

Self-consistent gaps and equation of states for neutron star applications

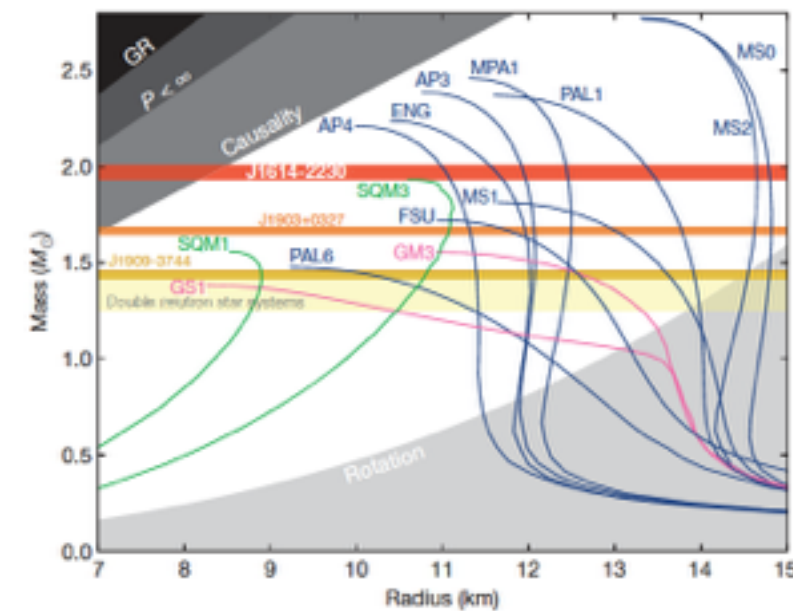
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Neutron star modeling

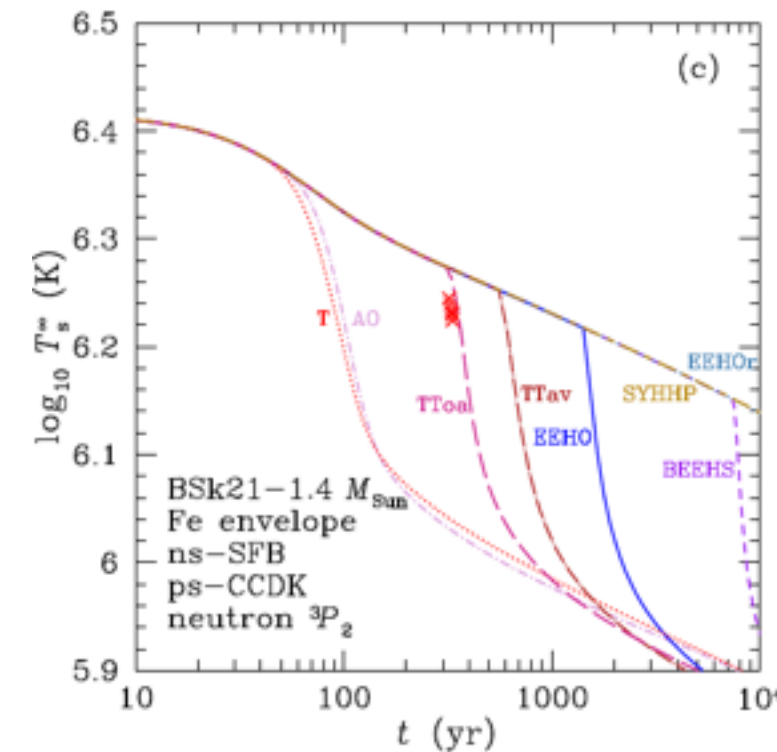
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EoS

Observable #1
Mass-Radius relation



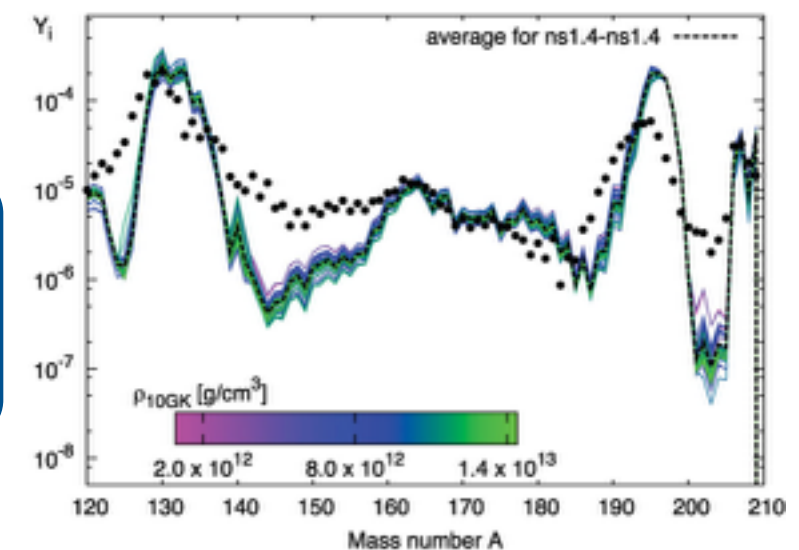
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Pairing gap

Observable #2
Cooling curve



Input #3
 ν transport

Observable #3
Nucleosynthesis



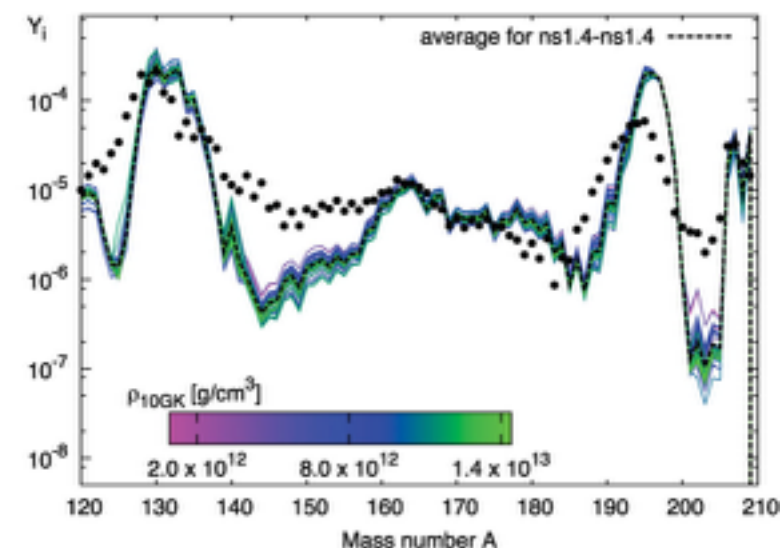
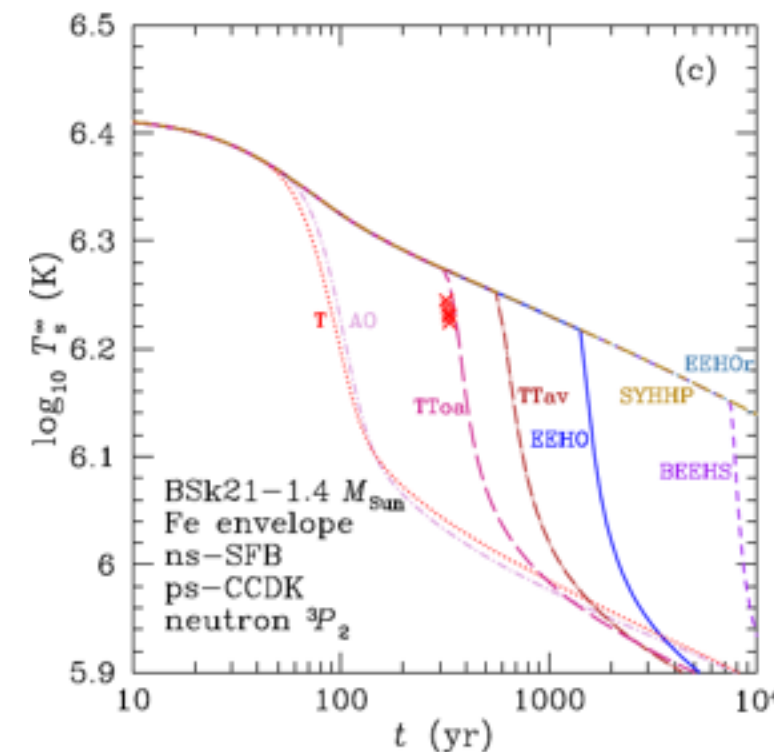
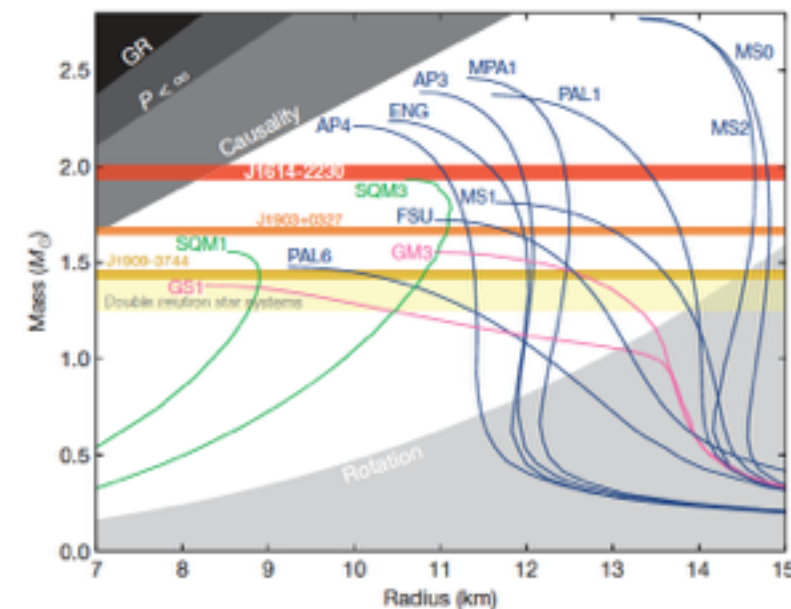
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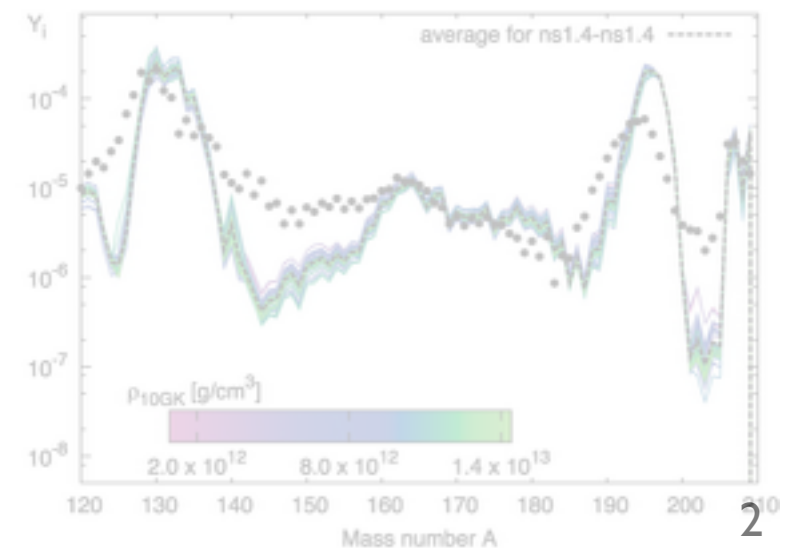
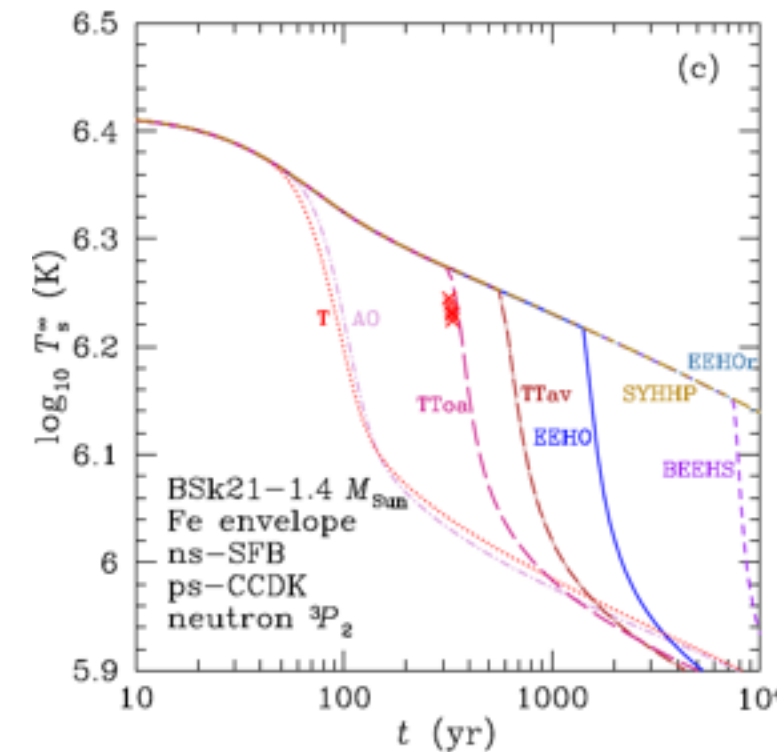
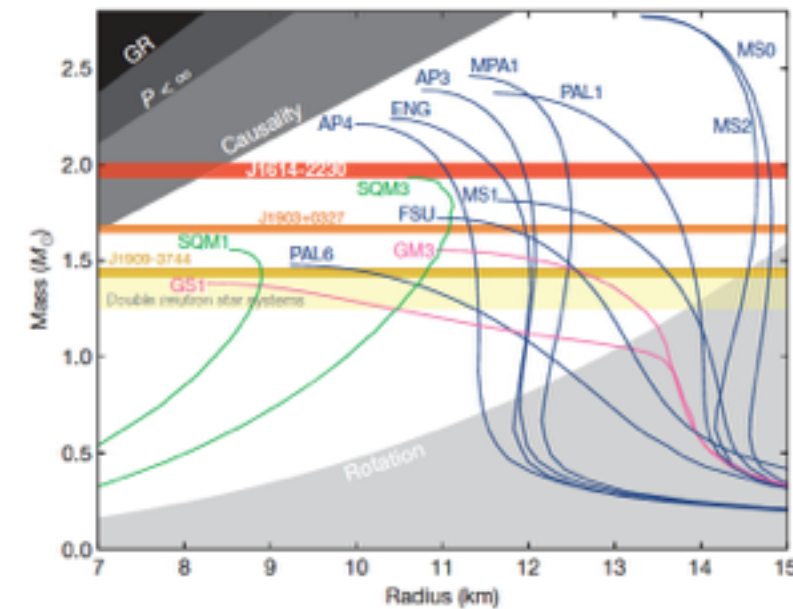
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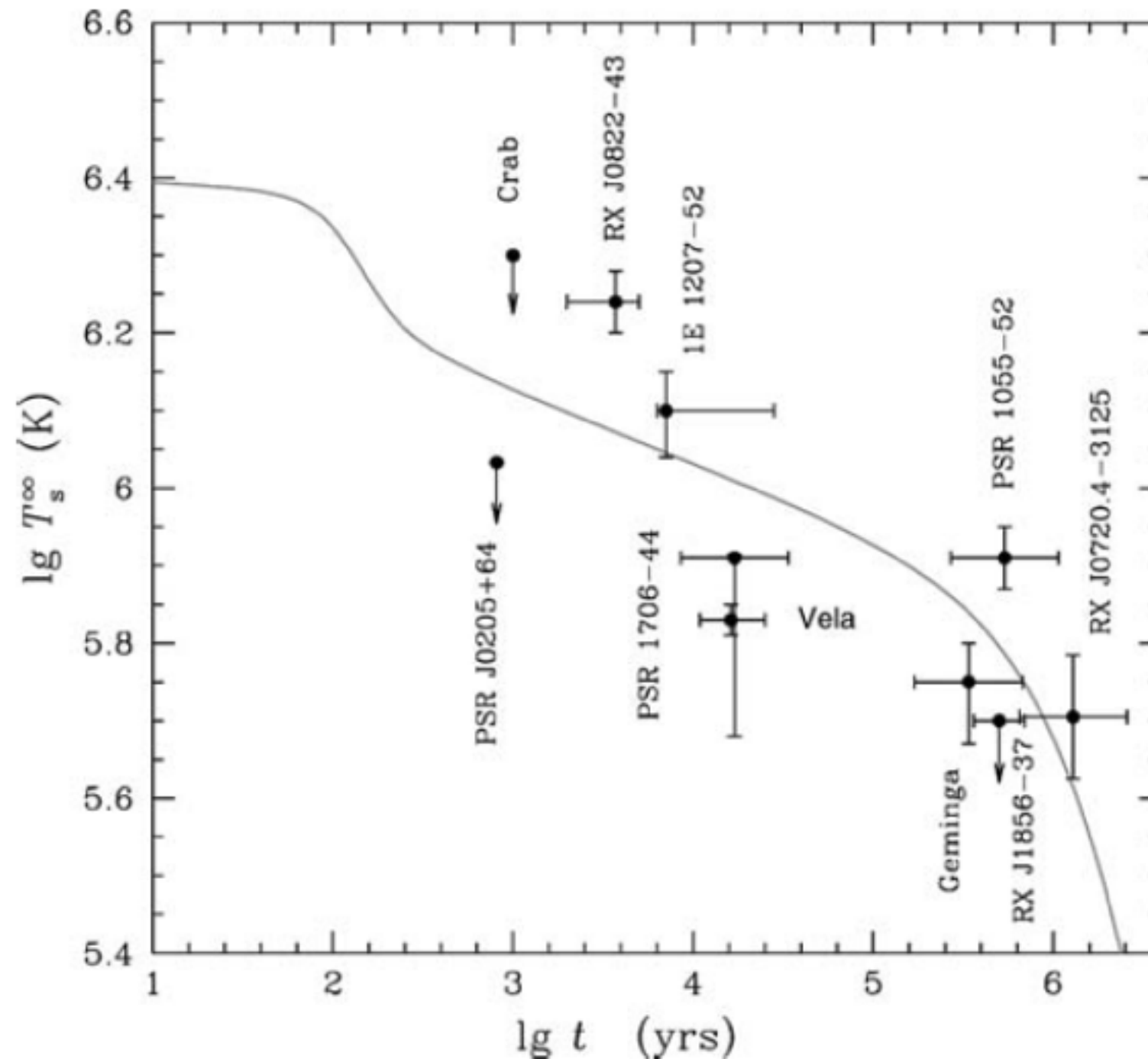
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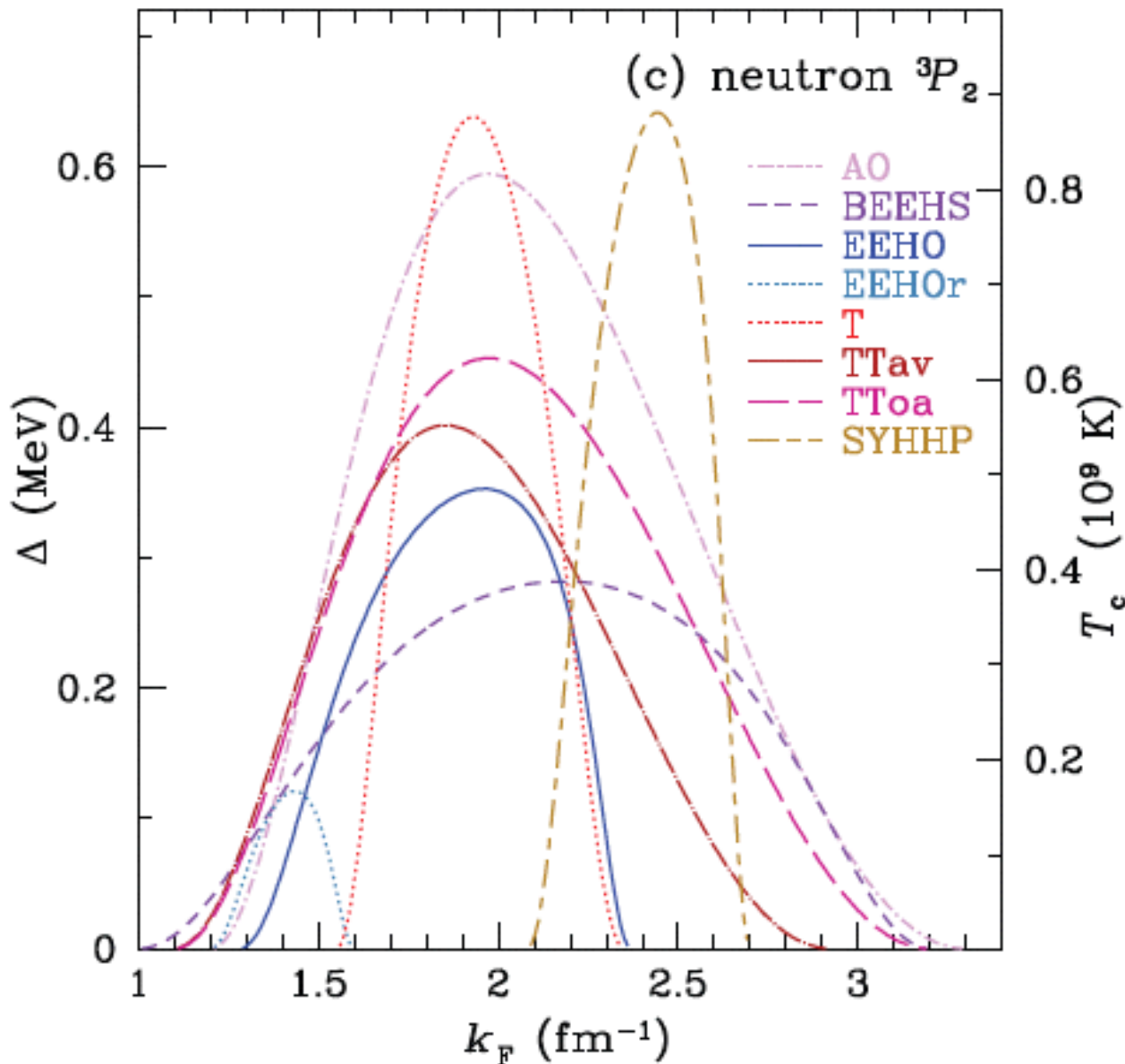
Cooling of neutron stars

