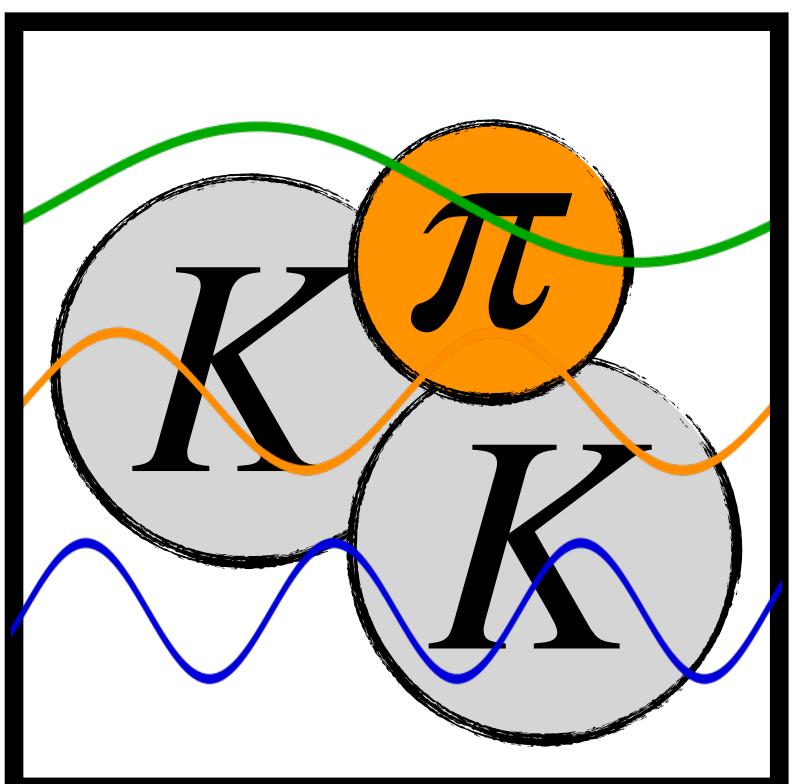
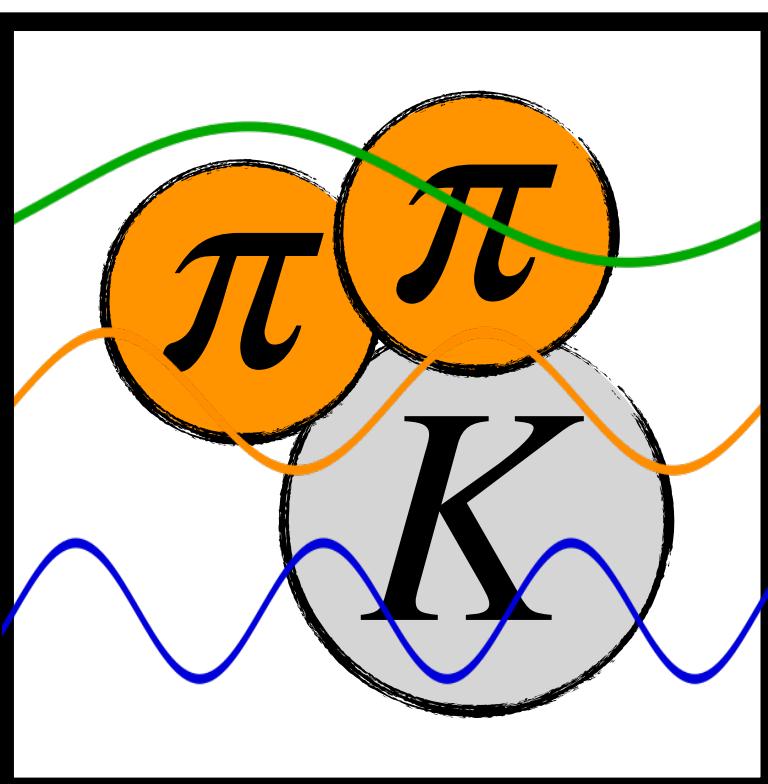


Two and three mesons at maximal isospin from lattice QCD

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The isospin-3 three-particle K -matrix at NLO in ChPT

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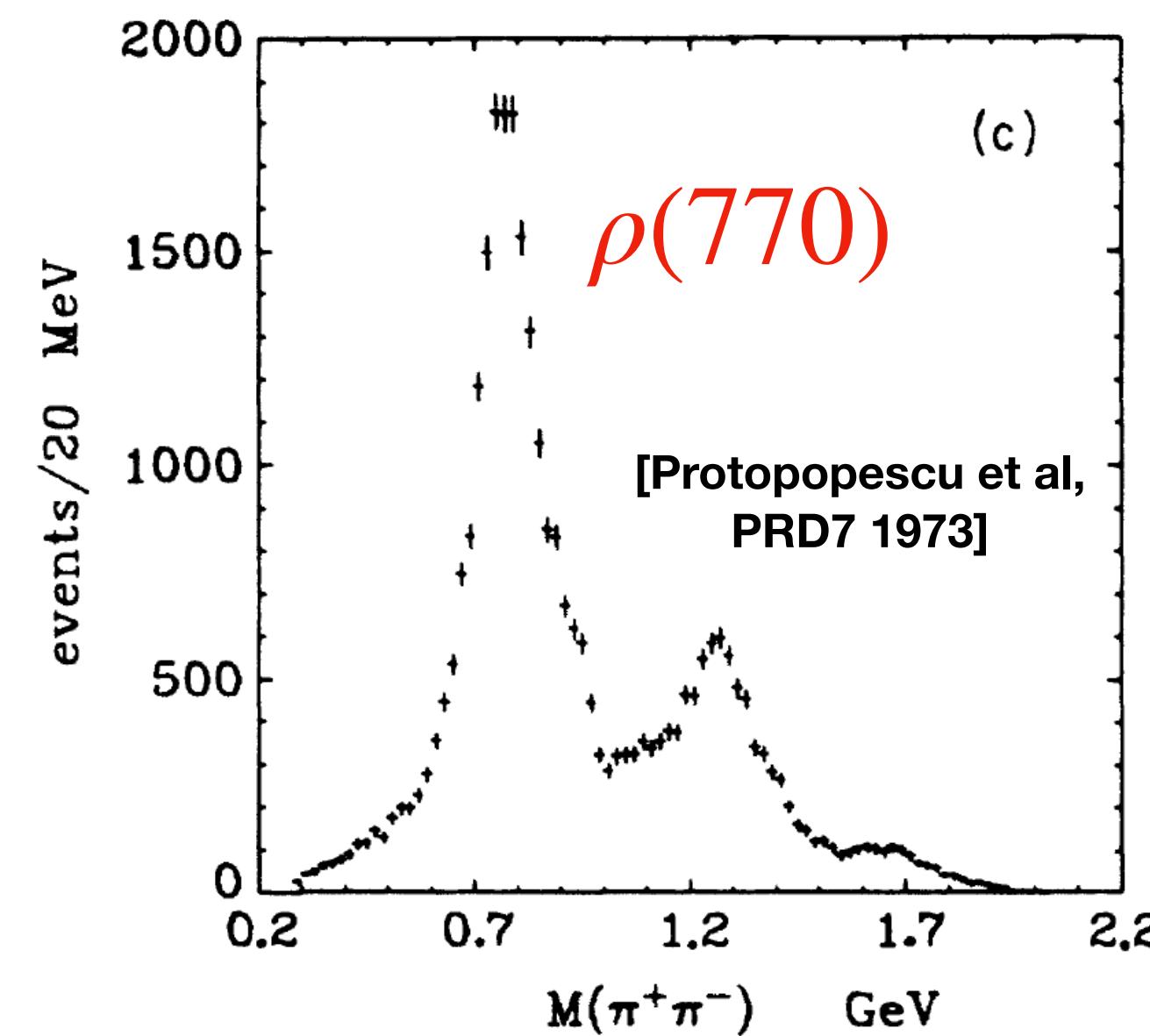
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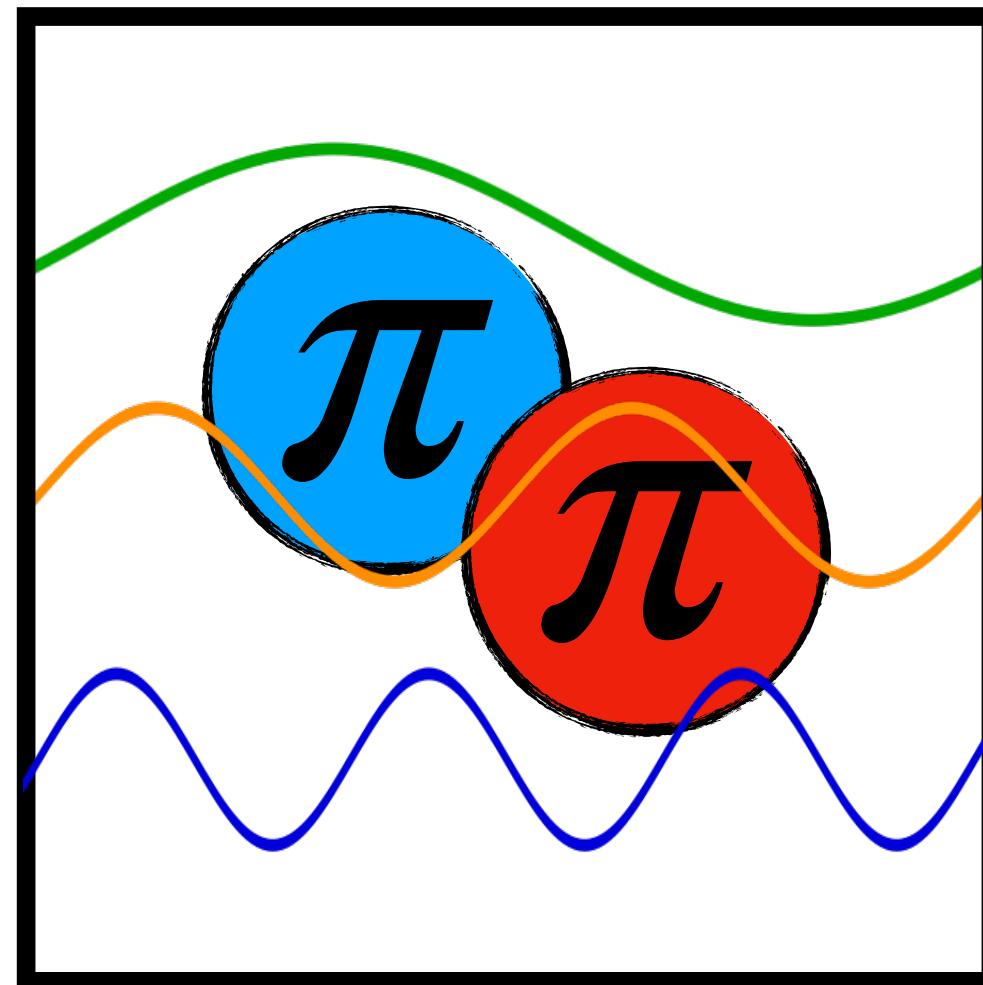
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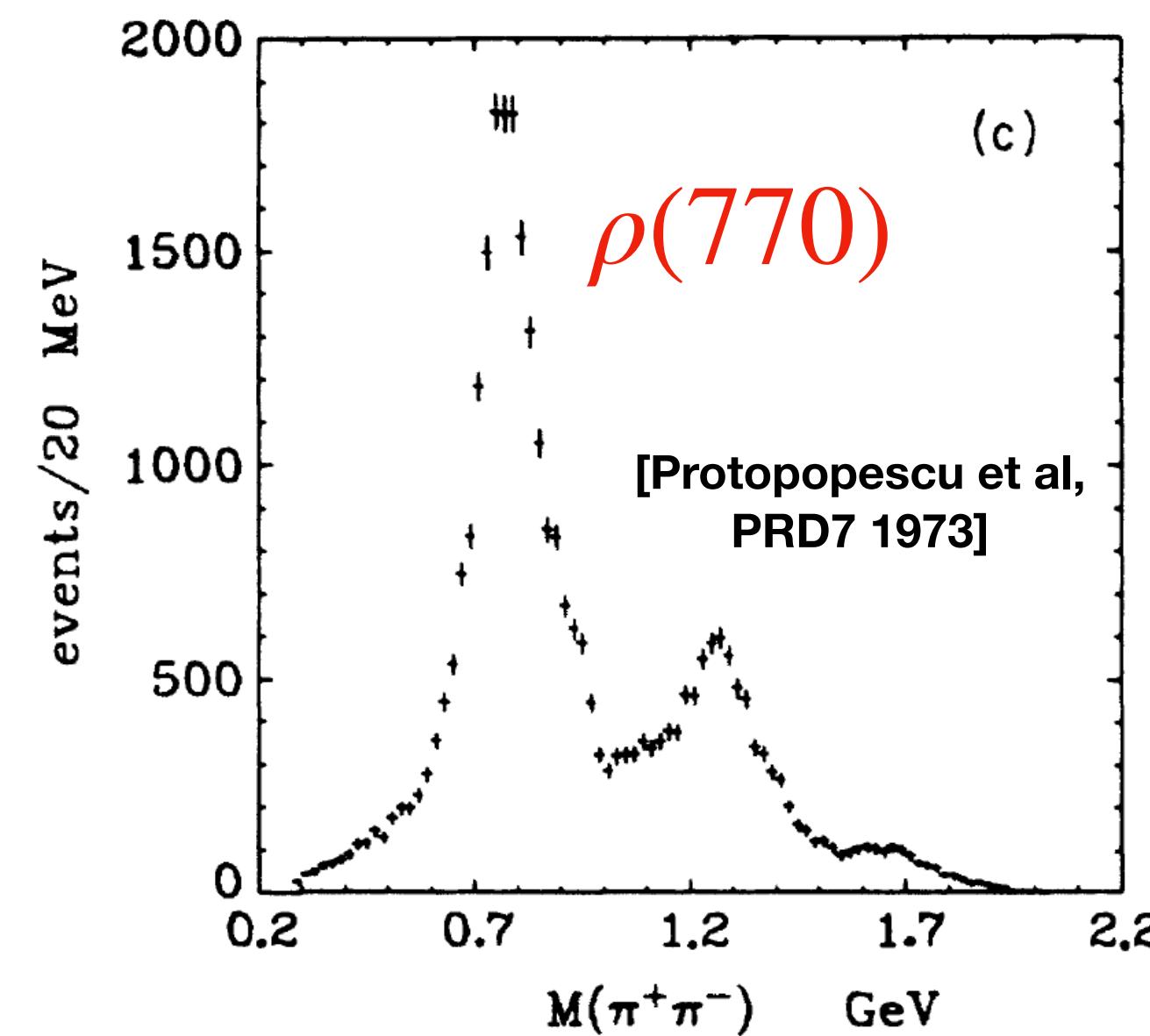


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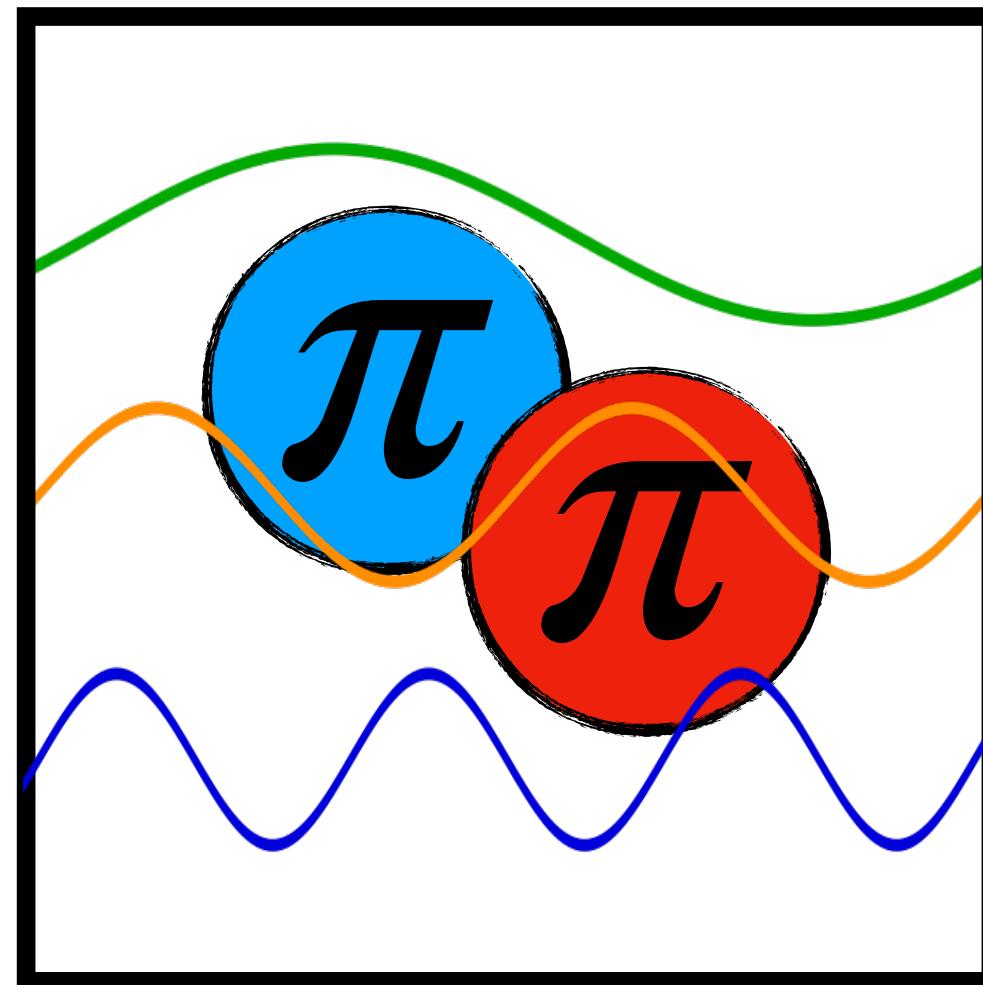
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and beyond two?



