

# Simulating Physics Beyond the Standard Model

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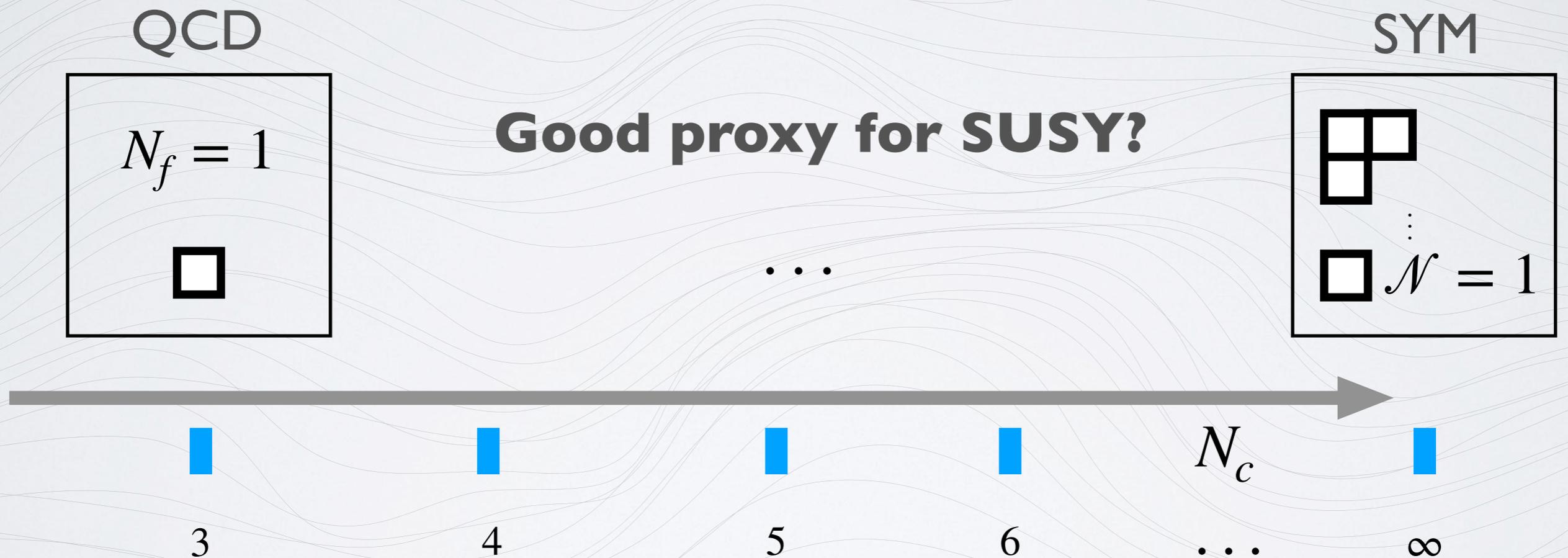
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  - Study spectrum and compare to EFT

$$\frac{M_{PS}}{M_S} = 1 - \frac{22}{9N_C} - \frac{4}{9}\beta + \mathcal{O}(1/N_C^2)$$

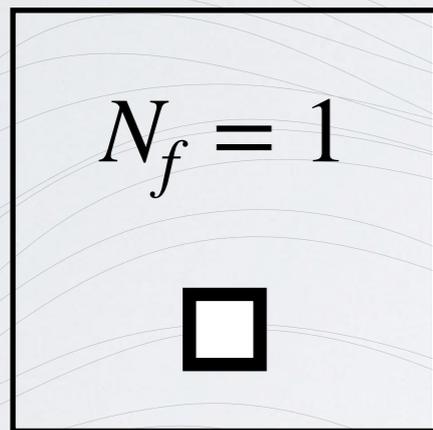
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- @ Lattice: Compute masses and check the ratio

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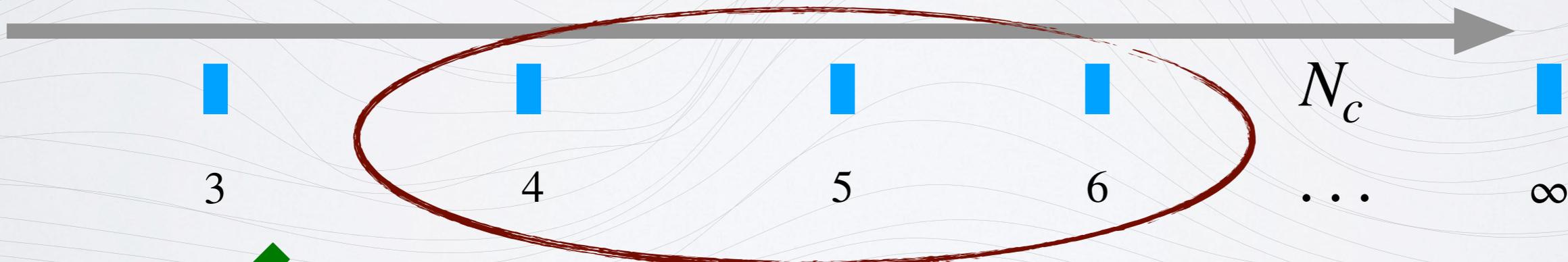
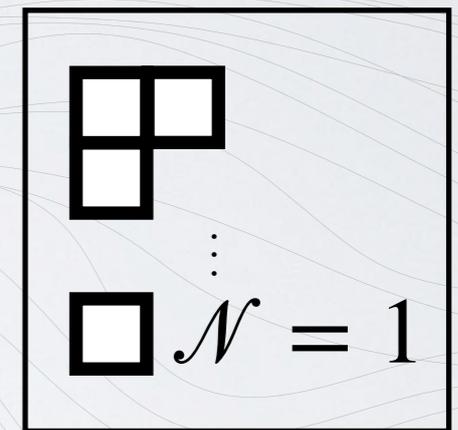
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**Good proxy for SUSY?**

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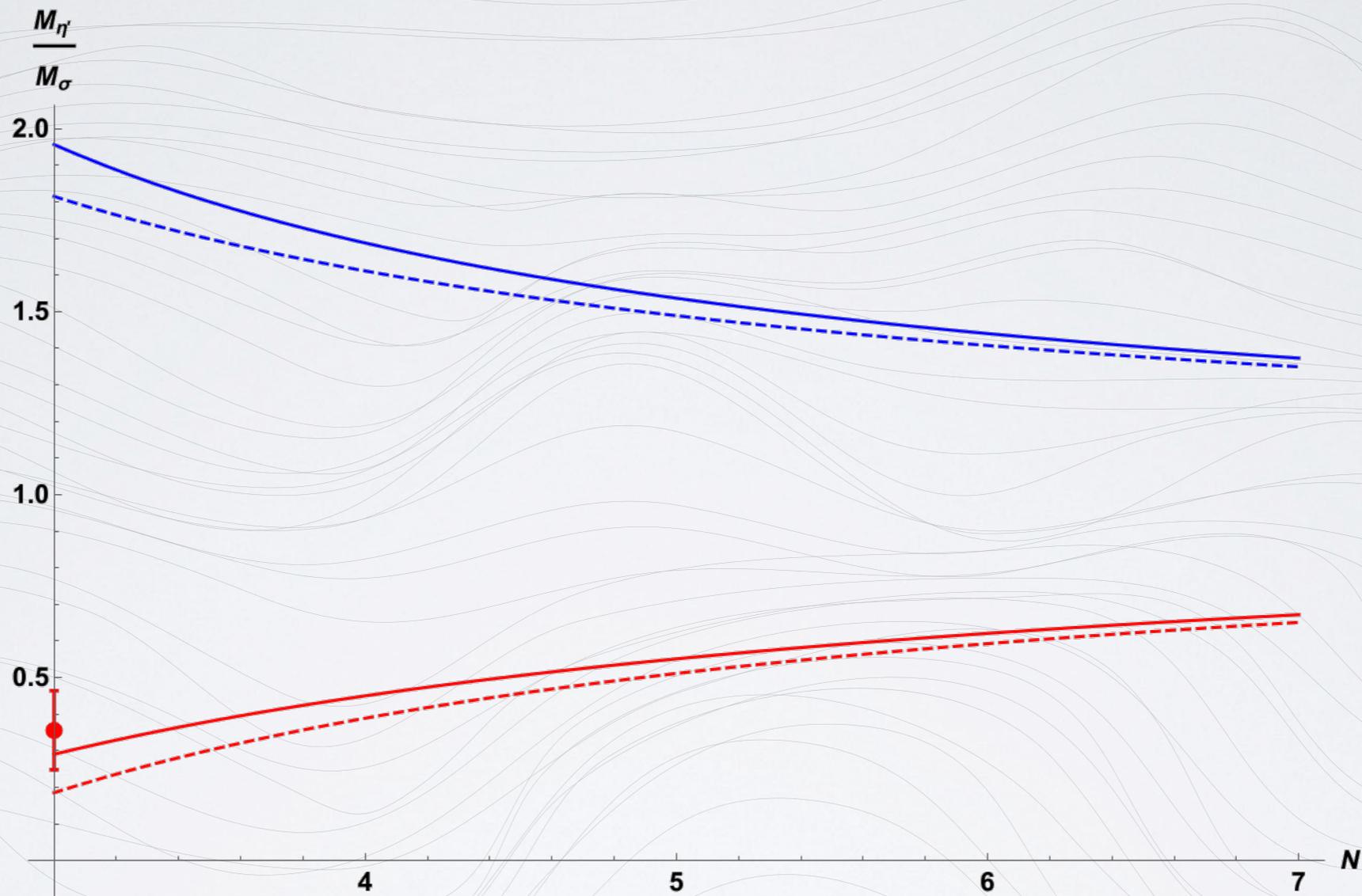
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# Comparison of EFT and Lattice



