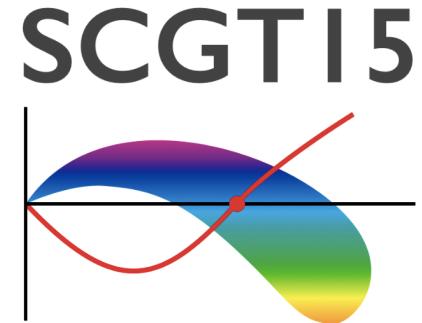


Scalar Mesons in Lattice QCD



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Low Lying Scalar Mesons

- Light scalar Mesons

σ meson, $I=0, J^{PC} = 0^{++}$: light σ , $m_\sigma \sim m_\rho$ Quark model

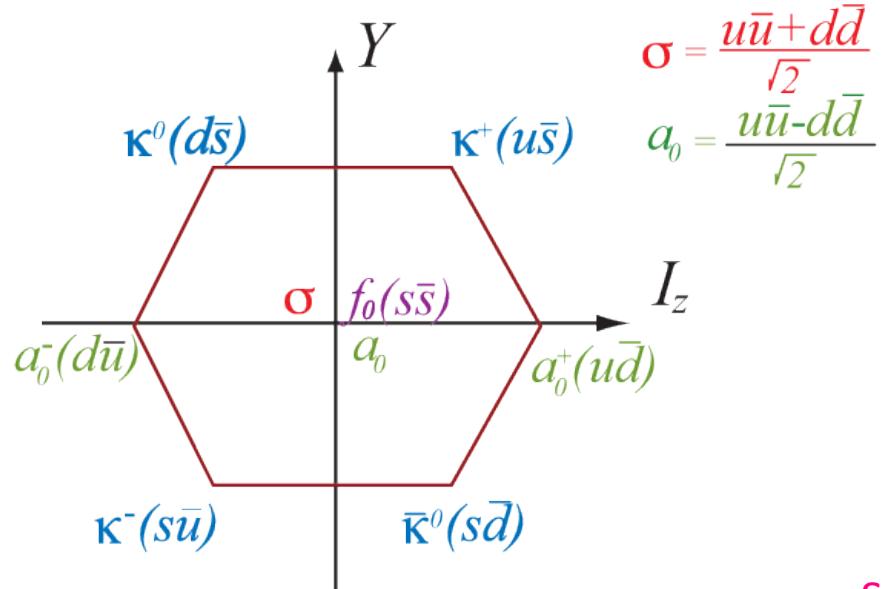
- Nuclear force, important for low energy hadron physics
- re-identification of the σ : “ $f_0(600)$ of σ ” in PDG2002

existence of σ pole: reanalysis of π - π scattering phase shift

Igi and Hikasa, PRD59(1999)034005

κ meson, $I=1/2, J^{PC} = 0^{++}$: $m_\kappa \sim 800$ MeV

- Nonet scalar states



What is the σ ?

$q\bar{q}$ meson?
resonances?



$qq\bar{q}\bar{q}$
tetra quark?

$\pi\pi$ molecule?

mixing?

$f_0(500)$ or $\sigma^{[g]}$
was $f_0(600)$

mixing ?

Mass $m = (400\text{--}550)$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = (400\text{--}700)$ MeV



glueballs

Scalar Mesons in Lattice QCD



| | | | |
|------|--|-----------------------|---|
| 1987 | quench | screening mass | |
| ~ | | | |
| 2000 | $q^2 \bar{q}^2$ | mixing with glueball | |
| | dynamical | | |
| 2001 | +glueball | $m_\sigma < m_\pi ??$ | <i>McNeile and Michael, PRD63(2001)114503</i> |
| 2002 | disconnected diagram | | <i>SCALAR ,NPProc.Suppl.106(2002)272</i> |
| 2003 | domain wall fermion, propagators in quench | | <i>Prelovsek and Orginos, NPProc.Suppl.119(2003)822</i> |
| 2004 | disconnected diagram | | <i>SCALAR, PRD70 (2004)034504</i> |

as $q\bar{q}$ meson

DeTar and Kogut, PRD36(1987)2828

Alford and Jaffe, NPB578(2000)367

Lee and Weingarten, PRD61(2000)014015

Sigma Meson as Two Quark State

SCALAR, Phys. Rev. D70 (2004)034504

- Operator (two flavor)

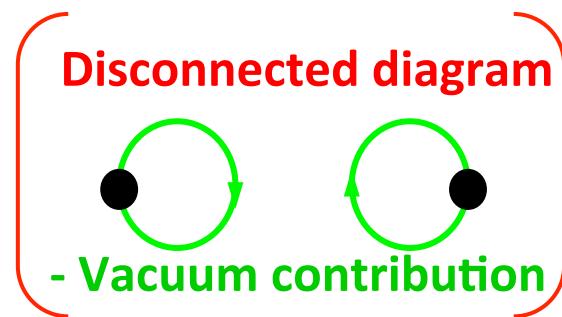
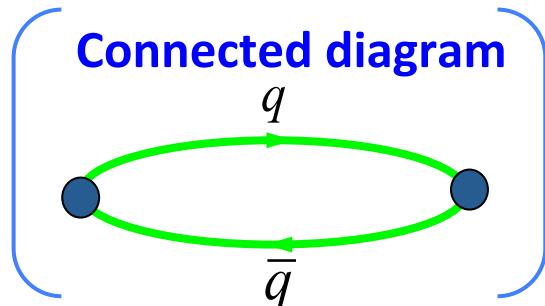
$$\hat{\sigma}(x) \equiv \sum_{\substack{c=1 \\ \text{color}}}^3 \sum_{\alpha=1}^4 \frac{\bar{u}_\alpha^c(x) u_\alpha^c(x) + \bar{d}_\alpha^c(x) d_\alpha^c(x)}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Quark model

- Propagator

$$G(y, x) = -\langle \text{Tr} W^{-1}(x, y) W^{-1}(y, x) \rangle_{\text{connected}}$$

$$+ 2 \langle (\sigma(y) - \langle \sigma(y) \rangle)(\sigma(x) - \langle \sigma(x) \rangle) \rangle_{\text{disconnected}}$$



Simulation Setup

SCALAR, Phys. Rev. D70 (2004)034504

- Full QCD, Hybrid Monte Carlo
Plaquette gauge action, Wilson Fermion
- $\beta = 4.8$ $\kappa = 0.1846, 0.1874, 0.1891$
CP-PACS, Phys. Rev. D60 (1999)114508
- Lattice size $8^3 \times 16$
- Disconnected diagrams
 Z_2 noise method (number of noise: 1000)

| κ | 0.1846 | 0.1874 | 0.1891 |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
| statistics ¹⁾ | 1110 | 860 | 730 |
| m_π/m_ρ ²⁾ | 0.8291(12) | 0.7715(17) | 0.7026(32) |
| m_π/m_ρ ³⁾ | 0.825(2) | 0.757(2) | 0.693(3) |

CP-PACS

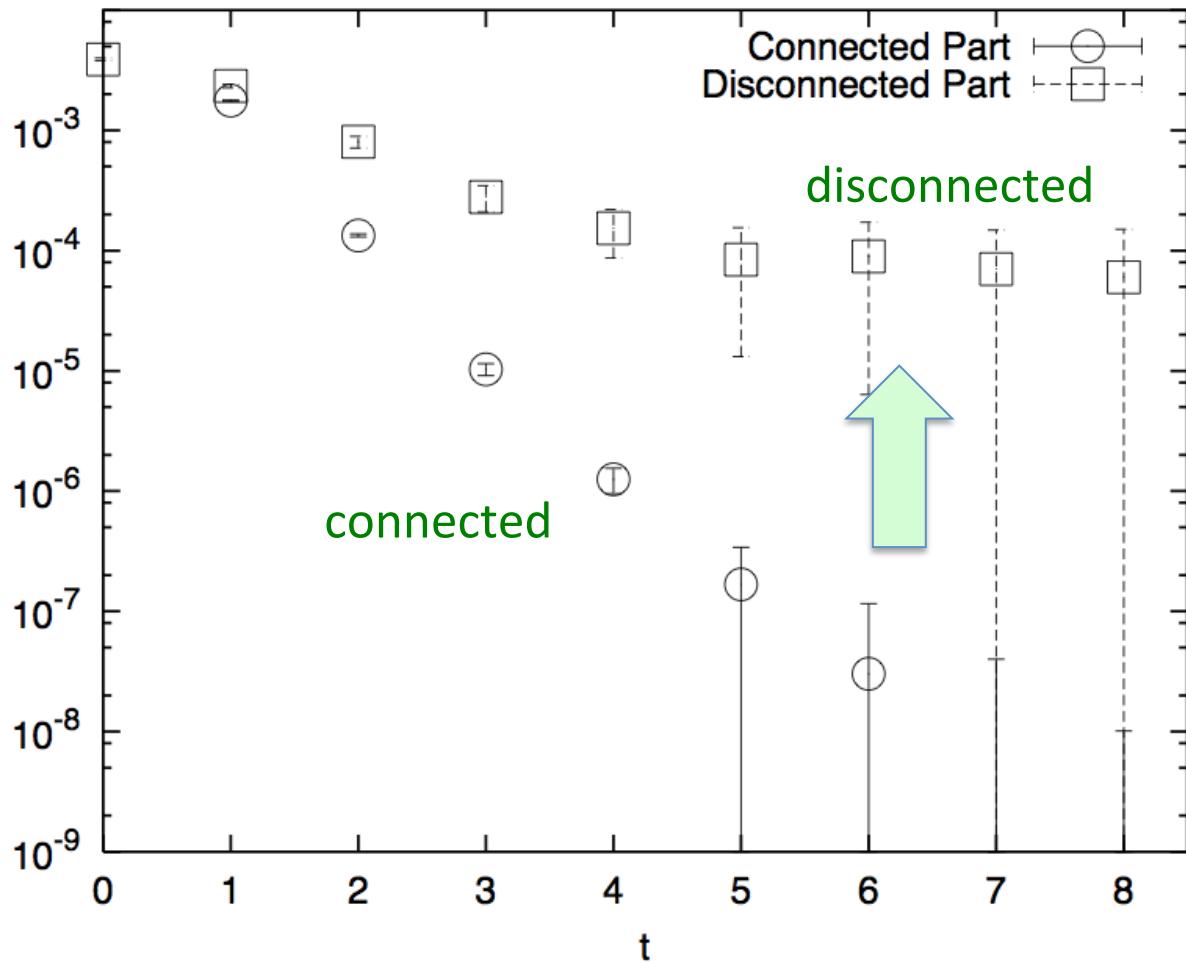
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Disconnected Diagrams

