

# Finite size scaling for 4-flavor QCD with finite chemical potential

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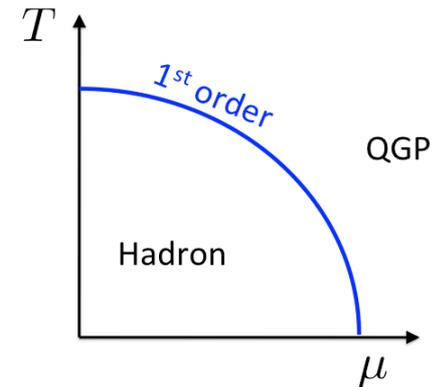
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# Why 4-flavor ?

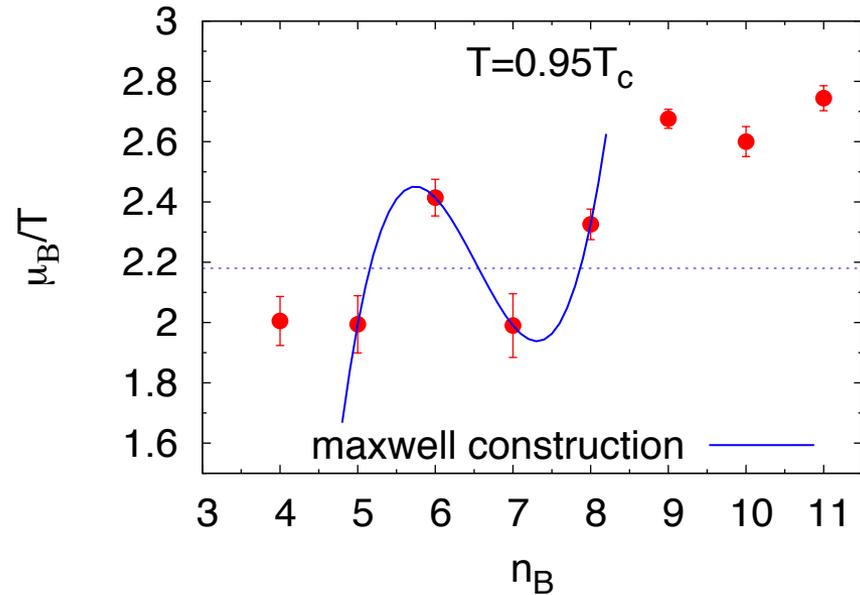
- Good testing ground before 3-flavor
- Expected to have  
1<sup>st</sup> order phase transition line  
even for relatively larger mass
- Lattice study so far
  - Multi-parameter reweighting [Fodor & Katz 01](#)
  - Imaginary chemical potential [D'Elia & Lombardo 02](#)
  - Canonical approach [de Forcrand 06](#), [Kentucky 10](#)



# Kentucky group's result

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- Canonical approach
- $N_f=4$
- Wilson type fermions
- $T=150\text{MeV}$
- pion mass= $830\text{MeV}$
- $6^3 \times 4$



It is likely to be 1<sup>st</sup> order, but need a finite size scaling study to pin down the order of transition!

# What we do here

- Grand canonical approach with Wilson type fermions

$$\mathcal{Z}_{\text{QCD}}(T, \mu) = \int [dU] e^{-S_g[U]} \det D(\mu; U) \leftarrow \text{Complex}$$

- Phase reweighting

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{\langle \mathcal{O} e^{iN_f \theta} \rangle_{||}}{\langle e^{iN_f \theta} \rangle_{||}}$$

Phase can be controlled  
for larger temporal size

ST, Kuramashi & Ukawa (2011)

$$\mathcal{Z}_{||}(T, \mu) = \int [dU] e^{-S_g[U]} |\det D(\mu; U)|$$

- Reduction technique Danzer & Gattringer (2008)

- exact phase & quark number

- Many-core & GPU machine

# Details of simulation parameters

■ Clover fermions and Iwasaki gauge

■ Parameters:

■  $a=0.33\text{fm}$  ( $a^{-1}=610\text{MeV}$ )

■ pion mass= $830\text{MeV}$

■  $T=150\text{MeV}$

■ Chemical potential

$$a\mu = 0.1 - 0.35$$

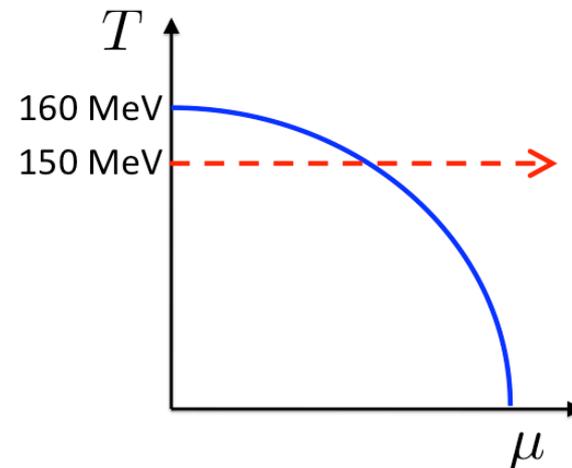
■ Spatial Volume

$$6^3, 668, 688, 8^3$$

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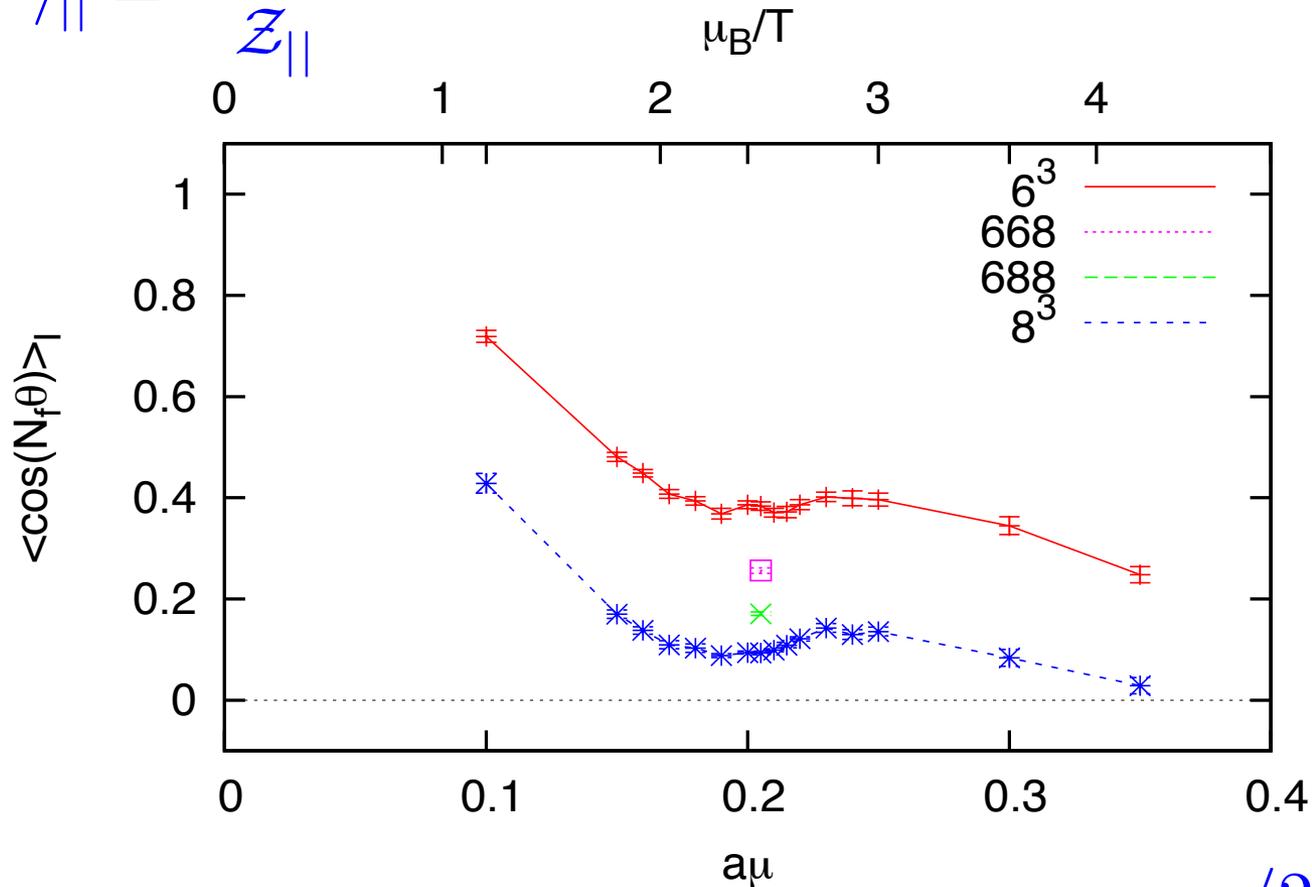
$$\beta = 1.6 \quad \kappa = 0.1371$$

