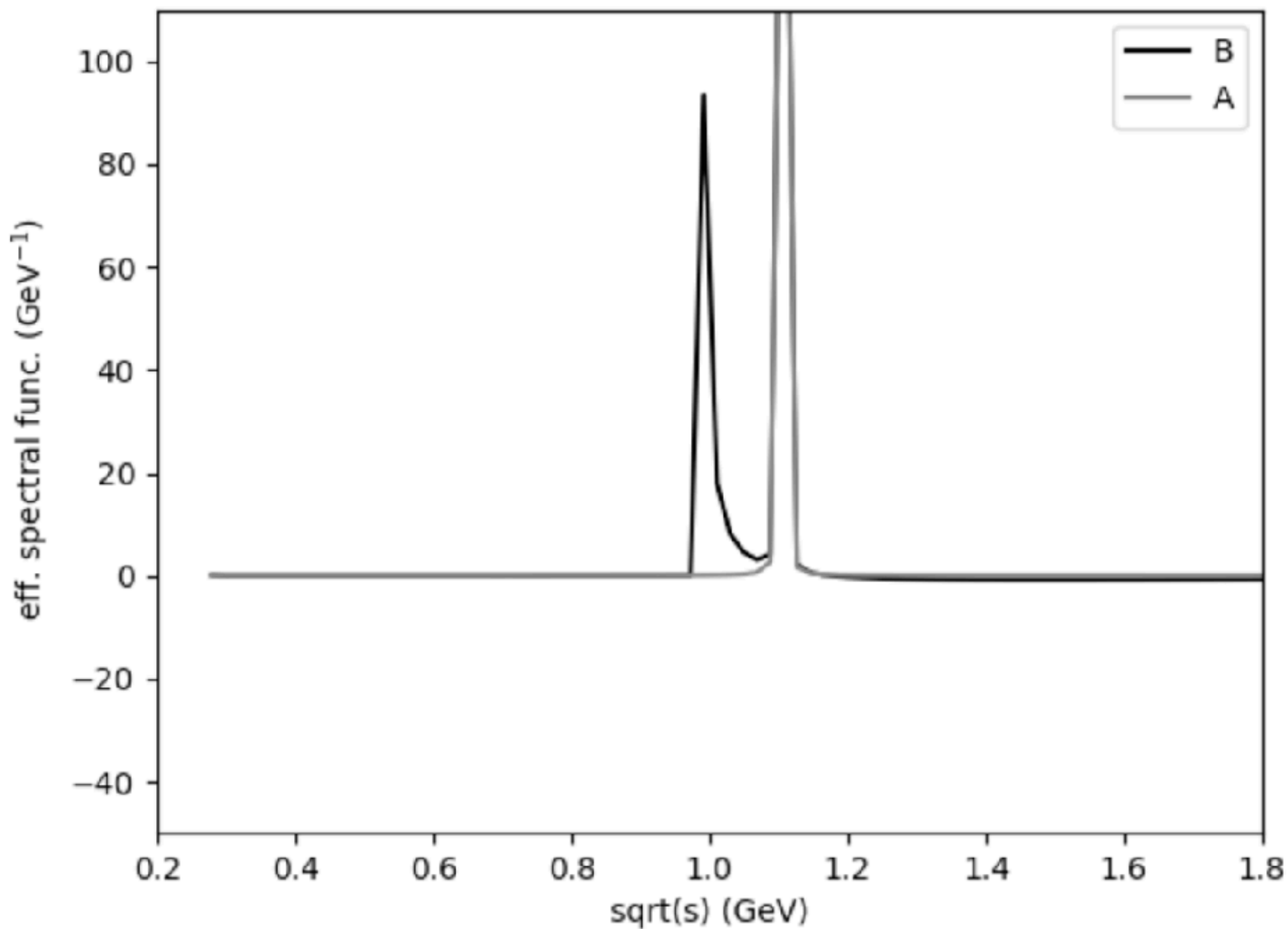
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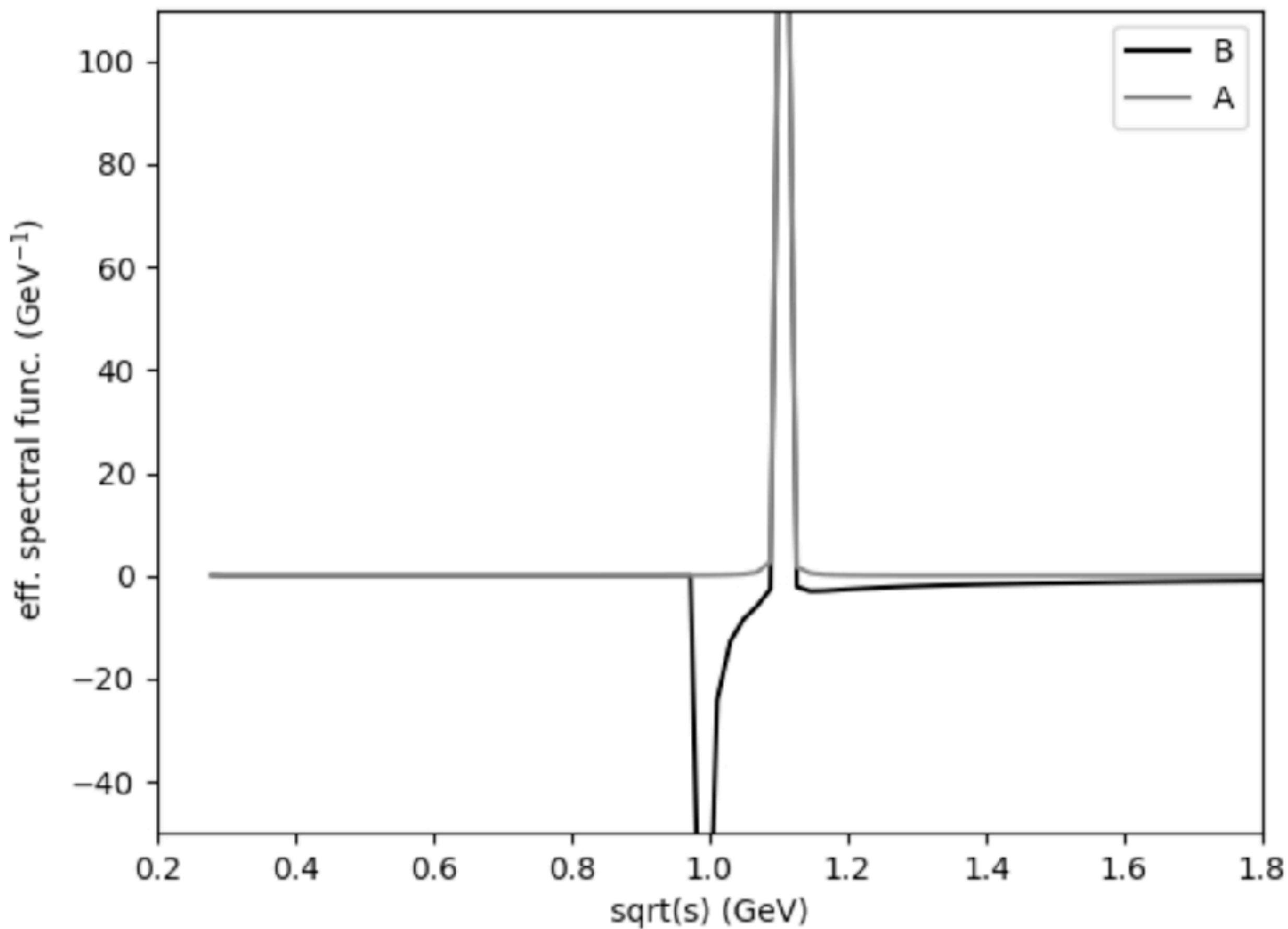
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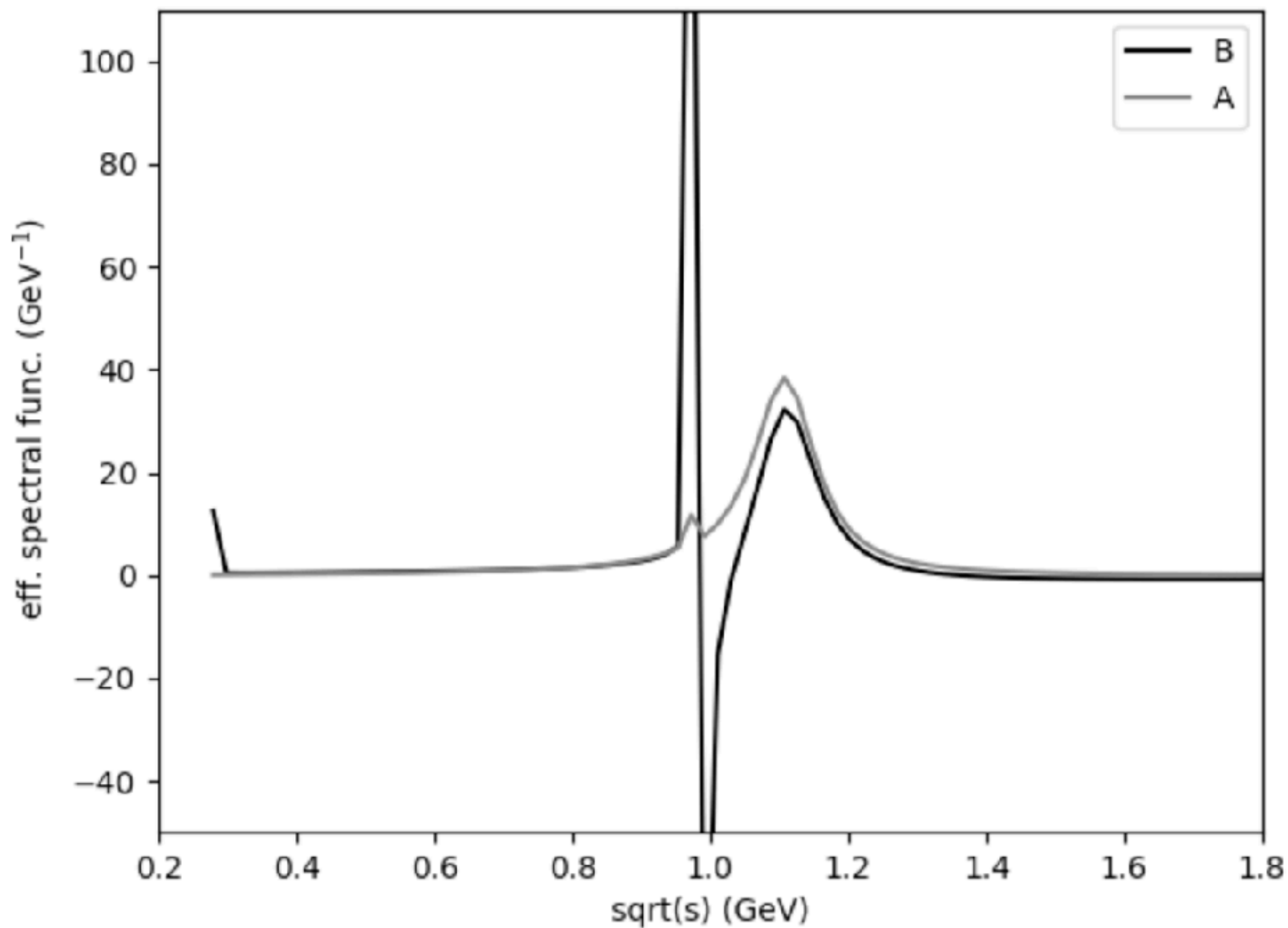
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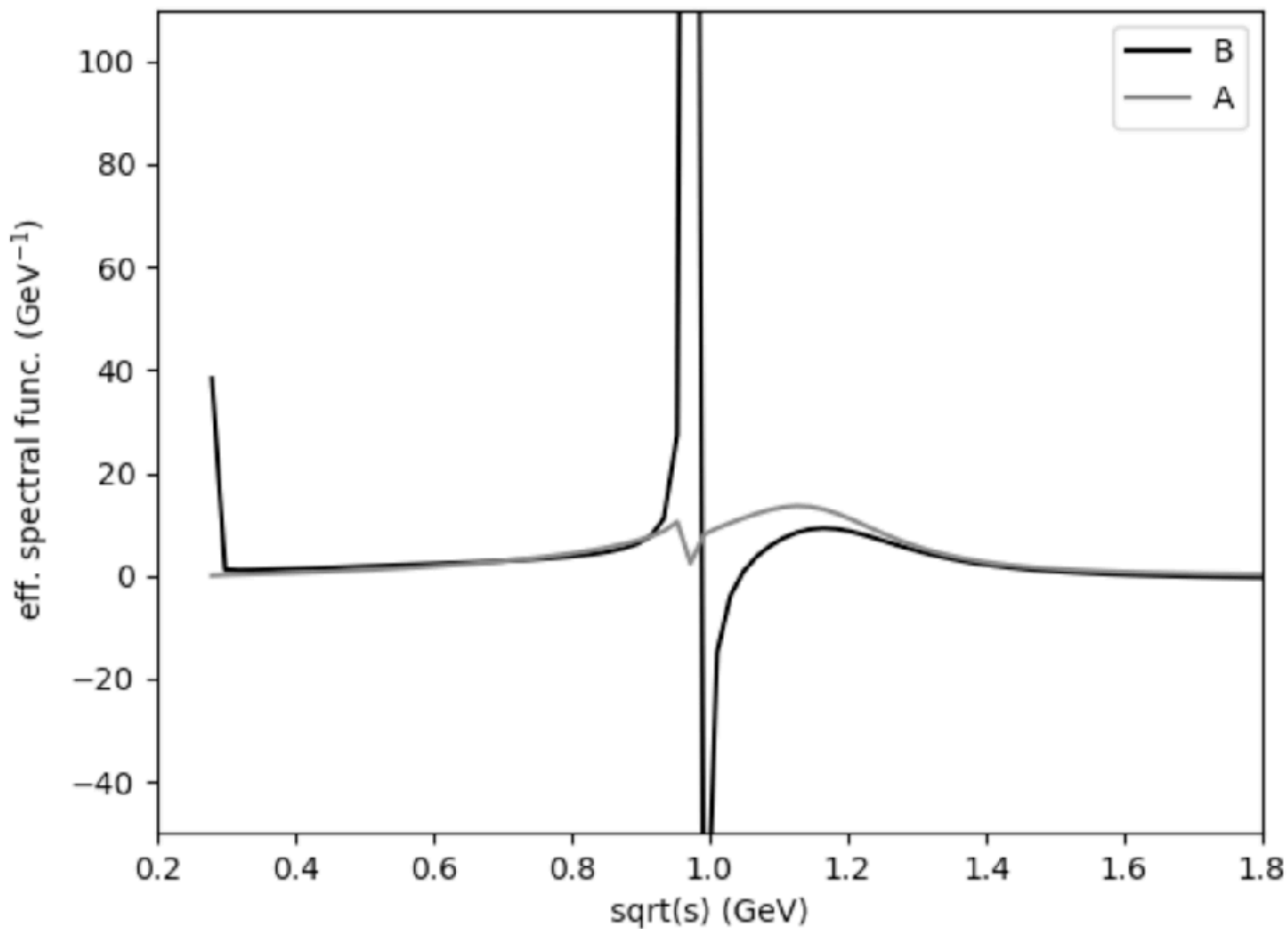
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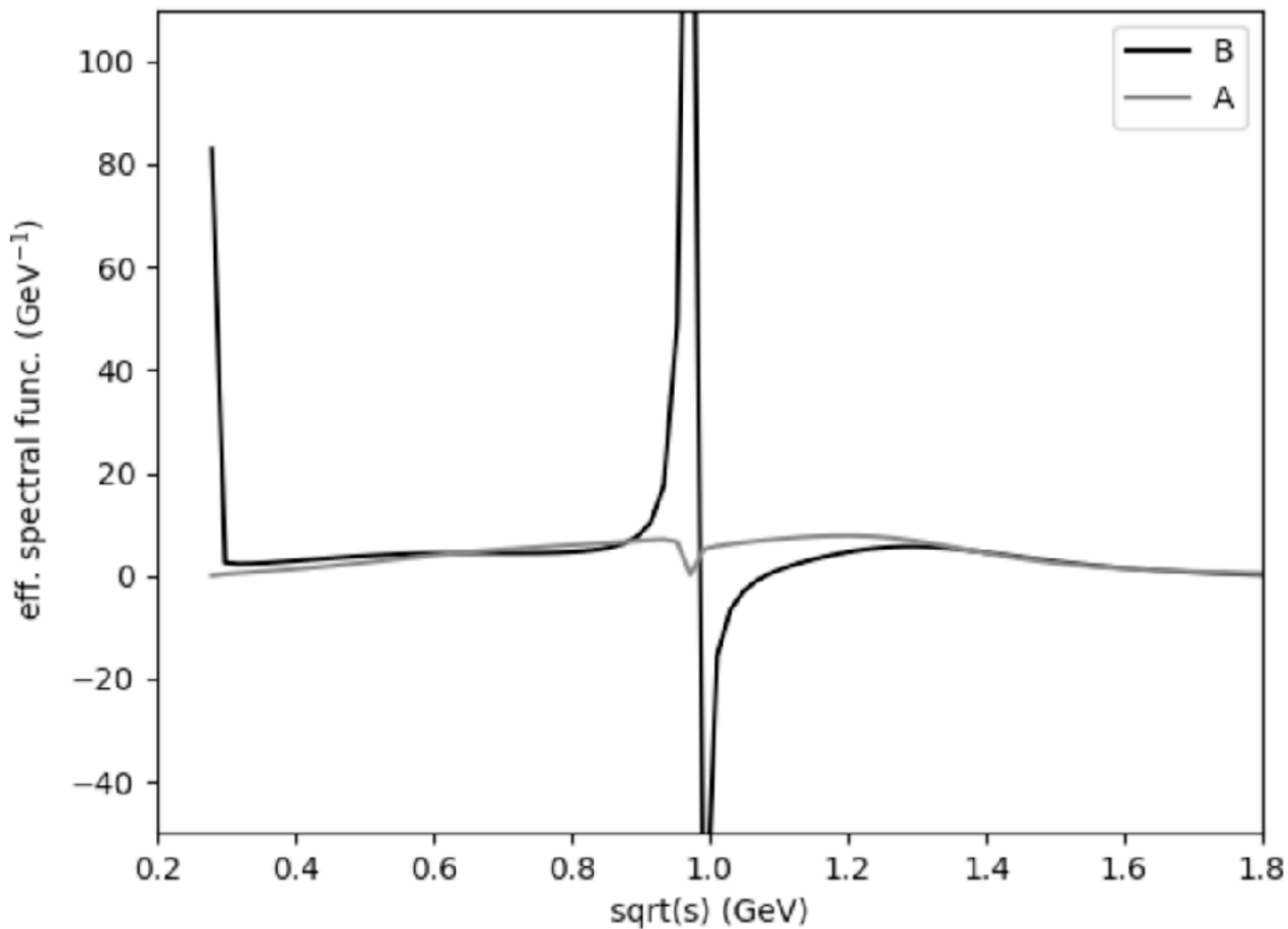
