SRG operator evolution

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Abstract

Brief description of project.

I. INTRODUCTION

Results on SRG-evolved operators from several NN potentials:
– How operators evolve from band- and block-diagonal SRG transformations.
– Operator evolution for different potentials (regulators, chiral order, etc.)

II. BUILDING SRG UNITARY TRANSFORMATIONS

Brief description of how to make $U(s)$.

Diagonalize initial and evolved Hamiltonians which we will call $H(0)$ and $H(s)$, respectively. This gives $\psi_\alpha(0)$ and $\psi_\alpha(s)$ for each eigenvalue indexed by α. Then the SRG unitary transformation can be computed by taking a sum over outer products of the evolved and initial wave functions:

$$U(s) = \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N} |\psi_\alpha(s)\rangle \langle\psi_\alpha(0)| \,, \tag{1}$$

where N is the dimension of the Hamiltonian matrix. Here the weights are factored into the wave functions, thus $U(s)$ is unitless.

To evolve operators, we simply apply $U(s)$:

$$O(s) = U(s)O(0)U^\dagger(s), \tag{2}$$

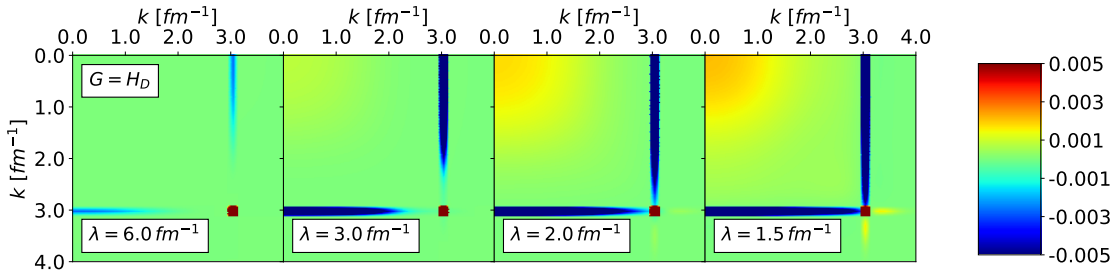
where $O(0)$ is the bare operator.

III. OPERATOR EVOLUTION

Organize this according to the figures: what story do the figures tell? Format should be description of the calculation, followed by the figure, followed by takeaways.

Add the following figures: momentum projection operator figures with accompanying momentum distributions for SRG transformations from N^{3}LO non-local potential [1], N^{3}LO

or N^{4}LO semi-local potentials [2], and N^{2}LO local potentials [3].



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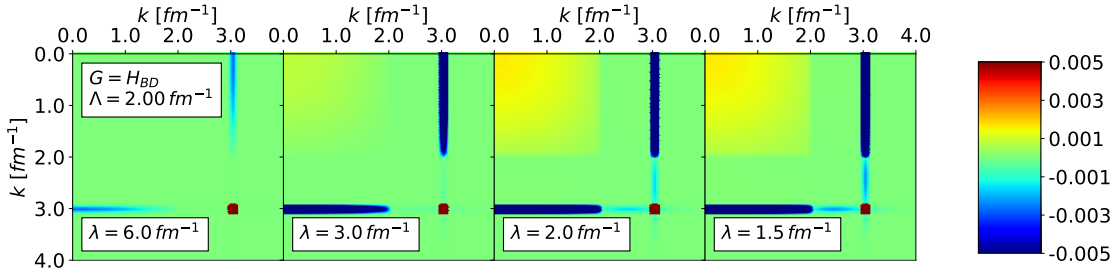

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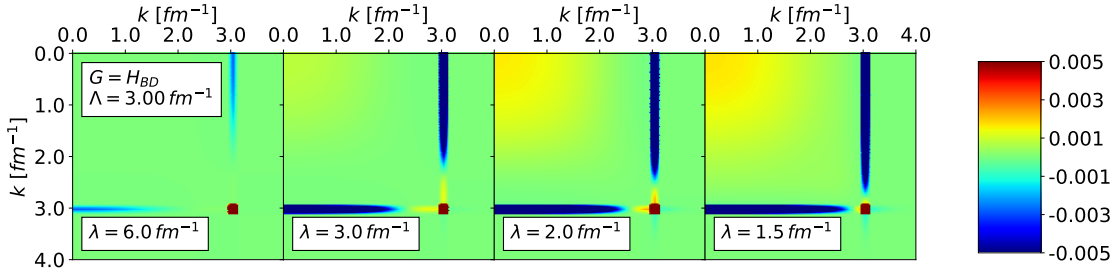

