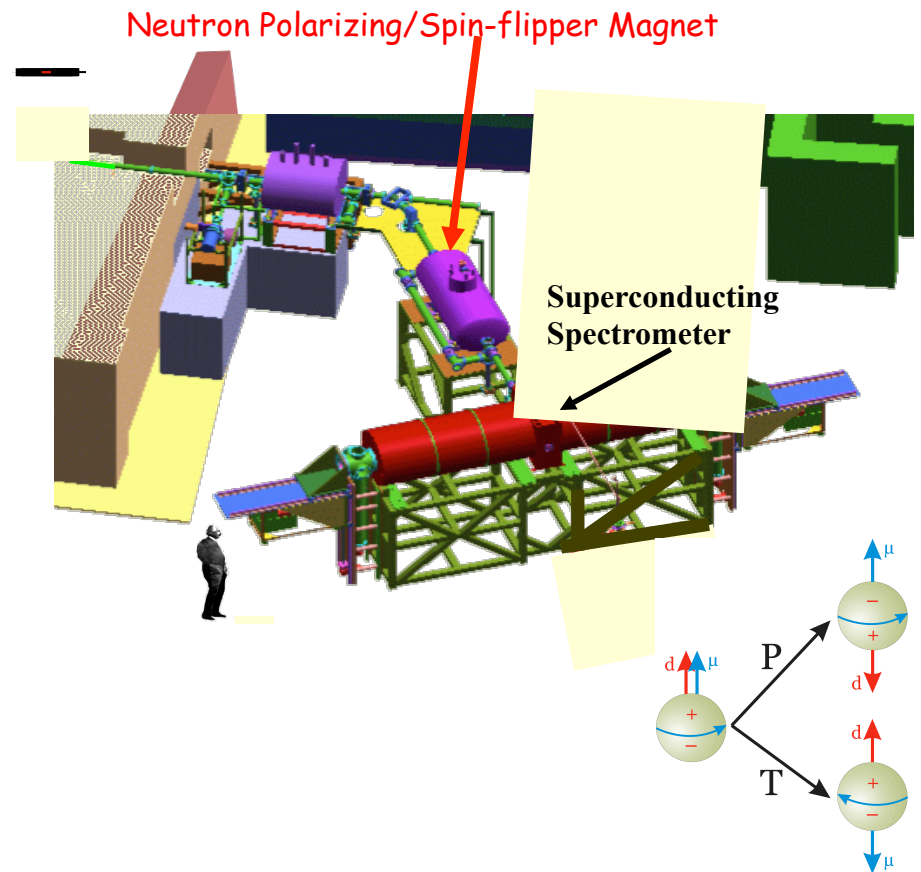


Exploring Novel Physics at the TeV Scale through Lattice QCD Simulations of the Nucleon

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Outline

- Probing novel scalar and tensor interactions at the TeV scale in neutron β -decay
- Lattice QCD calculations of the matrix elements
- Novel CP violation and Neutron EDM

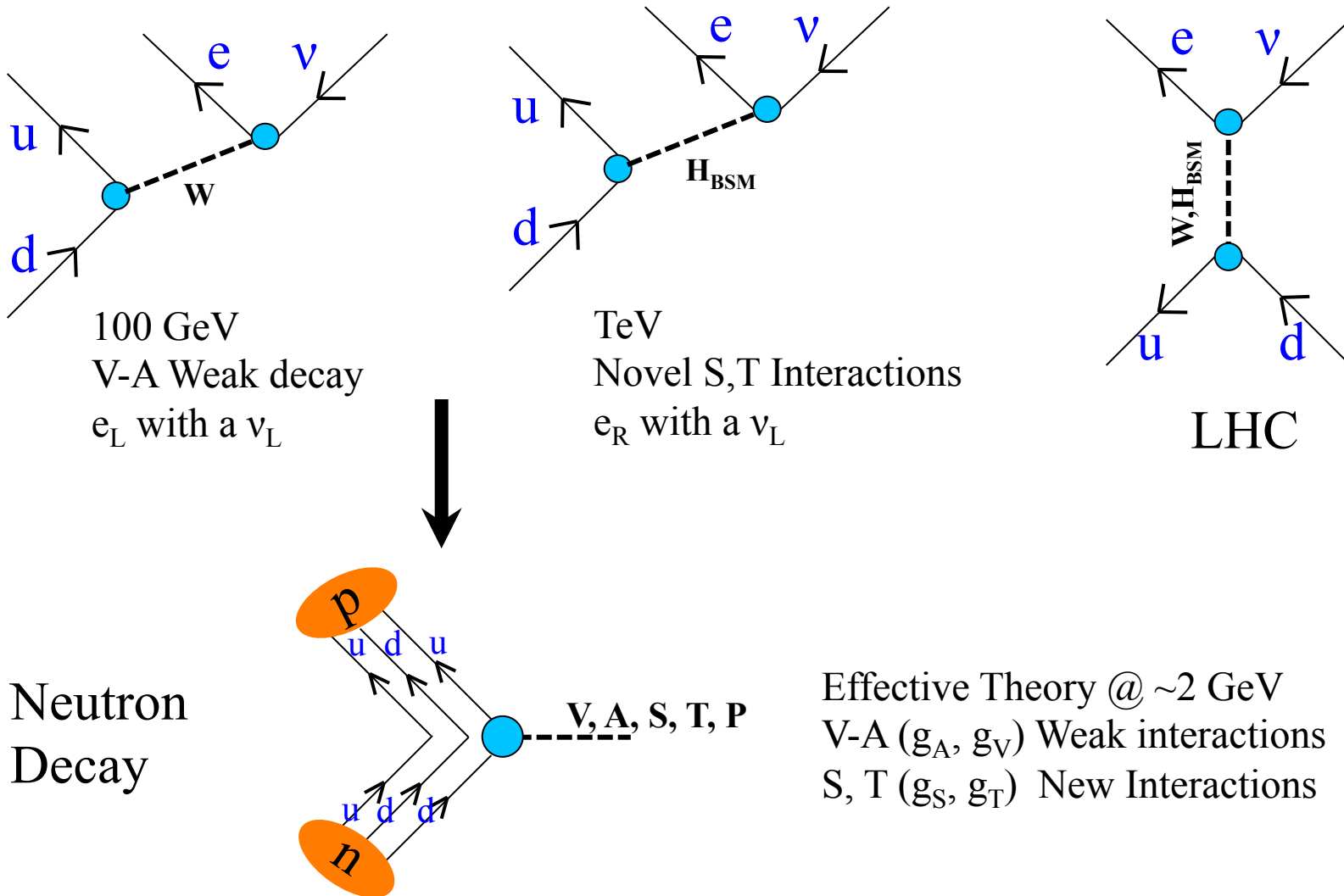
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- Saul Cohen (Google), Huey-Wen Lin (Berkeley)

Novel Scalar and Tensor Interactions

Probing New Interactions: $M_{\text{BSM}} \gg M_W \gg 1 \text{ GeV}$

Many BSM possibilities for novel Scalar & Tensor interactions: Higgs-like, leptoquark, loop effects, ...



