

DETERMINATION OF V_{us} : RECENT PROGRESSES FROM THEORY

OUTLINE

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1. Motivations for V_{us}

The most important: $|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 = 1$

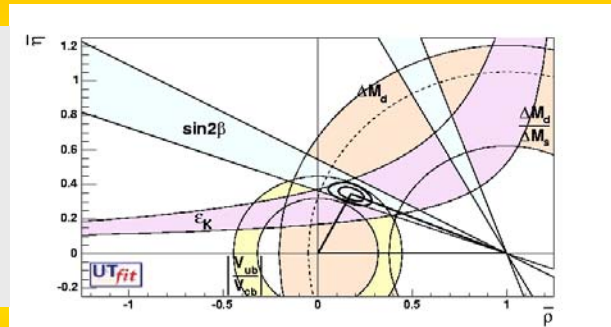
2. K^3 decays: the best determination of V_{us}

- * Experiments: several new (very important) results
- * Theory: determination of $f_+(0)$
 - ChPT: the relevant LEC at $O(p^6)$ unknown
 - Quark model: Leutwyler and Roos
 - Lattice QCD: first calculation

MOTIVATIONS

$V_{us} = \lambda$ is a fundamental SM parameter

The values of $V_{us} = \lambda$ and $V_{cb} = A\lambda^2$ are crucial inputs in the Unitarity Triangle Analysis



V_{ud} , V_{us} provide the most stringent test of unitarity

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 = 1$$

$$\Delta|V_{ud}|^2 \approx \Delta|V_{us}|^2 \approx 1 \cdot 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{ub}|^2 \approx 10^{-5}$$

THE "FIRST ROW" UNITARITY TEST:

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 = 1$$

Status of V_{ud} :

SFT $0^+ \rightarrow 0^+$: $|V_{ud}| = 0.9740 \pm 0.0005$

Extremely precise,
9 experiments

n β -decay: $|V_{ud}| = 0.9750 \pm 0.0017$

→ **See next** ←

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BR=10⁻⁸
(PIBETA at PSI)

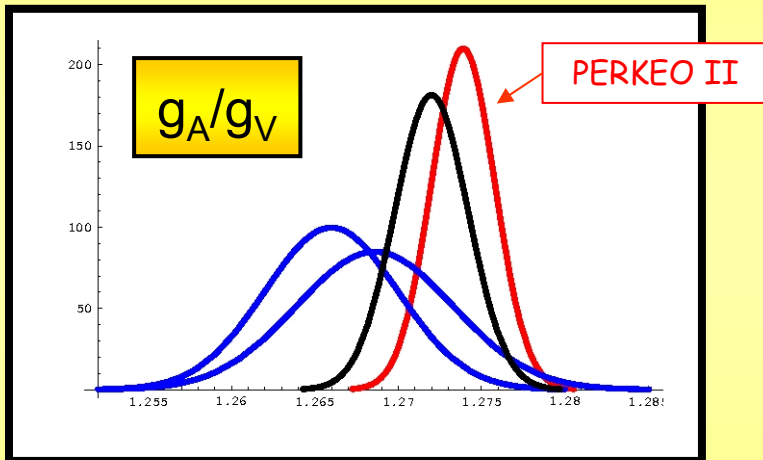
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V_{ud} from neutron β -decay:

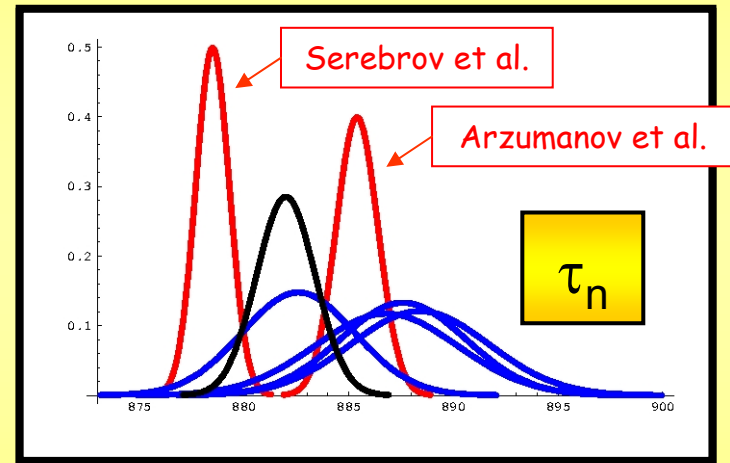
$$\frac{1}{\tau_n} = \frac{G_F^2 m_e^5}{2\pi^3} |V_{ud}|^2 \left[1 + 3 \left(\frac{g_A}{g_V} \right)^2 \right] f (1 + RC)^2$$

$$f = 1.6887$$

$$(1 + RC) = 1.0390(8)$$



$$g_A/g_V = 1.2720 \pm 0.0022$$



$$\tau_n = 885.7 \pm 0.8 \text{ sec} \quad \text{PDG 04}$$

$$\tau_n = 878.5 \pm 0.8 \text{ sec} \quad \text{Serebrov et al.}$$

$$\rightarrow \tau_n = 882.0 \pm 1.4 \text{ sec}$$

$$|V_{ud}| = 0.9729 \pm 0.0016$$

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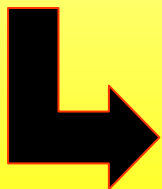
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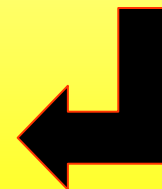
$$|V_{us}|^{\text{Unit.}} = 0.2265 \pm 0.0021$$

