

# Topological susceptibility in 2+1-flavor QCD with chiral fermions



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# JLQCD collaboration

We simulate 2+1-flavor QCD with Mobius domain-wall fermions.

Computers @KEK: SR16000 (55 TFLOPS) + BG/Q (1.2 PFLOPS)

Lattice cut-off : 2.4, 3.6, 4.2 GeV

Lattice size :  $32^3 \times 64$ ,  $48^3 \times 96$ ,  $64^3 \times 128$  (2.6 fm ~ 4 fm )

pion mass : 230-500 MeV.



Hitachi SR16000



IBM Blue Gene/Q

# Talks by my colleagues

- Y. Aoki [Mon, Nonzero-temp.]: topology at finite T
- B. Colquhoun [Mon, Weak decays]: B semileptonic decay
- HF [Thu, plenary]: U(1) anomaly at finite T
- S. Hashimoto [Wed, Weak decays]: Inclusive B decay
- T. Kaneko [Tue, Weak decays]: D semileptonic decays
- K. Nakayama [Wed, SMprn]: Anomalous dim. from eigenvalue
- C. Rohrhofer [Wed, Nonzero-temp.]: possible symmetry enhancement at finite T
- K. Suzuki [Mon, Nonzero-temp]: U(1) anomaly at finite T

# Motivation: Topological susceptibility is difficult.

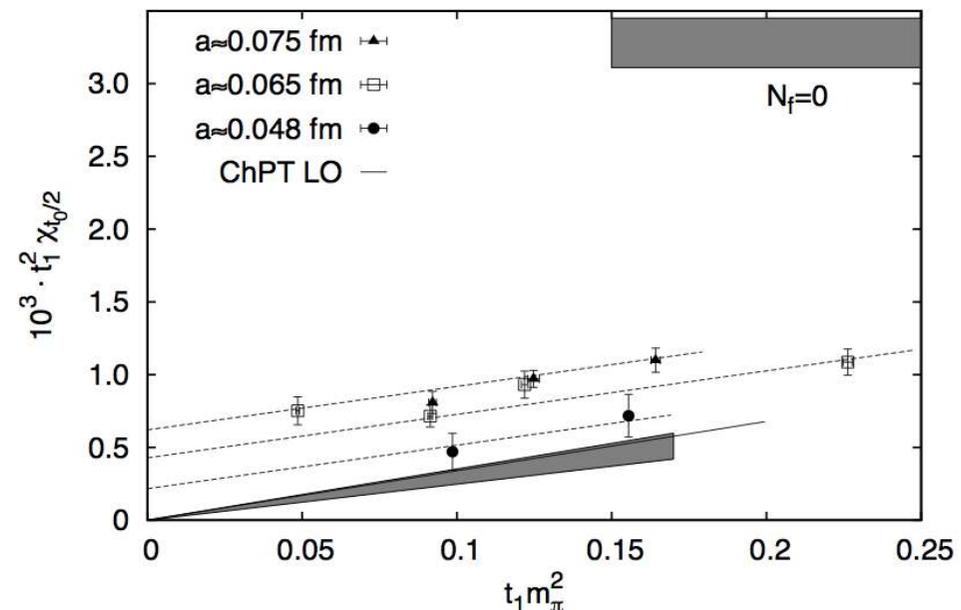
$$\chi_t = \frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle}{V} \quad Q = \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \int d^4x \text{Tr} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} F^{\mu\nu} F^{\rho\sigma}$$

Operator has no explicit quark mass dependence.

