

Physique des saveurs sur réseau

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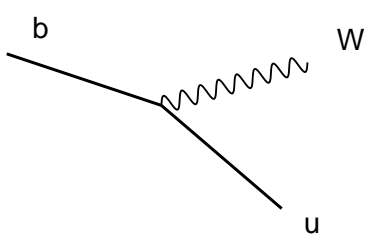
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Motivation

Test SM paradigm of **quark flavor mixing** and **CP violation** and look for **new physics**

Unitary CKM matrix



$\sim V_{ub} \rightarrow V =$

| | | | | |
|-----|--------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| u | d | s | b | |
| c | $1 - \frac{\lambda}{2}$ | λ | $A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta)$ | $\left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} u \\ c \\ t \end{matrix}} \right) + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^4)$ |
| t | $-\lambda$ | $1 - \frac{\lambda}{2}$ | $A\lambda^2$ | |
| | $A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta)$ | $-A\lambda^2$ | 1 | |

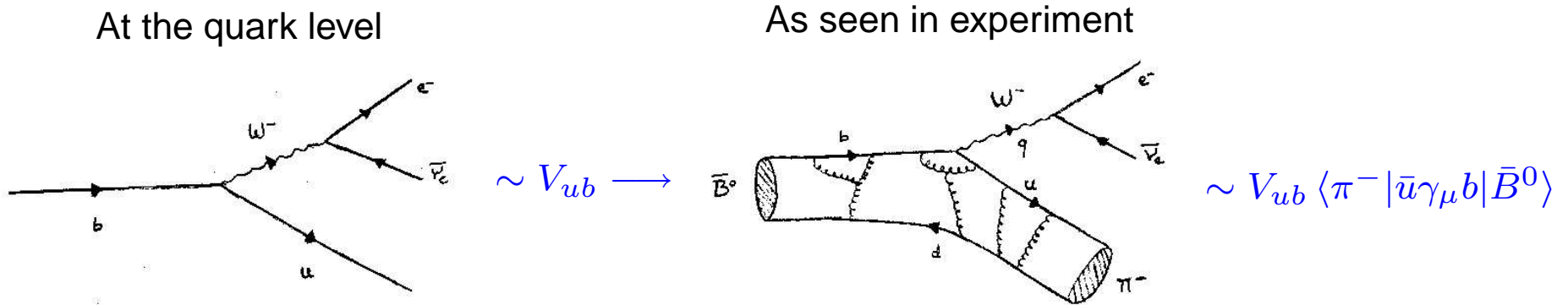
$$\lambda = \sin \theta_c \simeq 0.227(3) \quad A \simeq 0.80(3) \quad \sqrt{\rho^2 + \eta^2} \simeq 0.40(4) \quad (\text{CKM Fitter '04})$$

Strategy

- ⑥ Measure **CKM element magnitudes** with **CP conserving** processes
- ⑥ Measure **CKM element phases** with **CP violating** processes
- ⑥ Impose **unitarity** conditions and **look for inconsistencies**

The need for a non-perturbative QCD tool

E.g.: exclusive semileptonic b quark decay



To get model-independent information about $|V_{ub}|$ from experiment:

must evaluate **non-perturbative strong interaction corrections** in fundamental theory

⇒ **Lattice QCD**

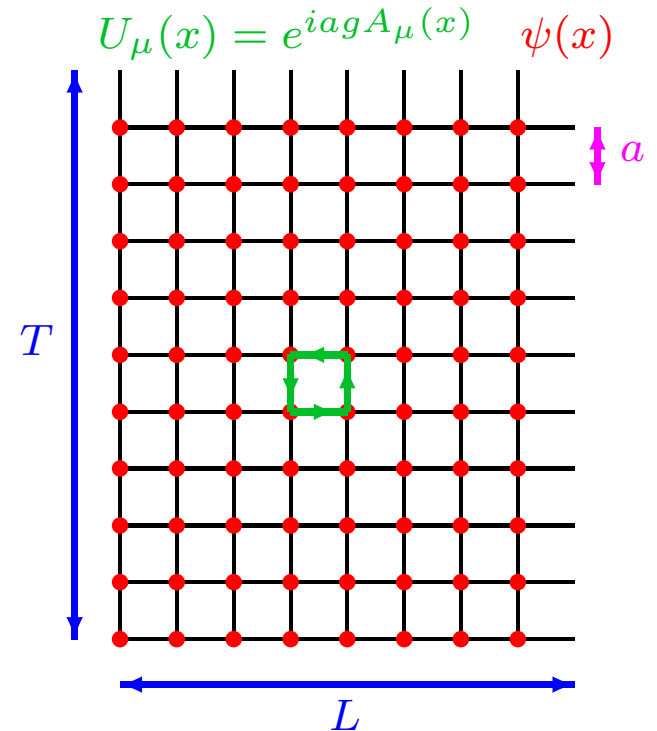
What is lattice QCD (LQCD)?

Lattice gauge theory \rightarrow mathematically sound definition of NP QCD:

- ⑥ UV (and IR) cutoffs and a well defined path integral in Euclidean spacetime:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle O \rangle &= \int \mathcal{D}U \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} \mathcal{D}\psi e^{-S_G - \int \bar{\psi} D[M] \psi} O[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}] \\ &= \int \mathcal{D}U e^{-S_G} \det(D[M]) O[U, \psi, \bar{\psi}]_{\text{Wick}} \end{aligned}$$

- ⑥ $e^{-S_G} \det(D[M]) \geq 0$ and finite # of dof's
 \rightarrow evaluate numerically using stochastic methods



NOT A MODEL: LQCD is QCD when $a \rightarrow 0$, $V \rightarrow \infty$ and stats $\rightarrow \infty$

In practice, limitations . . .

