

# Neutron Electric Dipole Moments

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## Standard model of particle physics with neutrino mass

- Explains all laboratory experiments.
- Is in violent contradiction with cosmology.

The universe:

- Can't be big, empty and homogeneous (“inflation”)
- Can't have much matter (“baryogenesis”)
- Can't clump into clusters of galaxies (“dark matter”)
- Can't be accelerating (“dark energy”)

Observed baryon asymmetry:  $n_B/n_\gamma = 6.1_{-0.2}^{+0.3} \times 10^{-10}$ .

WMAP + COBE 2003

Without CP violation, freezeout ratio:  $n_B/n_\gamma \approx 10^{-20}$ .

Kolb and Turner, *Front. Phys.* **69** (1990) 1.

Either asymmetric initial conditions or baryogenesis!  
Sufficiently asymmetric initial conditions kills inflation.

## Sakharov Conditions

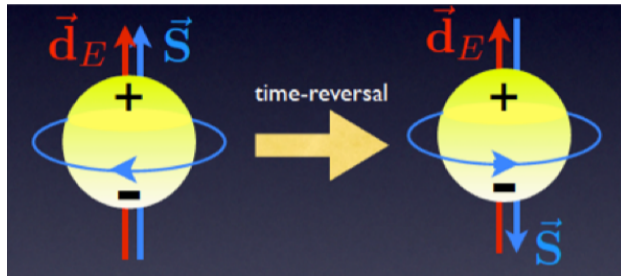
Sakharov, *Pisma Zh. Eksp. Teor. Fiz.* **5** (1967) 32.

- Baryon Number violation
- C and CP ( $\Rightarrow$  T) violation
- Out of equilibrium evolution

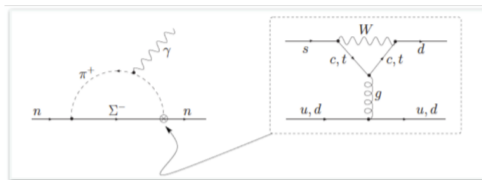
Sakharov conditions fulfilled in the standard model weak interactions.

- Baryon number anomaly (But  $B - L$  conserved; could be Leptogenesis)
- CKM phase violates C and CP
- Higgs vev generation may go out-of-equilibrium.

Quantitatively insufficient, but BSM could have more CPV.

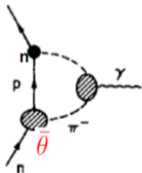


- Elementary particles are non-degenerate: spin is the only direction.
- Electric dipole moments violate P and T
- CPT implies they violate CP



CKM contribution small  $d_n < 10^{-31} e \text{ cm}$

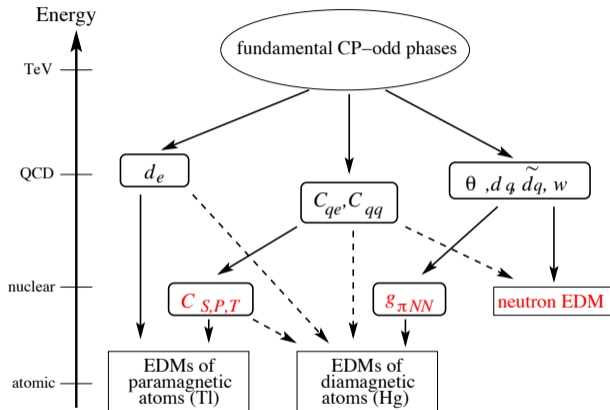
Seng, *PRC* **91** (2015) 025502.



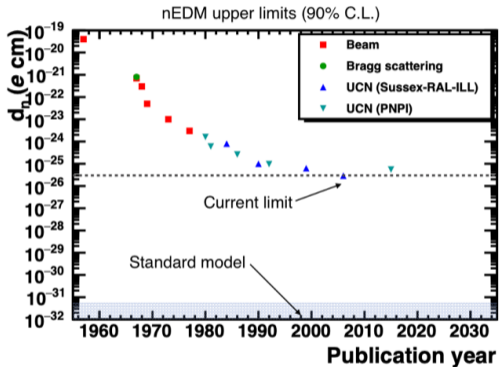
$$d_n \sim \frac{m_*}{\Lambda_{\text{had}}^2} e \bar{\theta} \sim 10^{-17} \bar{\theta} e \text{ cm} \rightarrow |\bar{\theta}| < 10^{-9}$$

$$m_* = \frac{1}{\sum_i (1/m_i)} \simeq \frac{m_u m_d}{m_u + m_d}$$

Possibly large strong CPV. Assume suppressed



Pospelov and Ritz, *Ann. Phys.* **318** (2005) 119.



	Current Limit	CKM prediction
e	$10^{-29}$	$10^{-38}$
$\mu$	$10^{-19}$	$10^{-35}$
$\tau$	$10^{-16}$	$10^{-34}$
n	$10^{-26}$	$10^{-31}$
p	$10^{-23}$	$10^{-31}$
$^{199}\text{Hg}$	$10^{-29}$	$10^{-33}$
$^{129}\text{Xe}$	$10^{-27}$	$10^{-33}$
$^{225}\text{Ra}$	$10^{-23}$	$10^{-33}$



$$\begin{aligned}d_n &= -(0.20 \pm 0.01)d_u + (0.78 \pm 0.03)d_d + (0.0027 \pm 0.016)d_s \\ &\quad - (0.55 \pm 0.28)e\tilde{d}_u - (1.1 \pm 0.55)e\tilde{d}_d \pm (50 \pm 40) \text{ MeV}e d_W \\ \bar{g}_0 &= (5 \pm 10)(\tilde{d}_u + \tilde{d}_d)\text{fm}^{-1} \\ \bar{g}_1 &= (20_{-10}^{+40})(\tilde{d}_u - \tilde{d}_d)\text{fm}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

Pospelov and Ritz, *Ann. Phys.* **318** (2005) 119.

Gupta *et al.*, *PRD* **88** (2018) 091501(R).

EDMs competitive or better than LHC  
for constraining CPV Higgs/top.

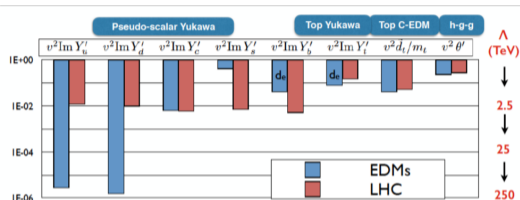
Will dominate if

- experiment at  $5 \times 10^{-27}$  e cm and
- light matrix elements at 25%
- strange and gluonic matrix elements at 50%

Cirigliano *et al.*, *PRD* **94** (2016) 016002

Chien *et al.*, *JHEP* **1602** (2016) 011

Brod *et al.*, *JHEP* **1311** (2013) 180

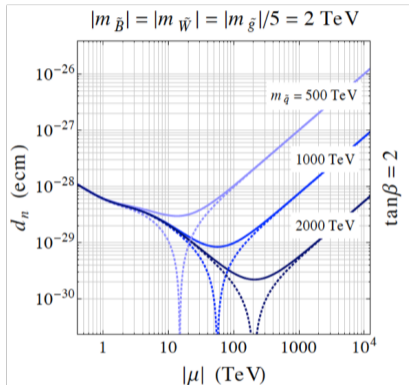
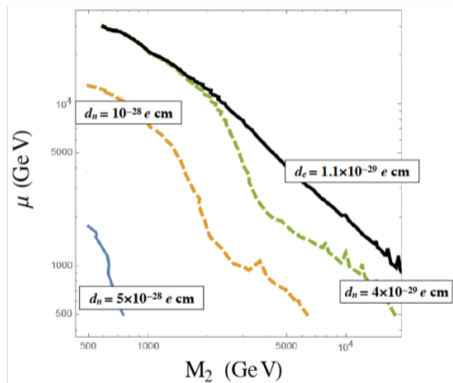


Pseudo-scalar Yukawas in units of SM Yukawa  $m_q/v$

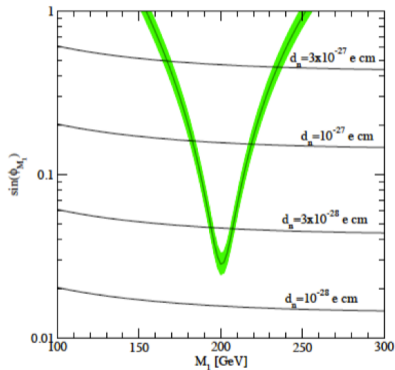
$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{m_q}{v} \tilde{\kappa}_q \bar{q} i \gamma_5 q h$$

$\tilde{\kappa}_u$	$\tilde{\kappa}_d$	$\tilde{\kappa}_s$	$\tilde{\kappa}_c$	$\tilde{\kappa}_b$	$\tilde{\kappa}_t$
0.45	0.11	58	2.3	3.6	0.01

## nEDM can constrain some SUSY models

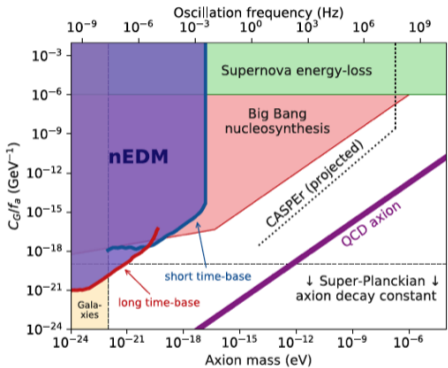
Altmannshofer *et al.*, *JHEP* **1311** (2013) 202Gupta *et al.*, *PRD* **98** (2018) 091501(R)

Especially constraining for some theories of Baryogenesis.

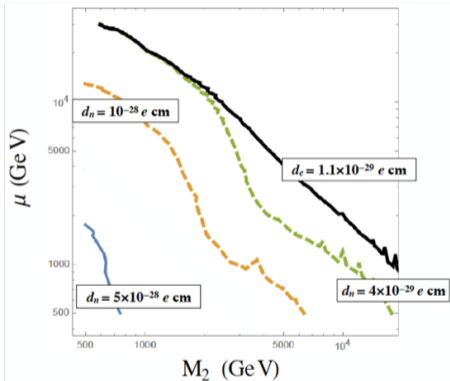


Li et al., *PLB* **673** (2009) 95

Cirigliano et al., *JHEP* **1001** (2010) 002



Abel et al., PRX 7 (2017) 041034



Cirigliano et al., PLB 767 (2017) 1

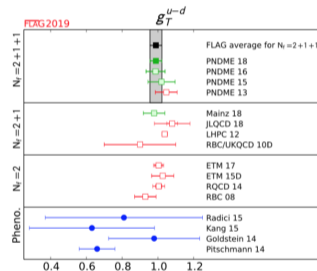
$$\mathcal{L} \supset d_q \bar{q} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} q$$
$$\langle n | \bar{q} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q | n \rangle = g_T^q \bar{u}_n \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_n$$

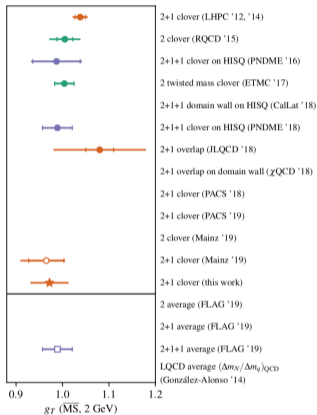
At leading order in electromagnetic interactions, the nEDM due to quark EDM is given by the tensor charge.

## FLAG report:

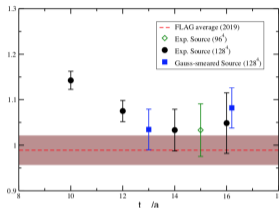
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PNDME 18	$2+1+1$	A	★ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	0.989(32)(10)
PNDME 16	$2+1+1$	A	○ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	0.987(51)(20)
PNDME 15	$2+1+1$	A	○ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	1.020(76)
PNDME 13	$2+1+1$	A	■ <sup>‡</sup>	■	★	★	★	1.047(61)
Mainz 18	$2+1$	C	★	○	★	★	★	0.979(60)
JLQCD 18	$2+1$	A	■	○	○	★	★	1.08(3)(3)(9)
LHPC 12	$2+1$	A	■ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	1.038(11)(12)
RBC/UKQCD 10D	$2+1$	A	■	○	○	★	■	0.9(2)
ETM 17	$2$	A	■	○	○	★	★	1.004(21)(2)(19)
ETM 15D	$2$	A	■	○	○	★	★	1.027(62)
RQCD 14	$2$	A	○	★	★	★	■	1.005(17)(29)
RBC 08	$2$	A	■	■	■	★	■	0.93(6)

<sup>‡</sup> Not fully  $O(a)$  improved.

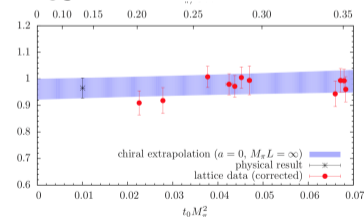




LHPC comparison



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Mainz

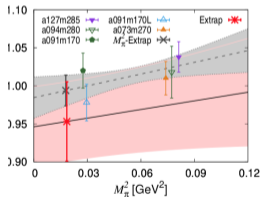
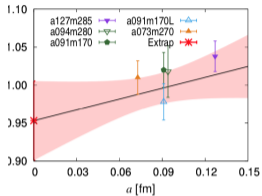
$$g_T^{u-d} = 0.929(14)$$

$N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ , physical mass,  $64^3 \times 128$

ETMC

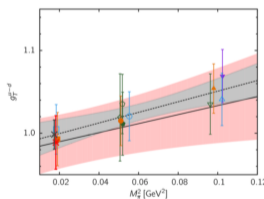
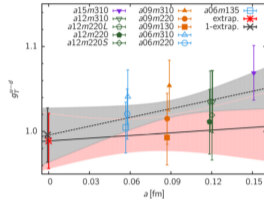


## Clover (Preliminary)



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## HISQ (PNDME '18)

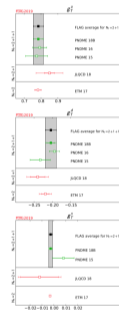


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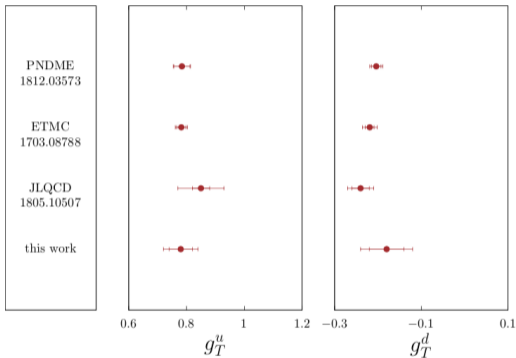
## FLAG review:

Collaboration	$N_f$	pub. cont.	chiral	vol.	ren. states	$g_T^u$	$g_T^d$	
PNDME 18B2+1+1	P	★ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	0.784(28)(10) <sup>#</sup>	-0.204(11)(10) <sup>#</sup>
PNDME 16	2+1+1	A	○ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	0.792(42) <sup>#&amp;c</sup>	-0.194(14) <sup>#&amp;c</sup>
PNDME 15	2+1+1	A	○ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	0.774(66) <sup>#</sup>	-0.233(28) <sup>#</sup>
JLQCD 18	2+1	A	★	○	★	★	0.85(3)(2)(7)	-0.24(2)(0)(2)
ETM 17	2	A	■	○	★	★	0.782(16)(2)(13)	-0.219(10)(2)(13)
$g_T^s$								
PNDME 18B2+1+1	P	★ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	★	-0.0027(16) <sup>#</sup>	
PNDME 15	2+1+1	A	○ <sup>‡</sup>	★	★	★	0.008(9) <sup>#</sup>	
JLQCD 18	2+1	A	■	○	★	★	-0.012(16)(8)	
ETM 17	2	A	■	○	★	★	-0.00319(69)(2)(22)	

<sup>#</sup>  $Z_T^{1,8} = Z_T^s$  assumed. <sup>&c</sup> Only 'connected'. <sup>‡</sup> Not fully O(a) improved.



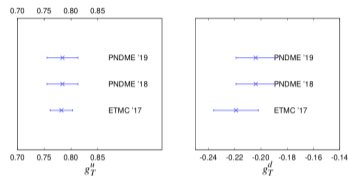
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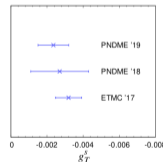
$$g_T^u = 0.78(4)(3) \quad g_T^d = -0.18(4)(3)$$

Mainz

Preliminary



[PNDME, PRD98, 091501 (2018)]



PNDME

Consider a general mass term

$$m^s + m_5^s \gamma_5 + m^v \tau + m_5^v \tau$$

where  $\tau$  are diagonal flavor matrices.

Unbroken non-singlet axial symmetry can be used to set all  $m_5^v \equiv 0$ . We will always choose to do that.

The singlet axial symmetry acts on the remaining  $N_f + 1$  masses ( $m^s$ ,  $m^v$ , and  $m_5^s$ ) and  $\Theta$ .

Can always eliminate  $\Theta$ .

When all quark masses nonzero, can eliminate  $m_5^s$  instead.

Singular coordinates when some quark-masses zero:  $(m_5^s)^{-1} \propto \Theta \sum m_q^{-1}$ .

## Method 1:

- Include constant electromagnetic field
- Measure energy difference between when spin aligned versus antialigned
- Take limit of zero electromagnetic field. (Difficult because quantized by box size)

## Method 2:

- Calculate Vector Current Matrix Element at finite momentum:

$$\bar{u}_N \left[ \gamma_\mu F_1(q^2) + i \frac{[\gamma_\mu, \gamma_\nu]}{2} q_\nu \frac{F_2(q^2)}{2m_N} + (2i m_N \gamma_5 q_\mu - \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q^2) \frac{F_A(q^2)}{m_N^2} + \frac{[\gamma_\mu, \gamma_\nu]}{2} q_\nu \gamma_5 \frac{F_3(q^2)}{2m_N} \right] u_N$$

- Take zero momentum limit.
- Definition of CP violation for composite field  $N$  tricky.

With no parity in the theory, the propagator is

$$\sum \rho(\mu^2) Z_N(\mu^2) \frac{e^{-\beta(\mu^2)\gamma_5} \not{p} + e^{-i\alpha(\mu^2)\gamma_5} Z_m(\mu^2)\mu}{p^2 - (Z_m(\mu^2)\mu)^2}.$$

$\alpha(\mu^2) = 0$  when CP conserved,  $\beta(\mu^2) = 0$  when PT is conserved.

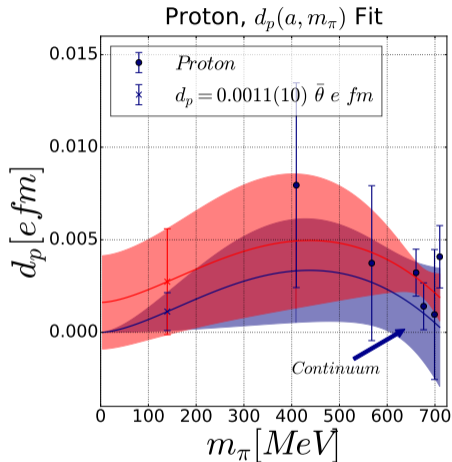
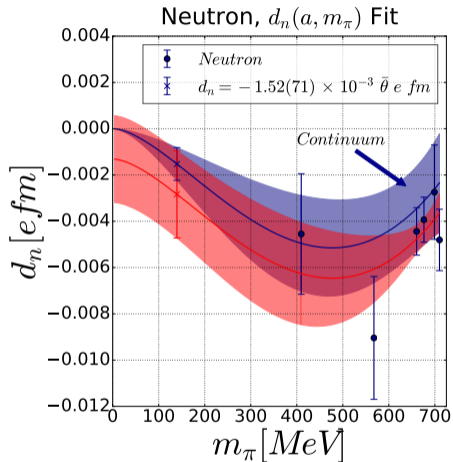
Asymptotic state has non-standard Dirac equation and parity generator: a transformation of  $\gamma$ -matrices needed to put in standard basis.

$\bar{u}_N \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu} \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_N$  may not break CP!

Abramczyk, *PRD* **96** (2017) 014501.

$N_{\text{st}} = \exp\{(-\beta(m_N^2) + i\alpha(m_N^2))/2\} N$  is a more convenient operator. (Excited states still non-standard.)

Most previous calculations show no signal.



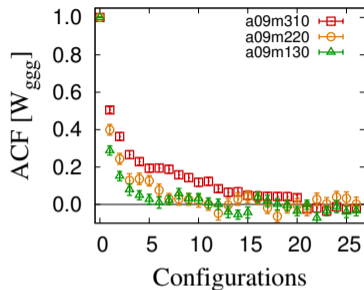
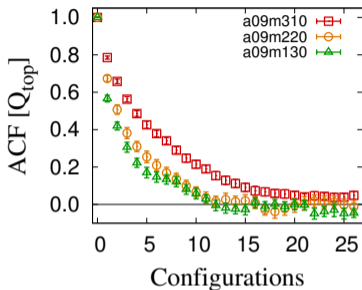
- Clover fermions on MILC HISQ lattices;  $N_F = 2 + 1 + 1$

Ensemble	$a$ (fm)	$M_\pi$ (MeV)	$L^3 \times T$	$M_\pi L$	$N_{\text{conf}}$	$N_{\text{meas}}$
$a12m220L$	0.1189(09)	227.6(1.7)	$40^3 \times 64$	5.49	1000	128k
$a09m310$	0.0888(08)	313.0(2.8)	$32^3 \times 96$	4.51	2196	140k
$a09m220$	0.0872(07)	225.9(1.8)	$48^3 \times 96$	4.79	961	123k
$a09m130$	0.0871(06)	138.1(1.0)	$64^3 \times 96$	3.90	1289	165k

- Chroma QCD software suite
- Nucleon two- and three-point correlators
  - Truncated solver method (AMA) with 4HP + 128 or 64 LP per configuration
  - Current is renormalized by isovector vector charge  $g_V$
- Topological charge and Weinberg's three-gluon operator
  - $\mathcal{O}(a^4)$ -improved gluon field strength tensor
  - Gradient flow for cooling/renormalization



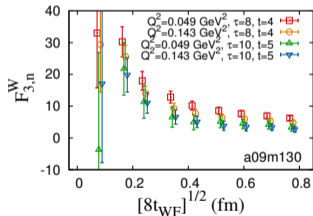
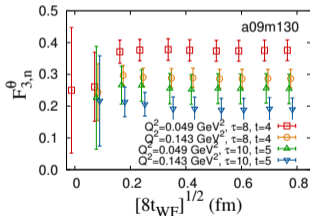
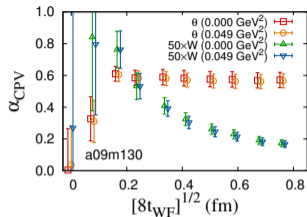
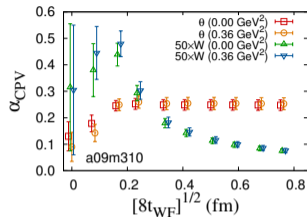
## Autocorrelation



$$(\sqrt{8t_{WF}} = 0.34 \text{ fm})$$

Ensemble	a09m130	a09m220	a09m310	a12m220L
$\langle Q_{top} \rangle$	-0.30(31)	-0.30(27)	-0.01(13)	0.24(46)
$\langle W_{ggg} \rangle$	8(21)	-13(16)	-0.07(6.91)	-25(43)
$F_3$ only. binsize	11	8	18	10

Gradient Flow Time Dependence

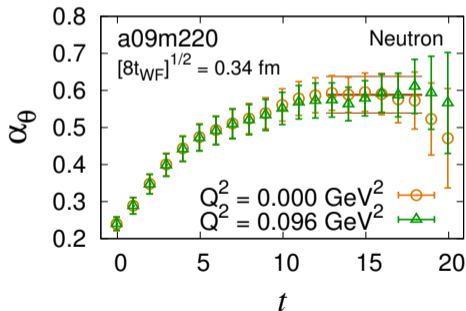


- Topological charge observables are saturating at  $\sqrt{8t_{WF}} = 0.34$  fm

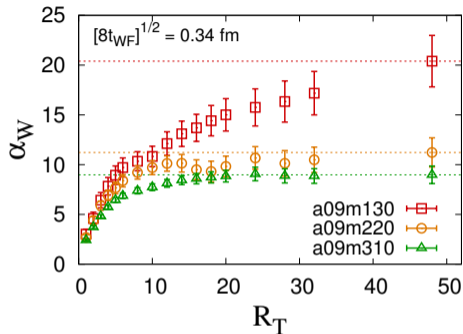
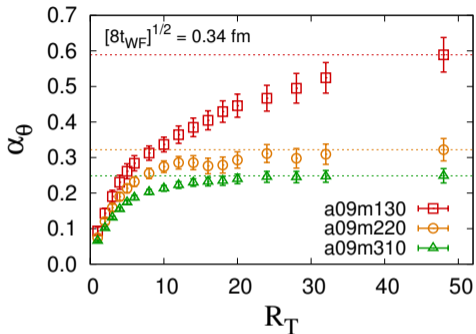
- CPV Phase  $\alpha$  is extracted from  $\gamma_5$ -projected  $C_{2pt}$

$$\frac{\text{Im}C_{2pt}^P(t)}{\text{Re}C_{2pt}(t)} \equiv \frac{\text{Im} \left[ \gamma_5 \frac{1}{2} (1 + \gamma_4) \langle N(t) \bar{N}(0) \rangle \right]}{\text{Re} \left[ \frac{1}{2} (1 + \gamma_4) \langle N(t) \bar{N}(0) \rangle \right]} = \frac{M_N \sin(2\alpha(t))}{E_N + M_N \cos(2\alpha(t))}$$

- Final  $\alpha$  is obtained from plateau average over  $\alpha(t \gg 1)$  where ESC is small

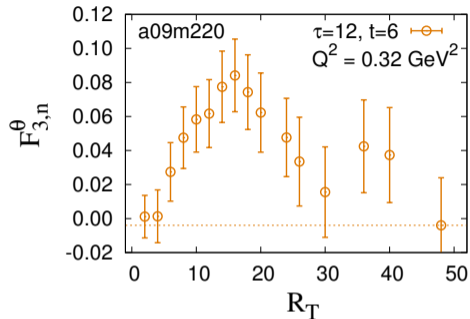


## Two-point function



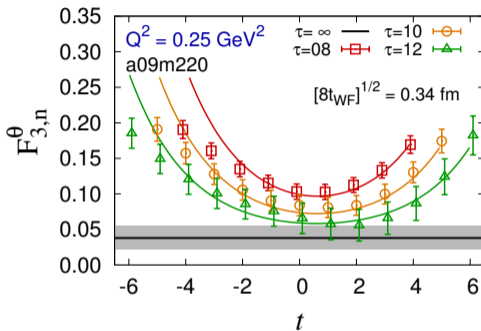
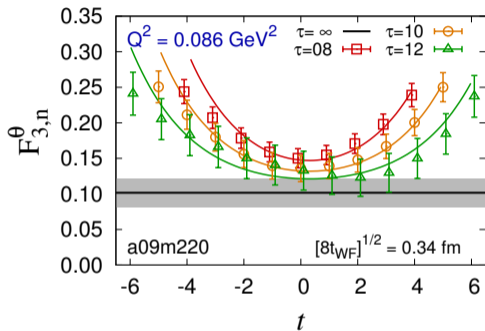
- Topological charge summed only within  $|t_Q - t_{\text{src}}| \leq R_T$
- CPV phase  $\alpha$  forms plateau at  $R_T \approx 25a$  for a09m310 and a09m220, but no saturation in a09m130; we use  $R_T = \infty$  for  $\alpha$  in this study
- Neutron  $F_3^N$  at small  $Q^2$  is insensitive to  $\alpha$  because of the  $G_E^N(Q^2)$  suppression

## Three-point function

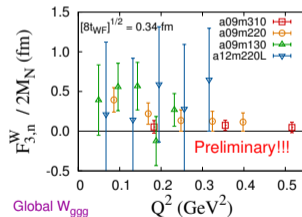
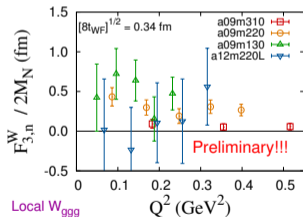
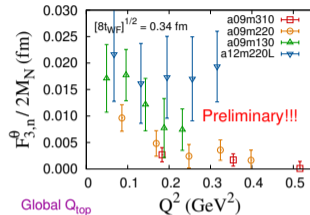
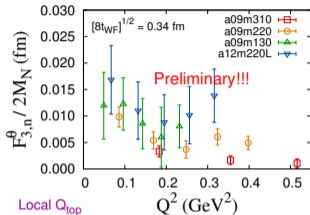


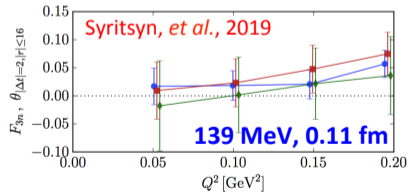
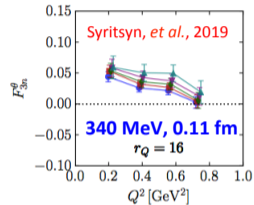
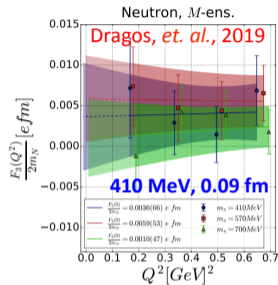
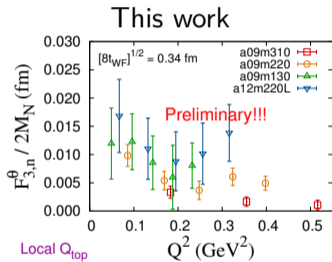
- Saturation depends on the distance from the current insertion  $t$  rather than  $t_{\text{src}}$   
→ Topological charge locally summed in  $|t_Q - t| \leq R_T$
- For most of the momenta,  $\tau$  and  $t$ ,  
 $R_T/a = \mathbf{14}$  (a09m310),  $\mathbf{20}$  (a09m220),  $\mathbf{36}$  (a09m130) and  $\mathbf{12}$  (a12m220L)  
produce reasonable results

## Excited State Contamination



- **Two-state fit** to the  $F_3/g_V$  obtained at each  $\tau$  and  $t$



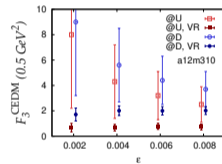
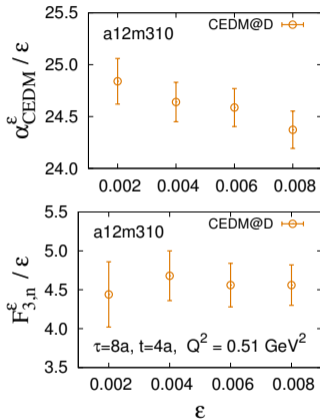
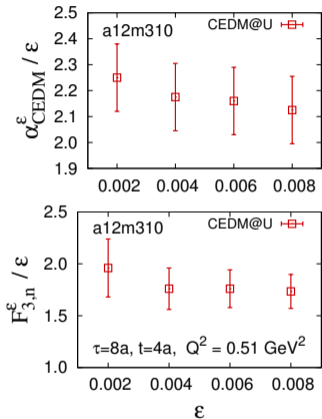


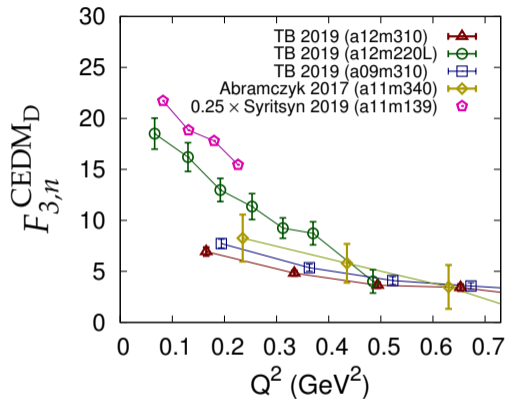
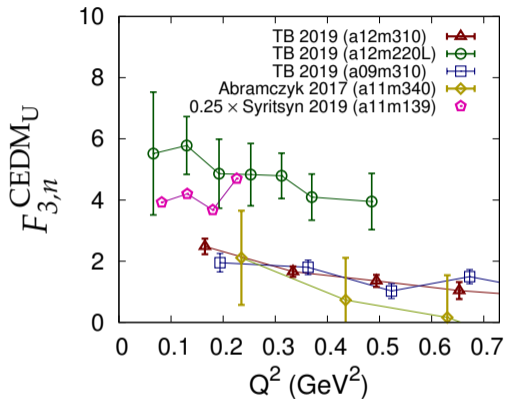


- Clover fermions on MILC HISQ lattices;  $N_F = 2 + 1 + 1$

Ensemble	$a$ (fm)	$M_\pi$ (MeV)	$L^3 \times T$	$M_\pi L$	$N_{\text{conf}}$	$N_{\text{meas}}$
$a12m310$	0.1207(11)	310.2(2.8)	$32^3 \times 64$	4.55	1012	130k
$a12m220L$	0.1189(09)	227.6(1.7)	$40^3 \times 64$	5.49	475	61k
$a09m310$	0.0888(08)	313.0(2.8)	$32^3 \times 96$	4.51	447	57k

- Chroma QCD software suite
- Truncated solver method (AMA) with 4HP + 128LP per configuration
- Variance reduction using correlated zeros
- **Results without renormalization**
- Two CPV operators that mix under renormalization:  $\frac{i}{2}\bar{q}(\sigma \cdot G)\gamma_5 q$  and  $-i\bar{q}\gamma_5 q$





- Syritsyn 2019 (a11m139) results are scaled by  $\frac{1}{4}$  to make it fit within range
- No renormalization, no mixing, no continuum extrapolation!

- Quark edm contribution to nEDM has already had impact.
- Theta-term contribution is likely to be under control soon.
- CP-violating pion couplings are at the same level.
- Techniques for the gluon and quark chromo-EDM contributions are being developed.
- Four-quark operators need more study.