

Nuclear equation of state from nuclear experiments and neutron stars observations

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E_0	[MeV]	-16.50	-15.50
K_0	[MeV]	180.00	260.00
J	[MeV]	24.00	40.00
L	[MeV]	-20.00	120.00
G_0	[MeV fm ⁵]	90.00	170.00
G_1	[MeV fm ⁵]	-90.00	70.00
W_0	[MeV fm ⁵]	60.00	190.00
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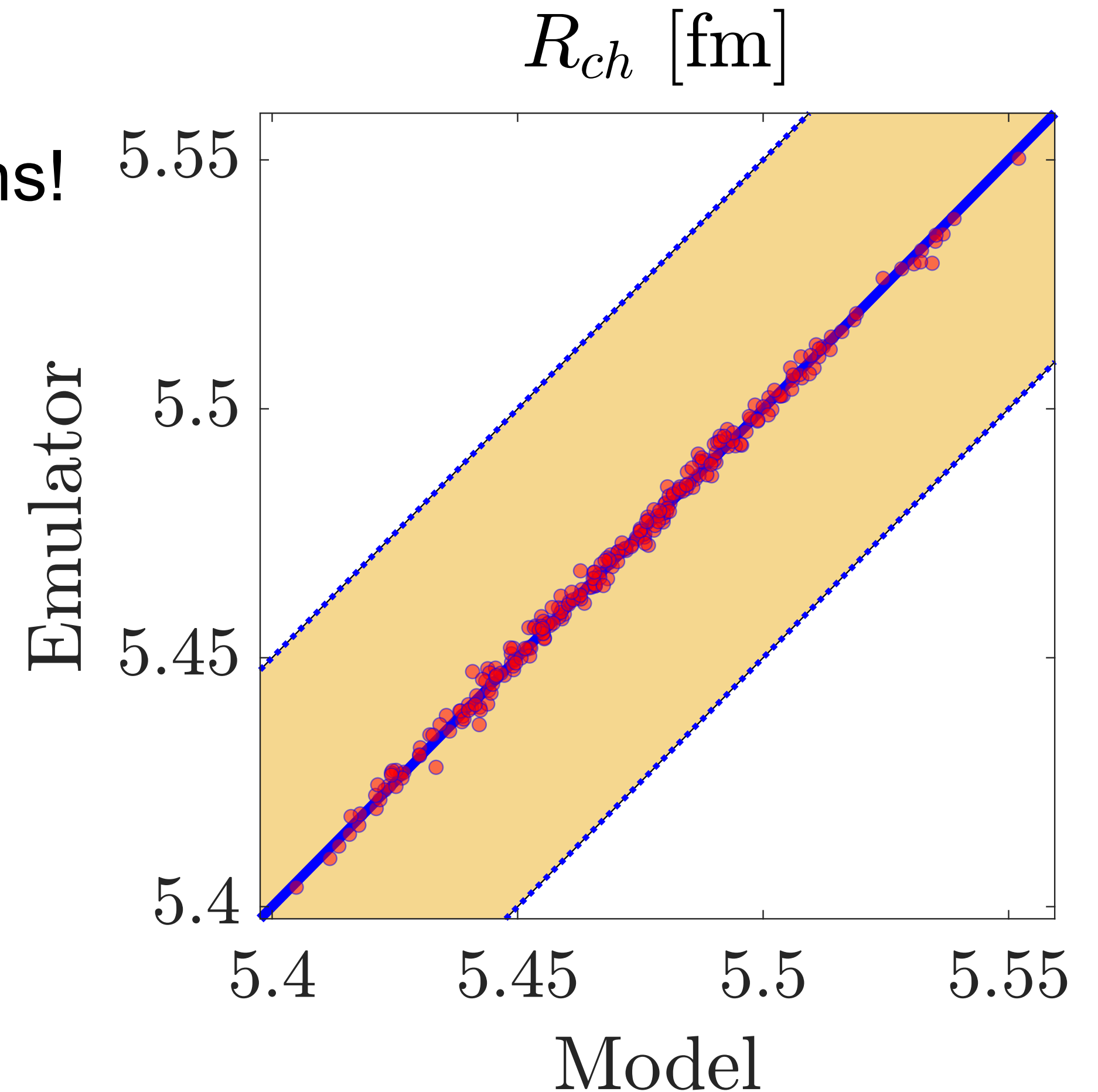
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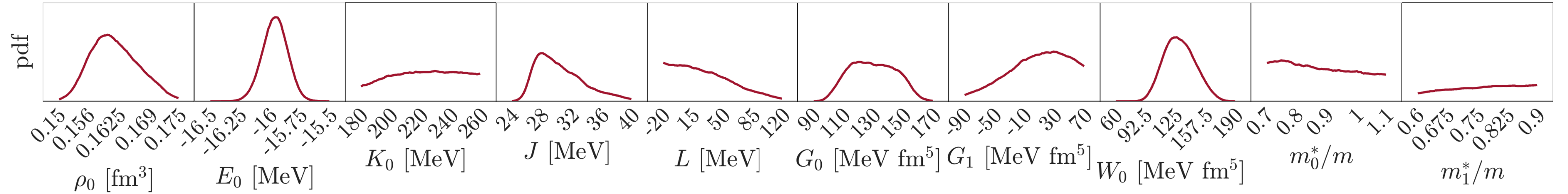
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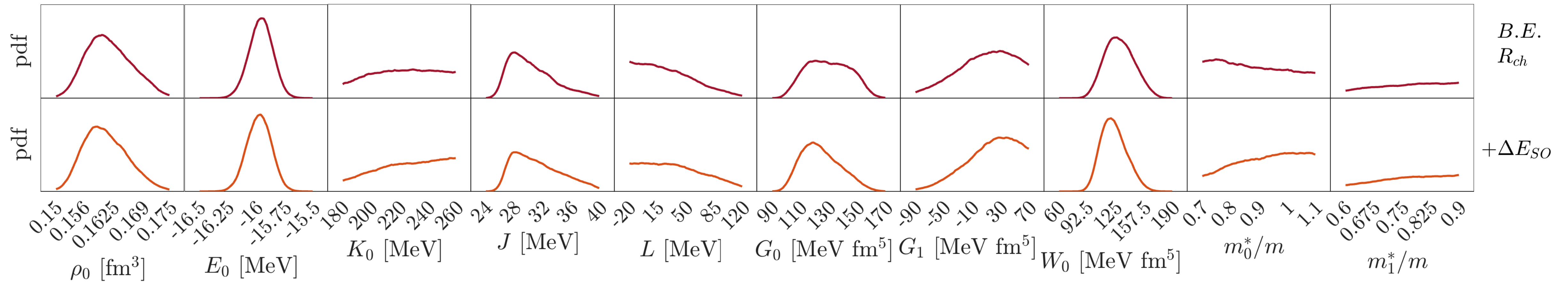
