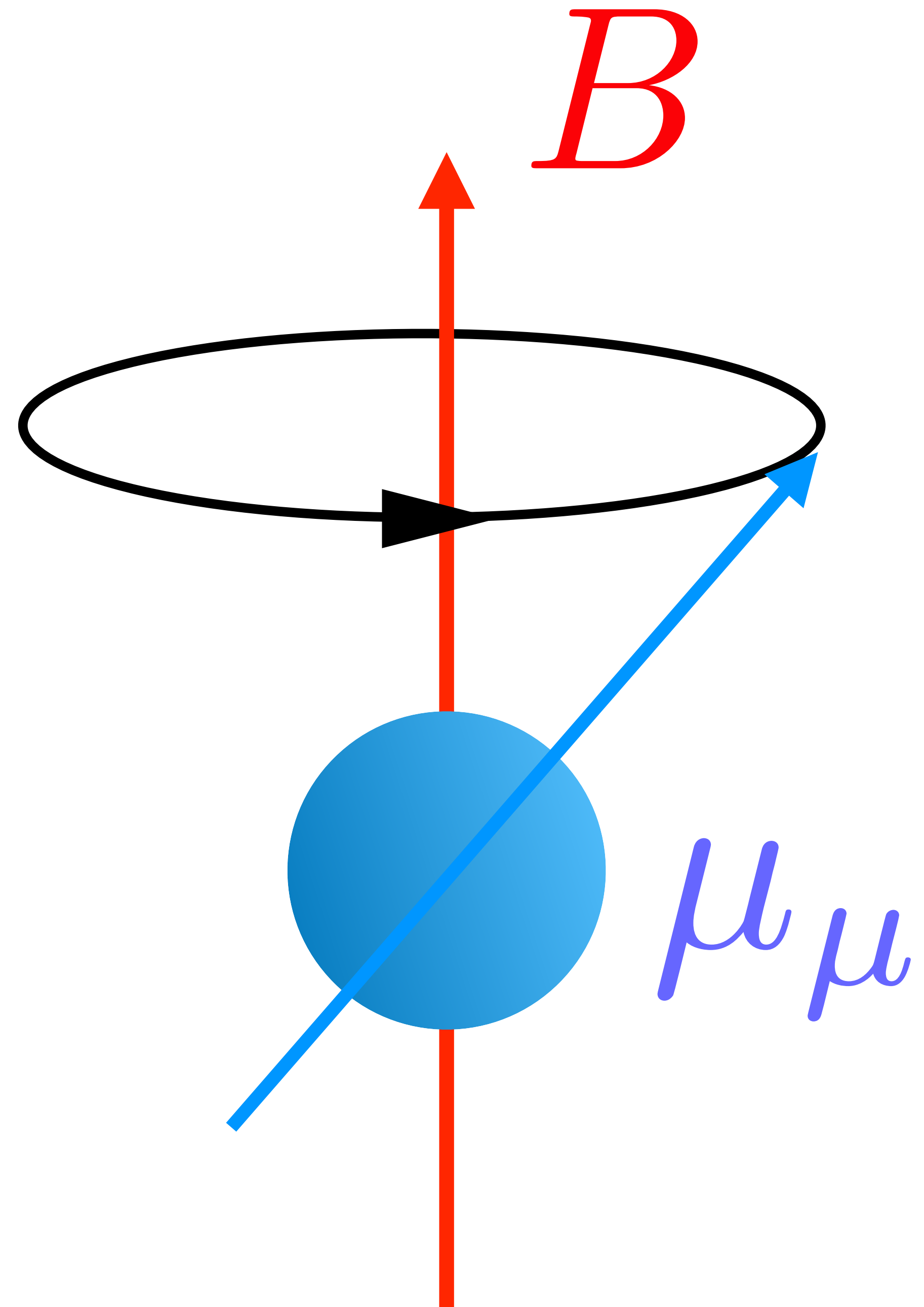


Muon $g-2$

Christine Davies

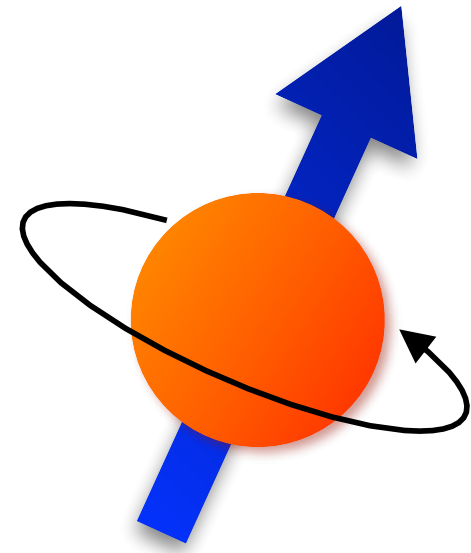
University of Glasgow

Lepagefest, Cornell, October 2024



Muon magnetic moment

$$\vec{\mu}_\mu = g_\mu \left(\frac{e}{2m_\mu} \right) \vec{S}$$



Anomalous magnetic moment

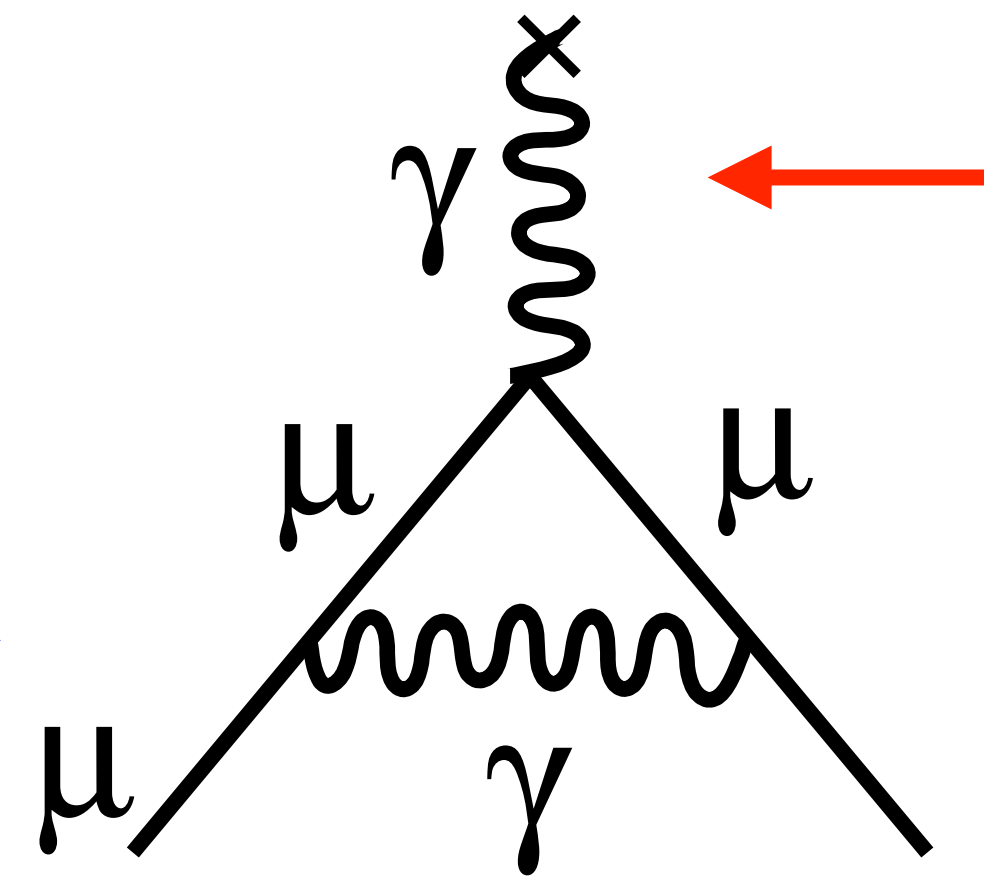
$$a_\mu = \frac{g_\mu - 2}{2}$$

Leading, $O(\alpha)$, contribn is

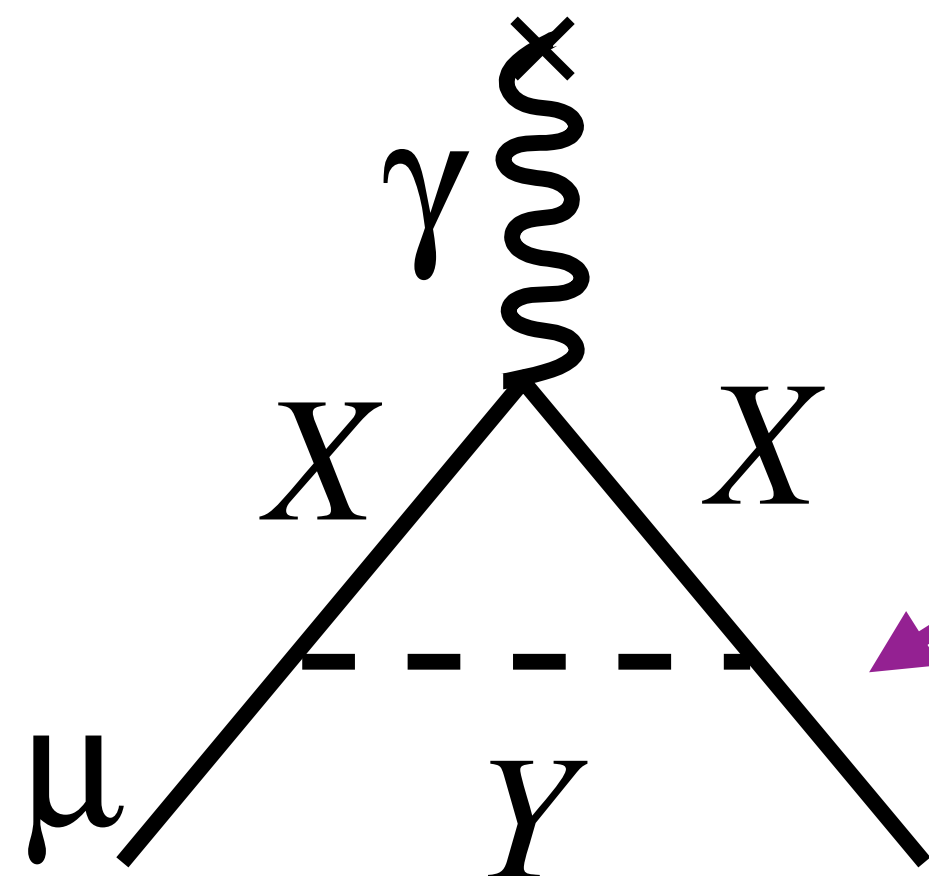
Schwinger 1948

$$\frac{\alpha}{2\pi} = 0.00116 \dots$$

+ many higher order pieces



B field

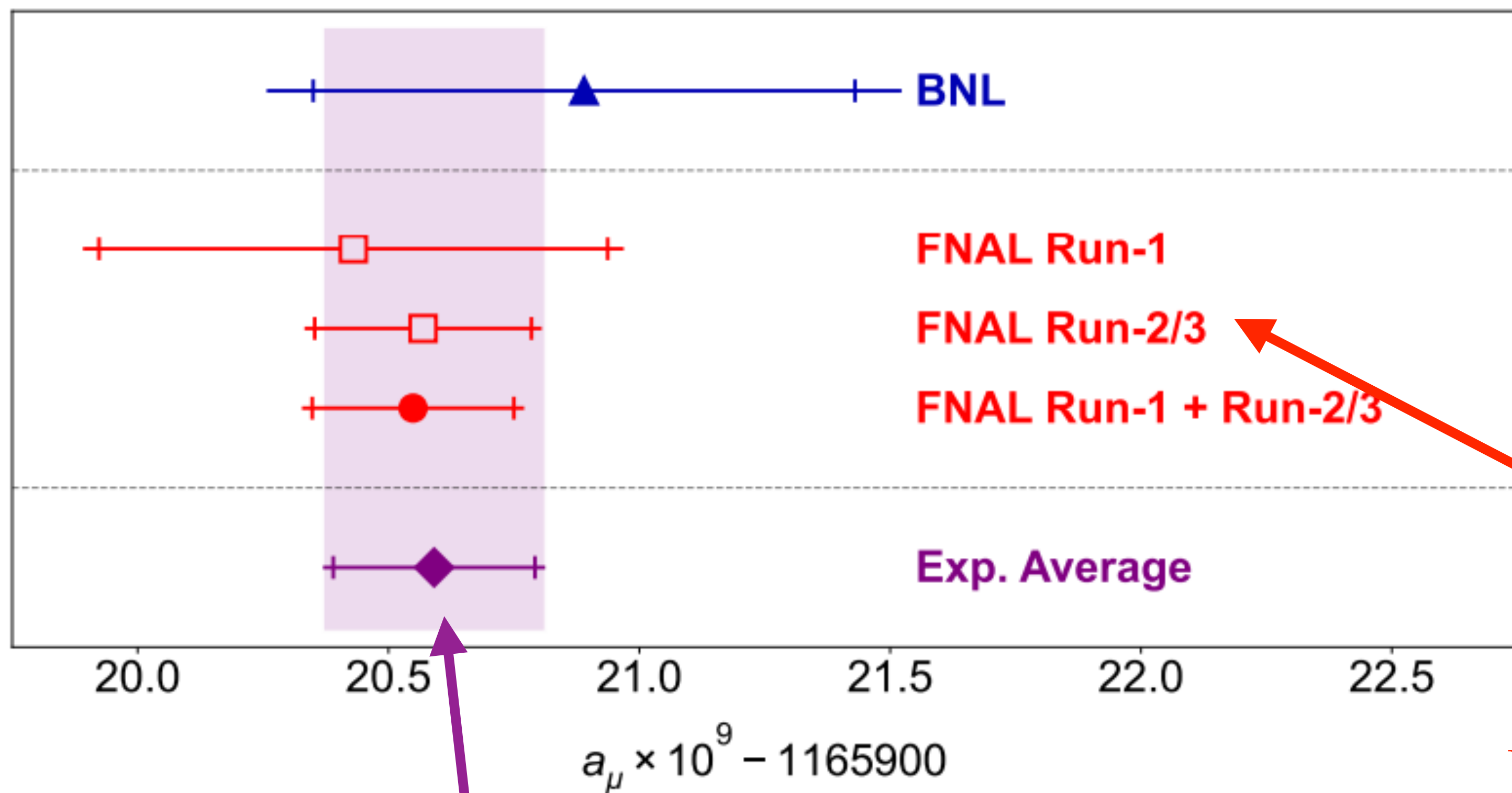


New physics would give SM/expt discrepancy

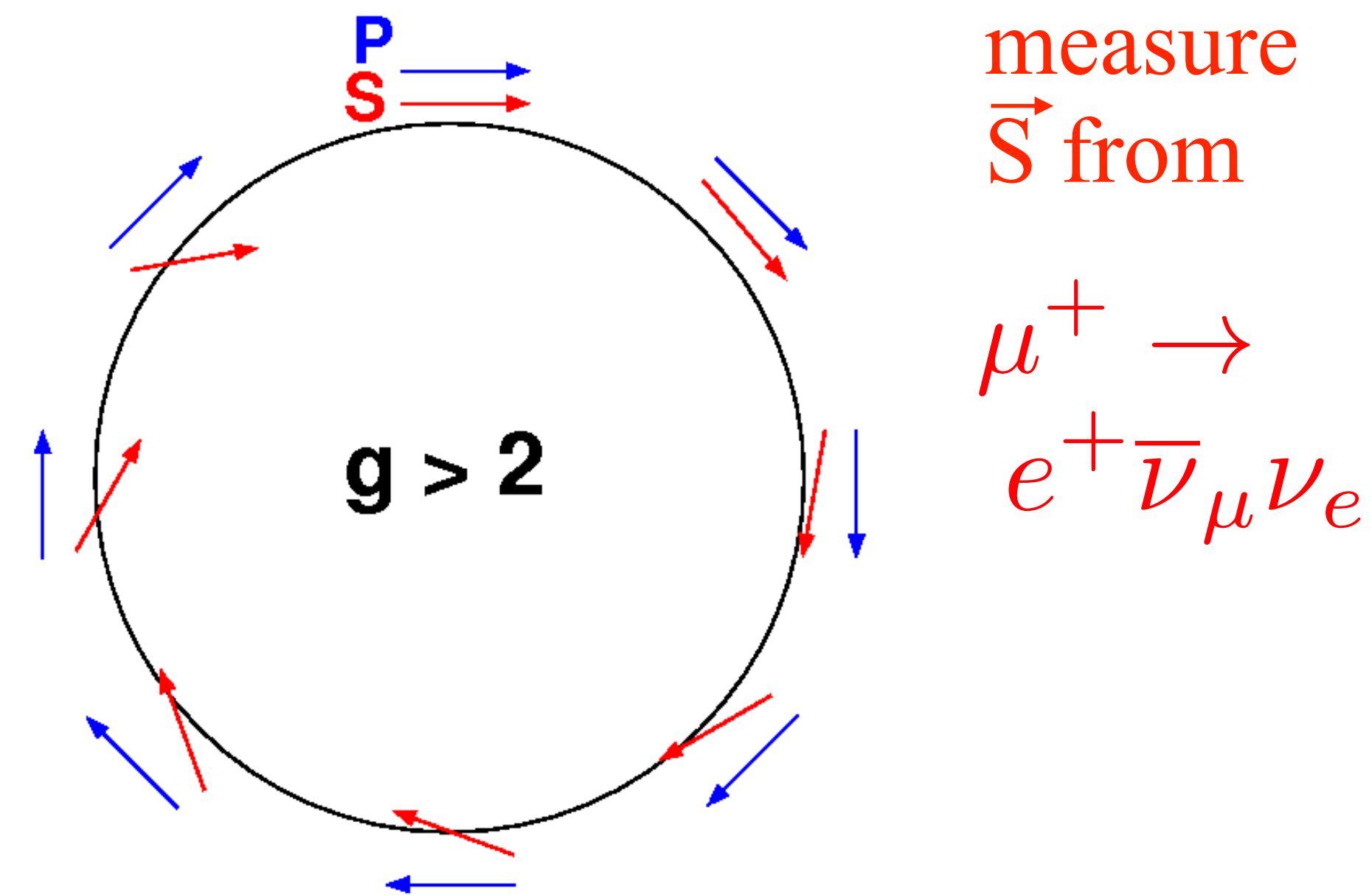
$$\delta a_l^{\text{new heavy physics}} \propto \frac{m_l^2}{M_X^2}$$

motivates study of μ rather than e.

(Anti-)Muon g-2 experiment @ Fermilab



$$a_\mu(\text{expt}) = 11659205.9(2.2) \times 10^{-10}$$



New result - August 2023 :
arXiv:2308.06230

Final result, inc. runs 4, 5 & 6, mid-2025. Further factor of 3 in stats: reduce total uncertainty to $\sim 1.6 \times 10^{-10}$.

J-PARC@KEK, muon g-2 and EDM using compact magnetic ring, low momentum μ^+
Data-taking to start in 2028 - 2 years running to get BNL uncertainties.

Muonium (μ^+e^-) spectroscopy from MUSEUM@KEK can also determine μ_μ 2106.11998 3

Comparison to the Standard Model

Current status $10^{10} a_\mu = 11659205.9(2.2)$ ← Experiment - Muon g-2@FNAL PRL131:161802 (2023)

$10^{10} a_\mu = 11659181.0(4.3)$ ← Theory white paper: Phys. Rep. 887:1 (2020)

Difference = $24.9(4.8) \times 10^{-10}$

5σ ! NO! QCD contributions need more work

Theory white paper: Phys. Rep. 887:1 (2020)

10^{10} x contribution:

QED: 11658471.8931(104)

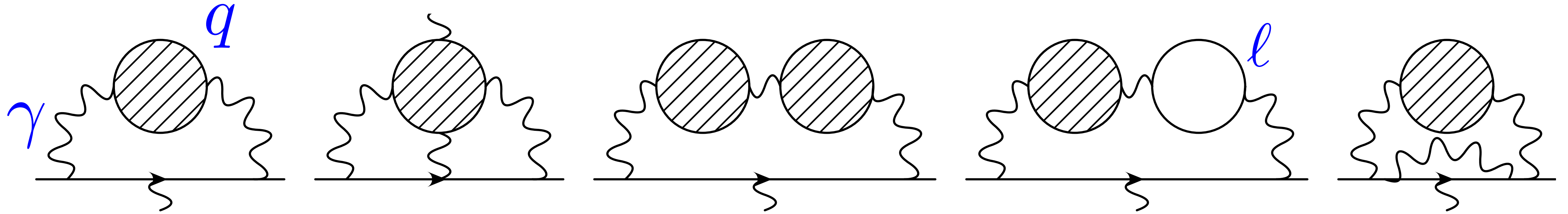
EW: 15.36(10)

QCD: 693.7(4.3)

Uncertainty in SM a_μ almost entirely from QCD.

Lattice QCD is important here

QCD contributions



Leading-order (α^2) hadronic vacuum polarisation, LOHVP

Hadronic light-by-light, HLbL (α^3)

Higher order HVP

LO HVP

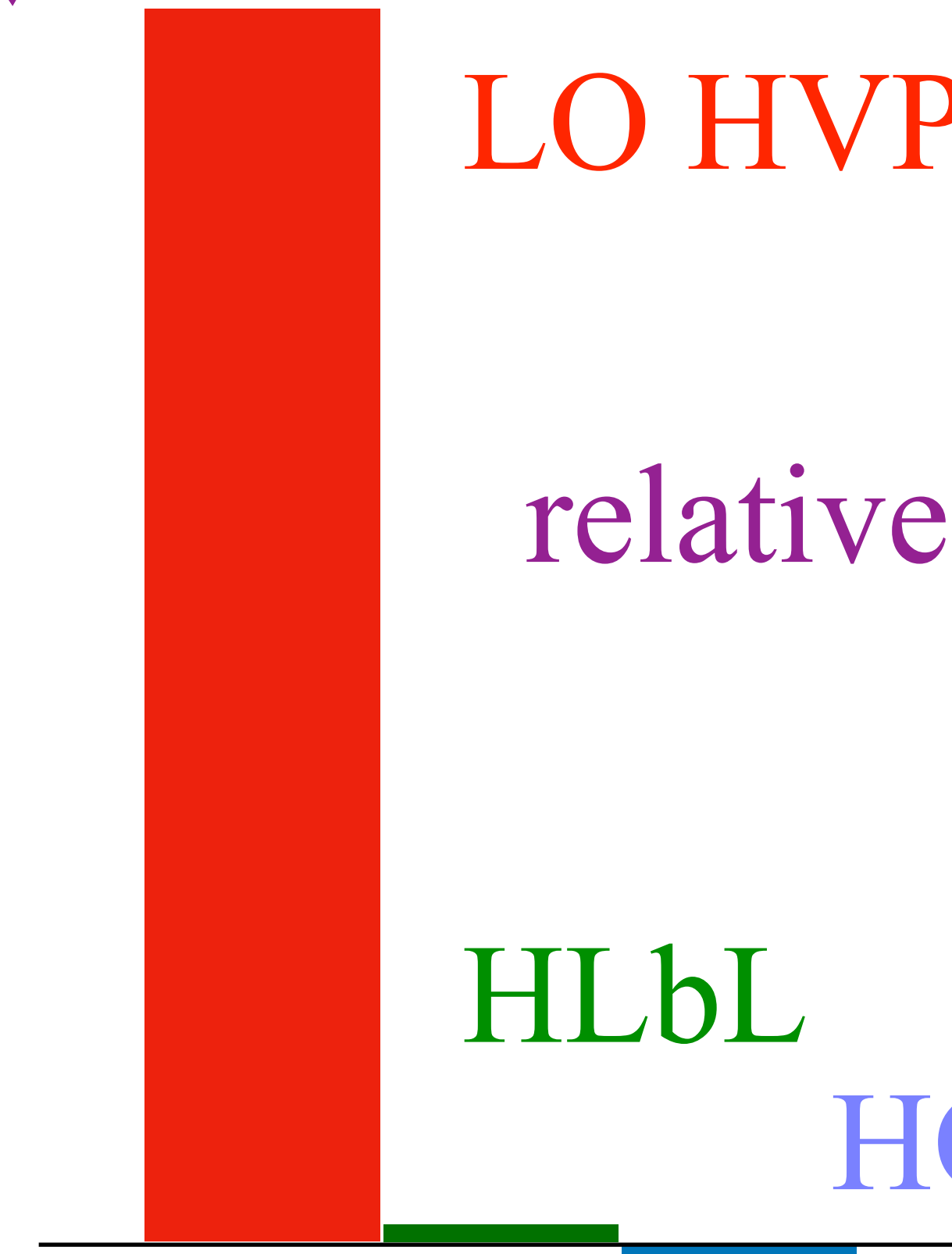
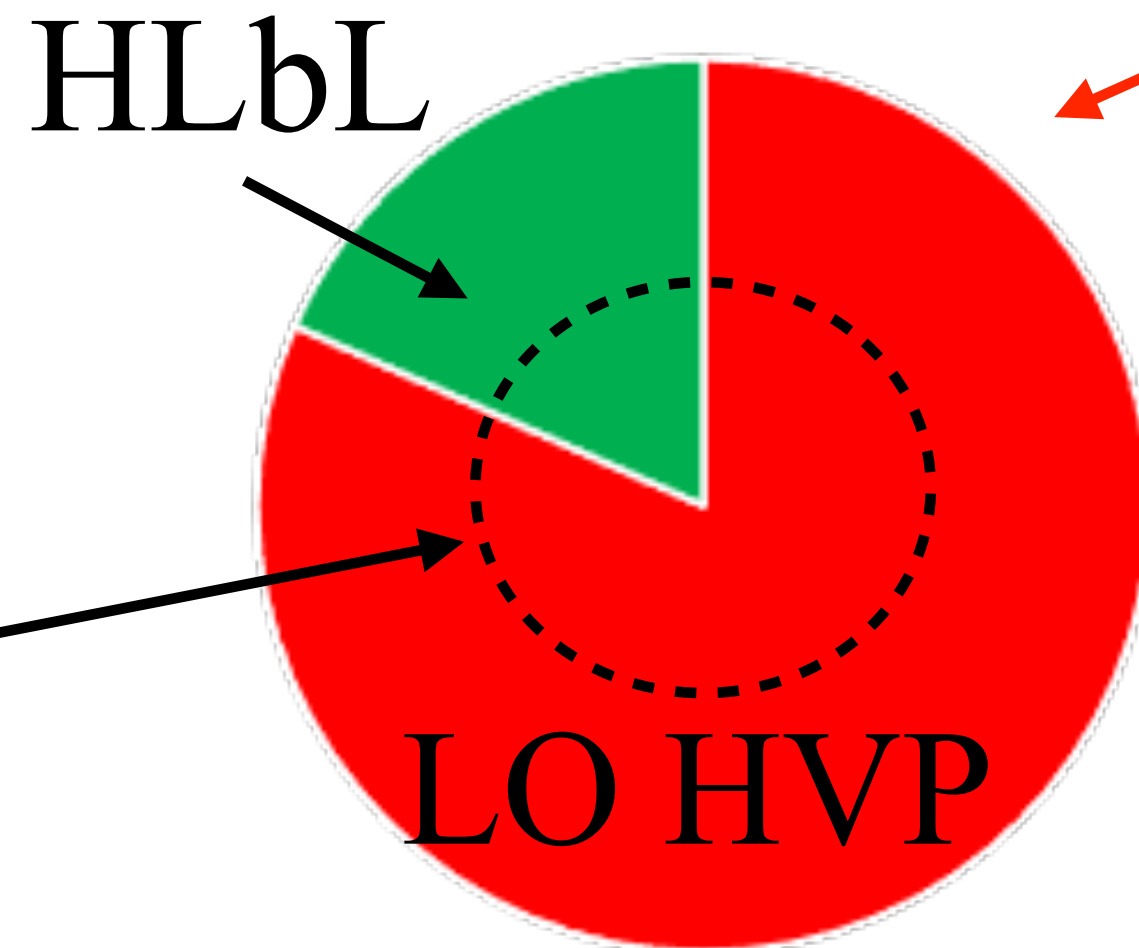
relative size

