

# 高温高密度での格子QCDシミュレーション

Lattice QCD Simulations at High Temperature and Density

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「状態密度法による有限密度QCDの計算方法の開発」

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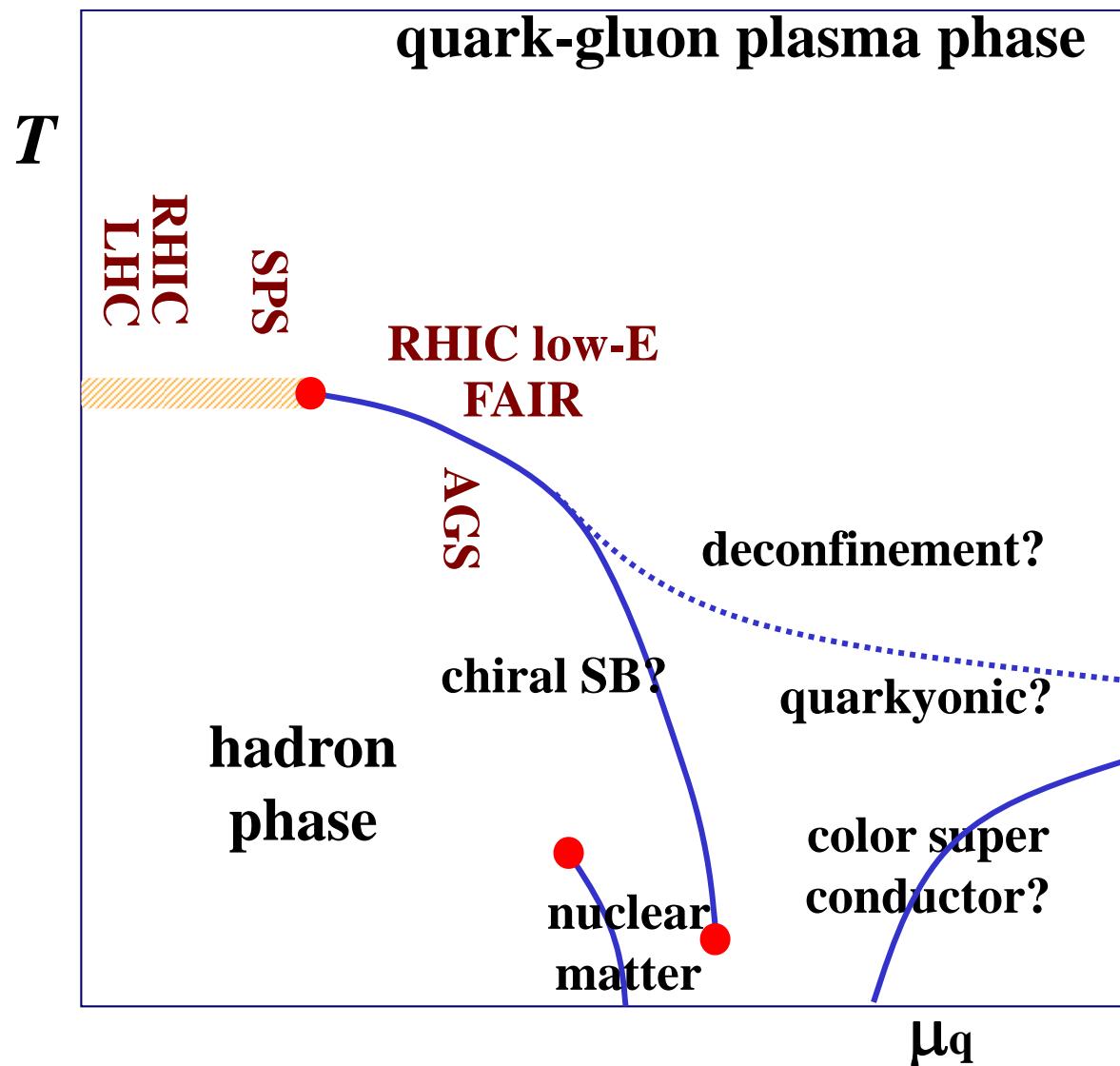
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# Phase structure of QCD at high temperature and density

## Lattice QCD Simulations

- Phase transition lines
- Equation of state
- Direct simulation:  
Impossible at  $\mu \neq 0$ .



# Problems in simulations at $\mu \neq 0$

- Problem of Complex Determinant at  $\mu \neq 0$ 
  - Boltzmann weight: complex at  $\mu \neq 0$ 
    - Configurations cannot be generated.
    - Monte-Carlo method is not applicable.
- Density of state method (Histogram method)  
 $X$ : order parameters, total quark number, average plaquette etc.

$$Z(m, T, \mu) = \int dX \underbrace{W(X, m, T, \mu)}_{\text{histogram}}$$

$$W(X', m, T, \mu) \equiv \int DU \delta(X - X') (\det M(m, \mu))^{N_f} e^{-S_g}$$

- Expectation values

$$\langle O[X] \rangle_{(m, T, \mu)} = \frac{1}{Z} \int dX O[X] W(X, m, T, \mu)$$

# Equation of State

- Integral method

- Interaction measure

$$\frac{\varepsilon - 3p}{T^4} = -\frac{1}{VT^3} \frac{\partial \ln Z}{\partial \ln a},$$

computed by plaquette (1x1 Wilson loop)  $\langle P \rangle$  and the derivative of  $\det M$ .

- Pressure at  $\mu \neq 0$

$$\frac{p}{T^4}(\mu) - \frac{p}{T^4}(0) = \frac{1}{VT^3} \ln \left( \frac{Z(\mu)}{Z(0)} \right) = \left( \frac{N_t}{N_s} \right)^3 \ln \left\langle \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(0)} \right\rangle_{\mu=0}$$

- Calculation of  $\langle P \rangle$  and  $\langle \det M(\mu)/\det M(0) \rangle$  : required.

# Distribution function for Equation of state

$$W(P', F', T, m, \mu) = \int DU \delta(P - P') \delta(F - F') (\det M(m, \mu))^{N_f} e^{-S_g}$$

or 
$$W(P', T, m, \mu) = \int DU \delta(P - P') (\det M(m, \mu))^{N_f} e^{-S_g}$$

$$S_g = -6N_{\text{site}}\beta P, \quad Z(m, T, \mu) = \int dP dF W(P, F, m, T, \mu)$$