- Propagators

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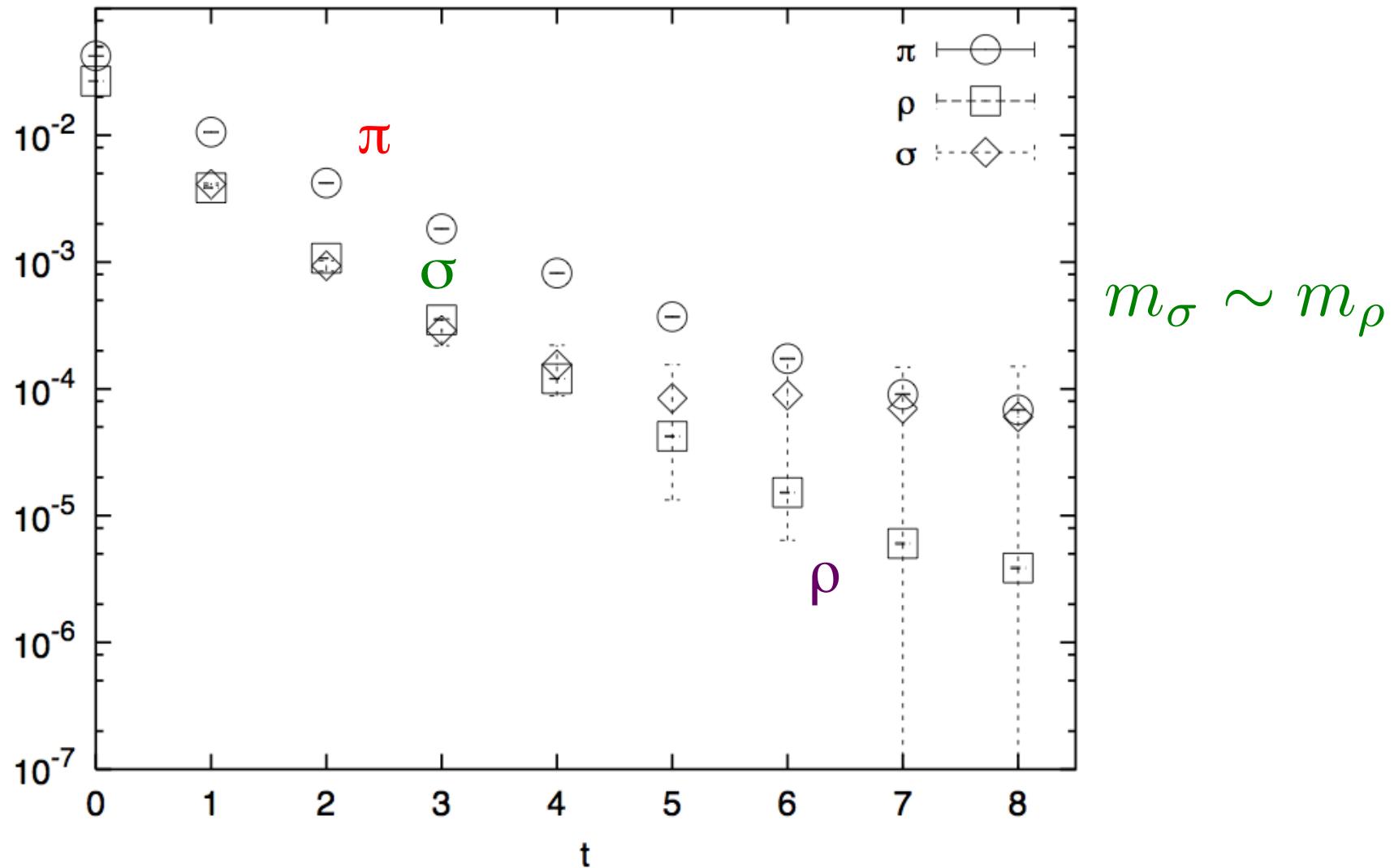


- Due to the existence of disconnected diagram, m_σ becomes smaller.

Light Scalar Meson

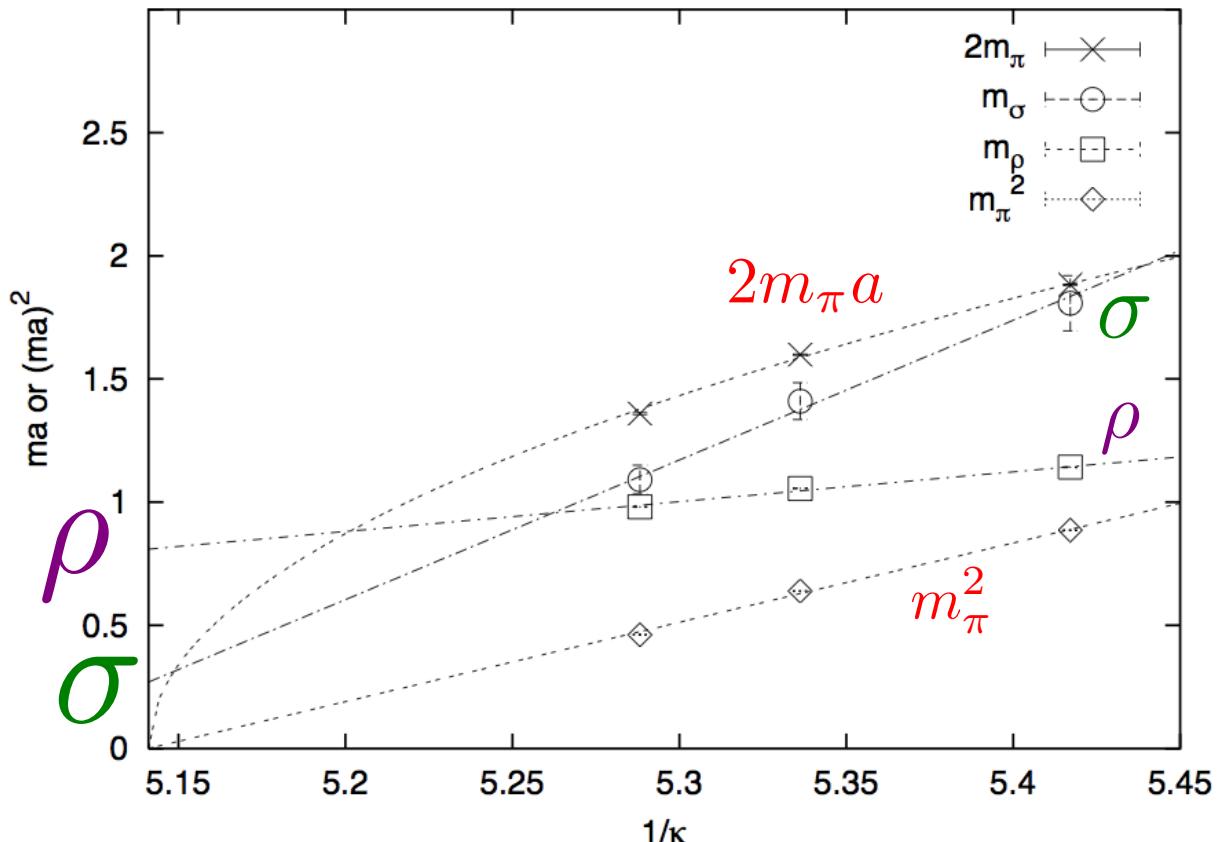
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- Propagators



Light Scalar Meson

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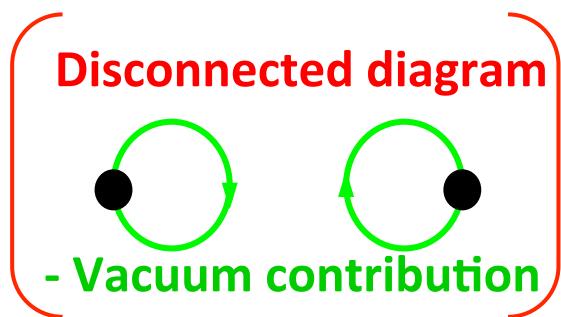
- Only connected diagrams $m_\sigma > 2m_\rho$
- Disconnected diagrams $m_\sigma \sim m_\rho$
- At chiral limit $m_\sigma < m_\rho$

Sigma Meson

Sigma meson as two quark state

SCALAR, *Phys. Rev. D*70 (2004)034504

For light sigma meson,
the disconnected diagram
is important.



If the glueball states
were not heavy...

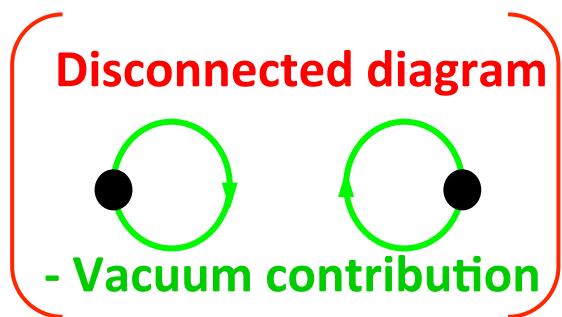
mixing with glueballs and tetra quarks....
 $qq - \bar{q}\bar{q}$

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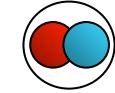
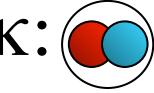
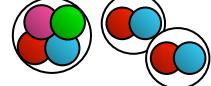
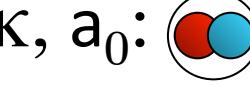
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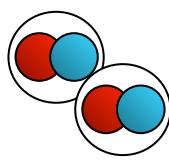
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→ Sigma meson as four quark state

SCALAR(+Wakayama), arXiv1412.3909[hep-lat]

Scalar Mesons in Lattice QCD

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|------|---|---|--------------------|
| 2004 | Σ :  | <i>SCALAR, PRD70(2004)034504</i> | Full QCD |
| 2006 | Σ, κ, a_0 :  | <i>UKQCD, PRD74(2006)114505</i> <i>UKQCD, PRD74(2006)014508</i> | |
| 2007 | κ :  | <i>SCALAR, PLB652(2007)250</i> | |
| 2009 | Σ, κ, a_0 :  | <i>S.Prelovsek et al, PRD79(2009)014503</i> | |
| 2010 | | <i>S.Prelovsek et al, PRD82(2010)094507</i> | connected diagrams |
| 2012 | κ, a_0 :  | <i>BGR, PRD85(2012)034508</i> | |
| 2013 | κ, a_0 :  | <i>ETM, JHEP1304(2013)137</i> | |
| 2014 | Σ :  | <i>SCALAR(+Wakayama), arXiv1412.3909[hep-lat]</i> connected + singly disconnected diagrams | |



