

**SU(3)-breaking effects and
induced second-class form factors
in hyperon beta decays
from 2+1 flavor lattice QCD**

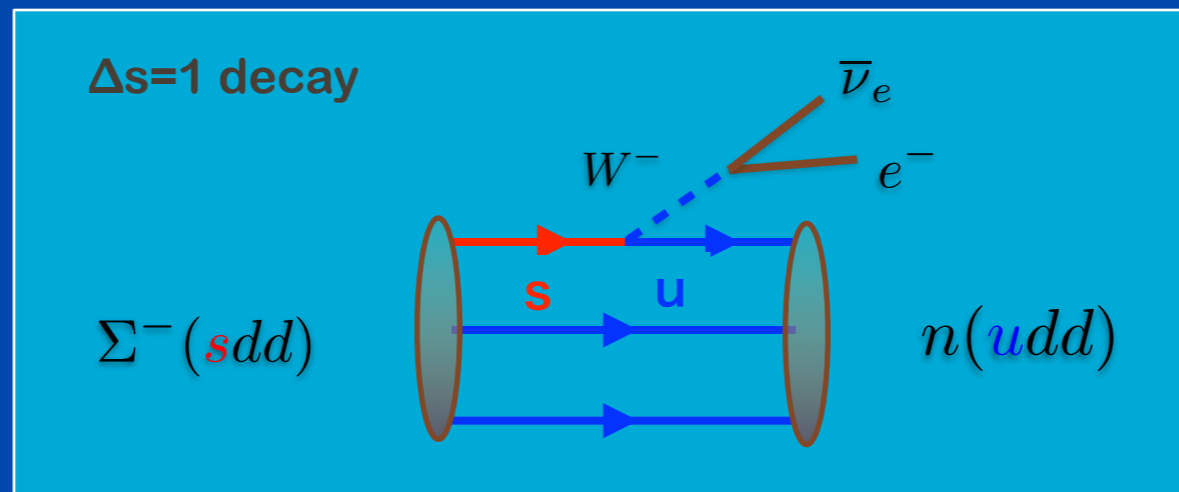
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Weak transition process from **s-quark** to **u-quark**

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$$q_\alpha = (p_{B_1} - p_{B_2})_\alpha = (p_l + p_\nu)_\alpha$$

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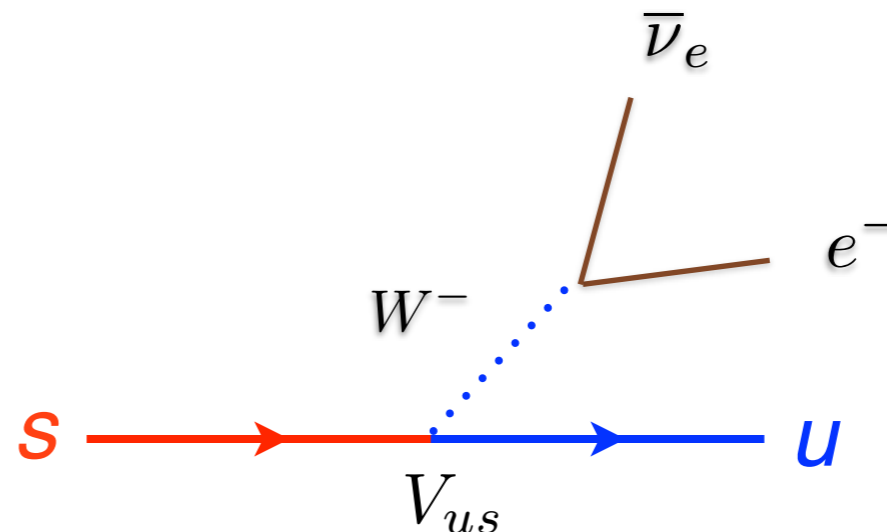
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 - ***Proton spin problem**

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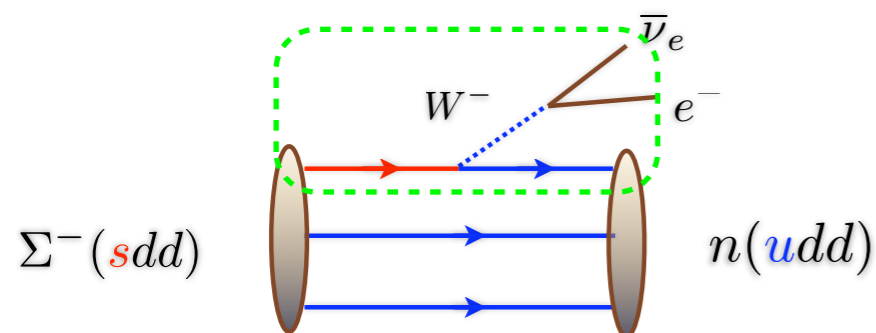
$s \rightarrow u$ transition
(Weak process)



★ Hyperon beta decay provides a determination of $|V_{us}|$

$$\text{Decay rate} \propto |V_{us}|^2 \underline{|f_1(0)|^2}$$

Quantum correction by strong interaction

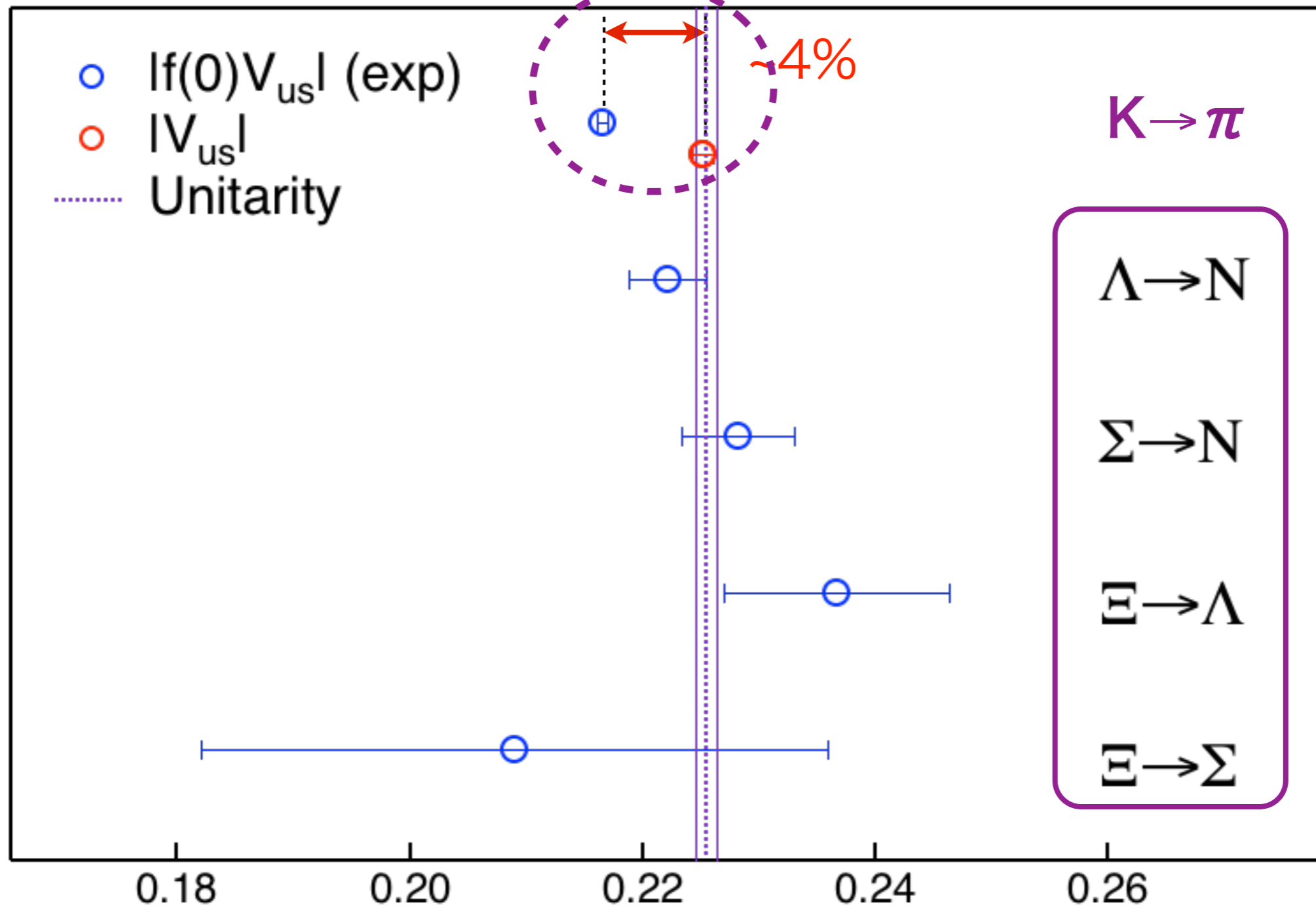


Recall:

In the exact flavor $SU(3)$ limit, the weak vector coupling doesn't receive any quantum corrections **even inside hadrons**

SU(3) breaking corrections on V_{us}

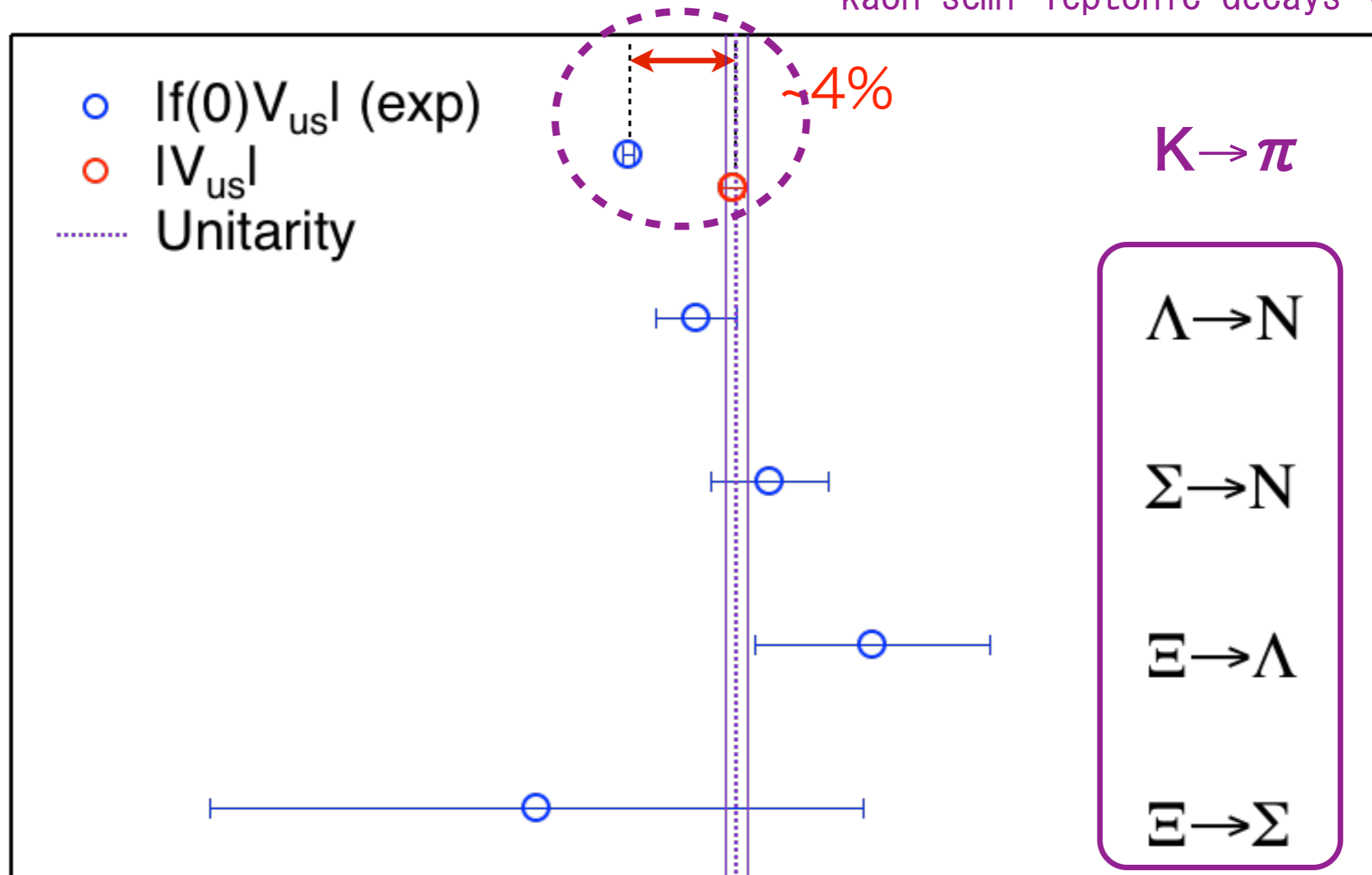
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SU(3) breaking effects are less known in hyperon decays

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* **Model independent** evaluation of flavor SU(3)-breaking corrections is primarily required

