

Top and Bottom at Threshold: Recent Results

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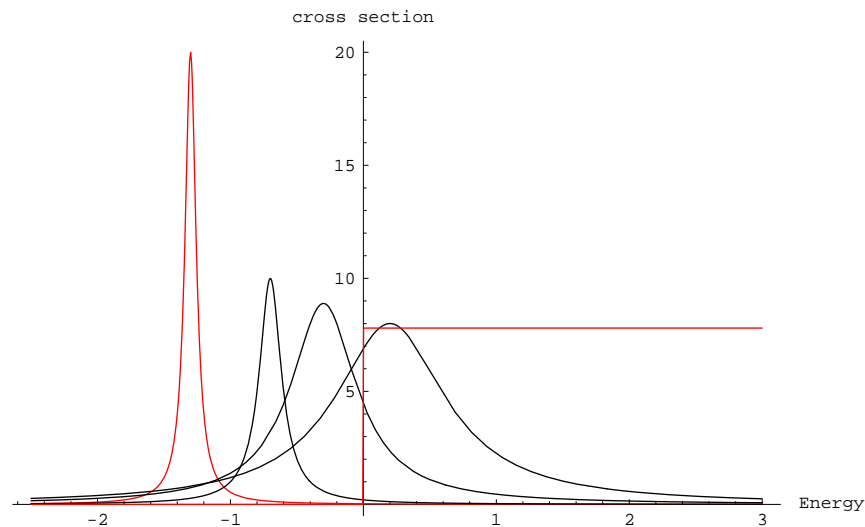
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I. Motivation

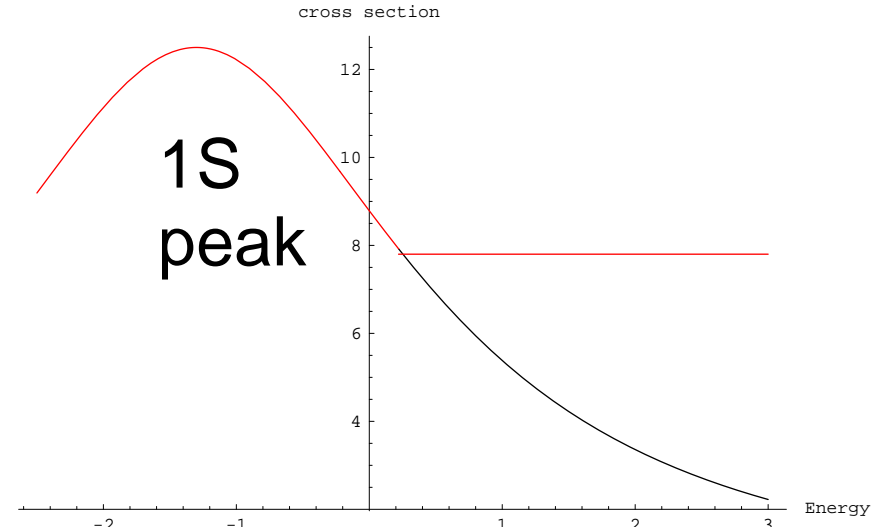
Bound states of heavy quarks

- $(Q\bar{Q})$ bound state;
 $J/\Psi(1^3S_1) \sim (c\bar{c})$ $\eta_c(1^1S_0) \sim (c\bar{c})$
 $\Upsilon(1^3S_1) \sim (b\bar{b})$ $\eta_b(1^1S_0) \sim (b\bar{b})$
- Energy levels \Leftrightarrow quark mass
- Decay rate $\Leftrightarrow \alpha_s$
- $(t\bar{t})$: too heavy; no bound state; $e^+e^- \rightarrow Q\bar{Q}$

“ $e^+e^- \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ ”



“ $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ ”



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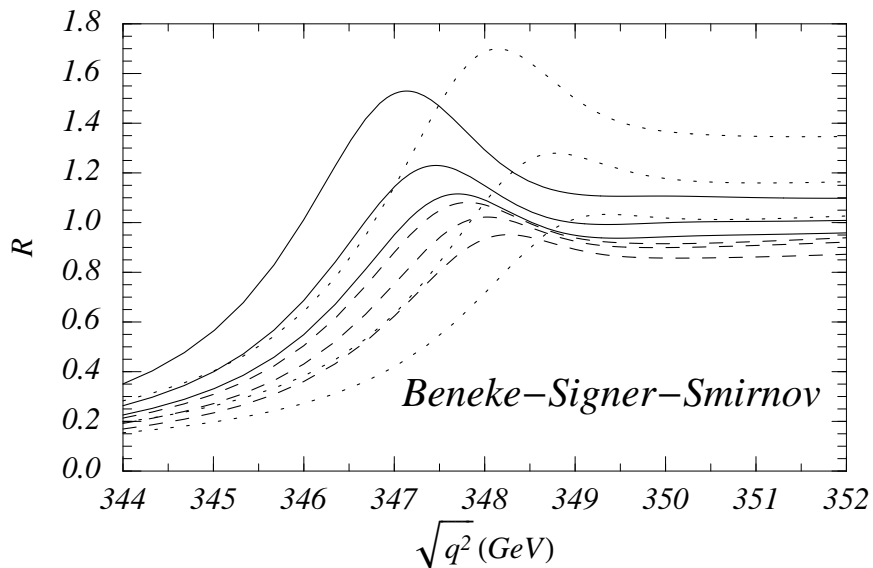
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NNLO complete; example: $(t\bar{t})$ production @ threshold:



δE_n : [A. Pineda, F.J. Yndurain'98]

$\delta\psi_n$: [A. Penin, A.A. Pivovarov'98; K. Melnikov, Yelkhovsky'98]

[A.H. Hoang, M. Beneke, K. Melnikov, T. Nagano, A. Ota, A.A. Penin, A.A. Pivovarov, A. Signer, V.A. Smirnov, Y. Sumino, T. Teubner, O. Yakovlev, A. Yelkhovsky'00]

slow convergence of perturbation theory

⇒ needed: **N³LO** analysis; **NNLL** (resummation)

II. Non-Relativistic Quanten Chromodynamics

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Degrees of freedom present in QCD

but **not** in Schrödinger-like theory:

“hard” modes $E \sim m_q; \quad |\vec{p}| \sim m_q$

“soft” modes $E \sim m_q v; \quad |\vec{p}| \sim m_q v$

Aim: Construct theory with dynamical **potential quarks** and
ultrasoft gluons as degrees of freedom
hard and **soft** modes at most in coefficient functions

Construction of pNRQCD

scales: **mass, m : hard** \gg **momentum, mv : soft** \gg **energy, mv^2 : ultrasoft** \gg Λ_{QCD}

potential quarks: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_{\vec{p}} \sim mv^2 \\ |\vec{p}| \sim mv \end{array} \right. \quad \frac{1}{E_{\vec{p}} - \frac{\vec{p}^2}{2m}}$

ultrasoft gluons: $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_{\vec{k}} \sim mv^2 \\ |\vec{k}| \sim mv \end{array} \right. \quad \frac{1}{E_{\vec{k}}^2 - \vec{k}^2}$

