

Systematic Parametrisation and Operator Product Expansion for the B_q -meson Light-Cone Distribution Amplitude

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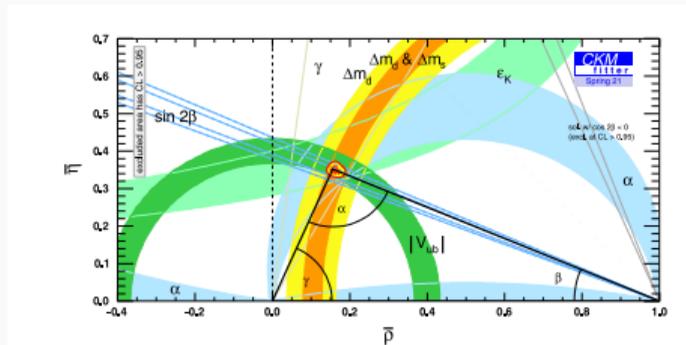
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Important goals of **B-physics phenomenology**:

- Constraining the CKM unitarity triangle in the SM
- Indirect probes of physics beyond the SM



Theoretical predictions need information on non-perturbative **hadronic matrix elements**, e.g.

$$B \rightarrow \ell \nu$$

Need decay constant f_B
(Can extract V_{ub})
Have lattice prediction

$$B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$$

Need transition form factor
Have lattice prediction

$$B \rightarrow \gamma \ell \nu$$

Need transition form factors
Cannot use lattice
Have **QCD factorisation!**

Role of the B -meson LCDA

Example for factorisation theorem

$$\mathcal{M}(B \rightarrow \gamma \ell \bar{\nu}) \sim m_B f_B \int_0^1 \frac{d\omega}{\omega} T(\omega, \dots) \phi_+(\omega)$$

with perturbative **process dependent kernel T**

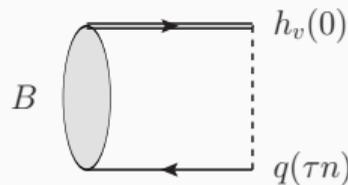
and non-perturbative **process independent $\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu)$** :

- Describes **momentum distribution** of partons in the B meson
- Formally, matrix element of **non-local operator**, [Grozin, Neubert (1997)]

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau) \propto \langle 0 | \bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v(0) | \bar{B}(v) \rangle$$

- Not available from first principles (yet?), only **encoded in data!**

$$\phi_+(\omega) = \int \frac{d\tau}{2\pi} e^{i\omega\tau} \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau)$$



What information about $\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau)$ is available?

E.g. “inverse moment” λ_B^{-1}

Measurable (pseudo-) observable in $B \rightarrow \gamma \ell \nu$

$$\lambda_B^{-1} = \int_0^\infty \frac{d\tau}{2\pi} \tilde{\phi}_+(-i\tau) \stackrel{!}{=} \text{finite}$$

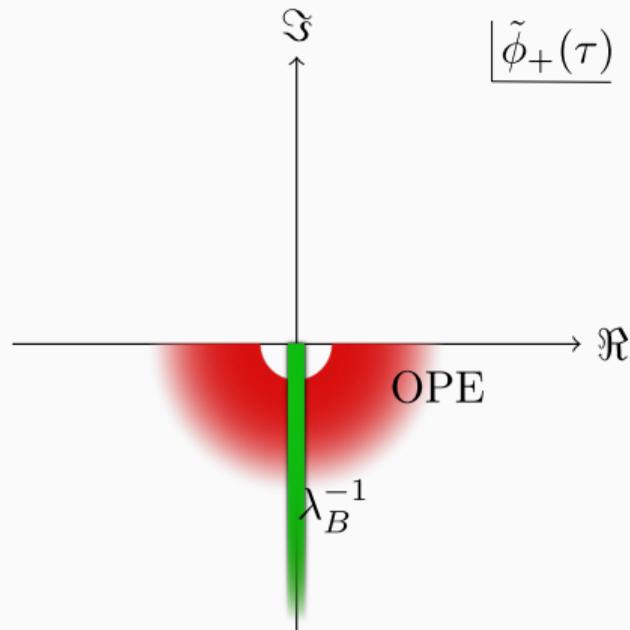
⇒ Constrains behaviour for **large** τ

“operator product expansion” (OPE)

Theory/analyticity:

Lower half plane is analytic except for the origin

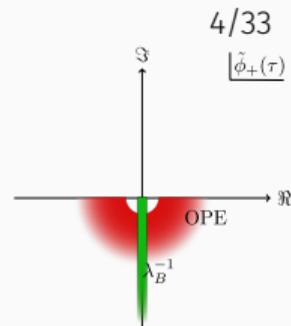
⇒ Constrains behaviour for **small** τ



Operator product expansion

Expand the bilocal operator using τ -dependent coefficients and local operators

Ultimate goal: connect information of OPE coefficients to the relevant region



$$\bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{K_n} c_k^{(n)}(\tau) \mathcal{O}_k^{(n)}(0)$$

$$= c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) \quad \text{dim-3}$$

$$+ c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (in \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (iv \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) \quad \text{dim-4}$$

$$+ \dots \quad \text{dim} \geq 5$$

- Determine coefficients in a matching calculation
- Dimensional grounds: $c_{3-n}^{(k)} \propto \tau^n$

⇒ How does this work on tree level?

$\bar{q}(\tau n)[\tau n, 0] \not{n} \gamma_5 h_V(0) = c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q} \not{n} \gamma_5 h_V$	dim-3
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$+ \dots$	dim ≥ 5

- Extract **coefficients** using **partonic** matrix element $\langle 0 | \dots | q(k) h_V \rangle$
- **Wilson line** at LO: $[\tau n, 0] = 1 + \mathcal{O}(g_s)$

Result:

[Grozin, Neubert (1997)]

$$c_1^{(3)}(\tau) = 1 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s), \quad c_1^{(4)}(\tau) = -i\tau + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s), \quad c_2^{(4)}(\tau) = 0 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s)$$

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$+ \dots$	dim ≥ 5

Connect to **hadronic** matrix element $\langle 0 | \dots | \bar{B} \rangle$:

- LHS yields LCDA by definition,

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v(0) | \bar{B} \rangle \propto \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau)$$

- RHS yields (just a few) **hadronic constants**, e.g.

