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Non-perturbative matching of HQET heavy-light axial and vector currents in $N_f = 2$ lattice QCD

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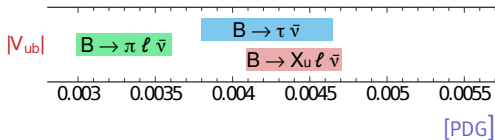


Motivation: Determination of V_{ub}

The Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa matrix $V = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$

can be determined from various $b \rightarrow u$ processes:

- **Inclusive semi-leptonic (SL) $B \rightarrow X_u \ell \bar{\nu}$ decay**
- **Exclusive semi-leptonic (SL) $B \rightarrow \pi \ell \bar{\nu}$ decay**
 - ▶ from lattice QCD: hadronic form factor $f_+(q^2)$
- **leptonic $B \rightarrow \tau \bar{\nu}$ decay**
 - ▶ from lattice QCD: hadronic decay constant f_B



- $\sim 3\sigma$ tension
 $\Rightarrow V_{ub}$ puzzle
- New physics?
- Reliable lattice input needed!

V_{ub} via $B \rightarrow \pi \ell \bar{\nu}$ in the Standard Model

Experimental and theoretical (= lattice QCD) ingredients:

- $f_+(q^2)$ required to determine $|V_{ub}|$

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ub}|^2}{192\pi^3 m_B^3} (\lambda(q^2))^{3/2} |f_+(q^2)|^2$$

$$q = p_B - p_\pi \quad \lambda(q^2) = (q^2 - m_B^2 - m_\pi^2)^2 - 4m_B^2 m_\pi^2$$

- $f_+(q^2)$ can be determined from the semi-leptonic $B \rightarrow \pi$ matrix element $\langle \pi(p_\pi) | V^\mu | B(p_B) \rangle$ through

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \pi(p_\pi) | V^\mu | B(p_B) \rangle &= f_+(q^2) \left[p_B + p_\pi - \frac{m_B^2 - M_\pi^2}{q^2} q^\mu \right] \\ &+ f_0(q^2) \frac{m_B^2 - M_\pi^2}{q^2} q^\mu \end{aligned}$$

- This is what is finally to be computed on the lattice ...

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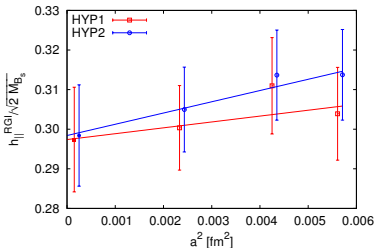
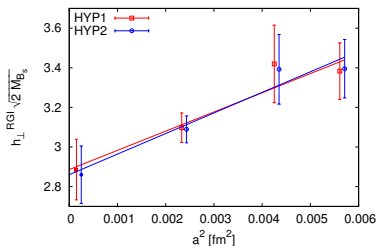
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Leading (= *static*) order HQET computation in $N_f = 2$ lattice QCD

[ Collaboration, Bahr et al., PLB 757 (2016) 473, arXiv:1601.04277]



- NP Renormalization & Continuum limit taken for the 1st time!
- $f_+(21.22 \text{ GeV}^2) = 1.63(8)(6) \pm 0.24 \Rightarrow$ Erase by NP HQET @ *NLO*

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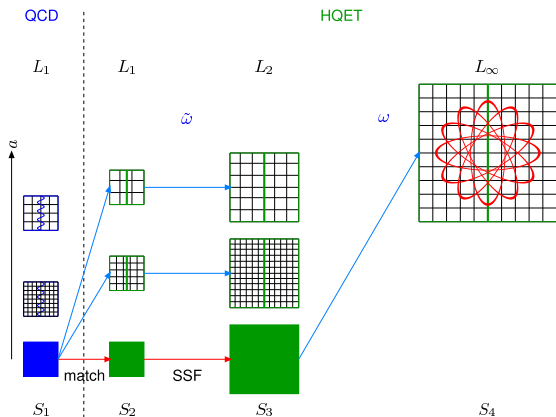
- Parameters: $(m_{\text{bare}}, \omega_{\text{kin}}, \omega_{\text{spin}}, Z_{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{HQET}}, c_{\mathcal{O}_1}, \dots)$
- All \mathcal{O}_i with the same quantum numbers and correct dimension must be taken into account
- $1/m_h$ -terms $\hat{=}$ local operator insertions in CFs (via expanding the functional integral weight in $1/m_h$, directly on the lattice)

