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## Outline

- primer on symmetries
- the PQM model
- comparison the LQCD data
- finite chemical potential
- outlook

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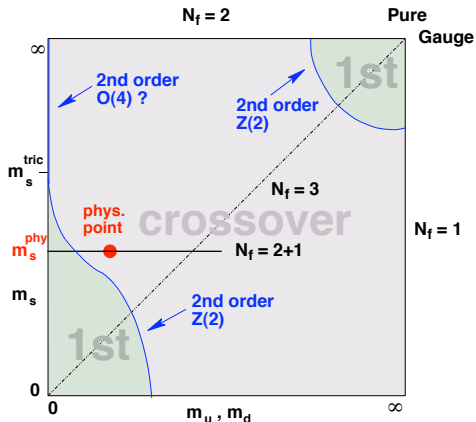


# QCD symmetries and breaking patterns

$Z(3)$  center symmetry of  $SU(3)_c$  exact for infinitely heavy quarks

$SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R$  exact for massless  $m_u, m_d, m_s$

## Columbia plot'



# The 3-flavor QM model

effective chiral theory with quark fields  $q(x)$  and meson fields

$$\phi_a(x) = (\sigma_a(x) + i\pi_a(x)), \quad a = 0, \dots, 8$$

(Gell-Mann Levy 'σ' model)

**QM model** ( $N_f = 3$ )

$$\mathcal{L}_{QM} = \bar{q} (i\cancel{\partial} - GT_a (\sigma_a + i\gamma_5 \pi_a)) q + \mathcal{L}_m; \quad T_a = \lambda_a/2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_m = & \text{Tr}(\partial_\mu \phi^\dagger \partial^\mu \phi) - m^2 \text{Tr}(\phi^\dagger \phi) - \lambda_1 [\text{Tr}(\phi^\dagger \phi)]^2 \\ & - \lambda_2 \text{Tr}(\phi^\dagger \phi)^2 + c \left( \det(\phi) + \det(\phi^\dagger) \right) \\ & + \text{Tr}[H(\phi + \phi^\dagger)]; \quad \phi = T_a \phi_a; \quad H = T_a h_a \end{aligned}$$

only  $(h_0, h_3, h_8)$  are non-zero:

$$h_0 \neq 0, \quad h_3 = h_8 = 0 \rightarrow m_u = m_d = m_s$$

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seven parameters fixed to meson sector in the vacuum

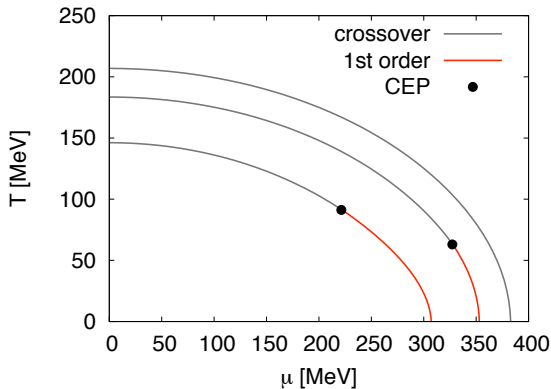
in contrast to the NJL model the QM model is renormalizable



# Location of the CEP

location of the (chiral) CEP strongly depends on the mass of the 'sigma' meson

PDG:  $f_0(600)$  mass=(400..1200) MeV  $\rightarrow$  broad resonance



$m_\sigma = 600, 800, 900$  MeV

# Including the 'Polyakov loop'

Polyakov loop variable:

$$\Phi(x) \equiv \frac{1}{N_c} \langle \text{Tr}_c \mathcal{P}(\vec{x}) \rangle; \quad \mathcal{P}(\vec{x}) = P \exp \left( i \int_0^{1/T} d\tau A_4(\vec{x}, \tau) \right)$$

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$$\mathcal{L}_{PQM} = \mathcal{L}_{QM} + \bar{q} \gamma_4 A_4 q - \mathcal{U}(\Phi, \bar{\Phi})$$

effective Polyakov loop potentials:

polynomial (Ratti et al. PRD 2006)