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q} (i n \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v | \bar{B} \rangle \propto \frac{4}{3} \bar{\Lambda}$$

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q} (i v \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v | \bar{B} \rangle \propto \bar{\Lambda}$$

⇒ Insert coefficients, obtain expression for the LCDA!

$\bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v(0) = c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q} \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v$	dim-3
$+ c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q} (i n \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q} (i v \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v$	dim-4
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The **OPE result** at tree-level (LO) up to mass dimension 4:

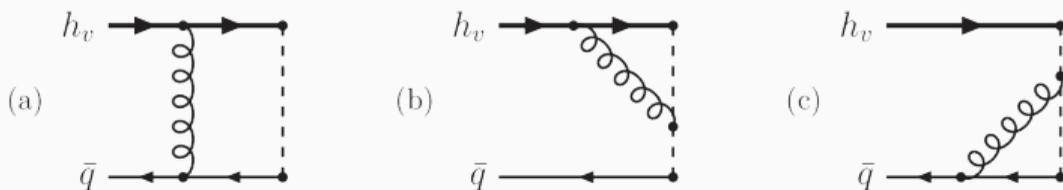
$$\tilde{\phi}_+^{\text{OPE}}(\tau) \Big|_{\text{LO, dim-4}} = 1 - i\tau \frac{4\bar{\Lambda}}{3}$$

- Can easily extend this to higher mass dimensions – introduce new constants
- Limited range of validity (does not fall off)
- Cannot calculate inverse moment λ_B^{-1}
- Local limit $\tau \rightarrow 0$ is well-defined at tree-level (LO)

What about radiative corrections (NLO)?

Radiative corrections appear on the **partonic side** (in the coefficients)

For the bilocal operator (LHS):



For example,

[Lee, Neubert (2005)] [Kawamura, Tanaka (2009)]

$$c_1^{(3)}(\tau) = 1 - \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(2 \log(i\tau \mu e^{\gamma_E})^2 + 2 \log(i\tau \mu e^{\gamma_E}) + \frac{5\pi^2}{12} \right) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2)$$

- Manifestly **scale dependent** (must compensate the hard scattering kernel)
- Now even singular for $\tau \rightarrow 0$ (“renormalisation and local limit do not commute”)
- Limit $\tau \rightarrow \infty$ remains incompatible with finite λ_B^{-1}
 \Rightarrow Need some means of extrapolation from OPE and other quantities!

Here briefly, later in detail:

Renormalisation group evolution

LCDA is scale dependent

Scale evolution is **convolution**:

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu) = \int d\tau' \gamma(\tau, \tau'; \mu, \mu_0) \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau'; \mu_0)$$

⇒ Difficult, esp. numerically

Finite spectator quark mass

BSM physics: e.g. $\bar{B}_s \rightarrow \gamma \mu^+ \mu^-$

- Also uses LCDAs
- New dimensionful scale in the OPE
- What about radiative corrections?

Parametrisation

Model-based analysis

- Construct model that fulfills the general properties (to some extent)
- Popular **exponential model** (single parameter) [Grozin, Neubert (1997)]:

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau) = \frac{1}{(1 + i\lambda_B \tau)^2}$$

Local limit like tree-level OPE and falls off to produce inverse moment

- **Problem:** there are more pseudo-observables than λ_B^{-1}
- ⇒ Those will be (highly) correlated!

Model-independent analysis

- Parametrisation has **infinite parameters**:

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k(\mu) f_k(\tau; \mu)$$

⇒ Everything is decorrelated

- What about convergence? Need truncation!
- Estimate of the error?
- Must fulfill constraints order-by-order

Is this possible??

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu) = \sum_{k=0}^K a_k(\mu) f_k(\tau; \mu)$$

Important considerations:

- Control the truncation error ($K < \infty$) with a **bound**:

$$\chi \equiv \sum_k |a_k|^2 = |a_0|^2 + |a_1|^2 + |a_2|^2 + \dots$$

- Construct this with **weighted** integral

$$\chi(\mu) \equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d\tau}{2\pi} \left| \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu) \right|^2 |r(\tau; \mu)|^2, \quad 0 < \chi < \infty$$

- Choose the **weight function** according to known LCDA behaviour
- Keep series convergence in mind (low-order behavior)

Result

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$$y(\tau) = \frac{i\omega_0\tau - 1}{i\omega_0\tau + 1}$$

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu_0) = \frac{1}{(1 + i\omega_0\tau)^2} \sum_{k=0}^K a_k(\mu_0) y(\tau)^k$$
$$\phi_+(\omega; \mu_0) = \frac{\omega}{\omega_0^2} e^{-\frac{\omega}{\omega_0}} \sum_{k=0}^K a_k(\mu_0) \frac{L_k^{(1)}(2\omega/\omega_0)}{1+k}$$

Additional features:

- Auxilliary dimensionful scale ω_0 to “measure” the scalar coefficients
- **Simple** functional form (and also for the Fourier transform)
- Generalises/extends the **exponential model**
- Numerically **efficient** RG evolution

⇒ Can we connect this to the OPE?

