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Lattice QCD

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Outline

1. Lattice QCD (why and what)
2. Precision flavour physics
3. $(g-2)_\mu$ on the lattice
4. Pushing the frontiers (QED+QCD, rare decays)

UK Lattice community

- Cambridge
 - Edinburgh
 - Glasgow
 - Liverpool
 - Oxford
 - Plymouth
 - Southampton
 - Swansea
- Various collaborations
(UKQCD, HotQCD, HPQCD, ...)
- QCD flavour phenomenology
 - QCD spectra
 - BSM models (non-perturbatively)
 - finite-T, finite- μ
 - developments in quantum field theory, algorithms computing and hardware

34th International Symposium on
Lattice Field Theory

University of Southampton
24–30 July 2016



<http://www.southampton.ac.uk/lattice2016/>

Motivation

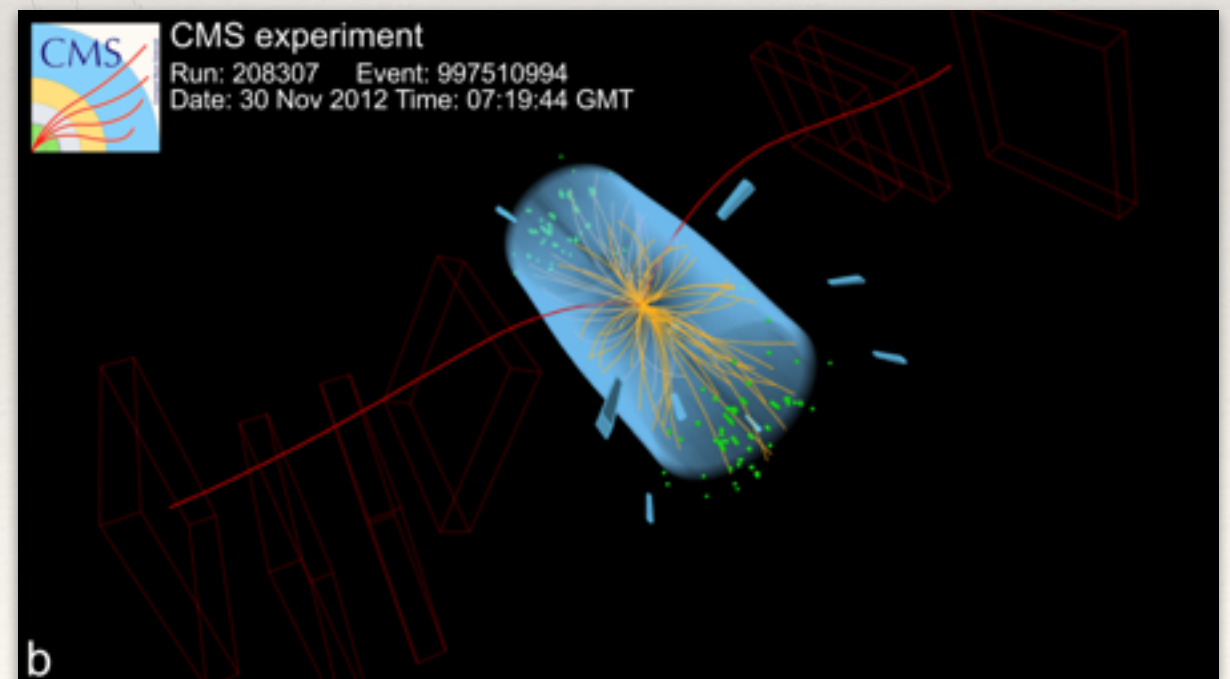
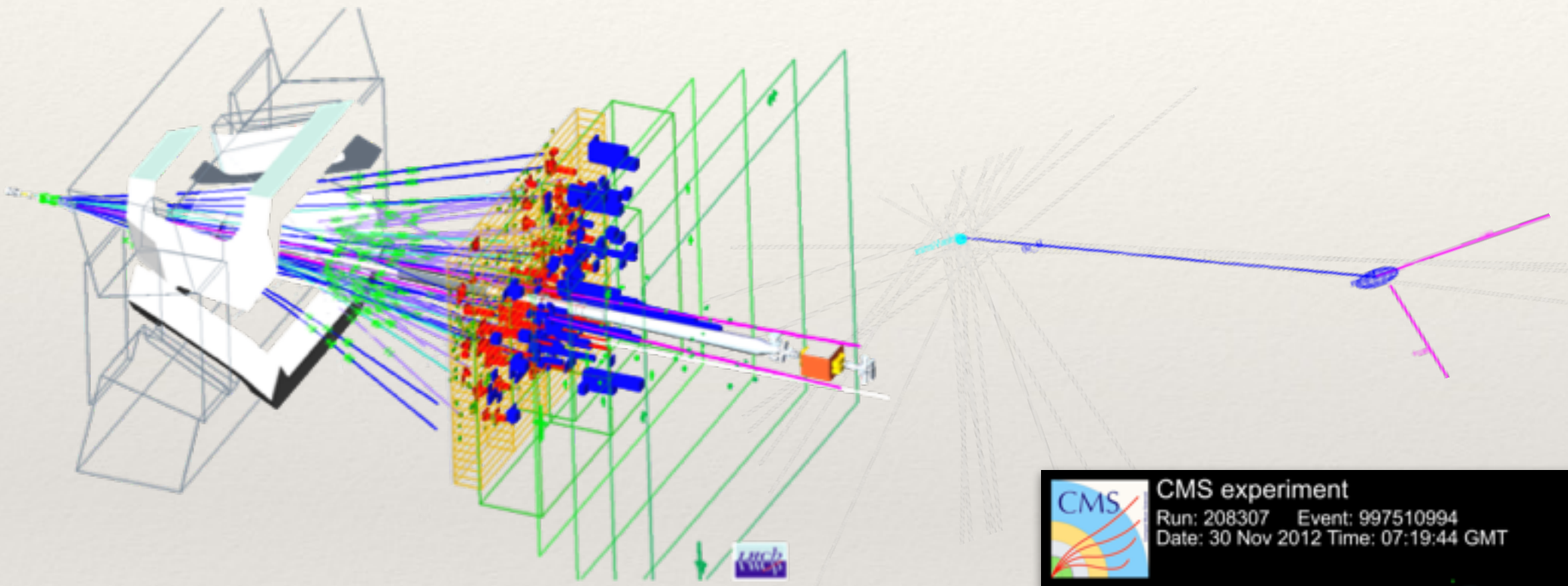
- Standard Model of elementary particle physics describes electromagnetic, weak and strong (QCD) interactions consistently in terms of a renormalisable quantum field theory
- but there is substantial phenomenological evidence that it can't be the whole story: dark matter, CP-violation, ... indicate that there must be sth. else
- despite decades of experimental and theoretical efforts we have not found a smoking gun

Motivation

- searches for new physics: direct vs. indirect search:
 - ‘bump in the spectrum’
 - SM provides correlation between processes
experiment + theory to over-constrain SM
- hadronic (QCD) uncertainties dominating error budget
- lattice QCD can in principle provide the relevant input and is becoming increasingly precise in its predictions

$$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

First observed by LHCb, CMS



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Standard Model prediction:

- Loop suppressed in the SM (FCNC) \rightarrow sensitive to non-SM interaction?

$$\text{Br}(B_s \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)^{\text{SM}} = \tau_{B_s} \frac{G_F^2 \alpha^2}{16\pi^3} |V_{tb} V_{ts}^*|^2 m_{B_s} m_\ell^2 \beta_\ell(m_{B_s}^2) |C_{10}|^2 f_{B_s}^2$$

$$\text{Br} \propto (PT) \times \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 b | \bar{B}_s \rangle^2 \dots$$

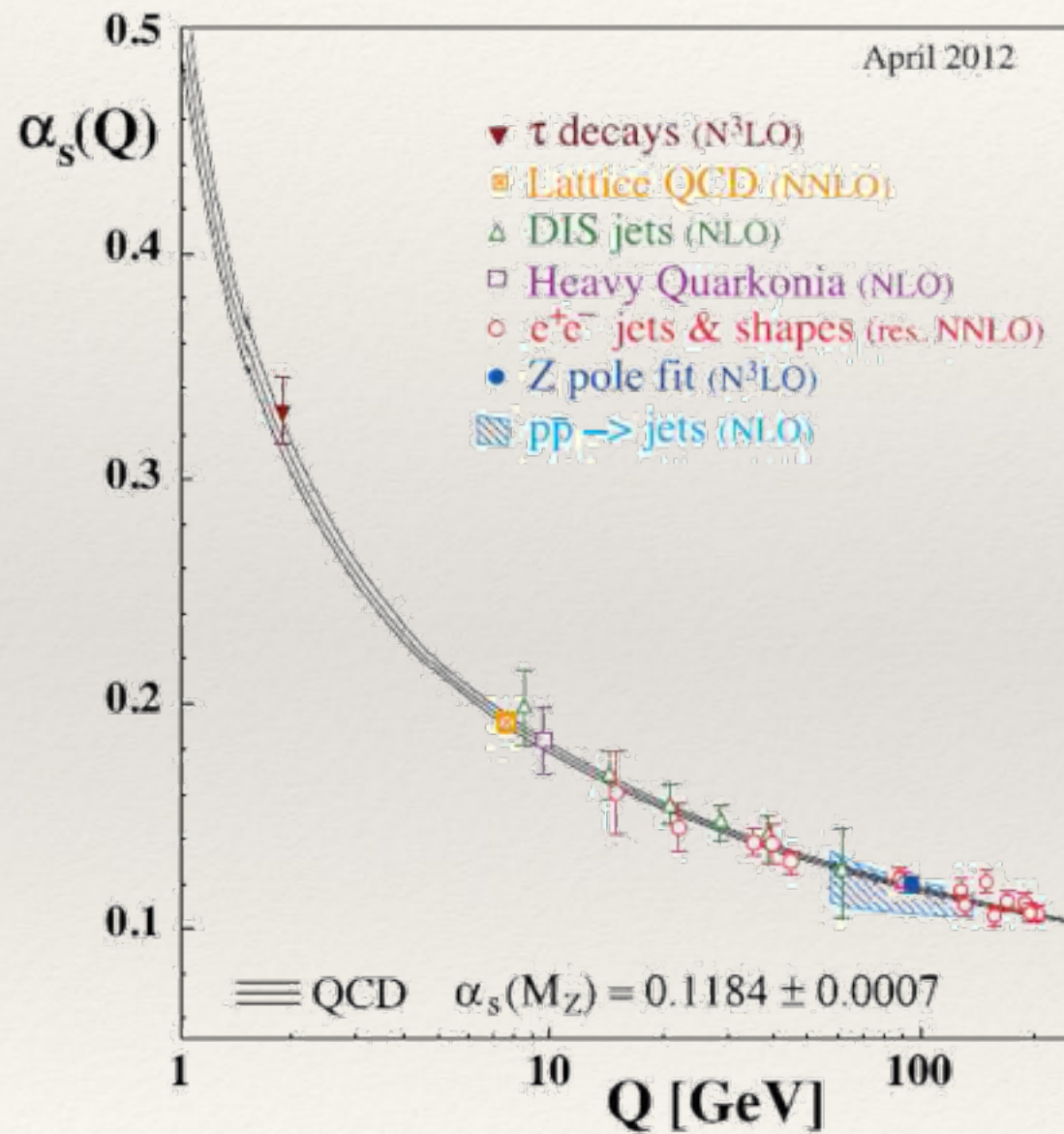
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 NNLO QCD
 NLO EW

Hermann, Misiak, Steinhauser,
 JHEP 1312, 097 (2013)
 Bobeth, Gorbahn, Stamou,
 PRD 89, 034023 (2014)

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 very precise and reliable prediction
 for the decay constant is needed

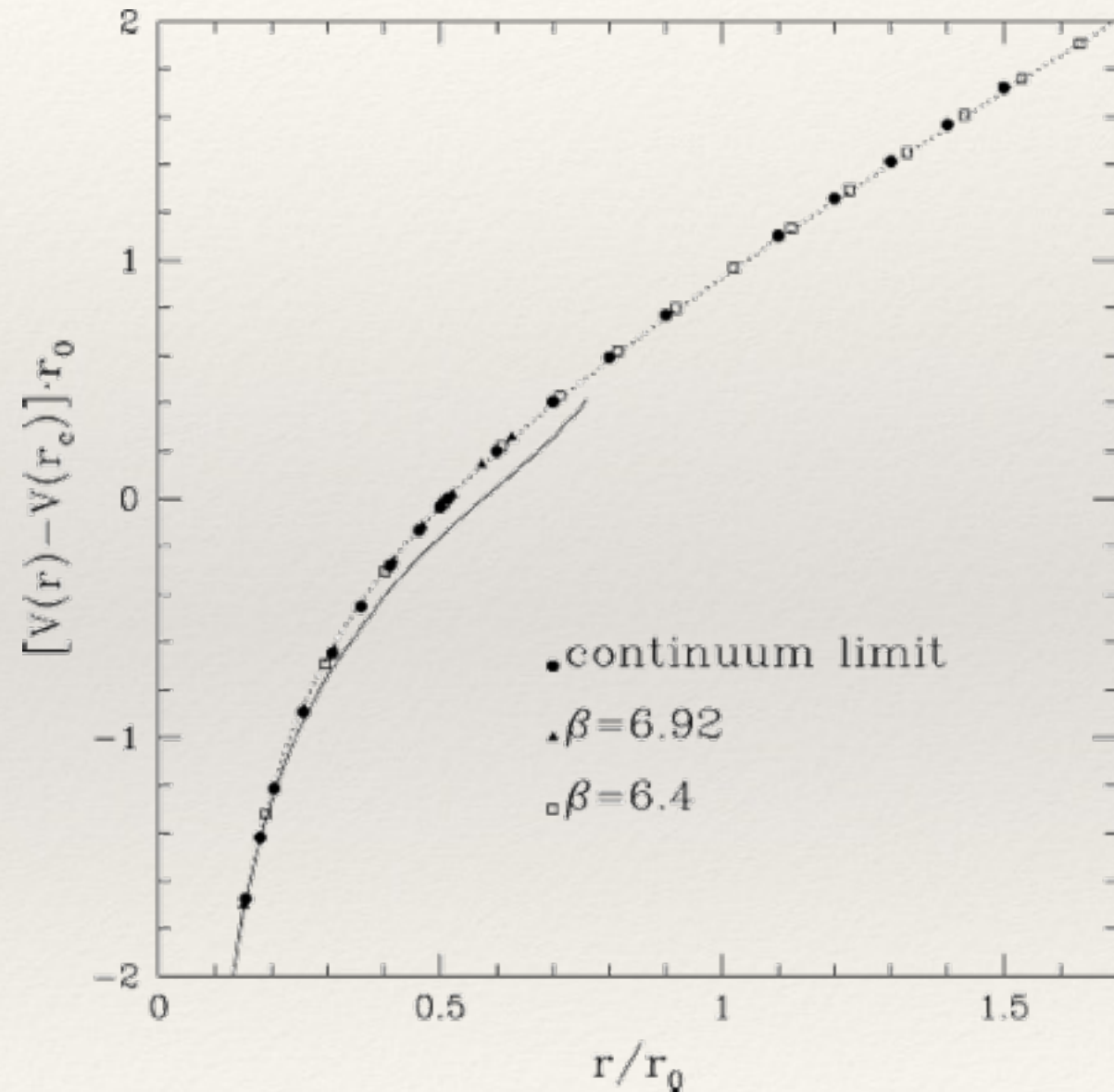
QCD

asymptotic freedom



PDG

confinement



Necco & Sommer NPB 622 (2002)

Lattice QCD

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^a F^{a\mu\nu} + \sum_f \bar{\psi}_f (i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_f) \psi_f$$

Free parameters:

- gauge coupling $g \rightarrow \alpha_s = g^2/4\pi$
- quark masses $m_f = u, d, s, c, b, t$

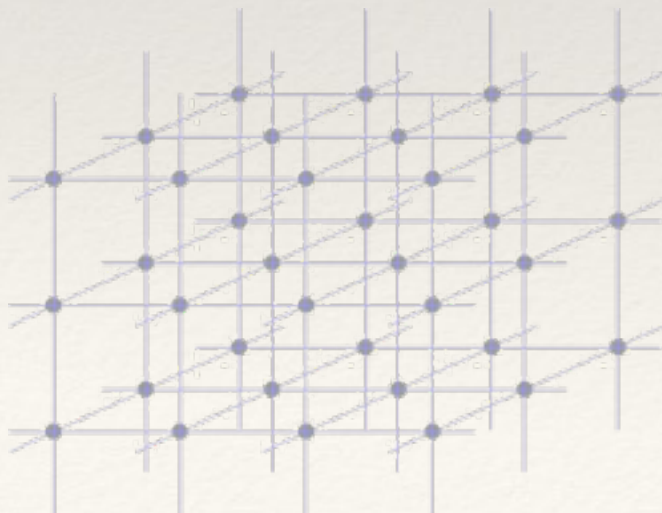
- Lagrangian of massless gluons and *almost massless quarks*
- what experiment sees are bound states, e.g. $m_\pi, m_P \gg m_{u,d}$
- underlying physics non-perturbative

Path integral quantisation:

$$\langle 0|O|0\rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \int \mathcal{D}[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}] O e^{-iS_{\text{lat}}[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}]}$$

$$\langle 0|O|0\rangle = \frac{1}{\mathcal{Z}} \int \mathcal{D}[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}] O e^{-S_{\text{lat}}[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}]}$$

Euclidean space-time
Boltzmann factor



finite volume, space-time grid (IR and UV regulators)
 $\propto L^{-1} \propto a^{-1}$

- well defined, finite dimensional Euclidean path integral
- from first principles

Lattice QCD

- gauge-invariant regularisation (Wilson 1974)
- naively: replace derivatives by finite differences, integrals by sums
- finite volume lattice path integral still over large number of degrees of freedom $> O(10^{10})$
- Evaluate discretised path integral by means of Markov Chain Monte Carlo on state-of-the-art HPC installations
- UK computing time via STFC's DiRAC consortium



Euclidean correlation function

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(t) \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(0)^\dagger | 0 \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int \mathcal{D}[\bar{\psi}, \psi, U] \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(t) \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(0)^\dagger e^{-S[\bar{\psi}, \psi, U]}$$

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(t) \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(0)^\dagger | 0 \rangle = \sum_{\vec{x}, n} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(\vec{x}) | n \rangle \langle n | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle$$

two-point function

$$= \sum_n |\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(0) | n \rangle|^2 e^{-E_n t_x}$$

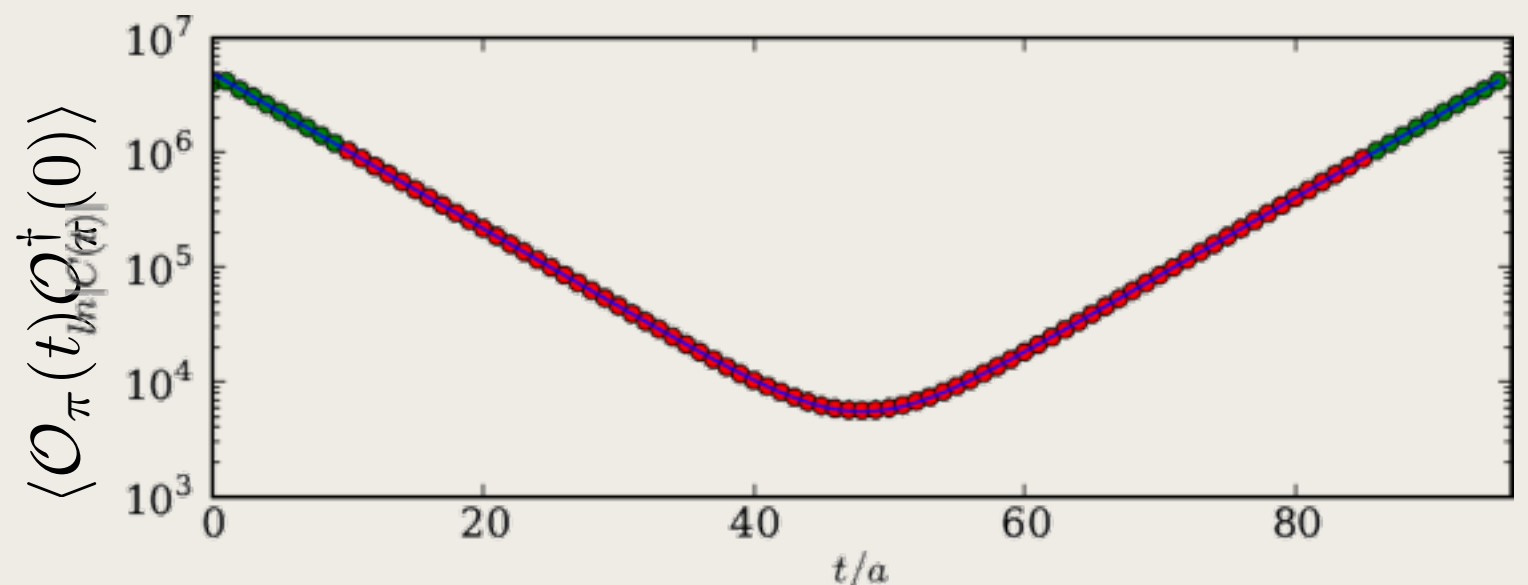
$$\stackrel{t \rightarrow \infty}{=} |\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{B_s}(0) | B_s \rangle|^2 e^{-m_{B_s} t_x}$$

extract physical properties from fits to simulation data:

- normalisation \rightarrow matrix element
(e.g. decay constant)
- time-dependence \rightarrow particle spectrum
(e.g. meson mass)
- stat. errors from MC sampling over N field configurations

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \mathcal{O}^\dagger \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N [\mathcal{O} \mathcal{O}^\dagger]_n$$

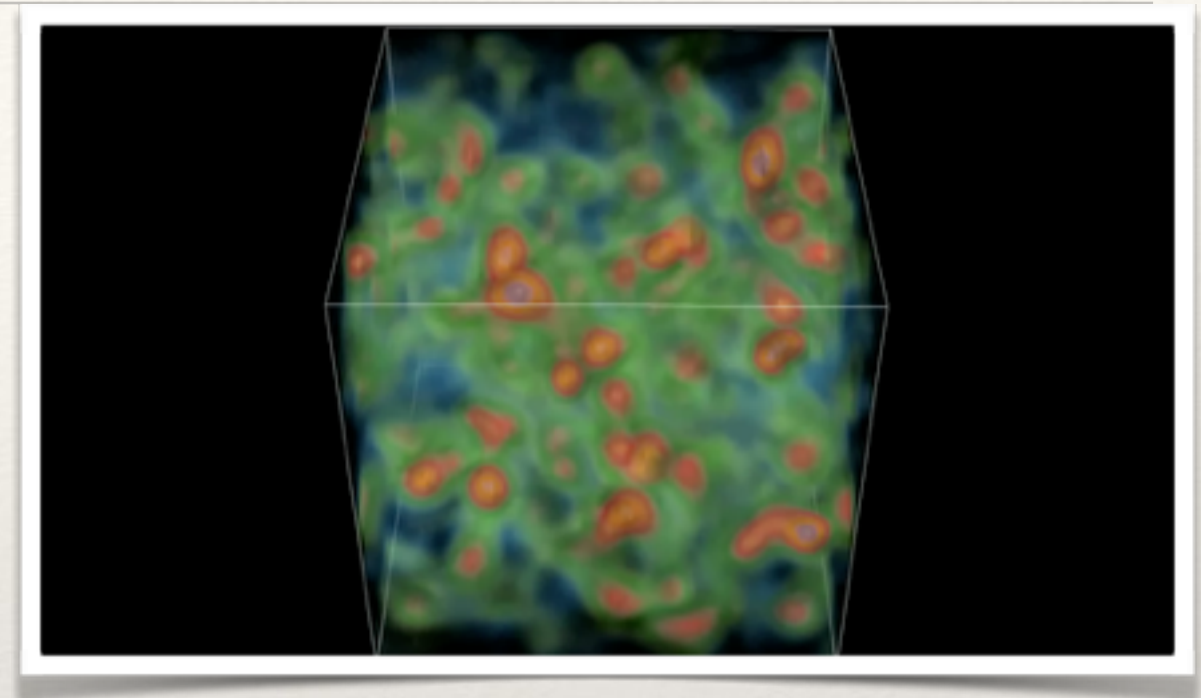
(bootstrap, jackknife error analysis, autocorrelation analysis, ...)



State of the art of lattice QCD simulations

What we can do

- simulations of QCD with dynamical (sea) u, d, s, c quarks with masses as found in nature $\rightarrow N_f = 2, 2 + 1, 2 + 1 + 1$
- bottom only as valence quark
- cut-off $a^{-1} \leq 4\text{GeV}$
- volume $L \leq 6\text{fm}$



action density of RBC/UKQCD physical point DWF ensemble

Parameter tuning

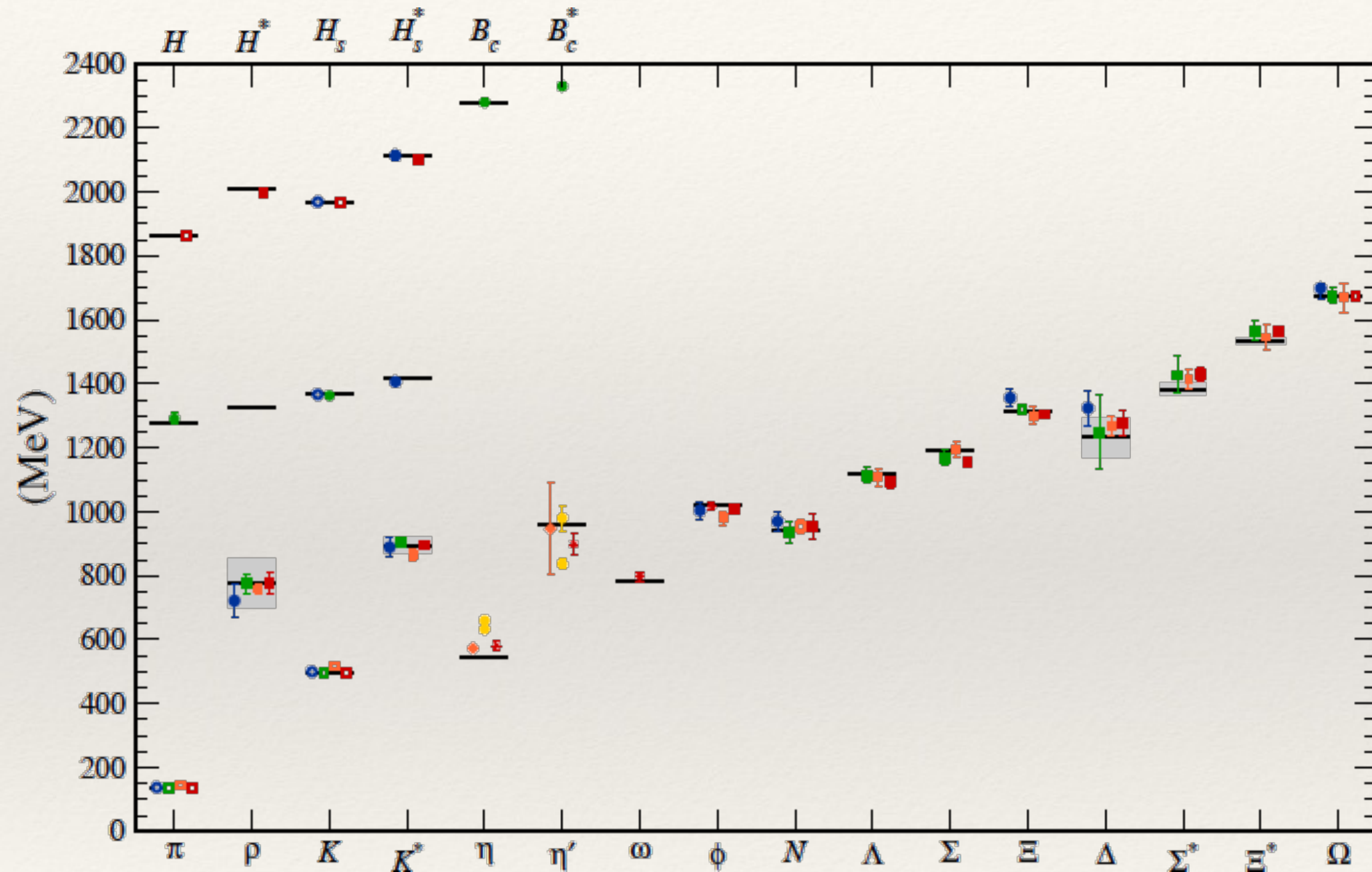
start from *educated guesses* and:

- tune light quark mass am_l such that
$$\frac{am_\pi}{am_P} = \frac{m_\pi^{PDG}}{m_P^{PDG}}$$
- tune strange quark mass such that
$$\frac{am_\pi}{am_K} = \frac{m_\pi^{PDG}}{m_K^{PDG}}$$
- determine physical lattice spacing
$$a = \frac{af_\pi}{f_\pi^{PDG}}$$

IMPORTANT:

once the QCD-parameters are *tuned* no further parameters need to be fixed and we can make fully predictive simulations of QCD

benchmark - the hadron spectrum

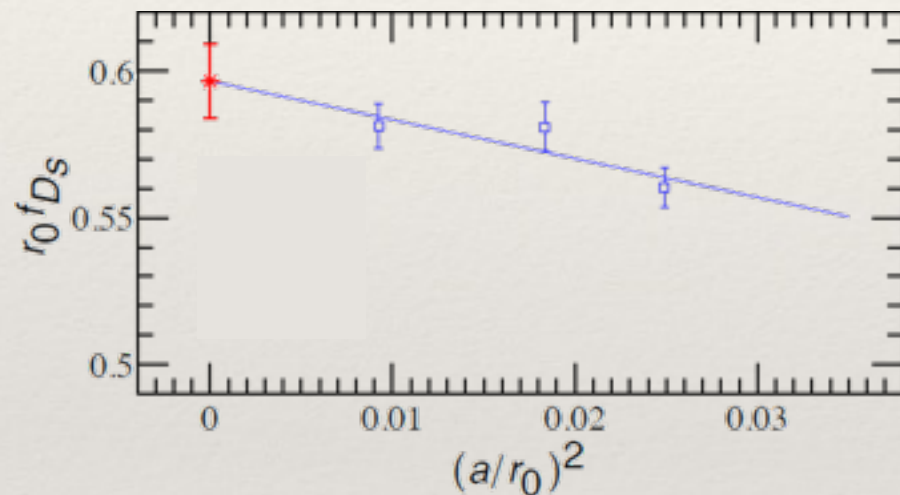


Kronfeld, Ann. Rev. of Nucl. Part. Sci 2012 62

lattice - systematics

In practice one needs to control a number of sources of systematic uncertainties, most notably:

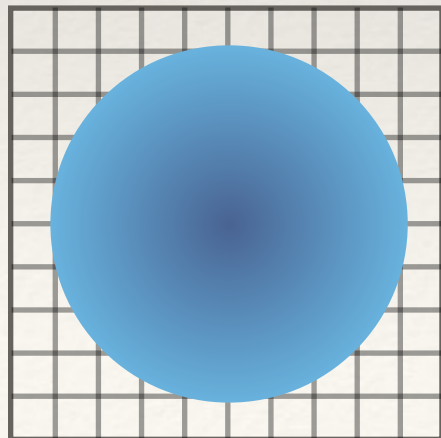
- **discr. errors** (lattice spacing a)



$$S_{\text{eff}} = \int d^4x \{ \mathcal{L}_0(x) + a\mathcal{L}_1(x) + a^2\mathcal{L}_2(x) + \dots \}$$

Symanzik 1982,1983

- **finite volume errors** (box size L)

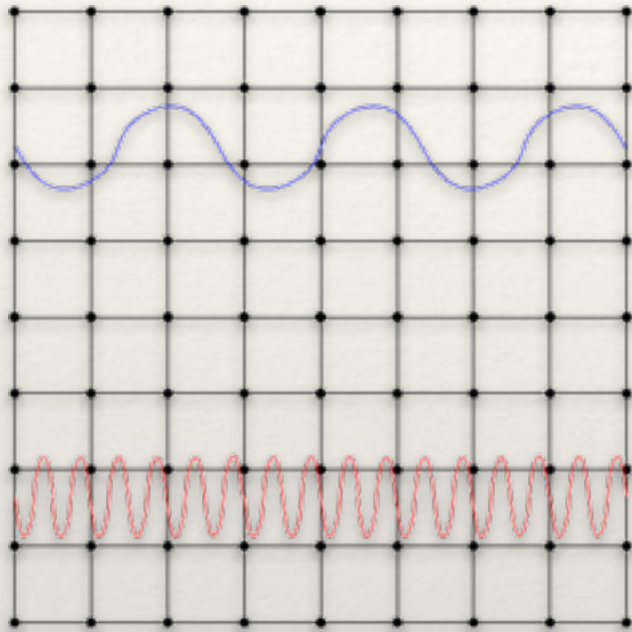


In QCD for simple ME $\propto e^{-m_\pi L} \propto O(1\%)$

more complicated for processes with several hadrons in initial or final state

Lüscher Commun.Math.Phys. 105 (1986) 153-188, Nucl. Phys. B354, 531 (1991)

a state-of-the-art lattice



need to keep

$$a^{-1} \ll \text{relevant scales} \ll L^{-1}$$

- for $m_\pi=140\text{MeV}$ the constraint for controlled finite volume effects of $m_\pi L \gtrsim 4$ suggests $L \approx 6\text{fm}$
- for charm quarks to be well resolved $am_c < 1$ e.g. a^{-1} larger than $\approx 2.5\text{GeV}$ needed
- lattices with $L/a \gtrsim 80$ needed

Fulfilling all the constraints is just starting to happen

(e.g. first $96^3 \times 192$ have been generated (MILC)) in the meantime most collaborations

- weaken the finite volume effects by simulating unphysically heavy pions
- extrapolate from coarser lattices relying on assumptions for functional form of cutoff effects

Lattice pheno - what's possible

- **Standard:**

- meson ME with single incoming and / or outgoing pseudo-scalar states
 $\pi, K, D_{(s)}, B_{(s)} \rightarrow \text{QCD} - \text{vacuum}, \pi \rightarrow \pi, K \rightarrow \pi, D \rightarrow K, B \rightarrow \pi, \dots, B_K, (B_D), B_B$
- QCD parameters: quark masses, strong coupling constant
- meson / baryon spectroscopy of stable (in QCD) states

