

Attempt extracting $\pi\pi$ s-wave scattering lengths from cusp effect in heavy quarkonium dipion transitions

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Outline

- **Brief review of $\pi\pi$ scattering**
- **Experimental methods of measuring $\pi\pi$ scattering lengths**
- **Investigating cusp effect in heavy quarkonium dipion transition according to non-relativistic effective theory (NREFT)**
- **Explore the availability of experiment**
- **Summary**

$\pi\pi$ scattering

Pions play a special role in strong interactions.

At low energy, the strength of $\pi\pi$ interaction is described by the scattering length

$$a_0^0 = \frac{7M_\pi^2}{32\pi F_\pi^2} + \mathcal{O}(m_q^2) \quad a_0^2 = -\frac{M_\pi^2}{16\pi F_\pi^2} + \mathcal{O}(m_q^2)$$

Weinberg, PRL17,616(1966)

Vanish in the chiral limit

ChPT combined with Roy equations, to two loops

G. Colangelo et al, PLB488,261(2000), NPB603,125(2001)

$$a_0^0 = 0.220 \pm 0.005, \quad a_0^2 = -0.0444 \pm 0.0010$$
$$a_0^0 - a_0^2 = 0.265 \pm 0.004$$

Experimental methods

➤ K_{e4} decay, $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ \nu_e$

sensitive to the $\pi\pi$ phase shifts which are related
with the scattering lengths

Rosselet et al, Geneva-Saclay, PRD15,574(1977); BNL-E865,PRL87,
221801(2011);NA48/2, EPJC54,411(2008)

➤ Lifetime of ponium($\pi^+ \pi^-$ bound state)

$$\Gamma_{\pi\pi} \propto (a_0 - a_2)^2$$

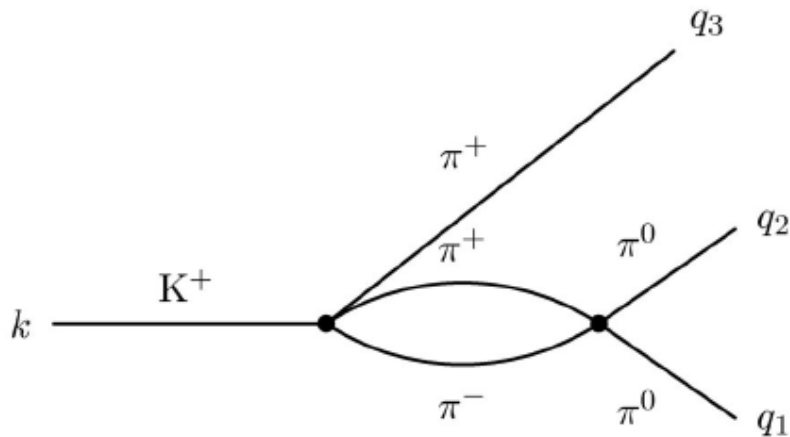
Uretsky & Palfrey, PR121,1798(1961); DIRAC collab. PLB619,50(2005)

➤ Cusp effects, $K \rightarrow 3\pi$, $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$, $\eta' \rightarrow \eta \pi\pi$

Budini & Fonda, 1961; Cabibbo, 2004; NA48/2, 2006; Gasser, Kubis &
Rusetsky, 2011; Kubis & Schneider, 2009;

Cusp effect

Resulted from charge-exchange rescattering $\pi^+\pi^- \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$
and the pion mass difference



