

$$\alpha_{\text{em}}(E)$$

via the Adler function

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① Introduction

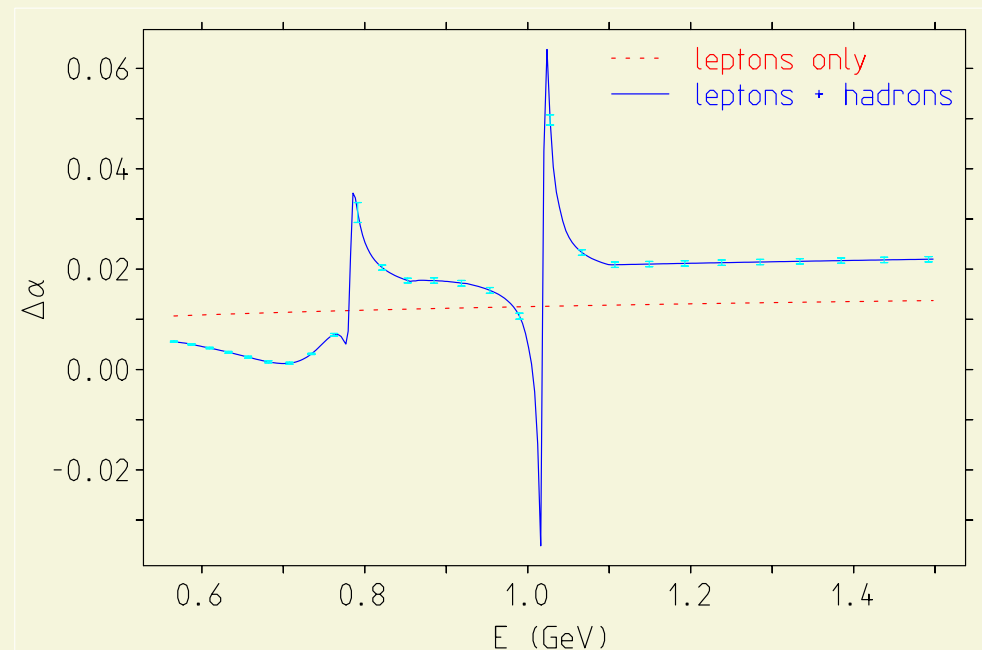
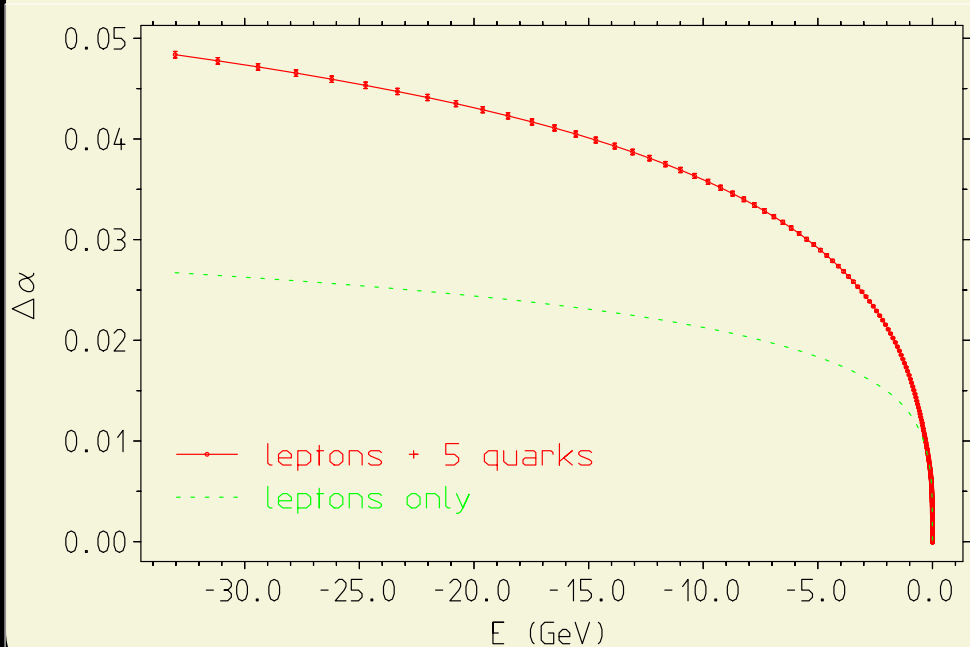
Non-perturbative hadronic effects in electroweak precision observables, main effect via

effective fine-structure “constant” $\alpha(E)$

(charge screening by vacuum polarization)

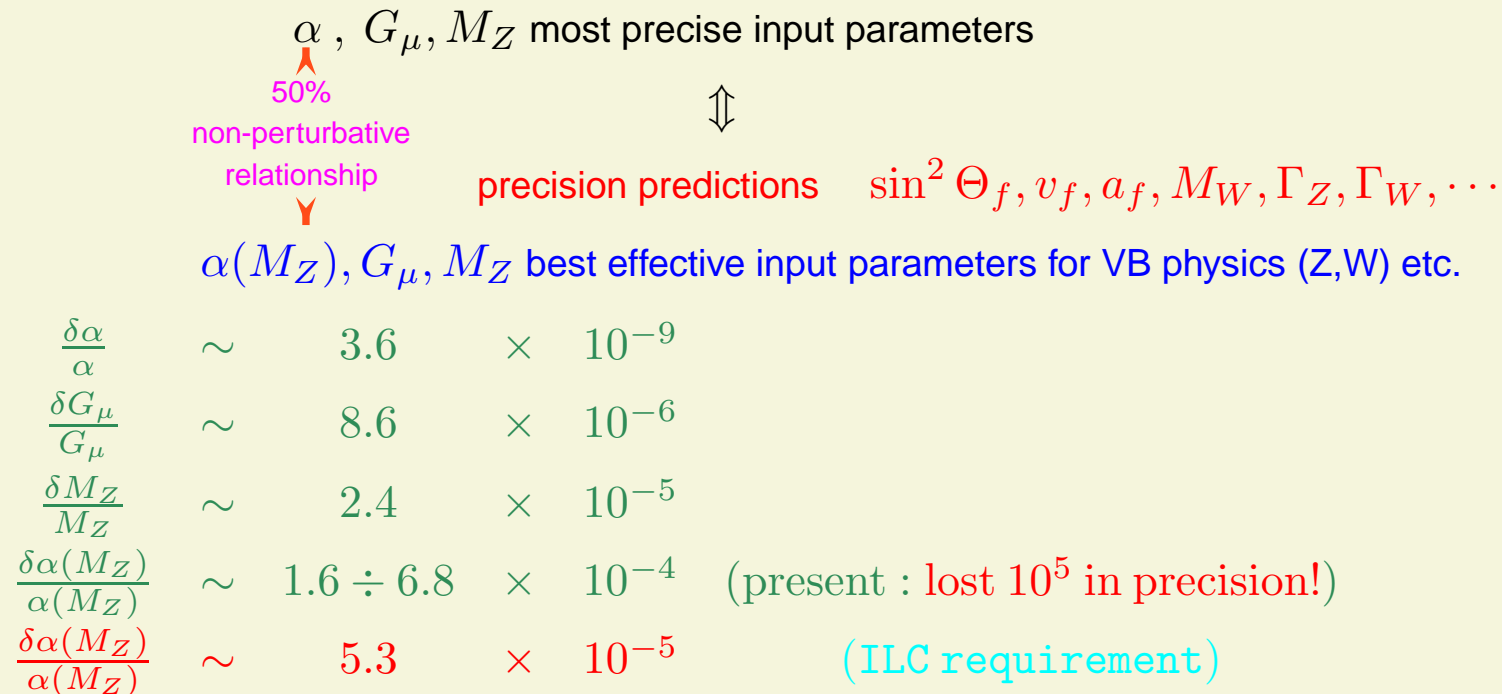
- Need to know running of α_{QED} very precisely.