$$N_T = 4 \quad c_{\text{sw}} = 1.9655$$



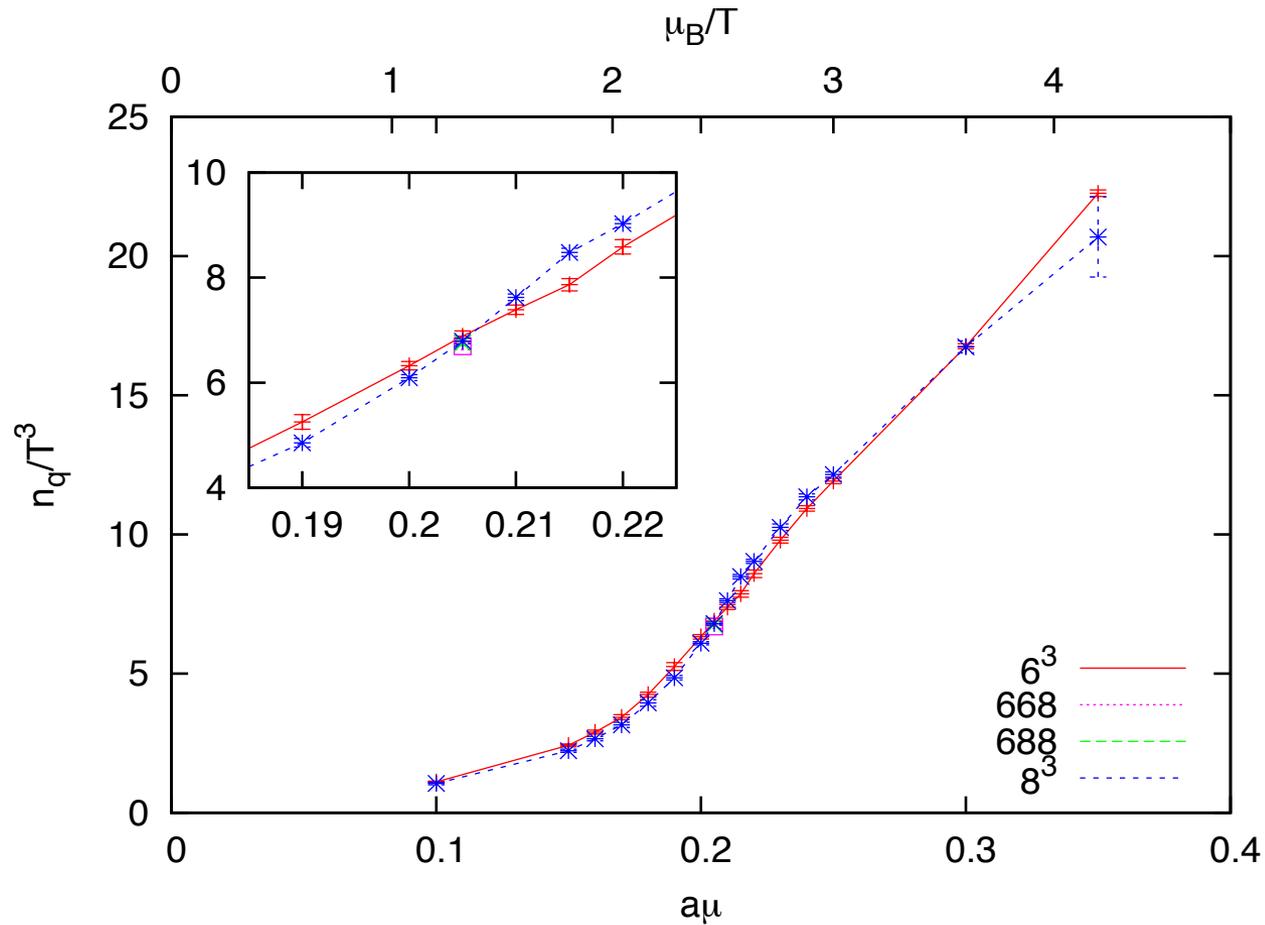
# Phase-reweighting factor

$$\langle e^{i4\theta} \rangle_{\parallel} = \frac{Z_{\text{QCD}}}{Z_{\parallel}}$$

