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Long-distance radiative corrections

- **G**_{EM} was originally studied by Cirigliano et al in the frame of **RChT** at **O**(**p**⁴).
- A recalculation was performed by Flores-Baez et al using a VMD model.
- The two model predictions disagree due to the presence of diagrams involving the $\rho\omega\pi$ vertex.
- We extend the **RChT** estimation including contributions up to **O(p⁶)**.





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• Large tensions among experiments: KLOE, BaBar and CMD3.

Comparison between the different data sets: KLOE and BaBar (left-hand) and CMD-3 (right-hand).

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Euclidean windows

 Euclidean window quantities allow for the separation of the most challenging short and long time-distance contributions: internal lattice cross-check.

 $a_{\mu} = 4\alpha^{2} \sum_{t} w_{t} \Big[\Theta_{\rm SD}(t) + \Theta_{\rm W}(t) + \Theta_{\rm LD}(t) \Big] G(t) \qquad \text{RBC/UKQCD 2018}$

• A **dispersive** result for the total **intermediate** window contribution,

 $a^{\rm W}_{\mu} = 229.4(1.4) \times 10^{-10}$ which is in <code>4.3o</code> tension with recent lattice results.

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 The discrepancy between data-driven and LQCD is almost entirely due to the light-quark connected contribution, which is dominated by the 2π channel ~81%.



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Isospin-breaking corrections

• We can **estimate** the effect of each **IB correction** through

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Contributions to $\Delta a_{\mu}^{\text{HVP, LO}}$ in units of 10⁻¹¹ using the **dispersive** representation of the form factor.

$\Delta a_{\mu}^{ m HVP,LO}$									
	S	D	int		LD		Total		
	$\mathcal{O}(p^4)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^6)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^4)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^6)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^4)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^6)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^4)$	$\mathcal{O}(p^6)$	
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\mathbf{PS}	-0.1	3(0)	-1.39(0)		-5.93(0)		-7.45(0)		
\mathbf{FSR}	+0.1	(3(1))	+1.23(12)		+1.23(12) $+3.19(32)$		9(32)	+4.5	5(45)
G_{EM}	$+0.06(^{0}_{2})$	$-0.03(^{9}_{7})$	$+0.29(^{6}_{19})$	$-0.58(^{93}_{71})$	$-2.05(\substack{0.55\\1.27})$	$-6.98(\substack{5.48\\3.78})$	$-1.70(\substack{0.61\\1.48})$	$-7.59(\substack{6.50\\4.56})$	
\mathbf{FF}	+0.16($(5)(1)\binom{2}{1}$	$+1.90(49)\binom{29}{27}\binom{21}{20}$		$+5.04(94)({}^{1.29}_{1.26})({}^{62}_{59})$		$+7.10(1.48)({}^{1.59}_{1.54})({}^{85}_{80})$		
Total	-0.09(6)	$-0.18(^{11}_{9})$	$-0.93(^{62}_{64})$	$-1.80(^{1.12}_{0.93})$	$-6.79({}^{1.83}_{2.13})$	$-11.72({}^{5.75}_{4.15})$	$-7.81({}^{2.51}_{2.83})$	$-13.70(\stackrel{6.98}{_{5.17}})$	

In agreement with: Phys. Rev. D 102 (2020) 114017

Windows quantities for 2π below 1.0 GeV



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- When all other contributions are added, we get the overall result for each window quantity.
- The contributions of the intermediate window using tau data are slightly closer to the lattice results (~1.5σ).

$a_{\mu}^{ m HVP,LO}$					
	SD	int	LD	Total	
$ au$ -data $\mathcal{O}(p^4) \leq 1$ GeV	69.0(5)	$234.0(^{1.2}_{1.3})$	$402.5\binom{3.3}{3.4}$	$705.5({5.0\atop 5.2})$	
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ETMC 2021 [148]	_	231.7(2.8)	_	_	
BMW 2020 [66]	_	236.7(1.4)	_	707.5(5.5)	
Mainz/CLS 2022 [67]	_	237.30(1.46)	_	_	
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Colangelo et al. 2022 [69]	68.4(5)	229.4(1.4)	395.1(2.4)	693.0(3.9)	
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Conclusions

- There is a global effort in improving the hadronic contributions to a_µ. Specifically, dedicated studies to improve the HVP part from lattice, dispersion relations and improved e⁺e⁻ data and Monte Carlos are being undertaken.
- Through the years, the tau data-driven estimation has always been approximately [2,2.5]σ away from the experimental average.
- The most recent lattice results (Mainz/CLS, ETMC, RBC/UKQCD) agree remarkably with BMWc in the intermediate window.
- We show that tau based results are compatible with the lattice evaluations in the intermediate window, being the e⁺e⁻ based values in tension with both of them. This difference should be further scrutinized.

