

Third order corrections to the semileptonic $b \rightarrow c$ decay rate and the kinetic quark mass relation

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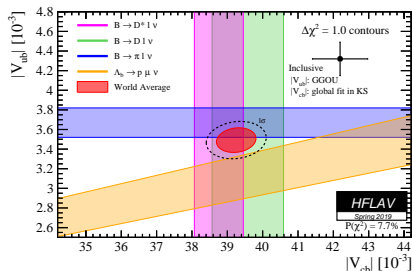
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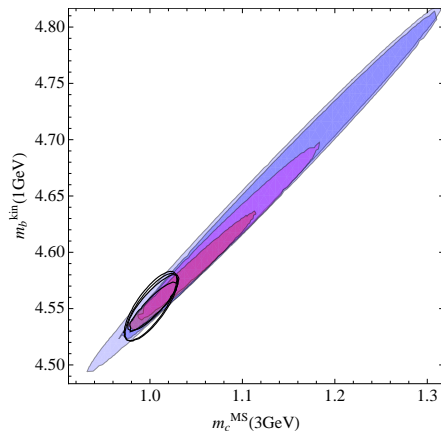
- $b \rightarrow c \ell \nu$ is an important ingredient in the inclusive determination of $|V_{cb}|$:
 - Currently there is a tension between inclusive and exclusive determination of $|V_{cb}|$.
 - Errors are mostly **theory dominated**.
 - Precise measurements of the CKM matrix elements $|V_{ib}|$ are among main goals of Belle II and LHCb.
 - The semi-leptonic decay rate is an important ingredient in the global fit for the inclusive determination.
 - The global fits are performed in the **kinetic scheme**.



The Heavy Quark Expansion (HQE):

$$d\Gamma = d\Gamma_0 + d\Gamma_{\mu_\pi} \frac{\mu_\pi^2}{m_b^2} + d\Gamma_{\mu_G} \frac{\mu_G^2}{m_b^2} + d\Gamma_{\rho_D} \frac{\rho_D^3}{m_b^3} + d\Gamma_{\rho_{LS}} \frac{\rho_{LS}^3}{m_b^3} + \dots$$

- $d\Gamma_i$ are computed in **perturbative QCD**
- dependence on non-perturbative HQE parameters:
 $\mu_\pi, \mu_G, \rho_D, \rho_{LS}, \dots$
- Perturbative corrections to $b \rightarrow c \ell \nu$ exhibit a bad convergence in the on-shell and the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme for the heavy quark masses.
- Better knowledge of scheme conversion can further constrain the global fit.



[Gambino, Schwanda (PRD 89 (2014))]

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1	✓	✓	✓	this talk	<p>[Jezabek, Kühn, NPB 314 (1989); Gambino et al., NPB 719 (2005)]</p> <p>[Melnikov, PLB 666 (2008); Pak, Czarnecki, PRD (2008)]</p> <p>[Fael, KS, Steinhauser, PRD 104 (2021)]</p>
$1/m_b^2$	✓	✓			<p>[Alberti, Gambino, Nandi, JHEP 1401 (2014)]</p> <p>[Mannel, Pivovarov, Rosenthal, PRD 92 (2015)]</p> <p>[Becher, Boos, Lunghi, JHEP 0712 (2007)]</p>
$1/m_b^3$	✓	✓			<p>[Mannel, Pivovarov, PRD 100 (2019)]</p>
$1/m_b^{4,5}$	✓				<p>[Dassinger, Mannel, Turczyk, JHEP 0703 (2007); JHEP 1011 (2010)]</p> <p>[Fael, Mannel, Vos, JHEP 02 (2019); JHEP 12 (2019)]</p>
$\overline{m}_b - m_b^{\text{kin}}$		✓	✓	this talk	<p>[Bigi et al., PRD 56 (1997); Czarnecki, Melnikov, Uraltsev, PRL 80 (1998)]</p> <p>[Fael, Steinhauser, KS, PRL 125 (2020); PRD 103 (2021)]</p>

