

# $K^0 - \bar{K}^0$ mixing in the SM and beyond from $N_f = 2$ tmQCD

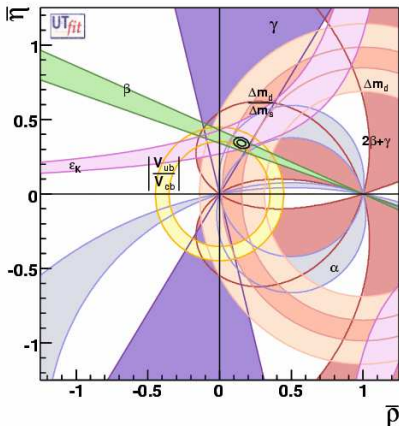
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- $B_K$  (SM)
  - $\epsilon_K$  &  $B_K$
  - mixed (tm-OS) Wilson action:
    - $\mathcal{O}(a)$ -improved calculation *without* unwanted mixing operator under renormalisation
  - Calculation & Results
- $\bar{K}^0 - K^0$  beyond SM
  - set-up
  - Calculation & Results (Preliminary)
- Conclusions

# Generalities



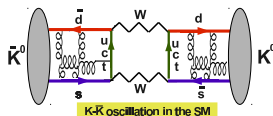
- $\epsilon_K$  measured experimentally to sub percent precision; constrains the apex of the CKM UT
- $B_K$  - bag parameter which parametrizes the strong interaction effects in the neutral K oscillations

# Generalities

- Define  $|K_{S,L}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1+|\bar{\epsilon}|^2)}} [(1+\bar{\epsilon})|K^0\rangle \mp (1-\bar{\epsilon})|\bar{K}^0\rangle]$
- Experiment :  $\epsilon_K \equiv \frac{2\eta_{+-} + \eta_{00}}{3}$  with  $\eta_{ij} = \frac{\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^i \pi^j)}{\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^i \pi^j)}$
- $Re(\epsilon_K) = Re(\bar{\epsilon}) = \cos\phi_\epsilon \sin\phi_\epsilon \left[ \frac{Im M_{12}}{\Delta m_K} + \xi \right] \Rightarrow \epsilon_K = e^{i\phi_\epsilon} \sin\phi_\epsilon \left[ \frac{Im M_{12}}{\Delta m_K} + \xi \right]$

- $\phi_\epsilon, \Delta m_K \leftarrow$  experiment
- $Im M_{12}, \xi$ : calculated in SM

- $\epsilon_K = \kappa_\epsilon \frac{e^{i\phi_\epsilon}}{\sqrt{2}} \left[ \frac{Im M_{12}}{\Delta m_K} \right] \quad \kappa_\epsilon = 0.94(2) \text{ (until 2008, } \kappa_\epsilon = 1)$



(Buras & Guadagnoli, 2008; Buras, Guadagnoli, Isidori, 2010)

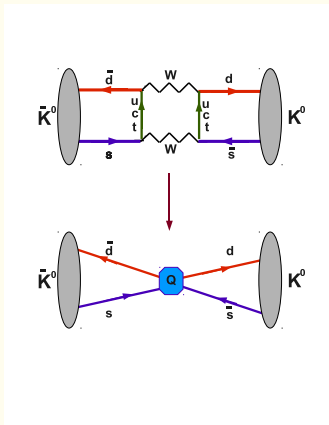
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- Calculation using the effective hamiltonian

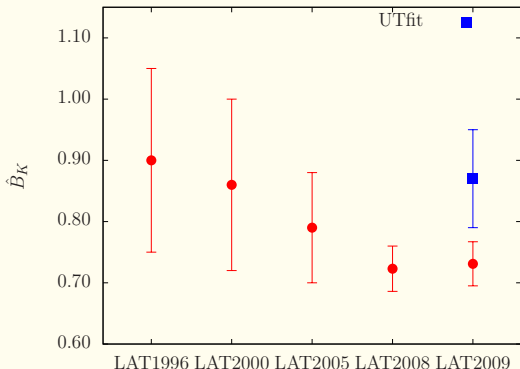
$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{12} &\sim \langle \bar{K}^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta S=2} | K^0 \rangle \\
 &= C(\mu) \underbrace{\langle \bar{K}^0 | (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu^L d) (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu^L d) | K^0 \rangle}_{Q(\mu)}
 \end{aligned}$$

- $\epsilon_K^{\text{SM}} = \kappa_\epsilon C_\epsilon \hat{B}_K |V_{cb}|^2 \lambda^2 \bar{\eta} \times (|V_{cb}|^2 (1 - \bar{\rho}) \eta_{tt} S_0(x_t) + \eta_{ct} S_0(x_c, x_t) - \eta_{cc} x_c)$
- $\epsilon_K^{\text{exp}} = 2.237(7) \times 10^{-3} \xrightarrow{|V_{cb}|} \hat{B}_K = 0.87(8)$

(V. Lubicz, LAT2009, 1004.3473)



# evolution of $B_K$ lattice estimate



- 1996  $\rightarrow$  2009:  $\sigma_{B_K} \sim 18\% \rightarrow 4\%$
- *tension* of  $\sim 1.5\sigma$  between lattice and CKM estimate

(source: V. Lubicz, LAT2009)

# $B_K$ & Wilson fermions

- Due to Wilson term (and loss of chirality)  $B_K$  calculation is characterised by:
  - 1  $O(a)$  discretisation effects
  - 2 Complicated renormalization pattern
- Cure (2) using
  - WI and 4-point correlation function  
(D. Becirevic, P. Boucaud, V. Gimenez, V. Lubicz and M. Papinutto, Eur.Phys.J. 2004)
  - combinations of Wilson quarks with various combinations of twisted angle  
(ALPHA coll, P. D., J. Heitger, F. Palombi, C. Pena, S. Sint and A. Vladikas, NPB 2006)
- Cure (1) using
  - Symanzik program and include dim-7 counterterms → large uncertainties
  - Mtm QCD
- Cure both (1) and (2) employing
  - Mtm QCD & Mixed action