→ m-dependence = 1-loop & higher  $\sim O(\hbar)$

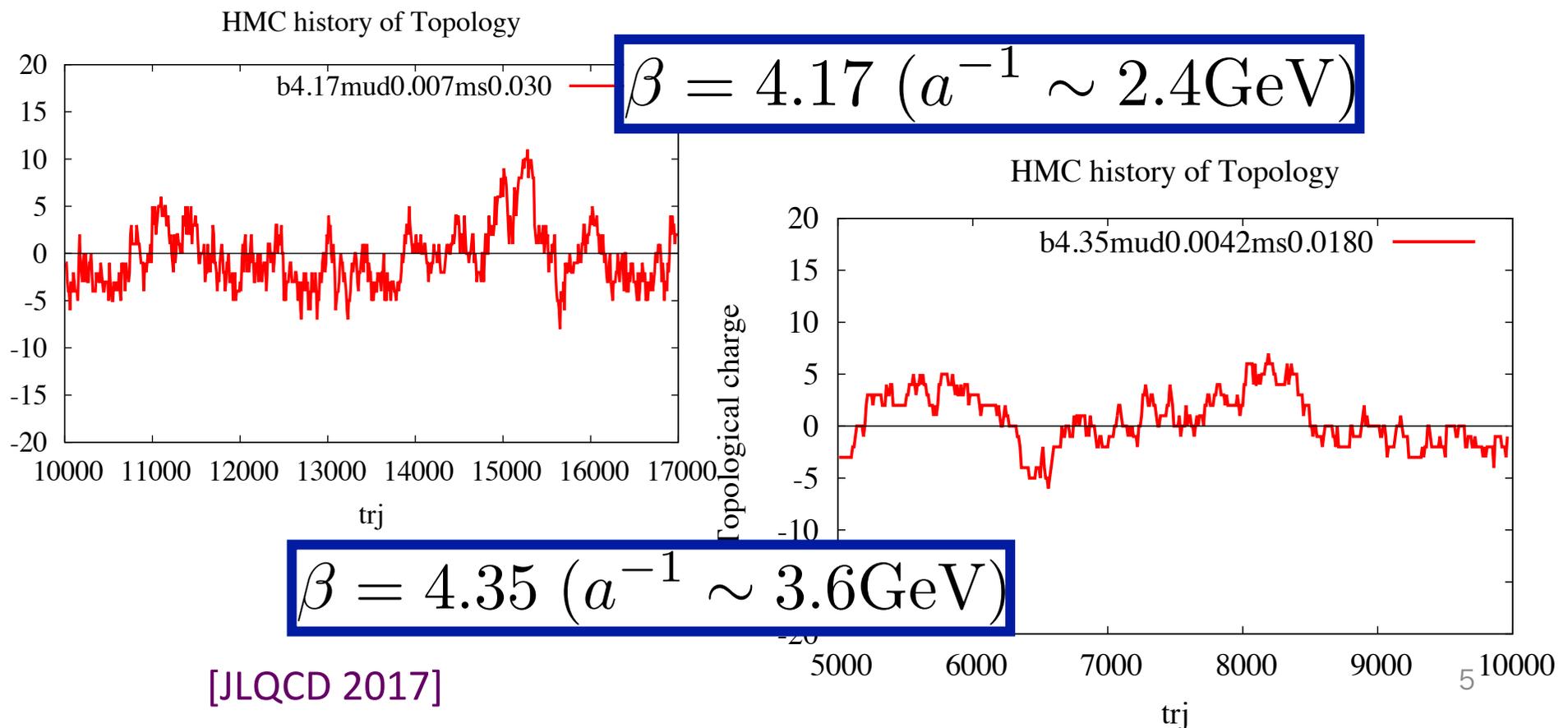
→ relative cut-off effect is large.

Cf. Results w/ Wilson fermions  
 Bruno, Schaefer, Sommer 2014



# Motivation: Topological susceptibility is difficult.

It suffers from long auto-correlation on fine lattice



# What's new in our work

## arXiv:1705.10906

1. Mobius domain-wall fermion  
good chirality, topology tunnelings, large  $V$ , fine lattice spacings.

2. “Slab” sub-volume method [Bietenholz et al. 2015]  
statistically less noisy, shorter auto-correlation than global topology.

3. Chiral perturbation theory  
to find good combination of observables:

$$\frac{\chi_t}{M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2} \text{ is free from chiral logs.}$$

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# 1-loop SU(2) ChPT

[Gasser and Leutwyler 1984]

$$M_\pi^2 = M^2 \left[ 1 + \frac{M^2}{F^2} \left\{ \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{M_{\text{phys}}^2} + 2l_3^r \right\} \right], F_\pi^2 = F^2 \left[ 1 + \frac{M^2}{F^2} \left\{ -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{M_{\text{phys}}^2} + 2l_4^r \right\} \right],$$

$$\chi_t = \frac{M^2 F^2}{4} \left[ 1 - \frac{3M^2}{32\pi^2 F^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{M_{\text{phys}}^2} + \frac{2M^2}{F^2} (l_3^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r) \right],$$

The ratio,

[Mao-Chiu 2009, Aoki-F 2009 Guo-Meiner 2015]

$$\frac{\chi_t}{M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ 1 + \frac{2M^2}{F^2} (-l_4^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r) \right],$$

is free from chiral logs (and UV divs.),  
and finite  $V$  corrections (at 1-loop).

# 1-loop SU(3) ChPT

Moreover, the chiral limit is stable against strange quark effect:

SU(3) ChPT formula

$$\frac{\chi_t}{M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ 1 + \frac{2M_\pi^2 l'_{(\text{eff})}}{F_\pi^2} + \mathcal{O}(M_\pi^4) \right]$$

where  $l'_{(\text{eff})} = -\frac{1}{4M_{ss}^2} \left( F_\pi^2 + \Delta(M_K^2) + \frac{1}{2}\Delta(M_\eta^2) \right) + 36L_7 + 4L_8^r$ .

→ From  $\chi_t, M_\pi, F_\pi$  at each simulation point, we can precisely estimate the physical point of  $\chi_t$ .

