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***Dispersion relations and Renormalization  
group:  
QCD calculation of pion-photon transition  
form factor***

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## Exclusive hard process

$$\gamma(q^2 \simeq 0)\gamma^*(Q^2) \rightarrow \pi^0$$

## Pion-photon transition form factor

at large standard QCD corrections

within Light Cone Sum Rules

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# OUTLINE

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1. **Intro**: Experimental and Theoretical motivations to modify fixed order pQCD (**FOPT**) calculation of transition FF for  $\gamma\gamma^*(Q^2) \rightarrow \pi^0$  at low  $Q^2$ .
2. Current status of Light Cone SR (**LCSR**) predictions in **N<sup>2</sup>LO <sub>$\beta_0$</sub>  FOPT**
3. **Dispersive form for pion TFF + RG generates** a “New” perturbation theory - **fractional APT**. Behavior of **FAPT** couplings.
4. **Light cone sum rules within FAPT**: new prediction for the pion-photon TFF
5. **Conclusions**

# Experimental status of pion transition FF

## Why it is interesting for QCD?

The measurements of TFF is the **clean** experiment that has **the best accuracy (BESIII!)** among others exclusive hard reactions

**CELLO (1991)**  $Q^2 : 0.7 - 2.2 \text{ GeV}^2$

**CLEO (1998)**  $Q^2 : 1.6 - 8.0 \text{ GeV}^2$

agrees with collinear QCD

**BaBar (2009)**  $Q^2 : 4 - 40 \text{ GeV}^2$

TFF has growing tendency with  $Q^2$  creating the “BaBar puzzle”

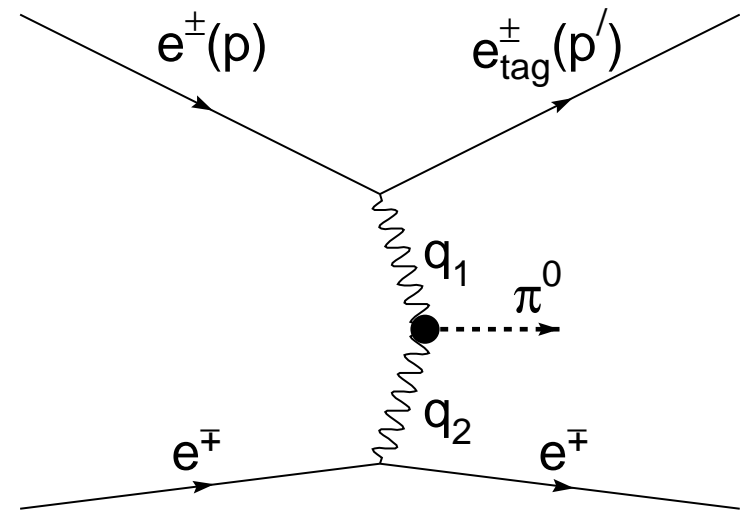
**Belle (2012)**  $Q^2 : 4 - 40 \text{ GeV}^2$

returns to collinear QCD

**BESIII (2019)**  $Q^2 : 0.3 - 3.1 \text{ GeV}^2$

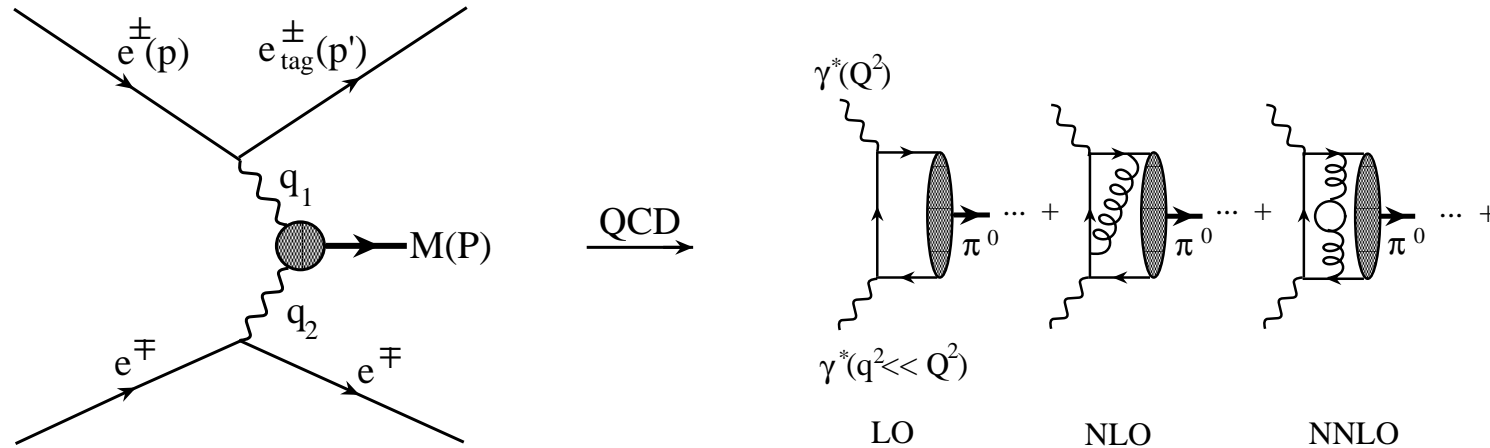
Promising very precise data

(preliminary, arXiv:1810.00654)



# Theoretical status of the pion TFF

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Theoretical advances in both parts of **QCD factorization**:

- **high order NNLO <sub>$\beta$</sub>  contribution**  $O(\alpha_s^2 \beta_0)$  to the hard part;
- **distrib. amplit. (BMS2001 & QCDSR) of twist-2** for pion part;
- **contributions from twist-4 and corrections a'la twist-6**.

3 steps to TFF: Perturbative & twist expansion;

Dispersive representation in  $q^2$  for LCSR ,  
LCSR with duality interval  $s_0$  for  $q^2 \rightarrow 0$ .

# Theoretical status of pion TFF in QCD FOPT

Hard process at  $-Q^2, -q^2 \gg m_\rho^2 \Rightarrow$  collinear factorization

$$F_{\text{FOPT}}^{(\text{tw}=2)}(Q^2, q^2) = N_T (T_{\text{LO}} + a_s T_{\text{NLO}} + a_s^2 T_{\text{NNLO}} + \dots) \otimes \varphi_\pi^{(2)}$$

$$T_{\text{LO}} = a_s^0 T_0(x) \equiv 1 / (q^2 \bar{y} + Q^2 y)$$

$$a_s T_{\text{NLO}} = a_s^1 T_0(y) \otimes \left[ \mathcal{T}^{(1)} + \underline{L V_0} \right] (y, x),$$

$$a_s^2 T_{\text{NNLO}} = a_s^2 T_0(y) \otimes \left[ \mathcal{T}^{(2)} - \underline{L \mathcal{T}^{(1)} \beta_0} + \underline{L \mathcal{T}^{(1)} \otimes V_0} - \frac{L^2}{2} \beta_0 V_0 + \frac{L^2}{2} V_0 \otimes V_0 + \underline{\underline{L V_1}} \right] (y, x),$$

$L = L(y) = \ln [(q^2 \bar{y} + Q^2 y) / \mu_F^2]$  Plain terms  $\mathcal{T}^{(1)}, \mathcal{T}^{(2)}$  ( $\mathcal{T}_\beta^{(2)}$ ) -

corrections to parton subprocess;

Underlined terms due to  $\bar{a}_s(y)$  and ERBL,  $V_0$  - kernel;

underlined term - two loops ERBL,  $V_1$  - kernel.

