



Baryon spectroscopy in the DSE / BSE approach

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Outline

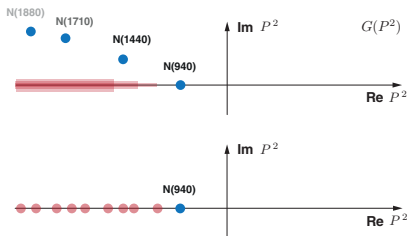
- **Lattice vs. DSE / BSE**
- **Bethe-Salpeter equations,**
applications to mesons
- **Baryons:**
Faddeev equation, form factors, light and strange baryons
- **Future challenges:**
Resonances, multiquarks, scattering amplitudes

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Bound states, resonances,
branch cuts

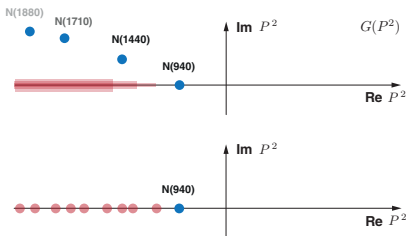
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Lattice vs. DSE / BSE

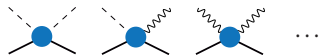
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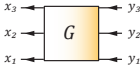
Spectral representation \rightarrow
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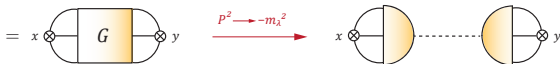


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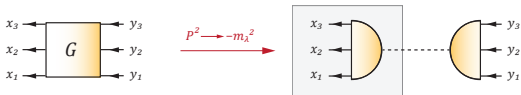
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$$= \lim_{\substack{x_i \rightarrow x \\ y_i \rightarrow y}} \Gamma_{\alpha\beta\gamma} \bar{\Gamma}_{\rho\sigma\tau} \langle 0 | T \psi_\alpha(x_1) \psi_\beta(x_2) \psi_\gamma(x_3) \bar{\psi}_\rho(y_1) \bar{\psi}_\sigma(y_2) \bar{\psi}_\tau(y_3) | 0 \rangle$$


$$= x \otimes \text{---} G \text{---} \otimes y \xrightarrow{p^2 \rightarrow -m_\lambda^2} \text{---} \otimes \text{---} \text{---} \otimes y$$


Alternative: extract **gauge-invariant** baryon poles from **gauge-fixed** quark 6-point function:



Bethe-Salpeter wave function:

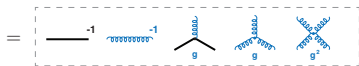
residue at pole, contains all information about baryon

$$\langle 0 | T \psi_\alpha(x_1) \psi_\beta(x_2) \psi_\gamma(x_3) | \lambda \rangle$$

QCD's n-point functions

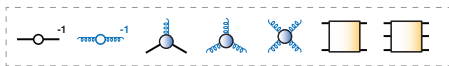
QCD's classical action:

$$S = \int d^4x \left[\bar{\psi} (\not{\partial} + ig\mathcal{A} + m) \psi + \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_a^{\mu\nu} \right]$$



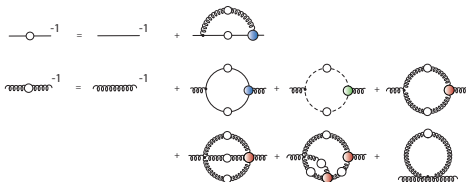
Quantum "effective action":

$$\int \mathcal{D}[\psi, \bar{\psi}, A] e^{-S} = e^{-\Gamma}$$



DSEs = quantum equations of motion:

derived from path integral, relate n-point functions



- infinitely many coupled equations
- reproduce perturbation theory, but **nonperturbative**
- systematic truncations: neglect higher n-point functions to obtain **closed system**

Reviews:

Roberts, Williams, *Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys.* 33 (1994),

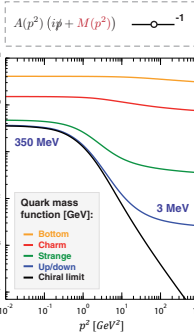
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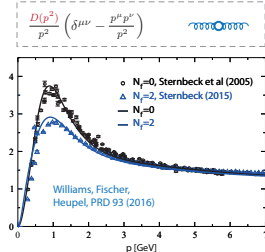
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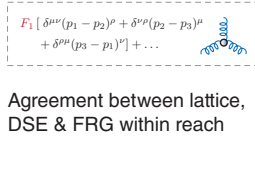


Dynamical chiral symmetry breaking generates 'constituent quark masses'

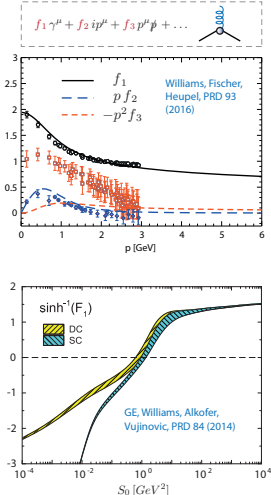
• Gluon propagator



• Three-gluon vertex



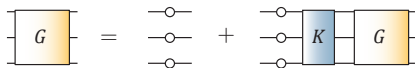
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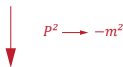
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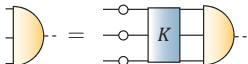
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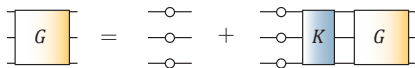
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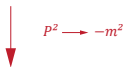
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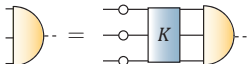
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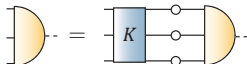
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... or **BS amplitude**:



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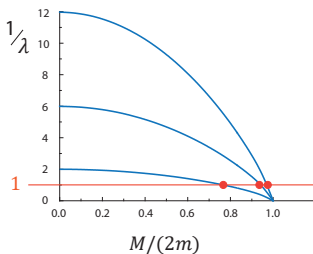
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- bound states for $M < 2m$

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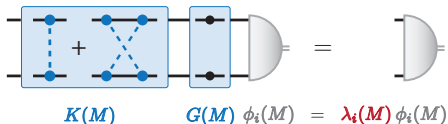


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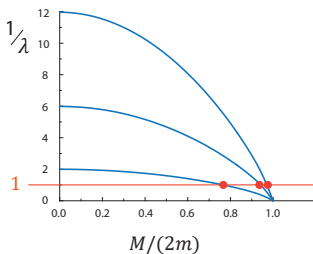
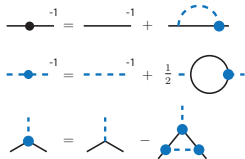
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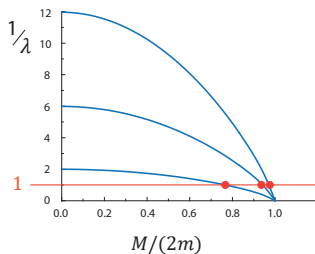
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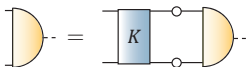
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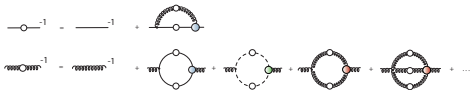


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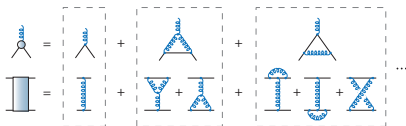
- Meson **Bethe-Salpeter equation** in QCD:



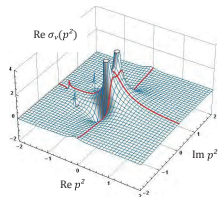
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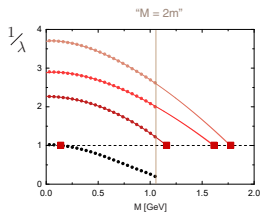
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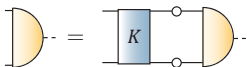


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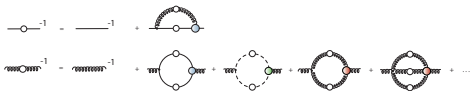


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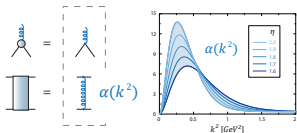
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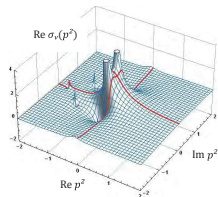
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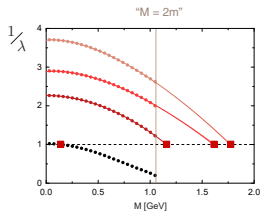
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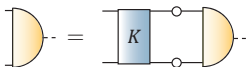


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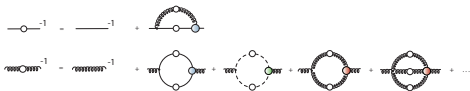


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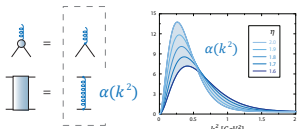
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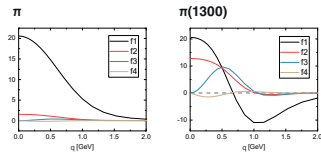
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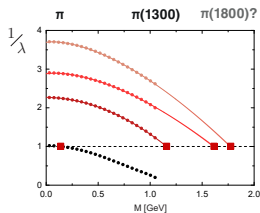
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Eigenvectors = BS amplitudes

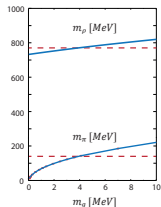


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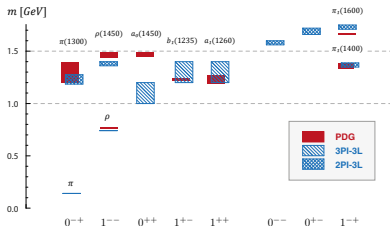


Mesons

- Pion is **Goldstone boson**: $m_\pi^2 \sim m_q$



- Light meson spectrum** beyond rainbow-ladder

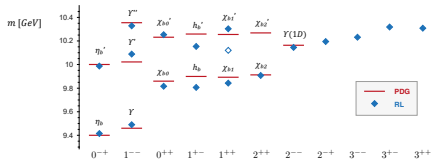


Williams, Fischer, Heupel, PRD 93 (2016)

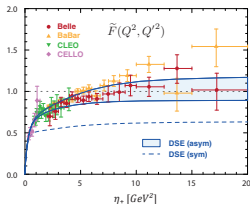
GE, Sanchis-Alepuz, Williams, Alkofer, Fischer, PPNP 91 (2016)

- Charmonium spectrum**

Fischer, Kubrak, Williams, EPJ A 51 (2015)



- Pion transition form factor**

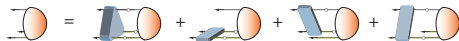


GE, Fischer, Weil, Williams, PLB 774 (2017)

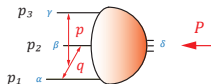
Baryons

Covariant Faddeev equation for baryons:

GE, Alkofer, Krassnigg, Nicmorus, PRL 104 (2010)



- 3-gluon diagram vanishes \Rightarrow **3-body effects small?**
- 2-body kernels same as for mesons, no further approximations:

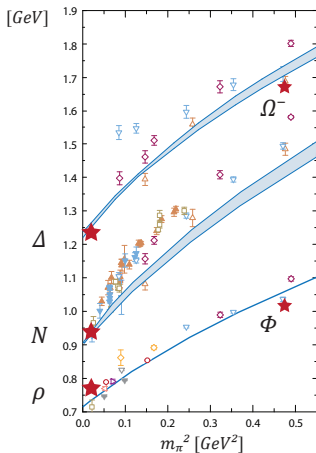


$$\Psi_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}(p, q, P) = \sum_i f_i(p^2, q^2, p \cdot q, p \cdot P, q \cdot P) \tau_i(p, q, P)_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta}$$

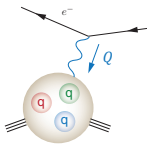
Lorentz-invariant
dressing functions

Dirac-Lorentz
tensors carry
OAM: s, p, d, ...

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Form factors

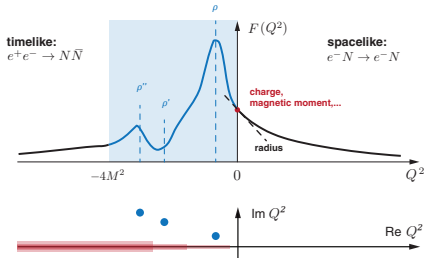


$$J^\mu = e \bar{u}(p_f) \left(F_1(Q^2) \gamma^\mu + F_2(Q^2) \frac{i}{4m} [\gamma^\mu, \not{Q}] \right) u(p_i)$$

Consistent derivation of **current matrix elements & scattering amplitudes**

Kvinikhidze, Blankleider, PRC 60 (1999),
GE, Fischer, PRD 85 (2012) & PRD 87 (2013)

$$J^\mu = \text{[diagram 1]} + \text{[diagram 2]} + \text{[diagram 3]} + \text{[diagram 4]}$$



- **rainbow-ladder** topologies (1st line):



- **quark-photon vertex** preserves em. gauge invariance, dynamically generates **VM poles**:

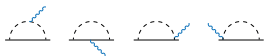
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Form factors

Nucleon em. form factors from three-quark equation

GE, PRD 84 (2011)

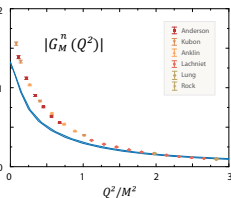
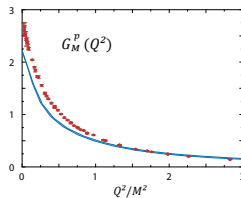
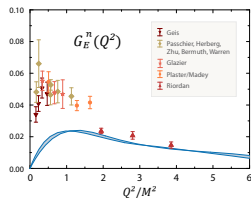
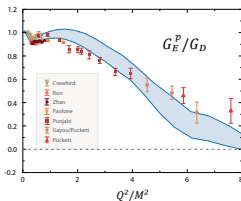
- “Quark core without pion cloud”



- **similar:** $N \rightarrow \Delta\gamma$ transition, axial & pseudoscalar FFs, octet & decuplet em. FFs

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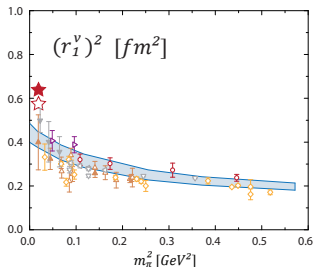
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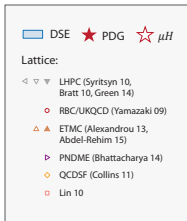
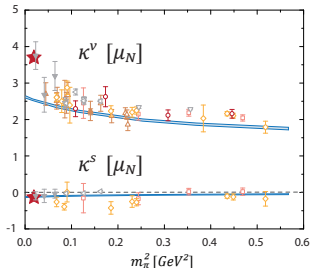
Nucleon charge radii:

isovector (p-n) Dirac (F1) radius

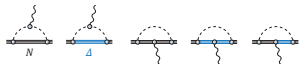


Nucleon magnetic moments:

isovector (p-n), isoscalar (p+n)



- **Pion-cloud effects** missing (\Rightarrow divergences!), agreement with lattice at larger quark masses.



- **But:** pion-cloud **cancels** in $\kappa^S \Leftrightarrow$ **quark core**

Exp: $\kappa^S = -0.12$

Calc: $\kappa^S = -0.12(1)$



GE, PRD 84 (2011)

DSE / Faddeev landscape $N \rightarrow N^* \gamma$

Three-quark



RL

bRL

bRL + 3q

N, Δ masses	✓
N, Δ em. FFs	✓		
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$N \rightarrow N^* \gamma$...		
$N^*(1535), \dots$	✓	...	
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DSE / Faddeev landscape $N \rightarrow N^* \gamma$

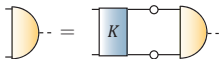
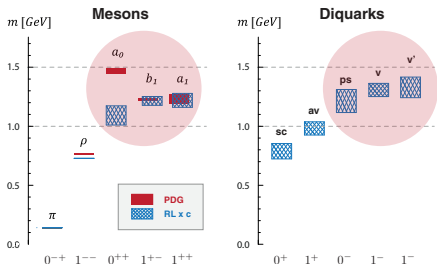
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	Contact interaction	QCD-based model	DSE (RL)	RL	bRL	bRL + 3q
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	Roberts, Bashir, Segovia, Chen, Wilson, Lu, ...	Oettel, Alkofer, Roberts, Cloet, Segovia, ...	GE, Alkofer, Nicmorus, ...	GE, Sanchis-Alepuz, Williams, Fischer, Alkofer, ...		

The role of diquarks

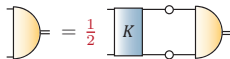
Mesons and 'diquarks' closely related:
after taking traces, only factor 1/2 remains
⇒ **diquarks 'less bound' than mesons**



Pseudoscalar & vector mesons
already good in rainbow-ladder

Scalar & axialvector mesons
too light, repulsion beyond RL

↔



Scalar & axialvector diquarks
sufficient for nucleon and Δ

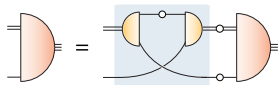
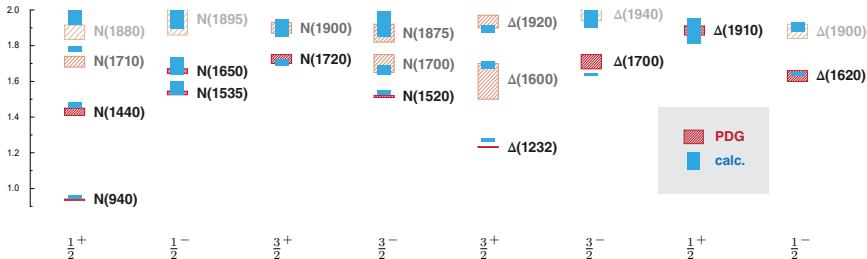
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Pseudoscalar & vector diquarks
important for remaining channels

Baryon spectrum

Quark-diquark with reduced pseudoscalar + vector diquarks: [GE, Fischer, Sanchis-Alepuz, PRD 94 \(2016\)](#)

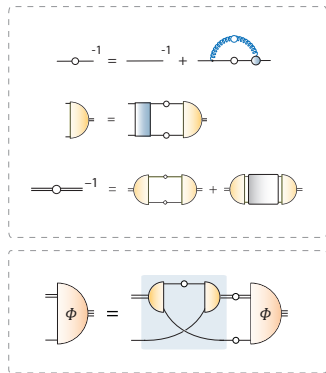
M [GeV]



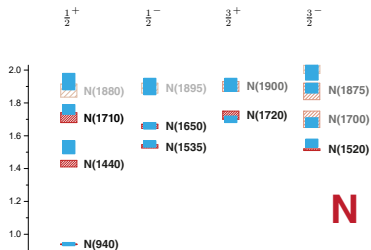
- Scale Λ set by f_π
- Current-quark mass m_q set by m_π
- c adjusted to ρ - a_1 splitting
- η doesn't change much

Strange baryons

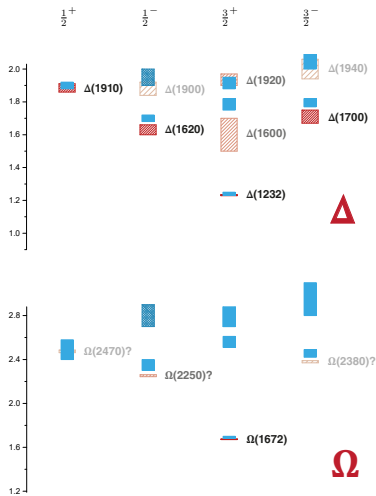
	[nn]	{nn}	[ns]	{ns}	{ss}
N	●	●			
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Ω					●



