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Novelties in kaon physics: a Lattice QCD perspective





#### Outline



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### Motivation: Quark Flavour Physics

e.g tree level leptonic K decay:



Assumed factorisation:  $\Gamma_{exp.} \stackrel{???}{=} V_{CKM}(WEAK)(EM)(STRONG)$ 

$$\Gamma(K_{l2}) = |V_{us}|^2 \frac{G_F^2 M_K m_l^2}{4\pi} \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{M_K^2}\right)^2 f_K$$
  
experiment output theory prediction  $\langle 0|A_\mu|K\rangle$ 

Experimental measurement + theory prediction allows for extraction of CKM MEs

## Lattice QCD

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = -\frac{1}{4} F^a_{\mu\nu} F^{a\,\mu\nu} + \sum_f \bar{\psi}_f \left( i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_f \right) \psi_f$$

Free parameters:

- gauge coupling  $g \rightarrow \alpha_s = g^2/4\pi$
- quark masses  $m_f = u, d, s, c, b, t$
- Lagrangian of massless gluons and almost massless quarks
- what experiment sees are bound states, e.g.  $m_{\pi}, m_P \gg m_{u,d}$
- underlying physics non-perturbative

Path integral quantisation:



finite volume, space-time grid (IR and UV regulators)  $\propto L^{-1} \propto a^{-1}$ 

- → well defined, finite dimensional Euclidean path integral
- $\rightarrow$  from first principles

## Lattice QCD

- gauge-invariant regularisation (Wilson 1974)
- finite volume lattice path integral still over large number of degrees of freedom > O(10<sup>10</sup>)
- Evaluate discretised path integral by means of Markov Chain Monte Carlo on state-of-the-art HPC installations



#### State of the art of lattice QCD simulations

#### What we can do

- simulations of QCD with dynamical (sea) *u,d,s,c* quarks with masses as found in nature → N<sub>f</sub> = 2, 2 + 1, 2 + 1 + 1
- bottom only as valence quark
- cut-off  $a^{-1} \leq 4 \text{GeV}$
- volume  $L \leq 6fm$

#### **Parameter tuning**

start from *educated guesses* and:

- tune light quark mass *am*<sup>1</sup> such that
- tune strange quark mass such that
- determine physical lattice spacing

$$\frac{am_{\pi}}{am_{P}} = \frac{m_{\pi}^{PDG}}{m_{P}^{PDG}}$$

$$\frac{am_{\pi}}{am_{K}} = \frac{m_{\pi}^{PDG}}{m_{K}^{PDG}}$$
$$a = \frac{af_{\pi}}{f_{\pi}^{PDG}}$$





action density of RBC/UKQCD physical point DWF ensemble

#### benchmark - the hadron spectrum



#### "tree" kaon/pion decays

$$\Gamma(K \to \mu \bar{\nu}_{\mu}) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} f_K^2 m_{\mu}^2 m_K \left(1 - \frac{m_{\mu}^2}{m_K^2}\right)^2 |V_{us}|^2$$
$$\left\langle 0|\bar{s}/\bar{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5 u|K/\pi(p)\right\rangle = if_{K/\pi}p_{\mu}$$

 $\frac{\Gamma(K \to \mu \bar{\nu}_{\mu})}{\Gamma(\pi \to \mu \bar{\nu}_{\mu})} = \frac{|V_{us}|^2}{|V_{ud}|^2} \left(\frac{f_K}{f_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{m_K (1 - m_{\mu}^2 / m_K^2)^2}{m_\pi (1 - m_{\mu}^2 / m_\pi^2)^2} \times 0.9930(35)$   $\underset{\text{Marciano, Phys.Rev.Lett. 2004}}{\text{Marciano, Phys.Rev.Lett. 2004}}$ 



#### FLAG – Flavour Lattice Averaging Group

"What's currently the best lattice value for a particular quantity?"

 FLAG-1 (Eur. Phys. J. C71 (2011) 1695)

 FLAG-2 (Eur. Phys.J. C74 (2014) 2890)

 FLAG-3 (Eur.Phys.J. C77 (2017) no.2, 112, <u>http://itpwiki.unibe.ch/flag/</u>)

• quantities:

 $m_{u,d,s,c,b}$  $f_K/f_{\pi}, f_+^{K\pi}(0), B_K, SU(2) \text{ and } SU(3) \text{ LECs}$  $f_{D_{(s)}}, f_{B_{(s)}}, B_{B_{(s)}}, B_{(s)} - \text{ and } D_{(s)} - \text{semileptonics}$  $\alpha_s$ 