**$B_K$  by ETMC :**

an  $O(a)$ -improved calculation with

simplified renormalisation pattern

in collaboration with:

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# Mixed action (Frezzotti-Rossi, JHEP 2004)

$$S = S_{YM}^{\text{stSym}} + S_{\psi, \text{sea}}^{\text{Mtm}} + S_{q_f, \text{valence}}^{\text{SOS}} + S_{\text{gh, valence}}$$

with Mtm  $N_f = 2$  sea action:

$$S_{\psi, \text{sea}}^{\text{Mtm}} = \alpha^4 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) \left( \gamma \tilde{\nabla} - i\gamma_5 \tau_3 W_{Cr} + \mu_{\text{sea}} \right) \psi(x)$$

and  $W_{Cr} = -\frac{a}{2} r \nabla^* \nabla + M_{Cr}(r)$

Using the non-anomalous chiral transformation for the light sea doublet

$$\psi = \exp(i\pi\gamma_5\tau_3/4)\chi \quad \bar{\psi} = \bar{\chi}\exp(i\pi\gamma_5\tau_3/4)$$

pass from the *physical* to the *twisted* basis

$$S_{\chi, \text{sea}}^{\text{tm}} = \alpha^4 \sum_x \bar{\chi}(x) \left( \gamma \tilde{\nabla} - W_{Cr} + i\gamma_5\tau_3\mu_{\text{sea}} \right) \chi(x)$$

Mtm version of Wilson fermions enjoys desired chiral properties (for the charged pion) due to the chirally rotated  $W_{Cr}$  wrt quark mass.

# Mixed action (Frezzotti-Rossi, JHEP 2004)

Valence action à la Osterwalder-Seiler

$$S_{q_f, \text{valence}}^{\text{SOS}} = a^4 \sum_x \sum_f \bar{q}_f(x) \left( \gamma \tilde{\nabla} - i\gamma_5 r_f W_{Cr} + \mu_f \right) q_f(x)$$

and  $W_{Cr} = -\frac{a}{2} \nabla^* \nabla + M_{Cr}(r_f; r_{\text{sea}})$

$q_f$  are single quarks with chiral transformation:  $q_f = \exp(i\pi\gamma_5 r_f/4) q'_f$ .

- isospin restoration
- $O(a^2)$ -unitarity violations

Partial Quenched set-up: ( $q_1 = d$ ,  $q_2 = s$ ,  $q_3 = d'$ ,  $q_4 = s'$ )

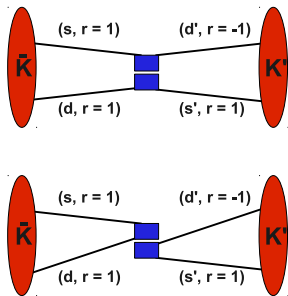
- $M_0^{\text{sea}} = M_0^f = M_{Cr}(r_f = \pm 1; 1)$
- $\mu_{\text{sea}}^u = \mu_{\text{sea}}^d = \mu_d = \mu_{d'}$
- $\mu_s = \mu_{s'}$
- $r_{\text{sea}}^u = -r_{\text{sea}}^d = -r_{d'} = r_d = \pm 1$
- $r_s = r_{s'} = \pm 1$

Calculate the 3-point correlator

$$C_{K'OK}(z_0 - x_0, z_0 - y_0) = \sum_{\bar{x}, \bar{z}, \bar{y}} \langle (\bar{d}' \gamma_5 s') |_x \mathcal{O}_{VV+AA}^{\Delta S=2} |_z (\bar{d} \gamma_5 s) |_y \rangle$$

with the 4-fermion operator

$$\mathcal{O}_{VV+AA}^{\Delta S=2} = 2\{(\bar{s} \gamma_\mu d)(\bar{s}' \gamma_\mu d')(\bar{s} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d)(\bar{s}' \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d') + (\bar{s} \gamma_\mu d')(\bar{s}' \gamma_\mu d)(\bar{s} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d)(\bar{s}' \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 d')\}$$



- $\Phi_{K'} = \bar{d}' \gamma_5 s'$  ( $-r_{d'} = r_{s'} = 1$ ) (**tm-like**)
- $\Phi_K = \bar{d} \gamma_5 s$  ( $r_d = r_s = 1$ ) (**OS-like**)

### ■ At maximal twist

- $\mathcal{O}(a)$ -improvement of ME
- Continuum-like renormalization
- i.e no operator mixing*

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_{B_K} &= \frac{3}{8} \frac{C_{K'QK}(z_0 - x_0, z_0 - y_0)}{C_{K'}^{(2)}(z_0 - x_0) C_K^{(2)}(z_0 - y_0)} \quad [\text{with } x_0 - y_0 = \frac{T}{2}] \\
 &= \frac{3}{8} \frac{C_{K'QK}(z_0 - x_0, z_0 - y_0)}{(\Phi_{K'} A_0)(z_0 - x_0)|^{\text{tm}} (A_0 \Phi_K)(z_0 - y_0)|^{\text{OS}}} \\
 &\xrightarrow{x_0 \ll z_0 \ll y_0} \frac{3}{8} \frac{\langle \bar{K} | \mathcal{Q}_{VV+AA}^{\Delta S=2} | K' \rangle}{(f_{K'} m_{K'})^{\text{tm}} (f_K m_K)^{\text{OS}}} \left[ \frac{Z_Q}{Z_V Z_A} \right] \\
 &= B_K
 \end{aligned}$$

