

Resummed lattice QCD equation of state at finite baryon density: strangeness neutrality and beyond

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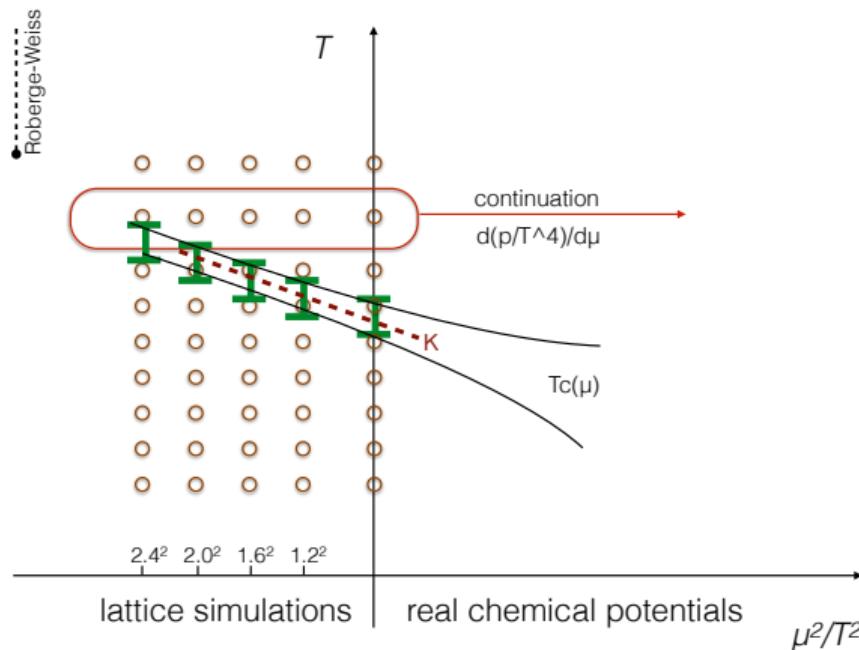
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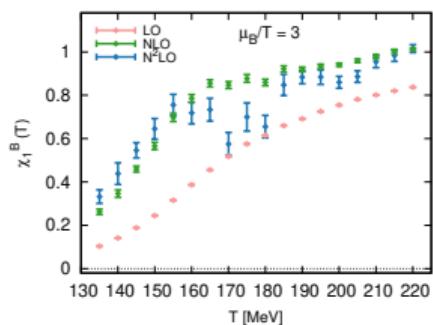
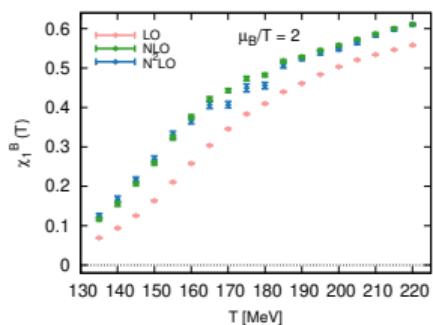
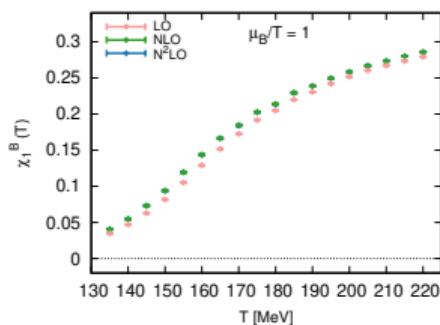
Analytic continuation from imaginary chemical potential



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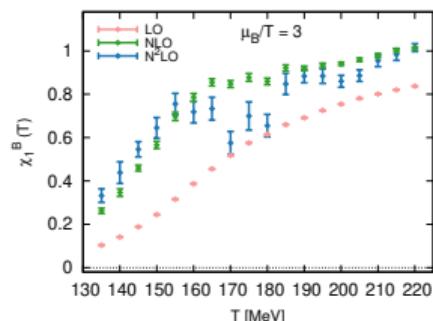
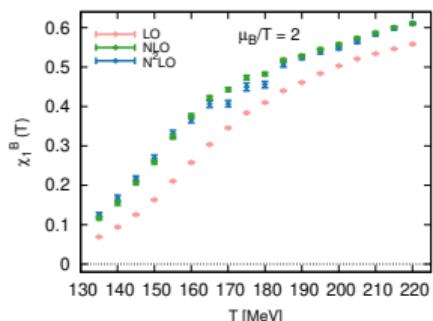
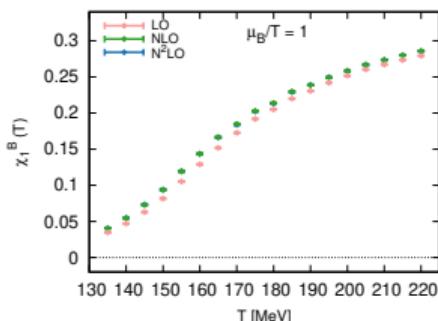
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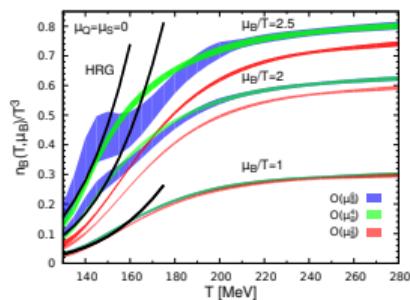


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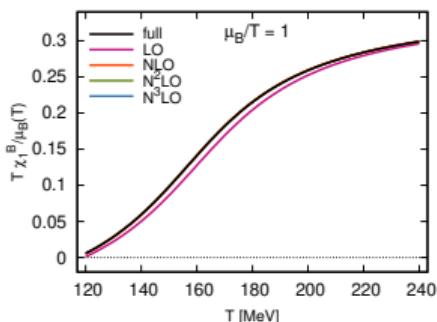


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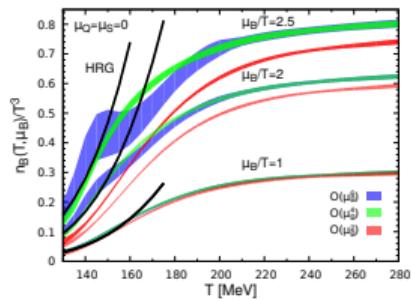
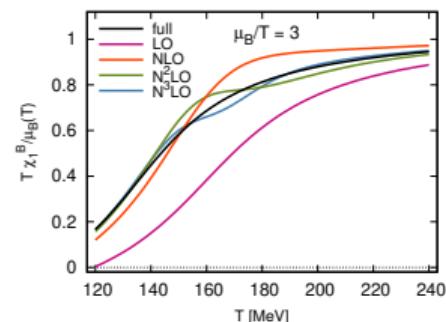
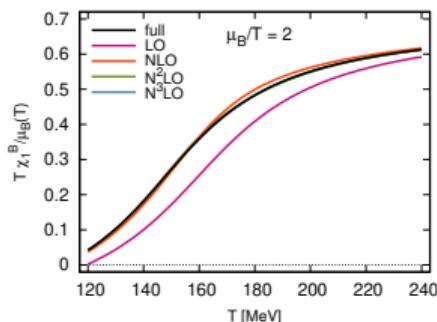
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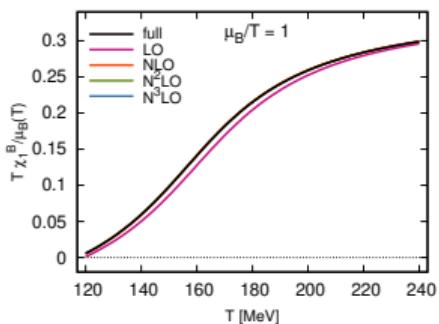


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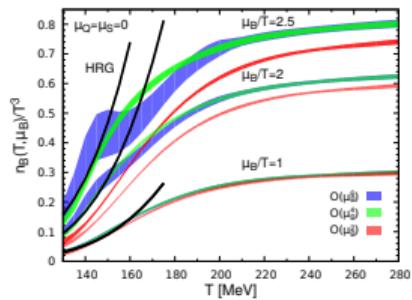
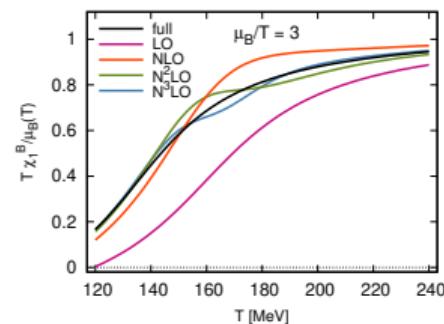
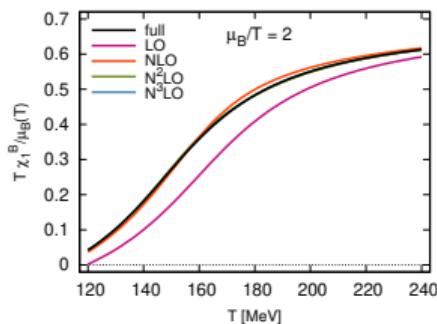
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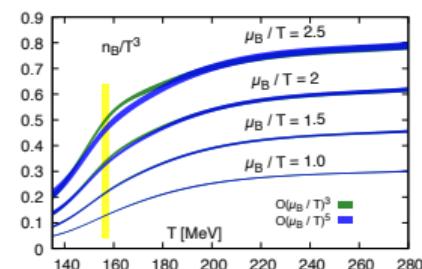


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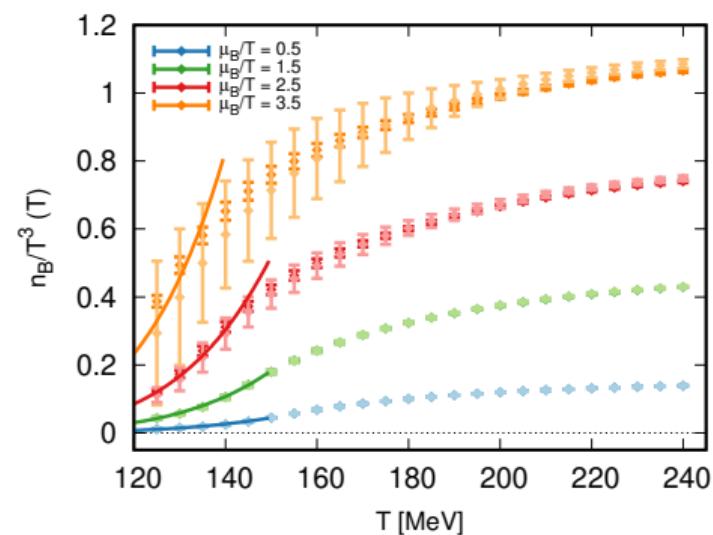
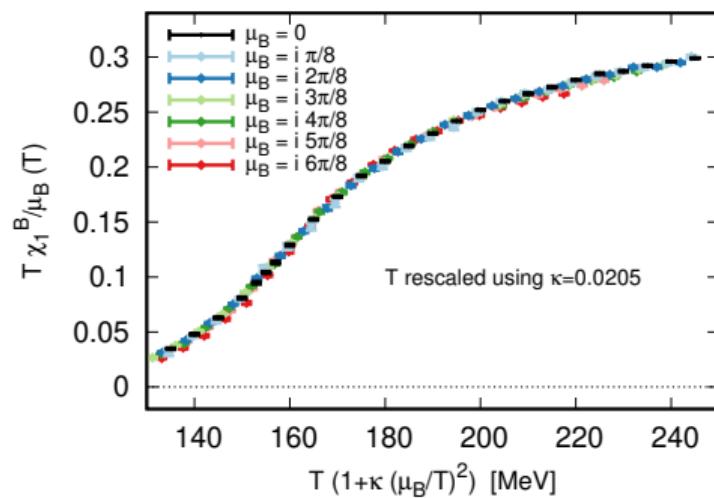
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Results at $\mu_S = 0$

Find a different extrapolation scheme for extrapolating to higher μ_B .



