

**Study of an anomalous tau lepton decay  
using a chiral Lagrangian  
with vector mesons**

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$$\tau^- \rightarrow \eta \pi^- \pi^0 \nu_\tau$$

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## Intrinsic Parity violating process

$$\langle \pi^- \pi^0 \eta | \bar{d} \gamma_\mu u | 0 \rangle \simeq \text{Intrinsic Parity violation}$$

$$\langle \pi^- \pi^0 \eta | \bar{d} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u | 0 \rangle \simeq \text{G Parity violation} \sim (m_u - m_d)$$

<b>PDG(Chin.Phys.C)</b>	$(1.39 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-3}$
<b>Belle (PLB 672, 09)</b>	$(1.35 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-3}$

## Interaction

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = -\frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ud}^* \bar{\nu}_\tau \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) \tau \bar{d} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) u$$

## Phase space Phase space

$$d\Gamma = \frac{1}{2m_\tau} |T|^2 dP_s^4$$

$$T = \langle \nu_\tau \eta(p^\eta) \pi^-(p^-) \pi^0(p^0) | T | \tau^- \rangle$$

$dP_s^4$ : Phase space:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{dP_s^4}{dM_{\pi^-\pi^0} dM_{\pi^-\eta} dM_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^5} \frac{m_\tau^2 - M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}^2}{8m_\tau^2} \\ & \times \frac{M_{\pi^-\pi^0} M_{\pi^-\eta}}{M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} \times \frac{d\cos\theta}{2} \frac{d\cos\beta}{2} \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi} \frac{d\gamma}{2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

## Decay distributions

$$\frac{d^3\Gamma}{dM_{\pi^-\pi^0}dM_{\pi^-\eta}dM_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ud}|^2}{(2\pi)^5} \frac{m_\tau^2 - M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}^2}{32m_\tau^3} \frac{M_{\pi^-\pi^0} M_{\pi^-\eta}}{M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} L_{\mu\nu} H^{\mu\nu} \times \frac{d\alpha}{2\pi} \frac{d\gamma}{2\pi} \frac{d\cos\theta}{2} \frac{d\cos\beta}{2}$$

## Hadronic and Leptonic tensor

$$H^{\mu\nu} = J^\mu J^{\nu*}$$

$$L_{\mu\nu} = \bar{u}\gamma_\mu(1 - \gamma_5)u_\tau \bar{u}_\tau\gamma_\nu(1 - \gamma_5)u$$

## Hadronic current

$$J_\mu = \langle \pi^- \pi^0 \eta | \bar{d} \gamma_\mu (\mathbf{1} - \gamma_5) u | 0 \rangle$$

$$J_\mu = V_{1\mu} F_1 + V_{2\mu} F_2 - i V_{3\mu} F_3 + V_{4\mu} F_4$$

$$V_{1\mu} = (p_{\pi^-} - p_{\pi^0})_\mu - Q_\mu \frac{(p_{\pi^-} - p_{\pi^0}) \cdot Q}{Q^2}$$

$$V_{2\mu} = (p_{\pi^0} - p_\eta)_\mu - Q_\mu \frac{(p_{\pi^0} - p_\eta) \cdot Q}{Q^2}$$

$$V_{3\mu} = \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} p_{\pi^-}^\nu p_{\pi^0}^\rho p_\eta^\sigma$$

$$V_{4\mu} = Q_\mu \equiv (p_{\pi^0} + p_\eta + p_{\pi^-})_\mu$$

$F_i$  (i=1-4) are form factors and functions of invariant masses such as  $M_{\pi^- \pi^0}$ ,  $M_{\pi^- \eta}$  and  $M_{\pi^- \pi^0 \eta}$

## Contraction of Lorentz indices

$$L_{\mu\nu}H^{\mu\nu} = 2(m_\tau^2 - M_{\pi-\pi^0\eta}^2) \sum \bar{L}_X W_X$$

$X = A, B, \dots$  16 independent structures (see Khun and Mirkes ZPC. 56(1992)). After taking average over angle variables  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma$ , only three  $X = A, B, SA$  survive

$$\langle \bar{L}_A \rangle = \langle \bar{L}_B \rangle = \frac{2}{3} + \frac{m_\tau^2}{3Q^2} + P \cos \theta \left( \frac{m_\tau^2}{Q^2} - \frac{2}{3} \right)$$

$$\langle \bar{L}_{SA} \rangle = \frac{m_\tau^2}{Q^2} (1 + P \cos \theta)$$



Correspondingly Hadronic tensor  $W_A, W_B, W_{SA}$  are given as follows

$$W_A = |x_1 F_1 + x_2 F_2|^2 + x_3^2 \left[ \left| F_1 - \frac{F_2}{2} \right|^2 + \frac{3|F_2|^2}{4} \right]$$

$$W_B = x_4^2 |F_3|^2, \quad W_{SA} = Q^2 |F_4|^2$$

## Distribution functions of three invariant masses

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{d^3\Gamma}{dM_{\pi^-\pi^0}dM_{\pi^-\eta}dM_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ud}|^2 M_{\pi^-\pi^0} M_{\pi^-\eta}}{(2\pi)^5 M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}} \\
 & \frac{(m_\tau^2 - M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}^2)^2}{16m_\tau^3} \times \sum_{X=A,B,SA} \langle \bar{L}_X \rangle W_X \\
 & \sum_{X=A,B,SA} \langle \bar{L}_X \rangle W_X = \left( \frac{2}{3} + \frac{m_\tau^2}{3Q^2} \right) (W_A + W_B) \\
 & \quad + \frac{m_\tau^2}{Q^2} W_{SA} \quad (Q^2 = M_{\pi^-\pi^0\eta}^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

## Chiral Lagrangian with vector mesons including isospin and intrinsic parity violating effects

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & \frac{f^2}{4} \text{Tr}(D_L U D_L U^\dagger) + B \text{Tr}[M_q (U + U^\dagger)] \\ & - i g_{2p} \text{Tr}(\xi M_q \xi - \xi^\dagger M_q \xi^\dagger) \cdot \eta_0 \\ & + \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \eta_0 \partial^\mu \eta_0 - \frac{M_0^2}{2} \eta_0^2 + M_V^2 \text{Tr} \left[ \left( V_\mu - \frac{\alpha_\mu}{g} \right)^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\xi = \exp\left(i \frac{\pi}{f}\right) \quad U = \xi^2 \quad D_{L\mu} U = (\partial_\mu + i A_{L\mu})$$

Isospin breaking  $m_u \neq m_d$  leads to mixings  $\pi^0$ ,  $\eta$ ,  $\eta'$

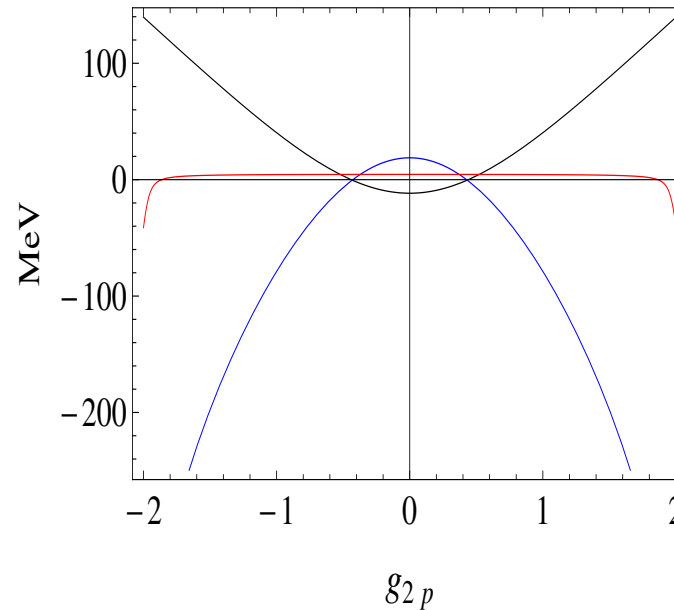
$$M_q = \begin{pmatrix} m_u & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_d & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & m_s \end{pmatrix}$$

$M^2$  neutral pseudoscalar mass matrix in  $(\pi^0, \eta_8, \eta_0)$  basis.

$$\Delta M_K = M_{K^+}^2 - M_{K^0}^2, \quad \Sigma M_K = M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} M_{\pi^+}^2 & * & * \\ \frac{\Delta M_K}{\sqrt{3}} & \frac{2(\Sigma M_K) - M_{\pi^+}^2}{3} & * \\ -\hat{g}_{2p}(\Delta M_K) & \frac{\hat{g}_{2p}(\Sigma M_K - 2M_{\pi^+}^2)}{\sqrt{3}} & M_{00}^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

With  $\text{Tr}[M^2] = M_{\pi^0}^2 + M_{\eta}^2 + M_{\eta'}^2$ , one can determine  $\hat{g}_{2p}$  so that it reproduces mass eigenvalues.



**Figure 1:  $\Delta m$ =eigenvalue—physical value fo neutral meson masses. (Black for  $\eta'$ , Blue for  $\eta$ , and Red is for  $\pi^0$ ) The horizontal axis is the coupling constant  $\hat{g}_{2p}$ .**

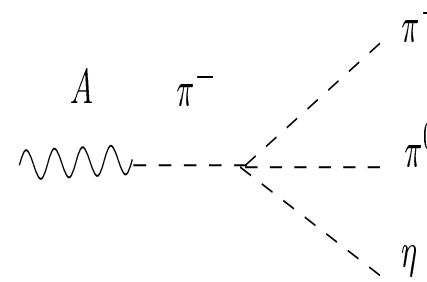
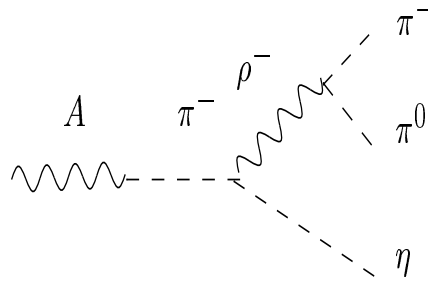
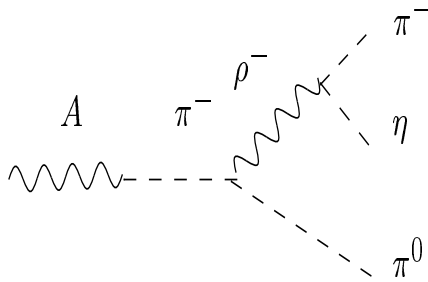
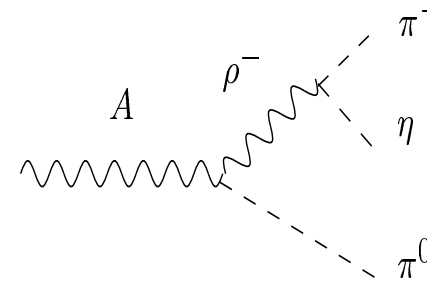
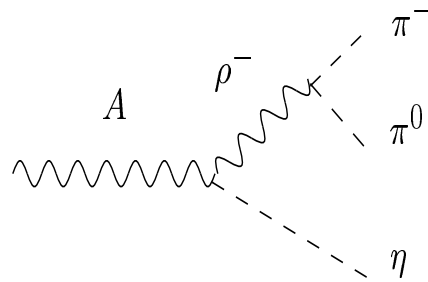
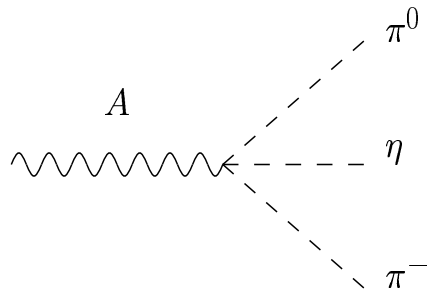
$|\hat{g}_{2p}| = 0.43 \sim 0.44$  leads to a good fit for masses  $\eta'$  and  $\eta$ .  $\Delta m_\pi \simeq 5$  (MeV) remains. Below, we show the orthogonal matrix  $O$  for  $\hat{g}_{2p} = -0.43$ .

$$O = \begin{pmatrix} 0.999959 & -0.00900404 & -0.00137294 \\ 0.00859435 & 0.982629 & -0.185383 \\ 0.00301846 & 0.185363 & 0.982665 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 \\ \eta_8 \\ \eta^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} O_{11} & O_{12} & O_{13} \\ O_{21} & O_{22} & O_{23} \\ O_{31} & O_{32} & O_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \Pi^0 \\ \eta \\ \eta' \end{pmatrix}$$

# Contribution to Form factors for axial current

$$\langle \pi^0 \pi^- \eta | \bar{d} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d | 0 \rangle = V_{1\mu} F_1 + V_{2\mu} F_2 + V_{4\mu} F_4$$





