

Preliminary results from maximally twisted mass lattice QCD at the physical point

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Introduction

Action

Requirements

- Physical point with $a \sim 0.1\text{fm} \leftrightarrow$ reasonable computing resources
- Stable simulation and controlled $O(a^2)$ cutoff effects \leftrightarrow pion splitting
- Maintain all nice properties of tmLQCD

Twisted mass action: [Frezzotti, Grassi, Sint, Weisz, 2000; Frezzotti, Rossi; 2004]

$$S = \beta \sum_{x;P} \left[b_0 \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{3} \text{ReTr} P^{1 \times 1}(x) \right\} + b_1 \left\{ 1 - \frac{1}{3} \text{ReTr} P^{1 \times 2}(x) \right\} \right] \\ + \sum_x \bar{\chi}(x) \left[D_W(U) + m_0 + i\mu\gamma^5\tau^3 + \frac{i}{4} C_{SW} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \mathcal{F}^{\mu\nu}(U) \right] \chi(x)$$

- $N_f = 2$
- $b_0 = 1 - 8b_1, b_1 = -0.331$ [Iwasaki; 1983]
- $C_{SW} = 1.57551$ from Padé fit of CP-PACS data

[Aoki et al.; Phys.Rev. D73 (2006) 034501]

Introduction

Run Details

L/a	48
T/a	96
β	2.10
b_1	-0.331
κ	0.13729
$a\mu_I$	0.0009
C_{SW}	1.57551
N_{traj}	> 1500
$\langle P \rangle$	0.603531(6)
$\tau_{int}(\langle P \rangle)$	10.0(3.5)
am_{PCAC}	0.00004(2)
$m_\pi L$	3.00(2)
a	0.91(5) fm ^a

^avery preliminary: large uncertainty to accomodate possible FS / discretization effects

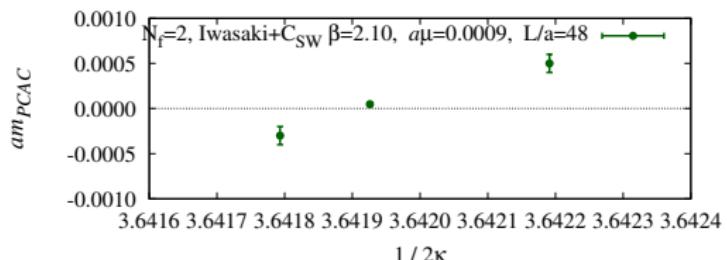
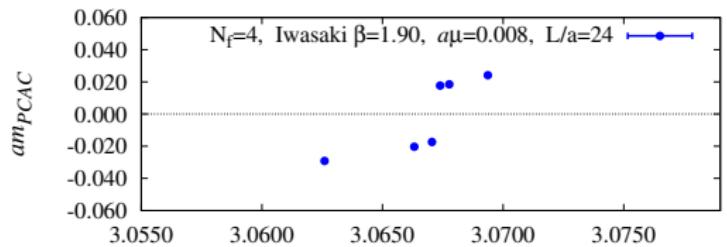
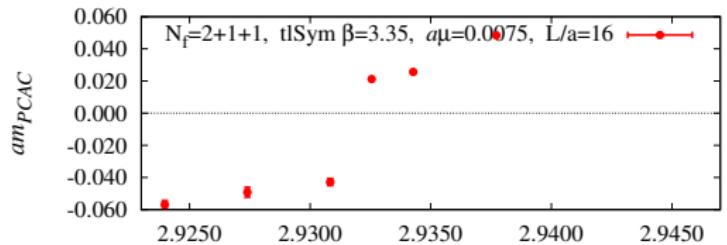
- Substantial updates to tmLQCD software suite:
 - ▶ BG/Q optimizations
 - ▶ OpenMP
 - ▶ Clover term with EO pre-conditioning and twisted mass
 - ▶ RHMC implementation
- Details: Carsten Urbach, Parallels 9G, Friday 14:40

- O(10) exploratory runs on $24^3 \times 48$
- 2 (short) tuning runs on target volume
- Production runs on BG/Q in Juelich, replica on SuperMUC