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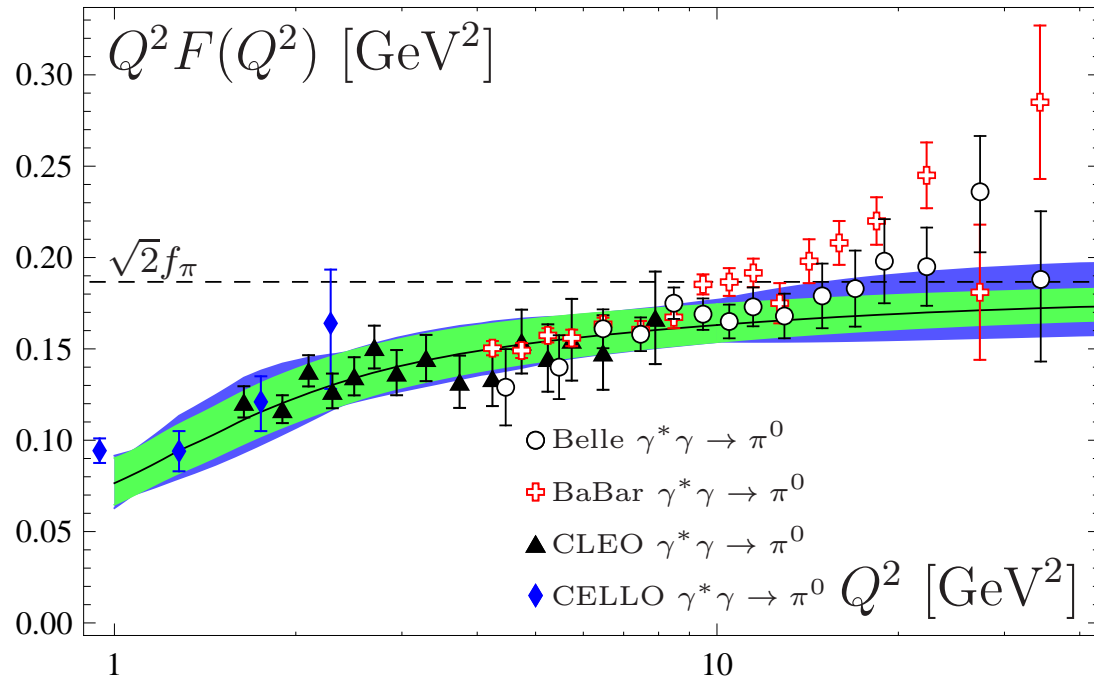
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# Status of Light Cone Sum Rules at N<sup>2</sup>LO

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# Pion TFF in LCSR in FOPT vs exp. data

Theor. predictions on  $F_{\gamma\gamma^*\pi}$ : LCSR  $\oplus$  N<sup>2</sup>LO  $\oplus$  DA BMS  $\oplus$  tw4,6



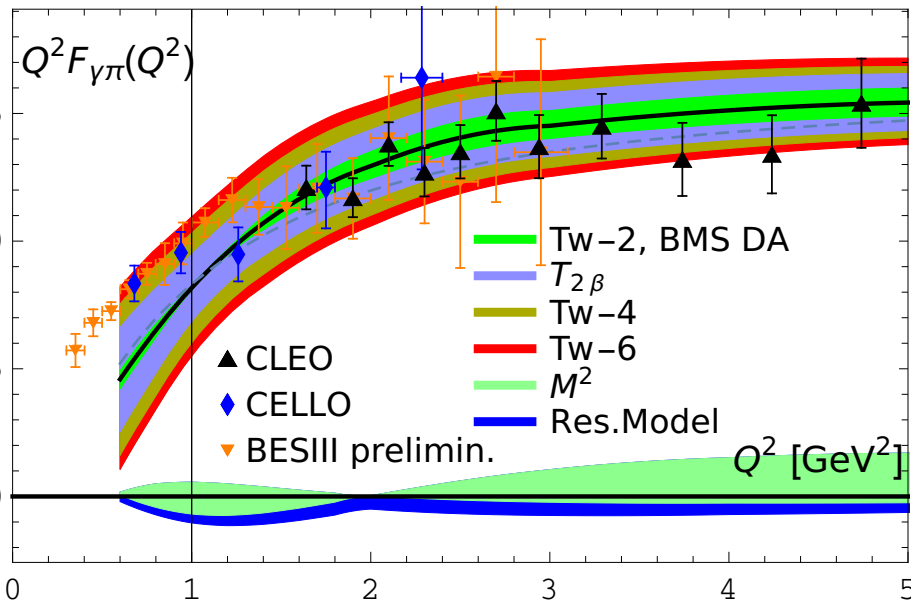
Data	Collab.
◆	CELLO (1991)
▲	CLEO (1998)
⊕	BaBar (2009)
○	Belle (2012)
	BMPS result(2013)

BMPS: Bakulev, MS, Pimikov, Stefanis

The data points which agree well with BMSP LCSR predictions  
**CELLO**, **CLEO**, **BaBar**  $Q^2 < 9 \text{ GeV}^2$  (2009), **BaBar**  $\eta, \eta'$  (2011), the most  
of Belle (2012)  
New development for analysis of all experimental data in  
[\[1904.02631, Stefanis\]](#).



# Pion TFF in LCSR in FOPT vs exp. data



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**Challenge !**

**Total rad. corrections**

**-18% at 3 GeV<sup>2</sup>**

**Source**

**Uncertainty (%)**

**Unknown NNLO term  $\mathcal{T}_c^{(2)}$**

$\mp 5$

**Range of Tw-2 BMS DAs**

$-3.4 \div 4.1$

**Tw-4 coupling  $\delta^2 = [0.152 - 0.228] \text{ GeV}^2$**

$\pm 3.0$

**Tw-6  $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2 = (0.24 \pm 0.01)^6 \text{ GeV}^2$**

$-2.4 \div 3.0$

**Total**

$-13.6 \div 14.9$

# Pion TFF in pQCD with RG improvement

Collecting all of the "underlined" terms of RG-evolution into  $a_s(\mu^2) \rightarrow \bar{a}_s(y) \equiv \bar{a}_s(q^2 \bar{y} + Q^2 y)$  and ERBL-factor.

$$F^{(\text{tw}=2)}(Q^2, q^2) = N_{\mathbf{T}} T_0(y) \otimes_y \left\{ \left[ 1 + \bar{a}_s(y) \mathcal{T}^{(1)}(y, x) + \bar{a}_s^2(y) \mathcal{T}^{(2)}(y, x) + \dots \right] \otimes_x \exp \left[ - \int_{a_s}^{\bar{a}_s(y)} d\alpha \frac{V(\alpha; x, z)}{\beta(\alpha)} \right] \right\} \otimes_z \varphi_\pi^{(2)}(z, \mu^2),$$

$$\varphi_\pi^{(2)}(x, \mu^2) = \psi_0(x) + \sum_{n=2,4,\dots}^{\infty} b_n(\mu^2) \psi_n(x) - \text{Gegenbauer harmonics}$$

$$F^{(\text{tw}=2)}(Q^2, q^2) = F_0^{\text{RG}}(Q^2, q^2) + \sum_{n=2,4,\dots}^{\infty} b_n(\mu^2) F_n^{\text{RG}}(Q^2, q^2)$$

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One loop resummed result,  $\nu_n = \gamma_n / 2\beta_0$

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**Dispersive form for pion TFF + RG**

**a “New” perturbation theory -  
fractional APT.**

**Properties of FAPT couplings.**

# Dispersive form of TFF leads to fractional APT

$$[F_{(1l)n}(Q^2, q^2)]_{\text{an}} = \int_{m^2}^{\infty} \frac{\rho_F(Q^2, \sigma)}{\sigma + q^2 - i\epsilon} d\sigma, \quad \rho_F(\sigma) = \frac{\text{Im}}{\pi} [F_{(1l)n}(Q^2, -\sigma)]$$

