

# Heavy quark diffusion and lattice correlators

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- Numerical results on 1S quarkonia correlators

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- Low energy part of quarkonia spectral functions from Langevin effective theory

P.P. and D. Teaney, hep-ph/0507318

- Heavy quark diffusion constant from lattice correlators ?

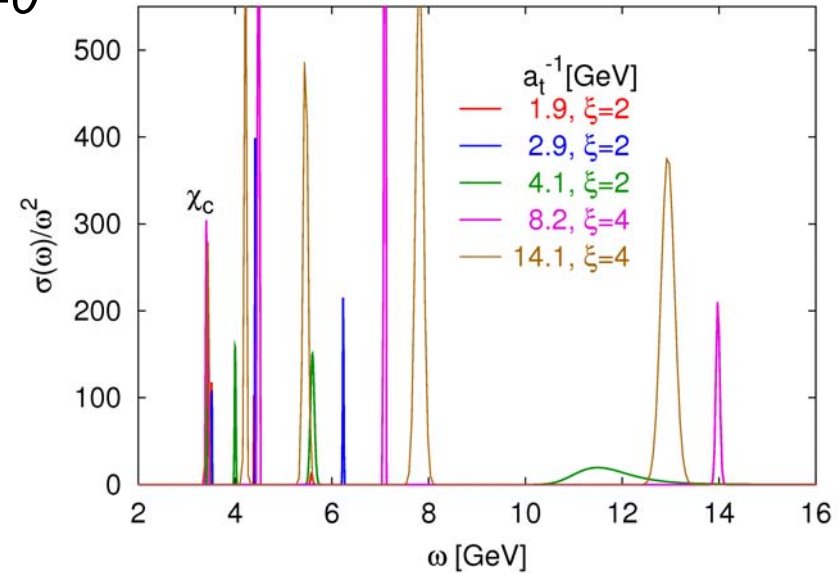
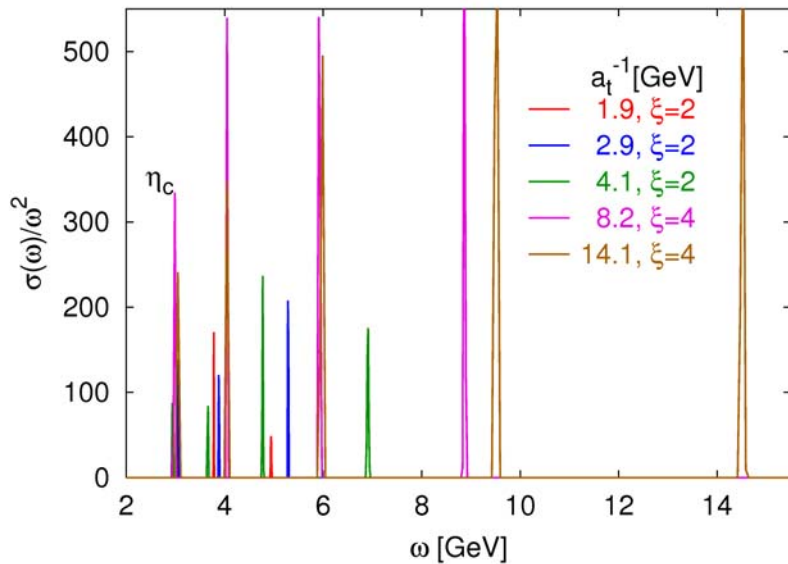
Existing lattice data on Euclidean correlators cannot give any information about transport coefficients !  $< 1\%$  accuracy is needed for the correlators see also G. Aarts and J.M. Martinez Resco, JHEP 0204, 053 (2002)