PDG 2004 (BNL-E865+old exps)

$$|V_{us}|^{\text{Kl3}} = 0.2200 \pm 0.0026$$

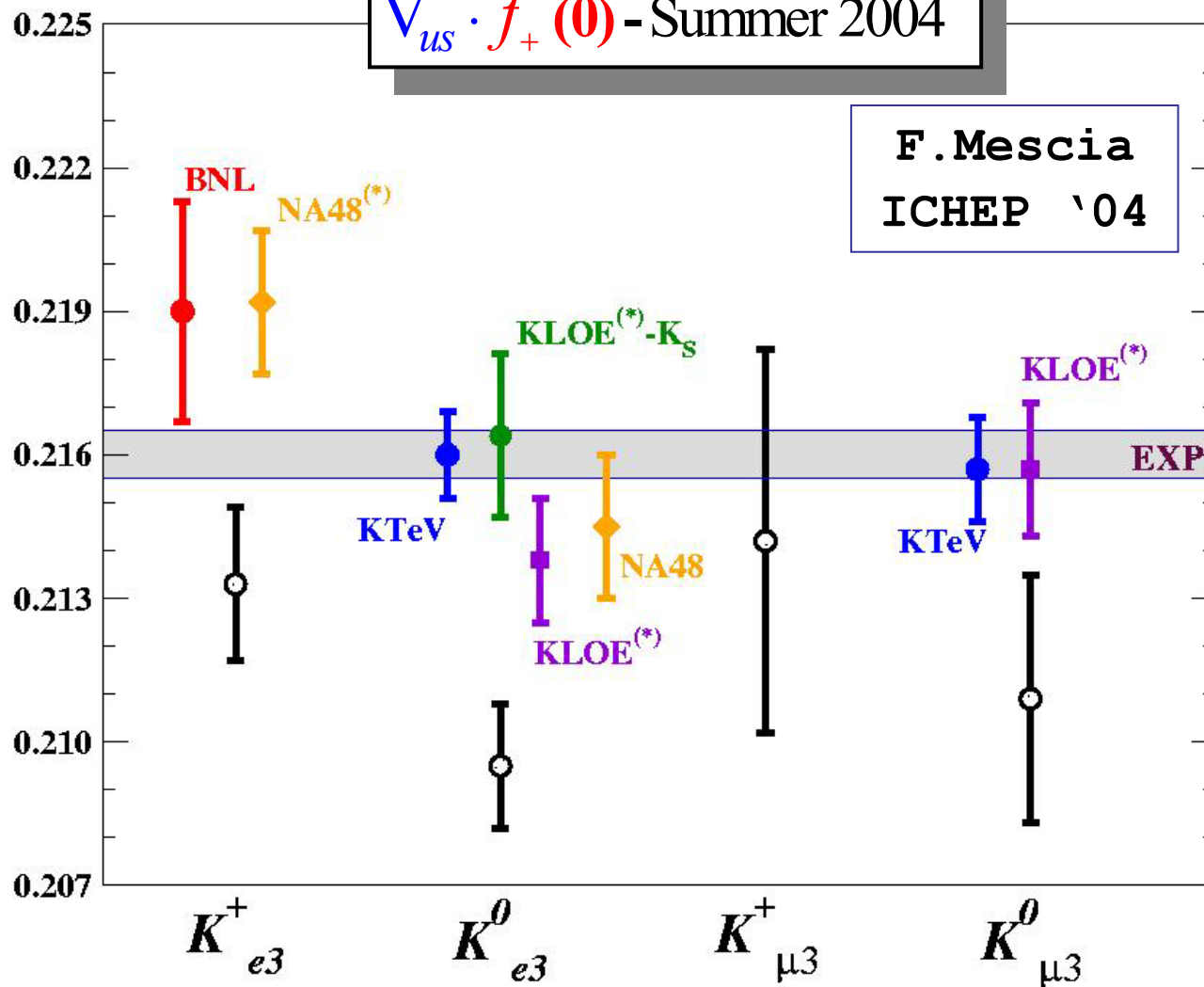


$\sim 2\sigma$ discrepancy



K^{*}3: the NEW experimental results

$V_{us} \cdot f_+(0)$ - Summer 2004



BNL-E865

PRL 91, (2003)
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KTeV

PRL 93, (2004)
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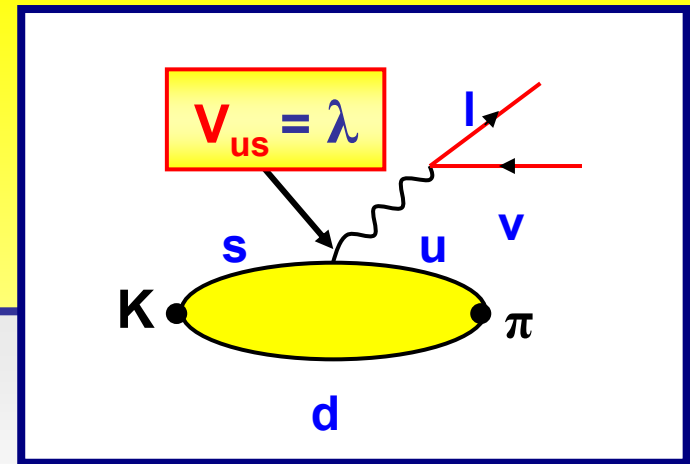
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PL B602, (2004)
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KLOE

