

# Near-threshold hadron scattering using effective field theory

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# Background

Exotic hadrons  $\rightarrow T_{cc}, X(3872), f_0(980), a_0, P_c, Z_c$

Internal structure  $\longleftrightarrow$  Scattering lengths  $a$   
and effective range  $r$

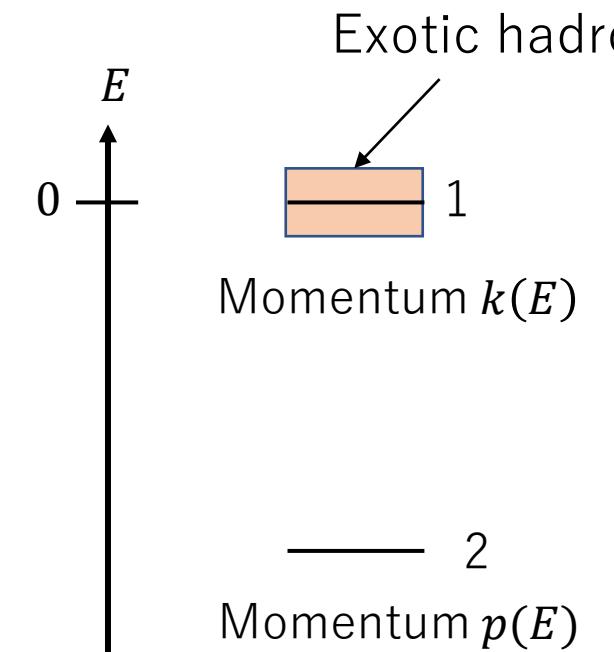
For near-threshold exotic hadrons,  
channel couplings are important.

Unstable exotic hadron near the threshold of channel 1

$\rightarrow$  Flatté amplitude has been used[1].

Scattering lengths  $a_F$  and effective range  $r_F$  have been  
determined by the Flatté amplitude[2].

**$a$  and  $r$  in more general framework?**



[1] R.Aaij et al. [LHCb], Phys. Rev. D 102, no.9, 092005 (2020)

[2] V. Baru et al. Eur. Phys. J. A, 23, 523-533 (2005)

# Flatté amplitude

The Flatté amplitude

$$f^F = h(E) \begin{pmatrix} g_1^2 & g_1 g_2 \\ g_1 g_2 & g_2^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

The Flatté parameters

$g_1^2, g_2^2$  : Real coupling constants  
 $E_{BW}$  : Bare energy

The Flatté amplitude has the threshold effect.

$$h(E) = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{E - E_{BW} + i g_2^2 p(E)/2 + \underline{i g_1^2 k(E)/2}}$$

$f_{11}^F, f_{22}^F$  can be written as the effective range expansion in  $k$ .

$$f_{11}^F, f_{22}^F \propto \left( -\frac{1}{a_F} + \frac{1}{2} r_F k^2 - ik + O(k^4) \right)^{-1}$$

$a_F$  : Scattering lengths  
 $r_F$  : Effective range

# $a_F$ and $r_F$

We consider near the threshold 1(region II and III).

$1 \rightarrow 1$  scattering does not occur in region II.

$2 \rightarrow 2$  scattering occurs in both region II and III.

→  $a_F, r_F$  are determined from  $f_{22}^F$   
(ex. [3][1] for  $X(3872)$ ).