- $m_K - m_{K'} = \mathcal{O}(a^2)$
- Factors  $e^{-m_{K'}(z_0 - x_0)}$  and  $e^{-m_K(T/2 - z_0 + y_0)}$  cancel between numerator and denominator.
- Same for factors  $m_{K'}$  and  $m_K$

# Simulation Data

$\beta$	$a^{-4}(L^3 \times T)$	$a\mu_{\text{sea}} = a\mu_\ell$	$a\mu_h$	$N_{\text{meas}}$
3.80 ( $a \sim 0.10$ fm)	$24^3 \times 48$	0.0080	0.0165, 0.0200, 0.0250	170
	"	0.0110	"	180
3.90 ( $a \sim 0.085$ fm)	$24^3 \times 48$	0.0040	0.0150, 0.0220, 0.0270	400
	"	0.0064	"	200
	"	0.0085	"	200
	"	0.0100	"	150
	$32^3 \times 64$	0.0040	"	160
	"	0.0030	"	300
4.05 ( $a \sim 0.07$ fm)	$32^3 \times 64$	0.0030	0.0120, 0.0150, 0.0180	200
	"	0.0060	"	150
	"	0.0080	"	220

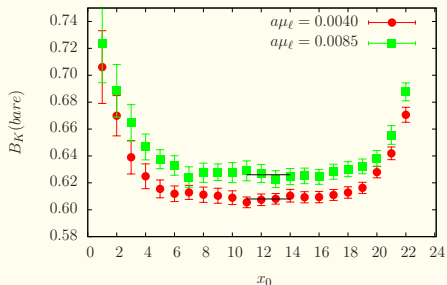
$$280 \text{ MeV} \lesssim M_{\text{PS}}^{\ell\ell} \lesssim 520 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_\pi L \gtrsim 3.3$$

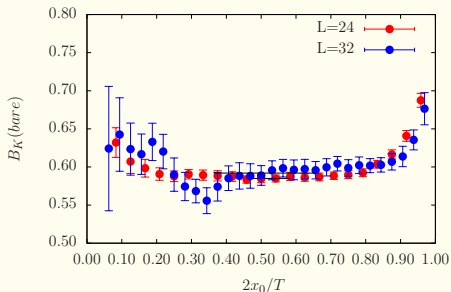
$$450 \text{ MeV} \lesssim M_{\text{PS}}^{\ell h} \lesssim 670 \text{ MeV}$$

# Signal quality

$\beta = 3.90 \quad a\mu_h = 0.0220$



$\beta = 3.90 \quad (a\mu_\ell = a\mu_{sea} = 0.0040, a\mu_h = 0.0150)$



- Typical error of bare

$$B_K \sim 0.5 - 1.2\%$$

$$B_K^{\text{bare}}(L=24) = 0.585(5)$$

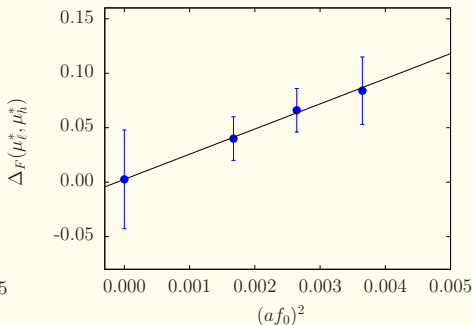
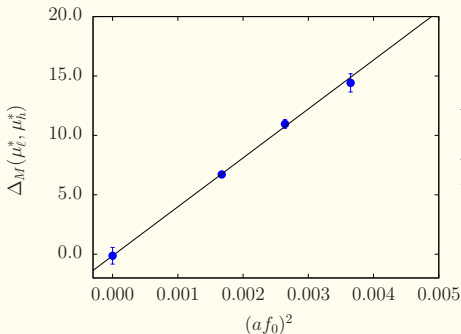
vs.

$$B_K^{\text{bare}}(L=32) = 0.592(5)$$

# tm vs. OS: $O(a^2)$ discr. effects

$$\blacksquare \quad \Delta_M = [M_{ps}^{OS}]^2 - [M_{ps}^{tm}]^2$$

$$\blacksquare \quad \Delta_F = |F_{ps}^{OS} - F_{ps}^{tm}|$$



■ calculation at  $(\mu_\ell^*, \mu_h^*)$  (fixed for all  $\beta$ ) renormalised q-masses & in  $f_0$  units.

# Renormalization Constants

- RI-MOM method

$\beta$	$Z_4^{\text{RGI}} \text{ (M1)}$	$Z_4^{\text{RGI}} \text{ (M2)}$	$Z_A \text{ (M1)}$	$Z_A \text{ (M2)}$	$Z_V \text{ (WI)}$
3.80	0.591(18)	0.616(11)	0.746(11)	0.727(07)	0.5816(02)
3.90	0.617(10)	0.633(06)	0.746(06)	0.730(03)	0.6103(03)
4.05	0.693(10)	0.694(06)	0.772(06)	0.758(04)	0.6451(03)

- (M1):  $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$  fitted.

- (M2):  $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$  not fitted.

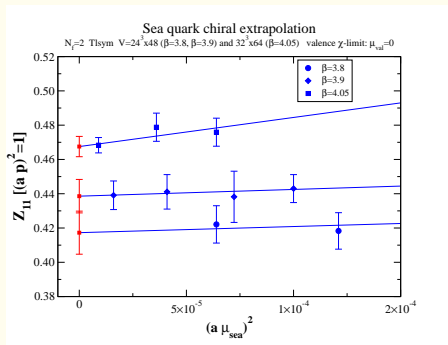
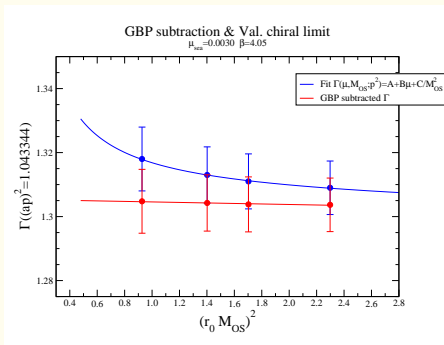


