

The QCD Equation of State at very high temperatures

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- The QCD Equation of State and its role
- Determination at high temperatures from lattice QCD
- Results for QCD with 3 flavours up to the electro-weak scale
- Conclusions & Outlook

The Equation of State

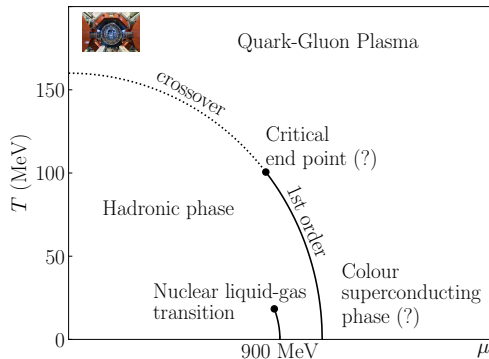
- The [Equation of State \(EoS\)](#) describes the equilibrium behaviour of the QCD plasma as a function of the temperature T and chemical potential μ
- Composed by e.g.
 - [pressure](#), p
 - [entropy density](#), s
 - [energy density](#), e

of the QCD plasma

- EoS at $T \lesssim 200$ MeV relevant for
 - Exploration of QCD phase diagram
 - Nuclear physics, neutron stars
 - Heavy-ion collision experiments

- [This talk](#): focus on T -dependence of EoS, at $\mu = 0$

$\mu \neq 0$: [Seppänen, Tue 9:45], [Mandl, Tue 12:00], [Schröder, Tue 14:00], [Cai, Fri 14:45], [Oevermann, poster], [Passarella, poster], [Navarrete, poster]



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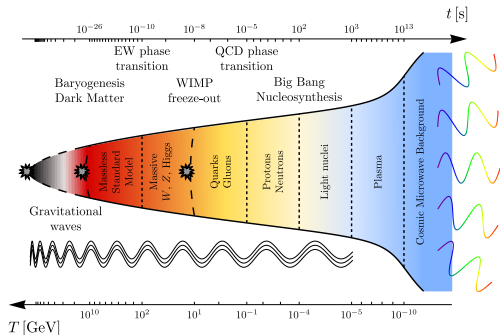
- QCD EoS at all temperatures up to the electro-weak scale (~ 100 GeV) relevant for Cosmology and physics of the Early Universe
- EoS of Standard Model (SM) determines the expansion rate of the Universe through Friedmann equations

$$\begin{cases} \dot{e} = -3H(e + p) \\ H^2 = \frac{8GH}{3}e \end{cases}$$

where H Hubble parameter

- Influence on cosmological observables like primordial GWs, dark matter abundance, ...

[Review: Saikawa, Shirai 18-20]



[Schmitz 22]

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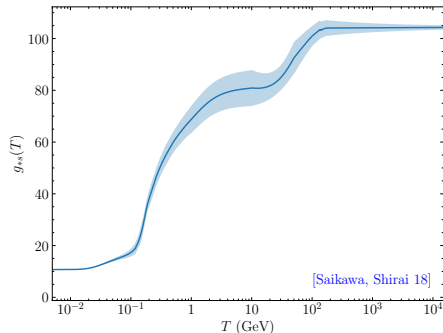
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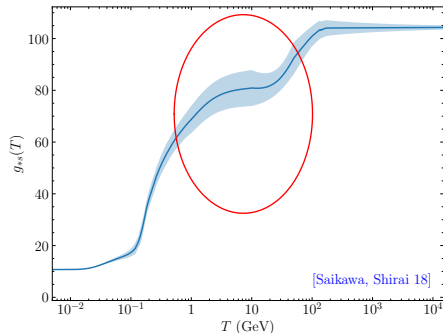
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- Main source of uncertainty from QCD EoS, because of
 - lack of lattice results at $T \gtrsim 1$ GeV
 - poor convergence of thermal perturbation theory

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⇒ Call for a non-perturbative study of thermal QCD up to the electro-weak scale

Thermal effective theories of QCD

- Thermal effective theories: high- T expansion of QCD

[Ginsparg 80; Linde 80; Appelquist, Pisarski 81; Braaten, Nieto 95-96; ...]

