

# Towards Partial Compositeness on the Lattice: Baryons with Fermions in Multiple Representations

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## 1. Introduction

- Lightning review of partial compositeness
- Our lattice model
- Technical specifications

## 2. Lattice research program

- Baryons in  $SU(3)$  and  $SU(4)$
- Non-relativistic quark models
- Lattice results

## 3. Summary and Outlook

# How does mass generation occur in strongly coupled BSM models?

- Classic “extended technicolor”

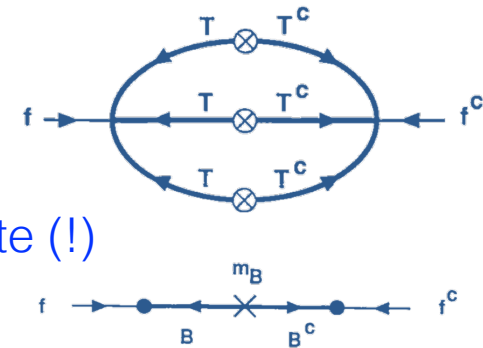
- Chiral condensate **breaks  $SU(2)_L$**
- Higgs emerges from dynamics: dilaton (?)

- Composite Higgs -- Limited lattice investigation to date (!)

- Chiral condensate **preserves  $SU(2)_L$**
- Higgs from SSB: exact Goldstone boson
- SM loops generate potential for Higgs

- Fermion masses from 4-fermion interactions in both cases:

- **Partial compositeness means linear couplings** to baryon operators



$$\bar{q}q\bar{\psi}\psi \sim \bar{q}q\mathcal{O}_{\text{ETC}}$$

Trouble with FCNC constraints

$$\bar{q}\psi\psi\psi \sim \bar{q}\mathcal{O}_{\text{PC}}$$

- Better FCNC bounds
- Mass mixing
- Top quark partner(s)

# Ferretti's Model (1404.7137)

A specific continuum UV theory for partial compositeness

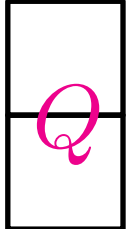
✧ **SU(4)** gauge theory


✧ Fermions:

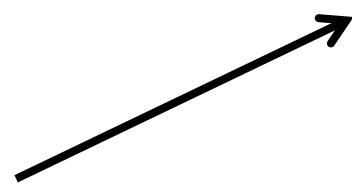
- **5 sextet** Majorana fermions
- **6 fundamental** Majorana fermions
- Equivalent Dirac DOF: 2.5 sextet, 3 fundamental

✧ Symmetry breaking: **SU(5)/SO(5)** in the IR

- **Sextet SU(4)** is a **real representation**
- Symmetry breaking pattern is different from QCD

5 × 

6 × 



➤ Tough theory for lattice simulation

# Our Lattice Deformation

(The model we actually simulate)

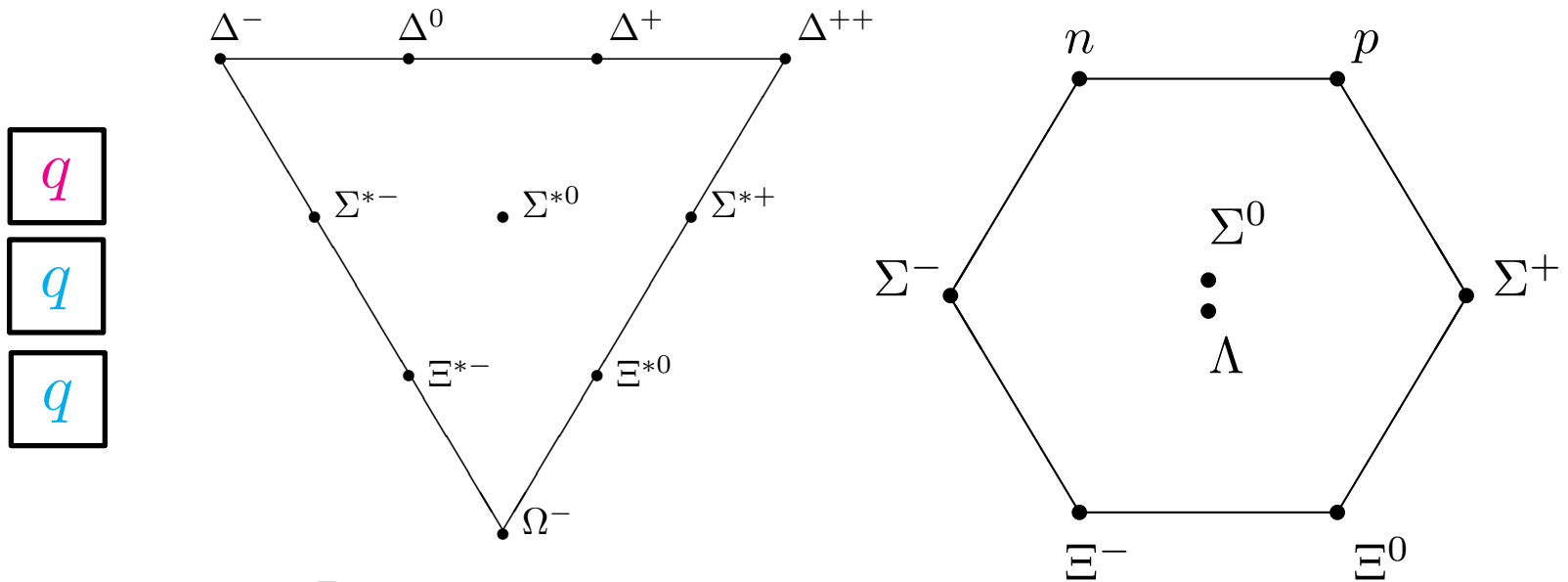
- Still **SU(4)** Gauge theory
- Modified matter content
  - **2.5**  $\mapsto$  **2 sextet** Dirac SU(4) fermions
  - **3**  $\mapsto$  **2 fundamental** Dirac SU(4) fermions
- Symmetry breaking: **SU(4)/SO(4)** in the IR
- **Disclaimer 1:** The deformation to SU(4)/SO(4) is *not* directly relevant for phenomenology.
- **Disclaimer 2:** Results today come from exploratory runs with partial quenching. Fully dynamical simulations are underway.