Molecule



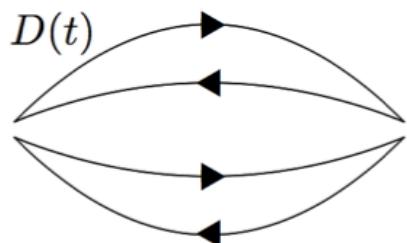
- Operator (two flavor) The lightest pseudoscalar mesons
Jaffe, Phys.Rept.409(2005) 1

$$\mathcal{O}^{\text{molec}}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left[\mathcal{O}^{\pi^+}(t) \mathcal{O}^{\pi^-}(t) - \mathcal{O}^{\pi^0}(t) \mathcal{O}^{\pi^0}(t) + \mathcal{O}^{\pi^-}(t) \mathcal{O}^{\pi^+}(t) \right]$$

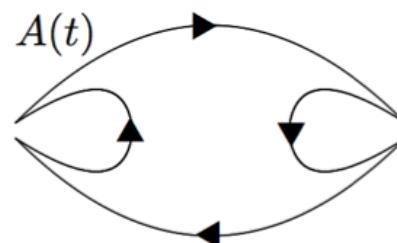
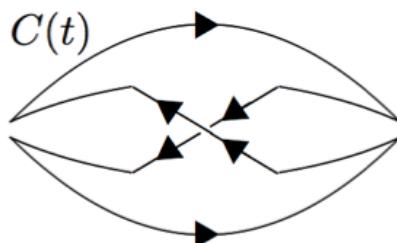
$$\mathcal{O}^{\pi^+}(t) = - \sum_{\mathbf{x} a} \bar{d}^a(t, \mathbf{x}) \gamma_5 u^a(t, \mathbf{x}) \quad \mathcal{O}^{\pi^-}(t) = \sum_{\mathbf{x} a} \bar{u}^a(t, \mathbf{x}) \gamma_5 d^a(t, \mathbf{x})$$

$$\mathcal{O}^{\pi^0}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{\mathbf{x} a} [\bar{u}^a(t, \mathbf{x}) \gamma_5 u^a(t, \mathbf{x}) - \bar{d}^a(t, \mathbf{x}) \gamma_5 d^a(t, \mathbf{x})]$$

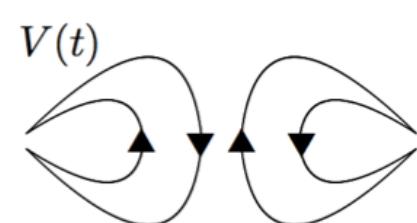
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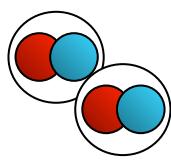
connected diagrams



Singly
disconnected diagram



doubly
disconnected diagram



Molecule



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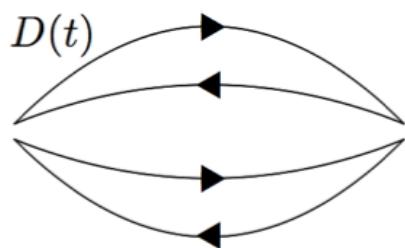
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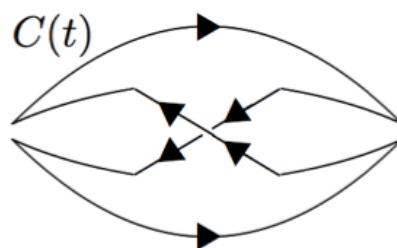
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- Propagators

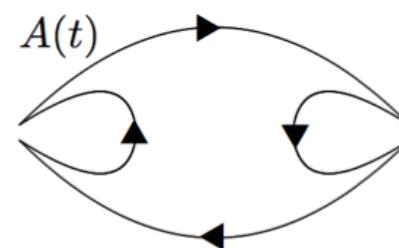
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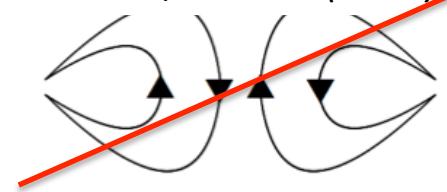
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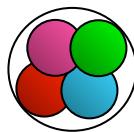
Large Nc limit
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Singly
disconnected diagram



doubly
disconnected diagram



Tetra

- Operator (two flavor) The lightest diquarks

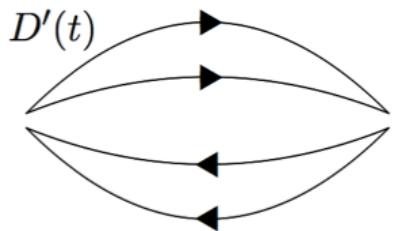
$$\mathcal{O}^{\text{tetra}}(t) = \sum [ud]^a(t)[\bar{u}\bar{d}]^a(t)$$

$$[ud]^a(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{x}, b,c} \epsilon^{abc} [u^{Tb}(t, \mathbf{x}) C\gamma_5 d^c(t, \mathbf{x}) - d^{Tb}(t, \mathbf{x}) C\gamma_5 u^c(t, \mathbf{x})]$$

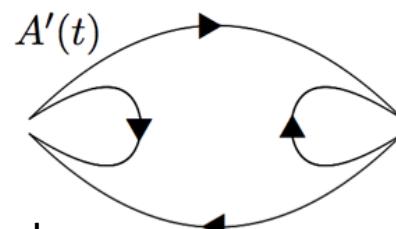
$$[\bar{u}\bar{d}]^a(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\mathbf{x}, b,c} \epsilon^{abc} [\bar{u}^b(t, \mathbf{x}) C\gamma_5 \bar{d}^{Tc}(t, \mathbf{x}) - \bar{d}^b(t, \mathbf{x}) C\gamma_5 \bar{u}^{Tc}(t, \mathbf{x})]$$

- Propagators $G^{\text{tetra}}(t) = 2 \left[2(D'_1(t) + D'_2(t)) - 2(A'_1(t) + A'_2(t) + A'_3(t) + A'_4(t)) \right.$

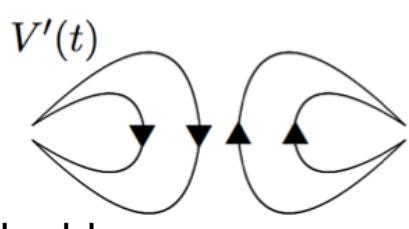
$$\left. + (V'_1(t) + V'_2(t) + V'_3(t) + V'_4(t)) \right]$$



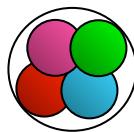
connected diagrams



Singly disconnected diagram



doubly disconnected diagram



Tetra

- Operator (two flavor) The lightest diquarks

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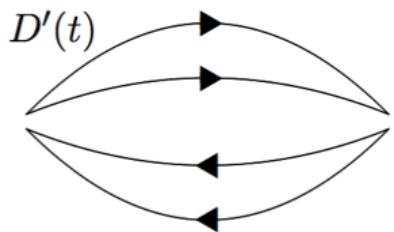
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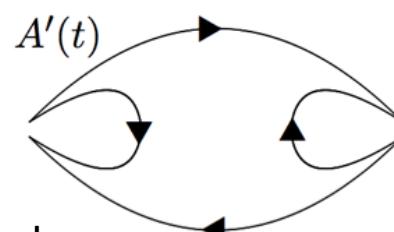
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$$\left. + (V'_1(t) + V'_2(t) + V'_3(t) + V'_4(t)) \right]$$

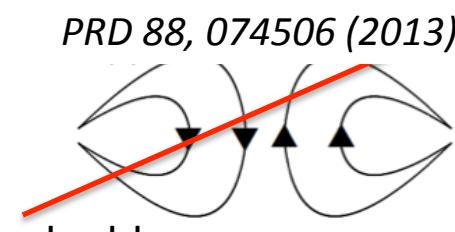
Large Nc limit



connected diagrams



Singly disconnected diagram



doubly disconnected diagram

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Simulation Setup

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- 2 flavor full QCD: *CP-PACS Phys. Rev. D 63, 034502 (2001)*
Hybrid Monte Carlo (HMC) with the clover Wilson action
 $C_{SW} = 1.68$ $\beta = 1.7$ Lattice size: $8^3 \times 16$
- Heavy quark masses, large statistics
- Disconnected diagrams: Z_2 noise method with truncated eigenmode approach
noise: 120×16 eigenvector : 12

TABLE I: Masses of π and ρ and number of configurations.