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- $N_t = 10, 12, 16$

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Strangeness Neutrality

Enforcing the conditions $\mu_Q = 0$ and $\chi_1^S = 0$:

$$\frac{d\mu_S}{d\mu_B} = -\frac{\chi_{11}^{BS}}{\chi_2^S}.$$

On this line, total derivatives with respect to the baryochemical potential read

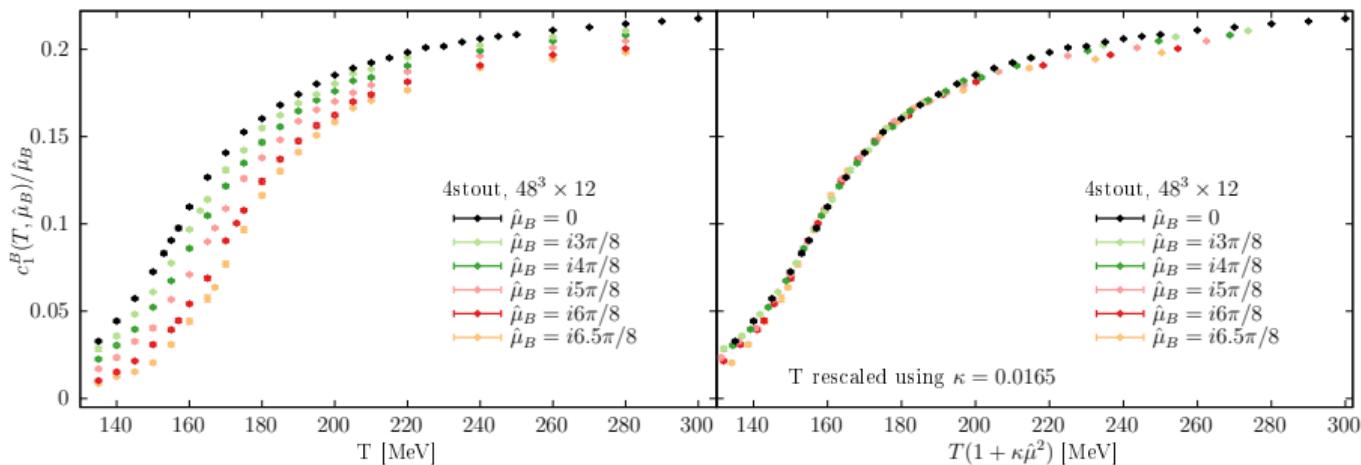
$$\frac{d}{d\hat{\mu}_B} = \frac{\partial}{\partial\hat{\mu}_B} + \frac{d\hat{\mu}_S}{d\hat{\mu}_B} \frac{\partial}{\partial\hat{\mu}_S} = \frac{\partial}{\partial\hat{\mu}_B} - \frac{\chi_{11}^{BS}}{\chi_2^S} \frac{\partial}{\partial\hat{\mu}_S}.$$

For the pressure we get:

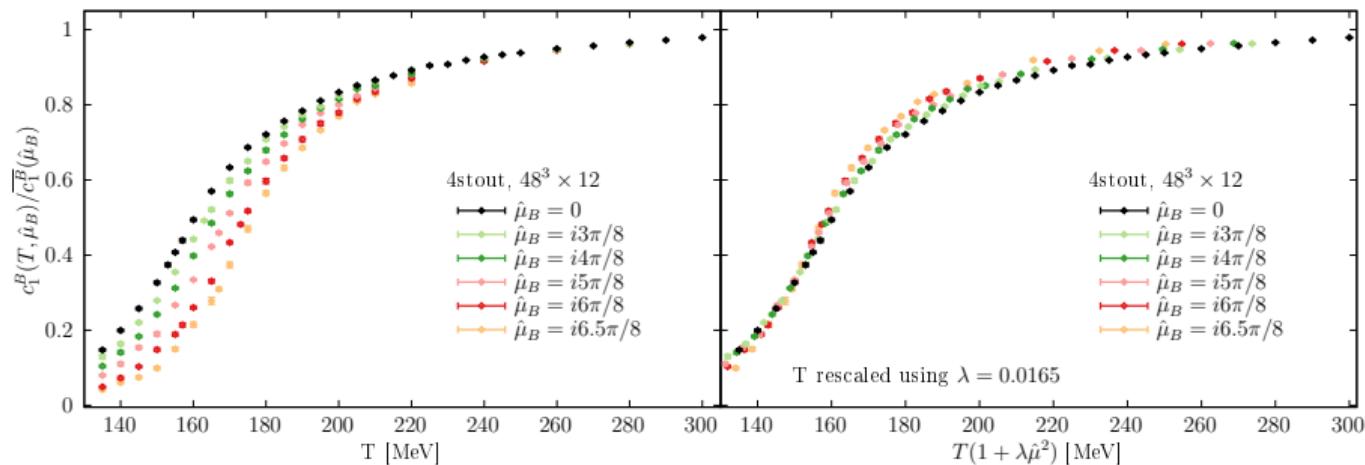
$$c_n^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B) \equiv \left. \frac{d^n \hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B)}{d\hat{\mu}_B^n} \right|_{\substack{\mu_Q=0 \\ \chi_1^S=0}}.$$

The net baryon density is given by:

$$c_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B) = \chi_1^B - \frac{\chi_{11}^{BS}}{\chi_2^S} \chi_1^S = \chi_1^B$$

c_1^B 

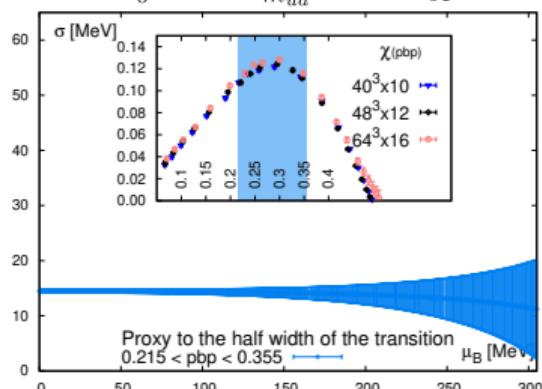
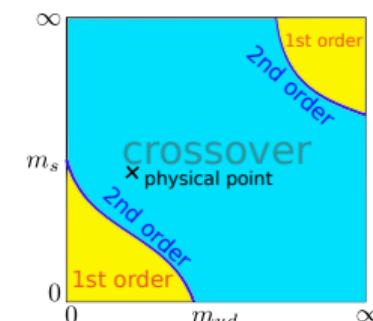
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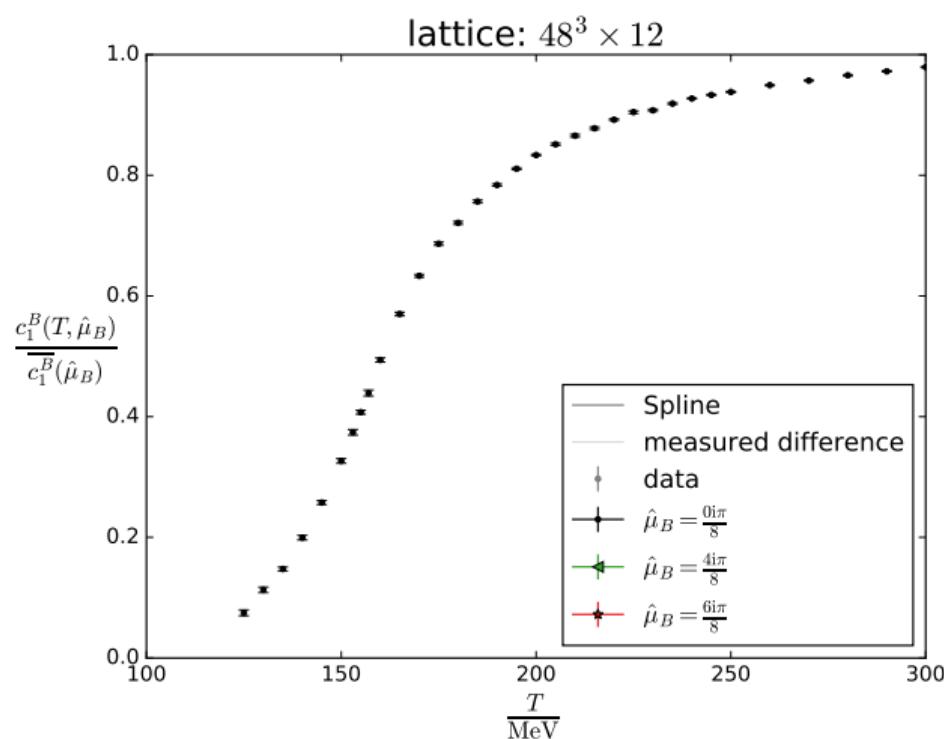
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Why does the rescaling work?

- It is an observation that it works
- It could be related to the critical scaling in the chiral limit
- If the universal contribution to EoS is large \rightarrow single scaling variable
- If strength of transition is strongly Influenced by light quark masses \rightarrow curves keep there shape
- Fits with the observation of constant width of the transition



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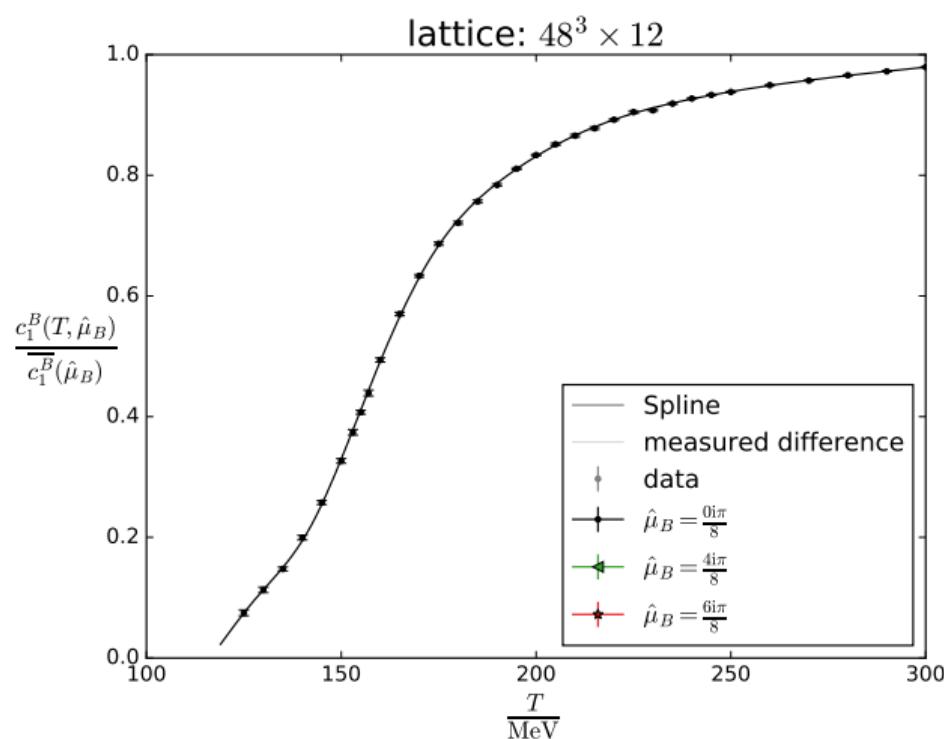


