

# *RCs of the bilinear operators: Results*

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- RCs from the RI-MOM method
  - Scale Independent RCs ( $Z_A$ ,  $Z_V$ ,  $Z_P/Z_S$ ) from alternative methods
  - $N_f = 2+1+1$ : a plan for the calculation of the RCs

# Statistics

$\beta = 3.80$			
$\mu_{sea}$			$N_{meas}$
$\mu_{val}(RI-MOM)$	<del>0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0110, 0.0165, 0.0200</del>		240
$\mu_{val}$	<del>0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0110, 0.0165, 0.0200</del>		231
$\mu_{sea}$	0.0080, 0.0110, 0.0165		
$\mu_{val}(RI-MOM)$	<del>0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0110, 0.0165, 0.0200</del>		240
$\mu_{val}(\text{alternative calc.})$	<del>0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0110, 0.0165, 0.0200</del>		400

$\beta = 3.90$			
$\mu_{sea}$			$N_{meas}$
$\mu_{val}(RI-MOM)$	0.0040, 0.0064, 0.0085, 0.0100, <del>0.0150</del>		240
$\mu_{val}(\text{alternative calc.})$	0.0040, 0.0064, 0.0085, 0.0100, 0.0150		240

$\beta = 4.05$			
$\mu_{sea}$			$N_{meas}$
$\mu_{val}(RI-MOM)$	0.0030, 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0120		240
$\mu_{val}(\text{alternative calc.})$	0.0030, 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0120		152
$\mu_{sea}$	0.0060, 0.0080		
$\mu_{val}(RI-MOM)$	0.0030, 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0120		160
$\mu_{val}(\text{alternative calc.})$	0.0030, 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0120		130
$\mu_{sea}$	0.0120		
$\mu_{val}(\text{alternative calc.})$	<del>0.0030, 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0120</del>		130

excluded data  
from the final analysis

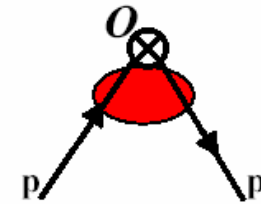
# RI-MOM method

Define the Green function:

$$G_{\Gamma}^{ud}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') = a^8 \sum_{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}} \langle \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x}) (\bar{\mathbf{u}} \Gamma \mathbf{d})_0 \bar{\mathbf{d}}(\mathbf{y}) \rangle e^{-i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x} + i\mathbf{p}' \cdot \mathbf{y}} \text{ for } \Gamma = \mathbf{S}, \mathbf{P}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{A}, \mathbf{T} \leftrightarrow \mathbf{I}, \gamma_5, \gamma_{\mu}, \gamma_5 \gamma_{\mu}, \sigma_{\mu\nu}$$

Quark propagator :  $S_q(\mathbf{p}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} \langle \mathbf{q}(\mathbf{x}) \bar{\mathbf{q}}(0) \rangle e^{-i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x}}, \quad \mathbf{q} = \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{d}$

Evaluate:  $\Gamma_{\Gamma}^{ud}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') = \text{Tr} [S_u(\mathbf{p})^{-1} G_{\Gamma}^{ud}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}') S_d(\mathbf{p}')^{-1} P_{\Gamma}]$



*at fixed (Landau) gauge*

Impose the condition:  $Z_{\Gamma} Z_q^{-1} \Gamma_{\Gamma}^{ud}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{p}) \Big|_{\substack{\mu_q \rightarrow 0 \\ p^2 = k^2}} = 1$

with:

$$Z_q \frac{i}{12} \text{Tr} \left[ \frac{(\gamma \cdot \mathbf{p}) S(\mathbf{p})^{-1}}{p^2} \right]_{p^2 = k^2}^{\mu_q \rightarrow 0} = 1$$

“ $\mu_q \rightarrow 0$ ” : take valence & sea  
chiral limit

$$(\Lambda_{\text{QCD}} \ll \mathbf{k} \ll \pi / \mathbf{a})$$

*Martinelli, Pittori, Sachrajda, Testa, Vladikas, NPB 1995*  
*Gimenez, Giusti, Rapuano, Talevi, NPB 1998*

## ***$O(a)$ improvement***

- ◆ Asymptotic  $O(a)$ -improvement at large  $p^2$  and  $\mu_q \rightarrow 0$

*Becirevic, Gimenez, Lubicz, Martinelli, Papinutto, Reyes, JHEP 2004*

- ◆  $O(a)$ -improvement for any  $p^2$  thanks to the symmetries of the action at maximal twist  
(see Roberto's talk at Trento Workshop 2008)

- ◆ Increase the statistics by taking the average:

$$\begin{aligned} Z_\Gamma &= (Z_\Gamma^{\text{ud}} + Z_\Gamma^{\text{du}})/2 \\ Z_q &= (Z_q^{\text{u}} + Z_q^{\text{d}})/2 \end{aligned}$$

- ◆ For the scale dependent RC:  $Z(\mu) = C(\mu) Z^{\text{RGI}}$

$$\text{where: } C(\mu) = e^{\int_{\alpha(\mu)}^{\alpha} d\alpha \gamma(\alpha) / \beta(\alpha)} \quad (\text{N}^2\text{LO for } Z_T, \text{N}^3\text{LO for } Z_S, Z_P)$$

*Gracey, NPB 2003*

*Chetyrkin & Retey, NPB 2000*

## *The Goldstone pole:*

- ◆ The pseudoscalar vertex couples to the PGB pole:

$$\Gamma_P \approx \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{p}^2) + \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{p}^2) \frac{\langle \bar{\Psi} \Psi \rangle}{\mathbf{m}_q \mathbf{p}^2} + \dots$$

*Cudell, Yaouanc, Pittori, PLB 1999*

- ◆ For the pole subtraction use two methods:
  - (a) Fit the pole term and subtract;
  - (b) Calculate the “subtracted” vertex:

$$\Gamma_P^{\text{SUB}} = \frac{\mathbf{m}_1 \Gamma_P(\mathbf{m}_1) - \mathbf{m}_2 \Gamma_P(\mathbf{m}_2)}{\mathbf{m}_1 - \mathbf{m}_2} \approx \Gamma_P(\mathbf{m}_1) + \mathbf{m}_1 \frac{\partial \Gamma_P}{\partial \mathbf{m}_1} = \mathbf{A} + \dots$$

*Giusti, Vladikas, PLB 2000*

*In our analysis both methods give compatible results.*


- ◆ Scalar vertex (twist): the PGB pole is suppressed by a factor  $O(a^2)$

**Subtract  $O(a^2g^2)$  perturbative terms from RI-MOM vertices:**

$O(a^2)$  corrections to the propagator and bilinears of clover fermions with Symanzik improved gluons

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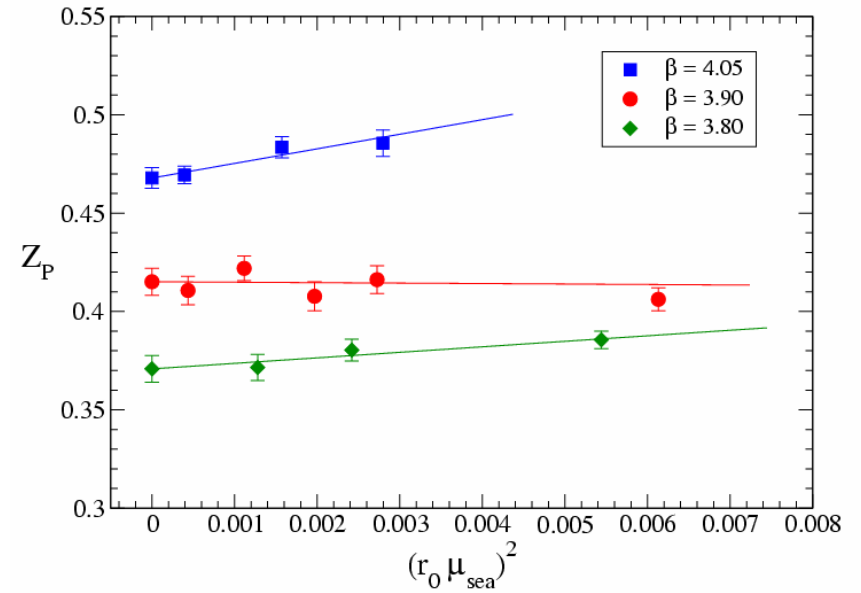
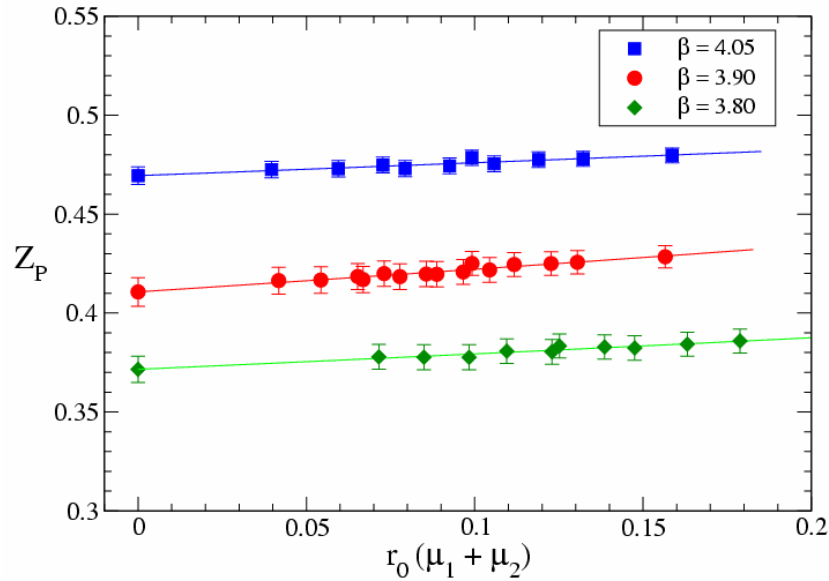
Internal report, 2008

 Numerical application of the  $O(a^2g^2)$  subtractions using two choices for  $g^2$ :

- (i)  $g_0^2 = 6 / \beta$
- (ii)  $g^2(\text{boosted}) = g_0^2 / \langle U_{\text{plaq}} \rangle$

- *In the following we show results obtained with (ii).*
- *Moreover, it will be seen that the results for the RCs, before and after the subtractions, are compatible within the errors.*

# $Z_P$ : valence & sea chiral limit



Valence chiral limit at  
 $a\mu_{\text{sea}} = a\mu_{\text{sea}}^{\text{min}}$   
 for each  $\beta$  value

