

Chiral EFT from a data perspective

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Overview

- Multiple minima
- Uncertainty quantification
- Summary

Optimization strategies

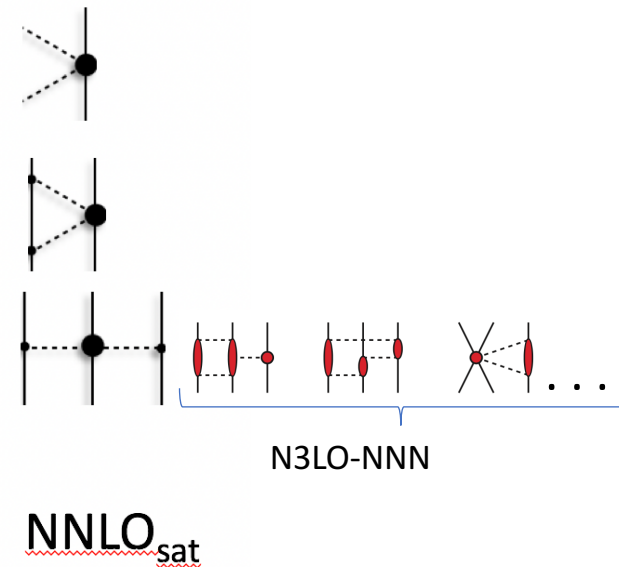
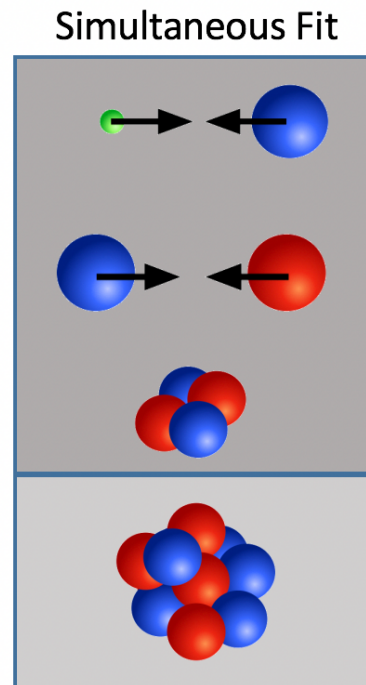
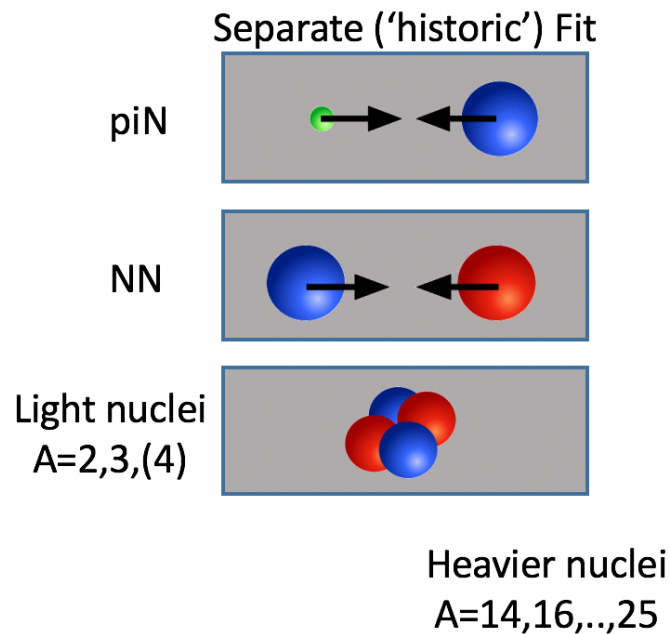
LECs \mathbf{p} to be extracted/optimized from data.

$$\chi^2(\mathbf{p}) = \sum_i \left(\frac{\mathcal{O}_{i,\text{theo}}(\mathbf{p}) - \mathcal{O}_{i,\text{exp}}}{\sigma_{i,\text{tot}}} \right)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{i,\text{tot}}^2 &= \sigma_{i,\text{exp}}^2 + \sigma_{i,\text{theo}}^2 \\ &= \sigma_{i,\text{exp}}^2 + \sigma_{i,\text{numerical}}^2 + \sigma_{i,\text{method}}^2 + \sigma_{i,\text{model}}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Hinges on Gaussian likelihood and flat prior

$$\sigma_{\text{model}}^{(\text{amp})} = C \left(\frac{Q}{\Lambda} \right)^{\nu+1}$$



Objective function

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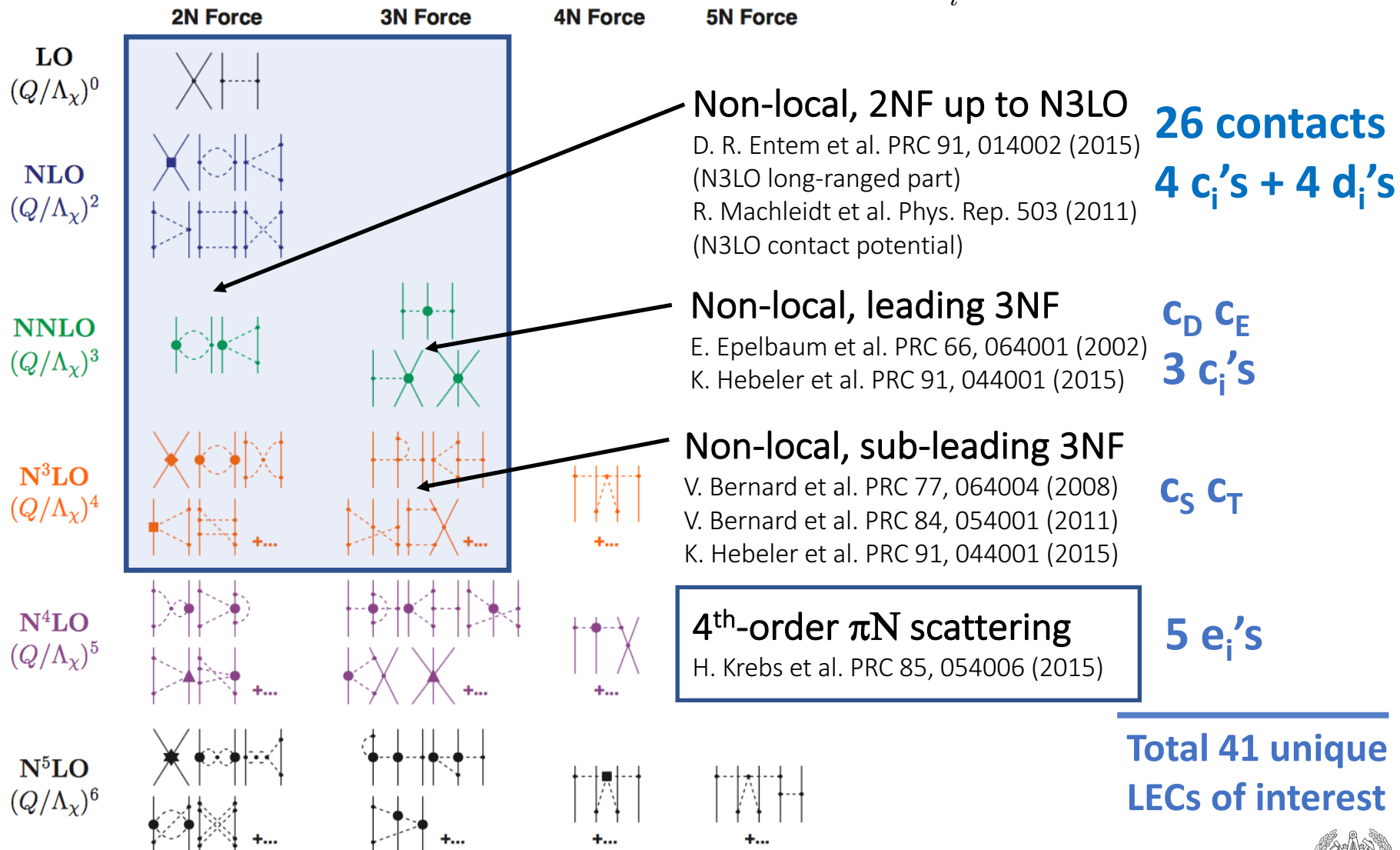
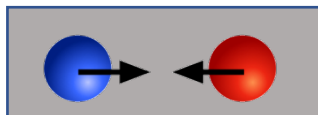


Figure from: R. Machleidt and F. Sammarruca, Phys. Scr. **91** (2016) 083007

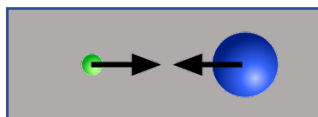
Experimental data

$$\chi^2(\mathbf{p}) = \sum_i \left(\frac{\mathcal{O}_{i,\text{theo}}(\mathbf{p}) - \mathcal{O}_{i,\text{exp}}}{\sigma_{i,\text{tot}}} \right)^2$$



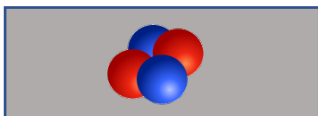
Granada NN database (0-290 MeV)

R. Navarro Pérez et al. PRC 88, 064002 (2013)



Washington Institute WI08 π N database (0-70 MeV)

R. Workman et al. PRC 86, 035202 (2012)



	Experimental value	$\sigma_{\text{exp+method}}$
$E(^2\text{H})$	$-2.22456627(46)$	0.22×10^{-3}
$E(^3\text{H})$	$-8.4817987(25)$	0.028
$E(^3\text{He})$	$-7.7179898(24)$	0.019
$E(^4\text{He})$	$-28.2956099(11)$	0.11
$r_{\text{pt-p}}(^2\text{H})$	$1.97559(78)^{\text{a}}$	0.79×10^{-3}
$r_{\text{pt-p}}(^3\text{H})$	$1.587(41)$	0.041
$r_{\text{pt-p}}(^3\text{He})$	$1.7659(54)$	0.013
$r_{\text{pt-p}}(^4\text{He})$	$1.4552(62)$	0.0071
$Q(^2\text{H})$	$0.27(1)^{\text{b}}$	0.01
$E_A^1(^3\text{H})$	$0.6848(11)$	0.0011

Multiple minima

41-dim LEC space!



