



US Lattice Quantum Chromodynamics

Lattice QCD and the Search for New Physics

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Existential Questions

- What breaks electroweak symmetry?
- What generates flavor? Flavor change V ?
- Why is $m_u < m_d$? Is $m_u = 0$ (at some scale)?
- With δ_{KM} (and θ), what causes CP violation?
- Without these, no chemistry or biology.

- Most particle physicists expect to find the answers beyond the SM:
 - experimenters searching for signals;
 - theorists building models.
- To recognize BSM, need precision SM.
- Half the parameters are “obscured” by nonperturbative QCD: need lattice QCD.
- Kuti: lattice gauge theory applied to EW/SB.

Standard Model

19 Parameters

- Gauge couplings: α_s , α_{QED} , $\alpha_W = (m_W/v)^2/\pi$;
- Lepton masses: m_e , m_μ , m_τ ;
- Quark masses: $m_u e^{i\theta}$, m_d , m_s , m_c , m_b , m_t ;
- CKM: V_{us} , V_{cb} , V_{ub} , $\exp(i\delta_{\text{KM}})$;
- EWSB: $v = 246$ GeV, $\lambda = (m_H/v)^2/2$.
- Need **lattice QCD**, **lattice Yukawa**.

SM Status

- Gauge symmetry
- Quantum numbers
- Law of Nature
- Law of Nature

- Higgs sector
 - Flavor interactions
 - Explore at LHC
 - Test with intensity
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- The diagram consists of four nodes arranged in a 2x2 grid, each preceded by a bullet point. Blue arrows indicate relationships: a horizontal arrow from 'Higgs sector' to 'Explore at LHC'; a horizontal arrow from 'Flavor interactions' to 'Test with intensity'; a diagonal arrow from 'Higgs sector' to 'Test with intensity'; and a diagonal arrow from 'Explore at LHC' to 'Flavor interactions'.

LHC Era

- New phenomena seen at CERN's LHC (Large Hadron Collider, 7–14 TeV pp) \Rightarrow
- models of new particles \Rightarrow
- effects on low-energy processes.
- Effects suppressed by $(\Lambda_{\text{SM}}/\Lambda_{\text{new}})^{1 \text{ or } 2}$, where Λ_{SM} could be $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}, m_c, M_W, \dots$

Outline

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- Bread and Butter: Spectroscopy
- Appetizer: Quark Masses
- Main Course: Flavor Physics
- Dessert: Muon $g-2$
- Digestiv: Perspective



Last drink

Lattice QCD Data

USQCD Data Mines

what	who	MILC	RBC/UKQCD	JLab		
sea		staggered	domain-wall	Wilson		
action		asqtad	HISQ	std	AuxDet	clover
n_f		2+1	2+1+1	2+1	2+1	2+1
a (fm)		0.045–0.18	0.045–0.15	0.09–0.13	0.143	0.12 (a_s)
m_q		$m_s/10$	$m_s/27$	$m_s/5$	$m_s/15$	$m_s/9$
# configs		500–2000	100 → 1000	600–1800	380 → 650	400–2500

Non-US Data Mines

- MILC ensembles with $n_f = 2+1$ asqtad sea most extensive anywhere.
- CP-PACS/PACS-CS and BMW ensembles \approx RBC-UKQCD, but focus on masses, f_K/f_π .
- ETM $n_f = 2$ ensembles: serious SM pheno underway; also have started $n_f = 2+1+1$.
- CLS generating suite of $n_f = 2$ ensembles.

- All results presented here obtained from USQCD data mines, because:
 - LQCD Projects under review today;
 - non-US SM calculations lag (either $n_f \leq 2$ or not written up).
- All “USQCD” data mines generated partly outside LQCD project: NSF, pre-LQCD; RBRC, UKQCD; DOE leadership class.



Bread & butter

Spectroscopy

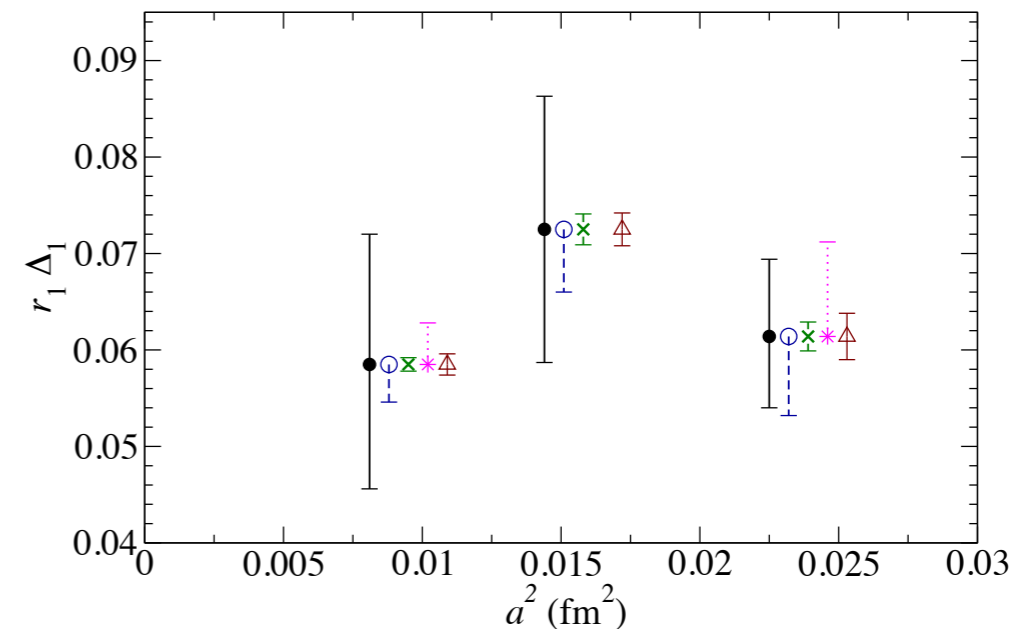
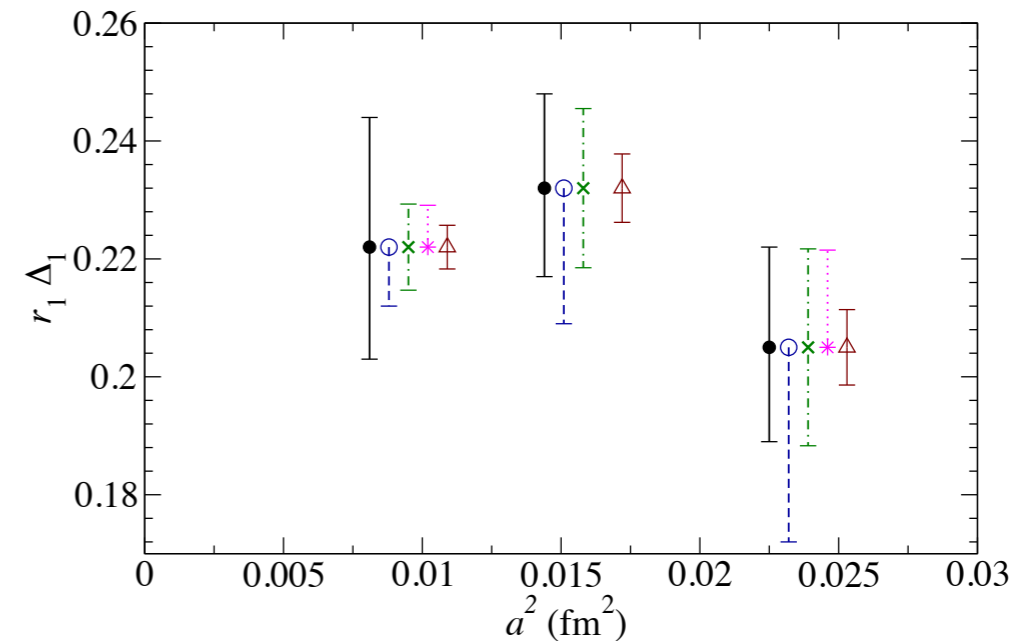
Heavy-light Mesons and Quarkonium

Heavy-Light Mesons

Fermilab/MILC, Phys. Rev. D **83** (2011) 034503

- Heavy-light spin-average used to set (bare) m_c, m_b .
- Hyperfine splittings test.
- Historically disappointing.
- Recent Fermilab/MILC:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_{D_s} &= 145 \pm 15 \text{ MeV} \\ \text{exp't} & 143.9 \pm 0.4 \text{ MeV} \\ \Delta_{B_s} &= 40 \pm 9 \text{ MeV} \\ \text{exp't} & 41.6 \pm 1.5 \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$