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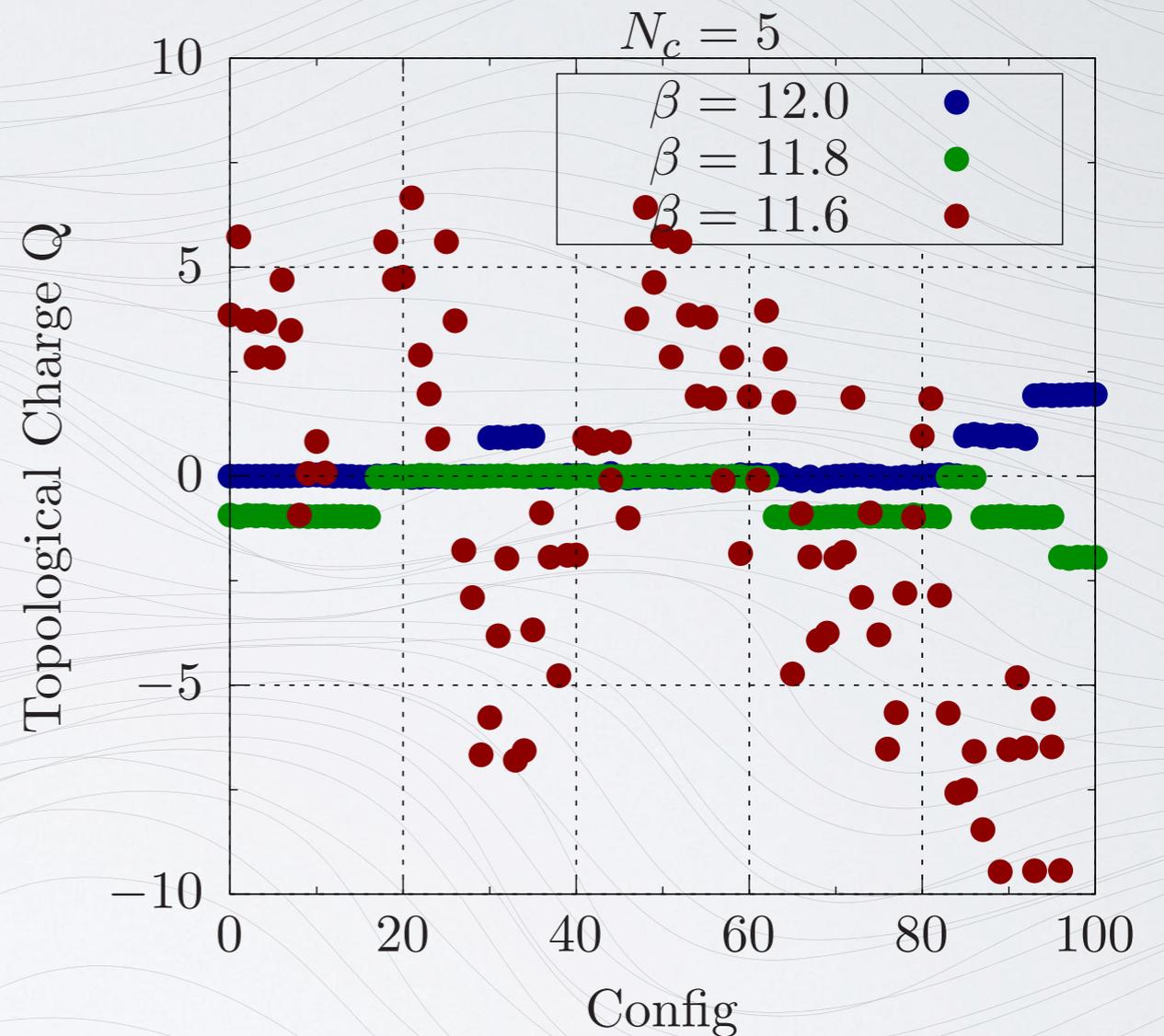
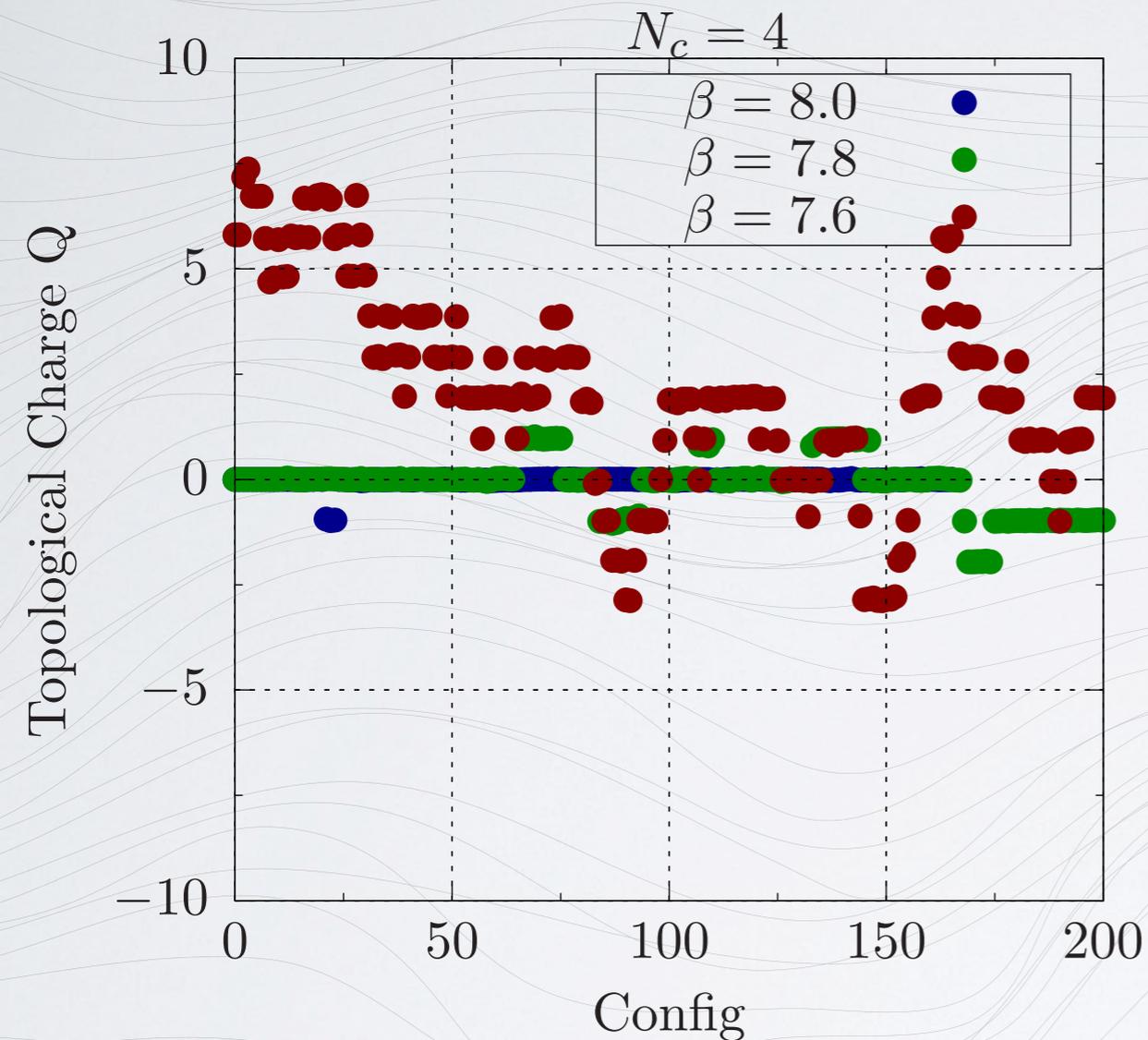
- Lattice with  $2\sigma$