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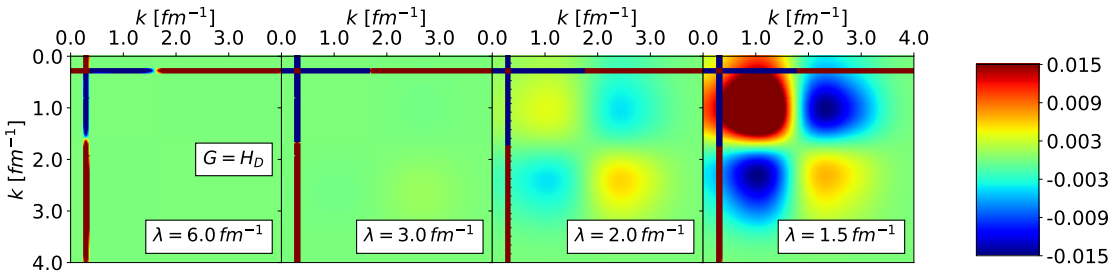
FIG. 1: Matrix elements of $\langle k|a_q^\dagger a_q|k'\rangle$ SRG-evolving in λ right to left under transformations from the Entem-Machleidt N^{3}LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at $\Lambda = 2$ and 3 fm^{-1} (b and c). Here $q = 3$ fm^{-1}.



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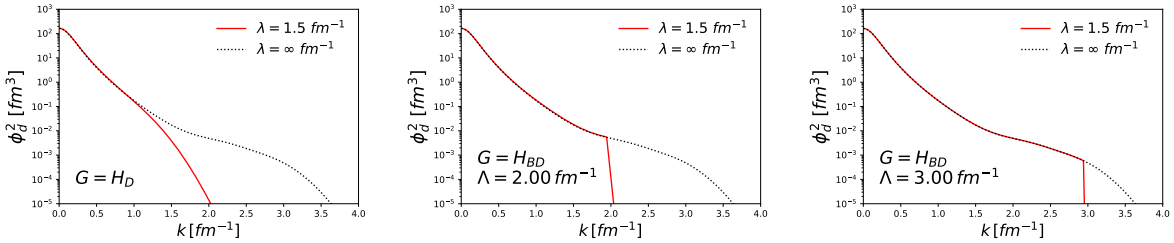

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FIG. 3: Momentum probability densities of the deuteron SRG-evolving the wave function to $\lambda = 1.5$ fm^{-1} from the Entem-Machleidt N^{3}LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at $\Lambda = 2$ and 3 fm^{-1} (b and c). The black dotted line corresponds to the momentum probability density of the initial deuteron wave function.

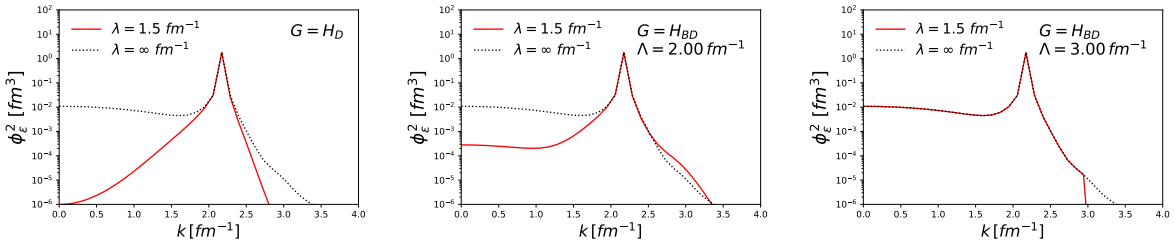

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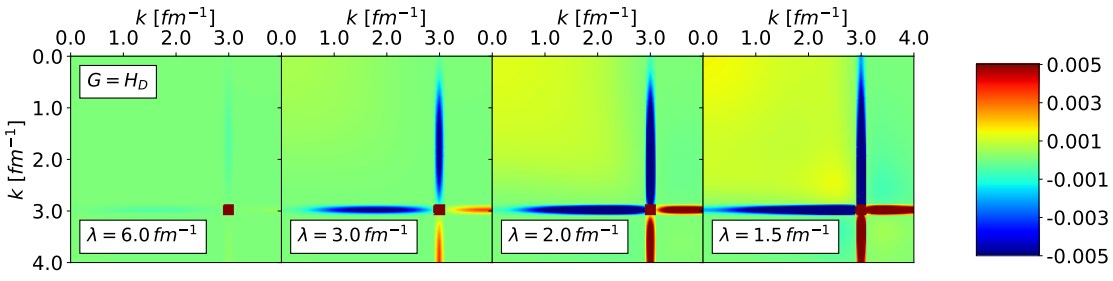
FIG. 4: Momentum probability densities of the continuum state at $\epsilon \approx 200$ MeV SRG-evolving the wave function to $\lambda = 1.5$ fm^{-1} from the Entem-Machleidt N^{3}LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at $\Lambda = 2$ and 3 fm^{-1} (b and c). The black dotted line corresponds to the initial momentum probability density.