- Why heavy quarks ?  $t_{tran} \sim M/T^2 \gg$  any timescale

Light quarks :  $t_{tran} \sim 1/(g^4 T)$  large only in the weak coupling

# Charmonia spectral functions at zero and finite T

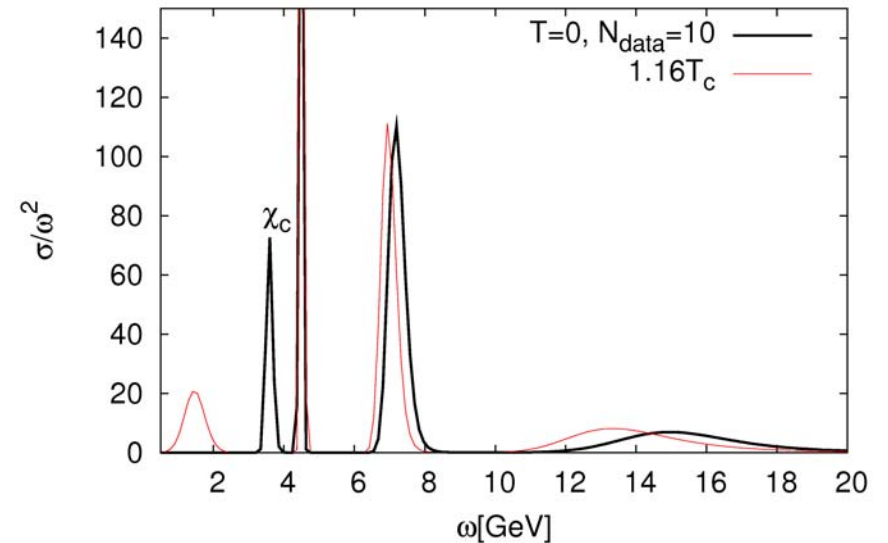
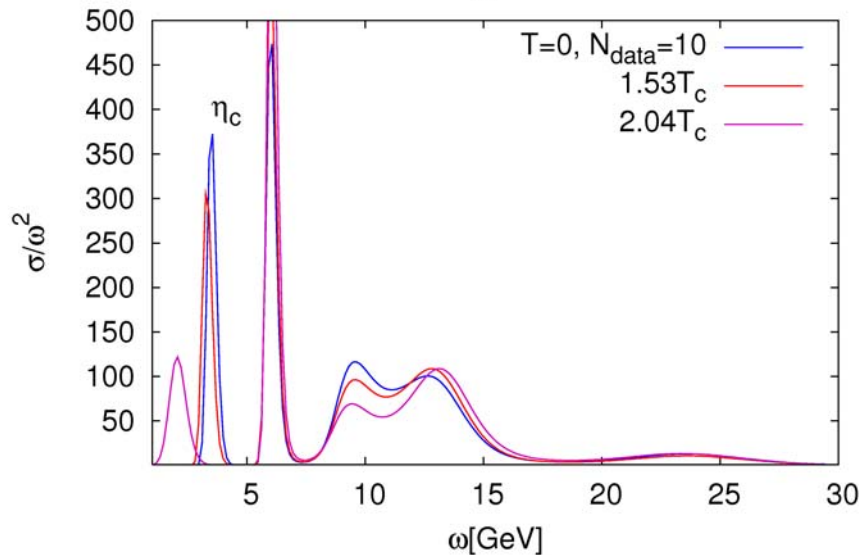
$T=0$



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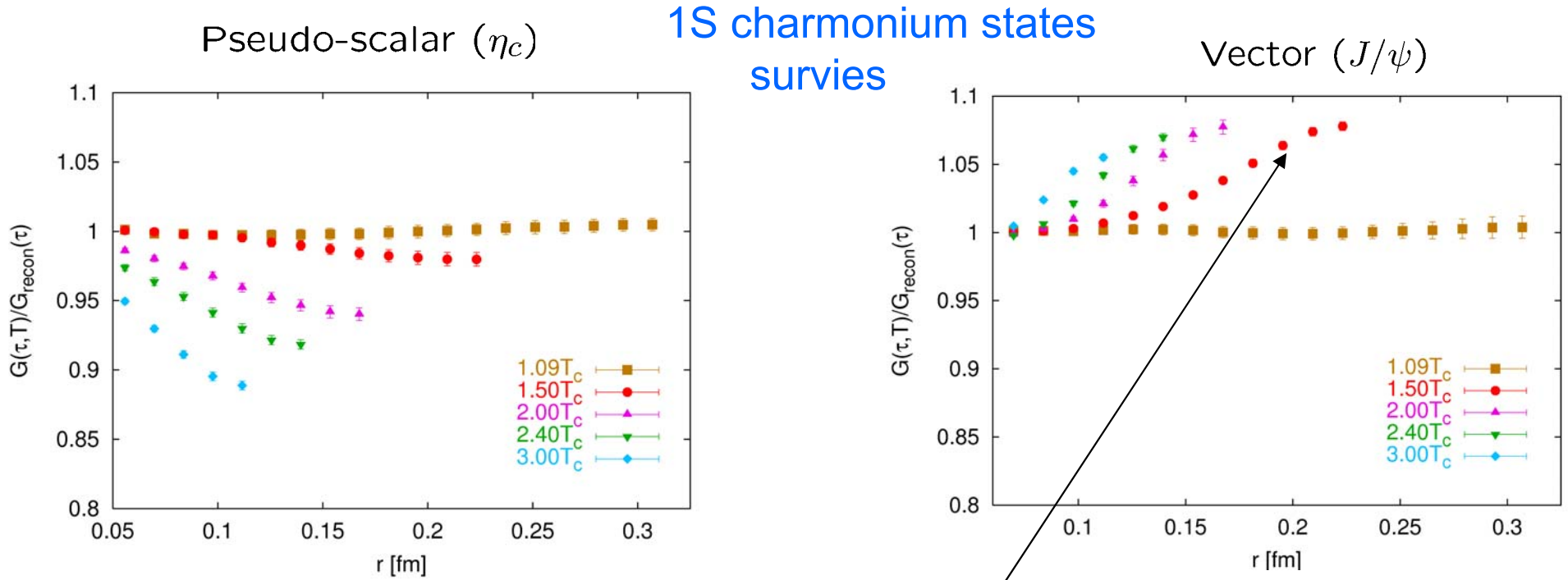
PS,  $\beta=6.5$

SC,  $\beta=6.1$



in agreement with Datta, Karsch, P.P., Wetzorke, PRD 69 (04) 094507

# Vector correlator and heavy quark diffusion



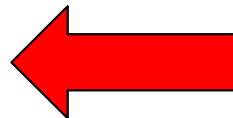
1S charmonium states survives

Vector current is conserved  $\rightarrow$  fluctuations of charm number  $\downarrow$

$$\sigma_V^{ii}(\omega) = F_{J/\psi}^2(T) \delta(\omega^2 - m_{J/\psi}^2(T)) + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \omega^2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_D^2(T)}{\omega^2}} + \chi_s(T) \left(\frac{T}{M}\right) \omega \delta(\omega)$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \chi_s(T) \frac{T}{M} \omega \cdot \frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\eta}{\omega^2 + \eta^2}$$

Interactions



Free streaming :  
Collision less Boltzmann equation

Effective Langevin theory

$$\eta = \frac{T}{M} \frac{1}{D} \quad \partial_t N_c + D \nabla^2 N_c = 0$$

# Heavy quark diffusion, linear response and Euclidean correlators

Linear response :

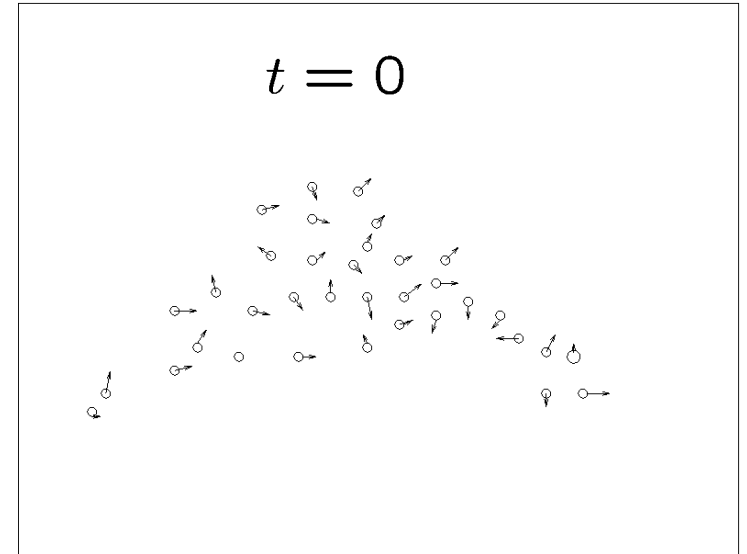
$$H = H_0 - \int d^3x \mu(x, t), \quad N(x, t) N(x, t) = \bar{q}(x, t) \gamma_0 q(x, t), \quad \mu(x, t) = e^{\epsilon t} \theta(-t) \mu(x)$$

$$\langle \delta N(x, t) \rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt' \chi_{NN}(x, t' - t) \mu(x, t')$$

$$\sigma_{NN}(k, \omega) = \frac{1}{\pi} \text{Im} \chi_{NN}(k, \omega)$$

$$\chi_{JJ}^{ij}(k, \omega) = \left( \delta_{ij} - \frac{k_i k_j}{k^2} \right) \chi_{JJ}^T(k, \omega) + \frac{k_i k_j}{k^2} \chi_{JJ}^L(k, \omega)$$

$$\frac{\omega^2}{k^2} \chi_{NN}(k, \omega) = \chi_{JJ}^L(k, \omega)$$



Euclidean correlators:

$$G^{00}(k, \tau) = \int d^3x e^{i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{x}} \langle J_E^0(x, \tau) J_E^0(0, 0) \rangle = -D_{NN}(k, -i\tau) = - \int_0^{\infty} d\omega \sigma_{NN}(k, \omega) K(\tau, \omega, T)$$

$$G^{ij}(k, \tau) = \int d^3x e^{i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{x}} \langle J_E^i(x, \tau) J_E^j(0, 0) \rangle = D_{JJ}^{ij}(k, -i\tau) = \int_0^{\infty} d\omega \sigma_{JJ}^{ij}(k, \omega) K(\tau, \omega, T)$$

$$K(\tau, \omega, T) = \frac{\cosh(\omega(\tau - 1/(2T)))}{\sinh(\omega/(2T))}$$

# Correlators and diffusion

$$\rho_{NN,JJ}(k, \omega) = \rho_{NN,JJ}^{\text{high}}(k, \omega) + \rho_{NN,JJ}^{\text{low}}(k, \omega)$$

$$G_{JJ}^{L,\text{low}}(k, \tau) \simeq 2T \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} \rho_{JJ}^{L,\text{low}}(k, \omega) \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{6} \left( \frac{\omega}{2T} \right)^2 + \omega^2 \frac{1}{2} (\tau - \beta/2)^2 + \dots \right]$$

$$G_{JJ}^{L,\text{low}}(k, \tau) = \frac{T}{k^2} \left[ \partial_t^{(1)} \chi_{NN}(k, t) + \frac{1}{24 T^2} \partial_t^{(3)} \chi_{NN}(k, t) - \partial_t^{(3)} \chi_{NN}(k, t) \frac{1}{2} (\tau - \beta/2)^2 + \dots \right]_{t=0}$$

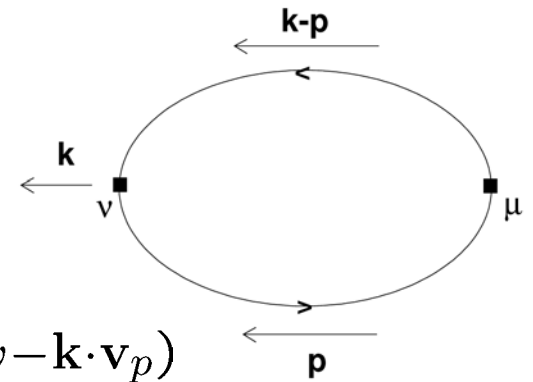
$$\beta = 1/T$$

Collisionless Boltzmann equation :

$$\left( \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + v_p^i \frac{\partial}{\partial x^i} \right) f(x, p, t) = 0$$

$$\rho_{NN}^{\text{low}}(k, \omega) = \frac{1}{T} \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} f_p (1 \pm f_p) \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_p \delta(\omega - \mathbf{k} \cdot \mathbf{v}_p)$$

Bare 1-loop :



$$\rho_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(k, \omega) = \chi_s \frac{\omega^3}{k^2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi k^2 \frac{T}{M}}} \exp\left(-\frac{\omega^2}{2k^2 \frac{T}{M}}\right)$$

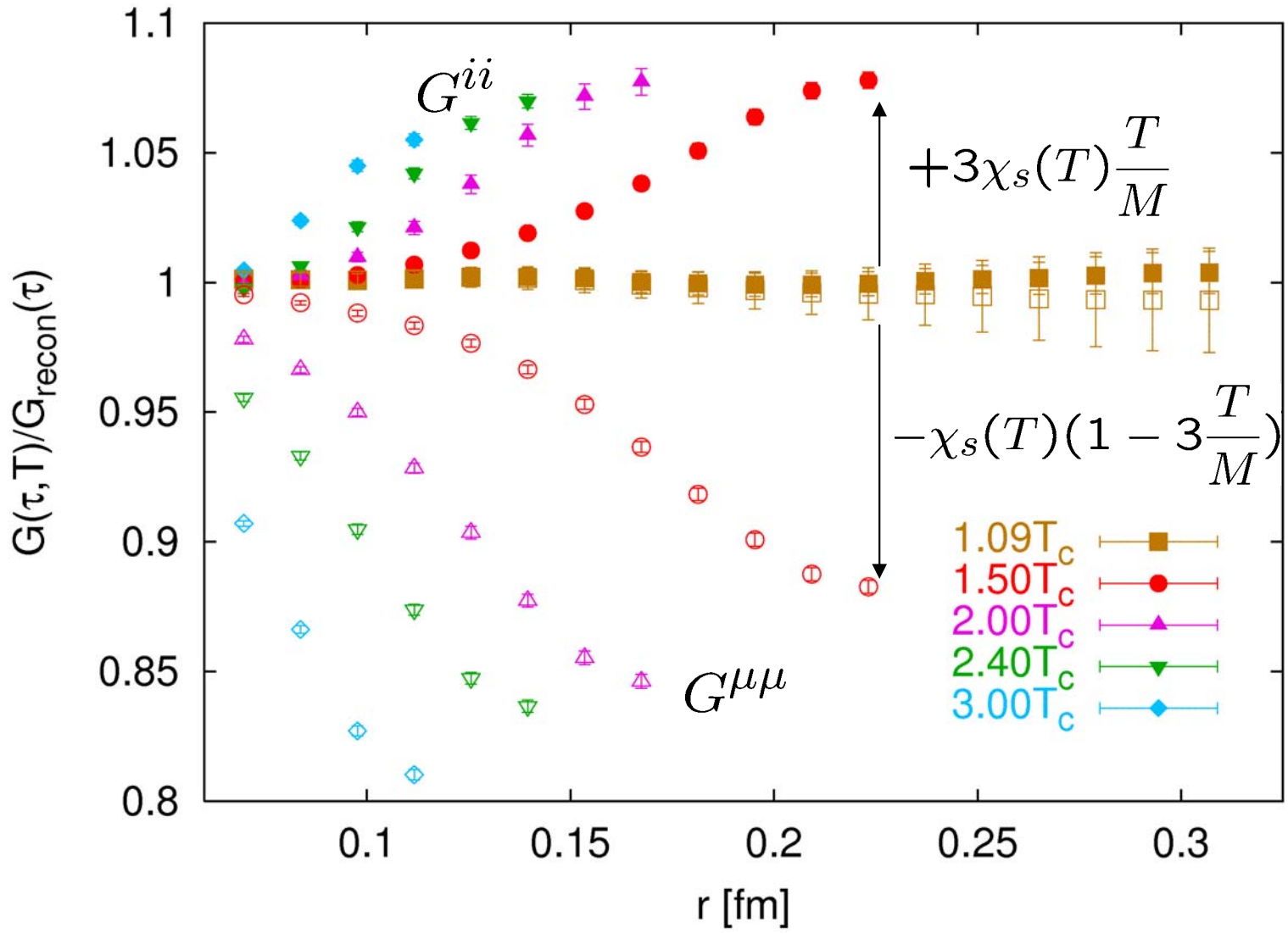
$$\mathbf{k} \rightarrow 0 \begin{cases} \rho_{JJ}^{L,\text{low}}(k, \omega) = \chi_s \frac{T}{M} \omega \delta(\omega) \\ \rho_{NN}^{L,\text{low}}(k, \omega) = \chi_s \omega \delta(\omega) \end{cases}$$

$$G_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(k, \omega) = T \chi_s(k) \frac{T}{M}$$

$$G_{NN}^{\text{low}}(k, \omega) = T \chi_s(k)$$

# Lattice data on the vector correlator

$\beta = 6.5, \xi = a_s/a_t = 4, a_t = 14.12\text{GeV}, 24^3 \times N_t$



$\Rightarrow \frac{M}{T} \simeq 4.6$

Transport contribution can be clearly seen !

# Correlators and diffusion

$$t_{tran} \sim M/T^2 \gg 1$$

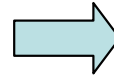


Moore, Teaney, PRC 71 (05) 064904

$$\frac{dx^i}{dt} = \frac{p^i}{M}, \quad \frac{dp^i}{dt} = \xi^i(t) - \eta p^i,$$

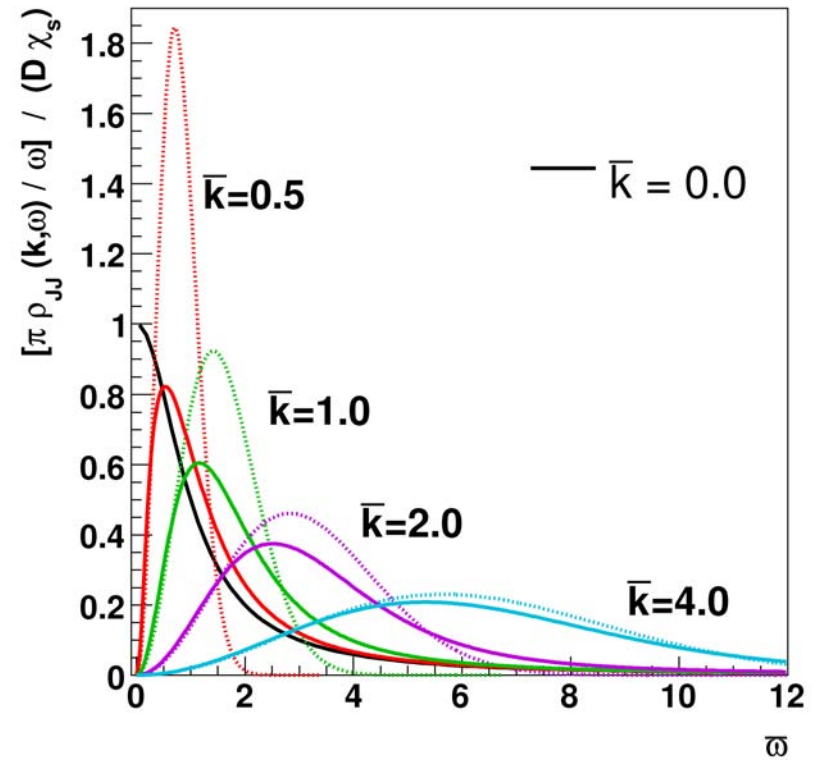
$$\langle \xi^i(t) \xi^j(t') \rangle = \kappa \delta^{ij} \delta(t - t')$$

$$\eta = \frac{\kappa}{2MT}, \quad D = \frac{T}{M\eta}$$



$$t \gg 1/\eta : \partial_t N(x, t) + D \nabla^2 N(x, t) = 0$$

$$\bar{k} = kD\sqrt{M/T}, \quad \bar{\omega} = \omega D(M/T)$$



$$k \ll \eta\sqrt{M/T} :$$

$$\chi_{NN}(k, \omega) = \frac{\chi_s D k^2}{-i\omega + k^2 D} - \frac{\chi_s D k^2}{-i\omega + \eta}$$

$$\rho_{NN}(k = 0, \omega) = \chi_s \omega \delta(\omega)$$

$$\rho_{JJ}(k = 0, \omega) = \chi_s \omega \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{T}{M} \frac{\eta}{\omega^2 + \eta^2}$$

# Transport contribution to the Euclidean correlators

J/psi survives in the plasma with almost no modifications of its properties

Umeda et al, '02, Asakawa and Hatsuda, '04 Datta et al, '04,  
Petrov, Lat '05

$$\rho_{JJ}^{\text{high}}(\omega) = m_{J/\psi}^3 f_{J/\psi}^2 \delta(\omega^2 - m_{J/\psi}^2) + \frac{1}{38\pi^2} N_c \theta(\omega^2 - 4m_D^2) \omega^2 \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_D^2}{\omega^2}} \left(2 + \frac{4m_D^2}{\omega^2}\right)$$

$M_{J/\psi}$ ,  $f_{J/\psi}$ ,  $m_D$  at  $T = 0$  from PDG

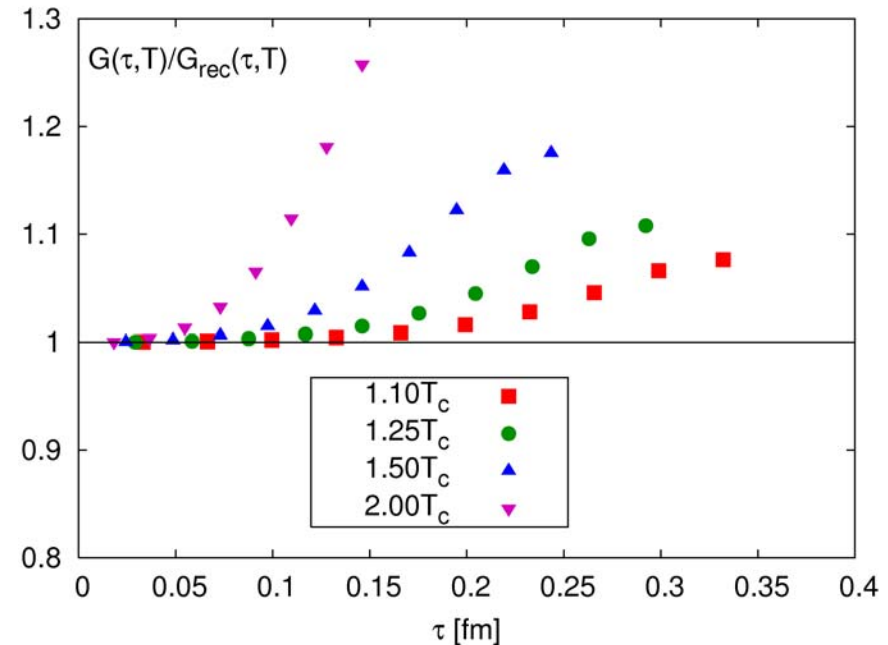
Examine  $1/D=0$  case :

$$\chi_s = \int \frac{d^3p}{(2\pi)^3} \exp(-\sqrt{p^2 + M^2}/T)$$

$$G_{JJ}^{\text{rec}}(\tau, T) = \int_0^\infty d\omega \rho_{JJ}(\omega, T=0) K(\omega, \tau, T)$$

$$\delta G_{JJ} \equiv G_{JJ}(\tau, T, \mu) - G_{JJ}(\tau, T, \mu=0)$$

$$\simeq (\cosh(\mu/T) - 1) \int_0^\infty d\omega \rho_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(\omega) K(\tau, \omega, T) = G_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(\tau)$$





# Transport contribution to the Euclidean correlators

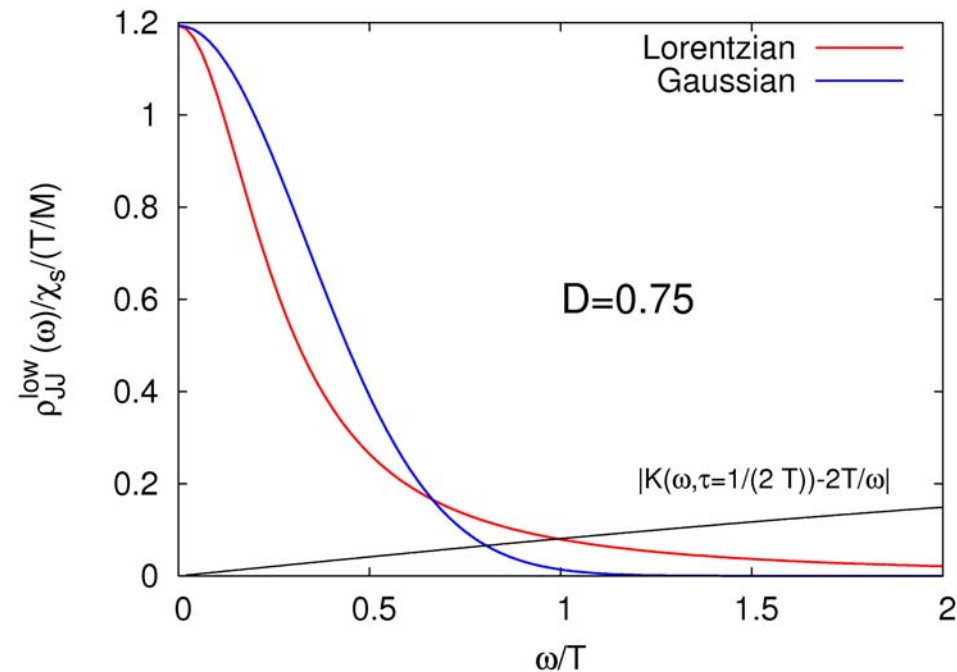
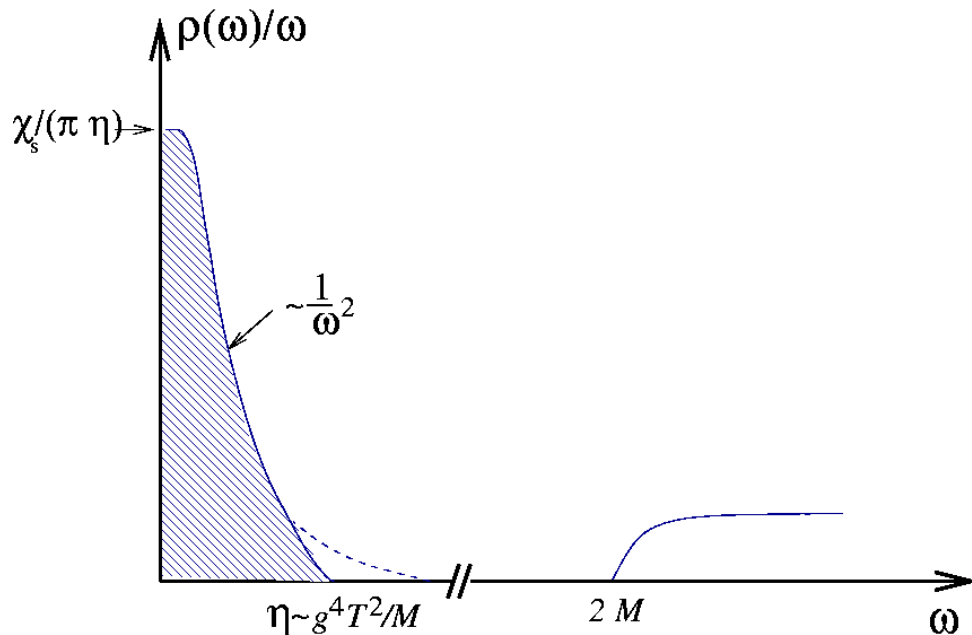
Interactions smear out the  $\chi_s \omega \delta(\omega)$  term  
width  $\sim \eta$

valid only for  $\omega < \eta \ll T$  but  $K(\omega, \tau, T) - \frac{2T}{\omega}$  has support for  $\omega \sim T$

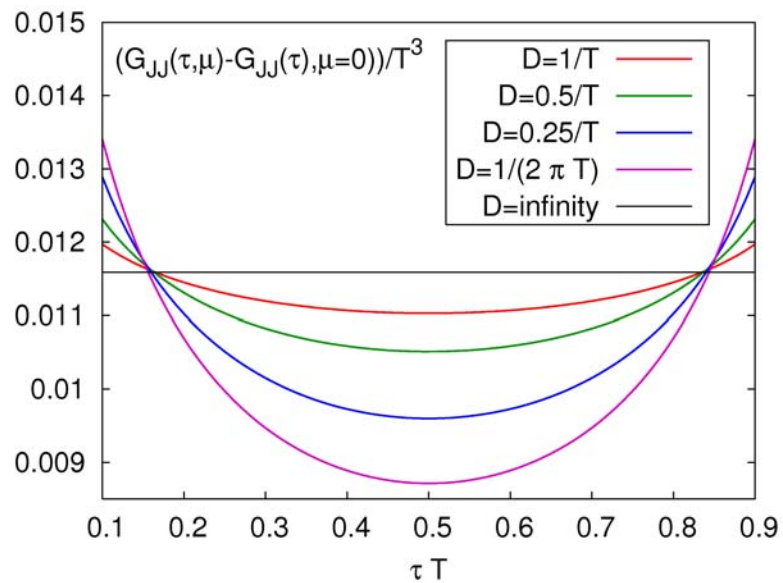
$G_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(\tau) \neq \text{const}$  but has a small curvature around  $\tau = 1/(2T)$

$$\rho_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(\omega) = \chi_s \omega \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{T}{M} \frac{\eta}{\omega^2 + \eta^2}$$

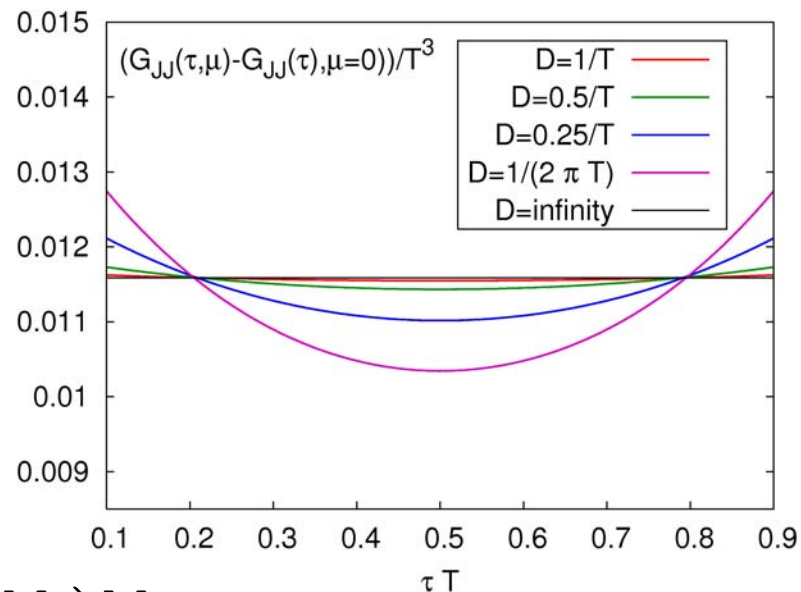
$$\rho_{JJ}^{\text{low}}(\omega) = \chi_s \omega \frac{T}{M} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\eta_g^2}} e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{2\eta_g^2}}, \quad \eta_g = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2MD} T}$$



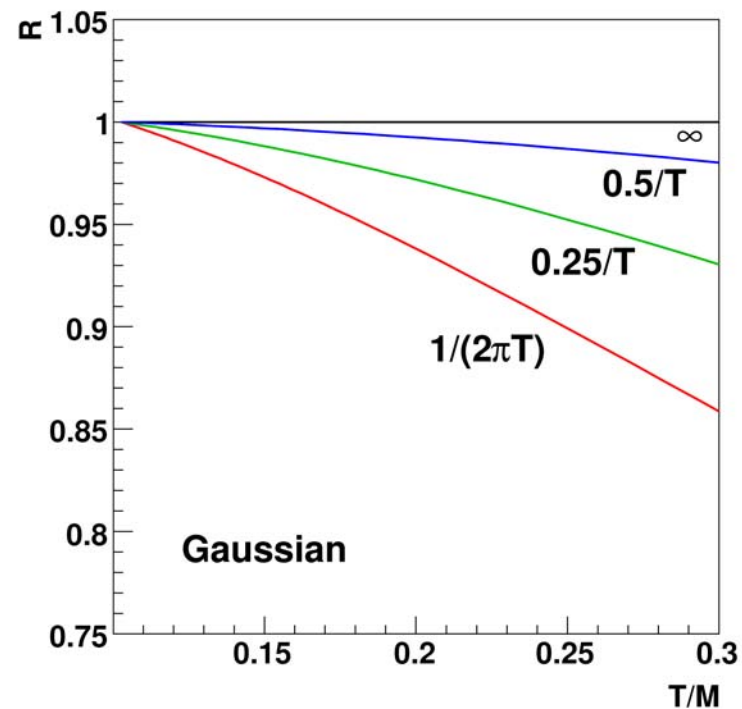
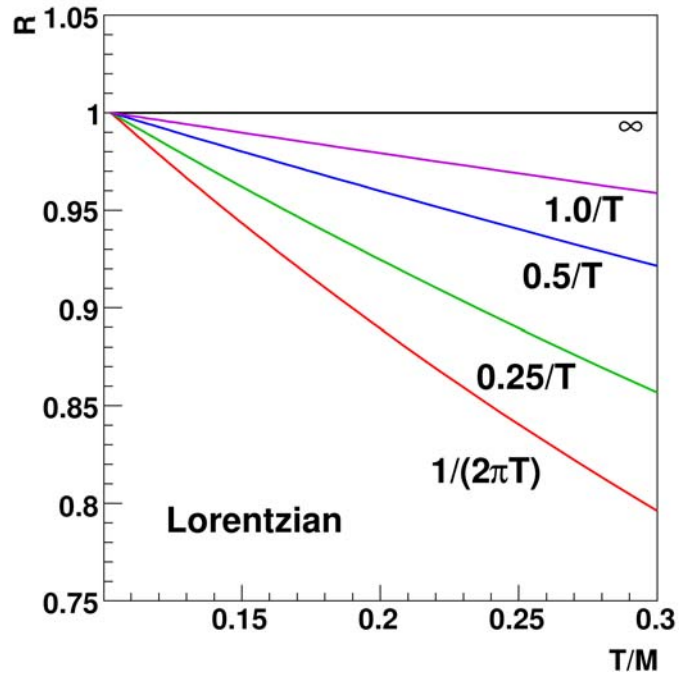
Lorentzian



Gaussian



$$R \equiv \frac{\delta G_{JJ}(M) \chi_s(M_0) M_0}{\delta G_{JJ}(M_0) \chi_s(M) M} \Big|_{\tau=1/(2T)}$$



## Summary and Outlook

- It has been shown how heavy quark transport of heavy quarks contributes to the Euclidean meson correlators
- Transport contribution to the Euclidean correlator is related to time derivatives of the real time correlators at  $t=0$  and therefore is insensitive to transport coefficients
- Recently large azimuthal anisotropies in the charm meson distribution were observed at RHIC and interpreted as evidence for heavy quark thermalization; this requires  $DT < 1$   
If  $DT < 1$  the Euclidean correlators may become sensitive to the value of  $D$  and can confirm or rule out the scenarios of heavy quark thermalization
- **Future :**  
analyze correlators at finite spatial momentum  $\Rightarrow$  further constraints on  $D$   
study the vector correlator in the light quark sector  $\Rightarrow$  electric conductivity