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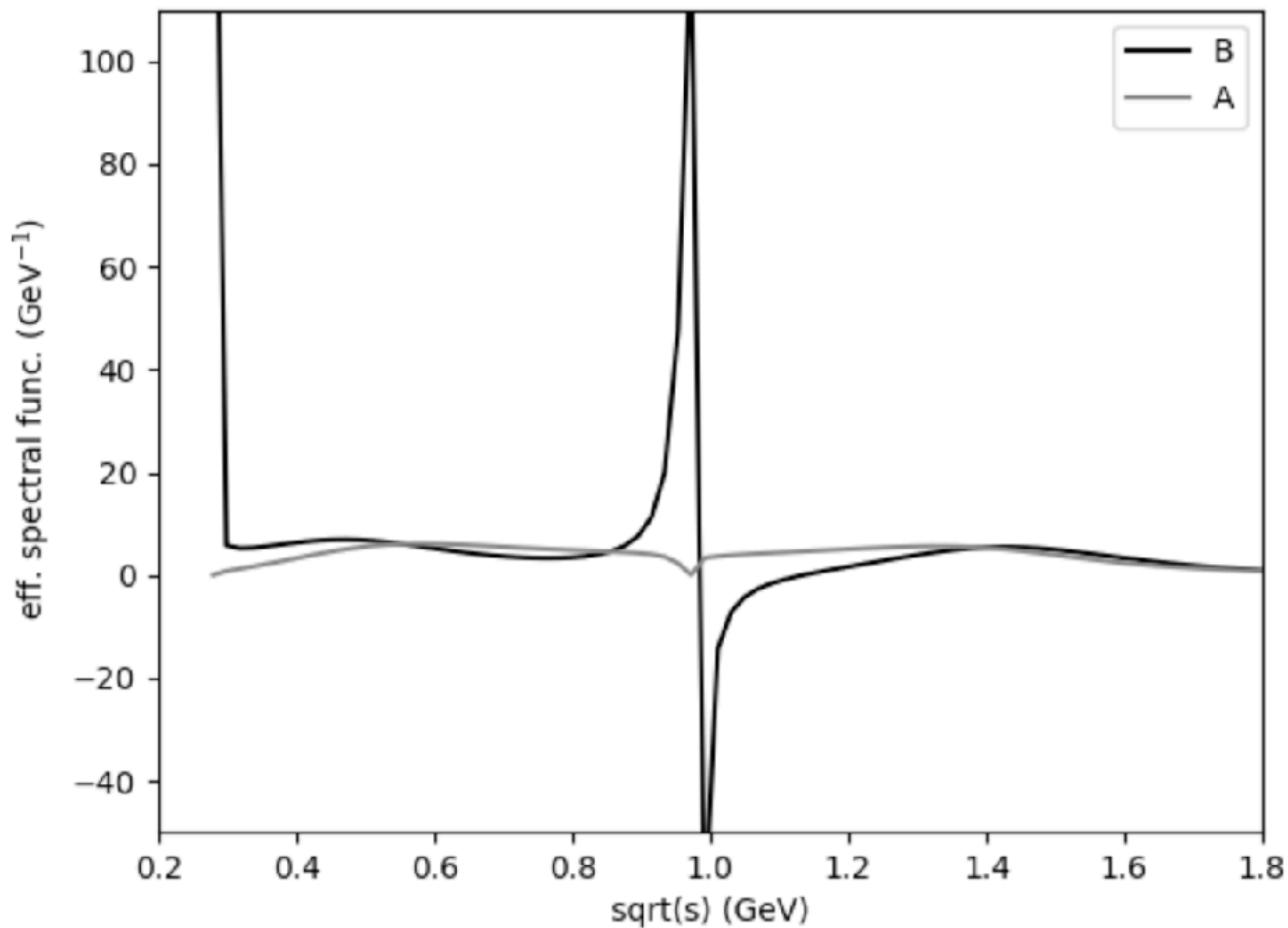
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$(x,y)=(0.641, 1.0)$

