

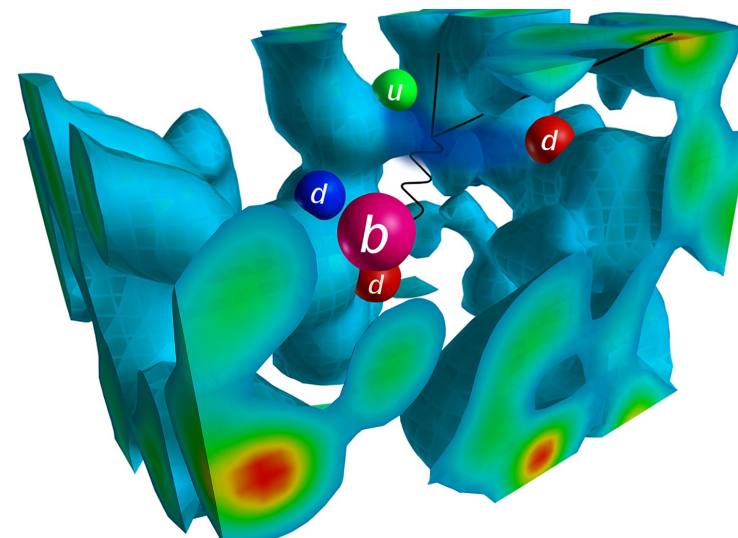
# 重味介子光锥分布振幅的格点QCD精确计算

张其安, 北京航空航天大学

Collaborated with  Lattice Parton  
Collaboration,

W. Wang, J. Xu, S. Zhao, *et.al.*

09/14/2025 @ 华中师范大学, 武汉



# Outline

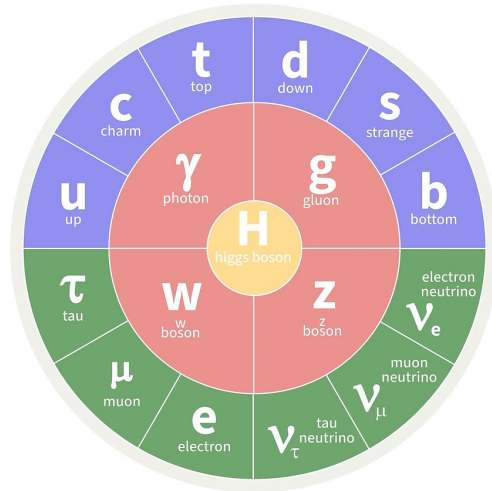
- **Motivation**
- **Theoretical Framework**
- **Lattice QCD Calculation**
- **Perturbative Matching in LaMET and boosted-HQET**
- **Rebuild the full distribution of heavy meson HQET LCDA**
- **Summary and Outlook**

# Heavy Flavor Physics

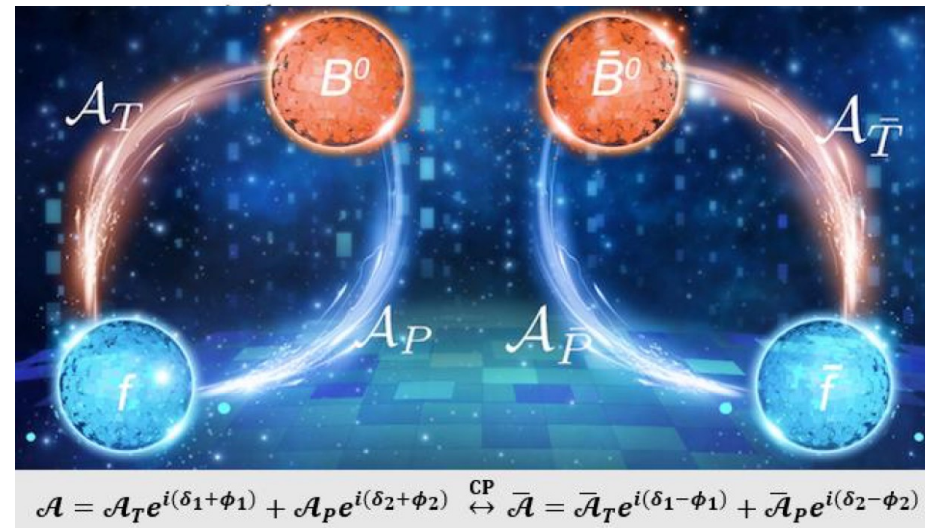
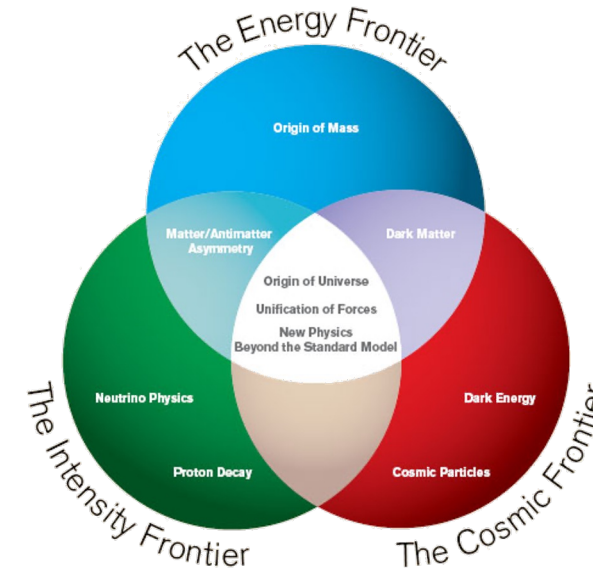
- Precisely testing standard model
- Indirect search for new physics

## The Standard Model

Elementary  
Particles  
in Physics



- Study on CP violation



# Indirect search for new physics

## ➤ FCNC processes: $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell$ rare decays

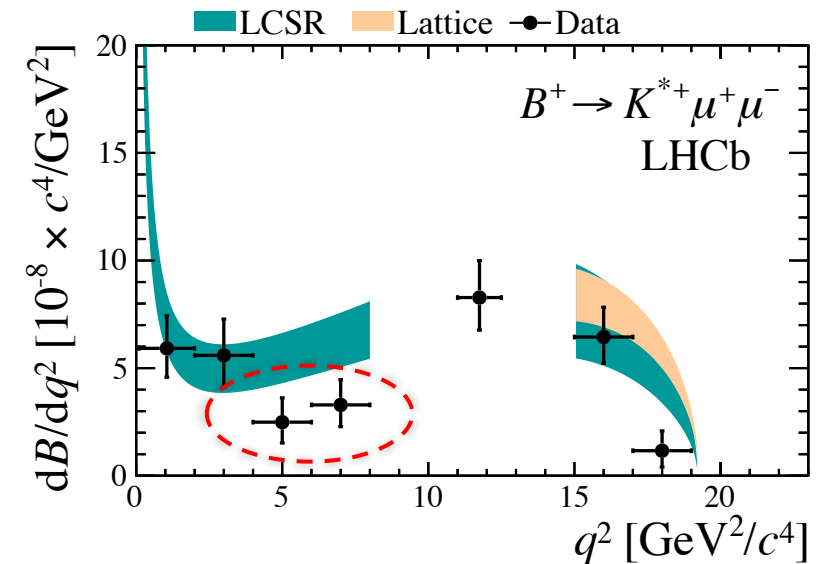
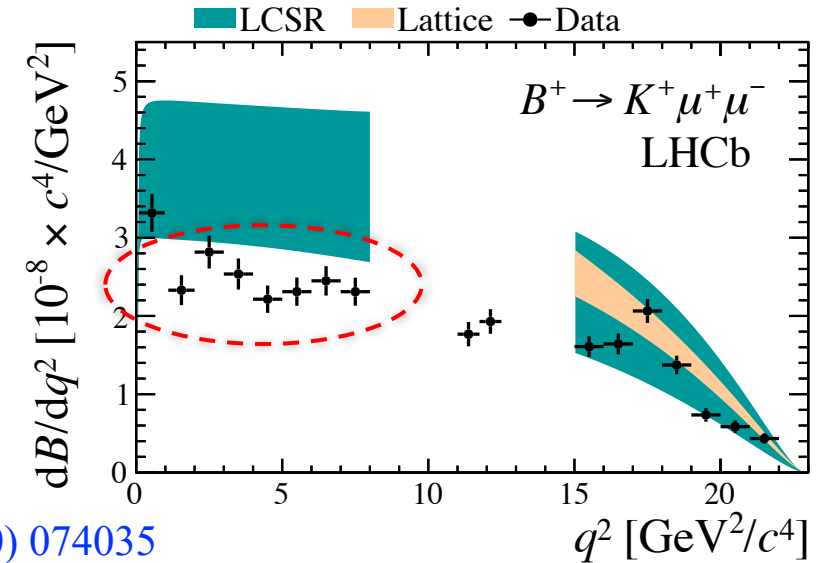
- Small SM amplitude  $\Rightarrow$  **Excellent place** to search for NP
- **Significant deviations** between exp. & theo.
- Ubiquitous:  $B \rightarrow K \mu \mu$ ,  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ ,  $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu \mu$ ,  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu \mu$

