



$D\bar{D}^*$ and $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ in nuclear matter

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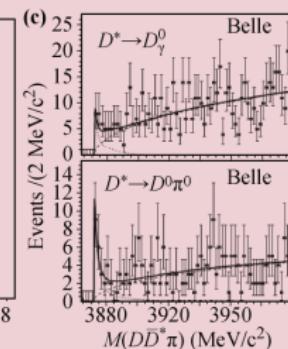
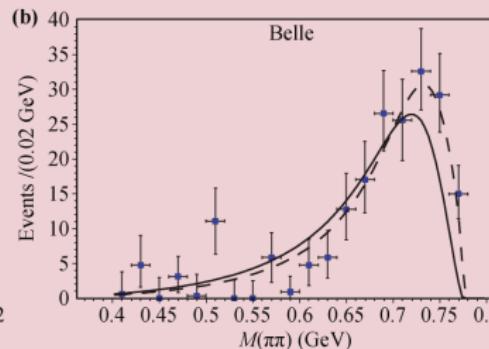
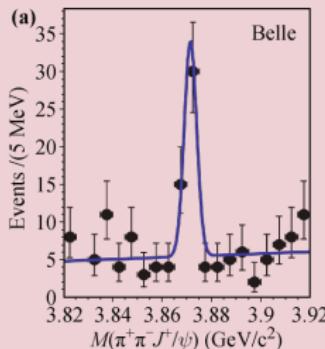
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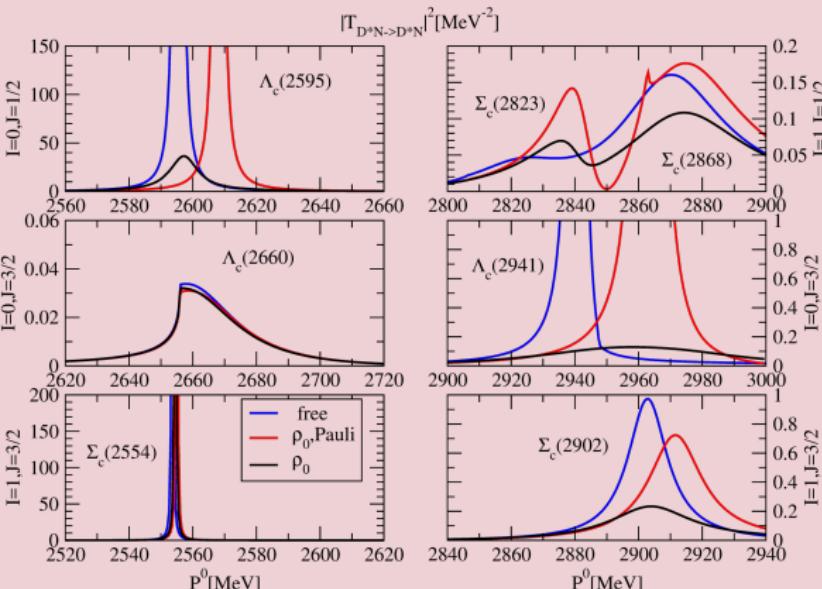
- $X(3872)$ discovered by Belle [PRL,91,262001('03)].
- First XYZ state. $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$.
CDF,PRL,93,072001('04); D0,PRL,93,162002('04); BaBar,PR,D71,071003('05); LHCb,EPJ,C72,1972('12).
- PDG: $m_{D^0} + m_{D^{*0}} - m_X = 0.01 \pm 0.18$ MeV.
- See recent reviews:
Olsen, Front. Phys.,10,121('15), Chen *et al.*, Phys. Rept., 639,1('16), Hosaka *et al.*, PTEP,16,062C01('16), Guo *et al.*, RMP,90,015004('18).



Interpretations

- **Quark model:** $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ around 3.93 GeV. Difficult assignment.
Barnes, PR,D69,054008('04), Suzuki, PR,D72,114013('05).
- **Molecular** interpretation quite appealing.
Swanson, PL,B588,189('04); Voloshin, PL,B604,69('04); Braaten, Kusunoki, PR,D72,054022('05); Gamerman, Oset, EPJ,A33,119('07)…
- **Compact tetraquark:** Maiani *et al.*, PRD,71,014028('05), Ebert *et al.*, PLB,634,214('06), Matheus, PRD,75,014005('07),…
- Many **LQCD** simulations performed.
Chiu *et al.*, PL,B646('07), … Bali *et al.*, PR,D84,094506('11), …, Cheung *et al.*, JHEP,1612,089('16).
- First one to find evidence of $X(3872)$: Prelovsek *et al.*, PRL,111,192001('13).
Key to this evidence was the **inclusion of $D\bar{D}^*$ interpolators**.

Why nuclear matter?



- Amplitudes \leftrightarrow resonances **modify their behaviour** in the presence of nuclear matter.
- Experimental facilities could **detect** final states with charmonium(-like) content: $D\bar{D}^*$, $X(3872)$.

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Formalism:

- Particle basis: $\{D^0 \bar{D}^{*0}, D^{*0} \bar{D}^0, D^+ \bar{D}^{*-}, D^{*+} D^-\}$
- T -matrix: $T^{-1}(s) = V^{-1}(s) - G(s)$ (matrices)

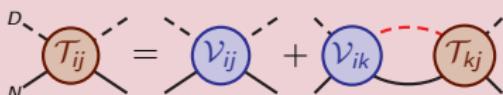
- Interaction kernels:** $V(s) = A V_d(s) A$
 - $V_d(s) = \text{diag}(V_{0Z}(s), V_{0X}(s), V_{1Z}(s), V_{1X}(s))$
 - A transforms particle basis $\iff I^C$ basis

- Loop functions:** $G_i(s) = i \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} D_{Y_i}(P - q) D_{Y'_i}(q) .$

$$D_Y(q) = \frac{1}{q_0^2 - \vec{q}^2 - m_Y^2 - \Pi_Y(q^0, \vec{q})} = \int_0^\infty d\omega \left(\frac{S_Y(\omega, |\vec{q}|)}{q^0 - \omega + i\varepsilon} - \frac{S_{\bar{Y}}(\omega, |\vec{q}|)}{q^0 + \omega - i\varepsilon} \right) .$$

- D_{Y_i} are **propagators**, S_{Y_i} are **spectral functions**, $Y_i Y'_i$ = particle basis.

