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Repulsive properties of hadrons in lattice QCD data and neutron stars

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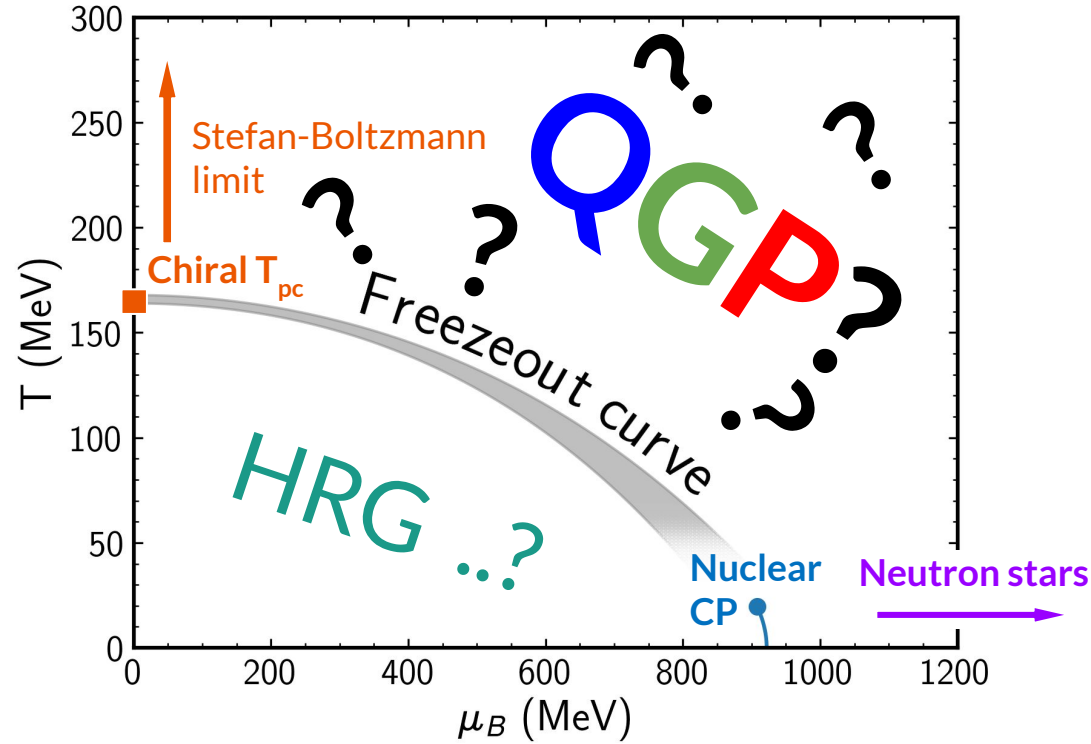


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An approach for QCD EOS: CMF model



Chiral Mean Field model is a **single framework** for QCD thermodynamics, can be used for

- analysis of lattice QCD data
- description of nuclear matter
- as well as neutron star description

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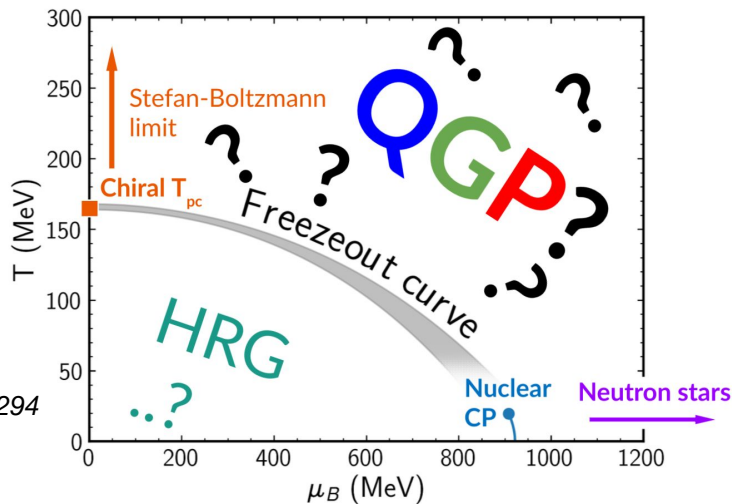
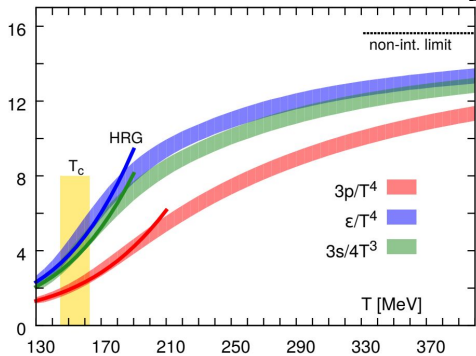
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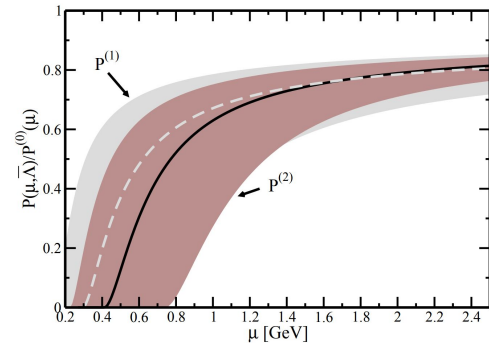
QCD phenomenology for the EoS