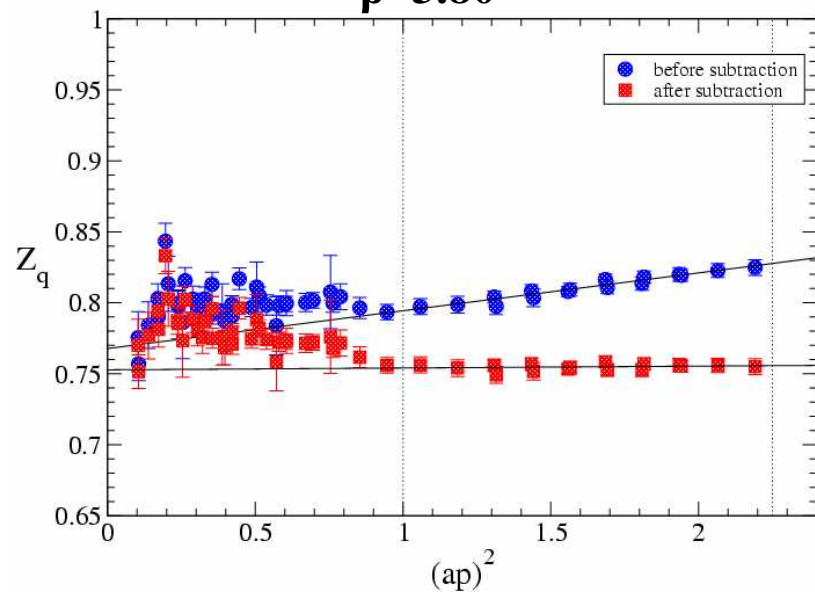
Sea chiral limit

(after subtracting the  $O(a^2 g^2)$  terms)

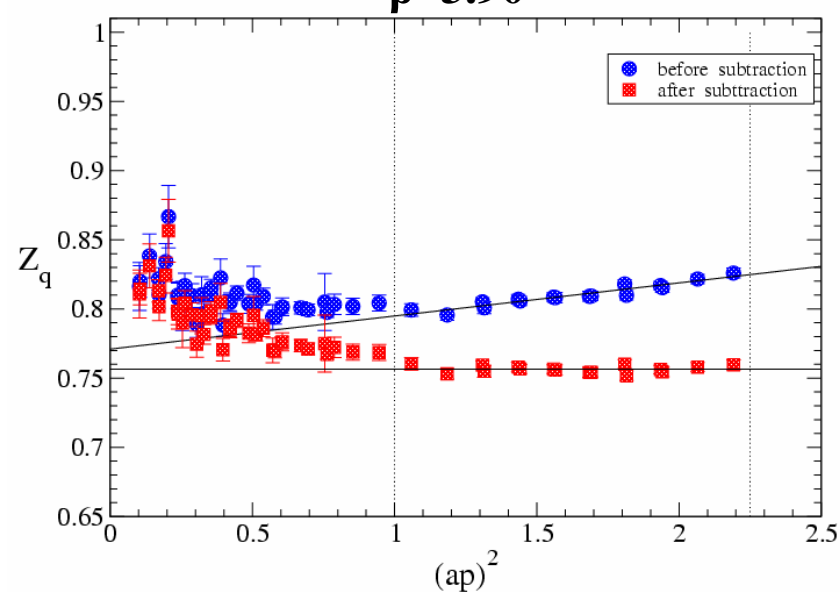


# $Z_q (1/a)_\beta$

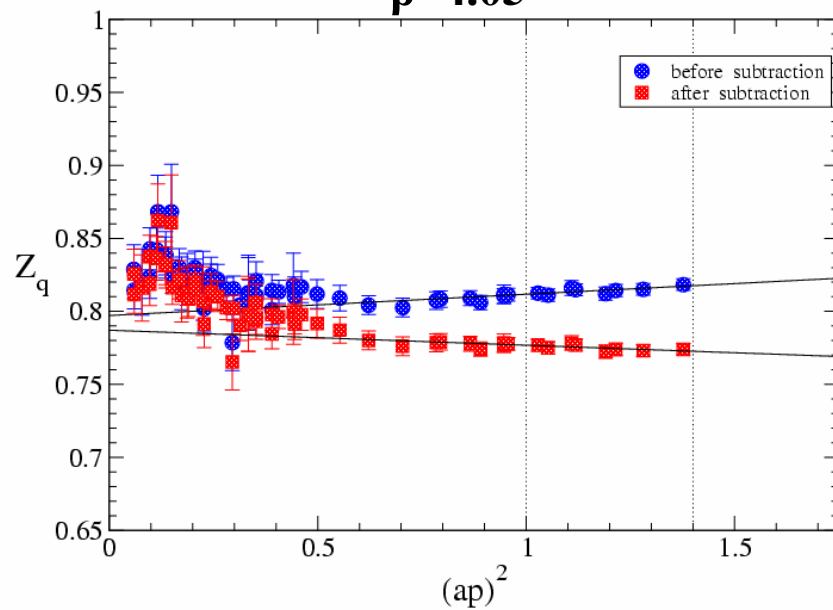
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$\beta=3.90$

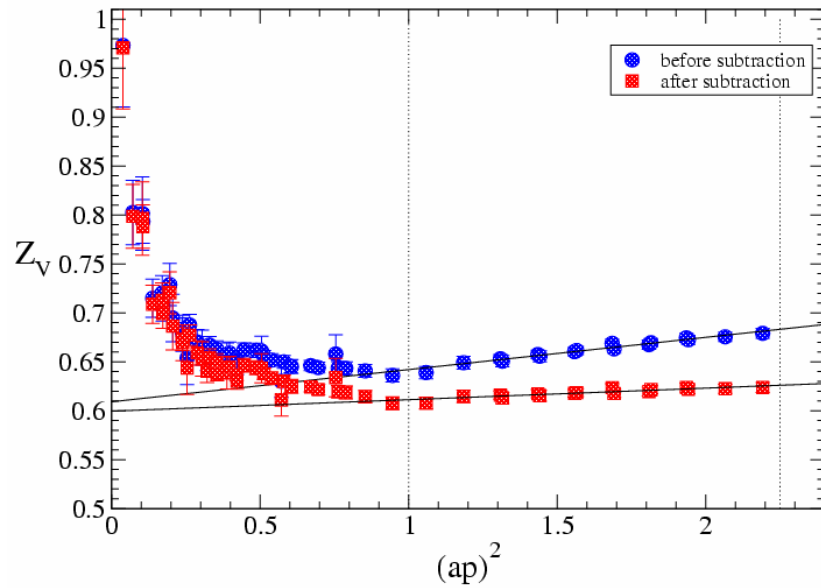


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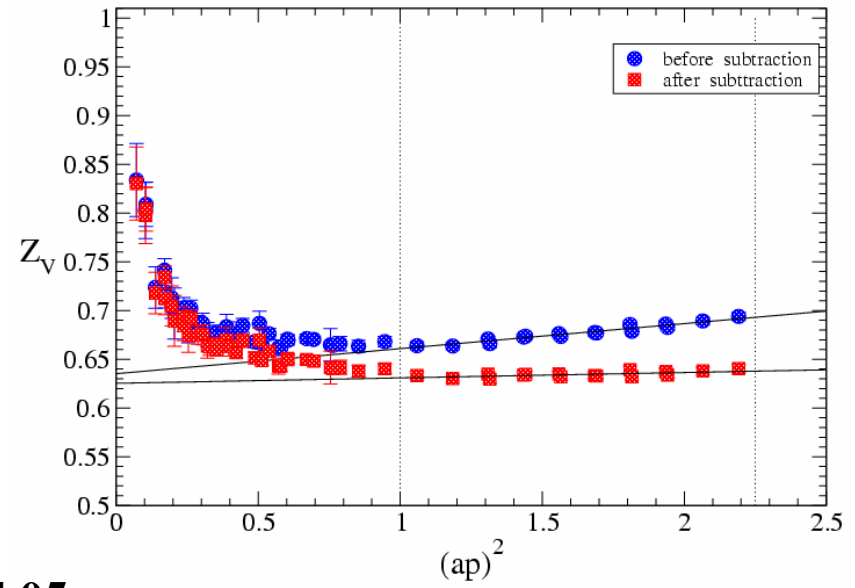


# $Z_V$

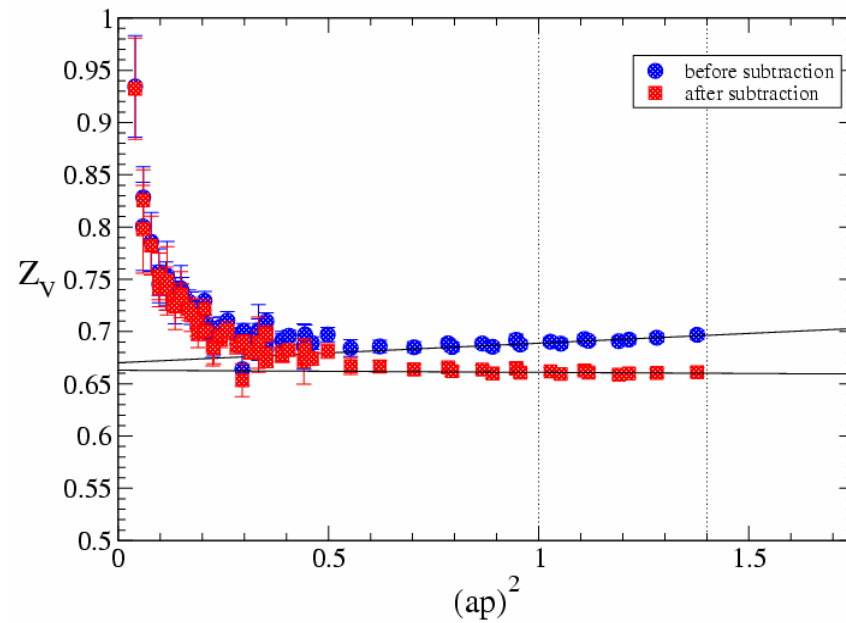
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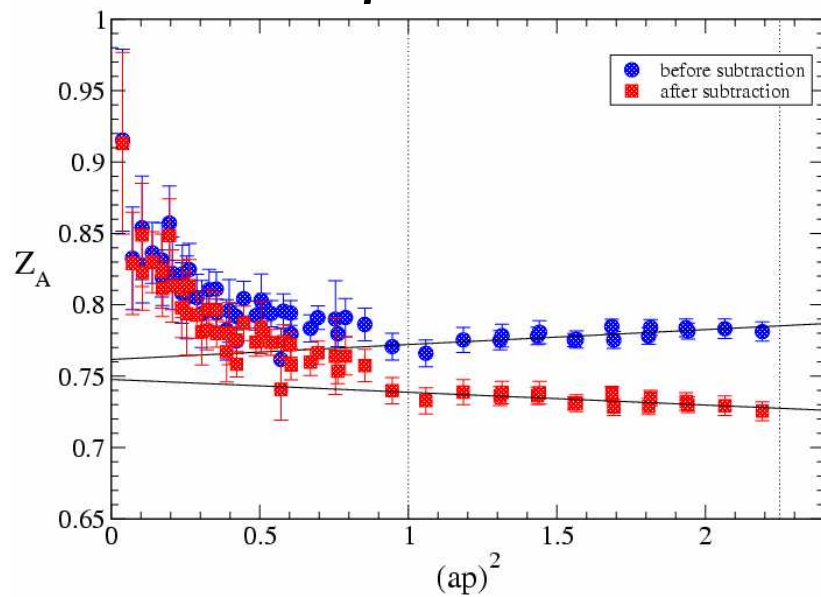