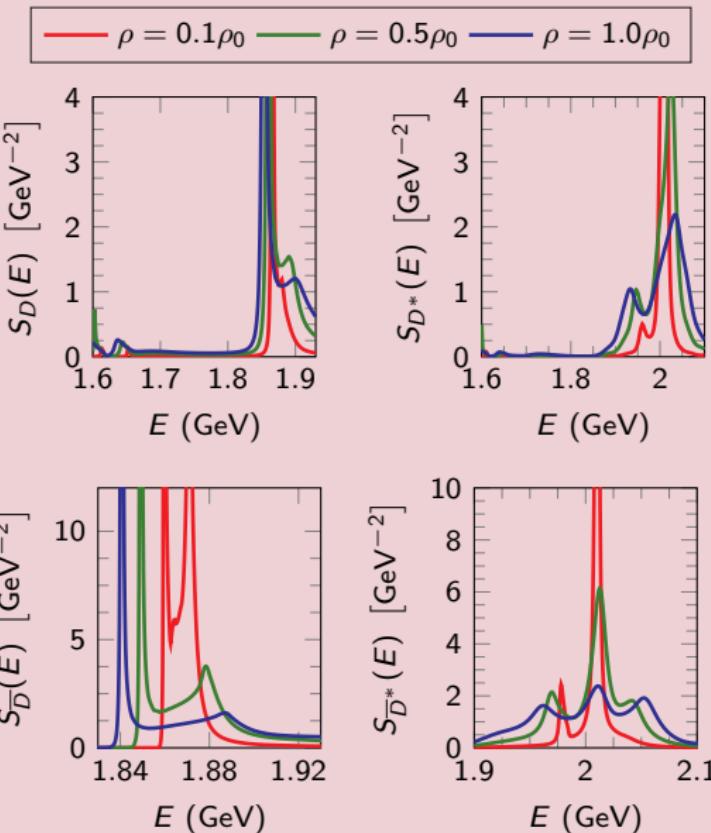
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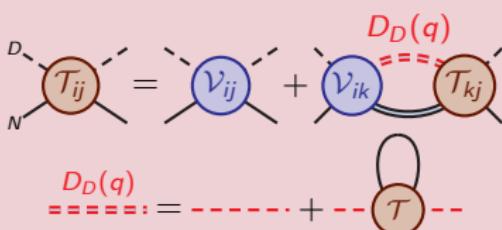
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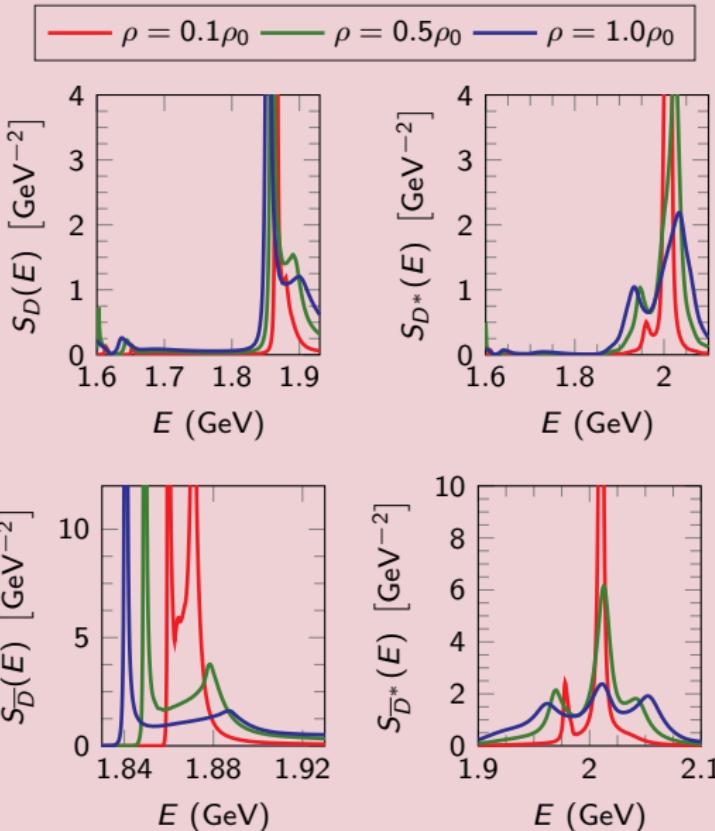
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Vacuum

- We assume isospin symmetry, $m_{D^+} = m_{D^0}$.
- All loop functions G_i equal, $G(s) = \Sigma_0(s)\mathbb{I}_4$.
- The T -matrix diagonalizes as $V(s)$: $\langle I' \mathbb{C}' | \hat{T} | I \mathbb{C} \rangle = \delta_{I,I'} \delta_{\mathbb{C},\mathbb{C}'} T_{I\mathbb{C}}(s)$
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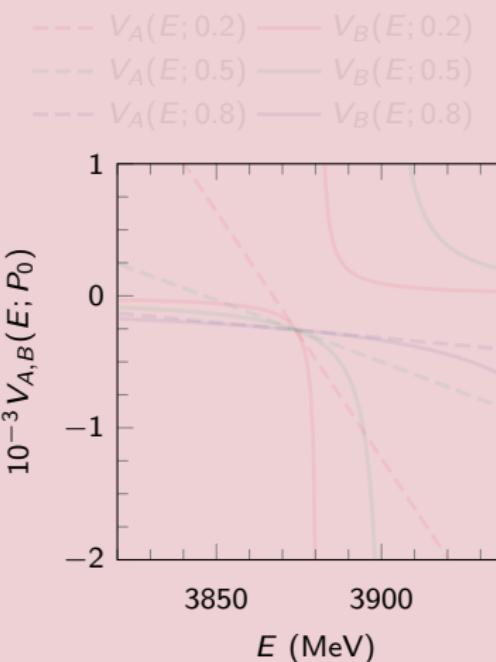
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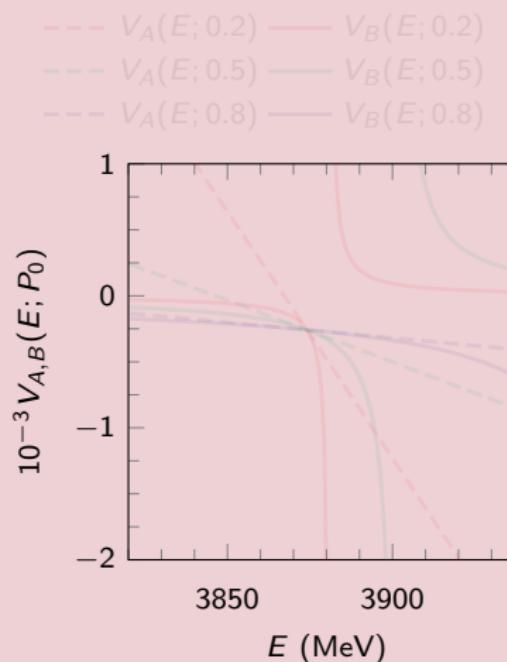
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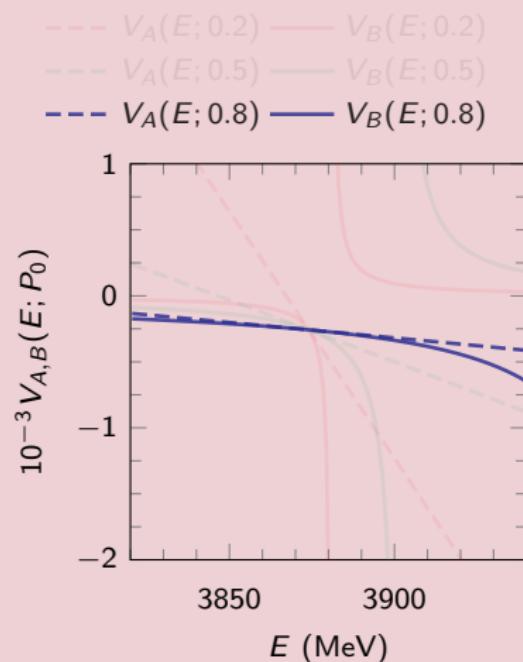
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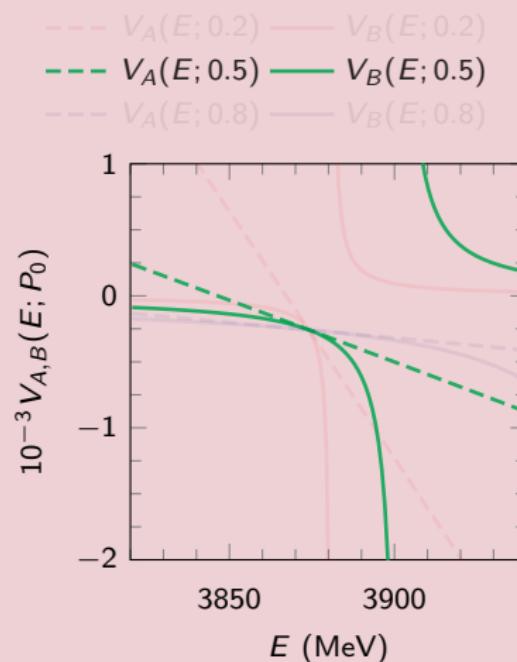
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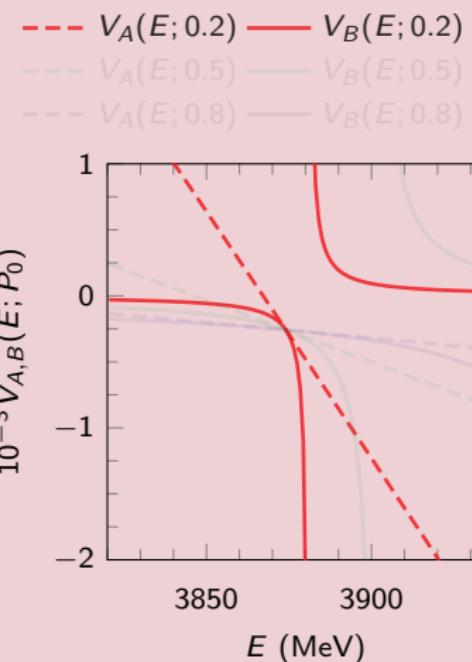
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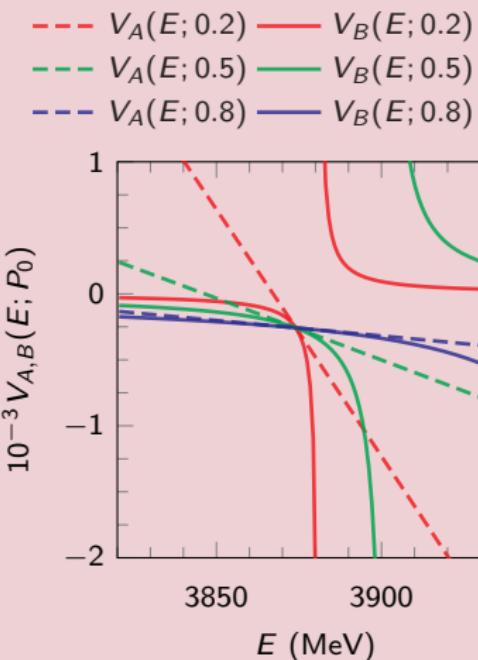
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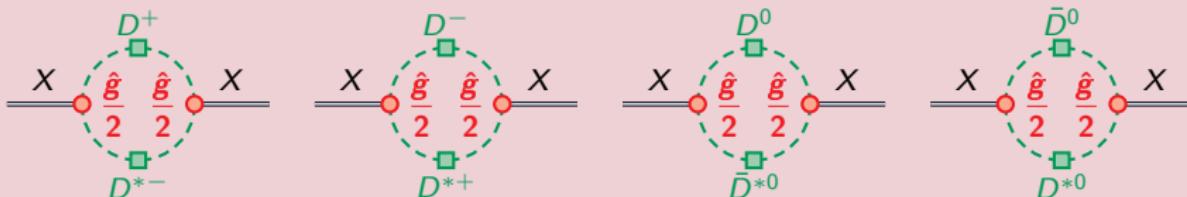
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- Depends on m_0^2 , P_0 (but not on “potential” V_A or V_B)