Novel S and T interactions at TeV scale

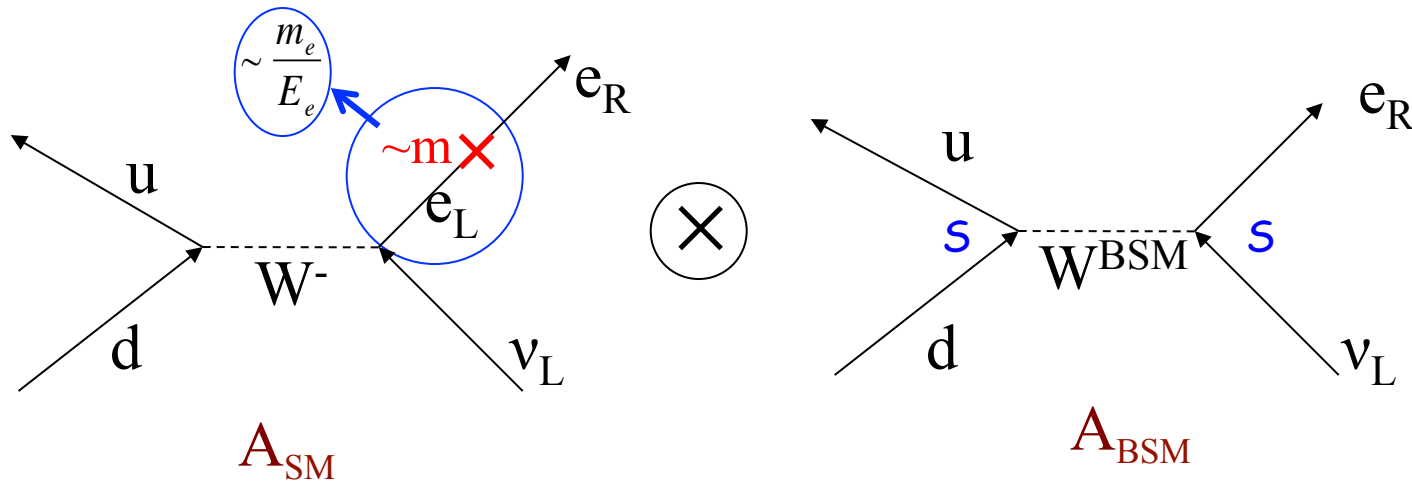
→ Effective Theory at ~ 1 GeV

$$H_{\text{eff}} = G_F \left[J_{V-A}^{\text{lept}} \times J_{V-A}^{\text{quark}} + \sum_{n=1,10} \epsilon_n^{\text{BSM}} \hat{O}_n \right]$$

$$\epsilon_S \bar{u}d \times \bar{e}(1 - \gamma_5)\nu_e$$

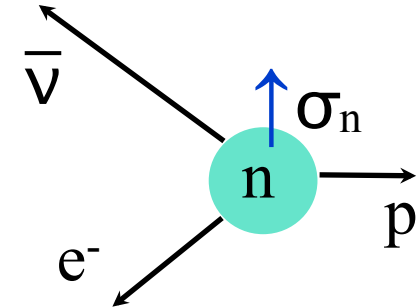
$$\epsilon_T \bar{u}\sigma_{\mu\nu}d \times \bar{e}\sigma^{\mu\nu}(1 - \gamma_5)\nu_e$$

At leading order, contributions from BSM physics arise due to interference of A_{SM} and A_{BSM} and contribute to b and B_1 only through ϵ_S and ϵ_T



[Ultra]Cold Neutron Decay: Parameters sensitive to new physics

Neutron decay can be parameterized as



$$d\Gamma \propto F(E_e) \left[1 + b \frac{m_e}{E_e} + \left(B_0 + B_1 \frac{m_e}{E_e} \right) \frac{\vec{\sigma}_n \cdot \vec{p}_\nu}{E_\nu} + \dots \right]$$

- b***: Deviations from the leading order electron spectrum:
Fierz interference term
- B₁***: Energy dependent part of antineutrino correlation
with neutron spin

Physics Case $n \rightarrow pe\bar{\nu}$: (BSM/SM) $\sim O(1)$

- Couplings $\varepsilon_{P,S,T}$ $\sim (v/\Lambda_{\text{BSM}})^2 \sim 10^{-3}$
- SM contribution ($\sim 10^{-3}$) and known to ($\sim 10^{-5}$): contribution is controlled by 2 small parameters $(M_n - M_p)/M_n$ and α/π
- Radiative corrections: $\alpha/\pi \sim 10^{-3}$
- Isospin-breaking: $(M_N - M_p)/M_N \sim q/M_N \sim 10^{-3}$
- Recoil corrections: $q/M_N \sim 10^{-3}$
- UCN: smaller Doppler broadening of e spectrum
- Unique: scalar and tensor BSM interactions involve helicity-flip (m_e/E_e suppression) and are hard to detect in high energy experiments

Physics program

- *In order to bound ϵ_S and ϵ_T and quantify significance of the results, we are pursuing an integrated experimental and theoretical program*

$$\mathbf{b} = f_b (\epsilon_{S,T} \mathbf{g}_{S,T})$$
$$\mathbf{B}_1 = f_B (\epsilon_{S,T} \mathbf{g}_{S,T})$$

$$g_S \sim \langle p | \bar{u} d | n \rangle$$

$$g_T \sim \langle p | \bar{u} \sigma_{\mu\nu} d | n \rangle$$

Measure these quantities
with UCNs

Calculate these hadronic
matrix elements using
Lattice QCD

Analyze bounds on ϵ_S and ϵ_T from multiple
measurements (including LHC signals).
Examine BSM extensions

Relating b and B_1 to BSM couplings

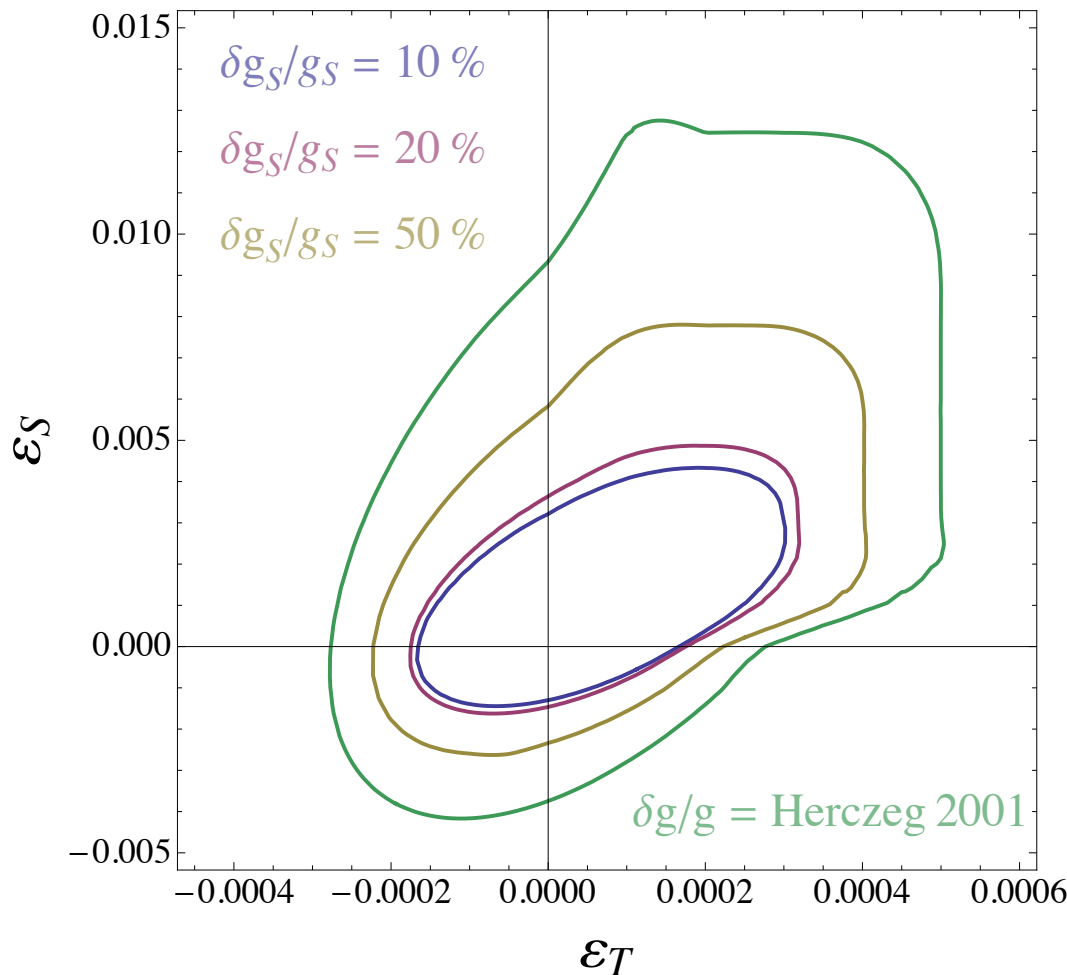
Linear order relations: $n \rightarrow p e \nu$ decay

$$b^{BSM} \approx 0.34 g_S \varepsilon_S - 5.22 g_T \varepsilon_T$$

$$b_\nu^{BSM} \equiv B_1^{BSM} = E_e \frac{\partial B^{BSM}(E_e)}{\partial m_e} \approx 0.44 g_S \varepsilon_S - 4.85 g_T \varepsilon_T$$