The Kinetic Heavy Quark Mass

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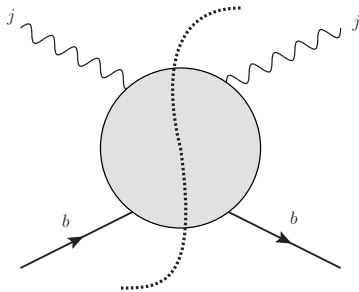
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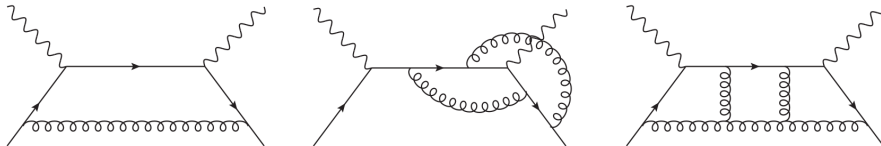


- $W(\omega, \vec{v}) = 2 \text{Im} \left[\frac{i}{2m} \int d^4x e^{-iqx} \langle Q | T J(x) J(0) | Q \rangle \right]$
(J is an arbitrary current)
- \vec{v} : velocity of the heavy quark
- ω : excitation energy of the heavy quark

$$\bar{\Lambda}(\mu)|_{\text{pert}} = \lim_{\vec{v} \rightarrow 0} \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2}{\vec{v}^2} \frac{\int_0^\mu d\omega \omega W(\omega, \vec{v})}{\int_0^\mu d\omega W(\omega, \vec{v})},$$

$$\mu_\pi^2(\mu)|_{\text{pert}} = \lim_{\vec{v} \rightarrow 0} \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3}{\vec{v}^2} \frac{\int_0^\mu d\omega \omega^2 W(\omega, \vec{v})}{\int_0^\mu d\omega W(\omega, \vec{v})}$$

- We have to calculate the imaginary part of the forward scattering amplitudes:



$$W(\omega, \vec{v}) = W_{\text{el}}(\vec{v})\delta(\omega) + \frac{\vec{v}^2}{\omega} W_{\text{real}}(\omega)\theta(\omega) + \mathcal{O}(v^4, \frac{\omega}{m_b})$$

- **Virtual corrections:** only contribute to the denominator
 - given by the static limit of the massive form factor
[Ravidran, Neerven, PLB 445 (1998), ..., Ablinger et al. PRD 97 (2018), ...]
- **real corrections:** only contribute to the numerator
 - needs to be computed in the appropriate limit

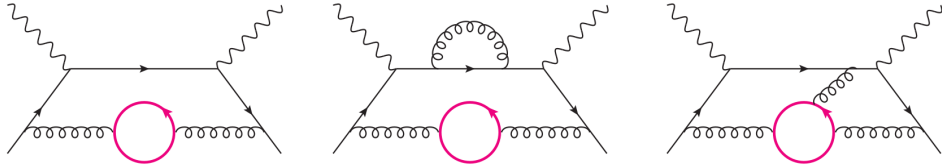
- We can translate to a covariant expansion:
(p : momentum of the quark, q : momentum of the current)

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= m_b^2 - s = m_b \omega (2 + v^2) + \mathcal{O}(\omega^2, v^4) \\
 q^2 &= -m_b v^2 (m_b - \omega) + \mathcal{O}(\omega^2, v^4) \\
 2p \cdot q &= y - q^2
 \end{aligned}$$

- We realize the threshold expansion via expansion by regions:
[[Beneke, Smirnov \(Nucl. Phys. B \(1998\)\)](#)]
 - the loop momenta can scale: hard (h) $k_i \sim m_b$ or ultrasoft (u) $k_i \sim y/m_b$
 - not all k_i can be hard, otherwise no imaginary part is produced.
 - we checked that we reproduce all regions with these scalings with Asy.m
[[Pak, Smirnov \(Eur. Phys. J. C \(2011\)\)](#)]
- expansion in \vec{v} reduces to a Taylor expansion in q .