Stefan-Boltzmann limit $\mu_B=0$ HotQCD, 1407.6387

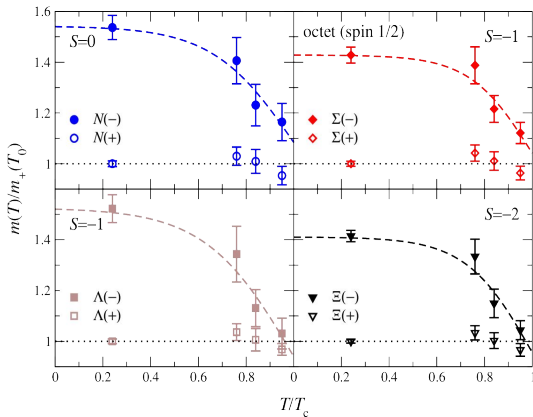


Stefan-Boltzmann limit T=0

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A. Vuorinen, 0912.1856

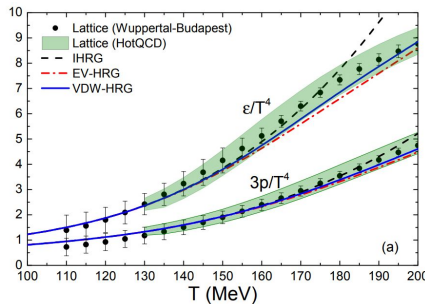


Parity doubling G. Aarts et al., 1710.08294



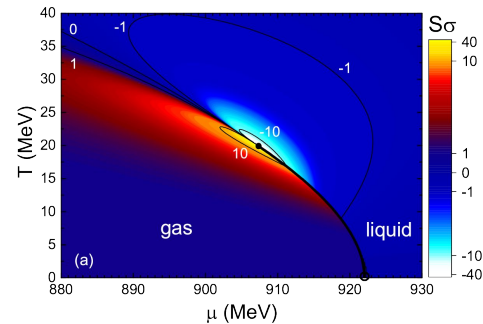
Hadron Resonance Gas

Vovchenko,
Gorenstein,
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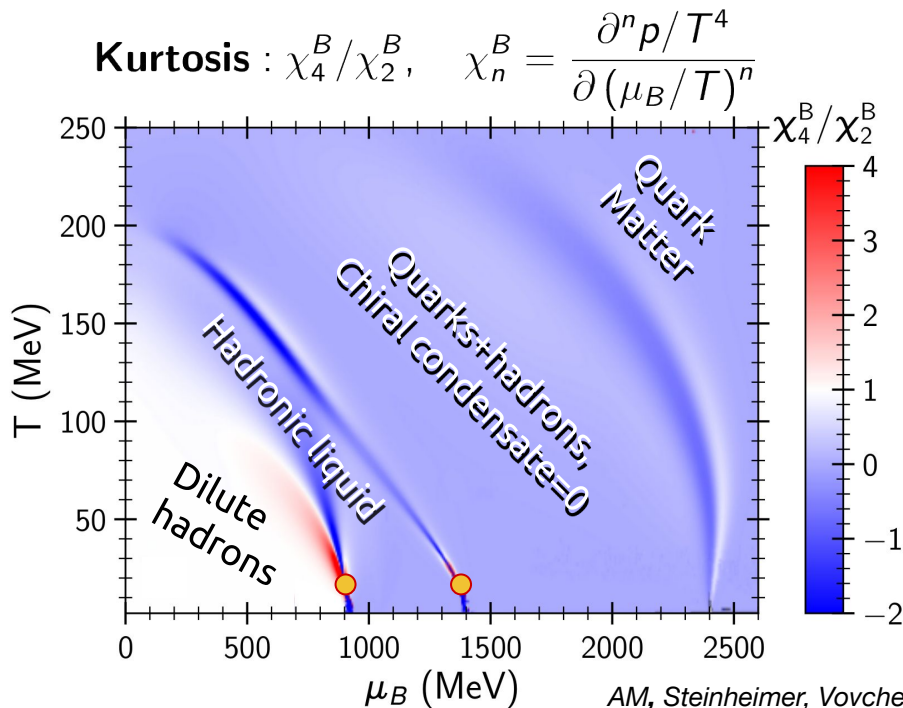


Nuclear matter properties

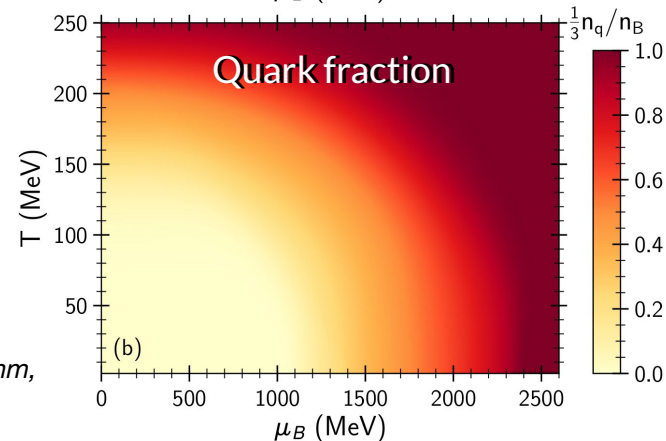
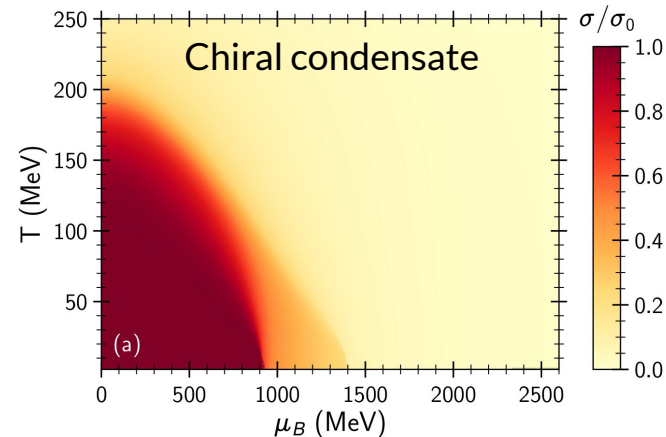
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V. Vovchenko et al., 1506.05763