Quarkonium

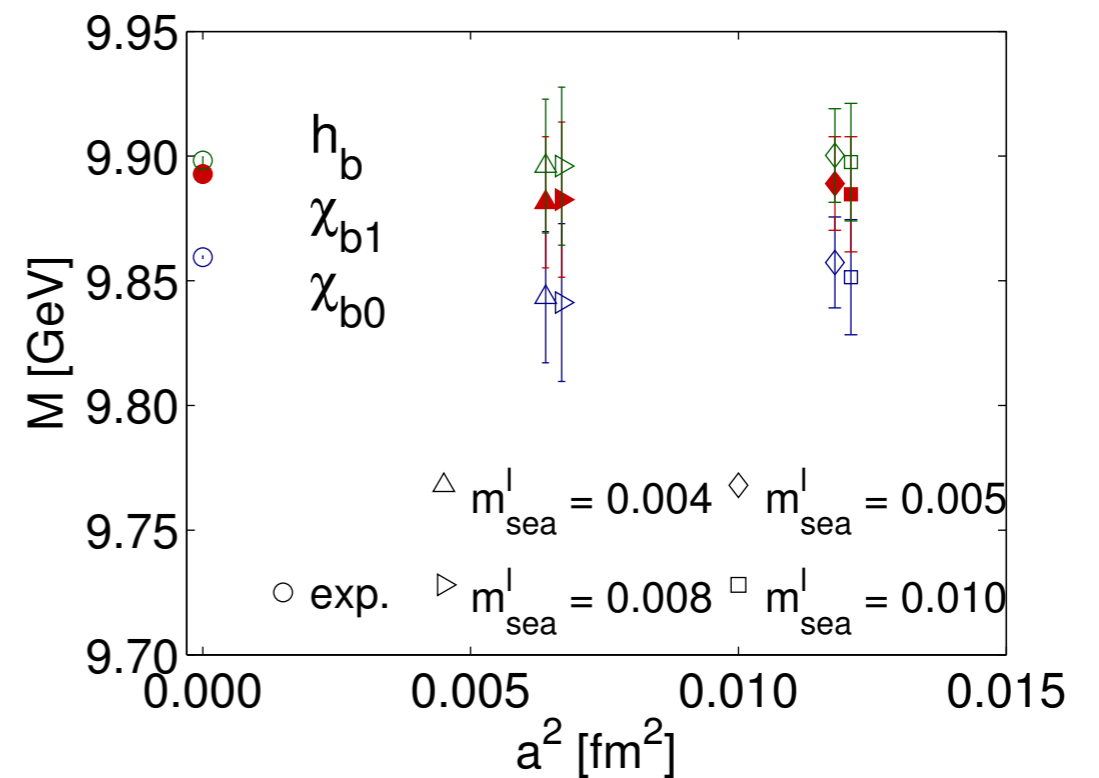
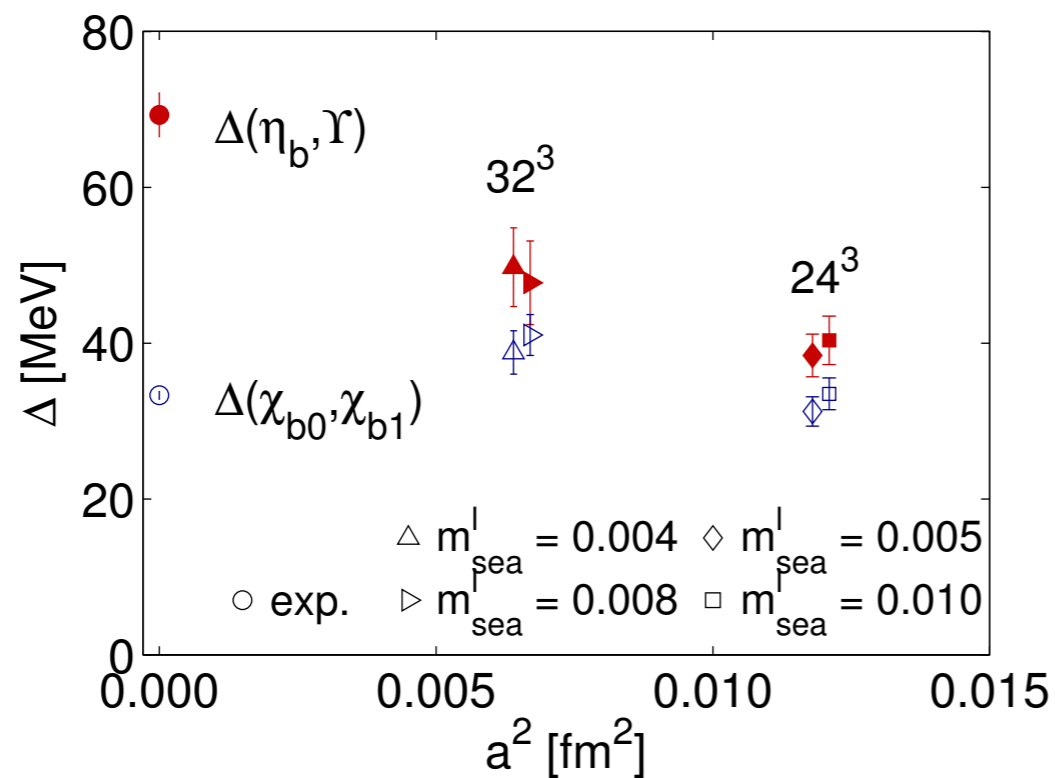
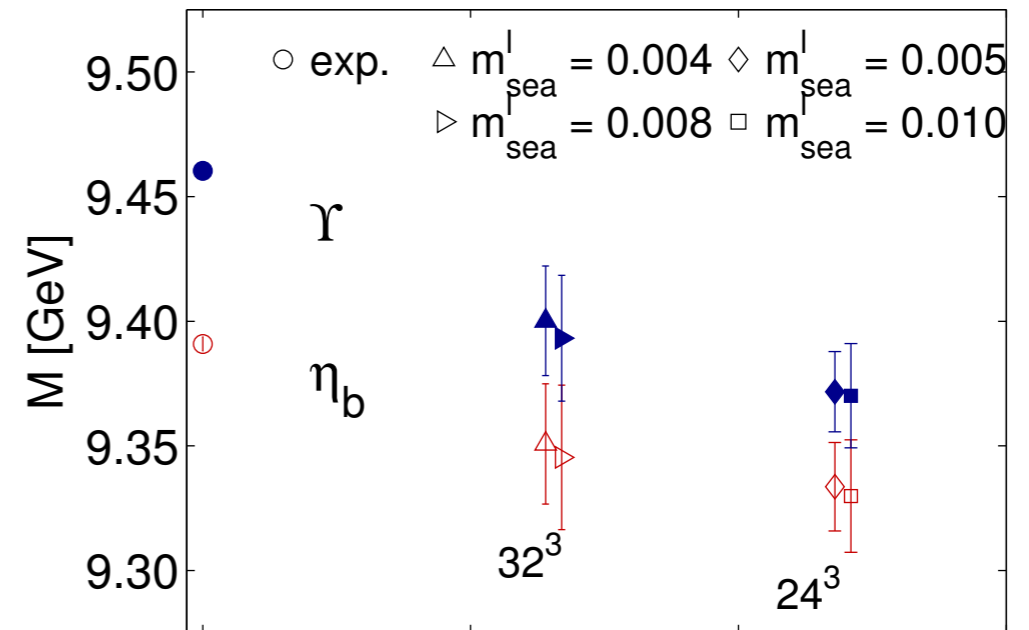
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- Quarkonium spectra also provide tests.
- Broad agreement, but errors still large.

Splitting	Charmonium		Bottomonium	
	This work	Experiment	This work	Experiment
$\overline{1P}-\overline{1S}$	$473 \pm 12_{-0}^{+10}$	457.5 ± 0.3	$446 \pm 18_{-0}^{+10}$	457.1 ± 0.9
${}^1P_1-\overline{1S}$	$469 \pm 11_{-0}^{+10}$	457.9 ± 0.4	$440 \pm 17_{-0}^{+10}$	—
$\overline{2S}-\overline{1S}$	$792 \pm 42_{-0}^{+17}$	606 ± 1	$599 \pm 36_{-0}^{+13}$	$(580.5 \pm 0.8)^1$
$1^3S_1-1^1S_0$	$116.0 \pm 7.4_{-0}^{+2.6}$	116.4 ± 1.2	$54.0 \pm 12.4_{-0}^{+1.2}$	69.4 ± 2.8
$1P$ tensor	$15.0 \pm 2.3_{-0}^{+0.3}$	16.25 ± 0.07	$4.5 \pm 2.2_{-0}^{+0.1}$	5.25 ± 0.13
$1P$ spin-orbit	$43.3 \pm 6.6_{-0}^{+1.0}$	46.61 ± 0.09	$16.9 \pm 7.0_{-0}^{+0.4}$	18.2 ± 0.2
$1S \bar{s}Q-\bar{Q}Q$	$1058 \pm 13_{-0}^{+24}$	1084.8 ± 0.8	$1359 \pm 304_{-0}^{+31}$	1363.4 ± 2.3

