
Dynamical Quark Effects in QCD on the Lattice

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Computational Physics on Parallel Array Computer System
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Peak performance: 614.4 GFLOPS

Main storage: 128GB main storage

MIMD

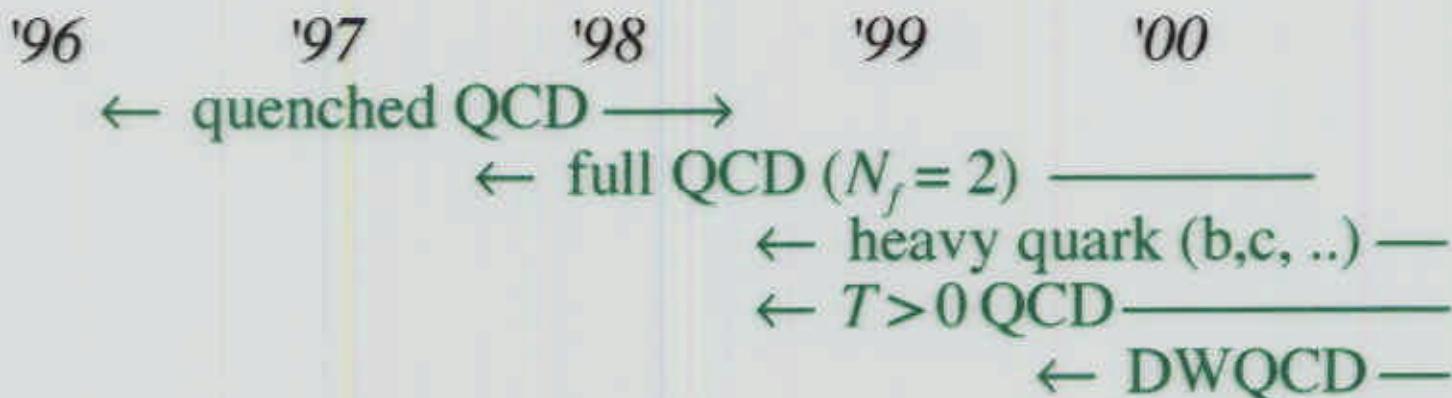
2048 node processors

3-D hyper-crossbar network

1.1 TB distributed disks

In operation for LQCD simulations since 1996.

Particle physics simulations on the CP-PACS



Limitation of the quenched approximation.



Full QCD simulations

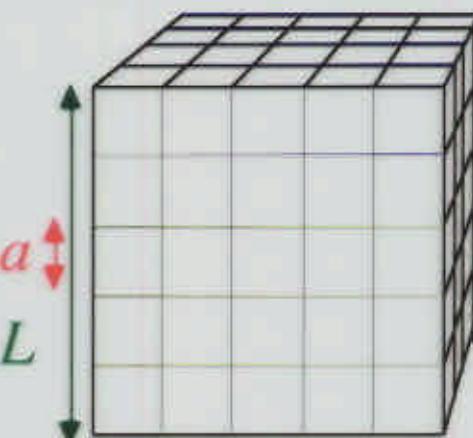
CP-PACS:

first systematic study in full QCD
performing all the extrapolations
to remove the lattice artifacts.

0. Introduction – from quenched to full QCD

QCD on the lattice

Simulations on a lattice with
 finite lattice spacing
 finite lattice size



For a physical prediction, we have to

- ☛ extrapolate to $a \rightarrow 0$
("continuum extrapolation")
- ☛ sufficiently large L

Core part for quark calculations:

Quark matrix inversion D^{-1}

$$D_{x,y} = \delta_{x,y} - K \sum_{\mu=1}^4 \left\{ (1 - \gamma_\mu) U_{x,\mu} \delta_{x+\mu,y} + (1 + \gamma_\mu) U_{y,\mu}^\dagger \delta_{x,y+\mu} \right\}$$

(standard Wilson quark)

: large and sparse matrix

$12(L/a)^4 \times 12(L/a)^4 \approx 12\text{Mi} \times 12\text{Mi}$ for a 32^4 lattice.

[$12 = 3(\text{color}) \times 4(\text{Dirac spin})$]

condition number $\propto 1/m_q a$

Impossible to simulate u and d quarks directly
on current computers.

Another extrapolation needed:

- ☛ extrapolate to $m_q \rightarrow m_{u,d}$
("chiral extrapolation")

For a good control of these extrapolations,
a systematic study indispensable:

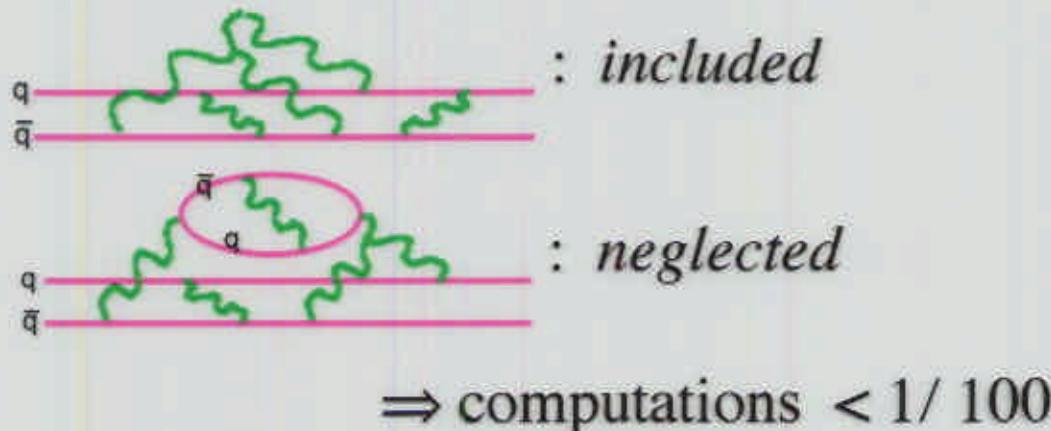
- perform all the extrapolations
- using
 - high-statistic data
 - on a sufficiently large lattice
 - at several a and m_q .

Large computer power required.



First step: quenched approximation

ignore pair-creation/annihilation of sea quarks



First systematic study:

GF11 Collaboration

Nucl. Phys. B430 ('94) 179

$a = 0.07\text{--}0.14 \text{ fm}$ (3 lattices), $L \approx 2.4 \text{ fm}$, $m_q \geq 40 \text{ MeV}$ ($m_{\text{PS}}/m_\nu \geq 0.5$)

Light hadron spectrum consistent with experiment,
to the errors of $\approx 10\%$.

- Quality of extrapolations not tested.
- Effects of the quenching not resolved.

Extensive study:

CP-PACS Collab.

PRL 84 ('00) 238

CP-PACS qQCD simulation

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- gauge action: standard plaquette action
- valence quark: standard Wilson fermion

lattice	β	a [fm]	L_s [fm]	N_{iter}	(N_{sep})
$32^3 \times 56$	5.90	0.102(1)	3.26(3)	160,000	(200)
$40^3 \times 70$	6.10	0.078(1)	3.10(3)	240,000	(400)
$48^3 \times 84$	6.25	0.064(1)	3.08(3)	420,000	(1000)
$64^3 \times 112$	6.47	0.050(1)	3.18(6)	300,000	(2000)

1 iter = 1×HB + 4×OR

	CP-PACS	GF11
lattice spacing: $a =$	0.05–0.1 fm (4 lattices)	0.07–0.14 (3 lattices)
lattice size: $L \approx$	3 fm ⇒ finite size eff. < 0.5%	2.4 fm
valence quark: $m_q \geq$ $m_{\text{ts}}/m_v =$	23 MeV 0.75, 0.7, 0.6, 0.5, 0.4	40 MeV ≥ 0.5
statistics: #conf ≈	800	200

about 100 times more floating point computations

Systematic comparison of extrapolation ansätze.
 ⇒ All extrapolations well under control.

