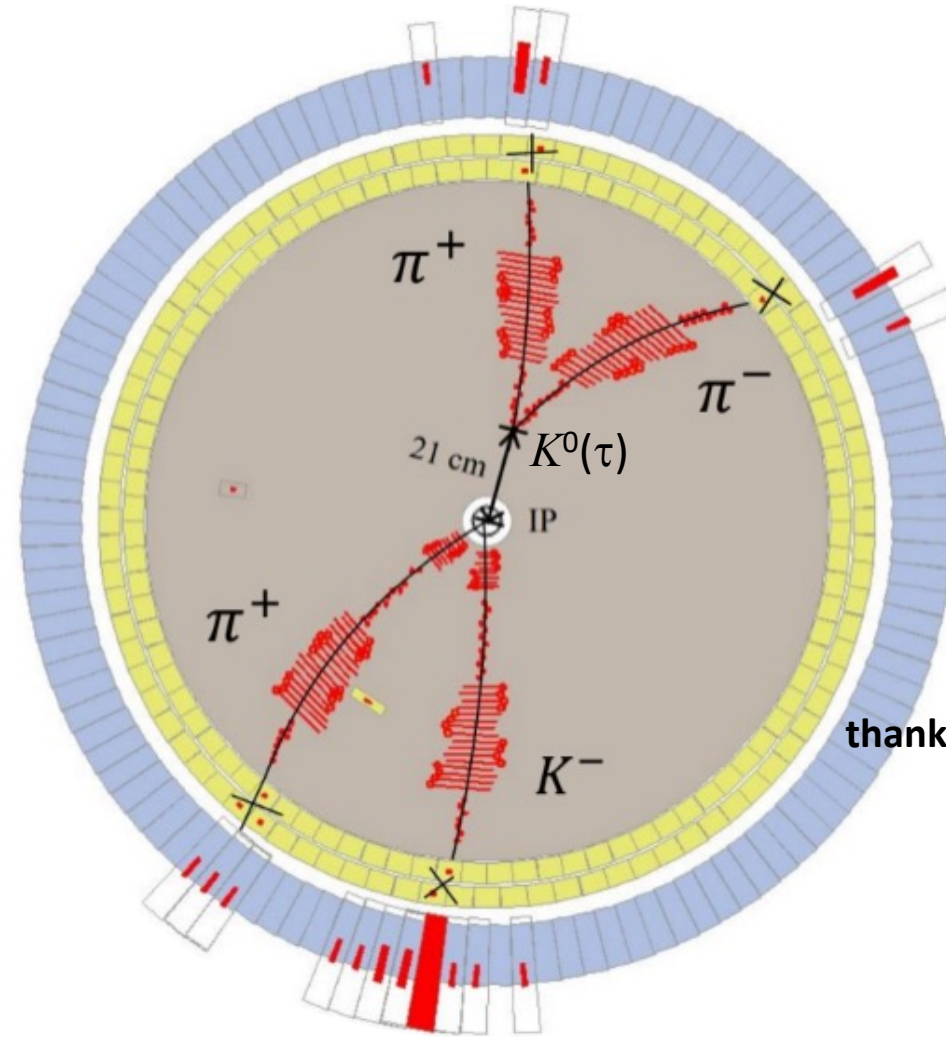


Testing CPT with neutral kaons from J/ψ decays



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Why CPT?

any Lorentz invariant local quantum field theory with a Hermitian Hamiltonian must have CPT symmetry.

what theory is a Lorentz invariant local quantum field theory with a Hermitian Hamiltonian?

the Standard Model

Why Kaons?

1) History:

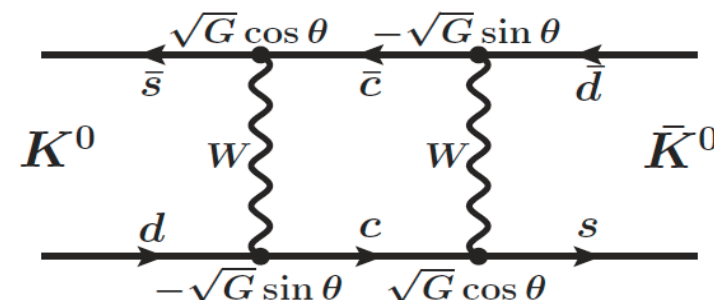
1956 kaons taught us that Parity is not conserved (Lee Yang Nobel prize)

1964 kaons taught us that CP is not conserved (Fitch-Cronin Nobel prize)

202? kaons will teach us that CPT is not conserved (???? Nobel prize)

2) Opportunity:

Kaons have this beautiful diagram that allow 2nd-order Weak Interaction effects influence 1st-order W.I. processes



3) Technology:

SCTF (or a specialized J/ ψ factory?) will provide billion-event samples of high-purity strangeness-tagged neutral kaon decays ($\sim 100\times$ previous kaon experiments).

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-- in 3 easy steps --

4 CP parameters
(complex numbers)

h_{+-} η_{00} ε ε'

2 auxiliary parameters
(real numbers)

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3. if they are not equal

call Yifeng

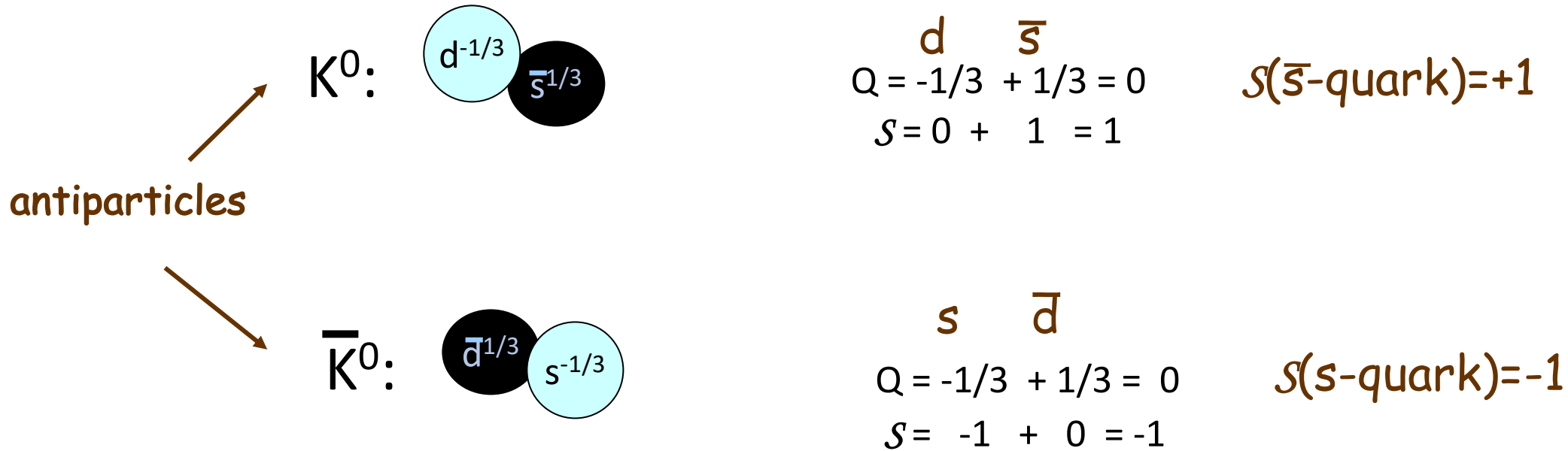
two issues

1. how valid is the relation CPT: $\phi_{+-} = \phi_{00} = \phi_{\varepsilon} = \arctan \frac{2\Delta M_K}{\Delta \Gamma_K}$

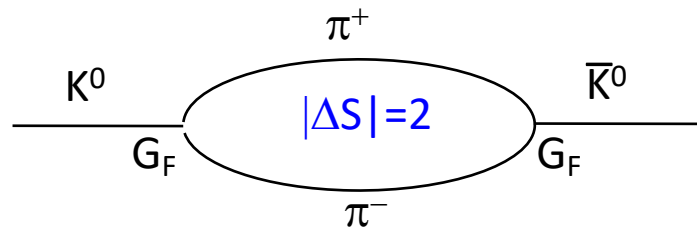
2. how to measure ϕ_{+-} (& ϕ_{00} ?) with sub- 0.1° precision

review of 60 year-old physics

neutral K mesons: K^0, \bar{K}^0



K^0 & \bar{K}^0 only differ by strangeness; but strangeness is not conserved



$$\langle \bar{K}^0 | H | K^0 \rangle \neq 0$$

Some conventions

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{C} |\pi^0\rangle &= + |\pi^0\rangle \\ \mathcal{CP} |\pi^0\rangle &= - |\pi^0\rangle\end{aligned}\quad \text{fixed by Maxwell's equations}$$

$$\mathcal{C} |\pi^+\rangle = + |\pi^-\rangle \quad \text{arbitrary choices} \quad \mathcal{C} |K^0\rangle = - |\bar{K}^0\rangle$$

$$\mathcal{CP} |\pi^+\rangle = - |\pi^-\rangle \quad \mathcal{CP} |K^0\rangle = + |\bar{K}^0\rangle$$

Two-state system with decays

-- Weisskopf-Wigner formulation of the Schrodinger equation --

$$H = M - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma$$

Hermitian (points to M)
 this is **not** a \mathcal{CP} -violating phase (points to i)
not Hermitian (points to H)
 Γ accounts for decays (points to Γ)
 Mass matrix (points to M)
 Decay matrix (points to Γ)

$$\langle K_j | H | K_i \rangle = \langle K_j | M | K_i \rangle - \frac{i}{2} \langle K_j | \Gamma | K_i \rangle = M_{ij} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{ij} = X_{ij}$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{pmatrix} \langle K^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle K^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \\ \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12} \\ M_{21} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{21} & M_{22} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

\mathcal{CP} symmetry: $M_{11} = M_{22} \quad \Gamma_{11} = \Gamma_{22}$

Hermiticity: $X_{21} = M_{21} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{21} = M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^*$

note that $X_{21} \neq X_{12}^*$

with no assumptions about \mathcal{CP} :

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12} \\ M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^* & M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} \\ X_{21} & X_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$

find eigenstates (for \mathcal{CP} conserved case)

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} \\ X_{21} & X_{11} \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & \delta \\ \delta & X_{11} \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{if } \mathcal{CP} \text{ is conserved} \\ (X_{21} = X_{12} \equiv \delta) \end{array}$$

eigenvalues:

$$\lambda_1 \equiv M_S - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_S = X_{11} - \delta = (M_{11} - M_{12}) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_{11} - \Gamma_{12})$$

$$\lambda_2 \equiv M_L - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_L = X_{11} + \delta = (M_{11} + M_{12}) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_{11} + \Gamma_{12})$$

eigenstates:

$$|K_1(\tau)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(|K^0\rangle + |\bar{K}^0\rangle \right) e^{iM_S\tau - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S\tau}$$

$$|K_2(\tau)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(|K^0\rangle - |\bar{K}^0\rangle \right) e^{iM_L\tau - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_L\tau}$$

Decay modes of the K_1 and K_2 states

$$CP|\pi^\pm\rangle = -1|\pi^\mp\rangle$$

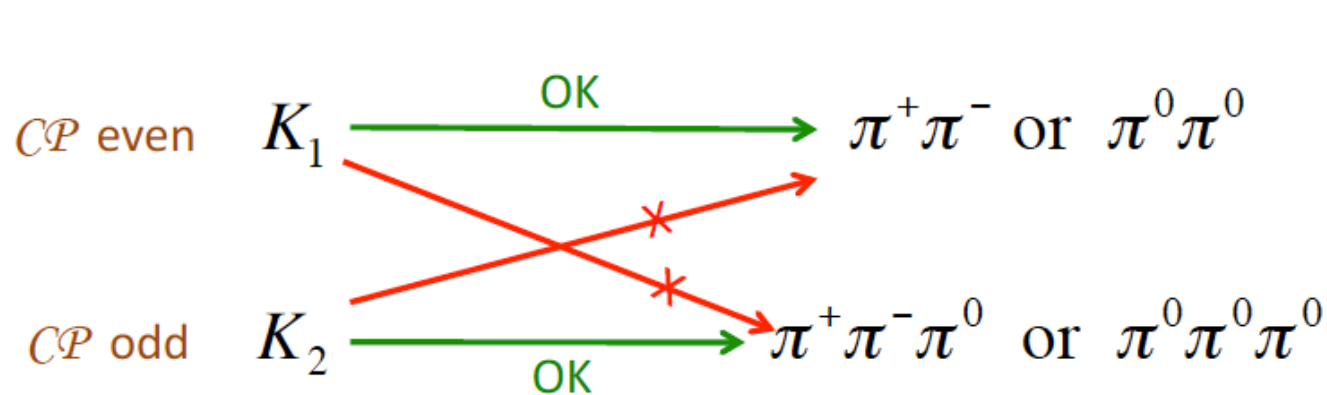
$$CP|\pi^0\rangle = -1|\pi^0\rangle$$

$$CP(|\pi^+\rangle|\pi^-\rangle) = +1|\pi^+\rangle|\pi^-\rangle$$

$$CP(|\pi^+\rangle|\pi^-\rangle|\pi^0\rangle) = -1|\pi^+\rangle|\pi^-\rangle|\pi^0\rangle$$

CP even

CP odd



Gell-Mann & Pais:

"...no more than half of all θ^0 's...decay into two pions."

$K_1 \rightarrow \pi\pi \Leftarrow$ phase space large

$K_2 \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi \Leftarrow$ phase space small

lifetime is short: $\tau \approx 0.1\text{ns}$ **500x different** lifetime is long: $\tau \approx 50\text{ns}$

$K_1 \Rightarrow K_S$ "**K-short**"

$K_2 \Rightarrow K_L$ "**K-long**"

Flavor states and mass eigenstates

-- if $C\mathcal{P}$ is conserved --

These have well defined
lifetime & mass

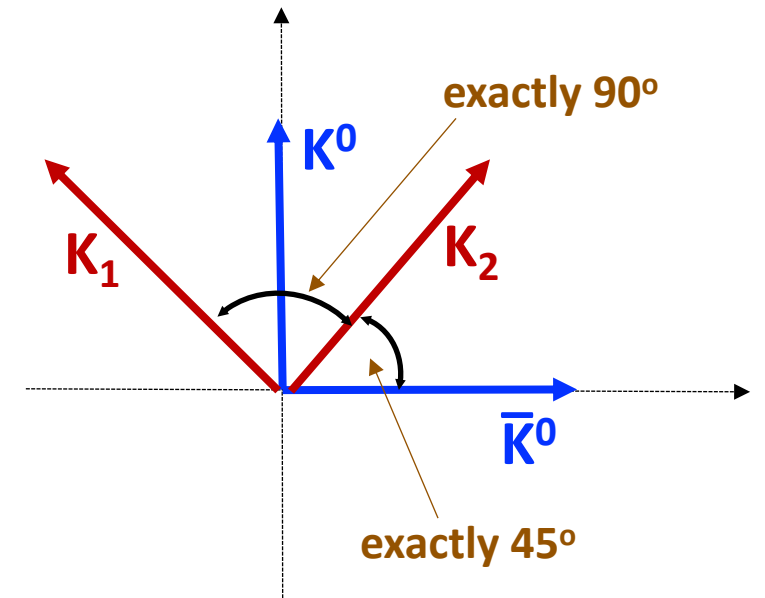
K_1 - K_2
CP eigenstates

$$|K_1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K^0\rangle + |\bar{K}^0\rangle)$$
$$|K_2\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K^0\rangle - |\bar{K}^0\rangle)$$

These have well defined
strangeness

\bar{K}^0 - K^0
Flavor States

$$|K^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K_1\rangle + |K_2\rangle)$$
$$|\bar{K}^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K_1\rangle - |K_2\rangle)$$



$K^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{K}^0$ oscillations with lifetimes (but no \mathcal{CP} V)

include decay times

$$\begin{aligned} |K_S(t)\rangle &= e^{iM_S t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S t} |K_S(0)\rangle \\ |K_L(t)\rangle &= e^{iM_L t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_L t} |K_L(0)\rangle \end{aligned} \quad \text{mass eigenstates}$$

start with K^0 at $t=0$:

$$|K^0(t=0)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K_S(t=0)\rangle + |K_L(t=0)\rangle) \quad \text{Strangeness tagging}$$

at a later time t :

$$|K^0(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (e^{iM_S t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S t} |K_S(0)\rangle + e^{iM_L t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_L t} |K_L(0)\rangle)$$

use

$$\begin{aligned} |K_S(0)\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K^0(0)\rangle - |\bar{K}^0(0)\rangle) \\ |K_L(0)\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K^0(0)\rangle + |\bar{K}^0(0)\rangle) \end{aligned} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{(assuming } \mathcal{CP} \\ \text{is conserved)} \end{array}$$

where:

$$|g_{\pm}(t)|^2 = e^{-\Gamma_L t} + e^{-\Gamma_S t} \pm 2e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L)t} \cos \Delta M_K t$$

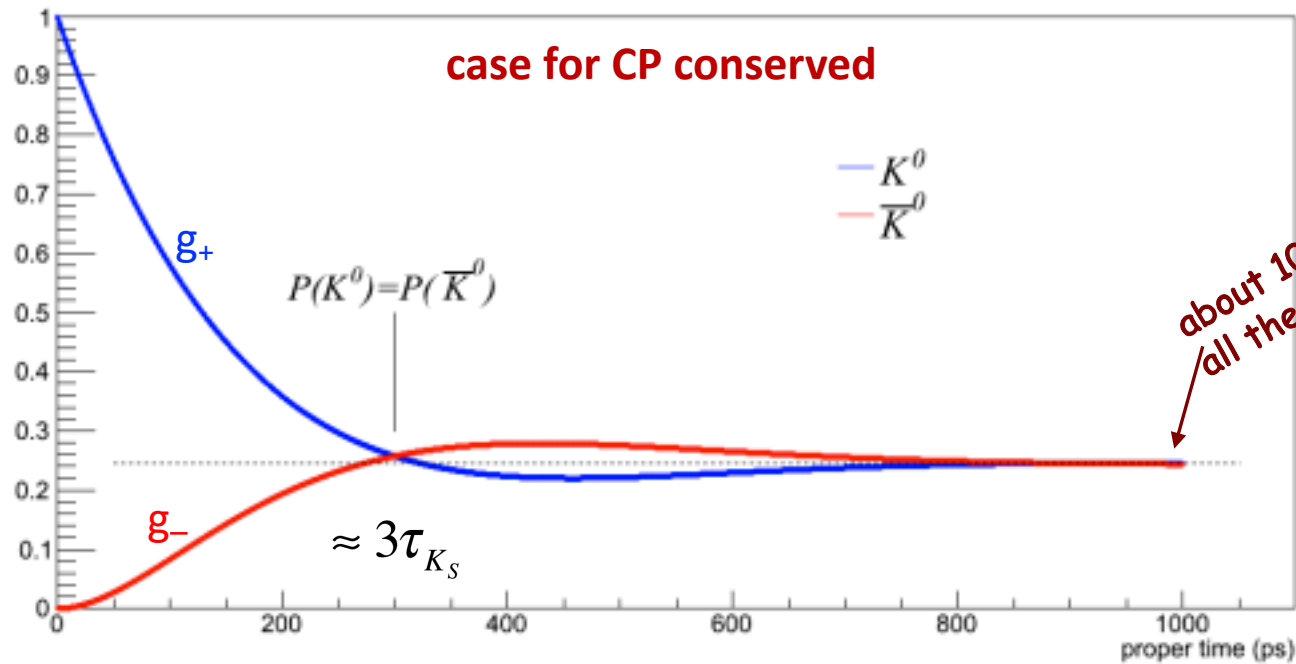
the measured
 K^0 and \bar{K}^0 rates:

$$\begin{aligned} I(K^0 \longrightarrow K^0; t) &= I_0 |\langle K^0 | K^0(t) \rangle|^2 = I_0 |g_+(t)|^2 \\ I(K^0 \longrightarrow \bar{K}^0; t) &= I_0 |\langle \bar{K}^0 | K^0(t) \rangle|^2 = I_0 |g_-(t)|^2 \end{aligned}$$

I_0 = beam intensity # of particles/s)

K^0 survival; \bar{K}^0 appearance

--strangeness oscillations--



— $I(K^0 \rightarrow K^0; t) = \frac{1}{4} I_0 \left[e^{-\Gamma_L t} + e^{-\Gamma_S t} + 2e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L)t} \cos \Delta M_K t \right]$

— $I(K^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0; t) = \frac{1}{4} I_0 \left[e^{-\Gamma_L t} + e^{-\Gamma_S t} - 2e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L)t} \cos \Delta M_K t \right]$

***CP* “tagging” vs Flavor “tagging”**

CP “tagging”

usually, a neutral K decays either to $\pi\pi$ or $\pi\pi\pi$

if neutral $K \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ or $\rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$ $\pi\pi$ has $CP=+1$
“tagged” as a K_1

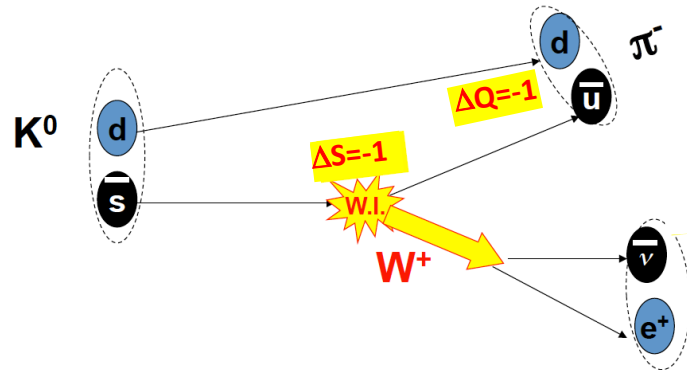
if neutral $K \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ or $\rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$ $\pi\pi\pi$ has $CP=-1$
“tagged” as a K_2

Flavor “tagging”

sometimes, a neutral K decays semileptonically to either to $\pi e \nu$ or $\pi \mu \nu$

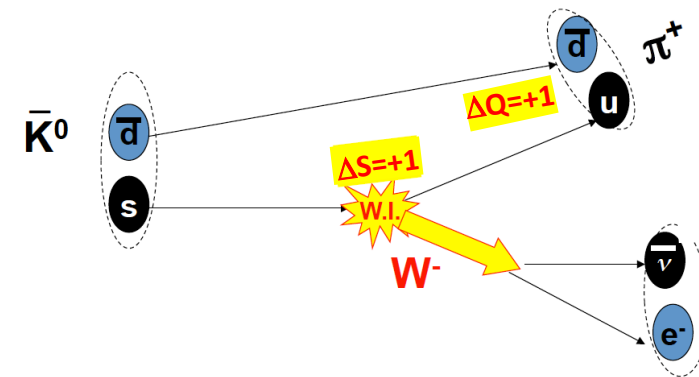
$\Delta S = \Delta Q$ rule

$K^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu$ and not $\pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}$



neutral $K \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu$ or $\rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu$
is “tagged” as a K^0 ($S=+1$)

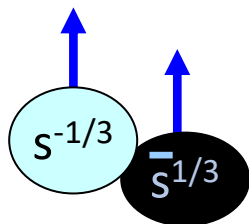
$\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}$ and not $\pi^- e^+ \nu$



neutral $K \rightarrow \pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}$ or $\rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^- \bar{\nu}$
is “tagged” as a \bar{K}^0 ($S=-1$)