Test case: model for the radiative tail

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Model that reflects OPE-induced “radiative tail” [Lee, Neubert (2005)]:

$$\phi_+(\omega, \mu) = \mathcal{N} \frac{\omega e^{-\omega/\bar{\omega}}}{\bar{\omega}^2} + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi} \frac{\theta(\omega - \omega_t)}{\omega} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} - \ln \frac{\omega}{\mu} + 4 \frac{\bar{\Lambda}_{\text{DA}}}{3\omega} \left(2 - \ln \frac{\omega}{\mu} \right) \right\}$$

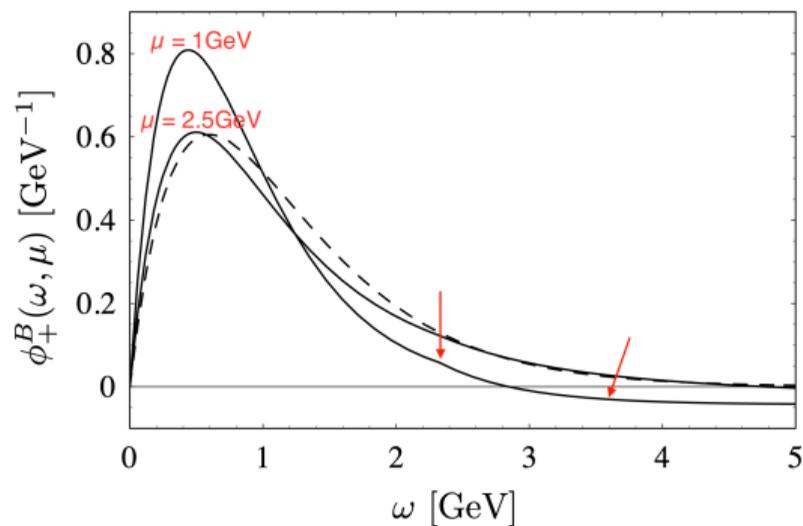
$$\phi_+(\omega) = \int \frac{d\tau}{2\pi} e^{i\omega\tau} \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau)$$

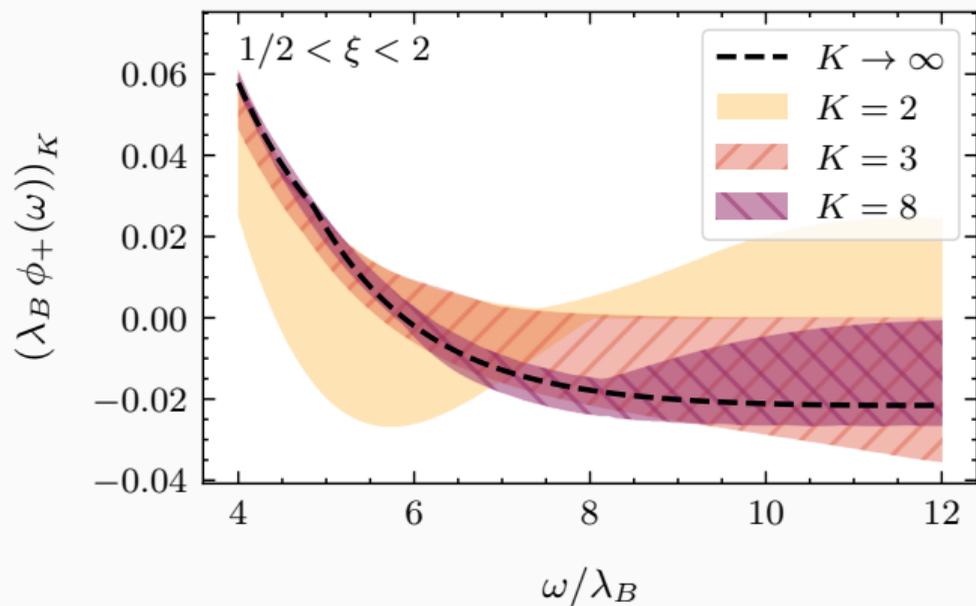
“exponential-like”

“radiative tail”/OPE

- For **small and intermediate** range of ω
- Scale-dependent parameter values are matched onto **partonic calculation**

⇒ Can we reproduce the tail?





- $K = 3$ already consistent up to large ω
 - Larger K increases “precise” range (slowly)
- ⇒ Even though the model is pathological, the **parametrisation is flexible enough!**

Renormalisation group evolution

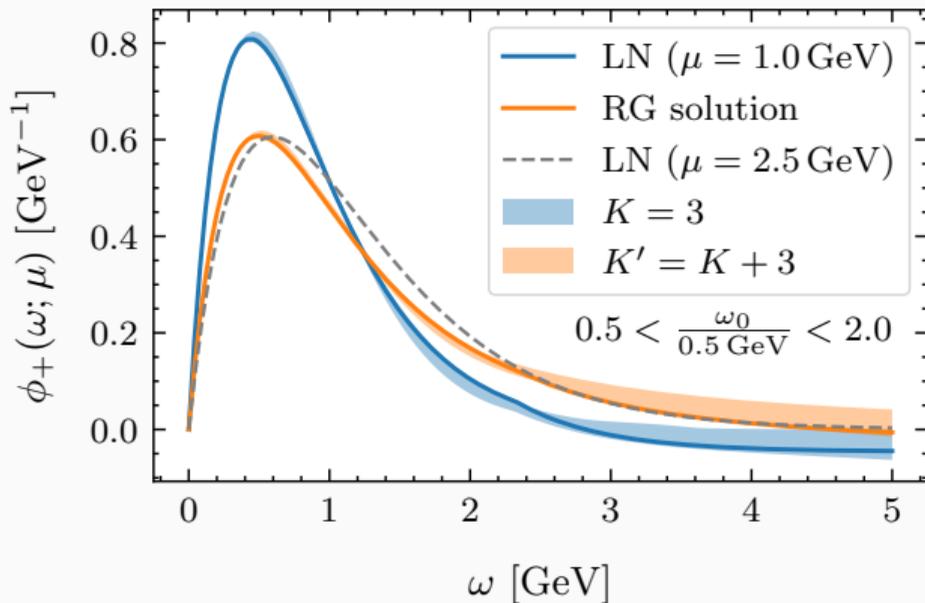
Exact RGE of the LCDA is **convolution**:

$$\tilde{\phi}_+(\tau; \mu) = \int d\tau' \gamma(\tau, \tau'; \mu, \mu_0) \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau'; \mu_0)$$