Appear the **FAPT**  $\mathcal{A}_\nu, \mathfrak{A}_\nu$  couplings + a New one -  $\mathcal{I}_\nu!$

$$\nu(0)=0; F_{(1l),0}^{\text{FAPT}}(Q^2, q^2; m^2) = N_T T_0(Q^2, q^2; y) \otimes_y \left\{ 1 + \mathbb{A}_1(m^2, y) \mathcal{T}^{(1)}(y, x) \right\} \otimes_x \psi_0(x)$$

$$\nu(n) \neq 0; F_{(1l),n}^{\text{FAPT}}(Q^2, q^2; m^2) = \frac{N_T}{a_s^{\nu_n}(\mu^2)} T_0(Q^2, q^2; y) \otimes_y \left\{ \mathbb{A}_{\nu_n}(m^2, y) 1 + \mathbb{A}_{1+\nu_n}(m^2, y) \mathcal{T}^{(1)}(y, x) \right\} \otimes_x \psi_n(x)$$

The same expression as for **RG**-case,  $\mathbb{A}_\nu(m^2, y) \Leftrightarrow \bar{a}_s^\nu(y)$

$$\mathbb{A}_\nu(m^2, y) = \mathcal{I}_\nu(m^2, Q(y)) - \mathfrak{A}_\nu(m^2); \quad \mathbb{A}_\nu(0, y) = \mathcal{A}_\nu(Q(y)) - \mathfrak{A}_\nu(0)$$

the certain kinematics enters **by means of**  $Q(y) \equiv q^2 \bar{y} + Q^2 y$

# Dispersive “Källén–Lehmann” representation

Different effective couplings in **Euclidean**,  $\mathcal{A}_n$ , and **Minkowsk.**,  $\mathfrak{A}_n$ , regions  $\bar{a}_s^n \rightarrow \{\mathcal{A}_n, \mathfrak{A}_n\}$  [Shirkov&Solovtsov1997-07]

$$[f(Q^2)]_{\text{an}} = \int_0^\infty \frac{\rho_f(\sigma)}{\sigma + Q^2 - i\epsilon} d\sigma, \quad \rho_n(\sigma) = \frac{\text{Im}}{\pi} [\bar{a}_s^n(-\sigma)] \beta_0$$

For 1 loop run (here **pole remover**),  $L = \ln(Q^2/\Lambda^2)$ :

$$\rho_1(\sigma) \stackrel{\text{1l}}{=} \frac{1}{L_\sigma^2 + \pi^2}$$

$$\mathcal{A}_1[L] = \int_0^\infty \frac{\rho_1(\sigma)}{\sigma + Q^2} d\sigma \stackrel{\text{1l}}{=} \frac{1}{L} - \frac{1}{e^L - 1}$$

$$\mathfrak{A}_1[L_s] = \int_s^\infty \frac{\rho_1(\sigma)}{\sigma} d\sigma \stackrel{\text{1l}}{=} \frac{1}{\pi} \arccos \frac{L_s}{\sqrt{\pi^2 + L_s^2}}$$

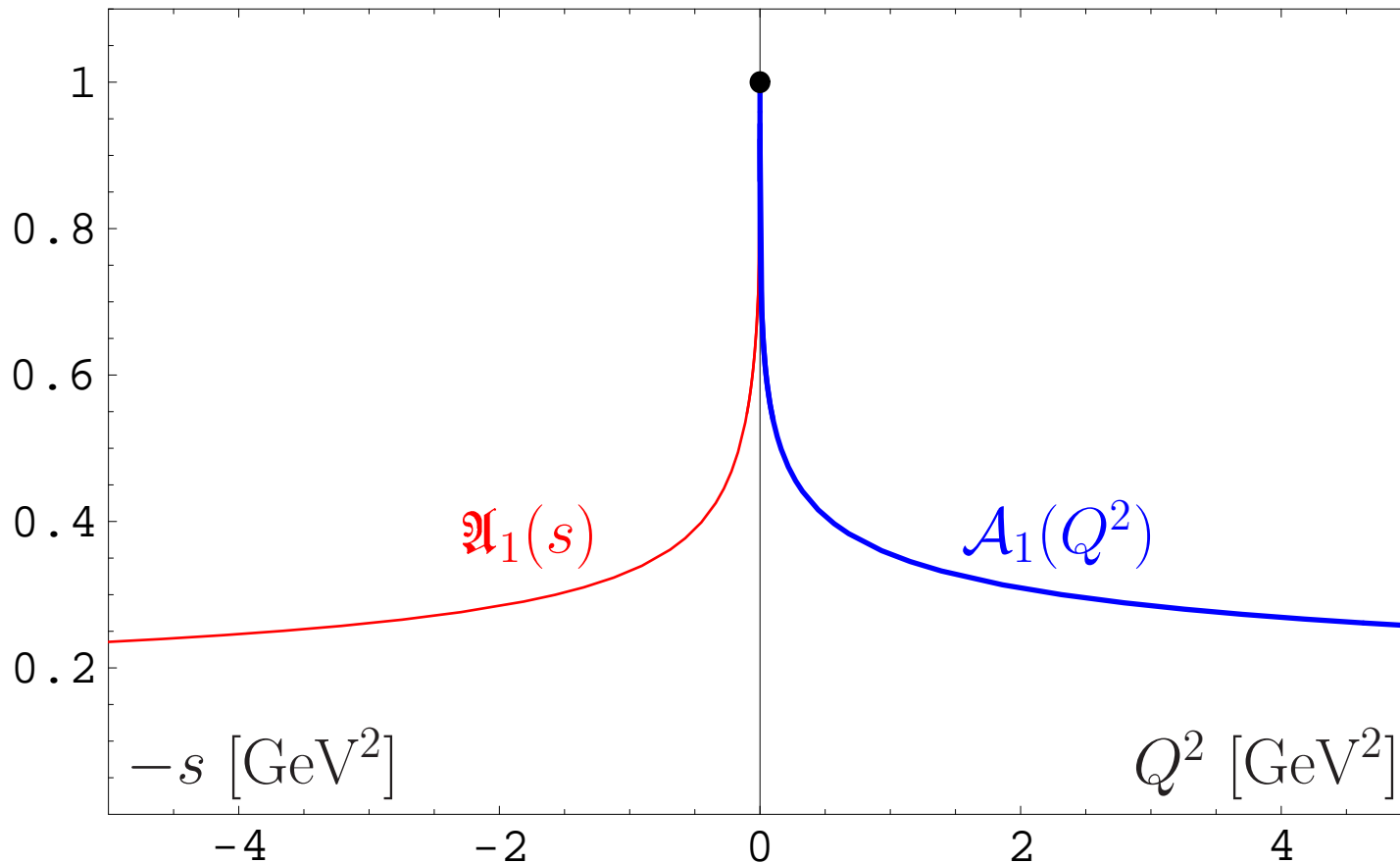
**Inequality:**

$$a_s^n[L] > (\mathcal{A}_n[L], \mathfrak{A}_n[L]) \xrightarrow{L \rightarrow \infty} a_s^n[L]$$

# APT: Distorting mirror

[Shirkov&Solovtsov1997-2007]

