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Outline

- Motivation: CKM matrix; spectroscopy
- Critical review of methods (as charged)
 - = Heavy quark discretization effects
 - New developments
- Tests: quarkonium & heavy-light systems
- B and D decays: status & chiral extrapolation

• Lessons

Motivation

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Motivation: CKM

• "Standard UT fit is now entirely in the hands of Lattice QCD (up to, perhaps, $|V_{ub}|$)" Martin Beneke (Lattice 2001, Berlin)

• Are there non-KM sources of *CPV* in *B* and *K* mixing? In rare decays?

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Unitarity Triangle

- Are the error bands reliable?
- Are *our* error bands reliable?
- To diagnose new physics?



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- $|V_{cd}|$ from $f_D, f_+^{D \to \pi}(E_\pi)$
- $|V_{cb}|$ from $\mathcal{F}^{B \to D^*}(1)$
- $|V_{ub}|$ from $f_+^{B \to \pi}(E_\pi)$
- $|V_{ud}|$ from $F_1^{n \to p}$
- $|V_{td}|$ "from" $f_B^2 B_B$

all gold-plated (up to chiral extrapolation)



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Spectroscopy, etc.

• D_s spectroscopy \blacktriangleright BaBar & CLEO 0⁺ & 1⁺ states

Bali, hep-ph/0305209 Dougall et al., hep-lat/0307001 Koponen, HQ.pstr Mackenzie, HQ.I

● *ccl* spectroscopy → SELEX states Flynn, Mescia, Tariq, hep-lat/0307025

• $\Lambda_Q - \Lambda_Q$ potential \rightarrowtail mid-range deuteron potential Arndt, Beane, Savage, nucl-th/0304004

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SELEX Doubly Charmed Baryon States An excited state and pair of isodoublets?





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• Flavor physics demands from us full and reliable estimates of all uncertainties, *yet* when we are done, the total error budget must be small.

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Three Concerns

• Quenched approximation—going away.

• Discretization effects, because $m_b a \notin 1$

• Chiral extrapolations: when is m_q small enough?

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Unquenched QCD

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Heavy Quark Methods

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Matrix of Methods

Discretization

EFT Tools

heavy quark (improved) Wilson static + insertions lattice NRQCD

anisotropy: $a_t < a_s$

overlap domain-wall $a \neq 0$ Symanzik LE*L* for $m_Q a \ll 1$ for $m_Q a \ll 1$ HQET (for $\overline{q}Q$) NRQCD (for $\overline{Q}Q$)

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Non-perturbative

Combination $Z_{A} = \rho_{A}^{PT} Z_{V}^{NP}$ / No tadpoles for or KLM *m*

for all $m_Q a$

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Extrapolation Method



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(Perceived) Problems

• Extrapolation method $(m_Q < m_c; m_Q^{-1} \rightarrow m_b^{-1})$

= $(a \neq 0)$ extrapolation amplifies $(m_O a)^n$ uncertainties

= (*a* = 0) heavy-quark theory breaks down for $m_O < m_c$

• Lattice NRQCD

= perturbative matching

= power-law divergences as $a \rightarrow 0$

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Reavy Quarks (Perceived) Problems II

- Lattice HQET
 - = power-law divergences as $a \rightarrow 0$
 - = no non-perturbative matching of $1/m_O$ yet
- Fermilab method
 - = perturbative matching & "renormalon shadows"
 - = " $O(a^n)$ " effects not yet a^n

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Cutoff Effects

- A theory of cutoff effects that applies to all methods is needed.
- Symanzik is not enough.
- A theory based on HQET/NRQCD is available:
 - = hep-lat/0002008
 - = hep-lat/0112044, hep-lat/0112045

= hep-lat/0205021 (*Handbook of QCD*, Vol. 4)

Quarks Effective Field Theory

- Elementary-particle theory is imbued with this notion:
 - = at energies Λ below some scale μ , particles with $E > \mu$ have small effects, suppressed by $(\Lambda/E)^n$
 - = analytic properties of Green functions are impervious to off-shell particles [Coleman-Norton theorem]
 - = field theory gives general description respecting
 analyticity, unitarity, etc. [Weinberg]

Coleman-Norton

• Singularities in Green functions appear where, and only where, particles go on shell:



 singularities are reproduced if off-shell lines are shrunk to a point: reduced diagrams ~ diagrams of an effective field theory

Heavy Quark Theory

- Heavy quarks have $m_Q \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$ (by definition)
 - = zig-zags and pair production suppressed = ⇒ fields $h_v^{(+)}, h_v^{(-)}$
- One heavy quark: static source \Rightarrow HQET
- Two heavy quarks: binary system ⇒ NRQCD
- EFT: separate m_Q from soft scales Λ , $m_Q \upsilon^n$
- Grinstein established to all orders PT w/o rigor

Local Effective \mathcal{L}

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} &\doteq \mathcal{L}_{\text{HQ}} \\ \mathcal{L}_{\text{HQ}} &= \mathcal{L}_{\text{light}} - \bar{h}_v (m_1 + iv \cdot D) h_v \\ &+ \frac{\bar{h}_v D_{\perp}^2 h_v}{2m_2} + z_B(\mu) \frac{\bar{h}_v s_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu} h_v}{2m_2} \\ &+ z_{\text{D}}(\mu) \frac{\bar{h}_v D_{\perp} \cdot E h_v}{4m_2^2} + z_{\text{s.o.}}(\mu) \frac{\bar{h}_v s_{\mu\nu} D_{\perp}^{\mu} E^{\nu}}{4m_2^2} \\ &+ \cdots \end{aligned}$$

 $= \sum_{i} C_{i}(m_{Q}, m_{Q}/\mu) \quad O_{i}(\mu/\Lambda)$ short distances: $1/m_{Q}$, a: long distances: $1/\Lambda$, L: lumped into coefficients described by operators

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 h_v

but for quarkonium

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HQET vs. NRQCD

what	HQET	NRQCD
hadrons	heavy-light	quarkonium
leading term	static limit	kinetic energy
heavy-quark symmetries	spin & flavor	spin
power counting	$(\Lambda/m_Q)^n$	\mathbf{v}^n
<i>m</i> _Q dependence	power law <i>and</i> log: <i>z</i> (<i>m_Q</i> /µ)	essentially log: $\upsilon \sim \alpha_s(m_Q)$

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> Almost nothing is known about heavy quarks (in bound states) without these and allied ideas for inclusive decays (OPE, SCET).

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Symanzik EFT

• Years ago, Symanzik introduced a (continuum) effective field theory to describe cutoff effects

= for quarks: fields q satisfying the Dirac equation $\mathcal{L}_{\text{LGT}} \doteq \mathcal{L}_{\text{Sym}}$ $\mathcal{L}_{\text{Sym}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}}(g^2, m_q; \mu) + K_{\sigma F} \, \bar{q} i \sigma_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} q + \cdots$ $= \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} + \sum_i K_i(a, g^2, m_q a; \{c_j\}; \mu a) \quad O_i(\mu/\Lambda)$

short long, e.g., L

- EFT: separate a^{-1} from soft scales Λ , m_q
- Reisz Theorem to all orders PT w/ rigor

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• For light quarks, or heavy quarks with $m_Q a \ll 1$, one can expand the coefficients in $(m_O a)^n$

= then, Symanzik LE \mathcal{L} yields an *a* expansion

= but we will not see $m_b a \ll 1$ for a long time

• For $m_b a \ll 1$ the $(m_Q a)$ -expansion breaks down

= lattice gauge theory does not break down!

= the Symanzik LE \mathcal{L} does not break down!!

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• The split "QCD + small corrections" does break down!!!

= Exploit redundant directions, or use the eq'ns of motion, to eliminate $\bar{Q}(\gamma_4 D_4)^n X Q$. One finds

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{Sym}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{light}} - \bar{Q} \left(m_1 + \gamma_4 D_4 + \sqrt{\frac{m_1}{m_2}} \gamma \cdot D \right) Q$$

+ small corrections

= The ugly term breaks relativistic invariance.

• This LE \mathcal{L} is not very useful unless $m_1 = m_2$.

HQET & NRQCD II

• LGT with Wilson quarks has the same degrees of freedom and heavy-quark symmetries as QCD

= lattice HQET and lattice NRQCD do too

- All 3 may be described by HQET (for heavy-light systems) and 2/3 by NRQCD (for quarkonium).
- Logic and structure is the same for LGT as QCD
- Both $1/m_Q$ & *a* are short distances, lumped into coefficients: $C_i^{\text{lat}} = C_i^{\text{lat}}(m_Q, m_Q a; \{c_j\}; \mu a)$

HQET Matching

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 $\mathcal{L}_{ ext{QCD}} \doteq \mathcal{L}_{ ext{HQET}}$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle L|v \cdot \mathcal{V}|B \rangle &= -C_{V_{\parallel}} \langle L|\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)} \rangle - B_{V1} \langle L|v \cdot \mathcal{Q}_{V1}|B_{v}^{(0)} \rangle - B_{V4} \langle L|v \cdot \mathcal{Q}_{V4}|B_{v}^{(0)} \rangle \\ &- \mathcal{C}_{2} C_{V_{\parallel}} \int d^{4}x \langle L|T \mathcal{O}_{2}(x)\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)} \rangle^{\star} - \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{B}} C_{V_{\parallel}} \int d^{4}x \langle L|T \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{B}}(x)\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)} \rangle^{\star} \\ &+ O(\Lambda^{2}/m^{2}) \end{aligned}$$

 $\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{LGT}} \doteq \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{HQET}}$

 $\langle L|v \cdot V_{\text{lat}}|B\rangle = -C_{V_{\parallel}}^{\text{lat}} \langle L|\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle - B_{V1}^{\text{lat}} \langle L|v \cdot \mathcal{Q}_{V1}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle - B_{V4}^{\text{lat}} \langle L|v \cdot \mathcal{Q}_{V4}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle$ $- \mathcal{C}_{2}^{\text{lat}} C_{V_{\parallel}}^{\text{lat}} \int d^{4}x \langle L|T \mathcal{O}_{2}(x)\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle^{\star} - \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{B}}^{\text{lat}} C_{V_{\parallel}}^{\text{lat}} \int d^{4}x \langle L|T \mathcal{O}_{\mathcal{B}}(x)\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle^{\star}$ $- K_{\sigma \cdot F} C_{V_{\parallel}}^{\text{lat}} \int d^{4}x \langle L|T \bar{q}i\sigma Fq(x)\bar{q}h_{v}|B_{v}^{(0)}\rangle^{\star} + O(\Lambda^{2}a^{2}b(ma))$

normalize with
$$Z_V = C_{V_{\parallel}}/C_{V_{\parallel}}^{\text{lat}} \&$$

adjust $C_2^{\text{lat}} = C_2, C_B^{\text{lat}} = C_B, Z_V B_{Vi}^{\text{lat}} = B_{Vi}$

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Summary so far

- Symanzik LE \mathcal{L} not so useful when $m_b a \notin 1$
- HQET with coefficients $C^{\text{lat}}(m_Q a)$ is useful
 - = latHQET & latNRQCD C^{lat} blow up for $m_Q a \ll 1$
 - = Wilson (& clover) C^{lat} tend to C^{cont} for $m_0 a \ll 1$
- Next: analyze the discretization uncertainties in each method studying $C^{lat} C^{cont}$

Leading Cutoff Effects

• Clover + Symanzik($m_Q a \ll 1$)

 $\equiv \left[\frac{1}{2m_2} - \frac{1}{2m_1}\right] \Lambda \text{ from kinetic energy}$ $\equiv (m_Q a)^2, \alpha_s (m_Q a)^2, (m_Q a)^3, \dots \text{ from currents}$

- Lattice NRQCD = $\alpha_s^2 \left[1 + \frac{1}{4m_Q^2 a^2} \right] \frac{\Lambda}{2m_Q}$ from many sources
- Clover + HQET (Fermilab method)

= $\alpha_s^2 \frac{\Lambda a}{2(1+m_Q a)}$ from 2-loop mismatch of $\Sigma \cdot B$

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 $\Lambda = 700 \text{ MeV}$ $m_c = 1400 \text{ MeV}$ $m_b = 4200 \text{ MeV}$ $\alpha_s = 0.25$



clover/SymLEL
 beats lattice
 NRQCD for b
 quark when a is 5
 times smaller

• ~ 21 years away

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First *a*, then $1/m_Q$



Jüttner, HQ.I Rolf, HQ.I Della Morte, HQ.III

Noise reduction Continuum limit Inter/Extrapolation

The heavy-quark description will break down when gluons inside the hadron can excite zig-zags (and pairs). The breakdown is smeared out and won't be obvious.

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Lesson II

- Extrapolation in m_Q^{-1} is fraught with danger
 - = at non-zero *a* large discretization effects
 - = after continuum limit, too close to HQ breakdown
- Dangers are not self-diagnostic.

• The HQET analysis suggests some remedies

= identify m_Q with m_2 , not m_1

= don't use Alpha's currents (non-leading $m_Q a$ effects are unnecessarily large)

• but this boils down to the Fermilab's "nonrelativistic interpretation of Wilson quarks"

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World data for RGI Mass vs. lattice spacing

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Renormalon Shadows

- Renormalons are power-law ambiguities that arise in EFTs and OPEs with mass-independent renormalization schemes: $C(\mu) \pm \Lambda/\mu$.
 - = ambiguities in Wilson coefficients and matrix elements cancel
- At Lattice 2000, Bernard—spurred by work of Martinelli and Sachrajda (M&S)—conjectured that their "shadows" could plague matching conditions in the Fermilab method.

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• M&S consider the following problem:

= measure (or compute) \mathcal{P} & \mathcal{Q} , and then predict \mathcal{R}

 $\mathcal{Q}(Q) = B_1(Q/\mu) \langle f|O_1|i\rangle^{(\mu)} + Q^{-1}B_2(Q/\mu) \langle f|O_2|i\rangle^{(\mu)}$ $\mathcal{P}(Q) = C_1(Q/\mu) \langle f|O_1|i\rangle^{(\mu)} + Q^{-1}C_2(Q/\mu) \langle f|O_2|i\rangle^{(\mu)}$

 $\mathcal{R}(Q) = D_1(Q/\mu) \langle f | O_1 | i \rangle^{(\mu)} + Q^{-1} D_2(Q/\mu) \langle f | O_2 | i \rangle^{(\mu)}$

 they ask how well one must compute the Wilson coefficients to attain enough accuracy to make the power corrections worth the bother

• To avoid schemes with renormalons, let us do some simple algebra

 $\mathcal{R} = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{D_1}{C_1} \mathcal{P} + \frac{D_1}{B_1} \mathcal{Q} \right] + \left\{ D_2 - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{D_1}{C_1} C_2 + \frac{D_1}{B_1} B_2 \right] \right\} \frac{\mathcal{P}/C_1 - \mathcal{Q}/B_1}{C_2/C_1 - B_2/B_1}$

"leading twist" "higher twist," formally O(1/Q)

- Common sense says to omit higher-twist unless the (renormalon-free) D₁/C₁, D₁/B₁ are accurate enough.
- M & S point out, in effect, that the coefficients in the red numerator must also be accurate enough so that it is O(1/Q) in practice.



- The M&S ambiguity arises from subtracting *nonperturbative* quantities that are normalized by perturbatively calculated coefficients.
- This does not happen in matching calculations.

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• Matching poses the following problem

$$\langle J \rangle_0 = C_1^{\text{lat}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_1 \rangle_0^{(\mu)}$$

$$\langle J \rangle_1 = C_1^{\text{lat}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_1 \rangle_1^{(\mu)} + m_Q^{-1} C_2^{\text{lat}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_2 \rangle_1^{(\mu)}$$

$$\langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_0 = C_1^{\text{cont}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_1 \rangle_0^{(\mu)}$$

$$\langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_1 = C_1^{\text{cont}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_1 \rangle_1^{(\mu)} + m_Q^{-1} C_2^{\text{cont}}(m_Q/\mu) \langle O_2 \rangle_1^{(\mu)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{C_1^{\text{lat}}(c_1)}{C_1^{\text{cont}}} = \frac{\langle J \rangle_0}{\langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_0} \stackrel{!}{=} 1, \quad \frac{C_2^{\text{lat}}(c_2)}{C_2^{\text{cont}}} = \frac{\langle J \rangle_0 - \langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_1}{\langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_0 - \langle \mathcal{J} \rangle_1} \stackrel{!}{=} 1$$

• ambiguities from μ and its scheme manifestly cancel and are not inferred onto c_j

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- Heavy Quarks
- On the other hand, non-perturbative matching calculations do introduce power-law ambiguities.
 - = O(a) improvement coefficients $(c_{SW}, c_A, c_V, b_A, b_V)$ inherit ambiguities of order Λa , and sometimes a/L, from the $O(a^2)$ errors in the PCAC & CVC relations
- In the end, "renormalon shadow" just expresses the fear that the next order could be unexpectedly large

= if that's all you mean, just say so

New Developments

- Roma "Tor Vergata" f_B , m_b Guagnelli et al., hep-lat/0206023 de Divitiis et al., hep-lat/0305018-Tantalo, HQ.III hep-lat/0307005-Palombi, HQ.II
- lattice Lagrangians with v ≠ 0
 Foley & Lepage, hep-lat/0209135
 Boyle, HQ.II
- Heavy-light with staggered light valence quarks Wingate et al., hep-lat/0211014

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Tor Vergata Method

• A novel application of step-scaling functions

$$\Phi(\infty) = \Phi(L_0)\sigma(L_0)\sigma(2L_0)\sigma(4L_0)$$
$$\sigma(L) = \frac{\Phi(2L)}{\Phi(L)}$$

= $L_0 = 0.4$ fm: small enough so that $m_b a \ll 1$ is possible

= $2L_0$: use $1/m_Q$ extrapolation from $m_b/2$

= $4L_0$: use $1/m_Q$ extrapolation from $m_b/4$; ~ ∞ volume

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- In other words, $m_Q a$ is always small enough to compute continuum limit of each factor.
- How do the uncertainties accumulate?
 - = statistics straightforward to combine
 - = here we see how extrapolations accumulate
- Basic Ansatz ($\Phi = M$):

= $M(L) = m + \overline{\Lambda}(L)$: L effects are long distance

Heavy Quarks This implies

$$\sigma(m,L) = \frac{M(m,2L)}{M(m,L)} = 1 + \frac{1}{m} [\overline{\Lambda}(2L) - \overline{\Lambda}(L)]$$

but because of extrapolation, one really has

$$\sigma(m, 2^{j}L) = 1 + \frac{2^{j}}{2^{j}} \frac{1}{m} [\bar{\Lambda}(2^{j+1}L) - \bar{\Lambda}(2^{j}L)]$$

where $2_j/2_j$ denotes the error in extrapolation.

The beauty of this method is that when extrapolation is worst (larger *j*), the difference between the Λ s cancels, according to usual asymptotic *L* dependence.

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Lessons III & IV

- *Tor Vergata*'s step scaling looks like a relatively safe application of extrapolation.
- No matter where you put HQET/NRQCD into LGT, they are useful for estimating uncertainties.
 - = can even teach you that they are smaller than you might have thought.

Quarkonium

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Quarkonium as Tests

- Lattice NRQCD and the Fermilab method enjoy the advantage that the parameters (a⁻¹, m_b, m_c) may be tuned & tested with quarkonium, and then applied to heavy-light systems.
- The spectrum of the well-established states test whether we understand the uncertainties.
 - = Theory is nice, but explicit calculations are reassuring
- Several slides of spectra follow:

Upsilon Spectrum



- HPQCD-Glasgow
- gross structure relatively $O(v^4)$
- $n_f = 2+1$ better than quenched
- 3S and 2P states *not* gold-plated

- : Quenched MILC
- : 2+1 flavors MILC with $m_{u,d} = m_s/5$.

Y Fine Structure



- ---: Experiment
- : Quenched
- : 2+1 flavours MILC with $m_{u,d} = m_s/5$.

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$B_{S}^{*}-B_{S}$ Splitting



• HPQCD-Glasgow

•
$$m_{\Upsilon} - m_{\eta_b}$$
 is $O(\upsilon^4)$

• $2m_{B_s} - m_{\Upsilon} :: 1.02$

•
$$m_{B_s^*} - m_{B_s}$$
 is
 $O(\alpha_s \Lambda / m_b)$

 \equiv need one-loop c_B

- ---: Experiment
- : Quenched
- : 2+1 flavours MILC with $m_{u,d} = m_s/5$.

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bC

 r_0 and r_1

- In the past, the potential scales r_0 and r_1 have been estimated from potential models, *e.g.*, $r_0 = 0.5$ fm.
- The Y spectrum calculations (indeed everything on the ratio plot) imply different values

$$r_0 = 0.46(1) \text{ fm from } 0.462(9)_{\text{coarse}}, 0.462(9)_{\text{fine}}$$

 $r_1 = 0.36(1) \text{ fm}$

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Quarks Charmonium Spectrum



• Fermilab Simone, HQ.II

• gross structure $O(v^4)$

• fine and hyperfine splittings $O(v^2)$ and t.i. tree-level $c_B \& c_E$

more improvement needed
Oktay, HQ.III

= one loop needed
Nobes, HQ.III

coarse MILC 2+1 again $\psi(1P-1S)$ sets a^{-1}

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Lesson V

- With unquenched gauge fields, the successes and shortcomings of the spectrum make sense using NRQCD/HQET power-counting estimates.
- Further improvements are needed, *e.g.*, one-loop c_B , and Oktay's improvements to Fermilab action

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D_s Spectrum

hep-lat/0307001 al et Dougall



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Threshold Effects

• $D_s(0+) \& D_s(1+)$ are close to open thresholds (similarly for $\psi(2S)$). There is some interaction:



which is weakened when $m_q > m_d$

• m_q dependence of $m_{D_s}(q\bar{q} \text{ sea})$, say, should be flat until $m_{D_q} + m_{K_q}$ approaches and pushes it



Semi-Leptonic Decays

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Many Combos

- Semi-leptonic decays are a key way to determine the top two rows of the CKM matrix.
- They are (quark-level) tree decays, so they are unlikely to be sensitive to non-Standard physics.
- Lattice QCD calculates the hadronic form factors, f₊(q²), f₊(E_π), F(w), etc., from matrix elements ⟨π|V^μ|K⟩, ⟨π|A^μ|B⟩, and ⟨D^(*)|J^μ|B⟩.

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$B \rightarrow D^* lv \text{ and } |V_{cb}|$



 $\mathcal{F}_{B\to D^*}(1) = 0.913^{+0.024}_{-0.017} \pm 0.016^{+0.003}_{-0.014} \pm 0.000^{+0.000}_{-0.014} \pm 0.000^{+0.000}_{-$

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Heavy

Quarks

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$B \rightarrow \pi l \nu \text{ and } |V_{ub}|$

- CLEO says, " $B \rightarrow \pi$ is as easy as pie, but $B \rightarrow \rho$ is a tough row to hoe!"
- From HQS and χS , it is natural to consider

 $f_{\parallel}(E_{\pi}) \propto \langle \pi | V^4 | B \rangle$ $f_{\perp}(E_{\pi}) \propto \langle \pi | V^j | B \rangle / p_j$

• CLEO-*c* will measure $f_+(E_\pi)$ in *D* decay "soon".

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 $B \rightarrow \eta_s$ DeTar, HQ.pstr

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 $D \rightarrow \eta_s$ Okamoto, HQ.II

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- These calculations present several challenges
 - = heavy-quark discretization effects
 - = energetic pions' discretization effects
 - = chiral extrapolation (with energetic pions)
- The last will be easier now, with two papers by Bećirević, Prelovšek, and Zupan [hep-lat/0210048, hep-lat/0305001].

= partially quenched heavy-meson χPT

f_B and $\overline{B}_q^0 - B_q^0$ Mixing

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Mixing in SM

- In the Standard Model, neutral *B* mixing gives the "top" side of the unitarity triangle.
- On the other hand, it proceeds through loop diagrams: as in rare decays, non-Standard physics could compete with Standard processes.
- Δm_d is precisely measured
- Δm_s will be measured in about another year

$$\Delta m_q = \frac{G_F^2 m_W^2 S_0}{16\pi^2 m_{B_q^0}} |V_{tb}^* V_{tq}|^2 \eta_B \mathcal{M}_q$$

$$\mathcal{M}_q = \langle \bar{B}_q^0 | [\bar{b}\gamma^\mu (1-\gamma_5)q] [\bar{b}\gamma_\mu (1-\overline{\gamma_5})q] |B_q^0 \rangle$$

$$= \frac{8}{3} m_{B_q^0}^2 f_{B_q^0}^2 B_{B_q^0}$$

• Largely cancel uncertainties with ratio!?

$$= \text{ old conventional wisdom: Yes!} \qquad \begin{array}{c} \text{stats} & \checkmark \\ a & \checkmark \\ m_Q & \checkmark \\ & & \\ m_Q & \checkmark \\ & & \\ & & \\ m_q & \chi \end{array}$$
$$= \text{ chiral extrapolation, chiral extrapolation, ...}$$

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Chiral Extrapolation

• Despite warnings from Booth and from Sharpe & Zhang, the lattice community concluded that the ratio

$$\xi = \frac{f_{B_s}\sqrt{B_{B_s}}}{f_{B_d}\sqrt{B_{B_d}}}$$

had a 5% error.

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 This picture started to unravel when N. Yamada (JLQCD) showed some evidence for curvature (2001)—a chiral log?



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- To many, the 2001 plot, was an indication that the 5% uncertainty from linear extrapolation was unreliable.
- At small enough quark mass, curvature must set in: the pion cloud contributes $\sim m_{\pi}^2 \ln(m_{\pi}^2)$
- Linear chiral extrapolations omit this feature

χlog vs linear



The plot compares JLQCD's linear fit with one that feeds their slope into the $\chi log expression.$ ASK & Ryan, hep-ph/0206058

Other Ansätze lie between these two.

Thanks to N. Yamada, S. Hashimoto, and T. Onogi

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What is our best estimate of ξ and the decay constants?

= JLQCD has $n_f = 2$, but final

= HPQCD has $n_f = 2+1$, but preliminary

• For ξ it is better to look at

$$R = \frac{f_{B_s}}{f_{B_d}} \frac{f_{\pi}}{f_K}$$

Bećirević, Fajfer, Prelovšek, and Zupan, hep-ph/0211271

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• Using this method, and $g^2 = 0.35$, which is taken from CLEO's measurement in the *D** decay

 $= JLQCD \quad \Rightarrow \xi = 1.23 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.01_{g^2}$

= HQCD $\Rightarrow \xi = 1.32 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.01_{g^2}$

= JLQCD itself finds $\xi = 1.13 \pm 0.03^{+0.13\chi}_{-0.02}$

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Lessons and Conclusions

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- The experimenters need error bars reliable and small.
- $1/m_Q$ extrapolations are dangerous (*Tor Vergata* may evade it).
- Use heavy-quark theory to get a rough guide to uncertainties.
- Quarkonium spectrum supports this.
- Unquenched calculations evolving rapidly.