- Suggested expansion: 
$$\frac{M_{PS}}{M_S} = \frac{1 - 2/N_C}{1 + \frac{4}{9N_C}}$$

# Going to larger $N_C$

- Our setup ( $N_C = 3$ )
  - Gauge: Symanzik improved gauge action ( $\beta = 4.5$ )
  - Fermion:  $\mathcal{O}(a)$  improved Wilson fermions ( $c_{sw} = 1$ )
  - $a \sim 0.06$  fm
- For  $N_C > 3$ 
  - Keep bare 't Hooft coupling fixed, i.e.  $g_0^2 N_C = \text{const.}$
  - Naive couplings:
    - $N_C = 4 \rightarrow \beta = 8$
    - $N_C = 5 \rightarrow \beta = 12.5$
    - $N_C = 6 \rightarrow \beta = 18$

# Going to larger $N_C$



- Topological charge is **frozen** for naive choice of coupling
- Need to go to coarser lattices
- NB: Matching condition:  $t^2 \langle E \rangle = 0.3 \cdot 3/8 \cdot (N_C - 1/N_C)$

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  - Aim for  $a \sim 0.1$  fm
- **Runs:**
  - Code: **HiRep** on LUMI-G (Thanks to Sofie!!)
  - 6 Masses and volumes ( $m_\pi L > 4$ )
  - Going from  $N_C = 3$  to  $N_C = 4$  scales roughly by factor 3
  - Larger  $N_C$  slower and slower

# Current Status

$L/a$	$am_\pi$	$N_C = 4$	$N_C = 5$	$N_C = 6$
12	0.40	4120	2112	516
14	0.35	2552	1152	184
16	0.30	2148	680	124
18	0.28	1284	344	88
20	0.25	876	256	120
24	0.20	1100	256	84

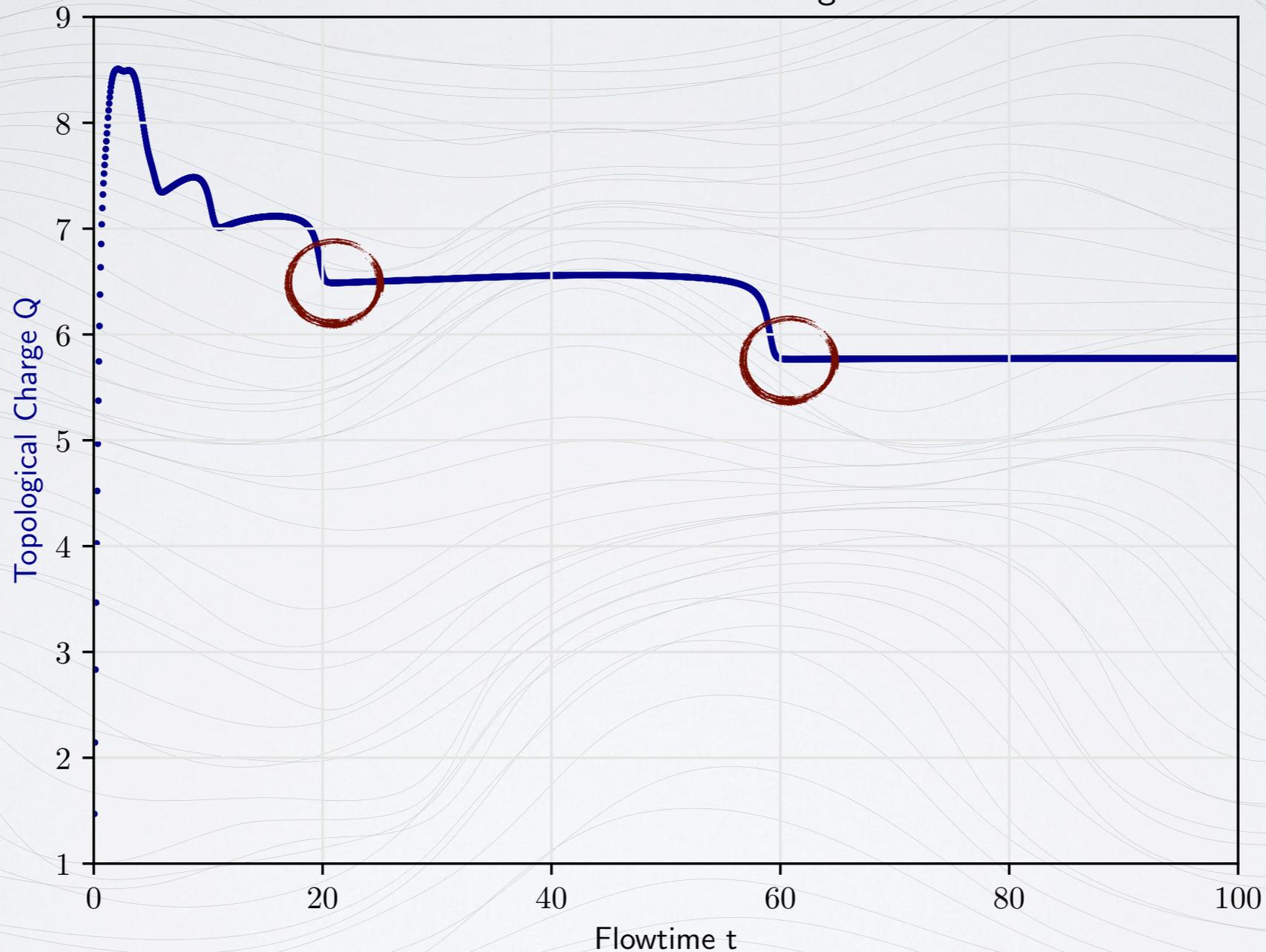
- Current number of trajectories ( $\tau = 2$ )
- Saving every 4th trajectory
- Typically 200 trajectories needed for thermalisation

# While we wait ...

- **Interesting side project**
  - Non-integer topological charge for two-index sym.
  - Studied for  $N_C = 3$  by Fodor et.al in JHEP 08 (2009) 084
  - Relevant for SUSY to obtain a non-zero gluino condensate
  - Fractional charges observed for coarse lattices only
- **Expand to larger  $N_C$** 
  - Just measure the topological charge for large  $N_C$  ensembles
  - Check if fractional charges appear
  - Flow long enough to have a smooth configuration
- **Generated 5 ensembles (physical vol. and pion matched)**

# Wilson flow

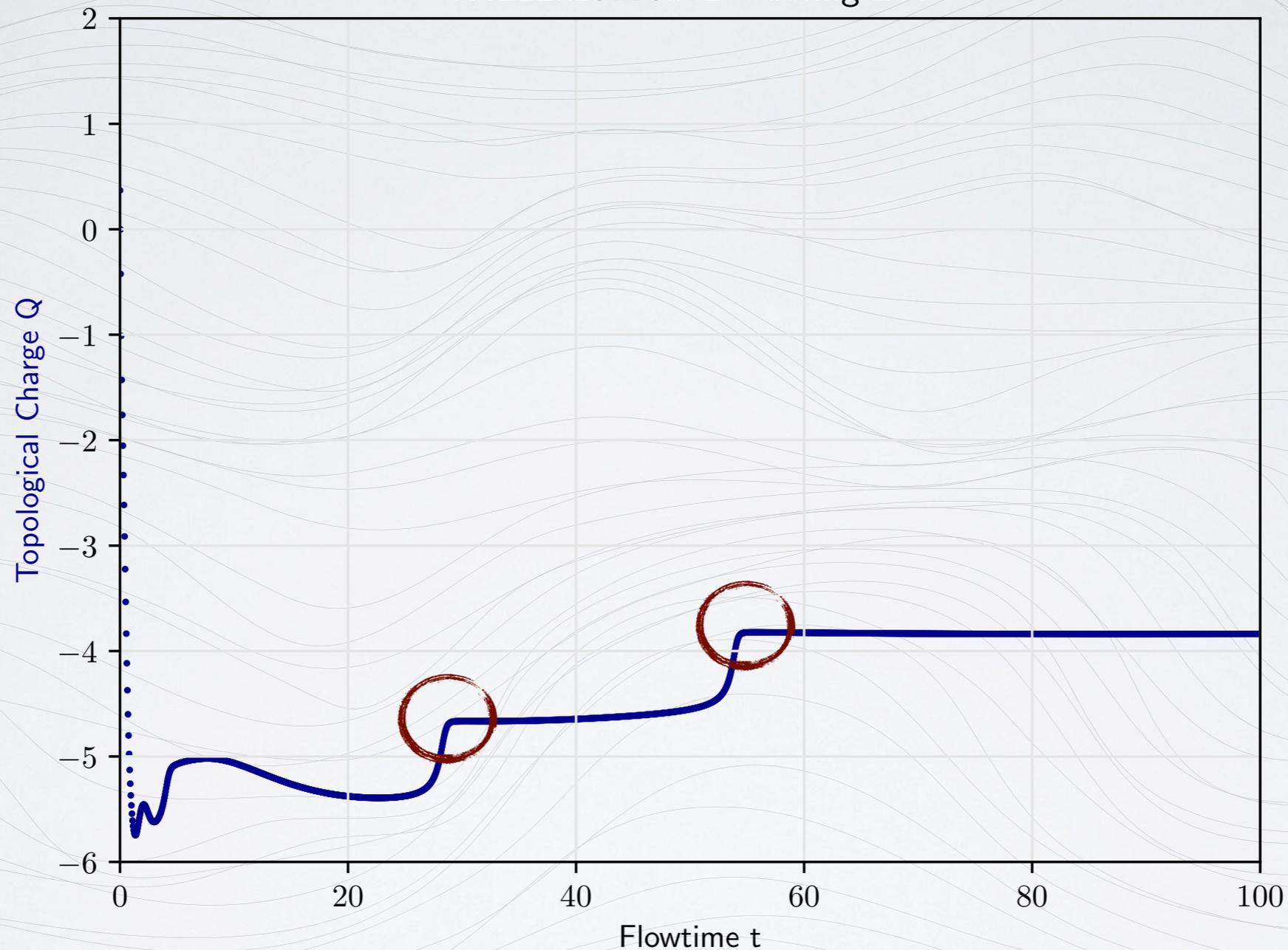
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- What is happening to the topological charge?
- For reference:  $t_0/a^2 = 0.9$

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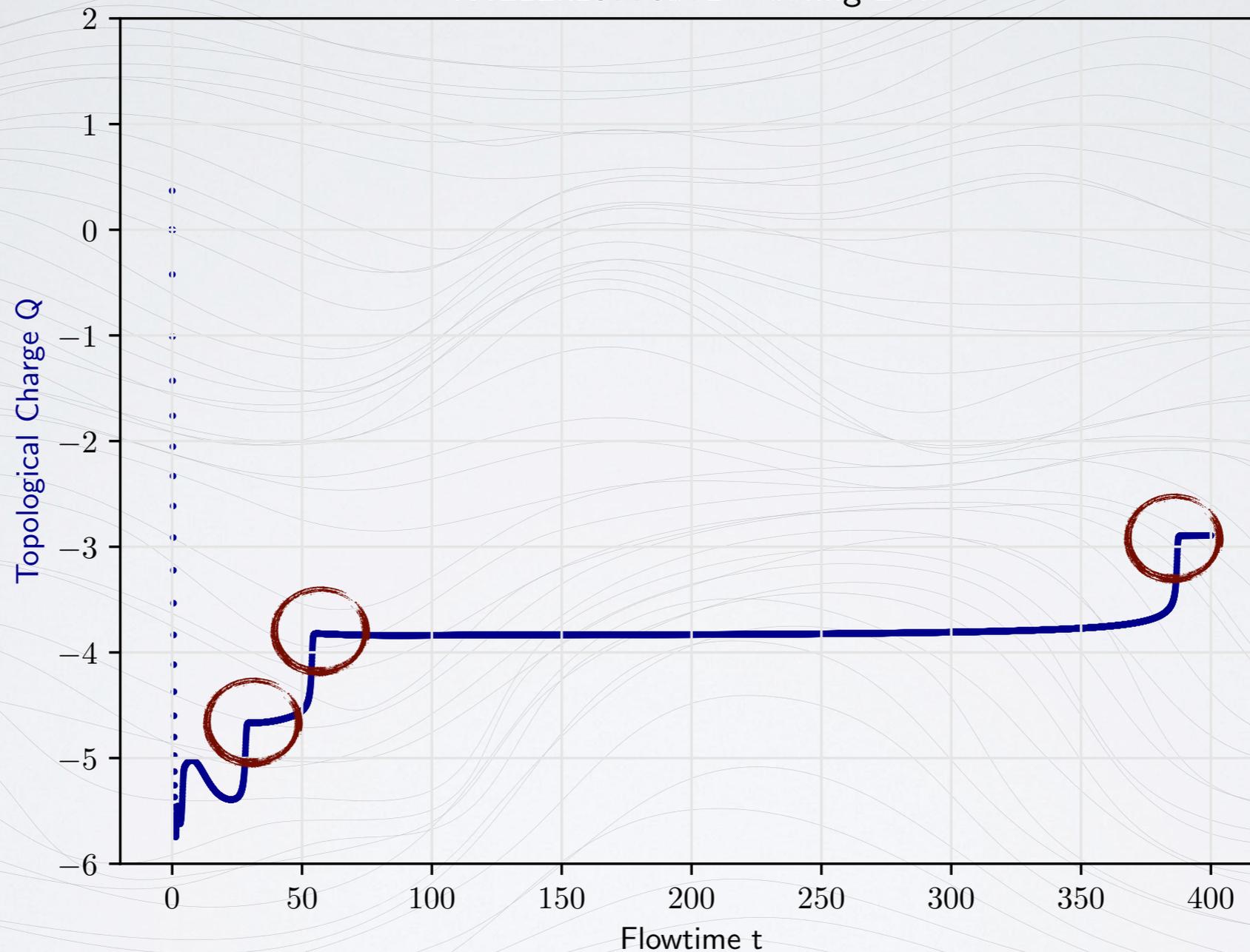
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- Jumps appear even at very large flow times ( $> 400 t_0/a^2$ )