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \int \mathcal{D}[\varphi] e^{-S_{\text{rel}} - a^4 \sum_x \mathcal{L}_{\text{stat}}(x)} \mathcal{O} \{ 1 - a^4 \sum_x \mathcal{L}^{(1)}(x) + \dots \} \Rightarrow \text{renormalizable}$$

Non-perturbative matching between HQET and QCD

[ H. & Sommer, 2004, ..., Blossier et al., JHEP 09 (2012) 132, arXiv:1203.6516]

A finite-volume, recursive strategy:



Matching volume: $L_1 \approx 0.5 \text{ fm} \rightarrow am_h \ll 1$, relativistic b-quark feasible

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- 5 HQET parameters left: $(m_{\text{bare}}, \omega_{\text{kin}}, \omega_{\text{spin}}, Z_{A_0}^{\text{HQET}}, C_{A_0,1})$

→ published $N_f = 2$ results by  :

- 5 HQET parameters of $\mathcal{L}^{\text{HQET}}, A_{0,R}^{\text{HQET}}$
- Application #1: b-quark mass
- Application #2: f_B, f_{B_s}

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- All in all, the complete set of 19 HQET parameters is:

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Reminder: NP finite-volume matching strategy

Why *non-perturbative* ?

- Operator mixing in the lattice effective theory induces power divergences

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\Rightarrow NP HQET takes care of this, no predictions are lost \Rightarrow Idea:

Equate (in small volume) QCD " = " HQET in the sense of

$$\Phi_i^{\text{QCD}}(L, m_h, 0) \stackrel{!}{=} \Phi_i^{\text{HQET}}(L, m_h, a) \quad m_h = M: \quad \text{RGI mass}$$

Determine parameters via *matching* HQET & QCD by NP'ly imposing

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi_i^{\text{QCD}}(L, m_h, 0) &\stackrel{!}{=} \Phi_i^{\text{HQET}}(L, m_h, a) & m_h = M: \text{ RGI mass} \\ &\equiv \eta_i(L, a) + \varphi_i^j(L, a) \omega_j(M, a) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{m_h^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Matching conditions for the complete set of HQET parameters in Lagrangian & all heavy-light flavour currents:

- Choose $i = 1, \dots, n_{\text{par}} = 19$ suitable observables Φ_i that are sensitive to the HQET parameters and possess a linear HQET expansion
- The matching equations above thus consist of ...
 - ... renormalized QCD quantities Φ_i^{QCD}
 - ... bare HQET correlators φ_i^j
 - ... static-order (parameter-free) HQET terms η_i
 - ... and the *HQET parameters* ω_j

In more convenient matrix-vector notation:

[Della Morte, Dooling, H., Hesse & Simma, JHEP 05 (2014) 060, arXiv:1312.1566]

- Collect all $i = 1, \dots, n_{\text{par}} = 19$ parameters in a column vector

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- Column vector of n_{par} observables $\Phi = (\Phi_1, \dots, \Phi_{n_{\text{par}}})$, such that its linear HQET expansion implies a matrix of structure

$$\varphi = \begin{pmatrix} \varphi_1^1 & * & * & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & * & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & * & * & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & * & 0 & * & 0 \\ 0 & * & 0 & 0 & * \end{pmatrix}$$

