Calculation of the Vacuum Polarization

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- × Used in calculation of radiative correction
- x to calculate "bare" cross-section

used in some dispersion integral

× to calculate $\alpha(M_Z^2)$

which is used in predictions of electroweak model the least known EW parameter from G_, M_, $\alpha(M_Z^2)$



"Bare" & "dressed"

Vacuum polarization - sum of all loop correction for the photon propagator $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma * \rightarrow everything$ "dressed" cross sections measured cross sections Used in hadron spectroscopy (to get rho-meson mass,width, ...)

> "bare" cross sections without vacuum polarization used in R for some dispersion integral



How has P(s) been calculated in past?

- * Well known analytical expressions for lepton Born cross sections were used. Today it is not enough to get P(s) with 0.05% accuracy.
- * Experimental values for hadronic cross sections were used to evaluate hadronic contribution to P(s). It was done early a little not correctly! How lepton and hadron parts of P(s) should be calculated to improve it's accuracy?
- * It is necessary to take into account all first order in a QED corrections. Two effects - namely: FSR and Coulomb interaction in final state should be incorporated into Born cross sections (it was done early for electrons only).
- × For hadronic cross sections it is enough to do for π + π and K+K- channels only. They gives dominant contribution at low energies.
- * To obtain hadronic Born cross section VP effects must be removed from "dress" cross section.



Vacuum polarization

VP can be calculated from dispersion relation, based on analyticity and unitarity

$$P(s), \Pi(s) = \frac{s}{4\pi^2 \alpha} \left[PV \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma_{ee \to \gamma \to everything}^{bare, dressed}(s') ds'}{s - s'} - i \sigma_{ee \to \gamma \to everything}^{bare, dressed}(s) + P(s) = P_{leptons}(s) + P_{hadrons}(s) \right]$$



Leptonic contribution



At final, the contribution was evaluated from dispersion integral with inclusion of FSR, Coulomb factor and vacuum polarization:

 $\sigma_{ee \to \gamma^* \to ll(\gamma)}^{dress} = \sigma_{ee \to \gamma^* \to ll}^{Born} (1 + \frac{2\alpha}{\pi} \delta_l^{FSR} - \frac{z}{2}) f(z) |1 + \Pi(s)|^2, \quad \delta_l^{FSR} \to 3/8$ Vacuum polarization was included <u>iteratively</u>

× with final state radiation

- x in addition exact Coulomb interaction
- x with vacuum polarization ("dressed" cross sections)

Muons cross section are deviated by ~ 6% and ~25%



narrow resonances



× As Input: It was used all available experimental data $e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons$

(except of old data, which are inconsistent with new data)

ACO, BABAR, BBar, BCF, BES, CBALL, CMD, CMD2, DASP, DM1, DM2, FENICE, GG2, LENA, M3N, MARK2, MD1, MEA, MUPI, ND, OLYA, PLUTO, SND, SPEAR, TOF

- Some old experiments was corrected for vacuum polarization, when they used only leptonic contribution in VP (in luminosity determination from ee or in hadrons cross sections itself) (OLYA, CMD etc.)
- × It was used exclusive channels for energies less than 2 GeV
- × from isospin $\sigma(K\bar{K}\pi\pi)=2\sigma(K^+K^-\pi\pi), \ \sigma(K_L\pi K)=\sigma(K_s\pi K)$ relations: $\sigma(K\bar{K}\pi^0)=2\sigma(K^+K^-\pi^0)$

 $\mathbf{x} \sigma(\pi^0 \pi^0 \gamma)$ from $\sigma(\omega \pi^0)$, $\sigma(3\pi\gamma)$ from $\sigma(\omega \pi^+ \pi^-)$ and $\sigma(\eta \pi^+ \pi^-)$ \mathbf{x} For s>10 GeV it was used pQCD



Averaging Data from Different Experiments

× Integration was done by trapezoidal method. Integration of one dataset have form:

$$\Pi_{k \exp}(s) = A \sum_{\sigma_i} \sigma_i(C_i(s) - i \pi D_i(s))$$

$$\sigma_i - \text{experimental point}$$

* Than you can calculate error matrix for needed energy range and some experiment

 $\langle \delta \Pi(s) \delta \Pi(s) \rangle$

- Integration region was divided on intervals, which are correspond to energy range of some experiments or intersection between different experiments
- * Averaging of different experiments was done by

$$\chi^{2} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{N_{exp}} \sum_{i} [P_{i,k} - (1 + \lambda_{k} \alpha_{i,k}) P_{i}^{fit}]^{2}}{\sigma_{i,k}^{2} (stat)} + \sum_{k=1}^{N_{exp}} \lambda_{k}^{2}, \quad \alpha_{i,k} = \sigma_{i,k} (syst) / P_{i}^{k}$$

All experimental data



Φ meson



Inclusive Hadronic Cross-Sections with CMD2&SND



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Comparison of calculated vacuum polarization with "bare" and "dress" cross sections

 $|1 + \Pi(s)|^2 |1 - P(s)|^2 - 1$



Precision of Vacuum Polarization

Except of resonances, statistical precision is ~ 0.05%



Vacuum Polarization



Summary

- × For processes e+e- \rightarrow e+e- + γ , e+e- \rightarrow μ + μ + γ , e+e- \rightarrow τ + τ -+ γ , e+ e- \rightarrow π + π - + γ , K+K-+ γ total cross section are calculated with first order a corrections.
- * Coulomb interaction in FS taken into account correctly without expansion in series a/v (integration from threshold).
- * Hadron contribution to operator II(s) is calculated using "dress " cross sections
- * "Bare" cross sections with first order a corrections are required for different dispersion evaluations (VP is removed).
- × Analytical expression for narrow resonance contribution to operator $\Pi(s)$ is derived in compact form.
- Vacuum polarization effects in propagator of virtual photon was evaluated with accuracy better than 0.05 % in VEPP-2000 energy region
- * $\Delta \alpha (M_Z^2), 10^{-4} = 592.17 \pm 1.38$ from bare, 592.26 ± 1.45 from dress

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591.1 +- 1.7 with inclusive at 1.43 - 2 GeV

(from previous paper exclusive higher by 1.4)

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