

Status of V_{us} determination and perspectives

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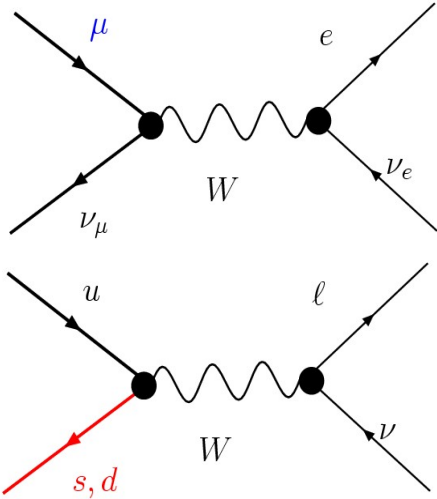
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1st raw unitarity: G_F universality

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |\cancel{V_{ub}}|^2 \equiv 1$$



Universality of Weak coupling- $G_F = (g_W/M_W)^2$
 $G_F^2 \equiv G_{CKM}^2 = (|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2) G_F^2$



$$G_F = 1.166371(6) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

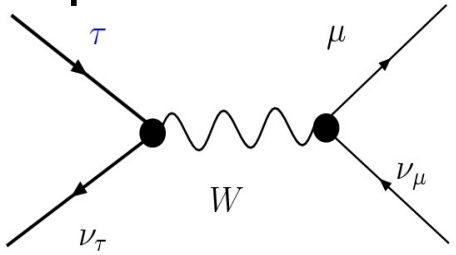
$$G_{CKM}^2 = 1.16633(35) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

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$$G_{ew} = 1.1655(12) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

$$G_\tau = 1.1678(26) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

$\alpha + M_W + s_W$
 [e. w. precision tests]



[Marciano]

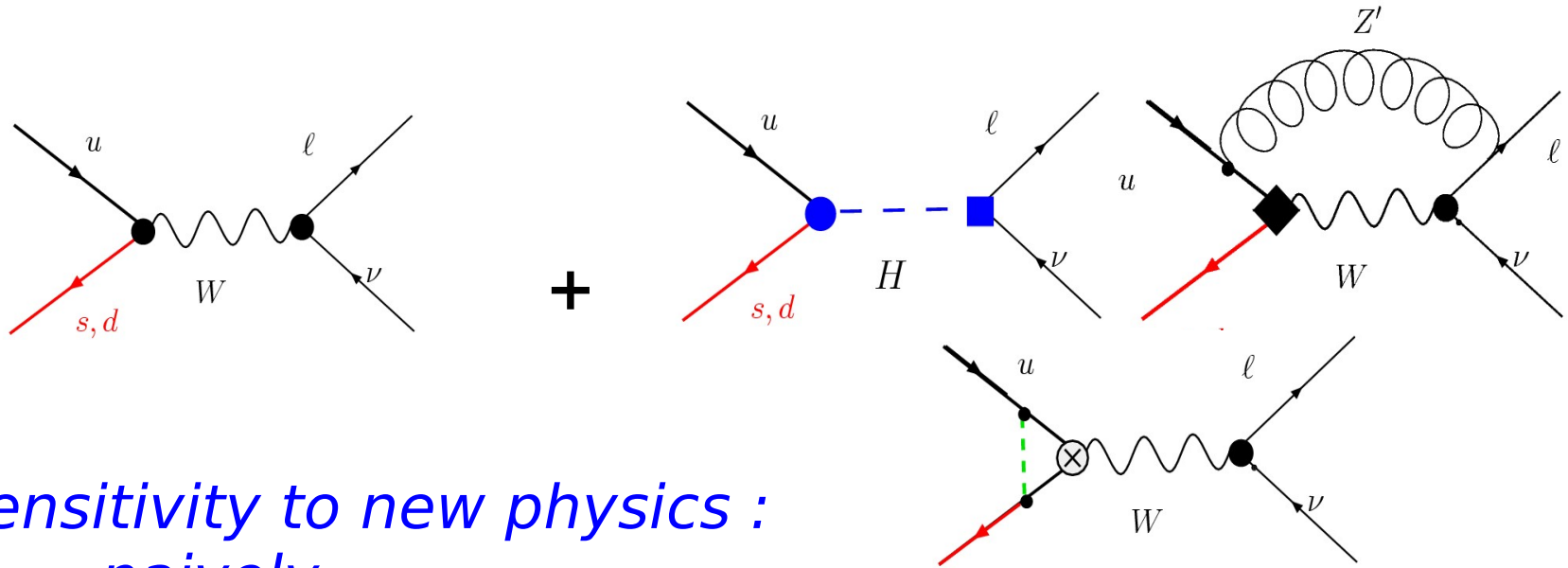
G_F universality violation

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |\cancel{V_{ub}}|^2 \equiv 1$$



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*Sensitivity to new physics :
naively*

Tree level $a \sim 1$

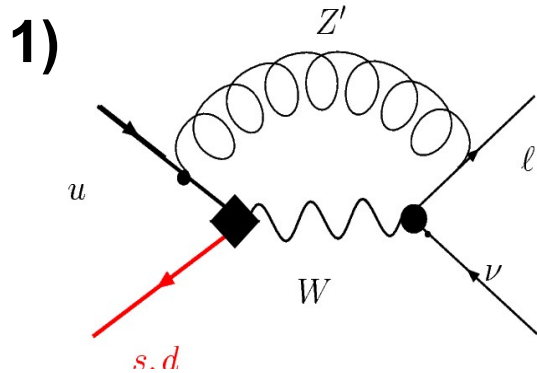
$M_M \sim 10 \text{ TeV}$

$$G_{CKM} = G_F [1 + a(M_W/M_M)^2]$$

loops $a \sim g_W^2/(16\pi^2)$

$M_M \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$

sensitivity to NP: Z'oology



$$\mathbf{G}_F = \mathbf{G}_{\text{SM}} \left[1 - 0.007 Q_d (Q_{\mu L} - Q_d) \frac{2 \ln(m_Z/m_W)}{(m_Z^2/m_W^2 - 1)} \right]$$