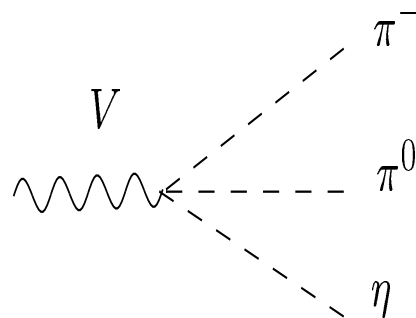
Intrinsic Parity violating terms:

(1) Wess Zumino term of chiral anomaly:

$$\mathcal{L}_{WZ} = \frac{i}{\pi^2 f^3} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{tr} V_\mu \partial_\nu \pi \partial_\rho \pi \partial_\sigma \pi.$$

$$\langle \pi^- \pi^0 \eta | \bar{d} \gamma^\mu u | 0 \rangle = \frac{(O_{11} O_{22} - O_{12} O_{21})}{2\sqrt{6} \pi^2 f^3} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} p_\nu^- p_\rho^0 p_\sigma^\eta.$$

contributes to the form factor  $F_3$  of the vector current.



Other intrinsic parity violating interactions

such as  $\rho \rightarrow \pi\pi\eta, V\rho\eta$

Fujiwara et.al. PTP.73(1985) with corrections.

$$\mathcal{L}^{IPV} = \sum_{i=1,2,4} C_i \mathcal{L}_i$$

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = i\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[\alpha_{L\mu}\alpha_{L\nu}\alpha_{L\rho}\alpha_{R\sigma} - (R \leftrightarrow L)],$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = i\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}[\alpha_{L\mu}\alpha_{R\nu}\alpha_{L\rho}\alpha_{R\sigma}],$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = -\frac{1}{2}\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \text{Tr}F_{V\mu\nu}[\alpha_{L\rho}\alpha_{R\sigma} - (R \leftrightarrow L)].$$

## definition

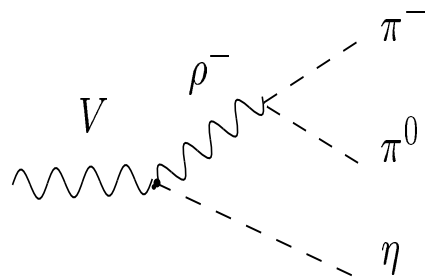
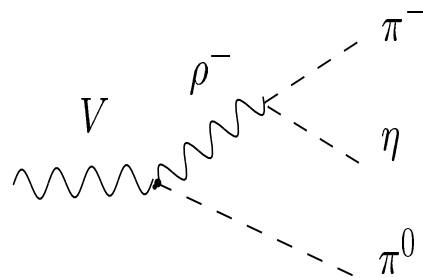
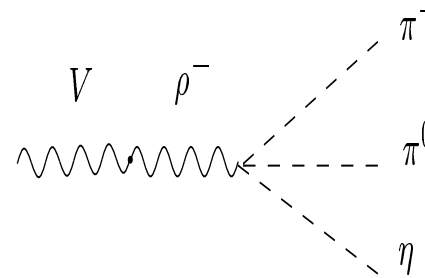
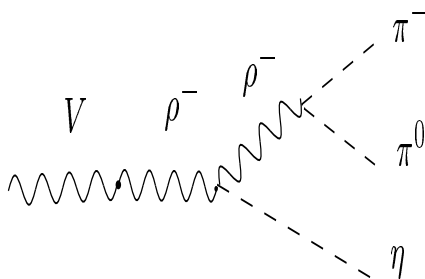
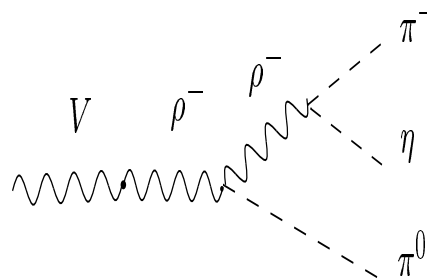
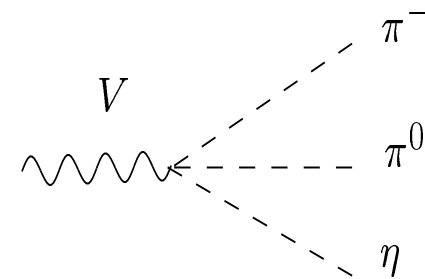
$$\alpha_{L\mu} = \alpha_\mu + \alpha_{\perp\mu} - gV_\mu$$