## ➤ Theoretical prediction: [Gao, Lu, Shen, Wang, Wei, PRD 101 \(2020\) 074035](#)

$$\mathcal{V}_{B \rightarrow K^*}(0) = 0.359^{+0.141}_{-0.085} \bigg|_{\lambda_B} \begin{vmatrix} +0.019 \\ -0.019 \end{vmatrix}_{\sigma_1} \begin{vmatrix} +0.001 \\ -0.062 \end{vmatrix}_{\mu} \\ +0.010 \bigg|_{M^2} \begin{vmatrix} +0.016 \\ -0.017 \end{vmatrix}_{s_0} \begin{vmatrix} +0.153 \\ -0.079 \end{vmatrix}_{\varphi_{\pm}(\omega)},$$

$\lambda_B, \sigma_1$ : Inverse moment of heavy meson LCDA

$\varphi_{\pm}$ : systematic error from model uncertainty





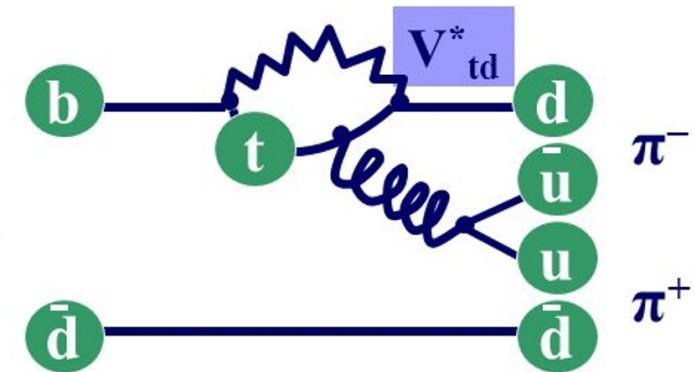
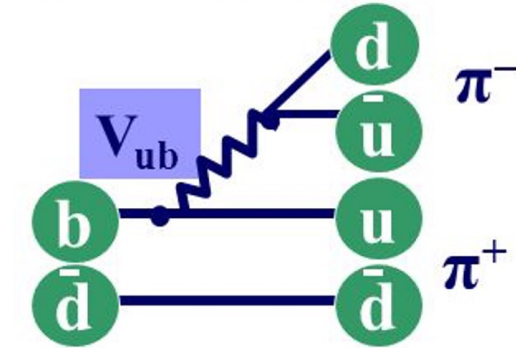
# Study on CP violation

## ➤ Nonleptonic decays: e.g. $B^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$

- The penguin diagrams are not small and have different weak phase;
- Both **direct and indirect CPV** are significant

## ➤ Theoretical prediction:

$$f_{B \rightarrow \pi}^0(0) = 0.122 \times \left[ 1 \pm 0.07 \Big|_{S_0^\pi} \pm 0.11 \Big|_{\Lambda_q} \right. \\ \left. \pm 0.02 \Big|_{\lambda_E^2/\lambda_H^2} \begin{matrix} +0.05 \\ -0.06 \end{matrix} \Big|_{M^2} \pm 0.05 \Big|_{2\lambda_E^2 + \lambda_H^2} \right. \\ \left. \begin{matrix} +0.06 \\ -0.10 \end{matrix} \Big|_{\mu_h} \pm 0.04 \Big|_{\mu} \begin{matrix} +1.36 \\ -0.56 \end{matrix} \Big|_{\lambda_B} \begin{matrix} +0.25 \\ -0.43 \end{matrix} \Big|_{\sigma_1, \sigma_2} \right]$$

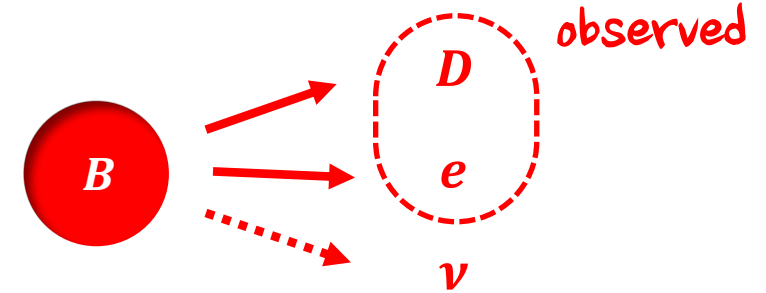


Cui, Huang, Shen, Wang, JHEP 03 (2023) 140

# Light-cone Distribution Amplitudes (LCDAs) of Heavy Mesons

LCDAs contribute to the **exclusive decays** of heavy meson, e.g.  $B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$  process:

$$F_i^{B \rightarrow D}(q^2) = C_i^{(A0)}(q^2)\xi_a(q^2) + \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} \int_0^1 dv T_i(\ln \omega, v, q^2) \varphi_\pm^B(\omega, \mu) \phi_D(v, \mu)$$



- **HQET LCDA**: quark distribution in **initial-state** heavy mesons  $B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$ :

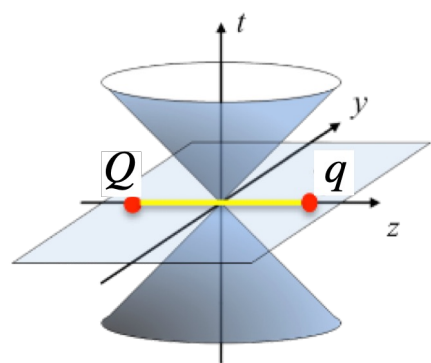
$$\varphi^+(\omega, \mu) = \frac{1}{i \tilde{f}_{H_Q} m_{H_Q} n_+ \cdot v} \int \frac{dt}{2\pi} e^{-i\omega t n_+ \cdot v} \langle 0 | \bar{q}(t n_+) \not{n}_+ \gamma_5 W_c(t n_+, 0) h_v(0) | H_Q(v) \rangle$$

- **QCD LCDA**: quark distribution in **final-state** heavy mesons  $B \rightarrow D\ell\nu$ :

$$\phi(x, \mu) = \frac{1}{i f_{H_Q}} \int \frac{d\xi^-}{2\pi} e^{-ix\xi^- P^+} \langle H_Q(P_{H_Q}) | \bar{q}(\xi^-) \not{n}_+ \gamma_5 W_c(\xi^-, 0) Q(0) | 0 \rangle$$

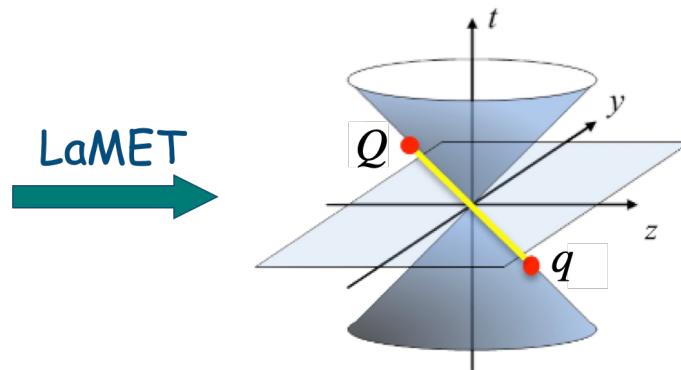
# Sequential Effective Theory

- We adopt a two-step factorization to combine LaMET and bHQET:



Equal-time correlators

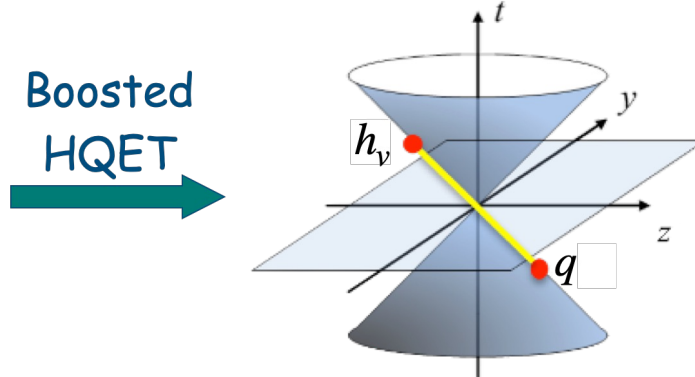
- Scales:**  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}, m_Q, P^z$
- LQCD calculable**



Light-like correlators  
with QCD fields

## LaMET:

- $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}, m_Q \ll P^z$
- Integrate out  $P^z$**



Light-like correlators  
with HQET fields

## bHQET:

- $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll m_Q$
- Integrate out  $m_Q$**

Liu, Wang, Xu, **QAZ**, Zhao, PRD 99, 094036 (2019)

Han, **QAZ**, *et.al.*, PRD111, 034503, (2025)

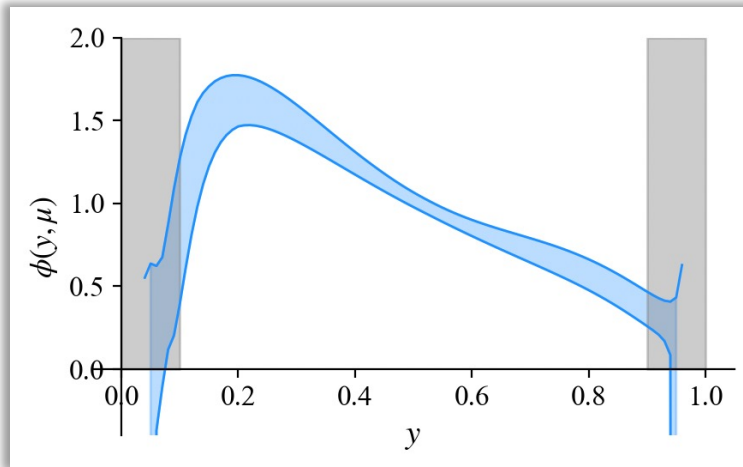
Ishaq, Jia, Xiong, Yang, PRL125, 132001 (2020)