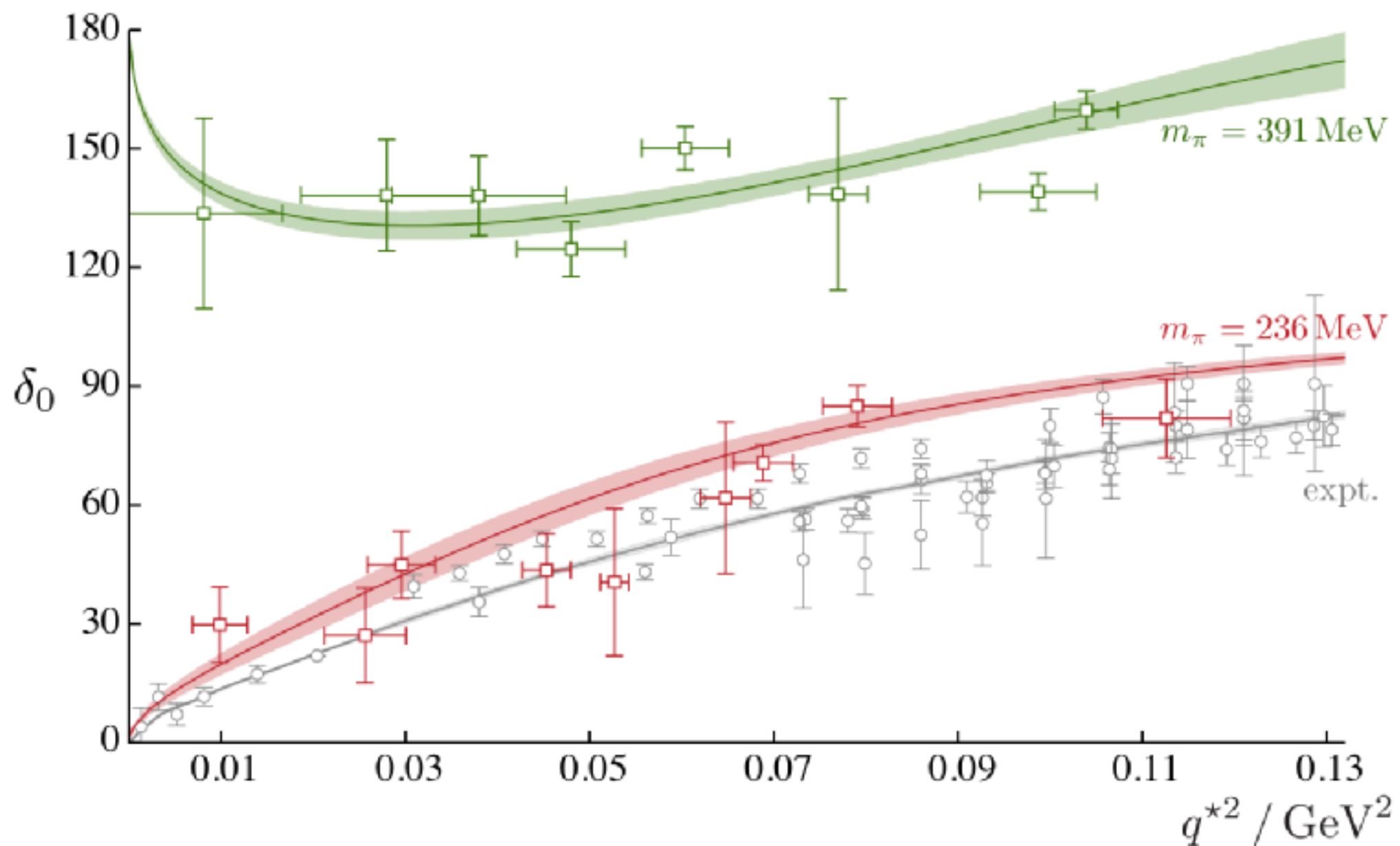


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LATTICE COMPUTATIONS ON PHASE SHIFT

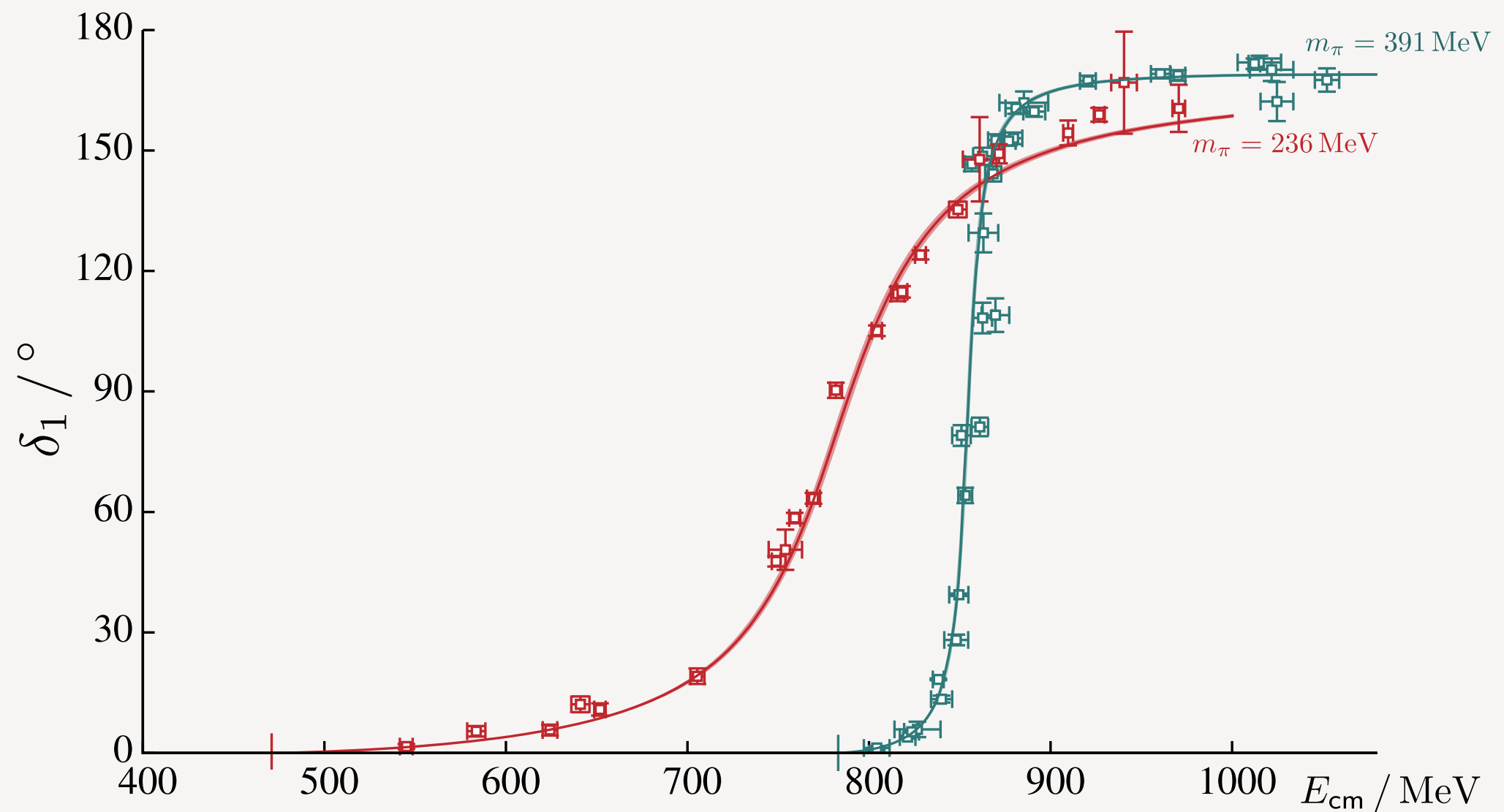
deuteron physics?



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NO SERIOUS MESON SPECTROSCOPY WITHOUT SCATTERING*

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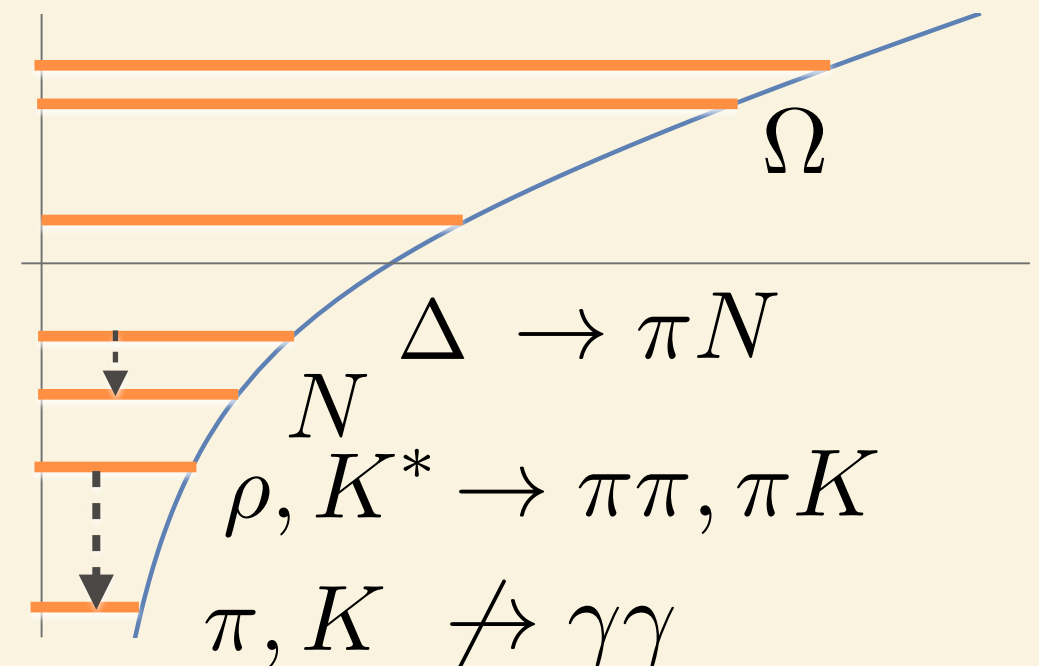
CONTINUUM

$$Z = \sum_{\alpha=B,M} \langle \alpha | e^{-\beta H} | \alpha \rangle$$

meson loops effects:
shift in hadron masses

Quark Model States:
mixing with continuum

QCD spectrum



indecently optimistic...