QCD

→

NRQCD

→

pNRQCD (potential non-relativistic QCD)

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integrate out hard scale “ m ”
from QCD

[Caswell, Lepage’86; Bodwin, Braaten, Lepage’95]

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integrate out all scales from
NRQCD except **potential quarks**
and ultrasoft gluons

[Pineda, Soto’98; Brambilla, Pineda, Soto, Vairo’00]

pNRQCD: $\mathcal{L}_{\text{pNRQCD}} \sim \phi^\dagger (i\partial_0 - V(\vec{r})) \phi + \dots \Leftrightarrow i\partial_0 \phi = \left(\frac{\vec{p}^2}{m} + V(\vec{r}) \right) \phi \Leftrightarrow$ Schrödinger equation

Rad. and absorption of ultrasoft gluons

- pNRQCD still contains dynamical degrees of freedom:
potential quarks and **ultrasoft gluons**

- propagation of quark-antiquark pair:

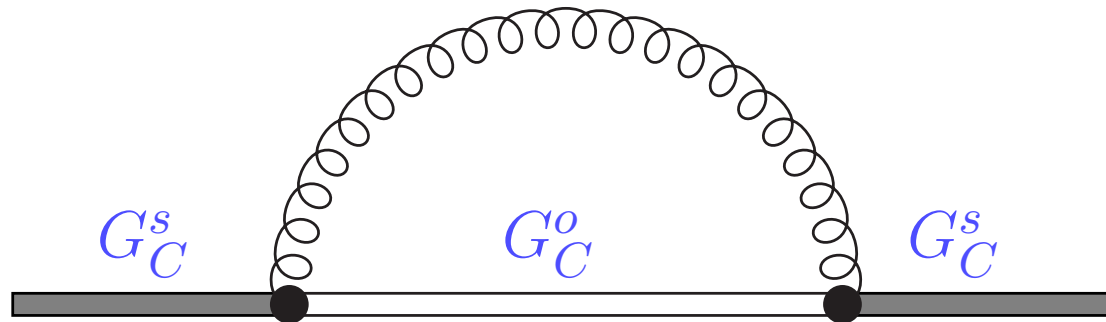
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- non-relativistic Green function of Schrödinger

equation:
$$\left(-\frac{\Delta_r}{m_q} + V_C^{s,o} - E\right) G_C^{s,o}(\vec{r}, \vec{r}', E) = \delta(\vec{r} - \vec{r}')$$

$$V_C^s = -C_F \frac{\alpha_s}{r}, \quad V_C^o = (C_A/2 - C_F) \frac{\alpha_s}{r}$$

- quark-antiquark–us-gluon-vertex: $g_s \vec{r} \cdot \vec{E}$



Potentials/effective Hamiltonian

- **Potentials** \leftrightarrow effective Hamiltonian known to N³LO

except 1 constant: a_3 , 3-loop static potential

- **Energy level:** $E_n = E_n^C + \delta E_n^{(1)} + \delta E_n^{(2)} + \delta E_n^{(3)} + \dots$

\Rightarrow bottom quark mass: $\delta m_b = 70 \text{ MeV}$ [Penin,Steinhauser'02]

top quark mass: $\delta m_t = 80 \text{ MeV}$

- **Wave function:**

$\delta E_n^{(3)}$: [Penin,Smirnov,MS'05;Beneke,Kiyo,Schuller'05]

$$|\psi_n(0)|^2 = |\psi_n^C(0)|^2 \left(1 + \delta\psi_n^{(1)} + \delta\psi_n^{(2)} + \delta\psi_n^{(3)} + \dots \right)$$

$$\delta\psi_n^{(3)} = K_2 \ln^2 \alpha_s + K_1 \ln \alpha_s + K_0 \Big|_{\beta_0^3} + K_0 \Big|_{\text{rem}}$$

K_2 : [Kniehl,Penin'00; Manohar,Stewart'01]

K_1 : [Kniehl,Penin,Smirnov,MS'02;Hoang'04]

$K_0 \Big|_{\beta_0^3}$: [Penin,Smirnov,MS'05;Beneke,Kiyo,Schuller'05]

- **Production:** large- β_0 N³LO corrections \longrightarrow see Y. Kiyo's talk

III. Non-Relativistic Renormalization Group

Simple Example

$$R = \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)} \stackrel{m_q=0}{=} 3 \left[1 + \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} r_{10} + \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \right)^2 \left(r_{20} + r_{21} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{s} \right) + \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \right)^3 \left(r_{30} + r_{31} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{s} + r_{32} \ln^2 \frac{\mu^2}{s} \right) + \dots \right]$$

● consider: $\sqrt{s} \approx m_\tau \approx 1.8 \text{ GeV}$

● $\mu^2 = s \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad$ no large logarithms

● Use RGE

$$\mu^2 \frac{d\alpha_s(\mu)}{d\mu^2} = -\frac{\alpha_s^2(\mu)}{\pi} \left[\beta_0 + \frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \beta_1 + \left(\frac{\alpha_s(\mu)}{\pi} \right)^2 \beta_2 + \dots \right]$$

to compute $\alpha_s(\sqrt{s})$ starting from $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118$

● Large logarithms are resummed in coupling

● Note: β_0 from divergences of 1-loop diagrams

Nonrelativistic Renormalization Group (NRG)

Consider spin-dependent part of N³LO eff. Hamiltonian:

$$\delta\mathcal{H}_{\text{spin}} = D_{S^2} \underbrace{\frac{4C_F\pi}{3m_q^2} \mathbf{S}^2}_{\text{NNLO}}, \quad \mathbf{S} = \frac{\boldsymbol{\sigma}_1 + \boldsymbol{\sigma}_2}{2},$$

NLO result:

$$D_{S^2} = \alpha_s \left[1 + \left(-\frac{5}{9}T_F n_l + \frac{3}{2}(1 - \ln 2)T_F + \frac{11C_A - 9C_F}{18} + \frac{7}{4}C_A \ln \frac{\mu}{m_q} \right) \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right]$$

[Gupta,Radford,Repko'82; Pantalone,Tye,Ng'86; Buchmüller,Ng,Tye'94]

Aim: resum $\ln \frac{\mu}{m_q}$ terms \Leftrightarrow **NLL**

- 1) Derive RGE for coupling ($\equiv D_{S^2}$)
- 2) solve RGE

Nonrelativistic Renormalization Group

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[Pineda'02]

- Consider **soft**, **potential** and **ultrasoft** running in effective theory,
i.e.: consider corresponding UV divergences
- LL: only soft running: $\mu_s \frac{d}{d\mu_s} D_{S^2} = \alpha_s c_F^2 \gamma_s$
- NLL: in addition potential and ultrasoft contributions
- analytical calculation
- NLL result for $D_{S^2} \Leftrightarrow$ NLL for energy level: $E_{\text{hfs}}^{\text{NLL}}$