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- Previously no charm mass effects for the kinetic mass had been known.
 - We assume $|y| \ll m_c^2, m_b^2$, i.e. no cuts through a charm loop.
 - The bare result has a non-trivial dependence on m_c .
 - After renormalization only decoupling effects are left.
- ⇒ The kinetic mass conversion has no explicit m_c dependence if parametrized in terms of $\alpha_s^{(3)}$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{m^{\text{kin}}}{m^{\text{OS}}} = & 1 - \frac{\alpha_s^{(n_l)}}{\pi} C_F \left(\frac{4}{3} \frac{\mu}{m^{\text{OS}}} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\mu^2}{(m^{\text{OS}})^2} \right) + \left(\frac{\alpha_s^{(n_l)}}{\pi} \right)^2 C_F \left\{ \frac{\mu}{m^{\text{OS}}} \left[C_A \left(-\frac{215}{27} + \frac{2\pi^2}{9} + \frac{22}{9} l_\mu \right) + n_l T_F \left(\frac{64}{27} - \frac{8}{9} l_\mu \right) \right] \right. \\
& + \frac{\mu^2}{(m^{\text{OS}})^2} \left[C_A \left(-\frac{91}{36} + \frac{\pi^2}{12} + \frac{11}{12} l_\mu \right) + n_l T_F \left(\frac{13}{18} - \frac{1}{3} l_\mu \right) \right] \left. \right\} + \left(\frac{\alpha_s^{(n_l)}}{\pi} \right)^3 C_F \left\{ \frac{\mu}{m^{\text{OS}}} \left[C_A^2 \left(-\frac{130867}{1944} \right. \right. \right. \\
& + \frac{511\pi^2}{162} + \frac{19\zeta_3}{2} - \frac{\pi^4}{18} + \left(\frac{2518}{81} - \frac{22\pi^2}{27} \right) l_\mu - \frac{121}{27} l_\mu^2 \left. \right) + C_A n_l T_F \left(\frac{19453}{486} - \frac{104\pi^2}{81} - 2\zeta_3 \right. \\
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& + \frac{\mu^2}{(m^{\text{OS}})^2} \left[C_A^2 \left(-\frac{96295}{5184} + \frac{445\pi^2}{432} + \frac{57\zeta_3}{16} - \frac{\pi^4}{48} + \left(\frac{2155}{216} - \frac{11\pi^2}{36} \right) l_\mu - \frac{121}{72} l_\mu^2 \right) + C_A n_l T_F \left(\frac{13699}{1296} - \frac{23\pi^2}{54} \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. - \frac{3\zeta_3}{4} + \left(-\frac{695}{108} + \frac{\pi^2}{9} \right) l_\mu + \frac{11}{9} l_\mu^2 \right) + C_F n_l T_F \left(\frac{29}{32} - \frac{\zeta_3}{2} - \frac{1}{4} l_\mu \right) + n_l^2 T_F^2 \left(-\frac{209}{162} + \frac{\pi^2}{27} + \frac{26}{27} l_\mu - \frac{2}{9} l_\mu^2 \right) \right] \left. \right\}, (4)
\end{aligned}$$

Using as inputs $\overline{m}_b(\overline{m}_b) = 4163 \text{ MeV}$, $\alpha_s^{(5)}(M_Z) = 0.1179$:

$m_c = 0$:

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To be compared with:

- scheme conversion uncertainty at two loops: $\delta m_b^{\text{kin}} = 30 \text{ MeV}$

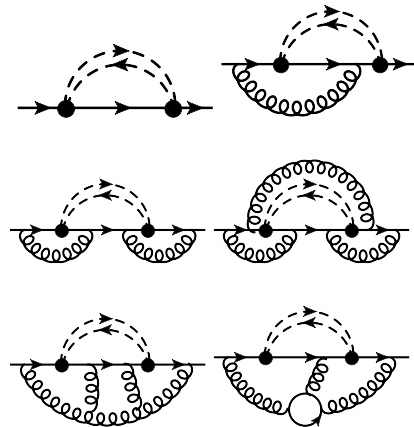
[Gambino, JHEP 09 (2011)]