S-Matrix Theory of Strong Interactions without Elementary Particles*†

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1. INTRODUCTION

IN this paper I present an indecently optimistic view of strong interaction theory. My belief is that a major breakthrough has occurred and that within a relatively short period we are going to achieve a depth of understanding of strong interactions that a few years ago I, at least, did not expect to see within my lifetime. I know that few of you will be convinced by the arguments given here, but I would be masking my feelings if I were to employ a conventionally cautious attitude in this talk. I am bursting with excitement, as are a number of other theorists in this game.

tell me that this is a fetish, that field theory is an equally suitable language, but to me the basic strong-interaction concepts, simple and beautiful in a pure S-matrix approach, are weird, if not impossible, for field theory. It must be said, nevertheless, that my own awareness of these concepts was largely achieved through close collaboration with three great experts in field theory, M. L. Goldberger, Francis Low, and Stanley Mandelstam. Each of them has played a major role in the development of the strong interaction theory that I describe,¹ even though the language of my description may be repugnant to them. Murray Gell-Mann, also, although he has not actu-

PARTICLES AS S-MATRIX POLES; HADRON DEMOCRACY *

satisfy unitarity. There is no "reason" for any others. **Similarly, as Feynman and Heisenberg have both emphasized, there is no reason why some particles should be on a different footing from others. The elementary particle concept is unnecessary, at least for baryons and mesons.**

The second assumption may turn out to be closely related to the first, perhaps even a consequence, but

but some are more equal than the others?

Geoffrey F. Chew



Chew at his California home on July 2014

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Scientific career	
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Doctoral advisor	Enrico Fermi
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THE END (1)

IN-MEDIUM EFFECTS

VACUUM PHYSICS?

Quantum statistical mechanics of gases in terms of dynamical filling fractions and scattering amplitudes

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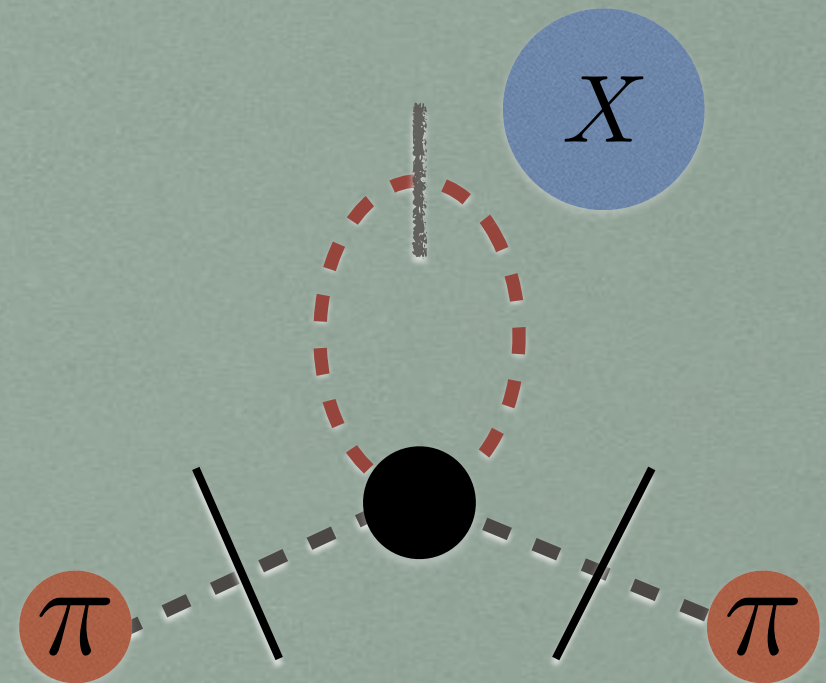
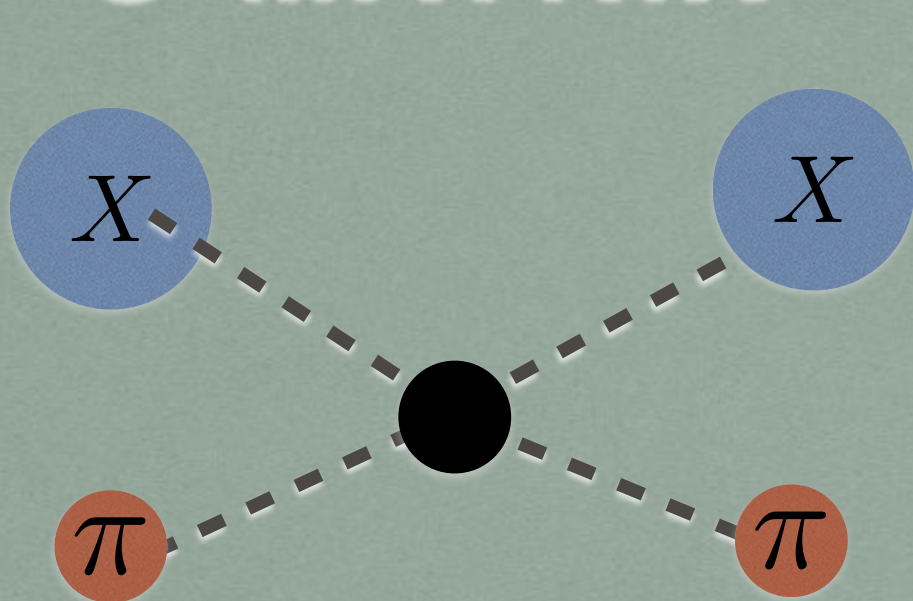
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It helps to realize that at least in principle it is possible to decouple the zero temperature dynamics and the quantum statistical sums. The argument is simple: the computation of the partition function $Z = \text{Tr}(e^{-\beta H})$ is in principle possible from the complete knowledge of the zero temperature eigenstates of the Hamiltonian H . In practice this is rather difficult and one resorts to perturbative methods such as the Matsubara method, which unfortunately entangles the zero temperature dynamics from the quantum statistical mechanics. However,

IN-MEDIUM EFFECTS FROM S-MATRIX



$$\Delta P = N_{\text{th}}^A N_{\text{th}}^B \times \frac{4\pi f}{2m_{\text{red}}}.$$