The CMF phase diagram



AM, Steinheimer, Vovchenko, Schramm, Stoecker, 1905.00866

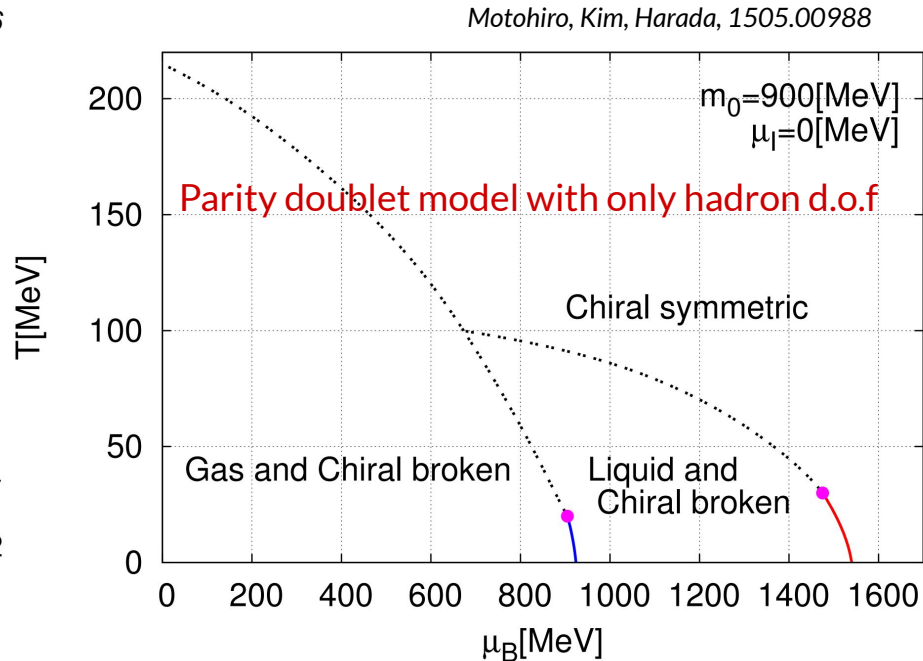
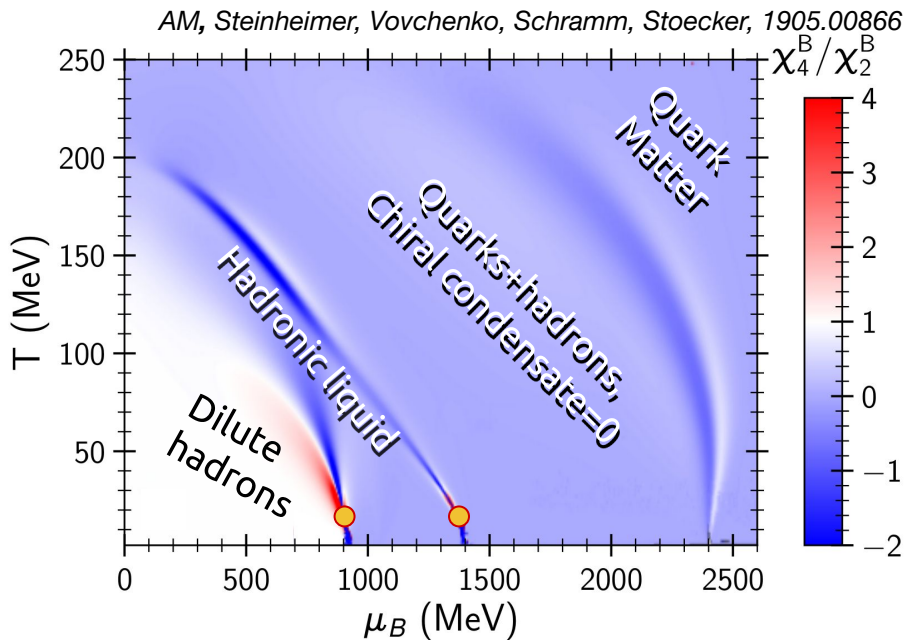


Three transitions:

hadron gas \rightarrow hadronic liquid \rightarrow chiral symmetry restoration \rightarrow quark matter

Two critical points: nuclear CP $T_{CP} \approx 17$ MeV, chiral CP $T_{CP} \approx 17$ MeV

The CMF phase diagram



The phase transitions are only driven by **hadrons**. **Deconfinement is always smooth**.

CMF: beyond the lattice data

The lattice QCD calculations allow to go beyond the $\mu_B = 0$ by using Taylor expansion which involves conserved charge susceptibilities χ :
(Allton et al. [hep-lat/0204010](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-lat/0204010))

$$P = P_0 + T^4 \sum_{i,j,k} \frac{1}{i!j!k!} \chi_{B,Q,S}^{i,j,k} \left(\frac{\mu_B}{T}\right)^i \left(\frac{\mu_Q}{T}\right)^j \left(\frac{\mu_S}{T}\right)^k$$

$$\chi_{B,Q,S}^{i,j,k} = \frac{\partial^i \partial^j \partial^k P(T, \mu_B, \mu_Q, \mu_S) / T^4}{\partial (\mu_B/T)^i \partial (\mu_Q/T)^j \partial (\mu_S/T)^k}$$

Radius of convergence – distance to the closest singularity of P/T^4 in the **complex μ_B/T plane**, could be QCD critical point.

One singularity is known at $\mu_B/T = i\pi$

Roberge-Weiss transition

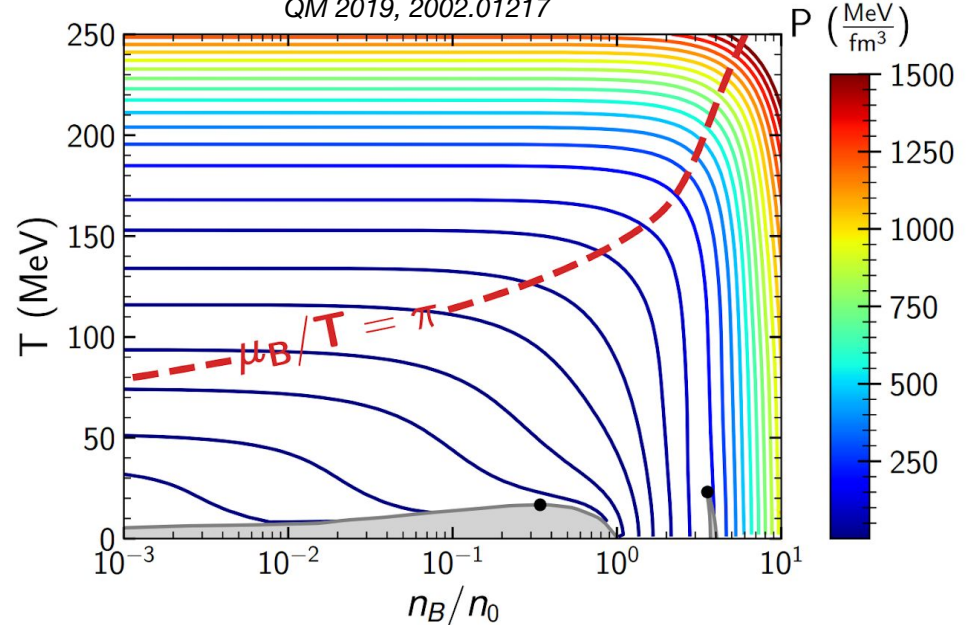
(Roberge, Weiss, *Nucl.Phys.B* 275 (1986) 734-745)

However, estimates suggest $R_{\mu_B/T} \approx 2-3$ (Bazavov et al.