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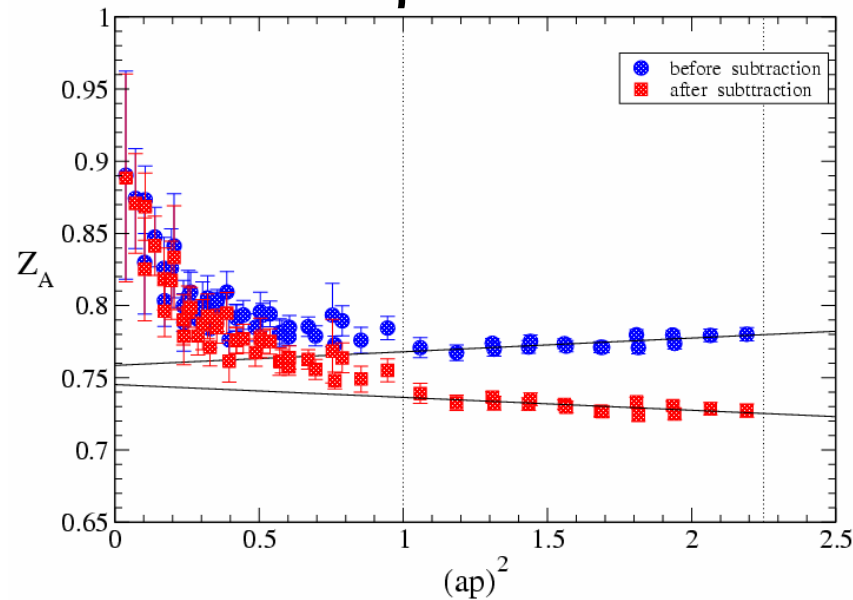


# $Z_A$

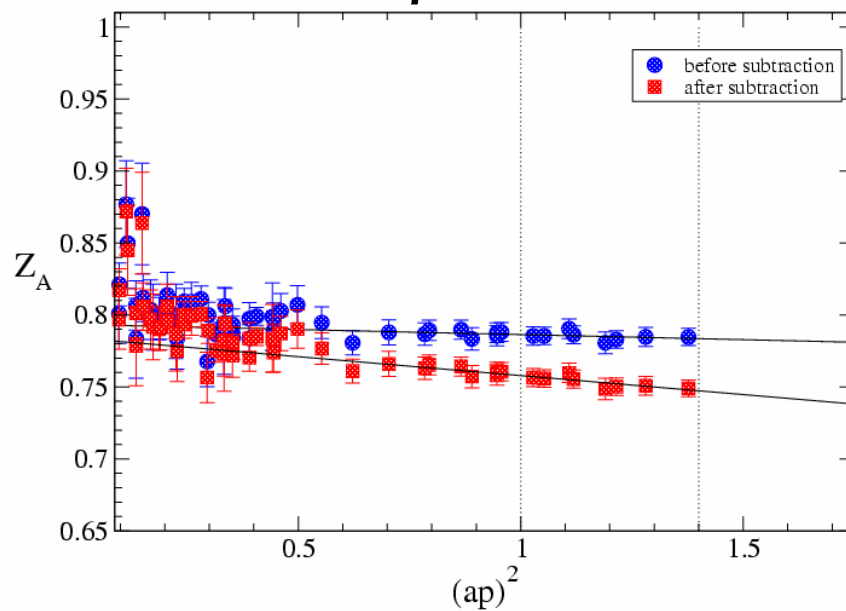
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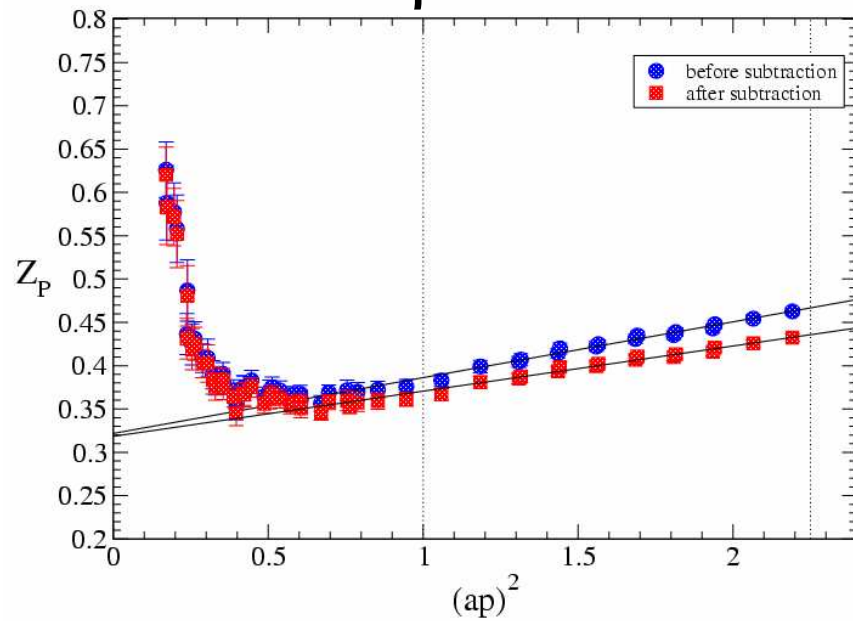


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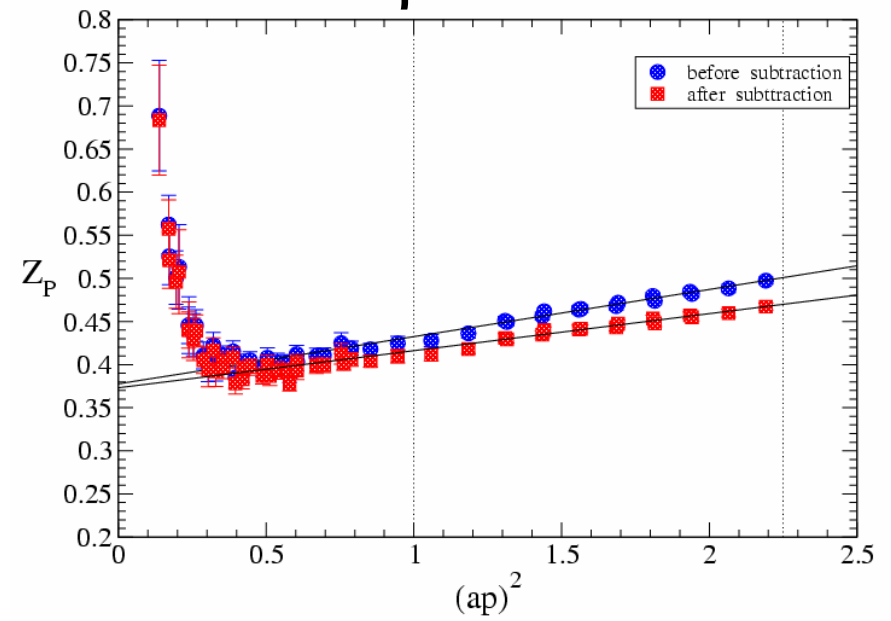


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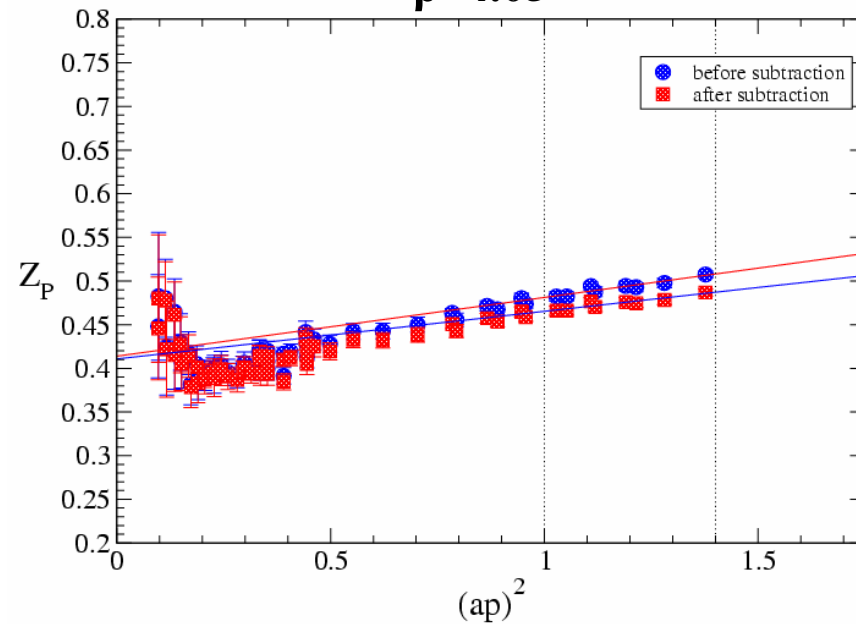
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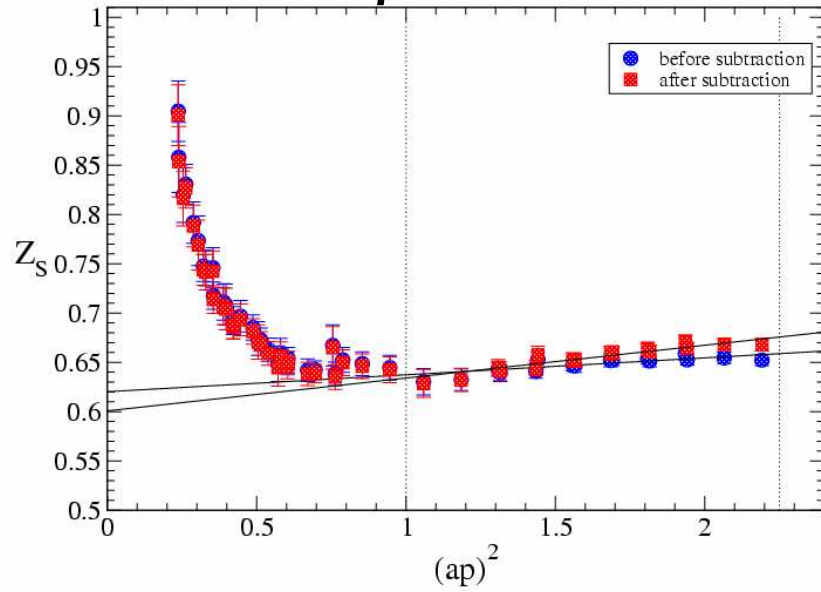


