Progress on the study of electromagnetic corrections to $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decay

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Motivation to study EM corrections to $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$

This morning's session is about the studies of $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decay and ϵ'

• Progresses reported by R. Mawhinney, T. Wang, C. Kelly, F. Romero-Lopez

Direct CP violation in $K \rightarrow \pi \pi$

$$\epsilon' = \frac{1}{3} (\eta_{+-} - \eta_{00}) = \frac{ie^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)}}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\text{Re } A_2}{\text{Re } A_0} \left(\frac{\text{Im } A_2}{\text{Re } A_2} - \frac{\text{Im } A_0}{\text{Re } A_0} \right)$$

• Turn on EM interaction, $A_I \rightarrow A_I^{\gamma}$, $\delta_I \rightarrow \delta_I^{\gamma}$, I = 0, 2

Though $A_2^{\gamma} - A_2$ is an $O(\alpha_e)$ effect, its size could be enhanced by a factor of 22 due to the mixing with A_0 and $\Delta I = 1/2$ rule

ChPT+Large-N_c: Cirigliano et al, hep-ph/0008290, hep-ph/0310351

 - "the isospin violating correction for ε' is below 15%"

Technical issues on including electromagnetism

 Lellouch-Lüscher's formalism relies on a short-range interaction
 ⇒ long-range EM requires the change in the FV formalism Main topic of this talk

• EM interaction mixes I = 0 and $I = 2 \pi \pi$ scattering $\Rightarrow K \rightarrow \pi \pi$ decay becomes a coupled-channel problem See Lat17 proceeding: EPJ Web Conf. 175 (2018) 13016

Possible photon radiation

⇒ coupled channels further mixed with 3-particle channel $(\pi\pi\gamma)$ Under investigation

Include EM interaction in the Coulomb gauge

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = \underbrace{\sum_{q=u,d,s} e_q \vec{A}(x) \cdot \bar{q} \vec{\gamma} q(x)}_{\text{Transverse radiation}} - \underbrace{\sum_{q,q'=u,d,s} \int \frac{d^3 \vec{x}'}{4\pi} \frac{\rho_q(\vec{x}',t)\rho_{q'}(\vec{x},t)}{|\vec{x}' - \vec{x}|}}_{\text{Coulomb potential}}$$

- Adding transverse photon to $\pi\pi \Rightarrow$ three-particle problem
- At current stage, focus on Coulomb potential only

Photon propagator in the Coulomb gauge

$$\underbrace{G_{00}(p) = \frac{1}{\vec{p}^2}}_{V(r) = \frac{1}{4\pi r}}, \quad G_{ij}(p) = \frac{1}{p^2} \left(\delta_{ij} - \frac{p_i p_j}{\vec{p}^2} \right), \quad G_{i0}(p) = G_{0i}(p) = 0$$

Coulomb potential in the finite volume

Encode long-range EM interaction in the finite box – **QED**_{*L*} [helpful discussion with Luchang Jin]

- Coulomb potential in periodic box $V_L(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_n V(\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{n}L)$
 - $\forall \mathbf{n}, V(\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{n}L)$ has impact on $\mathbf{r} \approx \mathbf{0}$ region and \sum_{n} causes divergence
- Modify $V_L(\mathbf{r}) \rightarrow \hat{V}_L(\mathbf{r}) = V_L(\mathbf{r}) \frac{1}{L^3} \int d^3 \mathbf{r} V(\mathbf{r})$ to remove the divergence

• This is equivalent to remove zero mode: $\hat{V}_L(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{4\pi\alpha_e}{L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{p}\neq 0} \frac{e^{i\mathbf{p}\cdot\mathbf{r}}}{p^2}$