# Technical Specifications

- “**Multirep Milc**” with “**NDS action**”
  - (DeGrand, Shamir, Svetitsky: 1407.4201)
- Wilson-Clover fermions
- SU(4) theory space parameterized by  $(\beta, \kappa_4, \kappa_6)$
- Today
  - Exploratory study: **partially quenched**
  - Ensemble from DeGrand, Liu:1606.01277
  - $V=16^3 \times 32$
  - 2 x **dynamical fundamental** fermions
    - $(\beta = 10.2, \kappa_4 = 0.1265, \kappa_{4;\text{critical}} = 0.1284)$
    - $m_{\text{PS}}/m_V = 0.385(1)/0.560(3) = 0.688$
  - **Quenched sextet** propagators

# Warm-up for baryons in SU(4): Hyperons in SU(3)

Baryons with (S=-1):  $uus$ ,  $uds$ ,  $dds$



$$\Sigma^*(1390) : I(J^P) = 1(3/2^+)$$

$$\Sigma(1190) : I(J^P) = 1(1/2^+)$$

$$\Lambda(1120) : I(J^P) = 0(1/2^+)$$

$\Lambda$  (isosinglet) =  
lightest QCD hyperon

# Baryons in SU(4)

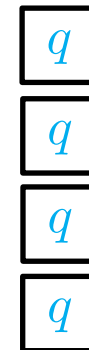
## Building blocks

- ❖ Fundamental SU(4) fermion:  $q_a$
- ❖ Sextet SU(4) fermion:  $Q_{ab}$  with two indices



## Quarks in a single representation

- ❖ Cousins of QCD nucleons
- ❖ Typical baryons:  $(qqqq)_{SU(4)}$
- ❖ 4 fermions: bosons
- ❖ Also appearing:  $(QQQQQQ)_{SO(6)}$



## Quarks in both representations

- ❖ Cousins of QCD hyperons
- ❖ Chimera baryons  $(Qqq)_{SU(4)}$
- ❖ 3 fermions: fermions
- ❖ My code constructs these states (!)



# Baryon Masses in SU(4)

Goal: **qualitative understanding** of baryon spectrum

The tool: A non-relativistic quark model

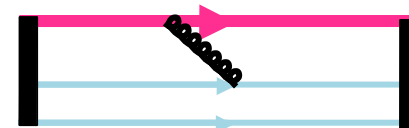
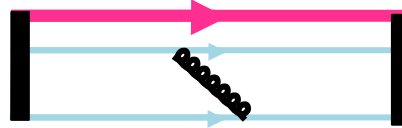
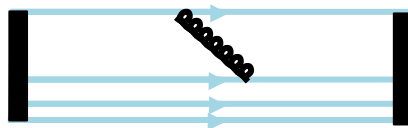
- “Constituent” quark masses with “color hyperfine” interactions
- A NR quark model also makes **quantitative predictions for the entire spectrum of SU(4) baryons**