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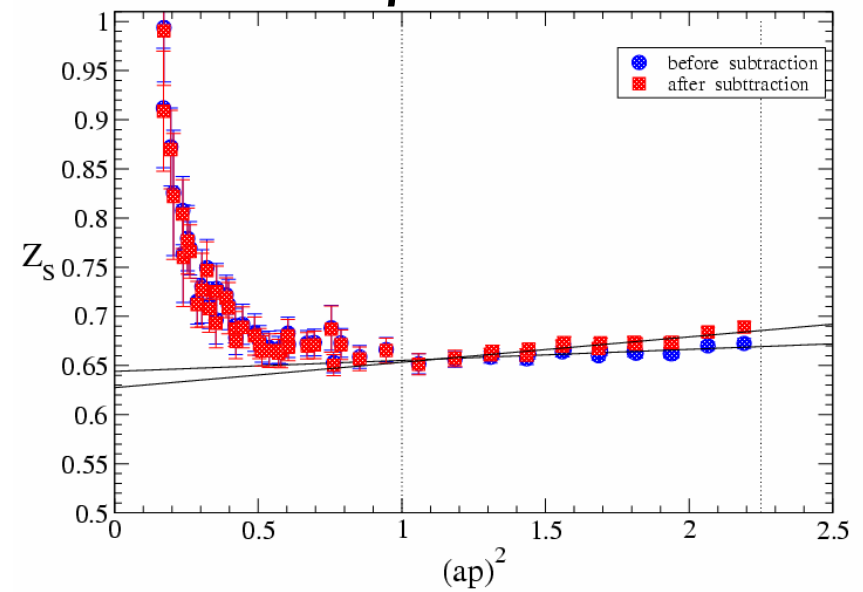


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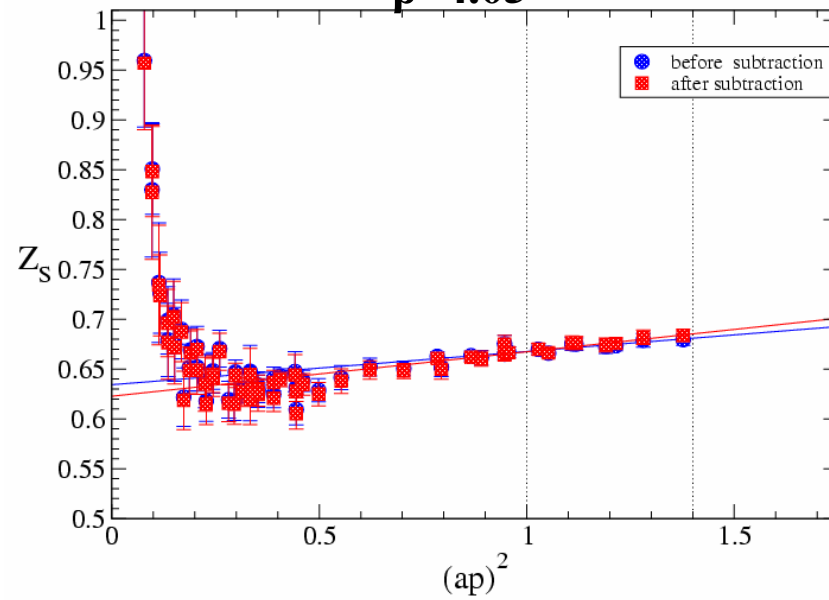
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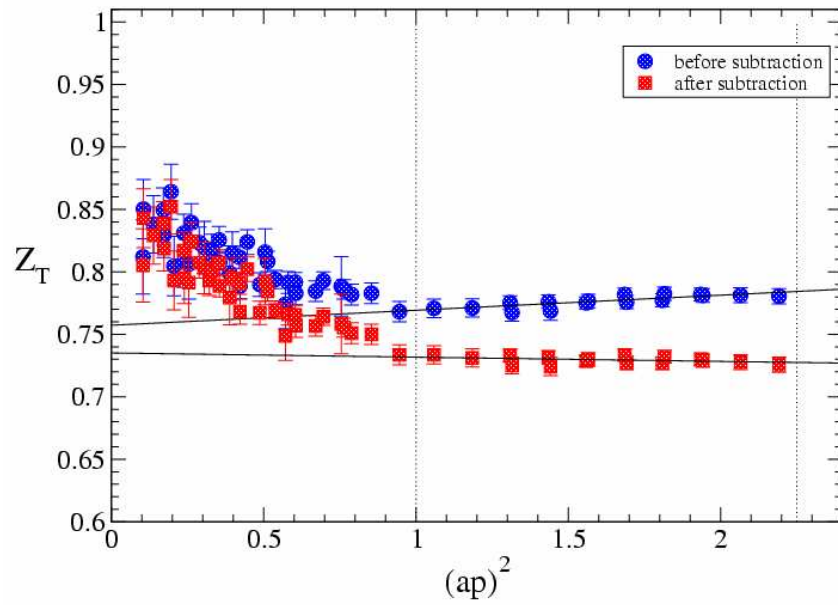


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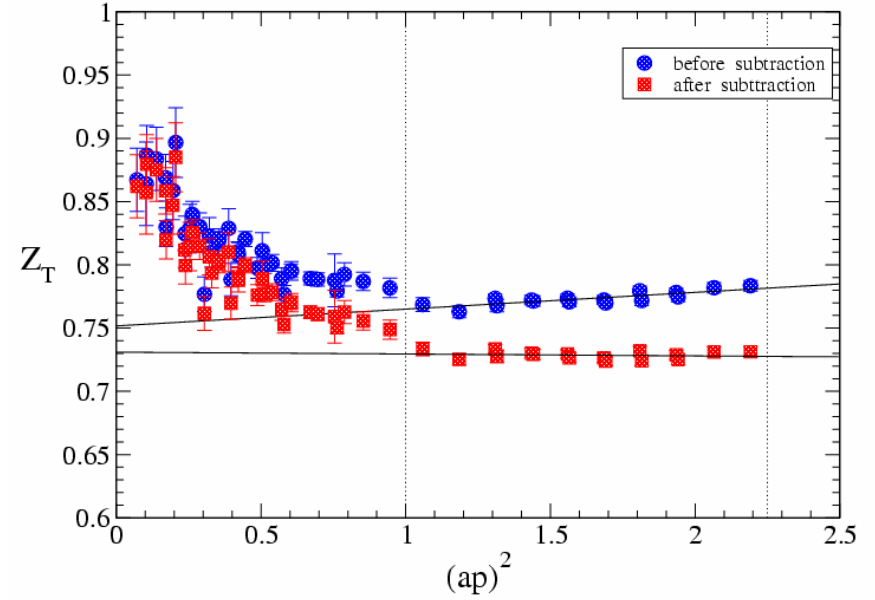


# $Z_T (1/a)_\beta$

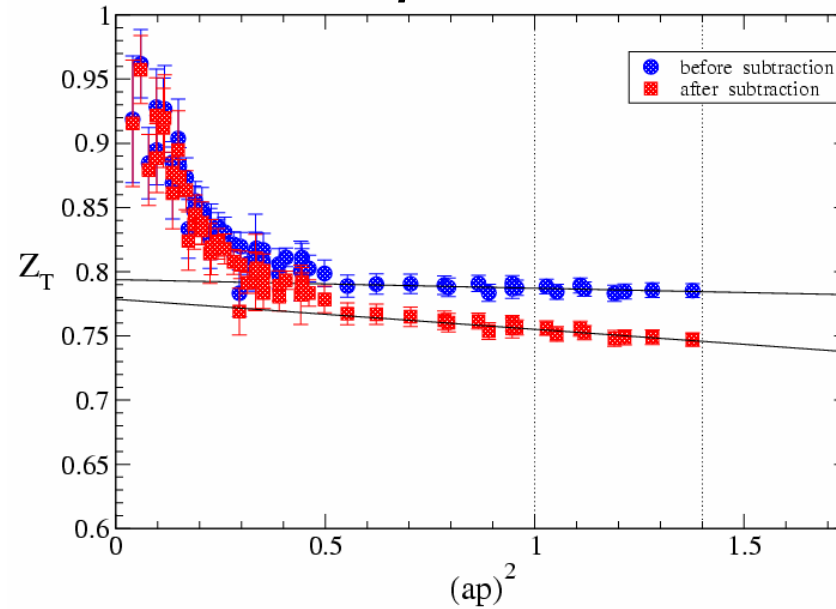
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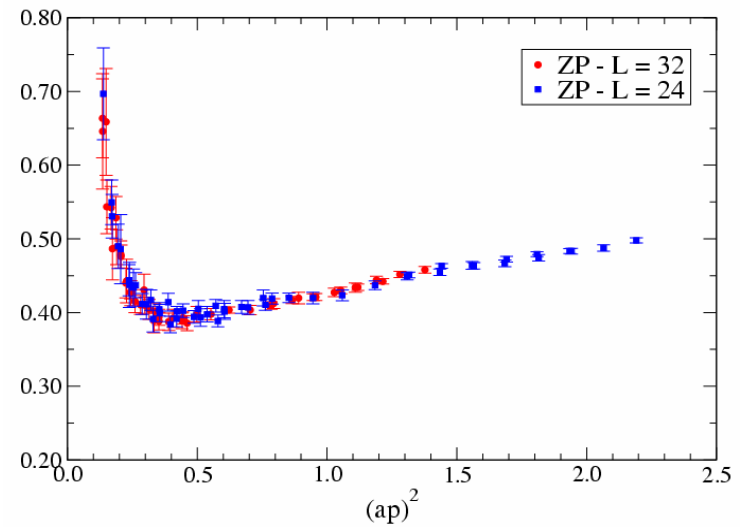
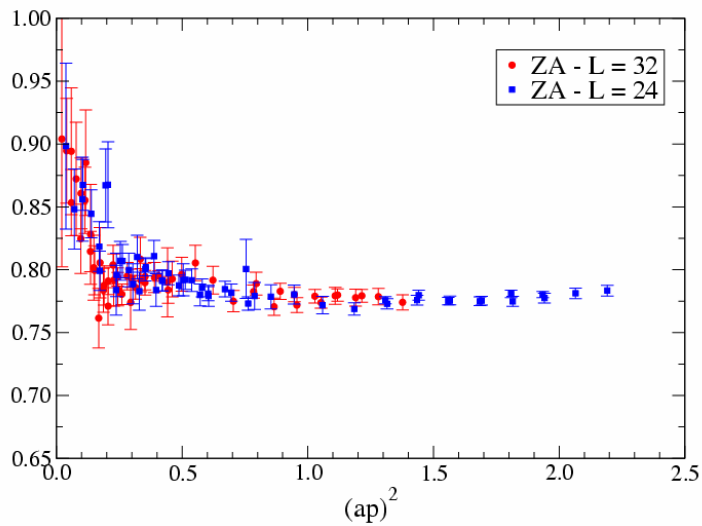
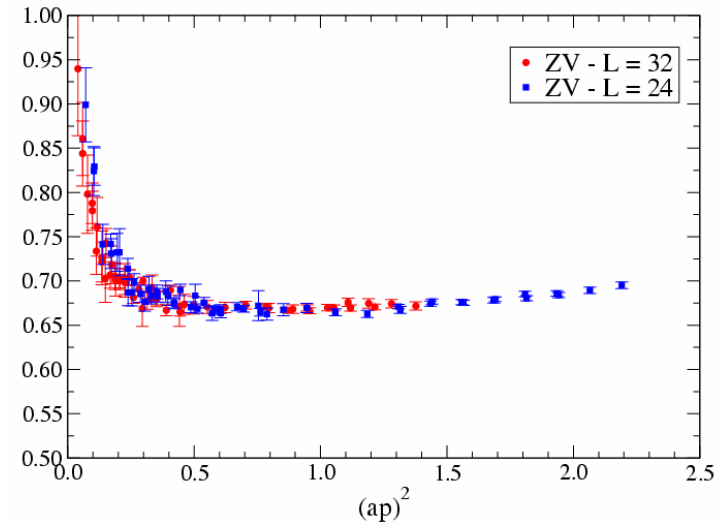
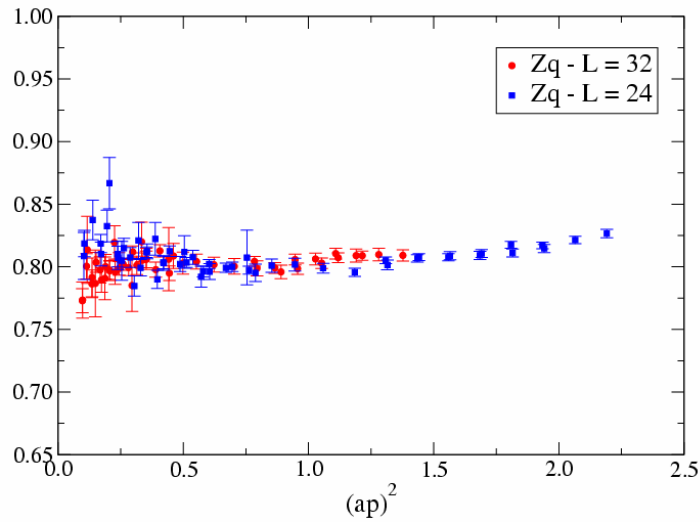