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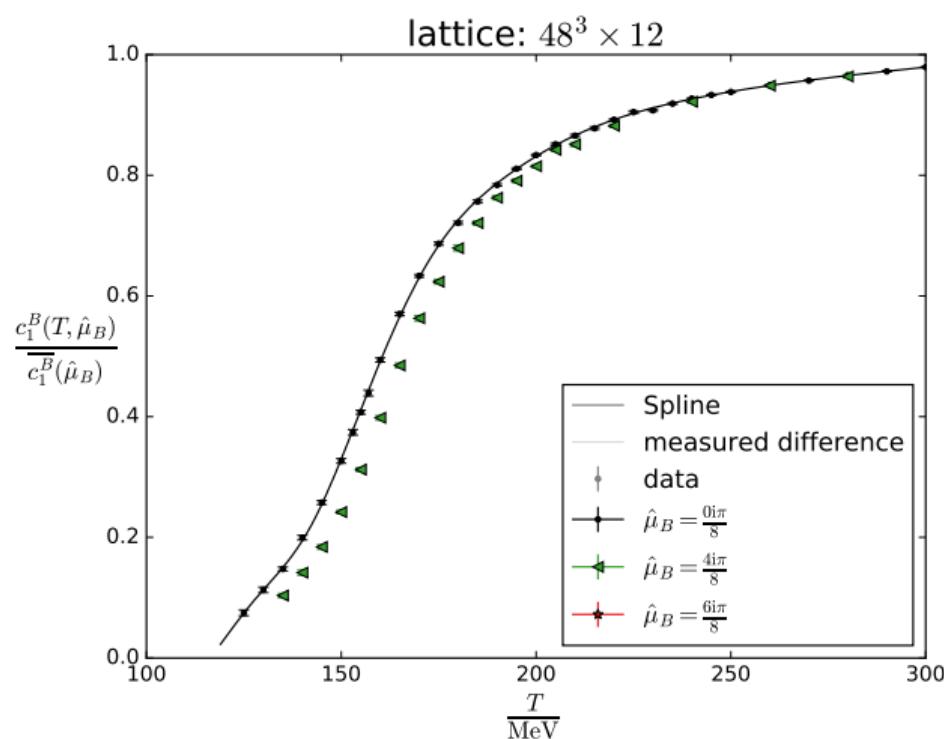


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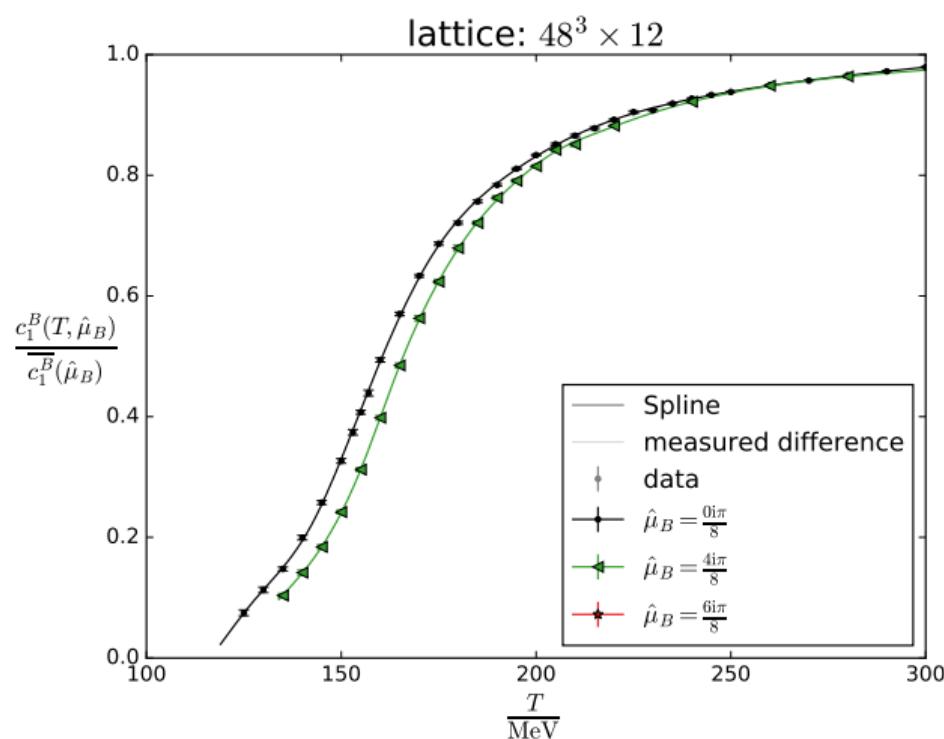


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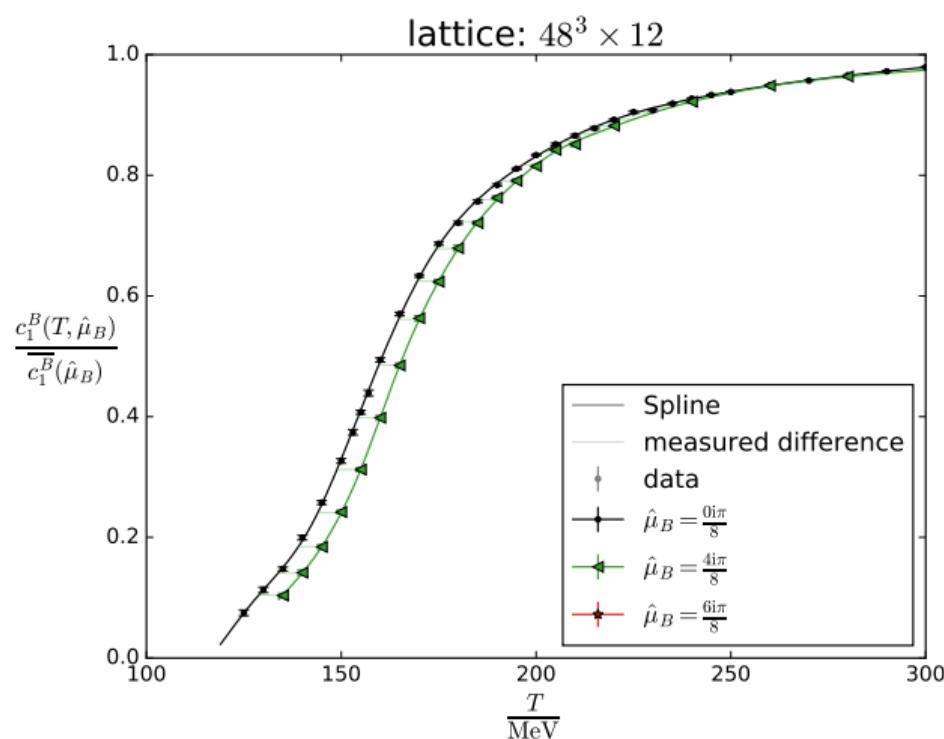


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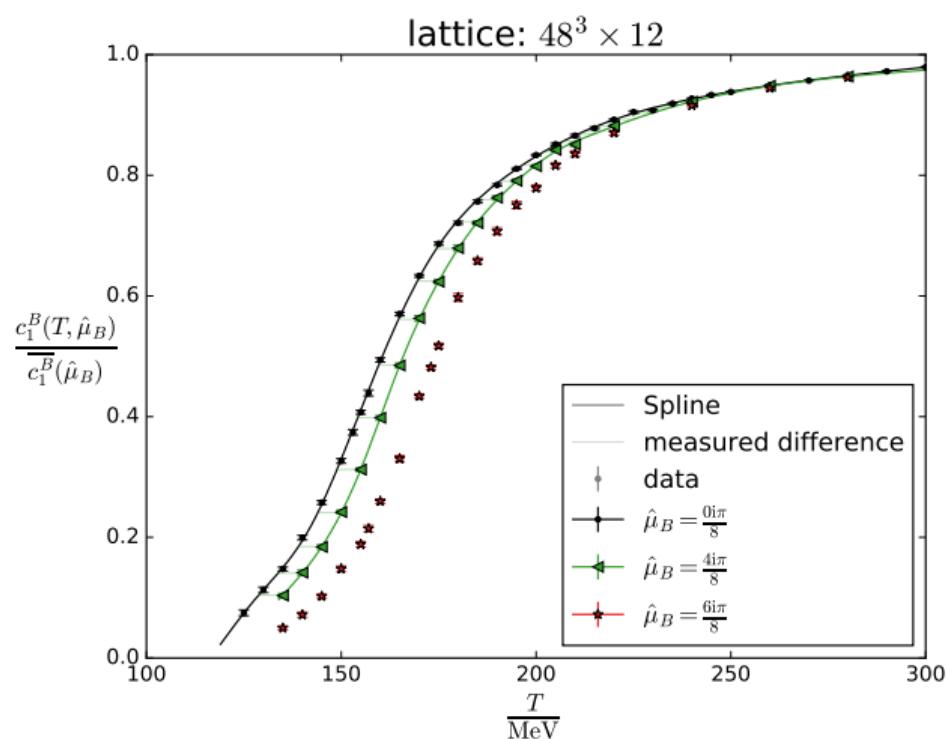


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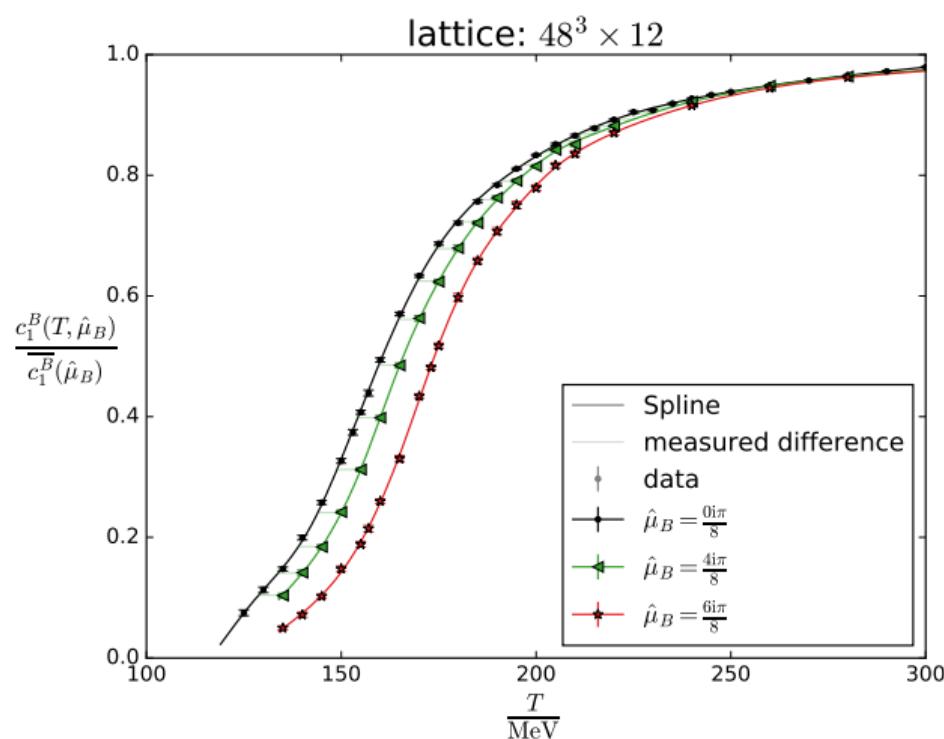


