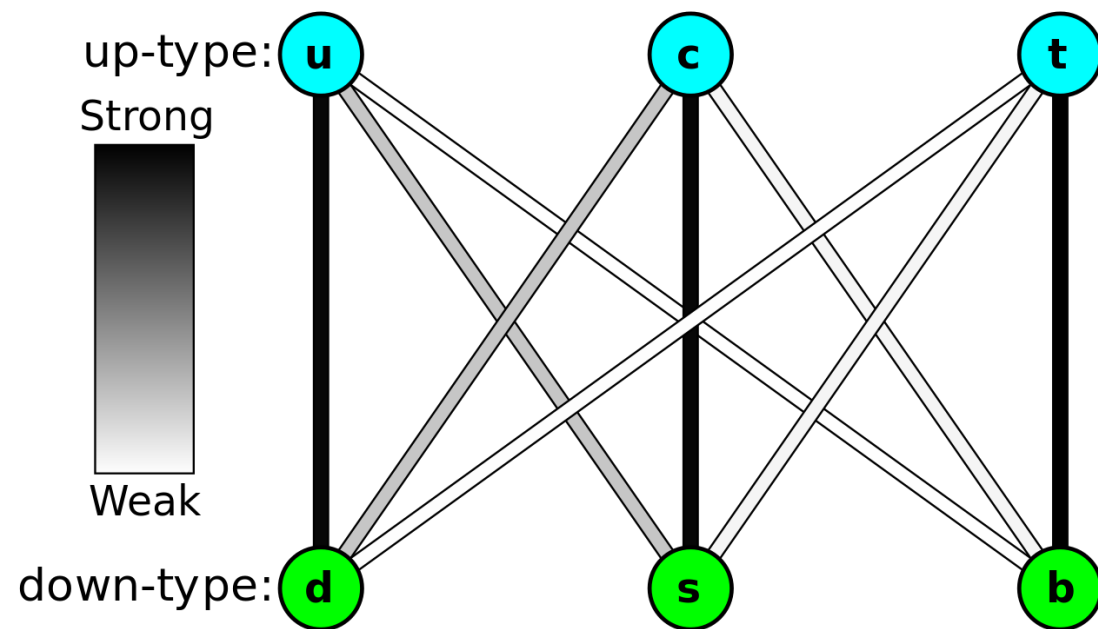


Challenges in high-precision determinations  
of CKM matrix elements using lattice QCD

Antonin Portelli — 10/05/2024  
*R-CCS FTRT Seminar*

General context

# Flavour structure of the Standard Model

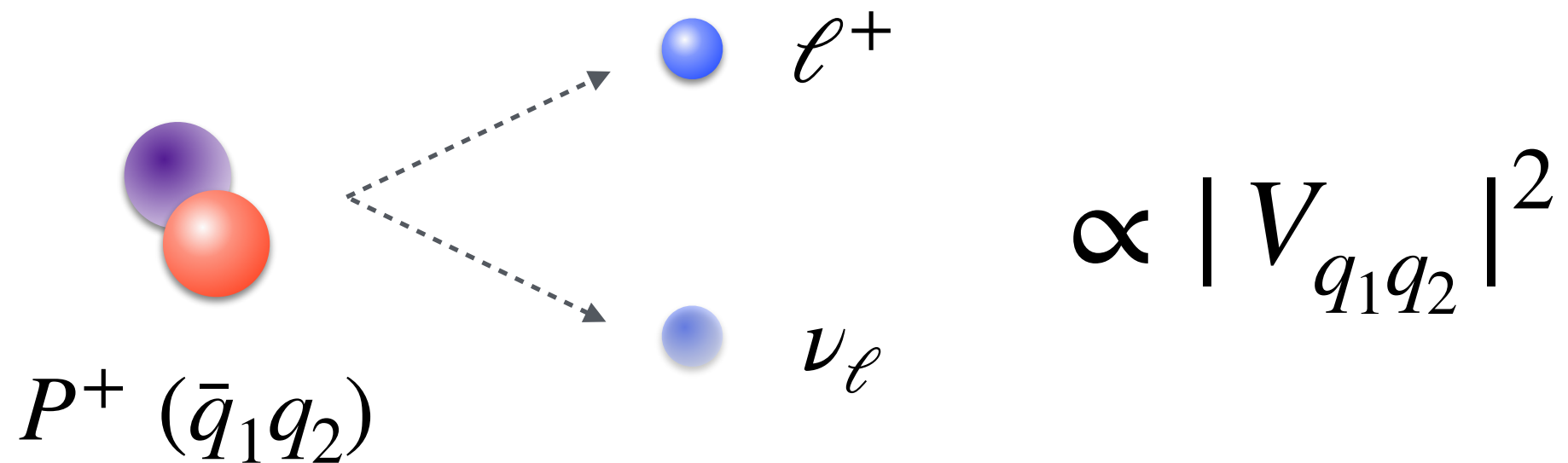


$$\begin{bmatrix} d' \\ s' \\ b' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

- The flavour structure of the SM is largely unexplained
- CKM matrix elements are inferred from measurements
- Non-unitarity of the CKM matrix is still a good target for searching new physics

# CKM matrix elements from leptonic decays

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- Leptonic decays: W-boson quark pair annihilation
- Radiation inclusive decay rate

$$\Gamma(P^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell [\gamma]) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} f_P^2 m_\ell^2 M_P \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M_P^2}\right)^2 |V_{q_1 q_2}|^2 (1 + \delta R_P)$$



# CKM matrix elements from leptonic decays

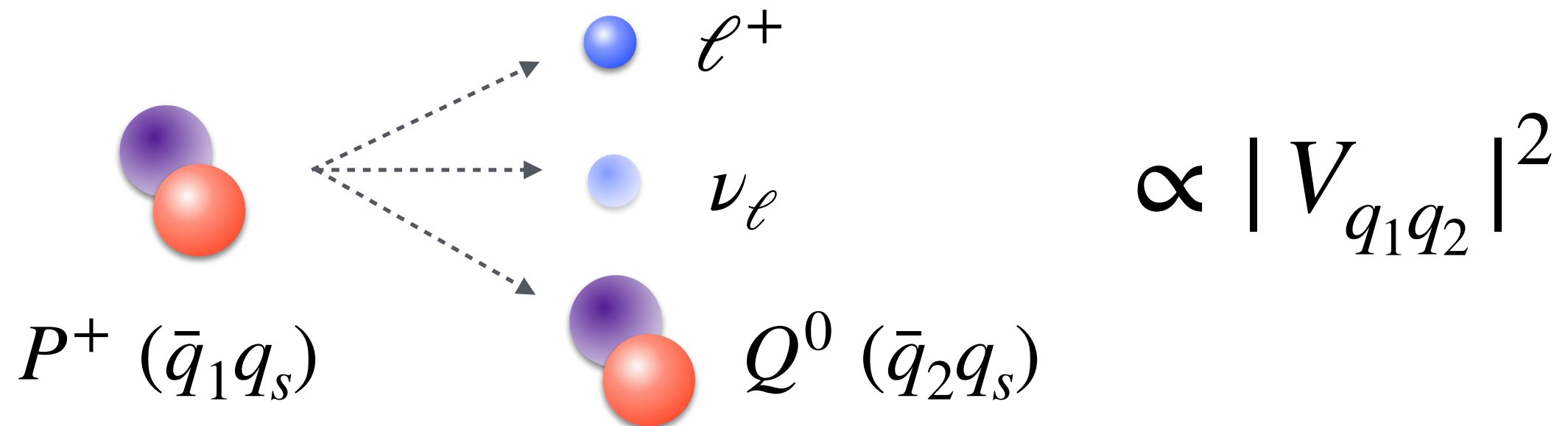
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$$\Gamma(P^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell [\gamma]) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} f_P^2 m_\ell^2 M_P \left( 1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M_P^2} \right)^2 (1 + \delta_{\text{IB}}) |V_{q_1 q_2}|^2$$

- from experiment/PDG
- isospin-symmetric QCD component
- isospin-breaking QCD+QED component

# CKM matrix elements from semi-leptonic decays

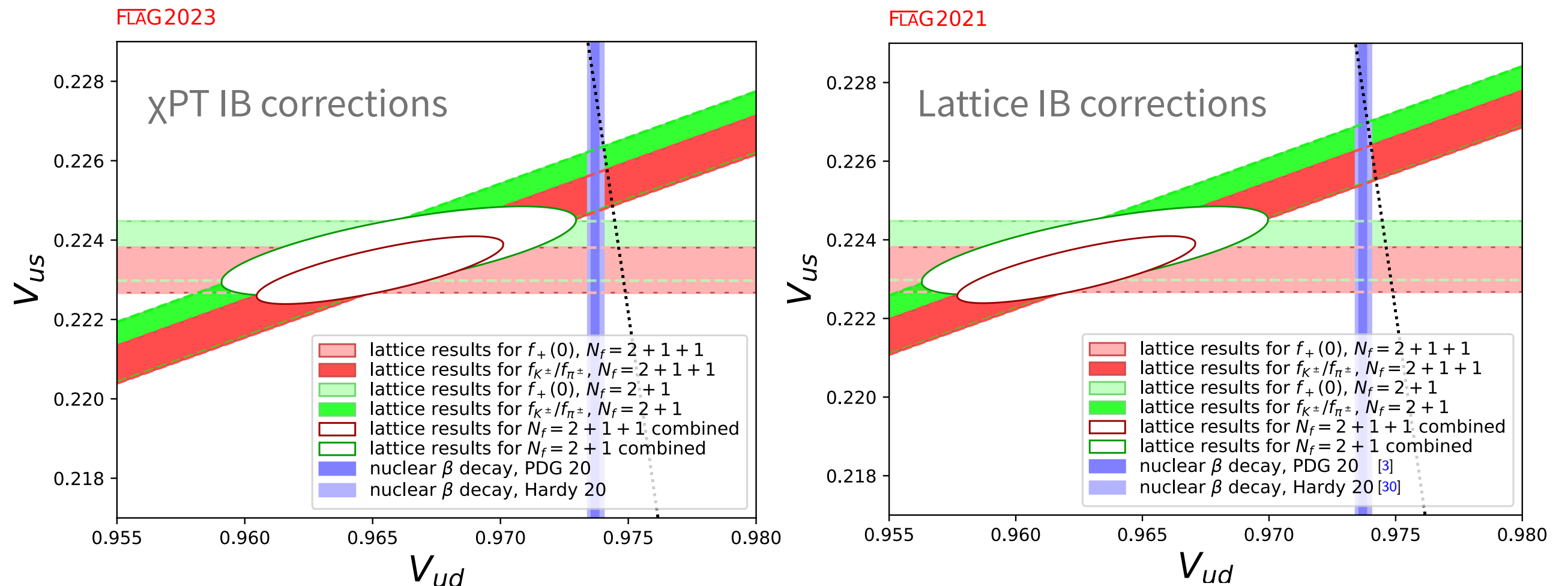
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- Semi-leptonic decays: flavour changing charged current
- Radiation inclusive decay rate

$$\Gamma(P^+ \rightarrow Q^0 \ell^+ \nu_\ell [\gamma]) = G_F^2 |V_{q_1 q_2}|^2 \mathcal{F}(1 + \delta_{\text{IB}})$$