Impact of reducing errors in g_S and g_T from 50→10%

Allowed region in $[\varepsilon_S, \varepsilon_T]$ (90% contours)



Expt. input

$$|B_1 - b| < 10^{-3}$$

$$|b| < 10^{-3}$$

$$b_{0+} = 2.6 (4.3) * 10^{-3}$$

Impact limited by precision of ME from Lattice QCD

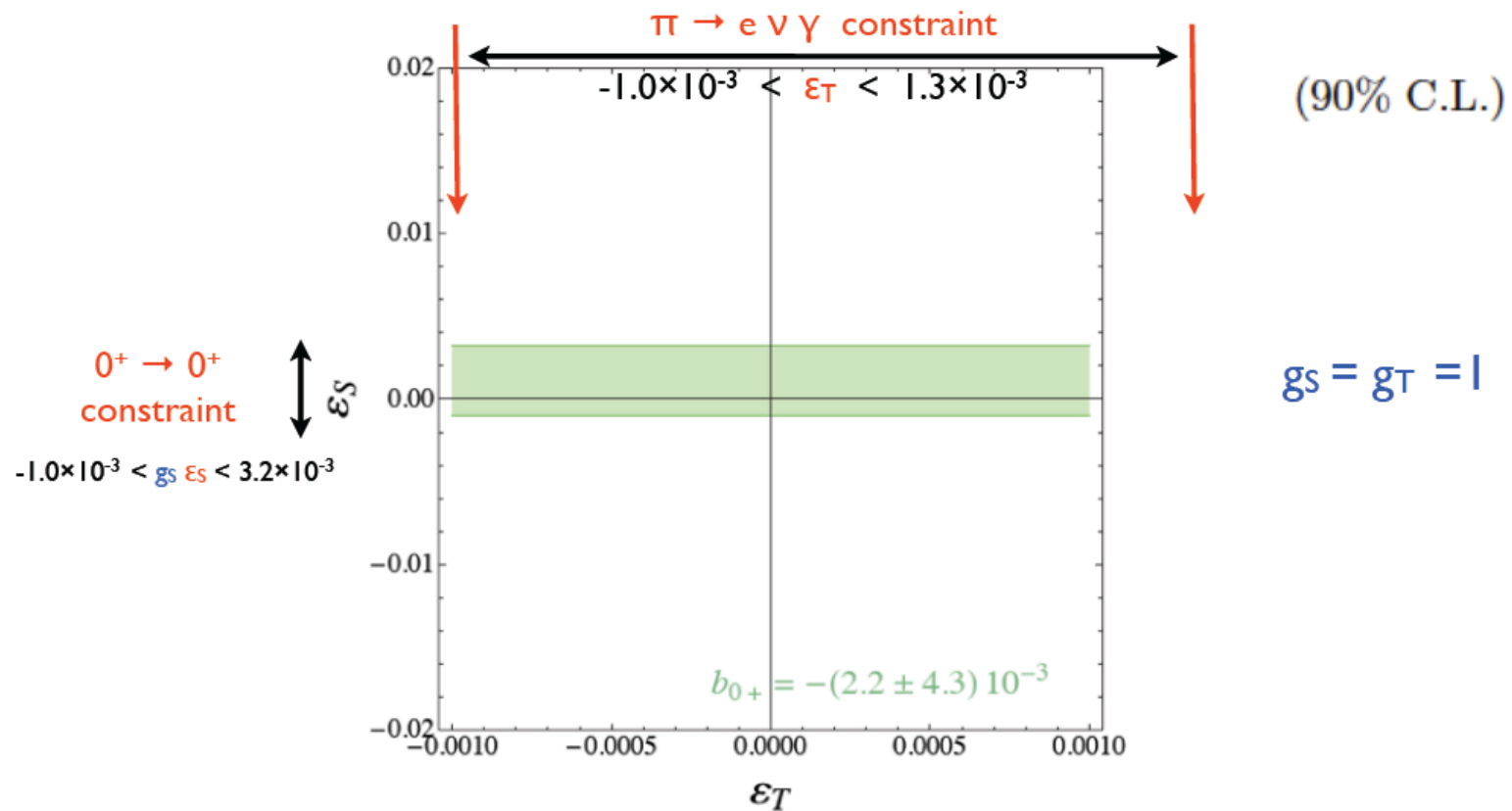
$$g_S \sim \langle p | \bar{u} d | n \rangle$$

$$g_T \sim \langle p | \bar{u} \sigma_{\mu\nu} d | n \rangle$$

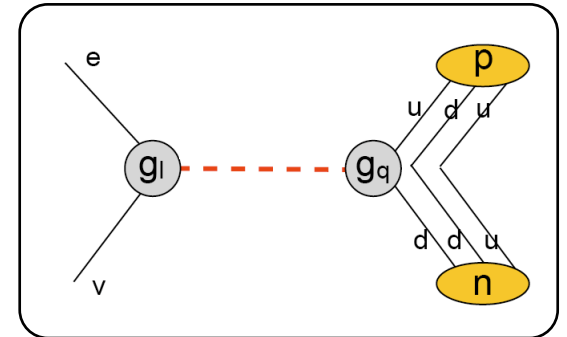
Goal: 10% accuracy in g_S and g_T

Other low energy constraints

- **Current:** $0^+ \rightarrow 0^+$ and $\pi \rightarrow e \nu \gamma$



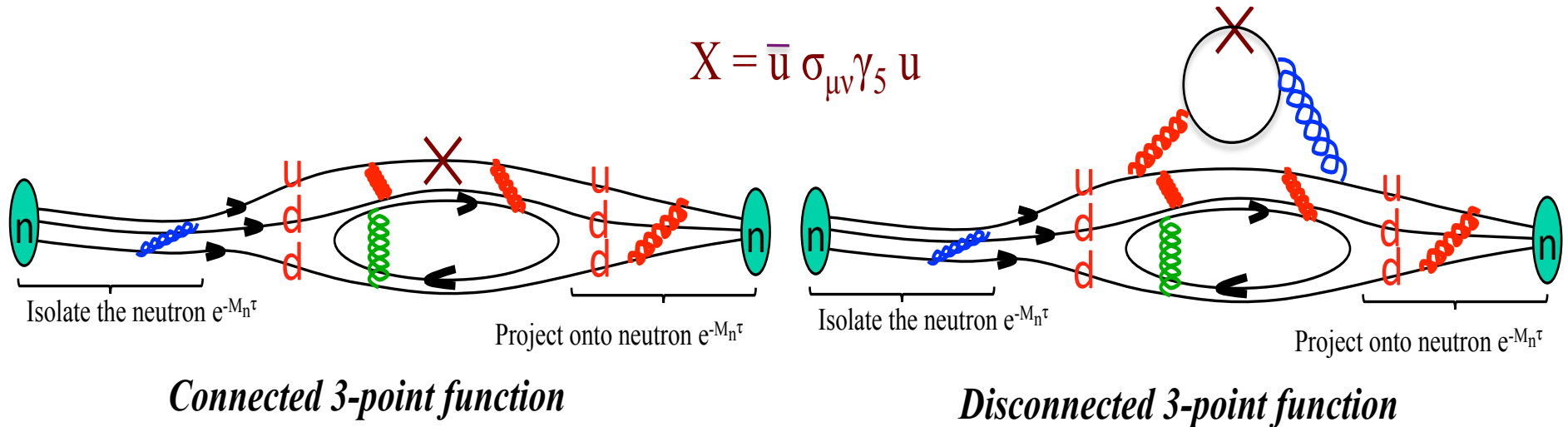
Precision Calculations of g_S, g_T using Lattice QCD



