

Parton Distribution Amplitudes

An Update on Results and Non-perturbative Renormalisation

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Introduction

Distribution Amplitudes

Meson distribution amplitudes

- contain non-perturbative QCD effects appearing in hard exclusive processes
- are universal hadronic properties
- important for form factors at large q^2 , B -decays

→ Lattice can provide the lowest moments of the distribution amplitudes

This talk will cover

- an update on our previous results for pseudo-scalar distribution amplitudes: Kaon, π PoS(LAT07)369
- our first results on vector distribution amplitudes: K^* , ρ , ϕ (for longitudinal polarisation)

Introduction

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Quantities like quark masses and weak matrix elements require renormalisation

- to obtain meaningful physical results, convert bare lattice results to a continuum scheme like $\overline{\text{MS}}$.

Up to now we only renormalise perturbatively (known caveat)

We now use the Rome-Southampton RI-MOM technique – underlying idea:
find a simple renormalisation condition useful for any regularisation,
facilitating scheme changes.

NPB445, 81

Use continuum perturbation theory to remove scale dependence and to perform matching to $\overline{\text{MS}}$.

NPB662, 247, NPB667, 242

To improve statistics: use momentum sources .

NPB544, 699

Introduction

Simulation Details

The presented work is part of the UKQCD/RBC programme, so we use

- $N_f = 2 + 1$ Domain Wall Fermions, $24^3 \times 64 \times 16$ and $16^3 \times 32 \times 16$
 $am_s = 0.04, am_q = 0.03, 0.02, 0.01, (0.005)$

corresponding to pion masses of

672 MeV, 557 MeV, 419 MeV, and 331 MeV

Physical strange quark is $am_s = 0.0343(16)$

- Iwasaki gauge action, lattice spacing of $a^{-1} = 1.729(28)$ GeV,
resulting in spatial volumes $(2.74\text{fm})^3$ and $(1.83\text{fm})^3$

Details on the ensembles: [PRD76, 014504](#) and [arXiv:0804.0473](#)

For our other NPR projects, see(n) talks of

- Y. Aoki (non-exceptional momenta) and
- C. Kelly (B_K)

Distribution Amplitudes

DAs are matrix elements of suitable non-local light cone operators,
e.g. for pseudo-scalars

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q}(z) \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \mathcal{U} u(-z) | \Pi^+(p) \rangle \Big|_{z^2=0} = i f_\Pi p_\mu \int_{-1}^1 d\xi e^{i \xi p z} \phi_\Pi(\xi, \mu), \quad \xi = 2x - 1,$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 d\xi \phi_\Pi(\xi, \mu) = 1, \quad \phi_\Pi(\xi, \mu) = \frac{3}{4}(1 - \xi^2) \left(1 + \sum a_n^\Pi C_n^{3/2}(\xi) \right).$$

The lattice can only access moments thereof

$$\langle \xi^n \rangle_\Pi(\mu) = \int d\xi \xi^n \phi_\Pi(\xi, \mu),$$

related to local matrix elements

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{\{\mu\mu_1 \dots \mu_n\}}^5(0) | \Pi^+ \rangle = -i^{n+1} f_\Pi p_{\{\mu} \cdot \cdot p_{\mu_n\}} \langle \xi^n \rangle_\Pi,$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\{\mu\mu_1 \dots \mu_n\}}^5(0) = \bar{q}(0) \gamma_{\{\mu} \gamma_5 \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_1} \cdot \cdot \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\mu_n\}} u(0).$$