- summary of results
  - evaluation according to FLAG quality criteria (colour coding)
  - averages of best values where possible
  - detailed summary of properties of individual simulations

FLAG-4 kickoff meeting end of April at Higgs Centre for Theoretical Physics, Edinburgh

## "tree" kaon/pion decays



 $\Gamma_{K \to \pi l \nu} = C_K^2 \frac{G_F^2 m_K^5}{192\pi^2} S_{\rm EW} (1 + \Delta_{SU(2)} + \Delta_{\rm EM})^2 I |f_+^{K\pi}(0)|^2 |V_{us}|^2$  $\langle \pi(p_\pi) |V_\mu(0)| K(p_K) \rangle = f_+^{K\pi} (q^2) (p_K + p_\pi)_\mu + f_-^{K\pi} (q^2) (p_K - p_\pi)_\mu$ 



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$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 \approx |V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 \stackrel{?}{=} 1$$



#### $|V_{us}|f_{+}^{K^{0}\pi^{-}}(0) = 0.2163(5) \qquad \frac{f_{K^{+}}}{f_{\pi^{+}}} \frac{|V_{us}|}{|V_{ud}|} = 0.2758(5)$

FLAVIA Kaon WG EPJ C 69, 399-424 (2010) KTeV, Istra, KLOE, NA48 <u>arXiv:1005.2323</u>



The plot compares the information for  $|V_{ud}|$ ,  $|V_{ud}|$  obtained on the lattice with the experimental result extracted from nuclear  $\beta$  transitions. The *dotted line* indicates the correlation between  $|V_{ud}|$  and  $|V_{ud}|$  is that follows if the CKM-matrix is unitary.





# Summary I

- (non-rare) Lattice QCD for Kaon Flavour Physics has *matured* (leptonic, semi-leptonic decays, kaon distribution amplitudes, hadronic kaon decay, ...)
- independent groups with different approaches competing
- (sub-)percent precision for small set of quantities feasible in QCD
- FLAG summarises particularly mature quantities in a way accessible/usable to the wider community

# "Beyond Precision Lattice QCD"

Go beyond factorisation

$$\Gamma_{\text{exp.}} \stackrel{???}{=} V_{\text{CKM}}(\text{WEAK}) (\text{EM})(\text{STRONG})$$
  
treat jointly in lattice QCD+QED

Go beyond short distance physics





# Including QED in meson decay MEs

- most results in FLAG report based on QCD with  $m_l=m_u=m_d$  and  $\alpha_{EM}=0$
- isospin breaking corrections computed in effective theory, e.g. ChPT based on factorisation of QCD and QED
- with 1% precision on QCD matrix elements isospin breaking needs to be taken into account properly

 $\alpha_{EM} \approx 1/137 \quad (m_u - m_d)/\Lambda_{QCD} \approx O(1\%)$ 

#### Isospin corrections are important

• e.g.  $K \to \pi l \nu$ :  $\Gamma_{K \to \pi l \nu} = C_K^2 \frac{G_F^2 m_K^5}{192\pi^2} S_{\rm EW} (1 + \Delta_{SU(2)} + \Delta_{\rm EM})^2 I |f_+^{K\pi}(0)|^2 |V_{us}|^2$ 

precision now such that corrections need to be improved:

		Approx contrib to % err					
Mode	$V_{us} f_+(0)$	$\% \ \mathrm{err}$	BR	τ	Δ	Ι	2014
$K_{Le3}$	0.2163(6)	0.26	0.09	0.20	0.11	0.05	N
$K_{L\mu3}$	0.2166(6)	0.28	0.15	0.18	0.11	0.06	
$K_{Se3}$	0.2155(13)	0.61	0.60	0.02	0.11	0.05	lson
$K_{e3}^{\pm}$	0.2172(8)	0.36	0.27	0.06	0.23	0.05	Mou
$K_{\mu 3}^{\pm}$	0.2170(11)	0.51	0.45	0.06	0.23	0.06	-

# QCD+QED

QCD+QED Action:

$$S[U, A, \bar{\psi}, \psi] = S_g[U; g] + S_\gamma[A] + \sum_f \bar{\psi}_f D[U, A; e, q_f, m_f] \psi_f$$
$$S_\gamma^{naive} = -\frac{a^4}{4} \sum_{\mu, \nu, x} \left(\partial_\mu A_{\nu, x} - \partial_\nu A_{\mu, x}\right)^2$$

• MC simulation of discretised theory

Very lively research topic — important questions:

- photon is massless what to do with zero mode?
- finite volume effects more severe (QCD's mass gap ensures FVE∝ e<sup>-m<sub>π</sub>L</sup>) for simple MEs
- dealing with IR divergencies

#### QED zero mode

Feynman gauge photon propagator (discretised)  $\Delta_{\mu\nu}(x_1, x_2) = \delta_{\mu\nu} \frac{1}{L^4} \sum_{k=\frac{2\pi}{L}n} \frac{e^{ik \cdot (x_1 - x_2)}}{4\sum_{\rho} \sin^2 \frac{k_{\rho}}{2}}$ 

- QED<sub>TL</sub> drop 4d zero mode  $A_{\mu}(k=0)=0$  Duncan, Eighteen PRL 76 3894 (1996)
- QED<sub>L</sub> drop T 3d zero modes  $A_{\mu}(k_0, \mathbf{k}=0)=0$  for all  $k_0$  Hayakawa, Uno PRP 120 413 (2008)
- $QED_{\gamma}$  introduce photon mass Endress et al. PRL 117 072002 (2016)
- C\* boundary conditions Lucini et al. JHEP 02 (2016) 076 (fields periodic in  $\mu = i$  up to charge conjugation)

each one has its pros and cons ...

in the following QED<sub>L</sub>

### Finite volume effects for QCD+QED

•no mass gap in QED (as opposed to QCD)

- Infrared (finite volume effects) are universal
   → compute analytically in effective theory
- Leading finite volume effects

$$\xi' = \int \frac{dk_0}{(2\pi)} \left( \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\vec{k} \neq 0} - \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \right) \frac{1}{(k^2)^{\frac{n}{2}}} = O\left(\frac{1}{L^{4-n}}\right)$$

• Example: FV correction to scalar QED self energy

$$\underbrace{(2p+k)^2}_{(k^2+i\epsilon)((p+k)^2-m_P^2+i\epsilon)} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{for small } k \to n=3\\ \to \text{ FVE} \sim O(1/L) \end{array}$$

### Finite volume effects for QCD+QED

leading behaviour universal in  $\kappa$  (structure- and spin-independent)

$$m^2(L) = m_\infty^2 \left\{ 1 - q^2 \alpha \left( \frac{\kappa}{m_\infty L} \left( 1 + \frac{2}{m_\infty L} \right) \right) \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{BMW Collaboration} \\ \text{Science 347 (2015) 1452-1458} \\ \frac{\text{arXiv:1406.4088}}{\text{arXiv:1406.4088}} \end{array}$$



Lot's of work going on to analytically predict finite volume effects in the presence of photons (e.g. Lubicz et al. Phys.Rev. D95 (2017) no.3, 034504)

These predictions will be used to correct for QED-induced finite volume effects

# Including QED in meson decay MEs

Beyond including QED effects in LQCD for spectra and a small number of hadronic matrix elements it gets quite tricky:

• leptonic decay at  $O(\alpha^0)$ :

$$\Gamma(\pi^+ \to l^+ \nu_l) = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ud}|^2 f_\pi^2}{8\pi} m_\pi m_l^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_\pi^2}\right)^2$$

• including elm. effects @  $O(\alpha)$  - we no longer speak in terms of the decay constant



IR div. cancel between terms on r.h.s. between virtual and real photons (Bloch Nordsieck)

# Including QED in meson decay MEs

• cut on small photon momentum  $< \Delta E \rightarrow \gamma$  sees point-like  $\pi$  $\Delta E \approx 20$ MeV experimentally accessible and  $\pi$  "point like", i.e. no structure

Carrasco et al. PRD 91 074506 (2015) arXiv:1502.00257

$$\Gamma(\Delta E) = \lim_{V \to \infty} (\Gamma_0 - \Gamma_0^{\text{pt}}) + \lim_{V \to \infty} (\Gamma_0^{\text{pt}} + \Gamma_1^{\text{pt}}(\Delta E))$$

$$\Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) \qquad \Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l \gamma(\Delta E))$$
lattice and analytical analytically in  $V \rightarrow \infty$ 
finite  $V$ 
both terms separately IR finite, gauge invariant on its own

## QCD+QED: first applications for ME

Carrasco et al. PRD 91 074506 (2015) <u>arXiv:1502.00257</u> Lubicz eta l. PRD 95 (2017) <u>arXiv:1611.08497</u>

$$\Gamma(\Delta E) = \lim_{V \to \infty} (\Gamma_0 - \Gamma_0^{\text{pt}}) + \lim_{V \to \infty} (\Gamma_0^{\text{pt}} + \Gamma_1^{\text{pt}}(\Delta E))$$
$$\Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) \qquad \Gamma(\pi^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l \gamma(\Delta E))$$

