

Phenomenology

of

Multi-Loops

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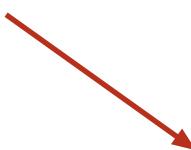
Encyclopaedia Britannica: **phenomenology**

a philosophical movement originating in the 20th century, the primary objective of which is the direct investigation and description of phenomena as consciously experienced, without theories about their causal explanation and **as free as possible from unexamined preconceptions and presuppositions**. The word itself is much older, however, going back at least to the 18th century, when the Swiss-German mathematician and philosopher Johann Heinrich Lambert applied it to that part of **his theory of knowledge that distinguishes truth from illusion and error**.

Multi-Loops



how to attack them



what are they good for

Lots of technicalities:



have to have a goal



need some inspiration



don't stumble across your feet



Selected Results

(no technicalities)

$$\alpha_s$$

ρ -parameter: $m_t \iff M_W \iff M_H$

$$m_c \text{ und } m_b$$

α_s from $\sigma(e^+e^- \Rightarrow \text{had})$

and τ -decays

$$\mathcal{R}(s) = \left(\sum Q_f^2 \right) \left(\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ \vdots \end{array} \right)$$

parton model

1955

$$+ \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}$$

QED

Källen, Sabry;
Schwinger

1979

$$+ \# \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^2$$

QCD,
gives meaning to α_s

Chetyrkin, Kataev, Tkachov;
Dine, Sapirstein;
Celmaster, Gonsalves

1988/1991

$$+ \# \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^3$$

required for precision

Gorishny, Kataev, Larin;
Surguladze, Samuel;
general gauge:
Chetyrkin (1996)

2008

$$+ \# \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^4$$

remove theory error
slight shift in α_s
by 0.0005

Baikov, Chetyrkin, JK

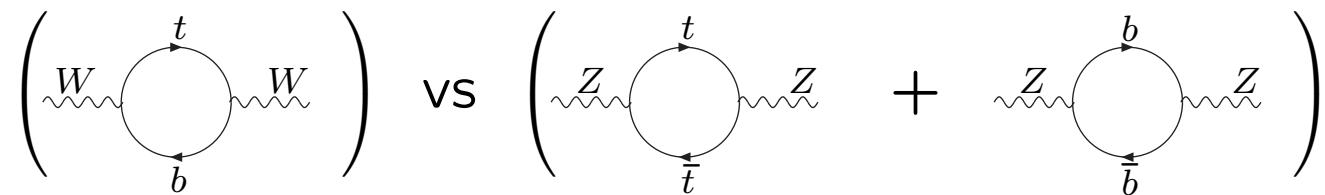
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha_s(\text{from } Z) = 0.1190 \pm 0.0026 \\ \alpha_s(\text{from } \tau) = 0.1202 \pm 0.0019 \end{array} \right\} \xrightarrow{\text{N}^3\text{LO}} \alpha_s = 0.1198(15)$$

ρ - parameter

$$m_t \longleftrightarrow M_W \longleftrightarrow M_H$$

relative shift of M_Z and M_W

from $(t\bar{t})$, $(b\bar{b})$ and $(t\bar{b})$ fluctuations



leading term: $\Delta\rho = 3\frac{\sqrt{2}G_FM_t^2}{16\pi^2}$ (Veltman)

\implies early limit on M_t ($\lesssim 200$ GeV)

Large difference between $\overline{\text{MS}}$ and OS mass

$$M_t - \overline{m}_t(\overline{m}_t) \approx 10 \text{ GeV}$$

\implies importance of higher orders for $\Delta\rho$

1 Loop
1977

$$G_F m_t^2$$

Veltman

2 Loop
1987

$$\alpha_s G_F m_t^2$$

Djouadi, Verzegnassi;
Kniehl, JK, Stuart

3 Loop
1995

$$\alpha_s^2 G_F m_t^2$$

Chetyrkin, JK, Steinhauser;
Fleischer, Tarasov, Jegerlehner

3 Loop
2001-2003

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha_s (G_F m_t^2)^2 \\ & (G_F m_t^2)^3 \end{aligned}$$

... Chetyrkin, ...

4 Loop

$$\alpha_s^3 G_F m_t^2$$

Chetyrkin + Karlsruhe;
Czakon + ...