Large corrections, steeply increasing at low E



② $\alpha(M_Z)$ in precision physics (precision physics limitations)

Uncertainties of hadronic contributions to effective α are a problem for electroweak precision physics:



$$\text{LEP/SLD: } \sin^2 \Theta_{\text{eff}} = (1 - g_{Vl}/g_{Al})/4 = 0.23148 \pm \boxed{0.00017}$$

$$\delta \Delta \alpha(M_Z) = 0.00036 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \delta \sin^2 \Theta_{\text{eff}} = \boxed{0.00013}$$

affects Higgs mass bounds, precision tests and new physics searches!!!

For perturbative QCD contributions very crucial: precise QCD parameters $\alpha_s, m_c, m_b, m_t \Rightarrow$ Lattice-QCD

Indirect

Higgs boson mass “measurement”

$$m_H = 88^{+53}_{-35} \text{ GeV}$$

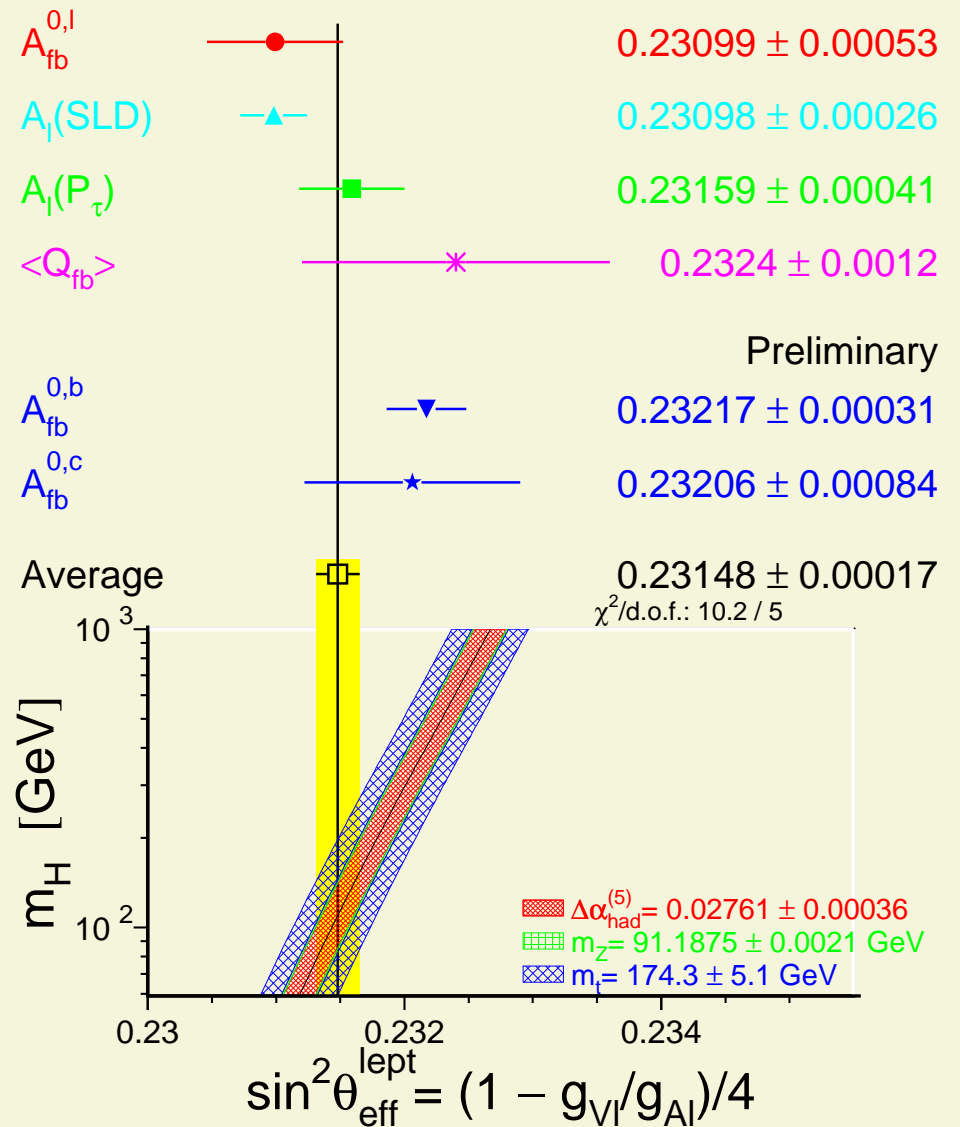
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau\tau \Rightarrow \delta m_H \sim -19 \text{ GeV}$$

Direct lower bound:

$$m_H > 114 \text{ GeV at 95\% CL}$$

Indirect upper bound:

$$m_H < 193 \text{ GeV at 95\% CL}$$



What is the point once m_H has been measured by the LHC? $\Rightarrow \sin^2 \Theta_{\text{eff}}$ turns into an excellent monitor for new physics!

