

# Nucleon form factors from PACS10 configuration

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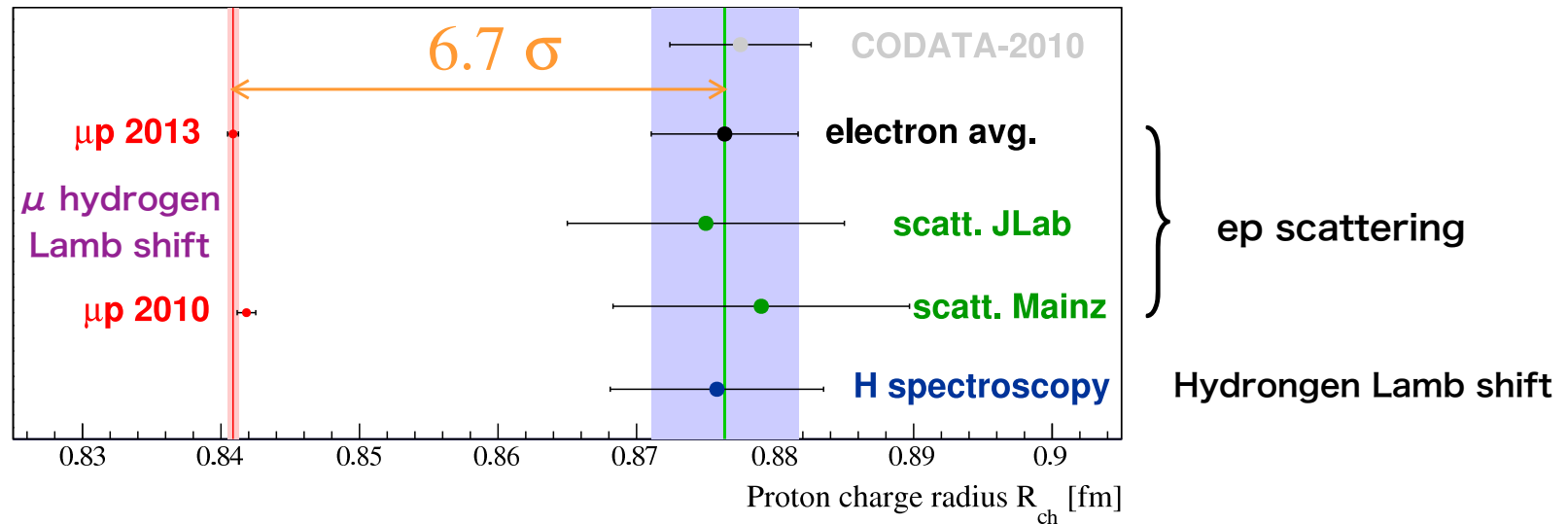
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# Proton size puzzle

Proton charge radius :  $G_E(q^2) = 1 - \frac{q^2}{6} \langle r^2 \rangle_E + \mathcal{O}(q^4)$

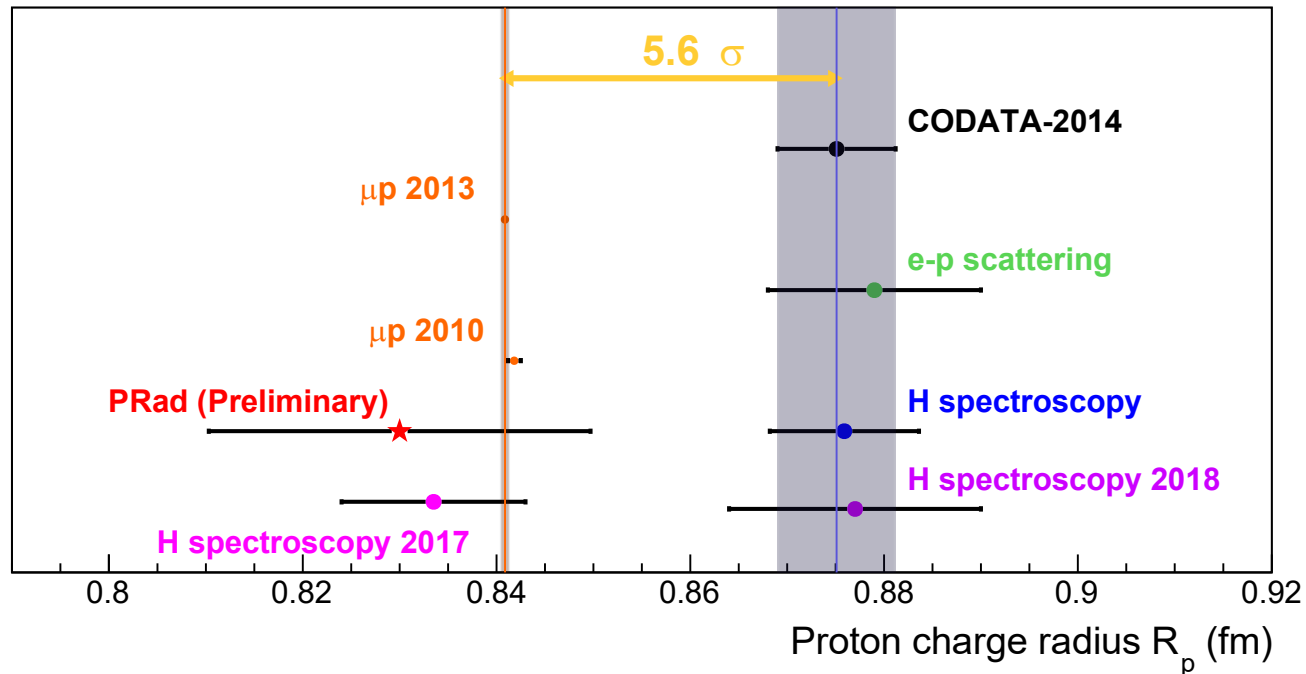


[Arrington, arXiv:1506.00873]

Slide from S. Sasaki in QCDdownunder2017

$\langle r^2 \rangle_E$  differs in  $\mu$ -proton and  $e$ -proton experiments.

# Proton size puzzle: recent status



PRad Preliminary result:  
 $R_p = 0.830 \pm 0.008$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.018$  (syst.) fm

Nilanga Liyanage 2018 DNP Meeting

NSAC Meeting NSF NP Overview

NOV-2018

Slide from A. Opper, NSAC Meeting

Discrepancies in  $e$ -proton  
 recent  $e$ -proton agree with  $\mu$ -proton

$\Rightarrow$  More complicated situation

Several experiments proposed to resolve this puzzle

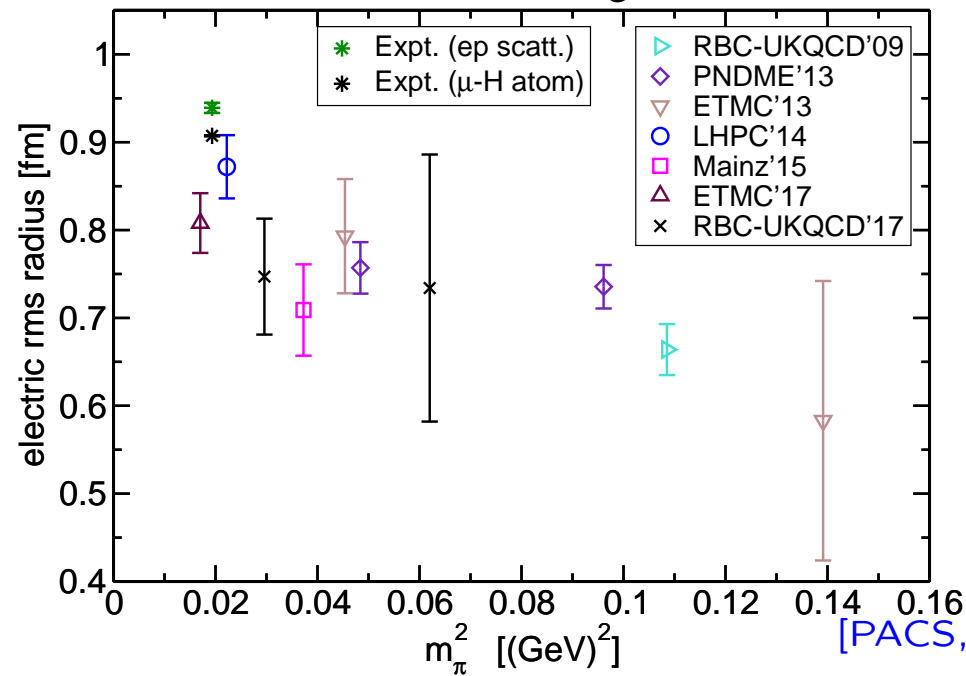
e.g. ULQ<sup>2</sup> Collaboration (Tohoku Univ., Japan)

Lattice QCD can calculate  $\langle r_E^2 \rangle$  from the first principle.

# Status of Lattice QCD at $\sim 2017$

Isovector charge radius

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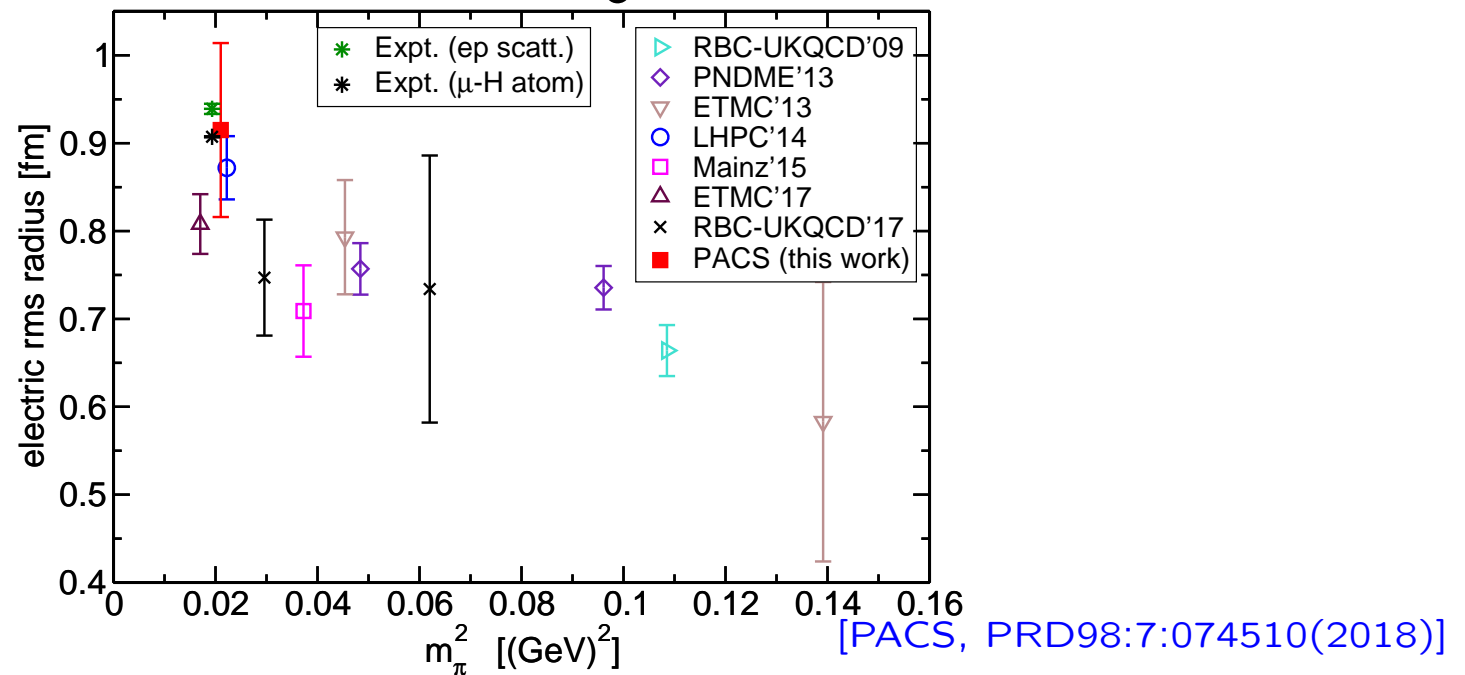
[PACS, PRD98:7:074510(2018)]

