# SRG operator evolution

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# Abstract

Brief description of project.

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#### 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. MATHEMATICAL/COMPUTATIONAL DETAILS

#### A. 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  $\alpha$ . Then the SRG unitary transformation can be computed by taking a sum over outer products of the evolved and initial wave functions:

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

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.



C. Momentum distribution function: 
$$\phi^2$$

#### III. RESULTS

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### A. Entem-Machleidt N<sup>3</sup>LO non-local potential

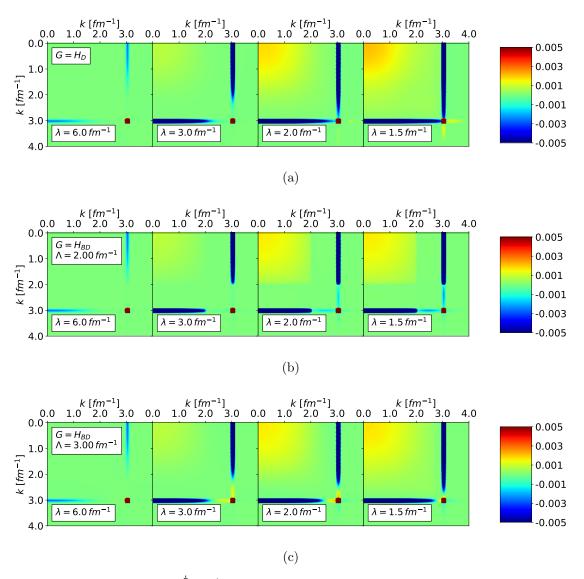


FIG. 1: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^{\dagger}a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the Entem-Machleidt N<sup>3</sup>LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at  $\Lambda=2$  and 3 fm<sup>-1</sup>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

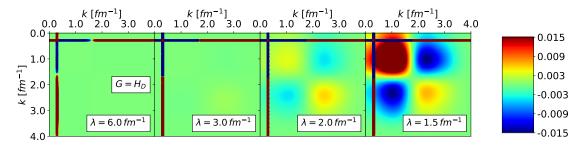


FIG. 2: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^{\dagger}a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the Entem-Machleidt N<sup>3</sup>LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator. Here q=0.3 fm<sup>-1</sup>.

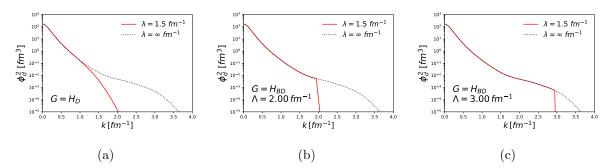


FIG. 3: Momentum probability densities of the deuteron SRG-evolving the wave function to  $\lambda=1.5$  fm<sup>-1</sup> from the Entem-Machleidt N<sup>3</sup>LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at  $\Lambda=2$  and 3 fm<sup>-1</sup> (b and c).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

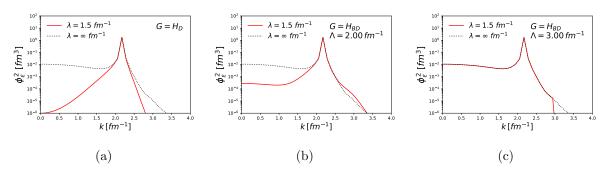


FIG. 4: Momentum probability densities of the continuum state at  $\epsilon \approx 200$  MeV SRG-evolving the wave function to  $\lambda = 1.5$  fm<sup>-1</sup> from the Entem-Machleidt N<sup>3</sup>LO non-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at  $\Lambda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

# B. RKE $N^3LO$ and $N^4LO$ semi-local potentials

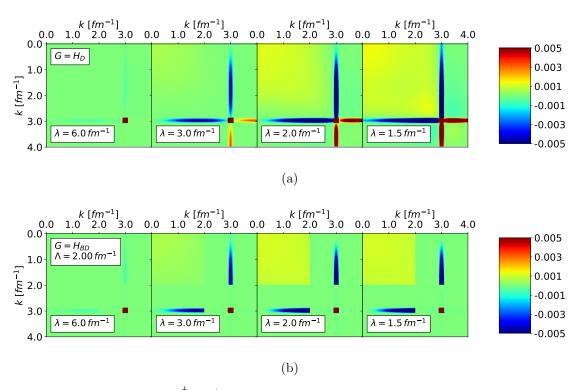


FIG. 5: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^\dagger a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the RKE N<sup>3</sup>LO semi-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generator decoupling at  $\Lambda=2~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  (b). Here  $q=3~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  and the EFT cutoff is 450 MeV.

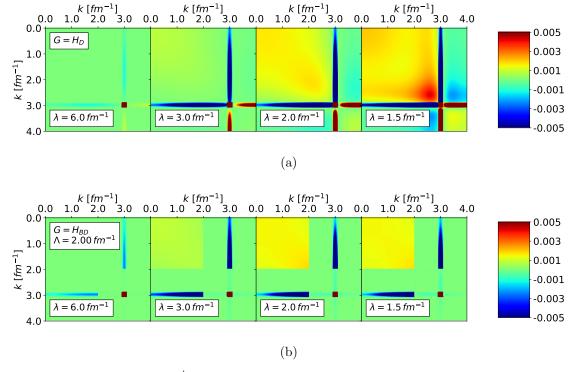


FIG. 6: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^\dagger a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the RKE N<sup>3</sup>LO semi-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generator decoupling at  $\Lambda=2~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  (b). Here  $q=3~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  and the EFT cutoff is 500 MeV.