[1701.04325](https://arxiv.org/abs/1701.04325), Vovchenko et al. [1711.01261](https://arxiv.org/abs/1711.01261),

Giordano et al. [1911.00043](https://arxiv.org/abs/1911.00043))

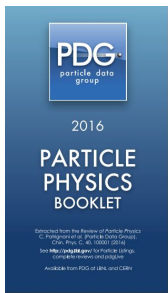
AM, Vovchenko, Steinheimer, Schramm, Stoecker,
QM 2019, 2002.01217



In a realistic EOS beyond $\mu_B/T \approx \pi$ the lines of constant pressure depend strongly on density. Interactions and finite baryon density strongly affect the EOS.

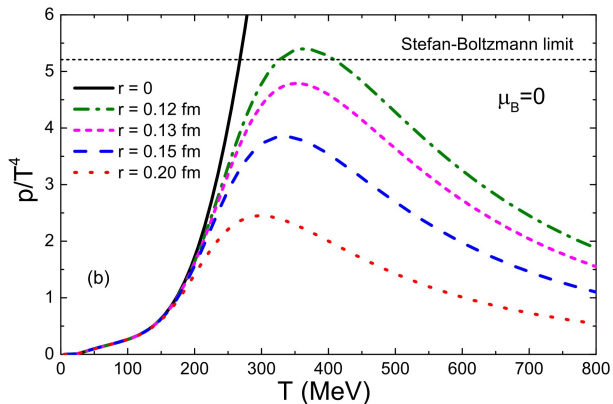
Hadron-quark transition in CMF

Excluded Volume triggers the switch between hadron and quark degrees of freedom.

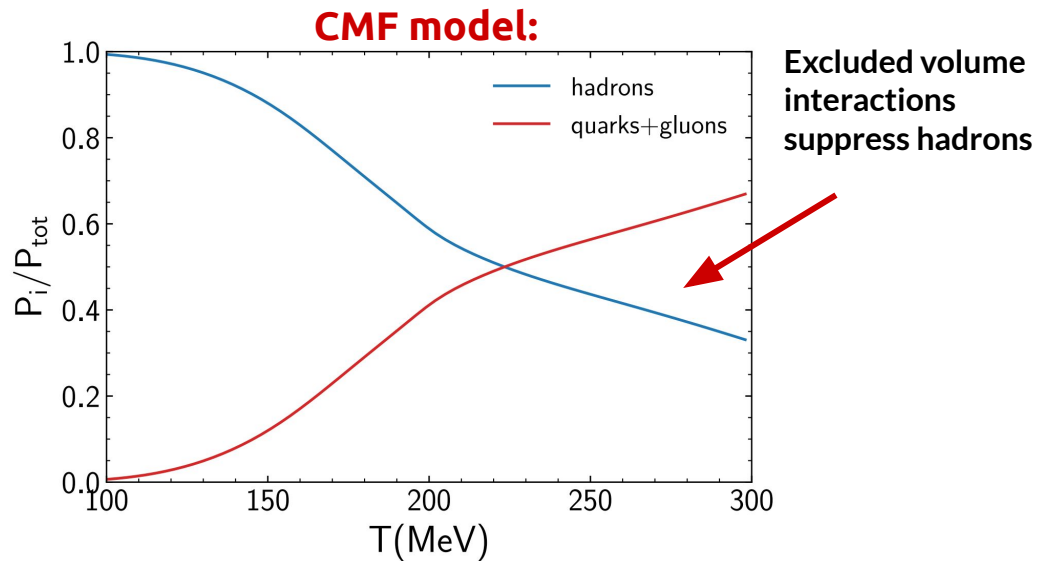


$$\rho_i = \frac{\rho_i^{\text{id}}(T, \mu_i^* - v_i p)}{1 + \sum_j v_j \rho_j^{\text{id}}(T, \mu_j^* - v_j p)}$$

$$\varepsilon_i = \frac{\varepsilon_i^{\text{id}}(T, \mu_i^* - v_i p)}{1 + \sum_j v_j \rho_j^{\text{id}}(T, \mu_j^* - v_j p)}$$

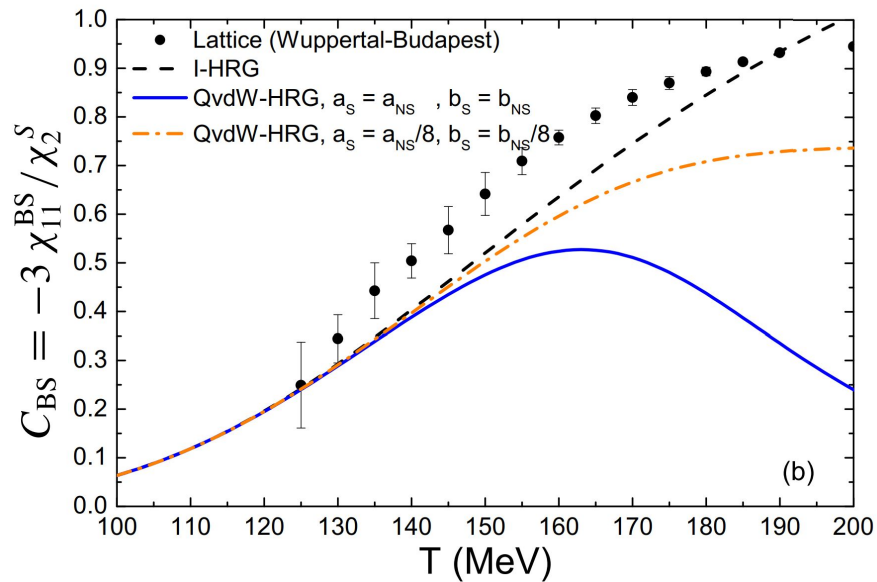
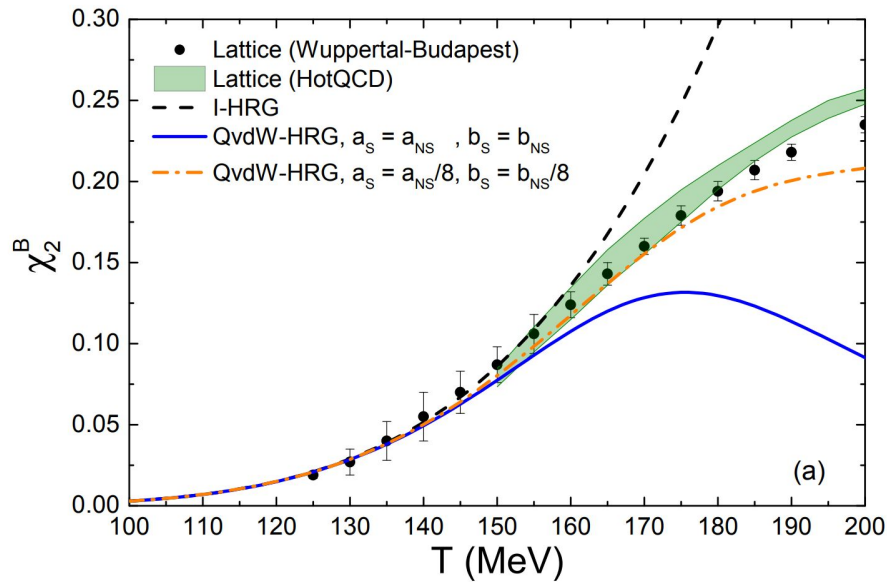