③ Evaluation of $\alpha(M_Z)$

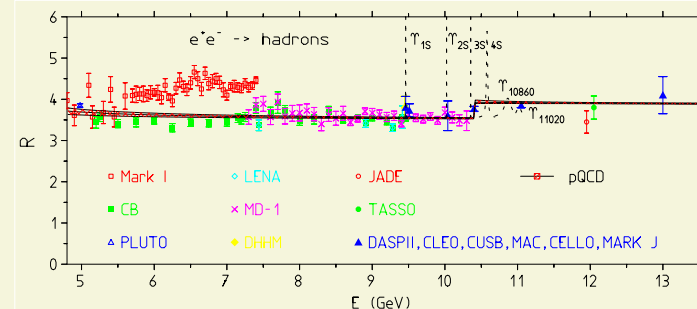
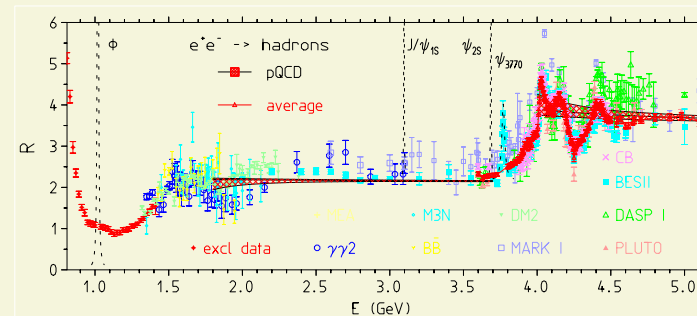
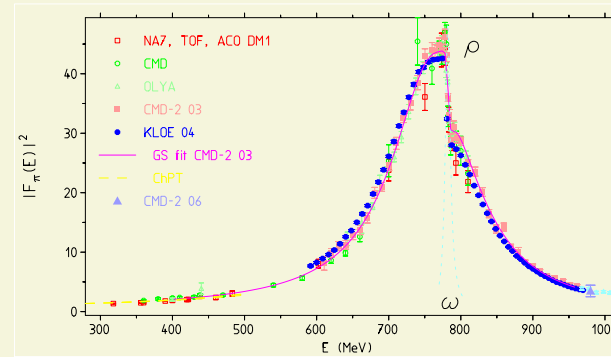
Non-perturbative hadronic contributions $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(s)$ can be evaluated in terms of $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$ data via dispersion integral:

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(s) = -\frac{\alpha s}{3\pi} \left(\int_{4m_\pi^2}^{E_{\text{cut}}^2} ds' \frac{R_\gamma^{\text{data}}(s')}{s'(s'-s)} + \int_{E_{\text{cut}}^2}^{\infty} ds' \frac{R_\gamma^{\text{pQCD}}(s')}{s'(s'-s)} \right)$$

where

$$R_\gamma(s) \equiv \frac{\sigma^{(0)}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \text{hadrons})}{\frac{4\pi\alpha^2}{3s}}$$

$$\Pi'_\gamma(q^2) \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \left| \gamma \text{ had } \right|^2 \sim \sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{had}}(q^2)$$



Compilation:
Theory = pQCD:

Jegerlehner 06
Groshny et al. 91, Chetyrkin et al. 97

Evaluation FJ 2006 update: at $M_Z = 91.19$ GeV

- $R(s)$ data up to $\sqrt{s} = E_{\text{cut}} = 5$ GeV
and for Υ resonances region between 9.6 and 13 GeV
- perturbative QCD from 5.0 to 9.6 GeV
and for the high energy tail above 13 GeV

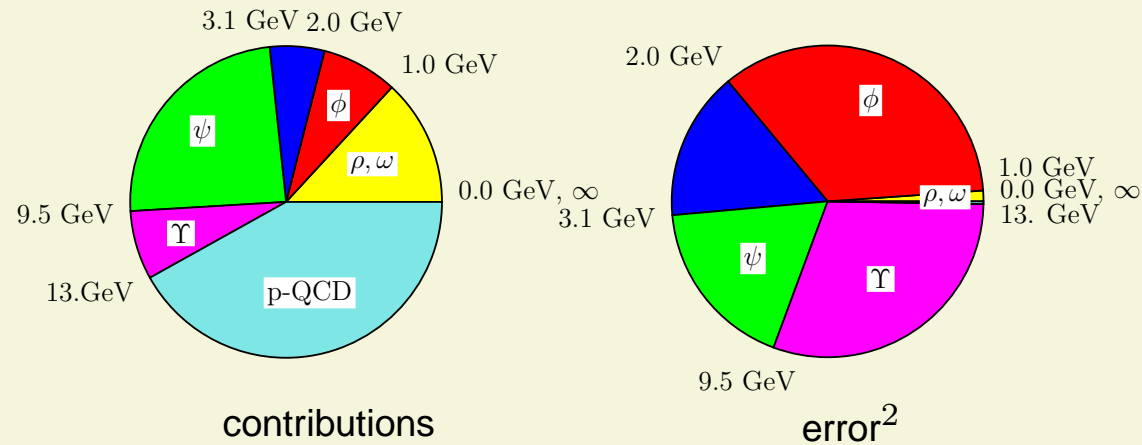
$$\begin{aligned}\Delta\alpha_{\text{hadrons}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2) &= 0.027594 \pm 0.000219 \\ &0.027469 \pm 0.000149 \quad \text{Adler} \\ \alpha^{-1}(M_Z^2) &= 128.944 \pm 0.033 \\ &128.955 \pm 0.014 \quad \text{Adler}\end{aligned}$$

Table 1: Contributions and uncertainties $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)^{\text{data}} \cdot 10^4$. Direct integration method. In **red** the results relevant for VEPP-2000/DAFNE-II.

Energy range	$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}[\%](\text{error}) \times 10^4$	rel. err.	abs. err.
$\rho, \omega (E < 2M_K)$	36.36 [13.2](0.20)	0.6 %	0.9 %
$2M_K < E < 2 \text{ GeV}$	21.46 [7.8](1.31)	6.1 %	35.9 %
$2 \text{ GeV} < E < M_{J/\psi}$	15.73 [5.7](0.88)	5.6 %	16.2 %
$M_{J/\psi} < E < M_\Upsilon$	66.98 [24.3](0.84)	1.3 %	14.9 %
$M_\Upsilon < E < E_{\text{cut}}$	19.69 [7.1](1.24)	6.3 %	32.0 %
$E_{\text{cut}} < E$ pQCD	115.71 [41.9](0.06)	0.0 %	0.1 %
$E < E_{\text{cut}}$ data	160.23 [58.1](2.19)	1.4 %	99.9 %
total	275.94 [100.0](2.19)	0.8 %	100.0 %

Table 2: Contributions and uncertainties $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-M_0^2)^{\text{data}} \cdot 10^4$ ($M_0 = 2.5$ GeV). Adler function method. In **red** the results relevant for VEPP-2000/DAFNE.

