

$\pi\pi P$ - WAVE
RESONANT
SCATTERING FROM
LATTICE QCD.

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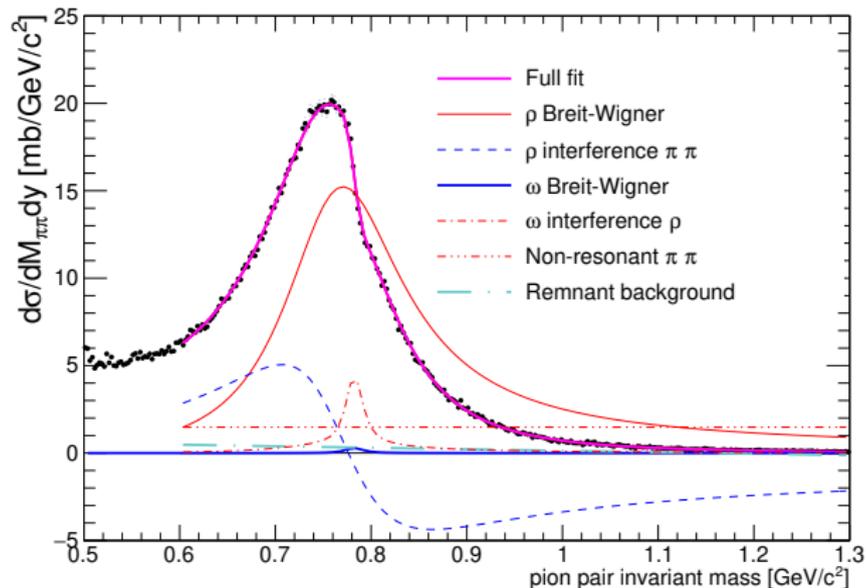
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- Required to study $\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\gamma$, wait till Friday at 18:30 by Dr. Luka Leskovec

The two most important parameters of ρ resonance are m_ρ and $g_{\rho-\pi\pi}$. (BENCHMARK)

We use the Lüscher formalism for scattering of two particles with equal masses.

Calculation Setup

Gauge Ensemble

- $N_f = 2 + 1$ Clover fermions.
- isotropic lattice. ($32^3 \times 96$)
- $m_\pi L = 5.865(32)$
- m_π is low enough: ρ is unstable.

$a(\text{fm})$	$L(\text{fm})$	$m_\pi(\text{MeV})$	$m_K(\text{MeV})$	N_{config}
0.11403(77)	3.649(25)	317	530	1041

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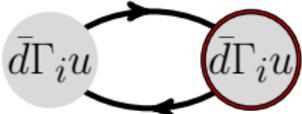
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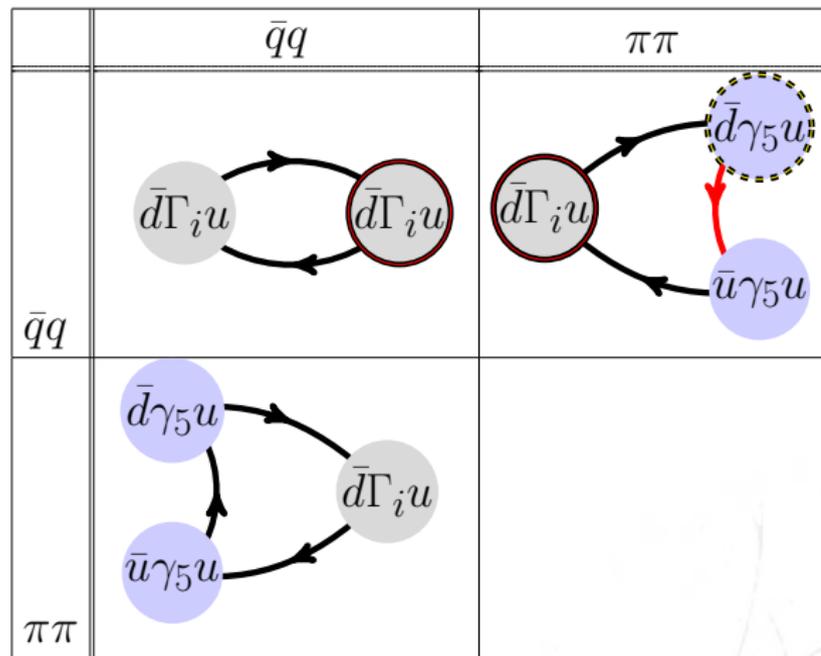
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[USQCD software Qlua package]

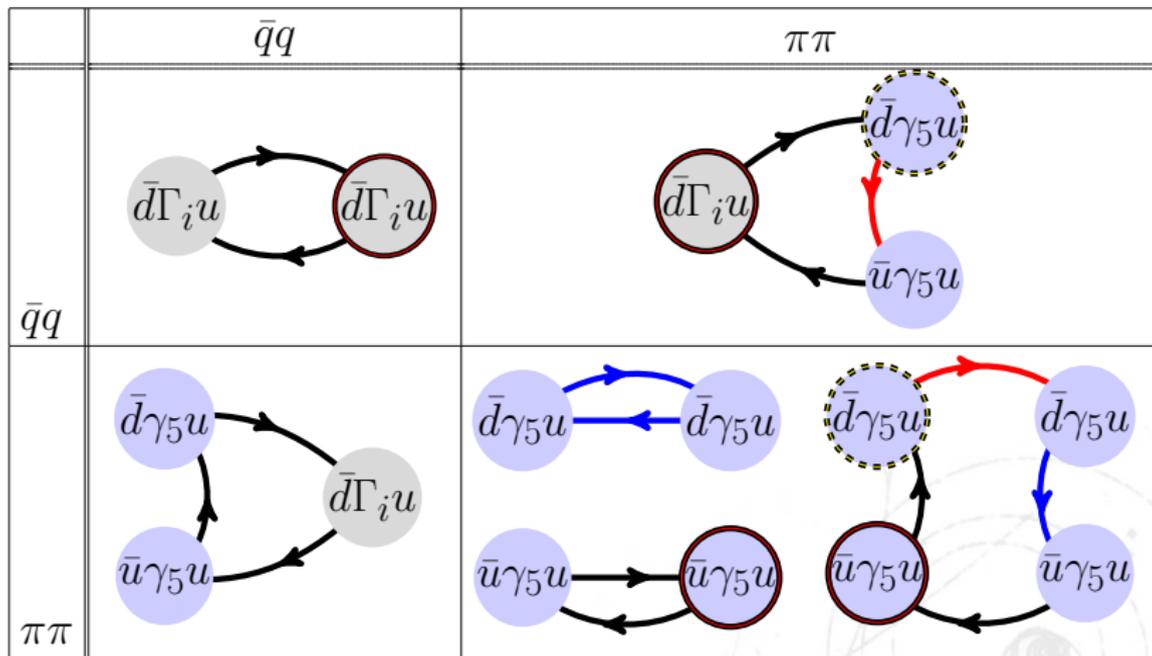
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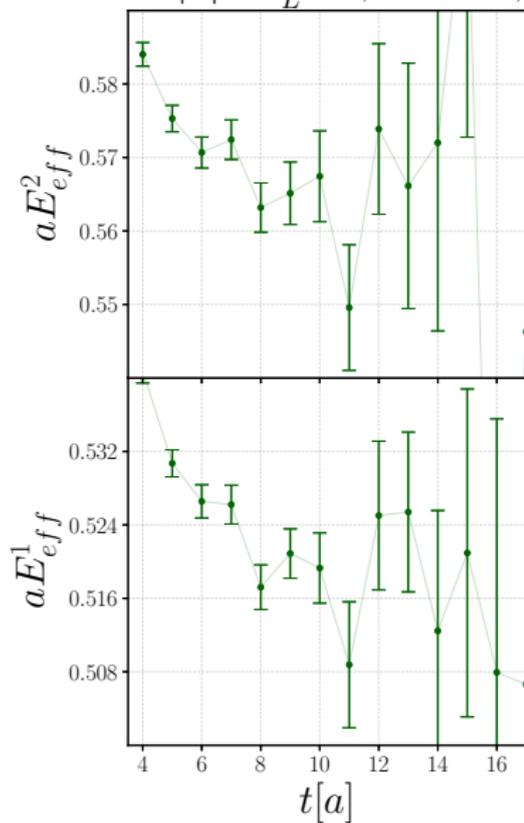