for bare HQET correlation functions

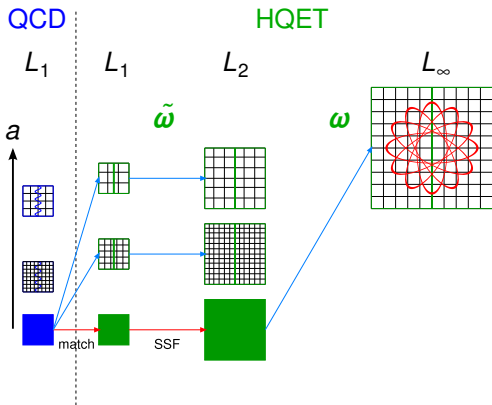
- Matching condition (in matrix-vector notation):

$$\Phi^{\text{QCD}}(L, M, 0) \stackrel{!}{=} \Phi^{\text{HQET}}(L, M, a) = \eta(L, a) + \varphi(L, a) \cdot \omega(M, a)$$

Complete list of HQET parameters and their meaning & origin:

i	ω_i	origin
1, 2, 3	$m_{\text{bare}}, \omega_{\text{kin}}, \omega_{\text{kin}}$	$\mathcal{L}^{\text{HQET}}$
4, ..., 6	$c_{A_{0,1}}, c_{A_{0,2}}, \ln Z_{A_0}^{\text{HQET}}$	A_0^{HQET}
7, ..., 11	$c_{A_{k,1}}, c_{A_{k,2}}, c_{A_{k,3}}, c_{A_{k,4}}, \ln Z_{\vec{A}}^{\text{HQET}}$	A_k^{HQET}
12 ..., 14	$c_{V_{0,1}}, c_{V_{0,2}}, \ln Z_{V_0}^{\text{HQET}}$	V_0^{HQET}
15, ..., 19	$c_{V_{k,1}}, c_{V_{k,2}}, c_{V_{k,3}}, c_{V_{k,4}}, \ln Z_{\vec{V}}^{\text{HQET}}$	V_k^{HQET}

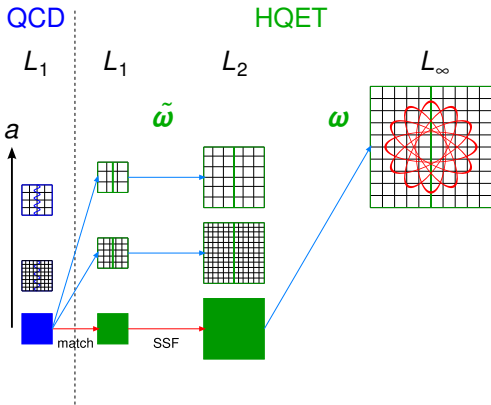
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- How does the matching proceed in practice?

Starting point is the foregoing equation

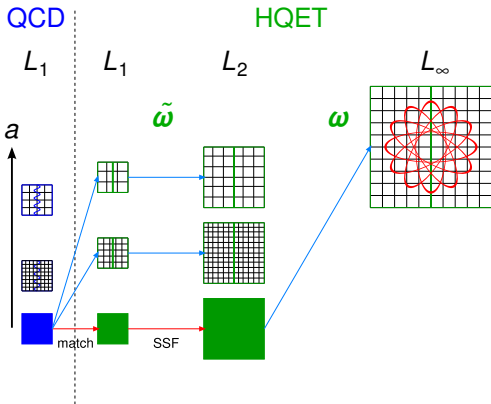
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- In small volume ($L_1 \approx 0.5$ fm):
Compute observables $\Phi^{\text{QCD}}(L_1, M, a)$ in relativistic QCD and extrapolate them to the continuum limit, i.e.

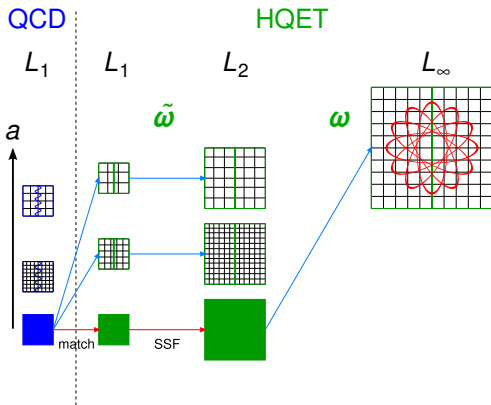
$$\Phi^{\text{QCD}}(L_1, M, 0) = \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \Phi^{\text{QCD}}(L_1, M, a)$$

- CL $a \rightarrow 0$ can be taken in QCD (l.h.s.) due to small volume!