Fermions on the lattice

- ⑥ All (reasonable) discretizations of vector gauge theories have:
 - △ gauge invariance at finite a
 - △ Poincaré invariance when $a \rightarrow 0$
- ⑥ **Fermion doubling** problem makes it very difficult to preserve chiral-flavor symmetries
 - break axial symmetries: Wilson fermions
 - break some of vector and axial symmetries: staggered, twisted-mass fermionsSymmetries recovered when $a \rightarrow 0$ (too much for staggered)
- ⑥ **Full chiral-flavor symmetry** at finite a only recently
 - **Ginsparg-Wilson fermions (GWF)** (domain-wall, Neuberger, overlap ...) (Kaplan '92, Neuberger '98, Hasenfratz '98, Lüscher '98, ...)
- ⑥ Faster simulations if we relinquish global symmetries
- ⑥ GWF numerically more expensive (typically 10-20 times): use when chiral symmetry is crucial

Limitations: finite lattices and quark masses

Limited computer resources $\rightarrow a, L$ and m_q are compromises and statistics finite

Associated errors:

⑥ **Statistical:** $1/\sqrt{N_{conf}}$

⑥ **Discretization:** $a\Lambda_{QCD}, am_q, a|\vec{p}|$, with $a^{-1} \sim 2 - 4 \text{ GeV}$

Eliminate with continuum extrapolation $a \rightarrow 0$

$1/m_b < a < 1/m_c \Rightarrow b$ quark cannot be simulated directly

\rightarrow rely on effective theories (large m_Q expansions of QCD): interpolation between charm and static limit ($m_Q = \infty$) using HQET, FNAL, "NRQCD"

⑥ **Chiral extrapolation:** $m_q \rightarrow m_u, m_d$

\rightarrow use χ PT to give functional form and chiral logs $\sim M_\pi^2 \ln(M_\pi^2/\Lambda_\chi)$

Requires $m_q \sim m_s/4 \rightarrow m_s/8$

⑥ **Finite volume:** for simple quantities, single L large enough that error understood and small

Eliminate with $L \rightarrow \infty$ (χ PT gives functional form)

⑥ **Renormalization:** LQCD gives bare quantities \rightarrow must renormalize: can be done in PT, best done non-perturbatively

Limitations: quenching

- Large overhead for computing $\det(D[M])$
 → **quenched approximation** ($N_f = 0$):
 sea quarks are treated as mean field

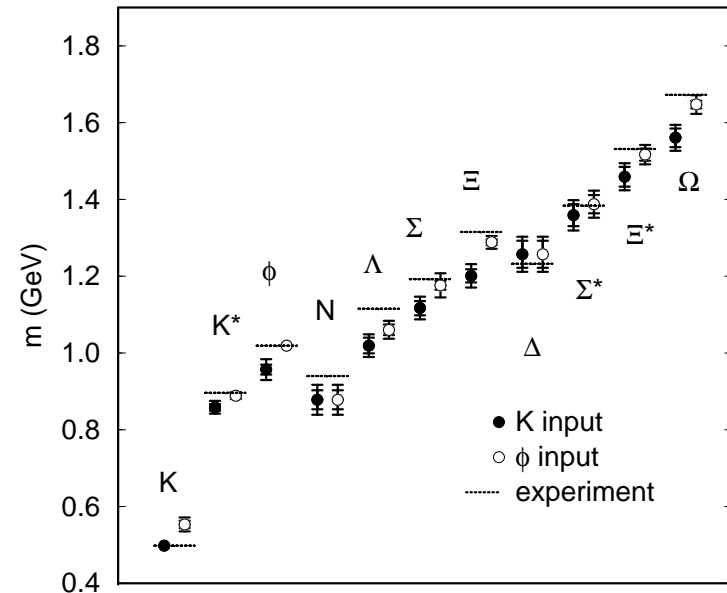
$$\langle O \rangle \approx \int \mathcal{D}U e^{-S_G} \det(\cancel{D}[M]) [O]_{\text{Wick}}$$

→ commonly used in past; now used for testing new methods

- Not a systematic approximation
 Errors $\sim 10 - 20\%$
 → *Not* QCD but \sim good model

- For many quantities → leading systematic

CP-PACS '02, quenched

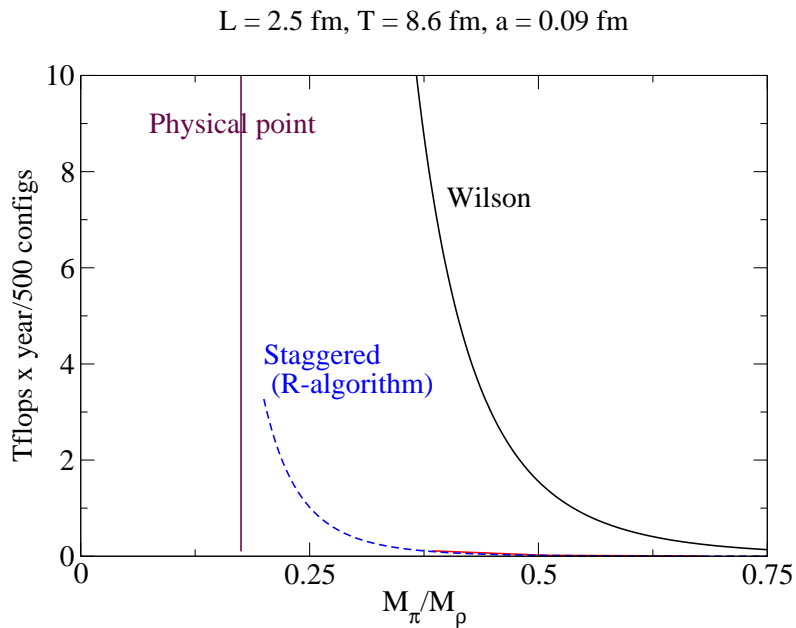


Partial quenching: valence and sea quark masses different

- $N_f = 2$ ($m_s^{\text{sea}} = \infty$): better than quenched
- $N_f = 2 + 1$: contains QCD ($m^{\text{val.}} = m^{\text{sea}}$); better than real world!

Limitations: the Berlin wall

Unquenched calculations are numerically very demanding: # of d.o.f. $\sim \mathcal{O}(10^9)$



Staggered and Wilson with traditional unquenched algorithms (≤ 2004)

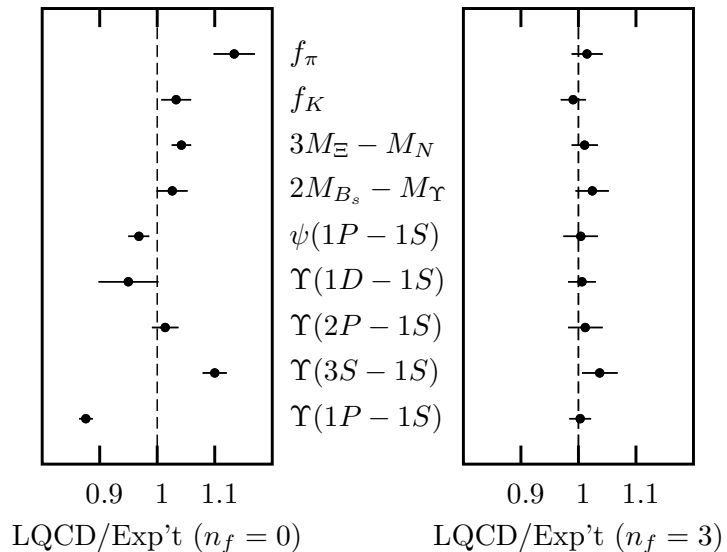
- ⑥ $\text{cost} \sim N_{\text{conf}} V^{5/4} m_q^{-2.5 \rightarrow 3} a^{-7}$
(Gottlieb '02, Ukawa '02)
- ⑥ Both formulations have a cost wall
- ⑥ Wall appears for much lighter quarks w/ Staggered, but algorithm not exact

→ MILC has gone for the gusto: $N_f = 2 + 1$ simulations with $m_q \gtrsim 0.1 m_s$!