Gell-Mann 1969

$$m_{qqqq} = 4m_q + \frac{C}{m_q^2} \sum_{i < j} \vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j = 4m_q + \frac{C}{2m_q^2} (\vec{S}_{\text{tot}}^2 - 3)$$

$$m_{Qqq} = m_Q + 2m_q + \frac{C}{m_q^2} \left( \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 + 2 \frac{m_q}{m_Q} \vec{S}_Q \cdot (\vec{S}_1 + \vec{S}_2) \right)$$





# Qqq Lattice Interpolating Fields

- Color Structure
  - Baryons are **SU(4) color singlets**
  - Code simulates six degrees of freedom for sextets
  - **Must map indices SO(6) → SU(4) for correlation functions**
- Spin Structure
  - Intuition from quark model as guide
  - Projection with  $P_{\pm} = \frac{1}{2}(1 \pm \gamma_4)$  onto two-component NR basis
  - Clebsches  $C^{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$  enact **spin contraction**

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 \mapsto 12 \\ 2 \mapsto 13 \\ \vdots \\ 6 \mapsto 34 \end{array} \right.$$

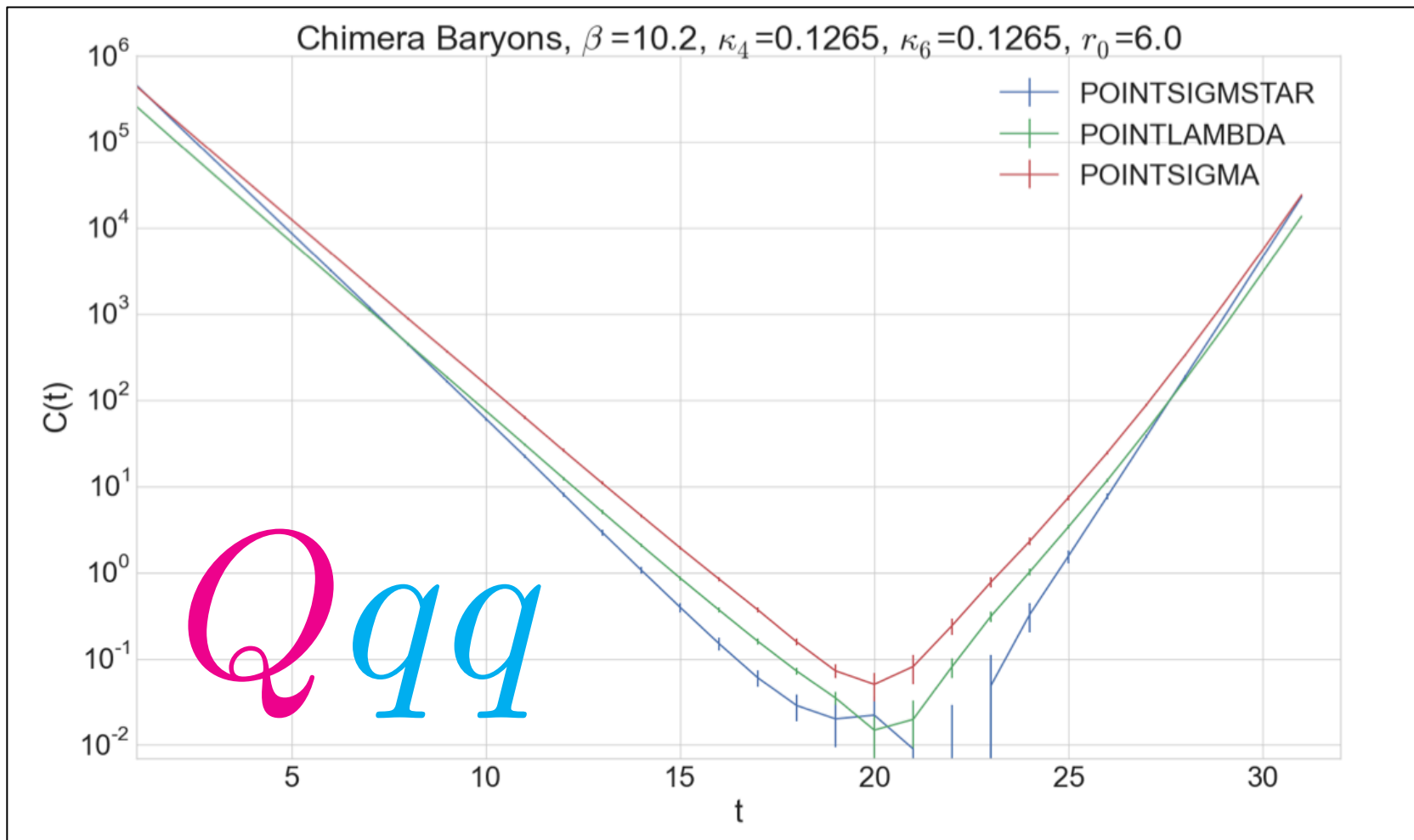
Color singlets      Spin contraction      Sextet quark: two color indices