Presented @
ICHEP 04

K⁺3 theory



$$\Gamma(K \rightarrow \pi e \nu(\gamma)) = \frac{G_F^2 M_K^5}{192\pi^3} \cdot$$

$$\cdot C_K^2 |V_{us}|^2 |f_+^{K^0\pi^-}(0)|^2 I_K S_{ew} (1 + \delta_{SU(2)}^K + \delta_{em}^{Kl})^2$$

S_{ew}		$\delta_{SU(2)}^K$ (%)	δ_{em}^{Kl} (%)		Accurately known
			3-body	full	
1.0232(3) (Sirlin 82')	K_{e3}^+	2.31 ± 0.22	-0.35 ± 0.16	-0.10 ± 0.16	$\frac{\Delta V_{us} }{ V_{us} } \approx 0.2\%$
	K_{e3}^0	0	$+0.30 \pm 0.10$	$+0.55 \pm 0.10$	
	$K_{\mu 3}^+$	2.31 ± 0.22	-0.05 ± 0.20	$+0.20 \pm 0.20$	
	$K_{\mu 3}^0$	0	$+0.55 \pm 0.20$	$+0.80 \pm 0.20$	

$$f_+^{K^+\pi^0}(0) = 1.023 f_+^{K^0\pi^-}(0)$$

(Andre 04', Cirigliano 02'-04')

$I_K(\lambda_+, \lambda_0)$ accurately measured: $\Delta|V_{us}|/|V_{us}| \approx 0.3\%$

THE FORM FACTOR $f_+(0)$:

The Ademollo-Gatto theorem:

$$f_+(0) = 1 - O(m_s - m_u)^2$$

Still, $f_+(0)$ gives the largest uncertainty: $\Delta|V_{us}|/|V_{us}| \approx 1\%$

ChPT

$$f_+(0) = 1 + f_2 + f_4 + O(p^8)$$

Vector Current
Conservation

$f_2 = -0.023$
Independent of L_i
(Ademollo-Gatto)

THE LARGEST
UNCERTAINTY

“Standard” estimate:

Leutwyler, Roos (1984)
(QUARK MODEL)

$$f_4 = -0.016 \pm 0.008$$

f_4 : the complete ChPT $O(p^6)$ -calculation

Post, Schilcher (2001), Bijmans, Talavera (2003):

$$f_4 = \Delta_{\text{loops}}(\mu) - \frac{8}{F_\pi^4} [C_{12}(\mu) + C_{34}(\mu)] (M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)^2$$

$C_{12}(\mu)$ and $C_{34}(\mu)$ can be determined from the slope and the curvature of the scalar form factor:

$$\lambda_0 = \frac{1}{M_K^2 - M_\pi^2} \left(\frac{f_K}{f_\pi} - 1 \right) + \frac{d}{dt} \bar{\Delta}(\mu, t) + \frac{8}{f_\pi^4} (2C_{12}(\mu) + C_{34}(\mu)) (M_K^2 + M_\pi^2)$$
$$c_0 = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} \bar{\Delta}(\mu, t) - \frac{8}{f_\pi^4} C_{12}(\mu)$$

Experimental data, however, are not accurate enough. ₉

MODEL ESTIMATES OF f_4

	f_4^{LOC}	$\Delta_{\text{loops}}(\mu)$	$f_+(0) = 1 + f_2 + f_4$
PDG: LR, 1984 Quark model	- 0.016 (8)		0.961 ± 0.008
Bijnens, Talavera '03 Quark model (LR)	- 0.016 (8)	0.015 (6)	0.976 ± 0.010
Jamin, Oller, Pich '04 Dispersive analysis	- 0.018 (9)	0.015 (6)	0.974 ± 0.011
Cirigliano et al., '04 Resonance saturation	- 0.012 (?)	0.015 (6)	$0.980 \pm \dots$

$\mu = ??$ $\Delta_{\text{loops}}(1\text{GeV}) = 0.004$ $\Delta_{\text{loops}}(M_\rho) = 0.015$ $\Delta_{\text{loops}}(M_\eta) = 0.031$

The ± 0.010 error might well be underestimated...

Lattice QCD calculation of $f_+(0)$

D.Becirevic, G.Isidori, V.L., G.Martinelli, F.Mescia,
S.Simula, C.Tarantino, G.Villadoro.

[NPB 705 (2005) 339, hep-ph/0403217; hep-lat/0411016]

VERY CHALLENGING:

A PRECISION OF $O(1\%)$ MUST BE REACHED ON THE LATTICE !!