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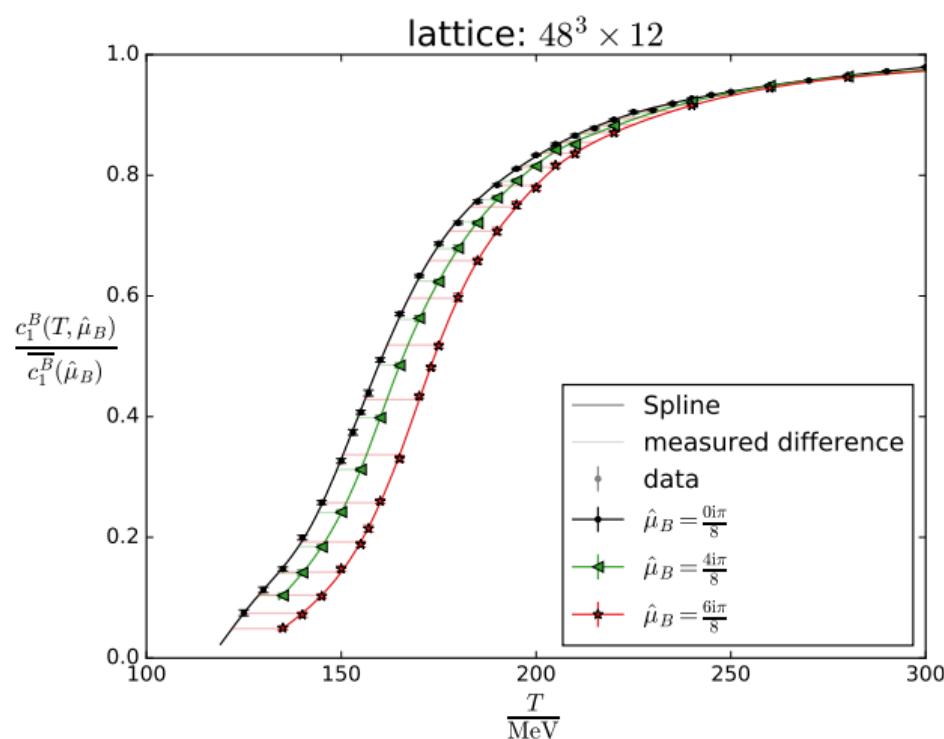


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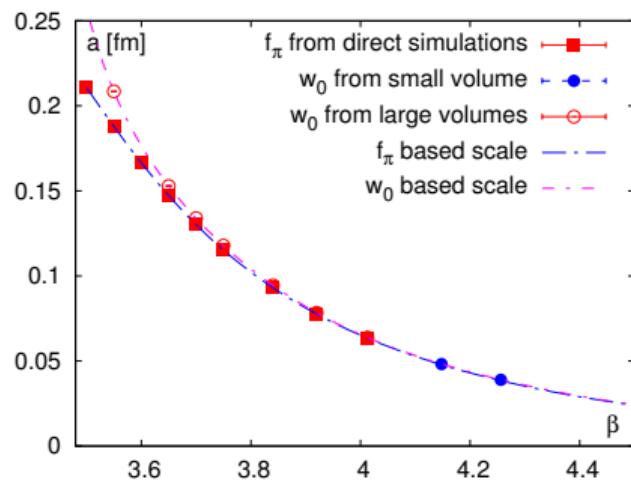


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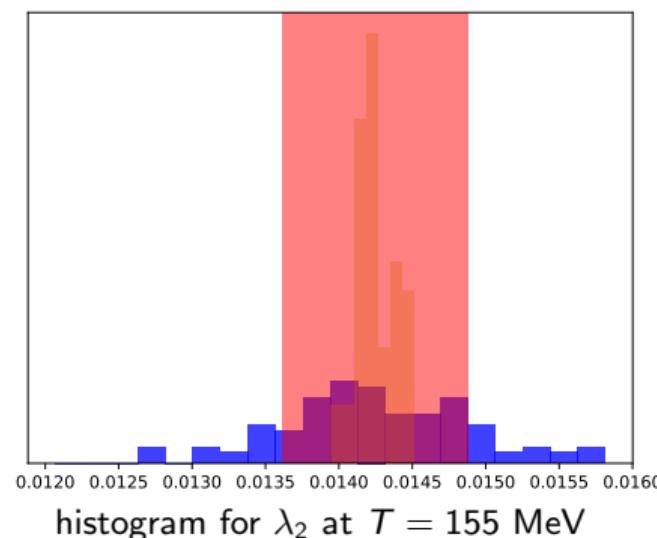
Lattice Setup



- Action: tree-level Symanzik improved gauge action, with four times stout smeared staggered fermions
- 2+1+1 flavour, on LCP with pion and kaon mass
- Simulation at $\langle n_S \rangle = 0$
- Continuum estimate from lattice sizes: $32^3 \times 8$, $40^3 \times 10$, $48^3 \times 12$ and $64^3 \times 16$
- $\frac{\mu_B}{T} = i \frac{j\pi}{8}$ with $j = 0, 3, 4, 5, (5.5), 6$ and 6.5
- Two methods of scale setting: f_π and w_0 , $Lm_\pi > 4$

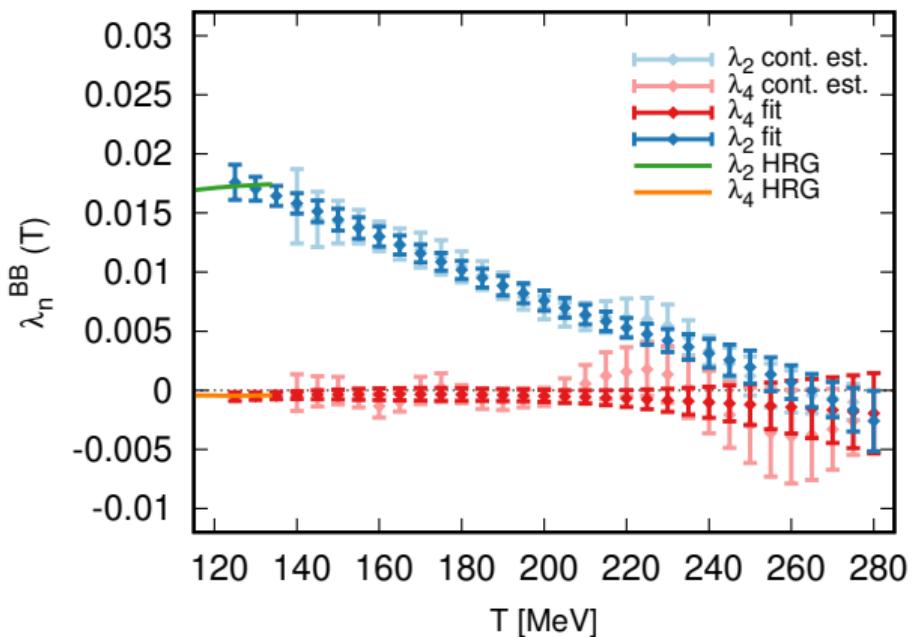
Systematic Errors

- 3 different sets of spline node points at $\mu_B=0$
- 2 different sets of spline node points at finite imaginary μ_B
- w_0 or f_π based scale setting
- 2 different chemical potential ranges in the global fit: $\hat{\mu}_B \leq 5.5$ or $\hat{\mu}_B \leq 6.5$
- 2 functions for the chemical potential dependence of the global fit: linear or parabola
- including the coarsest lattice, $N_\tau = 8$, or not, in the continuum extrapolation.



In total we perform 96 Fits. We weight every result with a $Q > 0.01$ uniformly

The expansion coefficients



$$\Pi(T, \hat{\mu}_B, N_\tau) = \frac{T'(T, \hat{\mu}_B, N) - T}{T \hat{\mu}_B}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Pi(T, \hat{\mu}_B, N_\tau) &= \lambda_2^A + \lambda_4^A \hat{\mu}_B^2 + \lambda_6^A \hat{\mu}_B^4 \\ &+ \frac{1}{N_\tau^2} (\alpha^A + \beta^A \hat{\mu}_B^2 + \gamma^A \hat{\mu}_B^4) \end{aligned}$$

We make a fit to calculate derivatives and constrain it with the HRG.

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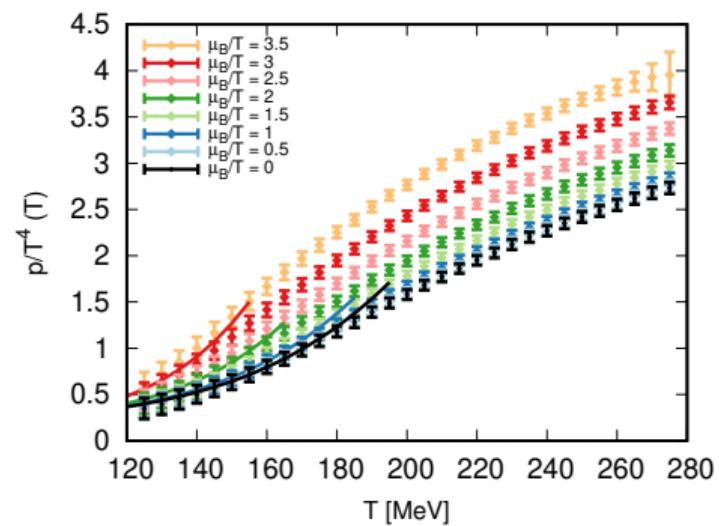
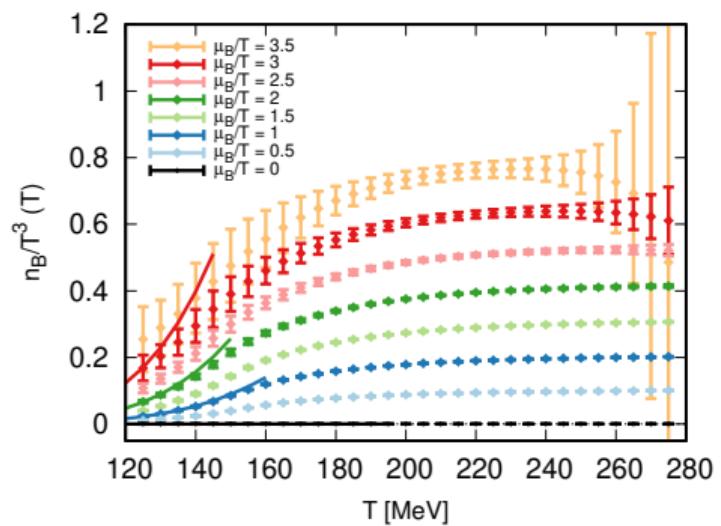
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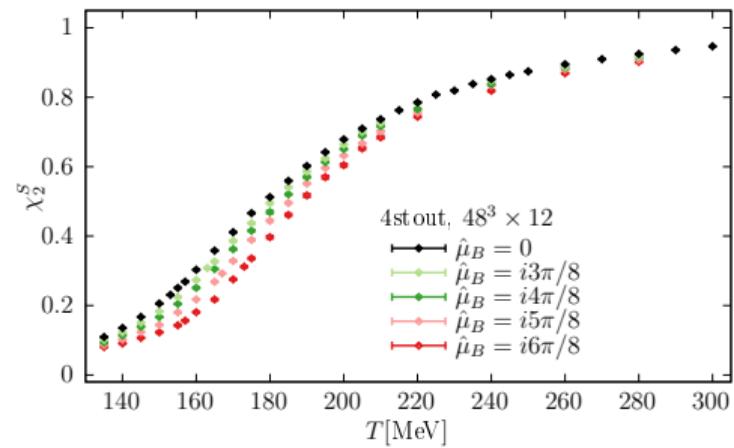
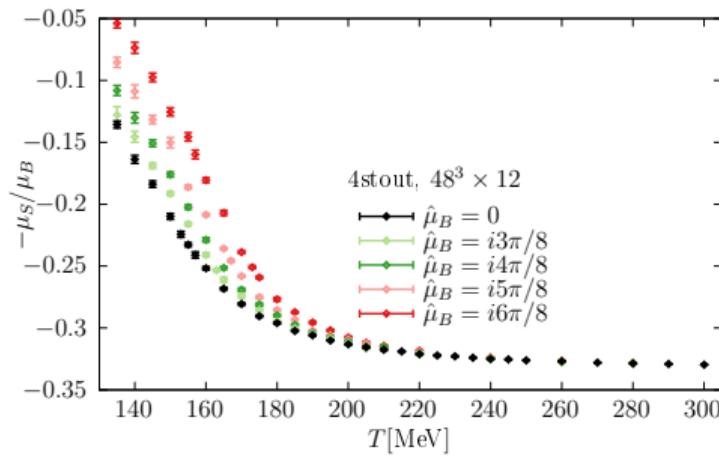
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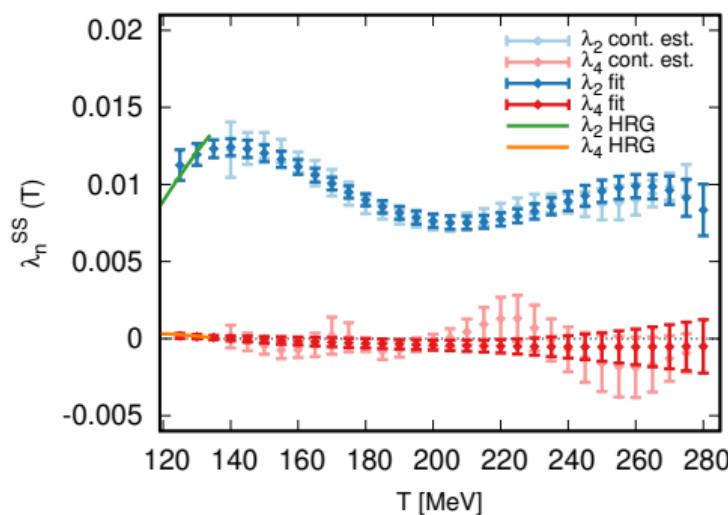
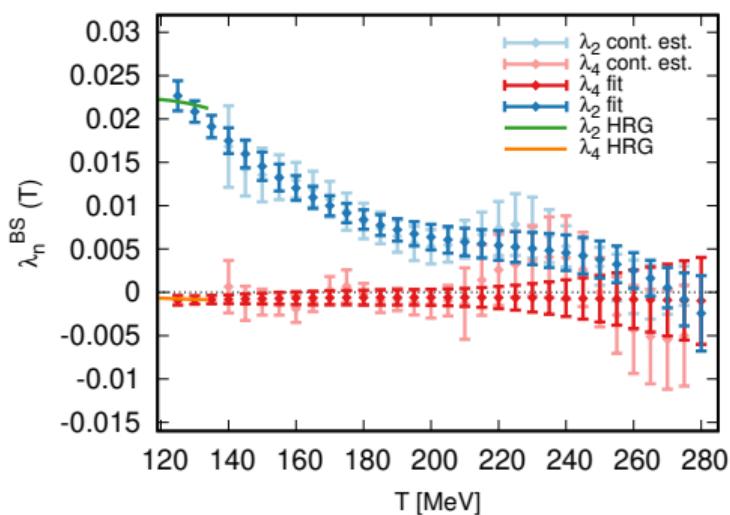
More strangeness

