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# Quark-Hadron Crossover equations of state for neutron stars

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Refs) • Baym-Hatsuda-TK-Powell-Song-Takatsuka (2018): review for NS

- TK-Baym-Hatsuda (2021): QHC21 EoS
- Fukushima-TK-Weise (2020): Soft- & Hard- Deconfinement
- TK (2021), TK-Suenaga (2021): sound velocity peak, quark saturation effects



#### **State of matter: overview**

- many-quark exchange
- structural change,...
- hyperons, ⊿, ...

ab-initio nuclear cal. laboratory experiments steady progress ~ 1.4 M

few meson exchange

nucleons only

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(3-body)

# most difficult

(d.o.f ??)

**Hints from NS** 



#### [Masuda+ '12; TK+ '14]

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#### **Observations:** (NICER, GW170817, nuclear) [e.g., Miller+ '21]



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### Soft to stiff is challenging:





#### 2, Stiffing in the crossover domain

- TK (2021): PRD104 (2021)7,074005
- TK-Suenaga (2021): arXiv 2110.02100



#### Strategy

Keep track of quark states from nuclear to quark matter

(within a single model, e.g., percolation model, Fukushima-TK-Weise '20)

#### **Quarks in a baryon** N<sub>c</sub> (=3): number of colors

$$Q_{\rm in}(\boldsymbol{p},\boldsymbol{P}_B) = \mathcal{N}e^{-\frac{1}{\Lambda^2}\left(\boldsymbol{p}-\frac{\boldsymbol{P}_B}{N_{\rm c}}\right)^2} \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{p}_3} \boldsymbol{p}_2 \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{p}_4} \boldsymbol{p}_2 \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{p}_4} \boldsymbol{p}_2 \xrightarrow{\boldsymbol{p}_4} \boldsymbol{p}_2$$



probability density:

mean: 
$$\langle P_B \rangle = N_c \int_{p} p Q_{in}(p, P_B)$$
  
variance:  $\left\langle \left( p - \frac{P_B}{N_c} \right)^2 \right\rangle \sim \Lambda^2$  energetic !

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#### A new unified model for QHC

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"quark saturation" constraint

 $\rightarrow$  relativistic baryons at low density,  $n_B \sim 1-3n_0!$ 

cf) McLerran-Reddy model (2018) of quarkyonic matter





#### 3, QHC2I: quark EOS and 3-window modeling

- Baym-Hatsuda-TK-Powell-Song-Takatsuka (2018): QHC18
- · Baym-Furusawa-Hatsuda-TK-Togashi (2019): QHC19-Togashi
- TK-Baym-Hatsuda (2021): QHC21-χ & QHC21-T



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#### **Stiff quark EoS ?:** a guide



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cf) [TK-Powell-Song-Baym, '14]

18/21 A quark model for  $n_B > \sim 5n_0$  (~ 1 fm<sup>-3</sup>) A guide : Quark-Hadron Continuity : eff. Hamiltonian continuously evolves from hadron physics "3-window" [Manohar-Georgi 1983, Weinberg 2010,...] 0.2 GeV < Q < I-2 GeV ~2 GeV < O Q < ~0.2 GeV constituent quarks + OGE short range very long-range (> I fm) (quasi-particles) chiral SB & color-mag. int. pQCD confinement & **baryon-baryon**. int. A template) chiral nB-nB int. color-mag. solve within **MF**  $\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_{\text{NJL}} - \underline{H} \sum (q\Gamma_A q) (\bar{q}\Gamma_A \bar{q}) + \underline{g_V} (\bar{q}\gamma_0 q)^2$ + color- & charge- neutrality + β-equilibrium [Masuda+2015, TK+2014, Blaschke+....] (gv, H): both inspired from color-mag. interactions [Oka-Yazaki '80, Park-Lee-





• nuclear uncertainties  $\rightarrow \Delta R_{1.4} \sim 0.7$  km, but the peak in  $c_s^2$  robust

• QHC type models  $\rightarrow$  earlier stiffening than in pure hadronic models

## Summary

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#### Outlook

- modeling for crossover; 3-window model  $\rightarrow$  a model of quark saturation (TK '21)
- Structural changes in hadrons & percolation (Fukushima-TK-Weise '20)
- chiral condensates, flavor composition, etc.  $\rightarrow$  Harada-san & Minamikawa-san's talks

#### Hadron physics for dense QCD