Errors in the light hadron spectrum $\leq 1\text{-}3\%$
 (statistical + systematic, except for those from quenching)

Results:

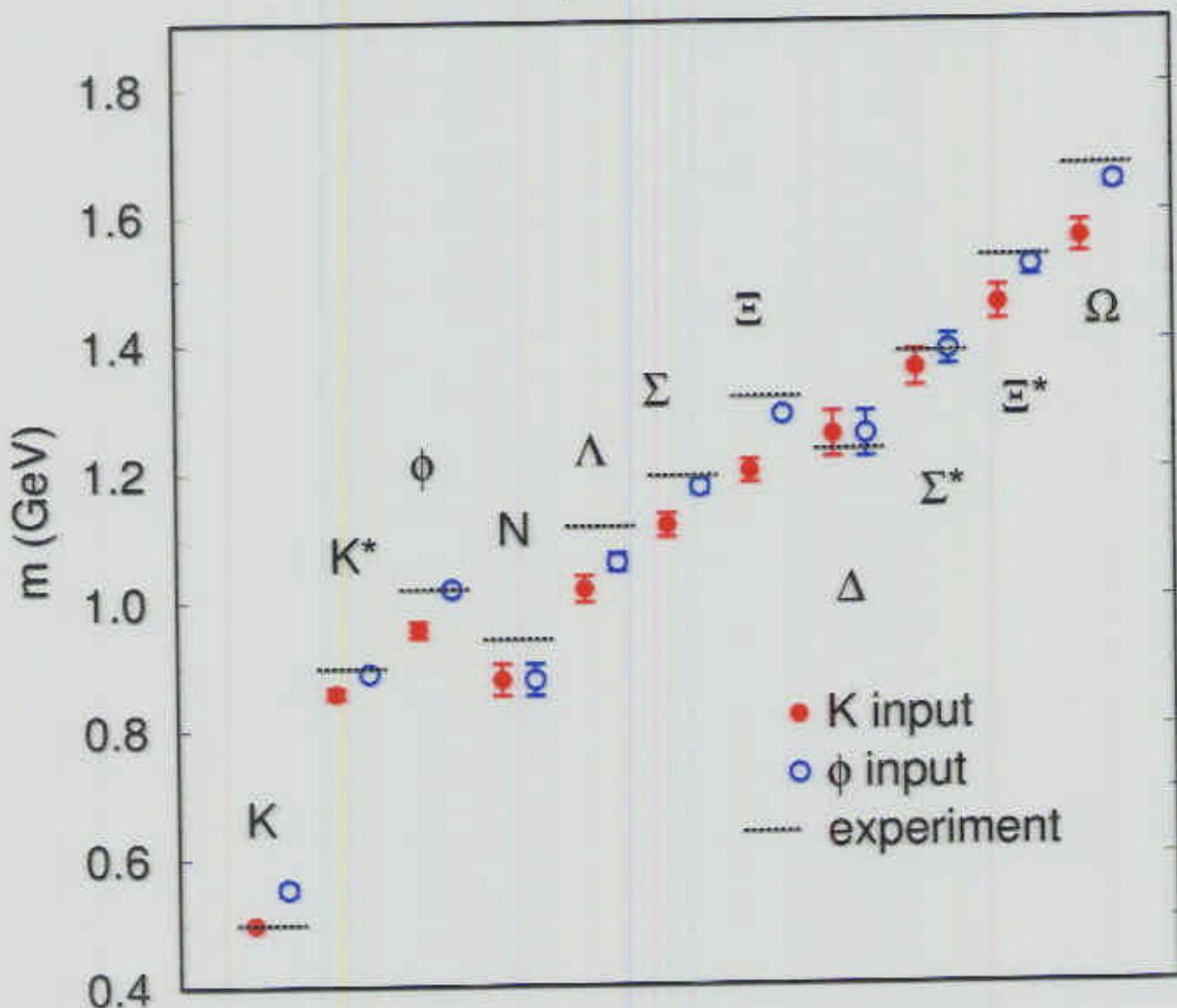
★ Hadron spectrum reproduced within $O(10)\%$
 ➔ QCD is the correct theory of quarks.

★ Hadron spectrum deviates by $\approx 10\% (7\sigma)$

- $\approx 10\%$ small $K - K^*$ hyperfine splitting
- small decuplet baryon splittings

➔ due to the quenched approximation!
 ➔ should be removed in full QCD

- $m_u = m_d \equiv m_{ud}$
- $M_\pi, M_\rho \Rightarrow m_{ud}, a$
- M_K or $M_\phi \Rightarrow m_s$



CP-PACS full QCD simulation

hep-lat/9909045, 9909050, 9909052, 0004010, etc.

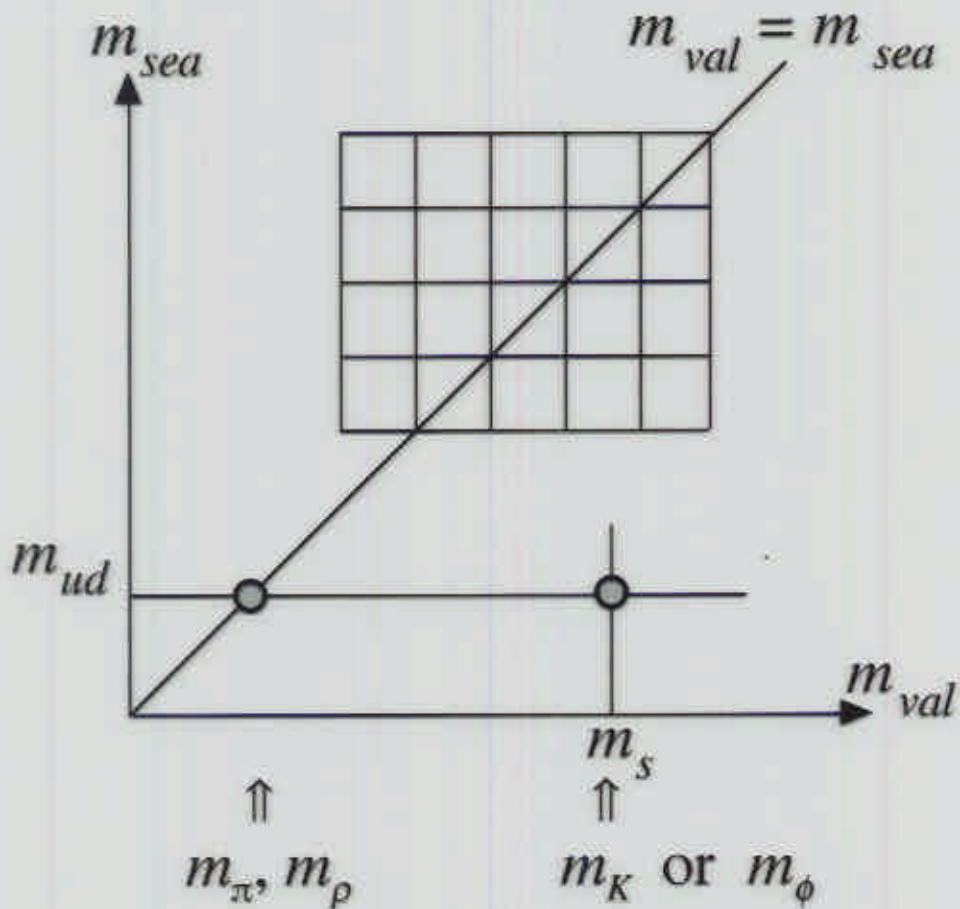
$N_f=2$ full QCD:

partially-quenched QCD

dynamical **u, d** (degenerate): "sea"

quenched **s**: "valence"

- [(i) update with 2 flavors of sea quarks
- [(ii) compute quark propagators at several m_{val}



Large computer power required.

To keep a window for continuum/chiral extrapolations,

⇒ improvement of the lattice theory

s.t. close to the continuum limit
on coarser lattices

- gauge: RG-improved gauge action *Iwasaki ('83)*

$$S_{gauge} = \beta \left\{ c_0 \sum \square + c_1 \sum \square \right\}$$

$\beta = 6/g^2, c_1 = -0.331, c_0 = 1-8c_1$

- quark: clover-improved Wilson quark action

Sheikholeslami-Wohlert ('85)

$$S_{quark} = \sum_{f=1,2} \sum_{x,y} \bar{\Psi}_x^f D_{x,y} \Psi_y^f$$

$$D_{xy} = \delta_{xy} - K \sum_{\mu} \left\{ (1 - \gamma_{\mu}) U_{x\mu} \delta_{x+\mu,y} + (1 + \gamma_{\mu}) U_{y\mu}^{\dagger} \delta_{x,y+\mu} \right\}$$

$$- \delta_{xy} C_{SW} K \sum_{\mu < \nu} \sigma_{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu}(x)$$


$$\text{MF-improved } C_{SW} = \left(\frac{1}{3} \text{Tr } U_p \right)^{-3/4} \text{ with } \left(\frac{1}{3} \text{Tr } U_p \right) = 1 - 0.8412 \beta^{-1}$$

A comparative test:

CP-PACS, PR D60 ('99) 114508

This combination leads to

• good rotational symmetry of static quark pot.
and • small scaling violation in hadron mass ratios
already from $a \approx 0.2 \text{ fm}$.

- $a \approx 0.1\text{--}0.2 \text{ fm}$ (3 lattices) \Rightarrow continuum extrapolation
- $L \approx 2.5 \text{ fm}$

lattice	β	$a [\text{fm}]$	$L_s [\text{fm}]$	$N_{\text{trajectory}}$
$12^3 \times 24$	1.8	0.215(2)	2.58(3)	5000-7000
$16^3 \times 32$	1.95	0.153(2)	2.48(3)	5000-7000
$24^3 \times 48$	2.1	0.108(1)	2.58(3)	4000*

hadron measurement every 5 trajectories
configuration stored every 10 trajectories
* new (July '00)

- 4 sea quarks $m_{\text{PS}}/m_{\text{V}} \approx 0.8, 0.75, 0.7, 0.6$
- 5 valence quarks $0.8, 0.75, 0.7, 0.6, 0.5$

Additional quenched simulation

using the same combination of improved actions
for a direct comparison between full and quenched results.

1. Light Hadron Spectrum

"To which extent, the discrepancies are removed by dynamical **u, d** quarks?"

Results (qQCD):

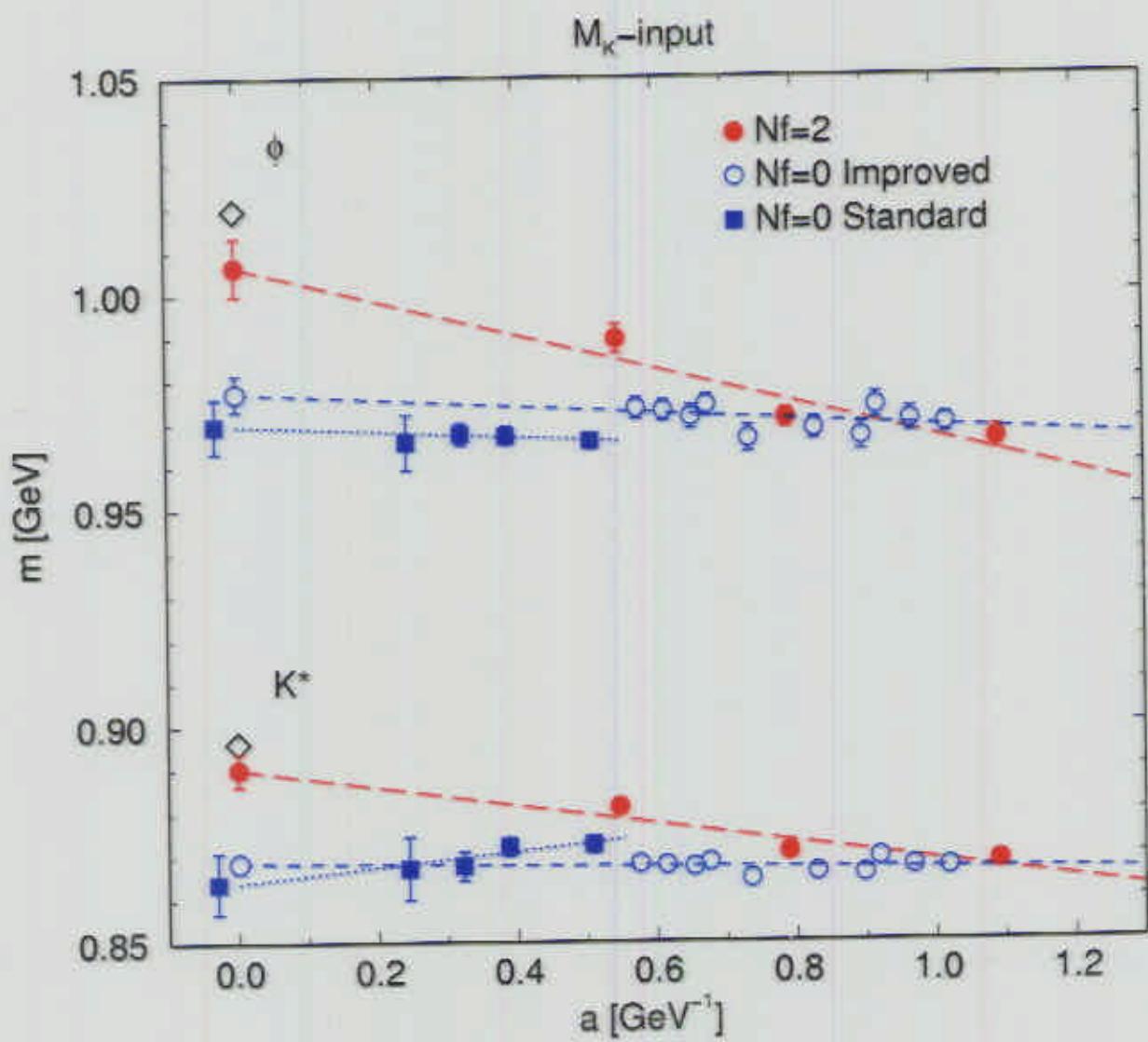
- ★ Two quenched simulations give universal results in the continuum limit.

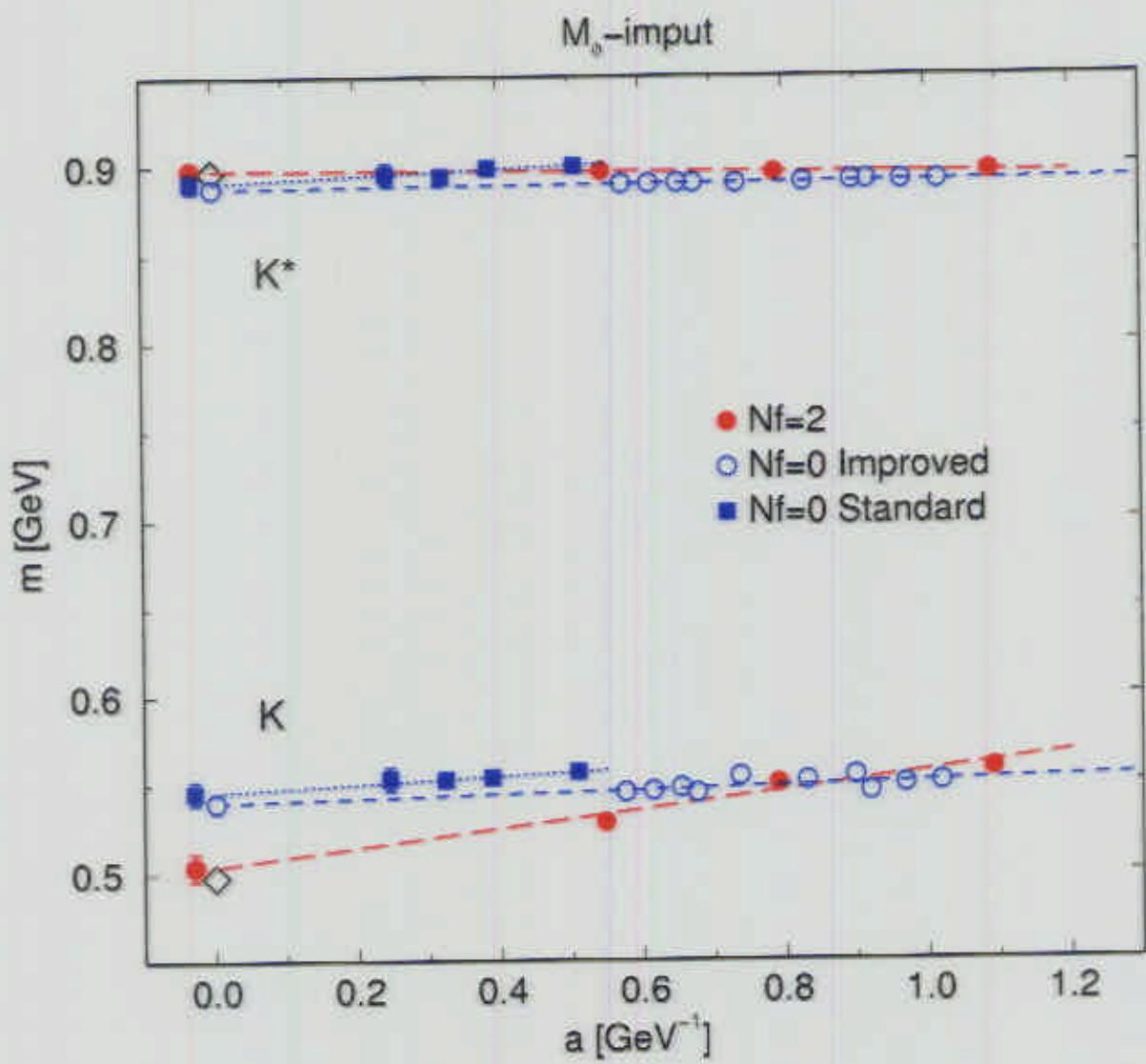
Results (fQCD):