Numerically **faster** for the parameters:

$$a_{k'}(\mu) = e^V \left(\frac{\hat{\mu}_0}{2\omega_0} \right)^{-g} \sum_k \mathcal{R}_{k'k}(\mu, \mu_0) a_k(\mu_0)$$

- Compute expensive matrix only once!
- Excellent **agreement** with exact result
- Uncertainty band **remains consistent** (low K for illustration)



OPE with $m_q \neq 0$

Effect of the spectator quark mass

For $m \neq 0$, one **new relevant operator** in the OPE:

$$\bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v(0) = \sum_{n=3}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{K_n} c_k^{(n)}(\tau) \mathcal{O}_k^{(n)}(0)$$

$$= c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q} \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v$$

dim-3

$$+ c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q} (in \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q} (iv \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v$$

massless dim-4

$$+ c_3^{(4)}(\tau) m \bar{q} \not{n} \gamma_5 h_v$$

massive dim-4

$$+ \text{mass dimension} \geq 5$$

On the hadronic side,

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_1^{(4)} | \bar{B}(v) \rangle \propto \frac{4\bar{\Lambda} - m}{3}, \quad \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_2^{(4)} | \bar{B}(v) \rangle \propto \bar{\Lambda}, \quad \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_3^{(4)} | \bar{B}(v) \rangle \propto -m$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau) = c_1^{(3)}(\tau) + \bar{\Lambda} \left(\frac{4}{3} c_1^{(4)}(\tau) + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) \right) - m \left(c_3^{(4)}(\tau) + \frac{1}{3} c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \right) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2)$$

What is the problem with non-zero spectator mass?

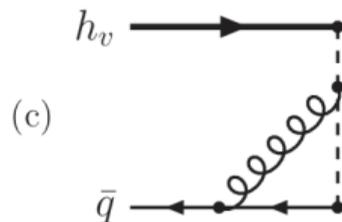
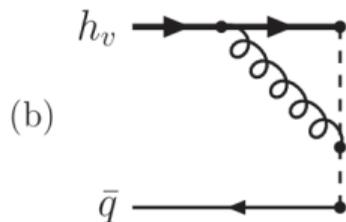
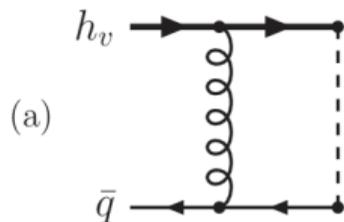
- Introduces new scale into 1-loop integrals
- ⇒ Exact position-space result at 1-loop not easily obtainable in closed form
- But we only need $\mathcal{O}(m)$ for dimension 4?
- ⇒ Yes, but needs careful calculation!

Dimensional regularisation can lead to non-analytical behaviour of intermediate results!

Base the calculation on a simple setup available in literature

- Need **single new** Wilson coefficient \Rightarrow use not the most general but simple setup
- Extracts a sum of coefficients; further use result by Kawamura and Tanaka
- Our choice corresponds to the “non-relativistic setup”:
heavy-quark velocity v^μ , spectator-quark momentum mv^μ
- They give **momentum-space** results for the three 1-loop contributions $I_i^+(\omega)$:

[Bell, Feldmann (2008)
arXiv:0802.2221]



Matching relation (massive case)

Obtain **matching relation** from **partonic matrix element** $\langle 0 | \dots | \bar{q} h_v \rangle$ of the OPE

- Leads to:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 - im\tau + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}^+(\tau) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2, \alpha_s^2) & \quad \text{bilocal operator} \\ = c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}_1^{(3)} \right) + m c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}_1^{(4)} \right) & \quad \text{local operators} \\ + m c_2^{(4)}(\tau) - m c_3^{(4)}(\tau) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2, \alpha_s^2) & \end{aligned}$$

- Expanded in m on the LHS
- Local 1-loop contributions are taken into account on the RHS:

$$\tilde{l}_1^{(3)} = \int_0^\infty d\omega l^+(\omega) \quad \text{and} \quad \tilde{l}_1^{(4)} = \frac{1}{m} \int_0^\infty d\omega \omega l^+(\omega)$$

$$1 - im\tau + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}^+(\tau) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2, \alpha_s^2)$$

bilocal operator

$$= c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}_1^{(3)} \right) + m c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \tilde{l}_1^{(4)} \right)$$

local operators

$$+ m c_2^{(4)}(\tau) - m c_3^{(4)}(\tau) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2, \alpha_s^2)$$

Re-arrange in terms of powers of α_s

↓

$$\frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\tilde{l}^+(\tau) - \tilde{l}_1^{(3)} + im\tau \tilde{l}_1^{(4)} \right)$$

$$= \left(c_1^{(3)}(\tau) - 1 \right) + m \left(i\tau + c_1^{(4)}(\tau) + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) - c_3^{(4)}(\tau) \right) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2, \alpha_s^2)$$

The **sum** of non-local and local terms on the LHS now allows **expansion** in $m!$

Example: vertex-like piece

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Take **vertex correction** as **illustration** how this works

- In momentum space:

$$I_a^+(\omega) = 2\omega \Gamma(1 + \epsilon) \left(\frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{(m - \omega)^2} \right)^\epsilon \left\{ \frac{2}{(m - \omega)^2} - \frac{\theta(m - \omega)}{m(m - \omega)} - \frac{\theta(\omega - m)}{\omega(\omega - m)} \right\}$$

- Calculate the Fourier transform and expand *after* in m

$$\tilde{I}_a^+(\tau) = \int_0^\infty d\omega e^{-i\omega\tau} I_a^+(\omega) = \frac{2}{\epsilon} - 2L + 3 \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} - 2 - i\tau m \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} - 6L + 5 \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} + 7 \right) + \mathcal{O}(m^2, \epsilon)$$

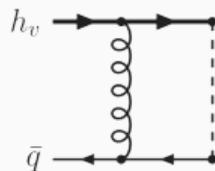
with $L = \log i\tau\mu e^{\gamma_E}$, exponential integral function $\text{Ei}(z)$