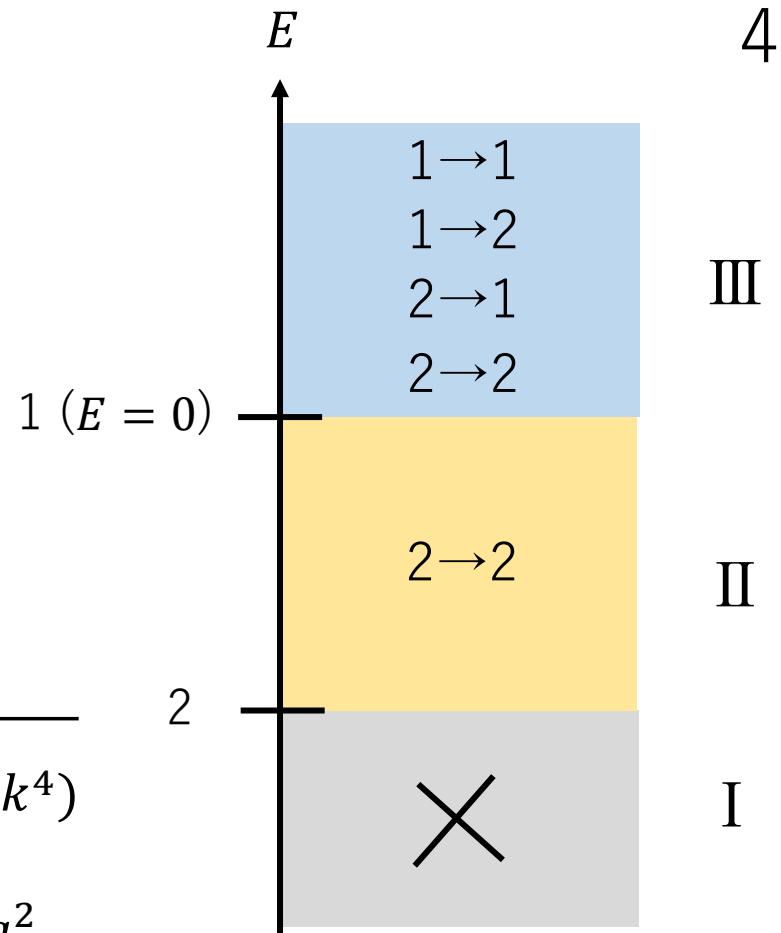
$$f_{22}^F = \frac{\frac{g_2^2}{g_1^2}}{\left(\frac{2E_{BW}}{g_1^2} - i\frac{g_2^2}{g_1^2}p_0\right) - \left(\frac{2}{m_k g_1^2} + i\frac{g_2^2}{2p_0 g_1^2}\right)k^2 - ik + O(k^4)}$$

$$\underline{a_F = -\frac{g_1^2}{2E_{BW} - ig_2^2 p_0}}$$

Scattering length

$$\underline{r_F = -\frac{4}{m_k g_1^2} + i\frac{g_2^2}{p_0 g_1^2}}$$

Effective range



[3] A. Esposito et al., Phys. Rev. D 105 (2022) 3, L031503

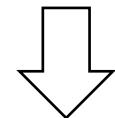
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# General form

We consider the two-channel scattering.

- Conservation of probability

→ Optical theorem with channel couplings

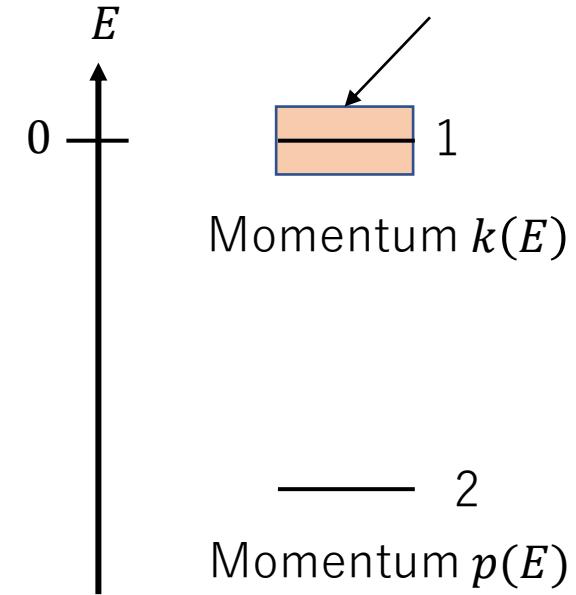


$$f^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} M_{11}(E) - ik & M_{12}(E) \\ M_{21}(E) & M_{22}(E) - ip \end{pmatrix}$$

$M_{nm}$ : Analytic functions of  $E$   
 $k, p$ : Momentum

Flatté amplitude :  $\det(f^F) = 0$

→ **Flatté amplitude does not satisfy the optical theorem.**



Exotic hadron

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# EFT amplitude

As more general framework, we consider the effective field theory(EFT).