NS cooling curves ($M=1.3M_{\odot}$)



- Observational data available for a handful of NS
- Sensitive to **interior** physics!

Cooling of Cassiopea A

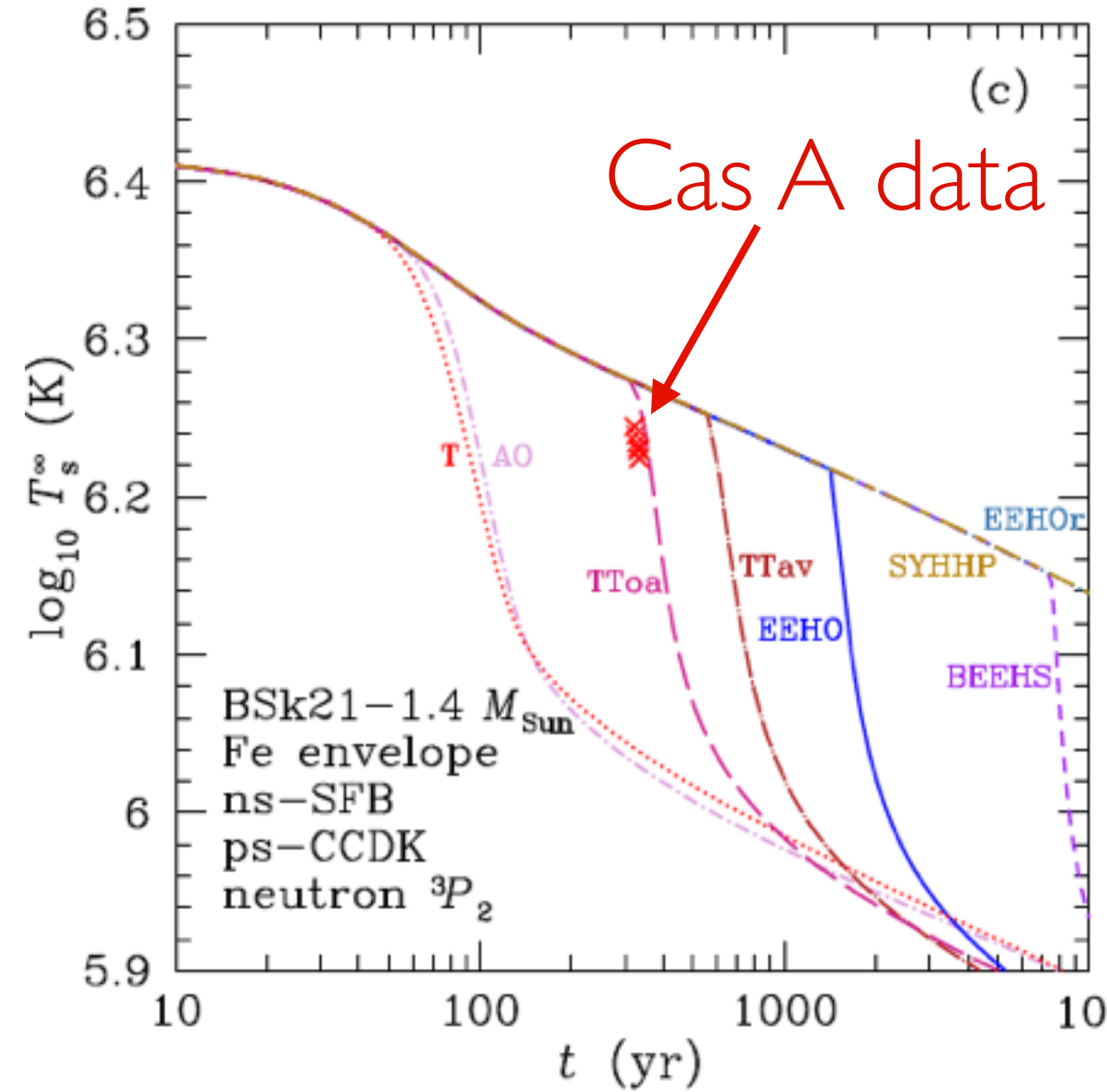


Ho, et al., PRC **91** 015806 (2015)

Page, et al., PRL **106** 081101 (2011)

Ingredients

- (a) Mass of pulsar
- (b) EoS (determines radius)
- (c) Internal composition
- (d) **Pairing gaps** (1S_0 & 3P_2 channels)
- (e) Atmosphere composition



Name	Process	Emissivity (erg cm ⁻³ s ⁻¹)
Modified Urca (neutron branch)	$n + n \rightarrow n + p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$ $n + p + e^- \rightarrow n + n + \nu_e$	$\sim 2 \times 10^{21} R T_9^8$
Modified Urca (proton branch)	$p + n \rightarrow p + p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$ $p + p + e^- \rightarrow p + n + \nu_e$	$\sim 10^{21} R T_9^8$
Bremsstrahlungs	$n + n \rightarrow n + n + \nu + \bar{\nu}$ $n + p \rightarrow n + p + \nu + \bar{\nu}$ $p + p \rightarrow p + p + \nu + \bar{\nu}$	$\sim 10^{19} R T_9^8$
Cooper pair	$n + n \rightarrow [nn] + \nu + \bar{\nu}$ $p + p \rightarrow [pp] + \nu + \bar{\nu}$	$\sim 5 \times 10^{21} R T_9^7$ $\sim 5 \times 10^{19} R T_9^7$
Direct Urca (nucleons)	$n \rightarrow p + e^- + \bar{\nu}_e$ $p + e^- \rightarrow n + \nu_e$	$\sim 10^{27} R T_9^6$

A step forward towards consistency

The Gogny force



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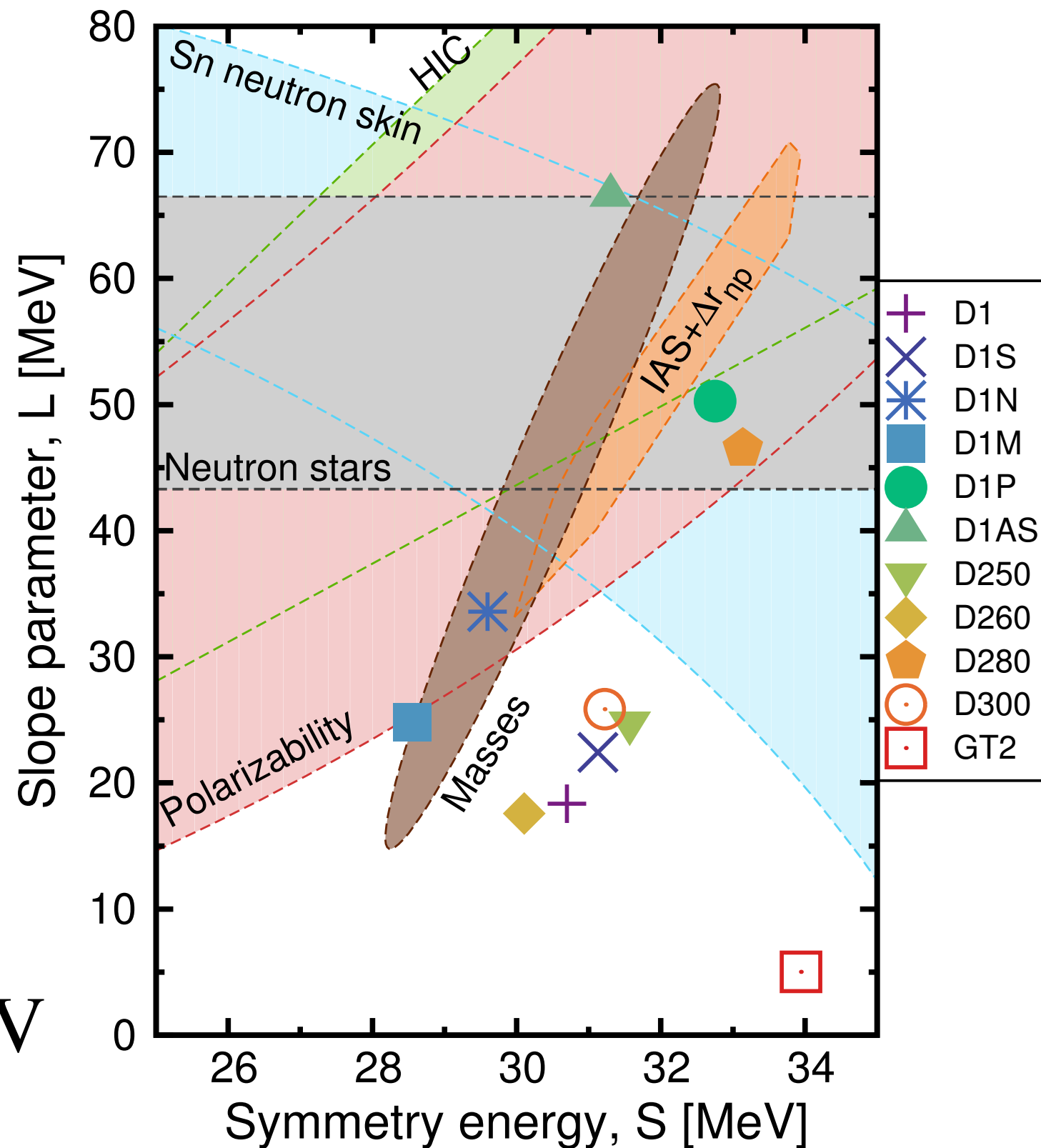
$$V(\vec{r}) = \sum_{i=1,2} \left(W_i + B_i P_\sigma - H_i P_\tau - M_i P_\sigma P_\tau \right) e^{-\frac{r^2}{\mu_i}} \\ + \sum_{i=1,2} t_0^i (1 + x_0^i P_\sigma) \rho^{\alpha_i} \delta(\vec{r}) \\ + iW_0(\sigma_1 + \sigma_2)[\vec{k}' \times \delta(\vec{r})\vec{k}]$$

- 11 parametrizations
- Popular in **fission** studies
- Any good for isospin?
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• Pairing?

$$S \sim 31 \pm 1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$L \sim 45 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$$



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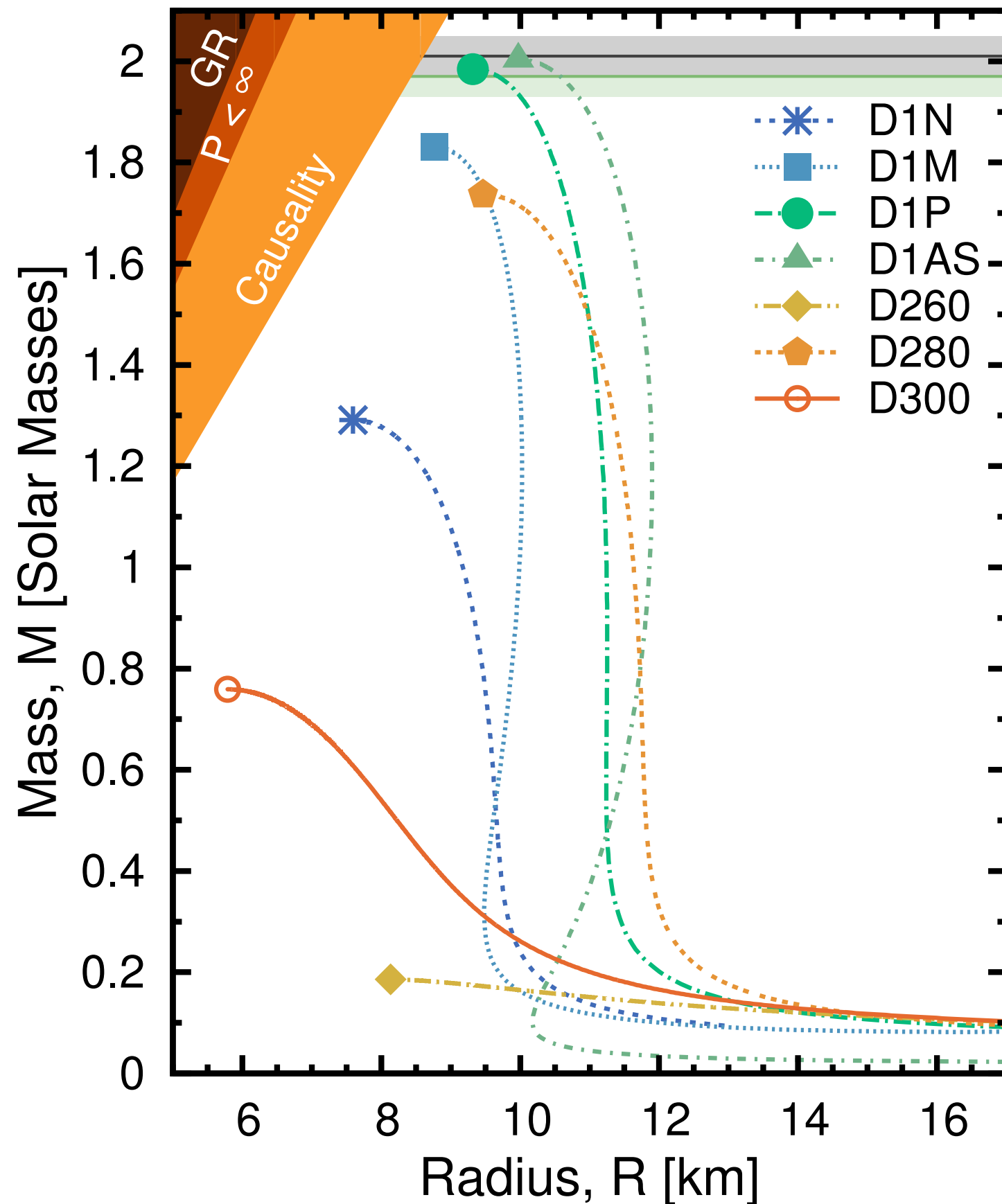
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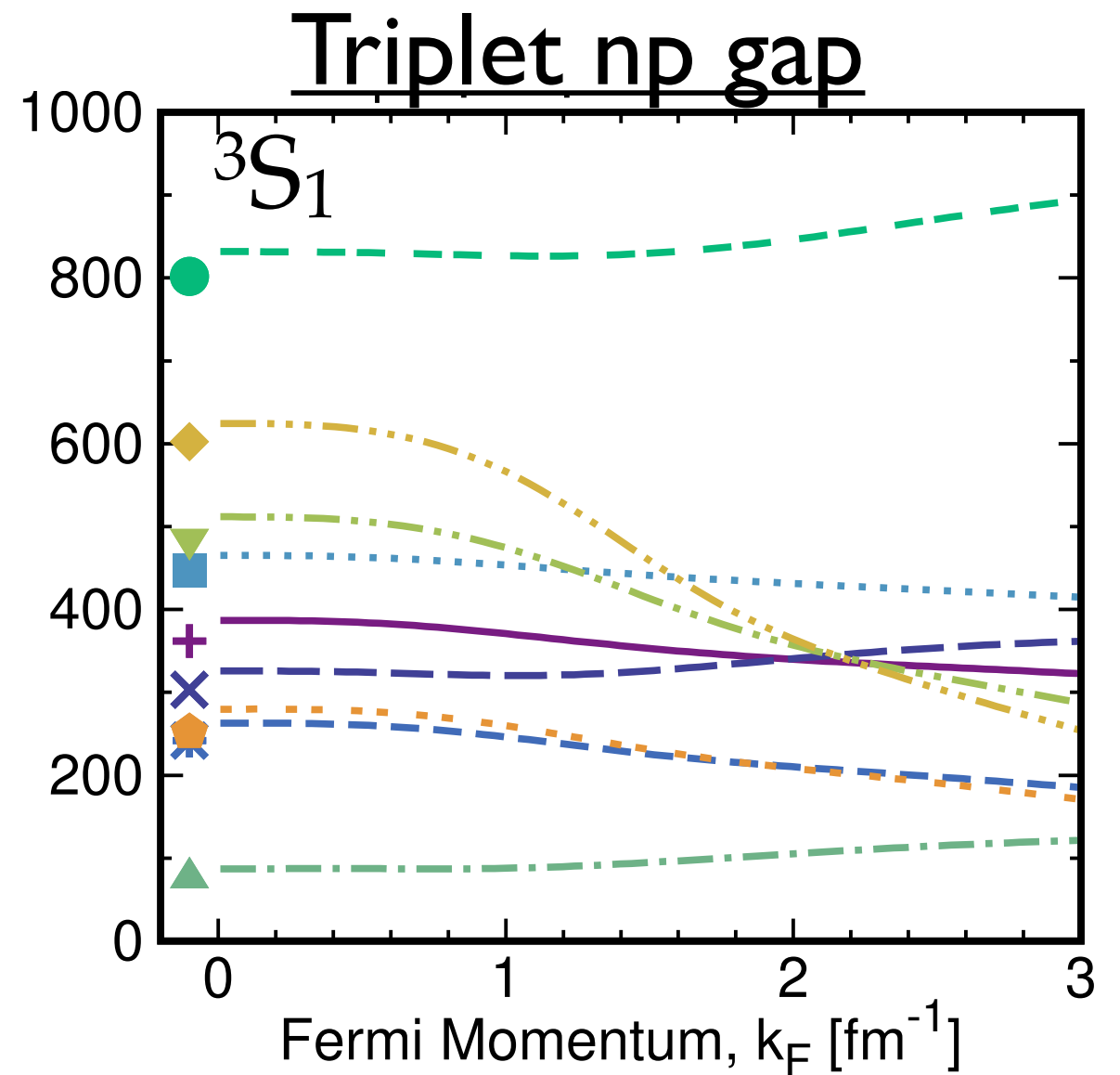
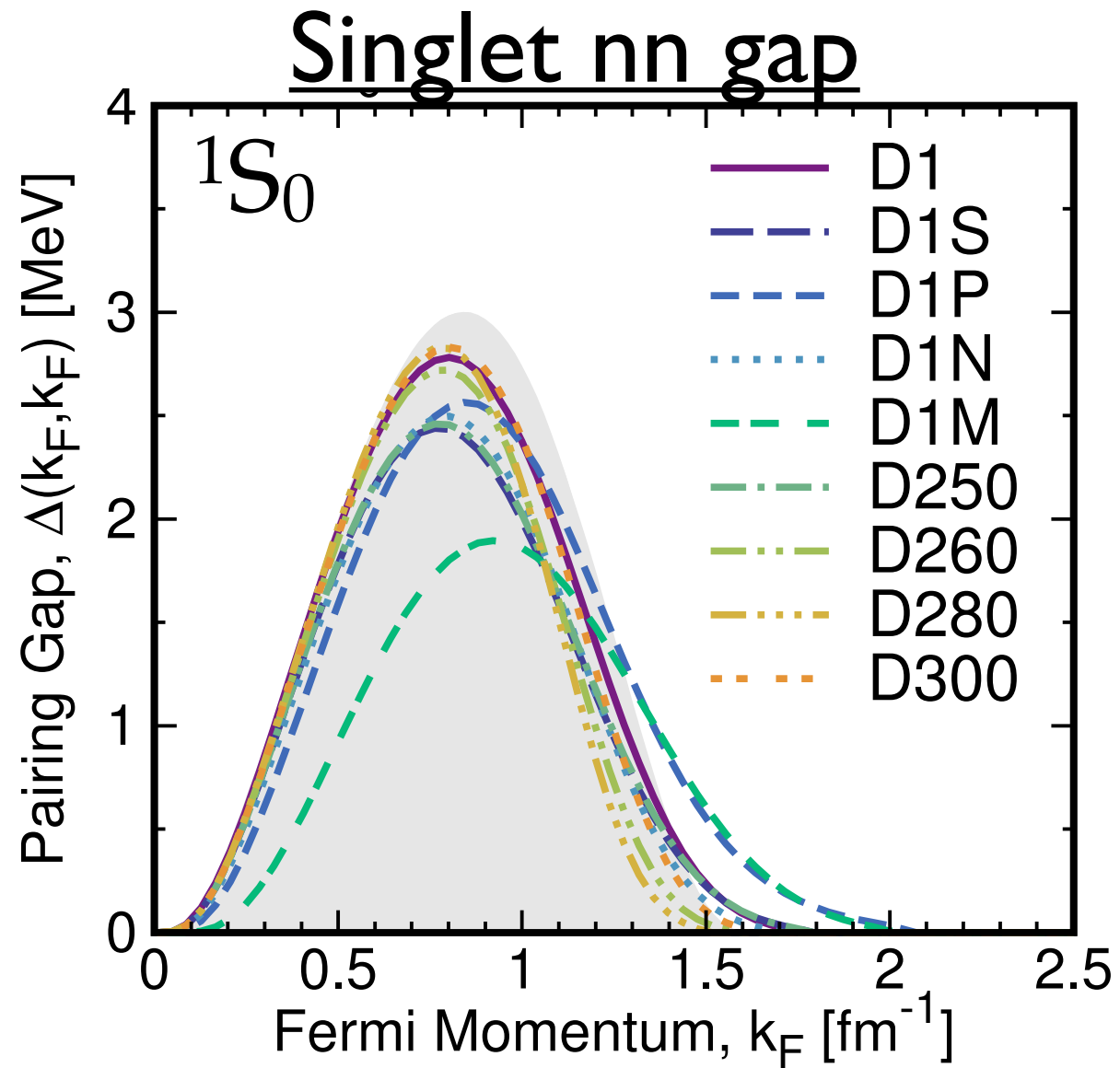


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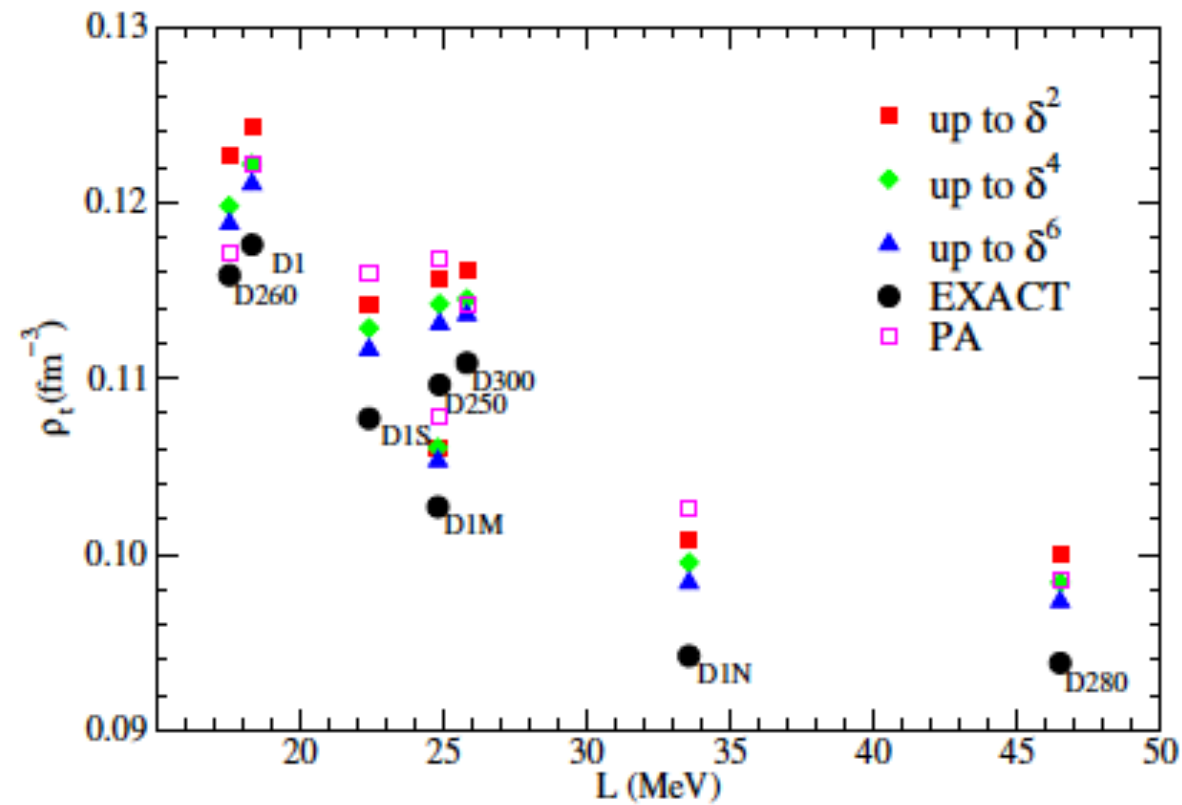
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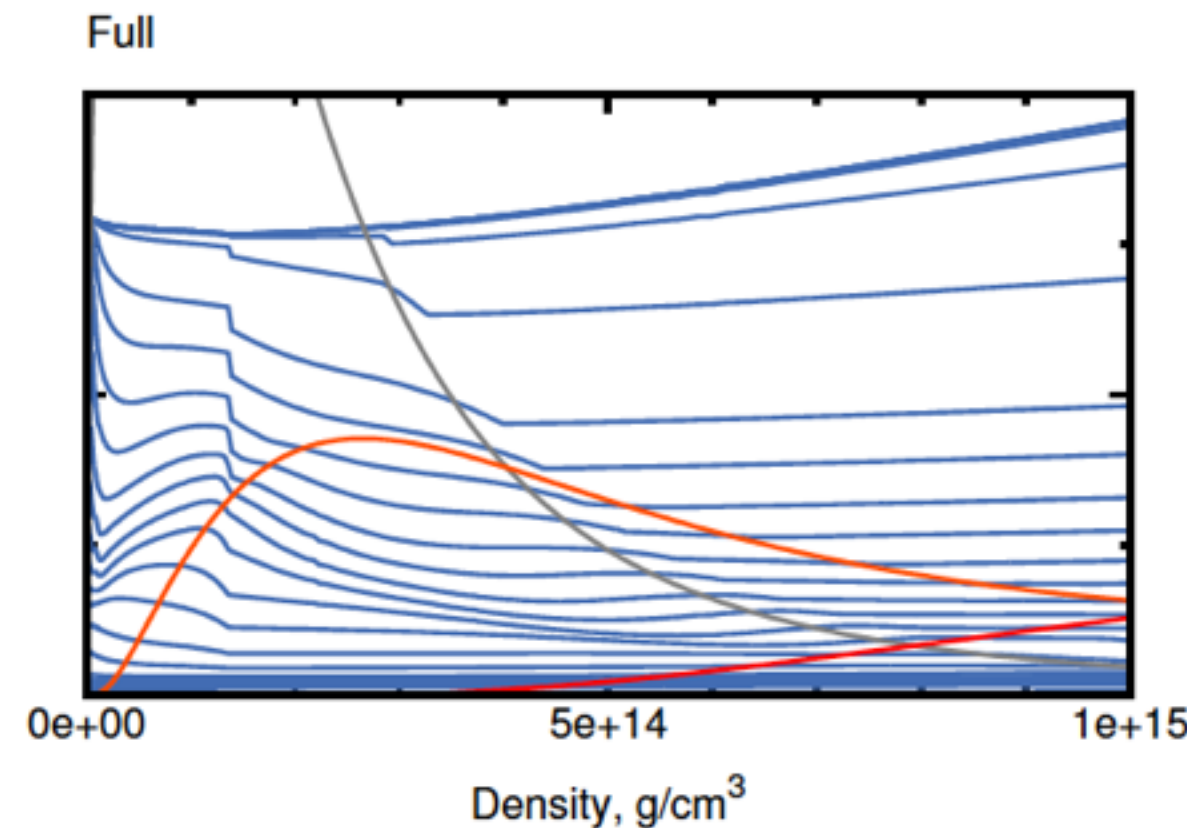
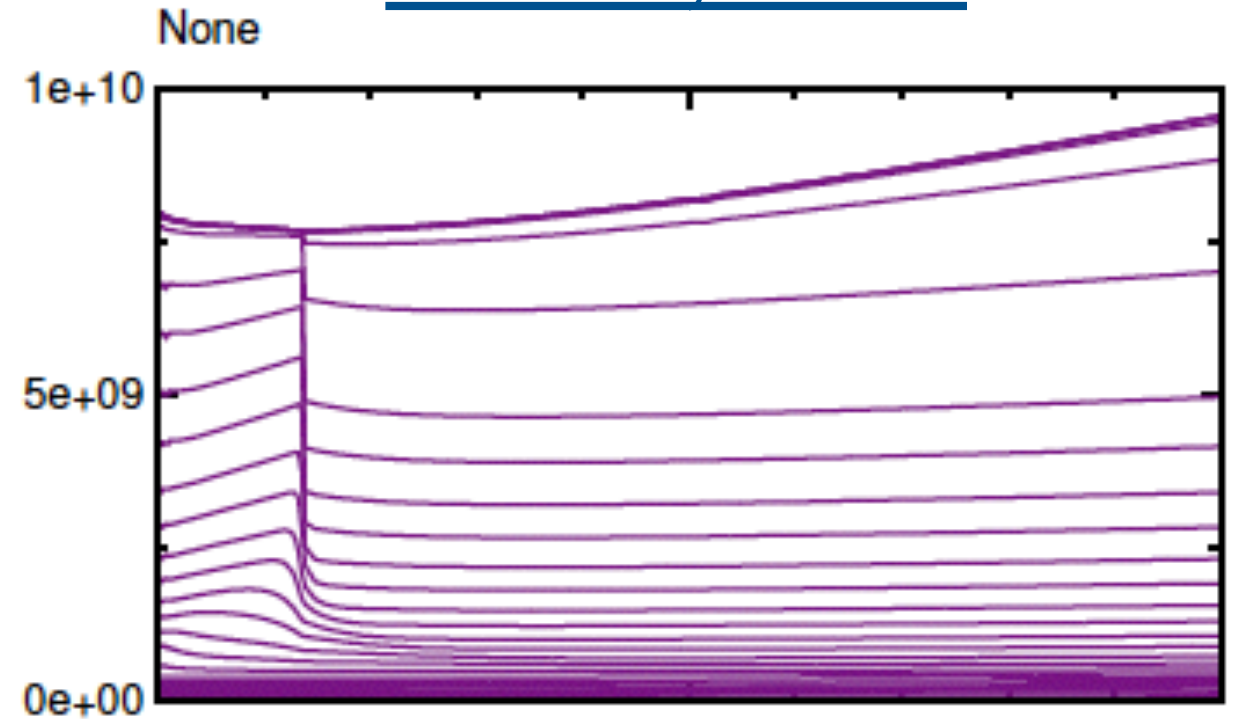