relative variance in WP20

HLbL

HOHVP

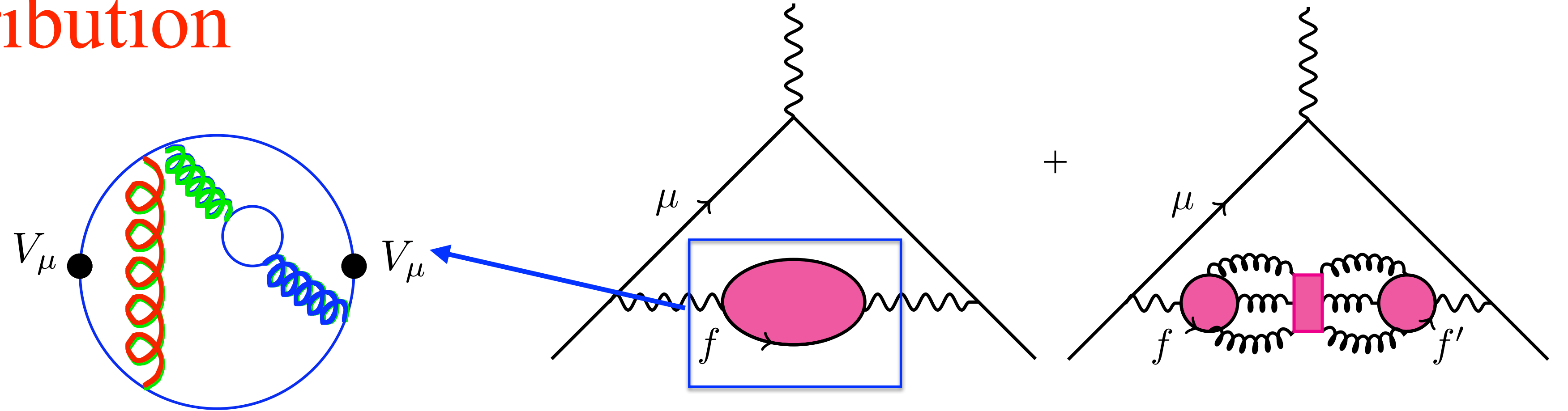
expt 2024



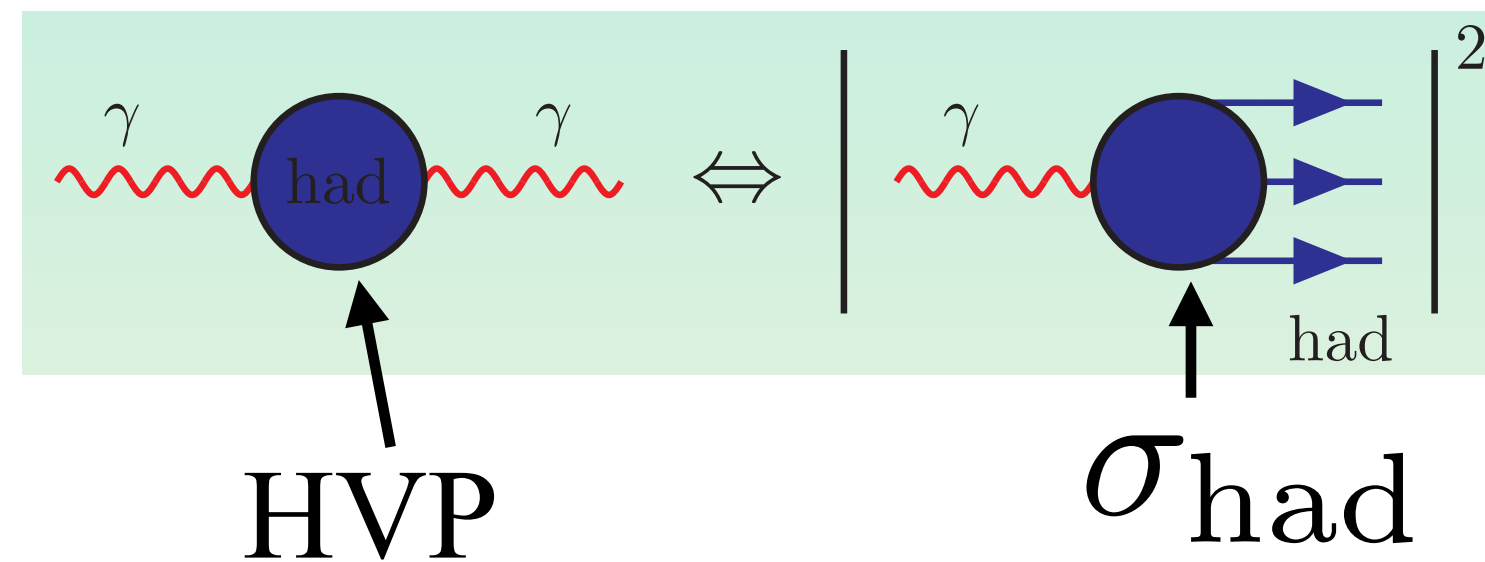
The LOHVP contribution

Key ingredient is quark bubble connected to a photon at either side

$$V_\mu = e_f \bar{\psi}_f \gamma_\mu \psi_f$$



'Data-driven' method



Relate HVP to $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$ and input experimental data.

WP20 HVP number uses this since has been most accurate.

See Keshavarzi, Lat2023 talk, for details of this method

Lattice QCD

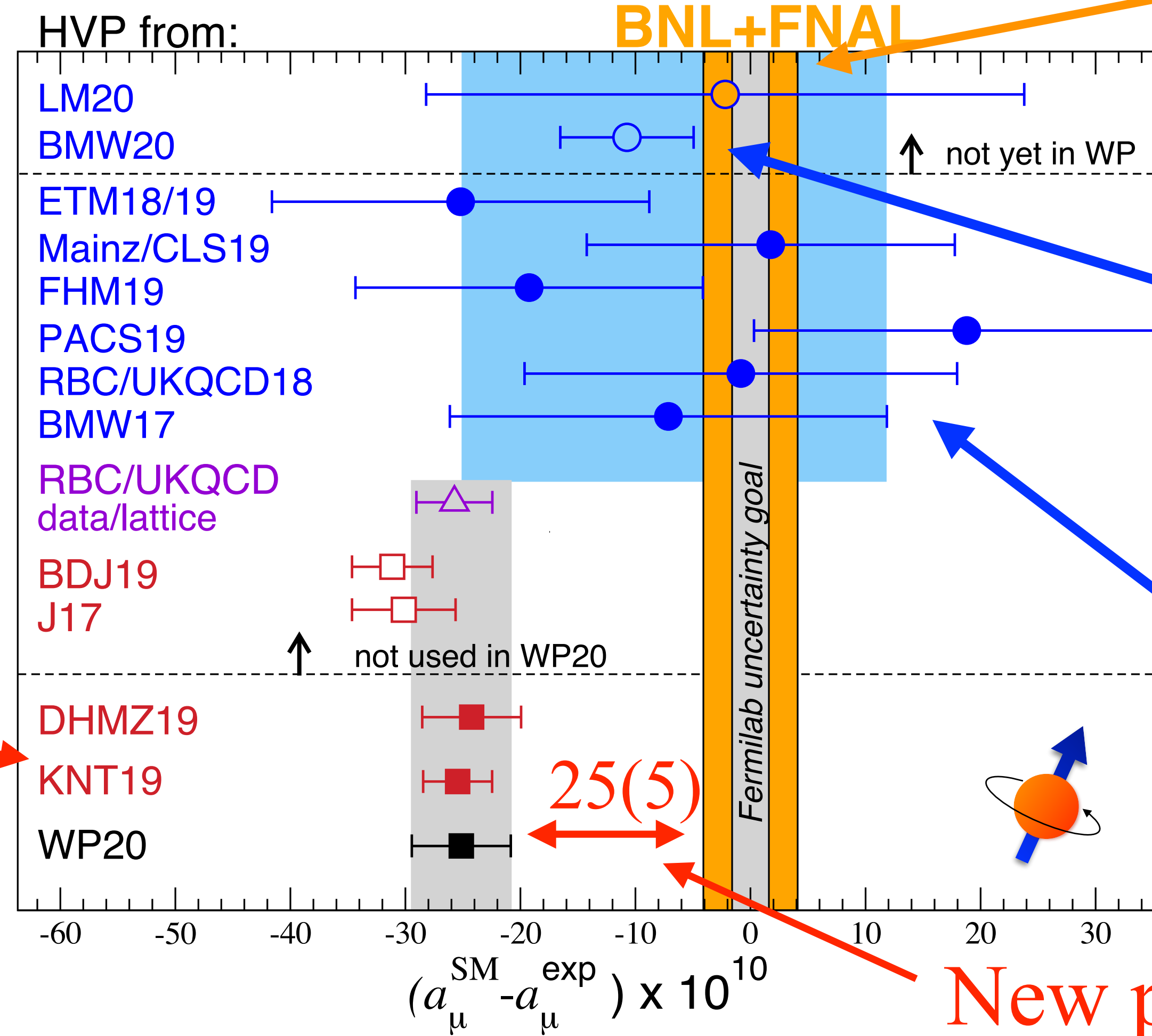
Direct computation of the vector-vector correlation function for u, d, s and c quarks in Lattice QCD.

Need connected + disconnected correlators + QED + isospin-breaking corrections.

Impact of LOHVP on SM-experiment comparison for a_μ

Snowmass,
2203.15810
BMW20,
2002.12347

Data-driven results
for WP20 - 0.6%
uncertainty



Expt uncertainty now
halved - 2308.06230

BMW20 first
complete lattice calc.
0.8% uncertainty. 2σ
above data-driven.

Other lattice results -
2% uncertainty

New physics?
size $\sim 4\%$ of LOHVP

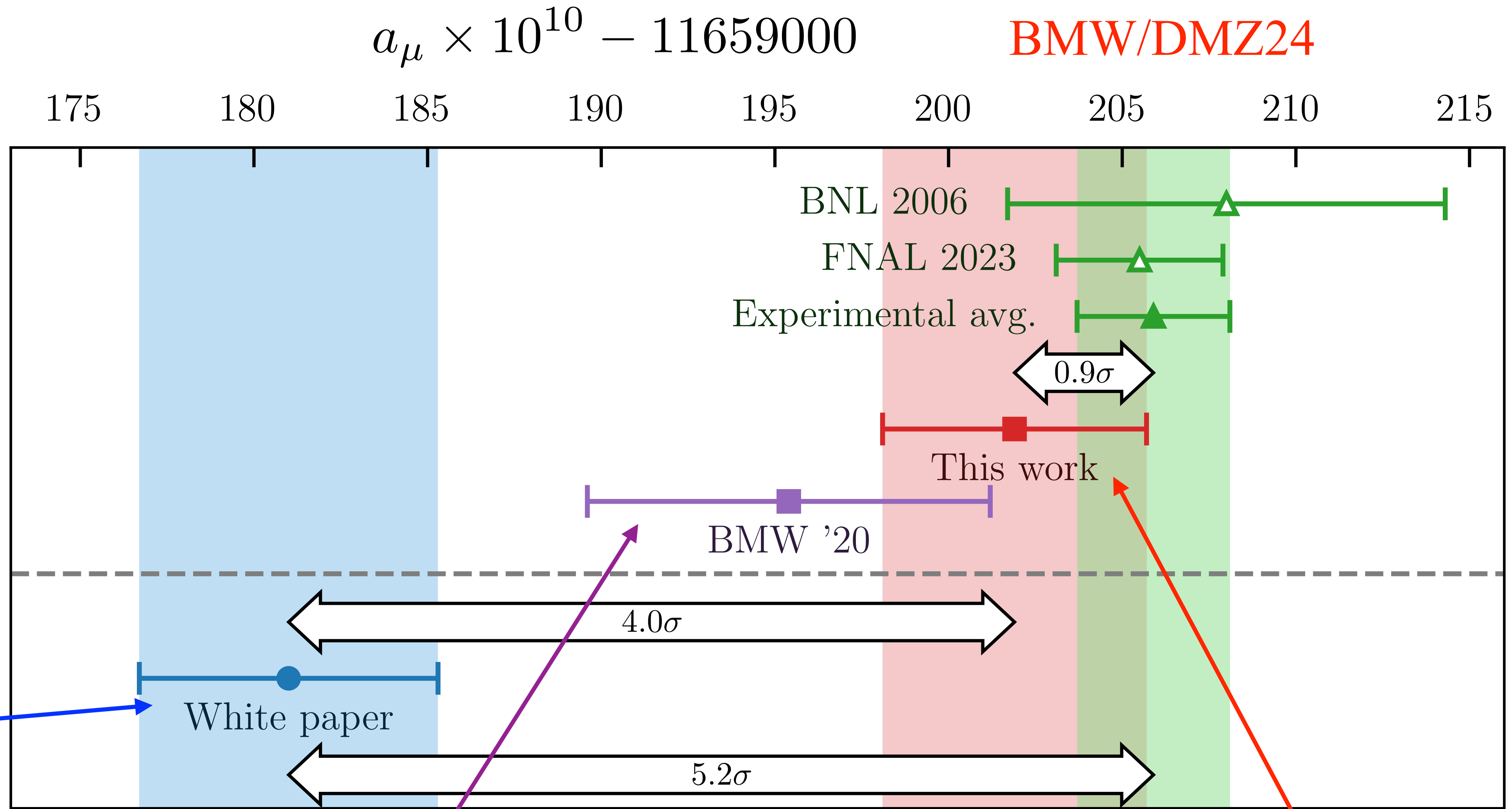
BUT: do data-driven and lattice QCD HVP agree?

CRITICAL to conclusion on new physics evidence

2024 update

BMW/DMZ24,
2407.10913
adds 0.048fm
ensemble,
reduces finite
L/T error. Uses
data-driven for
large-t tail.
Blinded
analysis.

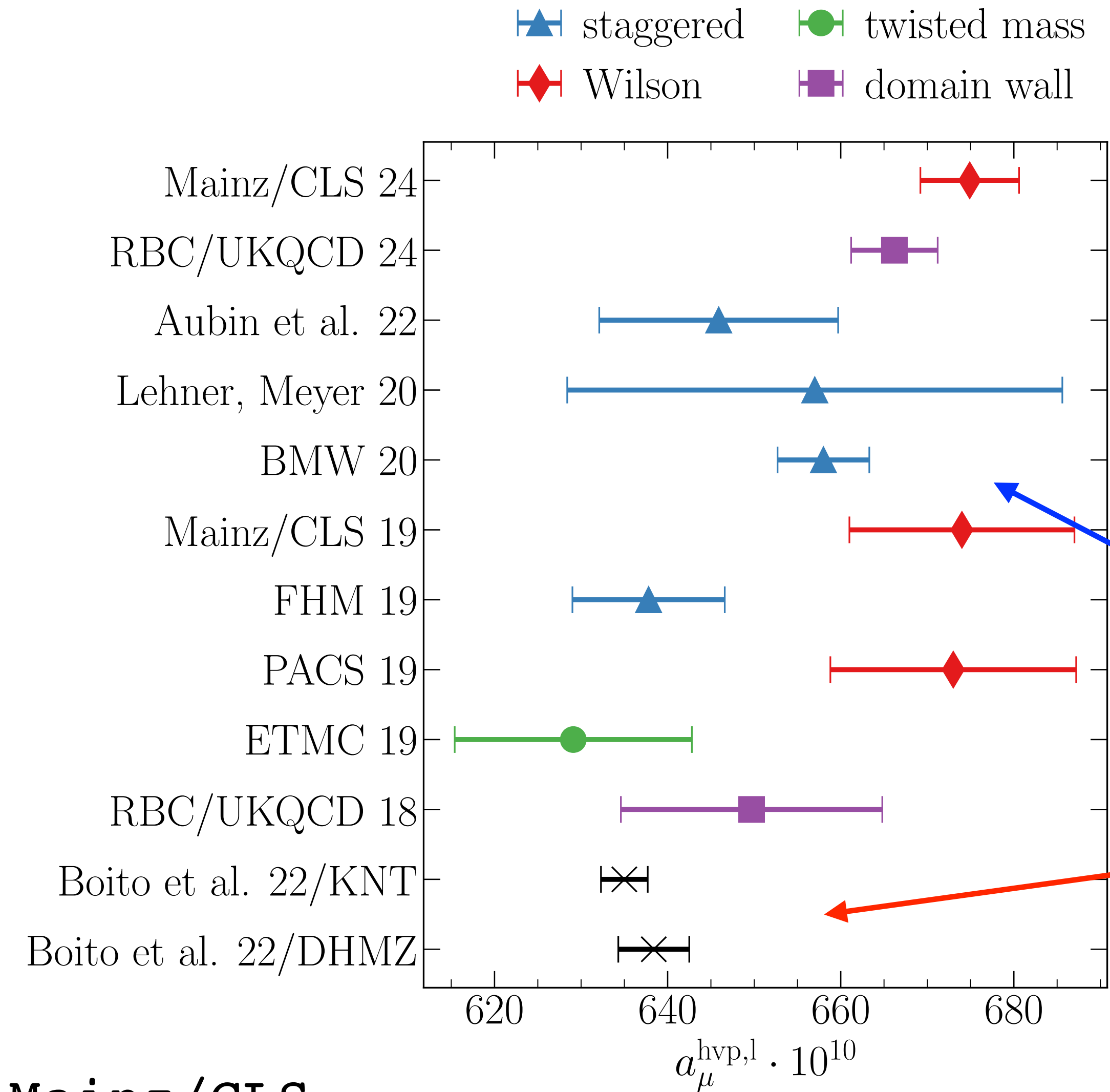
WP20 data-
driven:
693.1(4.0)



8 BMW20: $10^{10} a_\mu^{\text{LOHVP}} = 707.5(5.5)$

BMW/DMZ24: $10^{10} a_\mu^{\text{LOHVP}} = 714.1(3.3)$

2024 update



RBC/UKQCD and Mainz/CLS updates of light-quark connected LOHVP from blinded analyses

$$a_\mu^{\text{LOHVP}, \text{lqc}} = 666.2(5.0) \times 10^{-10}$$

RBC/UKQCD,
Lehner, LAT24

0.75% uncertainty

Agree with BMW20

5.4 σ higher than BBGKMP result based on KNT19

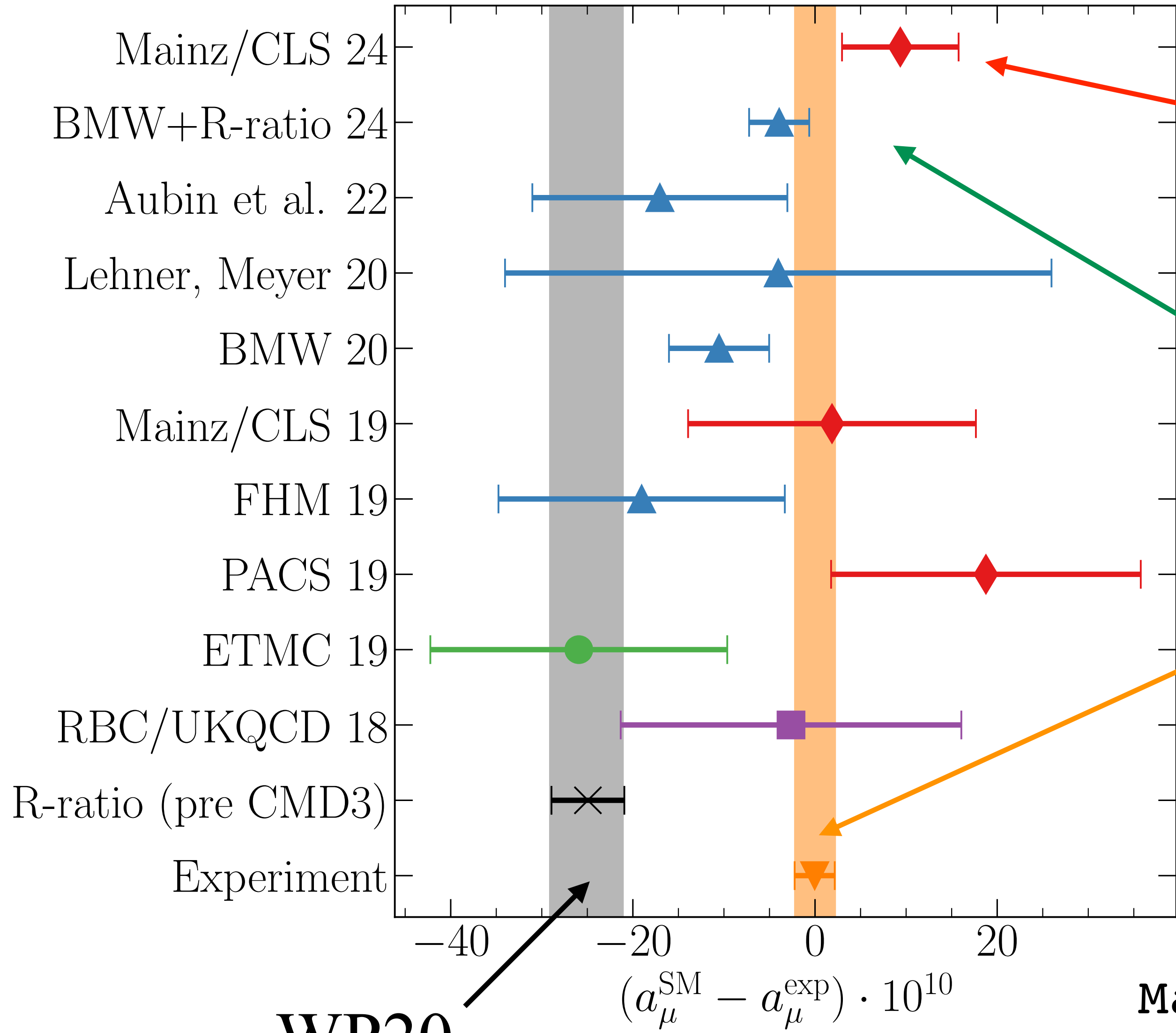
Consistent picture to that from BMW/DMZ24

Mainz/CLS,
Kuberski, KEK,
Sept24

2024 update

▲ staggered ● twisted mass
◆ Wilson ■ domain wall

$a_\mu^{\text{hvp,LO}}$ from:



Mainz/CLS preliminary update of full HVP (includes estimate of isospin-breaking corrections)

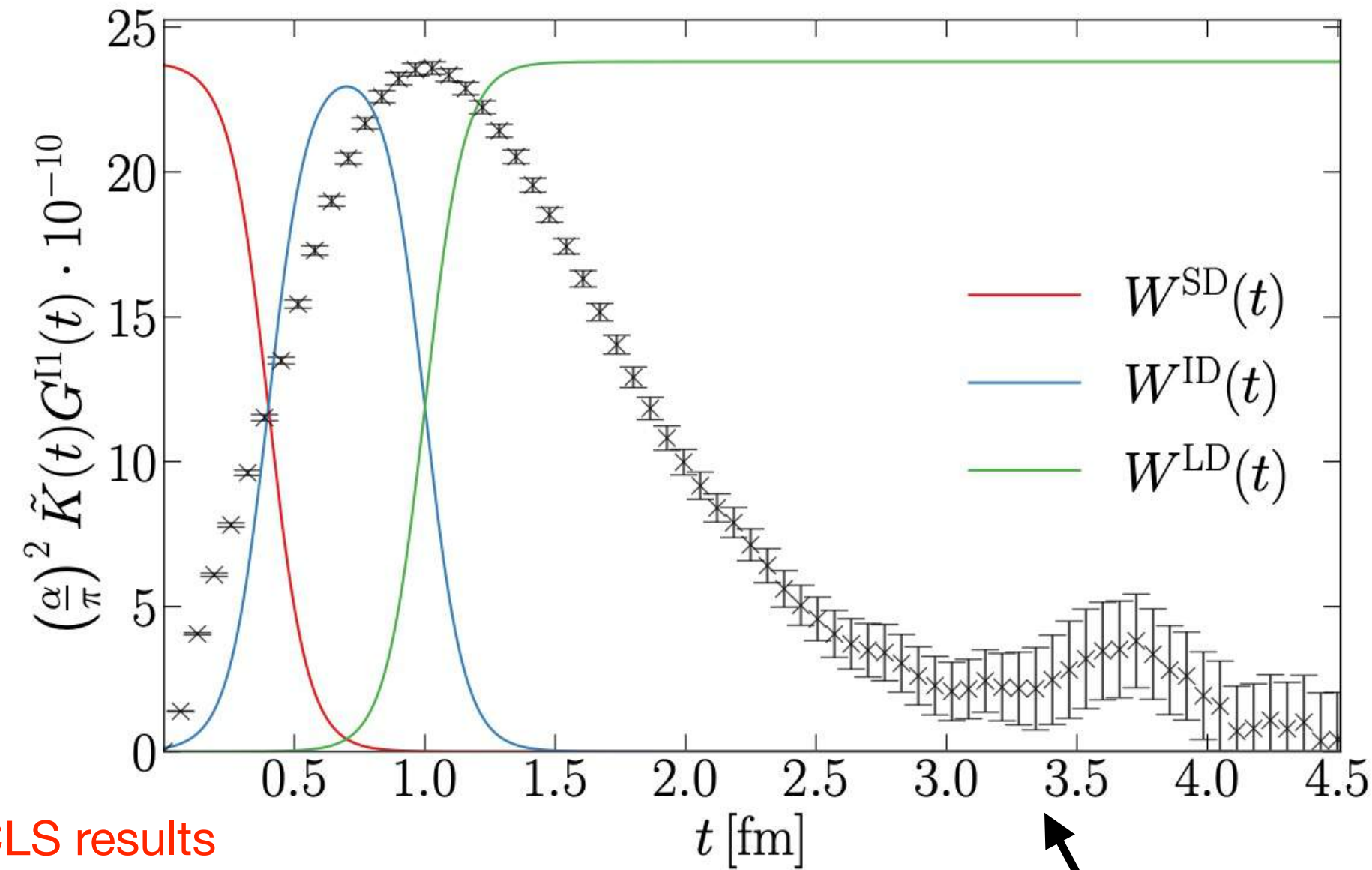
Agrees with BMW/DMZ24

Supports scenario in which SM agrees with experiment for muon $g-2$ i.e. no significant sign of new physics

WP20

Mainz/CLS, Kuberski, KEK, Sept24

Lattice HVP

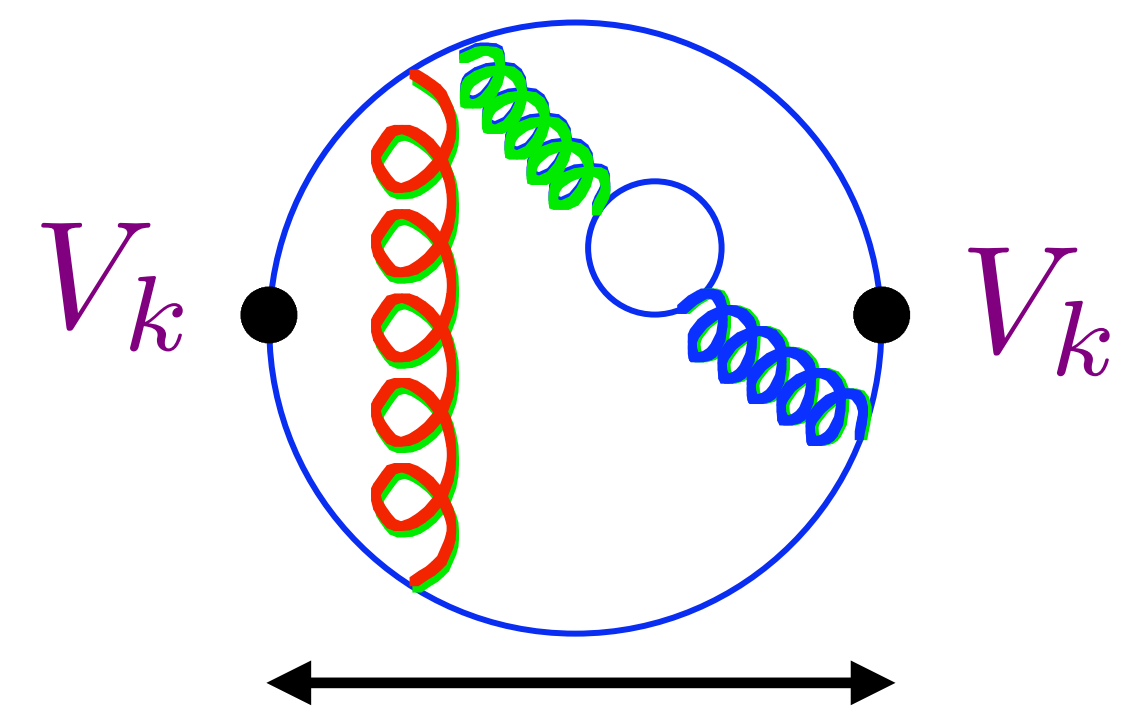


CLS results

$$a_\mu^{\text{LOHVP}} = \left(\frac{\alpha}{\pi}\right)^2 \int_0^\infty dt G(t) \tilde{K}(t)$$