$$\langle \bar{\mathcal{O}}_B(m) \mathcal{O}_B(n) \rangle = \epsilon_{abcd} \epsilon_{efgh} C^{\alpha\gamma\delta\lambda} C^{\epsilon\phi\eta\zeta} D_Q^{-1}(m|n)_{\alpha,\epsilon}^{ab,ef}$$

$$\times \left[ D_q^{-1}(m|n)_{\gamma,\phi}^{c,g} D_q^{-1}(m|n)_{\delta,h}^{d,h} - D_q^{-1}(m|n)_{\gamma,\eta}^{c,h} D_q^{-1}(m|n)_{\delta,\phi}^{d,g} \right]$$

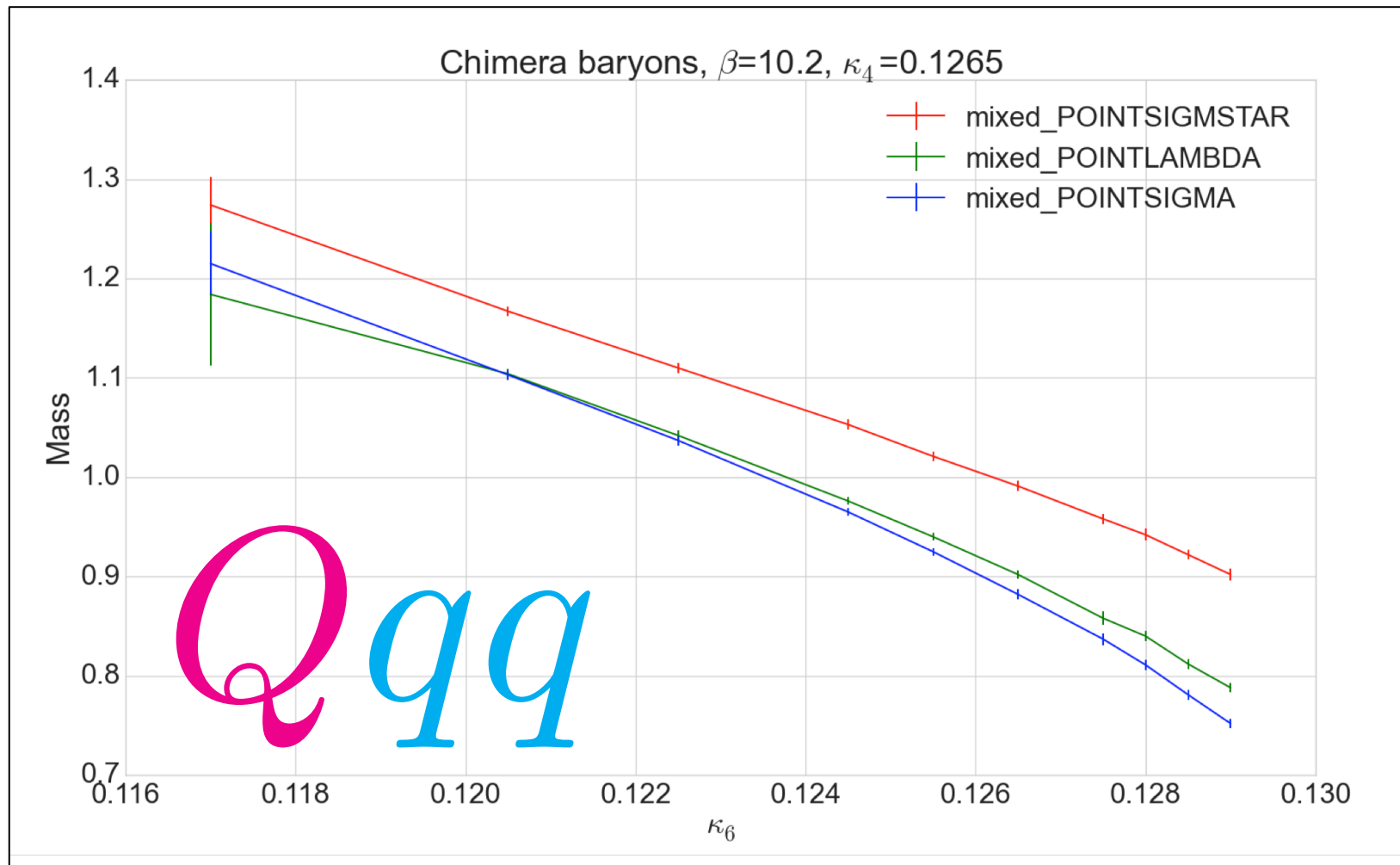
Fundamental quarks: single color index      Minus sign from Wick's theorem