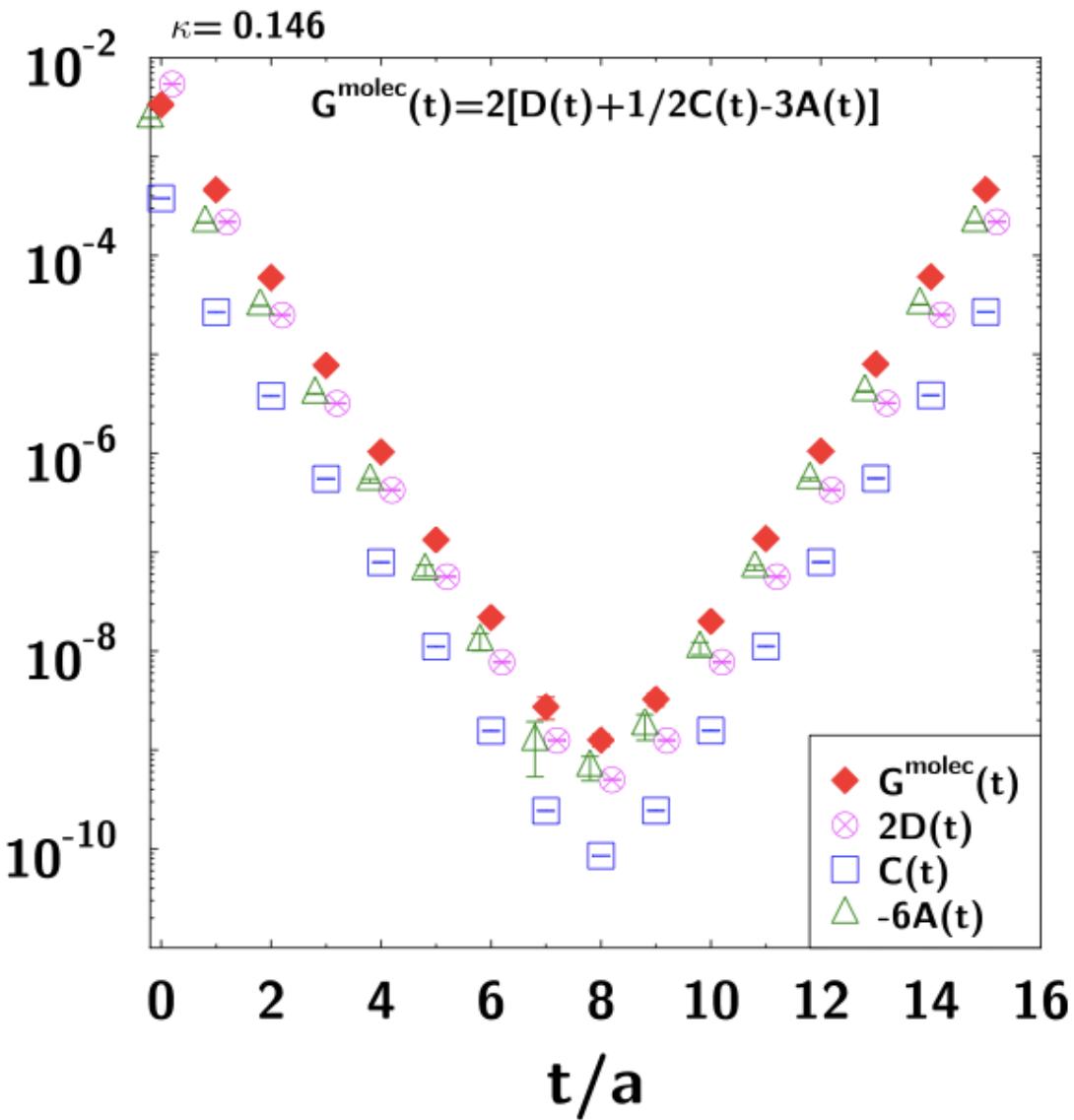
| κ | $m_\pi a$ | m_π MeV | $m_\rho a$ | m_ρ MeV | configurations ^a |
|----------|-----------|-------------|------------|--------------|-----------------------------|
| 0.146 | 1.018(2) | 747(27) | 1.431(4) | 1050(39) | 16496 |
| 0.147 | 0.930(2) | 682(25) | 1.358(6) | 996(38) | 14344 |
| 0.148 | 0.827(4) | 607(23) | 1.304(10) | 956(39) | 11720 |

Caveat

- “Molecule” contains mixing with tetra and two quark state
- “Tetra” contains mixing with molecule and two quark state
- Application of the variational method for the possible interpolators is needed.

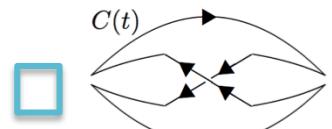
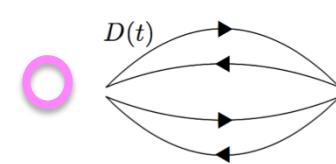
Propagators of Molecule

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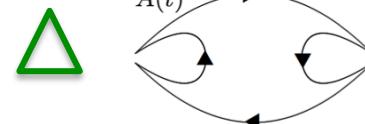


◆ total

Connected diagrams



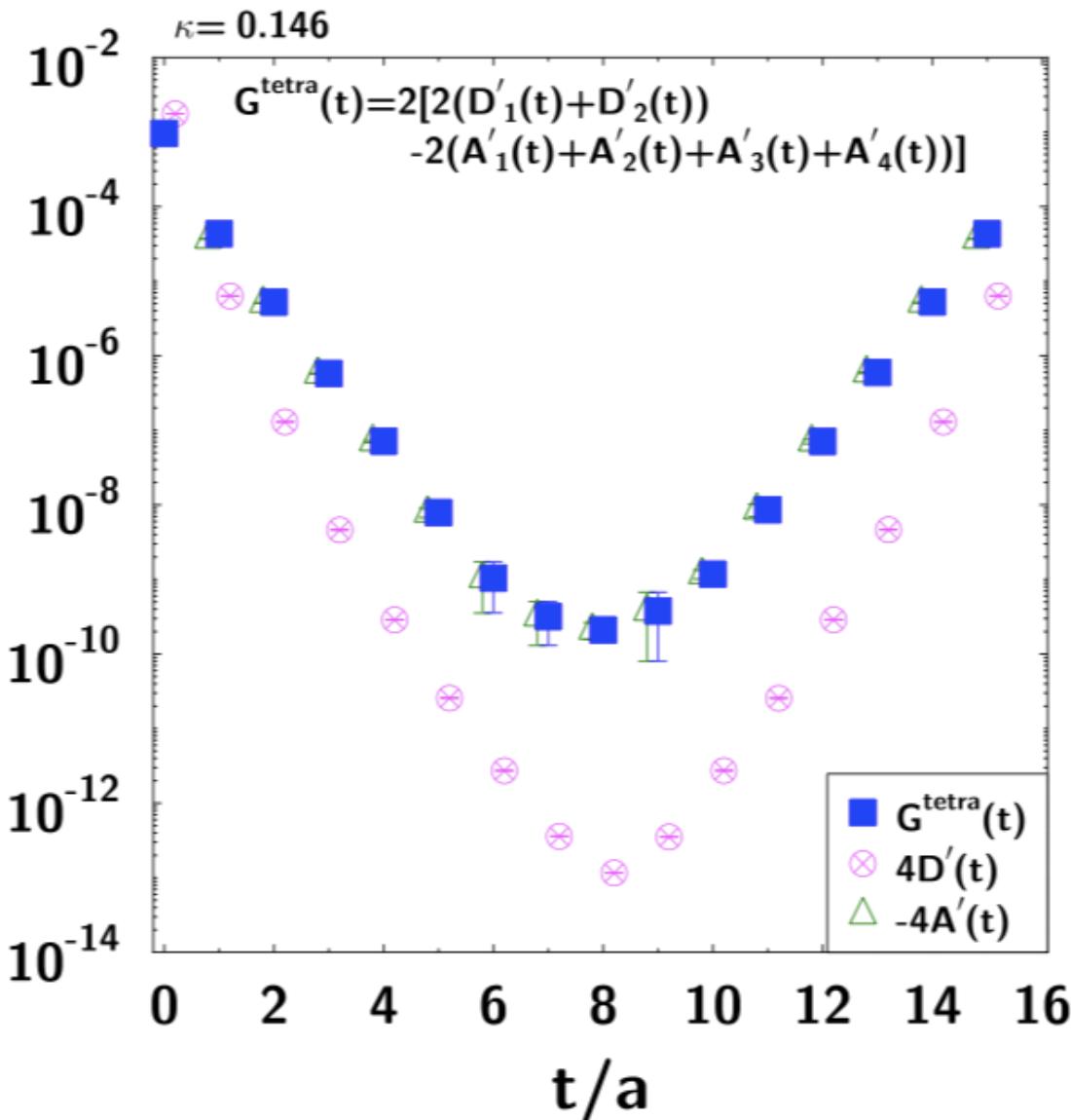
Singly disconnected diagram



- Singly disconnected diagram is dominant.
- Slopes (\sim masses) of them are almost the same.

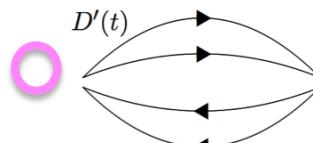
Propagators of Tetra

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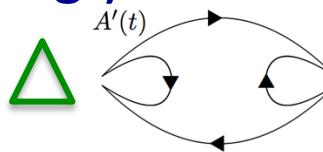


■ total

Connected diagram



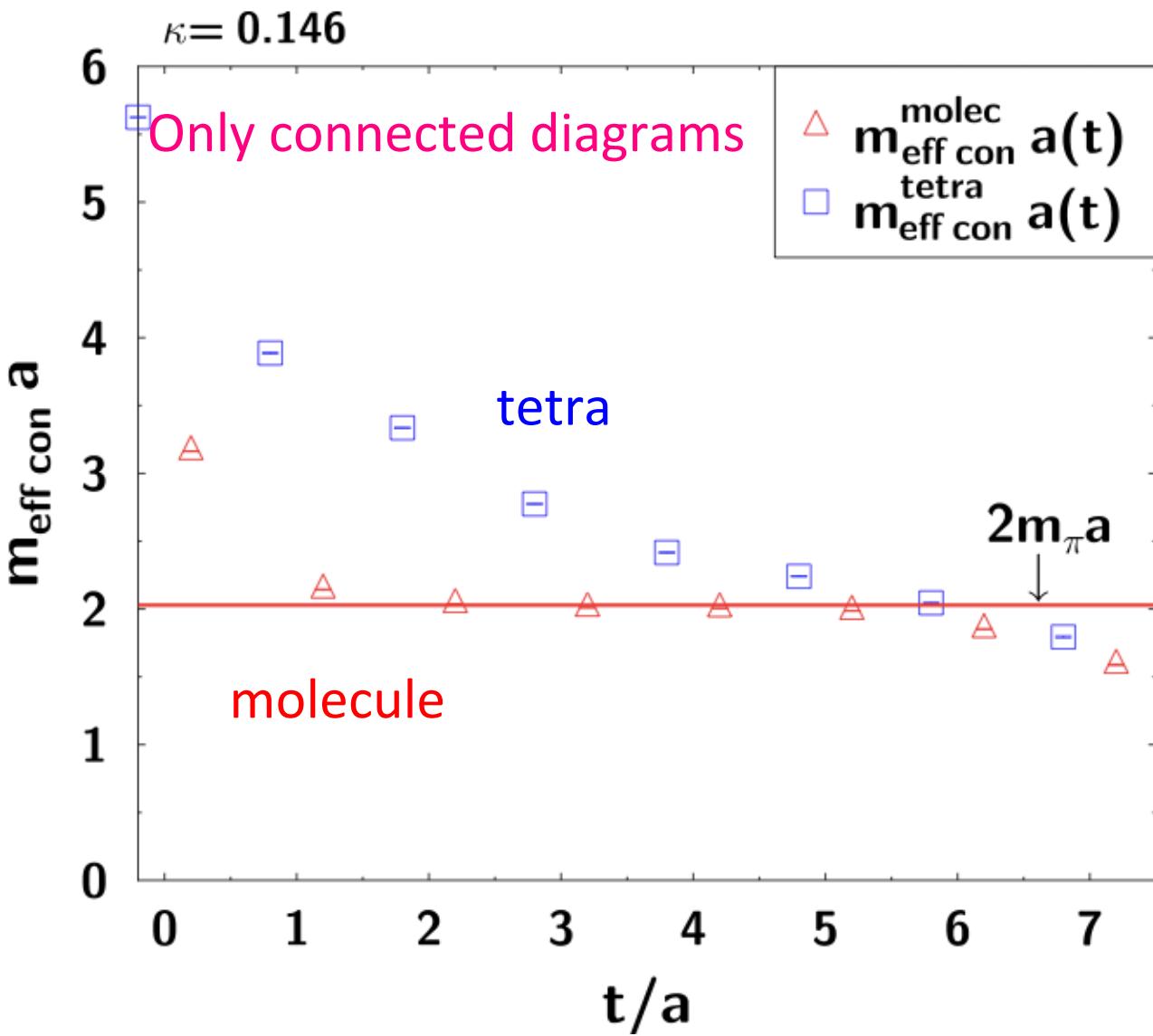
Singly disconnected diagram



- Singly disconnected diagram is dominant.
- Due to the singly disconnected diagram, the mass of tetra becomes smaller.