$\beta=4.05$



# Check for finite volume effects

$\beta = 3.90$  @  $a\mu_{\text{sea}} = 0.0040$



## **Scale Independent RCs: alternative methods**



Consider the valence action  
in the physical basis :

with:

$$S_{val} = a^4 \sum_x \bar{\psi}(x) (\gamma \tilde{\nabla} - i\gamma_5 r W_{cr} + \mu_q) \psi(x)$$

$$W_{cr} = -\frac{a}{2} \sum_{\mu} \nabla_{\mu}^* \nabla_{\mu} + M_{cr} (r = 1)$$

$$\mu_q = \text{diag}(\mu_u \ \mu_d) \quad r = \text{diag}(r_u \ r_d)$$

$$r_u = r_d = \pm 1 \quad \longrightarrow \quad OS \text{ case}$$

$$r_u = -r_d = \pm 1 \quad \longrightarrow \quad tm \text{ case}$$

Make a chiral rotation back to the twisted basis:

tm case

OS case

$$(u, d) = \exp[i(\gamma_5 \tau_3 \pi/4)](u', d') \quad (u, d) = \exp[i(\gamma_5 \pi/4)](u', d')$$

Then for a renormalised bilinear operator we have:

$$Z_{O_{\tilde{\Gamma}}} \langle O_{\tilde{\Gamma}} \rangle^{tm} = Z_{O_{\tilde{\Gamma}}} \langle O_{\tilde{\Gamma}} \rangle^{OS} + O(a^2)$$

OS case

$$(A_R)_{\mu,ud} = Z_A A_{\mu,ud} = Z_A A'_{\mu,ud}$$

$$(V_R)_{\mu,ud} = Z_V V_{\mu,ud} = Z_V V'_{\mu,ud}$$

$$(P_R)_{ud} = Z_S P_{ud} = i Z_S S'_{ud}$$

tm case

$$(A_R)_{\mu,ud} = Z_V A_{\mu,ud} = -i Z_V V'_{\mu,ud}$$

$$(V_R)_{\mu,ud} = Z_A V_{\mu,ud} = -i Z_A A'_{\mu,ud}$$

$$(P_R)_{ud} = Z_P P_{ud} = Z_P P'_{ud}$$

**$Z_P / Z_S$**

Consider the matrix element,  $g_\pi = \langle 0 | P | \pi \rangle$   
in the two regularisations

For the renormalised values we set the condition:

$$[g_{\pi^\pm}]^{cont} = Z_P [g'_{\pi^\pm}]^{tm} + O(a^2) = Z_S [g'_\pi]^{OS} + O(a^2)$$

from which, at the chiral limit, we obtain the value of  $Z_P / Z_S$

**$Z_A$**

Consider the pseudoscalar decay constant in the two regularisations

$$f_{\pi^\pm}^{tm} = 2\mu_q g_\pi / m_\pi^2 \quad (\text{no renormalisation constant is needed})$$

$$f_\pi^{OS} = \frac{\langle 0 | A_0 | \pi \rangle}{m_\pi} \quad (Z_A \text{ is needed for the renormalisation})$$

We use the equality of renormalised quantities up to  $O(a^2)$  terms:

$$[f_{\pi^\pm}]^{cont} = f_{\pi^\pm}^{tm} + O(a^2) = Z_A f_\pi^{OS} + O(a^2)$$

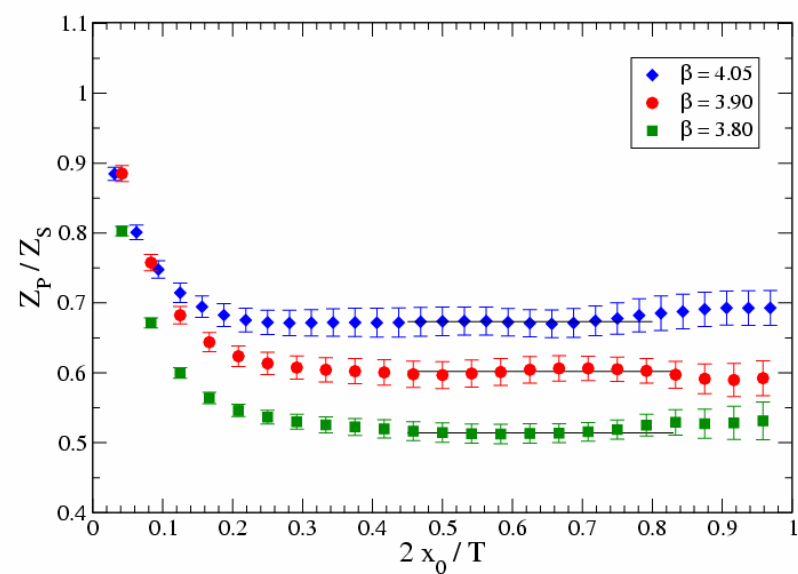
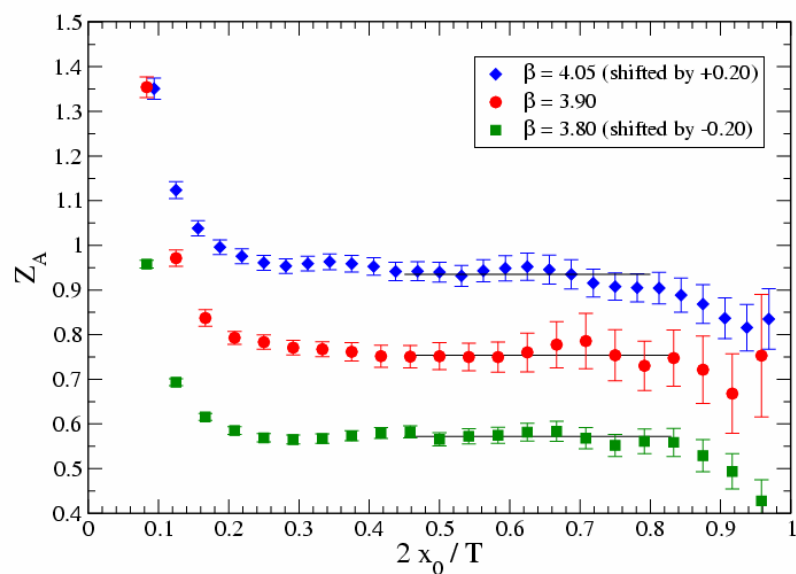
and in the chiral limit we obtain  $Z_A$

**$Z_V$**

Use of only tm quarks and WI yields  $Z_V$  :

$$Z_V = \frac{(\mu_1 + \mu_2) C_{PP}(x_0)}{\tilde{\partial} C_{A_0 P}(x_0)} \Big|_{\chi\text{-limit}}$$

# Quality of plateaux

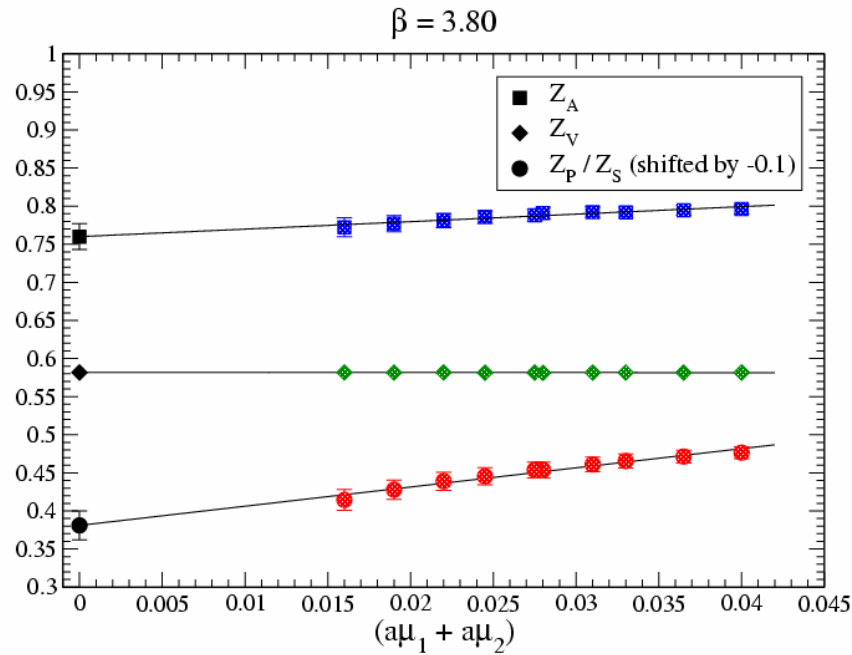


$$(\mathbf{a}\mu_{\text{sea}}^{\min} = \mathbf{a}\mu_1 = \mathbf{a}\mu_2)$$

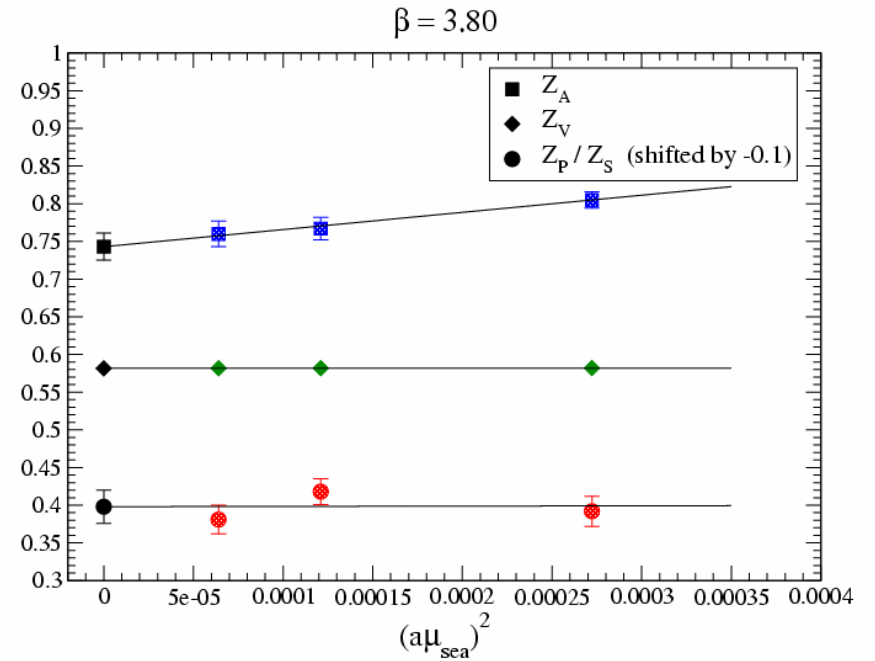
$\left[ \begin{array}{l} \text{at the minimum value of the sea} \\ \text{quark mass for each value of } \beta \end{array} \right]$