Result: δM_W in MeV

	α_s^0	α_s^1	α_s^2	α_s^3	$\alpha_s \alpha_{weak}$
m_t^2	611.9	- 61.3	- 10.9	- 2.1	2.5
log + const	136.6	- 6.0	- 2.6	--	--
$\frac{1}{m_t^2}$	- 9.0	- 1.0	- 0.2	--	--
Σ	739.5	- 68.3	- 13.7	- 2.1	2.5

α_s^2 -term: $13.7 \text{ MeV} \hat{=} \delta m_t = 2 \text{ GeV}$ (TEVATRON)

α_s^3 -term: $2.1 \text{ MeV} \hat{=} \delta m_t = 0.3 \text{ GeV}$ (ILC)

Conversely: M_{Pole} fixed

$$\delta \alpha_s = 2 \cdot 10^{-3} \implies \delta M_W = 1.7 \text{ MeV}$$

m_c und m_b

from ITEP sum rules to precise quark masses

The concept

$$\mathcal{M}_n^{\text{exp}} \equiv \int \frac{ds}{s^{n+1}} \mathcal{R}_Q(s)$$

$$\mathcal{M}_n^{\text{th}} \equiv \frac{12\pi^2}{n!} \left(\frac{d}{dq^2} \right)^n \Pi_Q(q^2) \Big|_{q^2=0} = \frac{9}{4} Q_Q^2 \left(\frac{1}{4m_Q^2} \right)^n \bar{C}_n$$

$$\mathcal{M}_n^{\text{exp}} = \mathcal{M}_n^{\text{th}} \implies m_Q = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{9}{4} Q_Q^2 \frac{\bar{C}_n}{\mathcal{M}_n^{\text{exp}}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2n}}$$

\bar{C}_n can be evaluated perturbatively

$q^2 = 0 \Rightarrow$ tadpoles

$$\overline{C}_n(s) = \overline{C}_n^{(0)}$$

2 Loop

1977/1978

$$+ \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \overline{C}_n^{(1)}$$

short distance mass

ITEP

3 Loop

1996/2001

$$+ \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}\right)^2 \overline{C}_n^{(2)}$$