• However, \hat{V}_L introduces O(1/L) FV effects

$$\delta V(\mathbf{r}) \equiv \hat{V}_{L}(\mathbf{r}) - V(\mathbf{r}) = \left(\frac{1}{L^{3}}\sum_{\mathbf{p}\neq\mathbf{0}} -\int \frac{d^{3}\mathbf{p}}{(2\pi)^{3}}\right) \frac{4\pi\alpha_{e}}{p^{2}} e^{i\mathbf{p}\cdot\mathbf{r}}, \quad \lim_{\mathbf{r}\to\mathbf{0}} \delta V(\mathbf{r}) = -\kappa \frac{\alpha_{e}}{L} \approx -2.8 \frac{\alpha_{e}}{L}$$

Similar situation happens for massive photon and C^* boundary condition

Adopt Lüscher's method

In the peridoic "exterior region" where strong interaction vanishes

- Without QED
 - + $\psi(\mathbf{r})$ can be constructed by partial wave scattering amplitude

$$\psi(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\ell m} b_{\ell m} Y_{\ell m}(\Omega_{\mathbf{r}}) \left\{ \cos \delta_{\ell} j_{\ell}(kr) + \sin \delta_{\ell} n_{\ell}(kr) \right\}$$

where $j_{\ell}(kr)$, $n_{\ell}(kr)$ are regular and irregular Bessel function • $\psi(\mathbf{r})$ is related to singular periodic solution of Helmholtz Eq.

$$\psi(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\ell m} v_{\ell m} G_{\ell m}^{(0)}(\mathbf{r}, k^2)$$

• This leads to quantization condition $\phi(k) + \delta(k) = n\pi$

With QED

$$\flat j_{\ell}, n_{\ell} \rightarrow F_{\ell}, G_{\ell}$$

 $\psi_{C}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\ell m} b_{\ell m} Y_{\ell m}(\Omega_{\mathbf{r}}) \left\{ \cos \delta_{\ell} F_{\ell}(kr) + \sin \delta_{\ell} G_{\ell}(kr) \right\} + O(\frac{\alpha_{e}}{L})$

However, $V_L(r)$ is not of type $\frac{1}{r} \rightarrow O(\frac{\alpha_e}{L})$ effect

► Solution of (Coulomb) Helmholtz Eq. can be perturbatively expanded $\psi_{C}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum v_{\ell m} G_{C,\ell m}(\mathbf{r},k^{2}), \quad G_{C,\ell m} = G_{\ell m}^{(0)} + G_{\ell m}^{(1)} + O(\alpha_{e}^{2})$ ^{8/16} Wave function can be written in two forms

 $\psi_{\mathcal{C}}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\ell m} b_{\ell m} Y_{\ell m}(\Omega_{\mathbf{r}}) \left\{ \cos \delta_{\ell} F_{\ell}(kr) + \sin \delta_{\ell} G_{\ell}(kr) \right\} + O(\frac{\alpha_{\mathbf{e}}}{L})$

$$\psi_{C}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\ell m} v_{\ell m} G_{C,\ell m}(\mathbf{r},k^{2}), \quad G_{C,\ell m} = G_{\ell m}^{(0)} + G_{\ell m}^{(1)} + O(\alpha_{e}^{2})$$

• Equating two expressions yields quantization condition $\phi_c(k) + \delta(k) = n\pi$

$$\cot \phi_{c}(k) = (1 + \pi \eta) \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{kL} \sum_{\mathbf{n}} \frac{1}{-\mathbf{n}^{2} + (\frac{kL}{2\pi})^{2}} \\ + \lim_{r \to 0} 8\pi \eta \left\{ \sum_{\mathbf{n} \neq \mathbf{m}} \frac{e^{\mathbf{i}\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{r}\frac{2\pi}{L}}}{\pi (2\pi)^{4}} \frac{1}{\mathbf{n}^{2} - (\frac{kL}{2\pi})^{2}} \frac{1}{(\mathbf{n} - \mathbf{m})^{2}} \frac{1}{\mathbf{m}^{2} - (\frac{kL}{2\pi})^{2}} - \frac{1}{4\pi} \ln(1/kr) + \frac{1}{4\pi} \right\}$$

with $\eta = \frac{\alpha_e \mu}{k}$ the Sommerfeld parameter

(See also formula for scattering length [Bean & Savage, 1407.4846])