# Valence & Sea chiral limit

$$\beta = 3.80$$



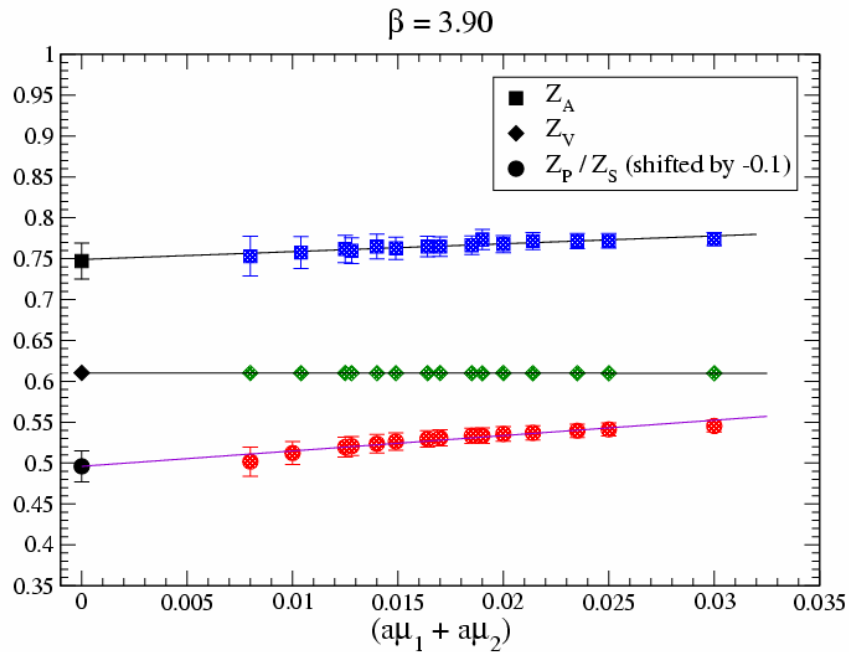
**Valence chiral limit**  
at  $a\mu_{\text{sea}} = a\mu_{\text{sea}}^{\text{min}}$



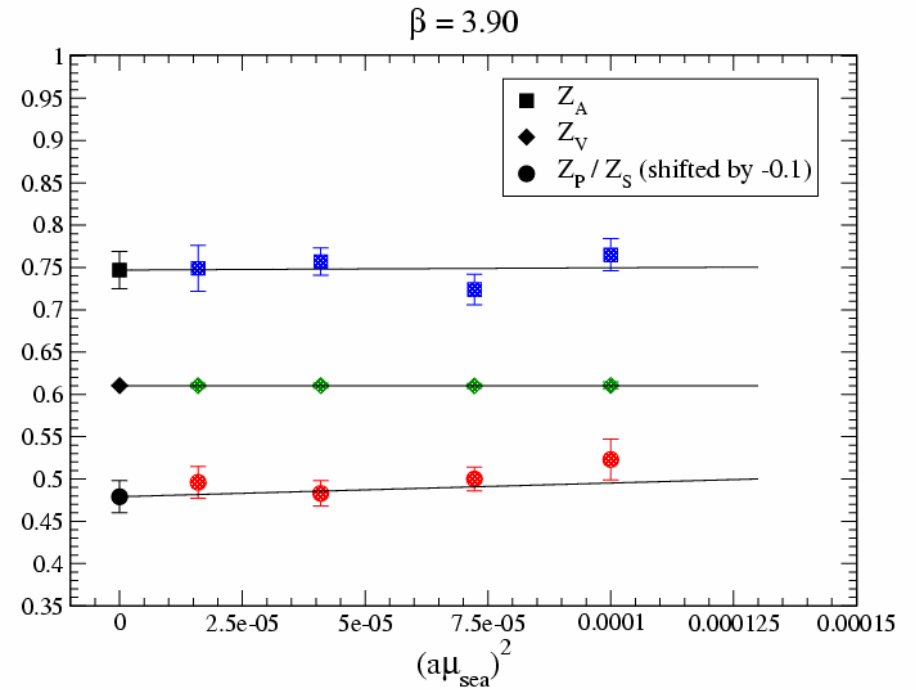
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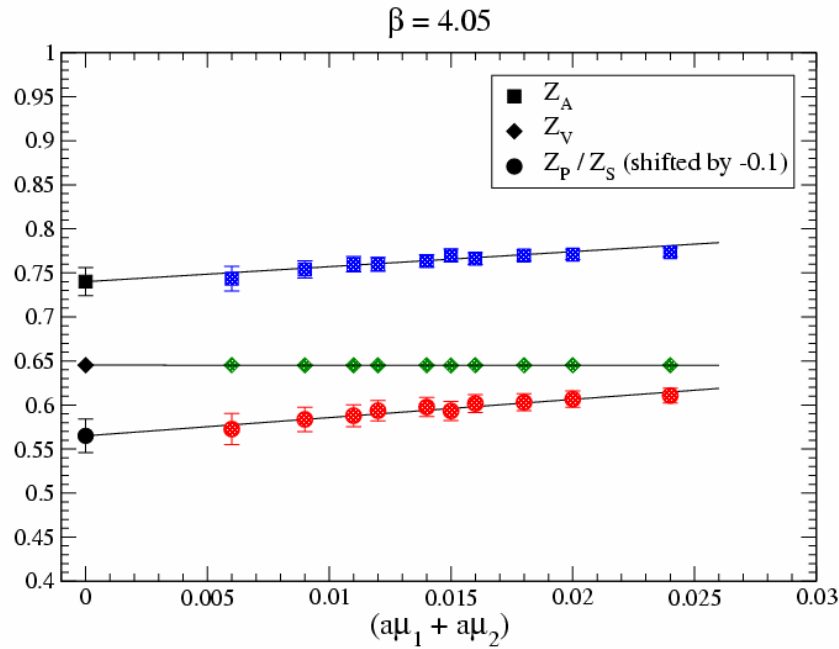
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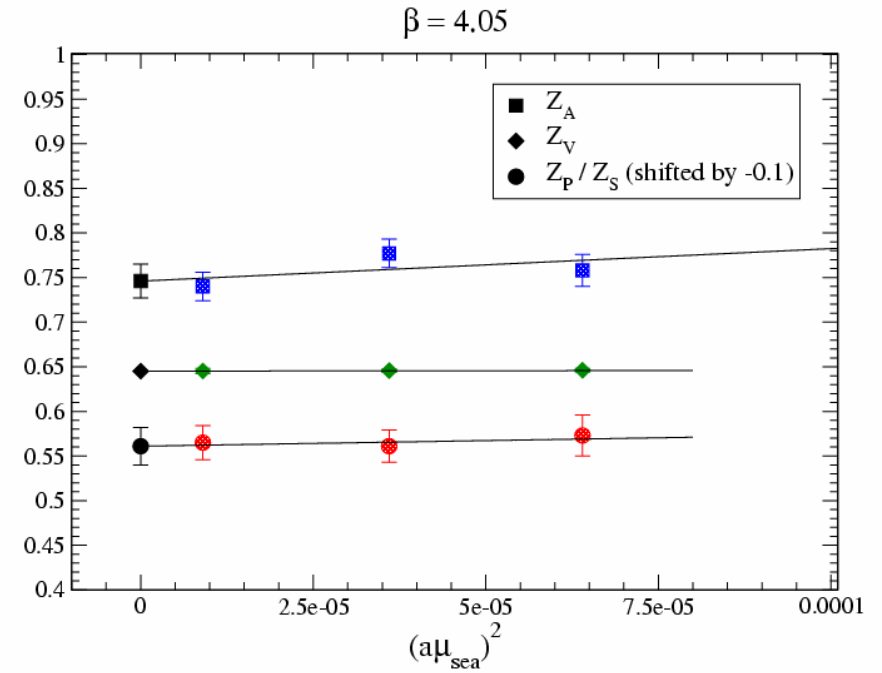
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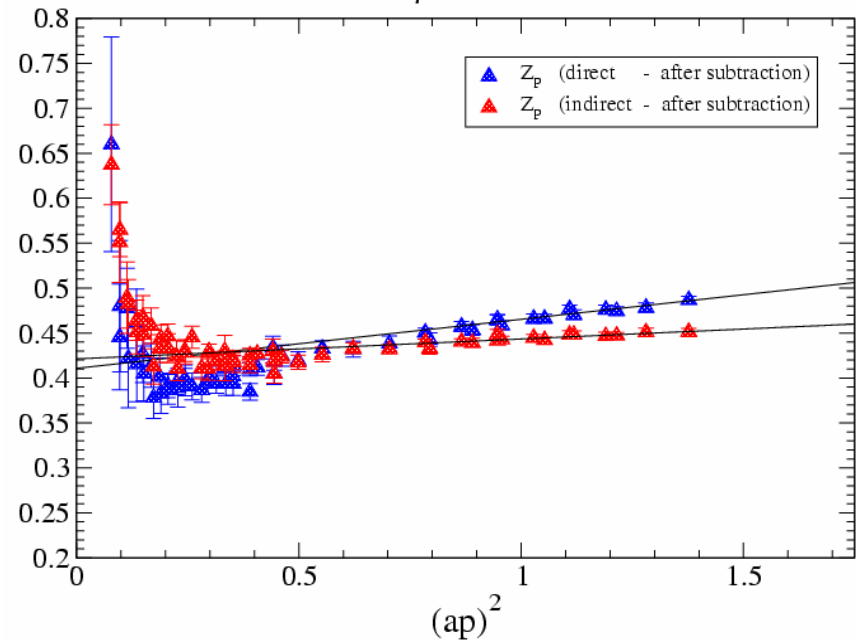
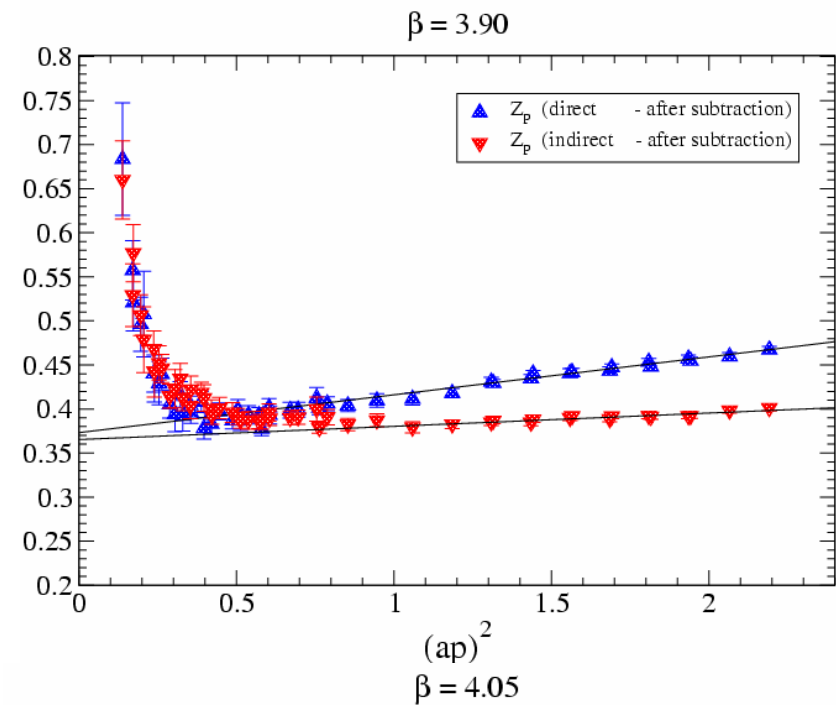
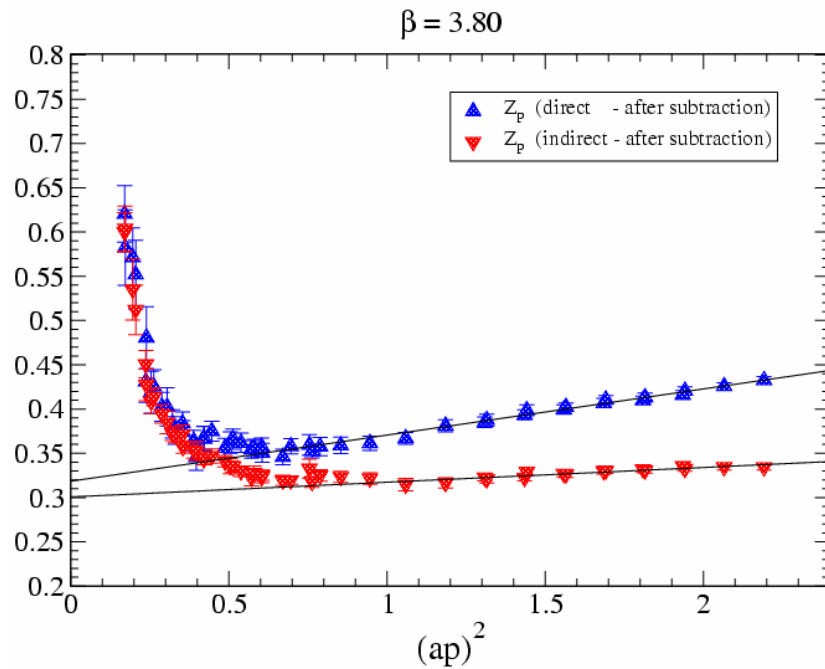