- Local contributions added in the matching relation:

$$\tilde{\gamma}_{1,a}^{(3)} = \int_0^\infty d\omega I_a^+(\omega) = \frac{3}{\epsilon} + 3 \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} - 2 + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

$$\tilde{\gamma}_{1,a}^{(4)} = \frac{1}{m} \int_0^\infty d\omega \omega I_a^+(\omega) = \frac{5}{\epsilon} + 5 \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m^2} + 3 + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

⇒ Result is free of **IR logs**; the *sum* can be linearized in m before FT



Pieces remain with gluon exchange from **Wilson line** and each of the quarks

- Gluon coupling to the **heavy quark** yields

$$\tilde{l}_b^+(\tau) = e^{-i\tau m} \left(-\frac{1}{\epsilon^2} - \frac{2L}{\epsilon} - 2L^2 - \frac{5\pi^2}{12} \right) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$$

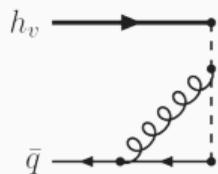
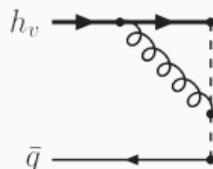
- A *universal* contribution to all orders in mass dimension
- No local subtractions (integrals in dim-reg are scaleless)
- Gluon coupling to the **light quark** vanishes:

$$l_c^+(\omega) = 2\Gamma(\epsilon) \int_0^m dk \frac{m-k}{m} \left(\frac{\mu^2 e^{\gamma_E}}{k^2} \right)^\epsilon \frac{\delta(k-m+\omega) - \delta(\omega-m)}{k}$$

Only involves low-momentum region $\omega < m$

⇒ Expansion of the Fourier integral and dim-reg commute and

$$\tilde{l}_c^+(\tau) - \tilde{l}_{1,c}^{(3)} + im\tau \tilde{l}_{1,c}^{(4)} = \int_0^\infty d\omega \left(e^{-i\omega\tau} - 1 + i\omega\tau \right) l_c^+(\omega) = 0$$



The new **mass-induced** Wilson coefficient:

$$c_3^{(4)}(\tau) = -i\tau \left[\frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} (L - 1) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \right]$$

Yields **OPE form** of the LCDA:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau) = & \left[1 - i\tau \frac{4\bar{\Lambda} - m}{3} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(2L^2 + 2L + \frac{5\pi^2}{12} \right) \right] \\ & + i\tau \bar{\Lambda} \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\frac{8}{3} L - 3 \right) + i\tau m \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\frac{4}{3} L - 1 \right) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2, \tau^2) \end{aligned}$$

⇒ What's the impact in a global analysis? Connect to the parametrisation

Important caveat:

- QCD factorization formulas and sum rules (primarily) probe the **low- ω region**
- ⇒ Radiative tail cannot predict this!

What *can* we do?

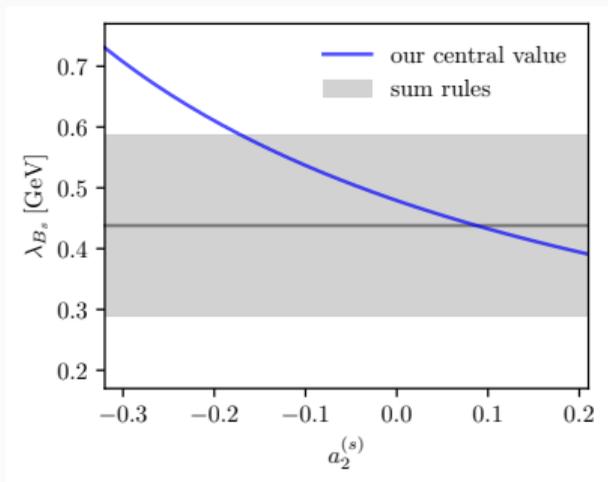
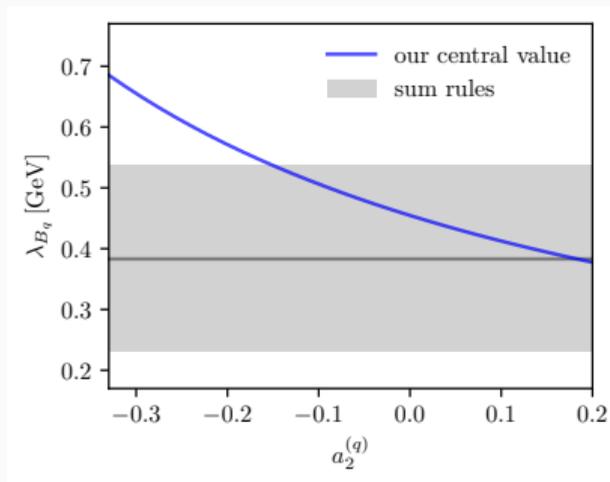
Make (strong) ad-hoc assumptions and check for consistency ⇒ sanity check

- Assume **truncation** $K = 2$ is sufficient ⇒ Relate a_0, a_1, a_2 via **two** OPE constraints
- Assume that the **bound saturates** rapidly to constrain a_2 :

$$\frac{|a_1^{(q)}|^2}{|a_0^{(q)}|^2 + |a_1^{(q)}|^2} < 0.25, \quad \frac{|a_2^{(q)}|^2}{|a_0^{(q)}|^2 + |a_1^{(q)}|^2 + |a_2^{(q)}|^2} < 0.1, \quad \Rightarrow \quad \dots < a_2^{(q)} < \dots$$