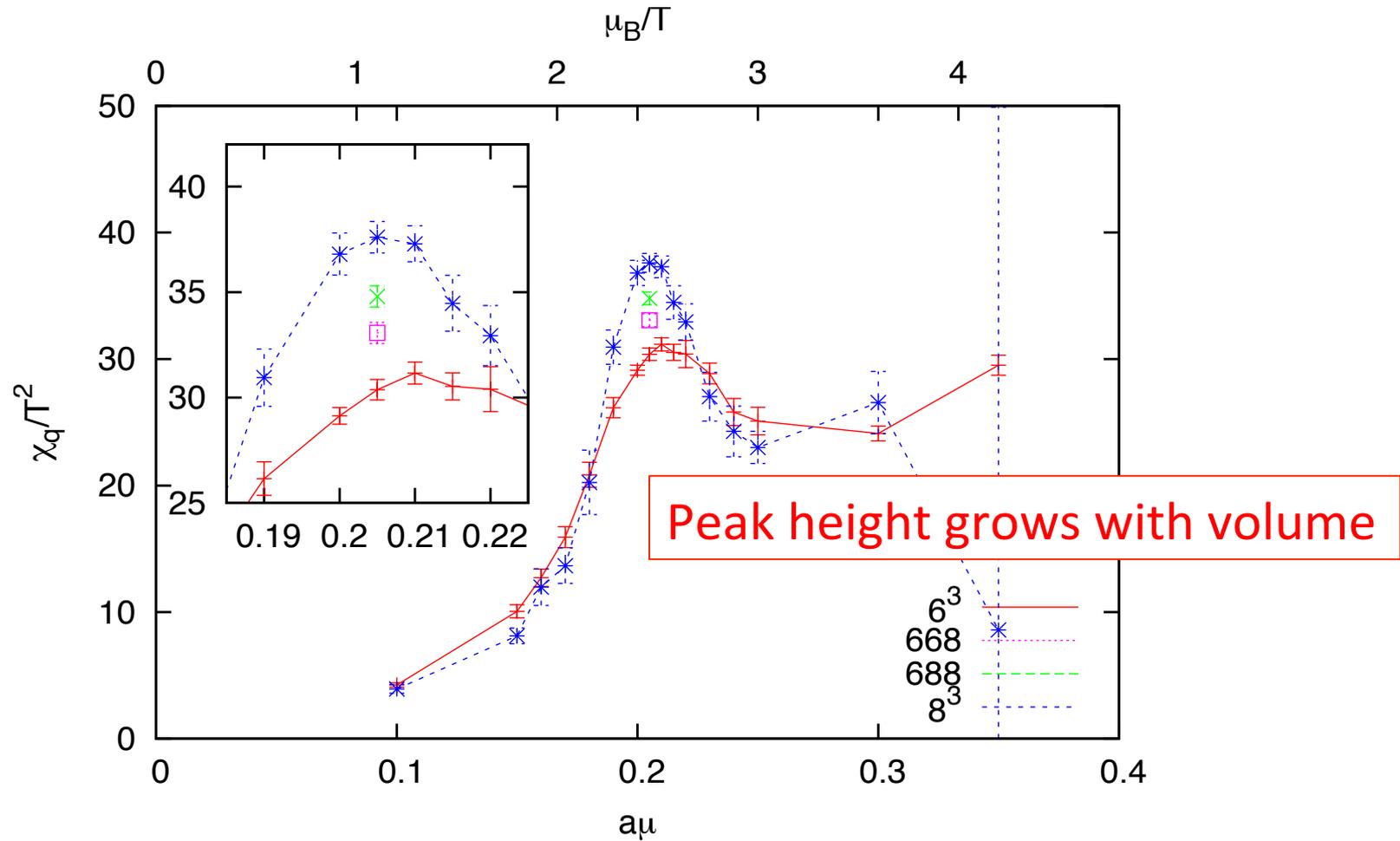


$$a\mu_c = am_\pi/2 \sim 0.7$$

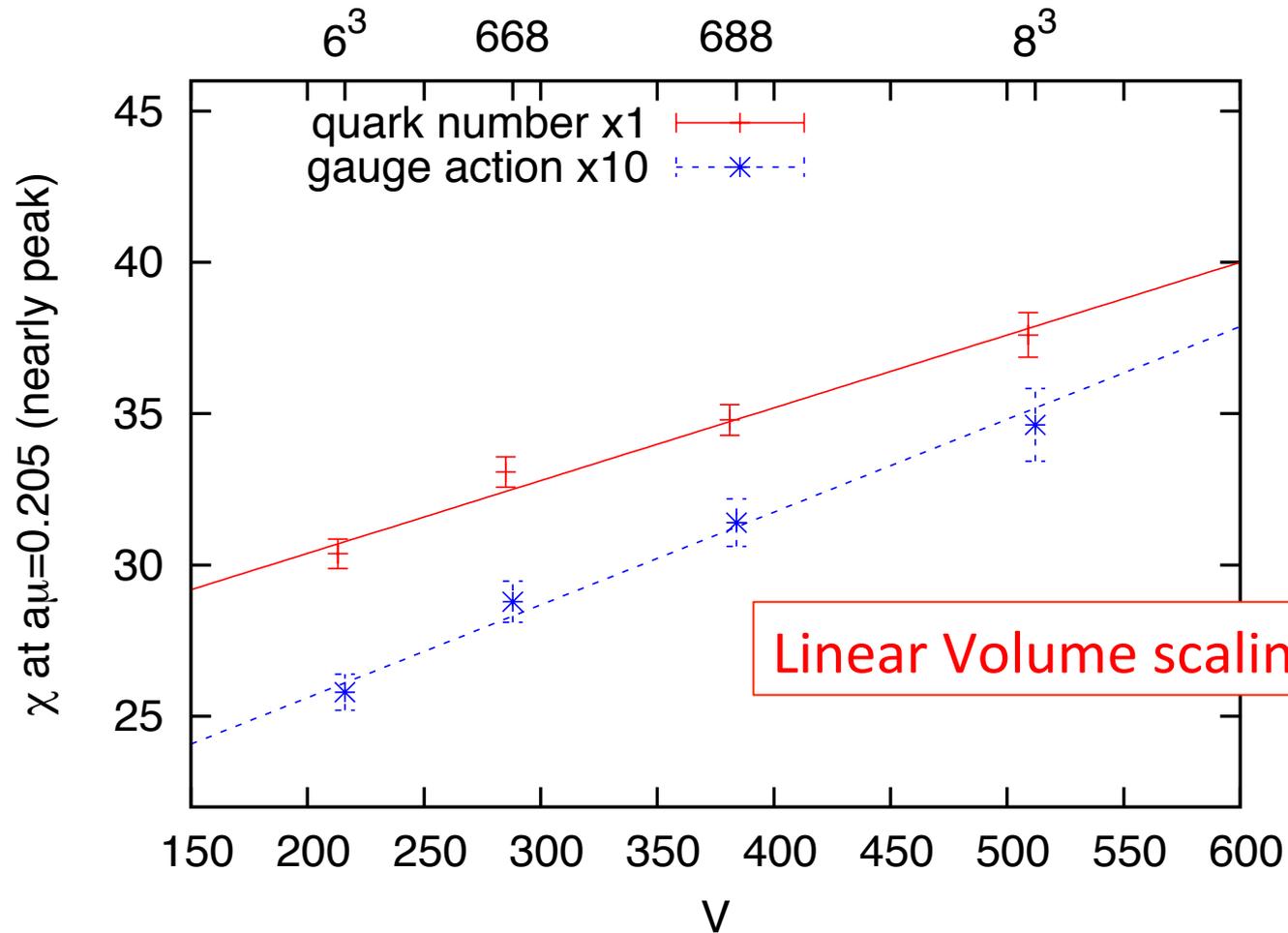
# Quark Number density



# Susceptibility of quark number

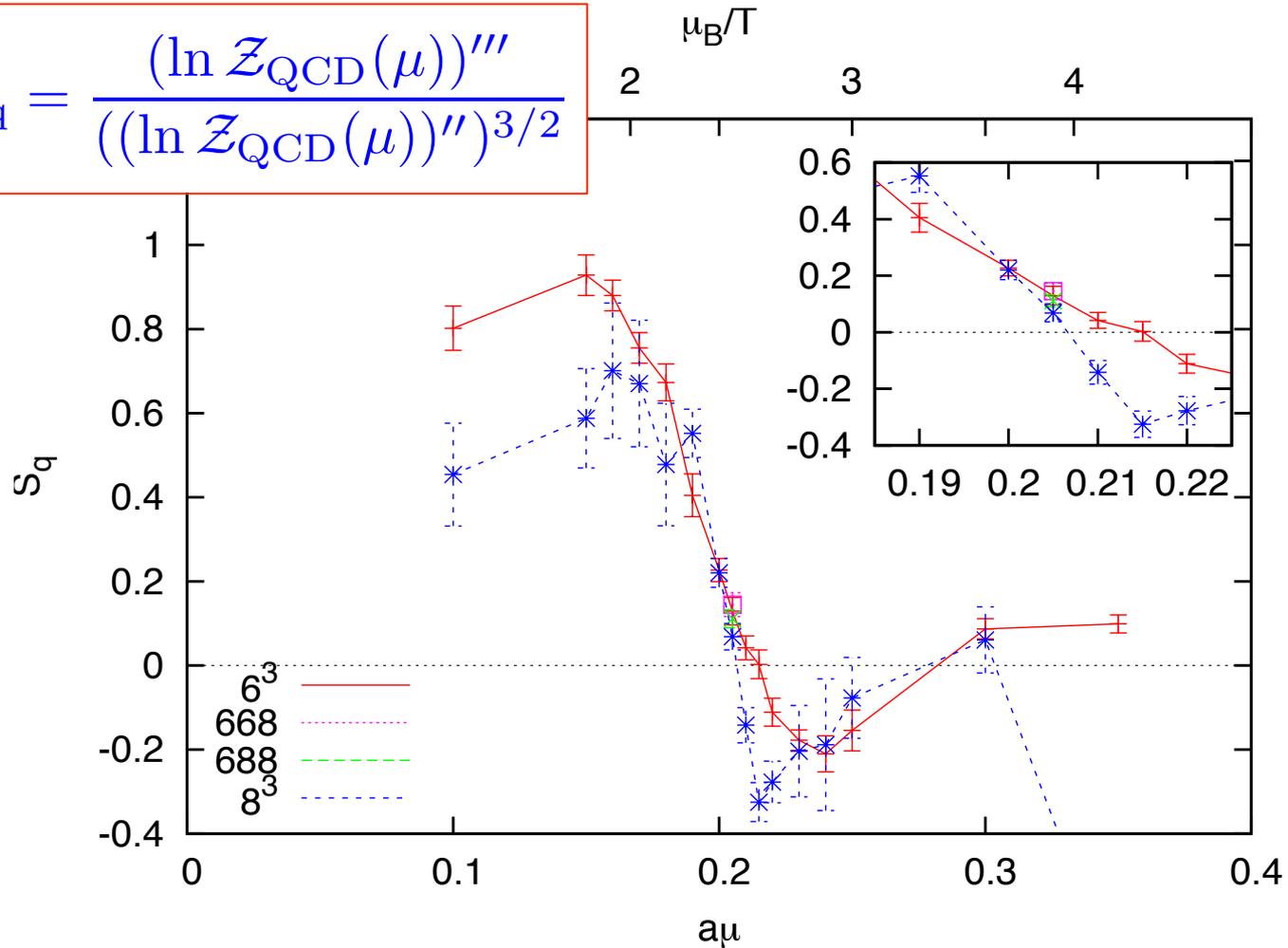


# Volume scaling for peak of susceptibility



# Skewness for quark number

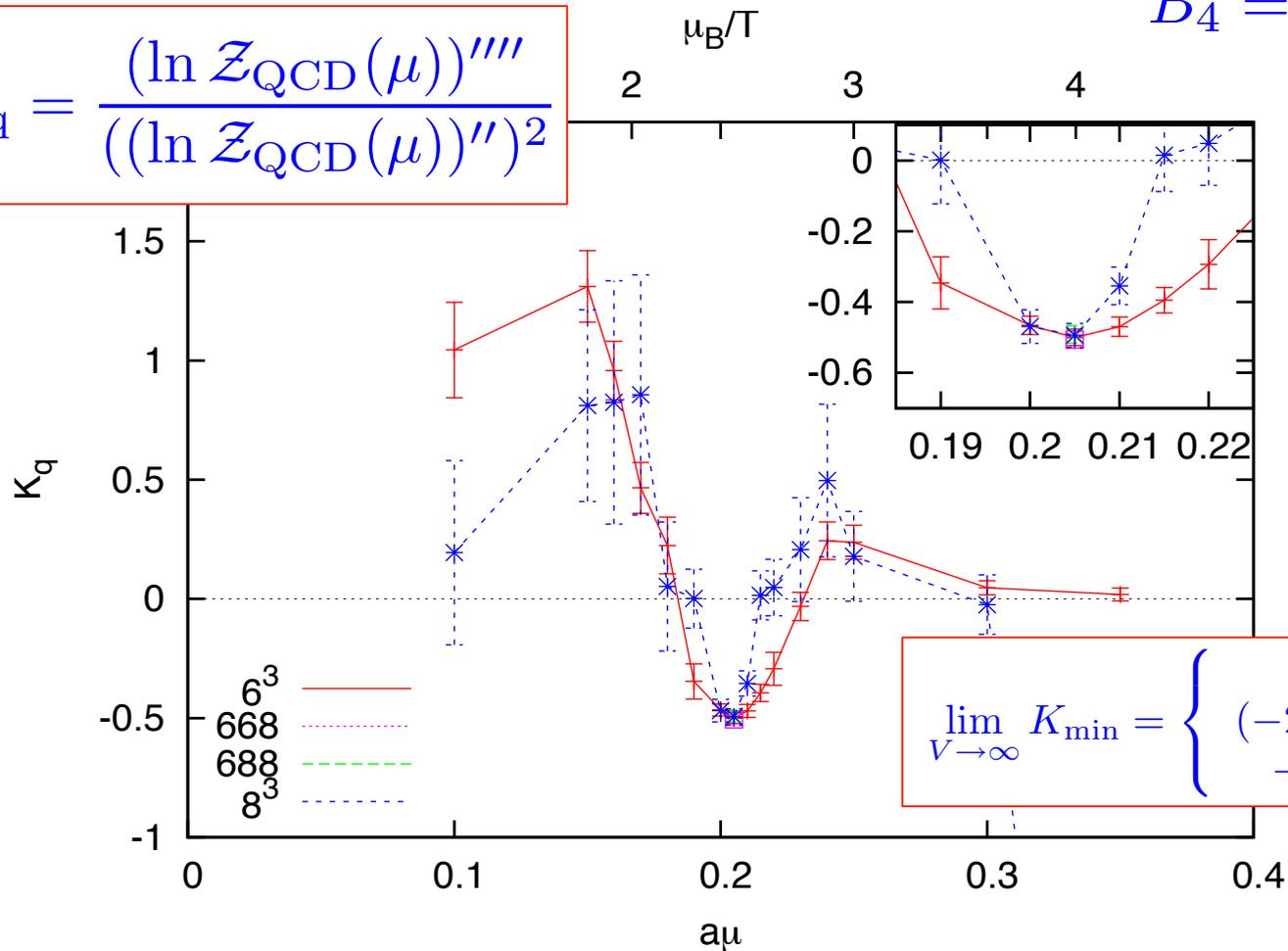
$$S_q = \frac{(\ln \mathcal{Z}_{\text{QCD}}(\mu))'''}{((\ln \mathcal{Z}_{\text{QCD}}(\mu))'')^{3/2}}$$



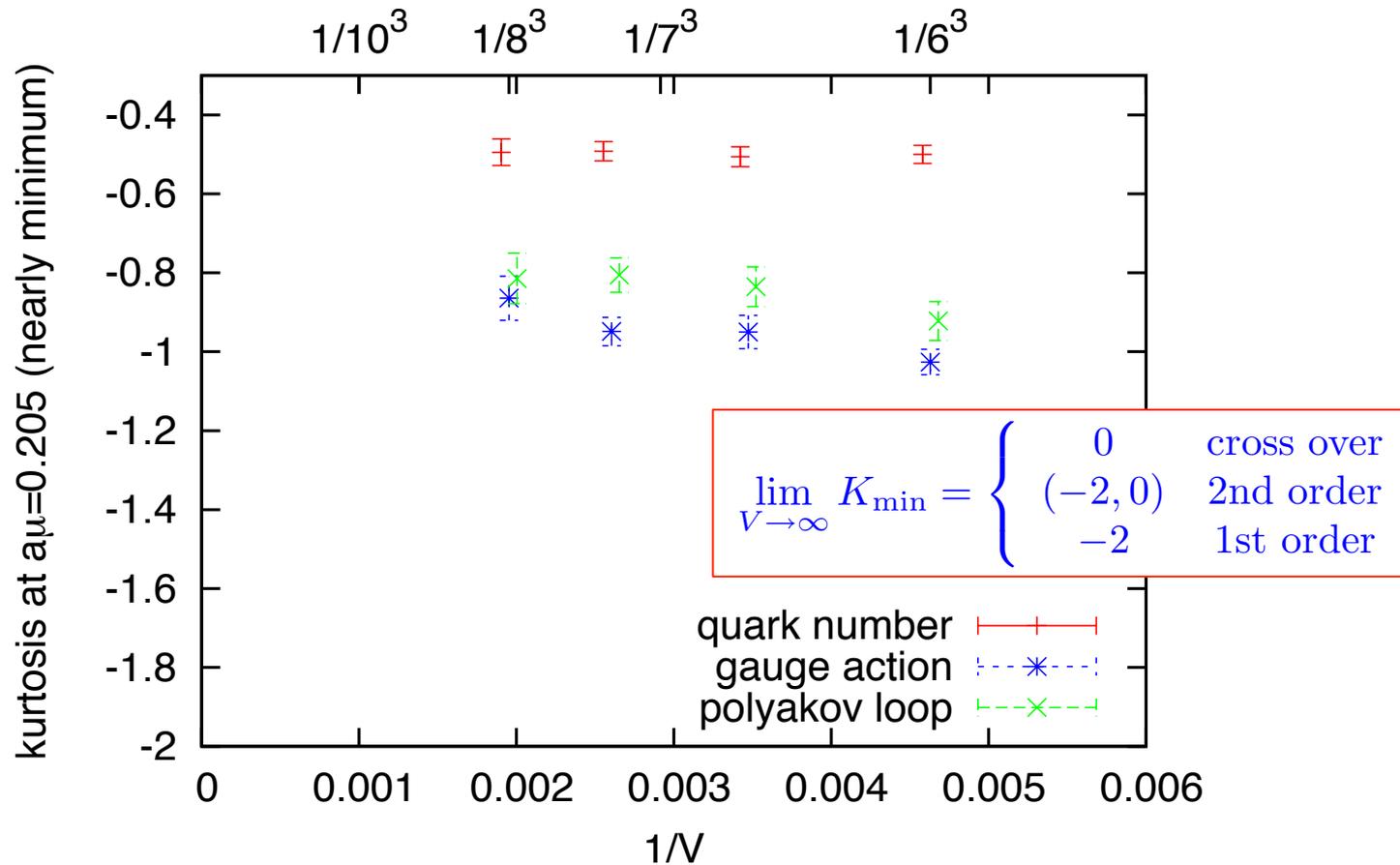
# Kurtosis for quark number

$$B_4 = K + 3$$

$$K_q = \frac{(\ln \mathcal{Z}_{\text{QCD}}(\mu))''''}{((\ln \mathcal{Z}_{\text{QCD}}(\mu))'')^2}$$