Vovchenko, Anchishkin, Gorenstein, 1412.5478



How to constrain excluded volume parameters?
Analysis of nucleon phase shifts suggests $v_b = 1 \text{ fm}^3$
(Vovchenko, AM, Gorenstein, Stoecker, 1710.00693)

Flavor dependent EV interactions: QvdW

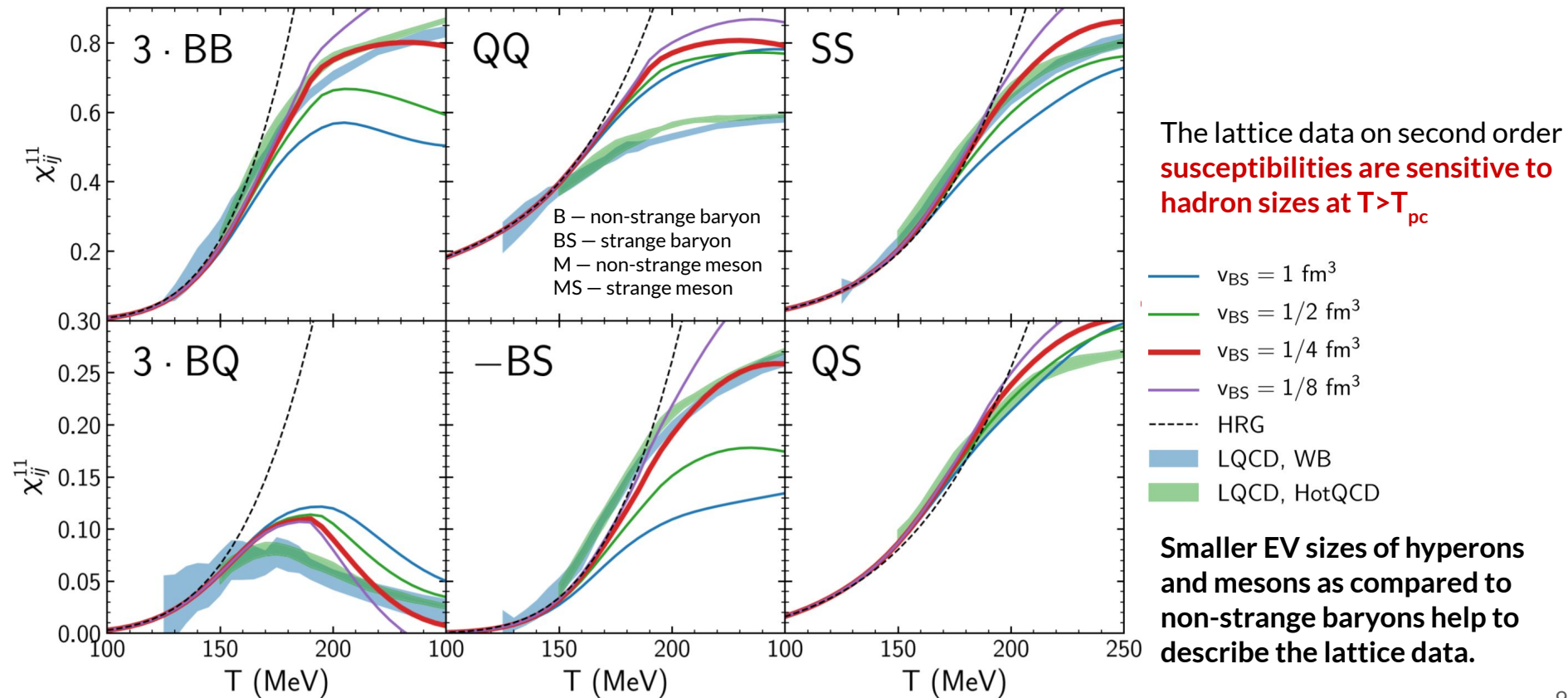


Vovchenko, AM, Alba, Gorenstein, Satarov, Stoecker, 1707.09215

A study within the Quantum van der Waals model hints:
smaller EV size of strange baryons → improvement in baryon and strange susceptibilities