- ⑥ Impressive effort: many quantities studied
- ⑥ Detailed study of chiral extrapolation with staggered χ PT (masses small enough)

Are we there?

Certainly looks like it!



(Davies et al '04)

And growing non-perturbative evidence against disaster

(Dürr et al '04, ...)

Good testing and learning ground, but *cannot be final word* unless approach is put on firmer ground

Devil's advocate! → potential problems:

- ⑥ $\det(D[M])_{N_f=1} \equiv [\det(D[M]_{\text{stagg}})]^{1/4}$
to get rid of spurious “tastes”
⇒ no local action known to give that determinant
- ⑥ algorithm used not exact
- ⑥ at current a , significant lattice artefacts
- ⑥ renormalizability of staggered fermions not shown to all orders in PT

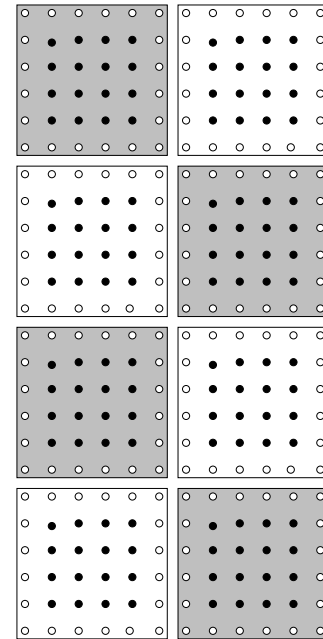
⇒ **unknown systematic error** (is it QCD?)

The fall of the Berlin wall

Schwarz-preconditioned Hybrid Monte Carlo (SAP) (Lüscher '03-'04)

- ⑥ Applies to Wilson fermions (no $\sqrt[4]{}$ trick necessary)
- ⑥ Decompose lattice into blocks with Dirichlet BCs and $p \geq \pi/L \geq 1 \text{ GeV}$
- ⑥ Asymptotic freedom
 - quark interactions are weak in blocks
 - cheaper simulation
- ⑥ Block interactions are weak and taken into account exactly
- ⑥ First principle calculation with

$$\text{cost} \sim N_{\text{conf}} V^{5/4} m_q^{-1} a^{-6}$$



First simulations (Lüscher '04, Del Debbio et al '05): relevant parameter ranges ($m_q \sim m_s/6$, $a^{-1} \sim 3.0 \text{ GeV}$, $\beta = T/2 \sim 2 \text{ fm}$) with $\sim 200 \text{ Gflops}$ sustained

Limitations: gold-plated quantities

Quantities which the lattice should be able to compute to a few % in the next 5 or so years:

- At most one hadron in initial and final state, e.g.:

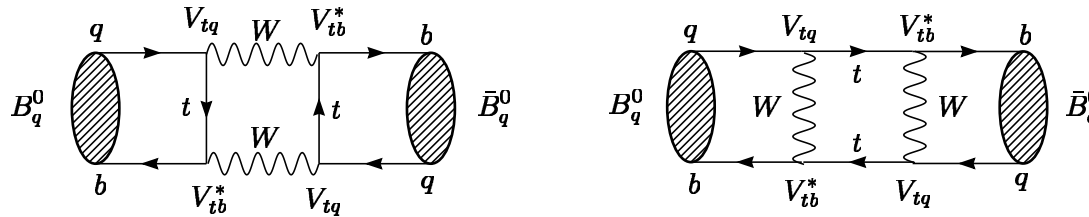
$$\sum_{\vec{x}} \langle [\bar{d}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5 u](x) [\bar{u}\gamma_5 d](0) \rangle \xrightarrow{0 \ll t_x \ll T} \langle 0 | \bar{d}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5 u | \pi^+(\vec{0}) \rangle \langle \pi^+(\vec{0}) | \bar{u}\gamma_5 d | 0 \rangle e^{-M_\pi t_x}$$

$$\sum_{\vec{x}, \vec{y}} e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{y} - i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{x}} \langle [\bar{d}\gamma_5 u](y) [\bar{u}\gamma_\mu b](0) [\bar{b}\gamma_5 d](x) \rangle \xrightarrow{0 \ll t_y \ll T/2 \ll t_x \ll T} \langle 0 | \bar{d}\gamma_5 u | \pi^+(\vec{q}) \rangle \times \\ \times \langle \pi^+(\vec{q}) | \bar{u}\gamma_\mu b | B^0(\vec{p}) \rangle \langle B^0(\vec{p}) | \bar{b}\gamma_5 u | 0 \rangle e^{-E_B(T-t_x) - E_\pi t_y}$$

- Stable hadrons not near thresholds $\rightarrow \rho, K^*, \dots$ difficult
- Disconnected graphs are difficult \rightarrow no η' (and η due to mixing)
- No high momenta: $a|\vec{p}| \ll 1 \Rightarrow |\vec{p}| \lesssim 1 \text{ GeV}$
- If hadron with momentum requires chiral extrapolation, $|\vec{p}|$ even more limited

$B_{(d,s)}^0 - \bar{B}_{(d,s)}^0$ mixing

In Standard Model :