- ★ Hadron spectrum much closer to experiment
- ★ No big discrepancies between K- and ϕ -input.
 - ➡ Major quenching artifacts removed.
 - ➡ Importance of dynamical quarks

Possible remaining systematic errors:

- dynamical s quark effects
- uncertainties due to the chiral extrapolation
 - quenched: $m_{\text{PS}}/m_v = 0.4-0.8$
 - full QCD: $m_{\text{PS}}/m_v = 0.5-0.8$
 - influences of $\rho \rightarrow \pi \pi$ decay etc.
- uncertainties due to the continuum extrapolation
 - only 3 lattices for full QCD
 - higher orders in a ??



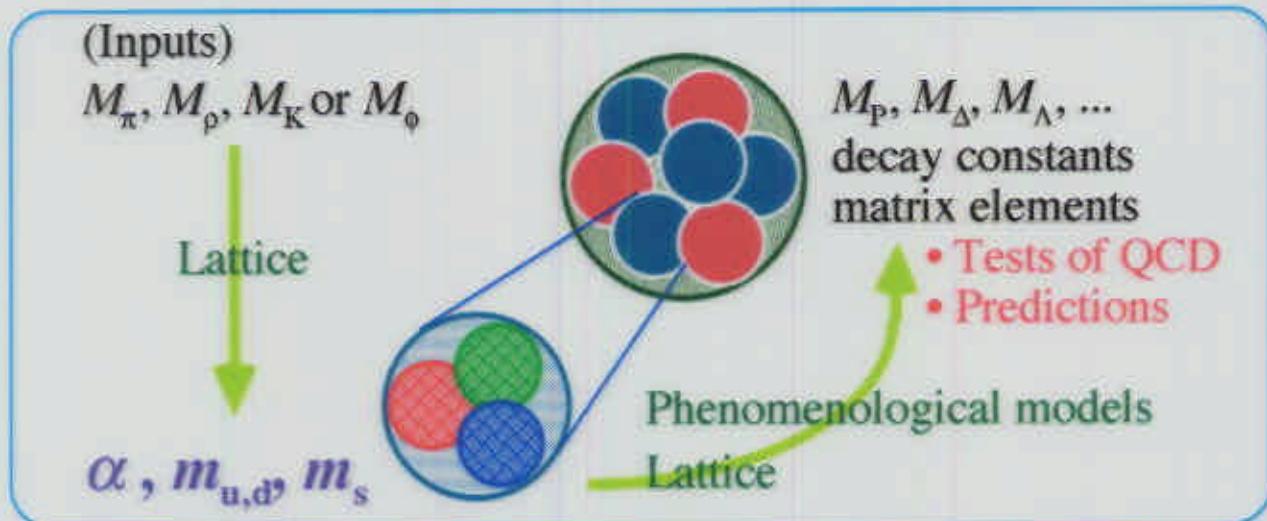


2. Light Quark Masses

Quarks are **CONFINED** within hadrons.

⇒ No direct experiments for $\alpha, m_u, m_d, m_s, \dots$

Should be determined through a *theoretical* relation
between hadronic observables and QCD parameters.



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- Different lattice definitions for m_q

$$m_q^{\text{VWI}} a = Z_m m_q^{\text{bare}} a; \quad m_q^{\text{bare}} a = 1/2 K - 1/2 K_c$$

$$m_q^{\text{AWI}} a = \frac{Z_A}{Z_p} \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\langle \nabla_4 A_4(t) \cdot P(0) \rangle}{2 \langle P(t) \cdot P(0) \rangle}$$

⇒ $O(a)$ difference due to explicit chiral breaking

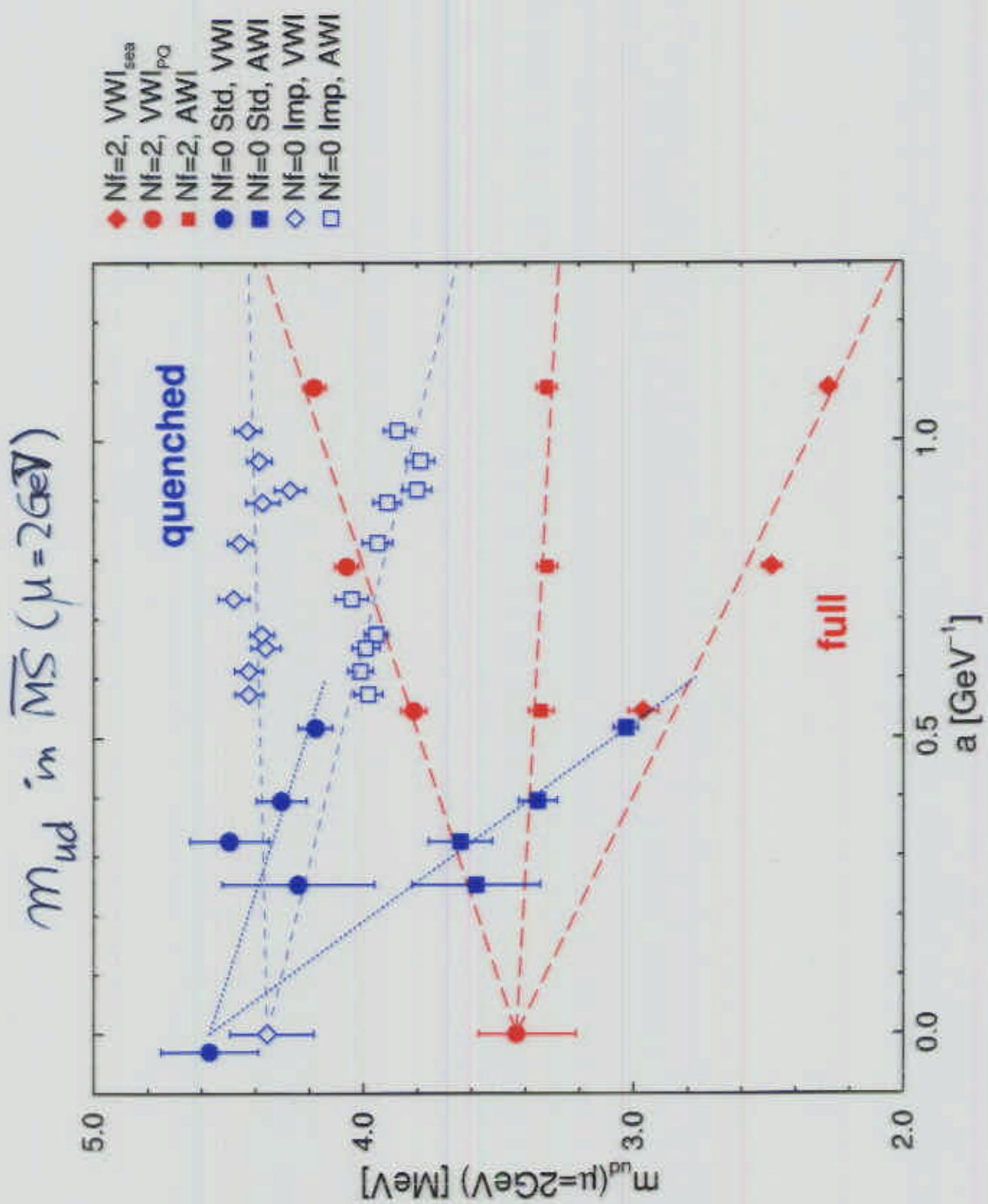
- $O(a)$ -improvements in the currents: *Lüscher et al., NP B478 (96)*