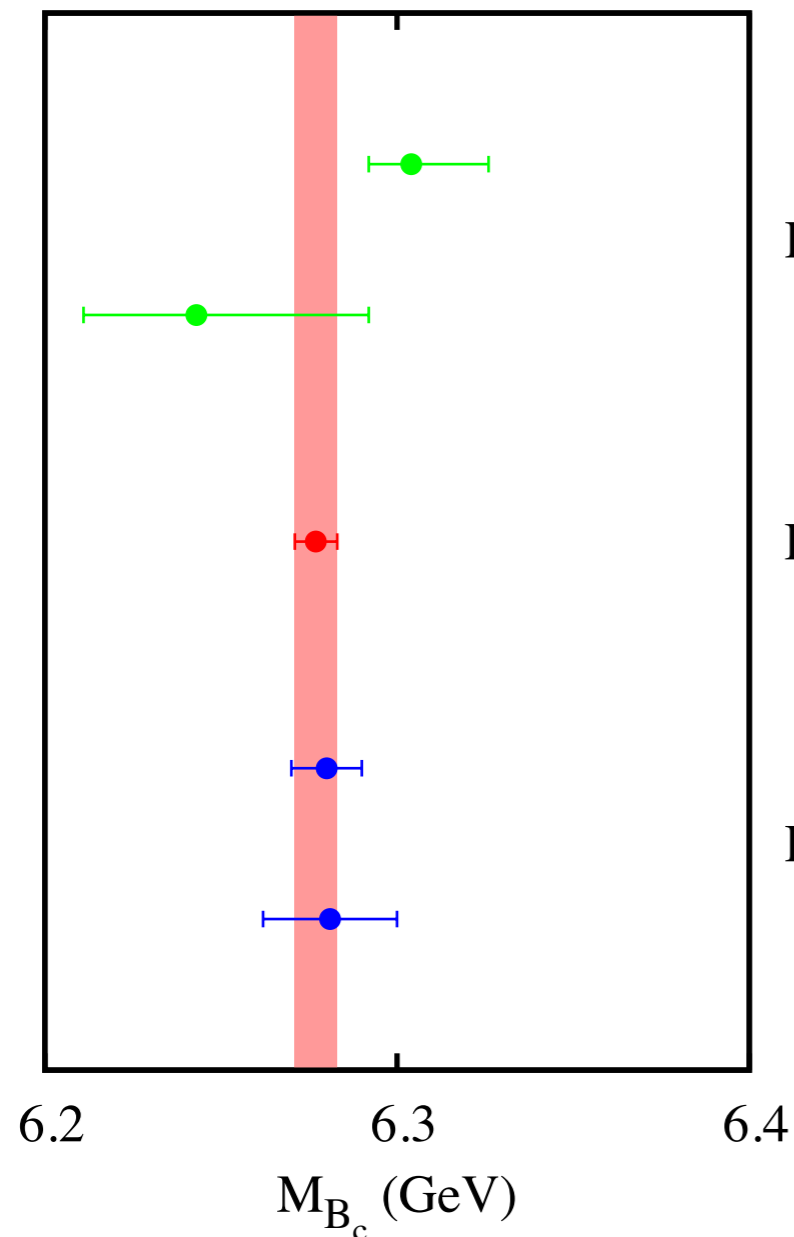
RBC Collaboration

- Nonperturbatively match Fermilab heavy-quark action with heavy-light.
- Test w/ bottomonium.



B, B_s, B_c Spectra

HPQCD, Phys. Rev. D **83** (2010) 014506



- B_c is meson with beauty and charm.
- Mass prediction of LQCD confirmed (2005).
- Now with higher precision.

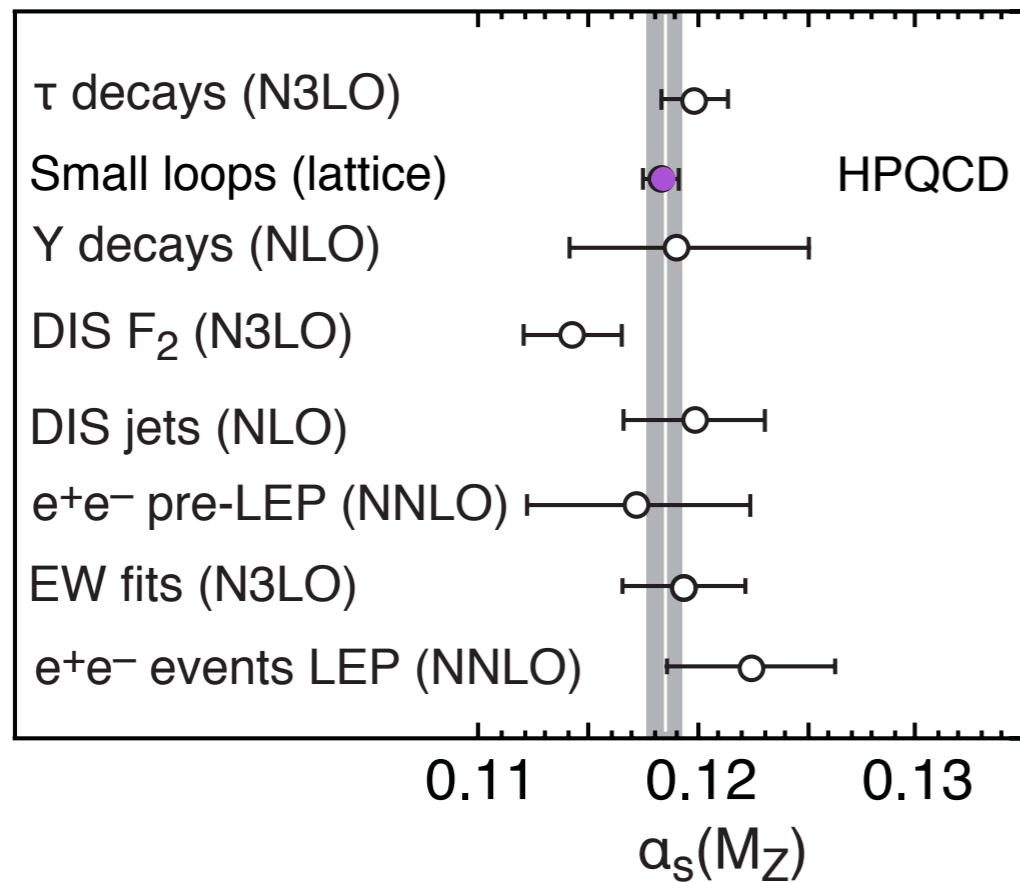


Appetizer

QCD Parameters

QCD of hadrons = QCD of partons

Schrödinger (lattice) ○ PACS-CS
 Adler (lattice) ○ JLQCD
 Charmonium (lattice) ○ HPQCD



- Perhaps more intriguing:
 - determine α_s with lattice QCD;
 - discover new physics in HEP scattering.
- HEP folks still digesting this suggestion.
- February 2011 workshop.

Bethke, arXiv:0908.1135

Light Quark Masses

Lattice QCD	<u>MILC</u>	<u>RBC</u>	<u>BMW</u>	<u>HPQCD</u>
$\bar{m}_u(2 \text{ MeV})$	1.9 ± 0.2	2.24 ± 0.35	2.15 ± 0.11	
$\bar{m}_d(2 \text{ MeV})$	4.6 ± 0.3	4.65 ± 0.35	4.79 ± 0.14	
$\bar{m}_s(2 \text{ MeV})$	88 ± 5	97.6 ± 6.2	95.5 ± 1.9	92.4 ± 1.5
$\bar{m}_c(\bar{m}_c)$				1273 ± 6
$\bar{m}_b(\bar{m}_b)$				4164 ± 23
when	2009	2010	2010	2009–10

High-Scale Puzzles

- Inequalities: $m_t > m_b, m_c > m_s$, but $m_u < m_d!$
- needed for proton to be stable.
- Light masses 4 & 9 times electron mass.
- Still nonzero: too large to solve strong CP problem ($\vartheta = \theta - \arg \det y \neq 0!!!$):
- need axion (searched by, e.g., gammeV).

Strong CP Problem

- Quark masses arise from Yukawa couplings, $m = v\mathbf{y}$ & from low-energy QCD instantons.
- CP violation $\propto \vartheta = \theta_{\text{QCD}} - \arg \det \mathbf{y} < 10^{-11}$.
- If \mathbf{y} has a zero mode, then its phase can be chosen so that $\vartheta = 0$. No CP violation.
- Though m_u small, no evidence for instanton effect big enough for a zero mode in \mathbf{y} .



Main course

Flavor Physics

cf. Laiho, Lunghi, Van de Water, [arXiv:0910.2928](https://arxiv.org/abs/0910.2928)

Flavor Physics

- The physics of identity:
 - origin of masses and CP violation;
 - flavor-changing interactions.
- Quarks (CKM) vs. leptons (ν oscillations).
- Tight constraints on models of new physics:
more lattice QCD \Rightarrow more tests.

Textures of Mixing

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{large} & \text{small} & \text{tiny} \\ \text{small} & \text{large} & \text{tiny} \\ \text{tiny} & \text{small} & \text{large} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} u \\ c \\ t \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} d \\ s \\ b \end{matrix}$$

$$U_{\text{PMNS}} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{large} & \text{small} & \text{tiny} \\ \text{small} & \text{medium} & \text{large} \\ \text{small} & \text{medium} & \text{large} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} e \\ \mu \\ \tau \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$$

- Patterns & their disparity not understood:
- lies beyond the Standard Model.

SM Flavor Predictions

- For numerous processes:

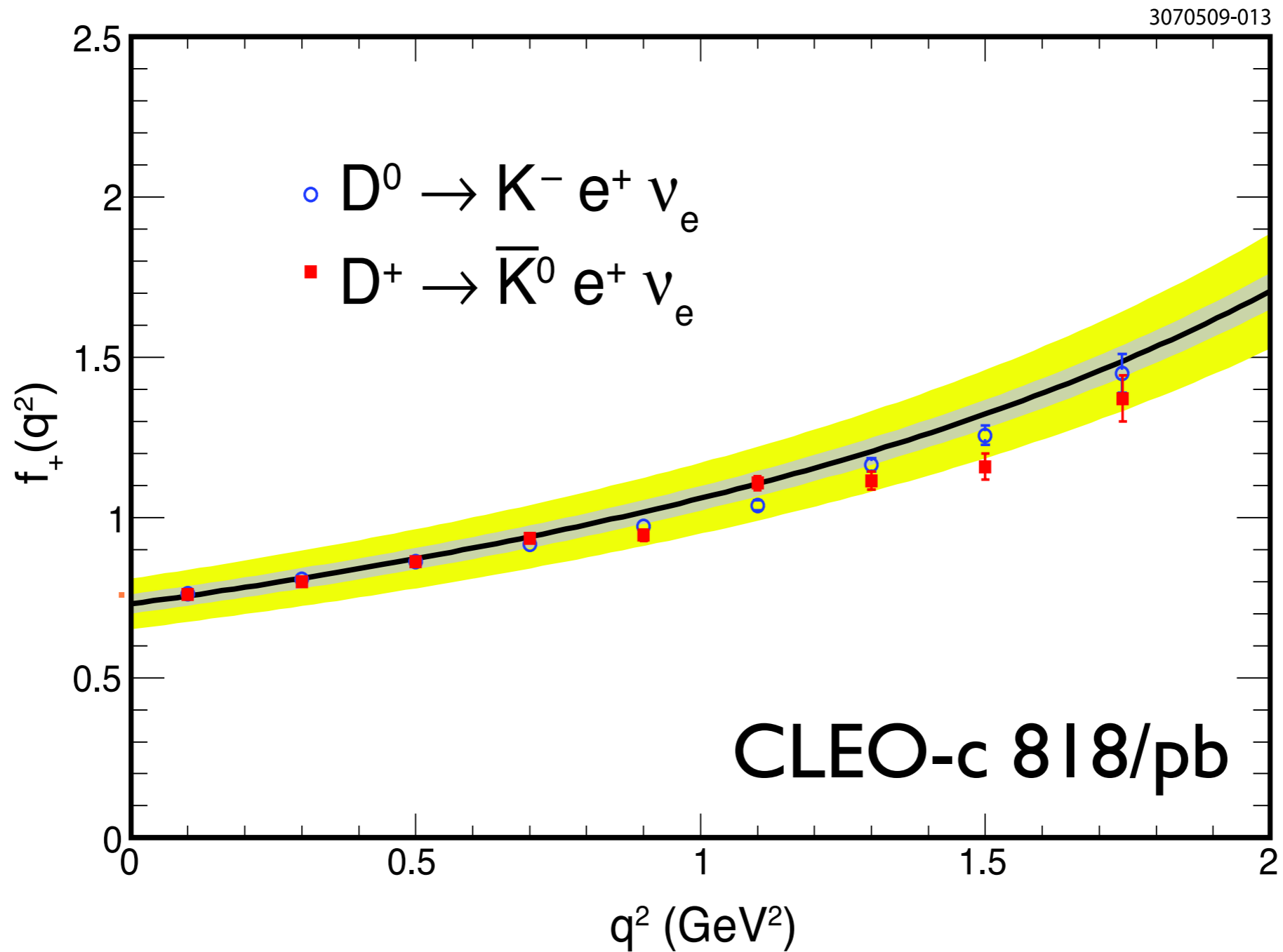
$$\Gamma = \begin{pmatrix} \text{known} \\ \text{factors} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \text{CKM} \\ \text{factors} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \text{QCD} \\ \text{factor} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Decay constants, form factors, bag factors.
- Leptonic decays, semileptonic, meson mixing.
- Same & related **QCD factors** needed BSM.

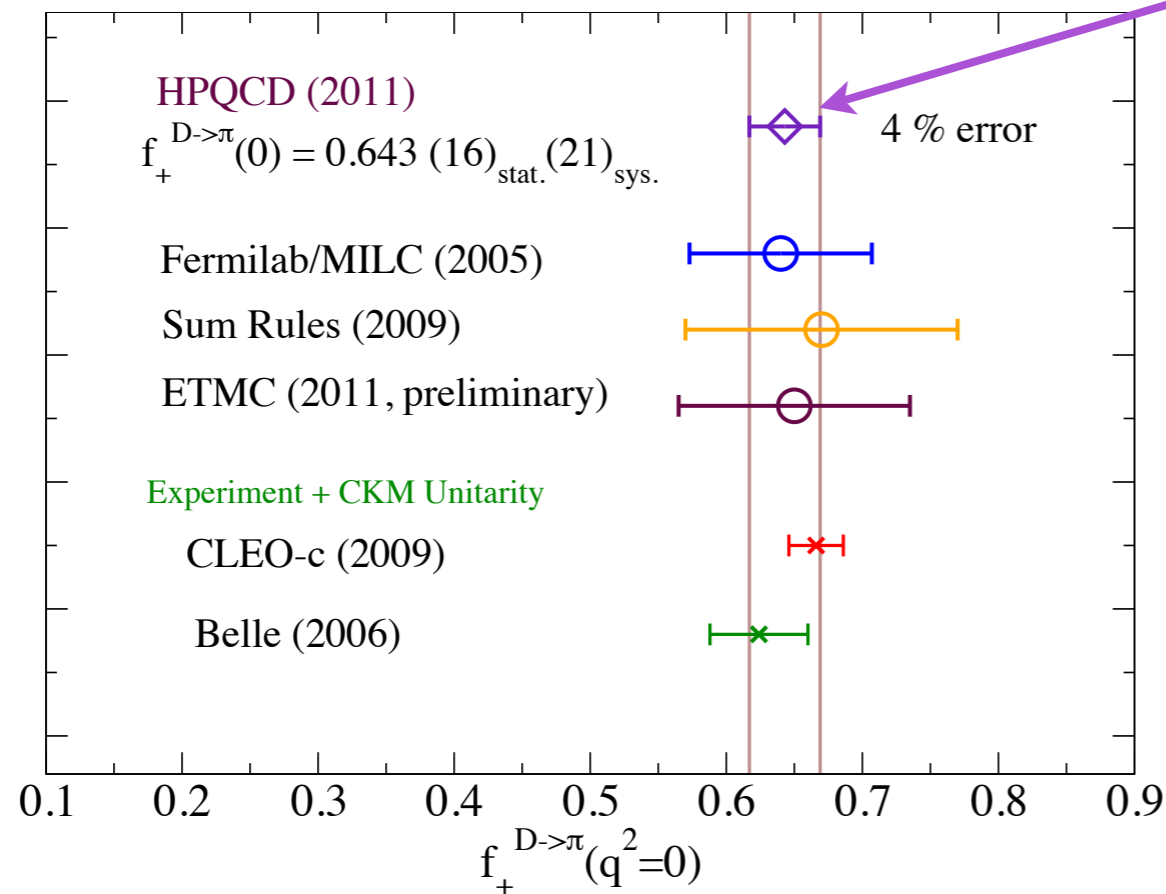
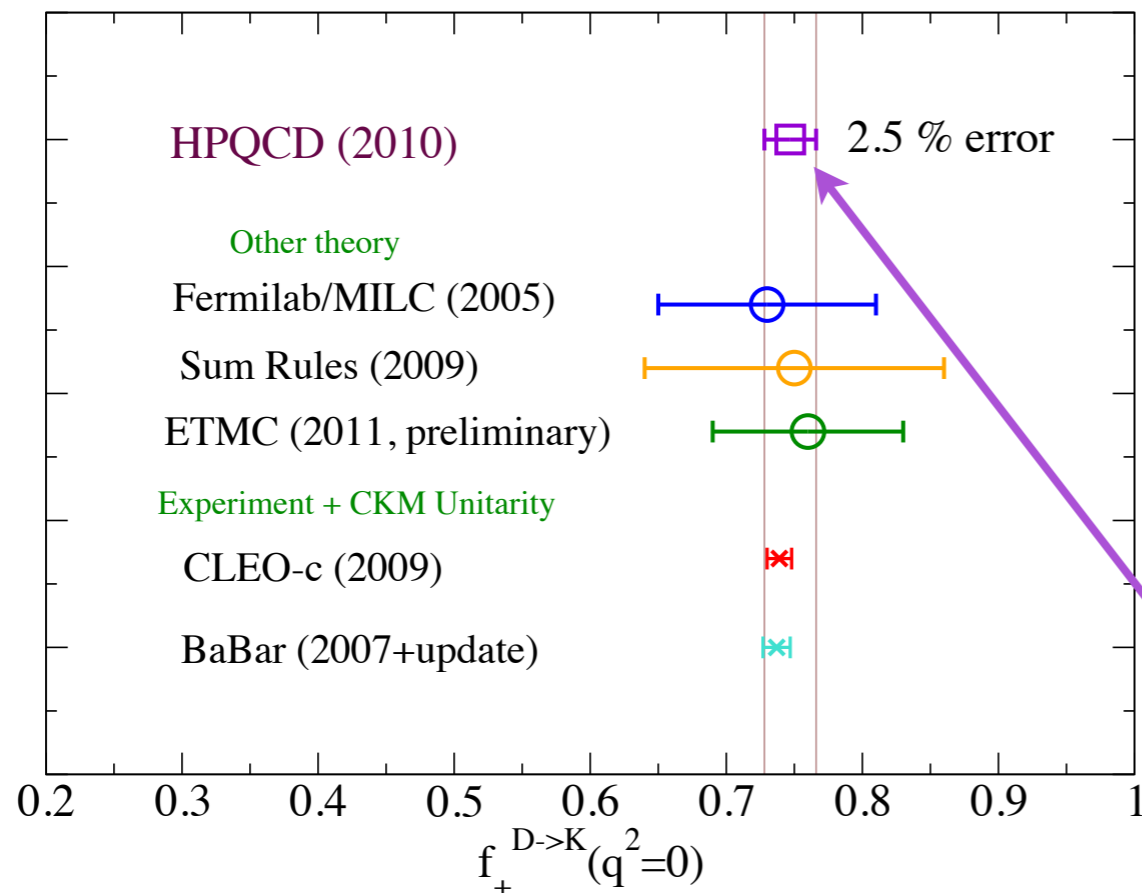
Semileptonic Decays

- Before confronting ideas new physics with flavor, must “measure” CKM.
- Semileptonic decays are usually used: compute form factor, e.g., with lattice QCD.
- Approach used for $|V_{ud}|$, $|V_{us}|$, $|V_{ub}|$, $|V_{cd}|$, $|V_{cs}|$, $|V_{cb}|$ —all but $|V_{tq}|$.
- In SM, $|V_{tq}|$ follows because V_{CKM} is unitary.

