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# QCD in the chiral SU(3) limit from baryon masses on Lattice QCD ensembles

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$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & -f^2 \text{tr} U_\mu U^\mu + \frac{1}{2} f^2 \text{tr} \chi_+ + 4 L_6 (\text{tr} \chi_+)^2 + 4 L_7 (\text{tr} \chi_-)^2 \\ & - 8 L_4 \text{tr} U_\mu U^\mu \text{tr} \chi_+ - 8 L_5 \text{tr} U_\mu U^\mu \chi_+ \\ & + \text{tr} \bar{B} (i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - M_{[8]}) B \\ & + F \text{tr} \bar{B} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 [iU_\mu, B] + D \text{tr} \bar{B} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \{iU_\mu, B\} + \dots,\end{aligned}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned}U_\mu &= \frac{1}{2} u^\dagger (\partial_\mu e^{i\Phi/f}) u^\dagger, & u &= e^{i\Phi/2f}, \\ D_\mu B &= \partial_\mu B + [\Gamma_\mu, B], & \Gamma_\mu &= \frac{1}{2} u (\partial_\mu u^\dagger) + \frac{1}{2} u^\dagger (\partial_\mu u), \\ \chi_\pm &= \frac{1}{2} (u \chi_0 u \pm u^\dagger \chi_0 u^\dagger), & \chi_0 &= 2 B_0 \text{diag}(m, m, m_s),\end{aligned}$$

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$$\Phi = \sqrt{2} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\pi^0}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\eta}{\sqrt{6}} & \pi^+ & K^+ \\ \pi^- & -\frac{\pi^0}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\eta}{\sqrt{6}} & K^0 \\ K^- & \bar{K}^0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\eta \end{pmatrix}, B = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\Sigma^0}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\Lambda}{\sqrt{6}} & \Sigma^+ & p \\ \Sigma^- & -\frac{\Sigma^0}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\Lambda}{\sqrt{6}} & n \\ -\Xi^- & \Xi^0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\Lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

- ▶ More **LECs** for hadron masses up to N<sup>3</sup>LO
- ▶ Even more **LECs** for decuplet baryons involved
- ▶ For scattering processes, we need additional **LECs**.

## Meson masses at 1 loop with on-shell masses

$$m_\pi^2 = 2 B_0 m + \frac{10 m_\pi^2 - 4 m_K^2 + 3 m_\eta^2}{18 f^2} \bar{I}_\pi - \frac{m_\pi^2}{6 f^2} \bar{I}_\eta$$
$$+ \frac{m_\pi^2}{f^2} \left\{ 8 (m_\pi^2 + 2 m_K^2) (2 L_6 - L_4) + 8 m_\pi^2 (2 L_8 - L_5) \right\},$$

with chiral logs  $\bar{I}_Q = \frac{m_Q^2}{(4\pi)^2} \ln \frac{m_Q^2}{\mu^2}$ , similar for  $m_K^2$  and  $m_\eta^2$ .

- ▶ 1+3 LECs:  $f$ ,  $(2 L_6 - L_4)$ ,  $(2 L_8 - L_5)$ , and  $(3 L_7 + L_8)$
- ▶ Set of 3 nonlinear equations with LECs, quark masses,  $m$ ,  $m_s$ , and on-shell meson masses,  $m_\pi^2$ ,  $m_K^2$  and  $m_\eta^2$ 
  - ▶  $\mu$  dependence from  $\bar{I}_Q$  is balanced by  $L_j$ .
- ▶ Different from conventional chiral perturbation theory ( $\chi$ PT)

Towards baryon masses

# LECs & diagrams for baryon masses

$$B \longrightarrow \longleftarrow B \quad B \in \{N, \Lambda, \Sigma, \Xi, \Delta, \Sigma^*, \Xi^*, \Omega\}$$

There are 2 LECs:  $M_{[8]}$ ,  $M_{[10]}$ .

$$B \longleftarrow \circ \longleftarrow B$$

There are 5 LECs proportional to  $m$ ,  $m_s$  (or  $m_\pi^2$ ,  $m_K^2$ ,  $m_\eta^2$ ).