Key contribution is light connected.
 Key issue is growth of stat. noise at large t values.
 Other issues: FV corn., systs. from IB and disc., scale setting

See S.Kuberski, POSLAT2023, 125

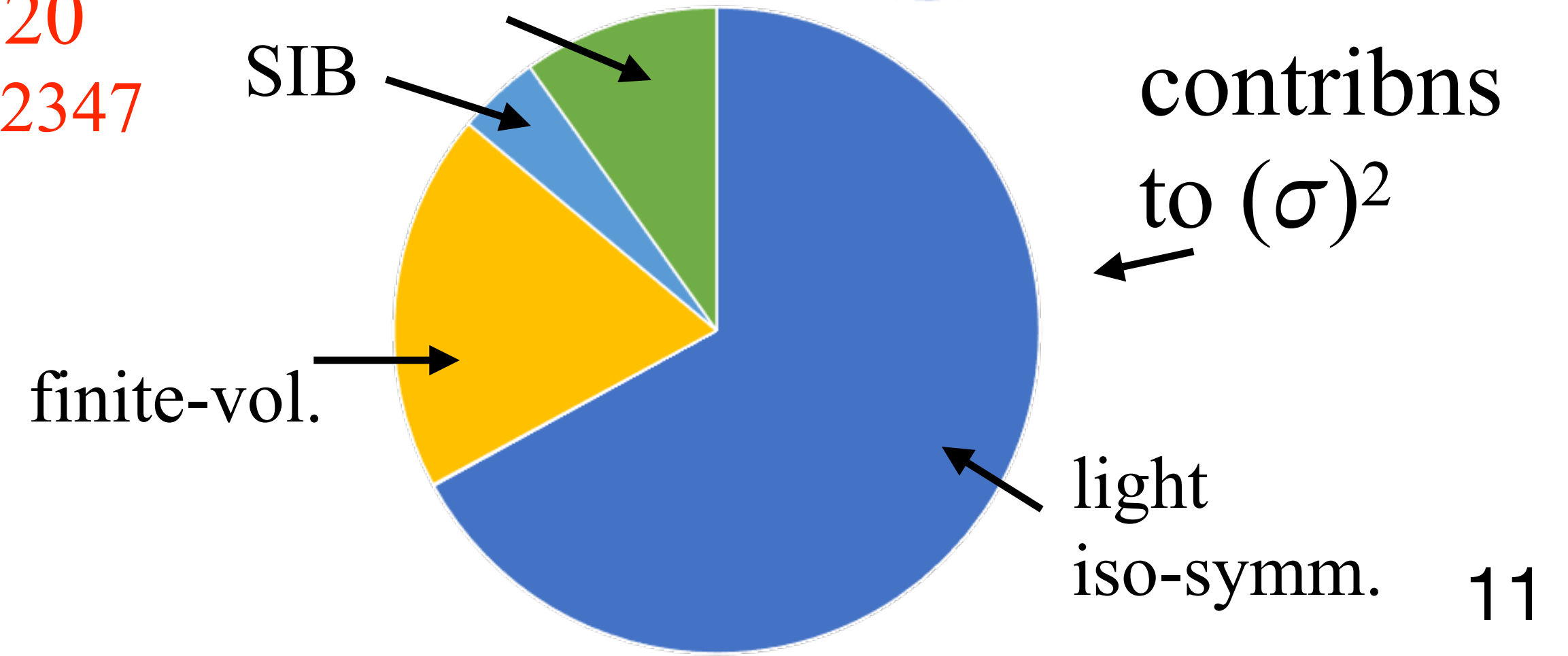
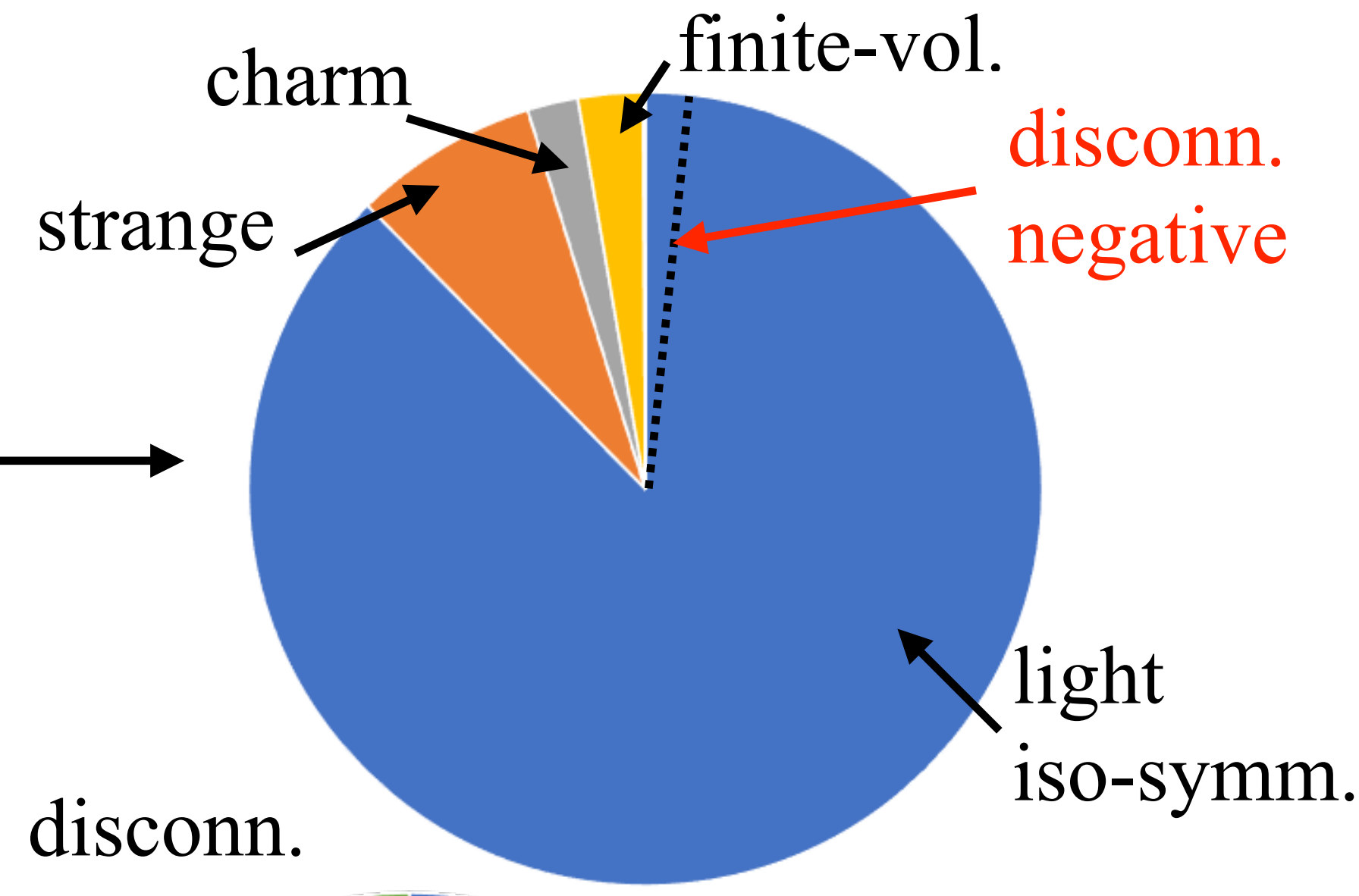


$$V_k^{\text{em}} = \sum_f e_f \bar{\psi}_f \gamma_k \psi_f$$

Simple zero-momentum vector-vector 2-point correlator for each flavour (+ the disconnected case).

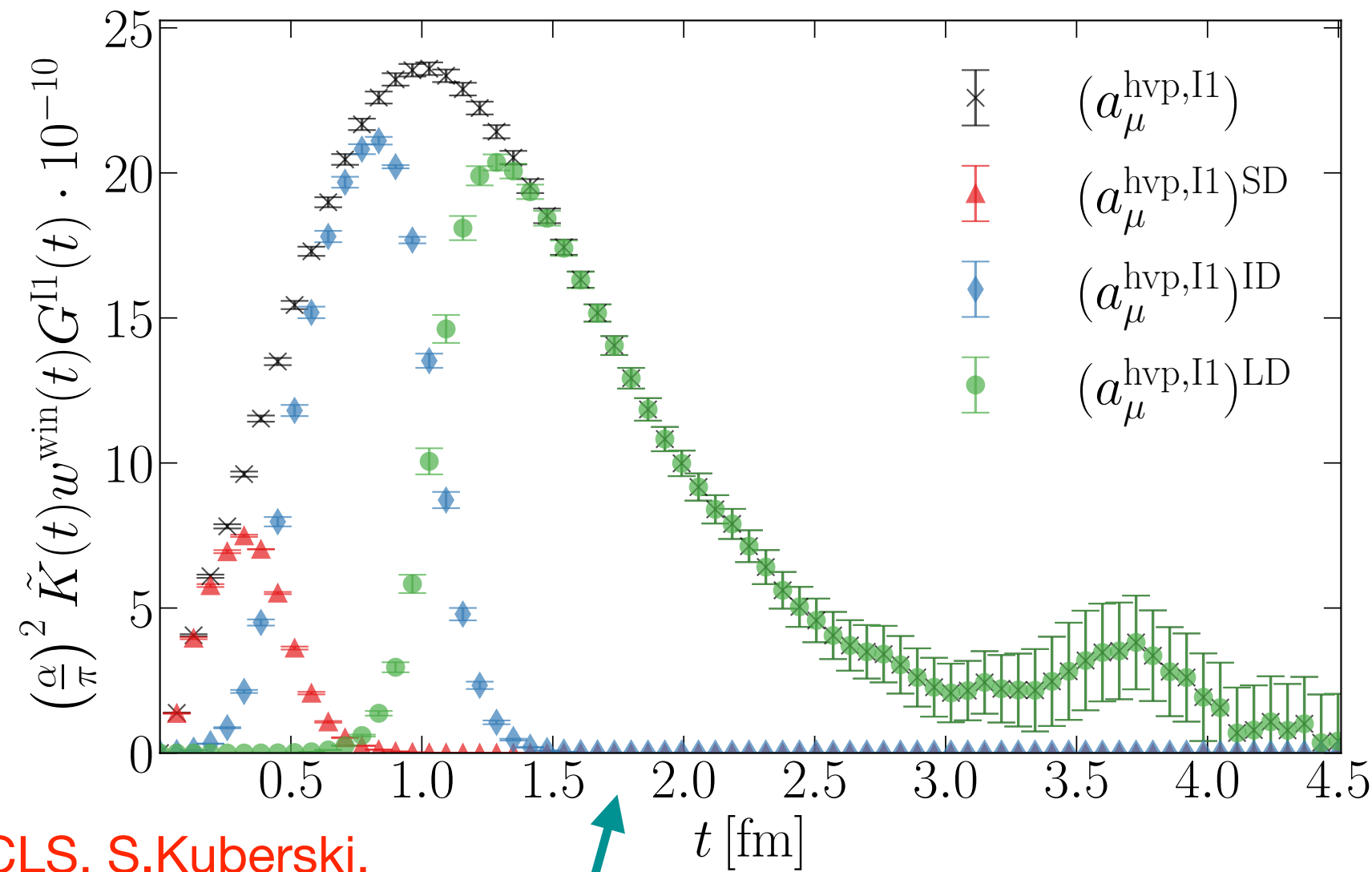
contributions to LOHVP

from BMW20 2002.12347



Lattice HVP - 'window' observables

$$\theta(t, t_1, \Delta t) = \frac{1}{2} \left[1 - \tanh\left(\frac{t - t_1}{\Delta t}\right) \right]$$



CLS, S.Kuberski,
 POSLAT2023, 125

Short-distance (SD), intermediate distance (ID) and long-distance (LD)

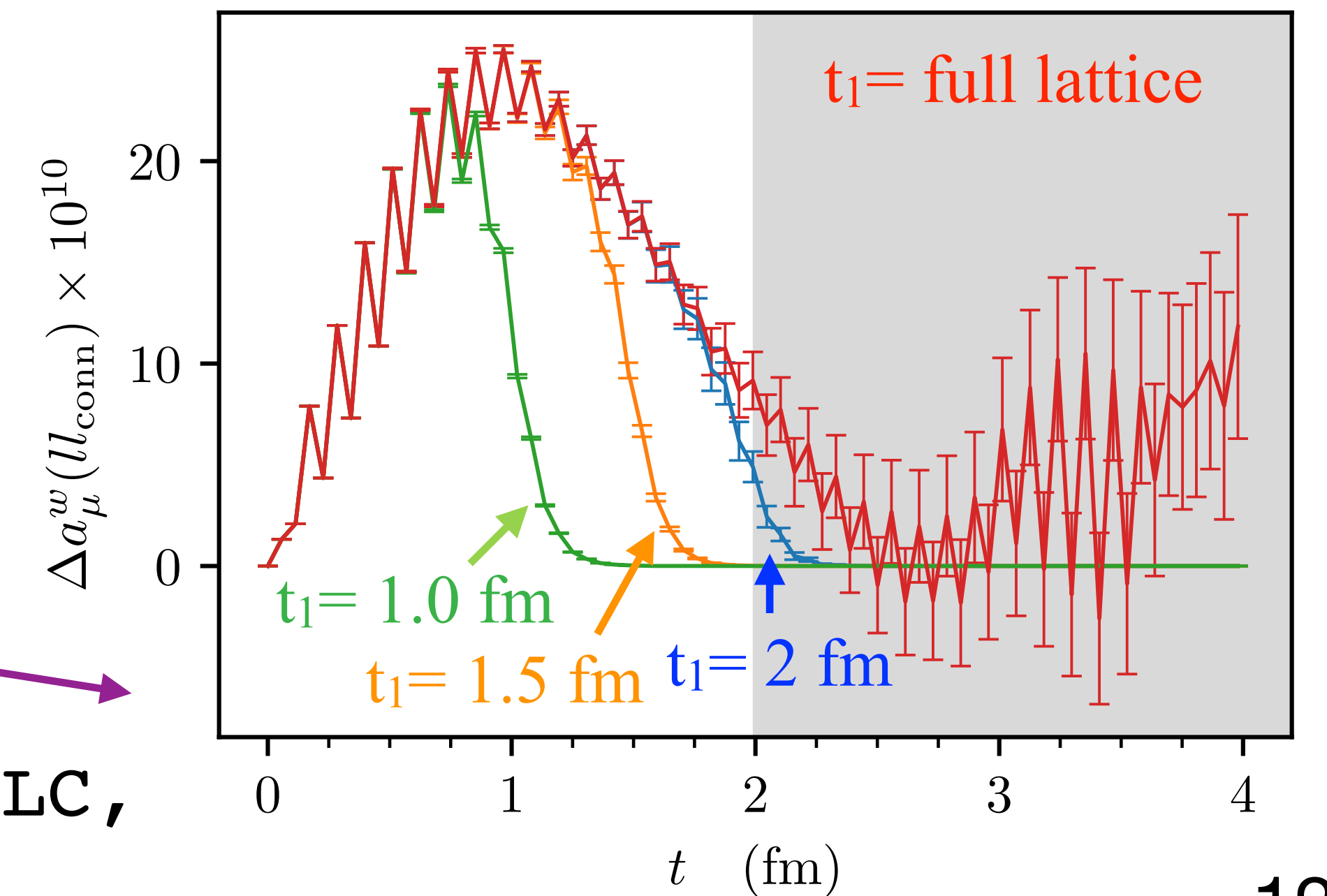
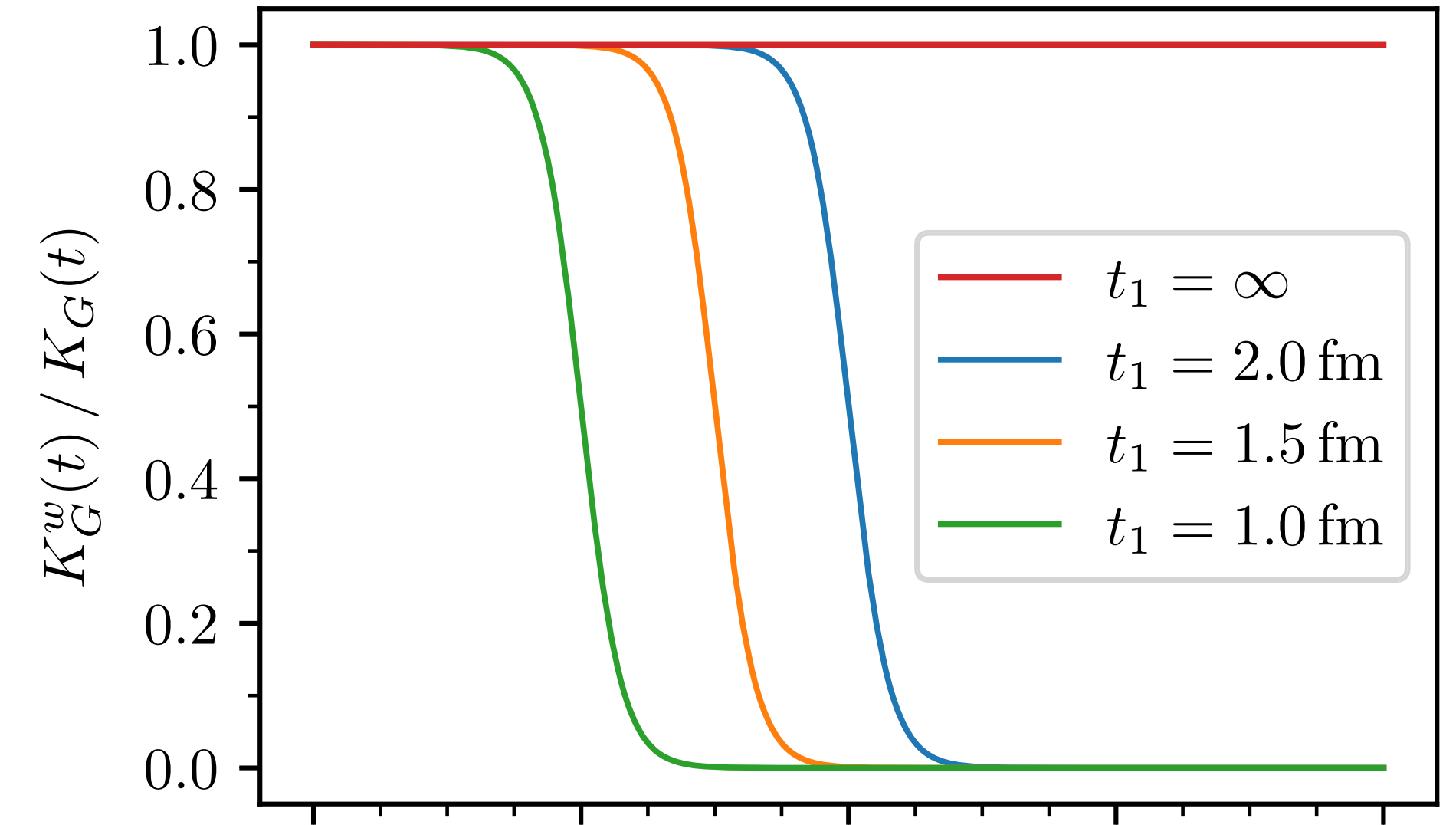
Bernecker+Meyer, 1107.4388;
 RBC/UKQCD, 1801.07224

Other windows are available ...

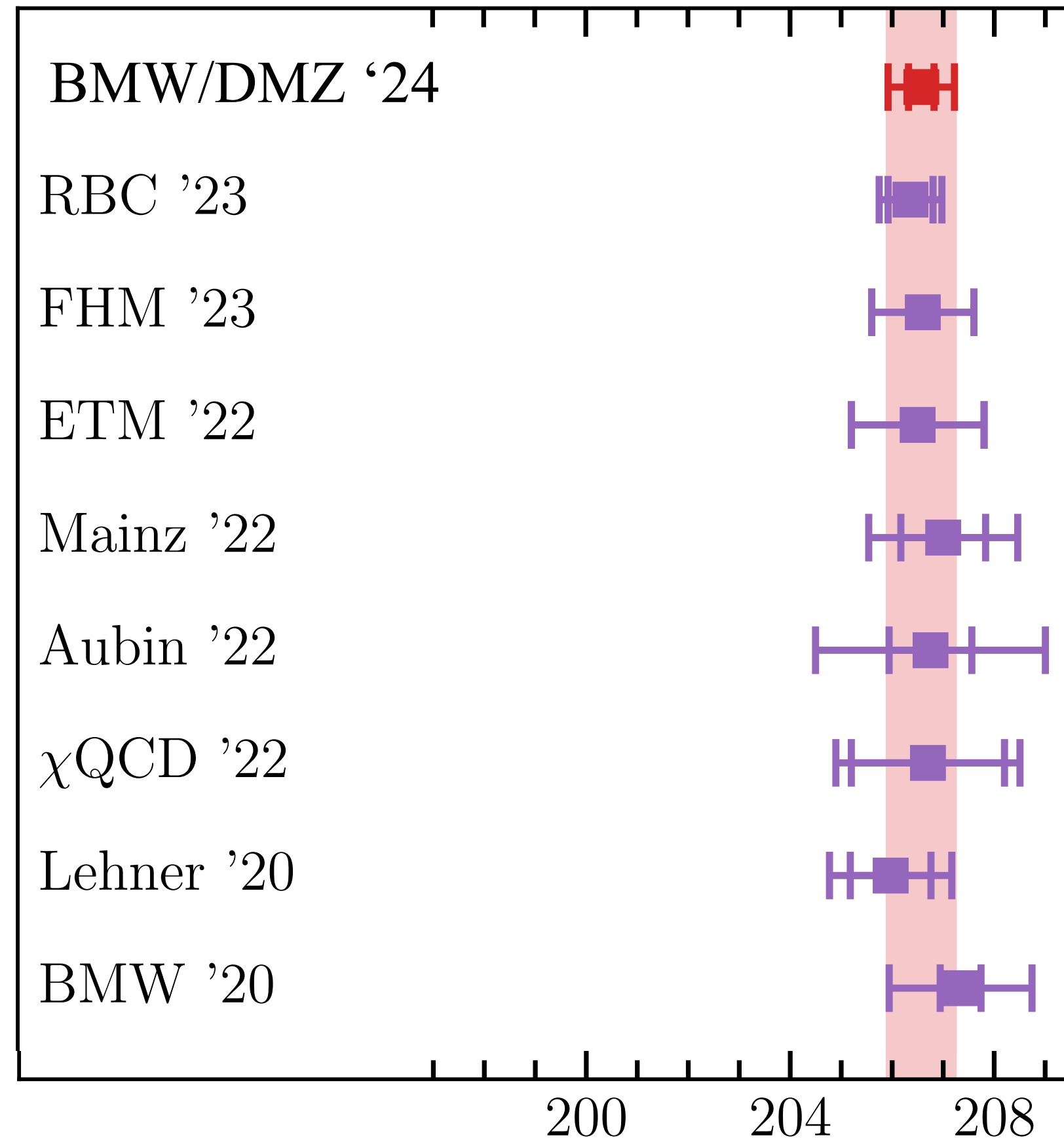
Use rounded window functions to divide time region. Cutting out large t values allows accurate comparison of lattice results.

One-sided windows with variable size, t_1

Fermilab/HPQCD/MILC,
 2207.04765



Lattice results for the 0.4 - 1.0 fm ($\Delta t=0.15$ fm) intermediate window



Excellent agreement between many different lattice analyses! Uncertainty $\approx 1\%$

Fermilab/HPQCD/MILC 24

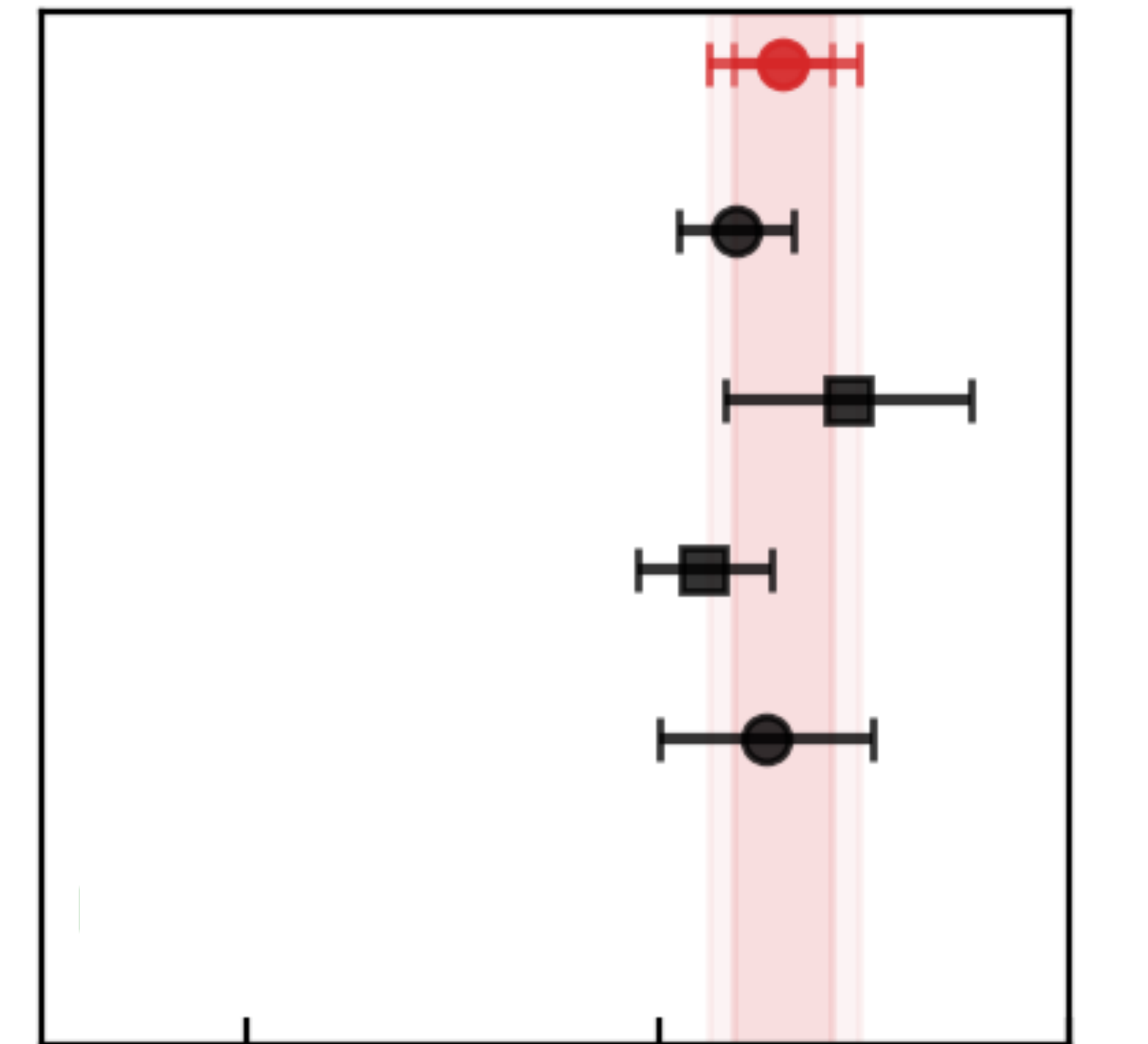
BMW 24

Mainz/CLS 22/24

RBC/UKQCD 23

ETMC 22

Lahert, KEK,
Sept 24



Connected light only

$a_{\mu,0.4-1.0}^{\text{LO-HVP,light}} \times 10^{10}$

BMW/DMZ 24, 2407.10913

$a_{\mu,0.4-1.0}^{\text{LOHVP,ll}}$

0.4 - 1.0 fm $10^{10} a_{\mu}^{\text{W}}(\text{conn.})$

Lattice WA w.o. BMW/DMZ'24 = 206.52(80) (100% correlated systematics)

BMW/DMZ'24 = 206.57(65) (0.3% uncertainty)

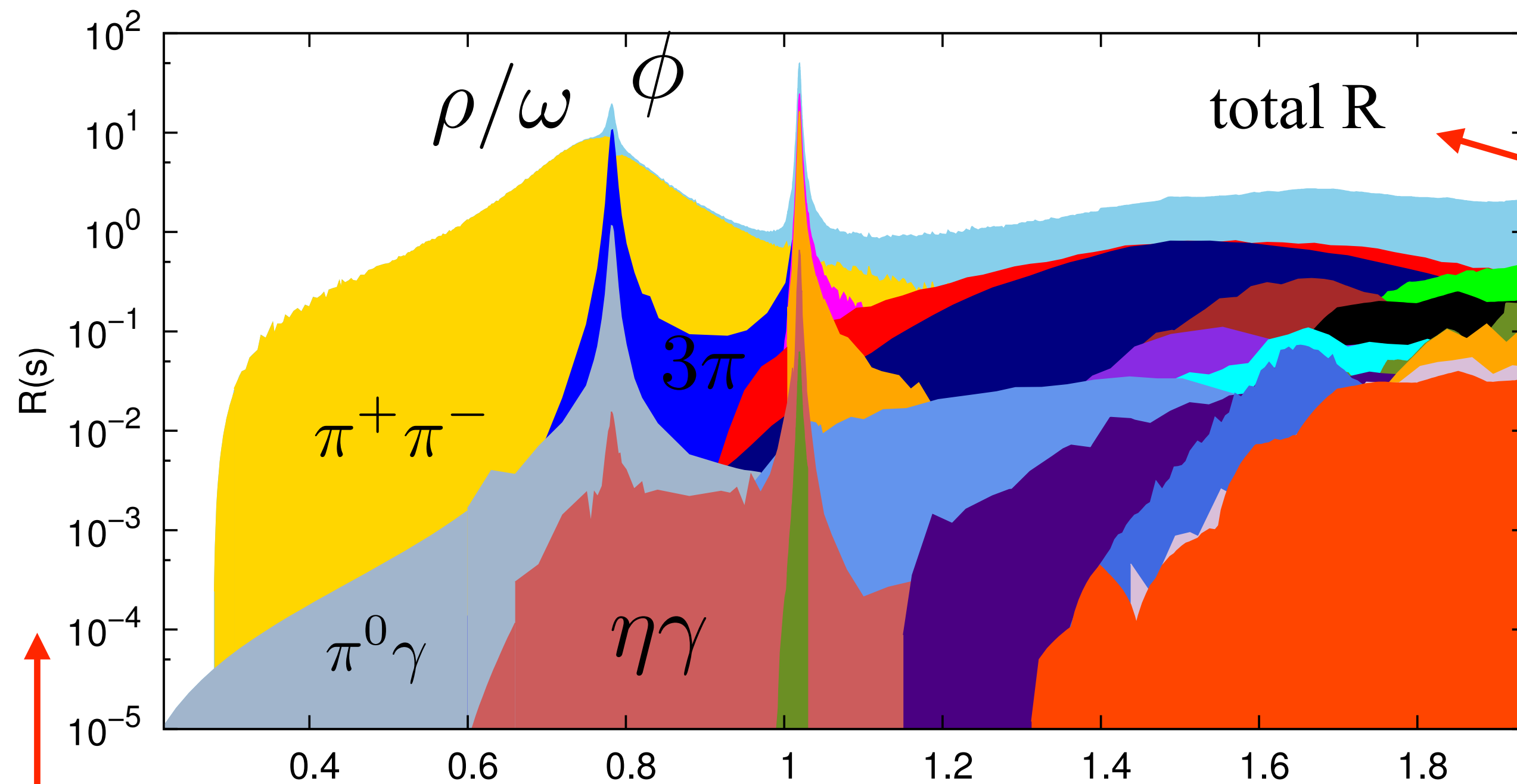
E. Neil, Theory initiative meeting, April 2024.

Data-driven HVP

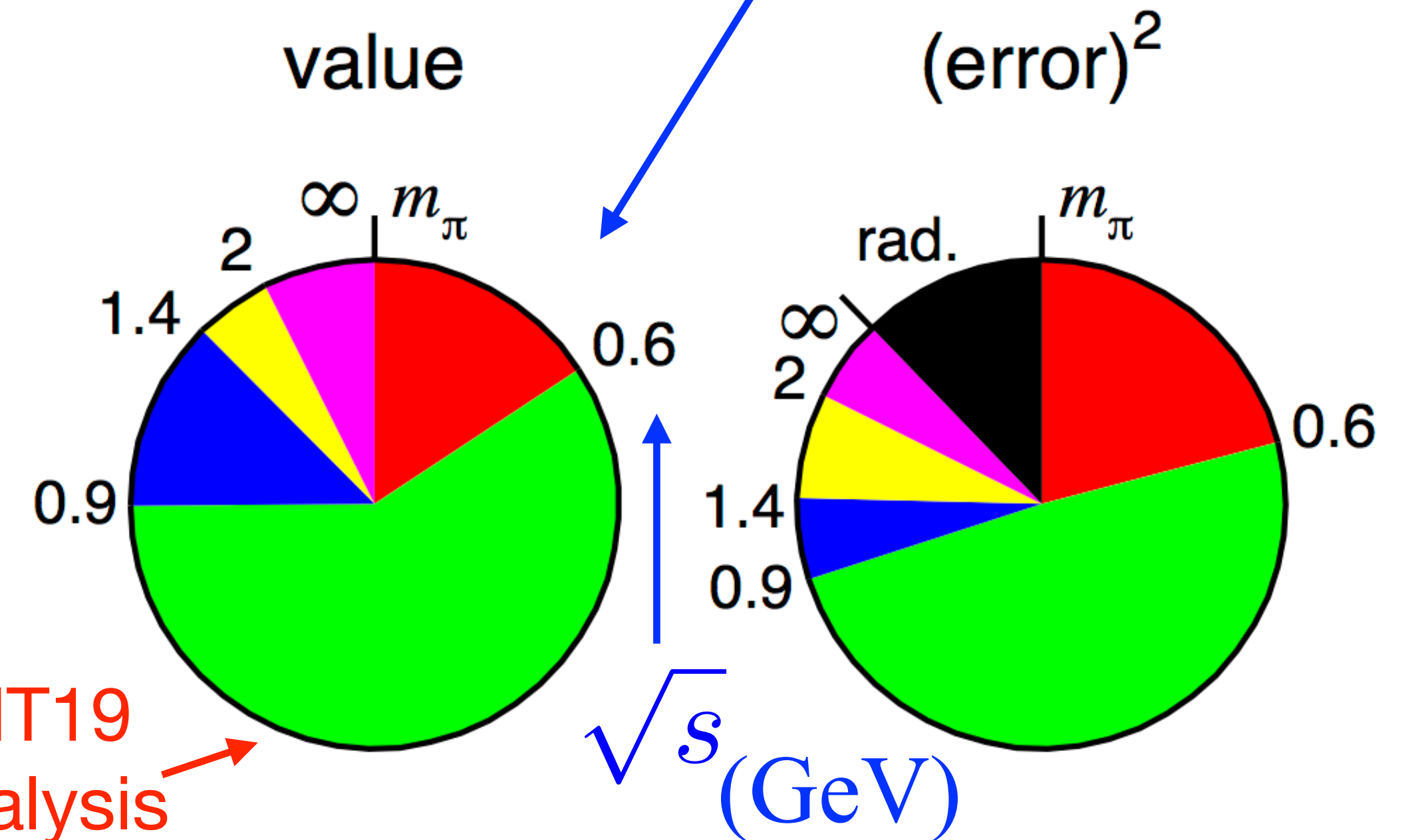
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LOHVP}} = \frac{1}{4\pi^3} \int_{s_0}^{\infty} ds \sigma_{\text{had},\gamma}^0(s) K(s)$$

$K(s)$ emphasises low s region

bare cross-section, $e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$,
final-state radiation included



KNT19 analysis



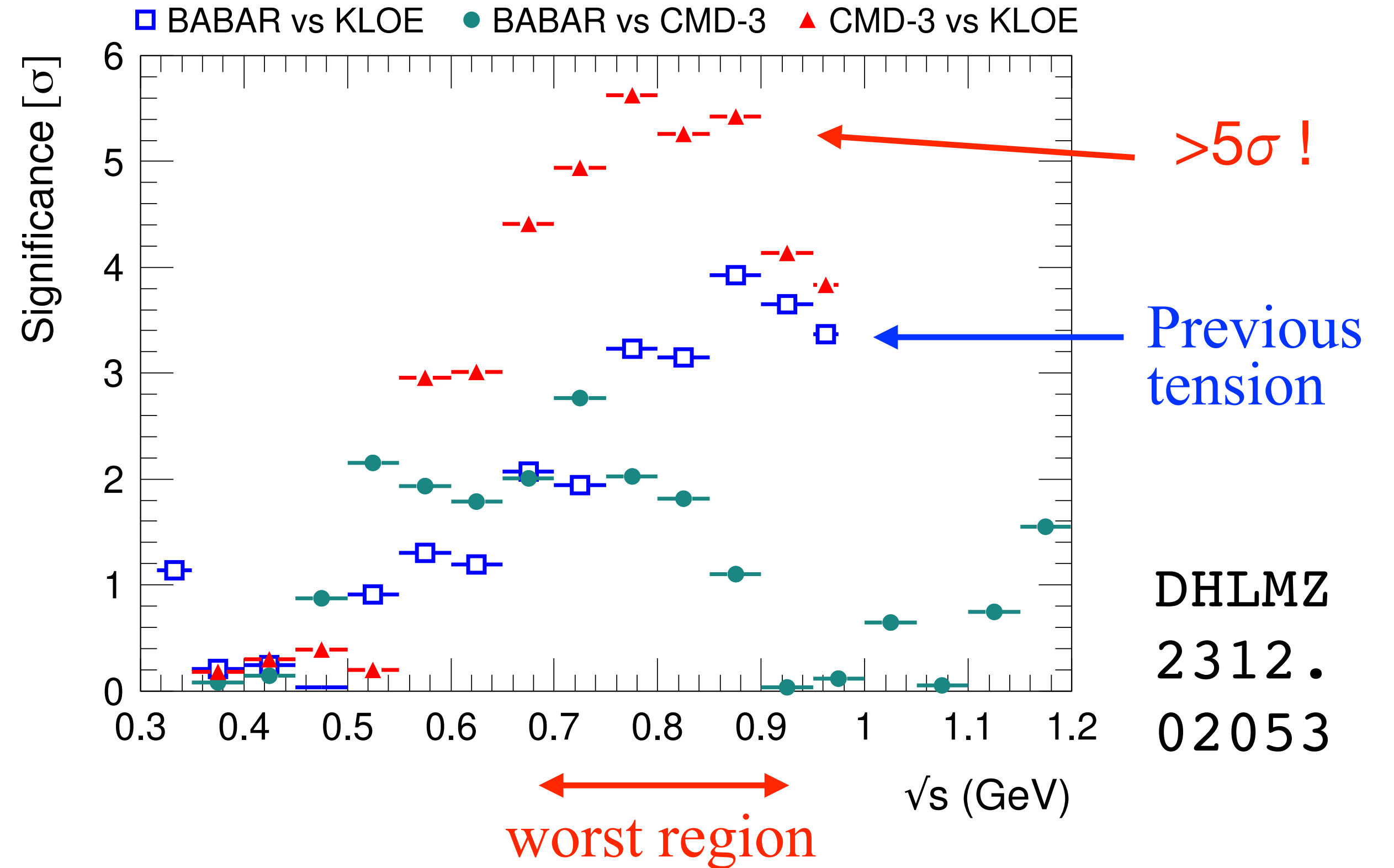
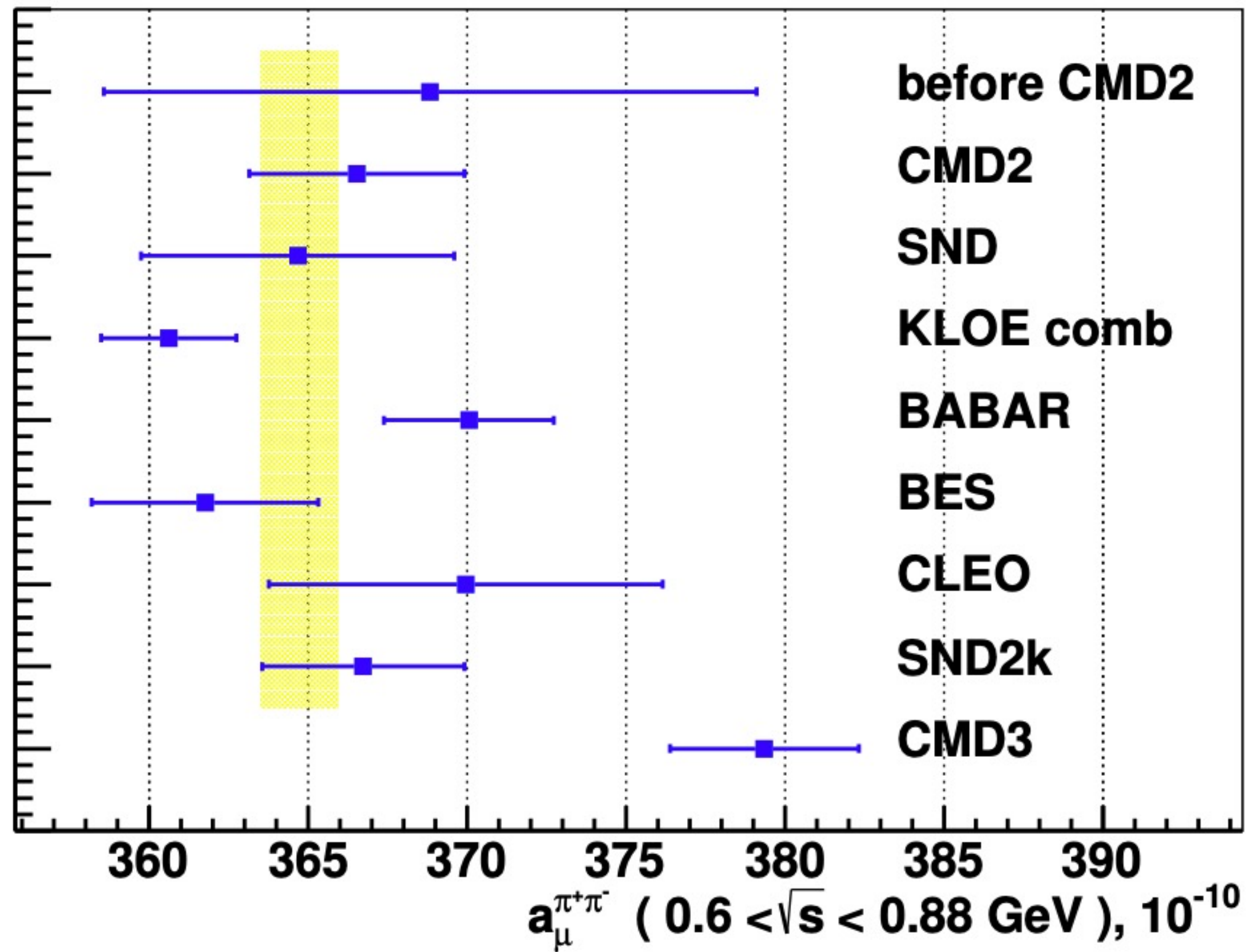
Data: exclusive final states below 2 GeV, inclusive above.
Radiative return (BaBar/KLOE) and direct scan (CMD3) experiments

$$R = \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{\text{pt}}} \quad \sqrt{s} \text{ [GeV]}$$

Tension between experiments now a major issue

Issues with data for data-driven HVP

1) CMD3@VEPP2000, Novosibirsk, energy scan up to 1.2 GeV. New results for $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$: 2302.08834, now published. Cross-section higher than previous expts.



Using ONLY CMD3 $\pi\pi$ data in 0.3-1.2 GeV region would push up data-driven LOHVP by $22(5) \times 10^{-10}$ and remove SM/Muon $g-2$ difference

A. Keshavarzi, LAT2023

BUT how to average sensibly over experiments? Just increase uncertainty (a lot) ?

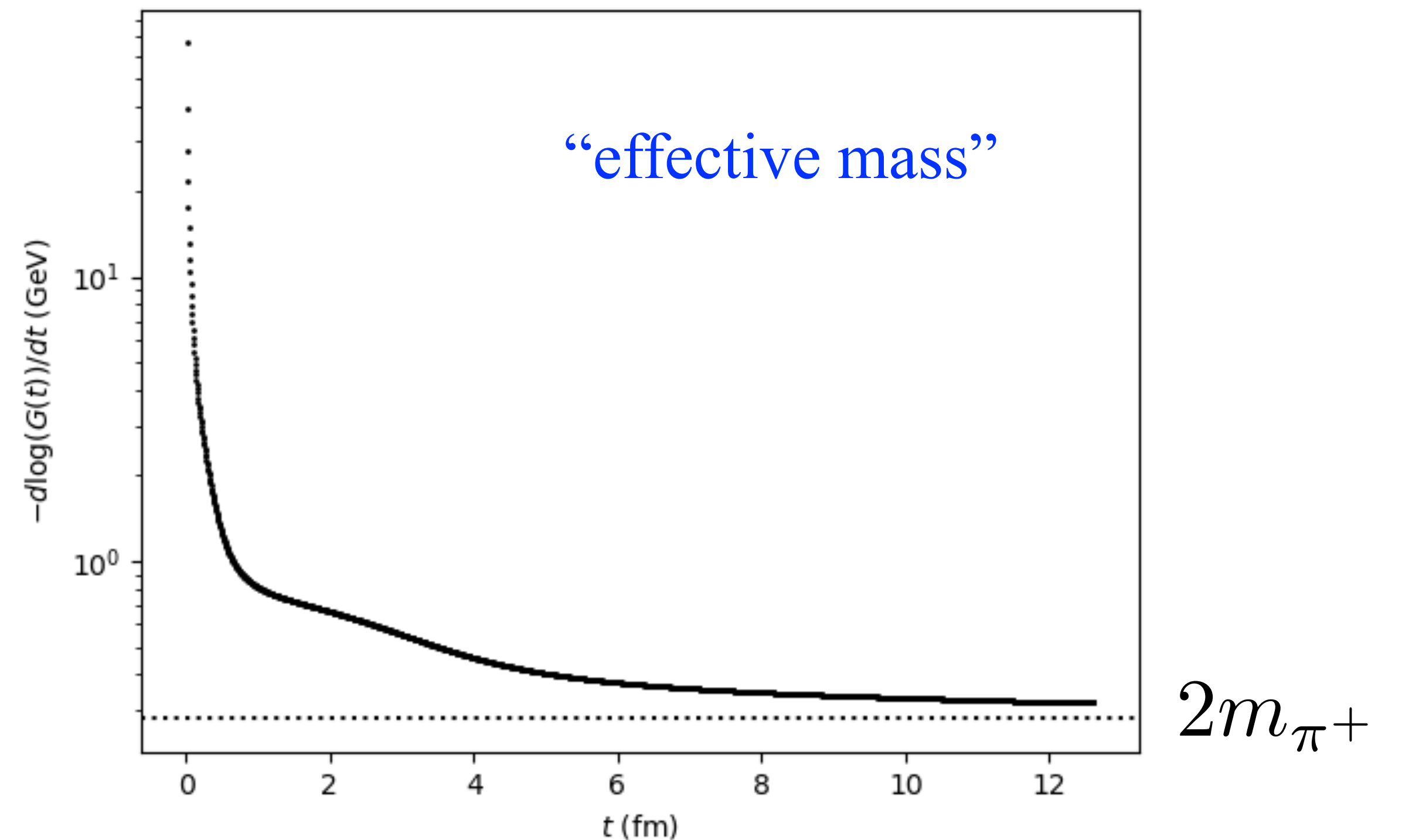
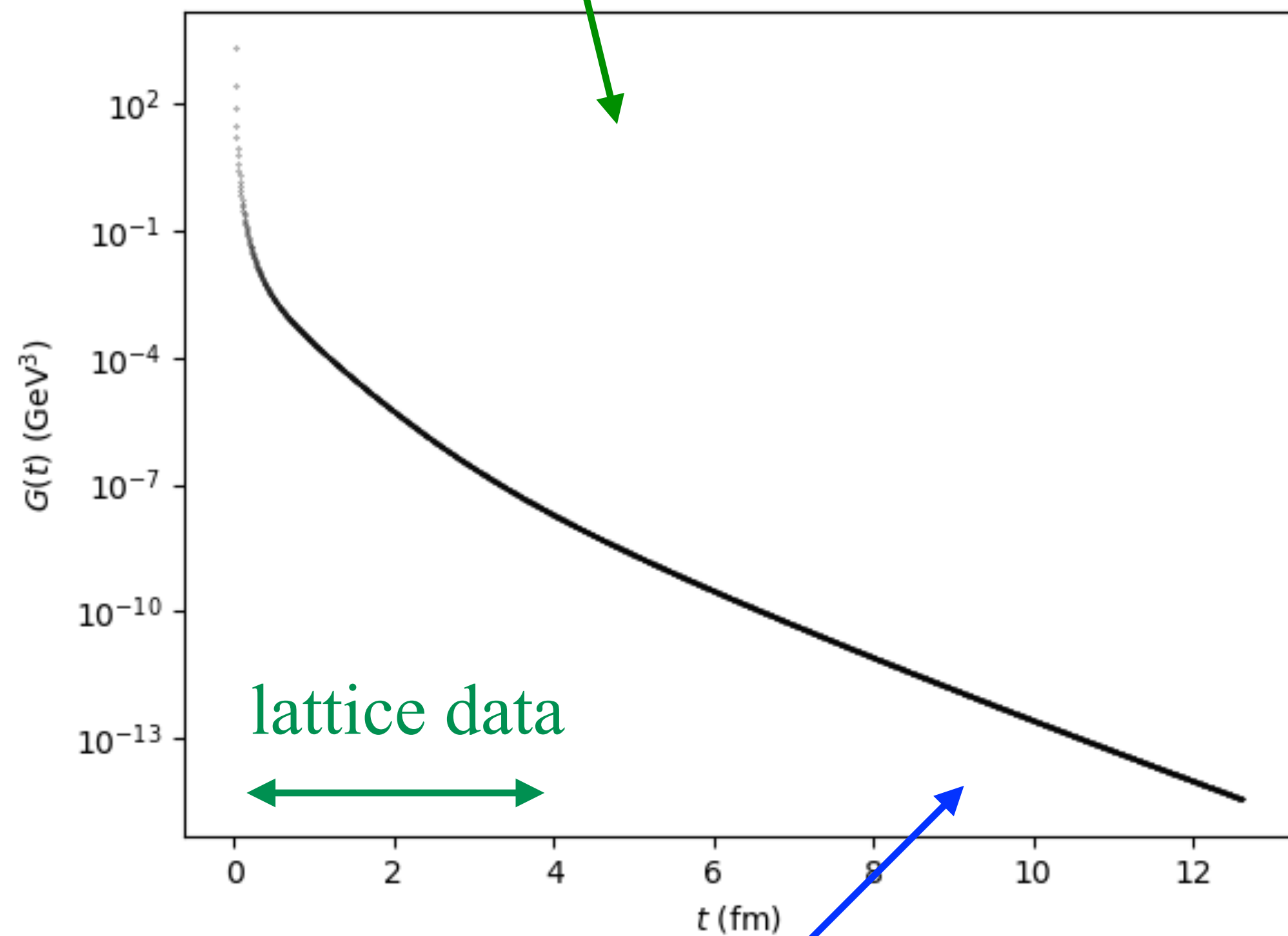
FUTURE: new BaBar results (2x stats), 2025; new KLOE results (7xstats), 2026/7; new SND/BES/Belle 15

Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

Can convert R(s) data into G(t) $G(t) = \frac{1}{12\pi^2} \int_0^\infty dE E^2 R(E^2) e^{-E|t|}$