Fermilab/MILC [[hep-ph/0408306](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0408306)]: $f_+(q^2)$



HPQCD [[arXiv:1008.4562](https://arxiv.org/abs/1008.4562)]: $f_+(0) = 0.747 \pm 0.019$



- New normalization (HPQCD) almost as precise as CLEO, BaBar.

- same method as for $K \rightarrow \pi l \nu$.

- **Preliminary:** similar advance for $D \rightarrow \pi l \nu$.

Unitarity Triangle

- Dozens of measurements, but unitarity of CKM constrains SM predictions:

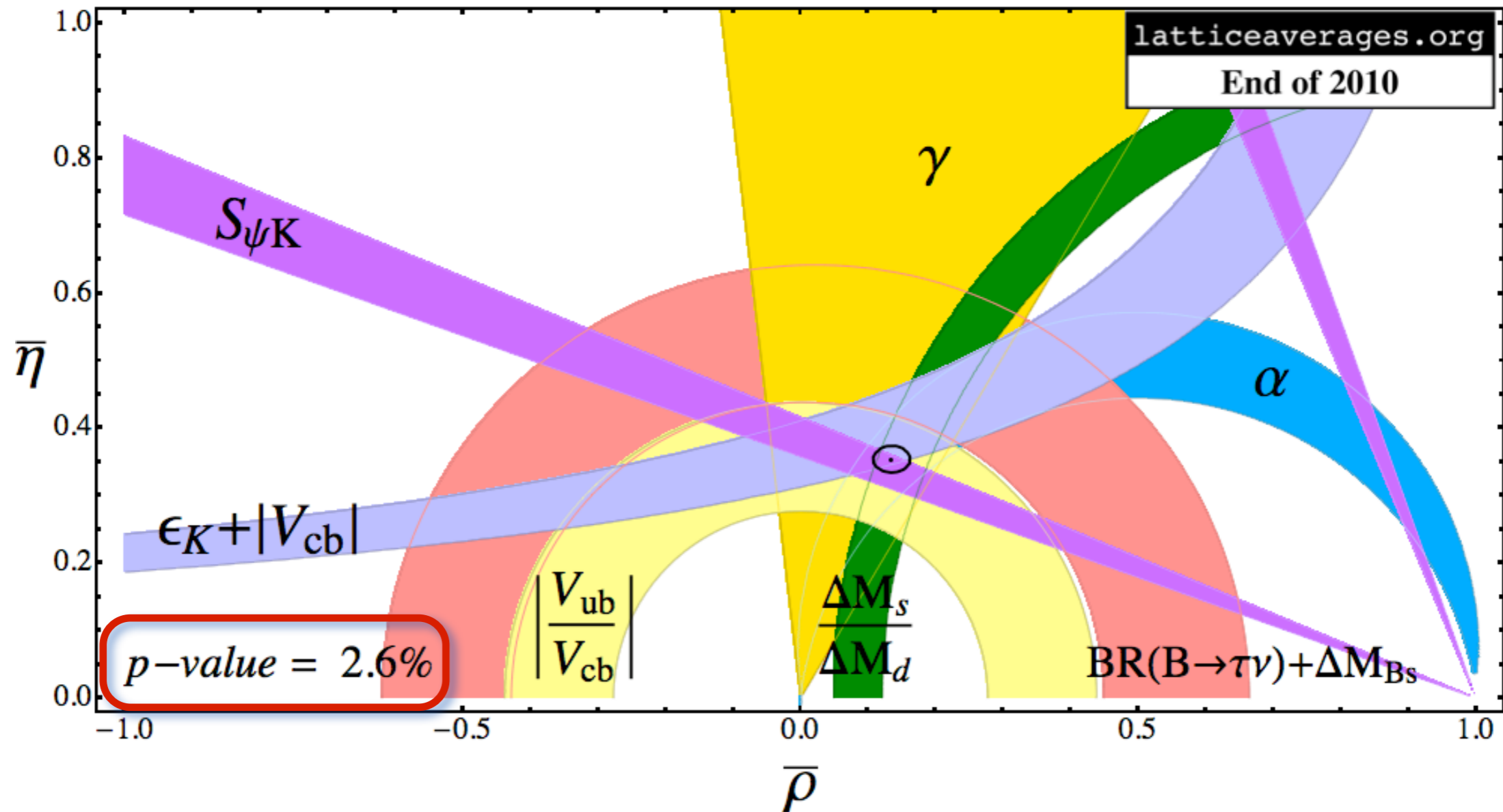
$$V_{ud}^* V_{ub} + V_{cd}^* V_{cb} + V_{td}^* V_{tb} = 0$$

tracing out a triangle on complex plane.

- Results often summarized with this so-called unitarity triangle.

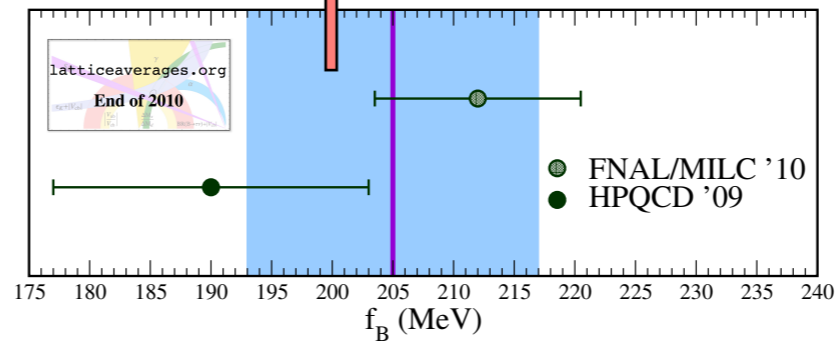
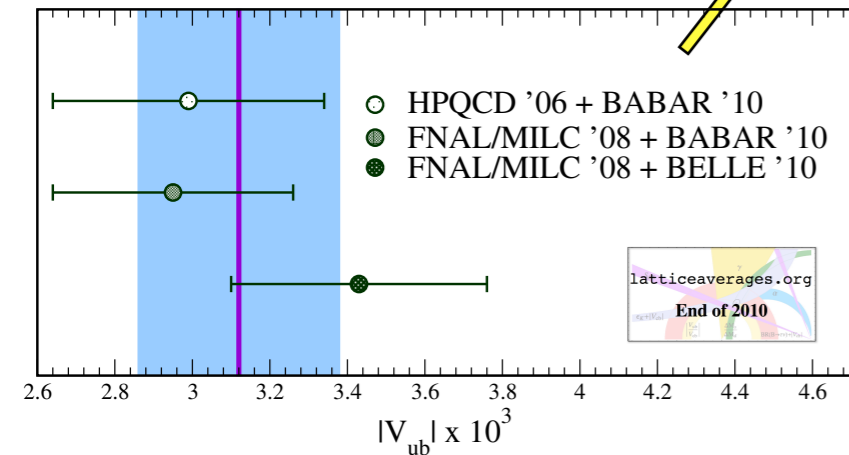
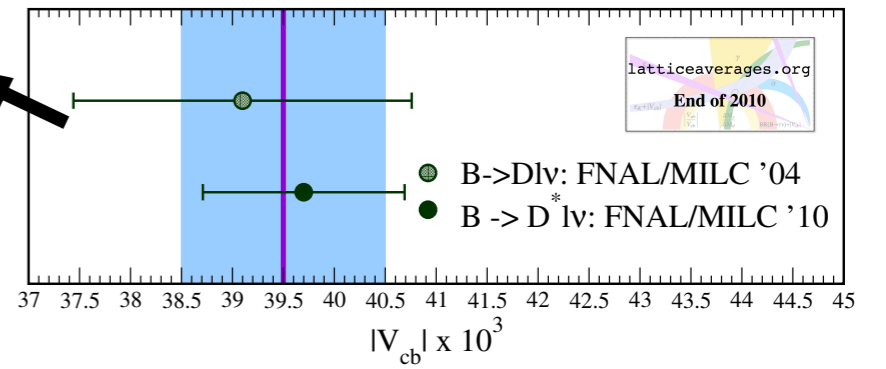
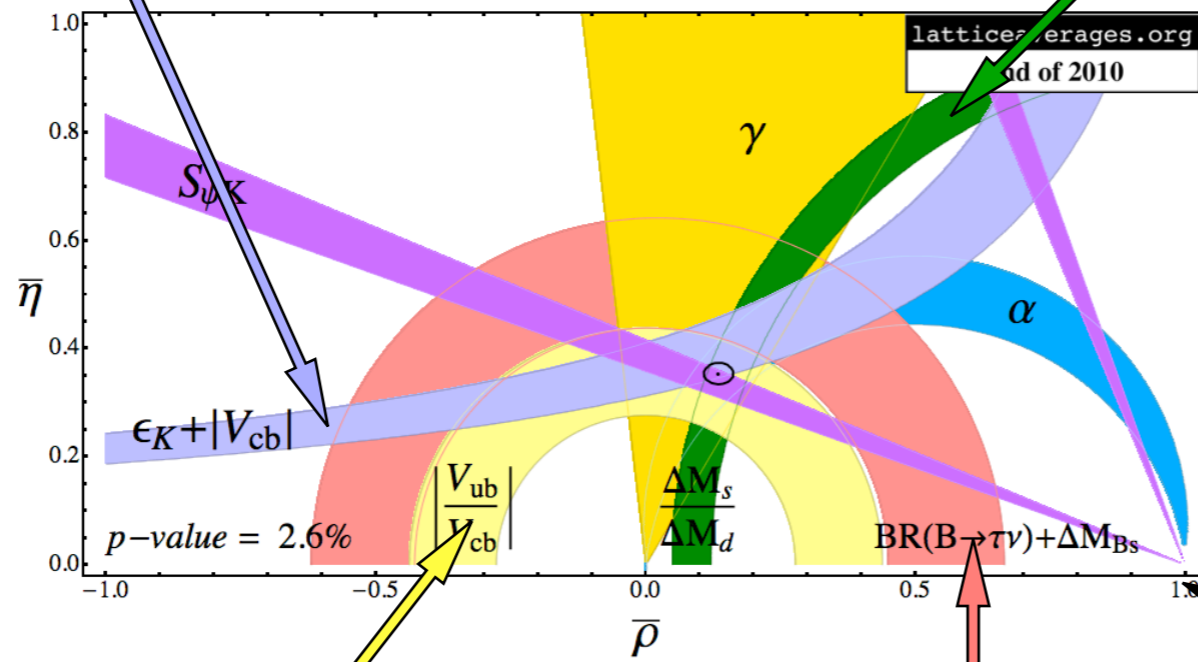
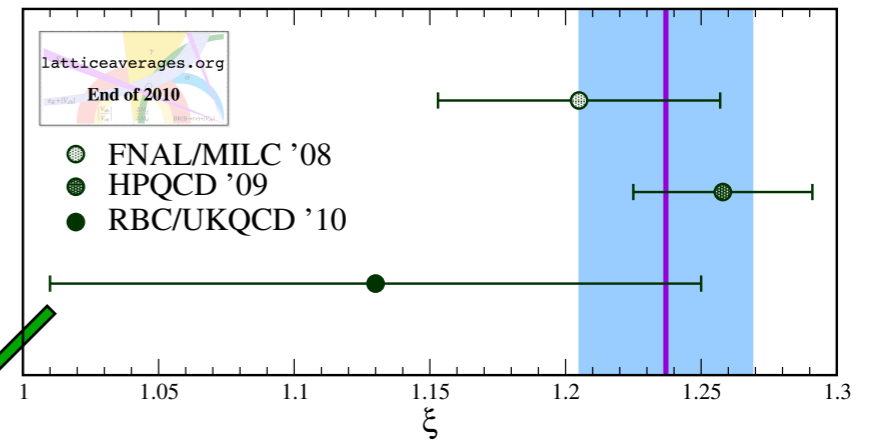
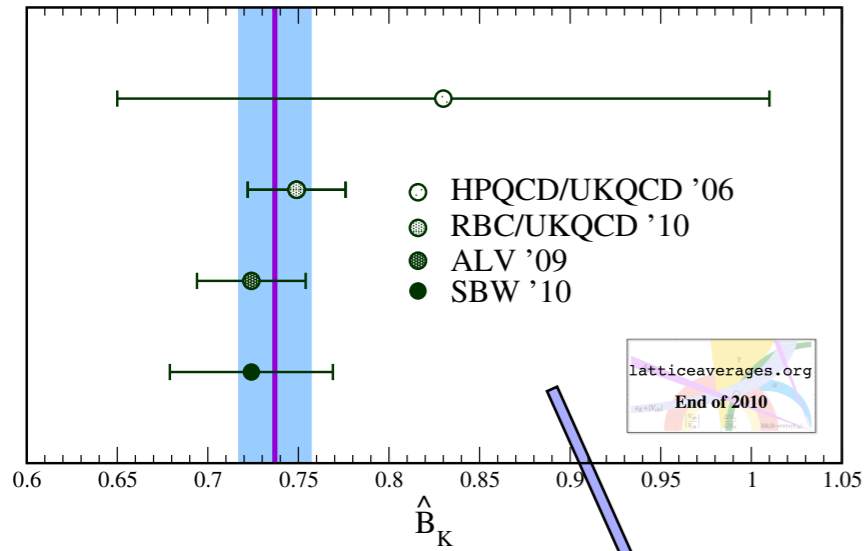
Unitarity Triangle