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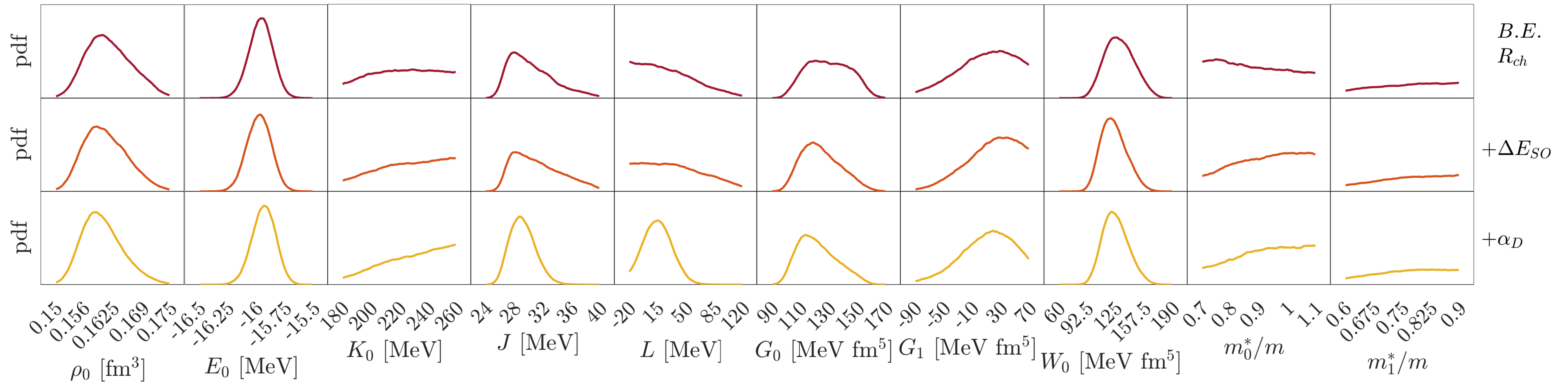
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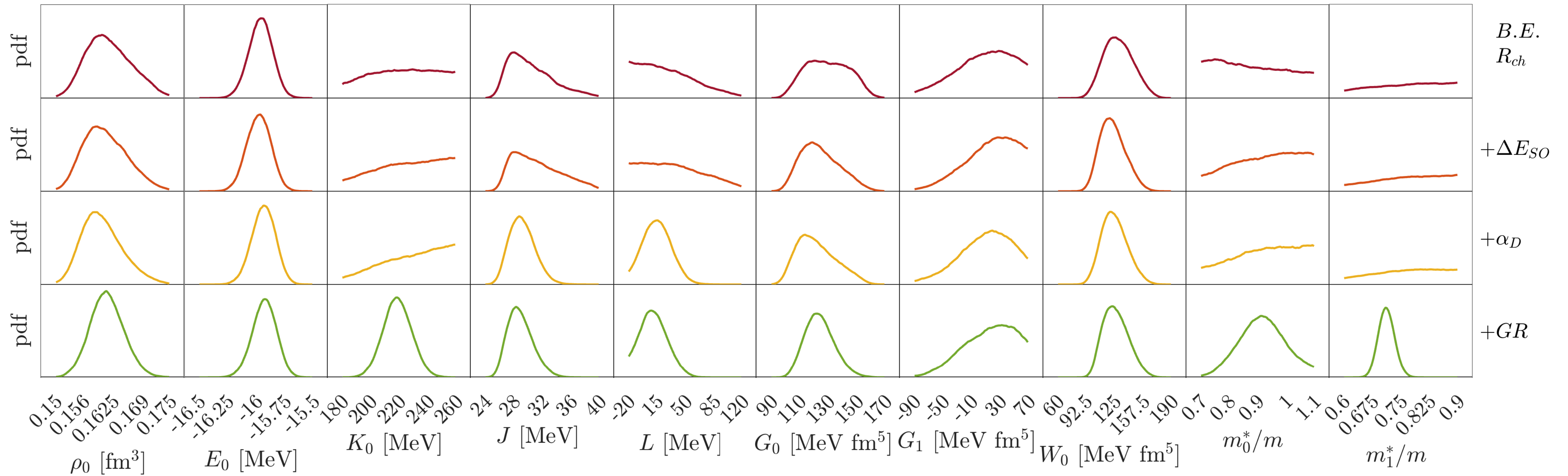
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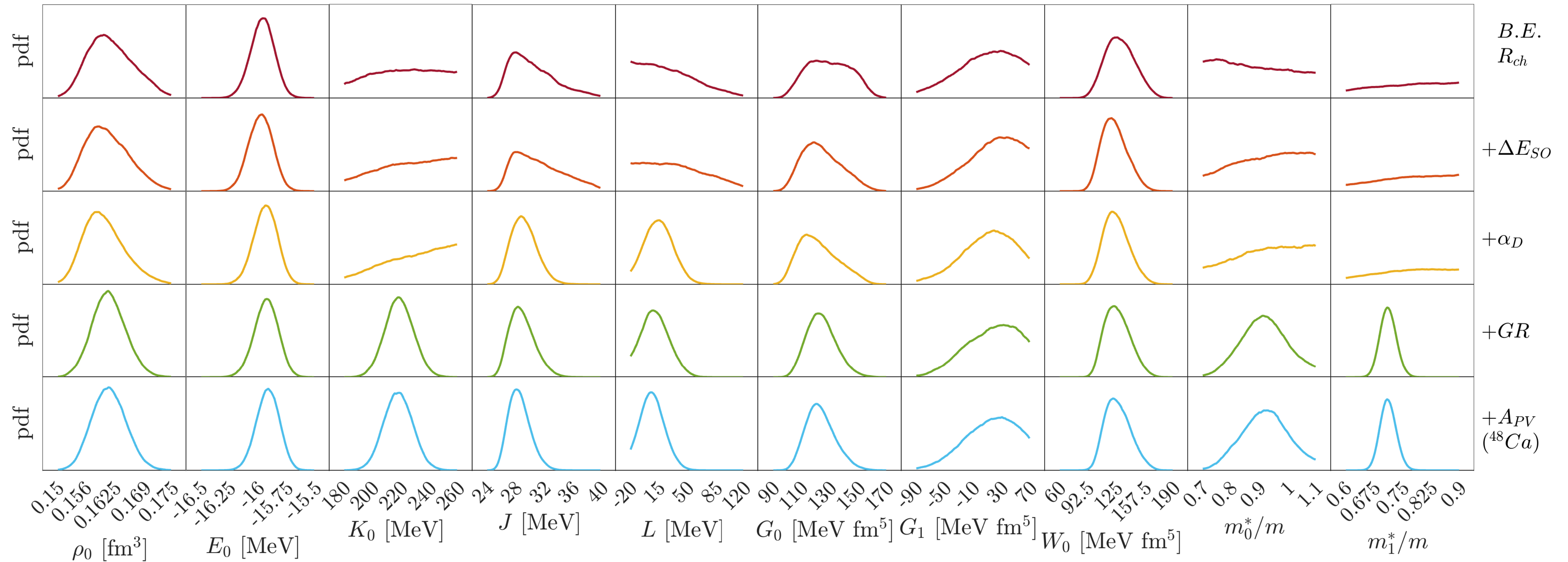
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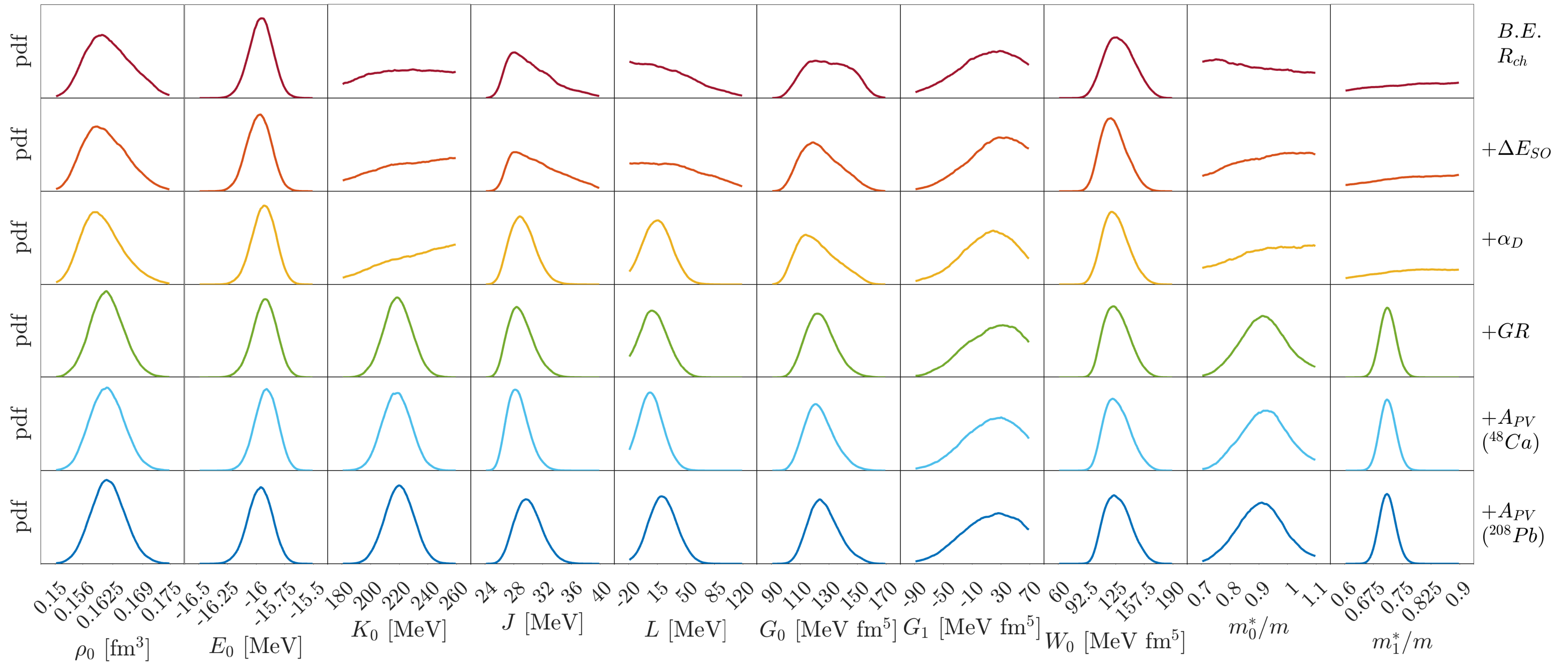
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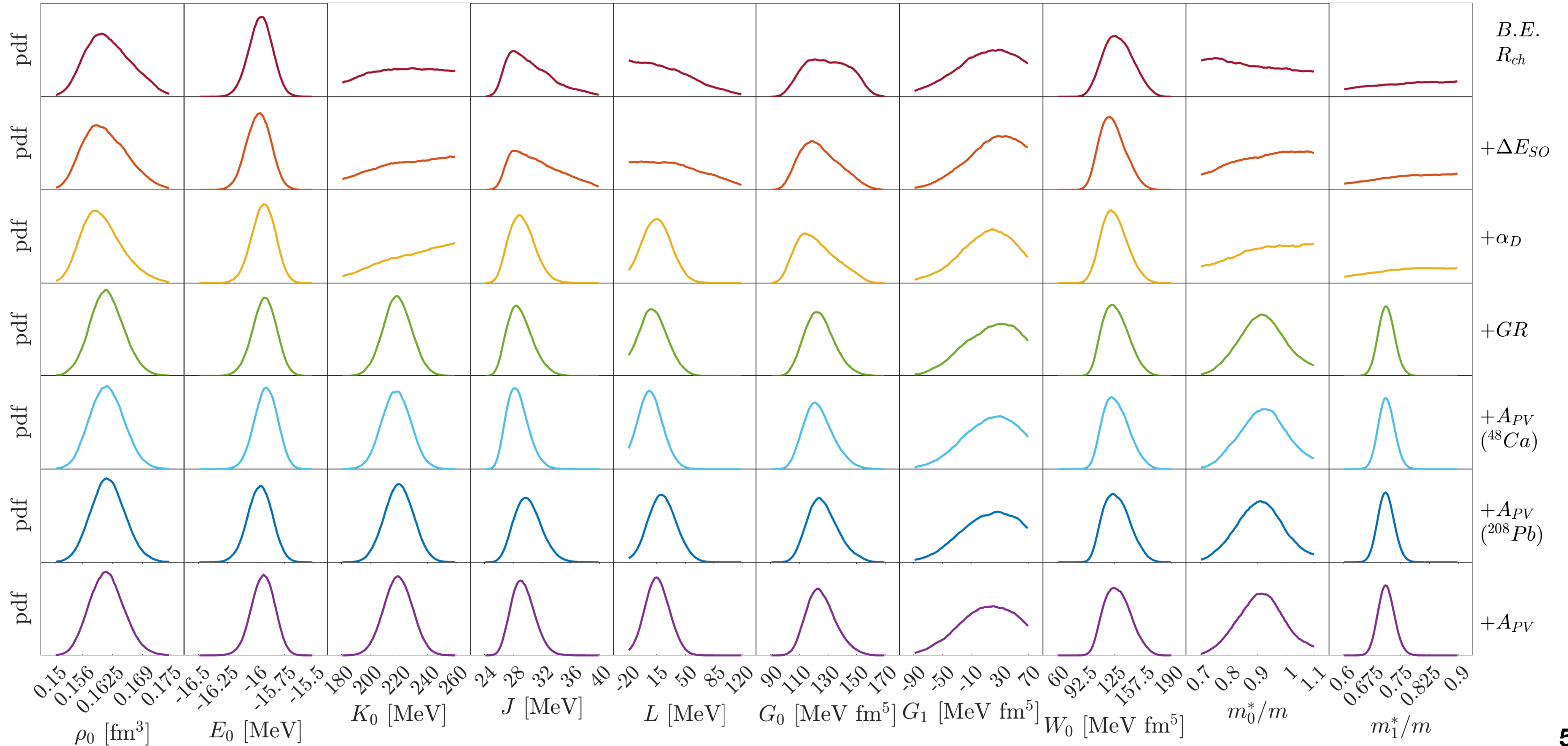
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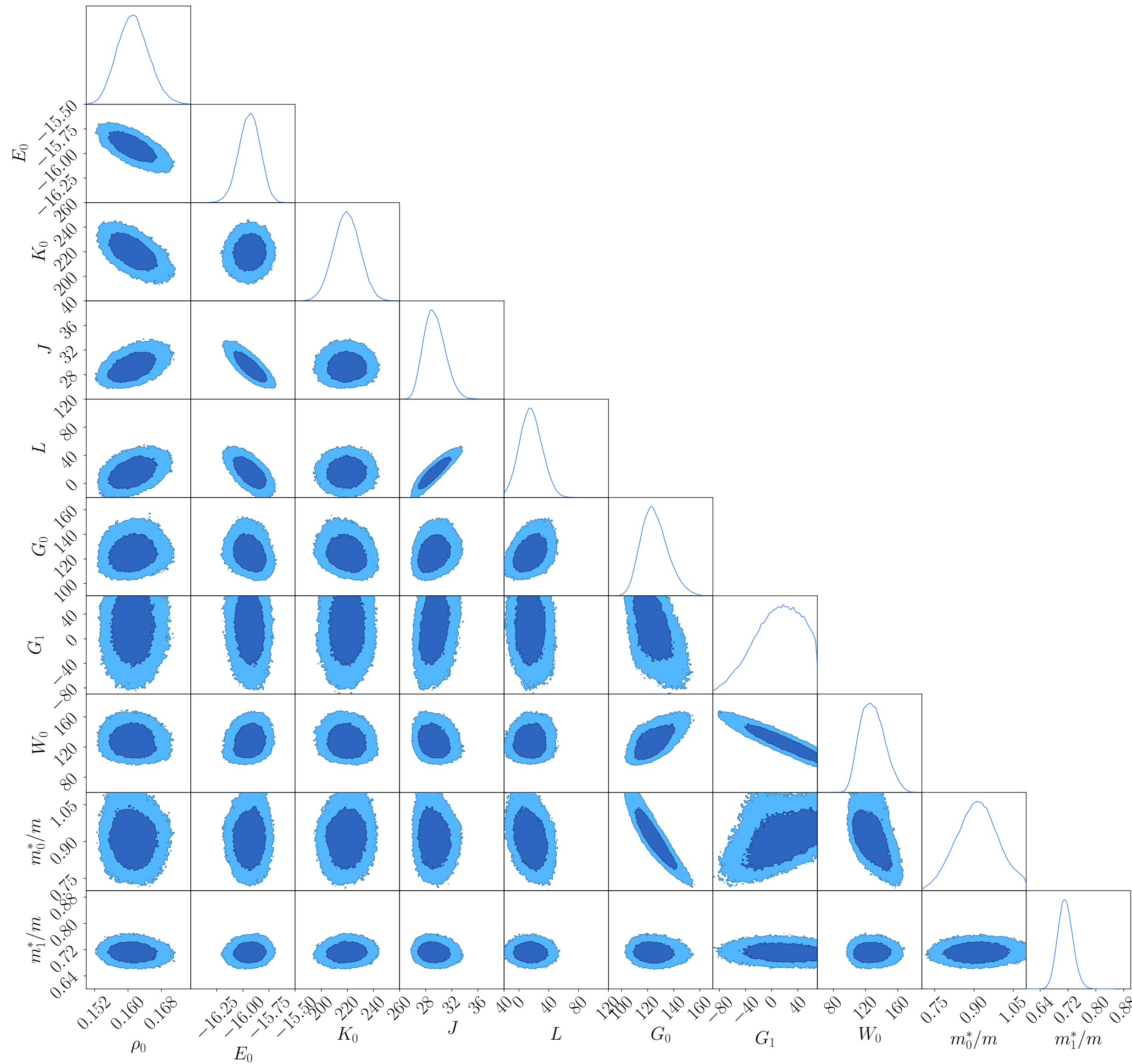
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Corner plot and mean values