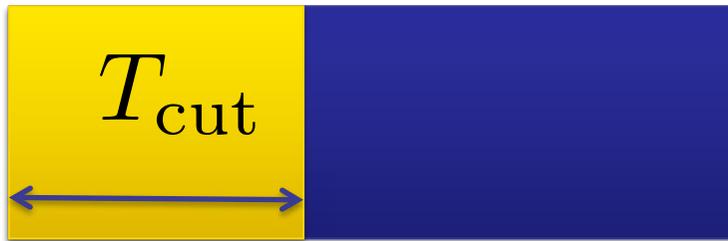
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# Topological susceptibility from slab

$$\langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(T_{\text{cut}}) \rangle \equiv \left\langle \left( \int_0^{T_{\text{cut}}} dx_0 \int d^3x q^{\text{lat}}(x) \right)^2 \right\rangle.$$

[Bietenholz et al. 2015]



$$q(x) = \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} F_{\text{clover}}^{\mu\nu} F_{\text{clover}}^{\rho\sigma}(x)$$

after Wilson flow time  $\sqrt{8t} \sim 0.5$  fm

Advantage : it is **always positive**.

In infinite volume and with infinite statistics,

$$\langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(T_{\text{cut}}) \rangle = \frac{T_{\text{cut}}}{T} \chi_t V$$

# Finite V correction from 1st excited state

$$\int d^3x \langle q(x)q(0) \rangle = A \cosh(m_{\eta'}(x_0 - T/2))$$



$$\langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(T_{\text{cut}}) \rangle = (\chi_t V) \times \frac{T_{\text{cut}}}{T} + \frac{A}{2} (1 - e^{-m_{\eta'} T_{\text{cut}}}) (1 - e^{-m_{\eta'} (T - T_{\text{cut}})})$$

$$\simeq \text{const. for } 0 \ll T_{\text{cut}} \ll T$$

From **linear + const.** behavior, we can extract topological susceptibility from the slope:

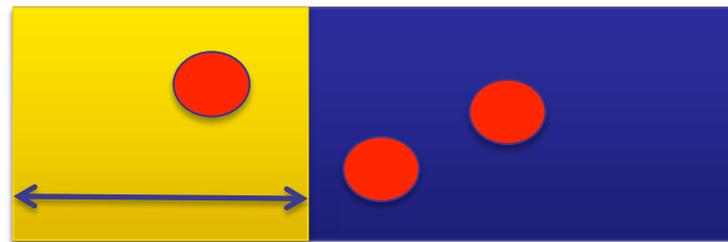
$$\chi_t^{\text{slab}} = \frac{T}{V} \left[ \frac{\langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(t_1) \rangle - \langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(t_2) \rangle}{t_1 - t_2} \right].$$

# What we expect in slab sub-volume

1. Increase statistics by  $\frac{V}{V_{\text{instanton}}}$   
If  $V = \infty$ , one configuration is enough.

[Luescher plenary]

2. Shorter auto-correlation than global Q:  
no topology barrier in a sub-volume



$T_{\text{cut}}$

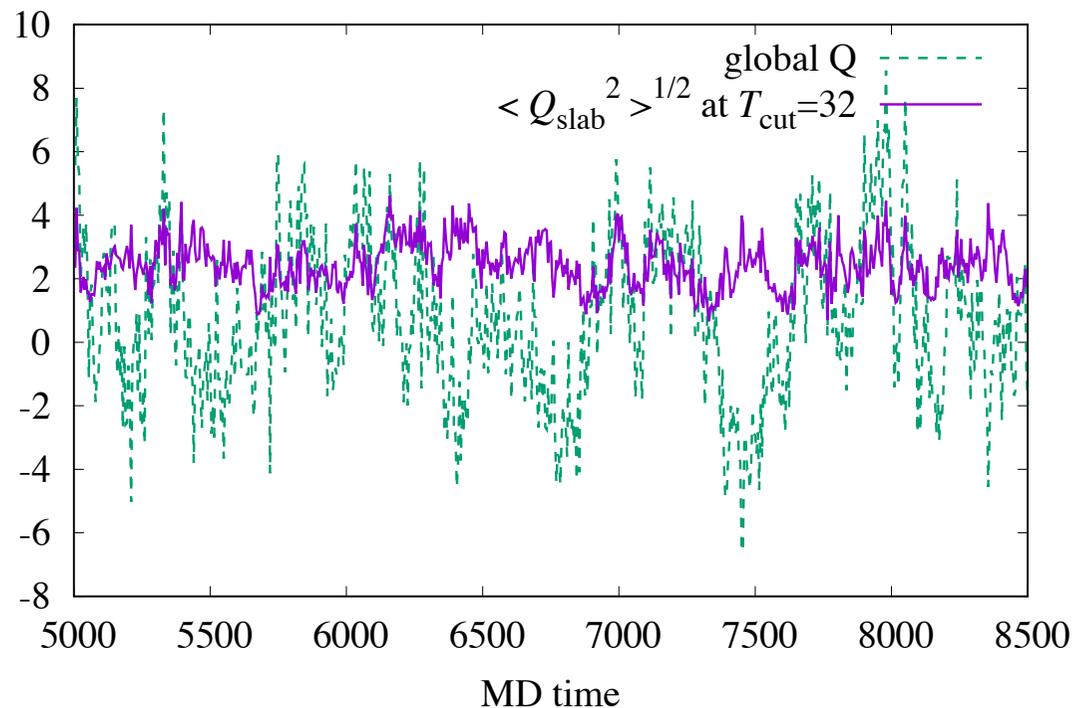
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# Result at $\beta=4.17$ ( $a\sim 0.08$ fm)

Both of global and sub-volume topological fluctuations are active.