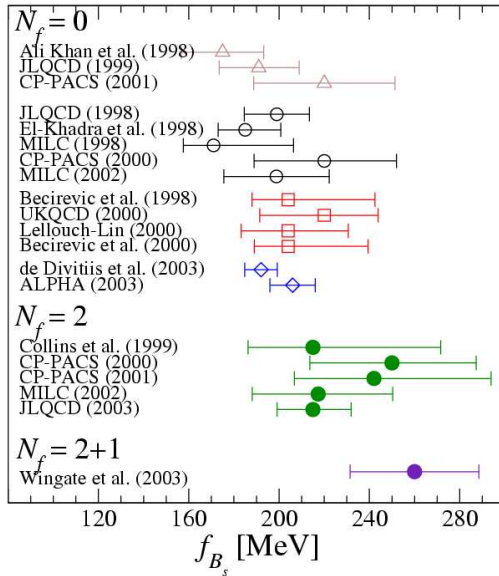


$$\begin{aligned} \Delta M_q &\simeq \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi^2} M_W^2 |V_{tq} V_{tb}^*|^2 \eta_B S_0(x_t) c_B(\mu) \frac{|\langle \bar{B}_q^0 | (\bar{b}q)_{V-A} (\bar{b}q)_{V-A}(\mu) | B_q^0 \rangle|}{2M_{B_d}} \\ &= 0.514(5) \text{ ps}^{-1} \quad [1\%] \quad \text{for } q = d \\ &> 14.5 \text{ ps}^{-1} \quad \text{at 95\% CL} \quad \text{for } q = s \end{aligned}$$

$$c_B(\mu) \langle \bar{B}_q^0 | (\bar{b}q)_{V-A} (\bar{b}q)_{V-A}(\mu) | B_q^0 \rangle = \frac{8}{3} M_{B_q}^2 f_{B_q}^2 \hat{B}_{B_q}$$

Consider $f_{B_q} = \langle 0 | \bar{b} \gamma_0 \gamma_5 q | B_q(\vec{0}) \rangle / M_{B_q}$ and $B_{B_q} = \frac{3 \langle \bar{B}_q^0 | (\bar{b}q)_{V-A} (\bar{b}q)_{V-A}(\mu) | B_q^0 \rangle}{8 \langle \bar{B}_q^0 | \bar{b} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \bar{b} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q | B_q \rangle}$ separately, because systematics very different

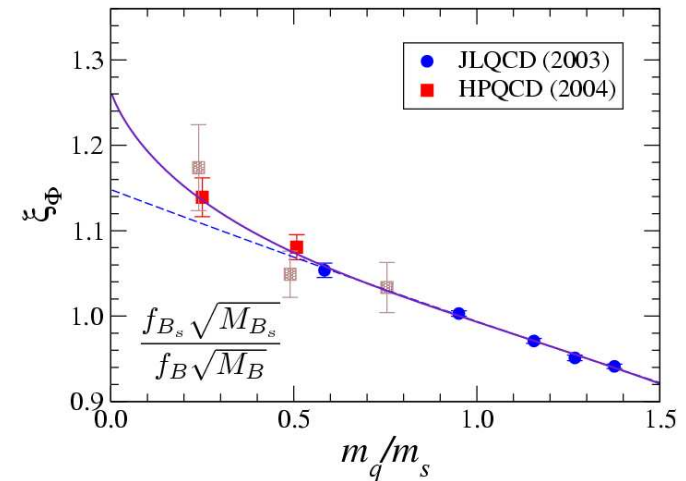
$B_{(d,s)}^0 - \bar{B}_{(d,s)}^0$ mixing: decay constants



- ⑥ Dependence of f_{B_s} on m_q only through sea \rightarrow weak
- ⑥ De Divitiis et al '03 and ALPHA '03 perform continuum extrap.
- ⑥ Different HQ approaches give consistent results in quenched approx.
- ⑥ Large $N_f = 2 + 1$ result, but on single rather coarse lattice

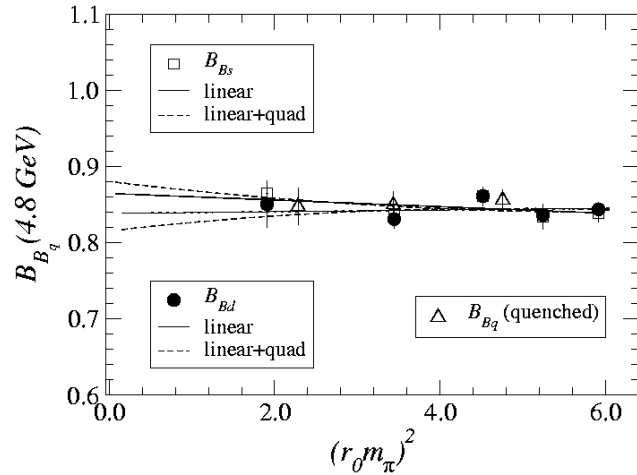
(Hashimoto '04)

- ⑥ Large chiral log coefficient for f_B (Kronfeld et al '02)
- ⑥ First hint from preliminary HPQCD '04 results
- ⑥ Can consider $(f_{B_s}/f_B)/(f_K/f_\pi)$ (Becirevic et al '03) or $(f_{B_s}/f_B)/(f_{D_s}/f_D)$ (Grinstein et al '03) (+ CLEO-c) where logs partially cancel



(Hashimoto '04)

$B_{(d,s)}^0 - \bar{B}_{(d,s)}^0$ mixing: B parameters and summary



Chiral log coefficients small

Quenching effects appear small, but await $N_f = 2 + 1$ w/ $m_q \lesssim m_s/4$ results

$$\frac{\Delta M_s}{\Delta M_d} = \left| \frac{V_{ts}}{V_{td}} \right|^2 \frac{M_{B_s}}{M_B} \xi^2, \quad \xi = \frac{f_{B_s} \sqrt{B_{B_s}}}{f_B \sqrt{B_B}}$$

Many lattice errors cancel, but not chiral log

$N_f = 2, m_q \gtrsim m_s/2$ (JLQCD '03)

Take LL ICHEP '02 and symmetrize chiral log error

$\delta \xi^2 \simeq 12\%$ and $\delta[f_B^2 \hat{B}_B] \simeq 30\%$

Have impact for $\delta[f_B^2 \hat{B}_B] \simeq 23\%$ (CKM Fitter '04)

Non-lattice errors in relation of $\Delta M_s/\Delta M_d$ and ΔM_d to $(\bar{\rho}, \bar{\eta})$ are $\simeq 3\%$ and $\simeq 6\%$, respectively

Error goals for lattice calculations: $\delta \xi^2 \simeq 3\%$ and $\delta[f_B^2 \hat{B}_B] \simeq 6\%$

| Summary [in MeV] | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| f_B | 193(27)(10) |
| f_{B_s} | 238(31) |
| $f_B \hat{B}_B^{1/2}$ | 223(33)(12) |
| $f_{B_s} \hat{B}_{B_s}^{1/2}$ | 276(38) |
| f_{B_s}/f_B | 1.24(4)(6) |
| ξ | 1.24(4)(6) |