Effective Masses

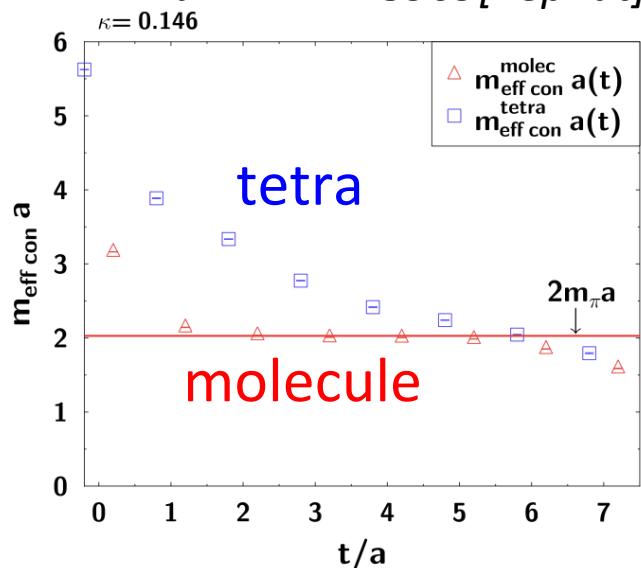
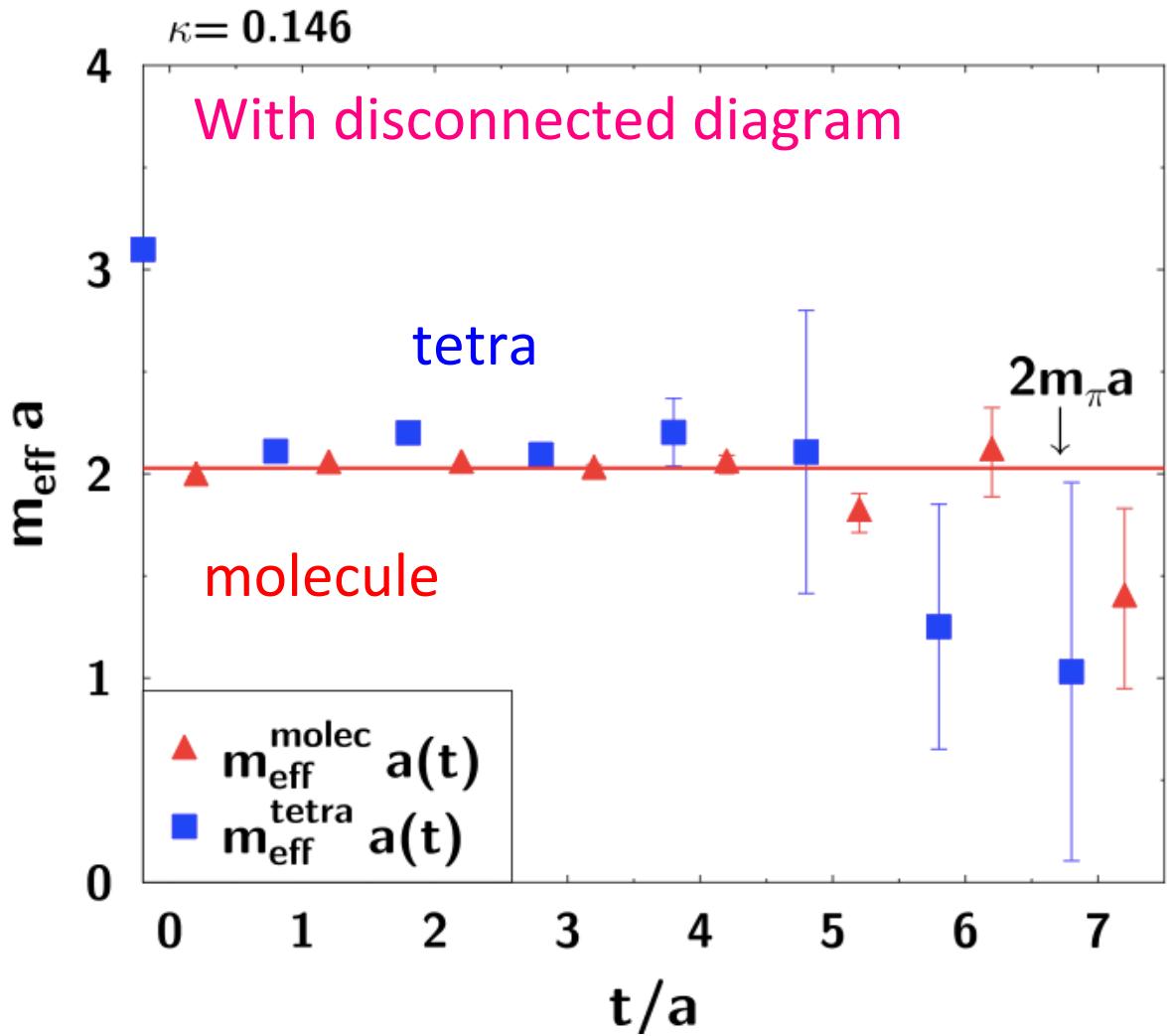
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- Molecule
 - Clear plateau $\sim 2m_\pi$
 - $\pi\pi$ scattering state?
- Tetra
 - No clear plateau

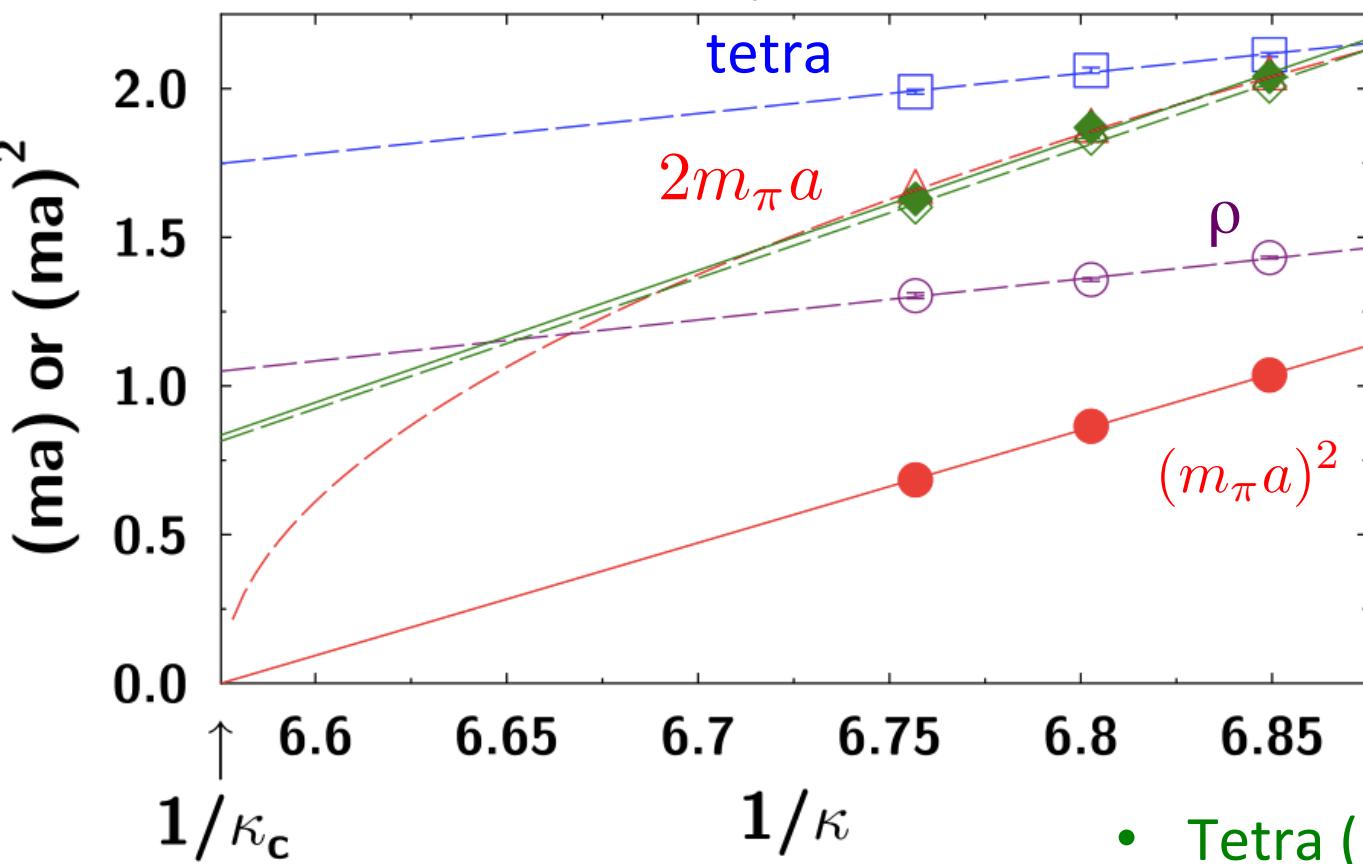
Importance of Disconnected Diagrams

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κ Dependence of Effective Masses

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with disconnected diagram

$\blacklozenge \quad m^{\text{molec}}$ a
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connected diagram

- Molecule
 - Small effect of disconnected diagram
 - $\pi\pi$ scattering state?

- Tetra (plateau ?)
 - Disconnected diagram is important.
 - small overlap to ground state of molecule

Summary

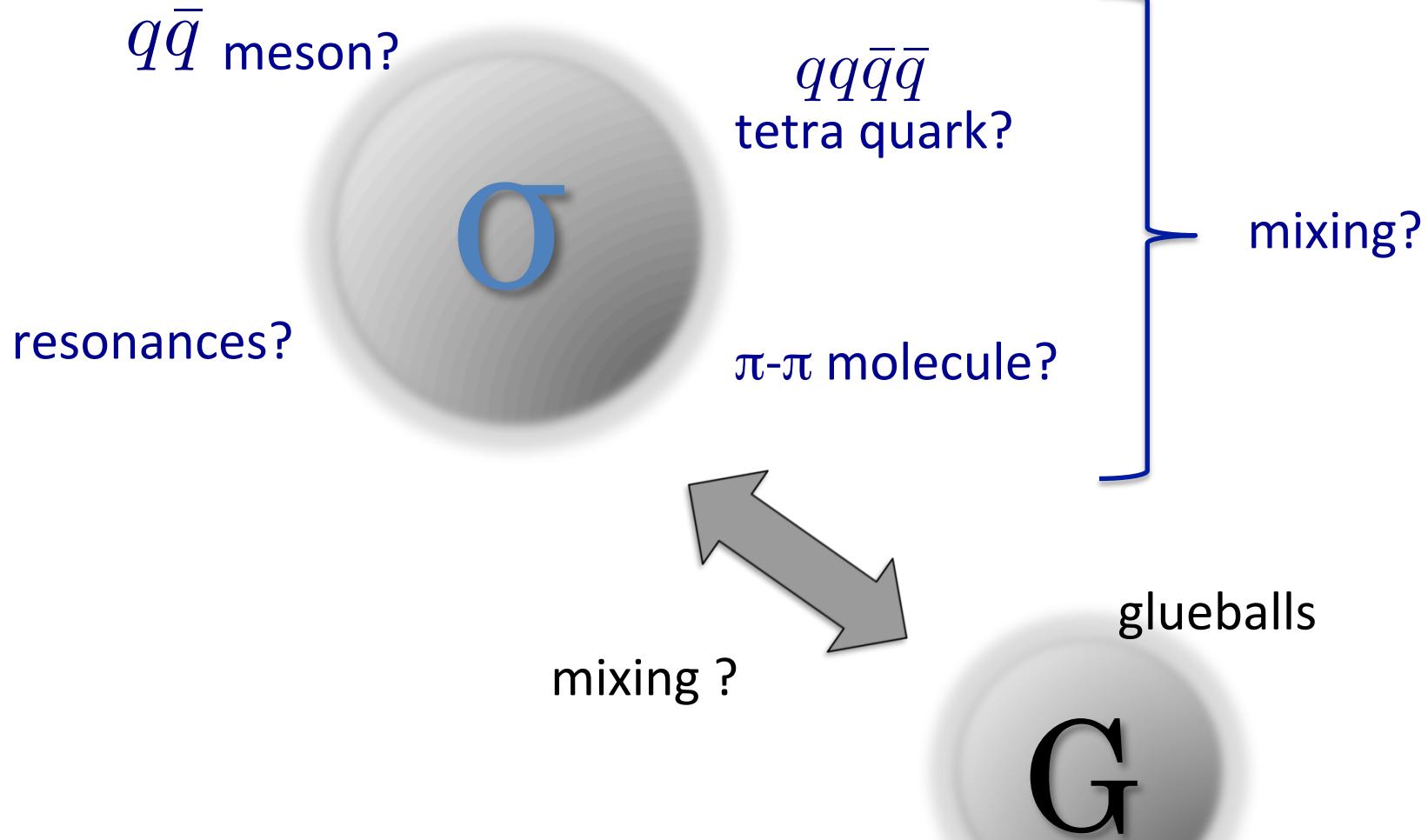
- **Scalar meson as two quark** *Phys. Rev. D70 (2004)034504*
 - For the light sigma meson, the disconnected diagram is important.
 - Mixing with glueballs and four quark state
- **Scalar meson as four quark** *arXiv1412.3909[hep-lat]*
 - The disconnected diagrams are important.
 - “Molecule”: π - π scattering state?
 - “Tetra”: small overlap to the ground state



Future work

- Doubly disconnected diagram, lighter quark mass, larger lattice
- Variational method for possible interpolators
- Finite temperature
- κ, a_0 mesons

σ Meson



Backup

Order estimation in large N_c limit

Replacement with color lines

One quark line
↓
One color line

One gluon line
↓
Two color lines

One loop of the color line contributes by the power of N_c .

$$\text{Diagram } D(t) \sim \mathcal{O} \left((N_c)^1 \times \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N_c}} \right)^2 \right) \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

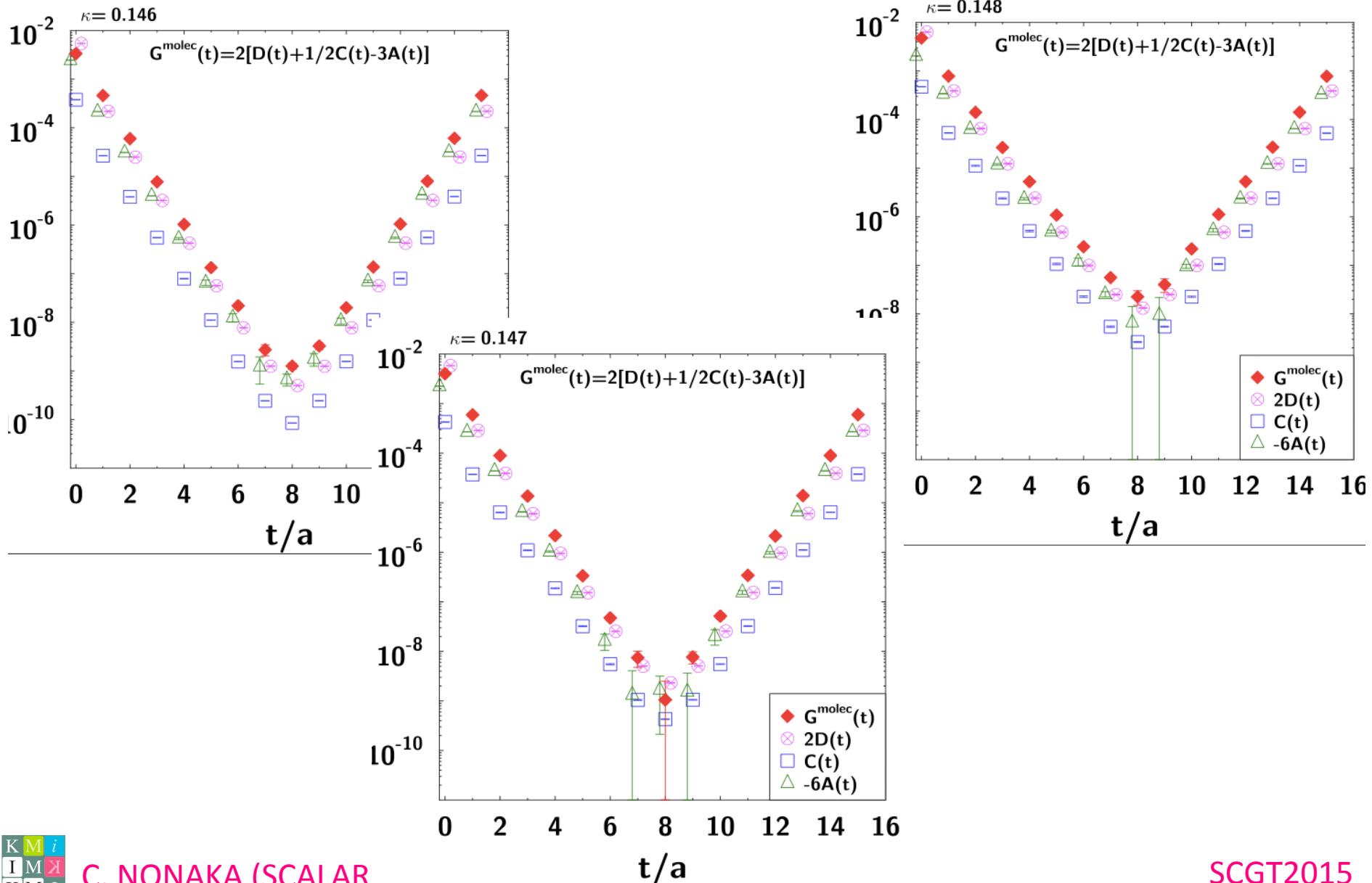
$$\text{Diagram } C(t) \sim \mathcal{O} \left((N_c)^1 \times \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N_c}} \right)^0 \right) \sim \mathcal{O}(N_c)$$