Boris Carlsson



Number of optima at each stage in the optimization

$2^5 \times 5 = 160$

$2^5 \times 4 = 128$

160

104

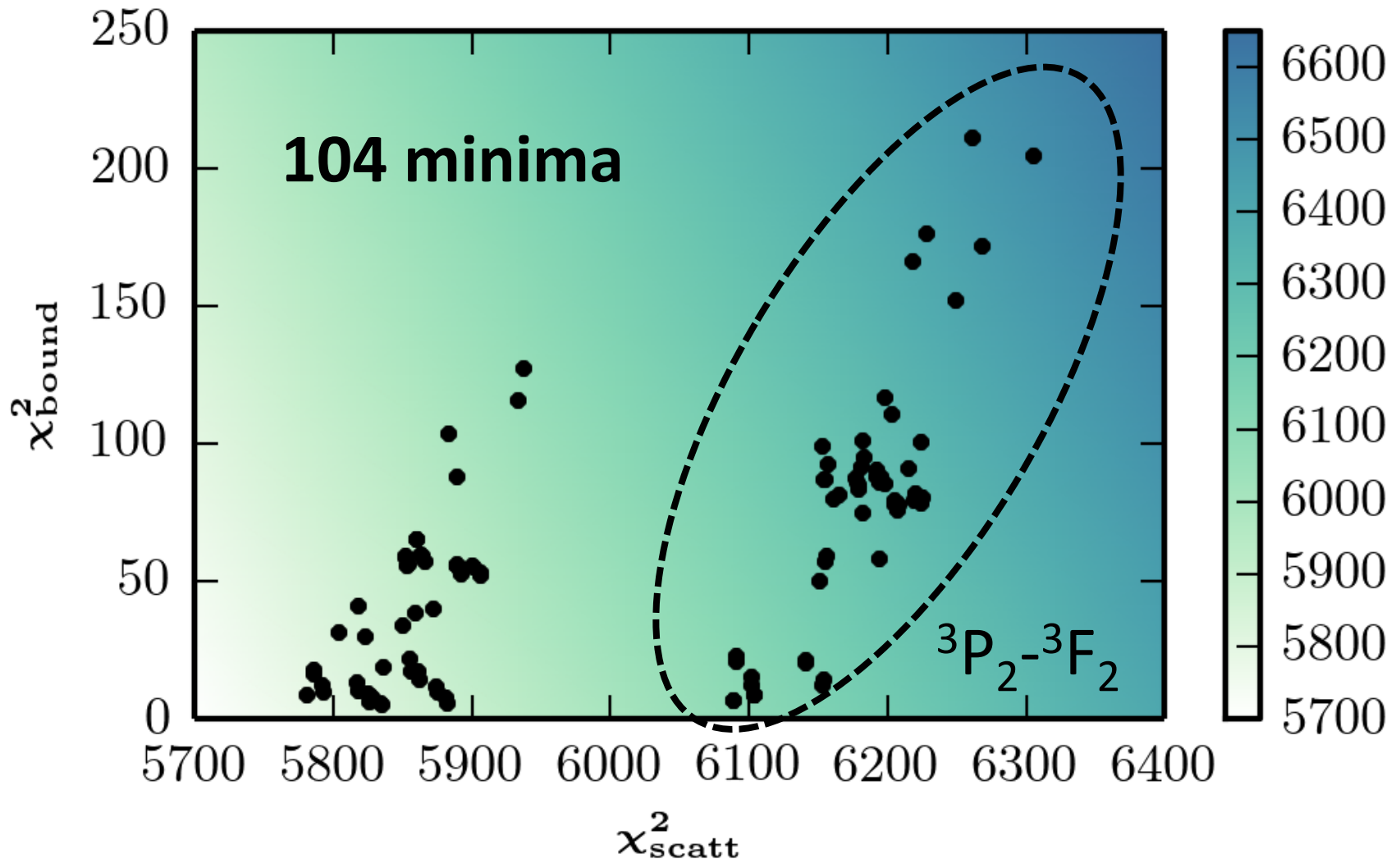
c_1 -0.69(50)
 c_2 +3.0(14)
 c_3 -4.12(32)
 c_4 +5.35(81)
 $d_1 + d_2$ +6.22(44)
 d_3 -5.31(30)
 d_5 -0.46(18)
 $d_{14} - d_{15}$ -11.00(42)
 e_{14} -0.63(95)
 e_{15} -7.7(26)
 e_{16} +5.9(49)
 e_{17} +2.1(18)
 e_{18} -8.1(42)

1S_0 : 2
 $\left. \begin{array}{l} ^3S_1 \\ ^3D_1 \end{array} \right\}$ 5
 $^3S_1 - ^3D_1$
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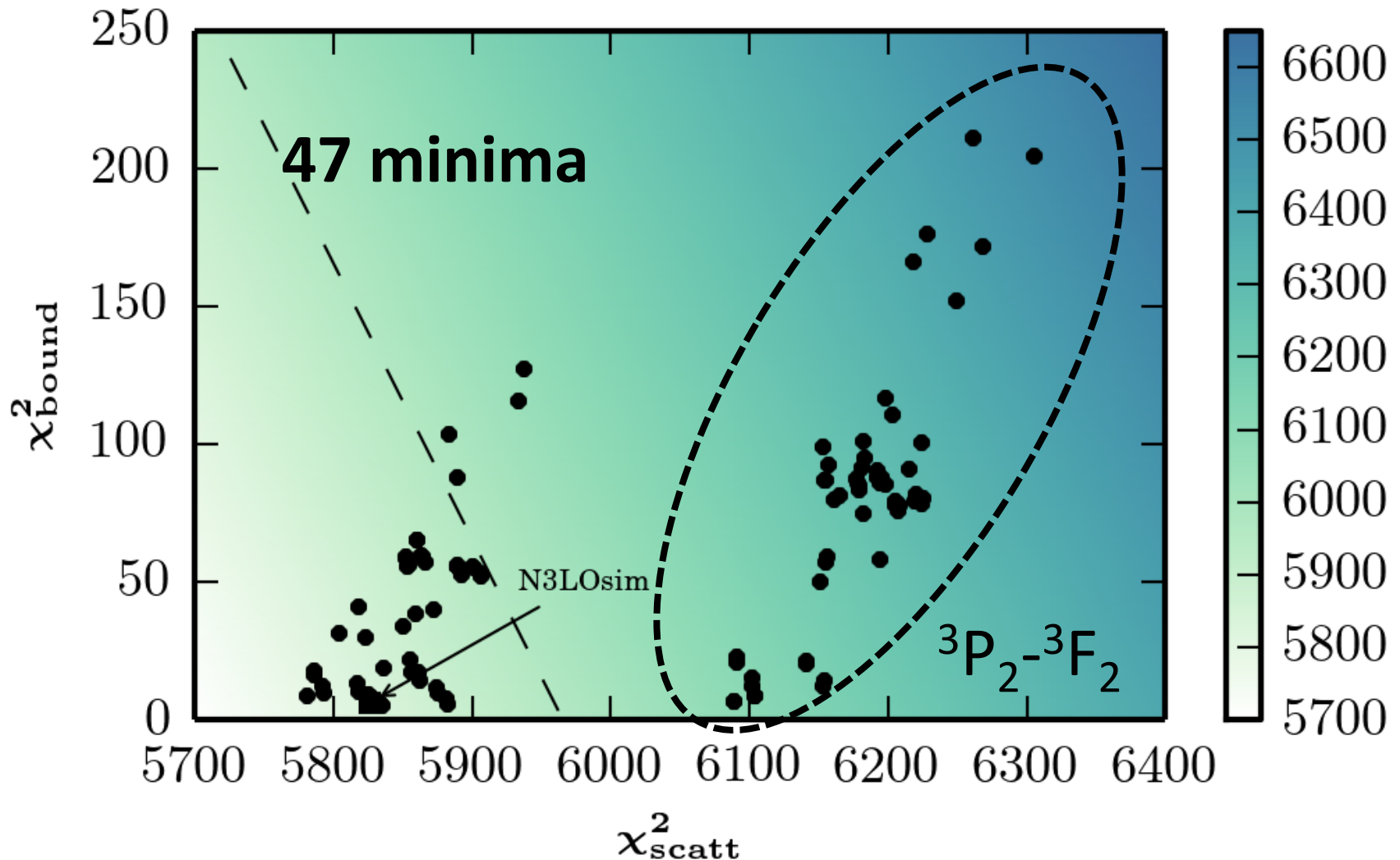
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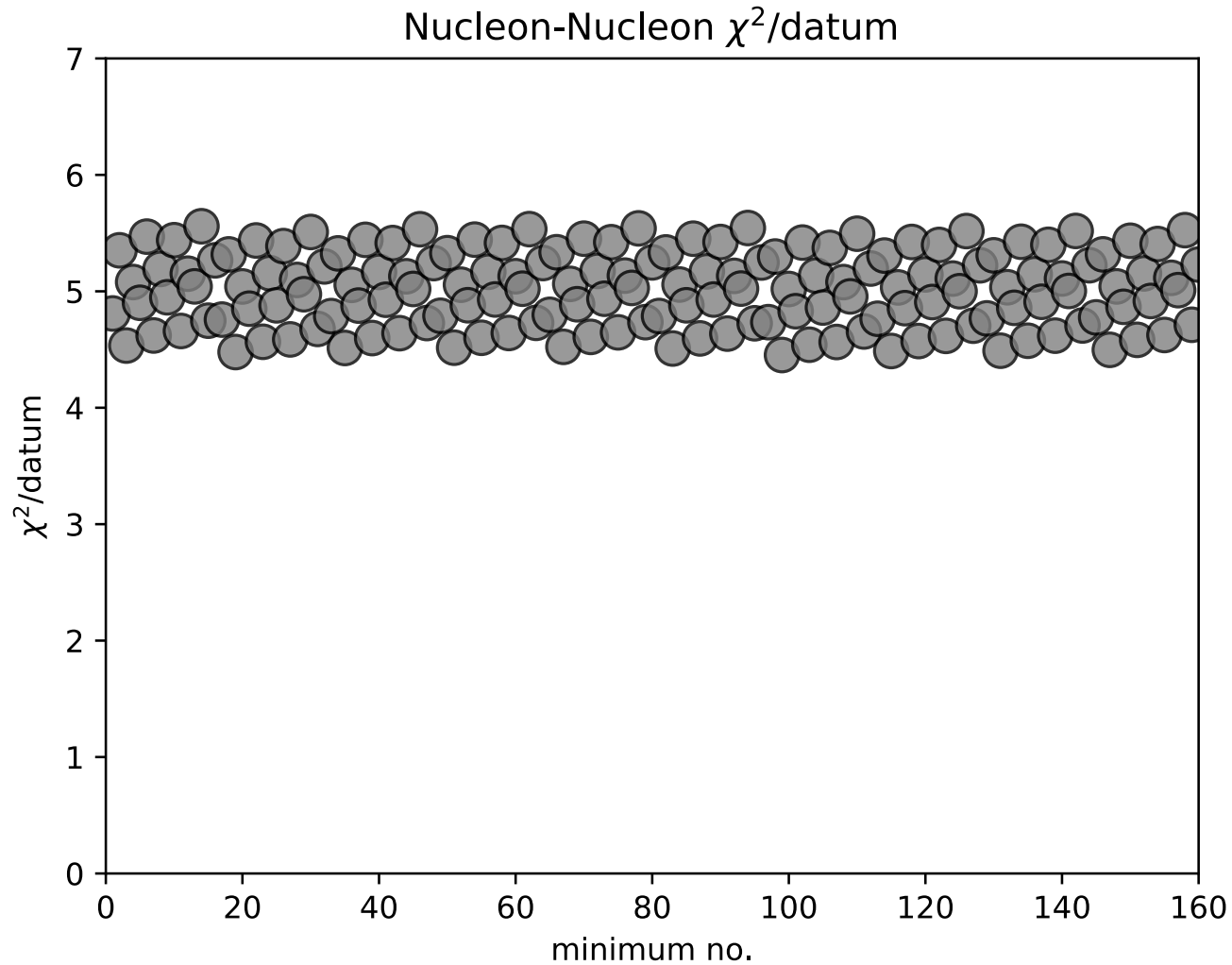
Some cases with two cD/cE - optima

Multiple minima at N3LO: overview



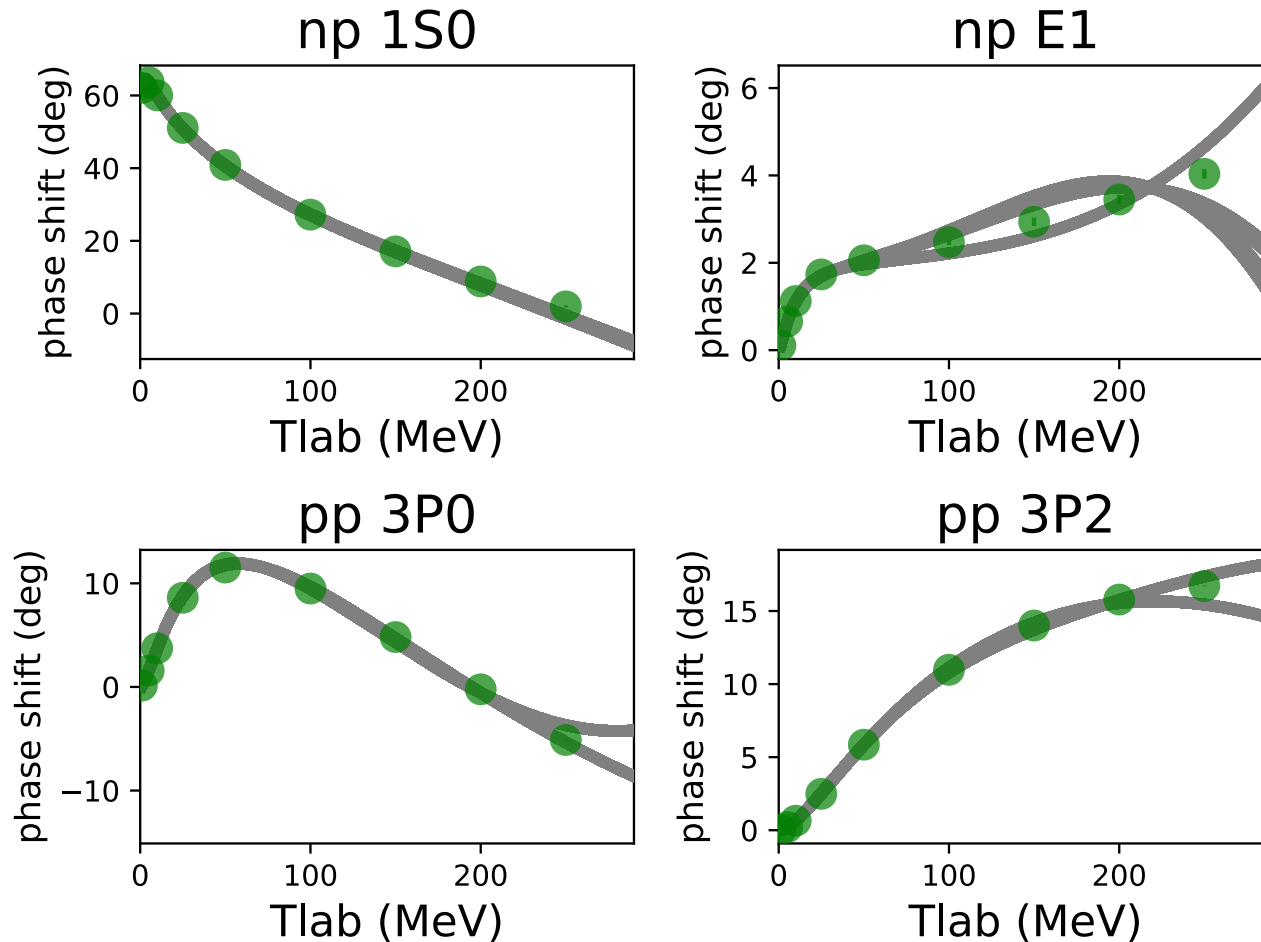
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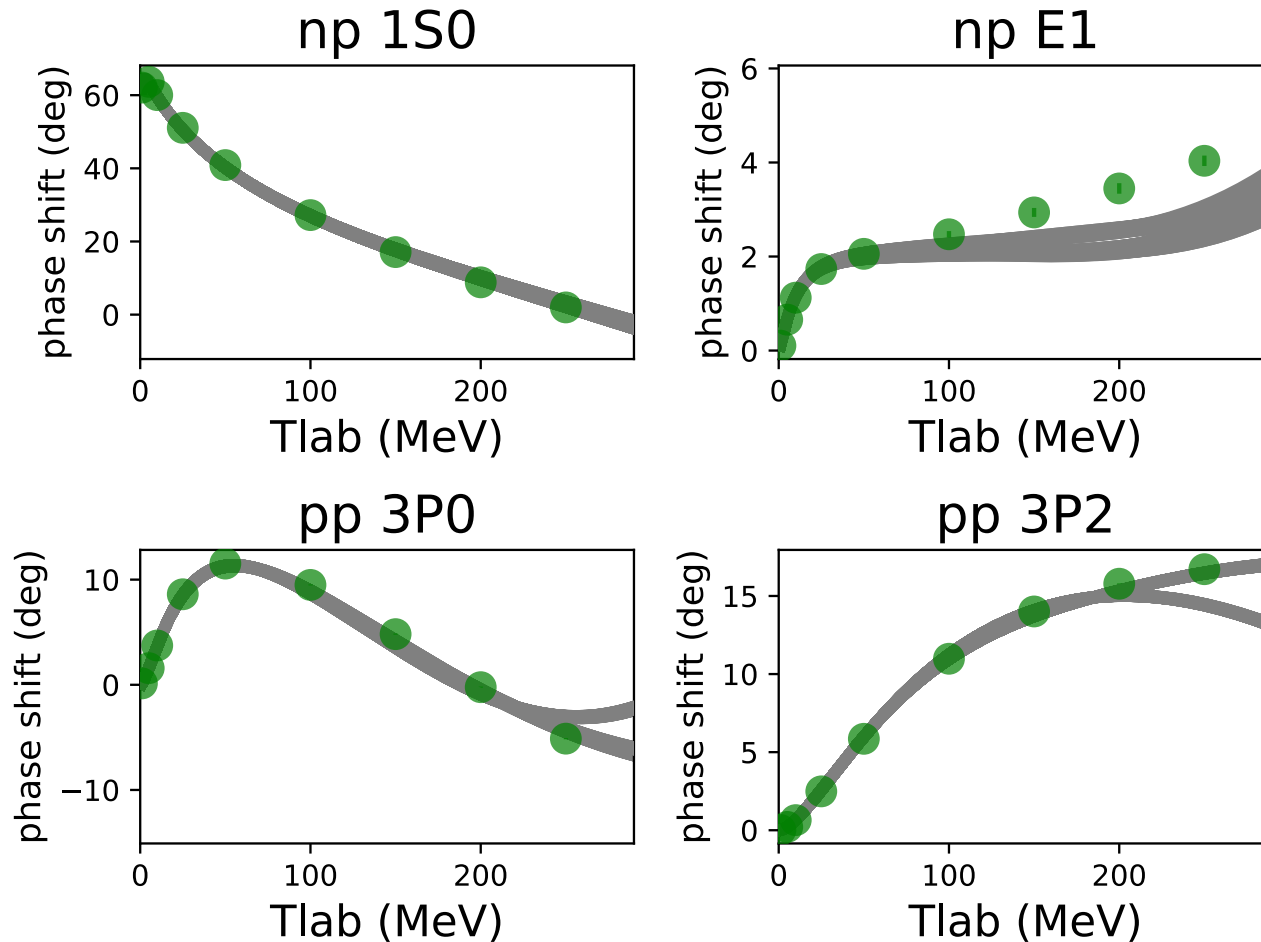


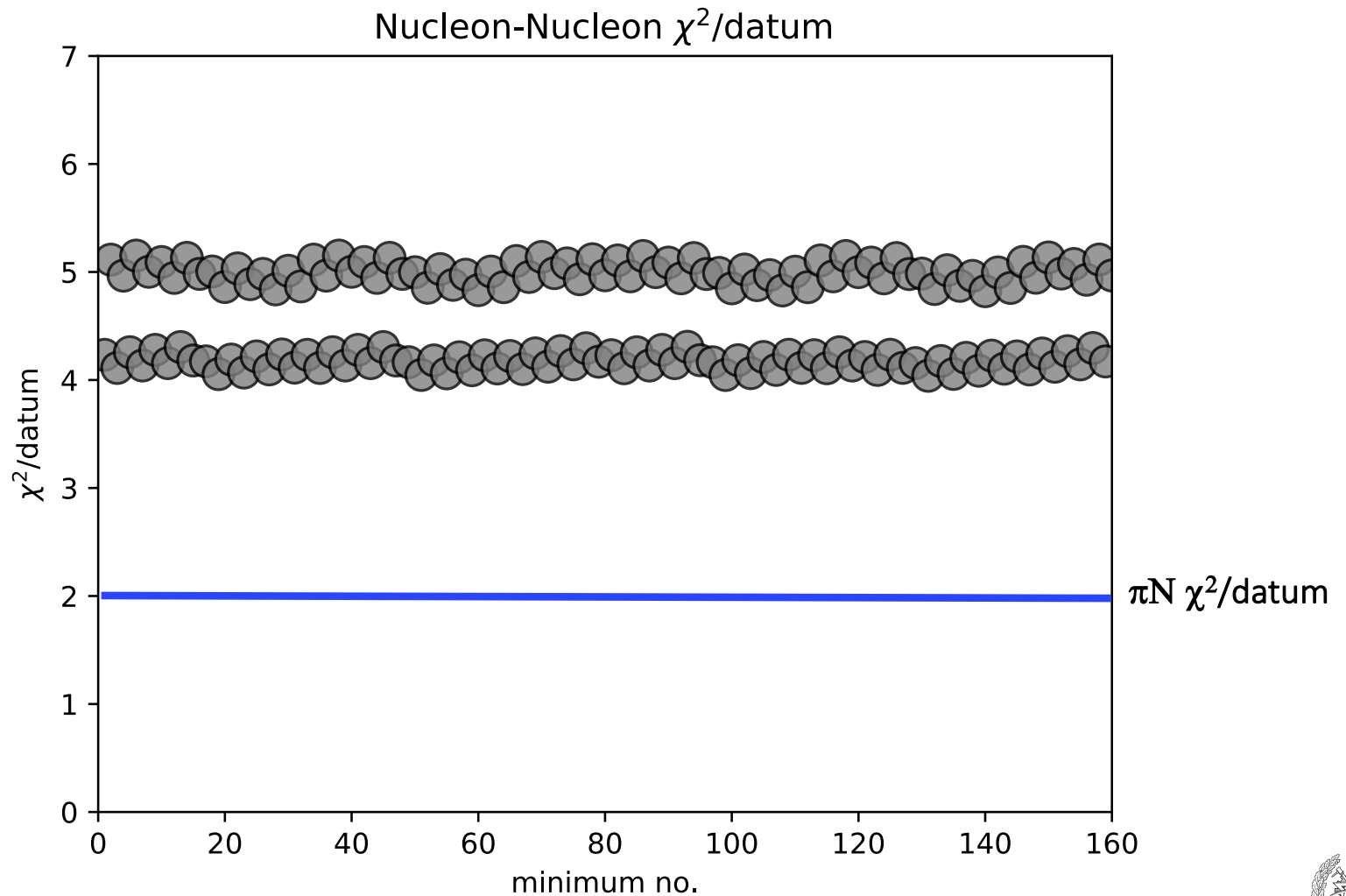
● Granada 2013 phase shifts

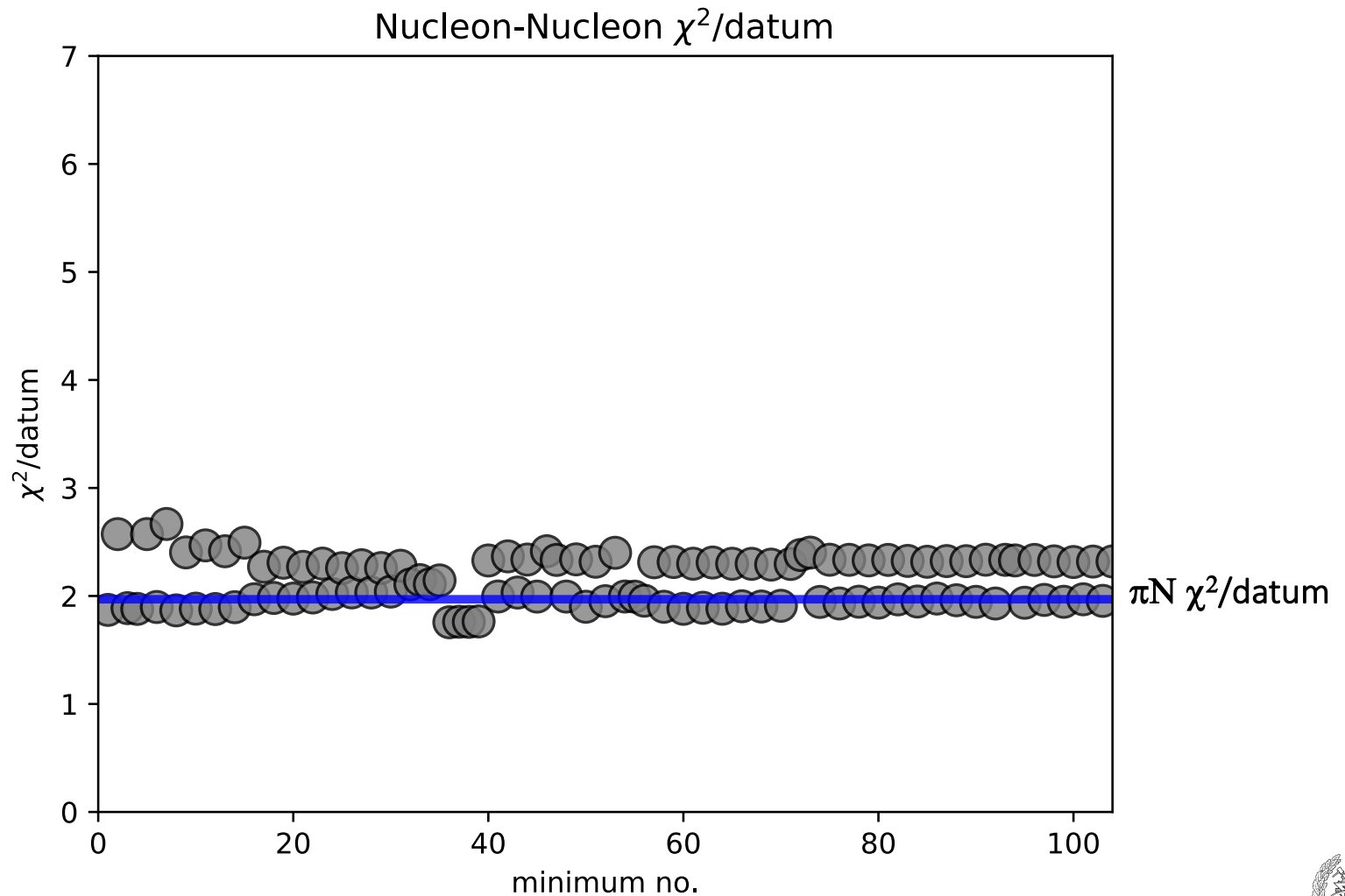


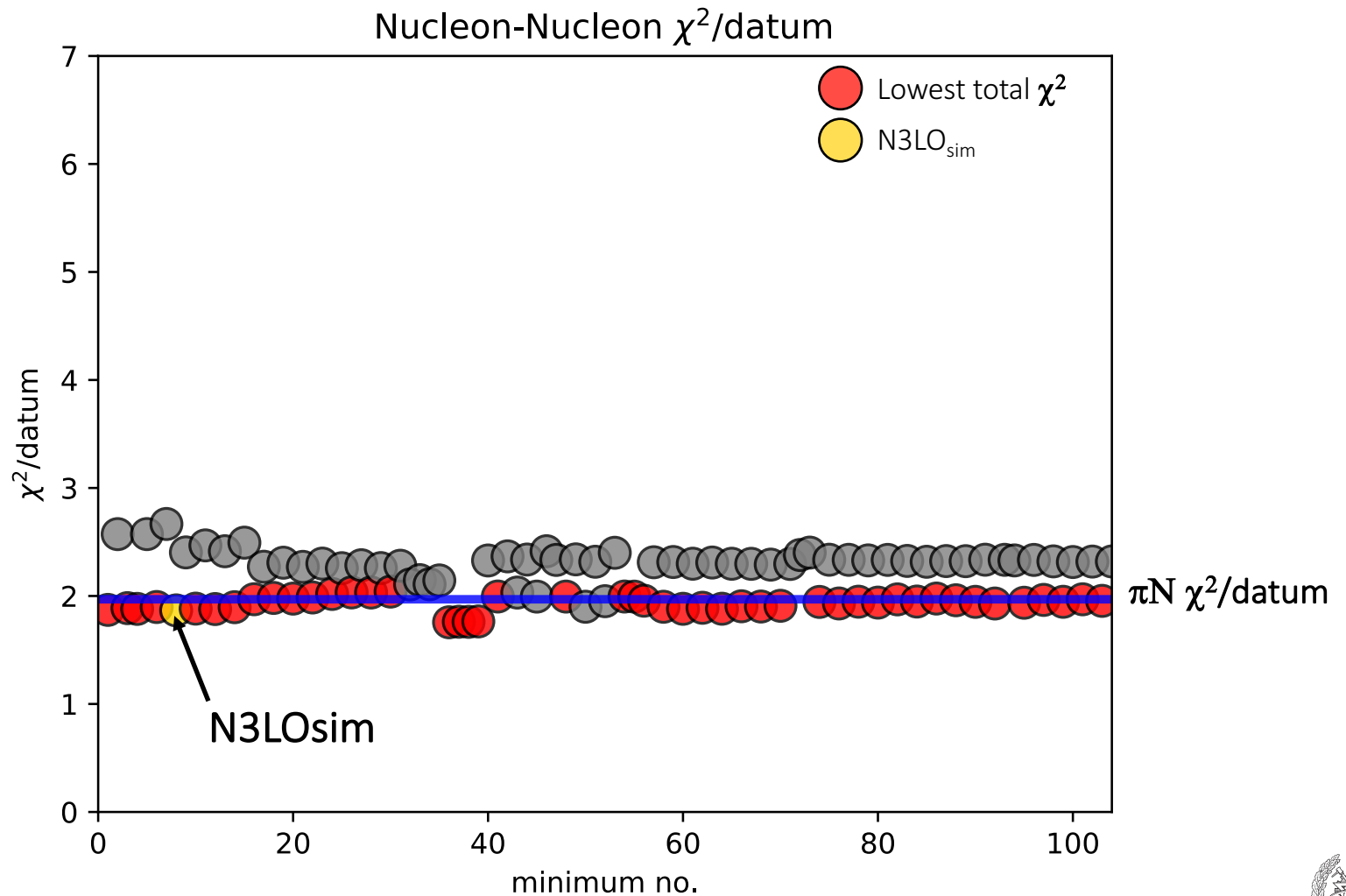


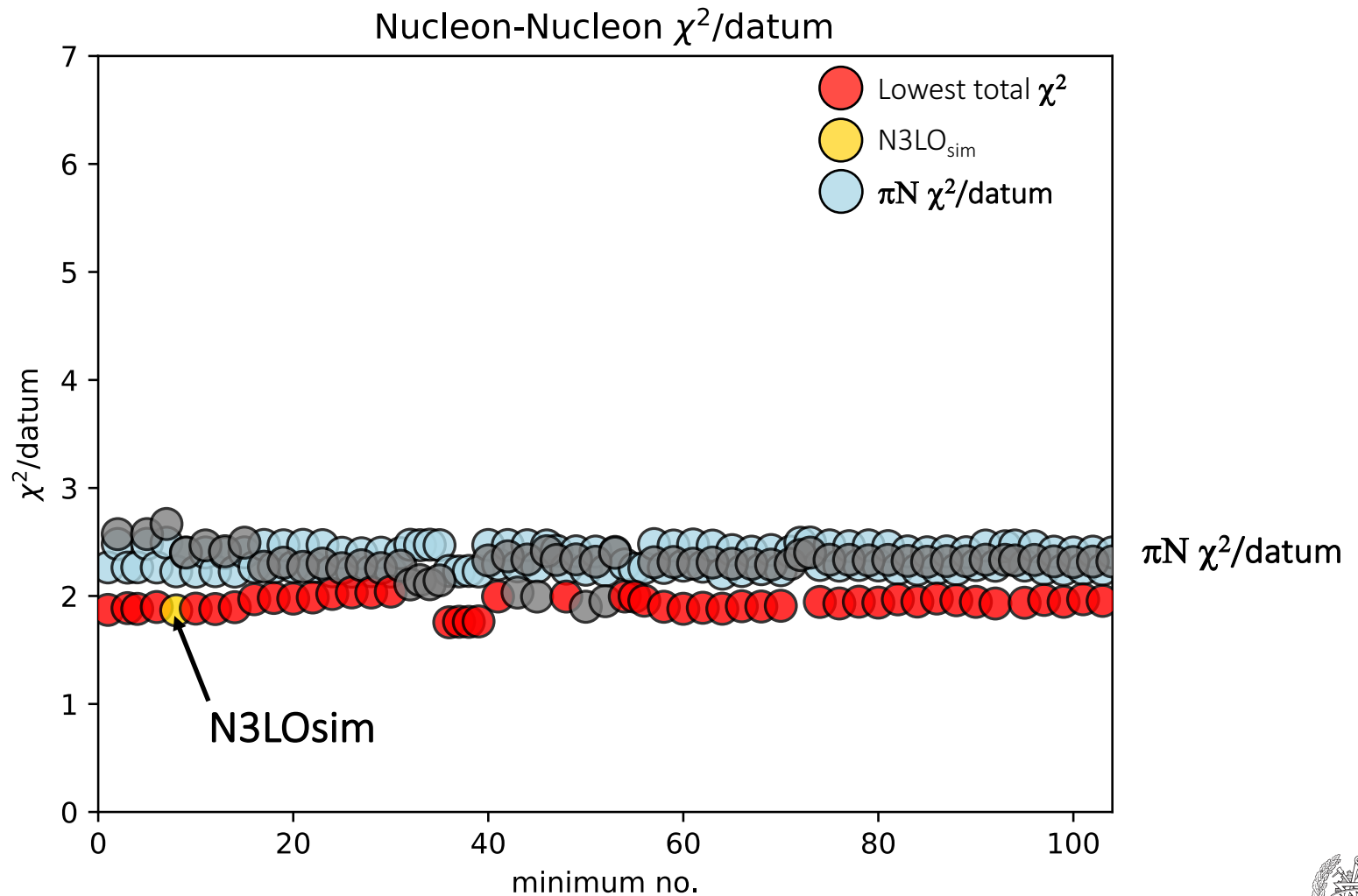
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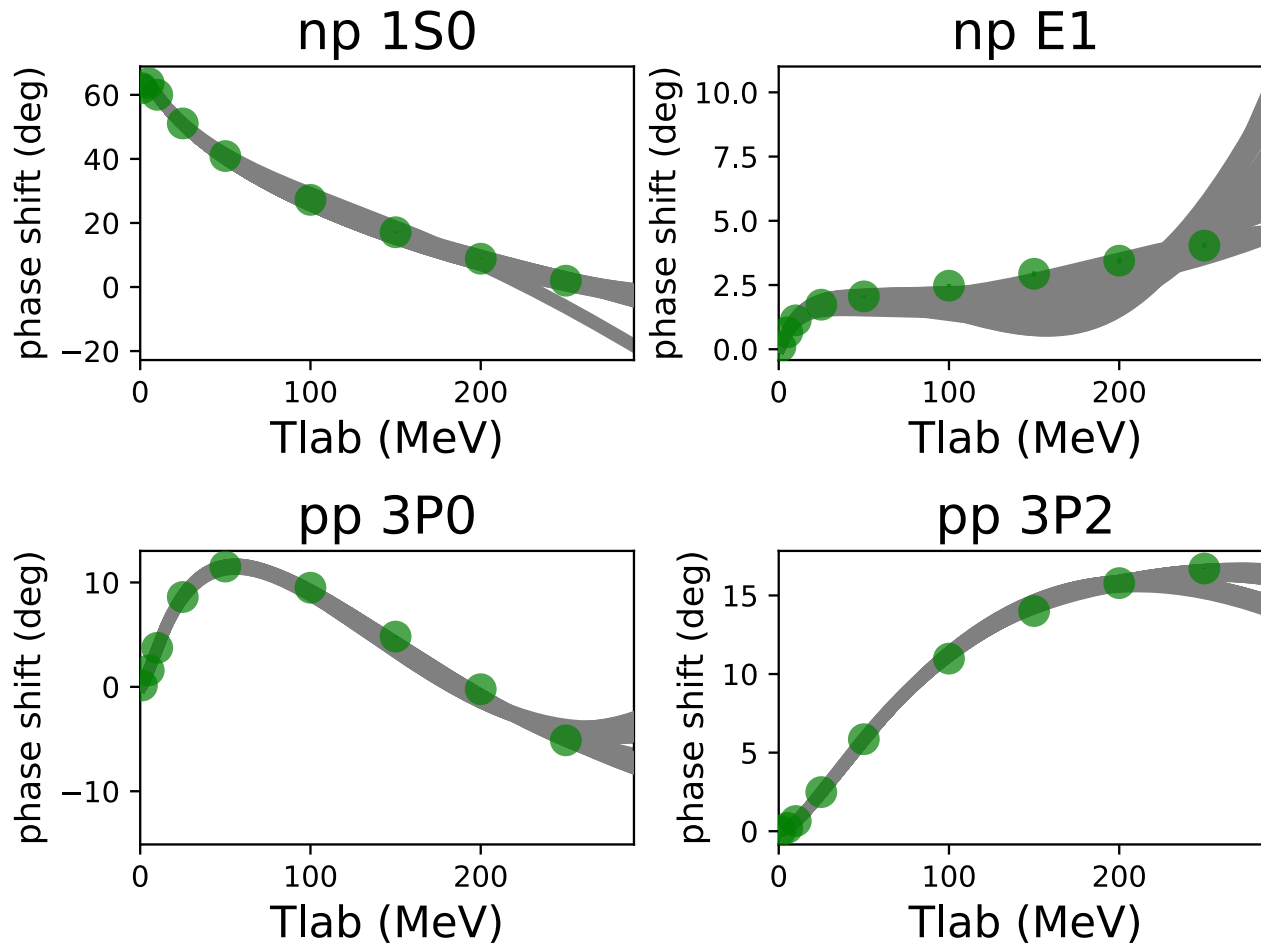






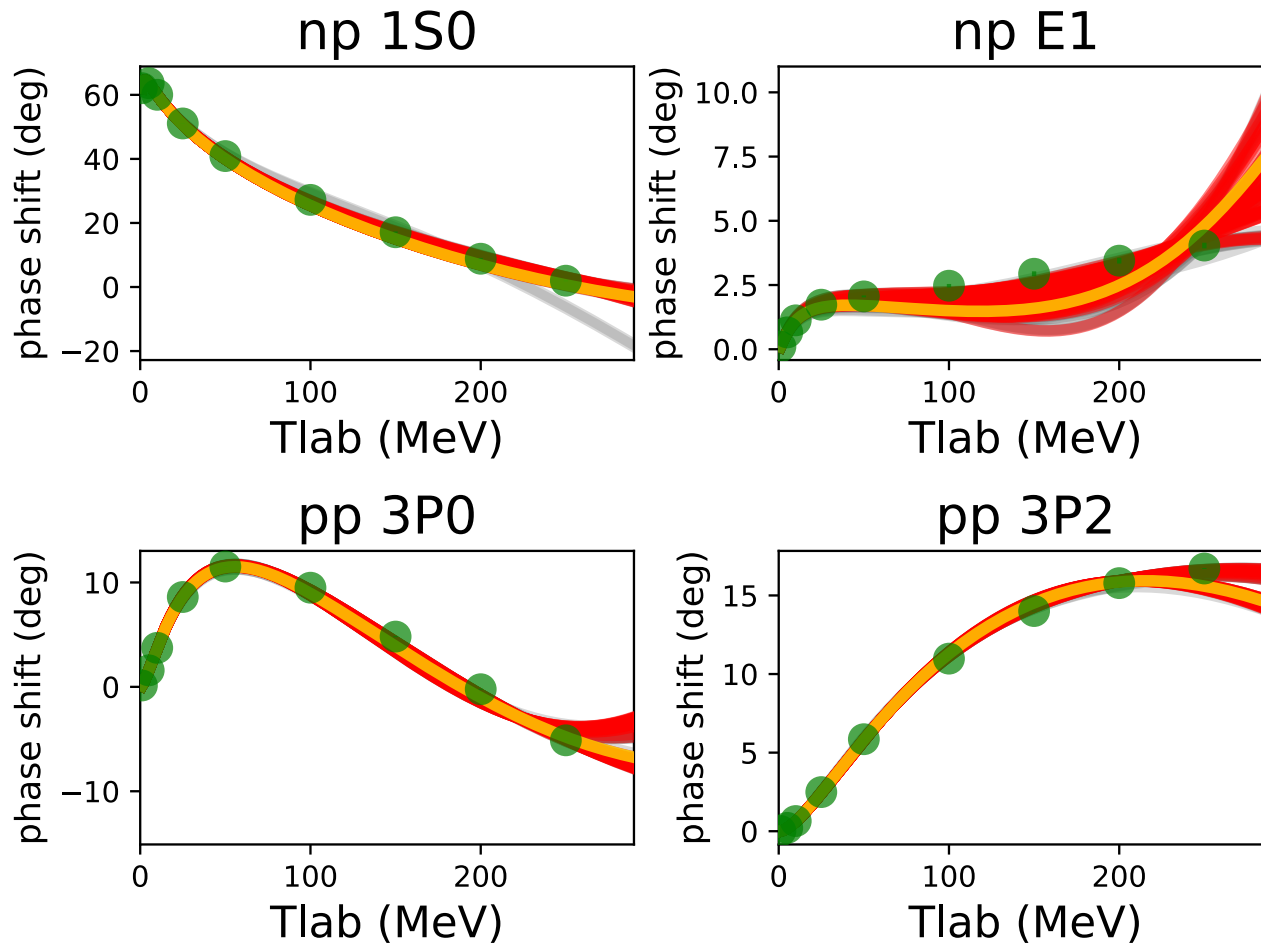


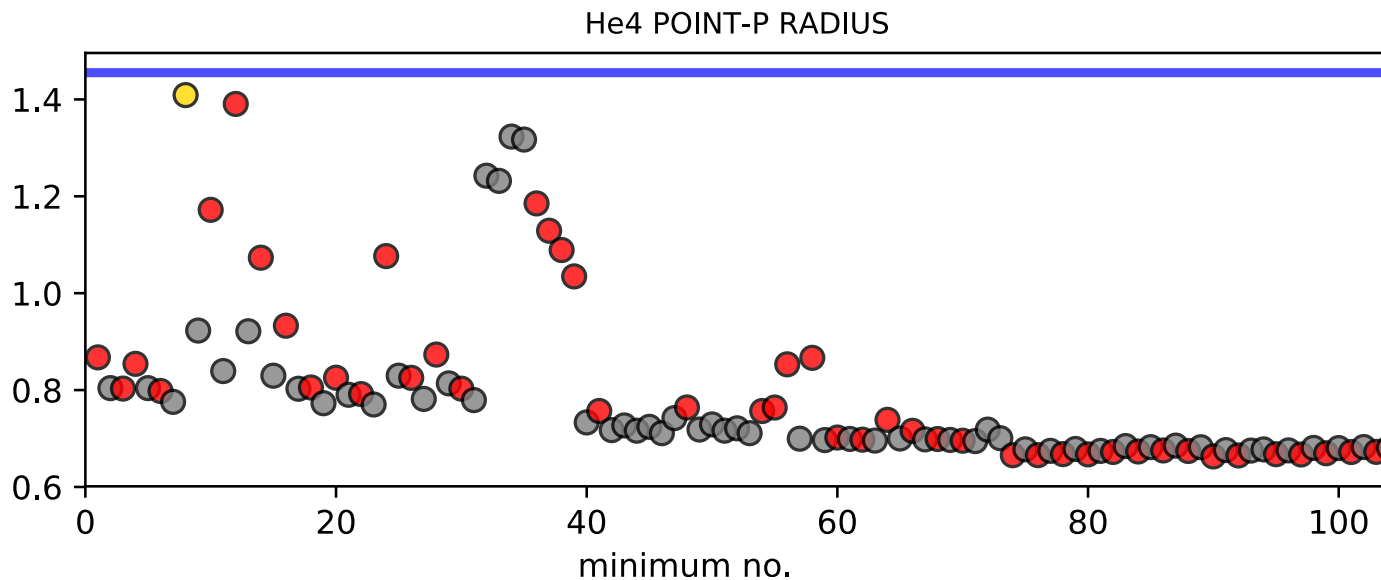
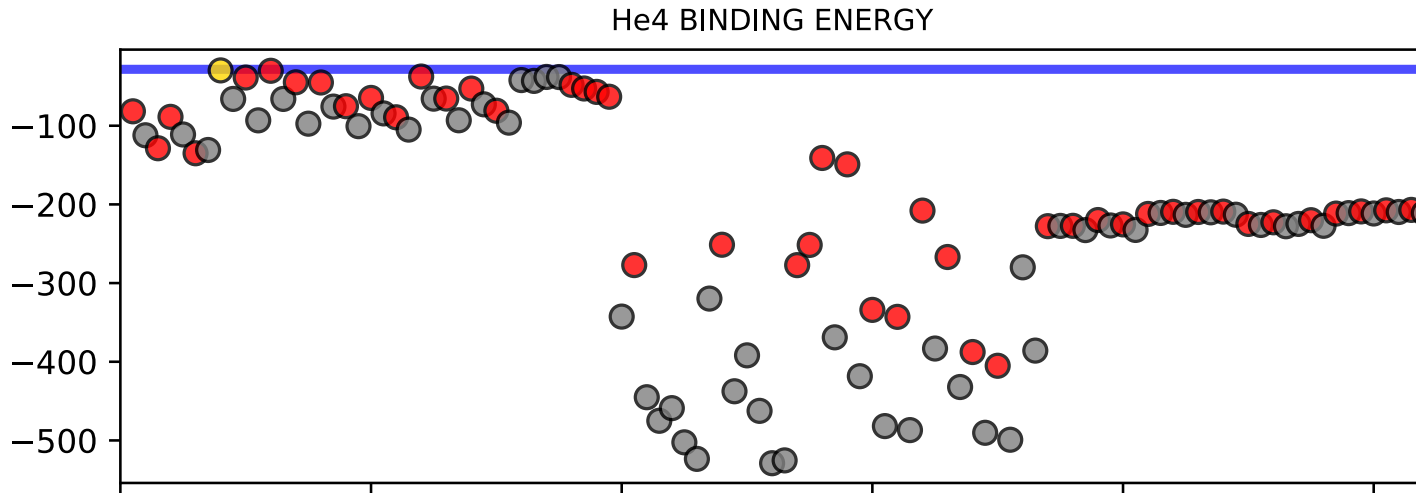


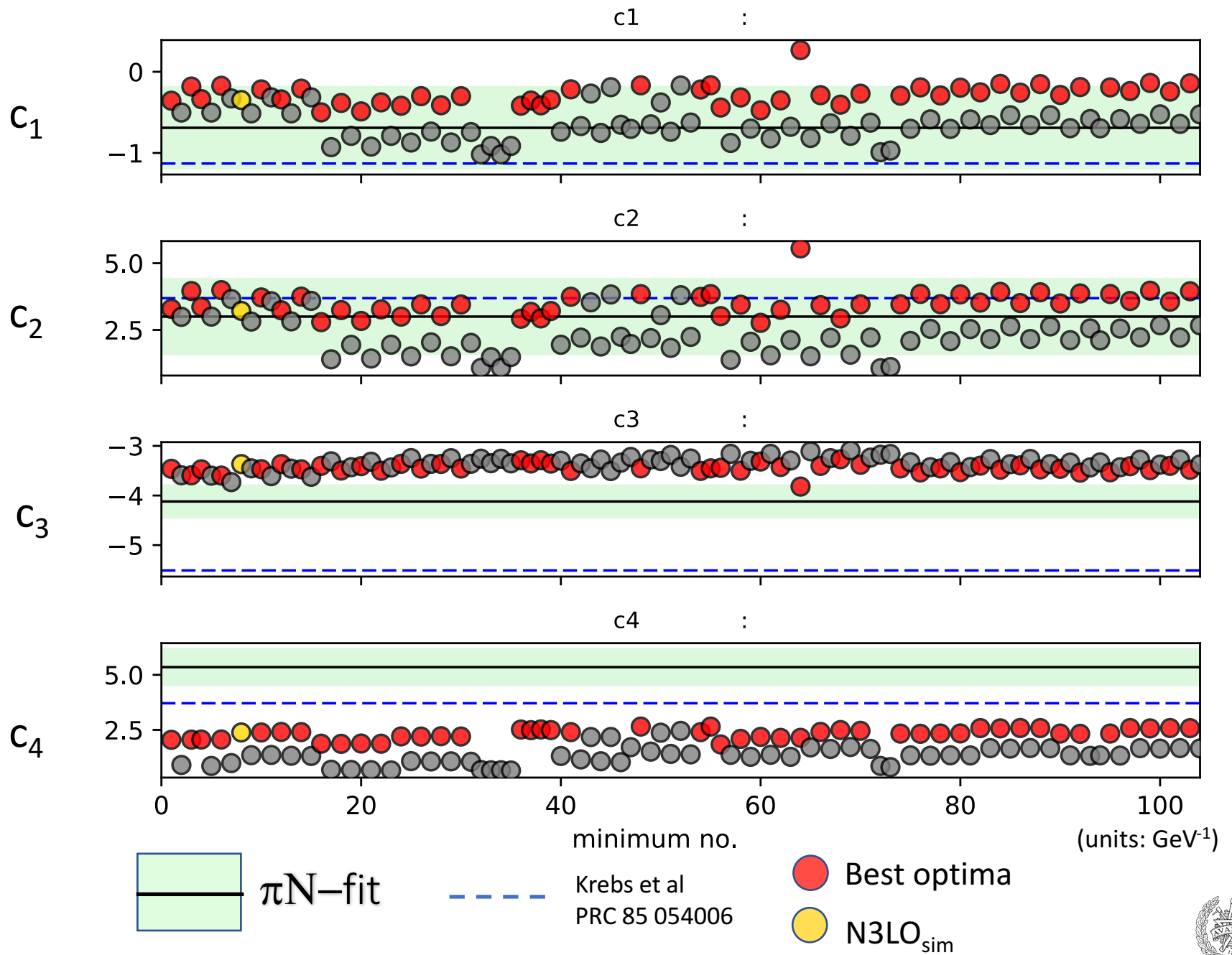




● Granada 2013 phase shifts
 — Lowest total χ^2
— N3LO_{sim}







Using “Roy-Steiner” π N-LECs

Constraining the objective function to keep π N LECs close to values from Roy-Steiner analysis in *M. Hoferichter et al. PRL 115, 192301 (2015)*

A simultaneous optimization of this objective function also leads to a good description on all NN and NNN data. For instance NN $\chi^2/\text{datum} = 2.5$. Most LECs remain in the Roy-Steiner region (to ~ 1 sigma), only c_1 and c_3 depart, 6 and 31 sigma, to -0.96 GeV^{-1} and -3.76 GeV^{-1} , respectively.

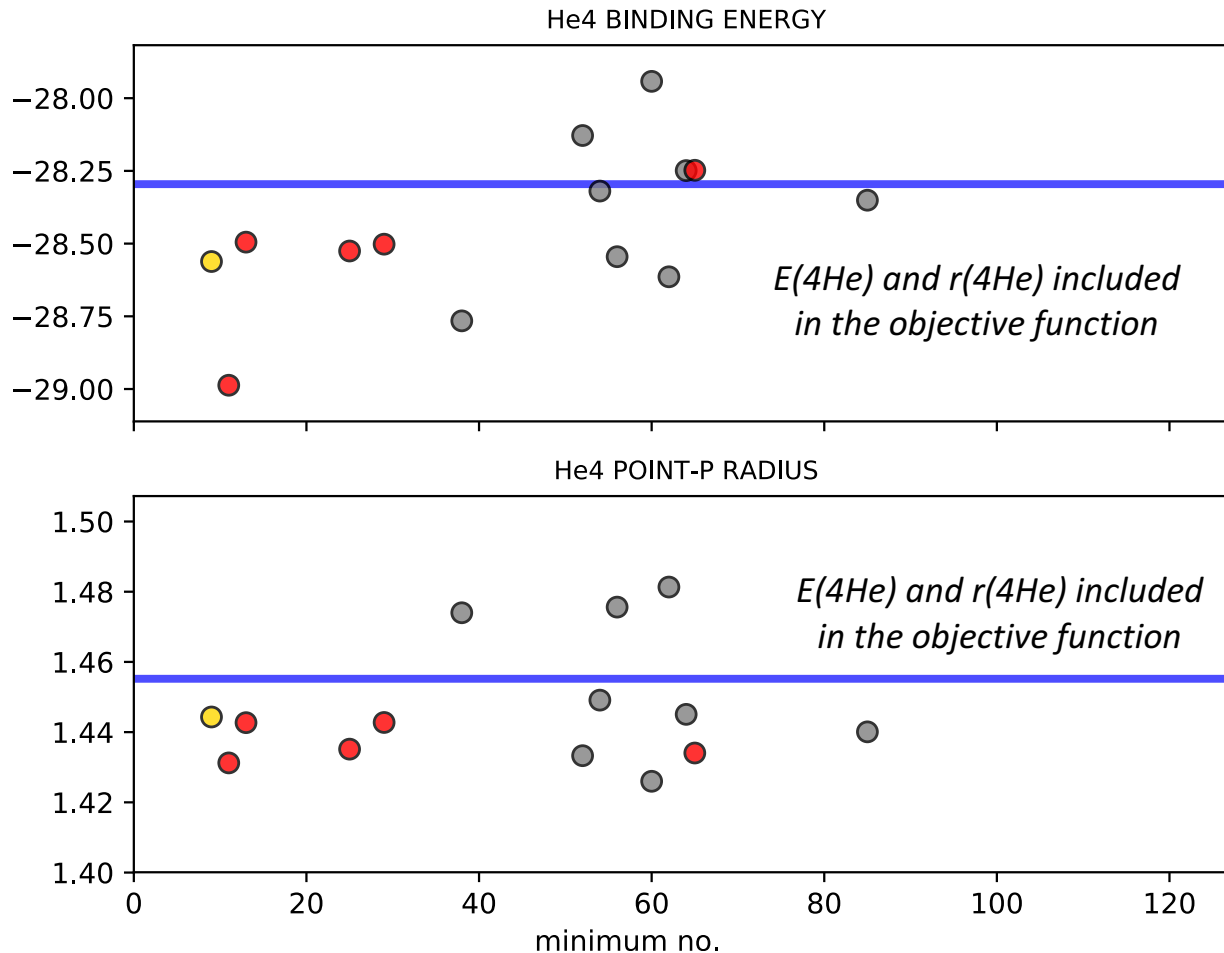
However, predictions with N3LO non-local NN+3NF for ^4He disagree with experiment

$$E(^4\text{He}) = -38 \text{ MeV}$$

$$R(^4\text{He}) = 1.05 \text{ fm}$$

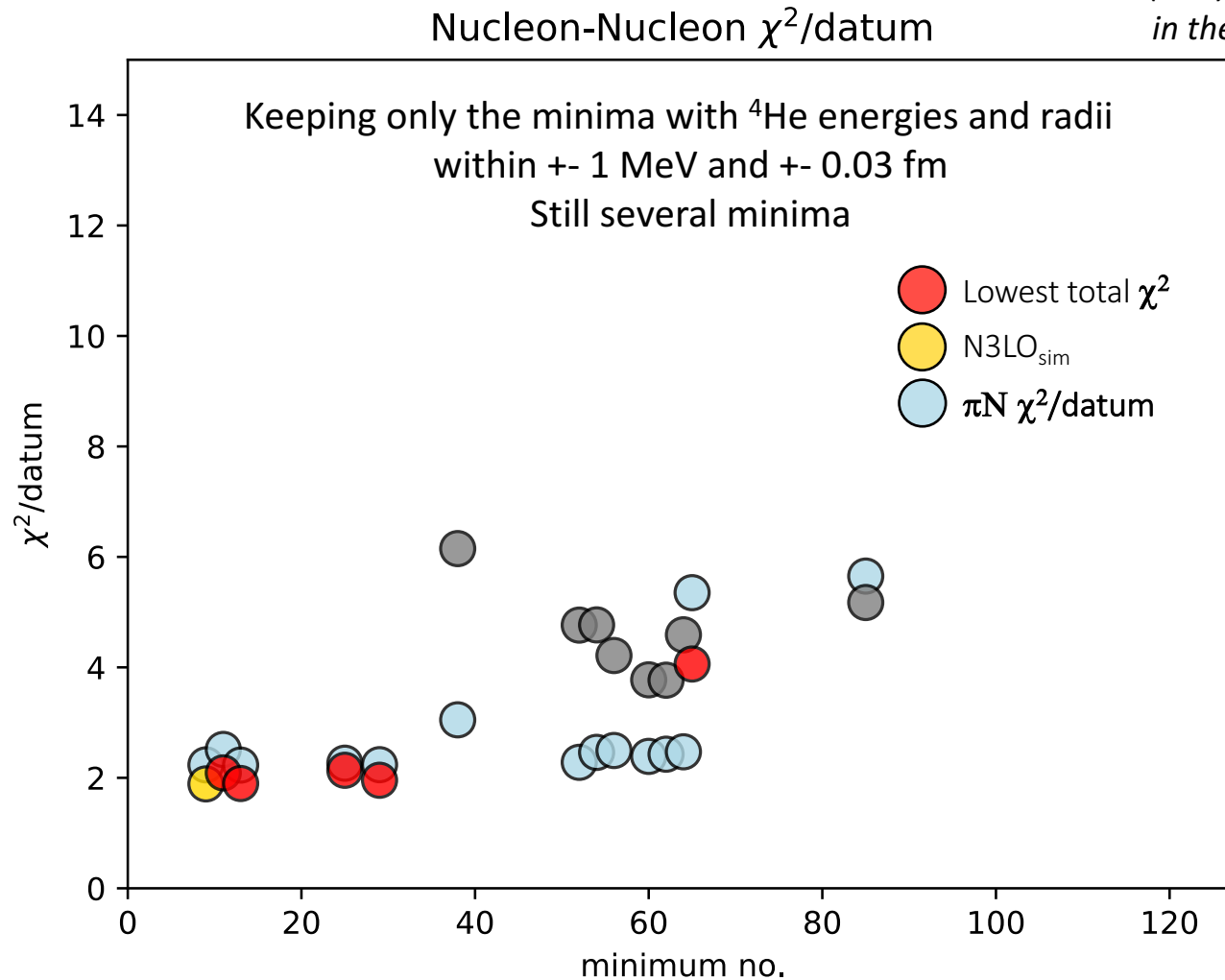


Keeping only the minima with energies and radii within ± 1 MeV and ± 0.03 fm
Still several minima





E(4He) and r(4He) included in the objective function



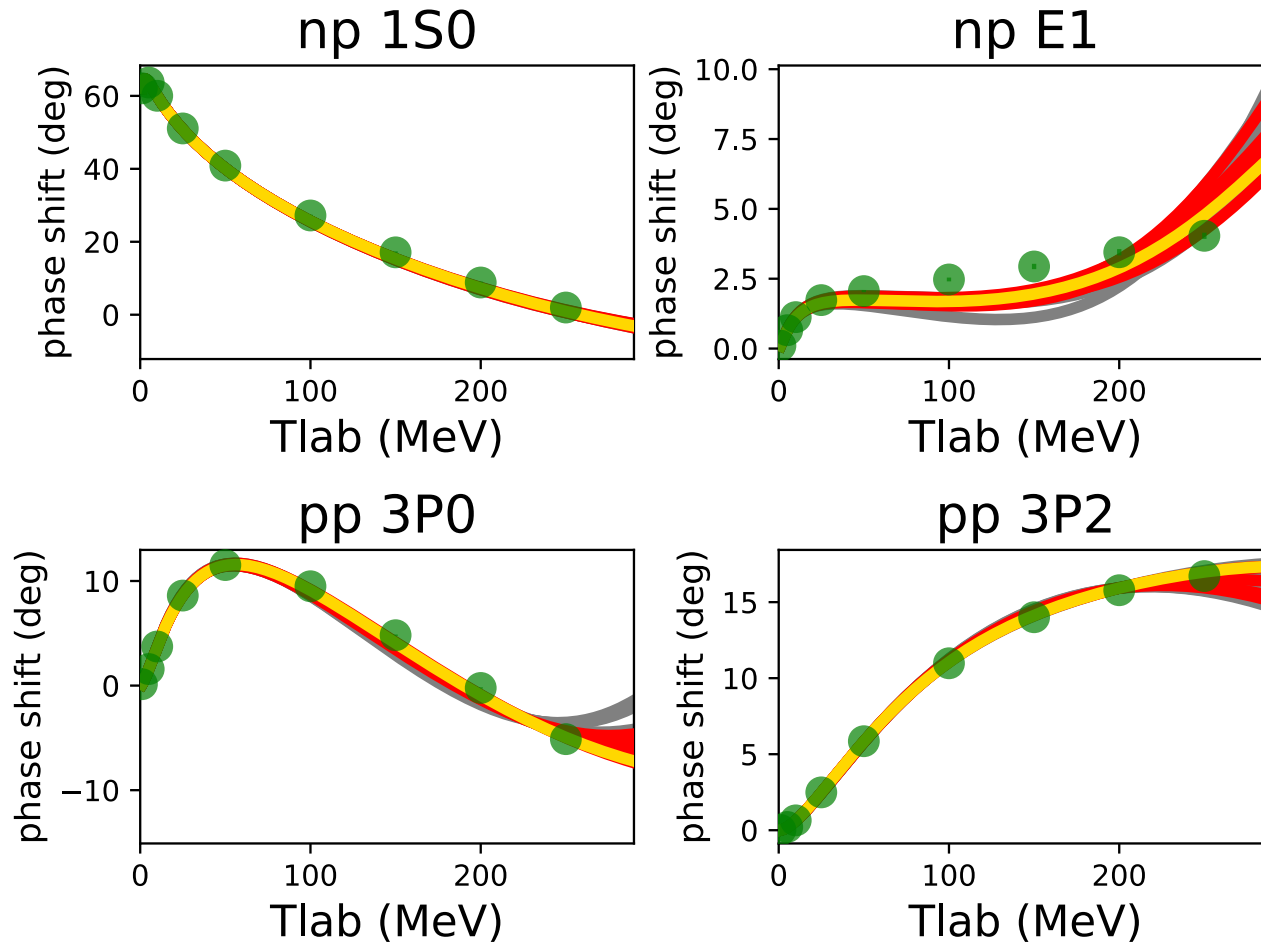


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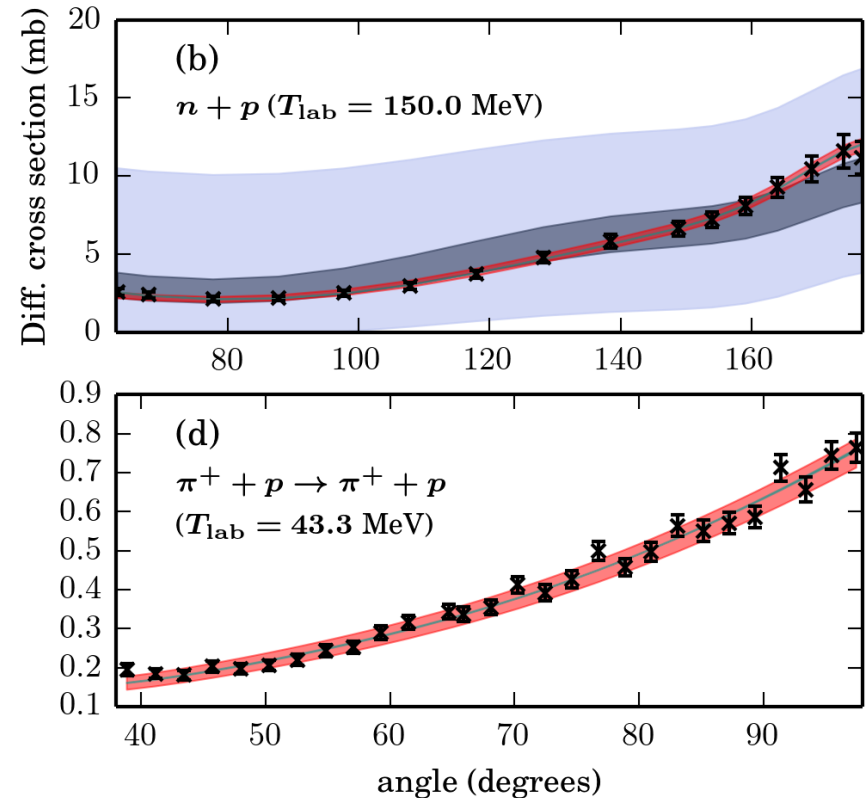
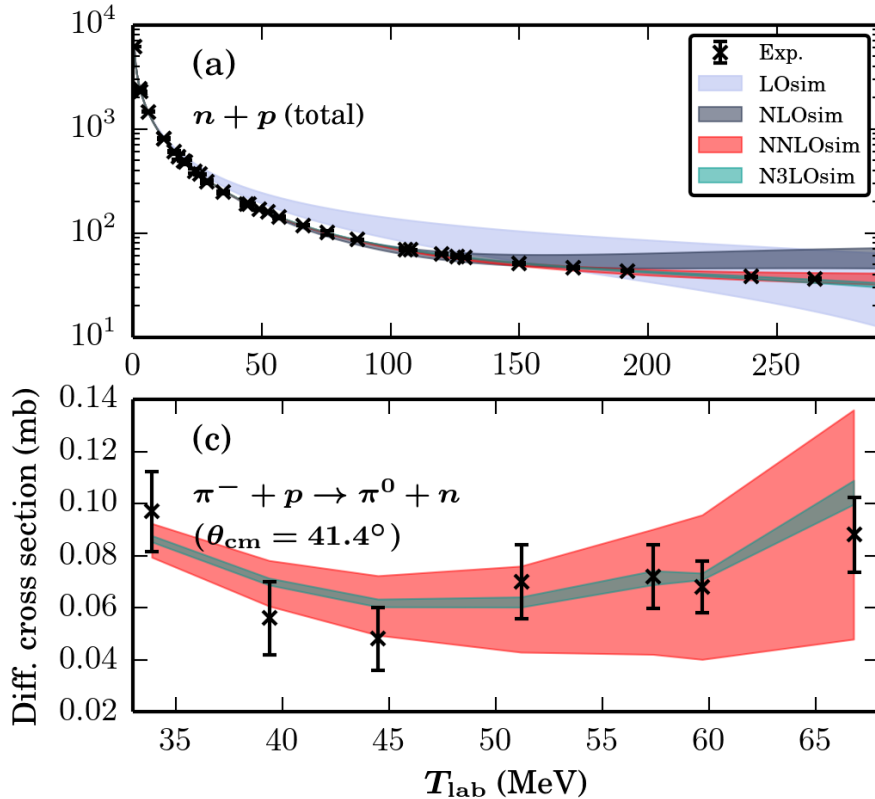
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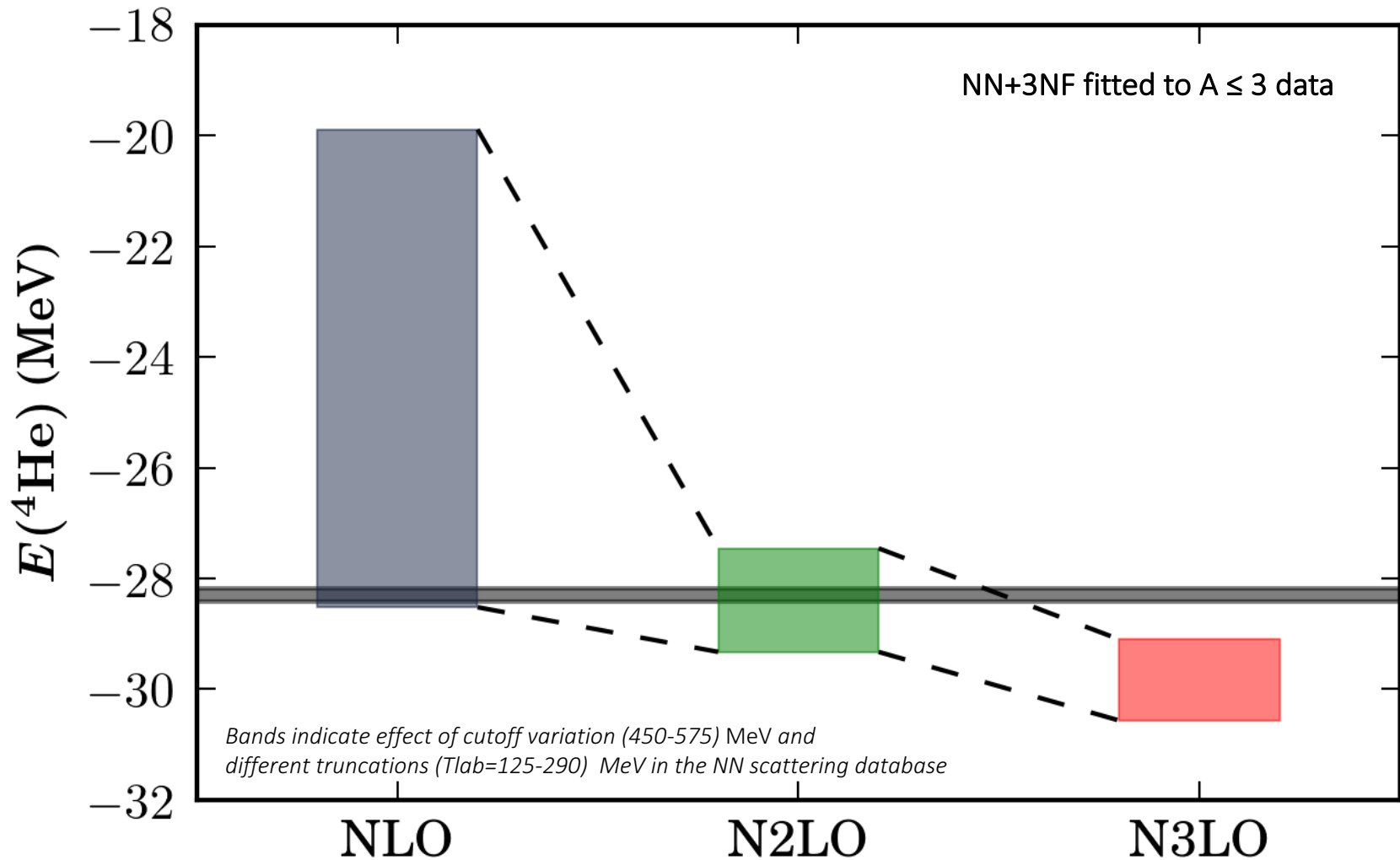
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Scattering observables



Non-local chiral interactions (sim)



Hessian method for UQ

Approximate the objective function with a quadratic form in the vicinity of the optimum

$$\chi^2(\mathbf{p}_0 + \Delta\mathbf{p}) - \chi^2(\mathbf{p}_0) \approx \frac{1}{2} (\Delta\mathbf{p})^T [\mathbf{H}|_{\mathbf{p}_0}] (\Delta\mathbf{p})$$

The covariance matrix can be computed from the inverse of the Hessian. This follows from a quadratic approximation to the log-likelihood function.

$$\text{Cov}(\mathbf{p}_0) \sim [\mathbf{H}|_{\mathbf{p}_0}]^{-1}$$

Expand observables similarly, to second order

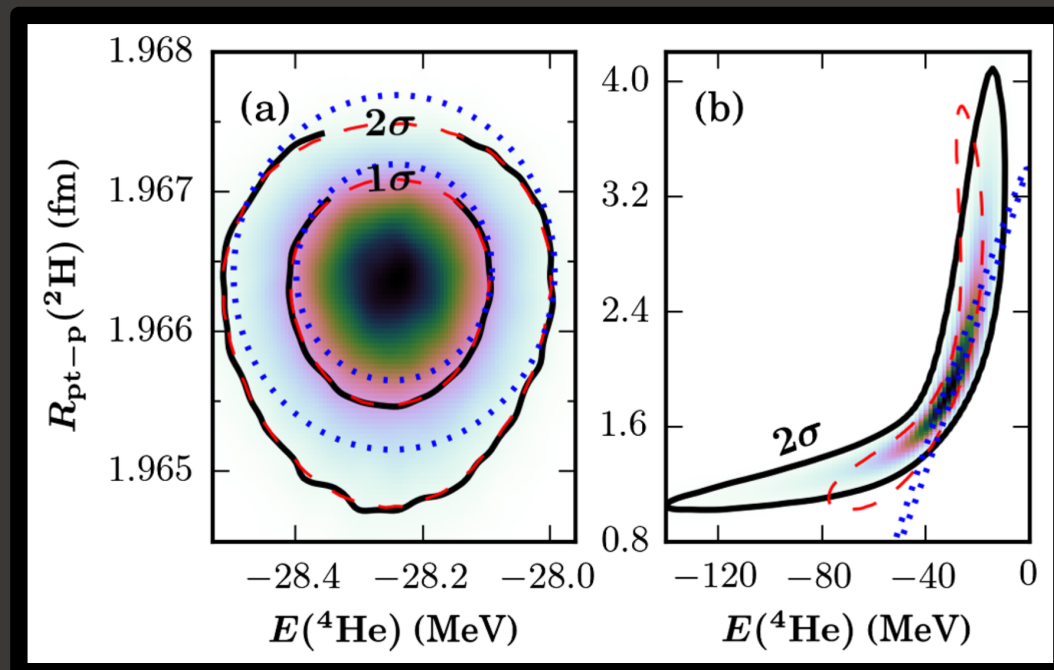
$$\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}_0 + \Delta\mathbf{p}) - \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p}_0) \approx (\Delta\mathbf{p}^T) \mathbf{J}_{\mathcal{O}} + \frac{1}{2} (\Delta\mathbf{p}^T) \mathbf{H}_{\mathcal{O}} (\Delta\mathbf{p})$$

The covariance between two observables is then given by

$$\text{Cov}(\mathcal{O}_A, \mathcal{O}_B) \approx \mathbf{J}_{\mathcal{O}_A}^T \text{Cov}(\mathbf{p}_0) \mathbf{J}_{\mathcal{O}_B} + \text{second order}$$

Hessian method for UQ

- 😊 Very "portable" once you have the covariance matrix
- 😊 Facilitates correlation studies in several observables
- 😡 Gradients can be costly to compute
- 😡 Relies on second order approximation to the objective function

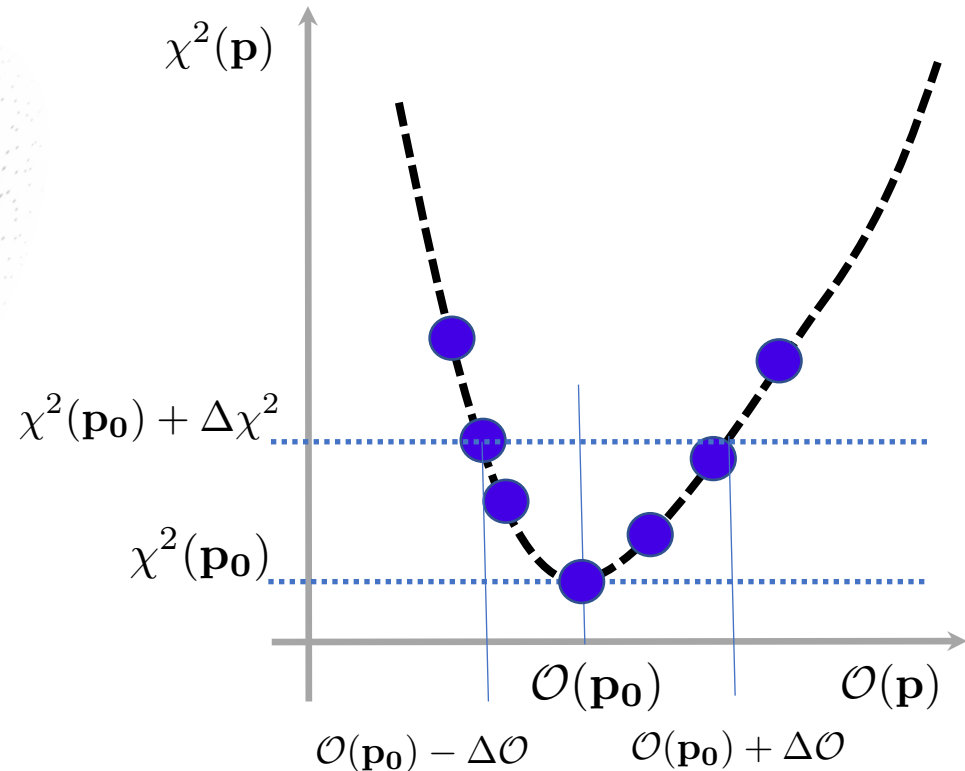
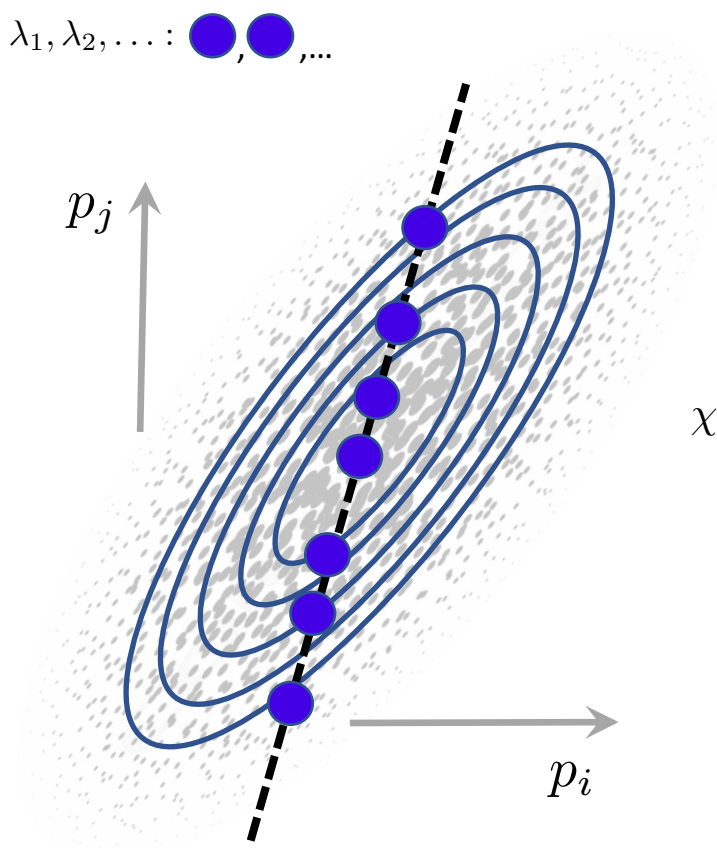


B. D. Carlsson et al. PRX 6 011019 (2016)

Lagrange multiplier optimization

$$F(\mathbf{p}, \lambda) = \chi^2(\mathbf{p}) + \lambda \cdot \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{p})$$

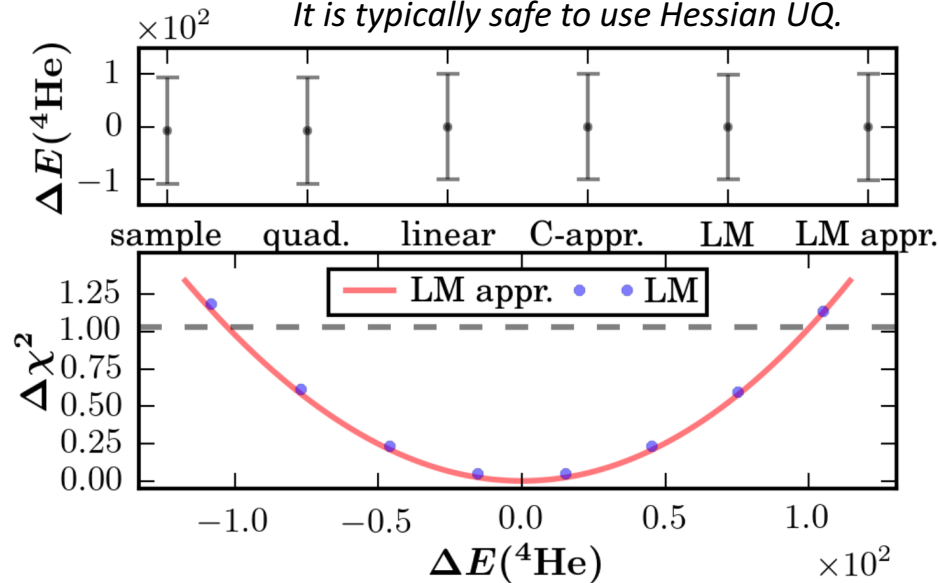
$\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots : \bullet, \bullet, \dots$



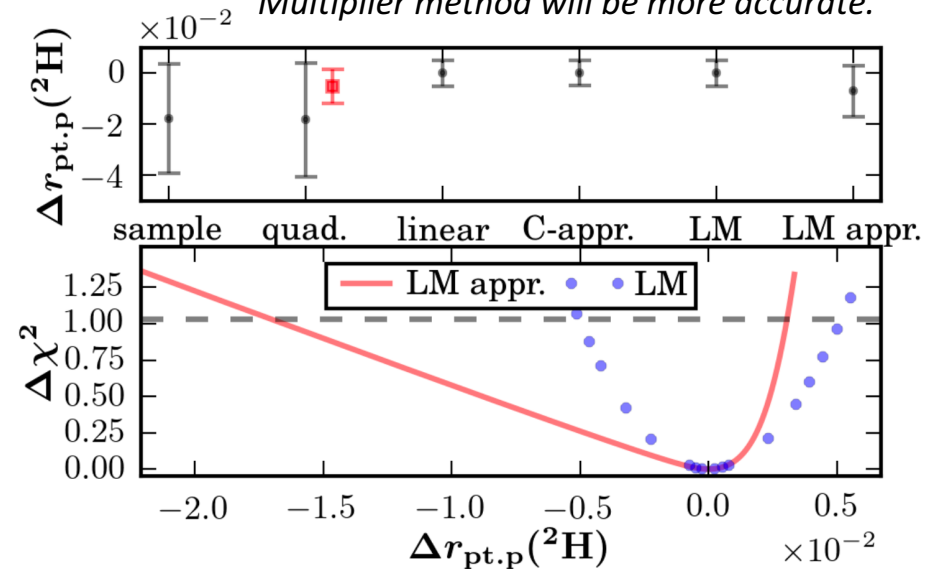
Quick Comparison

B. D. Carlsson *accepted Phys. Rev. C* (arXiv:1611.03691)

*When LECs are well-constrained by data,
It is typically safe to use Hessian UQ.*



*If the LEC errors are large, the Lagrange
Multiplier method will be more accurate.*



Sample = 10^5 MC samples of observable response using LECs drawn from the covariance matrix
 Quad. = Hessian UQ with observables expanded in the LECs to second order.
 Linear = Same as "quad", but linear approximation
 C-appr = Same as "linear", but also linear approximation of Hessian matrix.
 LM = Lagrange-Multiplier method
 LM appr. = Quadratic approximation to LM method.

Simulated larger error bars enhances the non-quadratic shape of the chi-squared surface.

Red error bar: accounting for higher-order terms improves the picture.

MC sample overestimates dramatically.

Summary

- "Standard" pool of fit data insufficient to identify a single set of LECs at N3LO.
- Need more data to filter minima and better inform the N3LO interaction. *Many good suggestions during the workshop.* (scattering observables, heavier nuclei, matter, LQCD).
- Non-local N3LO 3NF is not a small correction to ^4He .
- Lagrangian multiplier optimization is a convenient and derivative free method for UQ.

Thank You