- Three relevant scales for thermal QCD: ($\hat{g}$ = QCD ren. coupling)

$M = \pi T + \dots$ Fermions and non-zero Matsubara gluons **hard scale**

$m_E \propto \hat{g}T + \dots$ A_0 zero Matsubara gluons **soft scale**

$g_E^2 = \hat{g}^2 T + \dots$ A_i zero Matsubara gluons **ultrasoft scale**

- Asymptotic freedom $\Rightarrow$ hierarchy of scales at asymptotically high T

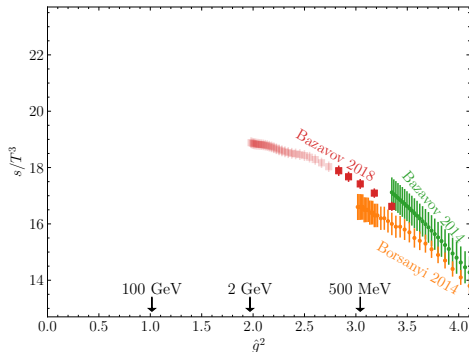
$$\frac{g_E^2}{\pi} \ll m_E \ll \pi T \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \left(\frac{\hat{g}}{\pi}\right)^2 \ll \frac{\hat{g}}{\pi} \ll 1$$

- Perturbation theory (PT) developed for hard and soft scales (ptQCD, EQCD)
- Non-perturbative (NP) contributions from the ultrasoft scale (MQCD)

NP definition of MQCD: [Catumba, poster]

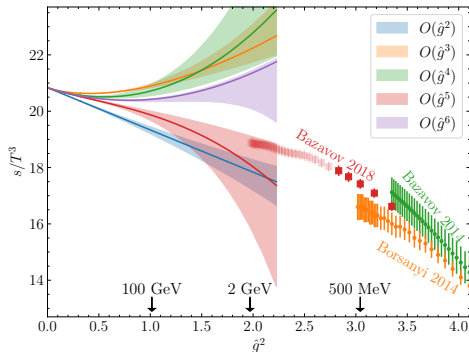
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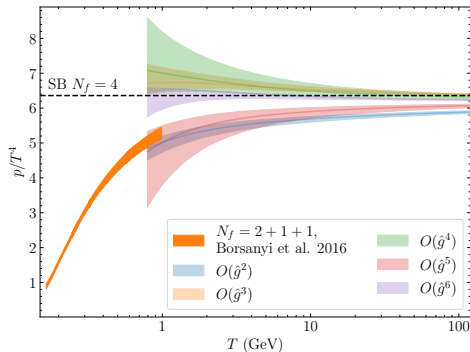
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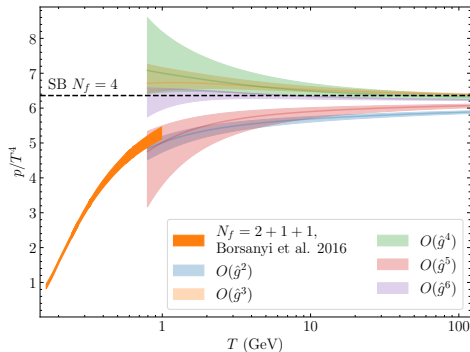
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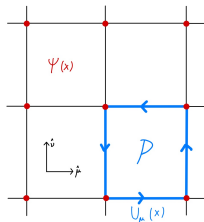
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⇒ Our goal: non-perturbative determination of EoS up to the electro-weak scale

Lattice QCD

QCD can be defined on a discretized space-time so that **gauge invariance** is preserved

- In 4-dim Euclidean spacetime, consider a lattice with $(L_0/a) \times (L/a)^3$ points, a = lattice spacing
- **Gauge field**: $U_\mu(x) \in \text{SU}(3)$ link variables
- **Quark field**: $\bar{\psi}(x), \psi(x)$ are N_f triplets in colour space
- Many ways to discretize QCD action; we consider Wilson's lattice action:



$$S = S_G + S_F, \quad S_G = \frac{1}{g_0^2} \sum_{\mathcal{P}} \text{tr} \{1 - \mathcal{P}\}, \quad S_F = a^4 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x)(D + M_0)\psi(x)$$

- * g_0^2 = bare coupling squared
- * M_0 = bare quark mass matrix
- * D = Wilson-Dirac operator

Temperature of the system $T = 1/L_0$

- * L_0 finite $\Rightarrow$ thermal QCD
- * $L_0 \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow$ vacuum QCD

Lattice QCD

Given a lattice field $\mathcal{O}$, its expectation value is given by the lattice path integral

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \int D[U, \bar{\psi}, \psi] \mathcal{O}[U, \bar{\psi}, \psi] e^{-S} = \int DU P[U] \tilde{\mathcal{O}}[U], \quad P[U] = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \det(D + M_0) e^{-S_G}$$

1) At given bare lattice parameters $(g_0^2, aM_0, L_0/a, L/a)$, estimate $\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle$ by

