

# subMIT and Lattice QFT

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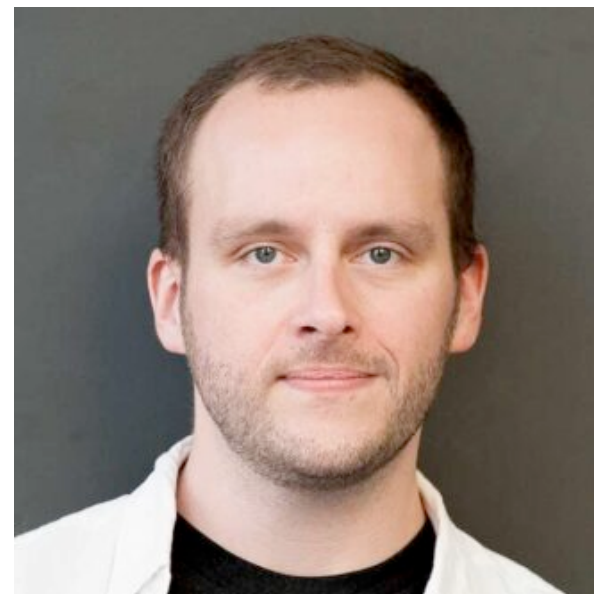
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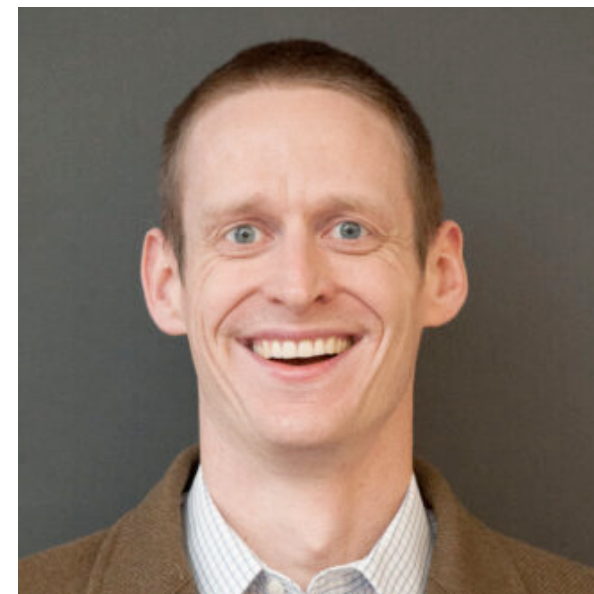
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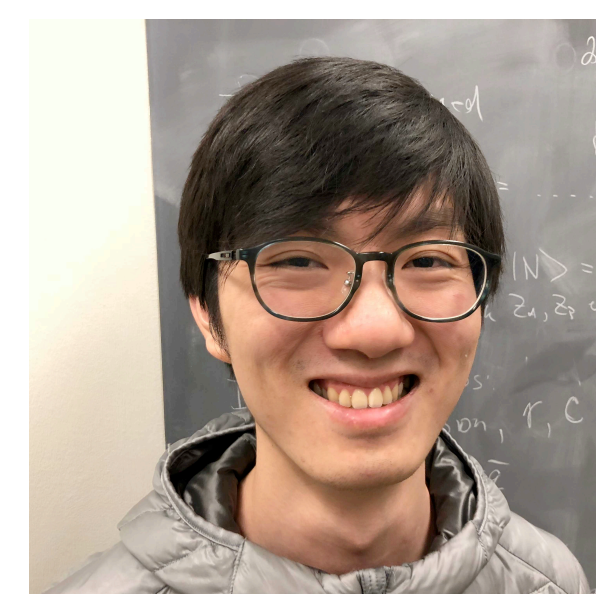