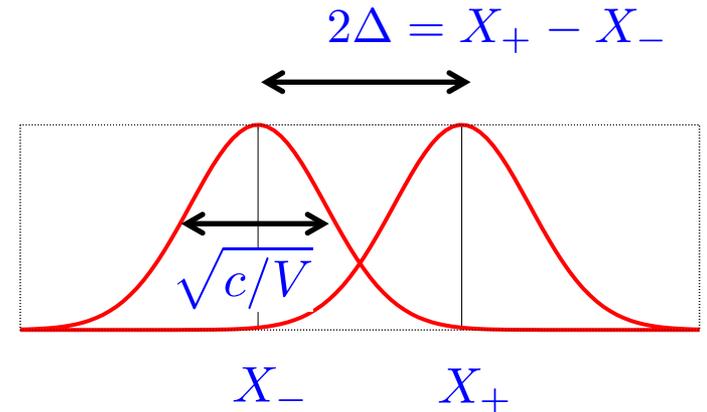
# Scaling for the minimum of kurtosis



# Distribution argument

- For a double peak distribution

$$P(x) \propto e^{-\frac{(x-X_-)^2}{2c/V}} + e^{-\frac{(x+X_+)^2}{2c/V}}$$



- Susceptibility & Kurtosis are given by

$$\chi = c + \Delta^2 V$$

For our case,  $\frac{c}{\Delta^2} \sim V$

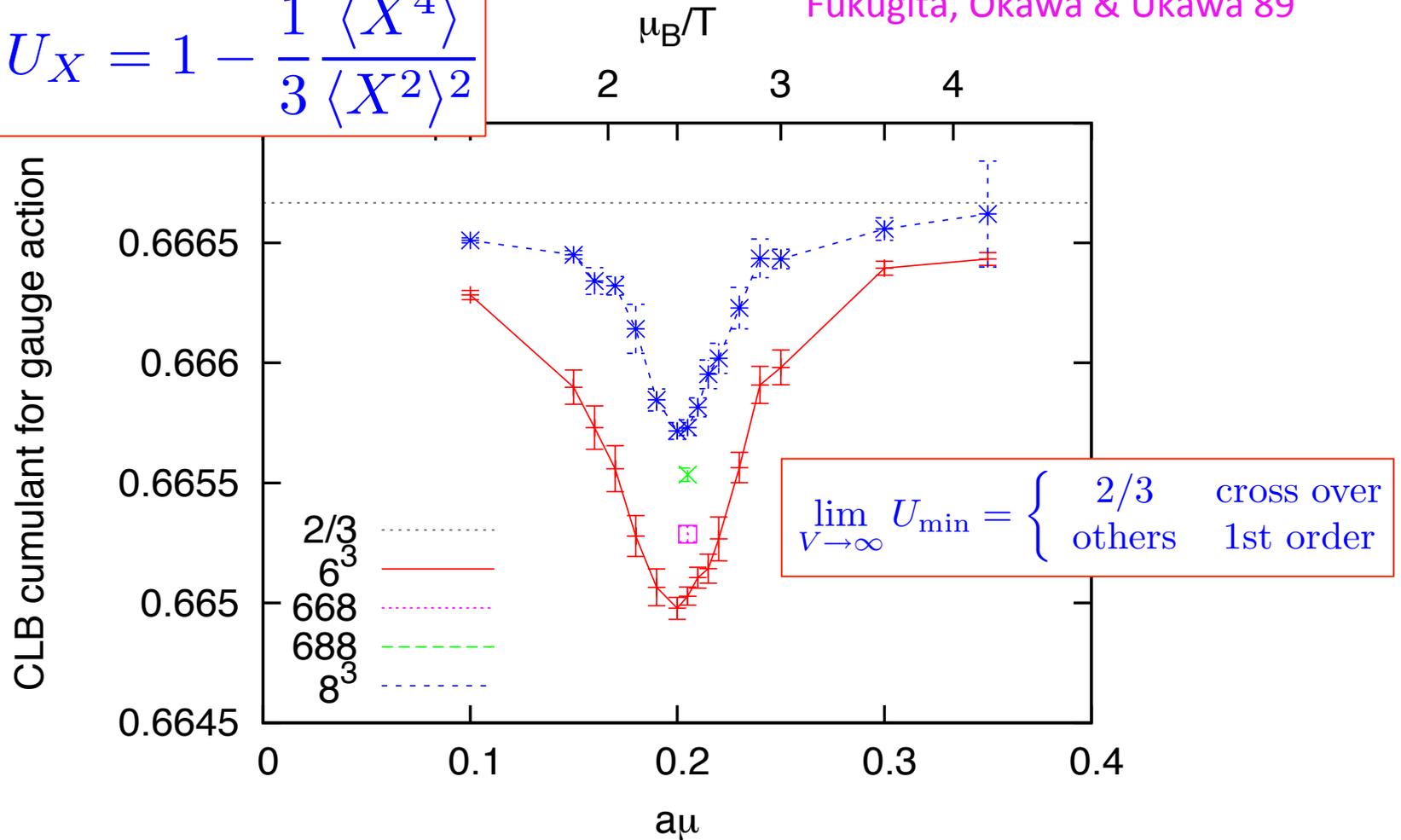
$$K = \frac{-2}{\left(1 + \frac{c}{\Delta^2} \frac{1}{V}\right)^2} = -2 \left[ 1 - \frac{2c}{\Delta^2} \frac{1}{V} + O(V^{-2}) \right]$$

# Challa Landau Binder cumulant

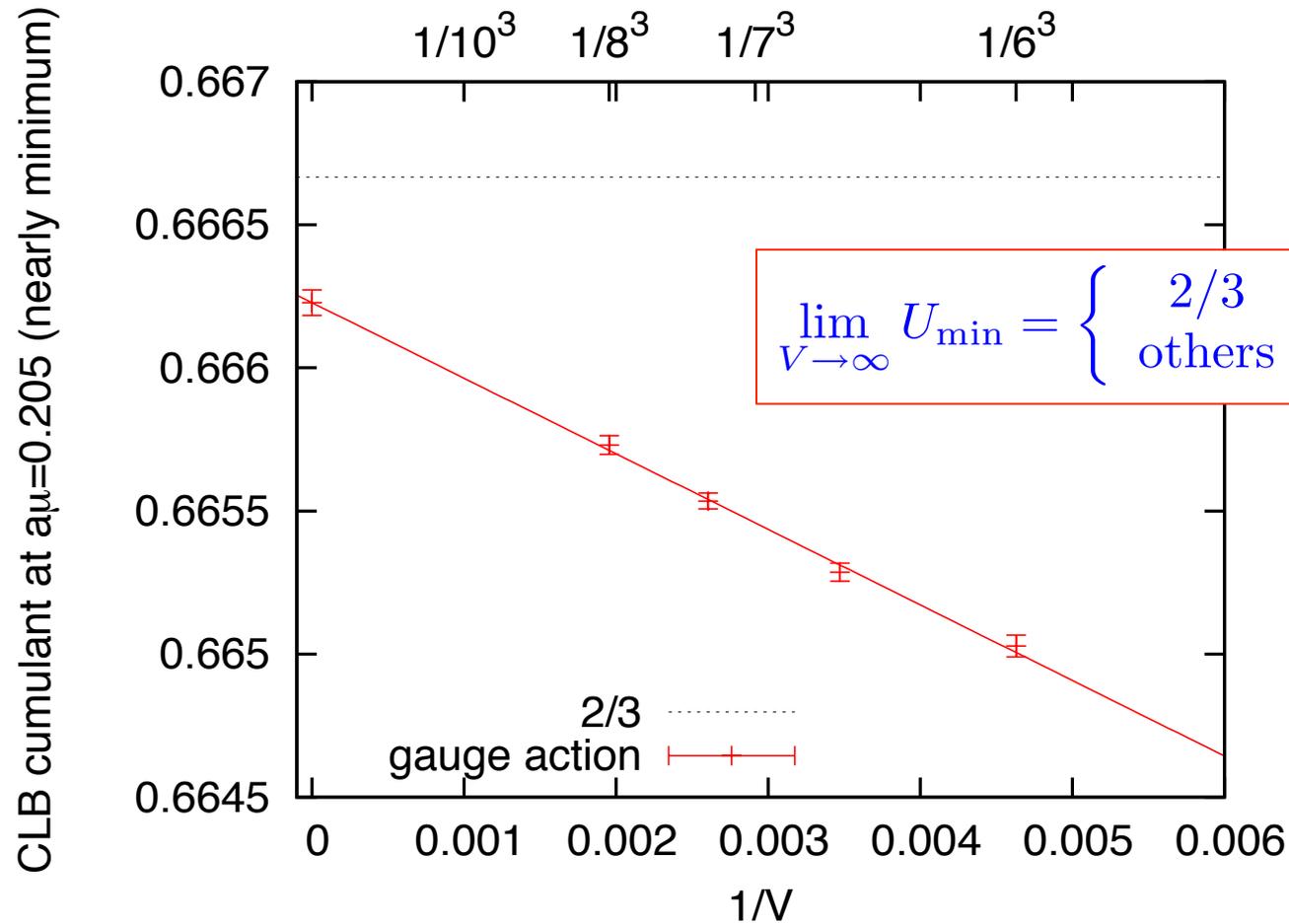
Challa, Landau & Binder 86

Fukugita, Okawa & Ukawa 89

$$U_X = 1 - \frac{1}{3} \frac{\langle X^4 \rangle}{\langle X^2 \rangle^2}$$



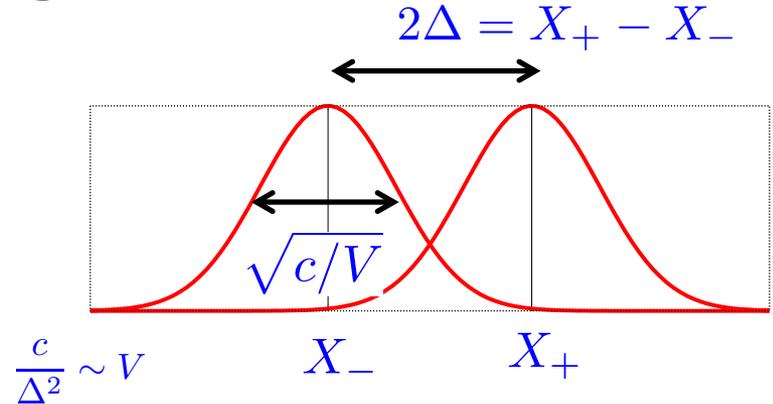
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- Kurtosis & CLB are given by

$$K \equiv \frac{\langle (x - \langle x \rangle)^4 \rangle}{\langle (x - \langle x \rangle)^2 \rangle^2} - 3 = -2 \left[ 1 - \frac{2c}{\Delta^2} \frac{1}{V} + O\left(\left(\frac{c}{\Delta^2} \frac{1}{V}\right)^2\right) \right]$$

$$X = \frac{1}{2}(X_+ + X_-)$$

$$U \equiv 1 - \frac{\langle x^4 \rangle}{3\langle x^2 \rangle^2} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{X^4 + \Delta^4}{(X^2 + \Delta^2)^2} \left[ 1 - \frac{2c}{X^2 + \Delta^2} \frac{1}{V} + O\left(\left(\frac{c}{X^2 + \Delta^2} \frac{1}{V}\right)^2\right) \right]$$