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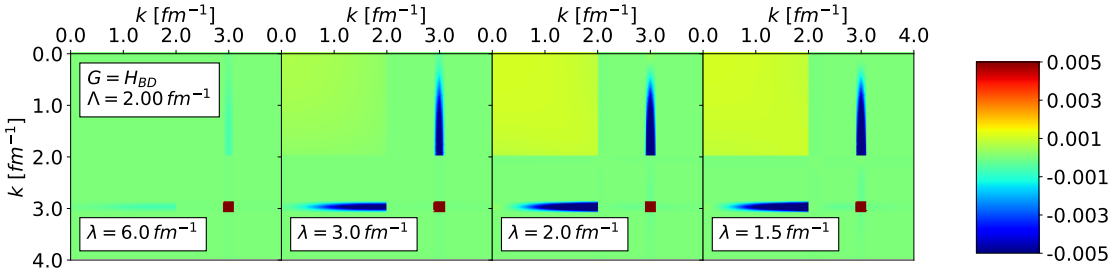

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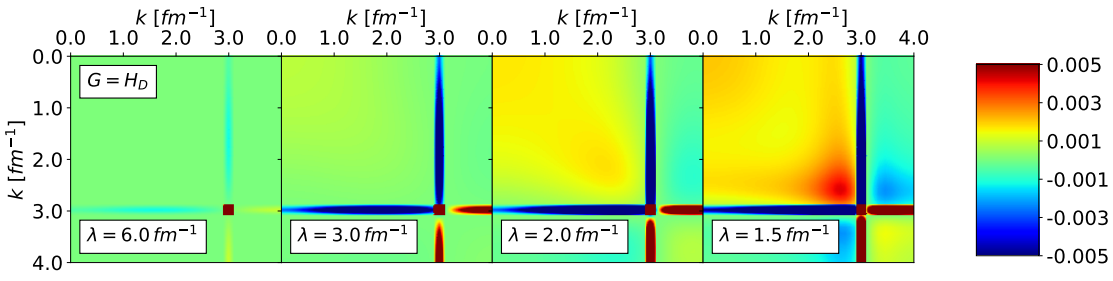

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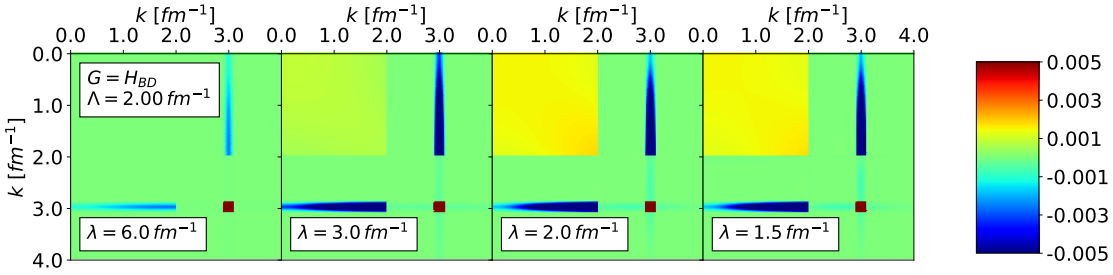

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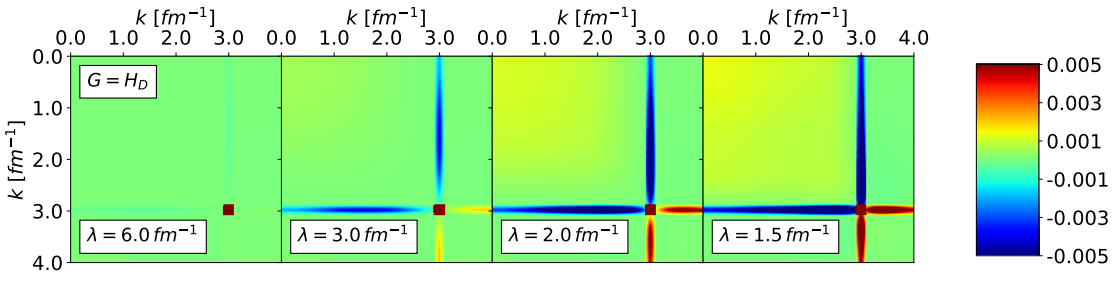