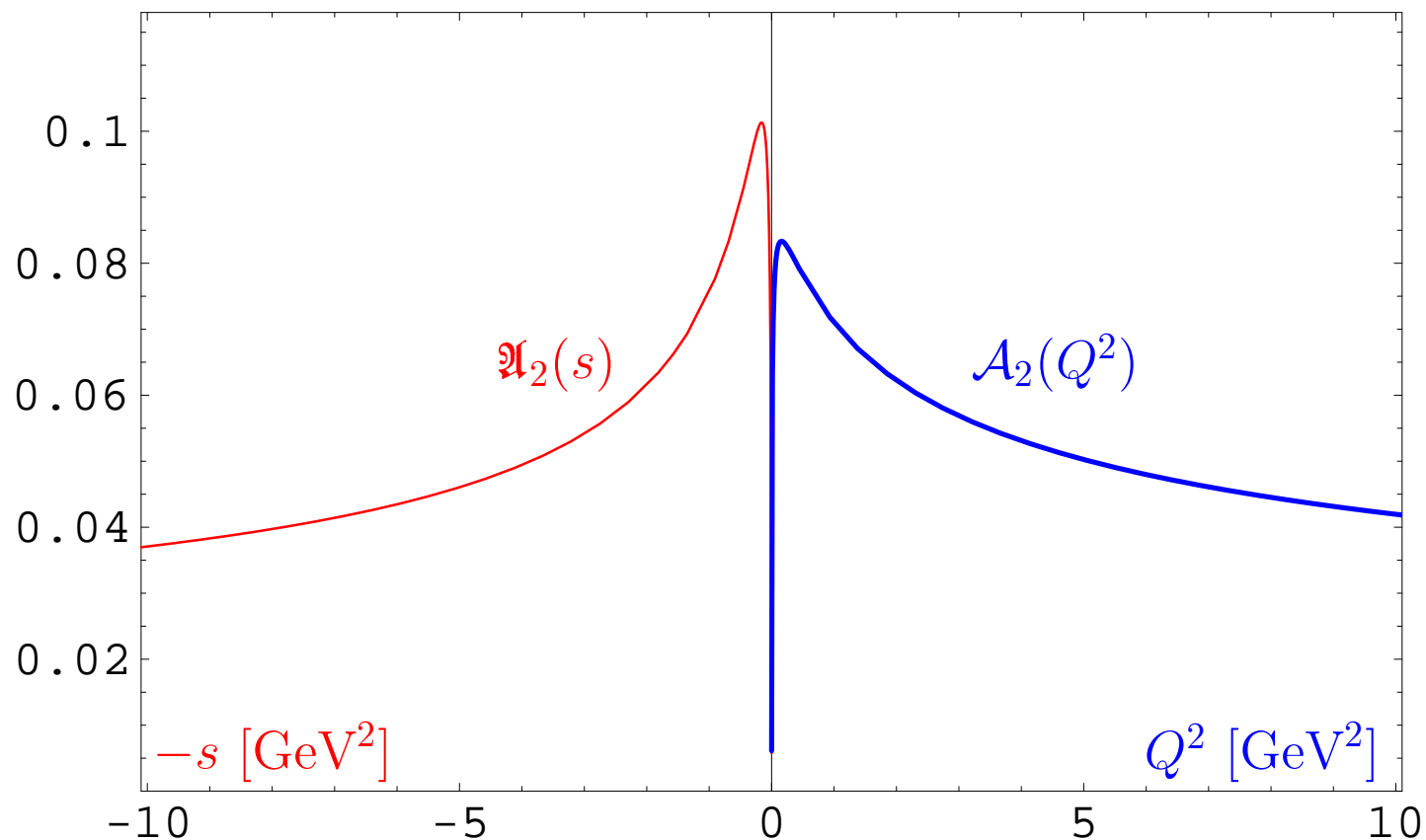
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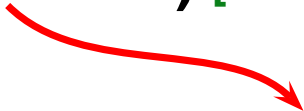
Second, square-images:  $\mathfrak{A}_2(s)$  and  $\mathcal{A}_2(Q^2)$



# **FAPT(Eucl): Properties of $\mathcal{A}_\nu[L]$**

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Euclidean coupling ( **pole remover**) [Bakulev,MS,Stefanis 2005-07]:


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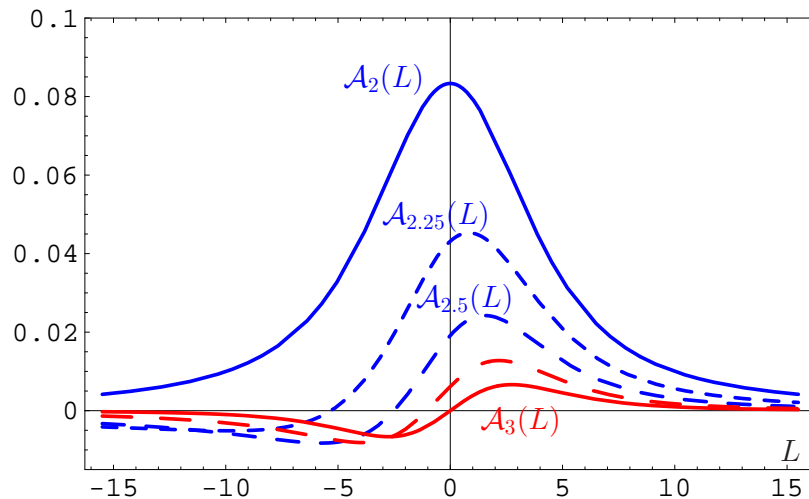
$\mathcal{A}_\nu[-\infty] = (\infty)^{1-\nu}$  for  $\nu < 1$  i.e.,

$\mathcal{A}_\nu(Q^2 \rightarrow 0)$  becomes Unbounded for  $\nu < 1$

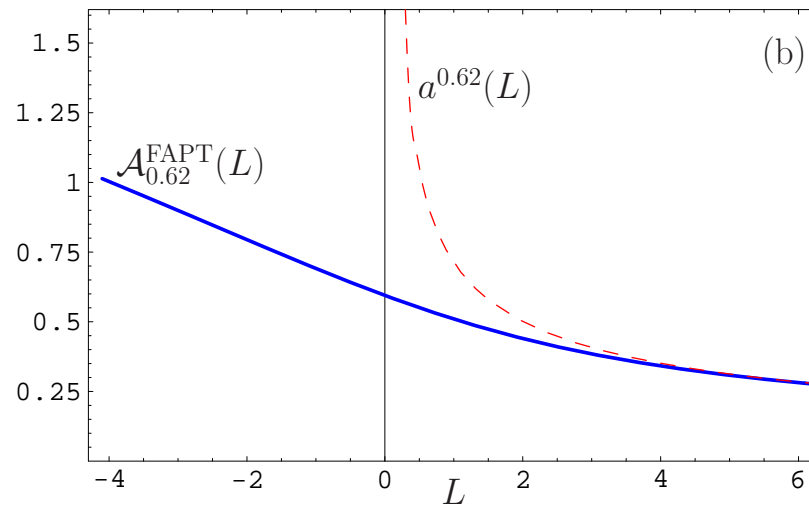
# FAPT(Eucl): $\mathcal{A}_\nu[L]$ versus $L$

$$\mathcal{A}_\nu[L] = \frac{1}{L^\nu} - \frac{F(e^{-L}, 1 - \nu)}{\Gamma(\nu)}$$

Fractional  $\nu \in [2, 3]$  :



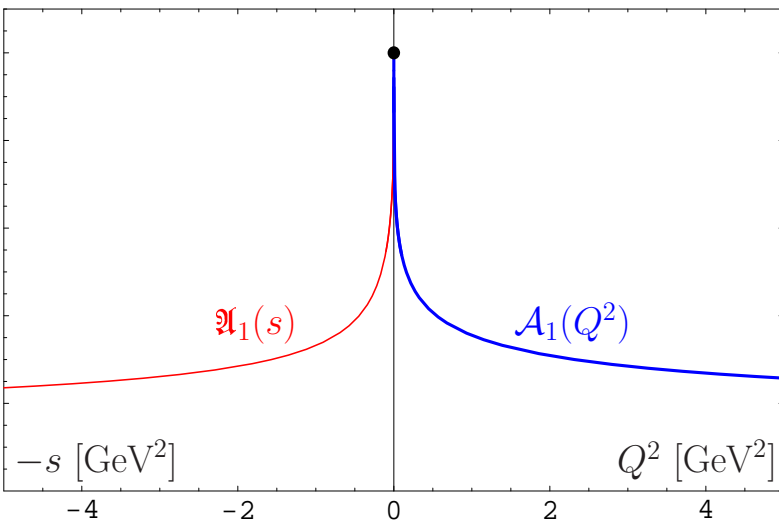
Comparison with  $\bar{a}_s^\nu[L]$ :



where  $\nu = 0.62 = \gamma_2/2\beta_0$

$$\bar{a}_s^{1+\nu}[L] \gg \mathcal{A}_{1+\nu}[L] \gg \mathcal{A}_{2+\nu}[L] \text{ at } L \sim 1$$

# *PT vs FAPT for partial TFF. Conclusion.*



This behavior in the vicinity of  $Q^2 = 0$   
is not appropriate!