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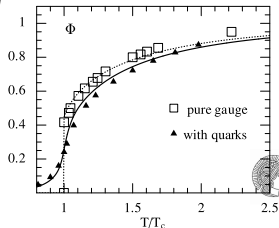
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$T_0 = 270 \text{ MeV}$

$a_0$	$a_1$	$a_2$	$a_3$	$b_3$	$b_4$
6.75	-1.95	2.625	-7.44	0.75	7.5



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# Including the 'Polyakov loop'

logarithmic (Fukushima PL 2004)

$$\frac{\mathcal{U}_{\log}}{T^4} = -\frac{1}{2}a(T)\bar{\Phi}\Phi + b(T) \ln \left[ 1 - 6\bar{\Phi}\Phi + 4(\Phi^3 + \bar{\Phi}^3) - 3(\bar{\Phi}\Phi)^2 \right]$$

with

$$a(T) = a_0 + a_1 \left( \frac{T_0}{T} \right) + a_2 \left( \frac{T_0}{T} \right)^2; \quad b(T) = b_3 \left( \frac{T_0}{T} \right)^3$$

$$a_0 = 3.51, \quad a_1 = -2.47, \quad a_2 = 15.2, \quad b_3 = -1.75$$

'strong coupling' (Fukushima PRD 2008)

$$\frac{\mathcal{U}_{\text{Fuku}}}{T^4} = -\frac{b}{T^3} \left[ 54e^{-a/T} \Phi\bar{\Phi} + \ln \left( 1 - 6\Phi\bar{\Phi} - 3(\Phi\bar{\Phi})^2 + 4(\Phi^3 + \bar{\Phi}^3) \right) \right]$$

with

$$a = 664\text{MeV}, \quad b = (196.2\text{MeV})^3$$

does not contain contributions from transverse gluons

$N_f$  dependence of  $T_0$  (Schaefer et al. PRD 2007)

$N_f$	0	1	2	2+1	3
$T_0[\text{MeV}]$	270	240	208	187	178





# Thermodynamic potential

grand canonical potential

$$\Omega(T, \mu; \sigma_x, \sigma_y, \Phi, \bar{\Phi}) = U(\sigma_x, \sigma_y) + \Omega_{\bar{q}q}(\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \Phi, \bar{\Phi}) + \mathcal{U}(\Phi, \bar{\Phi})$$

mesonic potential

$$U(\sigma_x, \sigma_y) = \frac{m^2}{2} (\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_y^2) - h_x \sigma_x - h_y \sigma_y - \frac{c}{2\sqrt{2}} \sigma_x^2 \sigma_y \\ + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} \sigma_x^2 \sigma_y^2 + \frac{1}{8} (2\lambda_1 + \lambda_2) \sigma_x^4 + \frac{1}{8} (2\lambda_1 + 2\lambda_2) \sigma_y^4$$

fermionic part

$$\Omega_{\bar{q}q}(\sigma_x, \sigma_y, \Phi, \bar{\Phi}) = \\ -2T \sum_{f=u,d,s} \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \left\{ \ln \left[ 1 + 3(\Phi + \bar{\Phi} e^{-(E_{q,f} - \mu_f)/T}) e^{-(E_{q,f} - \mu_f)/T} + e^{-3(E_{q,f} - \mu_f)/T} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \ln \left[ 1 + 3(\bar{\Phi} + \Phi e^{-(E_{q,f} + \mu_f)/T}) e^{-(E_{q,f} + \mu_f)/T} + e^{-3(E_{q,f} + \mu_f)/T} \right] \right\}$$

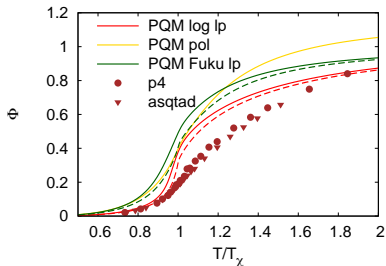
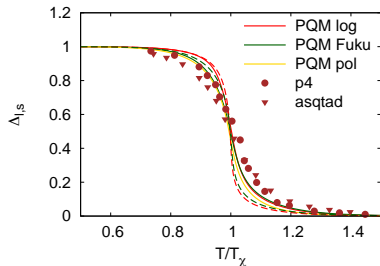
mean field approximation

$$\frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial \sigma_x} = \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial \sigma_y} = \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial \Phi} = \frac{\partial \Omega}{\partial \bar{\Phi}} \Big|_{\min} = 0$$



