

# Pion and Kaon Distribution Amplitudes with LaMET

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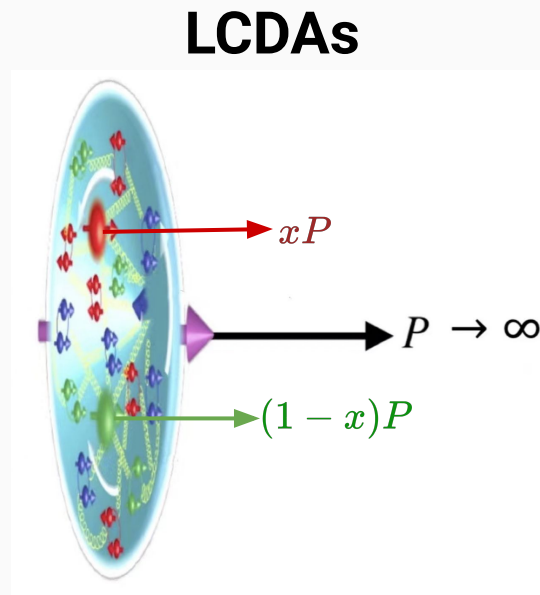
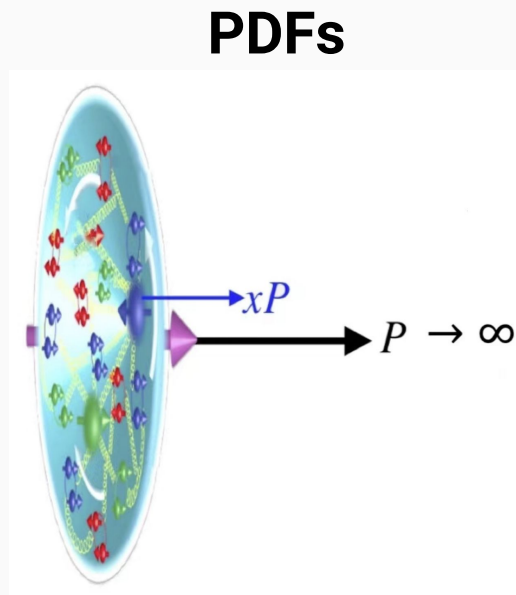
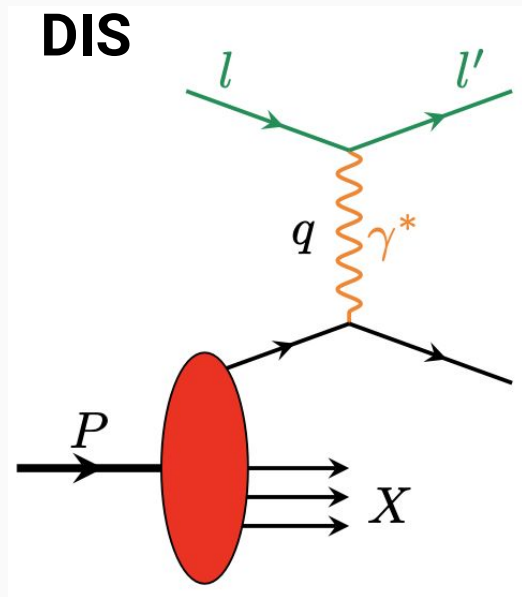
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# Motivation

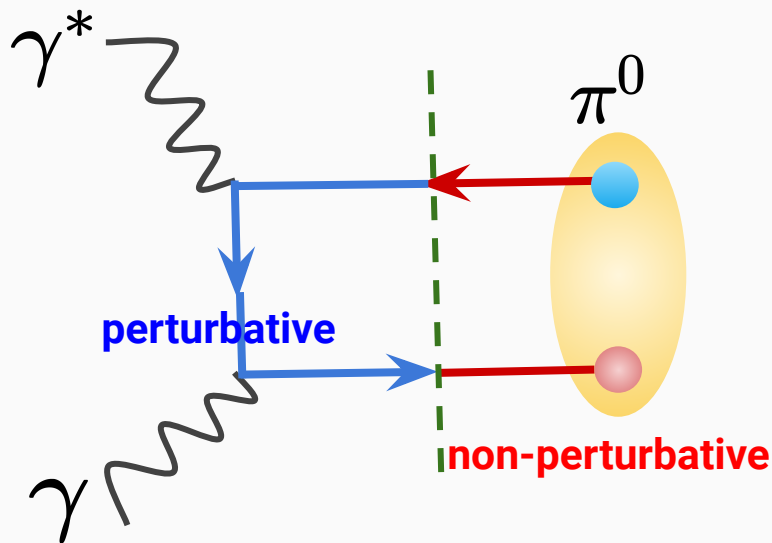
# LCDAs: Inner structure of hadrons

- PDFs: describe the distribution of a single parton
- LCDAs: describe the distribution of **all partons**

$$\phi_\pi(x) = \frac{1}{if_\pi} \int \frac{d\lambda}{2\pi P^+} e^{-i\left(x-\frac{1}{2}\right)\lambda} \langle 0 | O_{\gamma^+\gamma_5}(\lambda n) | \pi(P) \rangle$$



# LCDAs: essential input for exclusive processes



Simplest **exclusive process** to understand QCD factorization

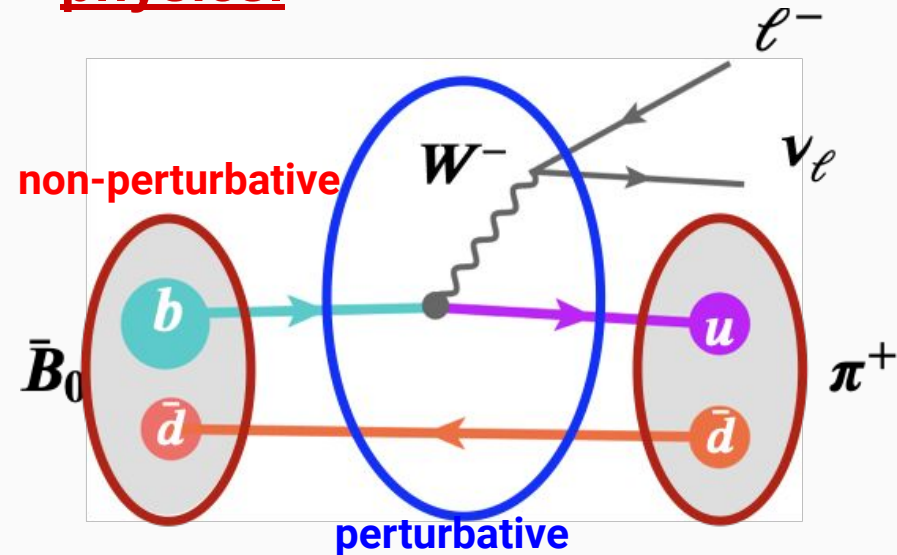
QCD factorization: separate the processes at different energy scales

Decay amplitudes of exclusive process

= hard scattering kernels  $\otimes$  light-cone distribution amplitudes

# LCDAs: essential input for exclusive processes

Exclusive processes provide an ideal platform to search for **new physics**.



- CKM matrix elements

The breaking of **the unitarity** of CKM matrix will give the indication of new physics.

- Rare decays

Sensitive to the beyond-SM contribution.

Decay amplitudes of exclusive process

= hard scattering kernels  $\otimes$  light-cone distribution amplitudes

# LCDAs: theoretical efforts

Four decades

1980



2021

- **Asymptotic LCDAs**

A.V. Efremov et. al., Theor.Math.Phys.42 (1980)

- **Sum rules**

V.L. Chernyak et. al., Nucl.Phys.B 201 (1982)  
Vladimir M. Braun et. al., Z.Phys.C 44 (1989)  
Patricia Ball et. al., JHEP 08 (2007)

- **Lattice calculation with OPE**

G. Martinelli et. al., Phys.Lett.B 190 (1987)  
RQCD Collaboration, JHEP 11 (2020)

- **Quark model**

Choi, Phys.Rev.D 75 (2007)

- **Dyson-Schwinger Equation**

Fei Gao, Phys.Rev.D 90 (2014)  
Craig D.et.al., Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. (2021)

- **Lattice calculation with LaMET**

Zhang, et. al., Phys.Rev.D 95 (2017)  
R. Zhang et.al., Phys.Rev.D 102 (2020)

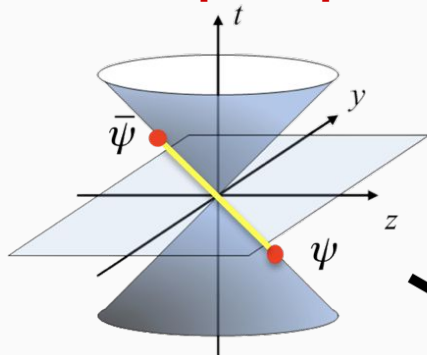
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# LaMET and high precision analysis