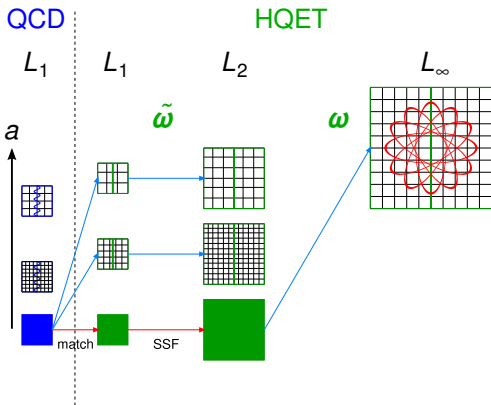


- Match with HQET ($a \lesssim 0.05$ fm) to solve for parameters in L_1 :

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Phi^{\text{HQET}}(L_1, M, a) &= \eta(L_1, a) + \varphi(L_1, a) \cdot \tilde{\omega}(M, a) \stackrel{!}{=} \Phi^{\text{QCD}}(L_1, M, 0) \\
 \Rightarrow \tilde{\omega}(M, a) &= \varphi^{-1} \left[\Phi^{\text{QCD}} - \eta \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

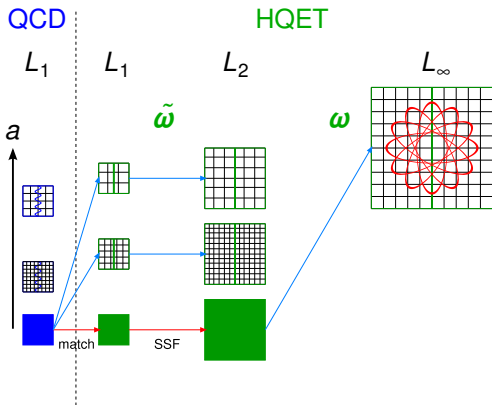


- Step scaling $L_1 \rightarrow L_2 = 2L_1 \approx 1$ fm:
Employ determined parameters $\tilde{\omega}(M, a)$ in the computation of HQET observables $\Phi^{\text{HQET}}(L_2, M, a)$ in larger volume and extrapolate them to the continuum, too



- Extract the parameters $\omega(M, a)$ for larger a (i.e., those typically encountered in large-volume simulations) by solving the associated matrix-vector equation in L_2 :

$$\omega(M, a) = \varphi(L_2, a)^{-1} \left[\Phi^{\text{HQET}}(L_2, M, 0) - \eta(L_2, a) \right]$$



- Once determined in this way, the n_{par} HQET parameters $\omega(M, a) = \{\omega_j(M, a)\}$, which NP'ly absorb the log. & power divergences of the effective theory and inherit the NP QCD quark mass dependence, can finally be used to calculate the desired large-volume HQET observables at $1/M$ for $M = M_b$

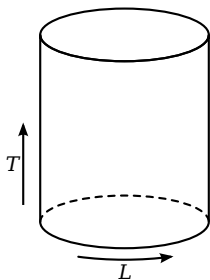
Schrödinger Functional (SF)

- Observables defined in the QCD Schrödinger functional setup
- Finite volume $T \times L^3$
- Dirichlet BCs in time, periodic BCs in space
- Additional periodicity phase angle vector θ for fermion fields:

$$\psi(x_0, \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{n} \cdot L) = e^{i\theta \cdot \mathbf{n}} \cdot \psi(x)$$