**Valence chiral limit**  
at  $a\mu_{\text{sea}} = a\mu_{\text{sea}}^{\text{min}}$



**Sea chiral limit**

# $Z_P$ -RI-MOM vs. $Z_P$ -indirect



$$Z_P^{\text{indirect}}(1/a) = \left( \frac{Z_P}{Z_S} \right)_{\text{OS/tm}} Z_S^{\text{RI-MOM}}(1/a)$$

*Compatible results within the errors!*

# RESULTS

	$\beta$	lin. fit in $p^2$ w/o sub.	lin. fit in $p^2$ with sub.	" $p^2$ -window" with sub.	alternative method
$\mathcal{Z}_V$	3.80	0.609(8) $[33(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.600(8) $[12(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.621(4)	0.5816(2)
	3.90	0.635(7) $[26(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.625(7) $[8(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.633(3)	0.6103(3)
	4.05	0.670(9) $[19(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(9) $[-2(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(3)	0.6451(3)
$\mathcal{Z}_A$	3.80	0.762(11) $[11(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.748(11) $[-9(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.732(5)	0.747(22)
	3.90	0.759(11) $[10(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.745(11) $[-9(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.734(4)	0.743(18)
	4.05	0.793(11) $[-7(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.784(11) $[-26(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.762(6)	0.746(18)
$\mathcal{Z}_P/\mathcal{Z}_S$	3.80	0.538(17) $[75(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.555(17) $[41(8) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.496(22)
	3.90	0.592(18) $[70(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.603(18) $[37(8) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.579(19)
	4.05	0.648(20) $[70(16) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.654(20) $[41(16) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.661(21)
$\mathcal{Z}_S(1/a)$	3.80	0.620(15) $[17(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.601(16) $[33(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.661(6)	
	3.90	0.644(11) $[12(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.627(12) $[26(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(5)	
	4.05	0.634(14) $[33(12) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.623(15) $[45(13) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.662(5)	
$\mathcal{Z}_P(1/a)$	3.80	0.322(10) $[34(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.318(10) $[52(4) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.300(14)
	3.90	0.378(08) $[55(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.373(08) $[43(4) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.363(13)
	4.05	0.414(11) $[37(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.411(11) $[55(7) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.412(13)
$\mathcal{Z}_T(1/a)$	3.80	0.757(10) $[12(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.735(10) $[-3(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.730(5)	
	3.90	0.752(09) $[13(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.731(09) $[-2(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.730(3)	
	4.05	0.794(13) $[-7(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.779(12) $[-23(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.759(6)	
$\mathcal{Z}_e(1/a)$	3.80	0.768(07) $[27(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.753(07) $[1(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.755(4)	
	3.90	0.771(07) $[24(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.757(07) $[0(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.757(3)	
	4.05	0.797(12) $[15(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.787(12) $[-10(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.777(5)	

$\mathcal{Z}_P$  Indirect



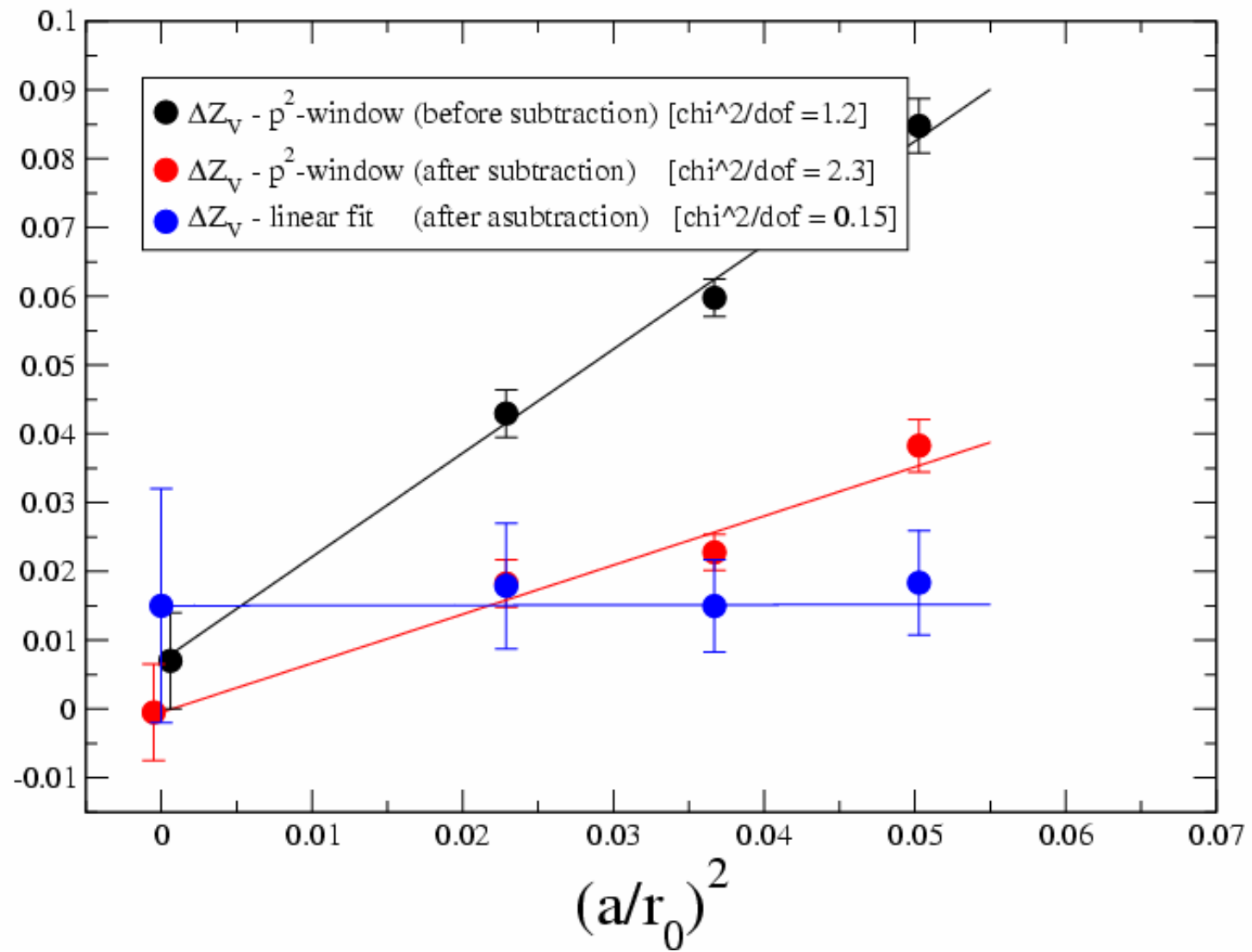
We provide the final results from the RI-MOM calculation using a linear fit in  $(a^2p^2)$  *after subtracting* the estimated  $O(a^2g^2)$  contributions. The reasons for this choice (instead of the “ $p^2$ -window” method) are:

- (a) the small difference in the values of  $Z_V$  between RI-MOM and the WI method.
- (b) the fact that, with this choice, the final results are practically the same either using the  $g^2(\text{boosted})$  or the  $g_0^2$  values in the calculation of the  $O(a^2g^2)$  terms.