Distribution Amplitudes

Extracting Bare Values from Lattice Data – Pseudo-Scalars

$$\frac{\sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{\{\mu\nu\}}^5(t, \vec{x}) P^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle}{\sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_\rho^5(t, \vec{x}) P^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle} \longrightarrow i \frac{p_\mu p_\nu}{p_\rho} \langle \xi \rangle^{\text{bare}}$$

with directions $\mu = 1, 2, 3$, $\nu, \rho = 4$ and one unit of momentum

$$\frac{\sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{\{\rho\mu\nu\}}^5(t, \vec{x}) P^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle}{\sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_\sigma^5(t, \vec{x}) P^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle} \longrightarrow - \frac{p_\rho p_\mu p_\nu}{p_\sigma} \langle \xi^2 \rangle^{\text{bare}}$$

directions $\rho, \mu = 1, 2, 3$ ($\rho \neq \mu$), $\nu = \sigma = 4$ and two units of momenta

$$\longrightarrow \langle \xi \rangle_K, \langle \xi^2 \rangle_K, \langle \xi^2 \rangle_\pi$$

Distribution Amplitudes

Extracting Bare Values from Lattice Data – Vectors

$$\frac{\sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{\{\mu\nu\}}(t, \vec{x}) V_\rho^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle}{\frac{1}{3} \sum_i \sum_x e^{i\vec{p}\vec{x}} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i(t, \vec{x}) V_i^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle} \longrightarrow -i \langle \xi \rangle^{\parallel, \text{bare}}$$

$$\times \tanh((t - T/2)E_V) \frac{1}{2} \left(-g_{\mu\rho} p_\nu - g_{\nu\rho} p_\mu + \frac{2p_\mu p_\nu p_\rho}{m_V^2} \right)$$

directions $\mu = \rho = 1, 2, 3$, $\nu = 4$ and $\vec{p} = 0$

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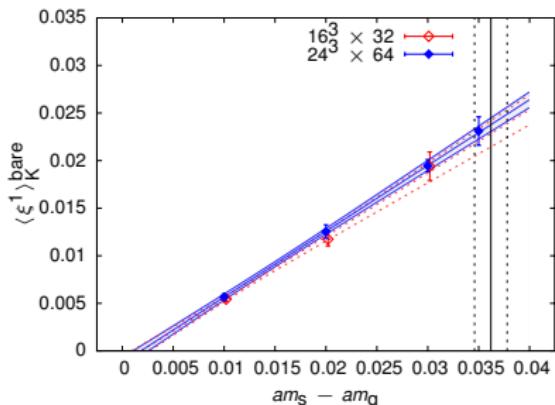
$$\times \frac{1}{3} \left(-g_{\rho\sigma} p_\mu p_\nu - g_{\mu\sigma} p_\rho p_\nu - g_{\nu\sigma} p_\rho p_\mu + \frac{3p_\rho p_\mu p_\nu p_\sigma}{m_V^2} \right)$$

directions e.g. $\mu = \sigma = 2$, $\nu = 4$, $\rho = 1$ and one unit of momentum
($p_i \neq 0$, one unit)

$$\longrightarrow \langle \xi \rangle_{K^*}, \langle \xi^2 \rangle_{K^*}, \langle \xi^2 \rangle_\rho, \langle \xi^2 \rangle_\phi$$

Distribution Amplitudes

Updated Results – Pseudo-scalars



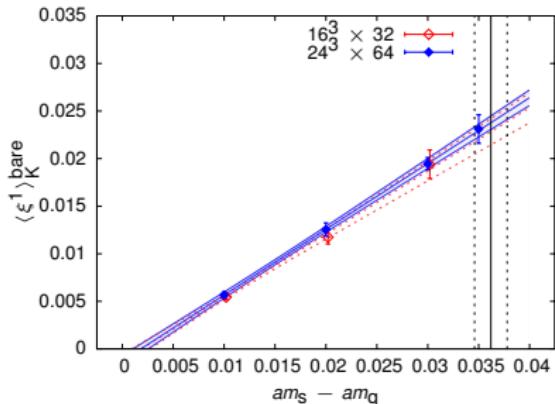
$$\langle \xi \rangle_K^{\text{bare}} = 0.0238(7)(11) \quad 0.0228(14)(11)$$