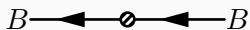
$$\sum_{Q,R} B \longleftarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{---} Q \text{---} \\ \text{---} R \text{---} \end{array} \longleftarrow B \quad \begin{array}{l} Q \in \{\pi, K, \eta\} \\ R \in \{N, \Lambda, \Sigma, \Xi, \Delta, \Sigma^*, \Xi^*, \Omega\} \end{array}$$

There are 4 LECs:  $F$ ,  $D$ ,  $C$ ,  $H$ .

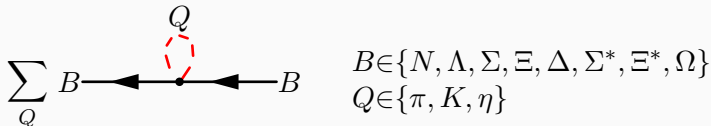
- ▶ Loops have on-shell hadron masses<sup>a</sup>
  - ▶ Not only meson, but baryon masses as well
  - ▶ Different from conventional  $\chi$ PT approach

<sup>a</sup>Lutz,Heo,Guo,Semke [arXiv:1801.06417,1801.10122,nucl-th/0511061]

# LECs & diagrams for baryon masses ..cont'd



There are 12 LECs proportional to  $m^2, m m_s, m_s^2$ .



There are 17 LECs proportional to  $m \bar{I}_Q, m_s \bar{I}_Q$ .

- ▶ The set of 8 nonlinear equations with

- ▶  $\underbrace{2}_{\text{LO}} + \underbrace{5}_{\text{NLO}} + \underbrace{4}_{\text{N}^2\text{LO}} + \underbrace{12 + 17}_{\text{N}^3\text{LO}} = 40$  LECs
- ▶ On-shell baryon masses,  $M_N, M_\Lambda, M_\Sigma, M_\Xi, M_\Delta, M_{\Sigma^*}, M_{\Xi^*}, M_\Omega$
- ▶ On-shell meson masses,  $m_\pi, m_K, m_\eta$
- ▶  $\mu$  dependence from loops is balanced by LECs.

40 LECs?



# Large- $N_c$ constraints on low-energy constants

	LECs	Large- $N_c$ LO	Large- $N_c$ NLO
$\sum_{Q,R} B \leftarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{---} Q \text{---} \\ \text{---} R \text{---} \end{array} \rightarrow B$	4	1	2
$B \leftarrow \text{---} \circ \text{---} \rightarrow B$	12	5	8
$\sum_Q B \leftarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \\ \text{---} Q \text{---} \end{array} \rightarrow B$	17	5	11

- ▶ There were early works on large- $N_c$  analysis. <sup>a b</sup>
- ▶ Novel large- $N_c$  sum rules have been published by our group. <sup>c</sup>
- ▶ What do we do with those?

<sup>a</sup>t Hooft [Nucl.Phys.B 72 (1974) 461] Witten [Nucl.Phys.B 160 (1979) 57-115]

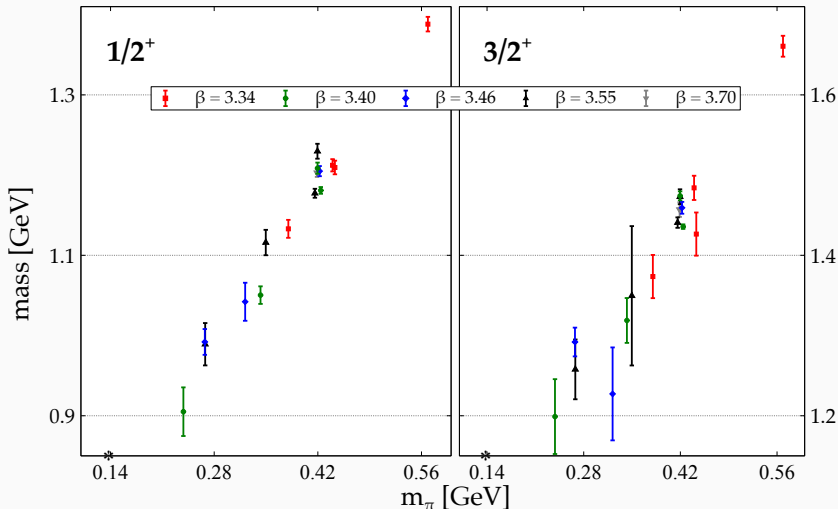
<sup>b</sup>Luty,M-Russell,Dashen,Jenkins,Manohar [arXiv:hep-ph/9310369,9310379,9411234]