$$F \equiv N_f \ln |\det M(\mu)/\det M(0)|,$$

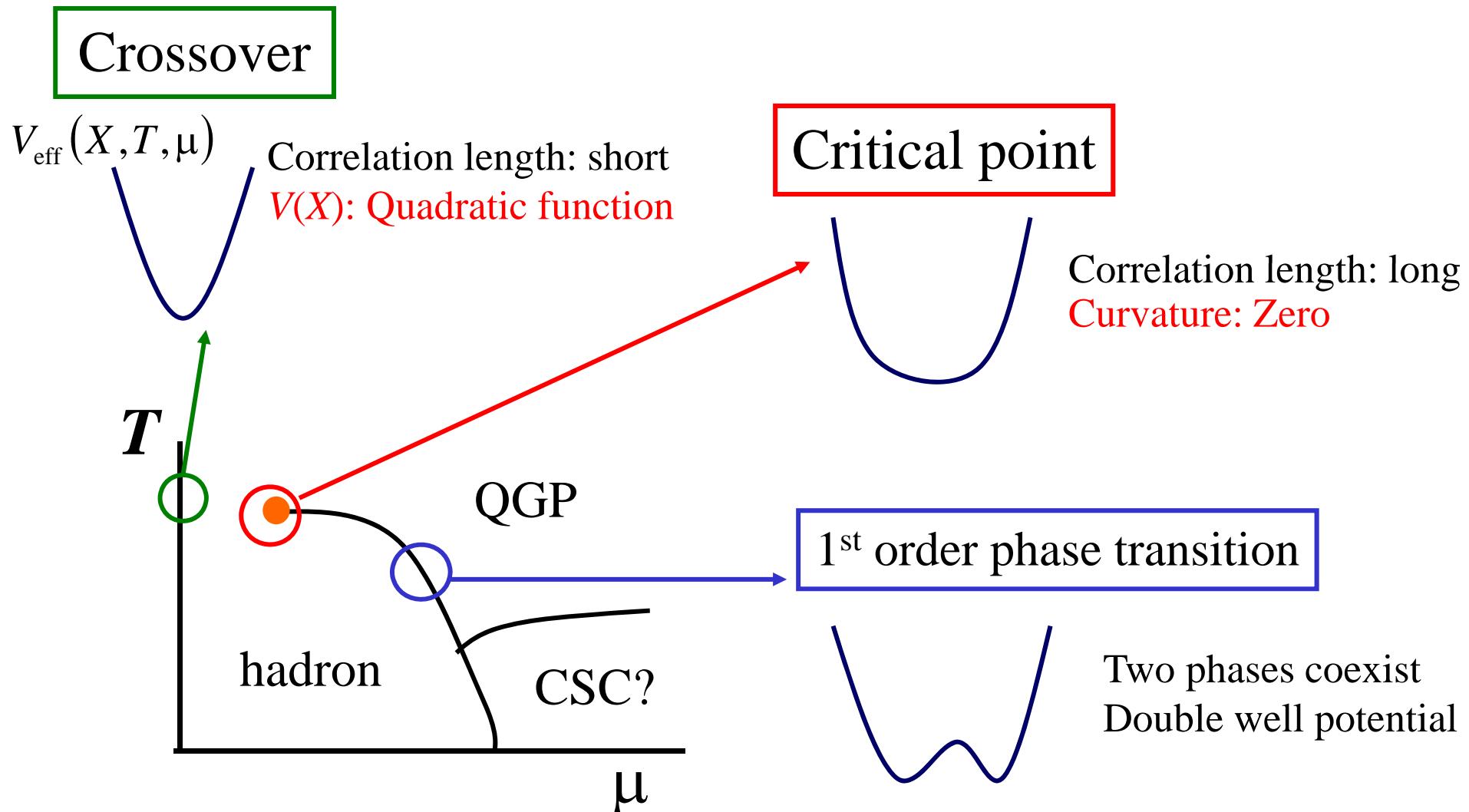
- We propose a method for the calculation of this  $W$ .
  - Overlap problem
  - Sign problem
- Once we get the pressure, we can calculate

$$\frac{n}{T^3} = \frac{\partial(P/T^4)}{\partial(\mu/T)}, \quad \frac{\chi_q}{T^3} = \frac{\partial^2(P/T^4)}{\partial(\mu/T)^2} \quad \text{etc.}$$

# $\mu$ -dependence of the effective potential

$$Z(T, \mu) = \int dX W(X, T, \mu), \quad V_{\text{eff}}(X) = -\ln W(X)$$

$X$ : order parameters, total quark number, average plaquette, quark determinant etc.



# Distribution function and Effective potential at $\mu \neq 0$

(S.E., Phys.Rev.D77, 014508(2008))

- Distributions of plaquette  $P$  (1x1 Wilson loop for the standard action)

$$\underline{\underline{W(\bar{P}, \beta, \mu) \equiv \int DU \delta(P - \bar{P}) (\det M(\mu))^{N_f} e^{-S_g}} \quad S_g = -6N_{site}\beta P}}$$

$$R(\bar{P}, \mu) \equiv \frac{W(\bar{P}, \beta, \mu)}{W(\bar{P}, \beta, 0)} = \frac{\int DU \delta(P - \bar{P}) (\det M(\mu))^{N_f}}{\int DU \delta(P - \bar{P}) (\det M(0))^{N_f}} = \frac{\left\langle \delta(P - \bar{P}) \left( \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(0)} \right)^{N_f} \right\rangle_{(\beta, \mu=0)}}{\left\langle \delta(P - \bar{P}) \right\rangle_{(\beta, \mu=0)}}$$

(Reweighting factor)

$R(P, \mu)$ : independent of  $\beta$ ,  $\rightarrow R(P, \mu)$  can be measured at any  $\beta$ .

Effective potential:

$\mu=0$  crossover

1<sup>st</sup> order phase transition?

non-singular

$$V_{\text{eff}}(P, \beta, \mu) = -\ln[R(P, \mu)W(P, \beta, 0)] = \underbrace{-\ln[W(P, \beta)]}_{+} + \underbrace{-\ln[R(P, \mu)]}_{?} = ?$$

# Effective potential at $\mu \neq 0$

$$V_{\text{eff}}(P, \beta, \mu) = -\ln W(P, \beta) - \ln R(P, \mu)$$

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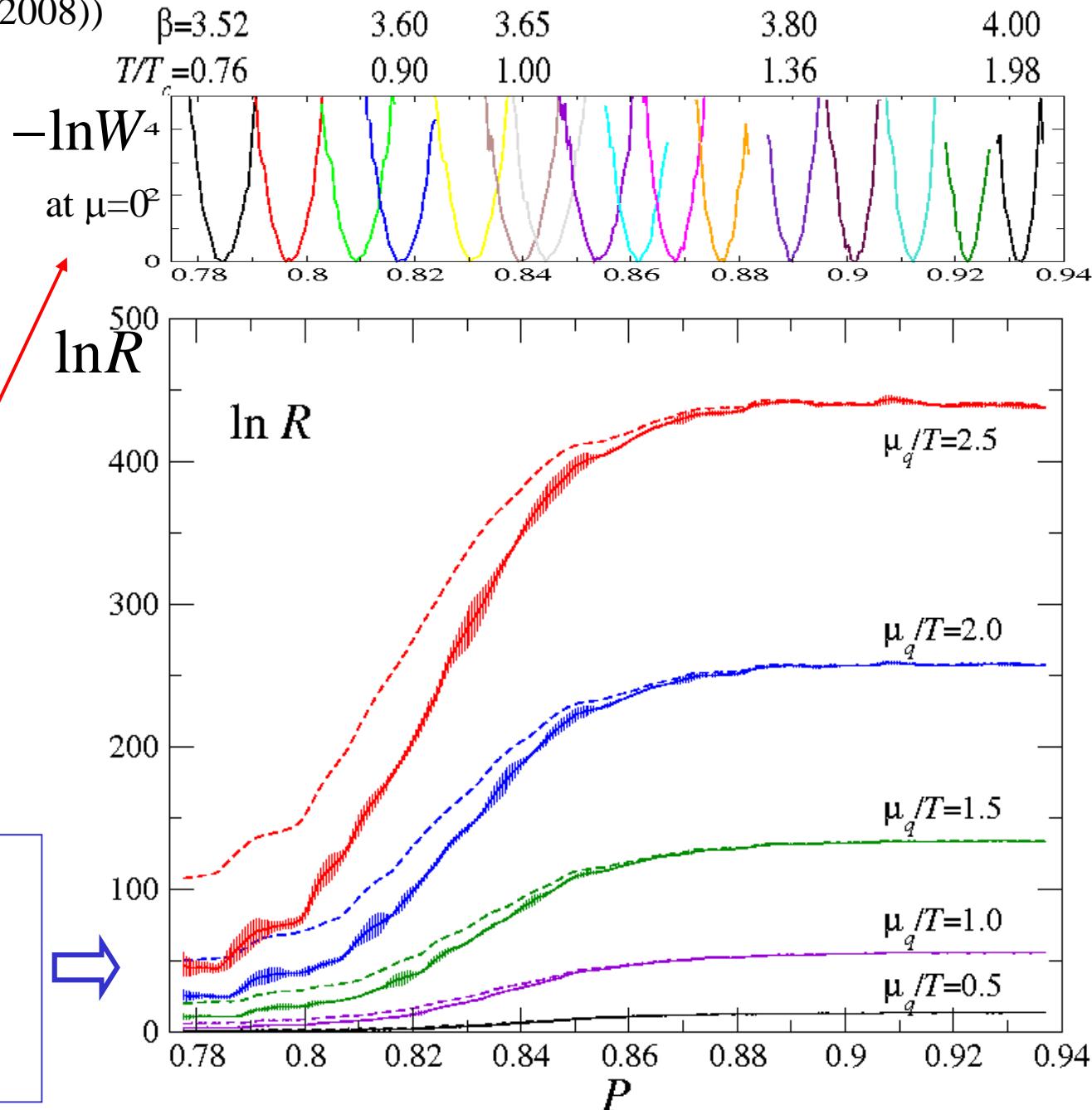
Results of  $N_f=2$  p4-staggared,  
 $m_\pi/m_\rho \approx 0.7$