# 4-f RCs: valence & sea chiral limit

## ● GBP subtraction

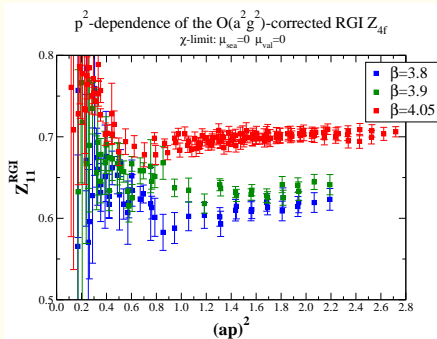
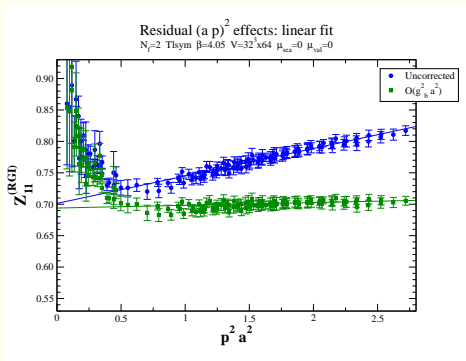
$$\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}(\mu, M_{ps}; p^2) = A + B\mu + C/[M_{ps}^{OS}]^2 \quad \text{for } \mathcal{O}_{n=1}$$

$$\Gamma_{\mathcal{O}}(\mu, M_{ps}; p^2) = A' + B'\mu + C' / ([M_{ps}^{tm}]^2 + [M_{ps}^{OS}]^2) \quad \text{for } \mathcal{O}_{n>1}$$



# 4-f RCs:

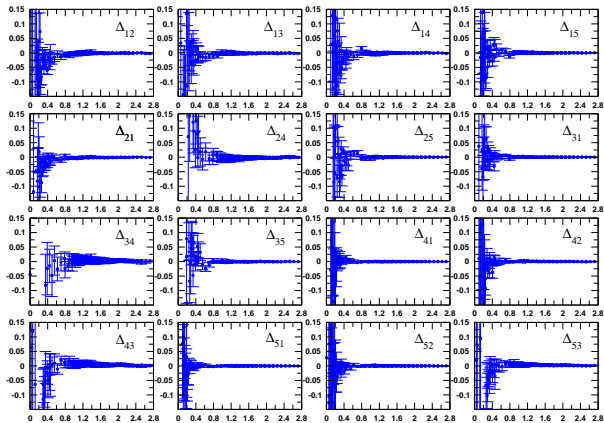
●  $Z_{11}$  vs.  $(ap)^2$



# 4-f Renormalization Constants

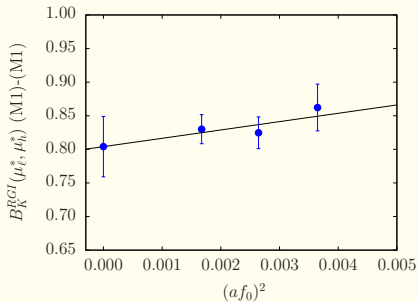
- Operator Mixing

$\beta=4.05$

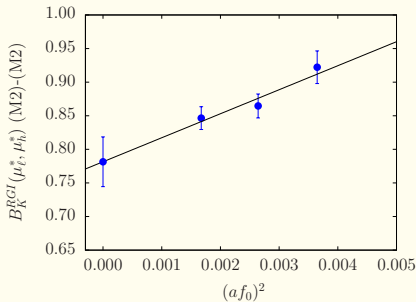


# " $B_K^{RGI}$ " at fixed $(\ell, h)$ q-masses

'M1': RI-MOM RCs with  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 p^2)$  fitted



'M2': RI-MOM RCs with  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 p^2)$  not fitted



■ calculation at  $(\mu_\ell^*, \mu_h^*) \sim (40, 90)$  MeV.

● cut-off effects: 'M1':  $\sim 7\%$  'M2':  $\sim 15\%$

# $B_K$ @ (physical point & CL)

- Two methods:
  - Use q-masses: need to know  $\mu_{u/d}$  and  $\mu_s$  at CL
    - (i) interpolate  $B_K$  to  $\mu_s$ ; obtain  $B_K(\mu_\ell, \mu_s)$
    - (ii) extrapolate to  $\mu_{u/d} \rightarrow B_K(\mu_{u/d}, \mu_s)$
  - Use pseudoscalar masses:
    - (i) interpolate  $B_K$  to a number of reference pseudoscalar masses  $M_{hh}^2$
    - (ii) extrapolate  $B_K(M_{\ell\ell}^2, M_{hh}^2)$  to the physical point  $M_\pi^2$
    - (iii) interpolate to  $M_{ss}^2 = 2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2 \rightarrow B_K(M_\pi^2, M_{ss}^2)$
- Combined **chiral + continuum** fits

# $B_K$ @ (physical point & CL)

- $SU(2)$  Chiral fit formula

(C.Allton et al, 2008; Sharpe & Yang, 1996)

$$B_K(\mu_u/d, \mu_h) = B_X(\mu_h) \left[ 1 + b(\mu_h) \frac{2B_0}{f_0^2} \mu_\ell - \frac{2B_0 \mu_\ell}{32\pi^2 f_0^2} \log \frac{2B_0 \mu_\ell}{\Lambda_X^2} \right]$$

or

$$B_K(M_\pi^2, M_{hh}^2) = B'_X(M_{hh}^2) \left[ 1 + b'(M_{hh}^2) \frac{M_{\ell\ell}^2}{f_0^2} - \frac{M_{\ell\ell}^2}{32\pi^2 f_0^2} \log \frac{M_{\ell\ell}^2}{\Lambda_X^2} \right]$$