precise m_Q

Chetyrkin, JK, Steinhauser

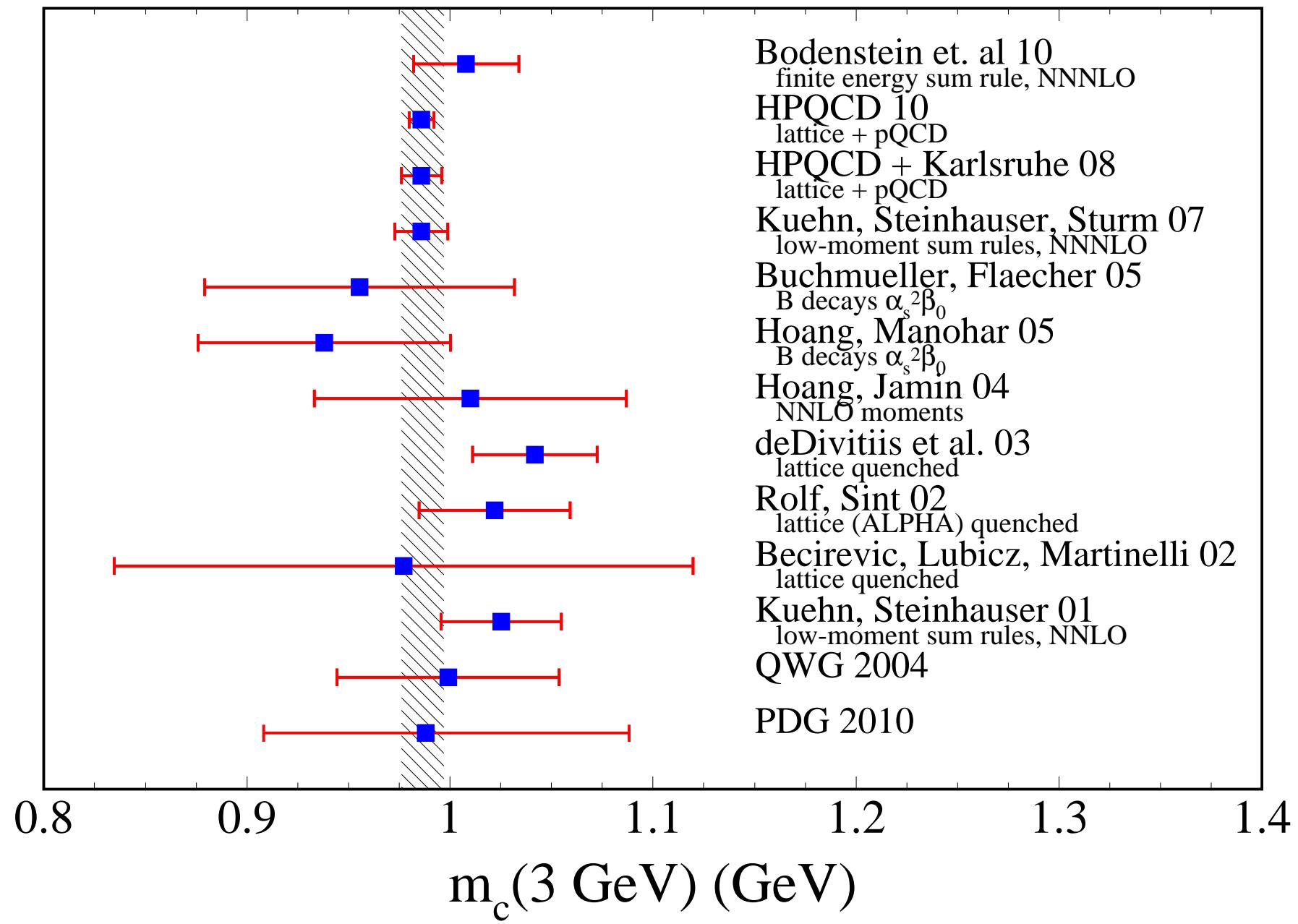
4 Loop

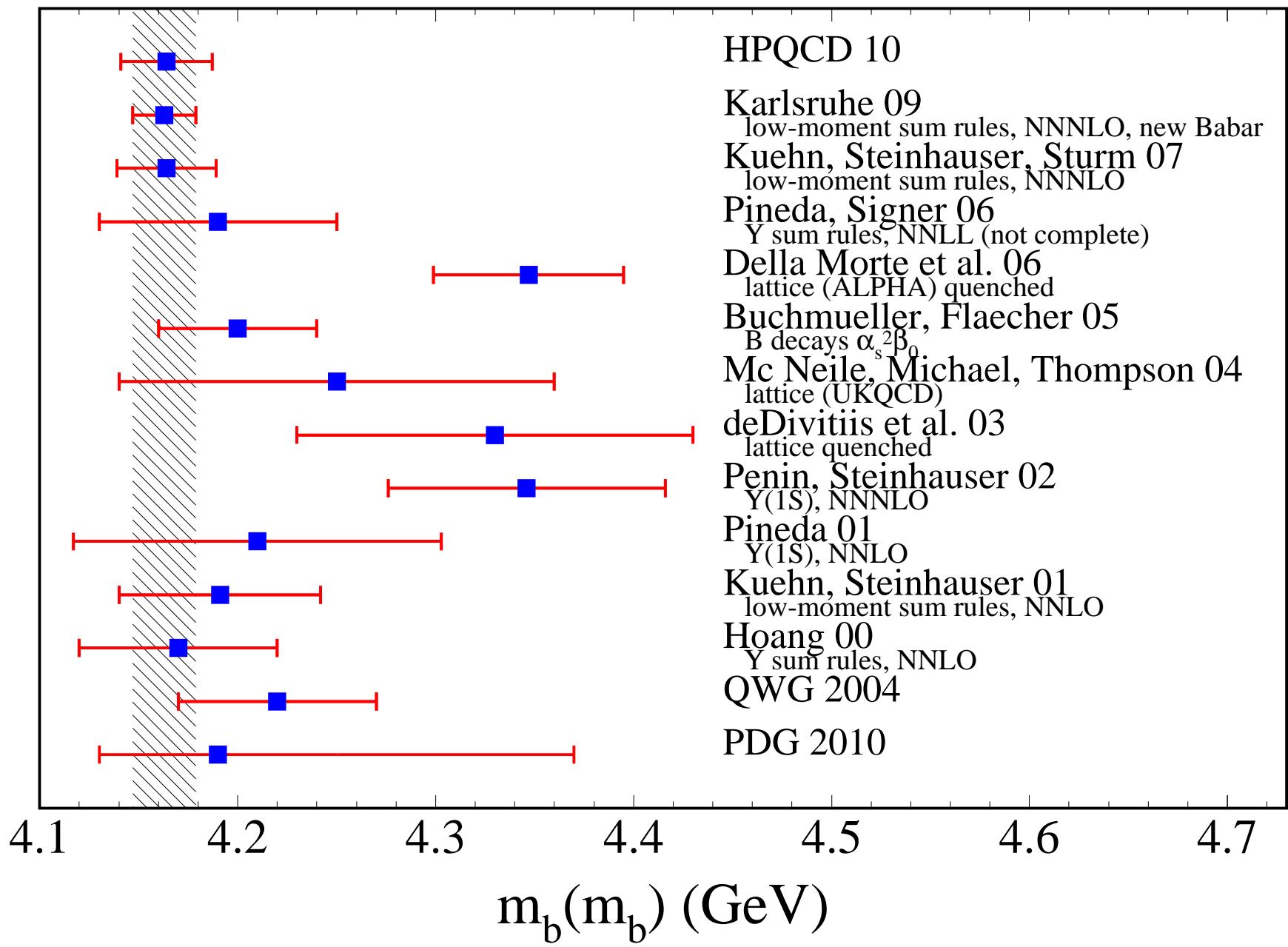
2006/2008

$$+ \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi}\right)^3 \overline{C}_n^{(2)}$$

reduction of theor. error,
application to lattice

Chetyrkin + KA , Czakon +





Moving on: the artistic aspect