Parameter	μ	σ
ρ_0 [fm ³]	0.161	0.004
E_0 [MeV]	-15.938	0.102
K_0 [MeV]	219.483	10.007
J [MeV]	29.378	1.626
L [MeV]	16.136	14.732
G_0 [MeV fm ⁵]	125.470	10.210
G_1 [MeV fm ⁵]	9.439	35.735
W_0 [MeV fm ⁵]	128.719	14.848
m_0^*/m	0.913	0.079
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Posterior observables means and uncertainties

$$|\mu_{exp} - \mu_{theo}| \text{ in units of } \sigma_c = \sqrt{\sigma_{exp}^2 + \sigma_{theo}^2}$$

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Inference

Experiment

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^{40}Ca	342 ± 1.6	3.50 ± 0.02	-
^{56}Ni	482 ± 1.4	-	-
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^{100}Sn	826 ± 1.6	-	-
^{132}Sn	1103 ± 1.7	4.71 ± 0.03	-
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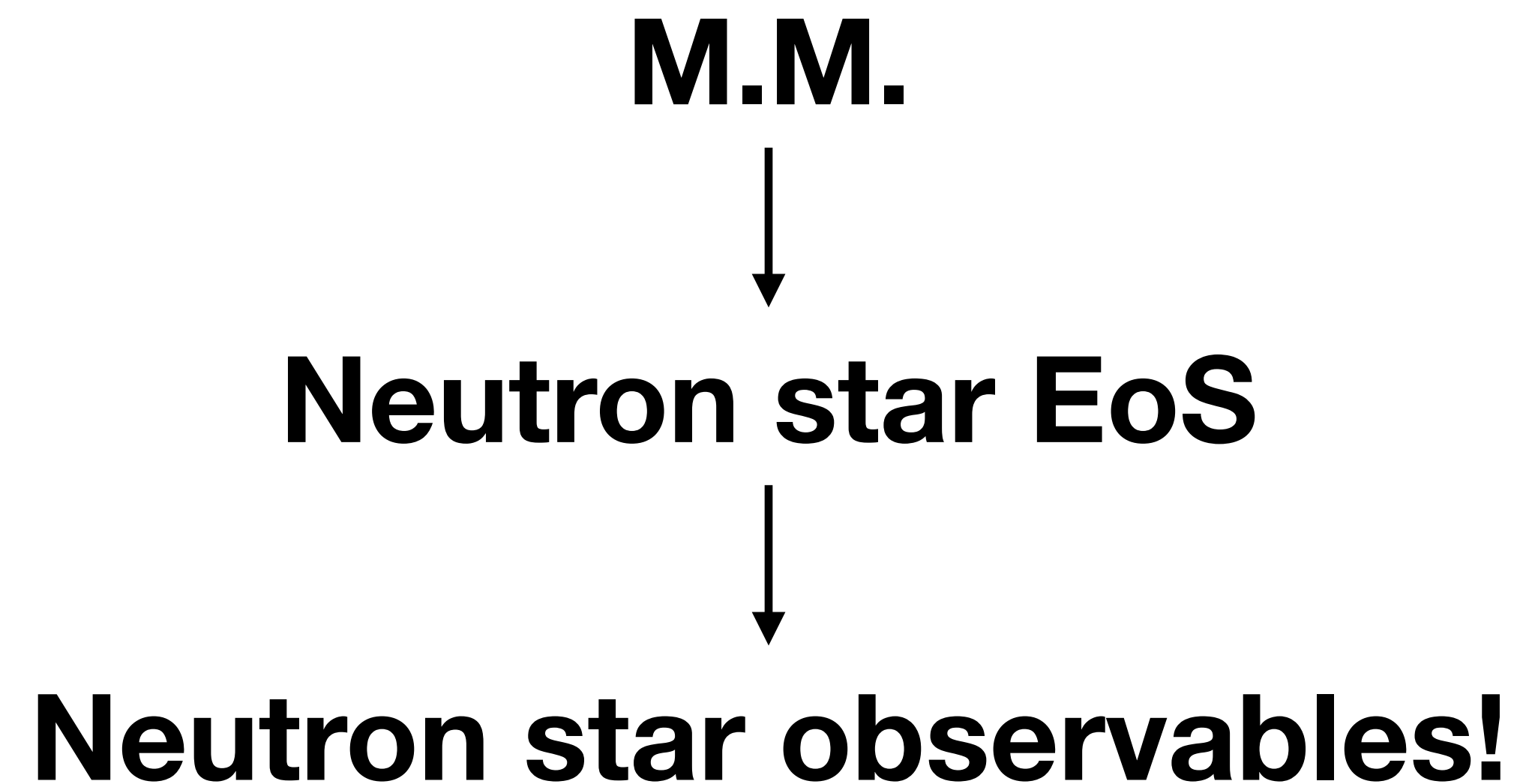
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Meta-Model nuclear equation of state

Meta-Model (M.M.): Taylor expansion of the nuclear equation of state around saturation¹



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Second Bayesian inference: Parameters & Constraints

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Observational constraints:

- Maximum observed mass of Neutron Star;
- Ligo-Virgo-Collaboration tidal deformability results;
- NICER mission simultaneous mass-radius measurements
- Ab-initio computations of neutron matter at low density