SO(10) Z_χ Boson: $Q_d = Q_{\mu L} = -3Q_e = 1$ [Marciano]

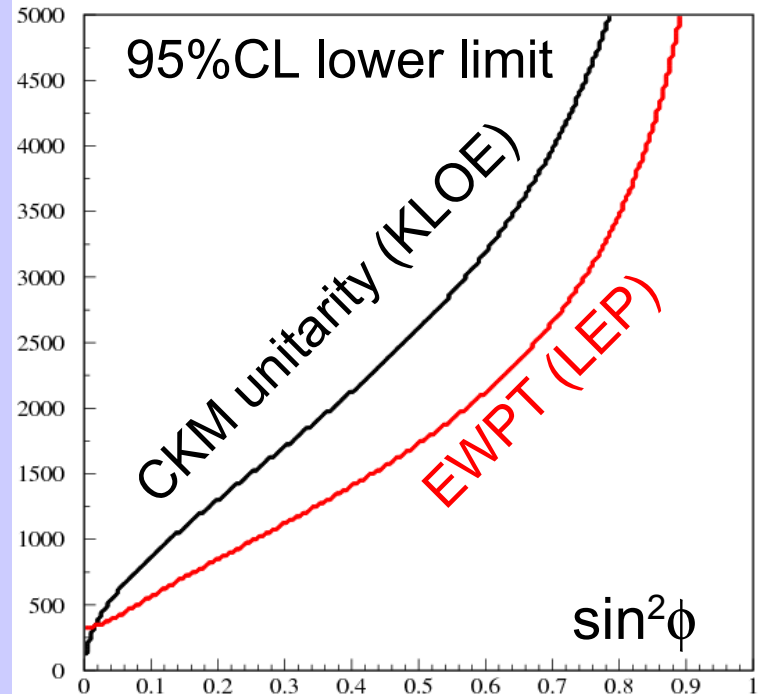
$m_{Z_\chi} > 750 \text{ GeV}$ 95%CL

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[K.Y. Lee]

Tree level breaking of unitarity in models with non-universal gauge interaction

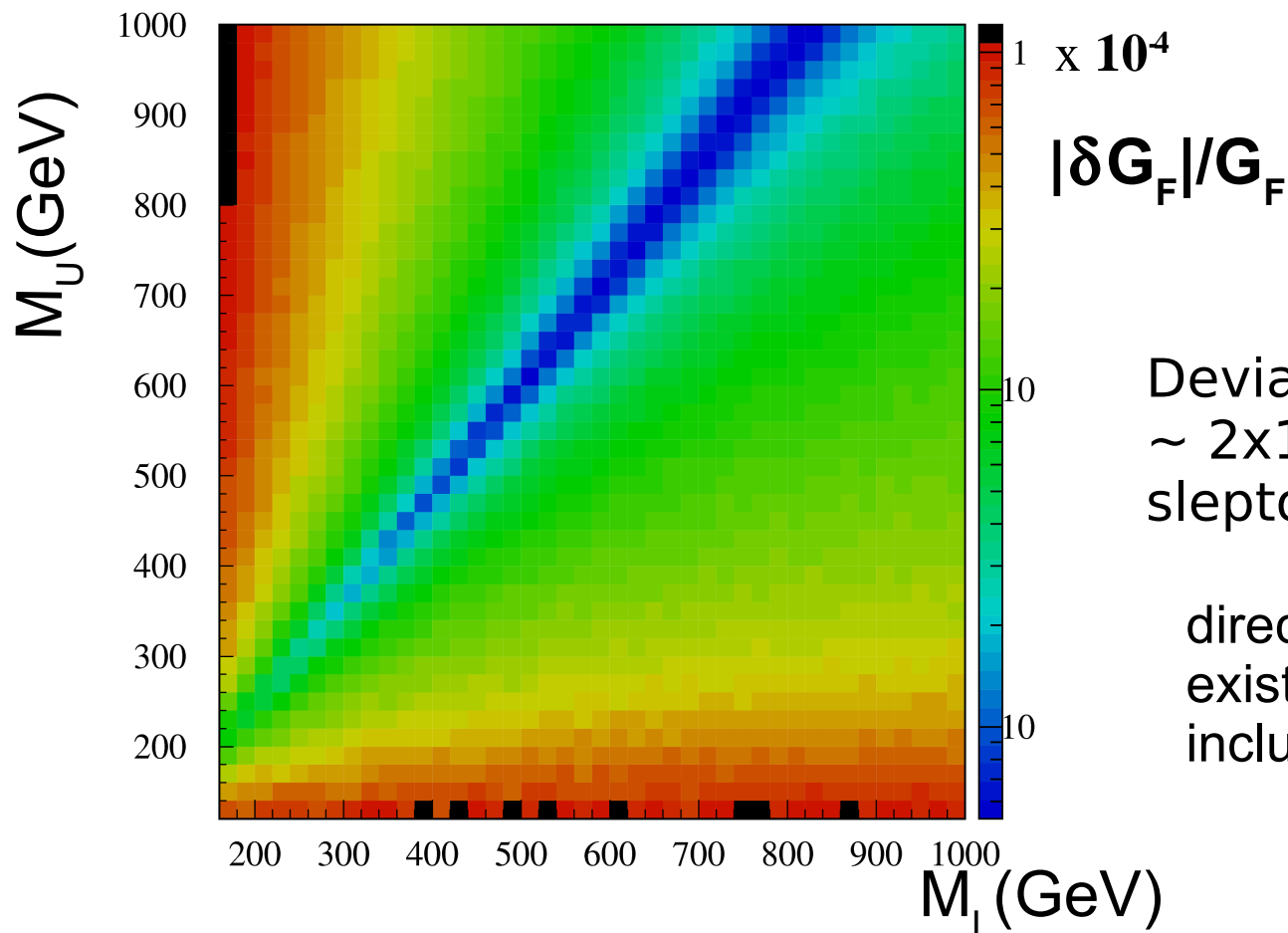
Z' Mass (GeV)



sensitivity to NP: MSSM

sensitive to squark-slepton mass difference

[R. Barbieri '85,
K.Hagiwara et al
'95, A. Kurylov
et al '00]



Deviations up to
 $\sim 2 \times 10^{-4}$ for small
slepton mass

direct and indirect
existing limits
included

sensitivity to NP: charged Higgs

Pseudoscalar currents, e.g. due to H^\pm , affect the K width:

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$$\frac{\Gamma(M \rightarrow \ell\nu)}{\Gamma_{SM}(M \rightarrow \ell\nu)} = \left[1 - \tan^2\beta \left(\frac{m_{s,d}}{m_u + m_{s,d}} \right) \frac{m_M^2}{m_H^2} \right]^2 \quad \text{for } M = K, \pi$$

Hou, Isidori-Paradisi

The observable

$$R_{\ell 23} = \left| \frac{V_{us}(K_{\mu 2})}{V_{us}(K_{\ell 3})} \times \frac{V_{ud}(0^+ \rightarrow 0^+)}{V_{ud}(\pi_{\mu 2})} \right|$$

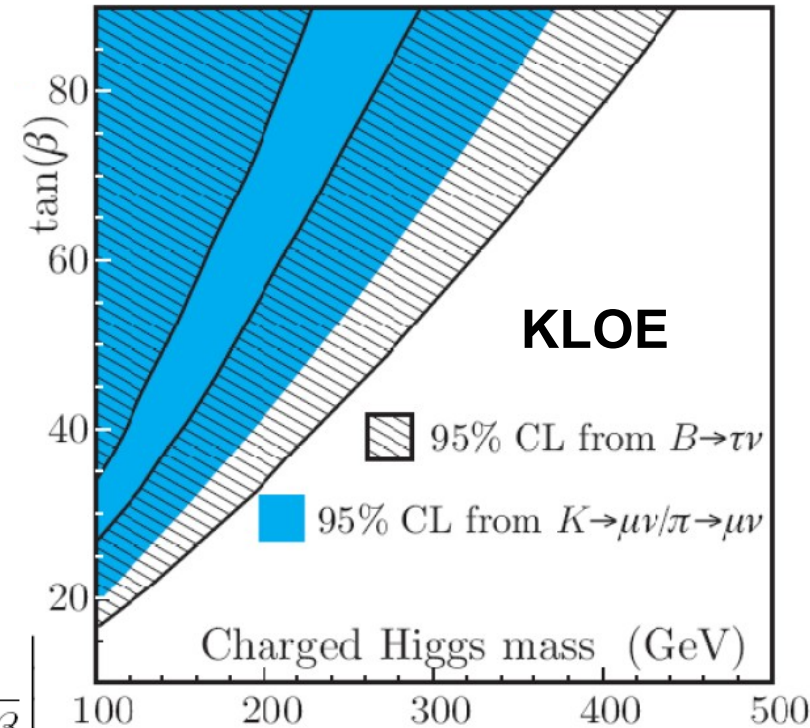
KLOE:

- $R_{\ell 23} = 1.008(8)$

(unitarity for K_B and β -decays is used)

$R_{\ell 23}$ sensitivity to H^\pm exchange

$$R_{\ell 23} = \left| 1 - \frac{m_{K^+}^2}{m_{H^+}^2} \left(1 - \frac{m_{\pi^+}^2}{m_{K^+}^2} \right) \frac{\tan^2\beta}{1 + \epsilon_0 \tan\beta} \right|$$



**Status of V_{ud}
determination
(superallowed β -decays only)**

V_{ud} from Fermi transitions

$$V_{ud}^2 = \frac{K}{2G_F^2 \mathcal{F}t(1 + \Delta_R)}$$

$$\mathcal{F}t = ft(1 + \delta'_R)(1 - (\delta_C - \delta_{NS})) = \text{constant}$$

Measured on 13 Nuclei:

$$t = t_{1/2} / \text{BR} = \text{partial half life}$$

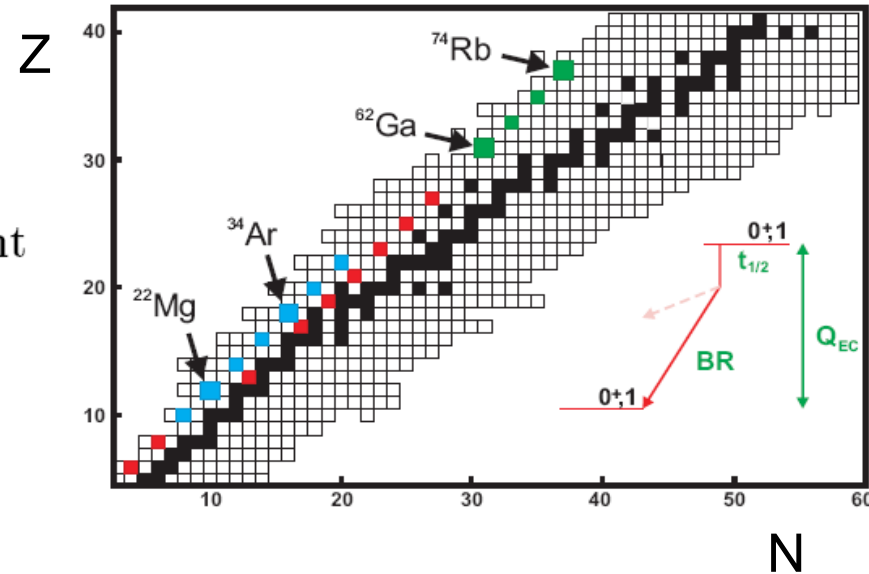
$$f = \text{statistical rate function } f(Z, Q_{ec})^*$$

Radiative and isospin breaking corrections:

$$\Delta_R = 2.361(38)\% \text{ Nucleus-independent} \quad [\text{Marciano Sirlin}]$$

$$\delta'_R, \delta_{NS} \text{ Nucleus-dependent}$$

$$\delta_C \text{ Nucleus-dependent isospin breaking}$$



* Z dependence account for e wave function

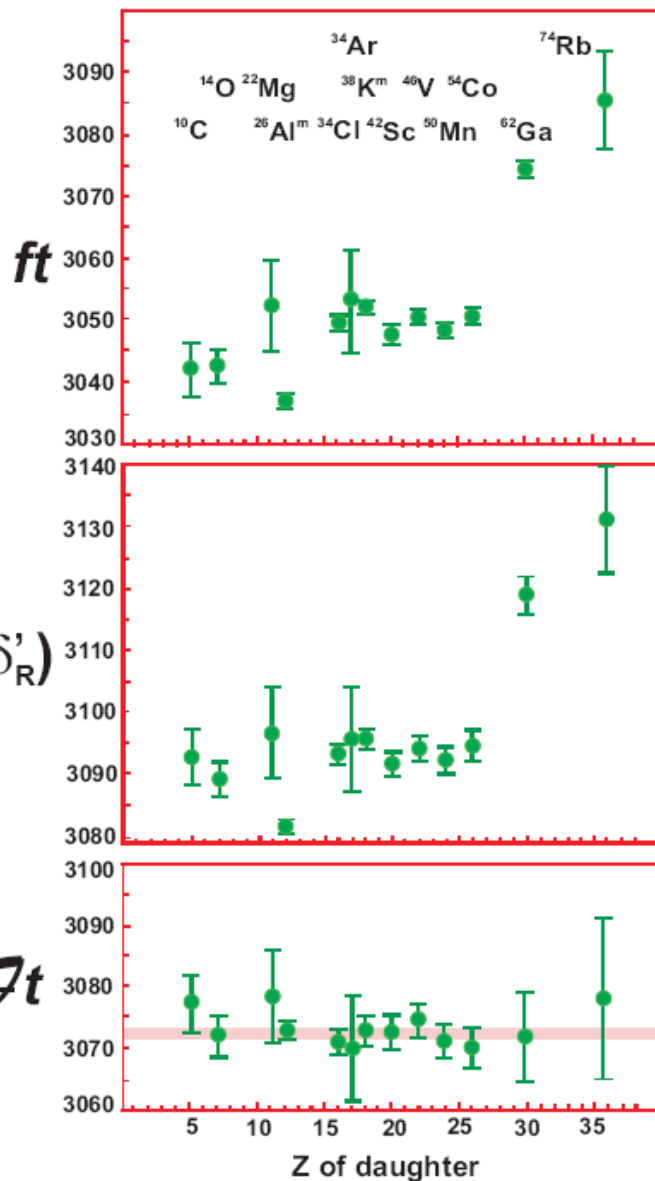
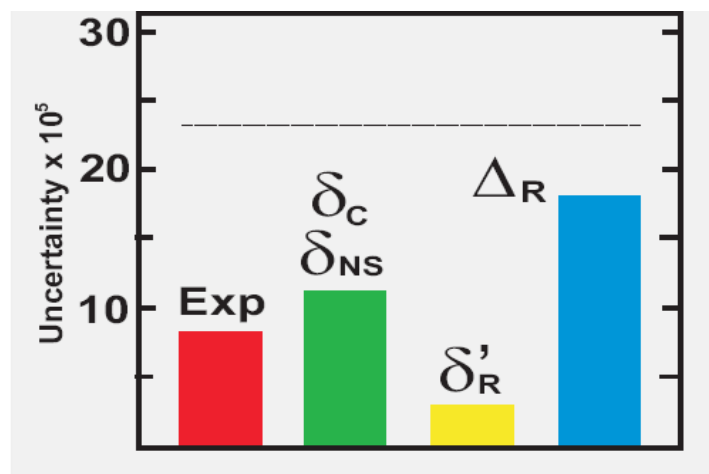
V_{ud} from Fermi transitions

[Towner, Hardy
2008]

$$V_{ud}^2 = \frac{K}{2G_F^2 \overline{Ft}(1 + \Delta_R)}$$

$$V_{ud} = 0.97425(23)$$

Error budget:



Status of V_{us} and V_{us}/V_{ud} determination

$\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$, $K_{\ell 3}$ decays

Vector transition protected against ~~SU(3)~~ corrections: [Ademollo Gatto]

$$\Gamma \propto M^{5(3)} S_{EW} G_F^2 |V_{us}|^2 |f_+^{K^0\pi^-}(0)|^2 I_K (1 + 2\Delta_K^{SU(2)} + 2\Delta_{K\ell}^{EM})$$

S_{EW} Universal SD EW correction (1.0232)

Inputs from theory:

$f_+^{K^0\pi^-}(0)$ Hadronic matrix element (form factor) at zero momentum transfer ($t = 0$)

$\Delta_K^{SU(2)}$ Form-factor correction for SU(2) breaking

$\Delta_{K\ell}^{EM}$ Form-factor correction for long-distance EM effects

Inputs from experiment:

Γ Rates with well-determined treatment of radiative decays:

- Branching ratios
- lifetimes

I_K Integral of dalitz density (includes ff) over phase space:

- $\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$, $K_{\ell 3}$

$\tau \rightarrow P \nu$, $P_{\ell 2}$ decays ($P=K, \pi$)

$$\Gamma \propto G_F^2 |V_{uq}|^2 f_P^2 (1 + C_{P\ell})$$

Inputs from theory:

f_P decay constants

$C_{P\ell}$ Radiative inclusive electroweak corrections

Inputs from experiment:

Γ Rates with well-determined treatment of radiative decays:

- Branching ratios
- lifetimes

Used to determine pseudoscalar decay constants

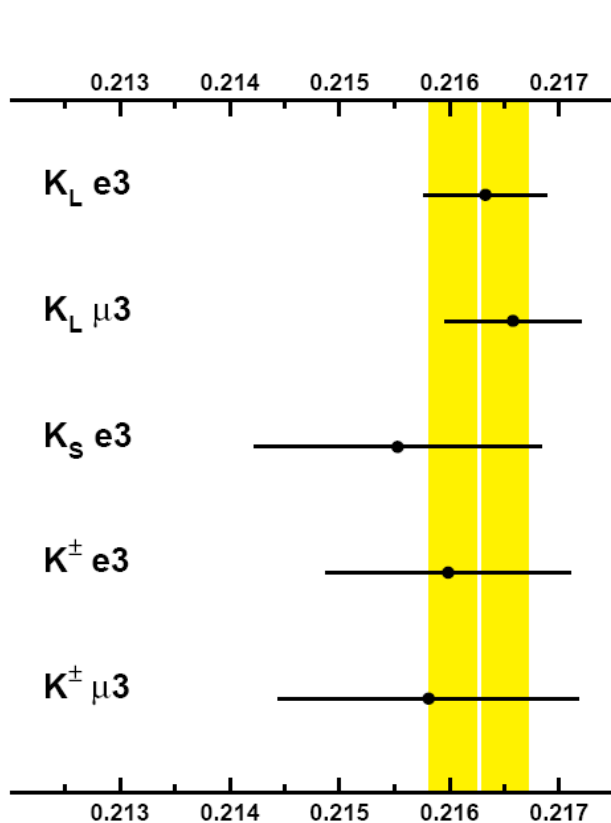
Small uncertainties for ratios:

$$\Gamma(K_{\mu 2(\gamma)}) / \Gamma(\pi_{\mu 2(\gamma)}) \quad f_K / f_\pi \text{ from lattice} \rightarrow \text{determine } V_{us} / V_{ud} \quad [\text{Marciano}]$$

$$R_P = \Gamma(P_{e 2(\gamma)}) / \Gamma(P_{\mu 2(\gamma)}) \quad \text{no } f_P \rightarrow \text{test lepton universality}$$

[Cirigliano, Rosell]

$|V_{us}| f_+(0)$ from K_{l3} data



	$ V_{us} f_+(0)$	% err	BR	τ	Δ	Int
$K_L e3$	0.2163(6)	0.26	0.09	0.20	0.11	0.06
$K_L \mu3$	0.2166(6)	0.29	0.15	0.18	0.11	0.08
$K_S e3$	0.2155(13)	0.61	0.60	0.03	0.11	0.06
$K^\pm e3$	0.2160(11)	0.52	0.31	0.09	0.40	0.06
$K^\pm \mu3$	0.2158(14)	0.63	0.47	0.08	0.39	0.08
	0.2163(5)					

Average: $|V_{us}| f_+(0) = 0.2163(5)$ $\chi^2/\text{ndf} = 0.77/4$ (94%)

$\tau \rightarrow P\nu, K_{\ell 2}$ decays

Small uncertainties in f_K/f_π from lattice \rightarrow determine V_{us}/V_{ud} [Marciano]
 Reduced uncertainty from e.m. Structure Dependence corrections

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

$$|V_{us}|/|V_{ud}| f_K/f_\pi = 0.2760(6)$$

$$\frac{\Gamma(\tau \rightarrow K\nu)}{\Gamma(\tau \rightarrow \pi\nu)} = \frac{|V_{us}|^2}{|V_{ud}|^2} \times \frac{f_K^2}{f_\pi^2} \times \frac{(1 - m_K^2/m_\tau^2)^2}{(1 - m_\pi^2/m_\tau^2)^2} \times 1.0003(44)$$

$$|V_{us}|/|V_{ud}| f_K/f_\pi = 0.273(2)$$

$$f_K/f_\pi = 1.193(6) \quad [\text{Kaon WG FLAG WG}]$$

$$V_{us}/V_{ud} = 0.2312(13) \quad [\text{Kaon WG}]$$

Inclusive V_{us} determination (more on D. Boito talk)

V_{us} from inclusive $\tau \rightarrow \nu X_{us}$ involves PQCD

[HFAG]

$$|V_{us}|^2 = \frac{R_{\tau,S}^{00}}{\frac{R_{\tau,V+A}^{00}}{|V_{ud}|^2} - \delta R_{\tau,th}^{00}}$$

Gámiz-Jamin-Pich-Prades-Schwab

$$V_{us} = 0.2159 (30_{\text{exp}})(5_{\text{th}})$$

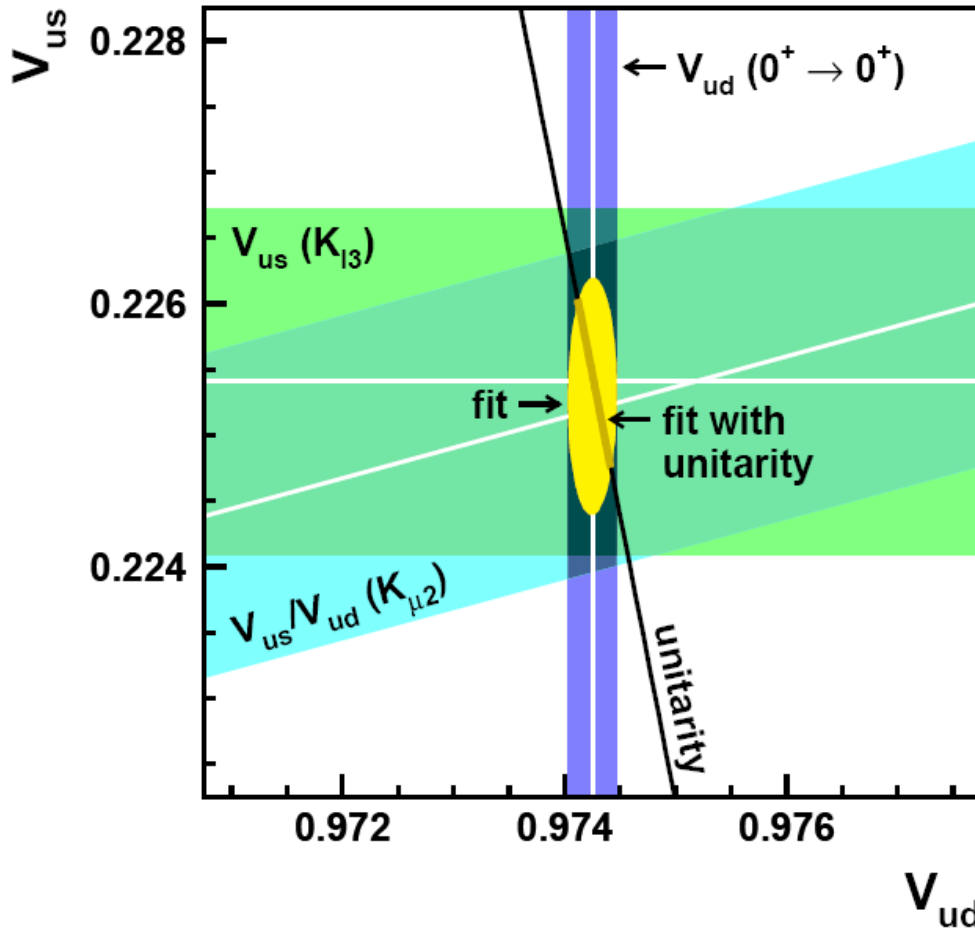
Different theoretical analysis give somewhat larger errors : $\sim 1\%$
[Maltman et al]

Base modes from τ^- decay	No B-Factory Data	With B-Factory Data
$K^- \nu_\tau$	0.686 ± 0.022	0.697 ± 0.010
$K^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	0.453 ± 0.027	0.431 ± 0.015
$K^- 2\pi^0 \nu_\tau$ (ex. K^0)	0.057 ± 0.023	0.060 ± 0.022
$K^- 3\pi^0 \nu_\tau$ (ex. K^0, η)	0.036 ± 0.022	0.039 ± 0.022
$\bar{K}^0 \pi^- \nu_\tau$	0.888 ± 0.037	0.831 ± 0.018
$\bar{K}^0 \pi^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$	0.358 ± 0.035	0.350 ± 0.015
$\bar{K}^0 \pi^- 2\pi^0 \nu_\tau$	0.027 ± 0.023	0.035 ± 0.023
$\bar{K}^0 h^- h^- h^+ \nu_\tau$	0.023 ± 0.020	0.028 ± 0.020
$K^- \pi^- \pi^+ \nu_\tau$ (ex. K^0, ω)	0.334 ± 0.023	0.293 ± 0.007
$K^- \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ (ex. K^0, ω, η)	0.039 ± 0.014	0.041 ± 0.014
$K^- \phi \nu_\tau (\phi \rightarrow KK)$		0.004 ± 0.001
$K^- \eta \nu_\tau$	0.027 ± 0.006	0.016 ± 0.001
$K^- \pi^0 \eta \nu_\tau$	0.018 ± 0.009	0.005 ± 0.001
$\bar{K}^0 \pi^- \eta \nu_\tau$	0.022 ± 0.007	0.009 ± 0.001
$K^- \omega \nu_\tau$	0.041 ± 0.009	0.041 ± 0.009
Sum of strange modes	3.0091 ± 0.0722	2.8796 ± 0.0501
Sum of all modes	100.00	100.00

[HFAG]

$$V_{us} = 0.2169 (23)$$

CKM unitarity



Fit results, no constraint:

$$V_{ud} = 0.97425(22)$$

$$V_{us} = 0.2253(9)$$

$$1 - V_{us}^2 - V_{ub}^2 = 0.0001(6)$$

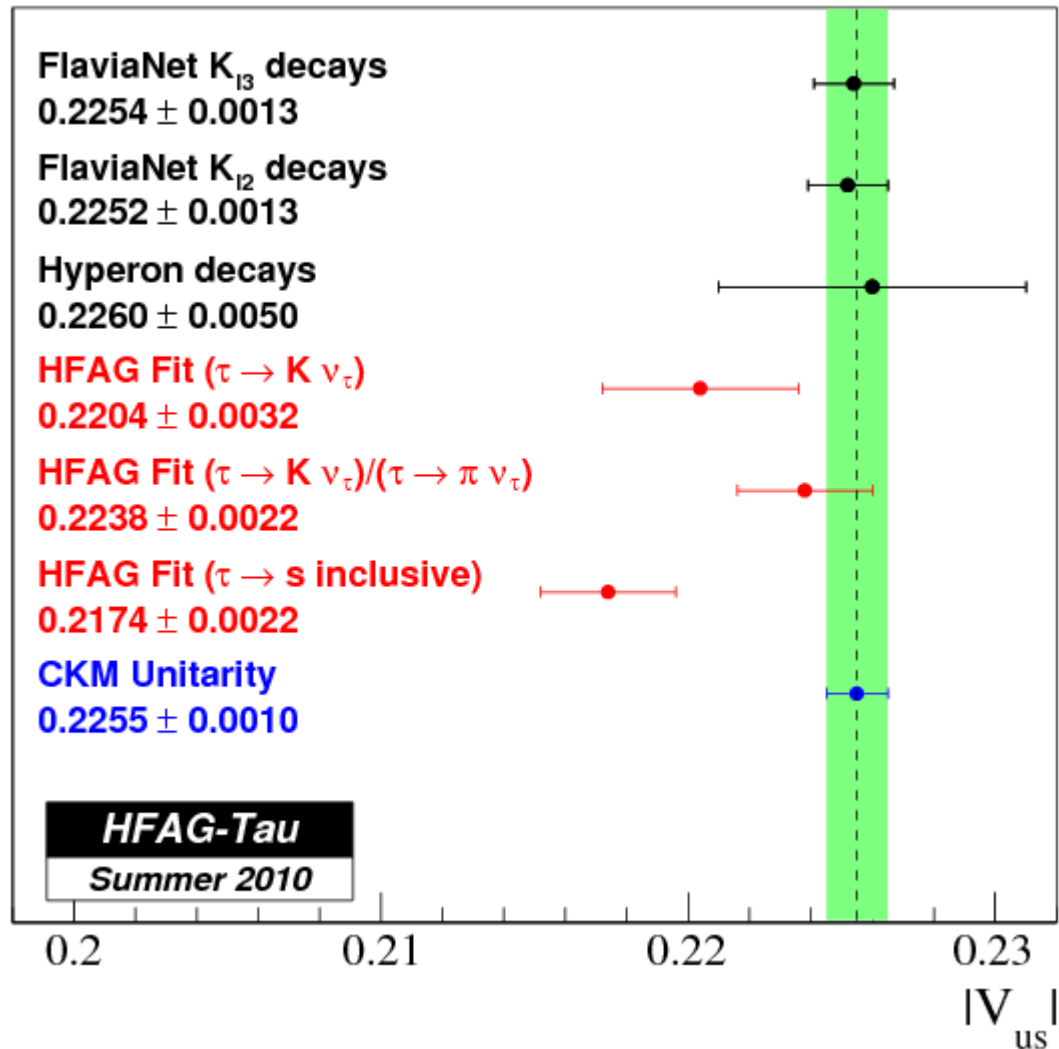
$$G_{\text{CKM}} = 1.16633(35) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

Fit results, unitarity constraint:

$$V_{us} = \sin\theta_c = \lambda = 0.2254(6)$$

0.3 % accuracy!

τ and kaons summary



inclusive vs exclusive

inclusive

theory

Involve PQCD (~same method produced the best α_s determination)

Exp.

many sub-percent channels
New B-factory precision measurements not always
In agreement with old measurements from LEP

70% of r_s is made by

$$\tau \rightarrow K\nu + \tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$$

Predictions from K might help

exclusive

theory

non perturbative QCD regime
Lattice + low energy theorems
current dominating uncertainty

Exp.

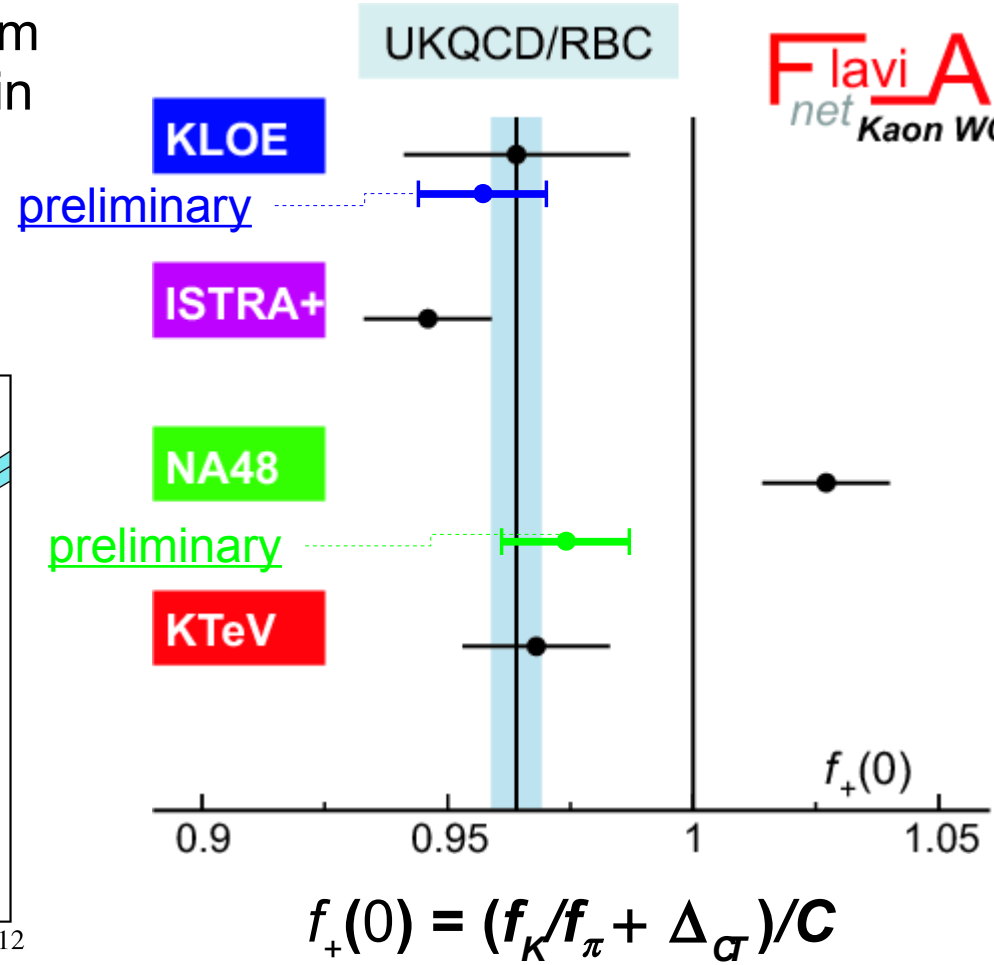
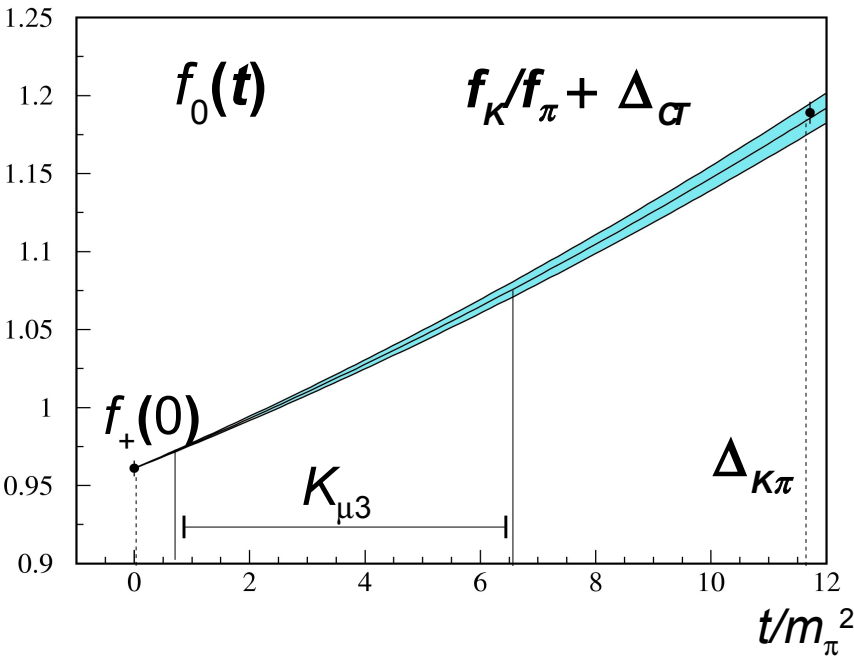
Very precise measurements form K, precise $B(\tau \rightarrow K\nu)$ from b-factory (2.6% below prediction form K) more complicated picture for $\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$

Must have a consistent picture between τ and K (no new physics in the game)



Callan-Treiman relation

Check/improve lattice results from measurement of scalar ff slopes in $K\mu 3$ and use of dispersive parametrization
 [Stern et al] [Pich et al]



$f_K/f_\pi = 1.189(7)$ from HPQCD-UKQCD

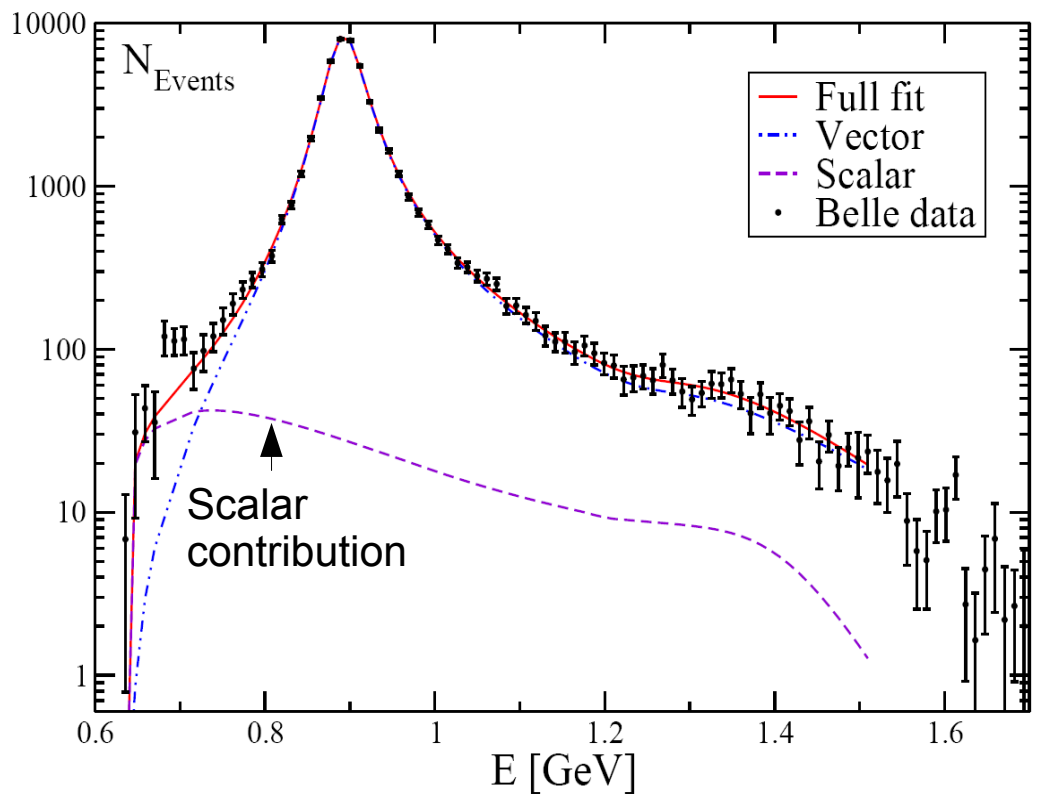
Relevance of $\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu$ (more on D. Boito talk)

Present knowledge of the scalar ff parameter can be already improved by a factor ~ 2 with present B-factory data

Jamin-Pich-Portolés 08, D. Boito, E. Passemar V. Bernard11 fit to **BELLE** data

Prediction for $B(\tau \rightarrow K\pi\nu)$ from $KI3$ and ff parameters important for R_s
Current accuracy still $\sim 2\%$
Need 100 x data to match current exp. error on K BRs

[E. Passemar]



Polarization and angular analysis helps a lot

Conclusion

1st raw unitarity status

$$V_{ud} = 0.97425(22)$$

$$V_{us} = 0.2253(9)$$

$$G_{\text{CKM}} = 1.16633(35) \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

0.03% accuracy on
 G_F from quarks

$$\sin\theta_c = \lambda = 0.2254(6)$$

Cabibbo angle at 0.3 % accuracy!

Present accuracy allows to test NP at ~ 1 TeV

V_{us} determination can be improved combining K and τ :

PQCD vs LATTICE QCD

ff knowledge can be improved with τ

Precise K BR measurements to predict 70% of R_s

Cabibbo angle must be measured at the Cabibbo Lab