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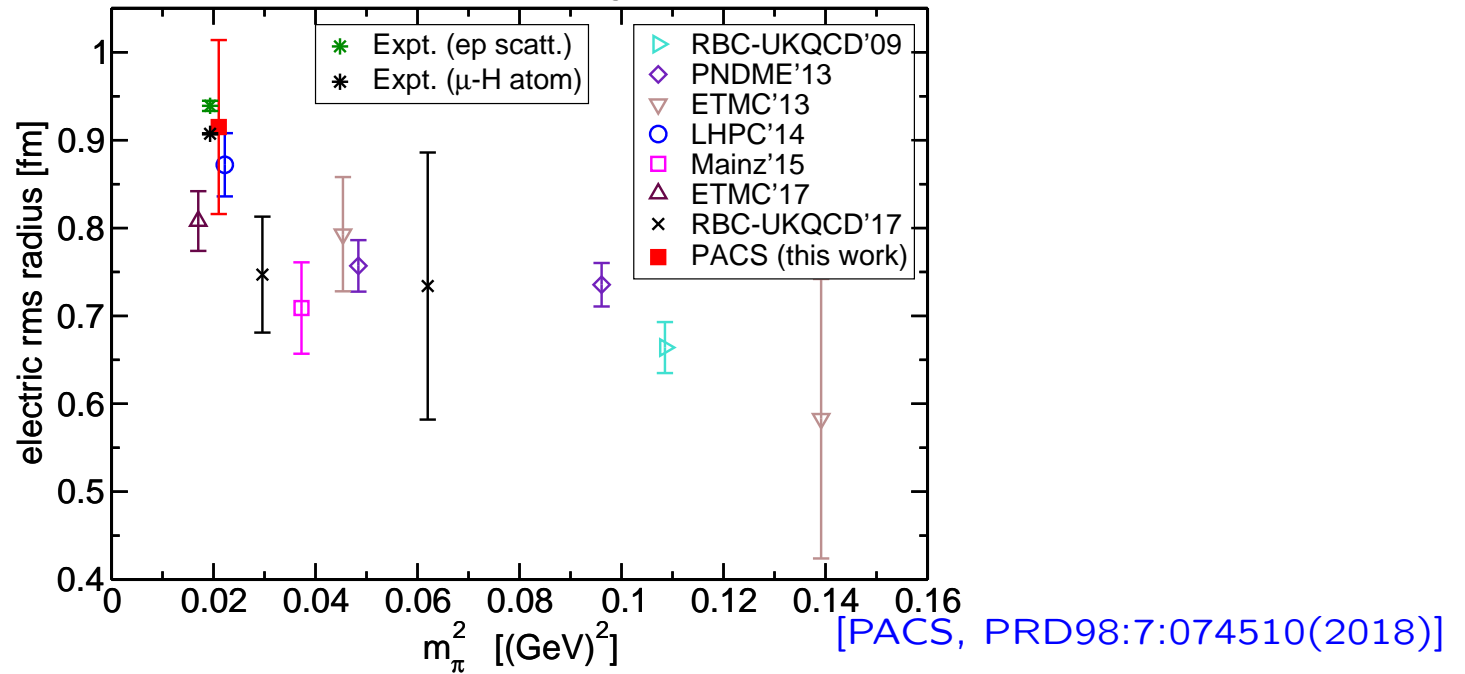
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## Our goal of nucleon form factor calculation

near  $m_\pi^{\text{phys}} = 0.135 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow$  reduce error  $\lesssim 1\%$  at  $m_\pi^{\text{phys}}$

$\langle r_E^2 \rangle$ : judge two experiments

$g_A$ : calculation with 3-pt; cf) 2-pt calculation [CaLat, Nature:558:91(2018)]

# Calculation method

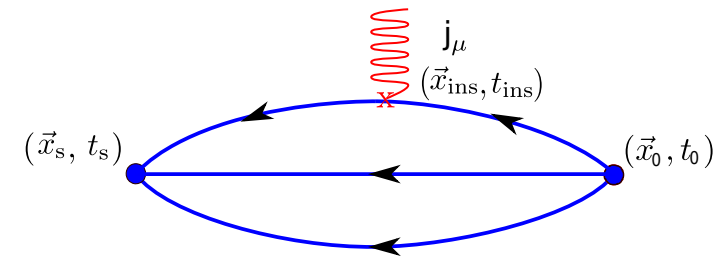


Figure [ETM, arXiv:1812.10311]

## Nucleon 3-point function

$$C_{j_\mu}^3(t, q) = \langle 0 | N(\vec{0}, t_s) j_\mu(\vec{q}, t) \bar{N}(-\vec{q}, t_0) | 0 \rangle \xrightarrow[t_s - t \gg 1]{t - t_0 \gg 1} \langle N | j_\mu | N \rangle$$

$$j_\mu = \begin{cases} j_\mu^{\text{EM}} & ; G_E(q^2), G_M(q^2) \\ A_\mu & ; g_A, F_A(q^2), F_P(q^2) \\ T_{\mu\nu} & ; g_T \\ S & ; g_S \end{cases}$$

- isovector form factors ( $m_u = m_d$ ) w/o disconnected diagrams
- large  $t_{\text{sep}} = t_s - t_0$  or investigation of  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence

tune smearing parameters for early plateau

using wider smearing than other groups



## Simulation parameters

$N_f = 2 + 1$  Iwasaki gauge + stout smeared Wilson clover quarks

$\beta = 1.82$  corresponding to  $a^{-1} = 2.3$  GeV

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Preliminary result

96<sup>4</sup> lattice [PRD98:7:074510(2018)]

generated by K computer (HPCI Strategic Program Field 5) [PoS(LATTICE2015):075(2016)]

128<sup>4</sup> lattice (PACS10 configuration) [PRD99:1:014510(2019)]

parameters of configuration [PRD99:1:014504(2019)]

PACS10 configuration:  $La > 10$  fm at  $m_\pi^{\text{phys}}$

$L^3T = 128^4, 160^4, 256^4$  at  $a = 0.08, 0.06, 0.04$  fm, respectively

remove main systematic uncertainties in lattice QCD calculation

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Exponential smearing: parameters tuned for smear-local 2pt.

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Cost reduction comparing 96<sup>4</sup> calculation

Exponential smearing: parameters tuned for 3pt. ( $\sim \times 2$ )

all-mode-averaging method ( $\sim \times 3$ ) [Blum *et al.*, PRD88:094503(2013);...] ]

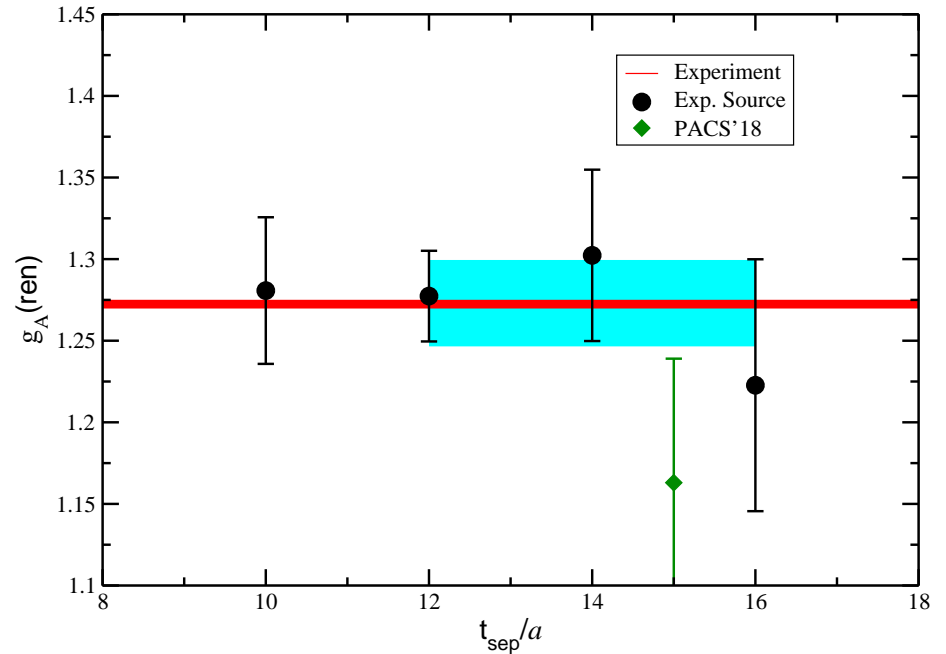
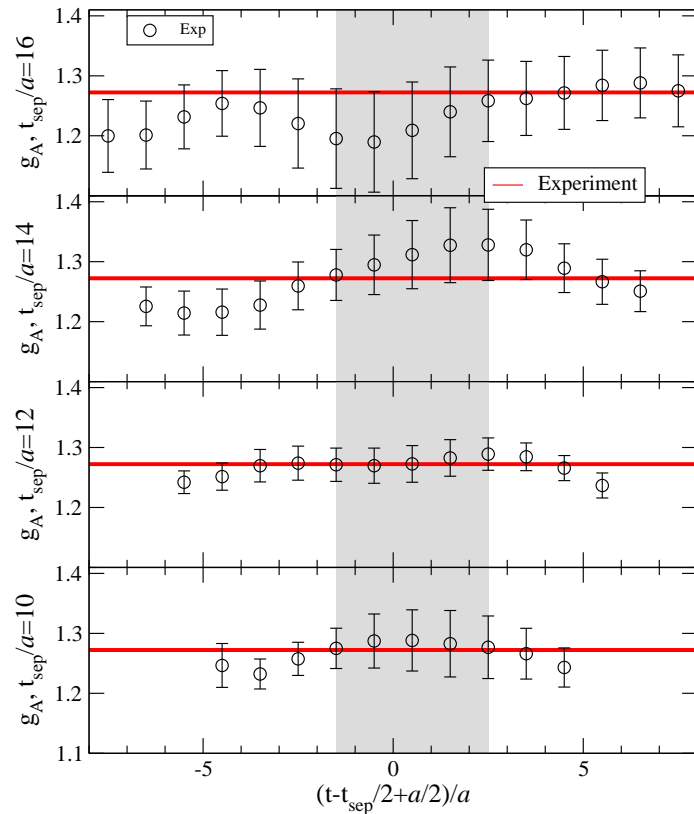
deflated low mode ( $\sim \times 10$ ) [Lüscher, JHEP0707:81(2007)]