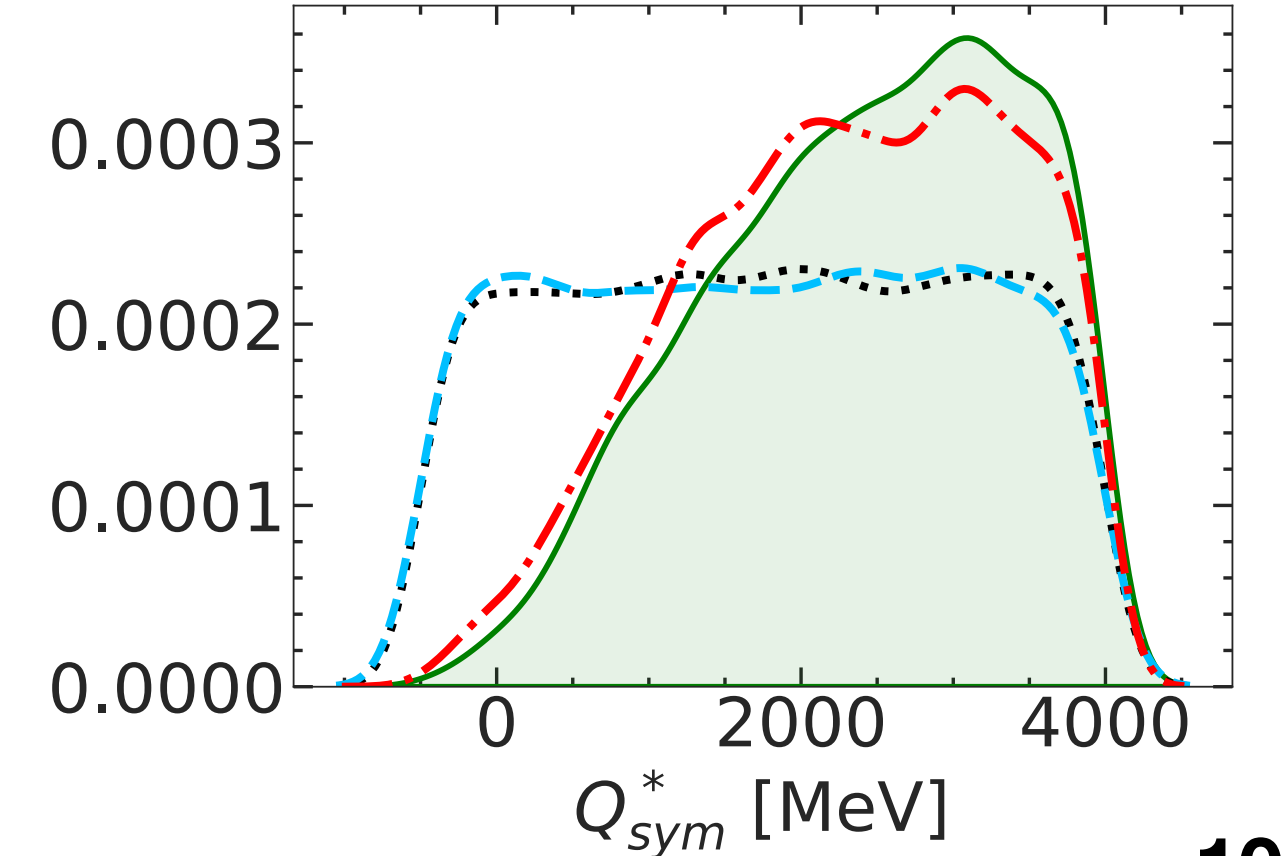
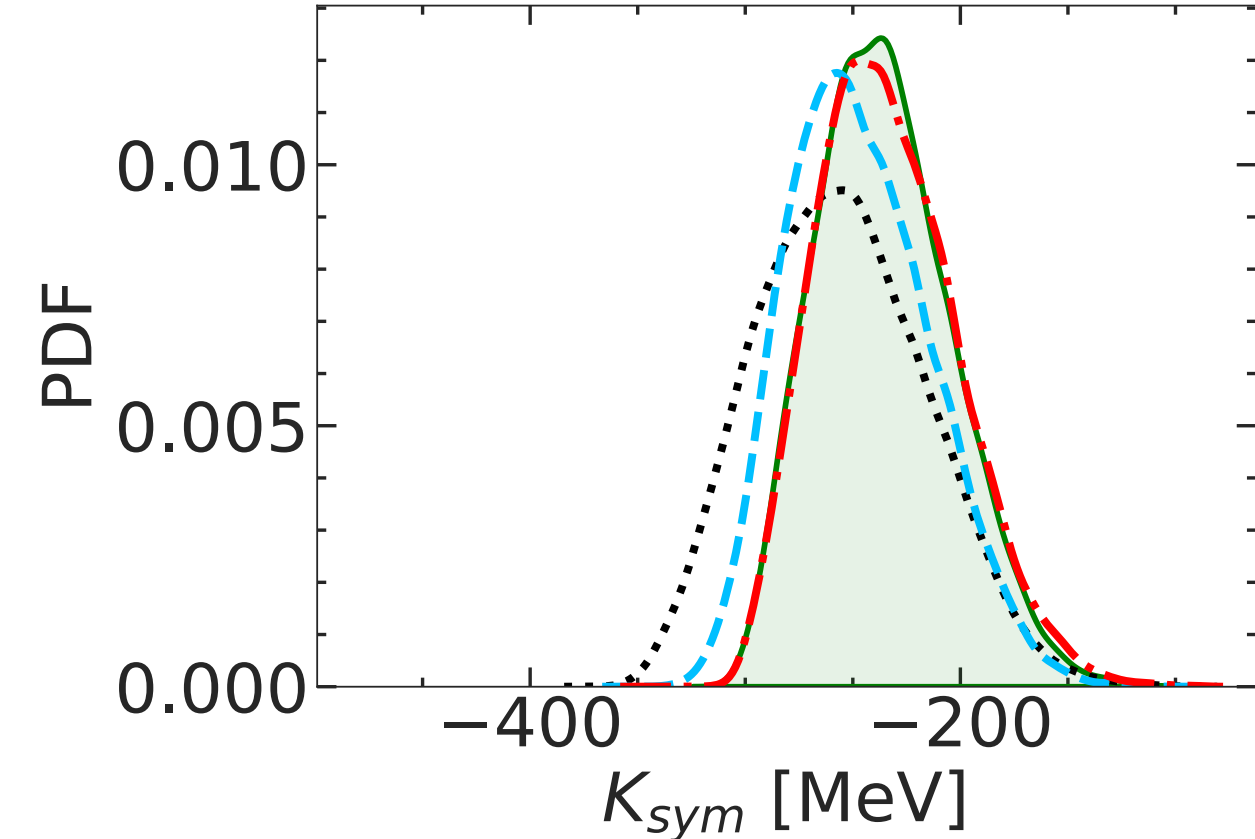
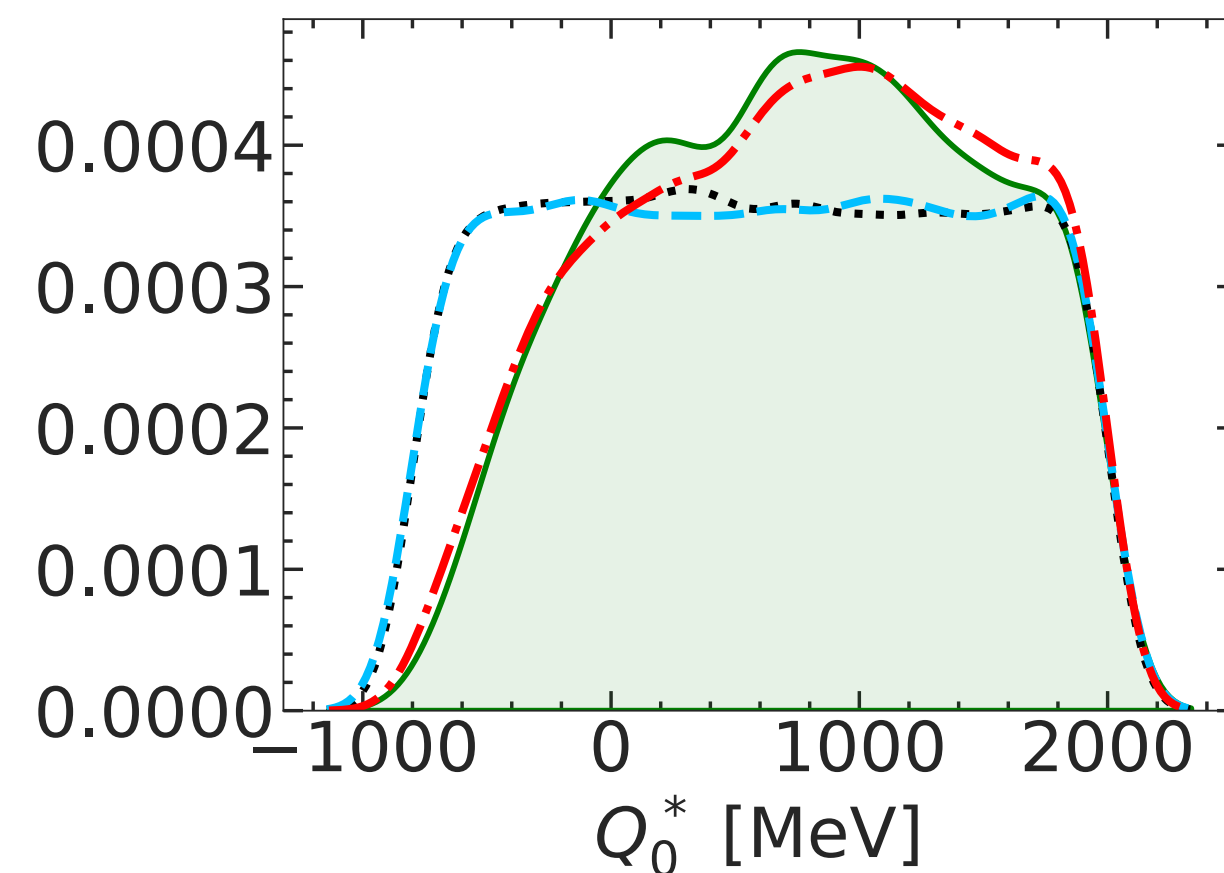
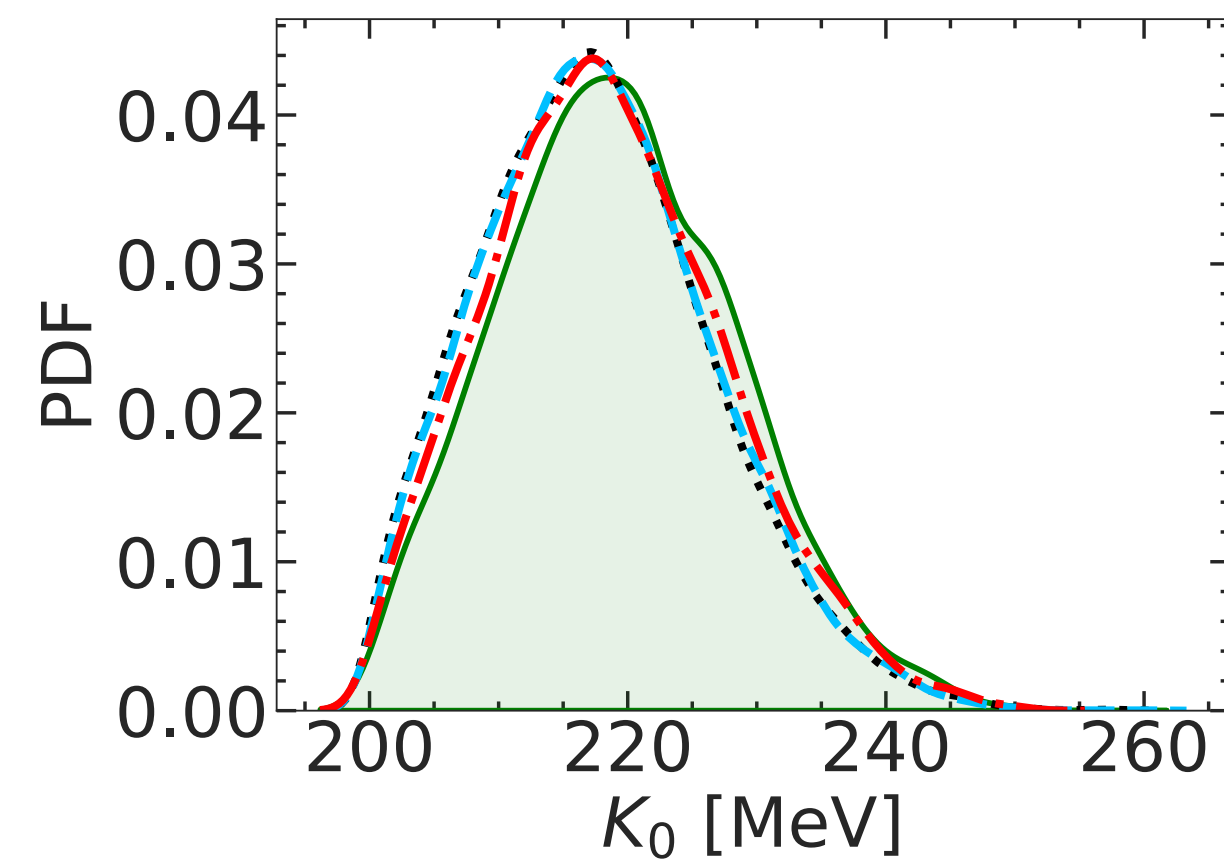
