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CP violation in $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$, Status and Prospects

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Outline

- CP violation in $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decays, short introduction
- Overview of the lattice computation
- Results and comparison
- Status and Prospect

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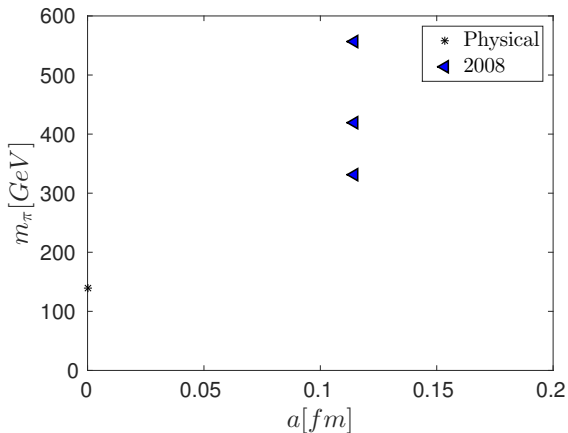
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Although there is a computation at threshold done with Wilson fermions [Ishizuka, Ishikawa, Ukawa, Yoshié '15](#)

The authors use a clever trick to avoid the dangerous mixing with lower dimension operators

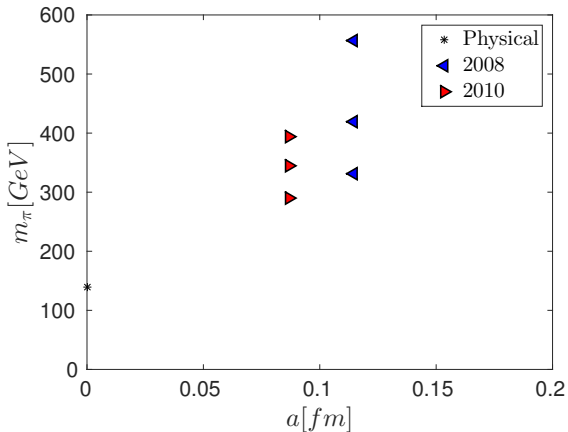
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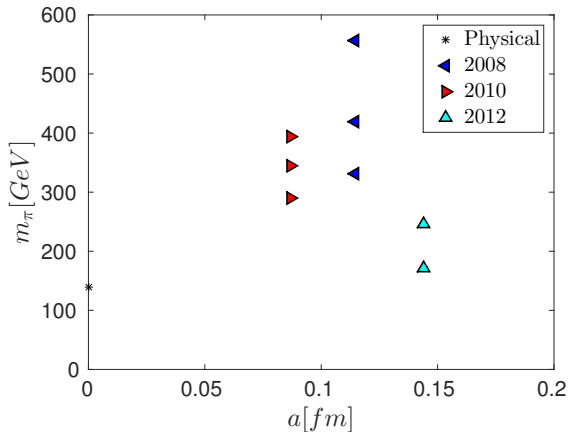
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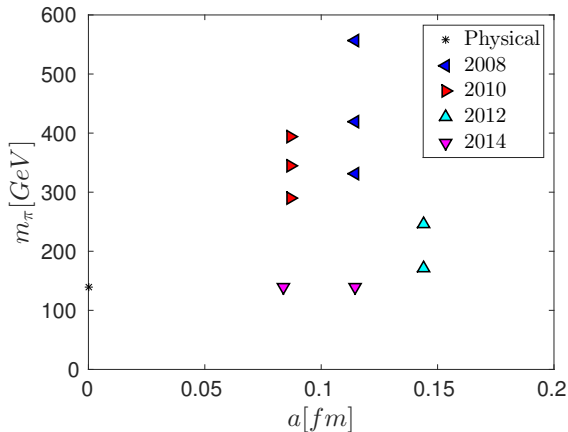
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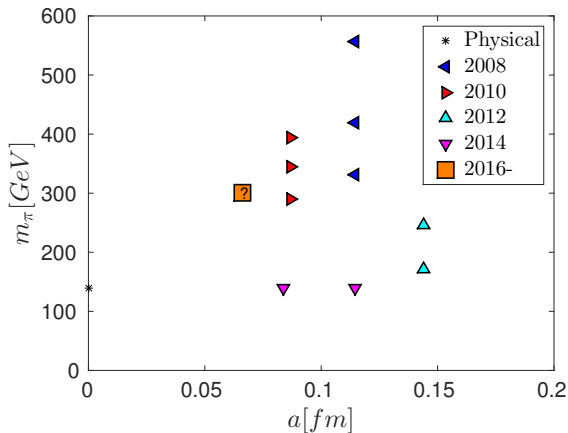
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$K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ and CP violation

