

Studies of nucleon isovector structure with the PACS10 superfine lattice

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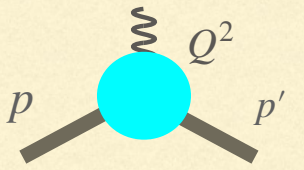
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Introduction & Lattice QCD

Internal structure of the nucleon

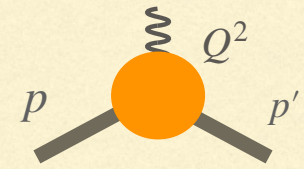
Form factor describes the internal structure : $F(q^2) = \int \rho(r) e^{iq \cdot r} d^3r$

Target : coupling $g_l = G_l(0)$, Radius $\langle r_l^2 \rangle = -\frac{6}{G_l(0)} \left. \frac{dG_l(q^2)}{dq^2} \right|_{q^2 \rightarrow 0}$ low- q^2 quantities



$$\langle N(p') | \bar{q} \gamma_\mu q | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \left[\frac{(p' + p)^\mu G_E(q^2)}{2M} - \frac{q^2 G_M(q^2)}{4M^2} + i\sigma^{\mu\nu} \frac{q_\nu G_M(q^2)}{2M} \right] u(p)$$

$\rightarrow \langle r_E^2 \rangle, \mu, \langle r_M^2 \rangle$



$$\langle N(p') | \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma_\mu \gamma_5 F_A(q^2) + i q^\mu \gamma_5 F_P(q^2) \right] u(p)$$

$\rightarrow \langle r_A^2 \rangle, g_A = F_A(0), g_{\pi NN}, g_P^*$ Local current

Evaluation of $\langle r_l^2 \rangle$ or g : Model independent analysis, z-expansion

$$G_l(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k z^k, \quad z = (\sqrt{t_{\text{cut}} + q^2} - \sqrt{t_{\text{cut}}}) / (\sqrt{t_{\text{cut}} + q^2} + \sqrt{t_{\text{cut}}}) \quad \text{with} \quad t_{\text{cut}} = \begin{cases} 4m_\pi^2 & (l = E, M) \\ 9m_\pi^2 & (l = A) \end{cases} \quad 2$$

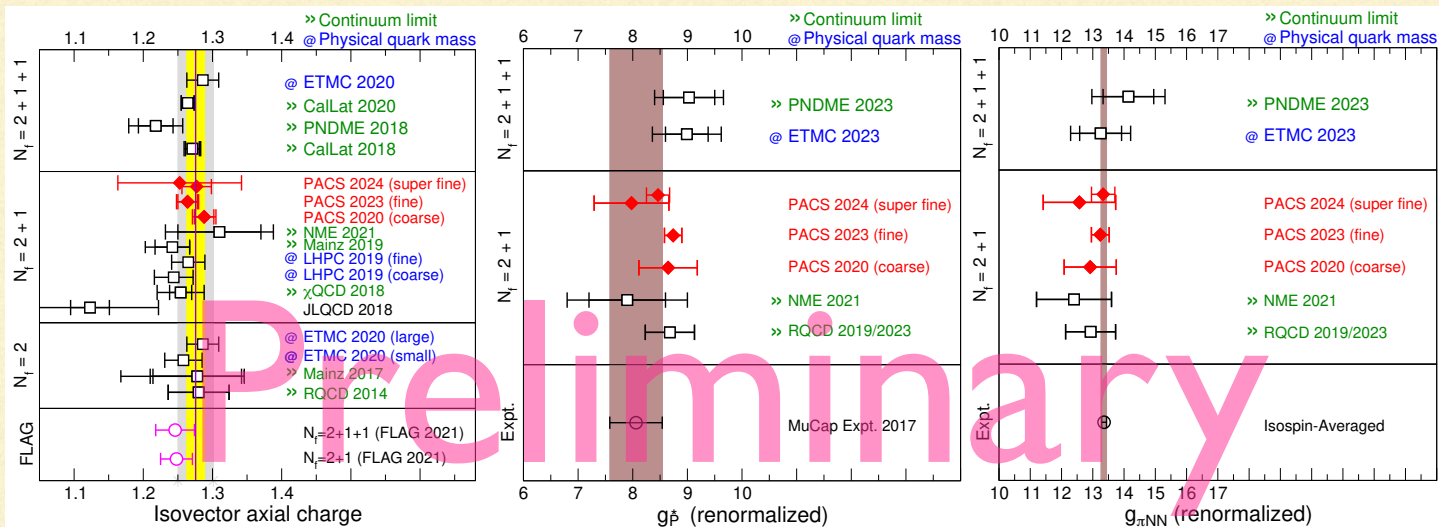
Nucleon structures from lattice QCD

Uncertainties in the calculation

- Statistical error
- Excited-state contamination
- Model-dependence in the analysis
- Chiral-Continuum-Finite-size extrapolation

PACS2020[1] + PACS2023[2]:

- ✓ Improvement by AMA
- ✓ Tuning the smearing
- ✓ Model-independent method
- Large-volume at physical point



Numerical results I

- Preliminary results for superfine 256^4 lattice
: G_E, G_M, F_A, g_A and Lattice spacing effect

Simulation details -PACSI0

	128^4	160^4	256^4
L [fm]	$\sim (10.9 \text{ fm})^3$	$\sim (10.1 \text{ fm})^3$	$\sim (10.1 \text{ fm})^3$
m_π [GeV]	0.135	0.138	~ 0.142
m_K [GeV]	0.497	0.505	~ 0.514
M_N [GeV]	~ 0.935	~ 0.947	~ 0.959
Cutoff [GeV]	2.3	3.1	4.7
Lattice spacing	coarse $\sim 0.085 \text{ fm}$	fine $\sim 0.063 \text{ fm}$	Super fine $\sim 0.04 \text{ fm}$

Fugaku co-design outcome: [Ishikara et al., CPC(2023)]

QCD Wide SIMD (QWS) Library for Fugaku

Resources: Fugaku in HPCI System Research Project (hp200062, hp200167, hp210112, hp220079, hp230199)

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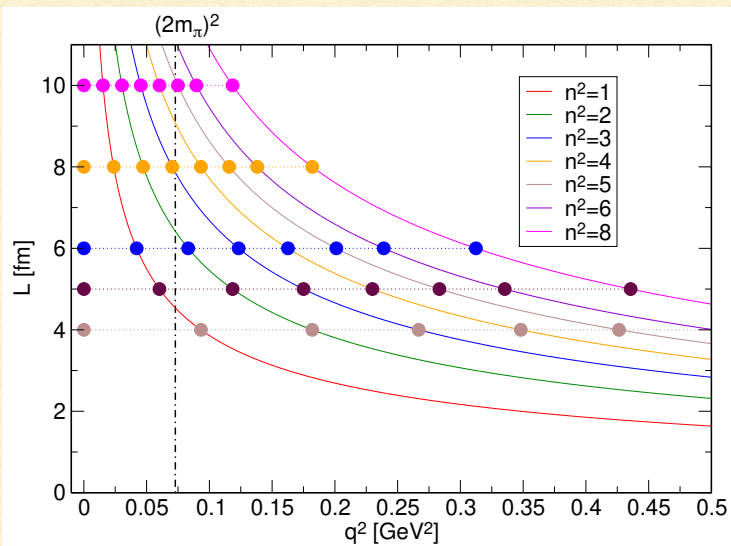
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Eliminate uncertainties

- Finite Volume effect
- Chiral extrapolation



Access low- q^2 region
 $q^2 = (2\pi/L)^2 \times |\mathbf{n}|^2 = \text{PACSI0}$



Good resolution in Low q^2
 can be achieved by
 a large-volume lattice QCD

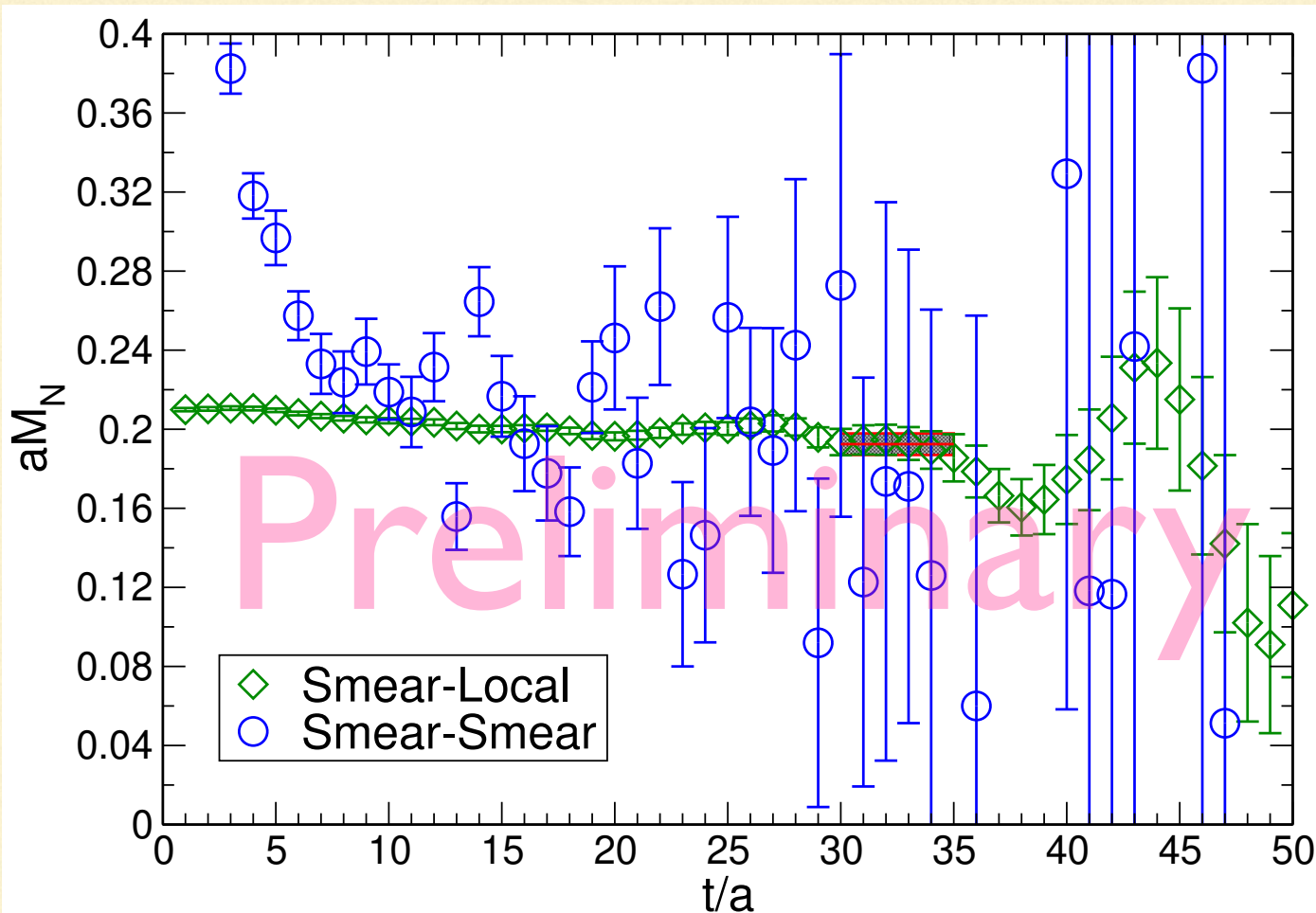
i.e. our simulation is the **BEST**
 to seek the low q^2 region!

Simulation details -PACS10

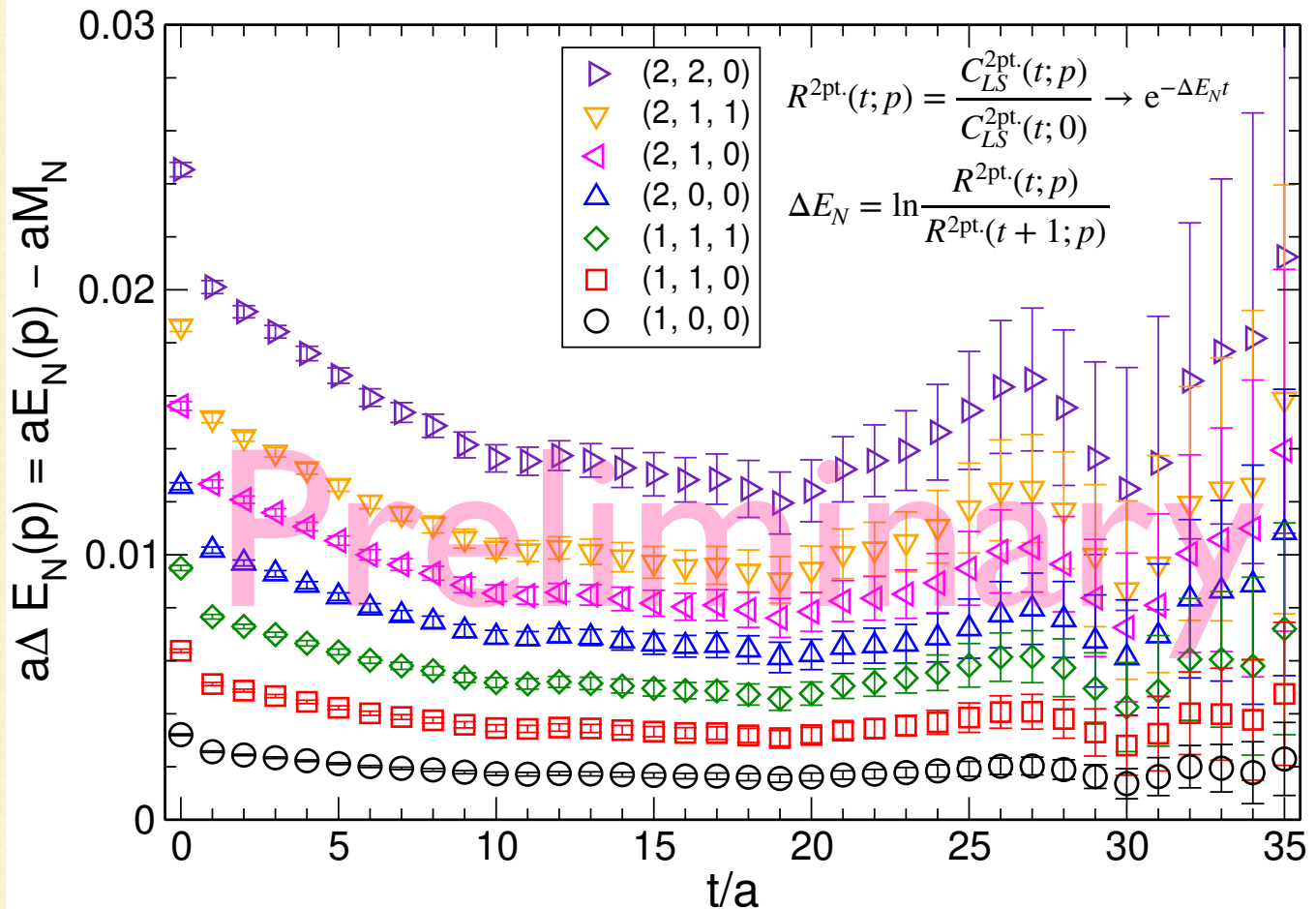
L	t_{sep}	ϵ_{high}	ϵ_{low}	N_{org}	N_G	N_{conf}	N_{meas}	Fit range
coarse	10	10^{-8}	—	1	128	20	2,560	[3:7]
	12	10^{-8}	—	1	256	20	5,120	[4:8]
	14	10^{-8}	—	2	320	20	6,400	[5:9]
	16	10^{-8}	—	4	512	20	10,240	[6:10]
fine	13	10^{-8}	—	1	64	76	4,864	[4:8]
	16	10^{-8}	—	3	192	76	14,592	[6:10]
	19	10^{-8}	—	4	768	76	58,368	[7:10]
Super fine	20	10^{-8}	—	1	16	24	384	[8:12]
	29	10^{-8}	—	1	16	50	800	[13:17]

* N_{org} and N_G : the number of high- and low-precision calculations; N_{meas} : the number of measurements ($N_{\text{meas}} = N_{\text{org}} \times N_G$)

* The low precision calculation use a fixed number of iteration for the stopping condition as several GCR iterations using tiny SAP domain size with $O(10)$ deflation fields.

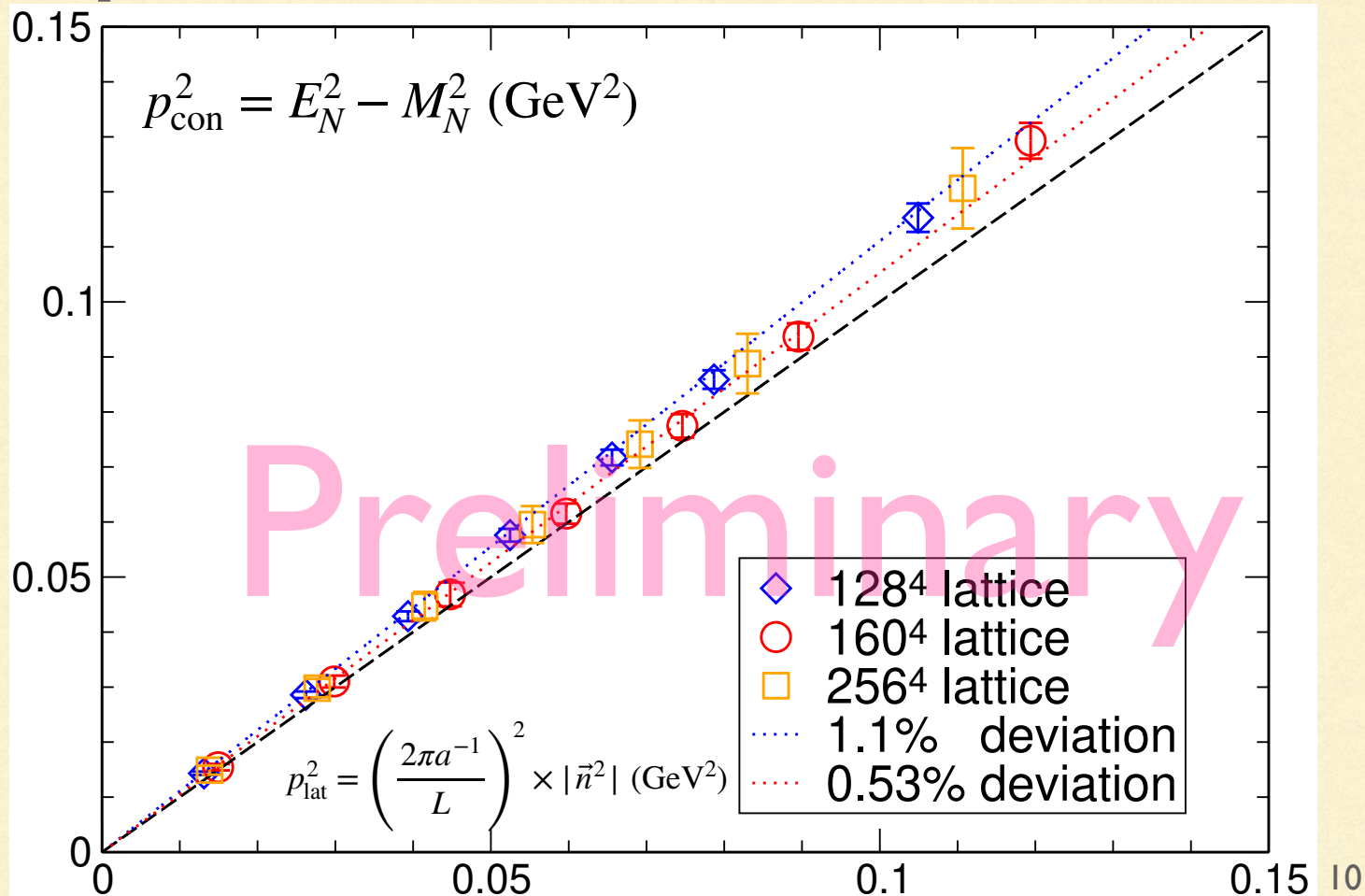
Effective mass $aM_N = 0.192(6)$, $M_N = 0.922(26)$ GeV

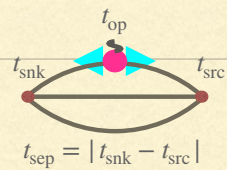
Energy difference



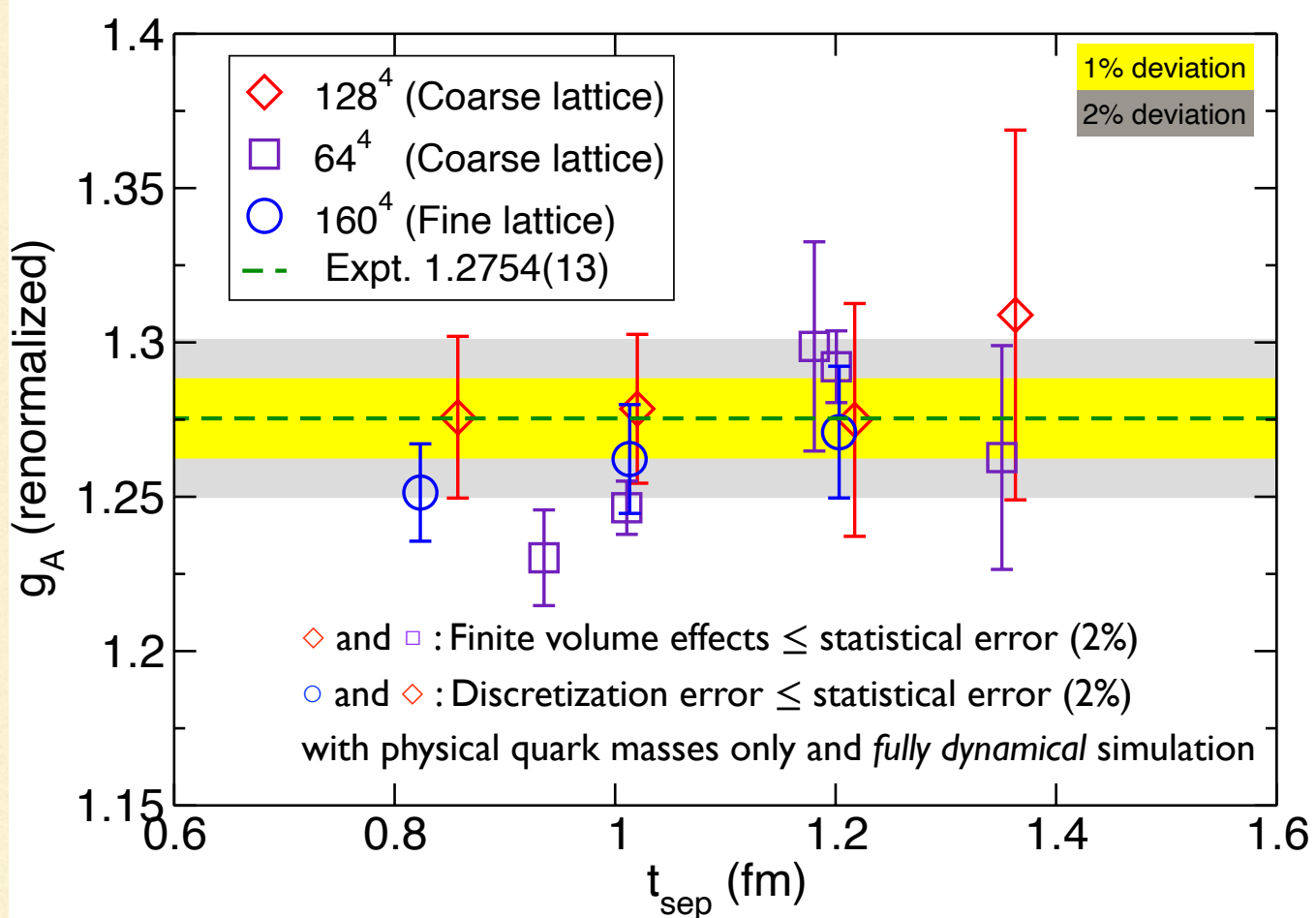
Dispersion relation

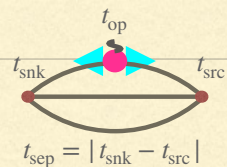
Lattice spacing effect is small



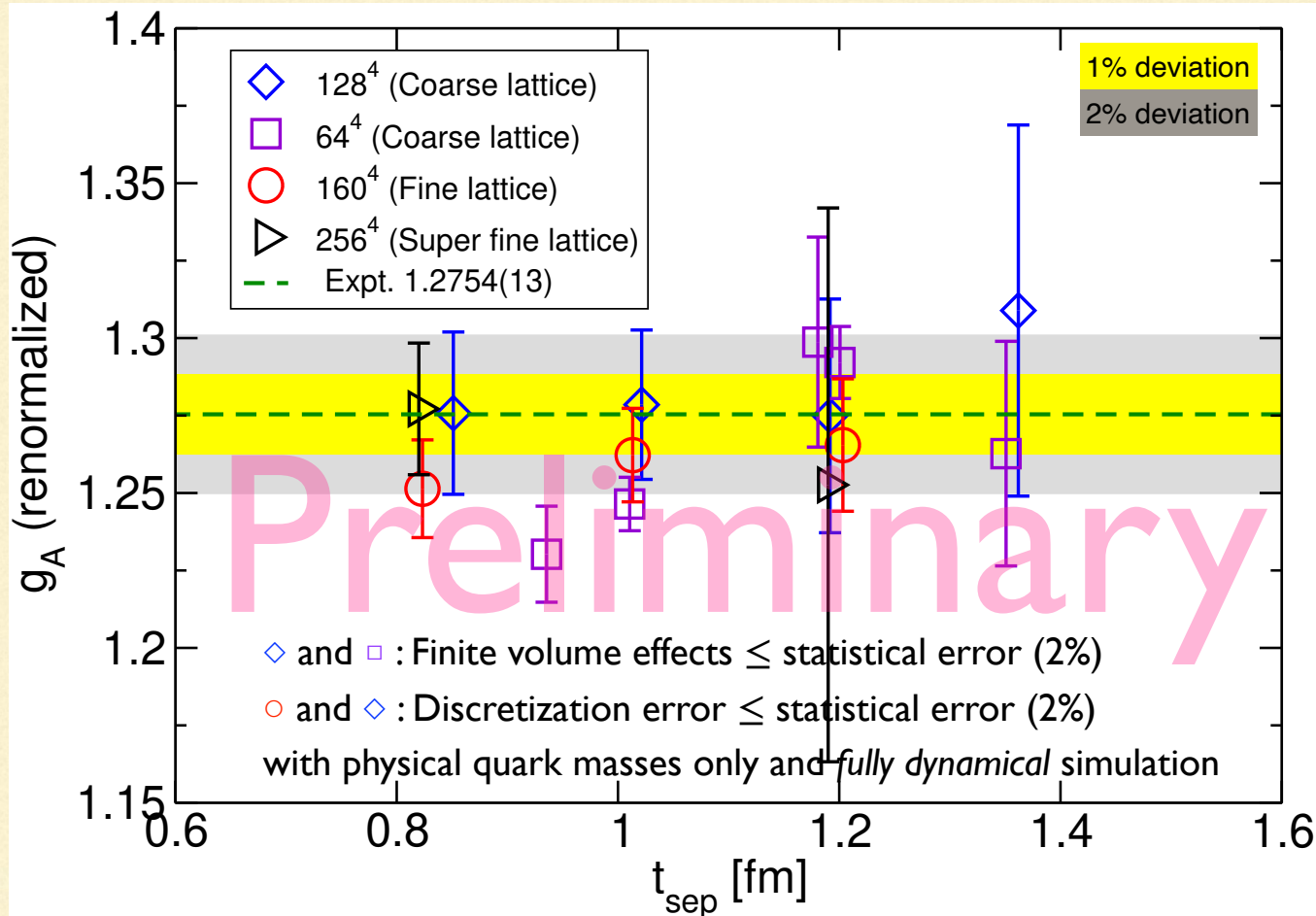


Axial-vector coupling

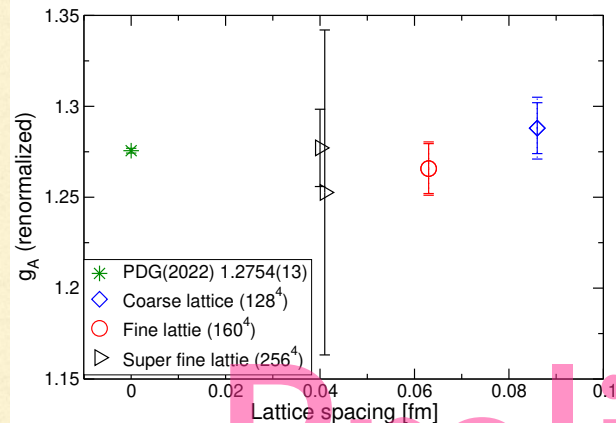




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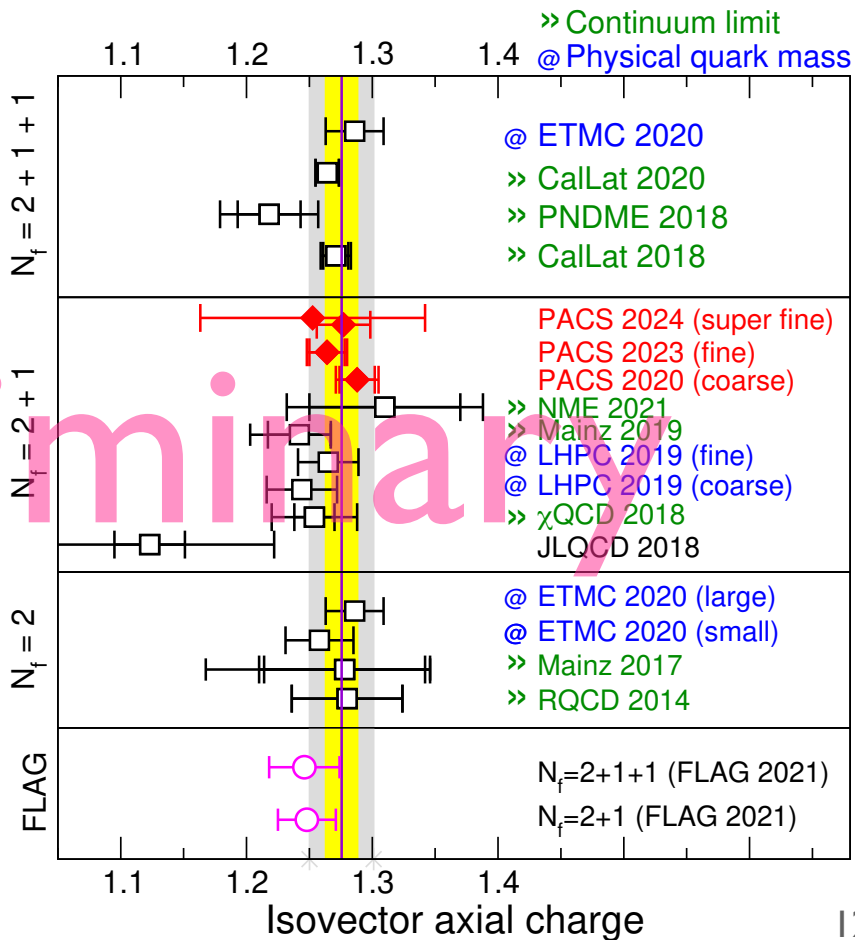


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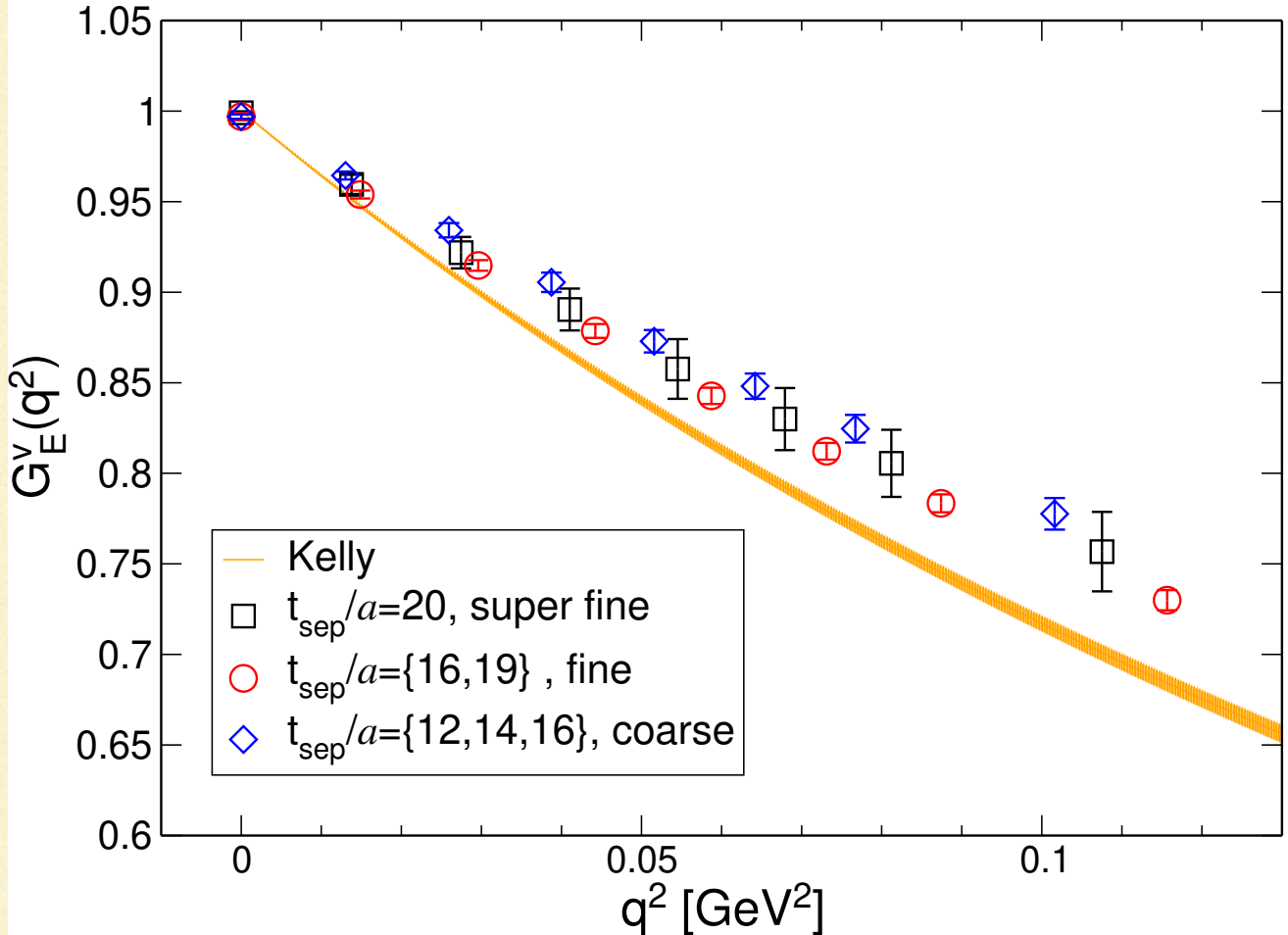


Reproduce the PDG value within the statistical precision for every PACS10 ensembles

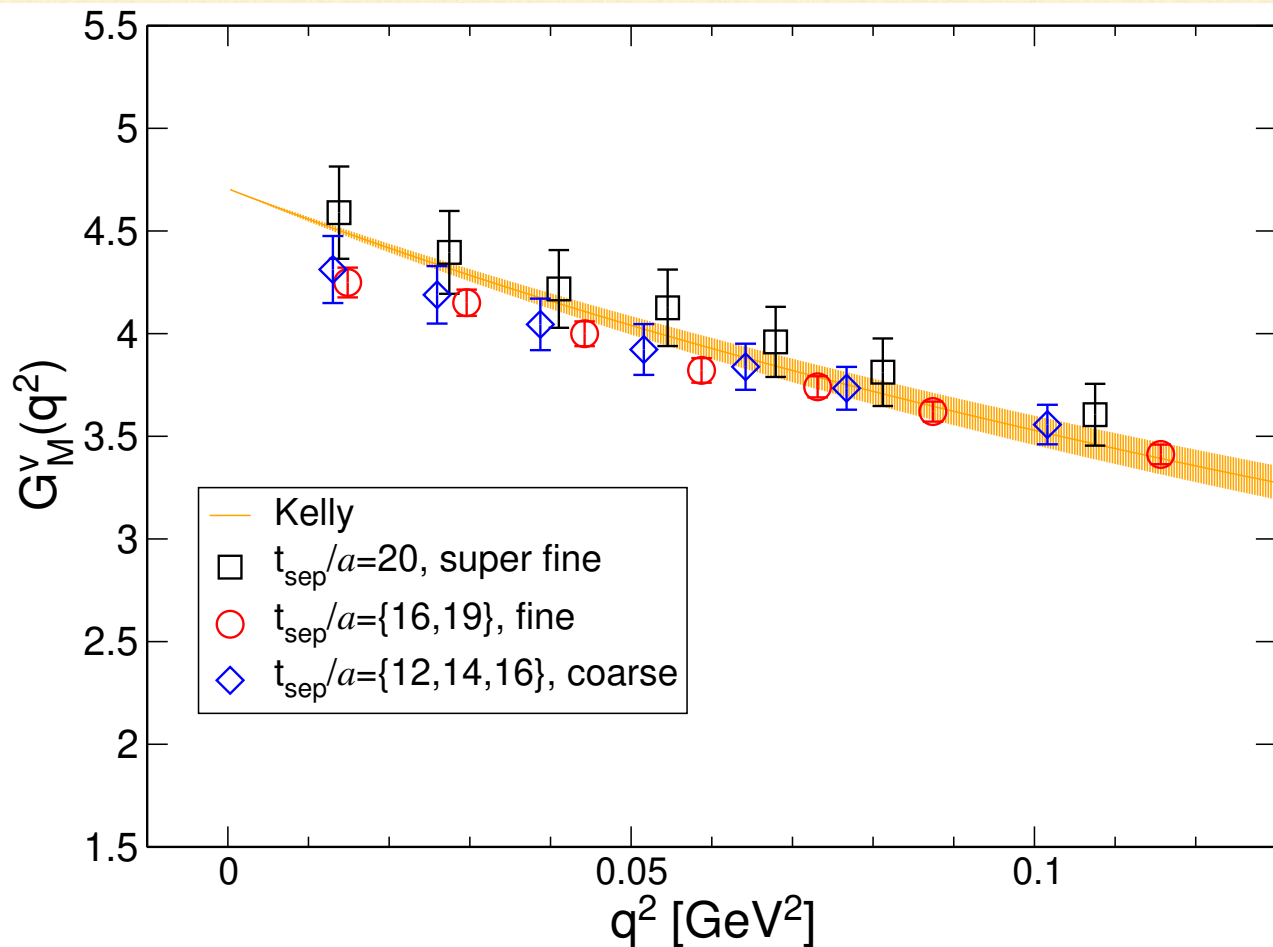
Further calculation is necessary



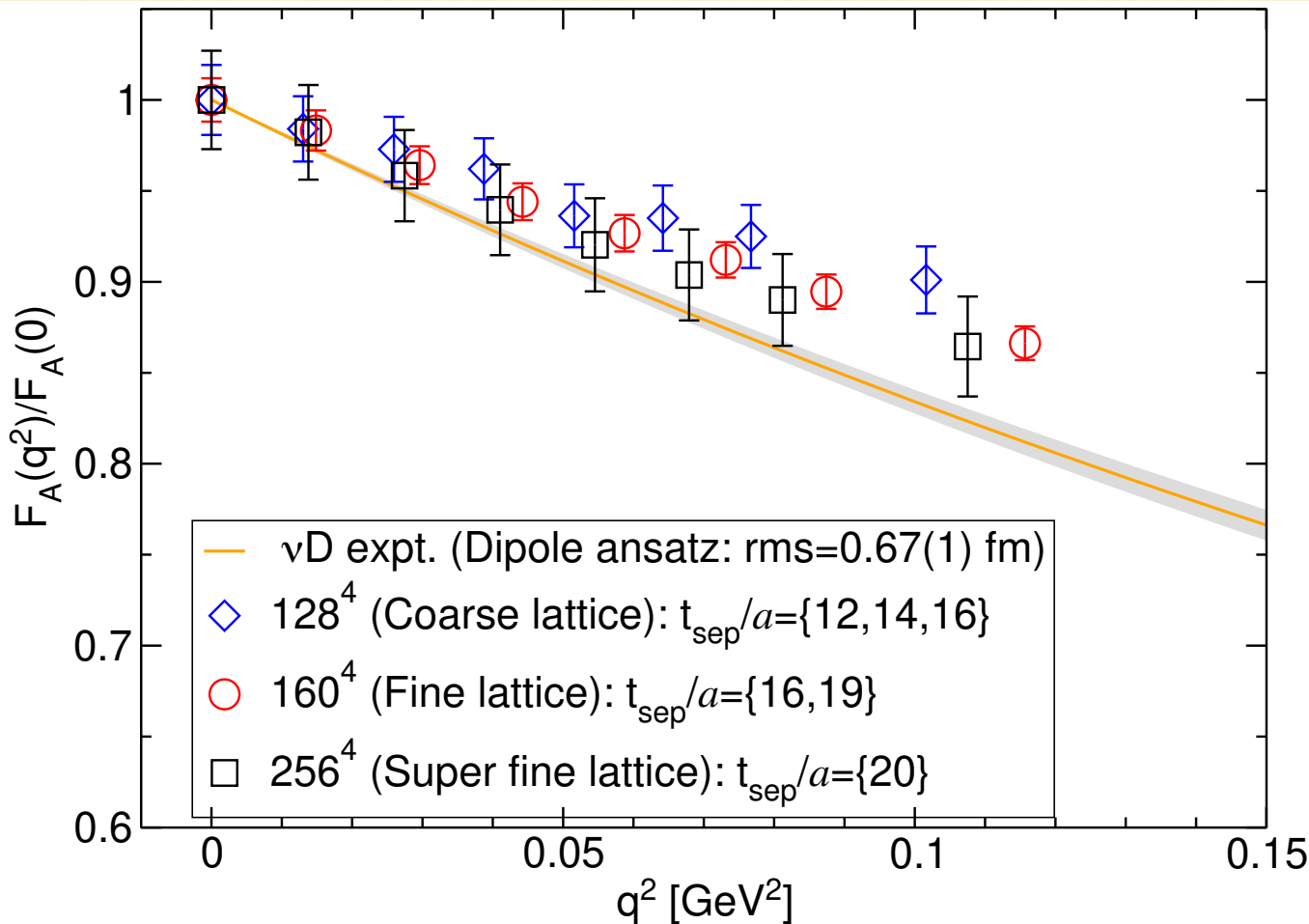
Electric form factor



Magnetic form factor



Axial form factor



Lattice spacing effect

Do we need the $O(a)$ improvement of the current?

$O(a)$ improved current $A_\alpha^{\text{imp}} = A_\alpha + c_A a \partial_\alpha P \rightarrow$ PCAC relation

$$m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} \equiv \frac{m_\pi^2 f_\pi}{2\langle 0 | P^+(0) | \pi \rangle} \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}} \equiv \frac{\langle N_{\text{snk}} \partial_\mu A_\mu(x) \bar{N}_{\text{src}} \rangle}{2\langle N_{\text{snk}} P(x) \bar{N}_{\text{src}} \rangle}$$

- Pion 2-pt function

- Zero momentum

- Improvement is small

$$(m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}})^{\text{imp}} = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} + \frac{ac_A m_\pi^2}{2}$$

$m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucleon}}$ in $a \rightarrow 0$

$$\rightarrow (m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}})^{\text{imp}} = (m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucleon}})^{\text{imp}}$$

$$\rightarrow \Delta = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} - m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucleon}}$$

\sim discretization error

- Nucleon 3-pt function

- Nonzero momentum

- Improvement works

$$(m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}})^{\text{imp}} = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}} - \frac{ac_A q^2}{2}$$

In the continuum limit, $m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}}$ and $m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}}$ should be identical.

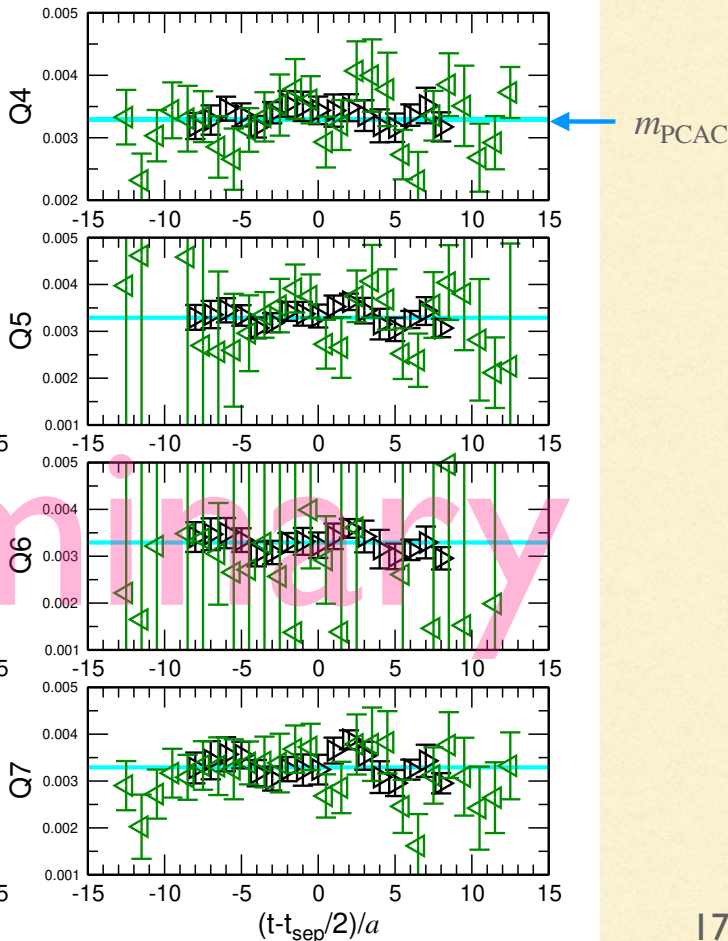
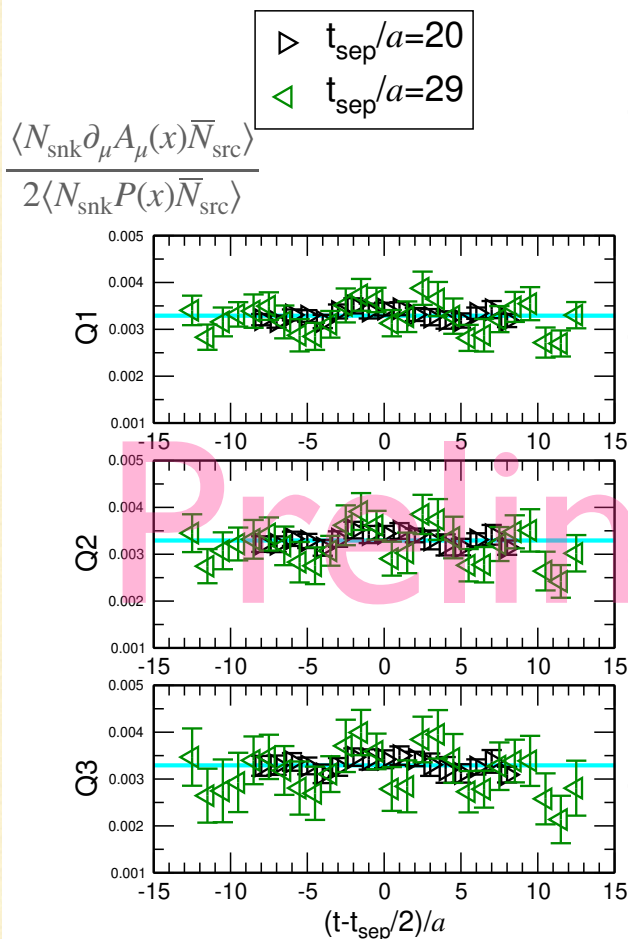
\rightarrow a difference can be attributed to lattice spacing effect

$$\partial_t C_{A_4}^{53}(t; \mathbf{q}) = \frac{1}{2a} \left\{ C_{A_4}^{53}(t+a; \mathbf{q}) - C_{A_4}^{53}(t-a; \mathbf{q}) \right\}, \text{ and } \partial_k C_{A_k}^{53}(t; \mathbf{q}) = \frac{i}{a} \sin(q_k a) C_{A_k}^{53}(t; \mathbf{q})$$

$$\rightarrow m_{\text{nucl}}^{\text{AWTI}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2a} \left\{ C_{A_4}^{53}(t+a; \mathbf{q}) - C_{A_4}^{53}(t-a; \mathbf{q}) \right\} - \frac{i}{a} \sin(q_k a) C_{A_k}^{53}(t; \mathbf{q})}{2C_P^3(t; \mathbf{q})}$$

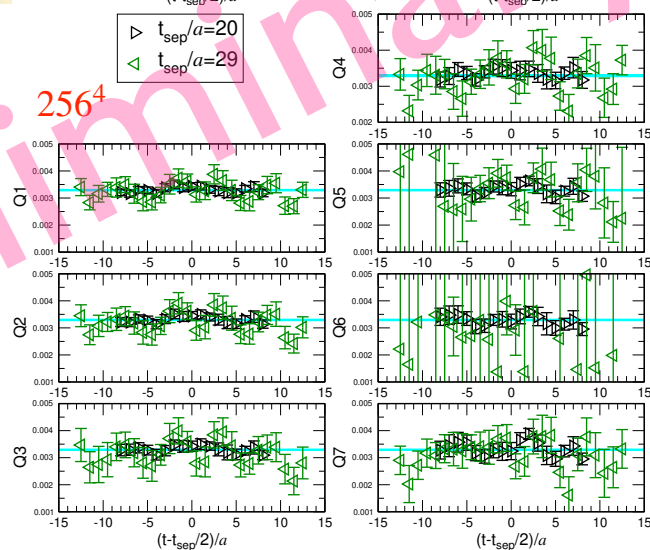
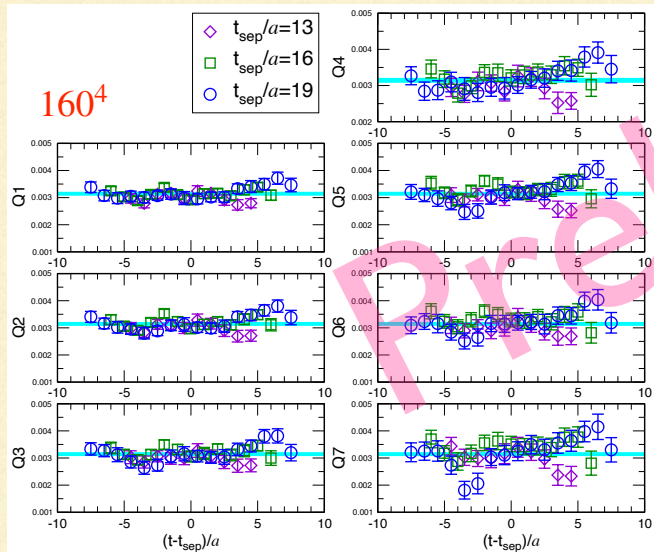
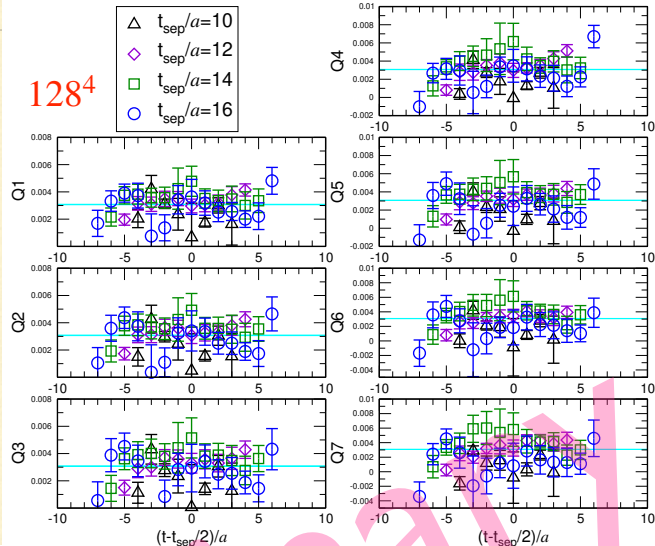
PCAC quark masses

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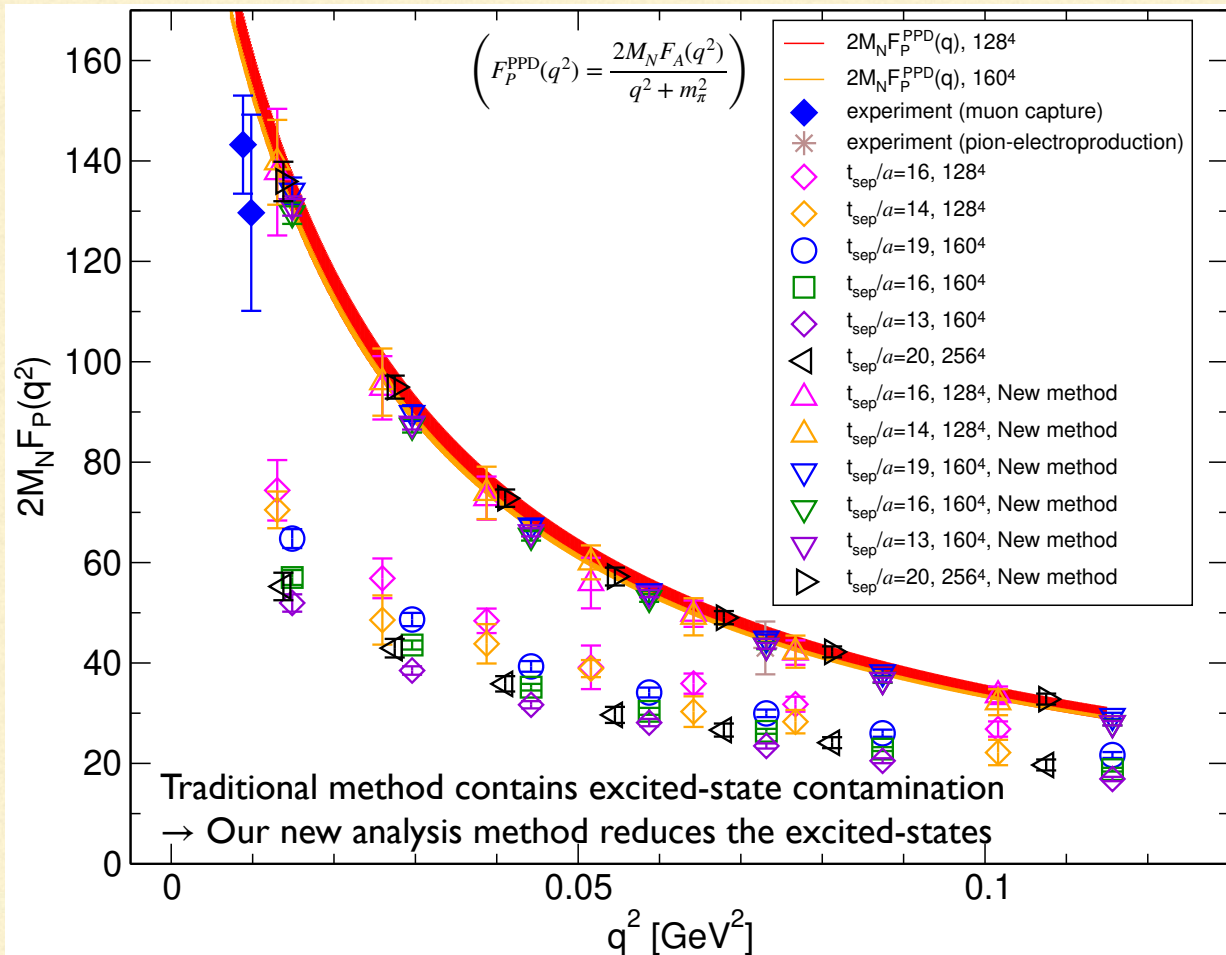
Numerical results II

- Preliminary results for superfine 256^4 lattice

$$:F_P, g_P^*, g_{\pi NN}$$

! Detail: Talk by S. Sasaki July 29 14:15~!

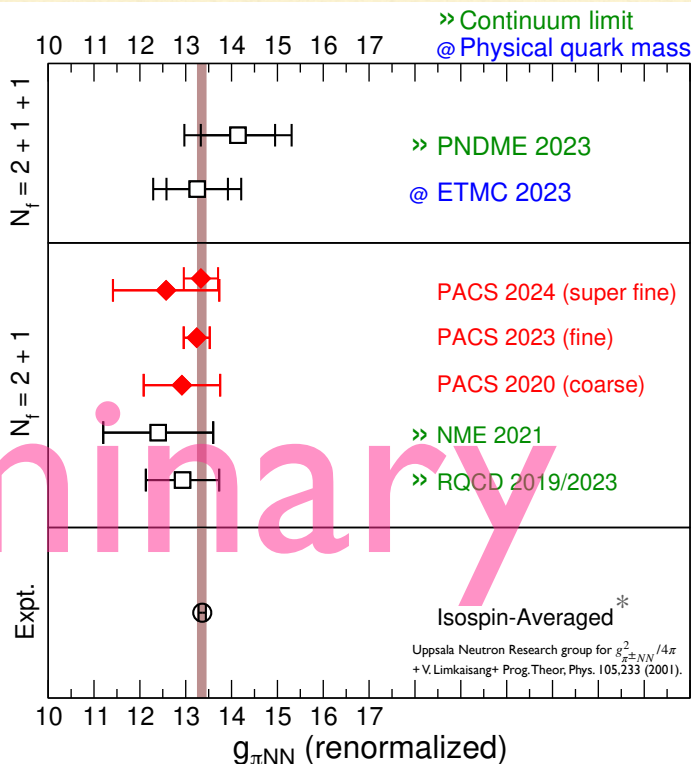
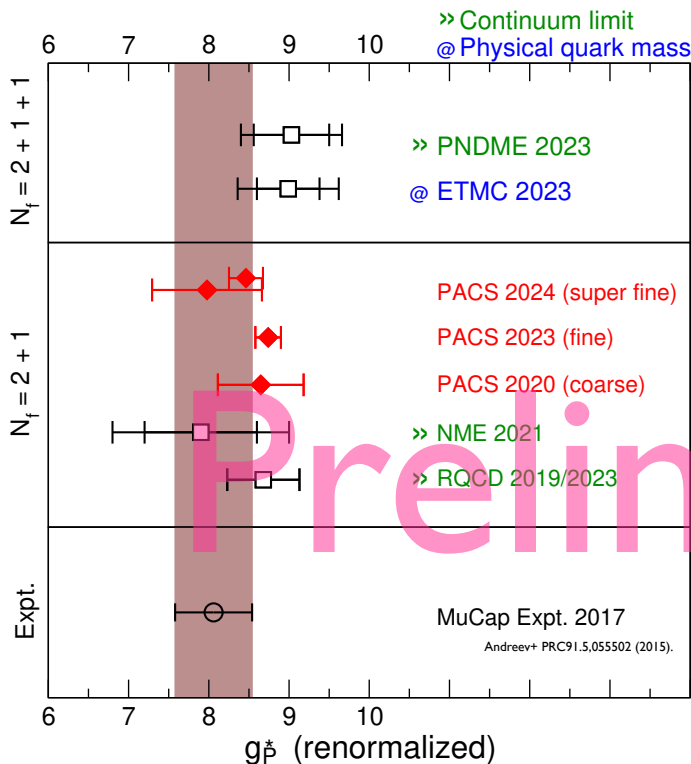
Induced pseudoscalar form factor



Couplings

Induced pseudoscalar coupling : $g_P^* \equiv m_\mu F_P(q^2 = 0.88m_\mu^2)$

Pion-nucleon coupling : $g_{\pi NN} \equiv \lim_{q^2 \rightarrow -m_\pi^2} \frac{m_\pi^2 + q^2}{2\pi} F_P(q^2)$



Summary

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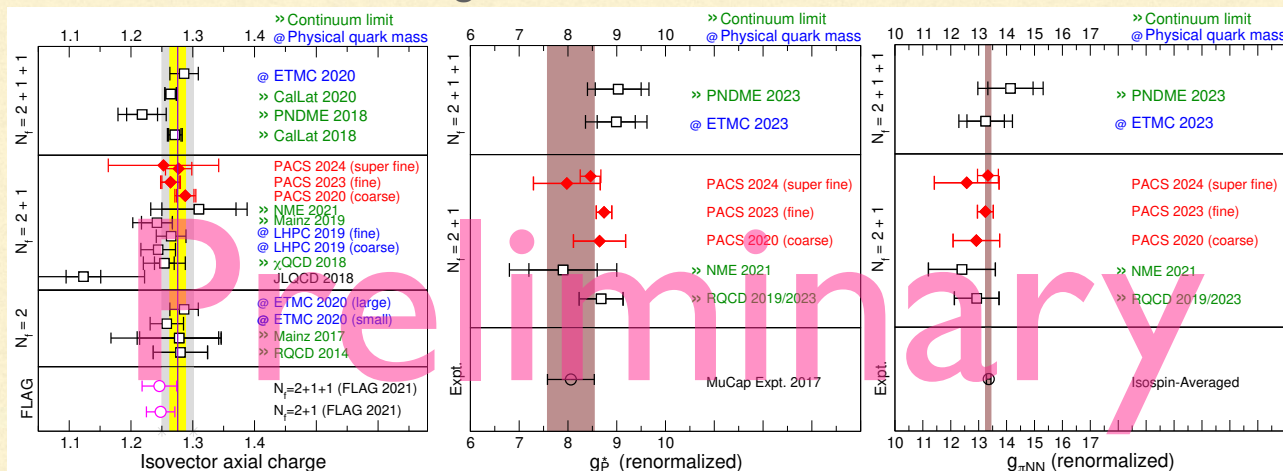
- Physical point simulation → No chiral extrapolation
- Large-volume simulation → Access low- q^2 region
- Fully dynamical lattice QCD simulations towards **continuum limit**

Great advantage!

Clarify the nucleon structure in context of QCD

Our results:

- For g_A , both **superfine**, **coarse** and **fine** reproduce **PDG** within statistical error.
- AWTI is satisfied in the level of the nucleon correlation function.
- F_P from our new method agrees with the PPD model and LQCD results.

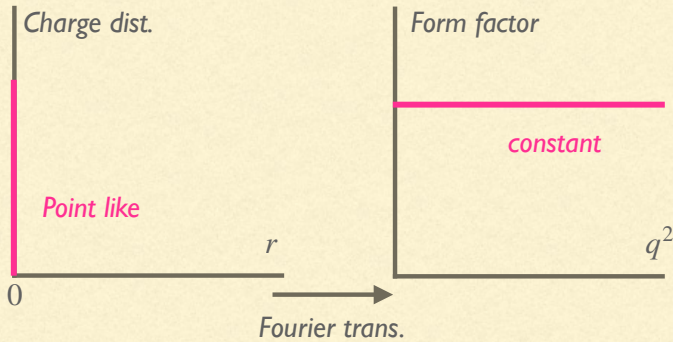


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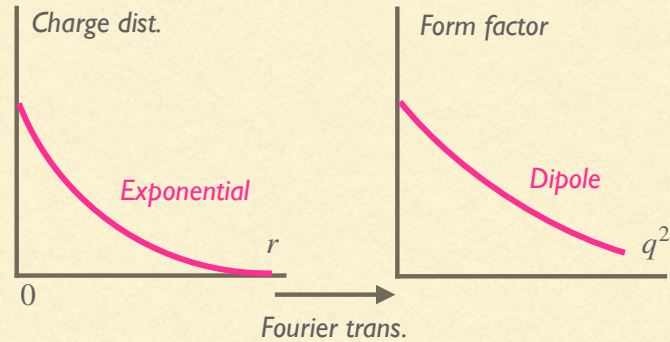
Form factor and cross section

Form factor describes the internal structure : $F(q^2) = \int \rho(\mathbf{r}) e^{i\mathbf{q}\cdot\mathbf{r}} d^3r$

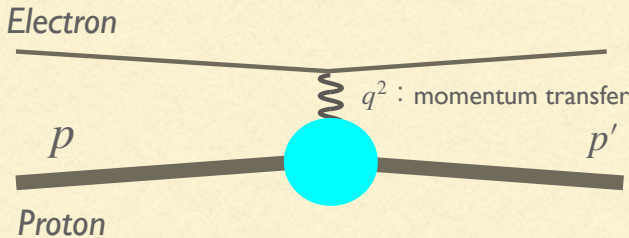
Point particle



Composite particle



e.g. Proton-electron elastic scattering

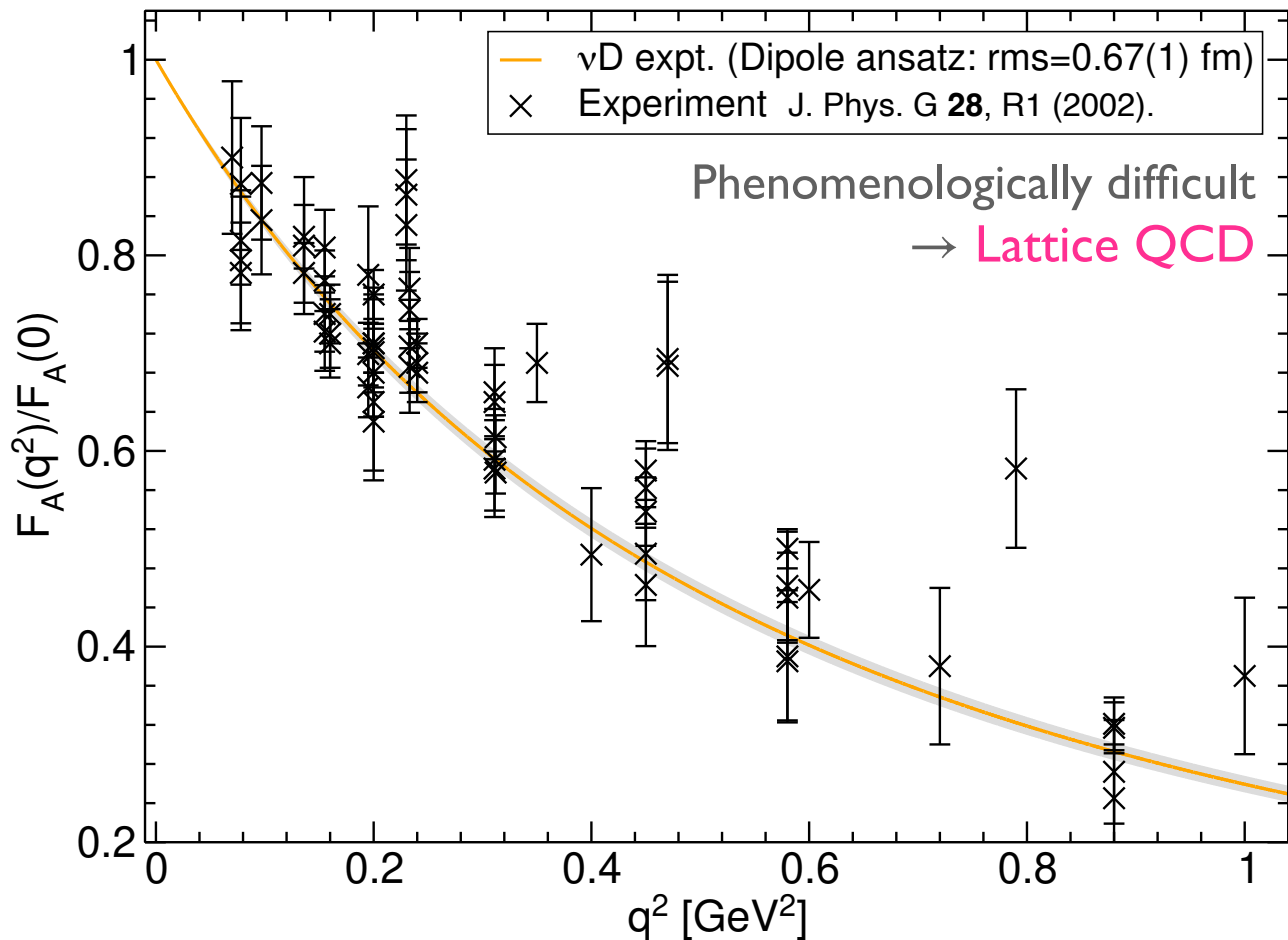


$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \Big|_{\text{Point}}$$

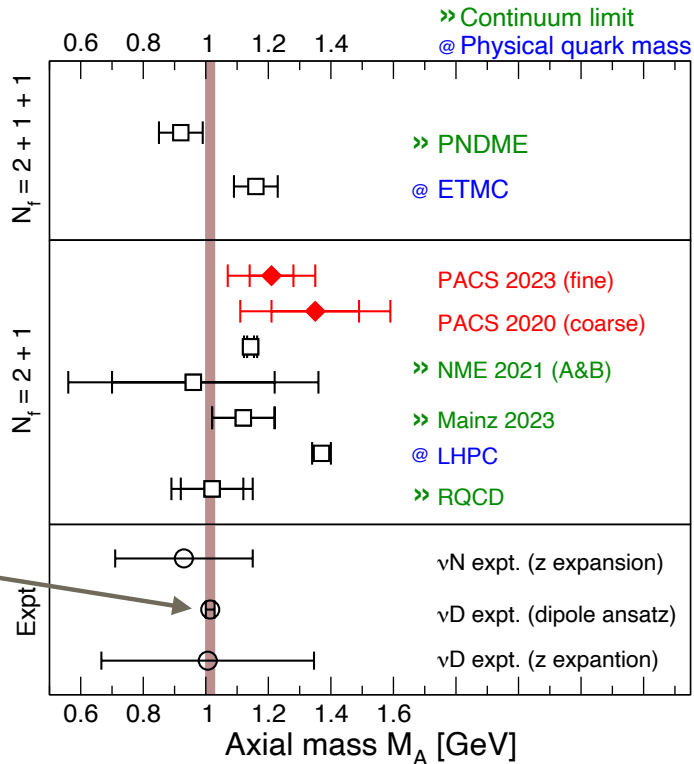
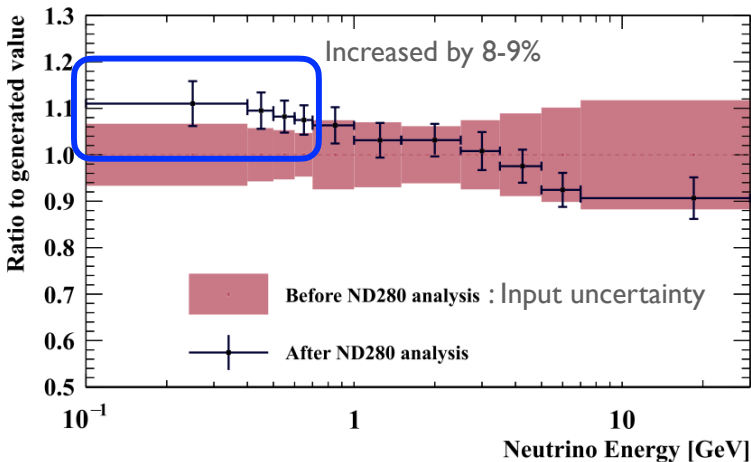
$$\times \frac{\text{Form factor}}{1 + \tau} = \frac{G_E^2(q^2) + \frac{\tau}{\epsilon} G_M^2(q^2)}{1 + \tau}$$

“Internal structure”

Axial form factor - experiment



Problem in T2K



Ancient('70s) expt. gives $M_A = 1.014(14)$

But, T2K ND expt. features $M_A \sim 1.1$

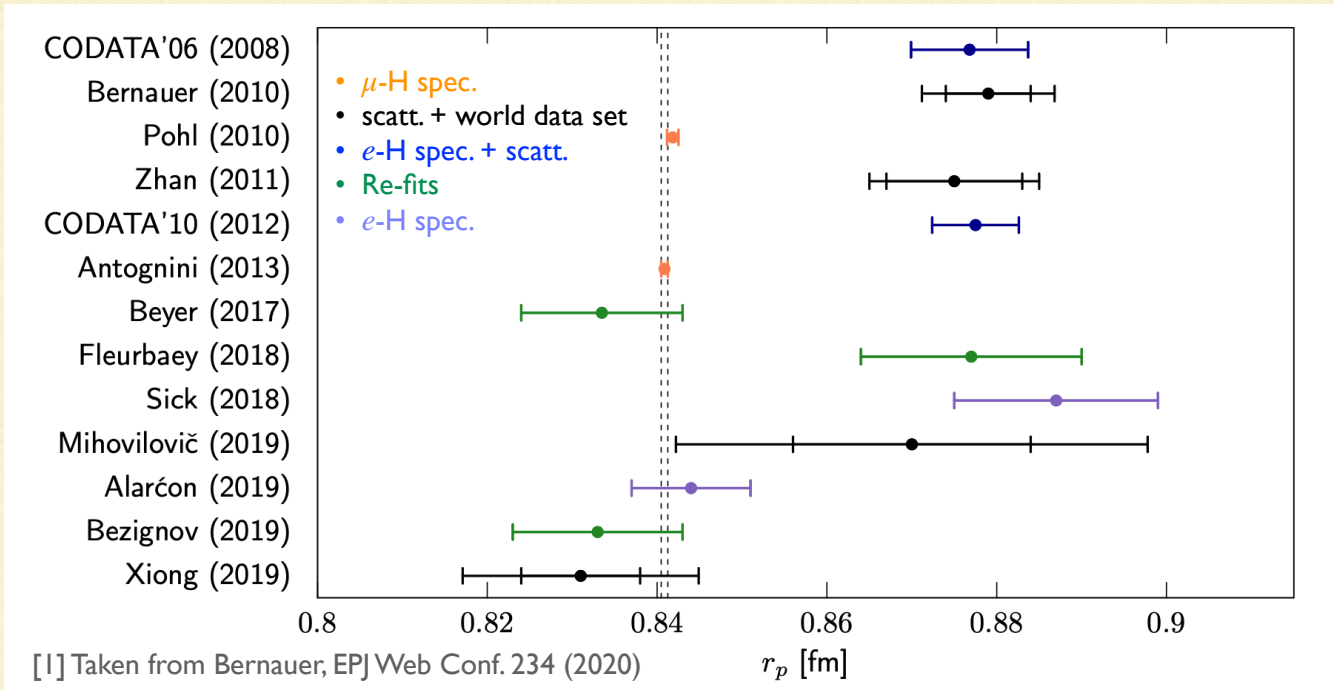
indeed, there are many systematic uncertainties...

What is the problem?

$$\text{Dipole form: } F_A(q^2) = g_A / (1 - q^2/M_A^2)^2$$

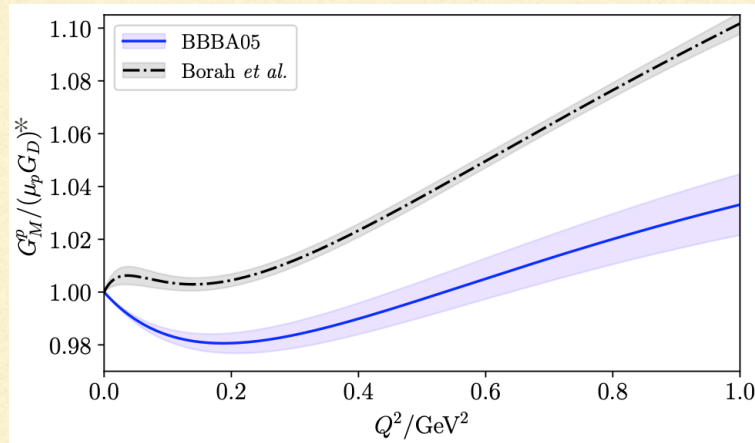
* Old expts. (90s-00s) give larger dipole mass $M_A = 1.1 - 1.2$
 But the targets are O or C, while deuteron is used in '70s...

Proton radius puzzle (2010~) (expt. vs expt.)



- Recent perspectives
- Experiments with similar kinematics as the earlier ones
 - Muon vs Electron \rightarrow Scattering vs Spectroscopy
 - Our understandings are lacking something and more?
- LQCD: NOT enough precision \rightarrow A present level is needed

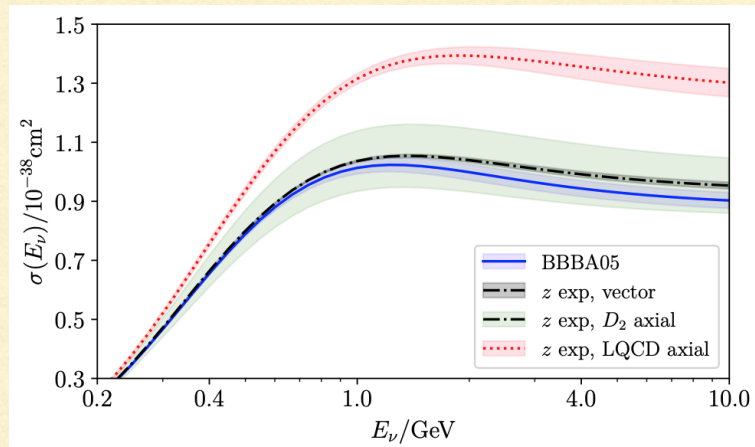
Magnetic and Axial Form Factor



• **Magnetic FF** (expt. vs expt.)

Different parameterizations exhibits clear discrepancy over all $Q^2 > 0$

LQCD: NOT enough precise
 → A percent level precision is needed



• **Axial FF** (expt. vs lat.)

Less known $F_A(q^2)$ behavior causes large uncertainties on νN cross section

LQCD: enough precise
 → **Theoretical prediction**

* dipole ansatz with a dipole mass of 0.84 GeV

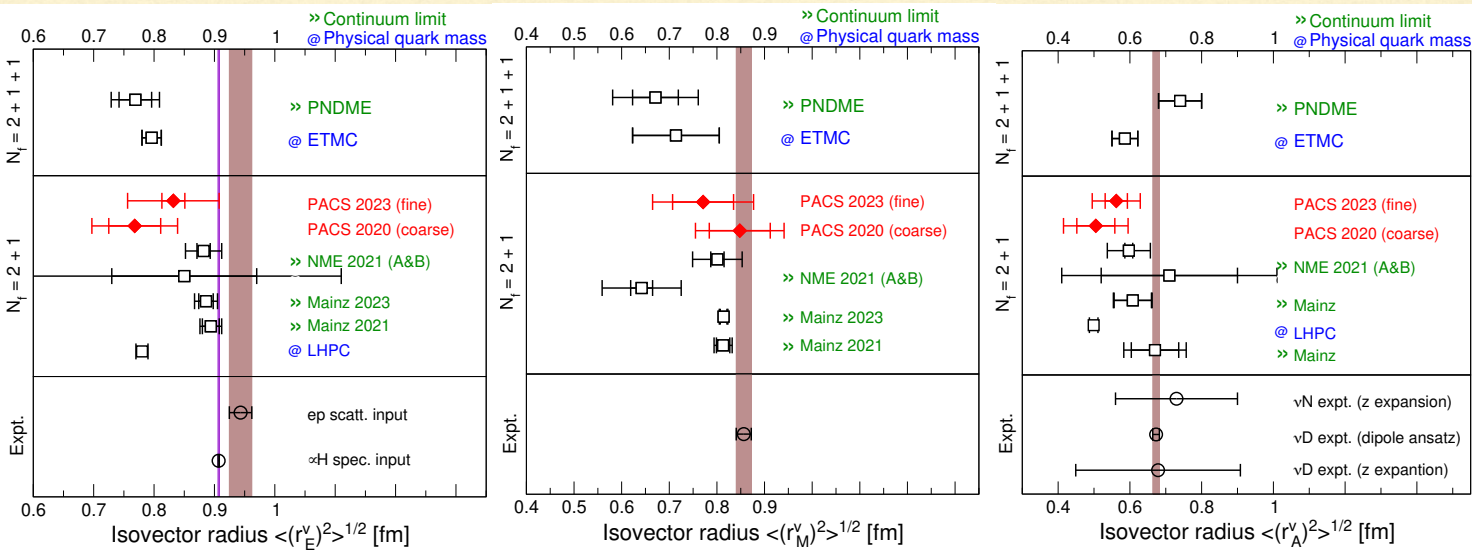
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Investigate the continuum limit of our configurations!

Isvector quantities

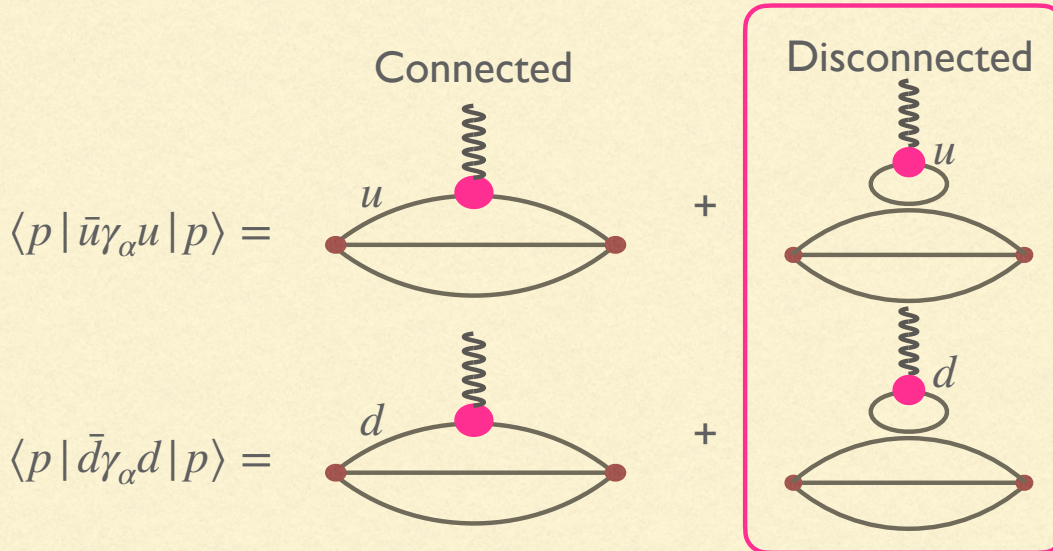
If the strange contributions is ignored under the exact isospin symmetry

Proton-electron:

$$\langle p | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | p \rangle = 2/3 \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_\alpha u | p \rangle - 1/3 \langle p | \bar{d} \gamma_\alpha d | p \rangle$$

Isvector:

$$\langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_\alpha d | n \rangle = \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_\alpha u - \bar{d} \gamma_\alpha d | p \rangle = \langle p | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | p \rangle - \langle n | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | n \rangle$$



Cancelled in isovector under the exact isospin sym.

Isvector quantities

$$j_\alpha^{\text{em}} = \frac{2}{3} \bar{u} \gamma_\mu u - \frac{1}{3} \bar{d} \gamma_\mu d = \frac{1}{2} \underbrace{(\bar{u} \gamma_\mu u - \bar{d} \gamma_\mu d)}_{\text{Isovector}} + \frac{1}{6} \underbrace{(\bar{u} \gamma_\mu u + \bar{d} \gamma_\mu d)}_{\text{Isoscalar}} = j_\alpha^V + \frac{1}{3} j_\alpha^S$$

$$\text{Proton: } \langle p | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | p \rangle = \langle p | j_\alpha^V | p \rangle + \frac{1}{3} \langle p | j_\alpha^S | p \rangle$$

$$\text{Neutron: } \langle n | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | n \rangle = \langle n | j_\alpha^V | n \rangle + \frac{1}{3} \langle n | j_\alpha^S | n \rangle$$

$$\text{Isospin symmetry: } \langle p | j_\alpha^S | p \rangle = \langle n | j_\alpha^S | n \rangle, \quad \langle p | j_\alpha^V | p \rangle = - \langle n | j_\alpha^V | n \rangle$$

$$\langle p | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | p \rangle - \langle n | j_\alpha^{\text{em}} | n \rangle = 2 \langle p | j_\alpha^V | p \rangle = \langle p | \underbrace{(\bar{u} \gamma_\mu u - \bar{d} \gamma_\mu d)}_{\text{Isovector}} | p \rangle$$

$$= \langle p | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu d | n \rangle \text{ Weak process}$$

Large-volume lattice QCD

Large volume simulation ($L > 6$ fm) is required in FF studies

1. The finite size effect on nucleon observables

$$(L - 2R) \gg \frac{1}{m_\pi} \rightarrow L > 3 \text{ fm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \star R &\equiv \sqrt{\langle r_E^2 \rangle} \sim 0.85 \text{ fm} \\ r_\pi &\sim 1.4 \text{ fm} \\ r_{\text{cut}} &= 3.2 \text{ fm} \end{aligned}$$

2. The small momentum transfer

$$q_{\text{min}} = \frac{2\pi}{L} < 2m_\pi \rightarrow L > 4.5 \text{ fm}$$

3. Exponential falls of the spatial charge distribution

$$L > 2r_{\text{cut}} = 6.4R \rightarrow L > 6 \text{ fm}$$

Especially, the exponential falls of the spatial charge distribution, which is coming from the dipole form factor, is crucial for the high-precision nucleon form factor studies

Large-volume lattice QCD

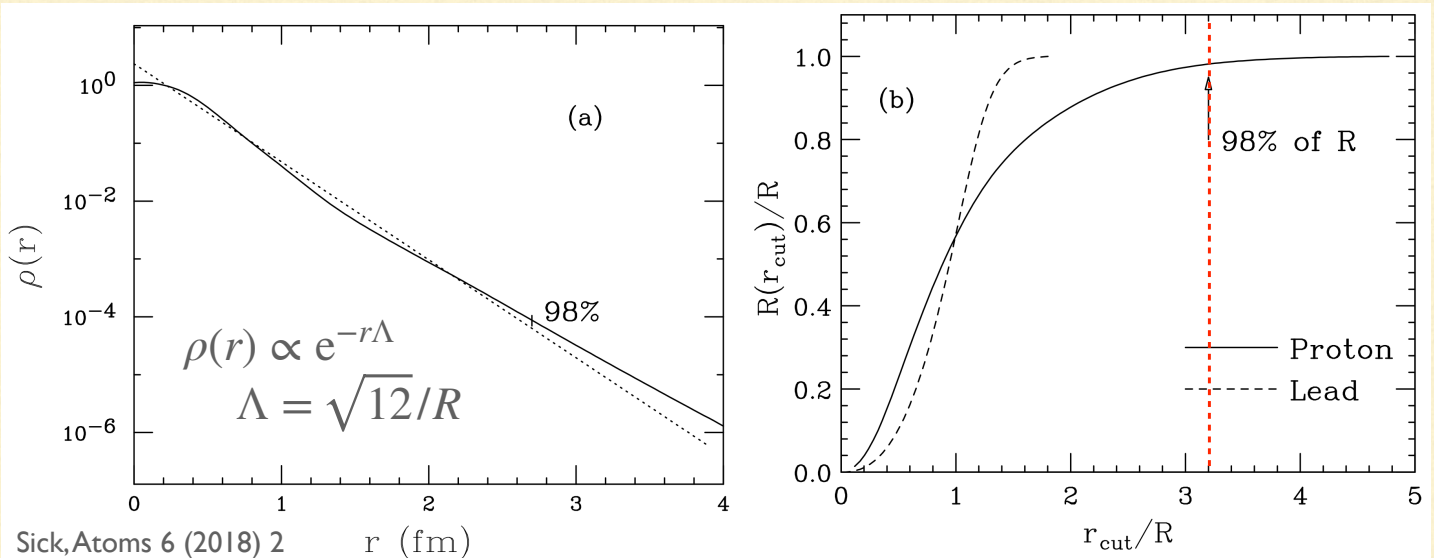
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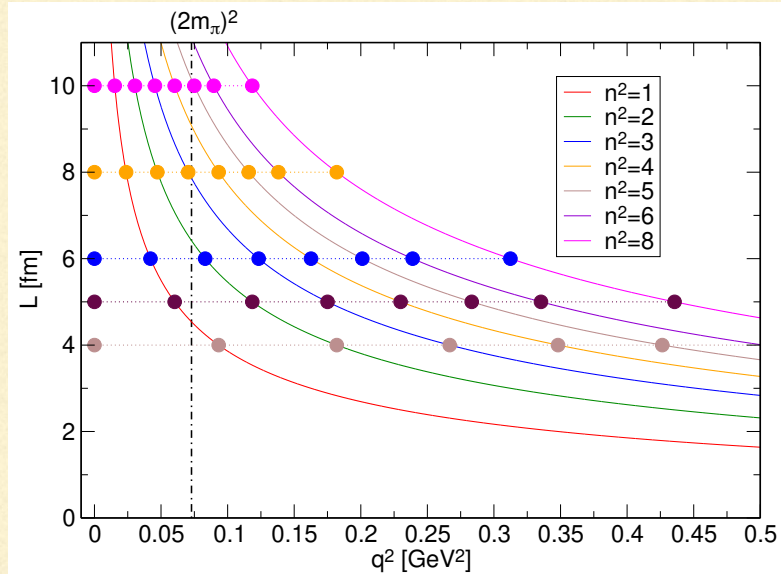
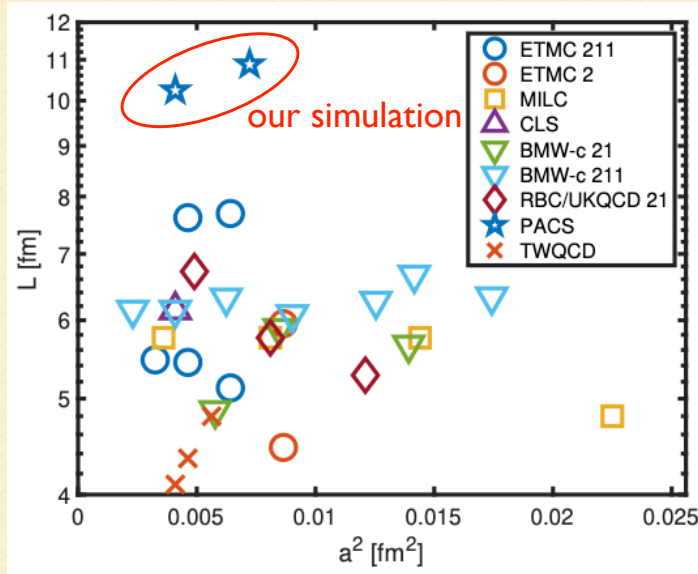
$$\text{Electric Root-Mean-Square radius: } R^2 = 4\pi \int_0^\infty \rho(r)r^4 dr$$

$$\rightarrow R(r_{\text{cut}})/R = \sqrt{\left[\frac{\int_0^{r_{\text{cut}}} \rho(r)r^4 dr}{\int_0^\infty \rho(r)r^4 dr} \right]}$$

Integration up to $r_{\text{cut}} = 3.2R$
 \rightarrow 98% of R in infinite volume



Large-volume lattice QCD



The momentum is discretized as $q^2 = \left(\frac{2\pi}{L}\right)^2 \times |\mathbf{n}|^2$

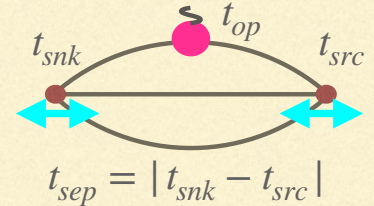
Low q^2 data are accessible by a large-volume lattice QCD
i.e. our simulation is the **BEST** to seek the low q^2 region!

Excited-states contamination

Major systematic uncertainty in LQCD computation.