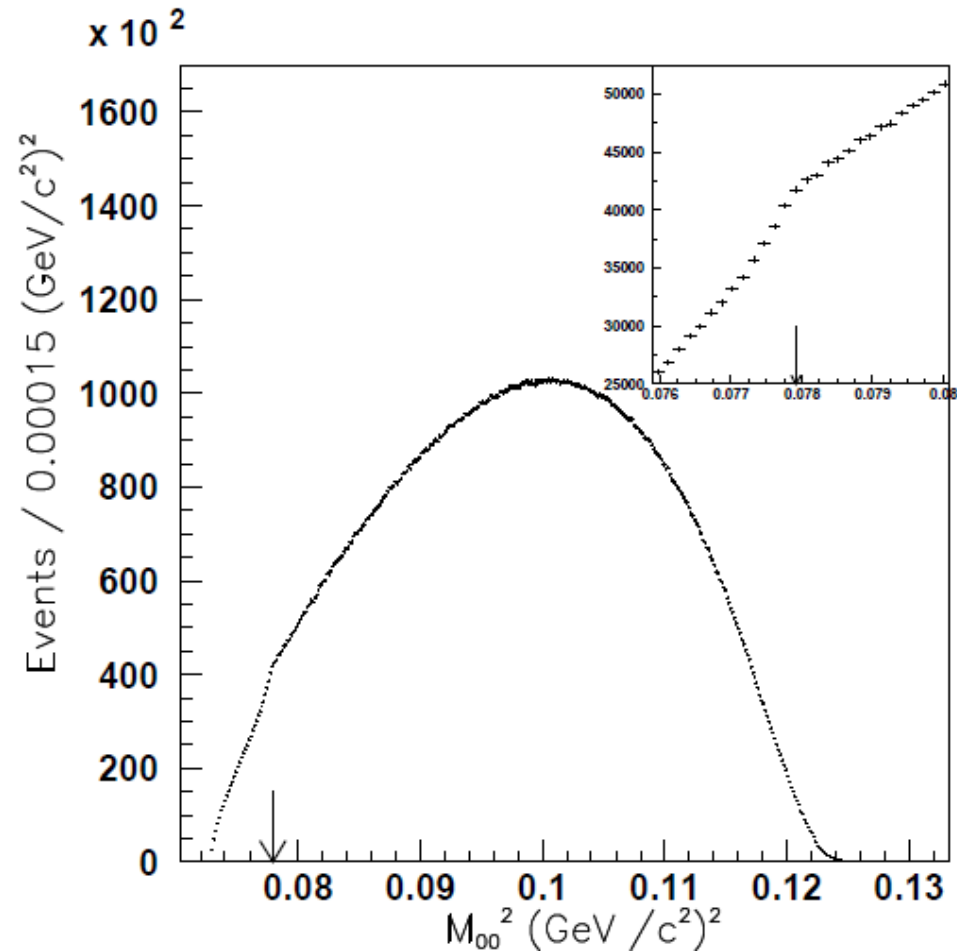
Budini & Fonda, 1961;
Cabibbo, 2004;

Branching ratio

$$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^+ ((5.59 \pm 0.04)\%)$$

much larger than

$$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\pi^+ ((1.761 \pm 0.022)\%)$$



NA48/2, PLB633,173
 6×10^7 events

Cusp effect in $\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^0\pi^0$ & $\Upsilon(3S) \rightarrow \Upsilon(2S)\pi^0\pi^0$

✓ Branching ratios

$$Br(\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^0\pi^0) \sim (17.73 \pm 0.34) \%$$

$$Br(\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-)/Br(\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^0\pi^0) \approx 2$$

$$Br(\Upsilon(3S) \rightarrow \Upsilon(2S)\pi^0\pi^0) \sim (1.85 \pm 0.14)\%$$

$$Br(\Upsilon(3S) \rightarrow \Upsilon(2S)\pi^+\pi^-) \sim (2.45 \pm 0.23)\%$$

$$Br(\eta' \rightarrow \eta\pi^+\pi^-)/Br(\eta' \rightarrow \eta\pi^0\pi^0) \sim 2$$

$$Br(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)/Br(\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0) \sim 0.7$$

$$Br(K_L \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)/Br(K_L \rightarrow 3\pi^0) \sim 0.64$$

✓ Huge data sample of heavy quarkonium

BESIII, Belle, BarBar, CLEOc, LHCb

✓ Interaction between pion and heavy quarkonium is highly OZI suppressed, which may simplify the problem compared with other processes

NREFT method

The process is similar to $\eta' \rightarrow \eta\pi\pi$

Near the energy region of $\pi\pi$ threshold, follow the NREFT method adapted in

[Kubis&Schneider,EPJC62,511(2009)] and references therein

Power counting scheme:

Introduce a formal small parameter ϵ , in the initial state rest frame,

✓ three momenta $|\vec{p}_i| \sim O(\epsilon)$

✓ The mass $M \sim O(1)$

✓ Kinetic energy $T_i = p_i^0 - M \sim O(\epsilon^2)$

✓ Combined with another small parameter $a_{\pi\pi}$

NREFT method

Effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_\psi + \mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi},$$

Up to $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_\psi &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=0}^1 G_n \left(\psi'_{i\dagger} (W_{J/\psi} - M_{J/\psi})^n J_i \Phi_0 \Phi_0 + h.c. \right) \\ &+ \sum_{n=0}^1 H_n \left(\psi'_{i\dagger} (W_{J/\psi} - M_{J/\psi})^n J_i \Phi_+ \Phi_- + h.c. \right) + \dots, \end{aligned}$$

$$W_{J/\psi} = \sqrt{M_{J/\psi}^2 - \Delta}$$

Laplacian

NREFT method

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi} &= 2 \sum_{k=0,\pm} \Phi_k^\dagger W_k (i\partial_t - W_k) \Phi_k \\ &+ C_x (\Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_+ \Phi_- + h.c.) + \frac{1}{4} C_{00} (\Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_0 \Phi_0 + h.c.) \\ &+ D_x \left[(\Phi_0^\dagger)_\mu (\Phi_0^\dagger)^\mu \Phi_+ \Phi_- + \Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_0^\dagger (\Phi_+^\dagger)_\mu (\Phi_-^\dagger)^\mu + h.c. \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{4} D_{00} \left[(\Phi_0^\dagger)_\mu (\Phi_0^\dagger)^\mu \Phi_0 \Phi_0 + \Phi_0^\dagger \Phi_0^\dagger (\Phi_0^\dagger)_\mu (\Phi_0^\dagger)^\mu + h.c. \right] + \dots\end{aligned}$$

$$(\Phi_k)_\mu = (\mathcal{P}_k)_\mu \Phi_k, \quad (\mathcal{P}_k)_\mu = (W_k, -i\nabla)$$

$$(\Phi_k^\dagger)_\mu = (\mathcal{P}_k^\dagger)_\mu \Phi_k^\dagger, \quad (\mathcal{P}_k^\dagger)_\mu = (W_k, i\nabla)$$

$$W_k = \sqrt{M_k^2 - \Delta}$$

Couplings

Effective range expansion

$$T^I(s, t) = 32\pi \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (2l + 1) t_l^I(s) P_l(z)$$
$$\text{Re } t_l^I(s) = q_{ab}^{2l} [a_l^I + b_l^I q_{ab}^2 + \mathcal{O}(q_{ab}^4)]$$