- Monte Carlo sampling of U -field configurations according to $P[U]$
- Average over the sampled gauge configurations

$$U^{(1)} \rightarrow U^{(2)} \rightarrow \dots U^{(N)} \quad \langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \tilde{\mathcal{O}}[U^{(i)}] + O(1/\sqrt{N})$$

$\Rightarrow$ in lattice QCD, **errors** have a well-defined **statistical** meaning

2) Repeat the calculation by tuning bare parameters such that a decreases

- QCD is **non-perturbatively** defined as the continuum limit ($a \rightarrow 0$) and infinite-volume limit ($L \rightarrow \infty$) of lattice QCD
- In practice, the limit is usually taken by extrapolation

EoS from the lattice: state of the art

Hadronic renormalization schemes

Determine the lattice spacing in physical units through

$$a(g_0^2) = [a\mathcal{M}_{\text{had}}](g_0^2)/\mathcal{M}_{\text{had}}$$

- $\mathcal{M}_{\text{had}} \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \sim 200 \text{ MeV}$ (e.g. m_π, m_K, f_π, f_K)
- Calculation carried out in **zero- T** lattices ($L_0 \rightarrow \infty$)
- $a(g_0^2)$ is then used in **finite- T** lattices (L_0 short and periodic)

Integral methods

Pressure determined as

[Boyd et al. 96]

$$\frac{p(T)}{T^4} - \frac{p(T_0)}{T_0^4} = \int_{T_0}^T dT' \frac{\Theta(T')}{(T')^5}$$

- Trace anomaly $\Theta(T) = e(T) - 3p(T)$ computed on **finite- T** lattices
- Subtraction at $T_0 \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll T$ required to define the EoS

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* $T = 200 \text{ MeV}$ ($\sim$ QCD crossover) $\rightarrow L/a \gtrsim 50$ ●

* $T = 1 \text{ GeV}$ ($\sim$ charm scale) $\rightarrow L/a \gtrsim 250$ ●

* $T = 5 \text{ GeV}$ ($\sim$ bottom scale) $\rightarrow L/a \gtrsim 1250$ ●

Window problem: simulating very different scales $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \lesssim T_0 \ll T$ at the same lattice spacing is very expensive $\Rightarrow$ for $T \gtrsim 1 \text{ GeV}$ a **different strategy** is required!

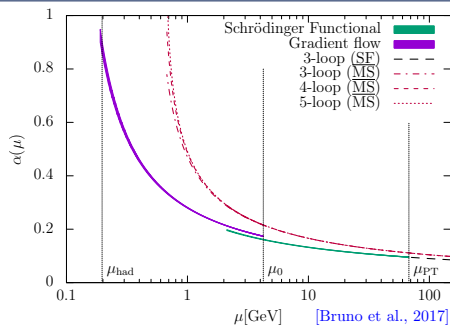
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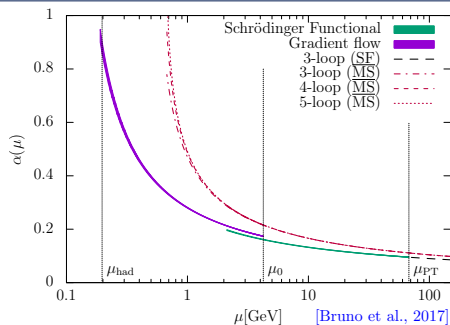
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Lattice spacing $a(g_0^2)$ determined (implicitly) by

[Giusti, Pepe 15; Dalla Brida et al. 21]

$$\bar{g}_{\text{SF}}^2(g_0, a\mu) = \bar{g}_{\text{SF}}^2(\mu), \quad \mu = T\sqrt{2}$$

- The relevant scale is $\mu \sim T \Rightarrow$ no window problem
- $\mu \propto T \Rightarrow a(g_0^2)$ determined at each T separately such that $aT \ll 1$ easily satisfied
- At finite- T , $\mathcal{M}_{\text{gap}} \sim \hat{g}^2 T \Rightarrow$ FVE exponentially suppressed as LT for $L \rightarrow \infty$

[Rescigno, poster]

Thermal QCD in a moving frame

Shifted boundary conditions along compact direction, ξ shift parameter [Giusti, Meyer 10-13]

$$A_\mu(x_0 + L_0, \mathbf{x}) = A_\mu(x_0, \mathbf{x} - L_0 \xi)$$

$$\psi(x_0 + L_0, \mathbf{x}) = -\psi(x_0, \mathbf{x} - L_0 \xi)$$

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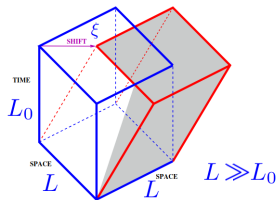
The SO(4) invariance of QCD implies that

$$p(L_0, \xi) = p(L_0 \sqrt{1 + \xi^2}, 0)$$

where p is the pressure,

$$p(L_0, \xi) = \lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{L_0 L^3} \log \mathcal{Z}(L_0, \xi)$$

