Footprint of non-decoupling in chiral phase transition

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Goal : Understanding of the critical phenomena of two flavor QCD

When the U_A(1) breaking is finite (but small) at T_c: Our assumption

How does it affect the nature of chiral phase transition?
 Ist order or 2nd order?

• (If it is 2nd) What is the universality class?



3-d Linear sigma model (as an effective theory)

At the leading order of $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ expansion

Results

2nd order phase transition?



Yes (depends on the parameters)

O(4) universality?

One of the exponents differs

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INTRODUCTION

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anomaly



U(2) x U(2) Linear Sigma Model(LSM) + U_A(1) breaking term

UA(1) symmetry



Difference of RG flow

RG flow at 1-loop level in d=4-ε



X) Stability of this IRFP is well established in higher order

S. A. Antonenko and A. I. Sokolov (1998)

U_A(1) restoration



No IR fixed point at 1-loop order

※) Existence of IR fixed point of U(2)xU(2) LSM in higher order is still under debate

> Pelissetto and E. Vicari (2013) Y. Nakayama and T. Ohtsuki (2014) *et .al.* 6/20

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METHOD

$U(2)xU(2)LSM + U_{A}(1)$

U(2)xU(2) LSM+U_A(1) breaking term (U_A(1) broken model)

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L}_{\text{total}} &= \mathcal{L}_{U(2) \times U(2)} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{breaking}} \\ \Phi &\to e^{2i\theta_A} L^{\dagger} \Phi R \ (L \in SU_L(2), \ R \in SU_R(2)) \qquad 2\text{x2 complex scalar} \\ \mathcal{L}_{U(2) \times U(2)} &= \frac{1}{2} \text{tr} \left[\partial_{\mu} \Phi \partial^{\mu} \Phi^{\dagger} \right] + \frac{1}{2} m^2 \text{tr} \left[\Phi \Phi^{\dagger} \right] + \frac{\pi^2}{3} g_1 \ (\text{tr} [\Phi \Phi^{\dagger}])^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{3} g_2 \text{tr} \left[(\Phi \Phi^{\dagger})^2 \right] \\ \mathcal{L}_{\text{breaking}} &= -\frac{c_A}{4} (\det \Phi + \det \Phi^{\dagger}) + \frac{\pi^2}{3} x \operatorname{Tr} [\Phi \Phi^{\dagger}] (\det \Phi + \det \Phi^{\dagger}) + \frac{\pi^2}{3} y \ (\det \Phi + \det \Phi^{\dagger})^2 \\ &+ w \ (\text{tr} \left[\partial_{\mu} \Phi^{\dagger} t_2 \ \partial^{\mu} \Phi^* t_2 \right] + \text{h.c.}) \end{split}$$
In terms of components
$$\oint \Phi &= \sqrt{2} (\phi_0 - i\chi_0) t_0 + \sqrt{2} (\chi_i + i\phi_i) t_i \quad \left(t_0 = \frac{1}{2}, \ t_i = \frac{\sigma_i}{2} \right) \\ (i = 1, 2, 3 \ a = 0, 1, 2, 3) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{total}} &= (1 - w) \frac{1}{2} (\partial_{\mu} \phi_a)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (m^2 (T) - c_A / 2) \phi_a^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{3} \lambda (\phi_a^2)^2 \\ &+ (1 - w) \frac{1}{2} (\partial_{\mu} \chi_a)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (m^2 (T) + c_A / 2) \chi_a^2 \\ &+ \frac{\pi^2}{3} \left[(\lambda - 2x) (\chi_a^2)^2 + 2(\lambda + g_2 - z) \phi_a^2 \chi_b^2 - 2g_2 (\phi_a \chi_a)^2 \right] \frac{g}{20} \end{split}$$

$U(2)xU(2)LSM + U_{A}(1)$

U(2)xU(2) LSM+U_A(1) breaking term (U_A(1) broken model)

Strategy

Working hypothesis

: UA(1) broken model undergoes 2nd order phase transition

 \blacksquare 4 massless scalar ϕ_a and 4 massive scalar χ_a $m_\chi^2(T_c) = m^2(T_c) + c_A/2 = c_A$

• ε expansion with mass dependent scheme



• (When it is 2nd order) Calculate the critical exponents

at $m_{\phi}^2(T_c) = m^2(T_c) - c_A/2 = 0$

RESULTS

β functions

 β functions of U_A(1) broken model (1-loop) $\hat{g}_i = \mu^{-\epsilon} g_i \ (d = 4 - \epsilon)$ $\beta_{\lambda} \equiv \mu \frac{d\hat{\lambda}}{d\mu} = -\epsilon\hat{\lambda} + 2\hat{\lambda}^2 + \frac{1}{6}f(\hat{\mu})(4\hat{\lambda}^2 + 6\hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_2 + 3\hat{g}_2^2 - 8\hat{\lambda}\hat{z} - 6\hat{g}_2\hat{z} + 4\hat{z}^2)$ $\beta_{g_2} \equiv \mu \frac{d\hat{g}_2}{d\mu} = -\epsilon \hat{g}_2 + \frac{1}{3}\hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_2 + \frac{1}{3}f(\hat{\mu})\hat{g}_2(\hat{\lambda} - 2\hat{x}) + \frac{1}{3}h(\hat{\mu})\hat{g}_2(4\hat{\lambda} + \hat{g}_2 - 4\hat{z})$ $\beta_x \equiv \mu \frac{d\hat{x}}{d\mu} = -\epsilon \hat{x} + \frac{1}{12} (1 - f(\hat{\mu})) (8\hat{\lambda}^2 - 6\hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_2 - 3\hat{g}_2^2 + 8\hat{\lambda}\hat{z} + 6\hat{g}_2\hat{z} - 4\hat{z}^2) + 4f(\hat{\mu})(\hat{\lambda}\hat{x} - \hat{x}^2)$ $\beta_{z} \equiv \mu \frac{d\hat{z}}{d\mu} = -\epsilon \hat{z} + \frac{1}{2} (2\hat{\lambda}^{2} - \hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_{2} + 2\hat{\lambda}\hat{z}) - \frac{1}{6}h(\hat{\mu})(4\hat{\lambda}^{2} + 3\hat{g}_{2}^{2} - 8\hat{\lambda}\hat{z} + 4\hat{z}^{2})$ $+ \frac{1}{6}f(\hat{\mu})(-2\hat{\lambda}^{2} + 3\hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_{2} + 3\hat{g}_{2}^{2} - 2\hat{\lambda}\hat{z} - 6\hat{g}_{2}\hat{z} + 12\hat{\lambda}\hat{x} + 6\hat{g}_{2}\hat{x} - 12\hat{x}\hat{z} + 4\hat{z}^{2})$

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 $\lim_{\hat{\mu} \to \infty} f(\hat{\mu}) = \lim_{\hat{\mu} \to \infty} h(\hat{\mu}) = 1, \ \lim_{\hat{\mu} \to 0} f(\hat{\mu}) = \lim_{\hat{\mu} \to 0} h(\hat{\mu}) = \mathcal{O}(\hat{\mu}^2)$

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 $\mu \rightarrow 0$ limit with fixed $c_A \implies$?

RG flow



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No IR fixed point

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N point function

Any correlation function has same IR limit with O(4) LSM

Same IR physics = 2nd order phase transition

 $G_{\phi}^{(N)} = \langle \phi_a(c_1 P) \phi_a(c_2 P) \phi_b(c_3 P) \cdots \phi_c(c_N P) \rangle \xrightarrow{P \to 0} G_{O(4)}^{(N)} ?$ $G_{\phi}^{(2)} \xrightarrow{P \to 0} G_{O(4)}^{(2)}, \quad G_{\phi}^{(4)} \xrightarrow{P \to 0} G_{O(4)}^{(4)}$

 $N \geq 6?$

Divergence vs. suppression

N point 1PI diagram of ϕ with typical scale P (N \geq 6)



= N(\geq 6) point 1PI diagram converges to O(4) _{15/20}



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IR physics agree with O(4) LSM

U_A(1) broken model undergoes 2nd order phase transition

O(4) universality?

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$$\xi \sim \left(\frac{|T - T_c|}{T_c}\right)^{\nu}$$

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Results at the leading order of $\boldsymbol{\epsilon}$ expansion

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Non-decoupling !?

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4. 2nd order with the U_A(1) broken scaling ($c_A \neq 0, \lambda \rightarrow \epsilon/2$)

Summary

- We study the nature of chiral phase transition of massless two-flavor QCD using the U_A(1) broken model
- Depending on the parameters, the model shows the 2nd order phase transition
- We find that at least one of the critical exponents has different value from the O(4) LSM. It suggests novel possibility of chiral phase transition of two-flavor QCD.

Thank you for your attention!

BACKUP

O(4) attractive basin

Region of initial values $\lambda(\Lambda)$, g2(Λ) flowing into O(4) fixed point



O(4) attractive basin shrinks as c_A vanishes

O(4) attractive basin



Asymptotic behavior

• eta functions of g2 and z ($\hat{\lambda}(\mu o 0) \sim \epsilon/2$)

$$\beta_{\hat{g}_{2}}(\mu \to 0) \sim -\frac{5}{6}\epsilon\hat{g}_{2} \qquad \qquad \hat{g}_{2}(\mu \to 0) \sim c \left(\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{c_{A}}}\right)^{-5\epsilon/6}$$

$$\beta_{\hat{x}}(\mu \to 0) \sim -\epsilon\hat{x} + \frac{1}{12}(-3\hat{g}_{2} + 6\hat{g}_{2}\hat{z} - 4\hat{z}^{2}) \implies \hat{x}(\mu \to 0) \sim \frac{3}{32}\hat{g}_{2}^{2}(\mu)$$

$$\beta_{\hat{z}}(\mu \to 0) \sim -\frac{1}{2}\epsilon\hat{z} - \frac{1}{4}\epsilon\hat{g}_{2} \qquad \qquad \hat{z}(\mu \to 0) \sim \frac{3}{4}\hat{g}_{2}(\mu)$$

• β function of $\hat{\lambda}(\mu \rightarrow 0)$

$$\beta_{\lambda} = -\epsilon \hat{\lambda} + 2\hat{\lambda}^2 + \frac{1}{6}f(\hat{\mu})(4\hat{\lambda}^2 + 6\hat{\lambda}\hat{g}_2 + 3\hat{g}_2^2 - 8\hat{\lambda}\hat{z} - 6\hat{g}_2\hat{z} + 4\hat{z}^2)$$

$$\approx -\epsilon \lambda + 2\lambda^2 + \frac{c^2}{24}\mu^{2-\frac{5}{3}\epsilon} \quad \blacksquare \quad \lim_{\mu \to 0} \left[\hat{\lambda} - \hat{\lambda}_*\right] \sim -\frac{c^2}{8(5\epsilon - 3)} \left(\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{c_A}}\right)^{2-\frac{5}{3}\epsilon}$$

Four point correlation function

When $\lim_{P \to 0} \bar{\lambda}(P)|_{U_A(1) \text{ broken}} = \lim_{P \to 0} \bar{\lambda}(P)|_{O(4)}$,

the four point function of the $U_A(1)$ broken model agrees with O(4)



N point 1PI diagram of ϕ with typical scale P (N>4)



Contribution from massive components vanishes with $N > \frac{4-\epsilon}{1-\frac{5}{12}\epsilon} \xrightarrow{\epsilon \to 1} \frac{36}{7}$

= N(≥6) point 1PI diagram converges to O(4)

Footprint of non-decoupling

4 point functions of UA(1) broken model and O(4) LSM

$$G_{\phi}^{(4)}|_{s=t=u=P^2} \xrightarrow{P \to 0} -\frac{8}{3}\pi^2 \left(\prod_{i=1} 4\frac{-1}{p_i^2}\right) P^{\epsilon} \left\{\frac{\epsilon}{2} - c \left(\frac{P}{\mu}\right)^{2-\frac{5}{3}\epsilon}\right\},$$

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Same convergence point, but different approaching rate

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