# $|V_{us}|$ & $|V_{ud}|$ anomalies

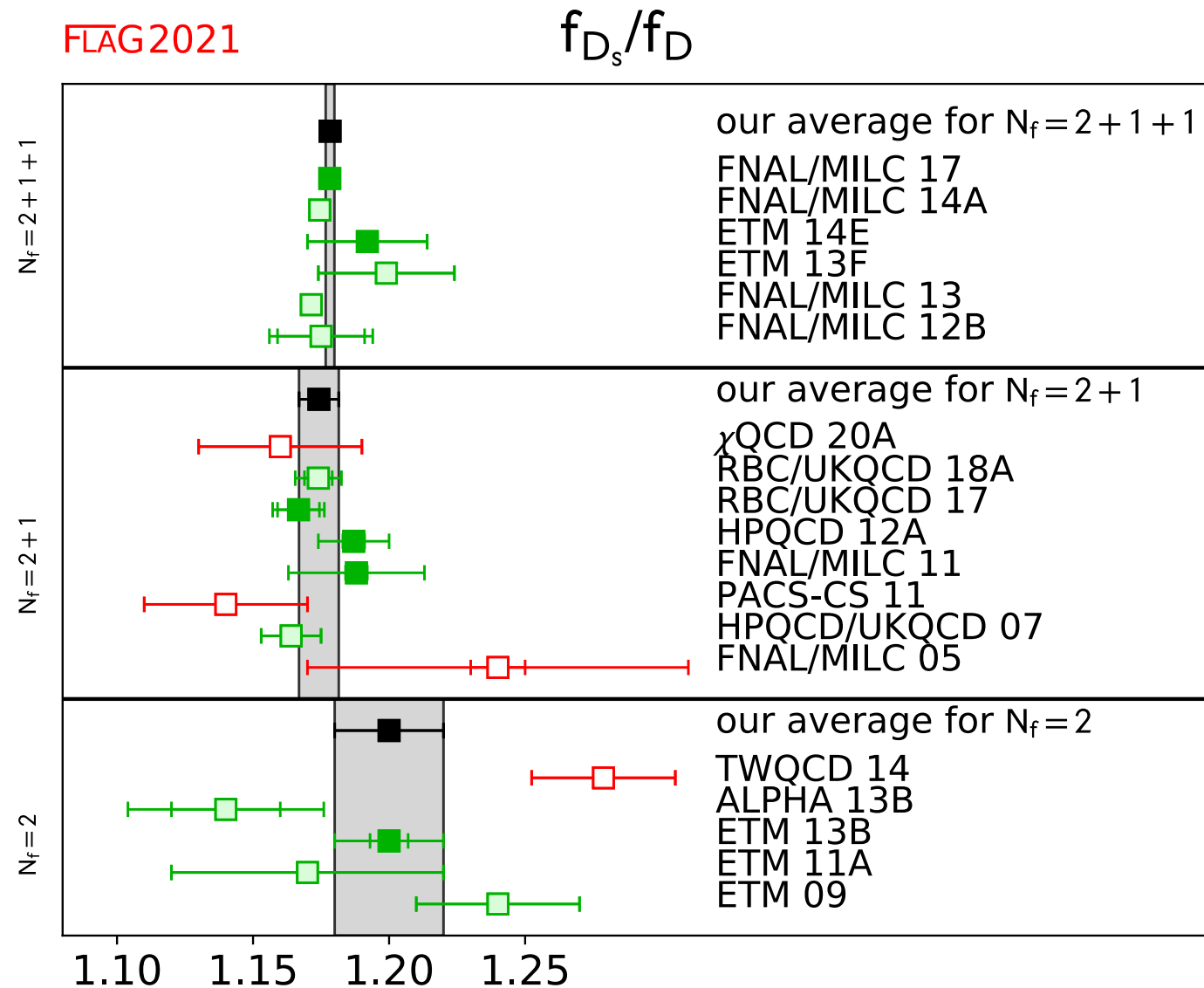


**Significant tensions from**

$\beta$  decays  $|V_{ud}|$  measurements & radiative corrections input

 FLAG 2021 + web update

# $f_D/f_{D_s}$ accuracy



$N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$  FLAG average  $f_{D_s}/f_D = 1.1783(0.0016)$

**0.1% accuracy, however QED corrections are not known...**

# Bottom sector, $f_B$ and $f_{B_s}$

**Table 30.** Lattice inputs for decay constants  $f_{B(s)}$  and bag parameters  $B_{B(s)}$  in the SM. The current average of  $f_{B(s)}$  for  $N_f = 2 + 1$  and  $2 + 1 + 1$  are obtained from Refs. [150,213–216] and Refs. [212,217], respectively. The average of  $B_{B(s)}$  is obtained from Refs. [148,150,151].  $f_{B(s)}\sqrt{B_{B(s)}}$  is in units of MeV.

$N_f$	Input	$f_B$ [MeV]	$f_{B_s}$ [MeV]	$f_{B_s}/f_B$
2+1+1	Current	188(3)	227(4)	1.203(0.007)
	5 yr w/o EM	188(1.5)	227(2.0)	1.203(0.0035)
	5 yr with EM	188(2.4)	227(3.0)	1.203(0.013)
	10 yr w/o EM	188(0.60)	227(0.80)	1.203(0.0014)
	10 yr with EM	188(2.0)	227(2.4)	1.203(0.012)
2+1	Current	192.0(4.3)	228.4(3.7)	1.201(0.016)
	5 yr w/o EM	192.0(2.2)	228.4(1.9)	1.201(0.0080)
	5 yr with EM	192.0(2.9)	228.4(2.9)	1.201(0.014)
	10 yr w/o EM	192.0(0.86)	228.4(0.74)	1.201(0.0032)
	10 yr with EM	192.0(2.1)	228.4(2.4)	1.201(0.012)
$N_f$	Input	$f_B\sqrt{B_B}$	$f_{B_s}\sqrt{B_{B_s}}$	$\xi$
2+1	Current	225(9)	274(8)	1.206(0.017)
	5 yr w/o EM	225(4.5)	274(4.0)	1.206(0.0085)
	5 yr with EM	225(5.0)	274(4.8)	1.206(0.015)
	10 yr w/o EM	225(1.8)	274(1.6)	1.206(0.0034)
	10 yr with EM	225(2.9)	274(3.2)	1.206(0.013)
$N_f$	Input	$B_B$	$B_{B_s}$	$B_{B_s}/B_B$
2+1	Current	1.30(0.09)	1.35(0.06)	1.032(0.036)
	5 yr w/o EM	1.30(0.045)	1.35(0.030)	1.032(0.018)
	5 yr with EM	1.30(0.047)	1.35(0.033)	1.032(0.021)
	10 yr w/o EM	1.30(0.018)	1.35(0.012)	1.032(0.0072)
	10 yr with EM	1.30(0.022)	1.35(0.018)	1.032(0.013)

- Suggests lattice will start including EM corrections within 5 years...
- ... 5 years ago

# General issues regarding isospin breaking effects

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- Isospin-breaking (IB) effects are a **small perturbation of hadronic quantities**, generally  $\mathcal{O}(1\%)$
- **Two components required**
  - 1) distinct up and down masses
  - 2) electromagnetic interactions between quarks
- Required for **precision hadronic physics**
- **Including QED is challenging.** Computing IB effects might not be required for lower precision targets.

# Conventions defining pure QCD

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- For an observable  $X$  one ideally wants an **expansion**

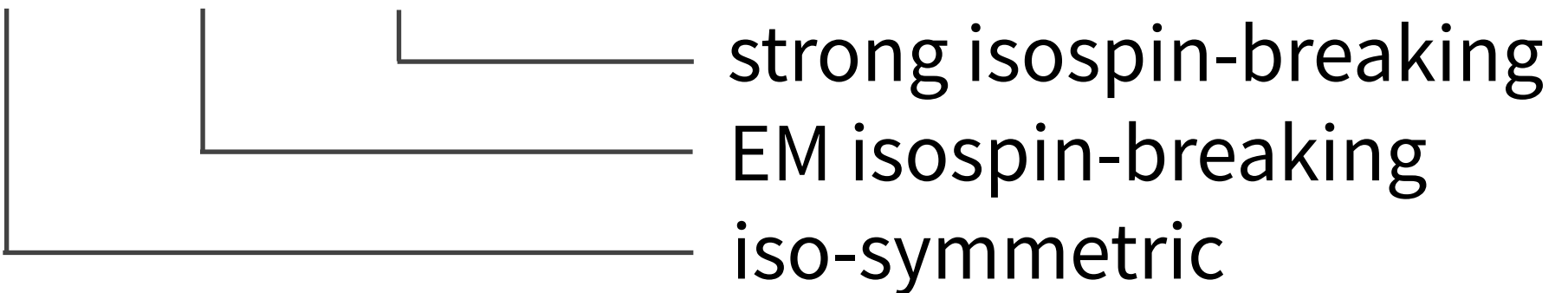
$$X^\phi = \bar{X} + X_\gamma + X_{\text{SU}(2)}$$


Diagram illustrating the expansion of  $X^\phi$  into three contributions:

- $\bar{X}$ : iso-symmetric
- $X_\gamma$ : EM isospin-breaking
- $X_{\text{SU}(2)}$ : strong isospin-breaking

- A complete set of hadron masses defines  $X^\phi$  **unambiguously**
- The separation in 3 contributions requires additional conditions, and is **scheme-dependent**

# Radiative corrections to leptonic decays



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## Isospin-breaking corrections to light-meson leptonic decays from lattice simulations at physical quark masses

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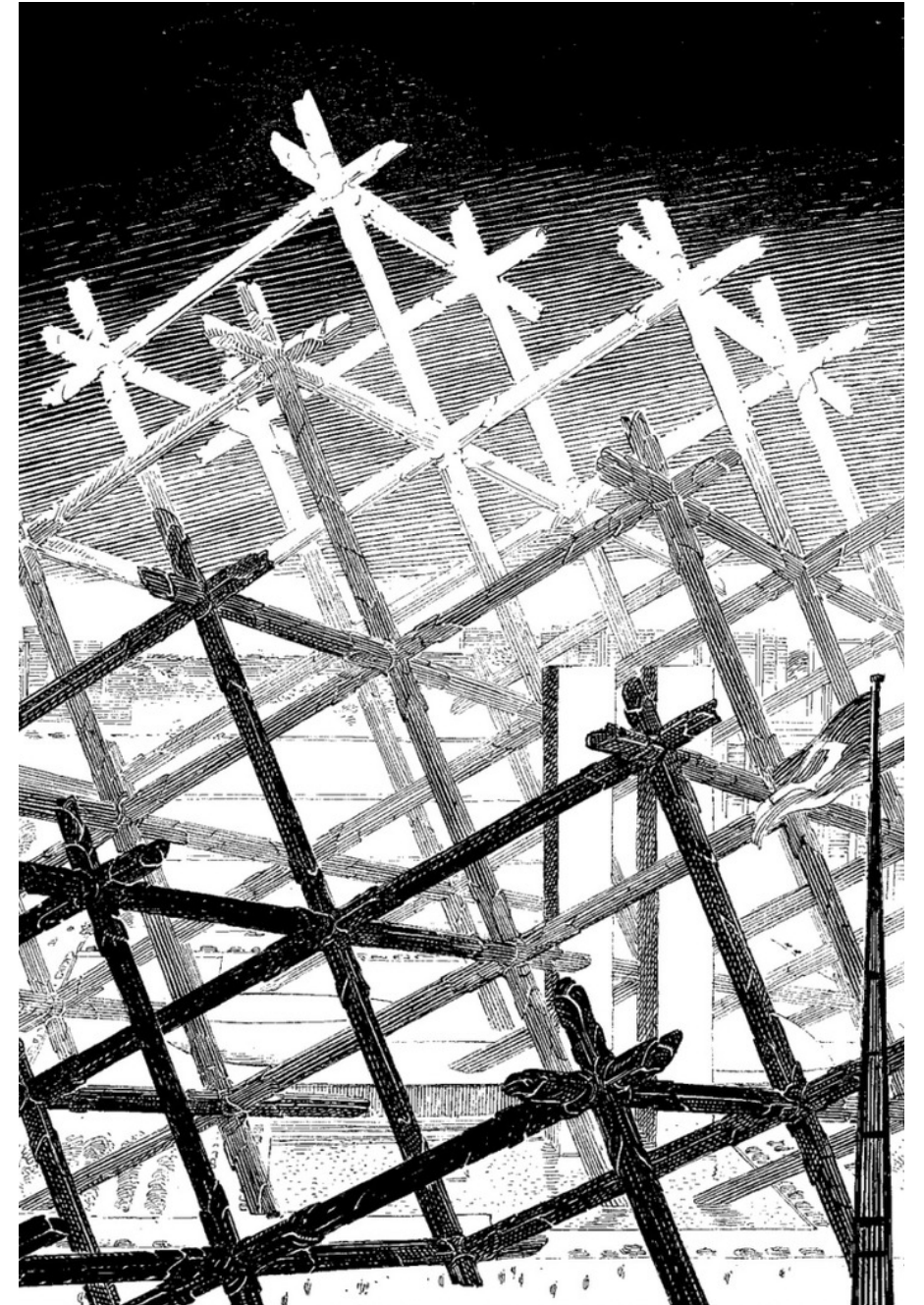
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# Lattice QCD