Background: Kaon decays and CP violation

- First discovery of CP violation was made in kaon system in 1964 (Christenson, Cronin, Fitch and Turlay)
- Noble prize in 1980 (Cronin and Fitch)
- Direct CP violation discovered in kaon decays [NA31, KTeV, NA48, '90-99]
- Very nice measurements of both direct and indirect CP violation (numbers from [PDG 2011])

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Indirect} \quad |\varepsilon| \quad = (2.228 \pm 0.011) \times 10^{-3} \\ \text{Direct} \quad \text{Re} \left(\frac{\varepsilon'}{\varepsilon} \right) \quad = (1.65 \pm 0.26) \times 10^{-3} \end{array} \right.$$

- Theoretically:

Relate indirect CP violation parameter (ε) to neutral kaon mixing (B_K)

B_K is now computed on the lattice with a few-percent precision

But the first realistic theoretical computation of ε' has only been achieved last year

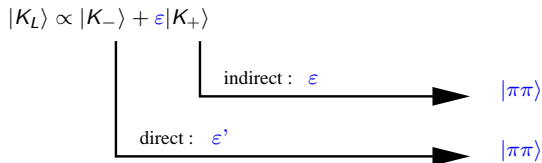
- Sensitivity to new physics expected

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Flavour eigenstates $\left(\begin{array}{l} K^0 = \bar{s}\gamma_5 d \\ \bar{K}^0 = \bar{d}\gamma_5 s \end{array} \right) \neq$ CP eigenstates $|K_{\pm}^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\{|K^0\rangle \mp |\bar{K}^0\rangle\}$

They are mixed in the physical eigenstates $\begin{cases} |K_L\rangle \sim |K_-^0\rangle + \bar{\epsilon}|K_+^0\rangle \\ |K_S\rangle \sim |K_+^0\rangle + \bar{\epsilon}|K_-^0\rangle \end{cases}$

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



$$\epsilon = \frac{A(K_L \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0})}{A(K_S \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0})} = |\epsilon|e^{i\phi_\epsilon} \sim \bar{\epsilon}$$

$K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ amplitudes

Two isospin channels: $\Delta I = 1/2$ and $\Delta I = 3/2$

$$K \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0,2}$$

Corresponding amplitudes defined as

$$A[K \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_I] = A_I \exp(i\delta_I) \quad /w \ I = 0, 2 \quad \delta = \text{strong phases}$$

$\Delta I = 1/2$ rule

$$\omega = \frac{\text{Re}A_2}{\text{Re}A_0} \sim 1/22 \quad (\text{experimental number})$$

Amplitudes are related to the parameters of CP violation $\varepsilon, \varepsilon'$ via (**in the isospin limit**)

$$\varepsilon' = \frac{i\omega \exp(i\delta_2 - \delta_0)}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\frac{\text{Im}(A_2)}{\text{Re}A_2} - \frac{\text{Im}A_0}{\text{Re}A_0} \right]$$

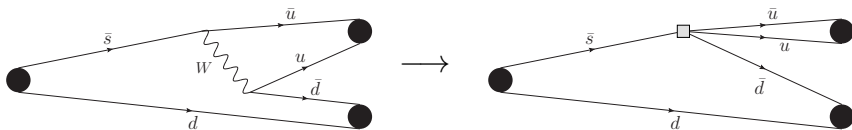
$$\varepsilon = e^{i\phi_\varepsilon} \left[\frac{\text{Im}\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta S=2} | K^0 \rangle}{\Delta m_K} + \frac{\text{Im}A_0}{\text{Re}A_0} \right]$$