Using publicly available KNT19 R(s) data

Bernecker+Meyer, 1107.4388

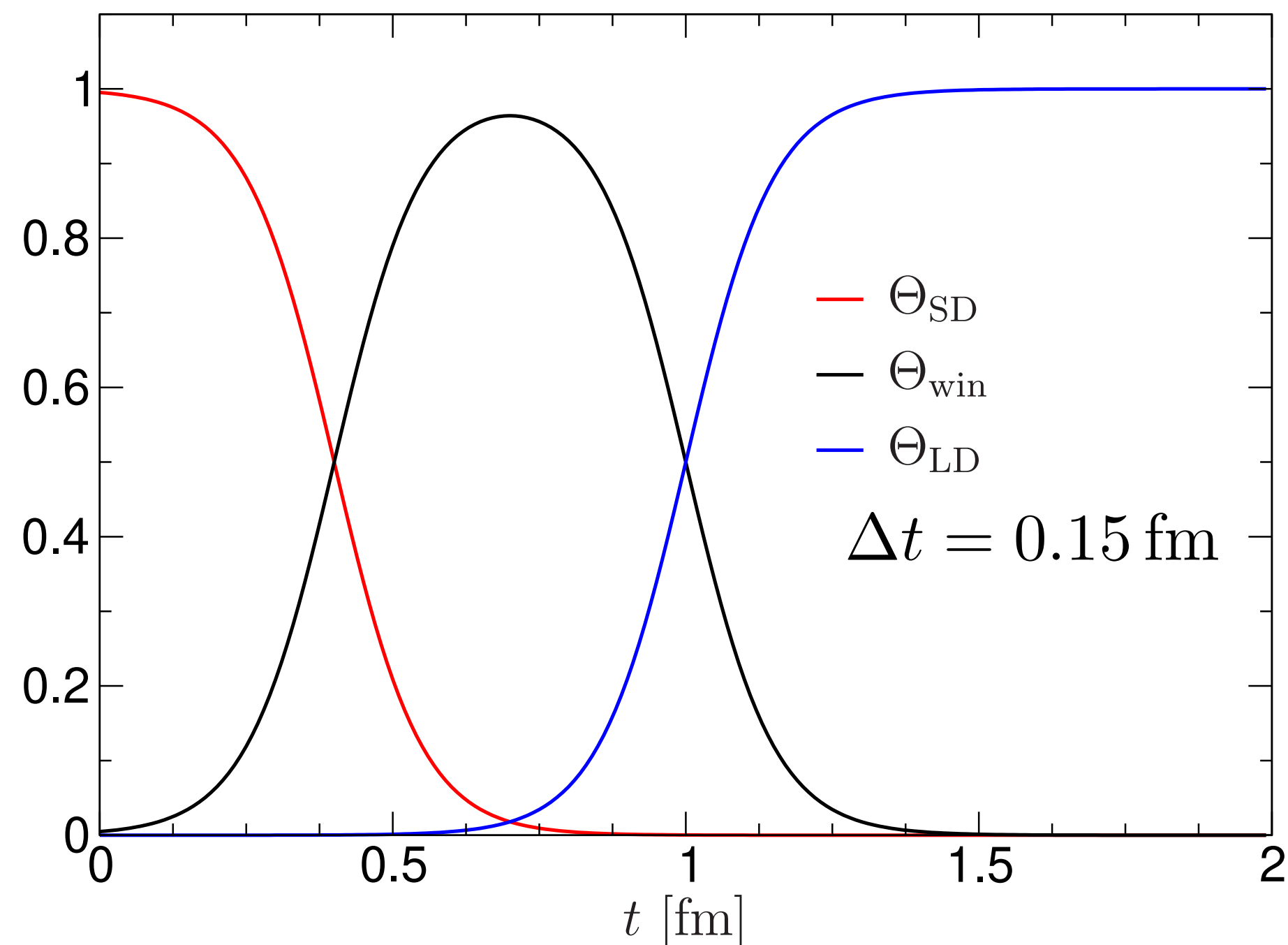


G(t) includes all flavours + disconnected+QED etc

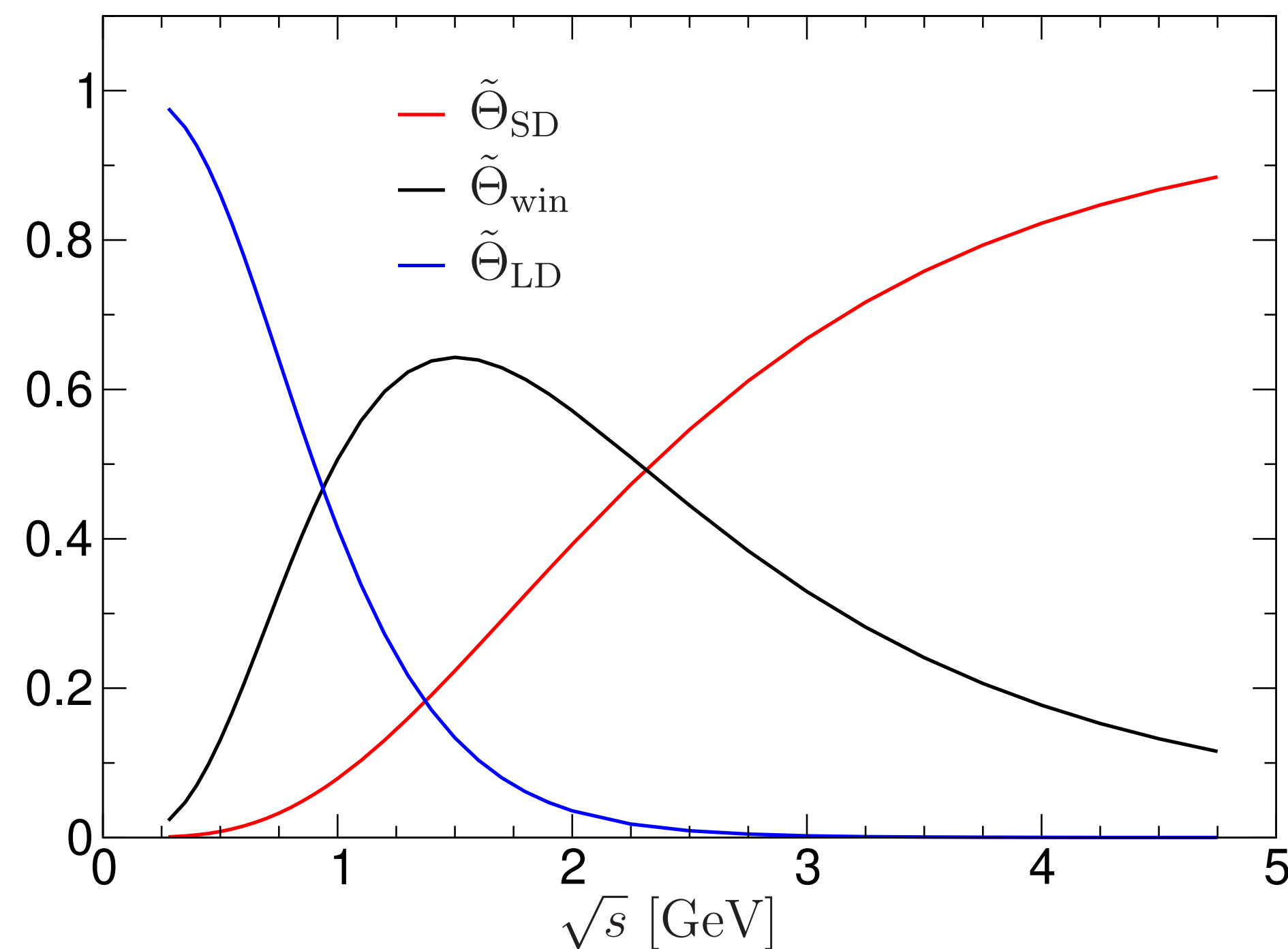
Allows direct comparison of time-windowed values

Time-windowed results are physical - disagreement in any window is a problem

Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

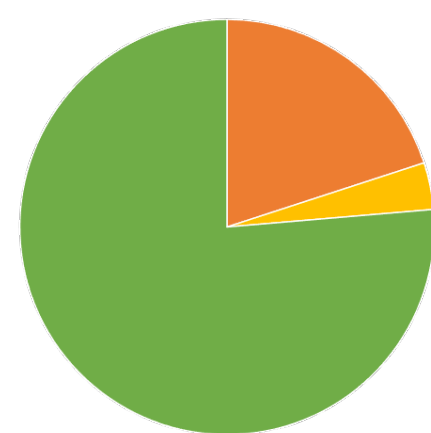


Mapping of window effects

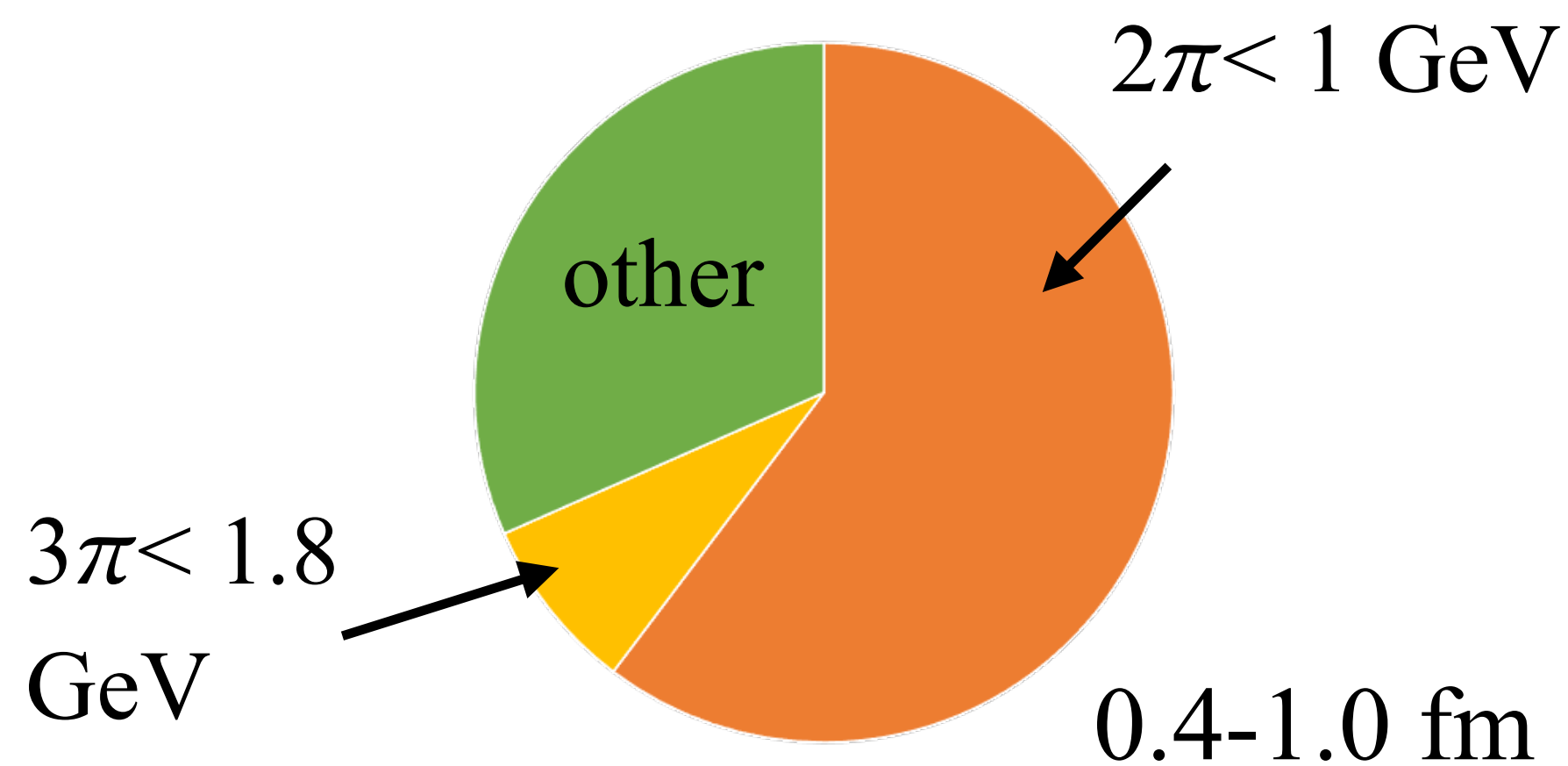


intermediate-distance

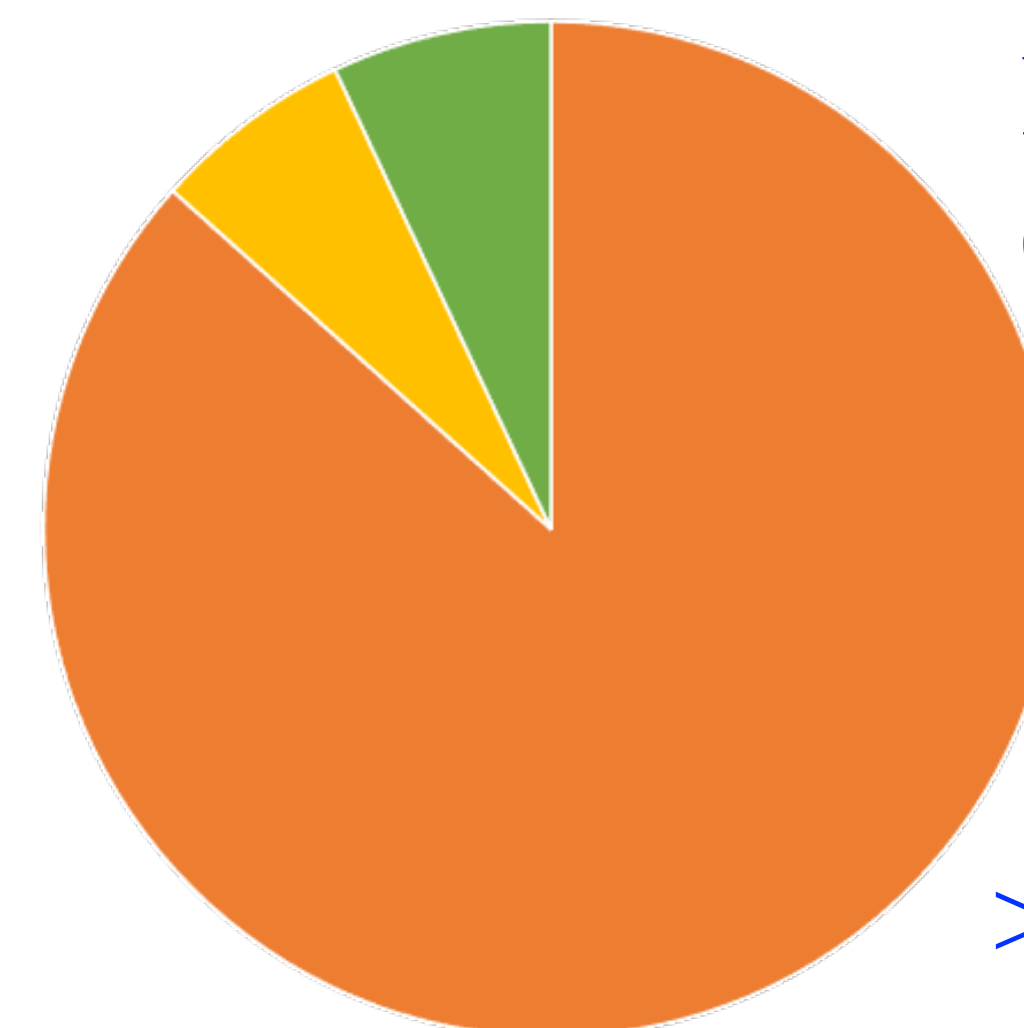
short-distance (SD)



0-0.4 fm



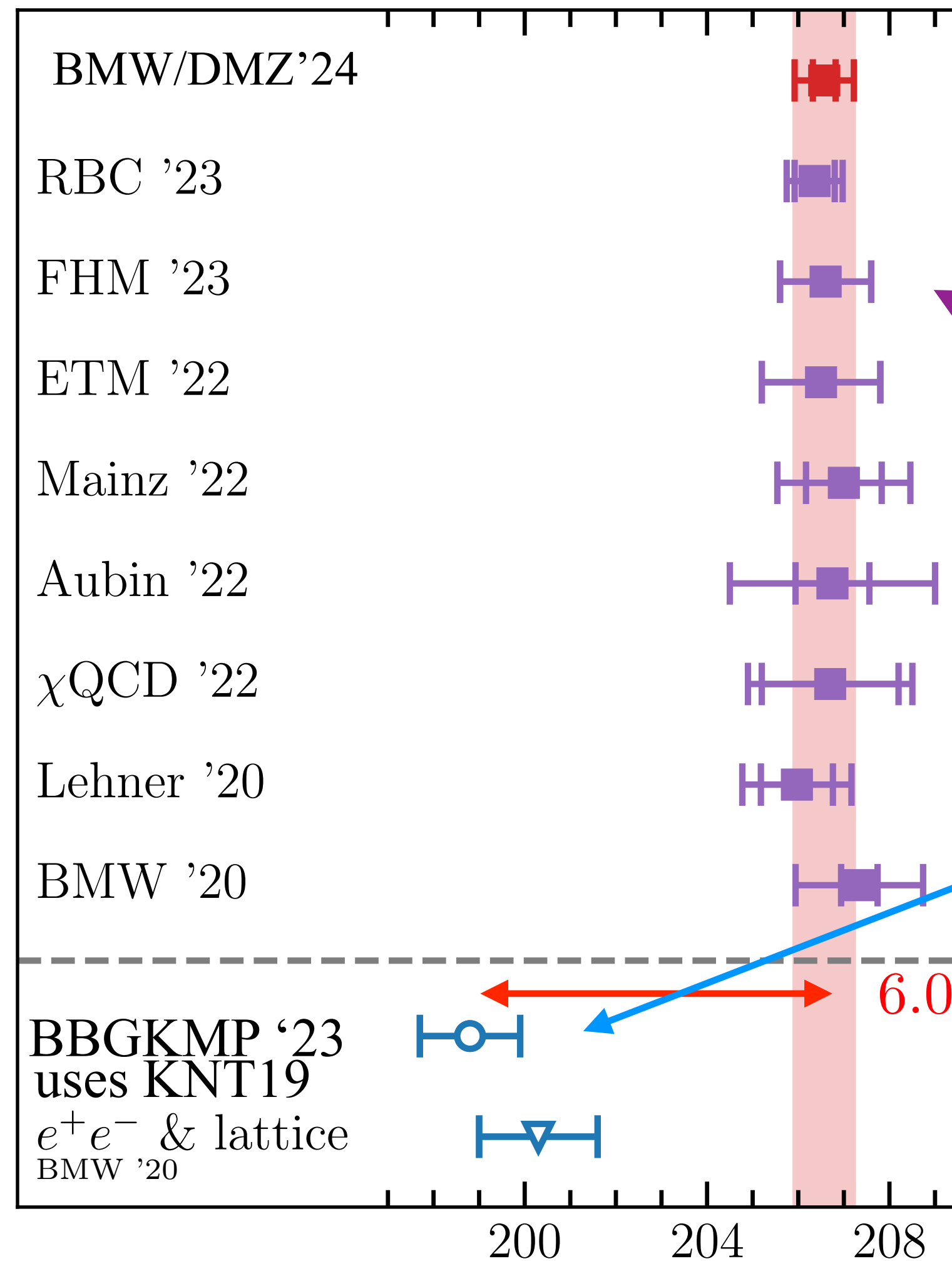
long-distance (LD)



Data-driven contributions

Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

Intermediate 'window' 0.4-1.0fm ($\Delta t=0.15\text{fm}$)



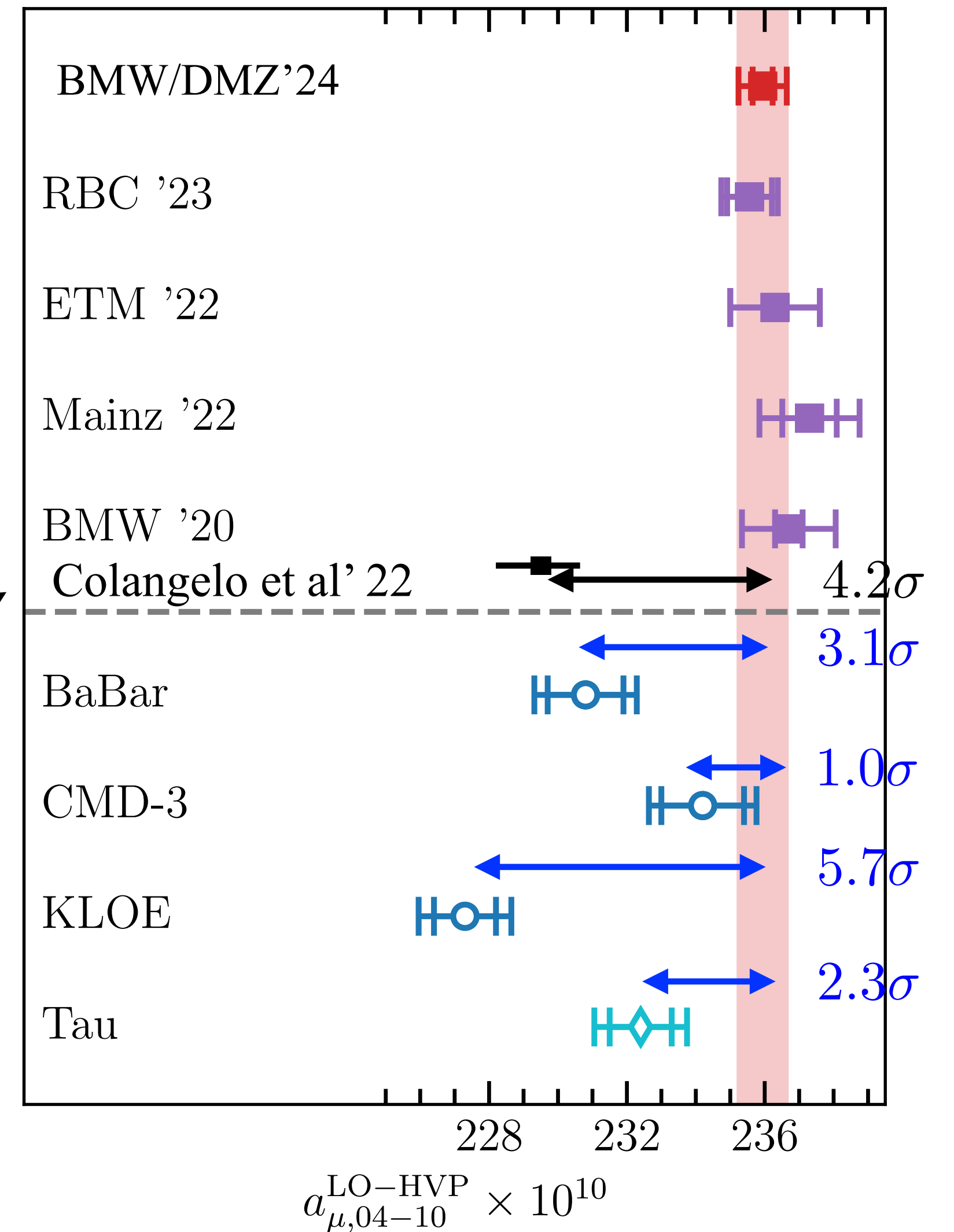
Full HVP in window - compare directly to data-driven results (varying 2π input).

Light-conn.-only result: must remove other pieces from data-driven numbers. Use isospin analysis to isolate $I=1$

$$6.0\sigma = 7.7 \times 10^{-10} = 3.7\%$$

Conclude: Lattice disagrees with av. results from pre-CMD3 e^+e^-

BMW/DMZ 2407.10913



BBGKMP
2311.09523

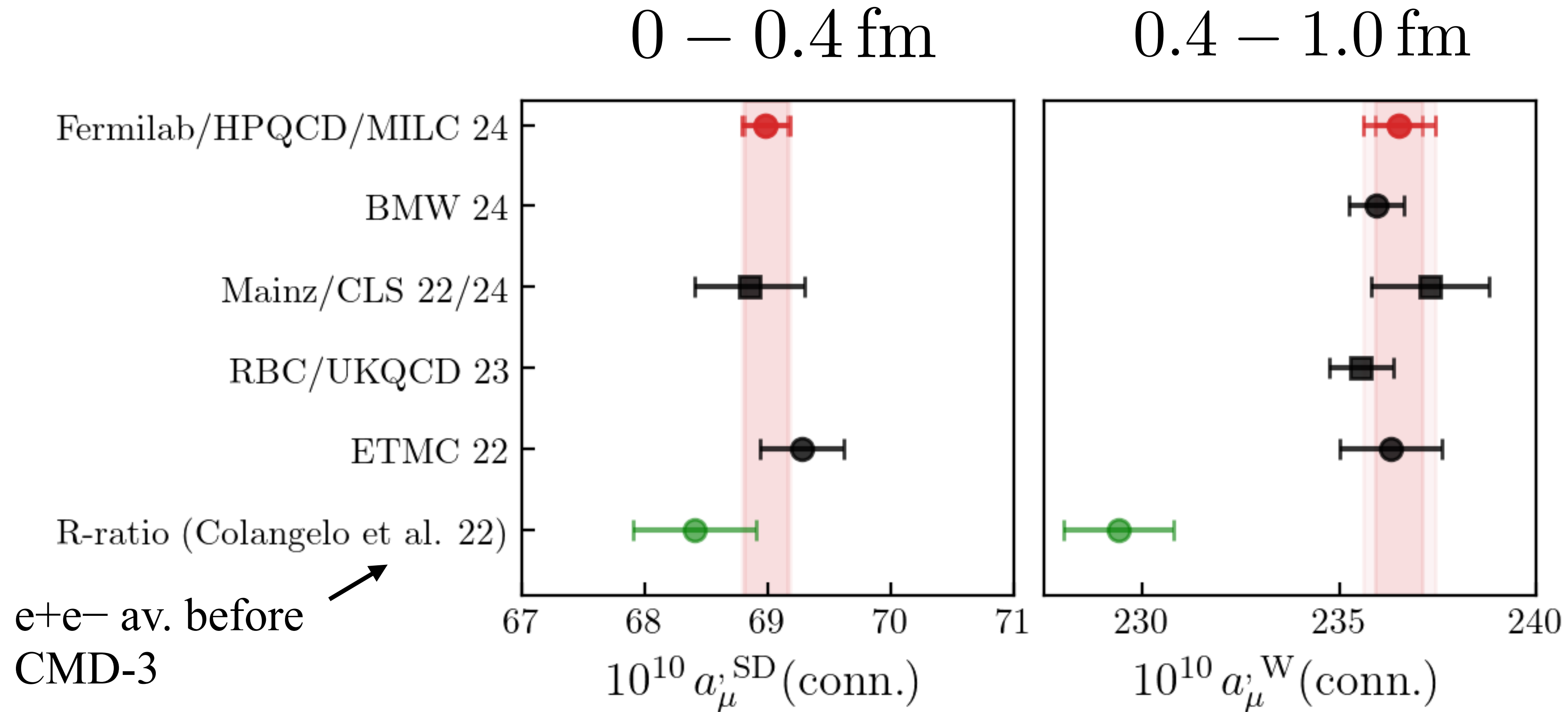
$a_{\mu,04-10}^{\text{LO-HVP,light}} \times 10^{10}$

$a_{\mu,04-10}^{\text{LO-HVP}} \times 10^{10}$

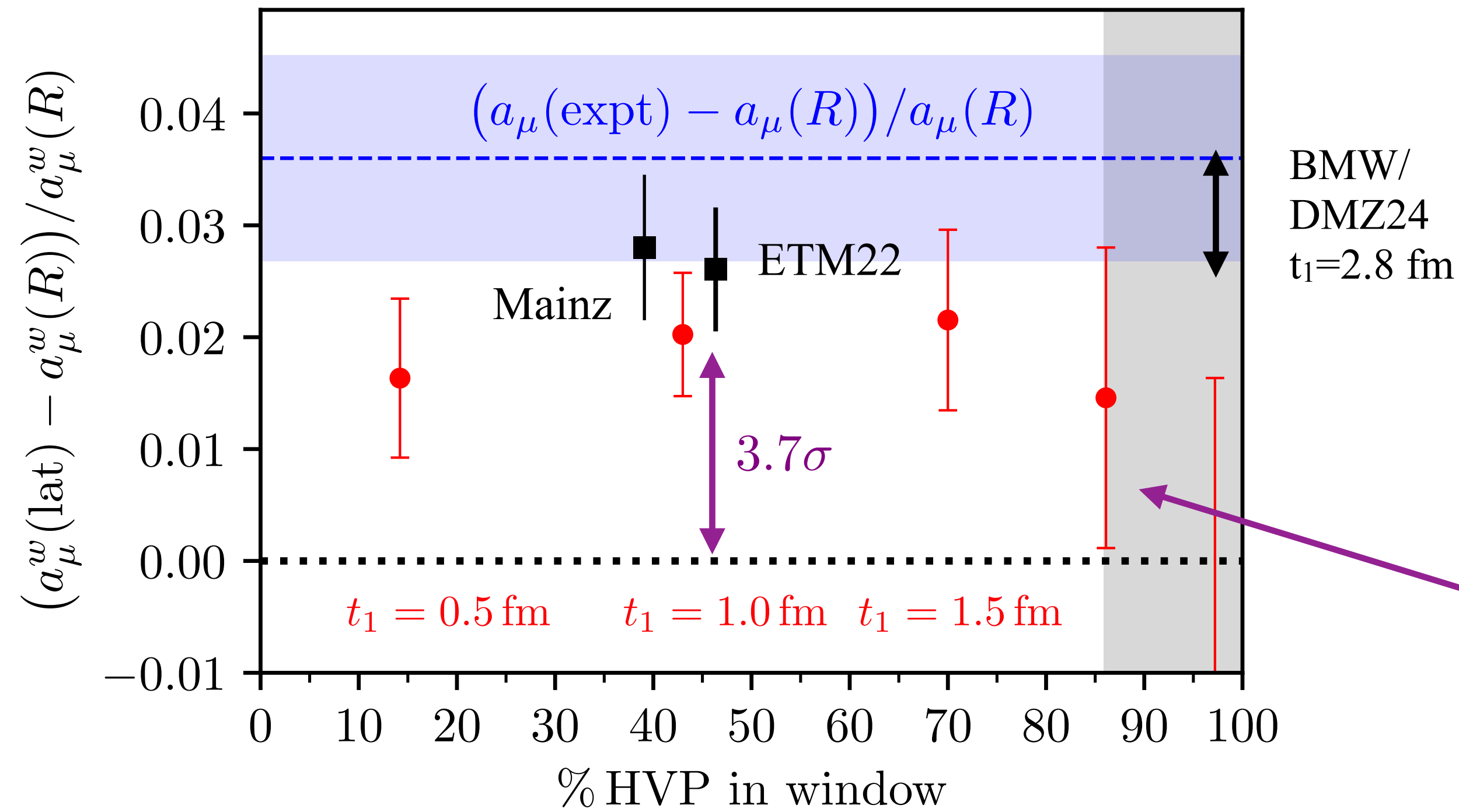
Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

Short and intermediate windows ($\Delta t=0.15\text{fm}$)

Lahert, KEK,
Sept 24



Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results



One-sided window, 0 - t₁

Full HVP in window - compare directly to data-driven results (KNT19).