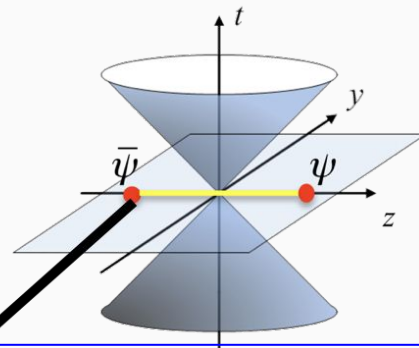


# Large-Momentum Effective Theory(LaMET)

First principle calculations of entire LCDAs became feasible



X. Ji. Parton Physics on a Euclidean Lattice, Phys.Rev.Lett. 110, 262002 (2013).

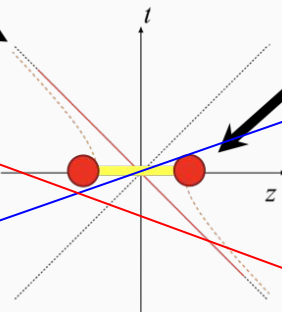


Light-cone distribution:

Separated on the time axis;  
**Cannot be calculated on the lattice**

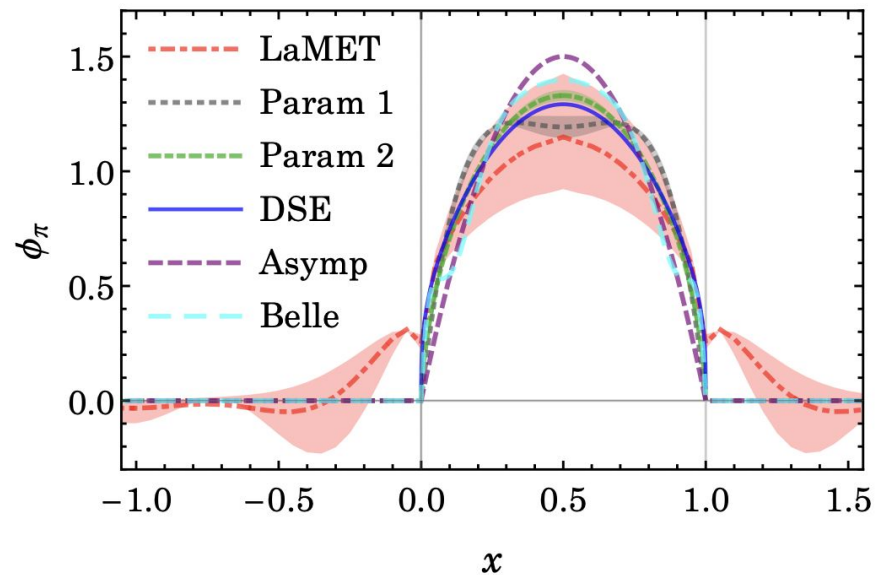
Quasi distribution:

Equal time;  
**Directly calculable on the lattice**



$$\tilde{\phi}_{\pi}(y, P^z, \mu_R, p_R^z) = \int_0^1 dx C_{\pi}\left(y, x, r, \frac{P^z}{\mu}, \frac{P^z}{p_R^z}\right) \phi_{\pi}(x, \mu) + \dots$$

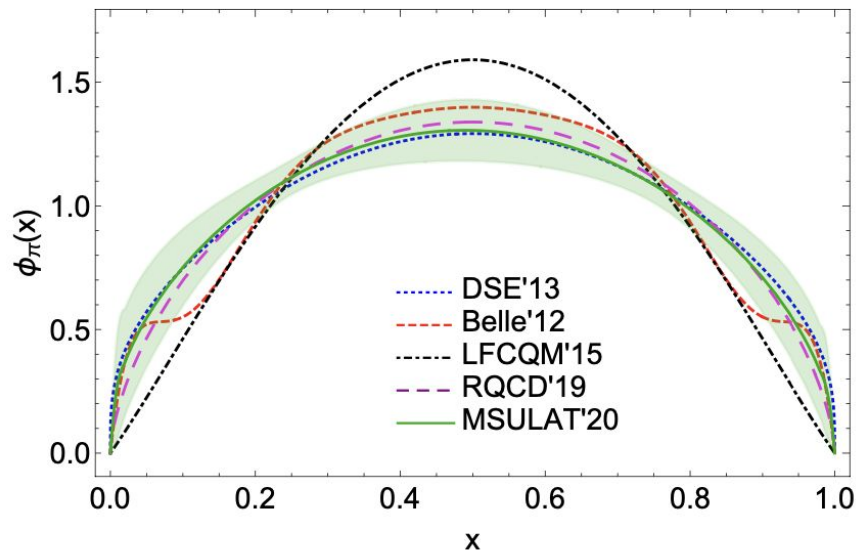
# Lattice calculation of LCDAs with LaMET



J. H. Zhang, et. al., Phys.Rev.D 95 (2017)

Pion mass = 310 MeV;  $a = 0.12$  fm

Wilson-line renormalization



R. Zhang et.al., Phys.Rev.D 102 (2020)

Pion mass = 310 MeV

RI/MOM renormalization

# High precision study with LaMET

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**Physical pion/kaon mass**

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**Self-renormalization**

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**Extrapolation in the coordinate space**

4

Two loop matching... (for further study)

# LCDAs on lattice in LaMET

# Lattice Setup

- 2+1+1 flavors of HISQ action (MILC collaboration)
- 3 lattice spacings: 0.06fm, 0.09fm, 0.12fm
- **Physical pion/kaon mass**
- Momentum: 1.29GeV, 1.72GeV, 2.15GeV
- Gamma factor: 9.21, 12.29, 15.36

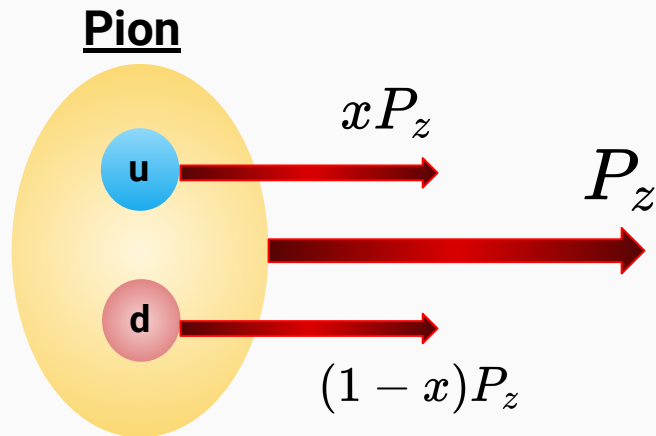
Ensemble	$a(\text{fm})$	$L^3 \times T$	$c_{\text{SW}}$	$m_u/d$	$m_s$
a06m130	0.057	$96^3 \times 192$	1.03493	-0.0439	-0.0191
a09m130	0.088	$64^3 \times 96$	1.04239	-0.0580	-0.0174
a12m130	0.121	$48^3 \times 64$	1.05088	-0.0785	-0.0191

# Leading-twist LCDAs

The leading-twist LCDAs of a pseudoscalar meson:

$$\int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} e^{ixp^+\xi^-} \langle 0 | \bar{\psi}_1(0) \not{n} \gamma_5 U(0, \xi^-) \psi_2(\xi^-) | M(P) \rangle$$
$$= if_M(p \cdot n) \Phi_M(x)$$

$$U(0, \xi^-) = P \exp \left[ ig_s \int_{\xi_-}^0 ds n_+ \cdot A(sn_+) \right]$$



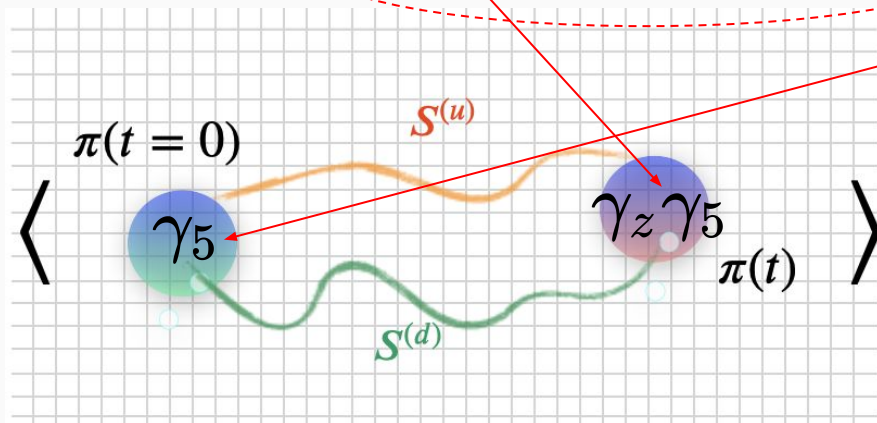
**LCDAs:**  $\Phi_\pi(x, \mu^2)$

**x is the longitudinal momentum fraction**

# Lattice calculation

We simulate on the lattice the quasi-LF correlation:

$$C_2^m(z, \vec{P}, t) = \int d^3 y e^{-i\vec{P} \cdot \vec{y}} \langle 0 | \bar{\psi}_1(\vec{y}, t) \Gamma_1 U(\vec{y}, \vec{y} - z\hat{z}) \psi_2(\vec{y} - z\hat{z}, t) \bar{\psi}_2(0, 0) \Gamma_2 \psi_1(0, 0) | 0 \rangle$$

