

Pion Form Factor Measurement at BESIII

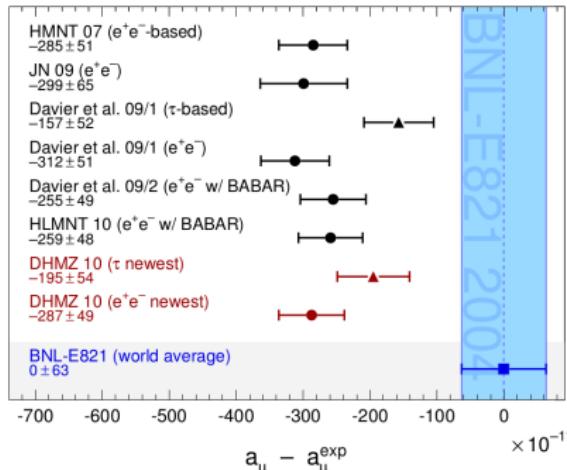
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Motivation: Why Form Factor Measurements at BESIII?

- Muon anomalous magnetic moment $a_\mu = (g_\mu - 2)/2$
- Experimental measurement at BNL:
 $a_\mu^{\text{exp}} = 116592080(54)(33) \times 10^{-11}$
- Theoretical calculation:
 $a_\mu^{\text{theo}} = 116591802(42)(26) \times 10^{-11}$
- Theory and experiment not in agreement:
 $a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{theo}} = (287 \pm 80) \times 10^{-11} \Rightarrow 3.6\sigma$ deviation



Theoretical calculation of a_μ

$$a_\mu^{theo} = a_\mu^{\text{QED}} + a_\mu^{\text{weak}} + a_\mu^{\text{QCD}}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{QED}} = (116584718.104 \pm 0.148) \times 10^{-11}$$

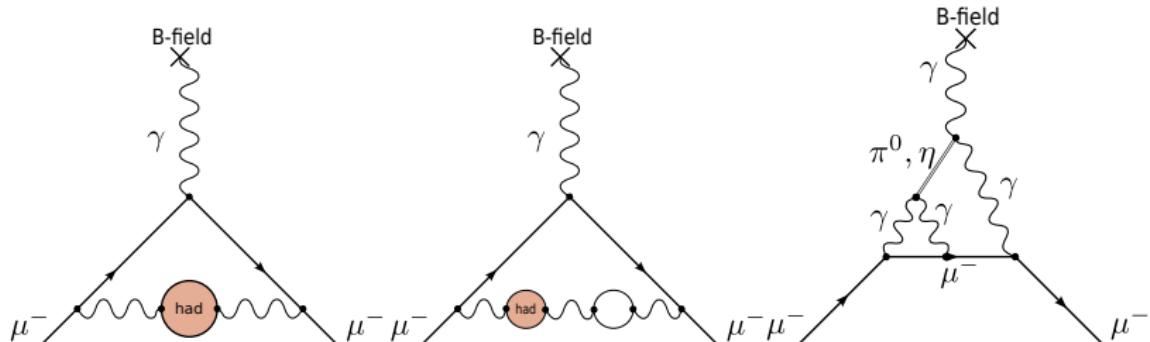
$$a_\mu^{\text{weak}} = (153.2 \pm 1.0 \pm 1.5) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{QCD}} = a_\mu^{\text{LbL}} + a_\mu^{\text{VP,LO}} + a_\mu^{\text{VP,HO}}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{VP,LO}} = (6949.1 \pm 42.7) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{VP,HO}} = (-97.9 \pm 0.9) \times 10^{-11}$$

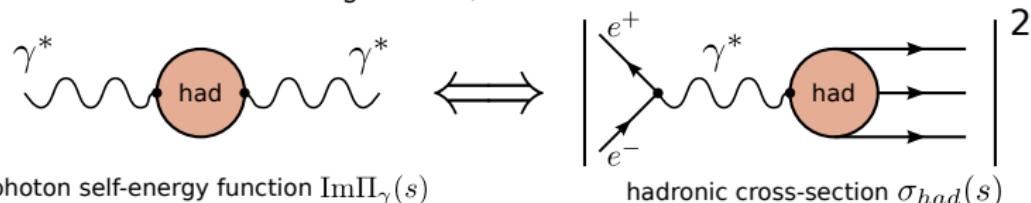
$$a_\mu^{\text{LbL}} = (105 \pm 26) \times 10^{-11} \quad (\text{Glasgow consensus})$$



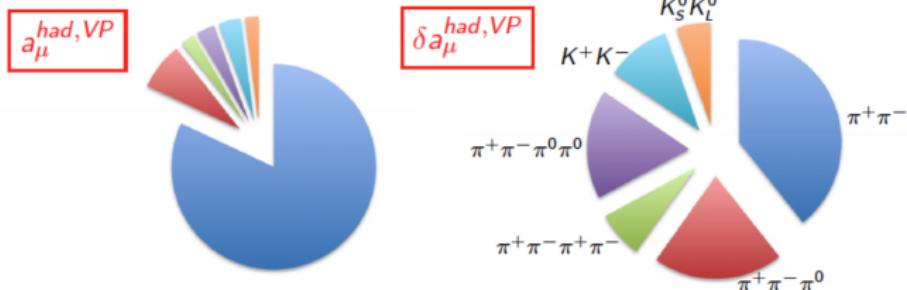
The Vacuum Polarisation Contribution to a_μ^{QCD}

- Loop can not be calculated for low momentum hadrons
- Optical theorem connects VP amplitude with hadronic cross sections:

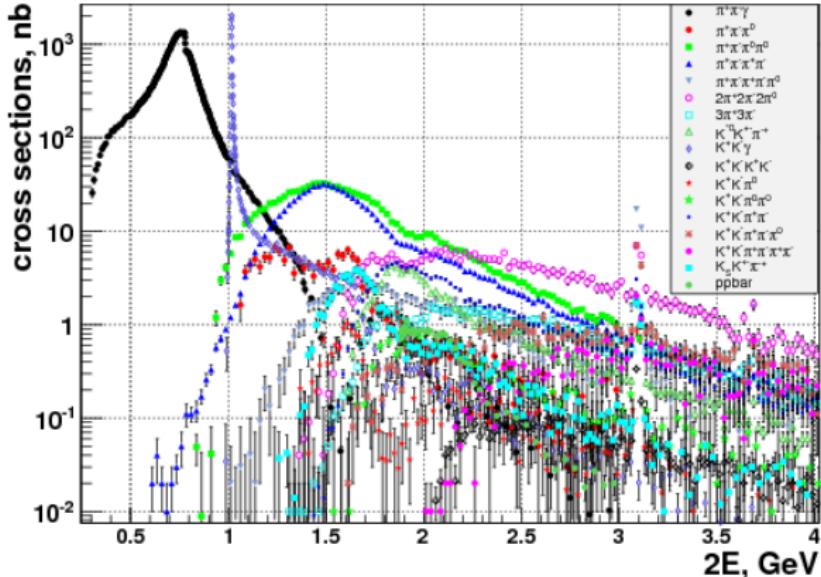
$$\sigma(s)_{e^+ e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}} = \frac{4\pi\alpha}{s} \text{Im } \Pi_\gamma(s)$$



- $a_\mu^{\text{VP,LO}} = \frac{1}{4\pi^3} \int_0^\infty ds K(s) \sigma_{e^+ e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}}(s)$
- Hadronic contributions to a_μ^{QCD} :



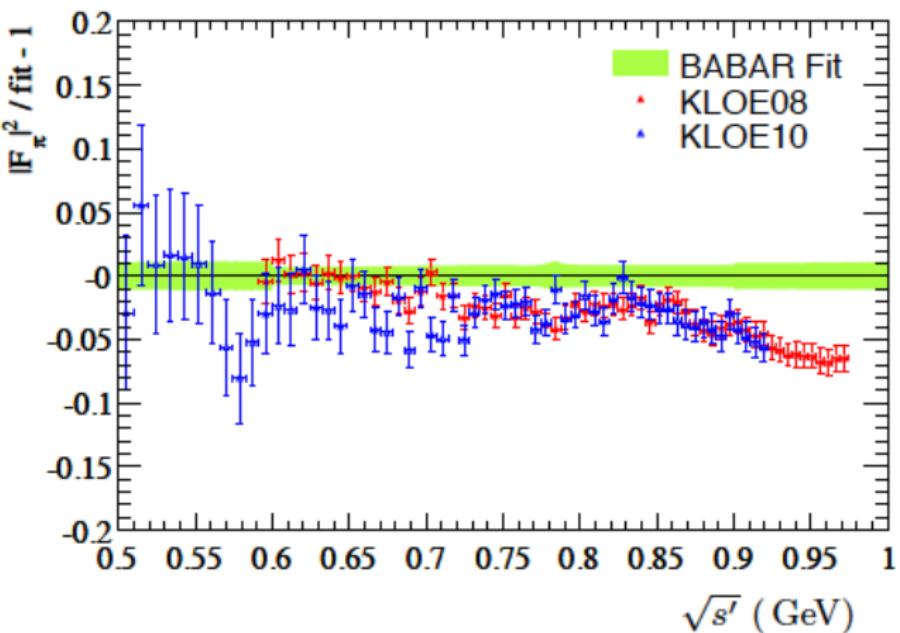
Hadronic Final States contributing to $a_\mu^{\text{VP,LO}}$



D. Bernard [BaBar Collaboration], PoS Hadron 2013, 126 (2013) [arXiv:1402.0618 [hep-ex]].

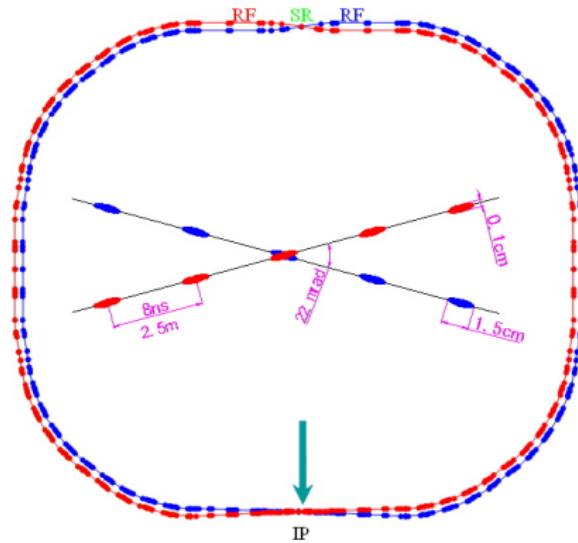
- Most important channels: $\pi^+\pi^-$, KK , $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$, $\pi^+\pi^-2\pi^0$
- Largest contribution to uncertainty: $\pi^+\pi^-$, $\pi^+\pi^-2\pi^0$, KK

$\pi^+\pi^-$ at Babar and Kloe



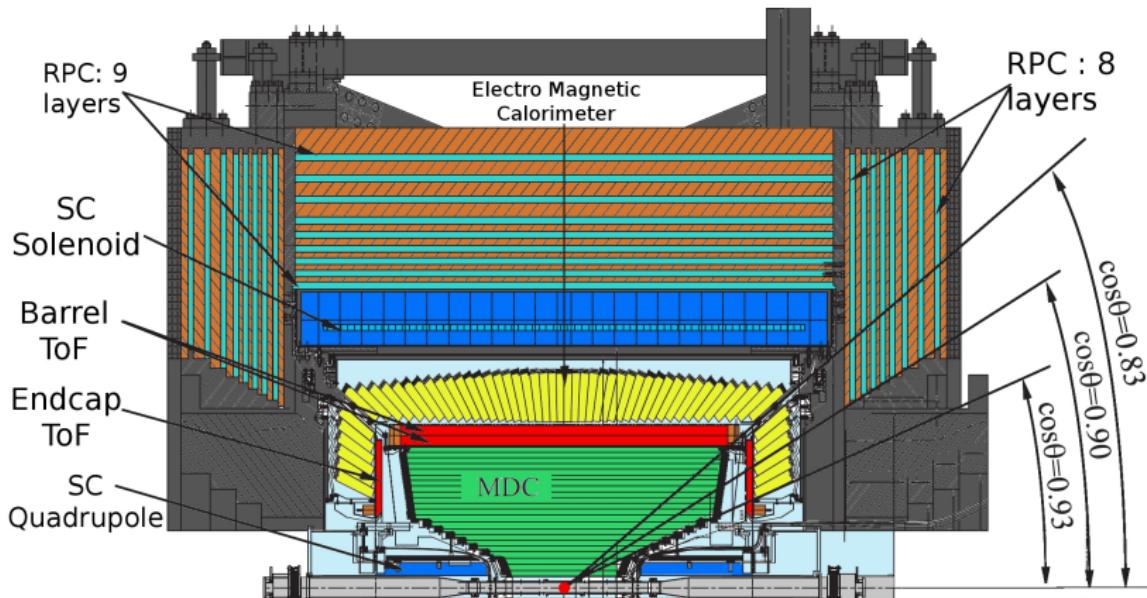
M. Davier, A. Hoecker, B. Malaescu and Z. Zhang, Eur. Phys. J. C 71 1515 (2011)

- Babar and Kloe each claim sub-percent precision
- Measurements do not agree with each other
- Another high precision measurement needed \Rightarrow BESIII



- τ -charm factory
- Energy range: 2 - 4.6 GeV
- Design luminosity: $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}s^{-1}$ (at 3.77 GeV)
- Linac + double storage ring

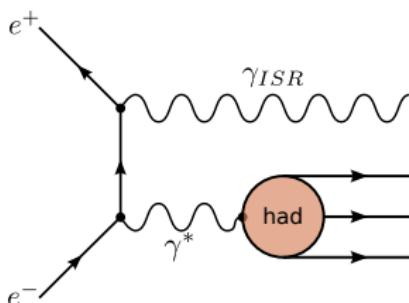
BESIII Detector



- Multilayer Drift Chamber (MDC)
- Time of Flight system (ToF)
- Electromagnetic Calorimeter (EMC)
- Super Conducting magnet 1 Tesla (SC)
- Resistive Plate Chamber (RPC) for muon detection

Initial State Radiation Technique I

- Need $\sigma_{had}(s)$ in the entire energy range where pQCD fails

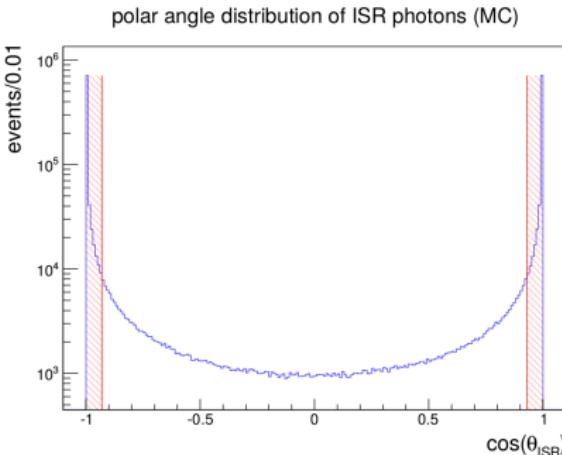


- Initial State Radiation (ISR) reduces the effective CMS-energy of the collision: $m_{had}^2 = E_{CMS}^2 - 2E_{CMS}E_{ISR}$
- Non radiative cross-section can be obtained by

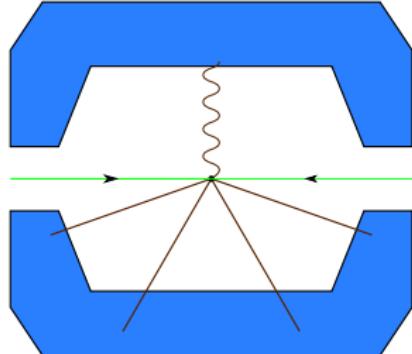
$$\frac{d\sigma(had+\gamma)}{dm_{had}} = \frac{2m_{had}}{s} W(s, E_{ISR}, \theta_{ISR}) \sigma_{had}$$

- Radiator-function $W(s, E_{ISR}, \theta_{ISR})$ gives the amplitude to emit an ISR photon

Initial State Radiation Technique II

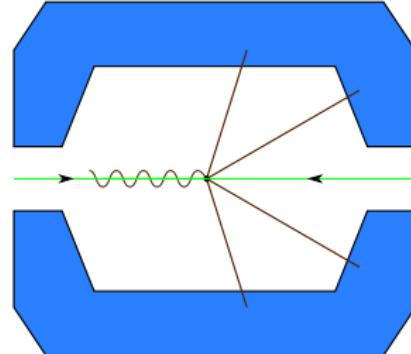


Tagged analysis



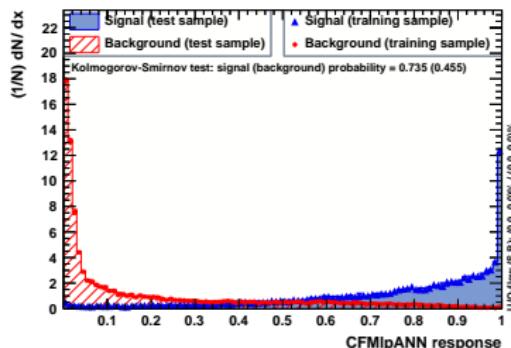
- Emission of ISR photons is suppressed by α/π
- High integrated luminosity needed for precision measurements
- Untagged analysis possible above $\approx 1 \text{ GeV}$

Untagged analysis



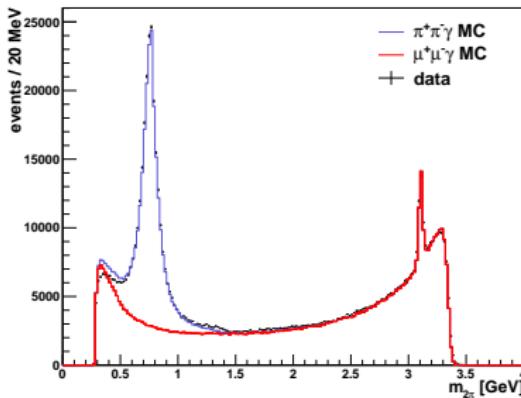
Event Selection and Particle Identification (PID)

TMVA overtraining check for classifier: CFMipANN

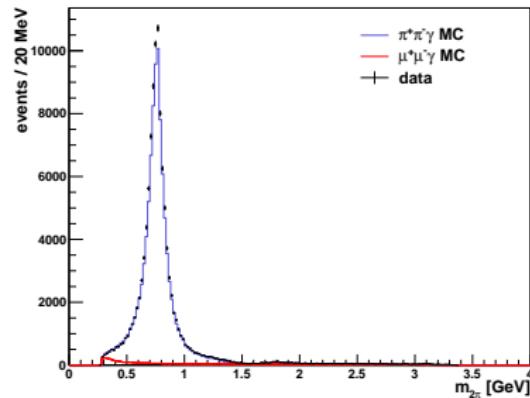


- Kinematic Fit for $\pi^+\pi^-\gamma_{ISR}$ final state
- Standard BESIII PID system for electron rejection
- Artificial Neuronal Network for muon-pion separation

Before ANN



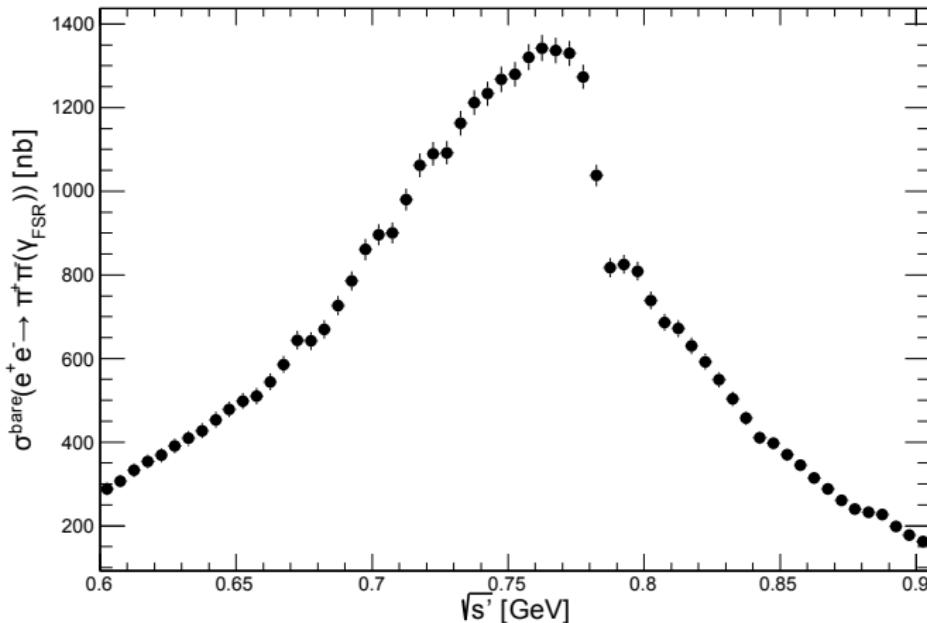
After ANN



Systematic Uncertainties

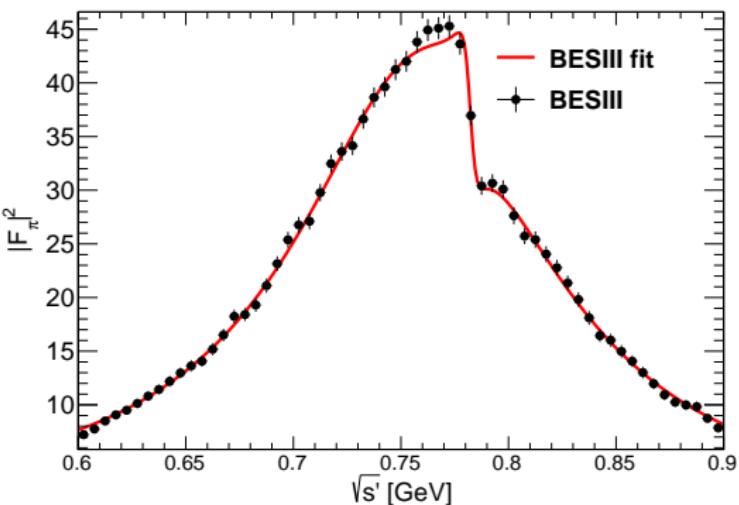
Source	Uncertainty (%)
Photon efficiency correction	0.2
Pion tracking efficiency correction	0.3
Pion ANN efficiency correction	0.2
Pion e-PID efficiency correction	0.2
ANN	negl.
Angular acceptance	0.1
Background subtraction	0.1
Unfolding	0.2
FSR correction δ_{FSR}	0.2
Vacuum polarisation correction δ_{vac}	0.2
Radiator function	0.5
Luminosity \mathcal{L}	0.5
Sum	0.9

$\pi^+\pi^-$ Cross Section



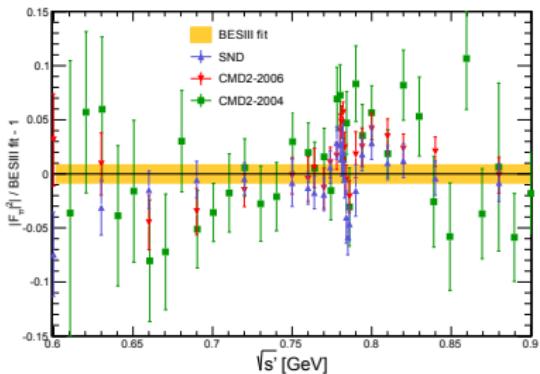
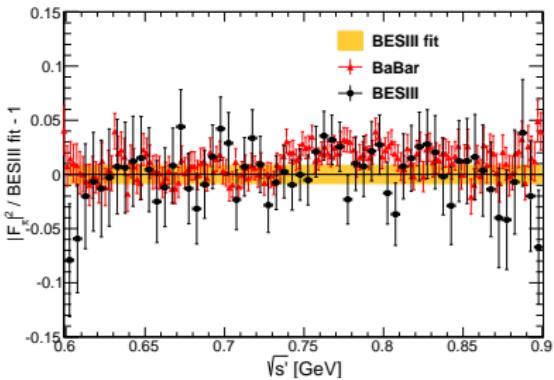
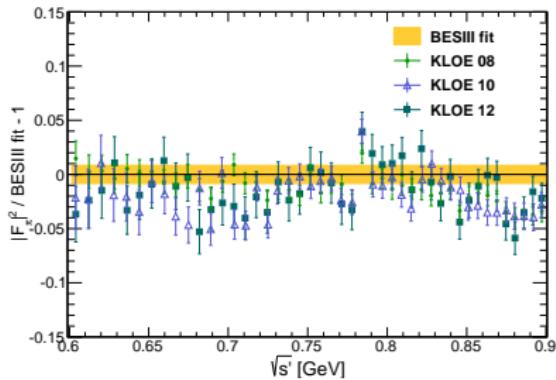
- $\sigma^{\text{bare}}(\sqrt{s'}) = \frac{1}{\frac{2\sqrt{s'}}{s} W(s,x) \epsilon(\sqrt{s'}) \mathcal{L} \delta_{\text{vac}} \delta_{FSR}} \frac{dN}{d\sqrt{s'}}$
- $\rho-\omega$ interference clearly visible

$\pi^+\pi^-$ Form Factor (Gounaris-Sakurai Parametrisation)



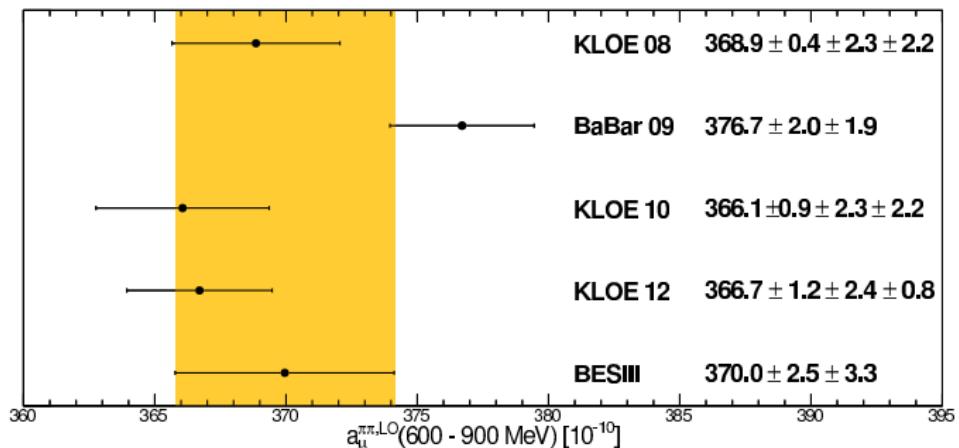
parameter	BESIII value	PDG 2014
$m_\rho [\text{MeV}/c^2]$	774.8 ± 0.4	775.26 ± 0.25
$\Gamma_\rho [\text{MeV}]$	151.1 ± 0.7	147.8 ± 0.9
$m_\omega [\text{MeV}/c^2]$	782.1 ± 0.6	782.65 ± 0.12
$\Gamma_\omega [\text{MeV}]$	fixed to PDG	8.49 ± 0.08
$ c_\rho [10^{-3}]$	1.7 ± 0.2	-
$ \phi_\omega [\text{rad}]$	0.04 ± 0.13	-

Comparison to Other $\pi^+\pi^-$ Measurements



- New BESIII measurement agrees with KLOE and BaBar
- Small shift wrt. BaBar above $\rho\omega$ interference

Final Result: Contribution to $a_{\mu}^{\text{VP,LO}}$



- Precision competitive with previous measurements
- BESIII measurement between BaBar and KLOE
- $a_{\mu}^{\pi\pi,\text{LO}}(600 - 900 \text{ MeV}) = (370.0 \pm 2.5_{\text{stat}} \pm 3.3_{\text{sys}}) \cdot 10^{-10}$
- Confirms deviation of 3.4σ between experiment and theory
- arXiv:1507.08188 and submitted to PLB

- Extend tagged $\pi^+\pi^-$ ISR study to threshold region
- Use Untagged ISR technique for $\pi^+\pi^-$ cross section at higher energies
- Analyse $\pi^+\pi^-$ form factor from R-scan data
(130 points, $\mathcal{L} \approx 1.3\text{fb}^{-1}$)
- Ongoing investigation of $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ and $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$

Dziękuję za uwagę