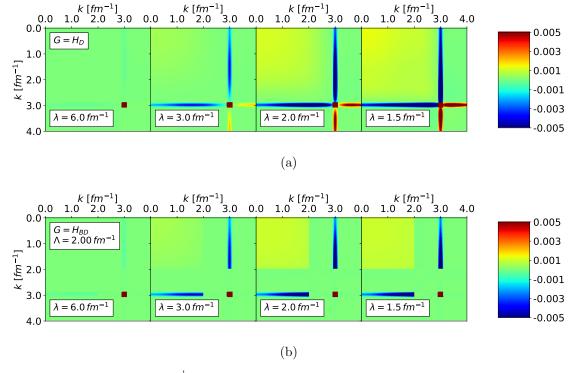


FIG. 7: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^\dagger a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the RKE N<sup>4</sup>LO semi-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generator decoupling at  $\Lambda=2~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  (b). Here  $q=3~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  and the EFT cutoff is 450 MeV.

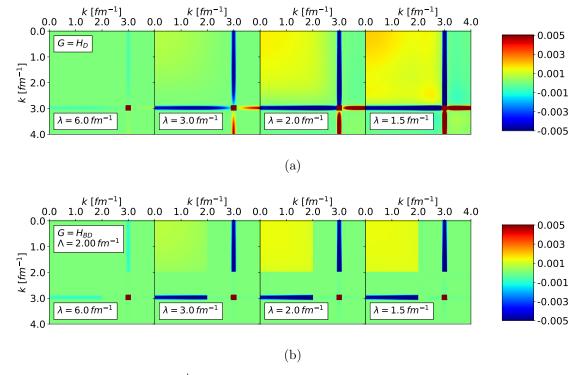


FIG. 8: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^{\dagger}a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the RKE N<sup>4</sup>LO semi-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generator decoupling at  $\Lambda=2~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  (b). Here  $q=3~{\rm fm^{-1}}$  and the EFT cutoff is 500 MeV.

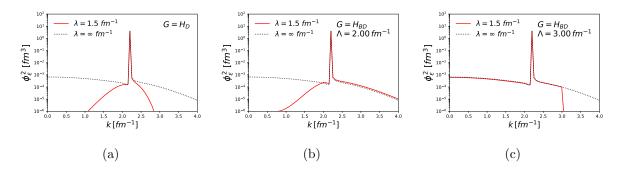


FIG. 9: Momentum probability densities of the continuum state at  $\epsilon \approx 200$  MeV SRG-evolving the wave function to  $\lambda = 1.5$  fm<sup>-1</sup> from the RKE N<sup>4</sup>LO semi-local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at  $\Lambda = 2$  and 3 fm<sup>-1</sup> (b and c). The black dotted line corresponds to the initial momentum probability density. Here the EFT cutoff is 450 MeV.

## C. Gezerlis N<sup>2</sup>LO local potentials

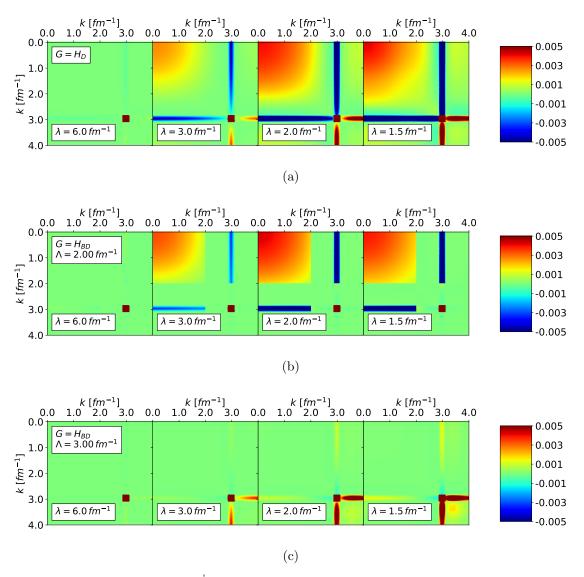


FIG. 10: Matrix elements of  $\langle k|a_q^{\dagger}a_q|k'\rangle$  SRG-evolving in  $\lambda$  right to left under transformations from the Gezerlis et al. N<sup>2</sup>LO local potential with the Wegner generator (a) and block-diagonal generators decoupling at  $\Lambda=2$  and 3 fm<sup>-1</sup> (b and c). Here q=3 fm<sup>-1</sup> and the EFT cutoff is 1 fm.

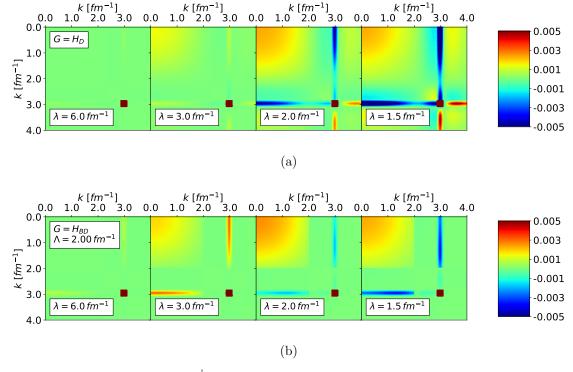


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