Two more observables:



More strangeness

Two more expansions:



Beyond strangeness neutrality

$$\Delta\hat{\mu}_S \equiv \hat{\mu}_S - \hat{\mu}_S^*,$$

the dimensionless strangeness and baryon densities become:

$$\chi_1^S(\hat{\mu}_S) \approx \chi_2^S(\hat{\mu}_S^*) \Delta\hat{\mu}_S$$

$$\chi_1^B(\hat{\mu}_S) \approx \chi_1^B(\hat{\mu}_S^*) + \chi_{11}^{BS}(\hat{\mu}_S^*) \Delta\hat{\mu}_S,$$

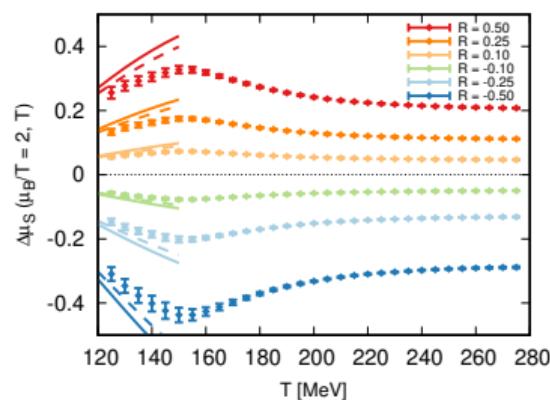
where we only kept the linear leading order terms in $\Delta\hat{\mu}_S$.

We will express thermodynamic quantities in terms of the strangeness-to-baryon fraction:

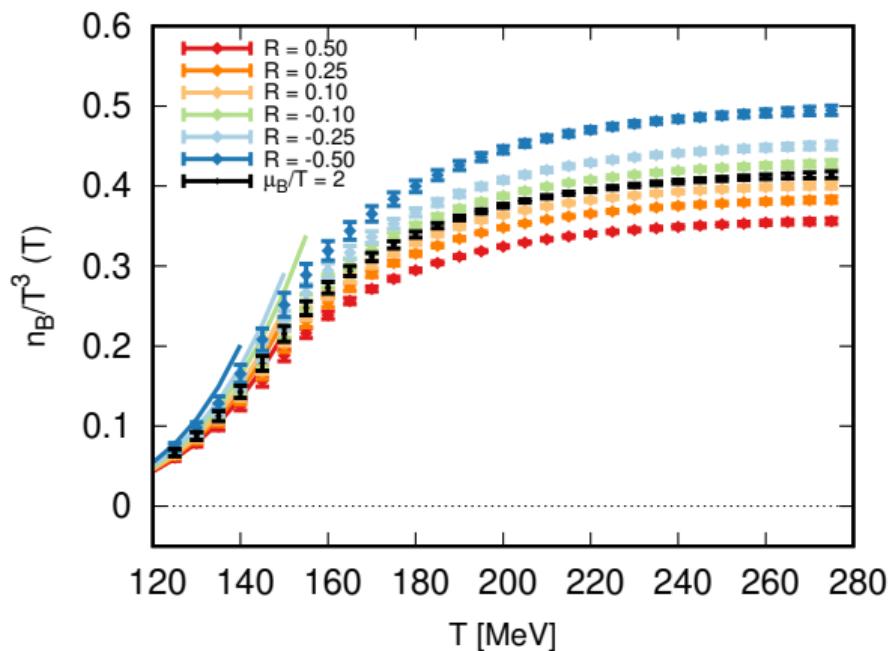
$$R = \frac{\chi_1^S}{\chi_1^B} = \frac{\chi_2^S(\hat{\mu}_S^*) \Delta\hat{\mu}_S}{\chi_1^B(\hat{\mu}_S^*) \Delta\hat{\mu}_S + \chi_{11}^{BS}(\hat{\mu}_S^*)}.$$

Inverting this equation we get:

$$\Delta\hat{\mu}_S = \frac{R \hat{\chi}_1^B(\hat{\mu}_S^*)}{\chi_2^S(\hat{\mu}_S^*) - R \chi_{11}^{BS}(\hat{\mu}_S^*)}.$$



Strange Baryon density

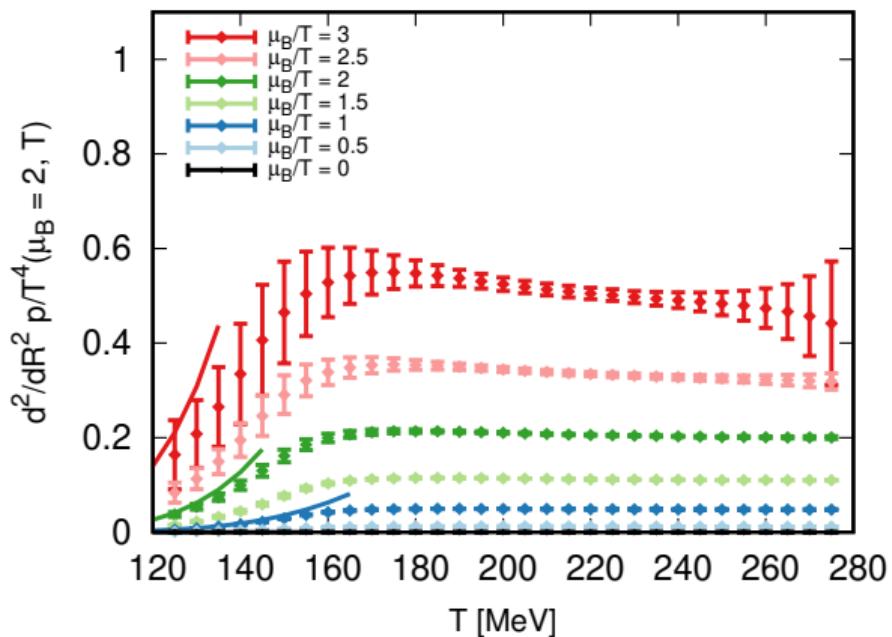


Expanding the baryon density:

$$\frac{\chi_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R)}{\chi_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R = 0)} \\ \approx 1 + R \frac{\chi_{11}^{BS}(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R = 0)}{\chi_2^S(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R = 0)}$$

where all quantities on the right hand side are along the strangeness neutral line.

Strange Pressure



At the strangeness neutral line the $\mathcal{O}(R)$ correction of the pressure vanishes. The leading order correction gives:

$$\hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R) \approx \hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B, R) + \frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2 \hat{p}}{dR^2}(T, \hat{\mu}_B) R^2,$$

where

$$\frac{d^2 \hat{p}}{dR^2}(T, \hat{\mu}_B) = \frac{(\chi_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B))^2}{\chi_2^S(T, \hat{\mu}_B)}.$$