The $\phi(1020)$ meson

well above the $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ threshold and only barely above K^+K^- threshold but $\mathcal{B}f(\phi \rightarrow K^+K^-) \gg \mathcal{B}f(\phi \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$



$Q=0$

$J=1$

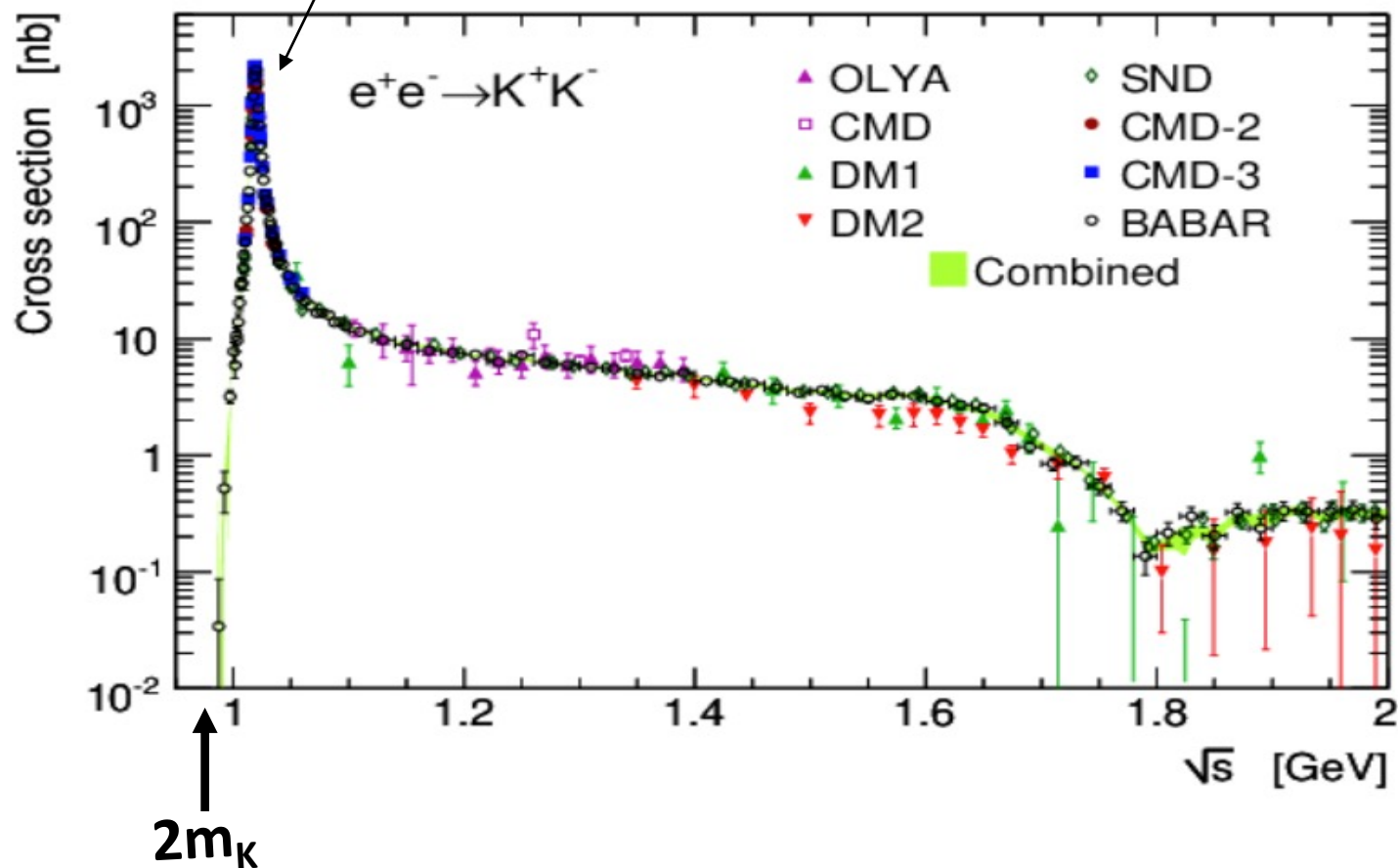
$C=-1$

$\mathcal{P}=-1$

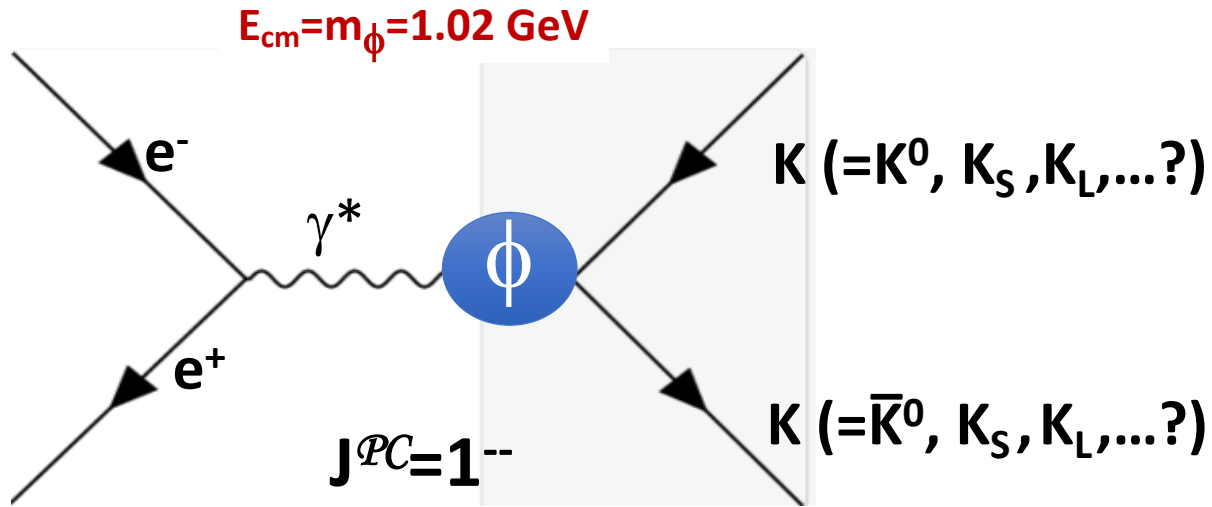
$S=0$

$J^{PC}=1^{--}$

same as photon



neutral K mesons produced via $e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi \rightarrow K K$



2 neutral Kaons in a $J^{PC}=1^{--}$ state

- $J=1$: must have $L=1$ (P -wave)
- $\mathcal{P}=-1$: $(-1)_K (-1)_K (-1)_{P\text{-wave}}$
- $C=+1$: $(+1)_{K_S} (-1)_{K_L}$

only $K_S K_L$ has $C=-1$

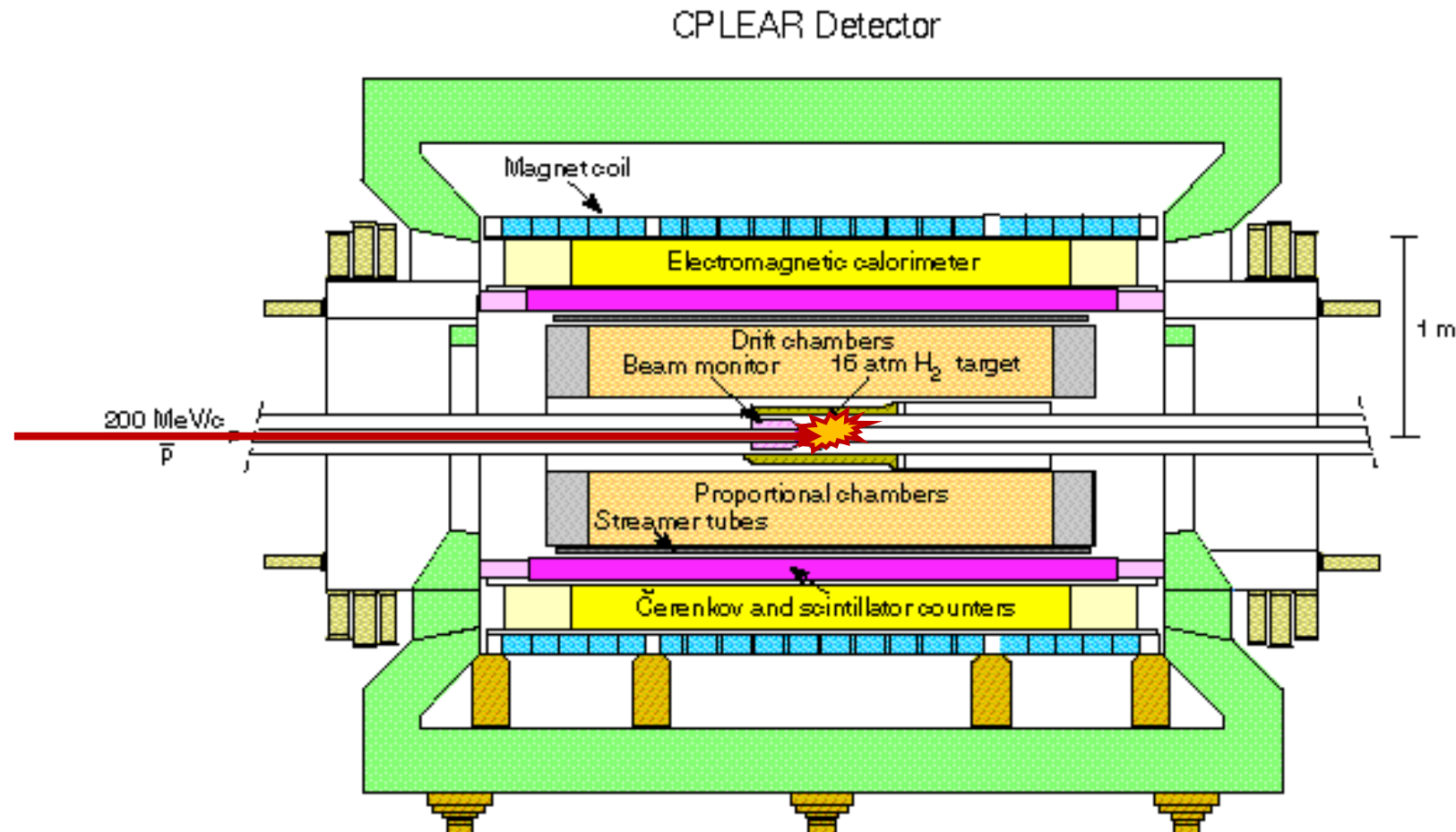
at an e^+e^- “ ϕ -factory”:

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi \rightarrow K_S K_L$$

neutral *K* flavor-tagging with hadron beams

The CPLEAR anti-proton experiment at CERN

\bar{p} beam stops in a H_2 target &
annihilates $\rightarrow \bar{K}^0 K^+ \pi^-$ or $K^0 K^- \pi^+$



Flavor-tagged production & Flavor-tagged decay

An example of a CPLEAR event

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{K}^0 &\rightarrow \pi^+ e^- \nu \\ K^0 &\rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu\end{aligned}$$

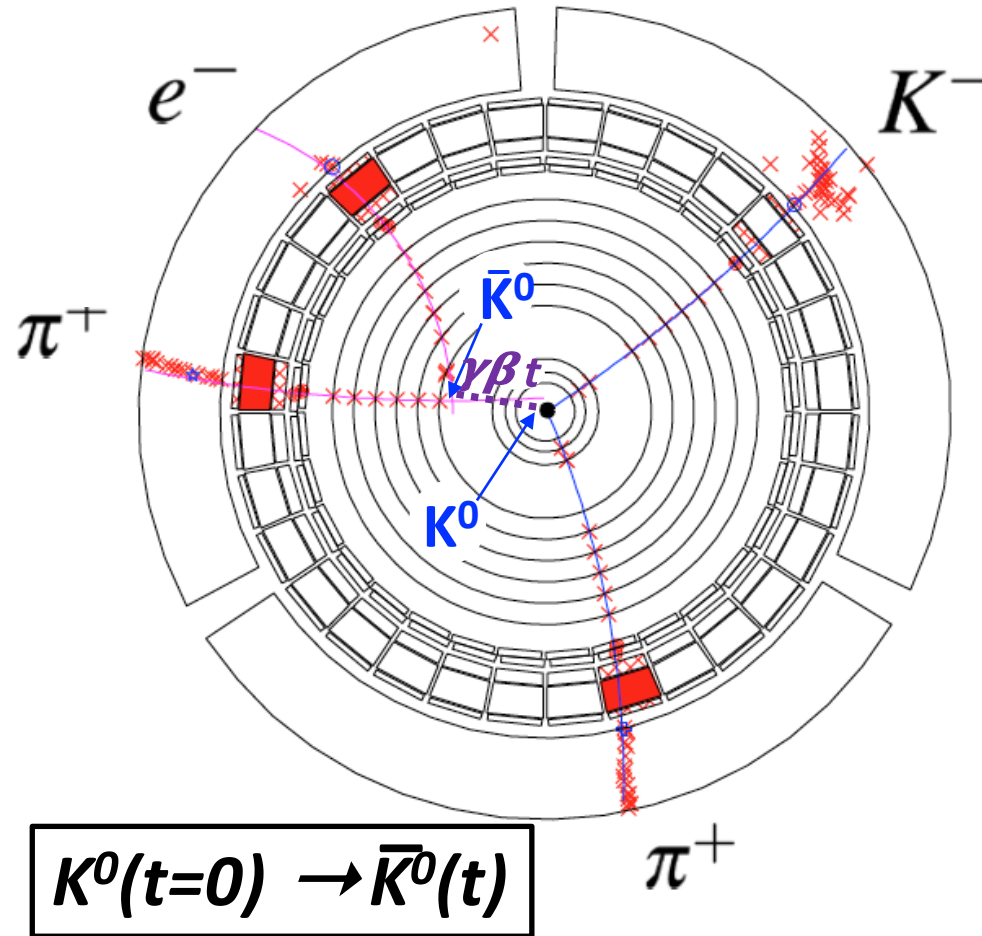
Decay:

$$\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}_e$$

$$\begin{aligned}\bar{p}p &\rightarrow K^0 K^- \pi^+ \\ &\text{or} \\ &\rightarrow \bar{K}^0 K^+ \pi^-\end{aligned}$$

Production:

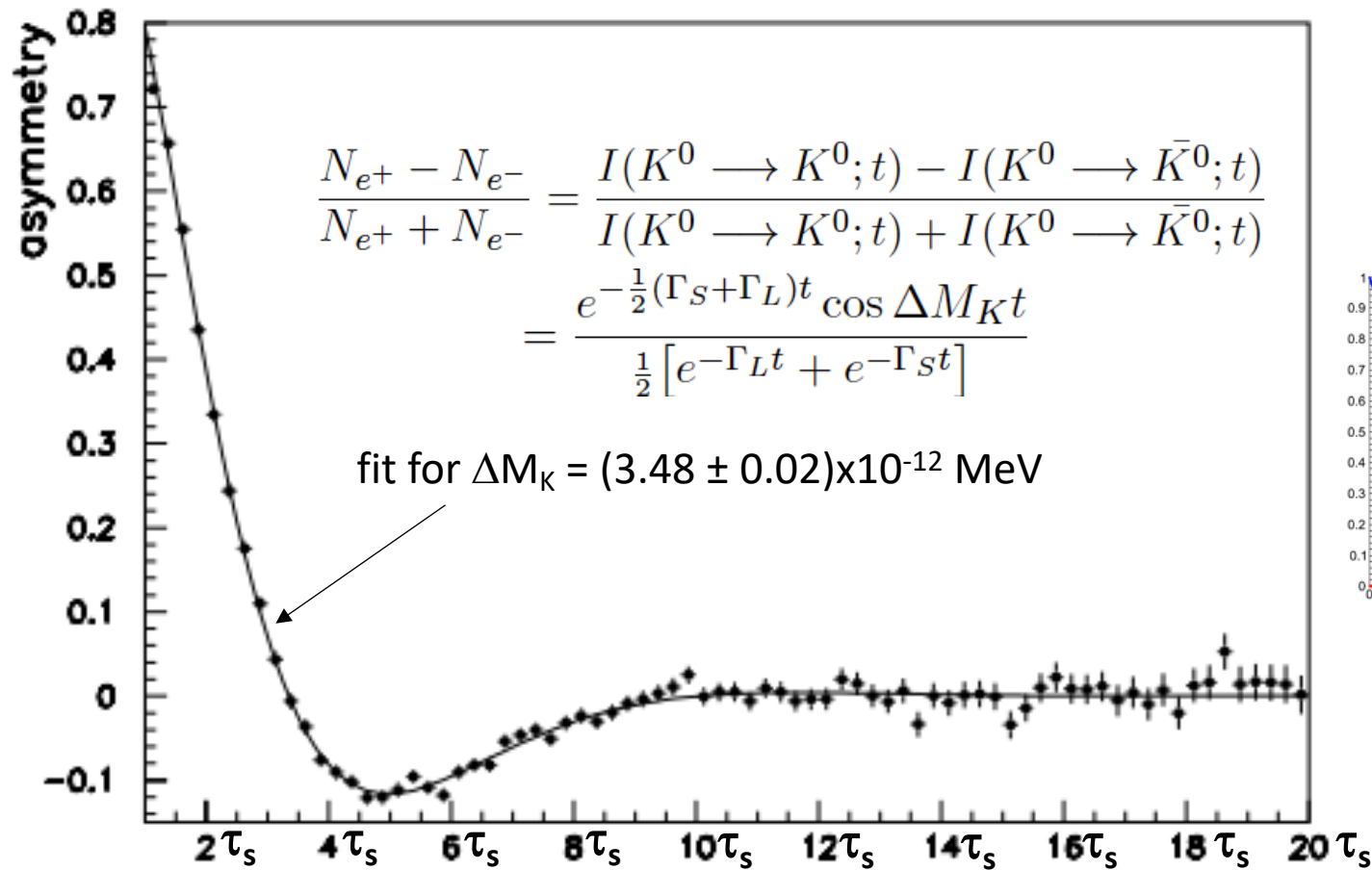
$$\bar{p}p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ K^0$$



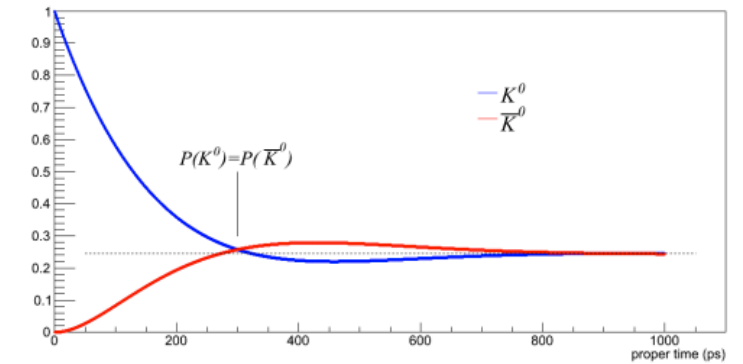
$$K^0(t=0) \rightarrow \bar{K}^0(t)$$

$K^0 \leftrightarrow \bar{K}^0$ mixing in CPLEAR

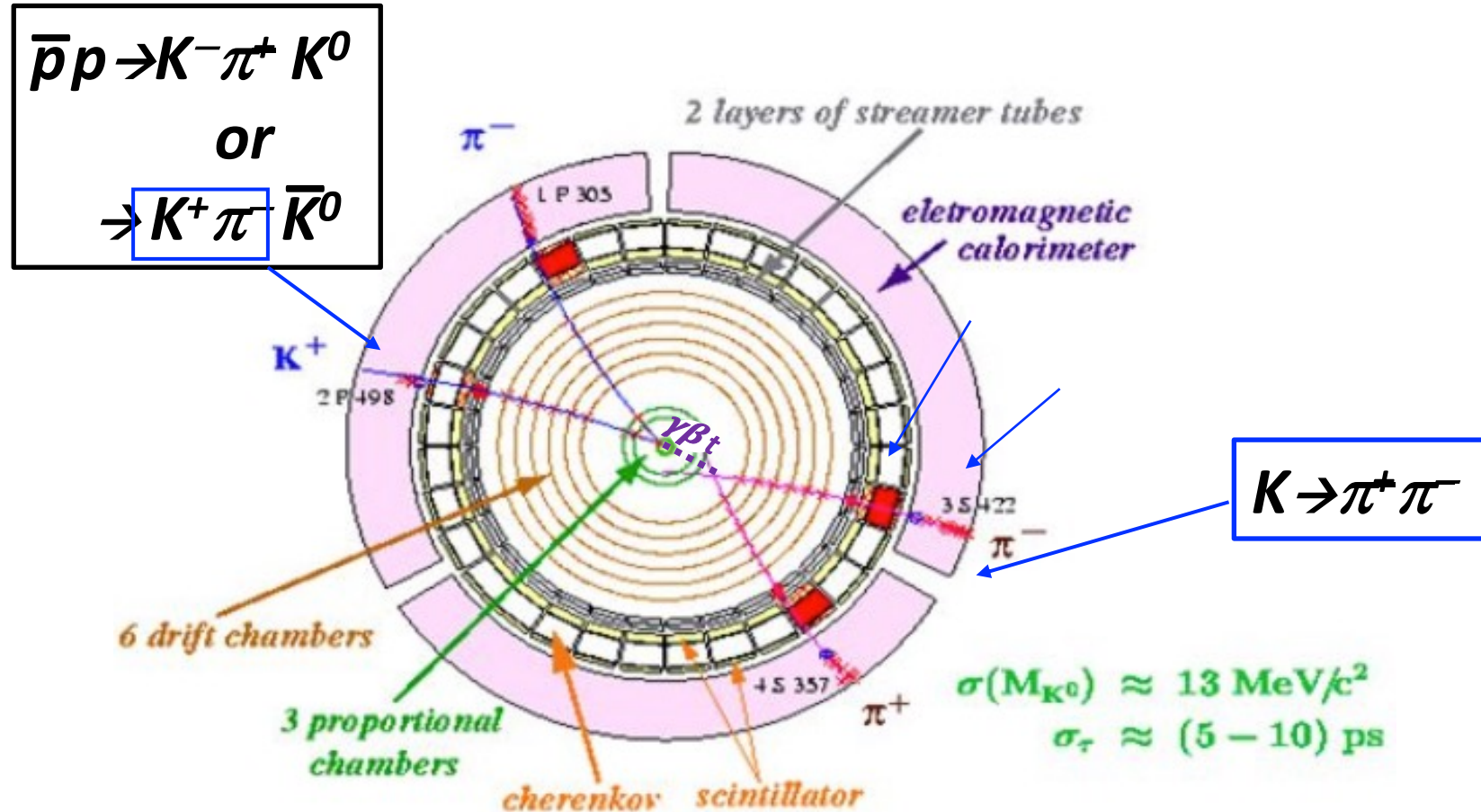
$$\frac{N_{e^+} - N_{e^-}}{N_{e^+} + N_{e^-}}$$



$$\tau_s = 1/\Gamma_S = K_S \text{ lifetime} = 0.0895 \text{ ns}$$

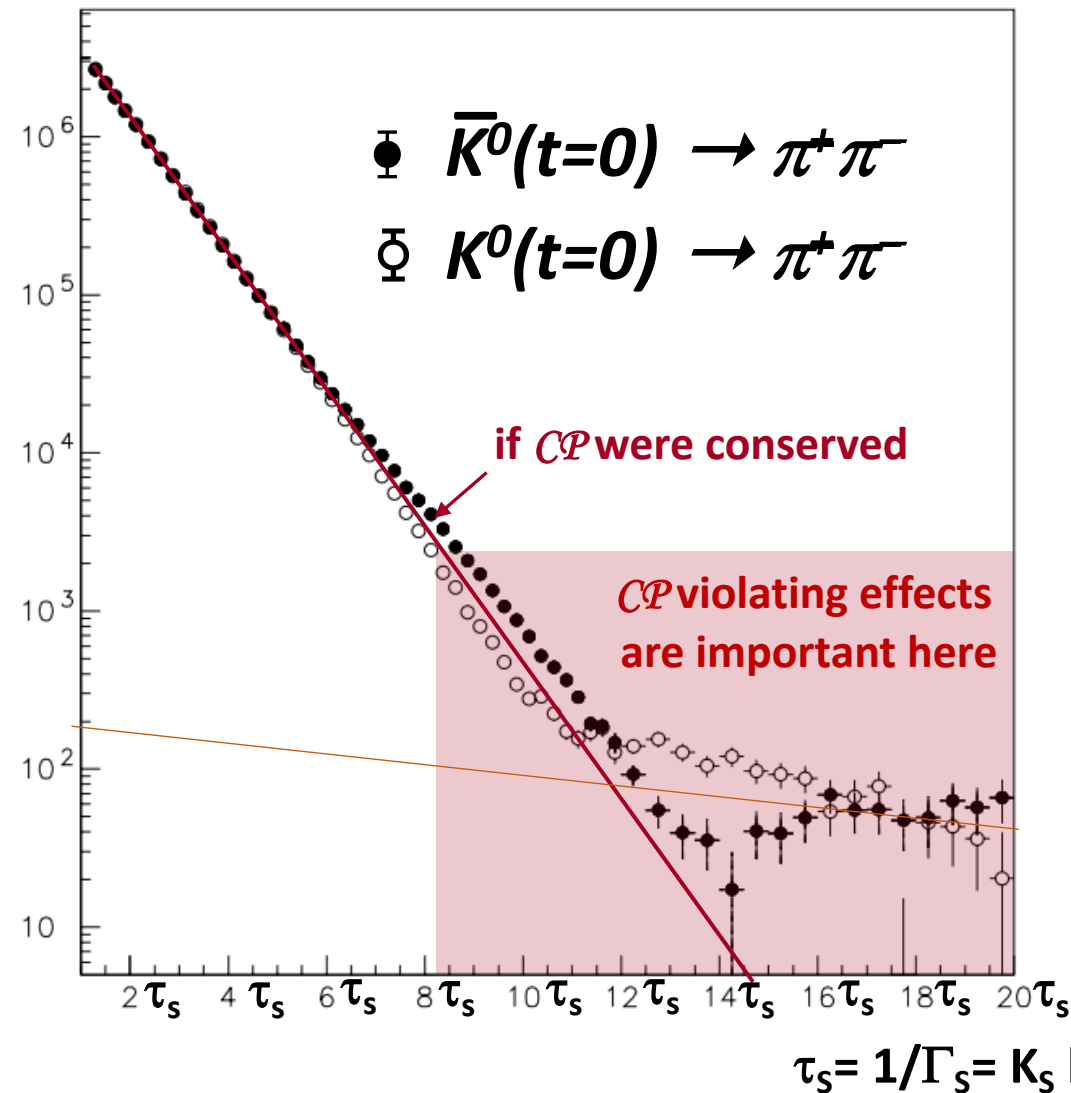


Flavor-tagged production; CP -tagged decay



$K^0(t=0) \rightarrow CP=+1$ at a later time $=t$

K^0 (\bar{K}^0) at production vertex; $\pi^+\pi^-$ at decay vertex



Let's put in some numbers

$$\Delta M_K = M_L - M_S = (3.48 \pm 0.02) \times 10^{-12} \text{ MeV} = \omega_K$$

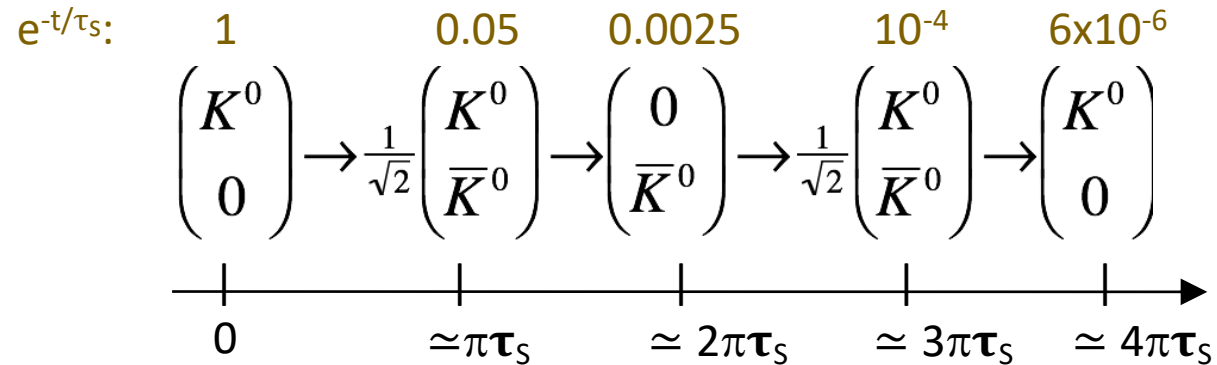
$$\Delta \Gamma_K = \Gamma_S - \Gamma_L = \frac{1}{\tau_S} - \frac{1}{\tau_L} = (7.28 \pm 0.01) \times 10^{-12} \text{ MeV} \approx \frac{1}{\tau_S}$$

$$\frac{\Delta M_K}{\Delta \Gamma} = 0.48 \Rightarrow \omega_K \approx \frac{0.5}{\tau_S}$$

$$\omega_K T_{1-\text{Oscillation}} = \frac{0.5}{\tau_S} T_{1-\text{Oscillation}} = 2\pi \Rightarrow T_{1-\text{Oscillation}} \approx 4\pi \cdot \tau_S$$

miracle #1

$$2\Delta M_K \approx \Delta \Gamma$$

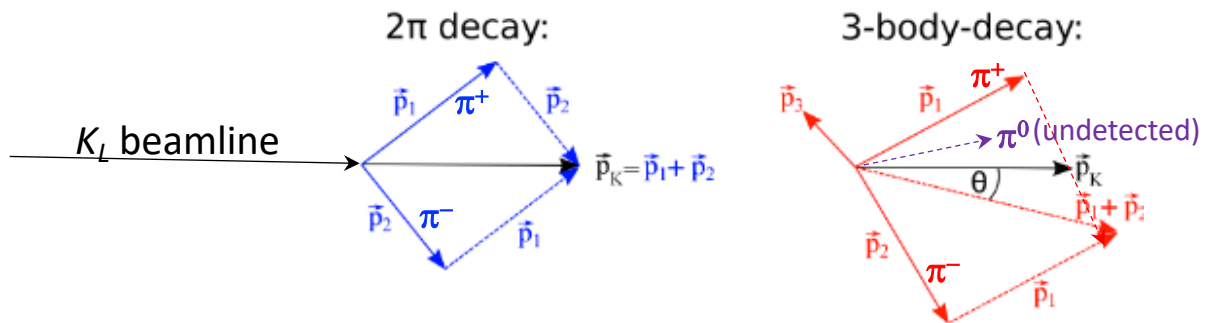


Discovery $C\mathcal{P}$ violating $K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ decays

5211 $K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^-$ candidates remeasured on a commercial bubble chamber measuring machine

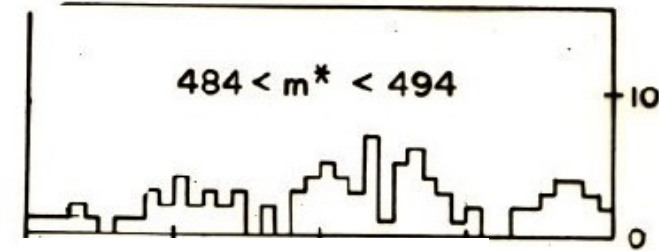
$\pi^+\pi^-$ “invariant mass”

$$M(\pi^+\pi^-) = \sqrt{(E_{\pi^+} + E_{\pi^-})^2 - (\vec{p}_{\pi^+} + \vec{p}_{\pi^-})^2}$$

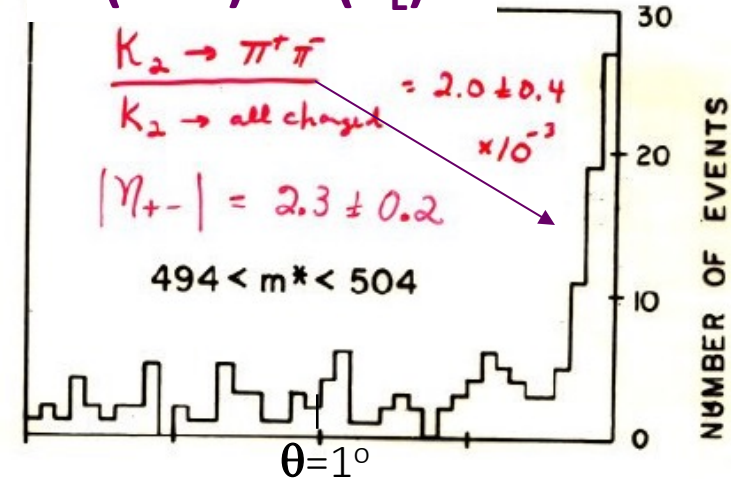


see backup slides for more information about the experiment

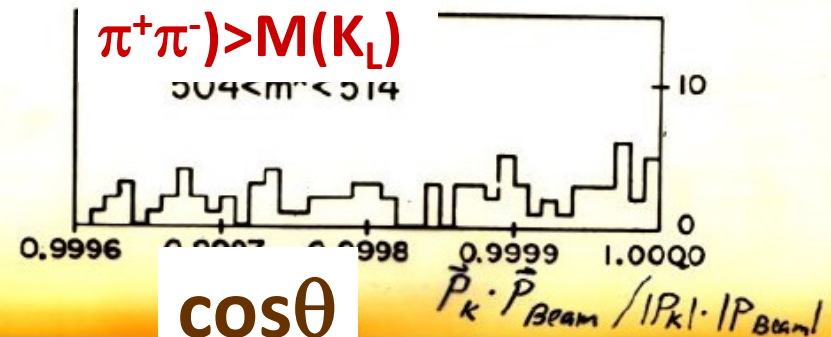
$M(\pi^+\pi^-) < M(K_L)$



$M(\pi^+\pi^-) = M(K_L)$



$\pi^+\pi^- > M(K_L)$



EVIDENCE FOR THE 2π DECAY OF THE K_2^0 MESON*†J. H. Christenson, J. W. Cronin,[‡] V. L. Fitch,[‡] and R. Turlay[§]

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We would conclude therefore that K_2^0 decays to two pions with a branching ratio $R = (K_2 \rightarrow \pi^+ + \pi^-) / (K_2^0 \rightarrow \text{all charged modes}) = (2.0 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-3}$ where the error is the standard deviation. As emphasized above, any alternate explanation of the effect requires highly nonphysical behavior of the three-body decays of the K_2^0 . The presence of a two-pion decay mode implies that the K_2^0 meson is not a pure eigenstate of CP . Expressed as

Result

1964 experiment:

$$\frac{Bf(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)}{Bf(K_L \rightarrow \text{charged particles})} = 2.0 \pm 0.4 \times 10^{-3} \quad \approx 1/500$$

these are not the same quantities

2020 World Average (PDG):

$$Bf(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = 1.967 \pm 0.010 \times 10^{-3} \quad \approx 1/500$$

Hamiltonian operator with \mathcal{CP} violation

$$H = \overset{\text{Hermitian}}{M} - \frac{i}{2}\overset{\text{Hermitian}}{\Gamma}$$

-- now we will include decays --

$$\langle K_j | H | K_i \rangle = \langle K_j | M | K_i \rangle - \frac{i}{2} \langle K_j | \Gamma | K_i \rangle = M_{ij} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{ij} = X_{ij}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \langle K^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle K^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \\ \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12} \\ M_{21} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{21} & M_{22} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

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with no assumptions about \mathcal{CP}

$$H = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12} \\ M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^* & M_{11} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{11} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} \\ X_{21} & X_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$

Schrodinger's Equation

-- allowing for CP violation and including decays --

here I conform to
standard notation:

$$X_{21} = \mathcal{A}_{K^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0} = -ip^2 \quad \left(= M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^* \right)$$

$$X_{12} = \mathcal{A}_{\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow K^0} = -iq^2 \quad \left(= M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12} \right)$$

Schrodinger's
equation

$$\mathbf{H}\psi(t) = -i\hbar \frac{\partial \psi(t)}{\partial t}$$

assume solutions of the form: $\psi(t) = \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} e^{i\lambda_i t}$

solve for eigenvalues/states;

$$(\hbar = 1)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & -iq^2 \\ -ip^2 & X_{11} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} e^{i\lambda_i t} = -i \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} e^{i\lambda_i t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} - \lambda_i & -iq^2 \\ -ip^2 & X_{11} - \lambda_i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Solutions for $\psi(t)$

eigenvalue equation:
$$\begin{vmatrix} X_{11} - \lambda_i & -iq^2 \\ -ip^2 & X_{11} - \lambda_i \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad X_{11} = M_K - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_K$$

eigenvalues

$$i = 1 : \lambda_S = X_{11} + ipq = M_S - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_S$$

$$i = 2 : \lambda_L = X_{11} - ipq = M_L - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_L$$

eigenstates

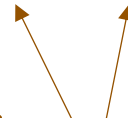
$$|K_S(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2}} (p |K^0\rangle + q |\bar{K}^0\rangle) e^{iM_S t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S t}$$

$$|K_L(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2}} (p |K^0\rangle - q |\bar{K}^0\rangle) e^{iM_L t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_L t}$$

$$\lambda_S - \lambda_L = 2ipq = (M_S - M_L) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)$$

if p & q are not equal (i.e. CP is violated): $K_S \neq K_1$ & $K_L \neq K_2$

complex numbers



Solutions for $\psi(t)$

mass eigenstates: flavor basis

$$|K_S(t)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2}} (p |K^0\rangle + q |\bar{K}^0\rangle) e^{iM_S t - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S t}$$

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Flavor \rightarrow \mathcal{CP} eigenstates:

mass eigenstates: \mathcal{CP} basis

$$|K^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K_1\rangle + |K_2\rangle)$$

$$|\bar{K}^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|K_1\rangle - |K_2\rangle)$$

$$|K_S\rangle = \frac{p+q}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2}} (|K_1\rangle + \frac{p-q}{p+q} |K_2\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\varepsilon|^2}} (|K_1\rangle + \varepsilon |K_2\rangle)$$

$$|K_L\rangle = \frac{p+q}{\sqrt{p^2+q^2}} (|K_2\rangle + \frac{p-q}{p+q} |K_1\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\varepsilon|^2}} (|K_2\rangle + \varepsilon |K_1\rangle)$$

$$\varepsilon \equiv \frac{p-q}{p+q}$$

the K_1 component decays to $\pi^+\pi^-$

K_S & K_L are not CP eigenstates

$$|K_S\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} (|K_1\rangle + \epsilon |K_2\rangle)$$

$$|K_L\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} (|K_2\rangle + \epsilon |K_1\rangle)$$

$\approx 1/500$ again

$|K_L\rangle \neq |K_2\rangle$ it has a small ($\sim 0.2\%$) admixture of $|K_1\rangle$

and $|K_S\rangle$ has a similar admixture of $|K_2\rangle$

this means that $M_{21} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{21} \neq M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{12}^*$ *i.e.*, CP is violated

What is ϵ ?

If $\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_2 \rangle = 0$

good approximation,
but not exact

$$\begin{aligned} A(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) &= \Gamma(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_L \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} \left(\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_2 \rangle + \epsilon \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_1 \rangle \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} \epsilon \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_1 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) &= \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_S \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} \left(\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_1 \rangle + \epsilon \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_2 \rangle \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | K_1 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)}{\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)} \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{amplitudes,} \\ \text{...not branching fractions} \end{array}$$

put in numbers

$$|\epsilon| = \frac{|\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)|}{|\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)|} = \sqrt{\frac{\Gamma(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}{\Gamma(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)\Gamma_L}{\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)\Gamma_S}} = \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)\tau_S}{\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)\tau_L}} = 2.28 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}$$

“partial widths”
“branching fractions”

from PDG 2020:

$$\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-) = 1.967 \pm 0.010 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-) = 0.6920 \pm 0.0005$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \tau_S = 0.08954 \pm 0.0004 \text{ ns} \\ \tau_L = 51.16 \pm 0.21 \text{ ns} \end{array} \right\} \tau_S/\tau_L = 1.75 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}$$

nearly the same as $\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)$,
a coincidence due to similar values
of $\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)$, τ_S/τ_L , & ϵ .

The K_S - K_L meson system is weird!

-- unlike any other particle systems--

→ The K_S & K_L are not each others antiparticles

-- different mass and very different lifetimes

-- K^0 & \bar{K}^0 are particle-antiparticles; K_1 & K_2 are their own antiparticles

→ In fact, neither the K_S nor the K_L have antiparticles

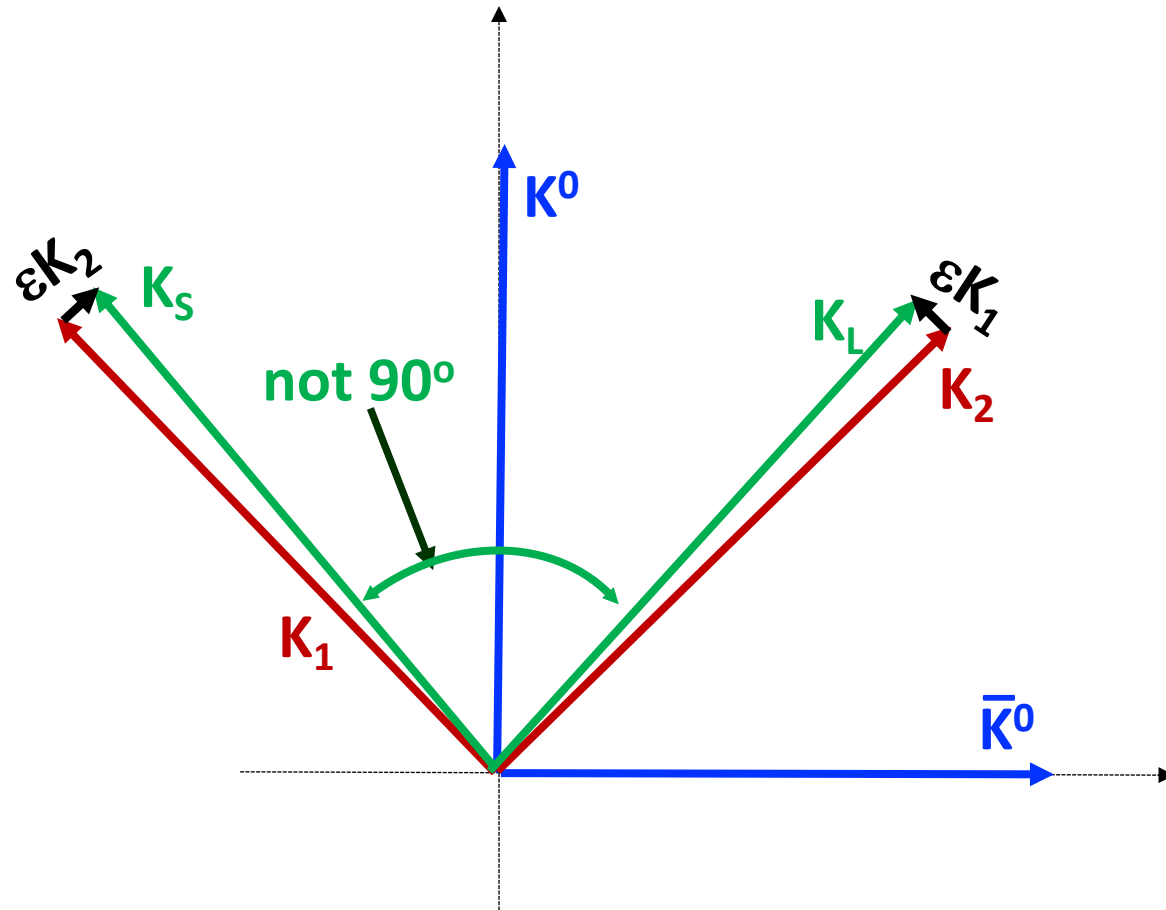
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{C} |K_S\rangle &= \mathcal{C}(|K_1\rangle + \epsilon |K_2\rangle) = +(|K_1\rangle - \epsilon |K_2\rangle) \\ \mathcal{C} |K_L\rangle &= \mathcal{C}(|K_2\rangle + \epsilon |K_1\rangle) = -(|K_2\rangle - \epsilon |K_1\rangle) \end{aligned}$$

these states do not occur in Nature

→ The K_S & K_L are not even orthogonal

$$\langle K_S | K_L \rangle = (\langle K_1 | + \epsilon \langle K_2 |)(|K_2\rangle + \epsilon |K_1\rangle) = 2 \operatorname{Re} \epsilon \neq 0$$

neutral Kaon system: 3 different basis systems



$K^0 - \bar{K}^0$
Flavor States

These have well defined
strangeness

$K_1 - K_2$
 \mathcal{CP} eigenstates

These have well defined
 \mathcal{CP} values

not the same!