# Smoothness

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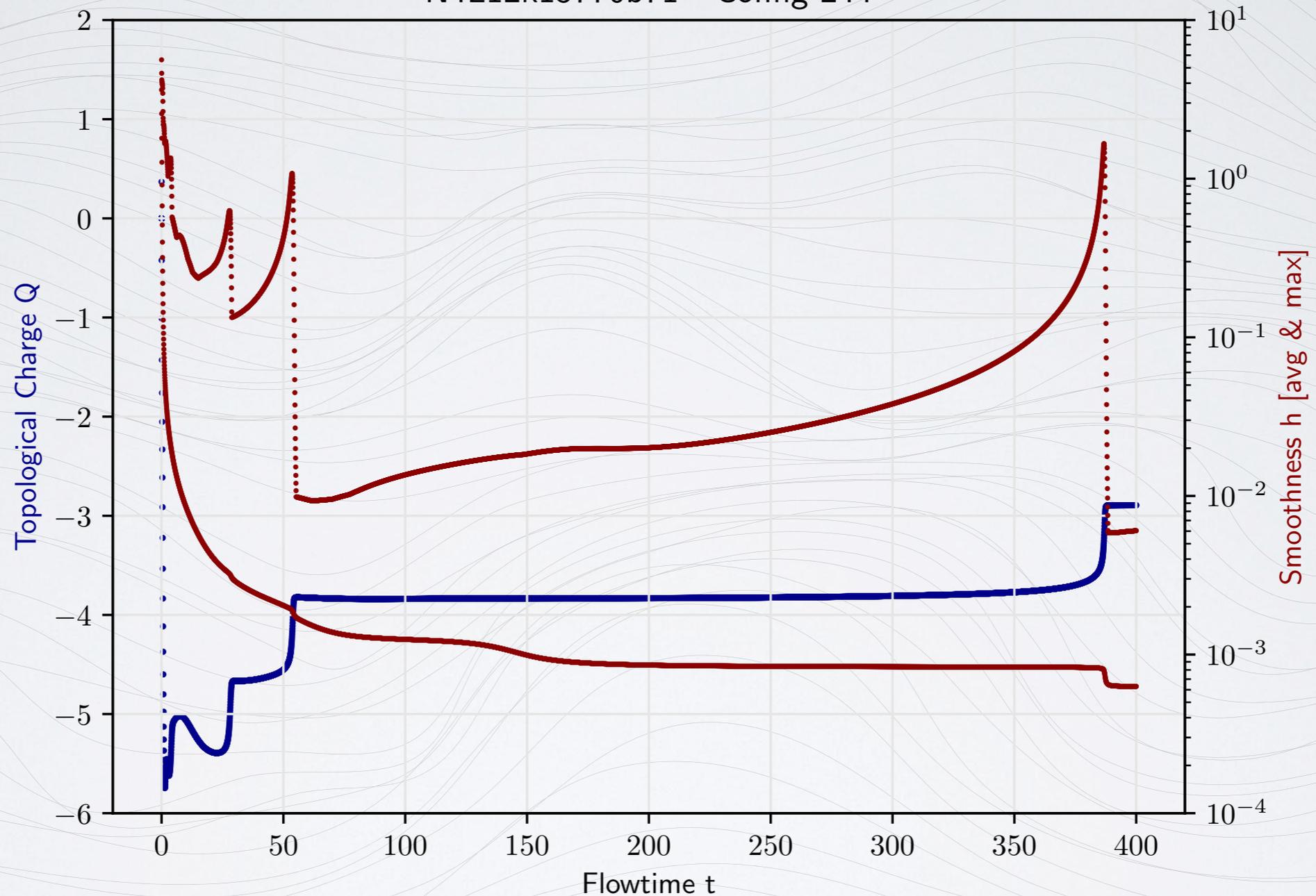
$$h = \max \{ \text{Re Tr} (1 - P_{\mu\nu}) \}$$

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- Empirical threshold of  $h < 0.067$  for  $SU(3)$
- After threshold topological charge is not supposed to change
- Aim: Find similar threshold for  $SU(N_C)$
- **Average** of  $h$  is related to Energy density