[data in PRD71,054508(2005)]

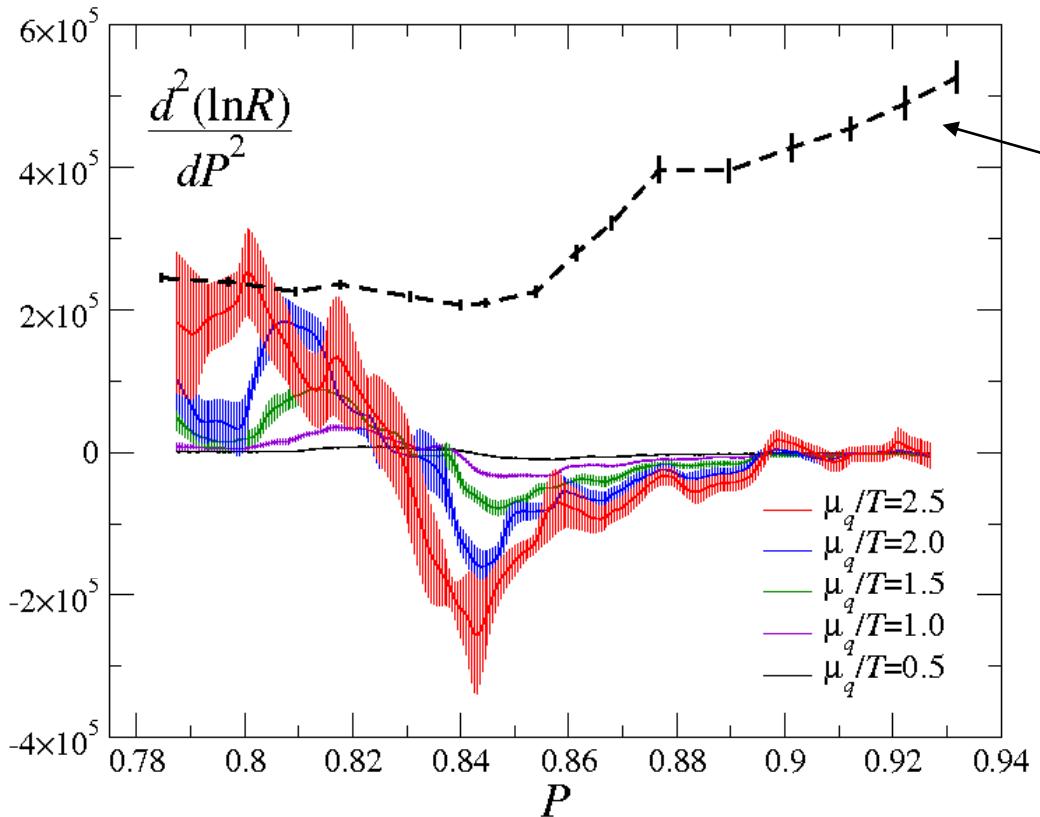
- $\det M$ : Taylor expansion up to  $O(\mu^6)$
- The peak position of  $W(P)$  moves left as  $\beta$  increases at  $\mu=0$ .

Solid lines: reweighting factor at finite  $\mu/T$ ,  $R(P, \mu)$

Dashed lines: reweighting factor without complex phase factor.

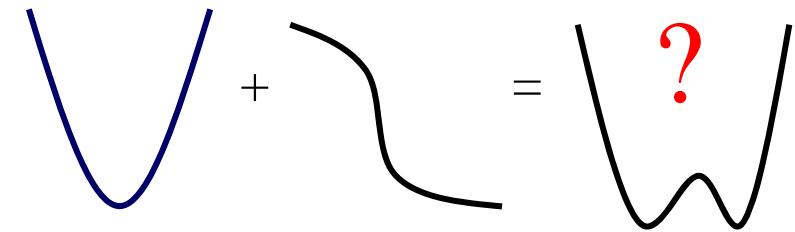
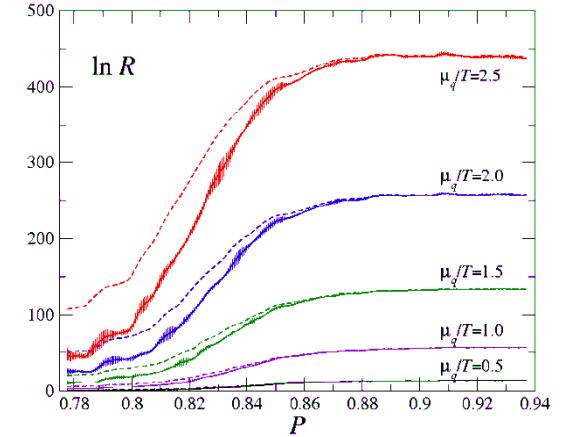


# Curvature of the effective potential



$$-\frac{d^2 \ln W}{dP^2} \quad \text{at } \mu_q=0$$

$N_f=2$  p4-staggared,  $m\pi/m\rho \approx 0.7$



Critical point:

$$\frac{d^2 V_{\text{eff}}(P, \beta, \mu)}{dP^2} = -\frac{d^2 \ln W(P, \beta)}{dP^2} - \frac{d^2 \ln R(P, \mu)}{dP^2} = 0$$



- First order transition for  $\mu_q/T \geq 2.5$
- Existence of the critical point: suggested
  - although the quark mass is large.

# Probability distribution function by phase quenched simulations

WHOT-QCD Collaboration, in preparation, (arXiv:1111.2116)

- We perform phase quenched simulations
- The effect of the complex phase is added by the reweighting.
- We calculate the probability distribution function.
- Goal
  - The critical point
  - The equation of state
    - Pressure, Energy density, Quark number density, Quark number susceptibility, Speed of sound, etc.