- m_b from $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$ global fit: $m_b^{\text{kin}}(1 \text{ GeV}) = 4554 \pm 18 \text{ MeV}$

[HFLAV, EPJC 81 (2021)]

The Inclusive Semileptonic Decay Rate

- We calculate the inclusive decay rate to third order via the optical theorem, i.e. we consider the imaginary part of 5-loop forward scattering diagrams.
- We consider massless leptons, i.e. we have two dimensionful scales, the bottom mass m_b and the charm mass m_c .
- Analytical dependence on charm and bottom mass seems out of reach:
 \Rightarrow consider expansion in mass difference



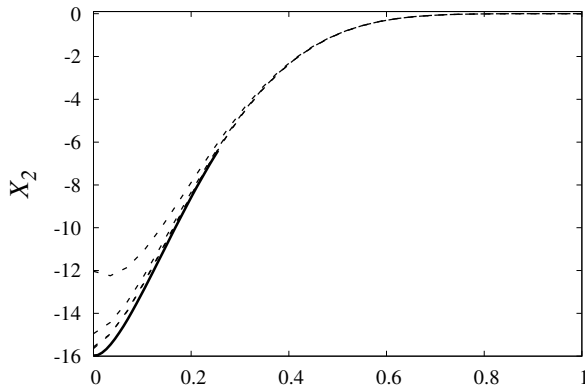
The Heavy-Daughter Expansion

- Perform the expansion in the limit $m_c \sim m_b$: $\delta = 1 - \rho = 1 - \frac{m_c}{m_b} \ll 1$
- Limit has been shown to converge well down to $m_c/m_b \rightarrow 0$ at 2-loop order.

[Czarnecki, Dowling, Piclum (Phys. Rev. D 78 (2008))]

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with $\Gamma_0 = G_F^2 m_b^2 |V_{cb}|^2 / 192 \pi^3$



- Integrate out the $(\ell\bar{\nu})$ -loop.
- Loop momentum through $(\ell\bar{\nu})$ -loop q :
 - In the asymptotic expansion q has to be ultra-soft (u), i.e. $q \sim \delta \cdot m_b$.
 - q factorizes out of other loops, so 1-loop tensor integral can be performed.
- The remaining loop integration have the following scalings:

	scaling	n. regions
$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$	h, u	2
$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$	hh, hu, uu	4
$\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$	hhh, huu, hhu, uuu	8

- In case a single region with either hard or ultra-soft scaling remains we can also integrate it out analytically.
- The remaining two- or three-loop integrals have integer powers of the propagators and can be reduced to master integrals via IBP reduction.

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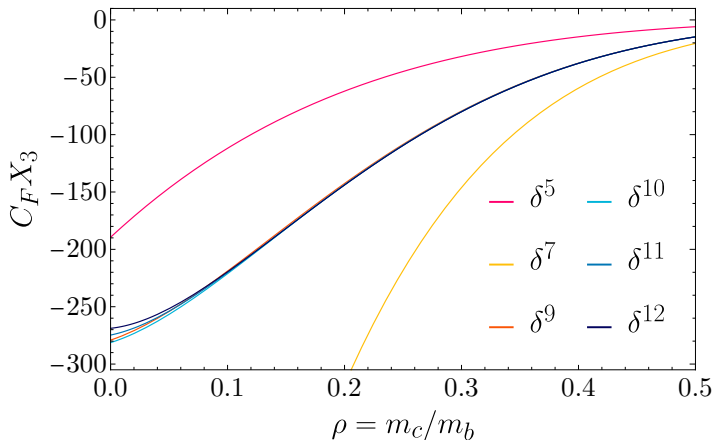
- We find:

$$X_3(\rho = 0.28) = -68.4 \pm 0.3$$

- We use the difference of the last two expansion terms to estimate the uncertainty.