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- Mass of $X(3872)$ in vacuum and in medium from $\Delta^{-1}(m^2(\rho); \rho) = 0$.
- In particular, one can write $m(\rho)$ and \hat{m} in terms of m_0 :

Bare

$$\hat{m}^2 = m_0^2 - \frac{g_0^2 \Sigma_0(m_0^2)}{1 + g_0^2 \Sigma'_0(m_0^2)}$$

$$\hat{g}^2 = \frac{g_0^2}{1 + g_0^2 \Sigma'_0(m_0^2)}$$

ρ

$$m^2(\rho) = m_0^2 + \frac{g_0^2 (\Sigma[m^2(\rho); \rho] - \Sigma_0(m_0^2))}{1 + g_0^2 \Sigma'_0(m_0^2)}$$

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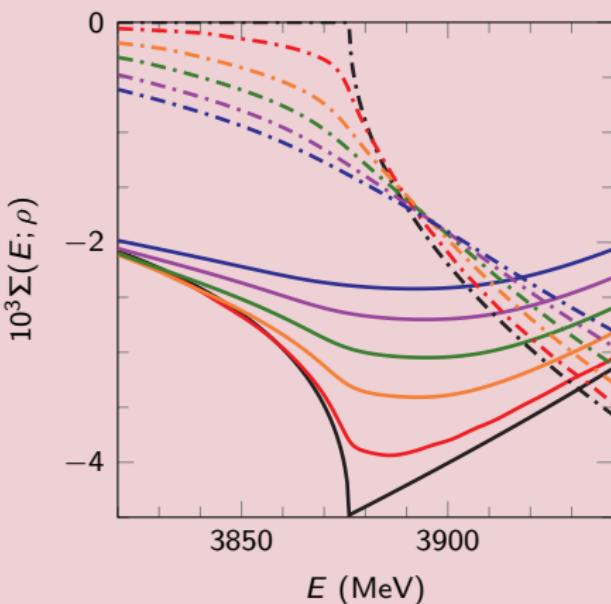
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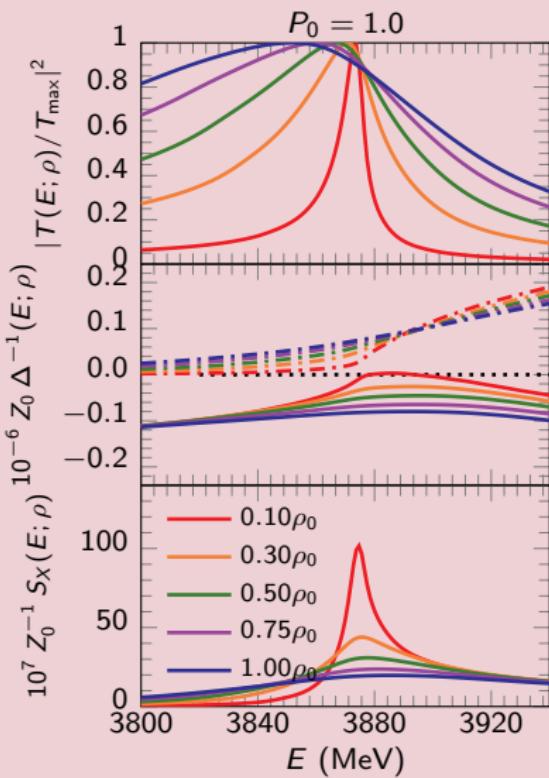
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- **Threshold effect** washed out as ρ increases. $D^{(*)}$, $\bar{D}^{(*)}$ acquire in-medium widths.
- **Repulsion?** $\text{Re}[\Sigma(E; \rho)]$ is smaller in magnitude as ρ increases. Does this imply repulsion?
- Not so clear:

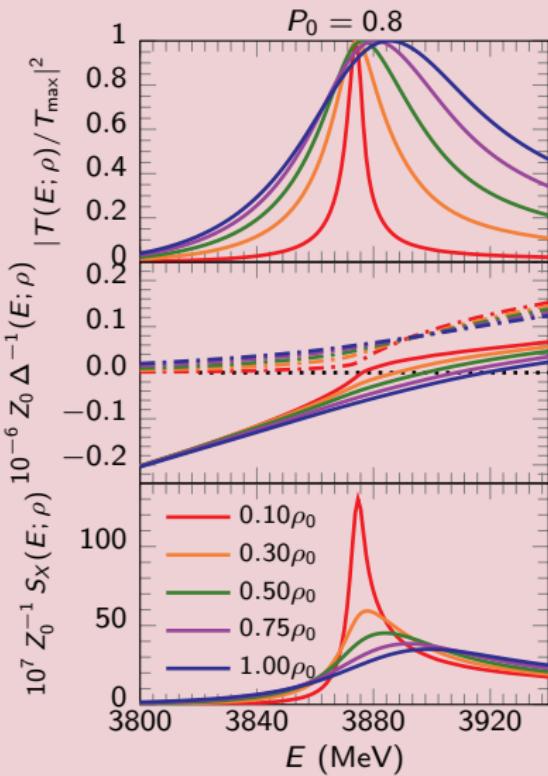
$$|\text{Im}\Sigma(E; \rho)| \gtrsim |\text{Re}(\Sigma(E; \rho) - \Sigma_0(E))|$$