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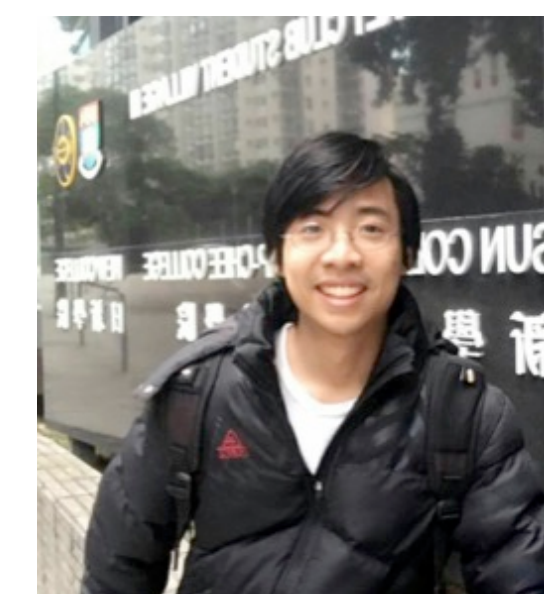
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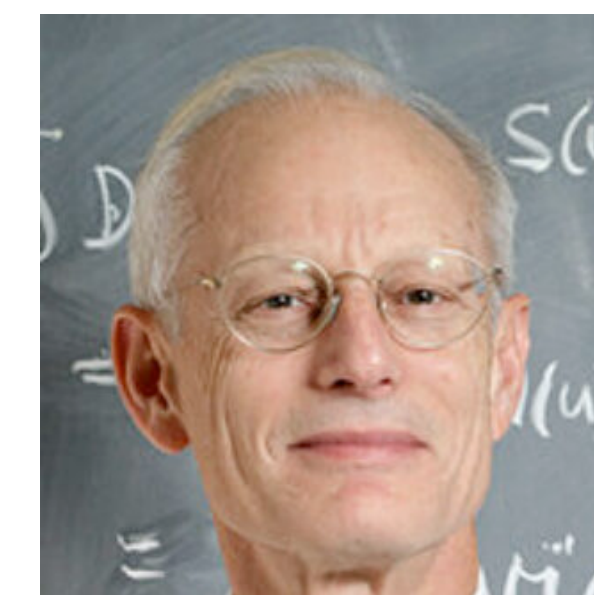
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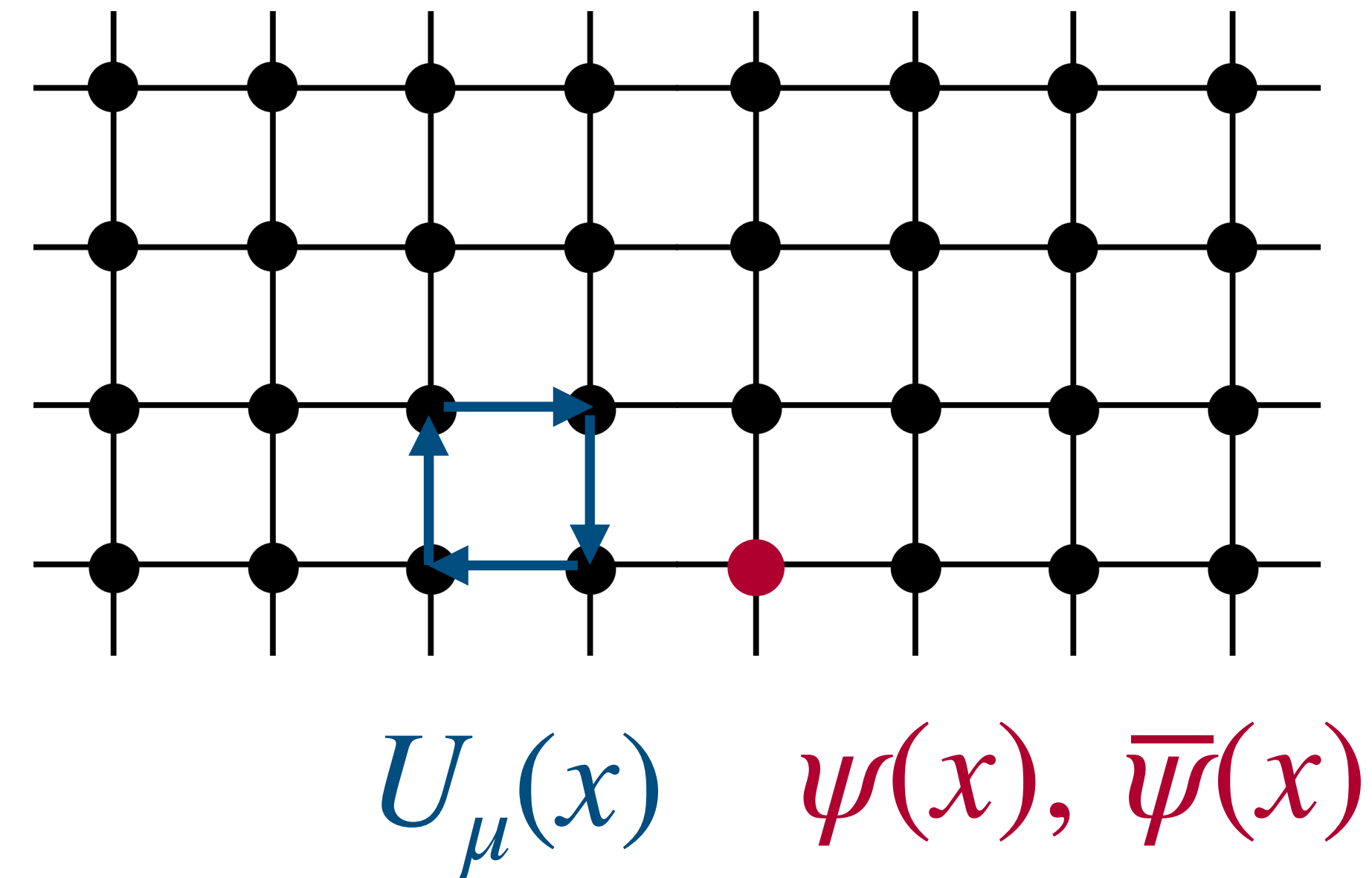


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# How to compute with LQFT

$$\langle O \rangle = \int \prod_n dU_n d\psi_n d\bar{\psi}_n \frac{e^{-S[U_n, \bar{\psi}_n, \psi_n]}}{Z} O[U_n, \psi_n, \bar{\psi}_n]$$

$$\langle O \rangle = \int \underbrace{\prod_n dU_n}_{\text{measure}} \underbrace{\frac{\det(D)e^{-S_G[U]}}{Z}}_{\text{probability density}} \underbrace{\tilde{O}[U_n]}_{\text{observable}}$$



# LQFT Workflow

$$\langle O \rangle = \int \prod_n dU_n \frac{\det(D) e^{-S_G[U]}}{Z} \widetilde{O}[U_n] \approx (1/N) \sum_i^N \widetilde{O}[U_n^{(i)}]$$

[USQCD collaboration, arXiv:1904.09725]

- **Generate configurations**
  - Stochastically estimate determinant → solve Dirac equations many times
  - Output  $\sim 10^3$  to  $10^4$  configurations each with size of  $\sim$ GB
- **Compute correlators  $\widetilde{O}[U_n^{(i)}]$  on each configuration**
  - Solve Dirac equations many times, matrix multiplications, ...
  - Output a large number of files with negligible sizes
- **Analyze correlators to extract physical observables**
  - chi-squared minimization with bootstrap/jackknife, ...

# Software and hardware in LQFT

- [USQCD](#) software stack (C, C++, CUDA, ...) for configuration generation and measurements with openMP and MPI



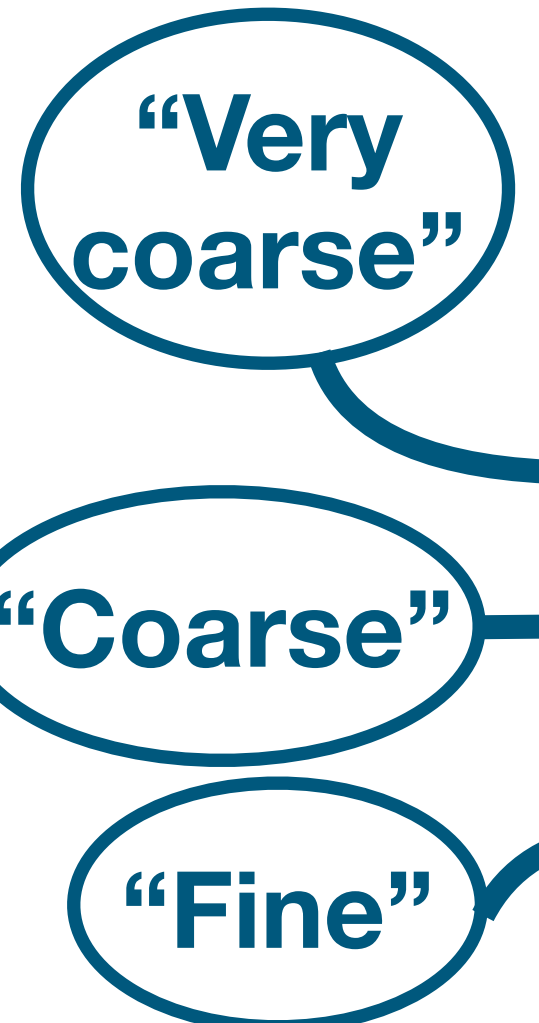
US Lattice Quantum Chromodynamics

- [Grid](#) (C++) and [openQCD](#) (C) are also used in production
- More flexibility for analyses — Python, Julia, C, R ...
- Local LQCD cluster (GPU's only, ~20 nodes)
- USQCD collaboration allocates computing resources yearly on various machines across national labs through a proposal process (~million CPU-core-hours, ~100K GPU-hours per project per year)
- More computationally intensive computations are done on national supercomputers

# Generating gauge configurations on subMIT

- Most computationally intensive step of most lattice calculations
- Multi-node jobs with strongly coupled nodes needed for production (solve  $Ax = b$ )
- Need MPI and openMP with CPU's, but preferably GPU's ([Grid](#), [QUDA](#))
- Only feasible for simple models, testings, or finite temperature on subMIT
- Community resources available → need large storage space (~TB's) that can be shared among all users (globus transfer?)

## Example ensembles with physical quark masses



Lattice spacing	Lattice Dimension	Config Available	Config size	Total size
~0.15fm	$32^3 \times 48$	~10 <sup>4</sup>	433 MB	~5 TB
~0.12fm	$48^3 \times 64$	920	6.8 GB	~6 TB
~0.06fm	$96^3 \times 192$	1449	46 GB	~67 TB

<https://github.com/milc-qcd/sharing/wiki/LatticeSharing>

# Correlator measurements on subMIT

- High throughput — measurements on each configuration can take place independently
- Still need multi-node jobs with strong couplings for large lattices (solve  $Ax = b$ )
- Need MPI and openMP with CPU's, but preferably GPU's ([Grid](#), [QUDA](#))
- Small lattices (“very coarse” and “coarse”) might be feasible on subMIT with single-node jobs with GPU's

# Correlator analyses on subMIT

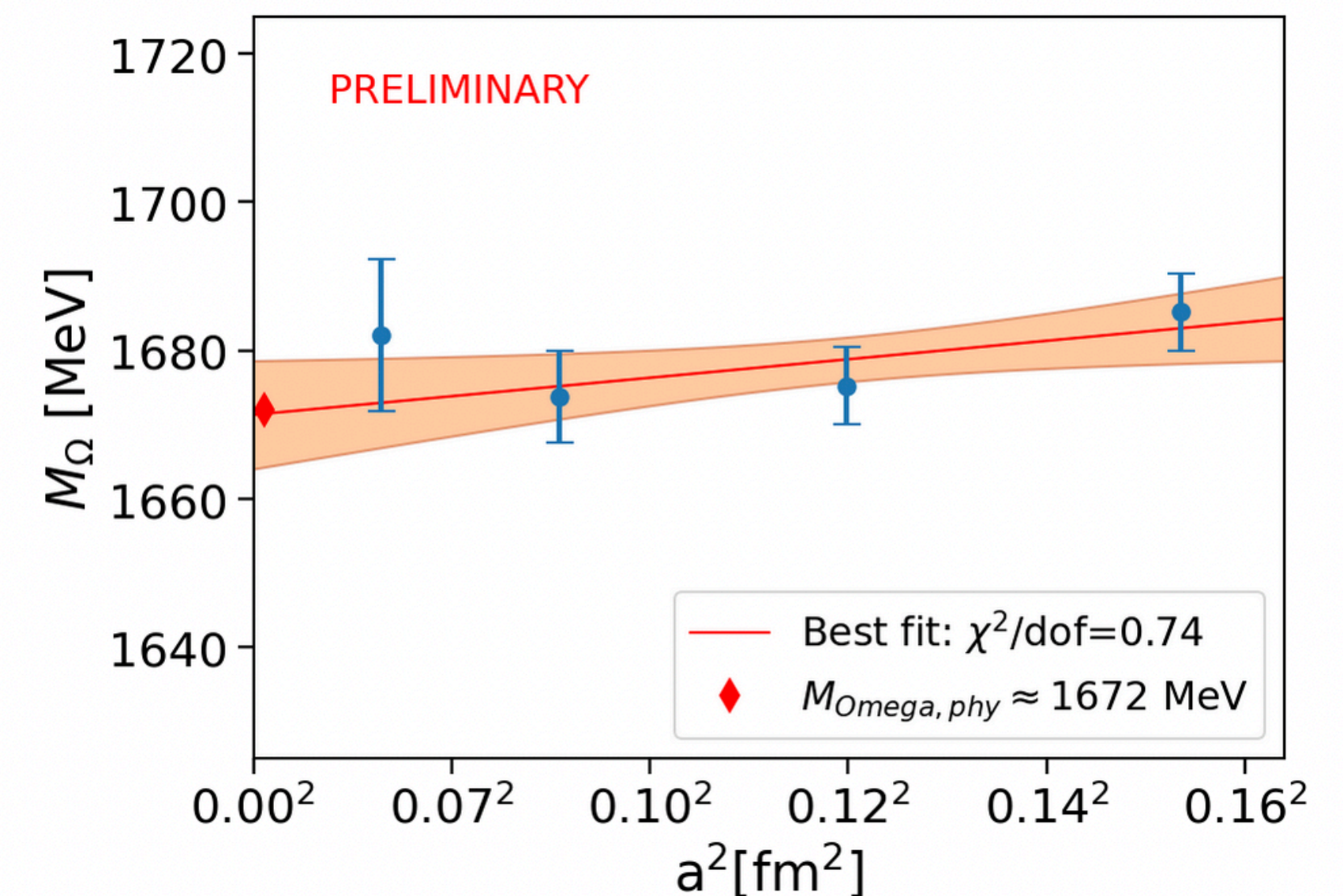
- Most are done in Python with NumPy, SciPy, and other more specialized packages
- Perform fits (optimization) on CPU's with SciPy or the GNU Scientific Library
- Interactive — use of Jupyter notebook is common
- Suitable use case for subMIT after correlators are measured in other resources

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Least Square Fit:
  chi2/dof [dof] = 0.37 [4]    Q = 0.83    logGBF = 6.9814

Parameters:
      0   1.6713 (73)    [ 1.670 (50) ]
      1    0.29 (26)    [   1 (100) ]
      2   0.03 (1.00)   [  0.0 (1.0) ]

Settings:
  svdcut/n = 1e-12/0    tol = (1e-08*,1e-10,1e-10)    (itns/time = 4/0.1)
  fitter = scipy_least_squares    method = trf

chi2dof = 0.7374082683586785
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# First impressions of subMIT for LQFT

- Have only used it for performing analyses (~5 GB correlator data) with JupyterHub
  - Easy to use web interface with complete file access
  - Would be nice to have more flexibility in deciding the parameters of the server (type of nodes, number of cores, wall time, exclusive access, ...)
  - Globus endpoint to transfer data?
- Limited to one-node jobs for generating configurations and measurements due to weak couplings
  - Suitable for preliminary testings before deploying to other resources
- More CPU nodes will be valuable (LQCD clusters have only GPU nodes)
- Database servers and containers (presentation by Denis Boyda)