For an observable like gauge action  $X \gg \Delta$

# Summary

Distribution argument  
can explain them

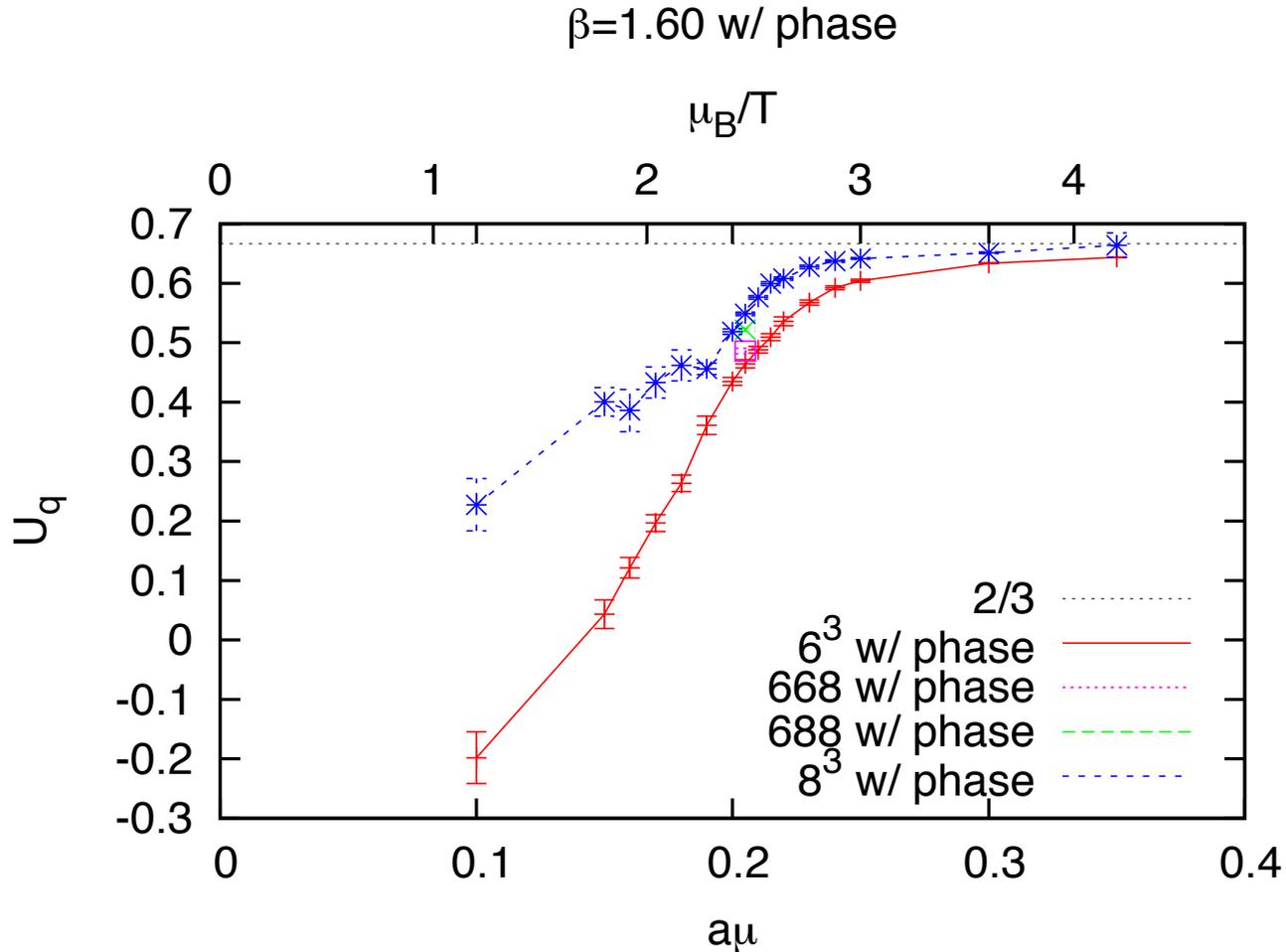
- Volume scaling
  - **Susceptibility** : linear volume scaling is observed
  - **Kurtosis** : volume is too small to see  $1/V$  scaling
  - **CLB cumulant** :  $1/V$  scaling is clearly observed
- At this parameter set (pion mass=830MeV,  $T=150\text{MeV}$ ,  $\mu_B=300\text{MeV}$ ), transition is consistent with **1<sup>st</sup> order**

## Future

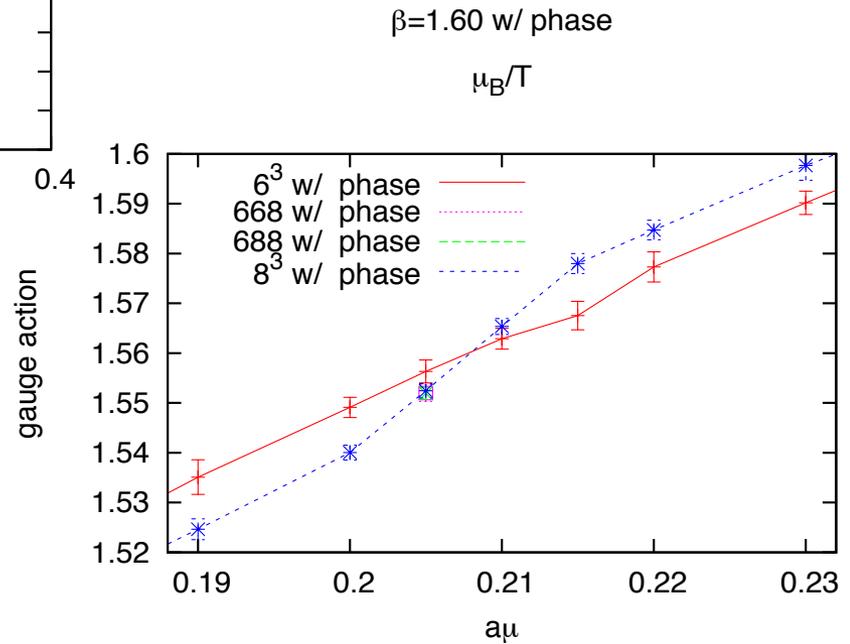
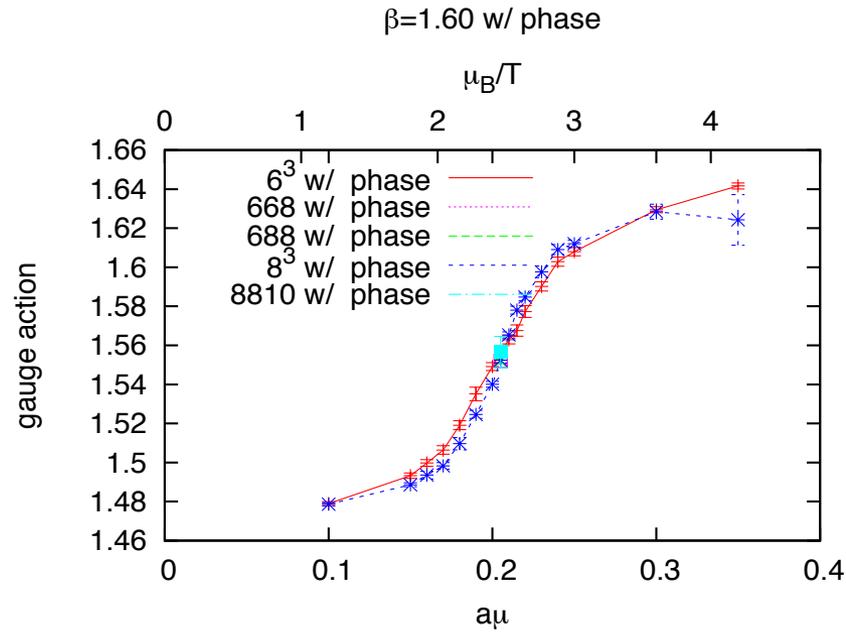
- Further refined **analysis** (identifying a transition point precisely by  $\mu$ -reweighting) to consolidate the above conclusion
- **Lee-Yang zero analysis**
- **3-flavor / 2+1-flavor** study