under tension: Lunghi, Soni; Lenz, Nierste;



- “tension” means the global fit prefers NP.

USQCD & UT



Decay Constants

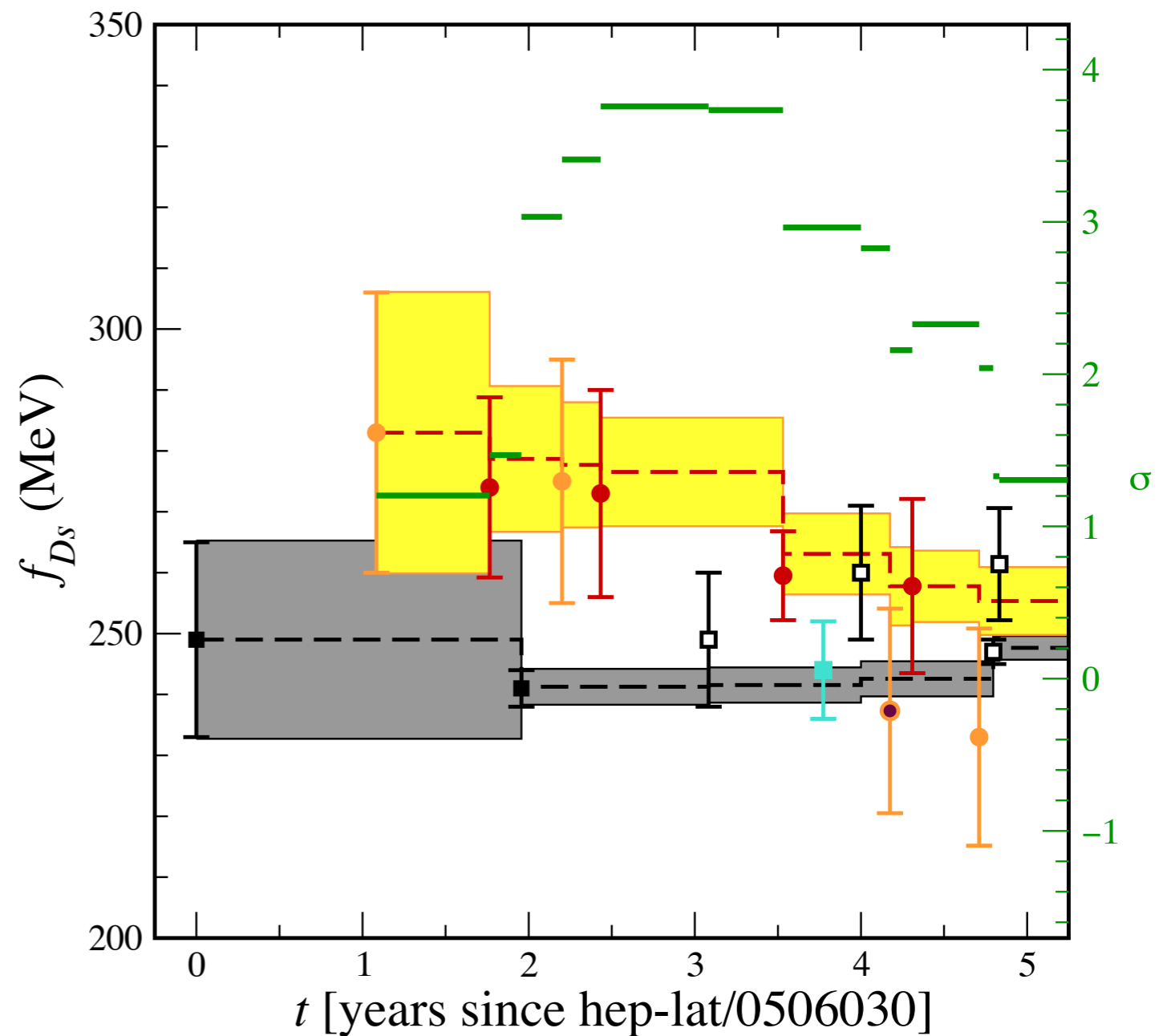
- One of the simplest quantities is decay constant of pseudoscalar mesons, f_π , etc.
- Some results (entries in MeV):

meson	MILC	FNAL/MILC	HPQCD	Exp't	Dev (σ)
π	128 ± 3	—	132 ± 2	130.7 ± 0.4	0.4
K	156.0 ± 0.8	—	159 ± 2	159.9 ± 1.5	1.7
D	—	220 ± 9	213 ± 4	206 ± 9	0.1
D_s	—	261 ± 9	248.0 ± 2.5	257.3 ± 5.3	1.6

D_s Puzzle

a deviation where none was expected

- Leptonic decays of $D_{(s)}$.
- “Easy” and validated for $D \rightarrow l\nu$.
- Was 3.8σ for $D_s \rightarrow l\nu$:
 - exptl statistical σ .
- Can't blame it on charm.
- Now $\sim 1.5\sigma$.