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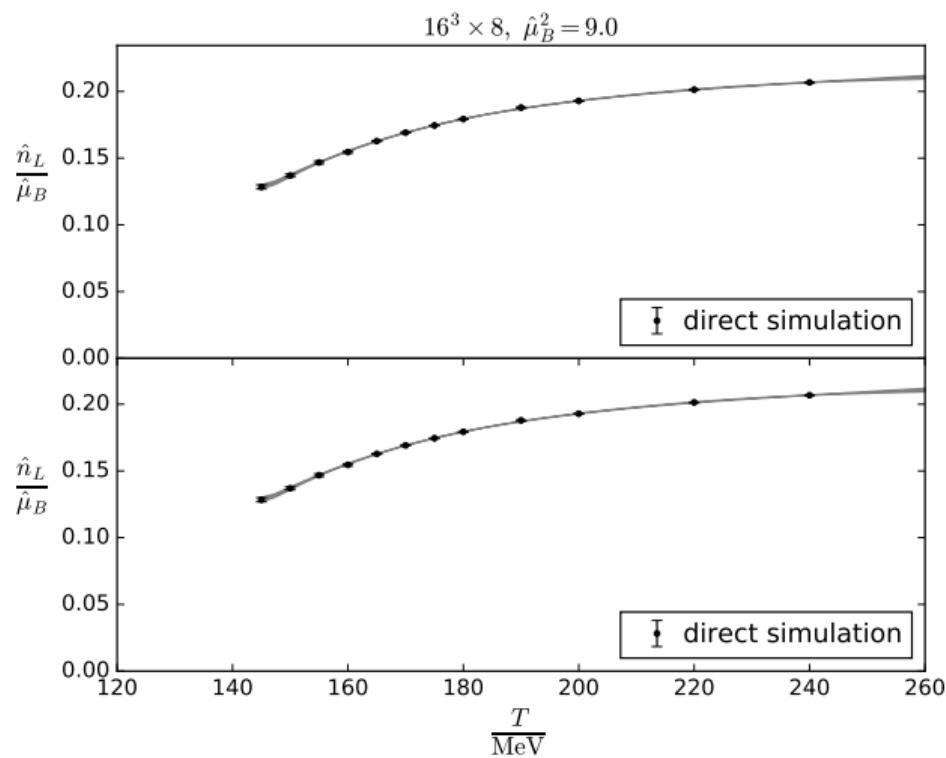
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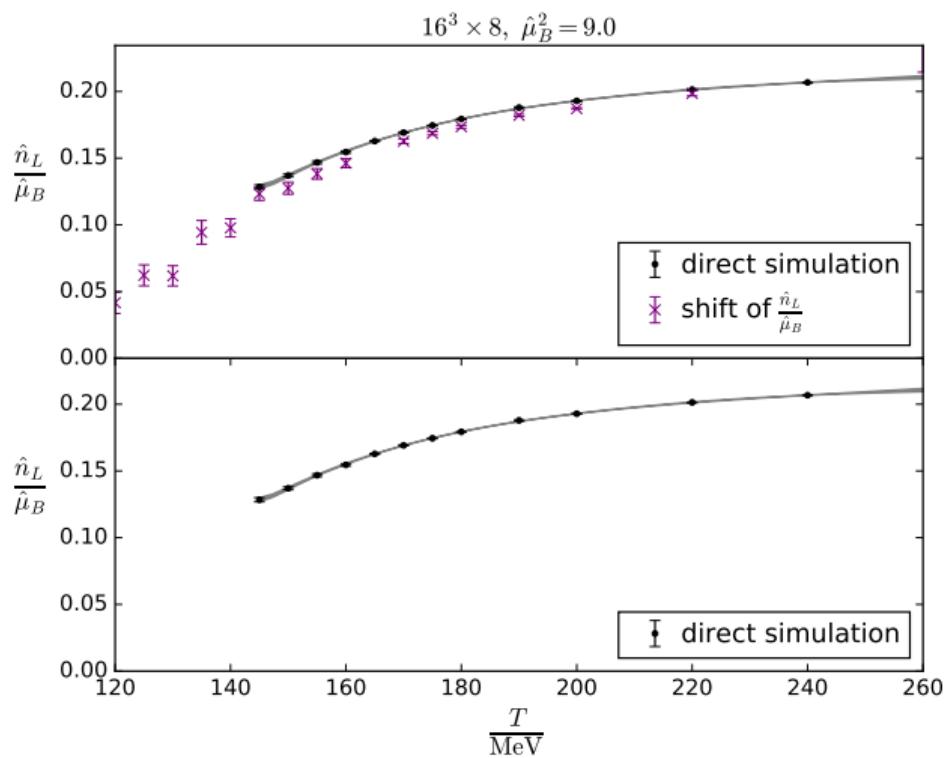
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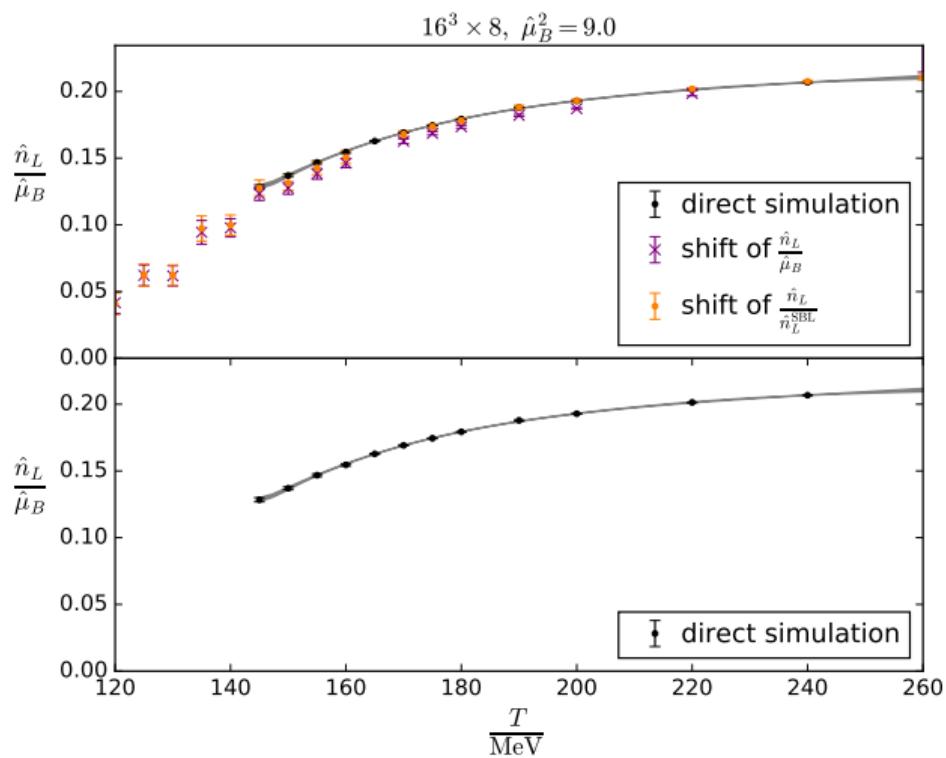
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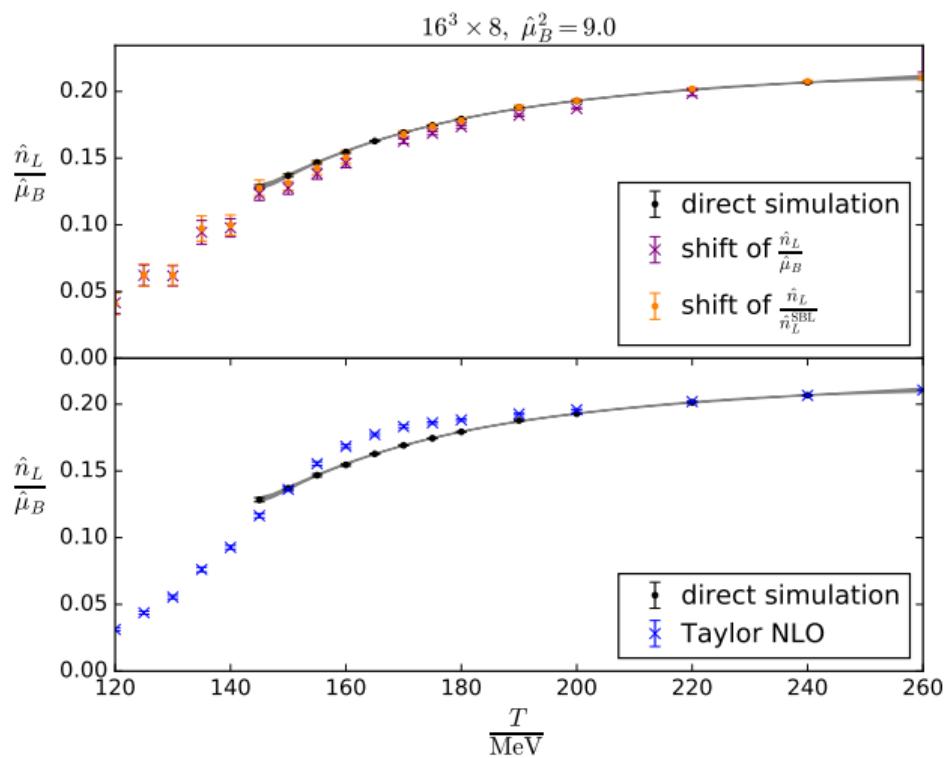
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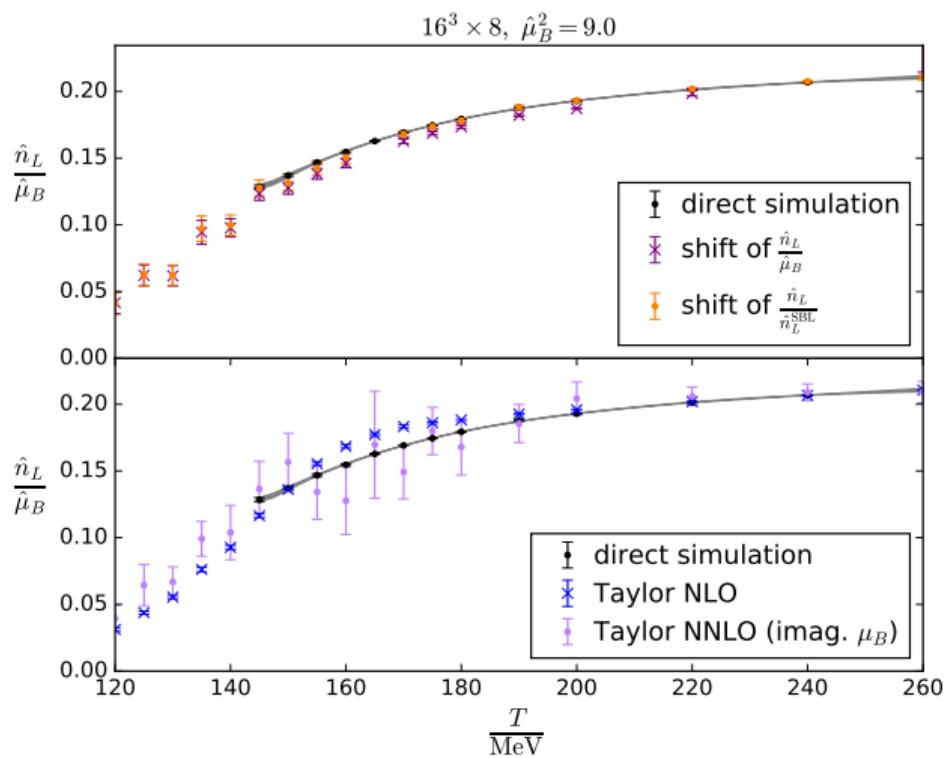
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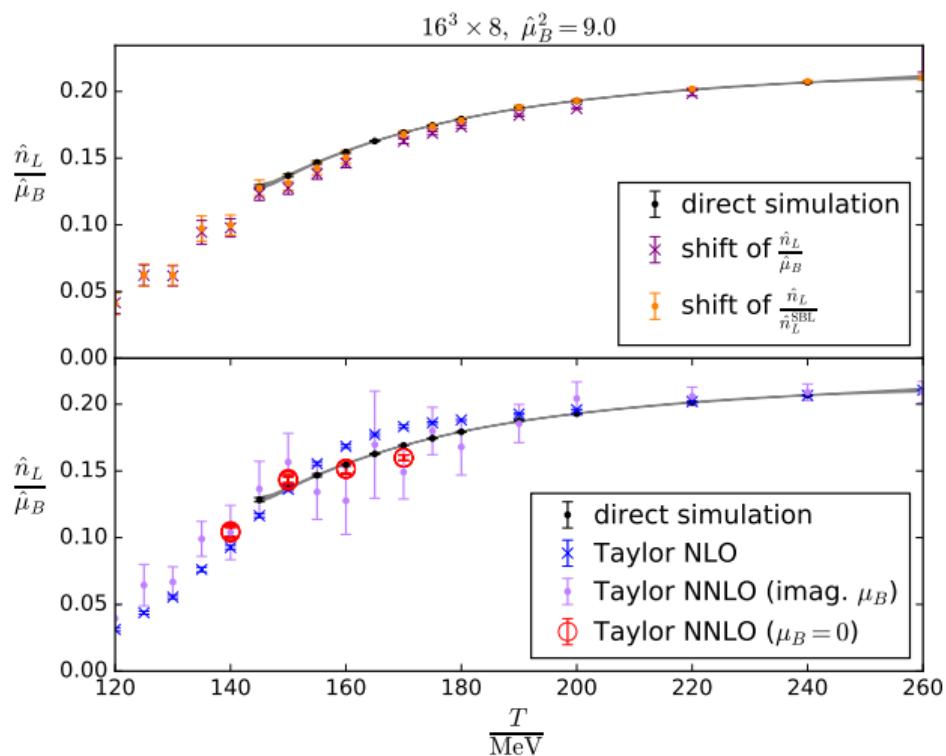
