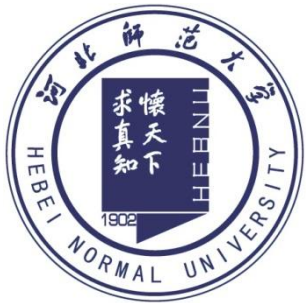


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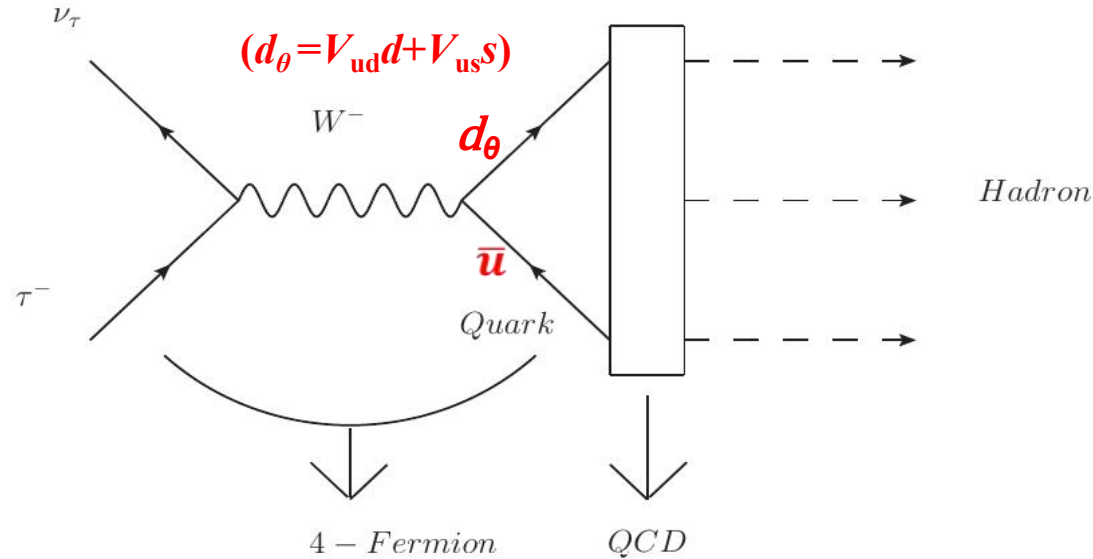
## Two-meson and meson-axion production from tau lepton



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# Hadronic tau decays: a unique feature for tau lepton



**Hadronic V-A currents**

$$\mathbf{H}_\mu = \langle H^- | \bar{u} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) d_\theta e^{iL_{QCD}} | 0 \rangle$$

**Chiral EFT is the low energy realization of QCD:**

$$e^{iZ(v_\mu, a_\mu, s, p)} = \int \mathcal{D}q \mathcal{D}\bar{q} \mathcal{D}G_\mu e^{i \int d^4x \mathcal{L}_{QCD}(v_\mu, a_\mu, s, p)} = \int \mathcal{D}u e^{i \int d^4x \mathcal{L}_{EFT}(v_\mu, a_\mu, s, p)}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{QCD} = \mathcal{L}_0^{QCD} + \bar{q} \gamma^\mu (v_\mu + a_\mu \gamma_5) q - \bar{q} (s - i \gamma_5 p) q$$

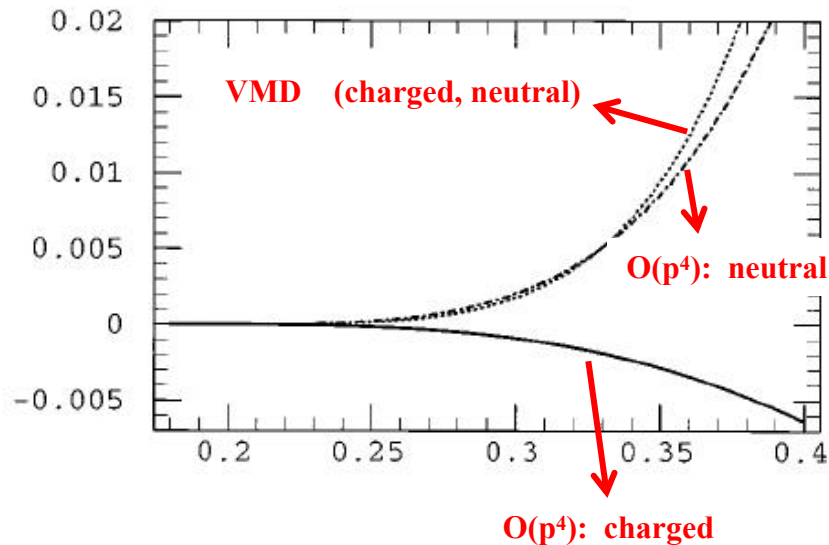
**$v_\mu$ ,  $a_\mu$ ,  $s$ ,  $p$  are the external source fields .**

# Chiral symmetry is RELEVANT to tau decays

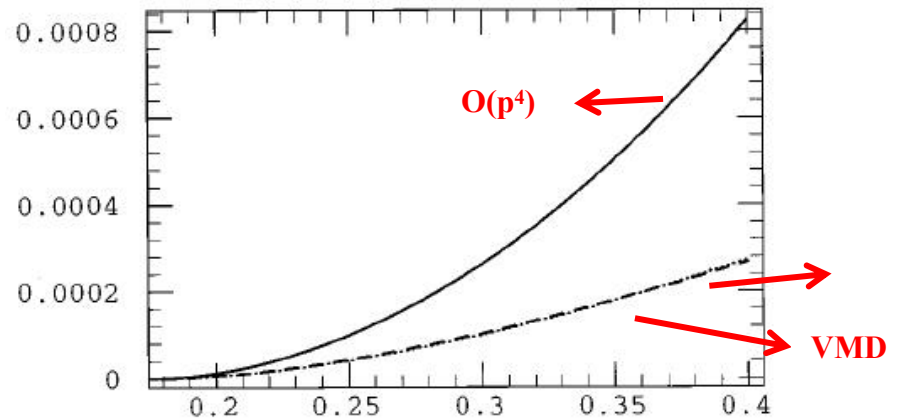
Example:  $\tau \rightarrow \nu_\tau \pi \pi \pi$  transition amplitudes in the low energy region  
VMD models do not automatically respect chiral symmetry.

$$J_\alpha = -i \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3f_\pi} \text{BW}_a(Q^2) (B_\rho(s_2) V_{1\alpha} + B_\rho(s_1) V_{2\alpha}) \quad [\text{Kuhn, Santamaria, ZPC'90}]$$

$W_D$  structure function



$W_{SA}$  structure function (neutral channel)



[Colangelo, et al., PRD'96]

➤ Resonance chiral theory implements the constraint of chiral symmetry from the very beginning in the construction of the Lagrangians.