\Rightarrow Related to $K^0 - \bar{K}^0$ mixing

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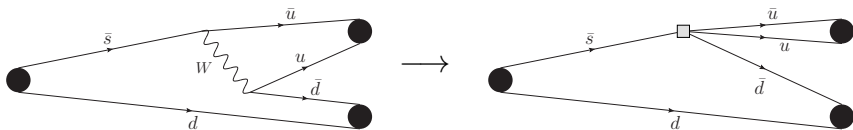


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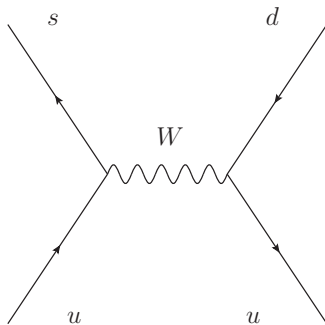
- Amplitude given by $A \propto \langle \pi\pi | H^{\Delta S=1} | K \rangle$
- Short distance effects factorized in the Wilson coefficients y_i, z_i , computed at NLO in [BBL '96]
- Long distance effects factorized in the matrix elements

$\langle \pi\pi | Q_i(\mu) | K \rangle \rightarrow$ task for the Lattice

See reviews by [Buras, Christ @ Kaon'09, Lellouch @ Les Houches'09, Sachrajda @ Lattice '10], ...

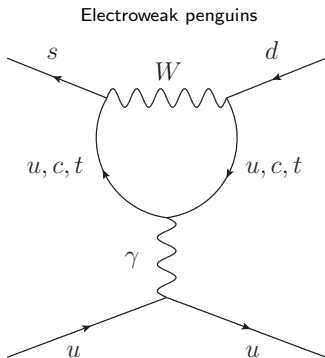
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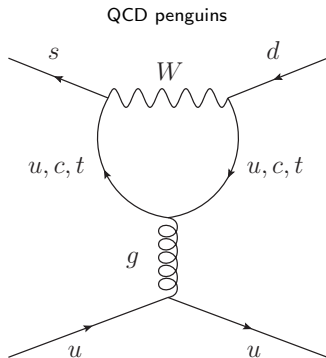
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see eg [Claude Bernard @ TASI'89] and [RBC'01]

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Only 3 operators contribute to the $\Delta I = 3/2$ channel

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Three main ingredients

- The finite volume bare matrix elements $\langle \pi\pi | Q_i | K \rangle_{FV}^{bare}$
- The renormalization Matrix Z_{ij}
- The phase shift (Lellouch-Lüscher factor)

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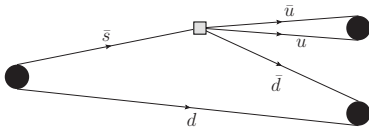
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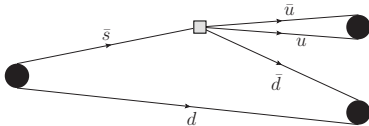
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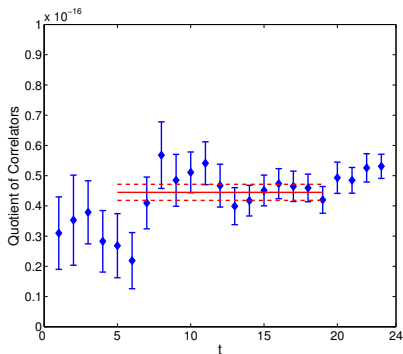
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And compute the ratios

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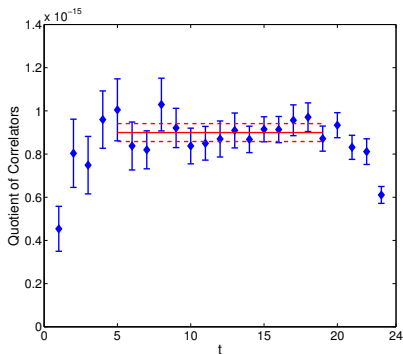
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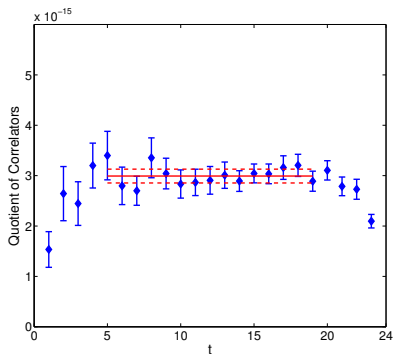
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The infinite volume matrix element is given by