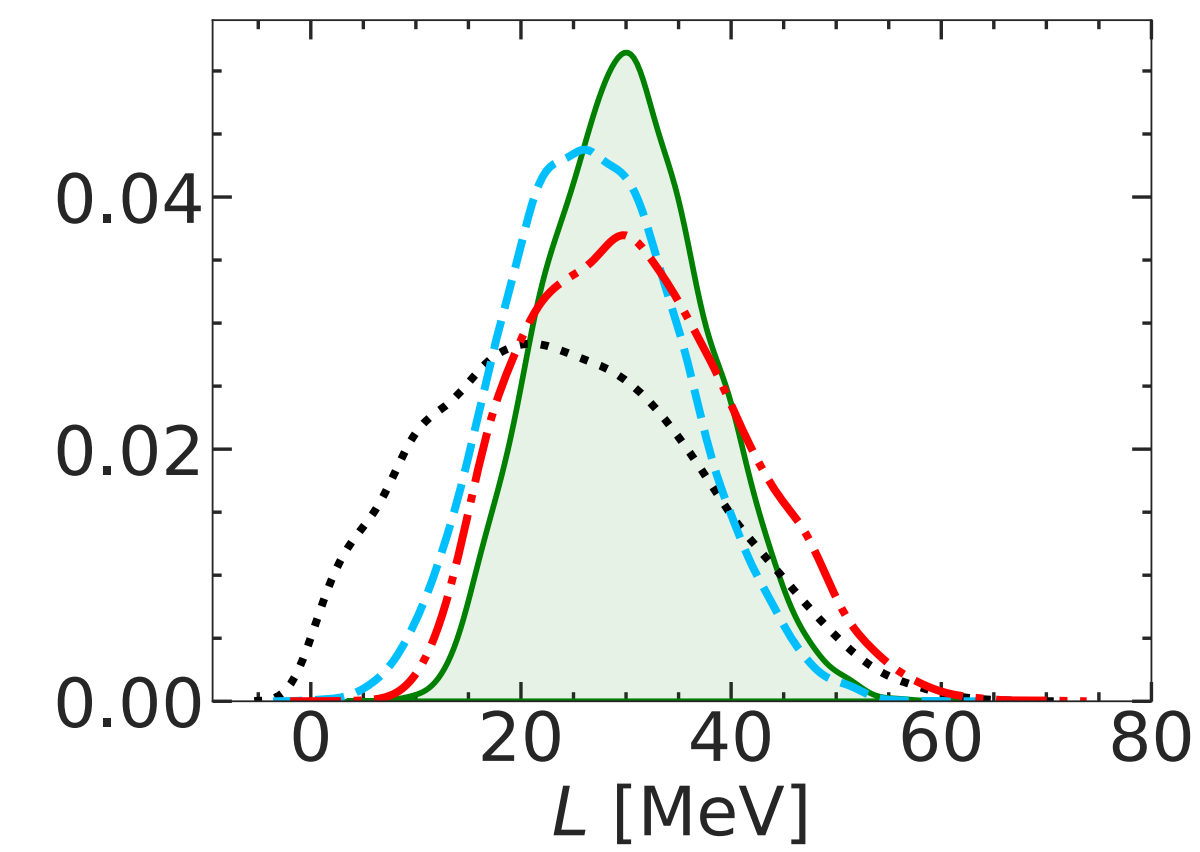
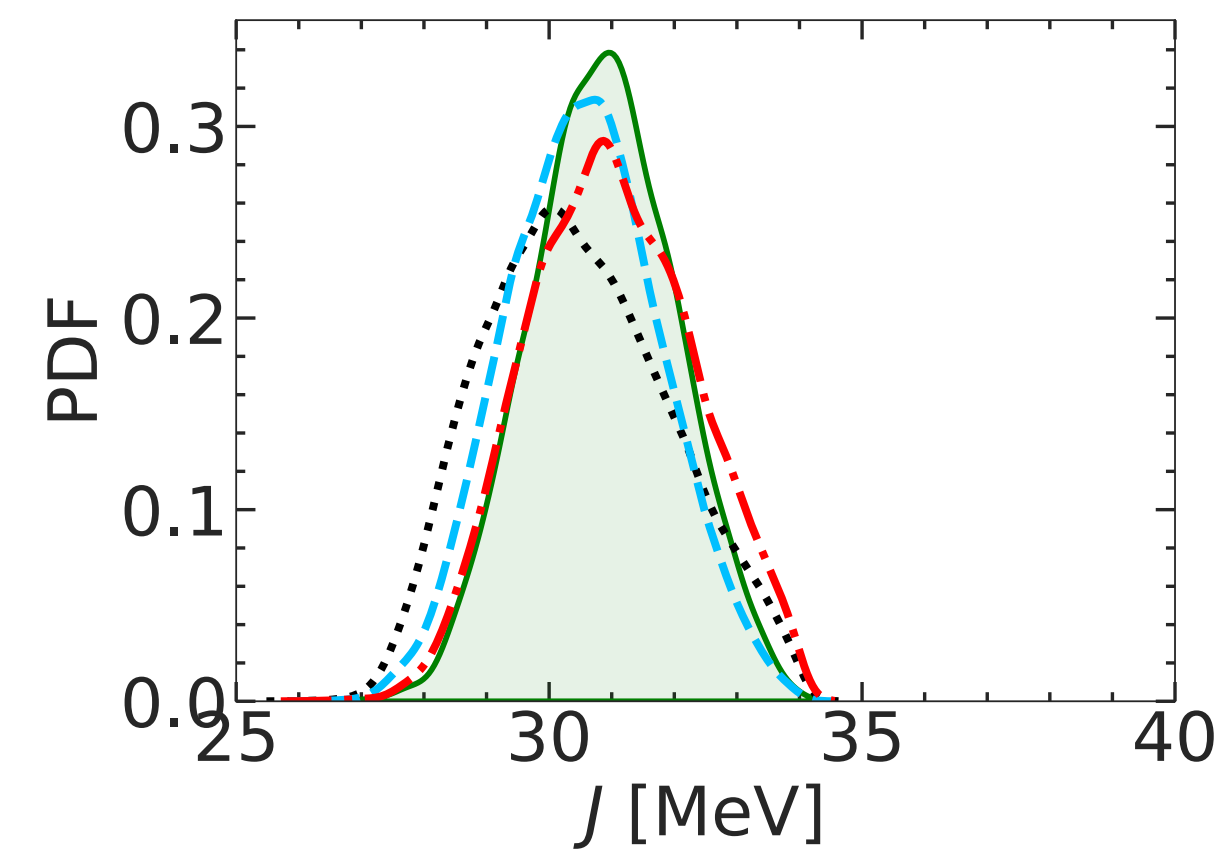
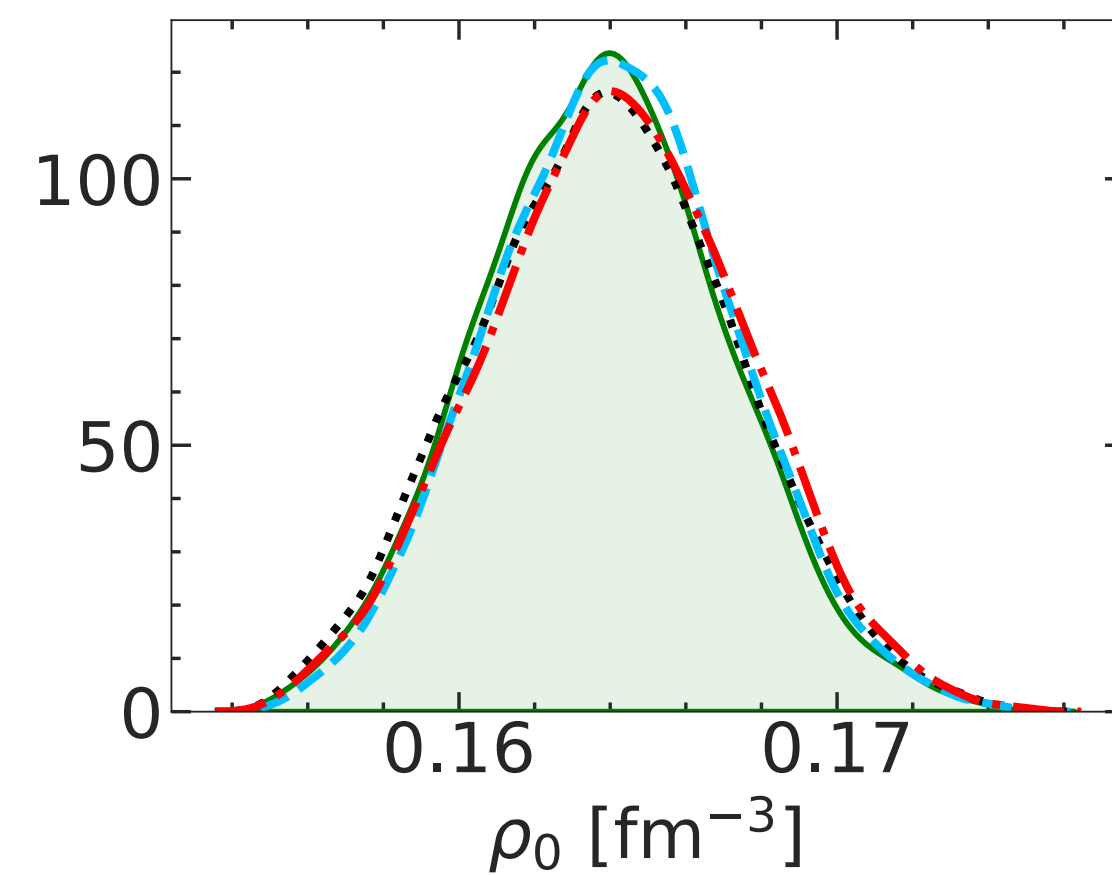
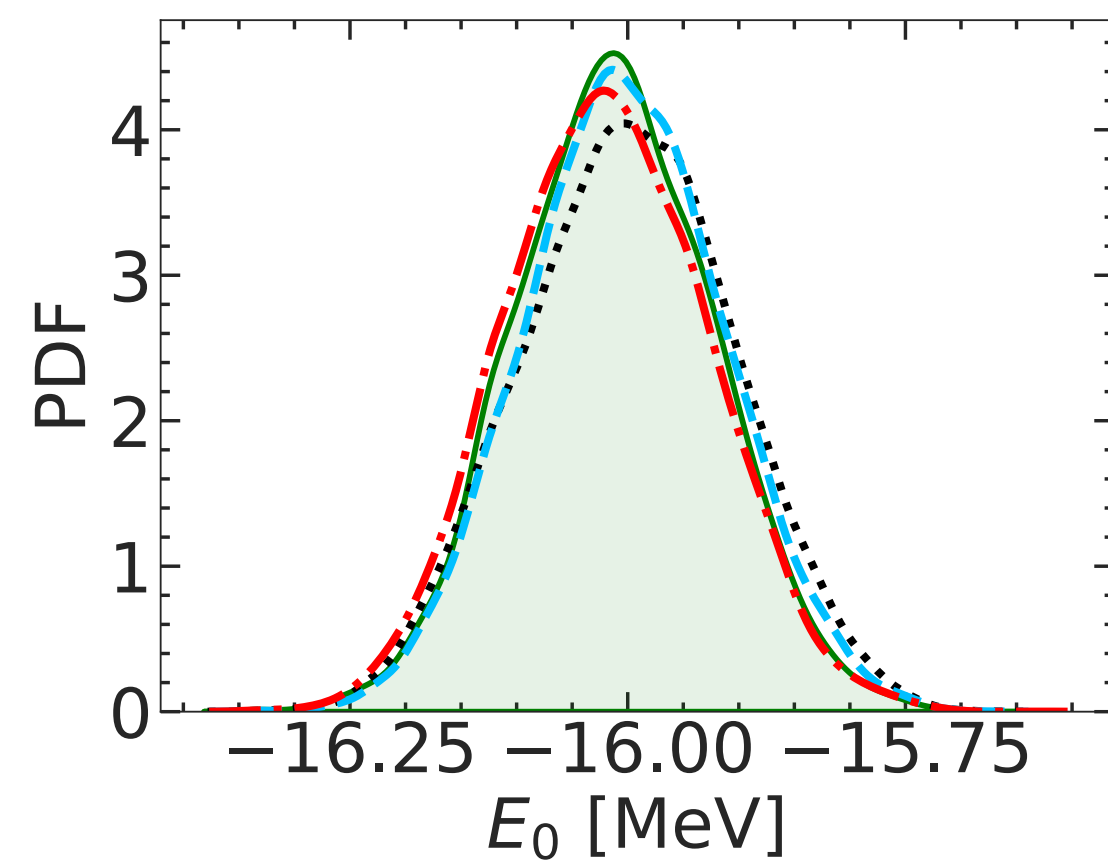