Tuning and Stability

Tuning to maximal twist at small quark mass and coarse lattice spacing

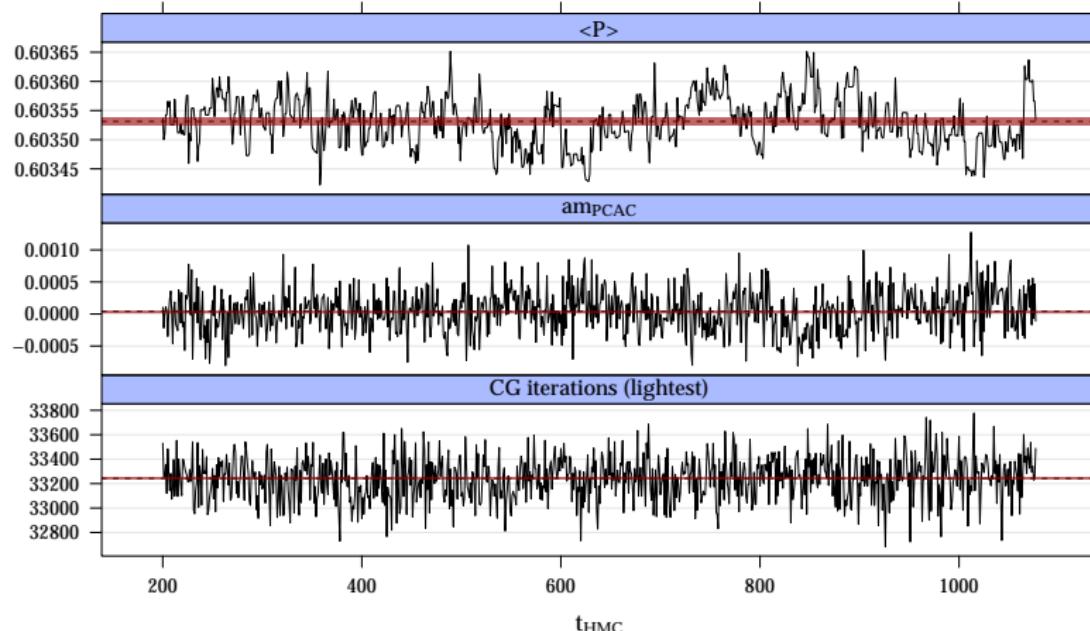
- $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$
tISym action → remnant signs of 1st order phase-trans.
- Iwasaki gauge action, situation much improved but trouble with $N_f = 4$
- Clover term + Iwasaki → very fine tuning possible, linear behaviour in $1/2\kappa$, no metastabilities



Tuning and Stability

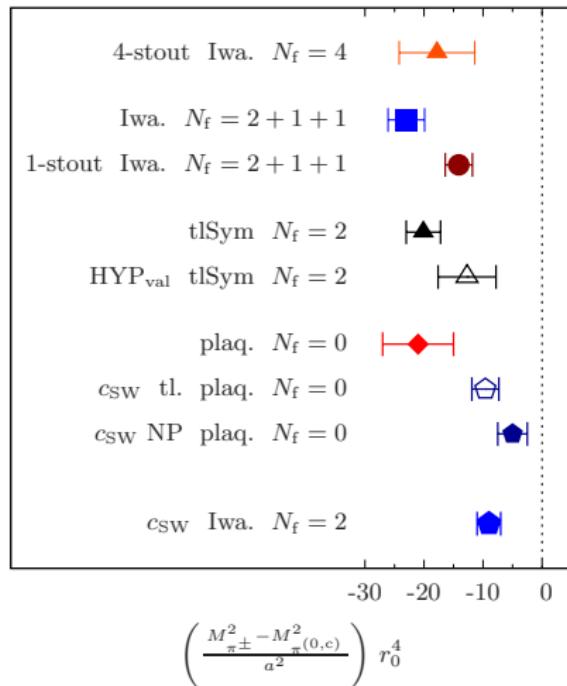
Monte Carlo histories

- 2nd order minimal norm integrator on four timescales
- four Hasenbusch mass shifts, lightest two on same timescale
- $\tau = 1.0$ trajectory length, 75% acceptance for efficiency