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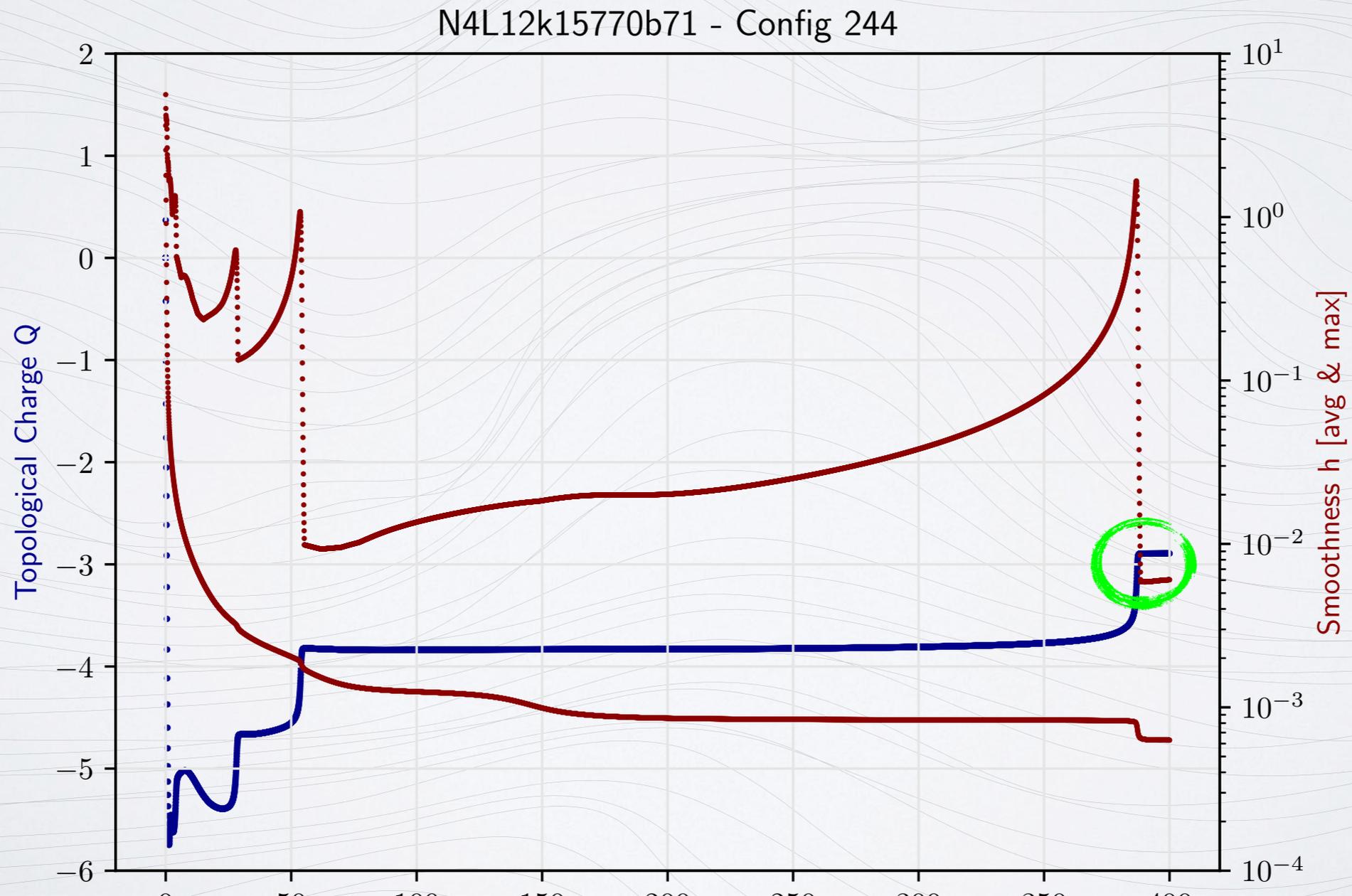
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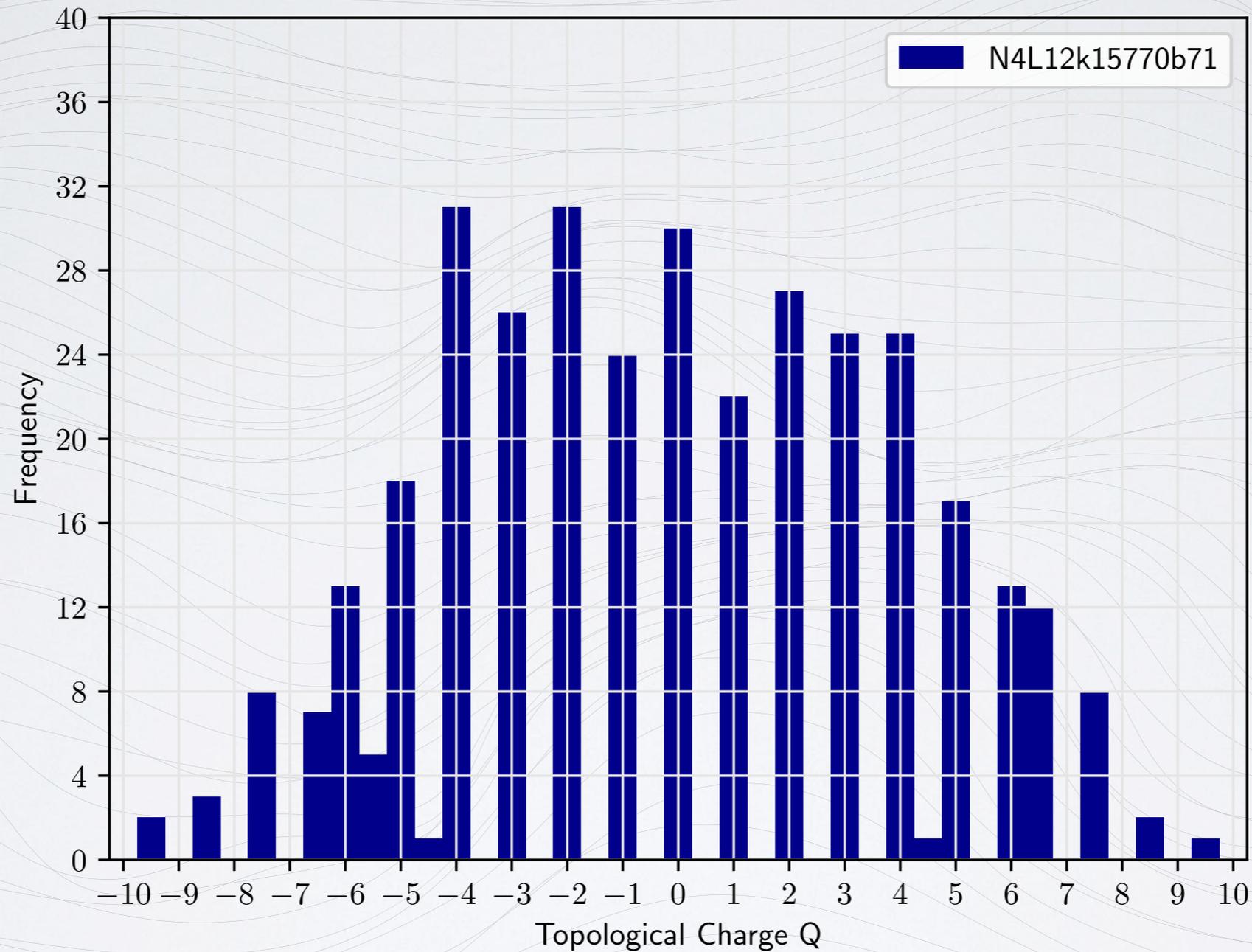
- Jumps of the smoothness coincide with topo. charge changes
- When to measure the topological charge?

# Wilson flow

- Strategy (Still under development!)
  - Measure topological charge when  $h$  is minimal
  - Ensure that flow time is large enough ( $> 50$ )