**BACK UP SLIDES**

# CLB cumulant for quark number

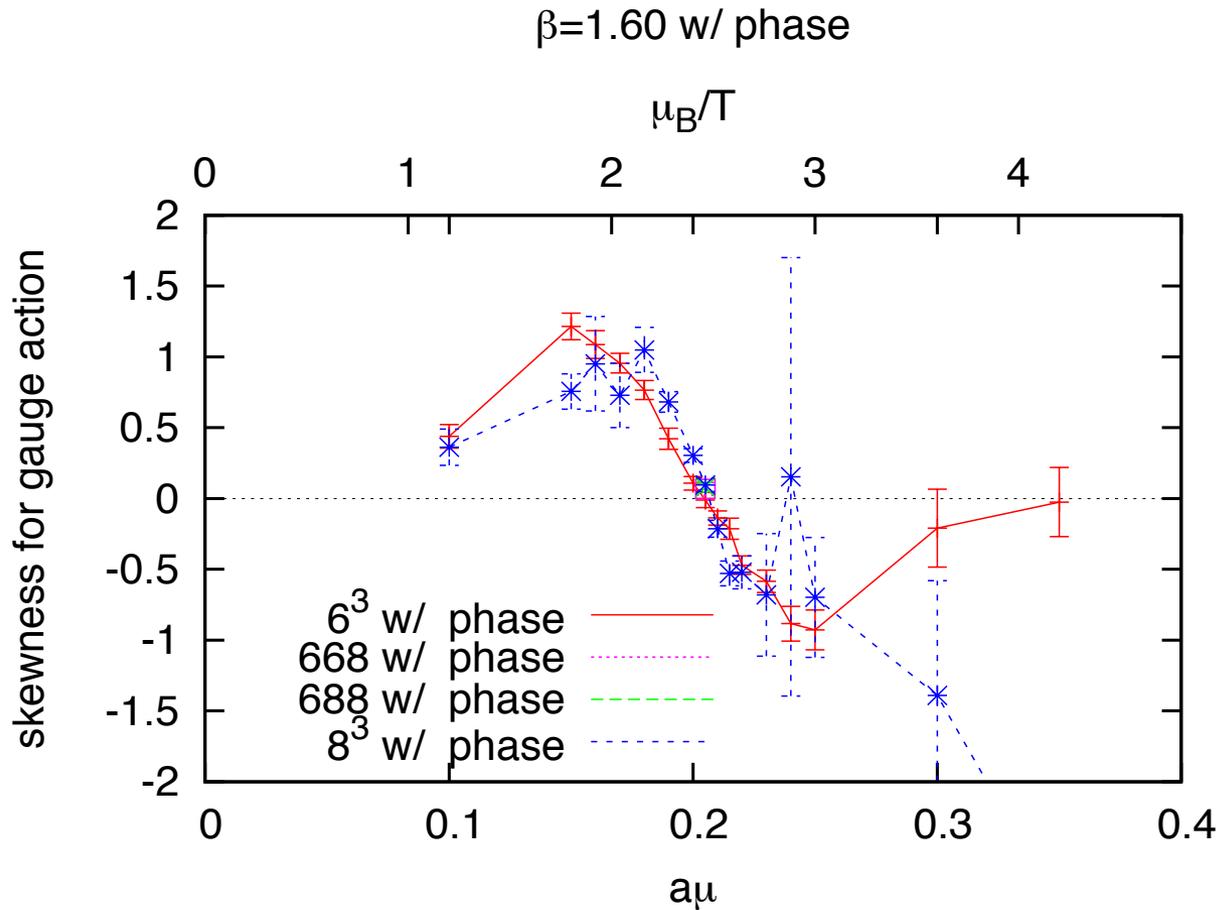


# Gauge action



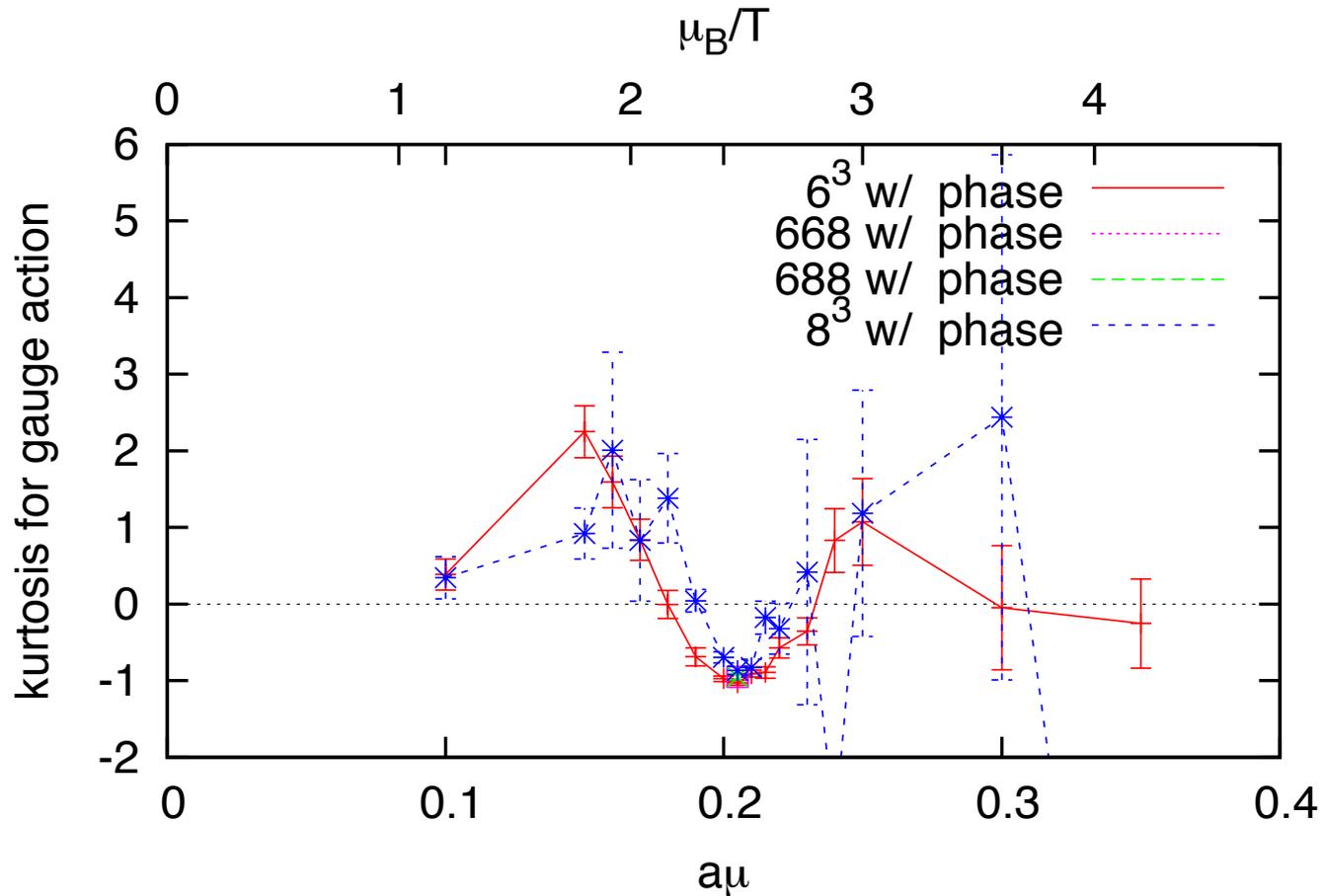


# Skewness of gauge action

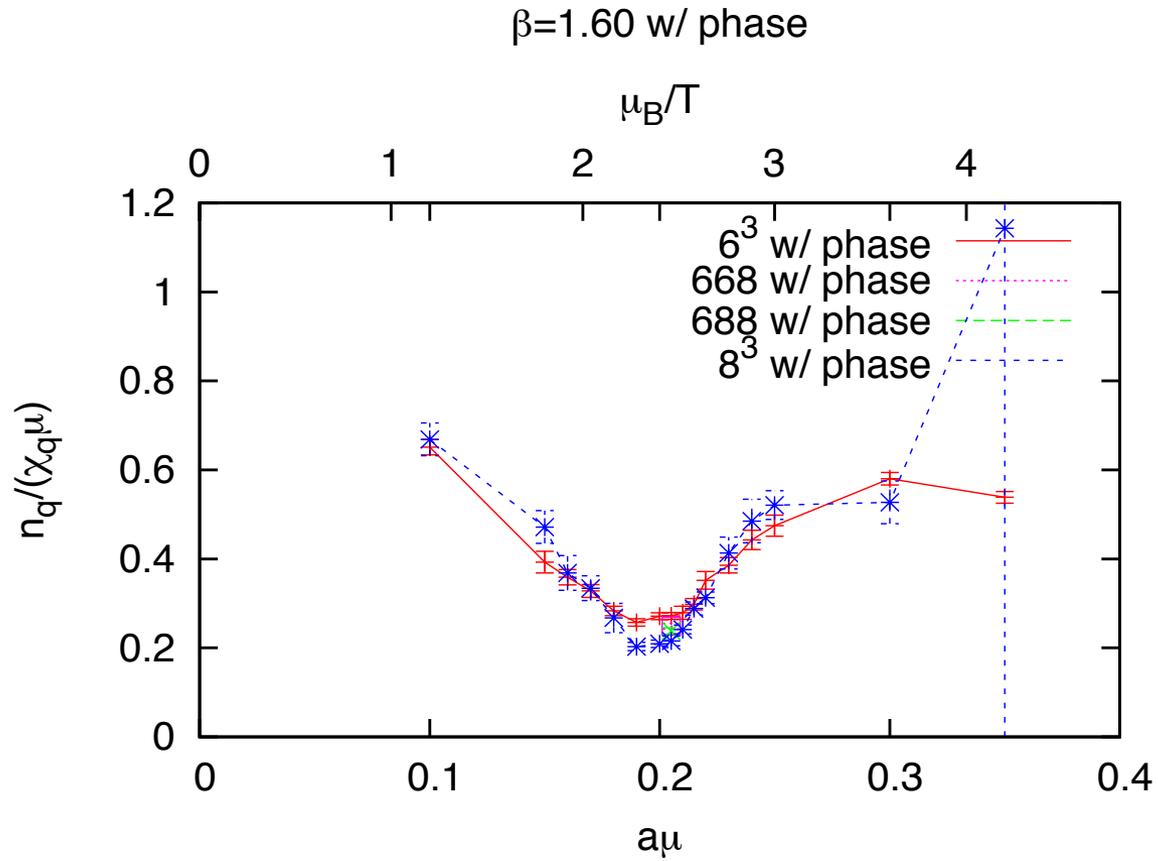


# Kurtosis of gauge action

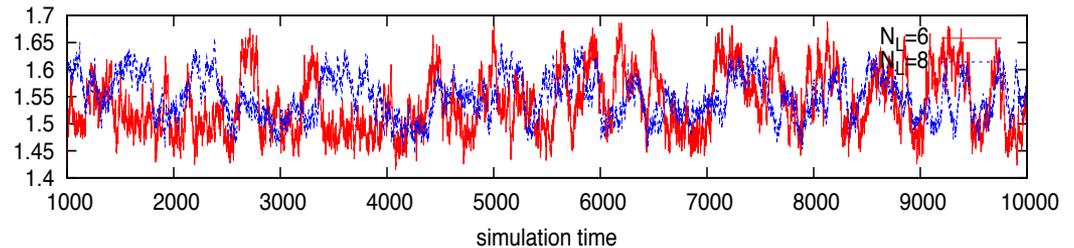
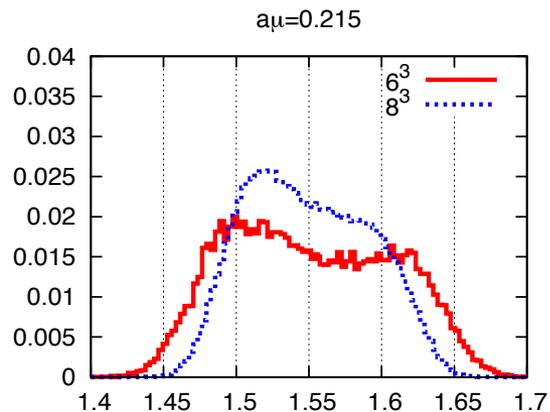
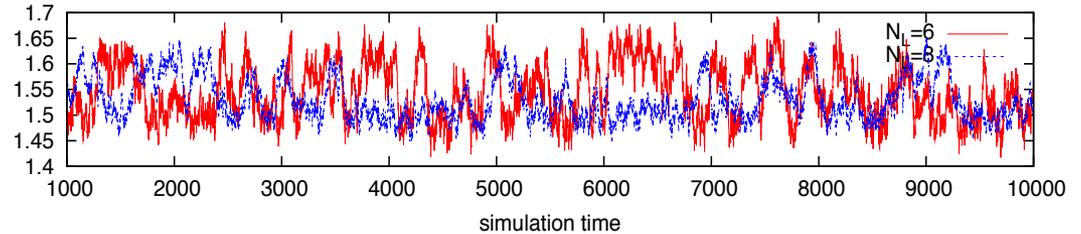
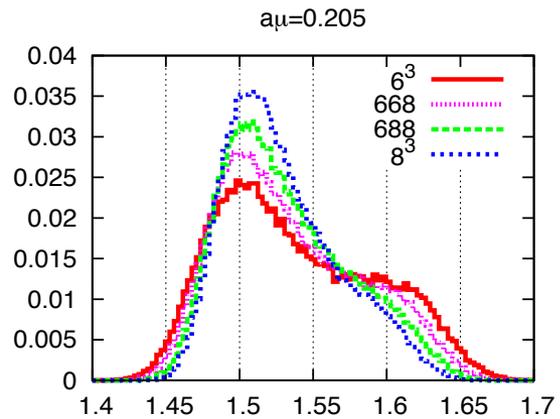
$\beta=1.60$  w/ phase