# (pseudo) order parameters

lattice data: Bazavov et al. arXiv:0903.4379 [hep-lat]  $m_\pi \sim 220$  MeV

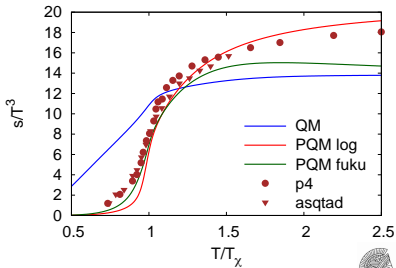
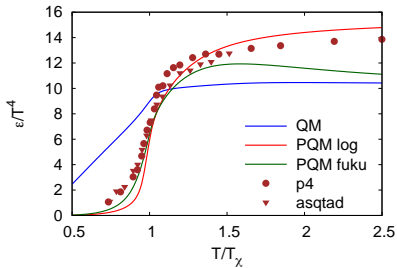
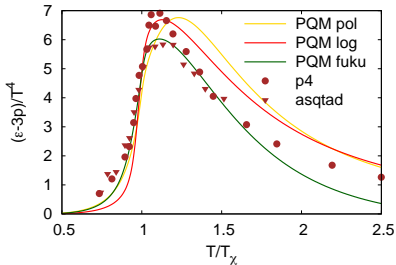
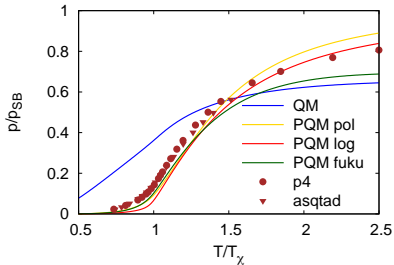


$$\Delta_{I,s} = \frac{\langle \bar{I}I \rangle(T) - \frac{\hat{m}_l}{\hat{m}_s} \langle \bar{s}s \rangle(T)}{\langle \bar{I}I \rangle(T=0) - \frac{\hat{m}_l}{\hat{m}_s} \langle \bar{s}s \rangle(T=0)}$$

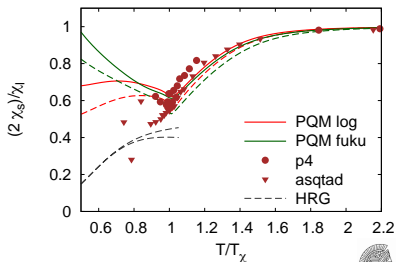
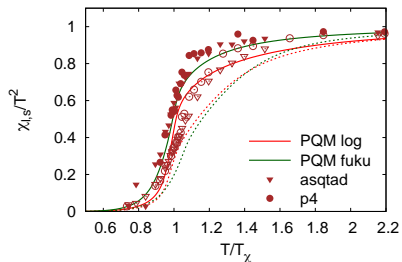
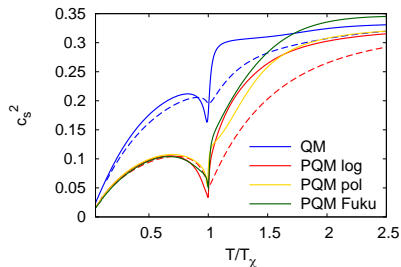
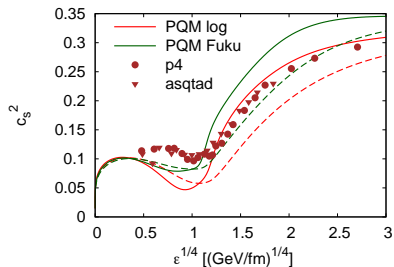
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$$\Delta_{I,s} = \frac{\sigma_x(T) - \frac{\hbar_x}{\hbar_y} \sigma_y(T)}{\sigma_x(T=0) - \frac{\hbar_x}{\hbar_y} \sigma_y(T=0)}$$