The effective field theory(EFT)

Nonrelativistic

Contact interaction

Two channels

The scattering amplitude derived from EFT[5]

$$f^{EFT}(E) = \left\{ \frac{1}{a_{12}^2} - \left( \frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip(E) \right) \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik(E) \right) \right\}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \left( \frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip(E) \right) & \frac{1}{a_{12}} \\ \frac{1}{a_{12}} & \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik(E) \right) \end{pmatrix}$$

$a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}$  : Three EFT parameters

$f^{EFT}$  satisfies the optical theorem with channel couplings.

# $f_{11}$ component

Effective range expansion for  $f_{11}^{EFT}$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{11}^{EFT} &= \frac{\frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip}{\frac{1}{a_{12}^2} - \left(\frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip\right)\left(\frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik\right)} \\ &= \frac{1}{\left(\frac{1}{\frac{a_{12}^2}{a_{22}} + ip_0 a_{12}^2} - \frac{1}{a_{11}}\right) - \frac{i}{2\left(\frac{a_{12}}{a_{22}} + ip_0 a_{12}\right)^2 p_0} k^2 + O(k^4) - ik} \end{aligned}$$

$$\underline{a_{EFT} = \frac{a_{11}a_{12}^2(1 + ip_0 a_{22})}{a_{12}^2(1 + ip_0 a_{22}) - a_{11}a_{22}}}$$

$$\underline{r_{EFT} = -\frac{i}{p_0} \left\{ \frac{a_{22}}{a_{12}(1 + ip_0 a_{22})} \right\}^2}$$

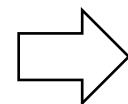
$f_{11}^{EFT}$  can be written as the effective range expansion in  $k$ .

# $f_{22}$ component

Effective range expansion for  $f_{22}^{EFT}$

$$\begin{aligned} f_{22}^{EFT} &= \frac{\frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik}{\frac{1}{a_{12}^2} - \left( \frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip \right) \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik \right)} \\ &= \frac{\left( \frac{a_{12}}{a_{11}} \right)^2}{\left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} - \frac{a_{12}^2}{a_{11}^2 a_{22}} - i \frac{p_0 a_{12}^2}{a_{11}^2} \right) - \left( a_{11} + i \frac{a_{12}^2}{2 p_0 a_{11}^2} \right) k^2 - ik + \underline{O(k^3)}} \end{aligned}$$

$f_{22}^{EFT}$  cannot be written as the effective range expansion in  $k$ .



$a_{EFT}$  and  $r_{EFT}$  cannot be determined by  $f_{22}^{EFT}$ .

**The correct scattering length and effective range must be determined by  $f_{11}$ .**

The validity of  $a_F$  and  $r_F$  determined in  $f_{22}^F$  in Flatté amplitude

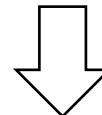
# Analytic comparison

We compare  $a_F, r_F$  with  $a_{EFT}, r_{EFT}$ , with EFT parameters.

Matching of  $f_{22}$  at small  $k$ .

$$f_{22}^F = \frac{\frac{g_2^2}{g_1^2}}{\left(\frac{2E_{BW}}{g_1^2} - i\frac{g_2^2}{g_1^2}p_0\right) - \left(\frac{2}{m_1 g_1^2} + i\frac{g_2^2}{2p_0 g_1^2}\right)k^2 - ik + O(k^4)}$$

$$f_{22}^{EFT} = \frac{\left(\frac{a_{12}}{a_{11}}\right)^2}{\left(\frac{1}{a_{11}} - \frac{a_{12}^2}{a_{11}^2 a_{22}} - i\frac{p_0 a_{12}^2}{a_{11}^2}\right) - \left(a_{11} + i\frac{a_{12}^2}{2p_0 a_{11}^2}\right)k^2 - ik + O(k^3)}$$



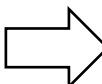
$$g_1^2 = \frac{2}{m_1 a_{11}}$$

$$g_2^2 = \frac{2a_{12}^2}{m_1 a_{11}^3}$$

$$E_{BW} = \frac{1}{m_1} \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}^2} - \frac{a_{12}^2}{a_{11}^3 a_{22}} \right)$$