$K_S - K_L$
Mass eigenstates

These have well defined
lifetime & mass

if $\epsilon \neq 0$, the K_S & K_L mass eigenstates are not orthogonal

-- Lee, Omnes, Yang, Phys. Rev. 106, 340 (1957) --

Let's look at ε :

definition of ε :

$$\varepsilon \equiv \frac{p - q}{p + q}$$

rewrite ε in terms
that we know:

$$\varepsilon = \frac{i \operatorname{Im} M_{12} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Im} \Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2} (\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)}$$

this is the key relation in this talk

what we know about p & q

$$-ip^2 = (M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^*) \Rightarrow p^2 = iM_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}^*$$

$$-iq^2 = (M_{12} - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}) \Rightarrow q^2 = iM_{12} + \frac{i}{2} \Gamma_{12}$$

$$\lambda_S - \lambda_L = 2ipq = (M_S - M_L) - \frac{i}{2} (\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2pq = i(M_L - M_S) - \frac{1}{2} (\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)$$

$$\varepsilon \equiv \frac{p^2 - q^2}{(p + q)^2} \Rightarrow \frac{p^2 - q^2}{4pq + (p - q)^2} \approx \frac{p^2 - q^2}{4pq}$$

$(p - q)^2 \sim \varepsilon^2 \Leftarrow \text{small}$

$$\frac{p^2 - q^2}{4pq} = \frac{-2 \operatorname{Im} M_{12} + i \operatorname{Im} \Gamma_{12}}{2i(M_L - M_S) - (\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)}$$

Some comments

$$H \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{12} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{12} \\ M_{12}^* - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{12}^* & M_{11} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{11} \end{pmatrix}$$

\mathcal{CP} is only violated if the off-diagonal terms are different

$$\varepsilon = \frac{i\text{Im} M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)}$$

Hermiticity: $M_{21}=M_{12}^*$ & $\Gamma_{12}=\Gamma_{21}^*$
 \mathcal{CPV} only driven by complex phases

Latest numbers:

$$\frac{Bf(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}{Bf(K_L \rightarrow \text{all})} = 1.97 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$|\eta_{+-}| = \frac{A(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}{A(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)} \approx |\varepsilon| = 2.23 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}$$

\mathcal{CPV} is very small, $\sim 10^{-3}G_F^2$, far from the maximum that is possible (unlike \mathcal{P} and \mathcal{C} violations)

What are M_{12} & Γ_{12} ?

virtual & on-shell K^0 - \bar{K}^0 couplings

non-zero $\text{Im}M_{12}$ would imply
new heavy virtual particles

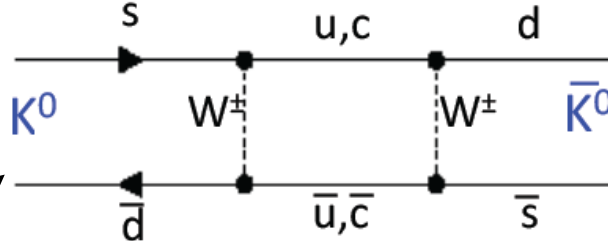
--"Mass-Matrix \mathcal{CPV} "--

$$\varepsilon = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)}$$

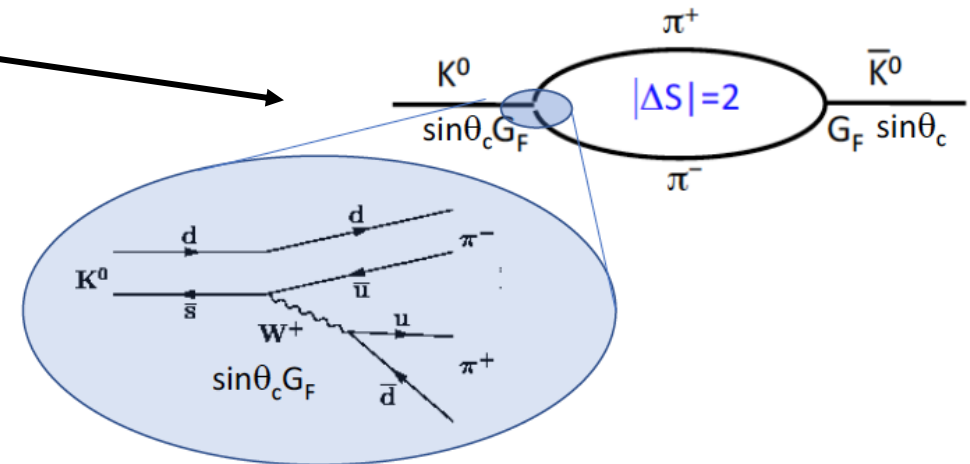
non-zero $\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}$ would imply
 $A(\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi) \neq A^*(K^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi)$

--"Direct \mathcal{CPV} "--

short-distance



long-distance



Some notation/terminology:

$$\epsilon = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)} = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma}$$

$$\eta_{+-} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}{\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)}$$

$$\eta_{00} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 + \pi^0)}{\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0)}$$

$$\eta_{00} \approx \eta_{+-} \approx \epsilon$$

almost --but not exactly-- equal

phase of ε

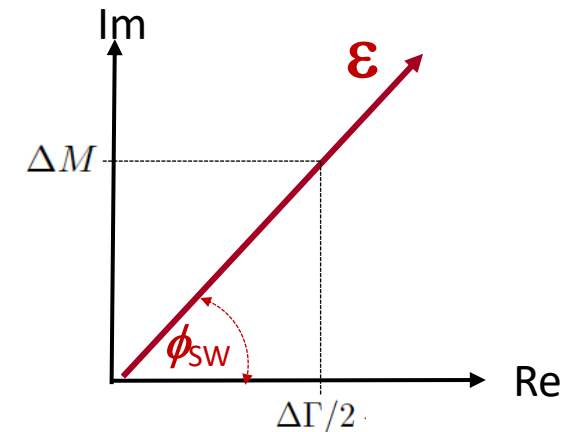
-- the "Superweak" phase --

$$\epsilon = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)} = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma}$$

if $\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}=0$: $\Rightarrow \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma} = \underbrace{\frac{\text{Im}M_{12}}{(\Delta\Gamma/2)^2 + \Delta M^2}}_{\text{real number}} (\Delta\Gamma/2 + i\Delta M)$

$$\phi_{\text{SW}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\Delta m}{\Delta\Gamma} = 43.30^\circ \pm 0.16^\circ,$$

using PDG values



measuring the phase of η_{+-}

K^0 -- \bar{K}^0 basis states with \mathcal{CPV}

$$|K_S\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} (|K_1\rangle + \epsilon |K_2\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1+|\epsilon|^2)}} ((1+\epsilon) |K^0\rangle + (1-\epsilon) |\bar{K}^0\rangle)$$

$$|K_L\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\epsilon|^2}} (|K_2\rangle + \epsilon |K_1\rangle) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(1+|\epsilon|^2)}} ((1+\epsilon) |K^0\rangle - (1-\epsilon) |\bar{K}^0\rangle)$$

solve for K^0 and \bar{K}^0

$$\begin{aligned} |K^0(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1-\epsilon) (|K_S(\tau)\rangle + |K_L(\tau)\rangle) \\ |\bar{K}^0(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1+\epsilon) (|K_S(\tau)\rangle - |K_L(\tau)\rangle) \end{aligned}$$

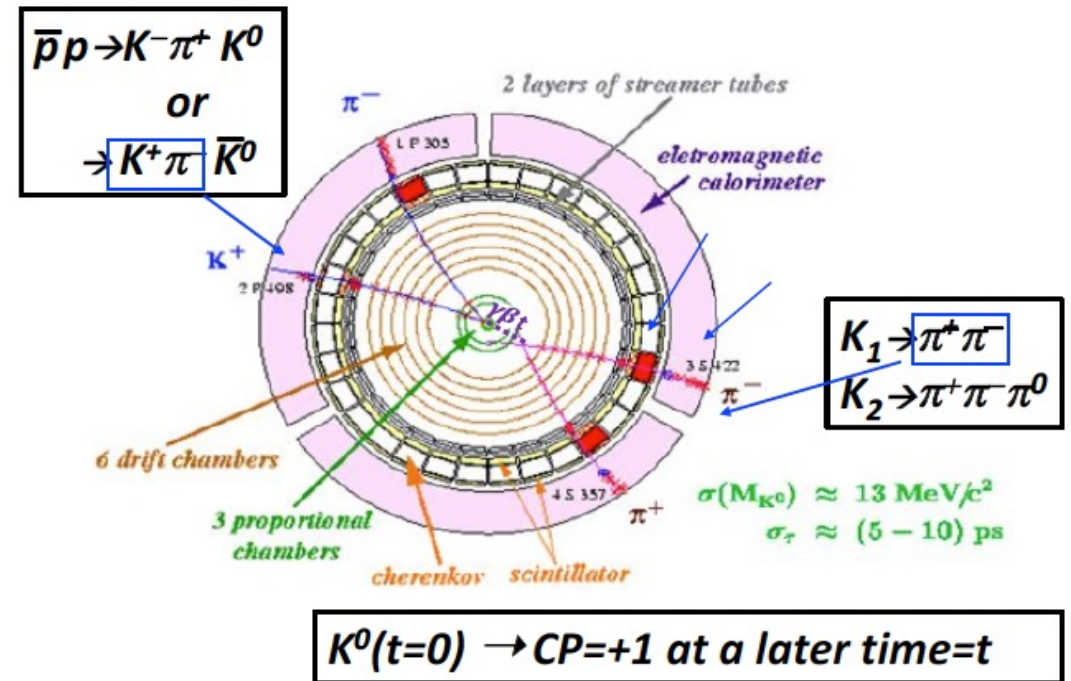
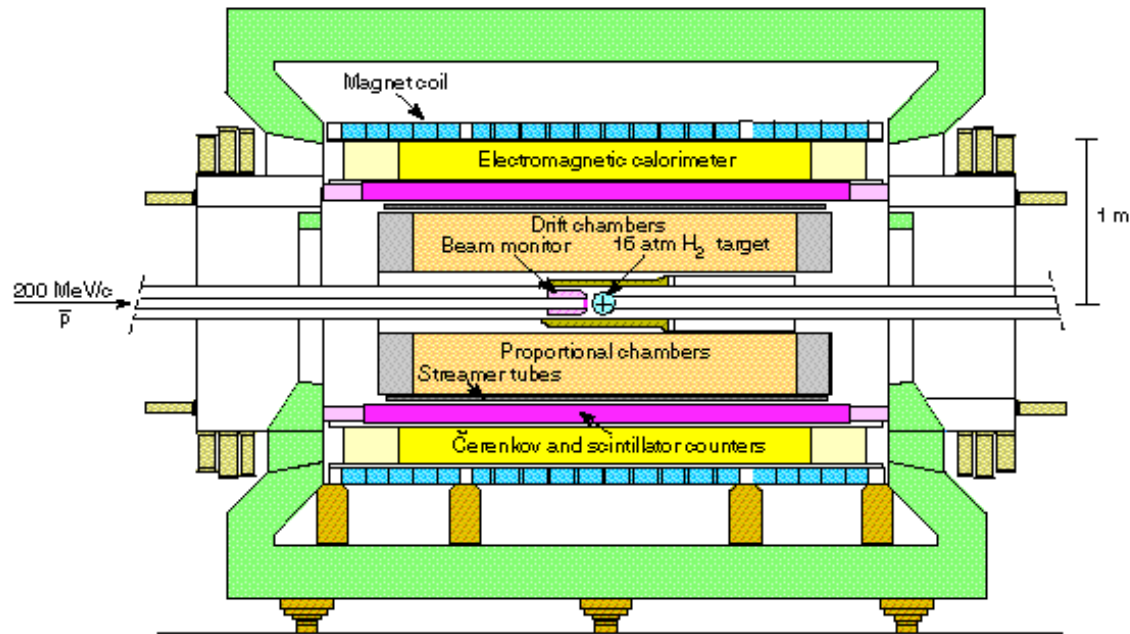
strangeness-tagged K^0 and \bar{K}^0

$$\begin{aligned} |K_S(0)\rangle (e^{-i(M_S - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_S)\tau}) & \quad |\eta_{+-} e^{i\phi_{+-}} |K_L(0)\rangle (e^{-i(M_L - \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_L)\tau}) \\ |K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1-\epsilon) (|K_S(\tau)\rangle + \eta_{+-} |K_L(\tau)\rangle) \\ |\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1+\epsilon) (|K_S(\tau)\rangle - \eta_{+-} |K_L(\tau)\rangle) \end{aligned}$$

$K^0 (\bar{K}^0) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ vs τ at CPLEAR

Use favor-tagged events that decay to $\pi^+ \pi^-$

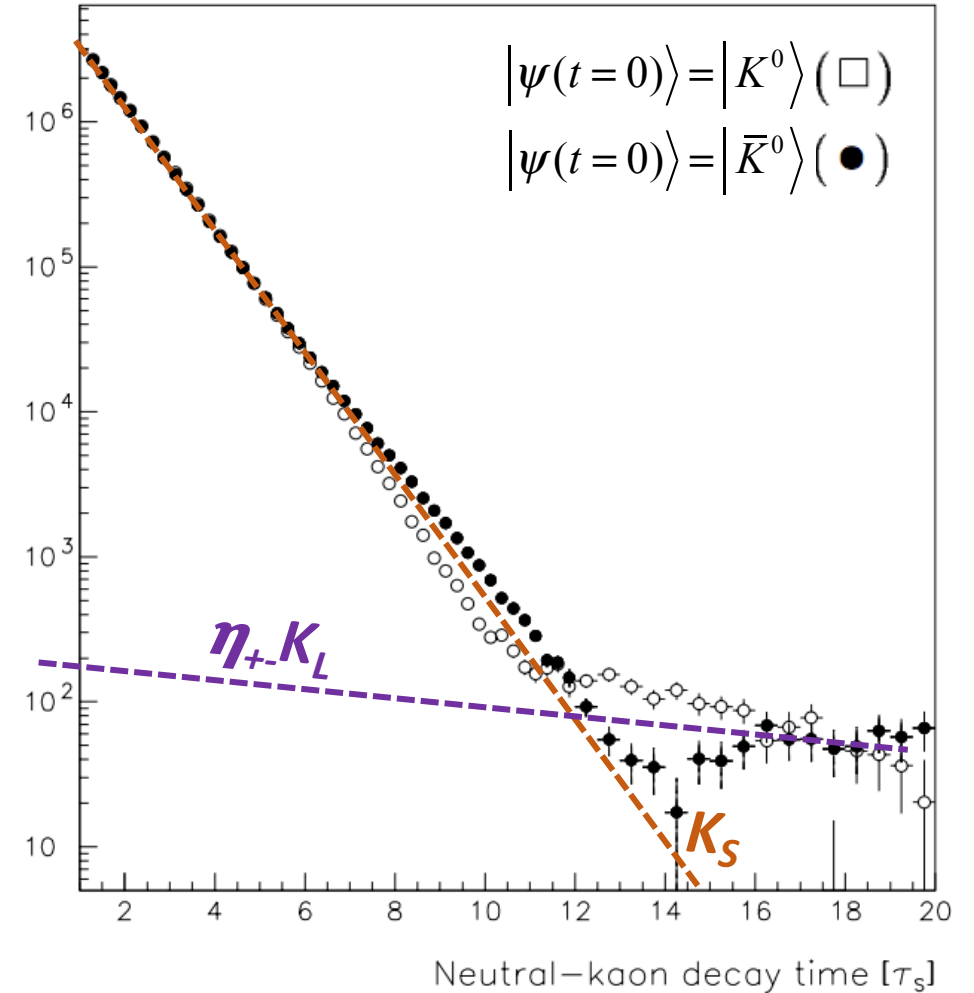
CPLEAR Detector



Time-dependence of $K^0(\bar{K}^0) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$

$$\begin{aligned} |K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1 - \epsilon)(|K_S(\tau)\rangle + \eta_{+-}|K_L(\tau)\rangle) \\ |\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-(\tau)\rangle &\propto (1 + \epsilon)(|K_S(\tau)\rangle - \eta_{+-}|K_L(\tau)\rangle) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} R(\tau) \\ \bar{R}(\tau) \end{bmatrix} &\propto (1 \mp 2\mathcal{R}e(\epsilon)) [e^{-\Gamma_S\tau} + |\eta_{+-}|^2 e^{-\Gamma_L\tau} \\ &\pm 2|\eta_{+-}| e^{\frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L)\tau} \cos(\Delta M_K \tau - \phi_{+-})] \end{aligned}$$



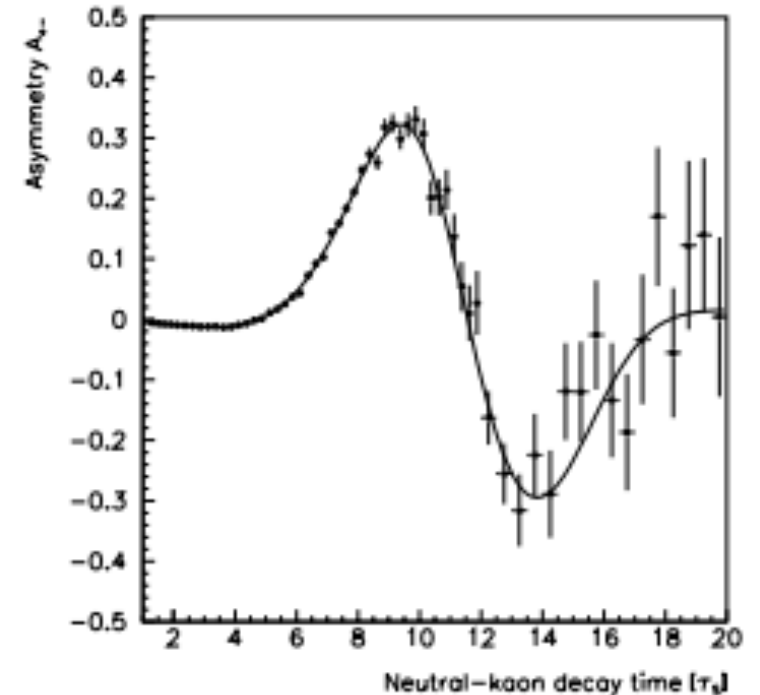
Phase of (η_{+-}) from CPLEAR

$$A_{+-}(\tau) = \frac{\bar{R}(\tau) - R(\tau)}{\bar{R}(\tau) + R(\tau)}$$

$$= -2 \frac{|\eta_{+-}| e^{\frac{1}{2}(\tau/\tau_S - \tau/\tau_L)} \cos(\Delta m \tau - \phi_{+-})}{1 + |\eta_{+-}|^2 e^{(\tau/\tau_S - \tau/\tau_L)}}$$

$$|\eta_{+-}| = (2.264 \pm 0.023_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.026_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.007_{\tau_S}) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\phi_{+-} = 43.19^\circ \pm 0.53^\circ_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.28^\circ_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.42^\circ_{\Delta m}$$



CPLEAR Phys. Lett. B458, 545 (1999)

big question 1

$$|K_L\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+|\varepsilon|^2}} \left(\overset{\text{CP odd}}{|K_2\rangle} + \varepsilon \overset{\text{CP even}}{|K_1\rangle} \right)$$

\swarrow OK $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ or $\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$ CP odd
 \searrow direct CPV? $\pi^+\pi^-$ or $\pi^0\pi^0$ CP even
 \searrow indirect CPV OK

Is there a direct decay $K_{\text{CP-odd}}$ to $\pi^+\pi^-$ or $\pi^0\pi^0$?

i.e., differences between $A(K^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi)$ and $A(\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi)$

η_{+-} and η_{00} with direct decays

$$\eta_{+-} \equiv \frac{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_L \rangle}{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_S \rangle} = \frac{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle + \epsilon \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle}{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle} = \epsilon + \overset{\text{direct CP?}}{\frac{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle}}$$

$$\eta_{00} \equiv \frac{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_L \rangle}{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_S \rangle} = \frac{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle + \epsilon \langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle}{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle} = \epsilon + \overset{\text{direct CP?}}{\frac{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle}}$$

direct $K_2 \rightarrow \pi\pi$ effects $\pi^+\pi^-$ & $\pi^0\pi^0$ differently

express $K^0(\bar{K}^0) \rightarrow \pi\pi$
in Isospin states

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \pi\pi; I=0 | H | K^0 \rangle &= A_0 e^{i\delta_0} & \langle \pi\pi; I=0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle &= -A_0^* e^{i\delta_0} \\ \langle \pi\pi; I=2 | H | K^0 \rangle &= A_2 e^{i\delta_2} & \langle \pi\pi; I=2 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle &= -A_2^* e^{i\delta_2}\end{aligned}$$

since we use $CP(K^0) = +\bar{K}^0$

δ_0 & $\delta_2 = \pi\pi$ strong
int. phase shifts;
same for K^0 & \bar{K}^0

$$|\pi^+\pi^-\rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}|\pi\pi; I=0\rangle + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|\pi\pi; I=2\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [\langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | K^0 \rangle + \langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}(A_0 - A_0^*)e^{i\delta_0} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}(A_2 - A_2^*)e^{i\delta_2} \right) \\ &= i\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(\sqrt{2} \operatorname{Im} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} + \operatorname{Im} A_2 e^{i\delta_2} \right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(\sqrt{2} \operatorname{Re} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} + \operatorname{Re} A_2 e^{i\delta_2} \right)$$

$$|\pi^0\pi^0\rangle = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|\pi\pi; I=0\rangle + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}|\pi\pi; I=2\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [\langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | K^0 \rangle - \langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle] \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(+\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}(A_0 - A_0^*)e^{i\delta_0} - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}(A_2 - A_2^*)e^{i\delta_2} \right) \\ &= i\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(+\operatorname{Im} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} - \sqrt{2} \operatorname{Im} A_2 e^{i\delta_2} \right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left(+\operatorname{Re} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} - \sqrt{2} \operatorname{Re} A_2 e^{i\delta_2} \right)$$

Clebsch-Gordon coefficients

Important point:

The “Wu-Yang”
phase-convention

Physics is in the difference between A_0 & A_2 phases. It is customary* to chose A_0 to be real

$$\langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle = i\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \operatorname{Im} A_2 e^{i\delta_2}$$

$$\langle \pi^+\pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} \left(1 + \frac{\operatorname{Re} A_2}{\sqrt{2} A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)} \right)$$

$$\langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle = -i\sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} \operatorname{Im} A_2 e^{i\delta_2}$$

$$\langle \pi^0\pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} \left(1 - \frac{\sqrt{2} \operatorname{Re} A_2}{A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)} \right)$$

*T. T. Wu and C. N. Yang, *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **13**, 380 (1964)

$$\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle = i\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \text{Im } A_2 e^{i\delta_2}$$

from previous
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$$\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} \left(1 + \frac{\text{Re } A_2}{\sqrt{2} A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)} \right)$$

$$\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle = -i\sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} \text{Im } A_2 e^{i\delta_2}$$

$$\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} A_0 e^{i\delta_0} \left(1 - \frac{\sqrt{2} \text{Re } A_2}{A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)} \right)$$

define:

$$\varepsilon' = \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\text{Im } A_2}{A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)} \quad \omega = \frac{\text{Re } A_2}{A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)}$$

$$\frac{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle} = \frac{\varepsilon'}{1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \omega}$$

$$\frac{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle} = -\frac{2\varepsilon'}{1 - \sqrt{2}\omega}$$

$\Delta I = 1/2$ rule \rightarrow

$$|\omega| = \frac{\text{Re } A_2}{A_0} \approx \frac{\sqrt{Bf(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0) \tau_{KS}}}{\sqrt{Bf(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) \tau_{K^+}}} = \sqrt{\frac{0.21 \times 0.1 \text{ ns}}{0.69 \times 12 \text{ ns}}} \approx \frac{1}{22}$$

$$\frac{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^+ \pi^- | H | K_1 \rangle} \simeq \varepsilon'$$

$$\frac{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_2 \rangle}{\langle \pi^0 \pi^0 | H | K_1 \rangle} \simeq -2\varepsilon'$$

$$\eta_{+-} = \varepsilon + \varepsilon'$$

\longleftarrow different \longrightarrow

$$\eta_{00} = \varepsilon - 2\varepsilon'$$

Phase of ε'

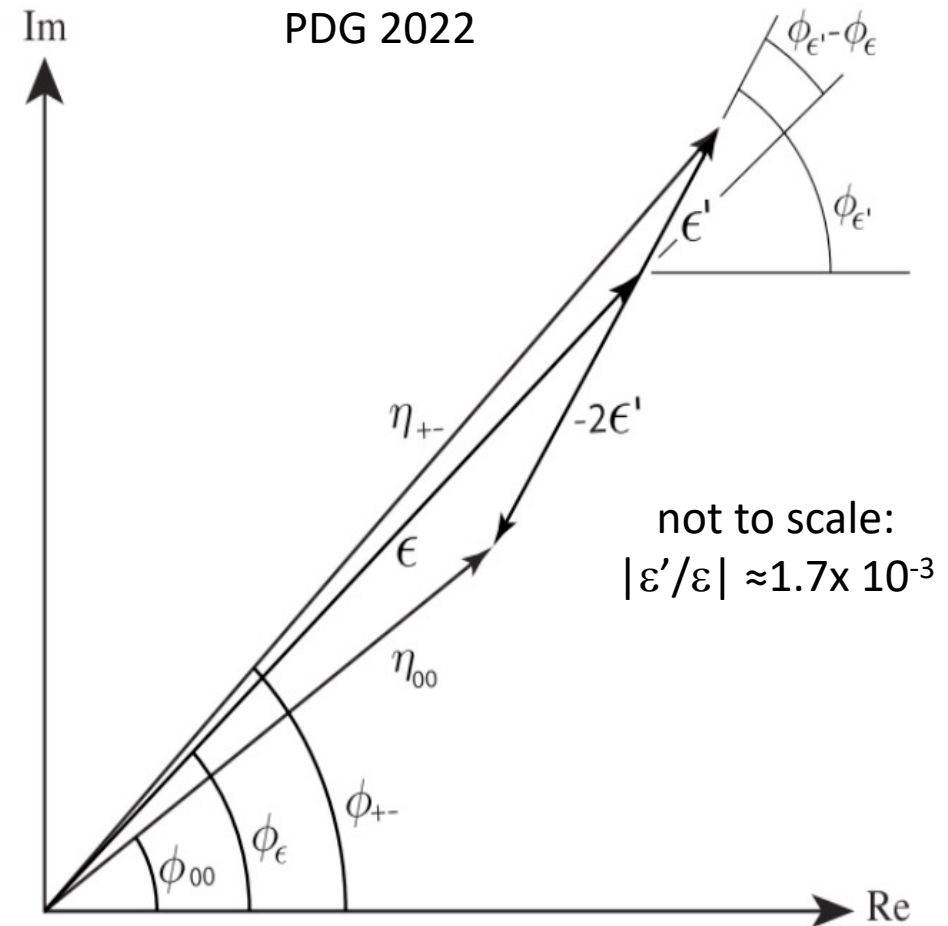
$$\varepsilon' = \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\text{Im } A_2}{A_0} e^{i(\delta_2 - \delta_0)}$$

$$\delta_2 - \delta_0 = -47.7^\circ \pm 1.5^\circ$$

G. Colangelo, J. Gasser and H. Leutwyler, $\pi\pi$ scattering, *Nucl. Phys. B* **603**, pp. 12 (2001), doi:10.1016/S0550-3213(01)00147-X, arXiv:hep-ph/0103088.

$$\phi_{\varepsilon'} = \delta_2 - \delta_0 + \frac{\pi}{2} \approx 42.3^\circ \pm 1.5^\circ$$

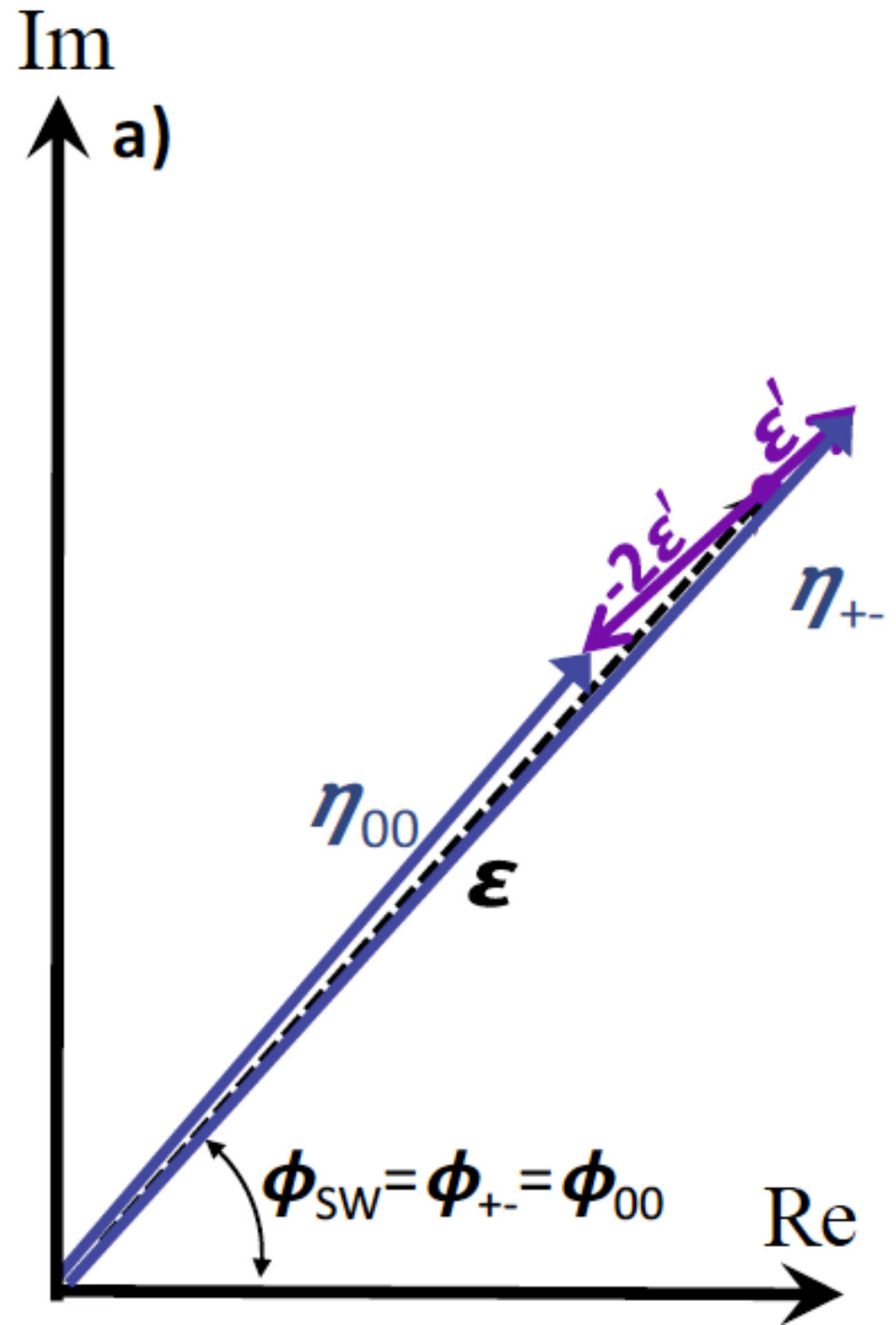
$$\phi_{\text{SW}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\Delta m}{\Delta \Gamma} = 43.30^\circ \pm 0.16^\circ,$$



Miracle #2

ε' and ε are parallel
(to within $\sim < 1.5^\circ$)

phases of η_{+-} and η_{00} are insensitive to
to uncertainty in the length of ε'



Big question 2: is the phase of ϵ really ϕ_{sw} ?

$$\epsilon = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{(M_L - M_S) - \frac{i}{2}(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)} = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma}$$

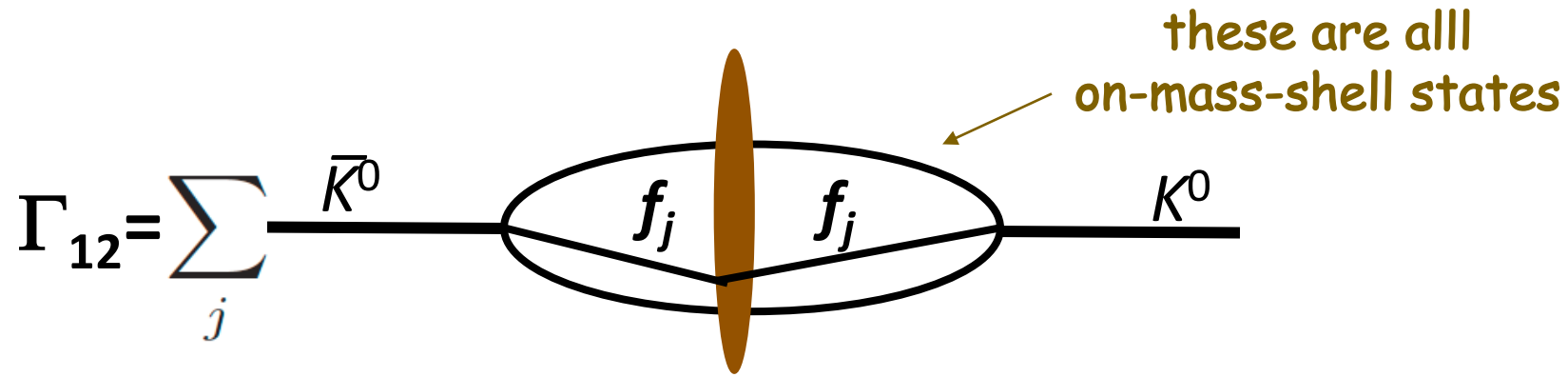
if $\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}=0$: $\Rightarrow \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma} = \frac{\text{Im}M_{12}}{(\Delta\Gamma/2)^2 + \Delta M^2}(\Delta\Gamma/2 + i\Delta M)$

real number

$$\phi_{\text{sw}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\Delta m}{\Delta\Gamma} = 43.30^\circ \pm 0.16^\circ,$$

can we really ignore $\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}$?

Big question 2: What is the $\text{Im } \Gamma_{12}$?



$$\Gamma_{12} = \sum_j \bar{K}^0 \text{ --- } f_j \text{ --- } f_j \text{ --- } K^0$$

$$\Gamma_{12} = \sum_j \langle K^0 | H_w | f_j \rangle \langle f_j | H_w | \bar{K}^0 \rangle$$

in terms of the
 K_S & K_L basis

$$\Gamma_{12} = \sum_j (|\langle f_j | H_w | K_S \rangle|^2 - |\langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle|^2 - 2i \text{Im}(\langle f_j | H_w | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle))$$

$$\text{Im } \Gamma_{12} = 2 \sum_j \text{Im}(\langle K_S | H_w | f_j \rangle^* \langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle)$$

have to consider decay modes common to K_S and K_L

Relevant K_S decay modes

mode	Branching fraction	comment
$\pi^+\pi^-$	69.2%	$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{CP conserving (real)} \\ \text{CP violating (complex)} \end{array} \right\} 0.95 \langle K H_w \pi\pi_{I=0} \rangle + 0.05 \langle K H_w \pi\pi_{I=2} \rangle$
$\pi^0\pi^0$	30.7%	
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma_{\text{non-brems}}$	1.8×10^{-3}	
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	3.5×10^{-7}	
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$	$< 2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	
$\pi^\pm e^\mp \nu$	7.0×10^{-7}	$\left. \begin{array}{l} \Delta Q=-1 \\ \Delta Q=+1 \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{cc} \langle K H_w \pi^- \ell^+ \nu \rangle & \langle \bar{K} H_w \pi^- \ell^+ \bar{\nu} \rangle \\ \langle K H_w \pi^+ \ell^- \bar{\nu} \rangle & \langle \bar{K} H_w \pi^+ \ell^- \nu \rangle \end{array}$ $\Delta S=-1$ $\Delta S=+!$
$\pi^\pm \mu^\mp \nu$	less than $\pi^\pm e^\mp \nu$	

$\Leftarrow \Delta S = \Delta Q$ rule

$C\mathcal{P}$ violation in $K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ decay?

analog to the $K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ discussion the K_2 component of K_S can decay to $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
What is the expected rate?

$$|\epsilon| \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{|\mathcal{A}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)|}{|\mathcal{A}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)|} = \sqrt{\frac{\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) \tau_L}{\mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) \tau_S}} = 2.28 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}?$$

$$\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) \stackrel{?}{=} |\epsilon|^2 \frac{\tau_S}{\tau_L} \mathcal{B}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) \approx 10^{-9}$$

$$\sim (5 \times 10^{-6}) \times (2 \times 10^{-3}) \times 10^{-1}$$

100x larger?

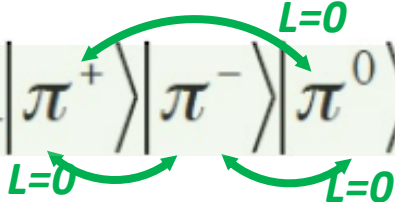
from PDG 2020:

$$Bf(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) = 0.1254 \pm 0.0005 \times 10^{-3}$$

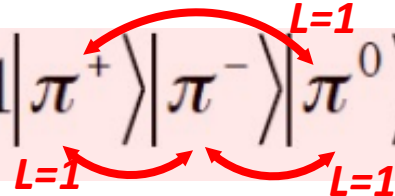
$$\tau_S / \tau_L = 1.75 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-3}$$

PDG 2020: K_S^0 DECAY MODES		
Mode	Fraction (Γ_i / Γ)	Co
Hadronic modes		
$\Gamma_1 \quad \pi^0 \pi^0$	$(30.69 \pm 0.05) \%$	
$\Gamma_2 \quad \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(69.20 \pm 0.05) \%$	
$\Gamma_3 \quad \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$(3.5^{+1.1}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-7}$	

$C\mathcal{P}$ of the $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ system revisited

$$CP\left(\left|\pi^+\right\rangle\left|\pi^-\right\rangle\left|\pi^0\right\rangle\right) = -1\left|\pi^+\right\rangle\left|\pi^-\right\rangle\left|\pi^0\right\rangle \quad C\mathcal{P} \text{ odd}$$


only true if all 3 pion pairs are in an S -wave, i.e. $L=0$

$$CP\left(\left|\pi^+\right\rangle\left|\pi^-\right\rangle\left|\pi^0\right\rangle\right) = -1\left|\pi^+\right\rangle\left|\pi^-\right\rangle\left|\pi^0\right\rangle \quad C\mathcal{P} \text{ even}$$


if all 3 pion pairs are in P -waves: $C\mathcal{P} = (-1)^{3+1} = +1 \iff C\mathcal{P} \text{ even}$

strongly suppressed by "centrifugal barriers," but not zero ($\sim 100\times$ expected $C\mathcal{P}V$ level)

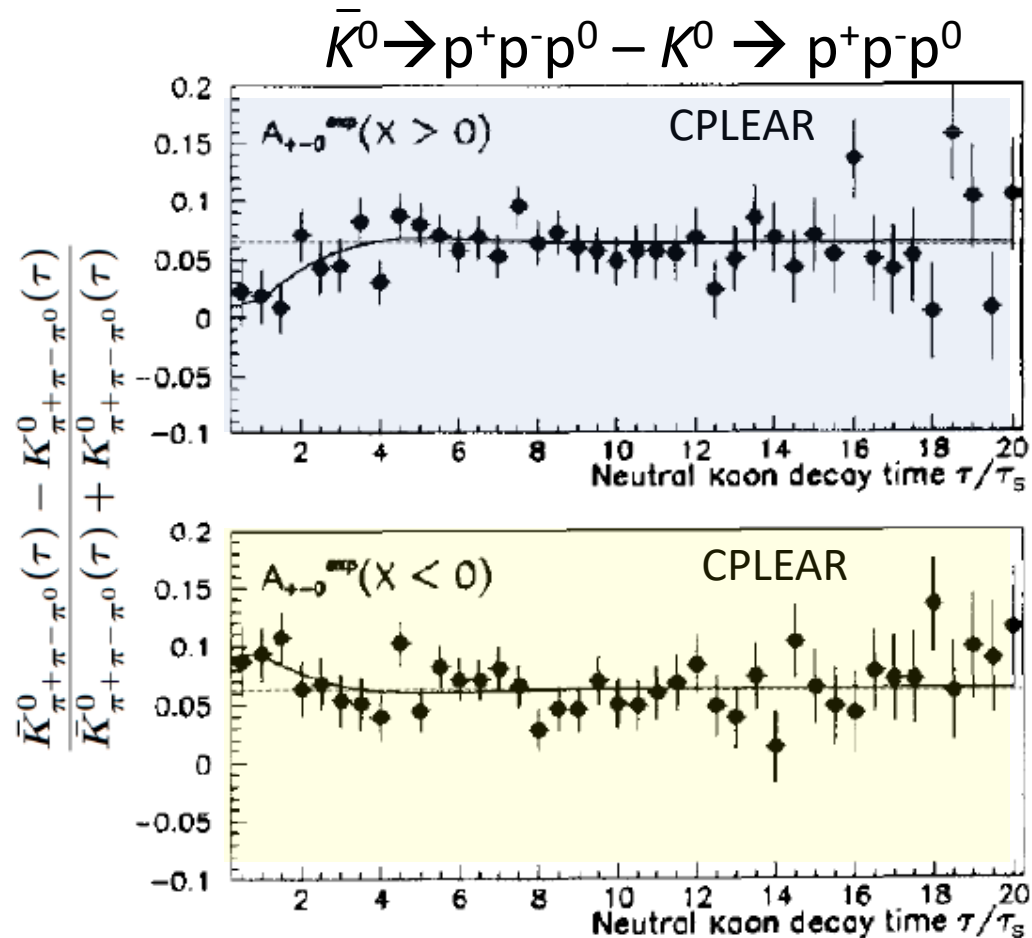
need to do Dalitz plot analysis of $K_S \rightarrow 3\pi$ & $K_L \rightarrow 3\pi$ interference. See:

Experiment: *Phys.Lett.B* 630 (2005) 31
Theory: *Phys. Rev. D* 46 (1992) 252

Measurements of SM $C\mathcal{P}V$ effects in $K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ are probably hopeless

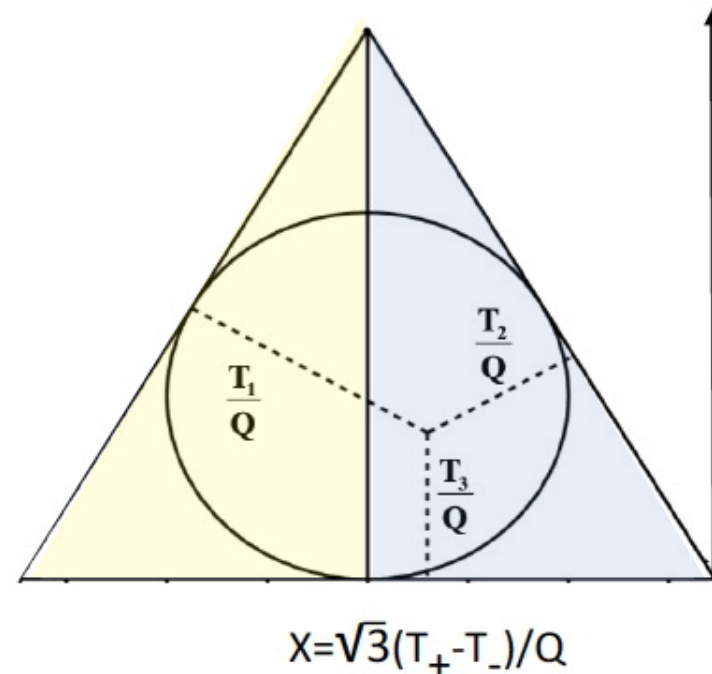
Measuring $K_S \rightarrow p^+ p^- p^0$

current best results from CPLEAR: time-dependent $\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow p^+ p^- p^0 - K^0 \rightarrow p^+ p^- p^0$ differences



$$\text{Re } a_{p^+p^-p^0} \propto A_{+-0}(X > 0) - A_{+-0}(X < 0)$$

$$\text{Im } a_{p^+p^-p^0} \propto A_{+-0}(X > 0) - A_{+-0}(X < 0)$$



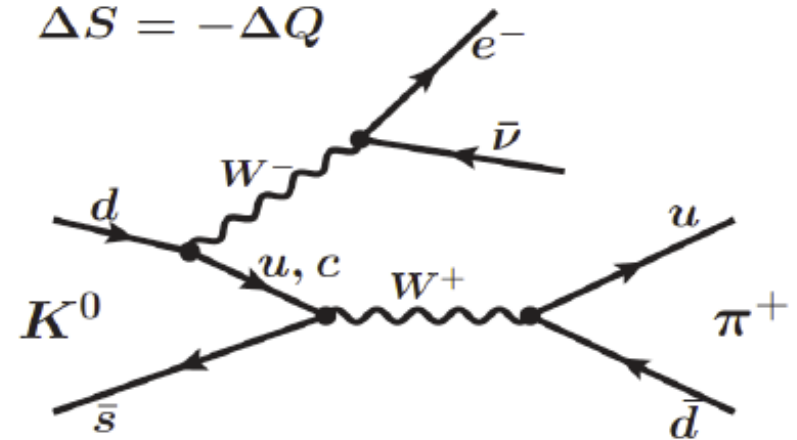
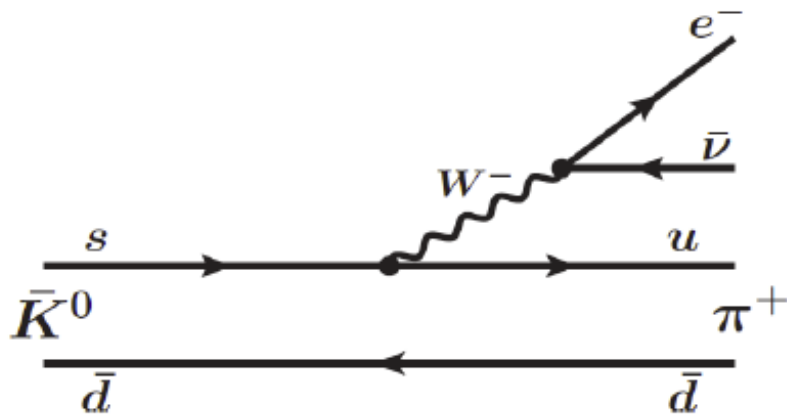
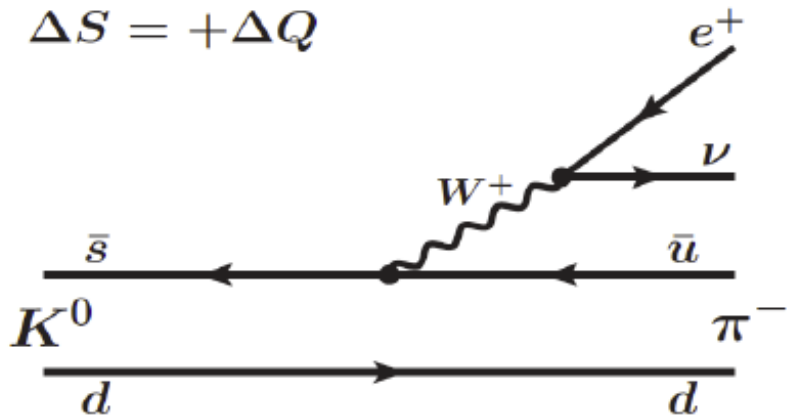
What about the semileptonic decays?

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$\pi^0\pi^0$	30.7%	
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma_{\text{non-brems}}$	1.8×10^{-3}	\sim CP conserving (real) to >1 part in 10^4
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	3.5×10^{-7}	mostly CP conserving
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$	$< 2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	entirely CP violating
$\pi^\pm e^\mp \nu$	7.0×10^{-7}	$\left. \begin{array}{l} \Delta Q=-1 \quad \langle K H_w \pi^- \ell^+ \nu \rangle \\ \Delta Q=+1 \quad \langle K H_w \pi^+ \ell^- \bar{\nu} \rangle \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \langle \bar{K} H_w \pi^- \ell^+ \nu \rangle \\ \langle \bar{K} H_w \pi^+ \ell^- \bar{\nu} \rangle \end{array} \iff \Delta S = \Delta Q \text{ rule}$
$\pi^\pm \mu^\mp \nu$	less than $\pi^\pm e^\mp \nu$	
		$\Delta S = -1 \qquad \Delta S = +$

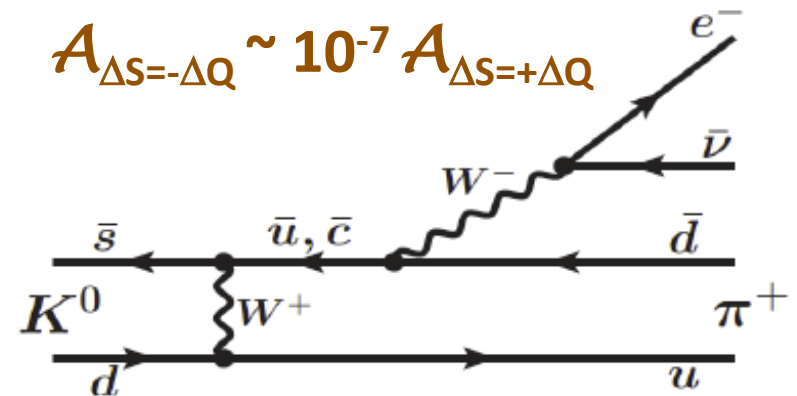
SM violations of the $\Delta S = \Delta Q$ rule

-- immeasurably small --

2nd-order Weak-Interaction



$$\mathcal{A}_{\Delta S = -\Delta Q} \sim 10^{-7} \mathcal{A}_{\Delta S = +\Delta Q}$$



some arithmetic

from an earlier slide: $\text{Im } \Gamma_{12} = 2 \sum_j \text{Im}(\langle K_S | H_w | f_j \rangle^* \langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle)$

multiply and divide by $\langle j | H_w | K_S \rangle$ use $\mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow f_j) = \frac{|\langle f_j | H_w | K_S \rangle|^2}{\Gamma_S}$

$$\tan \phi_{\Gamma_{12}} = \frac{\text{Im } \Gamma_{12}}{\Gamma_S} = \sum_j \frac{\langle j | H_w | K_L \rangle}{\langle j | H_w | K_S \rangle} \mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow j) = \sum_j \text{Im } \alpha_j$$

$$\alpha_j \equiv \frac{\langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle}{\langle f_j | H_w | K_S \rangle} \mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow f_j) = \overset{= \eta_j}{\frac{\langle f_j | H_w | K_L \rangle}{\langle f_j | H_w | K_S \rangle}} \mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow f_j) = \eta_j \mathcal{B}(K_S \rightarrow f_j)$$

calculate phase of Γ_{12} term-by-term

dominant mode:

$K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ ($I=0$): Wu-Yang phase convention $\langle K^0 | H_w | \pi\pi_{I=0} \rangle \langle \pi\pi_{I=0} | H_w | \bar{K}^0 \rangle$ is real

sub-dominant mode'

$$K \rightarrow \pi\pi$$
 ($I=2$): $\alpha_{\pi^+\pi^-} - 2\alpha_{\pi^0\pi^0} = (\eta_{+-} - \eta_{00}) Bf(K_S \rightarrow \pi\pi_{I=2}) = 3\varepsilon' Bf(K_S \rightarrow \pi\pi_{I=2}) \approx 3e' \times \frac{1}{500} \approx 3 \times 10^{-8}$

phase $\approx \phi_{SW}$ $\Delta I = 1/2$ rule

other modes	experimental values
$\alpha_{\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0}$	$((0 \pm 2) + i(0 \pm 2)) \times 10^{-6}$ CPLEAR
$\alpha_{\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0}$	$< 1.5 \times 10^{-6}$ KLOE
$\alpha_{\pi\ell\nu}$	$((-0.1 \pm 0.2) + i(-0.1 \pm 0.5)) \times 10^{-6}$ CPLEAR

$$\sum \text{Im } \alpha_j \lesssim 5 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\delta\phi_\varepsilon \approx \frac{\phi_{\Gamma_{12}}}{2\text{Re}\varepsilon}:$$

$$\phi_\varepsilon^{\text{Data}} - \phi_{SW} < 0.1^\circ$$

These limits can all be improved with 10^{12} J/ys

difference between ϕ_ε & ϕ_{sw} in the SM

$$\text{Bf}(K \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \text{ (CPV)}) \approx 10^{-9}$$

$$\text{Bf}(K \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0 \text{ (CPV)}) \approx 2 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$\langle K | H_w | \pi \ell \nu \rangle^* \langle \pi \ell \nu | H_w | \bar{K} \rangle$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha_{\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0} \approx 10^{-7} \\ \alpha_{\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0} \approx 2 \times 10^{-7} \end{array} \right\} \text{ here I assumed } \eta'_{3\pi} = \varepsilon'_{3\pi} / \varepsilon < 1$$

$$= 0 \quad \leftarrow \Delta S = \Delta Q \text{ rule}$$

$$\phi_{\Gamma 12} \approx 3 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$\Delta \phi_\varepsilon \approx \frac{\phi_{\Gamma 12}}{2 \text{Re} \varepsilon} :$$

$$\phi_\varepsilon^{\text{SM}} - \phi_{sw} \approx 0.01^\circ$$

Neutral Kaon system without a CPT constraint

$$M_{11} \neq M_{22} \quad \& \quad \Gamma_{11} \neq \Gamma_{22}: \quad \mathbf{H} = \begin{pmatrix} \langle K^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle K^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \\ \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | K^0 \rangle & \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{11} & M_{12} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{12} \\ M_{21} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{21} & M_{22} - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Schrodinger's eqn:} \quad \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & -ip^2 \\ -iq^2 & X_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} e^{i\lambda_i \tau} = i \frac{d}{d\tau} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} e^{-i\lambda_i \tau} \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} - \lambda_i & -ip^2 \\ -iq^2 & X_{22} - \lambda_i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_i \\ b_i \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} |K_S\rangle &= (\overset{\approx 1+\delta}{p\sqrt{1+2\delta}} |K^0\rangle + \overset{\approx 1-\delta}{q\sqrt{1-2\delta}} |\bar{K}^0\rangle) = (1 + \varepsilon_S) |K^0\rangle + (1 - \varepsilon_S) |\bar{K}^0\rangle \\ |K_L\rangle &= (p\sqrt{1-2\delta} |K^0\rangle - q\sqrt{1+2\delta} |\bar{K}^0\rangle) = (1 + \varepsilon_L) |K^0\rangle - (1 - \varepsilon_L) |\bar{K}^0\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$\mathbf{e_S = e + d}$
 $\mathbf{e_L = e - d}$

$$\delta = \frac{(M_{\bar{K}^0} - M_{K^0}) - i(\Gamma_{\bar{K}^0} - \Gamma_{K^0})/2}{2\Delta M - i\Delta\Gamma}$$

$$\langle K_S | K_L \rangle = 2 \operatorname{Re} \varepsilon - 2i \operatorname{Im} \delta$$

Miracle #3

$$\varepsilon = \frac{i\text{Im}M_{12} + \frac{1}{2}\text{Im}\Gamma_{12}}{\Delta M - \frac{i}{2}\Delta\Gamma} \quad \delta = \frac{(M_{\bar{K}^0} - M_{K^0}) - i(\Gamma_{\bar{K}^0} - \Gamma_{K^0})/2}{2\Delta M - i\Delta\Gamma}$$

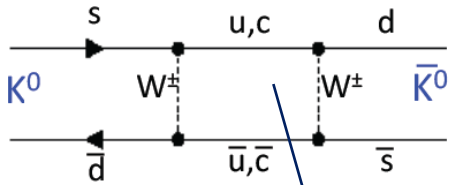
this term and this term
differ in phase by 90°

$$\delta \approx \frac{i(M_{\bar{K}^0} - M_{K^0}) + (\Gamma_{\bar{K}^0} - \Gamma_{K^0})/2}{2\sqrt{2}\Delta M} e^{i\phi_{\text{sw}}}$$

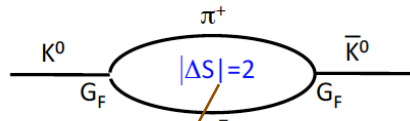
$$= (i\delta_{\perp} + \delta_{\parallel}) e^{i\phi_{\text{sw}}}$$

effect of δ on ϕ_{+-} (ϕ_{00})

short-distance physics



long-distance physics



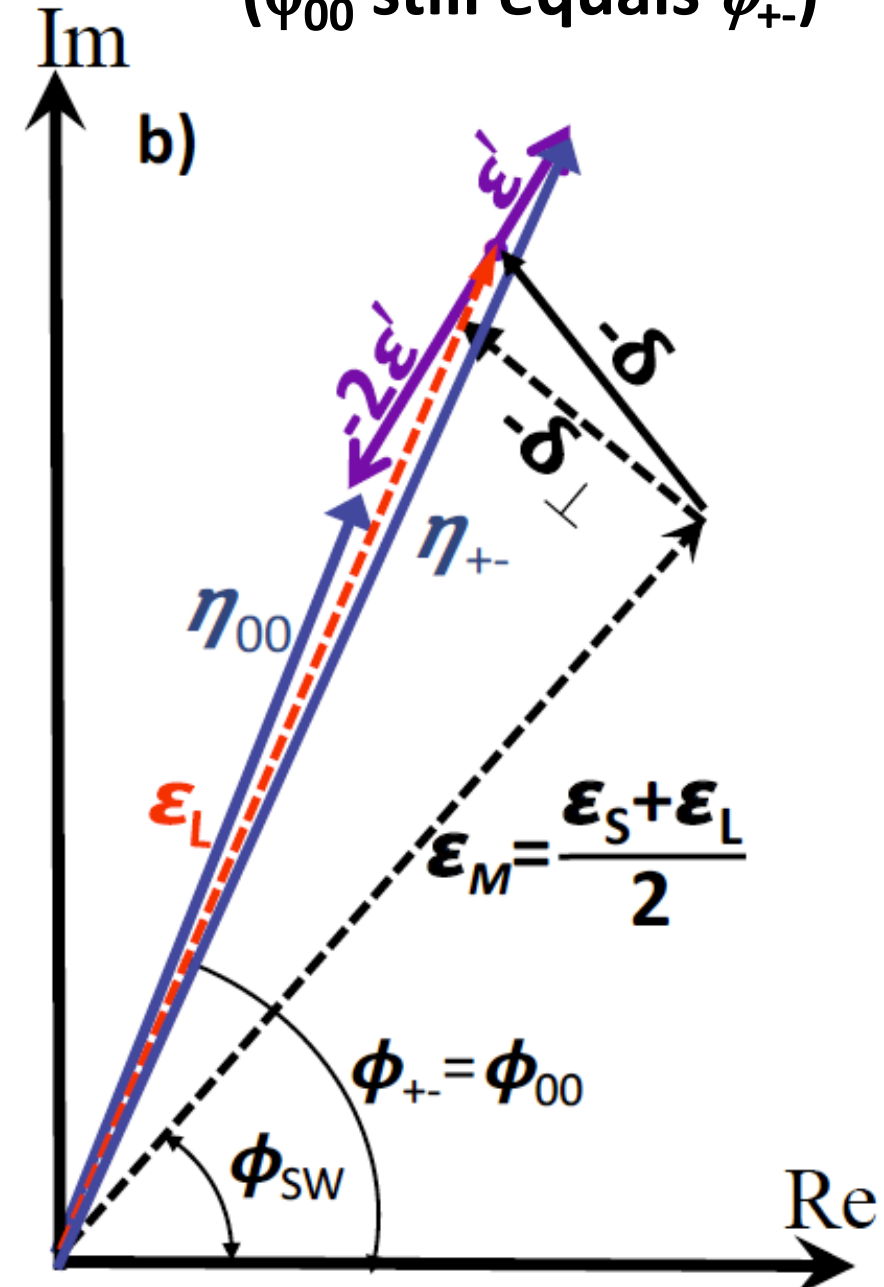
$$\delta \approx \frac{i(M_{\bar{K}^0} - M_{K^0}) + (\Gamma_{\bar{K}^0} - \Gamma_{K^0})/2}{2\sqrt{2}\Delta M} e^{i\phi_{SW}}$$

$$= (i\delta_{\perp} + \delta_{\parallel}) e^{i\phi_{SW}}$$

$$d_{\perp} \approx (f_{+-} - f_{SW})e$$

ϕ_{+-} : maximum sensitivity to short-distance physics

(ϕ_{00} still equals ϕ_{+-})



Wu-Yang Triangle with indirect + direct CPTV

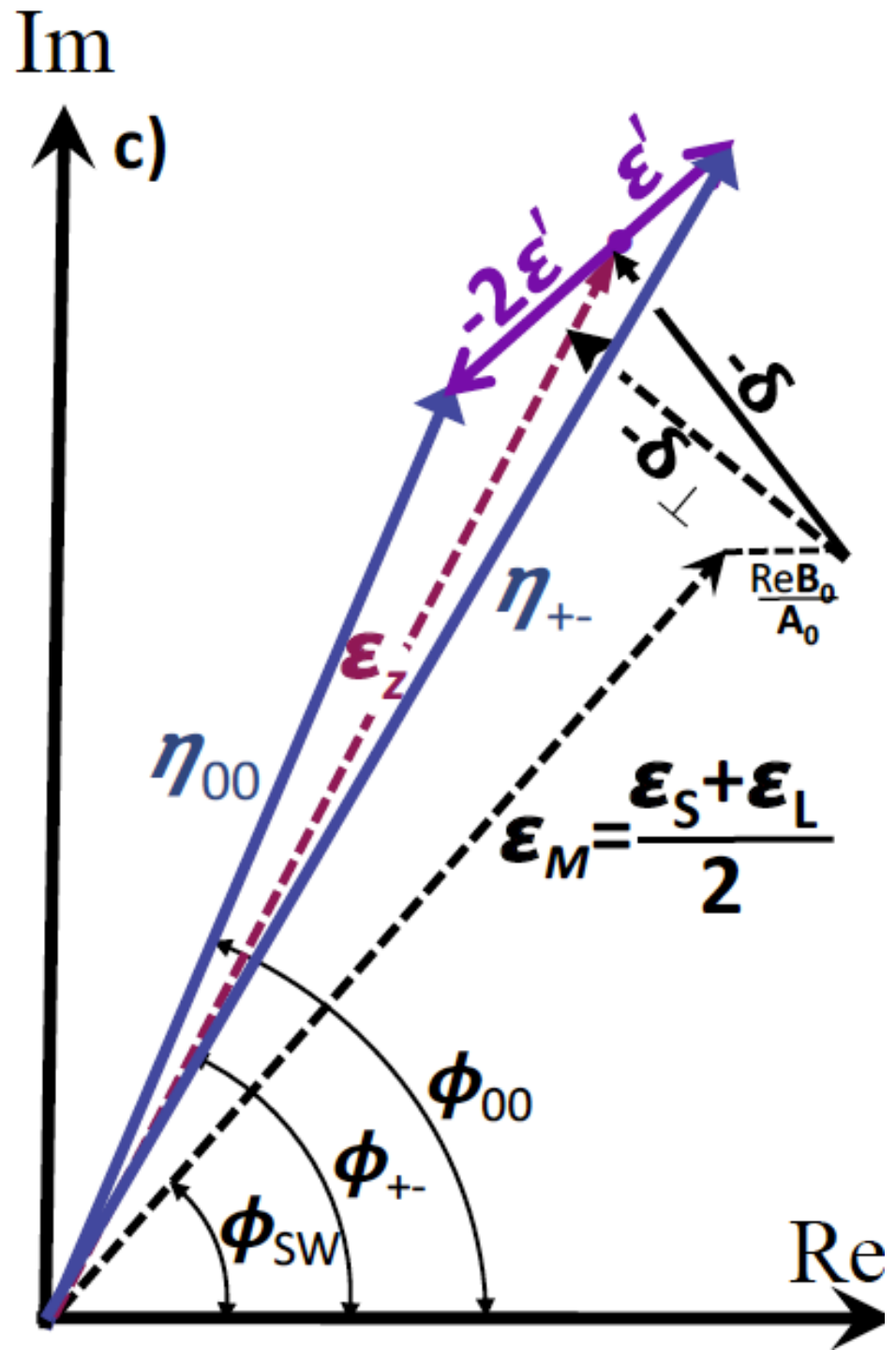
$$\langle \pi\pi; I = 0 | H_W | K^0 \rangle = (A_0 + B_0)e^{i\delta_0}$$

$$\langle \pi\pi; I = 2 | H_W | K^0 \rangle = (A_2 + B_2)e^{i\delta_2}$$

$$\langle \pi\pi; I = 0 | H_W | \bar{K}^0 \rangle = (A_0^* - B_0^*)e^{i\delta_0}$$

$$\langle \pi\pi; I = 0 | H_W | \bar{K}^0 \rangle = (A_2^* - B_2^*)e^{i\delta_2}$$

- Wu-Yang phase convention: A_0 is real but not B_0 or B_2
- $\text{Re } B_0/A_0$ common to $\pi^+\pi^-$ & $\pi^0\pi^0$
- ε' gets rotated: $\phi_{00} \neq \phi_{+-}$



Phase of (η_{+-}) from CPLEAR

CPLEAR Phys. Lett. B458, 545 (1999)

$$A_{+-}(\tau) = \frac{\bar{R}(\tau) - R(\tau)}{\bar{R}(\tau) + R(\tau)}$$

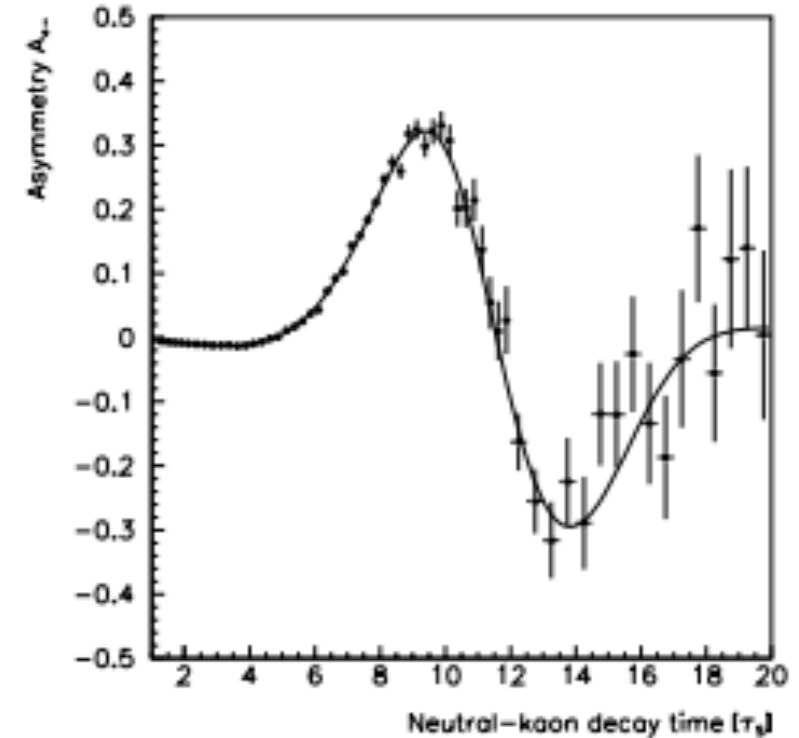
$$= -2 \frac{|\eta_{+-}| e^{\frac{1}{2}(\tau/\tau_S - \tau/\tau_L)} \cos(\Delta m \tau - \phi_{+-})}{1 + |\eta_{+-}|^2 e^{(\tau/\tau_S - \tau/\tau_L)}}$$

$$|\eta_{+-}| = (2.264 \pm 0.023_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.026_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.007_{\tau_S}) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\phi_{+-} = 43.19^\circ \pm 0.53^\circ_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.28^\circ_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.42^\circ_{\Delta m}$$

in good agreement with the "Superweak phase"

$$\phi_{\text{sw}} = \arctan[2\Delta m \Delta \Gamma] = 43.50^\circ \pm 0.08^\circ$$



d_{\perp} with PDG 2022 averages

ϕ_{+-} , PHASE of η_{+-}

VALUE (°)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
43.51 ± 0.05 OUR FIT	Error includes scale factor of 1.2. Assuming <i>CPT</i>			
43.4 ± 0.5 OUR FIT	Error includes scale factor of 1.2. Not assuming <i>CPT</i>			
42.9 ± 0.6 ± 0.3	70M	¹ APOSTOLA...	99C CPLR	$K^0-\bar{K}^0$ asymmetry
42.9 ± 0.8 ± 0.2		^{2,3} SCHWINGEN...	95 E773	CH _{1.1} regenerator
41.4 ± 0.9 ± 0.2		^{3,4} GIBBONS	93 E731	B ₄ C regenerator
44.5 ± 1.6 ± 0.6		⁵ CAROSI	90 NA31	Vacuum regen.
43.3 ± 1.0 ± 0.5		⁶ GEWENIGER	74B ASPK	Vacuum regen.

$$\phi_{\text{sw}} = \tan^{-1} \frac{2\Delta m}{\Delta \Gamma} = 43.30^\circ \pm 0.16^\circ,$$

$$d_{\perp} \approx (f_{+-} - f_{\text{sw}})e = (0.4 \pm 2.0) \times 10^{-5}$$

This was a “bottom→up” approach to CPT

Most theorists use a top→down approach
called the Bell Steinberger relation

Jack Steinberger



1921-2020

John Stewart Bell



1928-1990

Bell-Steinberger relation

Schrodinger eqn:

$$\psi(\tau) = \alpha e^{-i\lambda_S \tau} |K_S\rangle + \beta e^{-i\lambda_L \tau} |K_L\rangle \quad (|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 = 1)$$

$$|\psi(\tau)|^2 = |\alpha|^2 e^{-\Gamma_S \tau} + |\beta|^2 e^{-\Gamma_L \tau} + 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(\alpha^* \beta e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L + 2i\Delta M)\tau} \langle K_S | K_L \rangle \right) = |\psi(0)|^2 e^{-\Gamma_{\text{tot}} \tau}$$

$$-\left. \frac{d|\psi(\tau)|^2}{d\tau} \right|_{\tau=0} = |\alpha|^2 \Gamma_S + |\beta|^2 \Gamma_L + \operatorname{Re} \left(\alpha^* \beta (\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L + 2i\Delta M) \langle K_S | K_L \rangle \right)$$

must be true for all values of a and b

unitarity:

$$-\left. \frac{d|\psi(\tau)|^2}{d\tau} \right|_{\tau=0} = \Gamma_{\text{tot}} = \sum_j \Gamma_j = \sum_j |\langle f_j | \psi(0) \rangle|^2$$

$$(|\alpha|^2 + |\beta|^2 = 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} -\left. \frac{d|\psi(\tau)|^2}{d\tau} \right|_{\tau=0} &= \sum_j |\alpha \langle f_j | K_S \rangle + \beta \langle f_j | K_L \rangle|^2 \\ &= \sum_j |\alpha|^2 |\langle f_j | K_S \rangle|^2 + |\beta|^2 |\langle f_j | K_L \rangle|^2 + 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(\alpha^* \beta \langle f_j | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | K_L \rangle \right) \end{aligned}$$

Bell-Steinberger relation

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unitarity:

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$$\begin{aligned} -\left. \frac{d|\psi(\tau)|^2}{d\tau} \right|_{\tau=0} &= \sum_j |\alpha \langle f_j | K_S \rangle + \beta \langle f_j | K_L \rangle|^2 \\ &= \sum_j |\alpha|^2 |\langle f_j | K_S \rangle|^2 + |\beta|^2 |\langle f_j | K_L \rangle|^2 + 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(\alpha^* \beta \langle f_j | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | K_L \rangle \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L + 2i\Delta M) \langle K_S | K_L \rangle = 2 \sum_j \langle f_j | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | K_L \rangle$$

Bell-Steinberger relation

$$(\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L + 2i\Delta M) \langle K_S | K_L \rangle = 2 \sum \langle f_j | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | K_L \rangle$$

$$\langle K_S | K_L \rangle = 2 \operatorname{Re} \varepsilon - 2i \operatorname{Im} \delta$$

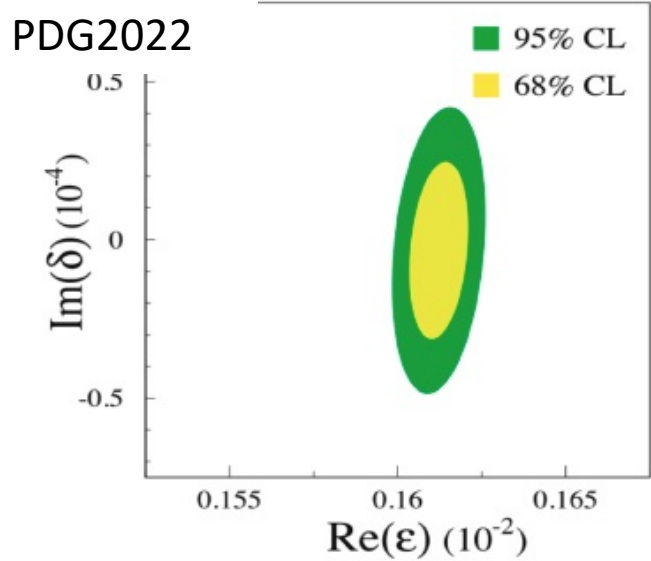
this is it:

$$\operatorname{Re} \varepsilon - i \operatorname{Im} \delta = \frac{\sum_j \langle f_j | K_S \rangle^* \langle f_j | K_L \rangle}{\Gamma_S + \Gamma_L + 2i\Delta M},$$

not $\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L$!

$$\approx \frac{\sum_j \alpha_j}{1 + i \tan \phi_{\text{SW}}} = \frac{\cos \phi_{\text{SW}} \sum_j \alpha_j}{e^{i\phi_{\text{SW}}}}$$

Bell-Steinberger deconstructed



top
down

up
bottom

$$\text{Im } d = (0.3 \pm 1.4) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\sin f_{\text{sw}} = 1/\sqrt{2}$$

$$d_{\perp} \approx (f_{+-} - f_{\text{sw}})e = (0.4 \pm 2.0) \times 10^{-5}$$

full BS analysis
(reviewed in PDG)

f_{+-} and f_{sw}
comparison

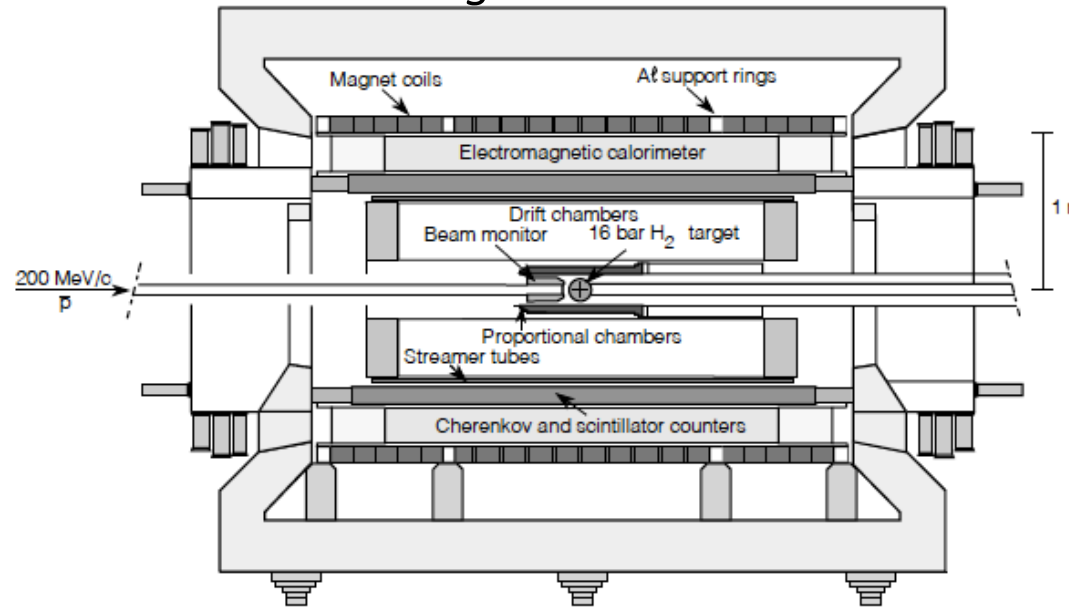
my interpretation of BS :

$$-- d_{\perp} = e(f_{+-}(\text{or } f_{00}) - \text{atan } \frac{2DM}{DG})$$

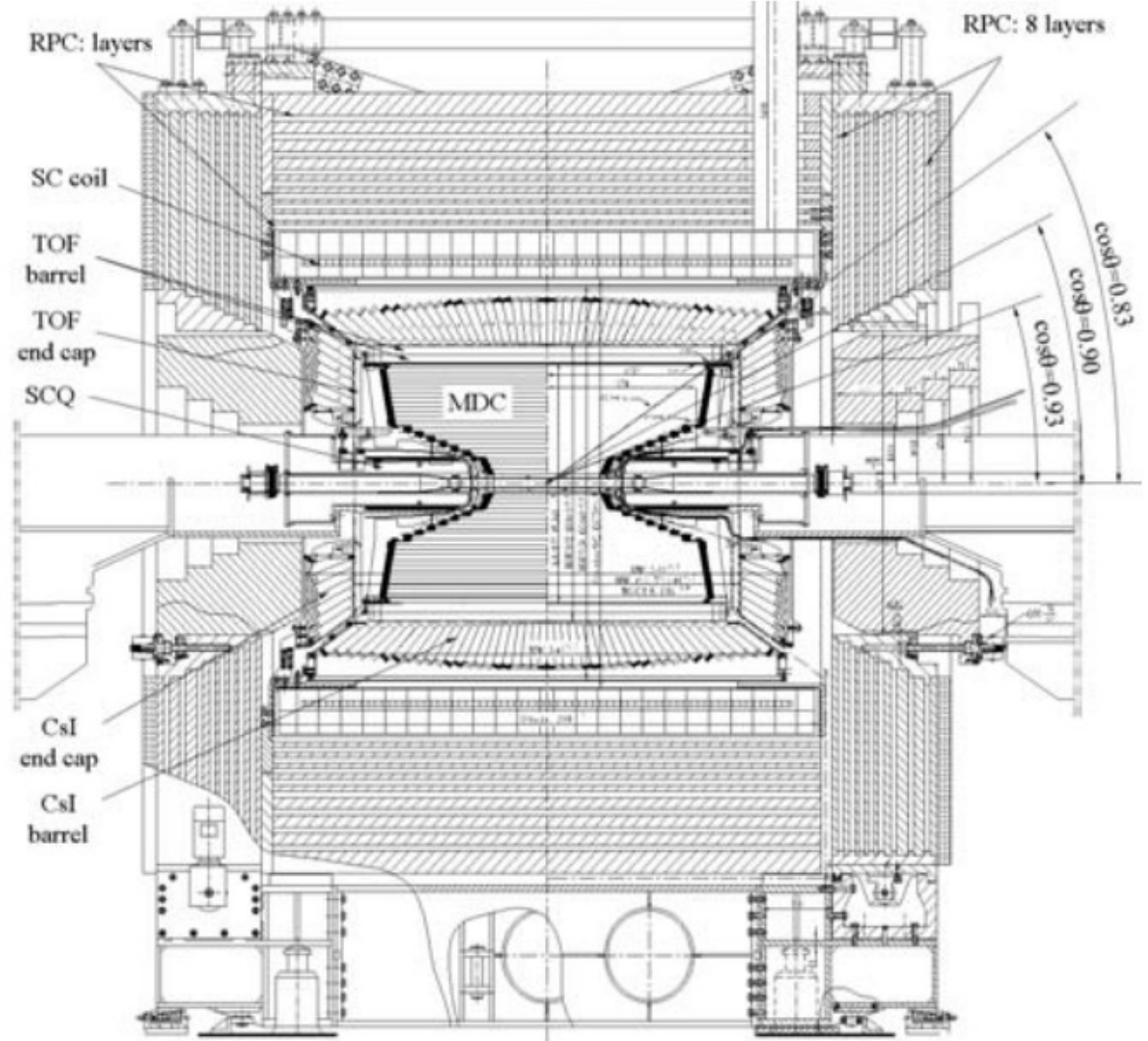
-- corrections to this are small

Experimental issues:

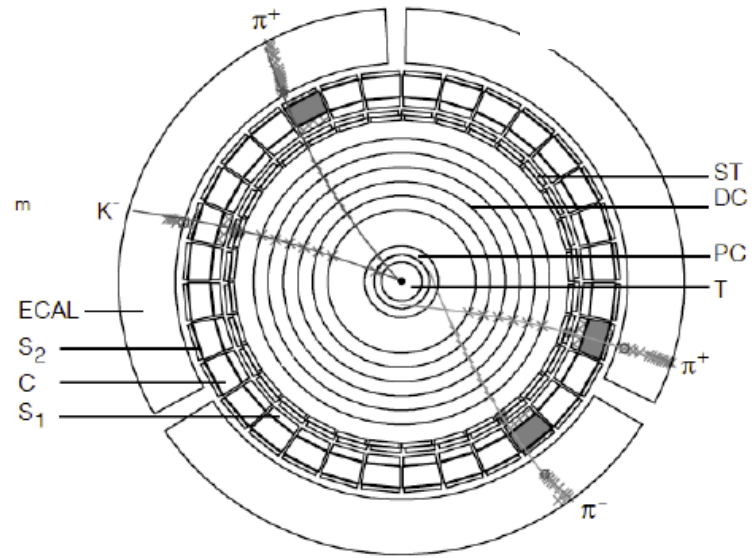
CLEAR: best experiment to date
with strangeness-tagged K & \bar{K}
-- designed in the 1980s --



BESIII
-- designed in the 2000s --



CLEAR: $p\bar{p} \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\bar{K}^0 / K^-\pi^+K^0$

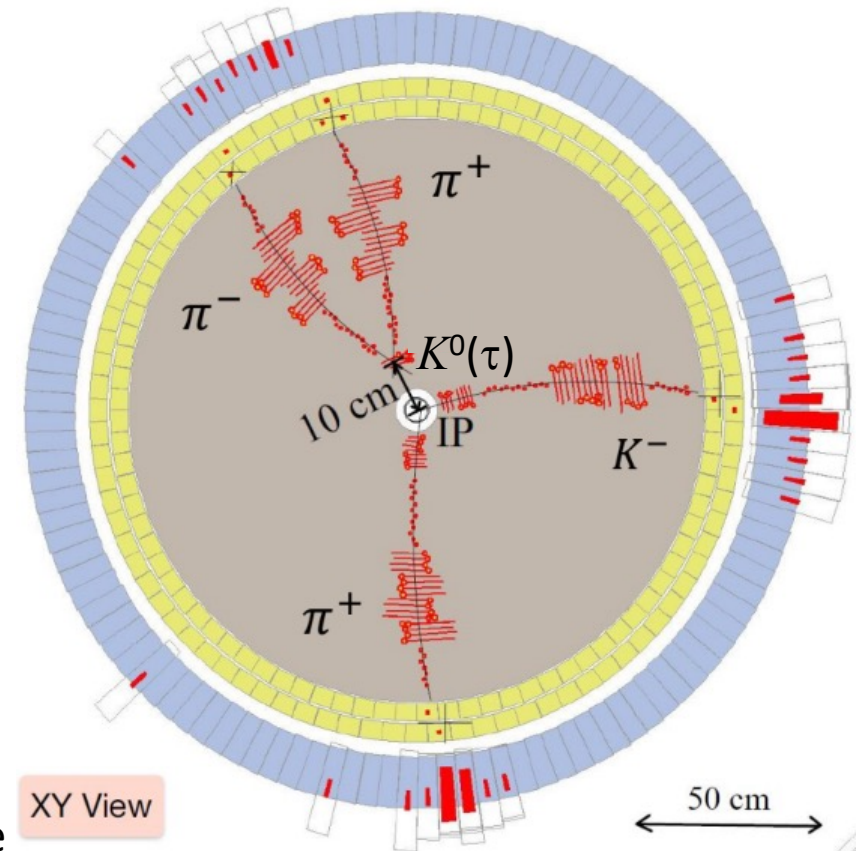


$E_{\text{cm}} 1.877 \text{ GeV}$



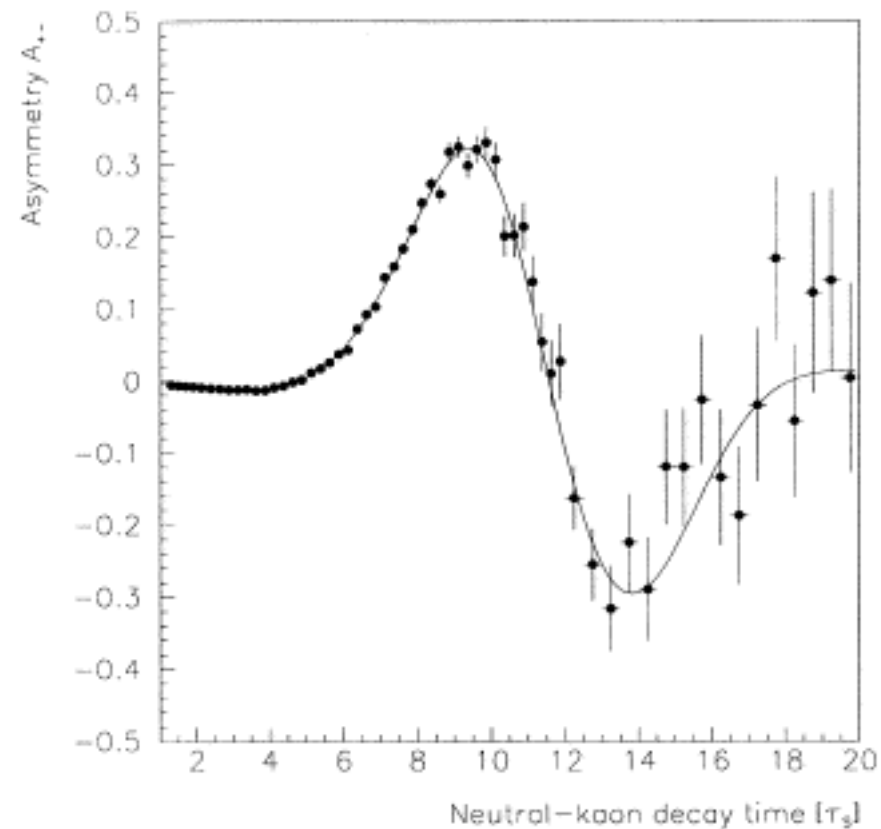
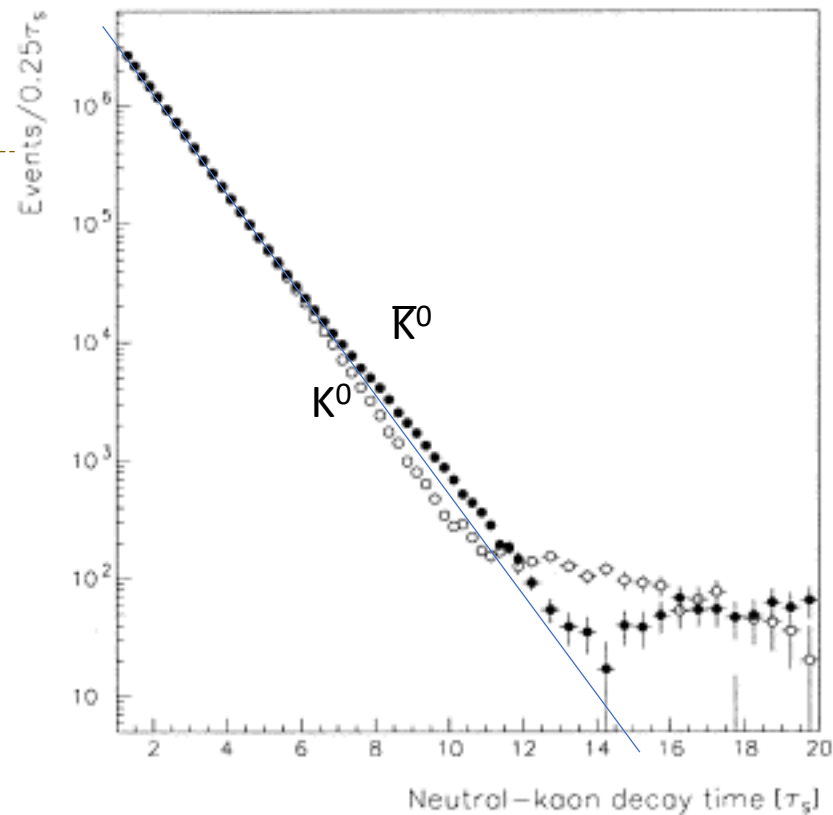
CLEAR is 60%-sized prototype

STCF: $J/\psi \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\bar{K}^0 / K^-\pi^+K^0$



$E_{\text{cm}} 3.097 \text{ GeV}$

CPLEAR: $\sim 70M$ tagged $K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ events

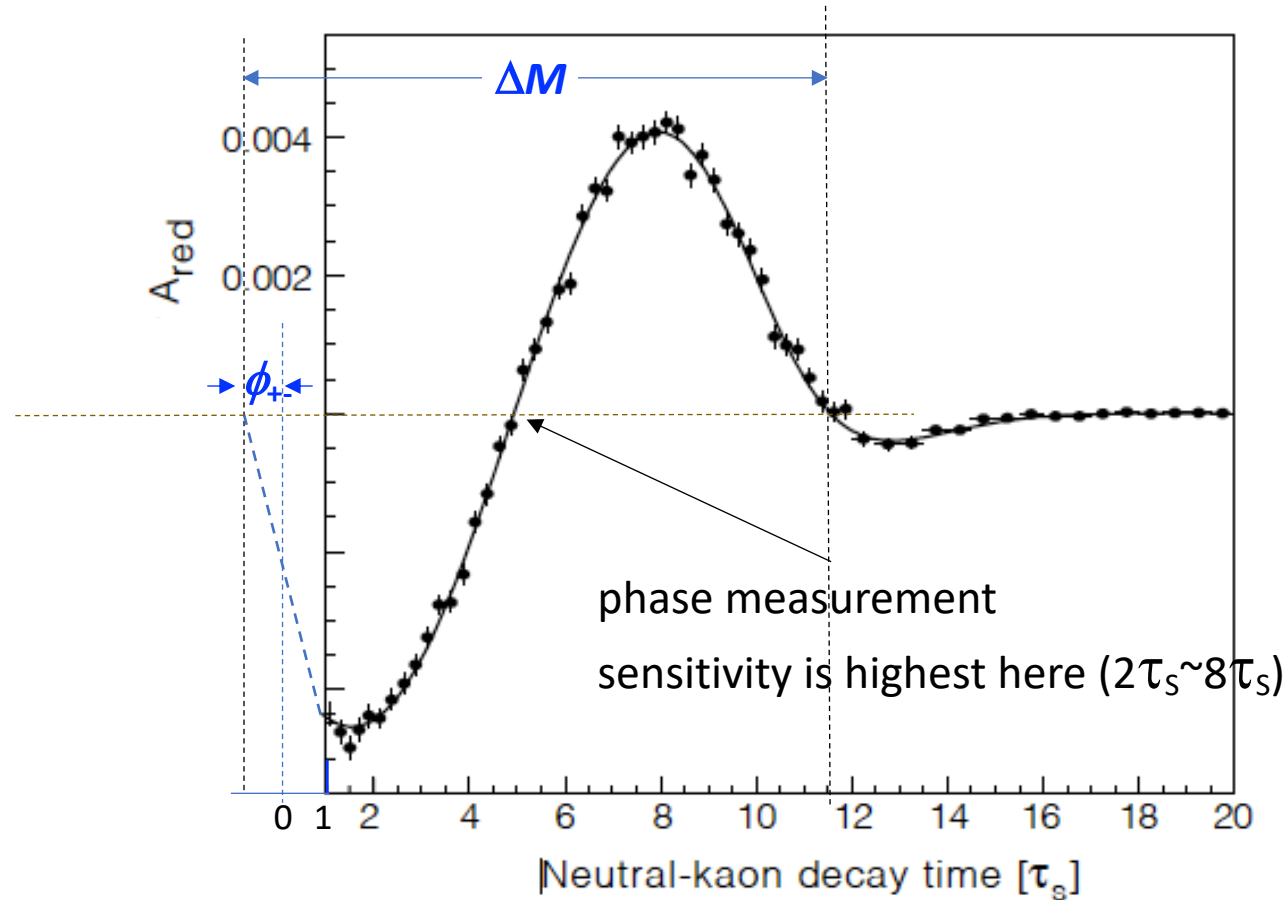


$$|\eta_{+-}| = (2.264 \pm 0.023_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.026_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.007_{\tau_S}) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\varphi_{+-} = 43.19^\circ \pm 0.53^\circ_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.28^\circ_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.42^\circ_{\Delta m}$$

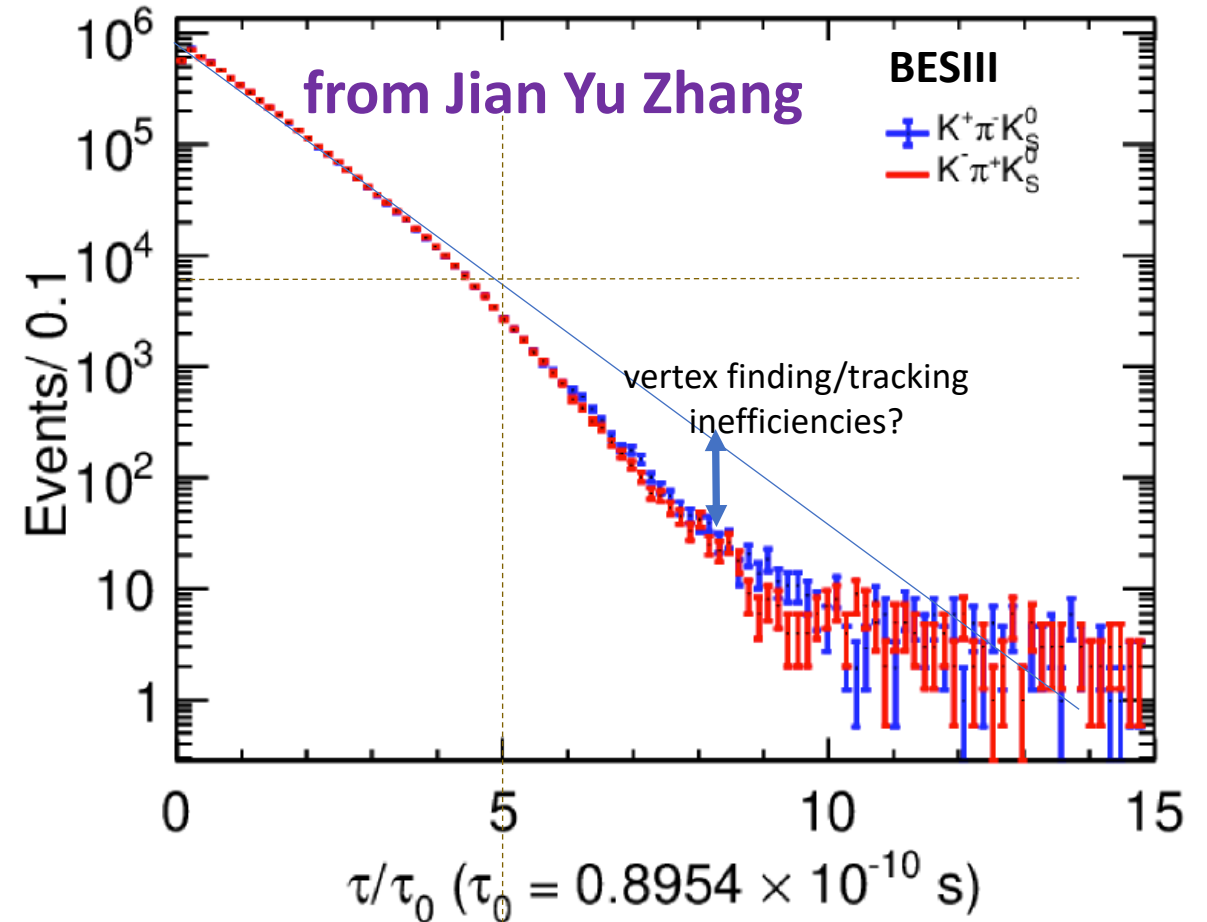
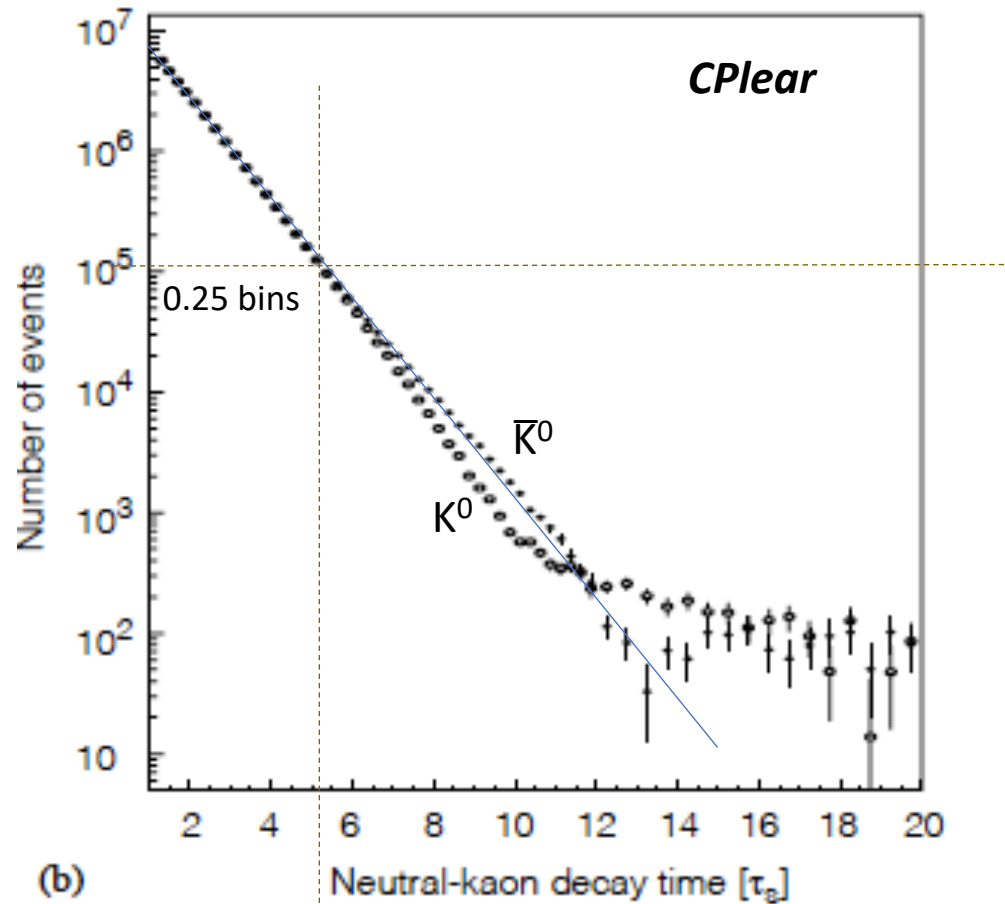
weight events according to “usefulness”

$$A_{\text{red}}(\tau) = A_{+-}(\tau) \times e^{-12(\Gamma_S - \Gamma_L)\tau}$$



BESIII (first peek) vs CPLEAR (10 years of data)

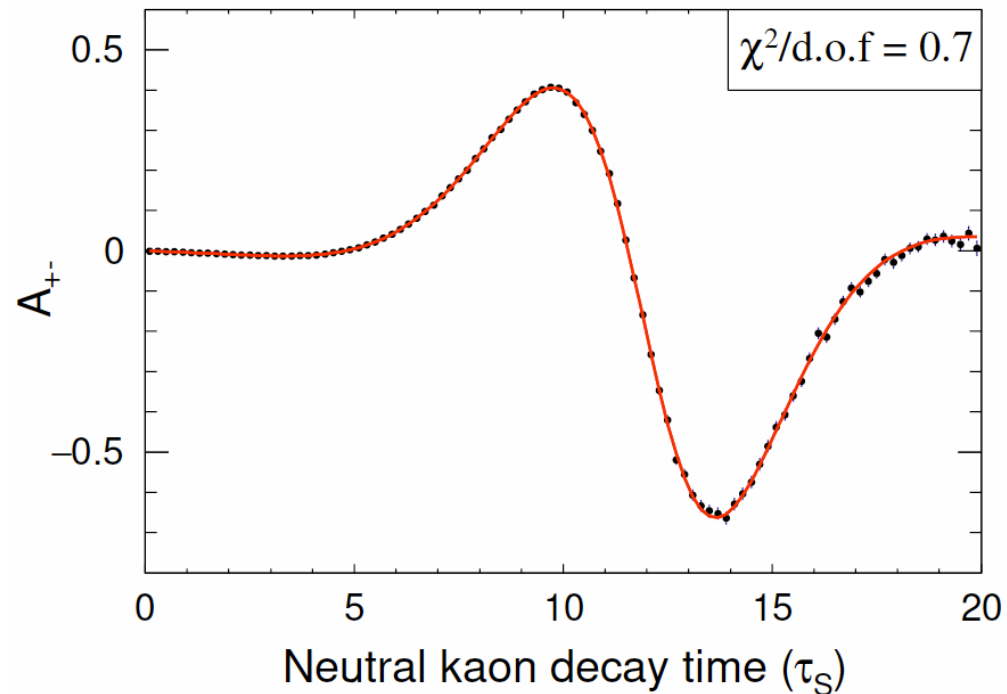
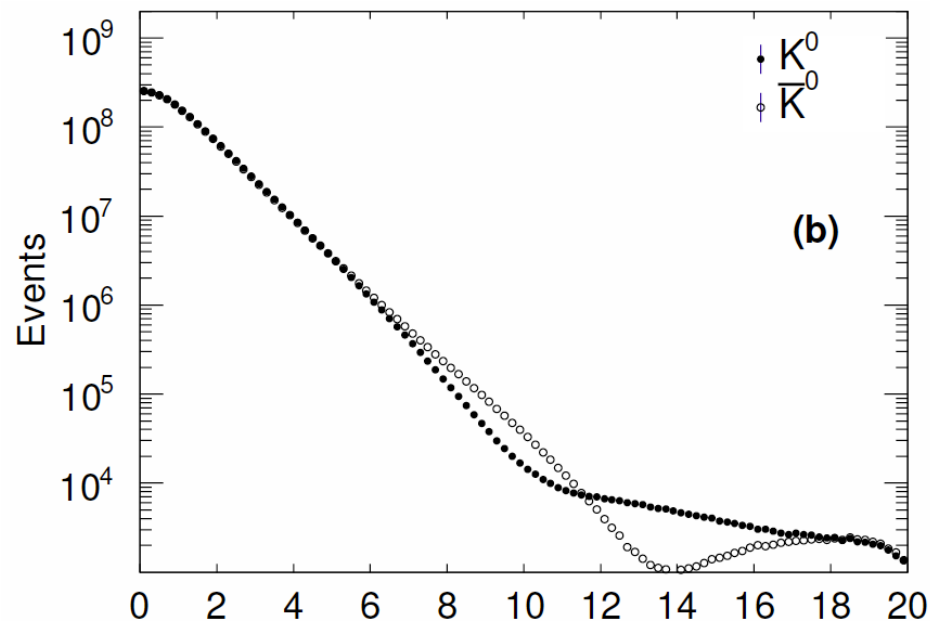
Flavor-tagged K^0 and \bar{K}^0 decays to $\pi^+\pi^-$



CLEAR measurements had about 7x as much data as BESIII has

SCTF with 10^{12} J/ ψ events

-- from Jian-Yu Zhang --



~30x as much data as CPLEAR had \Rightarrow 10x reduction in errors

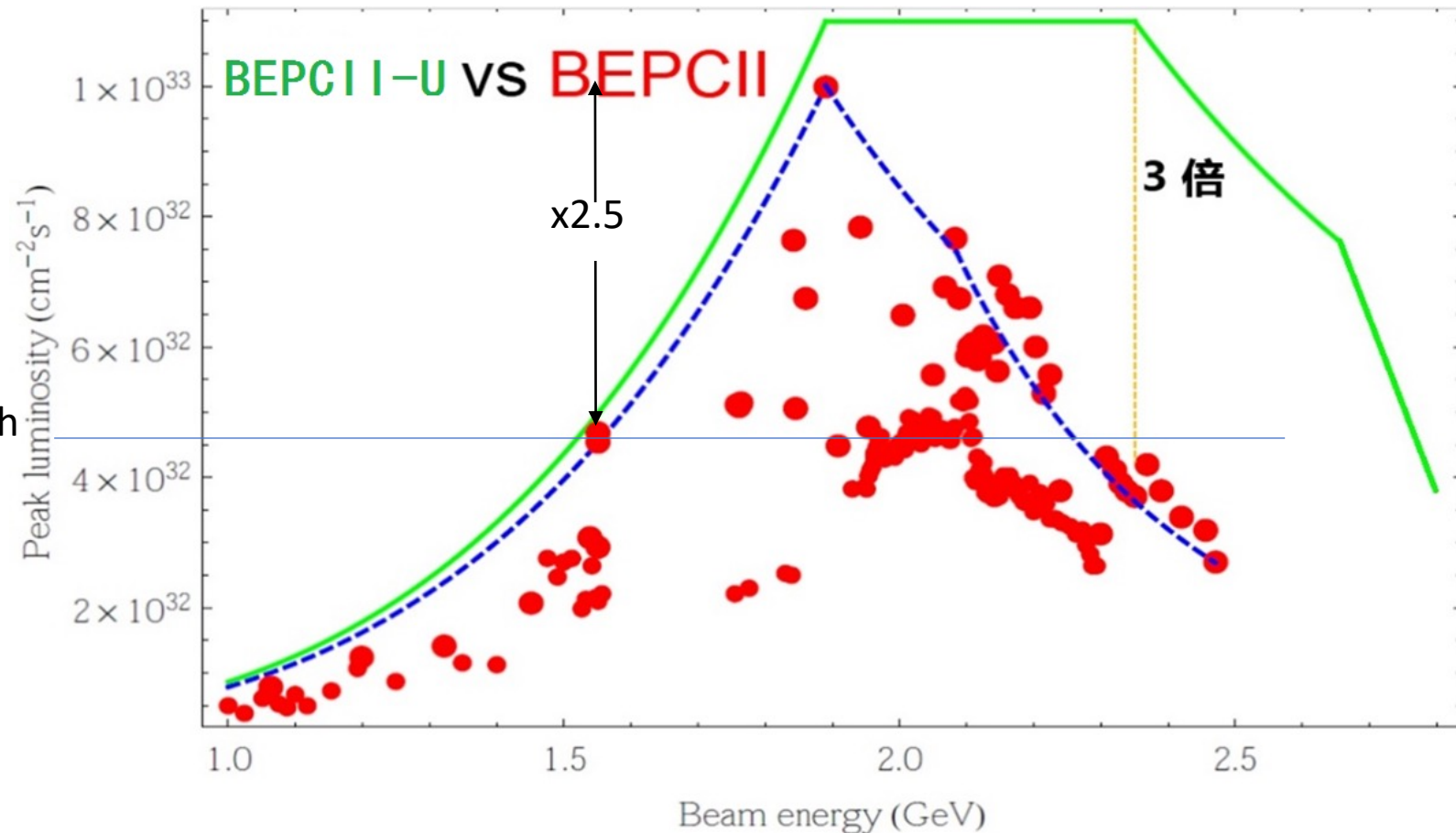
Par.	$ \eta_{+-} (10^{-3})$	$\phi_{+-}(\text{degree})$
PDG	2.232 ± 0.011	43.4 ± 0.5
STCF	$2.2320 \pm 0.0025 \pm 0.0027$	$43.510 \pm 0.051 \pm 0.059$

how to get more J/ψ events:

1. factor of ~ 2 by re-optimizing the lattice to $E_{\text{beam}}=1.55$ GeV

BEPCII lattice design is optimized for the ψ''

BESII: 10^9 evts/month
@ $\sim 4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$



SCTF parameter list

$$L = \frac{\gamma n_b I_b}{2 e r_e \beta_y^*} \xi_y H$$

Parameters	1	2
Circumference/m	~600	~600
Beam Energy/GeV	2	2
Current/A	1.5	2
Emittance($\varepsilon_x/\varepsilon_y$)/nm·rad	5/0.05	5/0.05
β Function @ IP (β_x^*/β_y^*)/mm	100/0.9	67/0.6
Collision Angle(full θ)/mrad	60	60
Tune Shift ξ_y	0.06	0.08
Hour-glass Factor	0.8	0.8
Luminosity/ $\times 10^{35} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	~0.5	~1.0

luminosity
gain vs. BEPCII

2x

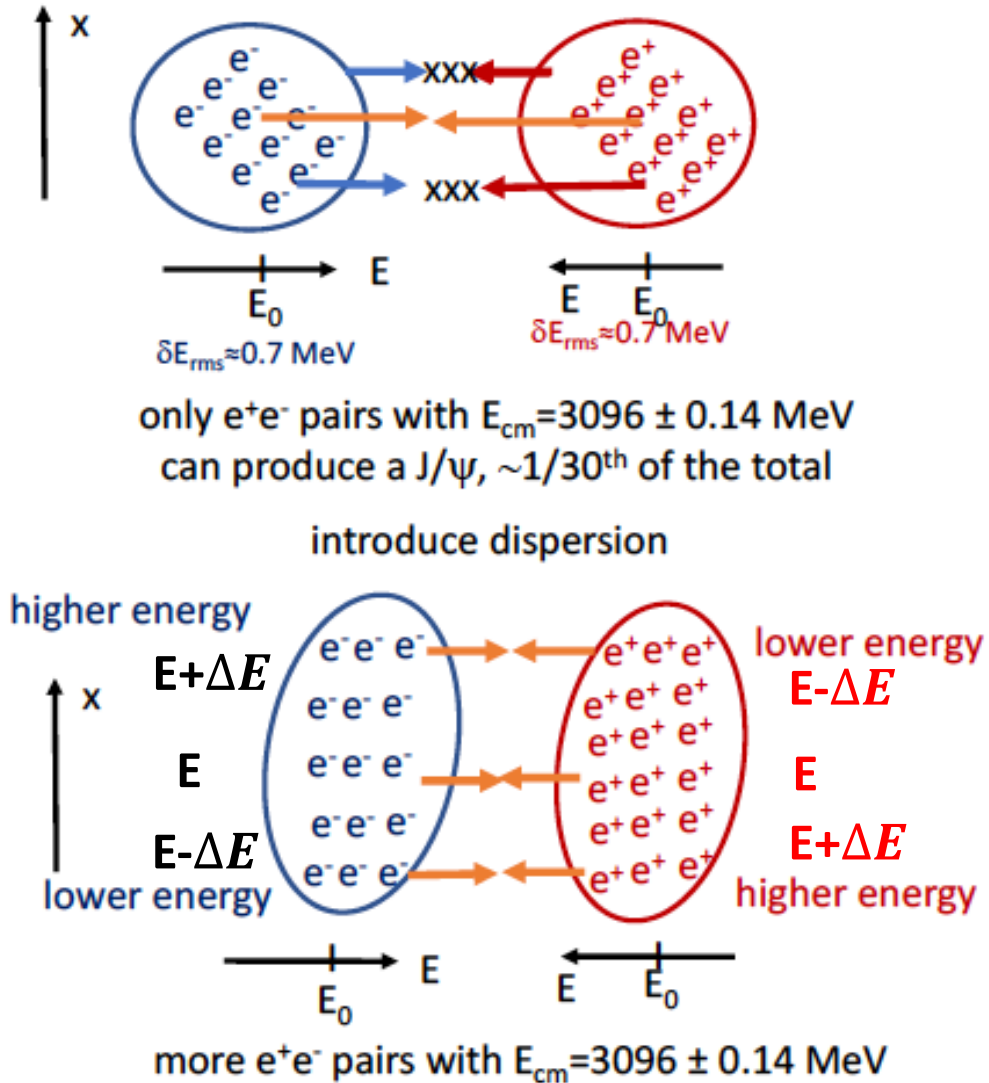
4x

2.5x

2x

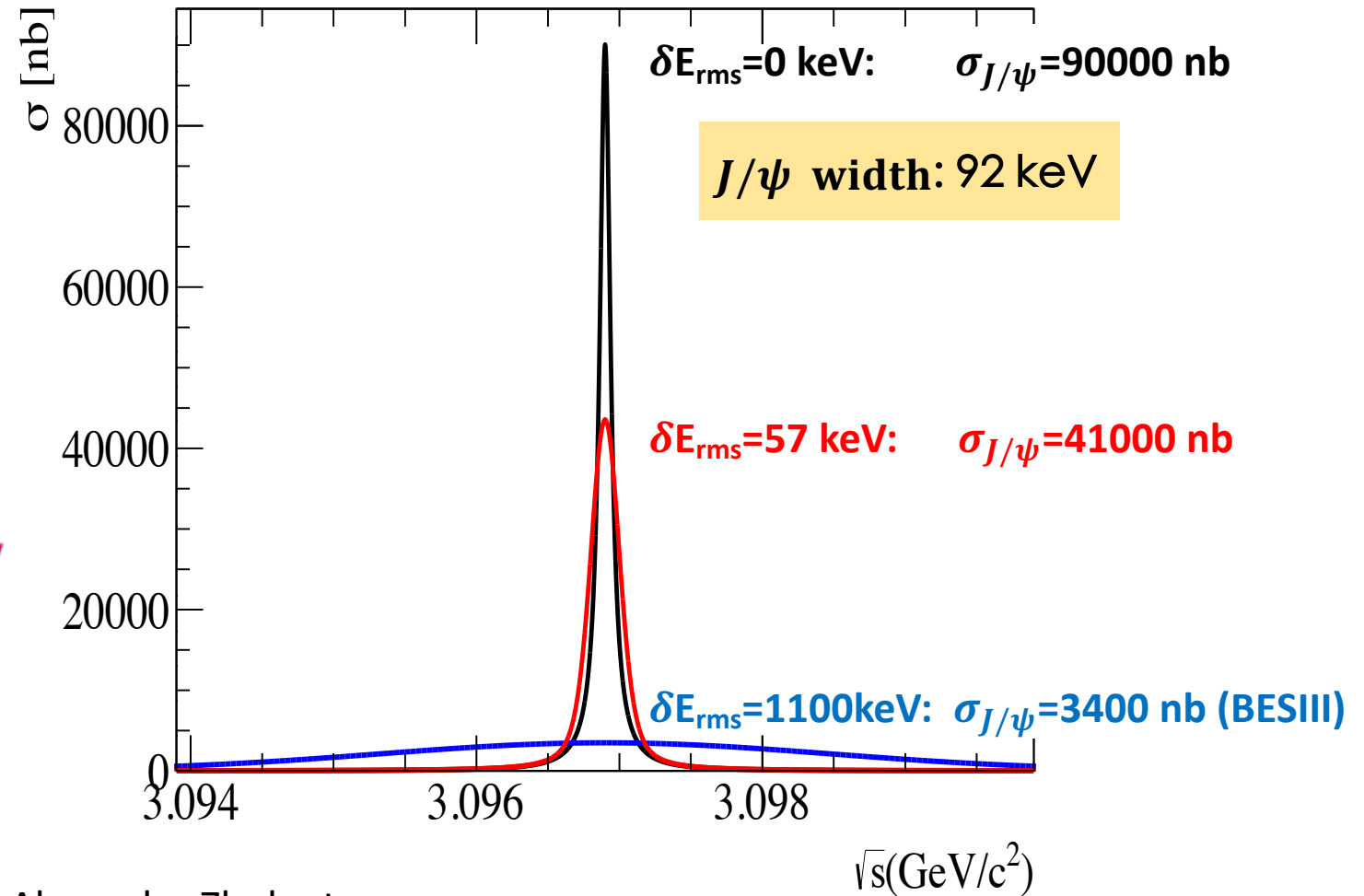
~40x

Monochromater: factor of 10 from reduction of e^+e^- CM spread



J/ψ production cross-section

Xiaoshuai Qin



Alexander Zholents
CERN SL/92-27/AP

Comments

-- In CP studies with $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decays the number $\approx 1/500$ keeps popping up

$$\Gamma_L/\Gamma_S = 1/575; \quad \varepsilon = 1/448; \quad \varepsilon'/\varepsilon = 1/425; \quad Bf(K \rightarrow \pi\pi_{(I=2)})/Bf(K \rightarrow \pi\pi_{(I=0)}) = 1/484; \dots$$

-- The current limit on $\delta_\perp/\varepsilon \lesssim 1/50$, an order-of-magnitude away from *magicland*

this was 1990s state-of-the-art

-- Current accelerator & detector technology suggests a 10x improvement may be possible
shouldn't we try for it?

Lev Okun



1929-2015

“ A special search at Dubna was carried out [in 1962] by E. Okonov and his group. They did not find a single $K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ event among 600 decays into charged particles [256]. At that stage the search was terminated by the administration of the Lab. The group was unlucky.”