• Finite volume effects computed on the lattice:

$$\Gamma_0^{\text{pt}}(L) = C_0(r_l) + \tilde{C}_0(r_l)\log(m_{\pi}L) + \frac{C_1(r_l)}{m_{\pi}L} \qquad (r_l = m_l/m_{\pi})$$

• these finite volume effects are universal, i.e. structure independent

they should therefore cancel in  $\Gamma_0 - \Gamma_0^{\rm pt}$ 

•  $O(1/L^2)$  corrections are structure dependent

# QCD+QED: first applications for ME

- light flavour matrix elements *f*<sub>π</sub>, *f*<sub>K</sub>, *f*<sub>+</sub>(0), ...
   the way we do exp+th. analyses will change reference to *decay constants* and *form factors* may disappear
- lattice predictions of leading hadronic contribution to muon g-2



• lattice  $(m_u - m_d = 0, \alpha_{EM} = 0)$  is getting competitive with experimental determination  $(e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons))$ 

next step would be inclusion of isospin breaking effects

inclusion of QED effects will be one of the big challenges in Lattice phenomenology over the next years

## Neutral kaon mixing - short distance



- SM kaon bag parameter here excellent agreement at the 1.3%-level
- results for BSM bag parameters  $B_2$ ,  $B_3$ ,  $B_4$ ,  $B_5$  also available  $\rightarrow$  FLAG report

#### Long distance effects in neutral kaon mixing

$$\epsilon_{K} = \frac{A(K_{L} \to (\pi\pi)_{l=0})}{A(K_{S} \to (\pi\pi)_{l=0})} = e^{i\Phi_{\varepsilon}} \sin\phi_{\varepsilon} \left(\frac{\operatorname{Im}\langle \bar{K}^{0} | H_{W}^{\Delta S=2} | K^{0} \rangle}{\Delta M_{K}} + \begin{array}{c} \text{L.D. effects} \\ \text{Buras, Guadagnoli PRD 78 (2008)} \\ \text{Buras, Guadagnoli, Isidori,} \\ \text{PLB 688 (2010)} \end{array}\right)$$

Long Distance effects amount to O(5%), so certainly worth considering on the lattice



#### Long distance effects in kaon mixing: $\Delta M_K$

$$\Delta M_K = m_{K_S} - m_{K_L} = 2 \mathrm{Re} M_{0\bar{0}}$$

$$M_{\bar{0}0} = \mathcal{P}\sum_{\lambda} \frac{\langle \overline{K^0} | H_W | \lambda \rangle \langle \lambda | H_W | K^0 \rangle}{m_K - E_\lambda}$$

- experimentally  $\Delta M_K = 3.483(6) \times 10^{-12} \text{MeV}$  (PDG)
- 2nd order EW, suppressed by 14 orders of magnitude with respect
   to QCD → poses strong BSM constraints
   (e.g. (1/Λ)<sup>2</sup> sdsd BSM contribution) knowing ΔM<sub>K</sub> at 10%-level → Λ≥10<sup>4</sup>TeV
- SD about 70% of experimental value rest LD?
- PT large contributions at μ~m<sub>c</sub> where PT turns out to converge badly (NLO->NNLO constitutes 36% correction)Brod, Gorbahn PRL 108 121801 (2012) <u>arXiv:1108.2036</u> 26



#### long distance effects: Rare kaon decays <sup>K+</sup>



Two new experiments dedicated to rare kaon decays NA62 (CERN) and KOTO (J-PARC) are running

- FCNC (W-W or  $\gamma$ /Z-exchange diagrams)
- deep probe into flavour mixing and SM/BSM due to suppression in the SM
- can determine  $V_{td}$ ,  $V_{ts}$  and test SM

 $K^+ \to \pi^+ l^+ l^- \qquad K_S \to \pi^0 l^+ l^-$ 

- 1-photon exchange LD dominated
- indirect contribution to CP-violating rare *K*<sub>L</sub> decay
- SM prediction mainly ChPT
- lattice can predict ME and LECs
- experimenters will be able to look at these channels as well

$$K_L \to \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$$

d

U

 $\pi^+$ 

U

u, c, t

U

- KOTO (J-PARC)
- direct CP violation

• exp. BR 
$$\leq 2.6 \times 10^{-8}$$
  
theory BR  $3.0(3) \times 10^{-11}$ 

 GIM → top dominated and charm suppressed, purely SD

$$K^+ \to \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$$

- NA62 (CERN)
- CP conserving
- exp. BR  $1.73(^{+1.15}_{-1.05}) \times 10^{-10}$ theory BR  $0.911(72) \times 10^{-10}$
- small LD contribution, candidate for lattice

compute in lattice QCD

# long distance effects

In previous examples generic situation is two Weak Hamiltonians separated by hadronic length scales