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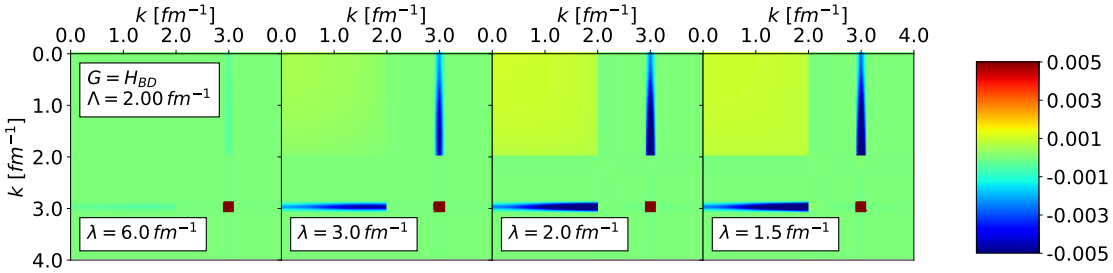

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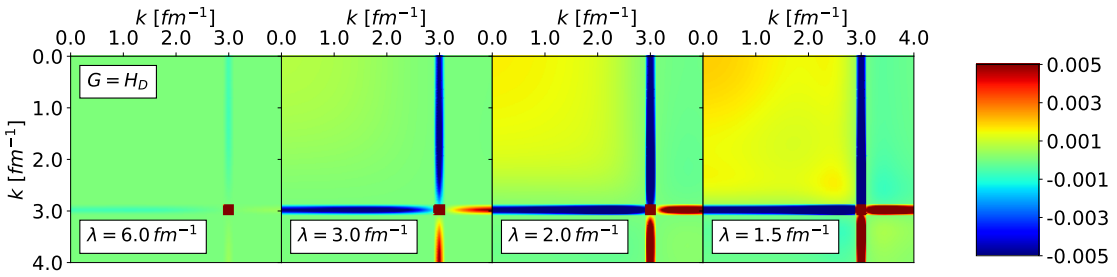

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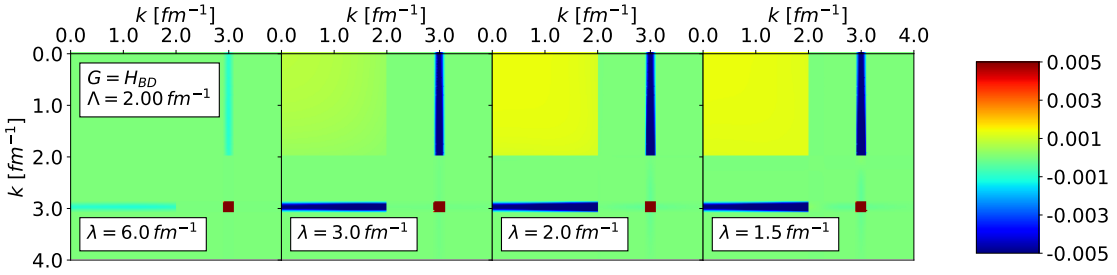

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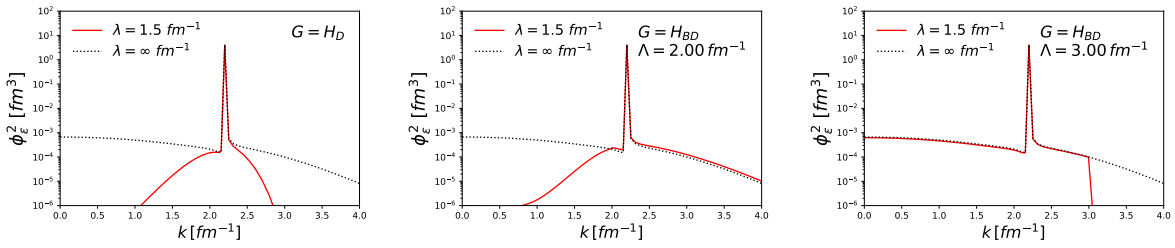

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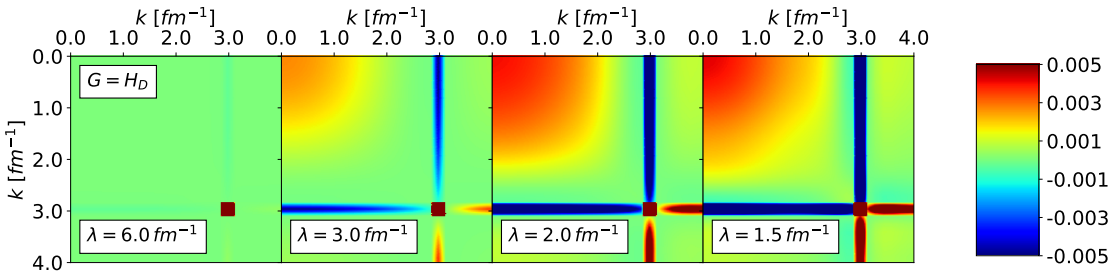