$|V_{cb}|$ **from** $B \rightarrow D^* \ell \nu$

$|V_{cb}|$ plays important rôle in constraining UT \rightarrow must be determined precisely

- ⑥ Can extract from differential rate extrapolated to $w = v_B \cdot v_{D^*} = 1$ (Neubert '91)

$$\left. \frac{d\Gamma}{dw} (B \rightarrow D^* \ell \nu) \right|_{w=1} \propto |V_{cb}|^2 |\mathcal{F}_{D^*}(1)|^2$$

- ⑥ HQET and Luke's theorem give: $\mathcal{F}_{D^*}(1) = 1 + \mathcal{O}(1/m_{c,b}^2)$, but precise measurement of $|V_{cb}|$ requires reliable determination of $\mathcal{F}_{D^*}(1) - 1$
- ⑥ Double ratios in an $N_f = 0$ calculation (3 a 's) (Kronfeld et al '01, CKM '03):

$$\mathcal{F}_{D^*}(1) = 0.913_{-17-30}^{+24+17} \longrightarrow 0.91(4) \quad [4.4\%]$$

- ⑥ compare w/ $\delta_{excl.}^{expt.} |V_{cb}| \simeq 2.6\%$, $\delta_{incl.}^{thy} |V_{cb}| \simeq 1.4\%$ and $\delta_{incl.}^{expt.} |V_{cb}| \simeq 1.7\%$

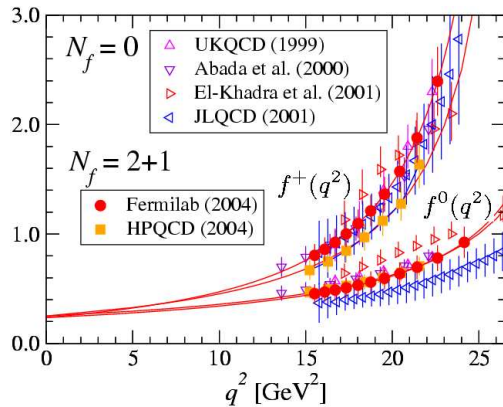
Preliminary $N_f = 2 + 1$ (MILC) result for $B \rightarrow D$ form factor gives $\mathcal{F}_D(1) = 1.075(18)(15)$

(FNAL '04), consistent with $N_f = 0$ result $\mathcal{F}_D(1) = 1.058_{-17}^{+20}$ (FNAL '99)

$|V_{ub}|$ from $B \rightarrow \pi \ell \nu$

In future, best measurement of $|V_{ub}|$ likely to come from exclusive $B \rightarrow X_u \ell \nu$

$$\langle \pi^+(\vec{k}) | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu b | \bar{B}^0(\vec{p}) \rangle \longrightarrow f^+(q^2), f^0(q^2)$$



(Hashimoto '04)

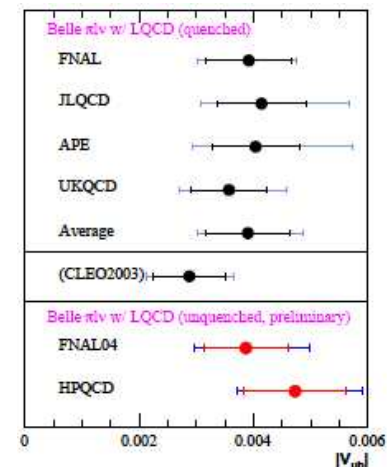
- ⑥ Good consistency on $f^+(q^2)$ which determines rate when $m_\ell \rightarrow 0$, obtained using different heavy quark approaches
- ⑥ Errors $\sim O(20\%)$
- ⑥ $N_f = 2 + 1$ (MILC) vs $N_f = 0 \Rightarrow$ quenching effects not significant *but* chiral log not yet studied (will limit q^2 more)!

⑥ No model-dependence if directly from differential rate in lattice q^2 range (no HQS normalization here) (Flynn et al '96)

⑥ Belle '04 preliminary (140 fb^{-1}) from differential rate with quenched LQCD for $q^2 \geq 16 \text{ GeV}^2$:

$$|V_{ub}| = (3.90 \pm 0.71 \pm 0.23_{-0.48}^{+0.62}) \times 10^{-3}$$

⑥ $O(10) \times$ statistics expected soon

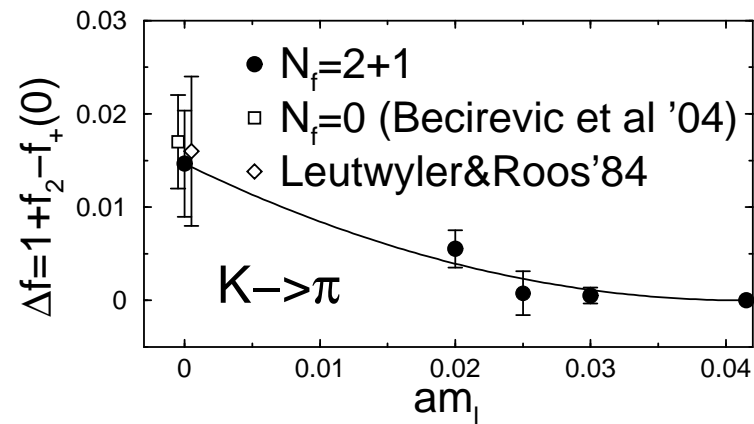


Measurement of $|V_{us}|$ requires theoretical determination of $f^+(0)$ given from:

$$\langle \pi^+(\vec{k}) | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu s | \bar{K}^0(\vec{p}) \rangle \longrightarrow f^+(q^2), f^0(q^2)$$

Becirevic et al '04:

- ⑥ Calculate $f^0(q_{max}^2)$ w/ ratio trick in LQCD
- ⑥ Use q^2 dependence of $f^0(q^2)$ to obtain $f^+(0) = f^0(0)$ vs $m_l = \bar{m}$
- ⑥ $\Delta f \equiv 1 + f_2 - f^+(0) \sim (m_s - \bar{m})^2$ by Ademollo-Gatto thm, w/ f_2 the leading logs in χPT
- ⑥ Preliminary $N_f = 2 + 1$ (MILC) result from FNAL '04 and $N_f = 2$ result from JLQCD '05