Kim, Sachrajda and Sharpe's method

Finite volume effects arise from 2-particle propagators

$$\left(\int \frac{dp_0}{2\pi} \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\vec{p}} - \int \frac{d^4p}{(2\pi)^4} \right) f(p) \underbrace{\frac{1}{p^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \frac{1}{(P-p)^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon}}_{S_2(P,p)} g(p)$$

Integrating p_0 leaves two terms

Coulomb potential with truncated range $R_T \leq L/2$

Truncate the Coulomb potential with a range R_T

$$V^{(T)}(\mathbf{r}) = \begin{cases} \alpha_e/r, & \text{for } r < R_T \\ 0, & \text{for } r > R_T \end{cases}$$

Build periodic potential

$$V_{L}^{(T)}(\mathbf{r}) = \sum_{\mathbf{n}} V^{(T)}(\mathbf{r} + \mathbf{n}L)$$

Lüscher's quantization condition holds for $V_s(\mathbf{r}) + V^{(T)}(\mathbf{r})$

$$\phi(q) + \delta_T(k) = n\pi, \quad q = \frac{kL}{2\pi}$$

So does Lellouch-Lüscher formula

Both Lüscher's method in potential theory and KSS method in QFT work well

Remaining issue is to relate truncated δ_T and A_T to the physical ones

Truncation effects in scattering amplitude



The relation for scattering amplitude

$$S_C = S_T - i 2\pi \delta(E - E') \langle E, -, T | \Delta V | E, +, T \rangle$$

•
$$\Delta V(r)$$
 is non-zero only for $r > R_T$

• For $\psi_T^{(\pm)}(r) = \langle r | E, \pm, T \rangle$, the functional form is known for $r > R_T$

$$\psi_T^{(\pm)}(r) = \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\pi k}} \frac{\sin(kr + \delta_T)}{r} e^{\pm i\delta_T}$$
, for S-wave

Correction to scattering amplitude can be evaluated

$$\langle E, -, T | \Delta V | E, +, T \rangle = \int_{R_T}^{R_\infty} d^3 \mathbf{r} \, \psi_T^{(-)*}(r) \frac{\alpha_e}{r} \psi_T^{(+)}(r)$$

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$\sigma \rightarrow \pi \pi$ decay amplitude



Truncation effects can be determined

$$A_{C} - A_{T} = \int_{R_{T}}^{R_{\infty}} d^{3}\mathbf{r} \psi_{T}^{(-)*}(r) \frac{\alpha_{e}}{r} \psi_{0}(r) A_{T}$$

 ψ_0 is the free wave function: $\psi_0(r) = -\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\pi k}}\frac{e^{ikr}}{r}$

Examine in the quantum field theory

For scattering amplitude



$$\int \frac{d^4 p_1}{(2\pi)^4} \int \frac{d^4 p_2}{(2\pi)^4} f(p_1) S_2(P, p_1) \Delta V(\vec{q}) S_2(P, p_2) g(p_2), \quad \vec{q} = \vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2$$

• $\Delta V(\vec{q})$ can be written as

$$\Delta V(\vec{q}) = \int_{r>R_{\tau}} d^3 \vec{r} \, \frac{\alpha_e}{r} e^{-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{r}}$$

Integrating over p₁₀ leaves two terms



When photon crosses the bubble



Check the singularity for the on-shell amplitude



$$\int \frac{dq_0}{2\pi} \int \frac{d^3\vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{E}{2} - q_0\right)^2 - (\vec{k} - \vec{q})^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{E}{2} - q_0\right)^2 - (\vec{k}' - \vec{q})^2 - m^2 + i\varepsilon} \frac{1}{\vec{q}^2}$$

$$\int \frac{d^3\vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{(\vec{k}-\vec{q})^2 - (\vec{k}'-\vec{q})^2} \frac{1}{\vec{q}^2} + \int \frac{d^3\vec{q}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{(\vec{k}'-\vec{q})^2 - (\vec{k}-\vec{q})^2} \frac{1}{\vec{q}^2}$$