# “Chimera” 2-point correlators



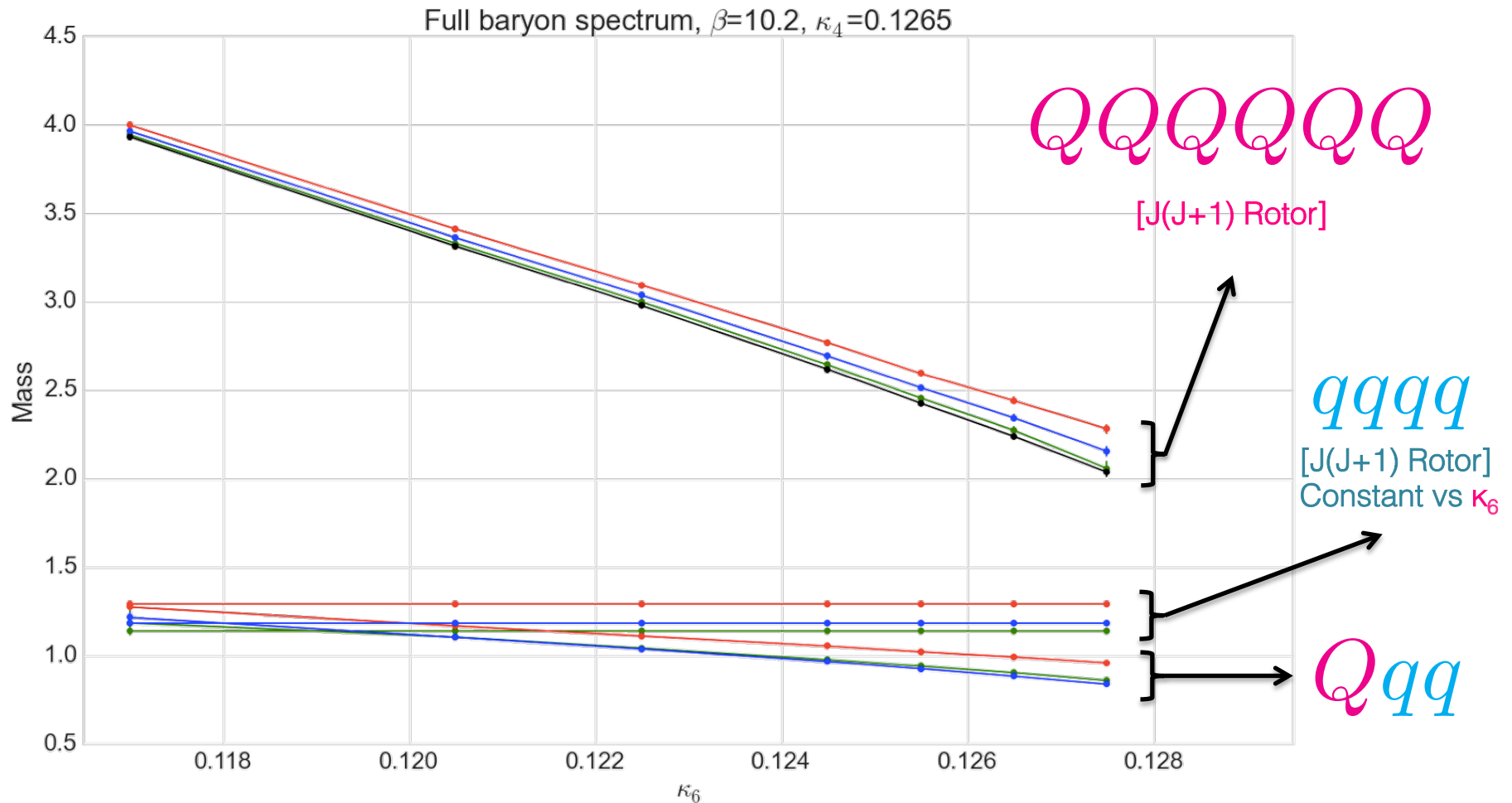
- Strong signals with 50 - 60 configurations
- Asymmetric correlators, as in QCD (cf. Leinweber 2005, nucl-th/0406032)

# Chimera Spectrum vs $\kappa_6$ (fixed $\kappa_4$ )



Isotriplet “ $\Sigma$ -like” state lighter than isosinglet “ $\Lambda$ -like” state at small sextet quark mass

# SU(4) baryon spectrum vs $\kappa_6$



- Chimera  $Qqq$  baryons can be light particles in the heavy spectrum
- Will these features persist with both representations in the sea?