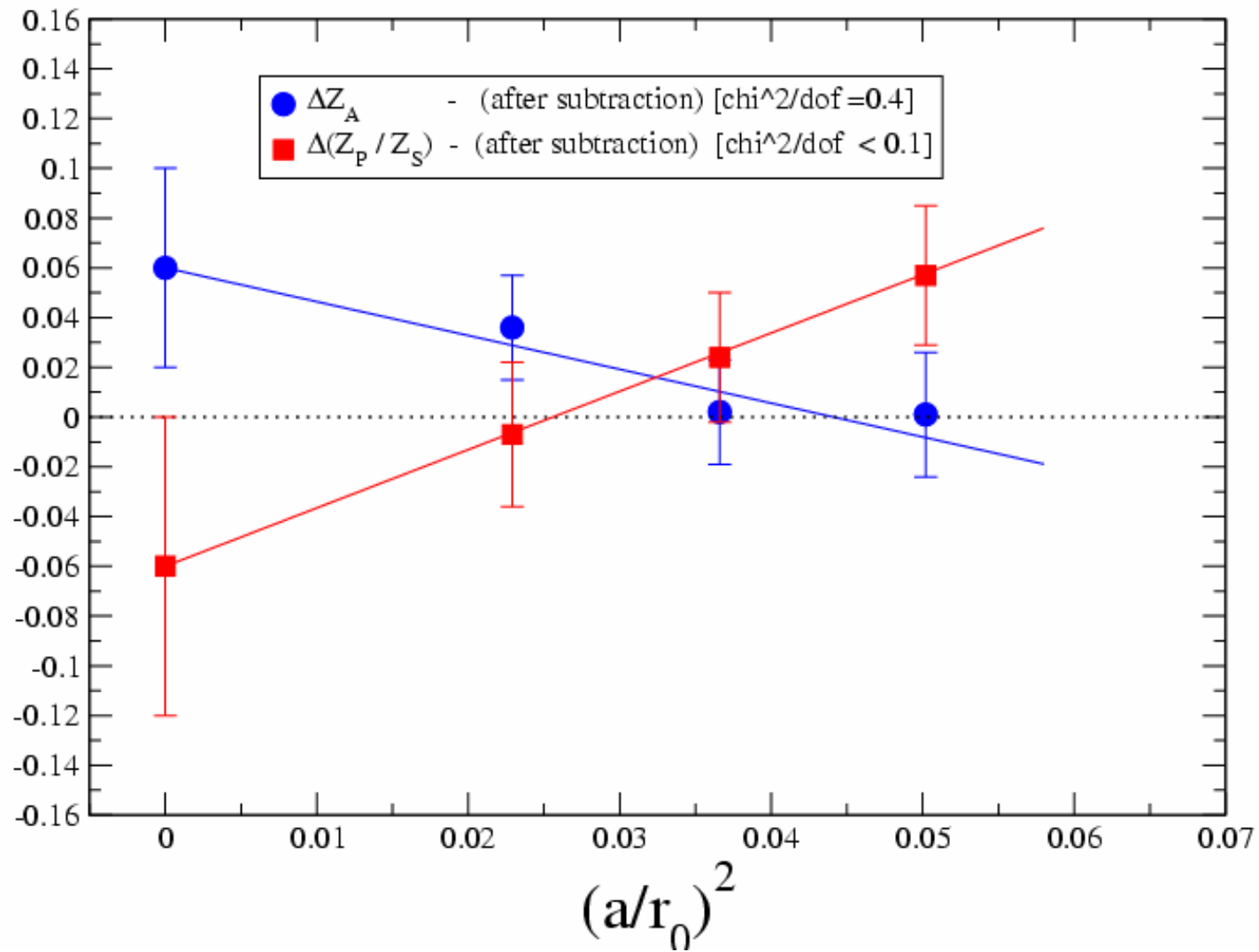
# FINAL RI-MOM RESULTS

	$\beta$	lin. fit in $p^2$ w/o sub.	lin. fit in $p^2$ with sub.	" $p^2$ -window" with sub.	alternative method
$\mathcal{Z}_V$	3.80	0.609(8) $[33(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.600(8) $[12(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.621(4)	0.5816(2)
	3.90	0.635(7) $[26(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.625(7) $[8(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.633(3)	0.6103(3)
	4.05	0.670(9) $[19(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(9) $[-2(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(3)	0.6451(3)
$\mathcal{Z}_A$	3.80	0.762(11) $[11(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.748(11) $[-9(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.732(5)	0.747(22)
	3.90	0.759(11) $[10(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.745(11) $[-9(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.734(4)	0.743(18)
	4.05	0.793(11) $[-7(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.784(11) $[-26(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.762(6)	0.746(18)
$\mathcal{Z}_P/\mathcal{Z}_S$	3.80	0.538(17) $[75(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.555(17) $[41(8) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.498(22)
	3.90	0.592(18) $[70(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.603(18) $[37(8) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.579(19)
	4.05	0.648(20) $[70(16) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.654(20) $[41(16) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.661(21)
$\mathcal{Z}_S(1/a)$	3.80	0.620(15) $[17(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.601(16) $[33(8) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.661(6)	
	3.90	0.644(11) $[12(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.627(12) $[26(6) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.663(5)	
	4.05	0.634(14) $[33(12) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.623(15) $[45(13) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.662(5)	
$\mathcal{Z}_P(1/a)$	3.80	0.322(10) $[34(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.318(10) $[52(4) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.300(14)
	3.90	0.378(06) $[35(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.373(06) $[43(4) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.363(13)
	4.05	0.414(11) $[37(7) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.411(11) $[35(7) \times 10^{-3}]$		0.412(13)
$\mathcal{Z}_T(1/a)$	3.80	0.757(10) $[12(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.735(10) $[-3(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.730(5)	
	3.90	0.752(09) $[13(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.731(09) $[-2(5) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.730(3)	
	4.05	0.794(13) $[-7(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.779(12) $[-23(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.759(6)	
$\mathcal{Z}_q(1/a)$	3.80	0.768(07) $[27(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.753(07) $[1(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.755(4)	
	3.90	0.771(07) $[24(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.757(07) $[0(4) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.757(3)	
	4.05	0.797(12) $[15(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.787(12) $[-10(9) \times 10^{-3}]$	0.777(5)	

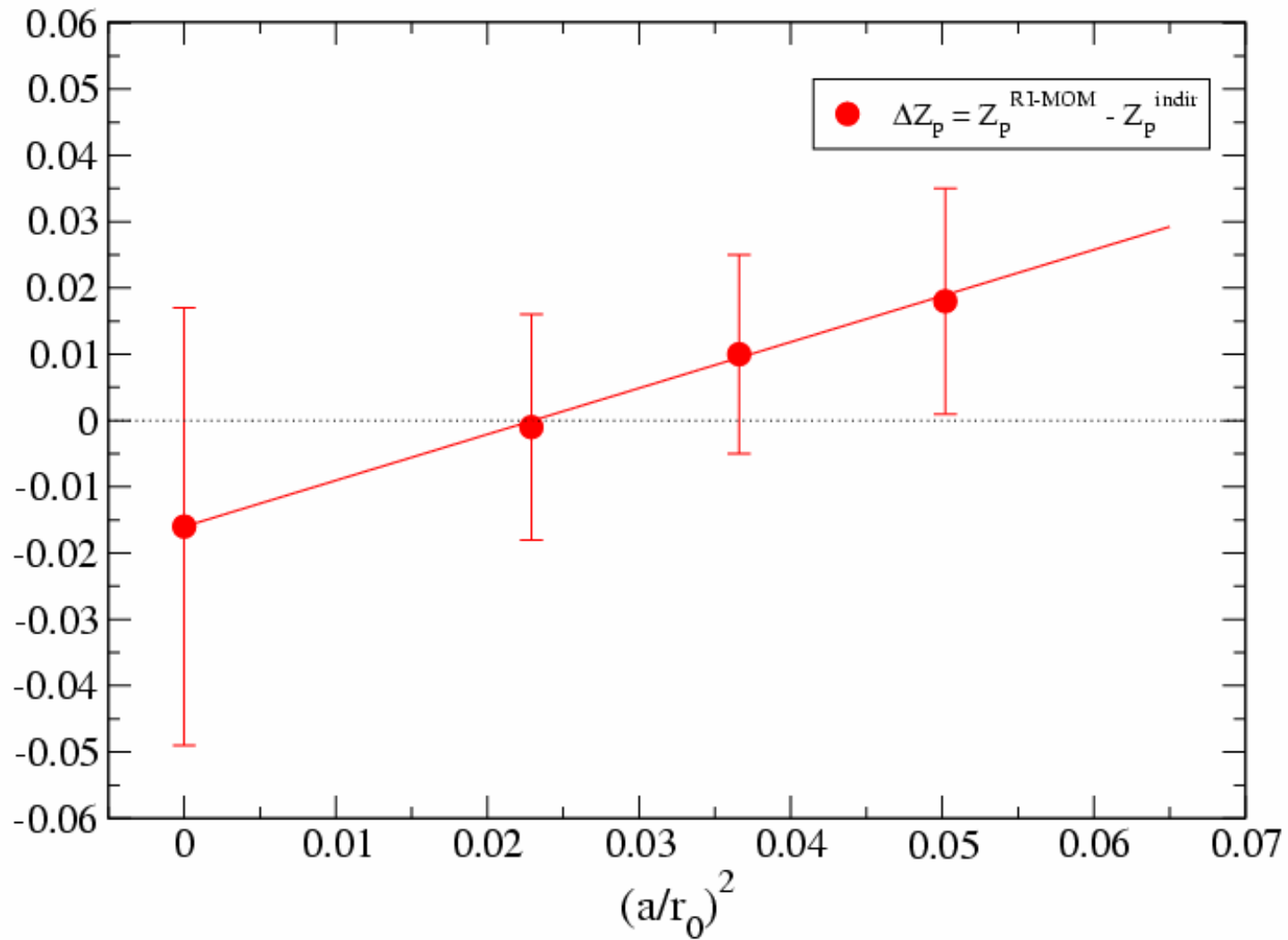
$$\Delta Z_V = Z_V^{\text{RI-MOM}} - Z_V^{\text{WI}}$$



# $\Delta Z_A$ & $\Delta(Z_P/Z_S)$



$$\Delta Z_P = Z_P^{\text{RI-MOM}} - Z_P^{\text{Indirect}}$$



# $N_f = 2+1+1$ : RCs for the bilinear operators

- New (special) production runs with  $N_f=4$ .
- Relax the accuracy of  $\text{am}_{\text{pcac}} \sim 0.005\text{-}0.010$ ; from the  $N_f=0$  experience we have

$$\mathbf{dZ/d(am)}_{\text{pcac}} < 1 \text{ (Becirevic, Gimenez, Lubicz, Martinelli, Papinutto, Reyes, JHEP 2004)}$$

Hence we have good reasons to expect the same in the unquenched case. Therefore, the final error of the Z's, which is of order of 1%, will not be substantially affected.

- Plans for the near future are for the calculation of the RCs at:

$$\beta = 1.90$$

$$\mathbf{L=24, T=48}$$

(the choice of the temporal extension reflects the need to be sure about the pion state isolation and therefore get a safer estimate for  $\text{am}_{\text{pcac}}$ )

$$\mathbf{a\mu}_{\text{sea}} = 0.0060, \textcircled{0.0080}, 0.0100, [\text{or } 0.0120]$$

$$\mathbf{a\mu}_{\text{val}} = 0.0060, 0.0080, 0.0100, 0.0120, 0.0140, 0.0160 \dots$$

Next run at...

Thermalisation is already under way. This  $\mathbf{a\mu}_{\text{sea}}$  value will serve for a useful comparison, since for it we already have (massive-scheme) estimates of the RCs calculated in the  $N_f=2+1+1$  theory.