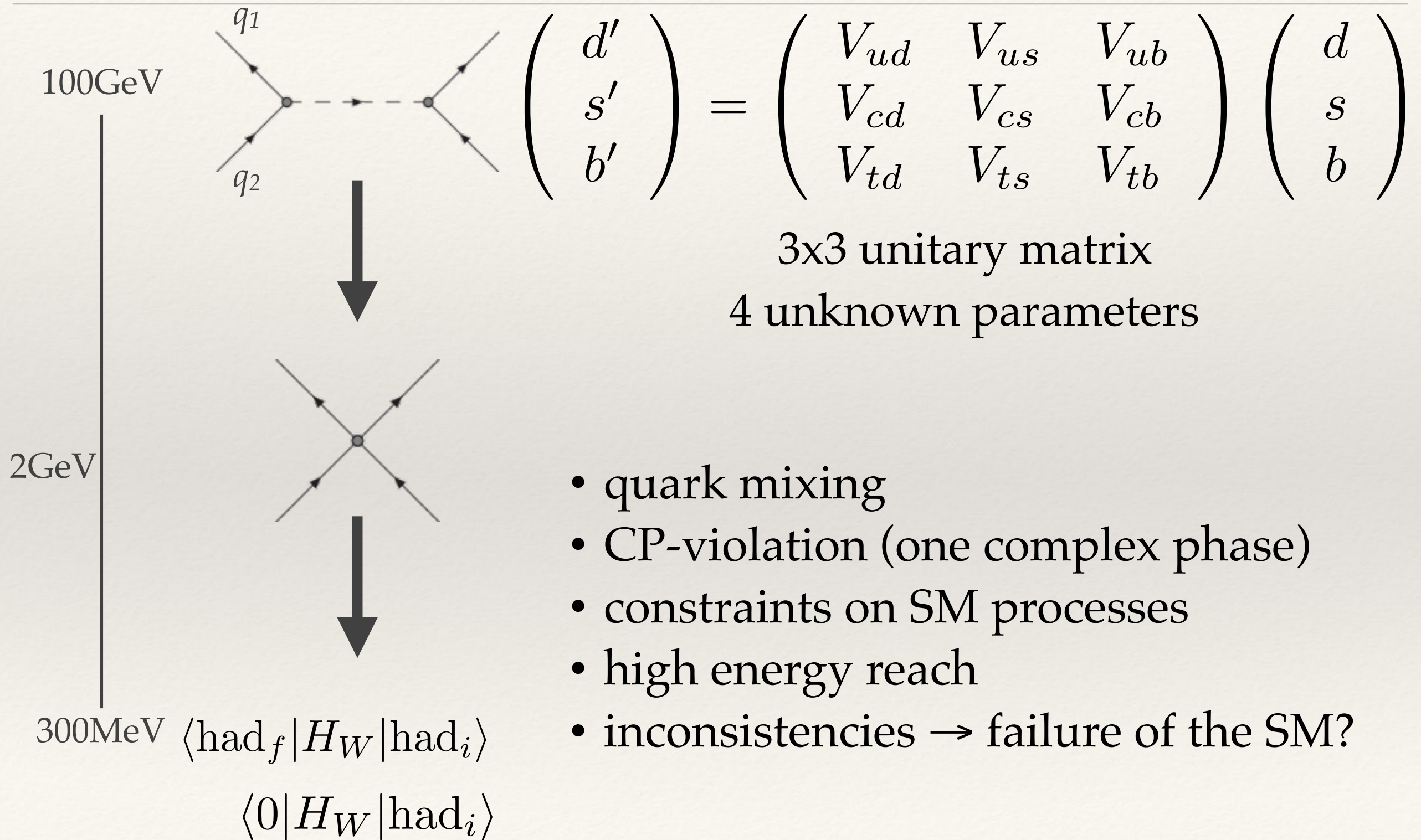
- **Challenging:**

- two initial / final hadronic states, one channel $\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi, K\pi \rightarrow K\pi, K \rightarrow \pi\pi, \dots$
- elm. effects in spectra
- long-distance contributions in e.g. rare Kaon decays, K -mixing

- **Very challenging - new ideas needed/no clue:**

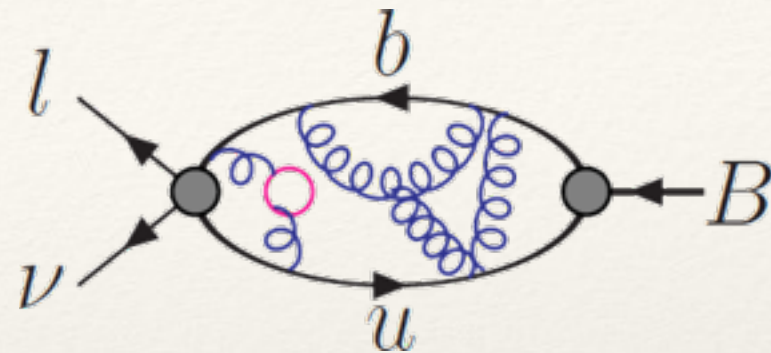
- multi-channel final states (hadronic D, B) (e.g. Hansen, Sharpe PRD86, 016007 (2012))
- transition MEs with unstable in / out states (Briceño et al. arXiv:1406.5965)
- electromagnetic effects in hadronic MEs

Quark Flavour Physics



Quark Flavour Physics

e.g tree level leptonic B decay:



Assumed factorisation: $\Gamma_{\text{exp.}} \stackrel{???}{=} V_{\text{CKM}}(\text{WEAK})(\text{EM})(\text{STRONG})$
 currently EFT

$$\underbrace{\Gamma(B \rightarrow l\nu_l)}_{\text{theory}} = \underbrace{|V_{ub}|^2}_{\text{output}} \underbrace{\frac{m_B}{8\pi} G_F^2 m_l^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_B^2}\right)^2}_{\text{theory prediction}} \underbrace{f_B^2}_{\text{theory prediction}}$$

Experimental measurement + theory prediction allows for extraction of CKM MEs

Flavour Physics

Determine CKM elements \longleftrightarrow (indirect) test of SM:

- over-determine elements of V_{CKM} and check consistency of CKM paradigm
 - unitarity tests:
 - rows and columns are (in SM) complex unit vectors
 - rows (columns) are orthogonal to other rows (columns)
- violation of unitarity would indicate non-SM physics

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

row-test

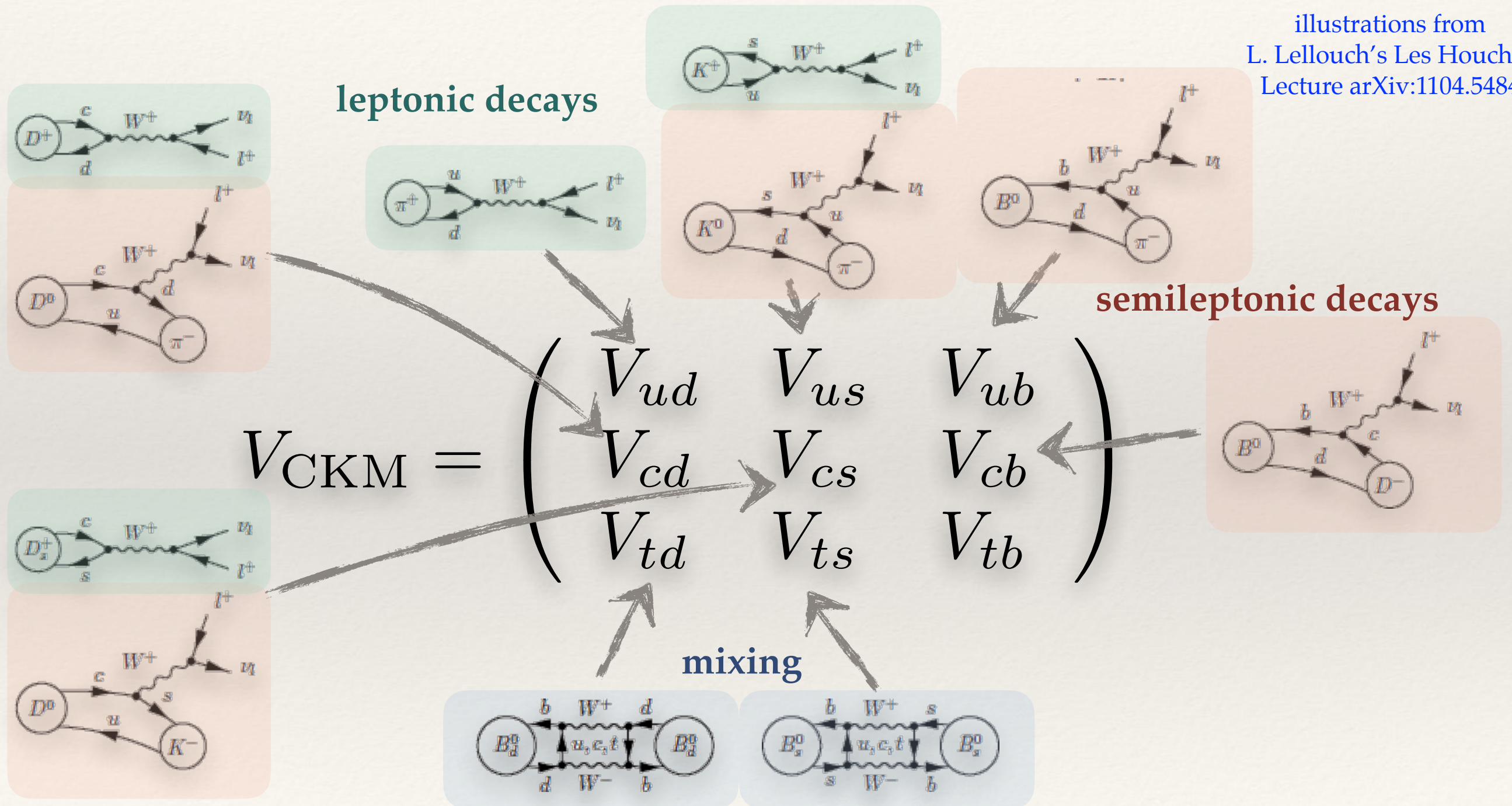
$$\sum_{U=u,c,t} V_{Ud}V_{Ub}^* \stackrel{?}{=} 0$$

triangle-test

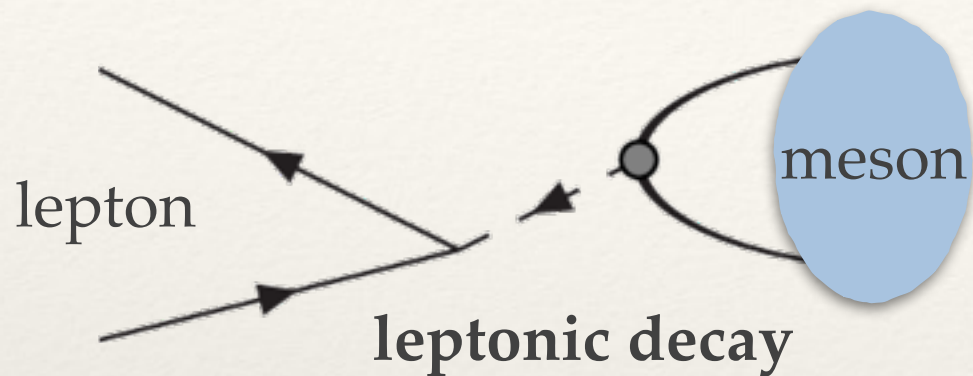
- Which channels still allow room for NP?
How much NP would be compatible with measurements?
What would be the properties of NP?

Lattice flavour physics and CKM

illustrations from
L. Lellouch's Les Houches
Lecture arXiv:1104.5484



“tree” kaon/pion decays

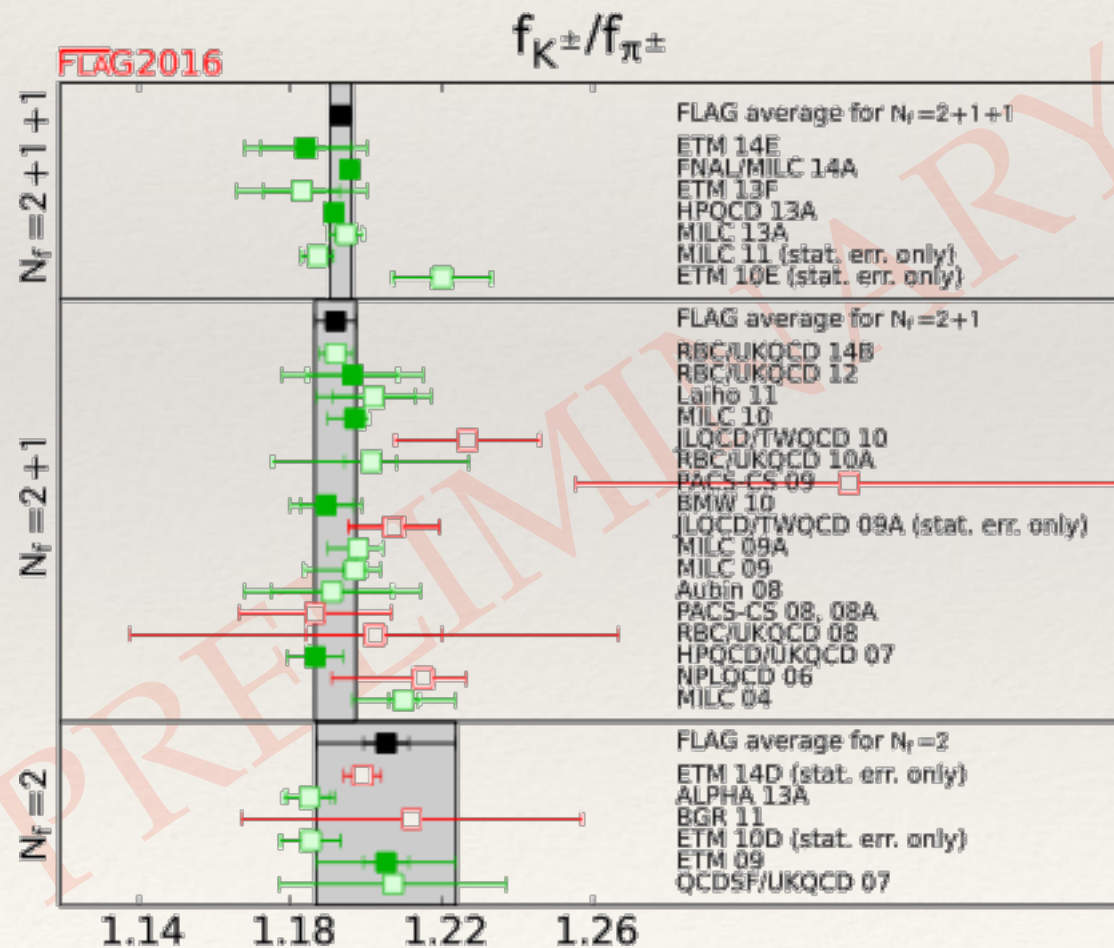


$$\Gamma(K \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} f_K^2 m_\mu^2 m_K \left(1 - \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_K^2}\right)^2 |V_{us}|^2$$

$$\langle 0 | \bar{s} / \bar{d} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u | K / \pi(p) \rangle = i f_{K/\pi} p_\mu$$

$$\frac{\Gamma(K \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu)}{\Gamma(\pi \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu)} = \frac{|V_{us}|^2}{|V_{ud}|^2} \left(\frac{f_K}{f_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{m_K (1 - m_\mu^2/m_K^2)^2}{m_\pi (1 - m_\mu^2/m_\pi^2)^2} \times 0.9930(35)$$

Marciano, Phys.Rev.Lett. 2004



Standard calculations and results - FLAG

Flavour Lattice Averaging Group

“What’s currently the best lattice value for a particular quantity?”

FLAG-1 (Eur. Phys. J. C71 (2011) 1695)

FLAG-2 (<http://itpwiki.unibe.ch/flag/>, Eur.Phys.J. C74 (2014) 2890)

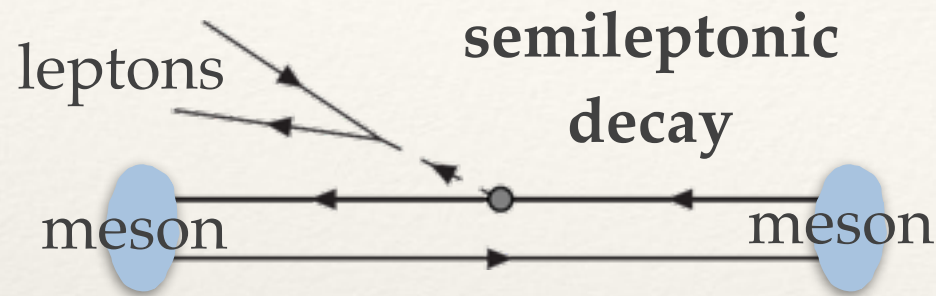
FLAG-3 - working on it

- quantities:

$m_{u,d,s,c,b}$
 $f_K / f_\pi, f_+^{K\pi}(0), B_K, SU(2)$ and $SU(3)$ LECs
 $f_{D(s)}, f_{B(s)}, B_{B(s)}, B_{(s)}$ – and $D_{(s)}$ – semileptonic
 α_s

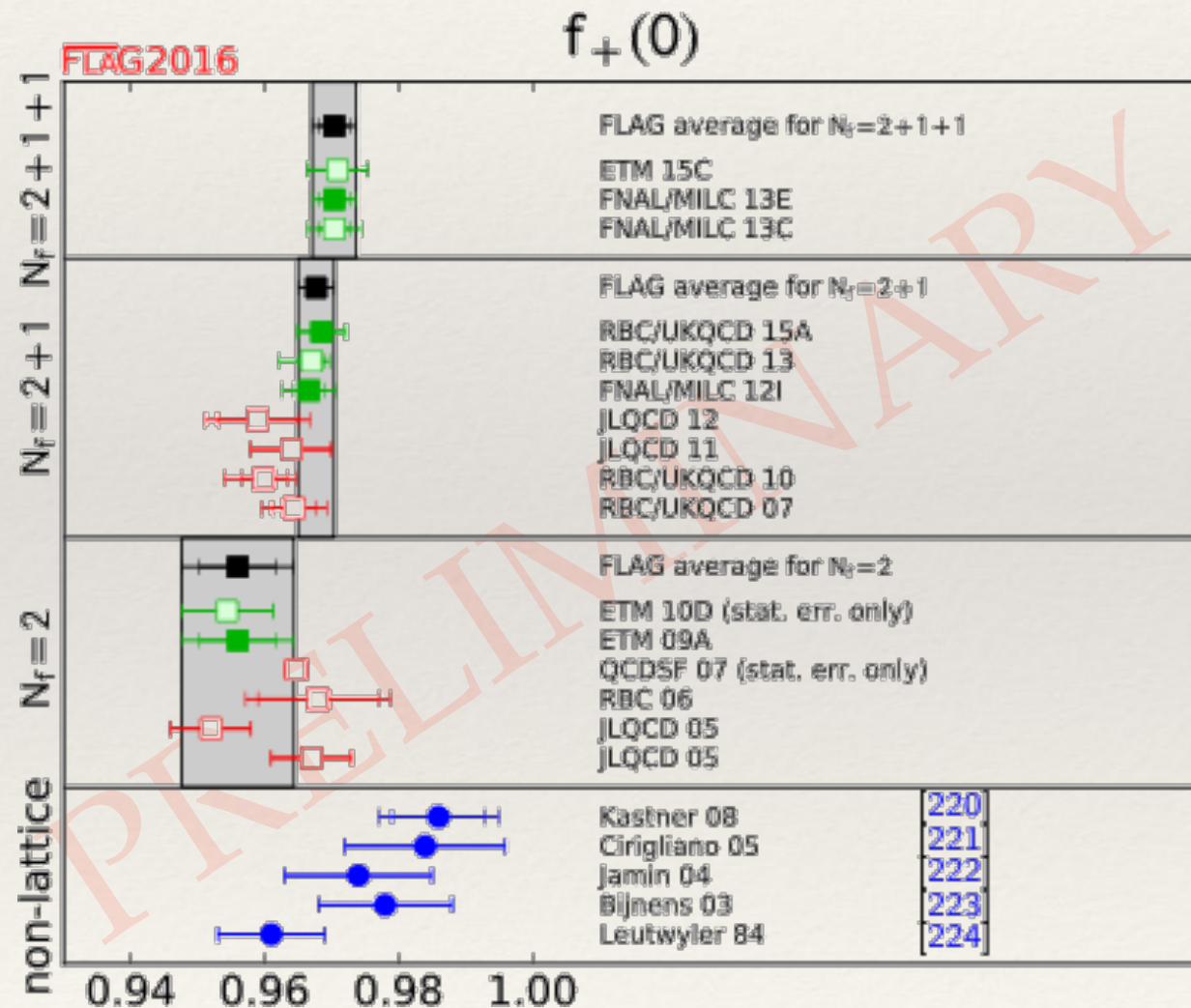
- summary of results
 - evaluation according to FLAG quality criteria (colour coding)
 - averages of best values where possible
 - detailed summary of properties of individual simulations

