

Finite-volume corrections for masses and decay constants

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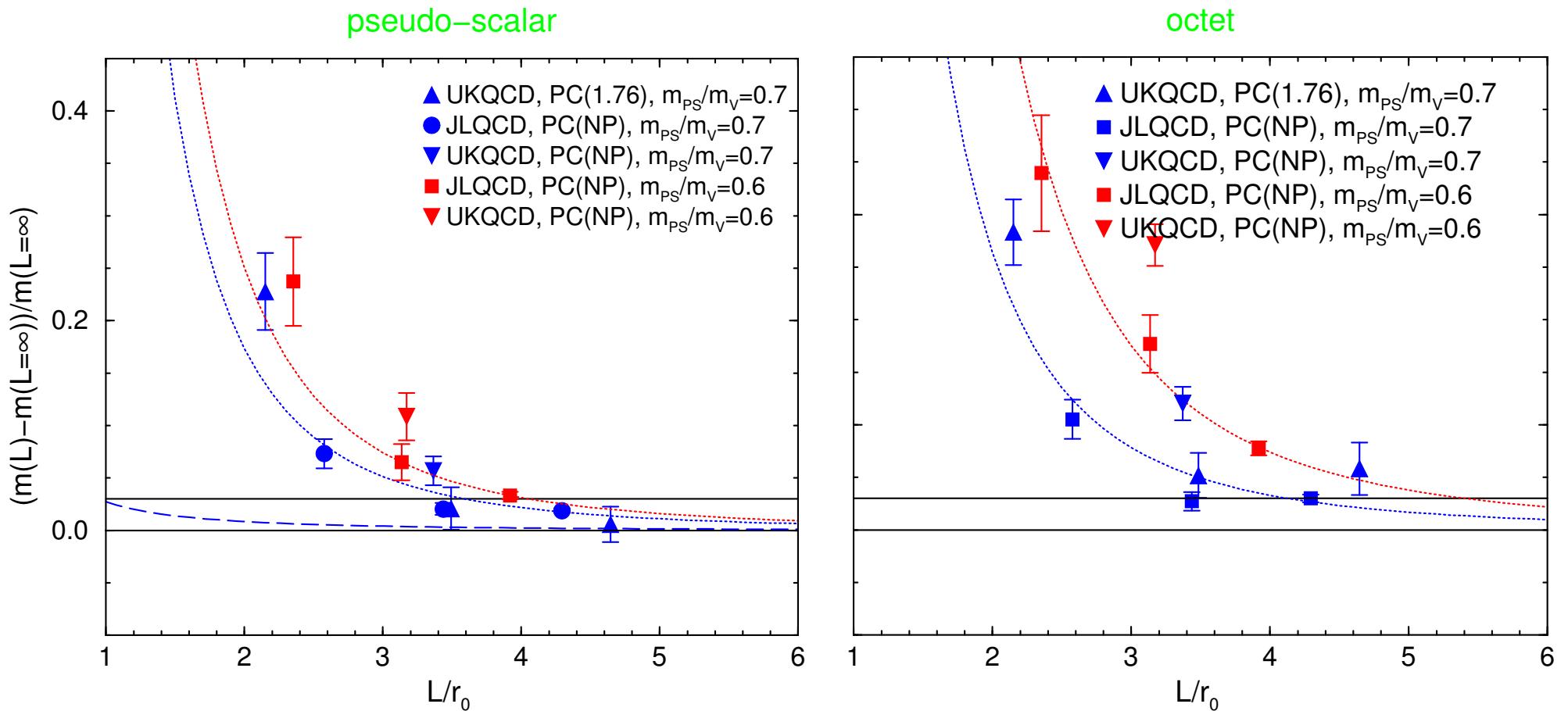
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Finite volume $V=L^3$ affects mass/matrixelements of correlators $C(t)$ with $T \rightarrow \infty$:



in this talk:

- exponential correction $M_{\text{had}}(L)/M_{\text{had}}(\infty)$ can be calculated in EFT
- whenever result matters a 1-loop XPT calculation is not sufficient

Overview

- EFT calculations of finite-volume correction factors
- Elements of XPT in infinite volume
- Chiral counting: p -regime versus ϵ/δ -regimes
- Straightforward XPT versus Lüscher formula
- Application: $M_\pi(L)/M_\pi$ to (approximate) 3-loop order
- Application: $F_\pi(L)/F_\pi$ to (approximate) 2-loop order
- Comment: $B_K(L)/B_K$ to (approximate and full) 1-loop order
- Comment: $M_p(L)/M_p$ to (approximate and full) 1-loop order

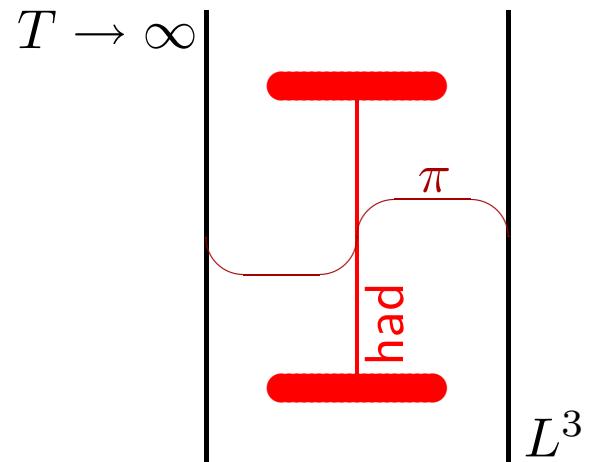
EFT calculations of finite-volume correction factors

idea:

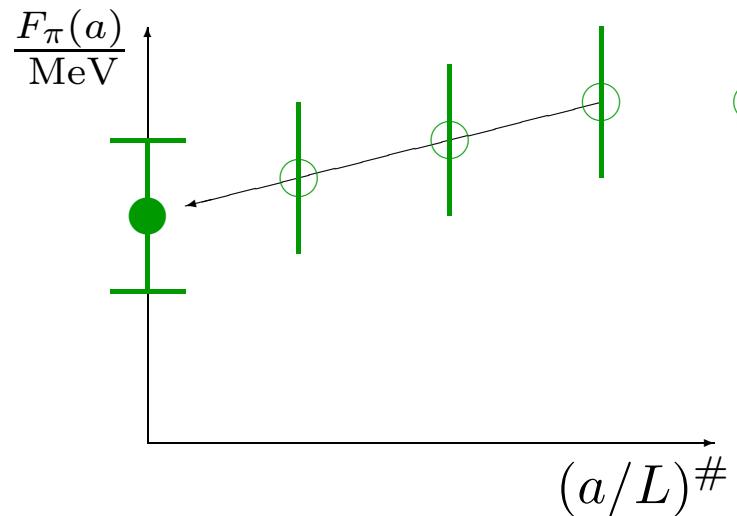
$$M_{\text{had}}(\infty) = \underbrace{M_{\text{had}}(L)}_{\text{lattice}} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{M_{\text{had}}(\infty)}{M_{\text{had}}(L)}}_{\text{EFT}}$$

core:

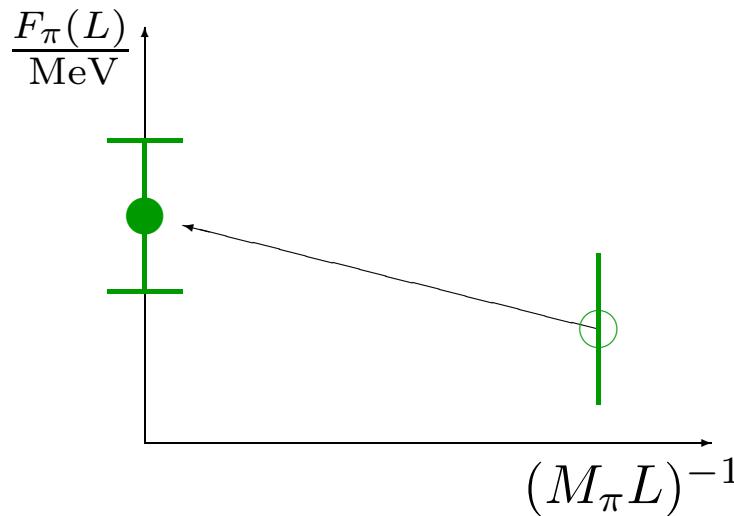
$$\frac{M_{\text{had}}(\infty)}{M_{\text{had}}(L)} = 1 - \text{const } e^{-M_\pi L} \quad (\forall \text{ had})$$



- EFT by Symanzik, ...



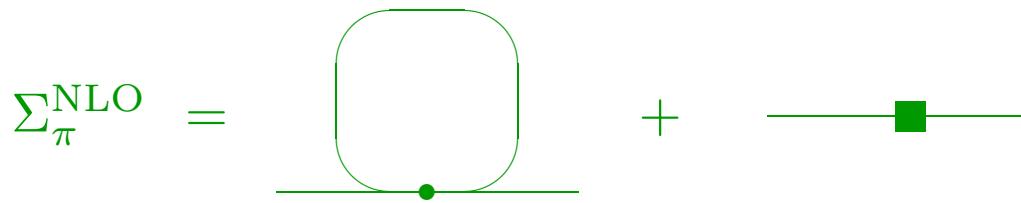
- EFT by Gasser, Leutwyler, ...



- ◊ UV-physics (from “cut-off effects”)
- ◊ specific “high-energy constants” (action)
- ◊ functional form guides extrapolation
- ◊ IR-physics (from “around the world”)
- ◊ universal “low-energy constants” (QCD)
- ◊ one-step correction of single datapoint

Elements of XPT in infinite volume

XPT: $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}^{(2)} + \mathcal{L}^{(4)} + \dots$ expansion in $p^2 \sim m$



Contributions to pion self-energy at NLO:
 1-loop graph with a vertex from $\mathcal{L}^{(2)}$ [tiny dot] and a counterterm from $\mathcal{L}^{(4)}$ [fat box]. The divergent parts ($\propto \epsilon^{-1}$) compensate each other, and in the finite parts ($\propto \epsilon^0$) the μ -dependence cancels exactly.

- all interactions are parity even and involve (an even number of) derivatives
- theory only order-by-order renormalizable
- results depend on $m, F, B, \Lambda_i, \dots$ not on μ

$$\text{LO: } M_{\pi}^2 = 2mB \equiv M^2 \quad \text{with } m = \frac{m_u + m_d}{2}$$

$$\text{NLO: } M_{\pi}^2 = M^2 \left\{ 1 - \frac{M^2}{32\pi^2 F^2} \log\left(\frac{\Lambda_3^2}{M^2}\right) \right\} \quad \text{with } F = \lim_{m \rightarrow 0} F_{\pi}$$

$$\text{NNLO: } M_{\pi}^2 = M^2 \left\{ 1 - \dots + \frac{M^4}{256\pi^4 F^4} \left[\frac{17}{8} \log^2\left(\frac{\Lambda_M^2}{M^2}\right) + k_M \right] \right\}$$

$$\text{with } \Lambda_3 = 0.6 \pm \frac{1.4}{0.4} \text{ GeV}, \quad \Lambda_M = 0.6 \pm 0.03 \text{ GeV}, \quad k_M = 0 \pm 2$$

Attention: use $F_{\pi} = f_{\pi}/\sqrt{2} = 130 \text{ MeV}/\sqrt{2} = 92 \text{ MeV}$ at $M_{\pi} = 140 \text{ MeV}$

Chiral counting: p -regime versus ϵ/δ -regimes

In finite (spatial) volume $V = L^3$ only momenta $\vec{p} = \frac{2\pi}{L}\vec{n}$, $\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3$ possible

Two basic conditions for XPT in finite volume: ($\Lambda_{\text{XPT}} \simeq 4\pi F_\pi \simeq 1 \text{ GeV}$)

$$(1) \quad m \ll \Lambda_{\text{XPT}} \text{ or } M_\pi \ll 4\pi F_\pi$$

$$(2) \quad \frac{2\pi}{L} \ll \Lambda_{\text{XPT}} \text{ or } 1 \ll 2F_\pi L$$

Once satisfied, still two varieties for pion correlation length:

$$(3a) \quad M_\pi L \gg 1 : \quad M_\pi^2 \sim \frac{1}{L^2} \sim m \quad \text{"p-regime" for } T \rightarrow \infty$$

$$(3b) \quad M_\pi L \leq 1 : \quad M_\pi^2 \sim \frac{1}{L^4} \sim m \quad \text{"}\epsilon\text{-regime" for } T \rightarrow \infty$$

Physics of p - and ϵ -regimes very much different:

- “ p -regime”: exponentially small finite-volume corrections
- “ ϵ -regime”: global pion-field zero-mode needs exact treatment

$$M_\pi(m=0, L \gg \frac{1}{2F}) \sim \frac{{N_f}^2 - 1}{N_f F^2 L^3}$$

[chiral counting – continued]

Remainder of this talk

$$\begin{cases} \text{full QCD with } N_f = 2 \text{ or } N_f = 2 + 1 \\ p\text{-regime with } M_\pi^2 \sim \frac{1}{L^2} \sim m \text{ counting} \end{cases}$$

- ◇ Setup for XPT in finite volume with periodic boundary conditions [Gasser Leutwyler 1987]

Lagrangian: $\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}(L) = \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}(\infty)$

Propagator: $G_L(x^0, \vec{x}) = \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3} G_\infty(x^0, \vec{x} + \vec{n}L)$

- ◇ Implication for perturbative calculations (last step: Poisson formula)

$$\int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} f(q) \longrightarrow \int \frac{dq^0}{2\pi} \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3} f(q^0, \frac{2\pi}{L} \vec{n}) = \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} f(q) \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3} e^{i \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} L}$$