Two residues cancels \Rightarrow No worry about truncation effects here

Situation changes when the transverse radiation part is included: $\frac{1}{d^2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{a^2}$

- It can be foreseen that ϵ' will reach the precision of O(10%)
- Important to include the EM corrections, as enhanced by $\Delta I = 1/2$ rule
- To determine the EM correction, we try to solve three problems
 - ► Encode EM into Lüscher and Lellouch-Lüscher formalism
 ⇒ Introduce truncated Coulomb potential
 - ▶ Solve the issue for the mixing between I = 0 and 2 channel ⇒ Coupled channel problem simplified due to α_e -expansion
 - Remaining issue: Include the transverse radiation
- Pave the way for the realistic calculation of EM corrections $K \rightarrow \pi \pi$

Backup slides

$\sigma \rightarrow \pi \pi$ decay amplitude



The relation for decay amplitude

$$A_{C} - A_{T} = \langle E, -, T | \Delta V G_{TS}^{(+)} | \sigma \rangle = \langle E, -, T | \Delta V G_{0}^{(+)} \left(1 + V_{TS} G_{TS}^{(+)} \right) | \sigma \rangle$$

- ΔV is non-zero at $r > R_T$; $V_{TS} = V_s + V^{(T)}$ is non-zero at $r < R_T$
- The free Green function $\langle \mathbf{r} | G_0^{(+)} | \mathbf{r}' \rangle$ for $r > R_T$ and $r' < R_T$ is given by

$$\langle \mathbf{r} | G_0^{(+)} | \mathbf{r}' \rangle = \int \frac{dE'}{2\pi} \langle \mathbf{r} | E' \rangle \frac{1}{E - E' + i\varepsilon} \langle E' | \mathbf{r}' \rangle \xrightarrow{r > r'} -\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\pi k}} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \langle E | \mathbf{r}' \rangle$$

Truncation effects can be determined

$$\boldsymbol{A_{C}} - \boldsymbol{A_{T}} = \int d^{3}\mathbf{r} \, \psi_{T}^{(-)*}(r) \frac{\alpha}{r} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\pi k}} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} \right) \boldsymbol{A_{T}}$$

Mixing of isospin states

Focus on Coulomb potential, no $\pi\pi\gamma$ state

However, I = 2 and I = 0 $\pi\pi$ states still mix with each other

• No EM: relation between charged c = +-,00 and isopsin $s = 0,2 \pi\pi$ states

$$|(\pi\pi)_c\rangle^{\text{out}} = \sum_{s=0,2} \Omega_{cs} |(\pi\pi)_s\rangle^{\text{out}}, \quad \Omega_{cs} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} \\ -1/\sqrt{3} & \sqrt{2}/\sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$$

• With EM:

$$|(\pi\pi)_{c}^{\gamma}\rangle^{\text{out}} = \sum_{s=0,2} \Omega_{cs}^{\gamma} |(\pi\pi)_{s}^{\gamma}\rangle^{\text{out}}, \quad \Omega_{cs}^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta^{\gamma} & \sin\theta^{\gamma} \\ -\sin\theta^{\gamma} & \cos\theta^{\gamma} \end{pmatrix}$$

Define $^{\rm out}((\pi\pi)^{\gamma}_{s}|H_{W}|K^{0}) = e^{i\delta^{\gamma}_{s}}A^{\gamma}_{s}$

$$\epsilon' = \frac{1}{3} \left(\eta_{+-} - \eta_{00} \right) = \frac{\sin 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta^{\gamma}} \frac{i e^{i \left(\delta_2^{\gamma} - \delta_0^{\gamma} \right)}}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\operatorname{Re} A_2^{\gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} A_0^{\gamma}} \left(\frac{\operatorname{Im} A_2^{\gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} A_2^{\gamma}} - \frac{\operatorname{Im} A_0^{\gamma}}{\operatorname{Re} A_0^{\gamma}} \right)$$