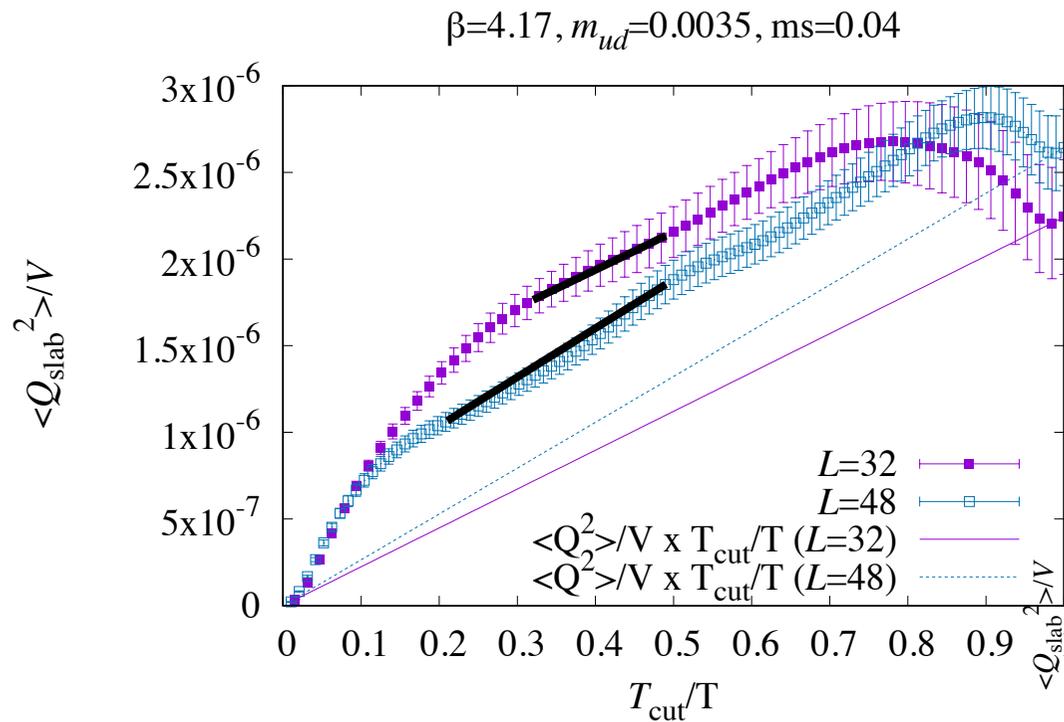
$\beta=4.17$   $L=32$   $m_{ud}=0.007$   $m_s=0.040$



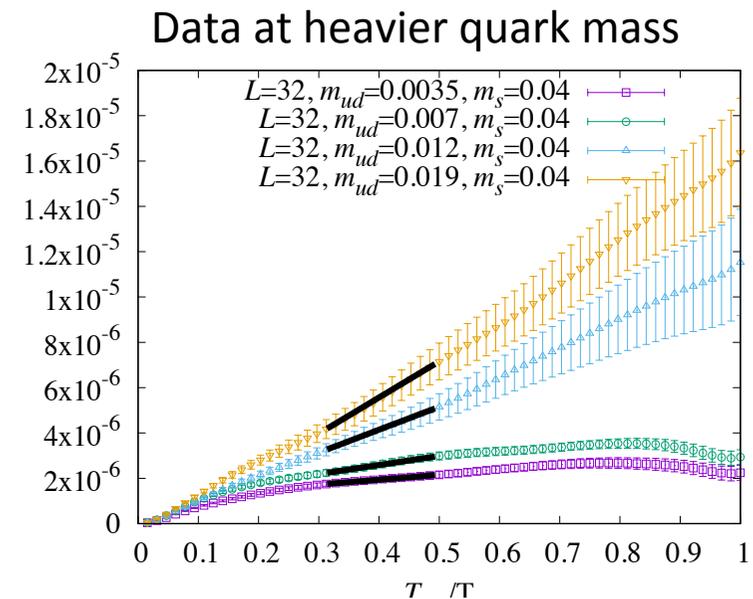
Let us check the consistency with each other, and with ChPT.