“tree” kaon/pion decays



$$\Gamma_{K \rightarrow \pi l \nu} = C_K^2 \frac{G_F^2 m_K^5}{192 \pi^2} S_{EW} (1 + \Delta_{SU(2)} + \Delta_{EM})^2 I |f_+^{K\pi}(0)|^2 |V_{us}|^2$$

$$\langle \pi(p_\pi) | V_\mu(0) | K(p_K) \rangle = f_+^{K\pi}(q^2) (p_K + p_\pi)_\mu + f_-^{K\pi}(q^2) (p_K - p_\pi)_\mu$$



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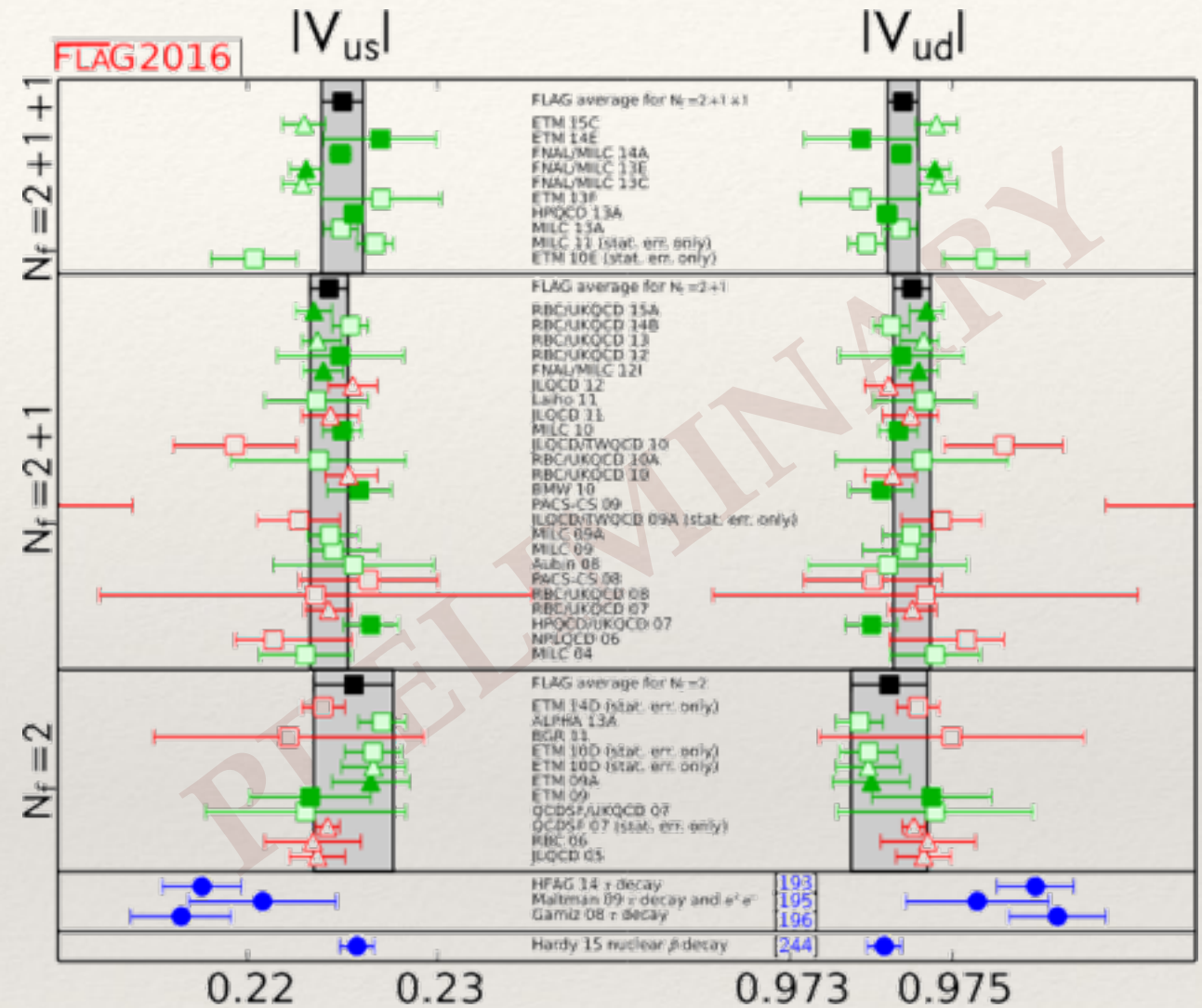
$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 \approx |V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

Experimental results:

$$|V_{us}| f_+(0) = 0.2163(5)$$

$$\frac{f_K}{f_\pi} \frac{|V_{us}|}{|V_{ud}|} = 0.2758(5)$$

FLAVIA Kaon WG EPJ C 69, 399-424 (2010)
KTeV, Istra, KLOE, NA48



Numerical results from FLAG2, illustrations (preliminary) from FLAG3

First row unitarity:

- $f_+^{K\pi}(0)$ and $|V_{ud}|$ from experiment
- f_K/f_π and $|V_{ud}|$ from experiment
- $f_+^{K\pi}(0)$ and f_K/f_π from lattice

	$f_+(0), V_{ud} $	$f_K/f_\pi, V_{ud} $	combined
$N_f = 2+1$	0.9993(5)	1.0000(6)	0.987(10)
$N_f = 2$	1.0004(10)	0.9989(16)	1.029(35)

Eur.Phys.J. C74 (2014) 2890
[arXiv:1310.8555](https://arxiv.org/abs/1310.8555)

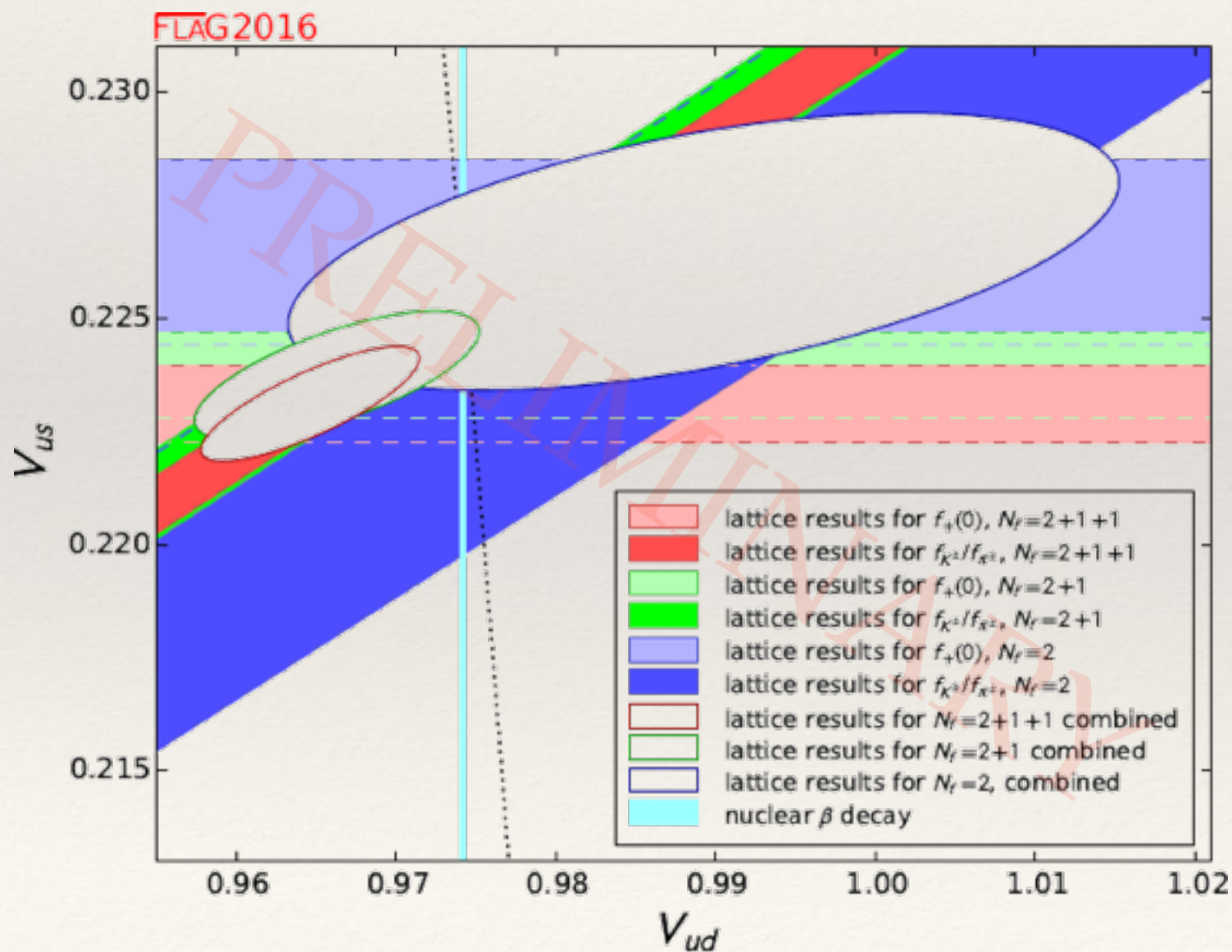
$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 \approx |V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$

FLAG V_{us} Working Group (Boyle, Kaneko, Simula)

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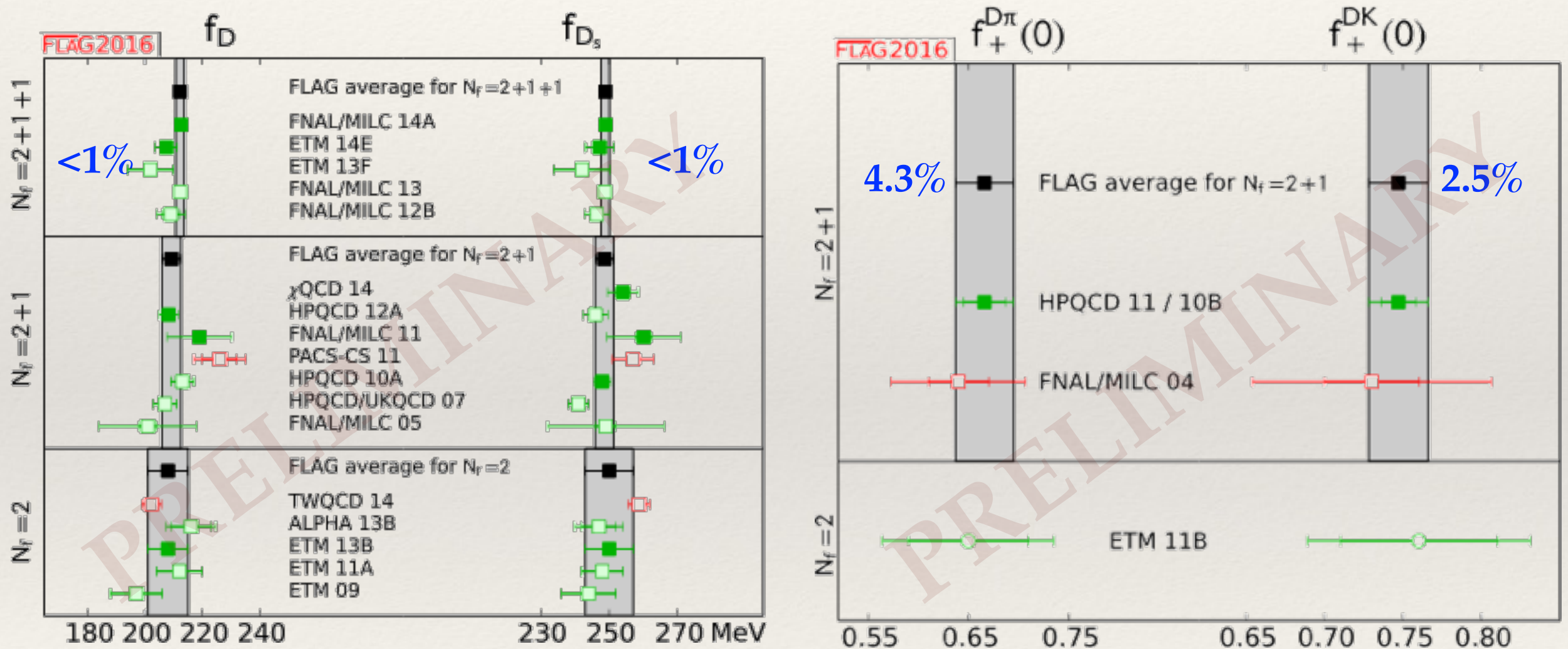
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[arXiv:1005.2323](https://arxiv.org/abs/1005.2323)



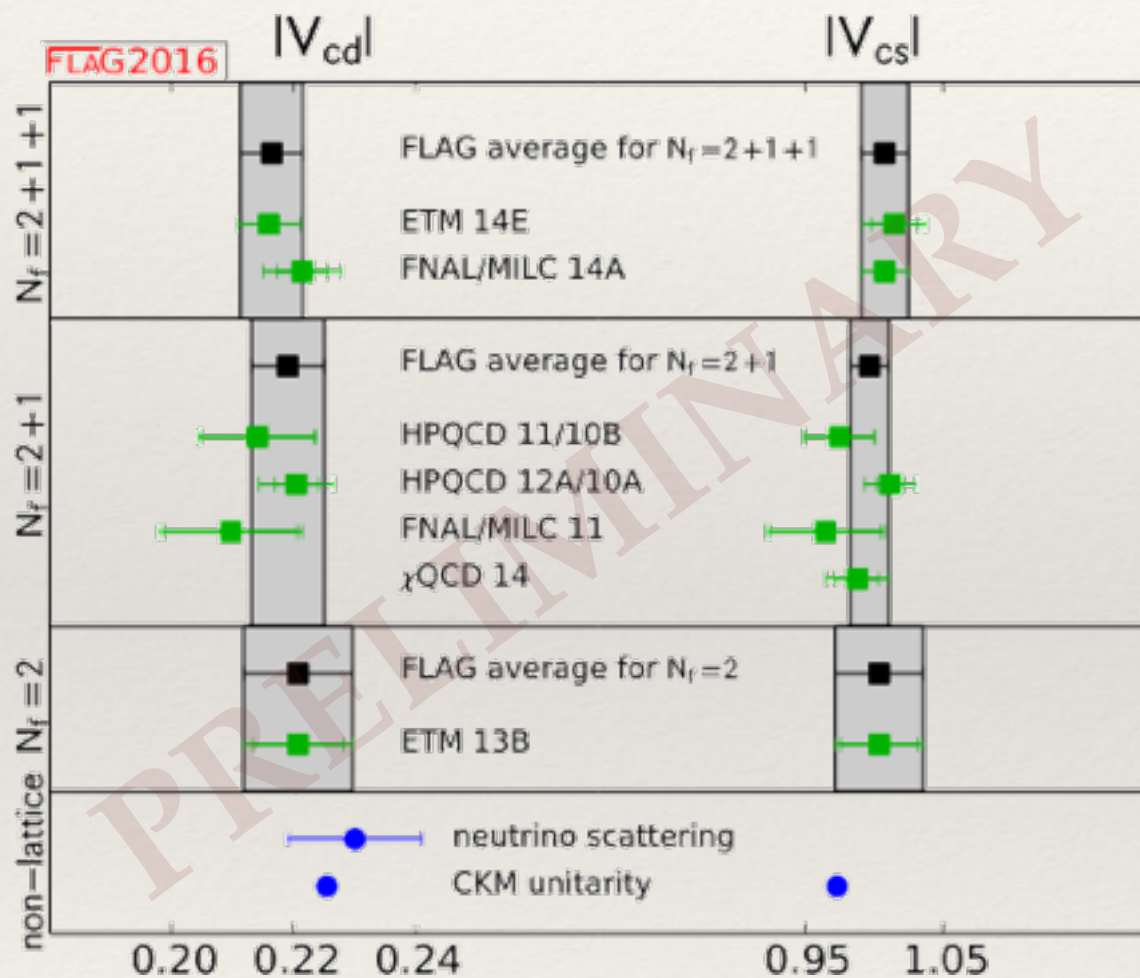
high precision test of
SM unitarity - no worrisome
tension at sub-percent-level
precision