- Boundary fields ζ used to build CFs
- Well known renormalization properties

→ Bare parameters $(L/a, \beta, \kappa_l, \kappa_h)$ to define *lines of constant physics* in matching volume L_1^4 , keeping \bar{g}_{SF}^2 and (RGI) light & heavy quark masses fixed



SF correlation functions

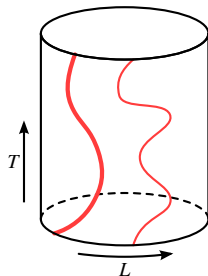
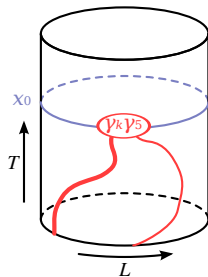
Example (#1, boundary–bulk CFs)

$$f_{A_k}(x_0, \theta_l, \theta_h) = i \frac{a^6}{6L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}, k} \langle \underbrace{\bar{\psi}_l(\mathbf{x}) \gamma_k \gamma_5 \psi_h(\mathbf{x})}_{A_k(\mathbf{x})} \times \bar{\zeta}_h(\mathbf{y}) \gamma_5 \zeta_l(\mathbf{z}) \rangle$$

$$k_{V_k}(x_0, \theta_l, \theta_h) = -\frac{a^6}{6L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}, k} \langle \underbrace{\bar{\psi}_l(\mathbf{x}) \gamma_k \psi_h(\mathbf{x})}_{V_k(\mathbf{x})} \times \bar{\zeta}_h(\mathbf{y}) \gamma_k \zeta_l(\mathbf{z}) \rangle$$

Example (#2, boundary–boundary CF)

$$F_1(\theta_l, \theta_h) = -\frac{a^{12}}{2L^6} \sum_{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}} \langle \bar{\zeta}'_l(\mathbf{u}) \gamma_5 \zeta'_h(\mathbf{v}) \bar{\zeta}_h(\mathbf{y}) \gamma_5 \zeta_l(\mathbf{z}) \rangle$$



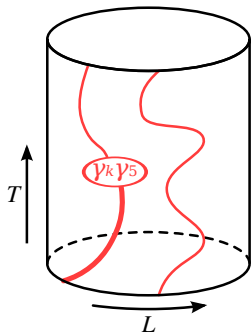
Three-point SF correlation functions

- 3-point correlators for alternative matching conditions
- Perturbative studies (at tree-level & 1-loop) favor observables constructed from 3-point CFs: **yield flatter $1/m_h$ -dependence** [Hesse & Sommer, JHEP 02 (2013) 115; Della Morte et al., JHEP 05 (2014) 060; Korcyl]
- To be checked non-perturbatively: in progress ...

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_{A_1}^1(x_0, \theta_l, \theta_h) = & -\frac{a^{15}}{2L^6} \sum_{uvy zx} \langle \bar{\zeta}'_l(\mathbf{u}) \gamma_1 \zeta'_l(\mathbf{v}) \times \\
 & \times \bar{\psi}_l(x) \gamma_1 \gamma_5 \psi_h(x) \bar{\zeta}_h(\mathbf{z}) \gamma_5 \zeta'_l(\mathbf{y}) \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly in the vector meson channel:

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_{V_0}(x_0, \theta_l, \theta_h) = & -\frac{a^{15}}{2L^6} \sum_{uvy zx} \langle \bar{\zeta}'_l(\mathbf{u}) \gamma_5 \zeta'_l(\mathbf{v}) \times \\
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Choice of observables