Results compatible with prediction from lowest order χ PT

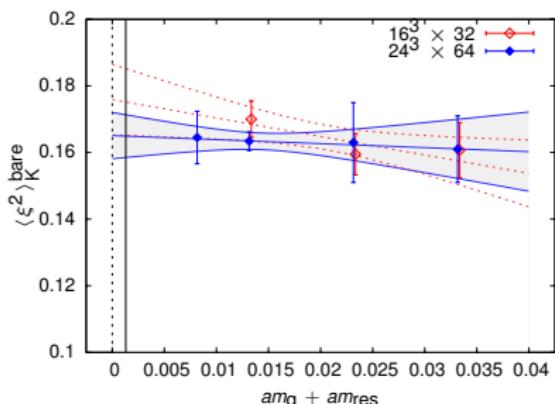
→ $\langle \xi \rangle_K$ proportional to $m_s - m_q$
this makes m_s correction easy

Distribution Amplitudes

Updated Results – Pseudo-scalars

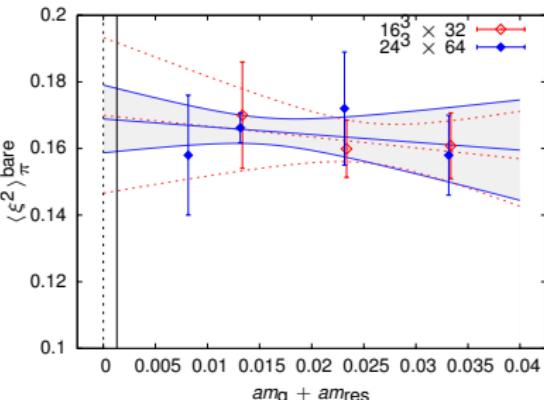


$$\langle \xi^1 \rangle_K^{\text{bare}} = 0.0238(7)(11) \quad 0.0228(14)(11)$$



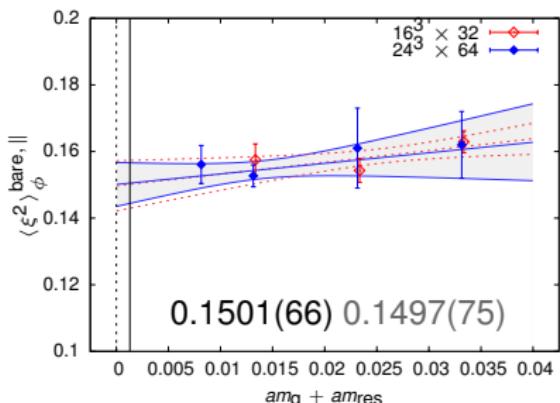
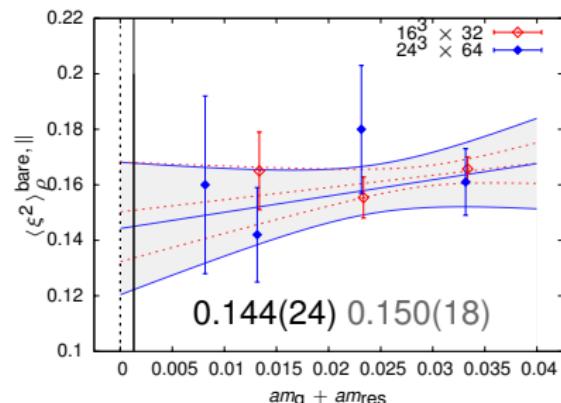
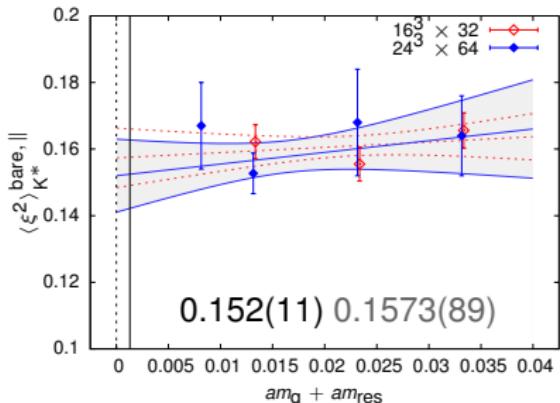
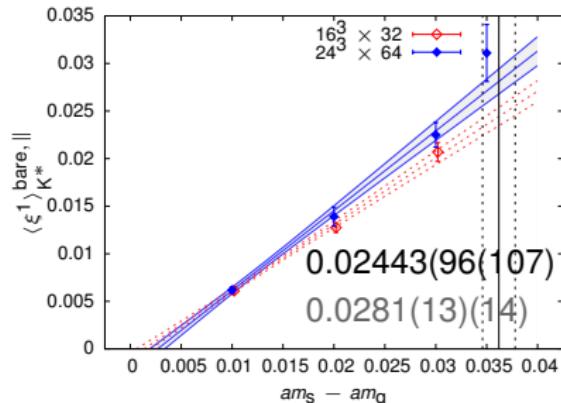
$$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_K^{\text{bare}} = 0.1651(70) \quad 0.176(11)$$