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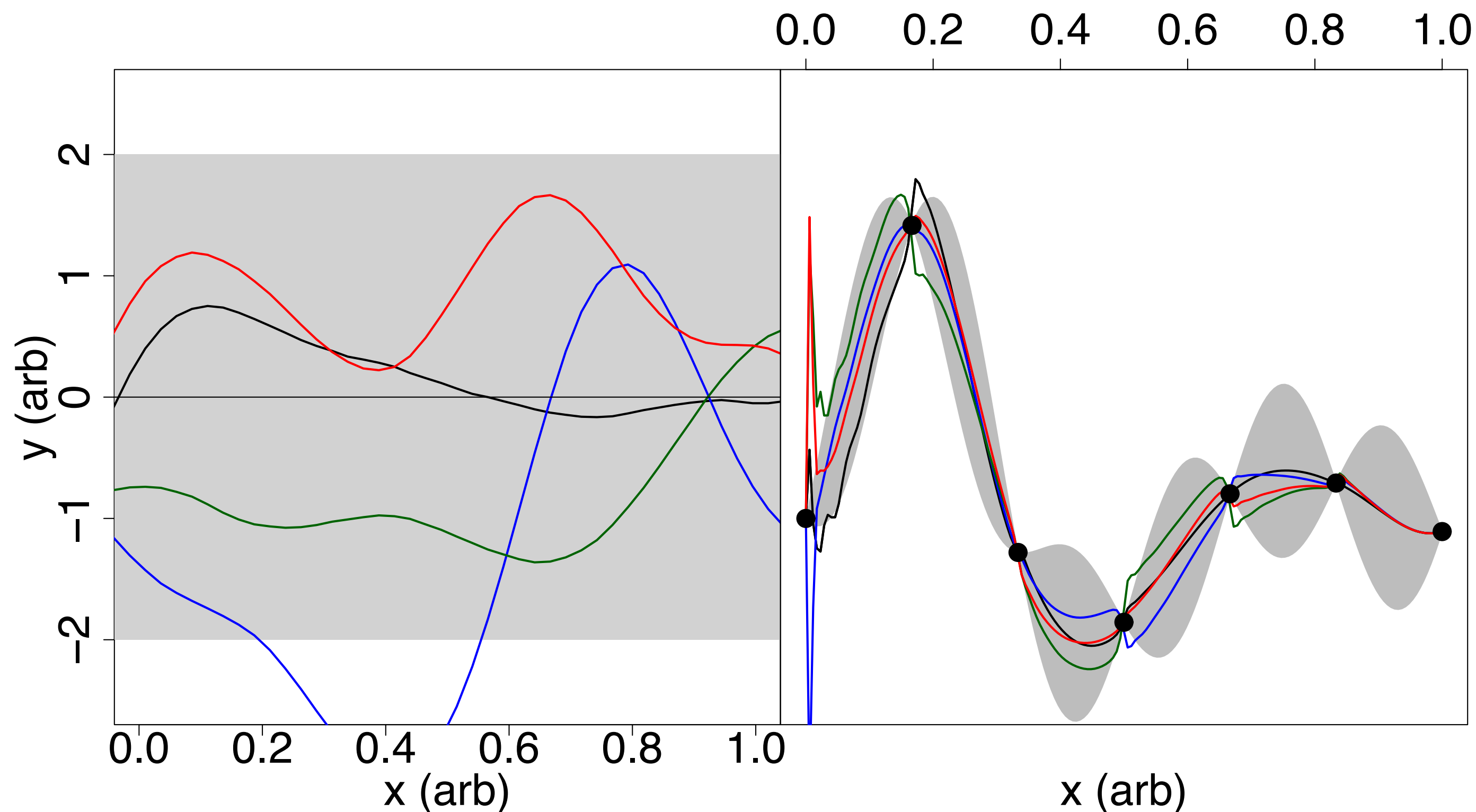
█ All previous + NICER mission simultaneous mass-radius measurements