# Result at $\beta=4.17$ ( $a\sim 0.08$ fm)

**Linear+const.** behavior is seen.

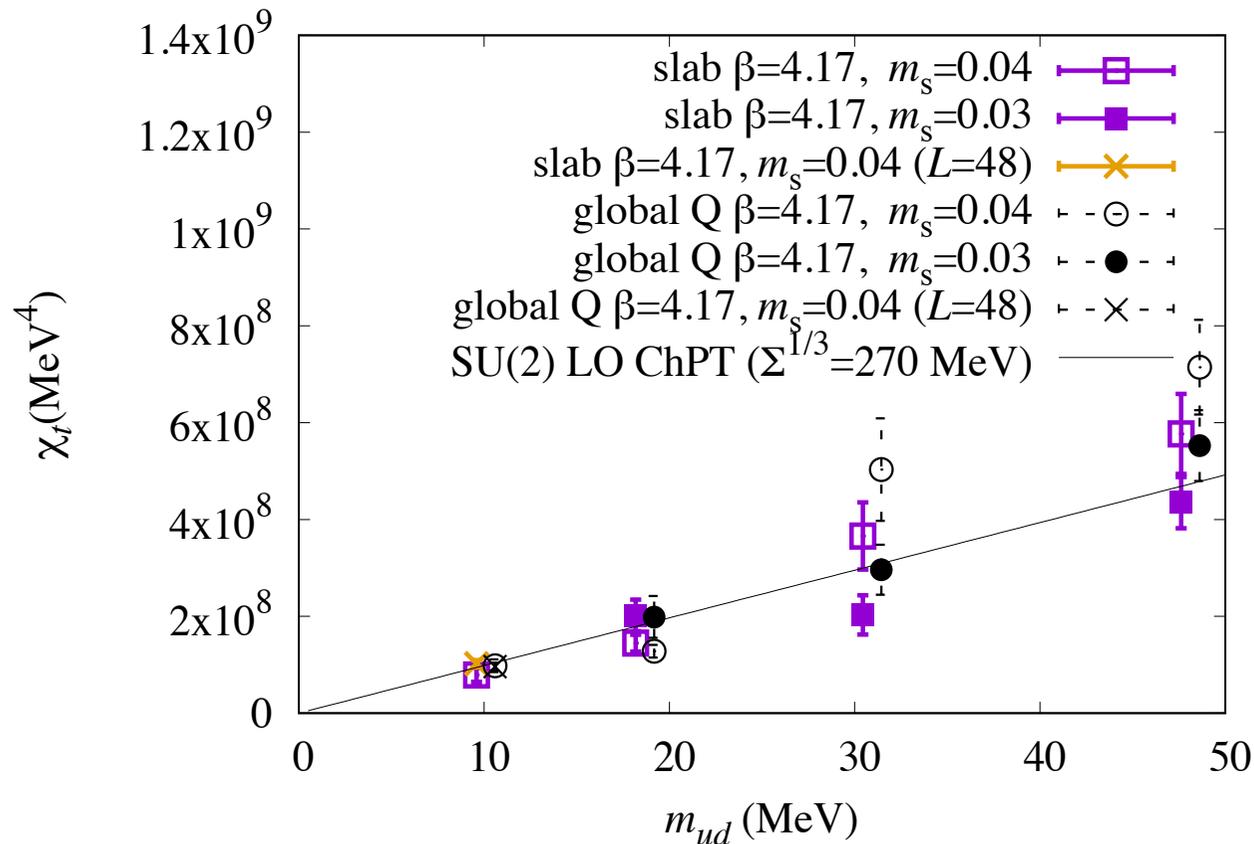


Consistent with global Q  
 $L=32$  (2.6fm) and  $L=48$   
 (3.9 fm) results agree.



# Result at $\beta=4.17$ ( $a\sim 0.08$ fm)

$\chi_t^{\text{slab}} = \frac{T}{V} \left[ \frac{\langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(t_1) \rangle - \langle Q_{\text{slab}}^2(t_2) \rangle}{t_1 - t_2} \right]$  is consistent with ChPT.