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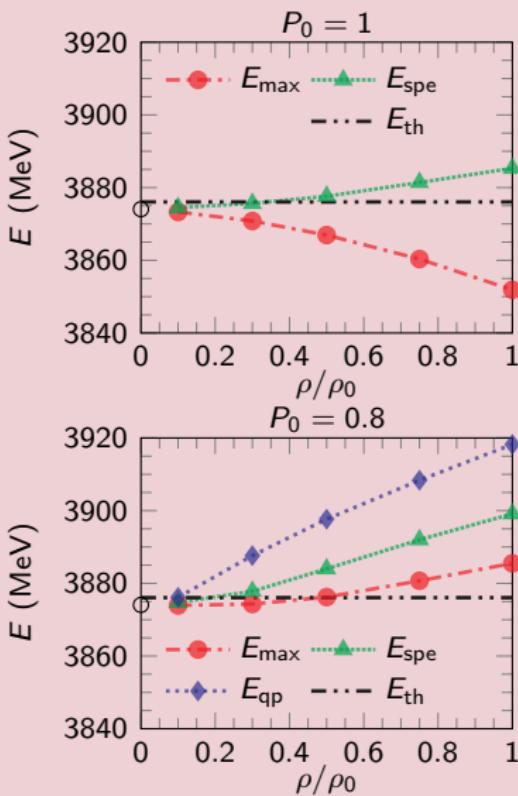
- For P_0 high ($\gtrsim 0.7$) almost no difference between V_A and V_B
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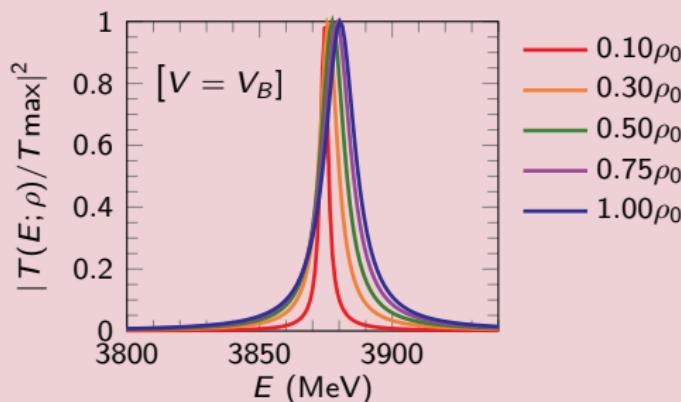
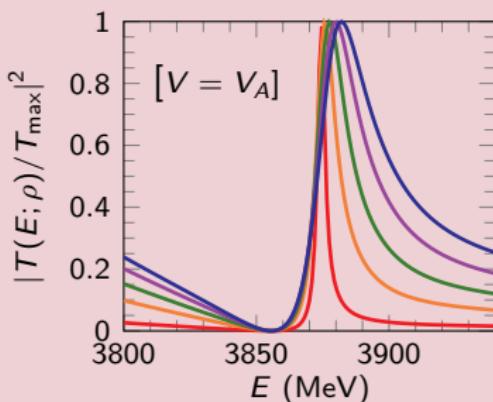
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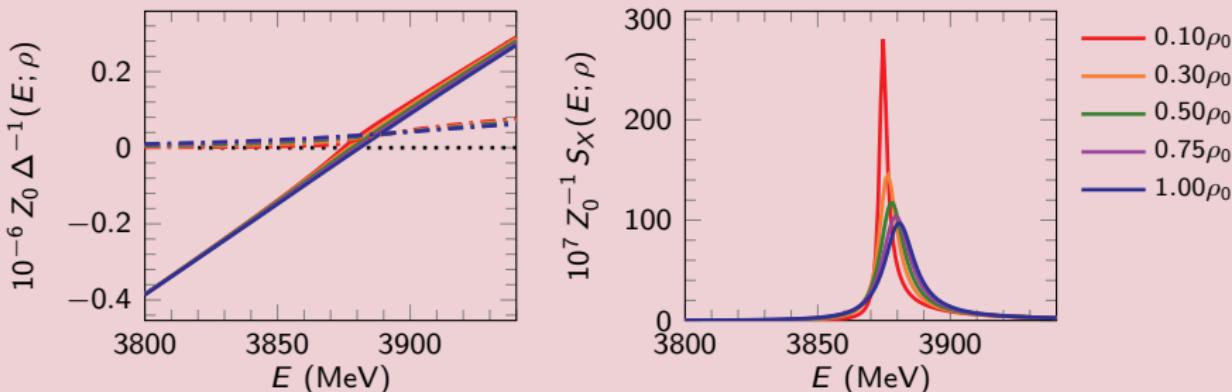


- For low P_0 $V_A(s)$ and $V_B(s)$ tend to give **different results** (as expected).
- Zero in $V_A(s)$ gets closer to m_0^2 for $P_0 \rightarrow 0$.
- Density effects are larger for V_A than for V_B outside the $X(3872)$ region.

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- In $S_X(s; \rho)$ or $\Delta^{-1}(s; \rho)$ **little variation** wrt vaccum.
- Physically $P_0 \rightarrow 0$ little coupling \rightarrow little medium effect.
- Always E_{qp} solution, very close to vaccum mass m_0 .