$$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_\pi^{\text{bare}} = 0.169(10) \quad 0.170(23)$$



Distribution Amplitudes

PRELIMINARY Results – Vectors



Non-perturbative Renormalisation

$$\psi^{\text{ren}}(x) = Z_q^{\frac{1}{2}} \psi^{\text{bare}}(x)$$

$$m^{\text{ren}} = Z_m m^{\text{bare}}$$

$$\mathcal{O}^{\text{ren}} = Z_{\mathcal{O}} \mathcal{O}^{\text{bare}}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{\Gamma}(q) = \sum_{x,x'} e^{iqx} \bar{\psi}(x) J_{\Gamma}(x, x') \psi(x') ,$$

bare Green's function between off-shell quarks for $p = p'$, e.g. vector current

$$\begin{aligned} G_{\gamma_\mu}(p) &= \langle \psi(p) \mathcal{O}(0) \bar{\psi}(p) \rangle_G \\ &= \sum_x \left\langle \gamma_5 \left[\sum_y S(x|y) e^{ipy} \right]^\dagger \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu \left[\sum_z S(x|z) e^{ipz} \right] \right\rangle_G . \end{aligned}$$

realise: $S(p)_x = \sum_y S(x|y) e^{ipy} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \sum_{x'} D(x, x') S(p)_{x'} = e^{ipx}$

$$G_{\gamma_\mu}(p) = \sum_x \left\langle \gamma_5 S(p)_x^\dagger \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu S(p)_x \right\rangle_G$$

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Find the amputated Green's function

$$\Pi_{\mathcal{O}}(p) = \langle S(p) \rangle_G^{-1} \langle G_{\mathcal{O}}(p) \rangle_G \langle S(p) \rangle_G^{-1},$$

and the bare vertex amplitude

$$\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{bare}}(p) = \frac{1}{12} \text{Tr} \left(\Pi_{\mathcal{O}}(p) \hat{P}_{\mathcal{O}} \right).$$

The renormalisation condition, leading to $Z_{\mathcal{O}}$, then is

$$\Lambda_{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{ren}}(p) = \frac{Z_{\mathcal{O}}(\mu)}{Z_q} \Lambda_{\mathcal{O}}^{\text{bare}}(p) \Big|_{p^2=\mu^2} = 1, \quad \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll \mu \ll 1/a$$