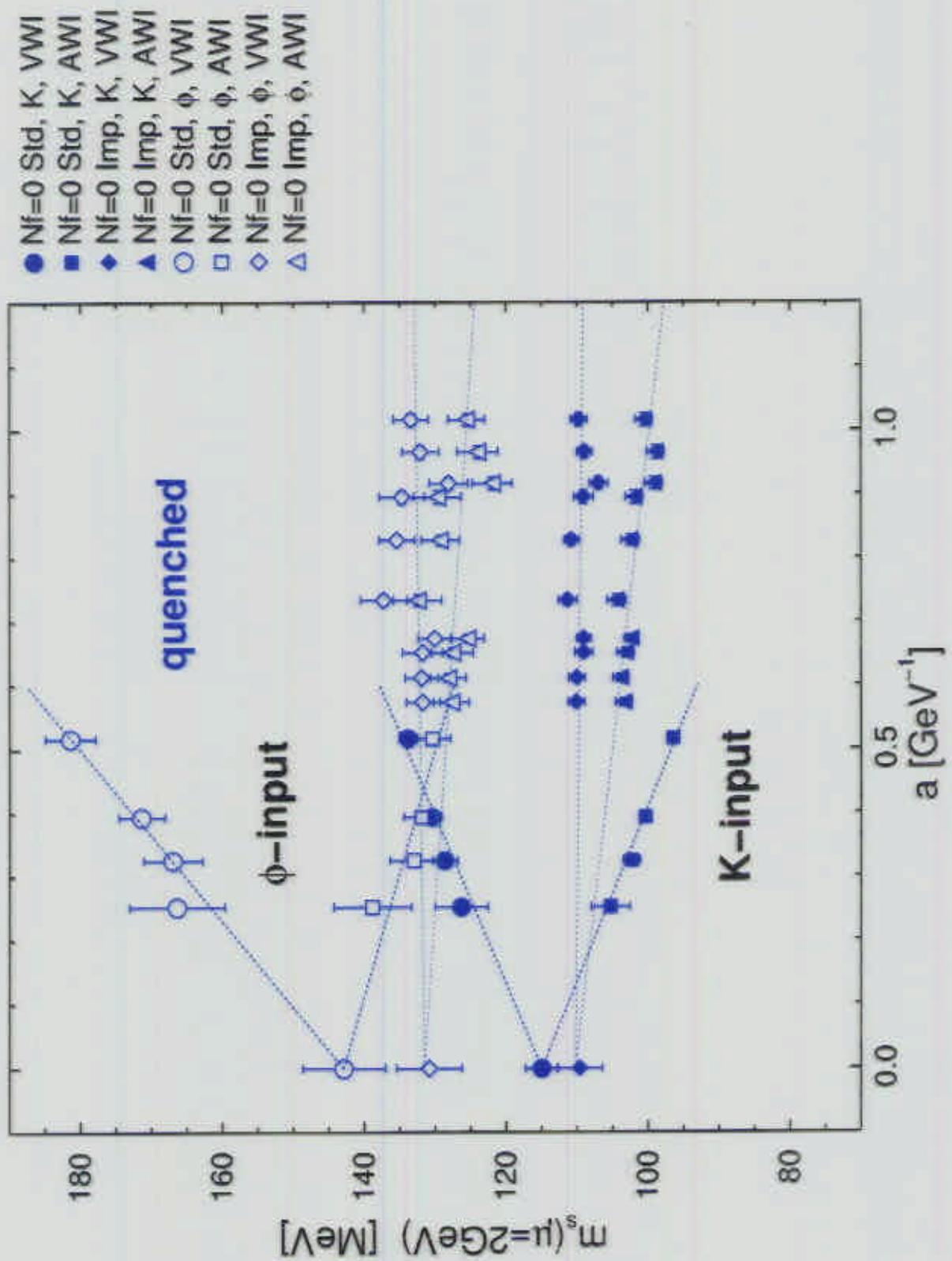
$$A_\mu^R = Z_A (1 + b_A m_q^{\text{bare}} a) \cdot \{ A_\mu + c_A \nabla_\mu P \}, \text{ etc.}$$

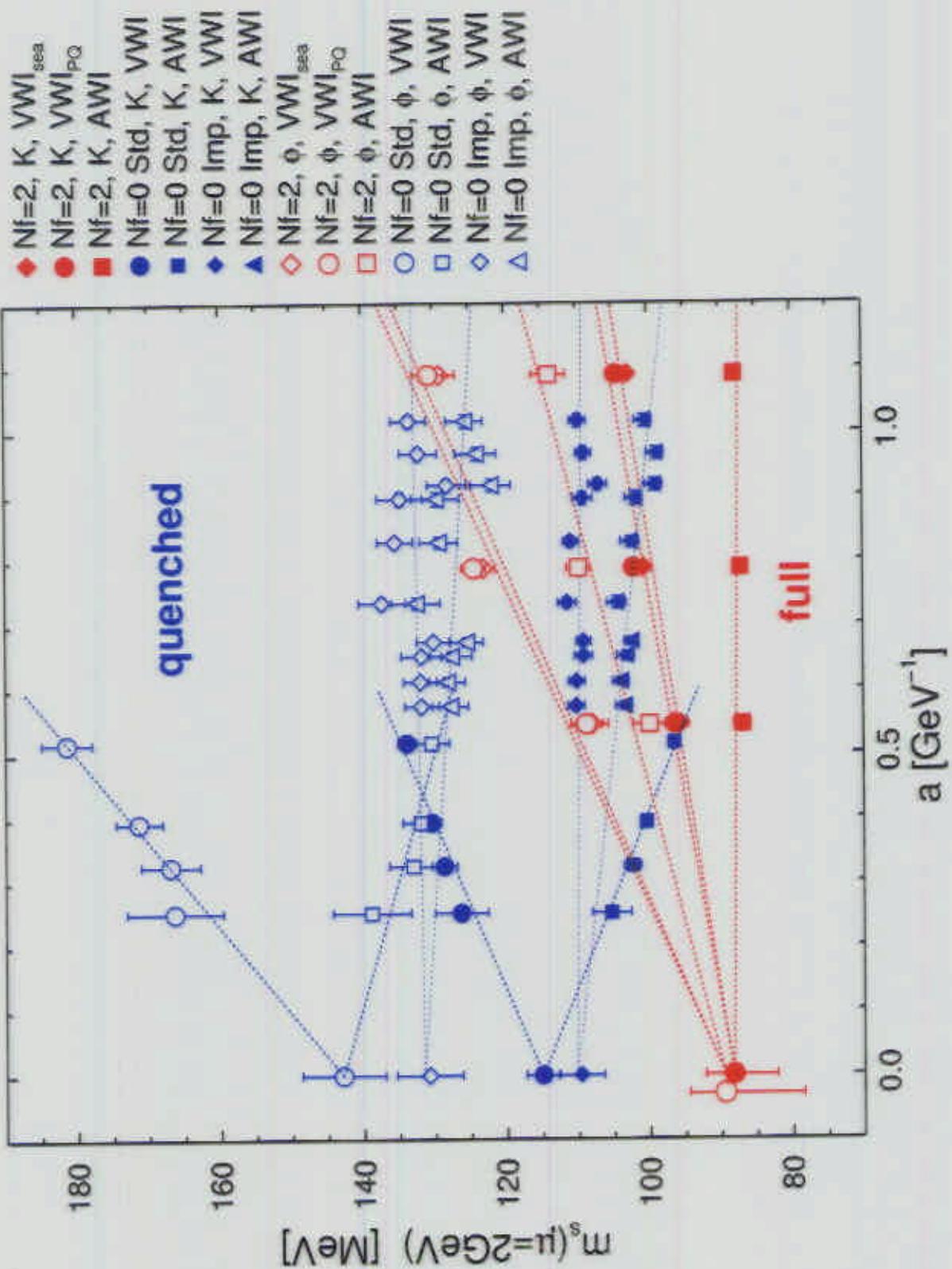
- $Z_{??}, b_{??}, c_{??}$: 1-loop, using a MF-improved coupling const.