# PQM EoS $N_F = 2 + 1$ $\mu = 0$

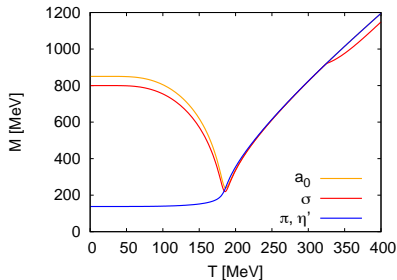


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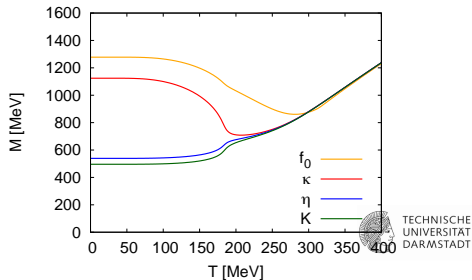
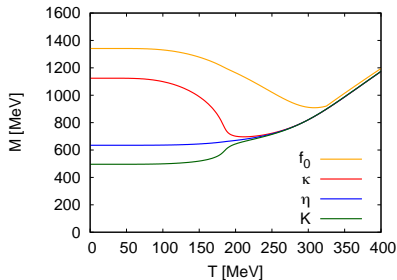
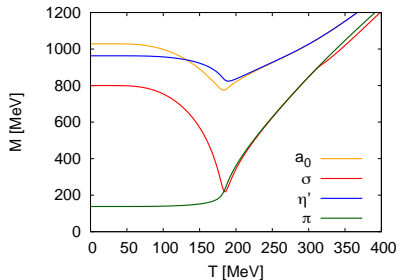


# in-medium meson masses $\mu = 0$

without  $U_A(1)$  breaking

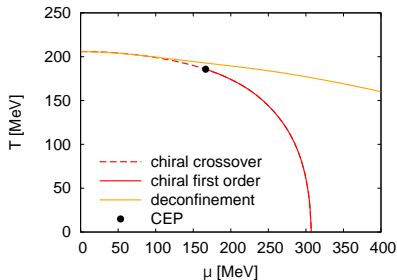


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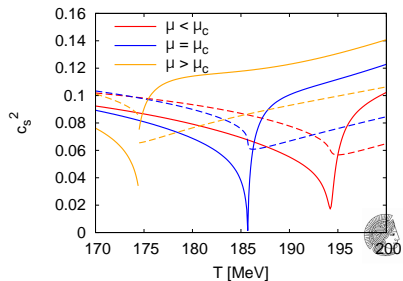
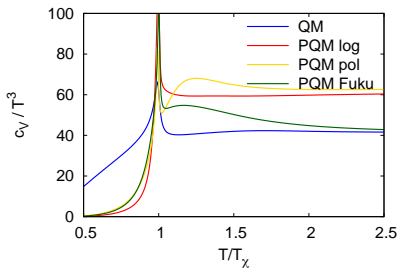
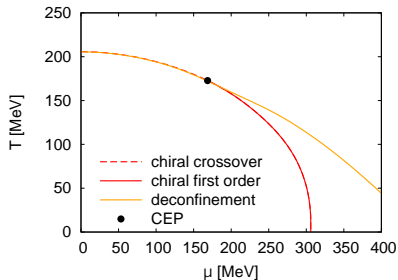


# PQM Phase diagram $N_F = 2 + 1$

$T_0 = 200$  MeV



$T_0(\mu)$



# EoS at high temperature

at high temperature:  $p/T^4$  is a polynomial in  $\mu/T$

high temperature  $\leftrightarrow$  ideal relativistic gas

$$\frac{\rho(T, \mu)}{T^4} \Big|_{\infty} = \frac{N_F}{2\pi T^3} \left( \int_0^{\infty} dk k^2 \ln(1 + z \exp\{-\epsilon(k)/T\}) + \int_0^{\infty} dk k^2 \ln(1 + z^{-1} \exp\{-\epsilon(k)/T\}) \right); \quad z = \exp(\mu/T)$$

QCD at order  $O(g^2)$ : ( $N_F = 2$ )

ultra-relativistic limit  $\epsilon(k) = k$

$$\frac{\rho(T, \mu)}{T^4} \Big|_{\infty} = \frac{7\pi^2}{60} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^4 - g^2 \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left( \frac{5\pi^2}{36} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^4 \right)$$

# Taylor expansion

EoS 'only' requires coeff. at  $\mu = 0$  (at least in principle)

Taylor expansion:

$$\frac{p(T, \mu)}{T^4} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n(T) \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^n \quad \text{with} \quad c_n(T) = \frac{1}{n!} \frac{\partial^n (p(T, \mu)/T^4)}{\partial (\mu/T)^n} \Big|_{\mu=0}$$

high-temperature limit:

$$\begin{aligned} c_0(T \rightarrow \infty) &= \frac{7N_c N_F \pi^2}{180} \\ c_2(T \rightarrow \infty) &= \frac{N_c N_F}{6} \\ c_4(T \rightarrow \infty) &= \frac{N_c N_F}{12\pi^2} \\ c_n(T \rightarrow \infty) &= 0 \quad \text{for } n > 4 \end{aligned}$$



# Thermodynamics for small $\mu/T$

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$$\frac{p}{T^4} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n(T) \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^n \simeq c_0 + c_2 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^2 + c_4 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^4 + c_6 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^6 + \dots$$

number density:  $\frac{n_q}{T^3} = 2c_2 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right) + 4c_4 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^3 + 6c_6 \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)^5 + \dots$

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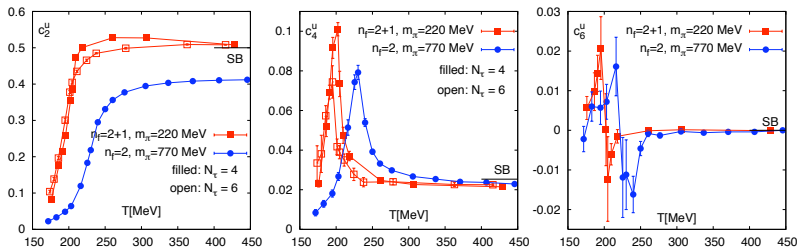
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lattice results : Miao et al. arXiv:0810.0375 [hep-lat]



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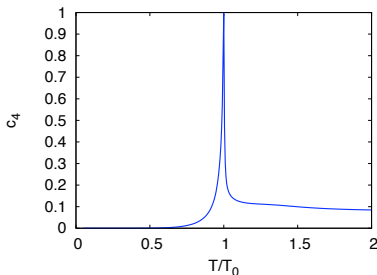
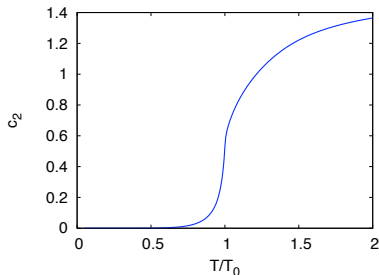
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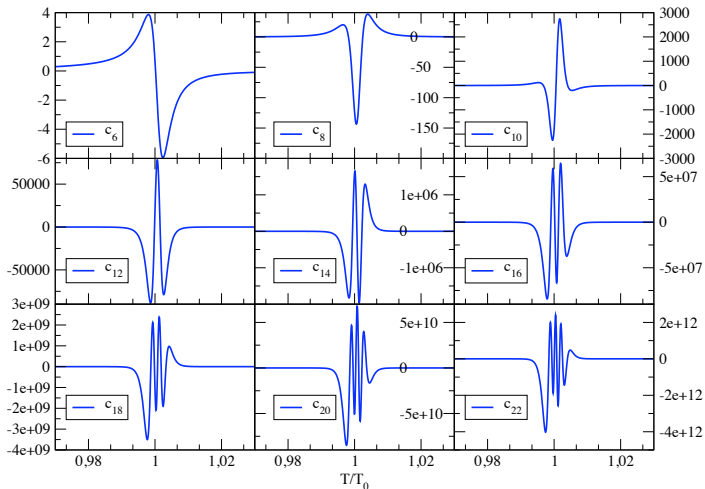
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PQM: ( $N_F = 2 + 1$ ) M. Wagner et al. '09



# Higher-order derivatives

'algorithmic differentiation': M. Wagner et al '09



rapid oscillations for  $T \simeq T_c \leftrightarrow$  singularity in the complex plane