- For $\rho \rightarrow 0$ we can extract values for $b \rightarrow u\ell\nu$:

$$X_3^u = -202 \pm 20$$



- The total decay rate of quarks expressed in terms of on-shell masses converges poorly:

$$\Gamma_{sl} \sim 1 - 1.72 \frac{\alpha_s(m_b)}{\pi} - 13.1 \left(\frac{\alpha_s(m_b)}{\pi} \right)^2 - 163 \left(\frac{\alpha_s(m_b)}{\pi} \right)^3$$

- Also the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme usually behaves poorly, since the scale has to be chosen rather low.
- Different threshold masses like the $\overline{\text{PS}}$ [Beneke (1998)] , $1S$ [Hoang, Ligeti, Manohar (1998)] or kinetic mass [Bigi, Shifman, Uraltsev, Vainshtein (1996)] have been proposed to improve the convergence.
- We see a much better behavior in the convergence for the schemes used for the global fits of inclusive quantities.
- E.g. for the kinetic mass:

$$m_b^{\text{kin}}, m_c^{\text{kin}} : \quad \Gamma(b \rightarrow c \ell \nu) / \Gamma_0 = 0.633 (1 - 0.066 - 0.018 - 0.007) \approx 0.575$$

$$m_b^{\text{kin}}, \overline{m}_c(3 \text{ GeV}) : \quad \Gamma(b \rightarrow c \ell \nu) / \Gamma_0 = 0.700 (1 - 0.116 - 0.035 - 0.010) \approx 0.587$$

BLM and non-BLM part

$$\Gamma(b \rightarrow cl\nu) = \frac{G_F^2 m_b^5 |V_{cb}|^2}{192\pi^3} X_0 \left[1 + C_F \sum_{n \geq 1} \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^n Y_n \right]$$

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	Y_1	Y_2^{rem}	$\beta_0 Y_2^{\beta_0}$	Y_3^{rem}	$\beta_0^2 Y_3^{\beta_0}$
$m_b^{\text{OS}}, m_c^{\text{OS}}$	-1.72	3.08	-16.17	48.8	-212.1
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, m_c^{\text{kin}}$	-0.94	0.33	-4.08	-5.4	-15.4
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, \bar{m}_c(3 \text{ GeV})$	-1.67	-3.39	-3.85	-97.7	69.1
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-1.25	-1.21	-2.43	-68.8	67.9
$\bar{m}_b(\bar{m}_b), \bar{m}_c(3 \text{ GeV})$	3.07	-21.81	35.17	-56.7	119.4
$m_b^{\text{PS}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-0.47	-6.10	-2.31	-93.1	-7.19
$m_b^{1\text{S}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-3.59	-0.98	-19.39	-39.83	-80.22
$m_b^{1\text{S}}, m_c \text{ via HQET}$	-1.38	0.73	-7.05	5.04	-38.09

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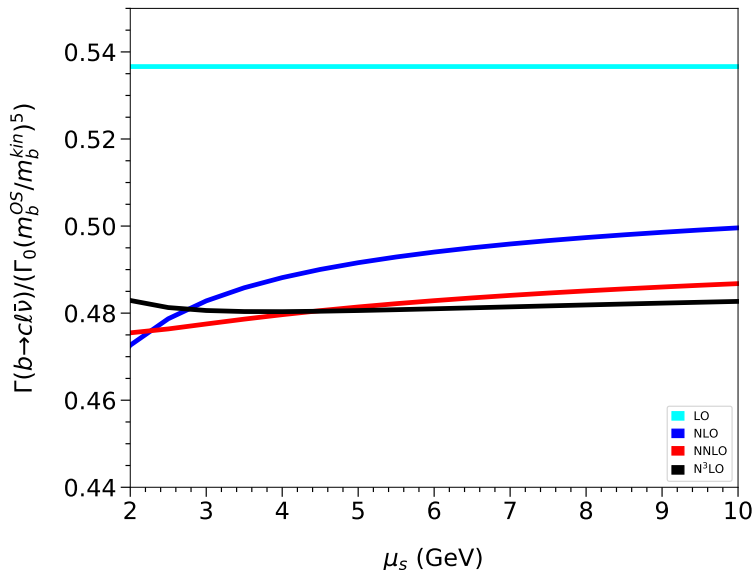
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	Y_1	Y_2^{rem}	$\beta_0 Y_2^{\beta_0}$	Y_3^{rem}	$\beta_0^2 Y_3^{\beta_0}$
$m_b^{\text{OS}}, m_c^{\text{OS}}$	-1.72	3.08	-16.17	48.8	-212.1
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, m_c^{\text{kin}}$	-0.94	0.33	-4.08	-5.4	-15.4
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, \bar{m}_c(3 \text{ GeV})$	-1.67	-3.39	-3.85	-97.7	69.1
$m_b^{\text{kin}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-1.25	-1.21	-2.43	-68.8	67.9
$\bar{m}_b(\bar{m}_b), \bar{m}_c(3 \text{ GeV})$	3.07	-21.81	35.17	-56.7	119.4
$m_b^{\text{PS}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-0.47	-6.10	-2.31	-93.1	-7.19
$m_b^{1\text{S}}, \bar{m}_c(2 \text{ GeV})$	-3.59	-0.98	-19.39	-39.83	-80.22
$m_b^{1\text{S}}, m_c \text{ via HQET}$	-1.38	0.73	-7.05	5.04	-38.09

■ m_b is expressed in the kinetic scheme.

■ m_c is expressed in the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme at 2 GeV.

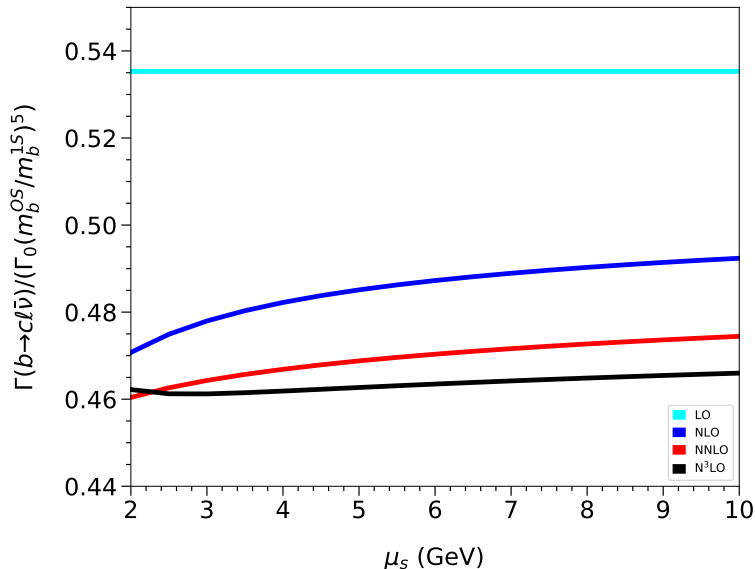


Different Renormalization Schemes – 1S Mass

■ m_b is expressed in the 1S scheme.

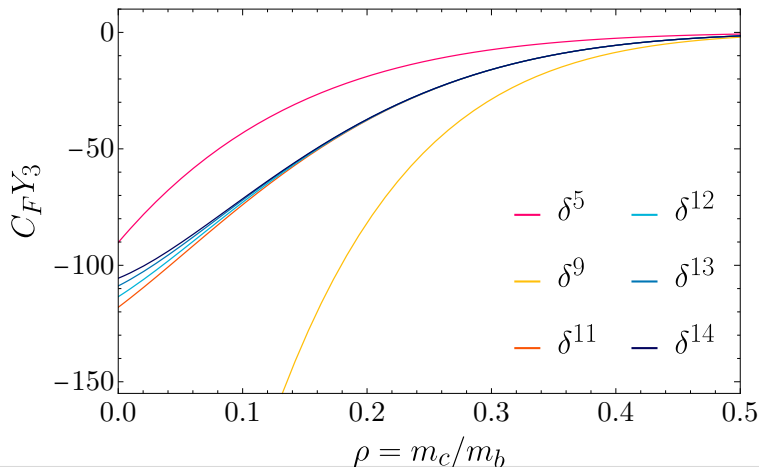
■ m_c is expressed through meson masses via the HQET relation:

$$m_b^{\text{OS}} - m_c^{\text{OS}} = \bar{m}_B - \bar{m}_D + \dots$$



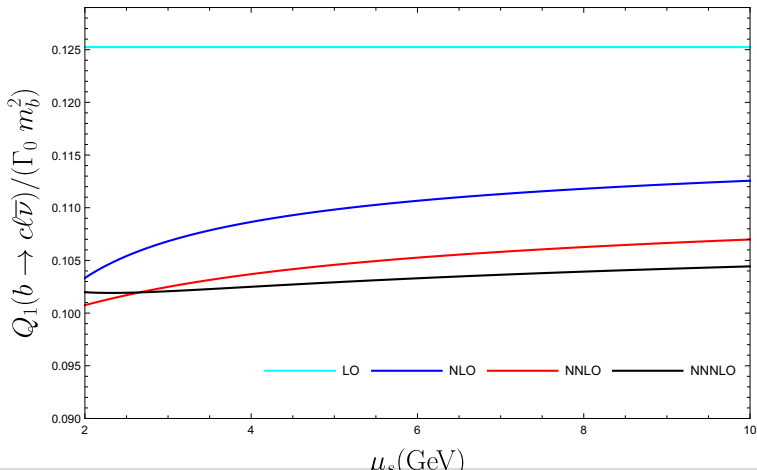
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Convergence – Muon Decays

- Specifying the color factor to QED and setting $\rho = m_e/m_\mu \approx 0$ we get the 3-loop contributions to the muon decay.

- We find:

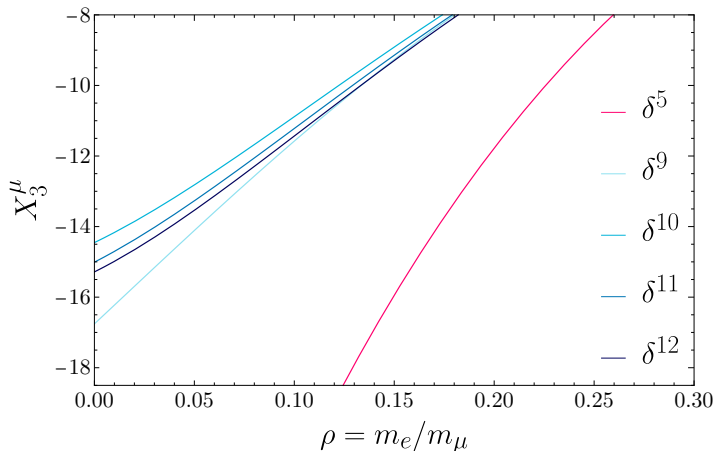
$$X_3^\mu = -15.3 \pm 2.3$$

- This leads to the shift:

$$\Delta\tau_\mu = (-9 \pm 1) \cdot 10^{-8} \mu s$$

- The current experimental value reads:

$$\tau_\mu = (2.1969811 \pm 0.0000022) \mu s$$



Conclusions

- We have calculated the relation between the kinetic and on-shell mass up to $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^3)$.
- We have computed the α_s^3 corrections to the width of $b \rightarrow c\ell\nu$.
- We performed an expansion in the limit $1 - m_c/m_b \ll 1$ and demonstrated its good convergence.
- The result is one of the few third order corrections involving two mass scales.
- The results have been used to improve the inclusive determination of $|V_{cb}|$.
- The results are also relevant for $b \rightarrow u\ell\nu$ and the muon decay.