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Contributions at O(p⁴)

• At $O(p^4)$ in χPT with resonances ($R\chi T$), the diagrams that contribute to these decays are:



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Using the basis given by Cirigliano et al. Nucl. Phys. B753 (2006) and Kampf & Novotný, Phys. Rev. D84 (2011), we get the following contributions at O(p⁶):



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τ vs e⁺e⁻

• The measured branching fractions for $\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 \nu_{\tau}$ compared to the predictions from the e⁺ e⁻ $\rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ spectral functions, applying the IB corrections.



Eur.Phys.J.C66:127-136,2010

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$\rho - \gamma$ mixing

• $\rho - \gamma$ mixing corrections proposed in Eur.Phys.J.C71:1632,2011.



Euclidean windows



- Short-distance \rightarrow cutoff effects
- Long-distance → Monte-Carlo noise
- Intermediate window: accessible with current resources
 - Precision of 0.4 0.6 %

Mattia Bruno. HADRON2023, June 5th 2023



Form factor



Overall IB corrections



Short-distance constraints

• Using the relations for 2-point Green functions at O(p⁴), we have:

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CVC prediction of $B_{\pi\pi0}$

 An important independent cross-check is provided by the tau branching fraction, another key quantity which can be directly measured.



$$B_{\pi\pi^0}^{\text{CVC}} = B_e \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{m_{\pi}^2} ds \sigma_{\pi^+\pi^-(\gamma)}(s) \mathcal{N}(s) \frac{S_{\text{EW}}}{R_{\text{IB}}(s)}$$

$$\mathcal{N}(s) = \frac{3|V_{ud}|^2}{2\pi\alpha_0^2 m_\tau^2} s \left(1 - \frac{s}{m_\tau^2}\right)^2 \left(1 + \frac{2s}{m_\tau^2}\right)$$

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Short-distance constraints

• The study of the <VAP> and <SPP> Green functions yield the following restrictions on the resonance couplings:

$$\begin{split} \sqrt{2}\lambda_{0} &= -4\lambda_{1}^{VA} - \lambda_{2}^{VA} - \frac{\lambda_{4}^{VA}}{2} - \lambda_{5}^{VA} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \left(\lambda' + \lambda''\right), \\ \sqrt{2}\lambda' &= \lambda_{2}^{VA} - \lambda_{3}^{VA} + \frac{\lambda_{4}^{VA}}{2} + \lambda_{5}^{VA} = \frac{M_{A}}{2M_{V}}, \\ \sqrt{2}\lambda'' &= \lambda_{2}^{VA} - \frac{\lambda_{4}^{VA}}{2} - \lambda_{5}^{VA} = \frac{M_{A}^{2} - 2M_{V}^{2}}{2M_{V}M_{A}}, \\ \lambda_{1}^{PV} &= -4\lambda_{2}^{PV} = -\frac{F\sqrt{M_{A}^{2} - M_{V}^{2}}}{4\sqrt{2}d_{m}M_{A}}, \quad \lambda_{1}^{PA} = \frac{F\sqrt{M_{A}^{2} - M_{V}^{2}}}{16\sqrt{2}d_{m}M_{V}}. \end{split}$$

• For the odd-intrinsic parity sector:

$$\kappa_{14}^{V} = \frac{N_{C}}{256\sqrt{2}\pi^{2}F_{V}}, \quad 2\kappa_{12}^{V} + \kappa_{16}^{V} = -\frac{N_{C}}{32\sqrt{2}\pi^{2}F_{V}}, \quad \kappa_{17}^{V} = -\frac{N_{C}}{64\sqrt{2}\pi^{2}F_{V}}, \quad \kappa_{5}^{P} = 0,$$

$$\kappa_{2}^{VV} = \frac{F^{2} + 16\sqrt{2}d_{m}F_{V}\kappa_{3}^{PV}}{32F_{V}^{2}} - \frac{N_{C}M_{V}^{2}}{512\pi^{2}F_{V}^{2}}, \quad 8\kappa_{2}^{VV} - \kappa_{3}^{VV} = \frac{F^{2}}{8F_{V}^{2}}.$$

Fit results

• We perform a global fit using the relations for the resonance saturation of the anomalous sector LECs:

$$\begin{split} \kappa_1^V &= (-2.1 \pm 0.7) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_2^V &= (-8.8 \pm 9.1) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_3^V &= (2.2 \pm 5.8) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_6^V &= (-2.1 \pm 0.3) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_7^V &= (1.2 \pm 0.5) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_8^V &= (3.1 \pm 0.9) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_9^V &= (-0.1 \pm 5.9) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_{10}^V &= (-5.9 \pm 9.6) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_{11}^V &= (-3.0 \pm 0.6) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_{12}^V &= (1.0 \pm 0.8) \cdot 10^{-2} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_{13}^V &= (-5.3 \pm 1.1) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}, \\ \kappa_{18}^V &= (4.7 \pm 0.8) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-1}. \end{split}$$

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• These values are in good agreement with our earlier estimation $|\kappa_i^{V}| < 0.025 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$.