<sup>c</sup>Lutz,Semke [arXiv:1012.4365] Heo,Kobdaj,Lutz,Guo [arXiv:1908.11816,1801.06417]

## Chiral extrapolations for Lattice QCD data

- ▶ We consider Lattice QCD data on CLS ensembles
  - ▶ 3 classes:  $m_s = m$ ,  $m_s \sim \text{const.}$ , and  $2m + m_s \sim \text{const.}$
- ▶ Our global Fit w/ finite-volume and discretization effects
- ▶ Result

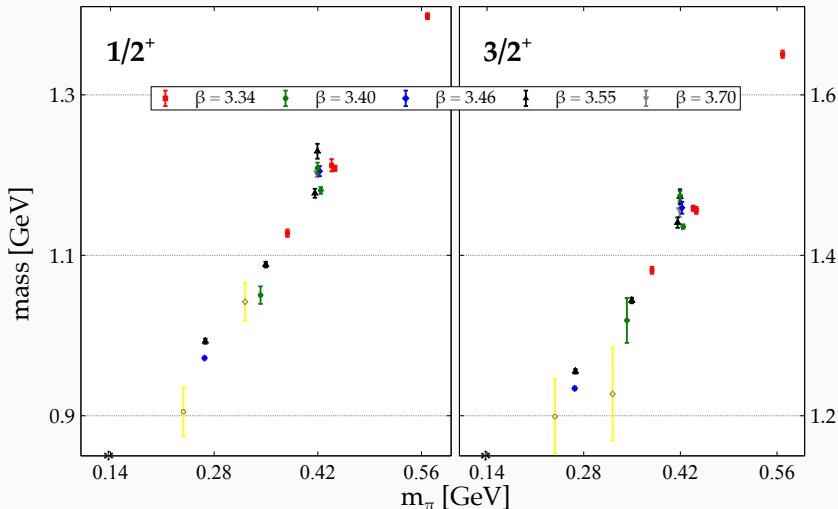
# Flavor-symm. ensembles: comparison



From RQCD Collaboration · Bali et al [arXiv:2211.03744]

⇒ Such ensembles are of the utmost importance to  $SU(3)$   $\chi$ PT.

# Flavor-symm. ensembles: comparison ..cont'd



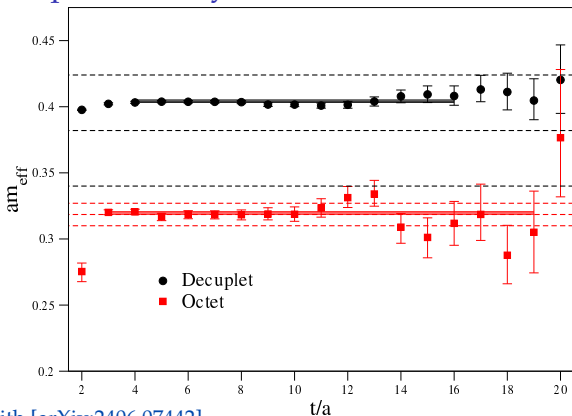
## Reevaluated baryon masses on some CLS ensembles

RQCD Collaboration · Bali et al [arXiv:2211.03744]

Hudspith, Lutz, Mohler [arXiv:2404.02769] Lutz, Heo, Hudspith [arXiv:2406.07442]

# Flavor-symm. ensembles ..cont'd

## Effective mass plots of baryons on the X251 ensemble



Lutz,Heo,Hudspith [arXiv:2406.07442]