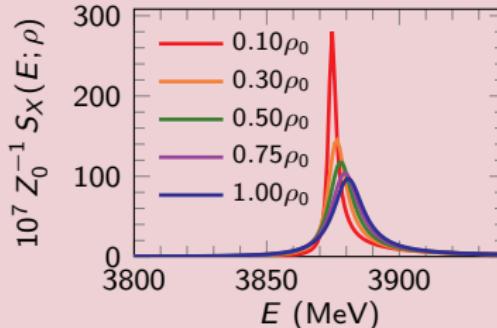
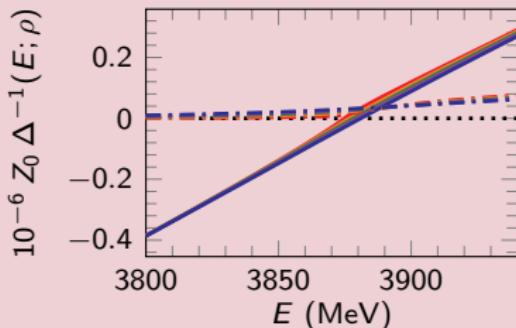
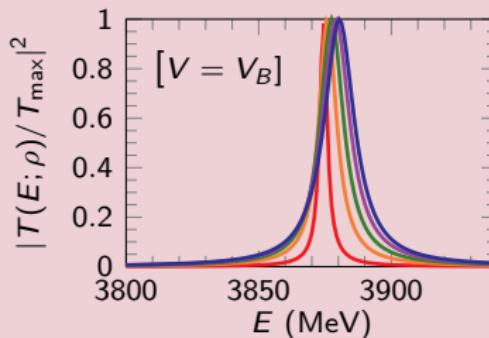
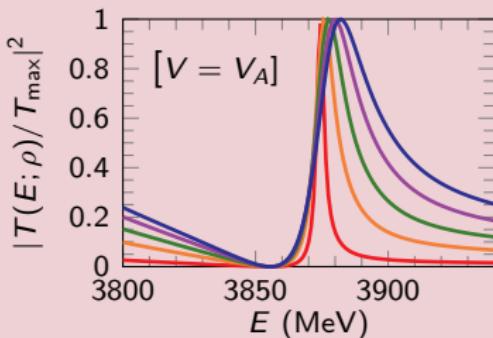
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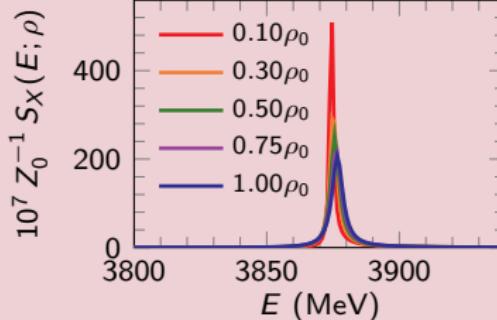
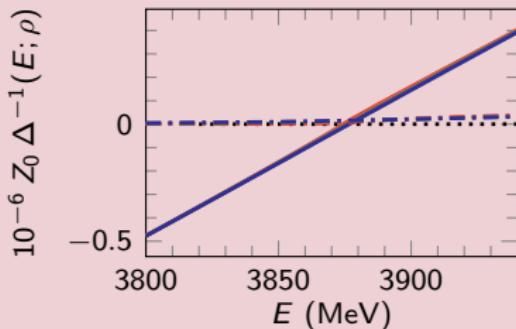
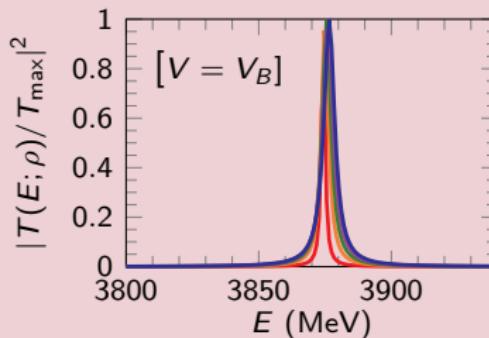
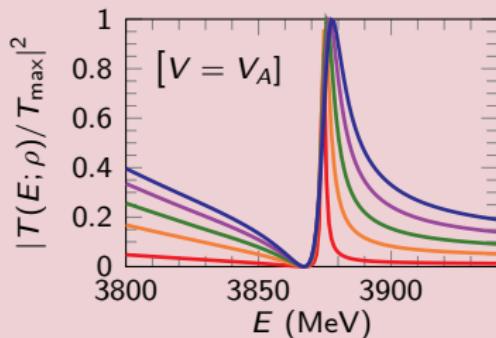
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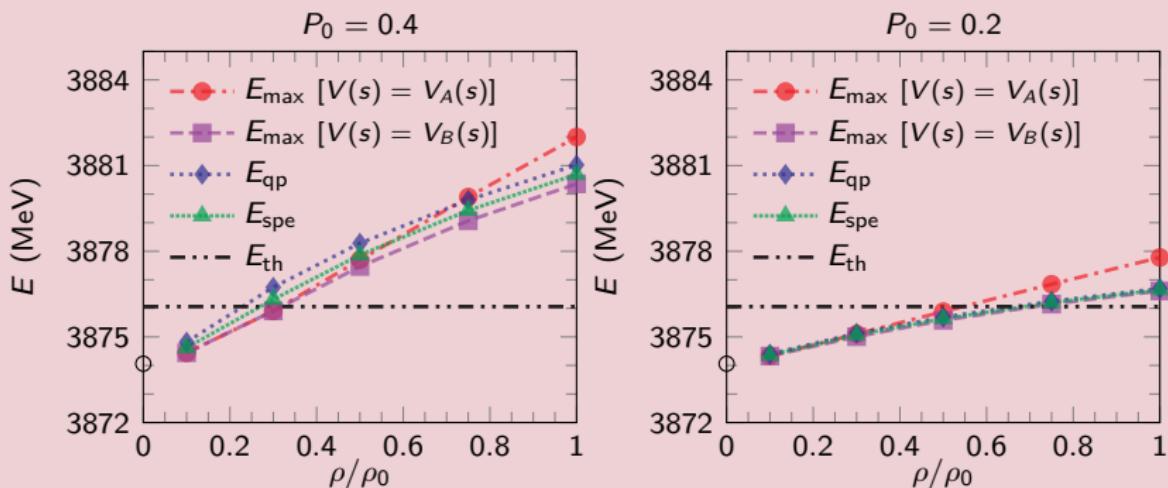
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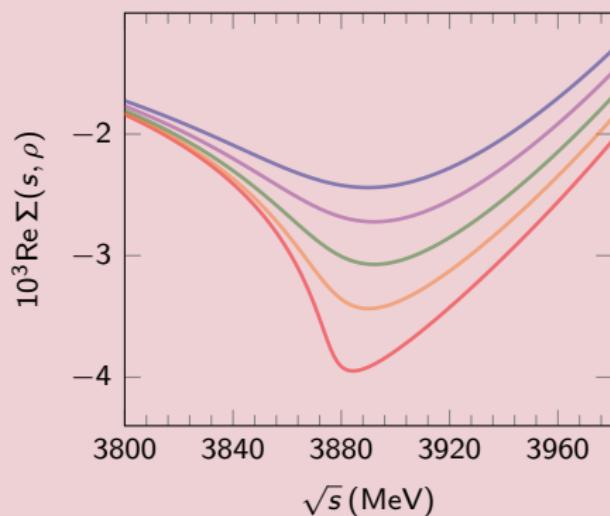
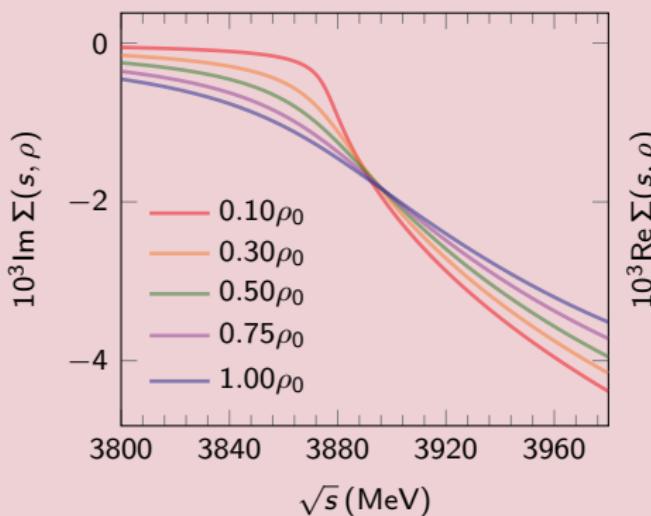


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- For $P_0 = 0.2$, $E_{qp} \simeq E_{spe} \simeq E_{\max,A}$, and $E_{\max,B}$ still a bit off.
- For $P_0 = 0.4$, similar, but some more differences.

