$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons + \gamma)$

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The question: "is there a discrepancy between standard model estimates and measurements" is important enough to warrant any possible check.

"Radiative return" due to initial state radiation, allows the measurement of hadro-production for $2m_{\pi} < s' < s$, at fixed collider s.

Recall that to calculate of a_{μ} we need the vacuum polarization corrections due to quark loops:





which cannot be calculated for low s, but



$$\int_{\gamma} \frac{H}{\gamma} \int_{\gamma} \frac{H}{\gamma} \int_{4m_{\pi}^2} \frac{\int_{\gamma} \frac{H}{\gamma} \int_{\mu}^{2} \int_{\mu}^{$$

 $K(s) \approx 1/s$, *i.e.* enhance low *s*. Some authors substitute: $\sigma_{e^+e^- \rightarrow \,\text{hadr}}(s) \Rightarrow \frac{4483.124}{4483.124} \frac{s}{s} \sigma_{\,\text{hadr}}(s) = \frac{R_{\,\text{hadr}}}{s \times 4483.124}.$ $1/(s \times 4483.124) \ (4\pi \, \alpha^2/3s)$ is the lowest order QED cross section for e^+e^- annihilation into massless muons.



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To lowest order the **ISR ONLY** amplitude is $(W^2 = s)$:





Example: hadr=
$$\pi^+\pi^-$$
, $s' = s_\pi = M_{\pi^+\pi^-}^2$.

$$\frac{d\sigma(\pi\pi\gamma)}{ds_\pi d\cos\theta_\gamma} \sim \sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^+\pi^-, s_\pi) \times \sigma(e^+e^- \to \gamma\gamma, s)$$
Advantages

- 1. Do not need to operate the collider at different energies
- 2. The overall energy scale, at least in a detector like KLOE is established at $W=m_{\phi}$ and applies to all values of M(hadr)
- 3. The luminosity is measured at fixed energy, for the entire data set, avoiding painful corrections



Disadvantages I.



FS radiation is $\mathcal{O}(1)$ background to σ of interest! Cannot distinguish two processes, need precise estimates.

Must also remove correct for



and properly retain





Disadvantages II.

One must perform an absolute measurement of a cross section which is only a tiny fraction of the total cross section

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At KLOE, \sigma(Bhabha)~100 \mub
\sigma(hadrons)~3 \mub
\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-\gamma)~0.01 \mub
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 $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, $\gamma\gamma$, $\gamma\pi^+\pi^-$









Radiative corrections

ISR. This is a well understood process and we have the appropriate, tested tools for dealing with it.





Vacuum Polarization

This is the same for everybody and presumably very well understood, today. The question is to apply it, correctly, to data and whatever normalizing process is used to get \mathcal{L} (usually Bhabha scattering).

FSR 1. Hard photon









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Simultaneously measure 3 "form factors", F_{π} , F_1 , F_2 . Inclusive σ preferred. (F.J.)



A truly inclusive measurement, as recommended, is never possible. Background channels invalidate the measurement. There are possible compromises, but with poorer statiscs.

Otherwise try χ PT calculations. In any case 3-body processes are suppressed, $\sim 1/32\pi^2$. Likewise $\rho \pi \gamma$ small. It is quite reasonable to begin with point like pions and correct the result (G.I.)



FSR 2. Soft photons

This refers to the presence of soft radiation in the final state, together with radiation of a hard photon by the initial electron-positron which allows one to measure $\sigma(s' < s)$. One needs proper modelling to ensure that whatever FSR has been removed by the event selection criteria, is reintroduced for a proper measurement to get to the muon anomaly.

Not Quite Final Results from KLOE

I am reporting now on a precision measurement of the $\pi^+\pi^-$ cross section around the ρ region, performed with KLOE, with 2 million $\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$ events I wish to remind you why our first effort is concentrated in this energy region by showing the impact of related measurements on a_{μ} .

Let us remember that out of a contribution to a_{μ} of $\sim 685 \times 10^{-10}$, $\sim 441 \times 10^{-10}$ is due to the $\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$ channel, whose best measurement comes from CMD-2 at Novosibirsk with 110,000 events and a combination of τ data, in the $\pi^{\pm}\pi^{0}$ channels, from LEP and CESR, which appear to disagree.



KLOE contributions

1. a_{μ} . Comparison of measurement and calculations.



The situation is somewhat embarrassing: we can't say if there is agreement with experiment... there is possibly a problem with $\tau - e^+e^-$ data.



2. e^+e^- data are clearly lower than τ extracted info, around the ρ region





The disagreement is in fact stronger, when comparing BR: $\sim 6\%$ or $\sim 4.6\sigma$. 6% is a rather large *I*-spin violation!