# Resonance chiral theory (R $\chi$ T)

Chiral group:  $G = SU(3)_L \times SU(3)_R$ ,  $H = SU(3)_V$ ,  $u(\phi) = G/H$

Resonances :  $R \xrightarrow{G} h R h^\dagger$ ,  $h \in H$

pNGB and external sources :  $X = u_\mu, \chi_\pm, f_\pm^{\mu\nu}, h_{\mu\nu}$

Operators	$P$	$C$	h.c.	chiral order
$u$	$u^\dagger$	$u^T$	$u^\dagger$	1
$\Gamma_\mu$	$\Gamma^\mu$	$-\Gamma_\mu^T$	$-\Gamma_\mu$	$p$
$u_\mu$	$-u^\mu$	$u_\mu^T$	$u_\mu$	$p$
$\chi_\pm$	$\pm\chi_\pm$	$\chi_\pm^T$	$\pm\chi_\pm$	$p^2$
$f_{\mu\nu} \pm$	$\pm f_\pm^{\mu\nu}$	$\mp f_{\mu\nu}^T \pm$	$f_{\mu\nu} \pm$	$p^2$
$h_{\mu\nu}$	$-h^{\mu\nu}$	$h_{\mu\nu}^T$	$h_{\mu\nu}$	$p^2$

Operators	$P$	$C$	h.c.
$V_{\mu\nu}$	$V^{\mu\nu}$	$-V_{\mu\nu}^T$	$V_{\mu\nu}$
$A_{\mu\nu}$	$-A^{\mu\nu}$	$A_{\mu\nu}^T$	$A_{\mu\nu}$
$S$	$S$	$S^T$	$S$
$P$	$-P$	$P^T$	$P$

## Minimal R $\chi$ T Lagrangian [Ecker, et al., '89]

$$\mathcal{L}_{2V} = \frac{F_V}{2\sqrt{2}} \langle V_{\mu\nu} f_+^{\mu\nu} \rangle + \frac{iG_V}{2\sqrt{2}} \langle V_{\mu\nu} [u^\mu, u^\nu] \rangle,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{2A} = \frac{F_A}{2\sqrt{2}} \langle A_{\mu\nu} f_-^{\mu\nu} \rangle,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{2S} = c_d \langle S u_\mu u^\mu \rangle + c_m \langle S \chi_+ \rangle,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{2P} = id_m \langle P \chi_- \rangle.$$

## Operators beyond minimal [Cirigliano, et al., '04]:

$$\mathcal{L}_{VAP} = \lambda_1^{VA} \langle [V^{\mu\nu}, A_{\mu\nu}] \chi_- \rangle + \dots,$$

## [Ruiz-Femenia, Pich and Portolés, '03]

$$\mathcal{L}_{VVP} = d_1 \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \langle \{V^{\mu\nu}, V^{\rho\alpha}\} \nabla_\alpha u^\sigma \rangle + \dots,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{VJP} = \frac{c_1}{M_V} \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \langle \{V^{\mu\nu}, f_+^{\rho\alpha}\} \nabla_\alpha u^\sigma \rangle + \dots,$$

$$d_4 \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} \langle \{\nabla^\sigma V^{\mu\nu}, V^{\rho\alpha}\} u_\alpha \rangle$$

# QCD dynamics in R $\chi$ T

- Low energy QCD: implemented from the construction of R $\chi$ T
- Intermediate energy: explicit resonance states
- **High energy information:** to match the same physical objects in R $\chi$ T and QCD,  $\langle J(x_n) \cdots J(0) \rangle^{\text{R}\chi\text{T}} = \langle J(x_n) \cdots J(0) \rangle^{\text{QCD}}$ .

For example:  $\pi\pi$  vector form factor

$$\begin{aligned} [\mathcal{F}_{\pi\pi}^{\nu}(q^2)]^{\text{R}\chi\text{T}} &= 1 + \frac{F_V G_V}{F^2} \frac{q^2}{M_V^2 - q^2}, \\ [\mathcal{F}_{\pi\pi}^{\nu}(q^2)]^{\text{QCD}} &\rightarrow 0, \quad \text{for } q^2 \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

This leads to

$$[\mathcal{F}_{\pi\pi}^{\nu}(q^2)]^{\text{R}\chi\text{T}} = [\mathcal{F}_{\pi\pi}^{\nu}(q^2)]^{\text{QCD}} \implies F_V G_V = F^2$$

## Quick glance at axion/axion-like particle (ALP)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} = \sum_q \bar{q}(i\not{D} - m_q)q - \frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}G^{\mu\nu} + \theta \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_{\mu\nu}\tilde{G}^{\mu\nu}$$

- **Strong CP problem:**  $\theta < 10^{-10}$ , constrained by neutron EDM.
- **Peccei-Quinn mechanism:**  $\theta$  promoted as a dynamical field, i.e., axion, corresponding to a pseudo-Nambu-Goldstone boson from the spontaneous breaking of the  $U(1)_{\text{PQ}}$  symmetry [Peccei,Quinn,PRL'77] [Weinberg,PRL'78] [Wilzeck,PRL'78]

- **Axion:** intensively and broadly studied in particle physics

- **Model-independent axion interaction:**

$$\frac{a}{f_a} \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_{\mu\nu}\tilde{G}^{\mu\nu}, \text{ inevitably introducing the axion-hadron interactions !}$$

- **Axion-like particle (ALP):** non-vanishing bare mass  $m_{a,0}$

$$\frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu a \partial^\mu a - \frac{1}{2}m_{a,0}^2 a^2 + \frac{a}{f_a} \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_{\mu\nu}\tilde{G}^{\mu\nu}$$

- Previous studies of ALP in tau decays focused on the axion-lepton interaction. **Model-independent ALP interaction has not been studied in the contex of tau decays. Our work fills this gap.**

# Unified study of $\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 (P+axion) \nu_\tau$

[Hao, Duan, ZHG, 2507.00383,  
to appear in FOP]

$$\langle P_1 P_2 | \bar{D} \gamma^\mu u | 0 \rangle = \left[ (p_2 - p_1)^\mu - \frac{\Delta_{P_2 P_1}}{s} q^\mu \right] F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s) + \frac{\Delta_{Du}}{s} q^\mu \hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2}(s)$$

(D=d or s) (vector FF) (scalar FF)

$$\Delta_{P_2 P_1} = m_{P_2}^2 - m_{P_1}^2, \quad \Delta_{Du} = B_0(m_D - m_u), \quad q_\mu = (p_1 + p_2)_\mu, \quad s = q^2.$$