# Success with the Quark Model

(pending confirmation with both representations in the sea)

- This SU(4) system is **not QCD**
- But the quark model successfully predicts **all the qualitative features** of the low-lying hadron spectrum
  - Rotor splittings:  $\delta m \sim J(J+1)$
  - Relative sizes of **QQQQQ**, **qqqq**, **Qqq**
  - Presence of  $\Sigma$ - $\Lambda$  inversion
- The chimera baryons are comparatively light  $\rightarrow$  **good for phenomenology**

# Summary and Outlook

- We saw preliminary results for SU(4) gauge theory with fermions in mixed representations
  - A quark model plays a key role in our understanding the spectrum of this theory.
- Interesting related questions remain (in progress)
  - Pheno implications for the  $\Sigma$ - $\Lambda$  inversion?
  - Calculation of the **non-perturbative mixing** of elementary fermions with composite operators
  - Calculation of **anomalous dimensions** for the four-fermion interactions
  - **Extending Large-N** results to mixed representations
  - ...
- Other interesting questions we're actively pursuing
  - What does the thermodynamic phase diagram look like?
  - Do dynamically separated phases exist?
  - Do hierarchies of scales exist?

Thank you for your attention.

Back-up slides

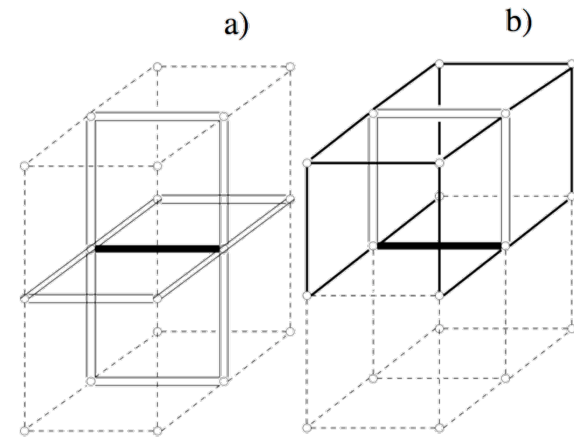


# The NDS Action

(Slide credit: E. Neil)

- HYP smearing: staple sum over “fat links” added to original. nHYP normalizes the smeared link  $W$ .  $V = \Omega(\Omega^\dagger\Omega)^{-1/2}$
- $Q^{-1/2}$  appears in the fermion force, and small eigenvalues can cause spikes. “nHYP dislocation suppressing” action cancels these with additional marginal gauge terms  $S_{\text{NDS}}$ :

$$S_{\text{NDS}} = \frac{1}{2N_c} \sum_x \text{Tr} \left( \gamma_1 \sum_\mu \tilde{Q}_{x,\mu}^{-1} + \gamma_2 \sum_{\mu \neq \nu} \tilde{Q}_{x,\mu;\nu}^{-1} + \gamma_3 \sum_{\rho \neq \xi} Q_{x,\rho;\xi}^{-1} \right)$$



$$Q^{-1/2} = (\Omega^\dagger\Omega)^{-1/2}$$

- Bare gauge coupling depends on  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ . We fix the ratio and adjust  $\beta$  to move lattice spacing

# More technical details 1/2

The “**Multirep MILC**” code...