Nonrelativistic Renormalization Group

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_{\text{hfs}}^{\text{NLL}} = & \frac{C_F^4 \alpha_s^4(\mu) m_b}{3} \left\{ \frac{27}{14} y^{-1} - \frac{13}{14} y^{-\frac{18}{25}} + \frac{\alpha_s(m_b)}{\pi} \left[\left(\frac{1037}{224} + \frac{405086361761 \pi^2}{25617160800} - \frac{3}{4} \ln 2 \right) y^{-1} \right. \right. \\
 & - \frac{1024 \pi^2}{143} y^{-\frac{39}{50}} - \left(\frac{102973}{26250} + \frac{184336 \pi^2}{25725} \right) y^{-\frac{18}{25}} + \frac{1024 \pi^2}{675} y^{-\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{671 \pi^2}{1029} y^{-\frac{11}{25}} - \frac{3 \pi^2}{23} y^{-\frac{2}{25}} \\
 & + \left(-\frac{13427921}{1260000} + \frac{88057 \pi^2}{151200} \right) y^{\frac{7}{25}} + \frac{4 \pi^2}{41} y^{\frac{16}{25}} + \frac{1377}{56} - \frac{1253587 \pi^2}{227500} - \frac{629 \pi^2}{7500} y \\
 & - \frac{2873 \pi^2}{7182} y^{\frac{32}{25}} {}_2F_1 \left(\frac{57}{25}, 1; \frac{82}{25}; \frac{y}{2} \right) + \frac{2873 \pi^2}{3591} y^{-1} {}_2F_1 \left(1, 1; \frac{82}{25}; -1 \right) + \left(\frac{675}{28} - \frac{533}{42} y^{\frac{7}{25}} \right) \\
 & \times \ln \left(\frac{\mu}{\bar{\mu}} \right) + \frac{85248 \pi^2}{30625} y^{-1} \ln y + \left(-\frac{45834}{4375} y^{-1} \right. \\
 & \left. + \frac{21216}{4375} - \frac{2873}{1575} y^{\frac{7}{25}} + \frac{243}{1250} y \right) \pi^2 \ln(2-y) \left. \right\}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \alpha_s(\mu)/\alpha_s(m_b), n = 1, N_c = 3, n_l = 4$$

[Kniehl, Penin, Pineda, Smirnov, MS'04]

Nonrelativistic Renormalization Group

$$E_{\text{hfs}}^{\text{NLL}} = \frac{C_F^4 \alpha_s^4 m_b}{3} \left[1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left(c_1^{(1)} \ln \alpha_s + c_0^{(1)} \right) \right. \\ \left. + \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^2 \left(c_2^{(2)} \ln^2 \alpha_s + c_1^{(2)} \ln \alpha_s + c_0^{(2)} \right) \right. \\ \left. + \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \right)^3 \left(c_3^{(3)} \ln^3 \alpha_s + c_2^{(3)} \ln^2 \alpha_s + c_1^{(3)} \ln \alpha_s + c_0^{(3)} \right) + \dots \right]$$

LL

NLL

“Leading Log“

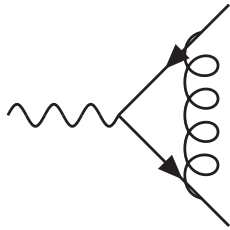
“Next-to-Leading Log“

Next step: use NLL result for $\delta\mathcal{H}_{\text{spin}}$ to resum spin-dependent part of production and annihilation processes

NRG: production and annihilation

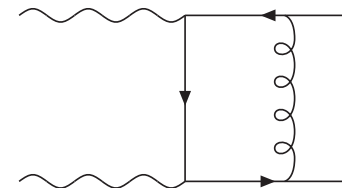
1-photon process

$$\vec{j} = c_v(\mu) \psi^\dagger \vec{\sigma} \chi + \frac{d_v(\mu)}{6m_q^2} \psi^\dagger \vec{\sigma} \vec{D}^2 \chi + \dots$$



2-photon process

$$O_{\gamma\gamma} = c_{\gamma\gamma}(\mu) \psi^\dagger \chi + \frac{d_{\gamma\gamma}(\mu)}{6m_q^2} \psi^\dagger \vec{D}^2 \chi + \dots$$



$c_v(\ln \mu/m_q)$ and $c_{\gamma\gamma}(\ln \mu/m_q)$ known to 2-loop order

[Czarnecki,Melnikov'98; Beneke,Signer,Smirnov'98; Czarnecki,Melnikov'01]

$$\mathcal{R}_q = \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Q(n^3S_1))}{\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow Q(n^1S_0))} = \frac{\Gamma(Q(n^3S_1) \rightarrow e^+e^-)}{\Gamma(Q(n^1S_0) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)} = \frac{c_s^2(\mu)}{3Q_q^2} \frac{|\psi_n^v(0)|^2}{|\psi_n^p(0)|^2} + \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s v^2)$$

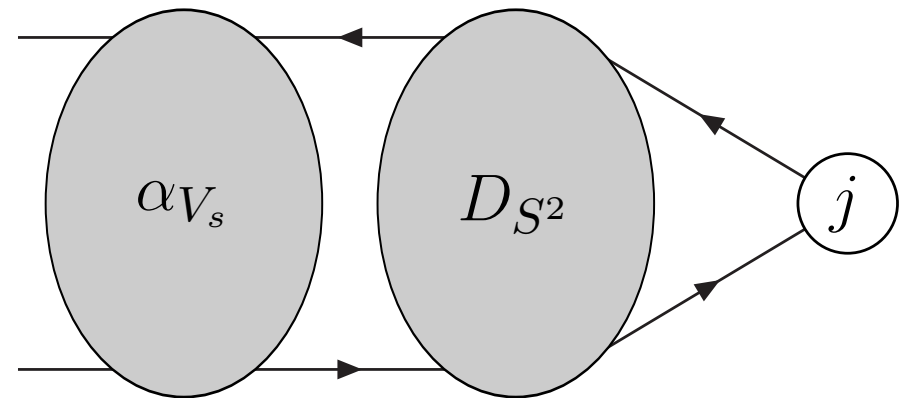
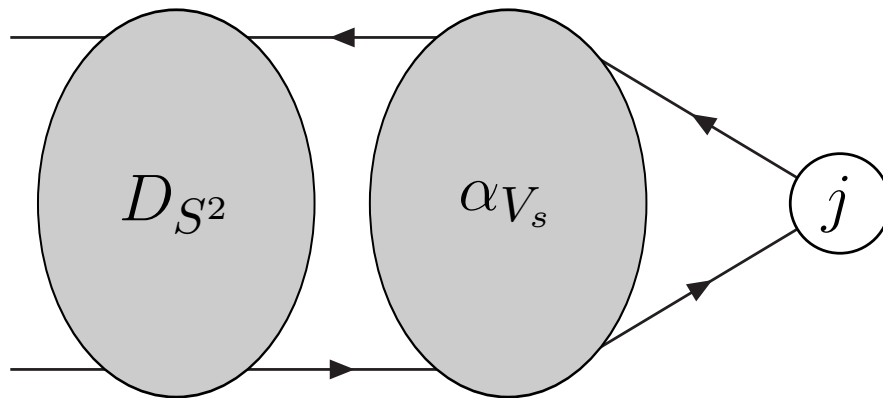
$\mu \approx \mu_{\text{soft}} \Rightarrow$ large logarithms in $c_s(\mu)$: $\ln \frac{\mu}{m_q} \Rightarrow$ resum!