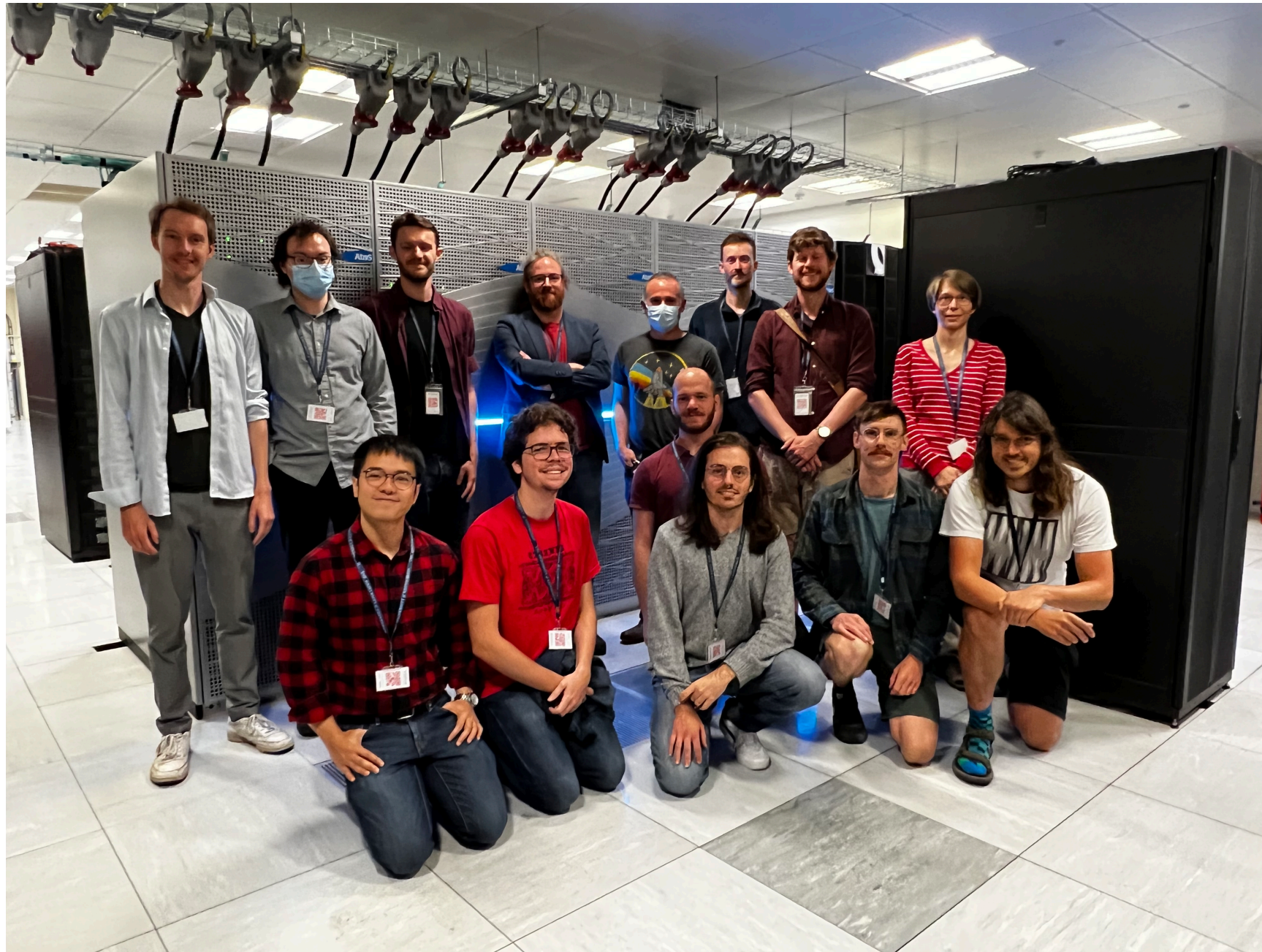
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- Quantum field theory on a **discrete Euclidean space-time**
- Enable **Monte-Carlo estimations** of the path integral
- It is free from weak-coupling approximations
- **Systematic way to compute non-perturbative hadronic quantities**



# Our “particle accelerator”

Edinburgh lattice team & Tursa, July 2022





# RBC/UKQCD physical point ensemble C0

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- Möbius domain-wall fermions
- 2+1 flavours at the physical point
- $a \simeq 0.12$  fm and  $L^3 \times T = 48^3 \times 96$

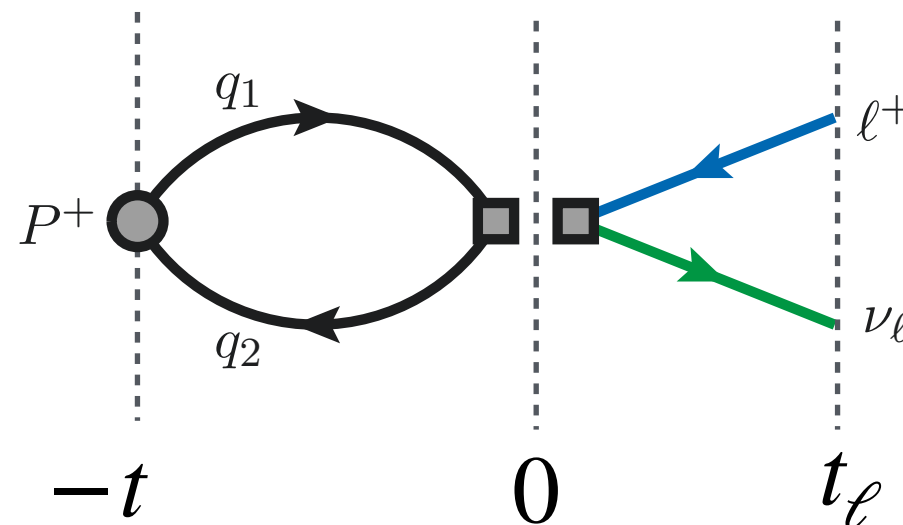
 *RBC-UKQCD* PRD 93(7), 074505 (2016)

- 60 independent configurations
- 96 measurements per configuration

# Euclidean correlation functions

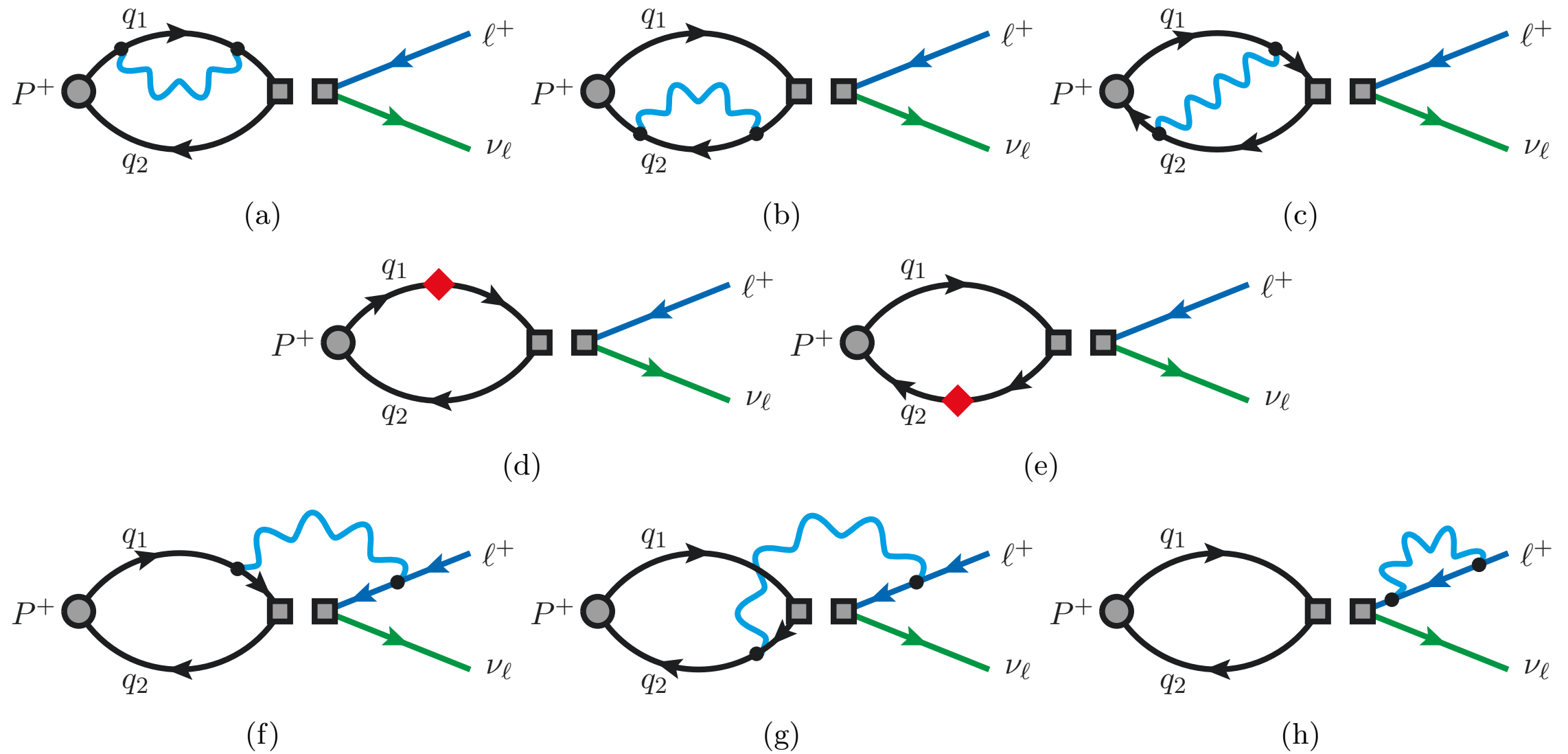
Energies and matrix elements extracted from the large-time behaviour of Euclidean correlation functions

## Euclidean time version of LSZ formula

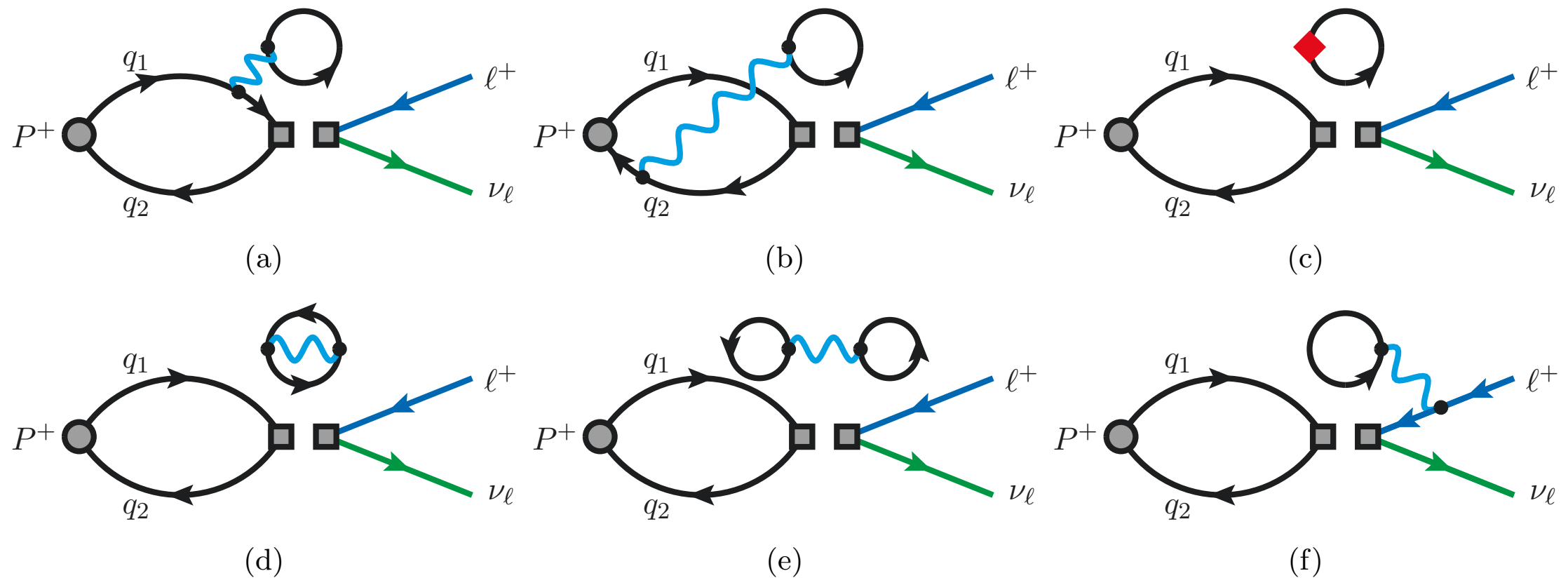


$$C_{P\ell}^{(0)}(t, t_\ell) = \frac{Z_P e^{-m_P t} e^{-\omega_\ell t_\ell} e^{-\omega_\nu t_\ell}}{8m_P \omega_\ell \omega_\nu} \mathcal{A}_P^{(0)} \mathcal{L} + \dots$$

# Quark-connected isospin corrections



# Quark-disconnected isospin corrections

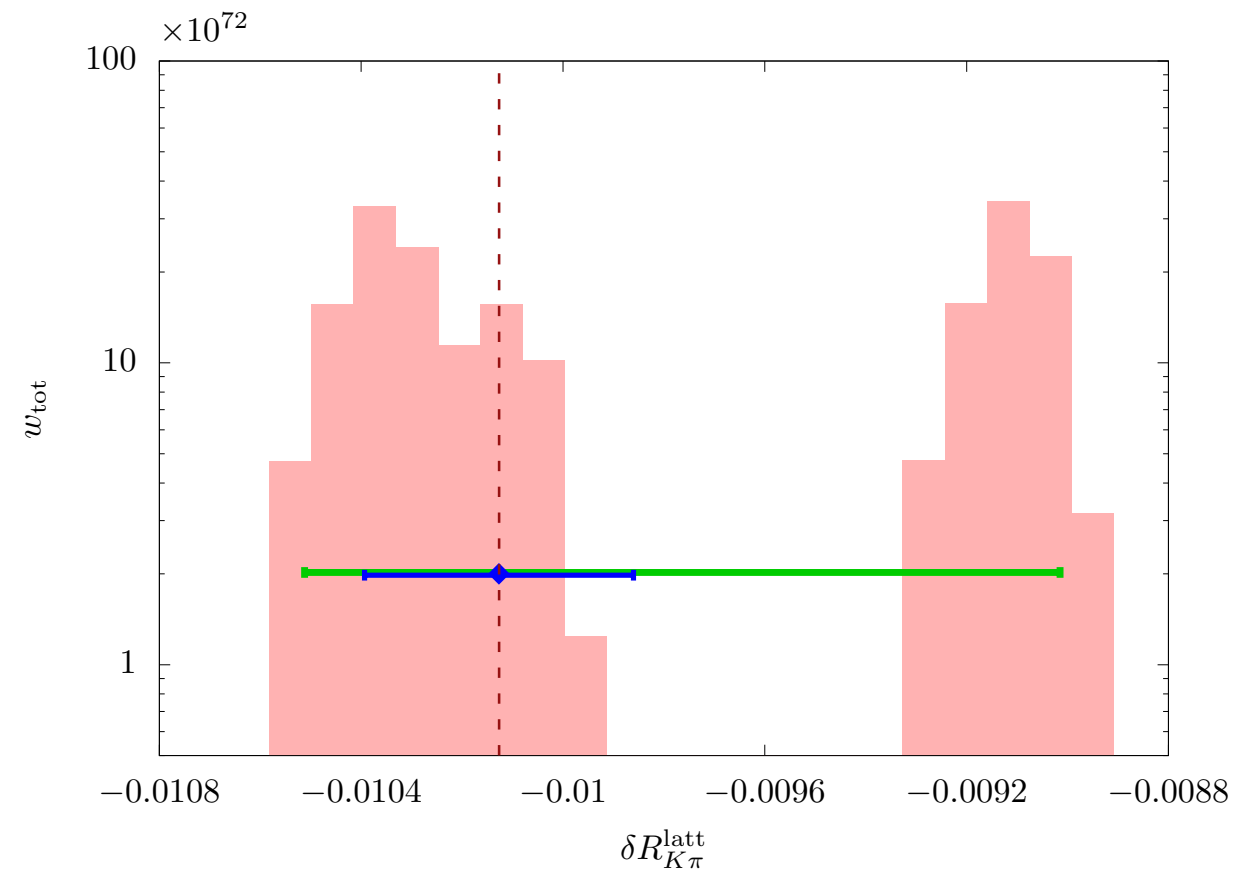


**Significant numerical challenge**

No computed here (partially quenched calculation)

# Data analysis

- $\delta R_{K\pi}$  is predicted from fitting 25 correlators
- Contains fac. and non-fac. corrections, and scale setting
- Genetic selection of 78125 best AIC fits
- Final error budget from AIC-weighted histogram



$$\delta R_{K\pi} = \delta R_K - \delta R_\pi$$

*(IB corrections to  $K$  and  $\pi$  leptonic decay rate ratio)*

# Final result

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$$\delta R_{K\pi} = -0.0086(3)_{\text{stat.}} \left( \begin{smallmatrix} +11 \\ -4 \end{smallmatrix} \right)_{\text{fit}} (5)_{\text{disc.}} (5)_{\text{quench.}} (39)_{\text{vol.}}$$

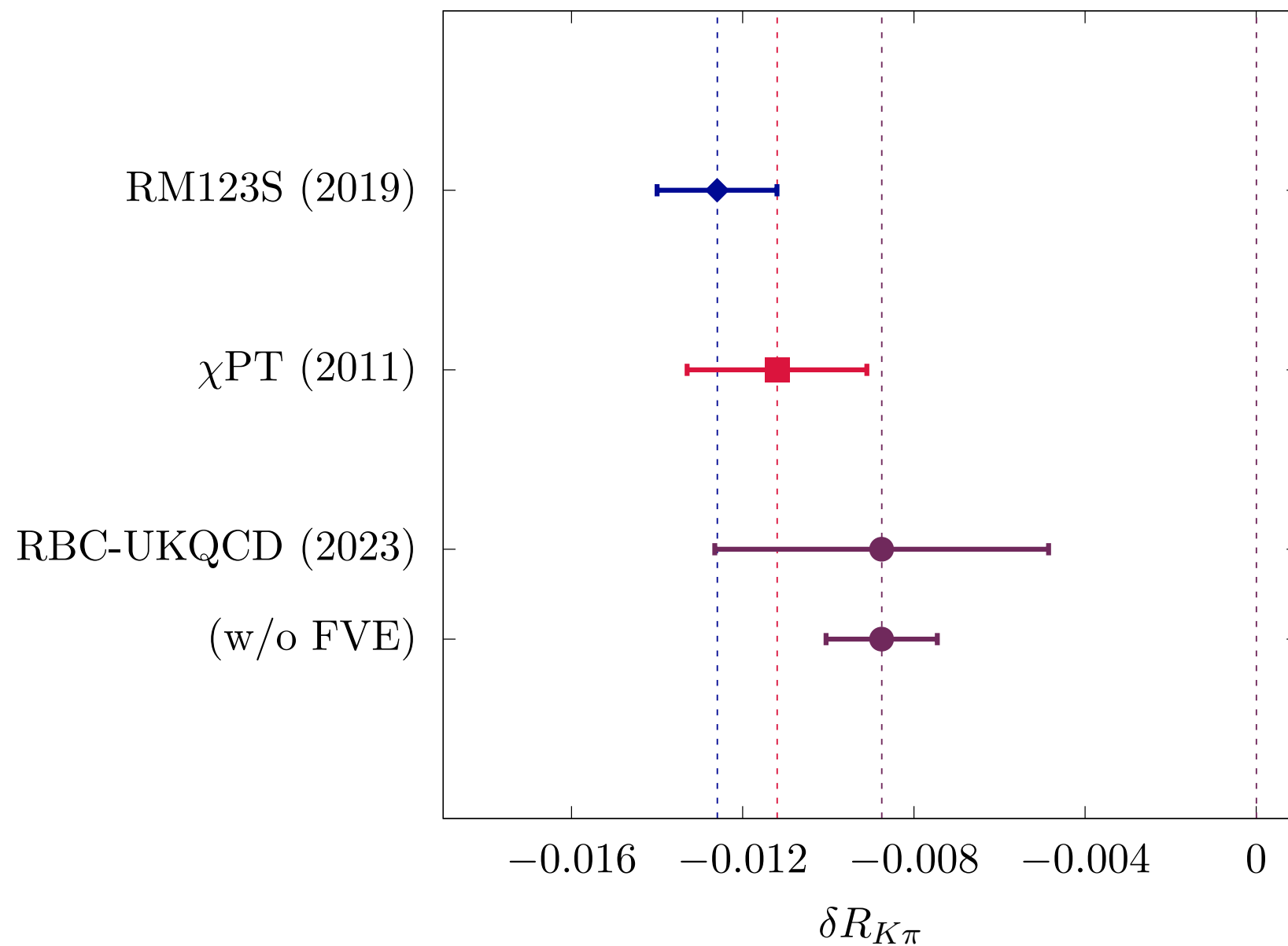
- Error dominated by **finite-volume uncertainties**  
(more about that shortly)

$$|V_{\text{us}}|/|V_{\text{ud}}| = 0.23154(28)_{\text{exp.}} (15)_{\delta R_{K\pi}} (45)_{\delta R_{K\pi}, \text{vol.}} (65)_{f_K/f_\pi}$$

- First need better control on volume and  $f_K/f_\pi$   
**Then experimental error dominates**



# Comparison to other determinations



# Finite-volume effects in QED

PHYSICAL REVIEW D **105**, 074509 (2022)

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## Relativistic, model-independent determination of electromagnetic finite-size effects beyond the pointlike approximation

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We present a relativistic and model-independent method to derive structure-dependent electromagnetic finite-size effects. This is a systematic procedure, particularly well-suited for automation, which works at arbitrarily high orders in the large-volume expansion. Structure-dependent coefficients appear as zero-momentum derivatives of physical form factors which can be obtained through experimental measurements or auxiliary lattice calculations. As an application we derive the electromagnetic finite-size effects on the pseudoscalar meson mass and leptonic decay amplitude, through orders  $\mathcal{O}(1/L^3)$  and  $\mathcal{O}(1/L^2)$ , respectively. The structure dependence appears at this order through the meson charge radius and the real radiative leptonic amplitude, which are known experimentally.

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# Photon zero-modes

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- Photon Green function equation (Feynman gauge)

$$-\Delta G_{\mu\nu}(x) = \delta_{\mu\nu}\delta(x)$$

- *Infinite volume:*  
Laplacian spectrum non-zero a.e., **potentially invertible**
- *Periodic finite-volume:*  
Isolated zero-mode, **non-invertible**

# Photon zero-modes

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- Finite volume QED loop integrals undefined

$$\int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2} \mapsto \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2}, \quad \text{with } \mathbf{k} = \frac{2\pi}{L}\mathbf{n}$$

possibly divergent  
**IR divergences** | isolated  $f(0)/0$  term

- QED<sub>L</sub> : **remove 3D zero-modes** from photon field

 *Hayakawa & Uno*, PTP 120 413-441 (2008)

 *BMWc Science* 347 1452-1455 (2015)

# Non-localities

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- $\text{QED}_L$  **non-local in space** (but local in time)
- Potential issues with EFTs and renormalisation
- Alternatives known,  $\text{QED}_L$  **most popular choice** so far

Massive photons

 *Endres, et al.* PRL 117(7) 072002 (2016)

$C^*$  boundary conditions

 *Lucini, et al.* JHEP02 76 (2016)

Infinite-volume reconstruction

 *Feng & Jin* PRD 100(9), 094509 (2019)

 *Christ et al.* PRD 108(1), 014501 (2023)

# Zero-mode regularisation

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- In  $\text{QED}_L$

$$\int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2} \mapsto \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0}} \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2}$$

- **Finite-volume effects**

$$\Delta'_{\mathbf{k}} \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2} = \left( \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0}} - \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \right) \frac{f(\mathbf{k})}{\mathbf{k}^2}$$

- **Soft-photon singularities:** power law in  $1/L$  asymptotics

# Finite-volume expansion

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- Expansion in inverse powers of  $L$ , with coefficients

$$c_j(\mathbf{v}) = \Delta'_{\mathbf{n}} \left[ \frac{1}{|\mathbf{n}|^j (1 - \mathbf{v} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}})} \right] \quad \begin{array}{l} \Delta'_{\mathbf{n}} = (\sum_{\mathbf{n} \neq 0} - \int d^3\mathbf{n}) \\ \hat{\mathbf{n}} = \mathbf{n}/|\mathbf{n}| \\ \mathbf{v} : \text{velocity} \end{array}$$

- For example, **scalar QED<sub>L</sub> self-energy FV effects**

$$\Delta_{\text{FV}} \omega(\mathbf{p})^2 = m q^2 \left[ \frac{1}{\gamma(|\mathbf{v}|)} \frac{c_2(\mathbf{v})}{4\pi^2 m L} + \frac{c_1}{2\pi(mL)^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \frac{\mathbf{p}}{\sqrt{\mathbf{p}^2 + m^2}}$$

 *Davoudi, AP, et al. PRD99(3), 034510 (2019)*

# Pseudo-scalar mass corrections in QED<sub>L</sub>

$$\Sigma(p^2) = \text{diagram with blob } C \text{ and wavy line} - \text{diagram with blob } C \text{ and two wavy lines} = \text{diagram with } \Gamma_1 \text{ and } \Gamma_1 \text{ and wavy line} + \text{diagram with } \Gamma_1 \text{ and } \Gamma_1 \text{ and wavy line} + \text{diagram with } \Gamma_2 \text{ and wavy line}$$

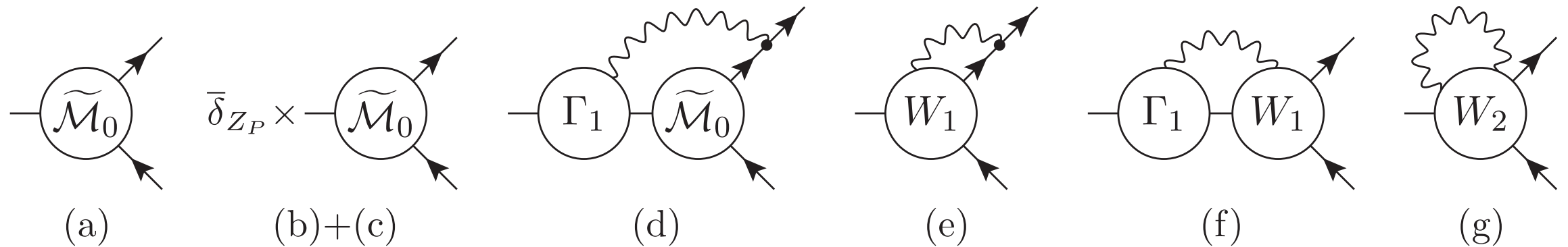
$$\Delta m_P^2(L) = e^2 m_P^2 \left\{ \frac{c_2}{4\pi^2 m_P L} + \frac{c_1}{2\pi (m_P L)^2} - \frac{c_0 \langle r_P^2 \rangle}{3 m_P L^3} - \frac{c_0 \mathcal{C}}{(m_P L)^3} + \mathcal{O} \left[ \frac{1}{(m_P L)^4} \right] \right\}$$

- $1/L$  &  $1/L^2$  terms are **universal**
- $1/L^3$  term depends on radius and branch-cut contribution
- $1/L^3$  is **purely non-local**
- Higher orders depend on polarisabilities, etc...

 *Di Carlo, AP, et al. PRD 105(7), 074509 (2022)*



# Leptonic decay radiative corrections in QED<sub>L</sub>



$$\Gamma_0^{(n)}(L) = \Gamma_0^{\text{tree}} \left[ 1 + 2 \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} Y^{(n)}(L) \right] + \mathcal{O} \left( \frac{1}{L^{n+1}} \right)$$

$$Y^{(2)}(L) = \frac{3}{4} + 4 \log \left( \frac{m_\ell}{m_W} \right) + 2 \log \left( \frac{m_W L}{4\pi} \right) + \frac{c_3 - 2(c_3(\mathbf{v}_\ell) - B_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell))}{2\pi} -$$

$$- 2 A_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell) \left[ \log \left( \frac{m_P L}{2\pi} \right) + \log \left( \frac{m_\ell L}{2\pi} \right) - 1 \right] - \frac{1}{m_P L} \left[ \frac{(1 + r_\ell^2)^2 c_2 - 4 r_\ell^2 c_2(\mathbf{v}_\ell)}{1 - r_\ell^4} \right] +$$

$$+ \frac{1}{(m_P L)^2} \left[ -\frac{F_A^P}{f_P} \frac{4\pi m_P [(1 + r_\ell^2)^2 c_1 - 4 r_\ell^2 c_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell)]}{1 - r_\ell^4} + \frac{8\pi [(1 + r_\ell^2) c_1 - 2 c_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell)]}{(1 - r_\ell^4)} \right]$$

# Leptonic decay radiative corrections in QED<sub>L</sub>

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$$\begin{aligned}
 Y^{(2)}(L) = & \frac{3}{4} + 4 \log \left( \frac{m_\ell}{m_W} \right) + 2 \log \left( \frac{m_W L}{4\pi} \right) + \frac{c_3 - 2(c_3(\mathbf{v}_\ell) - B_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell))}{2\pi} - \\
 & - 2 A_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell) \left[ \log \left( \frac{m_P L}{2\pi} \right) + \log \left( \frac{m_\ell L}{2\pi} \right) - 1 \right] - \frac{1}{m_P L} \left[ \frac{(1 + r_\ell^2)^2 c_2 - 4 r_\ell^2 c_2(\mathbf{v}_\ell)}{1 - r_\ell^4} \right] + \\
 & + \frac{1}{(m_P L)^2} \left[ -\frac{F_A^P}{f_P} \frac{4\pi m_P [(1 + r_\ell^2)^2 c_1 - 4 r_\ell^2 c_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell)]}{1 - r_\ell^4} + \frac{8\pi [(1 + r_\ell^2) c_1 - 2 c_1(\mathbf{v}_\ell)]}{(1 - r_\ell^4)} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- log &  $1/L$  terms **universal**
- $1/L^2$  depends on real radiation form factor  $F_A$

 *Di Carlo, AP, et al. PRD 105(7), 074509 (2022)*

# Leptonic decay radiative corrections in QED<sub>L</sub>

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- New from Lattice 2023:  $1/L^3$  contributions

$$\frac{32\pi^2 m_P}{f_P(1 - r_\ell^4)(m_P L)^3} \left\{ c_0(\mathbf{v}_\ell) [F_V - F_A + 2m_P^2 r_\ell^2 A^{(0,1)}(0, -m_P^2)] + c_0 \mathcal{C}_\ell \right\}$$

 Lattice 2023: *Nils Hermansson-Truedsson*

- $\mathcal{C}_\ell$  contains largely unknown branch-cut contributions
- $A^{(0,1)}(0, -m_P^2)$  unknown form factor derivative
- It's ok, *wait a couple of slides...*

# QED<sub>L</sub> IR-improvement and QED<sub>r</sub>

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- Modified QED action, new FV coefficients

$$c_j(\mathbf{v}) = \Delta'_n \left[ \frac{1}{|\mathbf{n}|^j (1 - \mathbf{v} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}})} \right] + \sum_{\mathbf{n} \neq 0} \left[ \frac{w_{|\mathbf{n}|^2}}{|\mathbf{n}|^j (1 - \mathbf{v} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{n}})} \right]$$

 *Davoudi, AP, et al. PRD99(3), 034510 (2019)*

- $w_{|\mathbf{n}|^2}$  can be tuned to cancel arbitrary sets of FV coefficients
- Useful choice: QED<sub>r</sub>, defined by

$$w_{|\mathbf{n}|^2} = \frac{\delta_{|\mathbf{n}|^2,1}}{6} \quad \text{which gives} \quad c_0 = 0$$

 *Matteo Di Carlo: Lattice 2023 plenary*

# Consequences of IR improvement

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- $\text{QED}_r$  has no  $1/L^3$  corrections to the scalar mass
- $\text{QED}_r$  has no  $1/L^3$  corrections to the  $\pi\pi$  HVP (assuming zero spatial momentum)
- For weak decays it is more complicated because of the presence of  $c_0(\mathbf{v}_\ell)$  at  $1/L^3$
- More improvement can be done, but will generally require process and kinematics-dependent weights

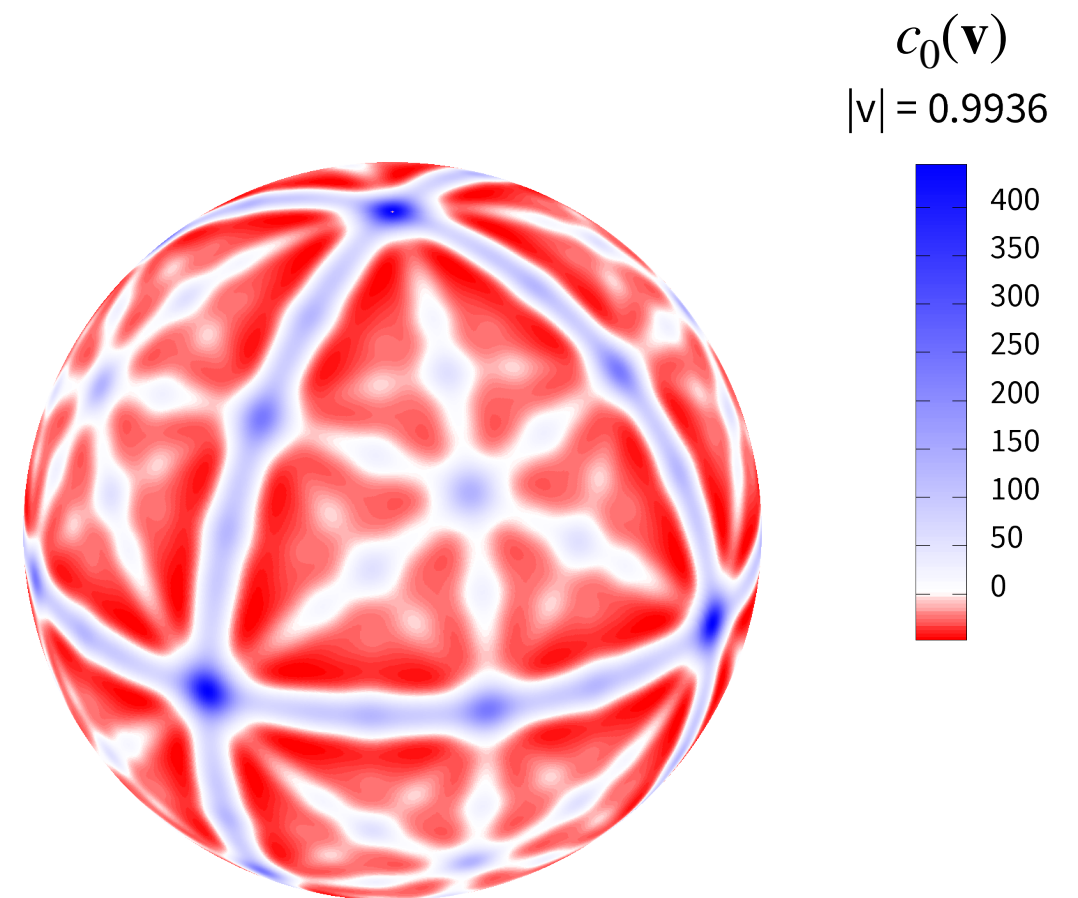
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# Colinear divergences in finite volume

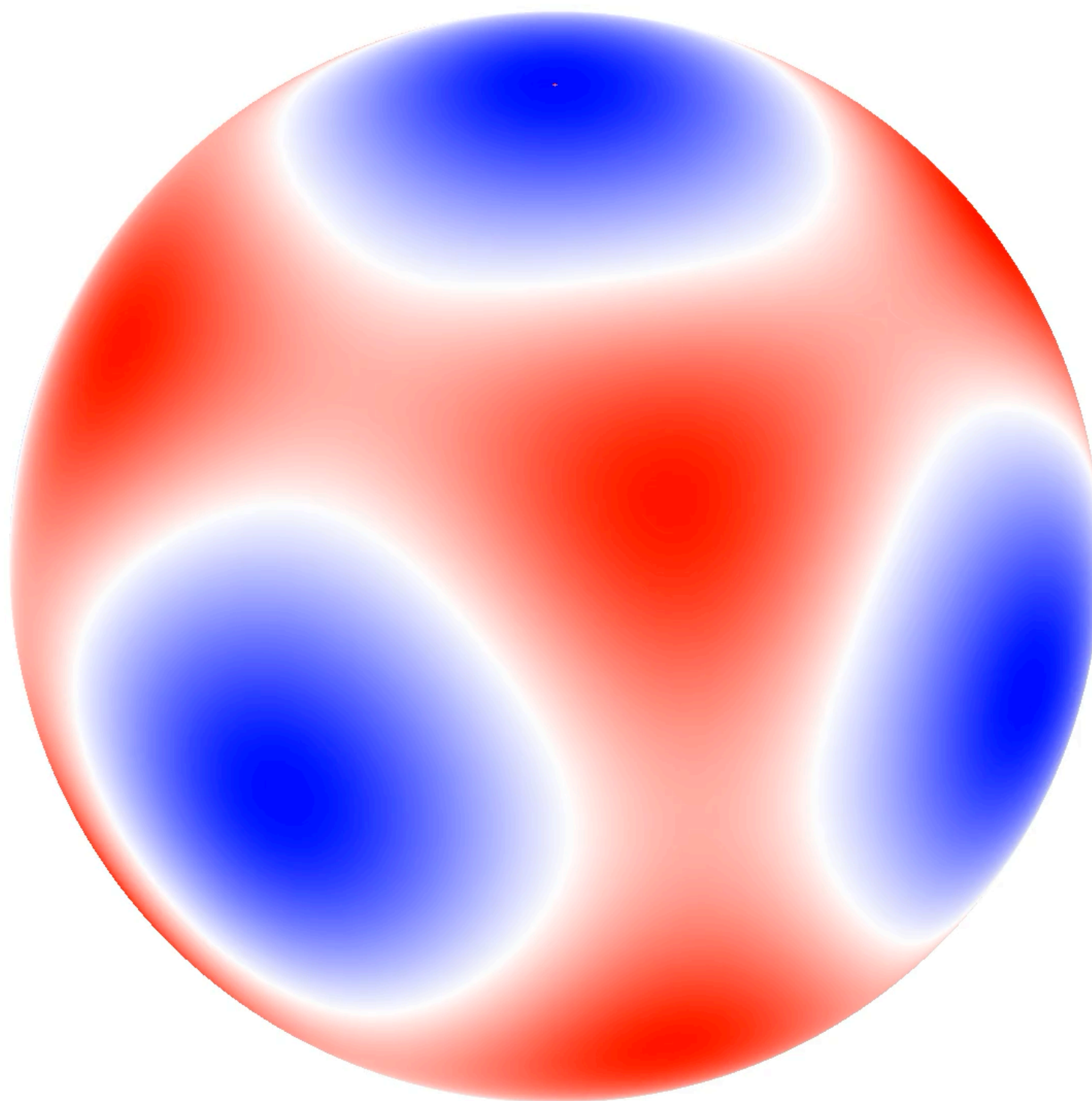
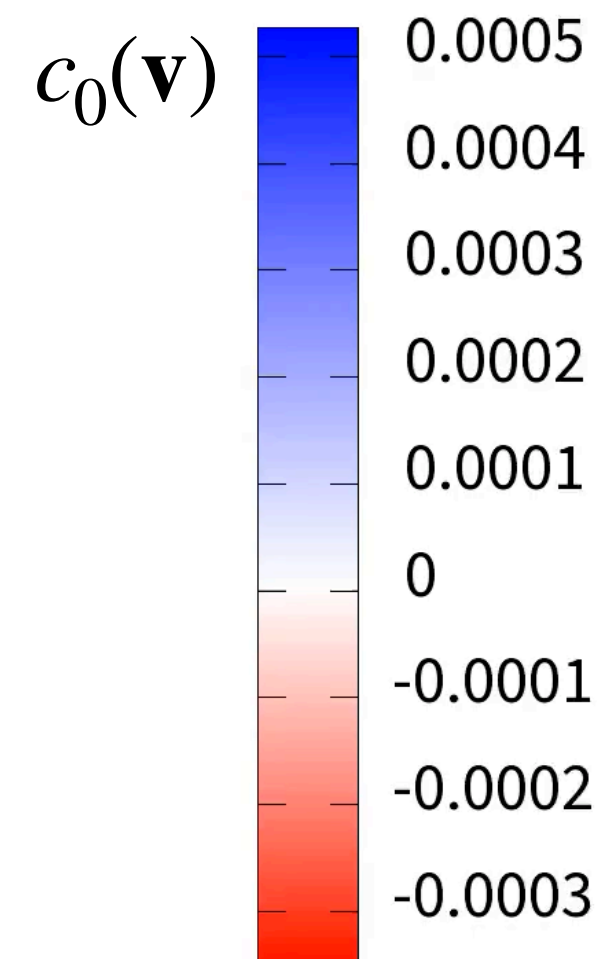
- $c_j(\mathbf{v})$  has a non-trivial angular dependence, and **diverges linearly** with  $1 - |\mathbf{v}|$  for  $|\mathbf{v}| \rightarrow 1$

 *AP Lattice 2023*

- Relevant for leptonic decays with **ultra-relativistic leptons** in final state  
(e.g.  $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ )
- Very different from symmetric, logarithmic behaviour in infinite-volume



$$|v| = 0.1777$$



# Dealing with $1/L^3$ effects for leptonic decays

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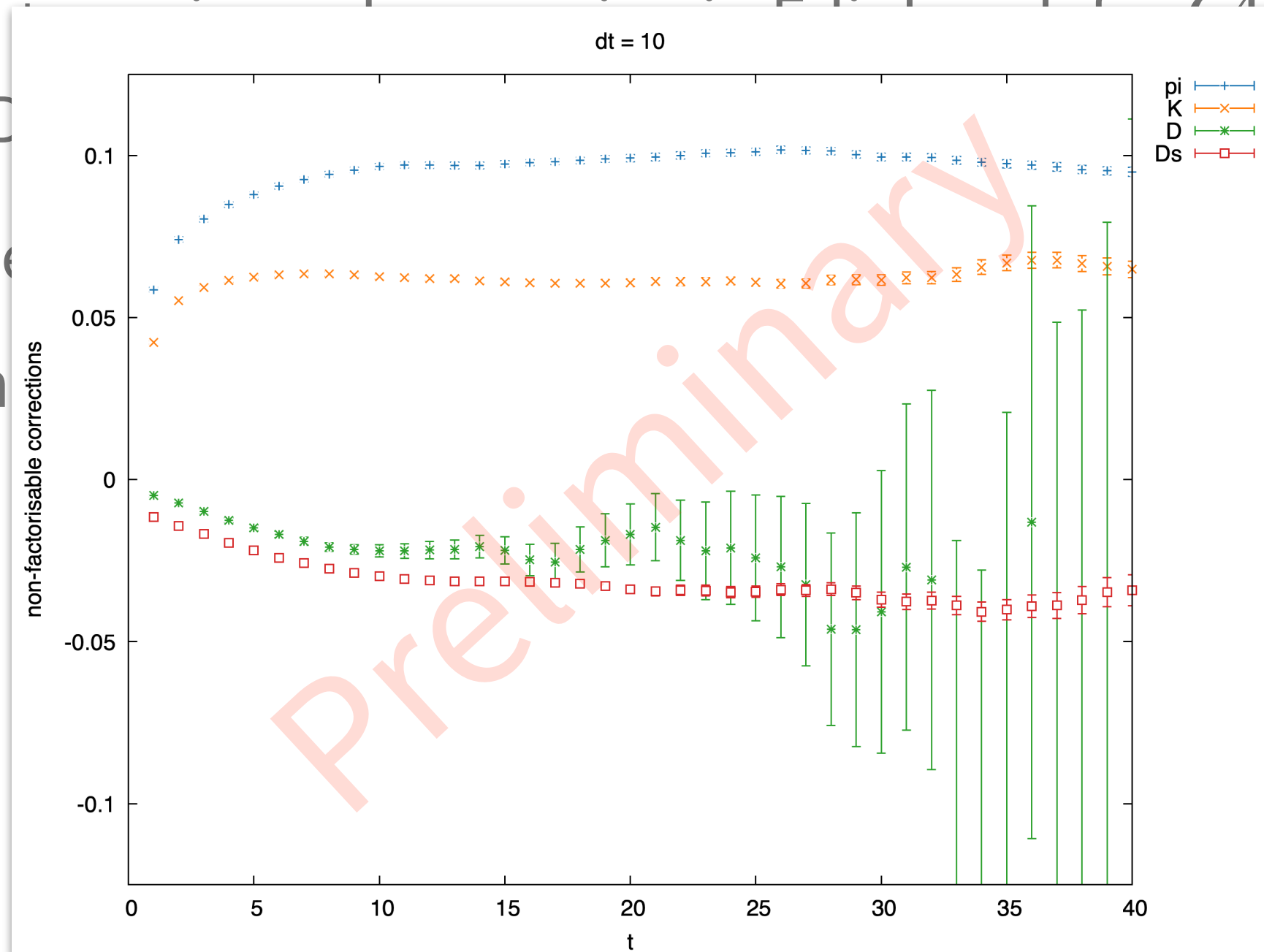
- With  $\text{QED}_r$ ,  $c_0 = 0$
- Collinear divergences **can be tamed stochastically**  
averaging momentum direction across measurements (SDA)
- With  $\text{QED}_r$ ,  $\langle c_0(\mathbf{v}) \rangle_{\hat{\mathbf{v}}} = 0$
- Alternatively, one can solve  $c_0(\mathbf{v}^*) = 0$  (**magic angles**)
- **Removes  $1/L^3$  FV corrections in leptonic decays!**



Outlook

# UKQCD current status

- QED<sub>r</sub>
- UKQCD
- Volume
- Discon



# Summary

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- Unambiguous and accurate results for radiative corrections to weak meson decays **is crucial for pushing further unitarity tests of the CKM matrix**
- Lattice results **already competitive** for kaons and pions
- Experimental efforts are also required (e.g. NA62/HIKE)
- Lattice should be ready to **move to heavy quarks**
- Recent improvements allow **control of FV effects up to high orders in finite-volume QED**





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# Edinburgh Consensus on QCD+QED prescriptions

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*Pure QCD*

$$\hat{M}_{\pi^+} = 135.0 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\hat{M}_{K^+} = 491.6 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\hat{M}_{K^0} = 497.6 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\hat{M}_{D_s} = 1967 \text{ MeV}$$


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$$\bar{M}_{\pi} = 135.0 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\bar{M}_K = 494.6 \text{ MeV}$$

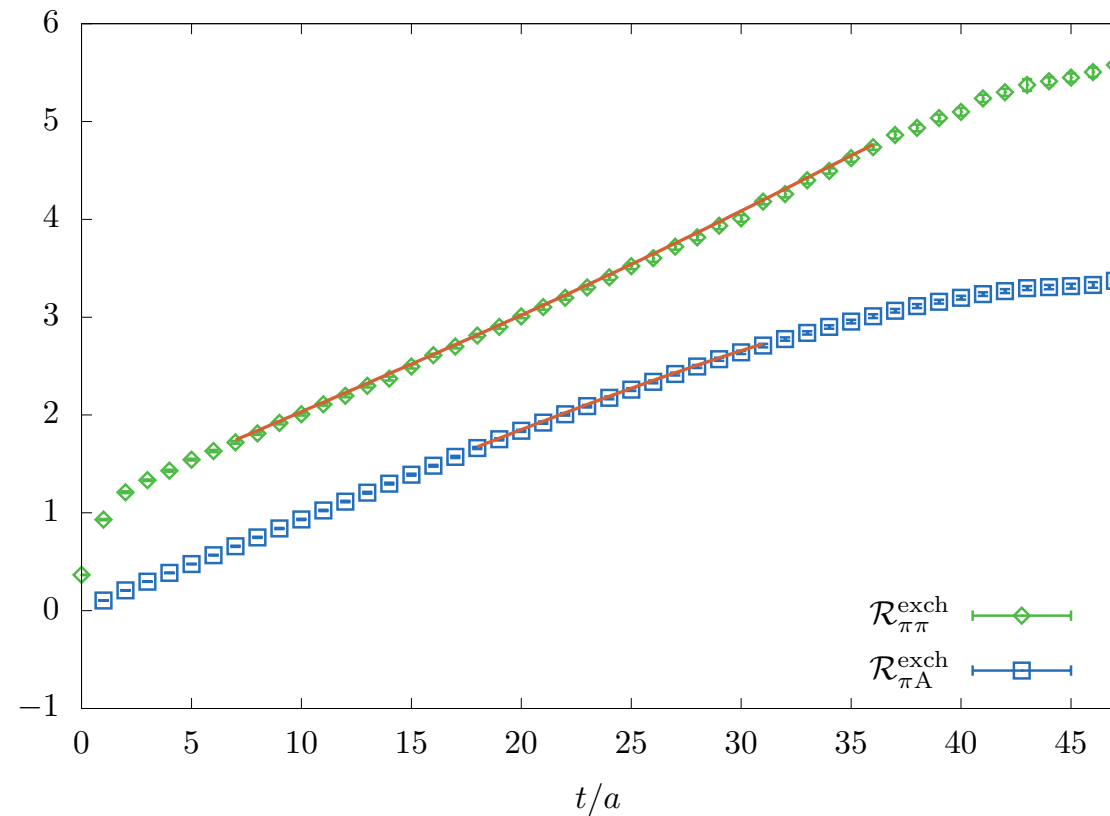
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$$\text{Scale } \bar{f}_{\pi} = \hat{f}_{\pi} = 130.5 \text{ MeV}$$

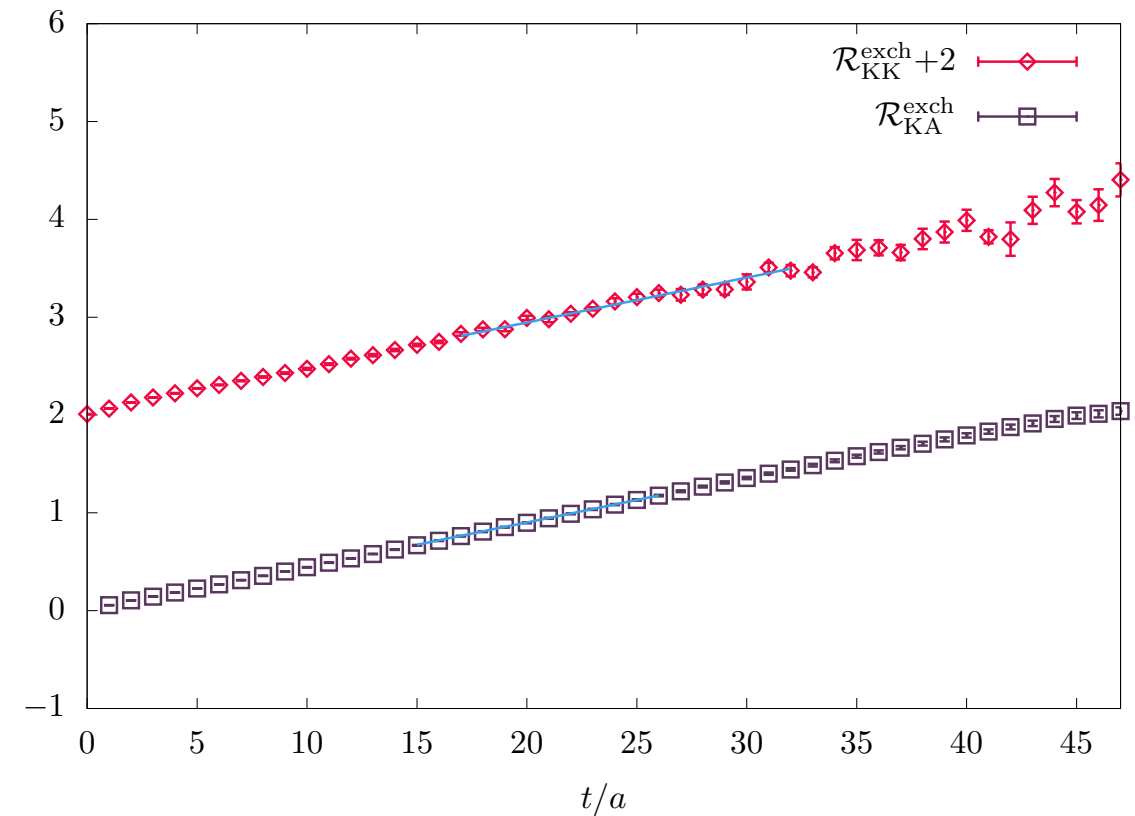
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- **Proposed to FLAG and g-2 TI**

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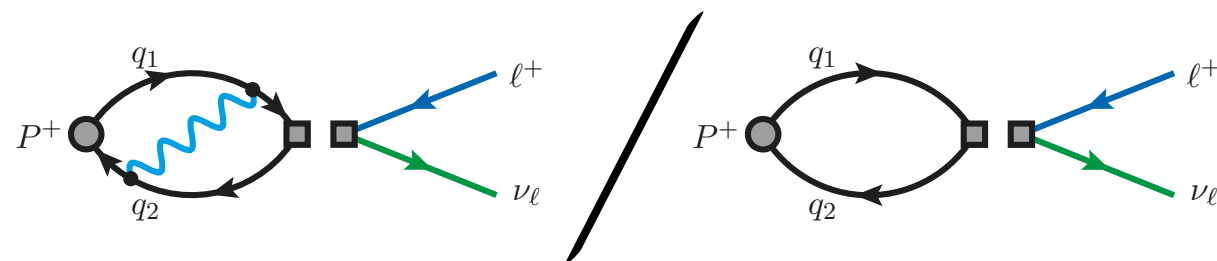


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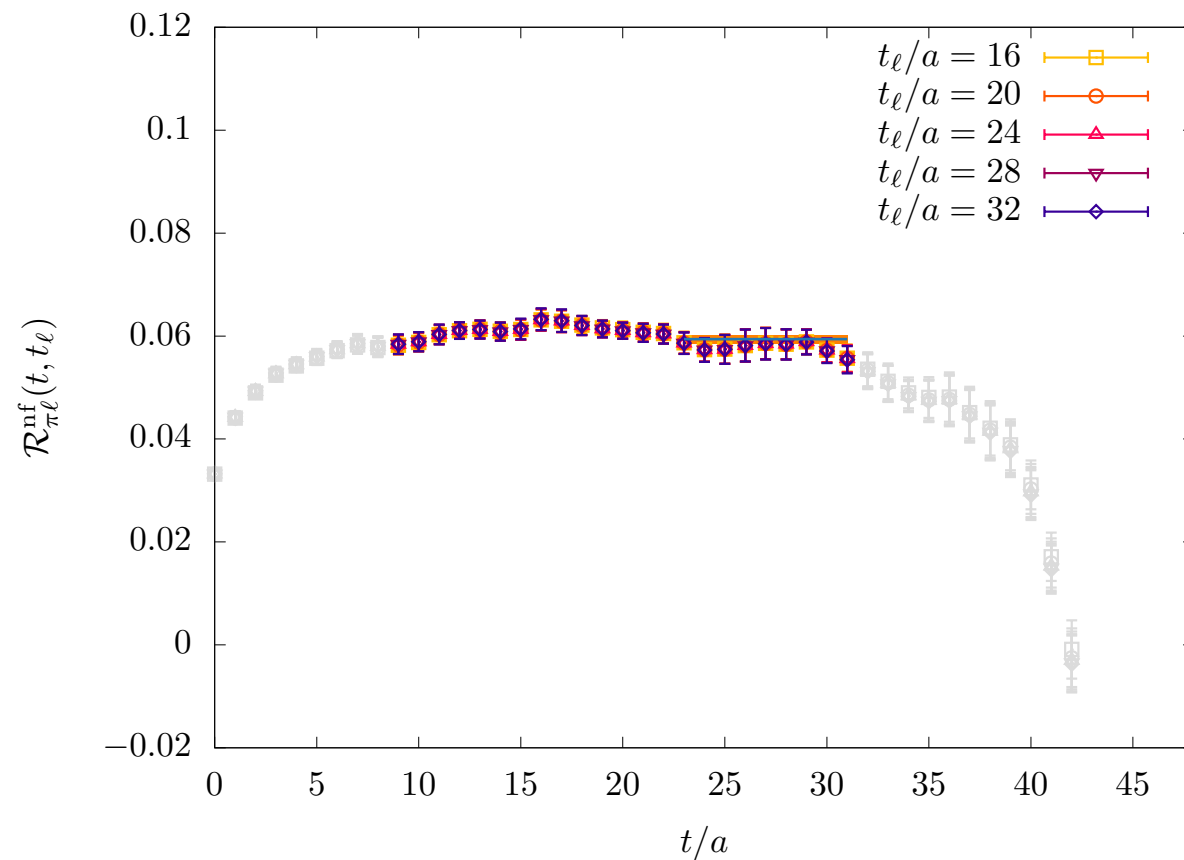
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**Ratios**

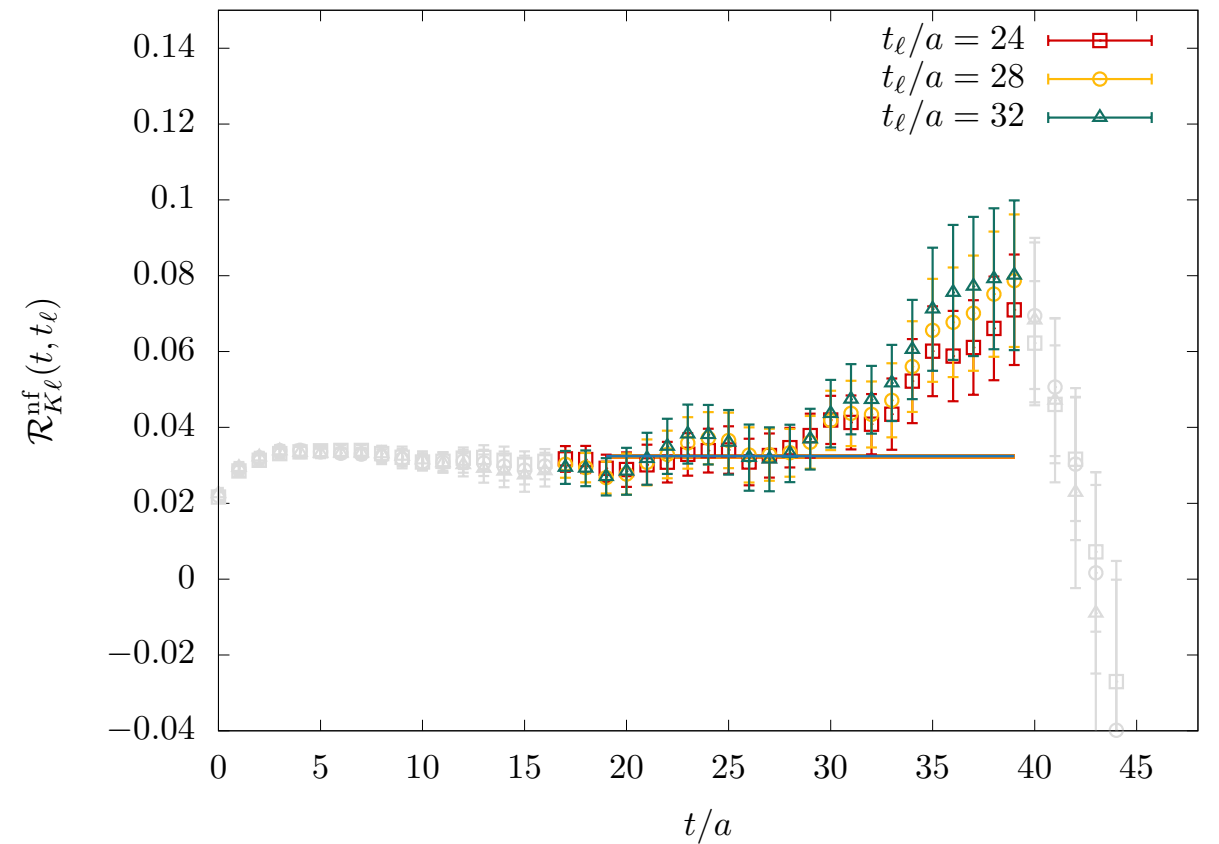


(asymptotic linear in decay with corrections)

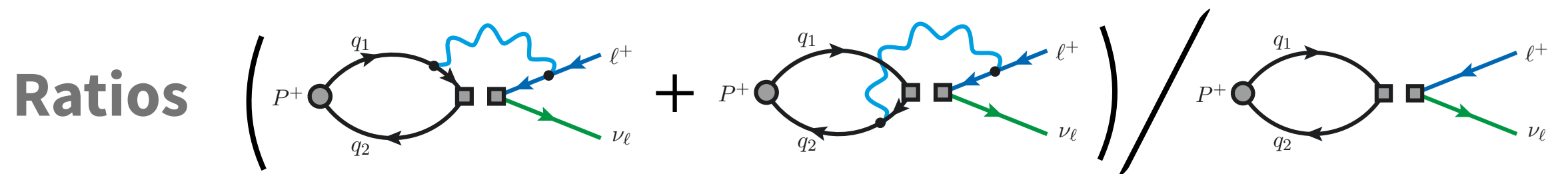
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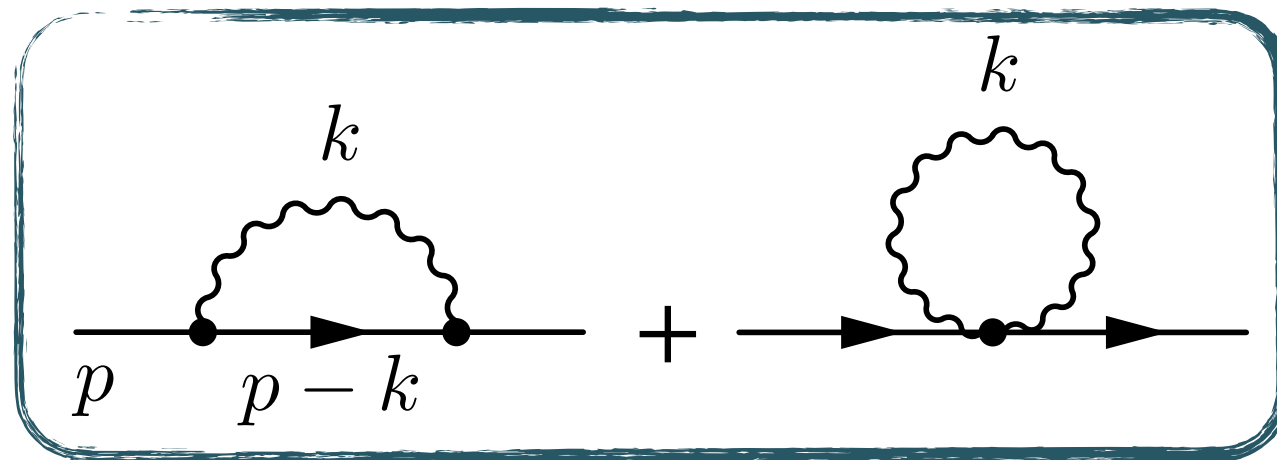


(b) kaon



(asymptotically constant in time)

# Power-like finite-volume effects: example



$$f(k) = \frac{4}{k^2} - \frac{(2p - k)^2}{k^2[(p - k)^2 + m^2]}$$

$$\int \frac{dk_0}{2\pi} f(k) = \frac{4m^2\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k}) + |\mathbf{k}|[-p_0^2 + 3\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k})^2]}{2\omega(\mathbf{k})|\mathbf{k}|[p_0^2 + \omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k})^2]}$$

$$= \frac{4m^2\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k}) + |\mathbf{k}|[m^2 + 3\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k})^2]}{2\omega(\mathbf{k})|\mathbf{k}|[\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k})^2 - m^2]}$$

$$= \frac{m}{|\mathbf{k}|^2} + \frac{1}{|\mathbf{k}|} + \textcircled{R(\mathbf{k})}$$

analytic in  $\mathbf{k}$ , vanishes at  $|\mathbf{k}| = 0$

$$\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\omega(\mathbf{k}) = \sqrt{\mathbf{k}^2 + m^2}$$

$$\omega_\gamma(\mathbf{k}) = \omega(\mathbf{k}) + |\mathbf{k}|$$



# Power-like finite-volume effects: example

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- In  $\text{QED}_L$ ,  $\mathbf{k} = \frac{2\pi}{L}\mathbf{n}$  and  $\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0}$

- $\Delta'_{\mathbf{k}} = \left( \sum_{\mathbf{k} \neq \mathbf{0}} - \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \right) = \frac{1}{L^3} \Delta'_{\mathbf{n}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{\text{FV}} m^2(L) &= \Delta'_{\mathbf{k}} \left( \frac{m}{|\mathbf{k}|^2} + \frac{1}{|\mathbf{k}|} + R(\mathbf{k}) \right) \\ &= \frac{c_2 m}{4\pi^2 L} + \frac{c_1}{2\pi L^2} + \Delta'_{\mathbf{k}} R(\mathbf{k}) \end{aligned}$$

- **FV coefficient**  $c_j = \Delta'_{\mathbf{n}} |\mathbf{n}|^{-j} = Z_{00} \left( \frac{j}{2}, \mathbf{0} \right)$

# Non-localities

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- If  $f(\mathbf{k})$  is analytic, the sum-integral difference in  $\mathbf{k}$  **decays exponentially with  $L$**
- This is not true in  $\text{QED}_L$  because of the missing modes

$$\Delta'_{\mathbf{k}} f(\mathbf{k}) = -\frac{f(\mathbf{0})}{L^3}$$

- Related to FV coefficient  $c_0 = \Delta'_n(1) = -1$
- Effects proportional to  $c_0$  are **non-local effects**

# Exponential vs power, how much does it matter?