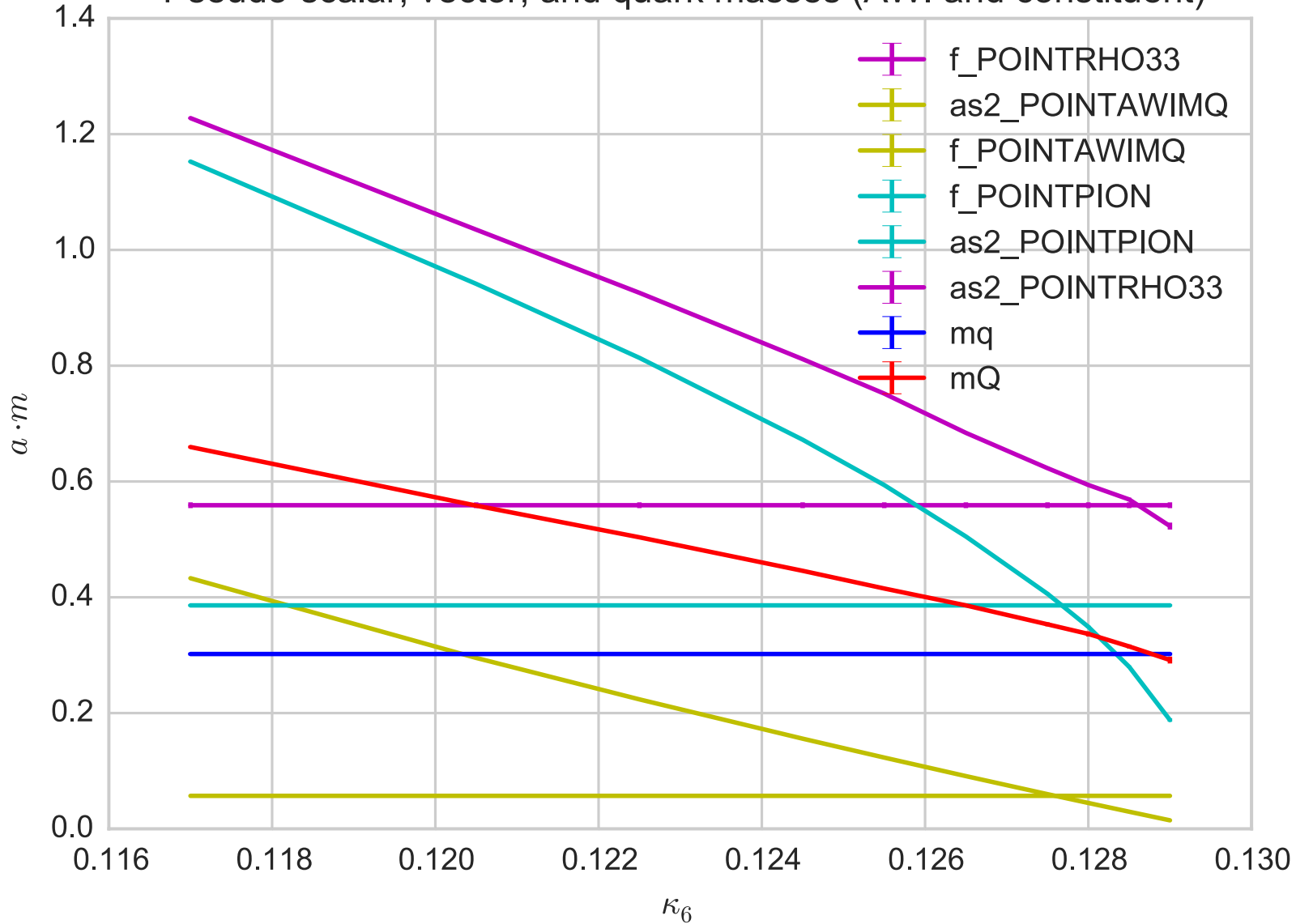
- Runs  $SU(N_c)$  gauge theory with simultaneous **dynamical fermions in multiple representations**
- Is branched from the MILCv7 code, focusing on Wilson fermions
- Builds with **dynamical code generation** using Perl so that  $N_c$  and representation(s) are fixed during code generation, allowing the C compiler to produce **optimized matrix operations**
- Includes all the modern bells and whistles: Clover term, nHYP smearing, Hasenbusch preconditioning, multi-level integrators, dislocation-suppressing NDS action (DeGrand, Shamir, Svetitsky: 1407.4201)