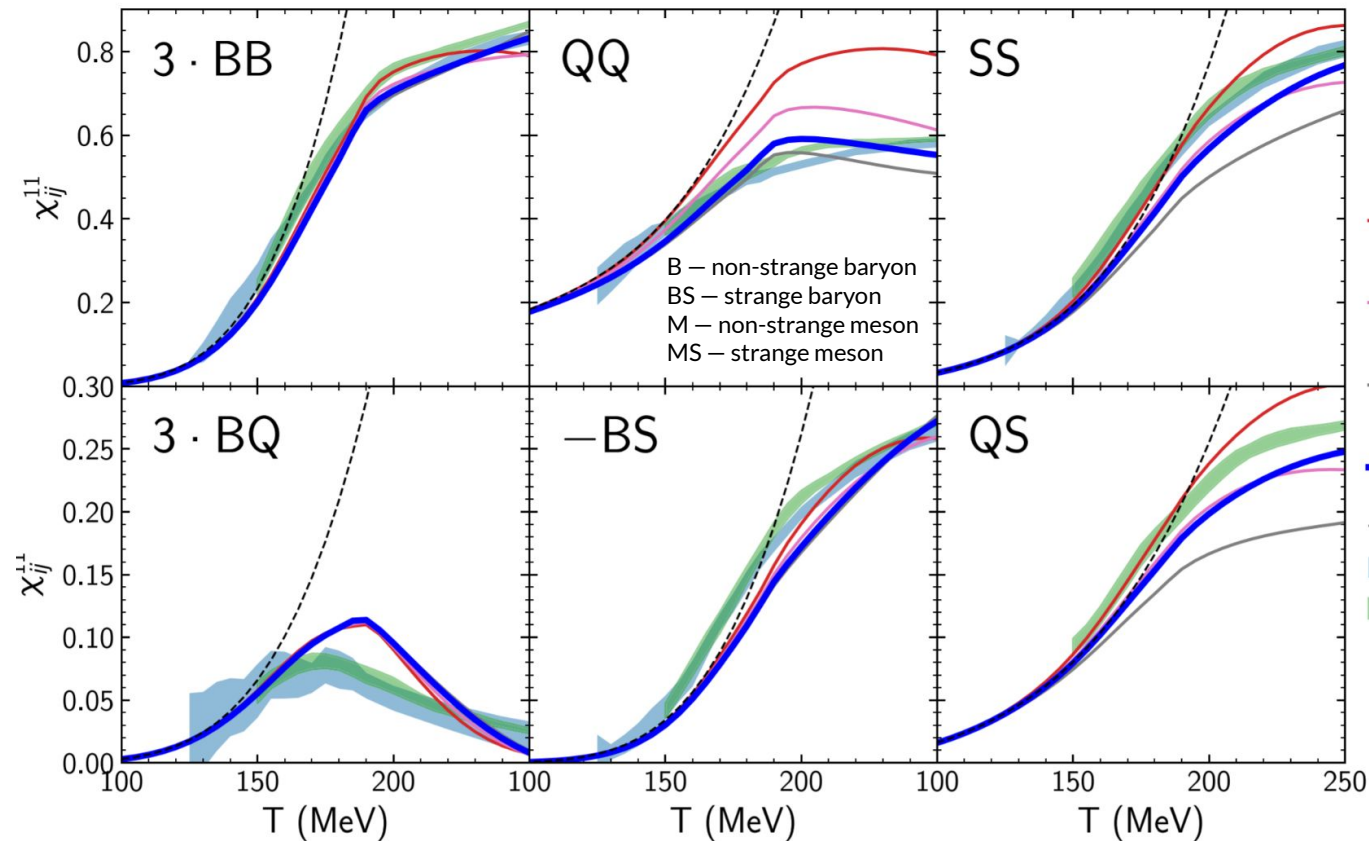
Flavor dependent EV interactions: CMF model

$v_B = 1 \text{ fm}^3$, $v_M = 1/8 \text{ fm}^3$, $v_{MS} = 1/8 \text{ fm}^3$ **Variation of hyperons size**

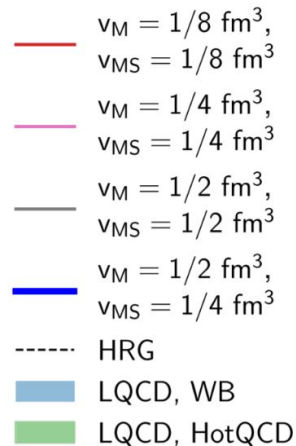


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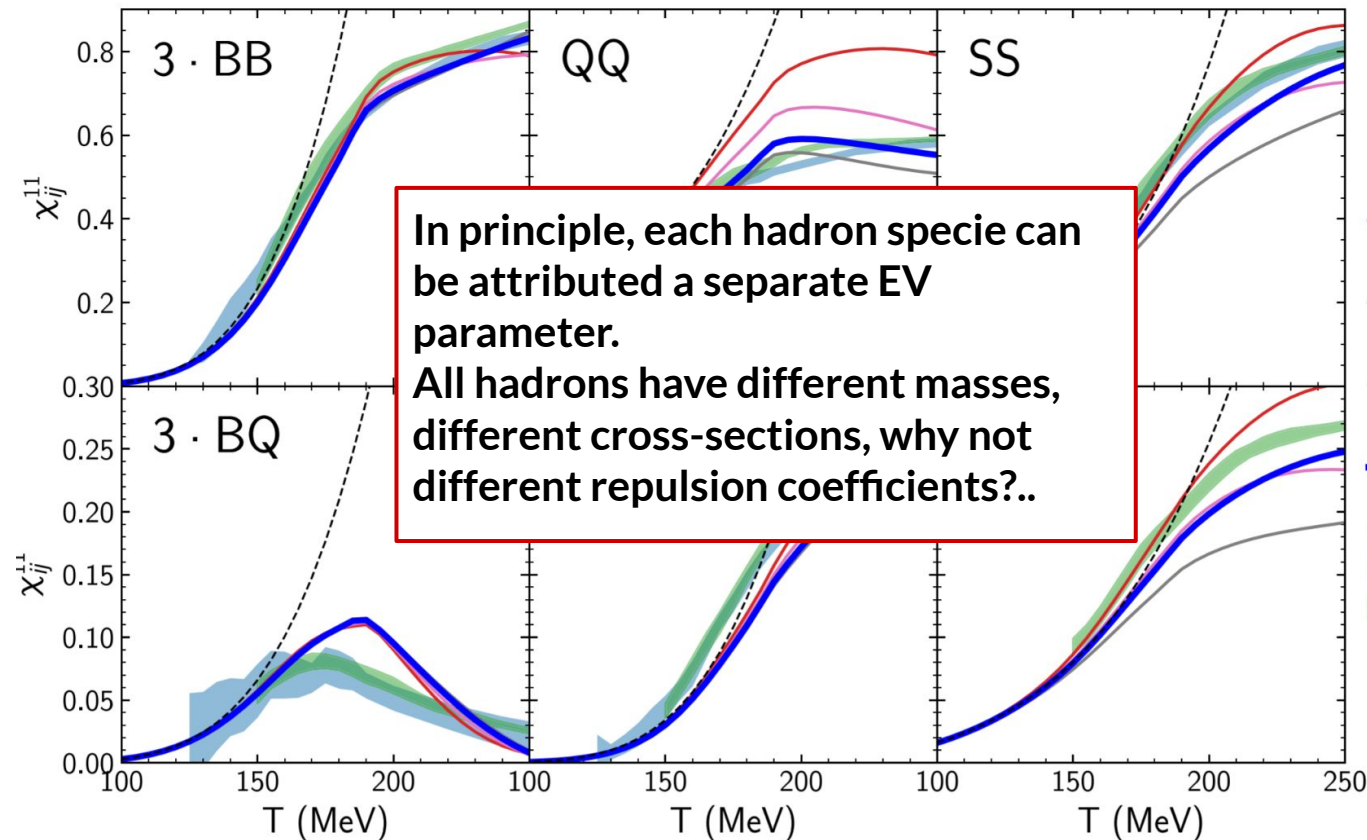
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 non-strange baryons →
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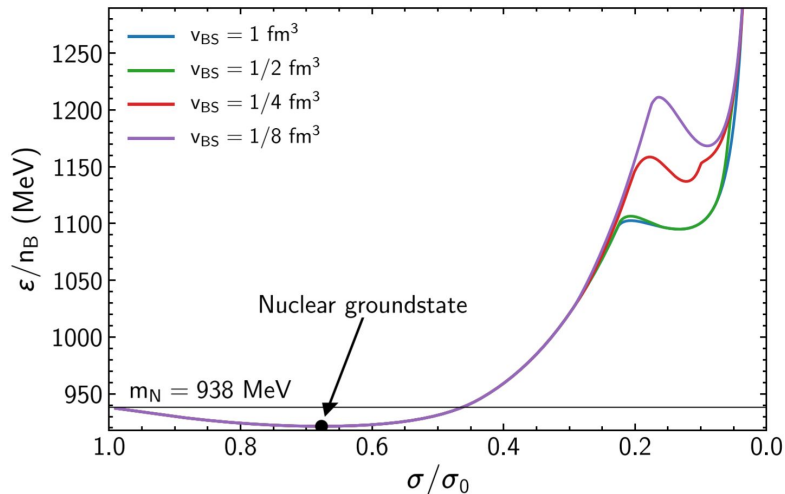