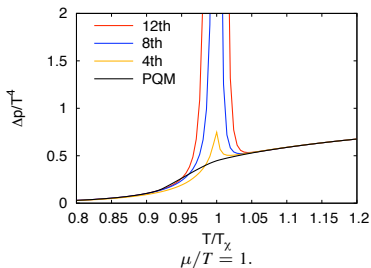


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# Finite $\mu$ extrapolations $N_F = 2 + 1$

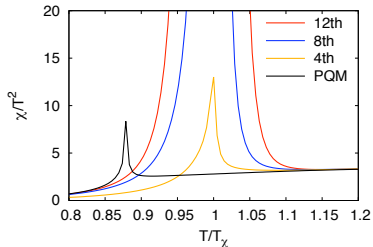
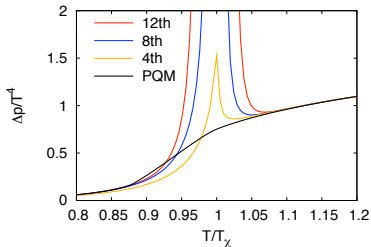
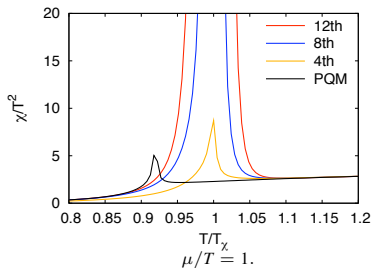
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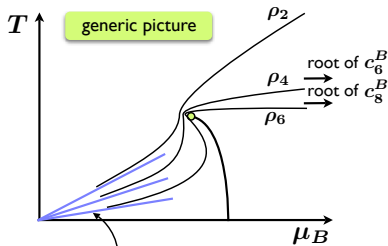
radius of convergence:

$$r_n = \left| \frac{c_{2n}}{c_{2n+2}} \right|^{1/2}; \quad \text{or} \quad \rho_n = \left| \frac{c_2}{c_{2n}} \right|^{1/(2n-2)}$$

estimate CEP from Taylor coefficients?

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{\mu}{T}\right)_c &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\left| \frac{c_{2n}}{c_{2n+2}} \right|} \\ &= \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} r_n = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \rho_n \end{aligned}$$

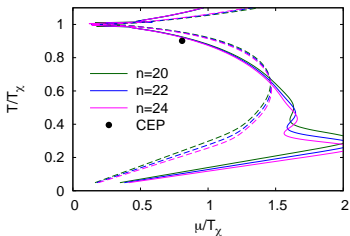
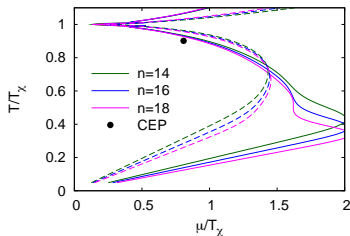
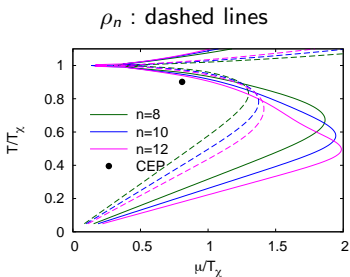
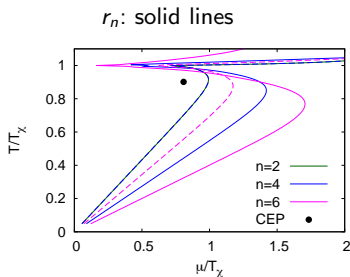
need  $c_n(T) > 0$  for singularity on the real axis



[C. Schmidt '08]

# Radius of convergence

M. Wagner et al '09



# Summary and Conclusions

## findings:

- based on relevant symmetries of QCD the PQM model incorporates chiral symmetry breaking and (statistical) confinement
- parameters determined in the vacuum
- location of the CEP depends on  $\sigma$ -mass
- lattice EoS and fluctuations at  $\mu = 0$  well reproduced by mean-field approx.
- assess properties not easily accessible on the lattice (pole masses, chiral limit,...)
- test lattice procedures for the CEP (convergence of Taylor expansion)

## outlook:

- singularity in the complex  $\mu$ -plane
- fluctuations beyond mean-field via RG
- transport properties
- .....