

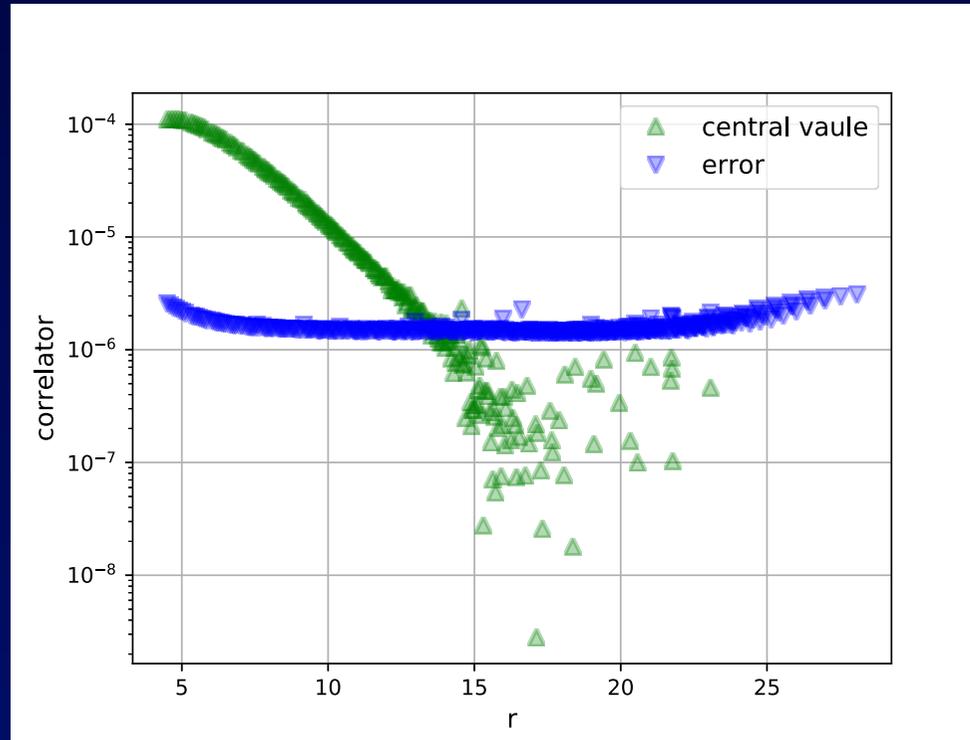
# Variance Reduction via Cluster Decomposition and nEDM from $\theta$ Term

- Noise problem for large volume
- Cluster decomposition principle
- Variance reduction for disconnected three- point correlators and glueball mass
- CP-violating phase  $\alpha^1$  in the nucleon
- nEDM from the  $\theta$  term from overlap fermion

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# Noise problem with large volume



- Single falls off exponentially, but noise remains constant  $\longrightarrow$  sign problem, such as in glueball mass.
- nEDM with the  $\theta$  term is noisy for large volume, because the topological charge fluctuation as  $(V)^{1/2}$ .

# Cluster Decomposition Principle

H. Araki, K. Hepp, and D. Ruelle, *Helv. Phys. Acta* 35, 164 (1962);  
S. Weinberg, *Quantum Theory of Fields*, Vol 1, pp. 169

$$\left| \langle 0 | O_1(x) O_2(y) | 0 \rangle \right|_s \leq A r^{-3/2} e^{-Mr}, \quad r = x-y \text{ (space like)},$$

$O_1$  and  $O_2$  are color-singlet operators,

Asymptotic behavior of a boson propagator  $K_1(r) / r$ .

This point-to-point relation should hold for color-singlet operators separated by large Euclidean distance.