Zhao, PRD 101, 071503 (2020)

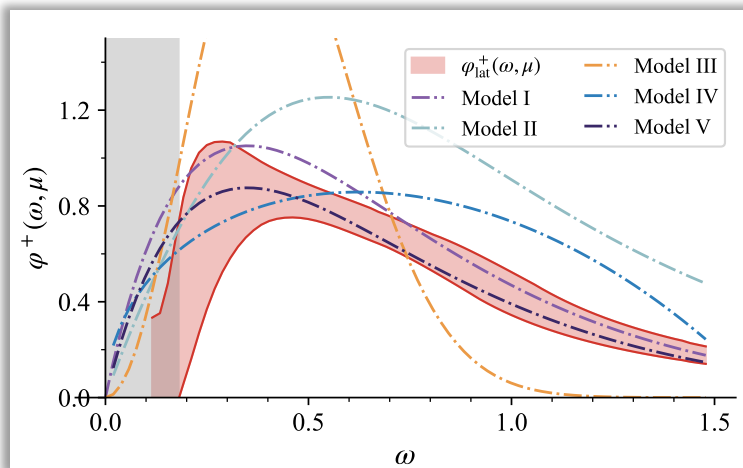
Beneke, Finauri, Vos, Wei, JHEP 09, 066 (2023)

# A Preliminary Extrapolation

$D$  meson QCD LCDA



HQET LCDA  $\varphi^+$



Han, QAZ, *et.al.*, PRD111, L111503 (2025);  
PRD111, 034503 (2025)

- **Exploratory** calculations on the CLQCD ensembles, with single lattice spacing and non-physical hadron masses;
- The QCD LCDA of  $D$  meson, as well as the HQET LCDA for heavy meson, have been obtained **as expected**;
- Based on this results, we can obtain:

More accurate extraction of the inverse moments;

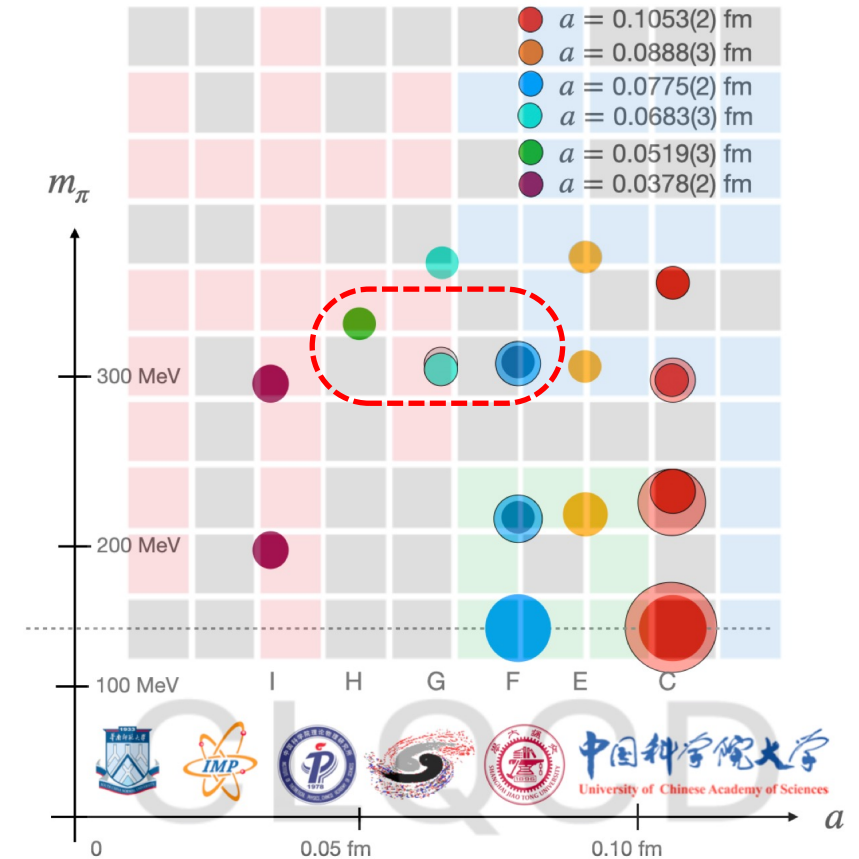
More precise prediction for the  $B \rightarrow K^*$  form factors.

**This result inspires us to conduct further studies...**

# Towards High-Precision Calculation

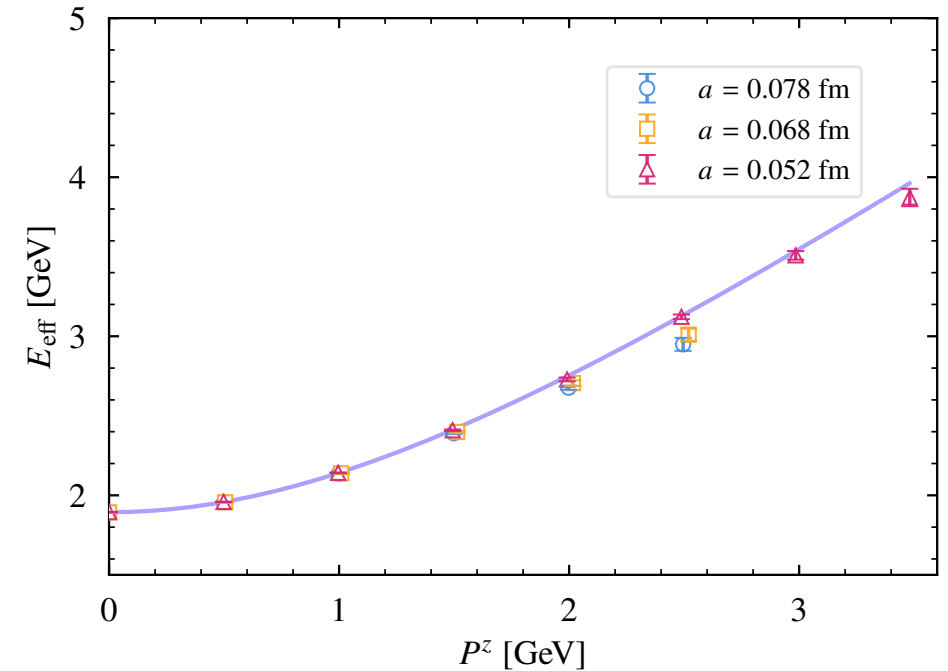
## Simulation setup:

- 2+1 flavor QCD ensembles with stout smeared clover fermion and Symanzik gauge actions, generated by the **CLQCD collaboration**  
*Hu et.al., PRD109, 054507 (2024)*  
*Du et.al., PRD111, 054504 (2025)*
- Three lattice spacings  $a = \{0.078, 0.068, 0.052\}\text{fm}$ , enables continuum extrapolation.
- Multiple momenta **up to 3.5GeV** to carry out the infinite momentum extrapolation.



# Towards High-Precision Calculation

- Power counting  $\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll m_H \ll P^z$  constrains the heavy quark mass, we take **D meson** as the benchmark.
- The dispersion relation demonstrates that discretization effects can be **well controlled**.
- Over **100,000 measurements** on each ensemble are accumulated.



| Ensemble | $n_s^3 \times n_t$ | $a$ [fm]    | $m_\pi$ [GeV] | $m_c$      | $P^z$ [GeV]              | $N_{\text{stats}}$ |
|----------|--------------------|-------------|---------------|------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| F32P30   | $32^3 \times 96$   | 0.07750(18) | 303.2(1.3)    | 0.1968(21) | $\{0, 0.5, \dots, 2.5\}$ | 183600             |
| G36P29   | $36^3 \times 108$  | 0.06826(27) | 295.1(1.2)    | 0.1378(28) | $\{0, 0.5, \dots, 2.5\}$ | 112832             |
| H48P32   | $48^3 \times 144$  | 0.05187(26) | 317.2(0.9)    | 0.0533(24) | $\{0, 0.5, \dots, 3.5\}$ | 108000             |