KLOE can





$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma$$
 simplified

To lowest order, but only ISR, Binner, Kühn and Melnikov give:

$$\frac{d\sigma(\pi\pi\gamma)}{ds_{\pi}d\cos\theta_{\gamma}} = \frac{\alpha^{3}}{3s^{2}} |F_{\pi}(s_{\pi})|^{2} \beta_{\pi}^{3} \left[\frac{s^{2} + s_{\pi}^{2}}{s_{\pi}(s - s_{\pi})} \frac{1}{\sin^{2}\theta} - \frac{s - s_{\pi}}{2s_{\pi}} \right]$$

where $s_{\pi} = M_{\pi\pi}^2$ and $\beta_{\pi} = \sqrt{1 - 4m_{\pi}^2/s_{\pi}}$ is the pion velocity in the $\pi\pi$ system.

Integrating over $\cos \theta$, from $x_1 = \cos \theta_1$ to $x_2 = \cos \theta_2$ ($\theta_1 > \theta_2$) we get:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma(\pi\pi\gamma)}{\mathrm{d}s_{\pi}} = \frac{\alpha^{3}}{3ss_{\pi}} |F_{\pi}(s_{\pi})|^{2} \beta_{\pi}^{3} \times \left[\frac{1}{2}\frac{s^{2}+s_{\pi}^{2}}{s(s-s_{\pi})}\left(\log\frac{1+x_{2}}{1-x_{2}}+\log\frac{1-x_{1}}{1+x_{1}}\right)-\frac{s-s_{\pi}}{2s}\left(x_{2}-x_{1}\right)\right]$$



For
$$\theta < \theta_{\gamma} < 180 - \theta$$
, $x = \cos \theta$
$$\frac{d\sigma(\pi\pi\gamma)}{ds_{\pi}} = \frac{\alpha^{3}}{3ss_{\pi}} |F_{\pi}(s_{\pi})|^{2} \beta_{\pi}^{3} \left[\frac{s^{2} + s_{\pi}^{2}}{s(s - s_{\pi})} \log \frac{1 + x}{1 - x} - \frac{s - s_{\pi}}{2s} 2x \right]$$
$$= \frac{\alpha}{s\pi} \left[\frac{s^{2} + s_{\pi}^{2}}{s(s - s_{\pi})} \log \frac{1 + x}{1 - x} - \frac{s - s_{\pi}}{s} x \right] \sigma(\pi\pi, s_{\pi})$$

 $= H \times \sigma(\pi \pi, s_{\pi})$ Definition of *H*, the radiator function.







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From PHOKARA





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Magnet SC Coil, B=0.6 T

EM Calor. Pb-scint fiber 4880 pm

Drift Ch. 12582 sense wires 52140 tot wires

Al-Be beam pipe r=10 cm, 0.5 mm thick





 $\sigma_{\rm E}/{\rm E} = 5.7\% / \sqrt{{\rm E}({\rm GeV})}$ $\sigma_T = 54 \text{ ps} / \sqrt{E(\text{GeV})} \oplus 50 \text{ ps}$ (Bunch length contribution subtracted from constant term)



Electromagnetic calorimeter

Driftchamber



$$\sigma_p/p = 0.4\%$$
 (for 90⁰ tracks)
 $\sigma_{xy} \approx 150 \ \mu m, \ \sigma_z \approx 2 \ mm$



The photon momentum and angle are obtained from $\vec{p}_{\gamma} = -(\vec{p}_{\pi^+} + \vec{p}_{\pi^-}).$

Photons with $\theta < 15^{\circ}$ (> 165°) from the interaction region do not reach the calorimeter.

Pions are accepted for $40^{\circ} < \theta_{\pi} < 140^{\circ}$.





PHOKHARA for KLOE angular regions



FSR contribution is negligible for $\begin{aligned} \theta_{\gamma} < 15^{\circ} ~(> 165^{\circ}) \\ 40^{\circ} < \theta_{\pi^{+}\pi^{-}} < 140^{\circ} \end{aligned}$



$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma(\pi^{+}\pi^{-}\gamma)}{\mathrm{d}M_{\pi\pi}^{2}} = \frac{N^{\mathrm{obs}} - N^{\mathrm{bkg}}}{\Delta M_{\pi\pi}^{2}} \times \frac{1}{\epsilon_{\mathrm{sel}} \times \epsilon_{\mathrm{acc}}} \times \frac{1}{\mathcal{L}}$$

Signal
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma \ \sigma \sim 5-25 \text{ nb}$$

Some background processes $e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi \rightarrow K_S K_L$, $K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, K_L does not decay, $\sigma \sim 0.4 \mu b$ $e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi \rightarrow \rho \pi \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$, $\sigma \sim 0.5 \mu b$ Radiative Bhabha $\sim a$ fraction of μb – (large e^+e^- angles) $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\gamma$: for s' < 600 MeV $\sigma(\mu\mu\gamma)$ is larger than $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-\gamma)$.



$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)$$
 and $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$









 $\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$ events are selected requiring two opposite charged particles in the drift chamber, rather loosely coming from the interaction point. Most background events, such as $\phi \rightarrow K_S \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- + K_L$ not decaying and $\phi \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$, are removed early in reconstruction by kinematics and cuts on m_x , computed from

 $\left(M_{\phi} - \sqrt{p_{+}^{2} + m_{x}^{2}} - \sqrt{p_{-}^{2} + m_{x}^{2}} \right)^{2} - (\vec{p}_{+} + \vec{p}_{-})^{2} = 0,$ *i.e.* assuming that a pair of same mass particles are produced according to $e^{+}e^{-} \rightarrow x^{+}x^{-}\gamma$.

We do not want to apply restrictive kinematical requirements, or insist on multiple photon detection, to avoid imposing restrictive cuts on soft radiation, to be later corrected.

The observed mass, m_x , spectrum for the accepted two track events is shown below



Particle identification is obtained with an estimator that uses 3000 time of flight, compared to momentum, and the 2000 energy deposit pattern in the EM calorimeter. Its effectiveness is apparent. At least one of the two particle must be a pion, $\sim 95\%$ of the signal is retained.

 m_x spectrum for candidates





Distribution in the $\{M^2, m_x\}$ plane

Fiducial region in the $\{M_{\pi^+\pi^-}, m_x\}$ plane.





$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ and $\mu^+\mu^-\gamma$ background subtraction

Backgrounds are estimated from data and subtracted. Monte Carlo simulations are in excellent agreement





Radiative Bhabha, $e^+e^-\gamma$, background





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Background is removed by m_x cut.



Efficiencies

Trigger Includes CR veto

Reconstr. Filter

Event Classification

Track eff, vertex eff

PID

like

 m_x

mtrk





Measuring the luminosity

Acceptance:

Comparison DATA – MC to understand systematic effect Normalize to same number of events _____ Monte Carlo



Only Polar Angle makes an non-negligible effect, the other distributions are "safe" what concerns systematics

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SUMMARY LUMI SYSTEMATIC ERROR

Theory	0.5%	
Acceptance	0.3%	correct by 0.28%
Knowledge √s	0.1%	
Background	0.1%	correct by 0.53%
Tracking	0.1%	
Clustering	0.1%	correct by 0.23%
Trigger	<0.1 %	correct by 0.51%

Total 0.5% th., 0.4% exp.

⊜0.6%



Luminosity comparisons

BHABHA 1. BABAYAGA (Pavia, Carloni et al.) 2. BHAGEN (Modified Berends) $\sigma(VLAB, 1)=428.8\pm0.3 \text{ nb}$ $\sigma(VLAB, 1)=428.5\pm0.3 \text{ nb}$ diff. 0.1±0.1 %

Large angle $\gamma\gamma$. $45^{\circ} < \theta_{\gamma} < 135^{\circ}$, $\sigma=120$ nb $|\mathcal{L}(\mathsf{BHABHA})-\mathcal{L}(\gamma\gamma)|=0.2$ %



 $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-\gamma)$





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KLOE dipion mass resolution has been unfolded from the spectrum after all corrections





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PION FORM FACTOR

From

$$\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-, s_\pi) = \frac{1}{H} \frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma(\pi\pi\gamma)}{\mathrm{d}s_\pi}$$

and

$$\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-, s_\pi) = \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{3e_\pi}\beta^3 |f_\pi|^2$$

we get the pion form factor.

 $H(s_{\pi})$ is obtained from PHOKHARA with $F_{\pi}=1$.





The KLOE $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^$ cross section extracted from the measured $\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$ cross section above, compared with CMD-2 results.





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A discrepancy at low mass is evident PRELIMINARY!





* our calculation, we

VP correc. (like us)

use values w/o FSR and

$$a_{\mu} \propto \int \sigma(s_{\pi}) K(s_{\pi}) \mathrm{d}s$$

KLOEPRELIMINARY $\Delta a_{\mu} = 424.7$ $0.30 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.95 \text{ GeV}^2$ $\Delta a_{\mu} = 381.4$ $0.37 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.93 \text{ GeV}^2$ $\Delta a_{\mu} = 240.1$ $0.50 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.93 \text{ GeV}^2$ CMD-2 ($\Delta a_{\mu} = 368.1$) $0.37 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.93 \text{ GeV}^2$ $\Delta a_{\mu} = 376.7^*$ $0.37 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.93 \text{ GeV}^2$ $\Delta a_{\mu} = 241.4^*$ $0.50 < M_{\pi\pi}^2 < 0.93 \text{ GeV}^2$

1/2 % agreement with CMD-2 above 0.5 GeV² VP and FSR corrections need checking!







What's next for KLOE Measure large photon angle region

1. Access The Low Mass Region





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There have been no recent measurement of $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-)$ at small mass. It is worth noting however that the region from threshold to $M_{\pi\pi} < 600$ MeV ($s_{\pi} < 0.36$ GeV², contributes $\sim 80 \times 10^{-10}$ to the muon anomaly.

By choosing small values for θ_{γ} we removed some problems with FSR but lost the pions recoiling against the photon, inside the unaccessible forward and backward cones.

By going to the large angle photon region, KLOE will recover this portion of the cross section.



2. At large angle we can also study the scalar meson contribution to σ (hadrons) proposed by Narison.

Photon tag *i.e.* photon is detected $45^{\circ} < \theta_{\gamma} < 145^{\circ}$

Fit improves if a σ contribtion is added





3. Measure pion angular distribution.



With more information it will also be possible to clarify the validity of present modelling of FSR or learn how to deal with it better.