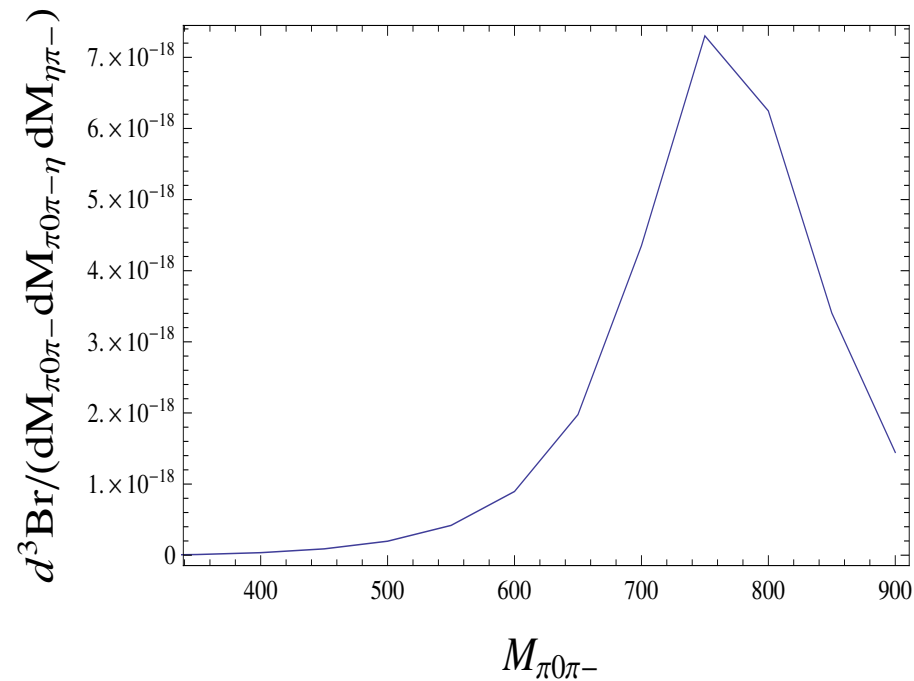
$$\alpha_{R\mu} = \alpha_\mu - \alpha_{\perp\mu} - gV_\mu$$

$$\alpha_\mu = \frac{1}{2i}(\xi^\dagger D_{L\mu}\xi + \xi\partial_\mu\xi^\dagger)$$

$$\alpha_{\perp\mu} = \frac{1}{2i}(\xi^\dagger D_{L\mu}\xi - \xi\partial_\mu\xi^\dagger)$$

$$F_{V\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu V_\nu - \partial_\nu V_\mu + ig[V_\mu, V_\nu]$$

$V\rho\eta$  $V\rho\pi$  $\rho\pi\pi\eta$  $\rho\rho\eta$  $\rho\rho\pi$  $V\pi\pi\eta$ 



**Figure 2: Differential branching distribution for  $\tau^- \rightarrow \eta\pi^0\pi^-$ . The unit is  $\text{MeV}^{-3}$ .  $M_{\pi^0\pi^-\eta} = 1500$  (MeV)  $M_{\eta\pi^-} = 900$ (MeV)  $300$ (MeV)  $< M_{\pi^0\pi^-} < 900$ (MeV).  $C_1 = C_2 = C_4 = 1$  is chosen.**

**1 We study intrinsic parity violating process**

$$\tau^- \rightarrow \eta \pi^- \pi^0 \nu.$$

**2 Chiral Lagrangian with explicit isospin breaking and intrinsic parity violation is adopted. With this Lagrangian, the non-vanishing contribution to the axial vector form factor ( $F_1, F_2, F_4$ ) are computed. We add intrinsic parity violating interactions and compute the vector form factor  $F_3$ . (Three free parameters  $C_1, C_2, C_4$ .)**

**3 We show the differential rate for three invariant masses for the case  $C_i = 1$  and found the peak**

of  $\rho^-$  meson for the distribution with respect to  $M_{\pi^-\pi^0}$ . More serious comparison and fitting with Belle's data will be shown in the near future.