Conclusions

- Bayesian statistical analysis on nuclear matter parameters with nuclear experiments :
 - Skyrme ansatz
 - Fit with observables of different types (ground state, giant resonances,...)
 - Result: a robust posterior distribution of the (nuclear matter) parameters
 - Our protocol could describe the observables we chose; the only tension is with A_{PV} of ^{208}Pb
- Bayesian statistical analysis on nuclear matter parameters with neutron star observations:
 - Final distribution of parameters informed by both nuclear physics and neutron star observations!

Gaussian process (GP) emulator

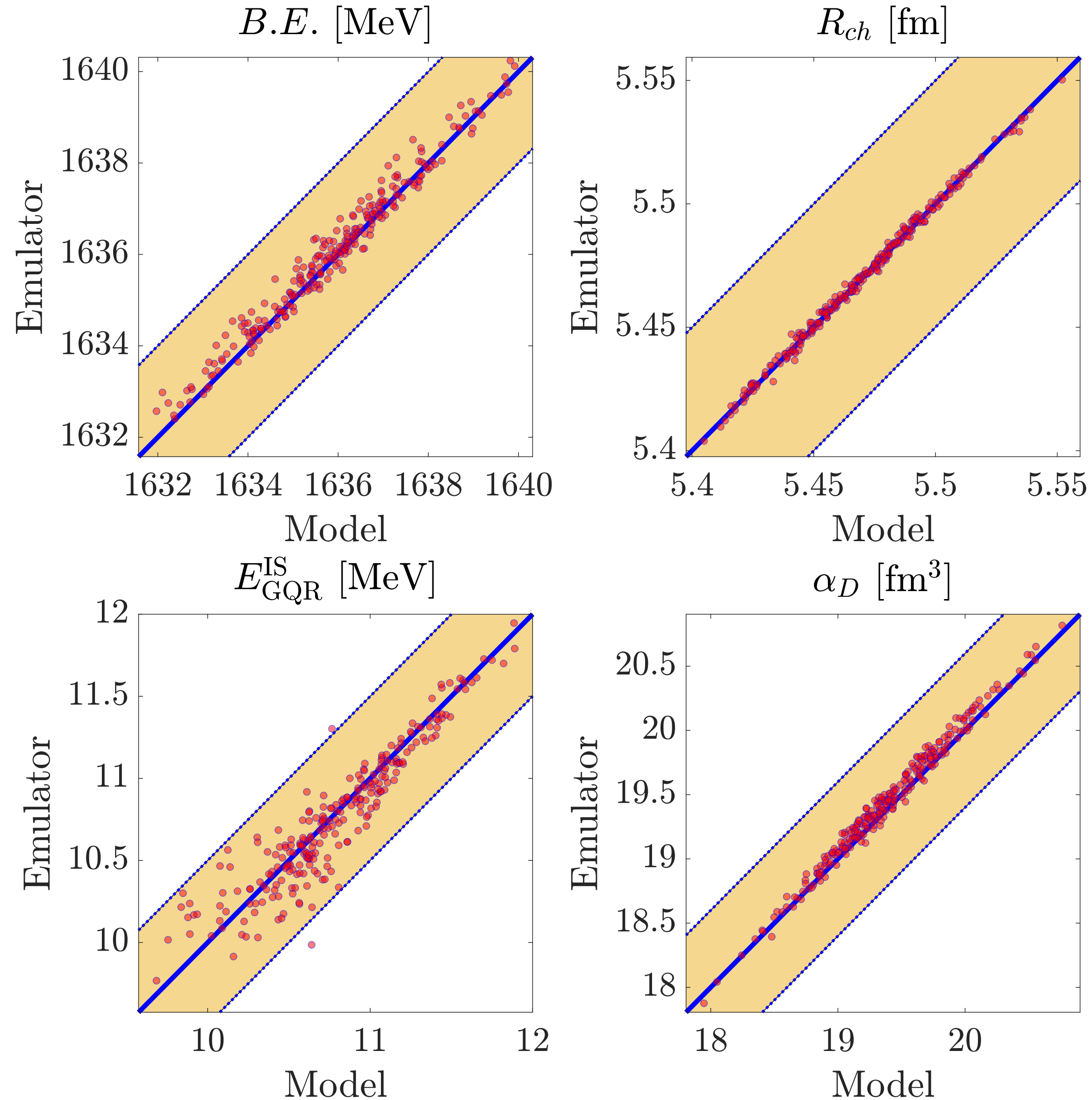


From MADAI user manual

The MADAI package:

- was built for GP applied to bayesian inference
- given the parameters prior distributions, it automatically builds the grid
- it does a MCMC to estimate the posterior distribution
- it extracts parameters sample following the posteriors

Validation

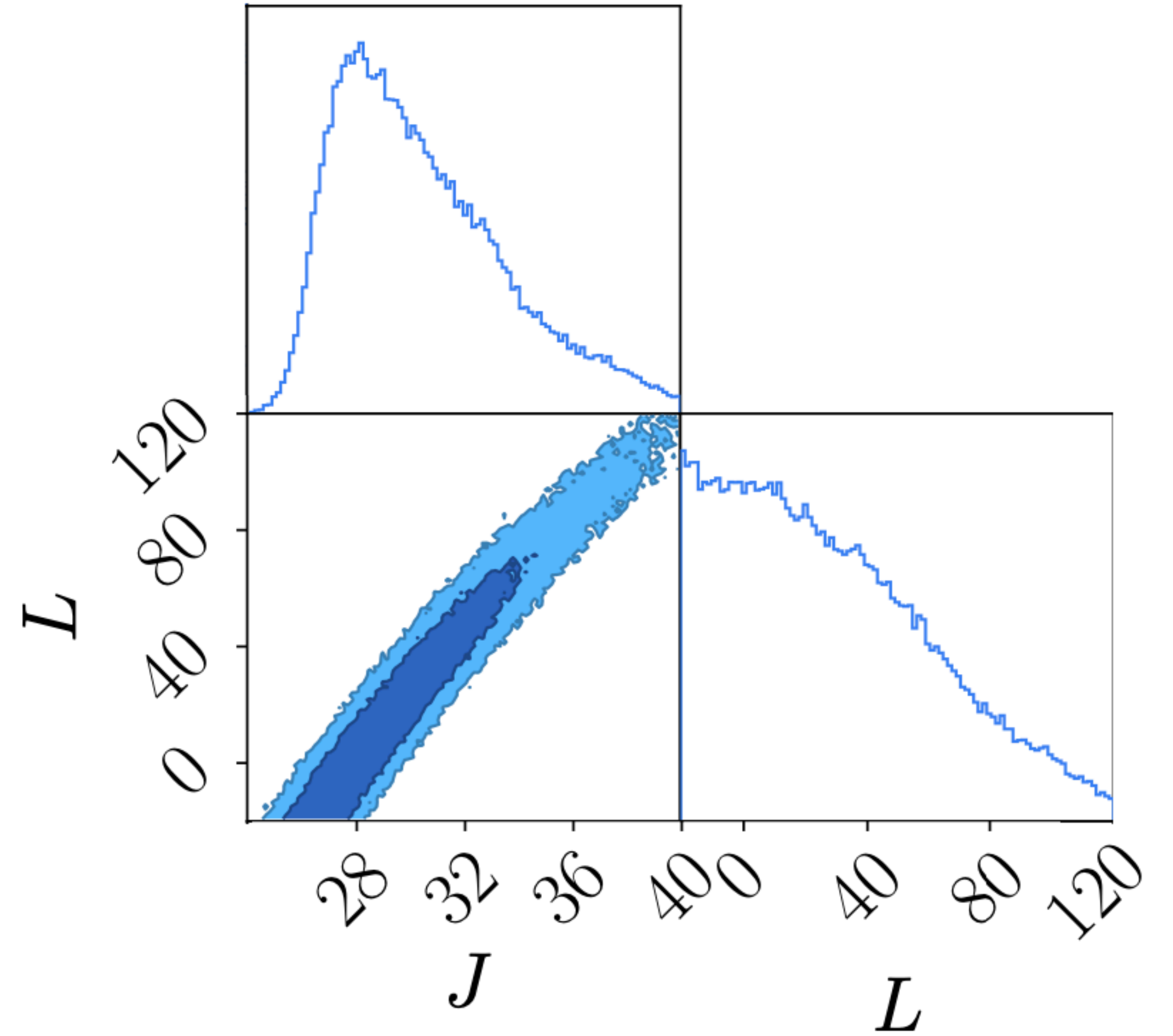
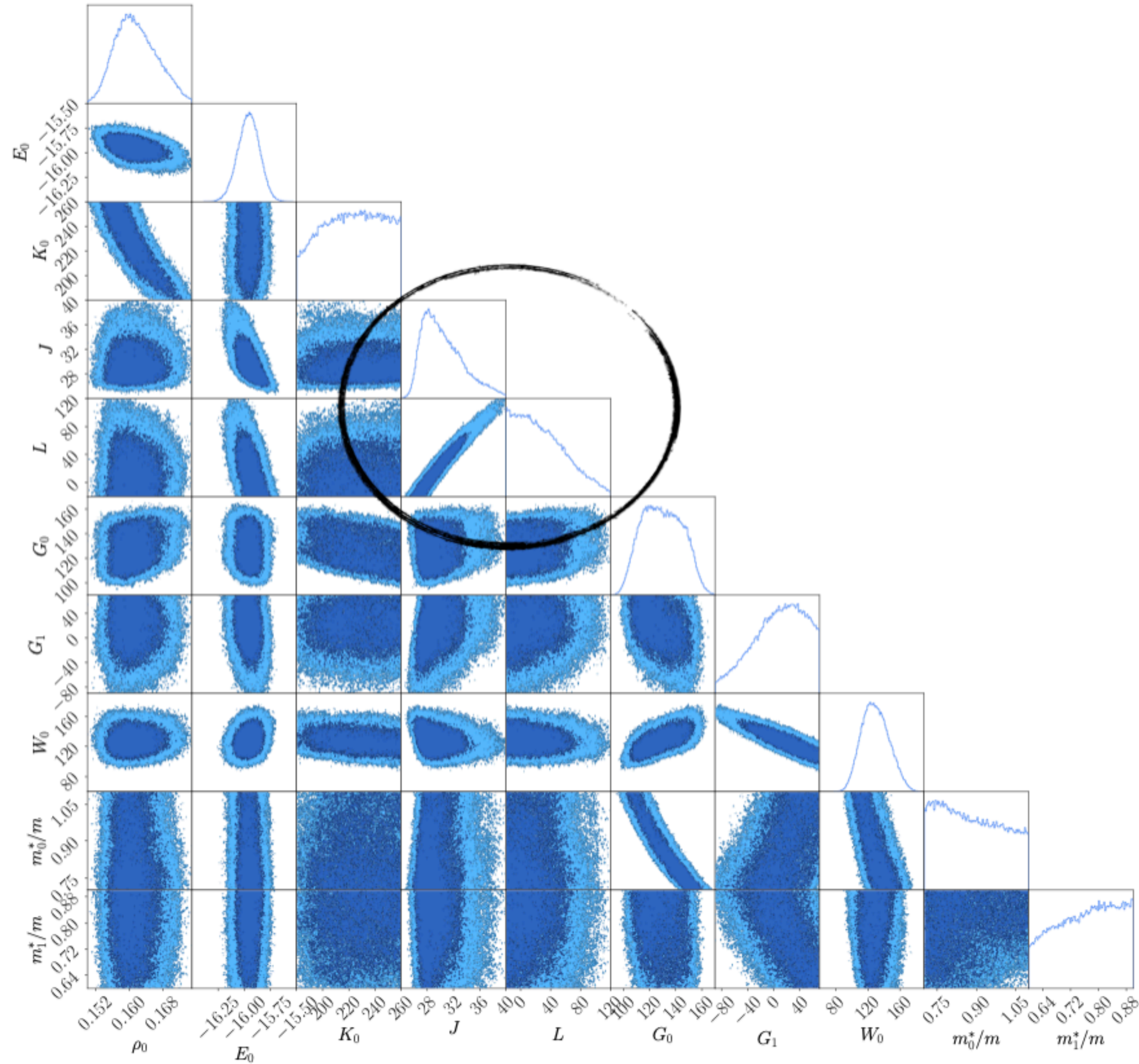