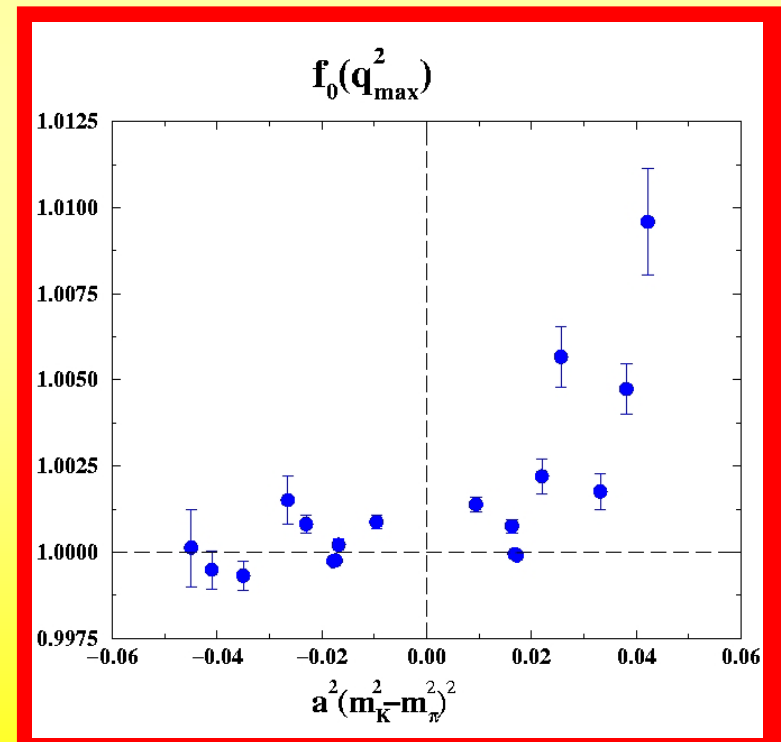
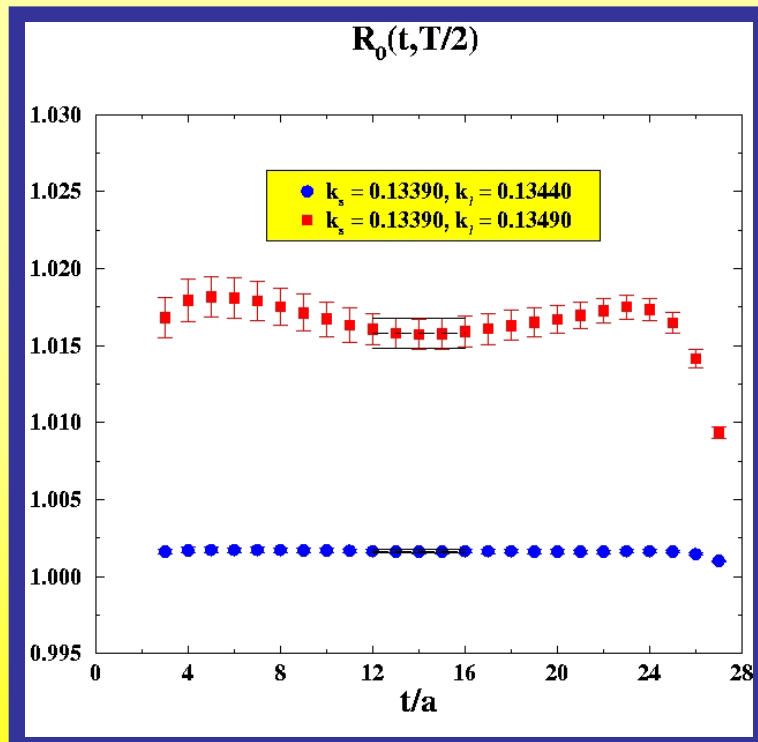
THE STRATEGY:

- 1) Evaluation of $f_0(q_{MAX}^2)$ with high precision (better than 1%)
- 2) Extrapolation of $f_0(q_{MAX}^2)$ to $f_0(0)=f_+(0)$ by evaluating the slope λ_0
- 3) Extrapolation to the physical meson masses

