

Current Status of the Δ -full Chiral Nuclear Forces

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→ Δ gives a large contribution to LECs (c_i) via resonance saturation

Bernard, Kaiser, Meißner '97



$h_A \approx 1.34$ large!

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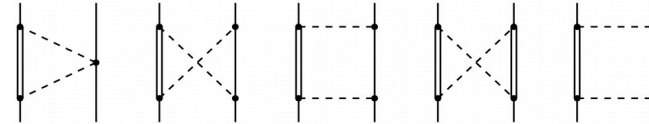
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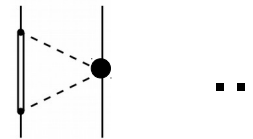


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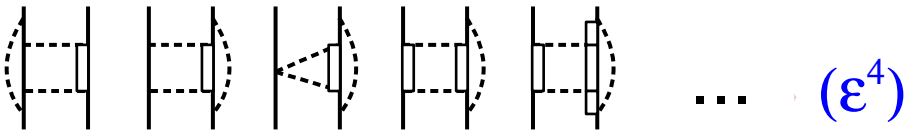
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(Q⁵)

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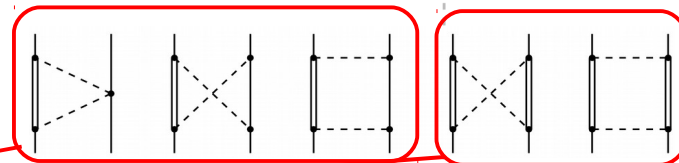
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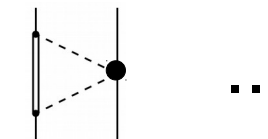


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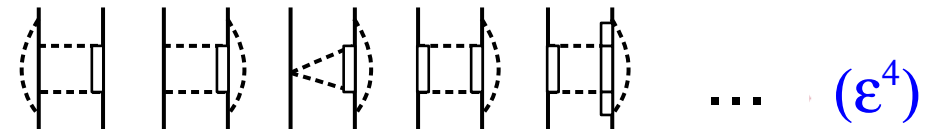
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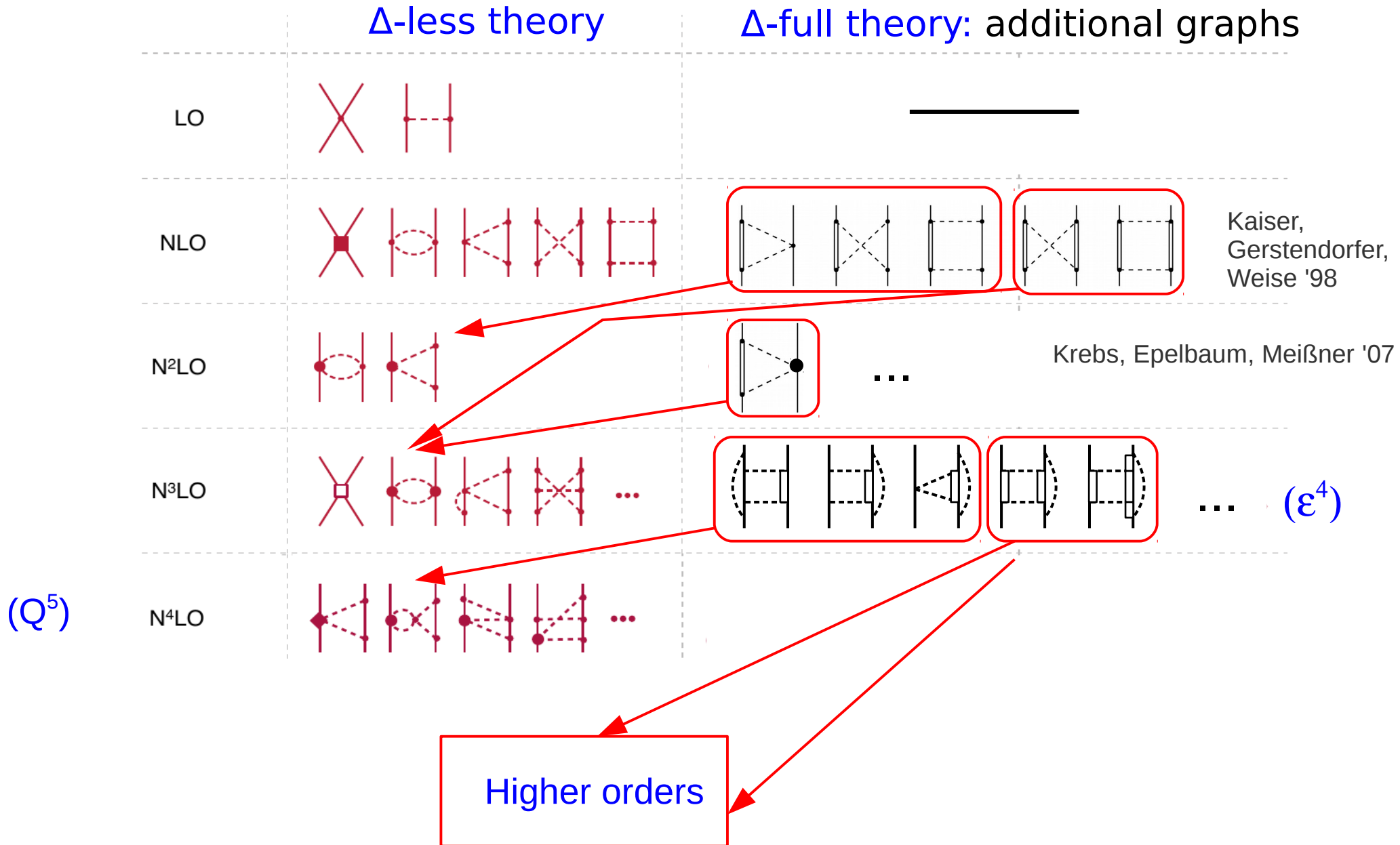
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N³LO 2N-forces with explicit Δ

- Only 2-pion-exchange contribution are considered (the long range part)
- $1/m_N$ corrections to NLO diagrams are included
- Results for peripheral phases, no refitting of LEC's
- No additional parameters, h_A and g_1 ($\pi N\Delta$ and $\pi\Delta\Delta$) are extracted from the fit to πN scattering
- Sensitivity to the choice of c_i is studied

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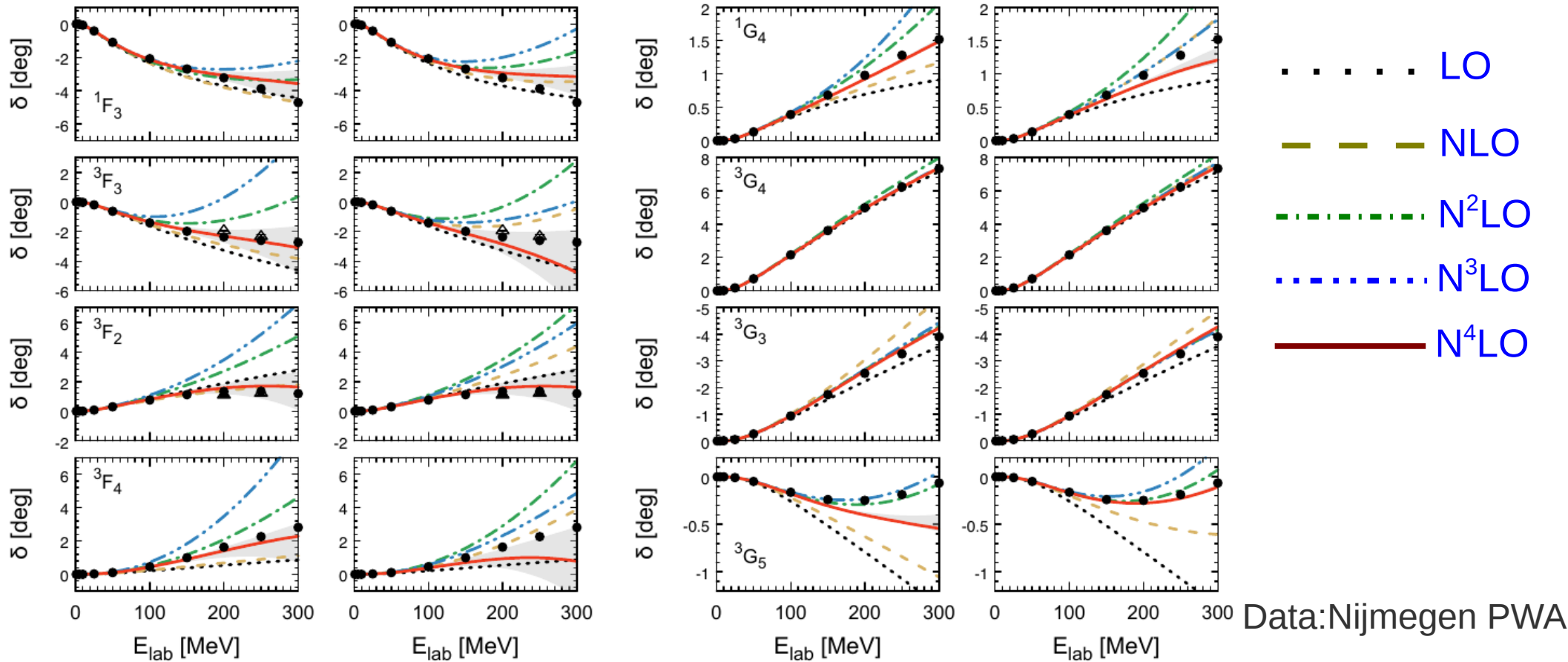
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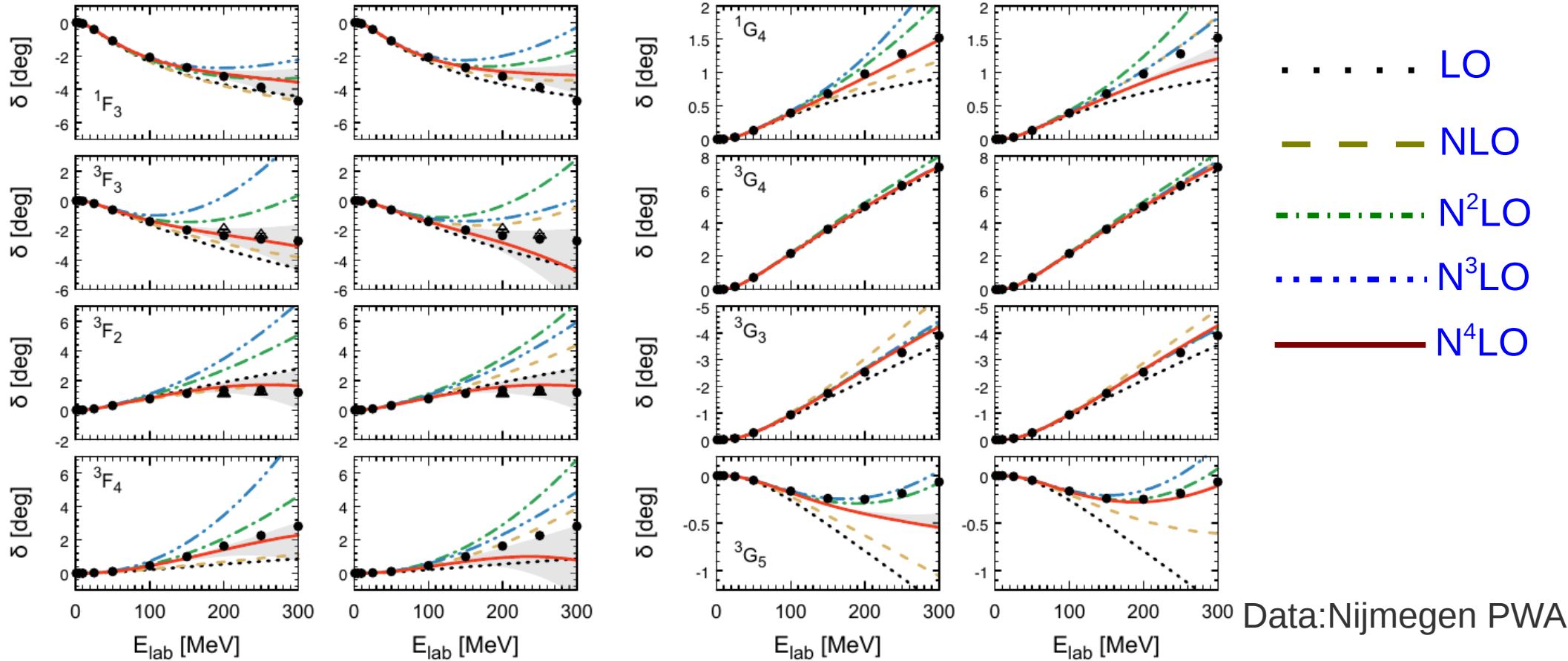
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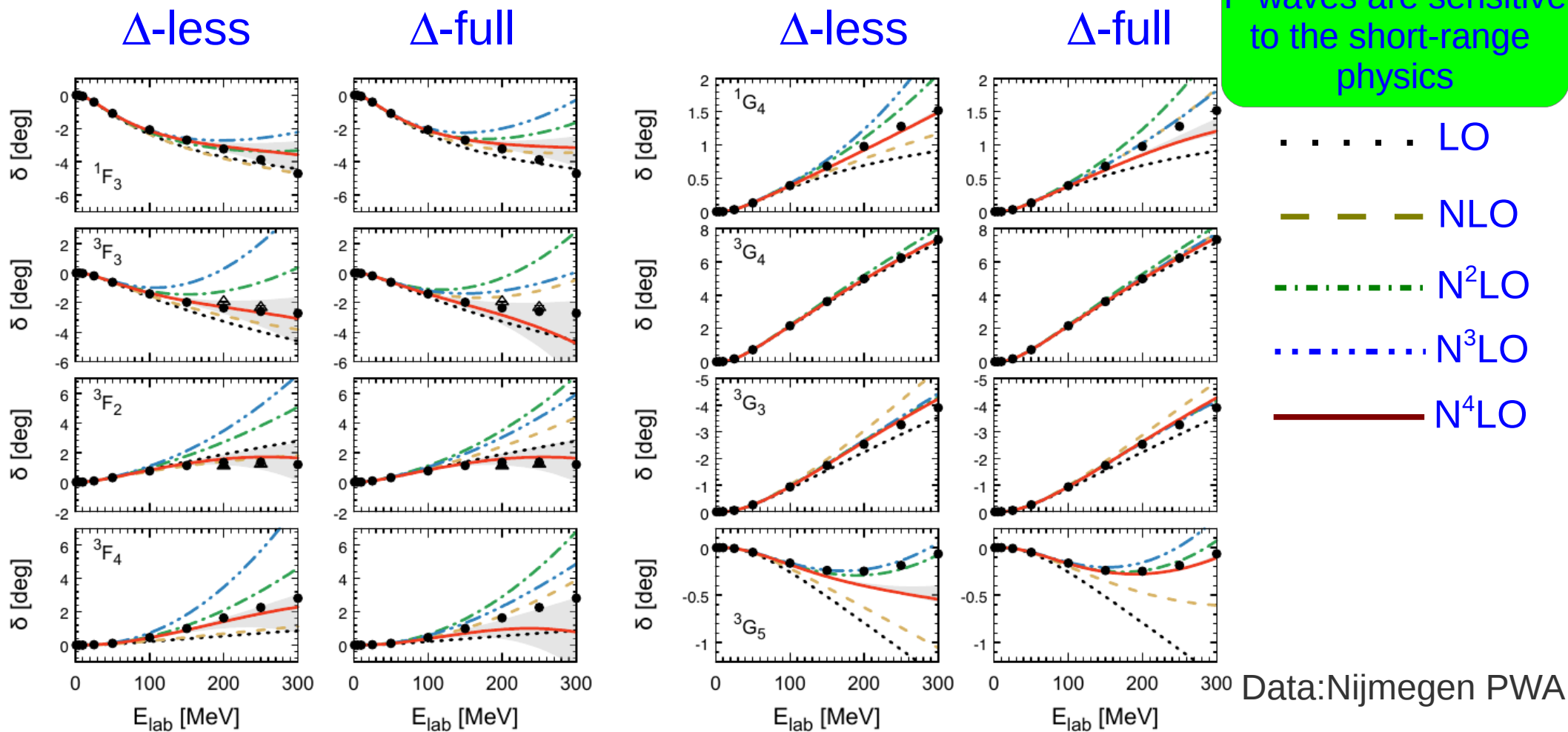
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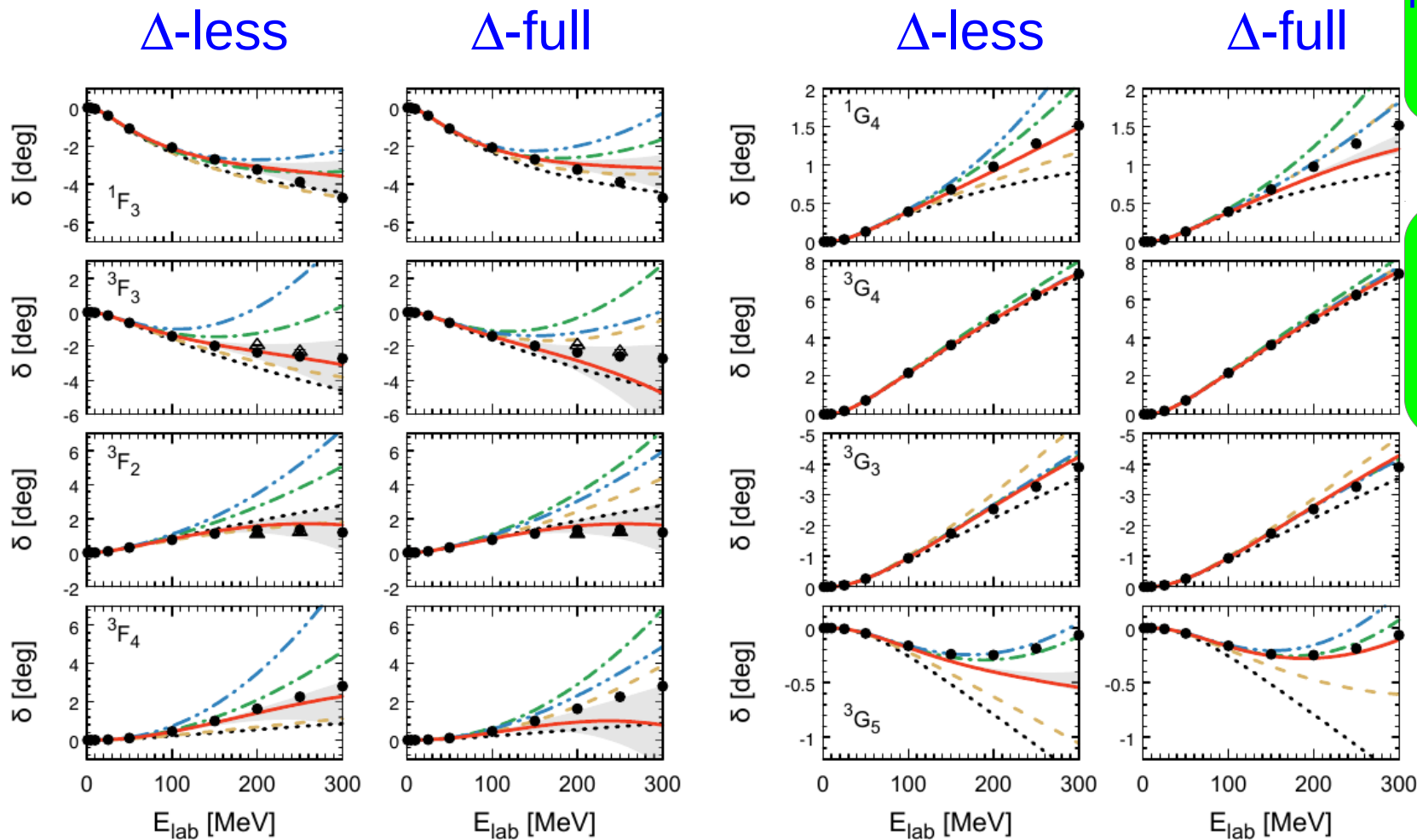
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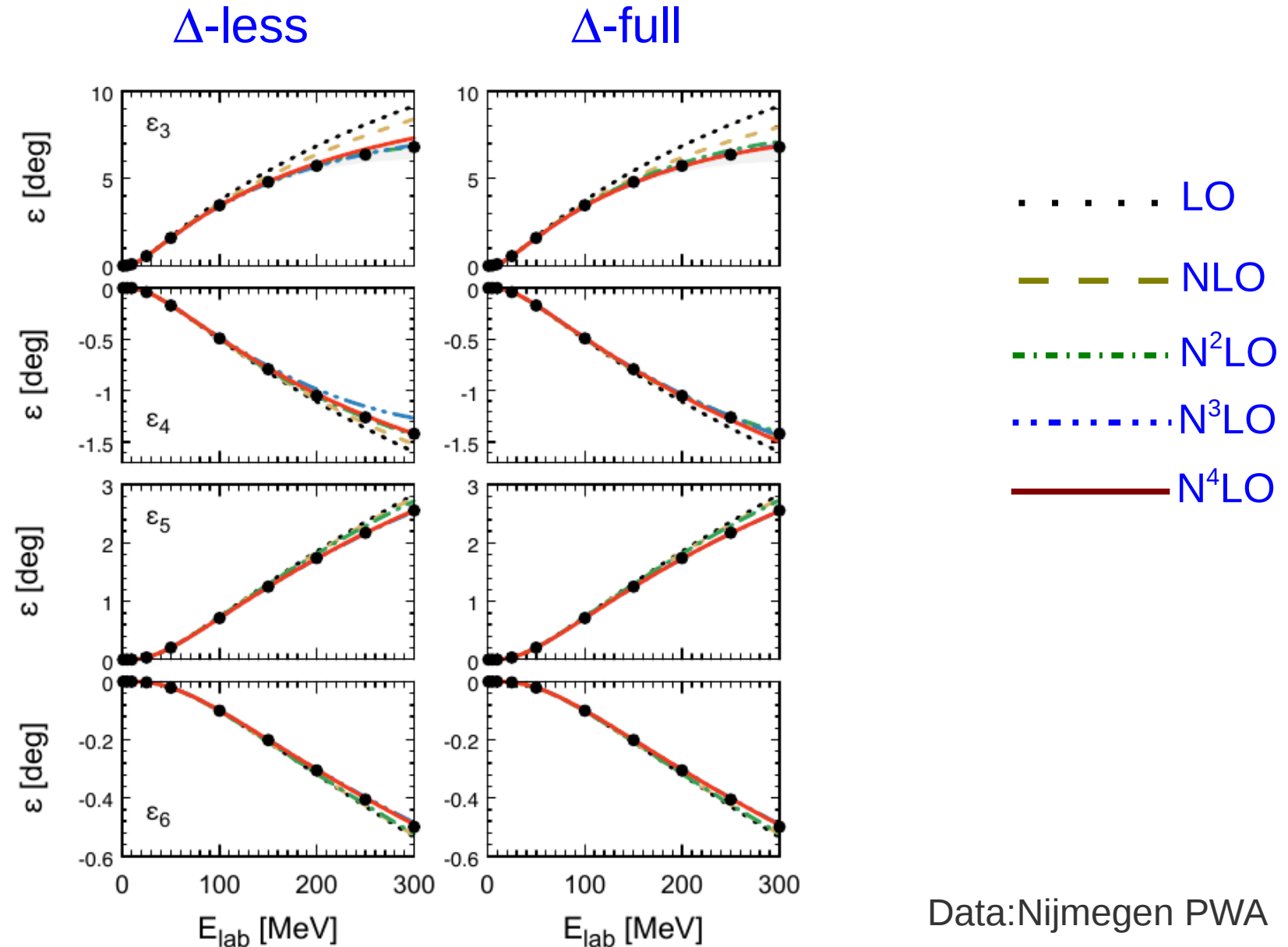
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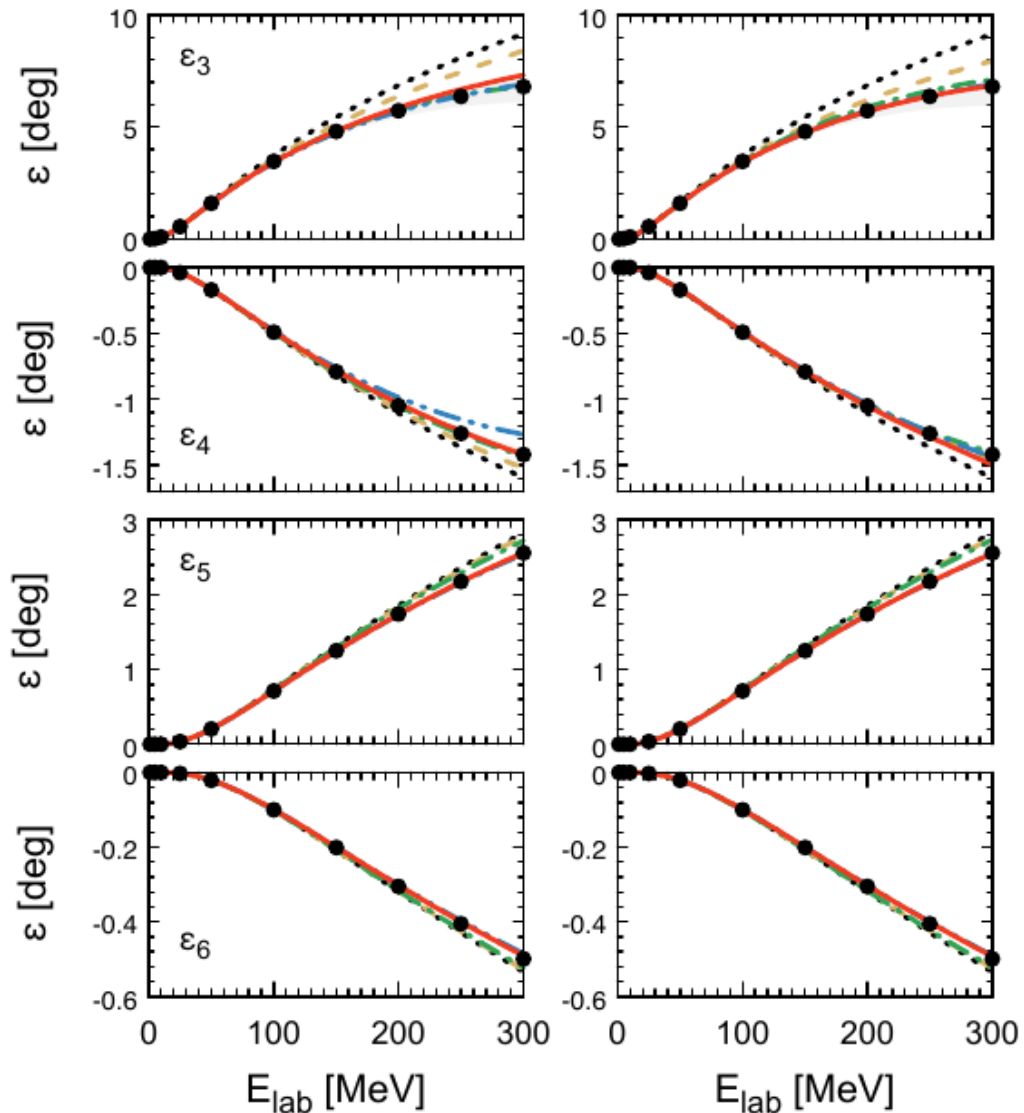


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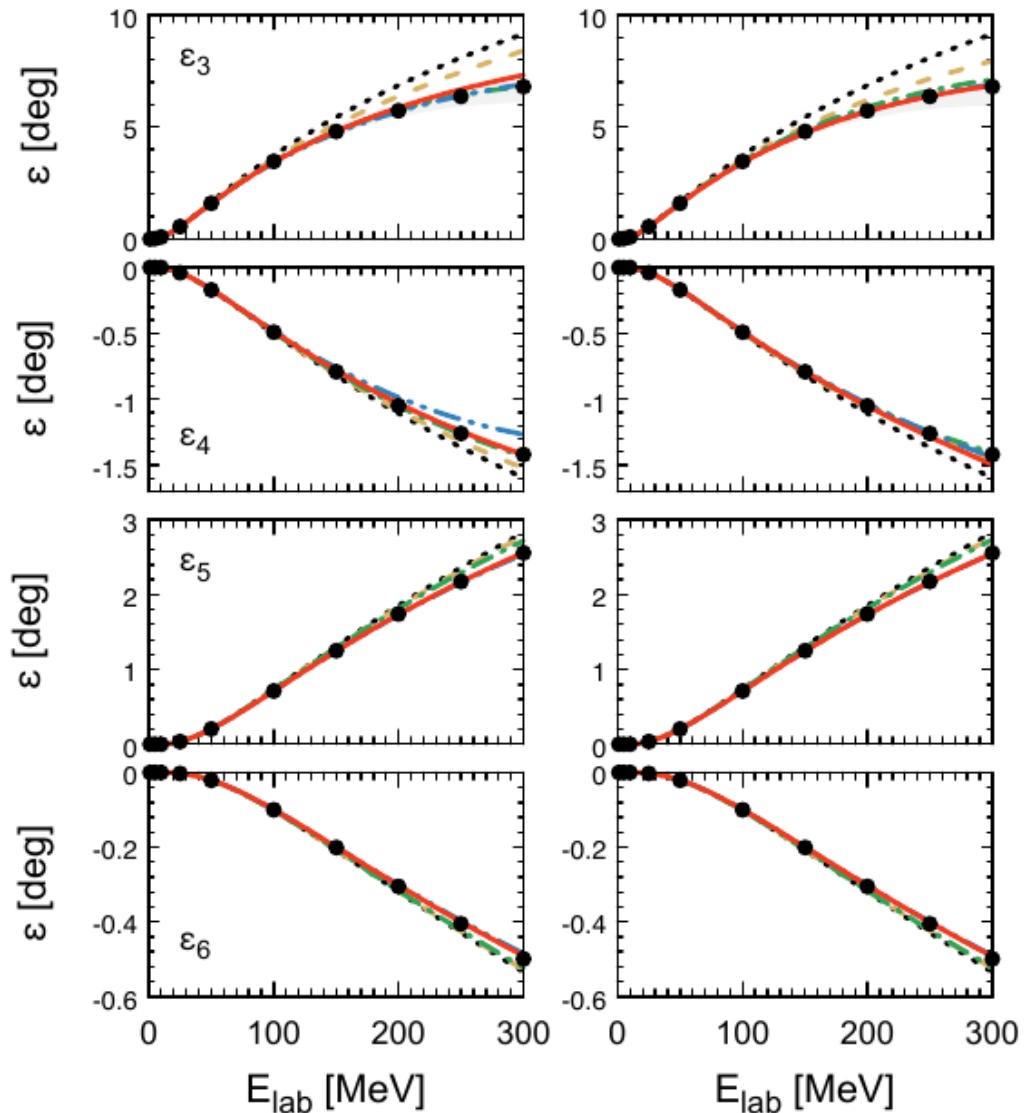
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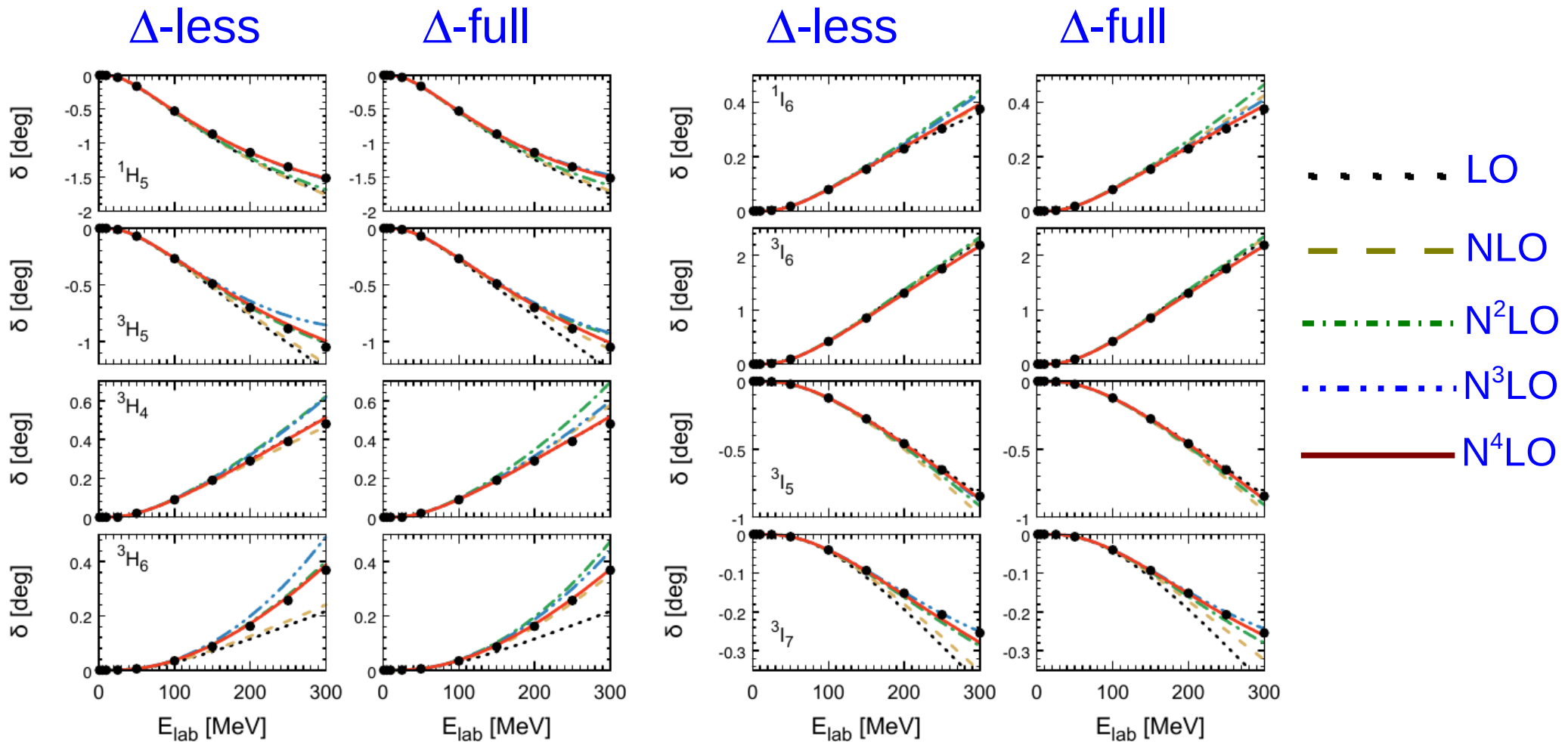
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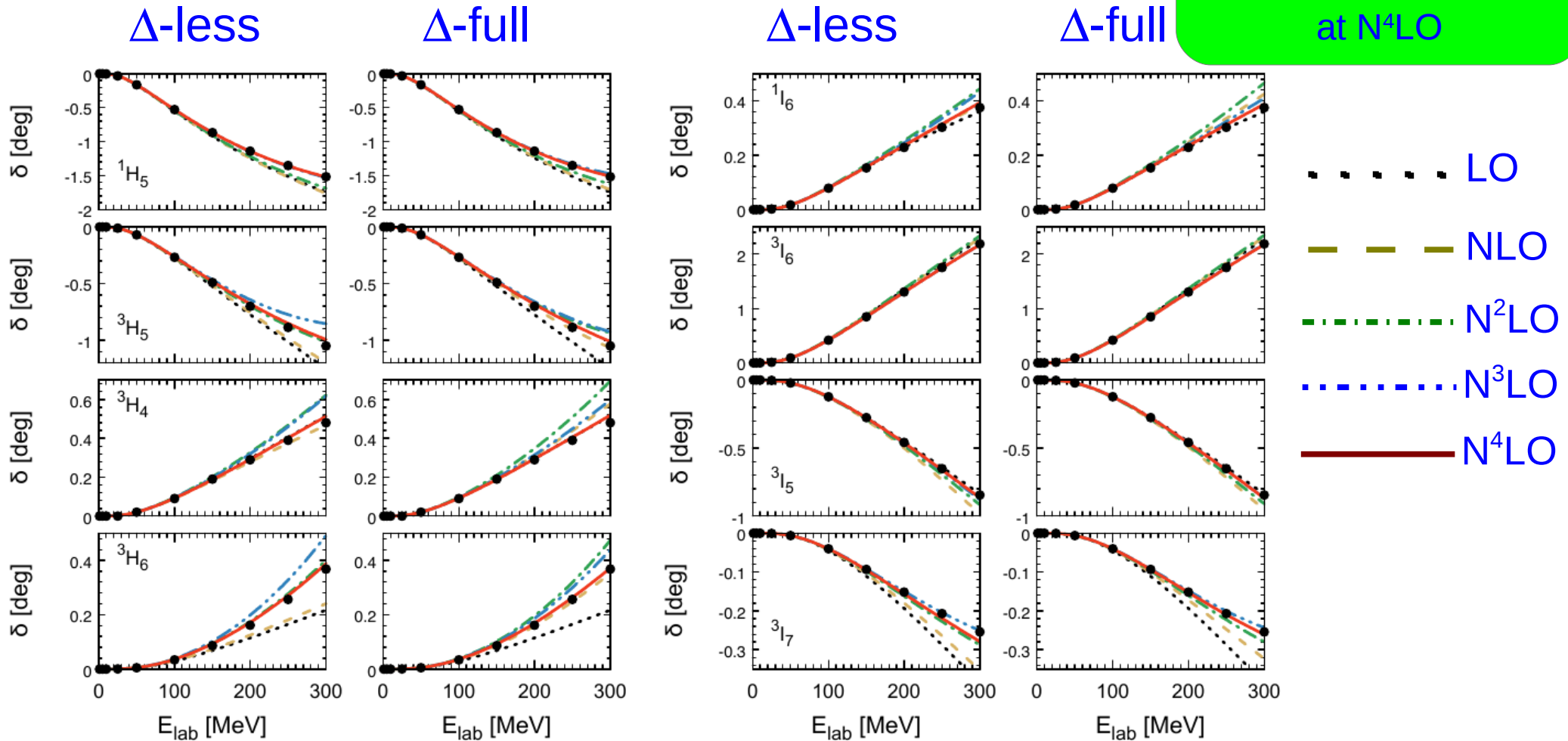


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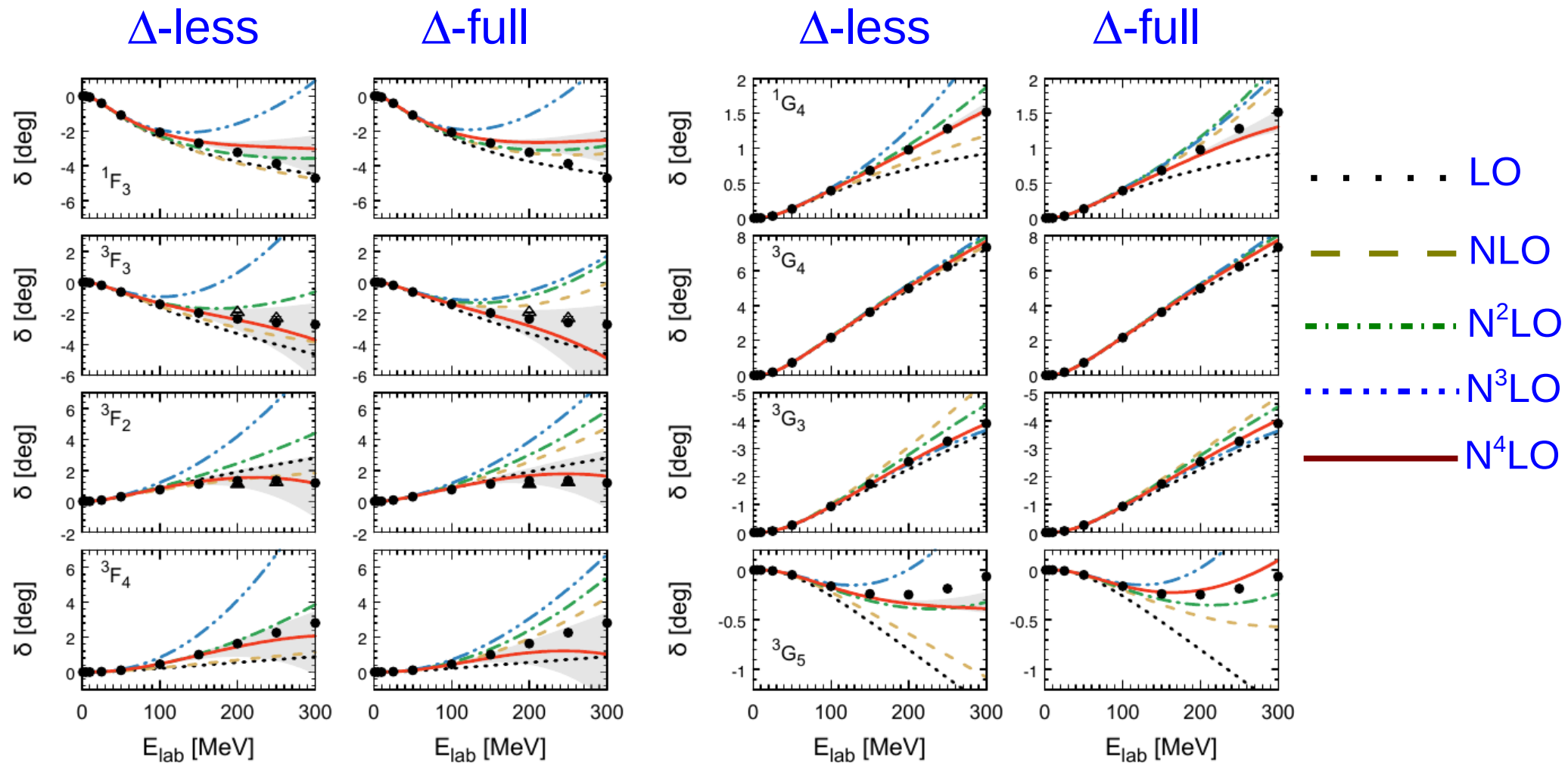


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Siemens et al. '17



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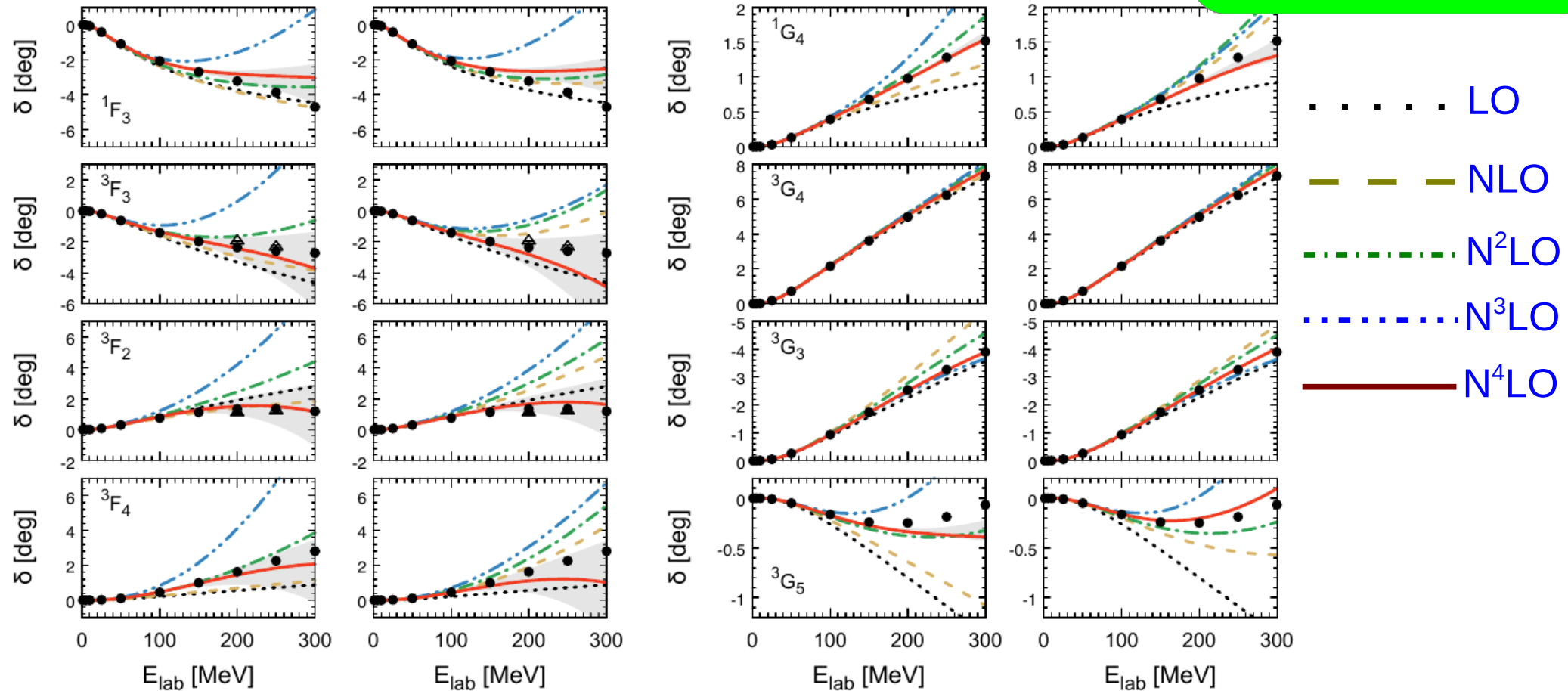
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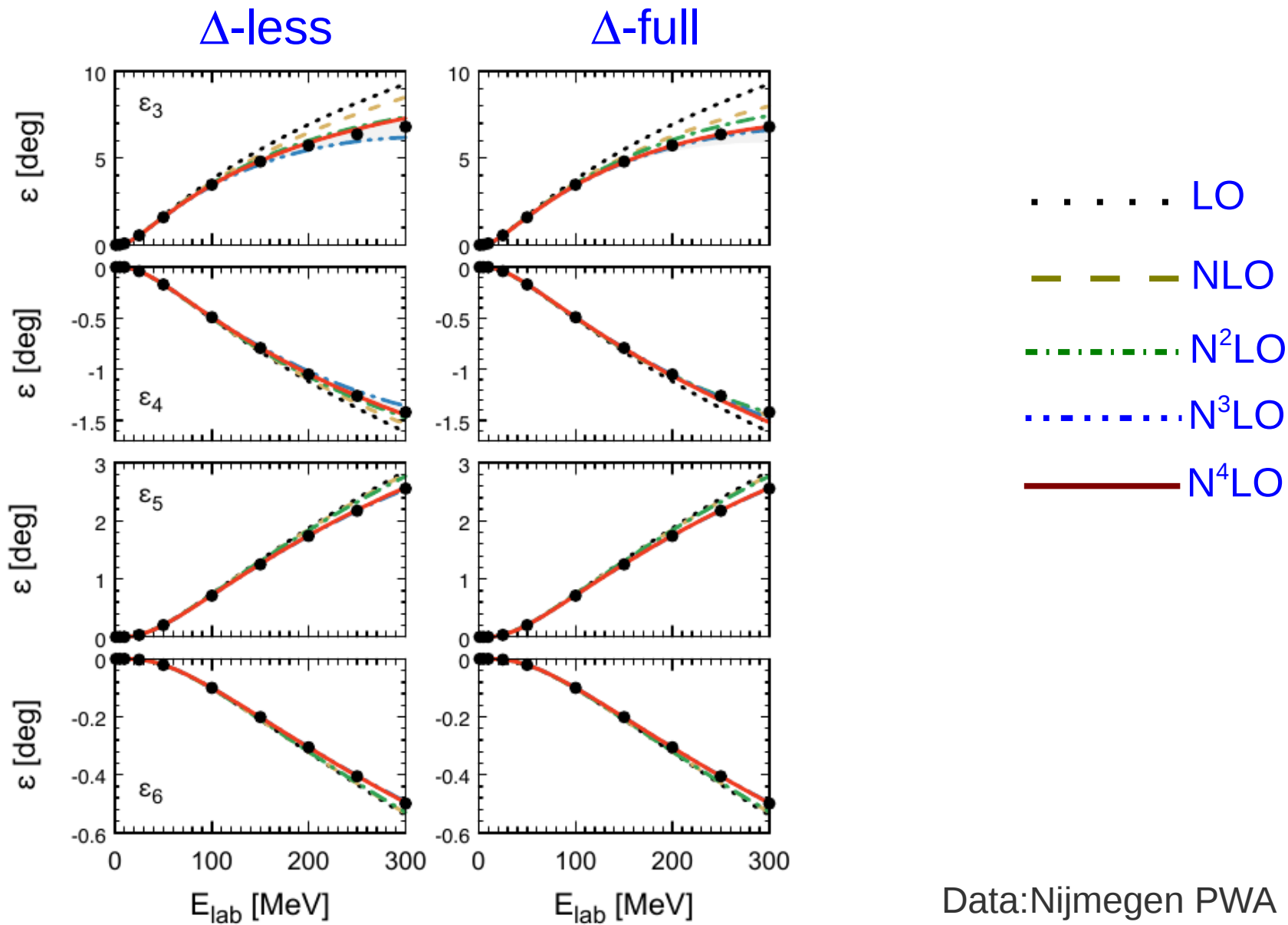


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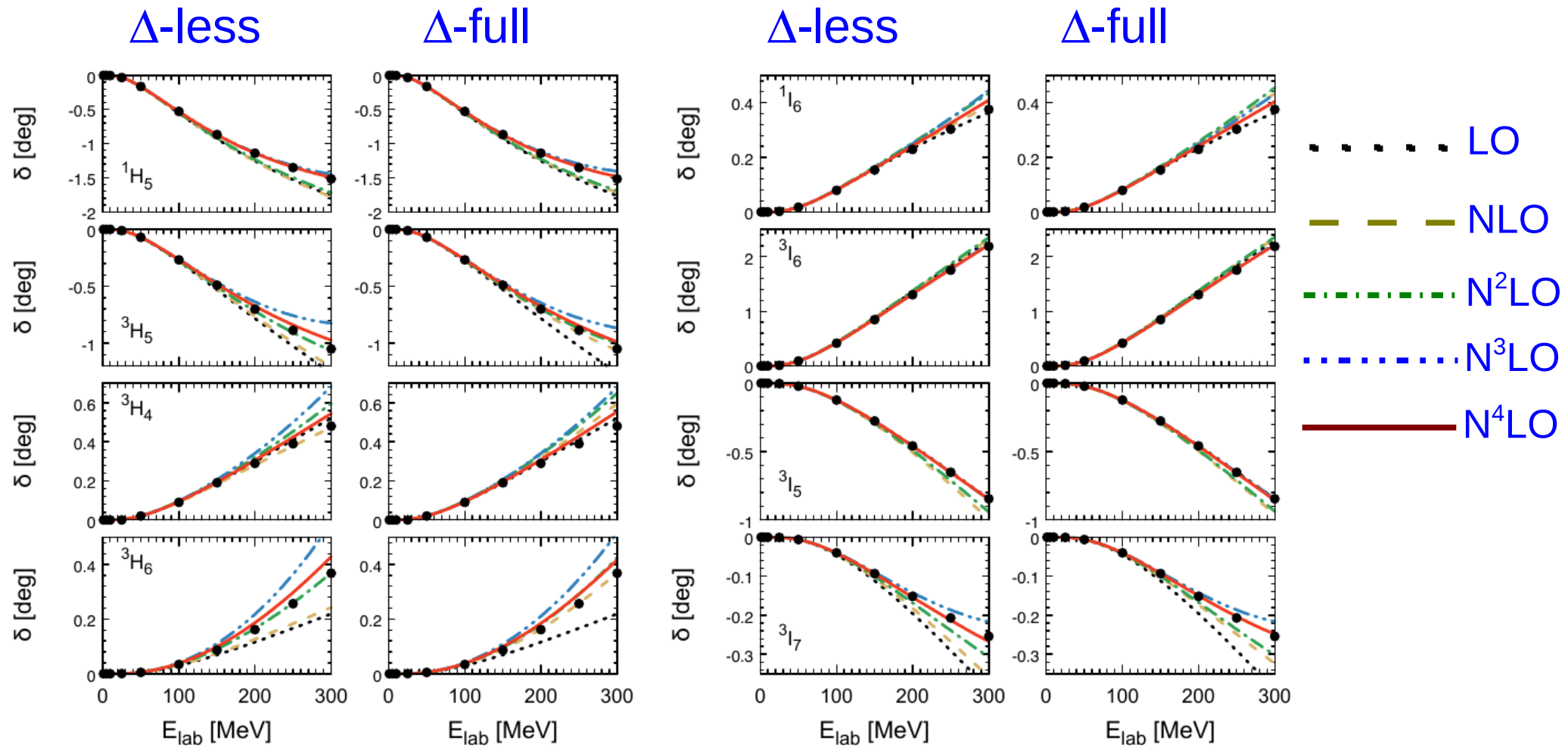
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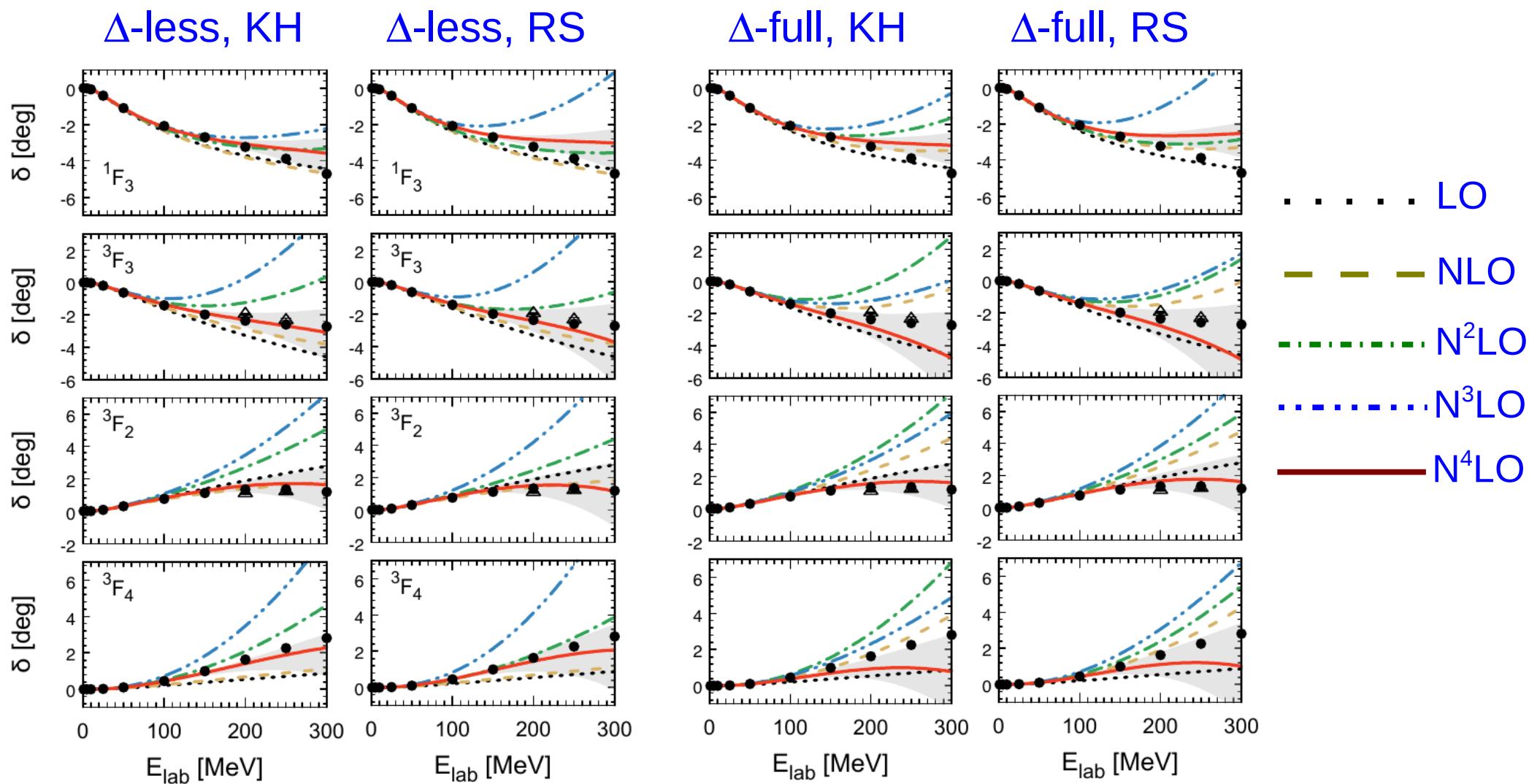
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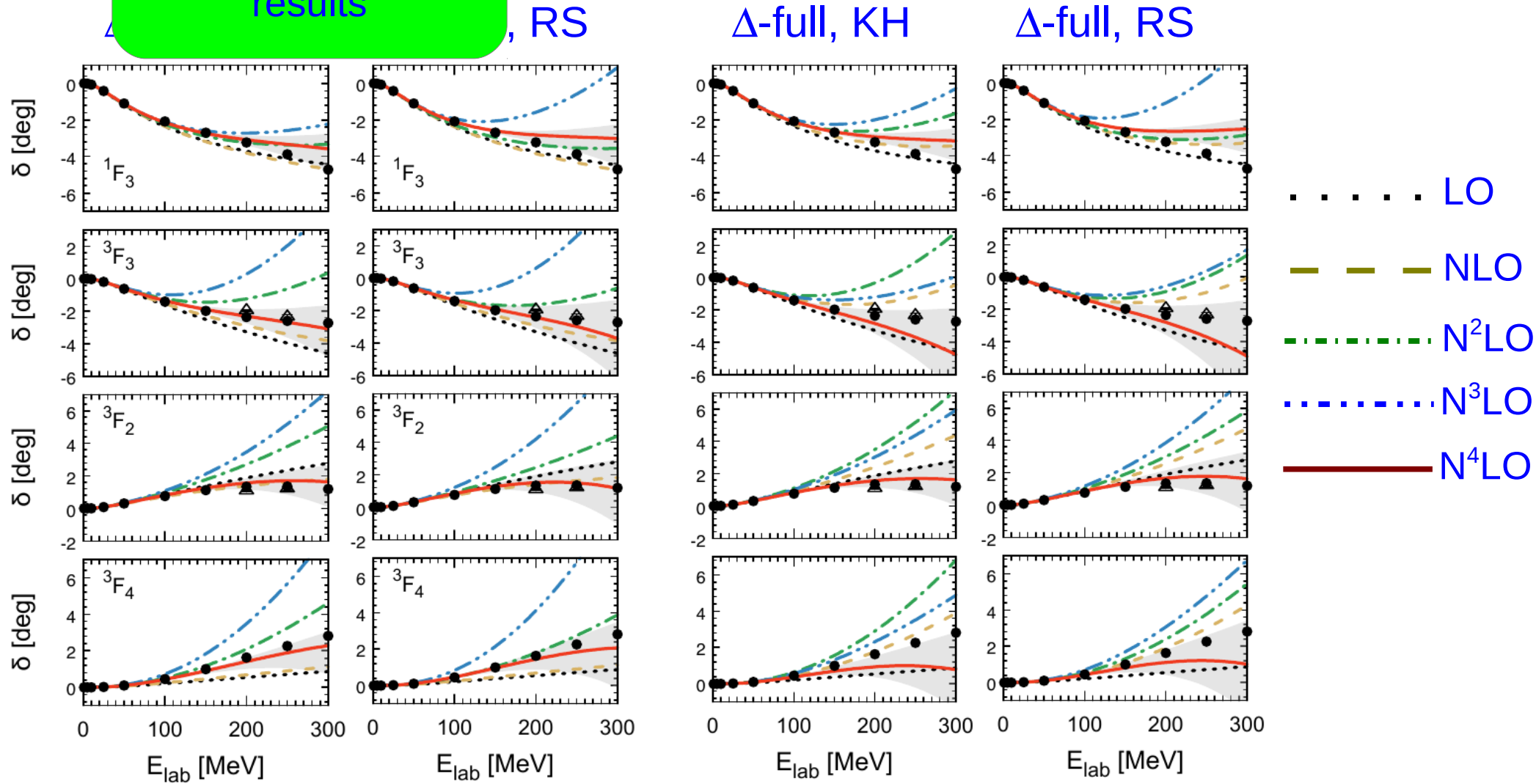
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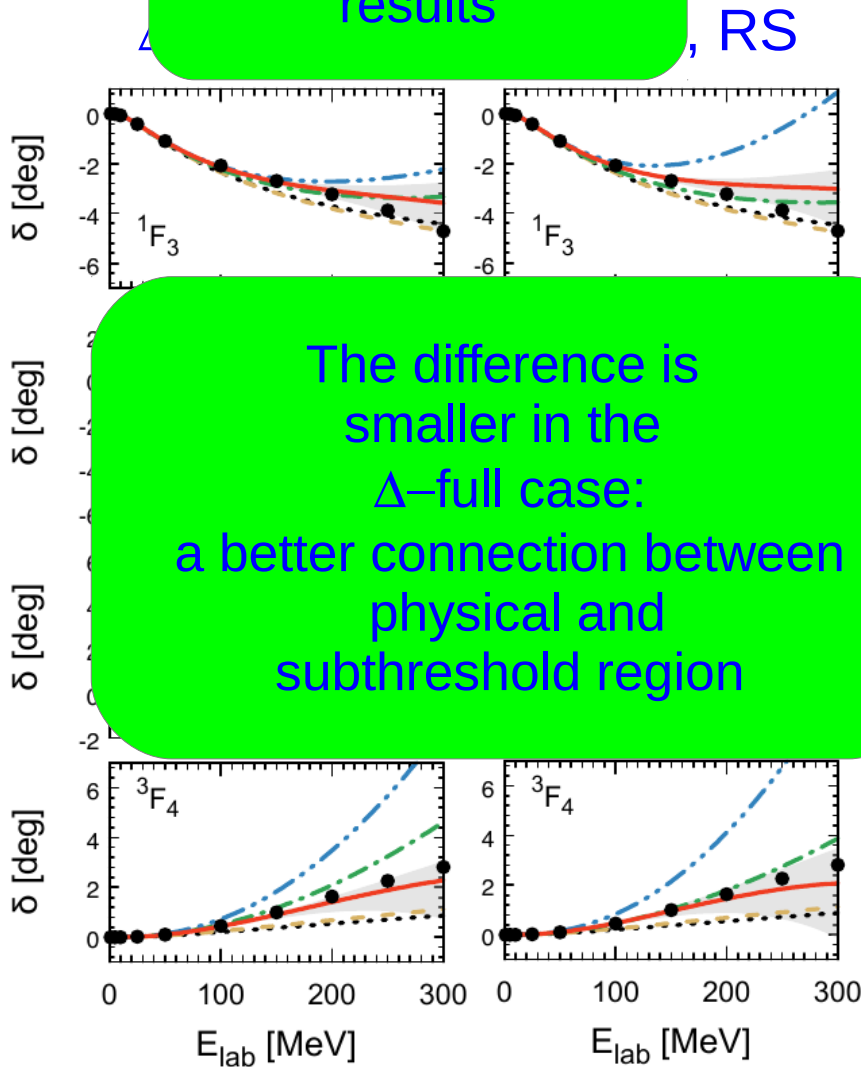
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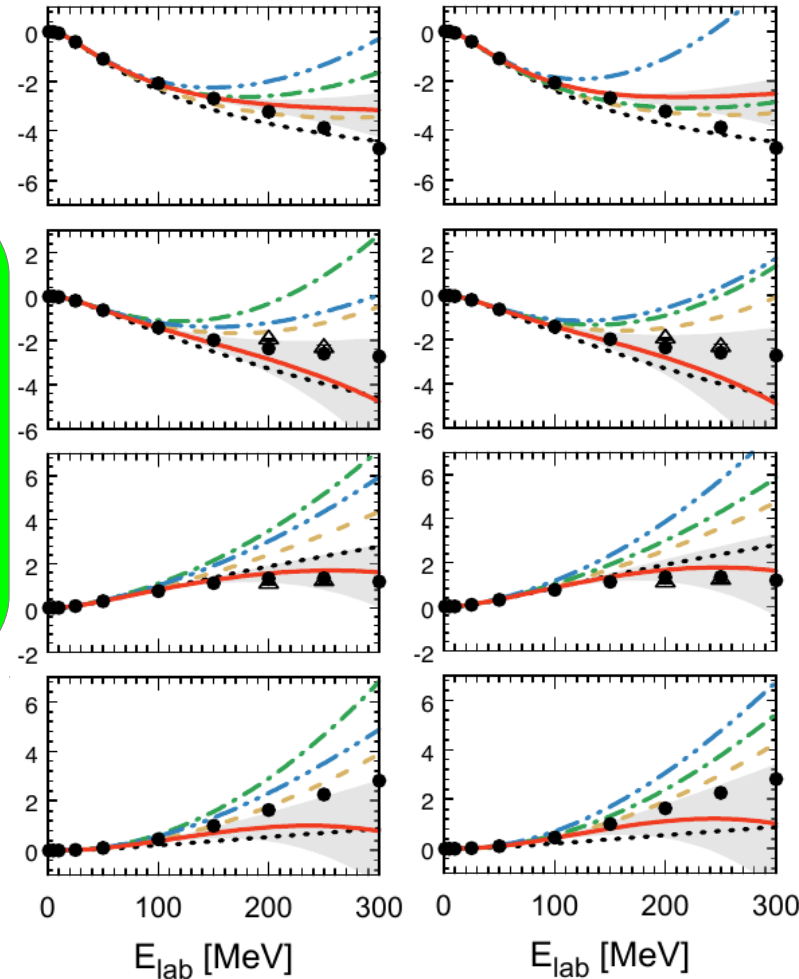
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Δ -full, KH

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The difference is smaller in the Δ -full case: a better connection between physical and subthreshold region

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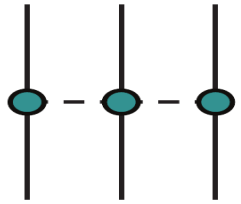
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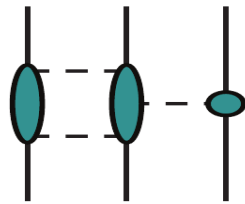
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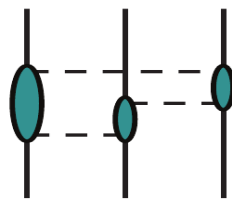
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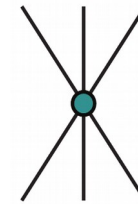
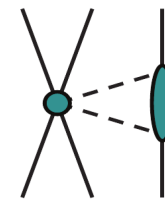
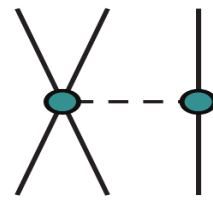
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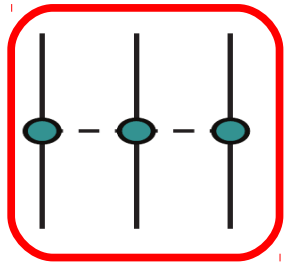
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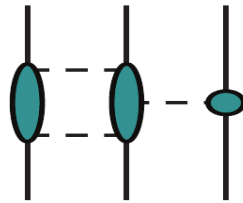
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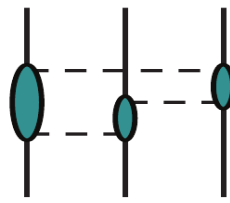
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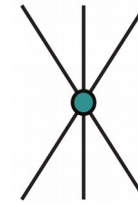
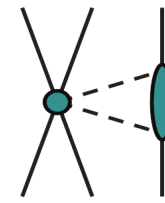
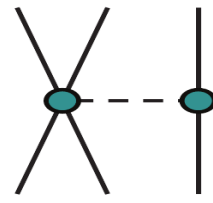
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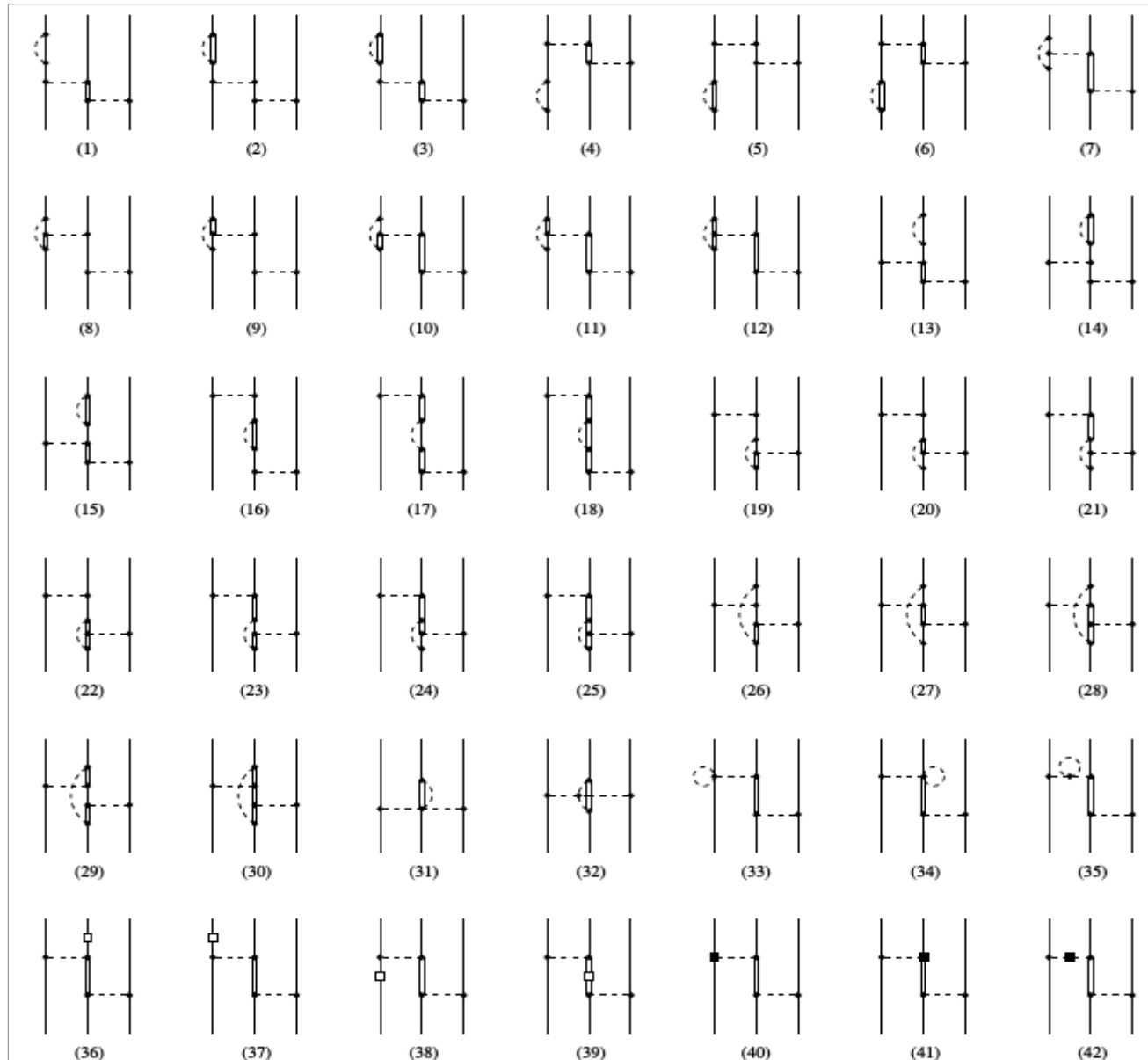


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- Only the longest-range part considered (coordinate space)
- Scheme independent
- No unknown parameters

2- π -exchange diagrams for 3NF at N3LO (ϵ^3) (Δ -contributions)



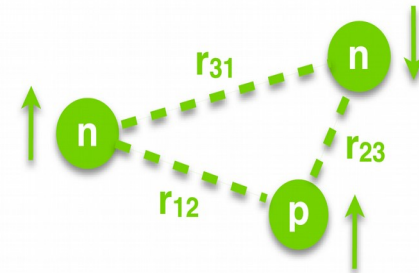
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$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_3 = \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_3$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_4 = \boldsymbol{\tau}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_3$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_5 = \boldsymbol{\tau}_2 \cdot \boldsymbol{\tau}_3 \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2$$

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$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_8 = \hat{r}_{23} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 \hat{r}_{23} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_3$$

$$\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_9 = \hat{r}_{23} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_3 \hat{r}_{12} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_1$$

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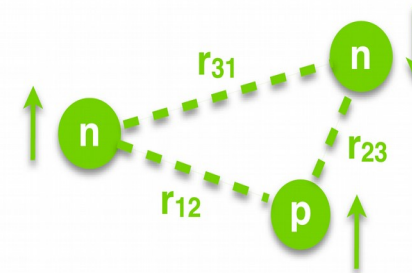
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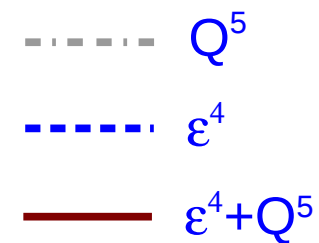
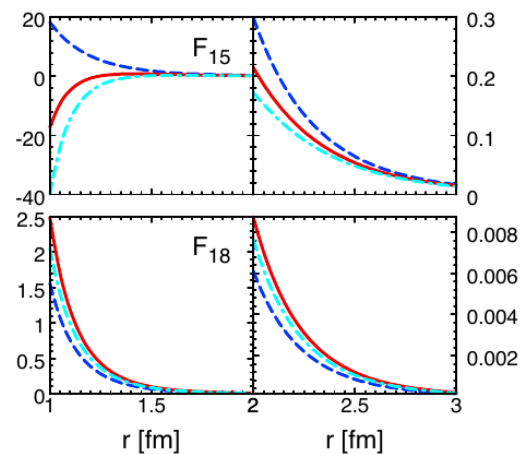
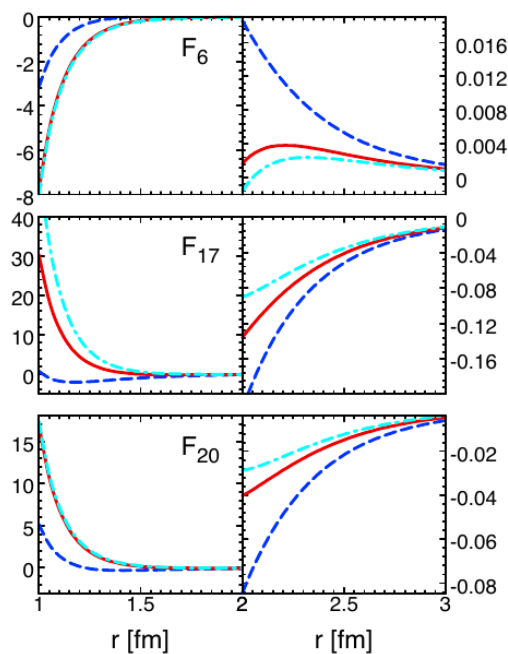
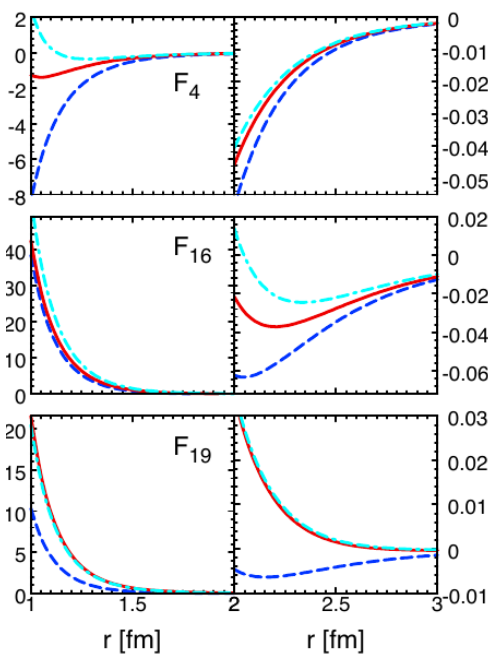
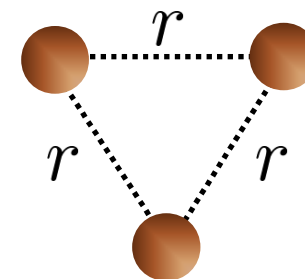


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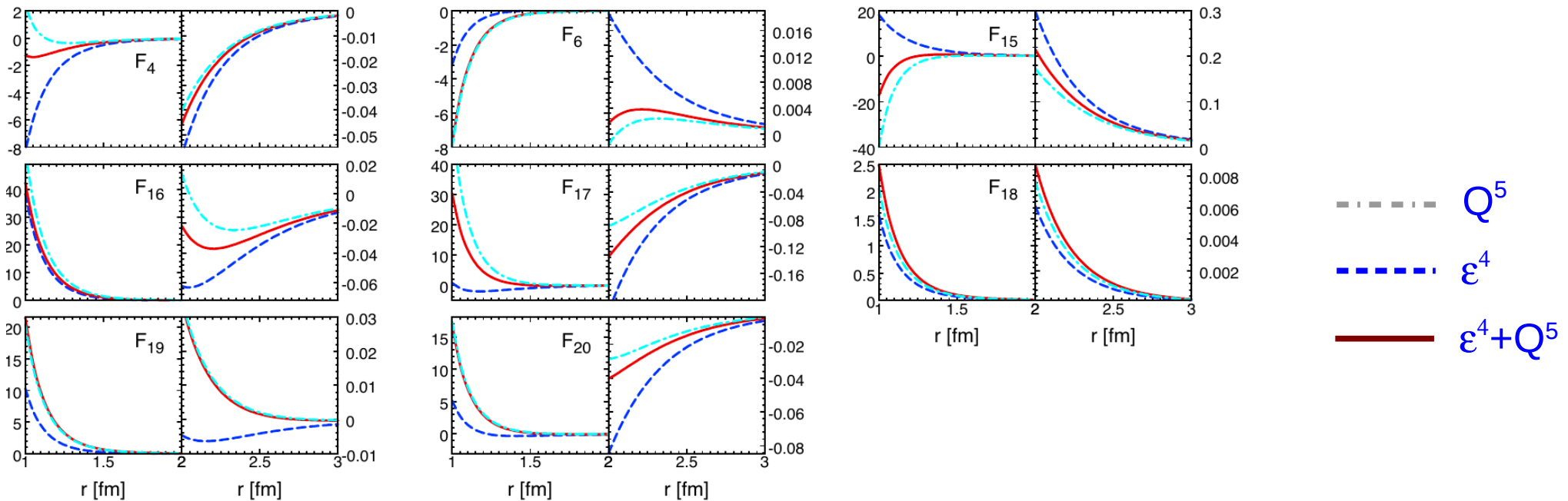
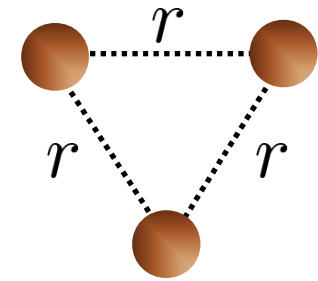
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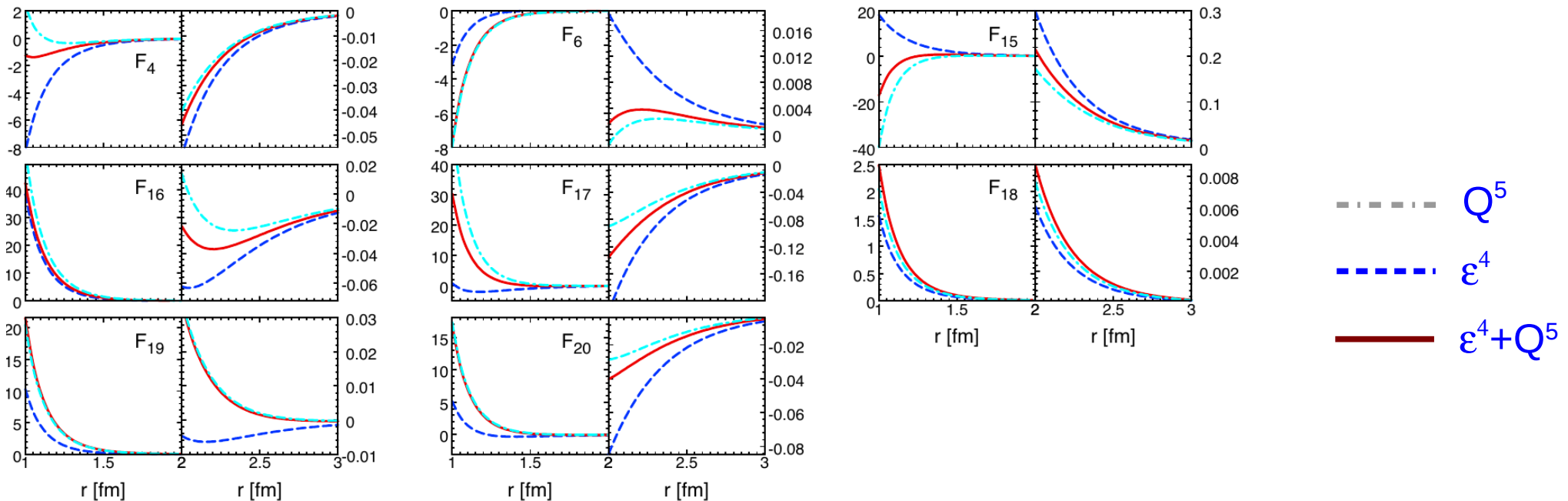
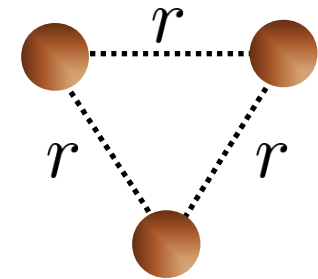


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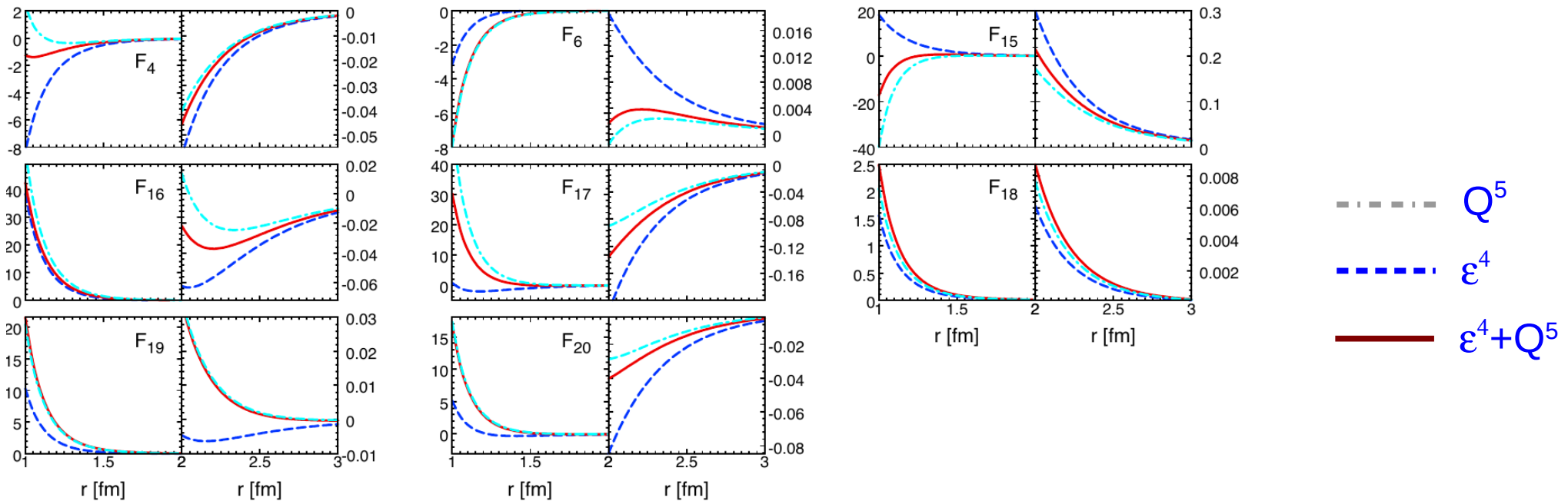
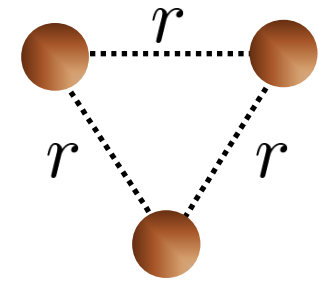
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- Convergence of chiral expansion at large distances

Summary

- Current results for Δ -full chiral 2-nucleon and 3-nucleon forces at $N^3\text{LO}$ ($N^4\text{LO}$) are presented
- 2-nucleon forces (peripheral phases): description of the data is comparable to the Δ -less case, convergence pattern is better, dependence on the choice of LECs is weaker
- 3-nucleon forces: at large distances resonance Δ -saturation works, chiral expansion seems to converge

Outlook

- Fitting short-range part of Δ -full chiral 2N forces to data.
- Calculating shorter-range Δ -full 3N forces.