Gaussian smearing (preliminary)  $\omega = 8, N = 110$  w/ APE step

# Results

# Axialvector coupling [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]

$Z_A C_A^3(t, 0)/C_N(t_s), C_N(t)$ : 2-pt function,  $Z_A$  calculated in SF scheme



averaging data in shaded region

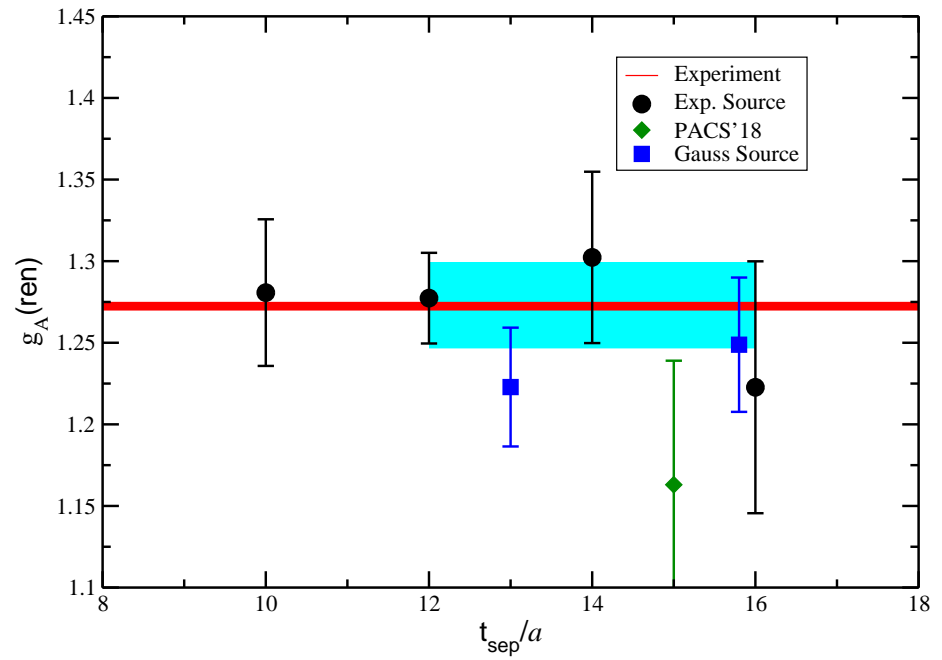
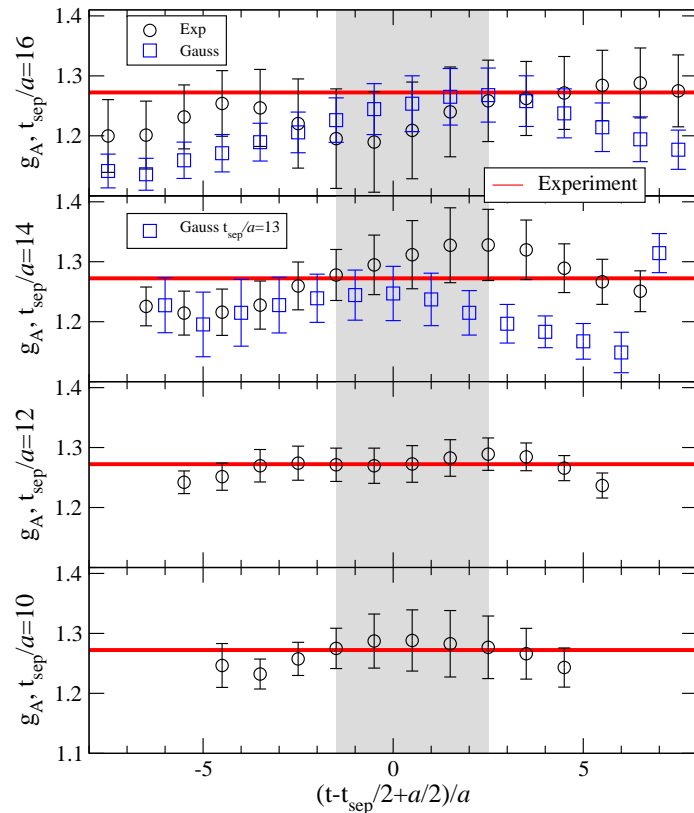
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Gauss source preliminary  
Smaller error than exp source  
at  $t_{sep}/a = 16$

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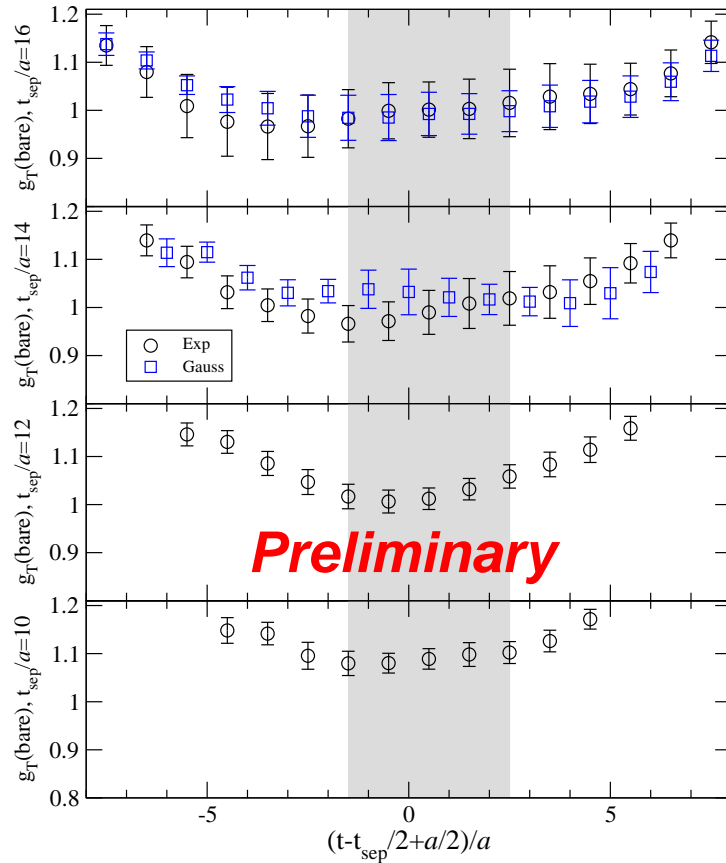
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# Bare Tensor and Scalar couplings

Tensor coupling  
 $C_T^3(t, 0)/C_N(t_s)$

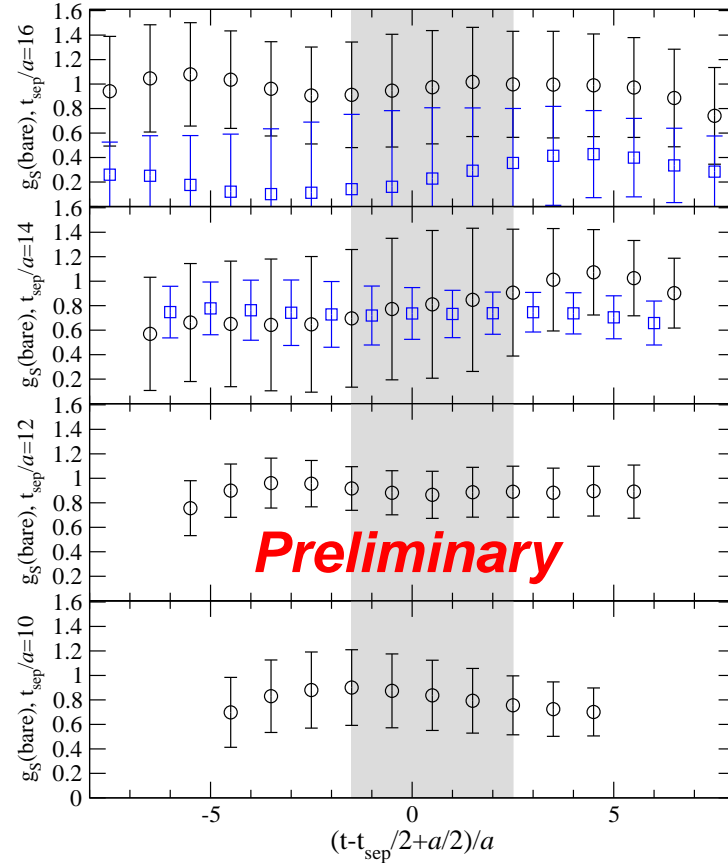


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$g_T$  : Little  $t$  dependence seen