$\Rightarrow$ by computing the entropy, the zero-temperature subtraction in the EoS is avoided



- The temperature is given by

$$T = \frac{1}{L_0 \sqrt{1 + \xi^2}}$$

- The entropy s then reads

$$\frac{s}{T^3} = \frac{1}{T^3} \frac{\partial p}{\partial T} = -\frac{1 + \xi^2}{\xi_k} \frac{1}{T^4} \frac{\partial p}{\partial \xi_k}$$

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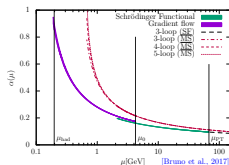
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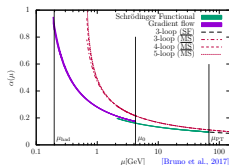
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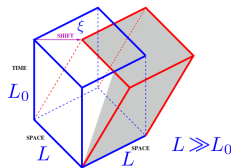
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In thermal QCD with shifted boundary conditions, determine the entropy as

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[Giusti, Mayer 10-13]

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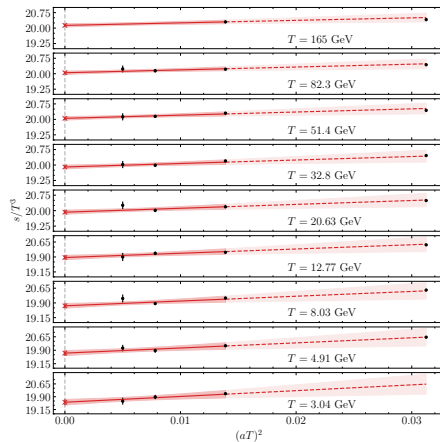
Lattice computation in $N_f = 3$ QCD

- $N_f = 3$ massless $O(a)$ -improved Wilson fermions $\rightarrow$ discretization effects of $O(a^2)$
- At each T , compute for several lattice resolutions $0.07 \lesssim aT \lesssim 0.18$
- Spatial sizes L such that $10 \lesssim LT \lesssim 25$
 $\rightarrow$ negligible finite-volume effects
- Extrapolation of the data by global fit

$$s(T, a)/T^3 = s(T)/T^3 + d_2(aT)^2$$
 where $d_2 = d_2(\bar{g}_{\text{SF}}^2)$ (mildly) depends on T
- Fit has $\chi^2/\text{dof} = 0.82$, extrapolated results have 0.5% – 1.0% accuracy

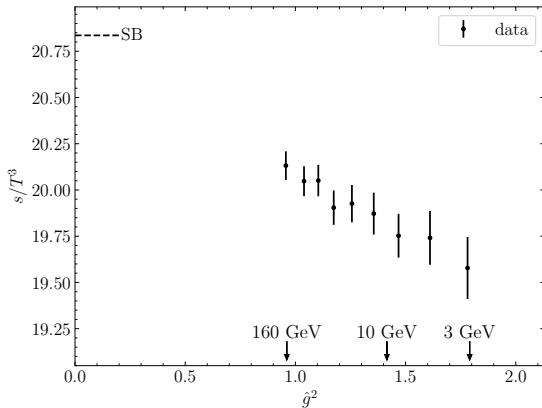
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where $\xi = (1, 0, 0)$



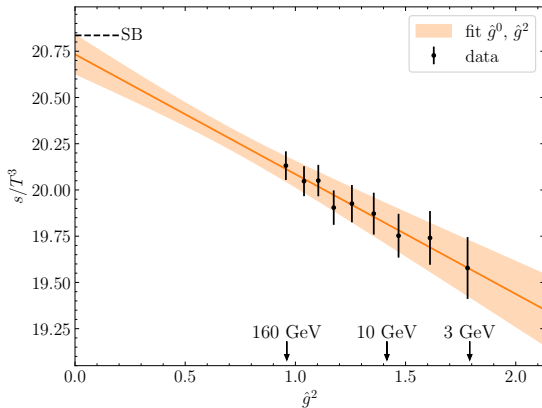
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 $s_0 = 2.954(15)$
compatible with $s_0^{\text{SB}} = 2.969$