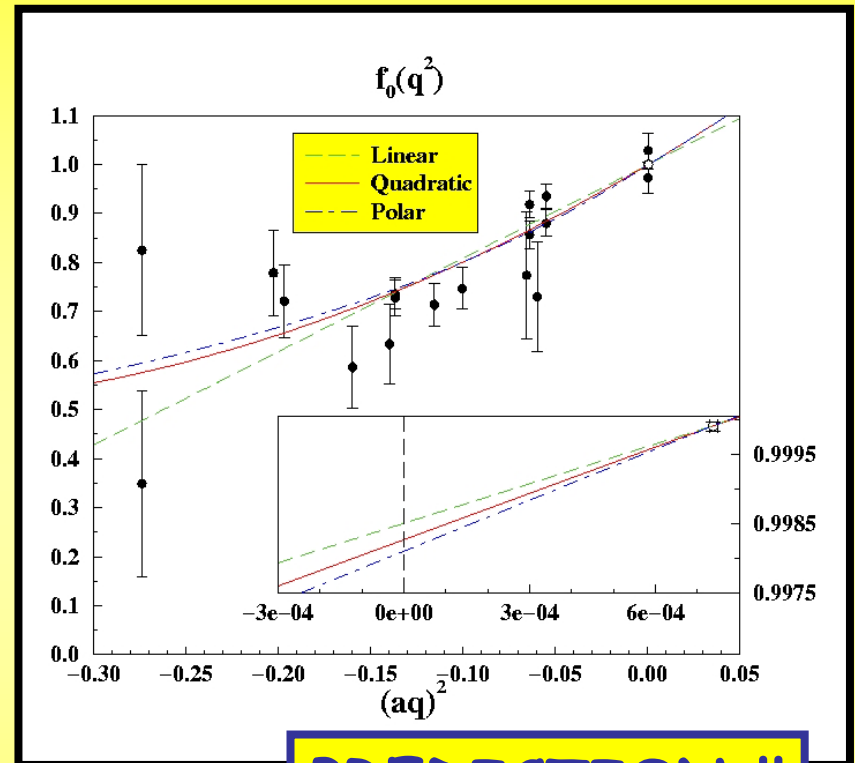
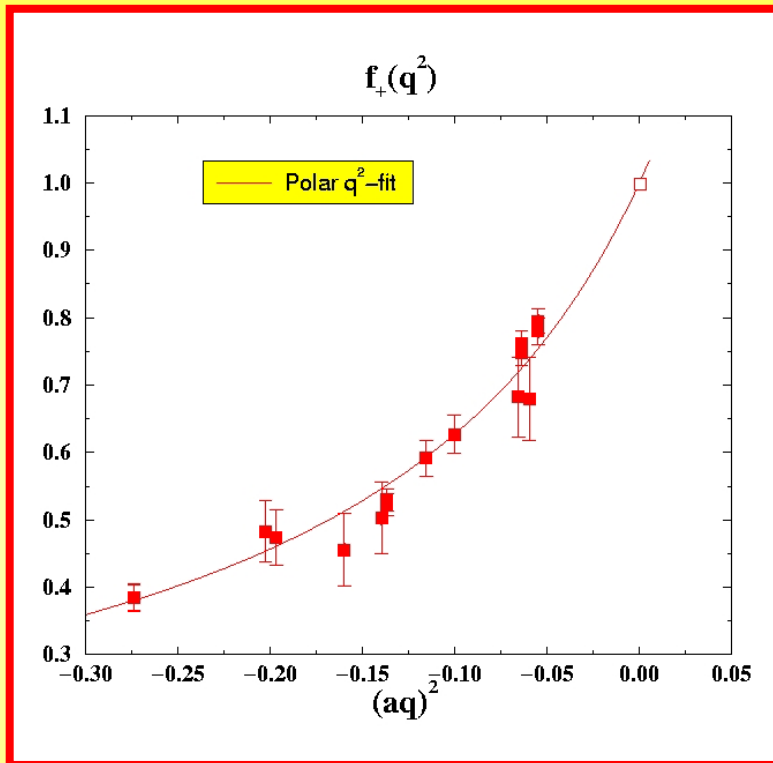
1) Evaluation of $f_0(q_{MAX}^2)$

The basic ingredient is a **double ratio** of correlation functions:

$$R = \frac{\langle \pi | \bar{s} \gamma_0 u | K \rangle \langle K | \bar{u} \gamma_0 s | \pi \rangle}{\langle \pi | \bar{u} \gamma_0 u | \pi \rangle \langle K | \bar{s} \gamma_0 s | K \rangle} = \frac{(M_K + M_\pi)^2}{4M_K M_\pi} f_0(q_{max}^2)^2 \quad [\text{FNAL}]$$



2) Extrapolation of $f_0(q_{MAX}^2)$ to $f_0(0)$



Comparison of polar fits:

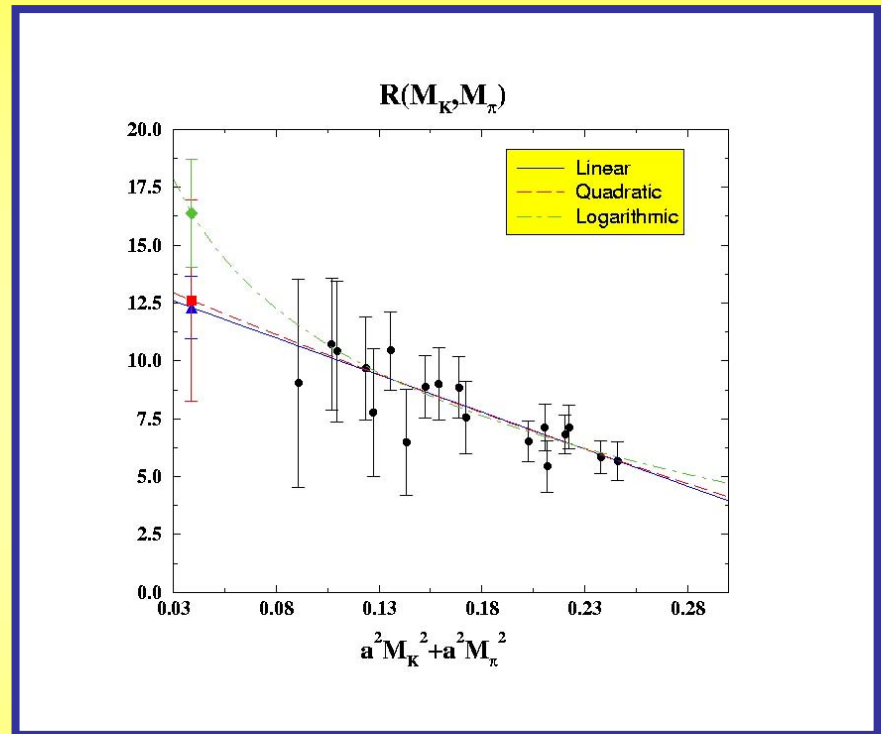
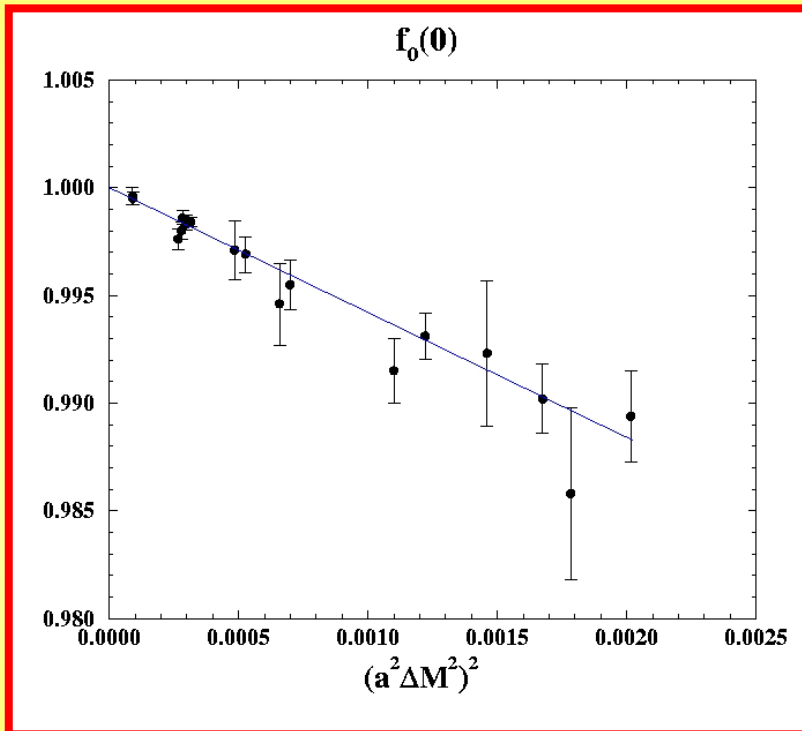
LQCD: $\lambda_+ = (25 \pm 2) 10^{-3}$