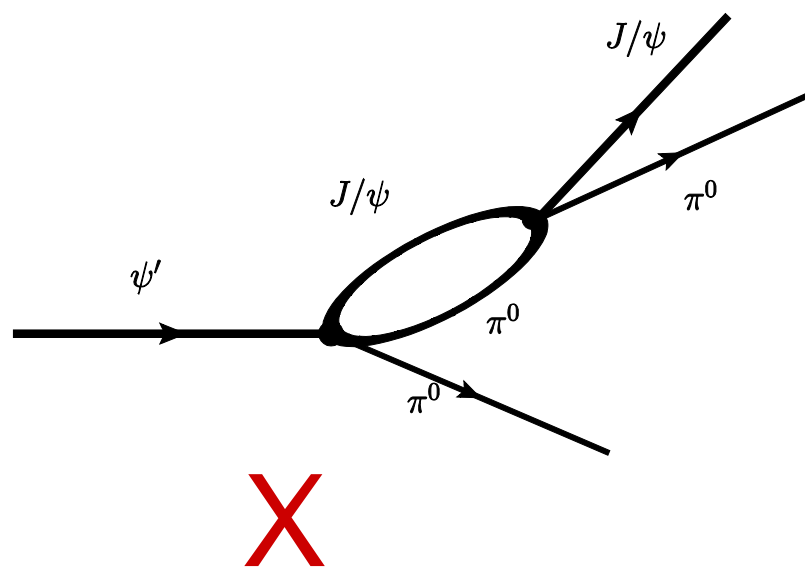
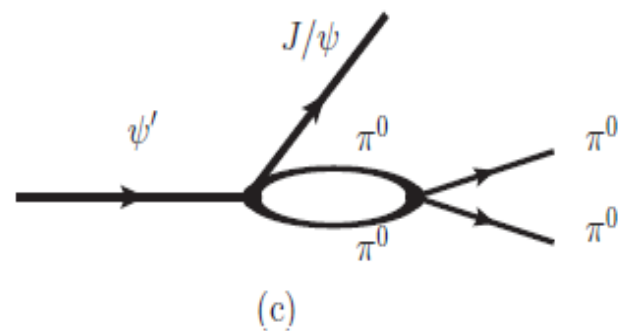
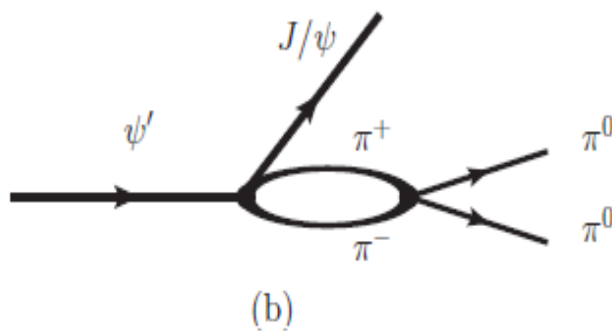
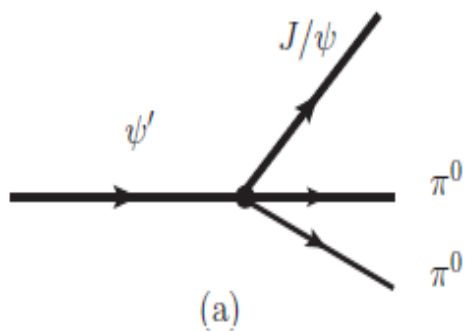
Ananthanarayan et al, Phys.Rep.353, 207(2001)

t_l^I is the partial wave amplitude with the angular momentum l and isospin I , via matching to the amplitude obtained by

NREFT

$$C_x = \frac{16\pi}{3} M_{\pi^+} (a_2 - a_0),$$
$$C_{00} = \frac{16\pi}{3} M_{\pi^+} (a_0 + 2a_2),$$
$$D_x = \frac{4\pi}{3} M_{\pi^+} (b_2 - b_0),$$
$$D_{00} = \frac{4\pi}{3} M_{\pi^+} (b_0 + 2b_2),$$

Feynman Diagrams



highly OZI suppressed

Utilizing the data of heavy quarkonium dipion transitions

$$|a_{J/\psi\pi}| < 0.02\text{fm}$$

$$|a_{\Upsilon(2S)\pi}| < 0.01\text{fm}$$

Liu et al, EPJC73,2284(2013)

$$a_{J/\psi\pi} = (-0.01 \pm 0.01)\text{fm}$$

Liu et al, Pos LATTICE2008,112

Transition Amplitude

$$\psi'(P_{\psi'}) \rightarrow \pi^0(p_1)\pi^0(p_2)J/\psi(p_3), \quad s_i = (P_{\psi'} - p_i)^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} T^{tree} &= [G_0 + G_1(p_3^0 - M_J)] \vec{\epsilon}_{\psi'} \cdot \vec{\epsilon}_J, \\ T^{1-loop} &= 2 [C_x + D_x(s_3 - 4M_{\pi^+}^2)] [H_0 + H_1(p_3^0 - M_J)] J_{+-}(s_3) \vec{\epsilon}_{\psi'} \cdot \vec{\epsilon}_J \\ &+ [C_{00} + D_{00}(s_3 - 4M_{\pi^0}^2)] [G_0 + G_1(p_3^0 - M_J)] J_{00}(s_3) \vec{\epsilon}_{\psi'} \cdot \vec{\epsilon}_J, \end{aligned}$$

loop integral

$$J_{ab}(P^2) = \int \frac{d^D l}{i(2\pi)^D} \frac{1}{2w_a(\vec{l})(w_a(\vec{l}) - l_0)} \frac{1}{2w_a(\vec{P} - \vec{l})(w_a(\vec{P} - \vec{l}) - P_0 + l_0)}$$