- **Invariant-mass distribution of  $P_1 P_2$**

$$\frac{d\Gamma_{\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \nu_\tau}}{d\sqrt{s}} = \frac{G_F^2 M_\tau^3}{48\pi^3 s} S_{EW} |V_{uD}|^2 \left(1 - \frac{s}{M_\tau^2}\right) \left\{ \left(1 + \frac{2s}{M_\tau^2}\right) q_{P_1 P_2}^3(s) \left|F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s)\right|^2 + \frac{3\Delta_{Du}^2}{4s} q_{P_1 P_2}(s) \left|\hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2}(s)\right|^2 \right\}$$

- **Forward-Backward (FB) asymmetry distribution**

$$A_{FB}(s) = \frac{\int_0^1 d\cos\alpha \frac{d^2\Gamma_{\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \nu_\tau}}{d\sqrt{s} d\cos\alpha} - \int_{-1}^0 d\cos\alpha \frac{d^2\Gamma_{\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \nu_\tau}}{d\sqrt{s} d\cos\alpha}}{\int_0^1 d\cos\alpha \frac{d^2\Gamma_{\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \nu_\tau}}{d\sqrt{s} d\cos\alpha} + \int_{-1}^0 d\cos\alpha \frac{d^2\Gamma_{\tau \rightarrow P_1 P_2 \nu_\tau}}{d\sqrt{s} d\cos\alpha}} = \frac{\Delta_{Du} q_{P_1 P_2}(s) \Re \left[ F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s) \hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2*}(s) \right]}{\frac{2\sqrt{s}}{3} \left(1 + \frac{2s}{M_\tau^2}\right) q_{P_1 P_2}^2(s) \left|F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s)\right|^2 + \frac{\Delta_{Du}^2}{2\sqrt{s}} \left|\hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2}(s)\right|^2}$$

$\alpha$ : angle between the momenta of  $P_1$  and  $\tau$  in the  $P_1 P_2$  rest frame

$\tau \rightarrow \pi \pi^0 \nu_\tau$ :  $\Delta_{PP} \rightarrow 0$  (Isospin breaking term), scalar  $F_0$  negligible, vector  $F_+$  dominant!

$\tau \rightarrow K \pi \nu_\tau$ :  $\Delta_{PP} \neq 0$ , both scalar  $F_0$  and vector  $F_+$  are relevant!

# Calculation of $P_1 P_2 / P$ $a$ form factors

## Generic effective axion Lagrangian for light-flavor quarks

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}^{\text{axion}} = \bar{q}(i\not{D} - M_q)q - \frac{1}{4}G_{\mu\nu}G^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2}\partial_\mu a\partial^\mu a - \frac{1}{2}m_{a,0}^2 a^2 + \boxed{\frac{a}{f_a} \frac{\alpha_s}{8\pi} G_{\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu}}$$

(1) Remove the  $aG\tilde{G}$  term via the quark axial transformation:  $q \rightarrow e^{i\frac{a}{2f_a}\gamma_5 Q_a} q$

(2) Alternatively, one can also explicitly keep the  $aG\tilde{G}$  term and match it to Chiral EFT

Reminiscent: QCD  $U(1)_A$  anomaly that is caused by topological charge density

$$\omega(x) = \alpha_s G_{\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^{\mu\nu} / (8\pi), \text{ is responsible for the massive singlet } \eta_0.$$

Axion could be similarly included as the  $\eta_0$  mass via the  $U(3)$   $\chi$ PT:

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{LO}} = \frac{F^2}{4} \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle + \frac{F^2}{4} \langle \chi_+ \rangle + \frac{F^2}{12} M_0^2 X^2$$

$$U = u^2 = e^{i\frac{\sqrt{2}\Phi}{F}}, \quad \chi = 2B(s + ip), \quad \chi_\pm = u^\dagger \chi u^\dagger \pm u \chi^\dagger u \quad \Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\eta_8 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta_0 & \pi^+ & K^+ \\ \pi^- & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\eta_8 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta_0 & K^0 \\ K^- & \bar{K}^0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}\eta_8 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_\mu = iu^\dagger D_\mu U u^\dagger, \quad D_\mu U = \partial_\mu U - i(v_\mu + a_\mu)U + iU(v_\mu - a_\mu) \quad X = \log(\det U) - i\frac{a}{f_a}$$

- $Q_a$  is not needed in  $U(3)$   $\chi$ PT.
- $\delta$  expansion scheme:  $\delta \sim \mathcal{O}(p^2) \sim \mathcal{O}(m_q) \sim \mathcal{O}(1/N_c)$ ;  $M_0^2 \sim \mathcal{O}(1/N_c)$ .
- Axion interactions enter via the axion-meson mixing terms at LO.



# Calculation of $P_1 P_2 / P$ $a$ form factors

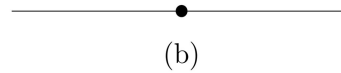
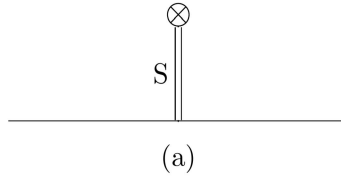
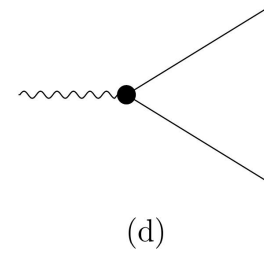
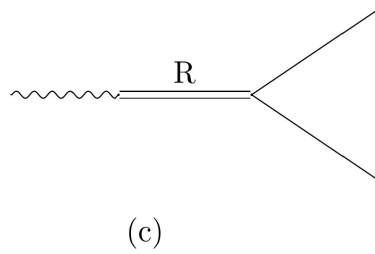
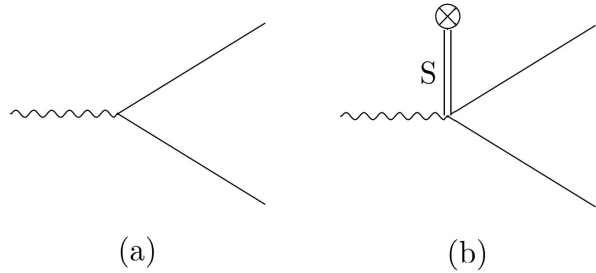
## Relevant Resonance Chiral Lagrangians

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{LO}} = \frac{F^2}{4} \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle + \frac{F^2}{4} \langle \chi_+ \rangle + \frac{F^2}{12} M_0^2 X^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_V = \frac{F_V}{2\sqrt{2}} \langle V_{\mu\nu} f_+^{\mu\nu} \rangle + \frac{iG_V}{\sqrt{2}} \langle V_{\mu\nu} u^\mu u^\nu \rangle,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_\Lambda^{\text{NLO,U(3)}} = -\frac{F^2 \Lambda_1}{12} D^\mu X D_\mu X - \frac{F^2 \Lambda_2}{12} X \langle \chi_- \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{L}_S = c_d \langle S u_\mu u^\mu \rangle + c_m \langle S \chi_+ \rangle,$$



## • Mixing relations of $\pi^0$ - $\eta$ - $\eta'$ - $a$ (axion) at NLO

[Gao,ZHG,Oller,Zhou, JHEP'23]  
[Gao,Hao,ZHG,Oller,Zhou, EPJC'25]

$$\begin{pmatrix} \hat{\pi}^0 \\ \hat{\eta} \\ \hat{\eta}' \\ \hat{a} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 + z_{11} & c_\theta(-v_{12} + z_{12}) + s_\theta(-v_{13} + z_{13}) & -s_\theta(-v_{12} + z_{12}) + c_\theta(-v_{13} + z_{13}) & -v_{14} + z_{14} \\ v_{12} + z_{21} & c_\theta(1 + z_{22}) + s_\theta(z_{23} - v_{23}) & -s_\theta(1 + z_{22}) + c_\theta(z_{23} - v_{23}) & -v_{24} + z_{24} \\ v_{13} + z_{31} & c_\theta(z_{32} + v_{23}) + s_\theta(1 + z_{33}) & -s_\theta(z_{32} + v_{23}) + c_\theta(1 + z_{33}) & -v_{34} + z_{34} \\ v_{41} + z_{41} & c_\theta(v_{42} + z_{42}) + s_\theta(v_{43} + z_{43}) & -s_\theta(v_{42} + z_{42}) + c_\theta(v_{43} + z_{43}) & 1 + v_{44} + z_{44} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 \\ \eta_8 \\ \eta_0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}$$

$v_{ij}$ : LO terms;  $z_{ij}$ : NLO terms ( $L_5, L_8, \Lambda_1, \Lambda_2$ ) or  $[(L_5, L_8) \sim (c_d c_m, c_m c_m)/M_S^2, \Lambda_1, \Lambda_2]$

➤ **Scalar form factor**  $\langle P_1 P_2 | (m_D - m_u) \bar{D} u | 0 \rangle$

$$\Delta_{du} = B_0(m_d - m_u) = \Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}} \left\{ 1 + \frac{m_K^2}{F^2} \left[ \frac{16c_m(c_d - c_m)}{M_S^2} + \frac{16c'_m(c'_d - c'_m)}{M_{S'}^2} \right] \right\}$$

$$\Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}} = m_{K^0}^2 - m_{K^+}^2 - (m_{\pi^0}^2 - m_{\pi^+}^2)$$



$$(m_d - m_u) \langle \pi^- P | \bar{d} u | 0 \rangle = \Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}} F_0^{\pi^- P}(s) \qquad \hat{F}_0^{\pi^- P}(s) = \frac{\Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}}}{\Delta_{du}} F_0^{\pi^- P}(s)$$



$$\langle \pi^- P | \bar{d} \gamma^\mu u | 0 \rangle = \left[ (p_P - p_\pi)^\mu - \frac{\Delta_{P\pi}}{s} q^\mu \right] F_+^{\pi^- P}(s) + \frac{\Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}}}{s} q^\mu F_0^{\pi^- P}(s)$$

➤ **Finiteness of the above expression at  $s = 0$  requires**

$$F_+^{\pi^- (\eta, \eta', a)}(0) = \frac{\Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}}}{\Delta_{(\eta, \eta', a)\pi}} F_0^{\pi^- (\eta, \eta', a)}(0)$$

✓ **Non-trivial confirmation is verified in chiral EFT!**

## Some explicit expressions for Form Factors

- VFF- $\pi\pi$**

$$F_+^{\pi^- \pi^0}(s) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{F^2} G_{\text{LO}+\rho \text{Ex}}(s)$$

$$G_{\text{LO}+\rho \text{Ex}}(s) = \frac{G_V F_V s + F^2 (M_\rho^2 - s)}{M_\rho^2 - s - i M_\rho \Gamma_\rho(s)} - \frac{G'_V F'_V s}{M_{\rho'}^2 - s - i M_{\rho'} \Gamma_{\rho'}(s)} - \frac{G''_V F''_V s}{M_{\rho''}^2 - s - i M_{\rho''} \Gamma_{\rho''}(s)},$$

$$\Gamma_\rho(s) = \frac{M_\rho s}{96\pi F_\pi^2} \left[ \sigma_{\pi\pi}^3(s) + \frac{1}{2} \sigma_{KK}^3(s) \right], \quad \Gamma_{\rho', \rho''}(s) = \Gamma_{\rho', \rho''} \frac{s}{M_{\rho', \rho''}^2} \frac{\sigma_{\pi\pi}^3(s)}{\sigma_{\pi\pi}^3(M_{\rho', \rho''}^2)}, \quad \sigma_{P_1 P_2}(s) = \frac{2q_{P_1 P_2}(s)}{\sqrt{s}} \theta[s - (m_{P_1} + m_{P_2})^2]$$

- VFF- $\pi\eta/\pi\eta'/\pi a$**

$$F_+^{\pi^- \eta}(s) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}v_{12}}{F^2} G_{\text{LO}+\rho \text{Ex}}(s) - \sqrt{2} \left( y_{12} - v_{13} y_{23}^{(0)} \right),$$

$$F_+^{\pi^- \eta'}(s) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}v_{13}}{F^2} G_{\text{LO}+\rho \text{Ex}}(s) - \sqrt{2} \left( y_{13} + v_{12} y_{23}^{(0)} \right),$$

$$F_+^{\pi^- a}(s) = -\frac{\sqrt{2}v_{41}}{F^2} G_{\text{LO}+\rho \text{Ex}}(s) - \sqrt{2} \left( y_{14} + v_{12} y_{24}^{(0)} + v_{13} y_{34}^{(0)} \right)$$

• **SFF- $\pi\eta/\pi\eta'/\pi a$**

$$F_0^{\pi^-\eta}(s) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}(c_\theta - \sqrt{2}s_\theta) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\Lambda_1 - 2\Lambda_2)s_\theta - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}y_{23}(2c_\theta + \sqrt{2}s_\theta) + 4\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}\frac{c_\theta - \sqrt{2}s_\theta}{F^2} \left\{ \right. \\ \left. \left[ \frac{c_m(c_m - c_d)2m_\pi^2 + c_m c_d(s + m_\pi^2 - m_\eta^2)}{M_{a_0}^2 - s - iM_{a_0}\Gamma_{a_0}(s)} - \frac{2c_m(c_m - c_d)(2m_K^2 - m_\pi^2)}{M_S^2} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \left[ c_{m,d}, M_{a_0}, \Gamma_{a_0}, M_S \rightarrow c'_{m,d}, M_{a'_0}, \Gamma_{a'_0}, M_{S'} \right] \right\},$$

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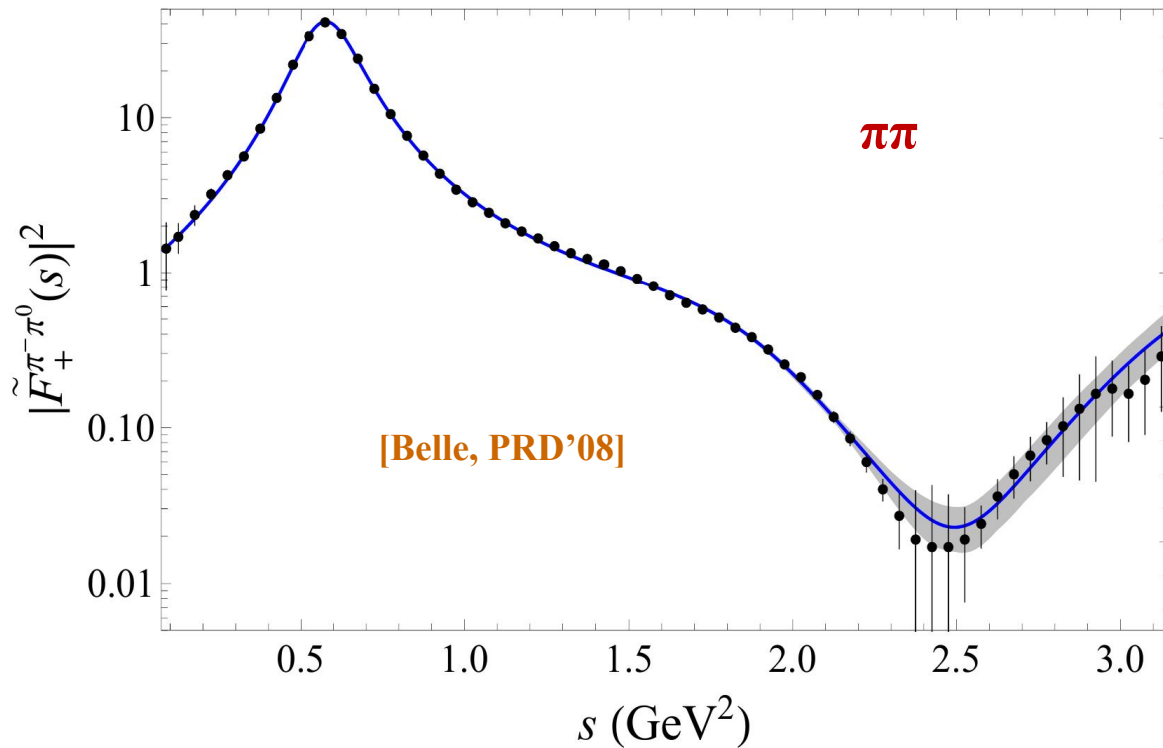
$$F_0^{\pi^-a}(s) = \frac{(\sqrt{2}c_\theta - 2s_\theta)}{\sqrt{3}}v_{24}^{(0)} + \frac{(2c_\theta + \sqrt{2}s_\theta)}{\sqrt{3}}v_{34}^{(0)} - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \left( s_\theta v_{24}^{(0)} - c_\theta v_{34}^{(0)} + \frac{F}{\sqrt{6}f_a} \right) (\Lambda_2 - \frac{1}{2}\Lambda_1) \\ + \frac{(\sqrt{2}c_\theta - 2s_\theta)}{\sqrt{3}}y_{24}^{(0)} + \frac{(2c_\theta + \sqrt{2}s_\theta)}{\sqrt{3}}y_{34}^{(0)} + \frac{4(\sqrt{2}c_\theta - 2s_\theta)v_{24}^{(0)} + 4(2c_\theta + \sqrt{2}s_\theta)v_{34}^{(0)}}{\sqrt{3}F^2} \left\{ \right. \\ \left. \left[ \frac{2c_m^2 m_\pi^2 + c_m c_d (s - m_a^2 - m_\pi^2)}{M_{a_0}^2 - s - iM_{a_0}\Gamma_{a_0}(s)} + \frac{2c_m(c_d - c_m)(2m_K^2 - m_\pi^2)}{M_S^2} \right] \right. \\ \left. + \left[ c_{m,d}, M_{a_0}, \Gamma_{a_0}, M_S \rightarrow c'_{m,d}, M_{a'_0}, \Gamma_{a'_0}, M_{S'} \right] \right\}.$$

# Fits to experimental spectra and BRs

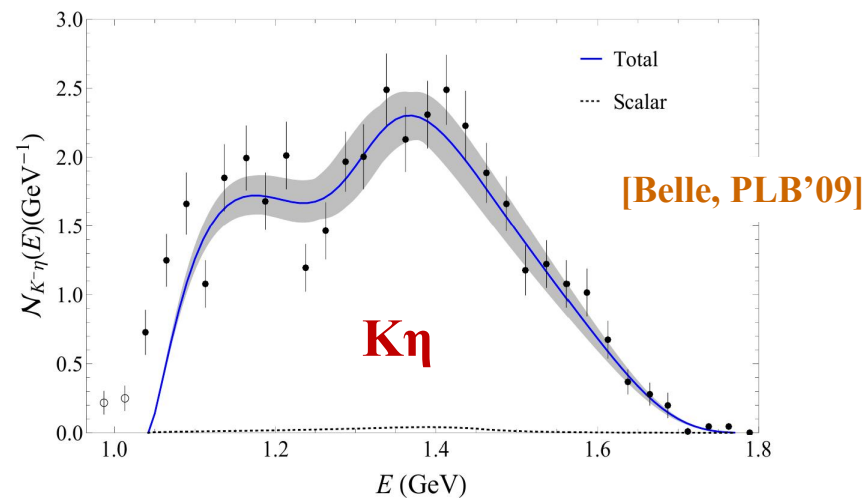
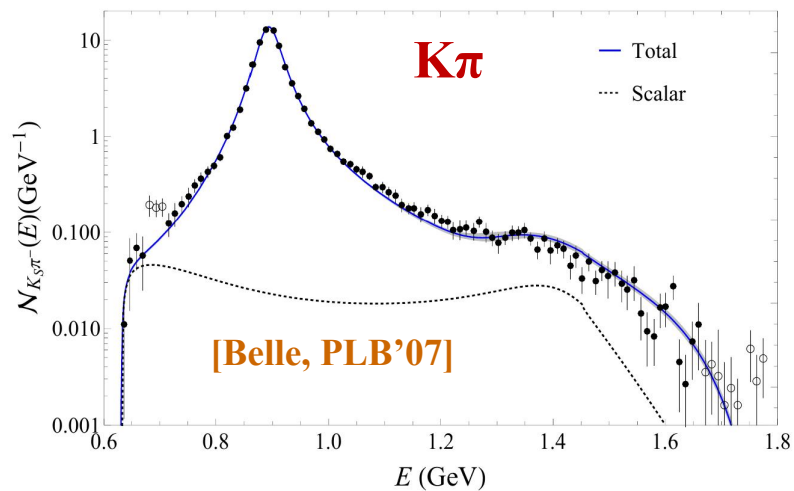
$G_V F_V(\text{GeV}^2) \times 10^3$	$10.26^{+0.01}_{-0.01}$	$G'_V F'_V(\text{GeV}^2) \times 10^3$	$0.64^{+0.03}_{-0.02}$
$G''_V F''_V(\text{GeV}^2) \times 10^3$	$-0.94^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$	$M_\rho(\text{GeV})$	$0.7738^{+0.0003}_{-0.0003}$
$M_{\rho'}(\text{GeV})$	$1.409^{+0.004}_{-0.004}$	$\Gamma_{\rho'}(\text{GeV})$	$0.338^{+0.012}_{-0.010}$
$M_{\rho''}(\text{GeV})$	$1.842^{+0.012}_{-0.013}$	$\Gamma_{\rho''}(\text{GeV})$	$0.268^{+0.025}_{-0.026}$
$c'_m(\text{GeV})$	$0.053^{+0.007}_{-0.009}$	$M_{K^*}(\text{GeV})$	$0.8956^{+0.0002}_{-0.0002}$
$\Gamma_{K^*}(\text{GeV})$	$0.0477^{+0.0005}_{-0.0005}$	$M_{K^{*'}}(\text{GeV})$	$1.339^{+0.009}_{-0.009}$
$\overline{B}_{K_S\pi^-} \times 10^3$	$3.98^{+0.04}_{-0.04}$	$\overline{B}_{K-\eta} \times 10^4$	$1.34^{+0.04}_{-0.04}$
$\chi^2/\text{d.o.f}$	$271.5/(182 - 14) = 1.61$		

$$c_m c_d + c'_m c'_d = \frac{F^2}{4} \quad c_m = 27 \text{ MeV}, c_d = 15 \text{ MeV} \quad [\text{ZHG, Oller, PRD'11}]$$

**Parameters for  $a_0(980)/a_0(1450)/K_0^*(700)/K_0^*(1430)$  are fixed to their pole positions .**



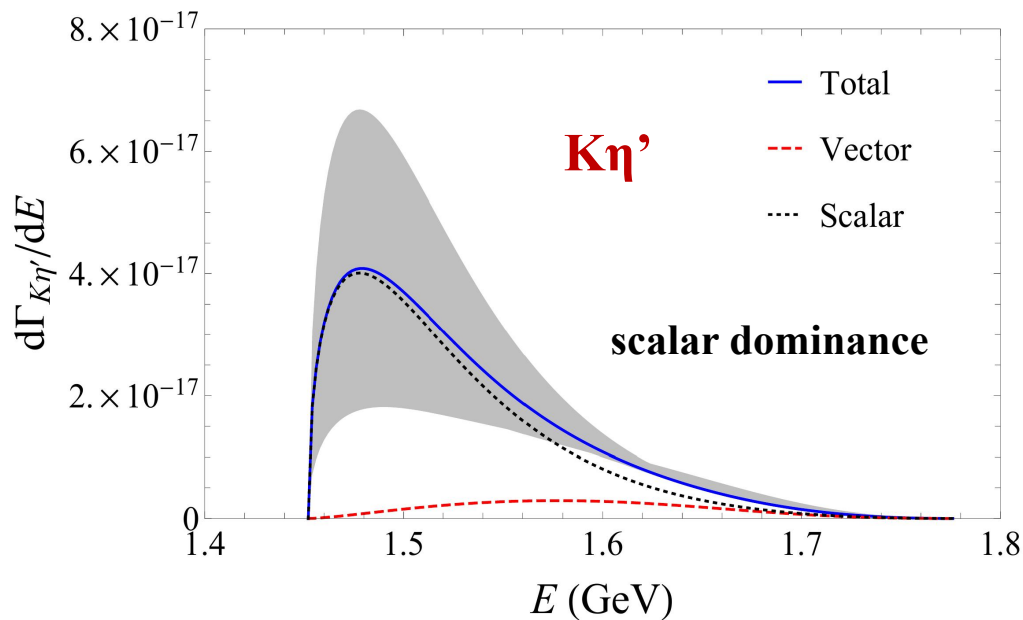
- **Crucial inputs to address muon g-2**
- **Most precise spectra is from Belle;**  
**but most precise BR is from ALEPH: 25.47(13)%**
- **Coherent precise measurements of both spectra and BR from one Exp would be invaluable!**



$F_+^{KP}: K^*, K^*(1410), K^*(1680)$

$F_0^{KP}: \kappa, K^*_0(1430)$

prediction to  $K\eta'$



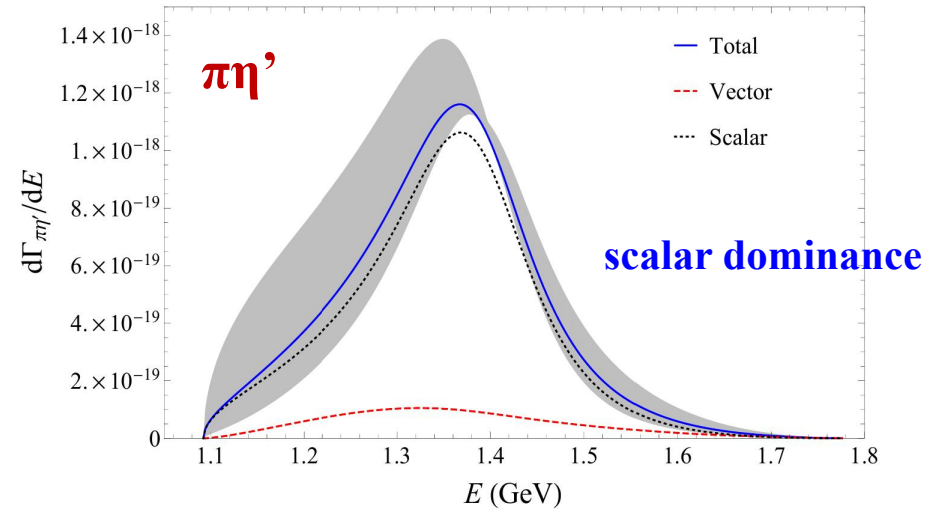
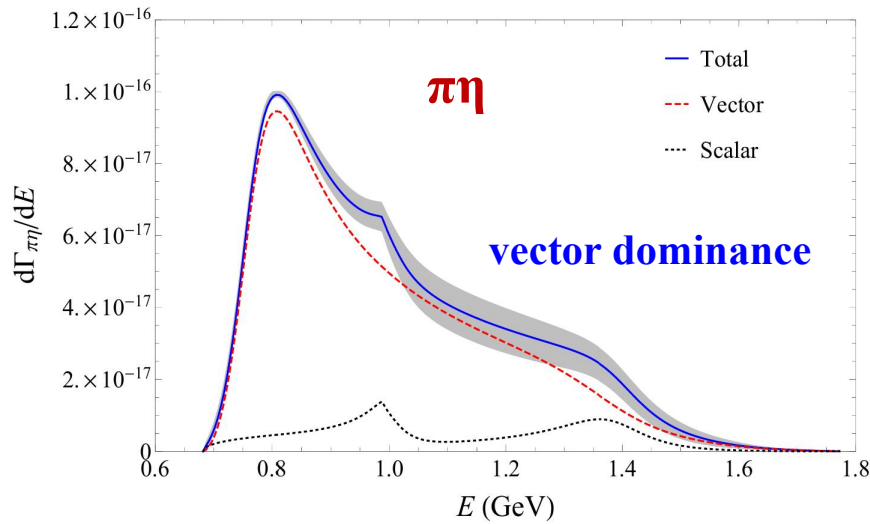
$$\text{BR}(K^- \eta')^{\text{Theo}} = (2.0 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\text{BR}(K^- \eta')^{\text{Exp, BaBar}} < 2.4 \times 10^{-6}$$

# Predictions to $\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \eta^{(\prime)} \nu_\tau$ (Cabibbo allowed): second-class currents

Processes driven by second-class currents are suppressed by isospin breaking:

$$\langle \pi^- P | \bar{d} \gamma^\mu u | 0 \rangle = \left[ (p_P - p_\pi)^\mu - \frac{\Delta_{P\pi}}{s} q^\mu \right] F_+^{\pi^- P}(s) + \frac{\Delta_{du}^{\text{Phy}}}{s} q^\mu F_0^{\pi^- P}(s)$$



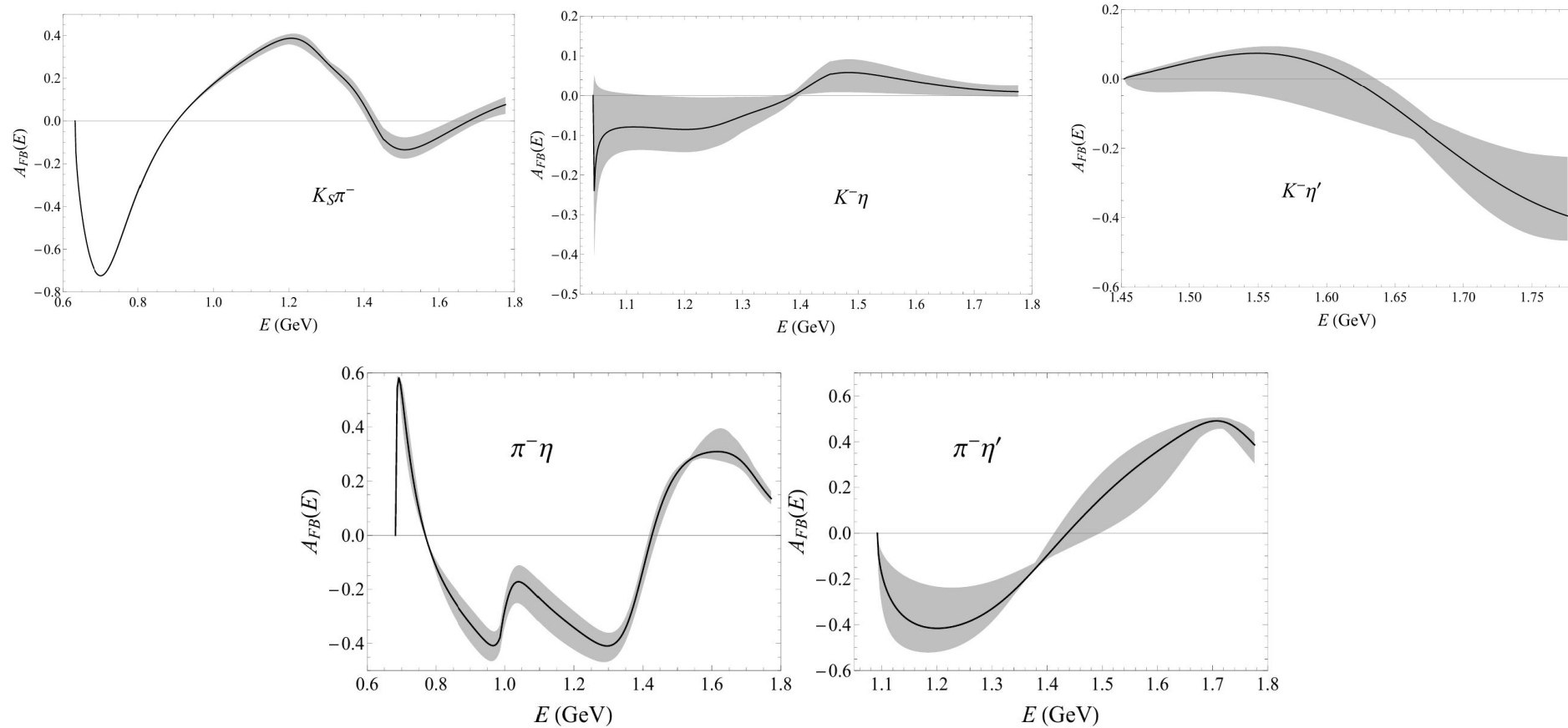
Channel	Total	Vector	Scalar	Exp Limits
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \eta \nu_\tau$ ( $\times 10^5$ )	$1.63^{+0.14}_{-0.14}$	$1.43^{+0.18}_{-0.21}$	$0.20^{+0.07}_{-0.04}$	$< 9.9$ (BaBar) [69] $< 7.3$ (Belle) [70]
$\tau^- \rightarrow \pi^- \eta' \nu_\tau$ ( $\times 10^7$ )	$1.17^{+0.36}_{-0.07}$	$0.14^{+0.09}_{-0.08}$	$1.03^{+0.44}_{-0.16}$	$< 40$ (BaBar) [71]

[Hao, Duan, ZHG, 2507.00383, to appear in FOP]



# Predictions to Forward-Backward asymmetries

$$\frac{\Delta_{Du} q_{P_1 P_2}(s) \Re \left[ F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s) \hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2*}(s) \right]}{\frac{2\sqrt{s}}{3} \left( 1 + \frac{2s}{M_\tau^2} \right) q_{P_1 P_2}^2(s) \left| F_+^{P_1 P_2}(s) \right|^2 + \frac{\Delta_{Du}^2}{2\sqrt{s}} \left| \hat{F}_0^{P_1 P_2}(s) \right|^2}$$

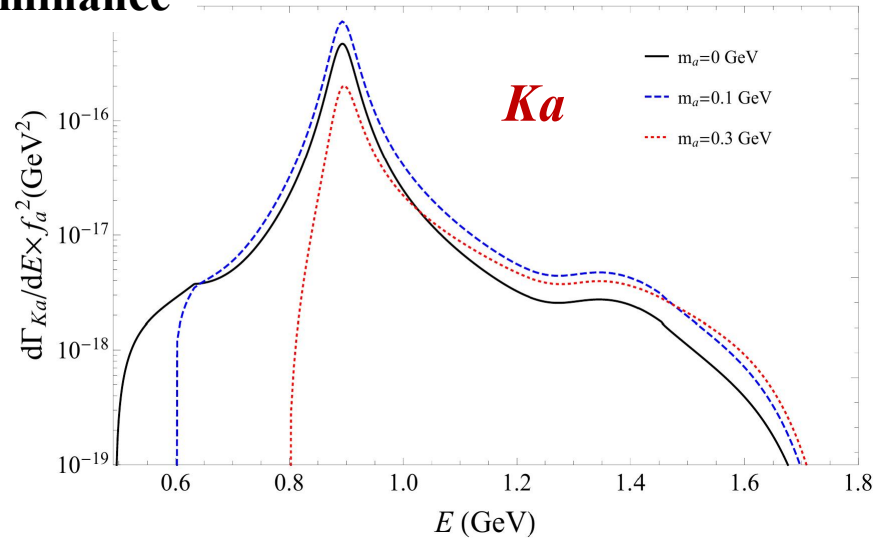
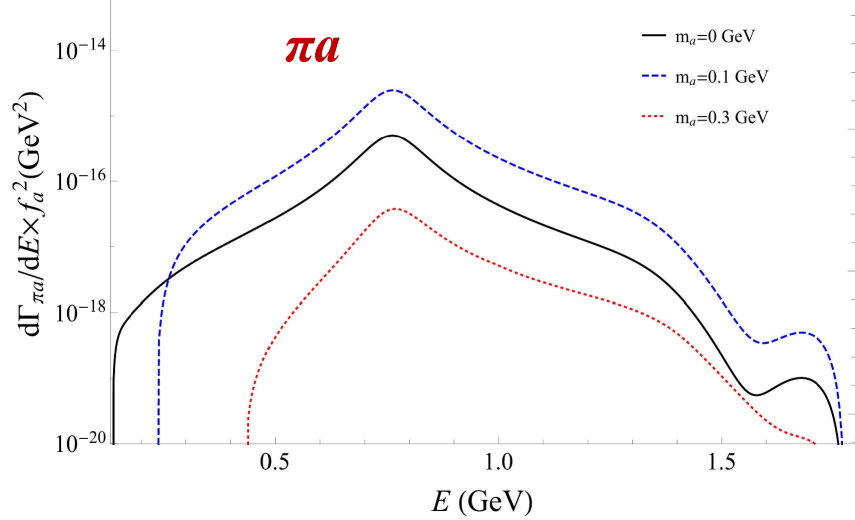


➤ Measurement on  $A_{FB}$  can determine the crucial inputs for CPV

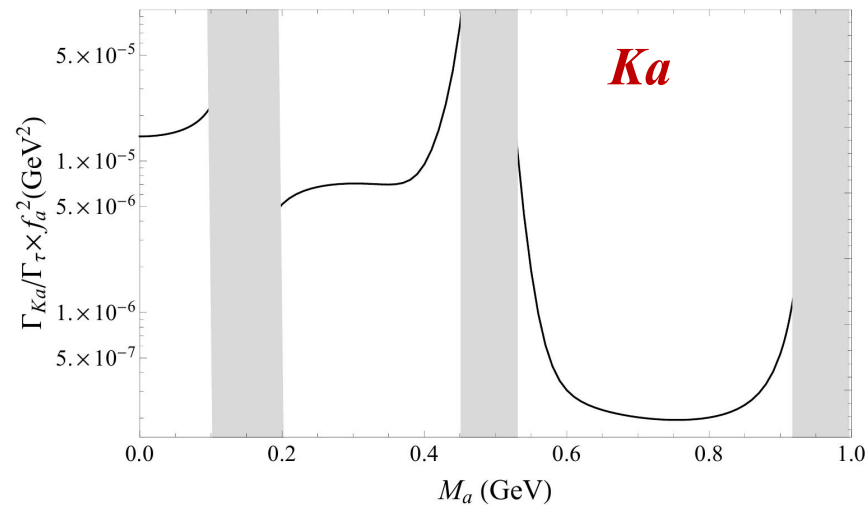
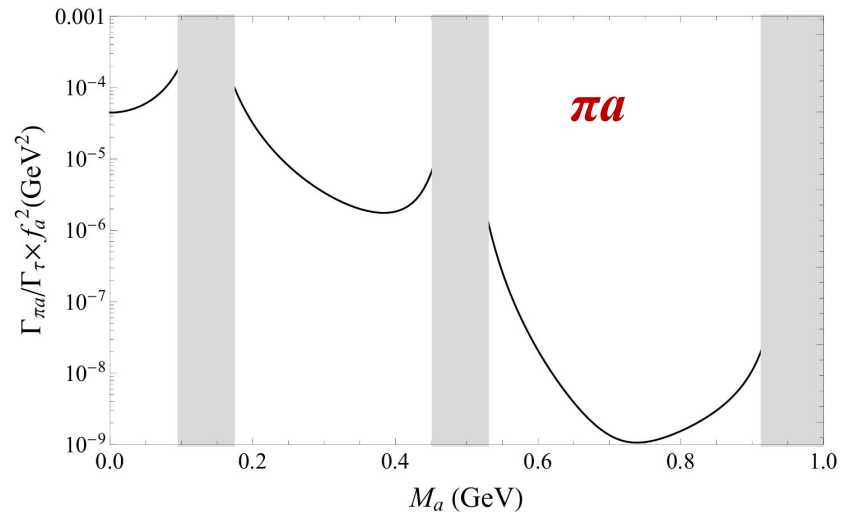
# Predictions to ALP-meson production in tau decays

## Spectra

vector dominance



## BRs



➤ Hadronic resonances enhance the decay widths involving ALPs by around one order of magnitudes, with respect to the results from leading-order  $\chi$ PT.

# Summary

**Two-boson tau decays are interesting in many aspects:**

- $\tau^- \rightarrow \nu_\tau \pi^0 \pi^-$  [crucial inputs for muon g-2 ];
- $\tau^- \rightarrow \nu_\tau (K\pi, K\eta, K\eta')^-$  [ $V_{us}$ , strange hadron resonances, possible CPV ];
- **Second-class currents:**  $\tau^- \rightarrow \nu_\tau \pi^- \eta/\eta'$  ;
- **Forward-Backward asymmetries in the  $\tau$  decays;**
- **Significant enhancement of axion production with hadronic resonances is observed in  $\tau^- \rightarrow \nu_\tau a K^-/\pi^-$  .**

**Thanks very much for your listening !**