KTeV: $\lambda_+ = (24.11 \pm 0.36) 10^{-3}$

$\lambda_0 = (12 \pm 2) 10^{-3}$

$\lambda_0 = (13.62 \pm 0.73) 10^{-3}$

3) Extrapolation to the physical masses



The Ademollo-Gatto theorem

$$f(0) = 1 + O[(M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)]^2$$

$$R = \frac{f_+(0) - 1 - f_2^{\text{QUEN}}}{(M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)^2}$$

Computed in Quenched-ChPT

Systematic error: (besides the quenched approximation)
mainly from the q^2 and mass dependencies of the form factor

• **Final result**:

$$\Delta f \equiv f_+(0) - 1 - f_2^{\text{QUEN}}$$

$$\Delta f = -0.017 \pm 0.005_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.007_{\text{syst}}$$

Quenching
error is not
included

• **Leutwyler and Roos**: $\Delta f = -0.016 \pm 0.008$

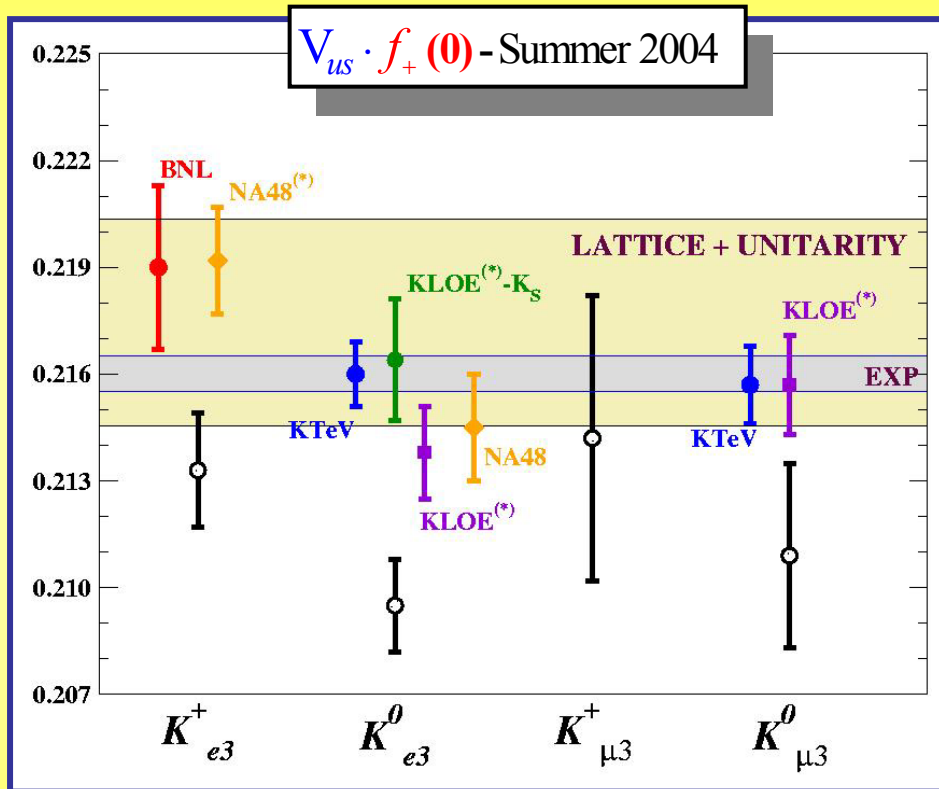
• **Preliminary unquenched result ($n_f=2+1$):**

$$\Delta f = -0.015 \pm 0.006_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.009_{\text{syst}}$$

Fermilab Lattice,
MILC, HPQCD

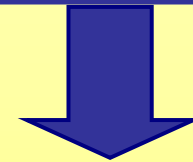
$$f_+(0) = 0.960 \pm 0.005_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.007_{\text{syst}}$$

FIRST ROW UNITARITY



$$[V_{us} \cdot f_+(0)]_{\text{EXP}} = 0.2250 \pm 0.0021$$

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$$V_{us} = 0.2250 \pm 0.0021$$

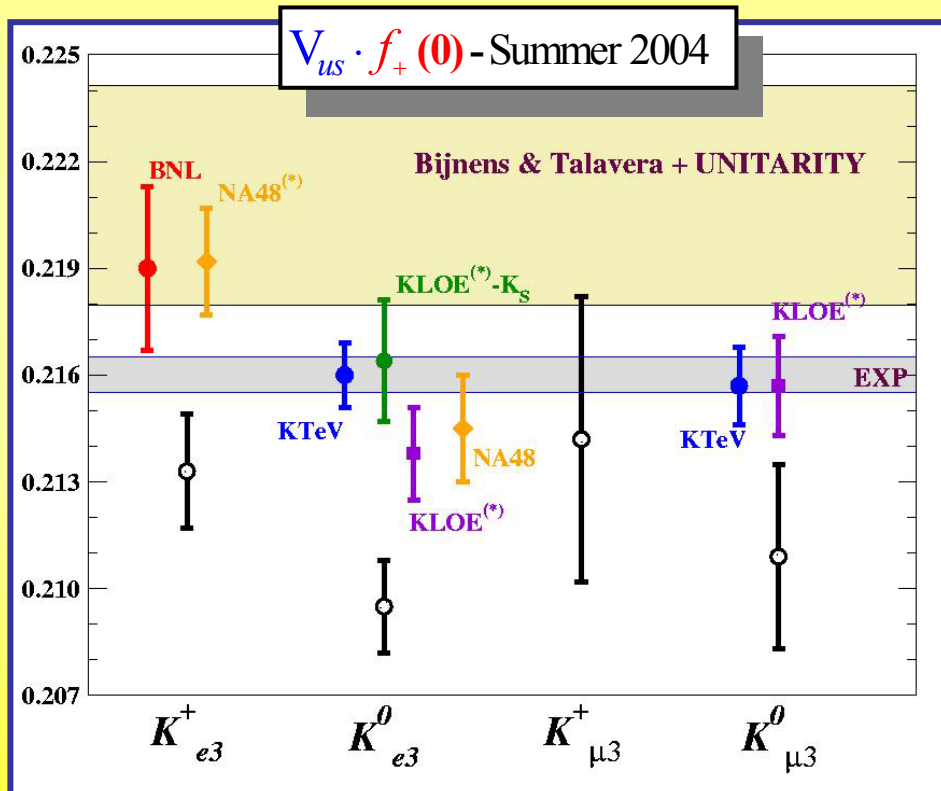
$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 - 1 = -0.0007 \pm 0.0014$$

CONCLUSIONS

- ◆ New **experimental results on $Kl3$ decays** have superseded rather old measurements. Assuming the Leutwyler and Roos determination of the vector form factor, these results turn out to be in good agreement with the unitarity prediction.
- ◆ From the theoretical point of view, the most important ingredient is the determination of the **$Kl3$ vector form factor**
- ◆ **ChPT** alone is not sufficient to determine this form factor at the required level of accuracy
- ◆ The first **Lattice QCD** calculation of the $Kl3$ form factor has been recently performed. The result is in very good agreement with the quark model estimate obtained by Leutwyler and Roos.

BACKUP SLIDES

The unitarity test is less well satisfied when $f_+(0)$ is evaluated by combining the $O(p^6)$ chiral perturbation theory calculation with the quark model estimate of f_4^{LOC} :



$$f_+(0) = 0.976 \pm 0.010$$

[Bijnens & Talavera]

$$V_{us} = 0.2213 \pm 0.0023$$

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 - 1 = -0.0024 \pm 0.0014$$

V_{us} from leptonic kaon decays

$$\frac{\Gamma(K \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu(\gamma))}{\Gamma(\pi \rightarrow \mu \bar{\nu}_\mu(\gamma))} = \frac{|V_{us}|^2 f_K^2 m_K \left(1 - \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_K^2}\right)^2}{|V_{ud}|^2 f_\pi^2 m_\pi \left(1 - \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_\pi^2}\right)^2} 0.9930(35)$$

[Rad.Corr.]

Precise Lattice QCD
calculation of f_K/f_π
($N_f=3$) MILC '04

$$f_\pi = 129.5 \pm 0.9_{\text{stat}} \pm 3.6_{\text{syst}} \text{ MeV}$$
$$f_K = 156.6 \pm 1.0_{\text{stat}} \pm 3.8_{\text{syst}} \text{ MeV}$$
$$f_K/f_\pi = 1.210 \pm 0.004_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.013_{\text{syst}}$$

C. Bernard, update of Marciano 2004: $|V_{us}| = 0.2219(26)$

Agreement with unitarity at 1.4σ

The dominant source of systematic error comes from the lattice calculation \rightarrow VERY DIFFICULT TO REDUCE !!

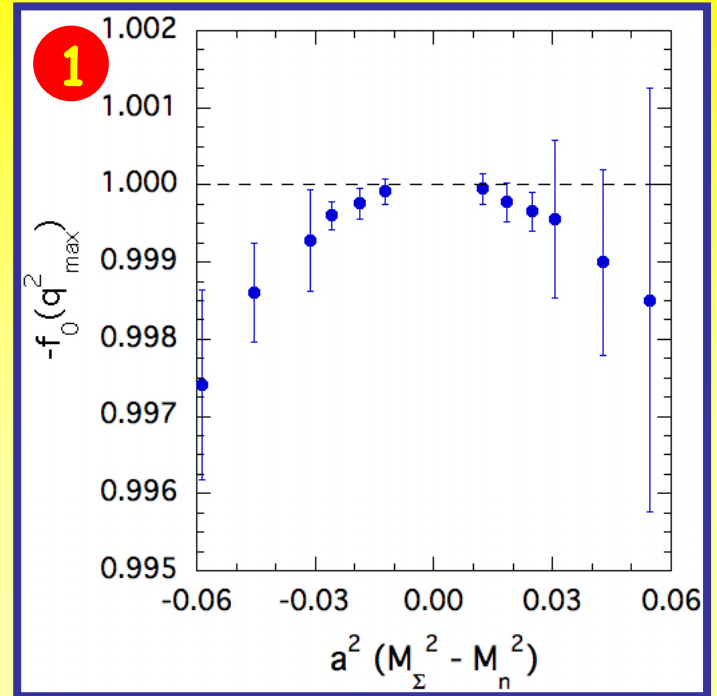
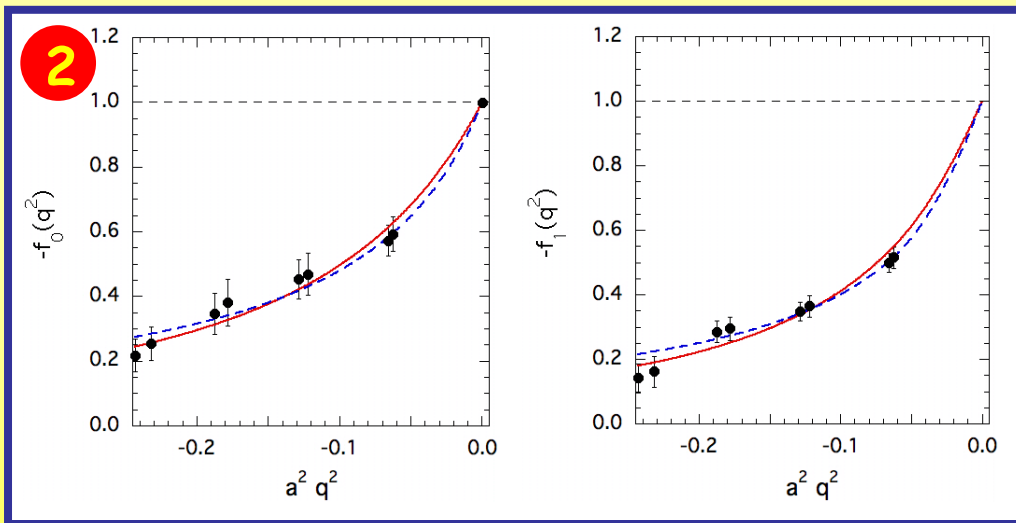
EXTENSION TO HYPERON DECAYS

- Both the **vector** and the **axial-vector** components of the weak current contribute: **6 form factors**. The most important ones are **f_1** and **g_1** .
- The **axial-vector** contributions are renormalized by **first order SU(3) breaking effects**.
- The **Cabibbo, Swallow and Winston analysis (2003)**:
 - the ratio g_1/f_1 , which encodes first order SU(3) breaking effects, is extracted from the experimental measurements of decay asymmetries
 - second order SU(3) breaking effects in f_1 are neglected

The final result is **$|V_{us}|=0.2250(27)$**
(good agreement with unitarity)

The $\Sigma^- \rightarrow n l \nu$ decay on the lattice:

D. Guadagnoli, G. Martinelli,
M. Papinutto, S. Simula
[hep-lat/0409048, hep-lat/0411016]



- 3 Extrapolation
to physical masses:
Heavy-baryon ChPT
- The octet-decuplet splitting (of $O(m_K)$) treated as a large scale
 - $1/m_B$ corrections unknown
 - Quenching effects unknown

WORK IN PROGRESS.
MORE DIFFICULT THAN K13

V_{us} from hadronic τ decays

E.Gamiz et al, hep-ph/0408244

Basic ingredient: OPE applied to the spectral moments in hadronic τ decays

Experimental input: measurements of the hadronic spectral moments

Theoretical input/output: $m_{\text{strange}}, V_{us}$

Using:

$$m_s(2 \text{ GeV}) = (95 \pm 20) \text{ MeV}$$

(LATTICE+QCDSR)



$$|V_{us}| = 0.2208 \pm 0.0034$$