Leptonic $D_{(s)}$ meson decays

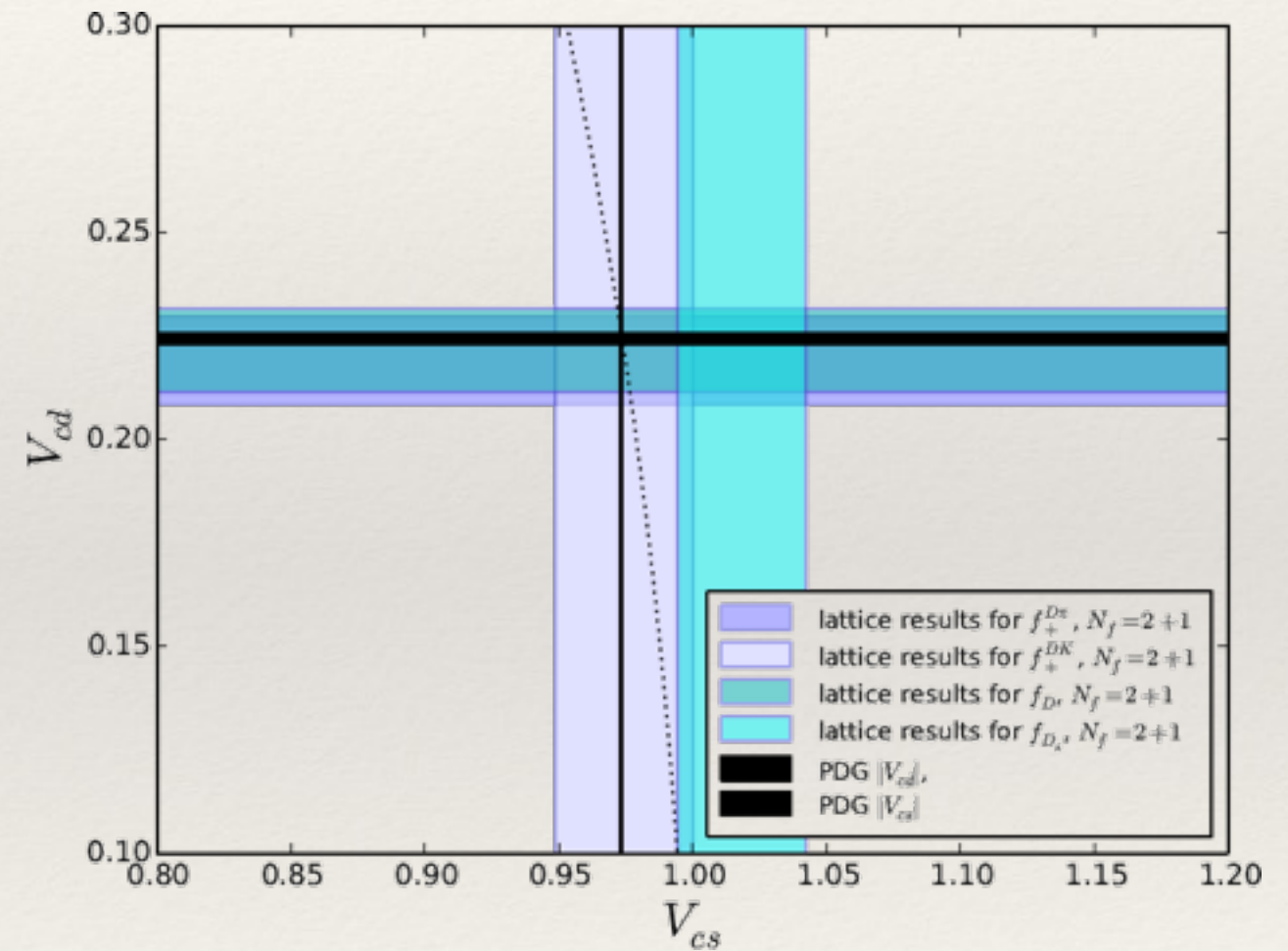


Results for $|V_{cd}|$ and $|V_{cs}|$

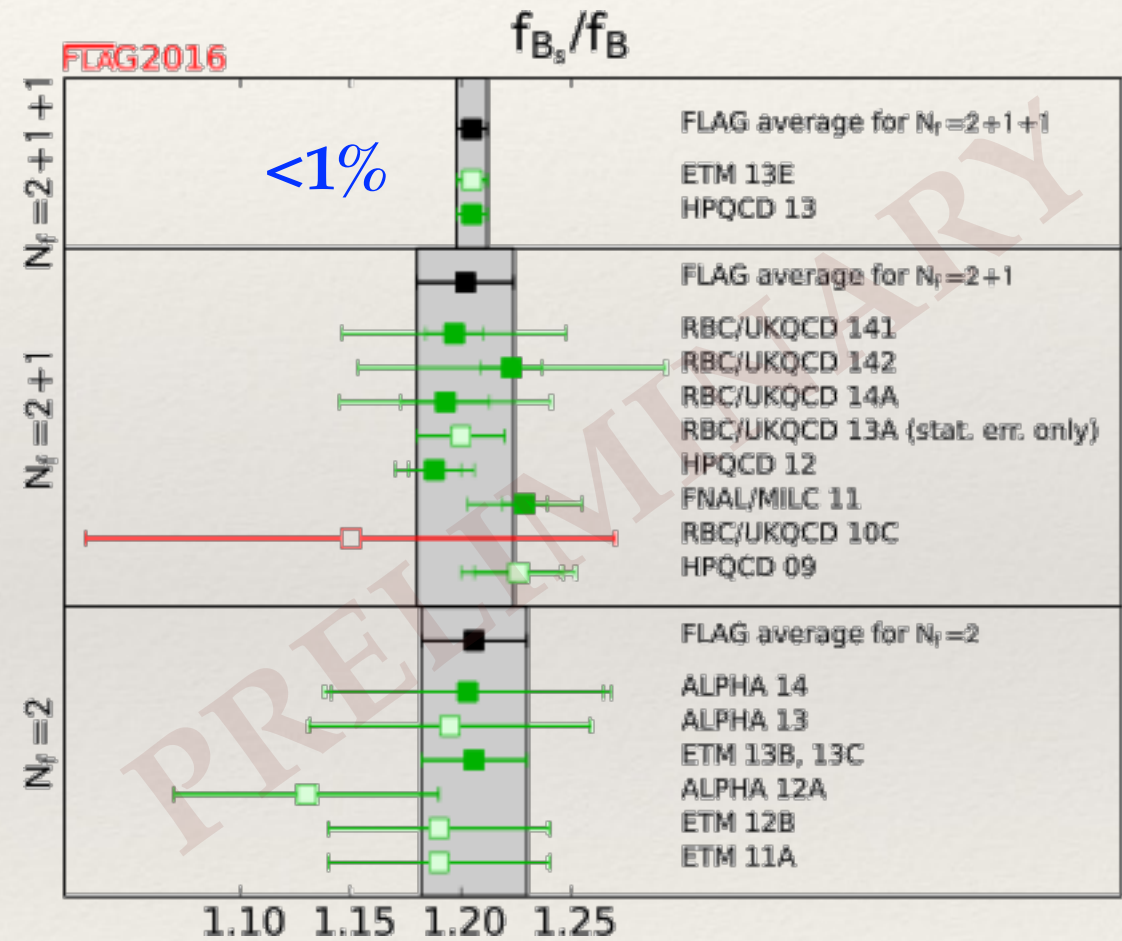
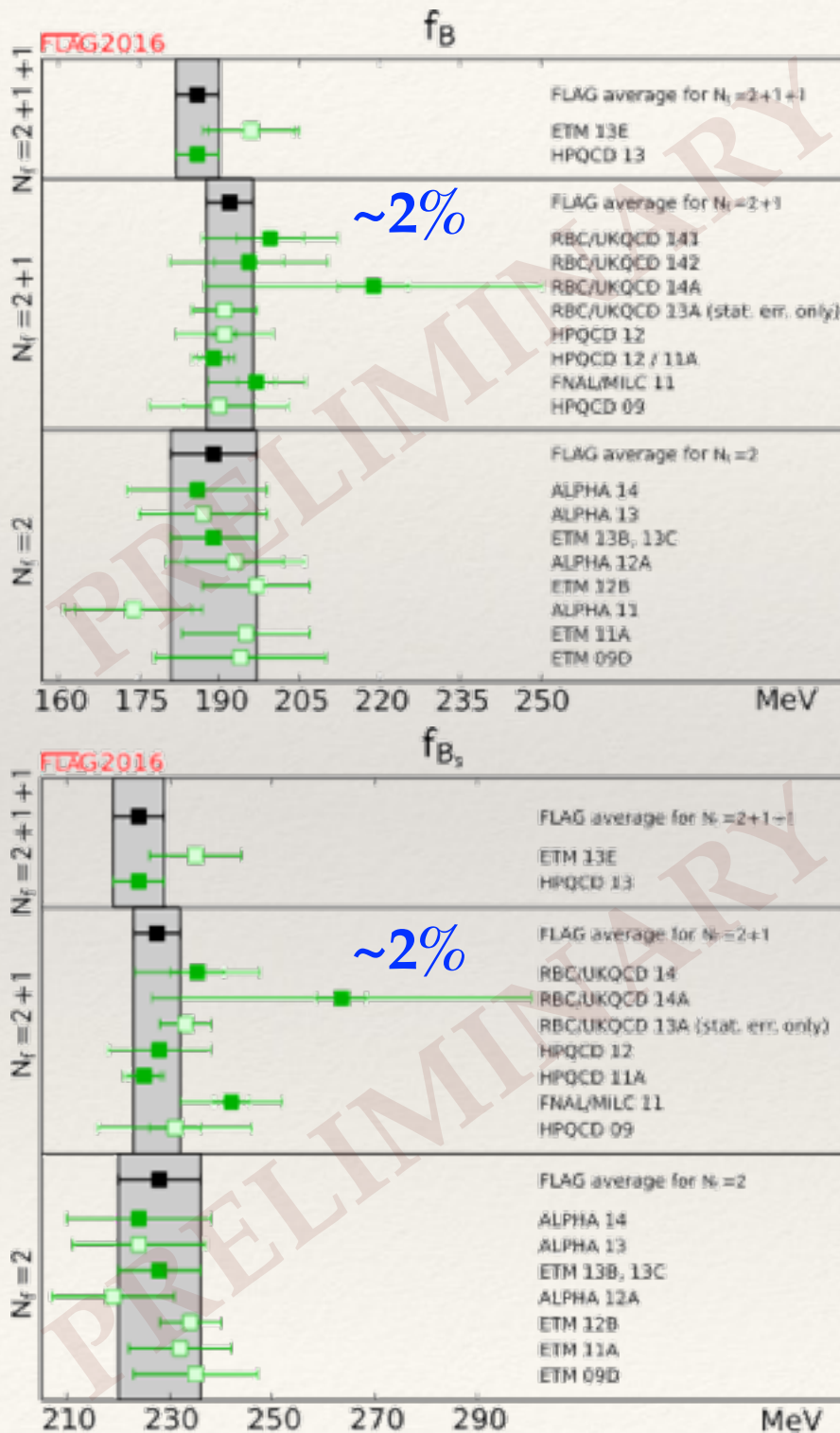
$$f_D|V_{cd}| = 45.91(1.05) \text{ MeV}, \quad f_{D_s}|V_{cs}| = 250.9(4.0) \text{ MeV} \quad \text{PDG}$$



$N_f=2+1$ unitarity analysis



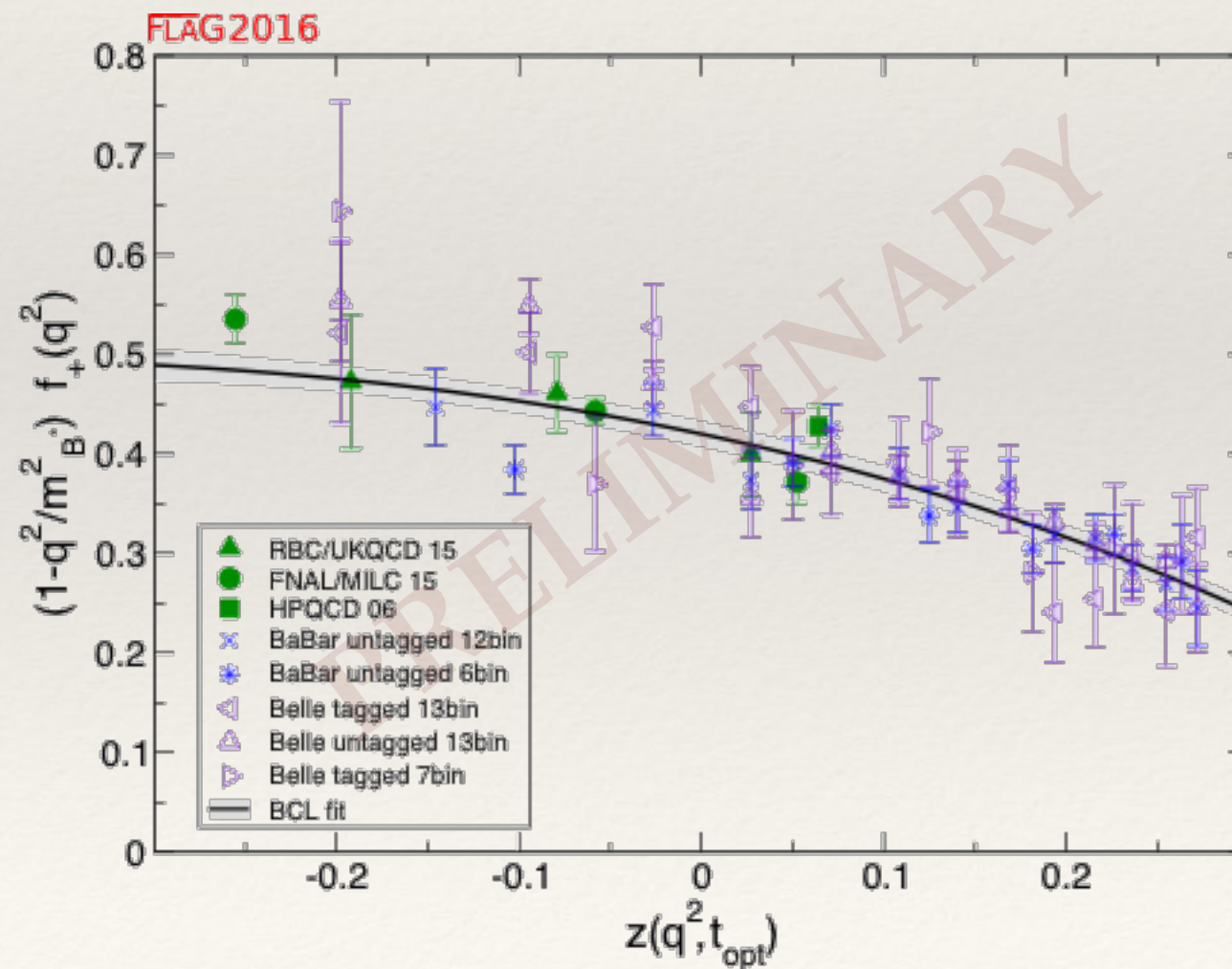
Leptonic beauty decays



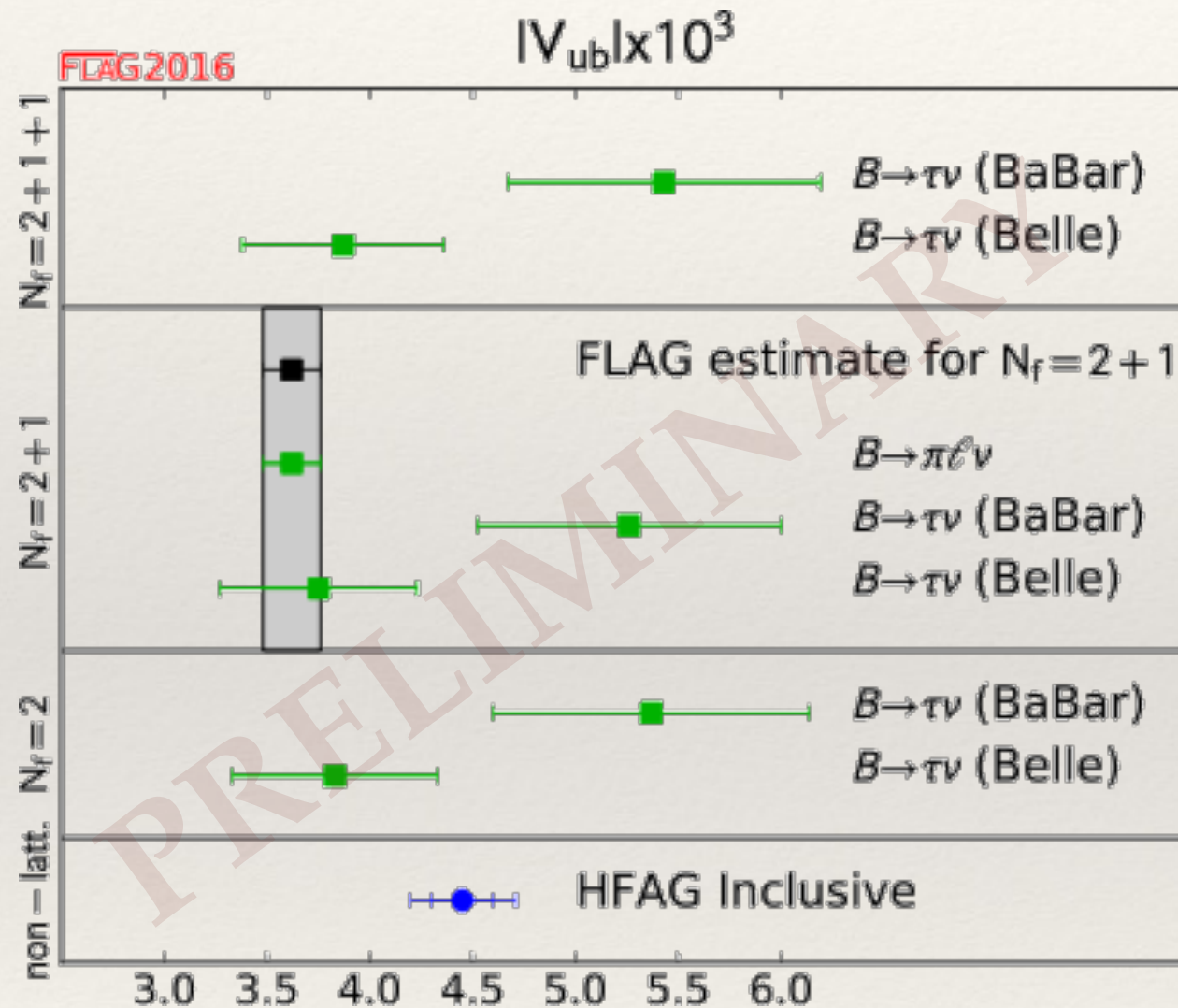
Semileptonic beauty decays

Kinematical reach limited in lattice QCD \rightarrow extract value of V_{ub} from simultaneous analysis of exp. and lattice data

$$q^2 = (E_B - E_{\text{light}})^2 - (\vec{p}_B - \vec{p}_{\text{light}})^2 \quad \vec{p} = \frac{2\pi}{L} \vec{n}$$