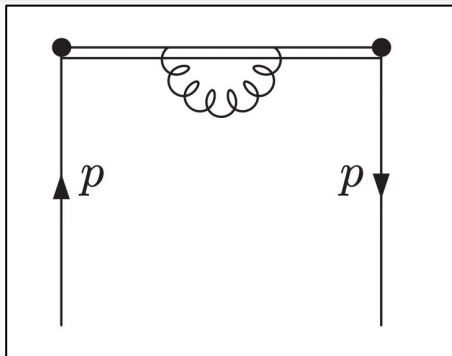


The g.s. quasi-DA can be extracted:

$$\frac{C_2^m(z, \vec{P}, t)}{C_2^m(z=0, \vec{P}, t)} = \frac{H_m^b(z) (1 + c_m(z) e^{-\Delta E t})}{(1 + c_m(0) e^{-\Delta E t})}$$

Normalized g.s.  
Matrix element

# Linear divergence



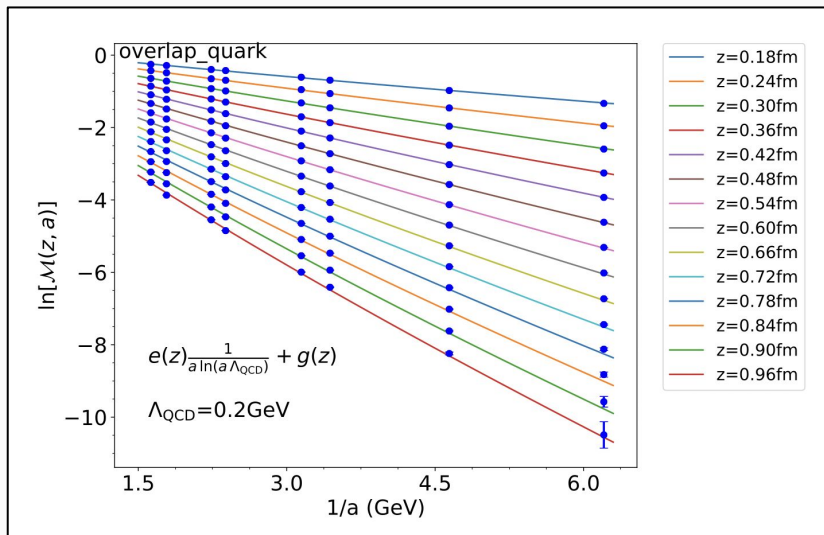
**Linear divergence**: comes from self-energy of Wilson link

**Mass counterterm**:  $\delta m = -\frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} (\pi\Lambda), \Lambda = \frac{1}{a}$

**Lattice spacing**

J. Chen, et.al, Nucl. Phys. B915, 1 (2017)

Y. Huo, et al. Nucl. Phys. B (2021)





# Self-renormalization: hybrid scheme

**Self-renormalization: One fits the divergence structure to zero momentum hadron matrix element and uses it for renormalization.**

$$\ln \mathcal{M}(z, a) = \frac{kz}{a \ln [a\Lambda_{QCD}]} + \underbrace{m_0 z}_{\text{Renormalon ambiguity}} + \underbrace{r(z)}_{\text{Residual}} + \underbrace{f_z a}_{\text{Discretization error}} + \frac{3C_F}{b_0} \ln \left[ \frac{\ln \left[ 1/(a\Lambda_{QCD}) \right]}{\ln [\mu/\Lambda_{QCD}]} \right] + \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{d}{\ln (a\Lambda_{QCD})} \right]$$

Resummation of log divergence

**Renormalization factor:**

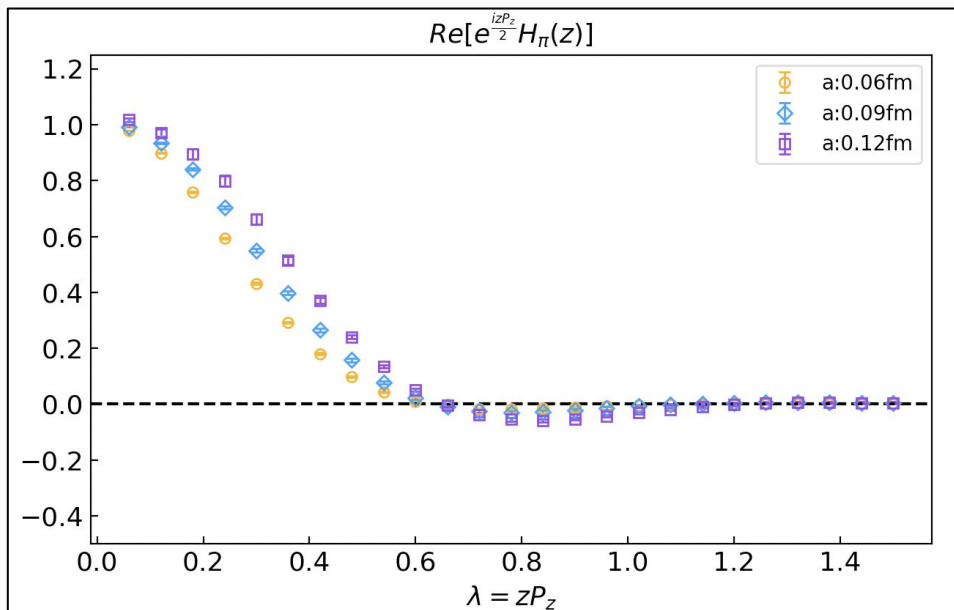
$$\ln(Z(z, a)_R) = \ln \mathcal{M}(z, a) - r(z)$$

**Renormalized matrix element:**

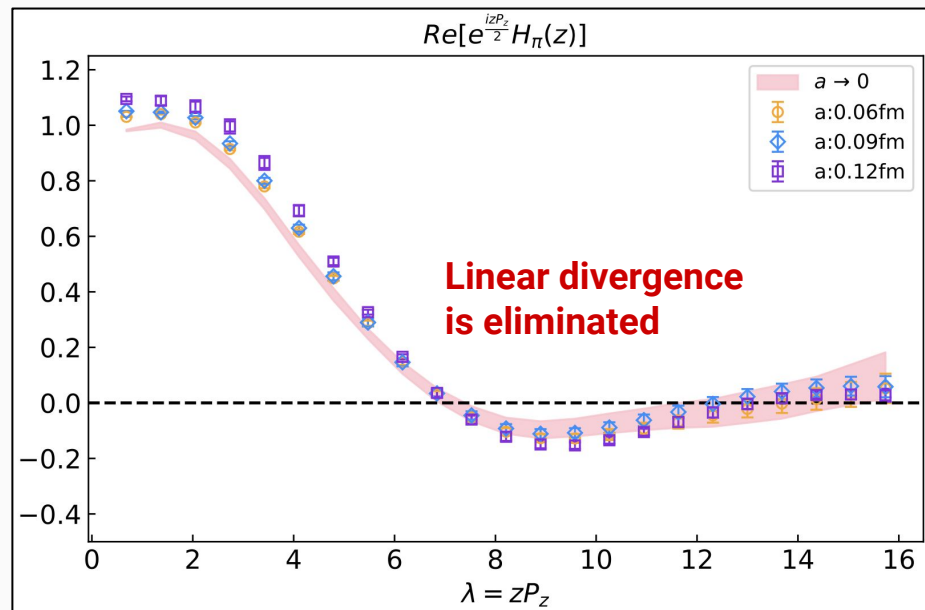
$$H_m^R(z) = \frac{H_m^b(z)}{Z(z, a)_R \cdot Z_{\overline{\text{MS}}}^{\gamma_z \gamma_5}(z, \mu, \Lambda_{\overline{\text{MS}}})}$$