Three-particle processes

Many reasons to study the three-body problem in finite volume

- The two-body formalism is restricted to few interesting resonances

- The puzzle of the Roper resonance

$$N(1440) \rightarrow \Delta\pi \rightarrow N\pi\pi$$

- Exotic hadrons

$$T_{cc} \rightarrow DD^*, DD\pi$$

- Many-body nuclear physics: 3N force, tritium nucleus

- CP violation: $K \rightarrow 3\pi$, $K^0 \leftrightarrow 3\pi \leftrightarrow \bar{K}^0$

[Talk by D. Pefkou]

Resonance	$I_{\pi\pi\pi}$	J^P
$\omega(782)$	0	1^-
$h_1(1170)$	0	1^+
$\omega_3(1670)$	0	3^-
$\pi(1300)$	1	0^-
$a_1(1260)$	1	1^+
$\pi_1(1400)$	1	1^-
$\pi_2(1670)$	1	2^-
$a_2(1320)$	1	2^+
$a_4(1970)$	1	4^+

(with $\geq 3\pi$ decay modes)

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- ▶ Interpret results in combination with EFTs

Outline

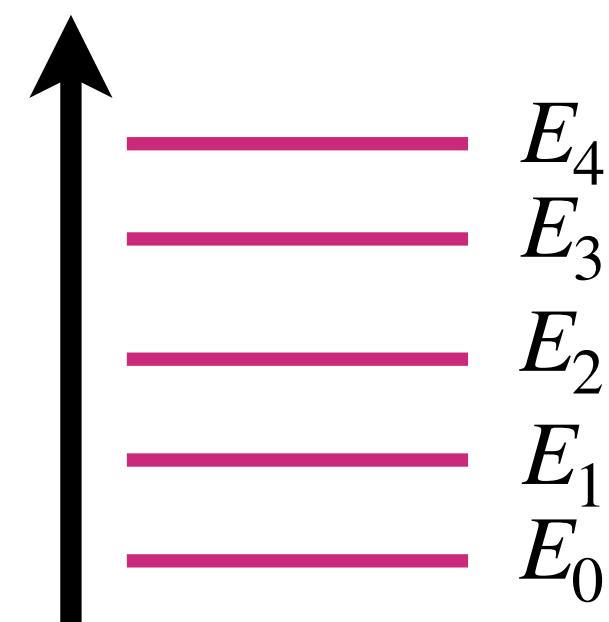
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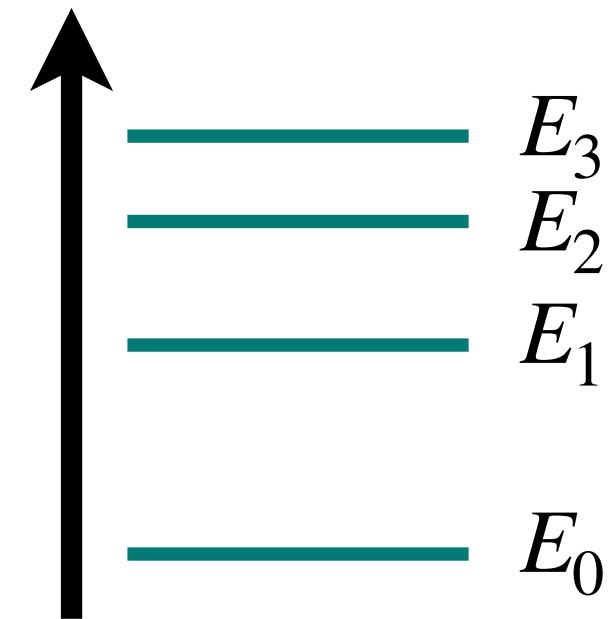
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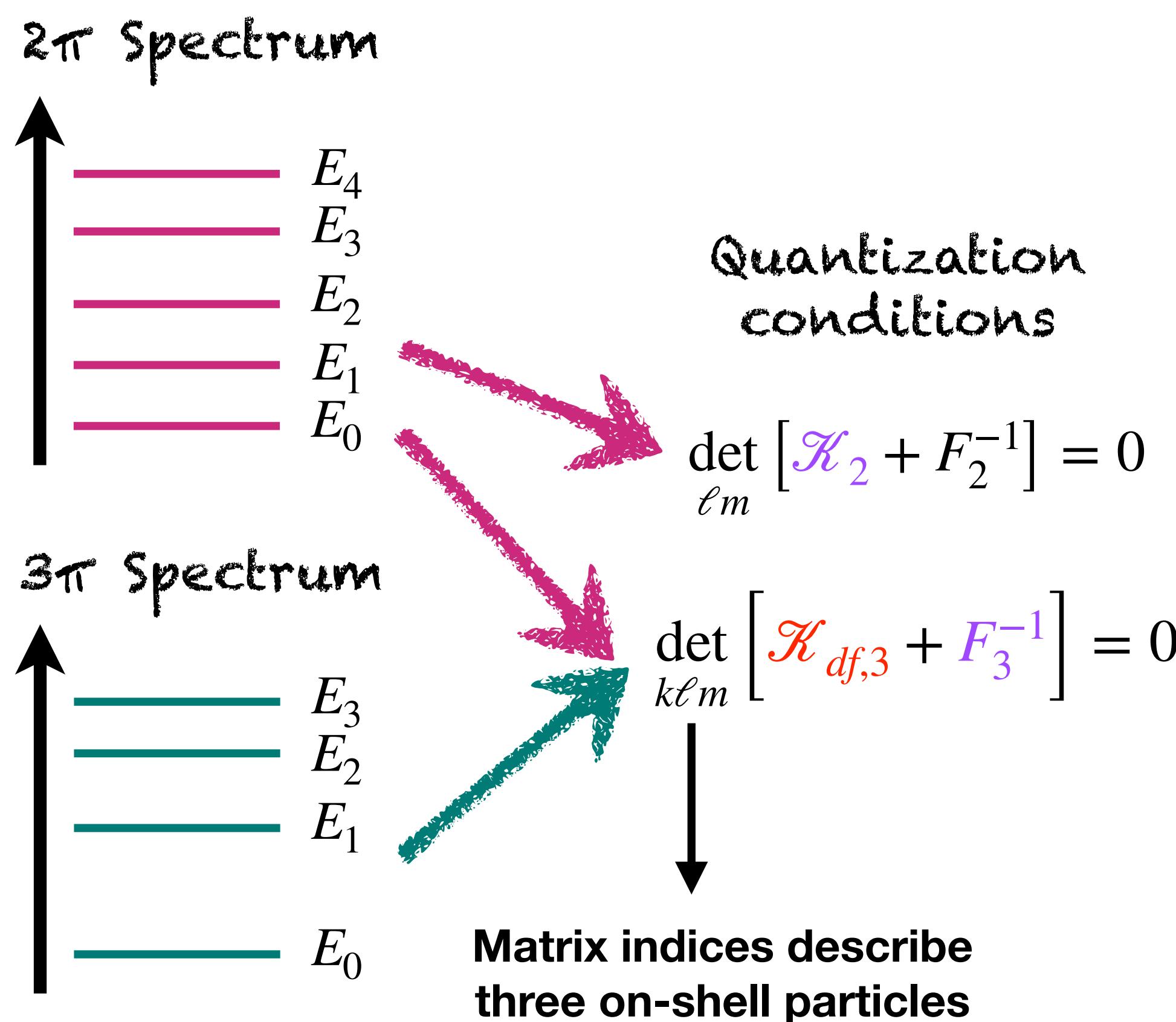


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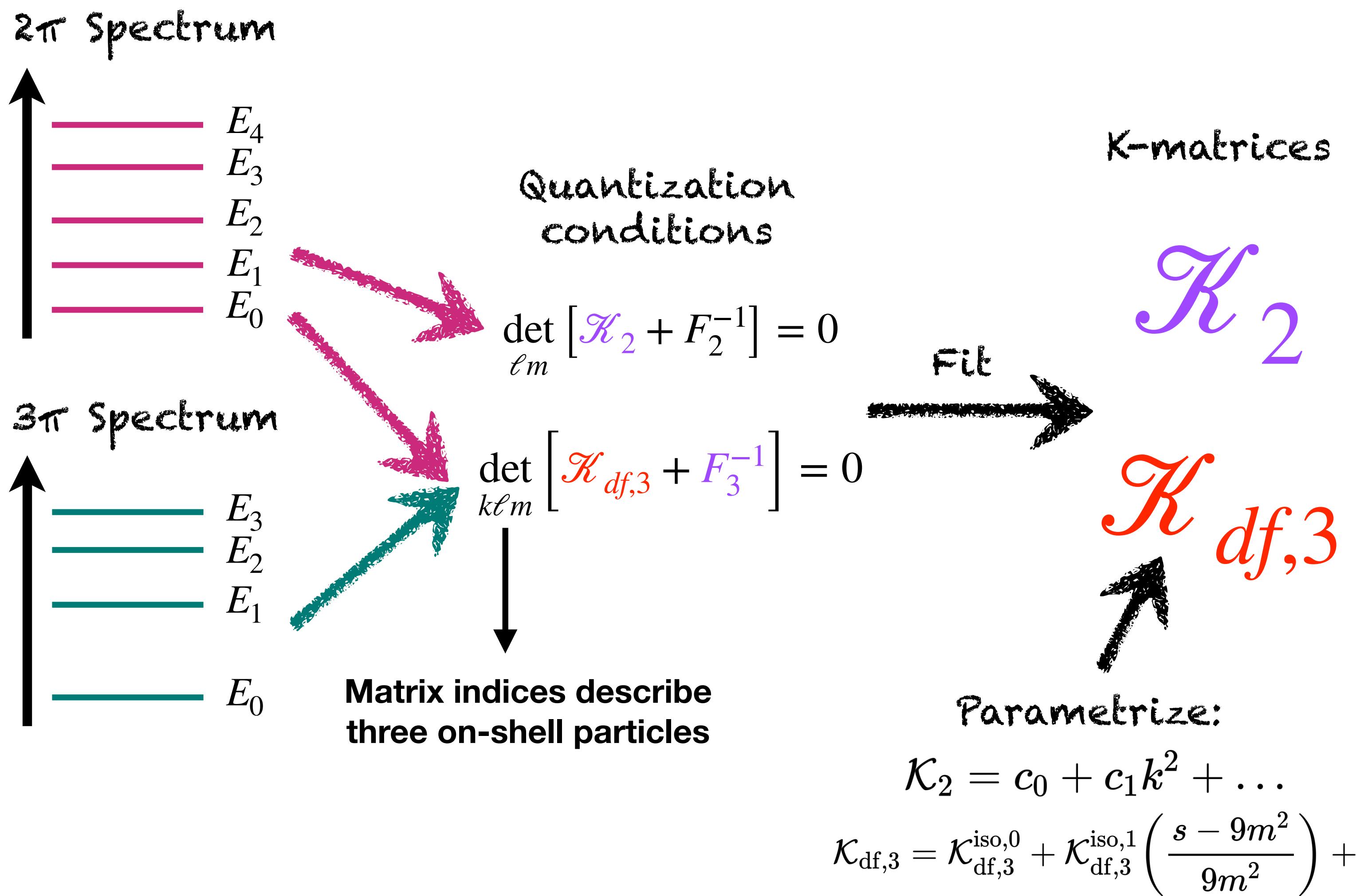
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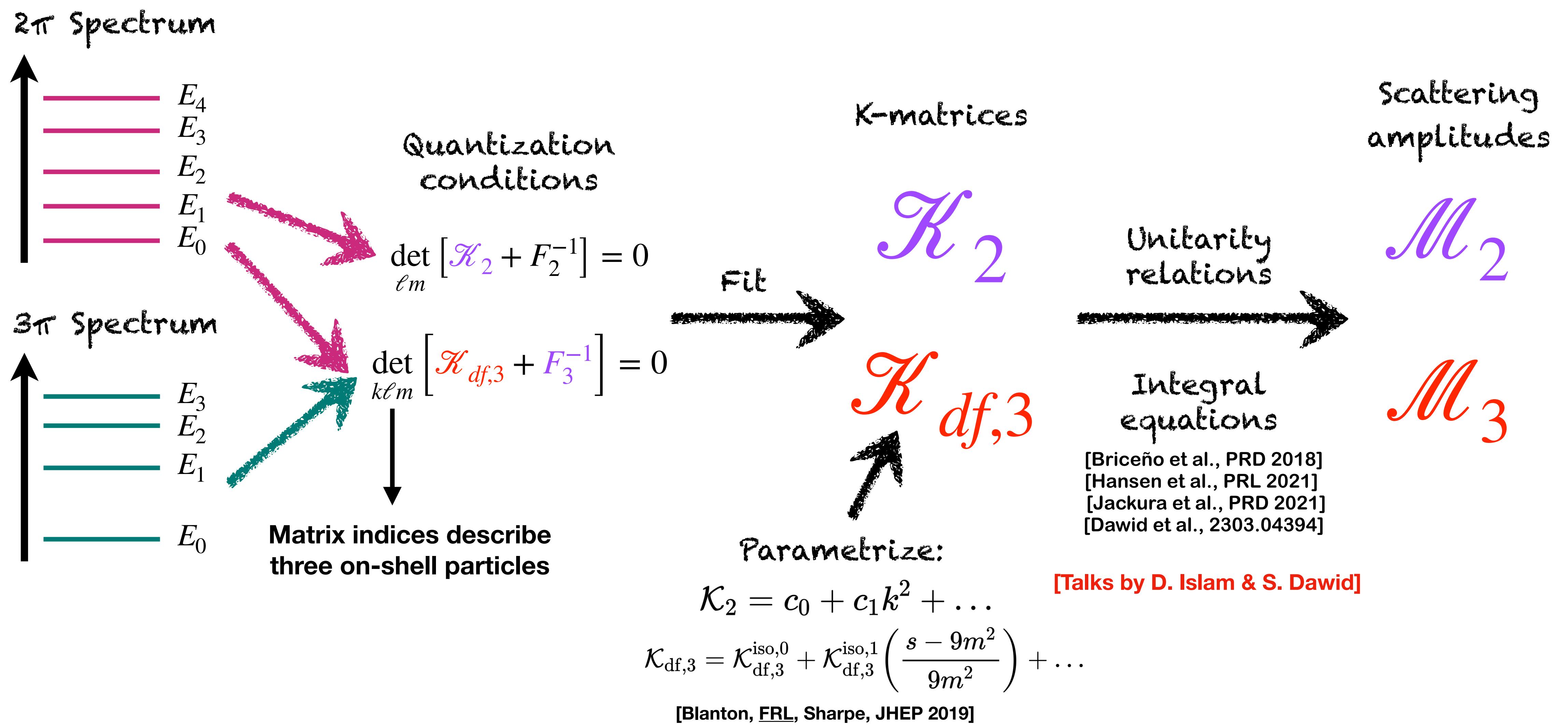
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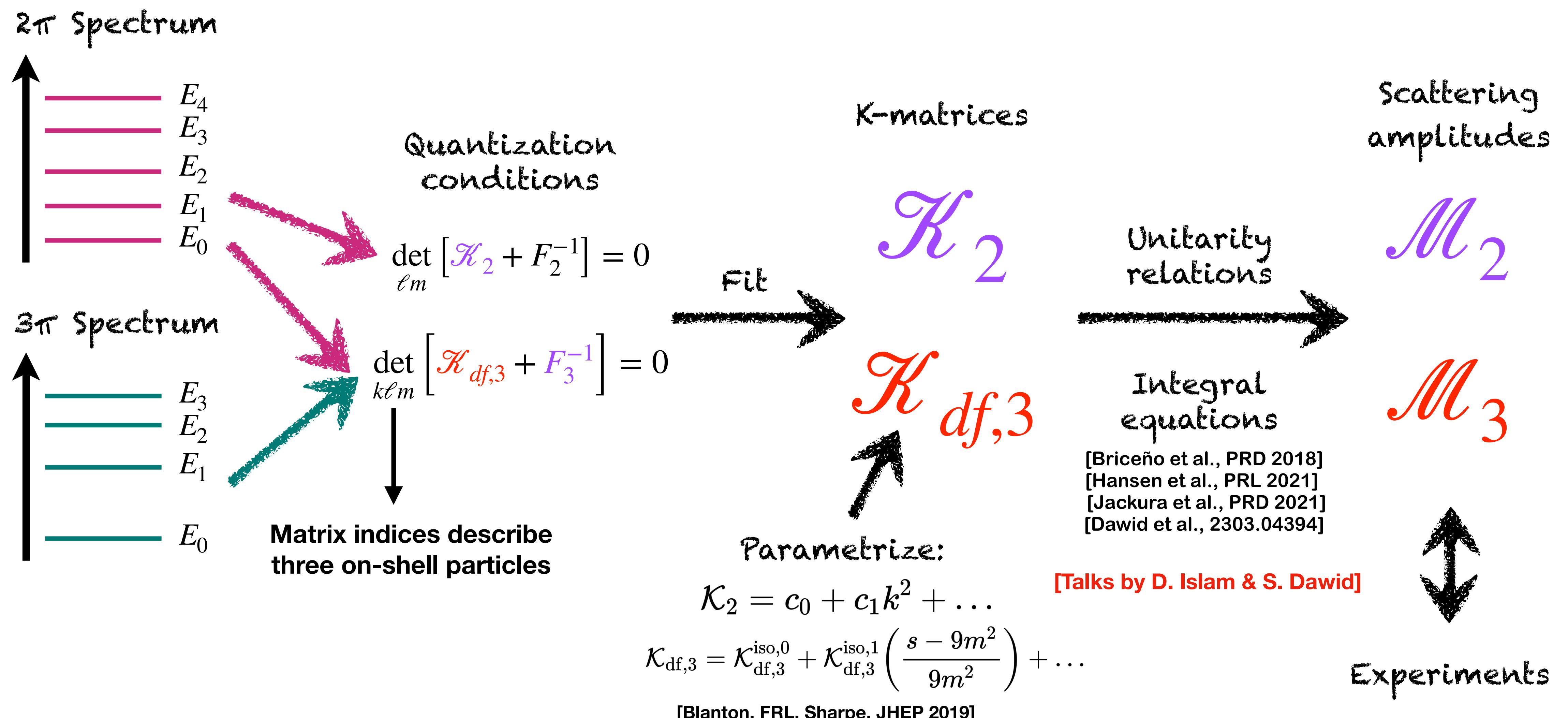
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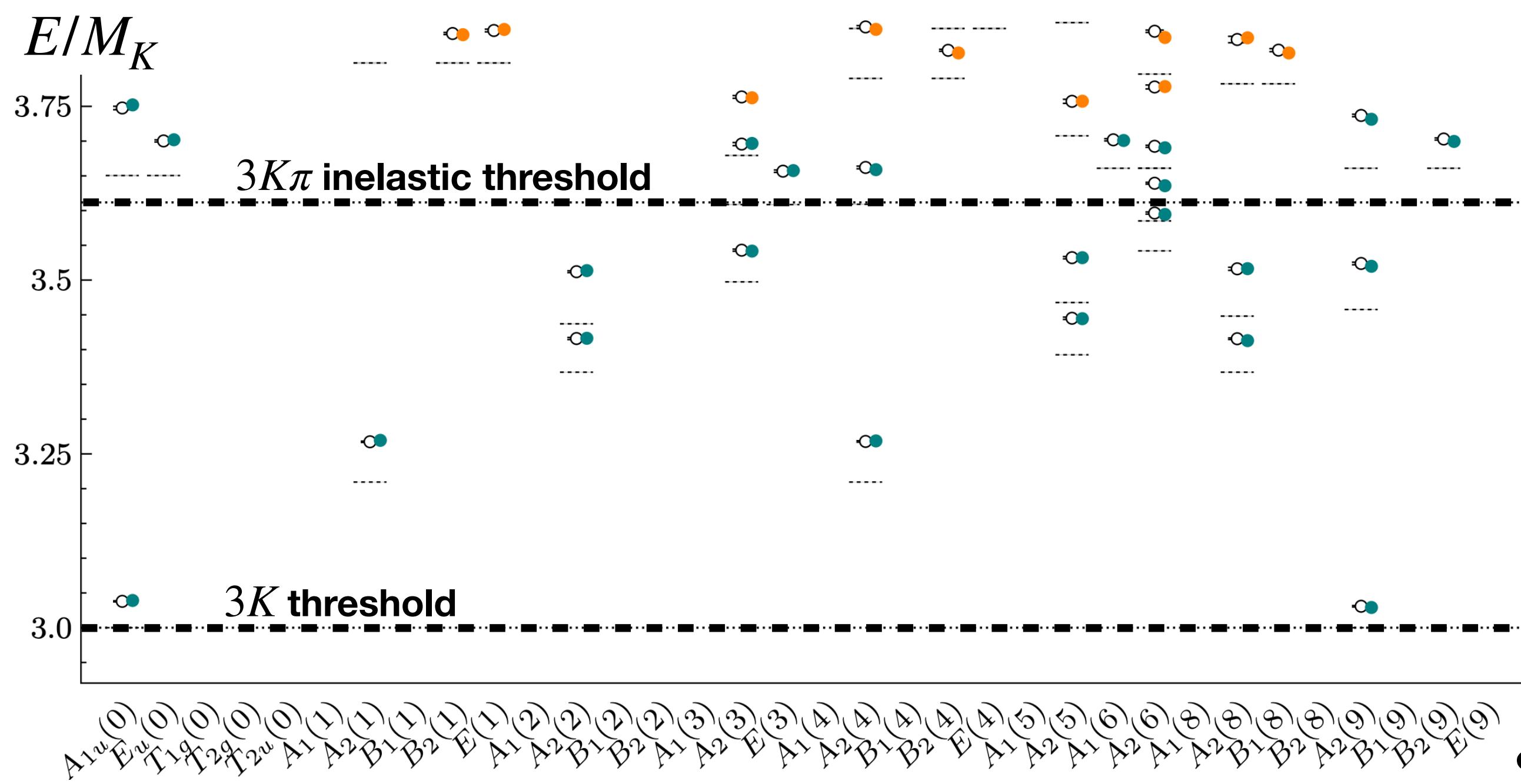
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O(30) energy levels!

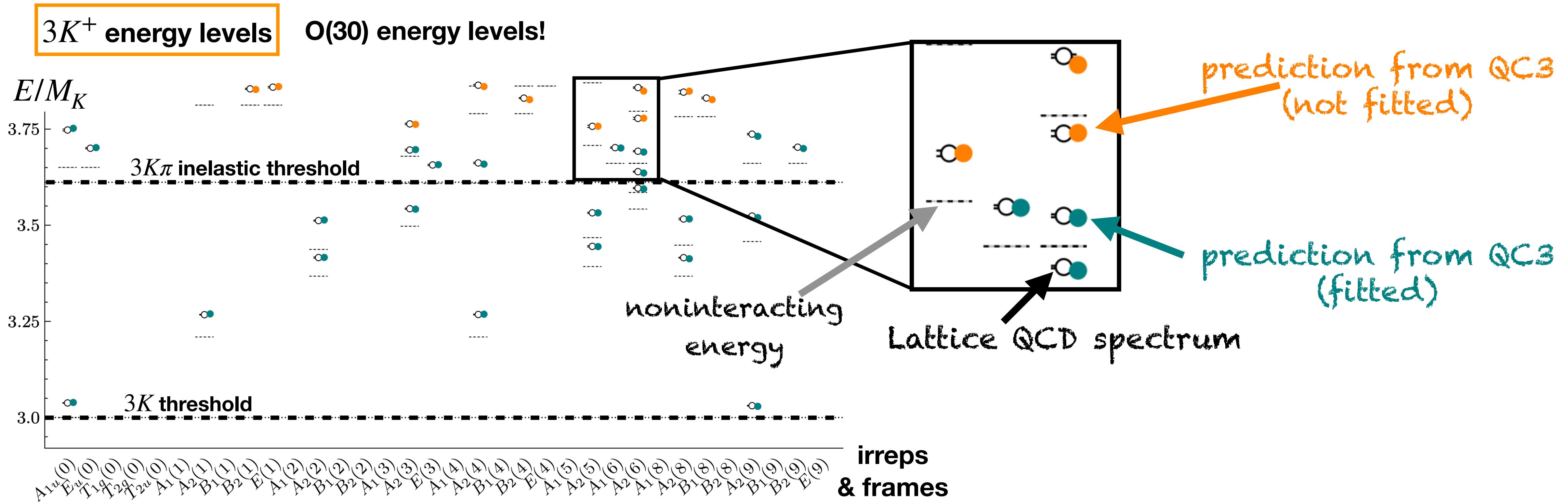


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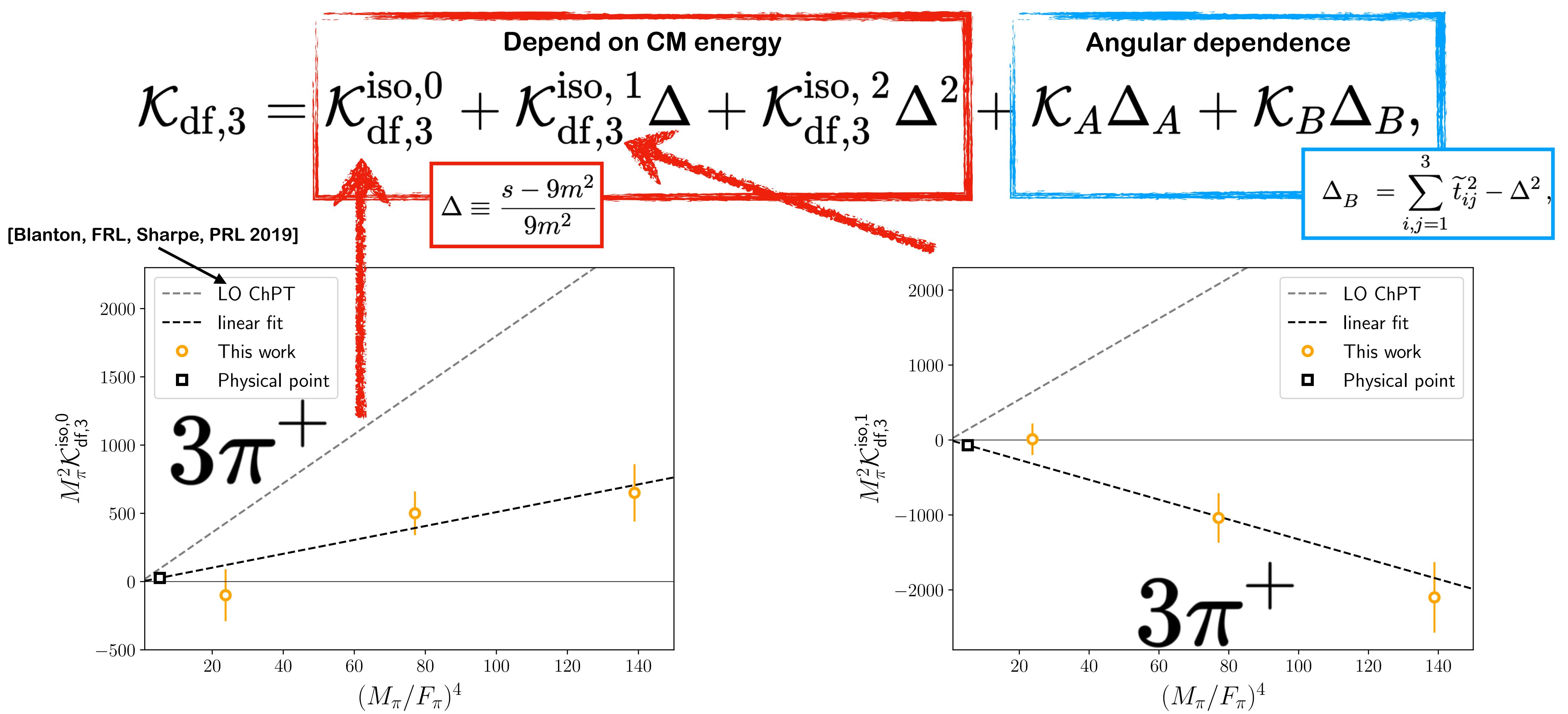
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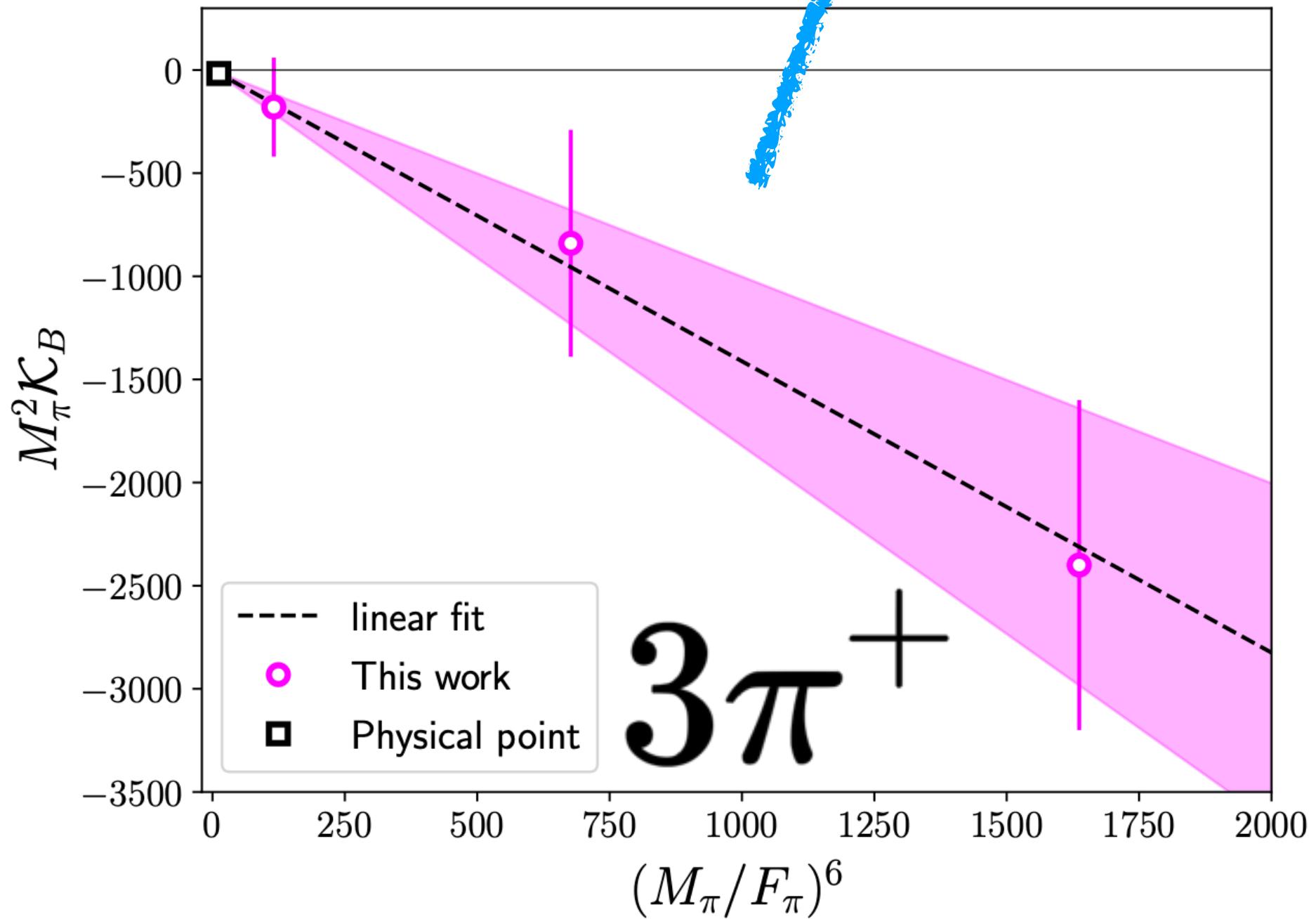
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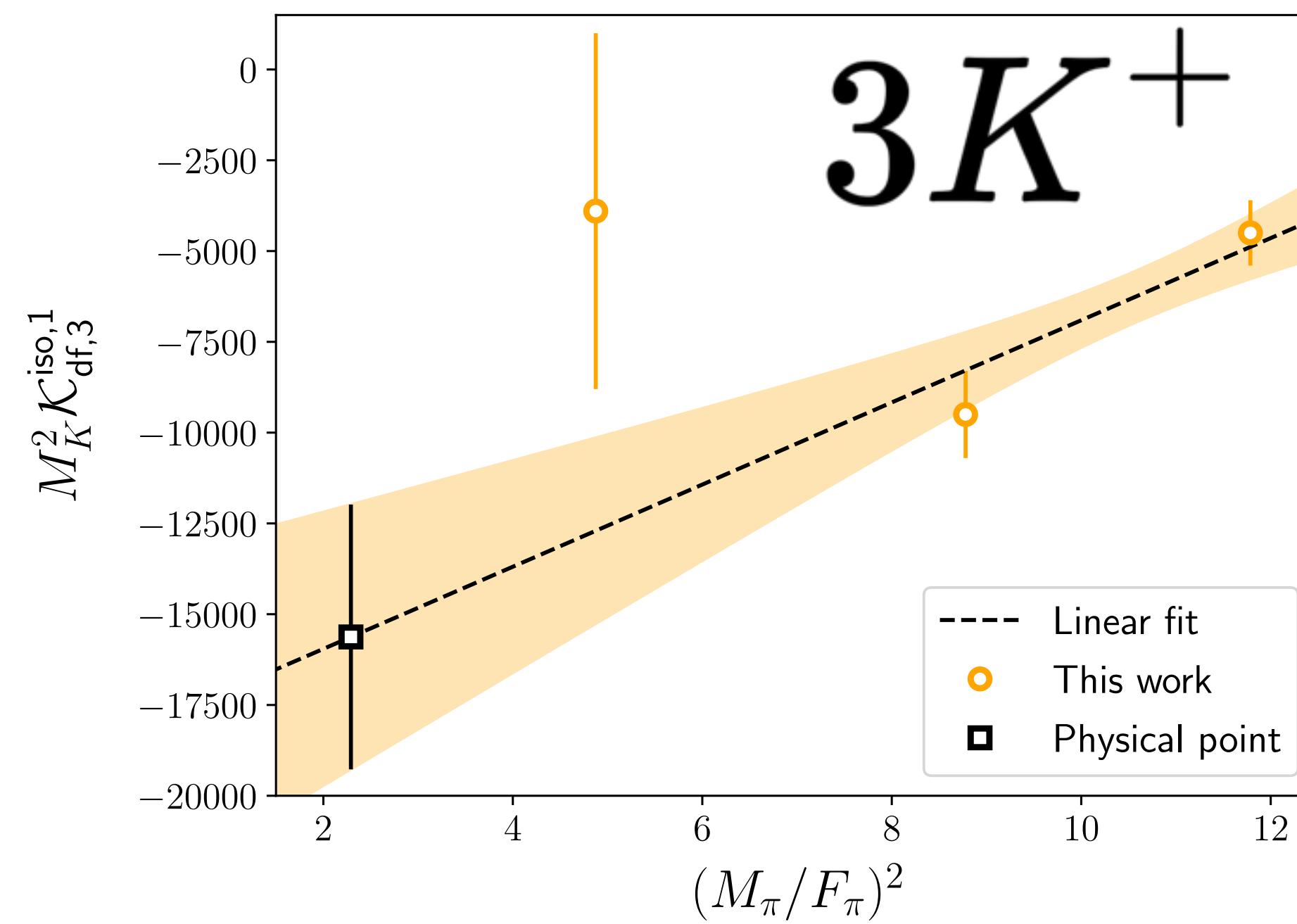
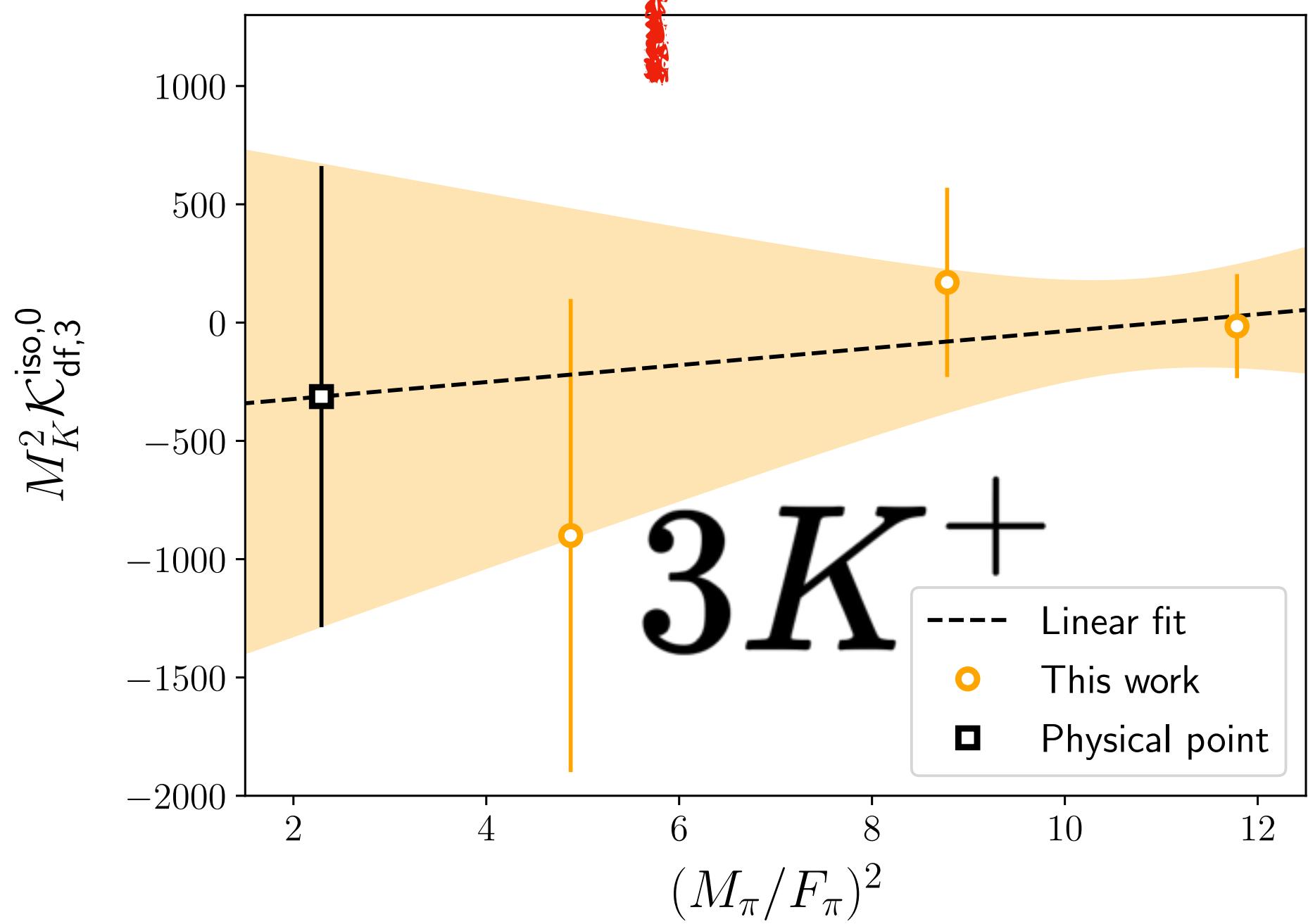
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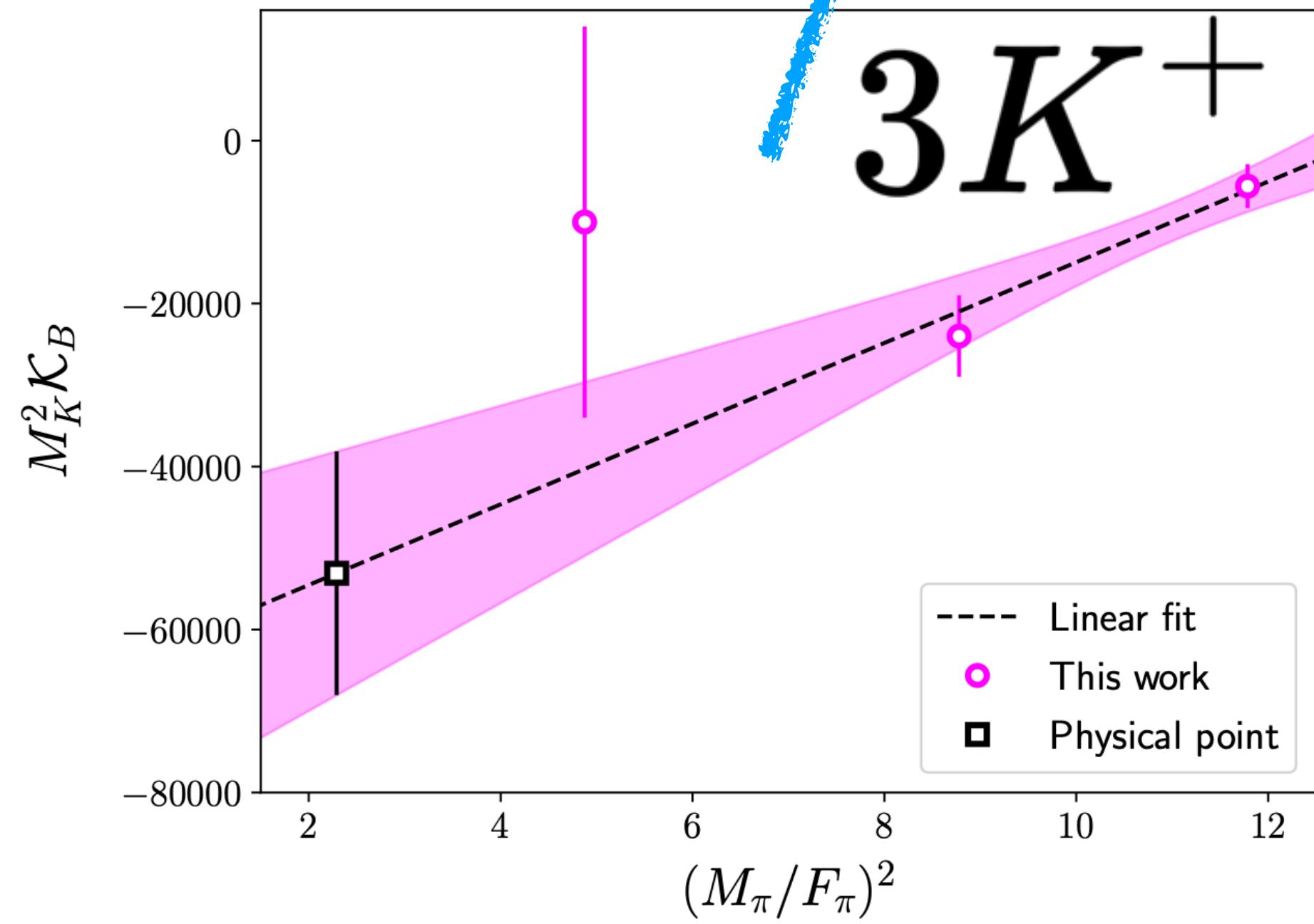
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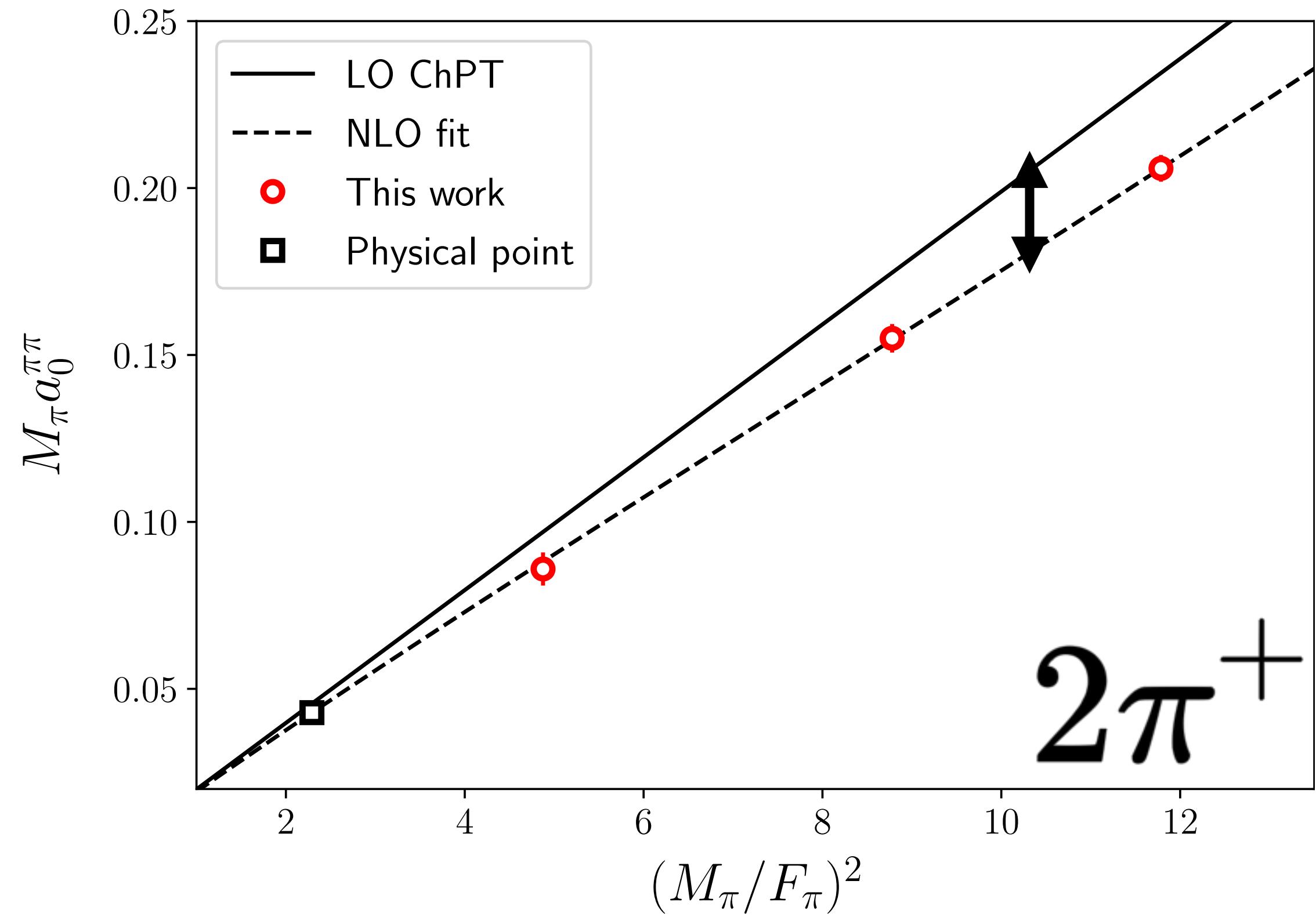
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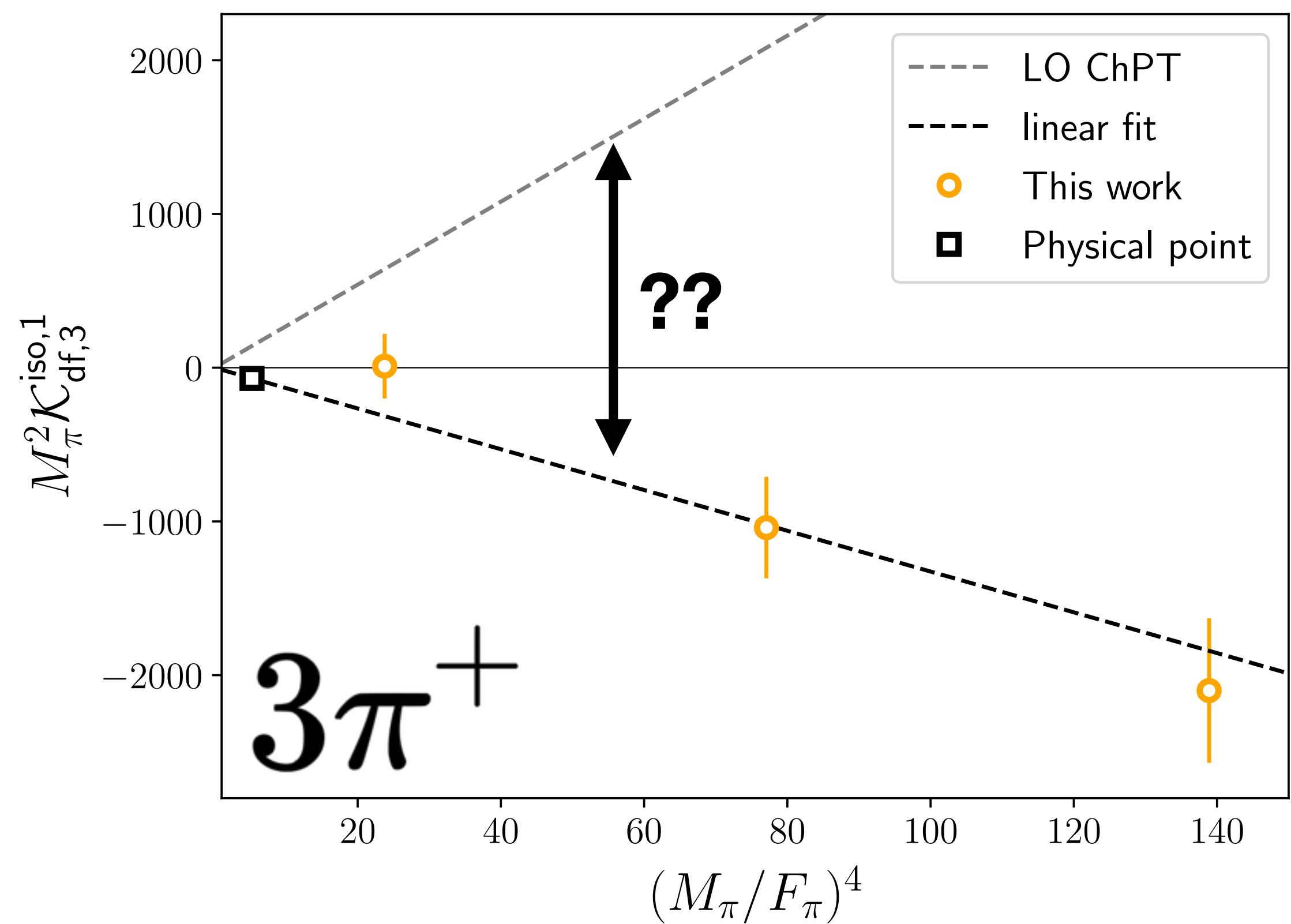
Three-pion scattering at NLO in ChPT

$2\pi/3\pi$ interactions \neq ChPT

Two-pion sector is well described at LO



! Three-pion with large discrepancy



[Blanton, Hanlon, Hörz, Morningstar, FRL, Sharpe, JHEP 2021]

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- ☑ Chiral counting at NLO leads to a very simple relation:

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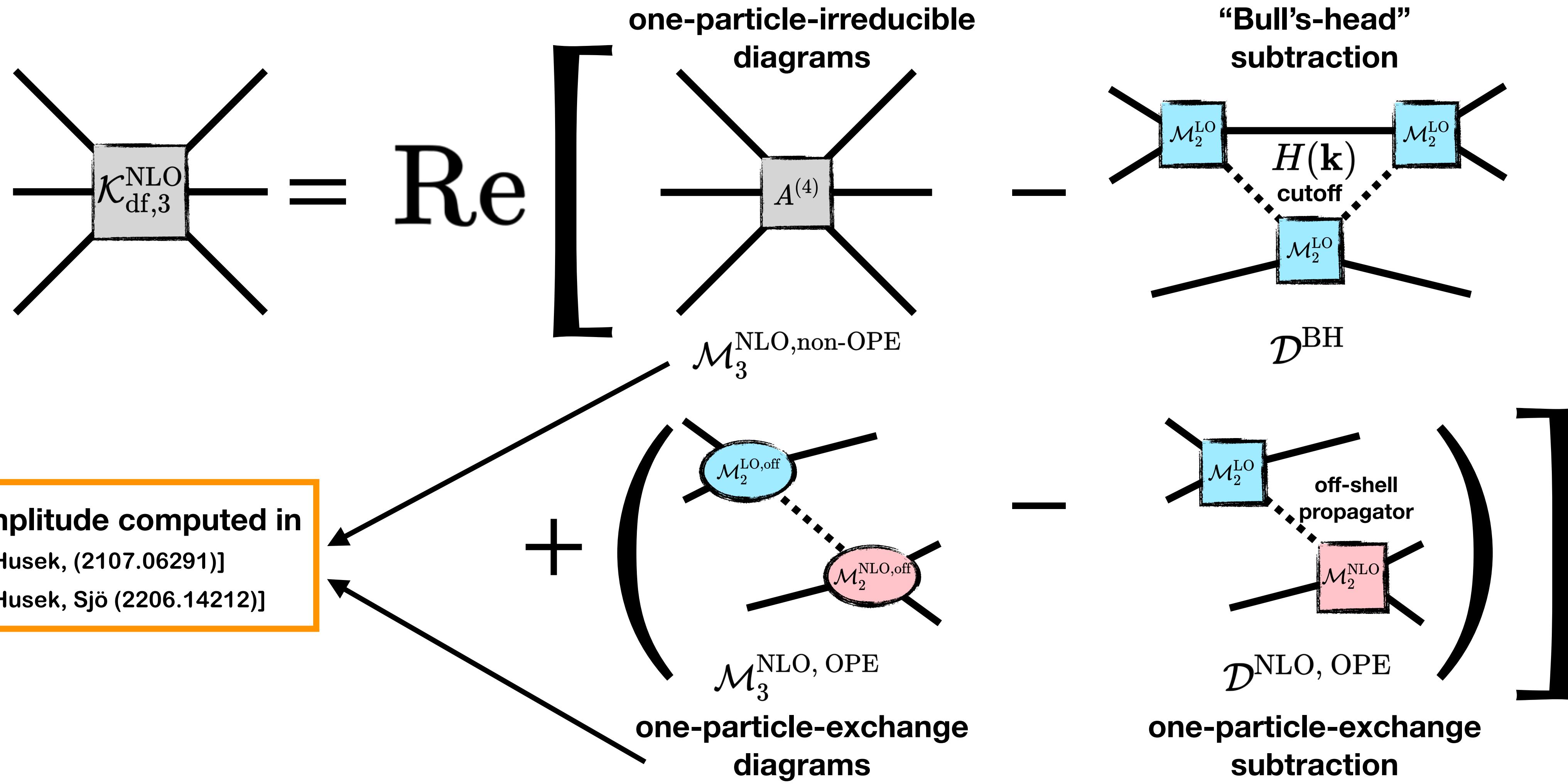
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Computing $K_{df,3}$ at NLO



Results for $K_{df,3}$ at NLO

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}_0 &= \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^4 18 + \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^6 \left[-3\kappa(35 + 12\log 3) - \mathcal{D}_0 + 111L + \ell_{(0)}^r \right], \\ \mathcal{K}_1 &= \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^4 27 + \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^6 \left[-\frac{\kappa}{20}(1999 + 1920\log 3) - \mathcal{D}_1 + 384L + \ell_{(1)}^r \right], \\ \mathcal{K}_2 &= \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^6 \left[\frac{207\kappa}{1400}(2923 - 420\log 3) - \mathcal{D}_2 + 360L + \ell_{(2)}^r \right], \\ \mathcal{K}_A &= \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^6 \left[\frac{9\kappa}{560}(21809 - 1050\log 3) - \mathcal{D}_A - 9L + \ell_{(A)}^r \right], \\ \mathcal{K}_B &= \left(\frac{M_\pi}{F_\pi}\right)^6 \left[\frac{27\kappa}{1400}(6698 - 245\log 3) - \mathcal{D}_B + 54L + \ell_{(B)}^r \right]. \end{aligned}$$

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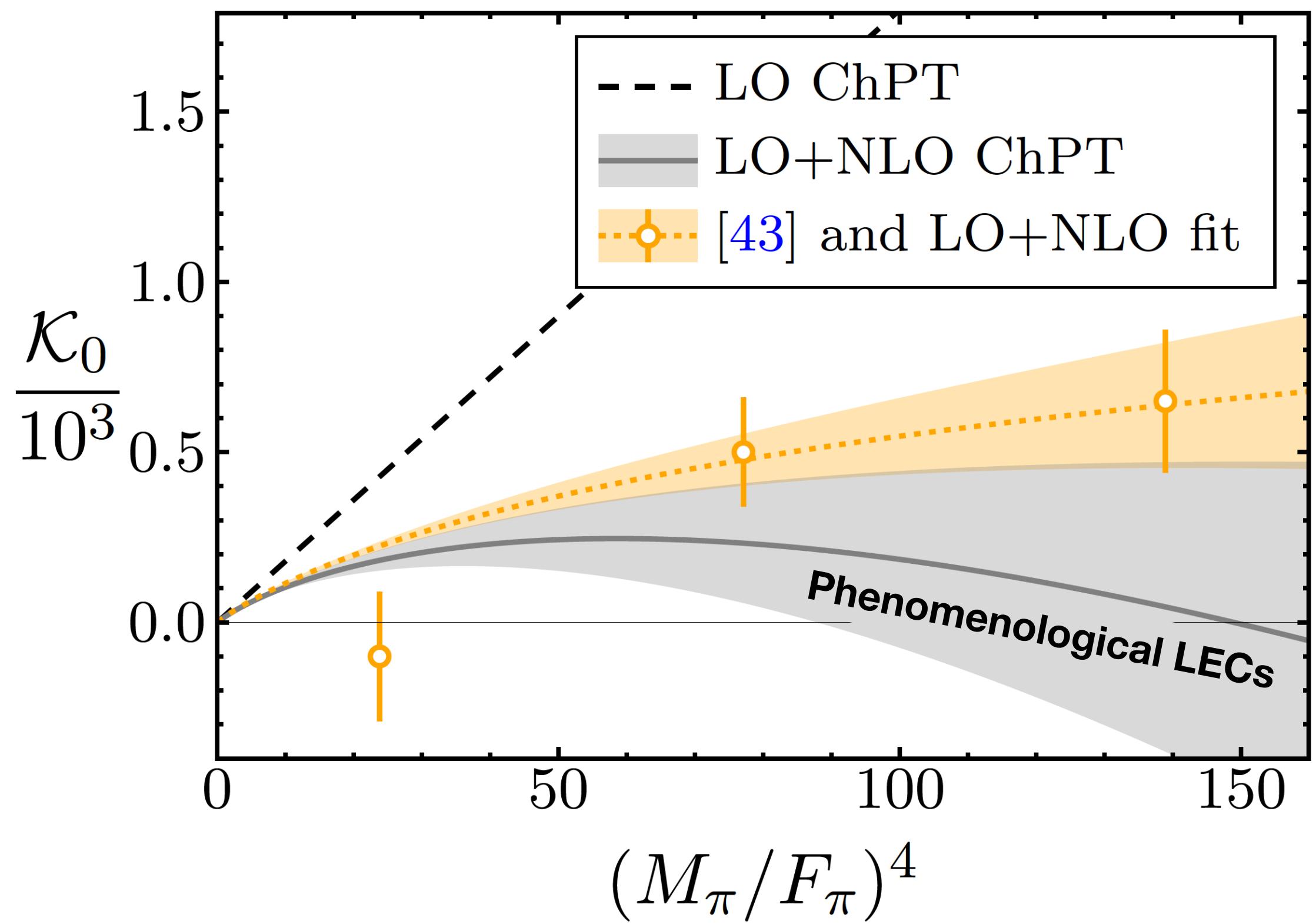
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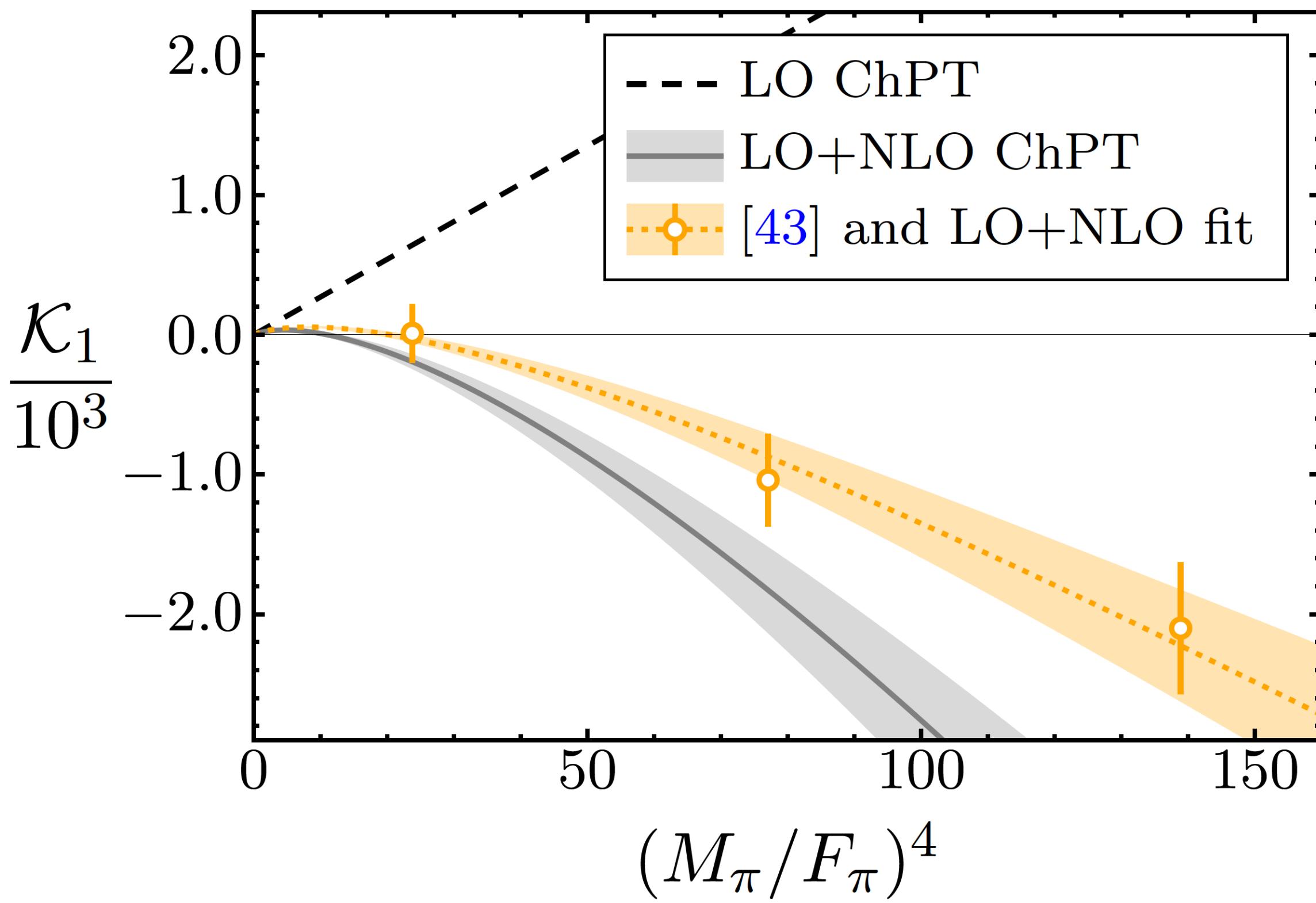
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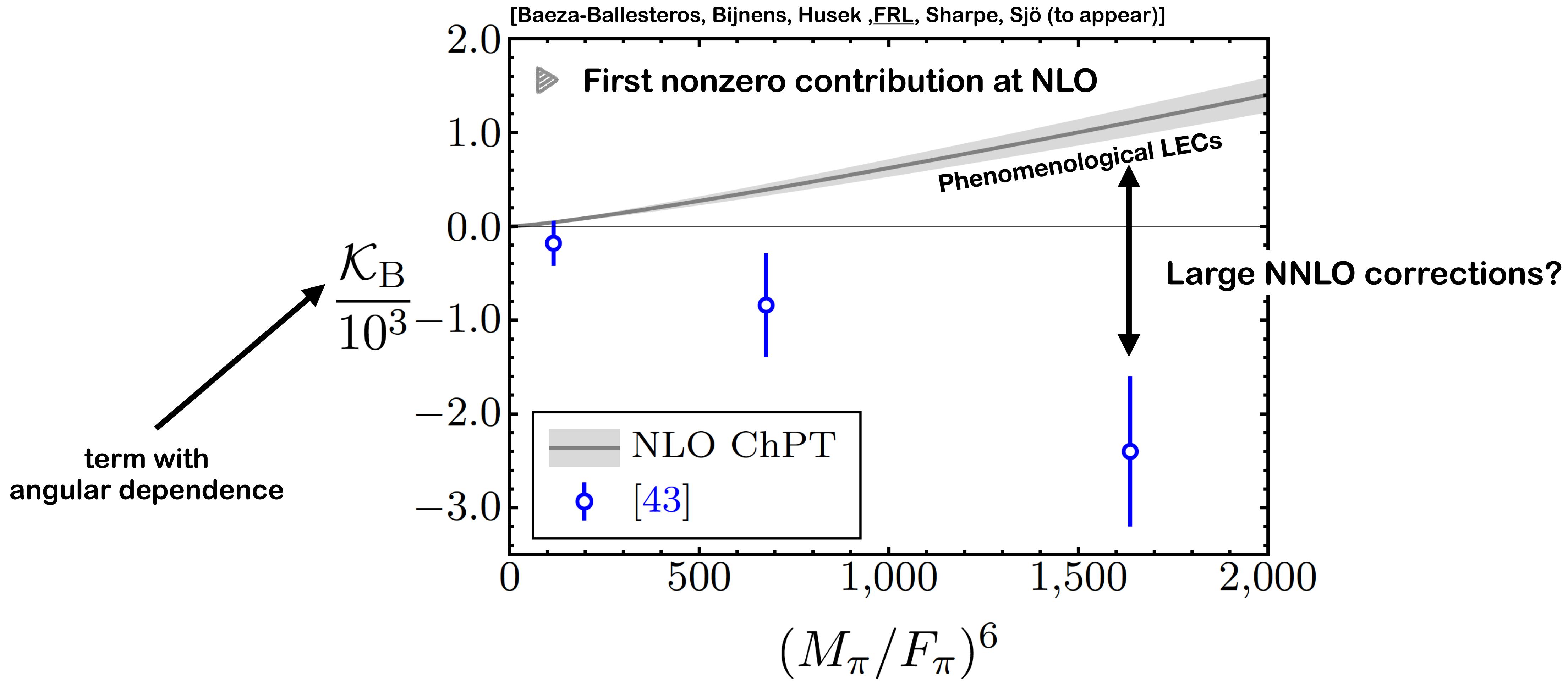


NLO effects can accommodate discrepancy!



! Large NLO corrections.

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Example:
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$$\Delta = \frac{s - M}{M^2} \quad \tilde{t}_{22} = \frac{(p_K - p'_K)^2}{M^2} \quad \Delta_2 = \frac{(p_\pi + p_{\pi'})^2 - 4m_3^2}{M^2}$$

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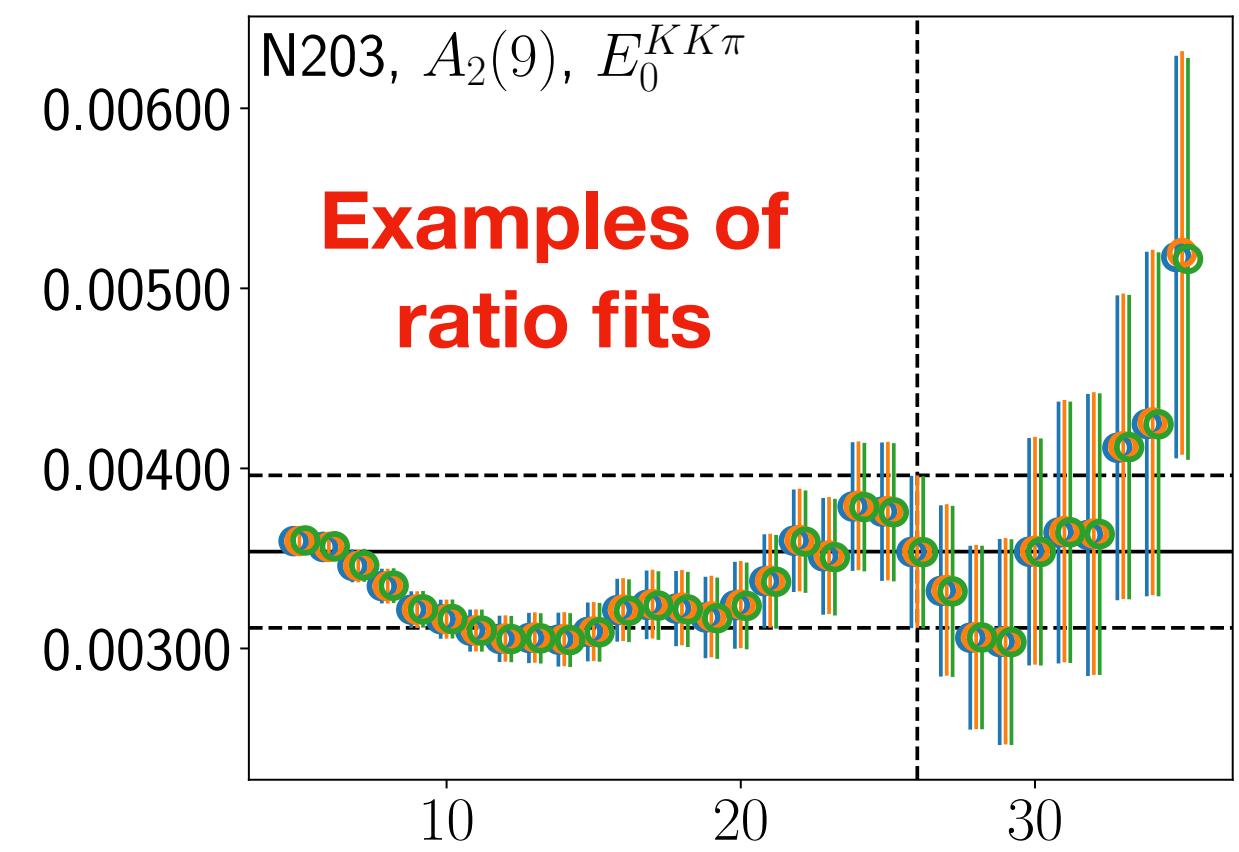
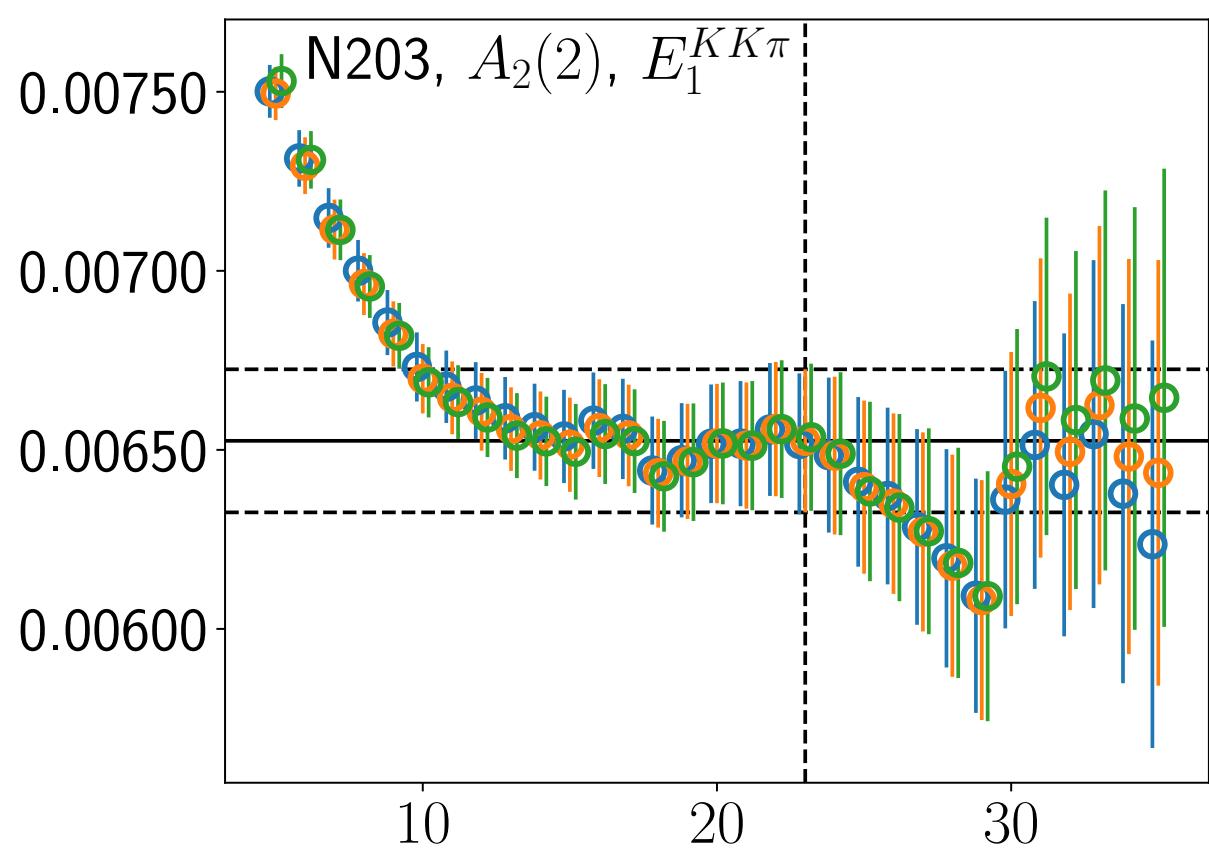
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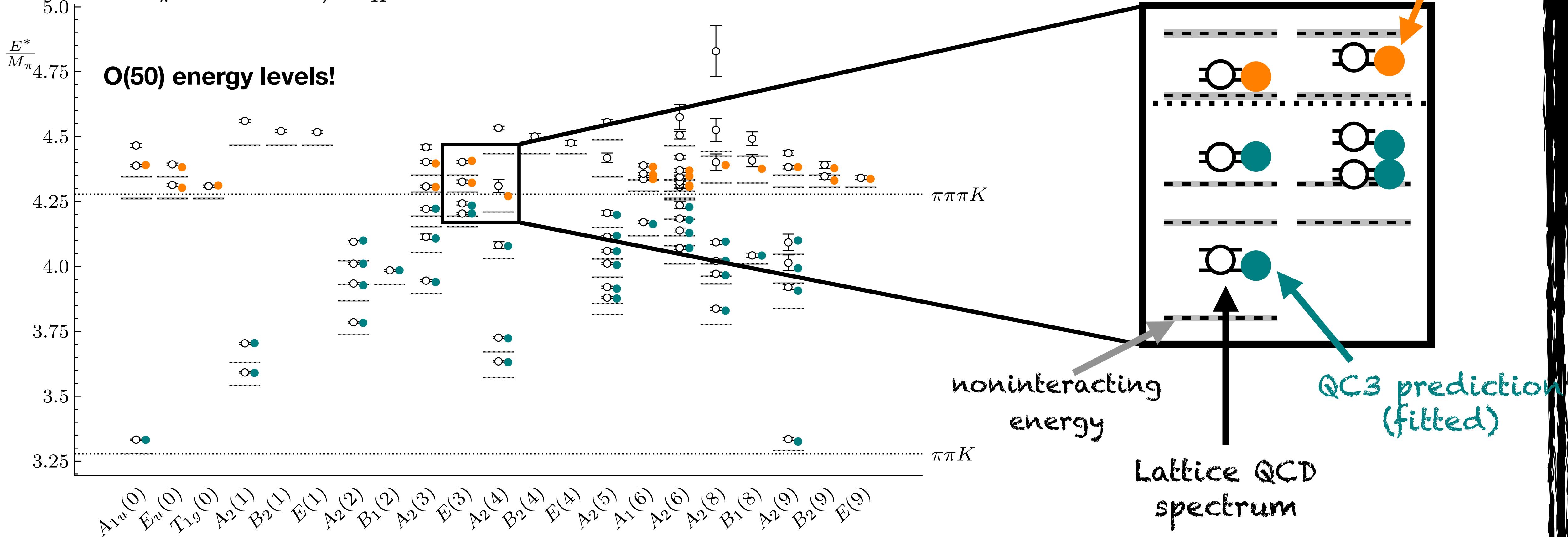
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- Better conditioned covariance matrix
- More constrained fits (lower errors)