Gonzalez-Boquera, Centelles, Vinas
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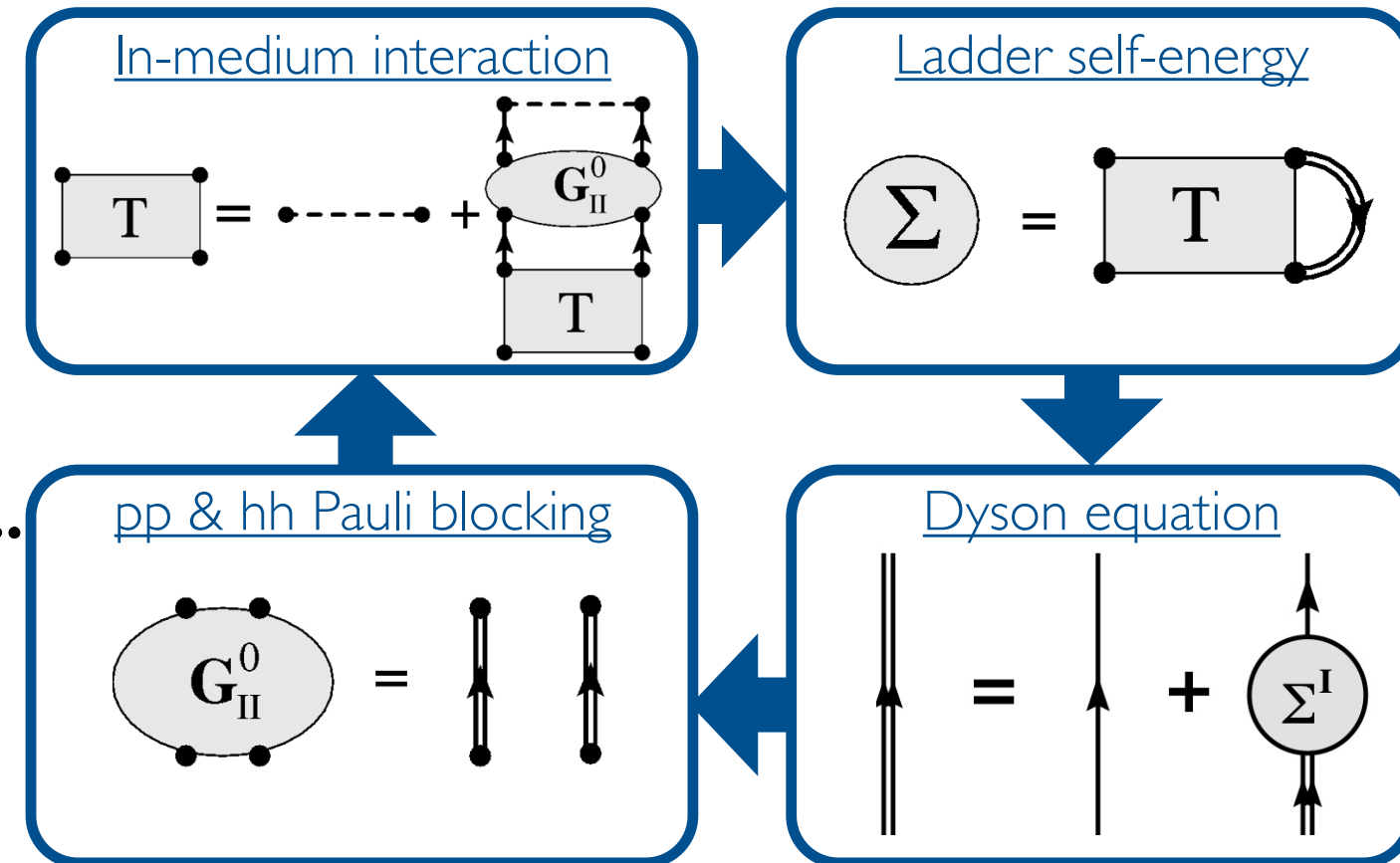
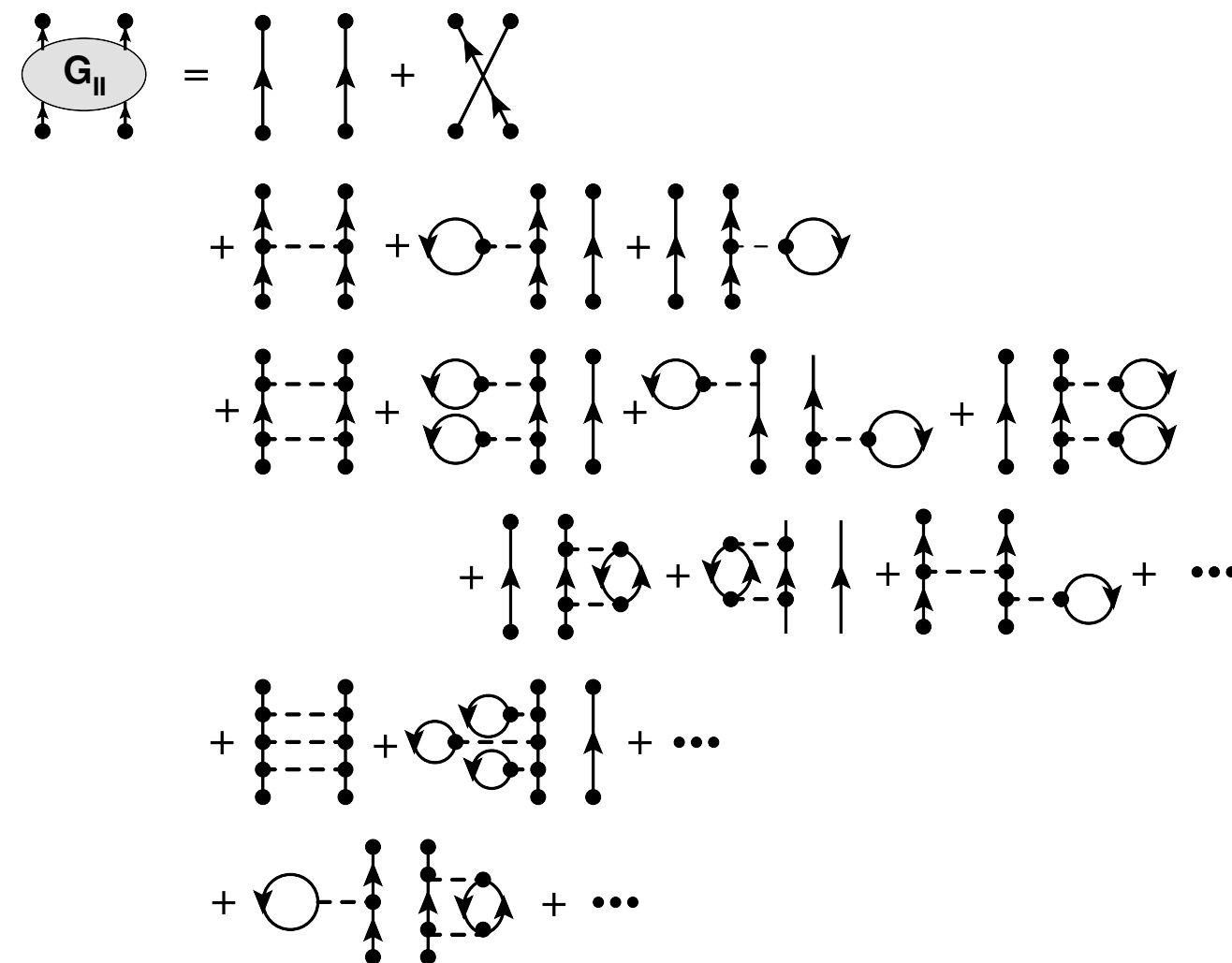
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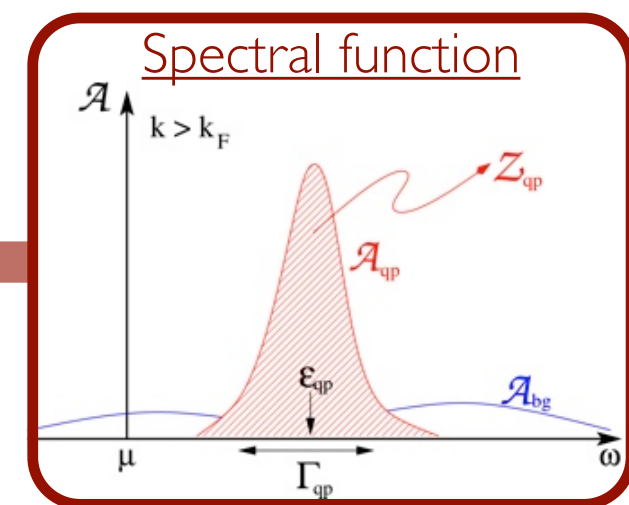
Self-consistent Green's functions

Ladder approximation within SCGF

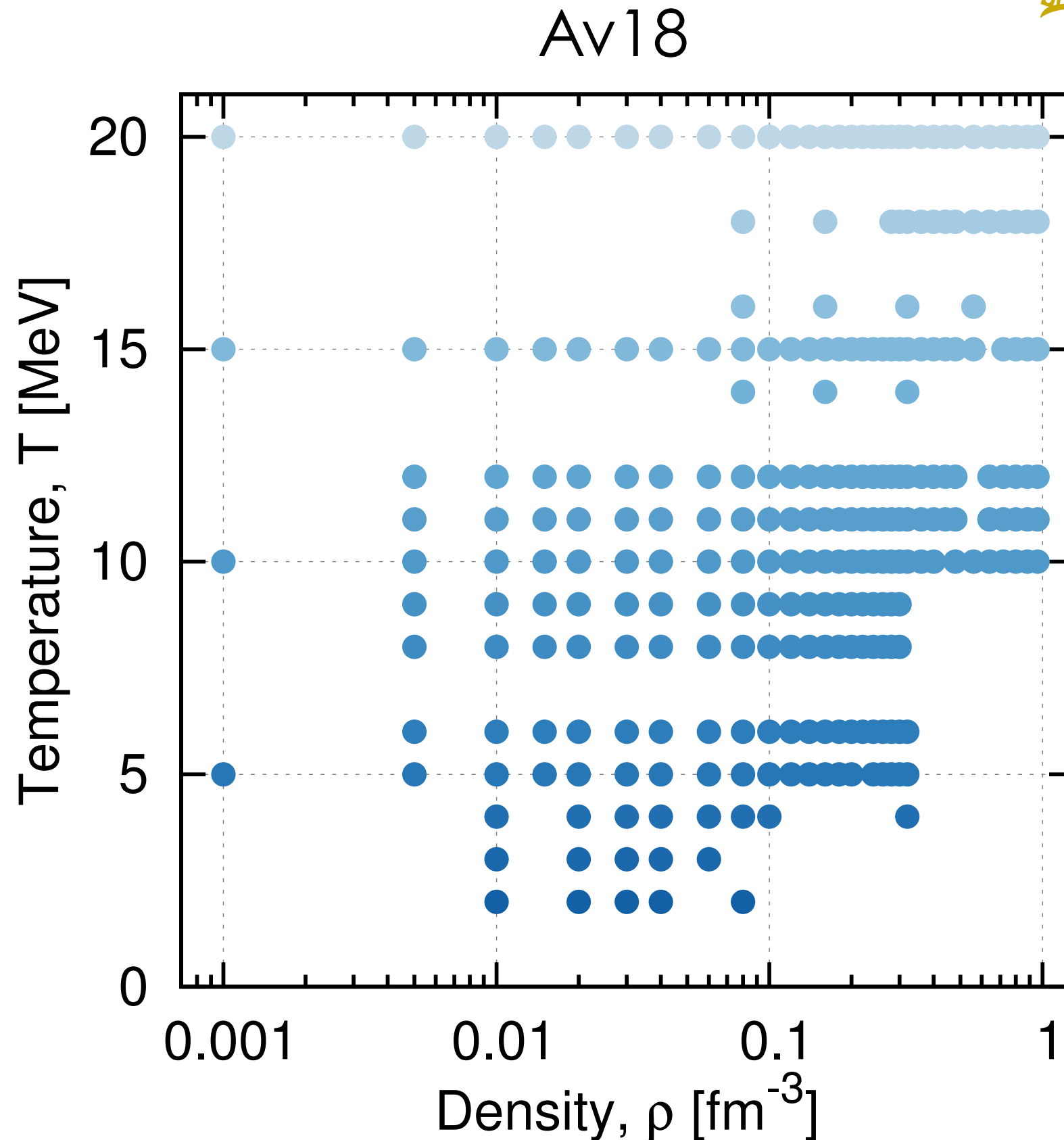


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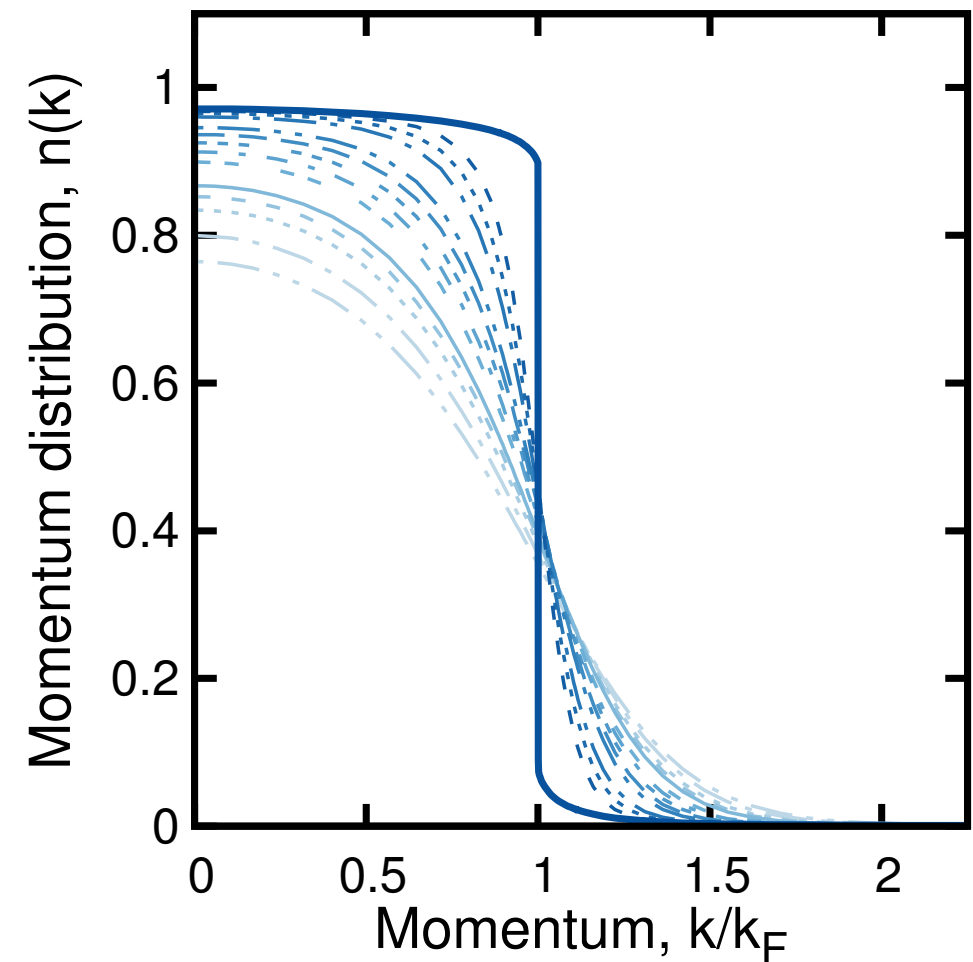
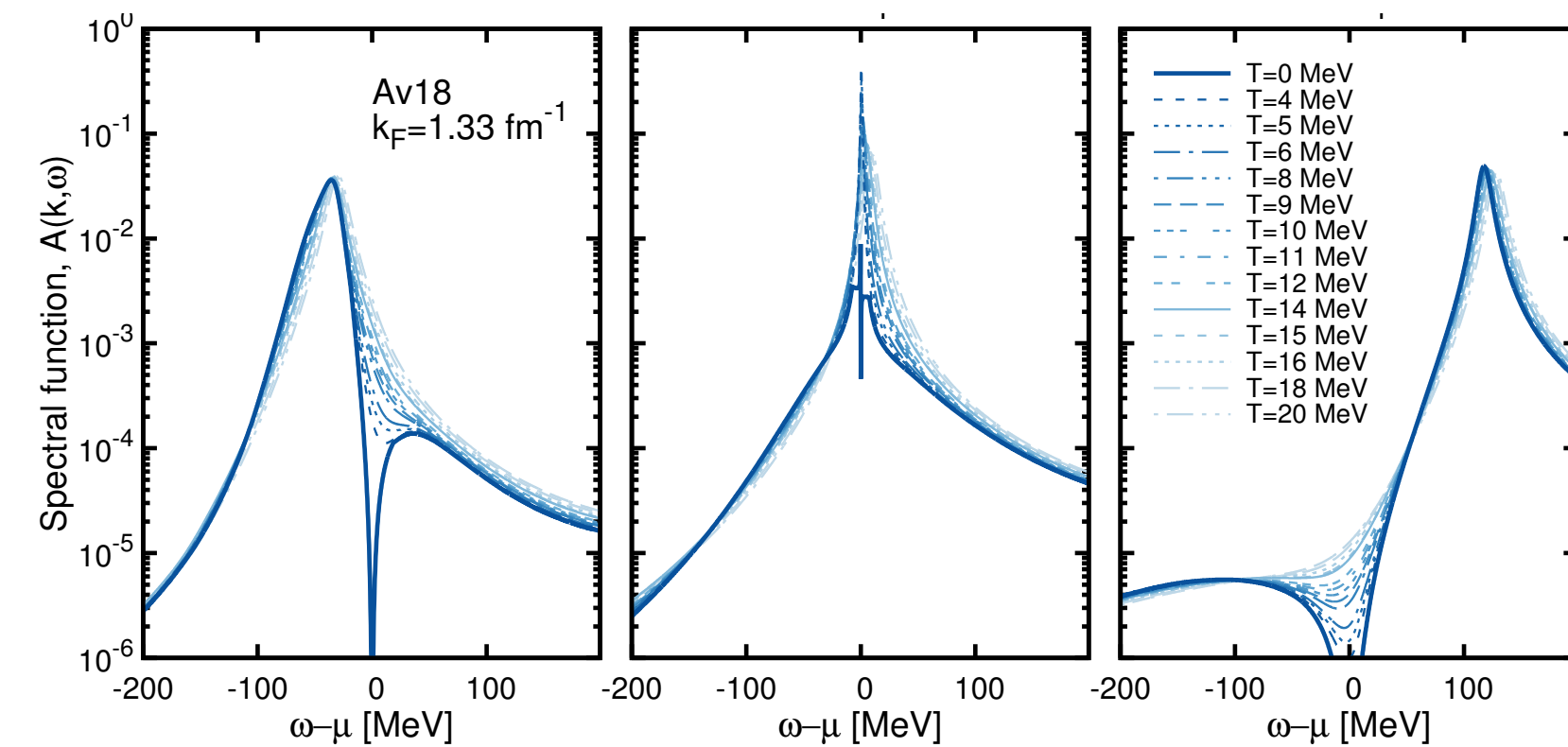
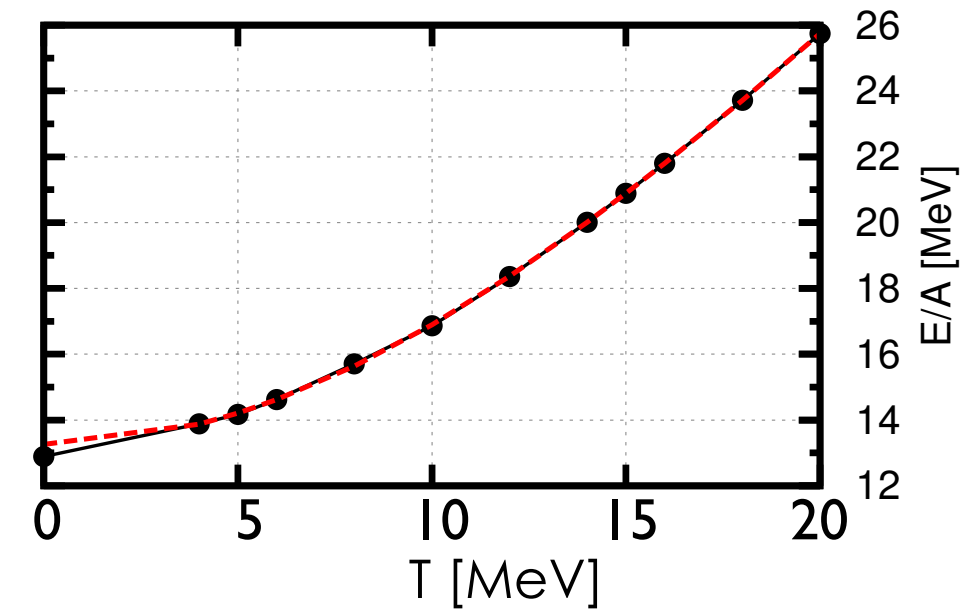
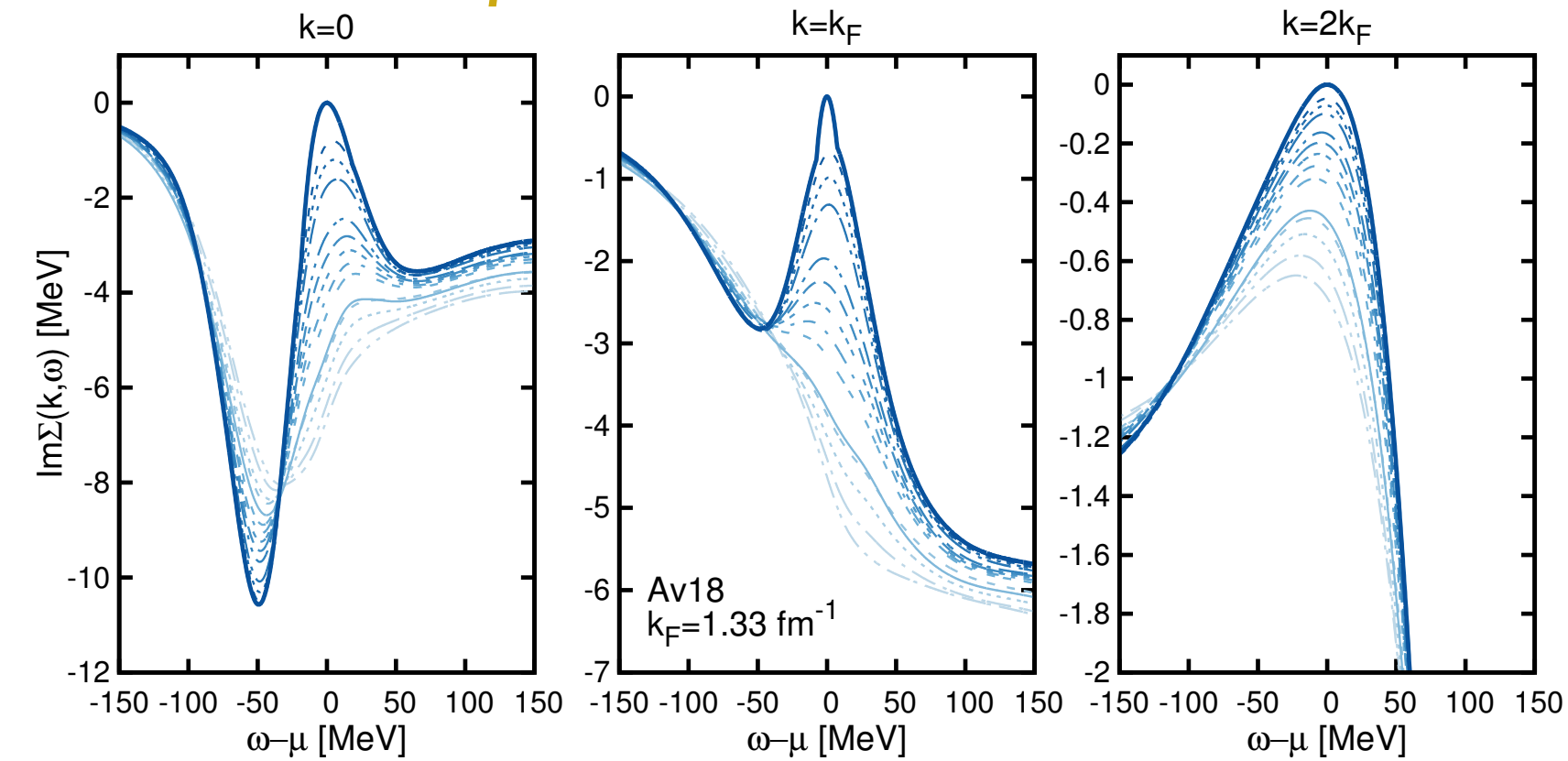
One-body properties
 Momentum distribution
 Thermodynamics & EoS
Transport



Self-consistency, pp+hh & full off-shell effects
 Finite temperature



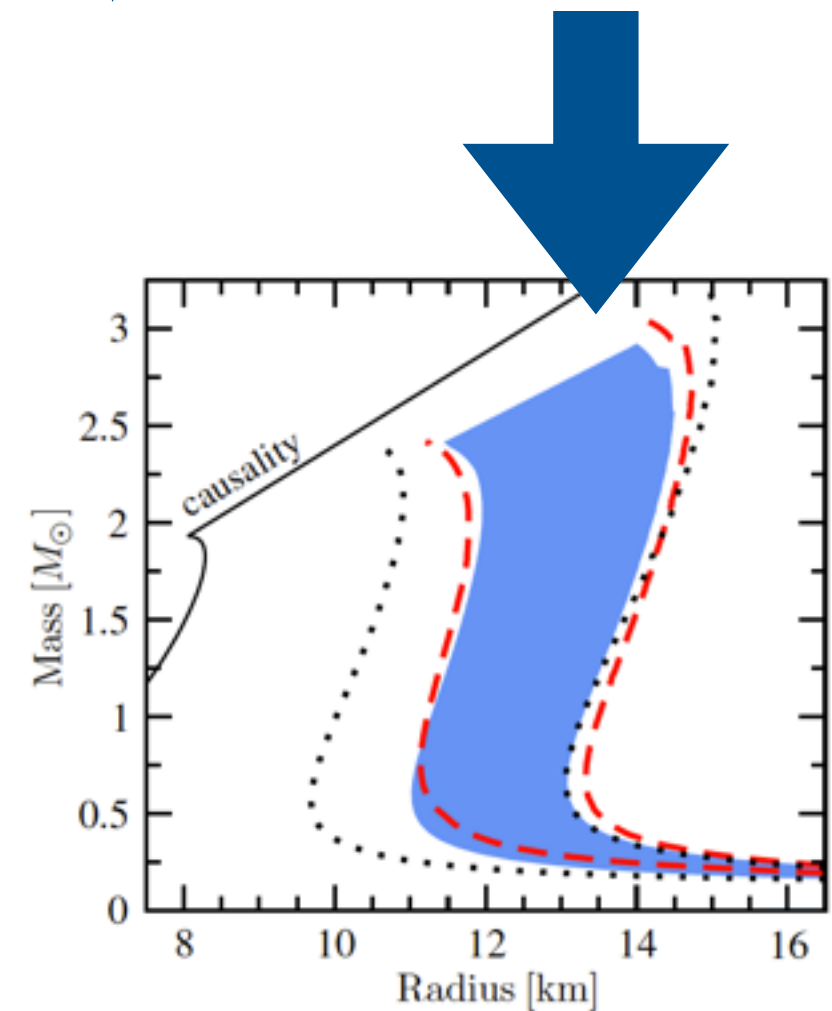
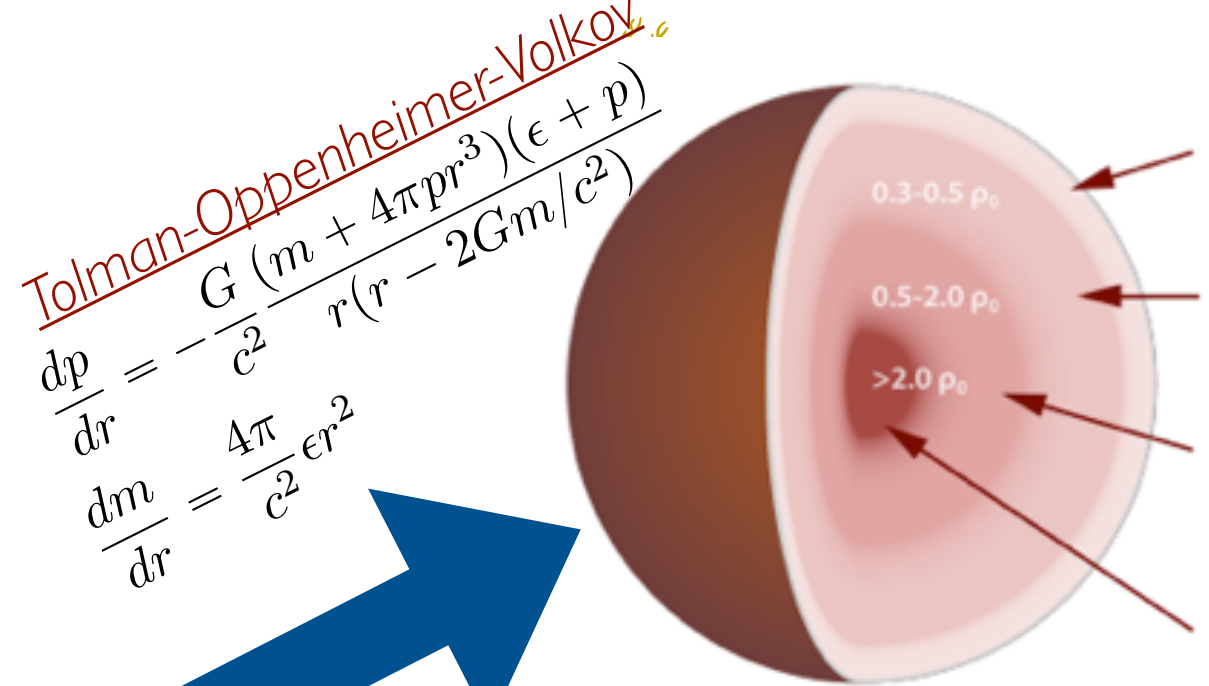
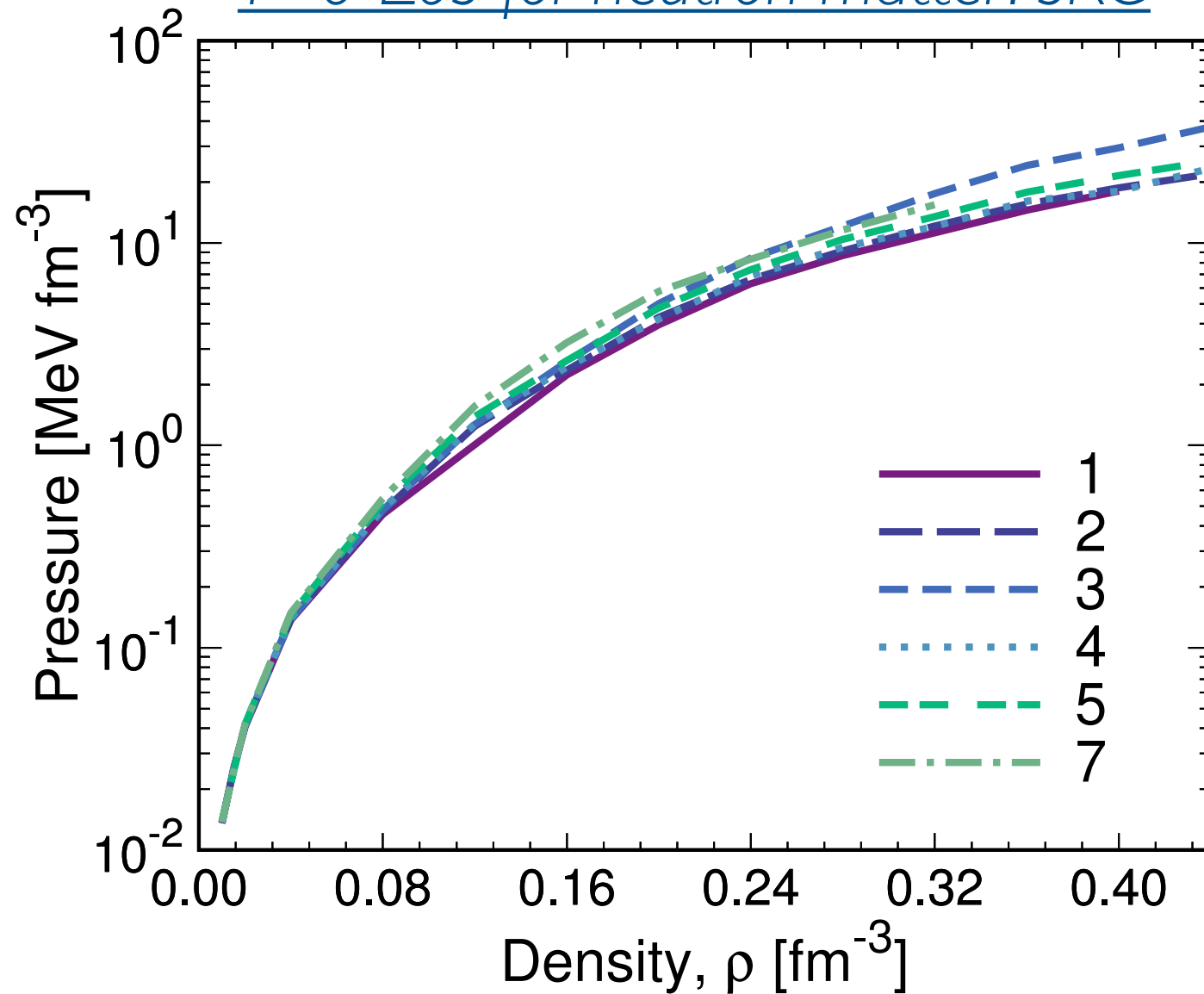
$T=0$ extrapolations



- **Extrapolate** $\Sigma(k, \omega; T)$ (13 Gb worth data)
- **Constraining** with **macroscopic** properties

Neutron matter

$T=0$ EoS for neutron matter: SRG

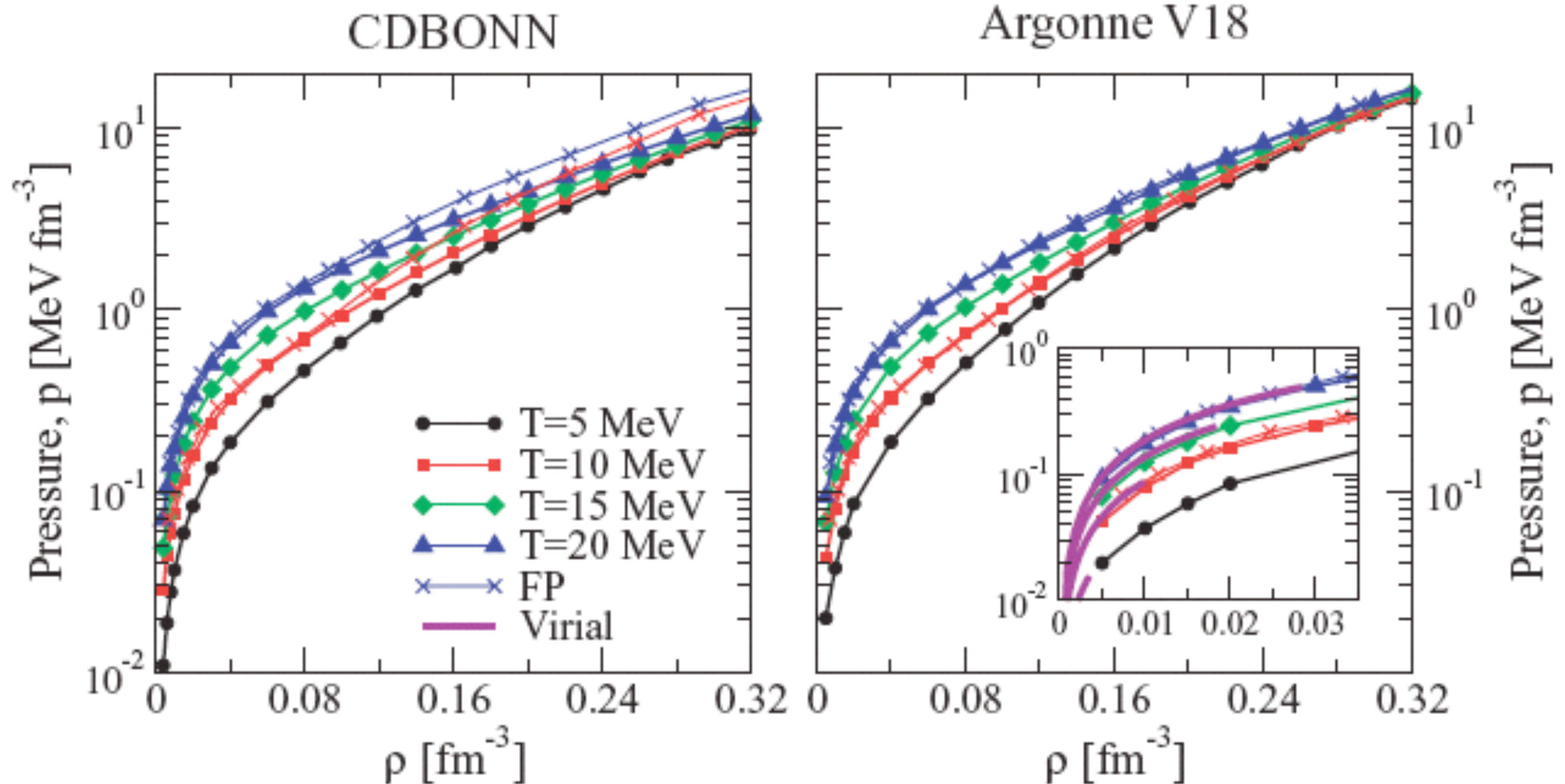


Hebeler, Lattimer, Pethick, Schwenk
ApJ **773** 11 (2013)

- Error band from fits in ChPT c_1, c_3 parameters
- Finite temperature & higher densities available

Carbone, Polls & Rios, PRC **90** 054322 (2014)

A. Carbone, Drischler, Hebeler, Schwenk, arXiv:1608.05615 13

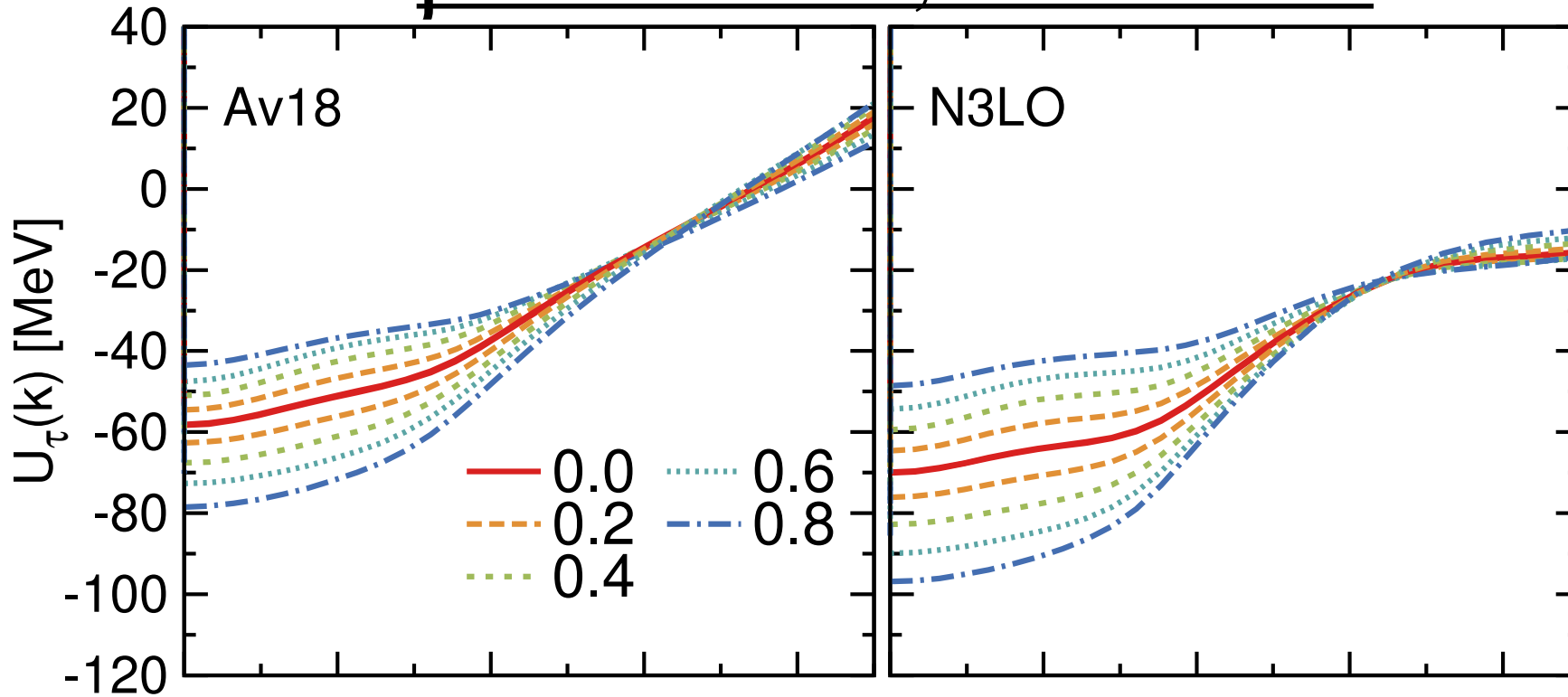


Rios, Polls & Vidana, Phys. Rev. C **79**, 025802 (2009)

- **Parameter-free** first principles calculation
- Reproduces **virial** at low density
- No need for **3NFs** (though we can treat them!)

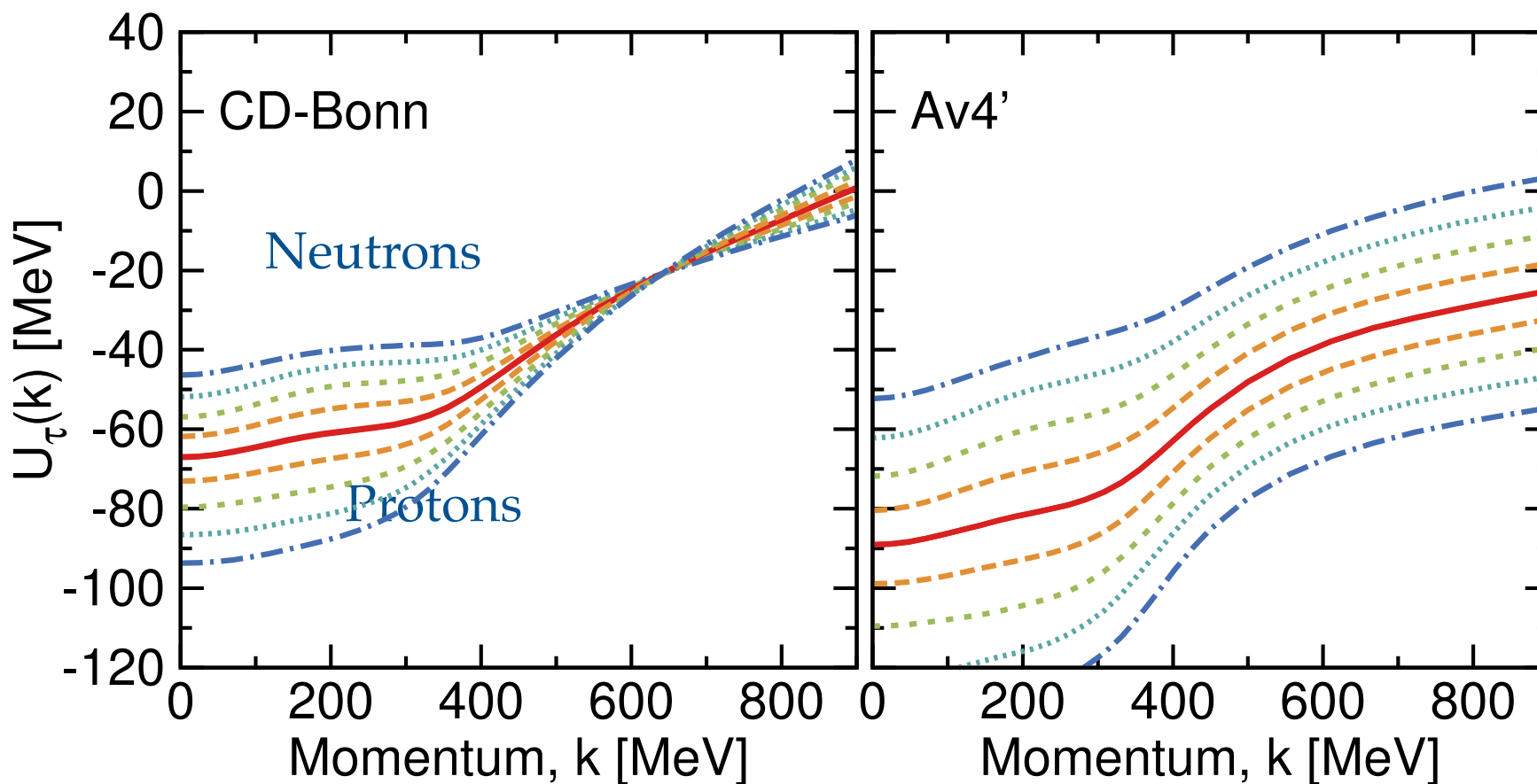
Single-particle potentials

$\rho=0.16 \text{ fm}^{-3}, T=5 \text{ MeV}$

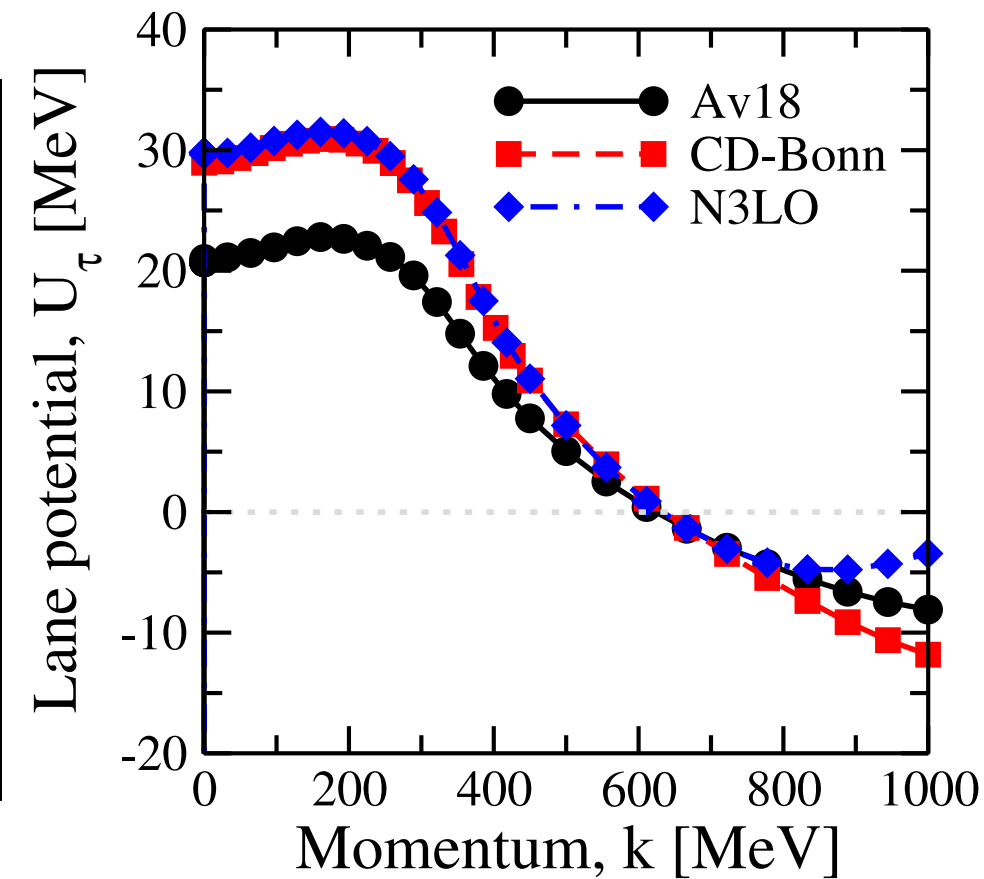


s.f. peaks

$$\varepsilon_k^\tau = \frac{k^2}{2m_\tau} + \underbrace{\text{Re}\Sigma^\tau(k, \omega = \varepsilon_k^\tau)}_{U^\tau(k)}$$

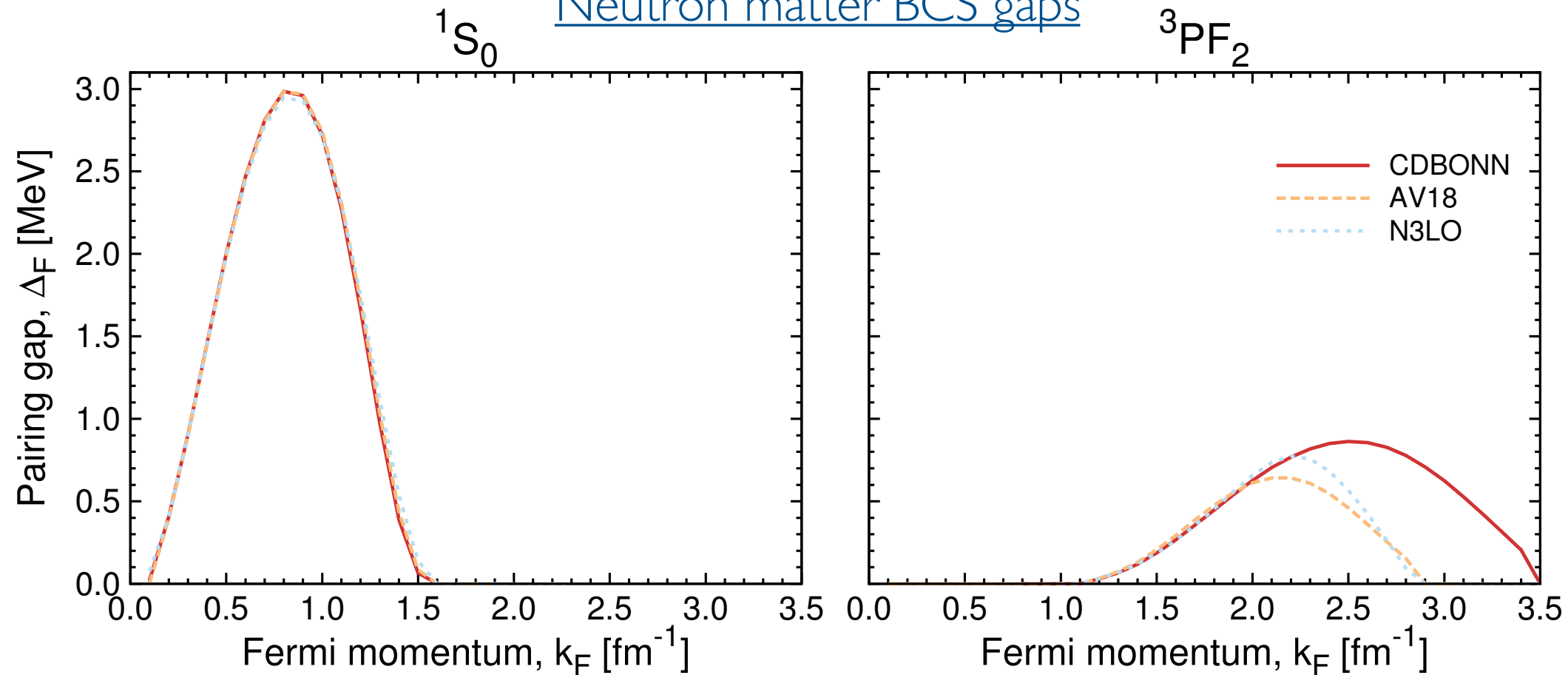


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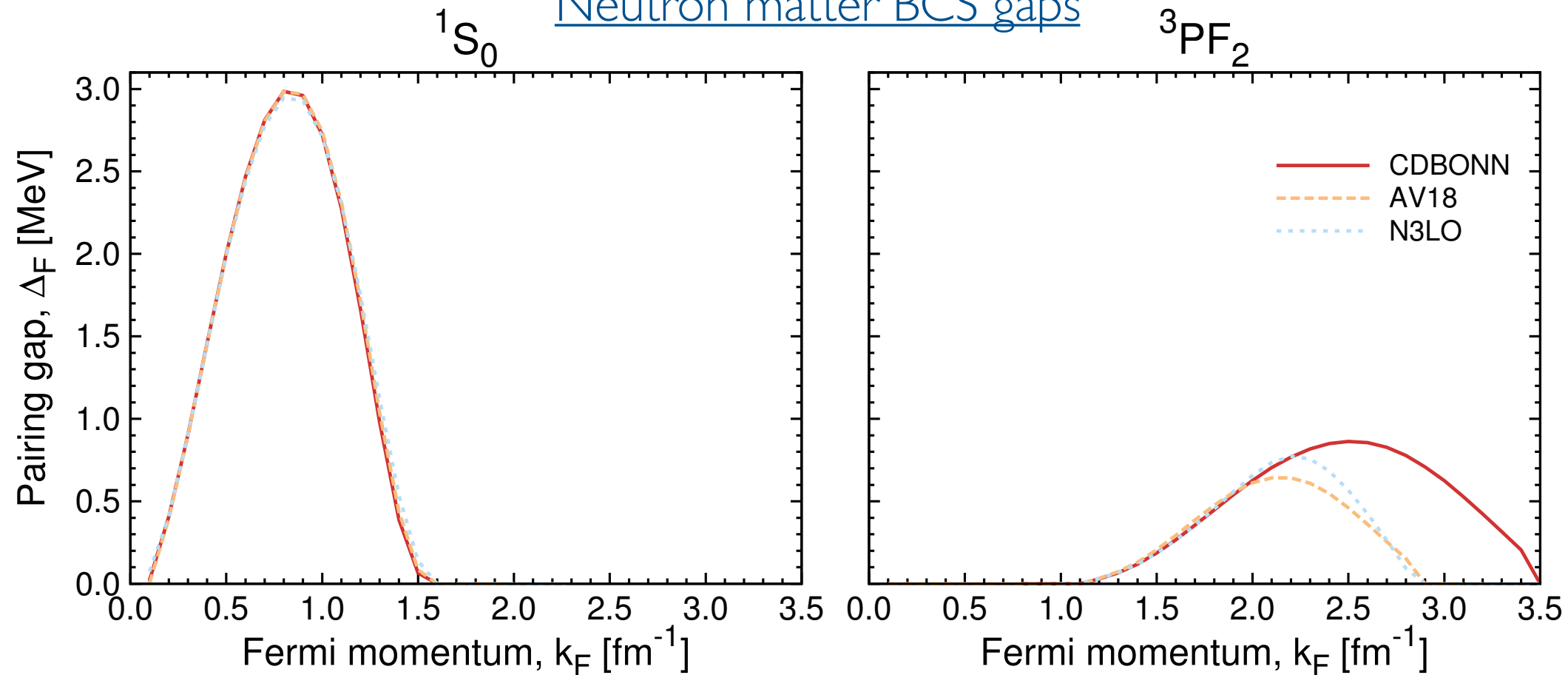
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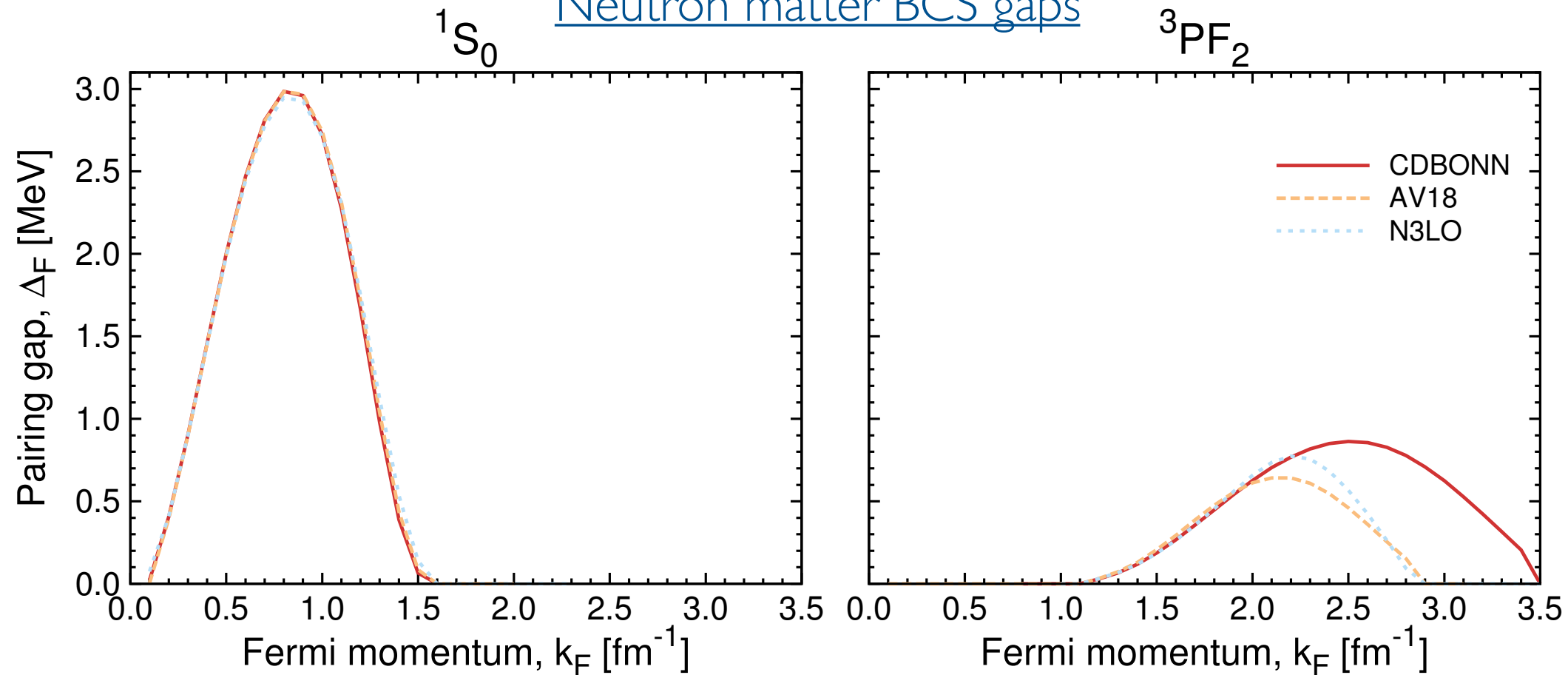
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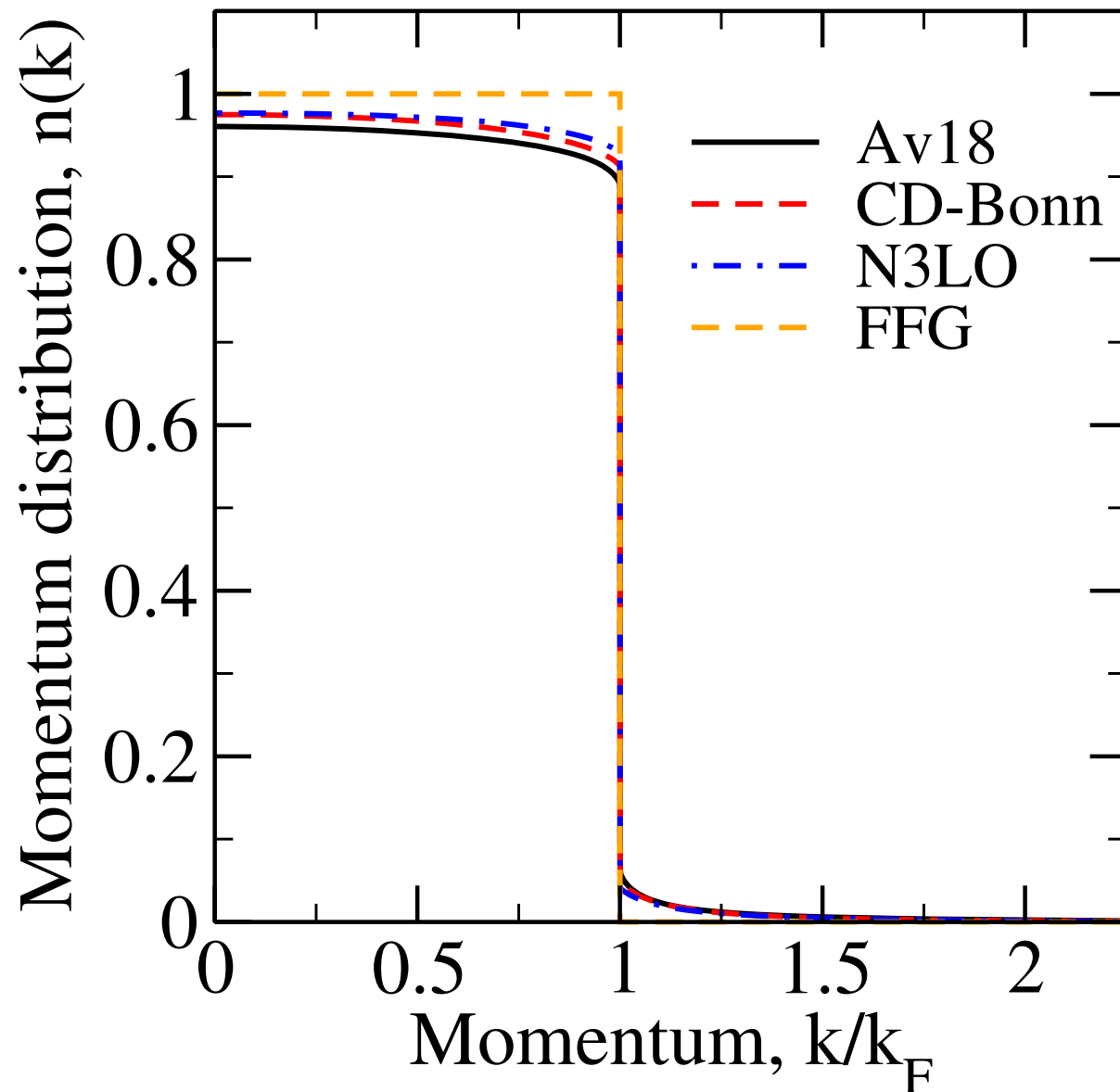
Momentum distribution

Single-particle occupation

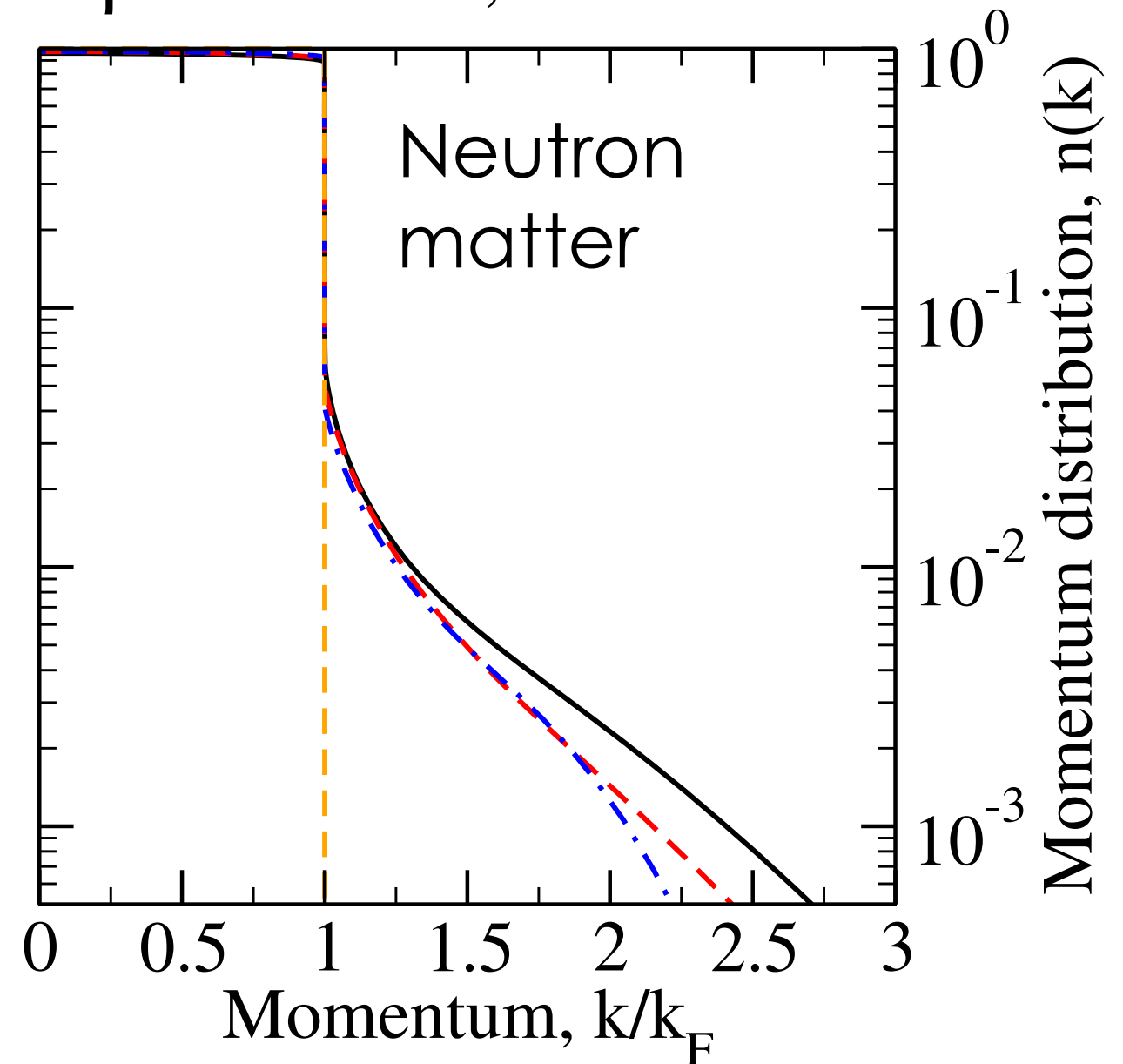
$$n(k) = \langle a_k^\dagger a_k \rangle$$

$$\nu \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} n(k) = \rho$$

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- SNM: 11-13% depletion at low k , population at high k
- Dependence on NN interaction under control
- PNM: 4-5% depletion at low k

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Normal
state

Superfluid
 $\Delta(k_F)$

BCS+SRC equation

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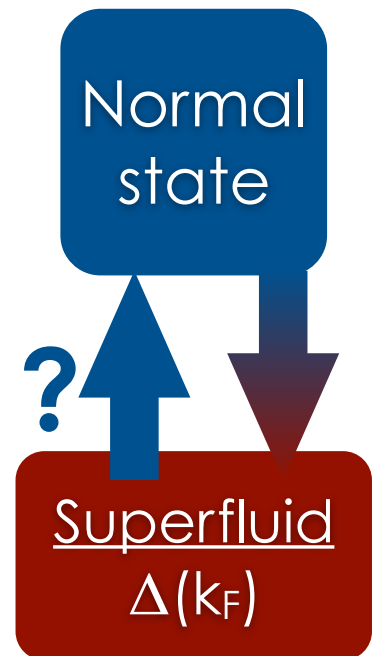
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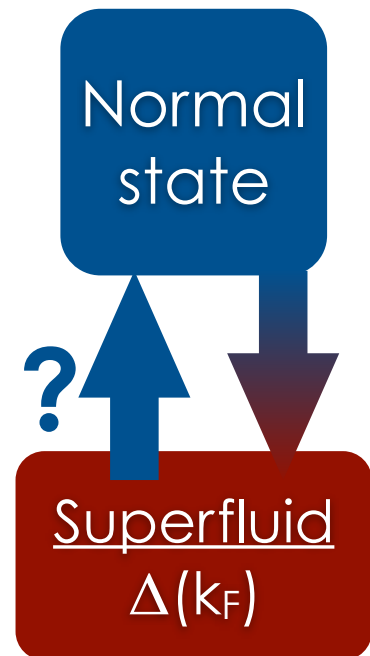
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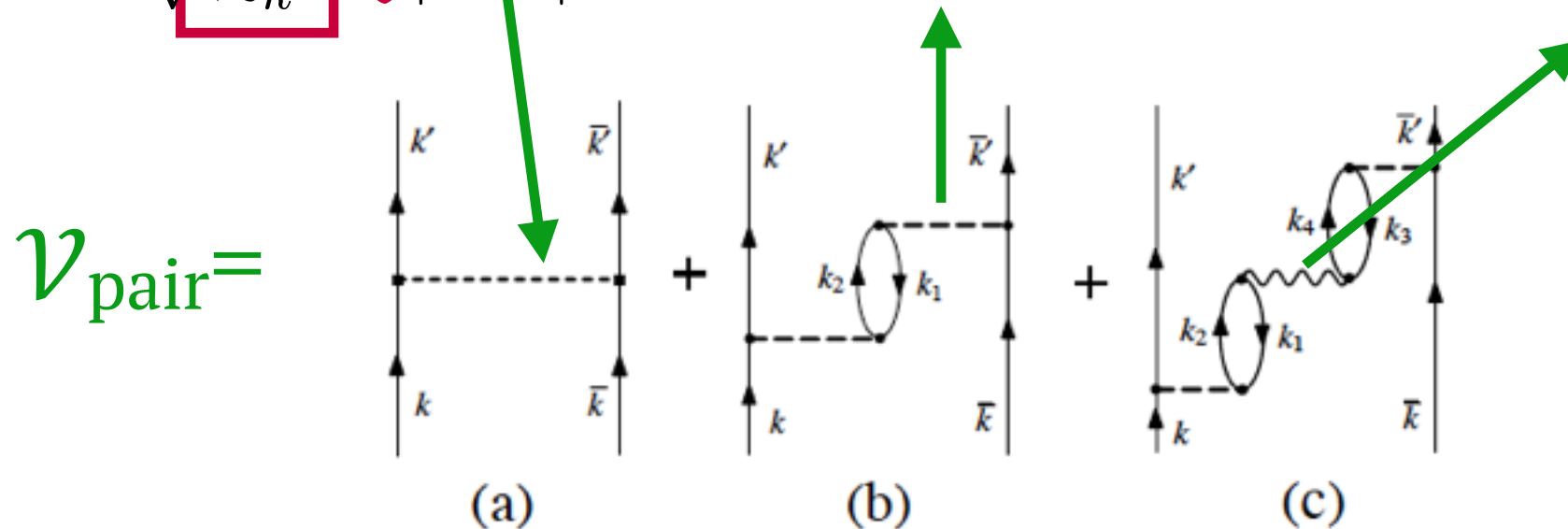
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ph recoupled G-matrix

Effective Landau parameters



$$\langle 1\bar{1} | \mathcal{V} | 1\bar{1} \rangle = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{2,2'} \sum_{S,T} (-)^S (2S+1) \langle 12 | G_{ST}^{\text{ph}} | 1'2' \rangle_A \langle 2'\bar{1} | G_{ST}^{\text{ph}} | 2\bar{1}' \rangle_A \Lambda(22')$$

$$\Lambda_{ST}(q) = \frac{\Lambda_{ST}^0(q)}{1 - \Lambda_{ST}^0(q) \times F_{ST}}$$

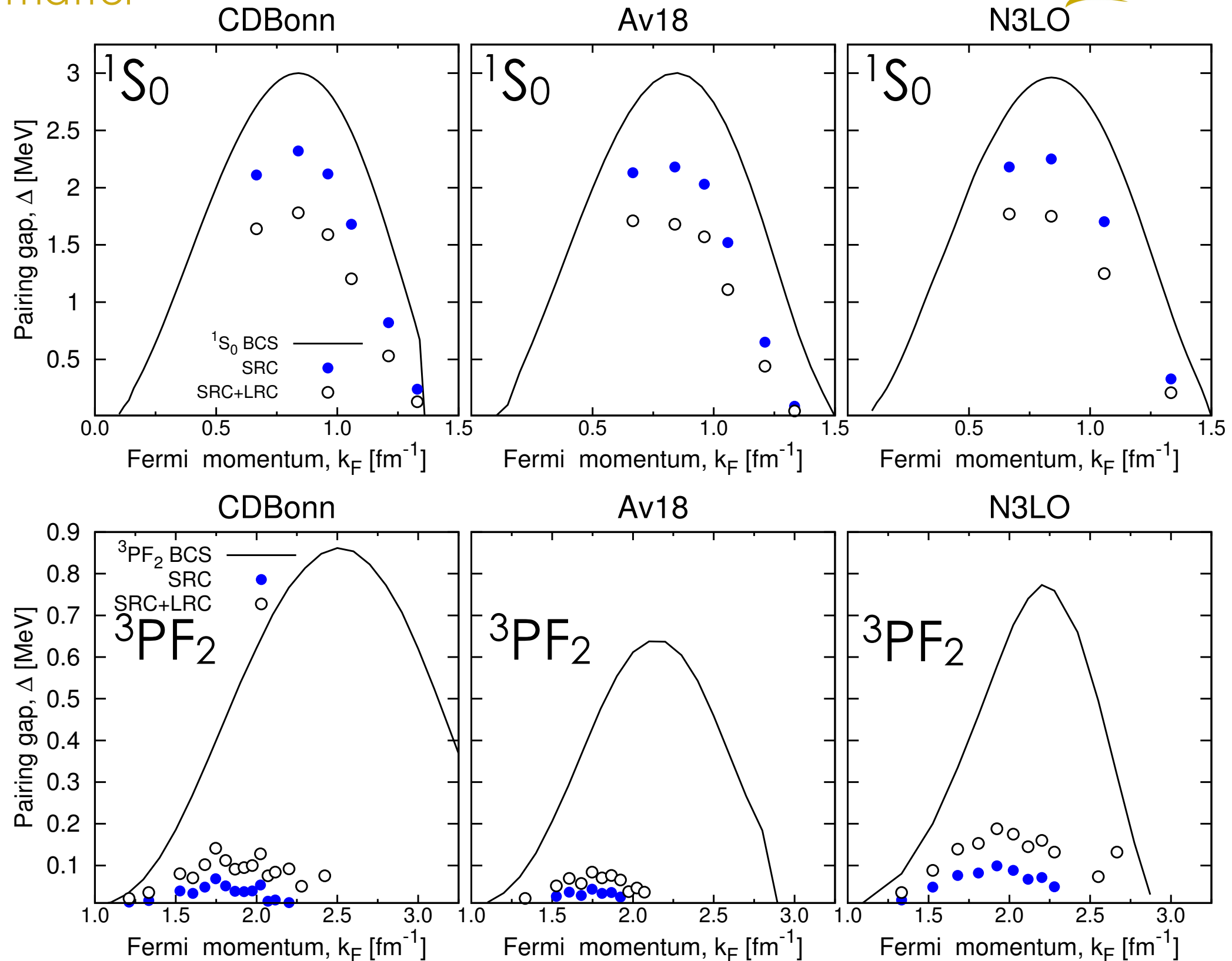
- Bare NN potential only is not the only possible interaction
- Diagram (a): nuclear interaction
- Diagram (b): in-medium interaction, density and spin fluctuations
- Diagram (c): included by Landau parameters

Beyond BCS 201: results 1S_0

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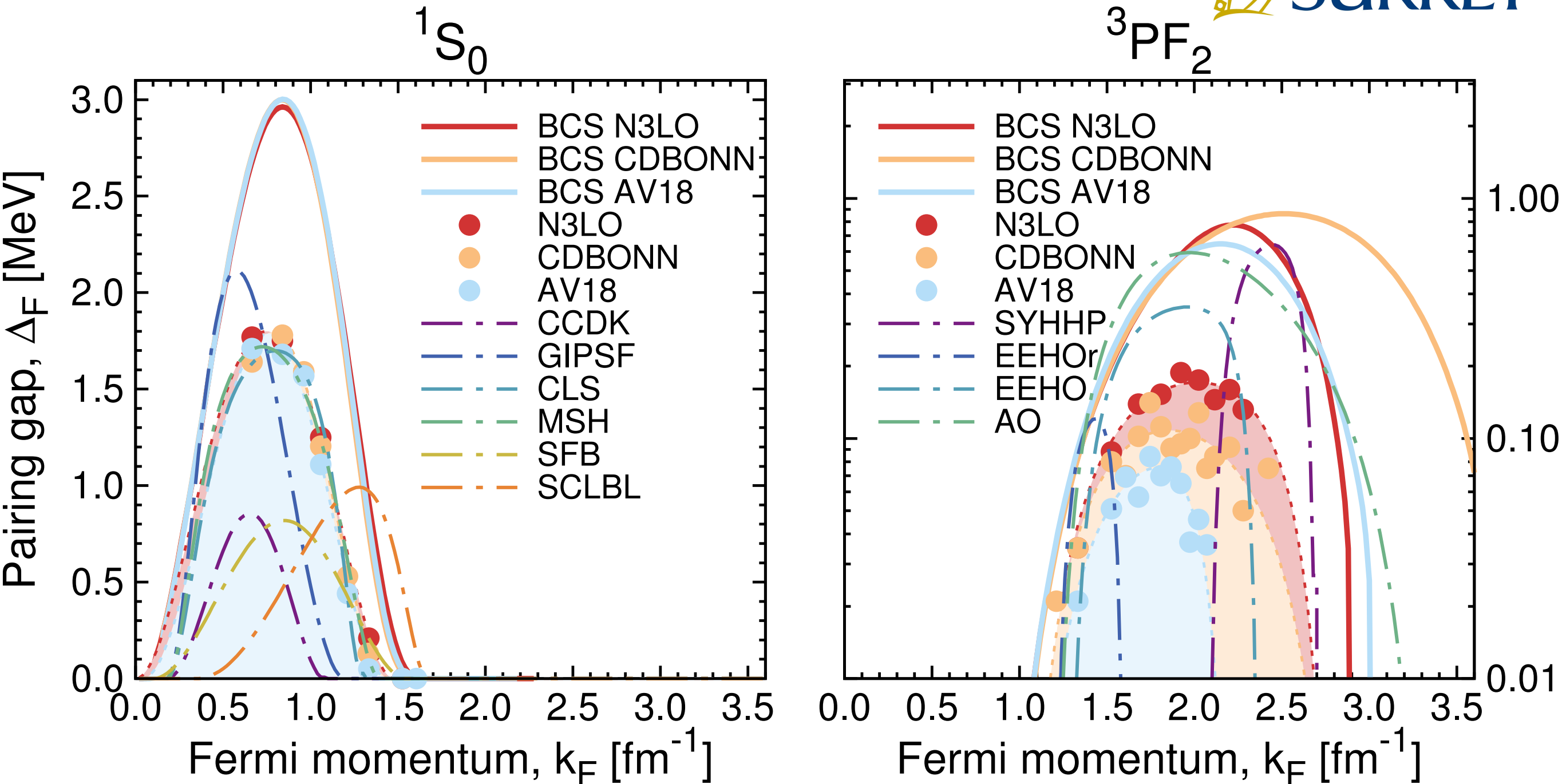


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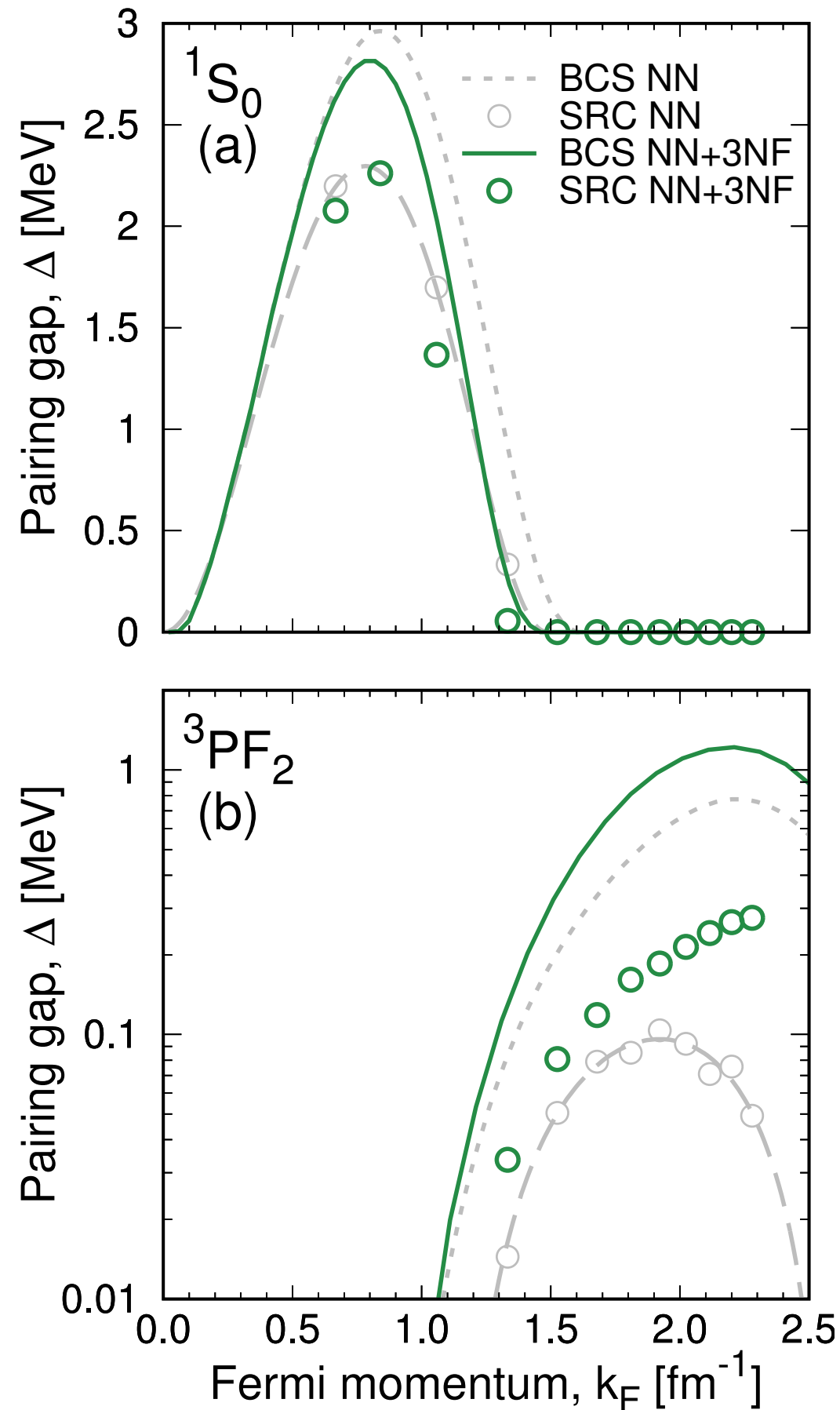
- LRC 1S_0 (3PF_2) produces (anti-)screening

Beyond BCS pairing: overview



- **Singlet** channel under control in **astrophysical** situations
- **Triplet** is **different** from previous estimates
- 3NF effect **not** included in SRC, BCS indicates **small**

3BF effect: first estimate



Effective one-body force $\Rightarrow$ spectrum

$$\text{Red dashed line with } \times = \text{Red dashed line} + \frac{1}{2} \text{Red dotted line with } \odot$$

Effective two-body force $\Rightarrow$ NN forces

$$\text{Blue wavy line} = \text{Blue dashed line} + \text{Blue dotted line with } \odot$$

- Singlet gap: 3NF **reduce** closure
- Triplet gap: 3NF **increase** gap
- **Model dependence** to be explored
- Use **SRG** for systematics

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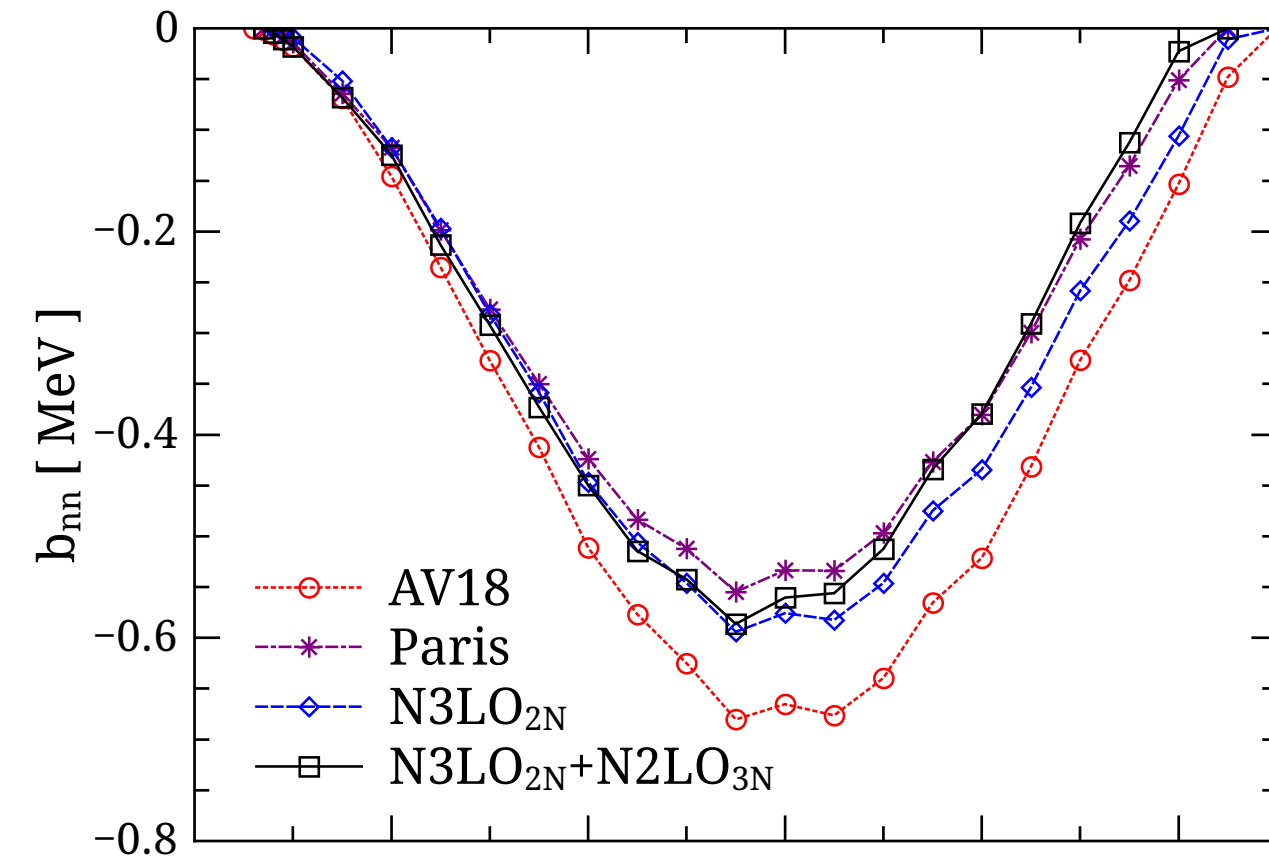


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BHF G-matrix

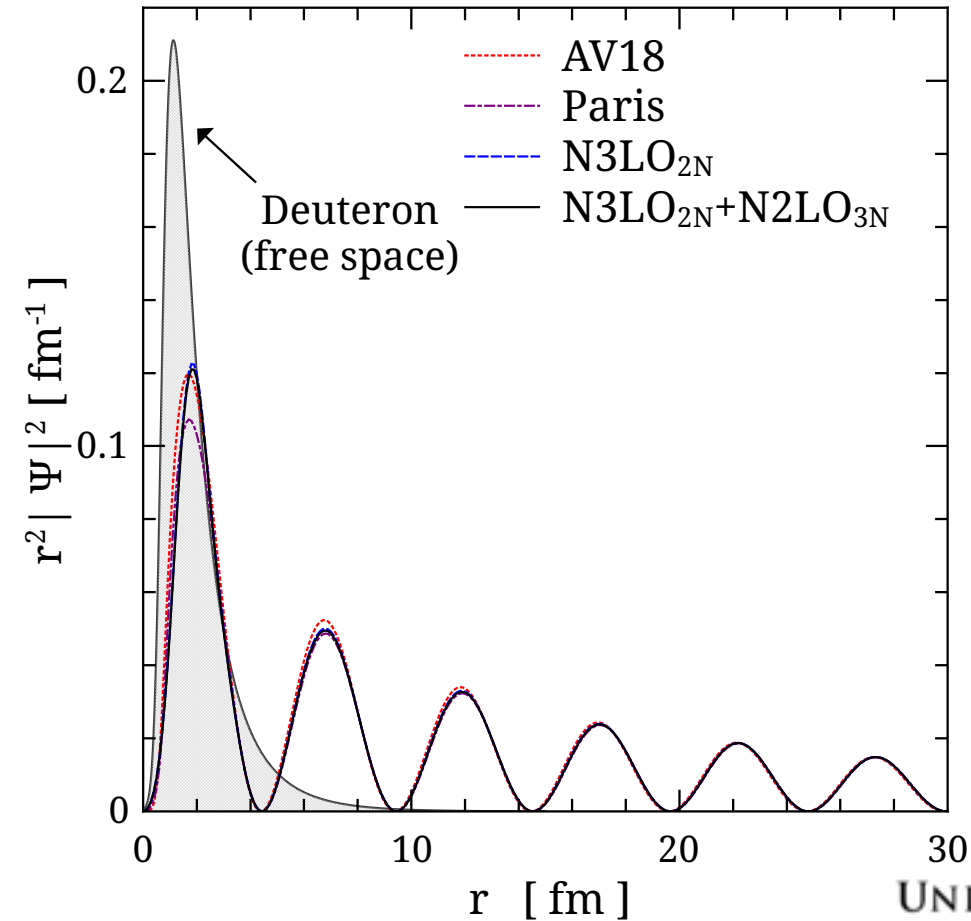
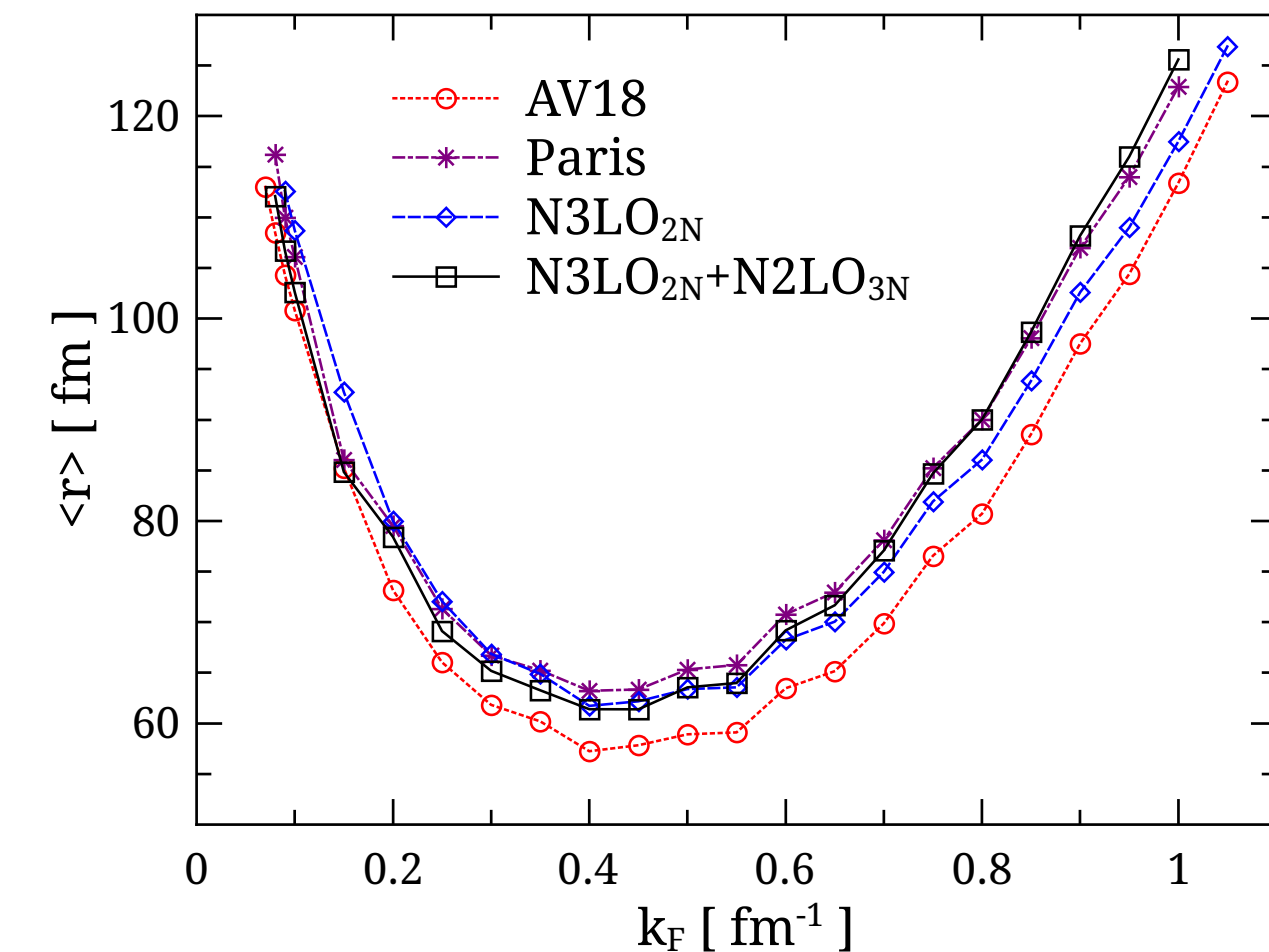
$$\mathcal{G}(\omega) = \mathcal{V} + \mathcal{V}Q(\omega)\mathcal{G}(\omega)$$

Poles

$$\det [1 - \mathcal{V}Q(\omega_i)] = 0$$

$$b_{nn} = \omega_i - \omega_{th}$$

$$k_F = 0.6 \text{ fm}^{-1}$$



- Towards **consistent** models of NS core
- **Talk** to us if you need **quantitative** predictions!
- Ab initio nuclear **theory** needed to treat **correlations**
- **Different** NN forces give systematic errors
- Challenges ahead:
 - **Pairing** in isospin **asymmetric** matter
 - **Consistent** treatment of **cooling, glitch & EoS**
 - Improvements of **many-body theory**