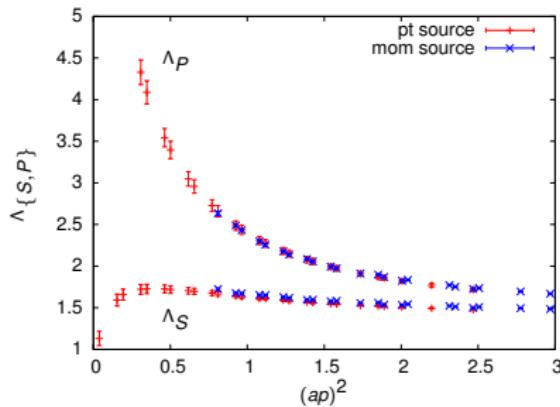
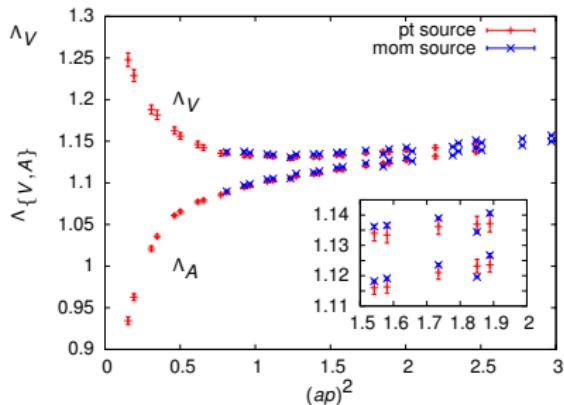
Projectors for bilinears: $\mathbb{1}$, γ_5 , $\sum \gamma_\mu$, $\sum \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu$

Projection for $\overline{\psi}(x) \gamma_{\{\mu} \overleftrightarrow{D}_{\nu\}} \psi(x)$

$$\Lambda_{V2}(p) = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{\substack{\mu, \nu \\ \mu \leq \nu}} \left[\frac{\text{Tr} [\Pi_{\gamma_\mu D_\nu}(p)(\gamma_\mu + \gamma_\nu)]}{12(\hat{p}^\mu + \hat{p}^\nu)} - \frac{\sum_{\rho \neq \mu, \nu} \text{Tr} [\Pi_{\gamma_\mu D_\nu}(p)\gamma_\rho]}{12 \sum_{\rho \neq \mu, \nu} \hat{p}^\rho} \right].$$

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Point vs Momentum Sources (I) – Amputated Vertex Functions



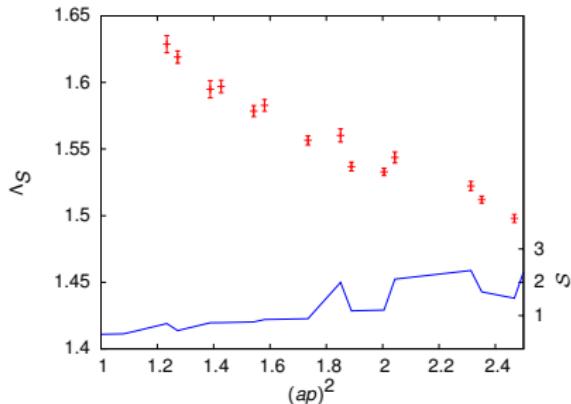
Statistical errors are drastically reduced.

Before: 4 sources, 75 configurations, momenta with **many** directions

Now: 19 - 25 configurations, 1 direction

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Discretisation Errors (I) – Amputated Vertex Functions