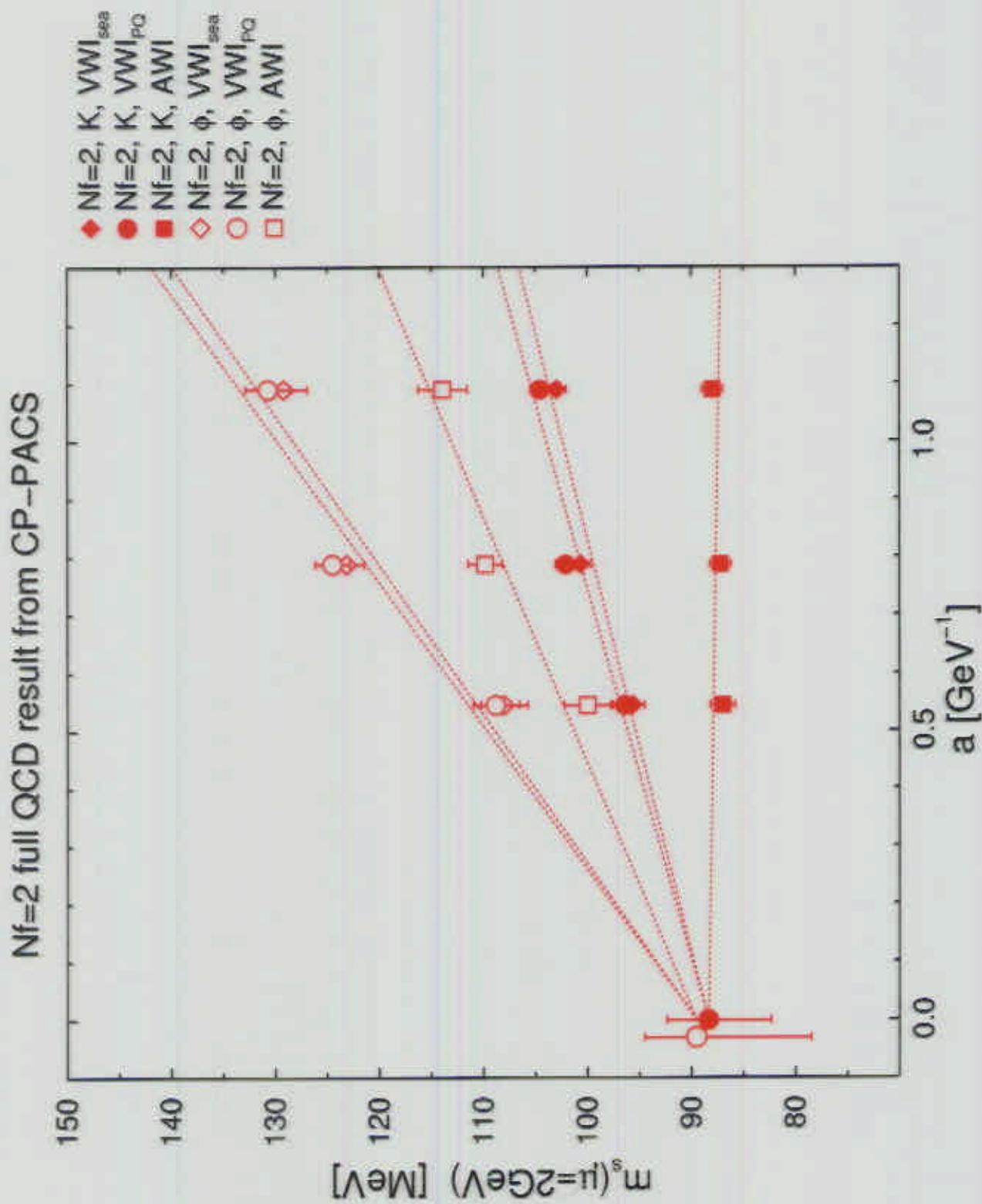
$$g_{\overline{\text{MS}}}^{-2}(1/a) = (3.648 \cdot W_{1 \times 1} - 2.648 \cdot W_{1 \times 2}) \cdot g_{lat}^{-2} - 0.1006 + 0.03149 \cdot N_f$$

with measured Wilson loops extrapolated to the chiral limit.









Results:

(m_q @ 2 GeV in the MS-scheme)

- ★ Different lattice definitions for m_q
 - unique value in the continuum limit.
- ★ Ambiguity in the choice of input
 - much reduced in fQCD.

★ m_q in MeV

input	$N_f = 0$		$N_f = 2$
	standard	improved	
$M_K \quad m_s =$	116 ± 2	$110 +3/-4$	$88 +4/-6$
$M_\phi \quad m_s =$	144 ± 6	$132 +4/-6$	$90 +5/-11$
$m_{ud} =$	$4.57 \pm .18$	$4.36 +.14/-17$	$3.44 +.14/-22$
$m_s/m_{ud} \approx$	$25-31$	$25-30$	26 ± 2

→ m_q from fQCD: 20–30% smaller than qQCD

- Errors include

				(fQCD)
	stat.	chiral extrap.	Z-factor	continuum extrap.
m_{ud}	$\pm 2.6\%$	$+1.2/-2.3\%$	$+2.3/-5.0\%$	$+1.7/-2.3\%$
$m_s(K)$	$\pm 2.4\%$	$+1.6/-2.2\%$	$+2.2/-5.6\%$	$+1.4/-2.8\%$
$m_s(\phi)$	$\pm 4.8\%$	$+1.5/-7.6\%$	$+1.7/-6.9\%$	$+0.9/-1.6\%$

chiral extrap.: different extrapolation formulae

Z-factor: higher orders in pert. theory

← different choices for renormalized g^2 and scale

continuum extrap.: combined vs. separate extrap.

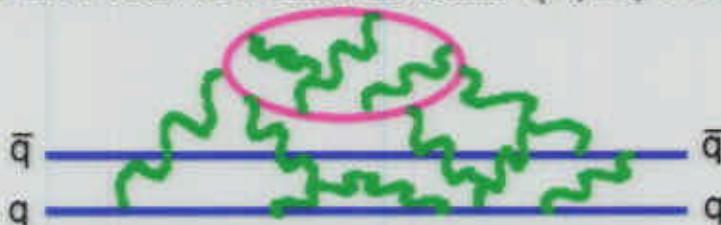
- Comparison with phenomenological models

$O(p^4)$ ChPT: $m_s/m_{ud} = 24.4 \pm 1.5$ Leutwyler, PL B378 ('96)

QCD sum rule: $m_s > 90-100$ Narison, hep-ph/9911454
 $m_{ud} > 3.5-4$

3. U(1) problem

Propagator for conventional mesons (π , K, etc.):



Additional contribution for flavor-singlet mesons:



Experiment: $M_\eta, M_{\eta'} \gg M_\pi$

\Rightarrow The 2nd should cancel the 1st almost completely!

If it is really the case in QCD?

"U(1) problem"

- Full QCD simulations essential.
- Computation of the 2nd is not easy:
requires a special technique and a high statistics.
- Connection with the topological structure of the gauge config.
through $U(1)_A$ -anomaly.

CP-PACS ($N_f = 2$) First extrapolation to the continuum limit.

- singlet ($u\bar{u}+d\bar{d}$) meson
- ignoring possible mixings with other states
- chiral and continuum extrapolations

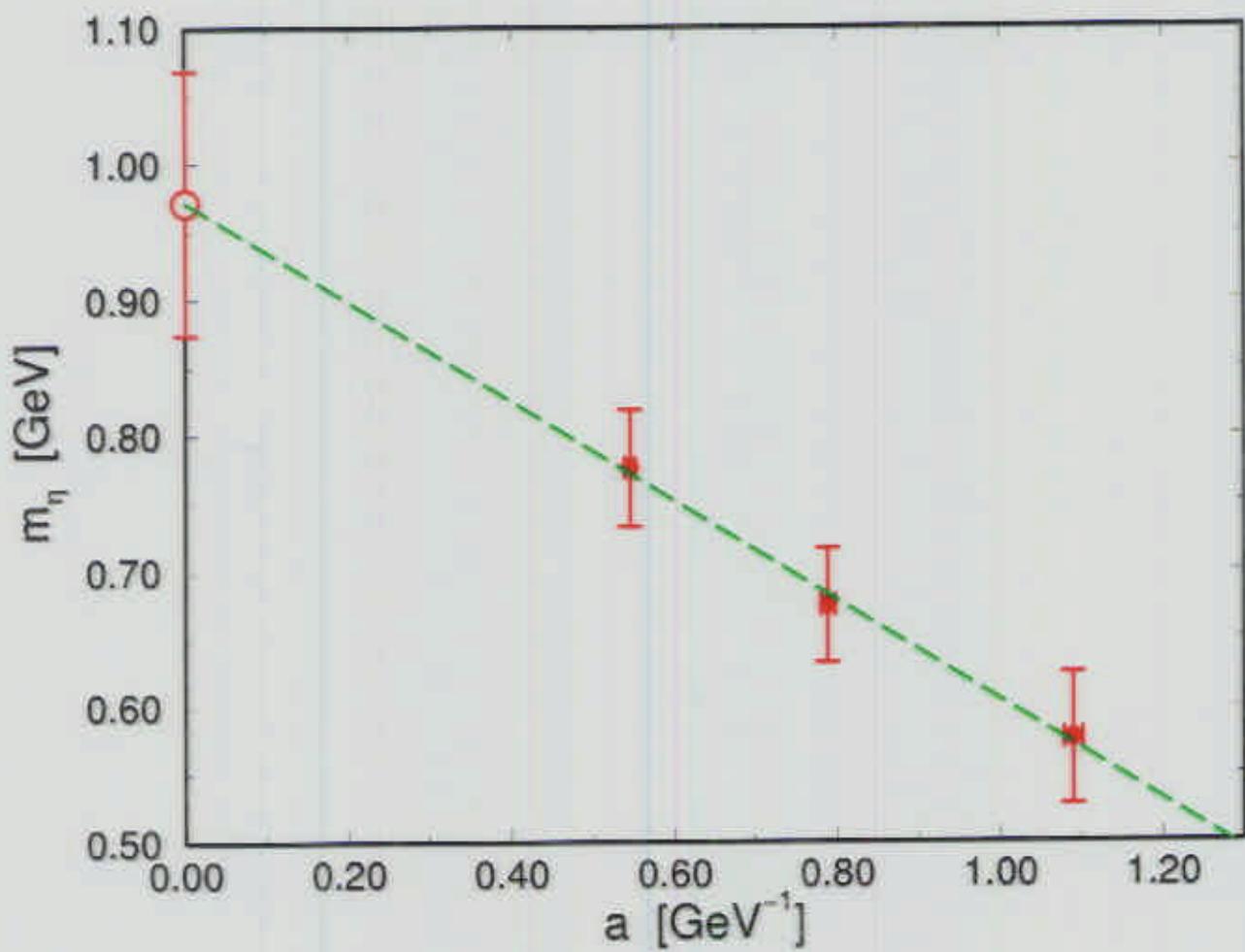
Results:

$$\star M_{(u\bar{u}+d\bar{d})} = 972 \pm 97 \text{ MeV} \quad \gg M_\pi = 135 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \text{ real world} \quad M_\eta &= 547 & \Leftarrow (\text{mixing}) \Leftarrow u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} \\ M_{\eta'} &= 958 \text{ MeV} & \bar{s}\bar{s} \end{aligned}$$

Further study of mixing and topology planned.

(cf.) McNeile-Michael, hep-lat/0006020



4. B-Physics

f_B, f_{Bs}, B_B, B_{Bs} : important for V_{ts}, V_{td}

Neutral B mass difference $\Delta M_{Bq} \propto f_{Bq}^2 B_{Bq} |V_{tq}|^2$

$\Rightarrow A. Kronfeld @ ICHEP2000$
 "B and D mesons in LQCD"

Heavy quarks on the lattice

$m_b a \approx 1-4$ on current lattices ($a^{-1} \approx 1-3$ GeV)
 i.e., naive formulations not applicable.

- NRQCD (non-relativistic QCD)

Lepage et al., PR D46 ('92)

- Relativistic (Fermilab approach)

El-Khadra, Kronfeld, Mackenzie, PR D55 ('97)

Consistency among different methods should be checked.

B-Physics has been studied mainly in qQCD.

qChPT \Rightarrow sizable dynamical quarks effects

Booth, PR D51 ('95), Sharpe, Zhang, PR D53 ('96)

Full QCD studies of f_B , f_{Bs}

- **SGO** (Collins et al.), Phys. Rev. D60 ('99)

NRQCD on configurations with $N_f = 2$ staggered sea quarks
 100 config., $16^3 \times 32$, $\beta=5.6$, $m_q a=0.01$ ($m_{ps}/m_\psi=0.525$)

- **MILC** (Bernard et al.), Lattice '99

relativistic Wilson/Clover

on configurations with $N_f = 2$ staggered sea quarks
 100–200 config., $16^3 \times 32 - 24^3 \times 64$, $\beta=5.5$ and 5.6 , $m_q a=1-01$

- **CP-PACS**

NRQCD and relativistic Clover

on configurations with $N_f = 2$ Clover sea quarks
 and $N_f = 0$ quenched

		$N_f = 0$	$N_f = 2$
f_B	NRQCD	191(5)(11) MeV	204(8)(15) MeV
	relativistic	190(3)(9)	215(11)(11)
f_{Bs}	NRQCD	220(5)(13)	242(9)(17)
	relativistic	224(2)(15)(6)	250(10)(13)(14)
f_{Bs}/f_B	NRQCD	1.150(9)(6)	1.179(18)(7)
	relativistic	1.163(9)(46)(60)	1.186(31)(43)(65)

scale from m_p
 errors: (stat.+chiral) (syst. from higher orders) [(m_s)]

→ Different methods ~~marginally~~ consistent.