$a_F$  and  $r_F$  can be expressed by the EFT parameter  $a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} a_F(g_1^2, g_2^2, E_{BW}) \\ r_F(g_1^2, g_2^2, E_{BW}) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} a_F(a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}) \\ r_F(a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}) \end{aligned}$$

# Analytic comparison

$a_{EFT}$  and  $r_{EFT}$  in EFT amplitude

$$a_{EFT} = \frac{a_{11}a_{12}^2(1 + ip_0a_{22})}{a_{12}^2(1 + ip_0a_{22}) - a_{11}a_{22}}$$

$$r_{EFT} = -\frac{i}{p_0} \left\{ \frac{a_{22}}{a_{12}(1 + ip_0a_{22})} \right\}^2$$

$p_0$  : channel 2 momentum at  $E = 0$

$a_F$  and  $r_F$  in Flatté amplitude with EFT parameters  $a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}$

$$a_F = \frac{a_{11}^2a_{12}}{a_{12}^2(1 + ip_0a_{22}) - a_{11}a_{22}}$$

$$r_F = -2a_{11} - i \frac{a_{12}^2}{p_0a_{11}^2}$$

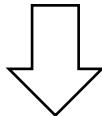
$a_F$  and  $r_F$  are analytically different from  $a_{EFT}$  and  $r_{EFT}$ .

# Numerical comparison

Application to the  $\pi\pi$ - $K\bar{K}$  system with  $f_0(980)$  for quantitative comparison

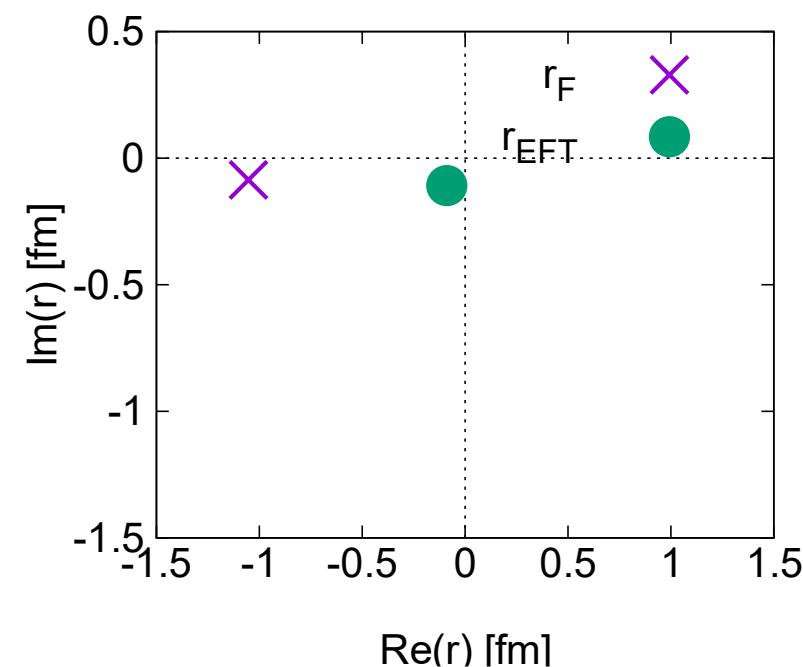
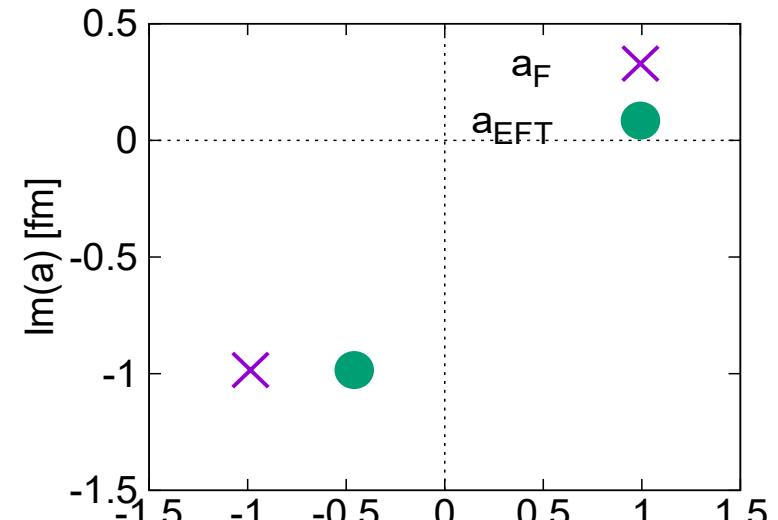
EFT parameters  $a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}$  corresponding to Ref.[6]