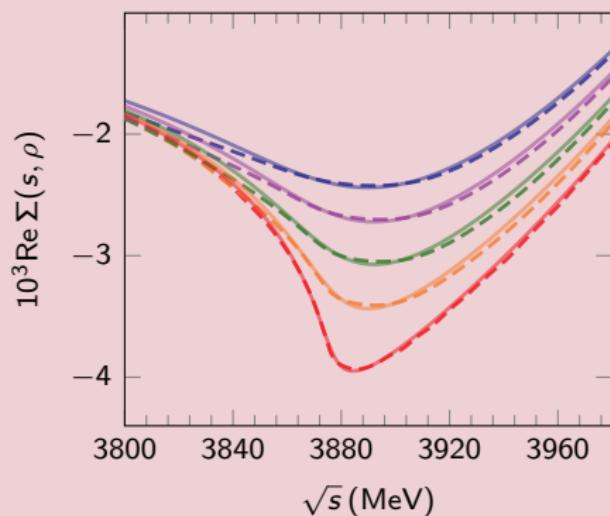
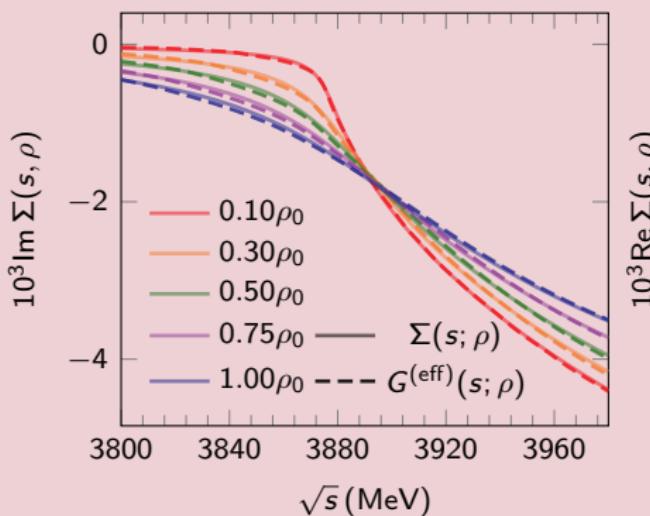
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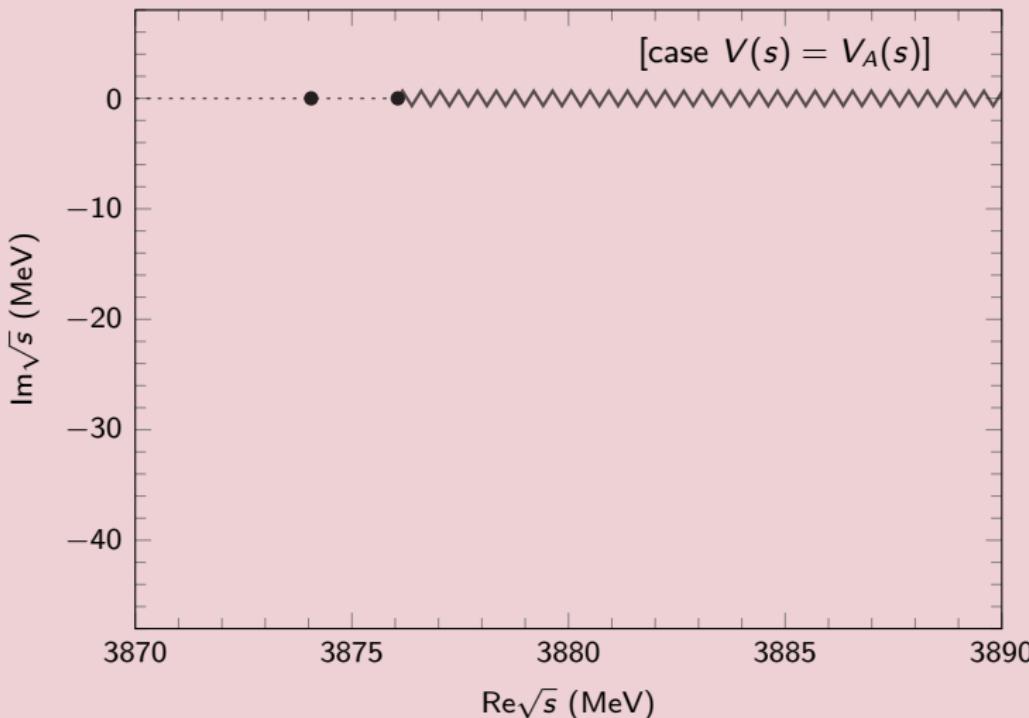