## Much-improved statistical precision

- ▶ A single exponential ansatz for the correlation functions
- ▶ On gauge-fixed wall sources

# Finite-box effects

## Loop contributions evaluated in the finite box <sup>a b</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Lutz,Heo,Guo [arXiv:1801.06417,2301.06837]

<sup>b</sup>Lutz,Bavontaweepanya,Kobdaj,Schwarz [arXiv:1401.7805]

► From tadpoles,

$$\bar{I}_Q = \frac{m_Q^2}{(4\pi)^2} \ln \frac{m_Q^2}{\mu^2} + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^3}^{\vec{n} \neq 0} \frac{m_Q}{L|\vec{n}|} K_1(m_Q L|\vec{n}|),$$

► From bubbles,

$$\Delta \bar{I}_{QR}(M_B) = \frac{1}{8\pi^2} \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^3}^{\vec{n} \neq 0} \left( \int_0^1 dz K_0(L|\vec{n}| \mu(z)) - \frac{2 m_Q K_1(m_Q L|\vec{n}|)}{L|\vec{n}| (M_R^2 - m_Q^2)} \right),$$
$$\mu^2(z) = z M_R^2 + (1-z) m_Q^2 - z(1-z) M_B^2,$$

where  $V = L^3$  and  $K_n(x)$  is the modified Bessel function of 2nd kind.

## Discretization effects

We implement its effects <sup>a</sup> by the spurion-field approach <sup>b</sup>.

<sup>a</sup>Lutz,Heo,Guo,Hudspith [arXiv:2301.06837,2406.07442]

<sup>b</sup>Aoki et al [arXiv:hep-lat/0509049]

- ▶  $O(a)$ -improved Wilson quark action <sup>b</sup>
- ▶ We use  $O(a^2)$ -dependent leading order LECs.

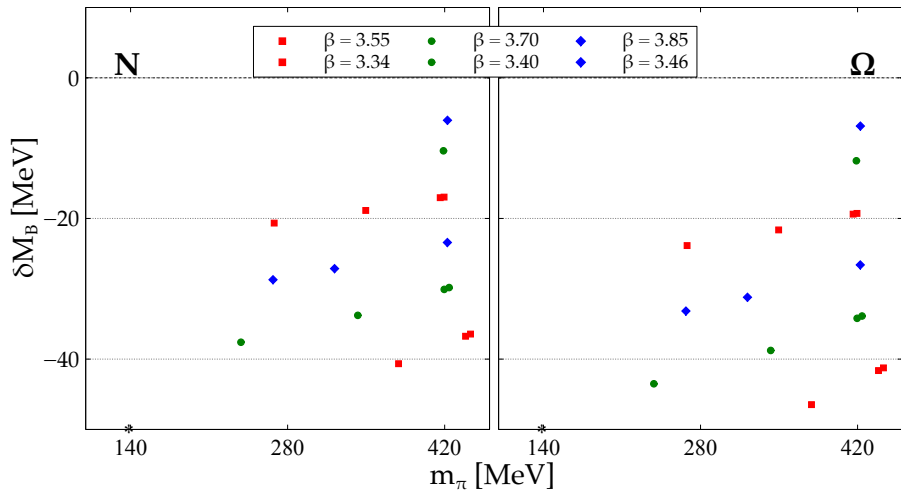
$$\begin{aligned}M_{[8]} &\rightarrow M_{[8]} + a^2\gamma_{M_8}, & M_{[10]} &\rightarrow M_{[10]} + a^2\gamma_{M_{10}}, \\b_0 &\rightarrow b_0 + a^2\gamma_{b_0}, & d_0 &\rightarrow d_0 + a^2\gamma_{d_0}, \\b_D &\rightarrow b_F + a^2\gamma_{b_D}, & d_D &\rightarrow d_D + a^2\gamma_{d_D}, \\b_F &\rightarrow b_F + a^2\gamma_{b_F},\end{aligned}$$

where  $a$  depends upon the 6 sets of ensembles at fixed values of  $\beta$ .