* It can be achieved with **high accuracy** by lattice QCD

2+1 flavor DWF results

► **2+1 flavor** RBC+UKQCD gauge configurations

- **Domain wall fermions and Iwasaki gauge action**

- **coarser lattice: $L^3 \times T \times L_5 = 24^3 \times 64 \times 16$ ($\beta=2.13$, $1/a \sim 1.7$ GeV)**

- $m_{ud}=0.005, 0.01, 0.02$ (3 lightest u,d quark masses)

- fixed **strange** quark masses at $m_s=0.04$

- ✓ partly published in [PRD86 \(12\) 114502](#)

m_π [MeV]	# of meas.	src-sink sep.
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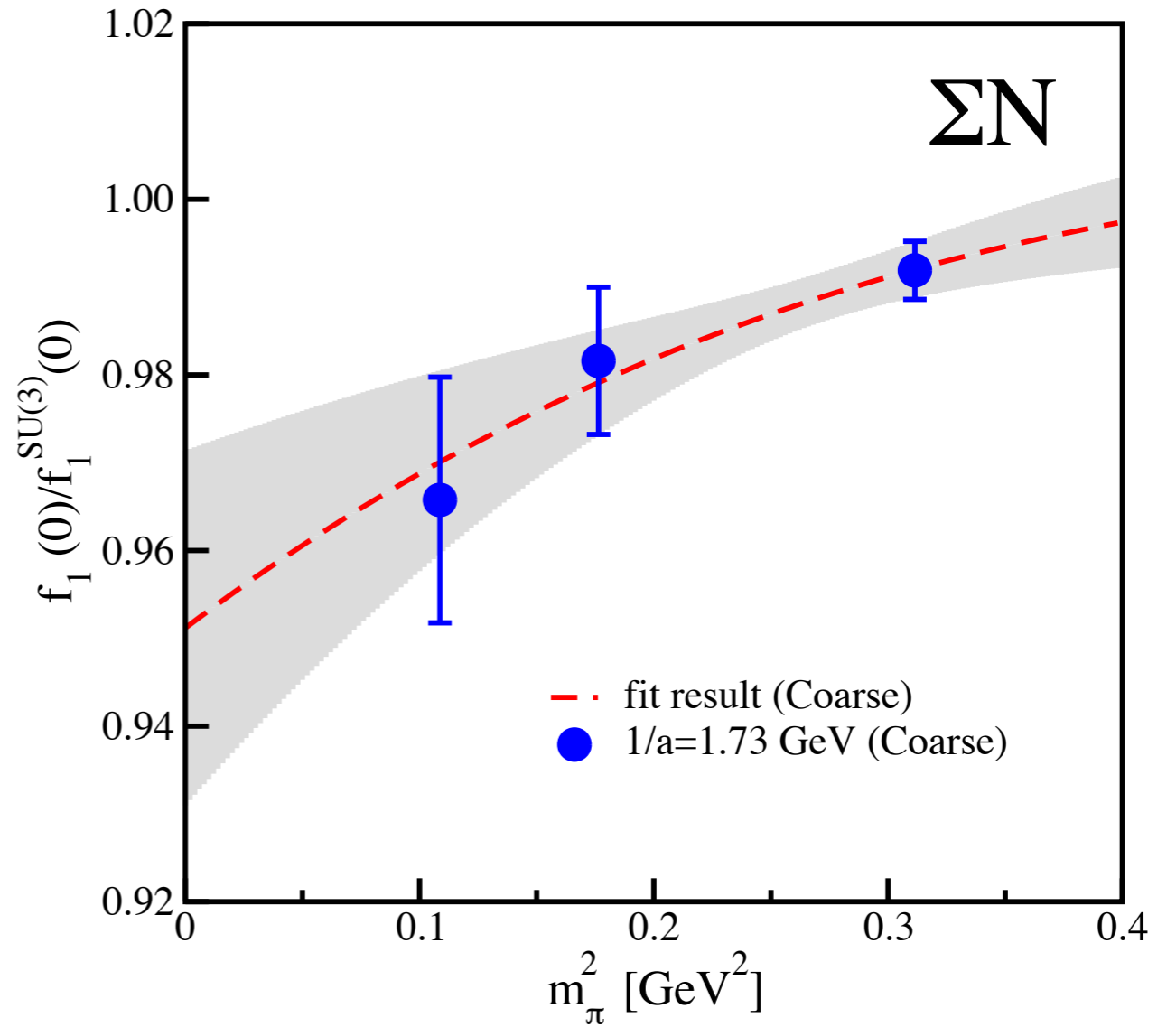
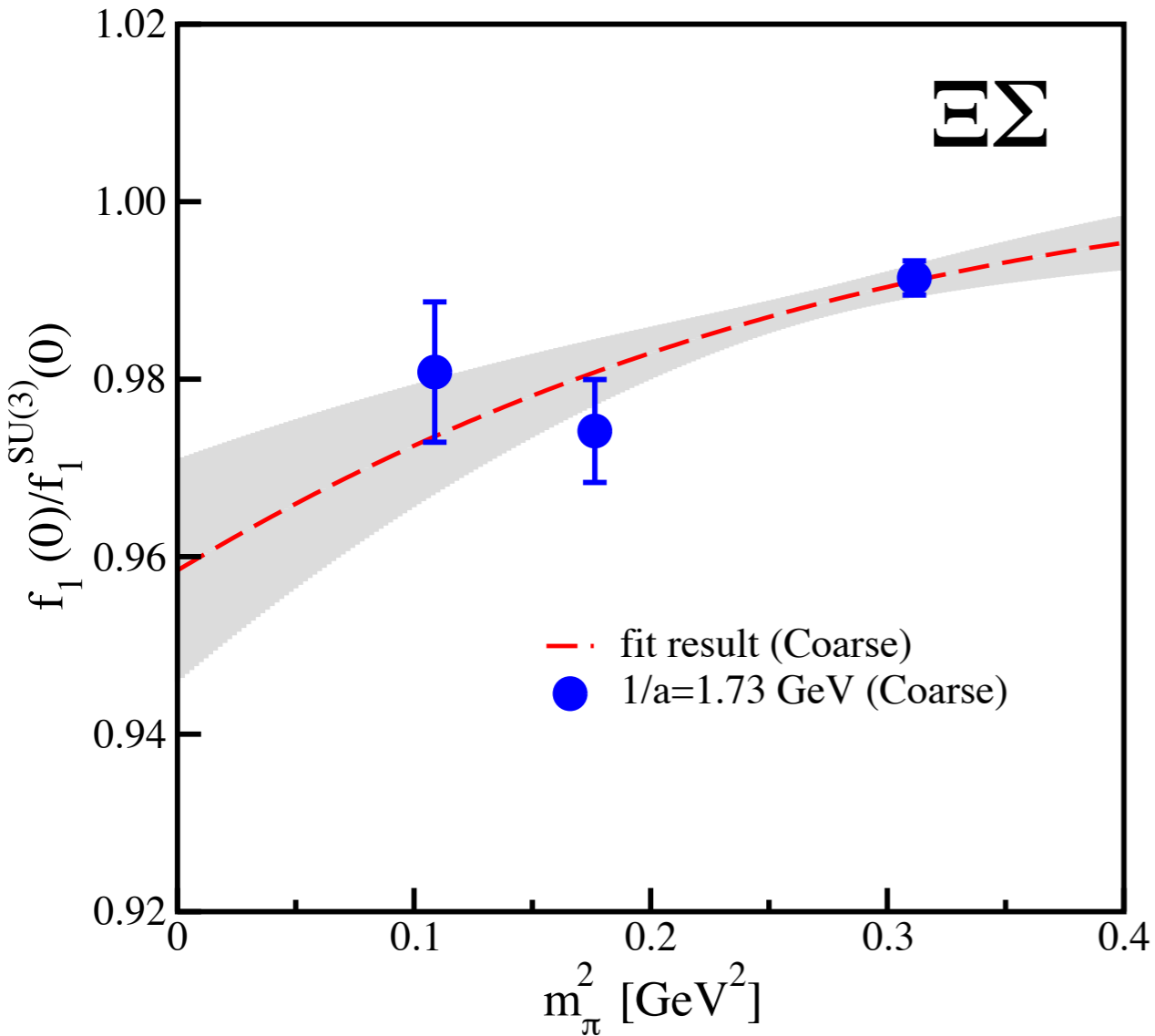
- partly reported at Lattice 2013

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290	120 x 8	15
345	120 x 8	15
390	120 x 8	15

- **$\Sigma \rightarrow N$ and $\Xi \rightarrow \Sigma$ decays**

Coarse lattice data (published)

SS, Phys. Rev. D86, (2012) 114502



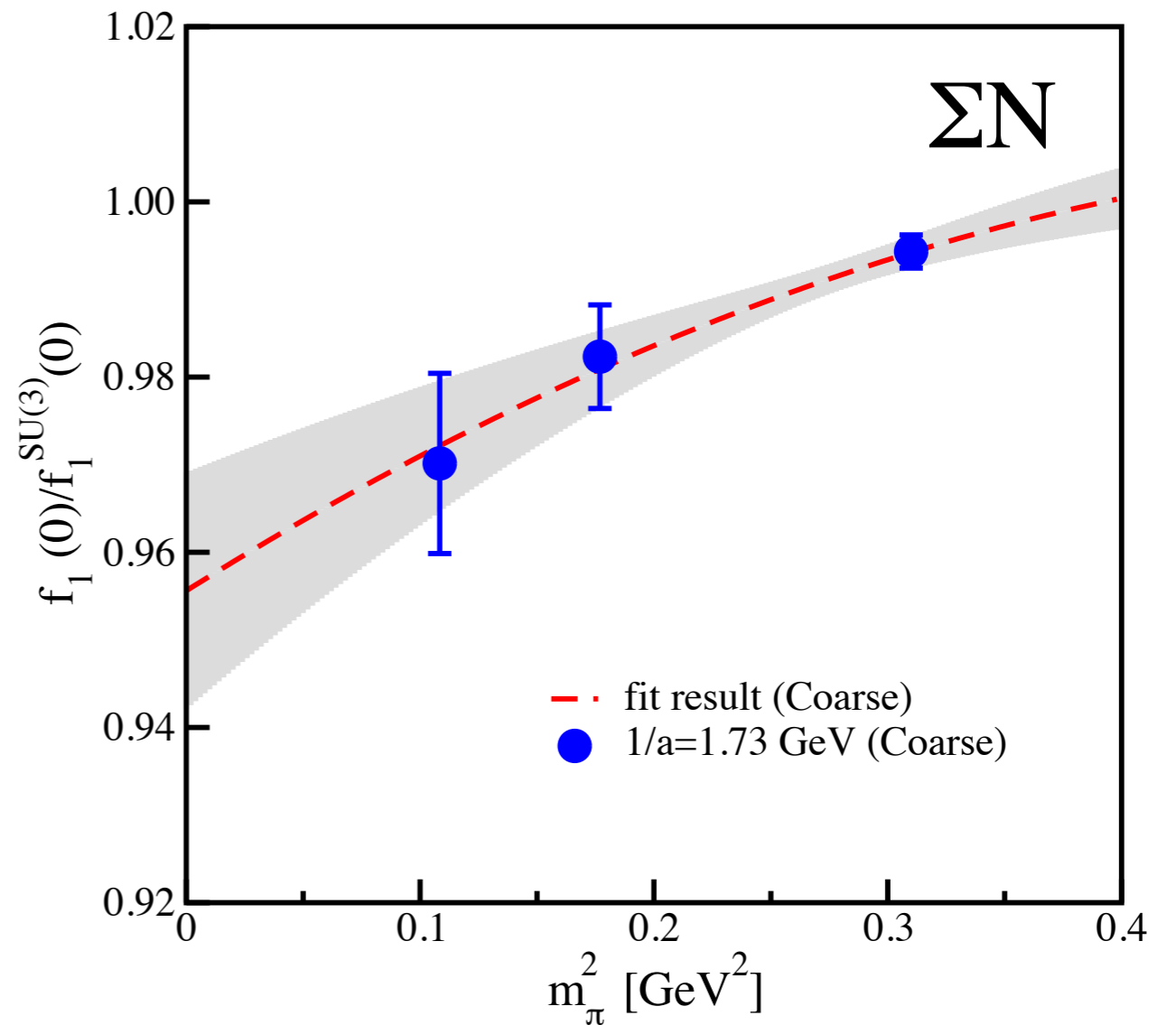
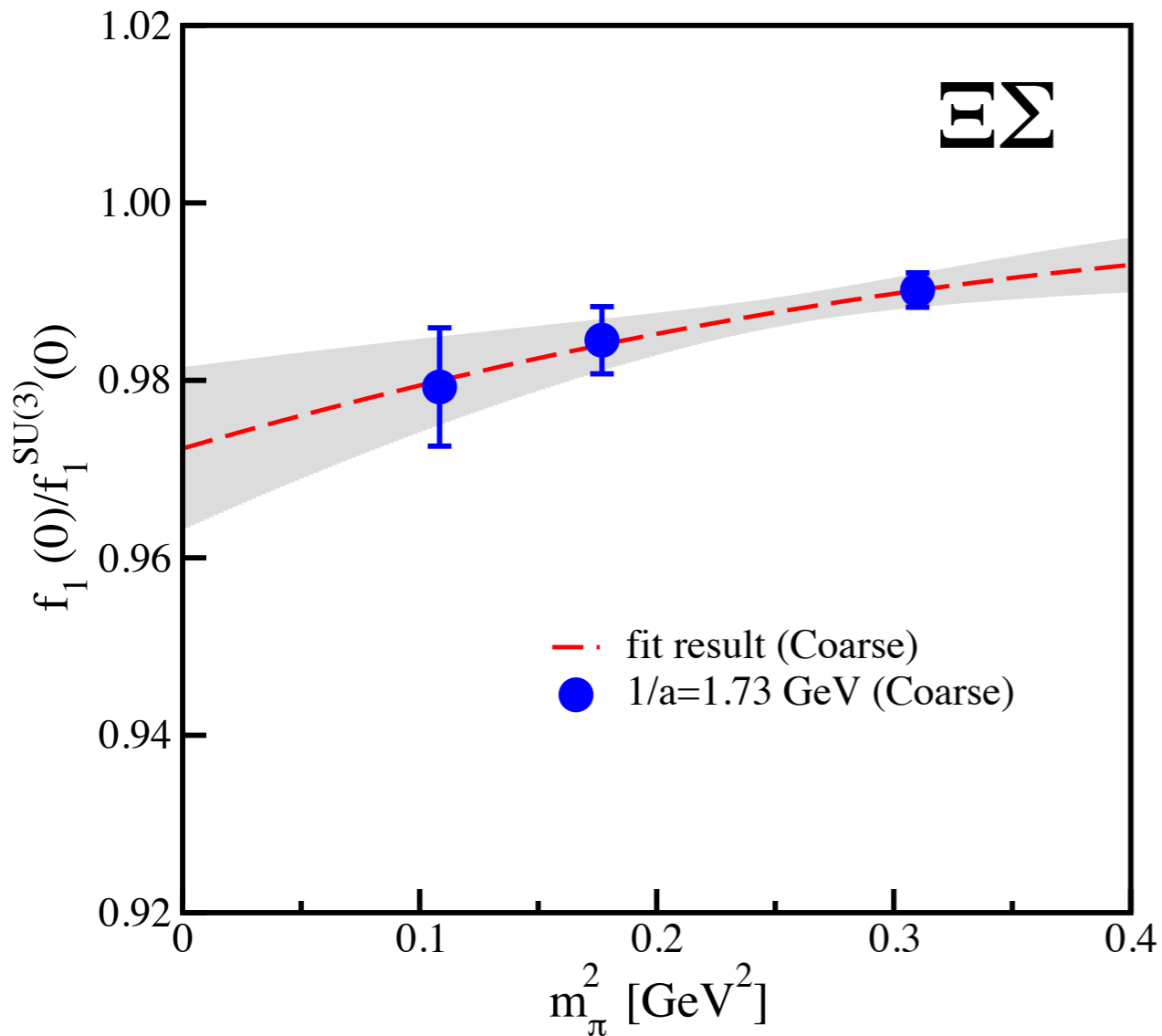
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Coarse lattice data (**updated**)