$\Rightarrow c_s(\mu)$ to NNLL

NRG: production and annihilation

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- LL: $\Leftrightarrow \frac{2}{3} C_F^2 \alpha_s^2$

- agrees with known 2-loop result

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$$D_{S^2}(\mu) \text{ needed to NLL} \quad V_C = \frac{4\pi C_F \alpha_{V_s}}{\vec{k}^2} \quad \alpha_{V_s} = \alpha_s(\mu) + \dots$$

$$\text{Solution: } c_s(\mu) = c_s(m_q) e^{\alpha_s(m_q) \Gamma_{c_s}^{\text{NLL}}(\mu) + \alpha_s^2(m_q) \Gamma_{c_s}^{\text{NNLL}}(\mu) + \dots}$$

$$\Gamma_{c_s}^{\text{NLL}}(\mu) = \frac{2\pi C_F^2 (2\beta_0 - 7C_A)}{3(\beta_0 - 2C_A)^2} \left(1 - z^{\beta_0 - 2C_A} \right) - \frac{2\pi C_F^2 C_A}{\beta_0(\beta_0 - 2C_A)} \ln(z^{\beta_0})$$

$$\Gamma_{c_s}^{\text{NNLL}}(\mu) = \pi^2 \sum_{i=1}^{19} A_i f_i(z) \quad z = (\alpha_s(\mu) / \alpha_s(m_q))^{1/\beta_0}$$

[Penin, Pineda, Smirnov, MS'04]

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$$f_1(z) = z^{3\beta_0 - 2C_A} {}_3F_2 \left(1, 3 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, 3 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, 4 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, 4 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, \frac{z^{\beta_0}}{2} \right),$$

$$f_2(z) = z^{3\beta_0 - 2C_A} {}_2F_1 \left(3 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, 1, 4 - \frac{2C_A}{\beta_0}, \frac{z^{\beta_0}}{2} \right), \quad f_3(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - (25C_A)/6},$$

$$f_4(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - 4C_A}, \quad f_5(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - 3C_A}, \quad f_6(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - 2C_A}, \quad f_7(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - C_A},$$

$$f_8(z) = z^{\beta_0 - (13C_A)/6}, \quad f_9(z) = z^{\beta_0 - 2C_A}, \quad f_{10}(z) = z^{\beta_0}, \quad f_{11}(z) = \ln(z),$$

$$f_{12}(z) = \ln^2(z), \quad f_{13}(z) = \ln(2 - z^{\beta_0}), \quad f_{14}(z) = z^{2\beta_0 - 2C_A} \ln(2 - z^{\beta_0}),$$

$$f_{15}(z) = z^{\beta_0} \ln(2 - z^{\beta_0}), \quad f_{16}(z) = z^{2\beta_0} \ln(2 - z^{\beta_0}), \quad f_{17}(z) = 1,$$

$$f_{18}(z) = z^{2\beta_0}, \quad f_{19}(z) = \text{Li}_2(z^{\beta_0}/2).$$

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$$A_1 = \frac{C_F^3(-2C_A^2 - 6C_A C_F - 4C_F^2)(C_A - 8n_l T_F)}{3(5C_A - 4n_l T_F)(9C_A - 4n_l T_F)^2(2C_A - n_l T_F)},$$
$$A_2 = -\frac{C_F^3(C_A^2 + 3C_A C_F + 2C_F^2)(C_A - 8n_l T_F)}{4(5C_A - 4n_l T_F)(9C_A - 4n_l T_F)(2C_A - n_l T_F)^2},$$

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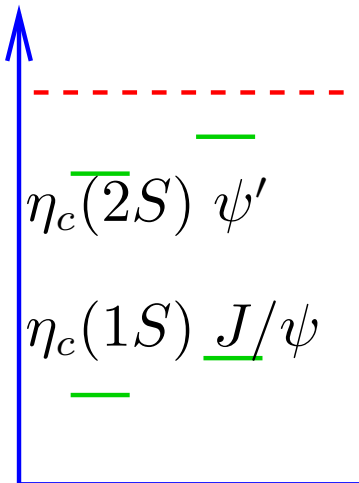
- analytical result
- reproduces known $\alpha_s^3 \ln \alpha_s$ result for $|\psi(0)|^2$