$$\Rightarrow a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.34}, a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.40}, a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.46}, a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.55}, a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.70}, a_{\text{CLS}}^{\beta=3.85}$$

# Discretization effects ..cont'd

To octet and decuplet masses on flavor-symm. ensembles



Lutz,Heo,Hudspith [arXiv:2406.07442]

Towards our Fit strategy



# Our global Fit strategy for LECs

- ▶ We consider Lattice QCD data points on CLS ensembles. <sup>a b</sup>
  - ▶  $m_\pi$  &  $m_K$  are inputs and chosen smaller than 0.55 GeV.
  - ▶  $m_\eta$  is determined as a solution of coupled nonlinear equations, together with  $m$  &  $m_s$ .
  - ▶ 348 data points for baryon ( $N, \Lambda, \Sigma, \Xi, \Delta, \Sigma^*, \Xi^*, \Omega$ ) masses, which are solutions of our set of coupled nonlinear equations.
- ▶ Unconventional scale setting is performed in terms of the empirical values of isospin-averaged 8 baryon masses.
- ▶ We assume residual systematic error of 7 MeV in the baryon masses at  $N^3\text{LO}$ , based on the flavor-SU(3) chiral Lagrangian.
- ▶  $44 = 30_{\text{LEC}} + 14_{\text{Lattice}}$  Fit parameters
  - ▶ Large- $N_c$  relations for LECs enter only at  $N^3\text{LO}$
  - ▶ Lattice parameters, together with a few of LECs

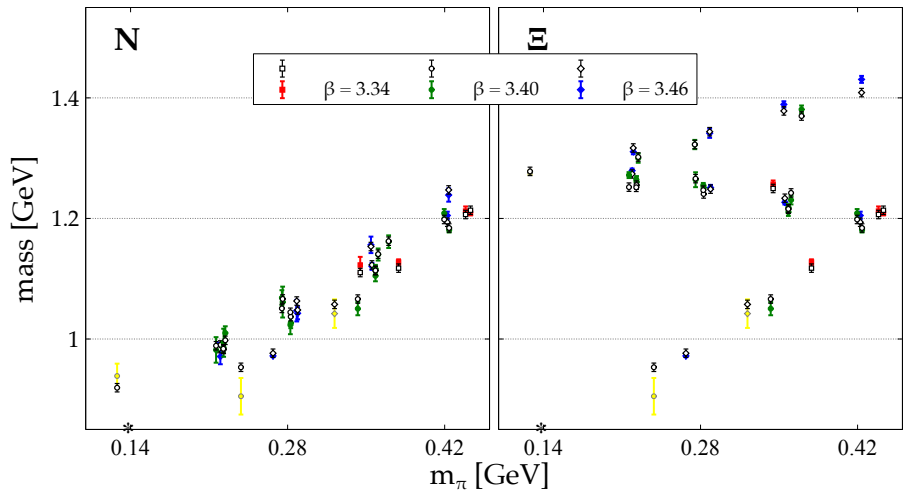
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# Result