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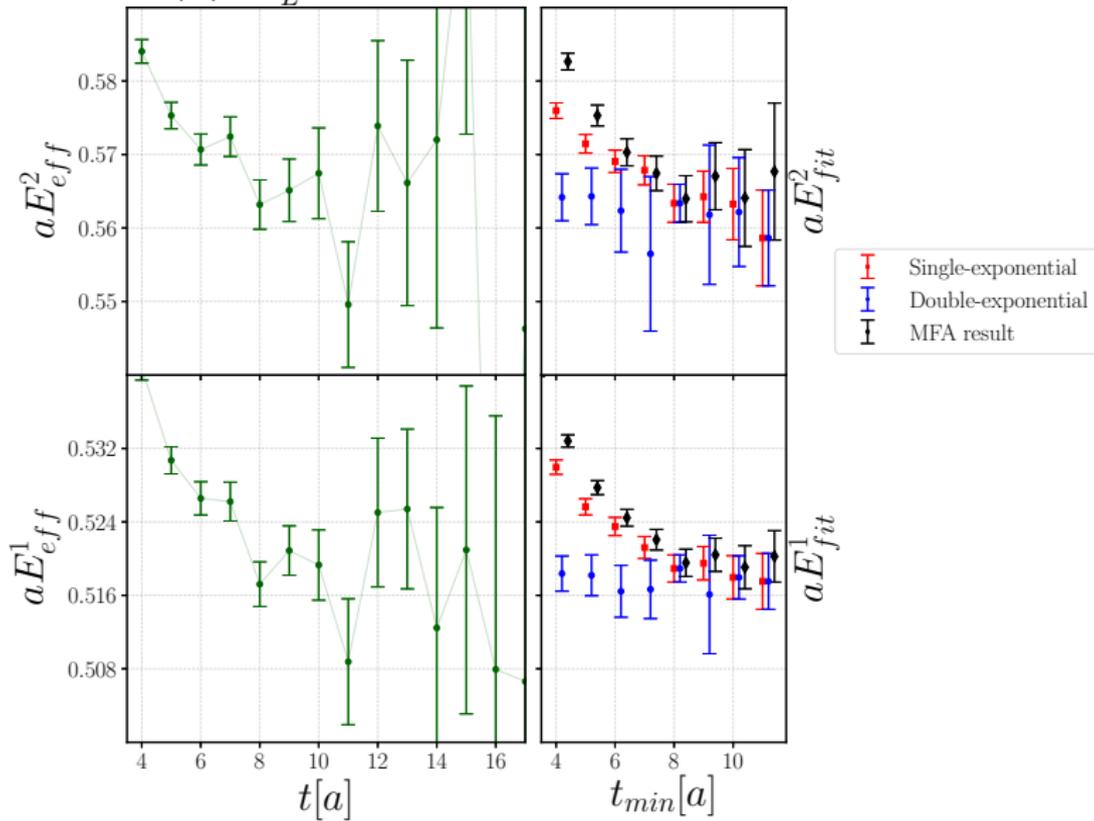
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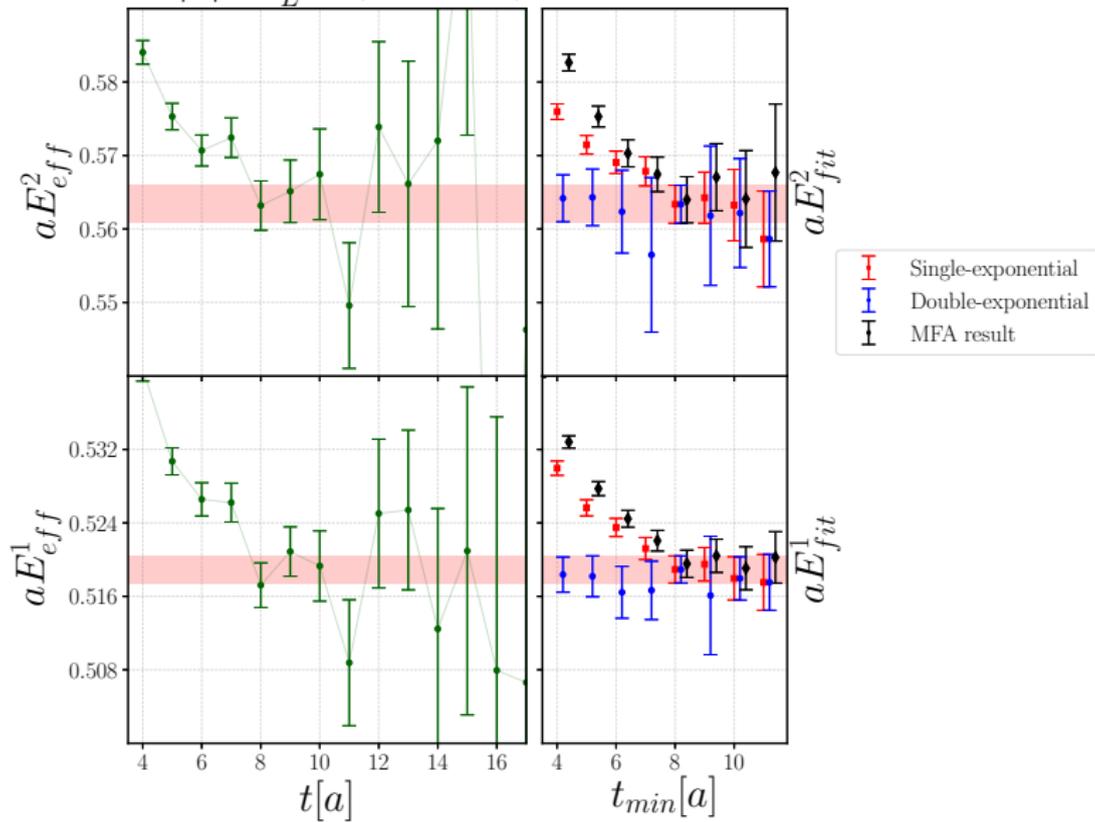
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$$w_{lm} = \frac{Z_{lm}^{\vec{p}\pi\pi}(1; q^2)}{\pi^{3/2} \sqrt{2l+1} \gamma q^{l+1}}.$$