# Ratio

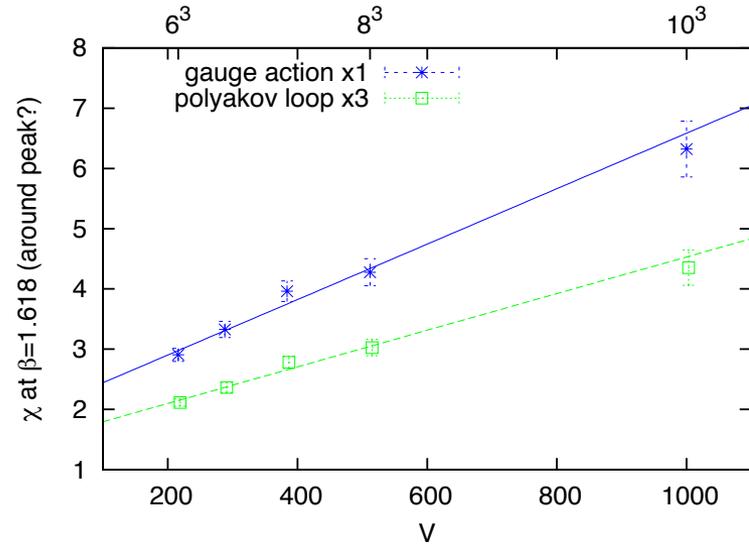
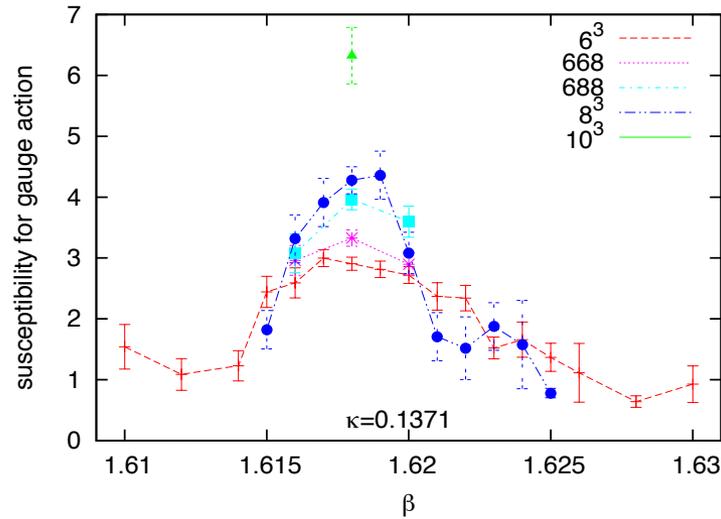


# History & histogram of gauge action on the phase quenched configuration



# Finite temperature transition ( $\mu=0$ )

$N_T=4$



Preliminary!

# Constant physics with rescaling cut off

Constant physics

$$\begin{aligned} T &= 1/aN_T \\ \mu & \\ V &= L^3 = (aN_L)^3 \\ m & \end{aligned}$$

Rescaling by factor b

$$\begin{aligned} a &\longrightarrow a/b \\ a\mu &\longrightarrow a\mu/b \\ N_T &\longrightarrow bN_T \\ N_L &\longrightarrow bN_L \\ \kappa &\longrightarrow \kappa' \approx \kappa(am \longrightarrow am/b) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\text{Bound of } |\theta|_{\text{after}}}{\text{Bound of } |\theta|_{\text{before}}} &= \frac{12(bN_L)^3 (2\kappa')^{bN_T} \sinh(\mu/T)}{12(N_L)^3 (2\kappa)^{N_T} \sinh(\mu/T)} \\ &= b^3 (2\kappa)^{N_T(b-1)} \end{aligned}$$

# Reduction

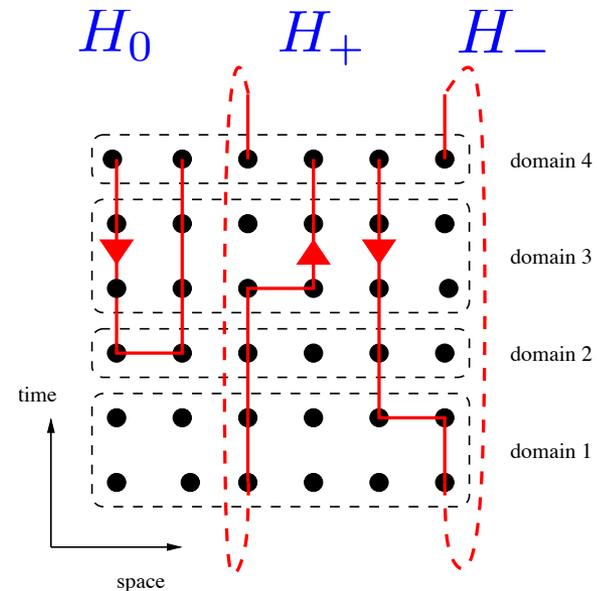
$$\det \begin{bmatrix} A & B \\ C & D \end{bmatrix} = \det[A] \det[D] \det[1 - D^{-1}CA^{-1}B],$$

$$\det D(\mu) = A_0 \det[1 - H_0 - e^{\mu/T} H_+ - e^{-\mu/T} H_-]$$

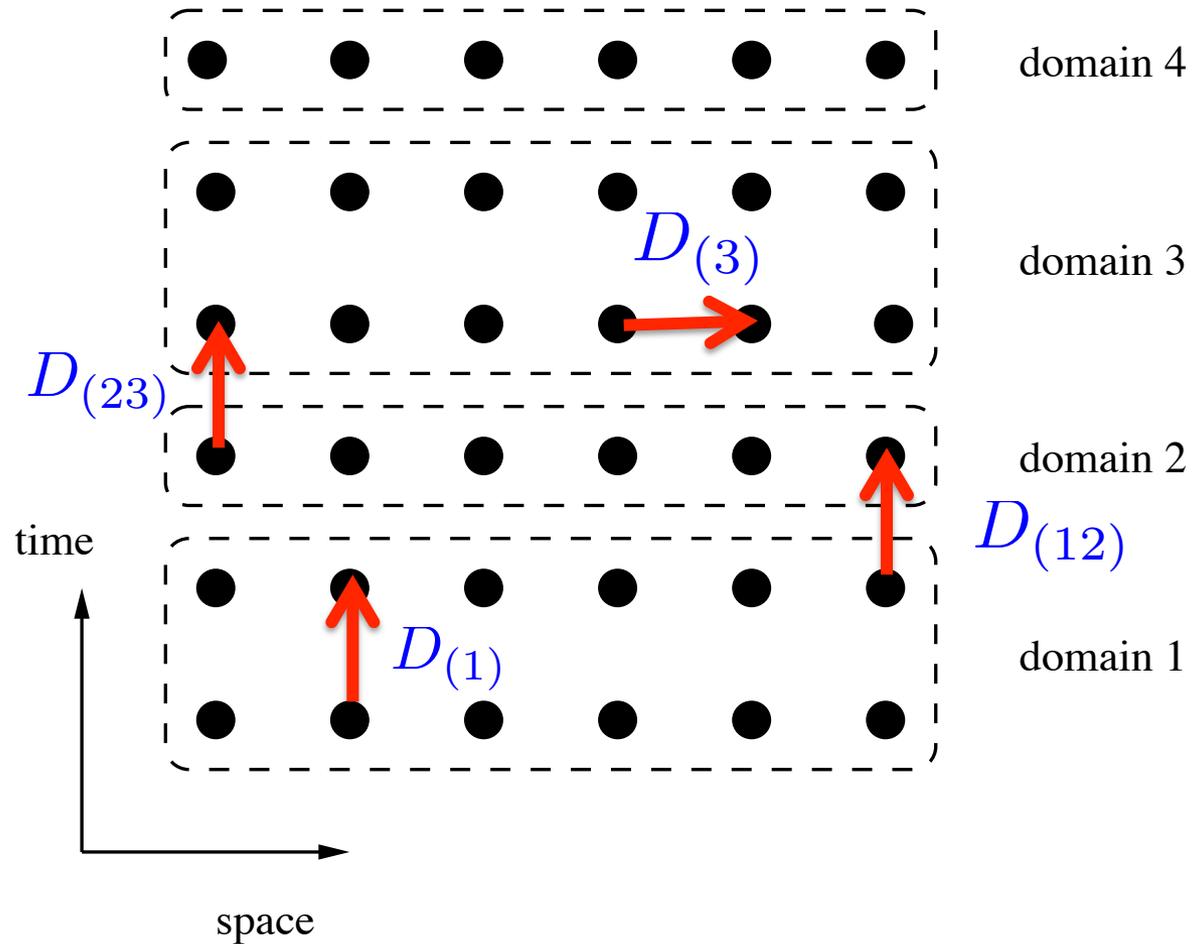
3-d operator size

$$\begin{aligned} A_0 &= \det D_{(1)} \det D_{(3)} \cdots \\ H_+ &= (D_{(4)} - D_{(41)}D_{(1)}^{-1}D_{(14)} - D_{(43)}D_{(3)}^{-1}D_{(34)})^{-1} \\ &\quad \times D_{(41)}D_{(1)}^{-1}D_{(12)} \\ &\quad \times (D_{(2)} - D_{(21)}D_{(1)}^{-1}D_{(12)} - D_{(23)}D_{(3)}^{-1}D_{(32)})^{-1} \\ &\quad \times D_{(23)}D_{(3)}^{-1}D_{(34)} \\ H_- &= \dots \\ H_0 &= \dots \end{aligned}$$

$\mu$ -independent



# Domain decomposition



# Exact calculation of Quark Number

$$n_q \propto \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \ln Z_{\text{QCD}}(\mu)$$

$$\det D(\mu) \propto \det \left( 1 - \sum_{i=\pm,0} e^{i\mu/T} H_i \right)$$

$$\propto \left\langle \text{tr} \left[ \left( 1 - \sum_{i=\pm,0} e^{i\mu/T} H_i \right)^{-1} \left( e^{\mu/T} H_+ - e^{-\mu/T} H_- \right) \right] \right\rangle$$

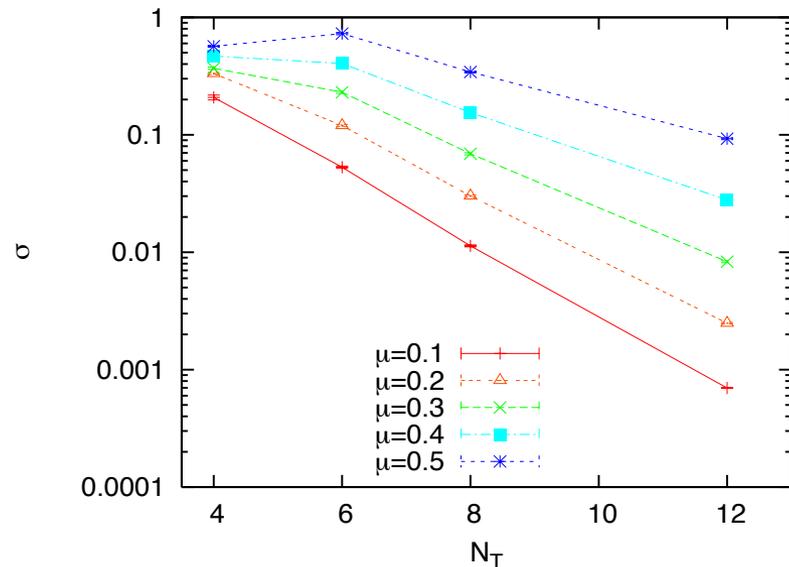
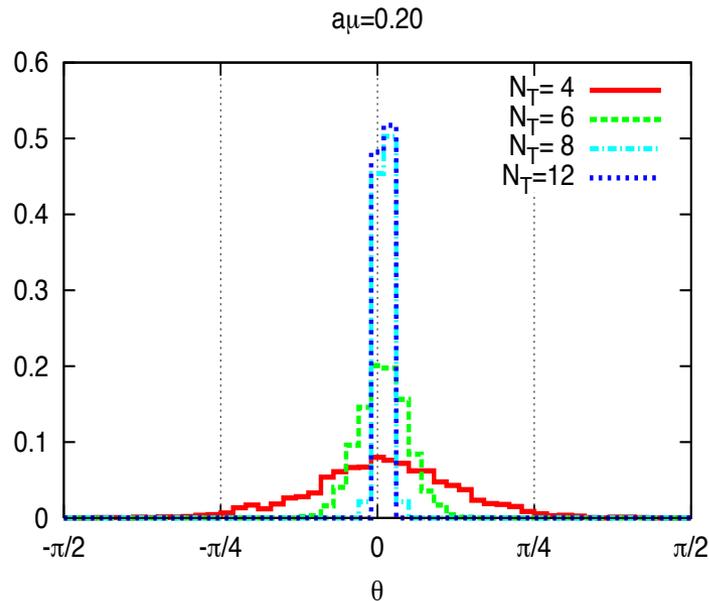
- Once  $H_{+,-,0}$  are calculated, we can obtain **phase, Quark Number & Susceptibility exactly**
- For the computation of  $H_{+,-,0}$  Matrix-Matrix product and inverse matrix whose rank is  $12N_L^3$  are required **LAPACK&OpenMP**
- **Cost**  $\propto (N_L^3)^3 \times N_T$
- **Memory size**  $\propto (N_L^3)^2$  independent of  $N_T$

# Distribution of the **exact** phase

$$\theta = \arg[\det(1 - H_0 - e^{\mu/T} H_+ - e^{-\mu/T} H_-)]$$

On the same configurations as before

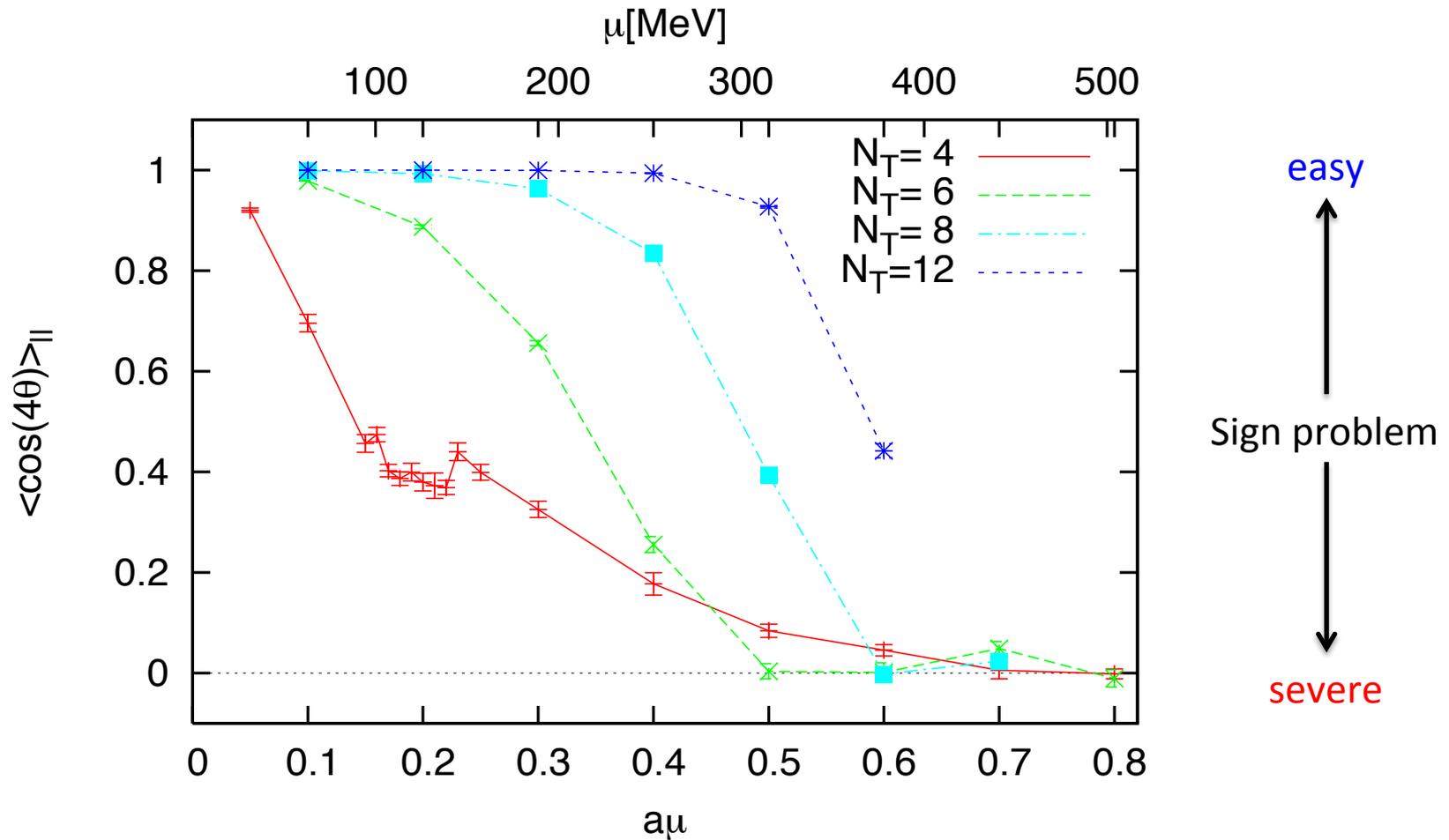
$$\text{distribution} \propto \exp\left(-\frac{\theta^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$



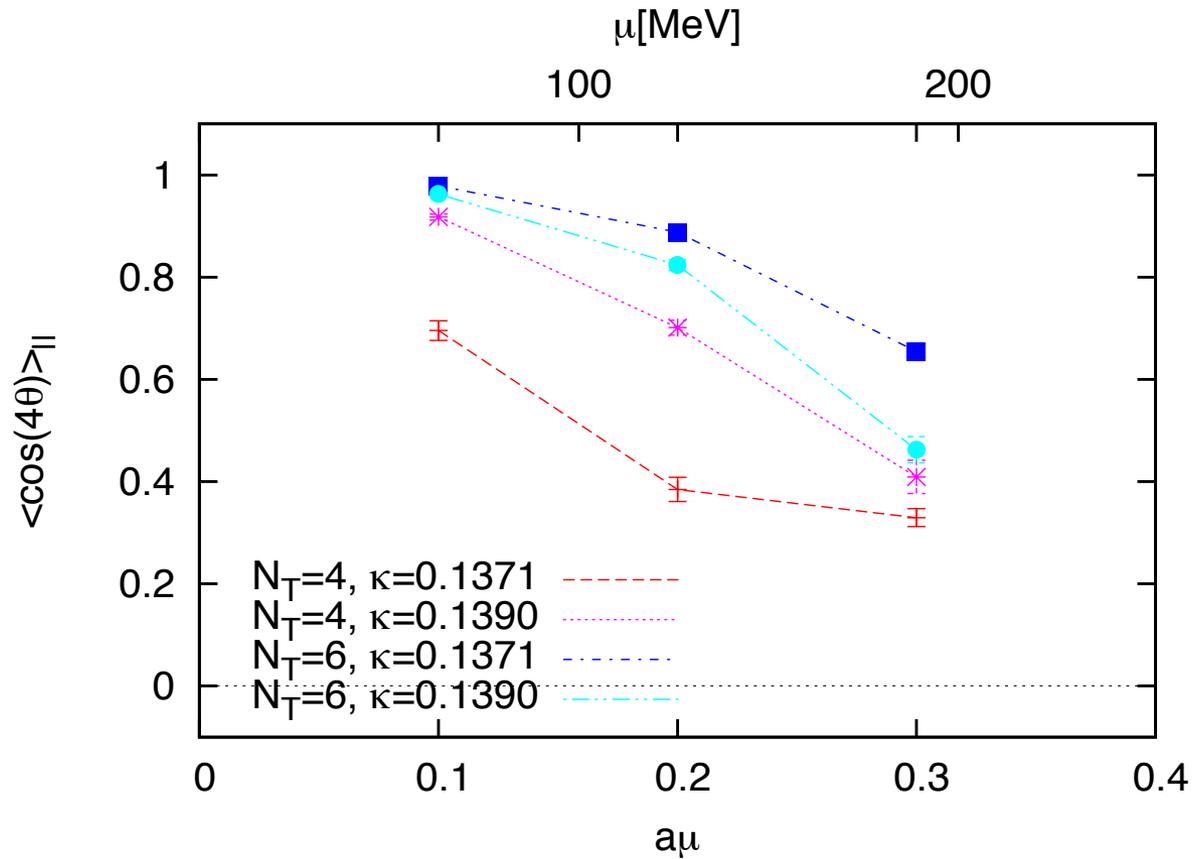
Fluctuation of the phase gets small for large  $N_T$

# Reweighting factor

On the phase quenched configurations



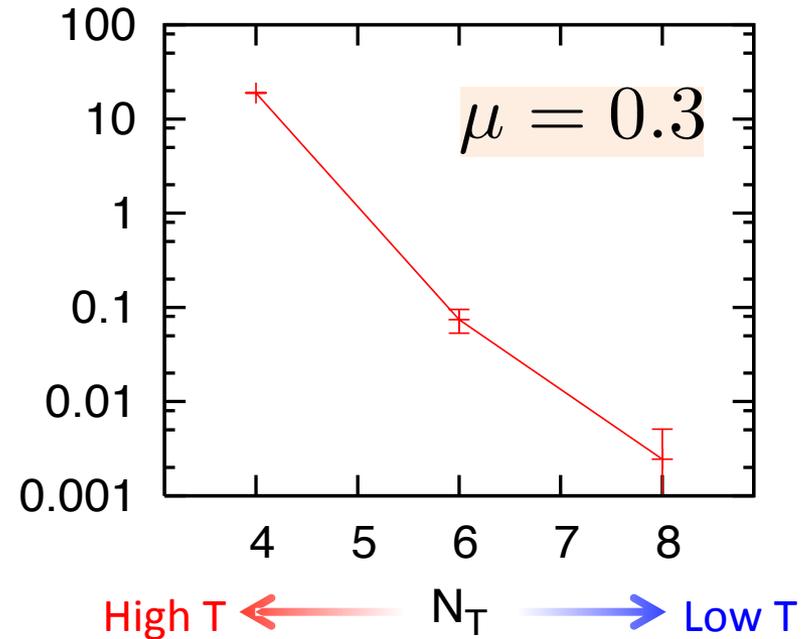
# Quark mass dependence



# $N_T$ dependence of quark number

$$\langle N_Q \rangle = \frac{\partial \ln Z_{\text{QCD}}}{\partial (\mu/T)}$$

$3\langle N_Q \rangle$



At low T, quarks are not excited  
therefore sign problem gets weak?