# Probability distribution function by phase quenched simulation

- We perform phase quenched simulations with the weight:

$$|\det M(m, \mu)|^{N_f} e^{-S_g}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W(P', F', \beta, m, \mu) &= \int DU \delta(P - P') \delta(F - F') |\det M(m, \mu)|^{N_f} e^{-S_g} \\ &= \int DU \delta(P - P') \delta(F - F') e^{i\theta} |\det M(m, \mu)|^{N_f} e^{-S_g} \\ &= \underbrace{\left\langle e^{i\theta} \right\rangle_{P', F'}}_{\text{expectation value with fixed } P, F} \times \underbrace{W_0(P', F', \beta, m, \mu)}_{\text{histogram}} \end{aligned}$$

$P$ : plaquette       $F(\mu) = N_f \ln \left| \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(0)} \right|$        $\theta \equiv N_f \operatorname{Im} \ln \det M$

Distribution function  
of the phase quenched.

$$W_0(P', F') = \int DU \delta(P - P') \delta(F - F') |\det M|^{N_f} e^{6N_{\text{site}}\beta P}$$

# Phase quenched simulation

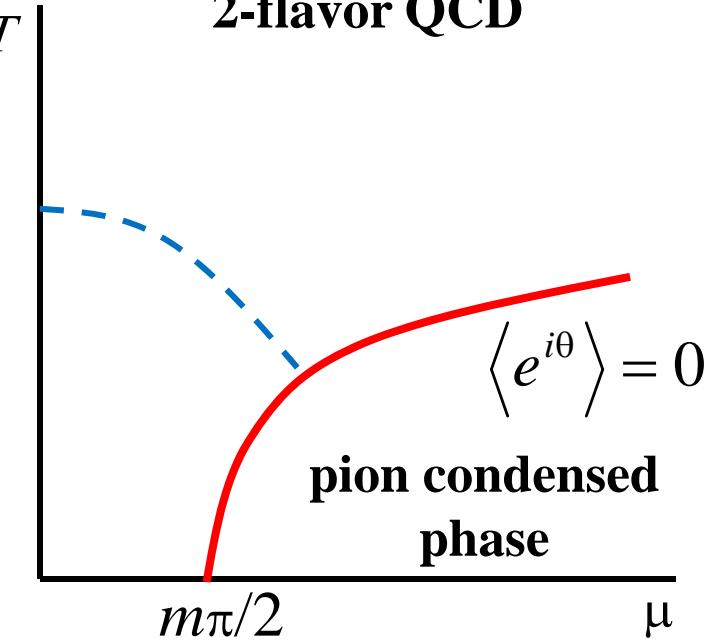
$$W(P', F', \beta, m, \mu) = \left\langle e^{i\theta} \right\rangle_{P', F'} \times W_0(P', F', \beta, m, \mu)$$

$$\det M(K, -\mu) = [\det M(K, \mu)]^*, \quad |\det M(K, \mu)|^2 = \det M(K, \mu) \det M(K, -\mu)$$

- When  $\mu_u = -\mu_d$ , pion condensation occurs.
  - $\left\langle e^{i\theta} \right\rangle = 0$  is suggested in the pion condensed phase by phenomenological studies. [Han-Stephanov '08, Sakai et al. '10]
- No overlap between  $W(\mu)$  and  $W_0(\mu)$ .

- Where is the source of the large negative curvature in  $V_{\text{eff}}$  ?
  - Phase boundary of the pion condensed phase.
  - Pseudo critical line between Hadron and QGP phases. → large fluctuations in  $\theta$ : expected

Phase structure of  
the phase quenched  
2-flavor QCD



# Avoiding the sign problem

(SE, Phys.Rev.D77,014508(2008), WHOT-QCD, Phys.Rev.D82, 014508(2010))

$\theta$ : complex phase       $\theta \equiv \text{Im} \ln \det M$

- Sign problem: If  $e^{i\theta}$  changes its sign,

$$\langle e^{i\theta} \rangle_{P,F \text{ fixed}} \ll (\text{statistical error})$$

- Cumulant expansion                           $\langle \dots \rangle_{P,F}$ : expectation values fixed  $F$  and  $P$ .

$$\langle e^{i\theta} \rangle_{P,F} = \exp \left[ i \langle \theta \rangle_C - \frac{1}{2} \langle \theta^2 \rangle_C - \frac{i}{3!} \langle \theta^3 \rangle_C + \frac{1}{4!} \langle \theta^4 \rangle_C + \dots \right]$$

cumulants

$$\langle \theta \rangle_C = \langle \theta \rangle_{P,F}, \quad \langle \theta^2 \rangle_C = \langle \theta^2 \rangle_{P,F} - \langle \theta \rangle_{P,F}^2, \quad \langle \theta^3 \rangle_C = \langle \theta^3 \rangle_{P,F} - 3\langle \theta^2 \rangle_{P,F} \langle \theta \rangle_{P,F} + 2\langle \theta \rangle_{P,F}^3, \quad \langle \theta^4 \rangle_C = \dots$$

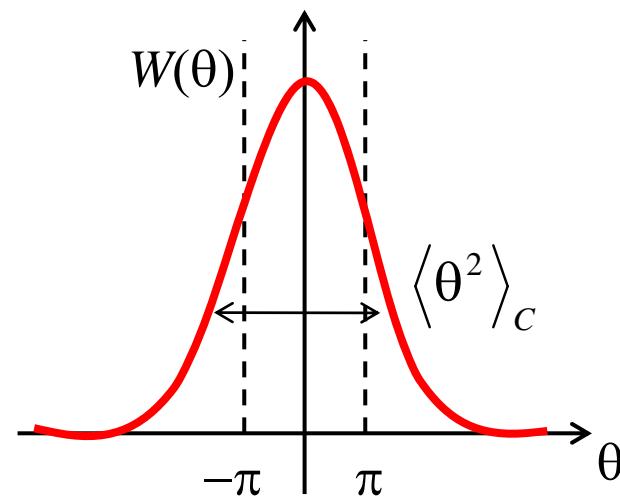
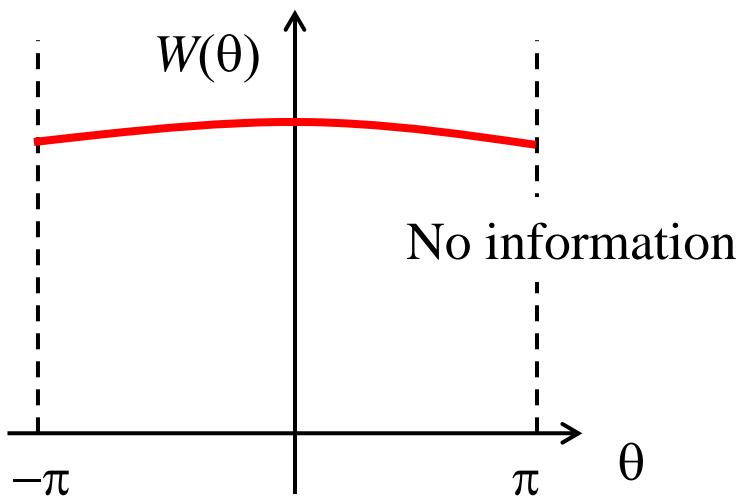
- Odd terms vanish from a symmetry under  $\mu \leftrightarrow -\mu$  ( $\theta \leftrightarrow -\theta$ )  
Source of the complex phase

If the cumulant expansion converges, No sign problem.

# Distribution of the complex phase

- We should not define the complex phase in the range from  $-\pi$  to  $\pi$ .
- When the distribution of  $\theta$  is perfectly Gaussian, the average of the complex phase is given by the second order (variance),

$$\langle e^{i\theta} \rangle_{P,F} = \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}\langle \theta^2 \rangle_c\right]$$



# Complex phase

- Gaussian distribution  $\rightarrow$  The cumulant expansion is good.
- We define the phase

$$\theta(\mu) = N_f \operatorname{Im} \ln \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(0)} = N_f \int_0^{\mu/T} \operatorname{Im} \left[ \frac{\partial \ln \det M}{\partial (\mu/T)} \right]_{\bar{\mu}} d\left(\frac{\bar{\mu}}{T}\right)$$

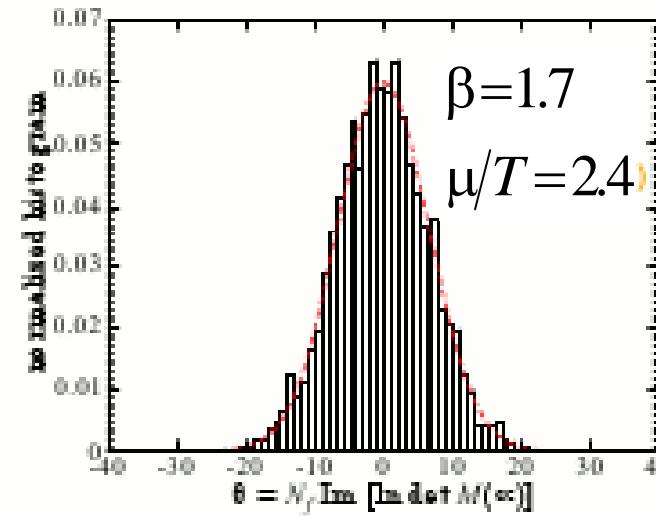
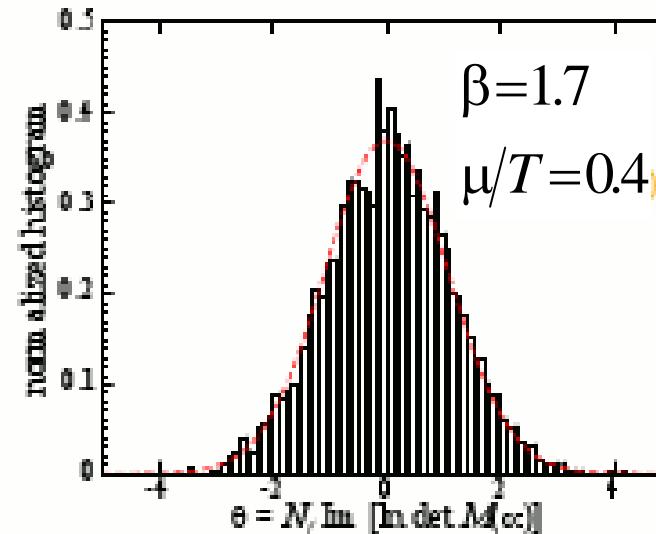
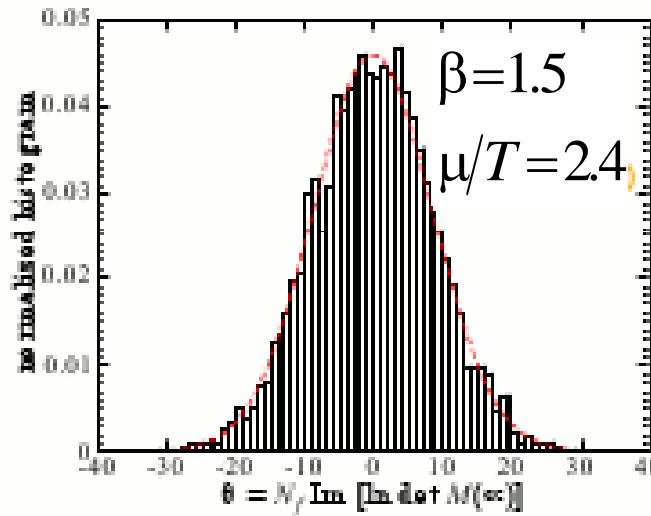
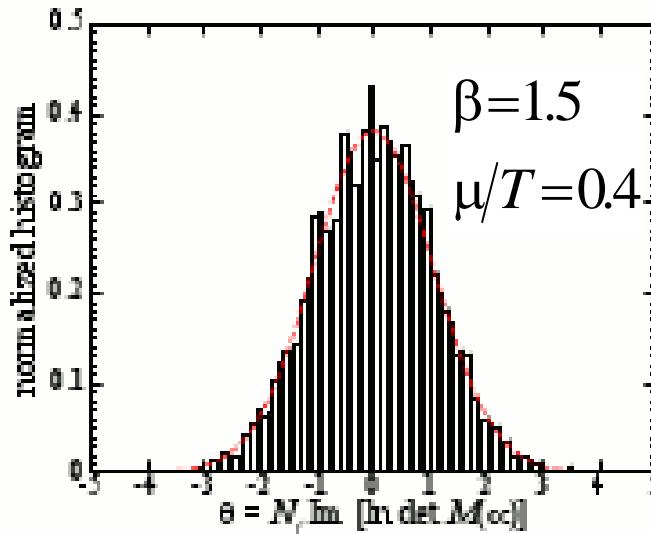
- The range of  $\theta$  is from  $-\infty$  to  $\infty$ .
- At the same time, we calculate  $F$  as a function of  $\mu$ ,

$$F(\mu) = N_f \ln \left| \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(0)} \right| = N_f \int_0^{\mu/T} \operatorname{Re} \left[ \frac{\partial \ln \det M}{\partial (\mu/T)} \right]_{\bar{\mu}} d\left(\frac{\bar{\mu}}{T}\right)$$

- The reweighting factor is also computed,

$$C(\mu) = N_f \ln \left| \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(\mu_0)} \right| = N_f \int_{\mu_0/T}^{\mu/T} \operatorname{Re} \left[ \frac{\partial \ln \det M}{\partial (\mu/T)} \right]_{\bar{\mu}} d\left(\frac{\bar{\mu}}{T}\right)$$

# Distribution of the complex phase



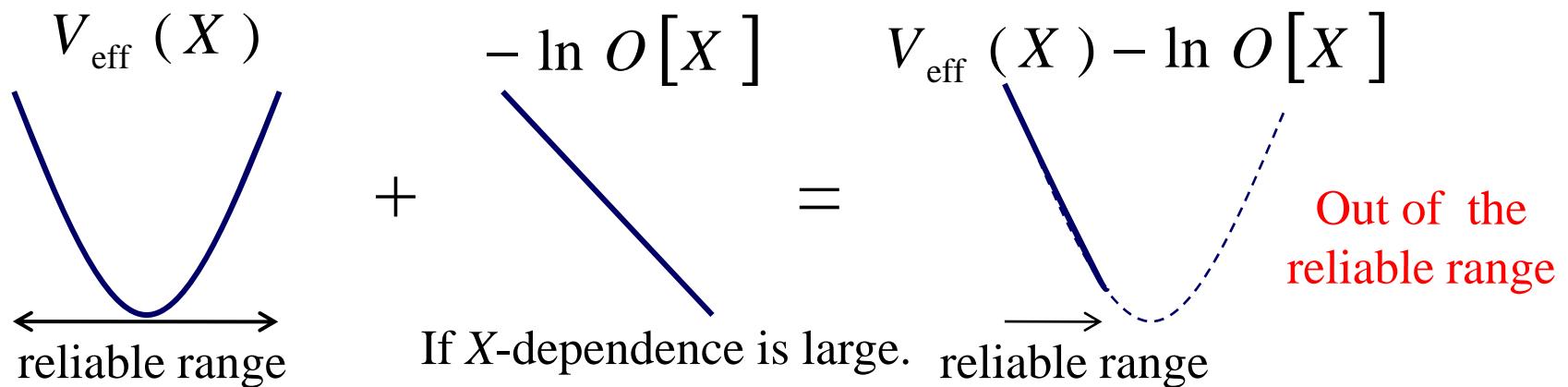
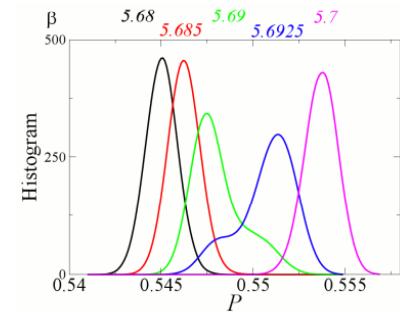
- Well approximated by a Gaussian function.
- Convergence of the cumulant expansion: good.

# Overlap problem

$$\langle O[X] \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int O[X] W(X) dX = \frac{1}{Z} \int \exp(-V_{\text{eff}}(X) + \ln O[X]) dX$$

$$V_{\text{eff}}(X) = -\ln W(X)$$

- $W$  is computed from the histogram.
  - Distribution function around  $X$  where  $V_{\text{eff}}(X) - \ln O[X]$  is minimized: important.
  - $V_{\text{eff}}$  must be computed in a wide range.

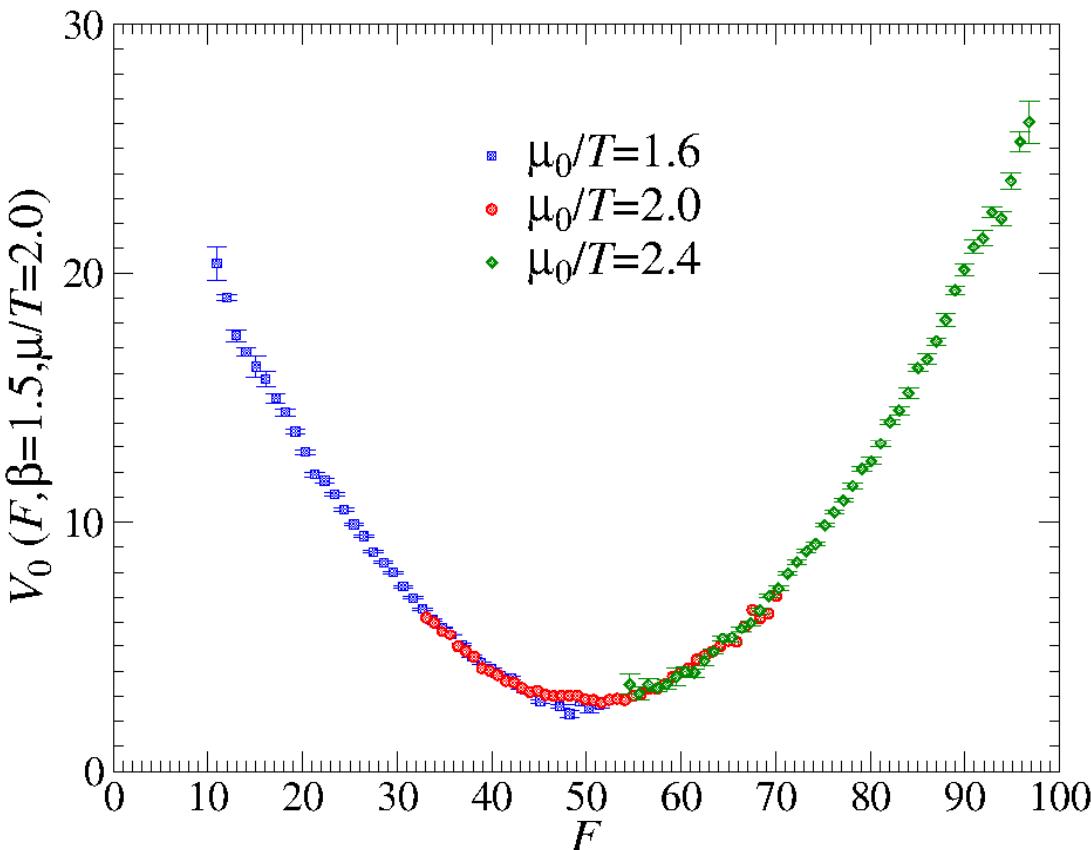


# Overlap problem

Reweighting method

$W_0$ : distribution function in phase quenched simulations.

$$R(P, F) = \frac{W_0(P, F, \mu)}{W_0(P, F, \mu_0)} = \left\langle \left| \frac{\det M(\mu)}{\det M(\mu_0)} \right|^{N_f} \right\rangle_{P, F \text{ fixed}}$$



$$-\ln W_0(P, F, \mu_0) - \ln R(P, F, \mu, \mu_0) = -\ln W_0(P, F, \mu)$$

- Perform phase quenched simulations at several points.
  - Range of  $F$  is different.
- Change  $\mu$  by reweighting method.
- Combine the data.

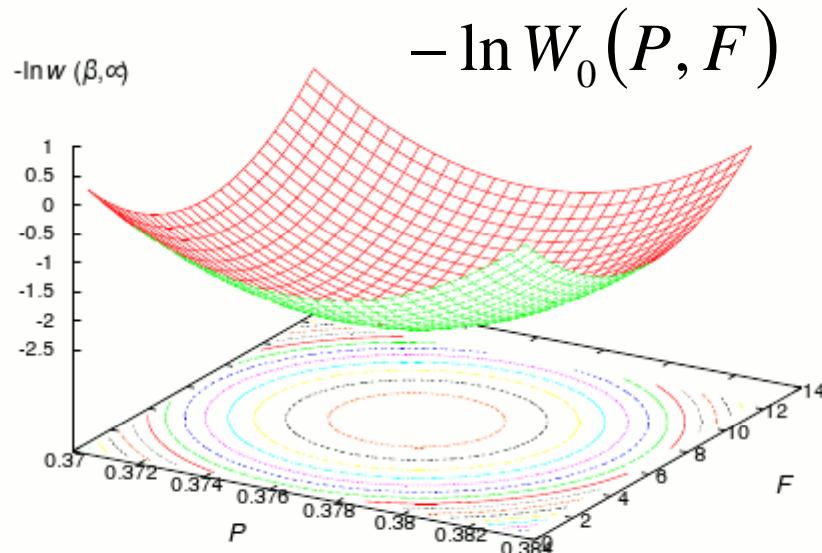


Distribution in a wide range:  
obtained.

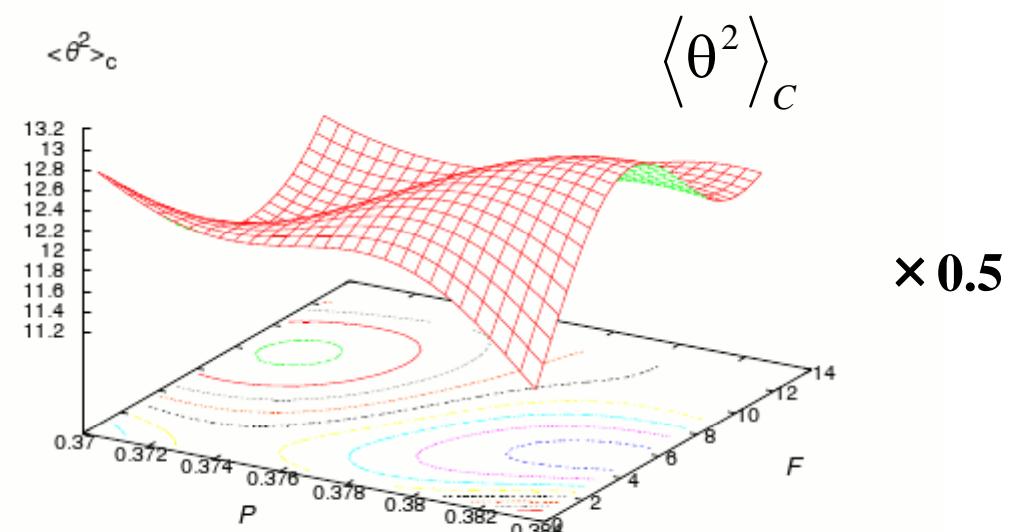
- The error of  $R$  is small because  $F$  is fixed.

# Effective potential at finite $\mu$

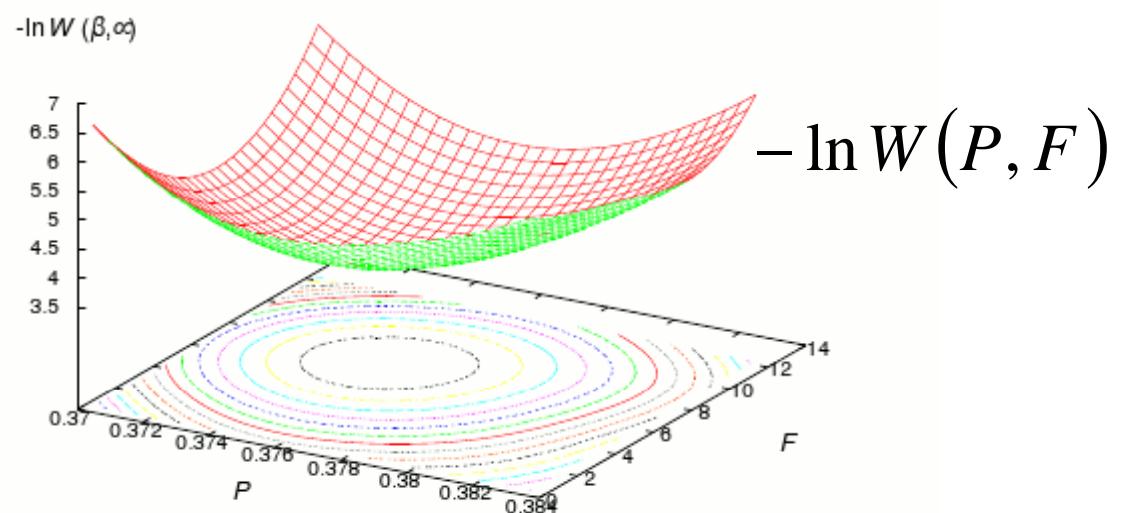
- Combine  $V_0$  and the phase factor. Preliminary



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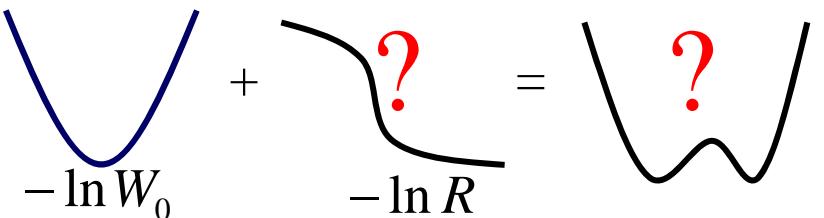
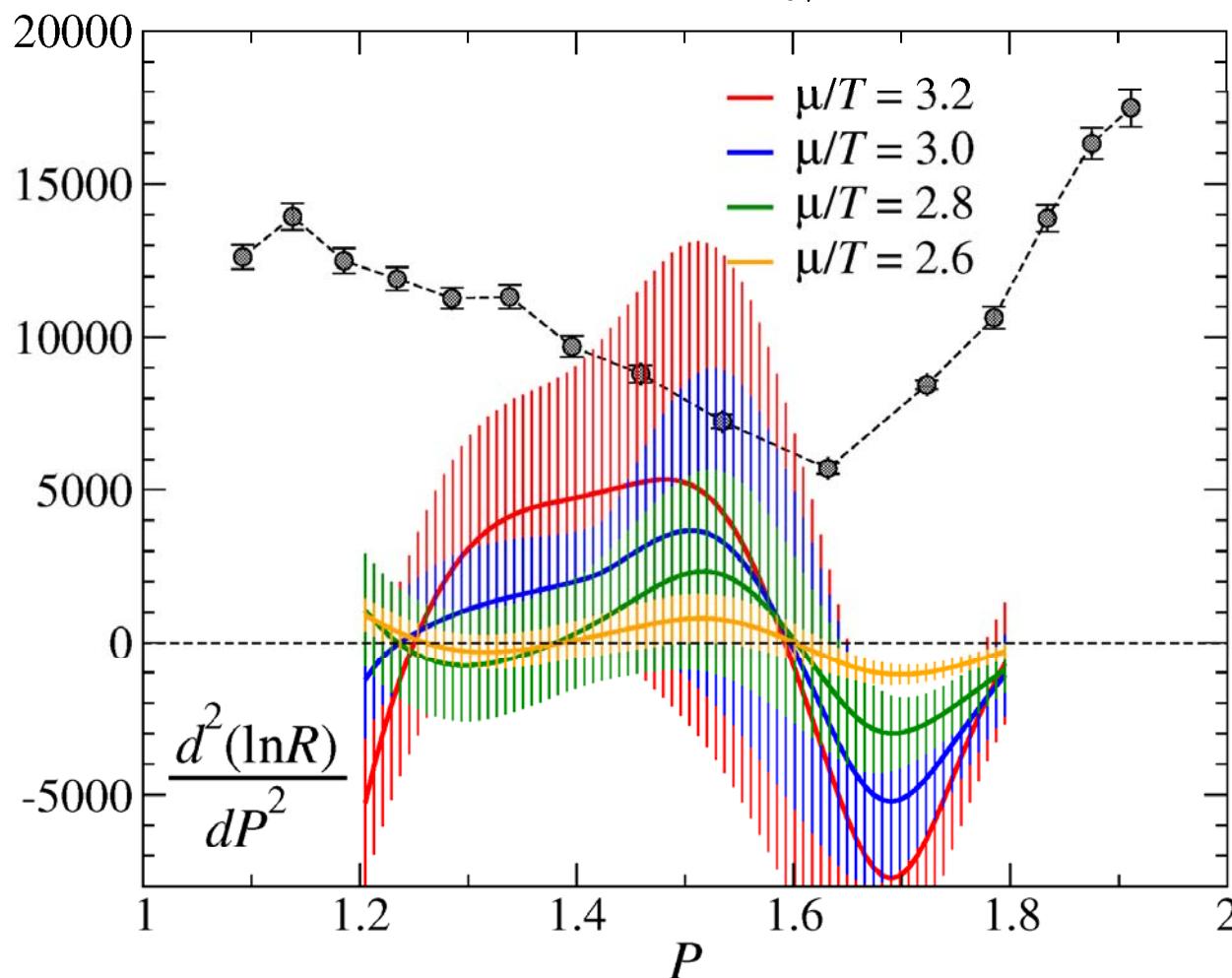