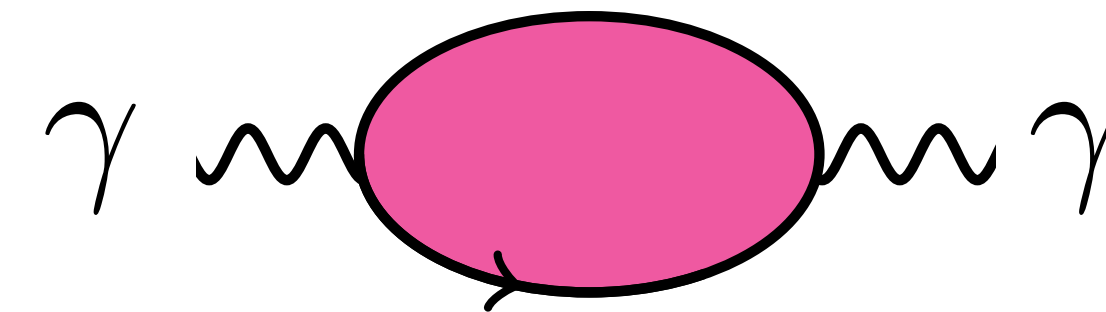
t₁=1.0 fm (43% HVP) = SD+ID. Lattice agreement on 2-3% difference with KNT19.

Lattice stat. errors large for t₁ ≥ 2 fm for this (2019) data

FHM, 2207.04765

Overall conclusion from windows comparisons:

Lattice QCD values higher than pre-CMD3 e⁺e⁻ results at large-time/low s, i.e. where 2π tensions now seen.



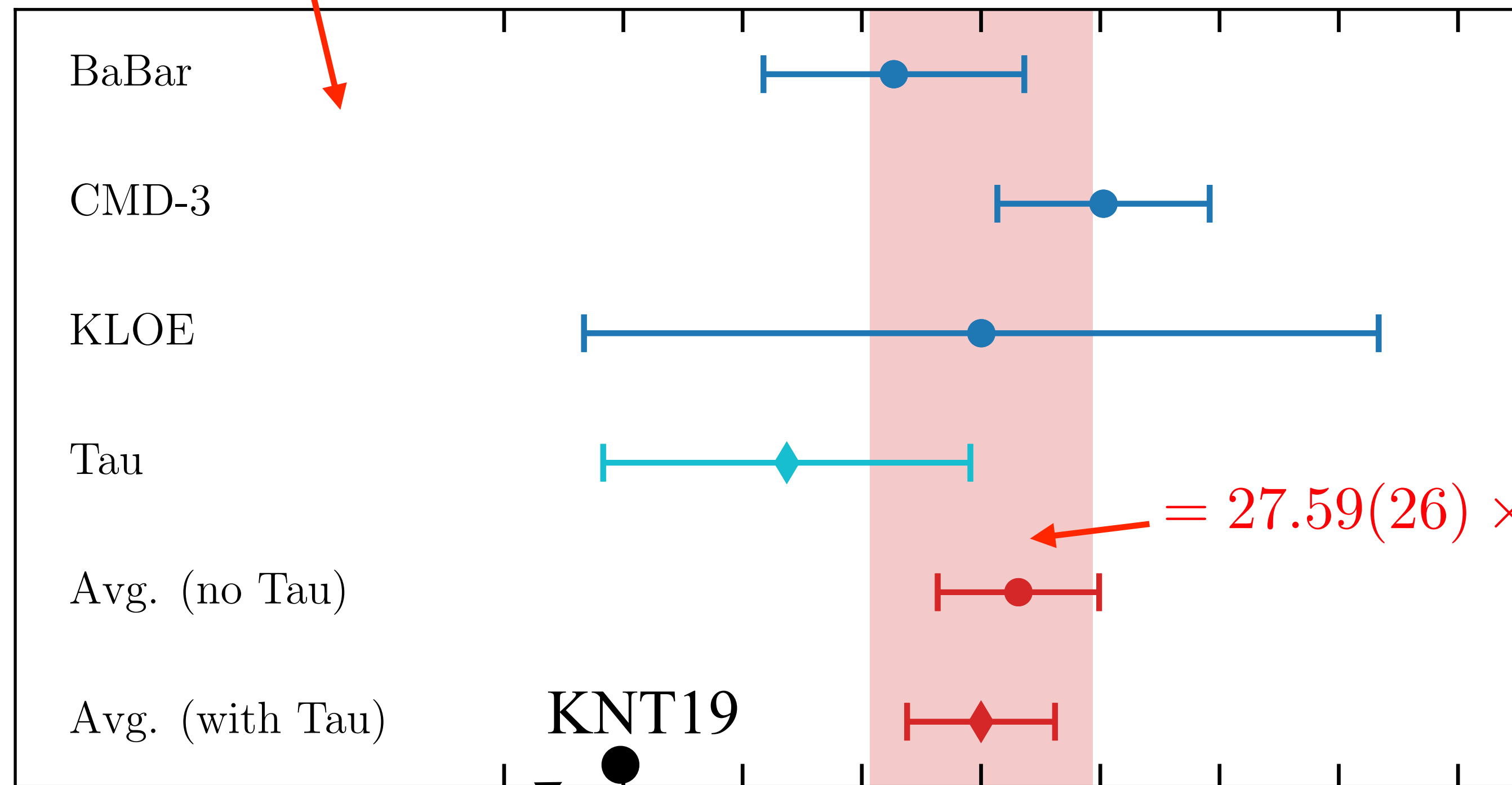
See also analyses of hadronic contribution to running of α. Lattice differences with pre-CMD3 e⁺e⁻ seen at low Q². (washed out by M_Z, so no impact on EW fits)

BMW/DMZ24 strategy for full HVP

Take $t_{\max}=2.8\text{fm}$ for lattice, add $2.8-\infty$ from data-driven results.

CLAIM: reasonable experimental agreement on $2.8-\infty$ since $>50\%$ is from region BELOW ρ peak. (See slide 14)

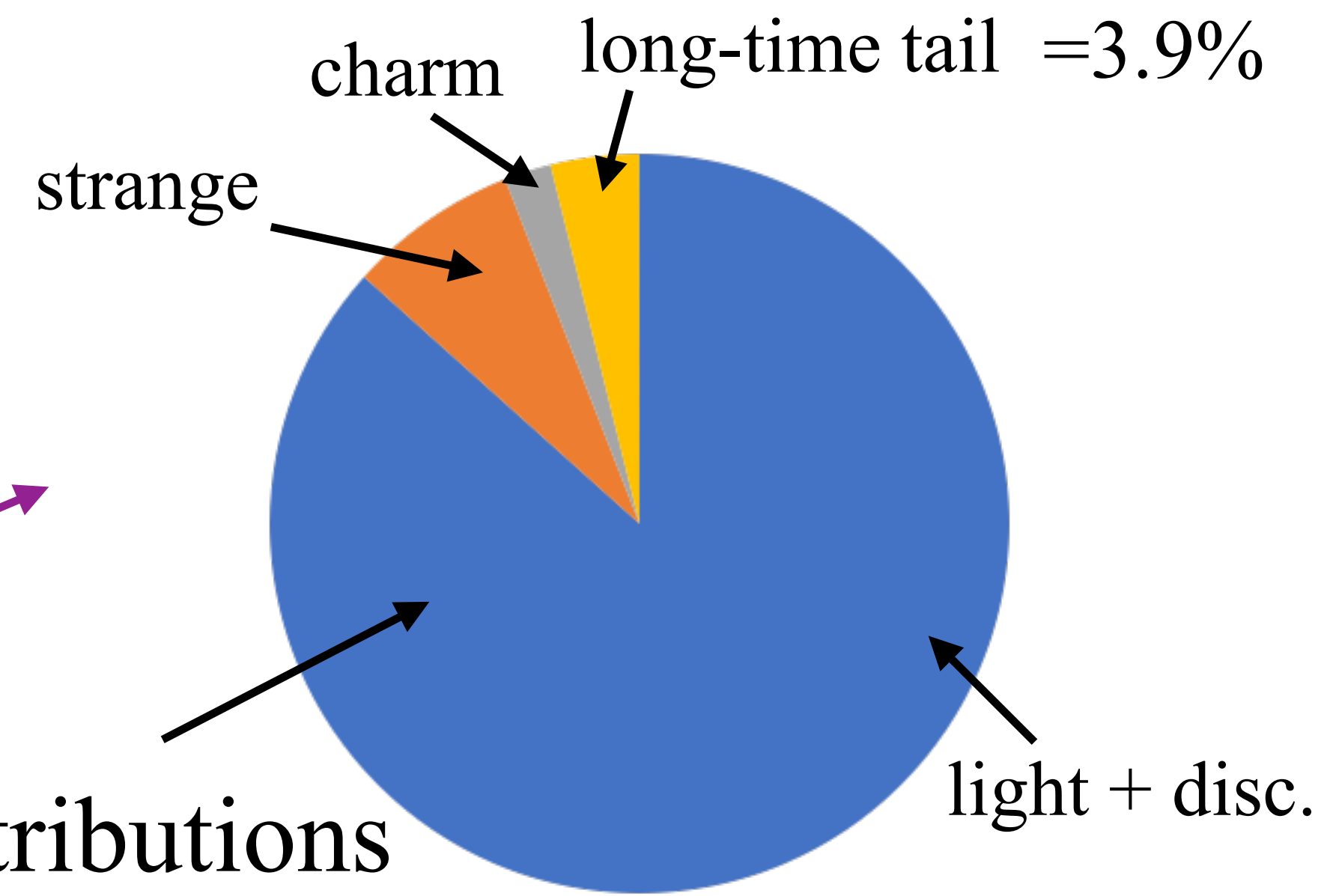
Contribution of tail to HVP and its error is small



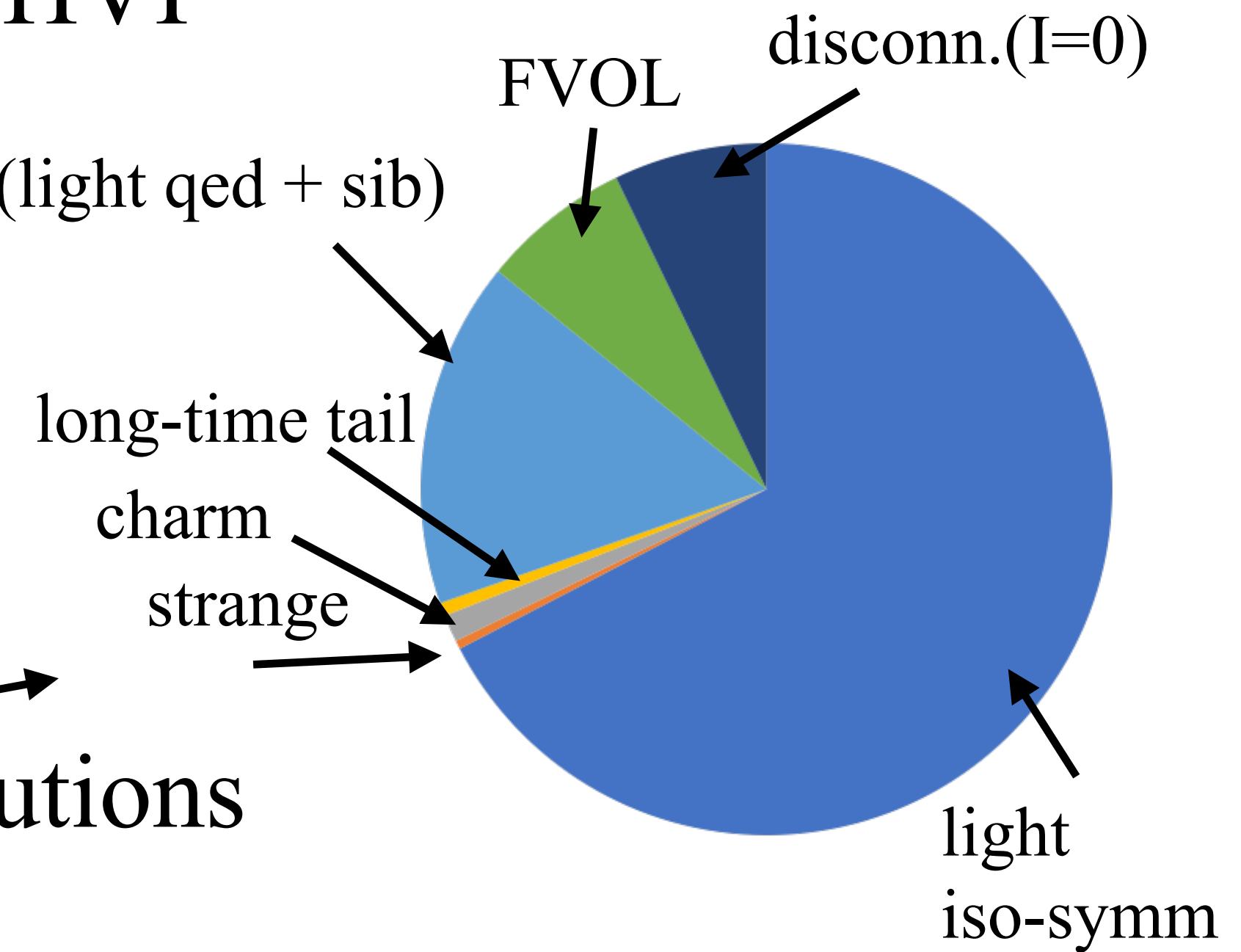
Outside BMW/DMZ average

$a_{\mu,28-\infty} / \text{Average}$

contributions to LOHVP



contributions to $(\sigma)^2$



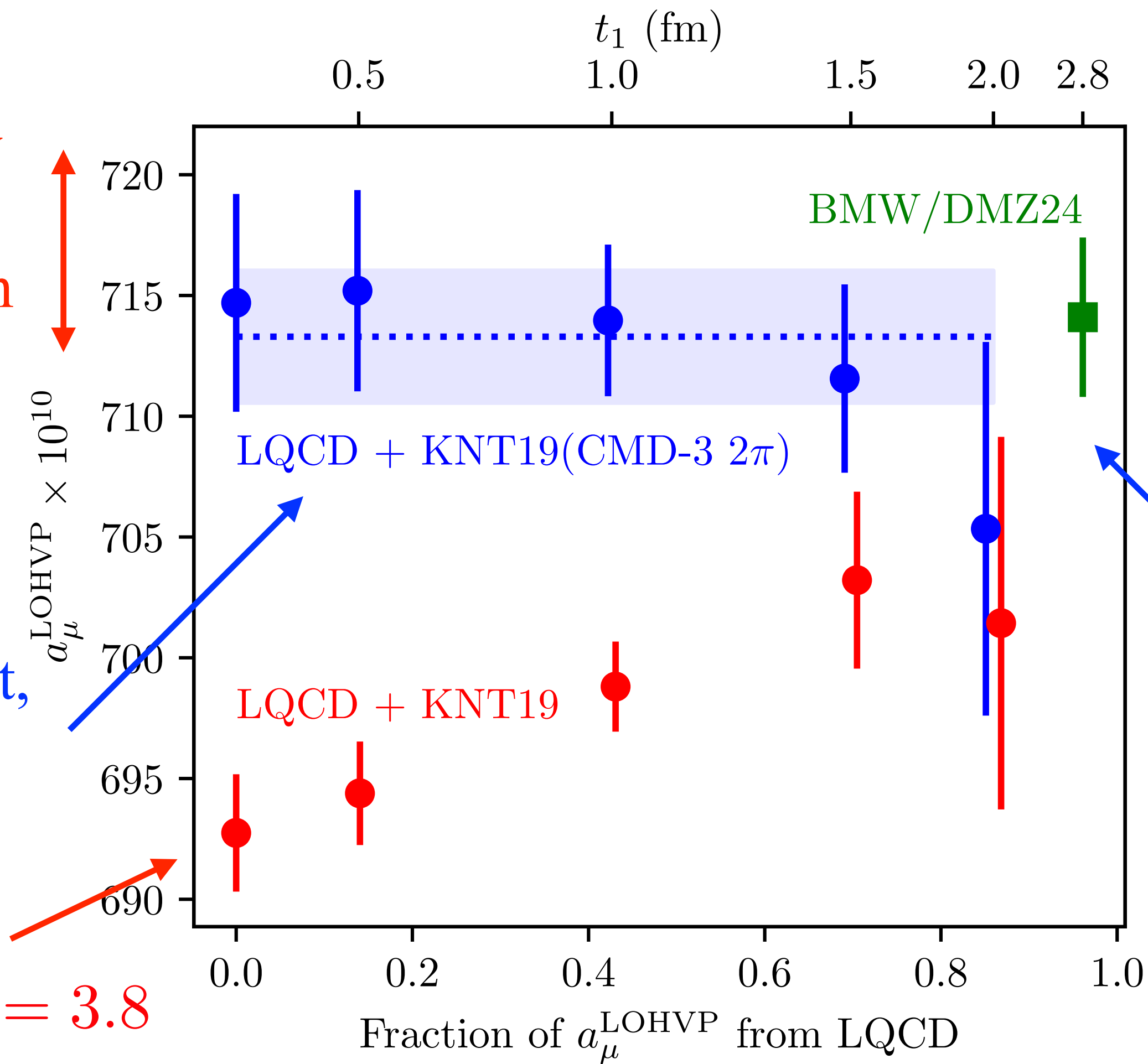
Pragmatic hybrid strategy for further full HVP results

GPL+CD et al,
Thanks to A. Keshavarzi

No new physics in muon g-2

Fit to a constant, $\chi^2/\text{dof} = 0.6$

$\chi^2/\text{dof} = 3.8$



Use LQCD in one-sided time window up to t_1 .
Add in data-driven result for t_1 to ∞ .

Totals should agree for different t_1

- test of validity of data-driven (and LQCD)
- choose smallest error or fit to a constant including correlations

Using 2019 FHM LQCD results for one-sided windows (2207.04765):

- totals are flat in t_1 for CMD3 2π
- total w. CMD-3 agrees with BMW/DMZ '24 for all values of t_1
- newer lattice data have much better uncertainties for $t_1 \gtrsim 2\text{fm}$

Smaller t_1 : reduces lattice stat. and finite vol. error but increases input from data-driven tail

Larger t_1 : CMD3/KNT19 tension falls: $<0.3\%$ total HVP for $t_1 \geq 2.5$ fm

Hybrid strategy best to optimise uncertainty on total HVP?

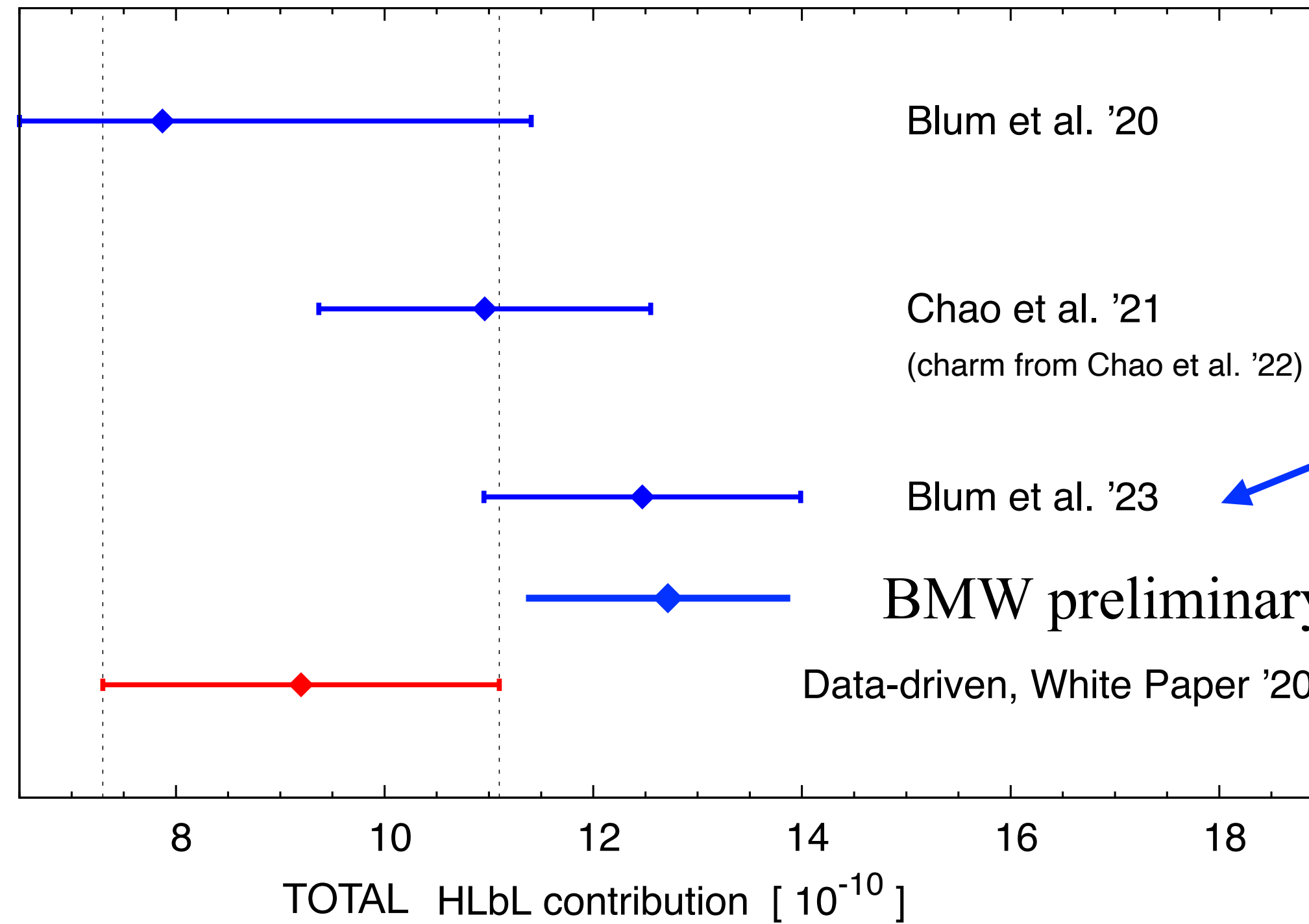
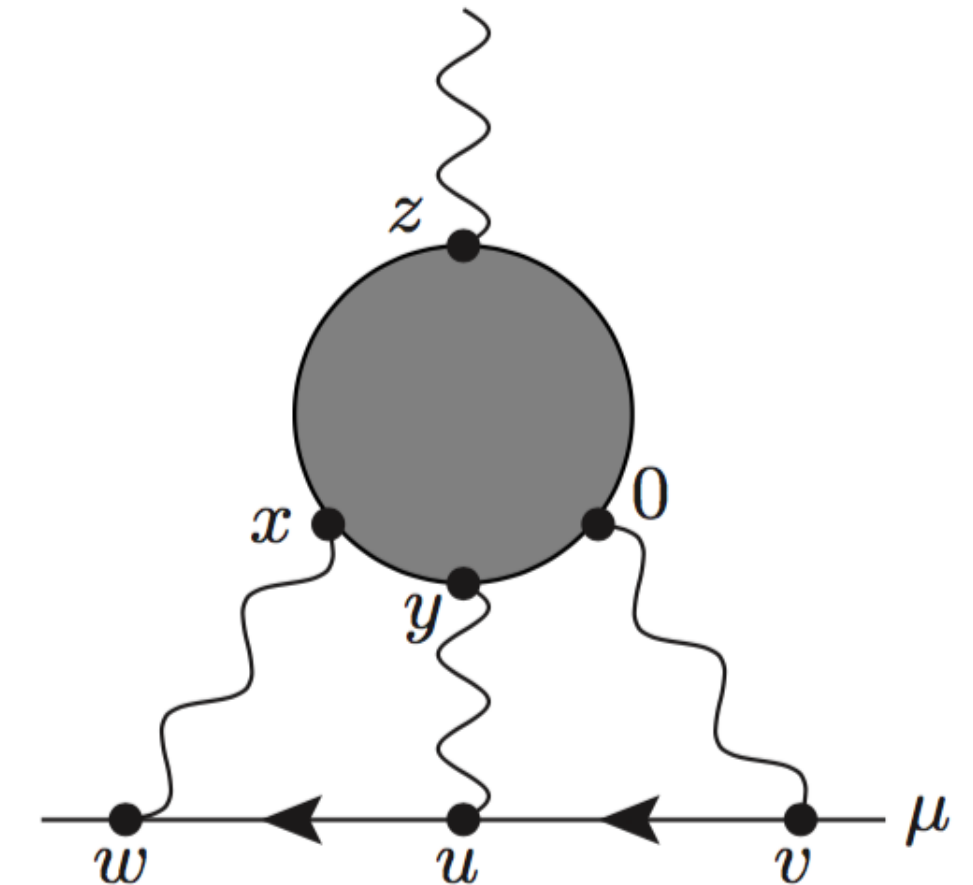
HLbL contribution

Theory white paper 2020 :
LO, phenomenology

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HLbL}} = 9.2 \pm 1.9 \times 10^{-10}$$

aim for 10% uncertainty

Method 1 : direct lattice calculation



Work at a finer lattice spacing
(0.08fm) ongoing

ETM calculation underway,
physical light quarks, $a=0.08\text{fm}$.