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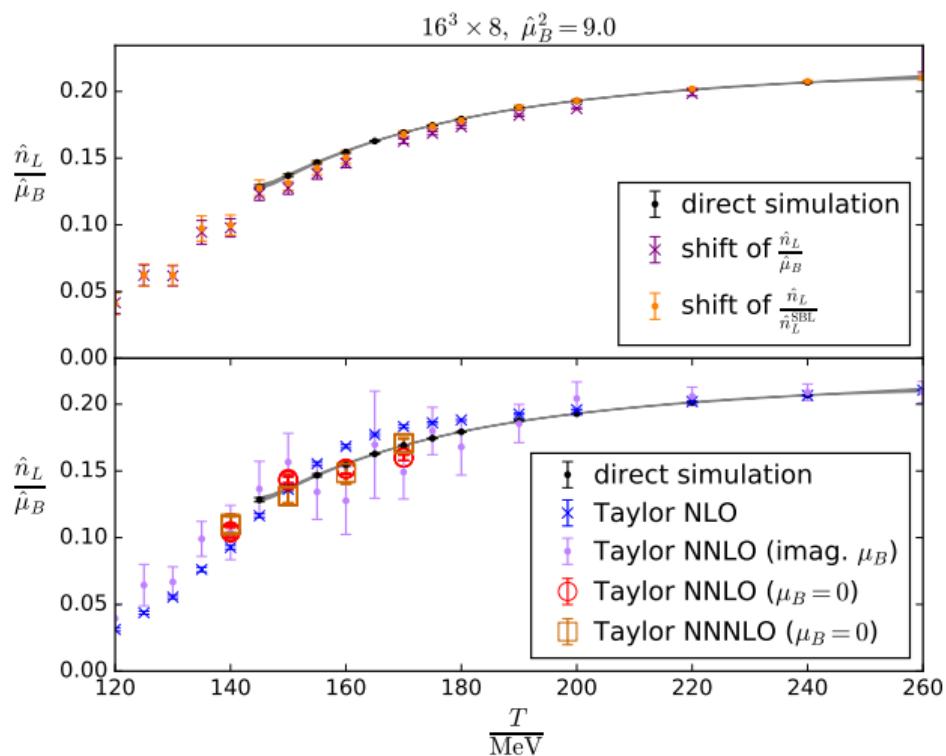
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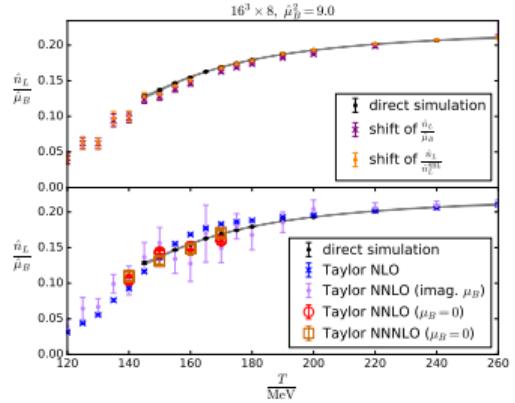
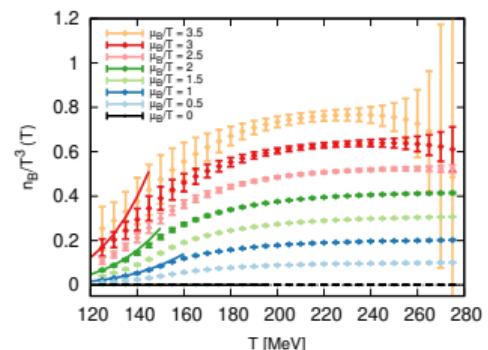
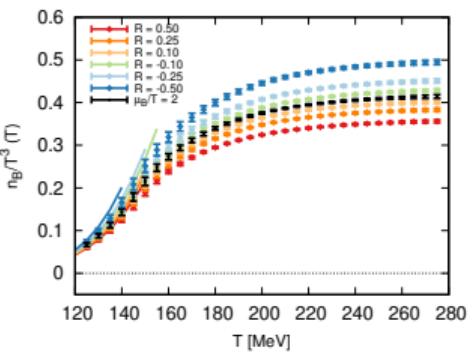
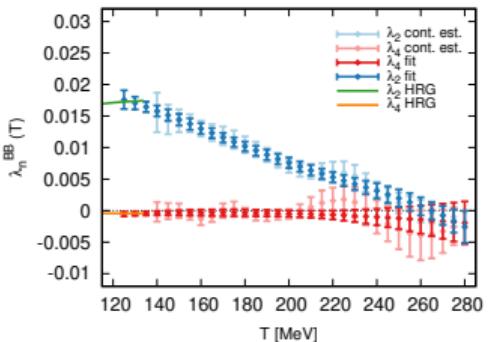
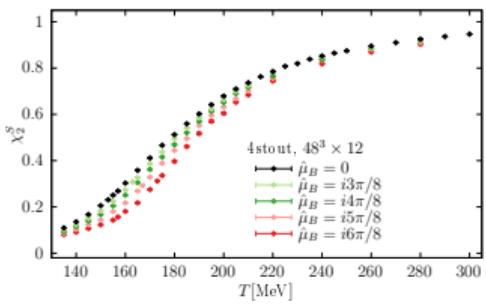
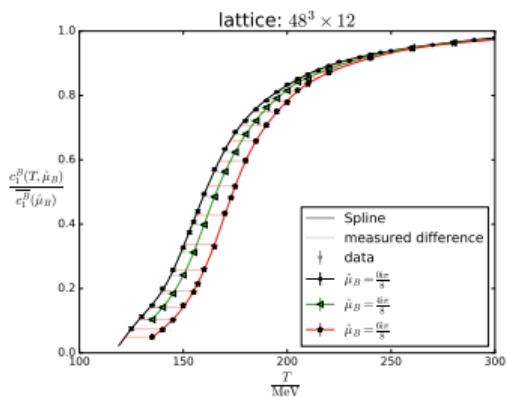
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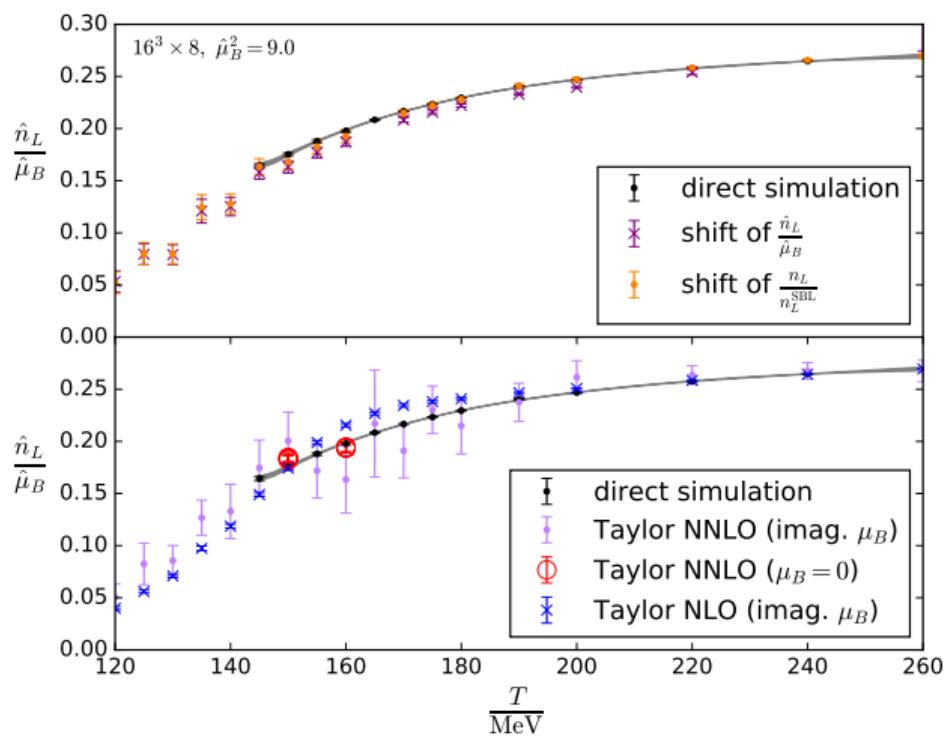
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Summary