# Reweighting in phase quenched simulations

very preliminary

$$V_{\text{eff}}(P, \beta, \mu) = -\ln W_0(P, \beta, \mu_0) - \ln R(P, \mu, \mu_0)$$

$N_f = 2, 8^3 \times 4$  lattice,  $\mu_0/T = 2.4$



# Canonical approach

- Canonical partition function (Laplace transformation )

$$Z_{GC}(T, \mu) = \sum_N Z_C(T, N) \exp(N\mu/T) \equiv \sum_N W(N)$$

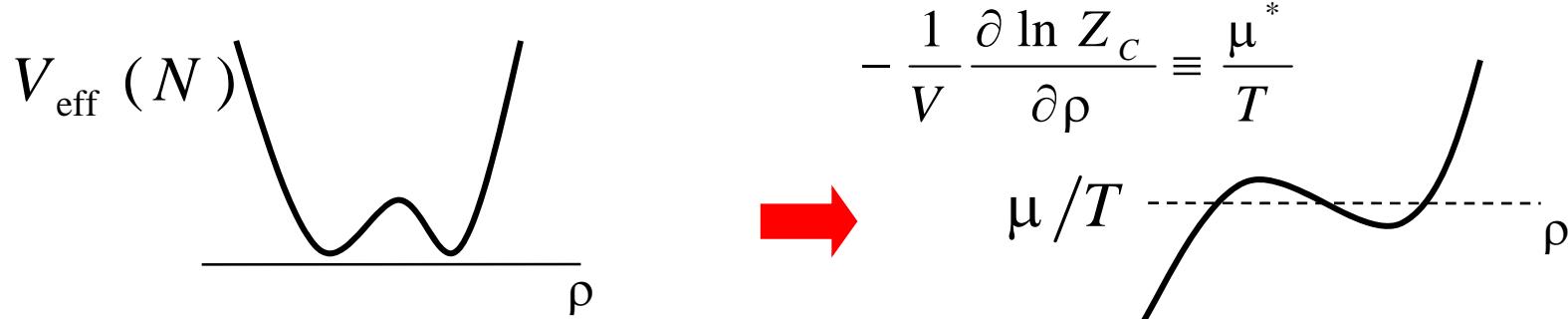
- Effective potential as a function of the quark density  $\rho = N/V$

$$V_{\text{eff}}(\rho) = -\ln W(\rho) = -\ln Z_C(T, \rho V) - \rho V \mu/T$$

- The first derivative

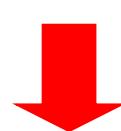
$$\frac{\partial V_{\text{eff}}(\rho V)}{\partial \rho} = -\frac{\partial \ln W(\rho V)}{\partial \rho} = -\frac{\partial \ln Z_C(T, \rho V)}{\partial \rho} - \frac{\mu}{T} V$$

- First order phase transition: Two phases coexist.



# Inverse Laplace transformation with a saddle point approximation (S.E., arXiv:0804.3227)

- Approximations:
  - Taylor expansion:  $\ln \det M$  up to  $O(\mu^6)$
  - Gaussian distribution:  $\theta$
  - Saddle point approximation



Much easier calculations

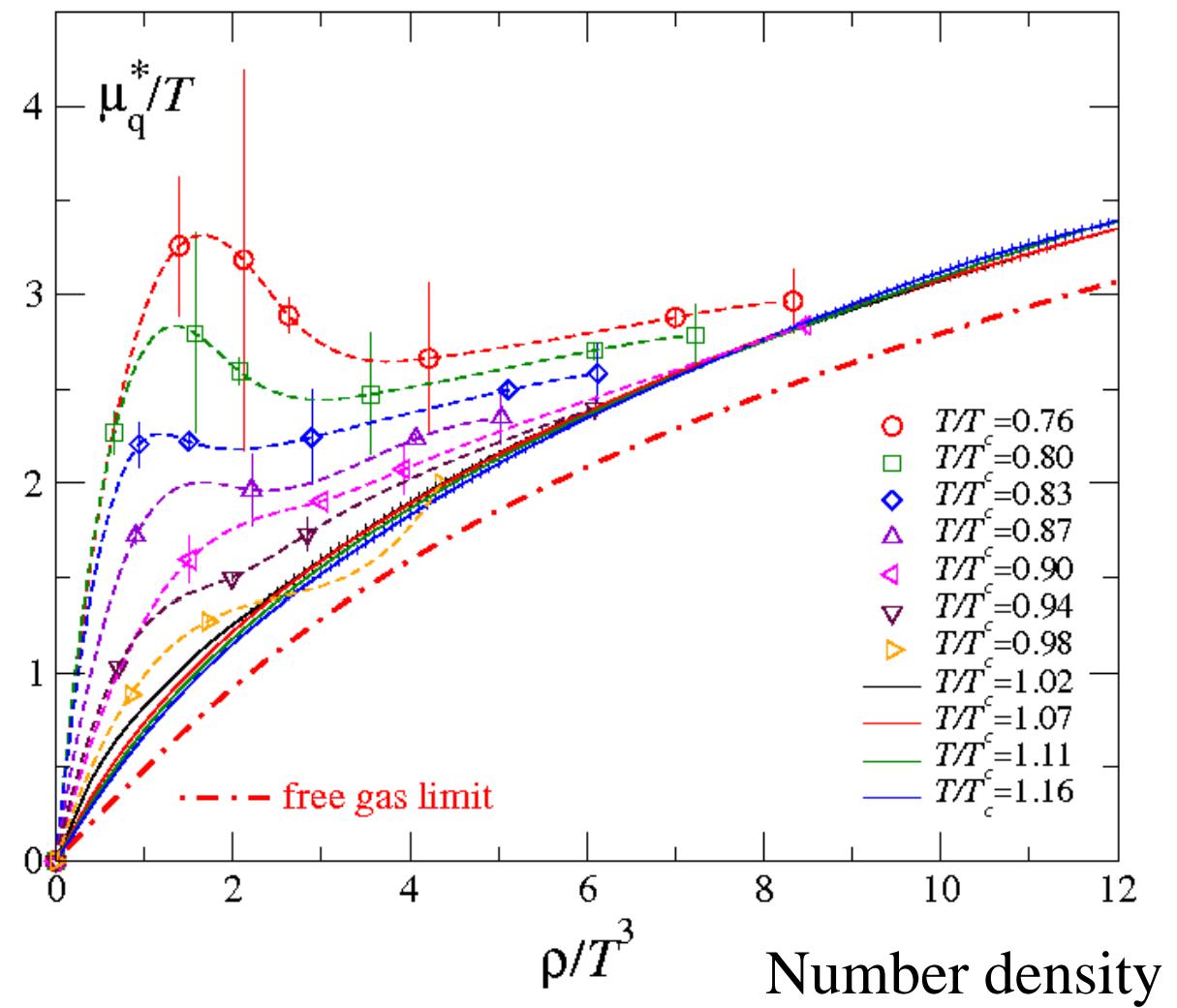
- First order transition at  $T/T_c < 0.83$
- Study near the physical point important

Solid line: multi- $\beta$  reweighting

Dashed line: spline interpolation

Dot-dashed line: the free gas limit

$N_f=2$  p4-staggered,  $m\pi/m\rho \approx 0.7$ ,  $16^3 \times 4$  lattice



# Summary

- The histogram method is useful for the investigation of the nature of the phase transition.
- To avoid the sign problem, the method based on the cumulant expansion of  $\theta$  is useful.
- Further studies are important applying this method.