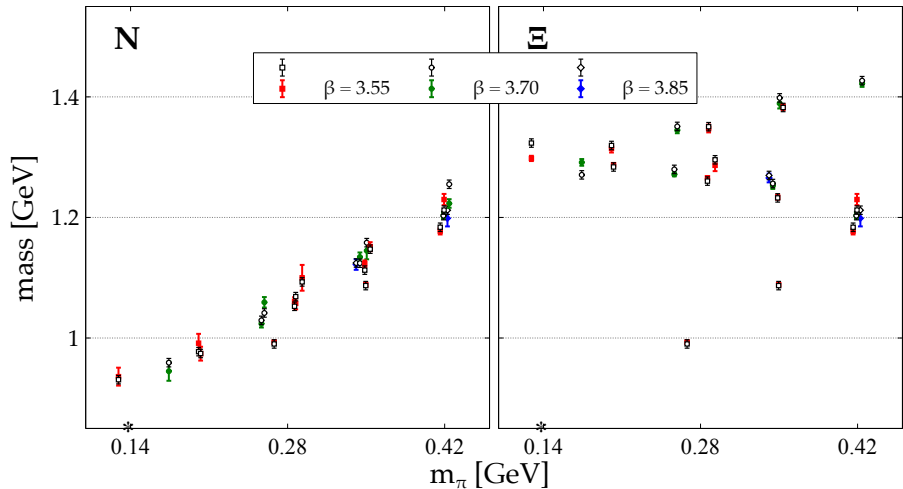
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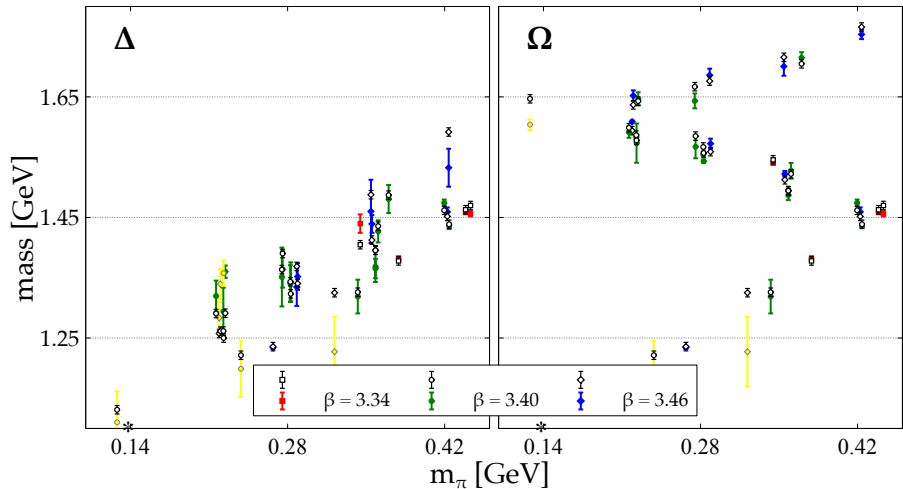
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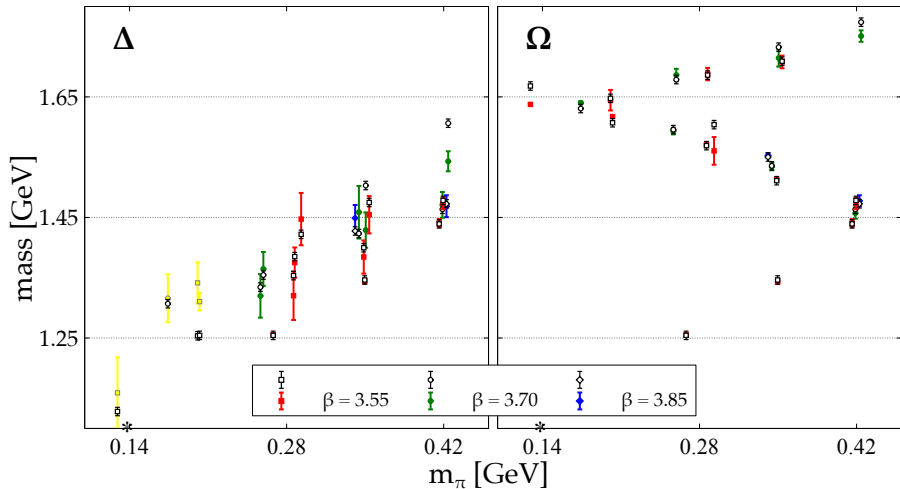
Some decuplet masses on 3 coarsest lattices



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## LECs in the meson sector

	MILC <sup>1</sup>	HPQCD <sup>2</sup>	previous Fit <sup>3</sup>	current Fit <sup>4</sup>
$10^3 (2 L_6 - L_4)$	0.04(24)	0.23(17)	0.0411(3)	0.0296(41)
$10^3 (2 L_8 - L_5)$	-0.20(11)	-0.15(20)	0.0826(12)	-0.0769(51)
$10^3 (L_8 + 3 L_7)$			-0.4768(4)	-0.3145(28)
$m_s/m$			26.15(1)	27.62(4)
$f$ [MeV]			92.4*	82.35(68)