$$a_{11} = 0.53 \text{ [fm]}, a_{12} = 0.24 \text{ [fm]}, a_{22} = 0.15 \text{ [fm]}$$



$a_F = -0.98 - 0.98i \text{ [fm]}$	$r_F = -1.05 - 0.08i \text{ [fm]}$
$a_{EFT} = -0.45 - 0.98i \text{ [fm]}$	$r_{EFT} = -0.09 - 0.10i \text{ [fm]}$

$a_F$  and  $r_F$  are quantitatively different from  $a_{EFT}$  and  $r_{EFT}$  in the physical system.



# Pole position

We compare the pole portion of  $f^{EFT}$  with that of  $f^F$ .

The EFT scattering amplitude

$$f^{EFT}(E) = \underbrace{\left\{ \frac{1}{a_{12}^2} - \left( \frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip(E) \right) \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik(E) \right) \right\}}_{= 0}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} \left( \frac{1}{a_{22}} + ip(E) \right) & \frac{1}{a_{12}} \\ \frac{1}{a_{12}} & \left( \frac{1}{a_{11}} + ik(E) \right) \end{pmatrix}$$

$a_{11}, a_{12}, a_{22}$ ; EFT parameters

The Flatté scattering amplitude

$$f^F(E) = \underbrace{\left\{ 2E_{BW} - E - ig_1^2 k(E) - ig_2^2 p(E) \right\}}_{= 0}^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} g_1^2 & g_1 g_2 \\ g_1 g_2 & g_2^2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} E_{BW}, g_1^2, g_2^2; \text{ Flatté parameters} \\ k(E); \text{ channel 1 momentum} \\ p(E); \text{ channel 2 momentum} \end{array}$$

# Pole position

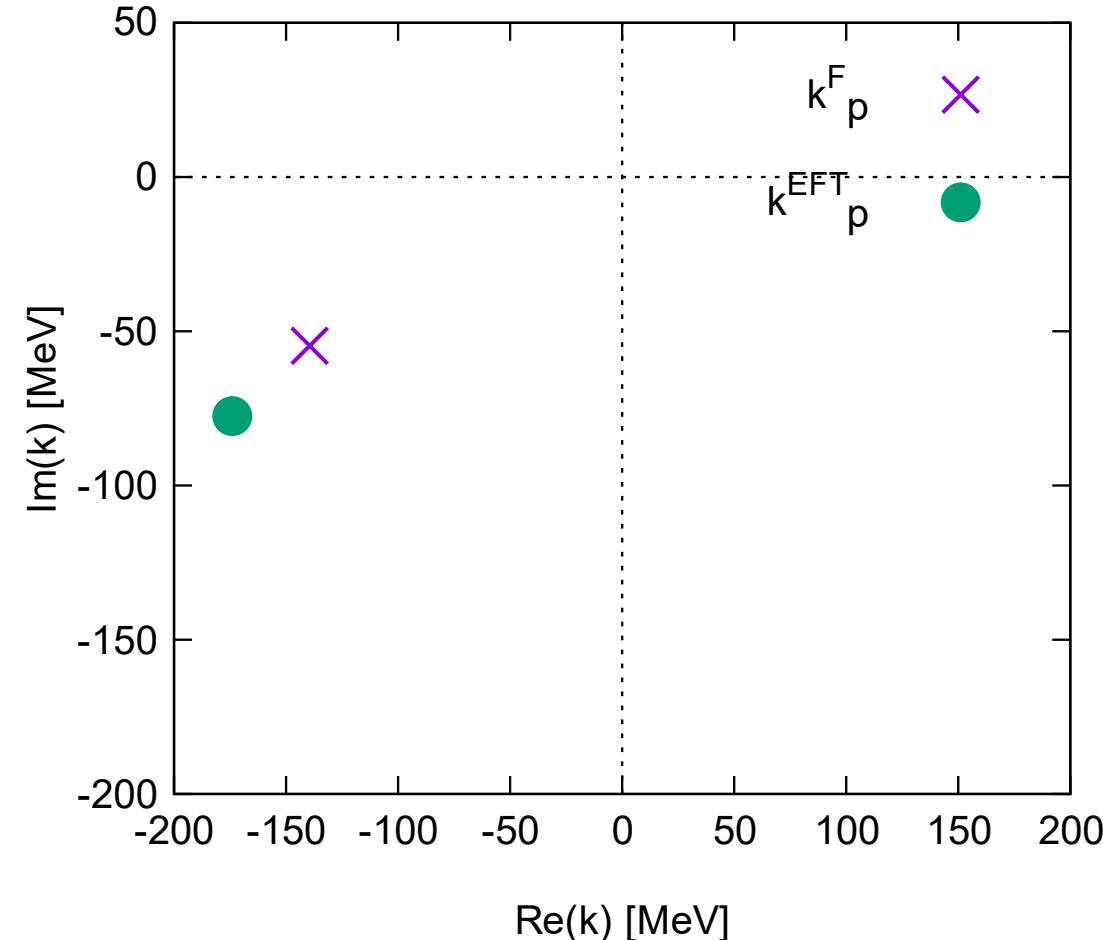
$\pi\pi$ - $K\bar{K}$  system with  $f_0(980)$