→ Dynamical quark effects:

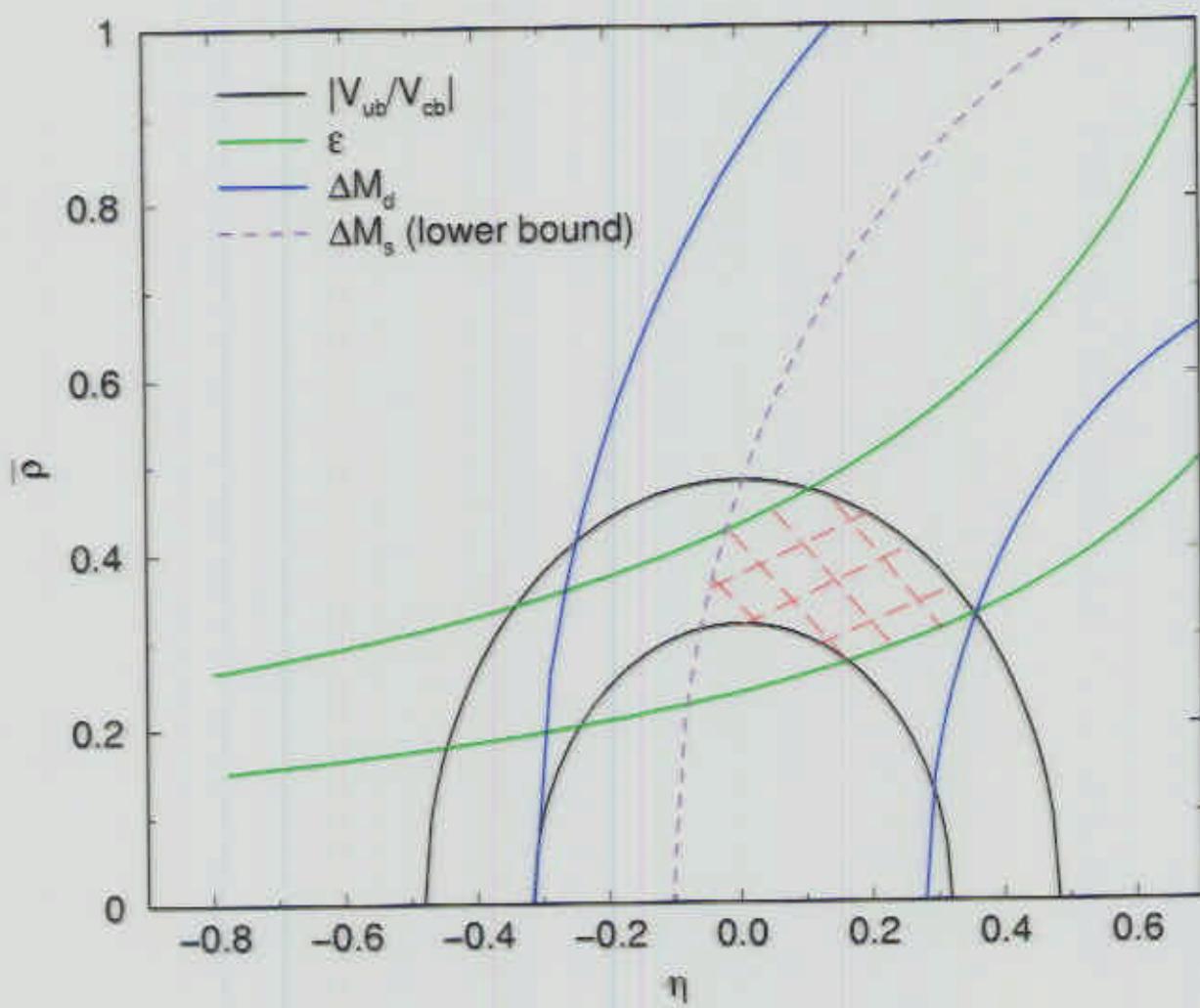
f_B , f_{Bs} : $\approx 10\%$ larger than qQCD

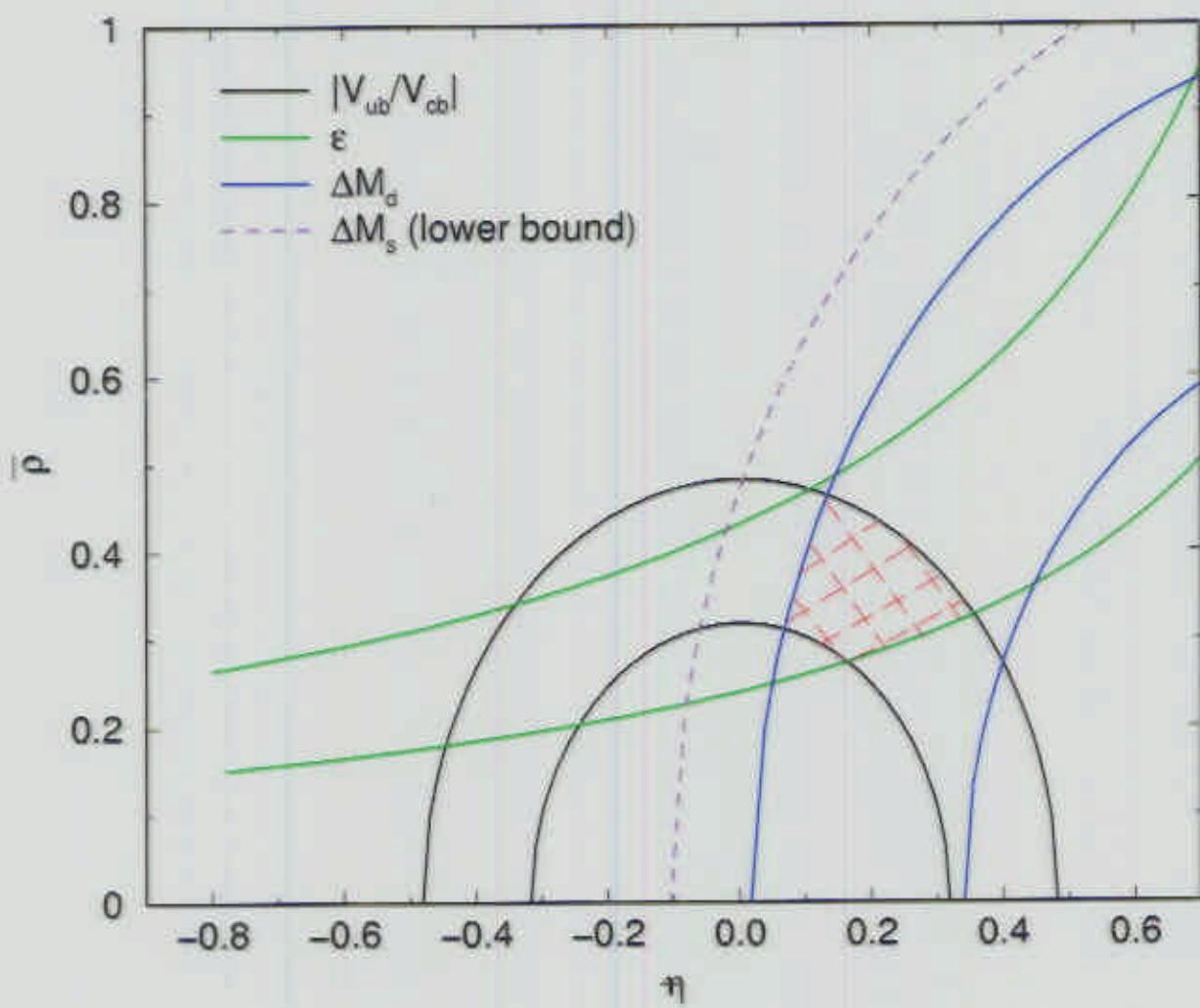
while f_B/f_{Bs} : not sensitive

Need to study yet: B_B , B_{Bs} , form factors, ...

Standard Inputs

A.J.Buras, hep-ph/9905437



CP-PACS $N_f=2$ 

5. Summary

What has been achieved ?

apple In the quenched approximation:

- qQCD reproduces light hadron spectrum within O(10)%
- Limitation of the quenched approx. made clear



Full QCD simulations necessary.

apple First systematic study of $N_f=2$ full QCD:

- light hadron spectrum close to experiment
 - Major quenching artifacts removed.
- small quark masses

$$m_{ud} = 3.44^{+.14/- .22} \text{ MeV}$$

$m_s = 88^{+4/-6}$	MeV	M_K -input
$90^{+5/-11}$	MeV	M_ϕ -input

→ Impacts for the study of weak interactions.

- U(1) problem, hadronic matrix elements, heavy quark physics, high-T phase transition of QCD, etc
 - Sizable/noticeable dynamical quark effects.



Full QCD simulations **important**.

right-pointing arrow on-going / to be done:

- smaller quark mass region (decays, ...)
- dynamical strange quark effects
- new chiral fermions (Domain-Wall QCD)