- The observables in Φ shall ...
 - ... be sensitive to the parameters ω
 - ... entail small $1/m_h$ -terms to expect $O(1/m_h^2)$ to be negligible
- θ_l, θ_h : Most important free (kinematical) parameters
→ Great flexibility in choice of obs. / matching conditions
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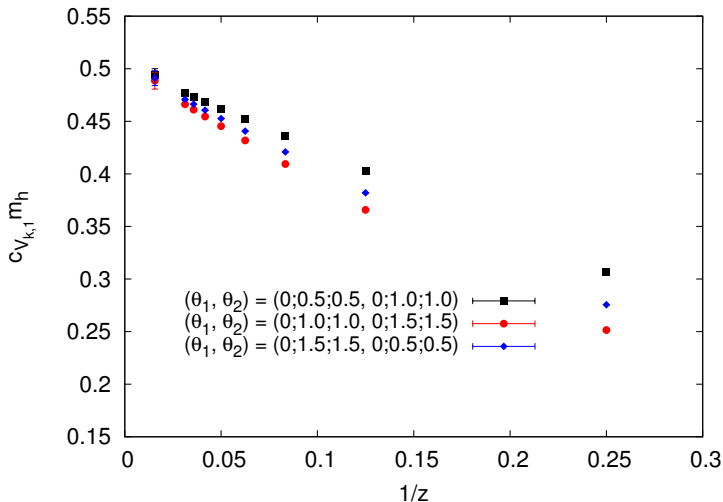


Figure : $c_{V_{k,1}}$ for different θ 's vs. inverse mass [from: JHEP 05 (2014) 060]

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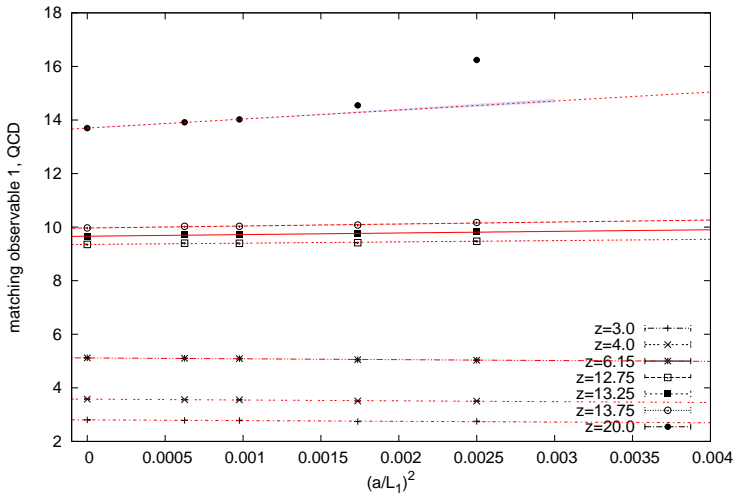
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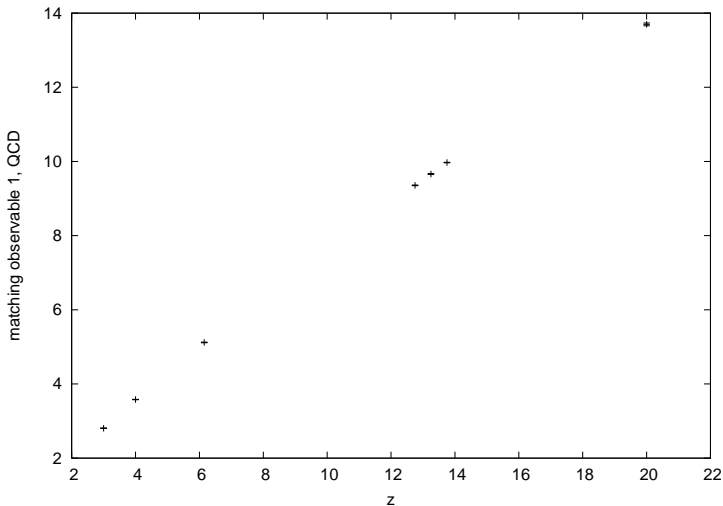
Preliminary results from analysis of the NP data