Results for $|V_{ub}|$

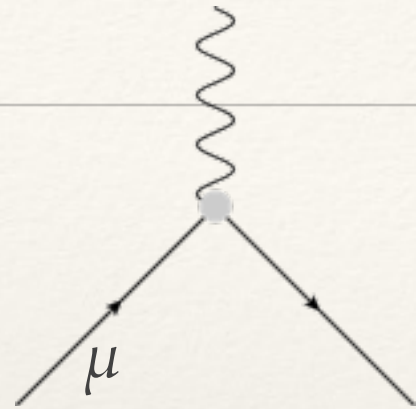


- tension between betw. incl. and excl. semileptonic decays
- slight tension in exp data Belle/BaBar
- looking forward to Belle II

Flavour summary

- (non-rare) Lattice Flavour Physics is a mature research field
- many independent groups competing
- sub-percent precision for some quantities
- FLAG summarises particularly mature quantities for use in SM and BSM phenomenology (FLAG-3 very very soon)

$(g-2)_\mu$

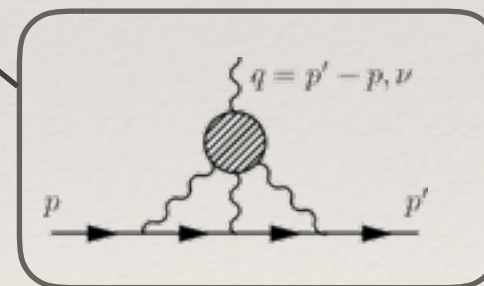
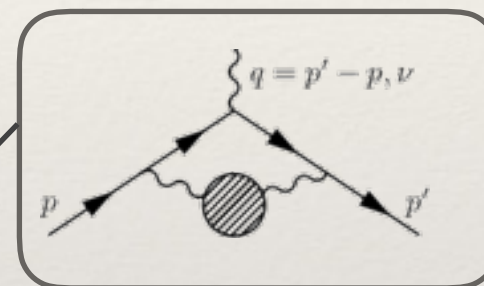


$$\langle e(\vec{p}') | j_\nu | e(\vec{p}) \rangle = -e \bar{u}(\vec{p}') \left[F_1(q^2) \gamma_\nu + i \frac{F_2(q^2)}{4m} [\gamma_\nu, \gamma_\rho] q_\rho \right] u(\vec{p})$$

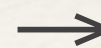
$$F_2(0) = \frac{g-2}{2} \equiv a_\mu$$

PDG 2013

contribution	val $\times 10^{11}$	$\delta \times 10^{11}$
QED	116584718.95	0.08
EW	153.6	1.0
HVP LO	6923	42
HVP NLO	-98.4	0.6
HVP LBL	105	26
SM	116591803	49
EXP	116592091	63

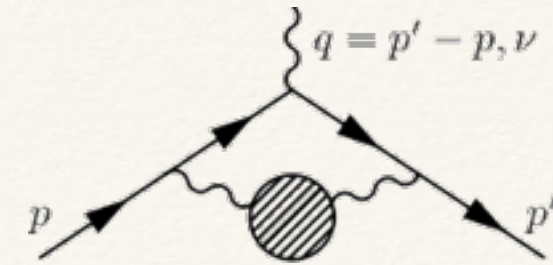


- discrepancy $> 3\sigma$
- new experiments (Fermilab, J-PARC)
- HVP LO from $e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$
- HVP LBL model based



warrants any attempt at first principles computation

LO HVP



$$a_\mu^{LO HVP} = 4\alpha^2 \int_0^\infty dQ^2 f(Q^2) (\Pi(Q^2) - \Pi(0))$$

Euclidean momenta!

T. Blum PRL 91 (2003) 052001

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu}(Q) = \int d^4x e^{-iQx} \langle j_\mu(x) j_\nu(0) \rangle$$

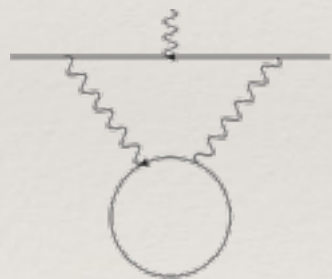
vector-vector
2pt-function

$$\Pi(Q^2) = \frac{\Pi_{\mu\nu}(Q^2)}{\delta_{\mu\nu}Q^2 - Q_\mu Q_\nu}$$

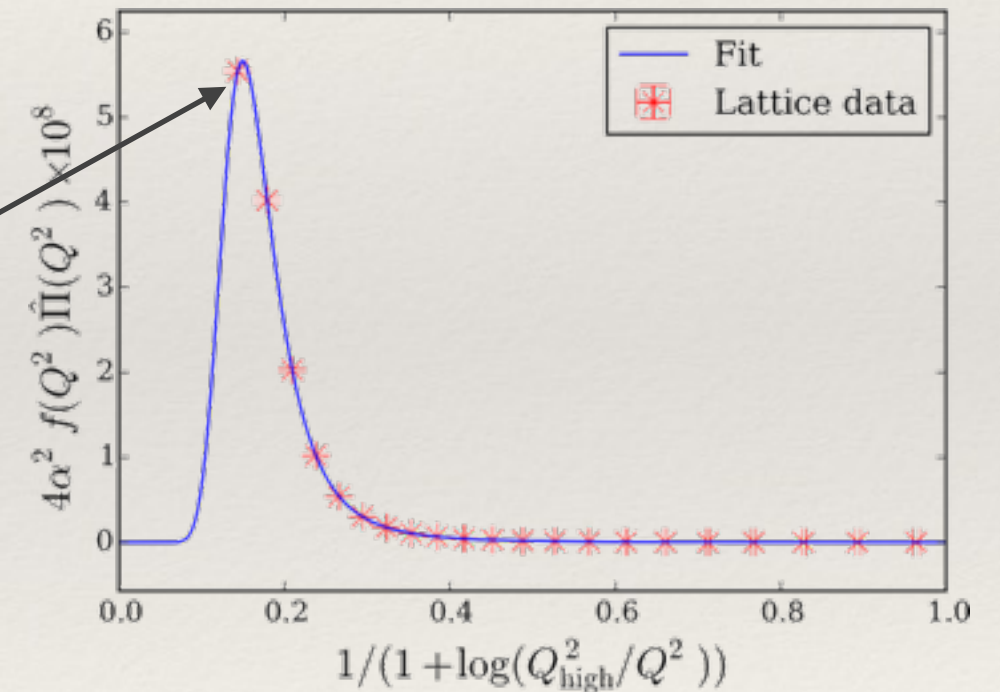
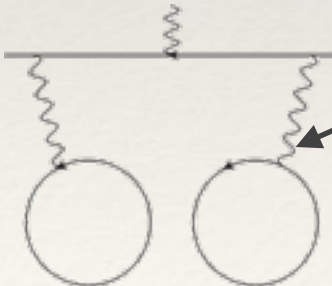
non-trivial:

- bad signal / noise ratio \rightarrow stat. error
- integrand peaked at small Q^2 which is inaccessible on current lattices due to $p_i \sim 2\pi/L$
- Π not defined at $Q^2 = 0$
- quark-disconnected contributions
- isospin breaking

connected

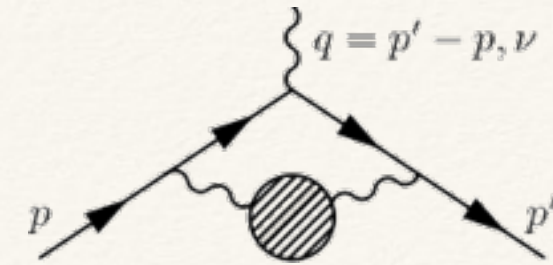


disconnected



But last years have seen tremendous progress !!!

LO HVP



[arXiv:1601.03071](https://arxiv.org/abs/1601.03071)

JHEP 1604 (2016) 063 [arXiv:1602.01767](https://arxiv.org/abs/1602.01767)
[arXiv:1512.09054](https://arxiv.org/abs/1512.09054)

$a_\mu \times 10^{10}$	HPQCD	RBC/UKQCD
light	598(11)	work in progress
strange	53.4(6)	52.4(2.1)
charm	14.4(4)	work in progress
disconnected		-9.6(3.3)(2.3)
all	666(6)(12)	—
SM OK exp all	720(7)	720(7)

- strange, charm and bottom sufficiently precisely known
- getting the disconnected in full LQCD was a big achievement (previously considered show stopper)

- first results (HPQCD) indicate tension confirmed
- Need to concentrate on:
- stat. error on light contribution
 - strong and elm. isospin breaking effects (later)

There is significant work on light-by-light going on as well!

Blum et al., Phys.Rev. D93 (2016) no.1, 014503 [arXiv:1510.07100](https://arxiv.org/abs/1510.07100)

Green et al., Phys.Rev.Lett. 115 (2015) no.22, 222003 [arXiv:1507.01577](https://arxiv.org/abs/1507.01577)

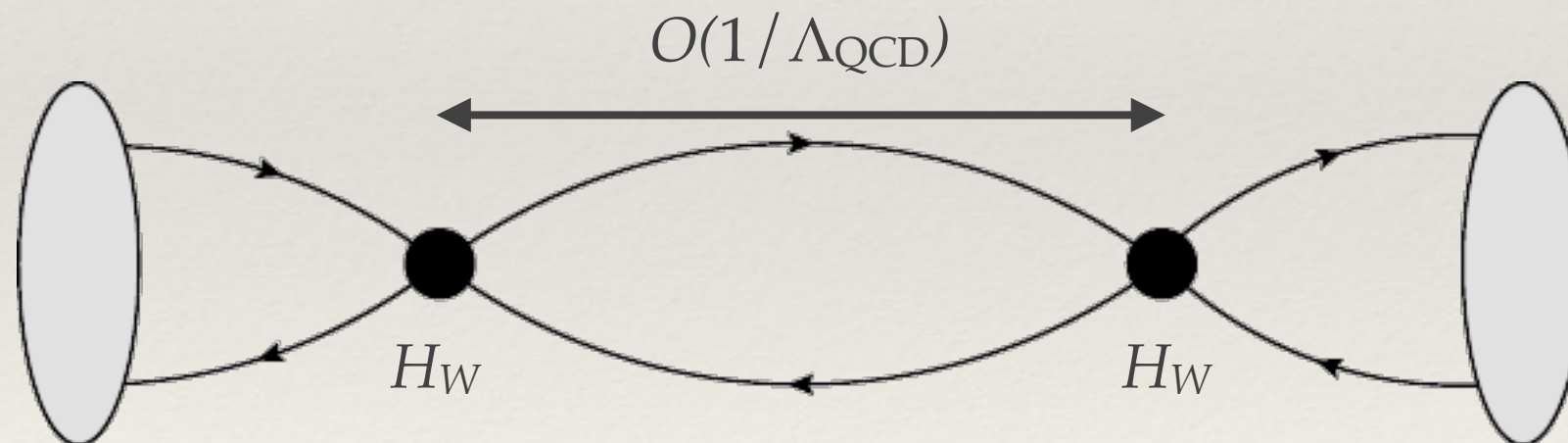
Beyond precision lattice QCD

Go beyond factorisation

$$\Gamma_{\text{exp.}} \stackrel{???}{=} V_{\text{CKM}}(\text{WEAK})(\text{EM})(\text{STRONG})$$

treat jointly in lattice QCD+QED

Go beyond short distance physics



Including QED in meson decay MEs

- Precision on MEs such that EM and strong isospin effects important
remember: so far mostly only QCD ($m_l=m_u=m_d, \alpha_{EM}=0$)
- we should go beyond EFT treatment (e.g. replace ChPT estimates)
- need to understand how this can be done conceptually
- already many results for spectroscopic quantities but not for matrix elements
- finite size effects with photons pose a substantial problem

Isospin corrections are important

- e.g. $K \rightarrow \pi l \nu$: $\Gamma_{K \rightarrow \pi l \nu} = C_K^2 \frac{G_F^2 m_K^5}{192 \pi^2} S_{EW} (1 + \Delta_{SU(2)} + \Delta_{EM})^2 I |f_+^{K\pi}(0)|^2 |V_{us}|^2$

3%

Kastner & Neufeld

Eur. Phys. J. C 57 (2008) 541

- precision now such that corrections need to be improved:

Mode	$V_{us} f_+(0)$	% err	Approx contrib to % err			
			BR	τ	Δ	I
$K_{L e 3}$	0.2163(6)	0.26	0.09	0.20	0.11	0.05
$K_{L \mu 3}$	0.2166(6)	0.28	0.15	0.18	0.11	0.06
$K_{S e 3}$	0.2155(13)	0.61	0.60	0.02	0.11	0.05
$K_{e 3}^\pm$	0.2172(8)	0.36	0.27	0.06	0.23	0.05
$K_{\mu 3}^\pm$	0.2170(11)	0.51	0.45	0.06	0.23	0.06

Moulson@CKM 2014

[arXiv:1411.5252](https://arxiv.org/abs/1411.5252)

QCD+QED

Action:

$$S[U, A, \bar{\psi}, \psi] = S_g[U; g] + S_\gamma[A] + \sum_f \bar{\psi}_f D[U, A; e, q_f, m_f] \psi_f$$
$$S_\gamma^{naive} = -\frac{a^4}{4} \sum_{\mu, \nu, x} (\partial_\mu A_{\nu, x} - \partial_\nu A_{\mu, x})^2$$

- MC simulation of discretised theory
- QCD has a mass gap \rightarrow finite volume effects $\propto e^{-m_\pi L}$ (for simple MEs)
- photon is massless and interacts over long range
 \rightarrow power-like finite volume effects $\propto 1/L, 1/L^2, \dots$ from exchange of photon around torus
- sufficiently large volumes currently not feasible, so use effective field theory to subtract finite volume effects

QCD+QED

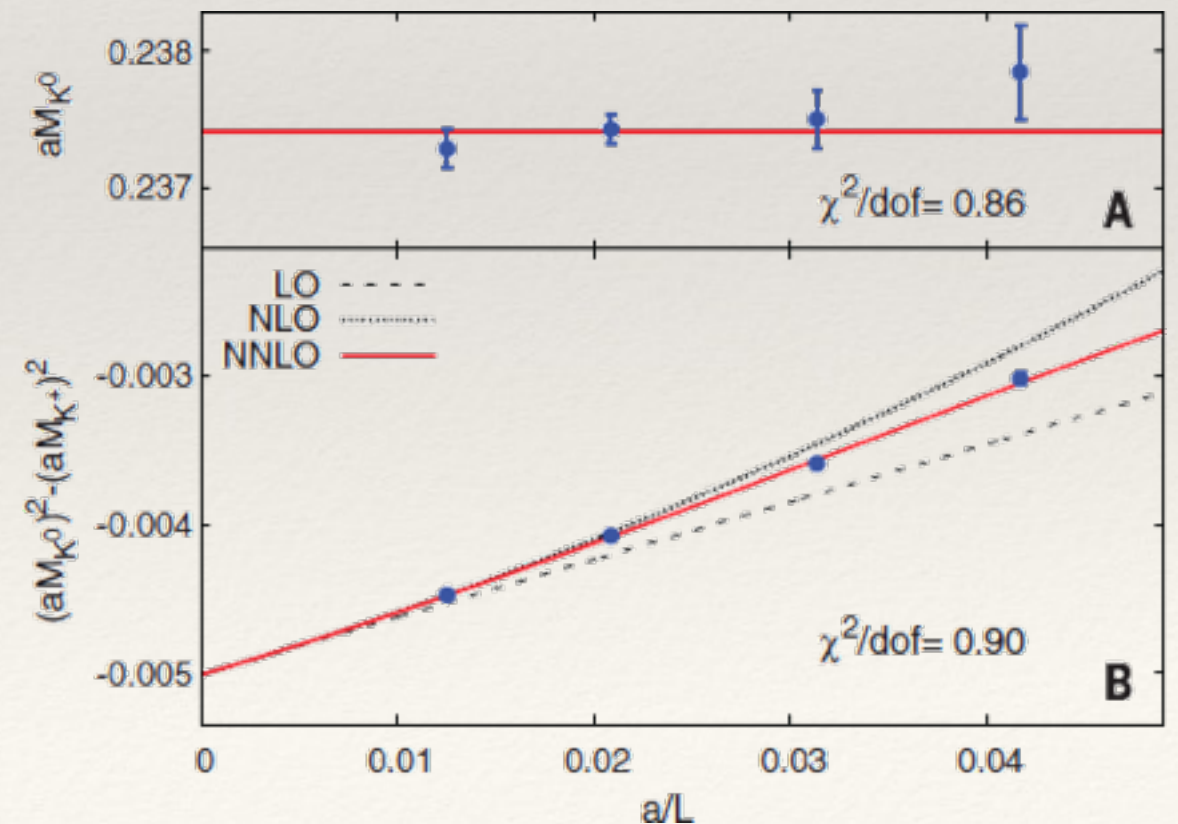
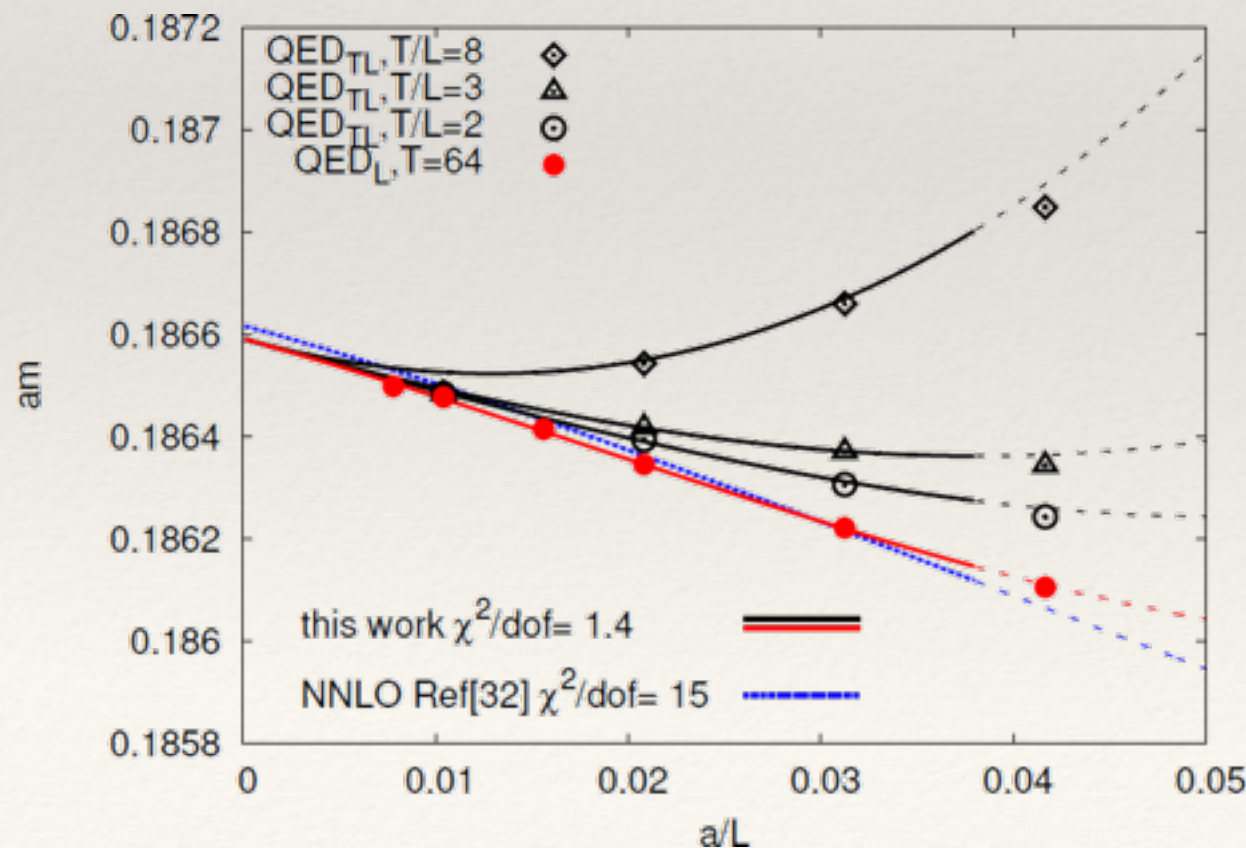
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[arXiv:1406.4088](https://arxiv.org/abs/1406.4088)

Example: FV correction to mass of a spin-1/2 particle in QED

analytically compute the difference of the *finite volume* and *infinite volume* self energies Σ :

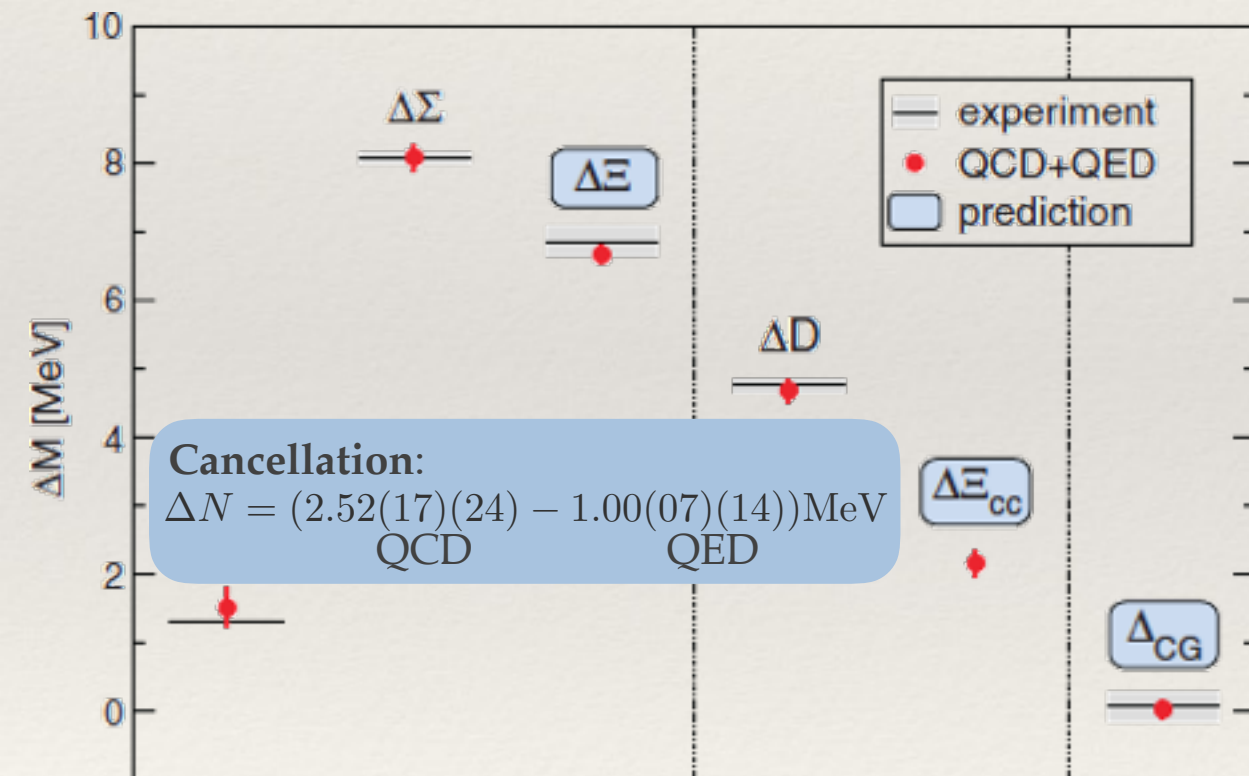
$$m^2(T, L) \stackrel{T, L \rightarrow \infty}{\propto} m^2 \left\{ 1 - q^2 \alpha \left[\frac{\kappa}{2mL} \left(1 + \frac{2}{mL} \right) - \frac{3\pi}{(mL)^3} \right] \right\}$$

leading behaviour universal in κ (structure- and spin-independent)



QCD+QED: baryon mass splitting

- relative neutron-proton mass difference found in nature 0.14%
- the value has significant implication for nature
 - smaller value \rightarrow inverse β -decay of H
 - much larger value \rightarrow faster β -decay for neutrons in BBN



BMW carried out simulations of $N_f = 1+1+1+1$ QCD+QED simulations and determined the light baryon isospin splitting

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Including QED in meson decay MEs

- leptonic decay at $O(\alpha^0)$:

$$\Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ud}|^2 f_\pi^2}{8\pi} m_\pi m_l^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_\pi^2}\right)^2$$

- including elm. effects @ $O(\alpha)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l(\gamma)) &= \Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) + \Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l \gamma) \\ &\equiv \Gamma_0 \quad + \quad \Gamma_1 \end{aligned}$$

IR div. cancel between terms on r.h.s.
between virtual and real photons
(Bloch Nordsieck)

Including QED in meson decay MEs

Carrasco et al. PRD 91 074506 (2015) [arXiv:1502.00257](https://arxiv.org/abs/1502.00257)

- cut on small photon momentum $< \Delta E \rightarrow \gamma$ sees point-like π
 $\Delta E \approx 20 \text{ MeV}$ experimentally accessible and π point like

$$\Gamma(\Delta E) = \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} (\Gamma_0 - \Gamma_0^{\text{pt}}) + \lim_{V \rightarrow \infty} (\Gamma_0^{\text{pt}} + \Gamma_1^{\text{pt}}(\Delta E))$$

point approximation
point approximation

$\Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l)$
 lattice and analytical
 finite V

$\Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l \gamma(\Delta E))$
 analytically in $V \rightarrow \infty$

both terms separately IR finite, gauge invariant on its own

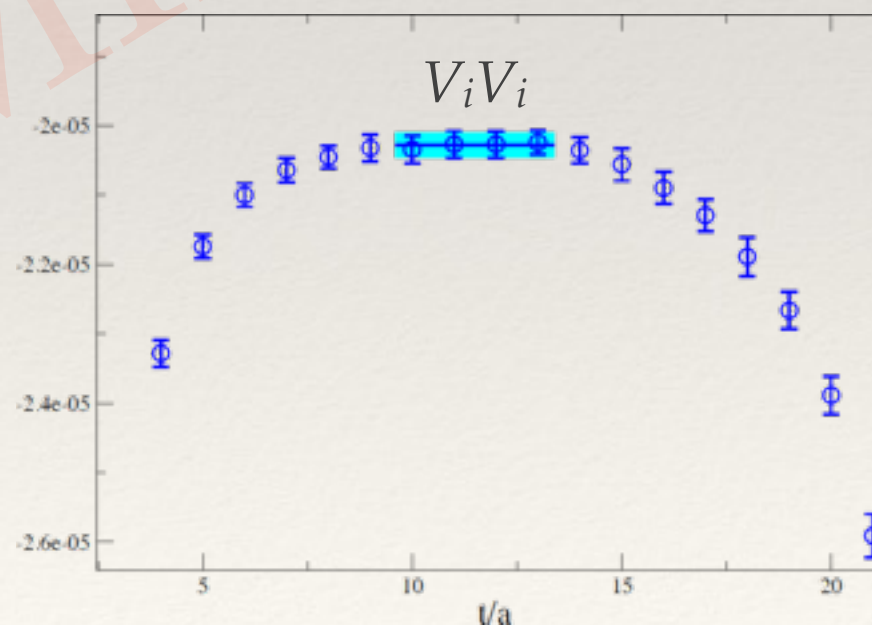
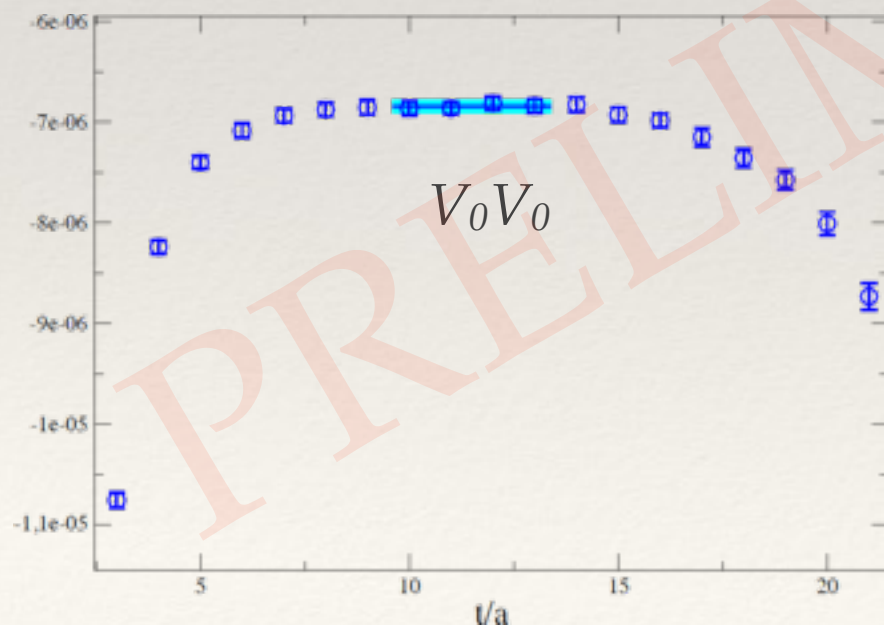
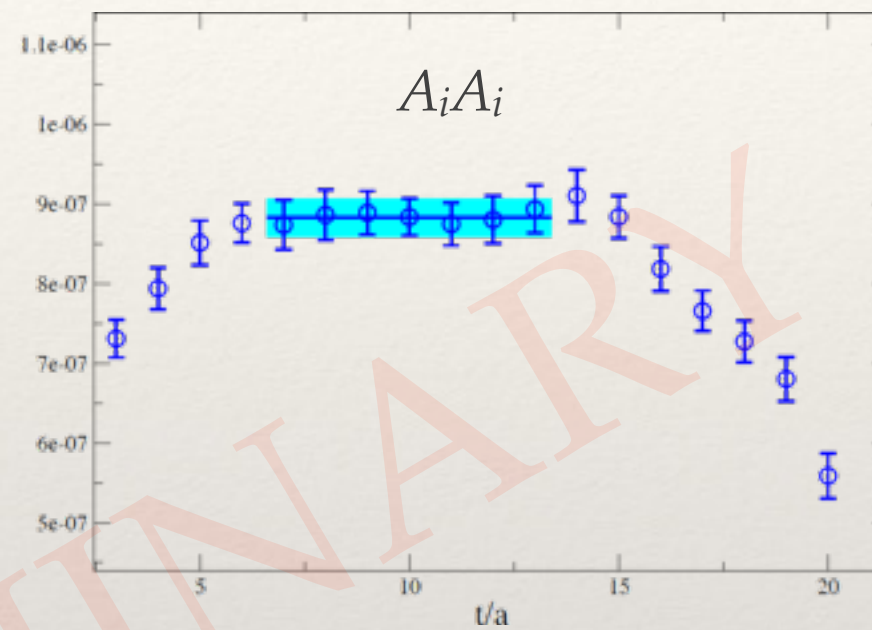
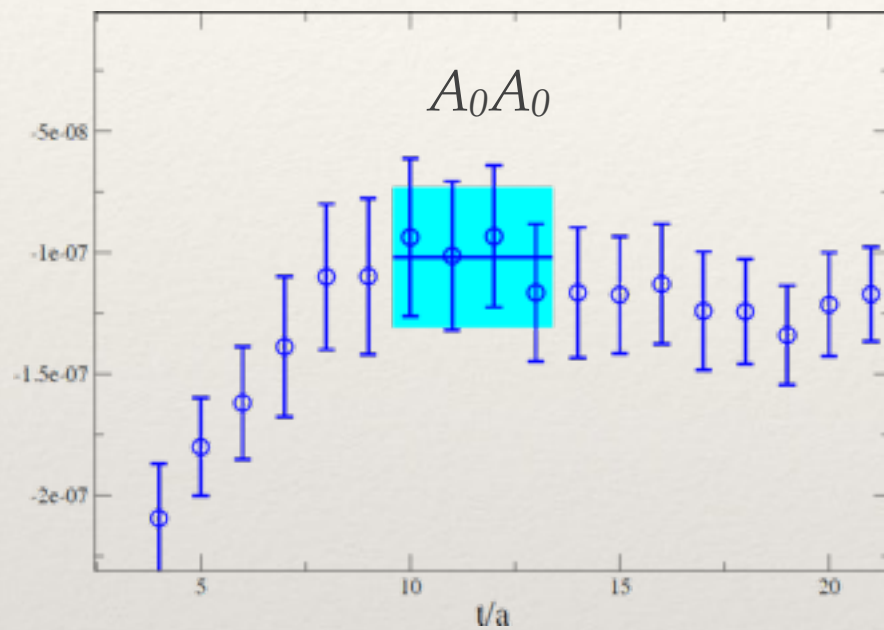
- analytical calculation for pt. approximation is done:

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi-l-\nu_l} = i G_F f_\pi V_{ud}^* \{(\partial_\mu - ieA_\mu)\pi\} \left\{ \bar{\psi}_{\nu_l} \frac{1 + \gamma_5}{2} \gamma^\mu \psi_l \right\} + \text{H.C.}$$



Including QED in meson decay MEs

$24^3; m_\pi \approx 500 \text{ MeV}$



- first time ever conceptually clean attempt of calculation of leptonic decay at $O(\alpha)$
- disconnected pieces need to be included
- Γ_0 works, now needs to be combined wt. analytical results for $\Gamma_0^{\text{pt}}, \Gamma_1^{\text{pt}}(\Delta E)$
- $\sim 20\%$ stat. error would be sufficient for use in phenomenology

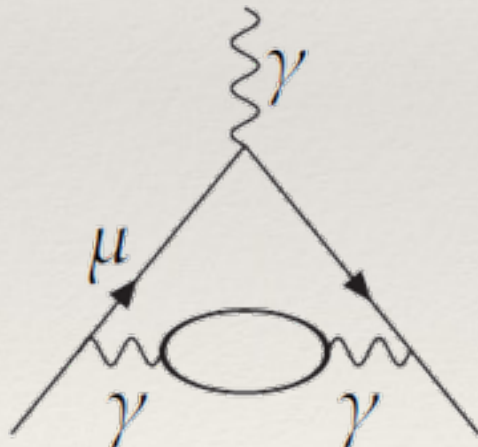
QCD+QED applications

- start with light flavour matrix elements $f_\pi, f_K, f_+(0), \dots$

$$\Gamma_{K \rightarrow \pi l \nu} = C_K^2 \frac{G_F^2 m_K^5}{192 \pi^2} S_{EW} (1 + \Delta_{SU(2)} + \Delta_{EM})^2 I |f_+^{K\pi}(0)|^2 |V_{us}|^2$$

$$\langle \pi(p_\pi) | V_\mu(0) | K(p_K) \rangle = f_+^{K\pi}(q^2) (p_K + p_\pi)_\mu + f_-^{K\pi}(q^2) (p_K - p_\pi)_\mu$$

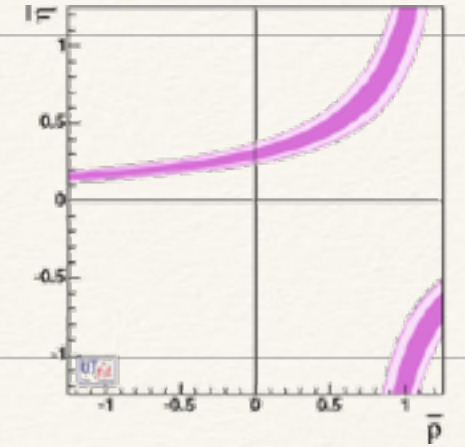
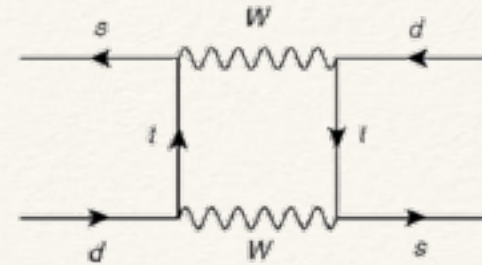
- lattice predictions of leading hadronic contribution to muon g-2