$$\langle \pi\pi | H_W | K \rangle_\infty = F \langle \pi\pi | H_W | K \rangle_{FV}$$

where F is the Lellouch-Lüscher factor [Lellouch Lüscher '00, Lin et al '01]

$$F^2 = 8\pi q \left(\frac{\partial\phi}{\partial q} + \frac{\partial\delta}{\partial q} \right) \frac{m_K E_{\pi\pi}^2}{p^3}$$

and p is the magnitude of the momentum of each pion in the center-of-mass frame

$$\begin{aligned} 2\sqrt{p^2 + m_\pi^2} &= E_{\pi\pi} \\ q &= \frac{pL}{2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

δ is the s -wave phase shift

ϕ is a kinematic function defined in [Lellouch Lüscher '00]

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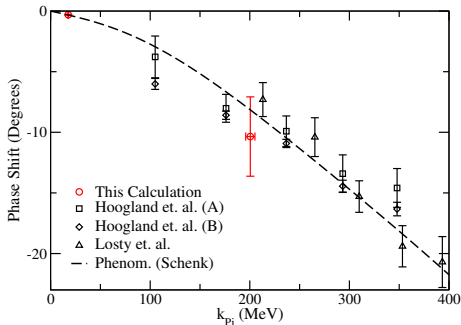
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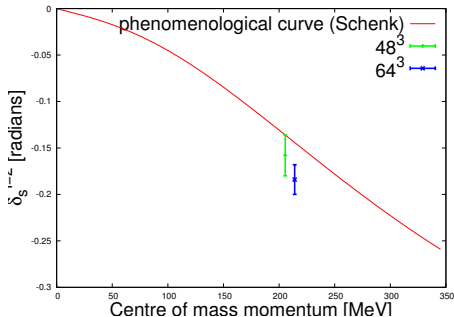
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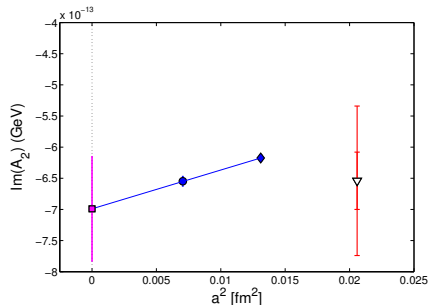
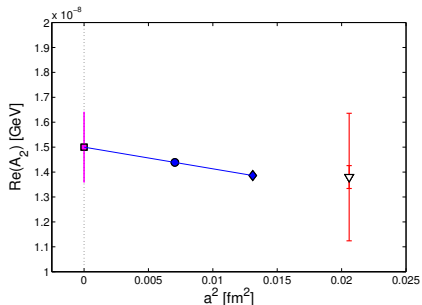
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see also talk by T.Janowski @ lat'13

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A_0 , 2015 update

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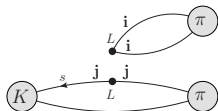
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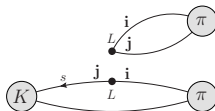
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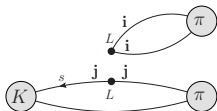
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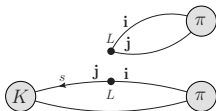
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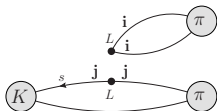
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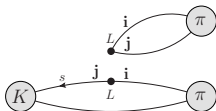
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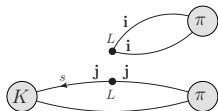
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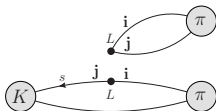
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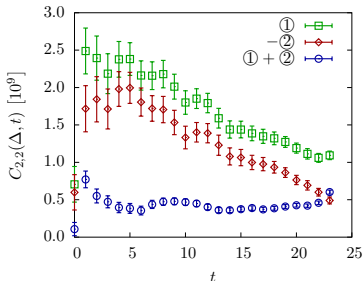
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