Flatté parameters  $E_{BW}, \bar{g}_1, g_2^2$  corresponding to Ref.[6]

$$\begin{aligned} E_{BW} &= 74.5 \text{ [MeV]}, & a_{11} &= 2.67 \text{ [1/GeV]}, \\ g_1^2 &= 1.51 \text{ [dimensionless]}, & \rightarrow & a_{12} = 1.22 \text{ [1/GeV]}, \\ g_2^2 &= 0.31 \text{ [dimensionless]} & a_{22} &= 0.76 \text{ [1/GeV]} \end{aligned}$$

Flatté pole :  $k_p^F = -139 - 54.7i$  [MeV]

EFT pole :  $k_p^{EFT} = -174 - 77.5i$  [MeV]



The Flatté pole position is different from the EFT pole position.

[6] R.R. Akhametshin et al., Phys. Lett B 462, 380 (1999)

# Summary

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We discuss determination of scattering length and effective range.

Flatté :  $a_F, r_F$

EFT :  $a_{EFT}, r_{EFT}$

- We express  $a_F, r_F$  by the parameters in the EFT amplitude, and compare them with  $a_{EFT}, r_{EFT}$ .
- We compare  $a_F, r_F$  with  $a_{EFT}, r_{EFT}$  quantitatively in the  $\pi\pi$ - $K\bar{K}$  system with  $f_0(980)$ .
  - $a_F$  and  $r_F$  are different from  $a_{EFT}$  and  $r_{EFT}$  analytically, and also in the physical system.
  - We compare the pole portion of  $f^{EFT}$  with that of  $f^F$ .

→ The Flatté pole  $k_p^F$  is different from the EFT pole  $k_p^{EFT}$ .

**We must use the scattering amplitude derived from EFT satisfying the optical theorem, in order to obtain the correct scattering length and effective range.**

# Pole position

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Using parameters Ref.[6]

Flatté pole position

$$k_p^{F(1)} = -98.7 - 98.7i \text{ [MeV]}$$

$$k_p^{F(2)} = -139 - 54.7i \text{ [MeV]}$$

EFT pole position

$$k_p^{EFT(1)} = -161 - 76.2i \text{ [MeV]}$$

$$k_p^{EFT(2)} = -170 - 81.4i \text{ [MeV]}$$

$$k_p^{EFT(full)} = -174 - 77.5i \text{ [MeV]}$$