Straightforward XPT versus Lüscher formula

- Approach 1: Gasser Leutwyler

$$\Sigma_\pi^{\text{NLO}}(L) - \Sigma_\pi^{\text{NLO}}(\infty) = \text{Diagram with loop and insertion} + \text{Diagram with square and insertion} - \text{Diagram with loop and insertion} - \text{Diagram with square and insertion}$$

\mathcal{L}^{NLO} counterterm drops out and $G_L(x) - G_\infty(x) = \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3 \setminus \vec{0}} G_\infty(x^0, \vec{x} + \vec{n}L)$ remains

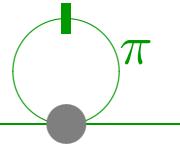
$$\begin{aligned} M_\pi(L) &= M_\pi \left[1 + \frac{1}{2N_f} \xi \tilde{g}_1(\lambda) + O(\xi^2) \right] \\ F_\pi(L) &= M_\pi \left[1 - \frac{2}{N_f} \xi \tilde{g}_1(\lambda) + O(\xi^2) \right] \end{aligned}$$

where $N_f \geq 2$, $M_\pi = M_\pi(\infty)$, $F_\pi = F_\pi(\infty)$, $\xi = \frac{M_\pi^2}{(4\pi F_\pi)^2}$, $\lambda = M_\pi L$ and

$$\tilde{g}_1(\lambda) = \int_0^\infty \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3 \setminus \vec{0}} e^{-\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{\alpha}{4} \vec{n}^2 \lambda^2} d\alpha = \sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{4m(n)}{\sqrt{n}\lambda} K_1(\sqrt{n}\lambda)$$

with $m(n)$ the multiplicity of vectors with $|\vec{n}^2| = n$

- Approach 2: Lüscher



$$\text{had} \quad \text{[1PI]} \quad = \quad \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \Gamma(p, q, -q, -p) G_L(q) \quad \text{with} \quad \Gamma = \Gamma(\text{had}, \pi, \pi, \text{had})$$

$$G_\infty(q) \sim \frac{1}{q^2 + m^2}, \quad G_L(q) = \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3} G_\infty(q) e^{i \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} L}$$

Asymptotic [large volume, i.e. $\sim e^{-M_\pi L}$] shift comes from one propagator in finite volume

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\text{had}}(L) - M_{\text{had}} &= \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \Gamma(p, q, -q, -p) [G_L(q) - G_\infty(q)] \\ &= \sum_{\vec{n} \in \mathbf{Z}^3 \setminus \vec{0}} \int \frac{d^4 q}{(2\pi)^4} \Gamma(p, q, -q, -p) G_\infty(q) e^{i \vec{q} \cdot \vec{n} L} \\ &= \dots \quad [\text{restrict to } \sim e^{-M_\pi L}, \text{ perform } \int d^3 \vec{q}, \text{ rename } q^0 = y] \\ &\simeq \text{const} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(iy) e^{-\sqrt{M_\pi^2 + y^2} L} dy \end{aligned}$$

[Do not confuse with 2-particle formula $E_{\pi\pi}^I(L) - 2M_\pi = -\frac{4\pi a_0^I}{M_\pi L^3} (1 + c_1 \frac{a_0^I}{L} + c_2 (\frac{a_0^I}{L})^2 + \dots)$]

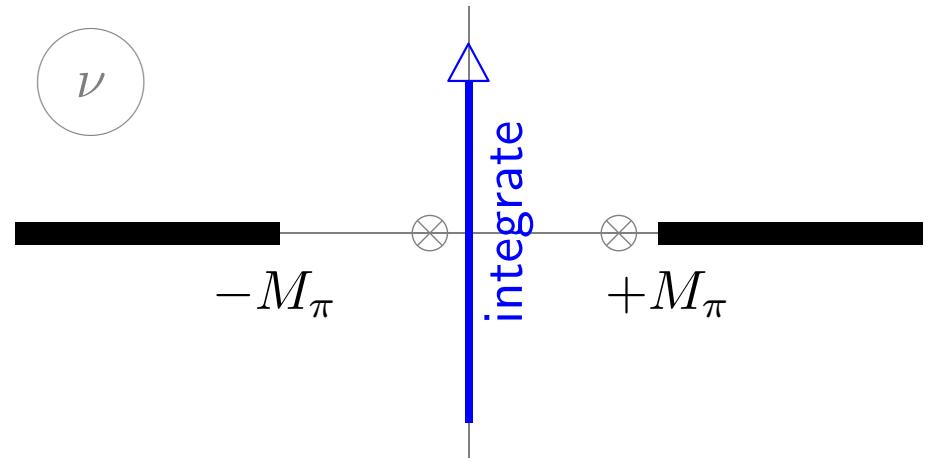
[Lüscher formula – continued]

$$M_{\text{had}}(L) - M_{\text{had}} = \underbrace{-\frac{6}{32\pi^2 M_{\text{had}} L} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(iy) e^{-\sqrt{M_\pi^2 + y^2} L} dy}_{>0} + O(e^{-\sqrt{2} M_\pi L})$$

with forward scattering amplitude

$$F(iy) = T_{\pi\text{had}}^{I=0}(\nu = iy, L = \infty)$$

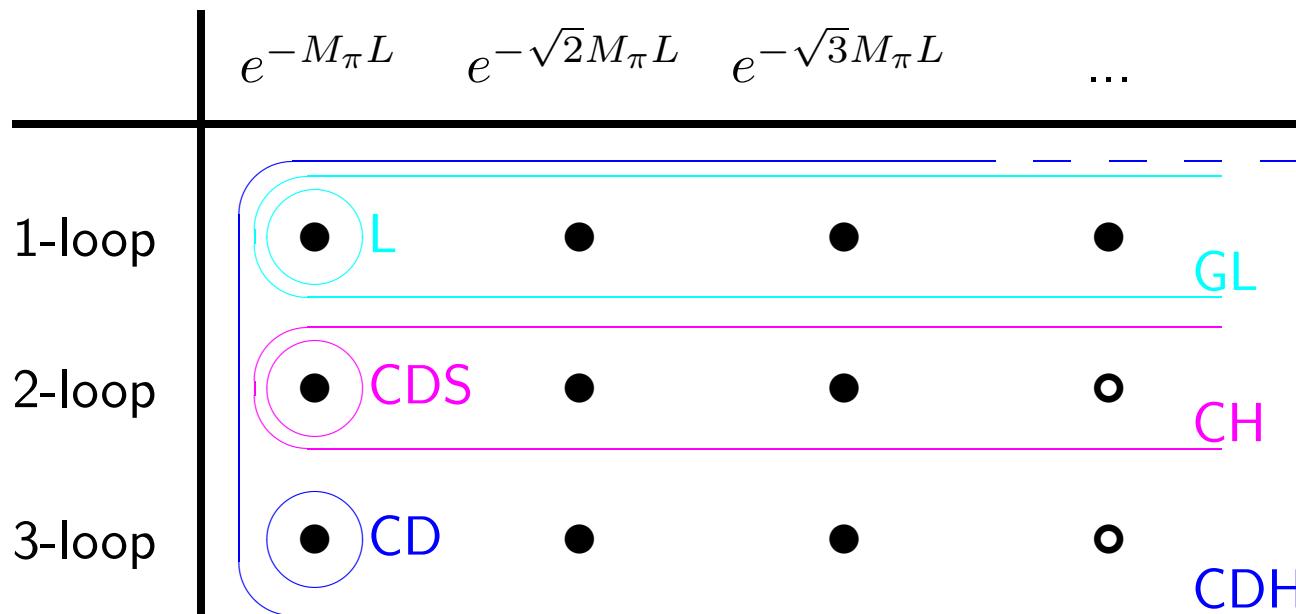
involving $\nu = (s - u)/(4M_{\text{had}})$ [Lüscher 1986]



