

Lattice QCD calculation of the semileptonic decay $J/\psi \rightarrow D/D_s l \nu_l$

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J/ψ decay channels

- Decays involving hadronic resonances

- Decays into stable hadrons

- Radiative decays

- Dalitz decays

- Weak decays

Γ_{364}	$D^- e^+ \nu_e + \text{c.c.}$	$< 7.1 \times 10^{-8}$	CL=90%	984	▼
Γ_{365}	$\bar{D}^0 e^+ e^- + \text{c.c.}$	$< 8.5 \times 10^{-8}$	CL=90%	987	▼
Γ_{366}	$D_s^- e^+ \nu_e + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	923	▼
Γ_{367}	$D_s^* - e^+ \nu_e + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.8 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	828	▼
Γ_{368}	$D^- \pi^+ + \text{c.c.}$	$< 7.5 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	977	▼
Γ_{369}	$\bar{D}^0 \bar{K}^0 + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.7 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	898	▼
Γ_{370}	$\bar{D}^0 \bar{K}^{*0} + \text{c.c.}$	$< 2.5 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	670	▼
Γ_{371}	$D_s^- \pi^+ + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	915	▼
Γ_{372}	$D_s^- \rho^+ + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	663	▼

- Semileptonic decay: $J/\psi \rightarrow D/D_s l \nu_l$ **this work**
- Phenomenological aspect: plenties of studies on hadronic and radiative decay, less on semileptonic decay($\text{Br} < 10^{-8}$) ← limited by the experimental detection

J/ψ number by BESIII

Item	2017-2019	2012	2009
$N_{\text{sel}} (\times 10^6)$	6912.03 ± 0.08	860.59 ± 0.03	180.84 ± 0.01
$N_{\text{bg}} (\times 10^6)$	118.66 ± 0.05	15.32 ± 0.02	6.89 ± 0.04
ϵ_{trig}	1.00	1.00	1.00
$\epsilon_{\text{data}}^{\psi(3686)}$	0.7680 ± 0.0005	0.7699 ± 0.0005	0.7707 ± 0.0001
$\epsilon_{\text{MC}}^{\psi(3686)}$	0.7693 ± 0.0002	0.7709 ± 0.0002	0.7723 ± 0.0002
$\epsilon_{\text{MC}}^{J/\psi}$	0.7756 ± 0.0001	0.7776 ± 0.0001	0.7780 ± 0.0001
f_{cor}	1.0082 ± 0.0007	1.0086 ± 0.0008	1.0074 ± 0.0003
$N_{J/\psi} (\times 10^6)$	8774.0 ± 0.2	1088.5 ± 0.1	224.0 ± 0.1

BESIII,CPC46,074001(2022)

- Total J/ψ samples: $1.0087(44) \times 10^{10}$
- It is time to study the J/ψ rare decay.

Experimental searches

- Completed measurements

channels	Upper limit	J/ψ number	Refs
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \nu_e$	4.9×10^{-5}	5.8×10^7	PLB639,418(2006)
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \nu_e$	1.3×10^{-6}	2.3×10^8	PRD90,112014(2014)
$J/\psi \rightarrow D e \nu_e$	7.1×10^{-8}	1.01×10^{10}	JHEP06,157(2021)
$J/\psi \rightarrow D \mu \nu_\mu$	5.6×10^{-7}	1.01×10^{10}	JHEP01,126(2024)

BES & BESIII collaboration

- Future measurements ?

channels	Upper limit	J/ψ number	Refs
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \nu_e$	—	1.01×10^{10}	BESIII
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s \mu \nu_\mu$	—	1.01×10^{10}	BESIII
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \nu_e$	—	$\sim 10^{12}$	STCF
$J/\psi \rightarrow D_s \mu \nu_\mu$	—	$\sim 10^{12}$	STCF

Phenomenological studies

$J/\psi \rightarrow$	$D_s e \nu_e \cdot 10^{-10}$	$D_s \mu \nu_\mu \cdot 10^{-10}$	$D e \nu_e \cdot 10^{-11}$	$D \mu \nu_\mu \cdot 10^{-11}$	Ref
QCDSR	$1.8^{+0.7}_{-1.5}$	$1.7^{+0.7}_{-0.5}$	$0.73^{+0.43}_{-0.22}$	$0.71^{+0.42}_{-0.22}$	EPJC54,107(2008).
BS	$3.67^{+0.52}_{-0.44}$	$3.54^{+0.50}_{-0.43}$	$2.03^{+0.29}_{-0.25}$	$1.98^{+0.28}_{-0.24}$	JPG44,045004(2017)
CCQM	3.3	3.2	1.71	1.66	PRD92,074030(2015)
BSW	$10.4^{+0.90}_{-0.75}$	$9.93^{+0.95}_{-0.65}$	$6.0^{+0.8}_{-0.7}$	$5.8^{+0.8}_{-0.6}$	AHEP2013,706543 (2013)
CLFQ	$10.21^{+0.89}_{-1.55}$	$9.59^{+0.90}_{-1.47}$	$6.10^{+0.20}_{-0.25}$	$5.78^{+0.22}_{-0.20}$	EPJC84,65(2024)

- a. QCD sum rules (QCDSR) b. Bethe-Salpeter (BS) c. Confined covariant quark model (CCQM)
d. Covariant light-front quark model(CLFQM) e. Bauer-Stech-Wirbel(BSW)

- Significant discrepancy between different models, and they are almost unable to be used to extract CKM matrix element $V_{cs(d)}$ by combining with the future experiment.
- A genuine nonperturbative lattice calculation is essential

$$J/\psi \rightarrow D/D_s l \nu_l$$

- The amplitude

$$i\mathcal{M} = -i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cs(d)} \epsilon_\alpha(p') H_{\mu\alpha}(p, p') g_{\mu\nu} \bar{u}_l \gamma_\nu (1 - \gamma_5) u_{\nu_l}$$

with the nonperturbative hadronic interaction ZPC46,93(1990)

$$\begin{aligned} H_{\mu\alpha}(p, p') &\equiv \langle D/D_s(p) | J_\mu^W | J/\psi_\alpha(\epsilon, p') \rangle \\ &= F_1(q^2) g_{\mu\alpha} + \frac{F_2(q^2)}{Mm} p'_\mu p_\alpha + \frac{F_3(q^2)}{m^2} p_\mu p_\alpha - \frac{iF_0(q^2)}{Mm} \epsilon_{\mu\alpha\rho\sigma} p'_\rho p_\sigma \end{aligned}$$

- The decay width

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma &= \frac{G_F^2 V_{cs(d)}^2}{12M^2} \frac{1}{32\pi^3} \int_{m_l^2}^{(M-m)^2} dq^2 \times \left[\textcolor{red}{c_0(q^2)} \times (E_l^+ - E_l^-) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\textcolor{red}{c_1(q^2)}}{2} \times ((E_l^+)^2 - (E_l^-)^2) + \frac{\textcolor{red}{c_2(q^2)}}{3} \times ((E_l^+)^3 - (E_l^-)^3) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{with } E_l^\pm = \frac{1}{2M} \left[q^2 + m_l^2 - \frac{1}{2q^2} \left((q^2 - M^2 + m^2)(q^2 + m_l^2) \mp 2M|\vec{p}|(q^2 - m_l^2) \right) \right]$$

Extracting F_0 on the lattice

- Euclidean hadronic function in the infinite volume

$$\begin{aligned} H_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t) &= \langle 0 | \phi_h(\vec{x}, t) J_\mu^W(0) | J/\psi_\nu(\epsilon, p') \rangle, t > 0 \\ &\doteq \int \frac{d^3 \vec{p}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{2E_h} e^{-E_h t + i \vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}} \langle 0 | \phi_h(0) | \phi_h(\vec{p}) \rangle \langle \phi_h(\vec{p}) | J_\mu^W(0) | J/\psi_\nu(p') \rangle \end{aligned}$$

- Considering the parameterizations

$$\begin{aligned} \langle 0 | \phi_h(0) | \phi_h(\vec{p}) \rangle &= Z_h \\ \langle \phi_h(\vec{p}) | J_\mu^V(0) | J/\psi_\nu(\epsilon, p') \rangle &= \frac{F_0}{Mm} \epsilon_{\mu\alpha\rho\sigma} p'_\rho p_\sigma \end{aligned}$$

- The spatial Fourier transform of $V_{\mu\nu}$, defined by $H_{\mu\nu} = V_{\mu\nu} - A_{\mu\nu}$

$$\tilde{V}_{\mu\nu}(\vec{p}, t) \doteq \frac{F_0(q^2)}{Mm} \frac{Z_h}{2E_h} e^{-E_h t} \epsilon_{\mu\alpha\rho\sigma} p'_\rho p_\sigma$$

- Constructing a scalar function by multiplying $\epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} p'_\rho p_\sigma$ on two sides

Extracting F_0 on the lattice

- Scalar function method

$$F_0(q^2) = \frac{mE_h}{Z_h} e^{E_h t} \int d^3 \vec{x} \frac{j_1(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha 0} x_\alpha V_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t)$$

with $V_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t) \equiv \langle 0 | D/D_s(\vec{x}, t) J_\mu^V(0) | J/\psi(p') \rangle$ calculated on lattice

- A similar scheme has been used for high-precision calculation

- $\Gamma(\eta_c \rightarrow 2\gamma) = 6.67(16)(6)\text{keV}$, Y.M et al, Science Bulletin 68,1880(2023)
2.9 σ tension with the PDG value, verified by HPQCD PRD108,014513(2023)
- $\Gamma(D_s^* \rightarrow D_s \gamma) = 0.0549(54)\text{keV}$ Y.M et al, PRD109,074511(2024)

Combined with the BESIII measurement on $D_s^* \rightarrow e\nu_e$ PRL131,141802(2023)

$$f_{D_s^*} |V_{cs}| = (190.5_{-41.7_{\text{stat.}}}^{+55.1} \pm 9.1_{\text{syst.exp}} \pm 8.7_{\text{syst.latt}}) \text{MeV}$$

Highly improved compared to 41.5_{syst.latt} using HPQCD result
PRL112,212002(2014).

Extracting $F_i(i = 1, 2, 3)$ on the lattice

- The spatial Fourier transform of $A_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t)$

$$\tilde{A}_{\mu\nu}(\vec{p}, t) \doteq \frac{Z_h}{2E_h} e^{-E_h t} \left[-F_1(q^2) g_{\mu\nu} - \frac{F_2(q^2)}{Mm} p'_\mu p_\nu - \frac{F_3(q^2)}{m^2} p_\mu p_\nu \right]$$

$$F_1(q^2) = \frac{2E_h e^{E_h t}}{3m^2 Z_h} [E_h^2 I_2 - E_h |\vec{p}|^2 (I_3 + I_4) - m^2 I_1 - |\vec{p}|^2 I_5]$$

$$F_2(q^2) = \frac{2E_h e^{E_h t}}{m Z_h} [E_h I_2 - E_h^2 I_4 - E_h I_5 - |\vec{p}|^2 I_3]$$

$$F_3(q^2) = \frac{2E_h e^{E_h t}}{3m^2 Z_h} [E_h^2 I_2 + 3m_h^2 (E_h I_4 + I_5) - m^2 I_1 - |\vec{p}|^2 (E_h I_3 + E_h I_4 + I_5)]$$

$$I_1 = \int d^3 \vec{x} j_0(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|) \delta_{\mu\nu} A_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t)$$

$$I_2 = \int d^3 \vec{x} j_0(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|) A_{00}(\vec{x}, t)$$

$$I_3 = \int d^3 \vec{x} \frac{j_1(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|} x_i A_{0i}(\vec{x}, t)$$

$$I_4 = \int d^3 \vec{x} \frac{j_1(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|} x_i A_{i0}(\vec{x}, t)$$

$$I_5 = \int d^3 \vec{x} \left\{ \frac{j_1(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|} \delta_{ij} - |\vec{p}|^2 \frac{j_2(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)^2} x_i x_j \right\} A_{ij}(\vec{x}, t)$$

- Hadronic function $A_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t) \equiv \langle 0 | D/D_s(\vec{x}, t) \mathbf{J}_\mu^A(\mathbf{0}) | J/\psi_\nu(p') \rangle$ is calculable directly.
- The E_h, Z_h are extracted from two-point function $C_2(\vec{p}, t) = \frac{Z_h^2}{2E_h} (e^{-E_h t} + e^{-E_h(T-t)})$ using a single-state fitting.

Lattice setup

Ensemble	C24P29	F32P30	H48P32
$a(\text{fm})$	0.10530(18)	0.07746(18)	0.05187(26)
$a\mu_s$	-0.2400	-0.2050	-0.1700
$a\mu_c$	0.4479	0.2079	0.0581
$L^3 \times T$	$24^3 \times 72$	$32^3 \times 96$	$48^3 \times 144$
$N_{\text{cfg}} \times N_{\text{src}}$	450×72	719×96	100×72
$m_\pi(\text{MeV})$	292.7(1.2)	303.2(1.3)	317.2(0.9)
t	6-17	6-20	8-30
Z_V	0.79814(23)	0.83548(12)	0.86855(04)
Z_A	0.85442(85)	0.88161(64)	0.90113(36)

- (2+1)-flavor **Wilson-clover** gauge ensembles by CLQCD collaboration
CLQCD, PRD109, 054507(2024)
- Similar pion mass ~ 300 MeV, volume ~ 2.5 fm, more fine lattice spacing \Rightarrow continuum limit
- Charm quark mass $a\mu_c$ is tuned by physical J/ψ mass

Computational Resources

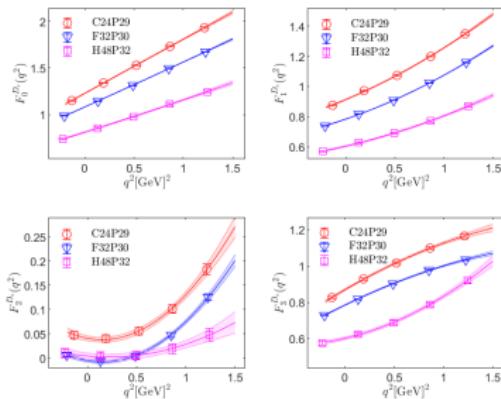
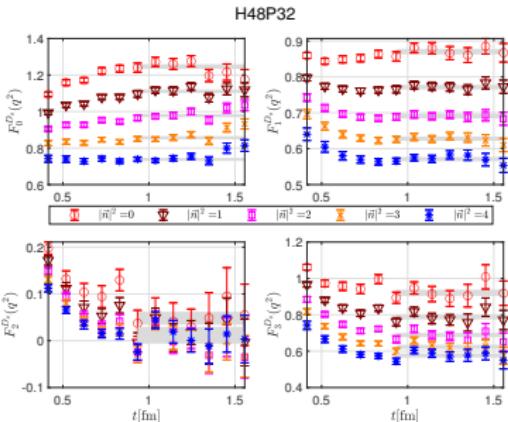
"SongShan" supercomputer at Zhengzhou University

- The queue **vip1** is **only** used for lattice study



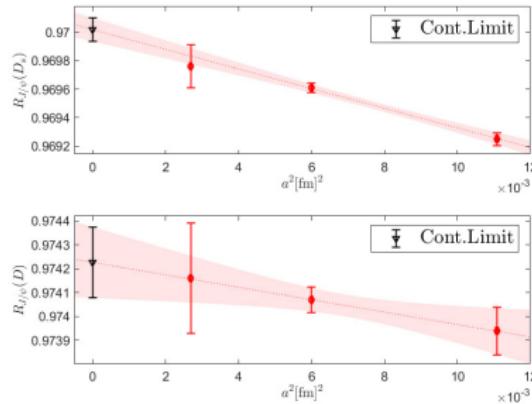
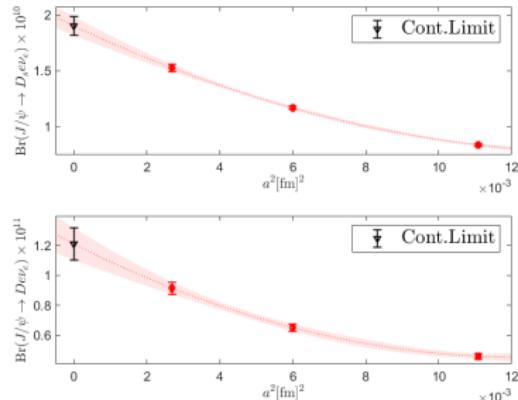
- Propagator storage in this work: 1.33P

Form factors



- Correlated fit to a constant at suitable time region $\sim [0.8, 1.7]$ fm for all ensembles
- A polynomial form $F_i(q^2) = d_i^{(0)} + d_i^{(1)} \cdot q^2 + d_i^{(2)} \cdot q^4$ describes lattice data well

Decay width



- The branching fraction with $V_{cs} = 0.975(6)$, $V_{cd} = 0.221(4)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \bar{\nu}_e) &= 1.90(6)\text{stat}(5)_{V_{cs}} \times 10^{-10} \\ \text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow D e \bar{\nu}_e) &= 1.21(6)\text{stat}(9)_{V_{cd}} \times 10^{-11} \end{aligned}$$

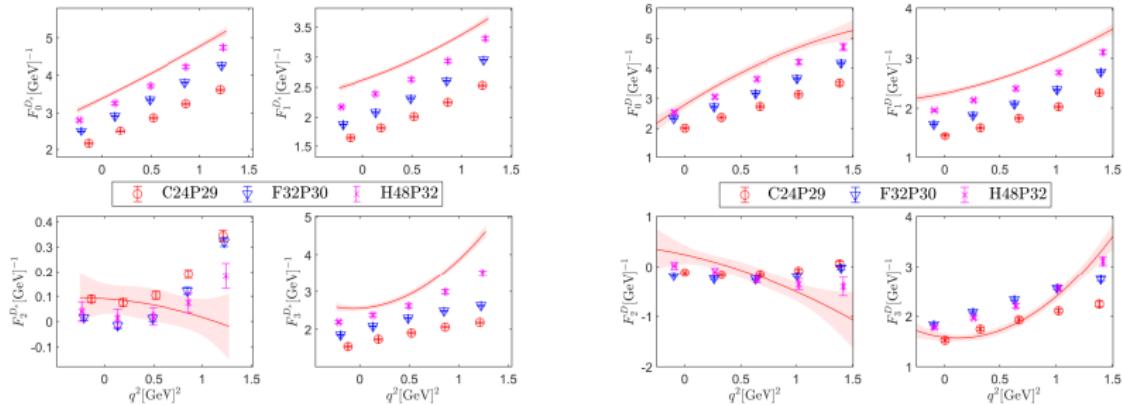
- The ratio between μ and e

$$\begin{aligned} R_{J/\psi(D_s)} &= 0.97002(8)\text{stat} \\ R_{J/\psi(D)} &= 0.97423(15)\text{stat} \end{aligned}$$

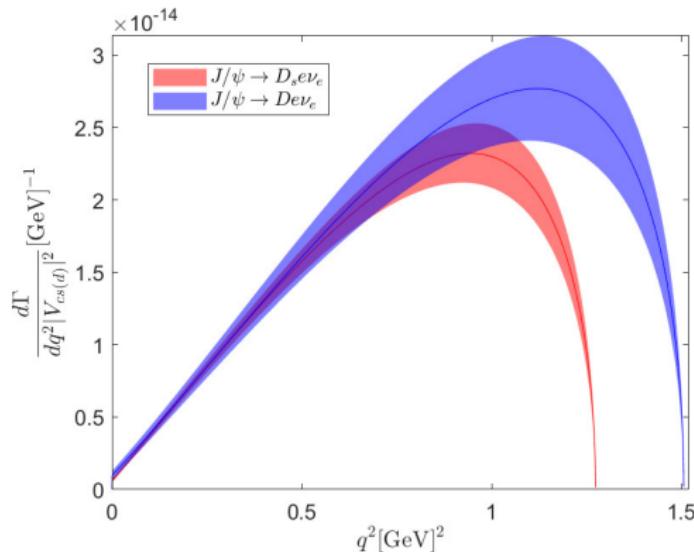
Differential decay width

- The polynomial q^2 -expansion

$$F^{D/D_s}(a^2, q^2) = \sum_{n=0}^{n_{\max}} (c_n + d_n a^2 + f_n a^4) q^{2n}$$



Differential decay width



- The experimental inputs $m_{J/\psi} = 3.09690(1)$ GeV, $m_{D_s} = 1.96834(7)$ GeV, and $m_D = 1.86966(5)$ GeV
- A potential test by future Super Tau Charm Facility with expected 10^{12} J/ψ samples
Front. Phys. (Beijing) 19, 14701(2024)

Relationship with traditional approach

- The traditional parameterization for $P \rightarrow V$ semileptonic decay
Rev.Mod.Phys 67,893(1995)

$$\langle V(\epsilon, p) | J_\mu^W | P(p') \rangle = \epsilon_{\mu\alpha\beta\delta} \epsilon_\alpha(p', \lambda) p'^\beta p^\delta \frac{2V(q^2)}{M+m} + 2M A_0(q^2) \frac{\epsilon(p', \lambda) \cdot q}{q^2} q_\mu$$
$$+ (M+m) A_1(q^2) \left[\epsilon_\mu(p', \lambda) - \frac{\epsilon(p', \lambda) \cdot q}{q^2} q_\mu \right] - A_2(q^2) \frac{\epsilon(p', \lambda) \cdot q}{M+m} \left[p'_\mu + p_\mu - \frac{M^2 - m^2}{q^2} q^\mu \right]$$

- with a kinematic constraint $A_0(0) = \frac{m+M}{2M} A_1(0) - \frac{M-m}{2M} A_2(0)$

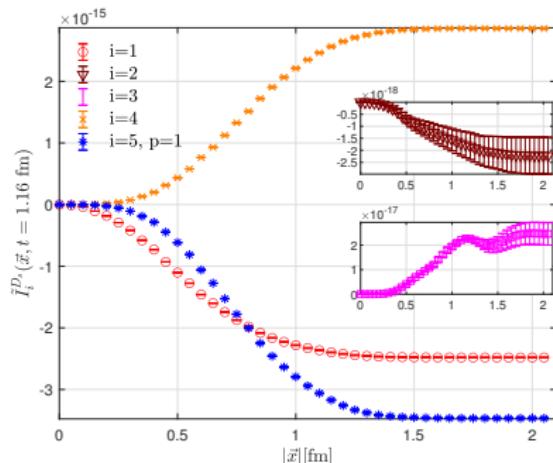
- Relationship with the form factor $F_i (i = 0, 1, 2, 3)$

$$A_0 = \frac{1}{2M} \left(F_1 - \frac{M^2 - m^2 + q^2}{2mM} F_2 - \frac{M^2 - m^2 - q^2}{2m^2} F_3 \right)$$

$$A_1 = \frac{F_1}{m+M}, \quad A_2 = \frac{m+M}{2m^2 M} (mF_2 + MF_3), \quad V = \frac{(m+M)}{2mM} F_0$$

- Numerical simulations get $F_2(0) \simeq 0$, leading to the kinematic constraint on A_0, A_1, A_2 above

Finite-volume effects



$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{I}_0 &= \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha 0} x_\alpha V_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t) \\ \tilde{I}_1 &= \delta_{ij} A_{ij}(\vec{x}, t) \\ \tilde{I}_2 &= A_{00}(\vec{x}, t) \\ \tilde{I}_3 &= x_i A_{0i}(\vec{x}, t) \\ \tilde{I}_4 &= x_i A_{i0}(\vec{x}, t) \\ \tilde{I}_5 &= \frac{j_2(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)}{(|\vec{p}| |\vec{x}|)^2} x_i x_j A_{ij}(\vec{x}, t)\end{aligned}$$

- The contribution of $|\vec{x}| \gtrsim 1.5 \text{ fm}$ is much small, finite-volume effects are under control
- Combining with our checks on $\eta_c \rightarrow 2\gamma$ and $D_s^* \rightarrow D_s \gamma$ in the same way, the replacement $H_{\mu\nu}^L(\vec{x}, t) \rightarrow H_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, t)$ is straightforward when the intermediate state is charm or heavier.

Discussion

- The method can be applied to various $P \rightarrow V$ semileptonic decay, for example, $D_s \rightarrow \phi$, $D \rightarrow K^*$, $B \rightarrow K^*$, $B \rightarrow D^*$, $B \rightarrow J/\psi$, ...
- When the final state is a light hadron, e.g. ϕ, K^* , the exponentially suppressed finite-volume effects may not be ignored. In that case, one can use, for example, the infinite volume reconstruction method to deal with the problem.
Xu Feng,Luchang Jin,PRD100,094509(2019)
Xin-Yu Tuo et al,PRD105,054518(2022)
- With the potential input of future experiments, the lepton flavor universality can be checked and the CKM matrix element $V_{cs(d)}$ can also be extracted.

High precision flavor physics

- Light, strange and charm quark included (point+wall propagator)
 - Calculate arbitrary three-point function
 - Five lattice spacings for continuum limit
 - Physical pion mass extrapolation

Symbol	a(fm)	$L^3 \times T$	$m_\pi(\text{MeV})$	$N_c \times N_t$	Disk(T)
C24P29	0.10521	$24^3 \times 72$	292.3(1.0)	200×72	90
E28P35	0.08970	$28^3 \times 64$	351.4(1.4)	150×64	85
F32P30	0.07751	$32^3 \times 96$	300.4(1.2)	150×96	285
G36P29	0.06884	$36^3 \times 108$	297.2(0.9)	150×54	256
H48P32	0.05198	$48^3 \times 144$	316.6(1.0)	80×72	576
C48P14	0.10521	$48^3 \times 96$	136.4(1.7)	80×96	512
F48P21	0.07751	$48^3 \times 96$	207.5(1.1)	80×96	512

- Total: 2.3P

Conclusion and outlook

• Conclusion

- We present the first lattice calculation of $J/\psi \rightarrow D/D_s$ semileptonic decay using Wilson-clover gauge ensembles by CLQCD.
- Branching fraction of $J/\psi \rightarrow D/D_s$ are determined as

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow D_s e \bar{\nu}_e) &= 1.90(6)_{\text{stat}}(5)_{V_{cs}} \times 10^{-10} \\ \text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow D e \bar{\nu}_e) &= 1.21(6)_{\text{stat}}(9)_{V_{cd}} \times 10^{-11} \\ R_{J/\psi}(D_s) &= 0.97002(8)_{\text{stat}} \\ R_{J/\psi}(D) &= 0.97423(15)_{\text{stat}}\end{aligned}$$

- The method can be generally applied to various $P \rightarrow V$ semileptonic decay.

• Outlook

- The effects from the neglected disconnected diagrams, the quenching of the charm quark, and nonphysical light quark masses are considered in the future.

End

Thank you for attention!