$\mathfrak{A}_1(0), \mathcal{A}_1(0)$  should be equal to 0

To hold the correspondence with PT asymptotics  
we put “calibrated FAPT” condition:

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**Light Cone Sum Rules within FAPT,  
New prediction for the pion TFF**

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# The partial $TFF_{LCSR}$

$$Q^2 F_{LCSR;0}^{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) = \boxed{\text{standard Born term +twist-4,6}} + \dots$$

$$N_T \left\{ \int_0^{\bar{x}_0} \psi_0(x) \frac{dx}{\bar{x}} + \frac{Q^2}{m_\rho^2} \int_{\bar{x}_0}^1 \exp\left(\frac{m_\rho^2}{M^2} - \frac{Q^2 \bar{x}}{M^2 x}\right) \psi_0(x) \frac{dx}{x} + \text{twist-4,6} + \right. \\ \left. \left( \frac{\mathbb{A}_1(\mathbf{0}, s_0; \mathbf{x})}{\mathbf{x}} \right) \otimes_x \mathcal{T}^{(1)}(x, y) \otimes_y \psi_0(y) + \right. \\ \left. \frac{Q^2}{m_\rho^2} \int_{\bar{x}_0}^1 \exp\left(\frac{m_\rho^2}{M^2} - \frac{Q^2 \bar{x}}{M^2 x}\right) \frac{dx}{x} \Delta_1(\mathbf{0}, \bar{\mathbf{x}}) \mathcal{T}^{(1)}(\bar{x}, y) \otimes \psi_0(y) + O(\mathbb{A}_2) \right\},$$

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**Specific couplings for the case of LCSR,**  $x_0 = s_0/(s_0 + Q^2)$ ,

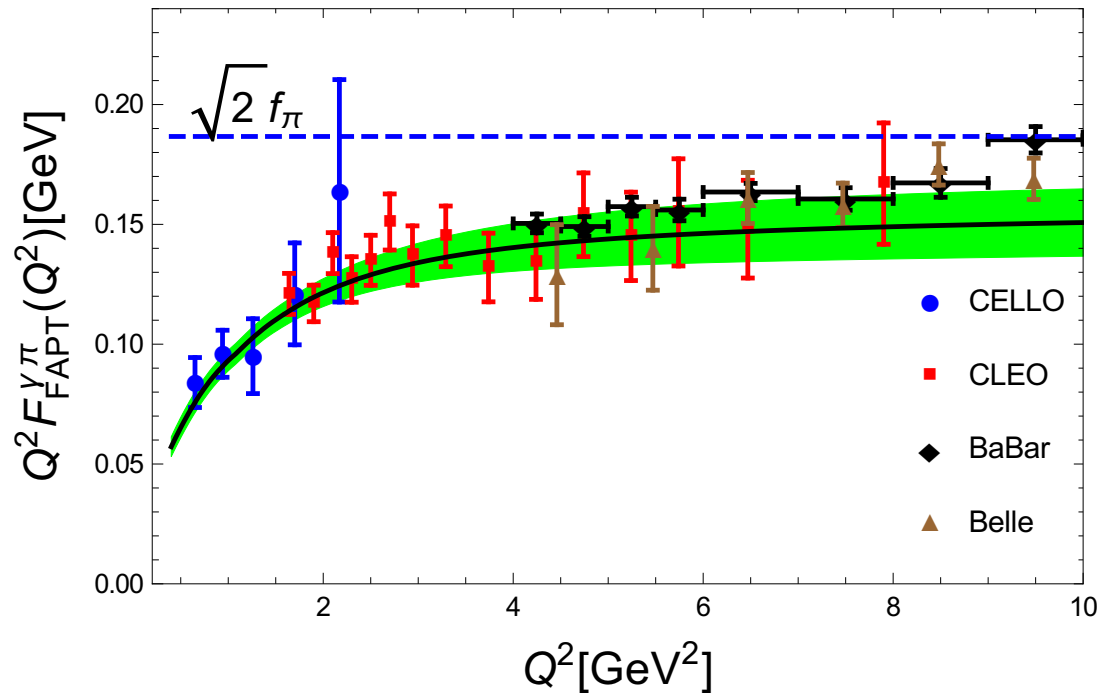
$$\mathbb{A}_\nu(\mathbf{0}, s_0; x) = \theta(x \geq x_0) [\mathcal{A}_\nu(Q(x)) - \mathcal{A}_\nu(0)] + \\ \theta(x < x_0) [\mathcal{I}_\nu(s_0(x), Q(x)) - \mathfrak{A}_\nu(s_0(x))],$$

$$\Delta_\nu(\mathbf{0}, x) = \mathbb{A}_\nu(0; x) - \mathbb{A}_\nu(0, s_0; x),$$

$$s_0(x) = s_0 \bar{x} - Q^2 x; \quad s_0(x_0) = 0.$$

# $TFF_{LCSR}$ in $FAPT$ vs the experimental data

$$F_{LCSR}^{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) = F_{LCSR;0}^{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) + \sum_{n=2,4} b_n(\mu^2) F_{LCSR;n}^{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) + \text{Tw-4,6}$$

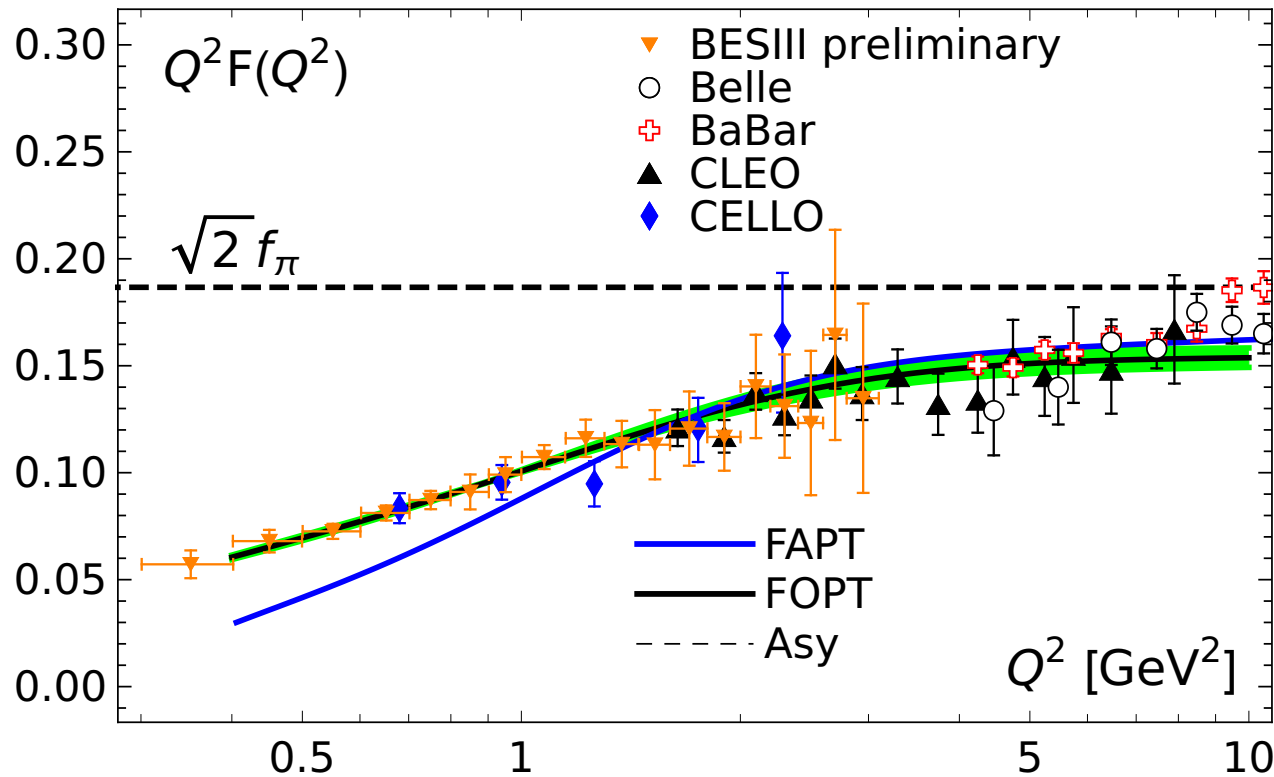


**Green strip shows the theoretical uncertainties of  $Q^2 F_{LCSR}^{\gamma\pi}(Q^2)$  at the BMS DA  $\{1, b_2, b_4\}$**   
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**Black line & green strip around - FAPT predictions to  $Q^2 F_{LCSR}^{\gamma\pi}$**

**Blue line - FOPT prediction at  $N^2LO$  to  $Q^2 F_{LCSR}^{\gamma\pi}$**

**The single fitted parameter is the scale of Tw-6  $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2$ , taken at its high admissible bound  $(0.25)^6 \text{ GeV}^2$ .**

# CONCLUSIONS

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- **Fractional APT** provides a **natural tool** to apply **APT** approach for renormalization group improved perturbative amplitudes.
- The applicability of the **FAPT** to exclusive processes demands **new boundary conditions** for the **FAPT** couplings,  $\mathcal{A}_\nu(0) = \mathfrak{A}_\nu(0) = 0, \forall \nu$  as a “feedback”
- **LCSRs** augmented with RG summation of radiative corrections yield (with endpoint-suppressed **BMS DA**) transition FF with improved  $Q^2$  behavior and **extends** the domain of **QCD applicability below 1 GeV<sup>2</sup>**
- This approach of **LCSR with FAPT** is best-suited for announced **BESIII data with high precision** and good describes them.

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# Generalized FAPT:

# STORE

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# **Analytic Perturbation Theory in QCD, Inclusive processes.**

**“Take care of Principles  
and the Principles  
will take care of you”**

**D. Shirkov & I. Solovtsov, PRL79 (1997) 1209;  
Theor. Math. Phys. 150 (2007) 132**

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- $\mathcal{A}_n^{(l)} = \hat{D}[\mathfrak{A}_n^{(l)}] \equiv Q^2 \int_0^\infty \frac{\mathfrak{A}_n^{(l)}(\sigma)}{(\sigma+Q^2)^2} d\sigma$

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UV asymptotics



Dispersive represent.

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# Spectral representation

By analytization we mean “Källén–Lehmann” representation

$$[f(Q^2)]_{\text{an}} = \int_0^\infty \frac{\rho_f(\sigma)}{\sigma + Q^2 - i\epsilon} d\sigma$$

the **main hero** is the spectral density  $\rho_n(\sigma) = \frac{\text{Im}}{\pi} [a_s^n(-\sigma)] \beta_0^n$  :

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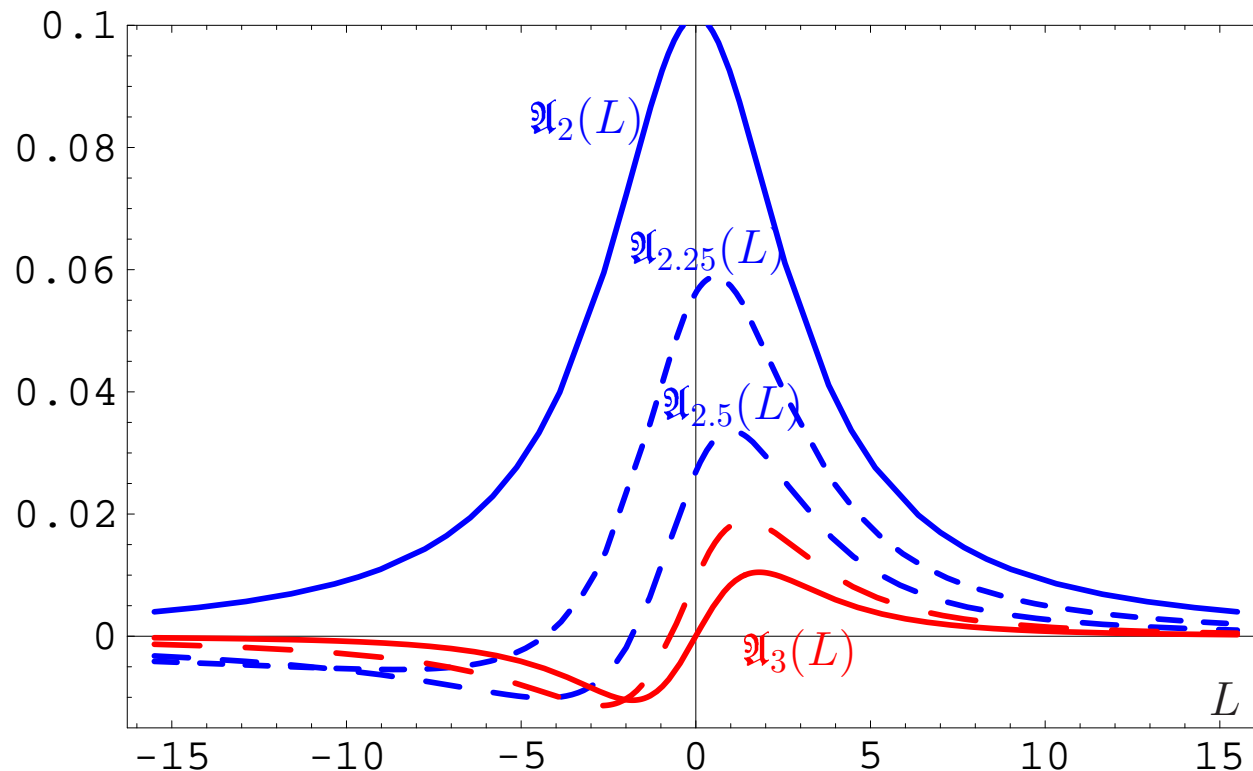
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i.e.,  $\mathfrak{A}_\nu(Q^2 \rightarrow 0)$  becomes Unbounded

# *FAPT(M): Graphics of $\mathfrak{A}_\nu[L]$ vs. $L$*

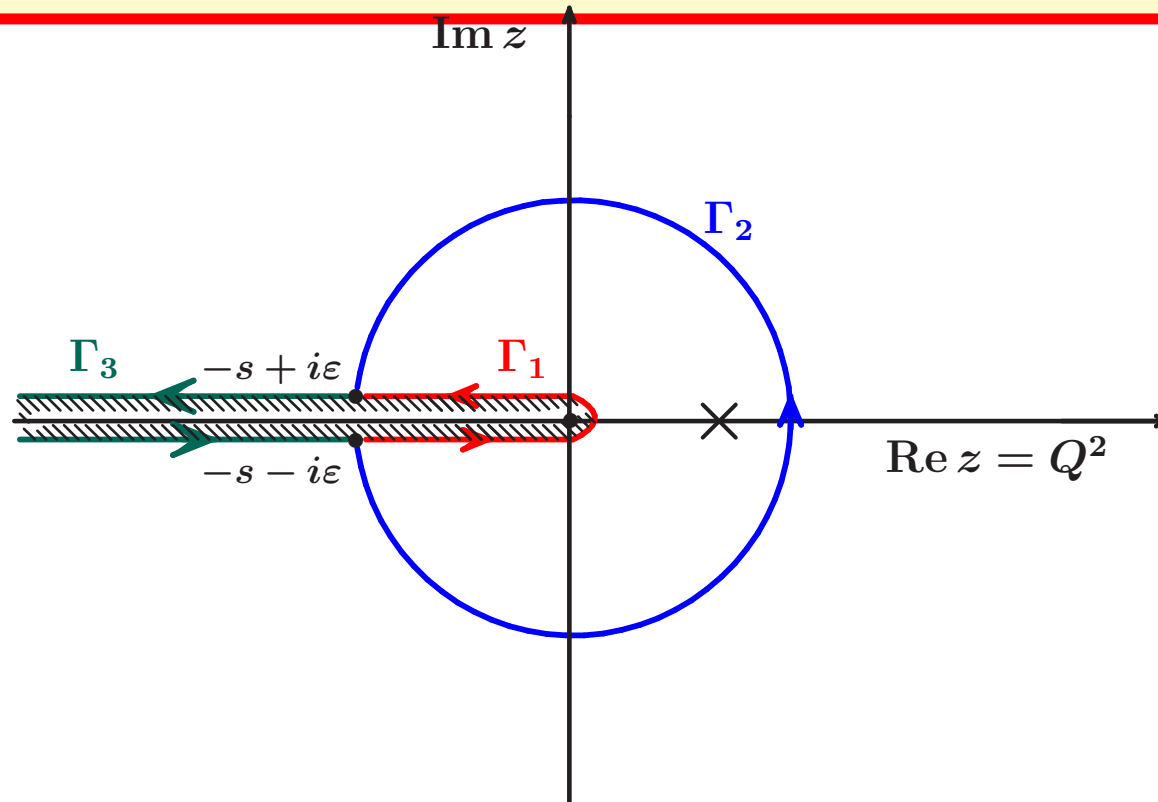
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Compare with graphics in Minkowskian region :



# Equivalence CIPT and APT for $R(s)$

$$\mathcal{R} = \text{CIPT} \left\{ \oint_{\Gamma_2} \frac{D(z) dz}{z} \right\} = \text{APT} \left\{ \oint_{\Gamma_3} \frac{D(z) dz}{z} \right\} = d_0 + \sum_{n=1} d_n \mathfrak{A}_n[L_s]$$



$$\mathcal{R}[L] = d_0 + d_1 \int_0^\infty \mathfrak{A}_1[L-t] P(t) dt - \text{Resummed, finite.}$$

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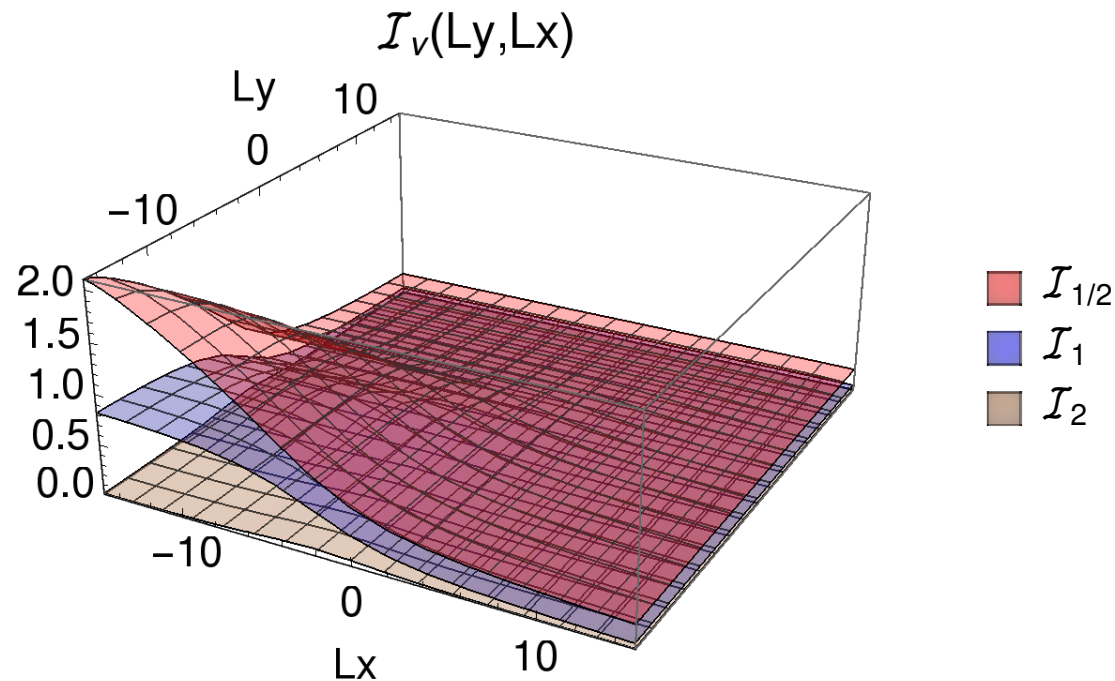
# Comparison of *PT*, *APT*, and *FAPT*

Theory	<i>PT</i>	<i>APT</i>	<i>FAPT</i>
Set	$\{a^\nu\}_{\nu \in \mathbb{R}}$	$\{\mathcal{A}_m, \mathcal{A}_m\}_{m \in \mathbb{N}}$	$\{\mathcal{A}_\nu, \mathcal{A}_\nu\}_{\nu \in \mathbb{R}}$
Series	$\sum_m f_m a^{m+\nu}$	$\sum_m f_m \mathcal{A}_m$	$\sum_m f_m \mathcal{A}_{m+\nu}$
Inv. powers	$(a[L])^{-m}$	—	$\mathcal{A}_{-m}[L] = L^m$
Products	$a^\mu a^\nu = a^{\mu+\nu}$	—	—
Index deriv.	$a^\nu \ln^k a$	—	$\mathcal{D}^k \mathcal{A}_\nu$
Logarithms	$a^\nu L^k$	—	$\mathcal{A}_{\nu-k}$
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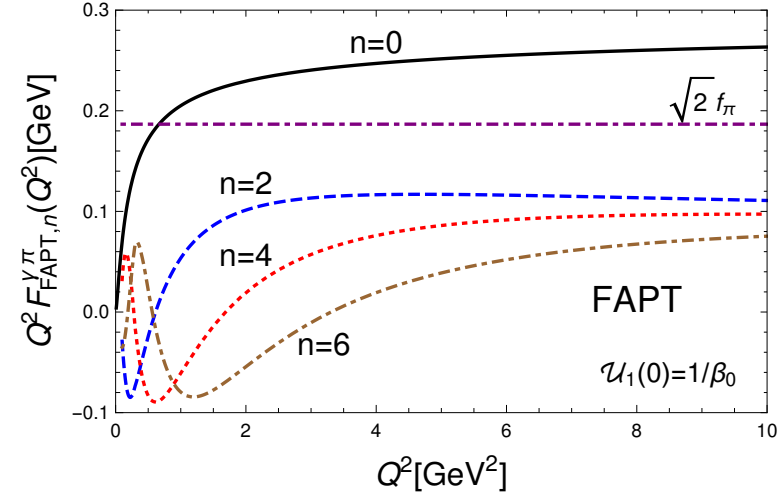
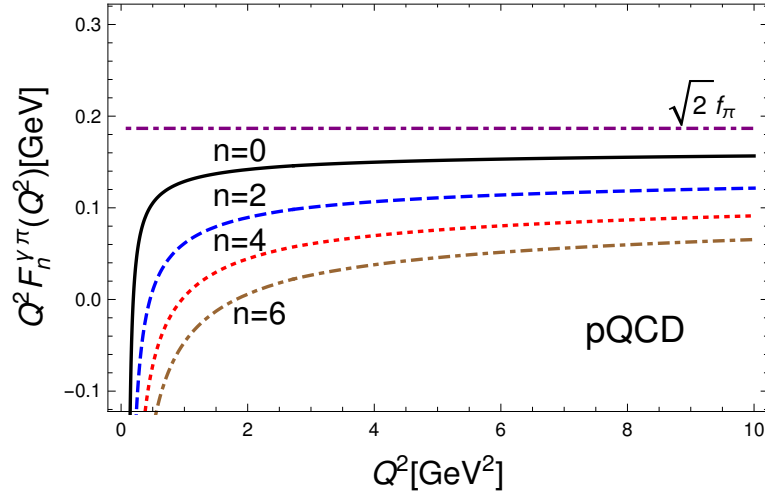
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$$\mathcal{I}_\nu(y, x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \int_y^\infty \frac{d\sigma}{\sigma + x} \rho_\nu^{(l)}(\sigma)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_\nu(x) = \mathcal{I}_\nu(y \rightarrow 0, x), \quad \mathfrak{A}_\nu(Y) = \mathcal{I}_\nu(y, x \rightarrow 0), \quad \mathcal{A}_1(0) = \mathfrak{A}_1(0)$$

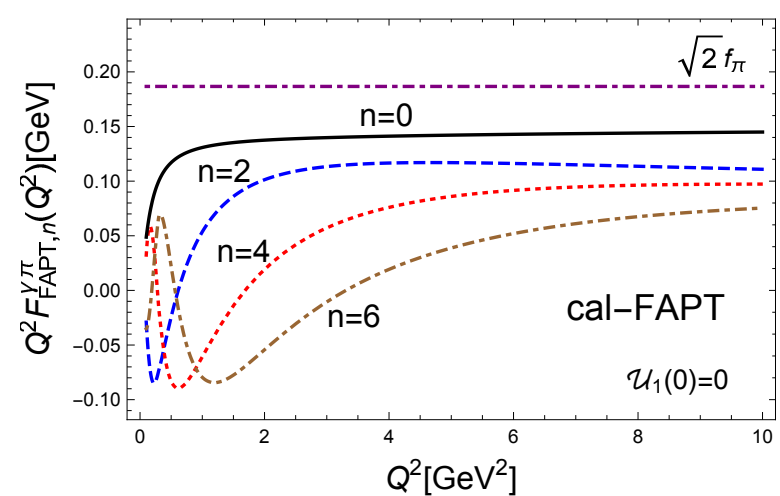
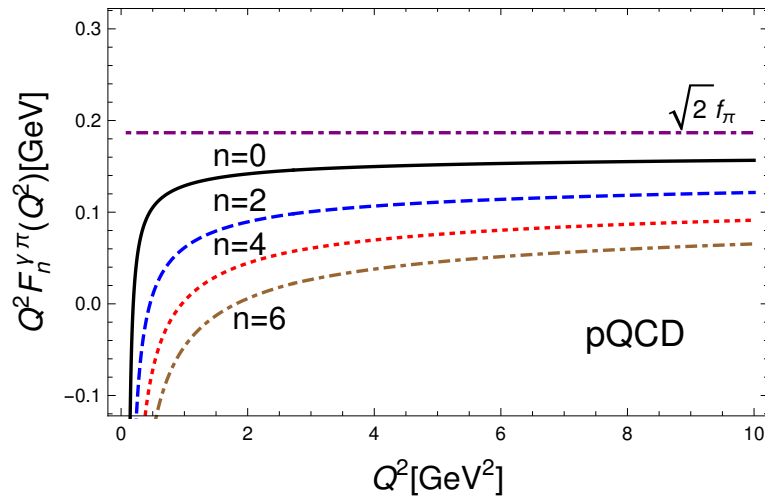


# PT vs FAPT for partial TFF

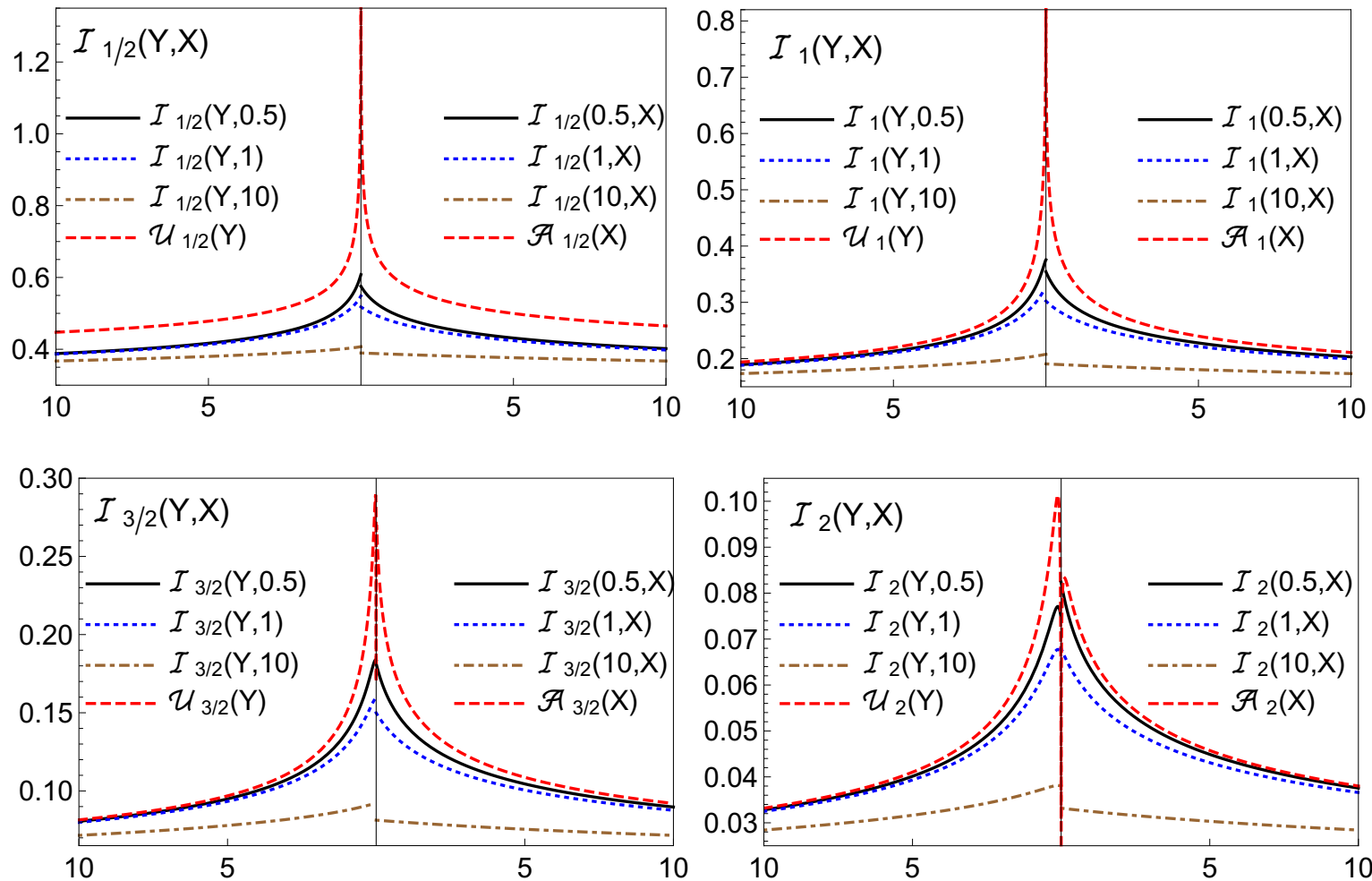


To hold the **correspondence with PT asymptotics**

$$\mathcal{A}_\nu(0) = \mathfrak{A}_\nu(0) = 0 \text{ for } 0 < \nu \leq 1 \text{ - "calibrated FAPT"}$$



# “Distorting mirror” symmetry



The 2D projections of the 3D plots of  $\mathcal{I}_\nu$ . The couplings  $\mathcal{I}_\nu(y, \text{fixed})$ ,  $\mathcal{I}_\nu(\text{fixed}, x)$  are taken for different values of the index  $\nu = 1/2, 1, 3/2, 2$ .