- ◊ final result $\sim e^{-M_\pi L}$ for any hadron in (full) QCD
- ◊ need π_{had} forward scattering amplitude away from cuts (i.e. in unphysical region)
- ◊ in practice invoke XPT in infinite volume to do analytic continuation
- ◊ still gain 1 loop order [Cutkosky argument!]
- ◊ additional poles on the l.h.s. give extra terms [nucelon], those on the r.h.s. do not

- Twofold expansion

chiral order [1-loop, 2-loop, 3-loop, ...] & large volume [$e^{-M_\pi L}$, $e^{-\sqrt{2}M_\pi L}$, $e^{-\sqrt{3}M_\pi L}$, ...]



Example: $M_\pi(L)/M_\pi$

- L: Lüscher 1986
- GL: Gasser Leutwyler 1987
- CDS: Colangelo Dürr Sommer 2002
- CD: Colangelo Dürr 2003
- CDH: Colangelo Dürr Haefeli 2005
- CH: Colangelo Haefeli 2006

- Resummed Lüscher formula

$$M_{\text{had}}(L) - M_{\text{had}} = -\frac{1}{32\pi^2 M_{\text{had}} L} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{m(n)}{\sqrt{n}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(iy) e^{-\sqrt{(M_\pi^2 + y^2)n} L} dy + O(e^{-\bar{M}L})$$

- ◊ for the first time used in Colangelo Dürr Haefeli 2005, also $\bar{M} = (\sqrt{3} + 1)/\sqrt{2} \cdot M_\pi \simeq 1.93 M_\pi$
- ◊ estimates higher $e^{-\sqrt{n}M_\pi L}$ contributions, exactly with 0-loop input [reproduces GL 1-loop result], very accurately with 1-loop input Colangelo Haefeli 2006, presumably still so with 2-loop input

Application: $M_\pi(L)/M_\pi$ to (approximate) 3-loop order

Use (orig./res.) Lüscher formula with 0/1/2-loop input to obtain 1/2/3-loop result for

$$R_{M_\pi}(L) \equiv \frac{M_\pi(L) - M_\pi}{M_\pi}$$

- 0-loop input

Invariant amplitude in 2-flavor XPT

$$A(s, t, u) \Big|_{0\text{-loop}} = \frac{s - M_\pi^2}{F_\pi^2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad F(\nu) \Big|_{0\text{-loop}} = -\frac{M_\pi^2}{F_\pi^2} \quad [\nu\text{-independent}]$$

With original formula it follows that [reproduces asymptotic part of 1-loop result by GL]

$$R_{M_\pi} = \frac{6}{16\pi^2 M_\pi L} \frac{M_\pi^2}{F_\pi^2} K_1(M_\pi L) \sim \frac{3}{4(2\pi M_\pi L)^{3/2}} \frac{M_\pi^2}{F_\pi^2} e^{-M_\pi L}$$

With resummed formula it follows that [reproduces complete 1-loop result by GL]

$$R_{M_\pi} = \frac{M_\pi^2}{16\pi^2 F_\pi^2} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{m(n)}{\sqrt{n} M_\pi L} K_1(\sqrt{n} M_\pi L)$$

- 1-loop input

- ◊ Even without resummation the deviation [in parameter regions where it matters] from the 1-loop result is sizable [Colangelo Dürr Sommer 2002]
- ◊ The resummed Lüscher formula with 1-loop input has been compared to the exact 2-loop result and has been found to be extremely accurate [Colangelo Haefeli 2006]