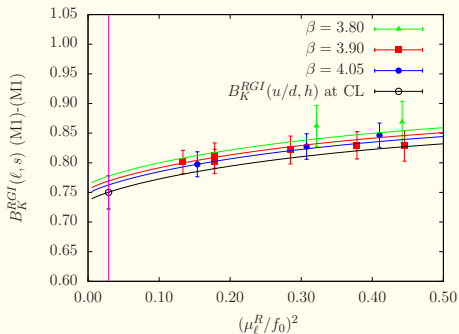
- Fit the discretization effects

# scale inputs for the physical point

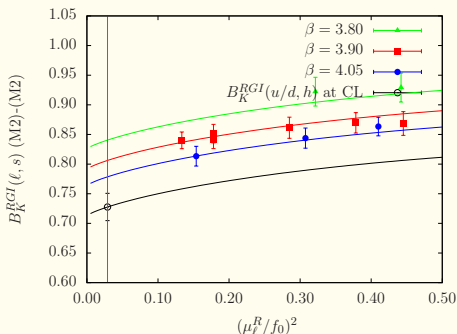
- Use  $r_0$  or  $f_0$  for setting the scale  
(calculated by a scaling analysis in the light sector)
- ⇒ Verify the *non* dependence (in practice) of  $B_K$  (← dimensionless quantity)

# Fits wrt q-mass (using scale from $f_0$ )

RI-MOM RCs with  $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$  fitted



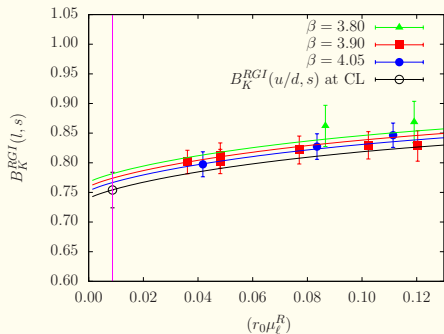
RI-MOM RCs with  $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$  not fitted



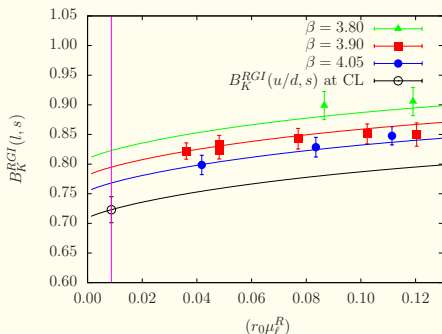


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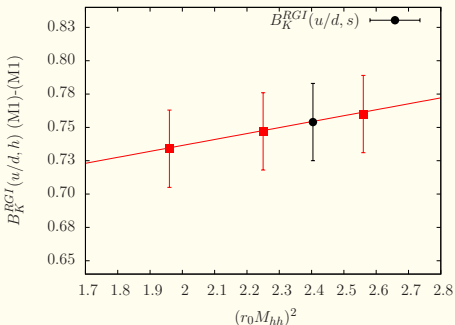
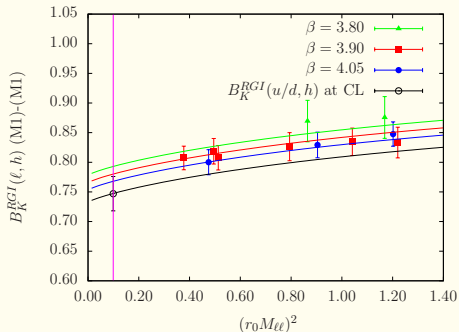


RI-MOM RCs with  $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$  not fitted



# Fits wrt pseudoscalar masses and RI-MOM RCs with $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$ fitted

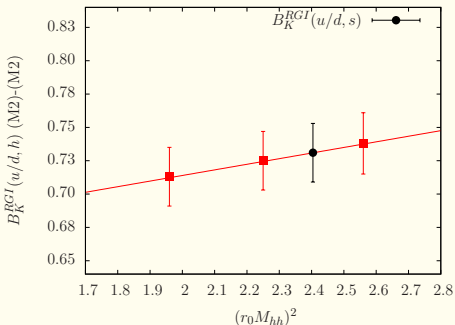
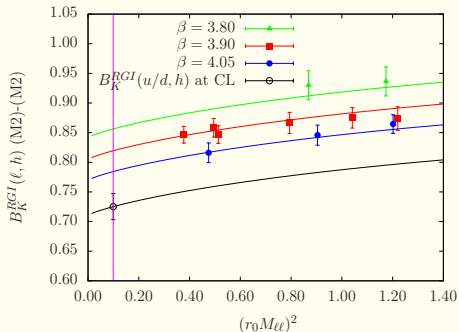
$r_0 M_{hh} = 1.50$  ( $\sim r_0 M_{ss}$ )



physical point at:  $M_{hh}^2 \equiv M_{ss}^2 = 2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2$

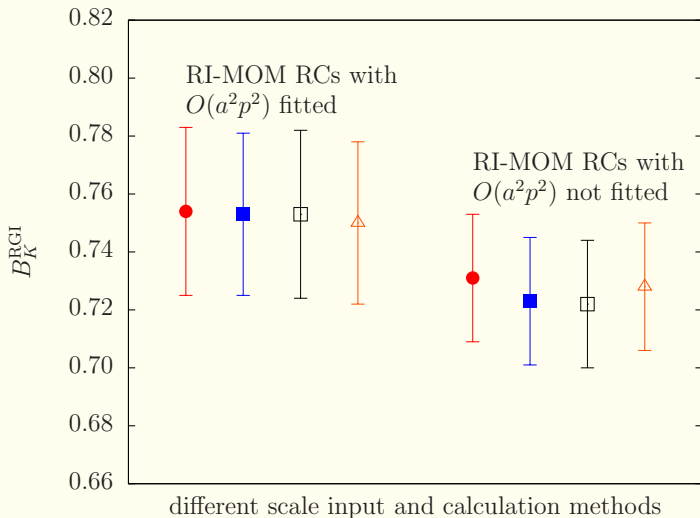
# Fits wrt pseudoscalar masses and RI-MOM RCs with $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$ not fitted

$r_0 M_{hh} = 1.50$  ( $\sim r_0 M_{ss}$ )



physical point at:  $M_{hh}^2 \equiv M_{ss}^2 = 2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2$

# $B_K$ @ (physical point & CL)



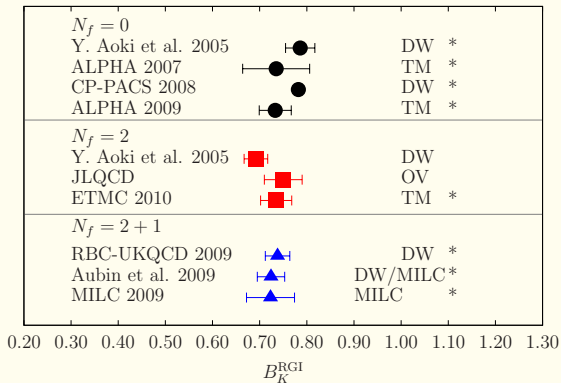
# $B_K$ @ (physical point & CL): Result

$$B_K^{\text{RGI}} = 0.733(29)(16)[33]$$

- 1st error : ( $B_K$ -bare + Fit + RCs + scale input) uncertainty
- 2nd error : due to the difference ( up to  $O(\alpha^2)$  ) of the RI-MOM RCs.

An alternative counting for the error budget:

- ( $B_K$ -bare + Fit) uncertainty  $\sim 2\%$
- (RCs + scale input) uncertainty  $\sim 2.5\%$
- “systematic” uncertainty due to RI-MOM RCs  $\sim 2\%$



(\*): Continuum Limit result

● No significant dependence on  $N_f$  dynamical quark flavours!

## $K^0 - \bar{K}^0$ oscillation Beyond SM

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# Including $\Delta S = 2$ Supersymmetric Operators

The effective Hamiltonian takes the form:

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta S=2} = \sum_{i=1}^5 C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i + \sum_{i=1}^3 \tilde{C}_i(\mu) \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_i$$

■ In SM case only  $\mathcal{O}_1$  contributes.

$$\mathcal{O}_1 = [\bar{s}^a \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d^a] [\bar{s}^b \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d^b] \quad \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_1 = [\bar{s}^a \gamma_\mu (1 + \gamma_5) d^a] [\bar{s}^b \gamma_\mu (1 + \gamma_5) d^b]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_2 = [\bar{s}^a (1 - \gamma_5) d^a] [\bar{s}^b (1 - \gamma_5) d^b] \quad \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_2 = [\bar{s}^a (1 + \gamma_5) d^a] [\bar{s}^b (1 + \gamma_5) d^b]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_3 = [\bar{s}^a (1 - \gamma_5) d^b] [\bar{s}^b (1 - \gamma_5) d^a] \quad \tilde{\mathcal{O}}_3 = [\bar{s}^a (1 + \gamma_5) d^b] [\bar{s}^b (1 + \gamma_5) d^a]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_4 = [\bar{s}^a (1 - \gamma_5) d^a] [\bar{s}^b (1 + \gamma_5) d^b]$$

$$\mathcal{O}_5 = [\bar{s}^a (1 - \gamma_5) d^b] [\bar{s}^b (1 - \gamma_5) d^a]$$

(Gabrielli et al. 1996; Bagger et al. 1997; Ciuchini et al. 1997,1998)

■ Parity-even parts of  $\mathcal{O}_i$  and  $\tilde{\mathcal{O}}'_i$  coincide.



# Lattice basis

## ■ Parity even operators

$$O^{VV} = (\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}d)(\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}d)$$

$$O^{AA} = (\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5d)(\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5d)$$

$$O^{PP} = (\bar{s}\gamma_5d)(\bar{s}\gamma_5d)$$

$$O^{SS} = (\bar{s}d)(\bar{s}d)$$

$$O^{TT} = (\bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu}d)(\bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu}d)$$

## ■ Lattice basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_1 \\ Q_2 \\ Q_3 \\ Q_4 \\ Q_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} O^{VV} + O^{AA} \\ O^{VV} - O^{AA} \\ O^{SS} - O^{PP} \\ O^{SS} + O^{PP} \\ O^{TT} \end{pmatrix}$$

# Ss basis

Through Fierz transformation

$$\mathcal{O}_1 = (\mathcal{O}^{VV} + \mathcal{O}^{AA})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_2 = (\mathcal{O}^{SS} + \mathcal{O}^{PP})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_3 = (\mathcal{O}^{SS} + \mathcal{O}^{PP} - \mathcal{O}^{TT})\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_4 = (\mathcal{O}^{SS} - \mathcal{O}^{PP})$$

$$\mathcal{O}_5 = (\mathcal{O}^{VV} - \mathcal{O}^{AA})\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

- OS-setup brings to a continuum-like renormalisation pattern

$$\begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{O}_1 \\ \mathcal{O}_2 \\ \mathcal{O}_3 \\ \mathcal{O}_4 \\ \mathcal{O}_5 \end{pmatrix}_{\text{REN}} = \begin{pmatrix} Z_{11} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & Z_{22} & Z_{23} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & Z_{32} & Z_{33} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & Z_{44} & Z_{45} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & Z_{54} & Z_{55} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{O}_1 \\ \mathcal{O}_2 \\ \mathcal{O}_3 \\ \mathcal{O}_4 \\ \mathcal{O}_5 \end{pmatrix}$$

(Donini et al. 1999)

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_1(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = B_1(\mu) (8/3) m_K^2 f_K^2 = B_K(\mu) (8/3) m_K^2 f_K^2$$

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_2(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = B_2(\mu) \left[ \frac{m_K^2 f_K}{m_s(\mu) + m_d(\mu)} \right]^2 (-5/3)$$

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_3(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = B_3(\mu) \left[ \frac{m_K^2 f_K}{m_s(\mu) + m_d(\mu)} \right]^2 (1/3)$$

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_4(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = B_4(\mu) \left[ \frac{m_K^2 f_K}{m_s(\mu) + m_d(\mu)} \right]^2 (2)$$

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_5(\mu) | K^0 \rangle = B_5(\mu) \left[ \frac{m_K^2 f_K}{m_s(\mu) + m_d(\mu)} \right]^2 (2/3)$$

- Avoid systematic errors coming from the quark masses:  
construct appropriate ratios

$$R_i = \left( \frac{f_K^2}{m_K^2} \right)_{\text{exp}} \left[ \left( \frac{m_K}{f_K} \right)_{\text{tm}} \left( \frac{m_K}{f_K} \right)_{\text{os}} \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_i(\mu) | K^0 \rangle}{\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_1(\mu) | K^0 \rangle} \right] \quad i = 2, \dots, 5$$

- Then

$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta S=2} | K^0 \rangle \propto C_1(\mu) \langle \bar{K}^0 | \mathcal{O}_1(\mu) | K^0 \rangle \left( 1 + \sum_{2, \dots, 5} \frac{C_i(\mu)}{C_1(\mu)} R_i \right)$$

(Donini et al. 2000)

- Up to now, *only*, quenched results published.

(Allton et al. 1998; Donini et al. 2000; Babich et al. 2006; Nakamura et al. 2006.)

# RCs matrix

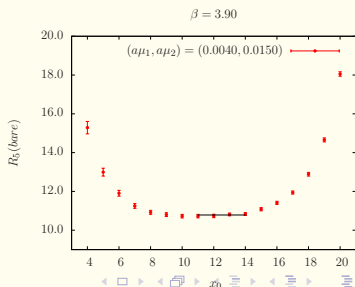
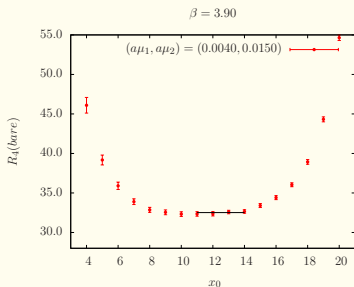
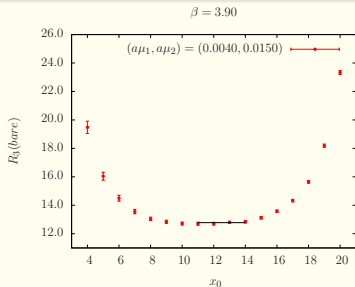
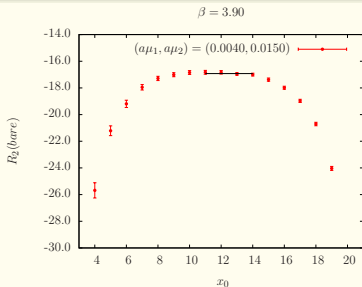
## RCs matrix in the lattice basis

$$Z^{\overline{\text{MS}}-2\text{GeV}}(\beta = 3.80) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.420(15) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.488(14) & 0.201(09) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.024(02) & 0.248(12) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.290(10) & -0.012(02) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.178(09) & 0.572(15) \end{pmatrix}$$

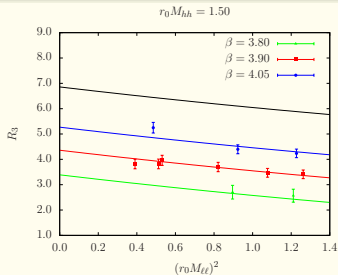
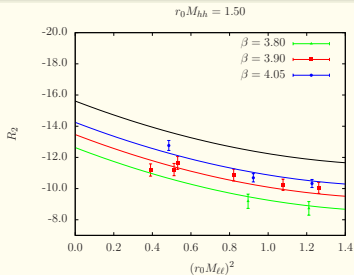
$$Z^{\overline{\text{MS}}-2\text{GeV}}(\beta = 3.90) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.438(08) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.503(08) & 0.200(06) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.025(02) & 0.271(07) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.313(07) & -0.012(02) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.206(06) & 0.595(09) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Z^{\overline{\text{MS}}-2\text{GeV}}(\beta = 4.05) = \begin{pmatrix} 0.491(07) & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.550(08) & 0.216(08) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.026(01) & 0.296(07) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0.345(05) & -0.010(01) \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -0.275(08) & 0.663(11) \end{pmatrix}$$

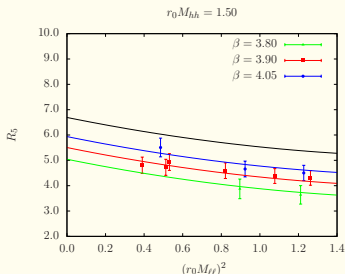
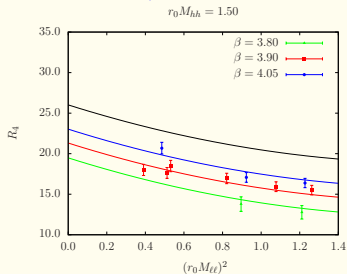
# $R_{i=2,\dots,5}$ : signal quality at $\beta = 3.90$