# Bare matrix elements

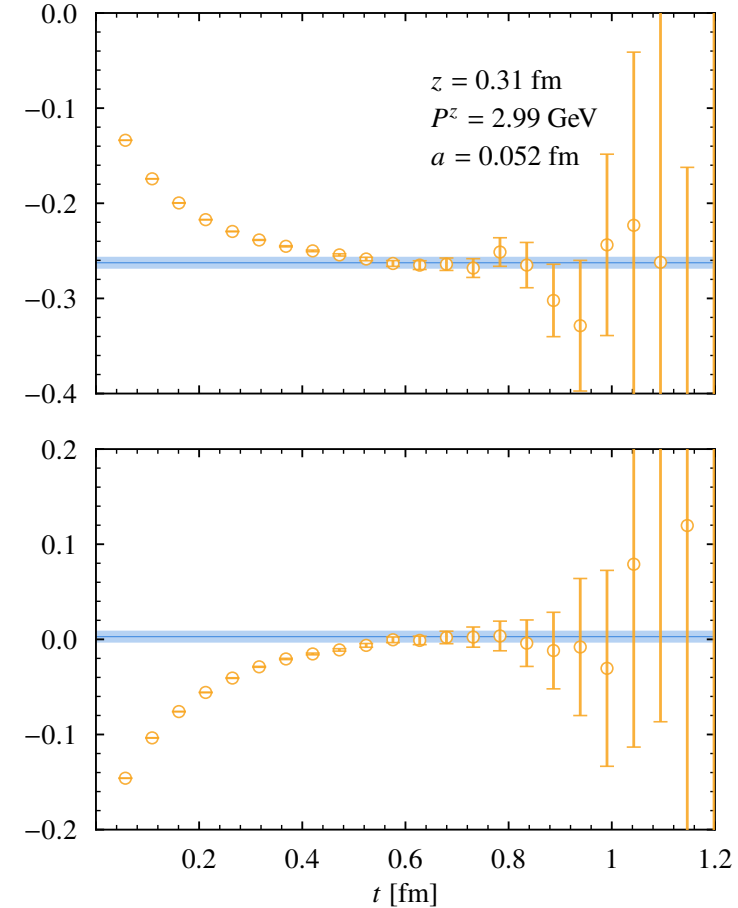
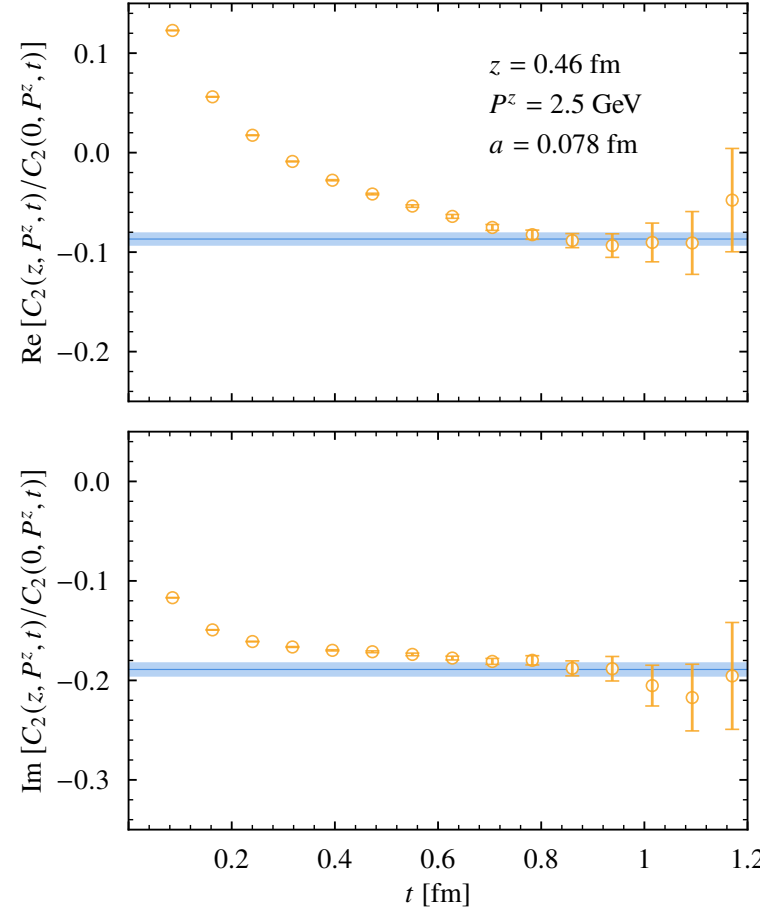
- Nonlocal 2-point correlation function:

$$C_2(z, P^z, t) = \sum_{x^3} e^{iP^z x^3} \langle G_q(x^3 + z, t, 0) \gamma^z \gamma_5 \times W_c(x^3 + z, x^3) \gamma_5 G_Q^\dagger(x^3, t, 0) \gamma_5 \rangle,$$

- Beside high statistics, **HYP smearing** is used to improve the signal.

- Bare matrix elements  $\tilde{M}^B(z, P^z)$ :

$$\frac{C_2(z, P^z, t)}{C_2(0, P^z, t)} = \tilde{M}^B(z, P^z) e^{-E_0 t} \times \left[ \sum_{n=0}^{N_{\text{stat}}-1} A_n e^{-(E_n - E_0)t} \right].$$



# Nonperturbative Renormalization in Hybrid Scheme

- $\tilde{M}^B(z, P^z)$  contains both **linear** and **logarithmic** divergences, can be **multiplicatively renormalized**.

- **Hybrid renormalization scheme:**

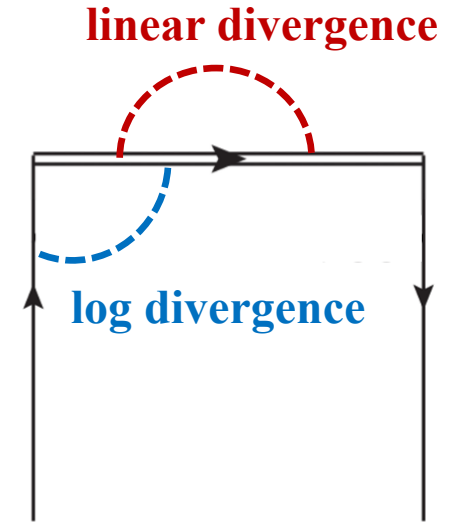
$$\tilde{M}^R(z, P^z) = \frac{\tilde{M}^{(0)}(z, P^z, 1/a)}{\tilde{M}^{(0)}(z, P_{\text{ref}}^z, 1/a)} \theta(z_s - |z|) + \frac{\tilde{M}^{(0)}(z, P^z, 1/a)}{Z_R(z, 1/a)} \theta(|z| - z_s),$$

- Short distance (perturbative region): **ratio scheme**

$$\langle 0 | \bar{q}(z) \gamma^z \gamma_5 W_c(z, 0) Q(0) | H(P^z) \rangle \propto P^z \quad \Rightarrow \quad P_{\text{ref}}^z = 0.5 \text{ GeV}$$

- Long distance (nonperturbative region): **self renormalization scheme**

$$Z_R(z, 1/a) = \exp \left\{ \frac{kz}{a \ln[a \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}]} + m_0 z + f(z) a + \frac{3C_F}{b_0} \ln \left[ \frac{\ln[1/(a \Lambda_{\text{QCD}})]}{\ln[\mu/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}]} \right] + \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{d}{\ln(a \Lambda_{\text{QCD}})} \right] \right\}.$$



# Nonperturbative Renormalization in Hybrid Scheme

## ➤ Hybrid renormalization scheme:

### • Short distance:

Lattice **agree well** with perturbation results  
(NLO, LRR+RGR-improvement)

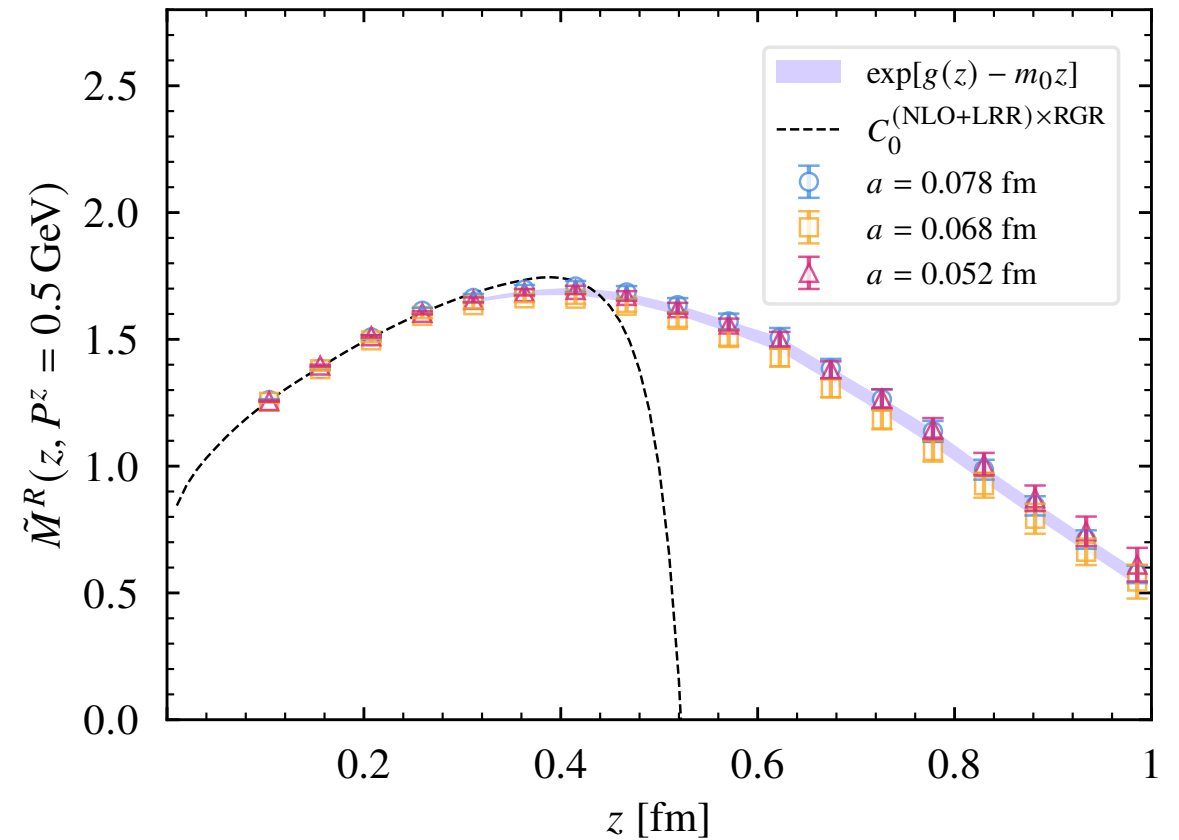
### • Long distance:

$$Z_R(z, 1/a) = \exp \left\{ \frac{kz}{a \ln[a\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}]} + m_0 z + f(z)a + \frac{3C_F}{b_0} \ln \left[ \frac{\ln[1/(a\Lambda_{\text{QCD}})]}{\ln[\mu/\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}]} \right] + \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{d}{\ln(a\Lambda_{\text{QCD}})} \right] \right\}.$$

Fit results: ( $\chi^2/d.o.f = 0.92$ )

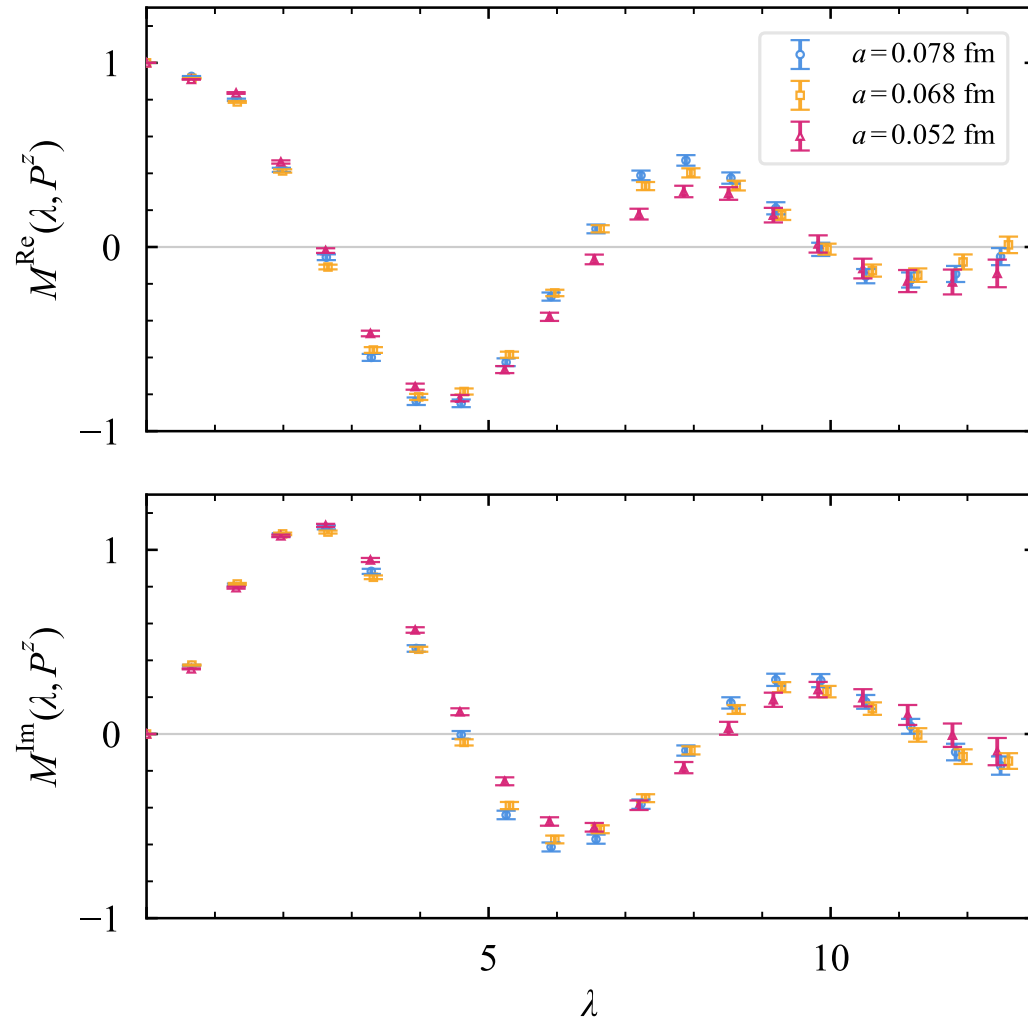
$$k = 0.802(35), \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} = 0.192(75)\text{GeV},$$

$$m_0 = 0.241(98)\text{GeV}, d = -0.18(10)$$

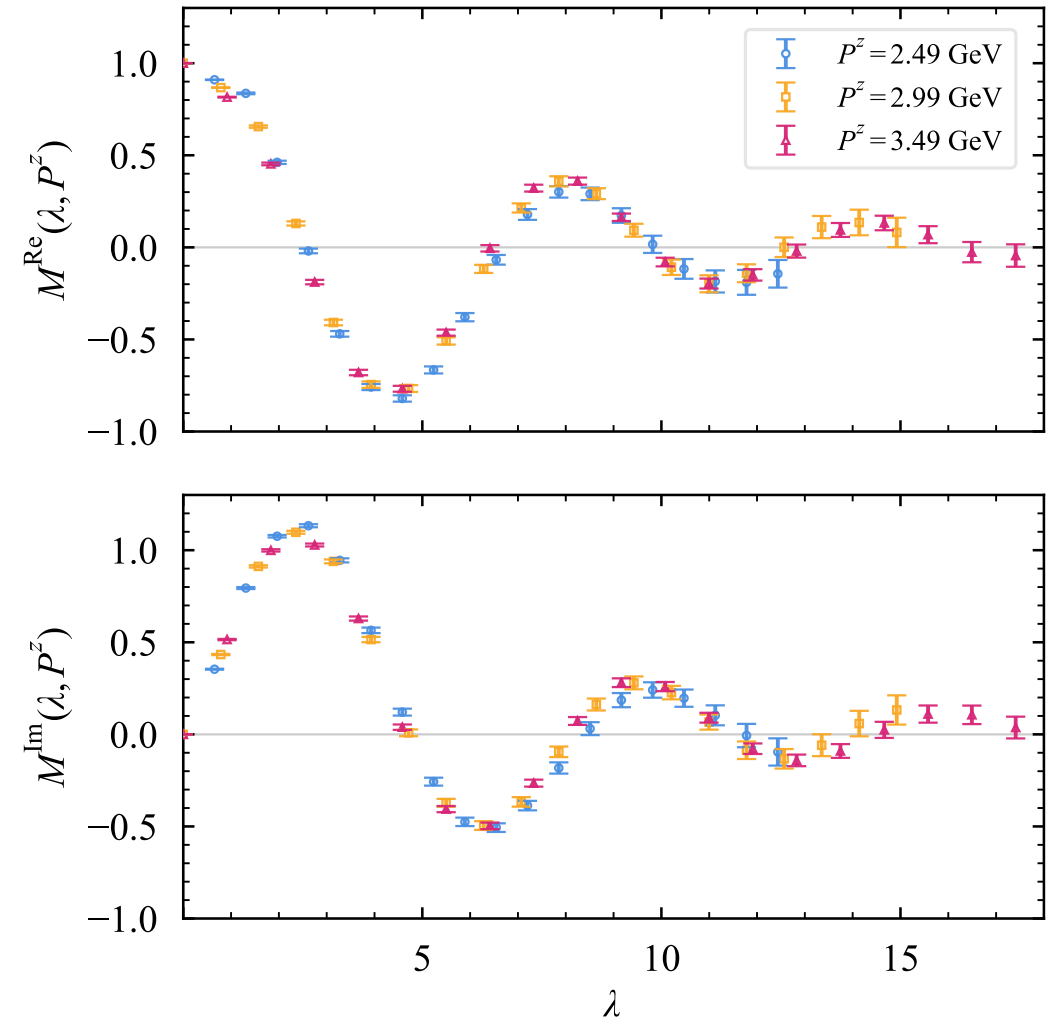


# Renormalized matrix elements

- $a$ -dependence,  $P^z = 2.5\text{GeV}$



- $P^z$ -dependence,  $a = 0.052\text{fm}$



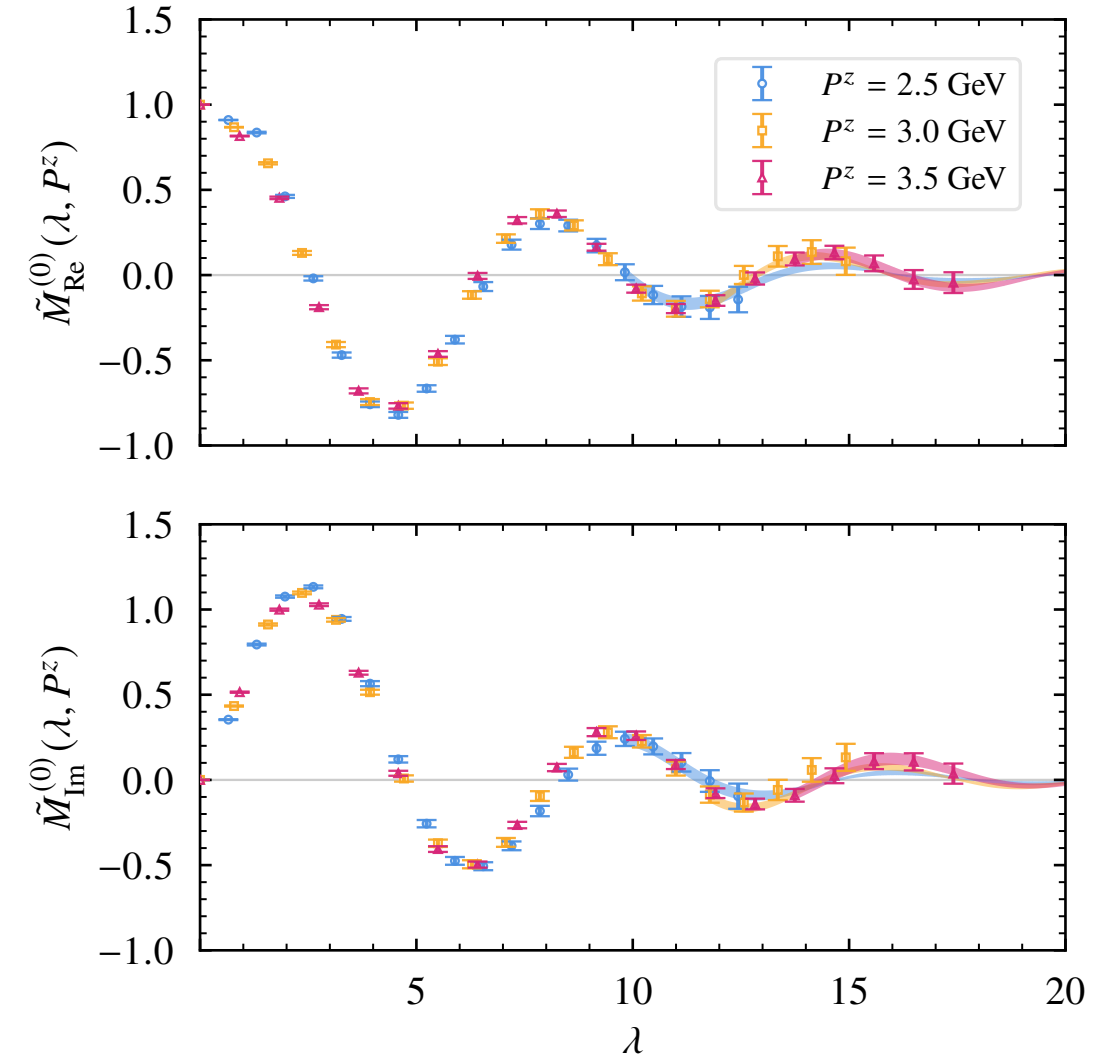
A brute-force truncation at large  $\lambda$  will lead to strong oscillation after FT...

# $\lambda$ Extrapolation

We rebuild the long-range correlations from the  $\lambda$ -extrapolation:

$$\tilde{h}_{\text{extra}}(\lambda) = \left[ \frac{c_1}{(-i\lambda)^{n_1}} + e^{i\lambda} \frac{c_2}{(i\lambda)^{n_2}} \right] e^{-\lambda/\lambda_0}$$

- end point power-law behavior  $x^a(1-x)^b$ ;
- correlation function has a finite correlation length  $\lambda_0$ .



# Matching in LaMET

Matching from quasi-DA to QCD LCDA:

$$\phi(y, \mu) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{dx}{|x|} \mathcal{C}\left(\frac{y}{x}, \frac{\mu}{xP^z}\right) \tilde{\phi}(x, P^z) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m_H^2}{(P^z)^2}, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{(yP^z, (1-y)P^z)^2}\right).$$

Liu, Wang, Xu, **QAZ**, Zhao, PRD 99, 094036 (2019)

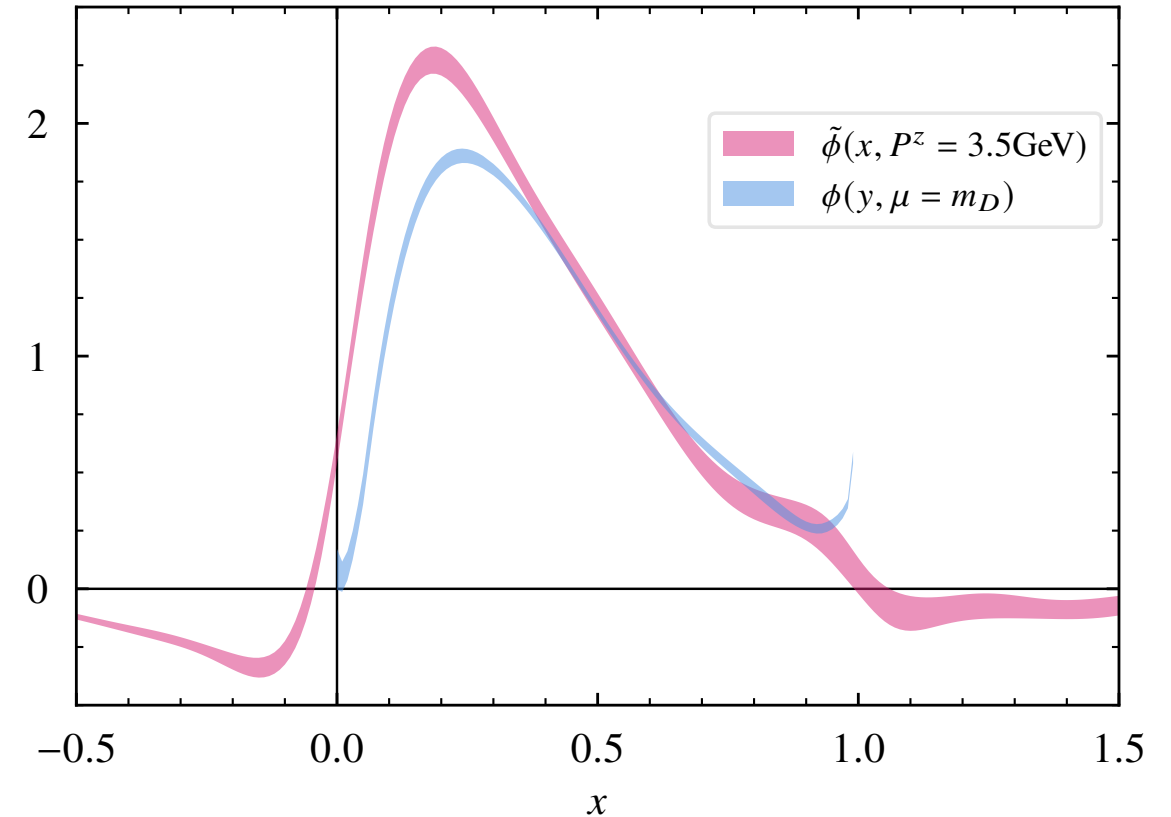
Han, **QAZ**, *et.al.*, PRD111, 034503, (2025)

- Power corrections:

$\frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^2}{(yP^z, (1-y)P^z)^2}$  : Contribute to end-point region.

$\frac{m_H^2}{(P^z)^2}$  : All region, can be estimated by predictions without LaMET.

⇒ The first few moments are sufficient.



# Moments of $D$ meson as benchmark

- Gegenbauer moments from LaMET:

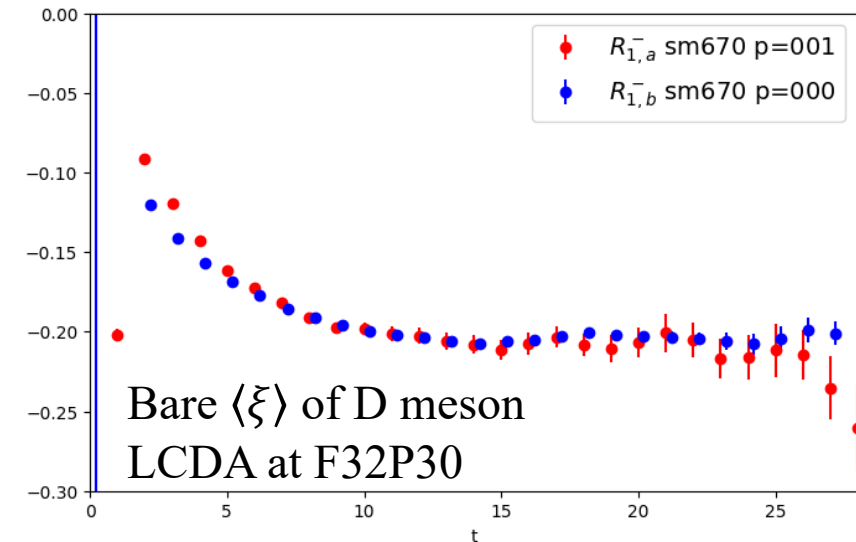
$$\phi(x, \mu^2) = 6x(1-x) \left[ 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(\mu^2) C_n^{3/2}(2x-1) \right],$$

Fitting from data excluding the end-point region:

| $n$ | $a_1$      | $a_2$     | $a_3$      | $a_4$      |
|-----|------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| 2   | -0.397(18) | 0.118(10) |            |            |
| 4   | -0.412(20) | 0.134(16) | -0.016(11) | 0.005(8)   |
| 6   | -0.391(22) | 0.111(18) | 0.026(20)  | -0.019(15) |
| 8   | -0.376(24) | 0.109(19) | 0.041(22)  | -0.034(18) |

- Moments from local operators:

$$\begin{aligned} & \bar{q}(z_2 n) \not{n} \gamma_5 W_c(z_2 n, z_1 n) q'(z_1 n) \\ &= \sum_{k,l=0}^{\infty} \frac{z_2^k z_1^l}{k!l!} n^\rho n^{\mu_1} \dots n^{k+l} \mathcal{M}_{\rho\mu_1 \dots \mu_{k+l}}^{(k,l)} + \dots, \\ & \mathcal{M}_{\rho\mu_1 \dots \mu_{k+l}}^{(k,l)} = \bar{q}(0) \overleftarrow{D}_{(\mu_1} \dots \overleftarrow{D}_{\mu_k} \overrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{k+1}} \dots \overrightarrow{D}_{\mu_{k+l}} \gamma_\rho \gamma_5 q'(0). \end{aligned}$$

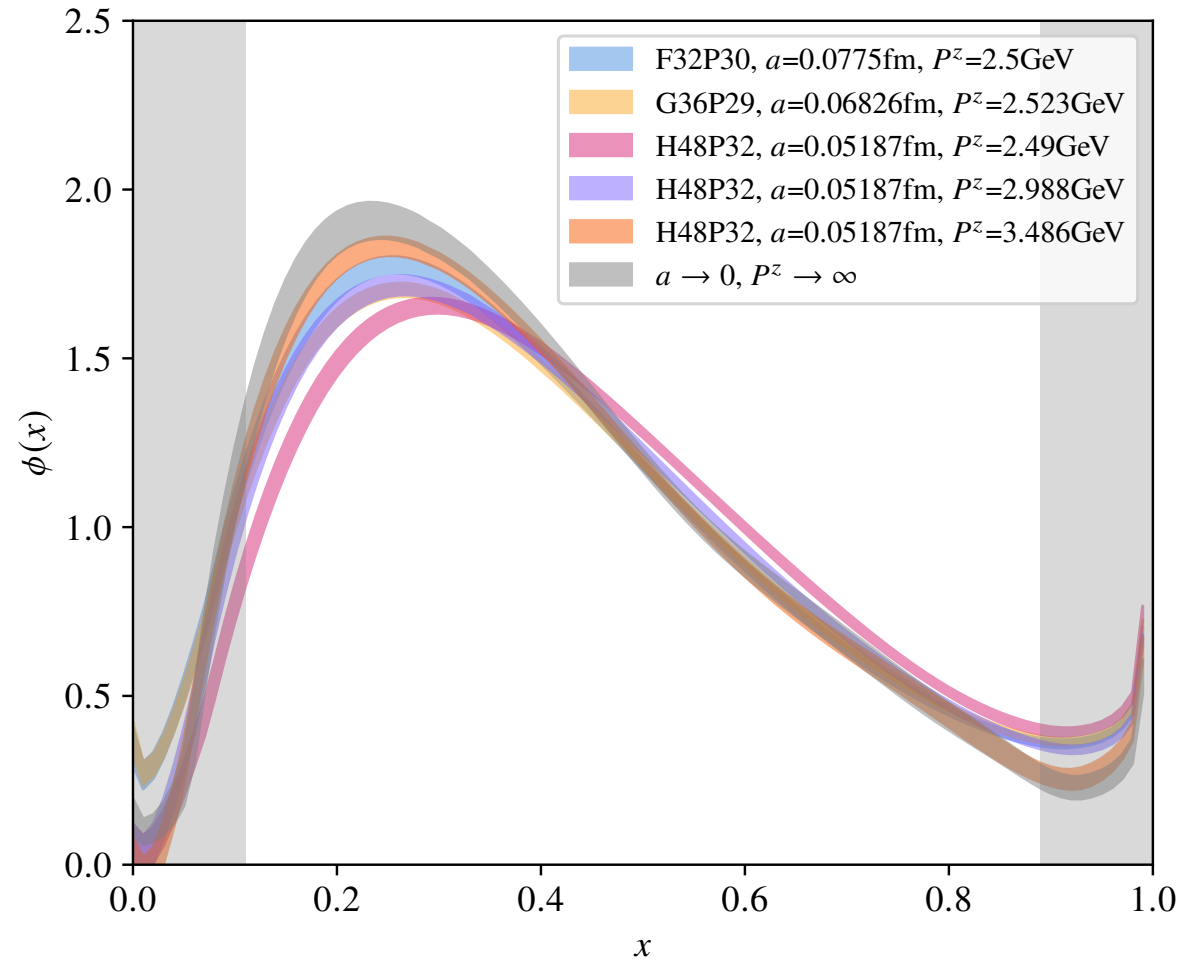


QAZ, *et.al.*, in progress



# QCD LCDA of $D$ meson

Continuum and infinite-momentum extrapolation:  $\phi(x, \mu; a, P^z) = \phi(x, \mu) \left[ 1 + c_1(x)a^2 + \frac{c_2(x)}{(P^z)^2} \right]$



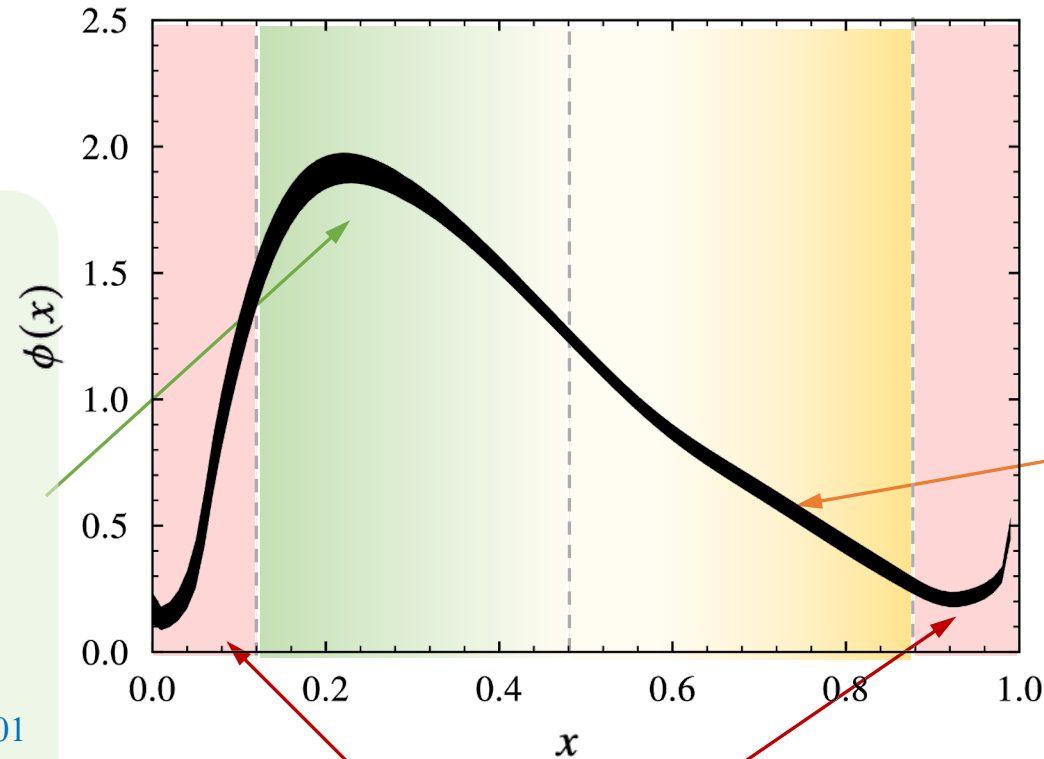
# QCD LCDA of $D$ meson

Peak region:  $y \sim \frac{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}}}{m_H}$

- Light quark carries small momentum fraction;
- Related to the **HQET LCDA**.

Ishaq, Jia, Xiong, Yang, PRL125(2020)132001

Beneke, Finauri, Vos, Wei, JHEP 09, 066 (2023)



Tail region:  $y \sim 1$

- Contain only hard-collinear physics;
- Suppressed in LCDA.

End-point region:

- LaMET matching kernel suffer large power corrections.
- Lattice QCD predictions **fail**

# Prediction for HQET LCDA

- Leading twist HQET LCDA:

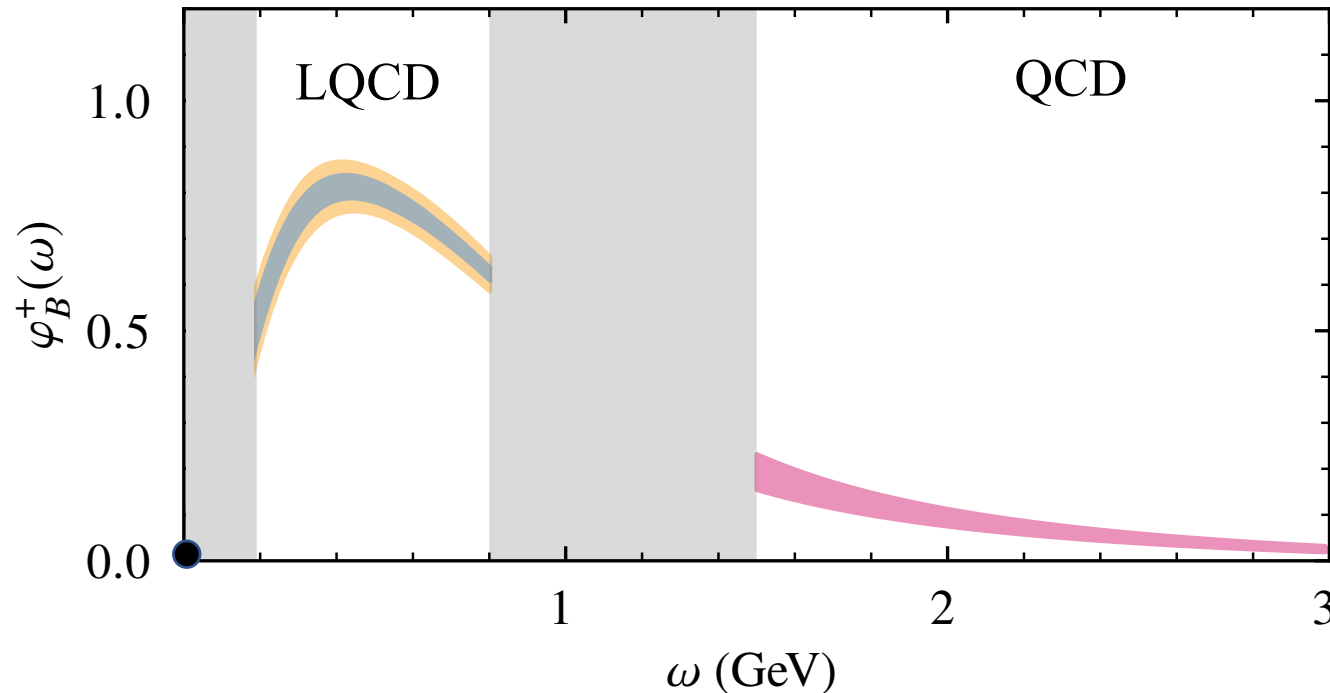
QCD LCDA, nonperturbative

$$\varphi^+(\omega, \mu) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{m_H} \left[ 1 - \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{4\pi} \left( \frac{1}{2} \ln^2 \frac{\mu^2}{m_H^2} + \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m_H^2} + \frac{3}{2} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{m_Q^2} + \frac{\pi^2}{12} + 4 \right) + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2) \right] \phi\left(\frac{\omega}{m_H}, \mu\right), & \omega \sim \Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \\ \frac{\alpha_s C_F}{\pi \omega} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{2} - \ln \frac{\omega}{\mu} \right) + \frac{4\bar{\Lambda}}{3\omega} \left( 2 - \ln \frac{\omega}{\mu} \right) \right] + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s^2), & \omega \sim m_H \end{cases}$$

Beneke, Finauri, Vos, Wei, JHEP 09, 066 (2023)

Lee, Neubert, PRD 72, 094028 (2005)

Prediction for HQET LCDA from first-principle:

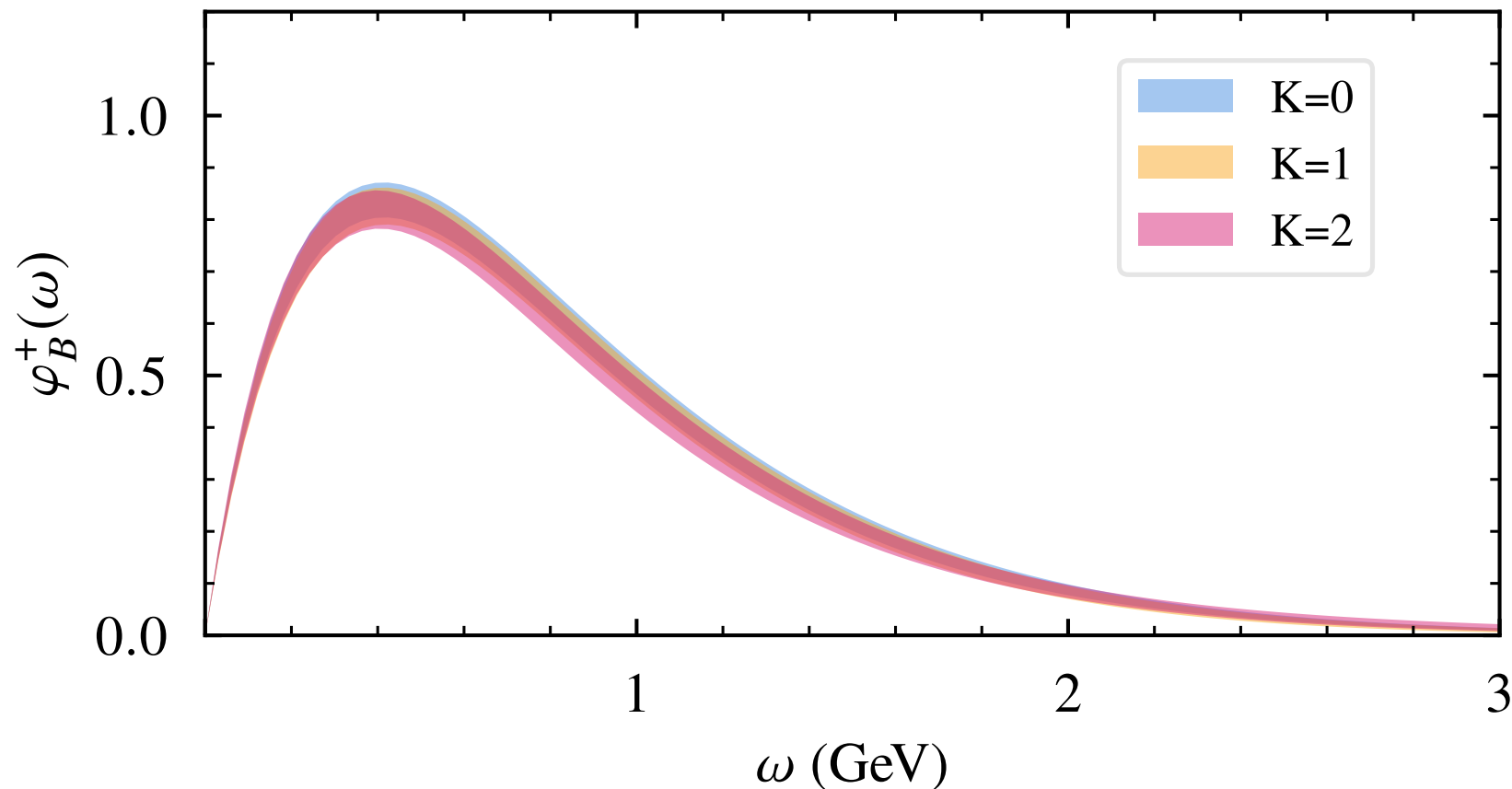


# Prediction for HQET LCDA

- Rebuild the full distribution of the HQET LCDA from a **model-independent parametrization**:

[Feldmann, Lughausen, Dyk, JHEP10, 162 \(2020\)](#)

$$\varphi^+(\omega, \mu) = \frac{\omega e^{-\omega/\omega_0}}{\omega_0^2} \sum_{k=0}^K \frac{a_k(\mu)}{1+k} L_k^{(1)}(2\omega/\omega_0),$$



# Inverse and inverse-logarithmic moments

Predictions of inverse and inverse-logarithmic moments from the full distribution of HEQT LCDA:

$$\lambda_B^{-1}(\mu) = \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} \varphi^+(\omega, \mu),$$

$$\sigma_B^{(n)}(\mu) = \lambda_B(\mu) \int_0^\infty \frac{d\omega}{\omega} \ln\left(\frac{\mu}{\omega}\right)^{(n)} \varphi^+(\omega, \mu).$$

|               | $\lambda_B$ (GeV)         | $\sigma_B^{(1)}$ |
|---------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| Our work      | 0.414 (16)                | 1.451 (19)       |
| PRD98 (2018)  | > 0.24                    |                  |
| JHEP (2020)   | 0.383 (153)               |                  |
| PRD72 (2005)  | 0.48 (11)                 | 1.6 (2)          |
| PRD69 (2004)  | 0.46 (11)                 | 1.4 (4)          |
| PRD55 (1997)  | 0.35 (15)                 |                  |
| PRD101 (2020) | $0.343^{+0.064}_{-0.079}$ |                  |
| PLB848 (2024) | 0.338 (68)                |                  |

# Summary and Outlook

---

- ✓ We present a **first-principles precision determination** of the QCD and HQET LCDA for heavy mesons at leading power.
- ✓ Systematic uncertainties from non-perturbative renormalization, scale conversion, continuum and infinite-momentum extrapolation etc., are comprehensively addressed.
- Power correction in LaMET ( $\propto m_H/P^z$ ) can be estimated from **local moments**, this work is currently ongoing.
- Power correction in bHQET ( $\propto \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}/m_Q$ ) can be estimated by **difference between spin-split heavy mesons**, this is our goal for next stage.

**Thanks for your attention**