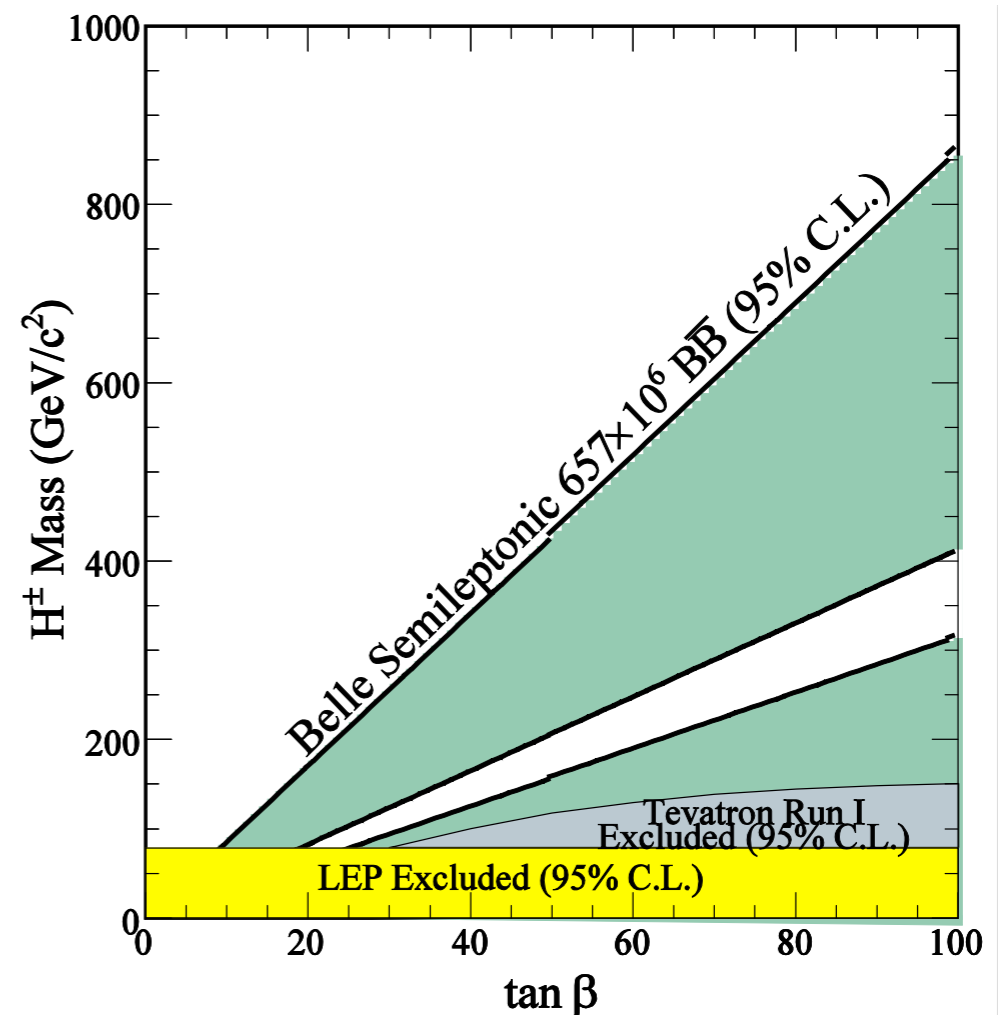


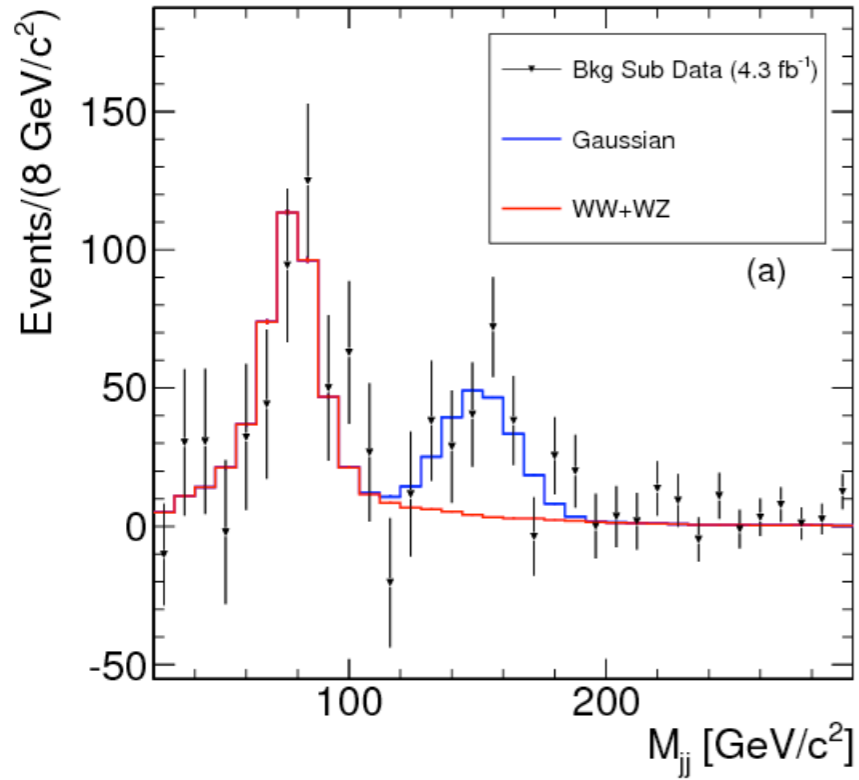
$$B \rightarrow \tau \nu$$

- HFAG (exp't): $\text{BR} = (1.64 \pm 0.34) \times 10^{-4}$.
- With $|V_{ub}|$ and f_B from lattice QCD:
 - $\text{BR} = (0.72 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-4}$.
- Evidence for a non-Standard amplitude?
 - proposed in any extension of the standard model with a charged Higgs boson.

Exclusion Plot

- Charged Higgs:
multiply BR with
 $[1 - \tan^2\beta (m_B/m_H)^2]^2$
- Exclude part of
 $(\tan\beta, m_H)$ plane.
- Non-standard H^\pm
overwhelms W^\pm .





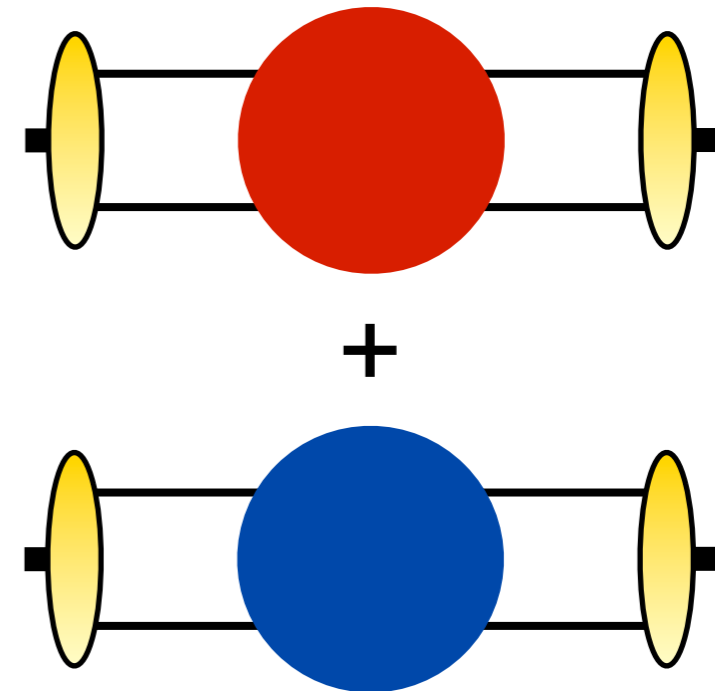
\Rightarrow hypothesis(Φ_{SM} , Φ_{new})



- $B^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{B}^0$
- $B \rightarrow Kl^+l^-$
- $B \rightarrow \tau\nu$
- $K \rightarrow \pi\nu\bar{\nu}$
- muon $g-2$



lattice QCD





Roasted Vegetables

Forecast

Future Error Budgets

- In most cases,* LQCD's CKM errors lag those of the corresponding measurements
 - and BES 3 and LHC-*b* will improve some!
- How will LQCD improve with continued computing (and postdoc) support?
- * except $B_{(s)}$ & $D_{(s)}$ decay constants

Error Budget for $f_B B_B^{1/2}$

Source (%)	HPQCD		Fermilab/MILC	
		final	preliminary	
statistics \oplus chiral extrapolation	2.3	4.1	2.7	4.0
χ PT \oplus light quark discretization		—	0.4	2.5
heavy quark discretization	3.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
$r_1^{3/2}$ (aka setting a)	2.3	2.3	3.0	3.1
tuning quark masses	1.5	1.0	0.6	0.5
$g_{B^*B\pi}$	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.6
matching	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
relativistic corrections	2.5	2.5		—
finite volume	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
TOTAL	6.7	7.1	6.1	7.3
(Elvira Gámiz)	B_s	B_d	B_s	B_d

Error Budget for ξ

(Elvira Gámiz)	HPQCD	Fermilab/MILC	RBC/UKQCD
Source (%)	final	preliminary	exploratory
statistics \oplus chiral extrapolation	2.0	3.1	5–6
χ PT \oplus light quark discretization	—	2.8	7
heavy quark discretization	0.3	0.2	4
$r_1^{3/2}$ (aka setting a)	0.0	0.2	*
tuning quark masses	1.0	0.7	2
$g_{B^*B\pi}$	1.0	0.3	1
matching	0.7	<0.5	2
relativistic corrections	0.4	—	2
finite volume	<0.1	<0.1	1
TOTAL	2.6	4.3	9

ξ in Two Years

(Elvira Gámiz) Source (%)	HPQCD	Fermilab/MILC	improvement factor
statistics ⊕ chiral extrapolation	1.0	1.5	2
χPT ⊕ light quark discretization	—	1.6	2
heavy quark discretization	0.2	0.1	1.5
$r_1^{3/2}$ (aka setting a)	0.0	0.2	
tuning quark masses	0.5	0.3	2
$g_{B^*B\pi}$	0.5	0.2	1.5
matching	<0.5	<0.5	<1?
relativistic corrections	0.4	—	<1?
finite volume	<0.1	<0.1	
TOTAL	1.4	~2.3	~2

Longer View

when	what	$f_B B_B^{1/2}$	ξ
now		6–7%	3–4%
two years		~4–5%	~1.5–2%
five years		~2%	~1%

(Claude Bernard)

These are ambitious, but worthy goals, requiring CPU, GPU and HPU.