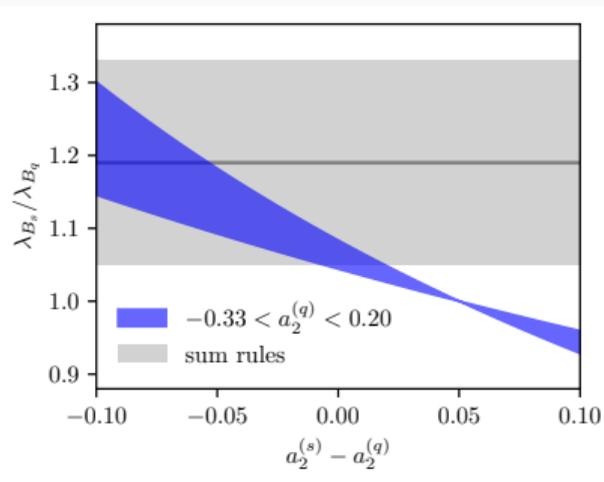
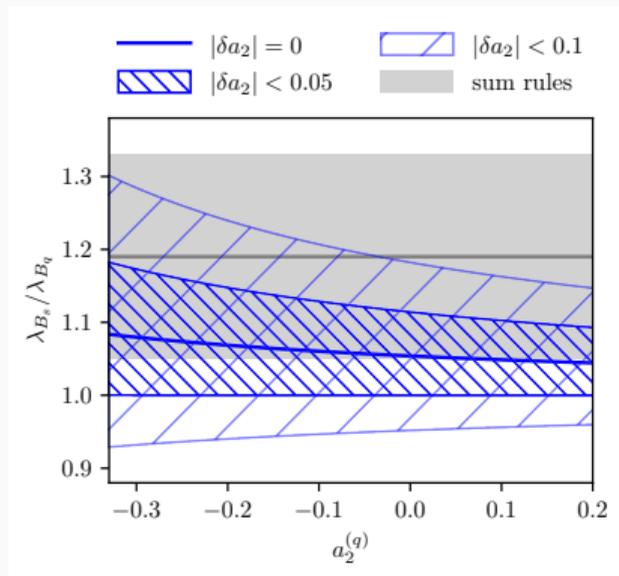
- Fix ω_0 due to simultaneous convergence of OPE and parametrization

⇒ Check results!



- Comparison to recent sum rule calculation
- ⇒ Large overlap, no “finetuning” required
- Not shown: difference of individual $a_i^{(q,s)}$ is about 10% to 15%

[Khodjamirian et al. (2020)]



- Comparison to recent sum rule calculation

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- Now **two** varied parameters $a_2^{(q,s)}$

- Vary $a_2^{(q)}$ as before and examine **difference** $\delta a_2 = a_2^{(s)} - a_2^{(q)}$

⇒ Again, large overlap consistent with $\delta a_2 = 0$, but favoring $\delta a_2 < 0$

Summary of numerical analysis

- Find a consistent picture, even with aggressive assumptions
- ⇒ OPE is **well suited** for global analysis using the parametrization
- Not shown: dominant source is the binding energy $\bar{\Lambda}_{B_{q,s}}$, not $m_{q,s}$
- ⇒ Lends support for the application even to charmed B_c
- ⇒ Find numerically similar coefficients, but for **drastically different scales** μ_0, ω_0 :

	B_q	B_s	B_c
μ_0	1 GeV	1 GeV	2 GeV
ω_0	594 MeV	594 MeV	1.18 GeV
$\bar{\Lambda}_a$	367 MeV	437 MeV	1.24 GeV
m_a	0	106 MeV	1.00 GeV
$a_0 - a_2$	1.31	1.24	1.22
$a_1 - 2a_2$	0.47	0.42	0.35
λ_B	(380, 690) MeV	(390, 730) MeV	(0.76, 1.49) GeV

Move from simple setup to **fully general setup**

- Generic Dirac structure in the operator allows to extract **subleading** $\tilde{\phi}_-(\tau; \mu)$

operators $\dots \not{n} \gamma_5 \dots \rightarrow$ operators $\dots \Gamma \dots$

\Rightarrow Requires more terms in the OPE

- General kinematic allows to extract **individual** Wilson coefficients

mass $m \rightarrow$ mass m and momentum components $n \cdot k, v \cdot k$

\Rightarrow Profit from Taylor expansion before Fourier transform!

Additional benefits

- Cross-check because
- Independent from external input (massless Wilson coefficients)
- Extendable to NNLO
- Renders operator basis transparent

Generic operator basis to mass dimension 4:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{O}_\Gamma(\tau) &= \bar{q}(\tau n) [\tau n, 0] \Gamma h_\nu(0) \\
 &= c_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) \frac{\not{n}\not{\psi}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) + d_1^{(3)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) \frac{\psi\not{n}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) \\
 &\quad + c_1^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (in \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \frac{\not{n}\not{\psi}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) + d_1^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (in \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \frac{\psi\not{n}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) \\
 &\quad + c_2^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (iv \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \frac{\not{n}\not{\psi}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) + d_2^{(4)}(\tau) \bar{q}(0) (iv \cdot \overleftarrow{D}) \frac{\psi\not{n}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) \\
 &\quad + c_3^{(4)}(\tau) m \bar{q}(0) \frac{2\not{\psi} - \not{n}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) + d_3^{(4)}(\tau) m \bar{q}(0) \frac{\not{n}}{2} \Gamma h_\nu(0) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2)
 \end{aligned}$$

Using “light-cone projectors”

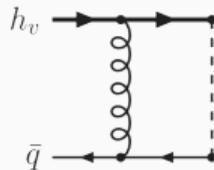
$$P_+ = \frac{\not{n}\not{\psi}}{2} = \frac{\not{n}\not{n}}{4}, \quad P_- = \frac{\psi\not{n}}{2} = \frac{\not{n}\not{n}}{4}$$

- Massless terms come with even number of Dirac matrices
- Linear terms in m come with odd number of Dirac matrices
- $\Gamma = \not{n}\gamma_5$ recovers previous calculation since $n \cdot n = 0, v \cdot n = 1$

Vertex correction piece, generic

Vertex correction with **generic operator** inserted:

$$I_a^\Gamma(\omega, m, k) = -i \int [d\ell] \delta(\omega - n \cdot (k - \ell)) \frac{\bar{v}(k) \psi(-k + \ell + m) \Gamma u(v)}{[(k - \ell)^2 - m^2 + i0][v \cdot \ell + i0][\ell^2 + i0]}$$