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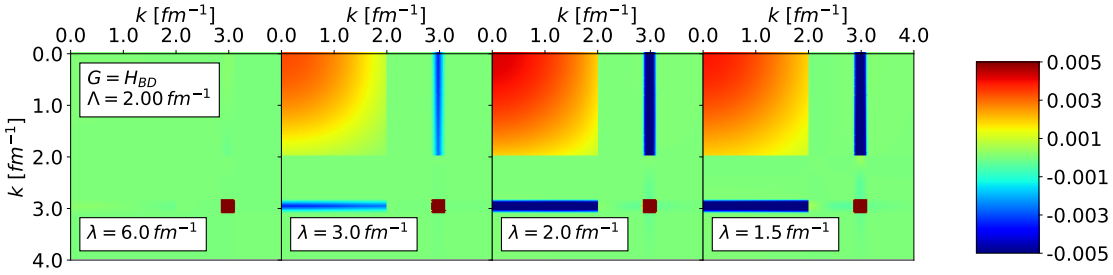

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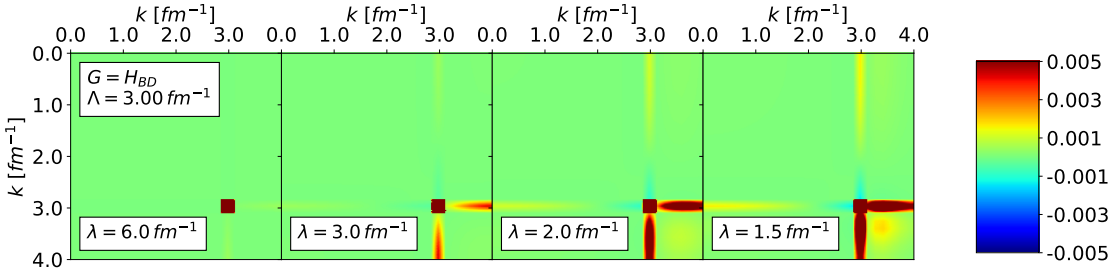

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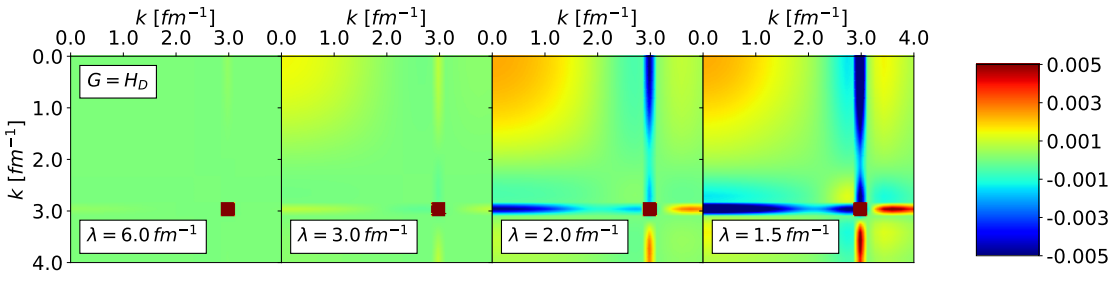

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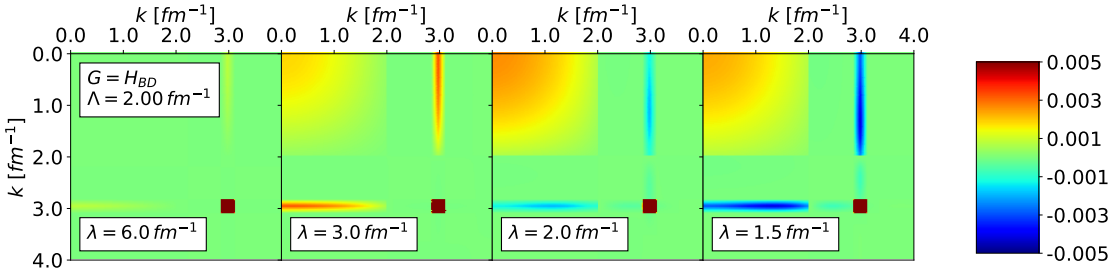

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