First results

Neutral connected pion splitting



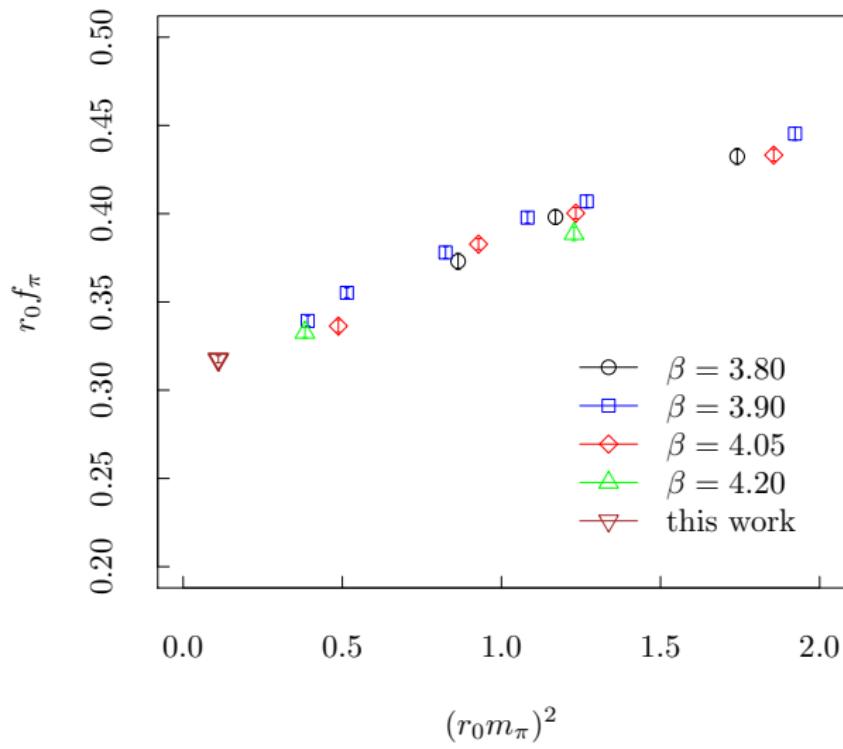
- Indications that W'_8 is reduced markedly → stable simulations, particular $O(a^2)$ effects under control
- Measurement of full pion splitting in progress → obtain estimate of c_2