IV. Phenomenological applications: Top, Bottom, Charm

Hyperfinesplitting

Charmonium

Masse

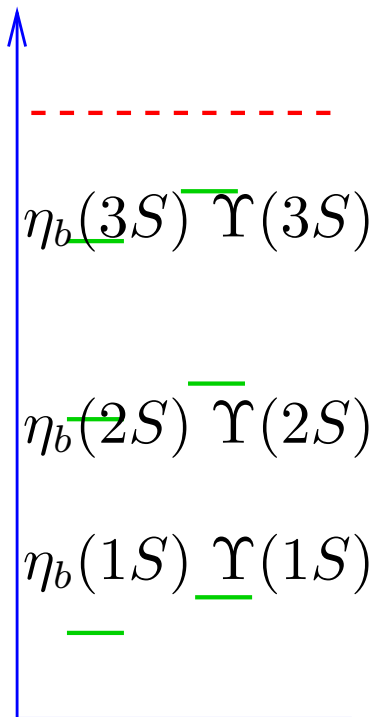


$$M(\eta_c(1S)) = 2979.2(1.3) \text{ MeV}$$

$$M(J/\psi) = 3096.87(4) \text{ MeV}$$

Bottomonium

Masse

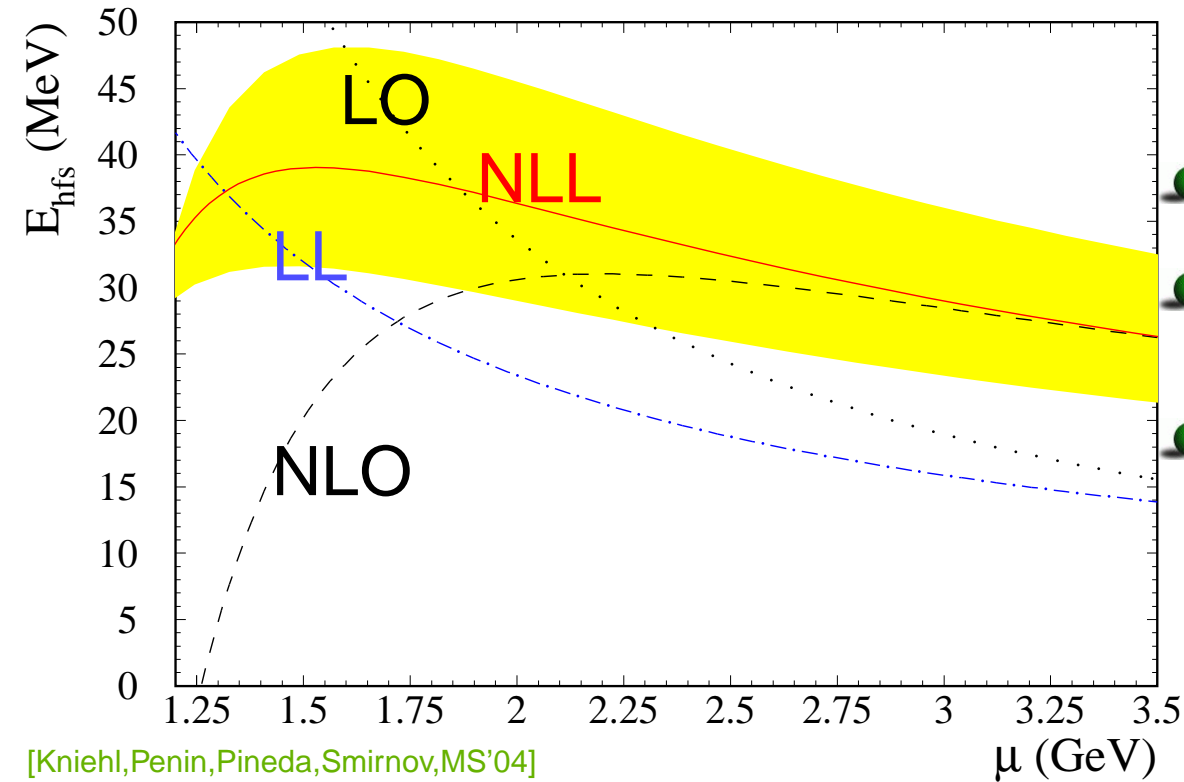


$$M(\Upsilon(1S)) = 9460.30(26) \text{ MeV}$$

$\eta_b(1S)$ not yet observed

use $M(\Upsilon(1S))$ and $E_{\text{hfs}}^{\text{NLL}}$
to predict $M(\eta_b(1S))$

Prediction of M_{η_b}



$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118 \pm 0.003$

● significance reduction of μ dependence

● Comparison with lattice:

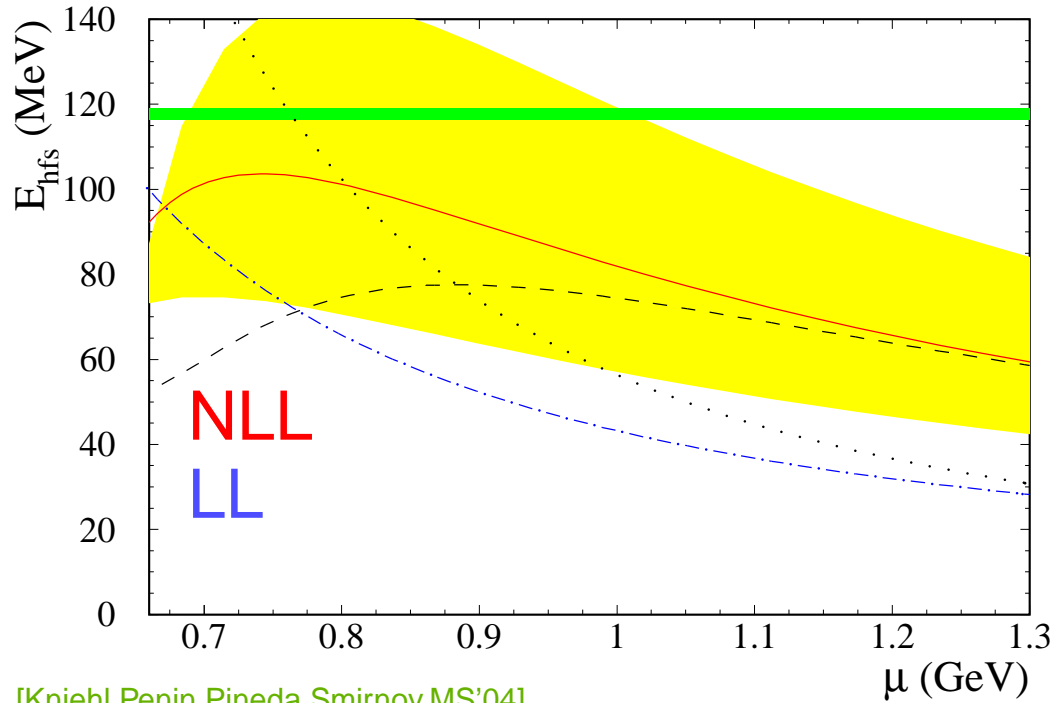
SESAM 33.4 MeV [N. Eicker et al.'98]

CP-PACS 33.2 MeV [T. Manke et al.'00]



$$M(\eta_b) = 9420 \pm 10(\text{th})_{-8}^{+9}(\alpha_s) \text{ MeV}$$

E_{hfs} : charm system

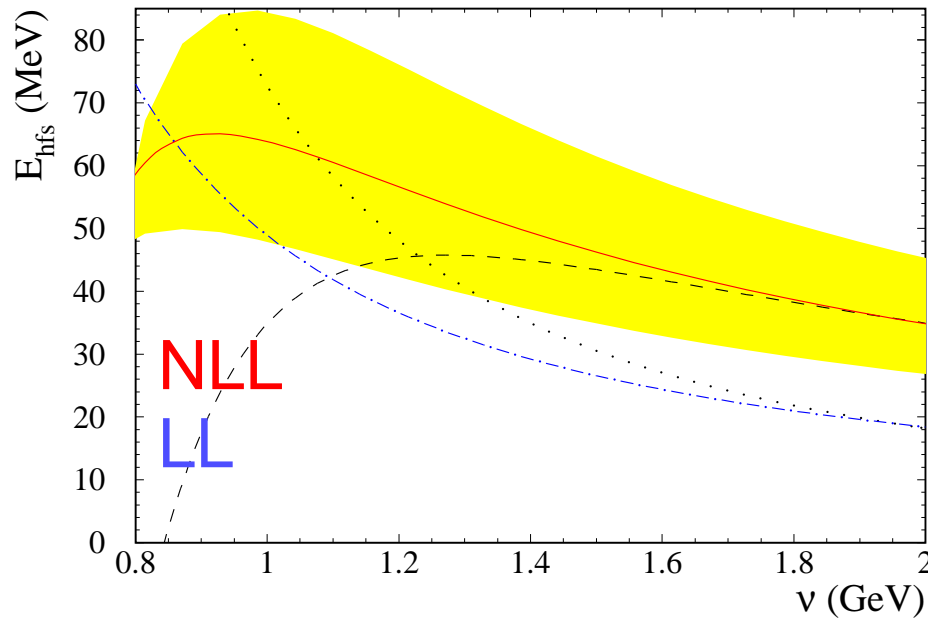


[Kniehl, Penin, Pineda, Smirnov, MS'04]

$$\Leftrightarrow M(J/\psi) - M(\eta_c) \approx 104 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\text{Experiment: } 117.7 \pm 1.3 \text{ MeV}$$