Precision Neutron Decay Matrix Elements Collaboration (PNDME)
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- [PRD 85 \(2012\) 054512](#)
- [PRD 89 \(2014\) 094502](#)
- In Preparation
 - Iso-vector and Iso-scalar Tensor Charges of the Nucleon from Lattice QCD
 - Why Lattice QCD underestimates g_A
 - Electric and Magnetic Form-factors from lattice QCD
 - Axial Form-factors from lattice QCD

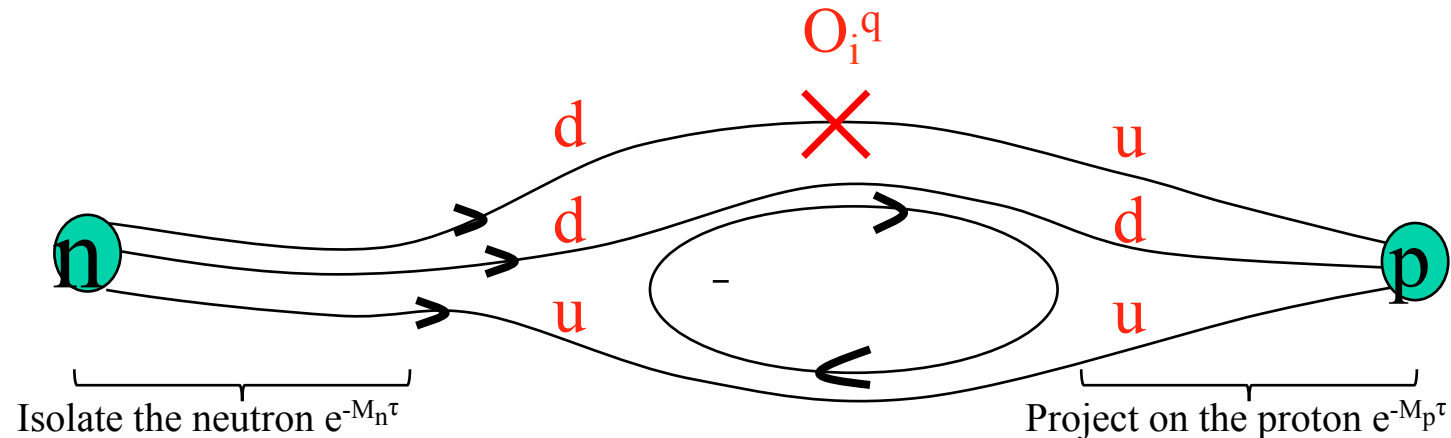
What we calculate using LQCD



Building Blocks: Monte Carlo integration of QCD path integral

- Generate importance sampled background gauge configurations using a (2+1+1) flavor action
- Calculate Feynman quark propagators on these configurations
- Construct the correlation functions
- Average correlation functions over gauge configurations

Lattice QCD calculation of $\langle p | \bar{u} \Gamma d | n \rangle$



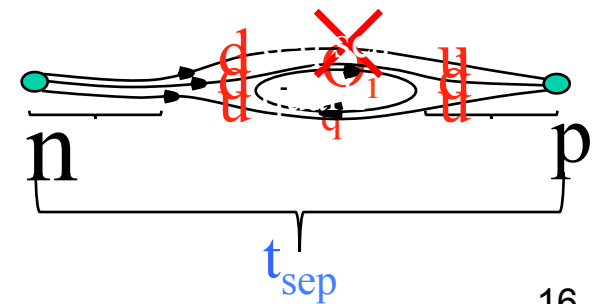
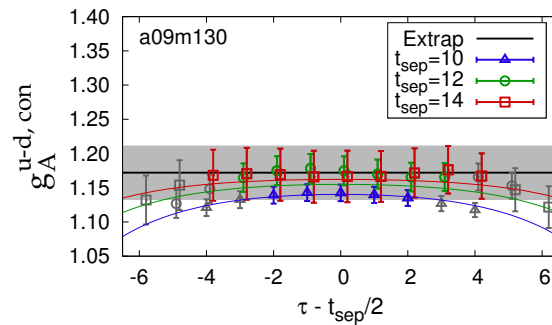
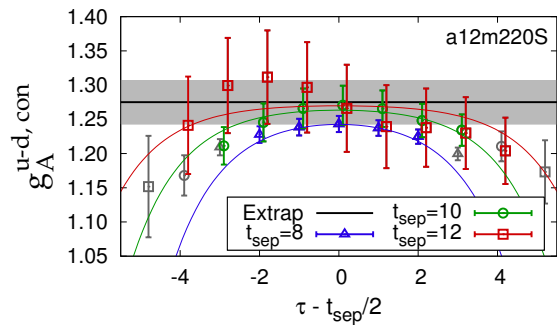
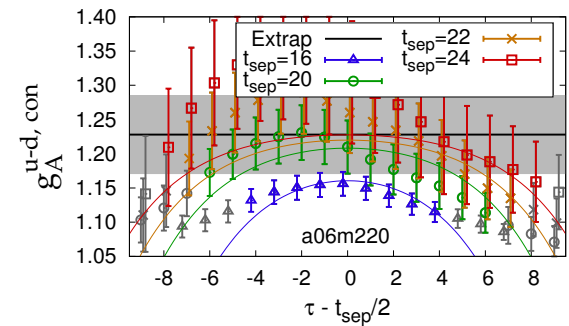
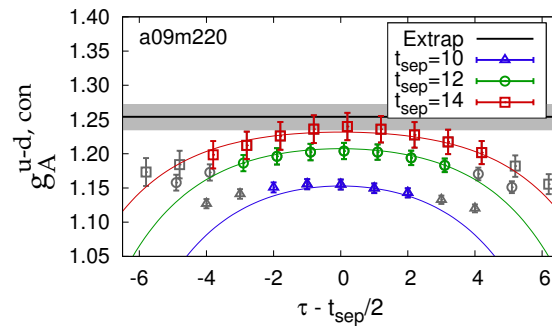
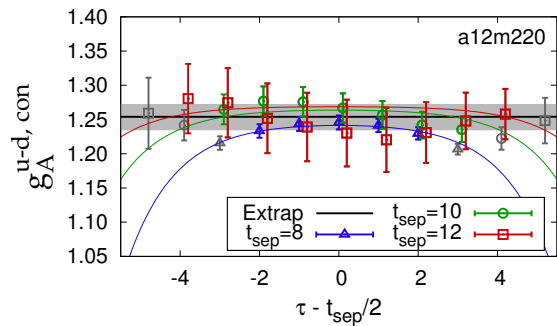
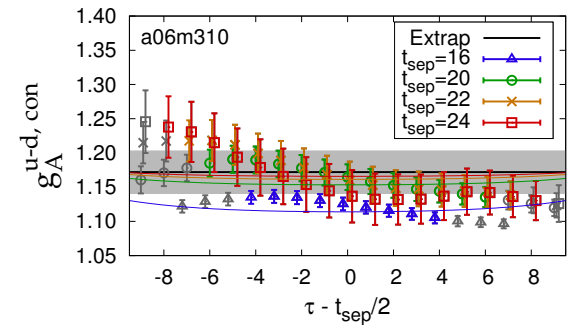
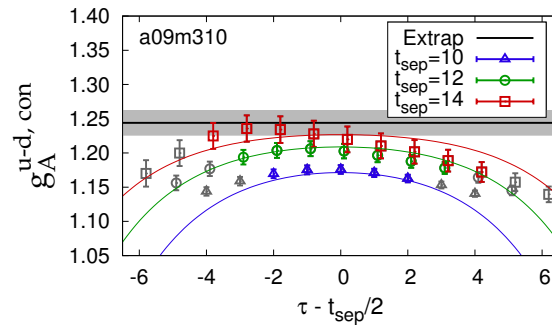
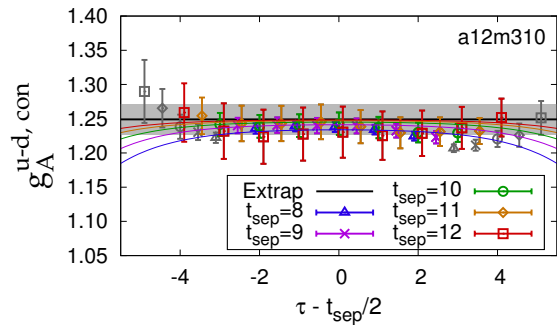
- **Achieving 10% uncertainty is a realistic goal but requires:**
 - **High Statistics:**
 - **Controlling all Systematic Errors:**
 - Contamination from excited states
 - Non-perturbative renormalization of bilinears using the RI_{smom} scheme
 - Finite volume effects
 - Chiral Extrapolations to physical u and d quark masses
 - Extrapolation to the continuum limit (lattice spacing $a \rightarrow 0$)

2+1+1 flavor HISQ lattices: ~1000 configs

- m_s set to its physical value using $M_{\bar{ss}}$

a(fm)	m_l/m_s	Lattice Volume	$M_\pi L$	M_π (MeV)	Measurements
0.12	0.2	$24^3 \times 64$	4.54	310	8104
0.12	0.1	$32^3 \times 64$	4.29	227	7664
0.09	0.2	$32^3 \times 96$	4.5	313	7048
0.09	0.1	$48^3 \times 96$	4.73	226	7120
0.09	0.037	$64^3 \times 96$	3.66	138	7064
0.06	0.2	$48^3 \times 144$	4.53	320	8000
0.06	0.1	$64^3 \times 144$	4.28	235	2600

Excited state contamination



Renormalization of bilinear operators

- Non-perturbative renormalization factors Z_Γ using the RI-sMOM scheme ($p_1^2 = p_2^2 = q^2$)

- Need quark propagator in momentum space

- Basic Assumption: there exists a window

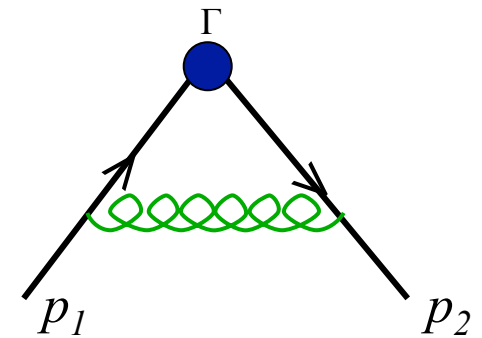
$$\Lambda_{QCD} \ll p \ll \pi/a$$

- HYP Smearing introduces artifacts

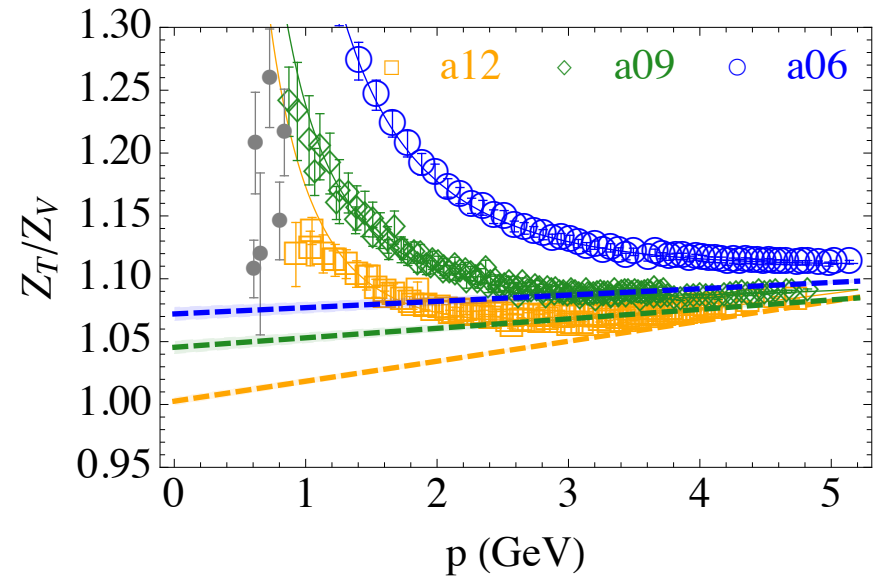
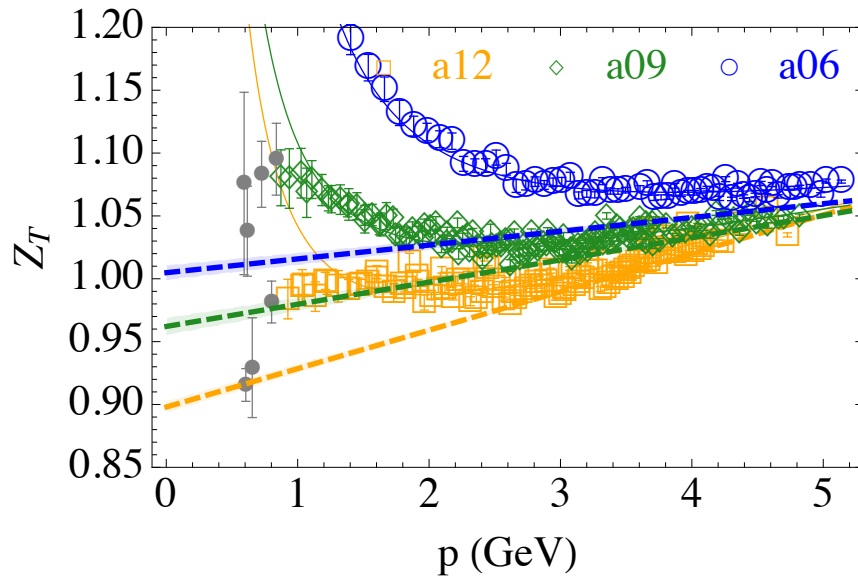
- Gluon momentum above ($\sim 1/a$) are averaged out

- $\Lambda_{QCD} \ll p \ll \pi/a$ window may not exist on coarse lattices

- Matching to MS: 1-loop matching and 2-loop running

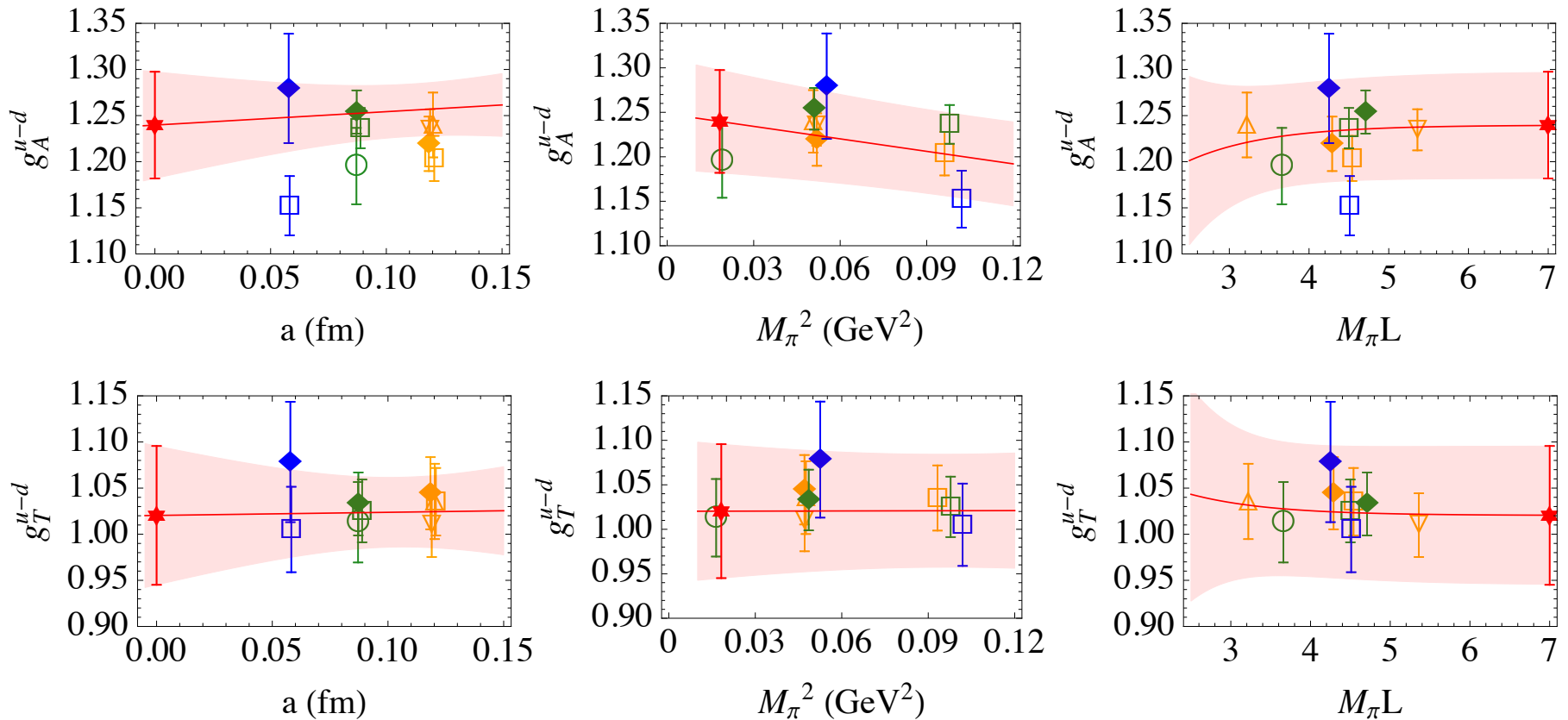


Renormalization: RI-sMOM



- No detectable dependence of Z 's on m_q
- Ratios (Z_Γ/Z_V) have smoother behavior
- Current error estimates have $\sim 4\%$ uncertainty

Simultaneous extrapolation in quark mass, lattice spacing and volume



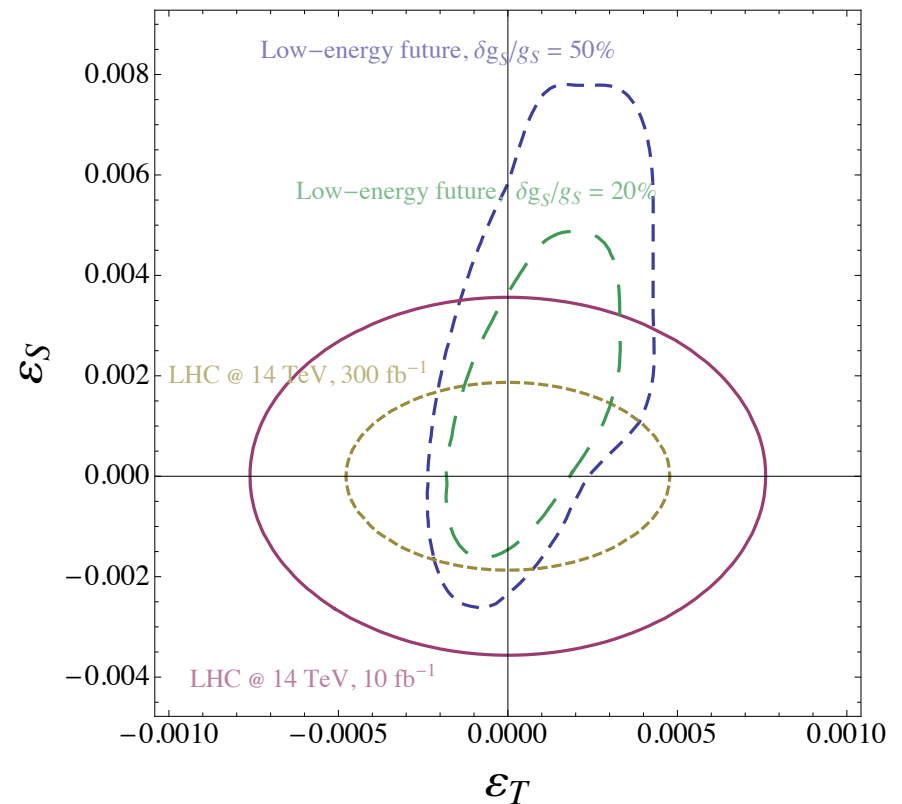
Status

- $g_A = 1.24(6)$
- $g_S = 1.13(25)$
- $g_T = 1.020(75)$

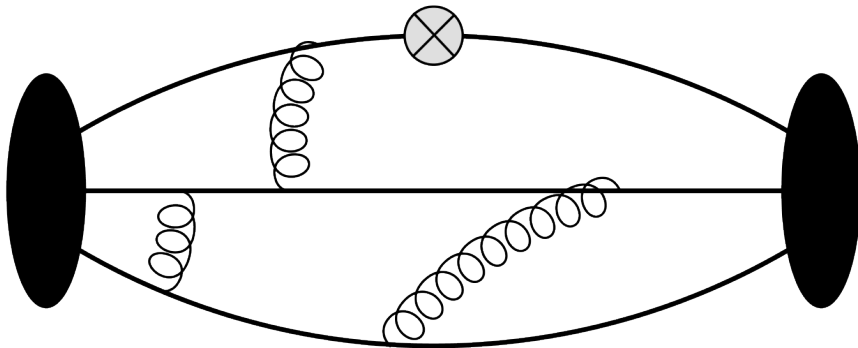
Need to reduce errors in g_S by a factor of 2

β -decay versus LHC constraints

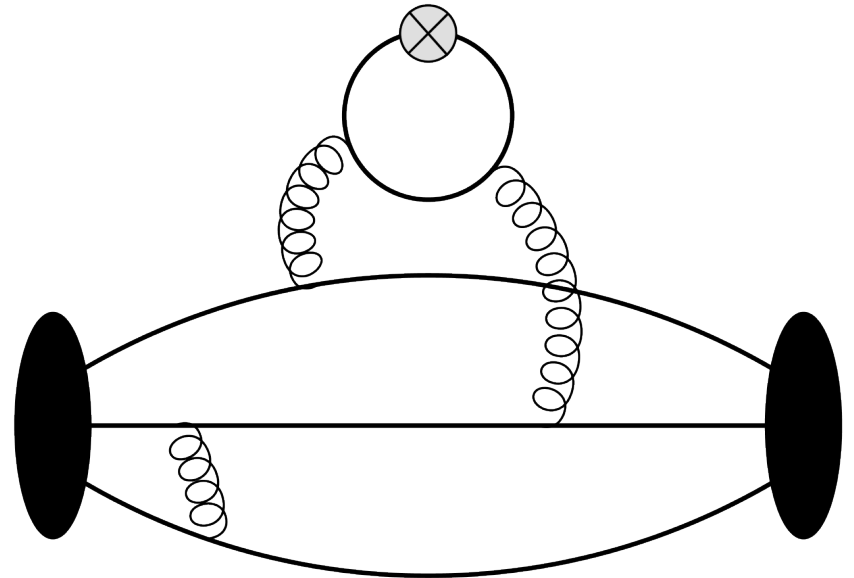
- LHC @ 14 TeV and 300 fb^{-1} , will provide comparable constraints to low-energy ones with $\delta g_S/g_S \sim 20\%$



Types of diagrams



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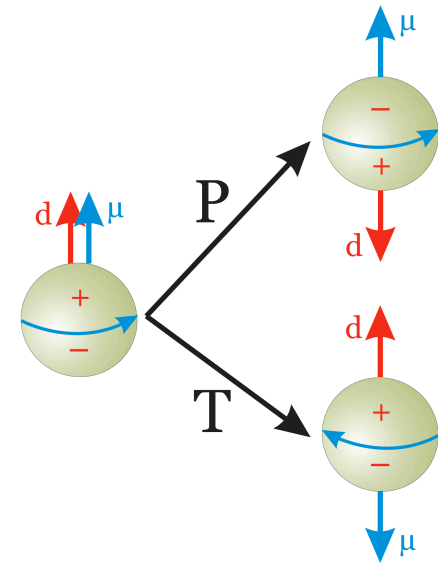
Disconnected

A number of matrix elements are being calculated

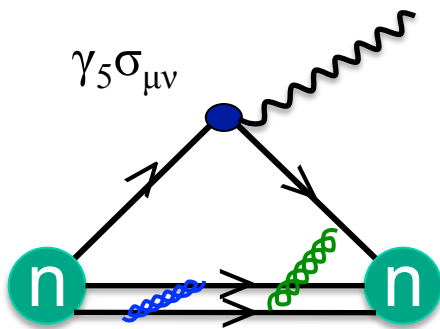
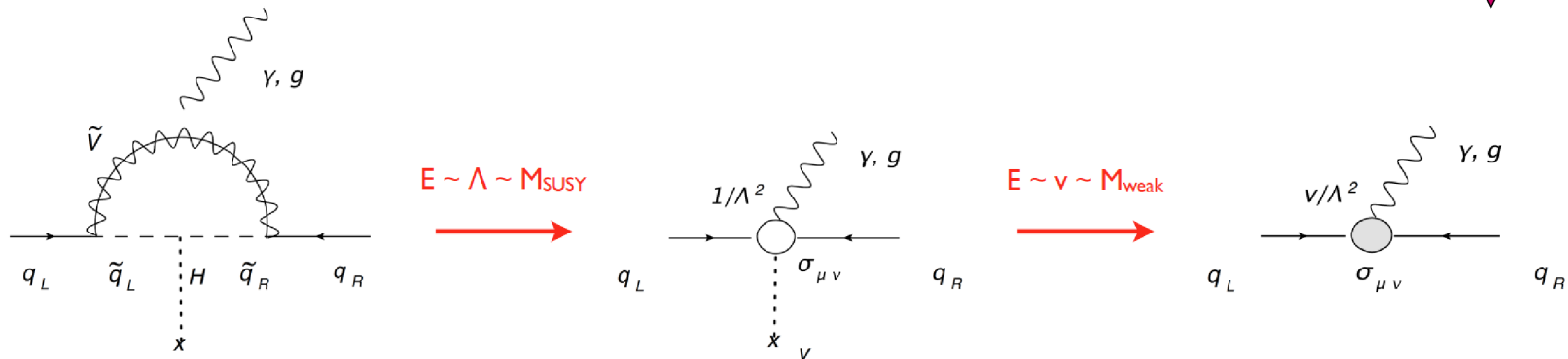
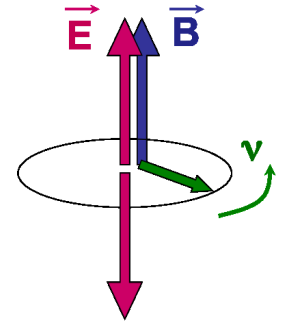
- Iso-vector charges g_A, g_S, g_T $\langle p | \bar{u} \Gamma d | n \rangle$
- Axial vector form factors $\langle p(q) | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d(q) | n(0) \rangle$
- Vector form factors $\langle p(q) | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu d(q) | n(0) \rangle$
- Flavor diagonal matrix elements $\langle p | \bar{q} q | p \rangle$
- Quark EDM and quark chromo EDM
- Generalized Parton Distribution Functions

Neutron Electric Dipole Moment

- nEDM is a very sensitive probe of CP violation from BSM theories
- New CP violation needed to explain Baryogenesis
- Need precise values of matrix elements of new CP violating effective operators to convert bounds on nEDM into bounds on BSM theories.



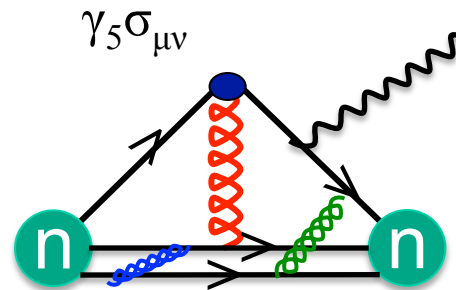
Effective operators: novel CP violation



γ attaches to the vertex

Quark-EDM

$$\bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 q F^{\mu\nu}$$



- 4-pt function as γ can attach to any quark line
- Gluon free end can attach to any quark line