Two strategies in this study,

1. Large t_{sep} and the ground-state saturation



$$\frac{\langle N(t_{\text{snk}})O(t_{\text{op}})N(t_{\text{src}})^\dagger \rangle}{\langle N(t_{\text{snk}})N(t_{\text{src}})^\dagger \rangle} \rightarrow \langle N|O(0)|N \rangle + \cancel{Ae^{(E_1 - M_N)t_{\text{sep}}}} + \dots$$

2. Checks with the generalized Goldberger-Treiman relation (GGT)

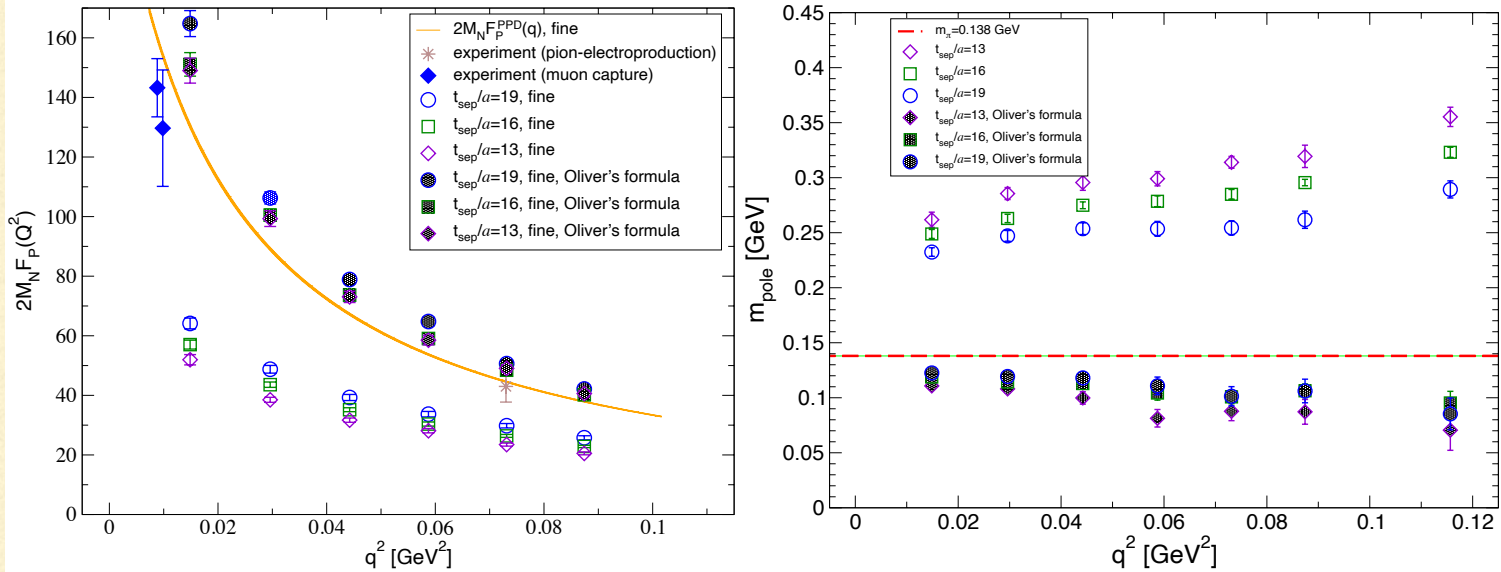
GGT: $2M_N F_A(q^2) - q^2 F_P(q^2) = 2\hat{m} G_P(q^2)$ with quark mass \hat{m}

$$\rightarrow m_{\text{AWTI}} \equiv \frac{2M_N F_A(q^2) - q^2 F_P(q^2)}{2G_P(q^2)}$$

The check of $m_{\text{AWTI}} \sim m_{\text{PCAC}}$ should be nontrivial

+ PCAC checks using a notation of LANL

Oliver's formula



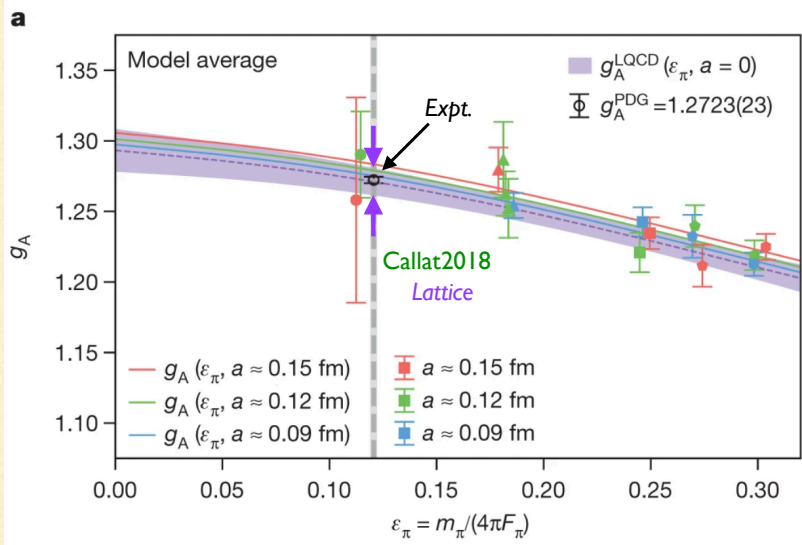
$$F_P^{\text{data}}(q^2) = F_P(q^2) \left[1 - \exp \left\{ -\frac{E_{\pi}(q)}{2} t_{\text{sep}} \right\} \cosh \left\{ \frac{q^2}{2M_N} \frac{t_{\text{sep}}}{2} \right\} \right] : \text{amplify our data}$$

We can *qualitatively* expect that the excited states should be a source of uncertainty.

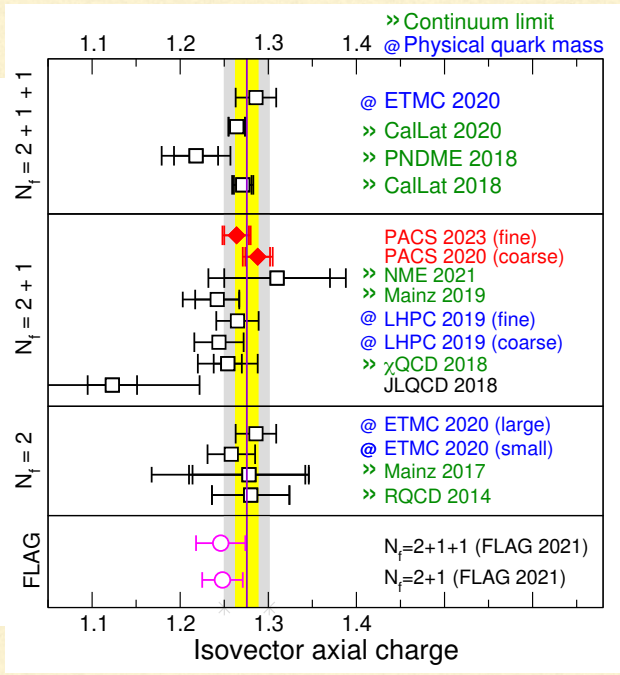
We KNOW there should be excited-states contamination that are not negligible in our statistical precision, *the analyses are proceeding*

Physical point simulation

e.g. Axial-vector coupling $F_A(0)$: **Bench mark**



e.g. Callat Collaboration: C. C. Chang et al., Nature 558, 91 (2018), 1805.12130.



Conventional: Extrapolate the unphysical data into the physical point
 = Systematic uncertainty, *Historically underestimated...*

→ **Ours: Physical point simulation, exclude the systematic uncertainty**

Error Budget

Examine the error budget based on HBChPT

- Gap from physical: Heavier mass $m_\pi = 138$ MeV at 160^4 lattice

$$g_A = g_0 \left\{ 1 + \left(\frac{\alpha_2}{(4\pi F)^2} \ln \frac{m_\pi}{\lambda} + \beta_2 \right) m_\pi^2 + \alpha_3 m_\pi^3 \right. \\ \left. + \left(\frac{\alpha_4}{(4\pi F)^4} \ln^2 \frac{m_\pi}{\lambda} + \frac{\gamma_4}{(4\pi F)^2} \ln^2 \frac{m_\pi}{\lambda} + \beta_4 \right) m_\pi^4 + \alpha_5 m_\pi^5 \right\} + O(m_\pi^6)$$

1loop: Kambor-Mojzis JHEP 9904, 031 (99)
2loop: Bernard-Meissner PLB639, 278 (06)

→ 2loop correction is less than 1%

- Finite size effect: $L=10$ fm is huge but not infinite

$$g_A(\infty) - g_A(L) \propto m_\pi^2 \frac{e^{-m_\pi L}}{\sqrt{m_\pi L}} \rightarrow L=5 \text{ fm} \ \& \ L=10 \text{ fm} \text{ data show the correction is less than } 0.1\%$$

Error budget	Stat.	Gap from Physical	Finite size	Discretization	Reno.
$1.264(14)_{\text{stat.}} (3)_{t_{\text{sep}}}$	1.1%	$\lesssim 1\%$	$\lesssim 0.1\%$?	0.2%

Lattice spacing effect

Error budget	g_A	$\sqrt{\langle (r_E^v)^2 \rangle}$	$\sqrt{\langle (r_M^v)^2 \rangle}$	$\sqrt{\langle (r_A^v)^2 \rangle}$
Statistical:	1.9%	5.6%	8.3%	10.5%
Discretization:	1.6%	8.3%	9.0%	11.3%

Statistical error \lesssim Lattice spacing effect

Check

1. Dispersion relation of nucleon

2. $O(a)$ improved current $A_\alpha^{\text{imp}} = A_\alpha + c_A a \partial_\alpha P \rightarrow$ PCAC relation

$$m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} \equiv \frac{m_\pi^2 f_\pi}{2\langle 0 | P^+(0) | \pi \rangle} \longleftrightarrow m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}} \equiv \frac{\langle N_{\text{snk}} \partial_\mu A_\mu(x) \bar{N}_{\text{src}} \rangle}{2\langle N_{\text{snk}} P(x) \bar{N}_{\text{src}} \rangle}$$

- Pion 2-pt function
- Zero momentum
- Improvement is small

$$m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} = (m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}})^{\text{imp}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{c}_A \text{ s.t. } m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} &\sim (m_{\text{PCAC}})^{\text{imp}} \\ &\rightarrow \bar{c}_A \propto m_{\text{AWTI}}^{\text{PCAC}} - (m_{\text{AWTI}}^{\text{PCAC}})^{\text{imp}} \\ &\sim m_{\text{AWTI}}^{\text{PCAC}} - m_{\text{PCAC}} \end{aligned}$$

- Nucleon 3-pt function
- Nonzero momentum
- Improvement works

$$(m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}})^{\text{imp}} = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}} - ac_A q^2/2 \quad 16$$

Lattice spacing effect

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Statistical:	1.9%	5.6%	8.3%	10.5%
Lattice spacing:	1.6%	8.3%	9.0%	11.3%

Statistical error \lesssim Lattice spacing effect

Check

1. What about others? \rightarrow Dispersion relation of nucleon

2. $O(a)$ improved current $A_\alpha^{\text{imp}} = A_\alpha + c_A a \partial_\alpha P \rightarrow$ PCAC relation

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- Pion 2-pt function
- Zero momentum
- Improvement is helpless

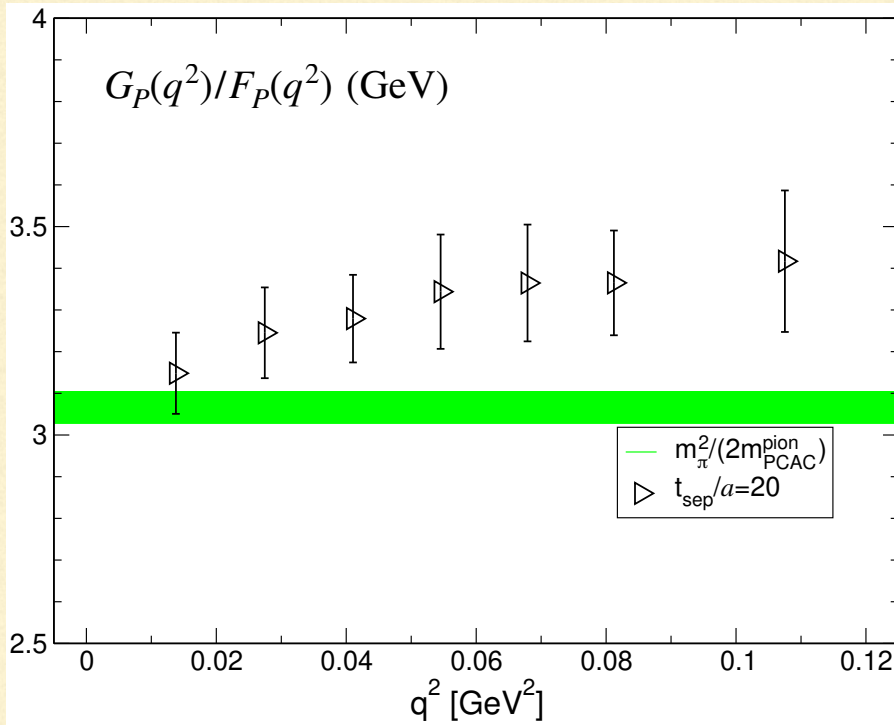
$$m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}} \simeq (m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{pion}})^{\text{imp}}$$

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- Nucleon 3-pt function
- Nonzero momentum
- Improvement works

$$(m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}})^{\text{imp}} = m_{\text{PCAC}}^{\text{nucl}} - ac_A q^2/2 \quad 26$$

Pion-pole dominance (PPD)



Combining PPD and GGT,

$$F_P^{\text{PPD}}(q^2) = \frac{2M_N F_A(q^2)}{q^2 + m_\pi^2}$$

$$G_P^{\text{PPD}}(q^2) = \frac{m_\pi^2}{2m_{\text{PCAC}}} \frac{2M_N F_A(q^2)}{q^2 + m_\pi^2}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{G_P^{\text{PPD}}(q^2)}{F_P^{\text{PPD}}(q^2)} = \frac{m_\pi^2}{2m_{\text{PCAC}}} \dots (1)$$

The data shows

- ✓ Flat q^2 -dependence
- ✓ Agreement with (1)

→ $F_P(q^2)$ and $G_P(q^2)$ are supposed to share the same pion-pole.

Generalized Goldberger-Treiman (GGT)