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- $v_M = 1/4 \text{ fm}^3$, $v_{MS} = 1/4 \text{ fm}^3$
- $v_M = 1/2 \text{ fm}^3$, $v_{MS} = 1/2 \text{ fm}^3$
- $v_M = 1/2 \text{ fm}^3$, $v_{MS} = 1/4 \text{ fm}^3$
- - - HRG
- LQCD, WB
- LQCD, HotQCD

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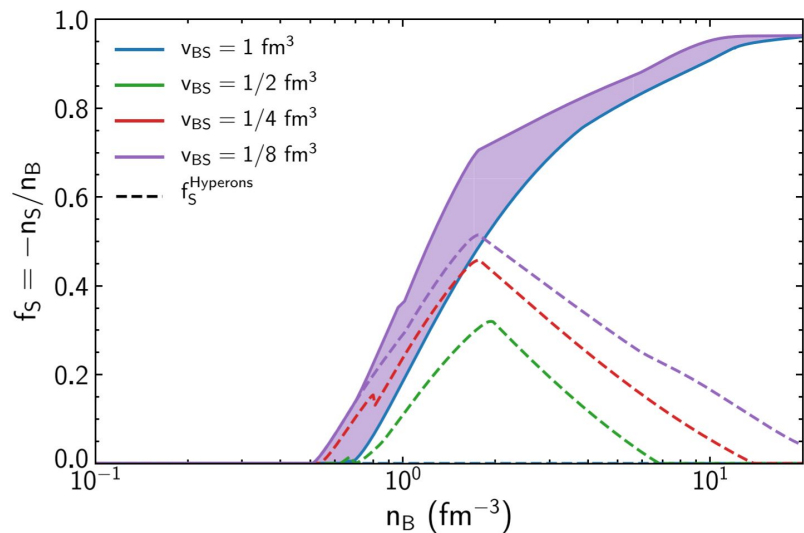
Phase structure



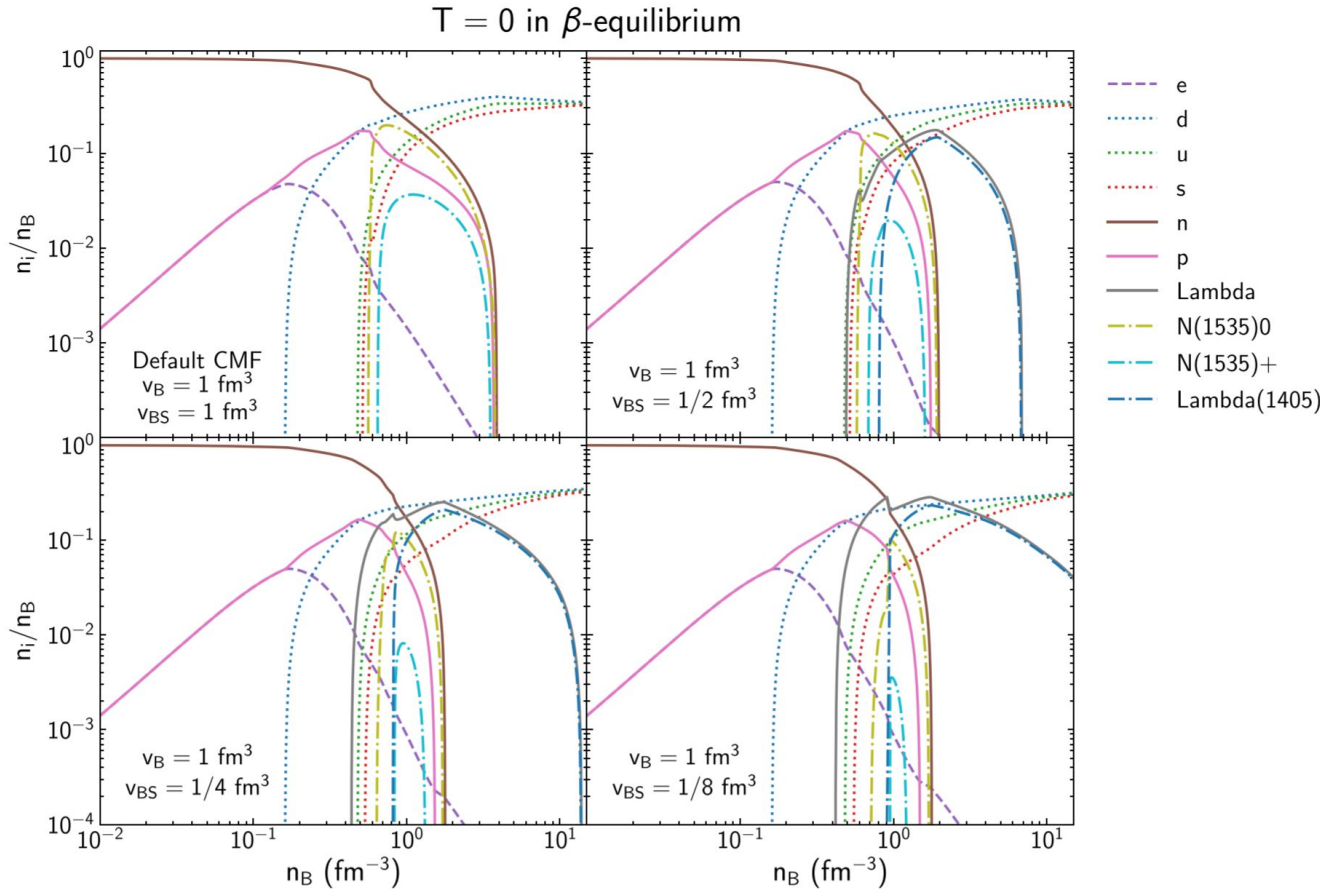
The chemical composition is interesting. Small hyperon repulsion allows for **hyperon-rich phase at $n_B > 1 \text{ fm}^{-3}$** . These densities to be probed in neutron stars.

An important benchmark for the CMF model: **the model phase structure is robust to different interaction schemes.**

- Nuclear ground state is not affected.
- Chiral phase transition is only slightly changed.



Chemical composition for neutron star matter



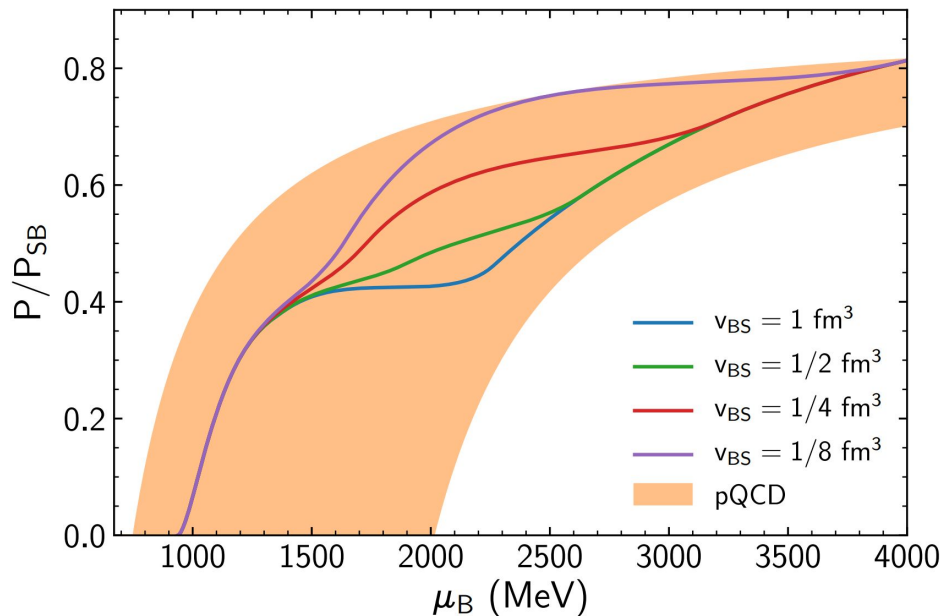
The same CMF model, the same parametrizations, electrons are present to maintain β -equilibrium.

Hyperons have smaller EV-size — they are suppressed at larger densities.

A new scenario:

All non-strange baryons are melted into quarks, but hyperons still survive.

Comparison with pQCD for cold matter



PQCD data from:

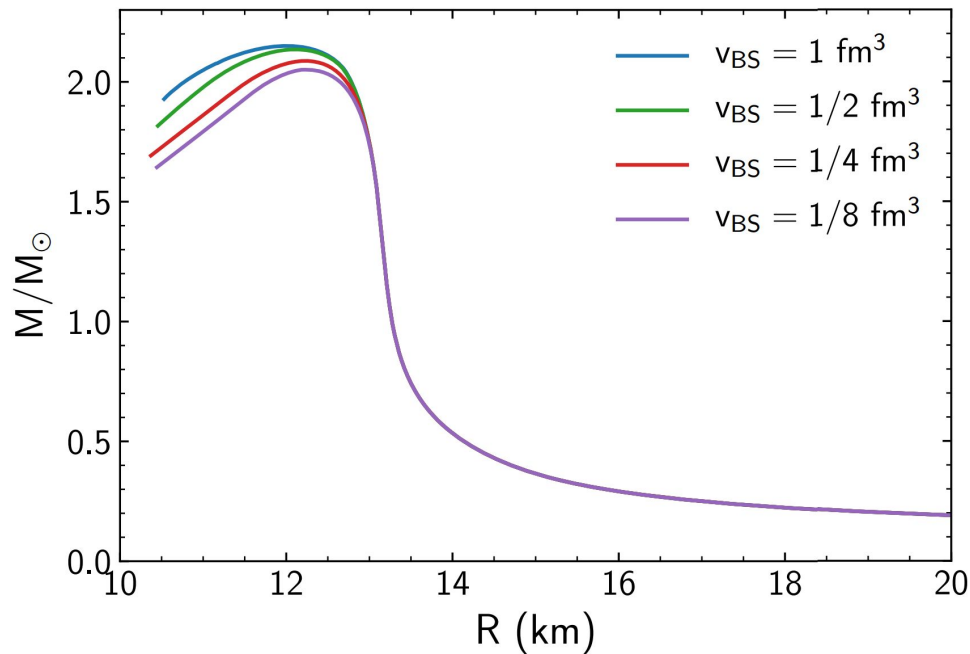
Kurkela, Romatschke, Vuorinen, 0912.1856

CMF gives a reasonable description for hyperon EV parameter $v_{BS} = 1/4 \text{ fm}^3$, the favorable value from LQCD data analysis.

The pQCD errorbars are too wide, any scenario fits.

At high μ_B hadrons are suppressed, all parameterizations merge, SB limit is slowly approached.

Neutron stars



The same EOS is used to model neutron stars by solving TOV equation.

Changes in chemical composition affect NS properties only slightly.

As soon as hyperons emerge – NS family is already approaching unstable branch.

Summary

- Susceptibilities are sensitive to hadronic interactions at $T > T_{pc}$.
- Lattice QCD data suggests hierarchy in hadron EV repulsion (size). Non-strange baryon excluded volume: $v_B = 1 \text{ fm}^3$, mesons: $v_M = 1/2 \text{ fm}^3$, strange hadrons: $v_{BS} = v_{MS} = 1/4 \text{ fm}^3$.
- Room for improvement:
Each hadron may be attributed individual EV parameter.
- The CMF phase structure is robust against change in flavor-dependent interaction schemes.
- Interesting scenarios are possible: hyperons melt into quarks at larger densities than non-strange hadrons.
- Hyperons appearance only slightly modifies neutron star properties.

Thanks for your attention!