<sup>1</sup>Bazavov et al [arXiv:1012.0868] <sup>2</sup>Dowdall,Davies,Lepage,McNeile [arXiv:1303.1670]

<sup>3</sup>Lutz,Heo,Guo [arXiv:2301.06837] <sup>4</sup>Lutz,Heo,Hudspith [arXiv:2406.07442]

- ▶ FLAG values:  $m_s/m = 27.42(12)$  and  $f = 80.3(6.0)$  MeV <sup>a</sup>
- ▶ We do not fit to the quark-mass ratios, because they are not given by the Regensburg group <sup>b</sup>.

<sup>a</sup>Aoki et al [arXiv:2111.09849]

<sup>b</sup>RQCD Collaboration · Bali et al [arXiv:2211.03744]

What is the difference between our 2 Fits?

## Further LECs from baryon masses

		previous Fit <sup>5</sup>	current Fit <sup>6</sup>
$f$	[MeV]	92.4*	82.35(68)
$F$		0.51*	0.4852(73)
$D$		0.72*	0.4855(85)
$C$		1.44*	0.9740(415)
$H$		2.43*	1.8390(188)
$M$	[MeV]	804.3(1)	840.3(15.7)
$M + \Delta$	[MeV]	1115.2(1)	1091.2(13.8)

<sup>5</sup>Lutz,Heo,Guo [arXiv:2301.06837] <sup>6</sup>Lutz,Heo,Hudspith [arXiv:2406.07442]

### Important features of our current Fit

- ▶ The updated baryon masses on flavor-symm. ensembles
- ▶  $f$  as part of our global Fit parameters
- ▶ No use of  $C = 2D$  and  $H = 9F - 3D$  anymore

## Further LECs from baryon masses ..cont'd

- 11 left by the NLO Large- $N_c$  relations from 17 for tadpoles

	current Fit		current Fit
$g_0^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-6.2128(1.5691)	$g_0^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	5.0764(740)
$g_1^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-3.4537(3612)	$g_1^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	-4.0551(576)
$g_D^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	0.9229(6918)	$g_D^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	6.1611(1525)
$g_F^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-3.8802(6657)	$g_F^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	1.3456(1208)
$h_1^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-3.3828(7795)	$h_1^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	4.1857(2760)
$h_2^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	0.	$h_2^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	7.7346(2270)
$h_3^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-5.6282(5798)	$h_3^{(V)}$ [GeV $^{-2}$ ]	-1.5500(765)
$h_4^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-6.3879(6177)	$h_5^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	-4.0818(3811)
$h_6^{(S)}$ [GeV $^{-1}$ ]	6.3879(6177)		

More in [Lutz,Heo,Hudspith \[arXiv:2406.07442\]](#)

⇒ They play an important role in the meson-baryon scattering.



## **Summary and future work**

## Towards hadron spectroscopy

- ▶ Many LECs that are relevant for scattering processes can be determined via Lattice QCD data for hadron masses.
  - ▶ 1-loop contributions in terms of their on-shell masses
  - ▶ Baryon octet and decuplet masses at N<sup>3</sup>LO
  - ▶ Quark-mass dependence taken into account
- ▶ Those can be used in systematic coupled-channel computations.
  - ▶ A generalized potential approach would be required for dealing with left- and right-hand cuts. <sup>a</sup>
  - ▶ Chiral long-range forces, such as u-ch. exchanges, and more 1 loops, e.g. triangle and box diagrams, were studied for the open-charm system already. <sup>b</sup>
  - ▶ Such work will be a challenge to baryon systems.

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<sup>a</sup>Lutz,Gasparyan,Danilkin,Epelbaum [arXiv:1003.3426,1009.5928,1212.3057]

<sup>b</sup>Lutz,Guo,Heo,Korpa,Isken [arXiv:2209.10601,2309.09695]

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