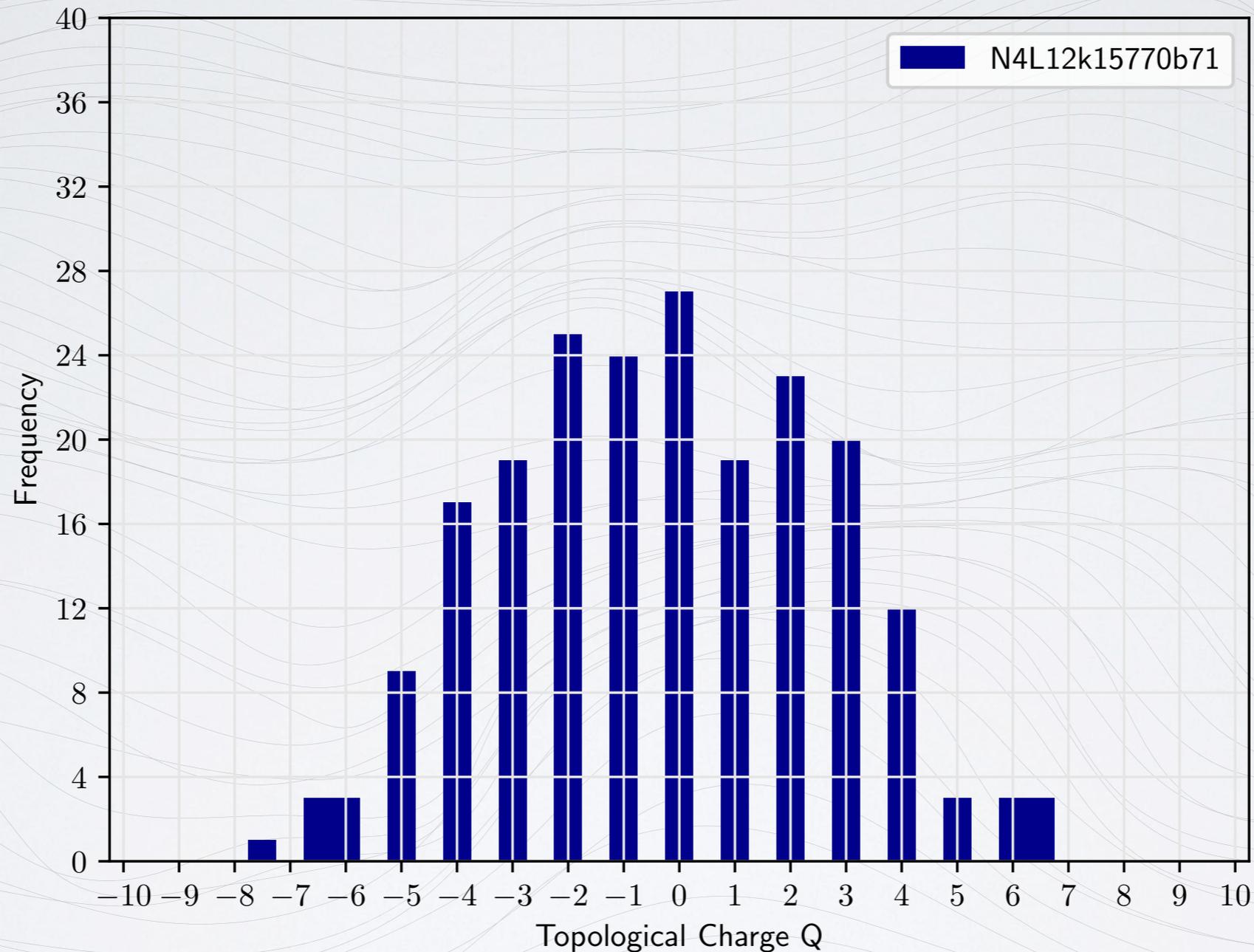


# Histograms



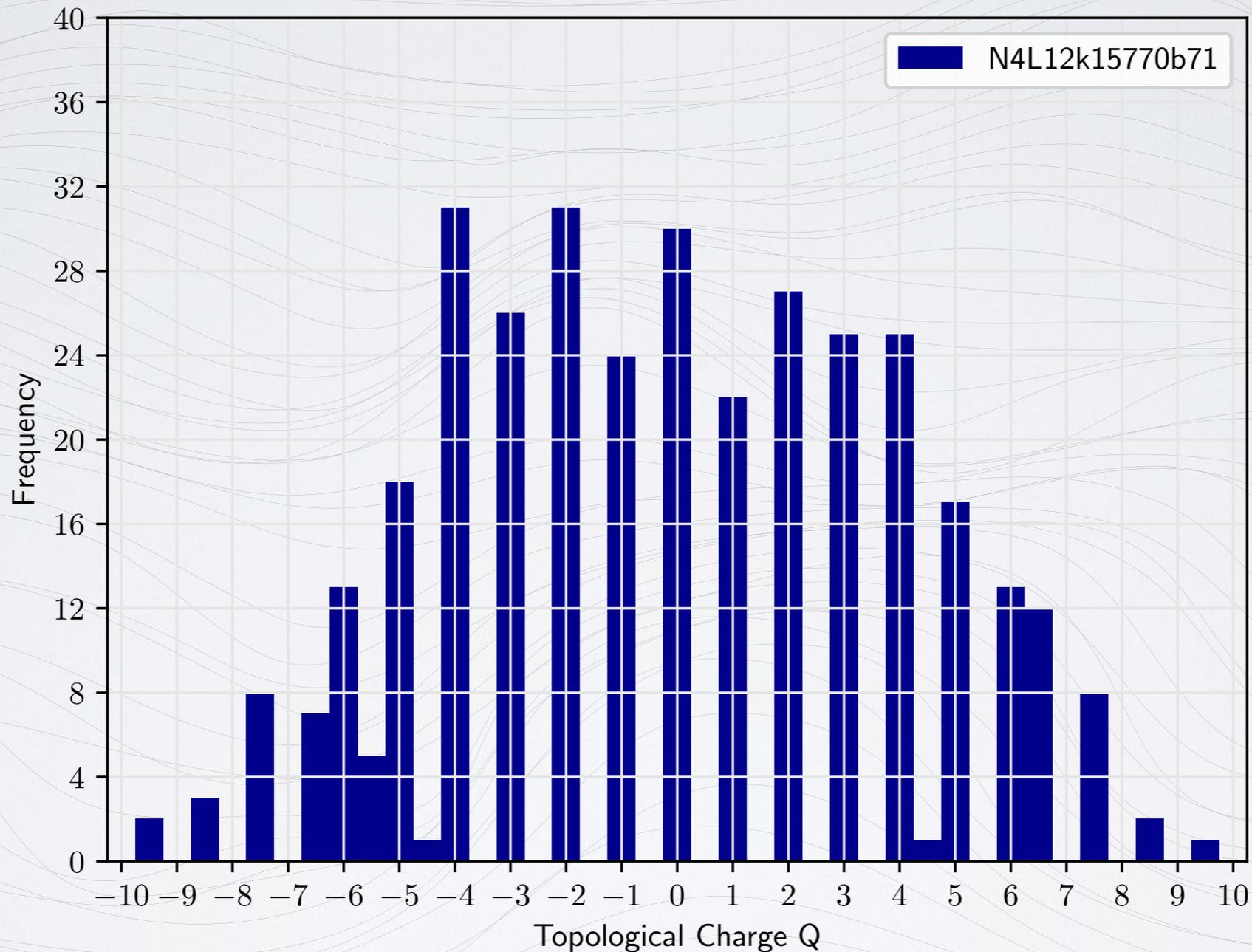
- Coarsest setup
- Fractional charges visible for large  $|Q|$

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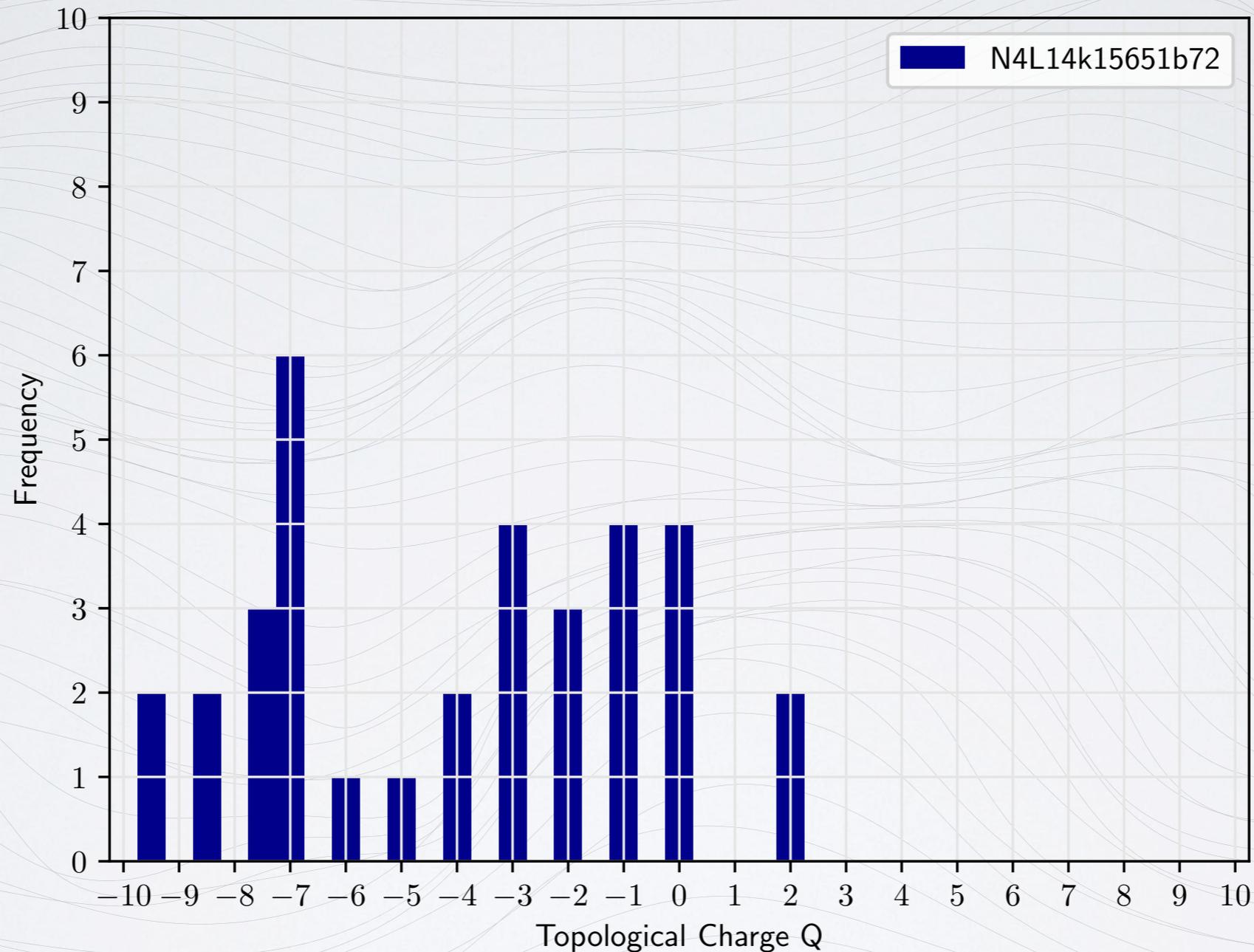
- Excluding all configs with  $h > 0.01$
- Few fractional charges still visible for large  $|Q|$

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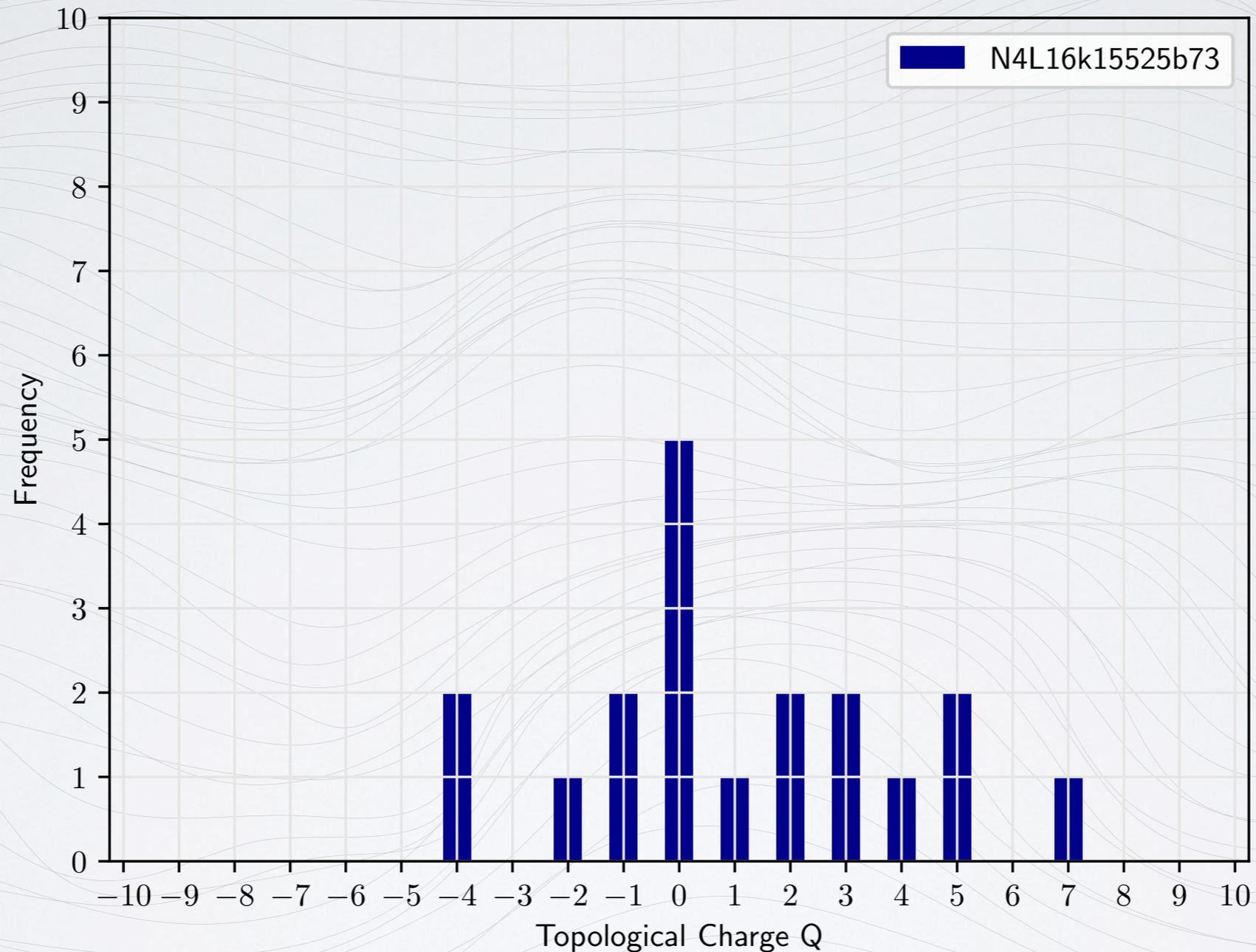
- Excluding all configs with  $h > 0.067$  (SU(3) value)
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# Histograms



- Finer setup
- Fractional charges visible for large  $|Q|$

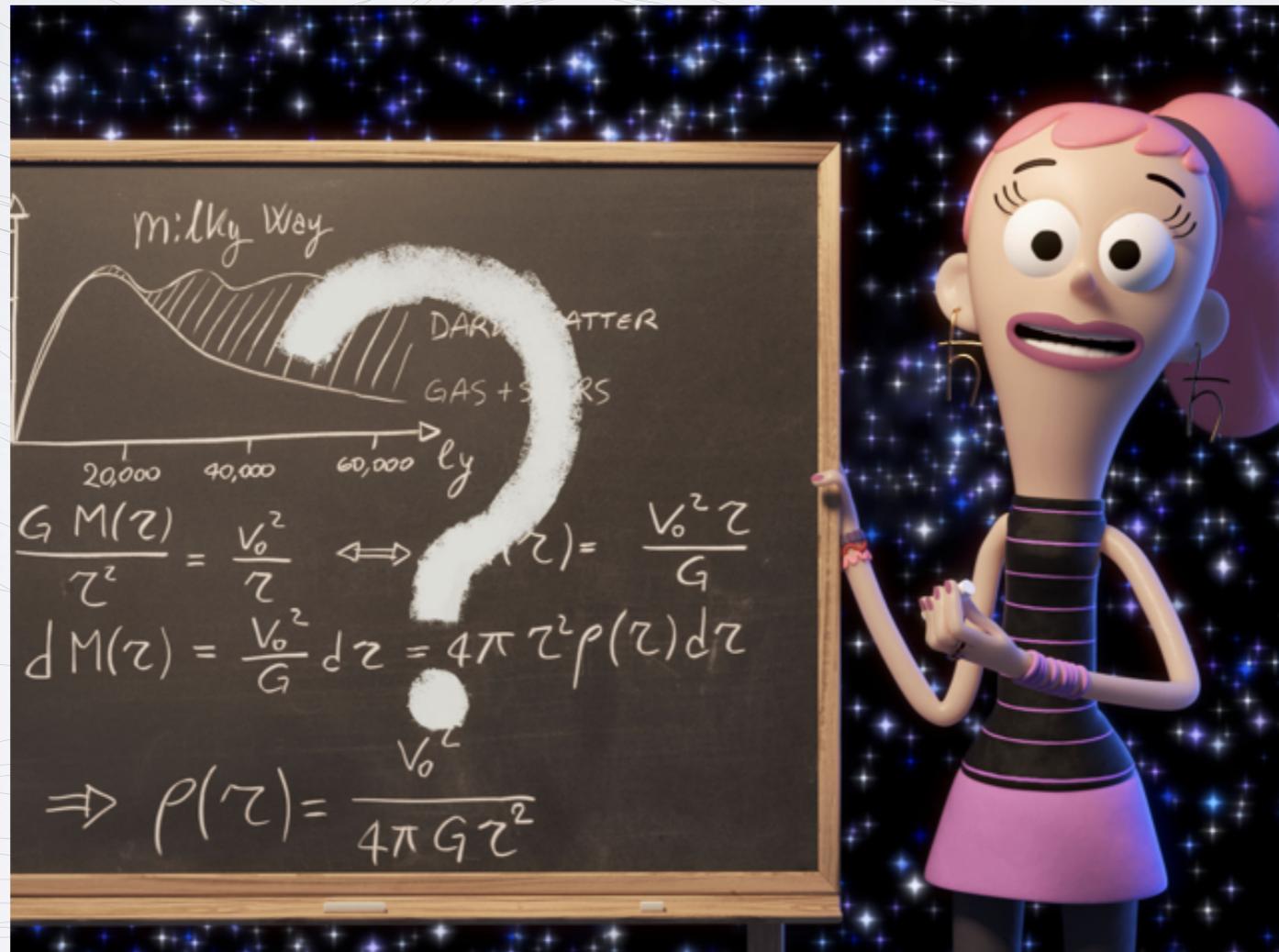
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- Even finer setup
- **No** fractional charges visible for large  $|Q|$

# Questions?

Thank you for your attention!



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