Energy range	$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}[\%](\text{error}) \times 10^4$	rel. err.	abs. err.
$\rho, \omega (E < 2M_K)$	33.40 [45.4](0.19)	0.6 %	3.1 %
$2M_K < E < 2 \text{ GeV}$	16.23 [22.1](0.92)	5.7 %	73.4 %
$2 \text{ GeV} < E < M_{J/\psi}$	7.91 [10.8](0.44)	5.6 %	16.9 %
$M_{J/\psi} < E < M_\Upsilon$	13.95 [19.0](0.27)	1.9 %	6.4 %
$M_\Upsilon < E < E_{\text{cut}}$	0.96 [1.3](0.06)	6.2 %	0.3 %
$E_{\text{cut}} < E$ pQCD	1.09 [1.5](0.00)	0.1 %	0.0 %
$E < E_{\text{cut}}$ data	72.45 [98.5](1.07)	1.5 %	100.0 %
total	73.54 [100.0](1.07)	1.5 %	100.0 %

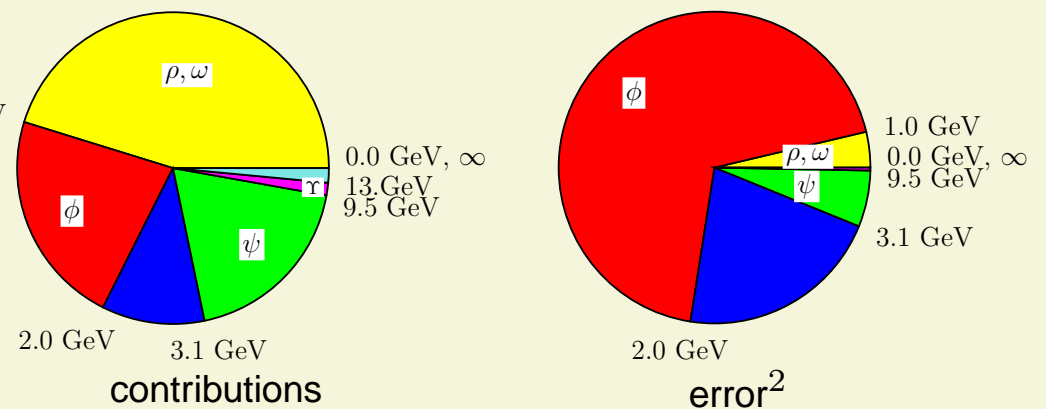


direct integration of data

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{hadrons}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$$

integration via Adler function

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-M_0^2)^{\text{data}} (M_0 = 2.5 \text{ GeV})$$



present distribution of contributions and errors

④ Testing non-perturbative hadronic effects via the Adler function

Adler function in terms of experimental data:

$$D(Q^2) = Q^2 \left(\int_{4m_\pi^2}^{E_{\text{cut}}^2} \frac{R^{\text{data}}(s)}{(s + Q^2)^2} ds + \int_{E_{\text{cut}}^2}^{\infty} \frac{R^{\text{pQCD}}(s)}{(s + Q^2)^2} ds \right)$$

$Q^2 = -q^2$ is the squared Euclidean momentum transfer,

s is the center of mass energy squared for hadron production in e^+e^- -annihilation

Adler function from pQCD and OPE:

Basic object: photon vacuum polarization amplitude

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu}^\gamma(q) = i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle 0 | T J_\mu^\gamma(x) J_\nu^\gamma(0) | 0 \rangle = - (q^2 g_{\mu\nu} - q_\mu q_\nu) \Pi'_\gamma(q^2)$$

Adler function:

$$D(-s) = - (12\pi^2) s \frac{d\Pi'_\gamma(s)}{ds} = \frac{3\pi}{\alpha} s \frac{d}{ds} \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(s)$$

is the hadronic contribution to the shift of the fine structure constant at scale q^2 .

Contributions:

$$D(Q^2) = D^{(0)}(Q^2) + D^{(1)}(Q^2) + D^{(2)}(Q^2) + \dots + D^{\text{NP}}(Q^2)$$

One-loop:

$$D^{(0)}(Q^2) = \sum_f Q_f^2 N_{cf} H^{(0)}$$

with $H \equiv (12\pi^2) \dot{\Pi}'_V$, $\dot{\Pi}'_V \equiv -s d\Pi'_V/ds$, in terms of the vector current amplitude Π'_V .

Explicitly:

$$H^{(0)} = 1 + \frac{3y}{2} - \frac{3y^2}{4} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-y}} \ln \xi \quad y = 4m_f^2/s \quad , \quad \xi = \frac{\sqrt{1-y} - 1}{\sqrt{1-y} + 1}$$

where ξ is taking values $0 \leq \xi \leq 1$ for $s \leq 0$.

Asymptotically:

$$H^{(0)} \rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{1}{5} \frac{Q^2}{m_f^2} - \frac{3}{70} \left(\frac{Q^2}{m_f^2} \right)^2 + \frac{1}{105} \left(\frac{Q^2}{m_f^2} \right)^3 + \dots & Q^2 \ll m_f^2 \\ 1 - 6 \frac{m_f^2}{Q^2} - 12 \left(\frac{m_f^2}{Q^2} \right)^2 \ln \frac{m_f^2}{Q^2} + 24 \left(\frac{m_f^2}{Q^2} \right)^3 \left(\ln \frac{m_f^2}{Q^2} + 1 \right) + \dots & Q^2 \gg m_f^2 \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

and this behavior determines the quark parton model (QPM) (leading order QCD) property of the Adler function: heavy quarks ($m_f^2 \gg Q^2$) decouple like Q^2/m_f^2 while light modes ($m_f^2 \ll Q^2$) contribute $Q_f^2 N_{cf}$ to $D^{(0)}$.

Two-loop: known analytically (Broadhurst 85 and others)

$$D^{(1)}(Q^2) = \frac{\alpha_s(Q^2)}{\pi} \sum_f Q_f^2 N_{cf} H^{(1)}$$

where $H^{(1)} = (12\pi^2) \dot{\Pi}'^{(2)}(-Q^2, m_f^2)$.

Three-loop: known as low and large momentum expansion (Chetyrkin, Harlander, Kühn, Steinhauser 96/97)

$$D^{(2)}(Q^2) = \left(\frac{\alpha_s(Q^2)}{\pi} \right)^2 \sum_f Q_f^2 N_{cf} H^{(2)}$$

where $H^{(2)} = (12\pi^2) \dot{\Pi}'^{(3)}(-Q^2, m_f^2)$.

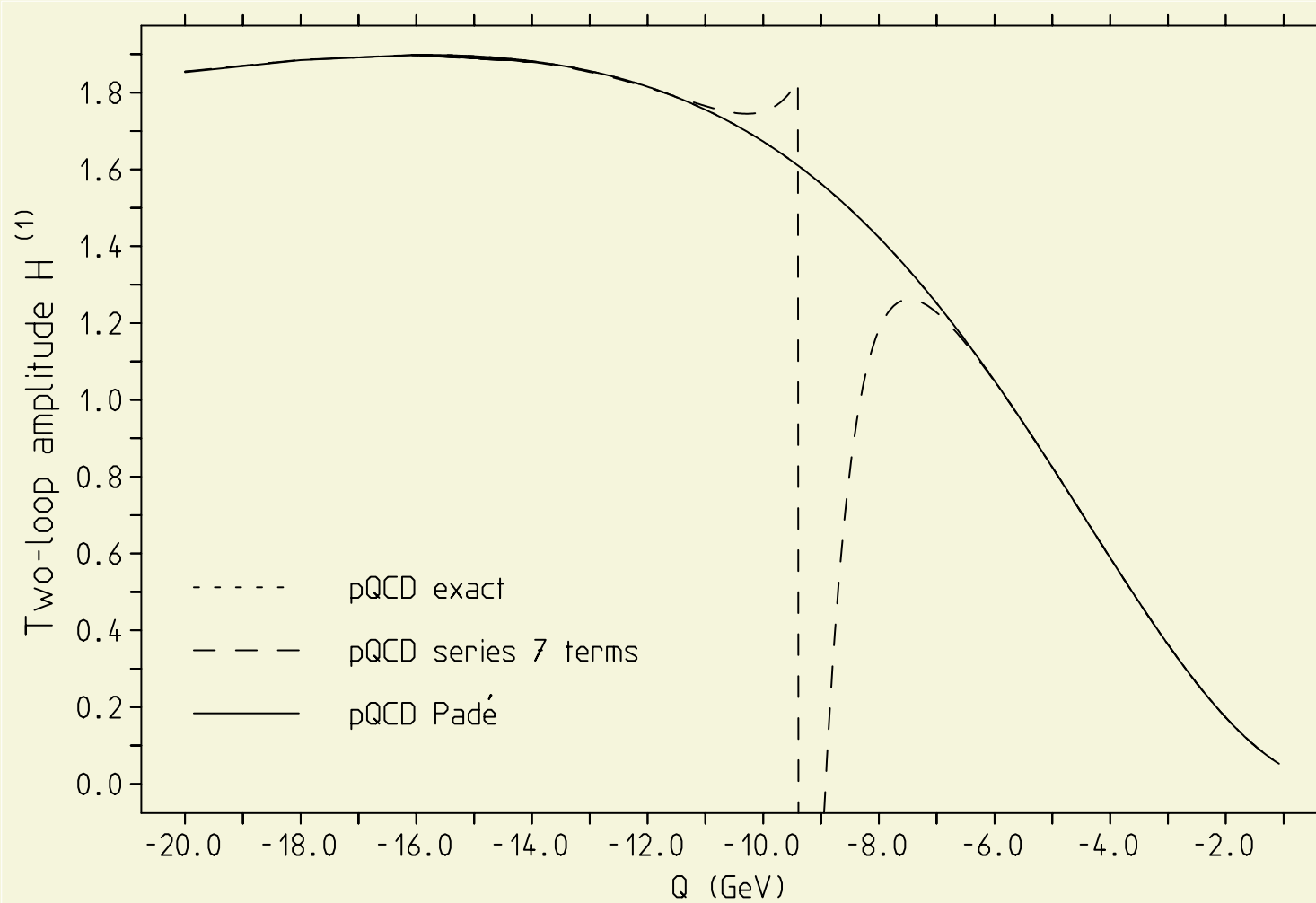
Both series expansions diverge at the boundary of the circle of convergence $Q^2 = 4m^2 \Rightarrow$ problem in the region where mass effects are of the order of unity in the Euclidean region. Apply a conformal mapping (Schwinger 48)

$$y^{-1} = \frac{-Q^2}{4m^2} \rightarrow \omega = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 1/y}}{1 + \sqrt{1 - 1/y}}$$

from the complex negative q^2 half-plane to the interior of the unit circle $|\omega| < 1$ together with Padé

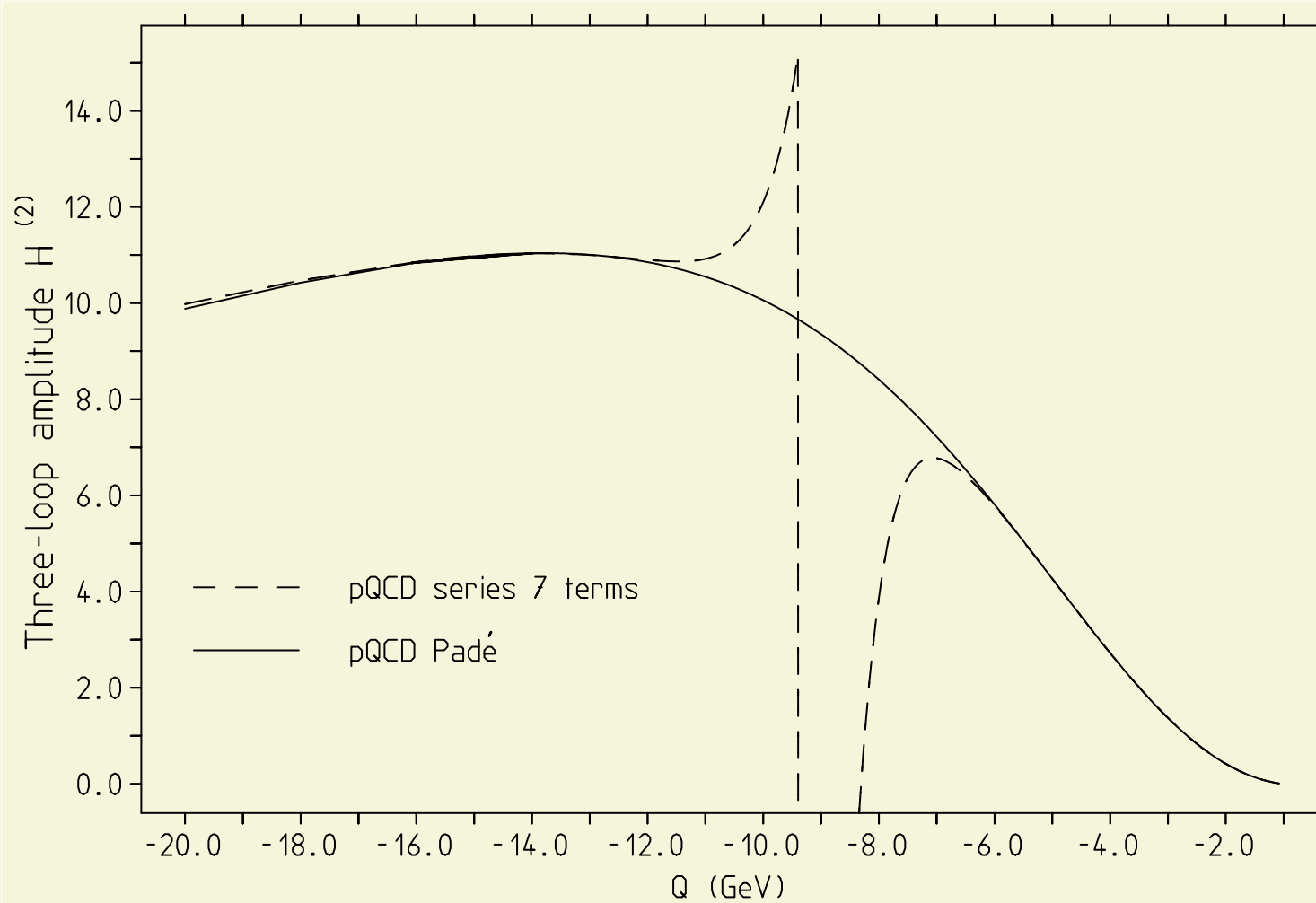
resummation (Fleischer and Tarasov 94). The Padé approximant provides a good estimation to much higher values of $1/y$ up to about $1/y \sim 4$. This is displayed in (\Rightarrow) the Figures. Padé improvement allows us to obtain reliable results also in the relevant Euclidean “threshold region”, around $y = 1$.

Adler-function: pQCD two-loop



(Eidelman, F.J., Kataev, Veretin 98)

Adler-function: pQCD three-loop



(Eidelman, F.J., Kataev, Veretin 98)

- **Four-loop in/and high energy limit:**

$$D(Q^2) = 3 \sum_f Q_f^2 \times (1 + a + c_1 a^2 + c_2 a^3 + \dots)$$

with

$$a = \alpha_s(Q^2)/\pi,$$

$$c_1 = 1.9857 - 0.1153 n_f,$$

$$c_2 = 18.2428 - 4.2159 n_f + 0.0862 n_f^2 - 1.2395 (\sum Q_f)^2 / (3 \sum Q_f^2).$$

The corresponding formula for $R(s)$ only differs at the 4-loop level due to the effect from the analytic continuation from the Euclidean to the Minkowski region which yields

$$c_2^R = c_2^D - \frac{\pi^2}{3} \frac{\beta_0^2}{16} \text{ with } \beta_0 = 11 - 2/3 n_f.$$

Numerically the 4-loop term proportional to c_2 amounts to -0.0036% at 100 GeV and increases to about 0.32% at 2.5 GeV.

- **Non perturbative effects?**

Parametrize NP effects at sufficiently large energies and away from resonances as prescribed by the OPE. Non-vanishing gluon and light quark condensates (**Shifman, Vainshtein, Zakharov 79**) imply the leading **power corrections**

$$\begin{aligned}
 D^{\text{NP}}(Q^2) = & \sum_{q=u,d,s} Q_q^2 N_{cq} (8\pi^2) \cdot \left[\frac{1}{12} \left(1 - \frac{11}{18} \frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{\pi} \right) \frac{\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} GG \rangle}{Q^4} \right. \\
 & + 2 \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{3\pi} + \left(\frac{47}{8} - \frac{3}{4} l_{q\mu} \right) \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{\pi} \right)^2 \right) \frac{\langle m_q \bar{q}q \rangle}{Q^4} \\
 & \left. + \left(\frac{4}{27} \frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{\pi} + \left(\frac{4}{3} \zeta_3 - \frac{88}{243} - \frac{1}{3} l_{q\mu} \right) \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu^2)}{\pi} \right)^2 \right) \sum_{q'=u,d,s} \frac{\langle m_{q'} \bar{q}'q' \rangle}{Q^4} + \dots \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

where $a \equiv \alpha_s(\mu^2)/\pi$ and $l_{q\mu} \equiv \ln(Q^2/\mu^2)$.

$\langle \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} GG \rangle$ and $\langle m_q \bar{q}q \rangle$ are the scale-invariantly defined condensates. Sum rule estimates of the condensates yield typically (large uncertainties)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} GG \rangle &\sim (0.389 \text{ GeV})^4 \\
 \langle m_q \bar{q}q \rangle &\sim -(0.098 \text{ GeV})^4 \quad \text{for } q = u, d \\
 \langle m_q \bar{q}q \rangle &\sim -(0.218 \text{ GeV})^4 \quad \text{for } q = s
 \end{aligned}$$

Note that the above expansion is just a parameterization of the high energy tail of NP effects associated with the existence of non-vanishing condensates. There are other kind of NP phenomena like bound states, resonances, instantons and what else. The dilemma with is that it works only for Q^2 large enough

and it has been successfully applied in heavy quark physics. It fails to describe NP physics at lower Q^2 , once it starts to be numerically relevant pQCD starts to fail because of the growth of the strong coupling constant.

The virtues of this analysis are obvious:

- no problems with physical threshold and resonances
- pQCD is used only where we can check it to work (Euclidean, $Q^2 \gtrsim 2.5 \text{ GeV}$).
- no manipulation of data, no assumptions about global or local duality.
- non-perturbative “remainder” $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-s_0)$ is mainly sensitive to low energy data !!!

⑤ $\Delta\alpha^{\text{had}}$ via the Adler function

X use old idea: Adler function: **Monitor for comparing theory and data**

$$D(-s) \doteq \frac{3\pi}{\alpha} s \frac{d}{ds} \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(s) = - (12\pi^2) s \frac{d\Pi'_\gamma(s)}{ds}$$

$$\Rightarrow D(Q^2) = Q^2 \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} ds \frac{R(s)}{(s + Q^2)^2}$$

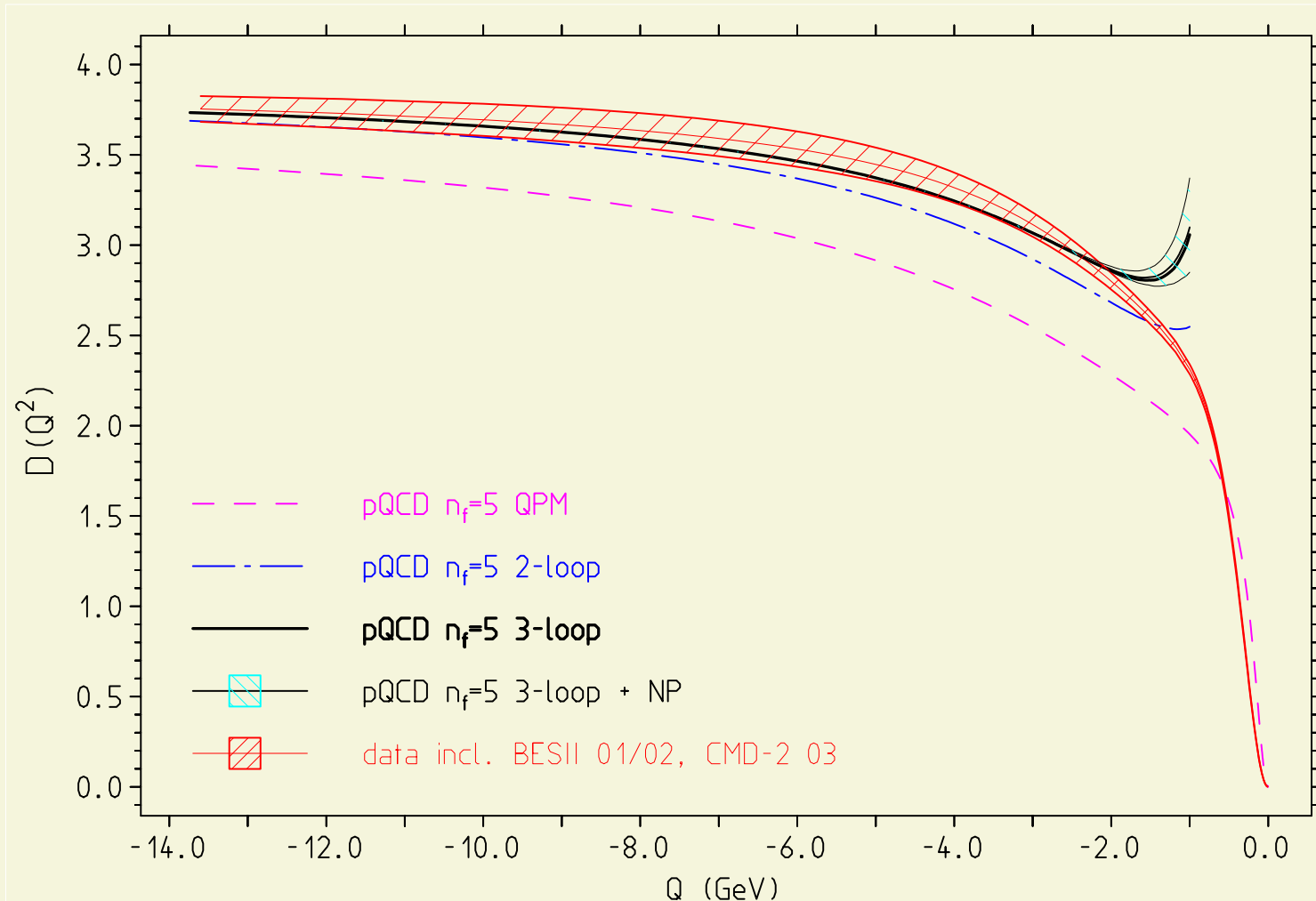
pQCD $\leftrightarrow R(s)$	pQCD $\leftrightarrow D(Q^2)$
very difficult to obtain	smooth simple function
in theory	in <u>Euclidean</u> region

Conservative conclusion:

- **time-like approach: pQCD works well in “perturbative windows”**
3.00 - 3.73 GeV, 5.00 - 10.52 GeV and 11.50 - ∞
(Kühn,Steinhauser)
- **space-like approach: pQCD works well for $\sqrt{Q^2 = -q^2} > 2.5 \text{ GeV}$ (see plot)**

“Experimental” Adler–function versus theory (pQCD + NP)

Error includes statistical + systematic here (incontrast to most R -plots showing statistical errors only)!



(Eidelman, F.J., Kataev, Veretin 98, FJ 06 update (BES, CMD-2)) theory based on results by Chetyrkin, Kühn et al.

\Rightarrow pQCD works well to predict $D(Q^2)$ down to $s_0 = (2.5 \text{ GeV})^2$; use this to calculate

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(-Q^2) \sim \frac{\alpha}{3\pi} \int dQ'^2 \frac{D(Q'^2)}{Q'^2}$$

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-M_Z^2) = \left[\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-M_Z^2) - \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-s_0) \right]^{\text{pQCD}} + \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-s_0)^{\text{data}}$$

and obtain, for $s_0 = (2.5 \text{ GeV})^2$:

(FJ 98/05)

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-s_0)^{\text{data}} = 0.007354 \pm 0.000107$$

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-M_Z^2) = 0.027469 \pm 0.000107 \pm 0.000103$$

Status of QCD parameters: (see talks by Kühn, Sturm and Heitger[lattice])

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) =$$

$$m_c(m_c) = 1.286(13) \text{ GeV} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad M_c^{3\text{-loop}} = 1.666(17) \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_b(m_c) = 4.164(25) \text{ GeV} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad M_b^{3\text{-loop}} = 4.800(29) \text{ GeV}$$

(Kühn, Steinhauser, Sturm)

For lattice QCD status see talk by Heitger!

