Real Photon emission for $K \to \ell_2$ decays

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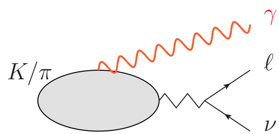

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Summary

Introduction

- Motivation to include QED in QCD
- Why lattice QCD+QED
- If Lattice QCD is though, including QED is even harder!
- Include QED: the perturbative approach

Hadron decay

1. Infrared divergence
2. Virtual QED corrections to $K \to \ell_2$
3. Real emission of a photon

Some final words

- Work in progress
- Future developments

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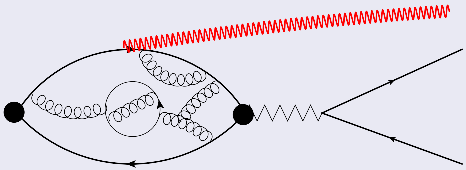	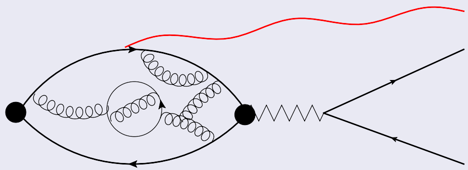
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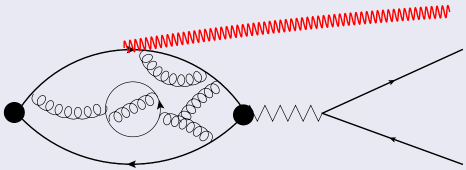

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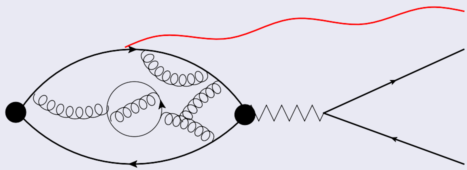

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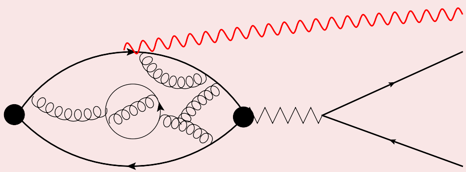
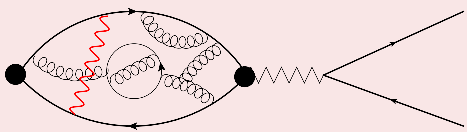
What to do with soft photons?





...Here lattice come to the rescue...

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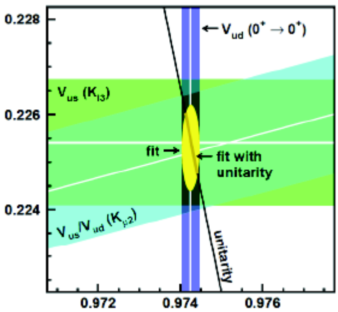

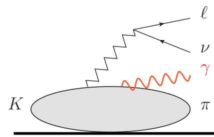

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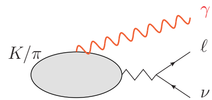

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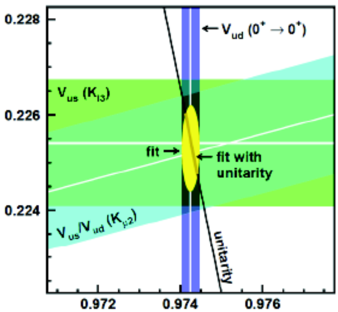

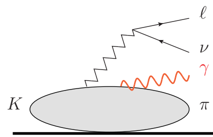

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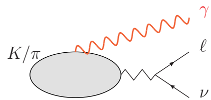

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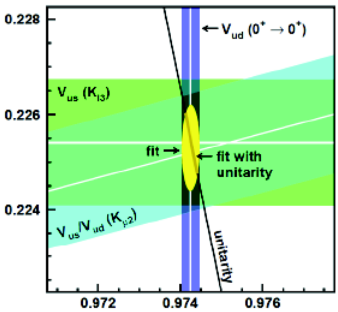

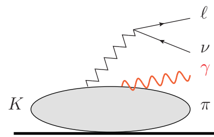

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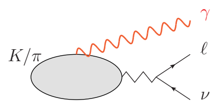

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$\left(f_+^{K^+\pi^0}/f_+^{K^-\pi^+}-1\right)^{QCD} = 2.9(4)\%$	$\left(\frac{f_{K^+}/f_{\pi^+}}{f_K/f_\pi}-1\right)^{QCD} = -0.22(6)\%$
A. Kastner, H. Neufeld (EPJ C57, 2008)	V. Cirigliano, H. Neufeld (Phys.Lett.B700, 2011)

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Theoretical problems

Power-like Finite Volume Effects due to long range interaction

Zero mode from photon propagator: $\int \frac{\delta_{\mu\nu}}{k^2} d^4k \;\; \rightarrow \;\; \sum_k \frac{\delta_{\mu\nu}}{k^2}$
massive photons, removal of zero mode, C^* boundary conditions...

Renormalization pattern gets more complicated

Additional divergencies arises!

UV completeness: Nobody knows how to tame QED to all orders!

Practical problem

- Traditionally, gauge configuration datasets include only gluons
- Dedicated simulations with huge cost
- Even greater cost due to additional zero modes.

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Pioneering papers

- "*Isospin breaking effects due to the up-down mass difference in Lattice QCD*", [JHEP 1204 (2012)]
- "*Leading isospin breaking effects on the lattice*", [PRD87 (2013)]

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D.Giusti,
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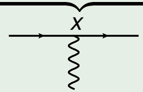
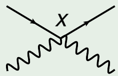
Which on the lattice means...

$$S_1 = \underbrace{\left[\int dx\, V_\mu(x)\, A_\mu(x)\right]^2} + \underbrace{\int dx\, T_\mu(x)\, A_\mu^2(x)}$$





- V^2: Two photon-fermion-fermion vertices (as in the continuum)
- T: One photon-photon-fermion-fermion vertex (tadpole: lattice special).

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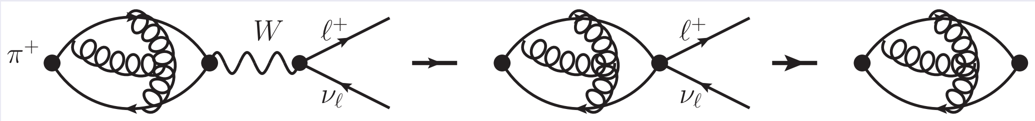

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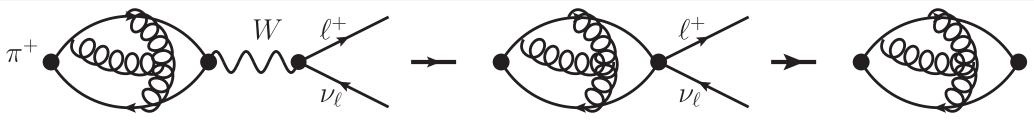


Two point correlation functions

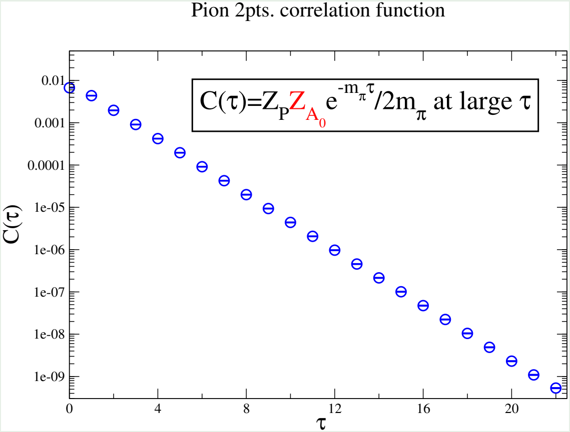
$$\Gamma_{\pi\to\ell\bar\nu} = \underbrace{|V_{xy}|^2}_{\text{CKM}} \underbrace{\mathcal{K}(m_\ell, m_M)}_{\text{kinematics}} \Big| \underbrace{f_\pi}_{\text{dec. constant}} \Big|^2$$

$$f_\pi = \frac{Z_A}{m_\pi} = \frac{\langle 0|A_0|\pi\rangle}{m_\pi}$$

Z: coupling of current inducing decay

From lattice, 2 point correlation functions:

$$C(\tau) = \langle O^\dagger_{A_0}(\tau)\, O_P(0)\rangle,\ O = \bar\psi\Gamma\psi$$



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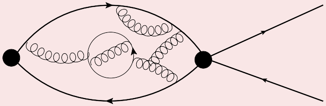
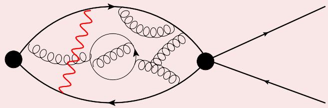
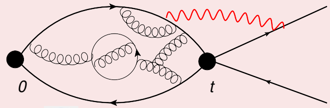
$A_0 =$ 

$A_1 =$  $+$ 

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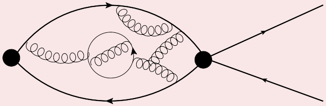
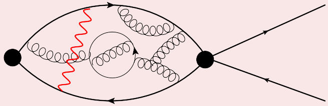
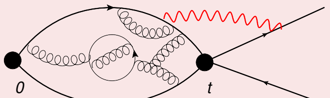
$A_0 =$ 

$A_1 =$  $+$ 

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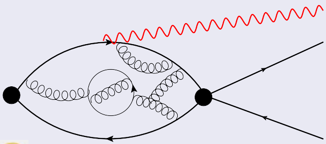
$B_0 =$ 

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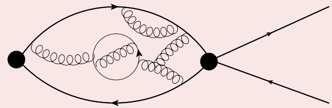
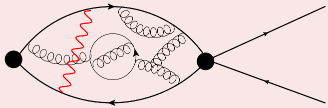
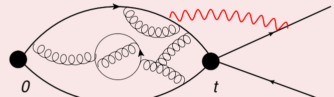
$A_0 =$ 

$A_1 =$  $+$ 

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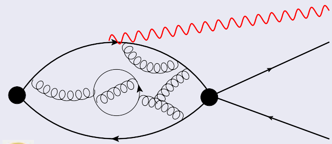
$B_0 =$ 

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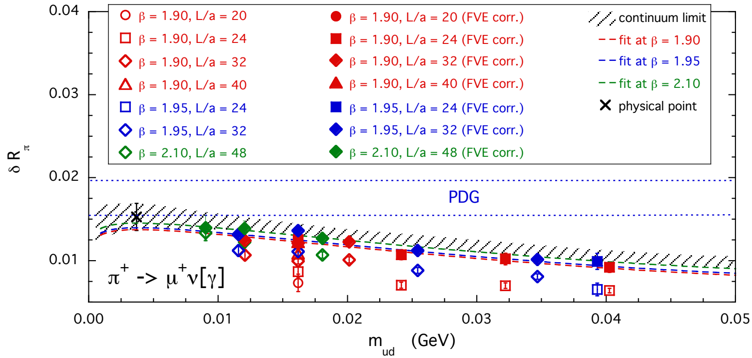
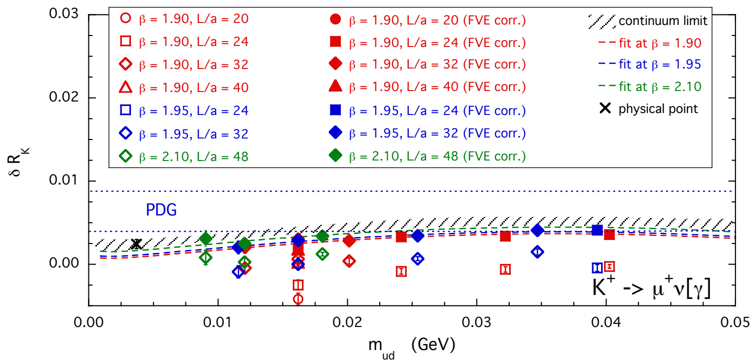
Solution

[Bloch and Nordsieck, PR52 (1937)]

$\Gamma = \Gamma^{0ph} + \Gamma^{1ph}$ is finite - we need to compute **both**

Pion and Kaon decay virtual QED corrections





[M. Di Carlo et al., Phys.Rev. D100 (2019) no.3, 034514]

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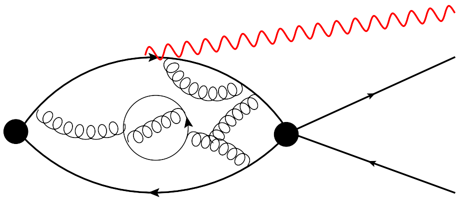

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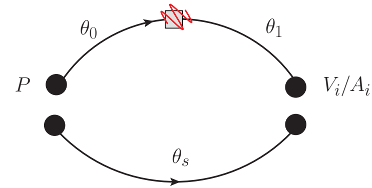

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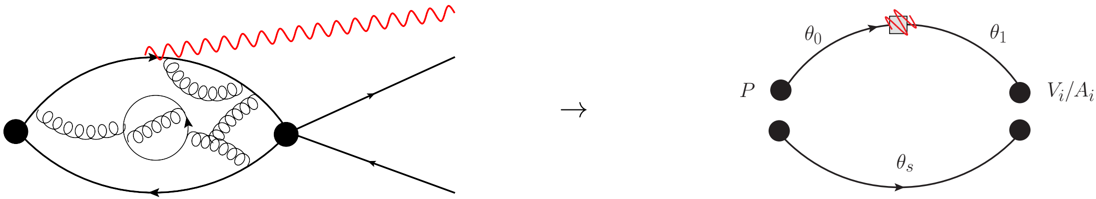

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$N_{\theta_0}N_{\theta_1}N_{\theta_s}$ kinematic combination for each meson

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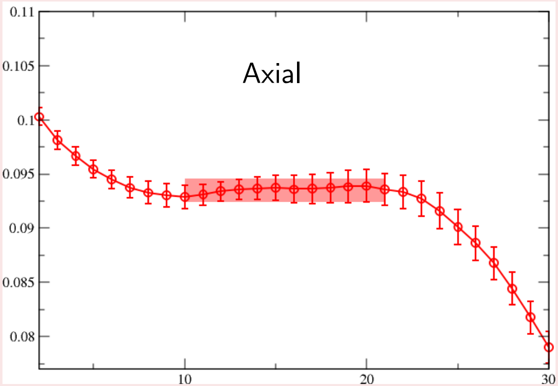

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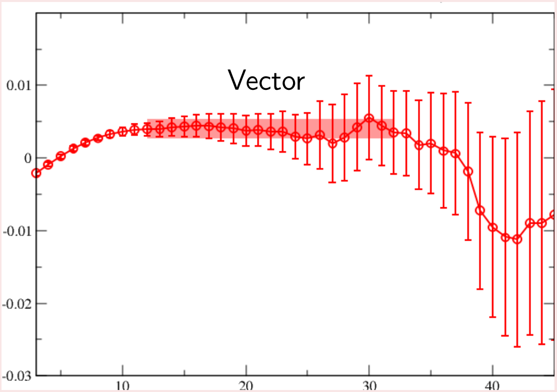

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TWO form factors, F_A and F_V

- Contain the structure-dependent part of the amplitude
- Exactly zero if meson were point-like
- Ch-PT prediction for light pseudoscalar meson
- Enhanced when excited states are close in energy (D, B mesons)

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$$H_A^{i,r}(p,k) = \frac{\epsilon_r^i M_P}{2} x_\gamma \left[\boldsymbol{F_A(x_\gamma)} + \underbrace{\frac{2 f_P}{M_P x_\gamma}}_{IR\,divergence} \right], \qquad H_V^{i,r}(p,k) = \frac{[\epsilon_r \wedge (E_\gamma p - E_P k)]_i}{m_P} \boldsymbol{F_V(p,k)}$$

Axial matrix element is **divergent**, coefficient f_P exactly known (WI)

TWO form factors, F_A and F_V

- Contain the structure-dependent part of the amplitude
- Exactly zero if meson were point-like
- Ch-PT prediction for light pseudoscalar meson
- Enhanced when excited states are close in energy (D, B mesons)

TWO MORE form factors out-shell

- ...and problems with analytic continuations
- but would allow to study additional processes...

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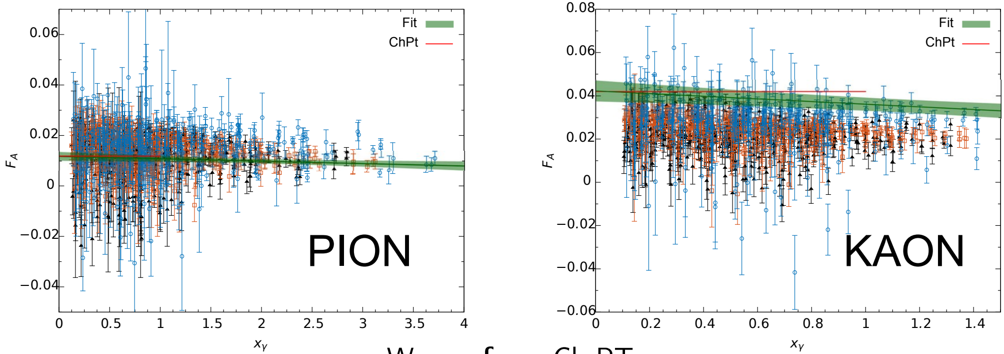

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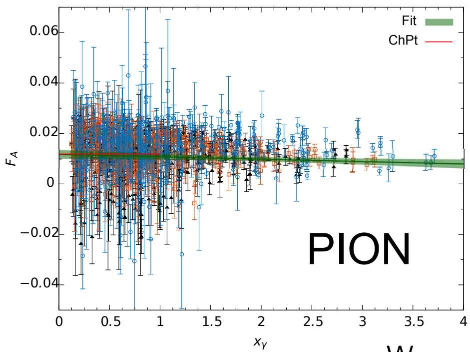

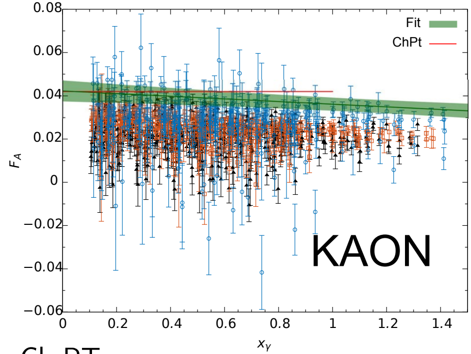

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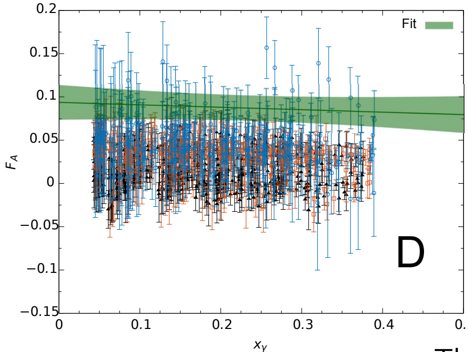

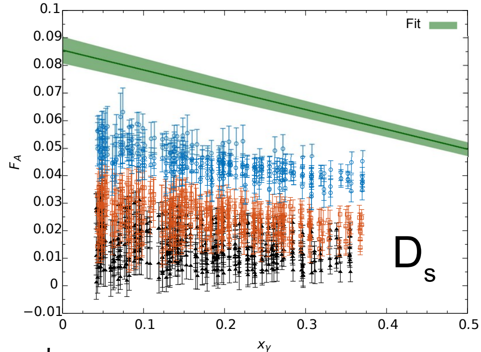

This is **new**!

Differential rate to be integrated

$$\frac{4\pi}{\alpha\,\Gamma_0^{\rm tree}}\frac{d\Gamma_1^{\rm SD}}{dx_\gamma} = \frac{m_P^2}{6 f_P^2\, r_\ell^2\,(1-r_\ell^2)^2}\left[F_V(x_\gamma)^2 + F_A(x_\gamma)^2\right] f^{\rm SD}(x_\gamma)$$

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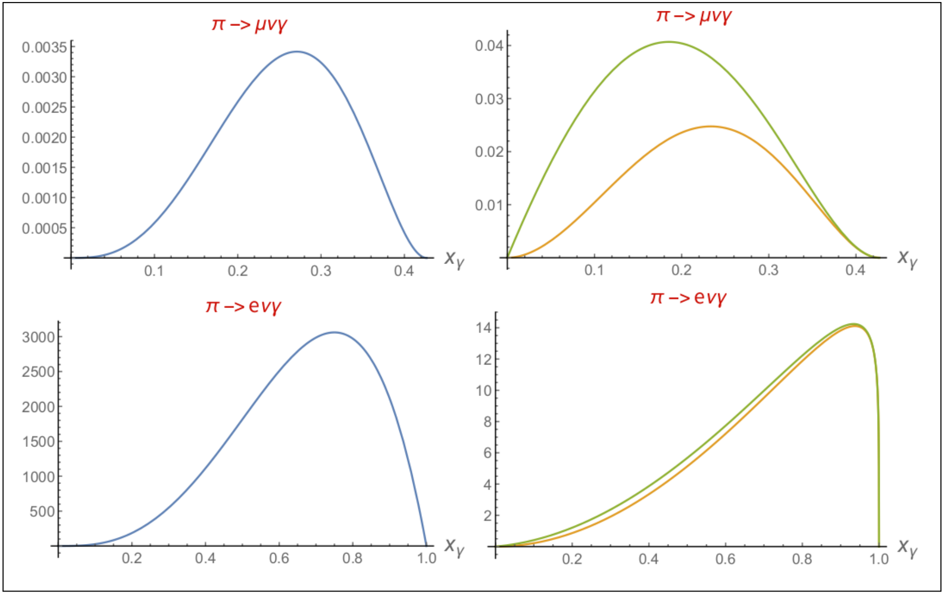

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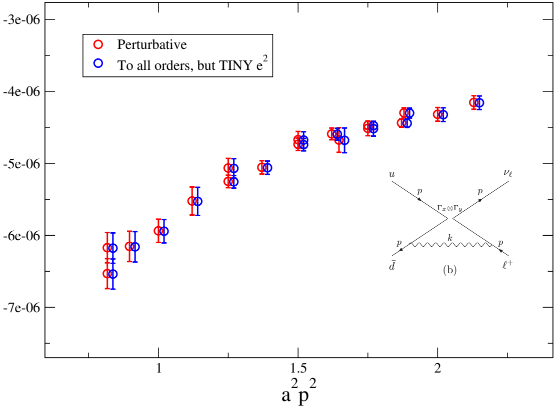
THANK YOU!

Backup slides

Can't we compute this with the "to all order" approach?

$$\text{Stochastic} = \text{Put the photons in the links } U_{x,\mu}^{QCD} \rightarrow U_{x,\mu}^{QCD} \exp\left(ieA_{x,\mu}\right)$$



In the quenched QED approximation

- Can be used to isolate $\propto e^2$ contribution
- $\frac{O(+e)+O(-e)}{2e^2} \xrightarrow{e\to 0} \partial_{e^2} O\left(e\right)\big|_{e=0}$
  "numerical calculation of derivative"
- strictly the same cost, for 2pts
- easier & cheaper for higher correlations!?
- needs some more investigations

What if you don't take $e \rightarrow 0$?

- Higher orders are kept in the calculation
- Can be fine if the observable is not pathological
- Extrapolating has little cost...

Unquenched QED

reweighting: can be used to compute disconnected diagrams

simulations: no easy way to to keep correlation of two independent runs

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✗ needs dedicated simulations

$\sim$ flavor violation across boundaries.

Matching to the "real world"

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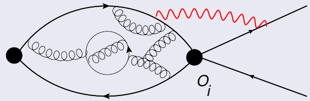


Needs renormalization: $O_i^{ren} = Z_{ij} O_j^{bare}$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} O_{1,2} &= (V \mp A)_q \otimes (V - A)_\ell \\ O_{3,4} &= (S \mp P)_q \otimes (S - P)_\ell \\ O_5 &= \left(T + \tilde{T}\right)_q \otimes \left(T + \tilde{T}\right)_\ell \end{aligned}}$$

RI-MOM (no QED)

- Compute amputated green functions:

$$\Lambda_O(p) = S^{-1}(p) \left\langle \sum_{x,y} e^{-ip(x-y)} \psi(x)\, O(0)\, \psi(y) \right\rangle S^{-1}(p)$$

- Impose RI-MOM condition at given p^2 (average all equivalent momenta)

$$\boldsymbol{Z_O} = \frac{Z_q}{\mathrm{Tr}\left[\Lambda_O(p)\, \Lambda_O^{tree}(p)^{-1}\right]}$$

- Chiral extrapolate $m \to 0$

Matching to the "real world" (continued)

RI-MOM with QED

- As a first step [D.Giusti et al., PRL '18]: RI-MOM for QCD + perturbation theory for QED
- In the coming-soon paper: RI-(S)MOM for QCD + QED

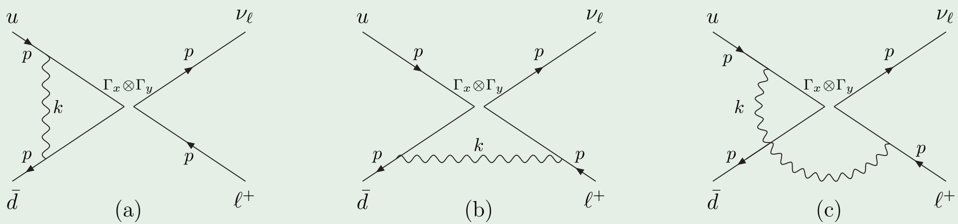
RI-MOM, perturbative expansion: ratio with QCD and QED

$$\frac{\boldsymbol{\delta Z_O^{QED+QCD}}}{\boldsymbol{Z_O^{QCD}\, Z_O^{QED}}} = \frac{\delta Z_q^{QCD+QED}}{Z_q^{QCD}\, Z_q^{QED}} - \frac{\mathrm{Tr}\left[\delta\Lambda_O^{QCD+QED}(p)\,\Lambda_O^{tree}(p)^{-1}\right]}{\mathrm{Tr}\left[\Lambda_O^{QCD}(p)\,\Lambda_O^{tree}(p)^{-1}\right]\mathrm{Tr}\left[\Lambda_O^{QED}(p)\,\Lambda_O^{tree}(p)^{-1}\right]}$$

Large cancellation of cut-off effects, anomalous dimensions, noise, etc

Measure of the non-factorizability of the renormalization constants.

Vertices (with or without gluons, not drawn)



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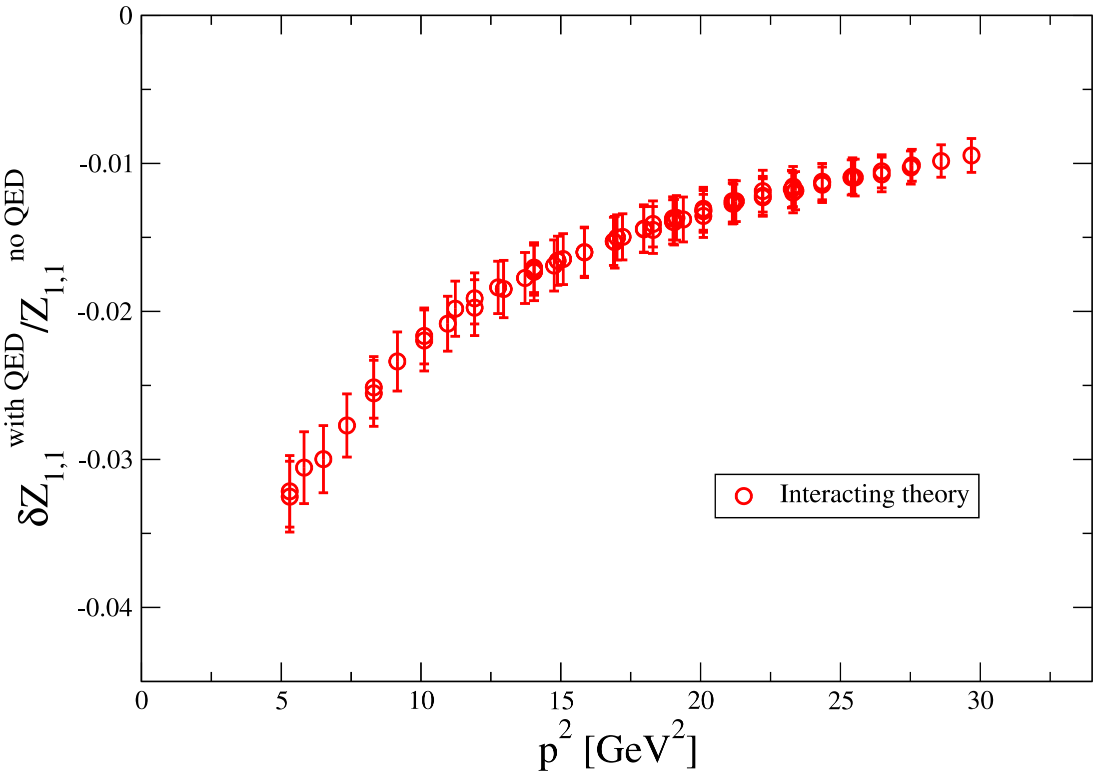

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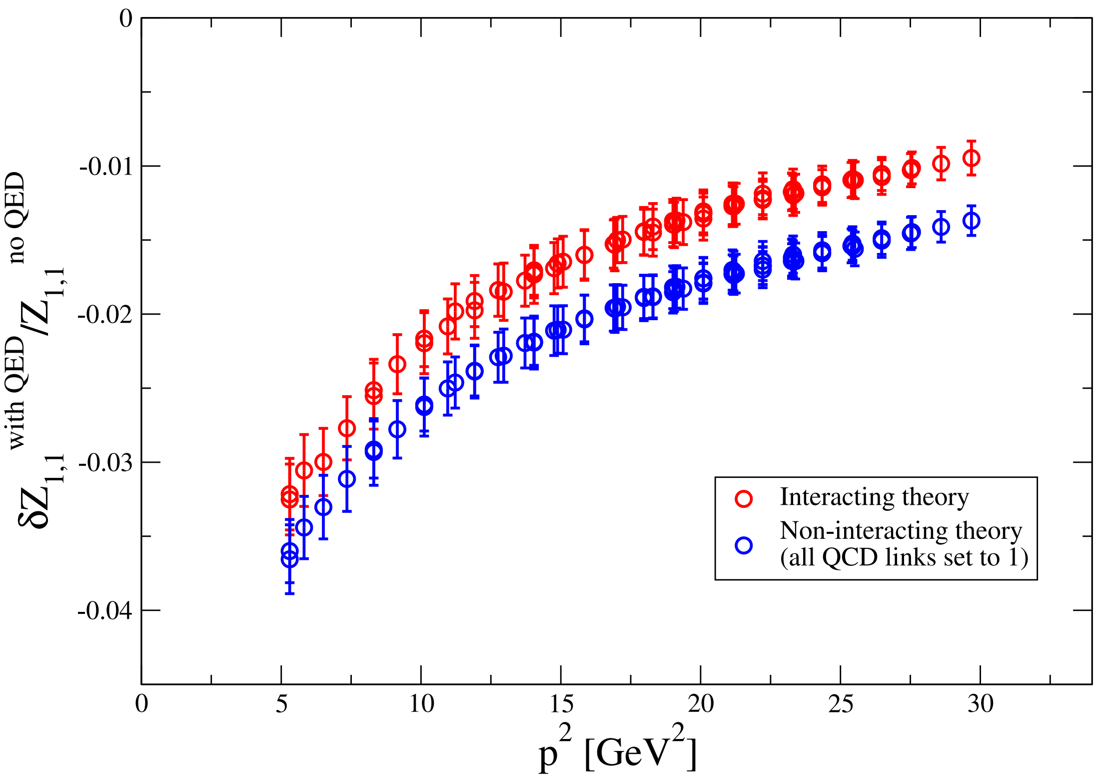

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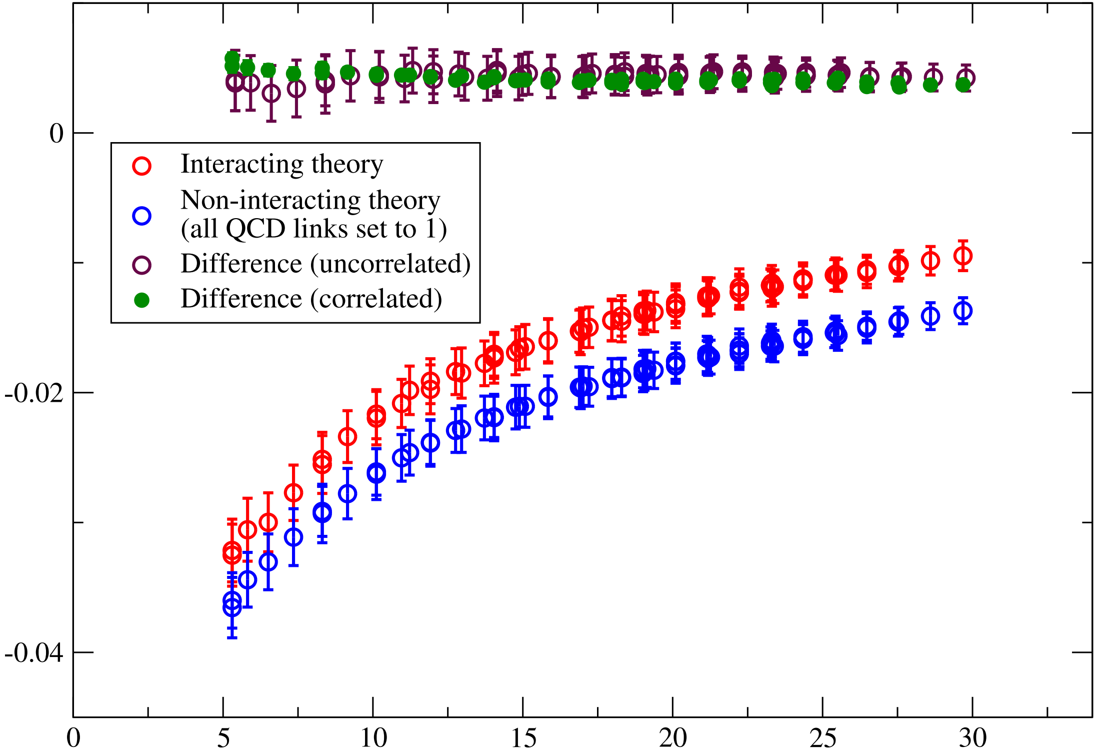

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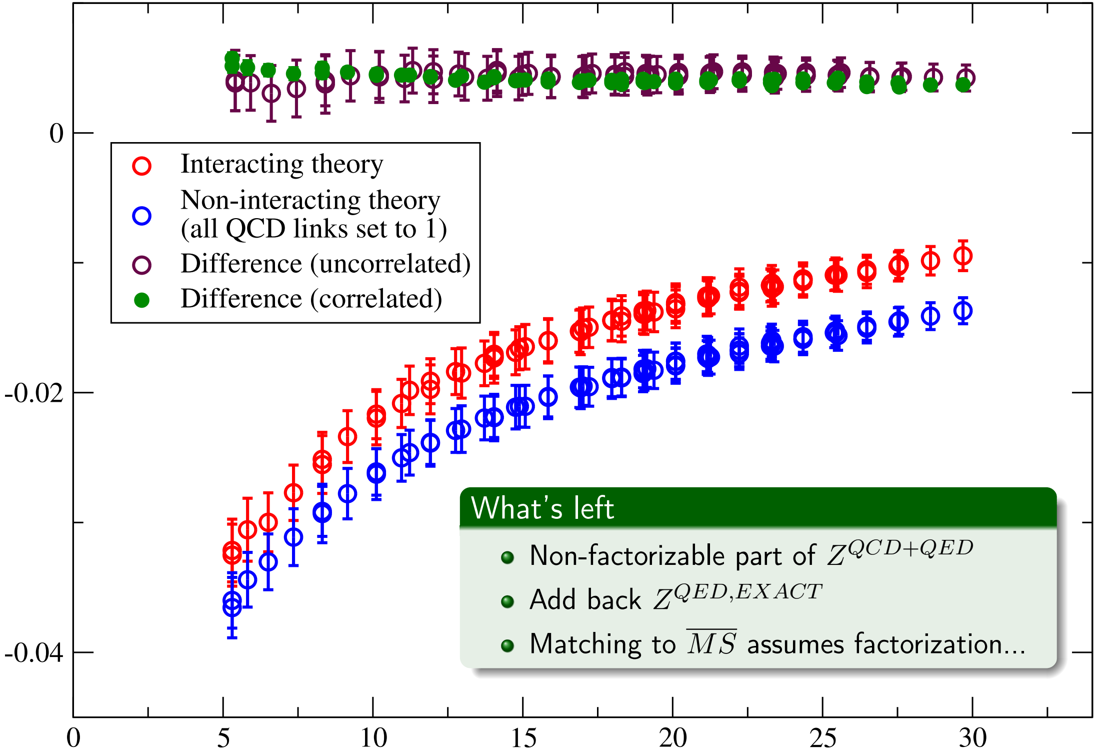

What's left

- Non-factorizable part of $Z^{QCD+QED}$
- Add back $Z^{QED,EXACT}$
- Matching to $\overline{MS}$ assumes factorization...