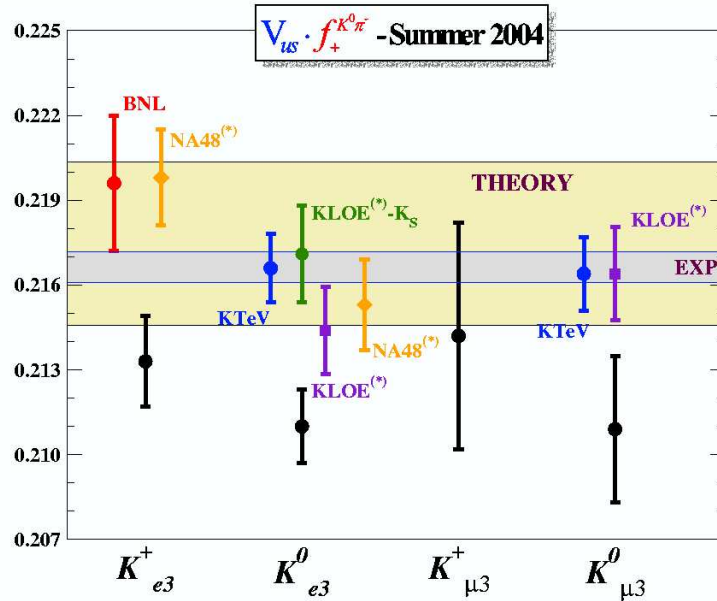


(FNAL '04)

Good agreement with quenched result (Becirevic et al '04), but ...

... MUST verify that $f^+(0)$ from LQCD reproduces NLO and NNLO chiral logs

$|V_{us}|$ from $K \rightarrow \pi l \nu$ (2)



⌚ PDG '04: 2σ violation of unitarity relation

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 = 1$$

⌚ Uses old experimental measurements of $|V_{us}|f^+(0)$ (black points)

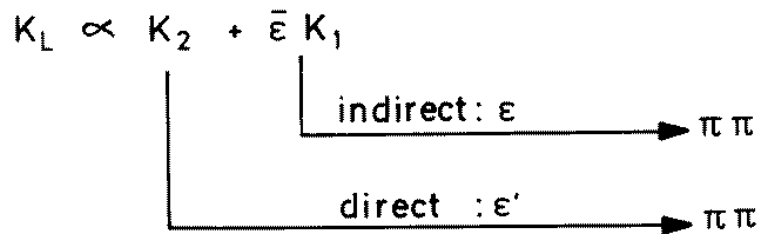
⌚ Many new measurements since

⌚ Good agreement now w/ unitarity relation (theory band, obtained using Leutwyler et al '84)

$K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decays: phenomenology

$$\begin{aligned}
 -iT[K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-] &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}A_0e^{i\delta_0} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}}A_2e^{i\delta_2} & -iT[K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0] &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}A_2e^{i\delta_2} \\
 -iT[K^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0] &= -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}A_0e^{i\delta_0} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}A_2e^{i\delta_2}
 \end{aligned}$$

CP violation implies $A_I^* \neq A_I$



$$\epsilon \equiv \frac{T[K_L \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0}]}{T[K_S \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_{I=0}]} \simeq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{i\pi/4} \frac{\text{Im}M_{12}}{\Delta M_K}$$

$$\epsilon' \simeq \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{i\pi/4} \text{Im} \left(\frac{A_2}{A_0} \right)$$

$$|A_0/A_2| \simeq 22.2 \quad (\Delta I = 1/2 \text{ rule})$$

Experimentally:

$$|\epsilon| = (2.282 \pm 0.017) \cdot 10^{-3} \quad [0.7\%]$$

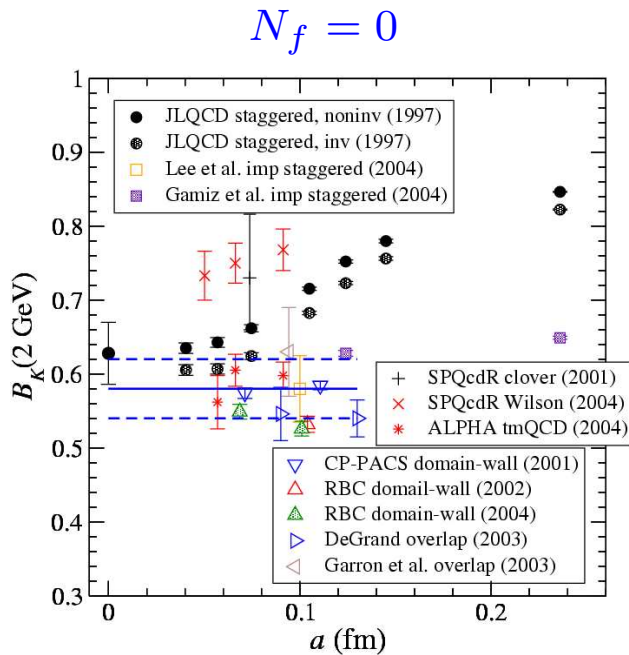
$$\text{Re}(\epsilon'/\epsilon) = (16.7 \pm 2.3) \cdot 10^{-4} \quad [14\%]$$

K^0 - \bar{K}^0 mixing in the SM: B_K

Gives constraint on $\text{Im} [(V_{ts}^* V_{td})^2]$:

$$2M_K M_{12}^* = \langle \bar{K}^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta S=2} | K^0 \rangle \sim C_K(\mu) \langle \bar{K}^0 | (\bar{s}d)_{V-A} (\bar{s}d)_{V-A}(\mu) | K^0 \rangle$$

$$C_K(\mu) \langle \bar{K}^0 | (\bar{s}d)_{V-A} (\bar{s}d)_{V-A}(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = \frac{8}{3} M_K^2 f_K^2 \hat{B}_K$$



⑥ $N_f = 0$ results consistent in continuum limit

$$\rightarrow B_K^{NDR}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 0.58(3)$$

⑥ Use prelim. DWF, $N_f = 2$, RBC '05 result with $m_s/2 \lesssim m_q \lesssim m_s$ to estimate quenching (10%) and $m_s \neq m_d$ (5%)