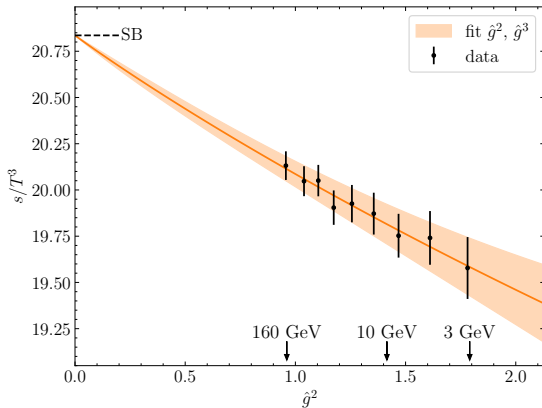


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- Enforce s_0^{SB} , add $\sim \hat{g}^3$:
 $s_2 = -5.1(9)$, $s_3 = 5(5)$
(in PT $s_2 = -8.438$)

⇒ data well described by a simple linear behaviour in $\hat{g}^2$



$$\frac{s}{T^3} = \frac{32\pi^2}{45} \left[s_0^{\text{SB}} + s_2 \left(\frac{\hat{g}}{2\pi} \right)^2 + s_3 \left(\frac{\hat{g}}{2\pi} \right)^3 \right]$$

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Comparison to thermal PT:

[Kajantie et al. 03]

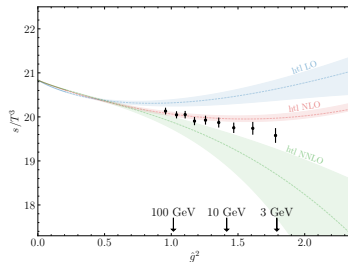
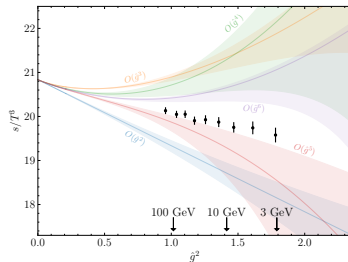
- PT systematic error from renormalization scale variation by the factors 1/2 and 2
- $O(\hat{g}^5)$ and NP point at $T = 165$ GeV agree within ~ 1.5 combined sigma (main contribution from PT error)

Alternative resummation of PT series with hard-thermal-loop (htl):

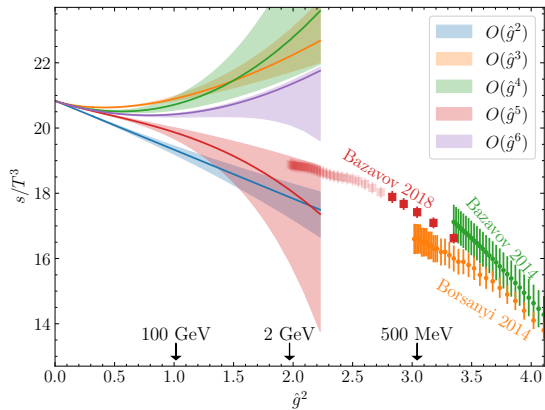
[Andersen et al. 04-11]

- NLO and NP points agree for $T \gtrsim 50$ GeV
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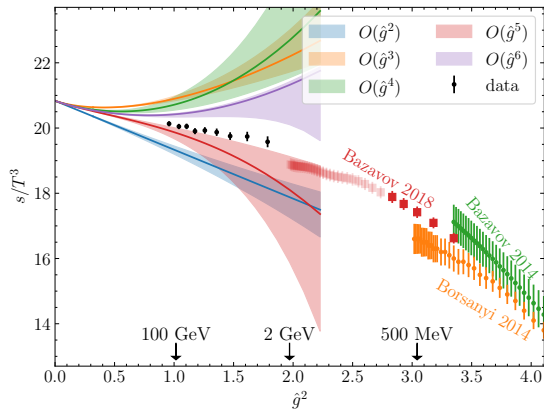
Other approaches to thermal PT: [Lowdon, Tue 15:45], [Sandbøte, Wed 16:00]



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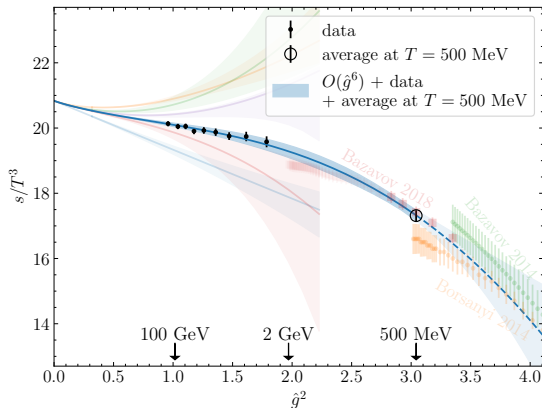