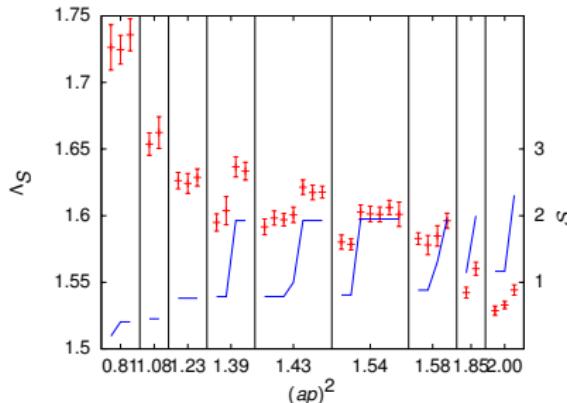
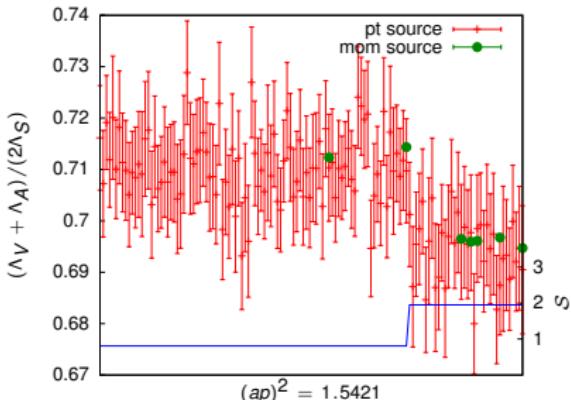
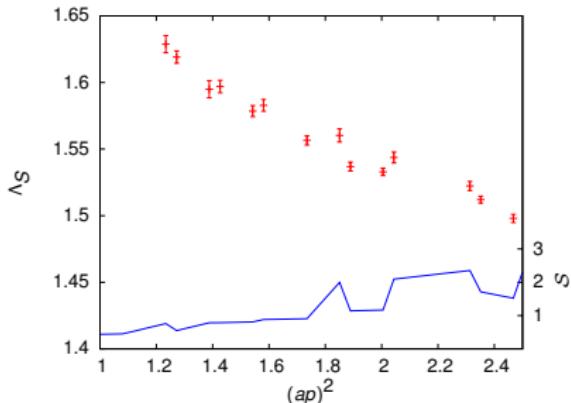


assume terms like ap and $(ap)^2$
 $ap \rightarrow a\hat{p} = \sin(ap)$ and expanding $a\hat{p}$

$$\implies \mathcal{S} = \sum_{\mu} \frac{2\pi}{L_{\mu}} p_{\mu}^4$$

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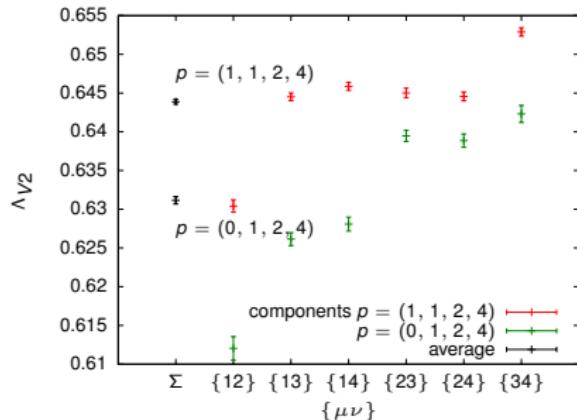
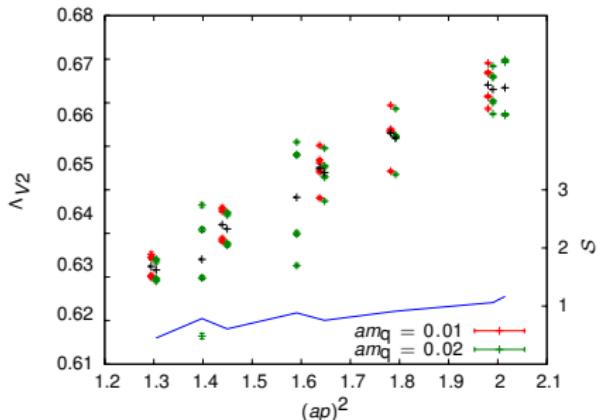