- For now:
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Continuum extrapolations in $(a/L_1)^2$ for all z -values
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 - Continuum extrapolations *linear in a^2* for the static pieces, whereas *linear in a* for the $O(1/m_h)$ ones
 - So far, only observables from 2-point functions included
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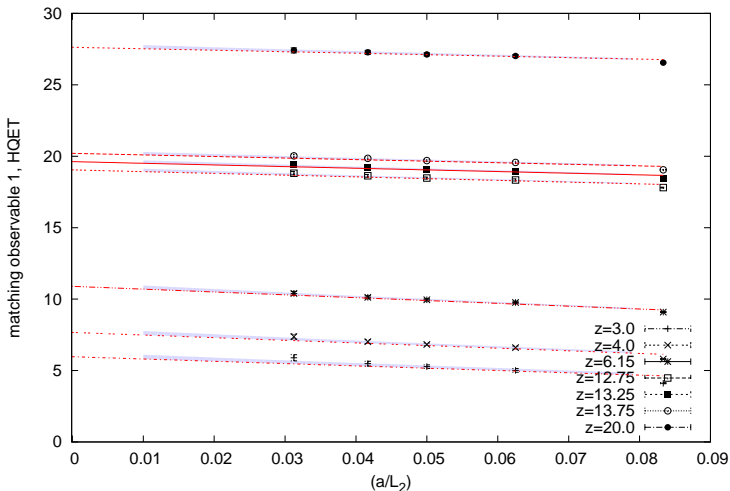
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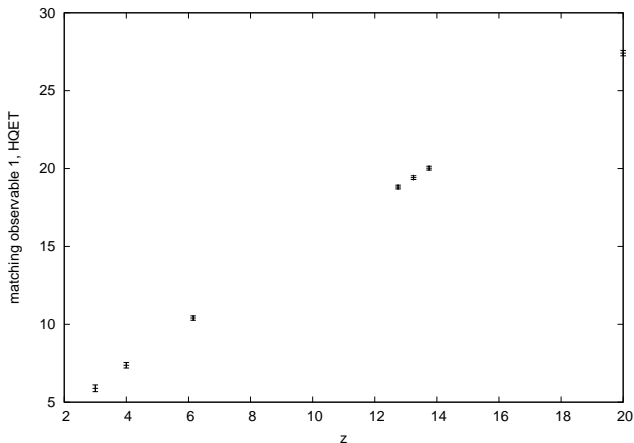
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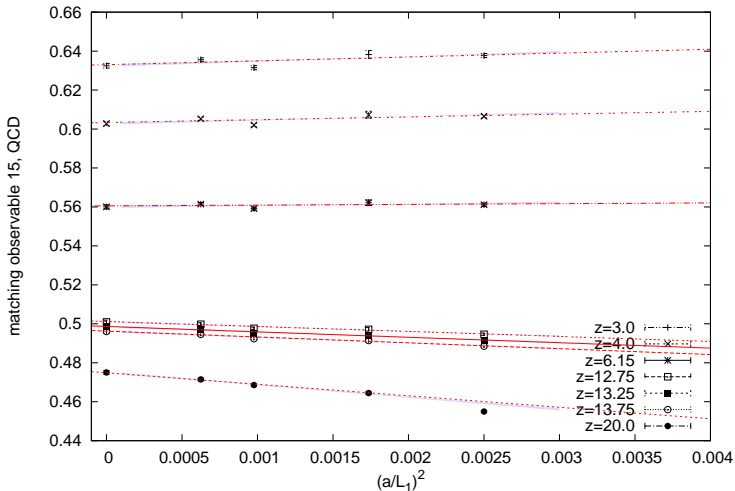


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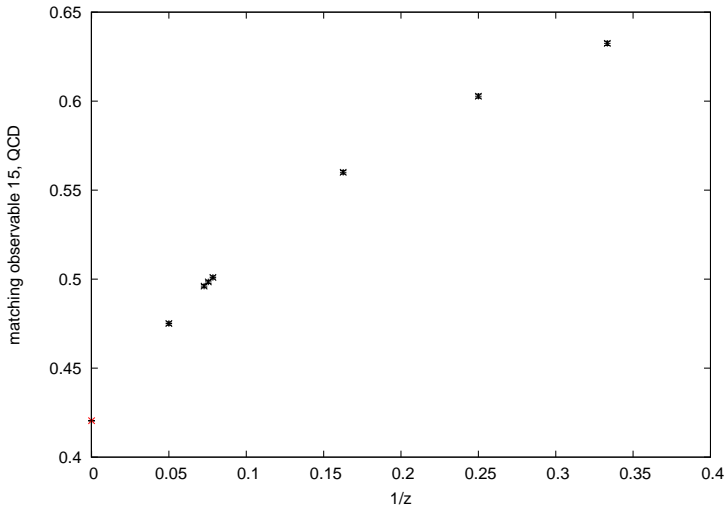