increase # of src points from 2 to 4



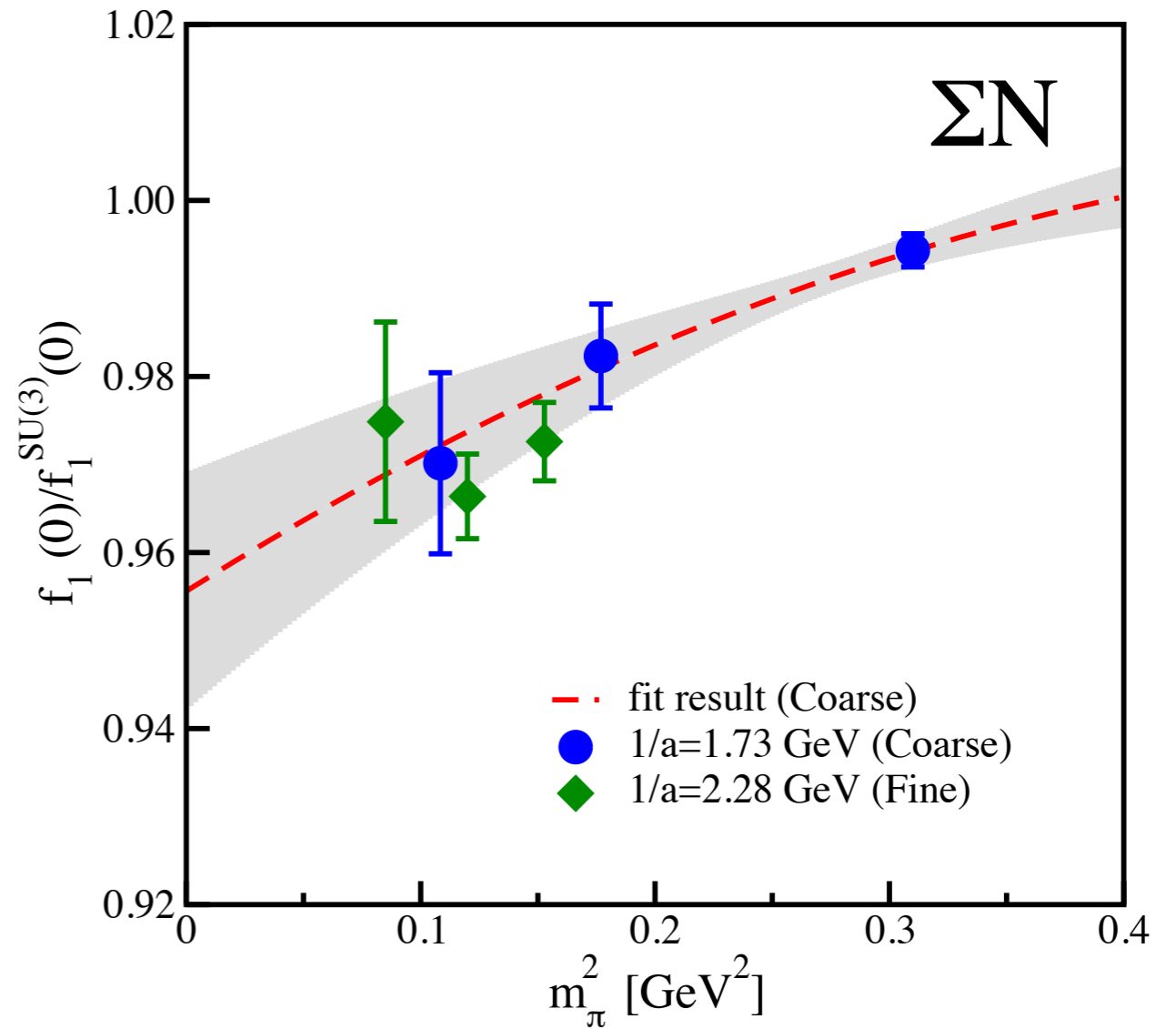
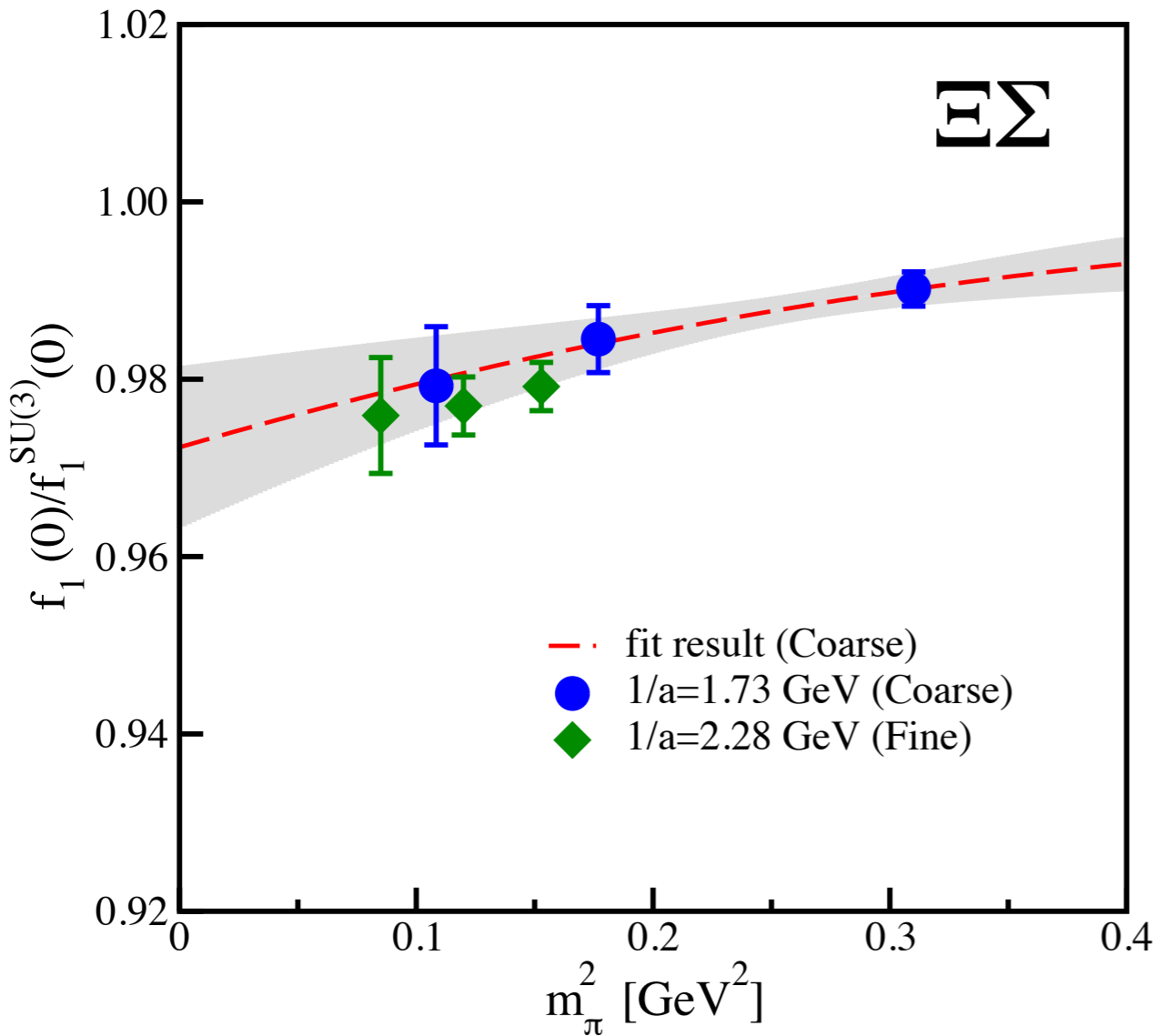
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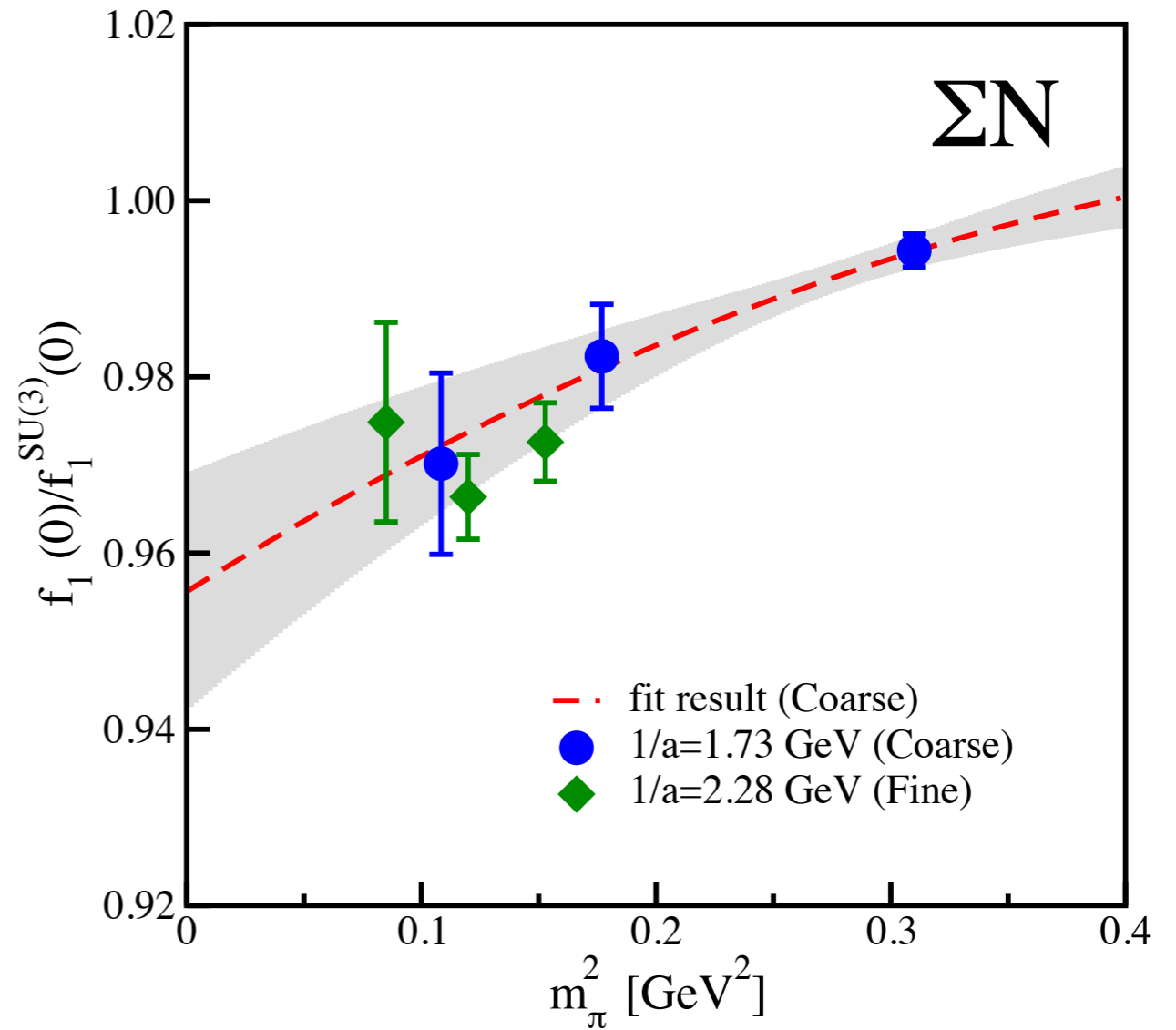
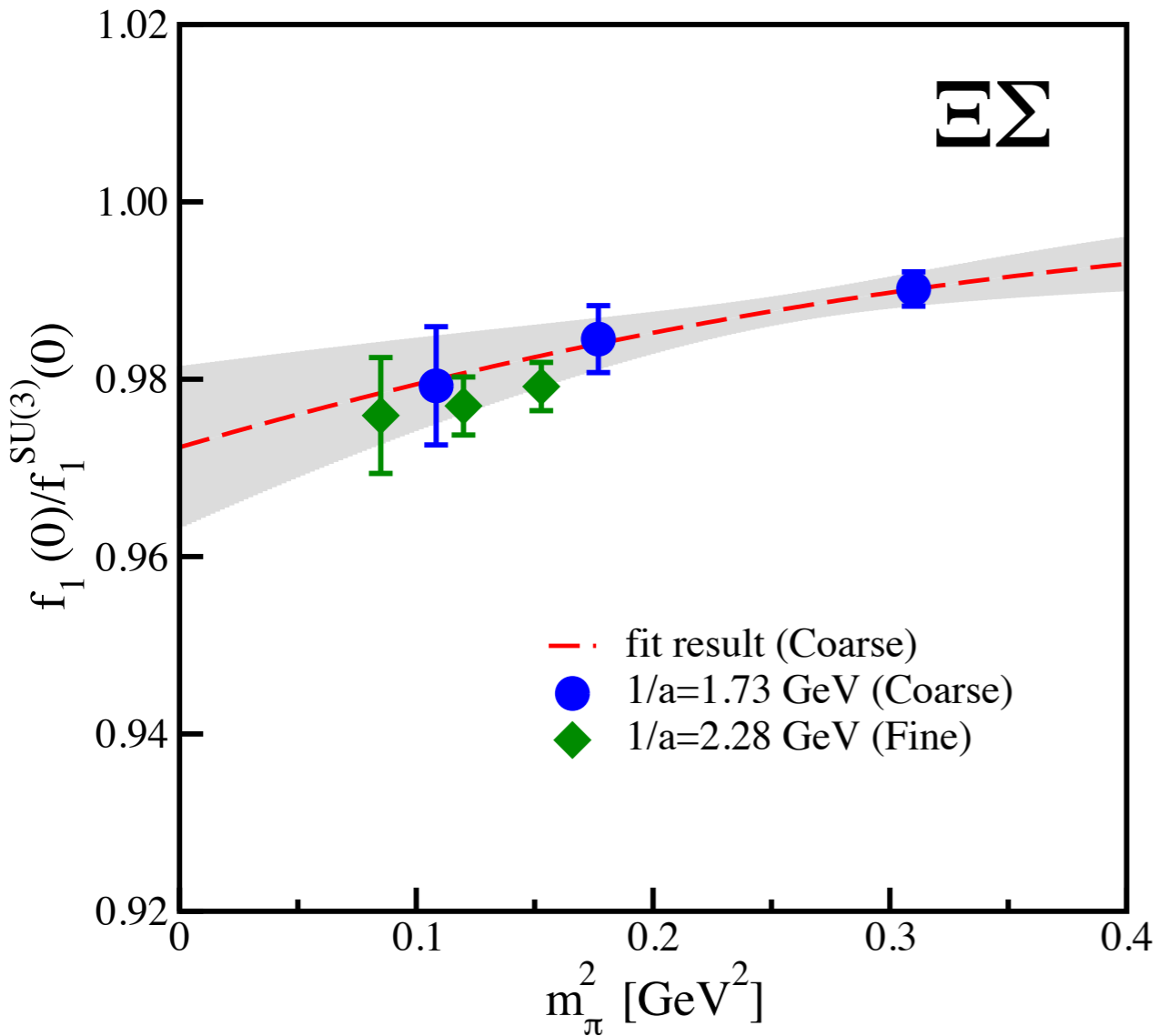
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include fine lattice data