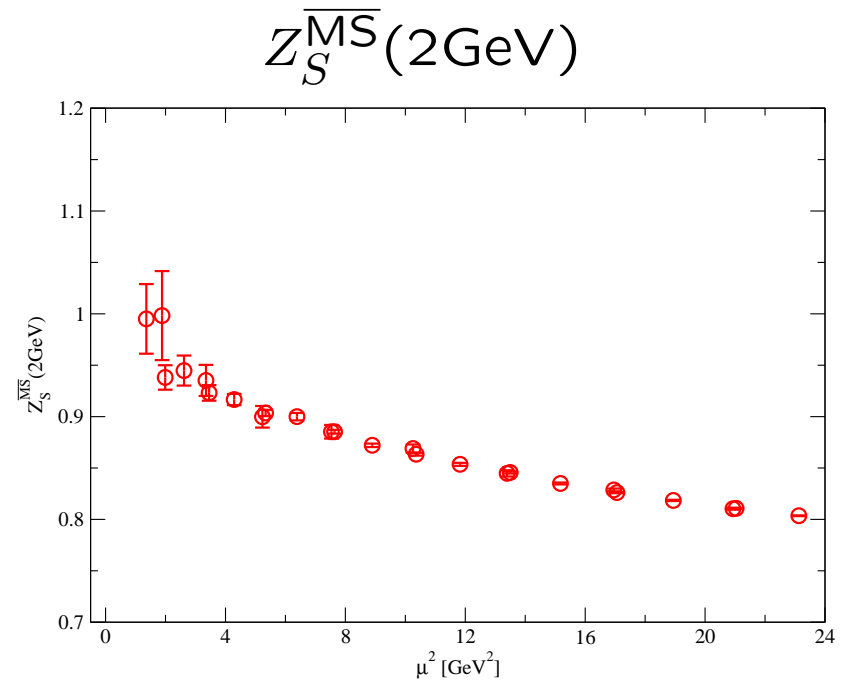
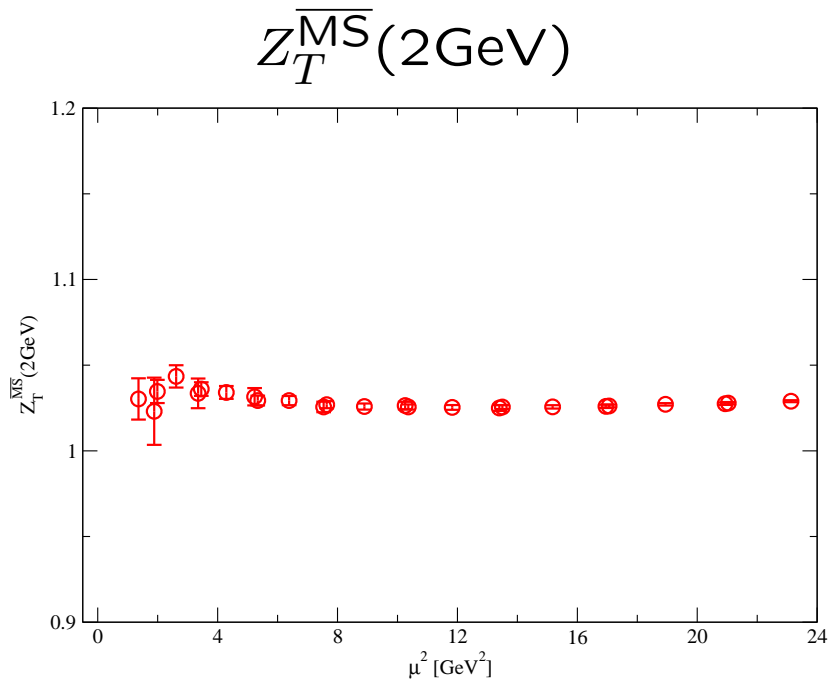
$g_S$  : Large error at large  $t_{\text{sep}}$

Scalar coupling  
 $C_S^3(t, 0)/C_N(t_s)$



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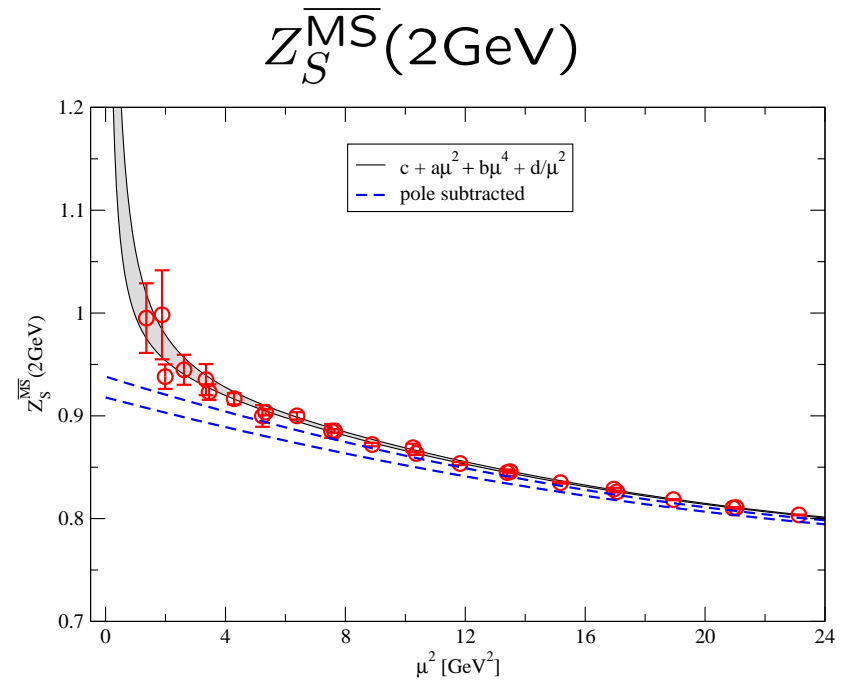
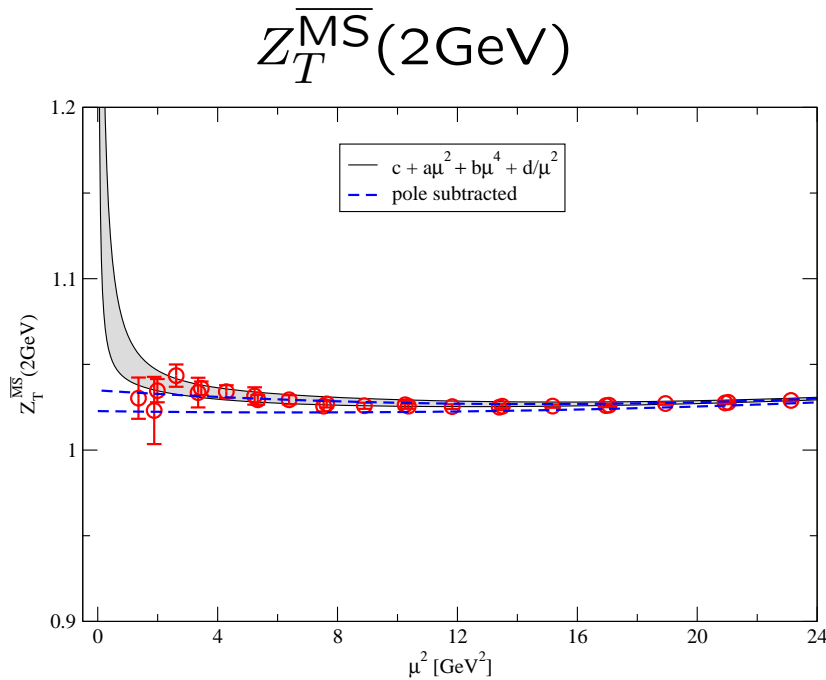
$\mu$  dependence is seen.

- lattice artifact at large  $\mu$
- non-perturbative effect at small  $\mu$

Remove  $\mu$  dependence by fit with  $c_0 + c_1\mu^2 + c_2\mu^4 + c_{-1}/\mu^2$

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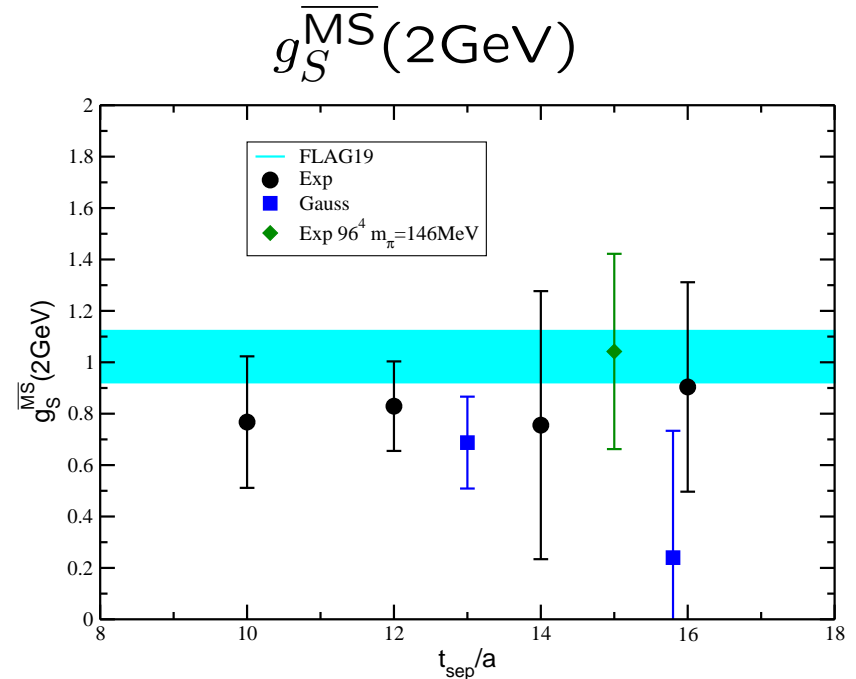
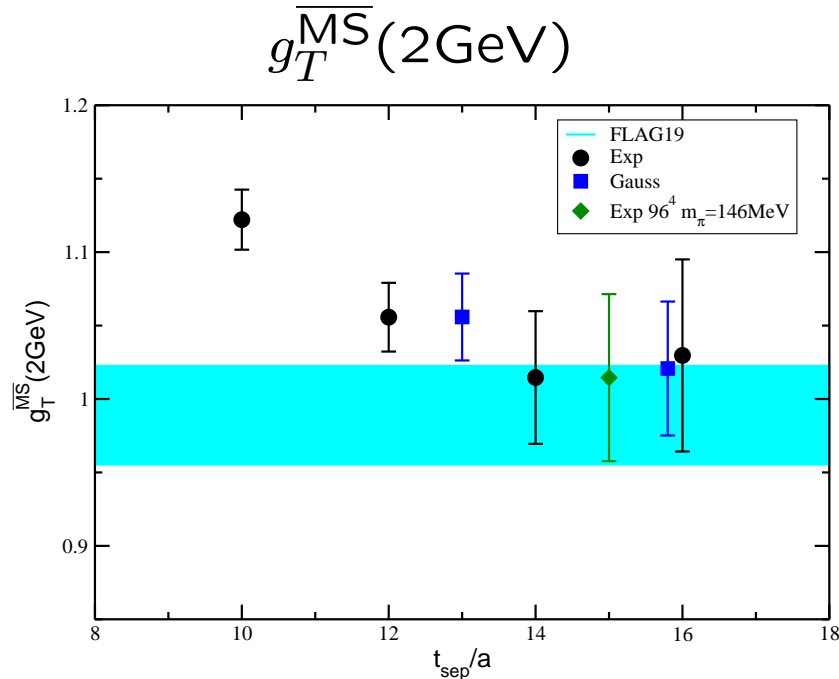
$$Z_T^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(2\text{GeV}) = 1.030(5)_{\text{stat}}(X)_{\text{sys}}$$

$$Z_S^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(2\text{GeV}) = 0.933(7)_{\text{stat}}(Y)_{\text{sys}}$$



# $g_T^{\overline{MS}}(2\text{GeV})$ and $g_S^{\overline{MS}}(2\text{GeV})$ calculated by N. Tsukamoto

## Preliminary results



$g_T$  :  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence seen;  $t_{\text{sep}}/a \gtrsim 12$  is safe from excited state

$g_S$  : small  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence; large statistical error

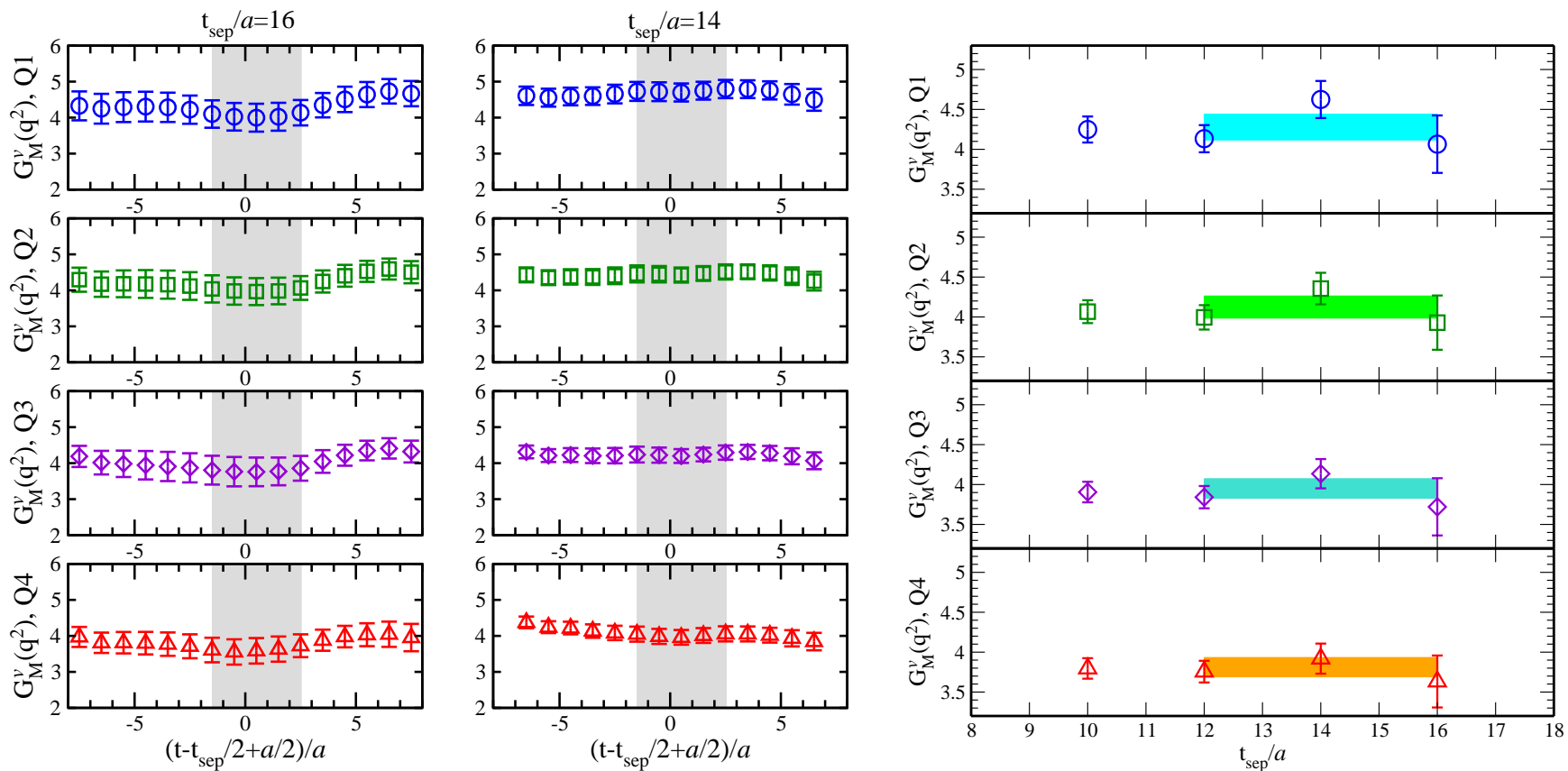
Consistent with PACS'18 [PRD98:7:074510(2018)]

Consistent with FLAG19 average in  $g_T$  and  $g_S$

# $t_{\text{sep}}$ dependence of $G_M^v(q^2)$ [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]

Exponential source,  $Z_V$  calculated in SF scheme

Ratio of 3-pt to 2-pt functions



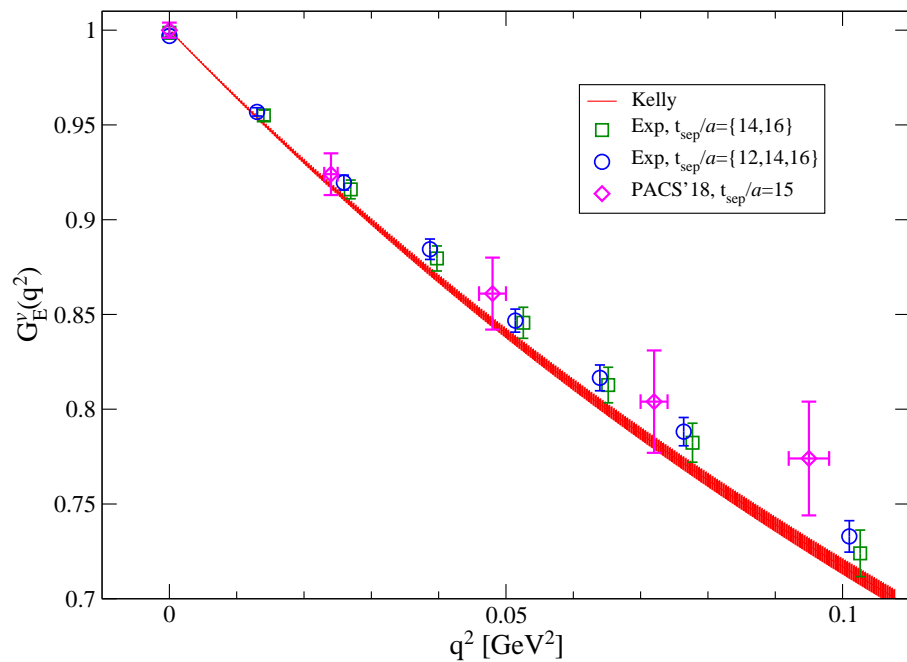
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Small  $t_{\text{sep}}$  and  $t$  dependence in all  $q^2$

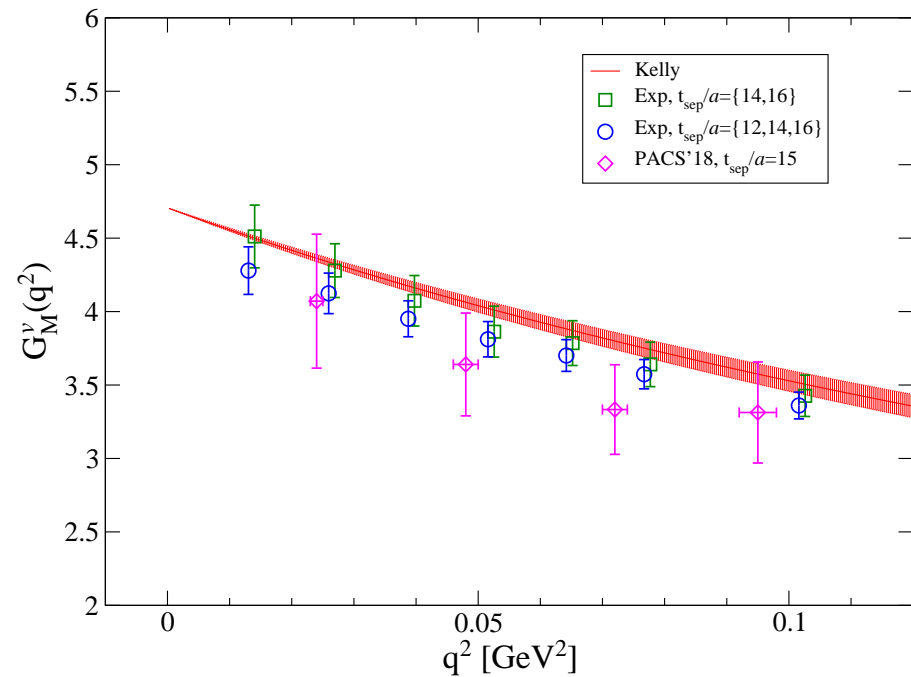
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## Electric form factor