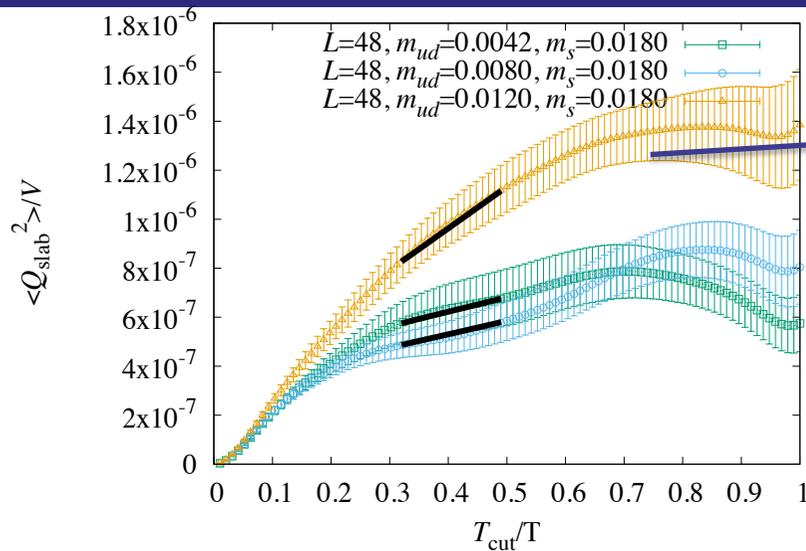


Also consistent with

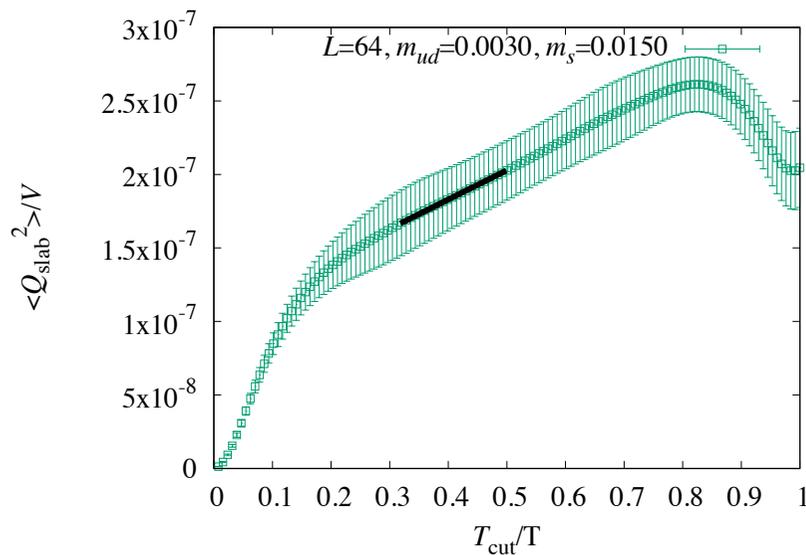
$$\frac{\langle Q^2 \rangle}{V}$$

from global topology.

# Result at $\beta \geq 4.35$ ( $a \leq 0.05\text{fm}$ )



Some curvature is seen, due to effect from global topology, whose autocorrelation time is long.



Careful error estimate is needed.

# Autocorrelation and error estimate

ALPHA collaboration method [Schaefer et al. 2010]:

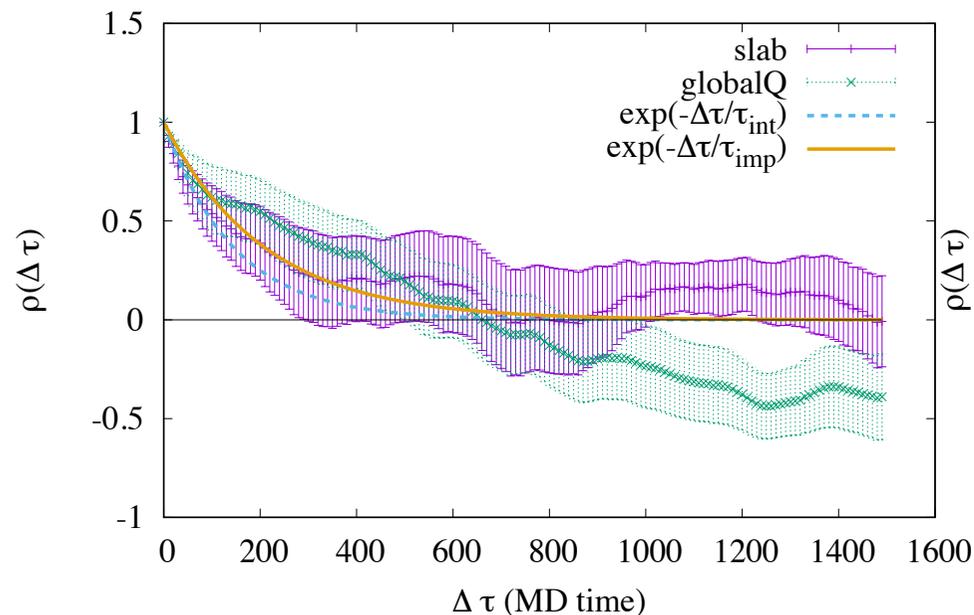
Assuming a double exponential structure,