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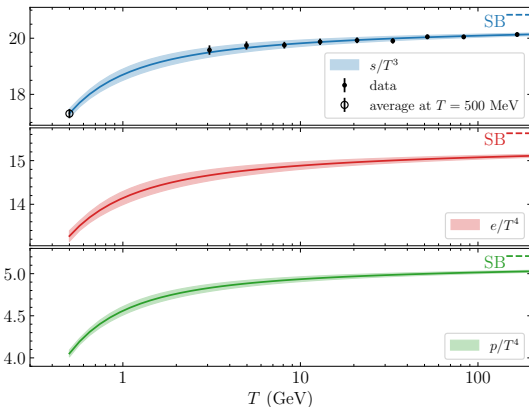
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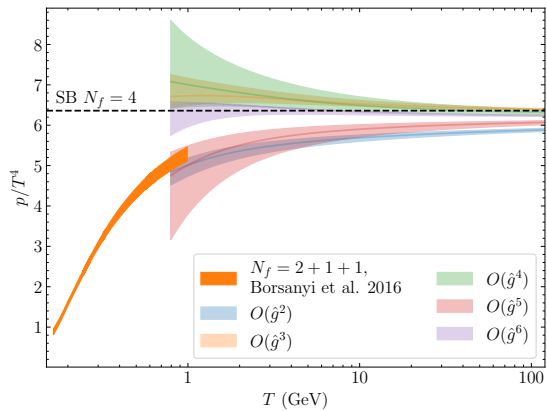
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- Energy density $e = Ts - p$



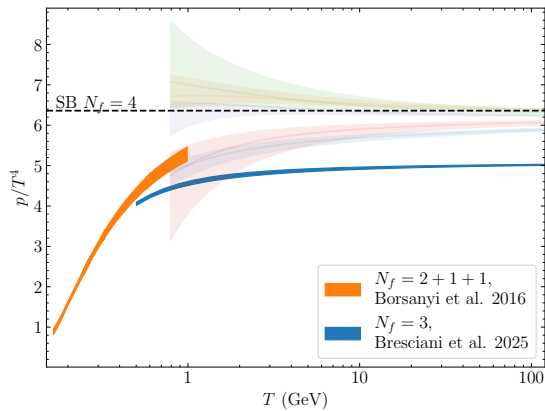
[Bresciani, Dalla Brida, Giusti, Pepe 25]

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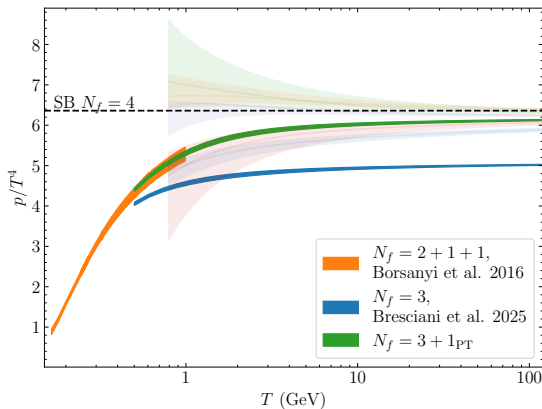


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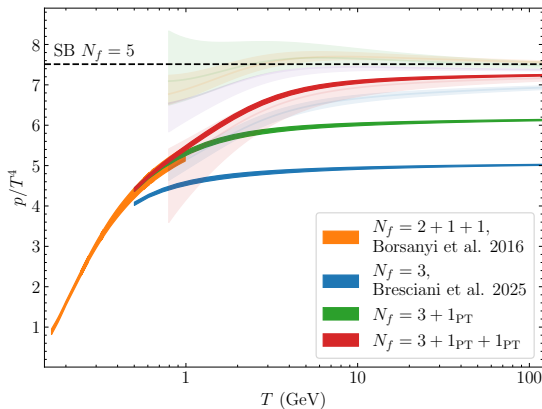
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Similarly for the bottom quark ($m_b = 4.19$ GeV)

$$p^{(3+1_{\text{PT}}+1_{\text{PT}})}(T) = p^{(3)}(T) \times \frac{p_{\text{free}}^{(3+1+1)}(T)}{p_{\text{free}}^{(3)}(T)}$$



- A NP study of charm and bottom quark thresholds is required to confirm the perturbative expectations