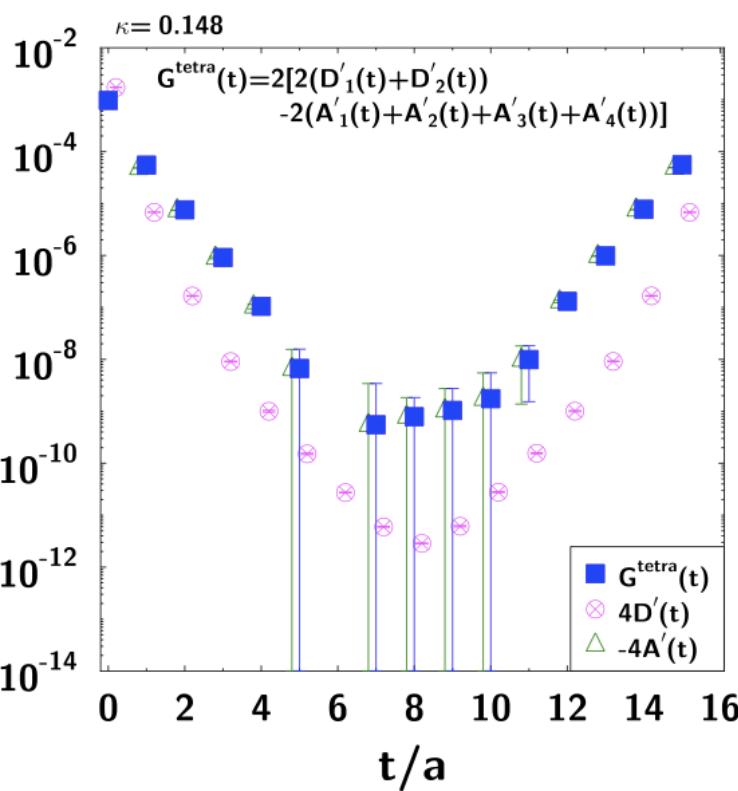
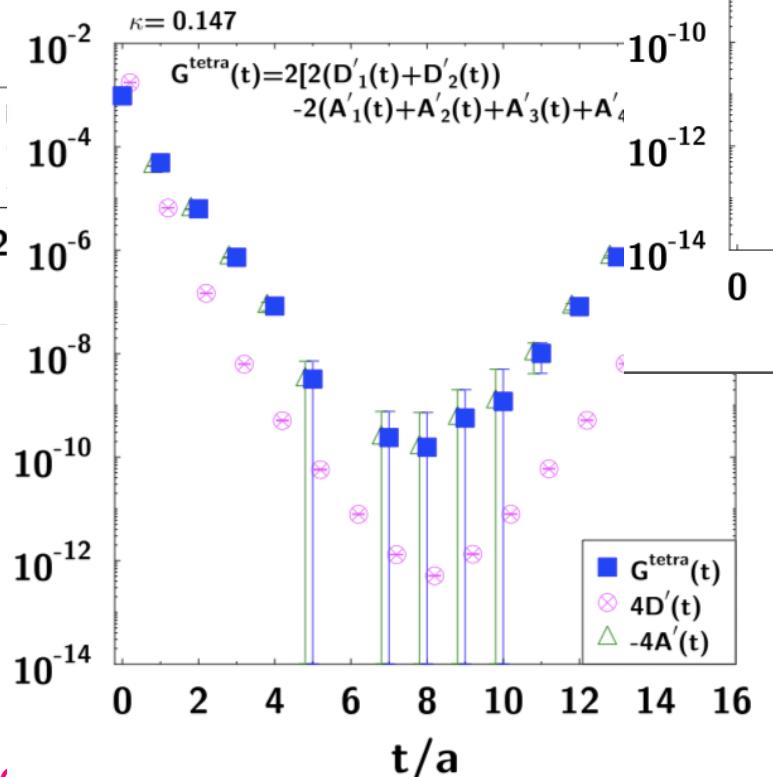
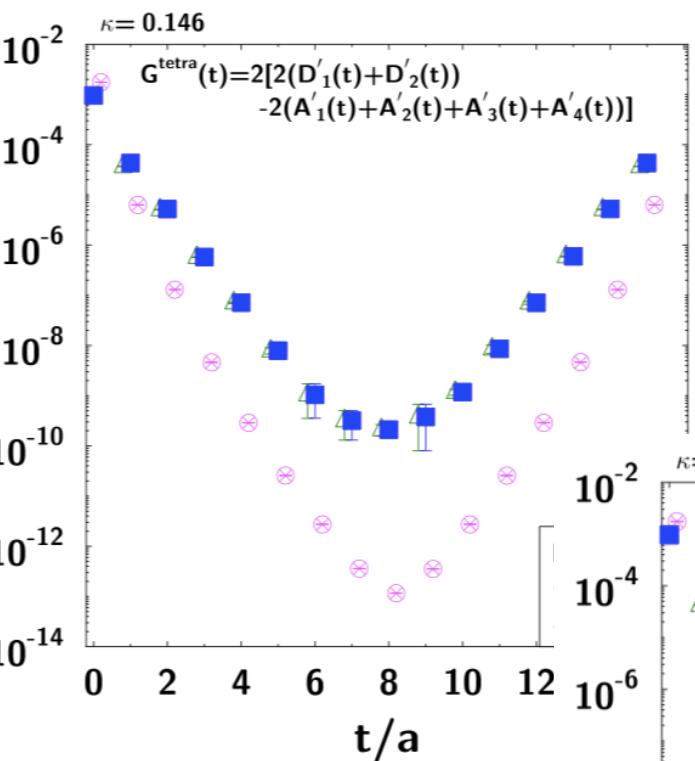
$$\text{Diagram } A(t) \sim \mathcal{O} \left((N_c)^1 \times \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N_c}} \right)^0 \right) \sim \mathcal{O}(N_c)$$

$$\text{Diagram } G(t) \sim \mathcal{O} \left((N_c)^1 \times \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N_c}} \right)^2 \right) \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

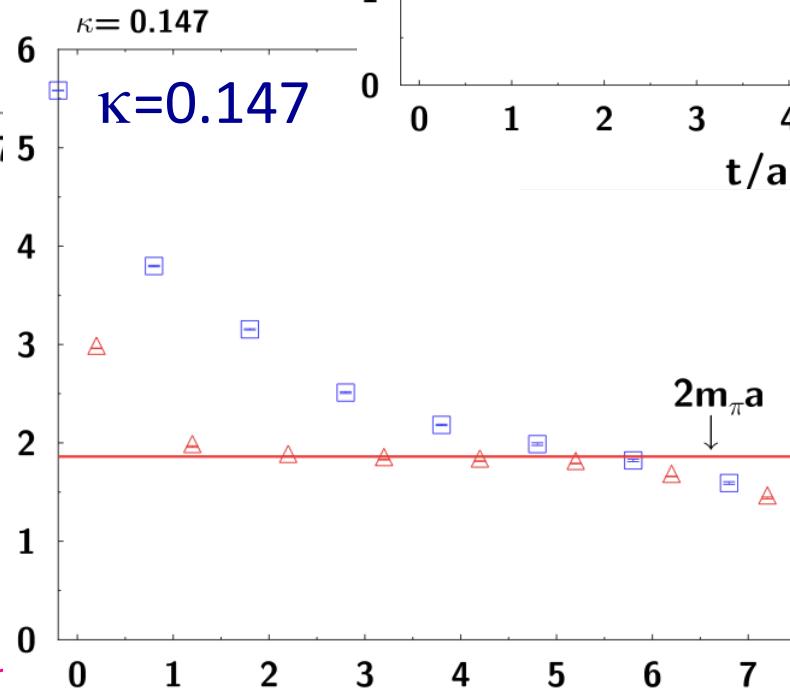
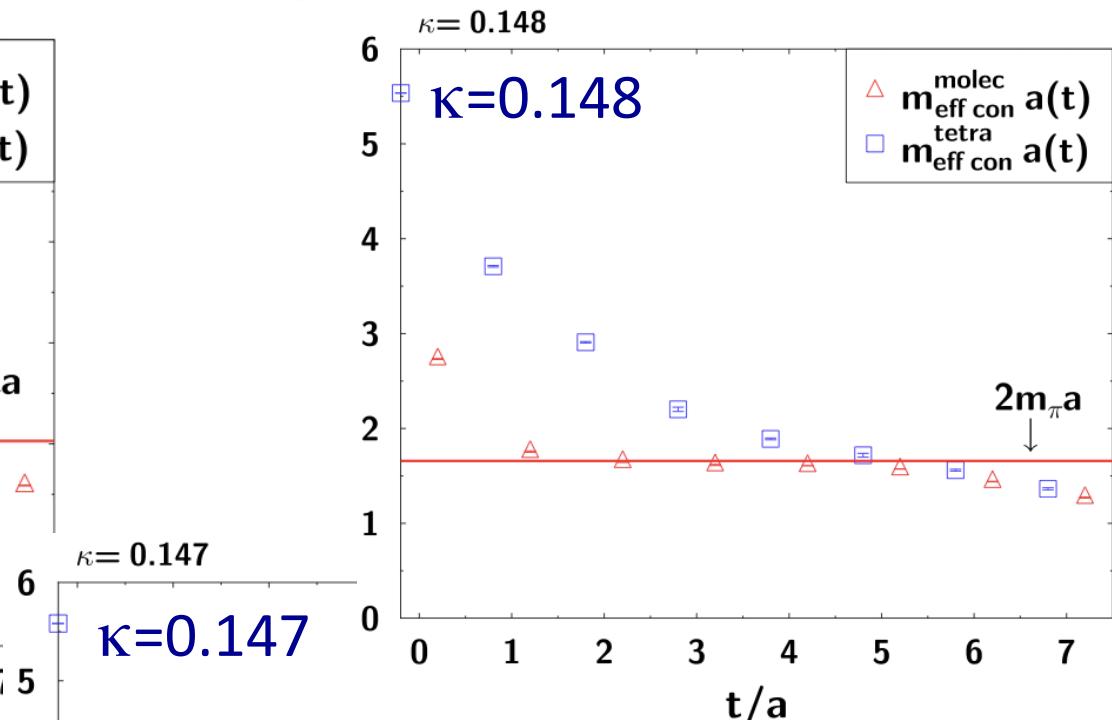
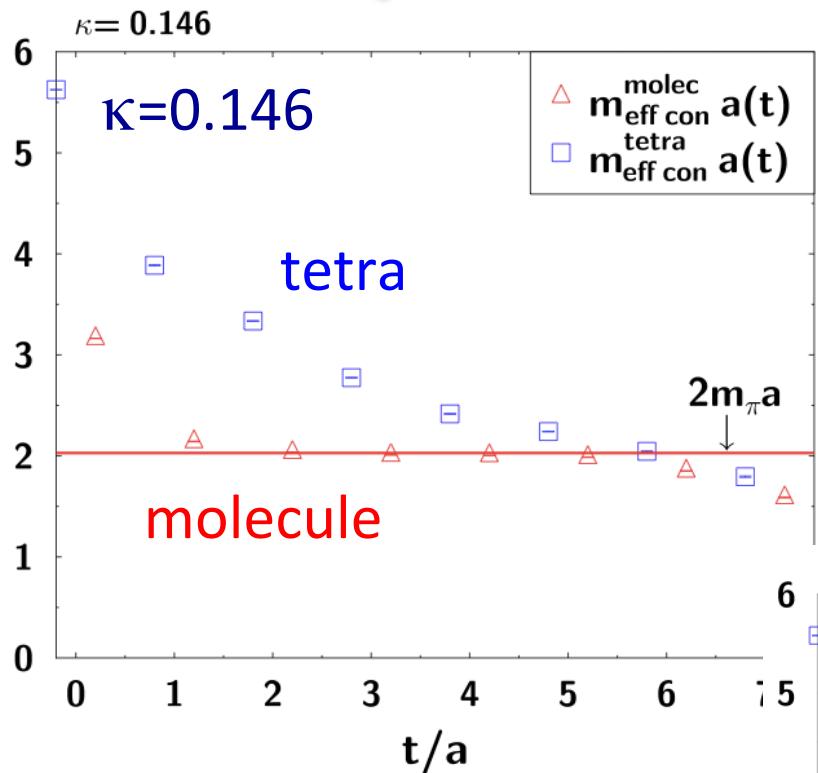
We neglect the doubly disconnected diagrams, because in [PRD 88, 074506 \(2013\)](#), they suggest that the contribution of the doubly disconnected diagrams are N_c order smaller than one of the singly disconnected diagrams.

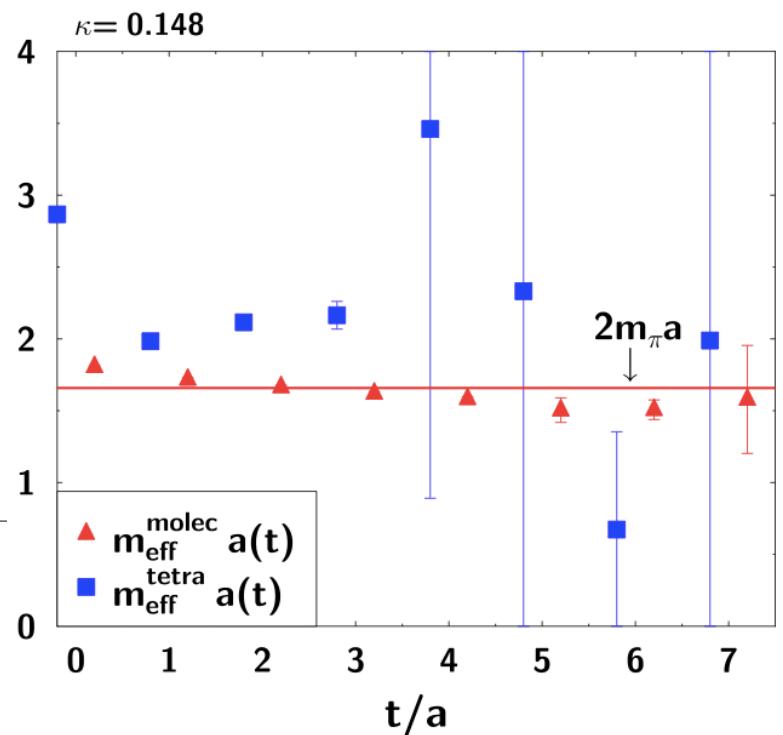
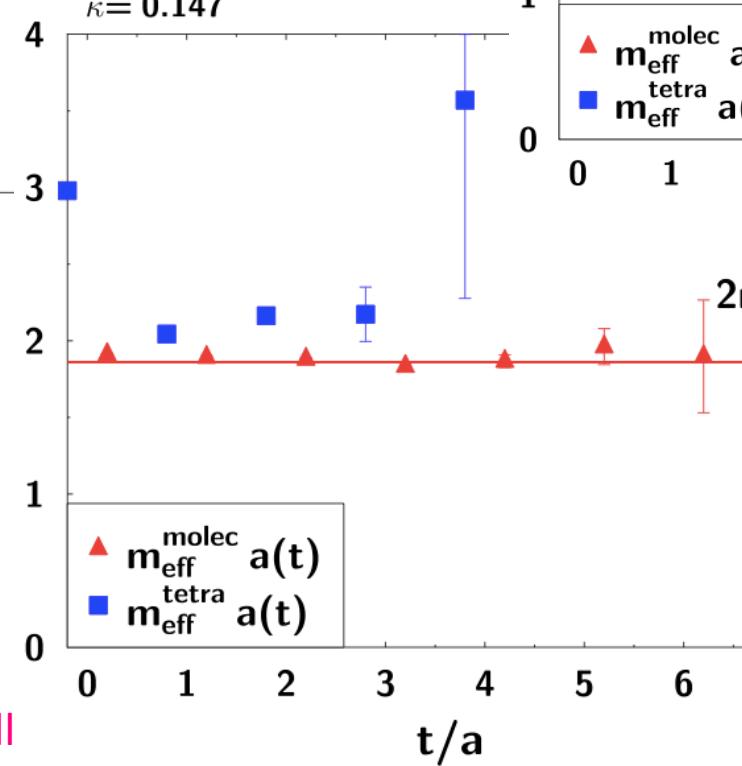
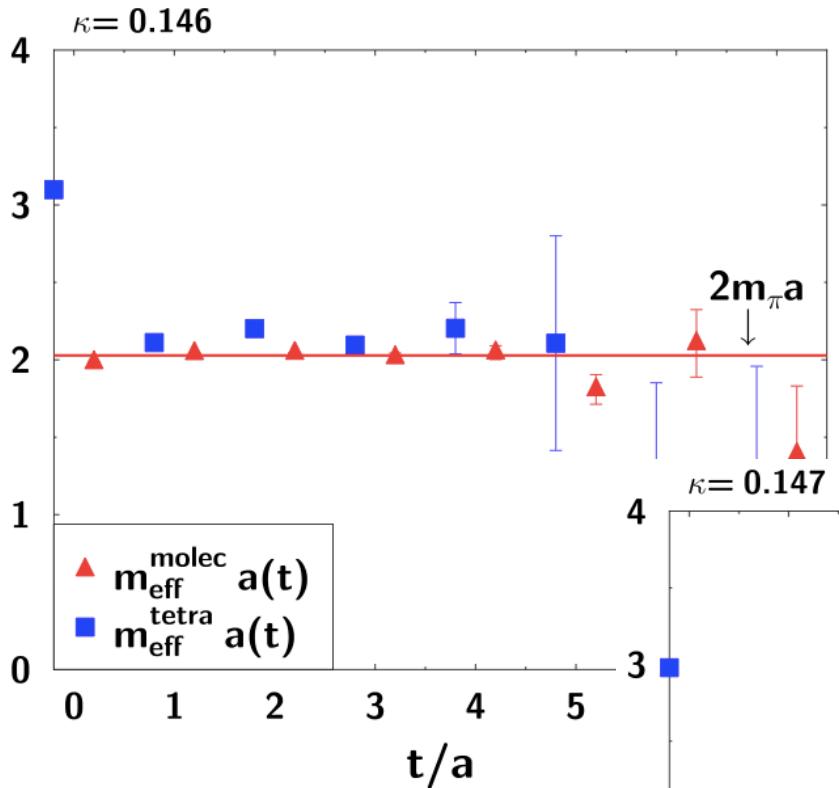
Quark Mass Dependence

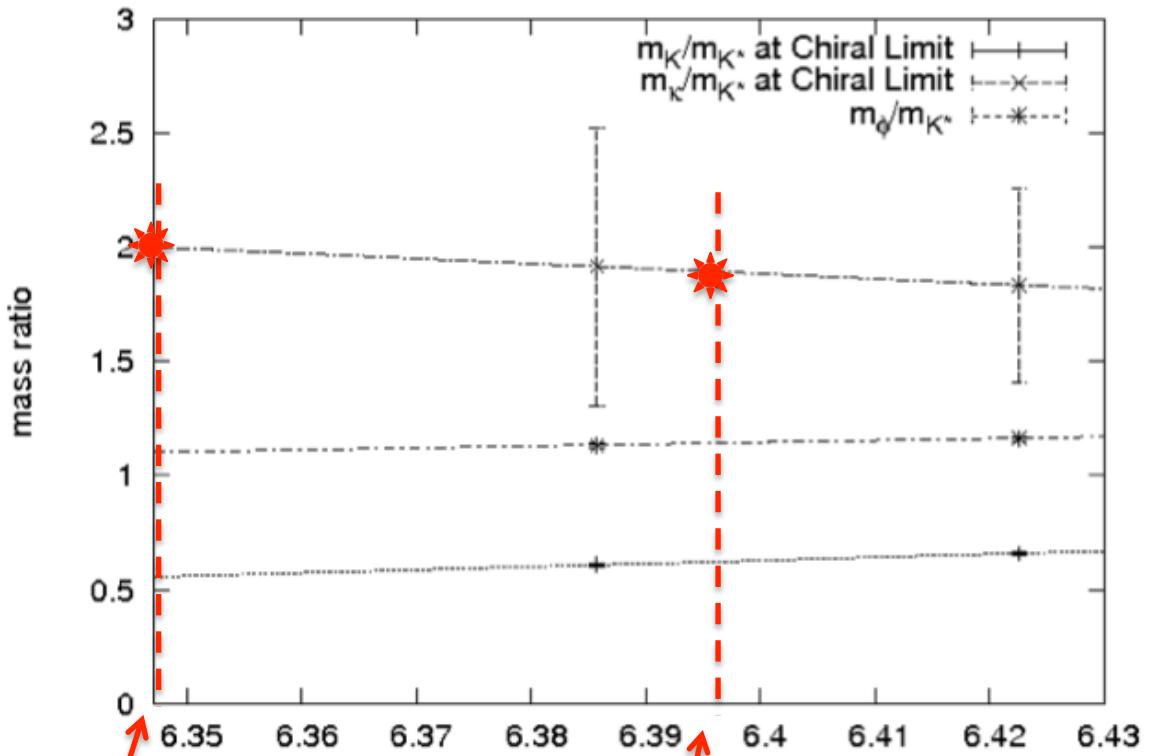




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m_K/m_{K^*} input

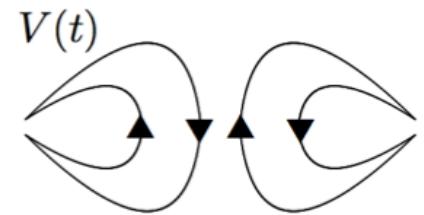
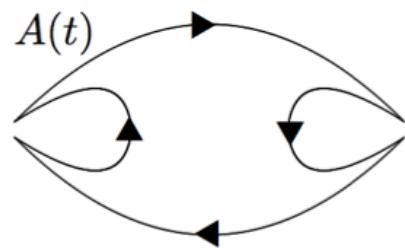
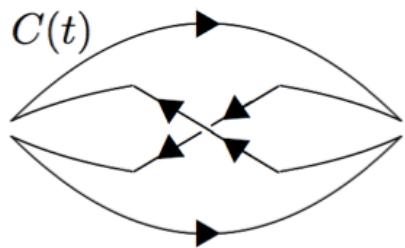
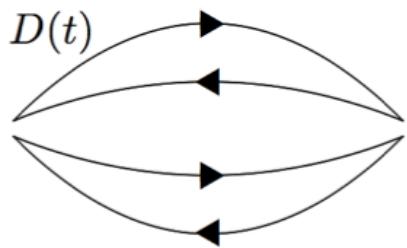
m_ϕ/m_{K^*} input

$1/h_s$

| | h_s | 0.1566 | 0.1557 | 0.1563(3) | 0.1576(2) |
|--|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| | $1/h_s$ | 6.3857 | 6.4226 | 6.396(13) | 6.3452(80) |
| | m_ϕ/m_{K^*} | 1.135(10) | 1.164(10) | 1.143 ¹⁾ | - |
| | m_K/m_{K^*} | 0.6086(79) | 0.6593(63) | 0.623(11) | 0.5556 ¹⁾ |
| | m_κ/m_{K^*} | 1.92(61) | 1.84(43) | 1.89(55) | 2.00(80) |

Molecule & Tetra

- Molecule



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