And yet Tevatron (LHC) reach is 0.4% (0.05%) for ξ .



Dessert

Muon $g-2$

Muon, with Spin

- (Semiclassical) Dirac theory says the muon (or electron) magnetic moment should be

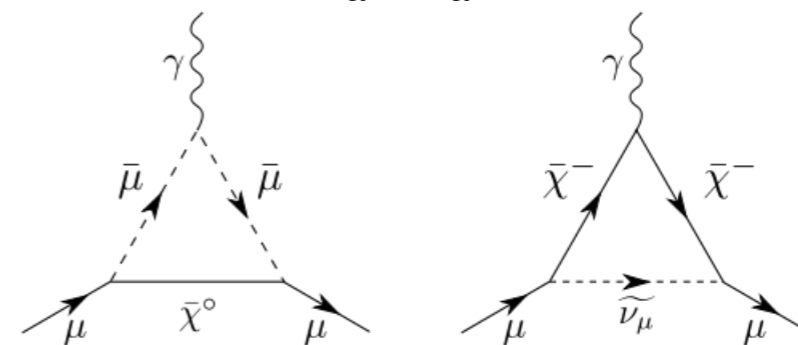
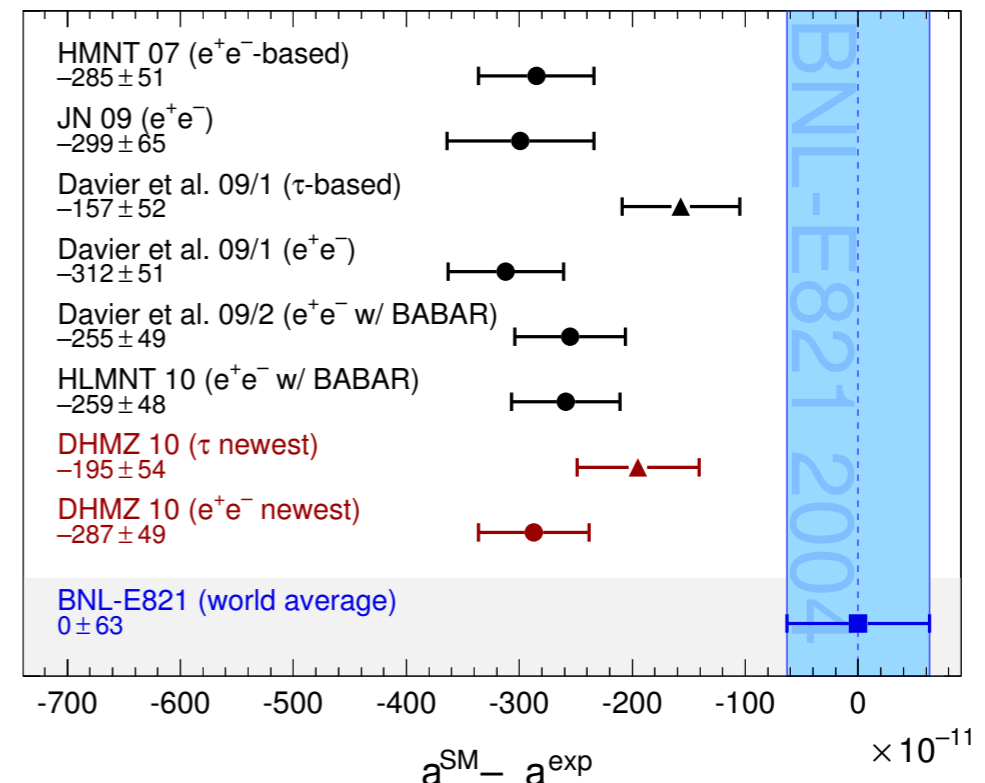
$$\mu = g \frac{e}{2m} \mathbf{S}, \quad g_{\text{Dirac}} = 2$$

- Quantum mechanics makes $g-2 \neq 0$, from photon cloud *and* any sort of stuff inside it (W & Z , hadrons, nonStandard particles).

Status of $a_\mu = (g-2)/2$

Andreas Höcker, [arXiv:1012.0055](https://arxiv.org/abs/1012.0055)

how	$10^{11}a_\mu$	$10^{11}\times\text{error}$
<i>E821</i> μ^+	116 592 03-	90
<i>E821</i> μ^-	116 592 14-	90
<i>E821</i> μ^\pm	116 592 080	63
<i>SM</i> (τ)	116 591 894	54
<i>SM</i> (e^+e^-)	116 591 802	49
<i>HVP</i> (<i>lo</i>)	6 923	42
<i>HL</i> \times <i>L</i>	105	26
<i>E989</i> μ^+	116 59- —	16



Error Budgets

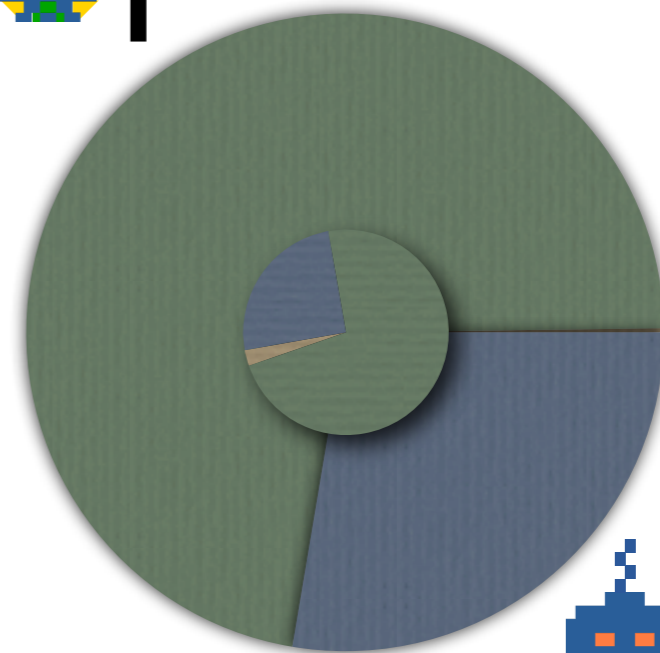
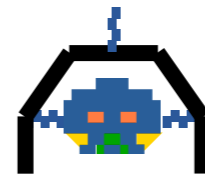
error \propto perimeter; area \propto weight in sum in quadrature

- stats
- syst



BNL E821 \rightarrow FNAL E989

- HL \times L
- HVP
- EW



Standard Model Calculation

- Only lattice QCD can reduce the theoretical uncertainty to match E989.
- HVP bibliography (omitting conference proceedings subsumed into publications):
 - T. Blum, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **91**, 052001 (2003) [[hep-lat/0212018](#)].
 - M. Göckeler et al., *Nucl. Phys. B* **688**, 135 (2004) [[hep-lat/0312032](#)].
 - C. Aubin and T. Blum, *Phys. Rev. D* **75**, 114502 (2007) [[hep-lat/0608011](#)].
 - D. B. Renner, X. Feng, K. Jansen, M. Petschlies, [arXiv:1103.1392](#) [[hep-lat](#)].
 - A. Jüttner and M. Della Morte, *PoS LAT2009*, 143 (2009) [[arXiv:0910.3755](#) [[hep-lat](#)]].

- HLxL bibliography:
 - M. Hayakawa, T. Blum, T. Izubuchi, N. Yamada, PoS LAT2005, 353 (2005) [hep-lat/0509016].
 - S. Chowdhury et al., PoS LATTICE2008, 251 (2008).
 - T. Blum and S. Chowdhury, Nucl. Phys. B Proc. Suppl. 189, 251 (2009).
- USQCD projects proposed for 2011-2012:
 - Christopher Aubin (PI): Hadronic contributions to the muon $g-2$ using Asqtad staggered fermions
 - Taku Izubuchi (PI): ... Hadronic contributions to the muon anomalous magnetic moment
 - Saul Cohen (PI): Radiative decays of neutral mesons



Digestiv

Perspective

Outlook

- Lattice QCD shaping HEP's perspective on α_s , quark masses, and flavor physics:
 - in some cases with no alternative.
- Still, however, at the beginning: LQCD precision lags experiment on f_π, f_K , meson mixing, and semileptonic form factors.

- At the outset of the LQCD Project, the USQCD Collaboration forecast the reduction in errors with LQCD resources.
- A Case Study of the Impact of Increased Computational Resources on Lattice Gauge Theory Calculation: Constraints on Standard Model Parameters
- Key results ($B_K, f_B B_B^{1/2}, \xi, |V_{cb}|$ & $|V_{ub}|$) shown here have all met these aspirations.

- Experiments involved:
 - Kaon: E865, ISTRA+, KLOE, KTeV, NA48.
 - Charm: BES-3, FOCUS, CLEO-c, Belle, BaBar.
 - *B*: LHC-b, ATLAS, CMS; BaBar, Belle, CLEO, CDF, D0.
 - Future: rare *K*, super *B* factories.

- Science groups within the LQCD Project (USQCD collaboration) are the world leaders in flavor physics.
- Muon $g - 2$ is a new challenge: unacceptable not to rise to it.

Questions?