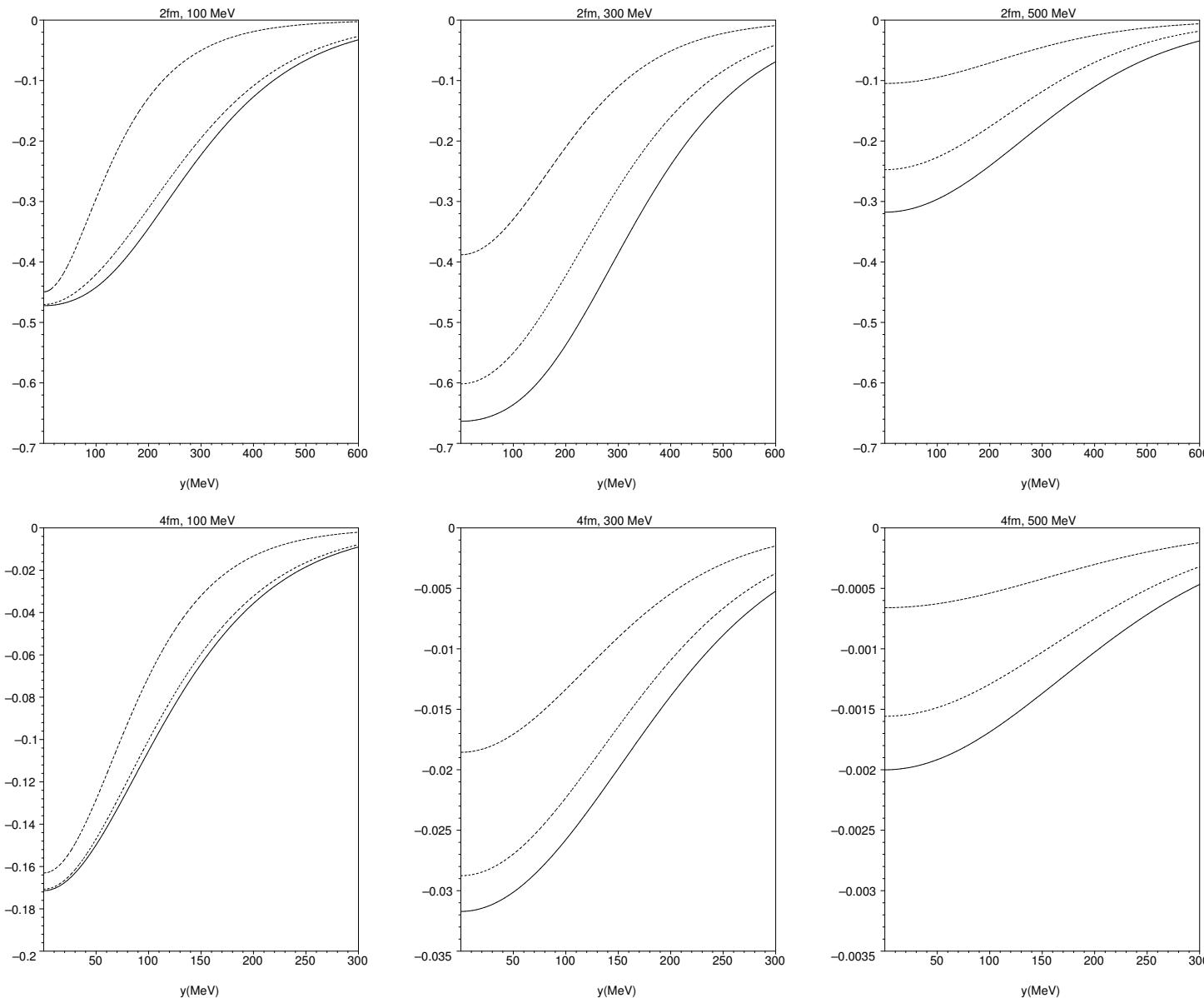
- 2-loop input

- ◊ Without resummation one finds good convergence in the chiral/loop order [Colangelo Dürr 2003]
- ◊ With resummation one obtains the best XPT answer for $M_\pi(L) - M_\pi$ [Colangelo Dürr Haefeli 2005]
- ◊ Pertinent NNLO low-energy constants limit precision, precise values for $M_\pi(L) - M_\pi$ would determine new linear combinations [Colangelo Dürr Haefeli 2005]

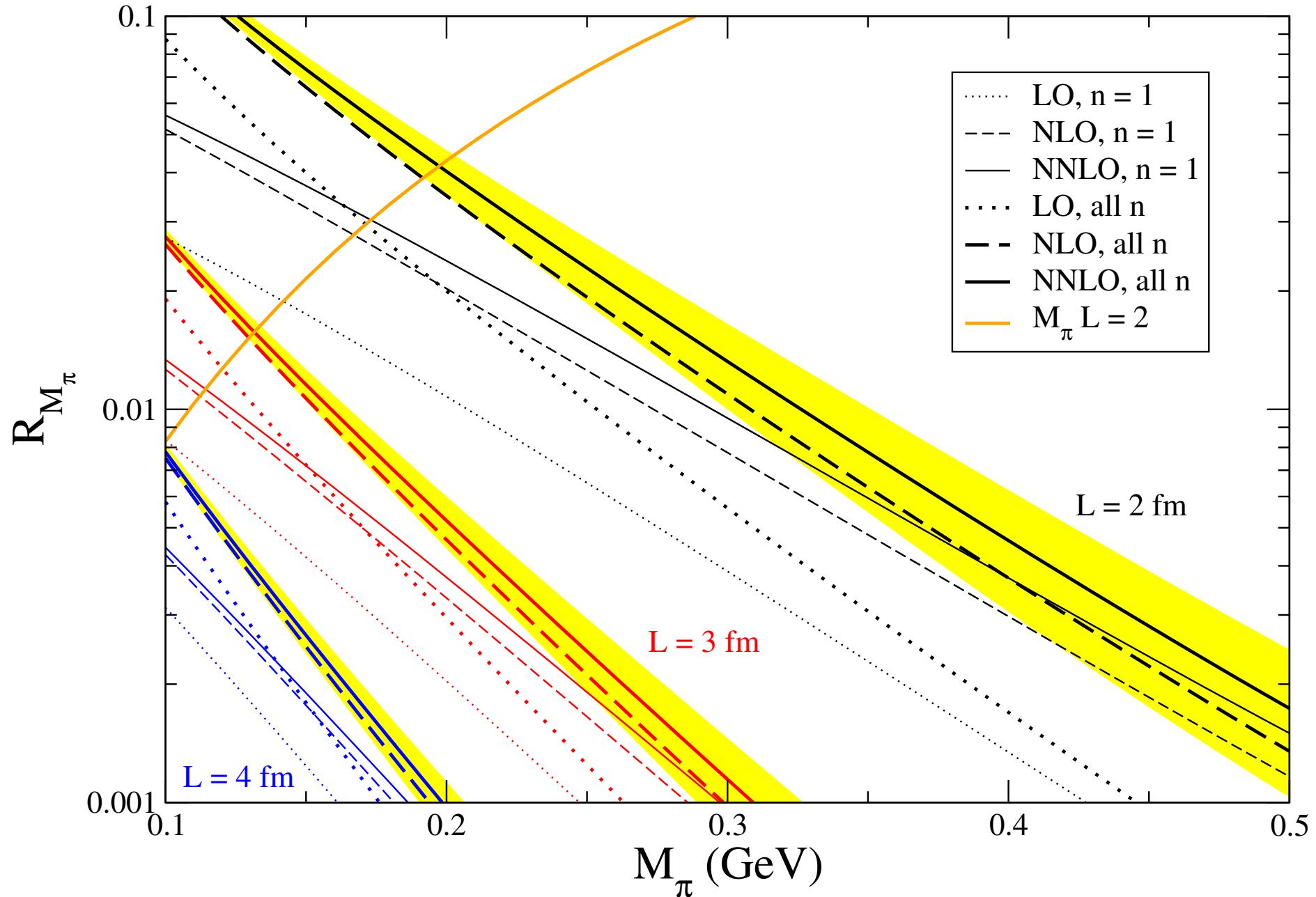
(orig./res.) formula with n -loop input yields (truncated/approximate) $n+1$ -loop result