## Magnetic form factor

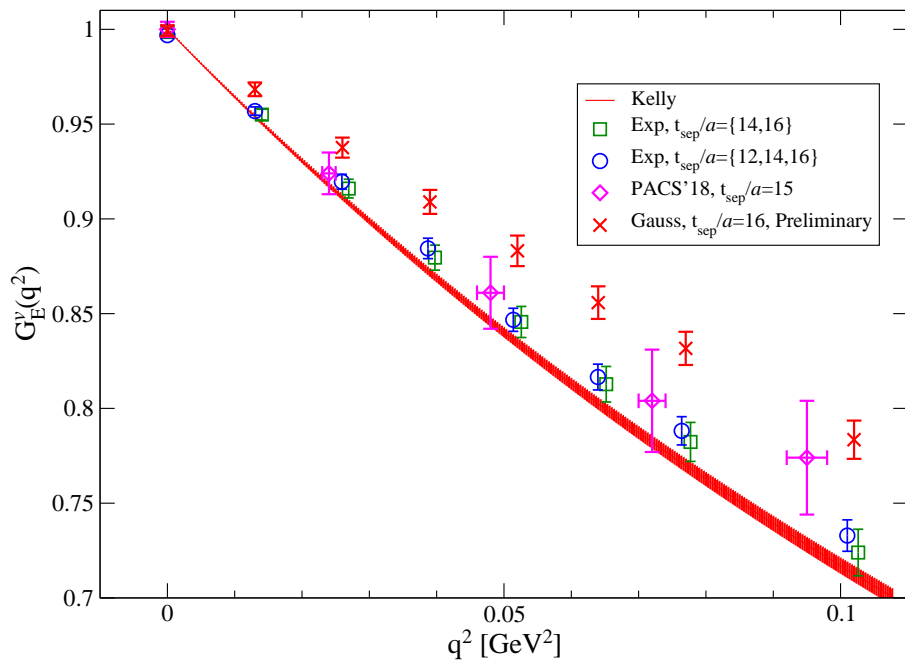


Small  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence

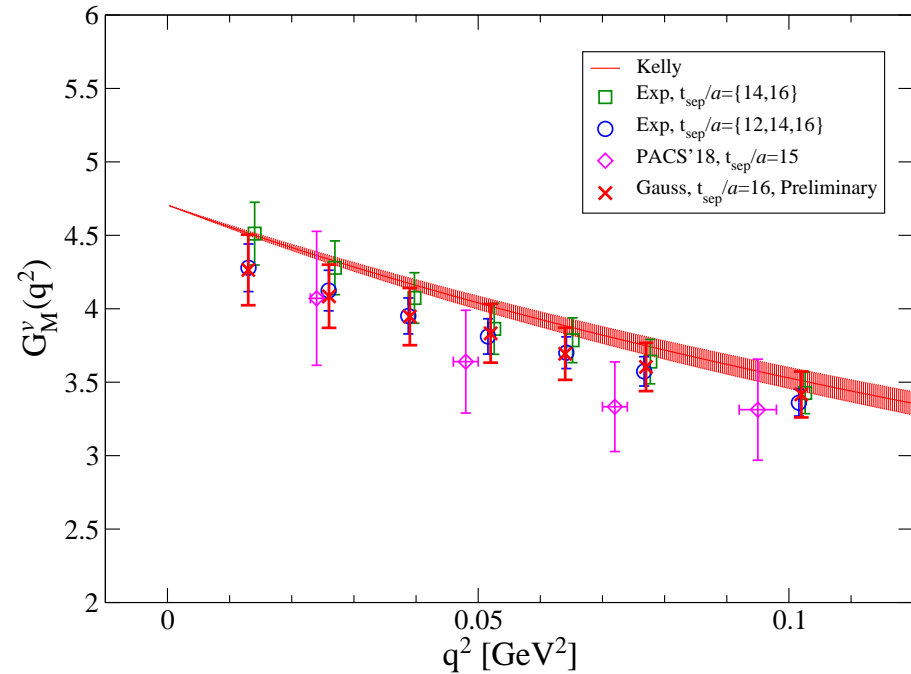
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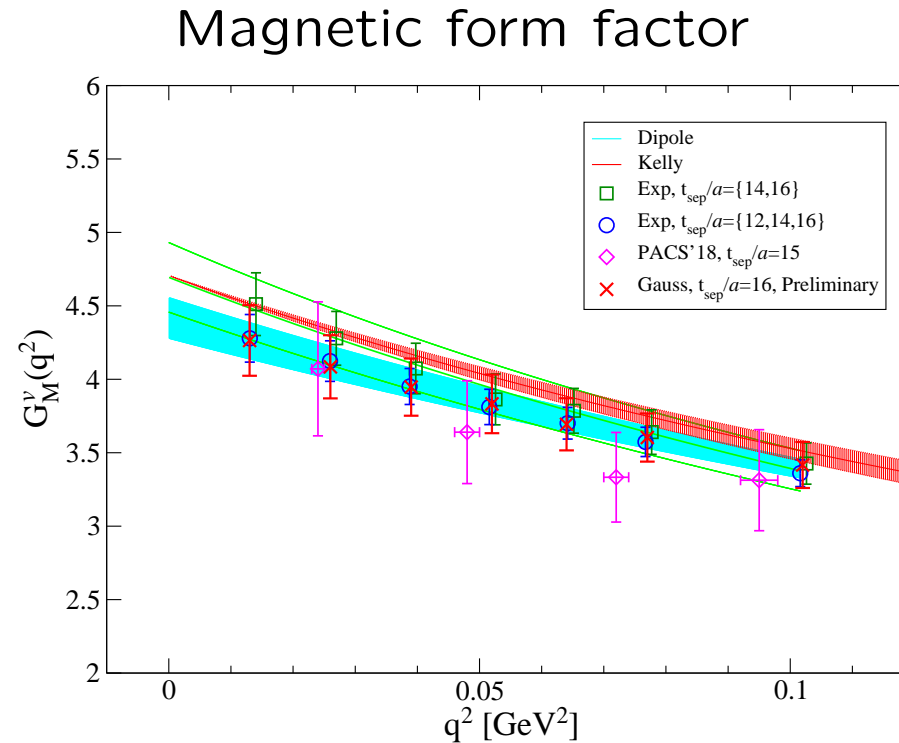
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Discrepancy in  $G_E$  with Gauss source

→ under investigation, will not discuss  $G_E$  in the following

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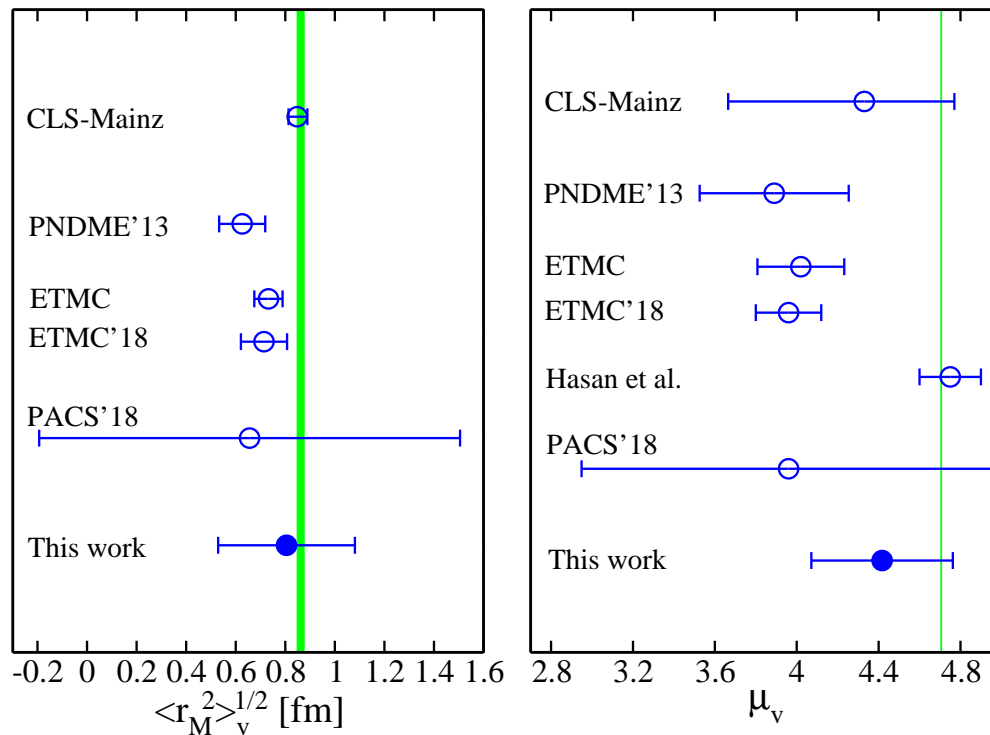
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$G_M^v(q^2)$  agrees with experimental curve.

Dipole form fit works.

dipole form: 
$$G_M^v(q^2) = \frac{G_M^v(0)}{(1 + \langle r_M^2 \rangle_v q^2 / [12G_M^v(0)])^2}$$

# Comparison of $\langle r_M^2 \rangle_v$ and $\mu_v$ [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]



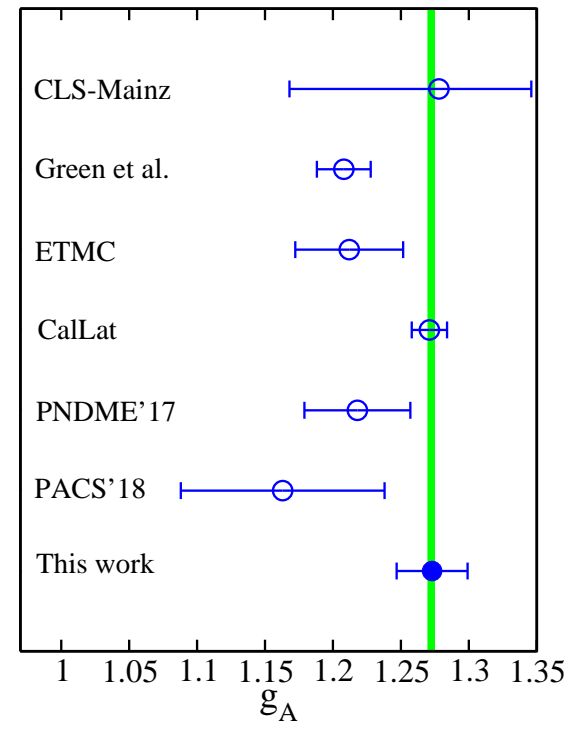
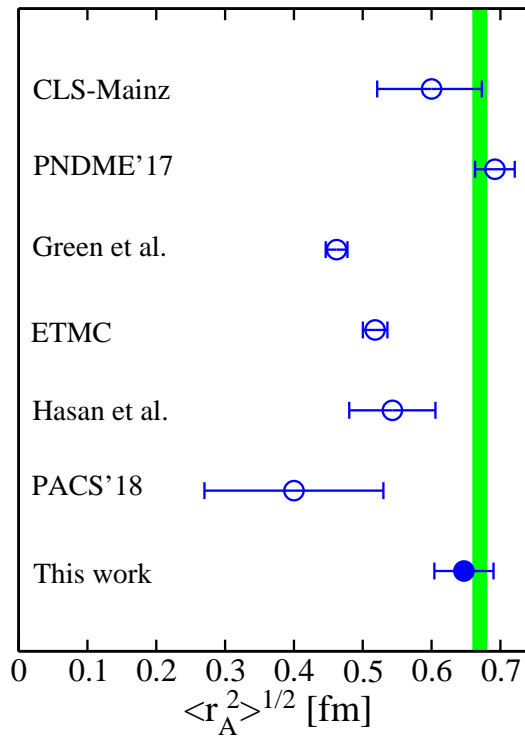
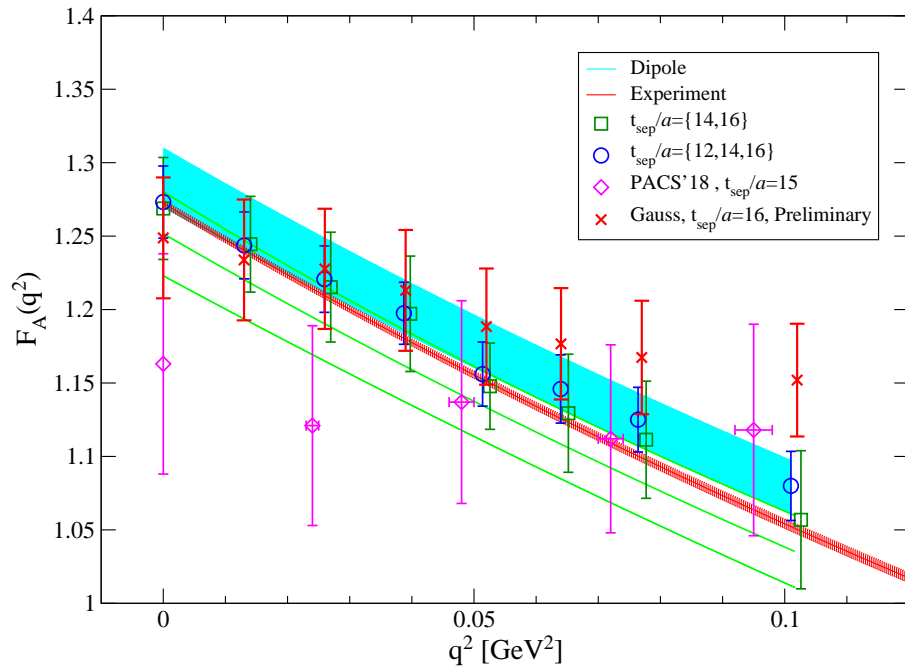
statistical and systematic errors (fit form and  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependences) added in quadrature

Much smaller error than PACS'18

Consistent with experiment and recent lattice results

# Axialvector form factor $F_A(q^2)$ [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]

$Z_A$  calculated in SF scheme



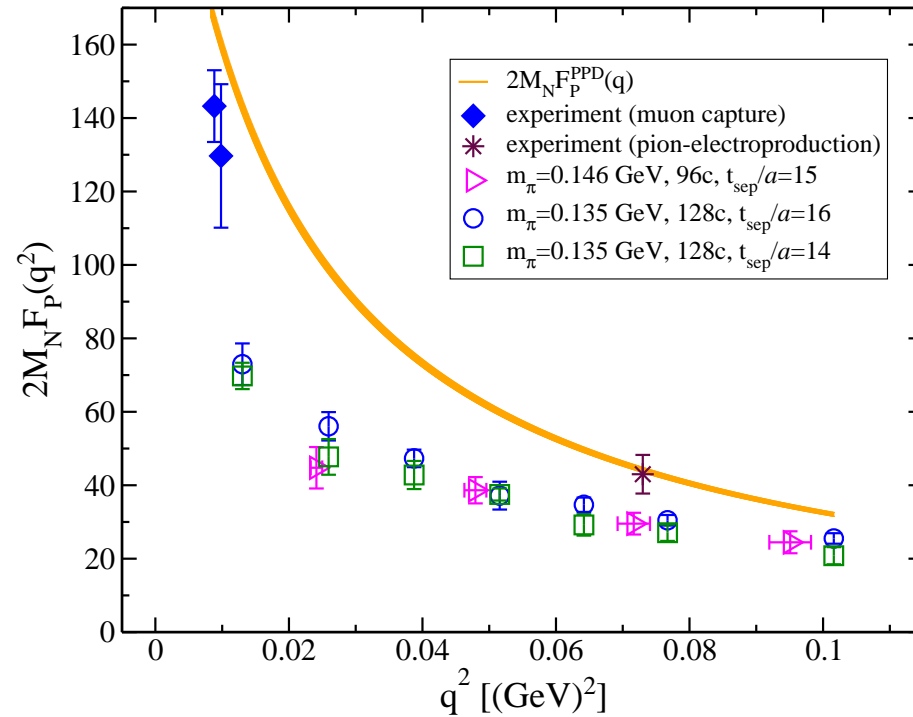
Experiment  $\sqrt{\langle r_A^2 \rangle} = 0.67(1)$  fm [Bernard *et al.*, JPG28:R1(2002)]

small  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence; Consistent with Gauss source

Consistent with PACS'18 with much smaller error

$g_A$  and  $\sqrt{\langle r_A^2 \rangle}$  agree with experiment

# Induced pseudoscalar form factor $F_P(q^2)$ [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]

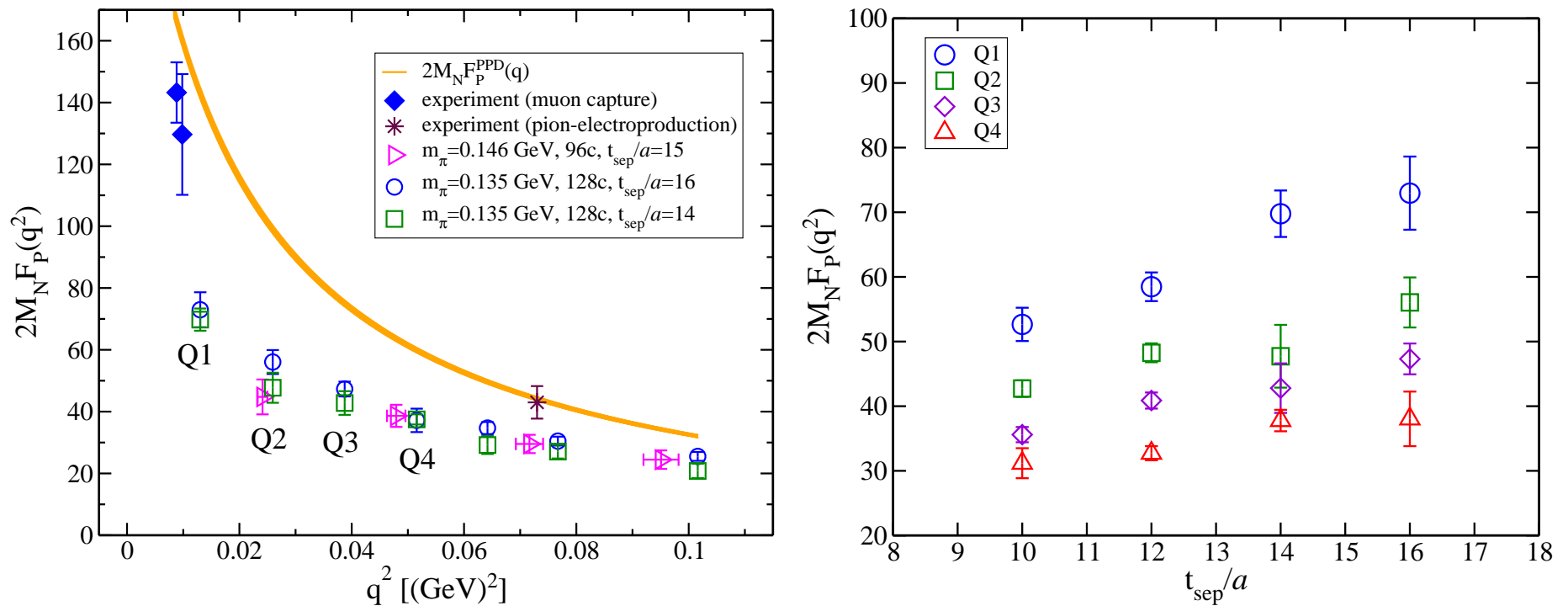


significantly smaller than experiments and PPD

$$\text{Pion pole dominance (PPD): } 2M_N F_P(q^2) = \frac{4M_N^2 F_A(q^2)}{m_\pi^2 + q^2}$$



# Induced pseudoscalar form factor $F_P(q^2)$ [PACS, PRD99:1:014510(2019)]



clear  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence  $\rightarrow$  large excited state contribution

## Several discussions of excited state contribution

quark mass shift in Axial Ward-Takahashi identity

[Sasaki and TY, PRD78:014510(2008); PACS, PRD98:7:074510(2018)]

$\pi N$  scattering contribution in HBChPT [Bär, PRD99:5:054506(2018)]

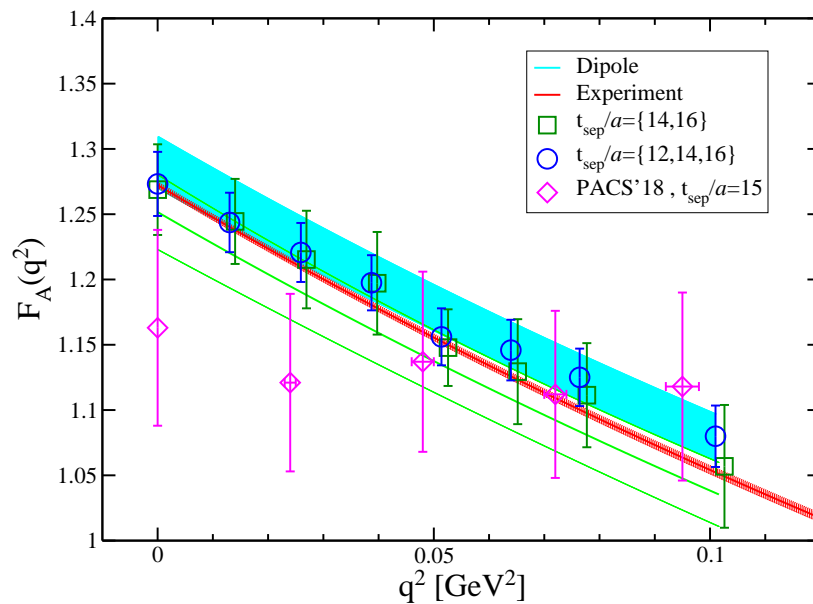
projection using  $\langle N|A_i|N\rangle$  and  $\langle N|A_4|N\rangle$  [Bali *et al.*, PLB789:666(2019)]

multi-exponential fits of 3-pt function [PNDME, Lattice2019]

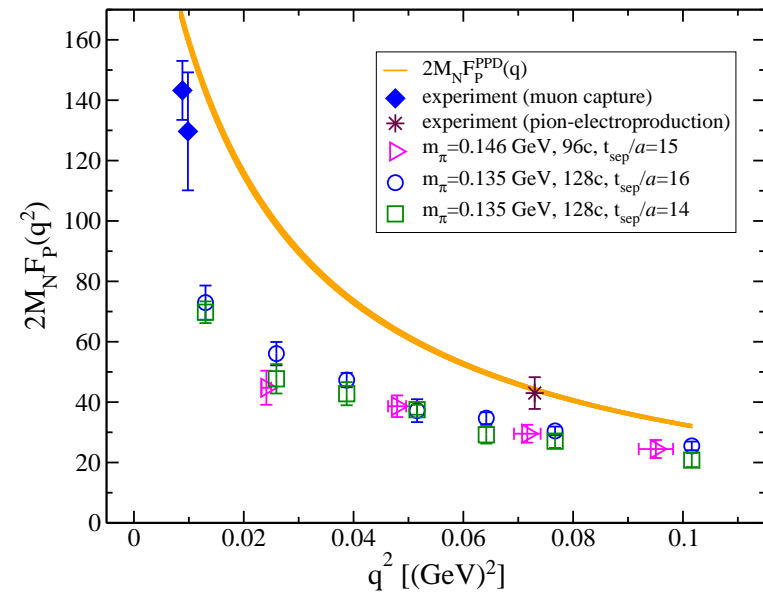
# Excited state contamination in $A_i$ matrix elements

$$R_{A_i} = \frac{C_{A_i}(t, q)}{e^{-M_N(t-t_{\text{src}})} e^{-E_N(t_{\text{sink}}-t)}} \propto F_A(q^2) \delta_{i3} - \frac{q_i q_3}{E_N + M_N} F_P(q^2)$$

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not significant contamination



significant contamination

Significant excited state contamination is observed only in  $F_P(q^2)$ .

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$$R_{A_3}^0 \propto F_A(q^2) \quad (q_3 = 0)$$

$$R_{A_3}^{NZ} \propto F_A(q^2) - \frac{q_3^2}{E_N + M_N} F_P(q^2) \quad (q_3 \neq 0)$$

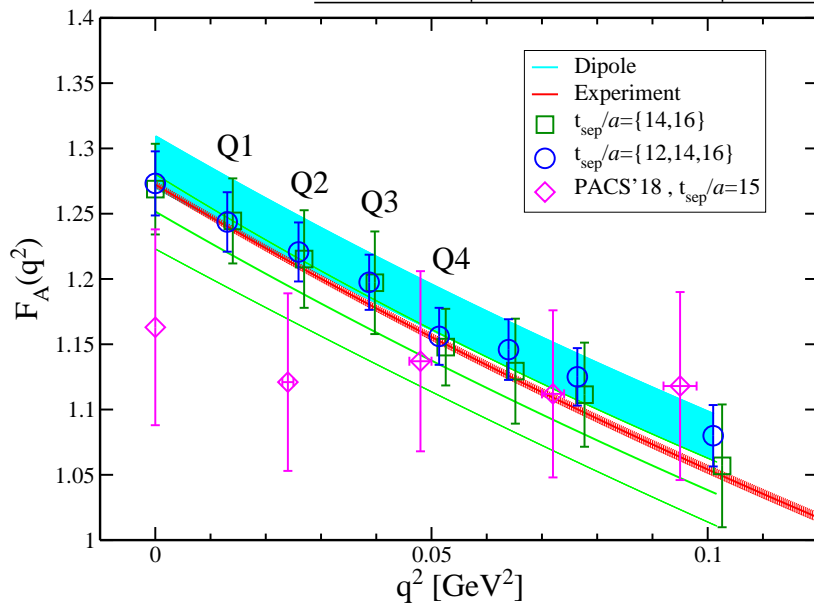
$$R_{A_j} \propto -\frac{q_3 q_j}{E_N + M_N} F_P(q^2) \quad (q_3, q_j \neq 0, j = 1, 2)$$

## Determination of $F_A(q^2)$ and $F_P(q^2)$

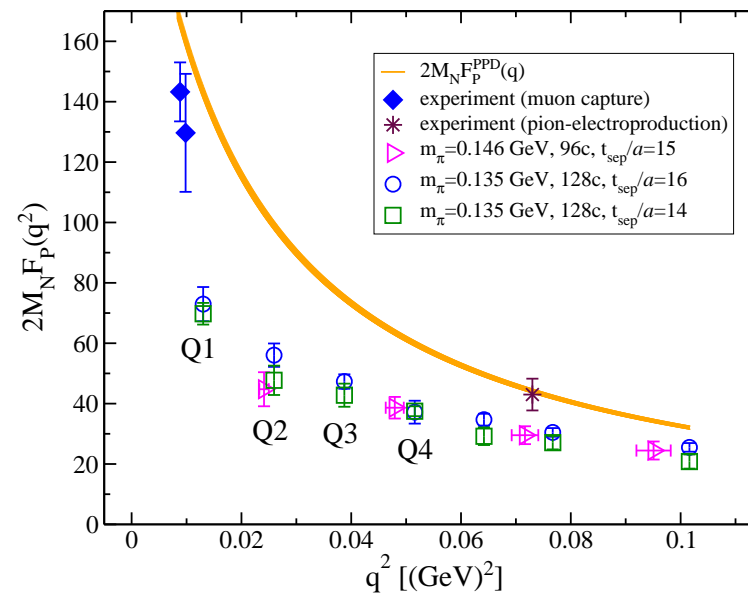
$(\vec{q}L/2\pi)^2$	$\vec{q}L/2\pi$ example	$F_A(q^2)$	$F_P(q^2)$
1	(1,0,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_3}^0$
2	(1,1,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_j}$
3	(1,1,1)	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_j}$	$R_{A_j}$
4	(2,0,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_3}^0$

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Q1	1	(1,0,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_3}^0$
Q2	2	(1,1,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_j}$
Q3	3	(1,1,1)	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_j}$	$R_{A_j}$
Q4	4	(2,0,0)	$R_{A_3}^0$	$R_{A_3}^{NZ}, R_{A_3}^0$



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significant contamination

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## Excited state contamination in $A_i$ matrix elements

Expected properties of excited state contamination

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Same properties are predicted in HBChPT.

LO HBChPT [Bär, PRD99:5:054506(2018)]

Leading  $\pi N$  contribution proportional to  $q_3$

Cancellation of leading  $\pi N$  contributions can be shown

using PPD assumption

$$\text{Pion pole dominance (PPD): } F_P(q^2) = \frac{2M_N F_A(q^2)}{m_\pi^2 + q^2}$$

Expected properties useful to develop new analysis method

Similar cancellation may happen in  $A_4$  and  $A_i$  matrix elements.

# Summary

Nucleon form factors by PACS Collaboration

large volume  $> (8 \text{ fm})^3$  (near) at physical pion mass

$96^4$  [PRD98:7:074510(2018)] and PACS10 [PRD99:1:014510(2019)] configurations

Isovector couplings and form factors

- $g_A$  agrees with experiment, and  $g_T, g_S$  agree with FLAG19 average
- $G_M(q^2), F_A(q^2)$  agree well with experiment
- $F_P(q^2)$  has large  $t_{\text{sep}}$  dependence (new analysis method necessary)

## Future works

- investigate discrepancy in  $G_E(q^2)$
- continuum extrapolation  
PACS10 configuration  $160^4$  and  $256^4$
- disconnected diagram calculation

Back up

## Isovector form factors

- Vector and induced tensor form factors

(elastic proton-electron scattering)

$$\langle N, p | V_\mu(q) | N, p' \rangle = \bar{u}_N(p) \left( F_1(q^2) \gamma_\mu + i \sigma_{\mu\nu} q_\nu \frac{F_2(q^2)}{2M_N} \right) u_N(p')$$

$$F_1(q^2), F_2(q^2) \rightarrow G_E(q^2) = F_1(q^2) - \frac{q^2}{4M_N} F_2(q^2)$$
$$G_M(q^2) = F_1(q^2) + F_2(q^2)$$

- Axialvector and induced pseudoscalar form factors

( $\beta$  decay; muon capture on proton; neutrino-nucleon scattering; pion electroproduction)

$$\langle N, p | A_\mu(q) | N, p' \rangle = \bar{u}_N(p) \left( F_A(q^2) i \gamma_5 \gamma_\mu + i \gamma_5 q_\mu F_P(q^2) \right) u_N(p')$$

- Pseudoscalar form factor

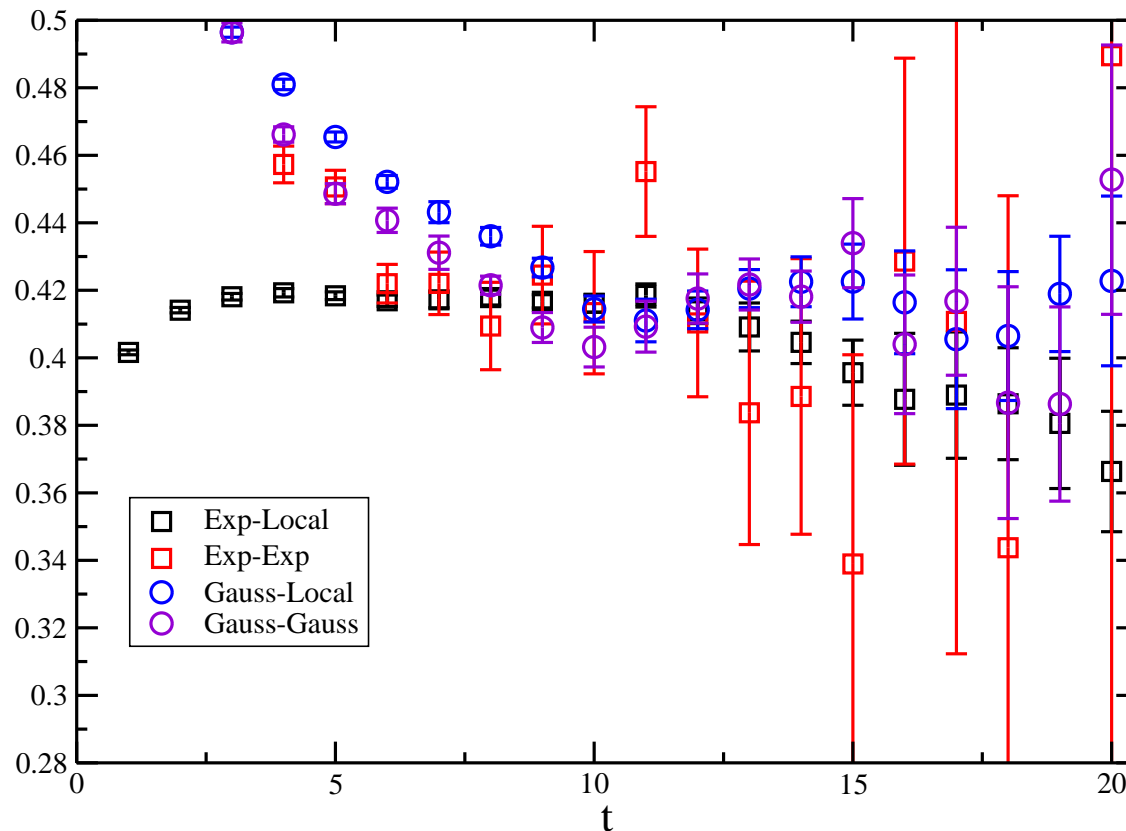
$$\langle N, p | P(q) | N, p' \rangle = \bar{u}_N(p) \left( G_P(q^2) \gamma_5 \right) u_N(p')$$

- Axial Ward-Takahashi identity

$$2M_N F_A(q^2) - q^2 F_P(q^2) = 2m_q G_P(q^2)$$



# Effective mass on $128^4$ lattice



Gauss source preliminary

Exponential and Gauss sources : plateau starts in  $t \sim 10$

Exponential : easy to tune parameter

error of 3pt at the same  $t_{\text{sep}}$ : exponential  $>$  Gauss

→ error of 2pt : Exp-Exp  $>$  Gauss-Gauss, e.g.,  $t = 16$