Linearise with local subtractions first and then perform the **Fourier transform**:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int_0^\infty d\omega \left(e^{-i\omega\tau} - 1 + i\omega\tau + \dots \right) I_a^\Gamma(\omega, m, k) \\ = & \bar{v}(k) \left\{ \left(-\frac{1}{\epsilon} - 2L + \left(\frac{1}{2\epsilon} + L \right) i\tau(n \cdot k) + \left(\frac{2}{\epsilon} + 4L - 3 \right) i\tau(v \cdot k) \right) \frac{\not{h}\psi}{2} \right. \\ & + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon} + 2L - \left(\frac{1}{2\epsilon} + L \right) i\tau(n \cdot k) + \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon} + 2L - 3 \right) i\tau(v \cdot k) \right) \frac{\psi\not{h}}{2} \\ & \left. - \left(\frac{1}{2\epsilon} + L - 1 \right) i\tau m \psi + \mathcal{O}(\tau^2) \right\} \Gamma u(v) \end{aligned}$$

⇒ Can **read off** contributions to Wilson coefficients

New [hadronic parameters](#) at mass dimension 5

- For local dimension-5 operators,

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q} i \overleftarrow{D}^\mu i \overleftarrow{D}^\nu \Gamma h_\nu | \bar{B} \rangle \sim \text{five tensor structures}$$

- Quark equations of motion pose [three constraints](#) \Rightarrow two degrees of freedom remain
- (Canonically) define ME of [gluon field strength tensor](#) $G^{\mu\nu} = [D^\mu, D^\nu]$

$$\frac{\langle 0 | \bar{q}_\beta i G^{\mu\nu} (h_\nu)_\alpha | \bar{B}(v) \rangle}{\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_1^{(3)} | \bar{B}(v) \rangle} = \frac{1}{4} \left[(1 + \psi) \left(\frac{\lambda_H^2 - \lambda_E^2}{3} (\gamma^\mu v^\nu - \gamma^\nu v^\mu) - \frac{\lambda_H^2}{3} i \sigma^{\mu\nu} \right) \gamma_5 \right]_{\alpha\beta}$$

- But for symmetric terms, EOM introduce m as

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2} \langle 0 | \bar{q}_\beta \{ i \overleftarrow{D}^\mu, i \overleftarrow{D}^\nu \} (h_\nu)_\alpha | \bar{B}(v) \rangle}{\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_1^{(3)} | \bar{B}(v) \rangle} = -\frac{1}{4} \left[(1 + \psi) \left(\frac{6\bar{\Lambda}^2 + 2\lambda_E^2 + \lambda_H^2 - 2m\bar{\Lambda} - m^2}{3} v^\mu v^\nu \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. - \frac{\bar{\Lambda}^2 + \lambda_E^2 + \lambda_H^2 - m^2}{3} g^{\mu\nu} - \frac{2\bar{\Lambda}^2 + \lambda_E^2 - 2m\bar{\Lambda}}{6} (\gamma^\mu v^\nu + \gamma^\nu v^\mu) \right) \gamma_5 \right]_{\alpha\beta}$$

\Rightarrow Yields leading-order Mellin moments $\langle \omega^{1,2} \rangle_\pm$

For leading two-particle LCDA, we estimate

$$\begin{aligned}
 \tilde{\phi}_+(\tau) = & \left[1 - i\tau \langle \omega \rangle_+ - \tau^2 \frac{\langle \omega^2 \rangle_+}{2} \right] \left[1 - \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(2L^2 + 2L + \frac{5\pi^2}{12} \right) \right] \\
 & + i\tau \bar{\Lambda} \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\frac{8}{3}L - 3 \right) + i\tau m \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\frac{4}{3}L - 1 \right) \\
 & + \tau^2 \bar{\Lambda}^2 \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left(\frac{10}{3}L - \frac{35}{9} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m}{\bar{\Lambda}}\right) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{\lambda_{E,H}^2}{\bar{\Lambda}^2}\right) \right) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) + \mathcal{O}(\tau^3)
 \end{aligned}$$

- First line: tree-level to dimension 5, with universal 1-loop correction
- Third line: neglect mass and chromo-electric and -magnetic moments

Estimate of dimension-5 OPE at NLO

Numerical results:

$n_0 = 1/3$	tree-level, pole-scheme			1-loop ^(*) , pole-scheme			1-loop, a -scheme
	dim-3	dim-4	dim-5	dim-3	dim-4	dim-5	dim-4
	$K = 0$	$K = 1$	$K = 2$	$K = 0$	$K = 1$	$K = 2$	$K = 2$
$a_0^{(q)}$	1	1.44	1.54	0.78	1.07	1.07	(0.98, 1.51)
$a_1^{(q)}$	–	0.44	0.65	–	0.26	0.23	(–0.19, 0.87)
$a_2^{(q)}$	–	–	0.11	–	–	–0.03	(–0.33, 0.20)
$a_0^{(s)}$	1	1.37	1.43	0.78	0.99	0.96	(0.92, 1.45)
$a_1^{(s)}$	–	0.37	0.49	–	0.20	0.10	(–0.22, 0.84)
$a_2^{(s)}$	–	–	0.06	–	–	–0.06	(–0.32, 0.21)

- Completely consistent with ad-hoc procedure at dim-4
- Indicates similar amount of SU(3) breaking

Backup

“Model-Independent Properties of the B-Meson Distribution Amplitude” (2005)

Seung J. Lee, Matthias Neubert

- OPE to dimension 3 and 4 for “Mellin moments” with cutoff Λ_{UV} :

$$\langle \omega^k \rangle_+ = \int_0^{\Lambda_{UV}} d\omega \omega^k \phi_+(\omega), \quad k = 0, 1$$

- Obtained from “partonic LCDA” in [momentum space](#) at 1-loop order ($\overline{\text{MS}}$):