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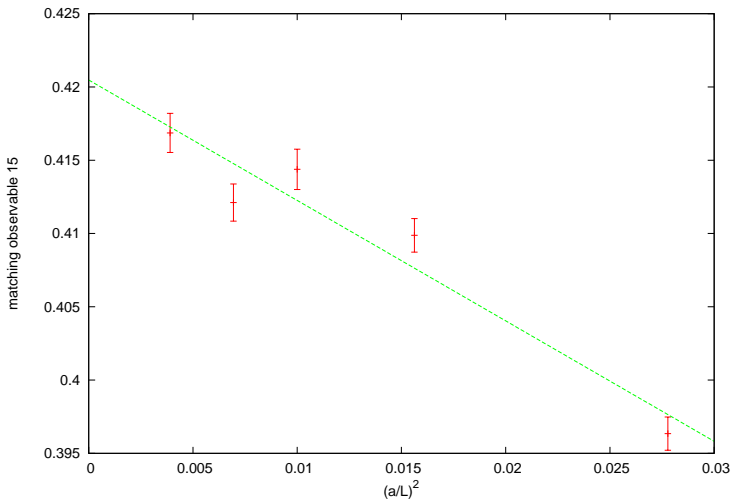
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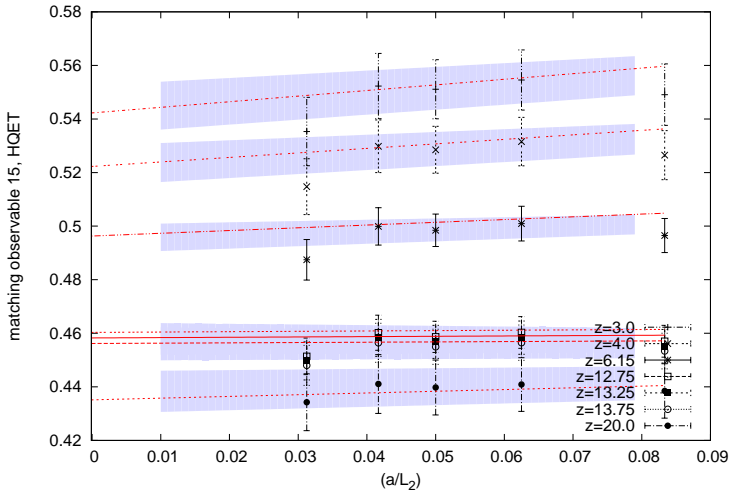
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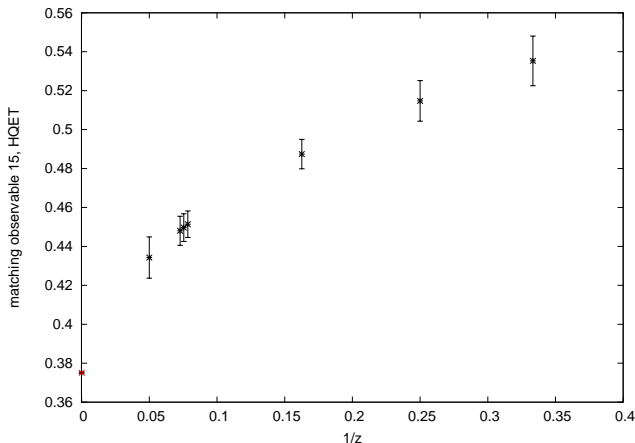
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