$E_{\text{hfs}}: B_c$ system



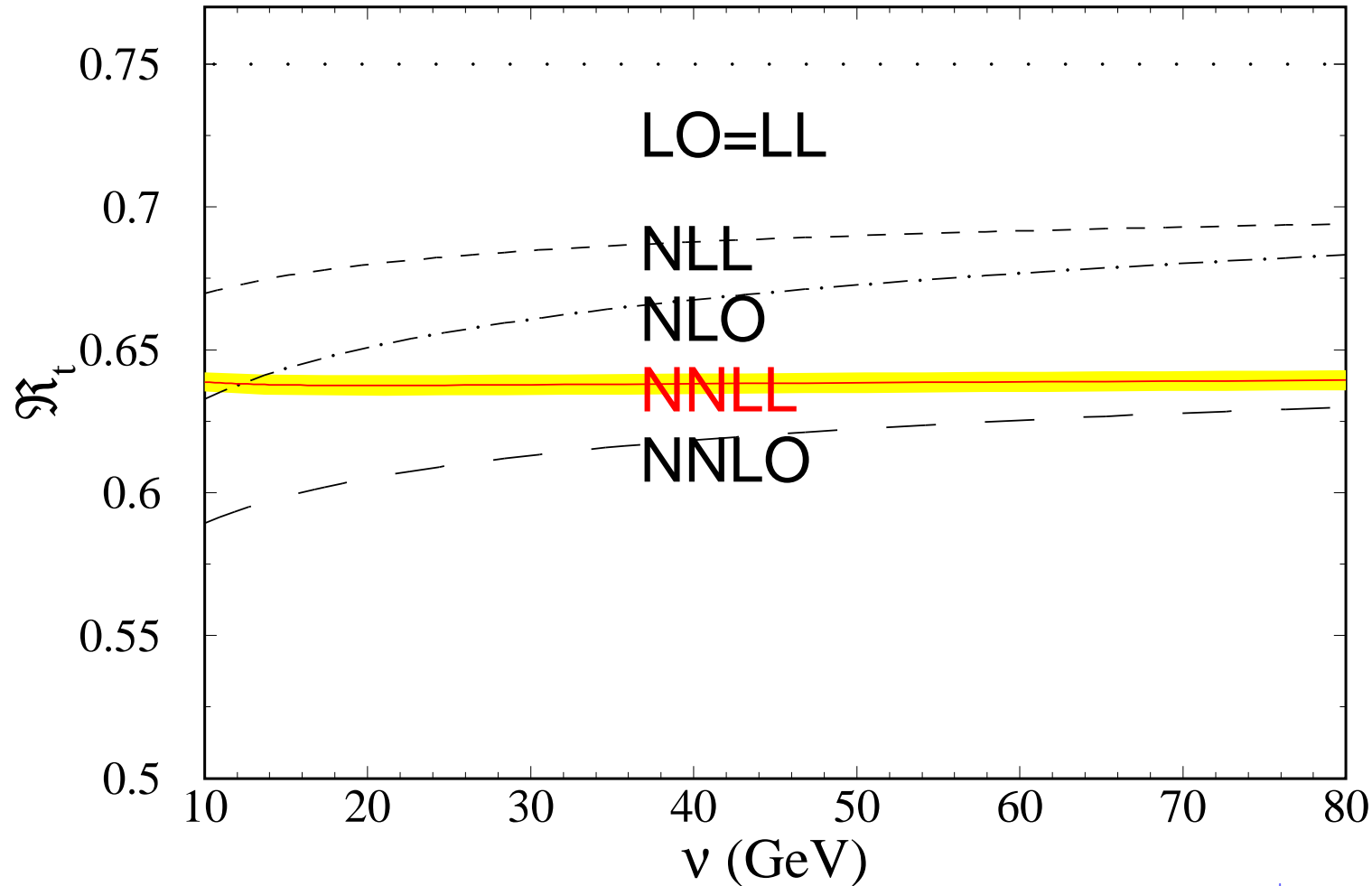
[Penin,Pineda,Smirnov,MS'04]

- generalize to non-equal mass case
- [CDF'98] ≈ 20 events via $B_c \rightarrow J/\psi l \nu$
 $\Leftrightarrow M(B_c) = 6.40 \pm 0.39 \pm 0.13 \text{ GeV}$



$$M(B_c^*) - M(B_c) = 65 \pm 24 (\text{th}) \begin{matrix} +19 \\ -16 \end{matrix} (\delta\alpha_s) \text{ MeV}$$