$[M_\pi(L) - M_\pi \text{ via Lüscher formula} - \text{continued}]$

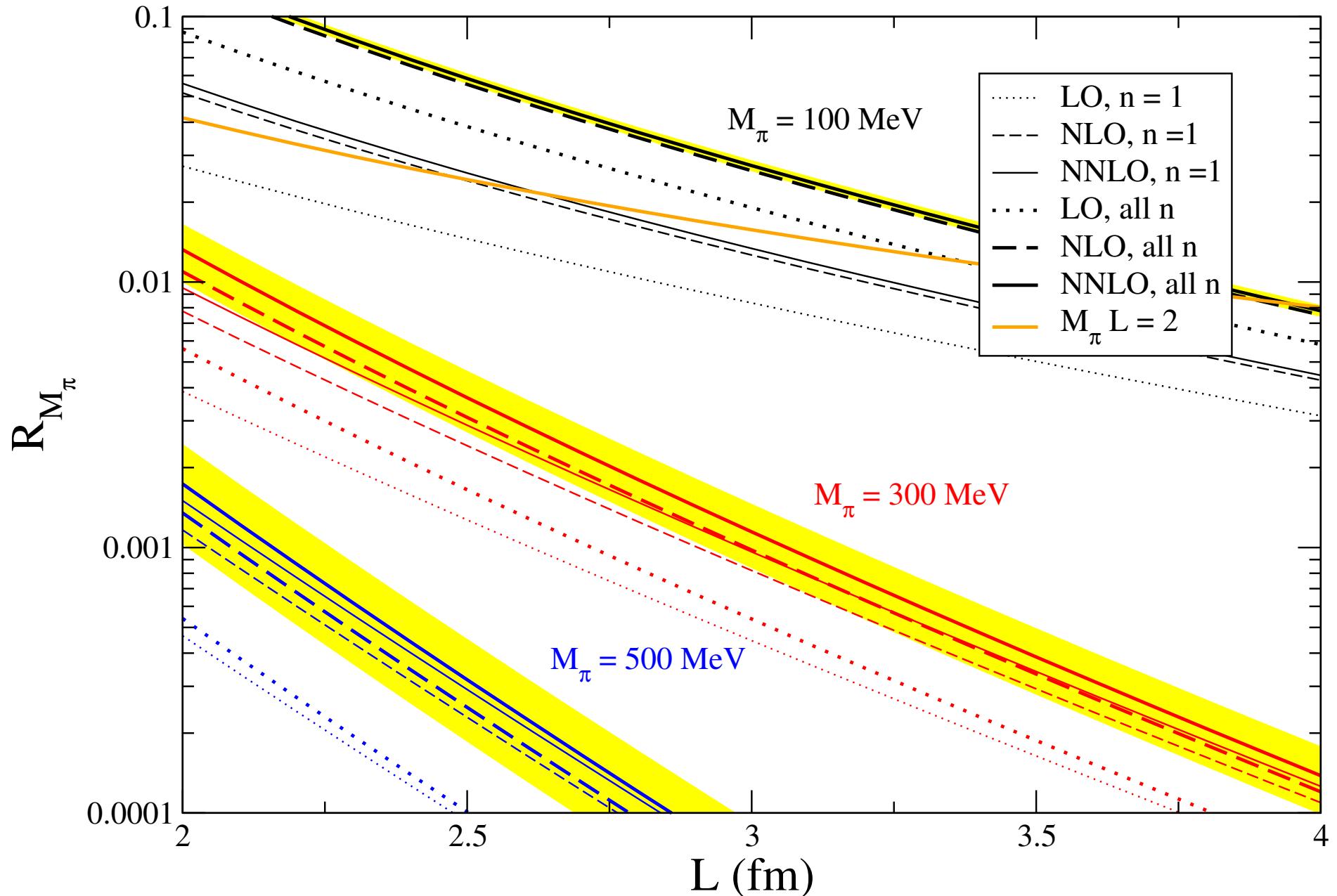
- Assessment of integrand $I(y) = F(iy) e^{-\sqrt{M_\pi^2 + y^2} L}$ with 0/1/2-loop input



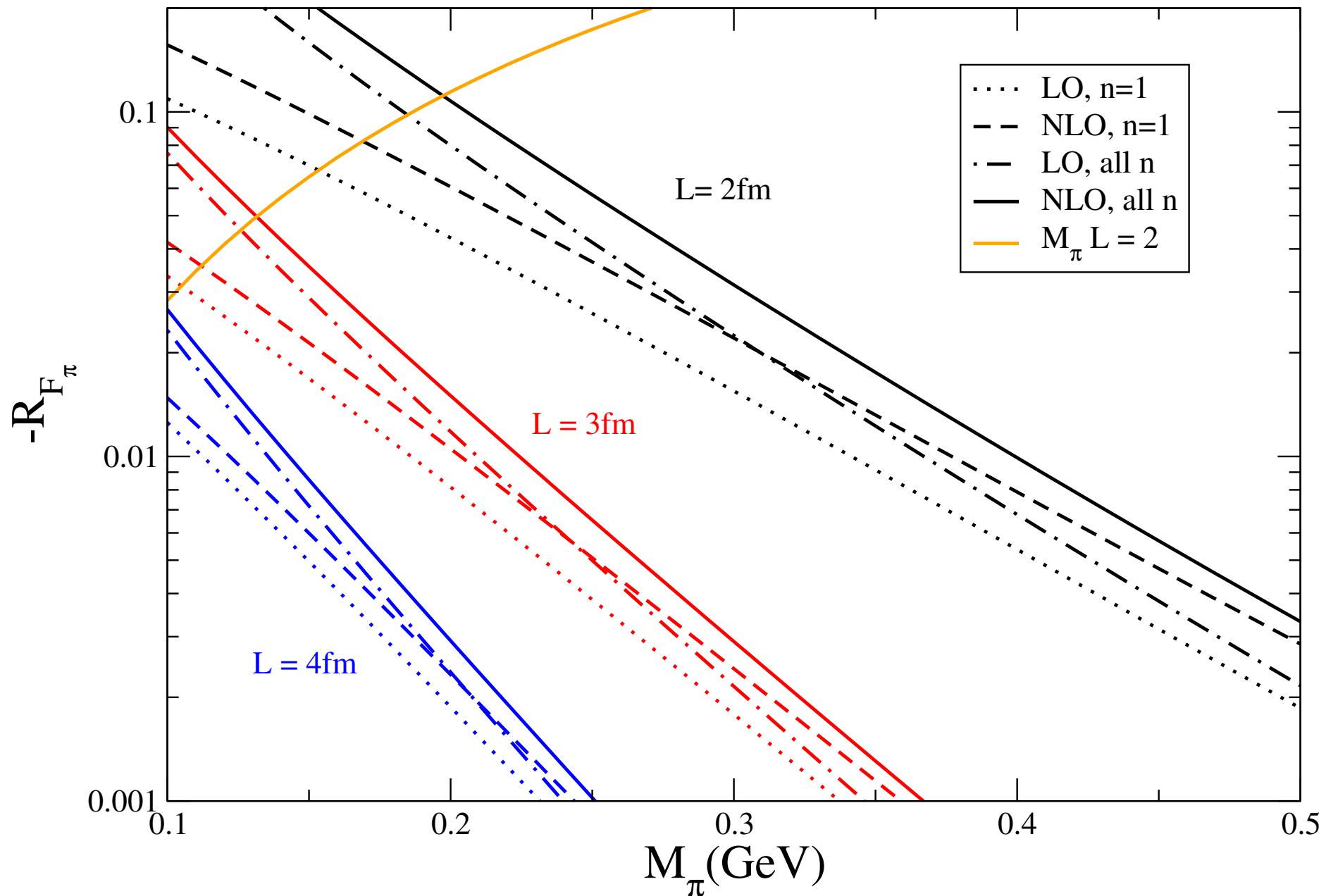
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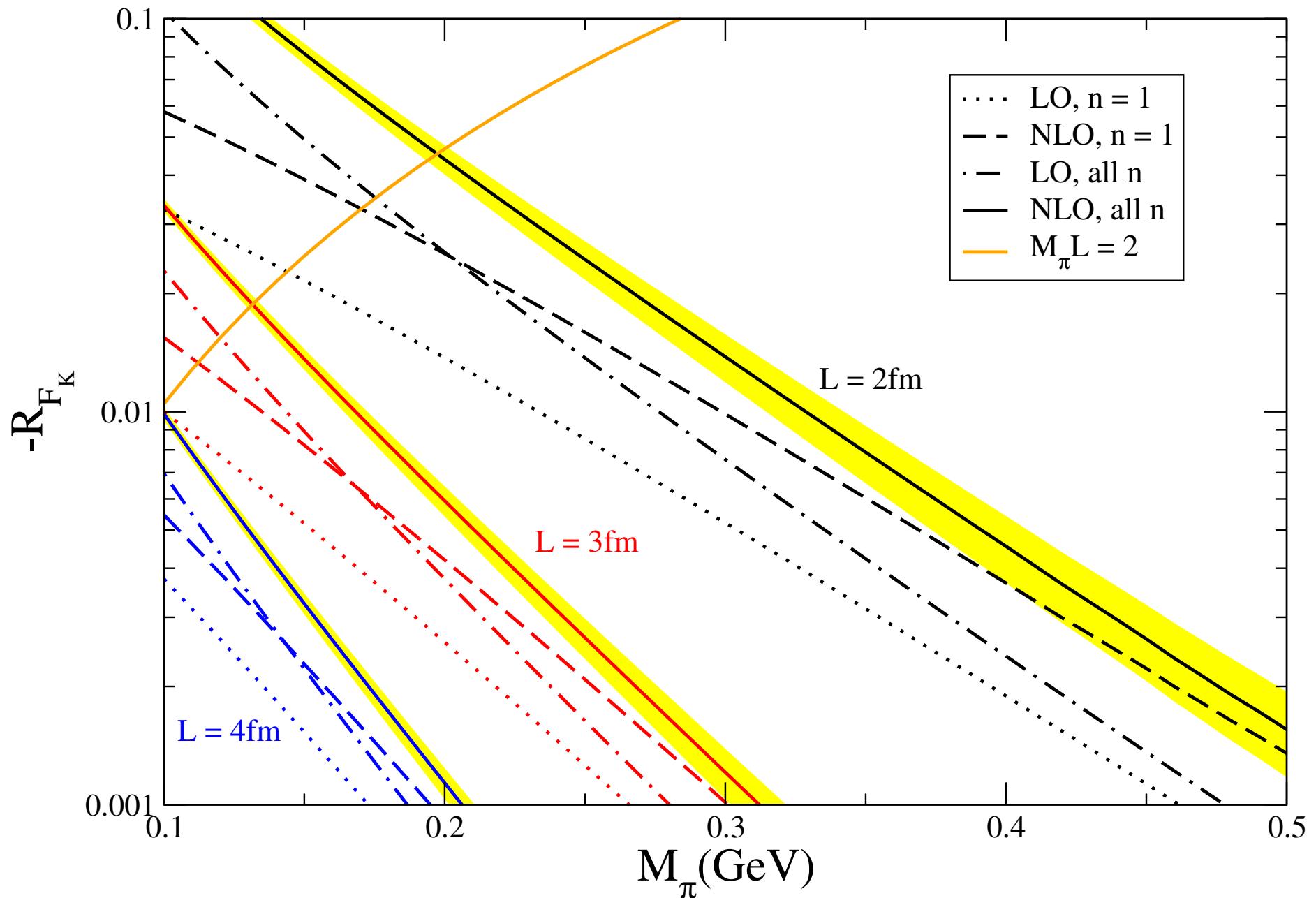
[$M_\pi(L) - M_\pi$ via Lüscher formula – continued]