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^{40}Ca	0 %	0 %	-	0.999	0.999	-
^{56}Ni	0 %	-	-	0.996	-	-
^{68}Ni	0 %	-	-	0.994	-	-
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^{90}Zr	0 %	0 %	-	0.996	1.000	-

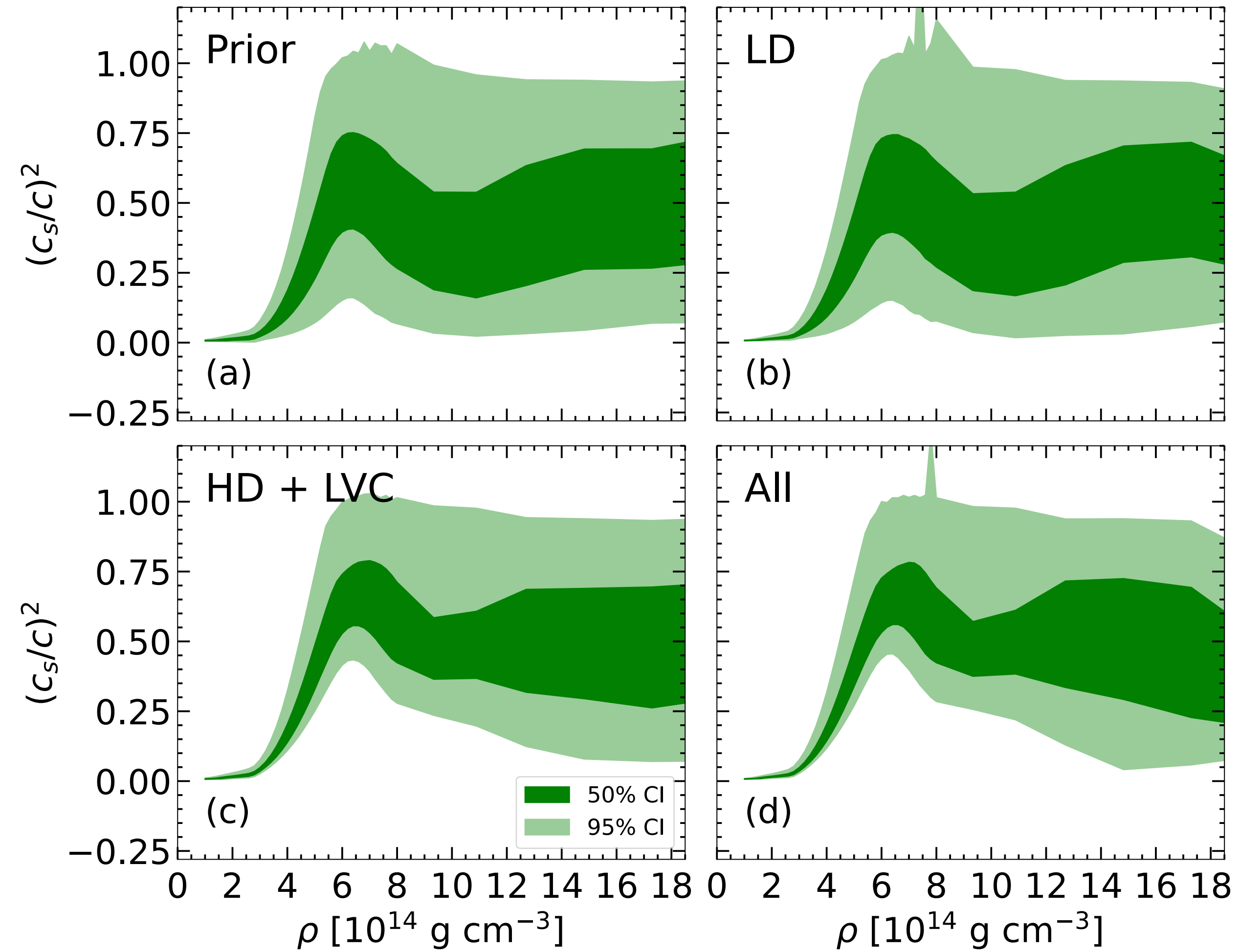
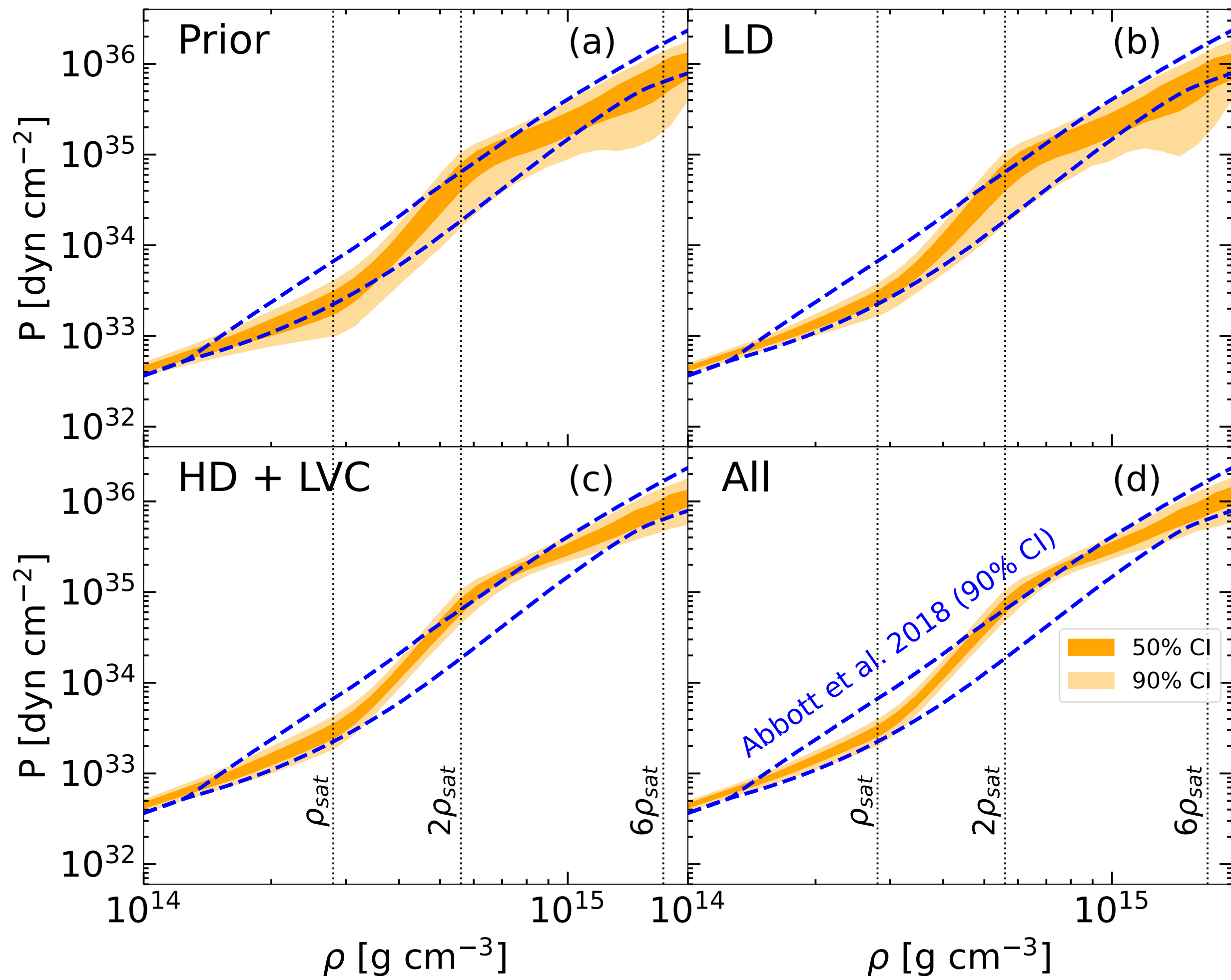
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$B.E., R_{ch}$ only corner plot



Equation of state and sound speed posterior distributions



Mass-Radius relation and $\Lambda_{1.4M_{\odot}}$, $\Lambda_{2.0M_{\odot}}$ posterior distributions