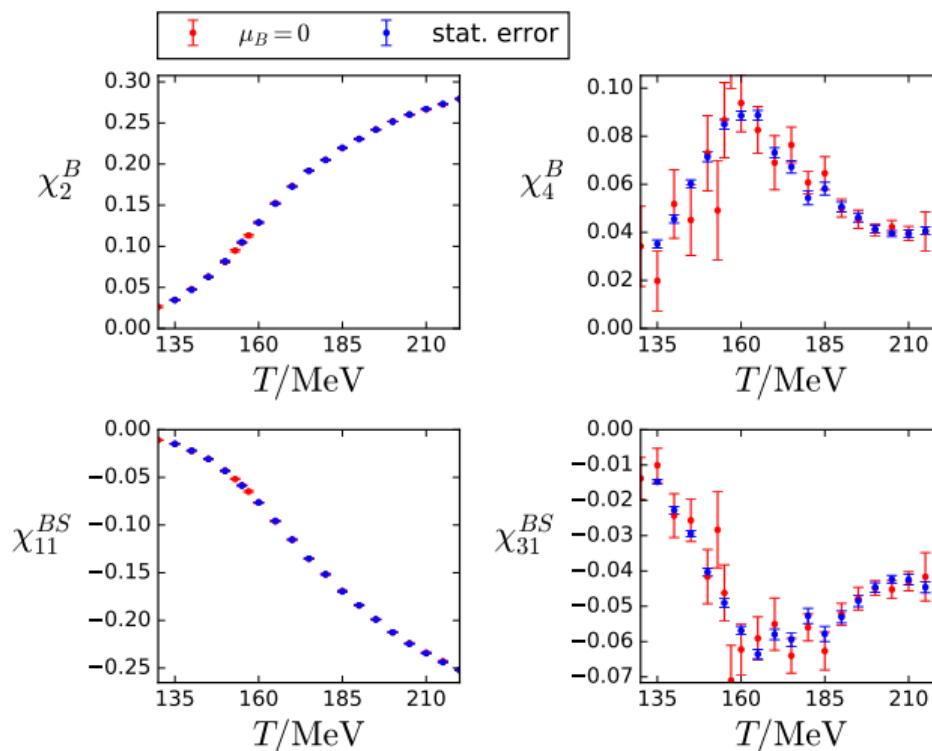


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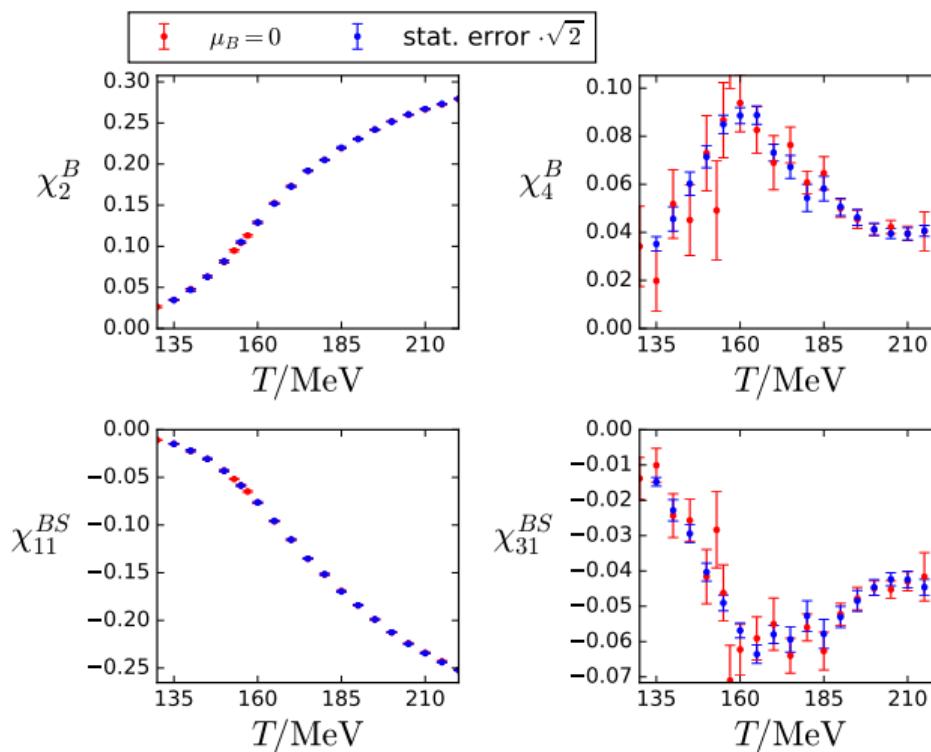
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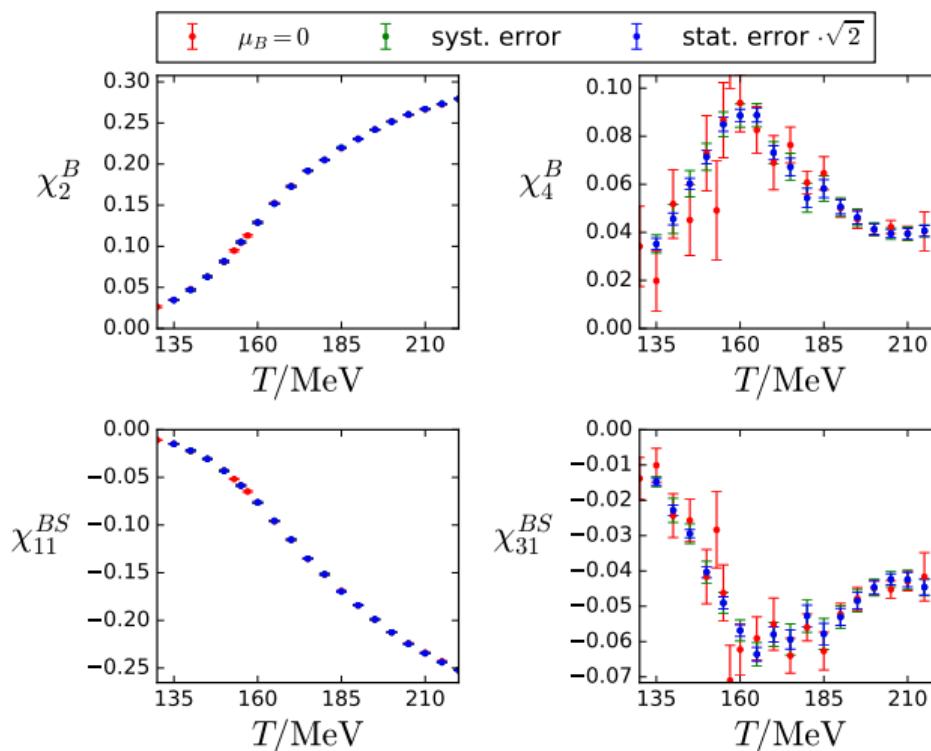
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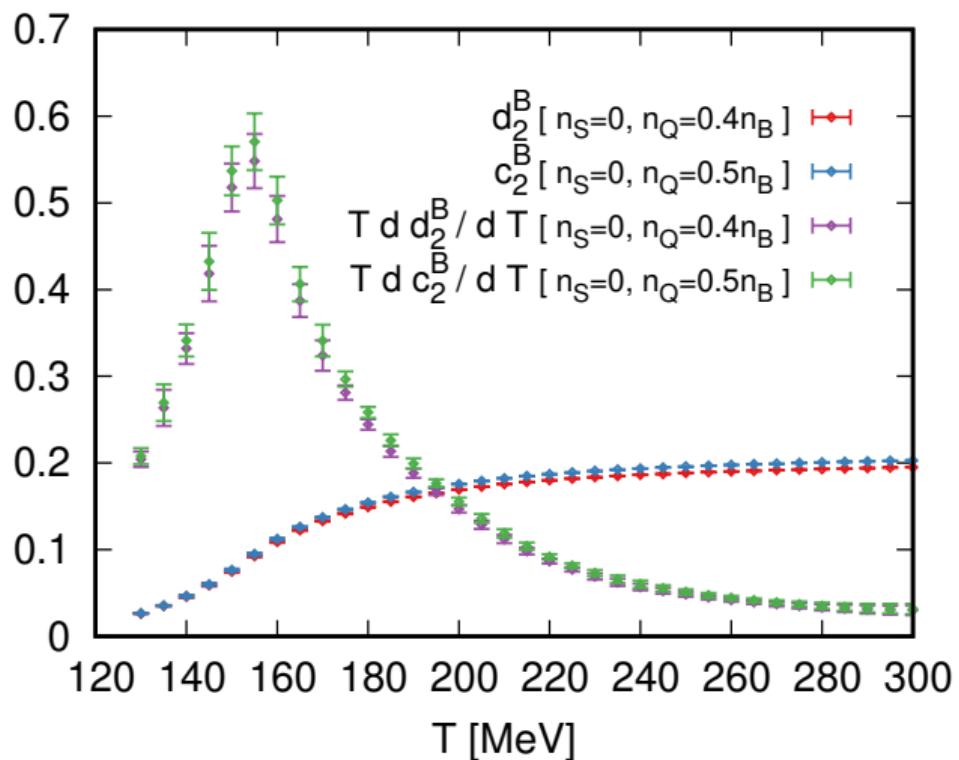
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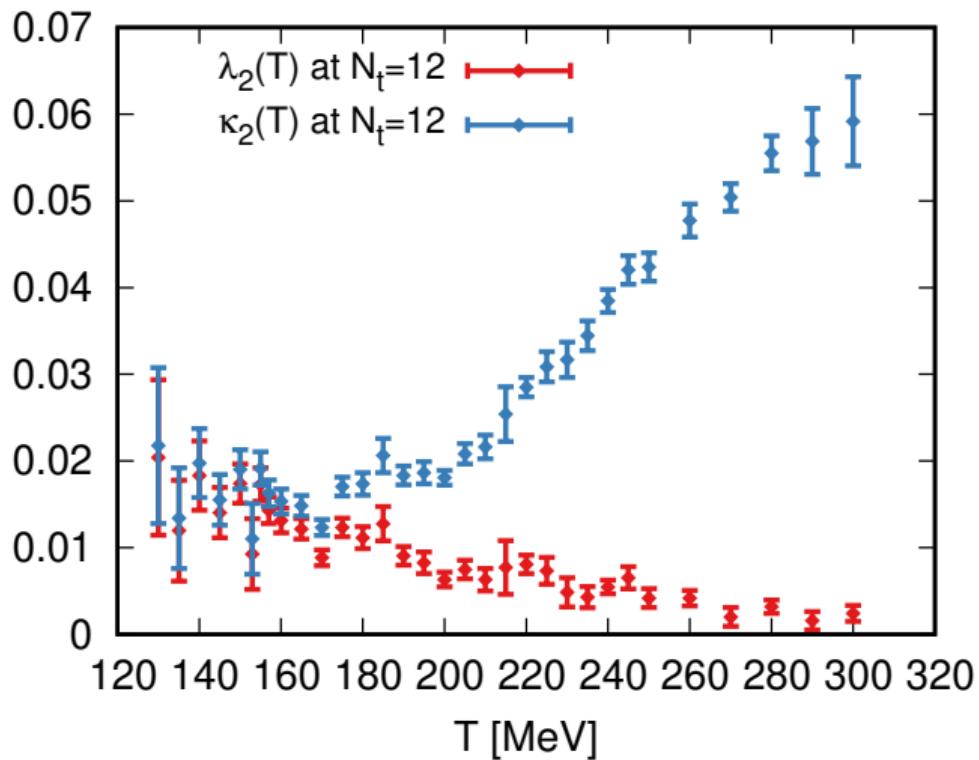


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μ_Q 

κ vs. λ 

Thermodynamics

$$\frac{p(T, \hat{\mu}_B)}{T^4} = \frac{p(T, 0)}{T^4} + \int_0^{\hat{\mu}_B} c_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}'_B) d\hat{\mu}'_B,$$

with

$$c_1^B(T, \hat{\mu}_B) = c_2^B(T', 0) \frac{\overline{c_1^B}(\hat{\mu}_B)}{\overline{c_2^B}(0)},$$

and $\frac{p(T, 0)}{T^4}$ from [Borsanyi:2013bia] The entropy density is defined as $s = \left. \frac{\partial p}{\partial T} \right|_{\mu_B, \mu_S}$, which can be rewritten in terms of dimensionless quantities as:

$$\hat{s} = 4\hat{p} + T \left. \frac{\partial \hat{p}}{\partial T} \right|_{\mu_B} = 4\hat{p} + T \left. \frac{\partial \hat{p}}{\partial T} \right|_{\hat{\mu}_B} - \hat{\mu}_B \chi_1^B,$$

where $\hat{s} \equiv \frac{s}{T^3}$ and we took into account the difference between derivatives at fixed μ_B versus at fixed $\hat{\mu}_B$.

Thermodynamics II

By noticing that on the strangeness neutral line

$$\frac{d\hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B, \hat{\mu}_S(T, \hat{\mu}_B))}{dT} = \chi_1^S \frac{\partial \hat{\mu}_S}{\partial T} + \frac{\partial \hat{p}}{\partial T} = \frac{\partial \hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B, \hat{\mu}_S(T, \hat{\mu}_B))}{\partial T},$$

we can write the logarithmic temperature derivative of the pressure as:

$$\begin{aligned} T \left. \frac{\partial \hat{p}(T, \hat{\mu}_B)}{\partial T} \right|_{\hat{\mu}} &= T \frac{\partial \hat{p}(T, 0)}{\partial T} \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\hat{\mu}_B^2} T \left. \frac{dc_2^B(T', 0)}{dT'} \right|_{T'} \times \left[1 + \lambda_2^{BB} y + \lambda_4^{BB} y^2 + T \left(\frac{d\lambda_2^{BB}}{dT} y + \frac{d\lambda_4^{BB}}{dT} y^2 \right) \right] dy \end{aligned}$$

where $\frac{dc_2^B(T)}{dT}$ is calculated at $\mu_B = 0$ and $T' = T(1 + \lambda_2^{BB}y + \lambda_4^{BB}y^2)$

Given the pressure and the entropy, the dimensionless energy density is given by:

$$\hat{\epsilon} = \hat{s} - \hat{p} + \hat{\mu}_B \chi_1^B,$$

where $\hat{\epsilon} = \frac{\epsilon}{T^4}$.