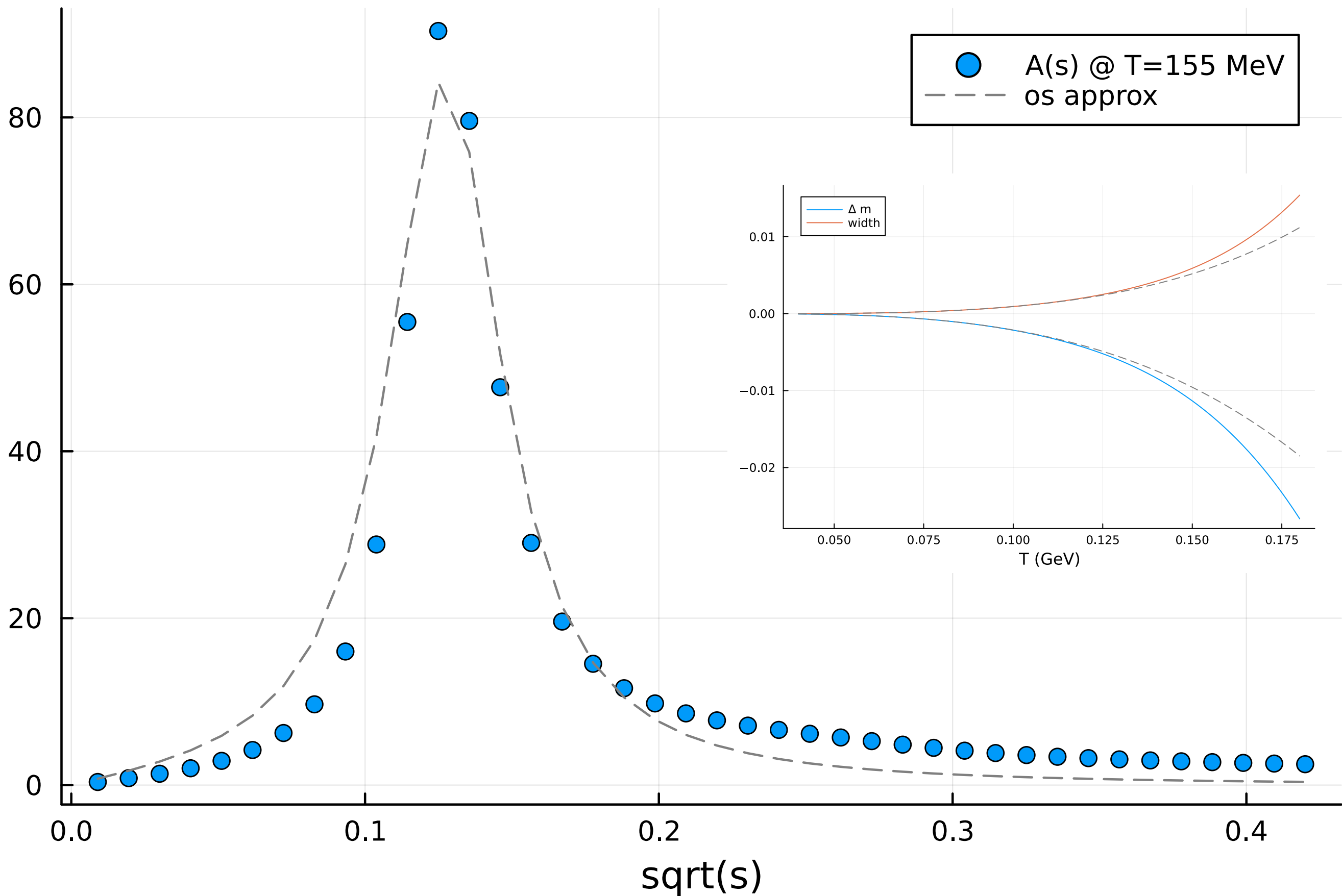
$$\Sigma_A(E_A) = \int \frac{d^3 k_B}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_B} n_{\text{th}}(E_B) T(AB \rightarrow AB).$$