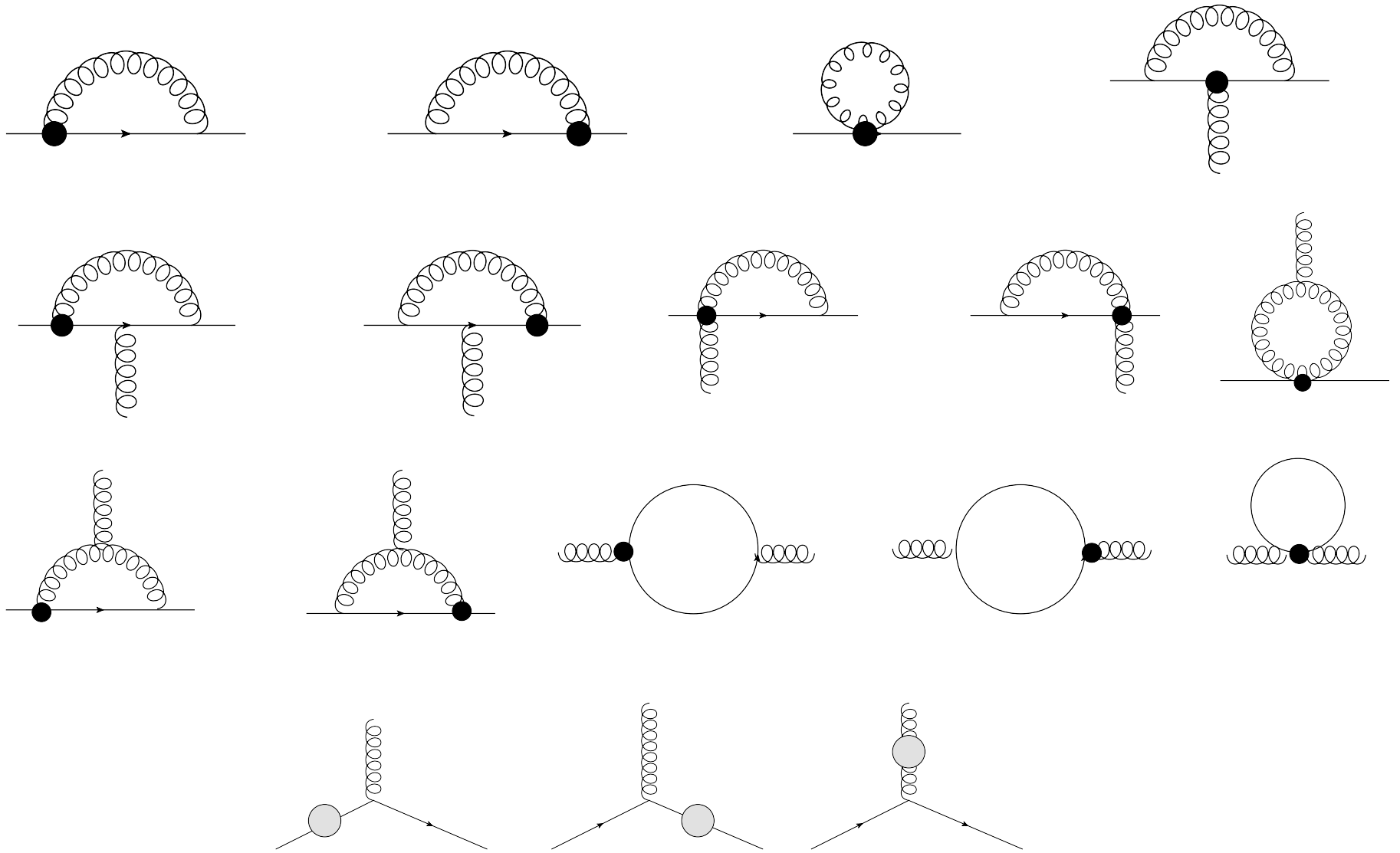
Chromo-EDM

$$\bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_5 q \lambda^a G_a^{\mu\nu}$$

Quark Chromoelectric Operator: Mixing

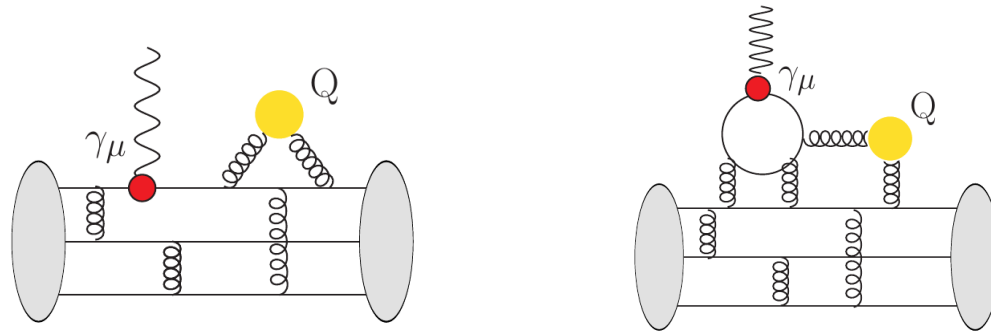
	C	$\partial^2 P$	E	$m F \tilde{F}$	$m G \tilde{G}$	$m \partial \cdot A$	$m^2 P$	P_{EE}	$\partial \cdot A_E$	A_∂	$A_{A(\gamma)}$
C	Z_C	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
$\partial^2 P$	0	Z_P	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
E	0	0	Z_T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$m F \tilde{F}$	0	0	0	$Z_m^{-1} Z_{F \tilde{F}}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$m G \tilde{G}$	0	0	0	0	$Z_m^{-1} Z_{G \tilde{G}}$	X	0	0	0	0	0
$m \partial \cdot A$	0	0	0	0	0	$Z_m^{-1} Z_{\partial A}$	0	0	0	0	0
$m^2 P$	0	0	0	0	0	0	Z_m^{-1}	0	0	0	0
P_{EE}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	X	X	0
$\partial \cdot A_E$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
A_∂	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	X	X	0
$\partial \cdot A_E$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
A_∂	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	X	X	0
$A_{A(\gamma)}$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X

Renormalization and Mixing

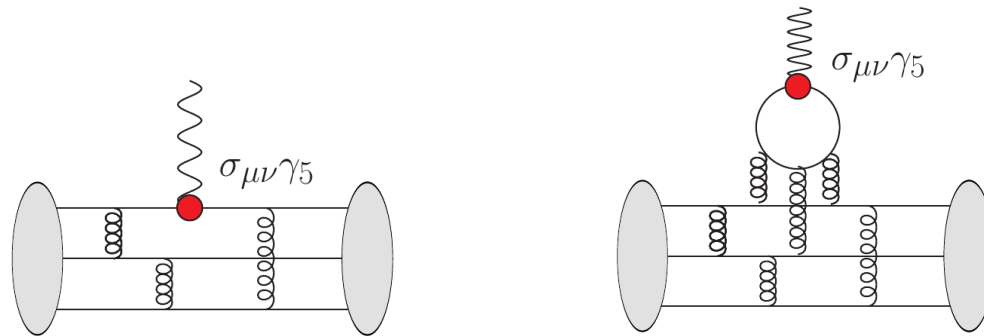


Diagrams to be calculated: Lattice

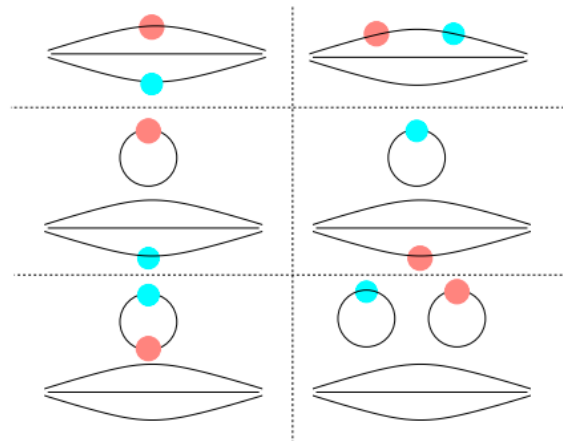
Θ -term



quark EDM

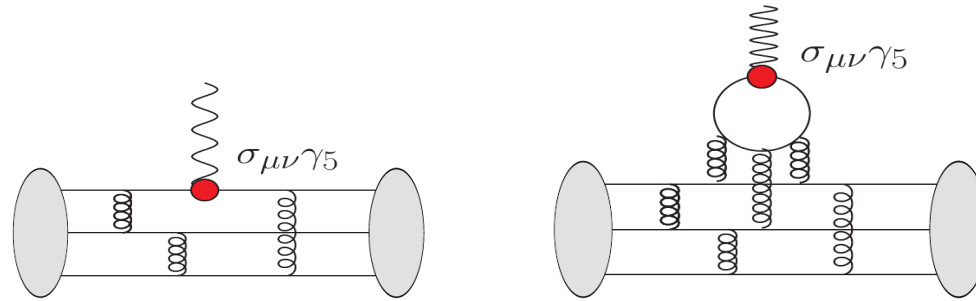


quark Chromo EDM
(4-pt function)



Constraining BSM using nEDM

quark EDM



Assuming only quark EDM contribute to nEDM, then

$$d_n = d_u^\gamma g_T^u + d_d^\gamma g_T^d + d_s^\gamma g_T^s$$

$$g_T^u = -0.232(28)$$

$$g_T^d = 0.774(68)$$

$$g_T^s = 0.008(9)$$