# $R_{i=2,\dots,5}$ for $\beta = 3.80, 3.90, 4.05$

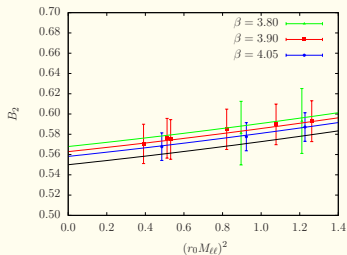


quadratic functions wrt  $M_{\ell\ell}^2$  for combined fits + discretization effects

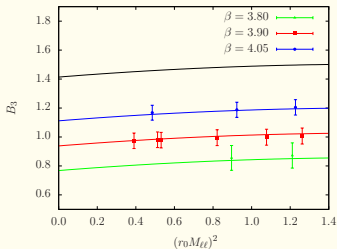


# $B_{i=2,\dots,5}$ for $\beta = 3.80, 3.90, 4.05$

$r_0 M_{hh} = 1.50$

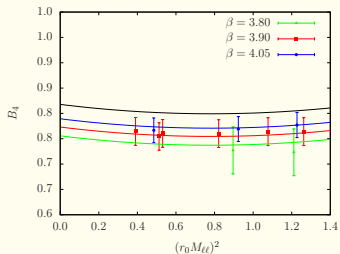


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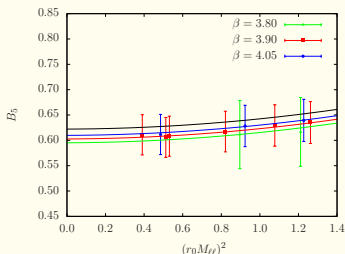


quadratic functions wrt  $M_{\ell\ell}^2$  for combined fits + discretization effects

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# Results (preliminary)

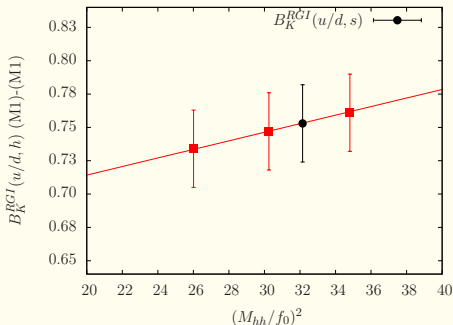
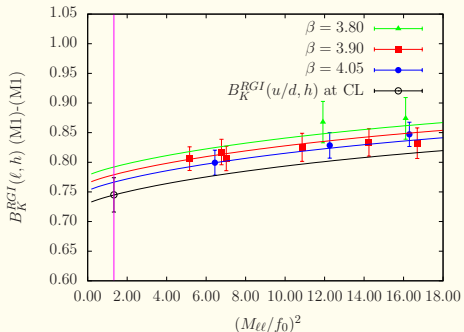
fit function wrt $M_{\ell\ell}^2$	$i$	$\frac{\langle \mathcal{O}_i \rangle}{\langle \mathcal{O}_1 \rangle}$ from R-method	$\frac{\langle \mathcal{O}_i \rangle}{\langle \mathcal{O}_1 \rangle}$ from B-method	$B_i^{\overline{\text{MS}}-2\text{GeV}}$
quadratic	2	-14.3(0.8)	-16.6(1.6)	0.520(39)
	3	6.9(0.5)	8.4(0.7)	1.308(83)
	4	25.4(1.7)	30.2(3.2)	0.786(48)
	5	5.4(0.4)	6.5(0.7)	0.504(53)
linear	2	-13.1(0.4)	-16.6(1.2)	0.519(18)
	3	6.3(0.2)	8.4(0.4)	1.304(41)
	4	22.9(0.8)	29.8(2.5)	0.775(24)
	5	4.8(0.2)	6.4(0.5)	0.502(27)

# Conclusions

- $B_K$  (SM)
  - $\mathcal{O}(a)$  automatic improvement
  - renormalisation pattern without unwanted mixings
  - ETMC result compatible with  $B_K$ -world
  - Total uncertainty  $\sim 4\%$   
(apart systematics by the dynamical strange degree of freedom)
- $\bar{K}^0 - K^0$  beyond SM
  - all operators  $\mathcal{O}(a)$ -improved and continuum-like renormalisation pattern
  - good scaling properties
  - uncertainties of the ratios  $\delta R_i \sim 5 - 10\%$
- Calculation with  $2+1+1$  dynamical flavours already started

# Bckup: Fits wrt pseudoscalar masses and RI-MOM RCs with $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$ fitted - II

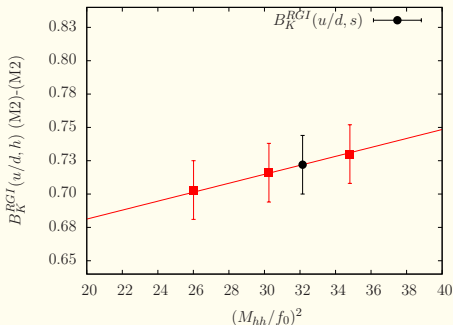
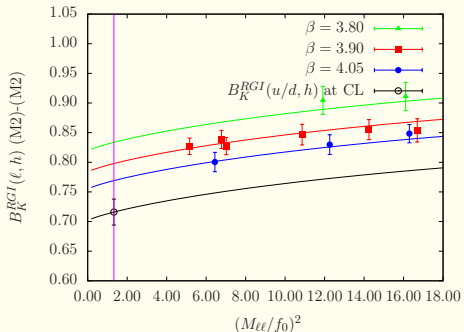
$M_{hh}/f_0 = 5.50$  ( $\sim M_{ss}/f_0$ )



physical point at:  $M_{hh}^2 \equiv M_{ss}^2 = 2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2$

# Bckup: Fits wrt pseudoscalar masses and RI-MOM RCs with $\mathcal{O}(a^2 p^2)$ not fitted - II

$M_{hh}/f_0 = 5.50$  ( $\sim M_{ss}/f_0$ )



physical point at:  $M_{hh}^2 \equiv M_{ss}^2 = 2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2$