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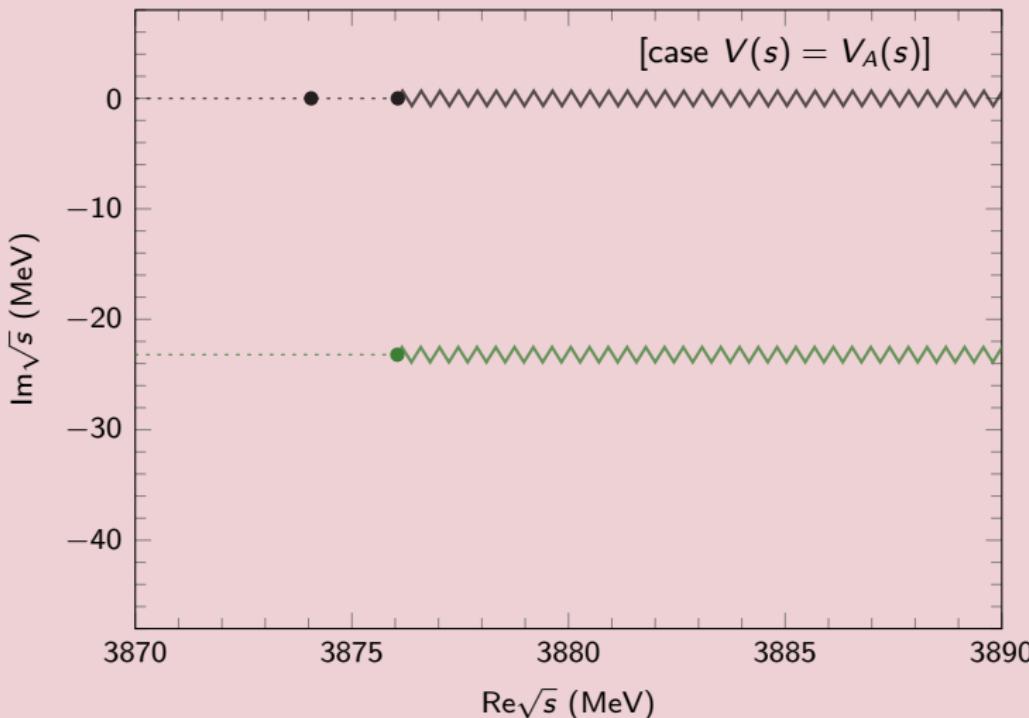
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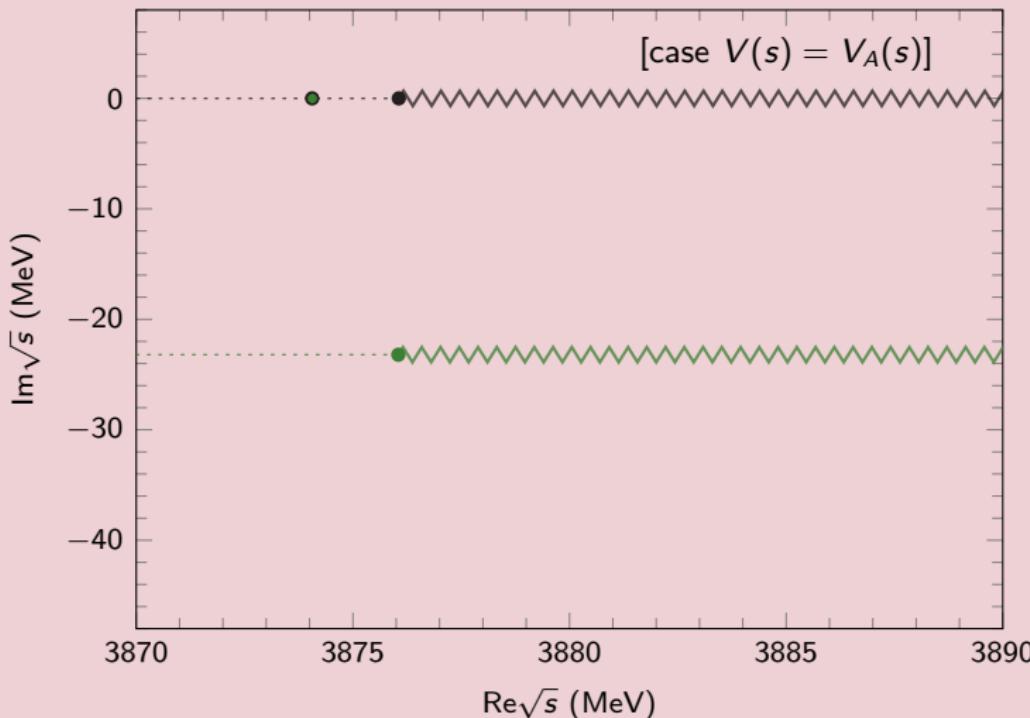
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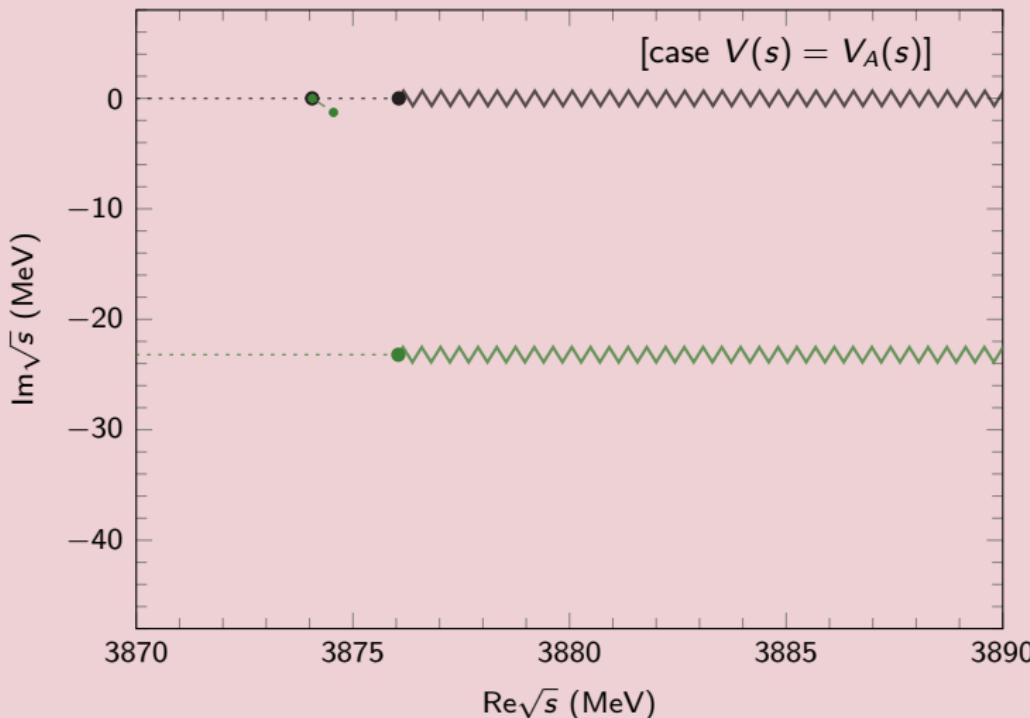
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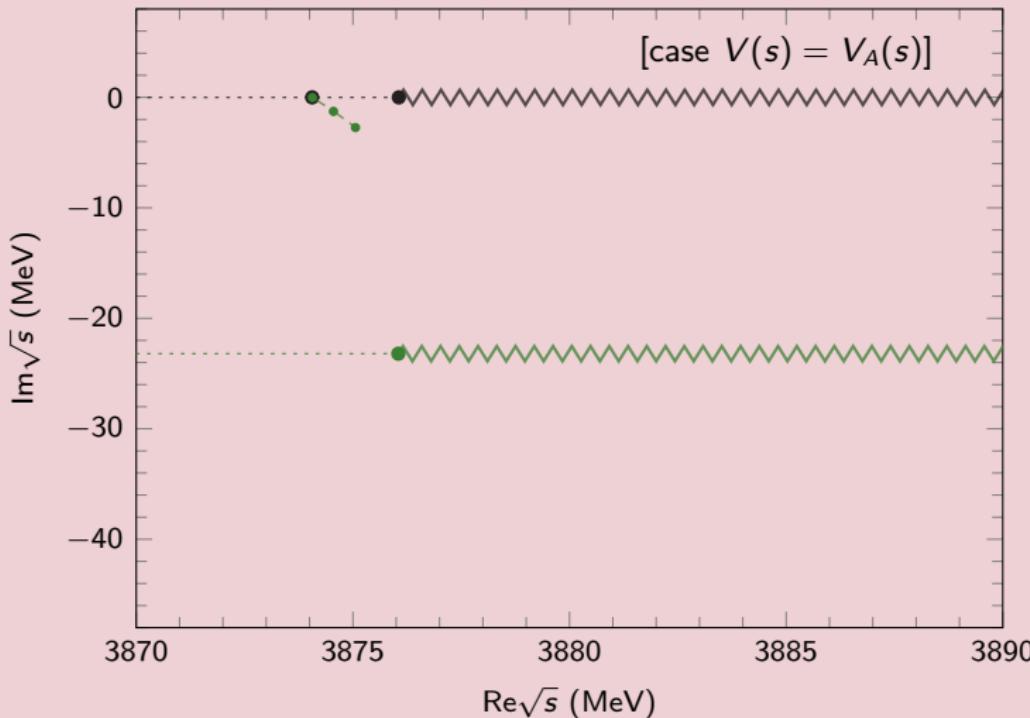
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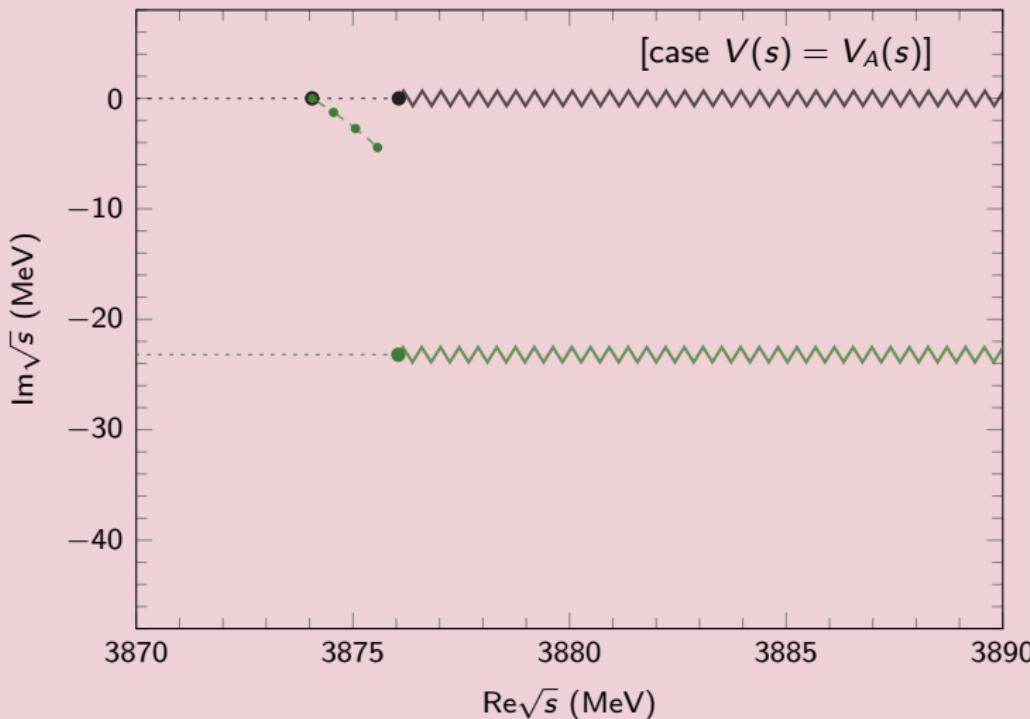
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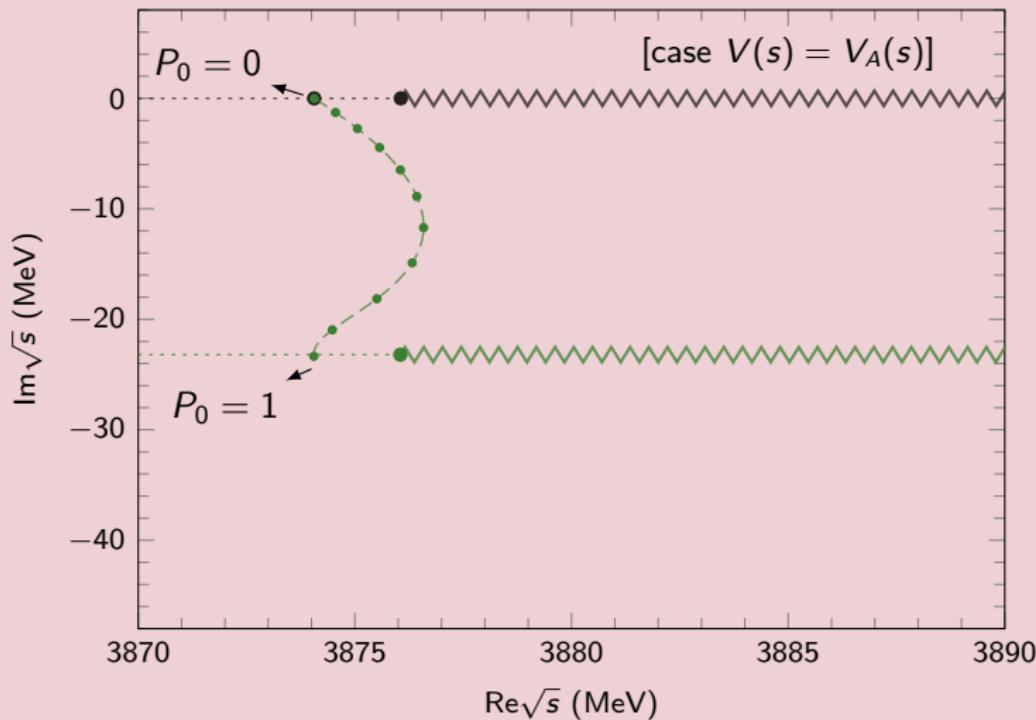
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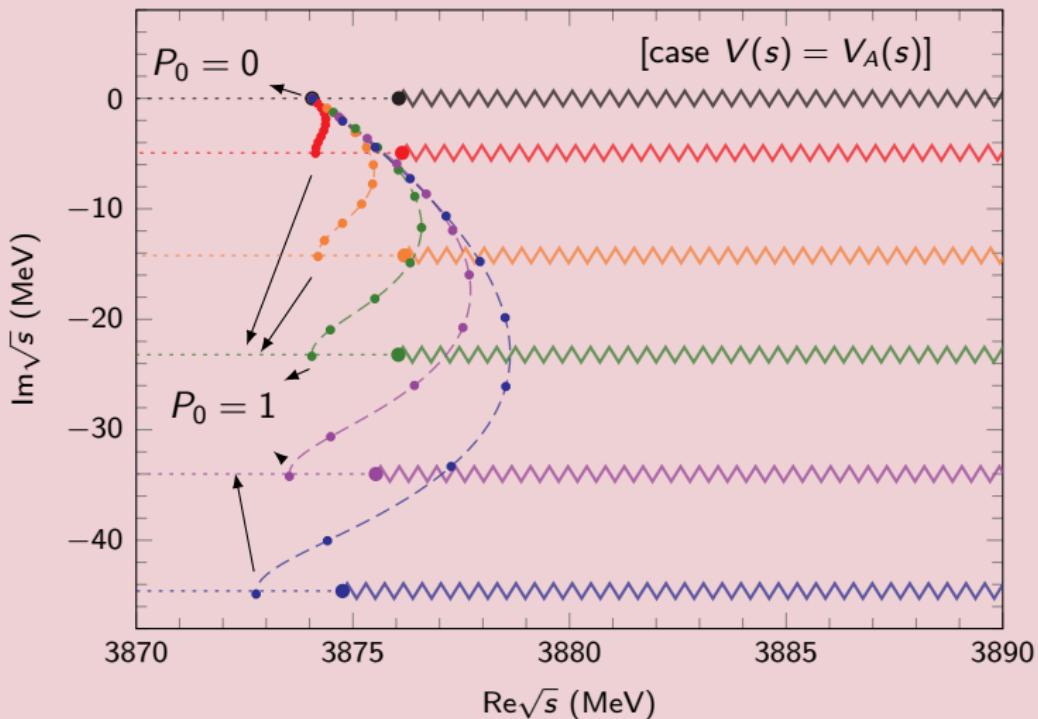
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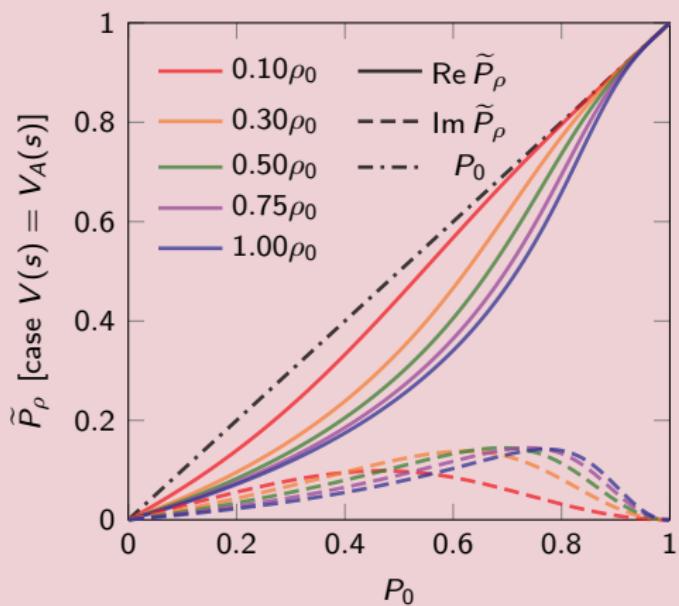
--- $\rho = 0$ - - - $\rho = 0.10\rho_0$ - - - $\rho = 0.30\rho_0$
- - - $\rho = 0.50\rho_0$ - - - $\rho = 0.75\rho_0$ - - - $\rho = 1.00\rho_0$