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_+^B(\omega, \mu)_{\text{parton}} = & \delta(\omega) \left(1 - \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{4\pi} \frac{\pi^2}{12} \right) + \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{4\pi} \left[-4 \left(\frac{\ln \frac{\omega}{\mu}}{\omega} \right)_*^{[\mu]} + 2 \left(\frac{1}{\omega} \right)_*^{[\mu]} \right] \\ & + \delta'(\omega) \left\{ -n \cdot p \left[1 - \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{4\pi} \left(1 + \frac{\pi^2}{12} \right) \right] + v \cdot p \frac{C_F \alpha_s}{4\pi} \right\} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

⇒ [Complicated distributions](#) due to non-local operator with Wilson line

- Extract “radiative tail” from cut-off Mellin moment $\langle \omega^0 \rangle_+$

“Operator product expansion for B-meson distribution amplitude and dimension-5 HQET operators” (2008)

HiroYuki Kawamura, Kazuhiro Tanaka

- OPE calculation of the LCDA directly
- Up to mass dimension 5, i.e. $\propto \tau^2$ at 1-loop order ($\overline{\text{MS}}$)
- Involved framework in [position space](#), few details, few intermediate results given
- For example, 1-loop 1PI diagrams (“1LDs”) yield (before renormalization)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{1LDs} = & \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{2\pi} \int_0^1 d\xi \left[\left\{ - \left(\frac{1}{2\varepsilon_{UV}^2} + \frac{L}{\varepsilon_{UV}} + L^2 + \frac{5\pi^2}{24} \right) \delta(1-\xi) + \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{UV}} - \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{IR}} \right) \left(\frac{\xi}{1-\xi} \right)_+ \right. \right. \\
 & \left. \left. - \left(\frac{1}{2\varepsilon_{IR}} + L \right) \right\} \langle \bar{q}(\xi tn) \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) \rangle - t \left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon_{IR}} + 2L - 1 - \xi \right) \langle \bar{q}(\xi tn) v \cdot \overleftarrow{D} \not{h} \gamma_5 h_v(0) \rangle \right] + \dots
 \end{aligned}$$

Here: (Simpler) distributions

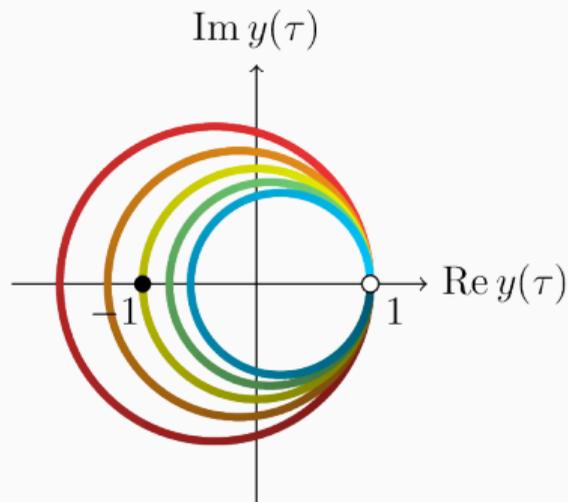
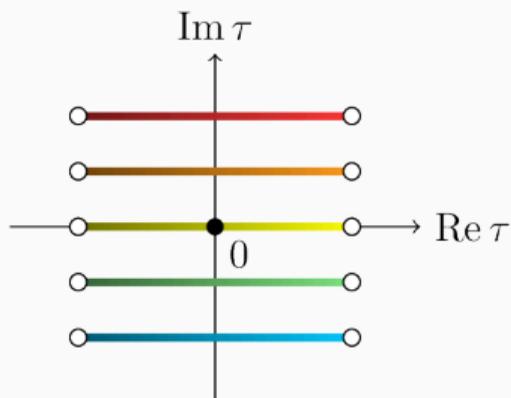
“Strange-quark mass effects in the B_s meson’s light-cone distribution amplitude” (2023)

Thorsten Feldmann, PL, Nicolas Seitz – [our new paper](#)

In comparison:

- OPE calculation of the LCDA directly
- Up to mass dimension 4, i.e. $\propto \tau^1$ at 1-loop order ($\overline{\text{MS}}$)
- Including spectator quark mass, i.e. extend application from $B_{u,d}$ to B_s
- Systematic and explicit framework for calculation in [momentum space](#)
- Optimize for extraction of Wilson coefficients
 - Avoid intermediate calculation of distributions
 - Allow convenient Taylor expansion w.r.t. dimensionful scales
- Investigate suitability for [global analysis](#)
- Results for subleading two-particle LCDA $\phi_-(\tau; \mu)$

Mapping onto the unit circle



$$y(\tau) = \frac{i\omega_0\tau - 1}{i\omega_0\tau + 1}$$

(using auxilliary parameter)

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &\mapsto -1 \\ \mathbb{R} &\mapsto D_1 \\ \lim_{|\tau| \rightarrow \infty} &\tau \mapsto +1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} d\tau \cdot \rightsquigarrow \oint_{\partial D_1} dy \cdot$$

- The bound (with **weight function**) takes the form

$$\chi = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} |\Phi_+(\tau(y))|^2 |r(\tau(y))|^2 \frac{1 + \omega_0^2 \tau(y)^2}{2\omega_0} \Bigg|_{y=e^{i\theta}}$$

- Conveniently factorise the LCDA:

$$\Phi_+(\tau) \equiv \frac{f_+(y(\tau))}{r(\tau)(1 + i\omega_0\tau)}, \quad \Phi_+^*(\tau) = \frac{f_+^*(y^*(\tau))}{r^*(\tau)(1 - i\omega_0\tau)}$$

- Then, with **parameters**,

$$\chi = \frac{1}{2\omega_0} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} |f_+(e^{i\theta})|^2 \stackrel{!}{\propto} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_n|^2.$$

⇒ Use math of **orthogonal polynomials on unit circle \mathbf{D}_1** .

- The set of functions spanning $f_+(y)$ is unique: **monomials** y^n , $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$