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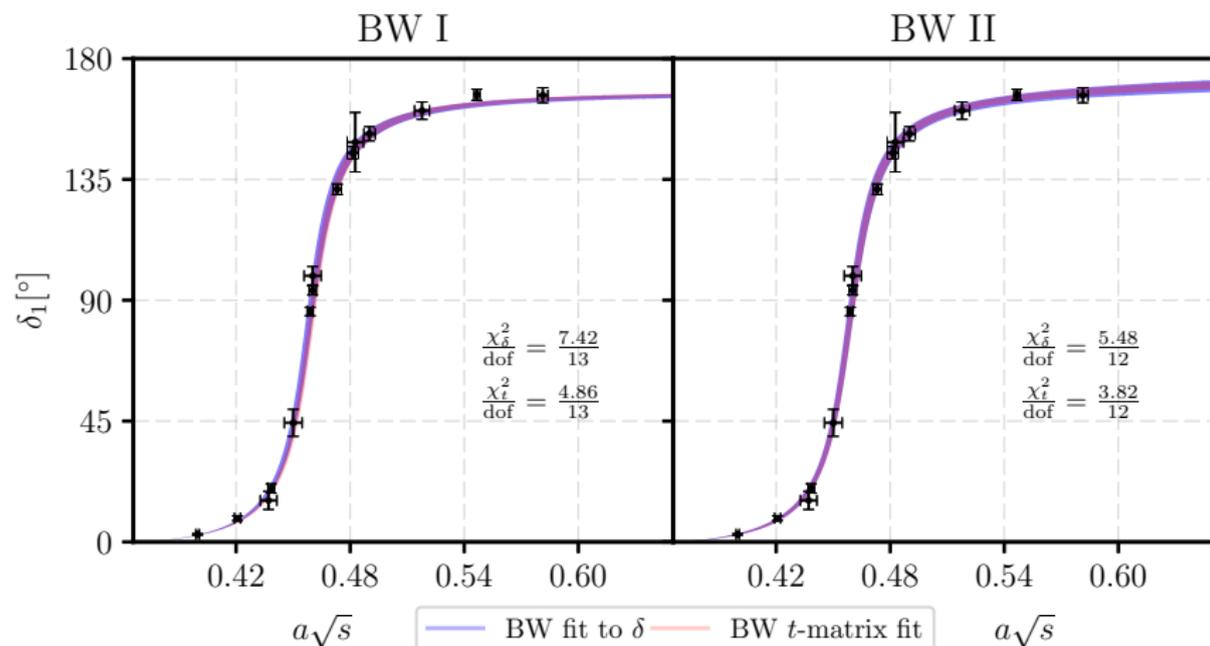
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- BW II: Damping factor introduced. (Blatt-Weisskopf)