Outlook

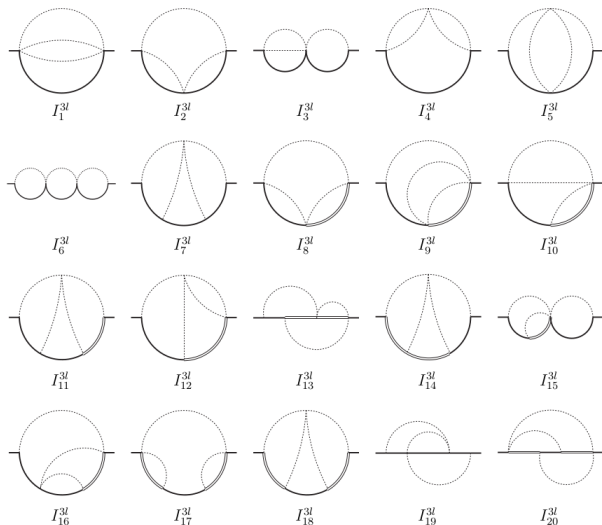
- The method of calculation can be applied for the calculation of moments of the differential distributions.

Backup

Calculation of the Master Integrals – ultrasoft regions

Three types of propagators left:

- massless propagators:
 k_i^2 (dotted lines)
- eikonal propagators:
 $2k_i \cdot p$ (double lines)
- 'massive' eikonal propagators:
 $2k_i \cdot p - y$ (solid lines)

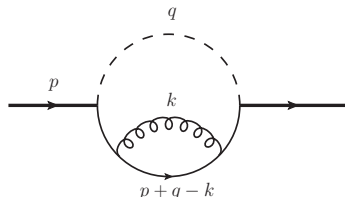


The expansion in $\delta = 1 - m_c/m_b$ is very similar to the threshold expansion for the kinetic mass:

- We use the method of regions to perform the expansion.
[Beneke, Smirnov (Nucl. Phys. B (1998))]
- Loop momenta can either scale hard $k_i \sim m_b$ or ultra-soft $k_i \sim \delta m_b$ (regions have been cross-checked with Asy). [Pak, Smirnov (Eur. Phys. J. C (2011))]
- The momentum of the electron-neutrino loop can be integrated trivially.
- The properties of the asymptotic expansion allow to factorize the leptonic system completely.

⇒ We can reduce our 5-loop to 3-loop integrals with integer powers without any integration-by-parts.

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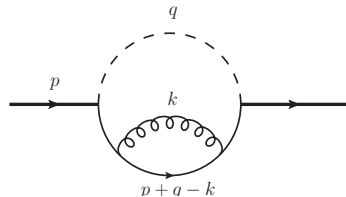
$$\sim \int \frac{d^4q d^4k}{[q^2]^\alpha [(p+q)^2 - m_c^2]^2 [k^2] [(p+q+k)^2 - m_c^2]}$$

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$$\rightarrow \int \frac{d^4q}{[q^2]^\alpha [2p \cdot q + 2m_b^2 \delta]^2} \times \int \frac{d^4k}{[k^2] [(k+p)^2 - m_b^2]}$$

Asymptotic Expansion – Example

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■ case 2: q and k are ultra-soft ($q, k \sim \delta m_b$);

$$\begin{aligned} &\rightarrow \int \frac{d^4q d^4k}{[q^2]^\alpha [2p \cdot q + 2m_b^2 \delta]^2 [k^2] [2p \cdot k + \underbrace{2p \cdot q + 2m_b^2 \delta}_{\text{fixed combination}}]} \\ &= \int \frac{d^4q}{[q^2]^\alpha [2p \cdot q + 2m_b^2 \delta]^\beta} \times \int \frac{d^4k}{[k^2] [2p \cdot k + 1]} \end{aligned}$$

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