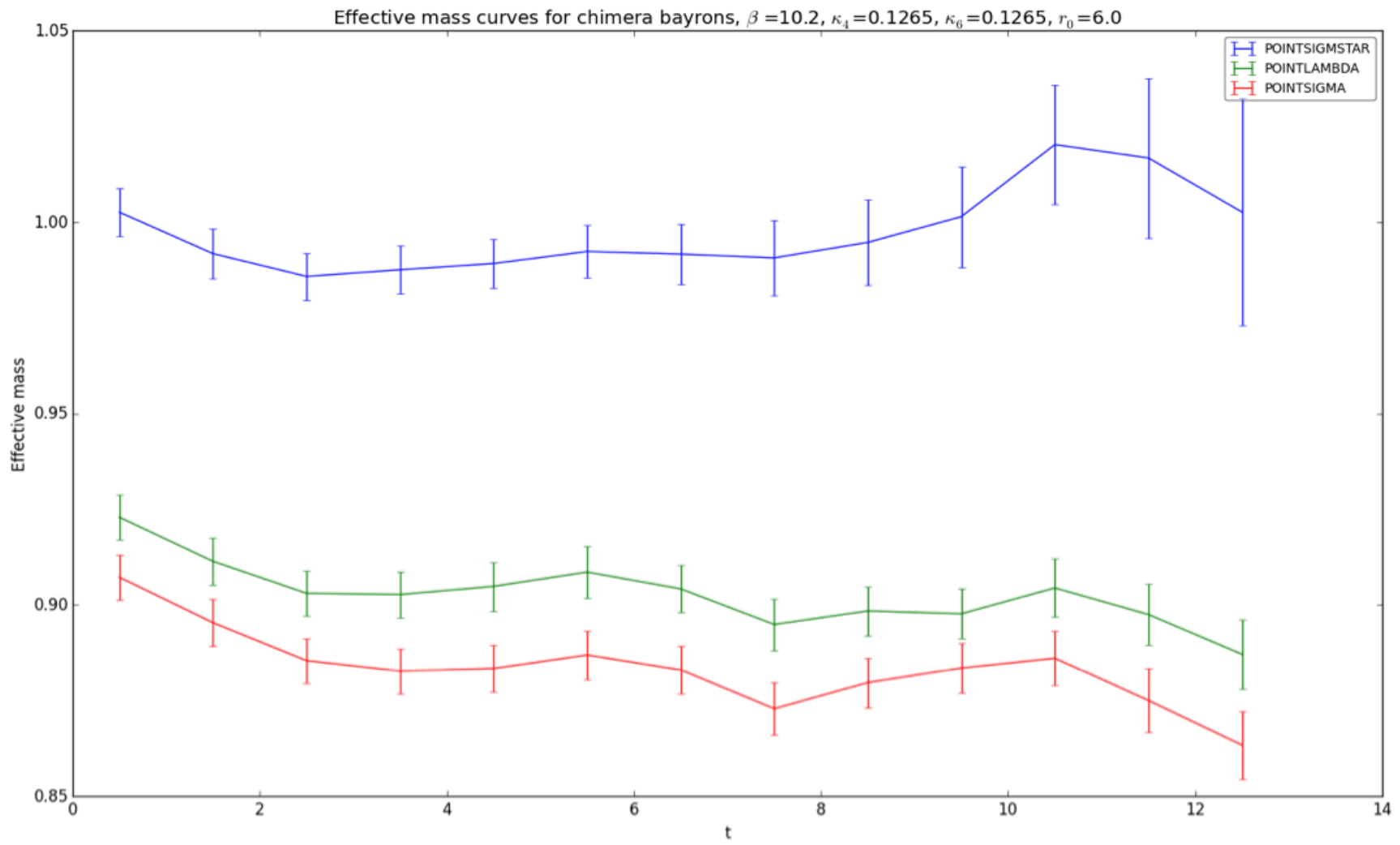
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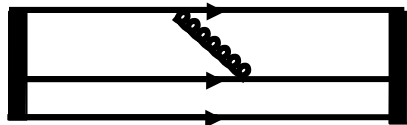
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  - $m_{\text{PS}}/m_V = 0.385(1) / 0.560(3) = 0.688$
- Quenched sextet propagators
  - Range of kappa values:  $\kappa_6 = 0.1170$  up to  $0.1290$ ,  $\kappa_{6;\text{critical}} = 0.1295$
  - $m_{\text{PS}}/m_V$  ranging from  $1.15 / 1.23 = 0.93$  down to  $0.19/0.52 = 0.36$

Pseudo-scalar, vector, and quark masses (AWI and constituent)





# Baryons and the quark model



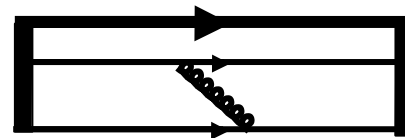
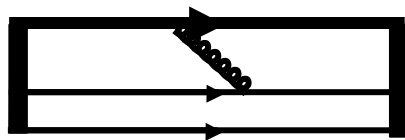
$$m_B = m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + \sum_{i < j} \frac{a C_{ij}}{m_i m_j} \vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j$$

$$m_B = 3m + a_0 + a_1 J(J + 1)$$

$$m_{\text{QCD hyperon}} = m_s + 2m_u + \frac{a}{m_u^2} \left( \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 + \frac{m_u}{m_s} \vec{S}_Q \cdot (\vec{S}_1 + \vec{S}_2) \right)$$

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Two distinct gluon exchanges: sextet quark feels twice as much color force.  
Formally, this difference is a statement about relative sizes of Casimirs.



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# Baryons and Large-N

- Dashen, Jenkins, and Manohar derived formulae for strange baryons in the large-N limit
  - Depends only on the spin-flavor structure of the baryons, in the QCD case of  $SU(2) \times U(1)$
- Gives a more general / less restrictive prediction for the spectrum than the quark model.

$$M = a_0 N_c + a_1 N_s + a_{21} \frac{J^2}{N_c} + a_{22} \frac{I^2}{N_c} + a_{23} \frac{N_s^2}{N_c} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{N_c^3}\right)$$

- Do these results remain valid with fermions in mixed representations?