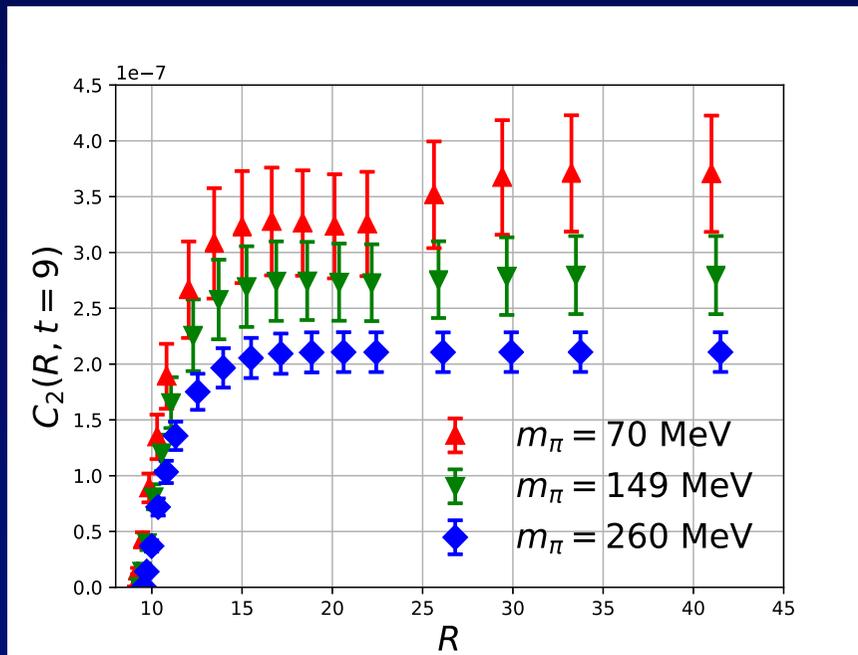
# Check CDP with lattice data

Consider two-point function for the nucleon

$$C_N(R,t) = \frac{1}{V} \left\langle \sum_{\vec{x}} \sum_{r < R} O_N(\vec{x} + \vec{r}', t) \bar{O}_N(\vec{x}, 0) \right\rangle, \quad r = \sqrt{|\vec{r}'|^2 + t^2}$$

$$I(A, M) = \int_0^R d^3r r^{-3/2} e^{-Mr} = 4\pi \left( \frac{\sqrt{\pi} \operatorname{erf}(\sqrt{MR})}{2M^{3/2}} - \frac{\sqrt{R} e^{-MR}}{M} \right)$$

This saturates the integral (99.5%) at  $R_s = 8/M$



$C_N(R,t)$  with overlap valence on RBC  $48^3 \times 96$  lattice at physical pion mass.

$R_s = 8/M$  corresponds to  $R \sim 17$ .

# Disconnected Insertions

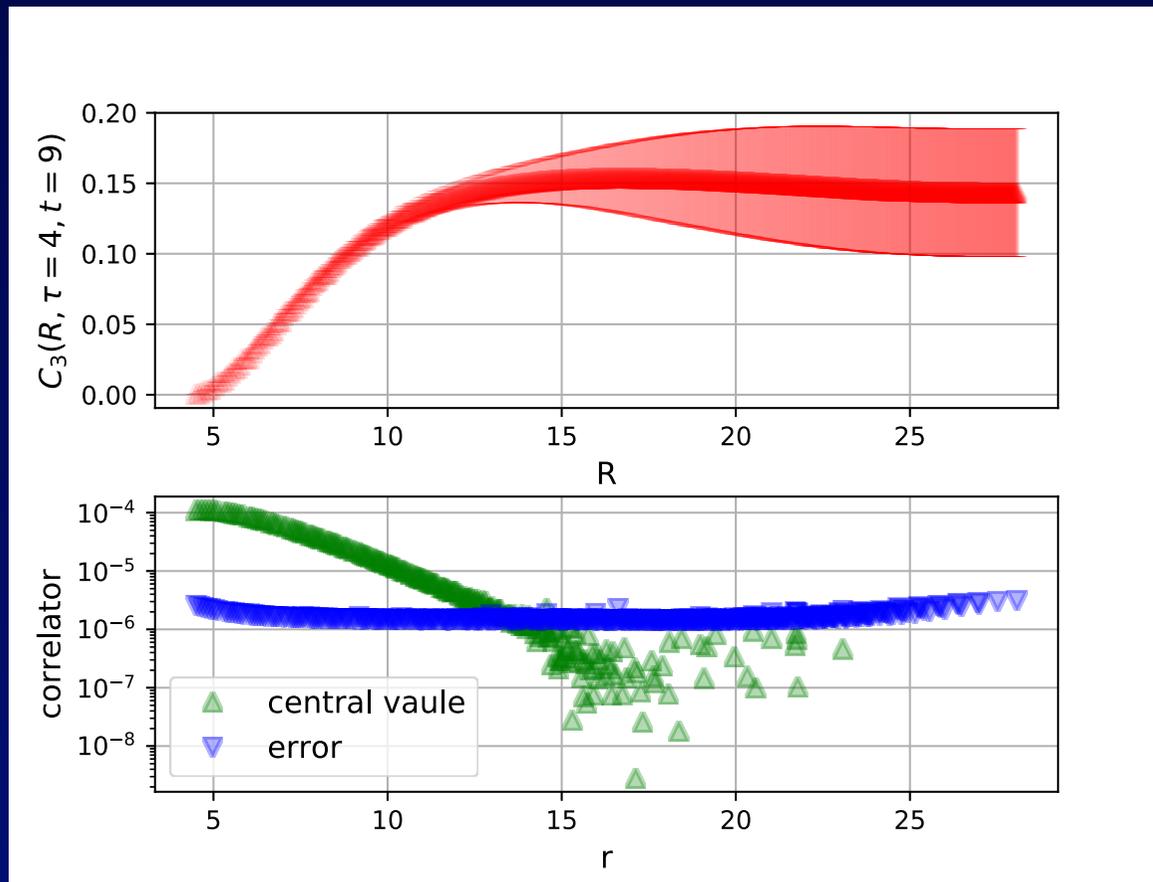
- Variance of disconnected insertion
- Vacuum insertion

$$\text{Var}(R,t) = \frac{1}{V^2} \sum_{\vec{x}} \left( \left\langle \sum_{r_1 < R} O_1(\vec{r}_1', t) \sum_{r_2 < R} O_1^\dagger(\vec{x} + \vec{r}_2', t) \right\rangle \times \langle O_2(0,0) O_2^\dagger(\vec{x},0) \rangle \right) + \dots$$

- $\text{Var}(R_{\text{max}}, t) = 1$ , but  $\text{Var}(R_s, t) = V_s/V$ .
- Gains signal to noise ratio:  $S/N(R_s, t)/S/N(L, t) = (V/V_s)^{1/2}$
- Fast Fourier transform to calculate the truncated sum in relative coordinates  $\sim V \log V$  operations.

# Strangeness in the Nucleon

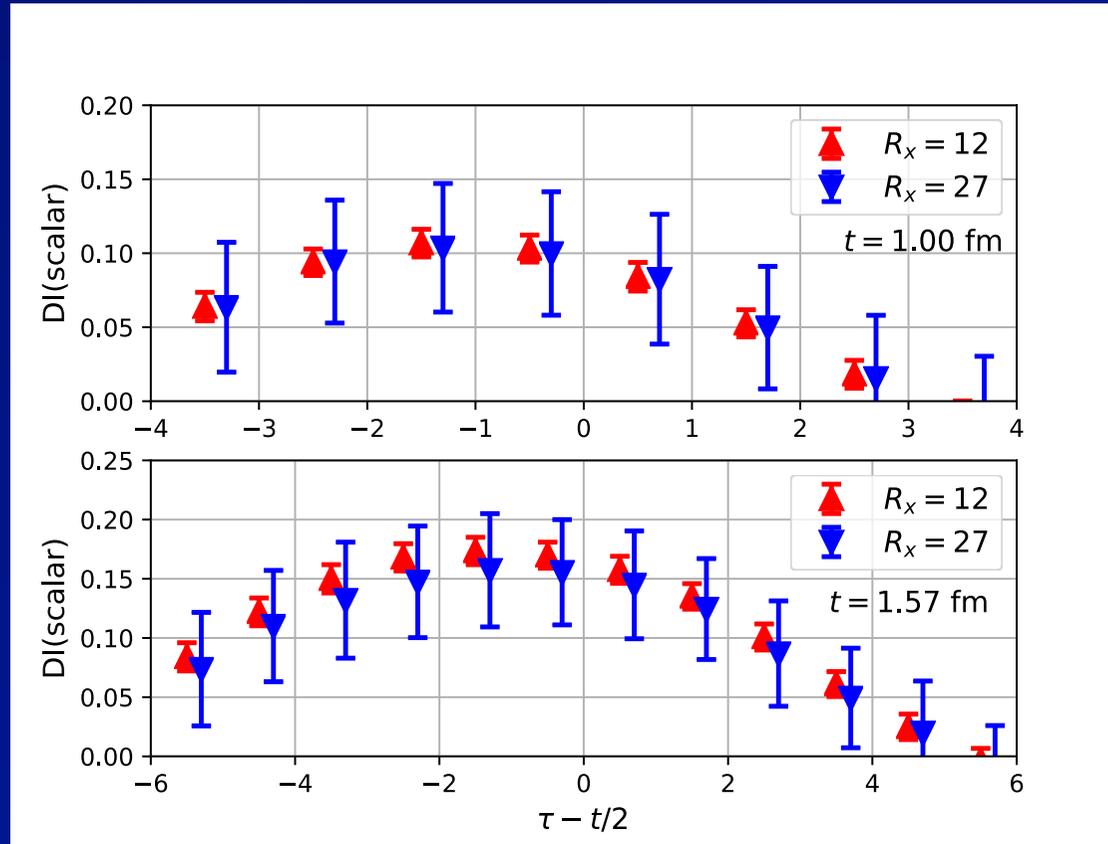
$$C_3(R, \tau, t) = \left\langle \sum_{\vec{x}} \sum_{r < R} O_N(\vec{x}, t) S(\vec{x} + \vec{r}', \tau) \bar{O}_N(\text{grid}, 0) \right\rangle, \quad r = \sqrt{(\vec{r}_x - \vec{x})^2 + (\tau - t)^2}$$



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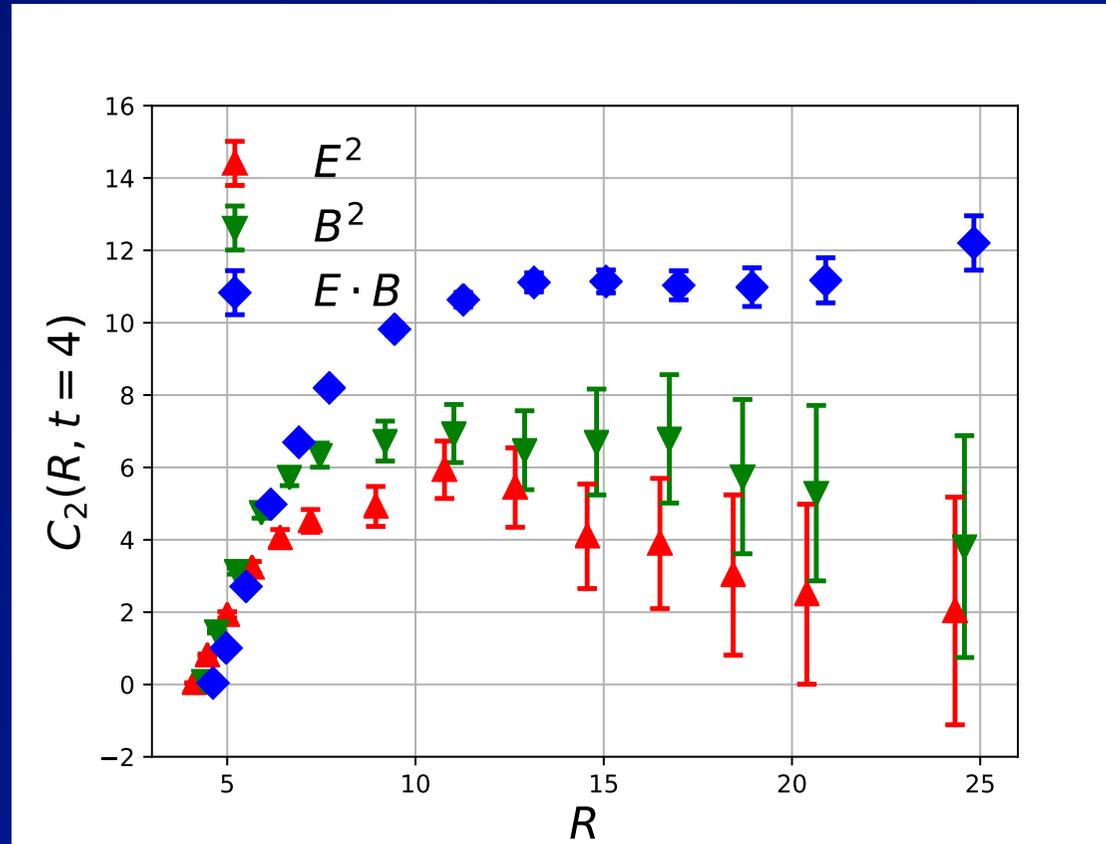
-- two source-sink separation



Errors can be reduced by  $\geq 4$

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# Glueball Masses on $48^3 \times 96$ lattice ( $L = 5.5$ fm)



Scalar: cutoff at  $R=9$  reduces error by  $\sim 4$  which is  $\approx (25/9)^{3/2}$

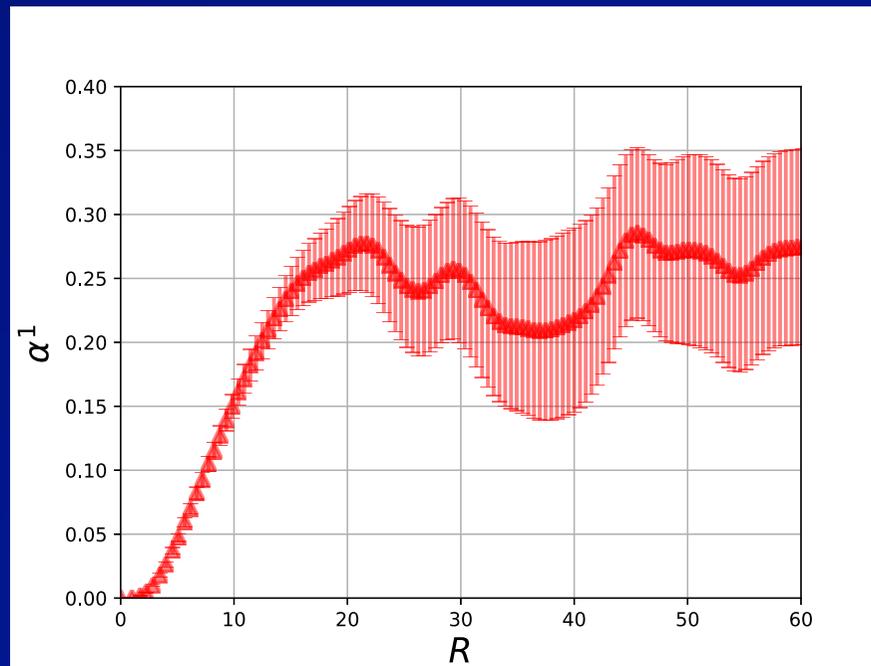
Pseudoscalar: cutoff at  $R=11$  reduces error by  $\sim 3$  which is  $\approx (25/11)^{3/2}$

# CP violation angle in the nucleon

$$C_{3Q}(R,t) = \left\langle \sum_{\vec{x}} O_N(\vec{x},t) \bar{O}_N(\text{grid},0) Q \right\rangle$$

$$= \left\langle \sum_{\vec{x}} O_N(\vec{x},t) \bar{O}_N(\text{grid},0) \sum_{y(r \leq R)} q(y) \right\rangle, \quad r = \sqrt{(\vec{y} - \vec{x})^2 + (t_y - t)^2}$$

$$\alpha^1 = \frac{\text{Tr}(C_{3Q}(t)\gamma_5)}{\text{Tr}(C_2(t)\Gamma_e)}$$

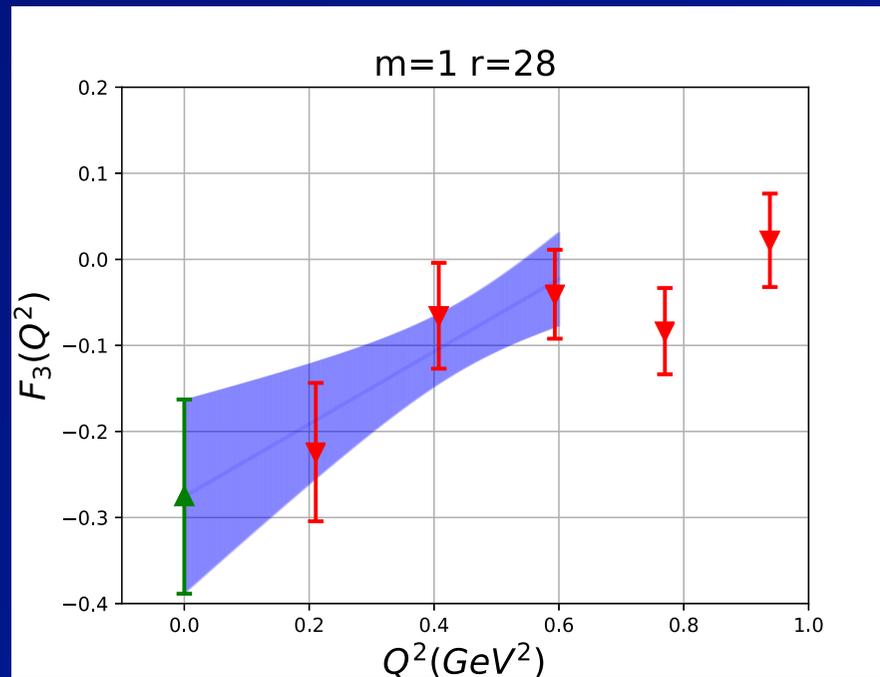


48<sup>3</sup> x 96 RBC lattice (a = 0.114 fm, m<sub>π</sub> = 139 MeV),  
 m<sub>π</sub>(valence) = 280 MeV, r (cut off) = 16, S/N increases by ~ 3.6

# Form factors of $F_3'(Q^2)$

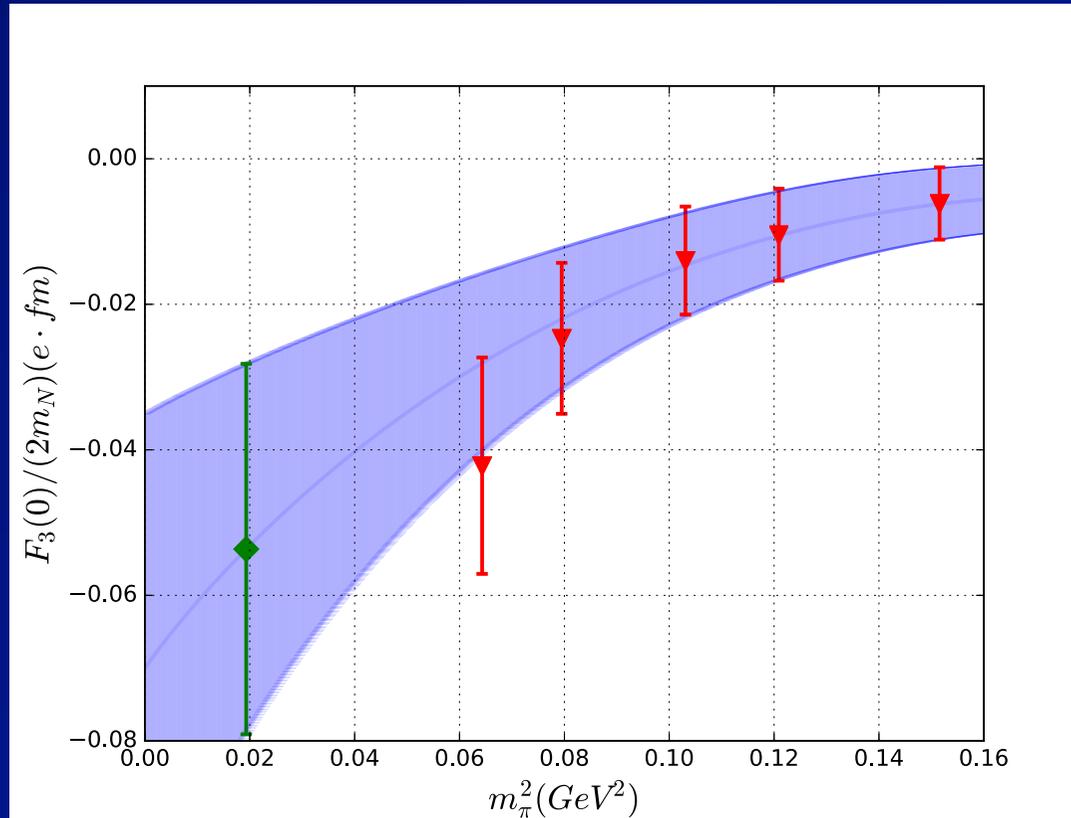
$$F_3'(Q^2) = F_3(Q^2) + 2\alpha^1 F_2(Q^2)$$

M.Abramczyk et al., 1701.07792



$24^3 \times 64$  RBC lattice ( $a = 0.114$  fm,  $m_\pi = 330$  MeV),  
 $m_\pi(\text{valence}) = 280$  MeV,  $r$  (cut off) = 28

# Neutron EDM $d_n$



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$d_n = -0.054(25)$  e fm [ $d_n = -0.014(7)$  e fm at  $m_\pi = 330$  MeV]

# Summary

- ◆ Utilizing the idea of Cluster Decomposition Principle, the large volume dependence of the variance can be overcome for the disconnected insertion.
- ◆ Examples are given for glueball mass, strangeness content in the nucleon, and nEDM. One can gain a factor of 3 to 4 for lattices with size of 4.5 – 5.5 fm.
- ◆ For connected insertions, the gain is limited.