Spin-dep. at NNLL: Top

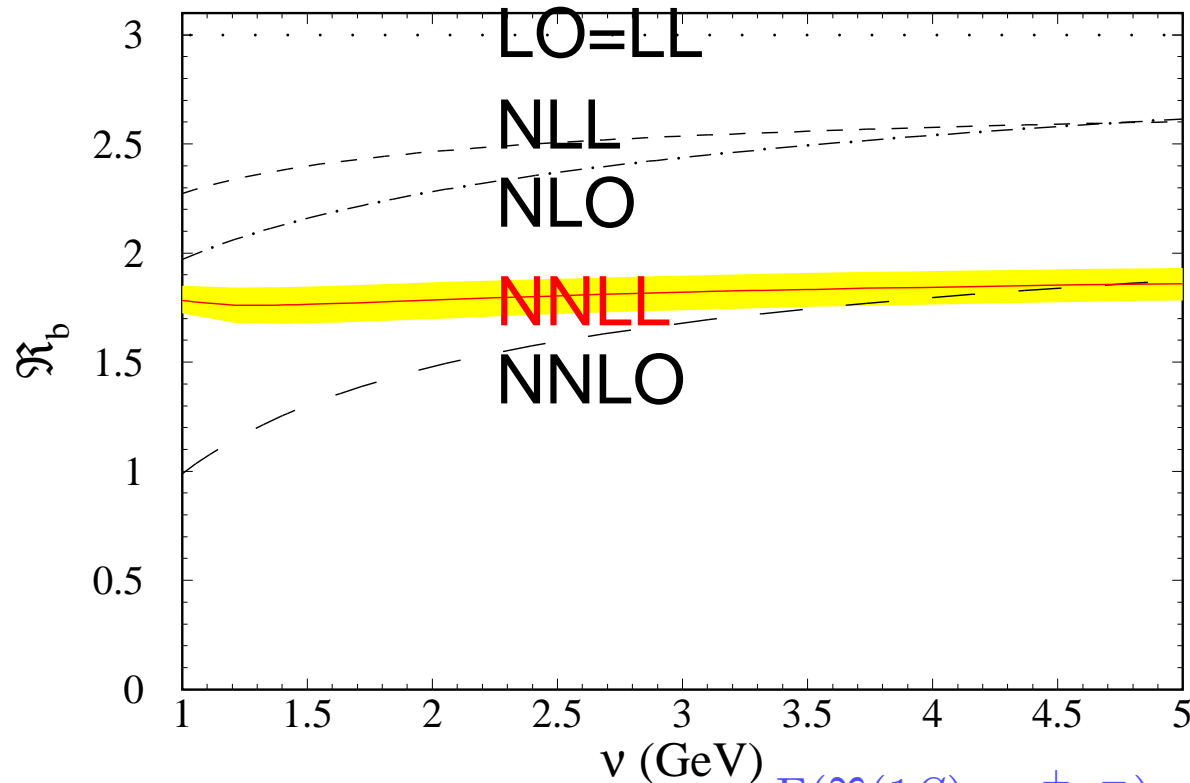


[Penin,Pineda,Smirnov,MS'04]

$$\mathcal{R}_t = \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t})}{\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow t\bar{t})}$$

Significant reduction of renormalization scale dependence

Spin-dep. at NNLL: Bottom



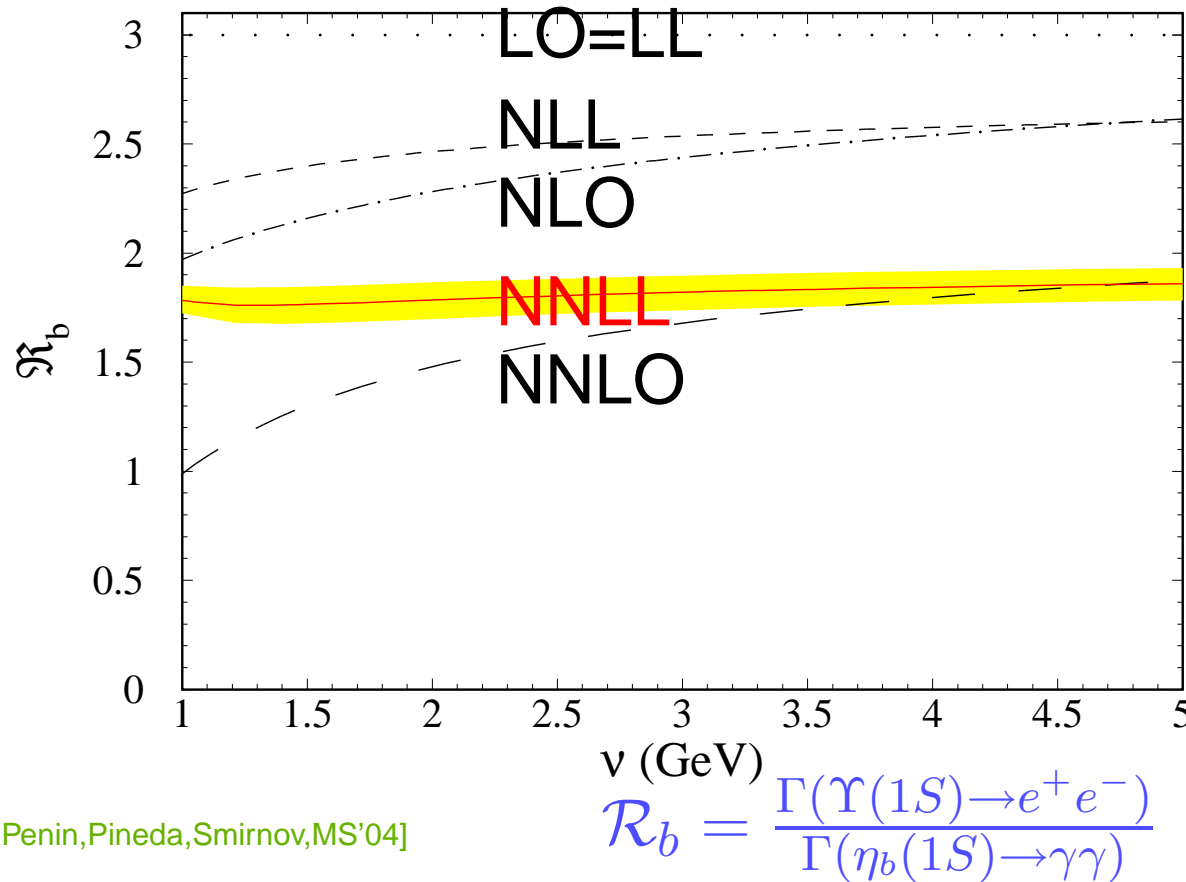
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Spin-dep. at NNLL: Bottom



WARNING

Determination of α_s from

$$\frac{\Gamma(\Upsilon \rightarrow \text{light hadrons})}{\Gamma(\Upsilon \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)}$$

⇒ $\alpha_s(m_b) = 0.177 \pm 0.01$ [PDG]

Uncertainty from scale dependence of NLO result

⇒ $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.106 \pm 0.003$

compare: $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118 \pm 0.003$

⇒ underestimation of higher order corrections

⇒ increase error!