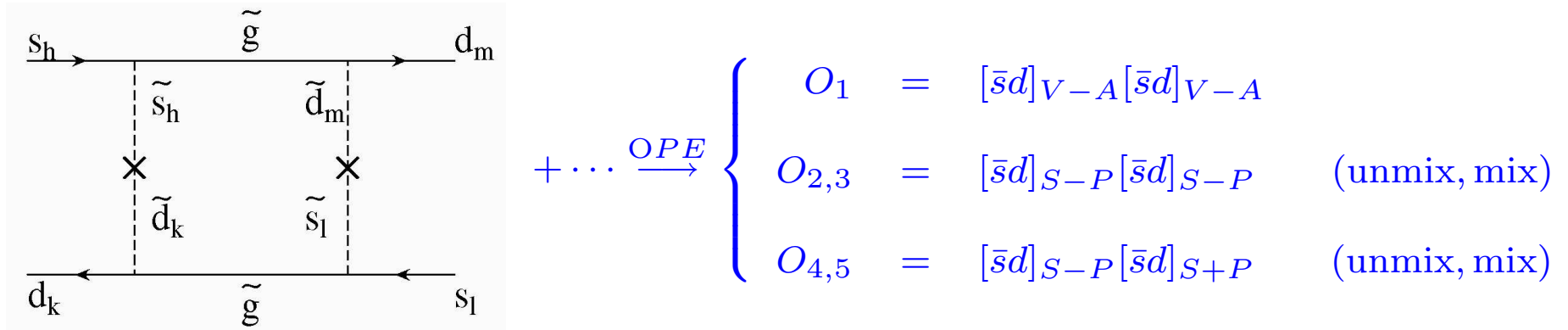
$$\rightarrow B_K^{NDR}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 0.58(3)(6) \text{ or } \hat{B}_K = 0.79(4)(9)$$

⑥ $\delta \hat{B}_K \simeq 12\%$ vs non- B_K error in ϵ of 9.5%, mainly from error in $A\lambda^2 = |V_{cb}|$

⑥ Need $N_f = 2 + 1$ result with light m_q to confirm

$\Delta S = 2$ processes beyond the SM

e.g. gluino mediated FCNC in mass insertion approximation (Ciuchini et al '99)

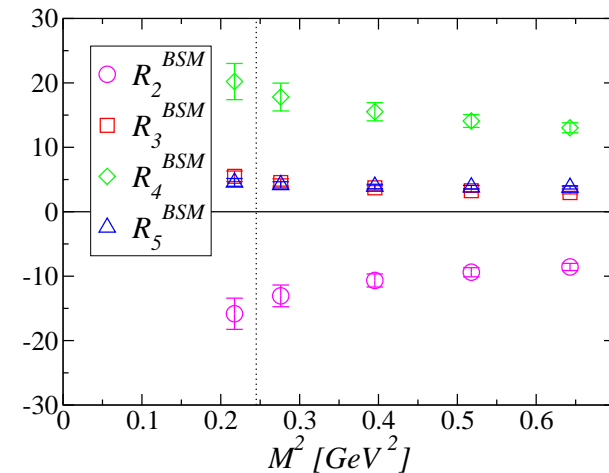


⑥ $N_f = 0$ calculation performed with GWF and NPR (Berruto et al '05)

$$R_i^{BSM}(M^2) \equiv \left[\frac{F_K^2}{M_K^2} \right]_{expt} \times \left[\frac{M^2}{F^2} \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | O_i | K^0 \rangle}{\langle \bar{K}^0 | O_1 | K^0 \rangle} \right]_{lat}$$

⑥ BSM matrix elements are enhanced at M_K by a factor of $\simeq 5 \div 20$

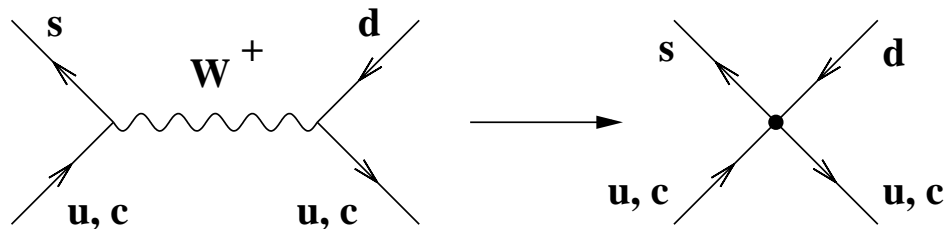
⑥ Enhancement significantly larger than that observed in Wilson fermion calculation of Donini et al '99 \Rightarrow expect improved constraints from $K^0 - \bar{K}^0$ mixing on SM extensions



$\Delta I = 1/2$ rule with an active charm (1)

First step toward a calculation of ϵ' from first principles

OPE (CP-conserving $\Delta S = 1$ transitions)



$$+\text{rad.corr.} \longrightarrow \mathcal{H}^{\Delta S=1} = \frac{G_F}{2\sqrt{2}} V_{ud} V_{us}^* \sum_{i=\pm} C_i(\mu, M_W) \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_i(\mu)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\pm} = \left[(\bar{s}d)_{V-A} (\bar{u}u)_{V-A} \pm (\bar{s}u)_{V-A} (\bar{u}d)_{V-A} \right] - [u \rightarrow c]$$

\mathcal{O}_- is pure $I = 1/2$

\mathcal{O}_+ has both $I = 1/2, 3/2$

Short distance enhancement?

$$|C_-(M_W)/C_+(M_W)| = 1 + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s(M_W)) \longrightarrow |C_-(2\text{GeV})/C_+(2\text{GeV})| \sim 2$$

(Gaillard et al '74; Altarelli et al '74; Shifman et al '75-'77)

$\Delta I = 1/2$ rule with an active charm (2)

Most of enhancement must come from long distance QCD effects in

$$\frac{\langle (\pi\pi)_{I=0} | C_+ \mathcal{O}_+ + C_- \mathcal{O}_- | K^0 \rangle}{\langle (\pi\pi)_{I=2} | C_+ \mathcal{O}_+ | K^0 \rangle}$$

Some evidence from quenched lattice studies of $K \rightarrow \pi$ w/ integrated charm (CP-PACS '01; RBC '01; Pekurovsky et al '01): require subtraction of $1/a^2$ divergences; accurate only to $O(1/m_c^0)$

LQCD w/ χ ral symmetry \Rightarrow renormalized, continuum operators are given by:

$$\hat{\mathcal{O}}_{\pm}(\mu) = Z_{\pm}(\mu a, g_0) \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_{\pm}(g_0) + \mathcal{O}(a^2)$$