- lattice (isospin symmetric, $\alpha_{EM}=0$ is getting competitive with experimental determination ($e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons$))
- next step would be inclusion of isospin breaking effects

- inclusion of QED effects will be one of the big challenges over the next years

Long distance effects in kaon physics - mixing

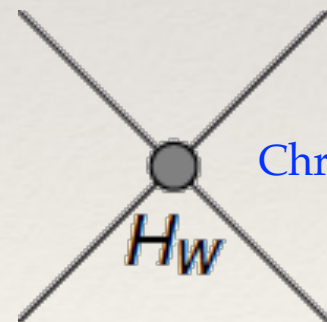


$$\epsilon_K = \frac{A(K_L \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0})}{A(K_S \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0})} = e^{i\Phi_\epsilon} \sin \phi_\epsilon \left(\frac{\text{Im}\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W^{\Delta S=2} | K^0 \rangle}{\Delta M_K} + \text{L.D. effects} \right)$$

Buras, Guadagnoli PRD 78 (2008)
Buras, Guadagnoli, Isidori, PLB 688 (2010)

Long Distance effects amount to $O(5\%)$, so certainly worth considering on the lattice

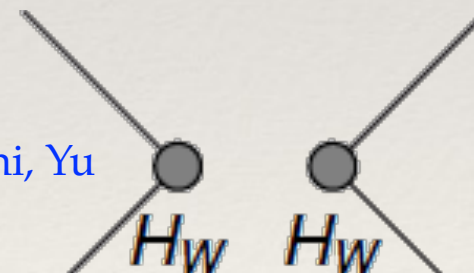
1st order Weak



single 4-quark OP,
length scale 10^{-18}m

Christ, Izubuchi, Sachrajda, Soni, Yu
arXiv:1212.5931

2nd order Weak



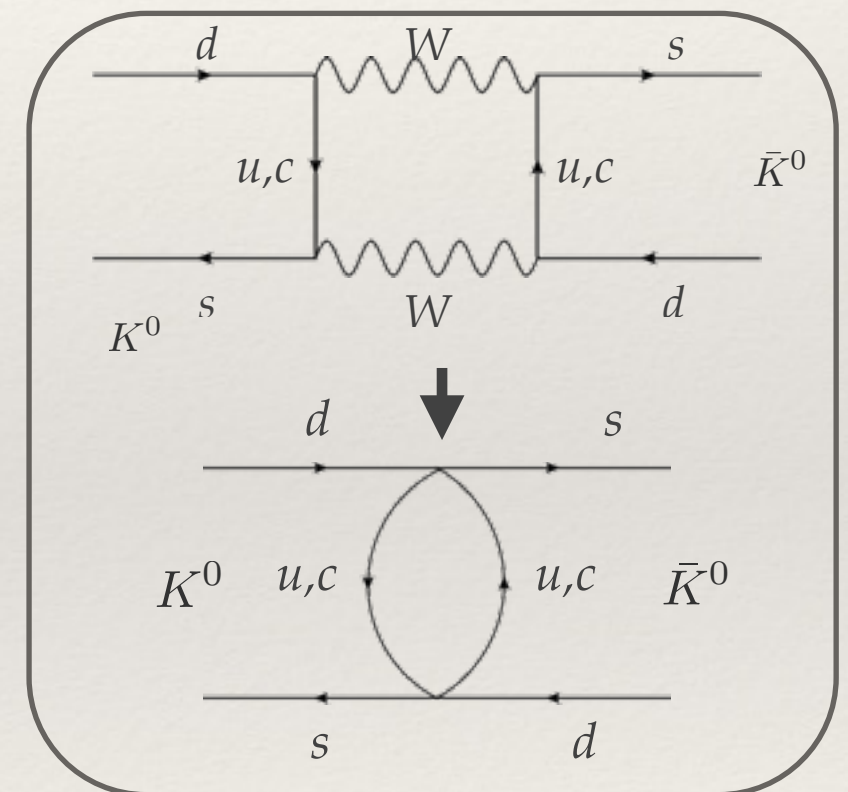
two 4-quark OP
length scale $1 / \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$

Beyond short distance: e.g. ΔM_K

$$\Delta M_K = m_{K_S} - m_{K_L} = 2\text{Re}M_{00}$$

$$M_{00} = \mathcal{P} \sum_{\lambda} \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W | \lambda \rangle \langle \lambda | H_W | K^0 \rangle}{m_K - E_{\lambda}}$$

- experimentally $\Delta M_K = 3.483(6) \times 10^{-12} \text{MeV}$ (PDG)
- suppressed by 14 orders of magnitude with respect to QCD \rightarrow poses strong BSM constraints (e.g. $(1/\Lambda)^2 \bar{s}d\bar{s}d$ BSM contribution) knowing ΔM_K at 10%-level $\rightarrow \Lambda \geq 10^4 \text{TeV}$
- SD about 70% of experimental value - rest LD?
- PT large contributions at $\mu \sim m_c$ where PT turns out to converge badly (NLO \rightarrow NNLO constitutes 36% correction) [Brod, Gorbahn PRL 108 121801 \(2012\) arXiv:1108.2036](#)



long distance effects – ΔM_K

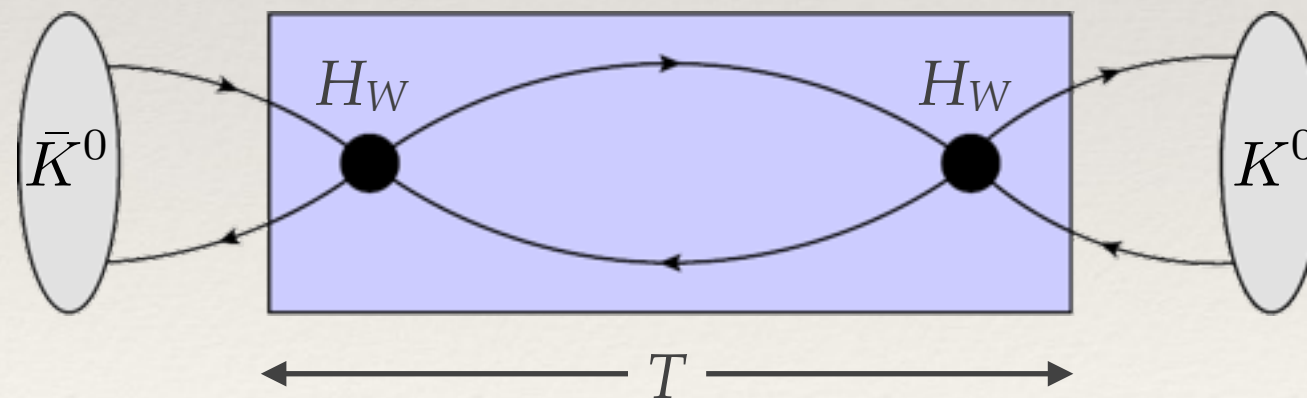
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$$M_{\bar{0}0} = \mathcal{P} \sum_{\lambda} \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W | \lambda \rangle \langle \lambda | H_W | K^0 \rangle}{m_K - E_{\lambda}}$$

$$\mathcal{A} = \langle 0 | T \left\{ K^0(t_f) \frac{1}{2} \int_{t_A}^{t_B} dt_2 \int_{t_A}^{t_B} dt_1 H_W(t_2) H_W(t_1) K^{0\dagger}(t_i) \right\} | 0 \rangle$$

Integrate operators (here H_W) over time interval where initial and final kaon dominate

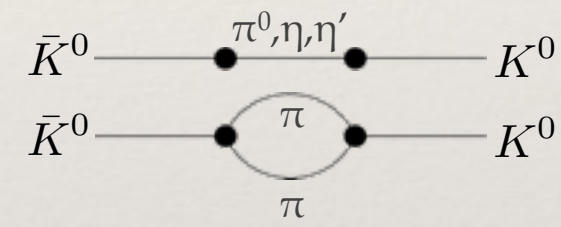


long distance effects – ΔM_K

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$$\mathcal{A} = N_K^2 e^{-M_K(t_f - t_i)} \sum_n \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W | n \rangle \langle n | H_W | K^0 \rangle}{M_K - E_n} \left(-T - \frac{1}{M_K - E_n} + \frac{e^{(M_K - E_n)T}}{M_K - E_n} \right)$$

amplitude
irrelevant
exponential term
 Δm_K^{FV}
constant
needs to be subtracted



- multiple hadrons in intermediate states causing difficulties and need to be subtracted
- finite volume corrections from two-particle intermediate state can be sizeable

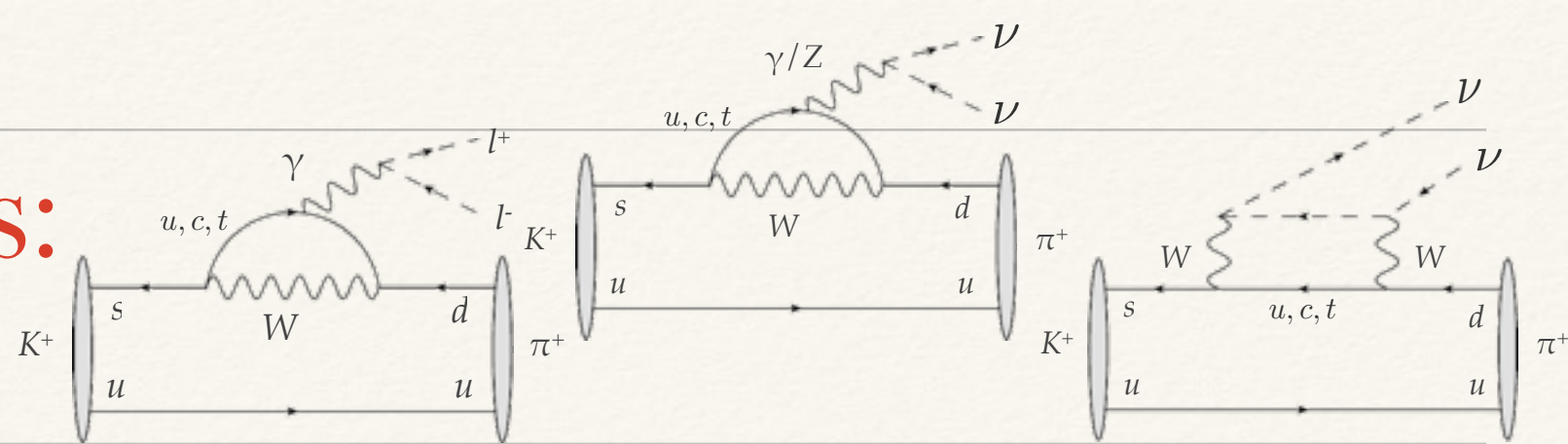
N. Christ et al. PRD91 (2015) 114510 [arXiv:1504.01170](#) also: Briceño, Hansen [arXiv:1502.04314](#)

extension of Lellouch-Lüscher correction to 2nd order weak MEs

$$\Delta^{\text{FV}}(\Delta M_K) = -\cot(\phi(M_K) + \delta_0(M_K)) \frac{d(\phi(E) + \delta_0(E))}{dE} \Big|_{E=M_K} |\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W | \pi\pi, M_K \rangle^{\text{V}'}|^2$$

- what happens when the two H_W approach each other (GIM in action)?
- RBC/UKQCD is working very hard on this (and ϵ_K) and there are first promising (but exploratory) results

long distance effects: Rare kaon decays



Two new experiments dedicated to rare kaon decays
NA62 (CERN) and KOTO (J-PARC) are running

- FCNC (W-W or γ/Z -exchange diagrams)
- deep probe into flavour mixing and SM/BSM due to suppression in the SM
- can determine V_{td} , V_{ts} and test SM

$$K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$$

- KOTO (J-PARC)
- direct CP violation
- exp. BR $\leq 2.6 \times 10^{-8}$
theory BR $3.0(3) \times 10^{-11}$
- GIM \rightarrow top dominated and charm suppressed, purely SD

$$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$$

- NA62 (CERN)
- CP conserving
- exp. BR $1.73^{(+1.15)}_{(-1.05)} \times 10^{-10}$
theory BR $0.911(72) \times 10^{-10}$
- small LD contribution, candidate for lattice

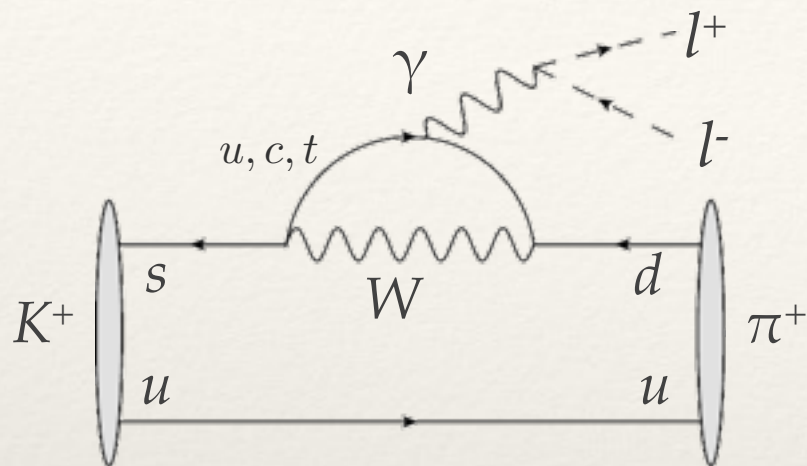
compute in lattice QCD

$$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ l^+ l^- \quad K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 l^+ l^-$$

- 1-photon exchange LD dominated
- indirect contribution to CP-violating rare K_L decay
- SM prediction mainly ChPT
- lattice can predict ME and LECs
- experimenters will be able to look at these channels as well

Rare kaon decays $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ l^+ l^-$

N. Christ et al. [arXiv:1507.03094](https://arxiv.org/abs/1507.03094)
[arXiv:1602.01374](https://arxiv.org/abs/1602.01374)



LD contribution given through $K \rightarrow \gamma^*$ contribution which is computed as

$$\mathcal{A}_\mu = (q^2) \int d^4x \langle \pi(p) | T [J_\mu(0) H_W(x)] | K(k) \rangle$$

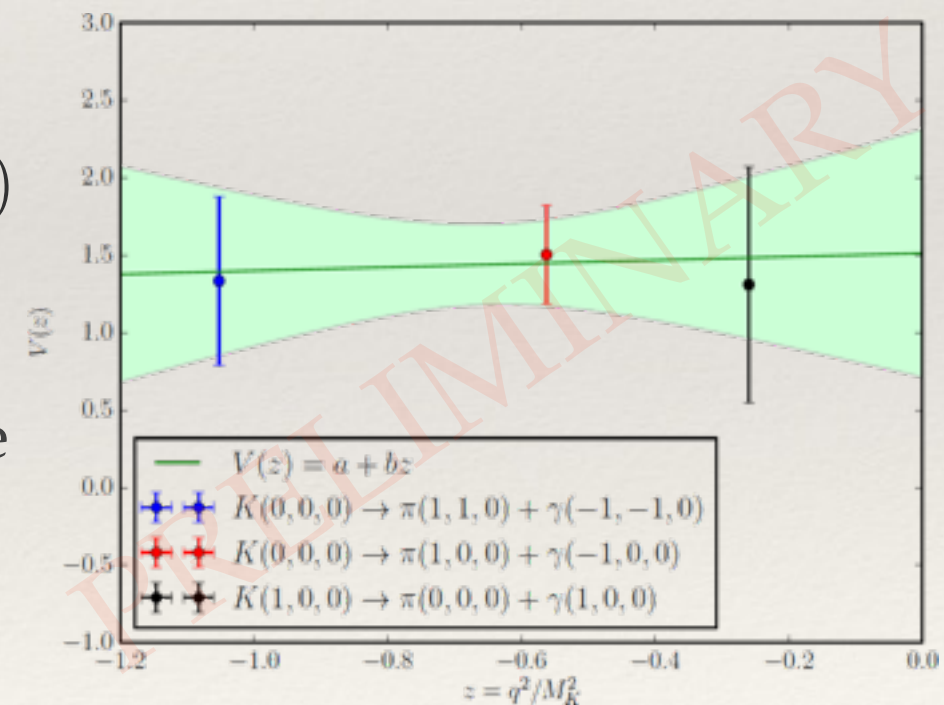
dominant operators: $Q_1^q = (\bar{s}_i \gamma_\mu^L d_i) (\bar{q}_j \gamma_\mu^L q_j)$, $Q_2^q = (\bar{s}_i \gamma_\mu^L q_i) (\bar{q}_j \gamma_\mu^L d_j)$

Decay amplitude in terms of elm. transition form factor

$$A_i = -\frac{G_F \alpha}{4\pi} V_i(z) (k+p)^\mu \bar{u}_l(p_-) \gamma_\mu \nu_l(p_+) \quad (i = +, S)$$

$$V_i(z) = a_i + b_i z + V_i^{\pi\pi}(z)$$

- the a_S and a_+ can be extracted from experiment or lattice
- a_S parameterises also the CP-violating contribution to the K_L decay



Summary/Conclusions

- considerable set of SM parameters, spectra and matrix elements now reliably and precisely predicted in full lattice QCD
- Flavour Lattice Averaging Group (FLAG)
- precision such that isospin breaking effects in matrix elements and spectra needs to be taken into account
- long distance effects:
 - neutral kaon system
 - rare kaon decays (new experimental facilities!!!)with loads of new questions and theoretical problems and potential impact on SM and BSM phenomenology

Summary/Conclusions

- this talk is by far not inclusive:
 - $K \rightarrow \pi\pi, g-2, \dots$
 - finite- T, μ
 - BSM
 - ...

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