Integrate operators (here *H<sub>W</sub>*) over time interval where initial and final kaon dominate

$$\mathcal{A} = \langle 0|T \left\{ K^{0}(t_{f}) \frac{1}{2} \int_{t_{A}}^{t_{B}} dt_{2} \int_{t_{A}}^{t_{B}} dt_{1} H_{W}(t_{2}) H_{W}(t_{1}) K^{0^{\dagger}}(t_{i}) \right\} |0\rangle$$

## long distance effects – $\Delta M_K$

#### N. Christ et al. PRD 88 (2013) 014508 <u>arXiv:1212.5931</u> Bai et al. PRL 113 (2014) 112003 <u>arXiv:1406.0916</u>

 $\bar{K}^0$ 

 $K^0$ 

$$\mathcal{A} = N_{K}^{2} e^{-M_{K}(t_{f}-t_{i})} \sum_{n} \frac{\langle \bar{K}^{0} | H_{W} | n \rangle \langle n | H_{W} | K^{0} \rangle}{M_{K} - E_{n}} \begin{pmatrix} -T - \frac{1}{M_{K} - E_{n}} + \frac{e^{(M_{K} - E_{n})T}}{M_{K} - E_{n}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$amplitude \quad irrelevant \quad exponential term \\ \Delta m_{K}^{\mathrm{FV}} \quad constant \quad needs to be subtracted \\ needs to be subtracted \quad \bar{K}^{0} \underbrace{-\pi^{0}, \eta, \eta'}{K^{0}} K^{0}$$

- multiple hadrons in intermediate states causing difficulties and need to be subtracted
- finite volume corrections from two-particle intermediate state can be sizeable N. Christ et al. PRD91 (2015) 114510 arXiv:1504.01170 also: Briceno, Hansen arXiv:1502.04314 extension of Lellouch-Lüscher correction to 2nd order weak MEs  $\Delta^{\text{FV}} (\Delta M_K) = -\cot \left(\phi(M_K) + \delta_0(M_K)\right) \frac{d(\phi(E) + \delta_0(E))}{dE}|_{E=M_K} |\langle \bar{K}^0 | H_W | \pi \pi, M_K \rangle^{\text{V}'}|^2$
- what happens when the two *H*<sub>W</sub> approach each other (GIM in action)?

### Rare kaon decays $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ l^+ l^-$

N. Christ et al. <u>arXiv:1507.03094</u> <u>arXiv:1602.01374</u>



LD contribution given through  $K \rightarrow \gamma^*$  contribution which is computed as

$$\mathcal{A}_{\mu} = (q^2) \int d^4x \langle \pi(p) | T \left[ J_{\mu}(0) H_W(x) \right] | K(k) \rangle$$

dominant operators:  $Q_1^q = (\bar{s}_i \gamma_\mu^L d_i) (\bar{q}_j \gamma_\mu^L q_j), \qquad Q_2^q = (\bar{s}_i \gamma_\mu^L q_i) (\bar{q}_j \gamma_\mu^L d_j)$ 

Decay amplitude in terms of elm. transition form factor

$$A_{i} = -\frac{G_{F}\alpha}{4\pi} V_{i}(z)(k+p)^{\mu} \bar{u}_{l}(p_{-})\gamma_{\mu}\nu_{l}(p_{+}) \qquad (i=+,S)$$
$$V_{i}(z) = a_{i} + b_{i}z + V_{i}^{\pi\pi}(z)$$

- the *a*<sup>S</sup> and *a*<sup>+</sup> can be extracted from experiment or lattice
- *a<sub>s</sub>* parameterises also the CP-violating contribution to the *K<sub>L</sub>* decay



# Summary II

- considerable set of SM parameters, spectra and matrix elements now reliably and precisely predicted in full lattice QCD — "bread and butter"
- results with good control over systematics summarised by Flavour Lattice Averaging Group (FLAG) (3rd edition is out)
- New challenges in Flavour physics:
  - precision on "bread and butter" such that isospin breaking in matrix elements and spectra needs to be taken into account
  - long distance effects (neutral main mixing, rare kaon decays, ...)

loads of new questions and theoretical problems and potential impact on SM and BSM phenomenology