$$\rho(\tau) = A \exp(-\tau/\tau_{naive}) + B \exp(-\tau/\tau_Q)$$

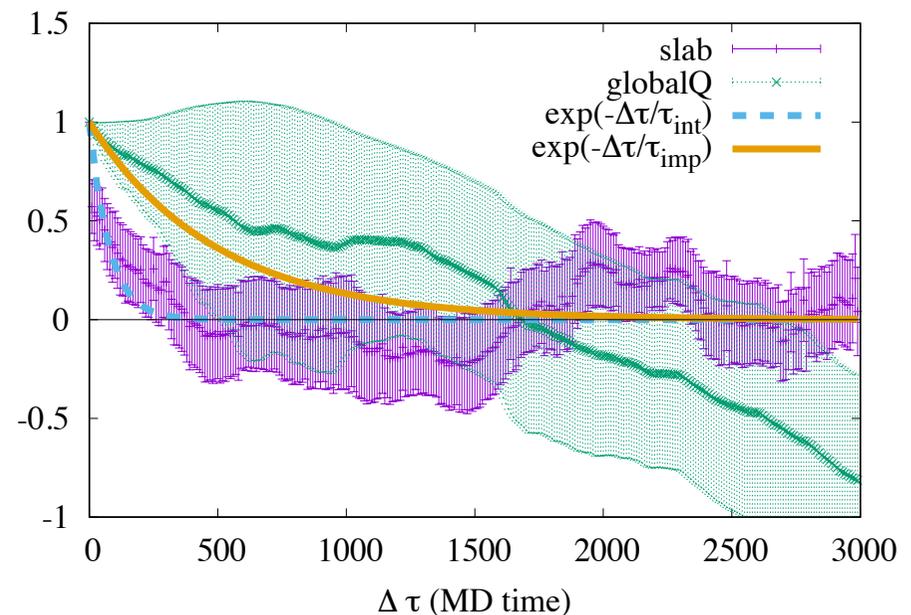
slow mode due to global topology

autocorrelation time is estimated -> statistical errors

$\beta=4.35$   $L=48$   $m_{ud}=0.0042$   $m_s=0.0250$



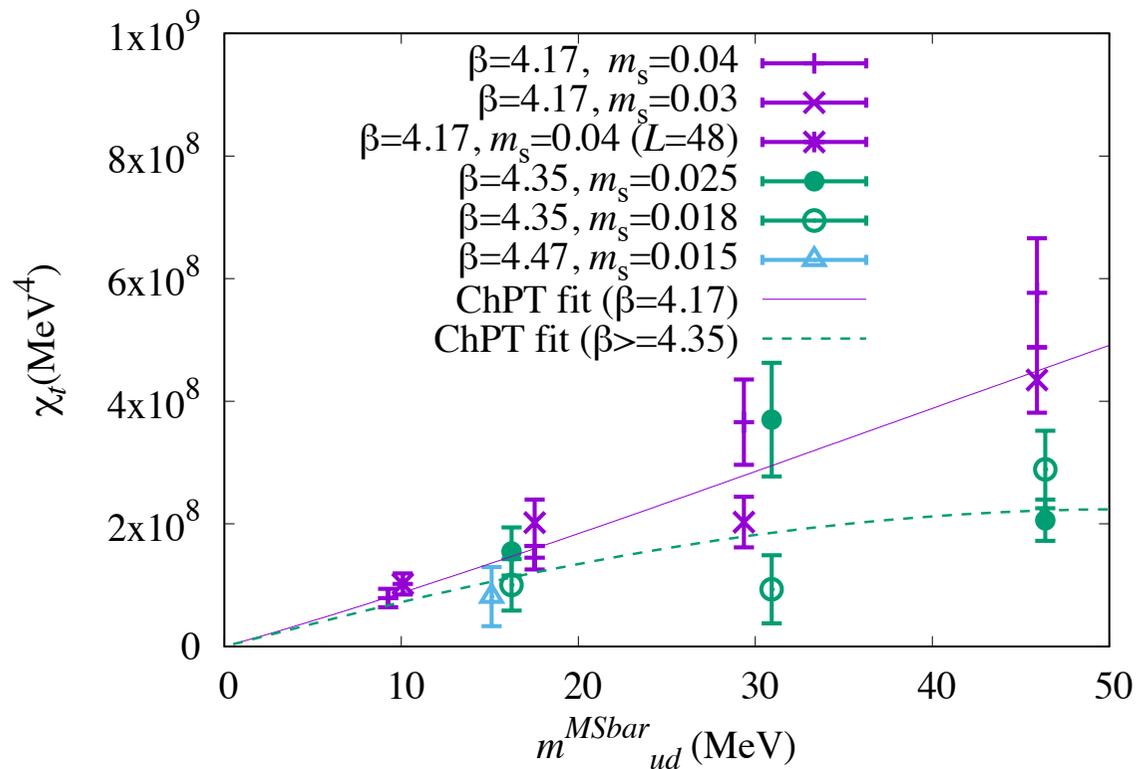
$\beta=4.47$   $L=64$   $m_{ud}=0.0030$   $m_s=0.0150$



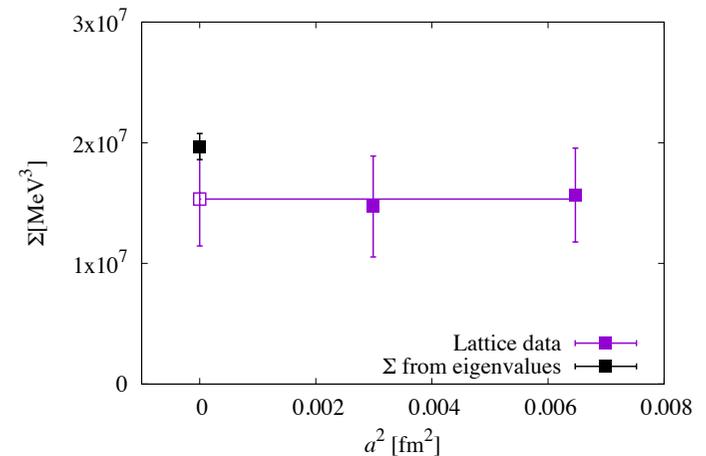
# Chiral and continuum extrapolation

$$\chi_t = \frac{m_{ud}\Sigma}{2} \left\{ 1 - \frac{3m_{ud}\Sigma}{16\pi^2 F_{\text{phys}}^4} \ln \left( \frac{2m_{ud}\Sigma}{F_{\text{phys}}^2 M_{\text{phys}}^2} \right) + \frac{4m_{ud}\Sigma}{F_{\text{phys}}^4} l \right\},$$