# Self-renormalization: hybrid scheme

## Bare Pion DA



## Renormalized Pion DA

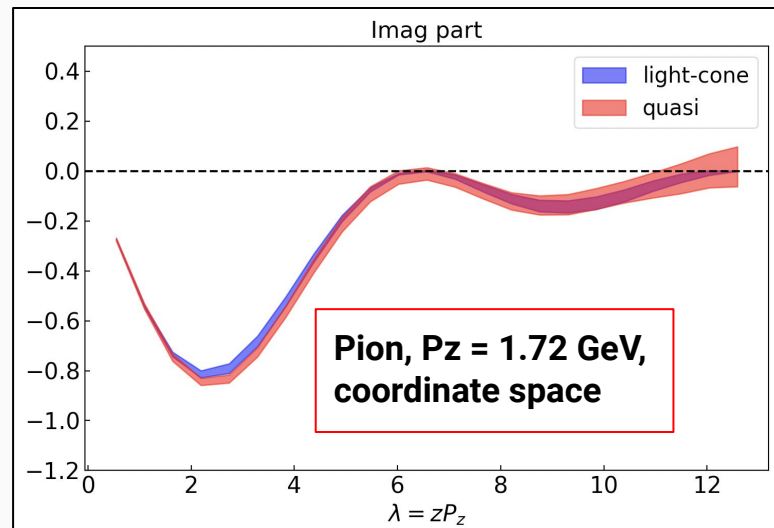
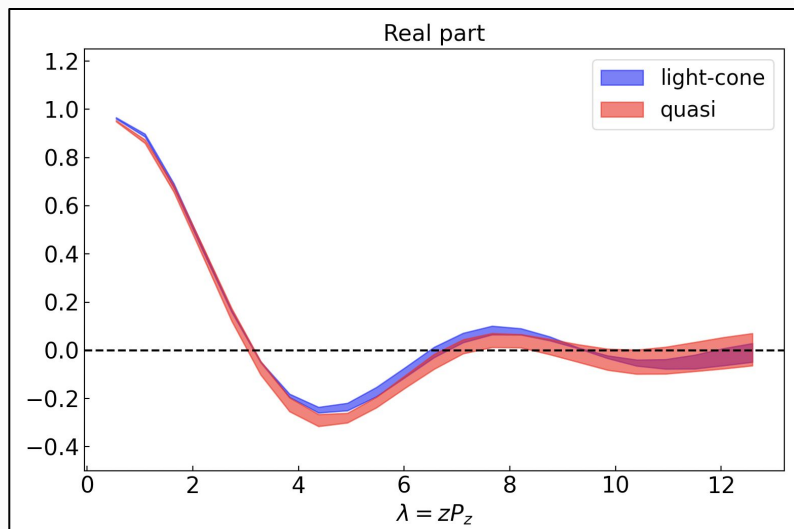


# Inverse matching

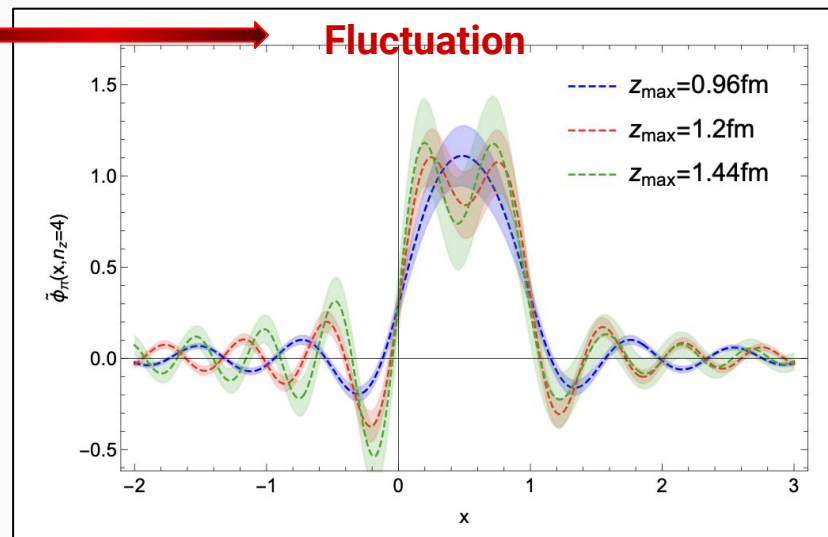
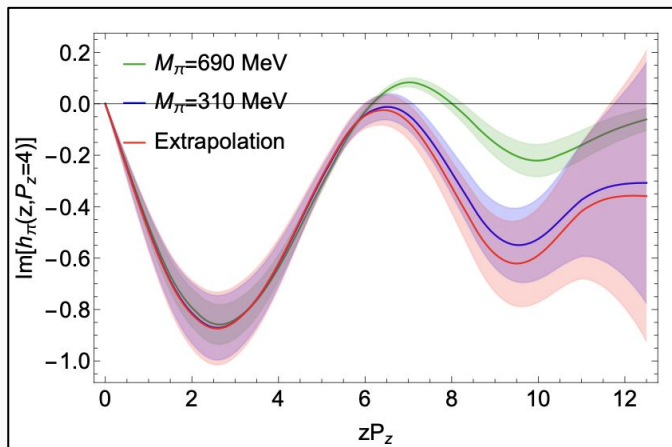
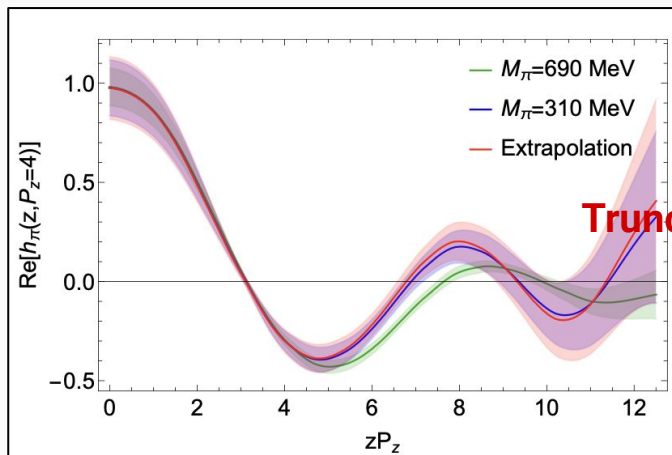
**Factorization**  $\tilde{h}(\lambda, z, \mu_R) = \int_0^\lambda d\lambda' h(\lambda', \mu) C(\lambda, \lambda', \mu) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{M^2}{z^2}, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{z^2}\right)$

**Kernel**  $C(\lambda, \lambda', \mu) = \delta(\lambda - \lambda') + C^{(1)}(\lambda, \lambda', \mu) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$

**Inverse Matching**  $h(\lambda) \approx \tilde{h}(\lambda) - \int_0^\lambda d\lambda' \tilde{h}(\lambda') C^{(1)}$



# Why we need to extrapolate in the coordinate space?



**R. Zhang et.al., Phys.Rev.D 102  
(2020)**

# Extrapolation in the coordinate space

- LCDAs in momentum space

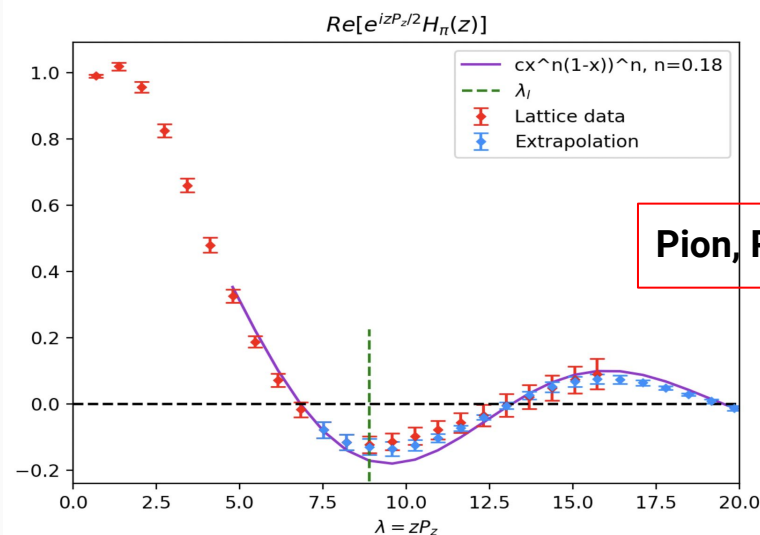
$$\Psi(x) \sim x^a (1-x)^b$$

- FT to the coordinate space

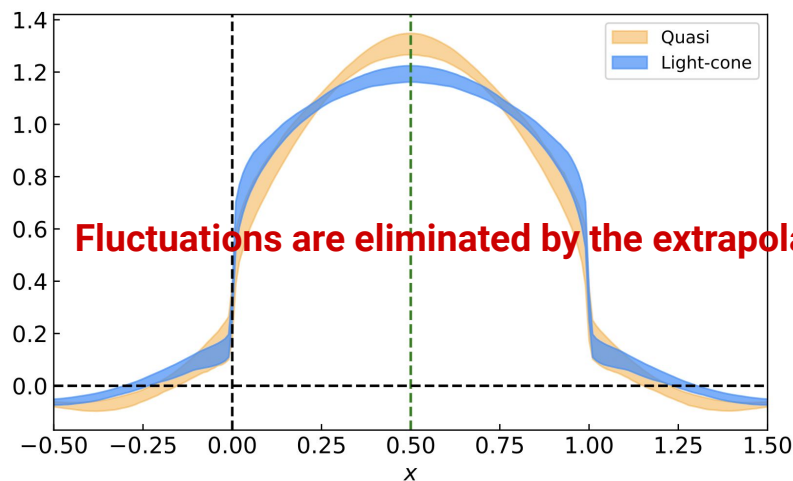
$$h(\lambda) = \int_0^1 dx e^{-ix\lambda} x^a (1-x)^b$$

- Extrapolation form

$$\tilde{H}(z, P_z) = \left[ \frac{c_1}{(-i\lambda)^a} + e^{i\lambda} \frac{c_2}{(i\lambda)^b} \right]$$



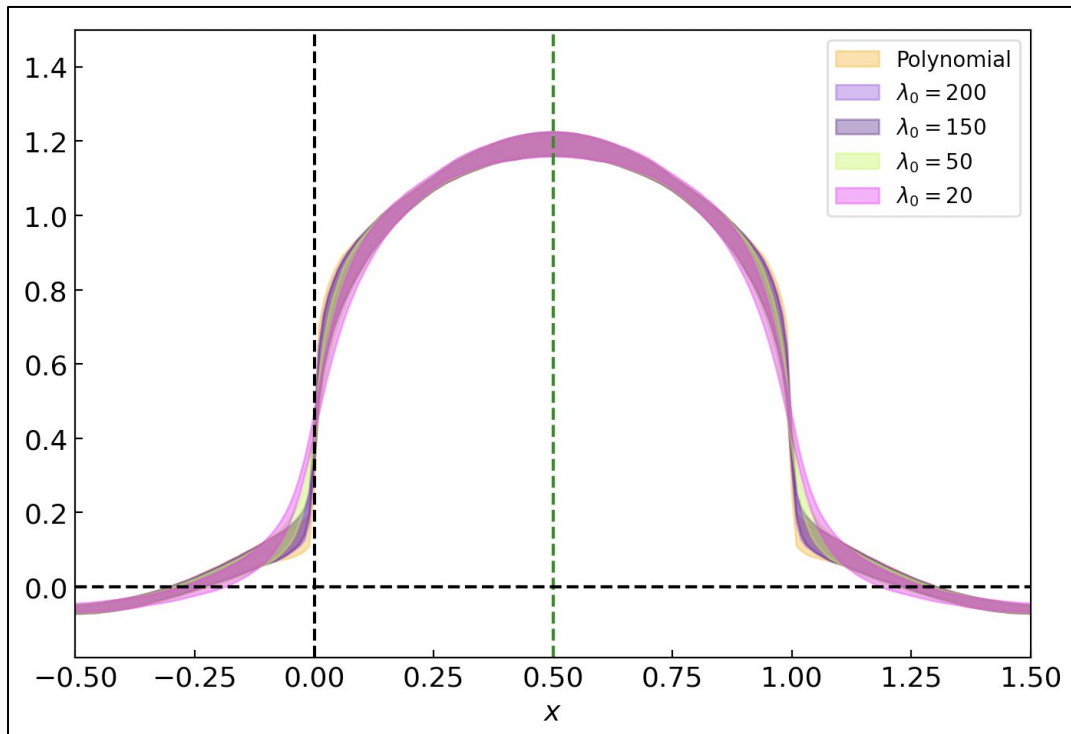
Pion,  $P_z = 2.15 \text{ GeV}$



Fluctuations are eliminated by the extrapolation

# Extrapolate in the coordinate space

Extrapolate with **different forms**: the results of LCDAs are consistent.



Pion,  $P_z = 2.15$  GeV,  
LCDAs in mom space

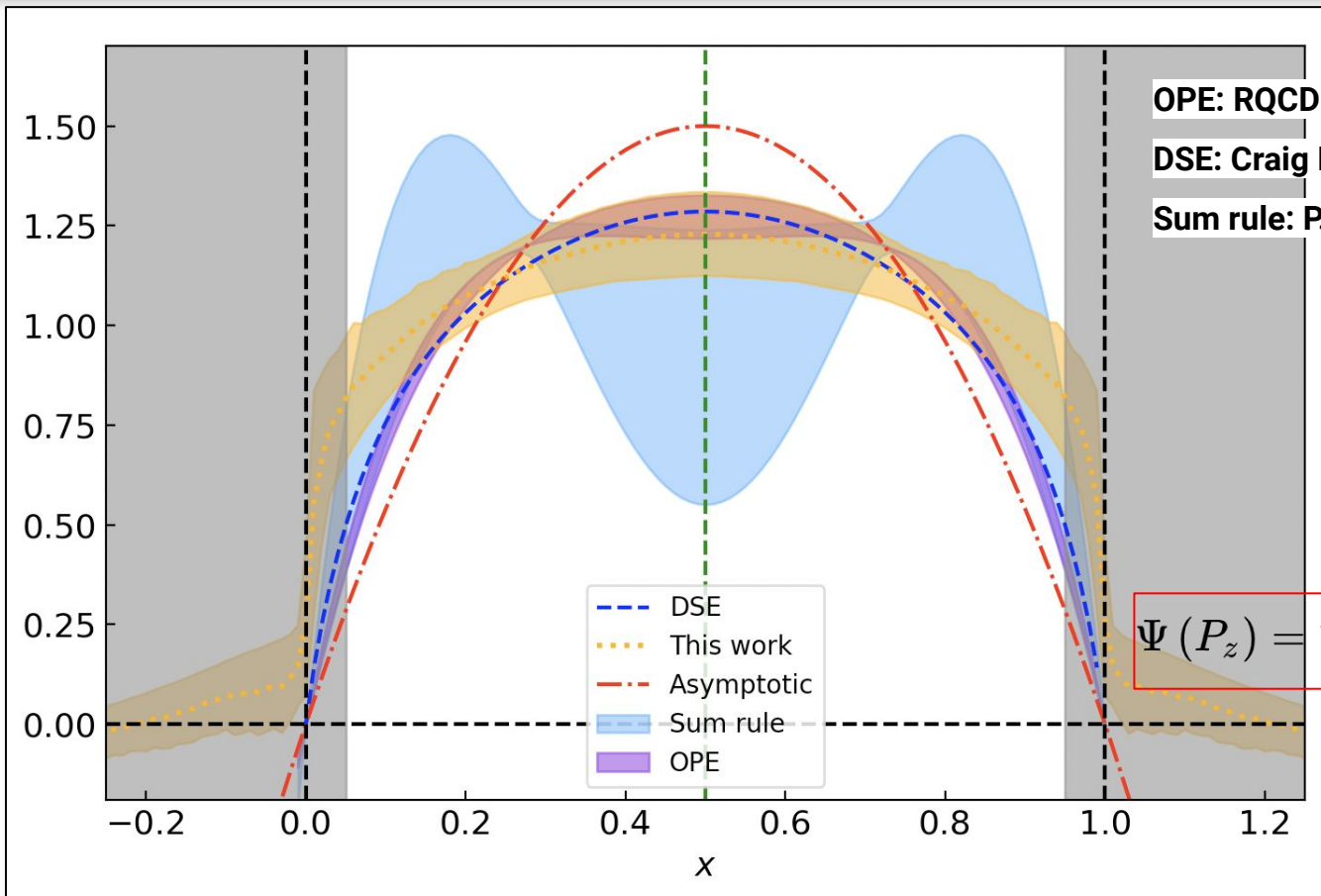
**Polynomial form**

$$\tilde{H}(z, P_z) = \left[ \frac{c_1}{(-i\lambda)^a} + e^{i\lambda} \frac{c_2}{(i\lambda)^b} \right]$$

**Exponential form**

$$\tilde{H}(z, P_z) = \left[ \frac{c_1}{(-i\lambda)^a} + e^{i\lambda} \frac{c_2}{(i\lambda)^b} \right] e^{-\frac{\lambda}{\lambda_0}}$$

# Final results of Pion LCDAs



OPE: RQCD Collaboration, JHEP 11 (2020)

DSE: Craig D.et.al., Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. (2021)

Sum rule: P. Ball et. al., JHEP08 (2007)

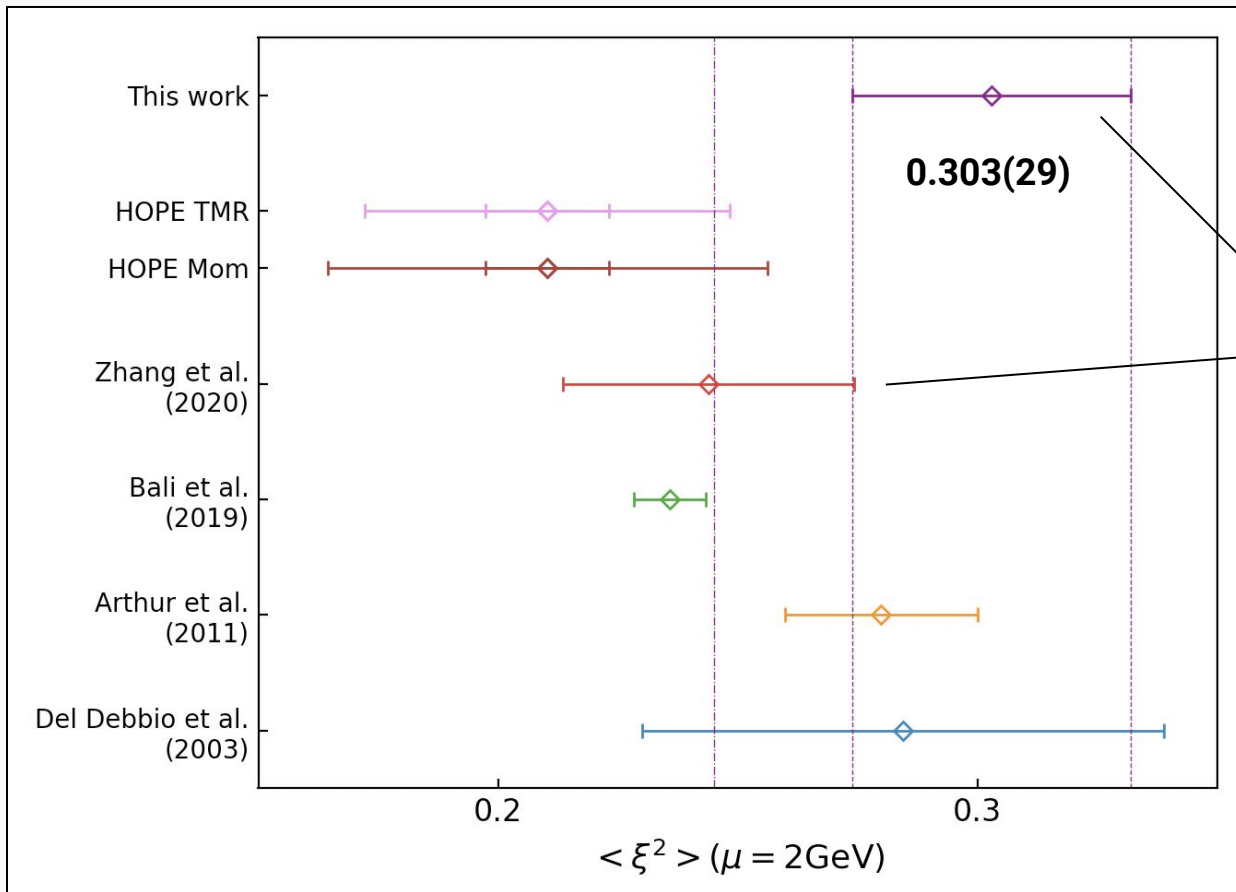
**$P_z = 1.29 \text{ GeV}$**

**$P_z = 1.72 \text{ GeV}$**

**$P_z = 2.15 \text{ GeV}$**

$$\Psi(P_z) = \Psi(P_z \rightarrow \infty) + \frac{c_2}{P_z^2} + O\left(\frac{1}{P_z^4}\right)$$

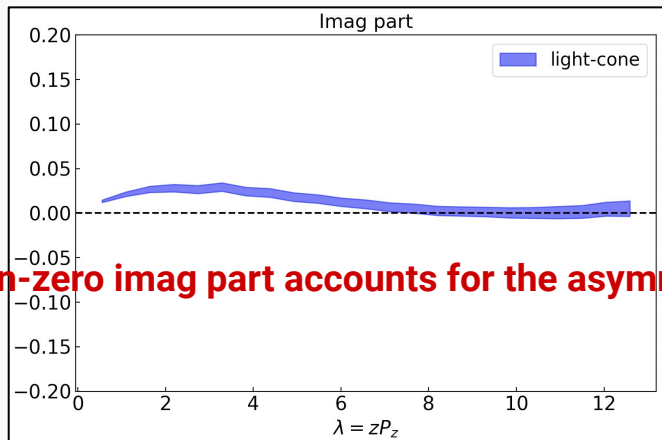
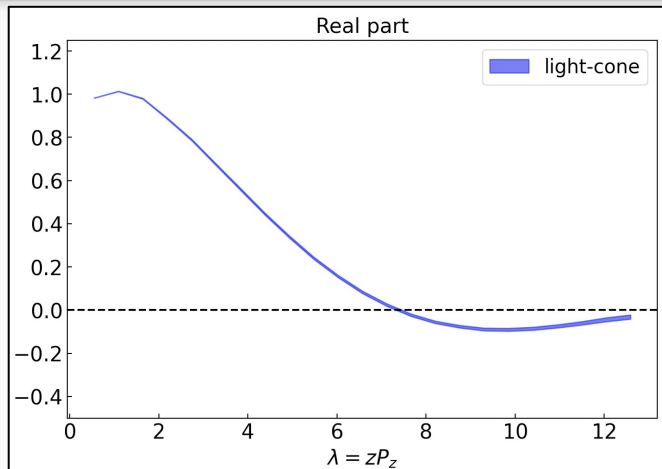
# Mellin moment $\langle \xi^2 \rangle$



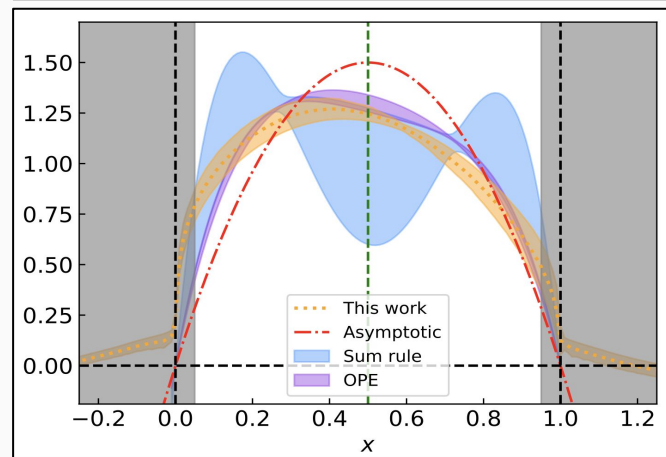
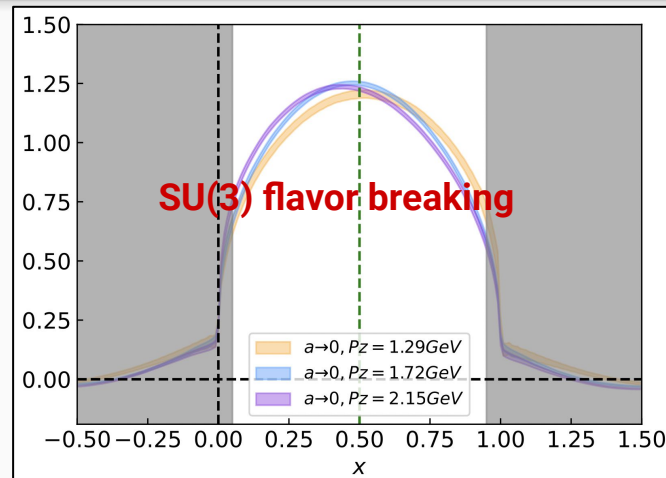
- Renormalization method
- Extrapolation in the coordinate space



# Final results of Kaon LCDAs



Non-zero imag part accounts for the asymmetry



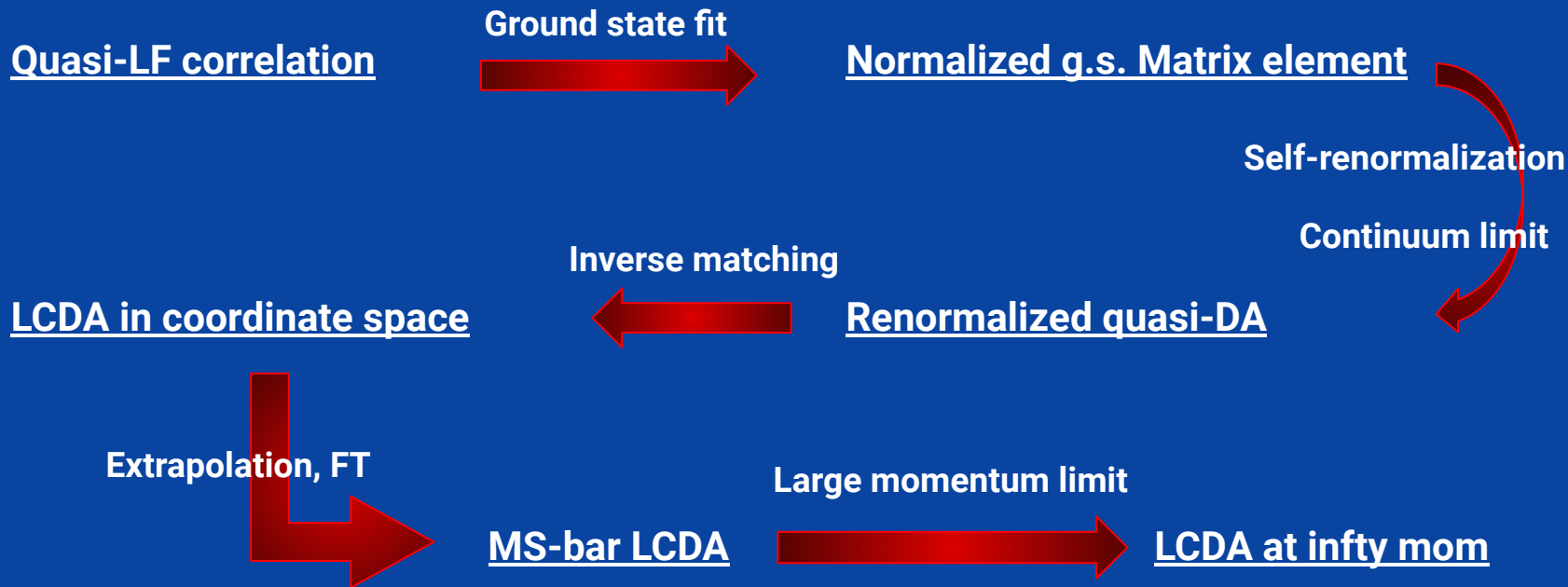
# Summary

- LCDAs are essential inputs for exclusive processes
- We calculated LCDAs on lattice at **physical mass** with LaMET:
  - Hybrid scheme based on self renormalization is **firstly** adopted
  - Extrapolation in the coordinate space to avoid fluctuation in the momentum space
- For further study:
  - High order, Higher twist
  - ...

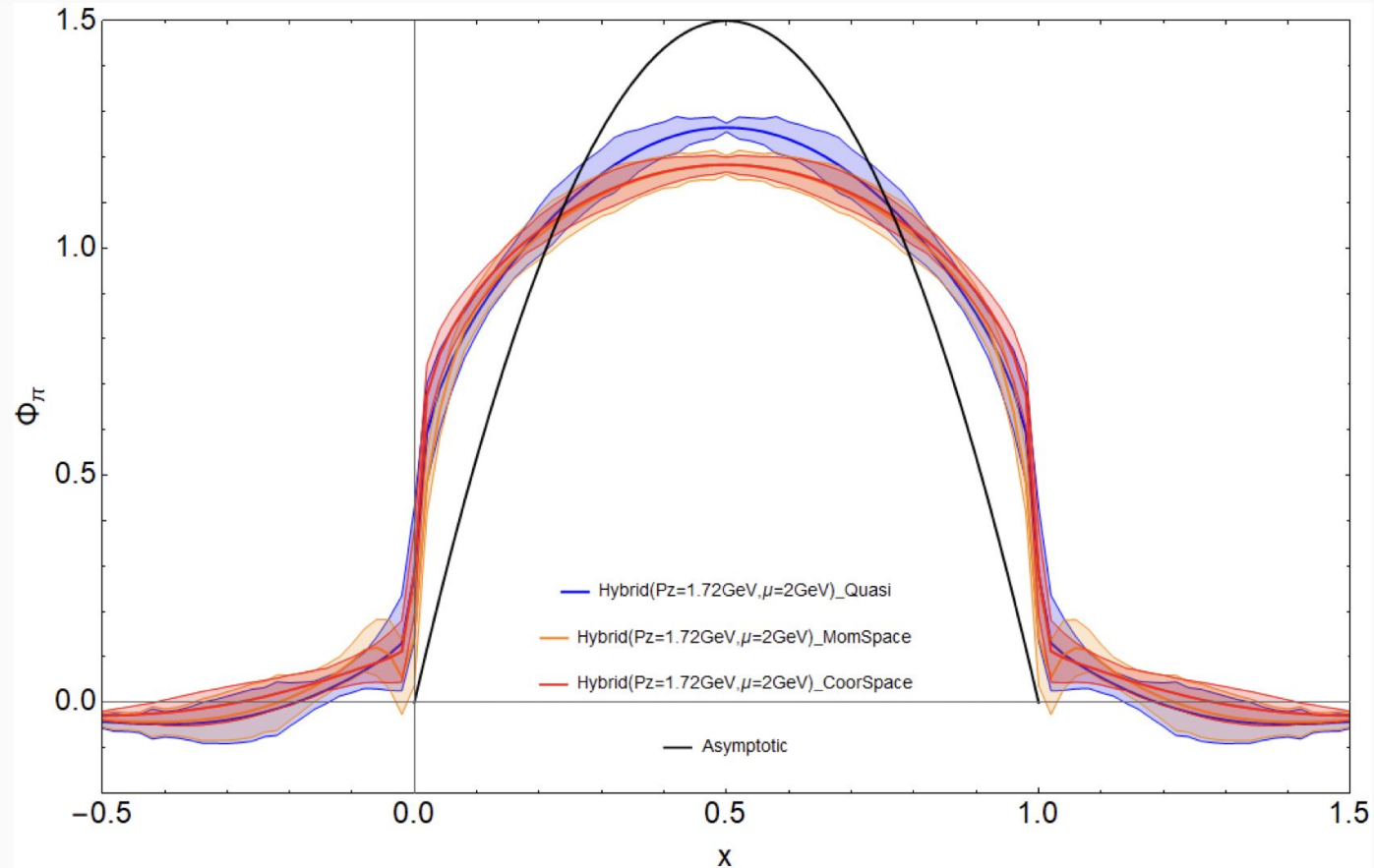
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# Supplement

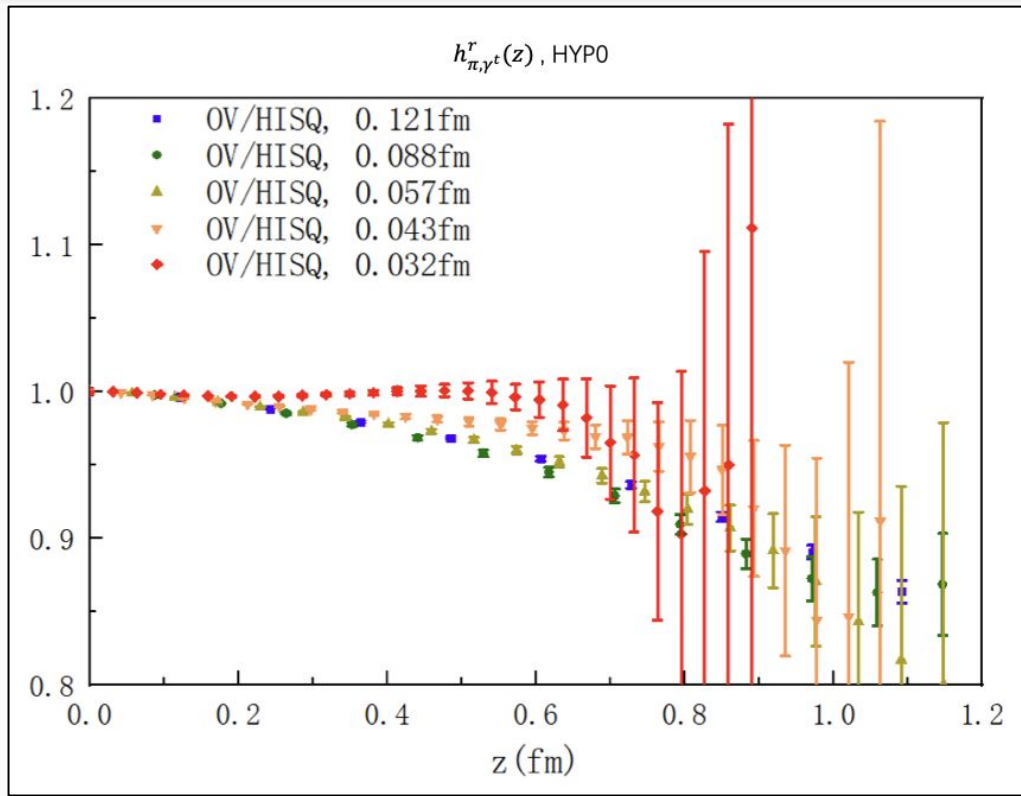
# Pion LCDA in LaMET



# Matching in the coordinate space v.s. matching in the momentum space



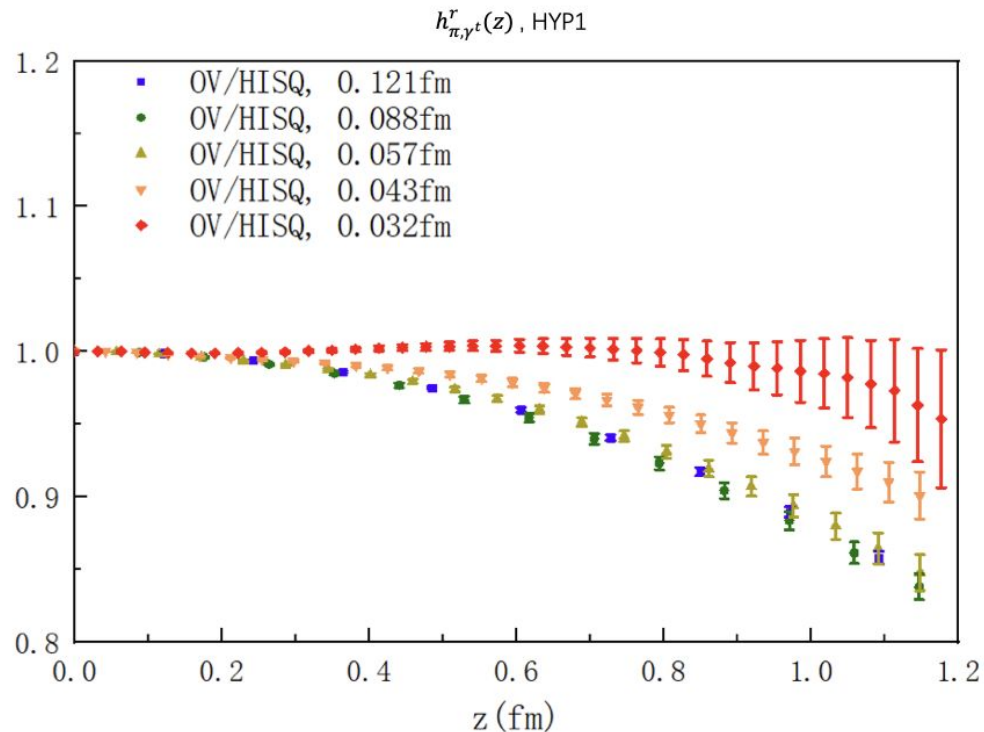
# RI/MOM: residual linear divergence



**RI/MOM cannot eliminate  
all linear divergence**

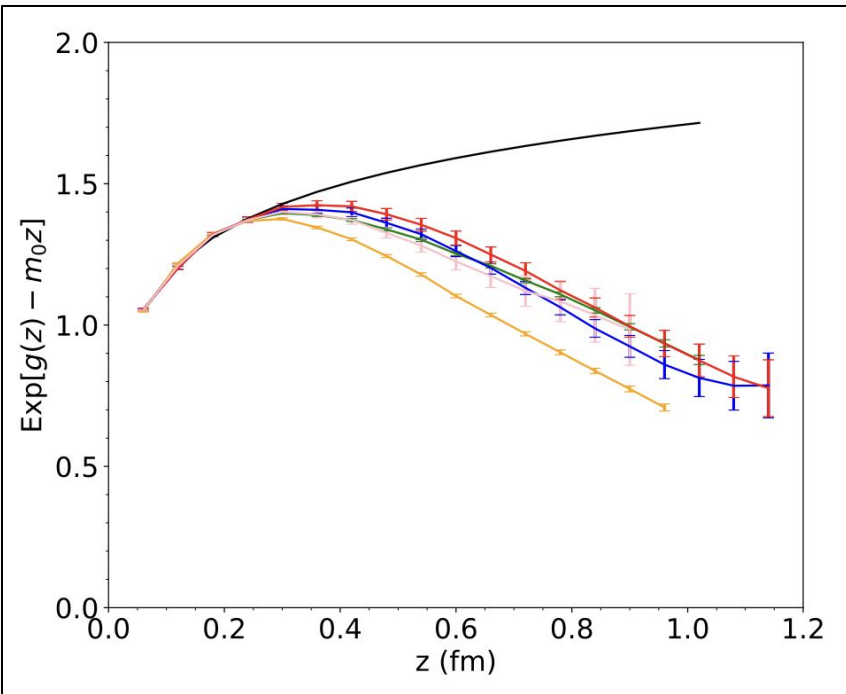
# RI/MOM: residual linear divergences

After RI/MOM renormalization, there are residual linear divergences, which make the continuum extrapolation misleading or even problematic.



$\chi$ QCD Collaboration • Kuan Zhang et al.  
DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevD.104.074501

# RI/MOM renormalization: non-perturbative effects



- $Z_{\overline{\text{MS}}}$ :  $\Lambda_{\overline{\text{MS}}} = 0.3 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\mu = 2 \text{ GeV}$
- $\text{overlap\_quark}$ :  $\delta_{\text{sys}} = 0.002$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.1086(17) \text{ GeV}$ ,  $d = -1.29$ ,  $m_0 = 0.0462(16) \text{ GeV}$
- $\text{clover\_quark}$ :  $\delta_{\text{sys}} = 0.002$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.1350(21) \text{ GeV}$ ,  $d = -1.35$ ,  $m_0 = 0.1513(16) \text{ GeV}$
- $\text{overlap\_Pion}$ :  $\delta_{\text{sys}} = 0.002$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.093(10) \text{ GeV}$ ,  $d = -1.17$ ,  $m_0 = -0.0357(46) \text{ GeV}$
- $\text{clover\_Pion}$ :  $\delta_{\text{sys}} = 0.002$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.086(14) \text{ GeV}$ ,  $d = -0.92$ ,  $m_0 = -0.0715(50) \text{ GeV}$
- $\text{clover\_Nucleon}$ :  $\delta_{\text{sys}} = 0.002$ ,  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.0926(61) \text{ GeV}$ ,  $d = -0.97$ ,  $m_0 = -0.0508(40) \text{ GeV}$

**Quark and hadron have different non-perturbative structure at large  $z$**

Yi-Kai Huo, Yushan Su et al. Nuclear Physics B (2021): 115443



$$\Psi(P_z) = \Psi(P_z \rightarrow \infty) + \frac{c_2}{P_z^2} + O\left(\frac{1}{P_z^4}\right)$$

Large momentum limit: Why start from  $\frac{1}{P_z^2}$

$$\tilde{\Psi}' = C * \Psi = \tilde{\Psi} + O\left(\frac{1}{P_z^2}\right)$$

$$C^{-1} * \tilde{\Psi} = C^{-1} * (\tilde{\Psi}' - O(\frac{1}{P_z^2})) = \Psi - C^{-1} * O(\frac{1}{P_z^2})$$

# Strategy of g.s. Fit: two-state fit cannot extract e.s. successfully

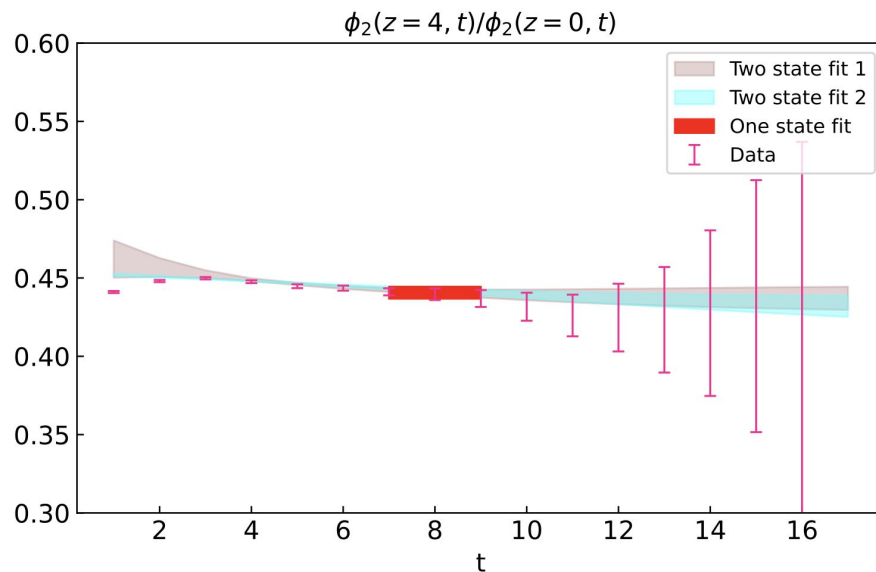
## Two-state fit

1.72 GeV >> 0.14 GeV

$$\frac{C_2^m(z, \vec{P}, t)}{C_2^m(z=0, \vec{P}, t)} = \frac{H_m^b(z)(1+c_m(z)e^{-\Delta Et})}{(1+c_m(0)e^{-\Delta Et})}$$

## One-state fit

$$\frac{C_2^m(z, \vec{P}, t)}{C_2^m(z=0, \vec{P}, t)} = H_m^b(z)$$



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z=4
Least Square Fit:
chi2/dof [dof] = 0.083 [26]    Q = 1    logGBF = 226.45

Parameters:
c0      3.5(1.0)e-06      [ 0.0 (1.0) ]
c1       0.20 (34)       [ 0 (10) ]
c2      1e-19 +- 10      [ 0 (10) ]
E0       0.471 (30)      [ 0 (10) ]
cr_1     0.28 (34)       [ 0.0 (5.0) ]
ci_1     0.30 (33)       [ 0.0 (5.0) ]
deltaE1   0.27 (25)      [ 0.0 (5.0) ]
phi2_re   0.4366 (89)    [ 0 (10) ]
phi2_im  -0.843 (17)     [ 0 (10) ]
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The fit results of coefficients of e.s. cover zero within error