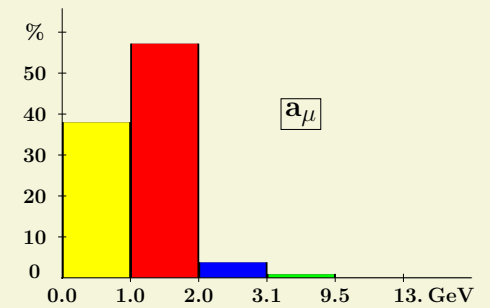
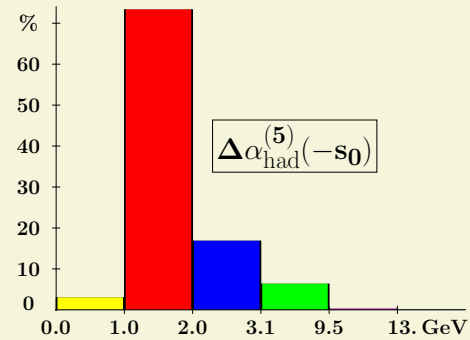
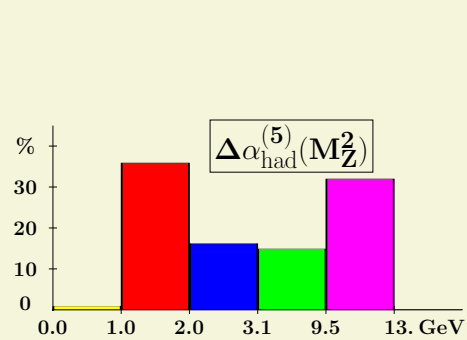
Needed improvements (integral part of this strategy):

- 4-loop massive pQCD calculation of Adler function \Leftrightarrow series expansion plus Padé improvement; essentially equivalent to 4-loop calculation of $R(s)$
- m_c improvement; sum rule and lattice QCD evaluations
- α_s in low Q^2 region

- Testable models:
- “analytized” α_s
 - instanton liquid model current vs. constituent quark masses

(Shirkhov et al, Dorokhov)

Comparison of error profiles between $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$, $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(-s_0)$ and a_μ :



⑥ Possible improvement by DAFNE-2

Future: ILC requirement: improve by factor 10 in accuracy

- **direct integration of data: 58% from data 42% p-QCD**

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)\text{ data}} \times 10^4 = 162.72 \pm 4.13 \text{ (2.5\%)}$$

1% overall accuracy ± 1.63

1% accuracy for each region (divided up as in table)

added in quadrature: ± 0.85

Data: [4.13] vs. [0.85] \Rightarrow improvement factor 4.8

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)\text{ pQCD}} \times 10^4 = 115.57 \pm 0.12 \text{ (0.1\%)}$$

Theory: no improvement needed !

- **integration via Adler function: 26% from data 74% p-QCD**

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)\text{ data}} \times 10^4 = 073.61 \pm 1.68 \text{ (2.3\%)}$$

1% overall accuracy ± 0.74

1% accuracy for each region (divided up as in table)

added in quadrature: ± 0.41

Data: [2.25] vs. [0.46] \Rightarrow improvement factor **4.9** (Adler vs Adler)

[4.13] vs. [0.46] \Rightarrow improvement factor **9.0** (Standard vs Adler)

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)\text{pQCD}} \times 10^4 = 204.68 \pm 1.49$$

Theory: (QCD parameters) has to improve by factor 10 ! $\rightarrow \pm 0.20$

Requirement may be realistic:

- pin down experimental errors to 1% level in all non-perturbative regions up to 10 GeV
- switch to Adler function method
- improve on QCD parameters, mainly on m_c and m_b

⑦ Conclusion

- Recent and future high precision experiments on $a_\mu = (g - 2)/2$ (BNL/KEK project may gain factor 10?) and $\sin^2 \Theta_{\text{eff}}$, etc. (LEP/SLD \rightarrow TESLA/ILC) imposed and further impose a lot of pressure to theory and experiment to improve, in particular, in reducing the hadronic uncertainties which mainly are due to the experimental errors of $R(s)_{\text{had}}^{\text{exp}}$.
- In electroweak precision physics at non-zero energies (note $E \sim m_\mu$ in $(g - 2)_\mu$) there is now way around determining $\alpha_{\text{eff}}(E)$ via precision measurements of σ_{hadronic} or lattice QCD simulations via Adler function approach (which is a very difficult long term project).
- Needs for **linear collider** (like ILC): requires σ_{had} at 1% level up to the $\Upsilon \Rightarrow \delta\alpha(M_Z)/\alpha(M_Z) \sim 5 \times 10^{-5}$. New cross section measurements at VEPP-2000, DAFNE-II, radiative return measurements at DAFFNE-I, BABAR and Belle, and at CLEOc and BESS-III are able to reduce the hadronic uncertainties to ???? for a_μ and to ???? for $\alpha(M_Z)$. Together with improved measurements of the top mass m_t from LHC, at present this would allow to get much better Higgs boson mass limits but much more than that.

- Future precision physics requires **dedicated effort** on σ_{had} experimentally as well as theoretically (radiative corrections, final state radiation from hadrons etc.)
- **Improving hadronic cross section measurements** must be seen as a global effort in particular in the context of ILC project, which primarily makes sense as a high precision physics project. The σ_{hadronic} efforts have to be pushed at any machine able to perform such a measurement **up to 10 GeV!** One has to see this activity as an integral part of the international linear collider (ILC) project and to ask for support by the international community. However, a more α_{eff} will be needed at many other places: $\alpha_{\text{eff}}(m_p)$, Bhabha,...
- Projects VEPP-2000 and DAFNE-II can play a major role in this respect. What is required is a **scan measurement** with a good energy calibration (preferable using resonance depolarization). In radiative return at higher energies and multiplicities one has to precisely reconstruct the invariant mass event by event which I think is a difficulty. Dedicated Monte Carlo simulations has to be done to study what precision in which scenario can be achieved.
- Don't believe people claiming very small errors and that everything has been solved already or that some other lab is already doing the same; in high precision physics

any experiment becomes a real challenge and I think at least two experiments should be performed for cross check.

- Note complementary approach important: direct $R(s)$ integration vs. Adler $D(Q^2)$; in particular for the latter as well as for $(g - 2)_\mu$ projects like DAFNE-II are a real need!