$$l = l_3^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r$$

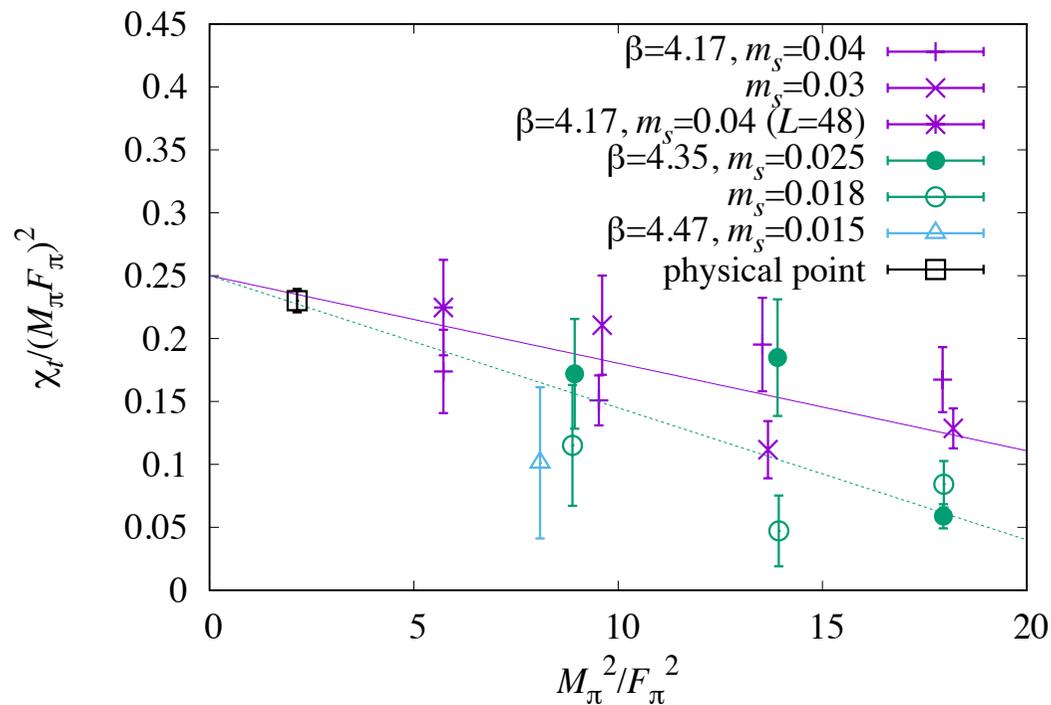


Continuum limit of chiral condensate

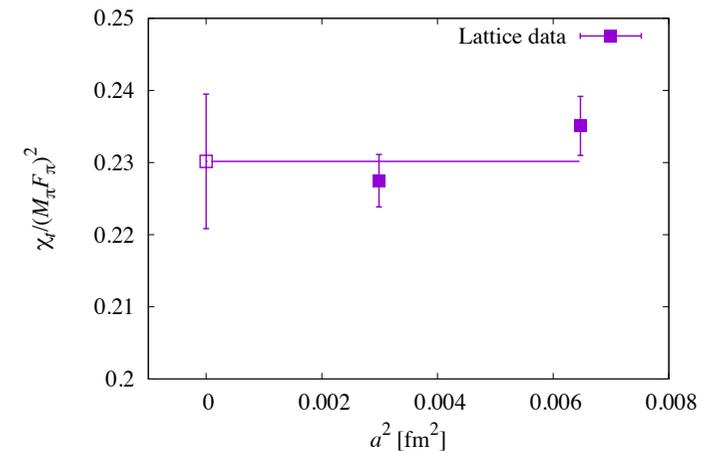


# Ratio with pion mass and decay constant

$$\frac{\chi_t}{M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ 1 + \frac{2M^2}{F^2} (-l_4^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r) \right],$$



Continuum limit of the ratio at physical point



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Consistent with ChPT, good precision for
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# Summary

Using

1. **Good chiral sym.** with domain-wall fermion,
2. **Slab sub-volume** method (to reduce statistical noise and auto-correlation)
3. **Ratio with**  $M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2$  (chiral limit is stable),

we obtain [JLQCD, 1705.10906]

$$\chi_t = 0.230(01)(01)(09) M_\pi^2 F_\pi^2 \text{ (at physical point),}$$

$$\Sigma^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(2\text{GeV}) = [248(11)(15)(08)\text{MeV}]^3,$$

$$(l_3^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r) = 0.0025(24)(150)(22),$$

$$(-l_4^r - l_7^r + h_1^r - h_3^r) = -0.019(01)(09)(01).$$