First results

Pion decay constant

$$r_0 f_\pi$$

- data consistent with old $N_f = 2$ runs
- no FS corrections applied

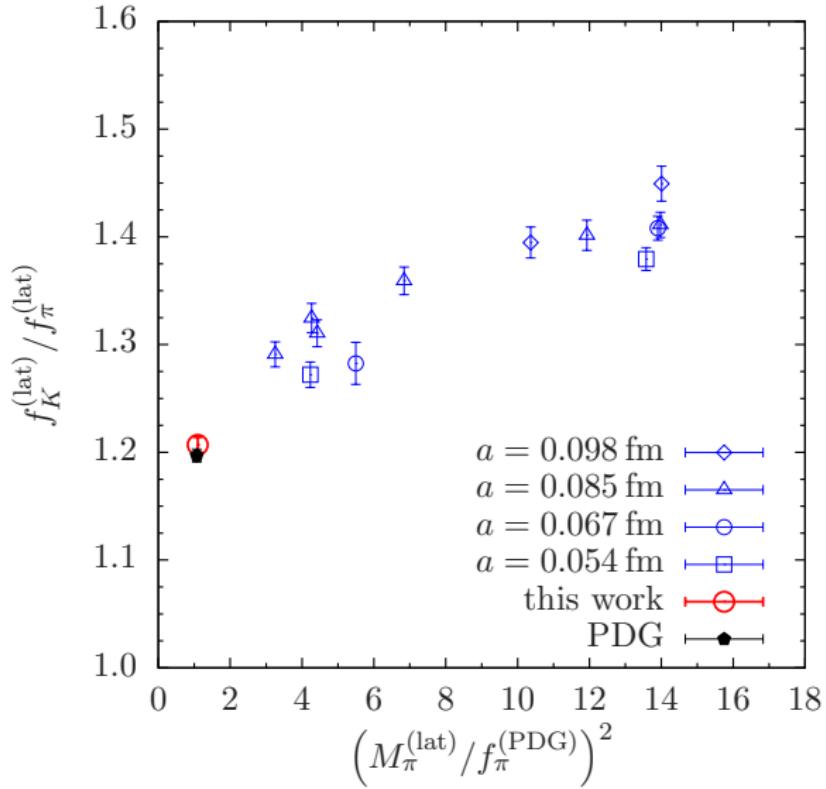


First results

Heavy-light meson sector then and now

$$\frac{f_K}{f_\pi}$$

- old $N_f = 2$
- new $N_f = 2$ with clover term
 - consistent with previous values
 - some extrapolation necessary

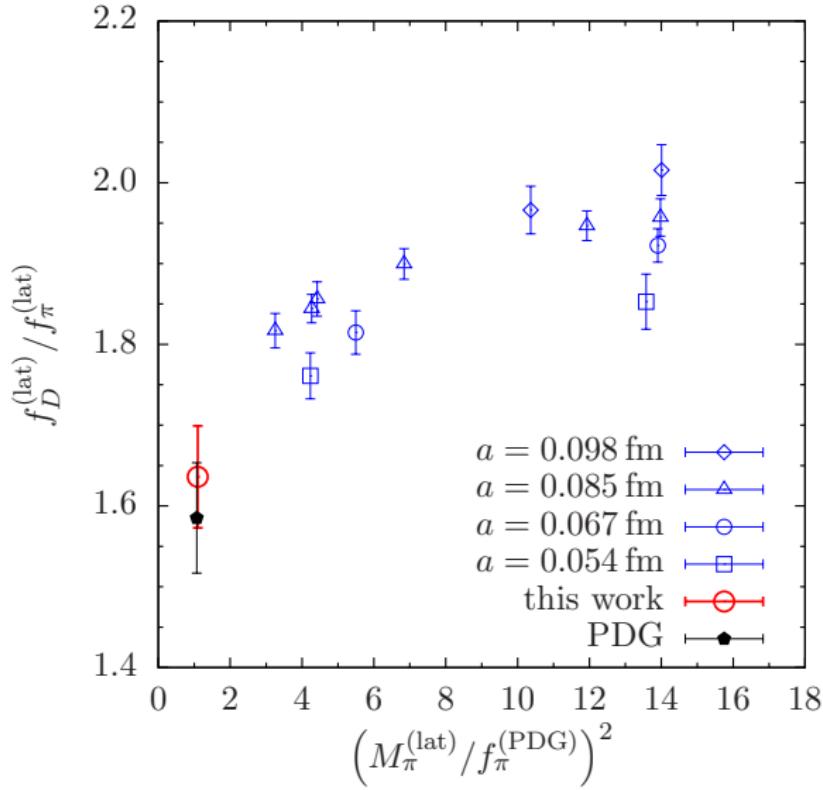


First results

Heavy-light meson sector then and now

$$\frac{f_D}{f_\pi}$$

- old $N_f = 2$
- new $N_f = 2$ with clover term
 - consistent over previous values
 - consistent with experimental point

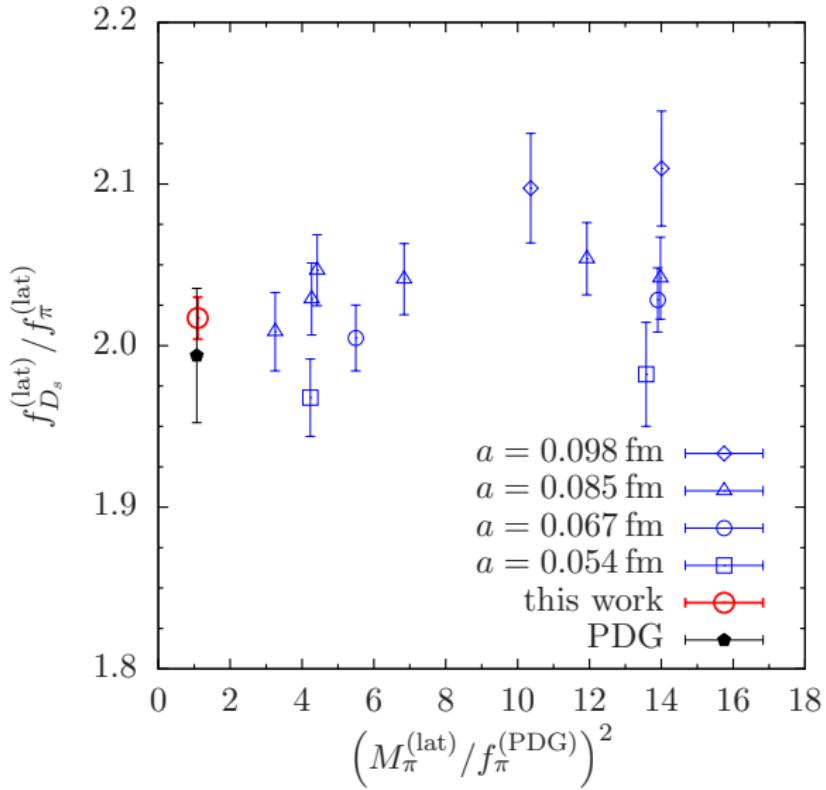


First results

Heavy-light meson sector then and now

$$\frac{f_{D_s}}{f_\pi}$$

- old $N_f = 2$
- new $N_f = 2$ with clover term
- consistent with previous values
- consistent with physical value

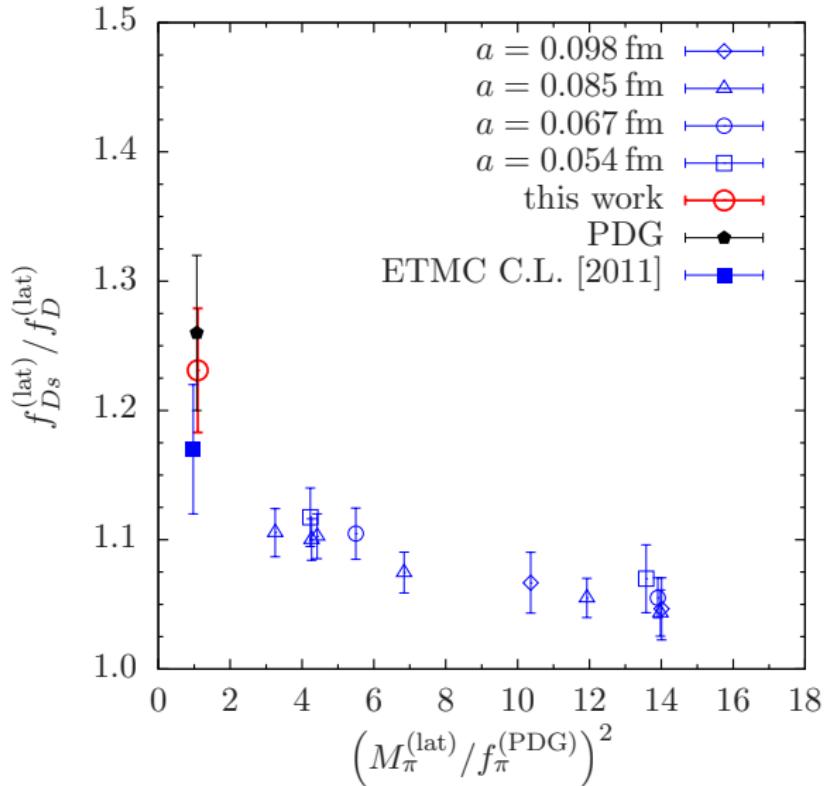


First results

Heavy-light meson sector then and now

$$\frac{f_{D_s}}{f_D}$$

- old $N_f = 2$
- old $N_f = 2$ chiral extrapolation
- new $N_f = 2$ with clover term
- apparent improvement over previous values
- consistent with experimental point

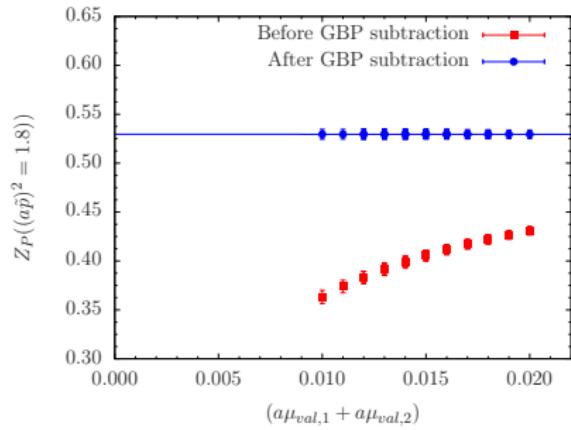


First results

RI-MOM Renormalization constants

RC	new $N_f = 2$ $\beta = 2.10(C_{SW})^{-1}$	$N_f = 2$ $\beta = 3.90$	$N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ $\beta = 1.95$
Z_A	0.805(05)	0.730(03)	0.746(05)
Z_V	0.762(04)	0.634(03)	0.614(03)
Z_P/Z_S	0.805(34)	0.669(08)	0.700(08)

- Renormalization constants closer to 1
- Goldstone boson pole subtraction in Z_P effective
- Z-factors also available from momentum sources
 - ▶ M. Constantinou, Parallels 3B, Tuesday 15:40

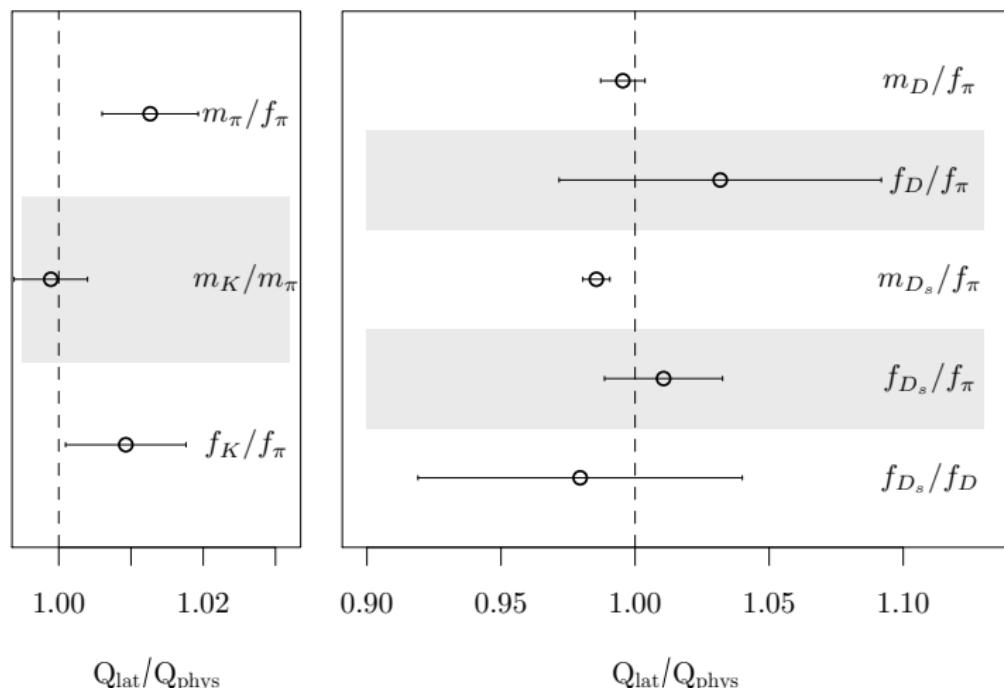


$^{124} \times 48$, $a\mu_{sea} = 0.0060$, $a\mu_{val} = 0.0050 - 0.0090$, no sea quark chiral limit yet!

First results

Comparison to experimental values

- $Q_{\text{lat}} \div Q_{\text{phys}}$ for example: $Q_{\text{lat}} = \frac{m_{\pi}^{\text{lat}}}{f_{\pi}^{\text{lat}}} \quad Q_{\text{phys}} = \frac{m_{\pi}^{\text{phys}}}{f_{\pi}^{\text{phys}}}$
- Tuning strange and charm quark mass \sim PDG quark mass ratios



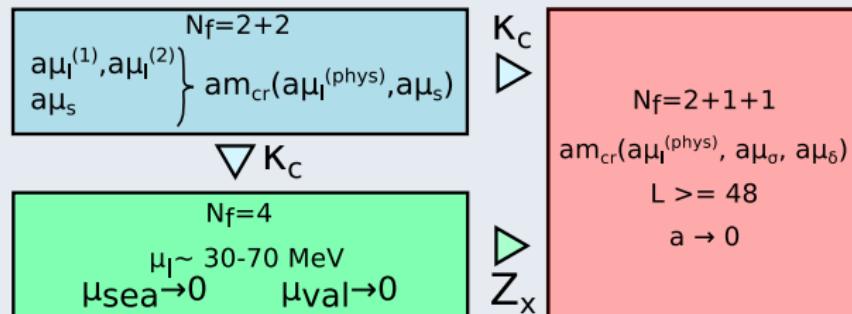
Path to $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$

Preliminaries

Tuning C_{SW}

- No existing NP study of C_{SW} for $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$
- For $N_f = 2$, discrepancy between Padé and direct approach $\sim 10\%$
 - ★ Full determination of C_{SW} has $O(a\Lambda_{QCD})$ systematic uncertainty
 - ★ 10% accuracy should be sufficient
 - ⇒ use simple algorithm to obtain tadpole improved value (next slide)

- Idea: If simulation stable for $N_f = 2_l + 2_s$
⇒ also stable for $N_f = 4$ and $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$



Path to $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$

Tuning C_{SW}

- Use simple approximate formula at some bare coupling g_0 :

$$C_{SW} \sim 1 + 0.113(3) \frac{g_0^2}{\langle P \rangle}$$

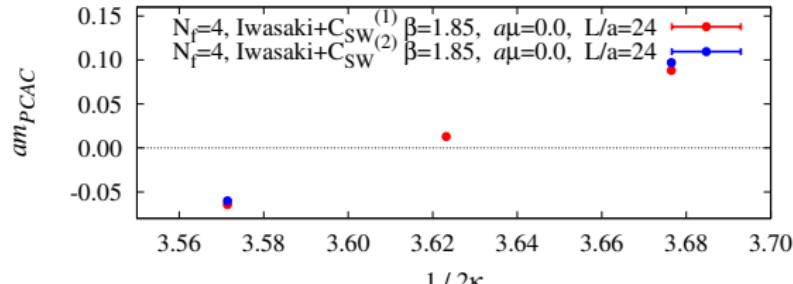
[Sheikoleslami,Wohlert; 1985]

- ① Start with $C_{SW} = N_f$ -independent 1-loop value
- ② Simulate at zero twisted mass, neg./pos. Wilson quark masses bracketing $m_{PCAC} = 0$
- ③ Linearly interpolate $\langle P \rangle$ at $m_{PCAC} = 0$
- ④ Use formula to get better estimate of C_{SW}
- ⑤ Repeat (1) with new estimate as starting value
- ⑥ Stop when change is less than 3%

$$N_f = 4, a\mu_I = 0.0$$

$$\textcolor{red}{\bullet} C_{SW}^{(1)} \textcolor{blue}{\bullet} C_{SW}^{(2)}$$

$\Rightarrow C_{SW}$ -dependence
not too strong



Conclusion and Outlook

- Shown feasibility of mtmLQCD simulations at physical point
 - All preliminary measurements look promising
 - Indications of better $O(a^2)$ behaviour from connected pion splitting and lack of metastabilities
 - First $N_f = 4$ and $N_f = 2 + 2$ runs started, *mPCAC* quite linear in $\frac{1}{2\kappa}$
 - Tuning C_{SW} for $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ using tadpole improved formula
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- Extension to $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ outlined and first steps taken
 - ▶ Results suggest no problems with plan
 - Continuation of rich ETMC physics programme at the physical point
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 - ⇒ muon g-2: G. Hotzel, Parallels 9B, Friday 14:20