Application: $F_\pi(L)/F_\pi$ to (approximate) 2-loop order



Application: $F_K(L)/F_K$ to (approximate) 2-loop order



Comment: $B_K(L)/B_K$ to (approximate and full) 1-loop order

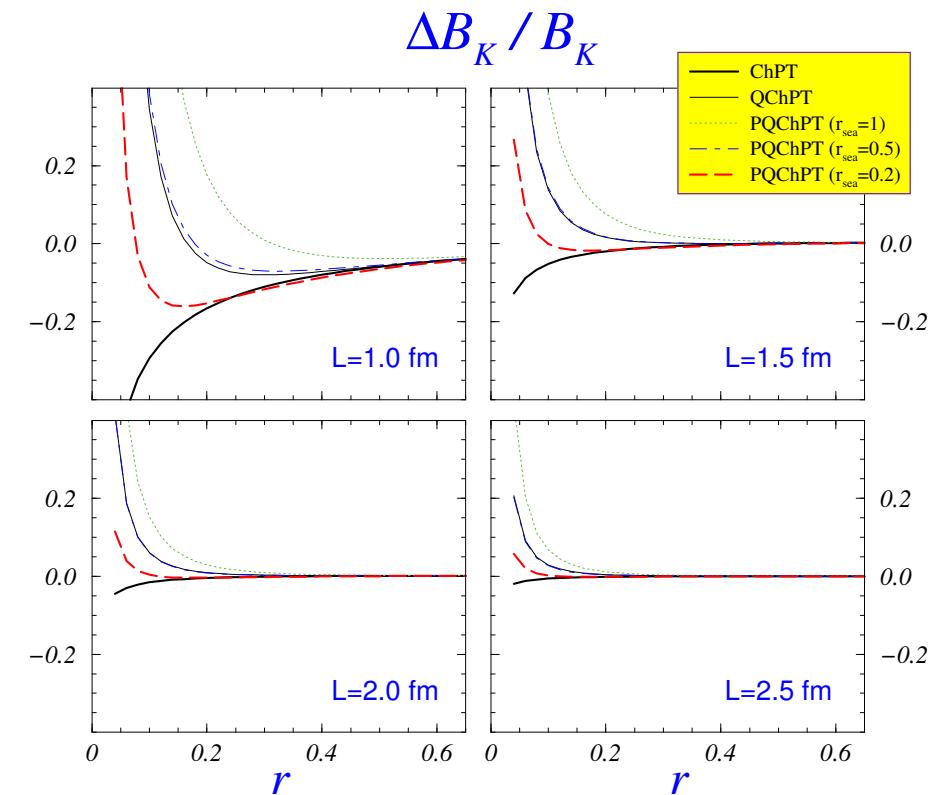
$$B_K = \frac{\langle \bar{K}^0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d | K^0 \rangle}{\frac{8}{3} \langle \bar{K}^0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d | 0 \rangle \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d | K^0 \rangle}$$

Bećirević and Villadoro give in [hep-lat/0311028](#) 1-loop expression for $F_K(L) - F_K$ and $B_K(L) - B_K$ in 3-flavor XPT with/without (partial) quenching.