$$\Delta m_A = \frac{1}{2E_A} \text{Re } \Sigma_A(p)$$

$$\approx N_{\text{th}}^B \times \frac{-4\pi f}{2m_{\text{red}}}.$$

A. Schenk NPB 363 (1991)

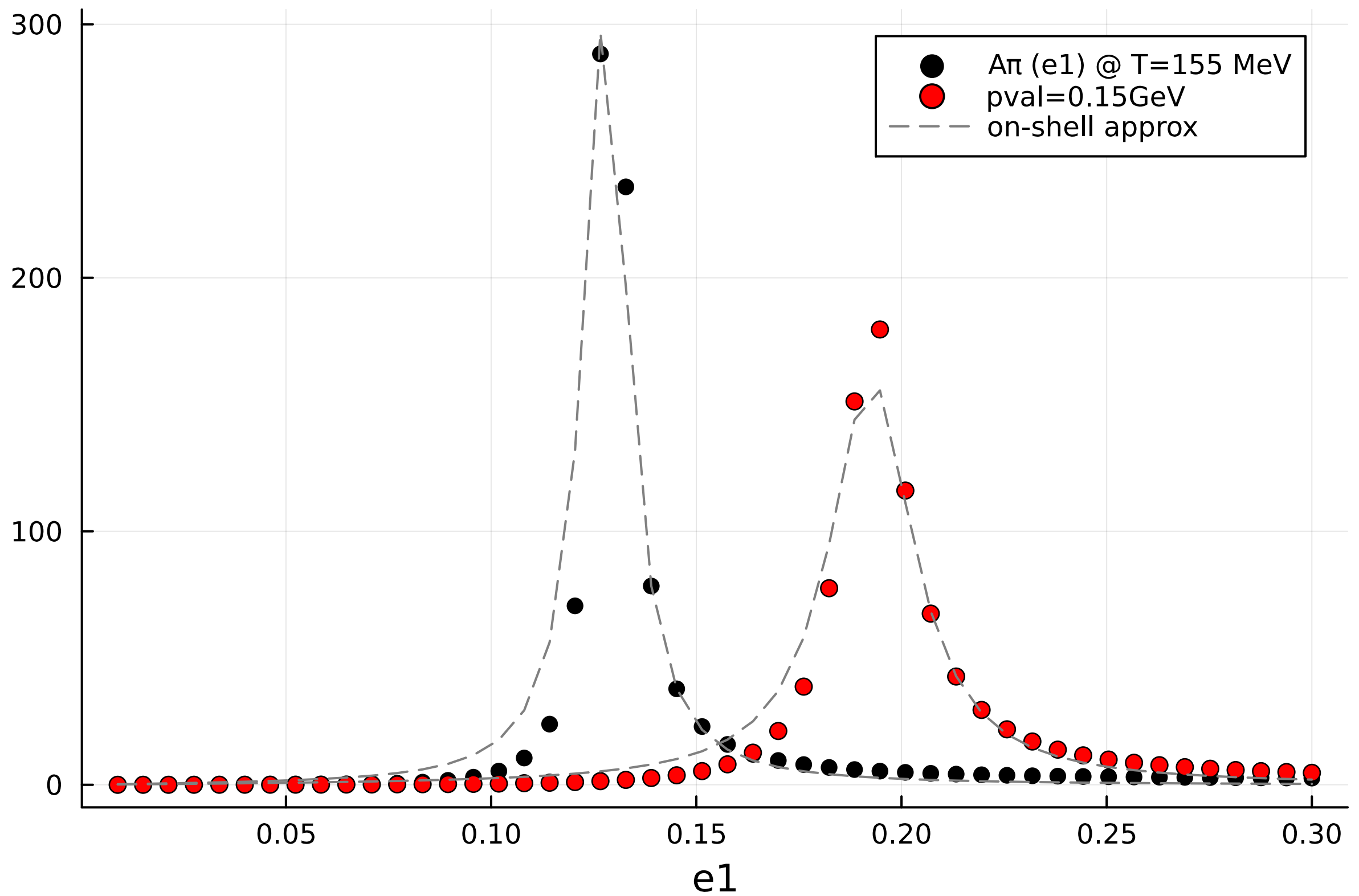
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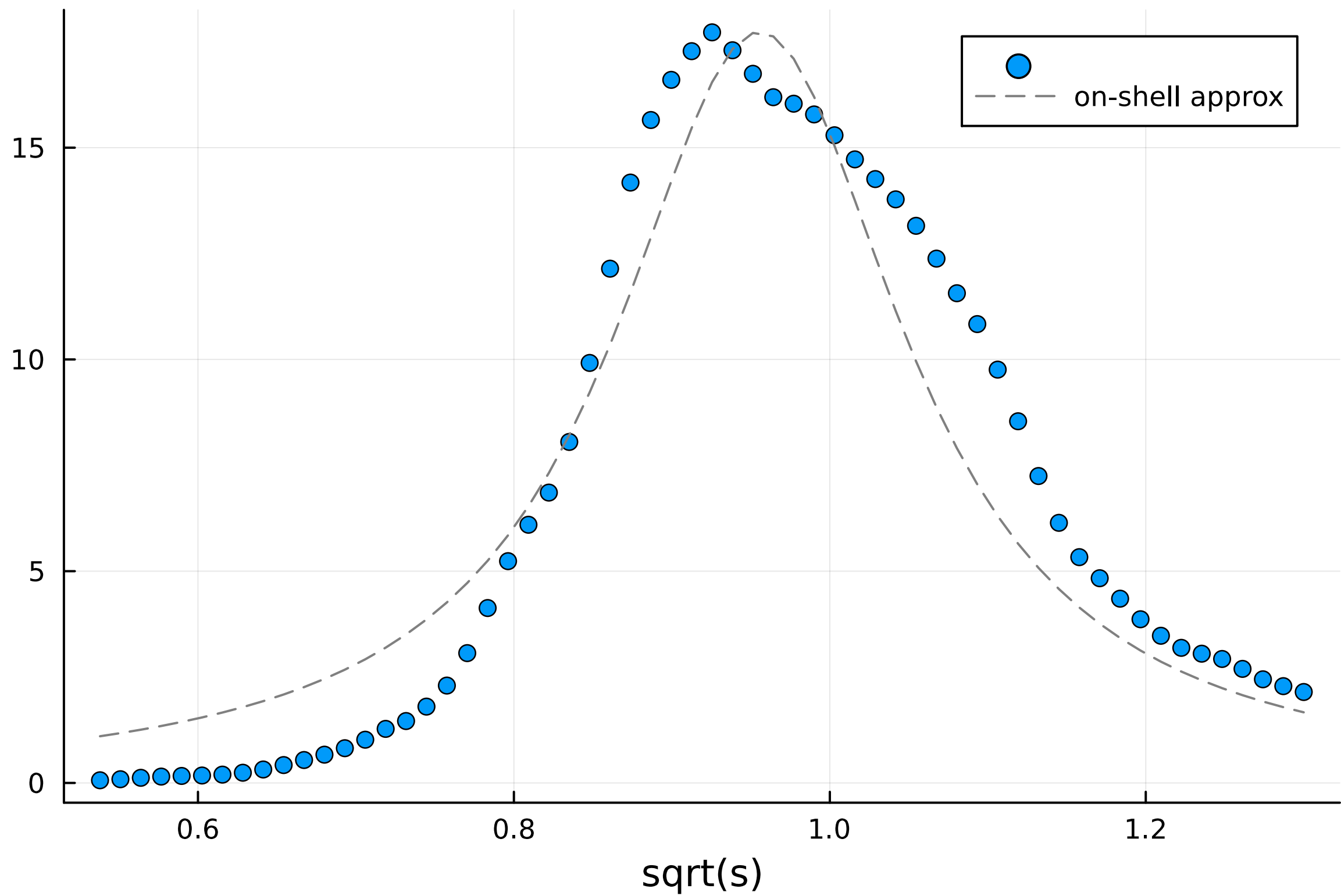
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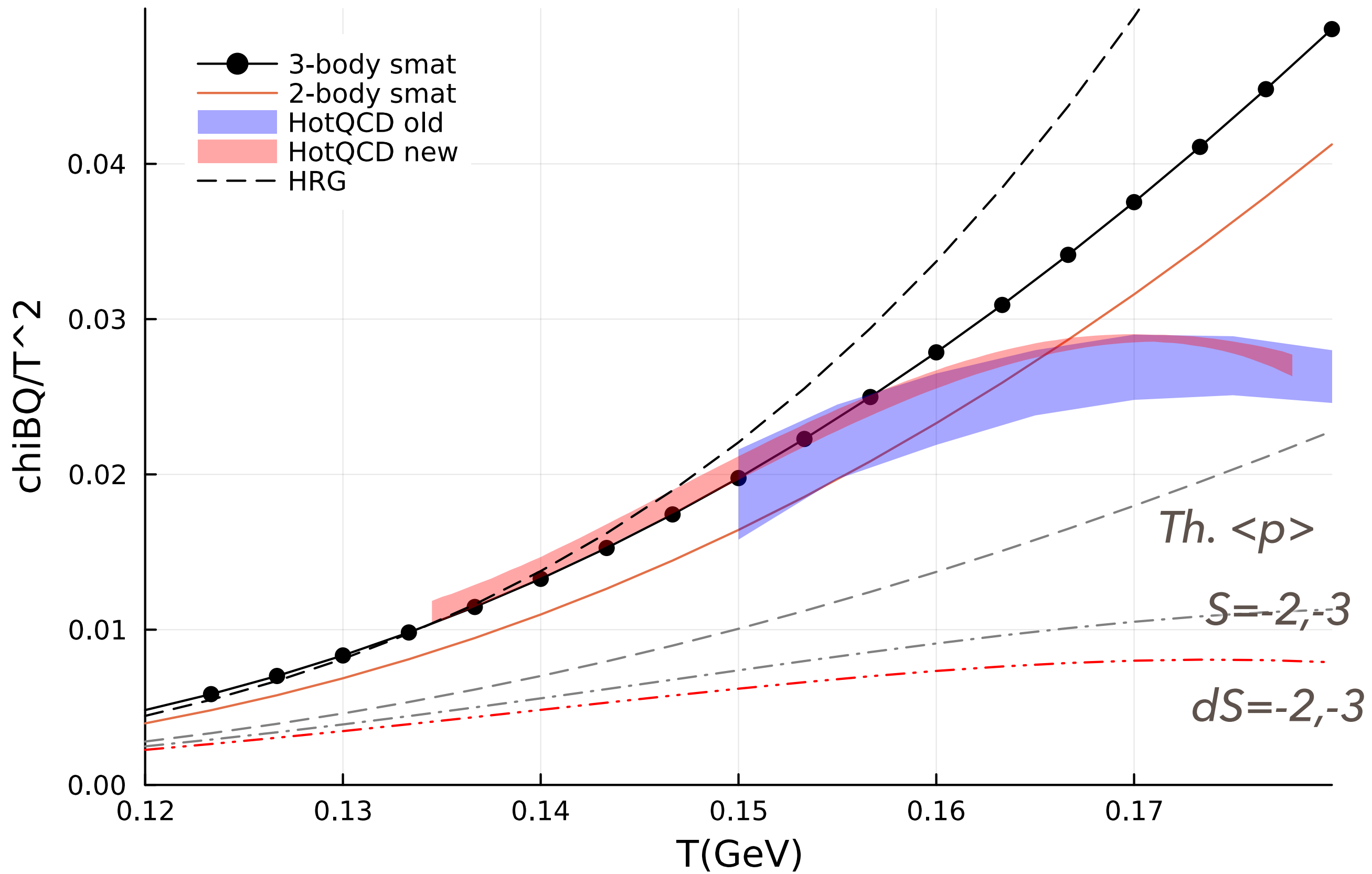


