

# Nuclear Symmetry Energy from QCD Sum Rule

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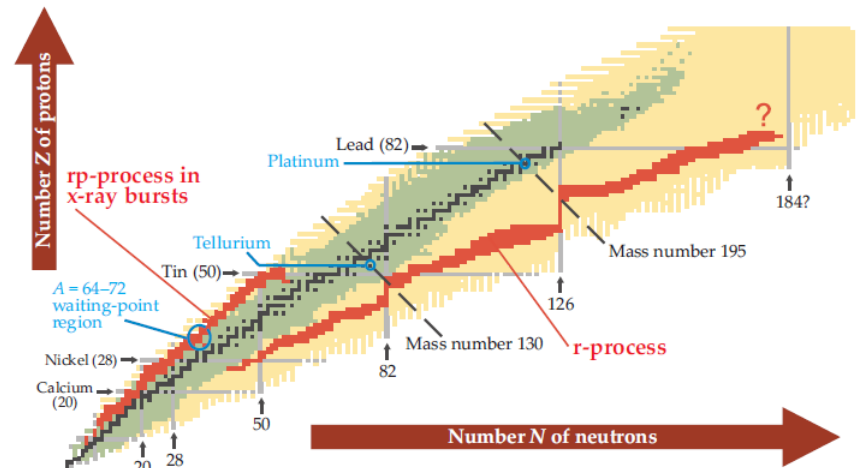
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# Motivation 1 – KoRIA plan

- Rare Isotope Accelerator Plan

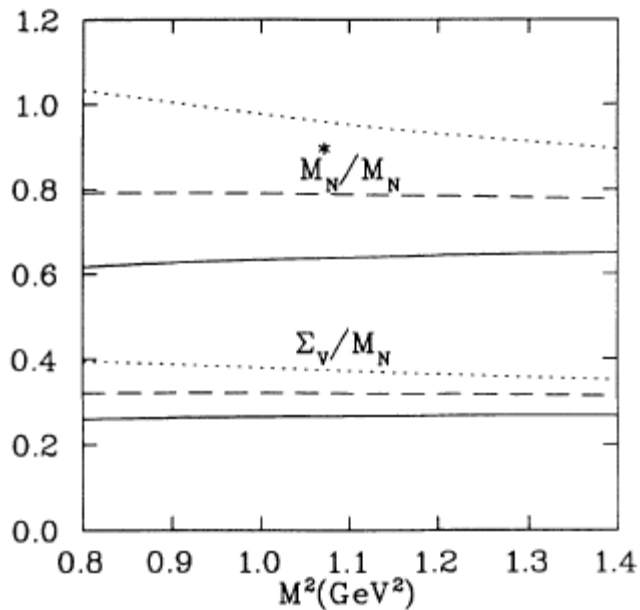


(Quoted from Physics Today November 2008)

**Nuclear Symmetry Energy** plays key role in Rare Isotope and Neutron Star study

## Motivation 2 – RMFT vs QCD SR

- Dirac phenomenology of nucleon scattering on nuclear target suggests nucleon potential to consist of strong vector repulsion and scalar attraction
- This tendency also comes naturally in RMFT



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- For symmetric nuclear matter, it is confirmed that this result can be justified with QCD, by Thomas Cohen et al. (1992)
- Motivated by these, we applied QCD Sum Rule to asymmetric nuclear matter

# Early attempt for finite nuclei

- Liquid drop model

$$m_{tot} = Nm_n + Zm_p - E_B/c^2$$

$$E_B = a_V A - a_S A^{2/3} - a_C(Z(Z-1))A^{-1/3}$$

$$- \boxed{a_A I^2 A} + \delta(A, Z) \quad I = (N - Z)/A$$

- Total shifted energy

$$a_A I^2 A = \boxed{\left(\frac{1}{2}IA\right)} \cdot (E_n(\rho, I) - E_0(\rho, I))$$

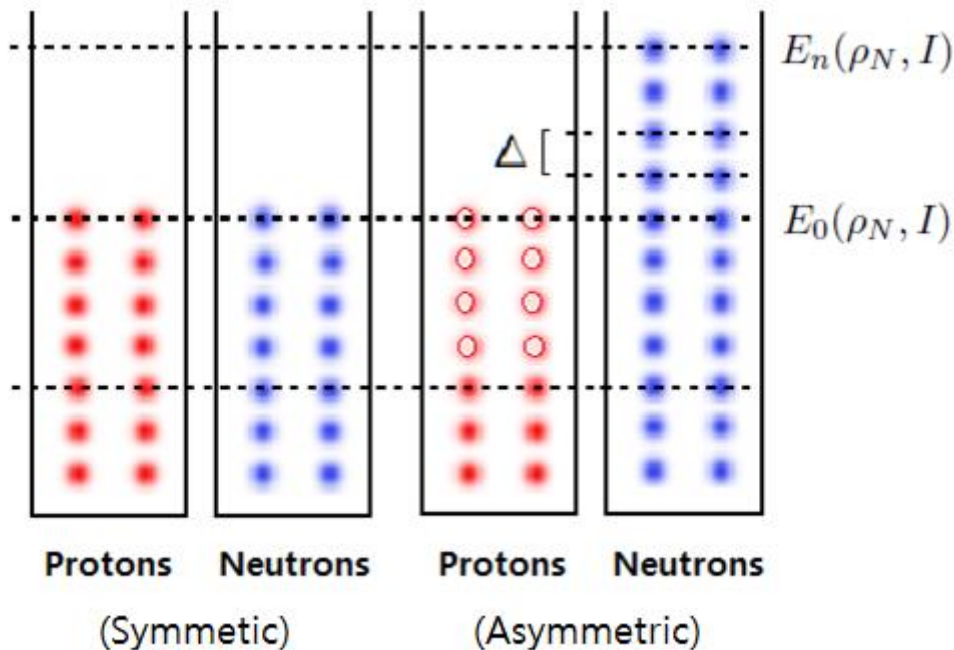
Total shifted state number

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2}IA\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2}(E_n(\rho, I) - E_p(\rho, I))$$

Nuclear Symmetry Energy

$$a_A = \frac{1}{4I}(E_n(\rho, I) - E_p(\rho, I))$$

This simple concept can be generalized to infinite matter case

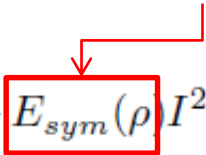


# For infinite nuclear matter

- Energy per a nucleon

$$E = \frac{N}{A}\bar{E}_n + \frac{Z}{A}\bar{E}_p$$

**Nuclear Symmetry Energy**

$$= \frac{1}{2}(\bar{E}_n + \bar{E}_p) + \frac{1}{2}I(\bar{E}_n - \bar{E}_p) = E(\rho) + \boxed{E_{sym}(\rho)}I^2 + 0(I^4)$$


- Single nucleon energy

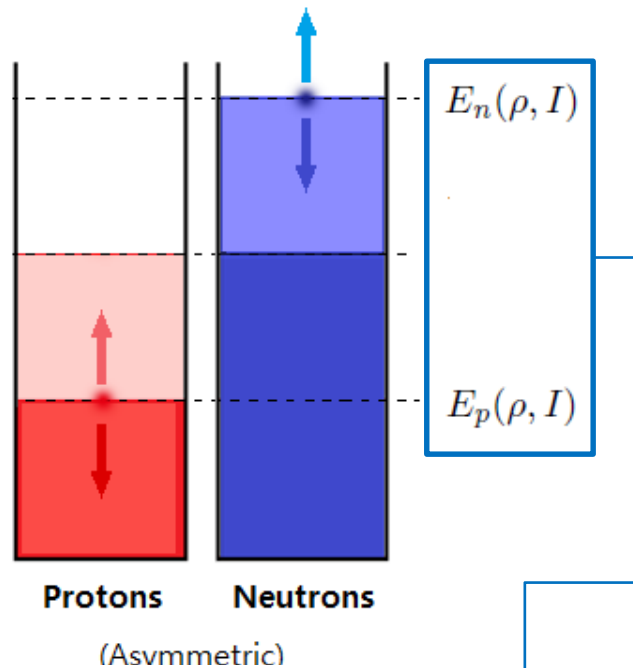
$$E_n = m_0 + a\rho_p + b\rho_n + \dots$$
$$= m_0 + \frac{1}{2}\rho(a + b) + \frac{1}{2}I\rho(b - a) + \dots$$
$$E_p = m_0 + \frac{1}{2}\rho(a + b) - \frac{1}{2}I\rho(b - a) + \dots$$

- Averaged single nucleon energy

$$\bar{E} = \frac{1}{\int d^3k_n d^3k_p} \int d^3k_n d^3k_p E(\rho_n, \rho_p) \rightarrow \left( m_0 + \frac{1}{4}\rho(a + b) + \frac{1}{4}\rho I(b - a) \right) + \dots$$

# Mean field approximation

- Quasi-particle on the Fermi sea



$$\bar{E} = \frac{1}{\int d^3k_n d^3k_p} \int d^3k_n d^3k_p E(\rho_n, \rho_p)$$

$$\Rightarrow E_{sym} = \frac{1}{2I} \cdot (\bar{E}_n - \bar{E}_p)$$

(Up to linear density order)

- Nucleon propagator in nuclear medium

$$G(q) = -i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle \Psi_0 | T[\psi(x) \bar{\psi}(0)] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\not{q} - M_n - \Sigma(q)}$$

$$\rightarrow \lambda^2 \frac{\not{q} + M^* - \not{q} \Sigma_v}{(q_0 - E_q)(q_0 - \bar{E}_0)}$$

- How we can get nucleon self energies in the fundamental principle?
- QCD Sum Rule** is a well established method for investigating quasi-particle state in medium

# QCD Sum Rule

- Correlation function

$$\Pi(q) \equiv i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle \Psi_0 | T[\eta(x) \bar{\eta}(0)] | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

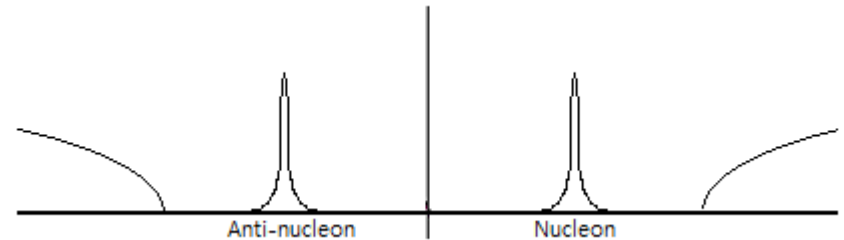
$$\eta(x) = \epsilon_{abc} [u_a^T(x) C \gamma_\mu u_b(x)] \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu d_c(x)$$

Contains all possible resonance states  
Ioffe's interpolating field for proton

- Vacuum sum rule for nucleon

$$\Pi_{ij}(q) \equiv i \int d^4x e^{iq \cdot x} \langle 0 | T[\eta_i(x) \bar{\eta}_j(0)] | 0 \rangle$$

$$\equiv \Pi_s(q^2) \delta_{ij} + \Pi_q(q^2) \not{q}_{ij} .$$

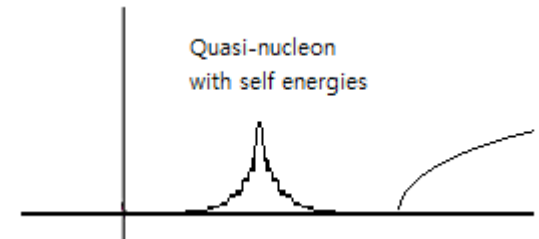


- In-medium sum rule for quasi-nucleon

$$\Pi(q) \equiv \Pi_s(q^2, q \cdot u) + \Pi_q(q^2, q \cdot u) \not{q} + \boxed{\Pi_u(q^2, q \cdot u)} \not{u} .$$



In-medium vector part



# QCD Sum Rule

- Phenomenological ansatz

$$\Pi(q_0, |\vec{q}|) \sim \frac{1}{(q^\mu - \tilde{\Sigma}_v^\mu) \gamma_\mu - M_N^*}$$

One can find **self energies near pole**  
**Kinetic part is excluded**

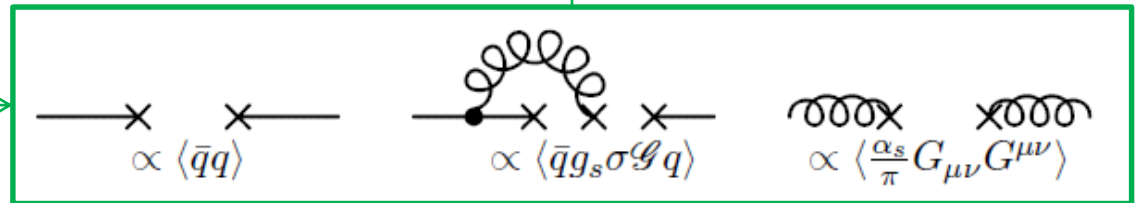
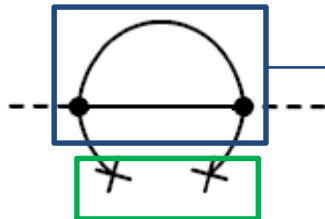
$$\begin{aligned} \Pi_s(q_0, |\vec{q}|) &= -\lambda_N^{*2} \frac{M_N^*}{(q_0 - E_q)(q_0 - \bar{E}_q)} + \dots \\ \Pi_q(q_0, |\vec{q}|) &= -\lambda_N^{*2} \frac{1}{(q_0 - E_q)(q_0 - \bar{E}_q)} + \dots \\ \Pi_u(q_0, |\vec{q}|) &= +\lambda_N^{*2} \frac{\Sigma_v}{(q_0 - E_q)(q_0 - \bar{E}_q)} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

- At short distance**, Wilson coefficient can be obtained by perturbative calculation

$$\Pi_i(q^2, q_0) = \sum_n C_n^i(q^2, q_0) \langle \hat{O}_n \rangle_{\rho, I}$$

**Not be dependent on external momentum**

For example,



(These figures are quoted from Ph.D. thesis of Thomas Hilger)



# Iso-spin relation for 2-quark condensates

- In-medium condensate in asymmetric nuclear matter

$$\langle \hat{O} \rangle_{\rho, I} = \langle \hat{O} \rangle_{vac} + \langle n | \hat{O} | n \rangle \rho_n + \langle p | \hat{O} | p \rangle \rho_p$$

can be estimated with nucleon expectation value and each nucleon density

- Iso-scalar/vector operators in light quark flavor

$\hat{O}_0 \equiv \frac{1}{2}(\hat{O}^u + \hat{O}^d)$

Can be related with ratio factor

$\hat{O}_1 \equiv \frac{1}{2}(\hat{O}^u - \hat{O}^d)$

Well known from many previous studies

- 2-quark condensates

$$\langle q_\alpha^a(x) \bar{q}_\beta^b(0) \rangle_{\rho_N} = -\frac{\delta^{ab}}{12} \sum_{n=0} \frac{1}{n!} [x^n \langle \bar{q} D^n q \rangle_{\rho_N} \delta_{\alpha\beta} + x^n \langle \bar{q} \gamma_\mu D^n q \rangle_{\rho_N} \gamma_{\alpha\beta}^\mu]$$

Each 2 type of condensate

 need different ratio factor

# Iso-spin relation for condensates

- Ratio factor for  $\langle \bar{q}\gamma_\mu D^n q \rangle_p$  type

$$\frac{\langle u^\dagger D^n q \rangle_p}{\langle d^\dagger D^n d \rangle_p} \rightarrow \frac{\langle p|u^\dagger u|p \rangle}{\langle p|d^\dagger d|p \rangle} = 2 \quad \langle [q^\dagger D^n q]_1 \rangle_p = \frac{1}{3} \langle [q^\dagger D^n q]_0 \rangle_p$$

In medium rest frame

- Ratio factor for  $\langle \bar{q}D^n q \rangle_p$  type

$$\langle [\bar{q}D^n q]_1 \rangle_p = \frac{\mathcal{R}_-(m_q)}{\mathcal{R}_+(m_q)} \cdot \langle [\bar{q}D^n q]_0 \rangle_p$$

This relation can be estimated from lower lying baryon octet mass relation

- Lower lying baryon octet mass relation comes from baryon expectation value of energy-momentum tensor

$$m_N \bar{\psi}\psi = \langle N | \theta_\mu^\mu | N \rangle \quad \text{Phenomenological description for nucleon mass term}$$

# Mass terms

- Trace part of QCD energy momentum tensor

$$\theta_{\mu}^{\mu} = m_u \bar{u}u + m_d \bar{d}d + m_s \bar{s}s + \sum m_h \bar{h}h$$

$$= -\frac{1}{4\alpha_s} \left(9 - \frac{2}{3}n_h\right) \left(\frac{\alpha_s^2}{2\pi}\right) \mathcal{G}^2 + m_u \bar{u}u + m_d \bar{d}d + m_s \bar{s}s + \sum m_h \bar{h}h$$

With renormalizing scheme (Trace anomaly)

$$= -\frac{9}{4} \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 + m_u \bar{u}u + m_d \bar{d}d + m_s \bar{s}s$$

$$-\frac{2}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} n_h \mathcal{G}^2 + O(\mu^2/4m_h^2) + \dots$$

Heavy quark expansion

- For proton

$$m_p \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

(M.A.Shifman, Physics Letters B 78B, 443 (1978))

# Ratio factor from baryon octet

- Lower lying Baryon octet mass relation

$$m_p \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

$$m_n \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

$$m_{\sigma^+} \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

$$m_{\sigma^-} \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

$$m_{\Xi^0} \bar{\psi}\psi = -\frac{9}{4} \left\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{2\pi} \mathcal{G}^2 \right\rangle + m_s \langle p | \bar{u}u | p \rangle + m_u \langle p | \bar{d}d | p \rangle + m_d \langle p | \bar{s}s | p \rangle$$

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(S.H.Choi, Master thesis, Yonsei University. (1991))

With this relation...

# Ratio factor from baryon octet

- Iso-vector part,  $\langle [\bar{q}q]_1 \rangle_p$  can be written as,

$$\langle p|\bar{u}u|p\rangle - \langle p|\bar{d}d|p\rangle = \frac{(m_{\Xi^0} + m_{\Xi^-}) - (m_{\Sigma^+} - m_{\Sigma^-})}{2m_s - 2m_q}$$

$$m_{\Xi^0} = 1315 \text{ MeV}, \quad m_{\Xi^-} = 1321 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{\Sigma^+} = 1190 \text{ MeV}, \quad m_{\Sigma^-} = 1197 \text{ MeV}$$

Strange quark mass = 150 MeV

$$m_q \equiv \frac{1}{2}(m_u + m_d).$$

- Iso-scalar part,  $\langle [\bar{q}q]_0 \rangle_p$  comes from pion-nucleon sigma term

$$\langle p|\bar{u}u|p\rangle + \langle p|\bar{d}d|p\rangle = 2\langle [\bar{q}q]_0 \rangle_p = \frac{\sigma_N}{m_q}$$

- Ratio factor for  $\langle \bar{q}D^n q \rangle_p$  type

$$\langle p|\bar{u}u|p\rangle \pm \langle p|\bar{d}d|p\rangle = \left( 1 \pm \frac{\frac{45 \text{ MeV}}{m_q} + \frac{249 \text{ MeV}}{300 \text{ MeV} - 2m_q}}{\frac{45 \text{ MeV}}{m_q} - \frac{249 \text{ MeV}}{300 \text{ MeV} - 2m_q}} \right) \cdot \langle p|\bar{u}u|p\rangle \equiv \mathcal{R}_{\pm}(m_q) \cdot \langle p|\bar{u}u|p\rangle$$

# 4-quark Operator Product Expansion

- So far, there was no systematic description for four-quark condensates in the nucleon sum rule

$$\begin{aligned}\langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} &\simeq \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} - \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I}, \\ \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b d_\gamma^c \bar{d}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} &\simeq \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle d_\gamma^c \bar{d}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I}.\end{aligned}$$

Simple factorization scheme was used as in the vacuum saturation hypothesis

- To express four-quark condensates in terms of linear combination of independent operators, one can use **Fierz rearrangement**

$$\langle \bar{q}_i^a q_j^b \bar{q}_k^c q_l^d \rangle_p = \frac{1}{16} \Gamma_{ij}^o \Gamma_{kl}^m \langle (\bar{q}^a \Gamma_o q^b) (\bar{q}^c \Gamma_m q^d) \rangle_p$$

- **Constraint** from '**Zero Identity**' for pure quark flavor case which comes from forbidden di-quark structure of quark model for hadron

$$\epsilon_{abc} \epsilon_{a'b'c} (u_a^T C \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u_b) (\bar{u}_{b'}^T \gamma_\nu \gamma_5 C \bar{u}_{a'}) = 0$$

And with assumed P, T symmetry of medium ground state...

# 4-quark Operator Product Expansion

- 4-quark OPE of the nucleon sum rule can be expressed with only few condensates as below

$\langle \bar{q}_1 q_1 \bar{q}_2 q_2 \rangle_p$	$q_1 = q_2$	$q_1 \neq q_2$
Twist 4 (Dimension 6 spin2)	$\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma^\beta q_2^{b'}) \rangle_{p s,t}$ $\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma^\beta \gamma_5 q_2^{b'}) \rangle_{p s,t}$ (4 independent Ops.)	$\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma^\beta q_2^{b'}) \rangle_{p s,t}$ $\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma^\beta \gamma_5 q_2^{b'}) \rangle_{p s,t}$ (4 independent Ops.)
Dimension 6 scalar	$\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma_\alpha q_2^{b'}) \rangle_p$	$\langle (\bar{q}_1^a \gamma^\alpha q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma_\alpha q_2^{b'}) \rangle_p$
Can be combined into scalar and vector condensates		
Dimension 6 vector		$\langle (\bar{q}_1^a q_1^{a'}) (\bar{q}_2^b \gamma^\alpha q_2^{b'}) \rangle_p$



- Among these, except for  $\langle (\bar{u} \gamma^\alpha u) (\bar{d} \gamma^\beta d) \rangle_p$ ,  $\langle (\bar{u} \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 u) (\bar{d} \gamma^\beta \gamma_5 d) \rangle_p$   
all twist 4 operators can be estimated from experiment (DIS)

# Twist 4 operator from DIS data

Twist-4 matrix elements of the nucleon from recent DIS data at CERN and SLAC

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(SHL et al., Physics Letter B 312 (1993) 351-357)

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$$\frac{1}{2}M_N(u_\alpha u_\beta - \frac{1}{4}g_{\alpha\beta})K_u^1 = \langle (\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\gamma_5\tau^a u)(\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\gamma_5\tau^a u) \rangle_p + \langle (\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\gamma_5\tau^a u)(\bar{d}\gamma_\alpha\gamma_5\tau^a d) \rangle_p$$

$$\frac{1}{2}M_N(u_\alpha u_\beta - \frac{1}{4}g_{\alpha\beta})K_u^2 = \langle (\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\tau^a u)(\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\tau^a u) \rangle_p + \langle (\bar{u}\gamma_\alpha\tau^a u)(\bar{d}\gamma_\alpha\tau^a d) \rangle_p$$

Where,  $K_u, K_d$  are

$K_u^1$	$K_u^2$	$K_u^g$	$K_d^1$	$K_d^2$	$K_d^g$
$K_{ud}^1/\beta = -0.173$	0.203	-0.238	$-K_{ud}^1 = 0.083$	-0.181	-0.494
$K_{ud}^1(\beta + 1)/2\beta = -0.112$	0.110	-0.300	$-K_{ud}^1(\beta + 1)/2\beta = 0.112$	-0.225	-0.523
$K_{ud}^1 = -0.083$	0.066	-0.329	$-K_{ud}^1/\beta = 0.173$	-0.318	-0.585

From these result...



# Twist 4 operator from DIS data

- Table for twist 4 matrix elements for the nucleon SR

First set	$\Lambda_{uu}^1$	$\Lambda_{dd}^1$	$\Lambda_{uu}^2$	$\Lambda_{dd}^2$	$\Lambda_{uu}^3$	$\Lambda_{dd}^3$	$\Lambda_{uu}^4$	$\Lambda_{dd}^4$	$\Lambda_{ud}^1$	$\Lambda_{ud}^2$
$K_u^1 = K_{ud}^1/\beta$	-0.132	-0.041	0.154	0.048	-0.017	-0.005	0.143	0.045	-0.042	0.049
$K_u^1 = K_{ud}^1 \frac{(\beta+1)}{\beta}$	-0.071	-0.012	0.070	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.075	0.012	-0.042	0.041
$K_u^1 = K_{ud}^1$	-0.042	0.002	0.033	-0.002	0.007	0.000	0.038	-0.002	-0.042	0.031
Second set	$\Lambda_{uu}^1$	$\Lambda_{dd}^1$	$\Lambda_{uu}^2$	$\Lambda_{dd}^2$	$\Lambda_{uu}^3$	$\Lambda_{dd}^3$	$\Lambda_{uu}^4$	$\Lambda_{dd}^4$	$\Lambda_{ud}^1$	$\Lambda_{ud}^2$
$K_u^1 = -K_{ud}^1$	0.215	0.124	-0.388	-0.221	0.130	0.073	-0.302	-0.173	-0.042	0.070
$K_u^1 = -K_{ud}^1 \frac{(\beta+1)}{\beta}$	0.154	0.095	-0.310	-0.192	0.117	0.073	-0.232	-0.144	-0.042	0.085
$K_u^1 = -K_{ud}^1/\beta$	0.125	0.081	-0.271	-0.176	0.110	0.071	-0.198	-0.129	-0.042	0.090

$K_{ud}^1/2 = \Lambda_{ud}^1$

$$\langle (\bar{q}_1 \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_5 t^A q_1) (\bar{q}_2 \gamma^{\alpha} \gamma_5 t^A q_2) \rangle_{p|s,t} = \frac{1}{4\pi\alpha_s} \frac{M_N}{2} \left( u^{\bar{\alpha}} u^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} g^{\bar{\alpha}\alpha} \right) \Lambda_{q_1 q_2}^1$$

$$\langle (\bar{q}_1 \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} t^A q_1) (\bar{q}_2 \gamma^{\alpha} t^A q_2) \rangle_{p|s,t} = \frac{1}{4\pi\alpha_s} \frac{M_N}{2} \left( u^{\bar{\alpha}} u^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} g^{\bar{\alpha}\alpha} \right) \Lambda_{q_1 q_2}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle (\bar{q} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_5 q) (\bar{q} \gamma^{\alpha} \gamma_5 q) \rangle_{p|s,t} &= \langle (\bar{q} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} q) (\bar{q} \gamma^{\alpha} q) \rangle_{p|s,t} \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi\alpha_s} \frac{M_N}{2} \left( q^{\bar{\alpha}} q^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} g^{\bar{\alpha}\alpha} \right) \Lambda_{qq}^3 \end{aligned}$$

First set and second set give different contribution to Nuclear Symmetry Energy

# DIS data will be sharpened

- Table for twist 4 matrix elements has some ambiguity

## New Look

Jefferson Lab has taken on a different look as construction of some new facilities has been completed. Soon, the lab will shut down its Continuous Electron Beam Accelerator Facility

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- Jefferson Lab has a plan for accelerator upgrade
- This plan will lead to more precise structure functions for twist 4 matrix elements

et more precise contributions to the nuclear symmetry energy



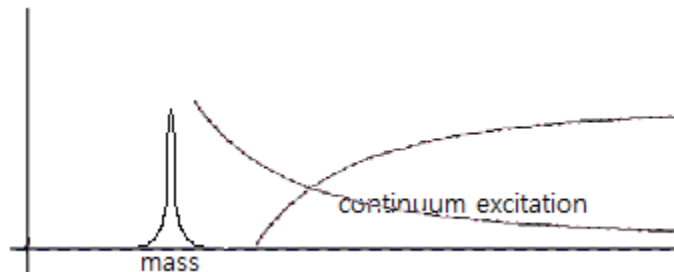
# Borel transformation

- Borel transformation to exclude quasi-hole and continuum excitation
- Differential operator for OPE side

$$\mathcal{B}[f(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)] \equiv \lim_{\substack{-q_0^2, n \rightarrow \infty \\ -q_0^2/n = M^2}} \frac{(-q_0^2)^{n+1}}{n!} \left( \frac{\partial}{\partial q_0^2} \right)^n f(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)$$

$\Pi_i(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|) \Rightarrow \bar{\mathcal{B}}[\Pi_i(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]$

- Weight function for phenomenological side



With weight function

$$W(\omega) = (\omega - \bar{E}_q) e^{-\omega^2/M^2}$$

# Self energies with OPEs

- Self energies can be obtained by taking ratio

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}[\Pi_s(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]}{\mathcal{B}[\Pi_q(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]} = \frac{\lambda_N^{*2} M_p^* e^{-(E_q^2 - \vec{q}^2)/M^2}}{\lambda_N^{*2} e^{-(E_q^2 - \vec{q}^2)/M^2}} = M_p^*$$

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}[\Pi_u(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]}{\mathcal{B}[\Pi_q(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]} = \frac{\lambda_N^{*2} \Sigma_v^p e^{-(E_q^2 - \vec{q}^2)/M^2}}{\lambda_N^{*2} e^{-(E_q^2 - \vec{q}^2)/M^2}} = \Sigma_v^p$$

To treat self energies in terms of density order and asymmetric factor, self energies need re-arrangement

- New symbols for self energies

$$\mathcal{N}^{n,p}(\rho) \equiv \bar{\mathcal{B}}[\Pi_s^{n,p}(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)] + \bar{\mathcal{B}}[\Pi_u^{n,p}(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]$$

$$= \mathcal{N}_{(\rho^0, I^0)}^{n,p} + \mathcal{N}_{(\rho, I^0)}^{n,p} \rho + [\mathcal{N}_{(\rho, I)}^{n,p} \rho] I,$$

Numerator of total self energy

$$\mathcal{D}^{n,p}(\rho) \equiv \bar{\mathcal{B}}[\Pi_q^{n,p}(q_0^2, |\vec{q}|)]$$

$$= \mathcal{D}_{(\rho^0, I^0)}^{n,p} + \mathcal{D}_{(\rho, I^0)}^{n,p} \rho + [\mathcal{D}_{(\rho, I)}^{n,p} \rho] I,$$

Denominator of total self energy

Power of  $\rho$  in the first index represents the density power order

Power of  $I$  in the second index represents the iso-spin order

# QCD sum rule Formula

- General expression

$$E_{sym}^V(\rho) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \rho \cdot (E_{(\rho,I)}^n - E_{(\rho,I)}^p) + \frac{1}{3} \rho^2 \cdot (E_{(\rho^2,I)}^n - E_{(\rho^2,I)}^p) + \frac{1}{4} \rho^3 \cdot (E_{(\rho^3,I)}^n - E_{(\rho^3,I)}^p) + \dots \right] \\ + \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3} \rho^2 \cdot (E_{(\rho^2,I^2)}^n + E_{(\rho^2,I^2)}^p) + \frac{1}{4} \rho^3 \cdot (E_{(\rho^3,I^2)}^n + E_{(\rho^3,I^2)}^p) + \dots \right].$$

- Expression up to linear density order

$$E_{sym}^V(\rho) = \frac{1}{4} \rho \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{\mathcal{D}_{(\rho^0,I^0)}^p} \cdot [-2\mathcal{N}_{(\rho,I)}^p] - \frac{\mathcal{N}_{(\rho^0,I^0)}^p}{(\mathcal{D}_{(\rho^0,I^0)}^p)^2} \cdot [-2\mathcal{D}_{(\rho,I)}^p] \right]$$

- We need both sum rule

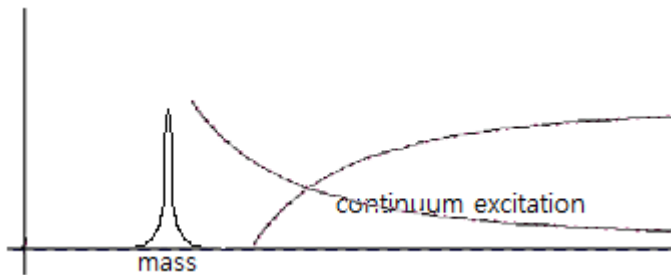
$$\langle \hat{O} \rangle_{\rho,I} = \langle \hat{O} \rangle_{vac} + \langle n | \hat{O} | n \rangle \rho_n + \langle p | \hat{O} | p \rangle \rho_p$$

In medium condensates are estimated up to linear order

General expression which contains up to 2<sup>nd</sup> order density is needed to check higher density behavior of Nuclear Symmetry Energy

# Sum Rule analysis up to dimension 5

- Borel window



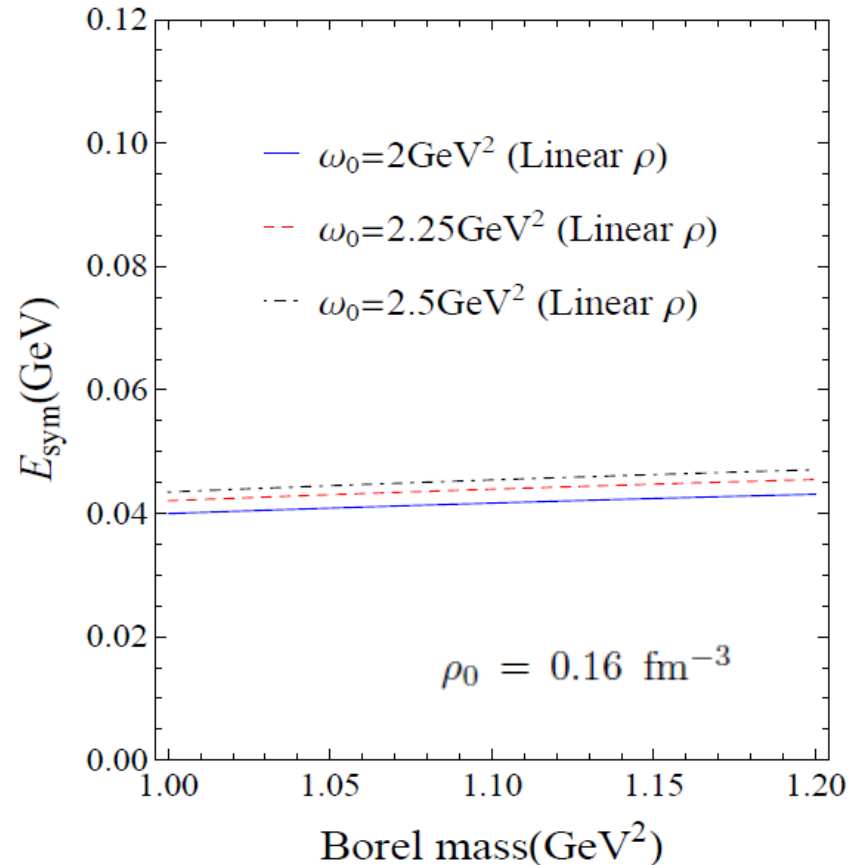
To make pole contribution be more than 50% and Highest mass dim condensate contribution be less than 50%,

We will see our sum rule in

$$1.0 \text{ GeV}^2 \leq M^2 \leq 1.2 \text{ GeV}^2$$

(B.L.Ioffe and A.V.Smilga, NPB232 (1984),109)

- Nuclear Symmetry Energy

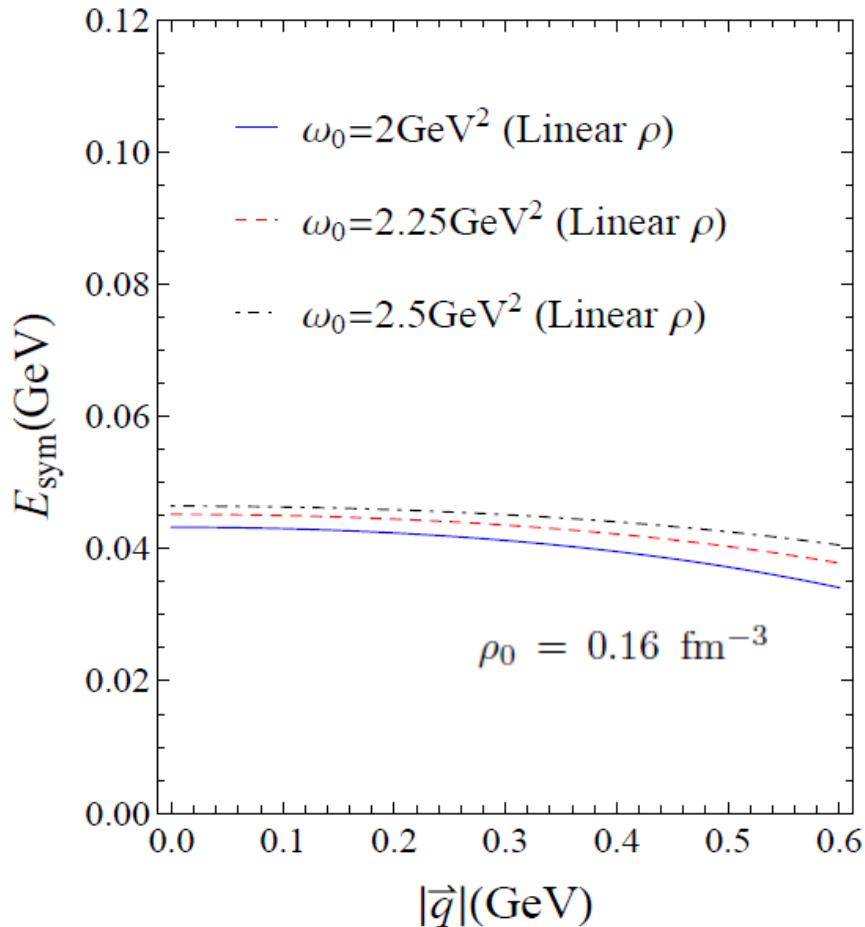


**Nuclear Symmetry Energy** is **~40 MeV**

This result shows consistency with previous Nuclear Symmetry Energy study in order of magnitude

# Sum Rule analysis up to dimension 5

- Main ingredient?



- **Nuclear Symmetry Energy** do not **strongly depend on quasi nucleon three-momentum** in  $0 \leq \mathbf{q} \leq 0.5 \text{ GeV}$

- Our sum rule result mainly consists of "Potential like" part

- Kinetic part of Nuclear Symmetry Energy is known as

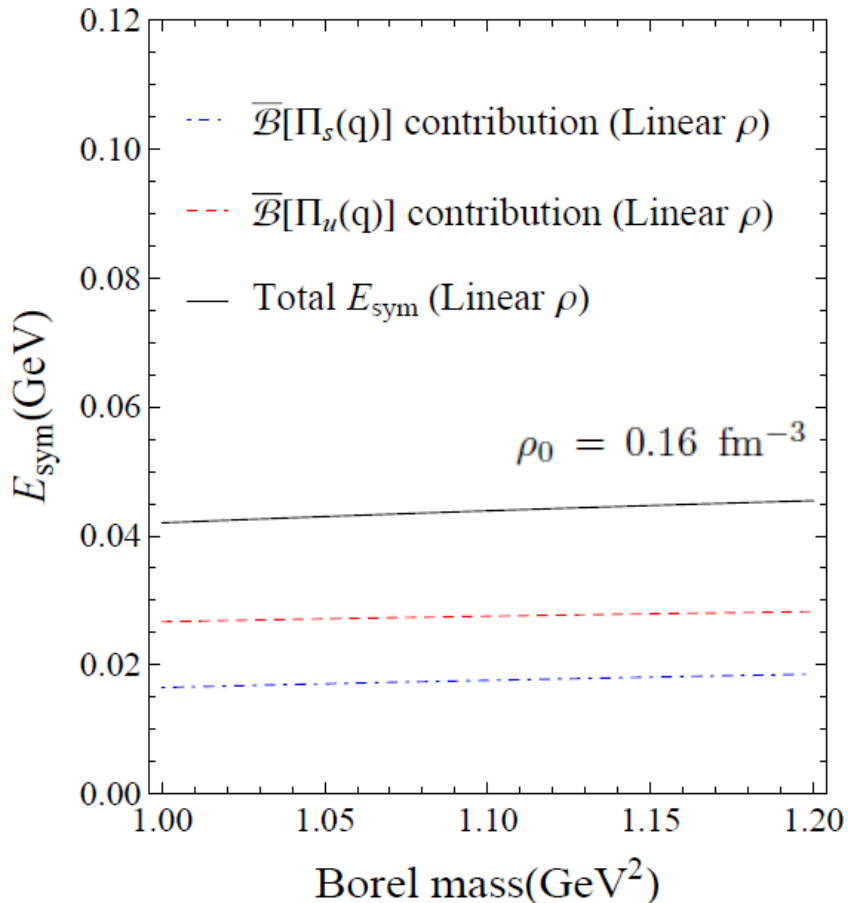
$$E_{\text{sym}}^{\text{kin}} = \frac{1}{6} \frac{k_F^2}{\sqrt{k_F^2 + M_N^{*2}}}$$

in mean field type calculation

(S.Kubis et al., Physics Letters B 399 (1997) 191-195)

# Comparison to RMFT

- Scalar/Vector self energy contribution



- RMFT result

$$E_{\text{sym}} = \frac{1}{6} \frac{k_F^2}{E_F^*} + \frac{1}{2} \left[ f_\rho - f_\delta \left( \frac{m^*}{E_F^*} \right)^2 \right] \rho_B$$

$$\simeq \frac{1}{6} \frac{k_F^2}{E_F^*} + \Sigma_\rho^0 + \frac{m^*}{E_F^*} \Sigma_\delta$$

Vector meson exchange -> Repulsive

Scalar meson exchange -> Attractive

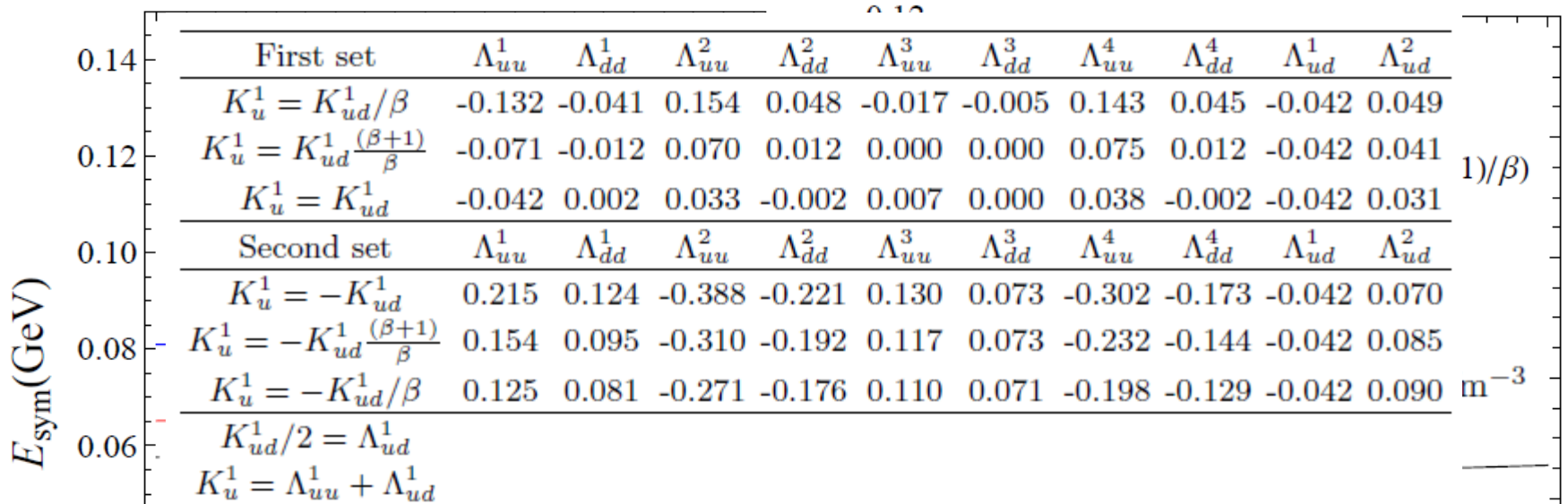
(V.Baran, et al. Physics Reports 410 (2005) 335–466)

- In our result, both self energies give **positive contribution**
- Which part gives reducing contribution in our sum rule?**

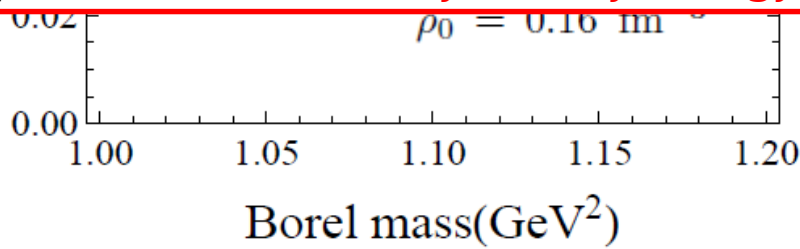


# Nuclear Symmetry Energy with twist 4 op.

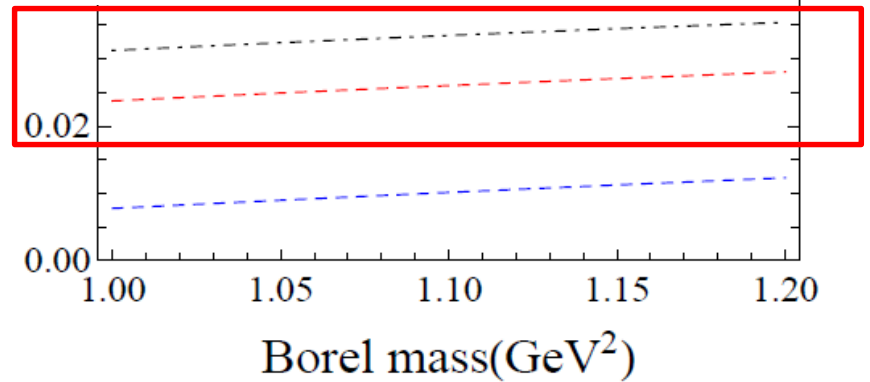
- Contribution from first set
- Contribution from second set



Most wanted value for the potential part of the nuclear symmetry energy



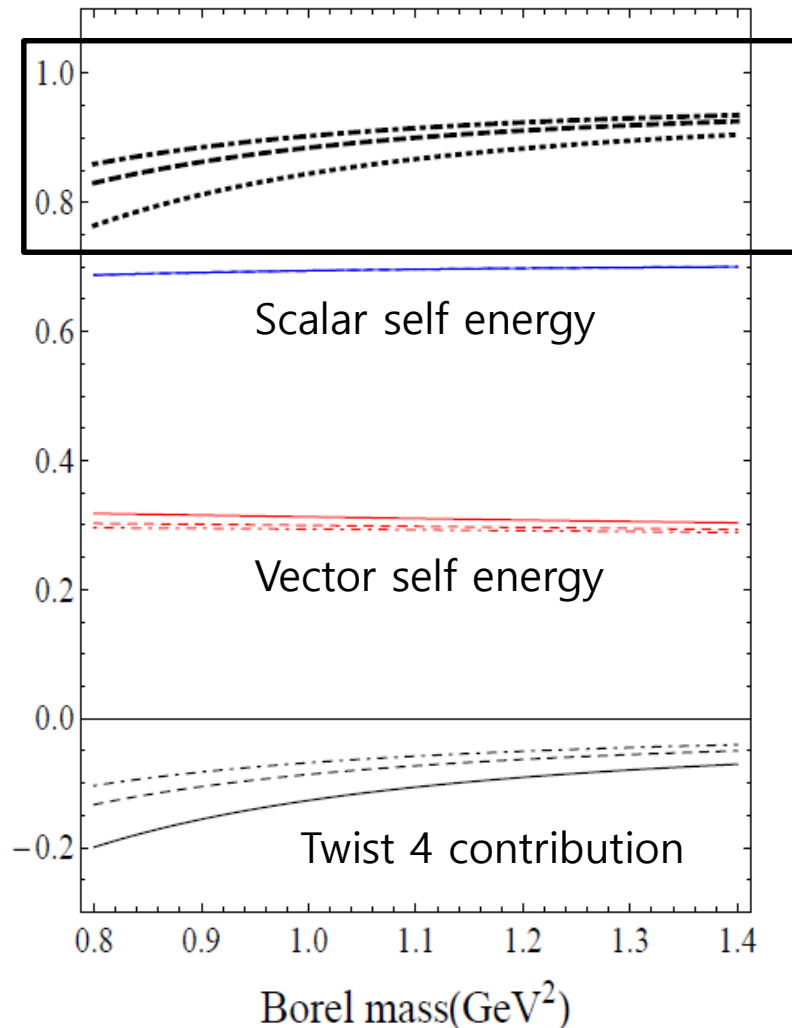
20 MeV~40 MeV enhanced



20 MeV~30 MeV reduced

# Nuclear Symmetry Energy with twist 4 op.

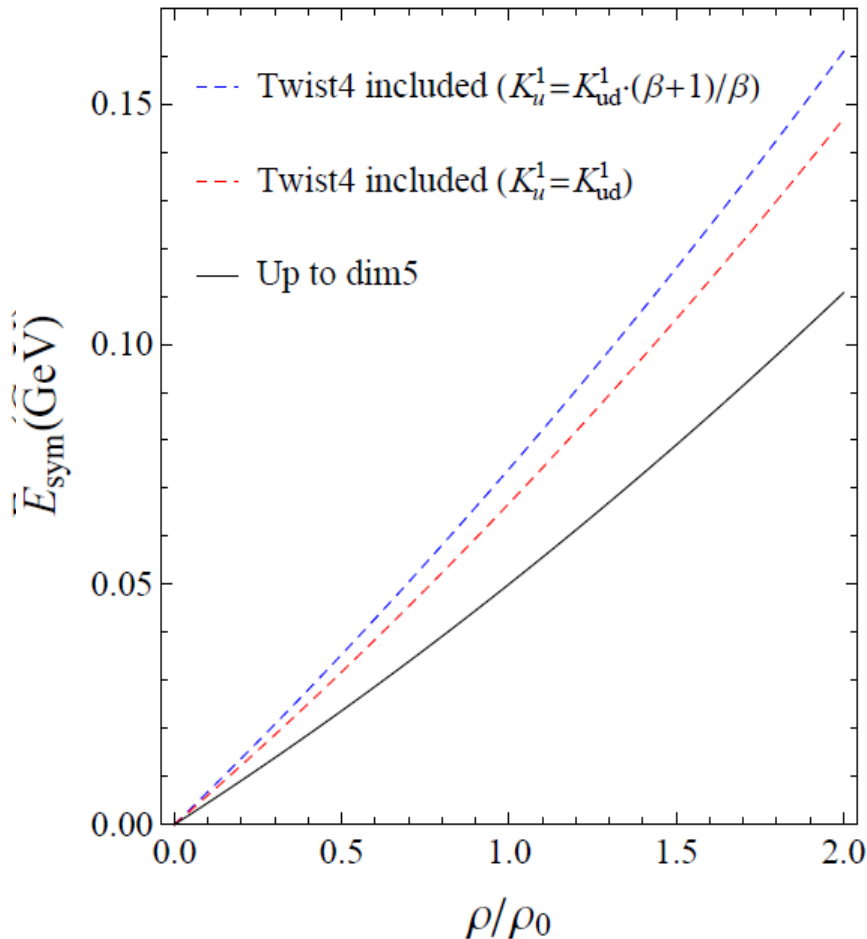
- In-medium nucleon sum rule with twist 4 condensates



- Thick black lines are **total quasi-nucleon self energy**
- The first set gives quasi-nucleon energy **over** than the **nucleon mass in vacuum**
- But **the second set gives plausible quasi-nucleon energy**, **slightly smaller** than the **nucleon mass in vacuum**
- So hereafter **we conclude that the second set** may be more **plausible** choice

# Nuclear Symmetry Energy with twist 4 op.

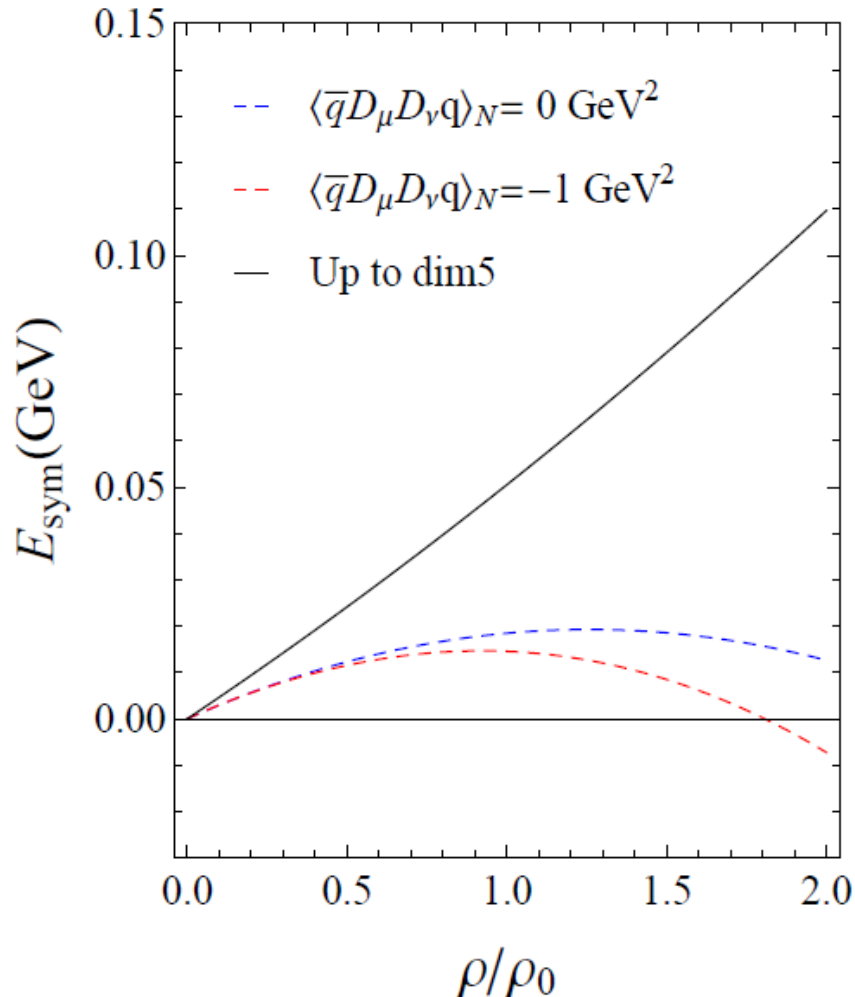
- Density dependence with twist-4 contribution



- The result with the **first set gives strong enhancement** and **second set gives strong reduction** as nuclear matter becomes higher density
- In dense matter, **twist-4 condensates determine higher density behavior of the Nuclear Symmetry Energy**
- Multi-quark operators** may determine the asymmetric nuclear bulk properties **in dense condition**

# Nuclear Symmetry Energy <-> DIS

- Contributions of 2-quark dimension 5 operators



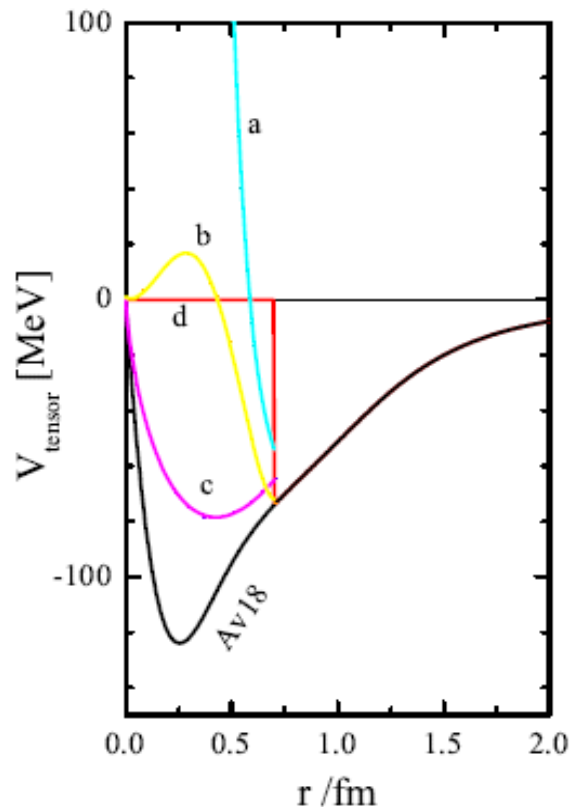
- Our sum rule shows that **precise measurement of Nuclear Symmetry Energy** can give us **a meaningful constraint to unknown higher twist operators**
- From these facts, we can re-write effective expression for Nuclear Symmetry Energy in our sum rule context

$$E_{sym}(\rho) \simeq \frac{1}{6} \frac{k_F^2}{E_F^*} + [c_s, \langle \bar{q}\Gamma q \rangle(\rho) + c_v, \langle q^\dagger \Gamma q \rangle(\rho)] \pm [\tilde{c}_{t, Twist4}(\rho) + \tilde{c}_{t, 2q \text{ tensor}}(\rho)]$$

Scalar-Vector Cond. => **Enhancing**  
 Pure Tensor Cond. => **Reducing**

# At Extremely high density?

- Model prediction with effective nucleon-nucleon-tensor potential



(Bao An Li: arXiv:1107.0496v1)

$$V_{T\pi} = -\frac{f_\pi^2}{4\pi} m_\pi (\boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_2) S_{12} \left[ \frac{1}{(m_\pi r)^3} + \frac{1}{(m_\pi r)^2} + \frac{1}{3m_\pi r} \right] \exp(-m_\pi r)$$

$$S_{12} = 3 \frac{(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \mathbf{r})(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_2 \cdot \mathbf{r})}{r^2} - (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2)$$

- At high density, phase of nuclear matter may become to quark phase, and mean distance between quarks will be shortened
- We may make naïve guess **that this kind of prediction for dense condition might be justified by QCD via studying twist 4 of multi quark condensates at high density**

# Conclusion

- We have successfully reproduced **numerical value of the Nuclear Symmetry Energy** of previous studies and found **exact contribution of twist 4 matrix elements** to the nucleon sum rule
- Twist 4 matrix elements **give non-negligible contribution** to Nuclear Symmetry Energy. Reducing contribution may be more plausible
- Nuclear Symmetry Energy **can be understood via QCD**, and also **constraints for twist-n and multi-quark condensates can be studied** from Nuclear Symmetry Energy
- Extremely high density behavior remains unclear, but this also might be understood via QCD

# Back up slides

# 4 quark Operator Product Expansion

- So far, there was no systematic description for four-quark condensates in the nucleon sum rule

$$\begin{aligned}\langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} &\simeq \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} - \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle u_\gamma^c \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I}, \\ \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b d_\gamma^c \bar{d}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I} &\simeq \langle u_\alpha^a \bar{u}_\beta^b \rangle_{\rho, I} \langle d_\gamma^c \bar{d}_\delta^d \rangle_{\rho, I}.\end{aligned}$$

Simple factorization scheme was used as in the vacuum saturation hypothesis

- To express four-quark condensates in terms of linear combination of independent operators, one can use **Fierz rearrangement**

$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'b'c'}(u_a^T C \gamma_\mu u_b)(\bar{u}_{b'}^T \gamma_\nu C \bar{u}_{a'}) &\quad (\text{For pure quark flavor case}) \\ = \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'b'c'} \frac{1}{16} (\bar{u}_{a'} \Gamma^o u_a)(\bar{u}_{b'} \Gamma^k u_b) \cdot \text{Tr} [\gamma_\mu \Gamma_k \gamma_\nu C \Gamma_o^T C] &\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'bc'} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu d_c \bar{d}_{c'}^T \gamma^\nu \gamma^5 (u_a^T C \gamma_\mu d \gamma_\nu C \bar{u}_{a'}) &\quad (\text{For mixed quark flavor case}) \\ = \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'bc'} \frac{1}{16} (\gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \Gamma_k \gamma^\nu \gamma^5)(\bar{u}_{a'} \Gamma^o u_a)(\bar{d}_{c'} \Gamma^k d_c) \cdot \text{Tr} [\gamma_\mu d \gamma_\nu C \Gamma_o C] &\end{aligned}$$



# 4 quark Operator Product Expansion

- And one may use 'zero identity' for pure quark flavor case which comes from forbidden di-quark structure of quark model for hadron

$$\epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'b'c}(u_a^T C \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u_b)(\bar{u}_{b'}^T \gamma_\nu \gamma_5 C \bar{u}_{a'}) = 0$$

- Finally, with this constraint, one can find that it needs only for 2 type of twist-4 condensates and their trace part to express the 4q OPE of the nucleon sum rule (for pure flavor case)

$$\begin{aligned} & \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'b'c}(u_a^T C \gamma_\mu u_b)(\bar{u}_{b'}^T \gamma_\nu C \bar{u}_{a'}) \\ &= \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'b'c} \frac{1}{16} \left\{ 8S_{\mu\alpha\nu\bar{\alpha}} \cdot \left( (\bar{u}^{a'} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} u^a)(\bar{u}^{b'} \gamma^\alpha u^b) - (\bar{u}^{a'} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_5 u^a)(\bar{u}^{b'} \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 u^b) \right) \right. \\ & \quad \left. + 16i\epsilon_{\mu\alpha\nu\bar{\alpha}} (\bar{u}^{a'} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} u^a)(\bar{u}^{b'} \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 u^b) \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

→ Will be dropped with assumed P, T symmetry of nuclear medium

# 4 quark Operator Product Expansion

- For mixed quark flavor case, with assumed P, T symmetry of nuclear medium ground state, the OPE can be simplified as

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'bc'} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu d_c \bar{d}_{c'}^T \gamma^\nu \gamma^5 (u_a^T C \gamma_\mu \not{q} \gamma_\nu C \bar{u}_{a'}) \\
 &= \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'bc'} \frac{1}{16} (\gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \Gamma_k \gamma^\nu \gamma^5) (\bar{u}_{a'} \Gamma^o u_a) (\bar{d}_{c'} \Gamma^k d_c) \cdot \text{Tr} [\gamma_\mu \not{q} \gamma_\nu C \Gamma_o C] \\
 &\Rightarrow \epsilon_{abc}\epsilon_{a'bc'} \frac{1}{16} \left\{ -8q_\alpha (\bar{u}_{a'} \gamma^\alpha u_a) (\bar{d}_{c'} d_c) - 8(q_{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_\alpha + g_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \not{q}) (\bar{u}_{a'} \gamma^\alpha u_a) (\bar{d}_{c'} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} d_c) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + 8(q_{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_\alpha - g_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}} \not{q}) (\bar{u}_{a'} \gamma^\alpha \gamma_5 u_a) (\bar{d}_{c'} \gamma^{\bar{\alpha}} \gamma_5 d_c) \right\},
 \end{aligned}$$

- So now we have got exact four-quark OPE for the nucleon sum rule with Ioffe current
- These four-quark OPE gives important contribution to nucleon in the **symmetric/asymmetric** nuclear matter