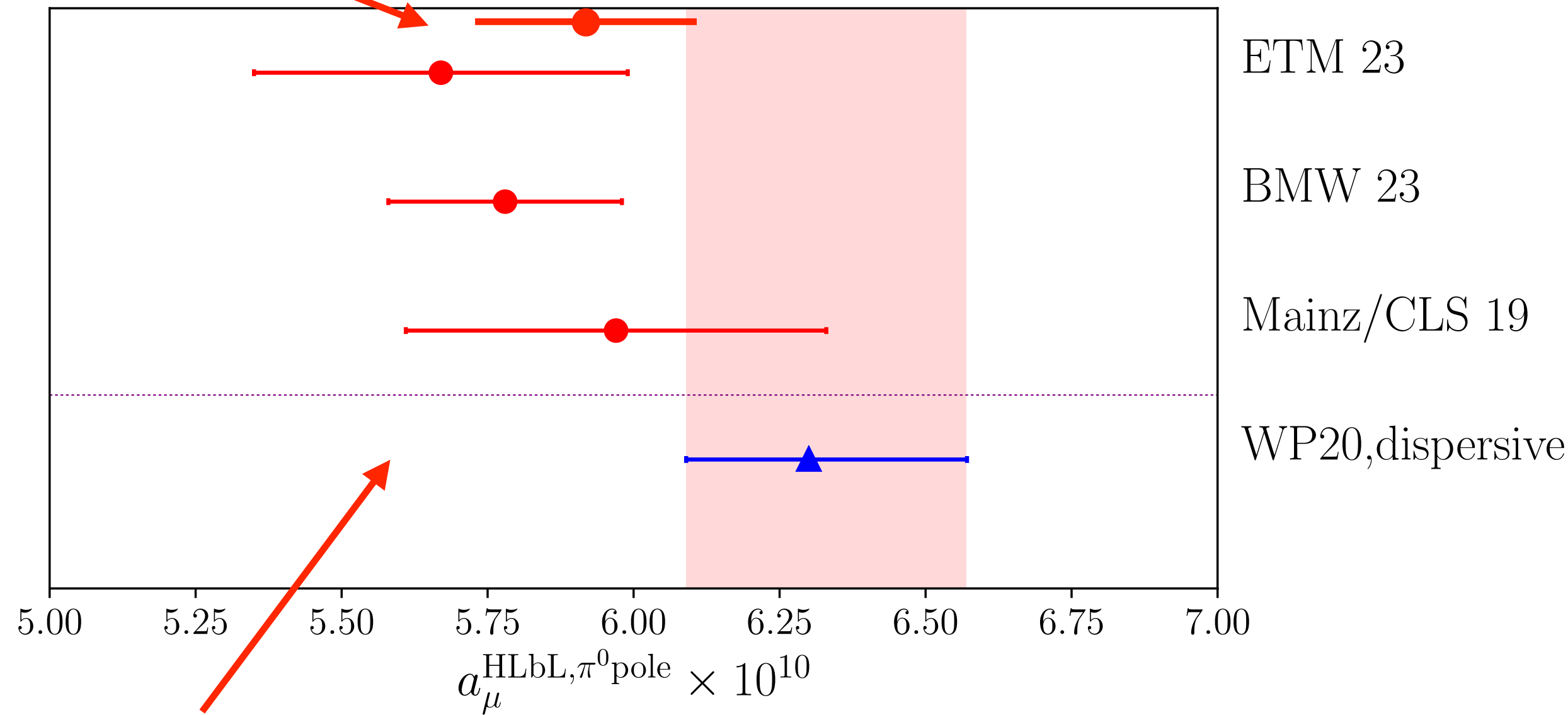
Results from different groups agree.
Uncertainty $\sim 10\text{-}13\%$.
Slightly ($\sim 3 \times 10^{-10}$) higher than WP20

Mainz, 2104.02632
+charm piece,
2204.08844
RBC/UKQCD, 2304.04423

HLbL contribution

Method 2 : dispersive approach with lattice QCD input

RBC/UKQCD preliminary



Good lattice agreement, using 4 different quark actions

BMW 23 add η, η'

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{HLbL, ps-poles}} = 8.51(52) \times 10^{-10}$$

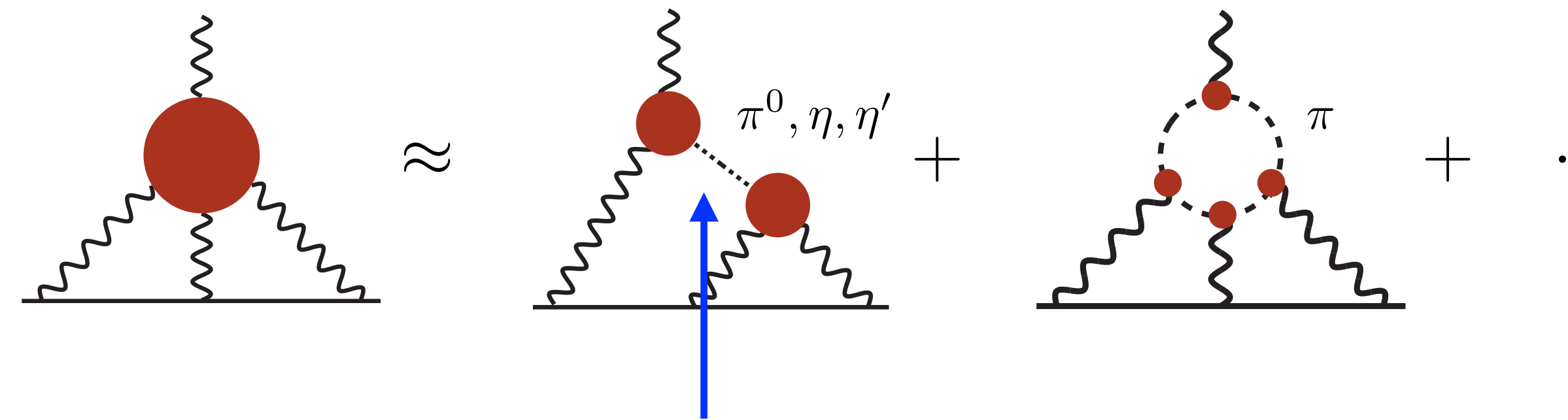
$$= 9.38(40) \times 10^{-10} \quad (\text{WP20})$$

NOT total HLbL

Lattice is 2σ lower than WP20 for η but the difference is small: 0.5×10^{-10}

ETM, 2308.12548,
BMW, 2305.04570,
Mainz, 1903.09471

CONCLUDE : HLbL looking good, lattice providing critical input



Pseudoscalar transition form factor

$$\mathcal{F}_{P\gamma^*\gamma^*}(-Q_1^2, -Q_2^2)$$

Calculate PVV 3-point function and take weighted sum over time-insertions of one V to fix γ energy
Details: A.Gerardin, Lattice2023

PS poles dominate - other contributions $\sim \pm 1.5 \times 10^{-10}$ tend to cancel (WP20)

Conclusions

There is almost certainly less new physics in muon $g-2$ than previously hoped, and perhaps none.

Lots still to understand in $e^+e^- \rightarrow$ hadrons data, tensions between expts. and with τ . Lattice evidence stacks up in favour of CMD3

Opportunity for lattice to finalise HVP results in next few years and provide SM result (uncertainty needed $\sim 0.5\%$).

Requires multiple results from different groups using blinded analyses (underway).

This could include making use of data-driven results (even with tensions) for the long-time tail, since quickest route to numbers with reasonable uncertainties.

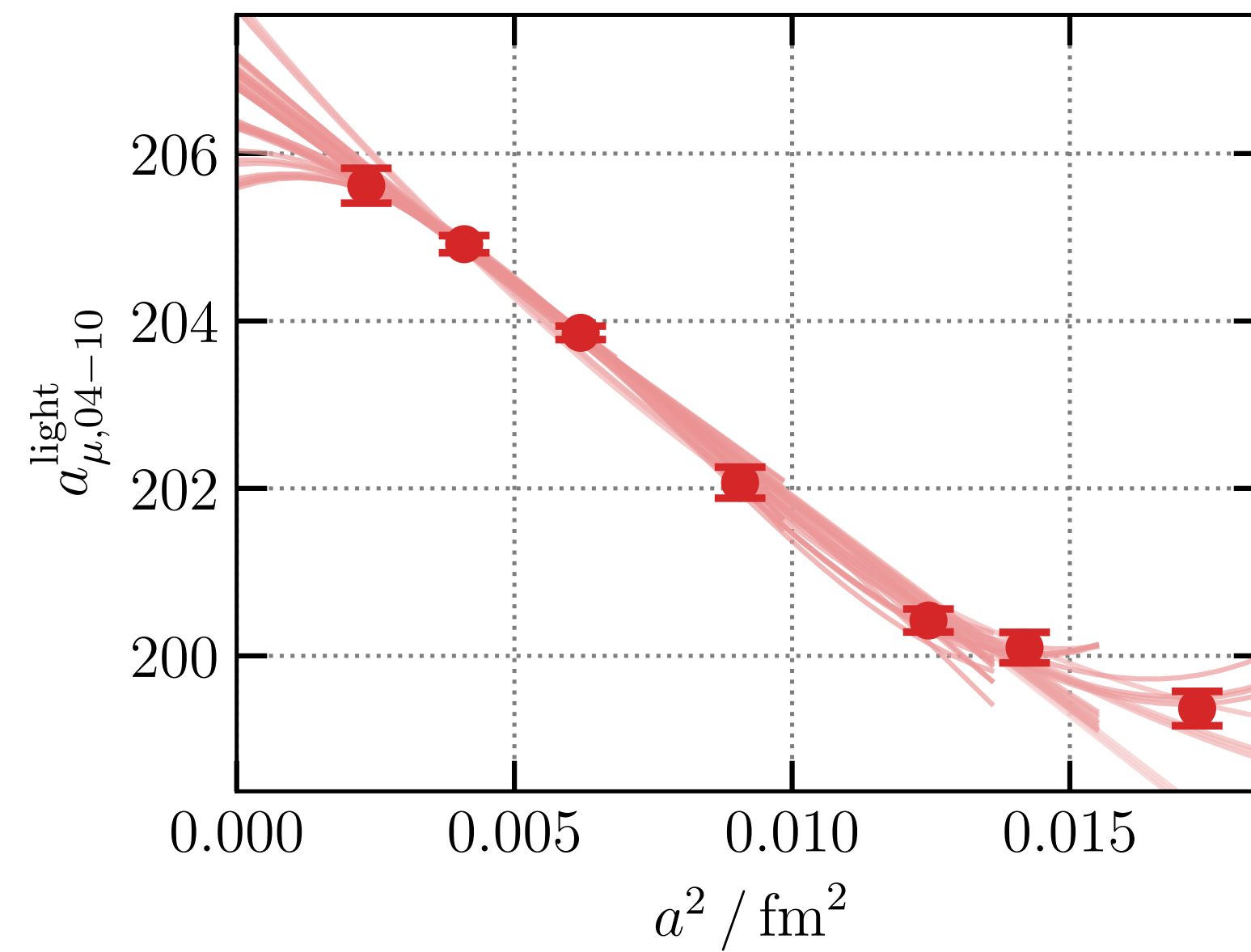
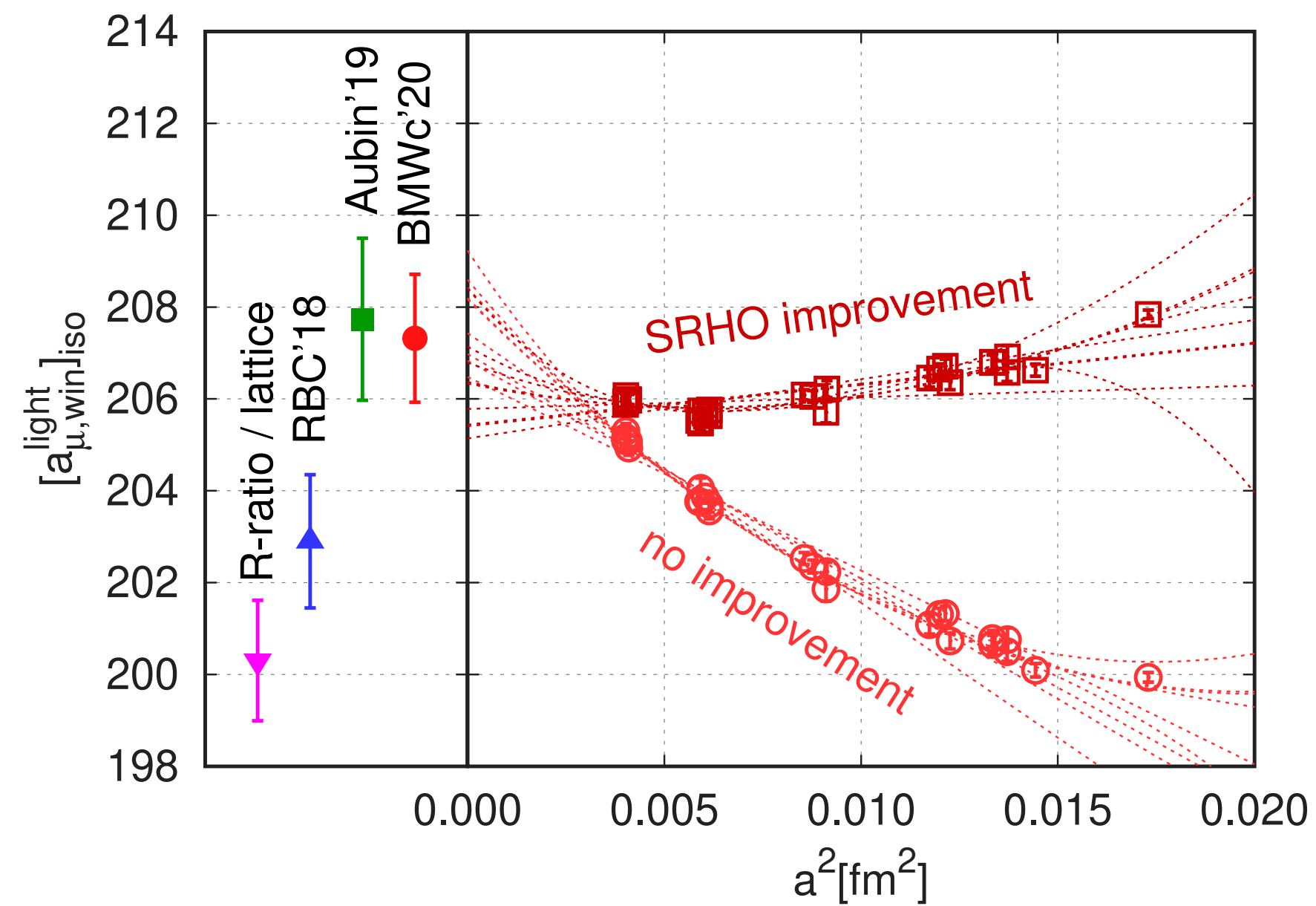
Progress on HLbL contribution also important and continuing.

Timescales: New theory white paper, end 2024; FINAL muon $g-2$ result 2025, further experimental info. (e^+e^- , J-PARC, MuonE) later in 2020s, early 2030s.

Spare

BMW/DMZ '24 and BMW20

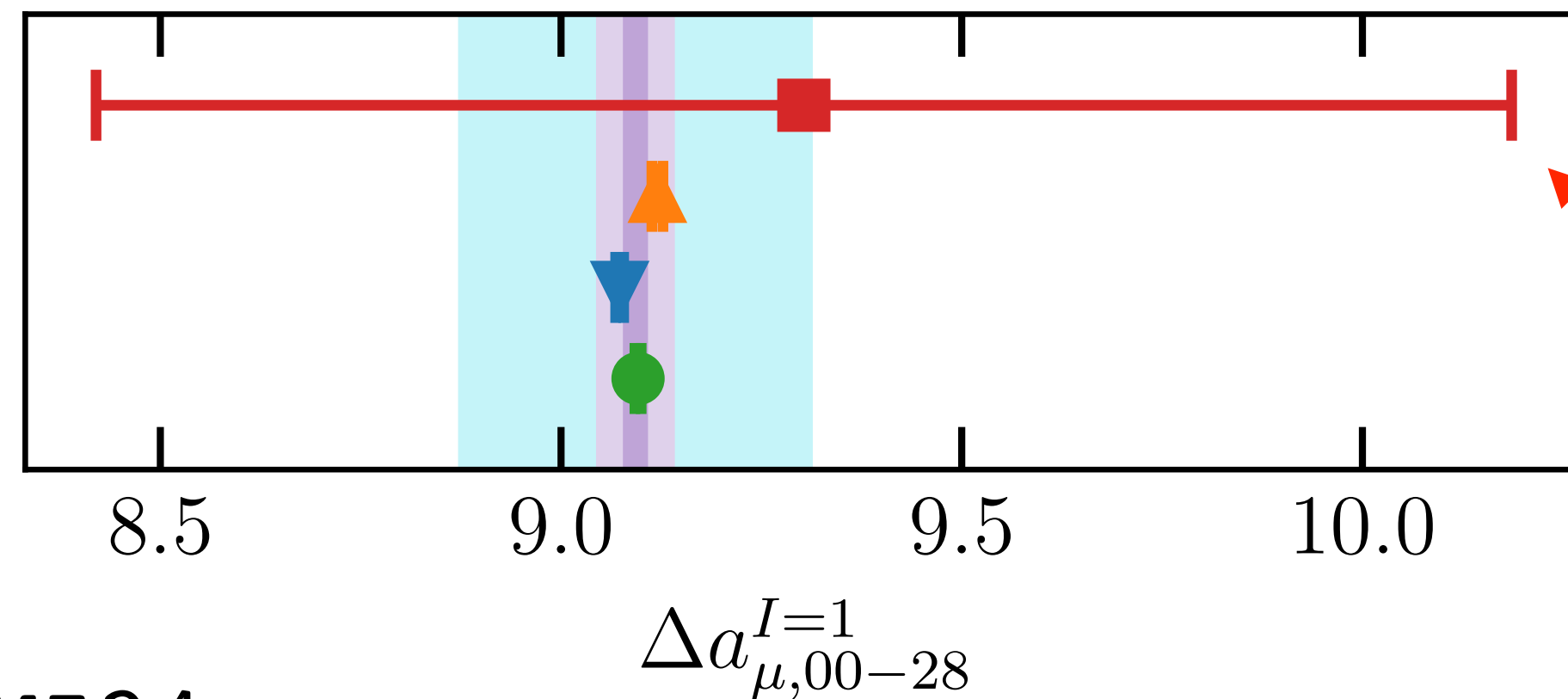
Divide time region for light-q-conn into several windows: 0-0.4, 0.4-0.6, 0.6-1.2, 1.2-2.8. Correlated fit to last 3 allows different fit forms in different regions, lowers uncertainty.



BMW20 ,
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BMW/DMZ24 ,
2407.10913

BMW/DMZ '24 and BMW20



Finite-volume correction from $L=6.8\text{fm}$ to ∞

BMW/DMZ '24 have correction $9.31(88)$ for $0-2.8\text{fm}$ window. Test versus models using data-driven input.

BMW '20 have correction $18.7(2.5)$ for full calculation .

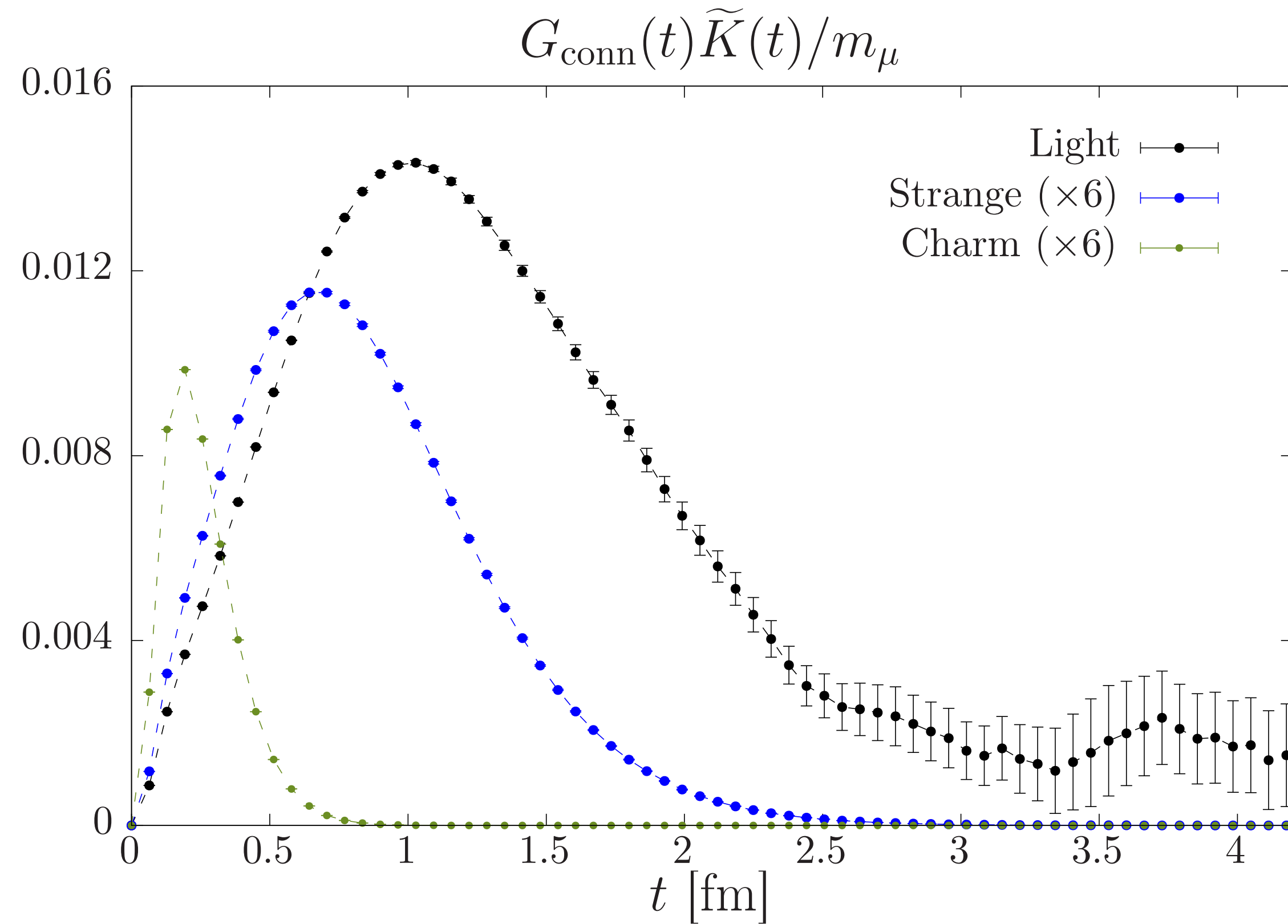
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Difference between BMW/DMZ '24 and BMW20 for the total HVP:

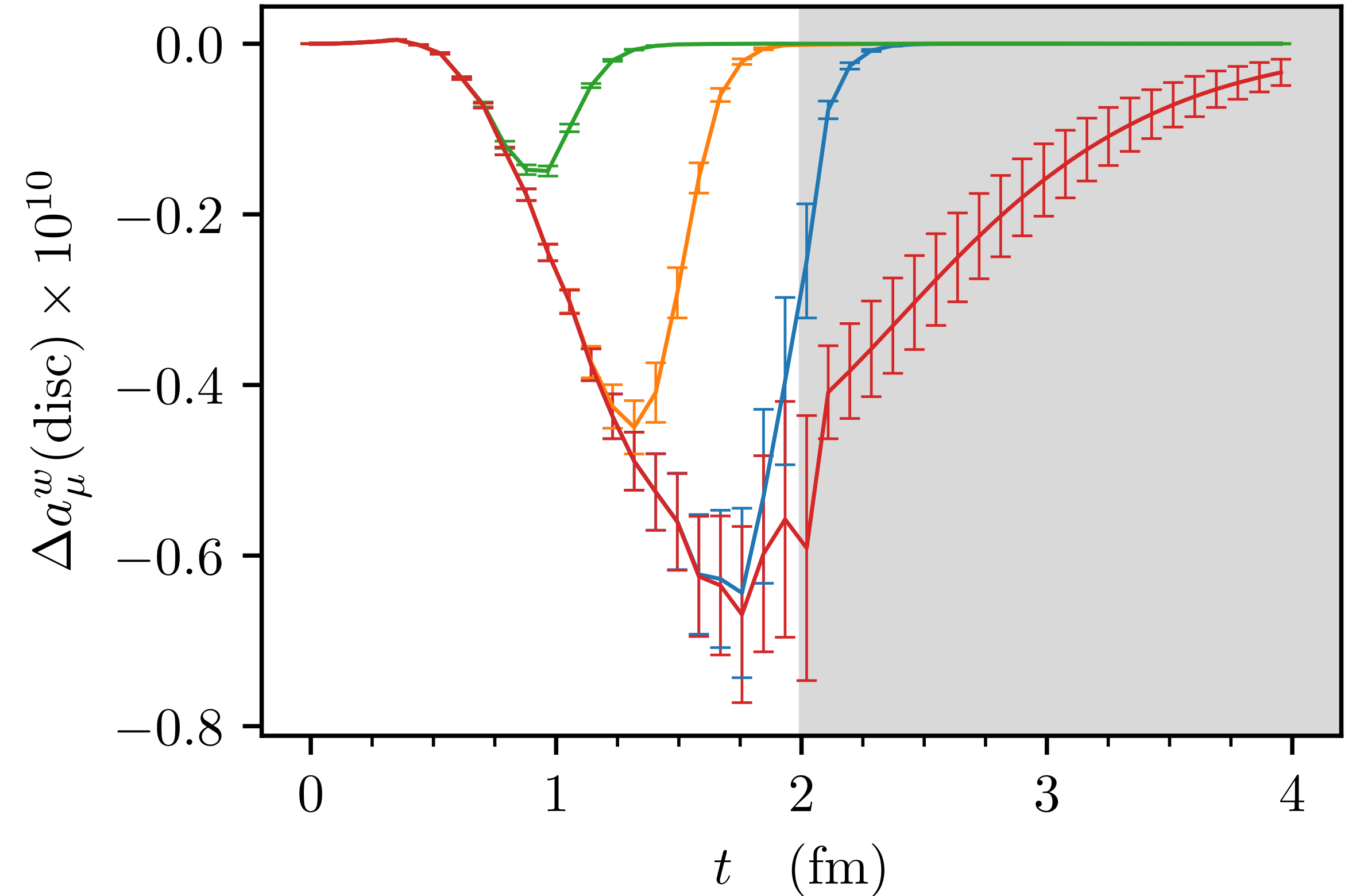
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LOHVP,BMW/DMZ24}} - a_{\mu}^{\text{LOHVP,BMW20}} = 6.5(5.5) \times 10^{-10}$$

i.e. 1.2σ

Different flavour lattice correlators



Gerardin,
Lattice2023



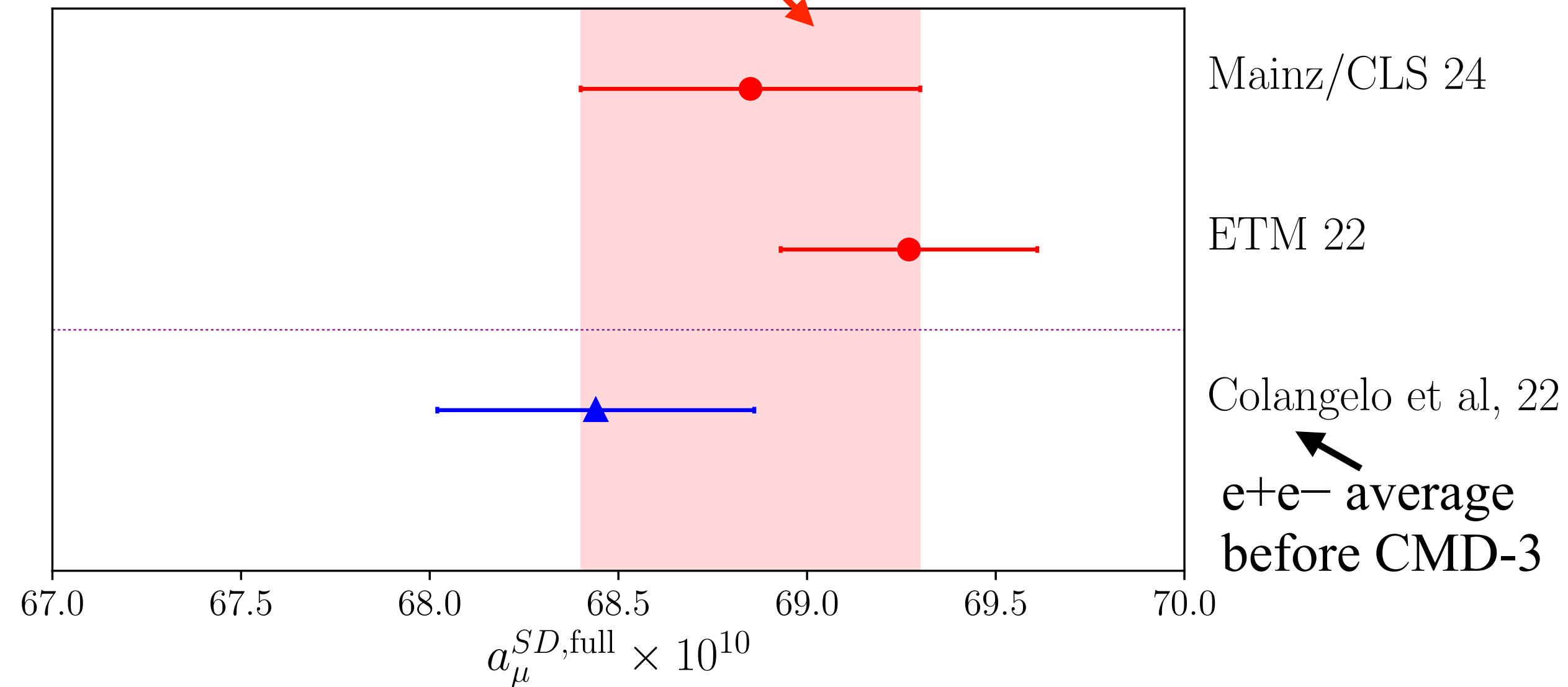
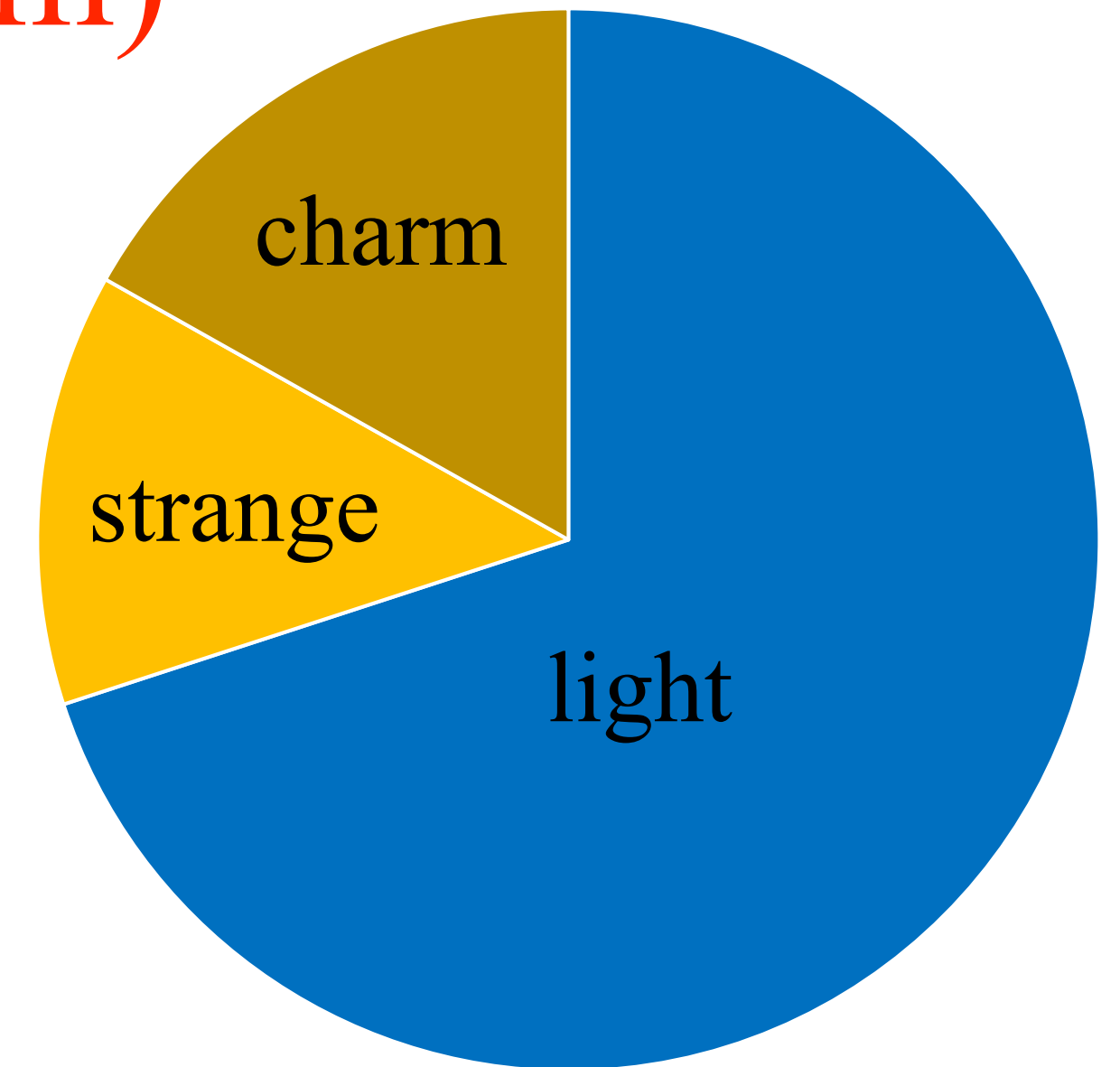
FHM, 2207.04765

Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

Short-distance 'window' 0.0 - 0.4 fm ($\Delta t=0.15$ fm)

Full HVP in window -
compare directly to
data-driven results

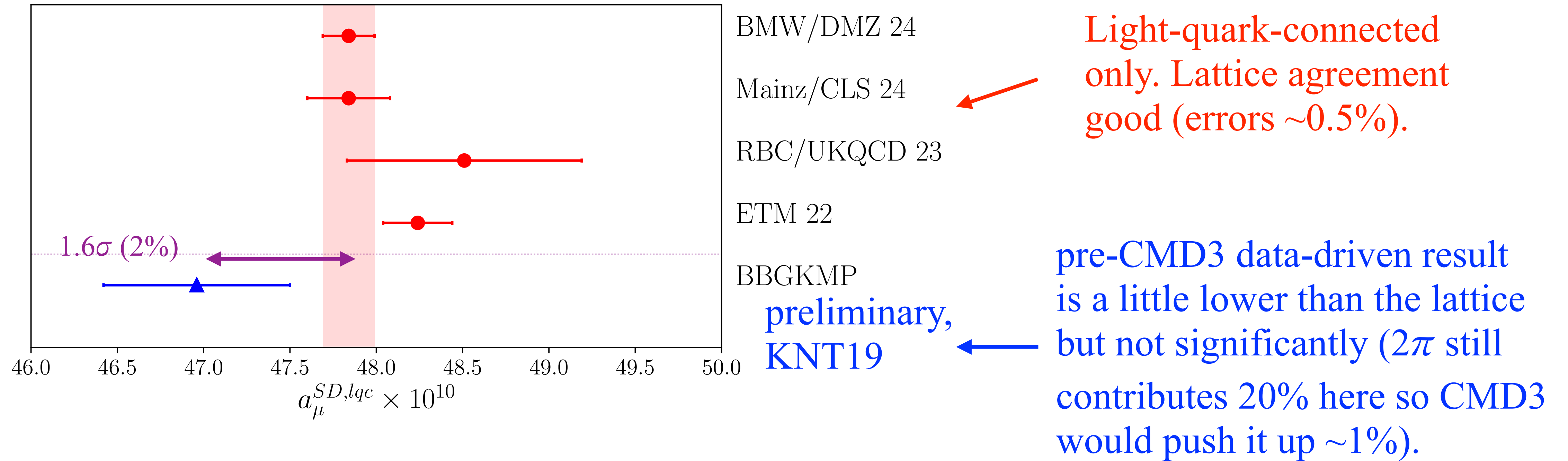
Flavour
contributions to
window \longrightarrow



pre-CMD3 data-driven is in
reasonable agreement at these
short times (2π still
contributes 20% here).

Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

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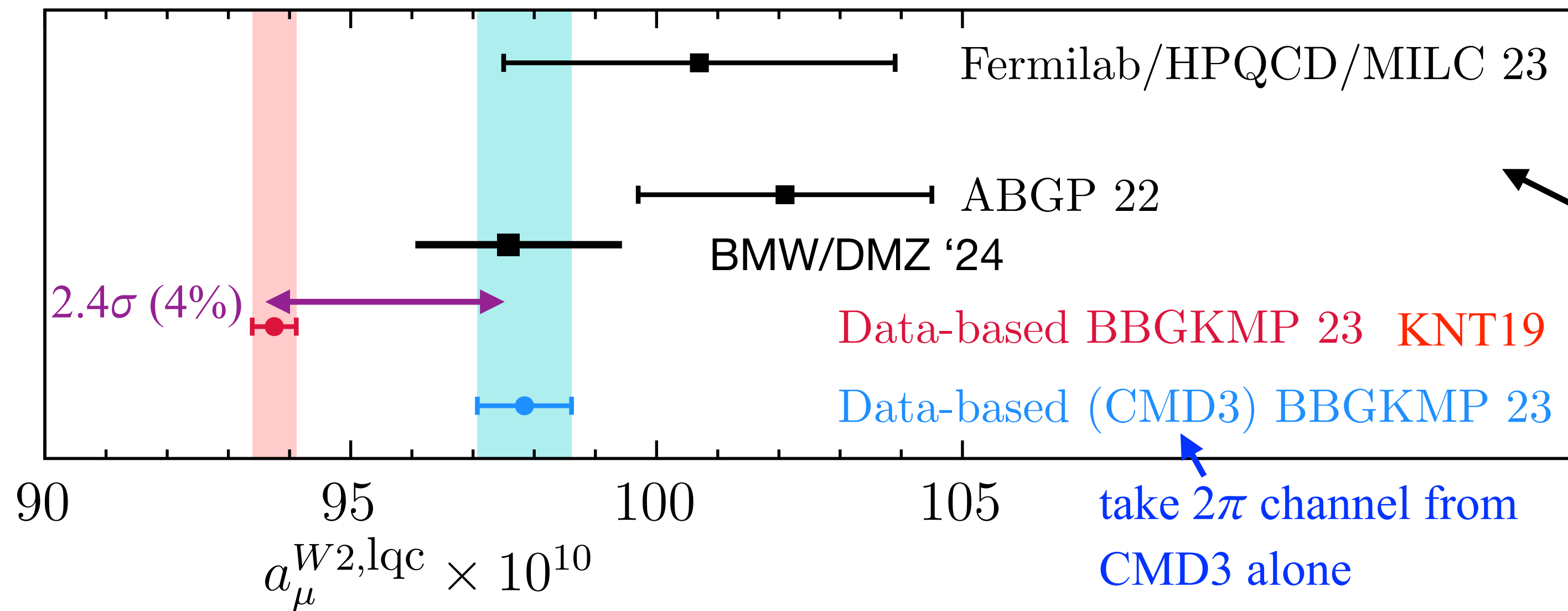


Comparing data-driven and lattice HVP results

A 'window' at larger times 1.5 - 1.9 fm ($\Delta t=0.15$ fm) (W2)

Aubin et al '22, 2204.12256

BBGKMP 2311.09523



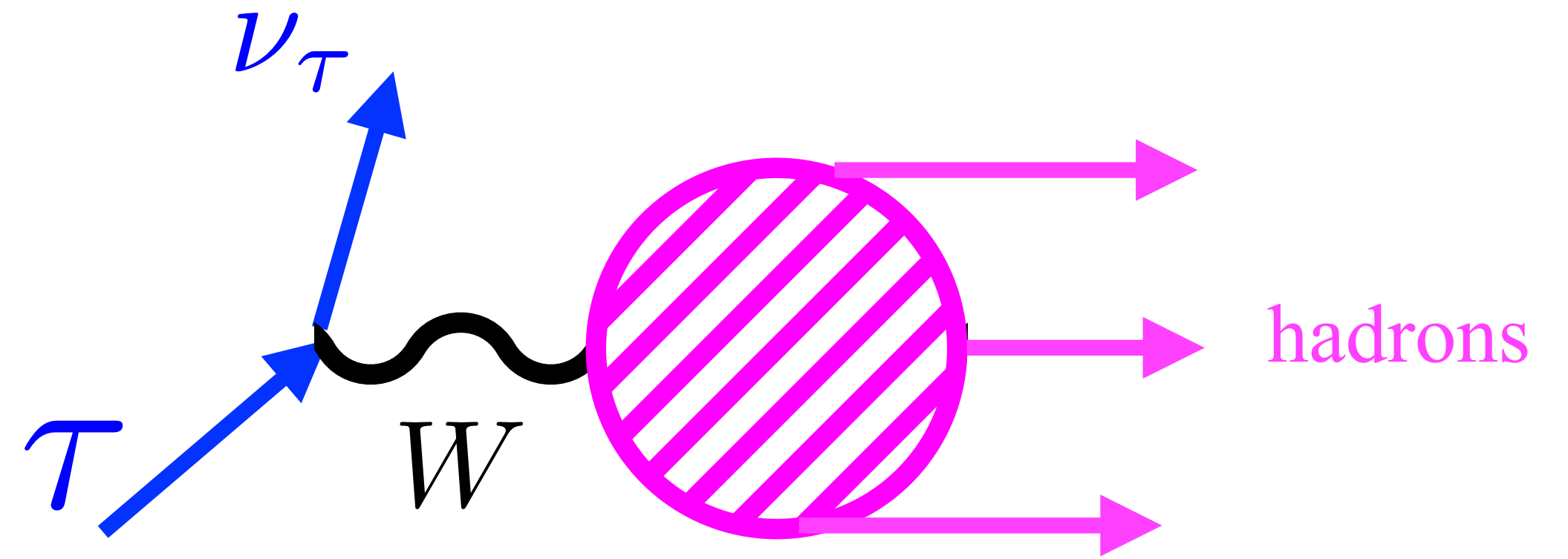
Statistically noisier but better control of finite-vol, pion-mass corrections.

Lattice results agree. Some tension between lattice and pre-CMD3 e^+e^- . Lattice stat. errors too high ($\sim 2\%$) for this small window to be clear?

Issues with data for data-driven HVP

2) Inclusion of LEP data for τ hadronic decay

Can select states (even number of pions) corresponding to vector current $\bar{u}\gamma_\mu d$



Measure spectral function, $v_1(s)$: distribution in $s=(\text{mass hadrons})^2$

ALEPH: hep-ex/0506072

$$\sigma^{I=1}(e^+e^- \rightarrow X^0) = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{s} v_{1,X^0} \quad \text{exact isospin limit}$$

key modes: $\pi^+\pi^-$ and $\pi^0\pi^-$

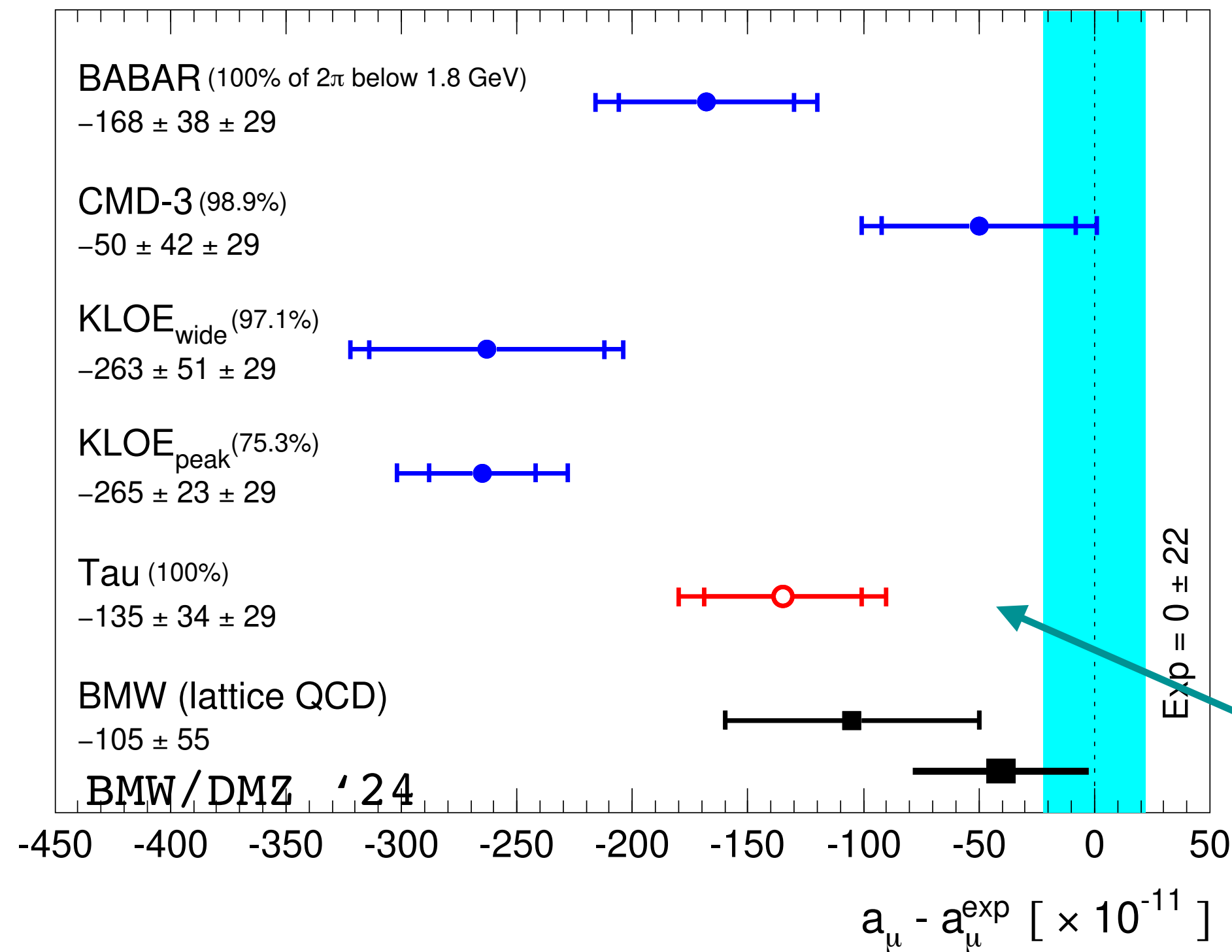
Need correction for IB = ρ - ω mixing in e^+e^- +EM, FSR

τ result for 2π (up to 1.8 GeV) in HVP agrees well with BaBar, higher than KLOE.

Opportunity for lattice?

M. Bruno talk Mon.

DHLMZ 2312.02053



3) BaBar study of initial-state radiation (2308.05233) suggests issues with PHOKHARA Monte Carlo. May affect KLOE and BES radiative return experiments. Further study needed.

MuONe experiment @ CERN

Strong Liverpool involvement

R. Pilato, TI workshop, Sept. 2023

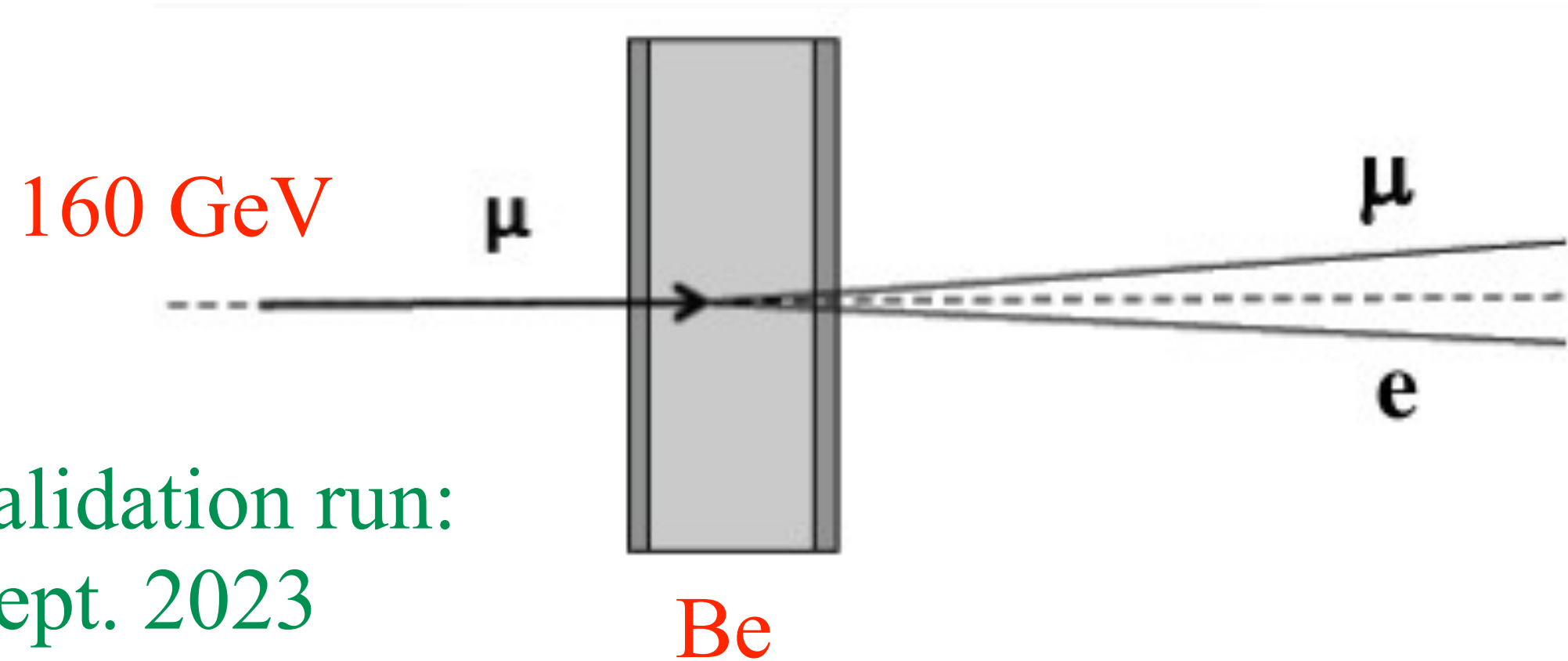
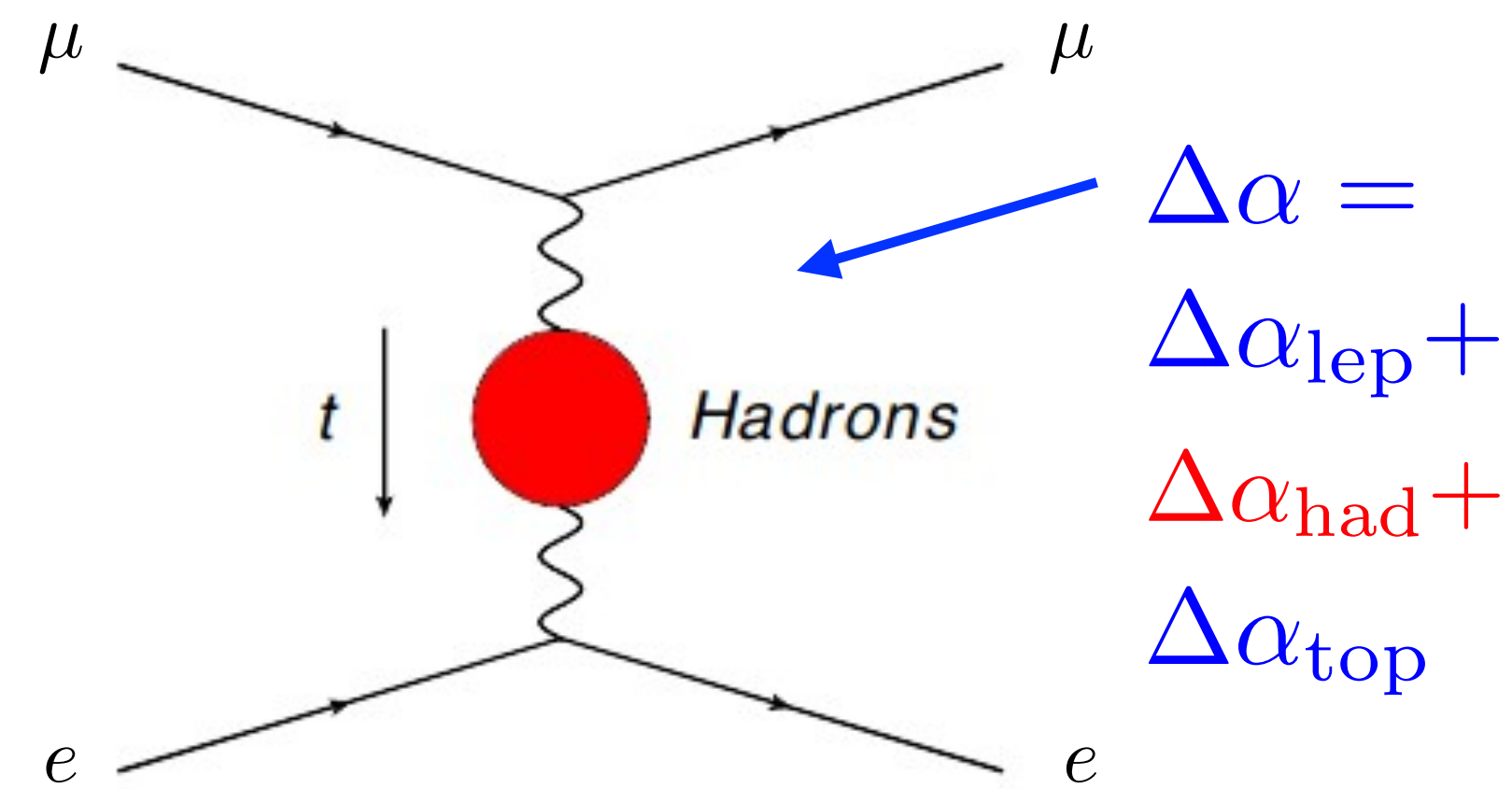
Measure hadronic contribution to running of α from μ scattering from atomic electrons.

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{LOHVP}} = \frac{\alpha_0}{\pi} \int_0^1 dx (1-x) \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(t(x))$$

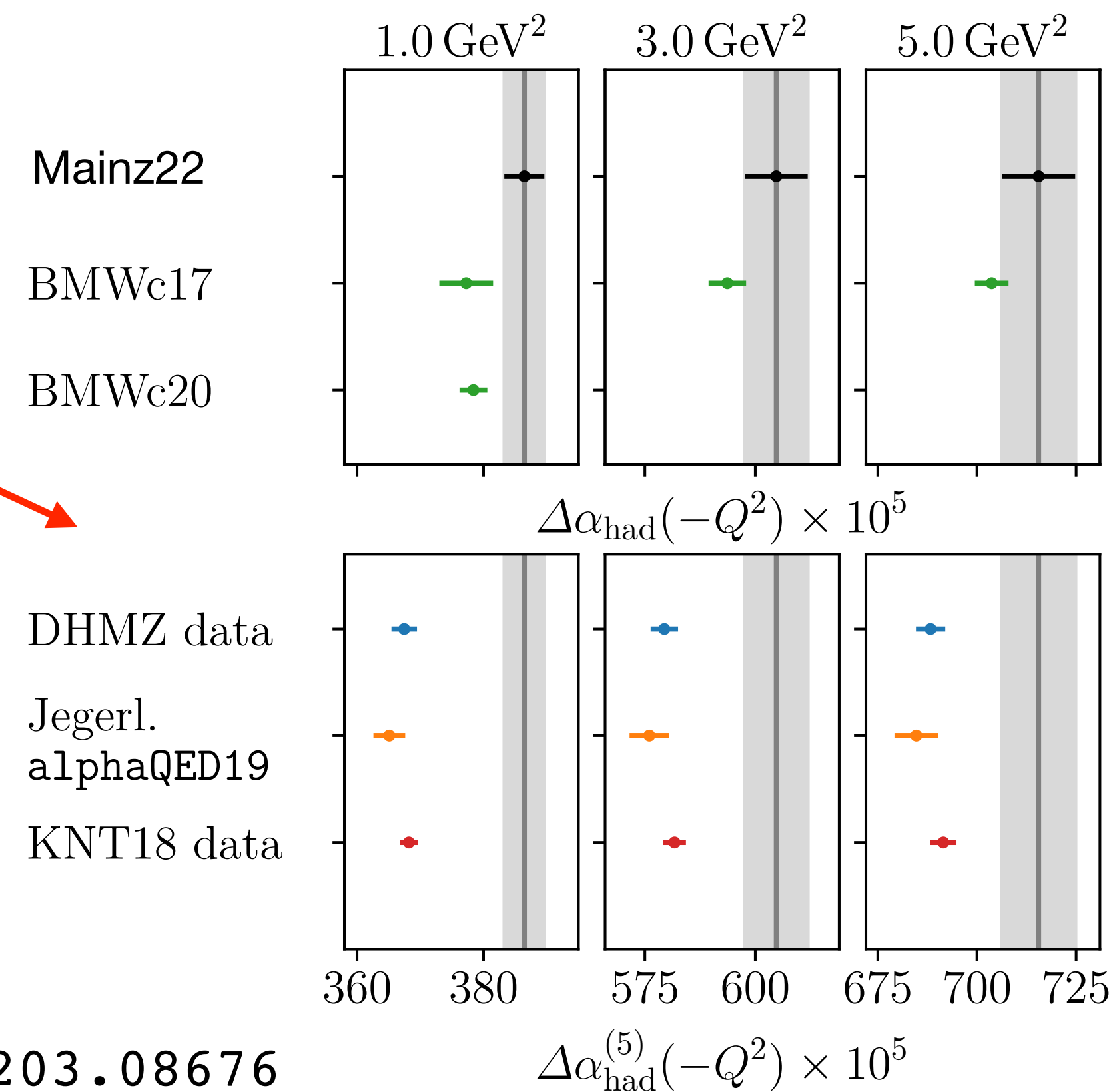
$$t(x) = \frac{x^2 m_{\mu}^2}{x-1} < 0$$

$$-0.153 \text{ GeV}^2 < t < 0$$

gives 88% of a_{μ}^{LOHVP}



Tensions in $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}$ between lattice and pre-CMD3 e^+e^- at small t .



validation run:
Sept. 2023

Schedule:

- 2-4 month test run 2025 with $\sim 1/4$ apparatus - measure to few %
- Full apparatus to be installed after Long shutdown 3 (2026-2029).
- 3 years running will achieve 0.3% stat. + 0.3% syst.
- theory work also needed

we need to have lattice HVP finalised before then

Mainz, 2203.08676