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The off-diagonal components of the lattice $T_{\mu\nu}$ renormalize as [Caracciolo et al. 89-90]

$$T_{\mu\nu}^R = Z_G T_{\mu\nu}^G + Z_F T_{\mu\nu}^F$$

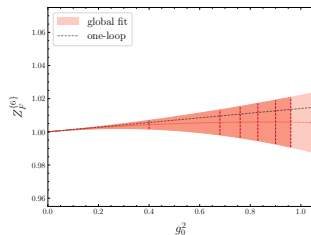
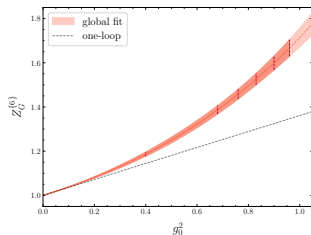
where $T_{\mu\nu}^G, T_{\mu\nu}^F$ are bare lattice fields, and Z_G, Z_F are functions of g_0^2 only

The QCD energy-momentum tensor $T_{\mu\nu}$

Having computed the entropy s , determine the renormalization factors by enforcing on the lattice

[Giusti, Pepe 15; Dalla Brida et al. 20]

$$\langle T_{0k}^R \rangle_{\xi} \Big|_{g_0^2, L_0/a} = -\frac{\xi_k}{1 + \xi^2} T s(g_0^2, L_0/a)$$



[Bresciani et al. 26]

⇒ First NP definition of the traceless components of $T_{\mu\nu}$ in $N_f = 3$ QCD

⇒ This opens the way to the NP study of e.g. transport phenomena in QCD plasma

Conclusions

- With the present theoretical and technical advances in lattice QCD, it is possible to study QCD thermodynamics non-perturbatively up to very high temperatures
- Systematic effects due to the use of perturbation theory can be removed in a controlled way up to the electro-weak scale
- EoS of $N_f = 3$ QCD determined non-perturbatively up to $T \sim 165$ GeV with sub-percent error [\[Bresciani et al. 25\]](#)
- Contributions beyond known PT, including NP effects, still relevant at those very high temperatures
- Results obtained thanks to a new strategy based on
 - Renormalization through running of a NP defined coupling [\[Dalla Brida et al. 21\]](#)
 - Thermal QCD in a moving frame [\[Giusti, Meyer 10-13\]](#)

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Thank you for your attention!

BACKUP

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$$S_{\text{EQCD}} = \frac{1}{g_E^2} \int d\mathbf{x} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}[F_{jk}F_{jk}] + \text{tr}[(D_j A_0)(D_j A_0)] + m_E^2 \text{tr}[A_0^2] \right\} + \dots$$

- $A_0 \rightarrow$ 3D scalar field in adjoint representation of SU(3), mass m_E (Debye mass)
- $A_k \rightarrow$ 3D Yang-Mills theory
- Perturbative matching to QCD ($\hat{g}$ = strong coupling of QCD)

$$m_E^2 = \frac{3}{2}(\hat{g}T)^2 + \dots, \quad g_E^2 = \hat{g}^2 T + \dots$$

Magnetostatic QCD (MQCD)

- MQCD = 3D effective theory describing physics at energies of $O(\hat{g}^2 T)$
- Degrees of freedom: zero Matsubara modes of 4D A_k fields

$$S_{\text{MQCD}} = \frac{1}{g_E^2} \int d\mathbf{x} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}[F_{jk} F_{jk}] \right\} + \dots$$

- NP 3D Yang-Mills theory with coupling increasing with T ($g_E^2 \sim T / \log^2 T$)
- $g_E^2 = \hat{g}^2 T + \dots$ is the only relevant energy scale
- Dimensionful quantities are proportional to the proper power of g_E^2 , with a NP coefficient
- The mass gap of QCD at asymptotically high temperatures is $\mathcal{M}_{\text{gap}} \propto \hat{g}^2 T + \dots$

Schrödinger functional coupling

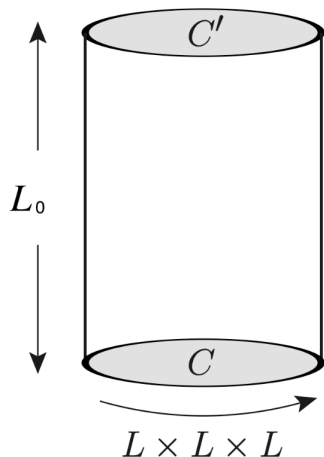
- Schrödinger functional = path integral with Dirichlet boundary conditions C, C' in time
- $\mathcal{Z}[C, C']$ partition function, free-energy