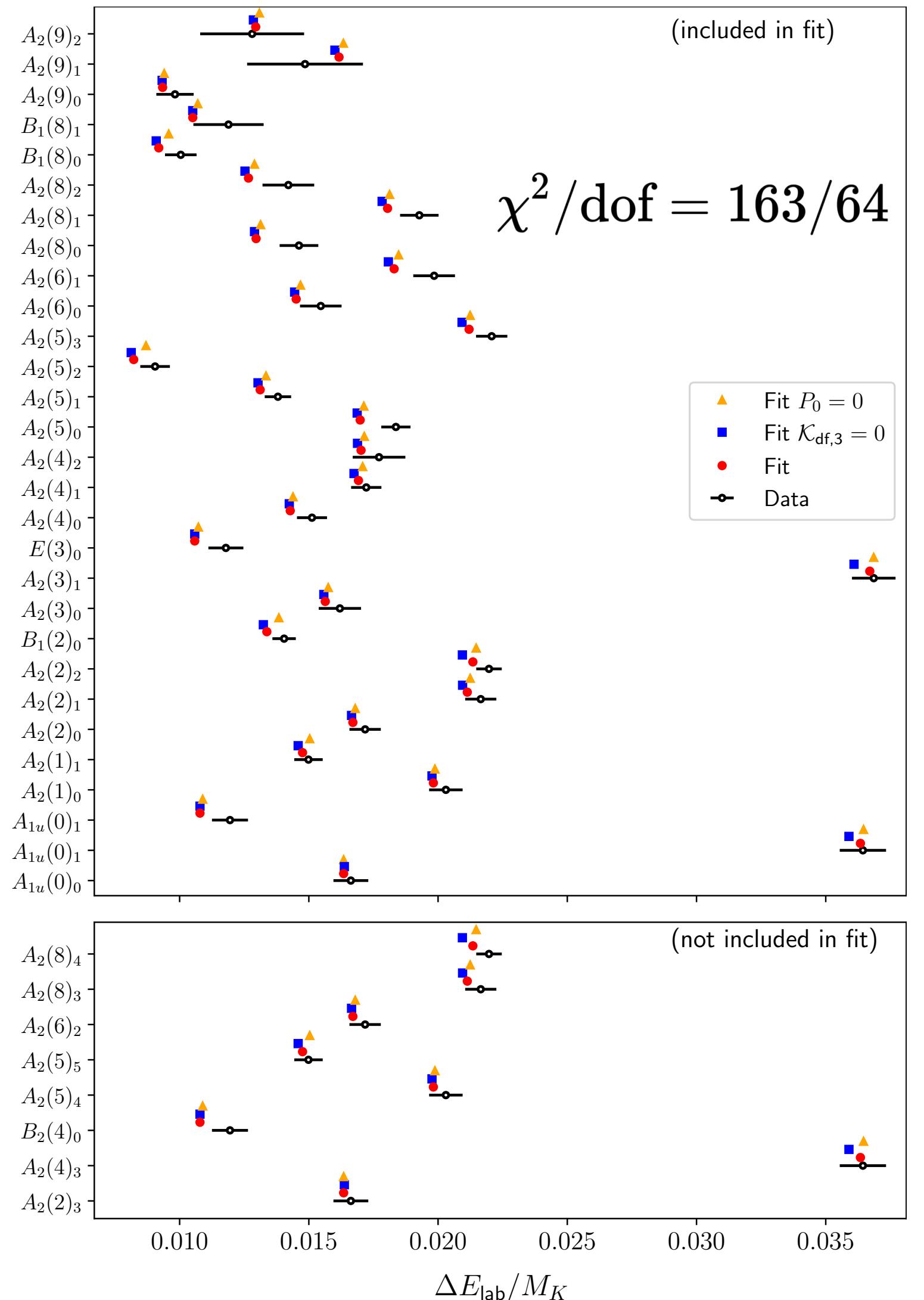
Lattice QCD spectrum

$\pi\pi K$, N203, $a \simeq 0.063$ fm

$M_\pi = 340$ MeV, $M_K = 440$ MeV

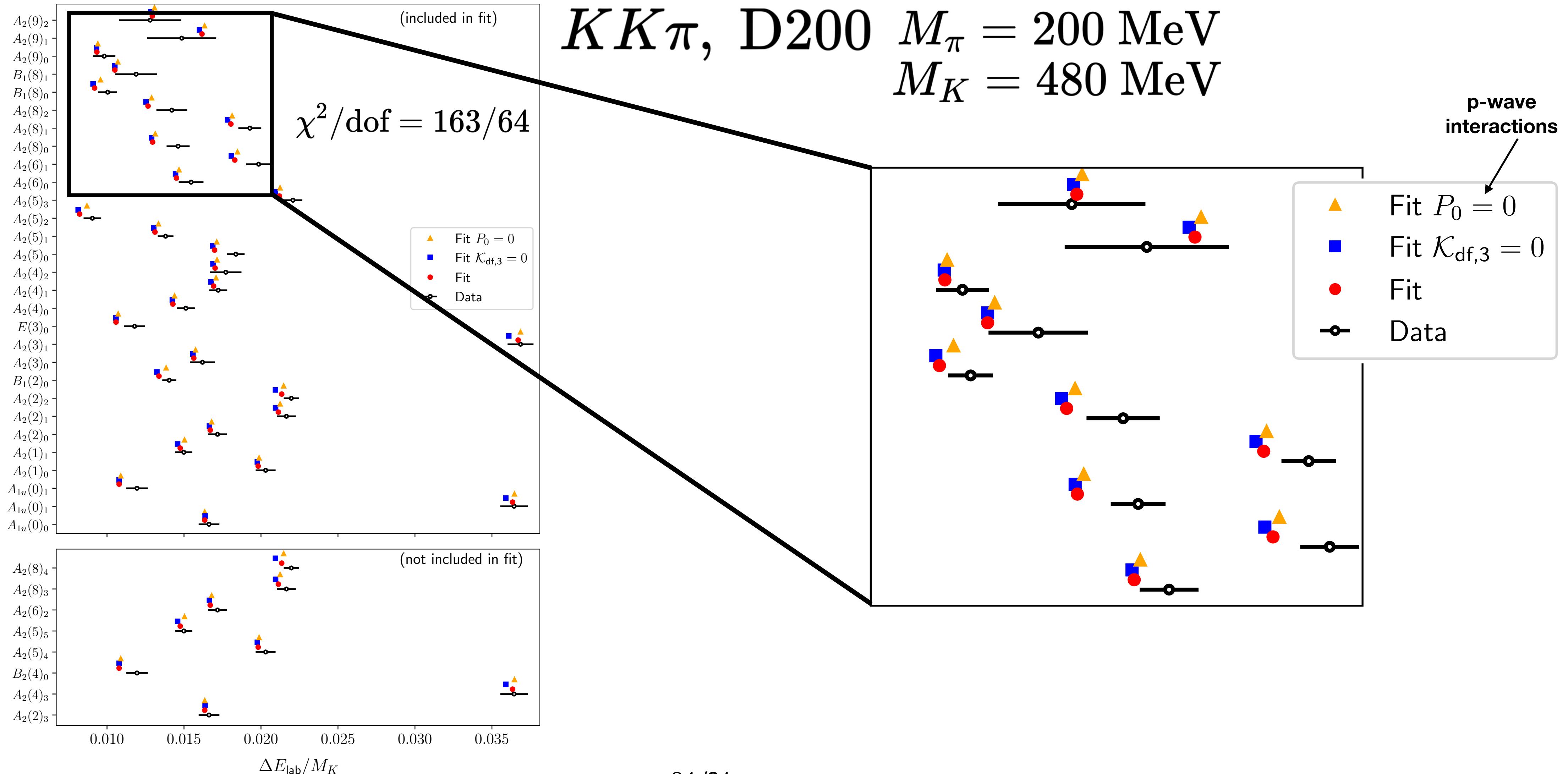


Visualization of fits



$KK\pi$, D200 $M_\pi = 200 \text{ MeV}$
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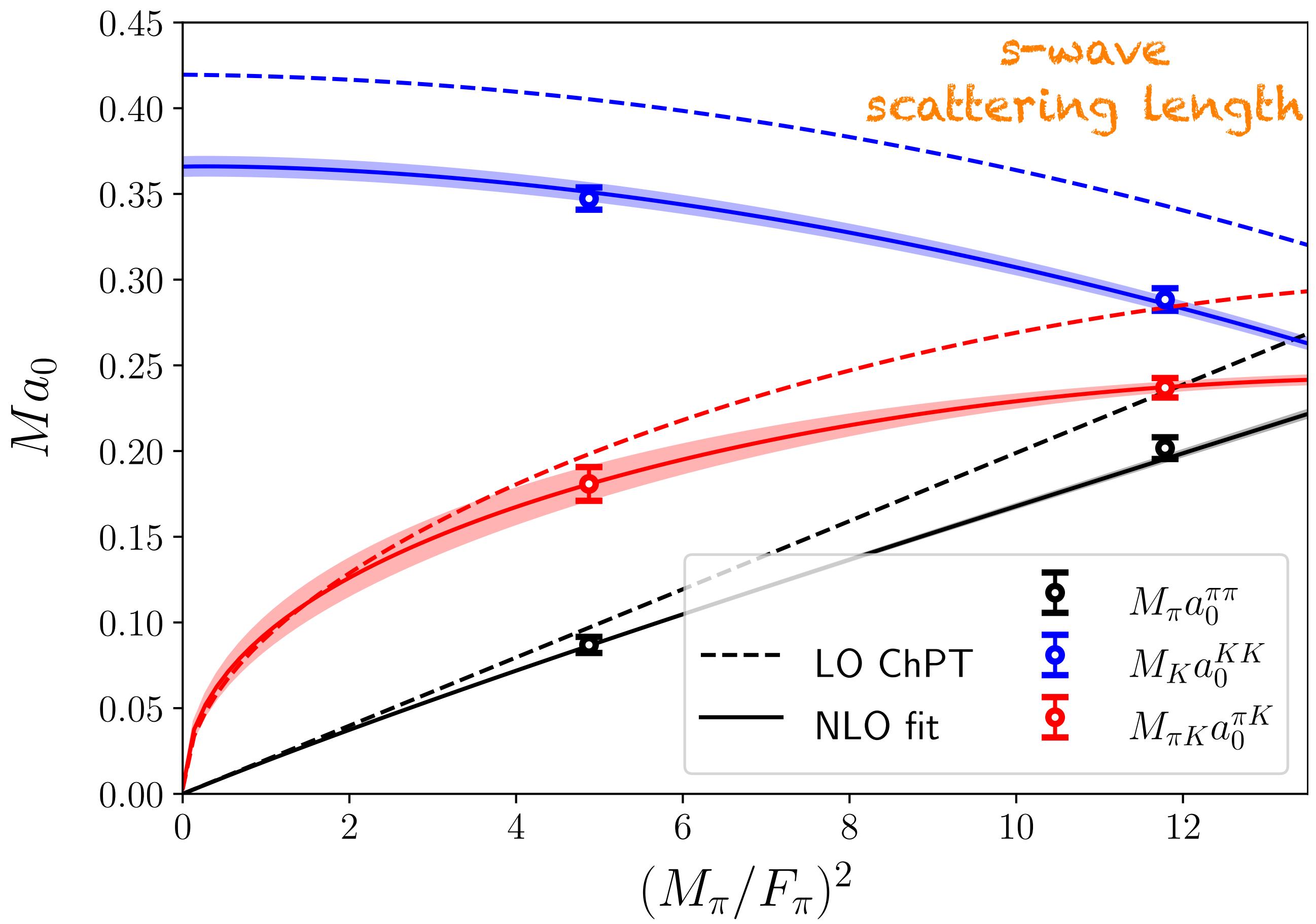
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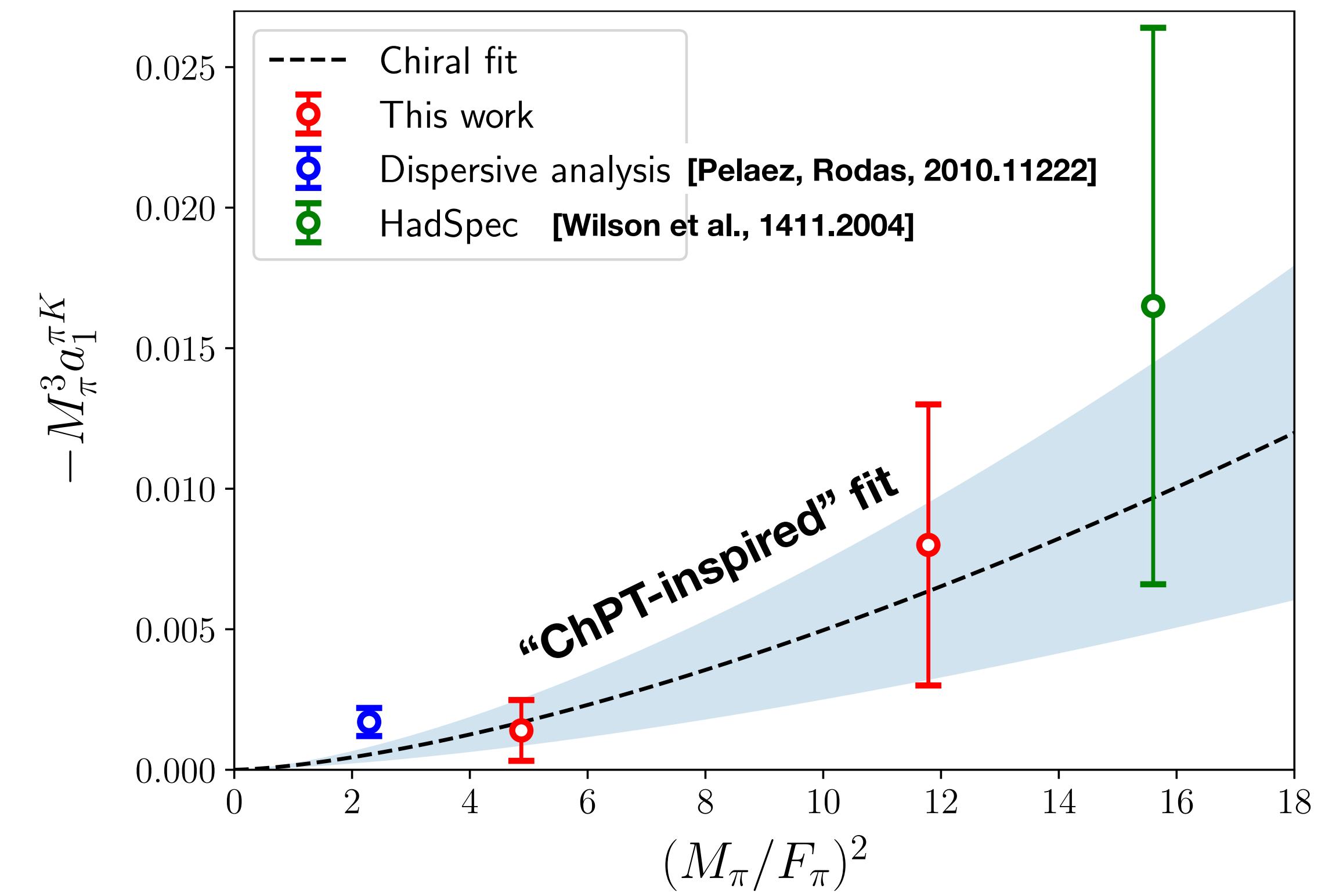
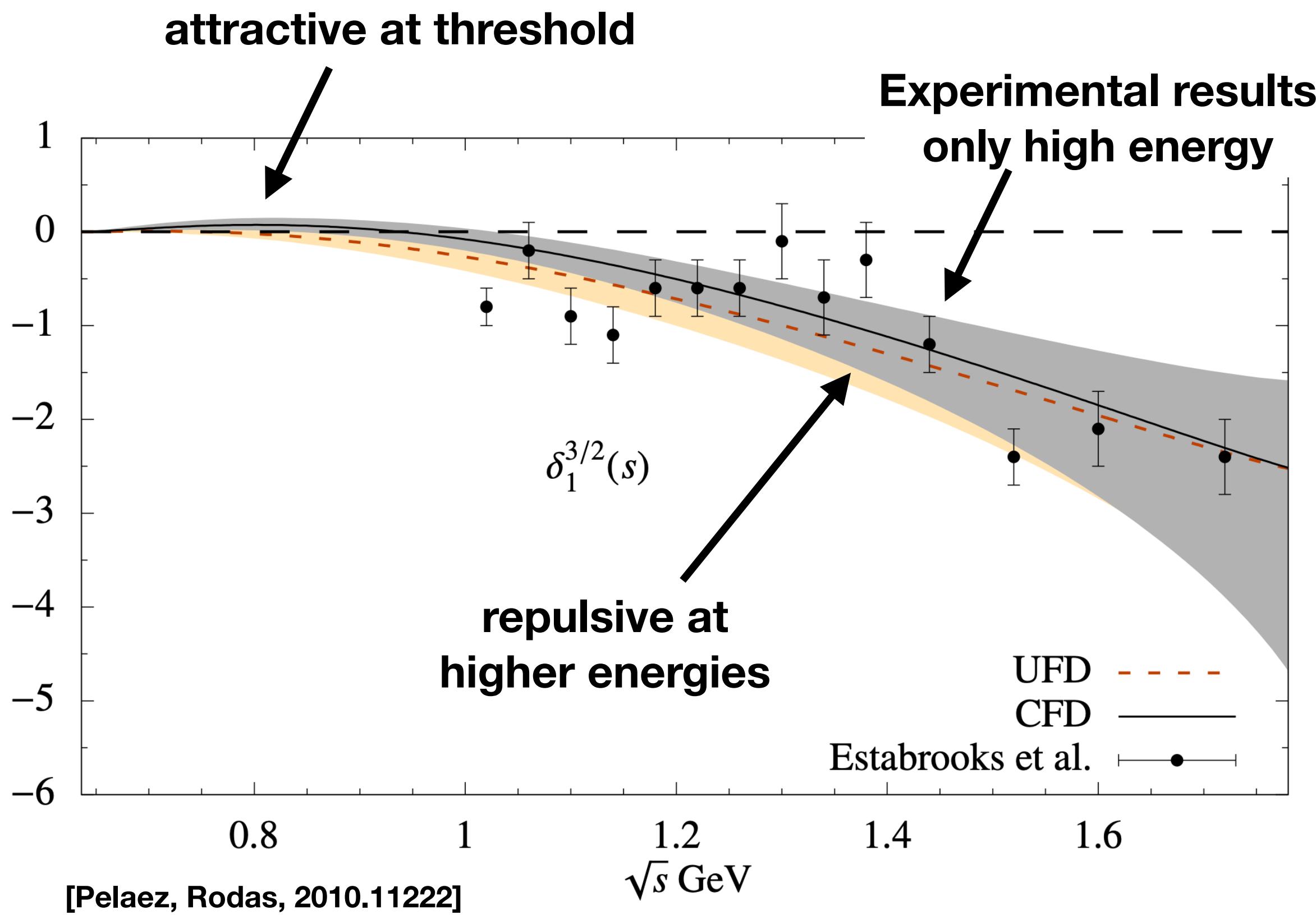
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p-wave πK scattering

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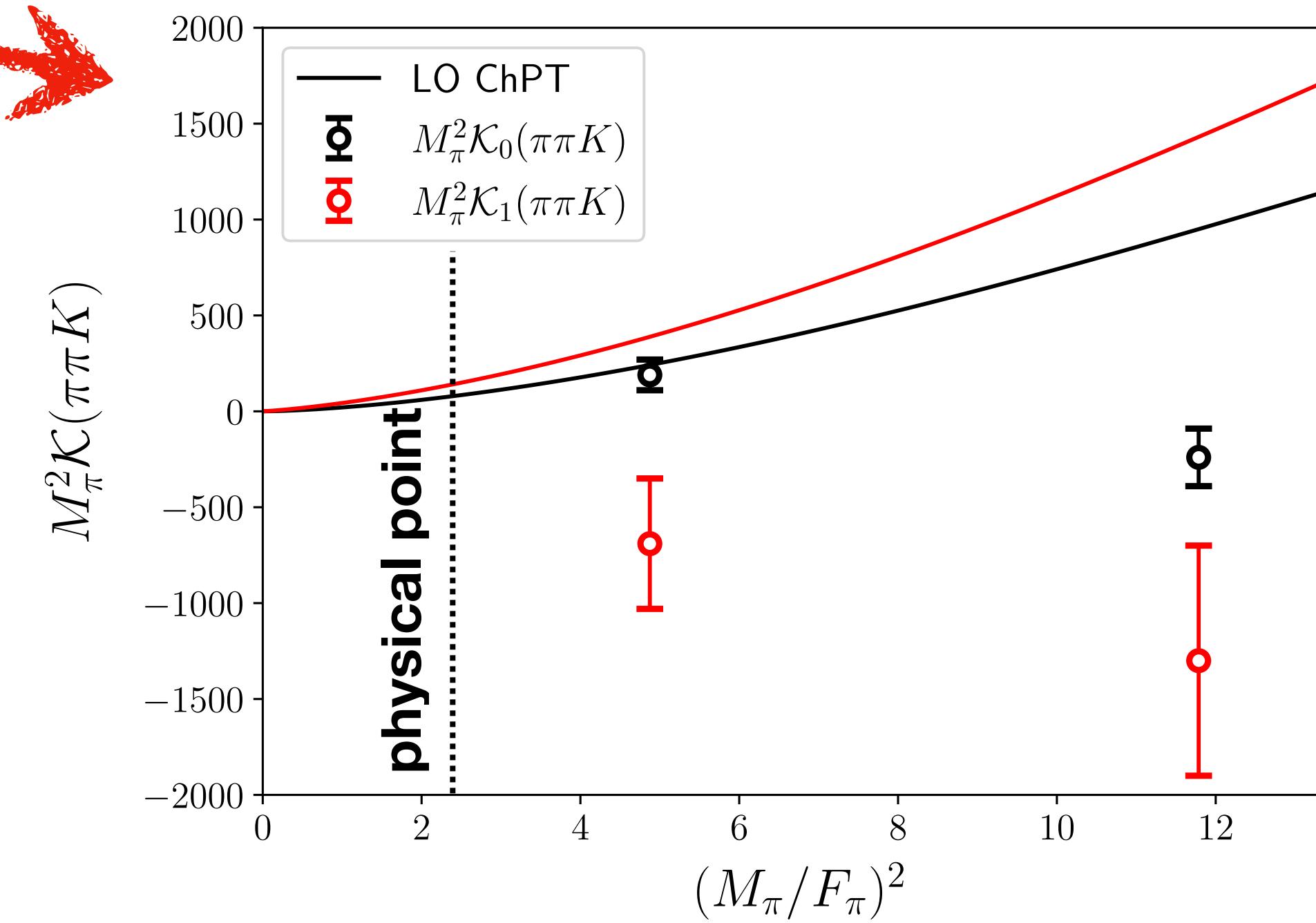
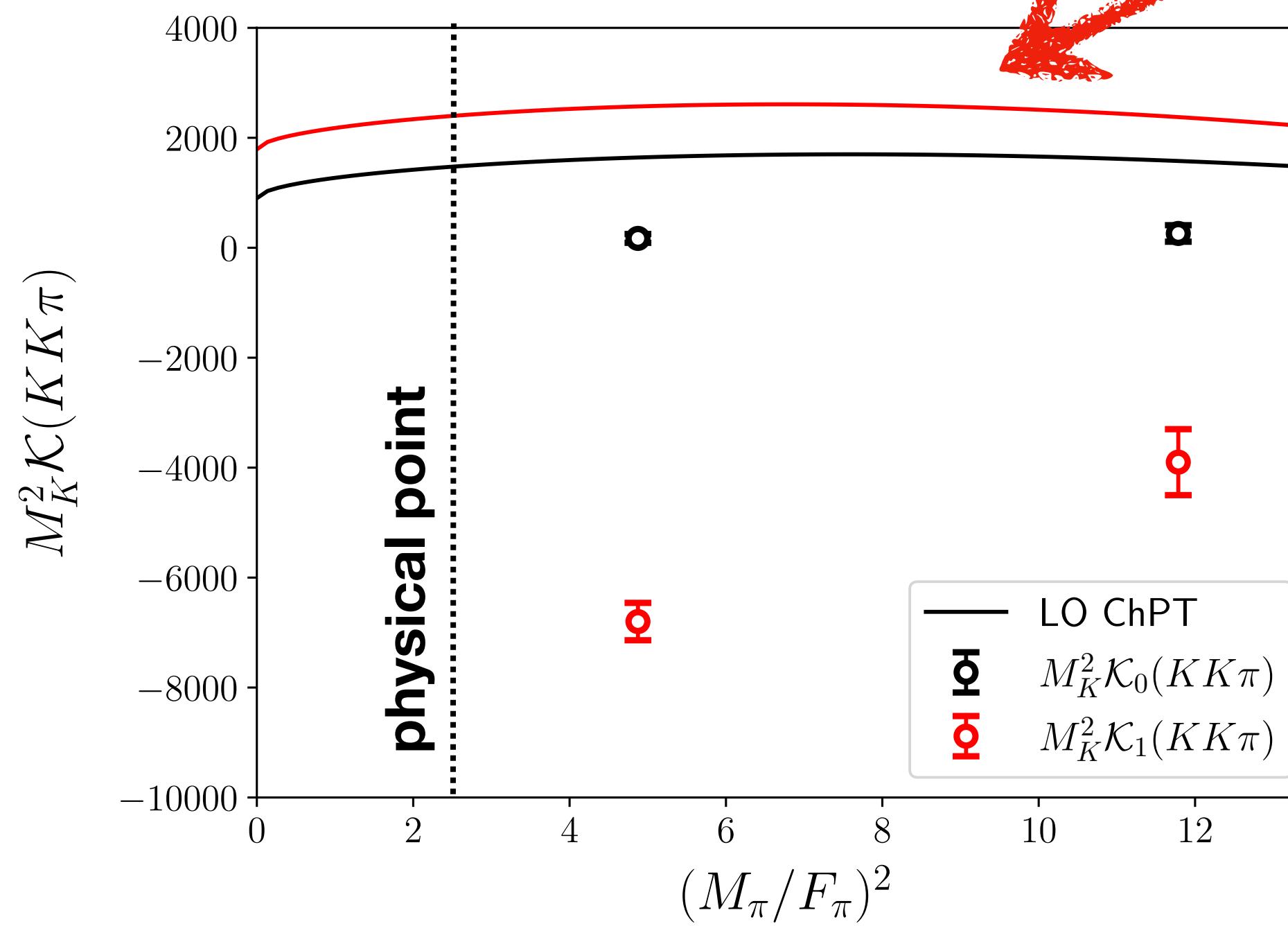


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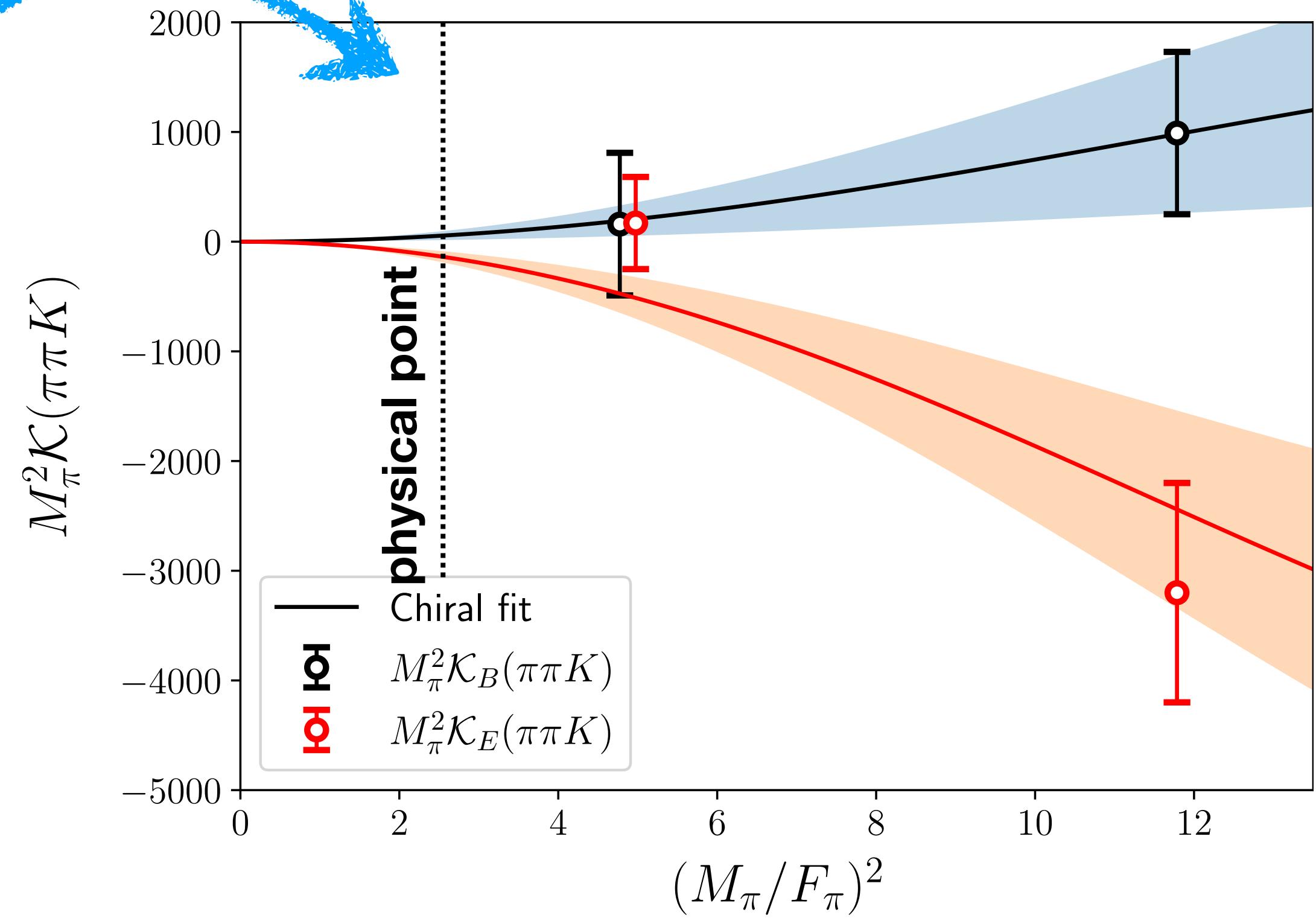
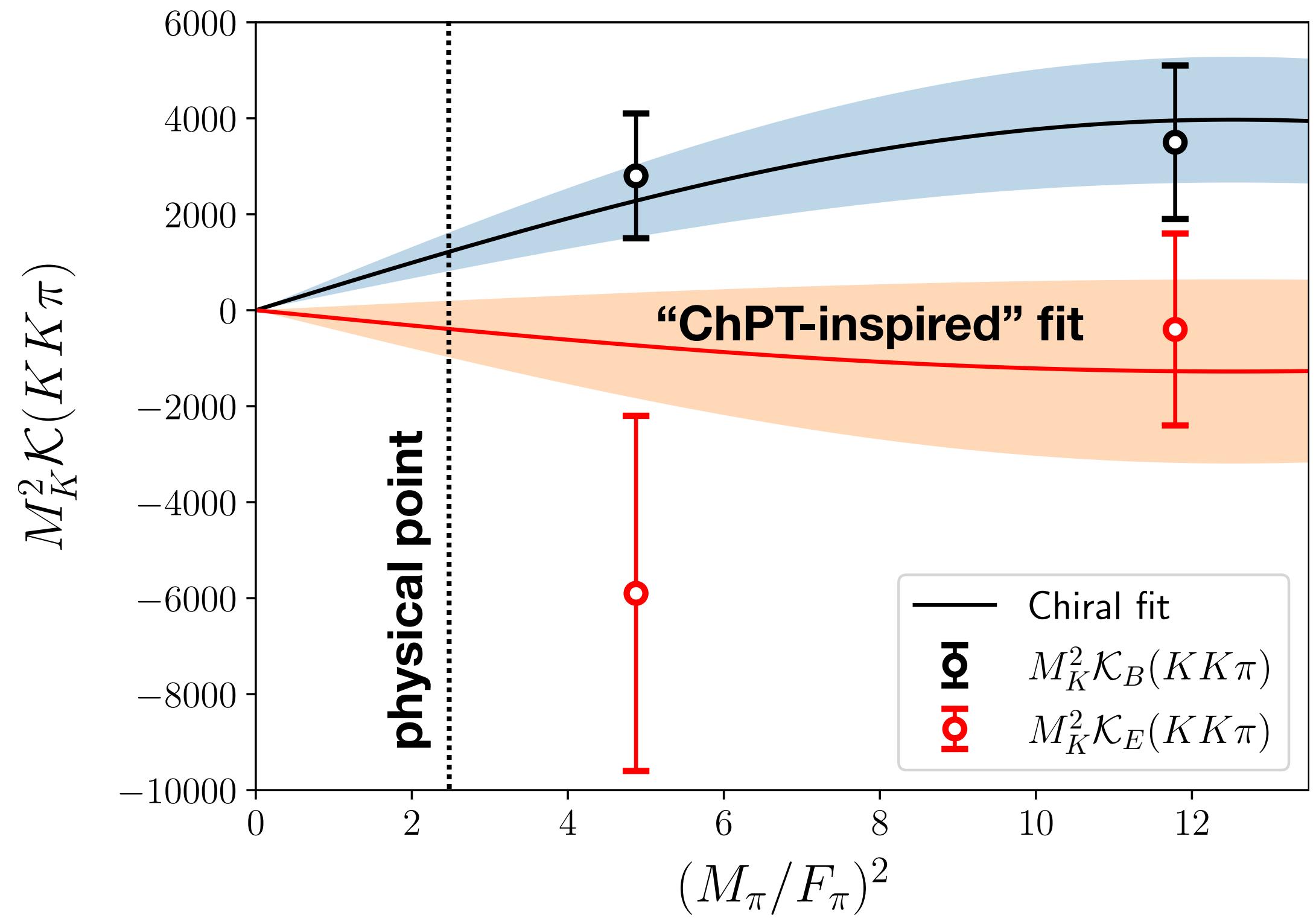
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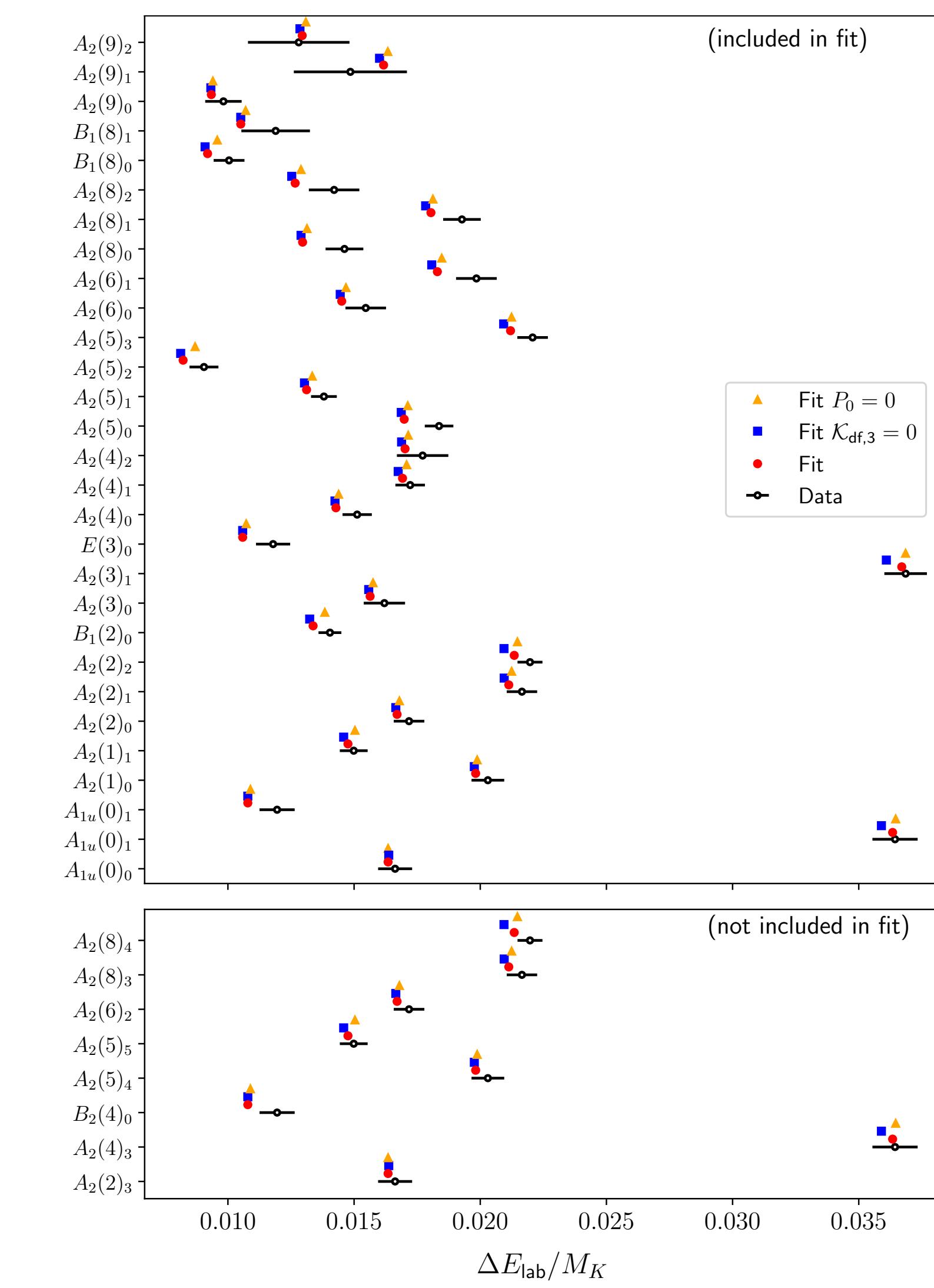
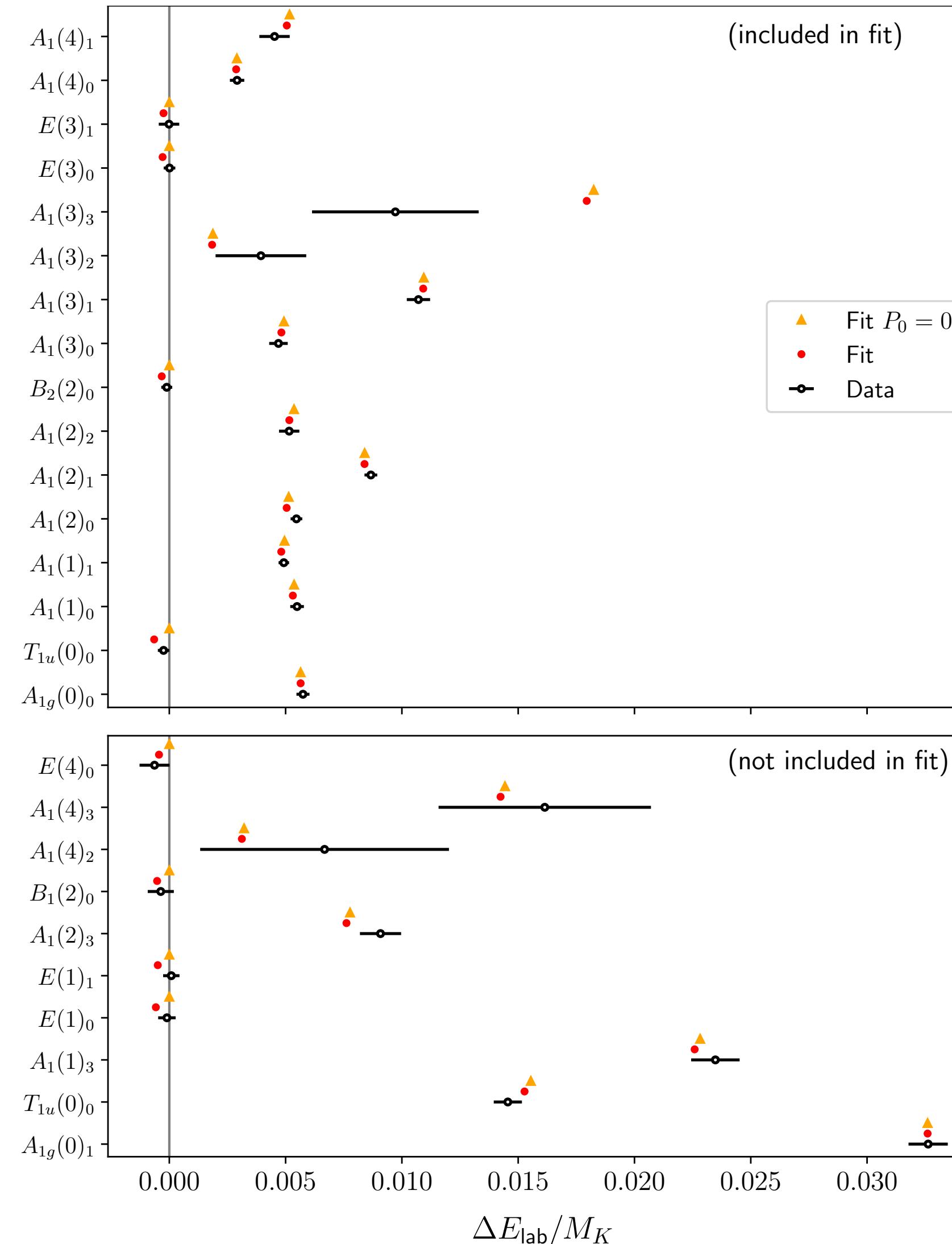
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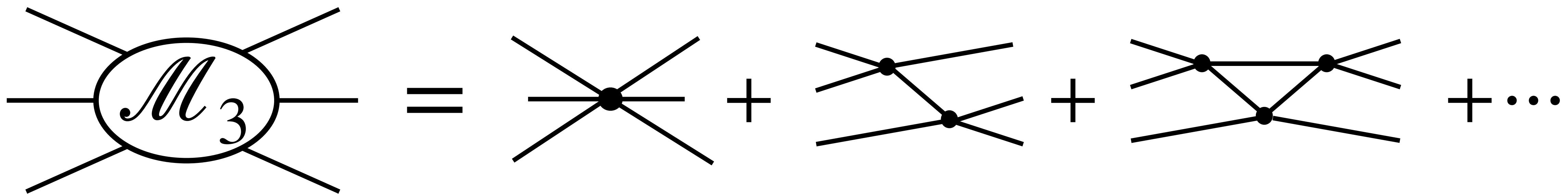
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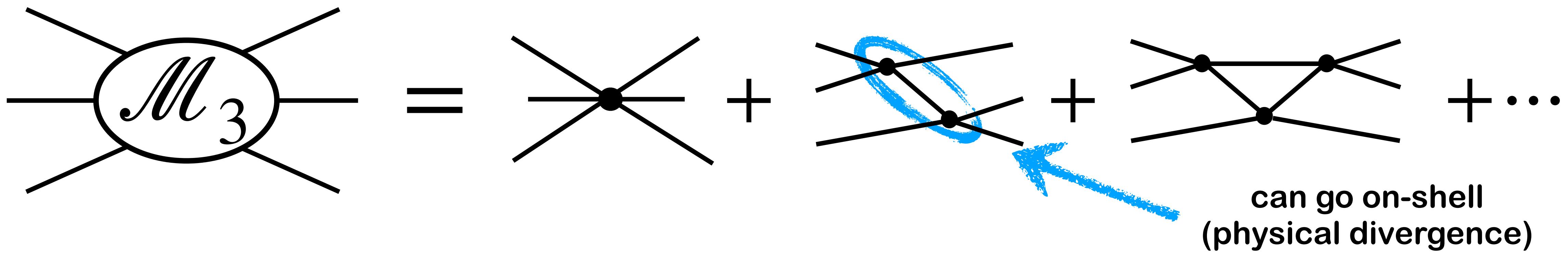
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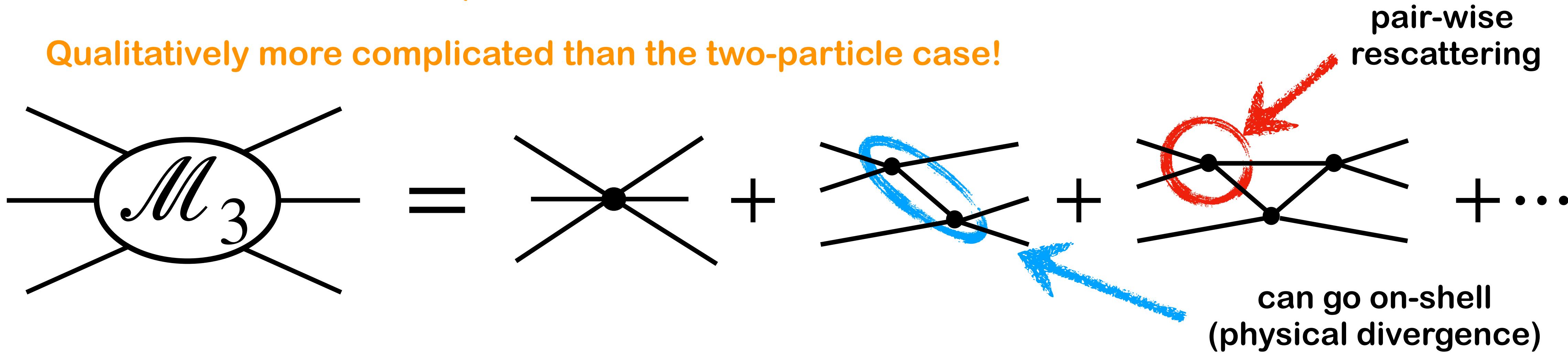
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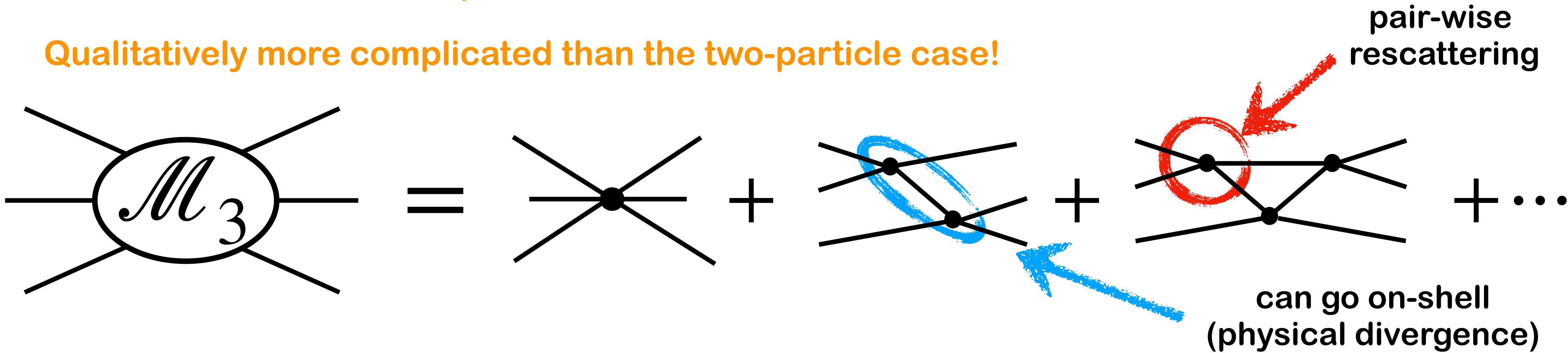
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[Talks by J. Baeza-Ballesteros, M. Hansen, S. Sharpe]
 - Non-Relativistic EFT (NREFT) [Hammer, Pang, Rusetsky, JHEP 2017] x 2
[Talk by F. Müller]
 - Finite-Volume Unitarity (FVU) [Mai, Döring, EPJA 2017]
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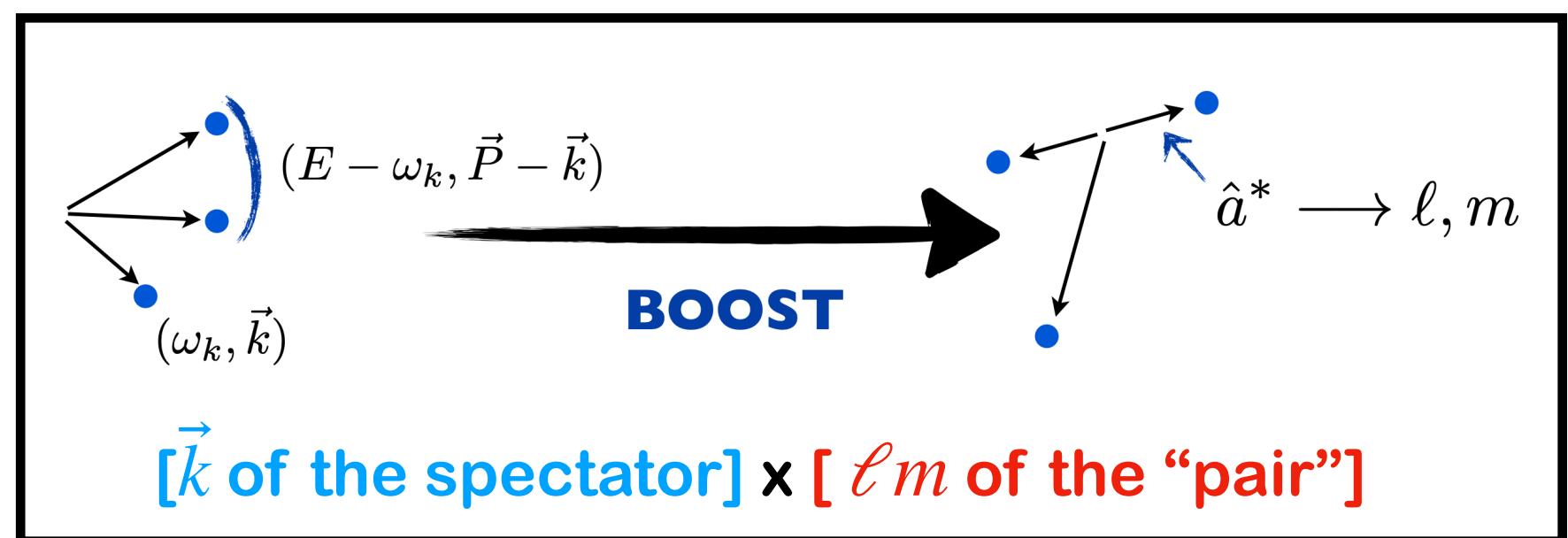
Equivalence has been established
[Jackura et al. PRD 2019], [Blanton, Sharpe, PRD 2020],
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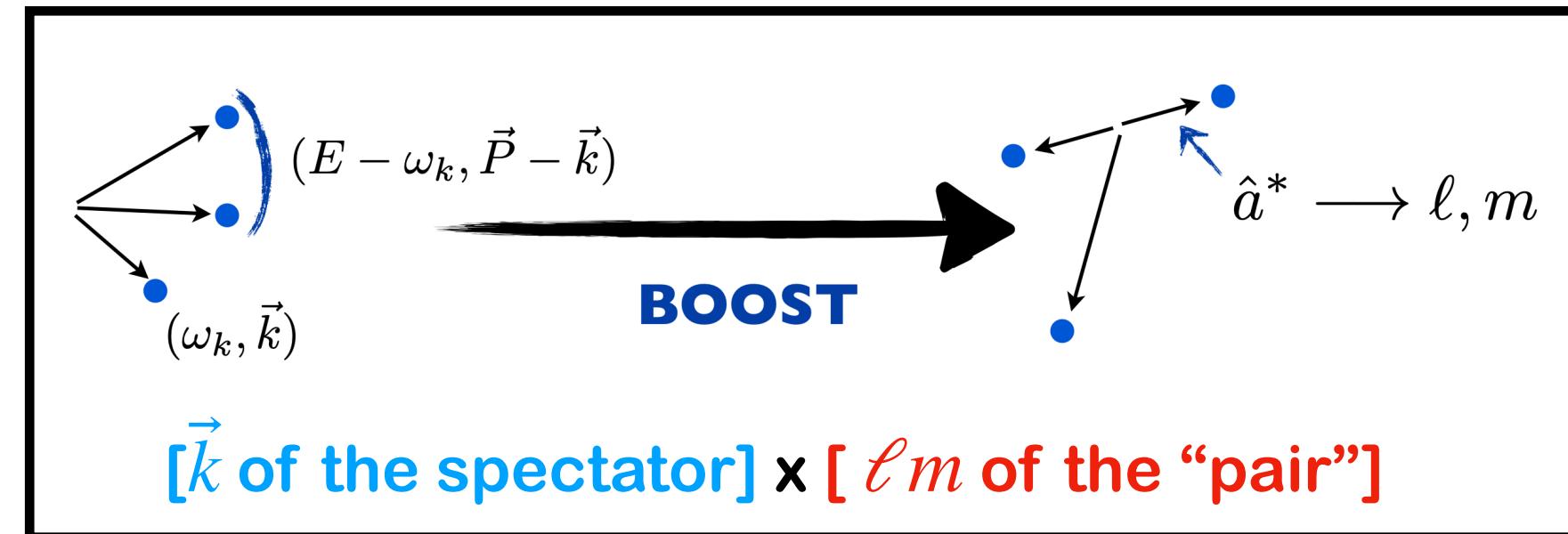
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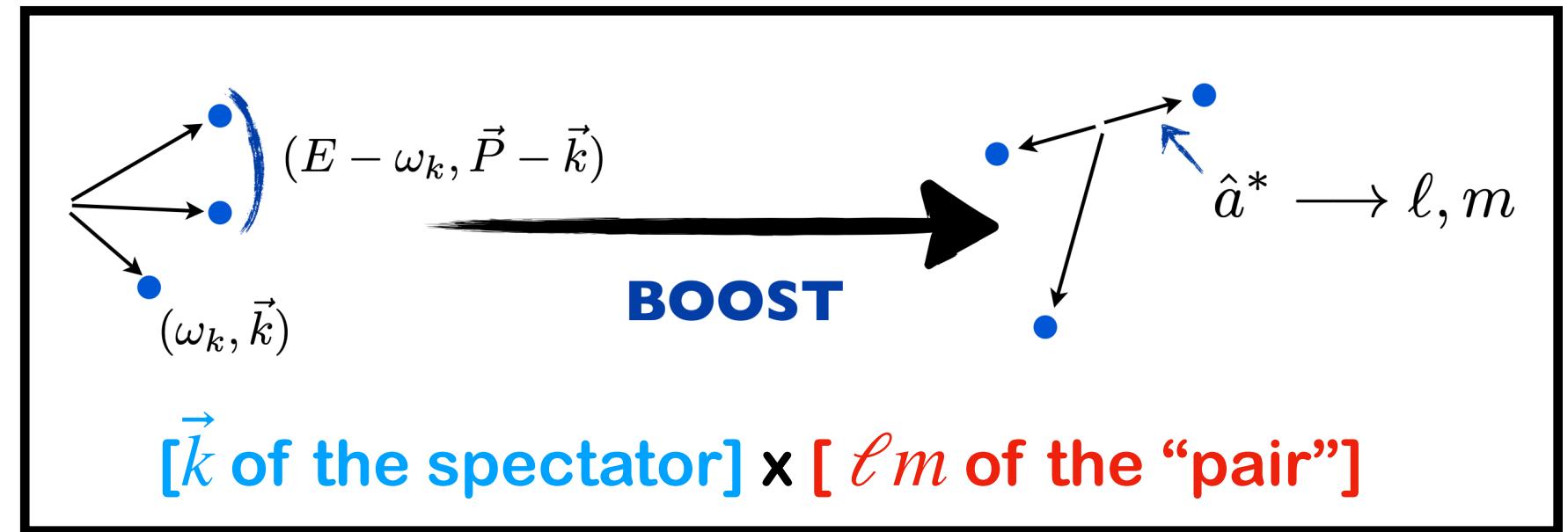


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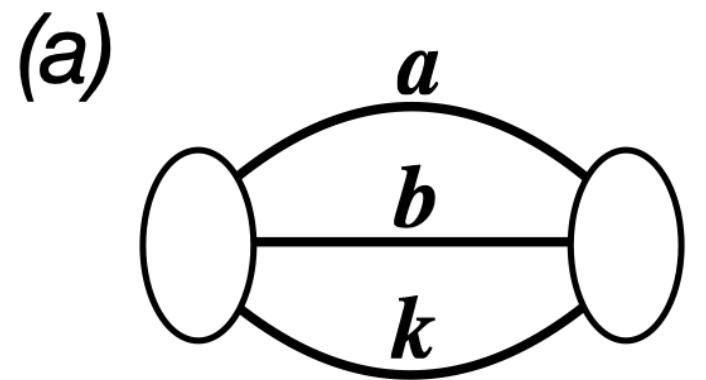
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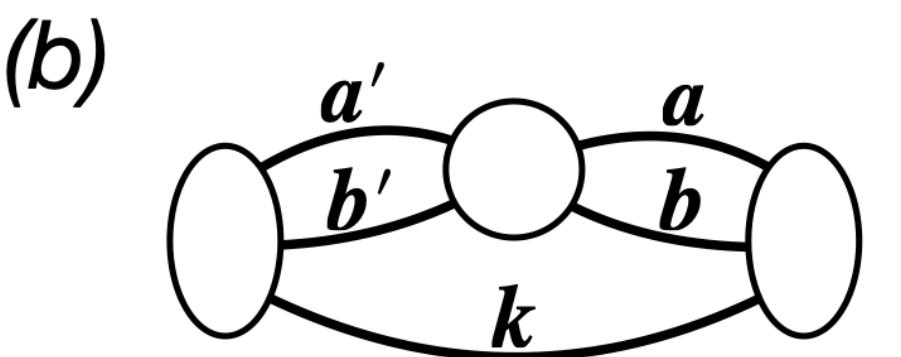
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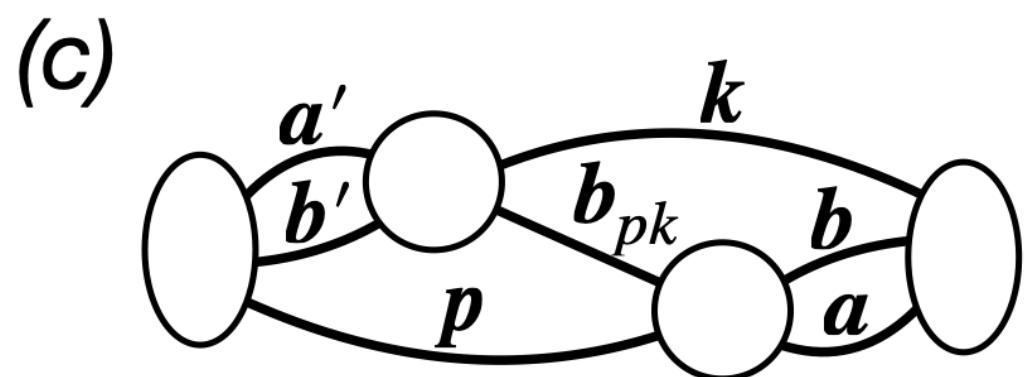
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$$F_{00}(q^2) \sim \left[\frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\vec{k}} - \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} \right] \frac{1}{k^2 - q^2}$$



\mathcal{K}_2

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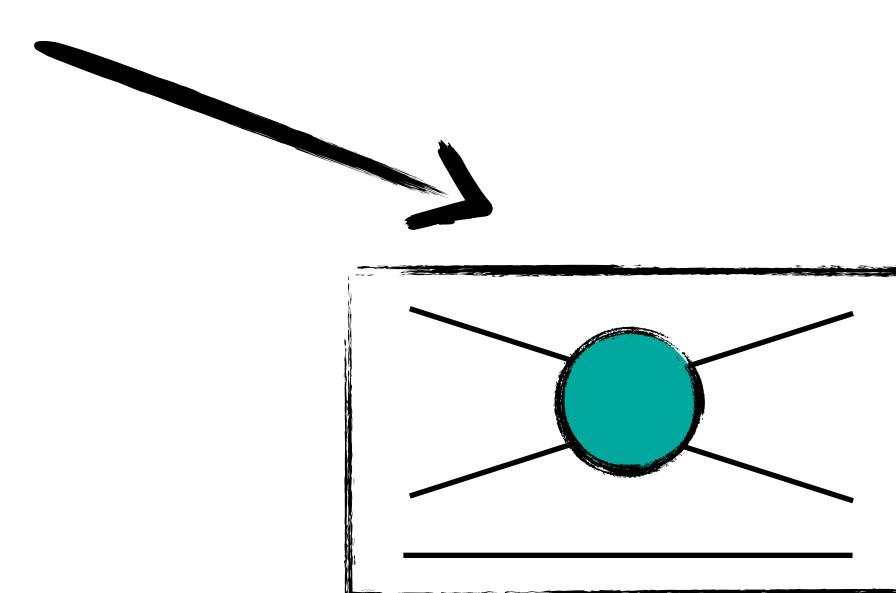
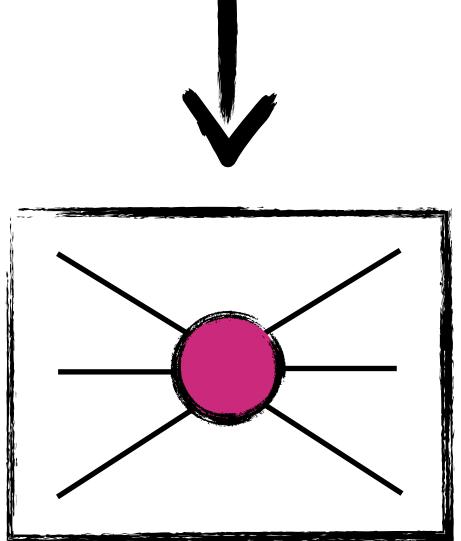
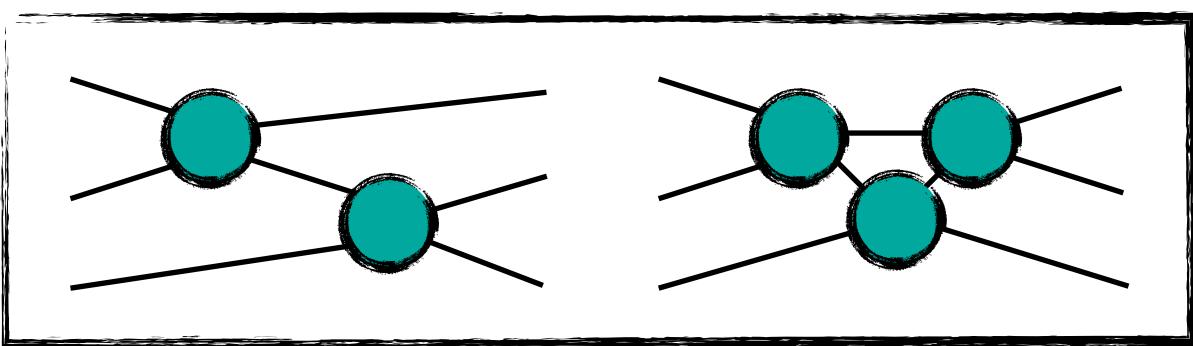
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$$G_{p00;k00} \equiv \frac{1}{L^3} \frac{1}{2\omega_p} \frac{H(\vec{p})H(\vec{k})}{b_{pk}^2 - m^2} \frac{1}{2\omega_k}$$

Integral equations

- Construct a “finite-volume amplitude” with spectator singled out

$$\mathcal{M}_{3,L}^{(u,u)}(P) \equiv \mathcal{D}^{(u,u)} + \mathcal{L}_L^{(u)} \frac{1}{1 + \mathcal{K}_{\text{df},3} F_3} \mathcal{K}_{\text{df},3} \mathcal{R}_L^{(u)}$$



- Symmetrize (each particle gets a turn to be the spectator)

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- Infinite-volume limit

$$\mathcal{M}_3(E, P) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} \mathcal{M}_{3,L}(E + i\epsilon, P)$$

Parametrizing $K_{df,3}$

- The three-particle K-matrix has the same symmetries as the scattering amplitude
- For identical particles:
 - ▶ Particle exchange symmetry: $\mathcal{K}_{df,3}(\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2, p_3; k_i) = \mathcal{K}_{df,3}(\mathbf{p}_2, \mathbf{p}_1, p_3; k_i) = \dots$
 - ▶ Time reversal: $\mathcal{K}_{df,3}(p_i, k_i) = \mathcal{K}_{df,3}(k_i, p_i)$
- For there-pions with definite isospin, need to consider flavor indices. Example:
 - ▶ I=0 flavor wave function is fully antisymmetric
 $|3\pi, I=0\rangle \sim |+0-\rangle - |0+-\rangle + |0-+\rangle + |-0+\rangle - |+-0\rangle + |-+0\rangle$
 - ▶ Therefore, the K-matrix must also be antisymmetric
 - ▶ Minimal parametrization for resonances:

$$t_{ij} \equiv (p_i - k_j)^2$$

\downarrow

$$\mathbf{K}_{df,3}^{[I=0]} \supset \mathcal{K}_{df,3}^{\text{AS}} \sum_{ijk} \epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{mnr} t_{im} t_{jn}$$

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$$\mathbf{K}_{df,3}^{[I=0, \omega(780)]} = \frac{c_X V_\alpha V'^\alpha}{s - M_\omega^2}$$

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$$V^\alpha = P_\mu \sum_{ijk} \epsilon_{ijk} p_j^\mu p_k^\alpha$$

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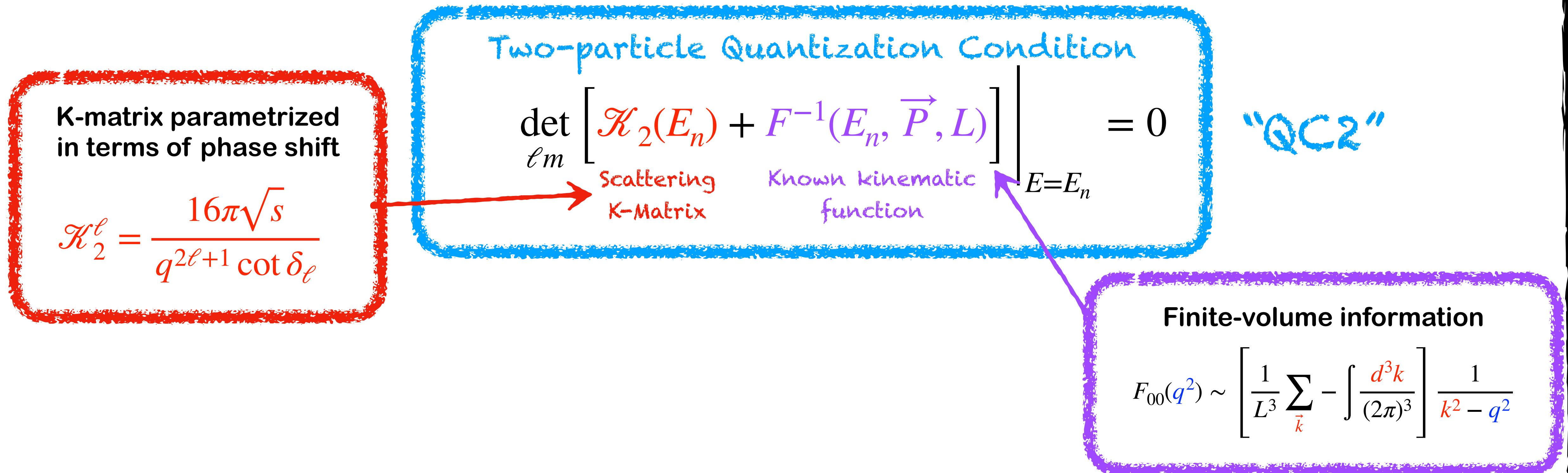
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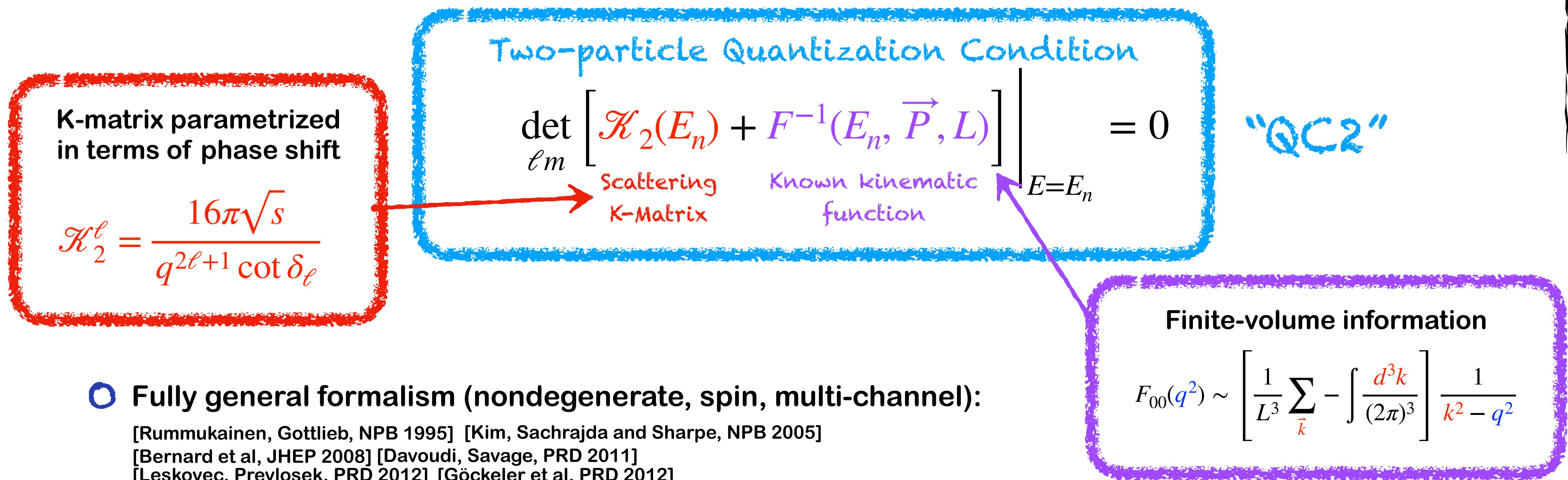
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► See also the HALQCD method: