## Introduction to the Dispersive HVP Session

- *Focus of session*: Existing tensions among the experimental  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  measurements KLOE / BaBar / BESIII / CMD3 ; CMD2 / CMD3 ; ...
- $\rightarrow$  Tensions in other hadronic channels (see e.g. new measurement from BELLE-II for  $3\pi$ )
- → Status / plans for ongoing / future measurements Reports from: BaBar; BELLE-II; BESIII; CMD2 / CMD3; KLOE; SND
- $\rightarrow$  Status of Monte Carlo generators, comparisons with data, relevance for the various measurements
- $\rightarrow$  Extra ISR/FSR photons in data & simulation: impact in the context of the measurements / observed tensions

Topics for discussion from the April mini-workshop:

- → How many new experimental results to be expected by fall 2024 (deadline for new WP) ? How to deal with a new HVP-dispersive result in case of no (new published) result ?
- $\rightarrow$  How to deal with the present discrepancies ?
- $\rightarrow$  Can the issue of additional radiative corrections be clarified for the WP ?
- $\rightarrow$  Importance to apply blinding mechanisms to make results credible !!!