$$\Gamma = -\ln \mathcal{Z}$$

- NP definition of the coupling ($L_0 = L$)

$$\frac{1}{\bar{g}_{\text{SF}}^2(\mu)} = \left\{ \frac{\partial \Gamma}{\partial \eta} \middle/ \frac{\partial \Gamma_0}{\partial \eta} \right\}_{\eta=0}, \quad \mu = \frac{1}{L}$$

where C, C' depend on the dimensionless parameter η



Numerical computation of the entropy density

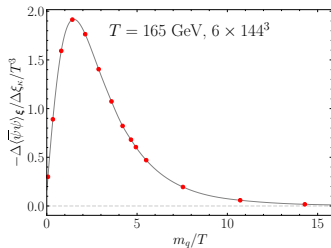
At a given g_0^2 and L_0/a , the entropy density can be decomposed as ($f = -p$)

$$\frac{s}{T^3} = \frac{1 + \xi^2}{\xi_k} \frac{1}{T^4} \frac{\Delta f_\xi}{\Delta \xi_k} = \frac{1 + \xi^2}{\xi_k} \frac{1}{T^4} \left\{ \frac{\Delta}{\Delta \xi_k} (f_\xi - f_\xi^\infty) + \frac{\Delta f_\xi^\infty}{\Delta \xi_k} \right\}$$

where the discrete derivative in the shift is computed with $\xi_k = 1 \pm 2a/L_0$

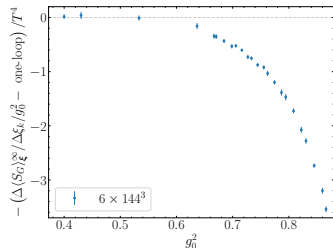
Integral in the mass

$$\frac{\Delta}{\Delta \xi_k} (f_\xi - f_\xi^\infty) = - \int_0^\infty dm_q \frac{\Delta}{\Delta \xi_k} \langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle_\xi^{m_q}$$



Integral in the bare coupling

$$\frac{\Delta f_\xi^\infty}{\Delta \xi_k} = \frac{\Delta f_\xi^\infty}{\Delta \xi_k} \Big|_{\text{1loop}} - \int_0^{g_0^2} du \left[\frac{1}{u} \frac{\Delta}{\Delta \xi_k} \langle S_G \rangle_\xi^\infty - \text{1loop} \right]_u$$



The integrals are computed with optimized combinations of Gaussian quadratures.

Renormalization of the lattice $T_{\mu\nu}$

On the lattice, $\text{SO}(4)$ broken to the hypercubic group. The continuum non-singlet $T_{\mu\nu}$ splits into **sextet representation** (two fields labelled by G and F),

$$T_{\mu\nu}^{G,\{6\}} = (1 - \delta_{\mu\nu}) \frac{1}{g_0^2} \{ F_{\mu\alpha}^a F_{\nu\alpha}^a \} , \quad T_{\mu\nu}^{F,\{6\}} = (1 - \delta_{\mu\nu}) \frac{1}{8} \left\{ \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu [\vec{\nabla}_\nu^* + \vec{\nabla}_\nu] \psi + \bar{\psi} \gamma_\nu [\vec{\nabla}_\mu^* + \vec{\nabla}_\mu] \psi \right\}$$

and **triplet representation** (two fields labelled by G and F),

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where $\vec{\nabla}_\mu, \vec{\nabla}_\mu^*$ are lattice covariant derivatives.

The full symmetry is restored only in the continuum: at finite lattice spacing, $T_{\mu\nu}$ renormalizes as

$$T_{\mu\nu}^{R,\{6\}} = Z_G^{\{6\}}(g_0^2) T_{\mu\nu}^{G,\{6\}} + Z_F^{\{6\}}(g_0^2) T_{\mu\nu}^{F,\{6\}} , \quad T_{\mu\nu}^{R,\{3\}} = Z_G^{\{3\}}(g_0^2) T_{\mu\nu}^{G,\{3\}} + Z_F^{\{3\}}(g_0^2) T_{\mu\nu}^{F,\{3\}}$$

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Final parametrizations:

$$Z_G^{\{6\}}(g_0^2) = 1 + Z_G^{\{6\}(1)} g_0^2 + c_1 g_0^4 + c_2 g_0^6$$

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- Precision at percent-level for $0.4 \leq g_0^2 \leq 0.96$
- $Z_G^{\{6\}}$ and $Z_G^{\{3\}}$ deviate significantly from one-loop result
- $Z_F^{\{6\}}$ and $Z_F^{\{3\}}$ agree with one-loop result