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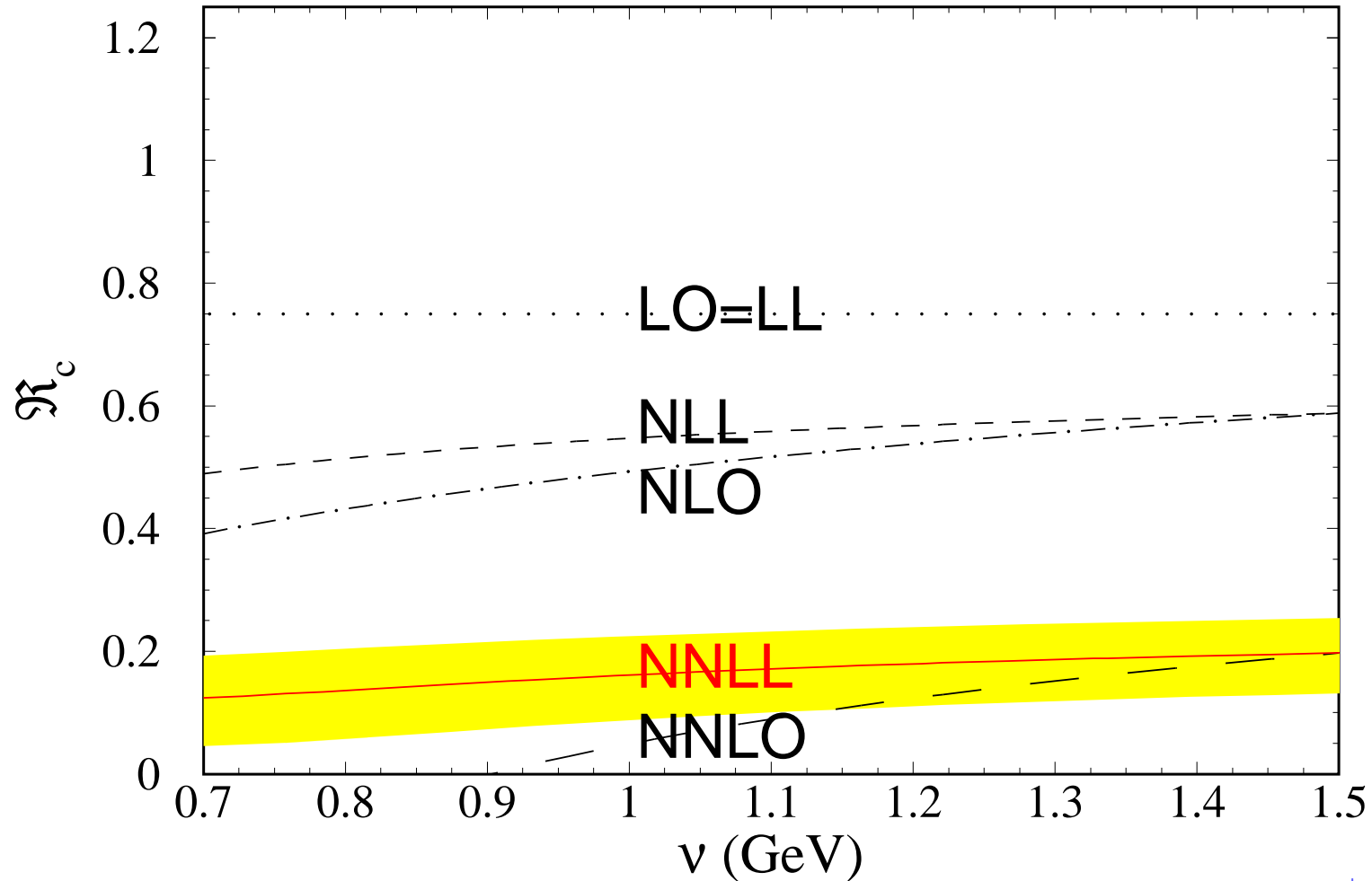
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Summary

- $t\bar{t}$ @ threshold, $M(\Upsilon(1S))$, $\Gamma(\Upsilon(1S) \rightarrow l^+l^-)$, ...
NNLO complete; slow convergence
- **N³LO** on the way:
 δE_n complete; $\delta\psi_n: \ln^2 \alpha_s, \ln \alpha_s$
- resummation of logarithms:
 $\delta\mathcal{H}_{\text{spin}}: \text{NLL}; \quad c_v: \text{NNLL}$
- **HFS**: $(b\bar{b}), (b\bar{c})$
- $\frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Q(n^3S_1))}{\sigma(\gamma\gamma \rightarrow Q(n^1S_0))}, \frac{\Gamma(Q(n^3S_1) \rightarrow e^+e^-)}{\Gamma(Q(n^1S_0) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}$

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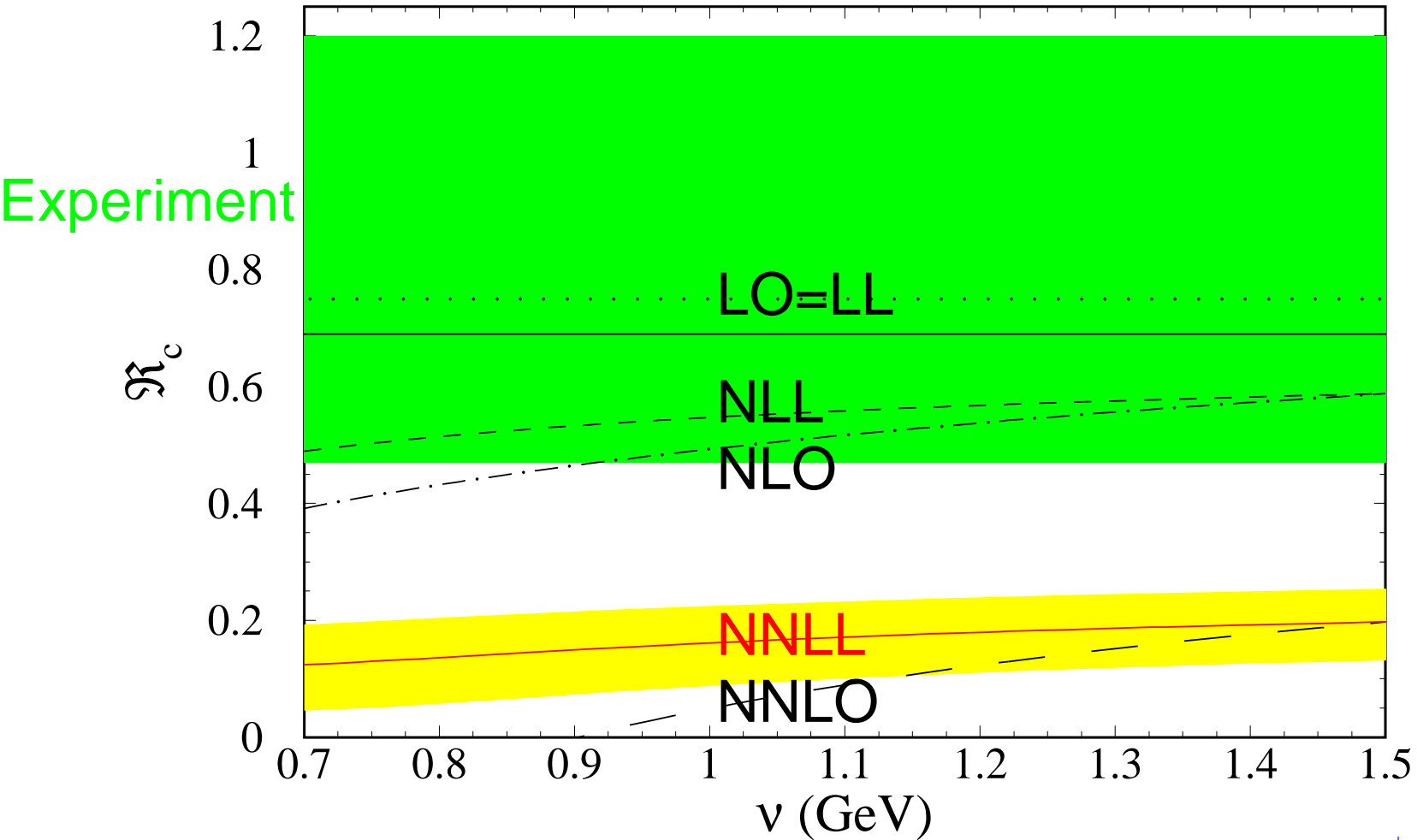
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