 $\frac{\sin 2\theta}{\sin 2\theta^{\gamma}}$ is a small correction \Rightarrow focus on A_s^{γ} and δ_s^{γ}

Determination of A_s^{γ} and δ_s^{γ} from lattice QCD

Turn off EM and calculate correlators with I = 0, 2 operators

$$C_{II'}(t) = \langle \phi_{\pi\pi,I}(t)\phi_{\pi\pi,I'}^{\dagger}(0) \rangle$$

=
$$\sum_{s=0,2} \langle 0|\phi_{\pi\pi,I}|(\pi\pi)_s \rangle e^{-E_s t} \langle (\pi\pi)_s |\phi_{\pi\pi,I'}^{\dagger}|0\rangle \delta_{s,I} \delta_{s,I'}$$

=
$$(UMU^{\dagger})_{II'}$$

where

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,0} | (\pi\pi)_0 \rangle & 0 \\ 0 & \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,2} | (\pi\pi)_2 \rangle \end{pmatrix}, \quad M = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-E_0 t} & e^{-E_2 t} \end{pmatrix}$$

Turn on EM and calculate correlators with the same operators

$$C_{II'}^{\gamma}(t) = \langle \phi_{\pi\pi,I}(t)\phi_{\pi\pi,I'}^{\dagger}(0)\rangle^{\gamma}$$

=
$$\sum_{s=0,2}^{\gamma} \langle 0|\phi_{\pi\pi,I}|(\pi\pi)_{s}^{\gamma}\rangle e^{-E_{s}^{\gamma}t} \langle (\pi\pi)_{s}^{\gamma}|\phi_{\pi\pi,I'}^{\dagger}|0\rangle^{\gamma}$$

=
$$(U^{\gamma}M^{\gamma}U^{\gamma\dagger})_{II'}$$

where

$$U^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,0} | (\pi\pi)_{0}^{\gamma} \rangle & \gamma \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,0} | (\pi\pi)_{2}^{\gamma} \rangle \\ \gamma \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,2} | (\pi\pi)_{0}^{\gamma} \rangle & \gamma \langle 0 | \phi_{\pi\pi,2} | (\pi\pi)_{2} \rangle \end{pmatrix}, \qquad M^{\gamma} = \begin{pmatrix} e^{-E_{0}^{\gamma}t} & e^{-E_{2}^{\gamma}t} \end{pmatrix}$$

Determination of A_s^{γ} and δ_s^{γ} from lattice QCD

• Use the coefficient matrix to construct a ratio $U^{-1}U^{\gamma} = 1 + \begin{pmatrix} N_{00}^{(1)} & N_{02}^{(1)} \\ N_{20}^{(1)} & N_{22}^{(1)} \end{pmatrix}$

- Build a ratio for the 2 × 2 correlation matrix: $R(t) = C^{-\frac{1}{2}}(t)C^{\gamma}(t)C^{-\frac{1}{2}}(t)$
- Time dependence of R(t) yields

$$R(t) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + 2N_{00}^{(1)} + E_0^{(1)}t & N_{20}^{(1)}e^{(E_2 - E_0)t/2} + N_{02}^{(1)}e^{(E_0 - E_2)t/2} \\ N_{20}^{(1)}e^{(E_2 - E_0)t/2} + N_{02}^{(1)}e^{(E_0 - E_2)t/2} & 1 + 2N_{22}^{(1)} + E_2^{(1)}t \end{pmatrix}$$

• $E_s^{(1)} = E_s^{\gamma} - E_s$ can be used to determine δ_s^{γ} , s = 0, 2

• $N_{II'}^{(1)}$ can be used to construct U^{γ} and compute $A_s^{\gamma} = \langle (\pi \pi)_s^{\gamma} | H_W | K^0 \rangle$

Need to modify Lüscher quantization condition and Lellouch-Lüscher relation to include EM effects