Proton spectral function

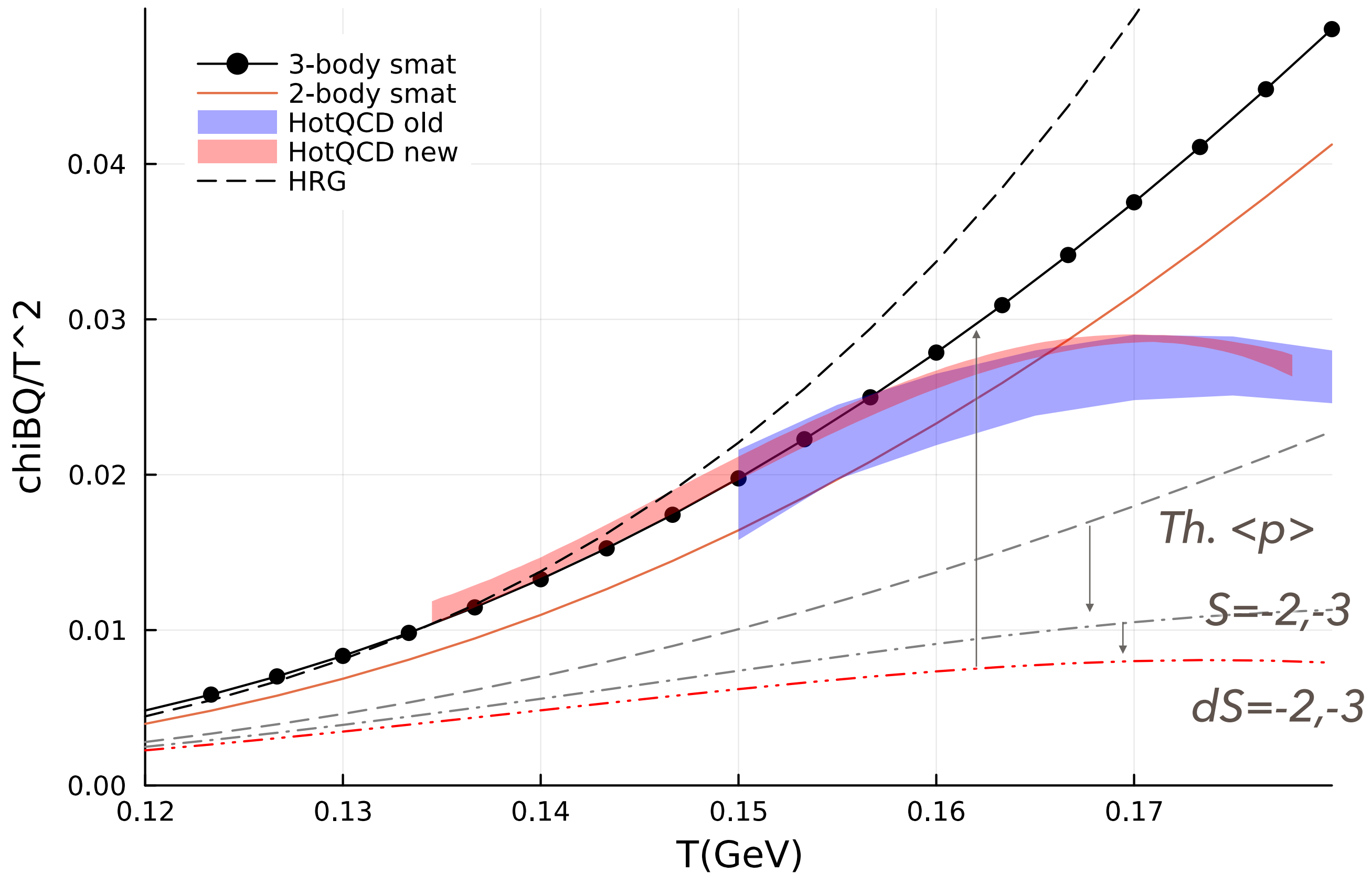


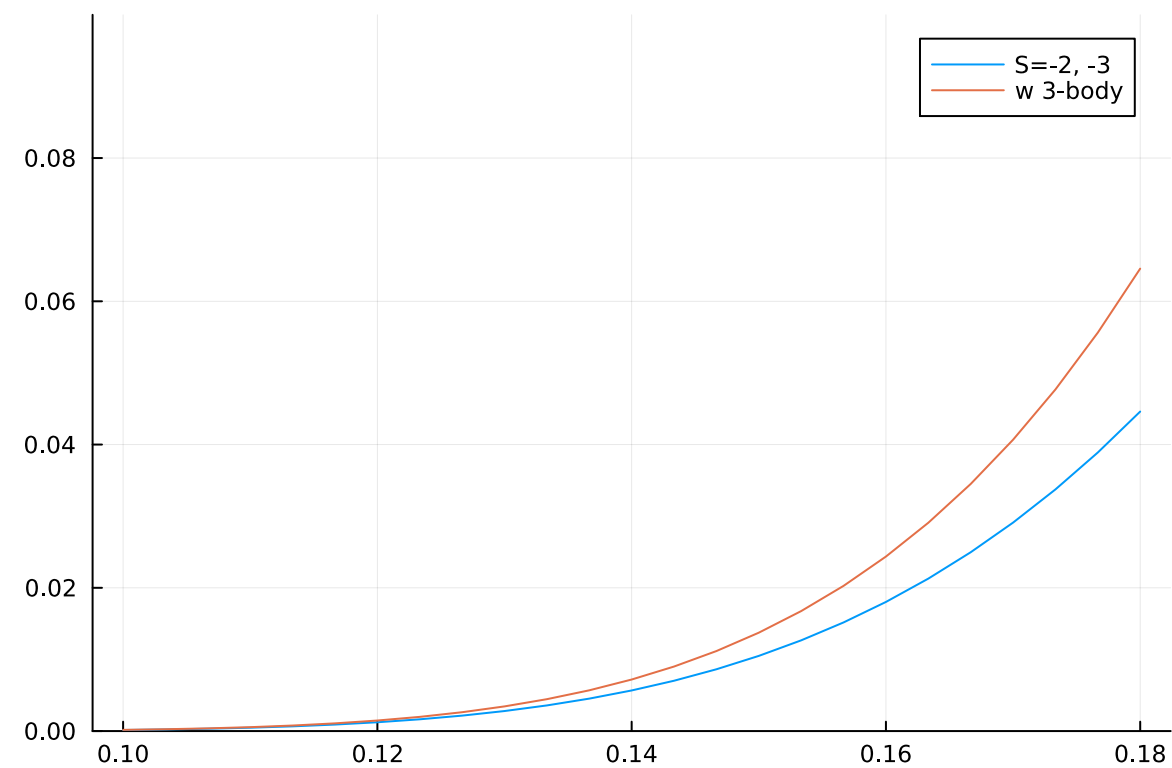
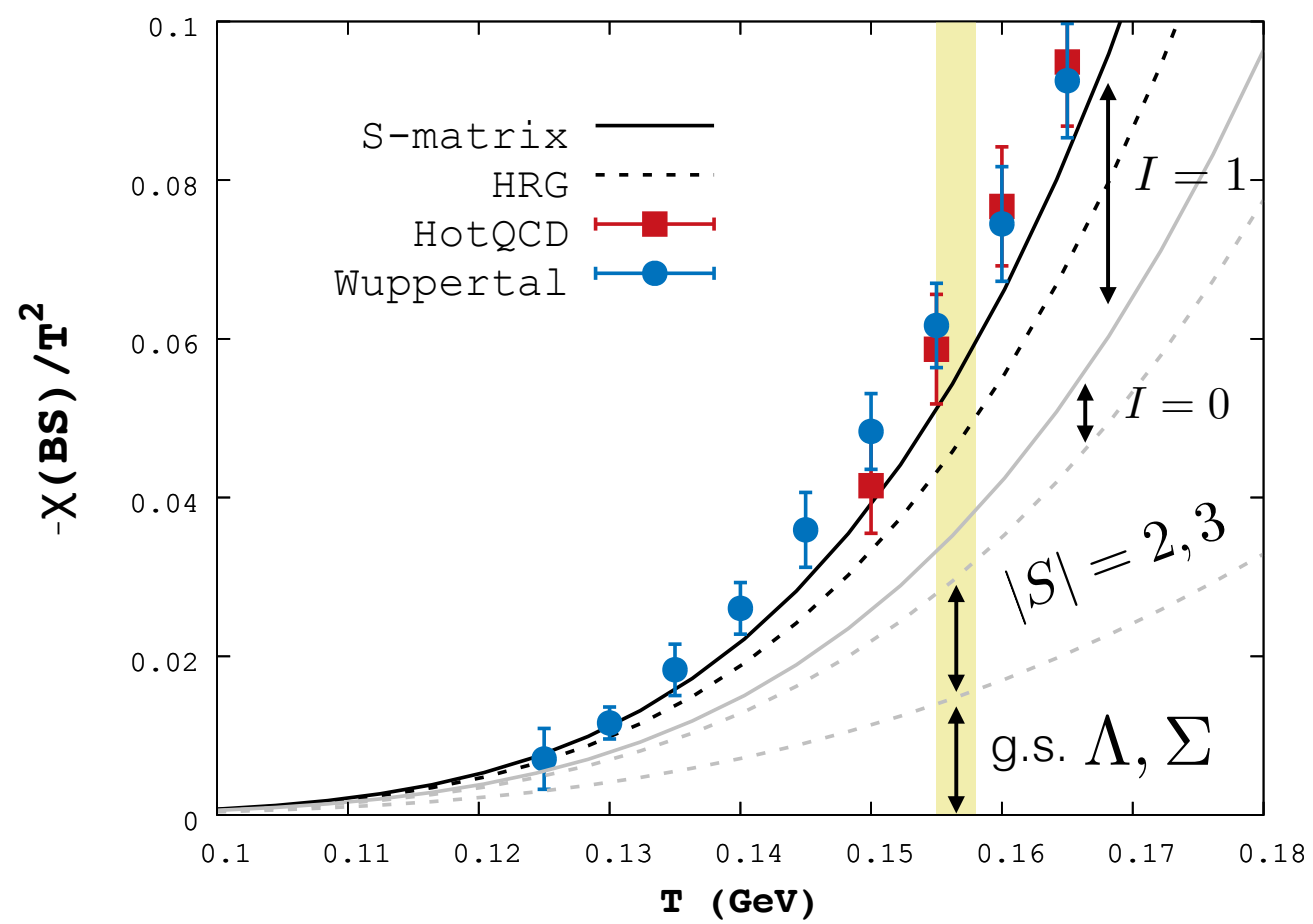
A SMALL UPDATE

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THANK YOU!

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