[Hippel, Quigg(1972)]

$$\Gamma_{II}(s) = \frac{g_{\rho\pi\pi}^2}{6\pi} \frac{k^3}{s} \frac{1 + (k_R r_0)^2}{1 + (k r_0)^2},$$

Phase shift results

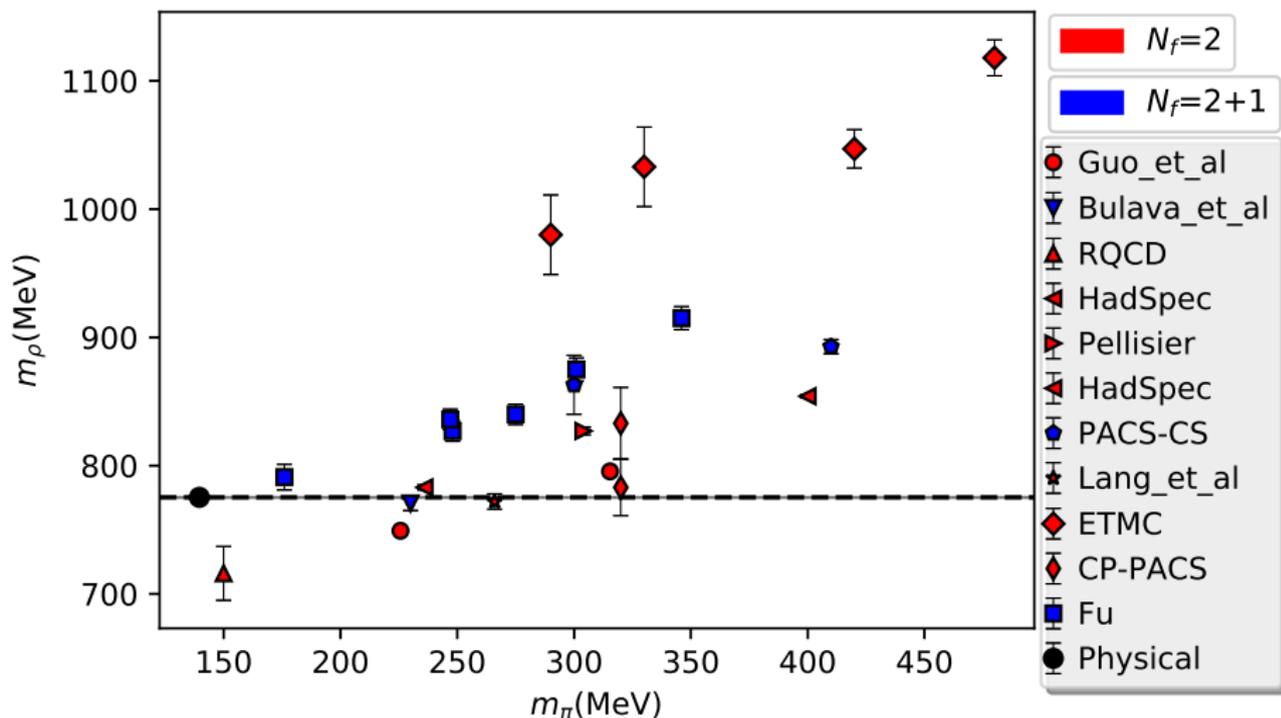


Results

Fit type	$\frac{\chi^2}{\text{dof}}$	am_ρ	$g_{\rho\pi\pi}$	$(ar_0)^2$
BW I Fit to δ_1	0.571	0.4599(19)(13)	5.76(16)(12)	
BW I <i>t</i>-matrix fit	0.374	0.4609(16)(14)	5.69(13)(16)	
BW II Fit to δ_1	0.457	0.4600(18)(13)	5.79(16)(12)	8.6(8.0)(1.2)
BW II <i>t</i> -matrix fit	0.318	0.4603(16)(14)	5.77(13)(13)	9.6(5.9)(3.7)

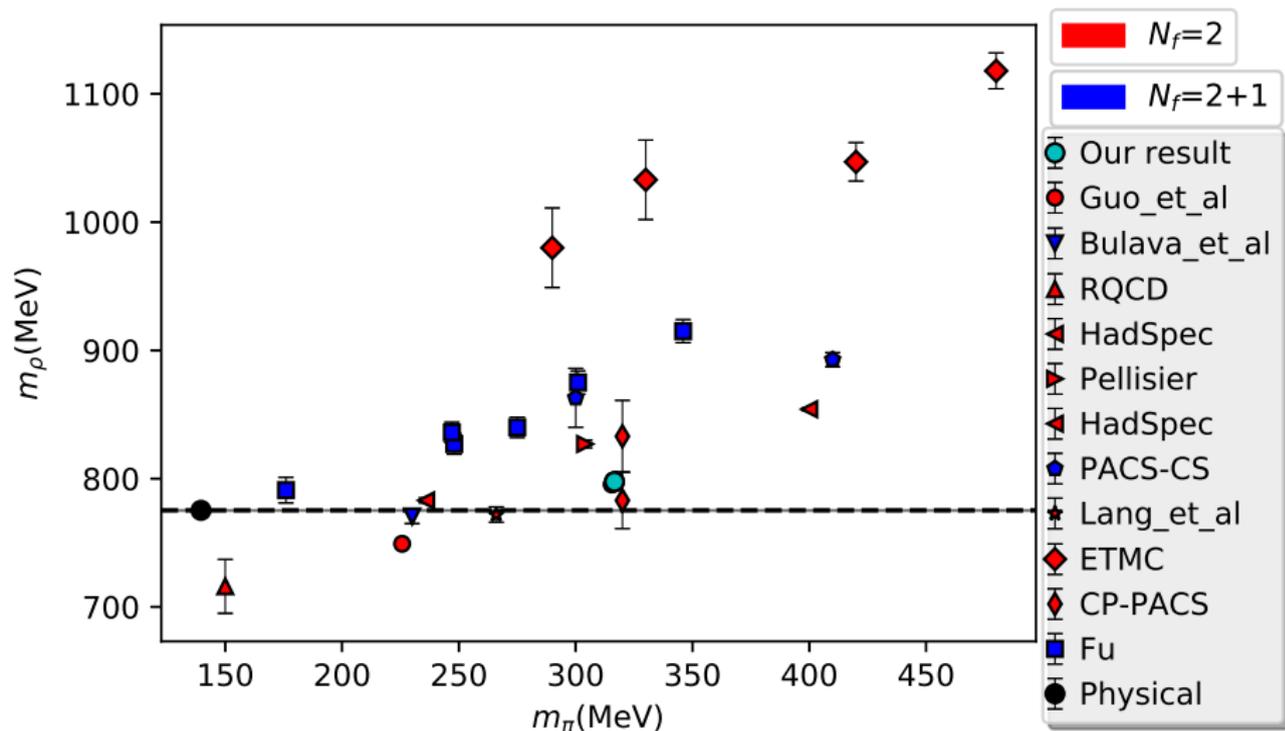
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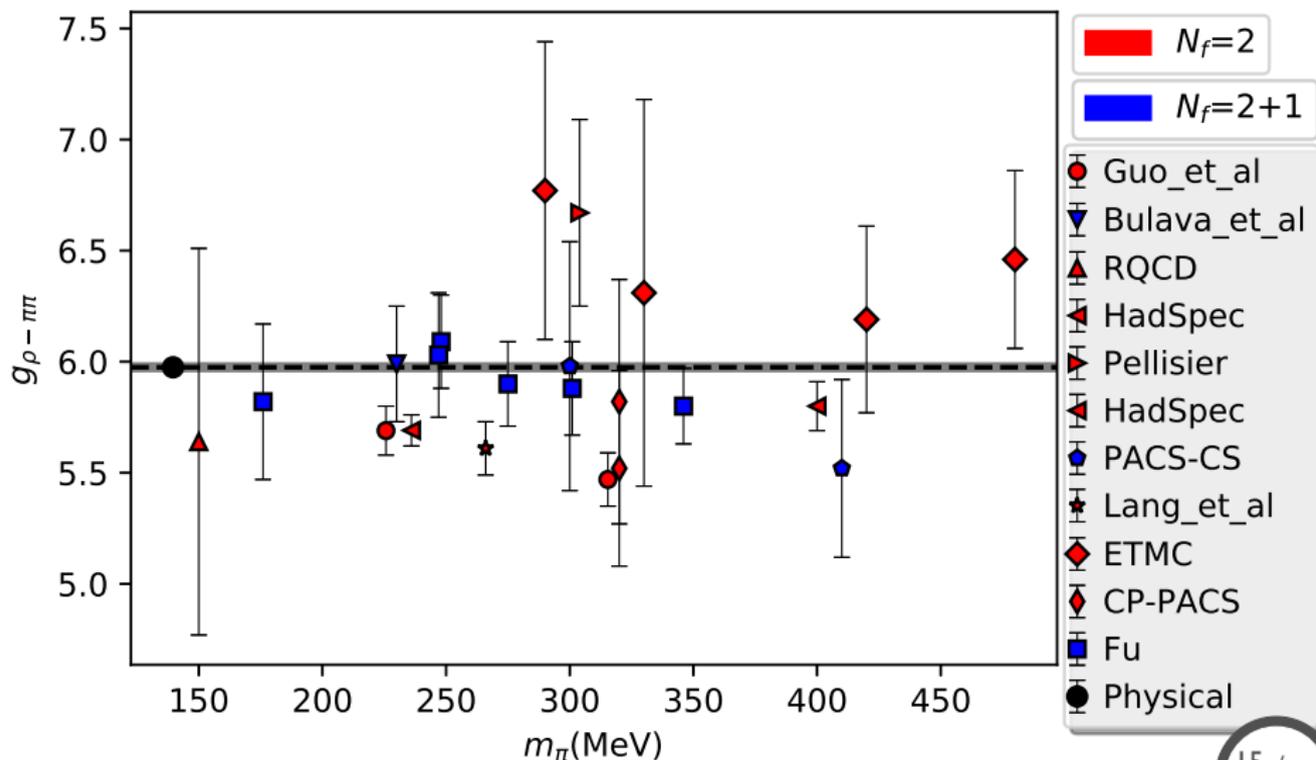
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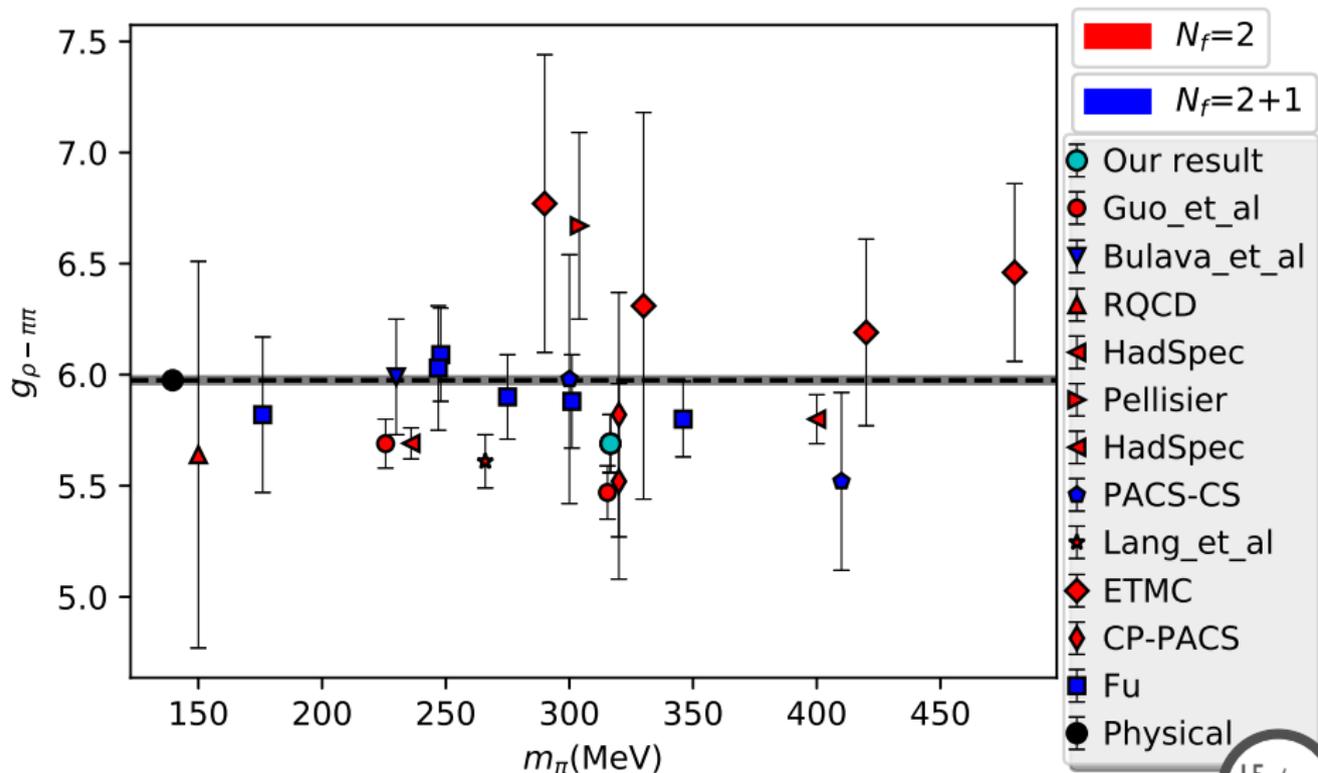
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Conclusion

- We have achieved high statistical precision (0.35% for am_ρ and 2.3% for $g_{\rho-\pi\pi}$) by using source smearing method in the ρ resonance calculation.
- GEVP and MFA results are consistent.
- BW fit models with and without barriers, gave similar results, rendering BW_{II} redundant.
- Explicit phase shift calculation is equivalent to direct t -matrix fits.

Future work

- Higher volume ($L \uparrow \implies \vec{p} \downarrow$) in the elastic region of $\pi\pi$ scattering, gives higher density of scattering states, implying more points for the phase shift plot.
- To do a similar calculation at a "close-to" physical mass ensemble. [D6 and D7 ensemble, ongoing]
- To investigate the chiral extrapolation limit.
- To do a continuum limit extrapolation of our results, for comparison with nature.