$$R_{B_K}^{\text{F-QCD}} \simeq -\frac{3}{4} \frac{M_K^2 + M_\pi^2}{M_K^2} \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi} \right)^2 \frac{e^{-M_\pi L}}{(2\pi M_\pi L)^{3/2}}$$

Plots as a function of $r = m_{ud}/m_s$ indicate

- ◊ in regime where XPT applicable ($L > 1.5$ fm)
1-loop shift in F-QCD small unless $r < 0.15$
- ◊ sign of R_{B_K} in F-QCD may be different from sign in (P)Q-QCD



Comment: $M_N(L)/M_N$ to (approximate and full) 1-loop order

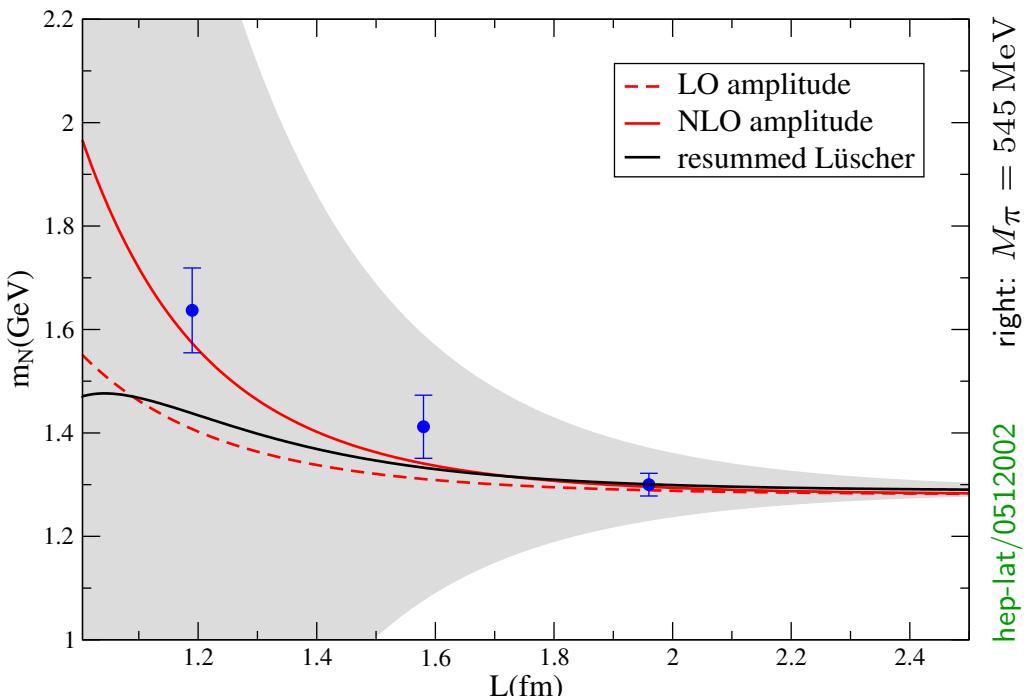
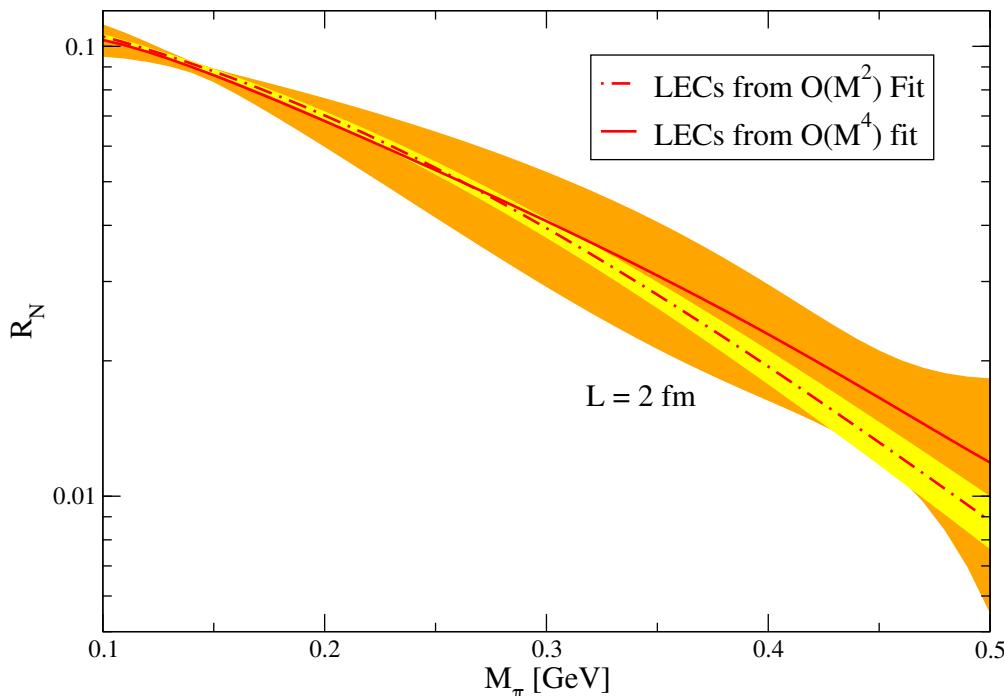
$M_N(L)/M_N$ is among the earliest applications of the Lüscher formula.

Careful treatment in AliKhan *et al.* [[hep-lat/0312030](#)], Beane [[hep-lat/0403015](#)] and Koma² [[hep-lat/0504009](#)].

Unfortunately, chiral symmetry restricts πN interactions less severely than $\pi\pi$.

$$R_N = \frac{3\epsilon_\pi^2}{4\pi^2} \sum_{n \geq 1} \frac{m(n)}{\sqrt{n}\lambda_\pi} \left[2\pi\epsilon_\pi g_{\pi N}^2 e^{-\sqrt{n(1-\epsilon_\pi^2)}\lambda_\pi} - \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\sqrt{n(1+\tilde{y}^2)}\lambda_\pi} \tilde{D}^+(\tilde{y}) d\tilde{y} \right]$$

with $\lambda_\pi = M_\pi L$, $\epsilon_\pi = \frac{M_\pi}{2M_N}$ and $\tilde{D}^+(y) = M_N D^+(\mathrm{i}M_\pi y, 0)$.



Summary

- XPT is the proper framework to calculate finite-volume corrections in (full) QCD
- Need $M_\pi \ll 4\pi F_\pi$ and $L \gg (2F_\pi)^{-1} = 1 \text{ fm}$ to apply, formulas for p -regime [$M_\pi L \gg 1$]
- Whenever results matters [i.e. $R > 3\%$] a 1-loop calculation seems insufficient
- Lüscher formula highly economic [input: XPT in $V = \infty$, output: +1 loop]
- Test at 2-loop level indicates that resummed version extremely accurate
- Use tables in [CDH=hep-lat/0503014](#) to correct $M_\pi(L) \rightarrow M_\pi$ and $F_\pi(L) \rightarrow F_\pi$