Results: “Probability”

$$P_0 = -g_0^2 \Sigma'_0(m_0^2) \implies \tilde{P}_\rho = -g^2(\rho) \left. \frac{dG^{(\text{eff})}(s; \rho)}{ds} \right|_{s=m^2(\rho)}$$

- In-medium **generalization** of the formula for P_0 .
- Complex masses \rightarrow complex \tilde{P}_ρ : **no interpretation** as probability.
- For $P_0 \rightarrow 0$ or 1 , $\tilde{P}_\rho \rightarrow P_0$.



Explaining poles

- $P_0 \rightarrow 0$: Coupling of X to $D\bar{D}^*$ tends to zero, so X ignores what happens to $D\bar{D}^*$ in the medium
- $P_0 \rightarrow 1$:
 - In this case $V_A(s) \simeq 1/\Sigma_0(m_0^2)$ (no energy dependence)
 - The pole must satisfy also $\text{Im } G^{(\text{eff})}(m(\rho)^2; \rho) = 0$
 - This happens only at the line to the left of the threshold
 - The pole is “dragged” by the threshold

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- Formalism and results for the in-medium modifications of $D\bar{D}^*$ scattering in the $X(3872)$ channel has been presented.
- Studied with both the T -matrix and self-energy formalisms. **Understood** when both formalism give equivalent results
- E_{qp} and E_{\max} do not generally coincide.
- A **novel way** to “hunt” poles with in-medium amplitudes.
- Measuring the modification of amplitudes in nuclear matter could help in understanding $X(3872)$ in vacuum.
- Question: how could these results be **experimentally tested?**: