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## **$a_0$ - $f_0$ mixing in the Khuri-Treiman equations for $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$**

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The isospin violating  $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$  decays are expected to provide the best observables for the determination of the u-d quark mass difference. However, using the chiral expansion of the  $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$  amplitude in the physical region has proved problematic, as it fails to reproduce the recent precise measurements of the Dalitz plot parameters. In order to circumvent this problem, it was proposed to combine the chiral expansion, used in an unphysical region, together with the dispersive formalism of Khuri and Treiman. We discuss here the possibility of extending this formalism, which so far accounts for only elastic  $\pi\pi$  rescattering, in order to further account for the effects of both inelastic  $\pi\pi$  rescattering and  $\eta\pi$  rescattering. In the 1 GeV region of the dispersive integrands, in particular, these effects are enhanced by the  $f_0$  as well as the  $a_0$  resonances. The effect of the isospin violating  $K^+ - K^0$  mass difference, influenced by these resonances, is then also accounted for in the dispersive integrals.

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