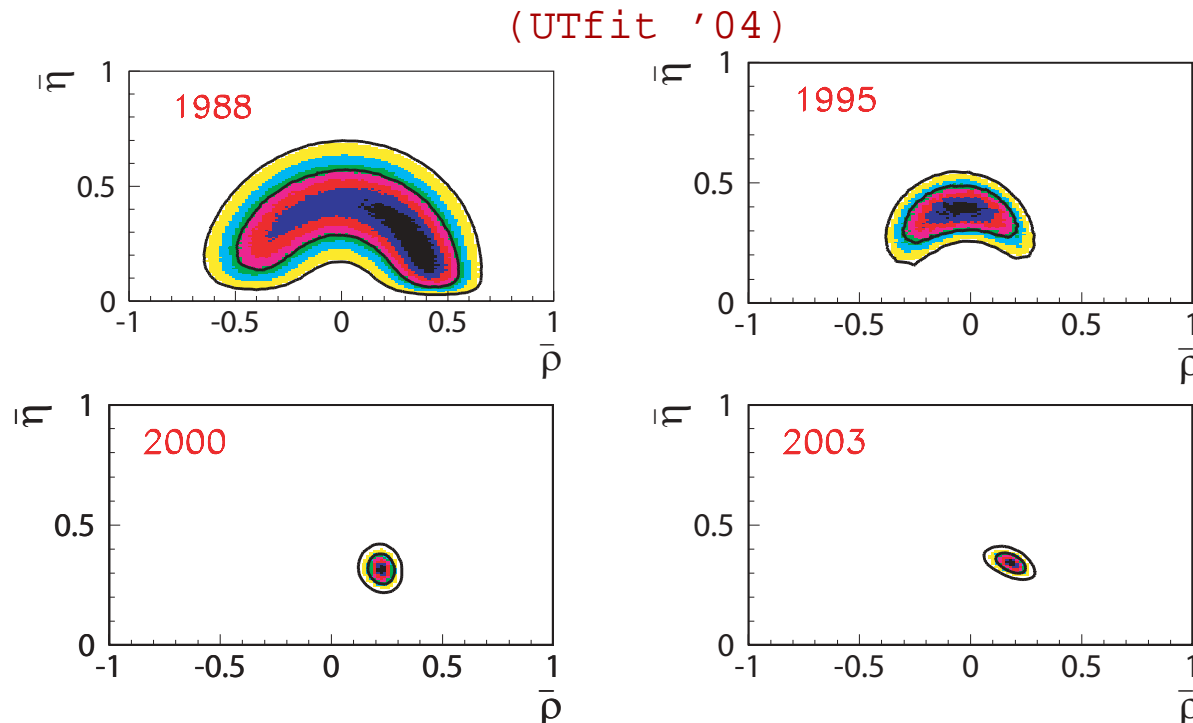
$$\tilde{\mathcal{O}}_{\pm} = \mathcal{O}_{\pm} + (m_c^2 - m_u^2) C_{\pm}^m \mathcal{O}_m \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{O}_m = (m_s + m_d) \bar{s}d - (m_s - m_d) \bar{s}\gamma_5 d$$

\Rightarrow no power divergent subtractions w/ GW fermions, even when simpler $K \rightarrow \pi$ transitions are studied (e.g. Capitani et al '01)

\Rightarrow GW fermions provide a unique opportunity to elucidate $\Delta I = 1/2$ puzzle

Conclusion

- Large range of quantities of central importance to particle physics is being computed w/ lattice QCD simulations, many of which could not be presented here
- Experiment and lattice QCD have interacted very positively and will continue to do so in the future



Conclusion (2)

If we are able to simulate full QCD with $O(1 - 10)$ Tflops with

$$L = 2.0 - 2.5 \text{ fm} \quad m_q = (0.1 - 0.5)m_s \quad a = 0.05 - 0.10 \text{ fm}$$

| Qty | current err. | goal | projected err. |
|---------------------------|--------------|------|----------------|
| $f_B^2 \hat{B}_B$ | 30% | 6% | 10% |
| ξ^2 | 12% | 6% | 6% |
| $B \rightarrow D^* l \nu$ | 4.4% | 1.7% | 3% |
| $B \rightarrow \pi l \nu$ | 20% | 5% | 10% |
| $f_{K\pi}^+(0)$ | 1% | 0.5% | 0.5% |
| B_K | 12% | 10% | 5% |

“Just” need the computer and the man power!

Conclusion (2)

- ⑥ Dominant systematics are **(partial)-quenching** and **chiral extrapolations** (also discretization errors for HQ) → beginning to be addressed head on
- ⑥ ⇒ reliable simulations w/ $N_f = 2 + 1$ and chiral $m_{u,d}$ will immediately lead to large reduction in systematic error (e.g. $\delta_{syst}^{quenched} f_{\pi,K} \sim 10 - 15\% \longrightarrow \delta_{syst}^{N_f=2+1} f_{\pi,K} \sim 3\%$! (MILC '04))
- ⑥ Breakthrough of GW fermions, with their full chiral-flavor symmetry at $a \neq 0 \longrightarrow$ new possibilities for the calculation of weak matrix elements, in particular those associated with the $\Delta I = 1/2$ rule and ϵ' (cf DWF calculations by CP-PACS and RBC '01; analytical work by Capitani et al '00, '01)
- ⑥ Briefly mentioned: reduction in uncertainties obtained by combining ratios of b -quark to equivalent charm quark matrix elements computed on the lattice with charm measurements from e.g. CLEO-c
→ many new $N_f = 2 + 1$ (MILC) results in the pipeline

Conclusion (3)

Not discussed:

- ⑥ The finite-volume solution to the longstanding problem of simulating non-leptonic decays such as $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ directly on the lattice (LL et al '01)
- ⑥ Despite much hard work, difficult to improve on $0.03 < \frac{\Delta\Gamma_s}{\Gamma_s} < 0.15$, at $\sim 3\sigma$, due to large cancellation in leading contribution and large uncertainties in $1/m_b$ correction (e.g. CKM report '03)
- ⑥ Much work on b -hadron lifetimes (e.g. review by Tarantino, CKM '05)
- ⑥ GW fermions allow investigation of a numerically unexplored regime of QCD in which the correlation length of pion fields $\gg L$ (ϵ regime of Gasser et al '87)
- ⑥ In the quenched approximation \rightarrow the calculation of low-energy constants (LECs) of the strong chiral lagrangian (Hernández et al '99; DeGrand '01; Hasenfratz '01; Damgaard et al '02; Giusti et al '04)
- ⑥ It is possible to generalize this approach to extract the LECs of the weak chiral Lagrangian by studying the weak interactions in the ϵ regime (Damgaard et al '02; Giusti et al '02; Hernández et al '02)

Conclusion (4)

- ⑥ Quenched calculations of the hadronic vacuum polarization relevant for $(g - 2)_\mu$, but limited information in dominant kinematical region (Blum '03, Gockeler et al '03)
- ⑥ ...
- ⑥ More generally, the range of approaches and the quantities studied on the lattice is constantly expanding → should be many exciting results in years to come