$$w(\vec{l}) = \sqrt{M^2 + \vec{l}^2}$$

Transition Amplitude

$$J_{+-}(s_3) = \frac{1}{16\pi} \sqrt{\frac{4M_{\pi^+}^2 - s_3}{s_3}}, \quad \text{when } s_3 \leq 4M_{\pi^+}^2,$$

$$J_{+-}(s_3) = \frac{i}{16\pi} \sqrt{\frac{s_3 - 4M_{\pi^+}^2}{s_3}}, \quad \text{when } s_3 > 4M_{\pi^+}^2,$$

$$J_{00}(s_3) = \frac{i}{16\pi} \sqrt{\frac{s_3 - 4M_{\pi^0}^2}{s_3}}, \quad \sim \mathbf{O}(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon})$$

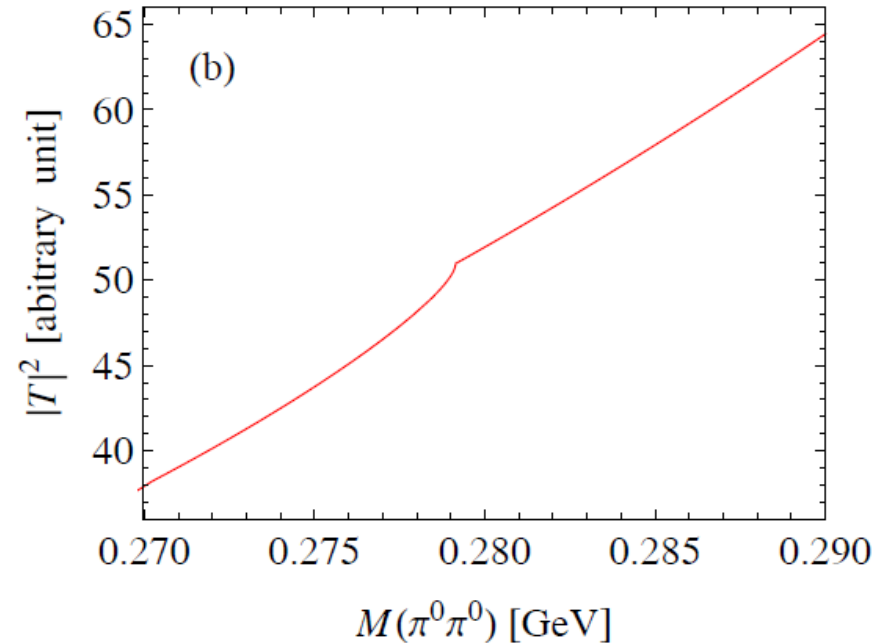
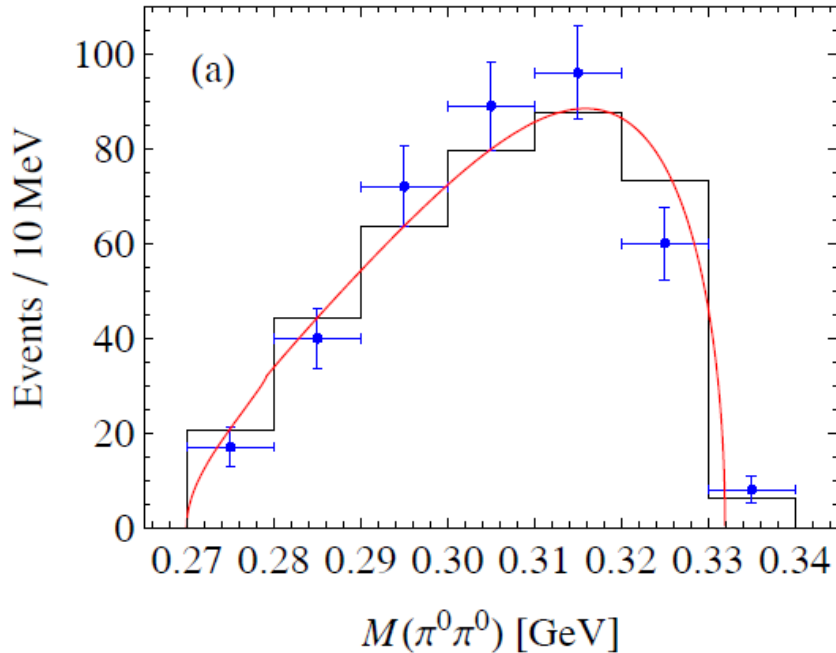
To one loop, the final result is derived up to $\mathbf{O}(a_{\pi\pi}\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}^2)$

$$T = [G_0 + G_1(p_3^0 - M_J) + 2C_x H_0 J_{+-}(s_3) + C_{00} G_0 J_{00}(s_3)] \vec{\epsilon}_{\psi'} \cdot \vec{\epsilon}_J$$

Explore the availability of experiment

- ✓ The kinematical region around $\pi\pi$ threshold is suppressed in $\psi' \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^0\pi^0$, $Y(3S) \rightarrow Y(2S)\pi^0\pi^0$ is better
- ✓ To make a MC simulation, it is necessary to determine the values of G_0 and G_1 , or the ratio G_0/G_1
- ✓ Since NREFT will only work in the kinematical region around $\pi\pi$ threshold, the Chiral Unitary Approach (CHUA) is adopted to estimate G_0/G_1 , where $\pi\pi$ FSI will be taken into account.

Estimation on G_0/G_1

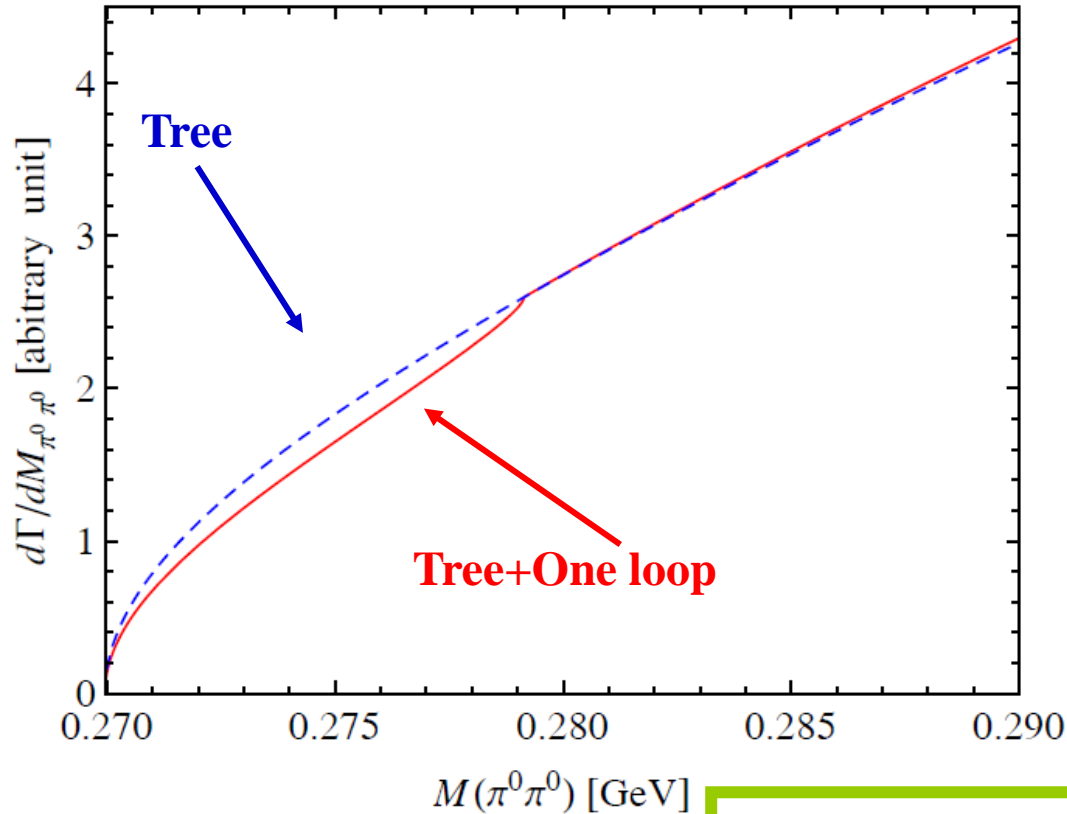


Fit to the $\pi^0\pi^0$ invariant mass spectrum of $Y(3S) \rightarrow Y(2S)\pi^0\pi^0$
measured by CLEOc [PRD76, 072001] with CHUA

By matching NREFT to CHUA, a rough estimation obtained

$$\frac{G_0}{G_1} = -4.37_{-0.56}^{+0.81} \text{ MeV.}$$

Cusp effect at the $\pi^+\pi^-$ threshold in the reaction $Y(3S) \rightarrow Y(2S)\pi^0\pi^0$ calculated in the NREFT framework



Reduce the number of events about 9%

$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ 13%

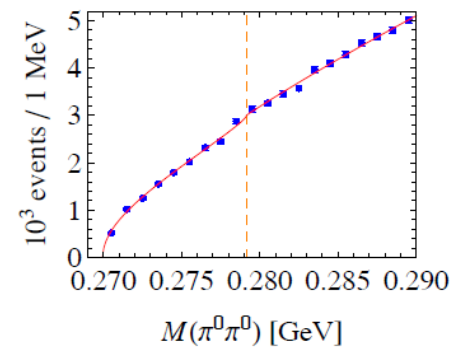
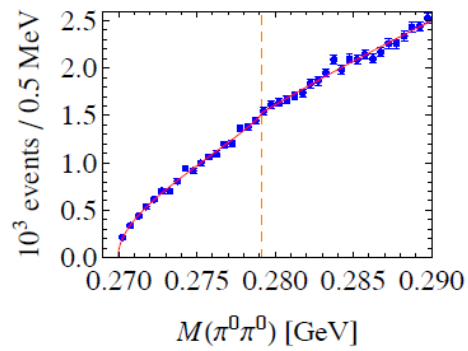
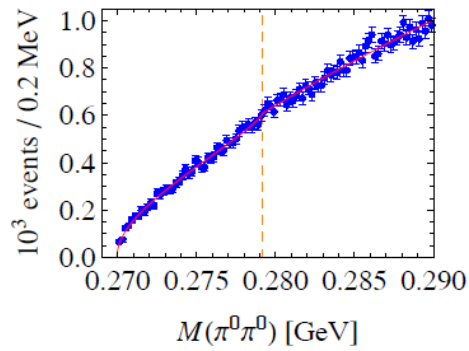
$\eta' \rightarrow \eta\pi\pi$ 8%

$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ less than 2%

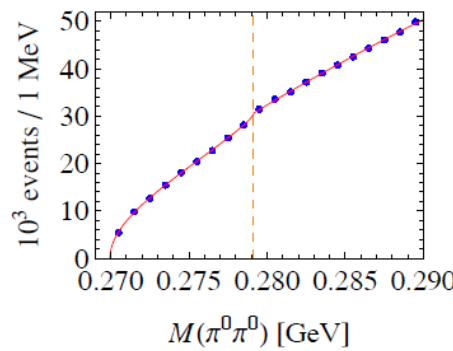
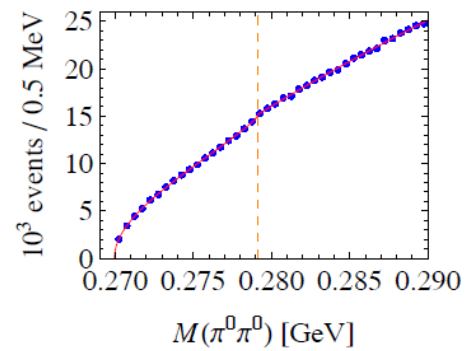
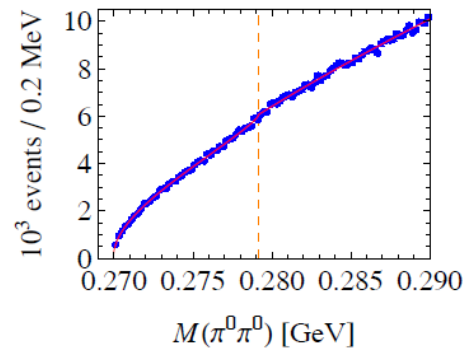
Kubis&Schneider, (2009)

Monte Carlo simulations

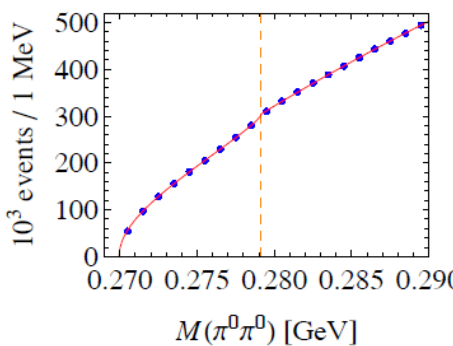
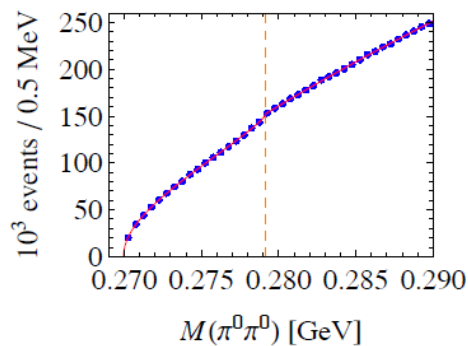
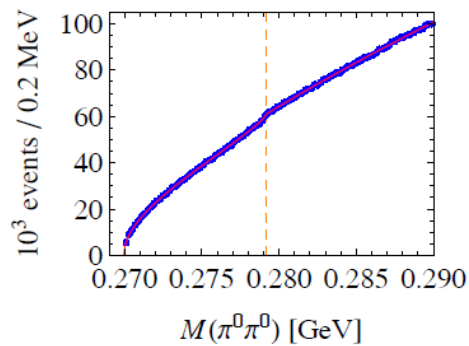
Number of events



6×10^6



6×10^5



6×10^4

Monte Carlo simulations

Results of fitting to various sets of MC data (in units of $M_{\pi^+}^{-1}$)

Bin width	Events	6×10^4	6×10^5	3×10^6	6×10^6
0.1 MeV	χ^2/dof	1.21	1.09	1.16	0.88
	$a_0 - a_2$	0.293 ± 0.036	0.260 ± 0.012	0.2717 ± 0.0048	0.2661 ± 0.0036
0.2 MeV	χ^2/dof	0.72	1.15	1.05	1.12
	$a_0 - a_2$	0.286 ± 0.035	0.251 ± 0.014	0.2722 ± 0.0048	0.2621 ± 0.0038
0.5 MeV	χ^2/dof	0.93	0.54	1.27	1.30
	$a_0 - a_2$	0.262 ± 0.026	0.256 ± 0.012	0.2659 ± 0.0051	0.2693 ± 0.0035
1 MeV	χ^2/dof	1.05	0.78	1.17	0.69
	$a_0 - a_2$	0.221 ± 0.054	0.291 ± 0.010	0.2658 ± 0.0054	0.2661 ± 0.0037
2 MeV	χ^2/dof	0.59	1.06	1.05	1.37
	$a_0 - a_2$	0.260 ± 0.040	0.262 ± 0.012	0.2592 ± 0.0055	0.2632 ± 0.0037

Input 0.264

~10-20%

Compared with input value, statistical precision

~1.5-2%

6×10^6 events in the range of [270,290]MeV corresponds to about 2 billion $Y(3S)$ events

➤ The precision seems to be insensitive to the bin widths!

Summary

- Propose to extract the $\pi\pi$ scattering lengths from heavy quarkonium dipion transitions, especially $Y(3S) \rightarrow Y(2S)\pi^0\pi^0$
- Weak $J/\psi\pi$ ($Y\pi$) interaction will simplify the model, and larger branching ratio rate will lead to obvious cusp effect
- NREFT method is taken to calculate the amplitude, which is derived up to $\mathcal{O}(a_{\pi\pi}\varepsilon^2)$
- By utilizing MC simulations, we explore the availability of experiment. It seems that the results will be insensitive to the bin widths.

Thanks!