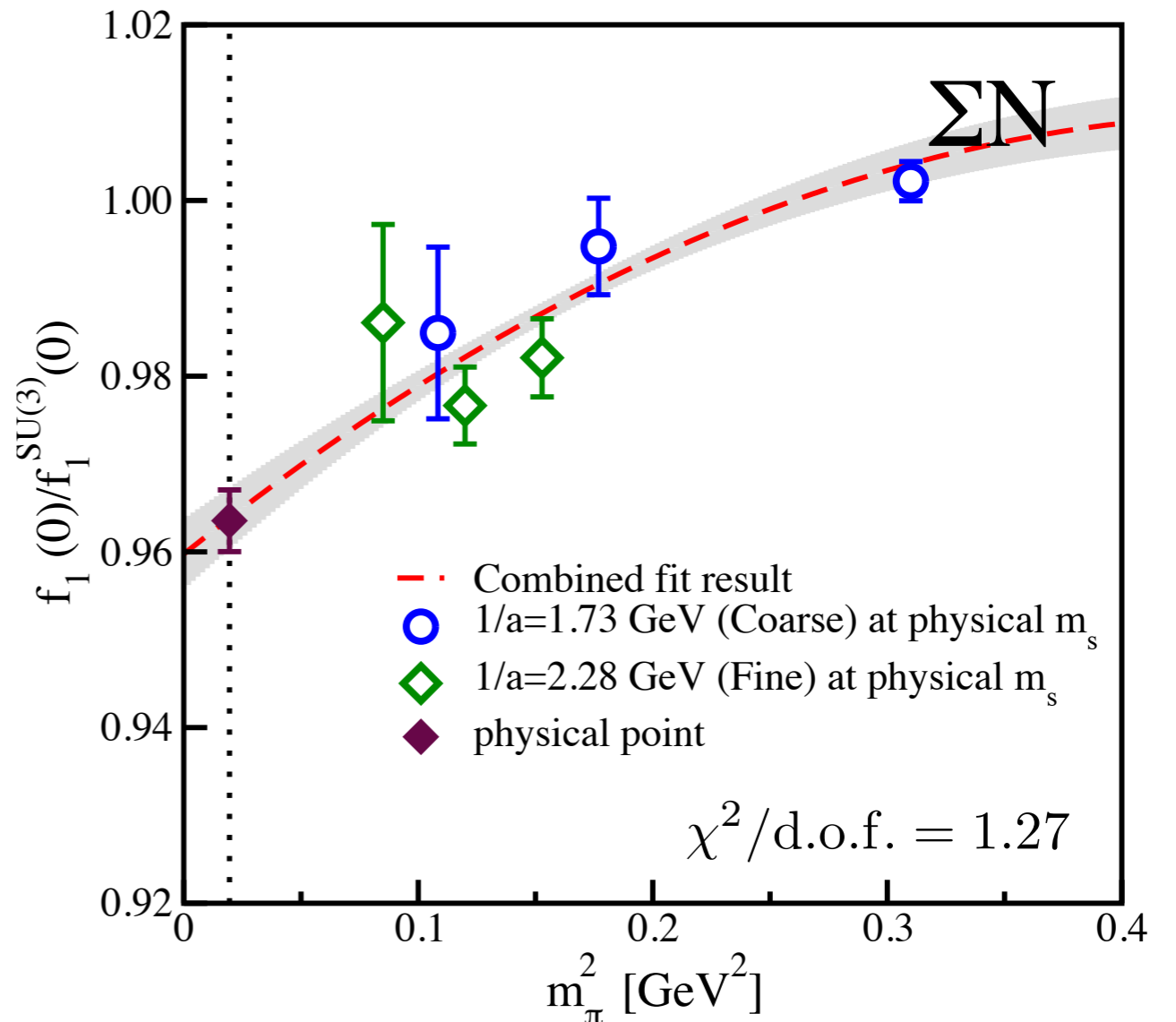
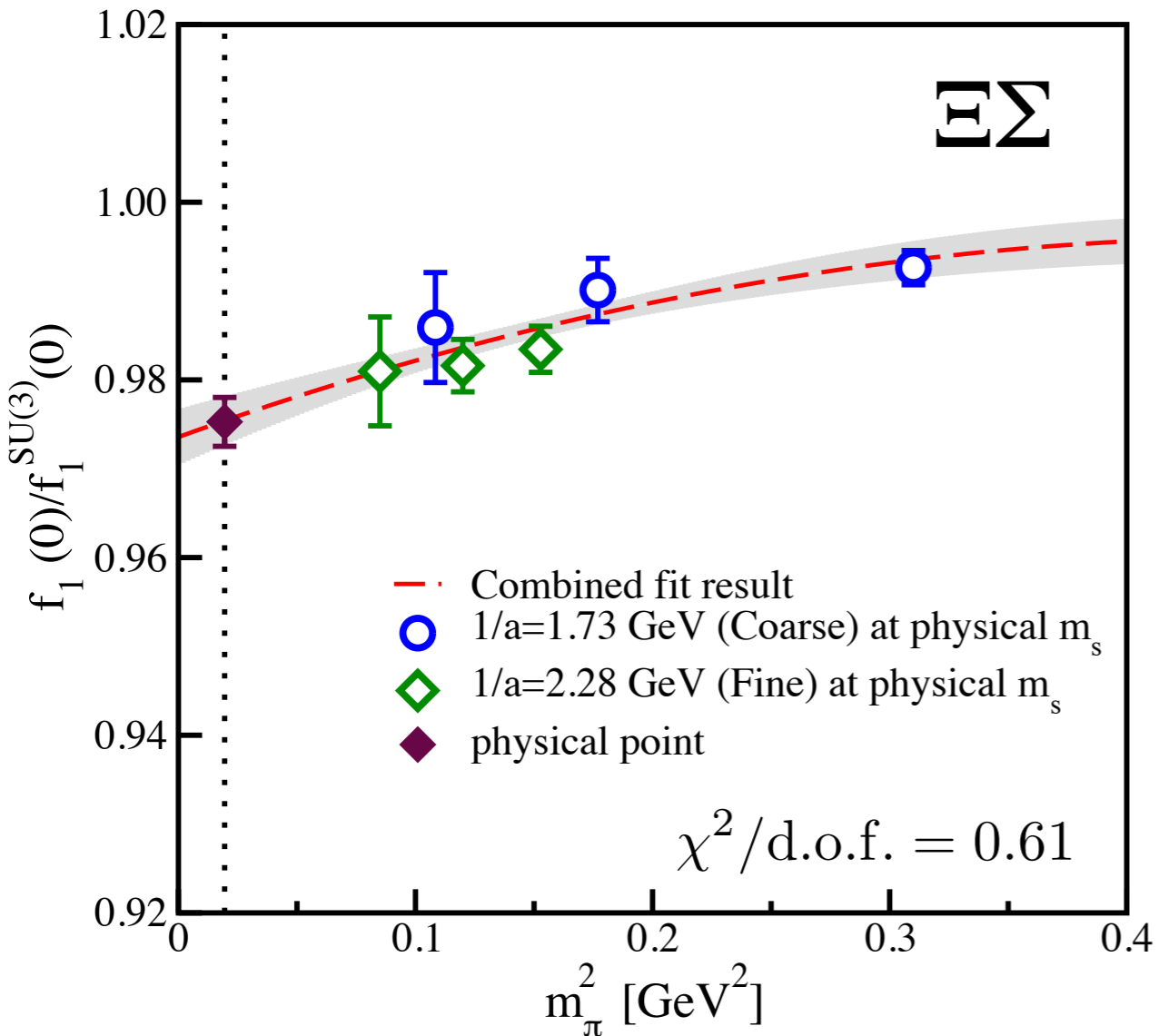
good scaling behavior (cutoff effect is small)

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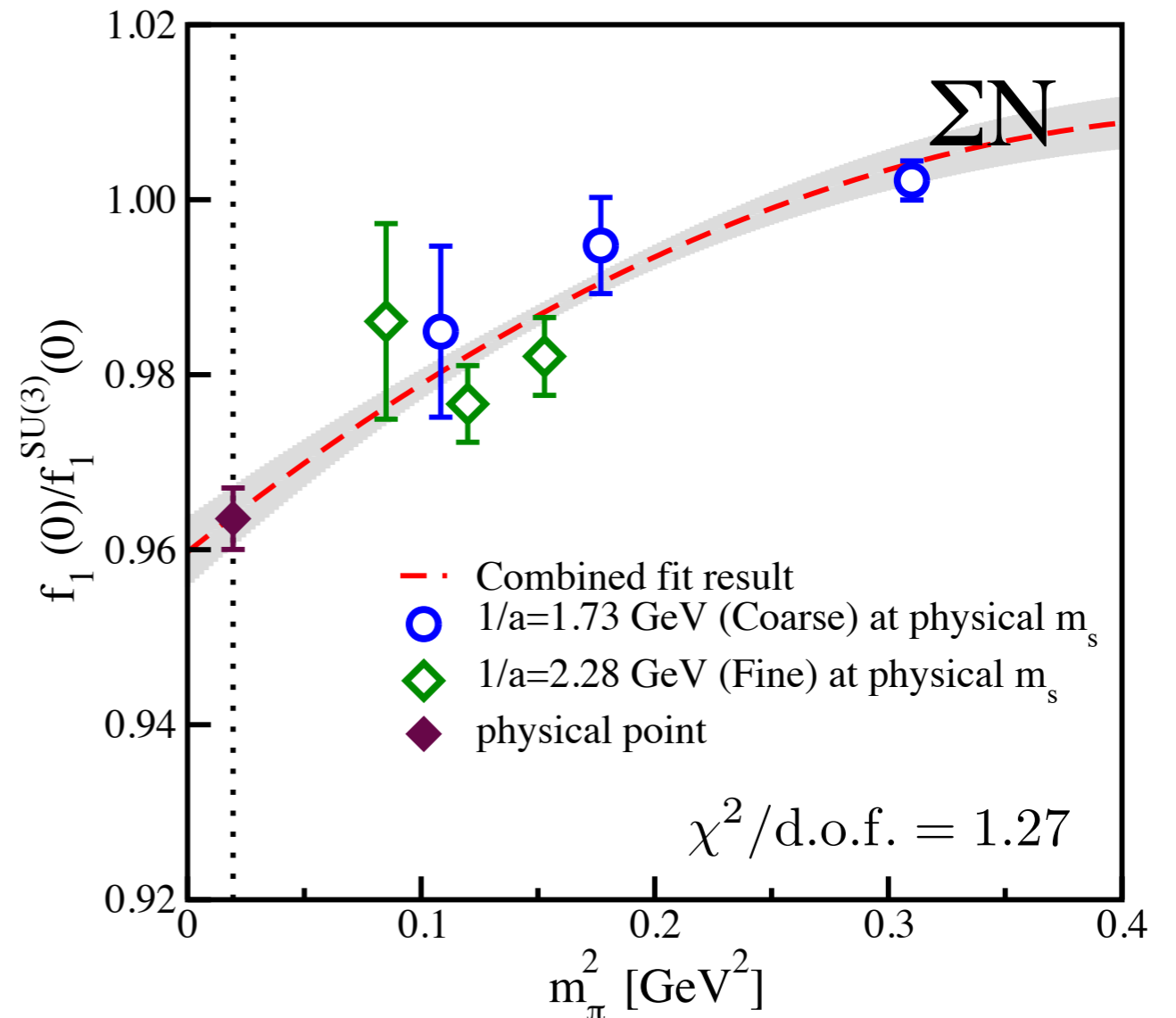
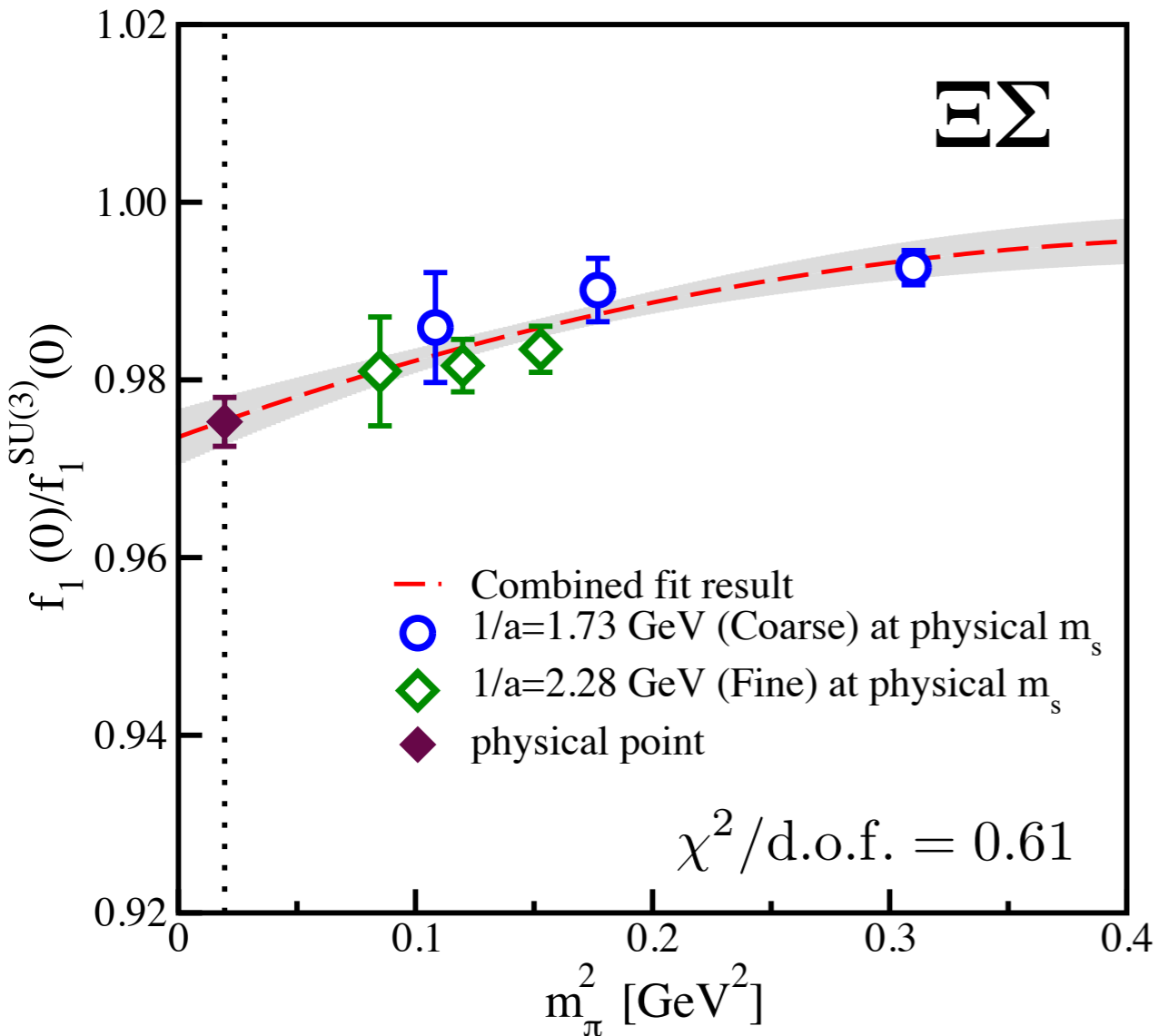
- needs a detailed study of **the strange quark mass dependence** since the simulated strange quark mass on both ensembles are not exactly at the physical point

Simultaneous global fitting of both data sets



- Take into account the slight deviation of the strange mass from the physical one by using the leading order of ChPT form (**GMOR relation**) for the pion and kaon masses in **combined fits**.

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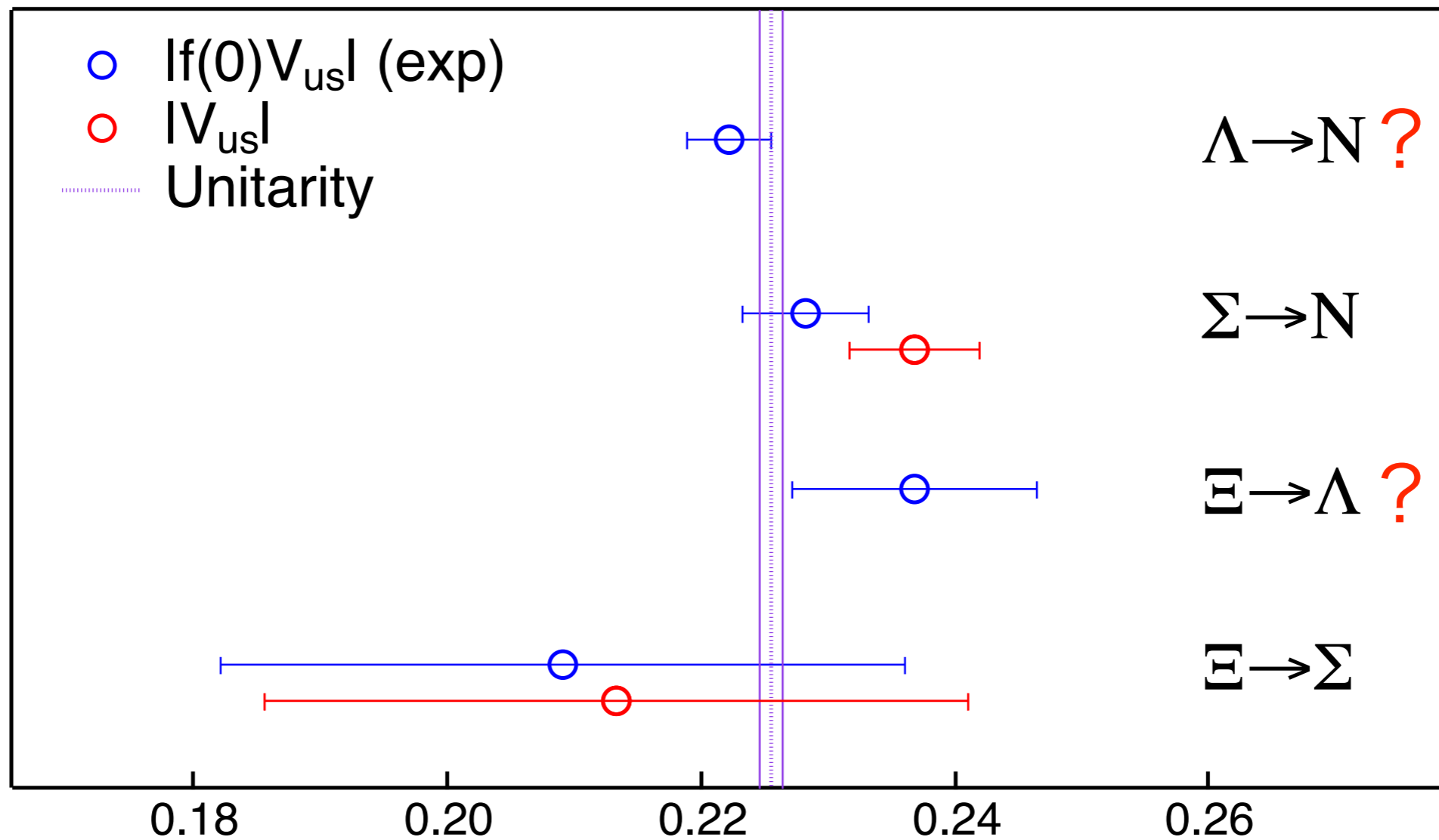


$$f_1^{\Xi \rightarrow \Sigma}(0) = +0.9753(28)_{\text{stat.}}(2)_{q^2}(25)_{m_q}$$

$$f_1^{\Sigma \rightarrow N}(0) = -0.9635(35)_{\text{stat.}}(38)_{q^2}(89)_{m_q}$$

less than 1% level accuracy

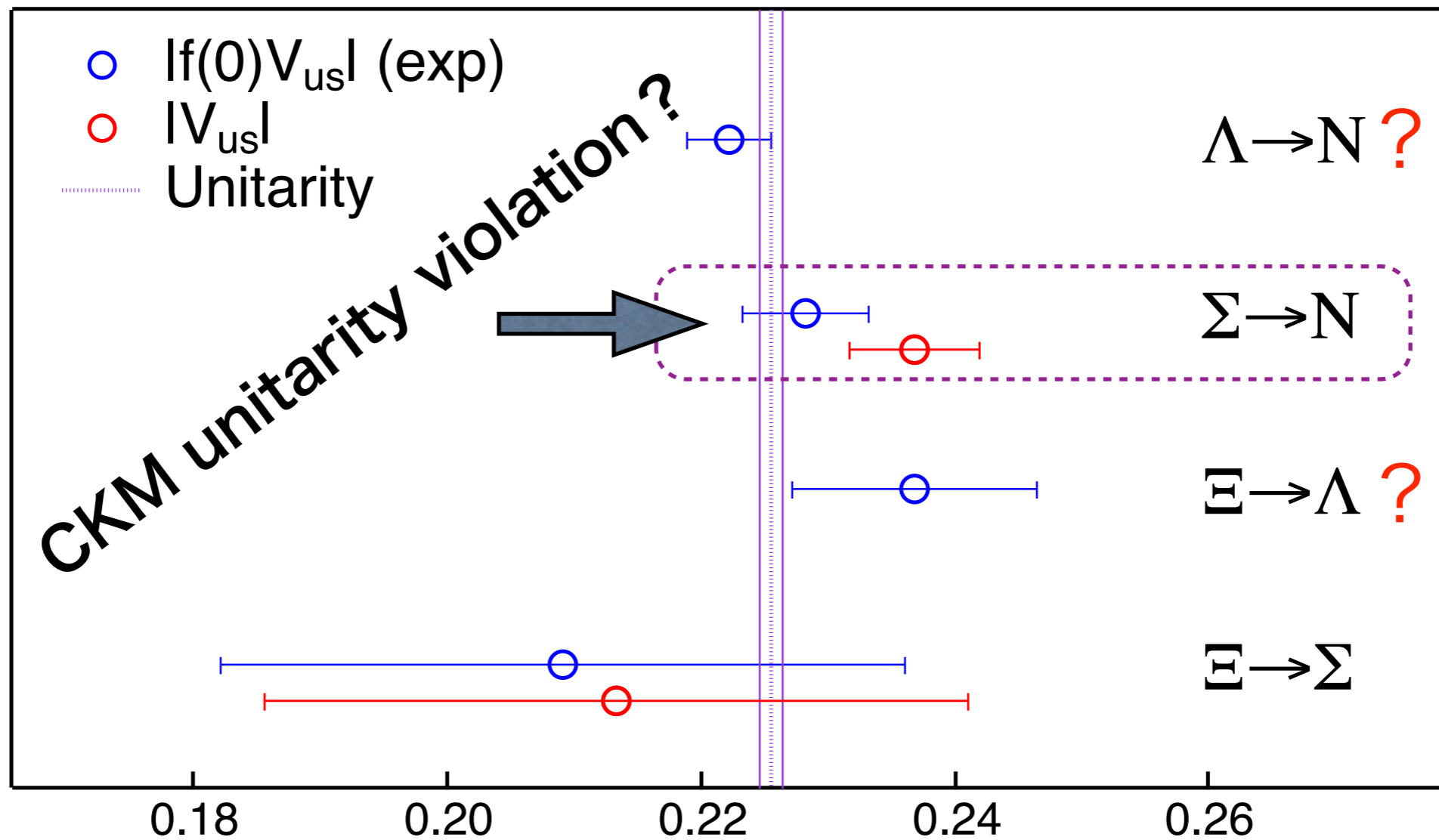
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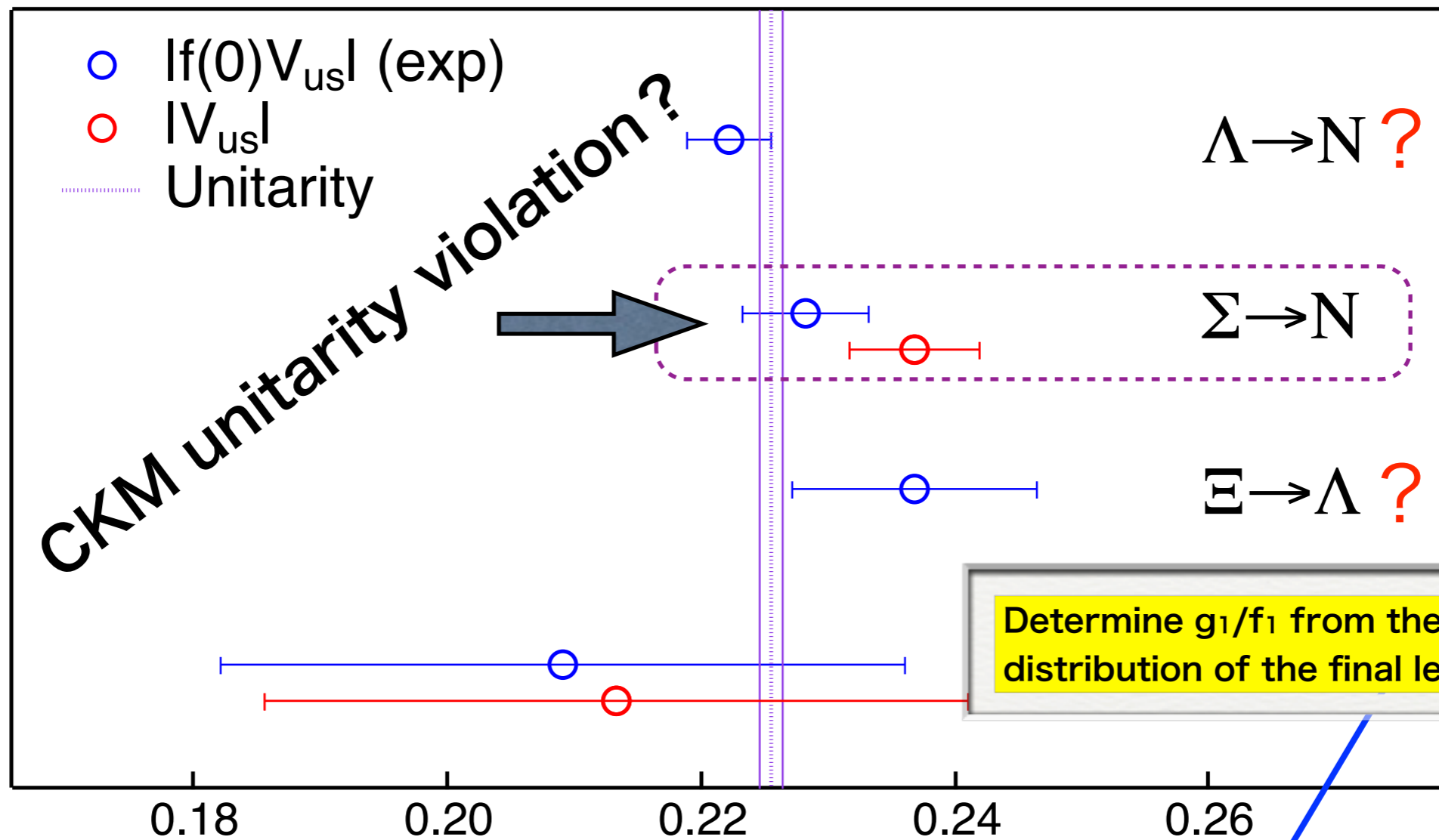
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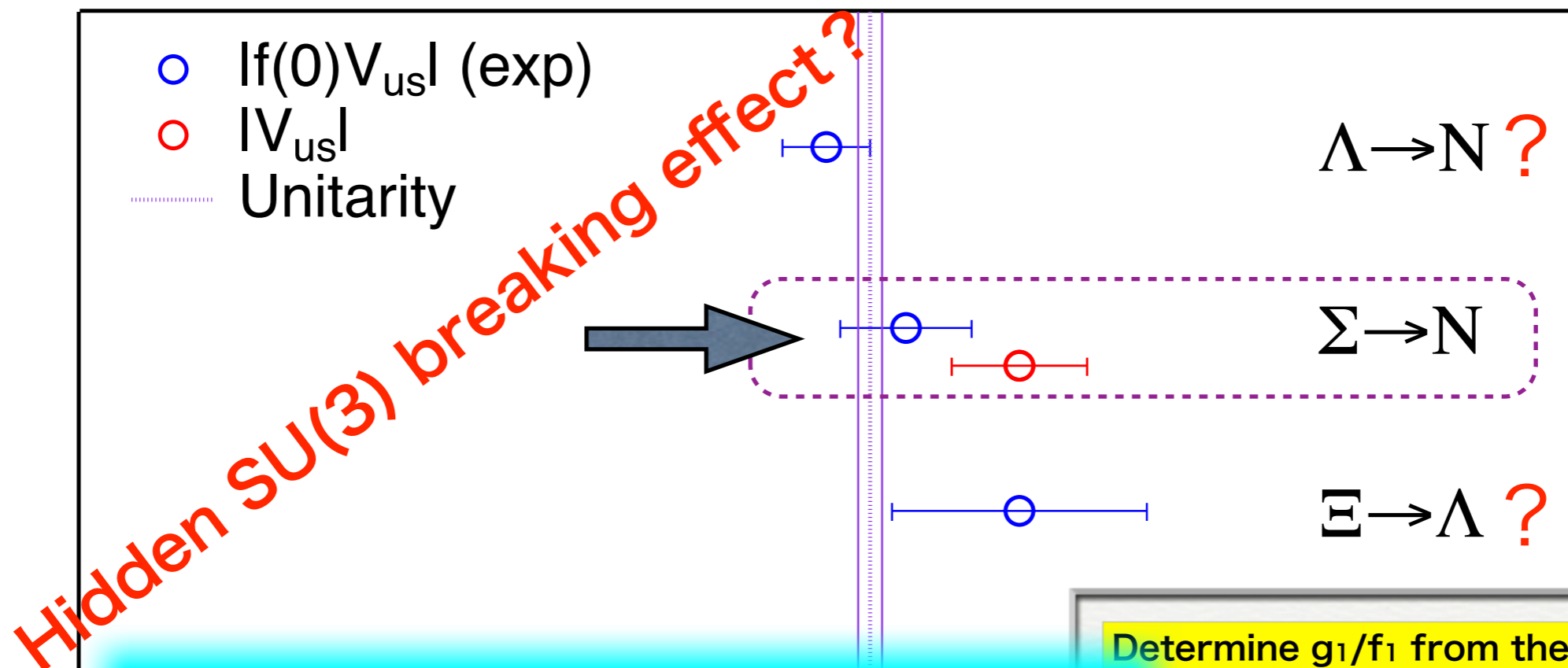
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Exact SU(3) symmetry world

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e.g. neutron beta decay

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Induced 2nd-class form factors

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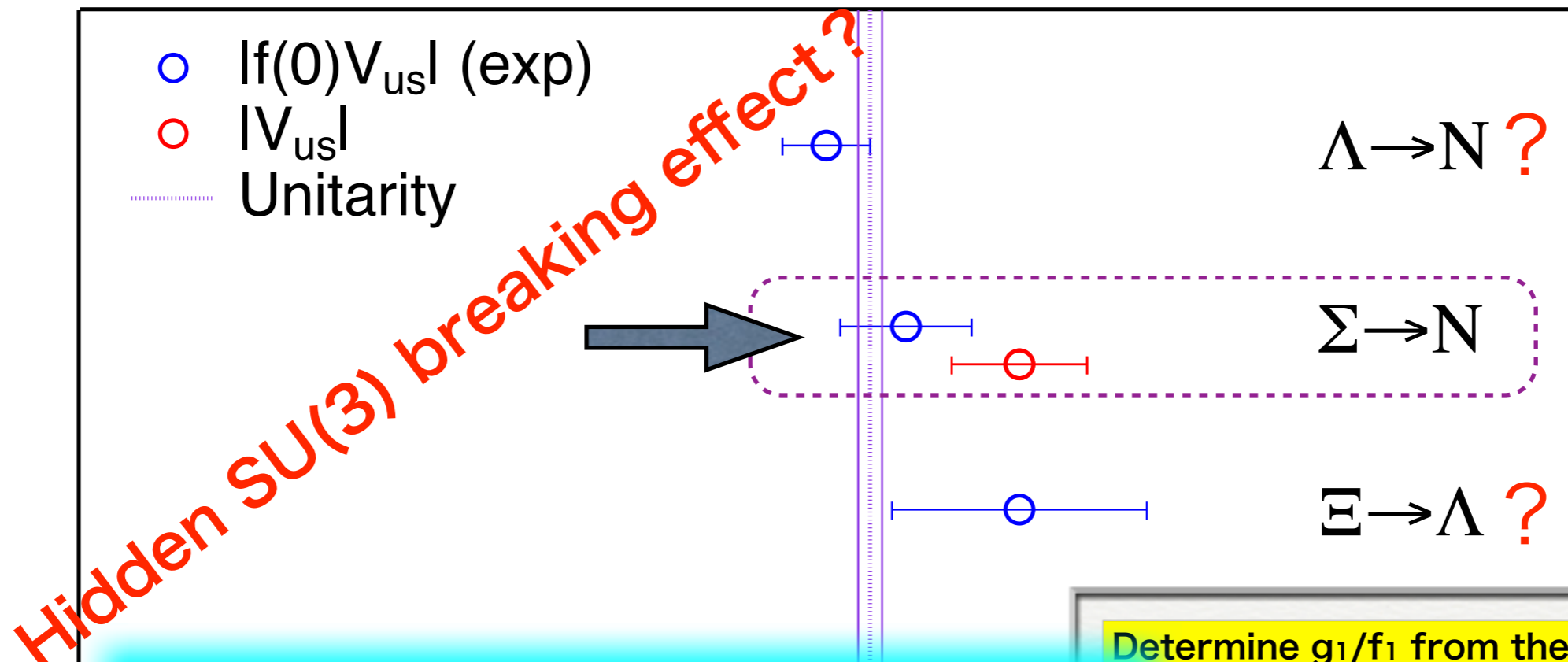
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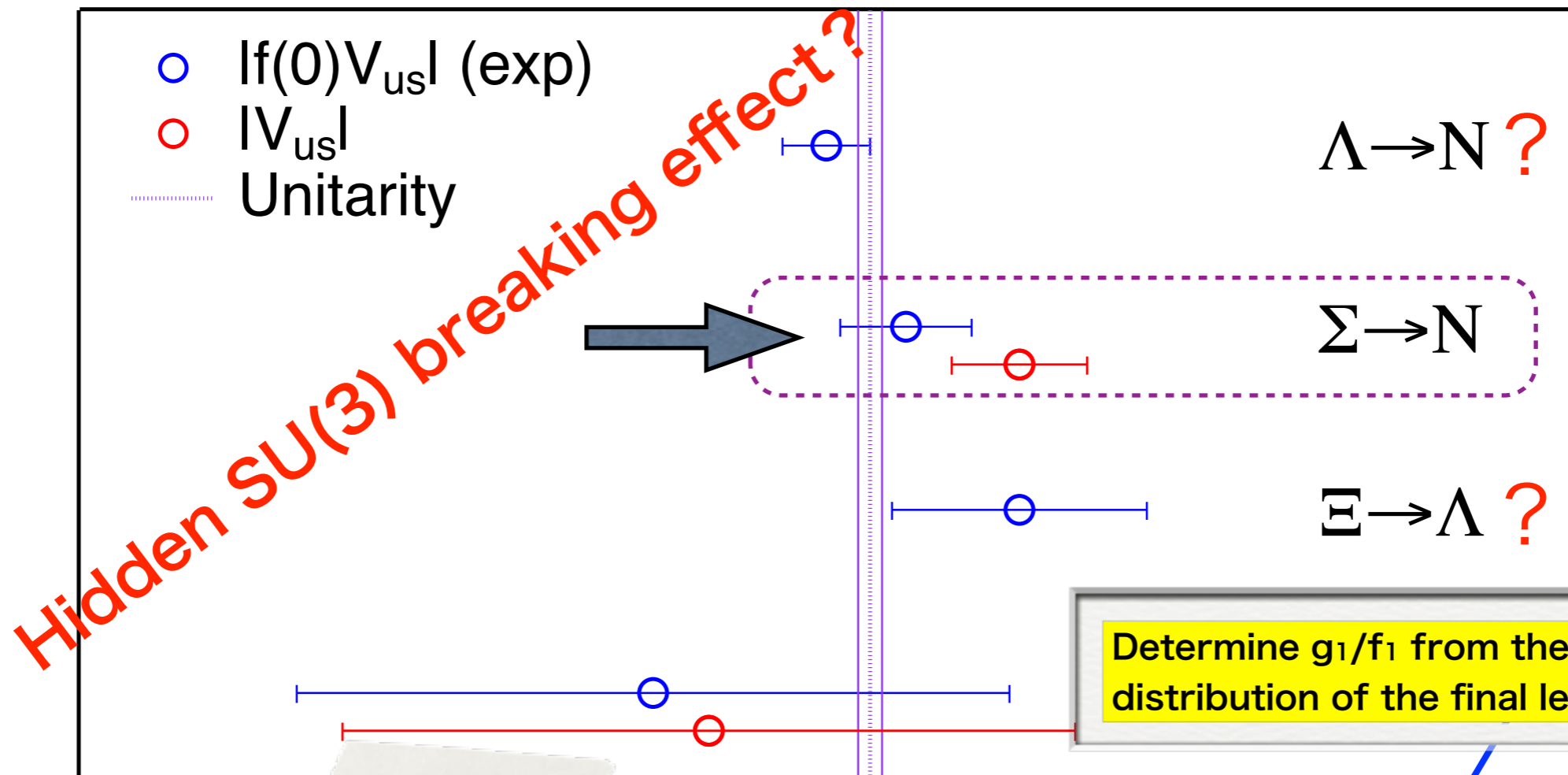
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Quenched simulations

$$\left| \frac{g_2(0)}{f_1(0)} \right| = 0.63$$

D. Guadagnoli et al., NPB761, 63 (07)

- $|f(0)V_{us}|$ (exp)
- $|V_{us}|$
- Unitarity

Hidden SU(3) breaking effects

$\Lambda \rightarrow N$?

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Full QCD result of g_2

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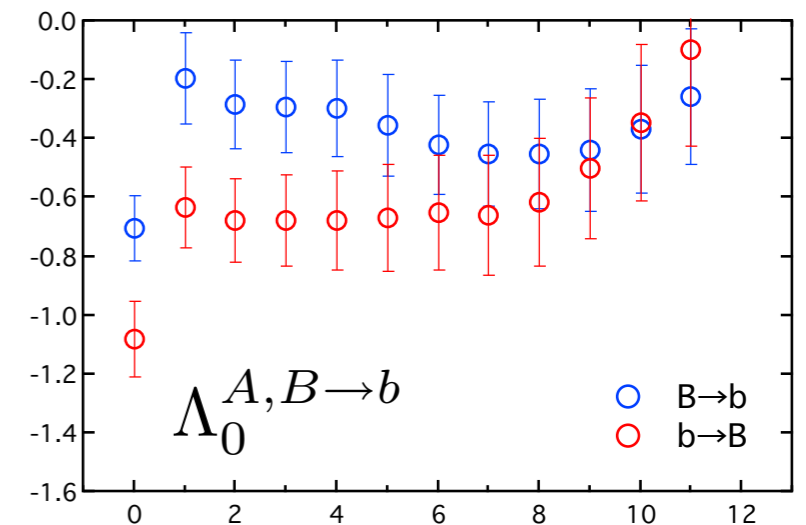
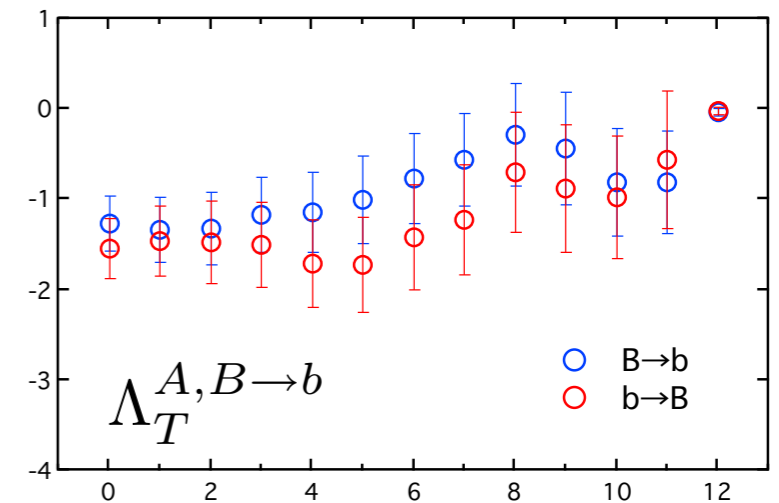
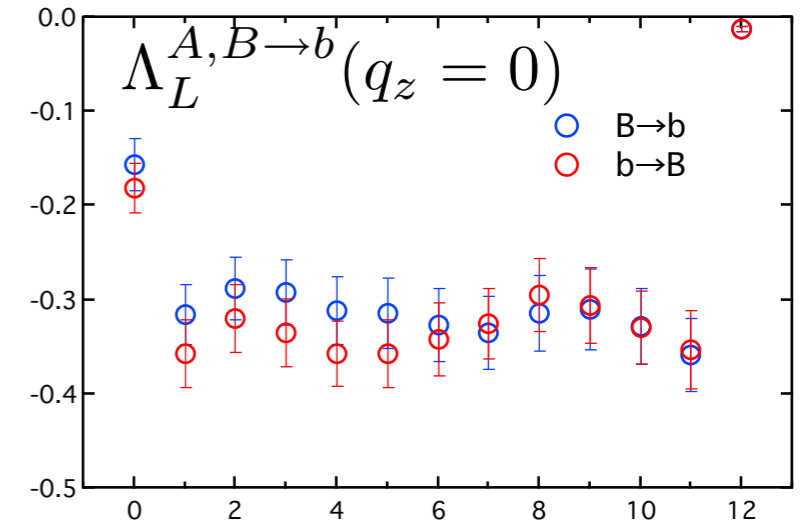
$$\Lambda_L^{A,B \rightarrow b} \propto \text{Tr} \left\{ \mathcal{P}_z^5 \langle \mathcal{O}_b(t_{\text{sink}}) A_z(t) \overline{\mathcal{O}}_B(t_{\text{src}}) \rangle \right\}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_z^5 = (1 + \gamma_4) \gamma_5 \gamma_z$$

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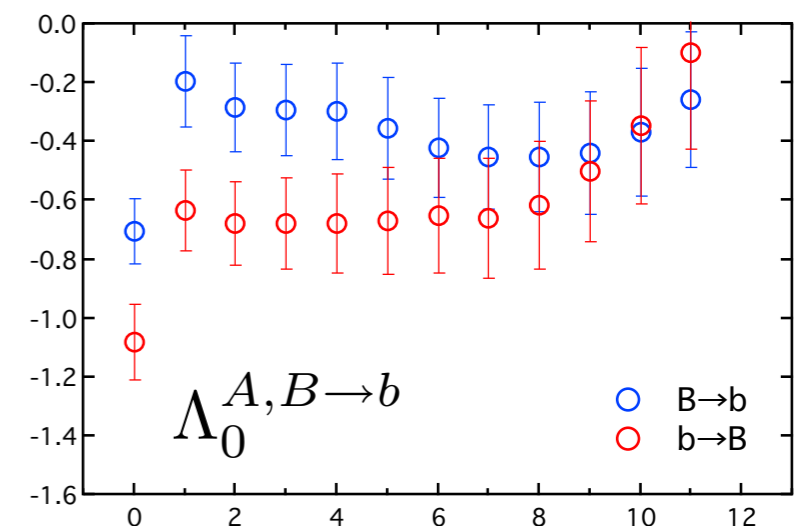
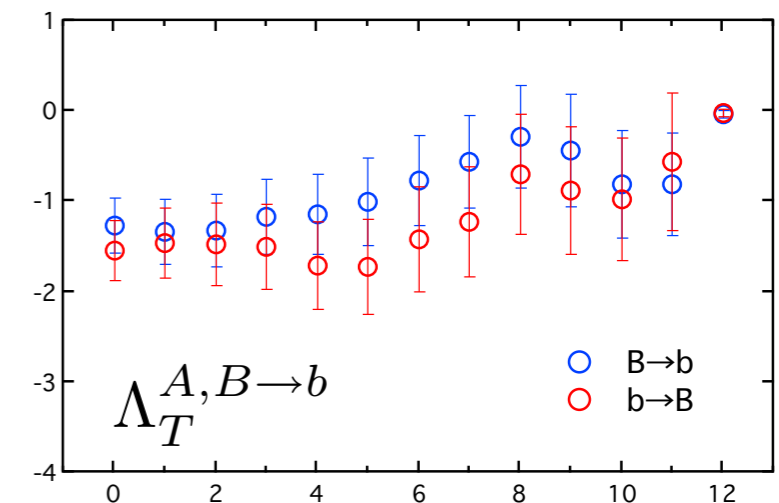
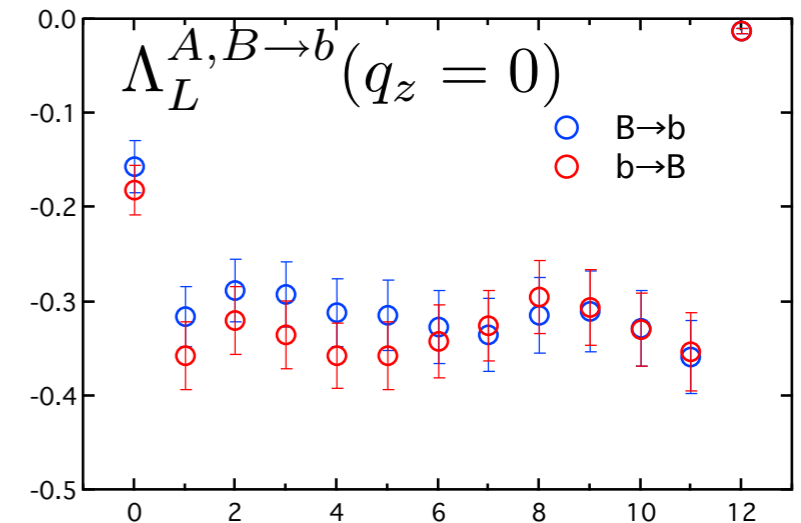
Three types of 3-pt functions

→ Three types of form factors

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -\frac{M_B - M_b}{M_B + M_b} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{M_b}{M_B + M_b} & \frac{M_b}{M_B + M_b} \\ 1 & -\frac{E_B + M_B}{M_B + M_b} & -\frac{E_B - M_b}{M_B + M_b} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} g_1^{B \rightarrow b}(q^2) \\ g_2^{B \rightarrow b}(q^2) \\ g_3^{B \rightarrow b}(q^2) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \Lambda_L^{A, B \rightarrow b}(q_z = 0) \\ \Lambda_T^{A, B \rightarrow b} \\ \Lambda_0^{A, B \rightarrow b} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$g_2^{B \rightarrow b}(q^2) = \frac{M_B + M_b}{2M_b} \left[\Lambda_L^{A, B \rightarrow b}(q_z = 0) - \Lambda_0^{A, B \rightarrow b} - \frac{E_B - M_b}{M_b} \Lambda_T^{A, B \rightarrow b} \right]$$

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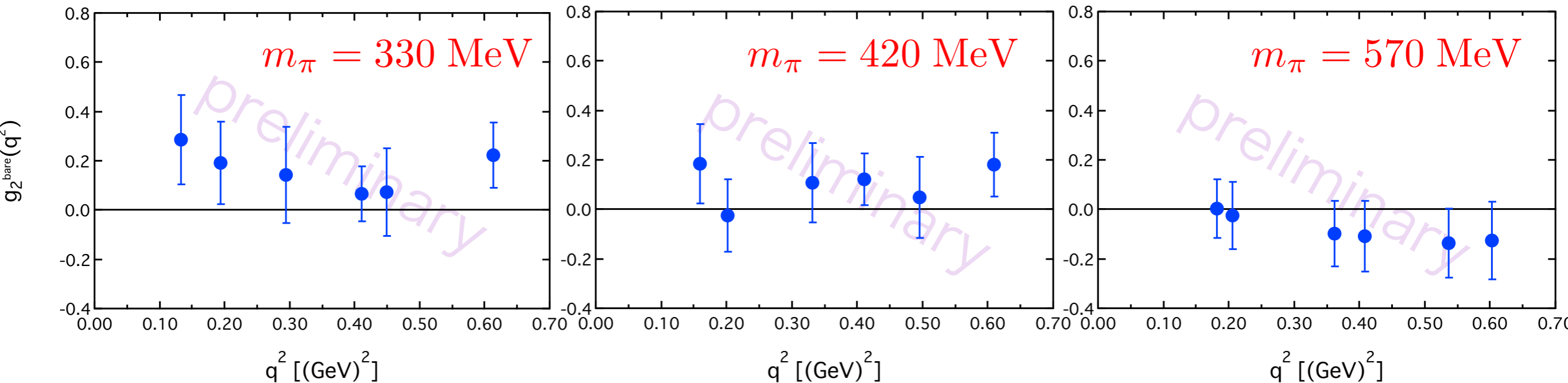
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$\Sigma \rightarrow N$ channel

$$\delta = \frac{M_\Sigma - M_N}{M_\Sigma + M_N}$$



$$\delta = 0.079(2)$$

$$\delta = 0.054(1)$$

$$\delta = 0.031(1)$$



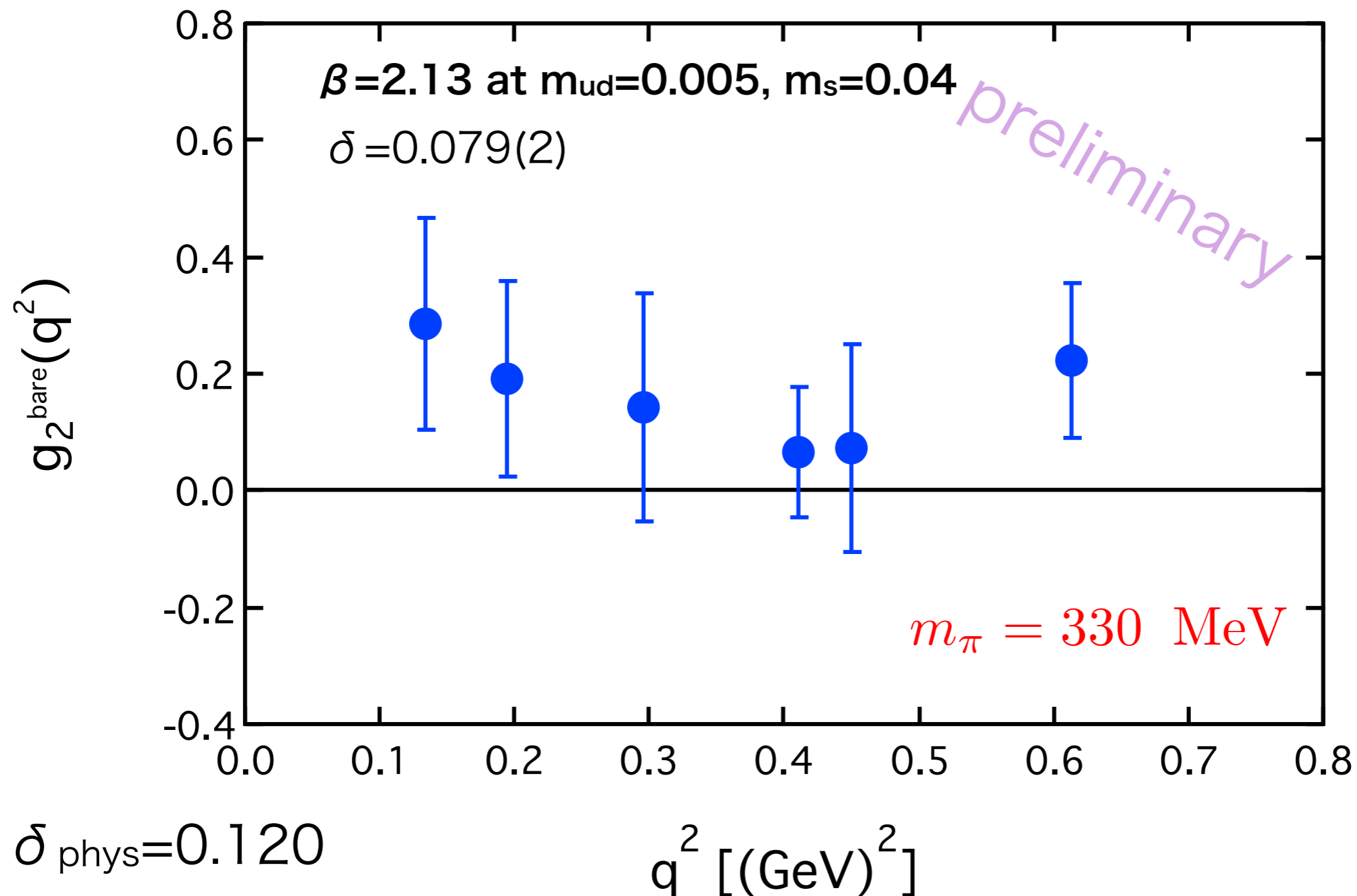
SU(3) breaking

cf. $\delta_{\text{phys}} = 0.120$

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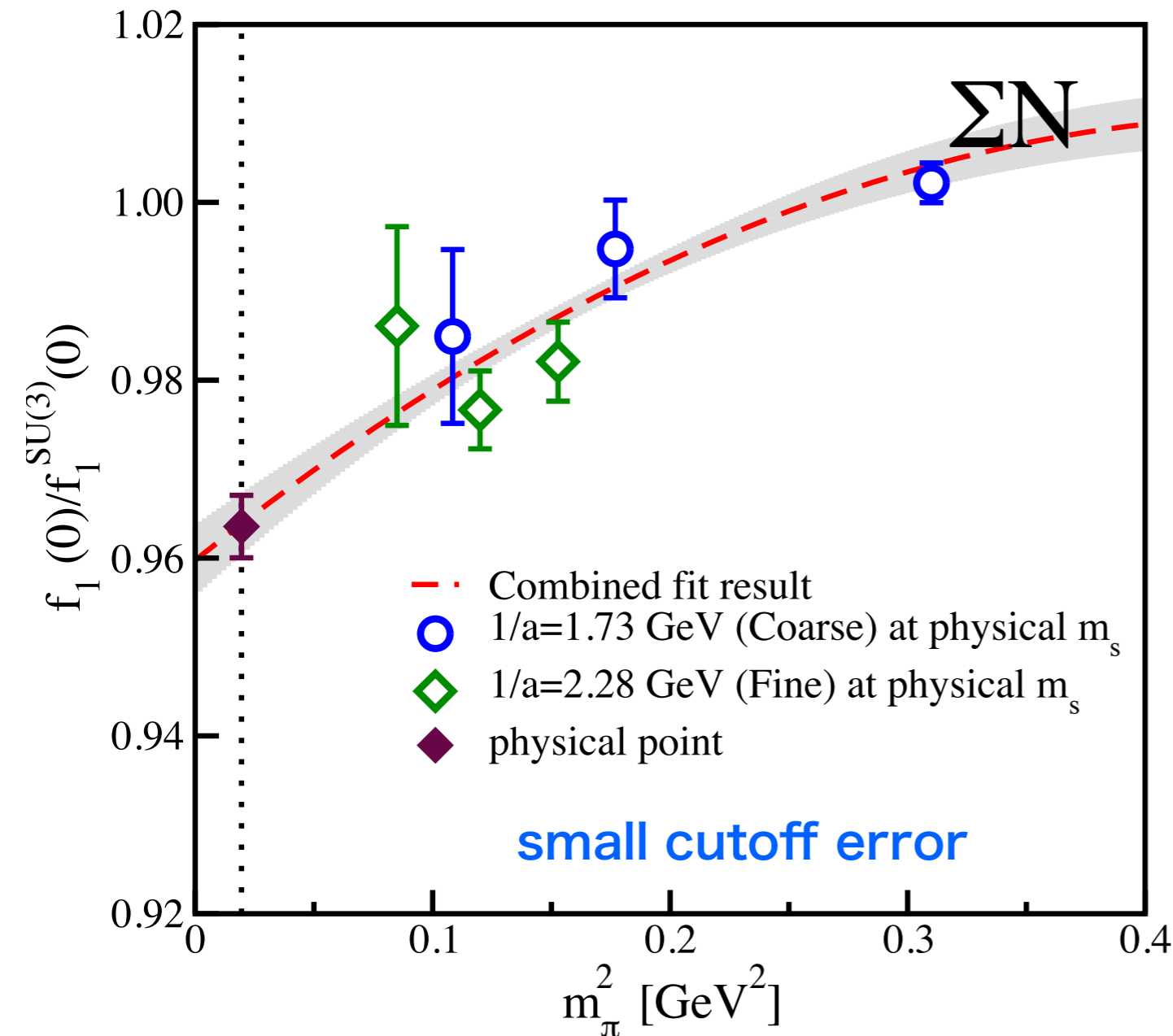
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Summary

We have studied the SU(3) breaking effects on **hyperon beta decays** using 2+1 flavor dynamical lattice QCD.

- ✓ **Hyperon vector coupling $f_1(0)$** reaches a sub percent level accuracy.
 - The current $\Sigma \rightarrow N$ data with lattice input of $f_1(0)$ moves slightly off the CKM unitarity condition.
- ✓ Conversely, **$f_1(0)$ + CKM unitarity** may expose a size of the induced 2nd-class form factor g_2 , which was less-known and ignored in experiments.
 - **$g_2(0) \sim 0.4-0.5$** \Leftrightarrow its size is consistent with the first-order SU(3) symmetry-breaking correction.
 - In lattice **direct** measurement, **non-zero g_2 form factor is confirmed** and its size is roughly consistent with the indirect estimation.
 - ➔ The CKM unitarity could be satisfied in **$\Sigma \rightarrow N$ decay**.

Update of $f_1(0)$ value



Only coarse lattice result

$$f_1(0) = -0.9698(106)$$

2+1 flavor DWF calculations
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statistics increases

$$f_1(0) = -0.9718(76)$$

Combined with both fine and coarse results

$$f_1(0) = -0.9635(35)$$

$$\tilde{f}_1(0) = C_0 + (C_1 + C_2 \cdot (M_K^2 + M_\pi^2)) \cdot (M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)^2$$

Comparison with ChPT results

- ✓ The tendency of the SU(3)-breaking correction **disagrees** with the latest **baryon ChPT** result.

SU(3) corrections [%]

	$\mathcal{O}(p^3)$ EOMS-CBChPT		$\mathcal{O}(p^4)$ EOMS-CBChPT		2+1f DWF-LQCD physical point
	octet	+ decuplet	octet	+ decuplet	
$\Lambda \rightarrow N$	-3.8	-3.1	$-3.6^{+1.2}_{-0.9}$	$+0.1^{+1.3}_{-1.0}$	—
$\Sigma \rightarrow N$	-0.8	-2.2	$+3.9^{+3.8}_{-2.8}$	$+8.7^{+4.2}_{-3.1}$	-3.7 ± 0.4
$\Xi \rightarrow \Lambda$	-2.9	-2.9	$-1.2^{+2.4}_{-1.8}$	$+4.0^{+2.8}_{-2.1}$	—
$\Xi \rightarrow \Sigma$	-3.7	-3.0	$-1.3^{+0.3}_{-0.2}$	$+1.7^{+2.2}_{-1.6}$	-2.5 ± 0.3

- ▶ suggests that baryon ChPT seems to have a serious convergence problem