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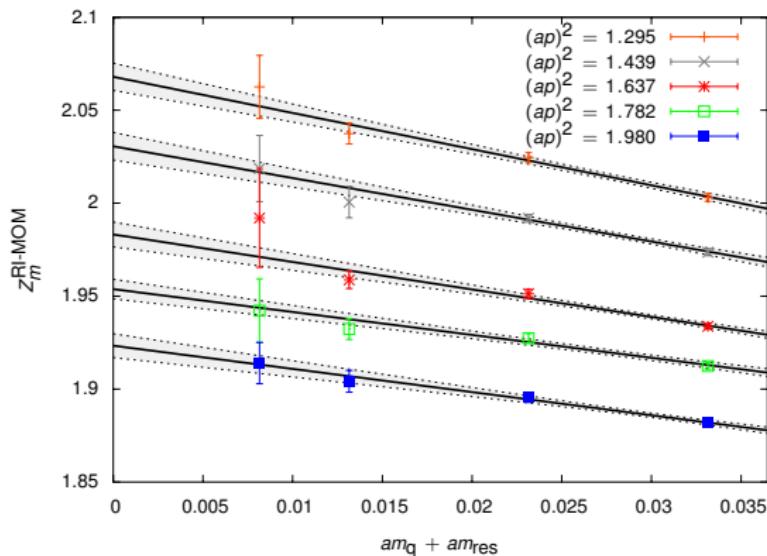
Discretisation Errors (II) – Amputated Vertex Functions



Different directions of the derivative w.r.t. momentum not compatible.
More severe discretisation errors? Dependence on m_q much smaller.

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

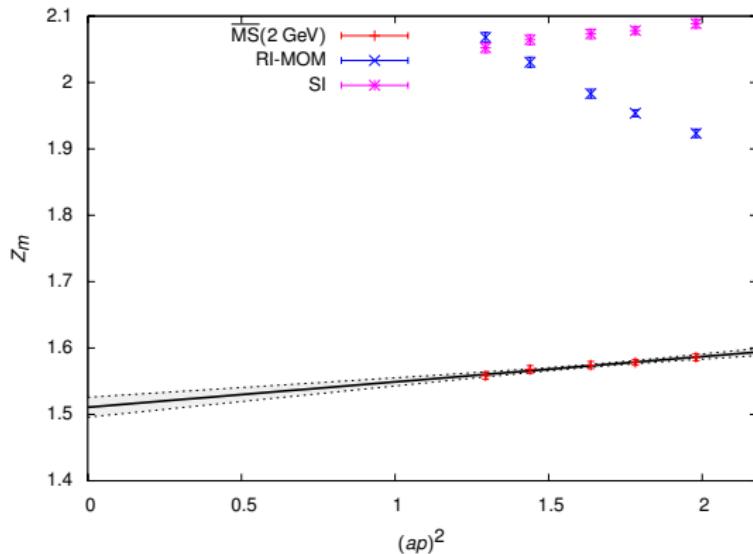
Extrapolation in m_q



linear extrapolation of $Z_m^{\text{RI-MOM}}$ to the chiral limit

Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Reducing Discretisation Effects



$$Z_m^{\overline{MS}}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 1.656(48)$$

arXiv:0712.1061

PRELIMINARY

$$Z_m^{\overline{MS}}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 1.511(15) \quad 24^3$$

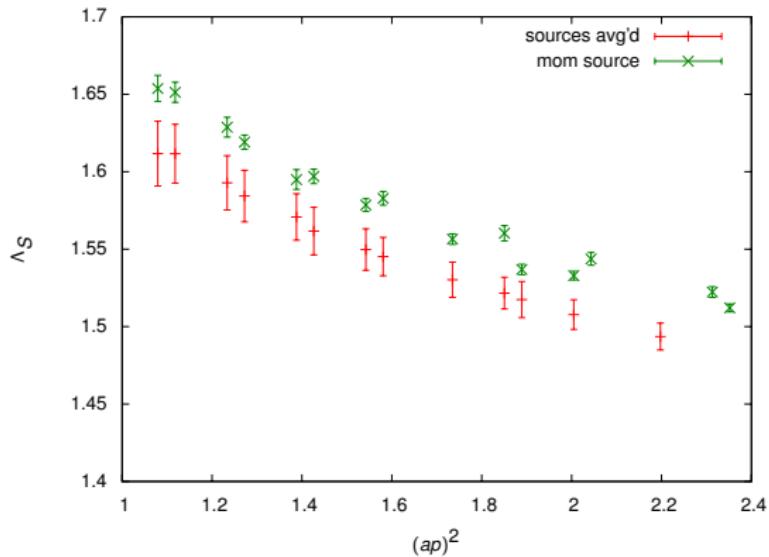
$$Z_m^{\overline{MS}}(2 \text{ GeV}) = 1.544(34) \quad 16^3$$

only stat. errors...

We extrapolate $(ap)^2 \rightarrow 0$ to remove lattice artefacts.

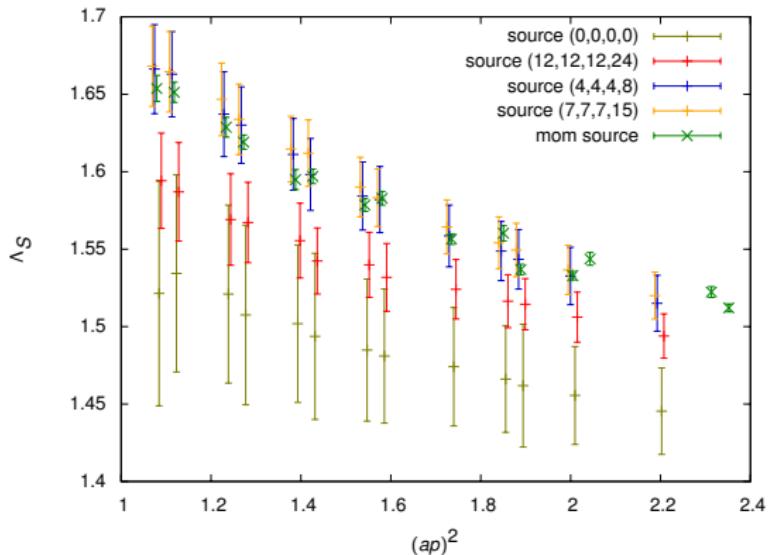
Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Point vs Momentum Sources (II) – Amputated Vertex Functions



Non-perturbative Renormalisation

Point vs Momentum Sources (II) – Amputated Vertex Functions



The number and position of sources seems to explain the the difference between the results of the point/momenta source technique.

→ better off when volume averaging

Summary and Outlook

PRELIMINARY Numbers

Summary of results, $\overline{\text{MS}}$ ($\mu = 1.729 \text{ GeV}$). Statistical and systematic errors.
Still perturbatively renormalised.

$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_\pi$	0.278(15)(13)	0.280(35)(13)	0.269(39)
$\langle \xi \rangle_K$	0.03039(91)(174)	0.0291(18)(17)	0.0272(5)
$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_K$	0.272(11)(13)	0.289(17)(14)	0.260(6) PRD74:074501
$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_\rho$	0.240(36)(12)	0.249(27)(12)	
$\langle \xi \rangle_{K^*}^{\parallel}$	0.0359(17)(22)	0.0312(12)(17)	0.033(2)(4) PoS(LAT07)144
$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_{K^*}^{\parallel}$	0.252(17)(12)	0.260(13)(13)	
$\langle \xi^2 \rangle_\phi^{\parallel}$	0.250(10)(12)	0.249(11)(12)	
	24 ³	16 ³	

Summary and Outlook

- showed updates of our results for pseudo-scalar and vector DAs
 - anticipate to use non-perturbative renormalisation soon
- Rome-Southampton method with momentum sources has very small statistical errors even with moderate computational effort
 - possible to clearly see and investigate discretisation errors
- artefacts (esp. for derivatives) not yet fully understood
- we have other interesting projects, see(n) talks of
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 - C. Kelly (B_K)

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