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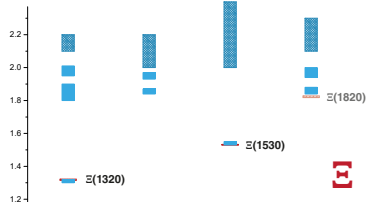
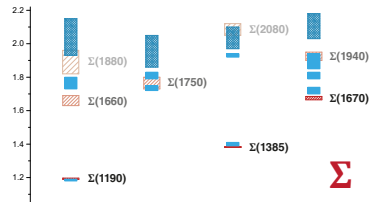
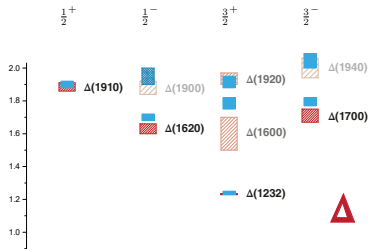
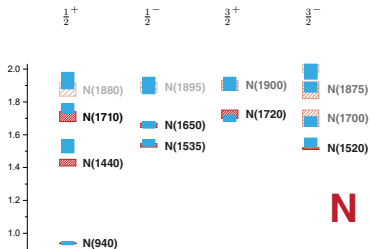
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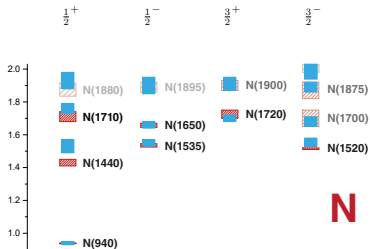
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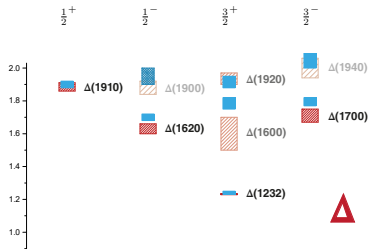
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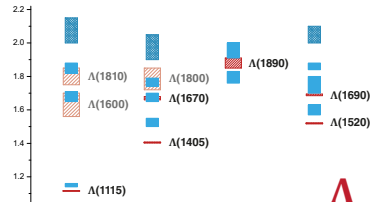
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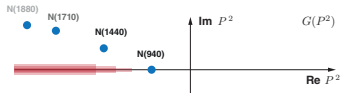
- Strange baryons similar to **light baryons**:

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega &\rightarrow \Delta \\ \Sigma, \Xi &\rightarrow N + \Delta \quad \rightarrow \text{rich spectrum!} \\ \Lambda &\rightarrow N + \text{singlets} \end{aligned}$$

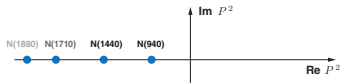
- Roper, $\Delta(1600)$, $\Lambda(1405)$, $\Lambda(1520)$: additional dynamics?

Resonances?

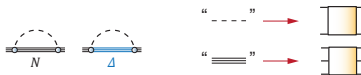
- Branch cuts & widths generated by **meson-baryon interactions**: Roper $\rightarrow N\pi$, etc.



- So far: bound states

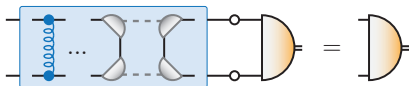


- Resonance dynamics**
difficult to implement
at quark-gluon level:

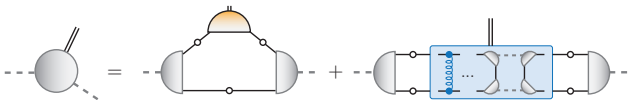


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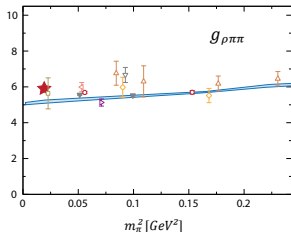
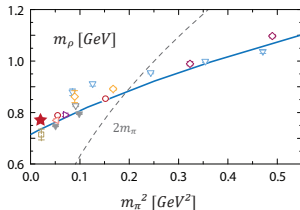


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Rainbow-ladder vs. lattice:

References: GE et al., PNP 91 (2016) 1606.09602

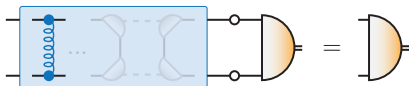


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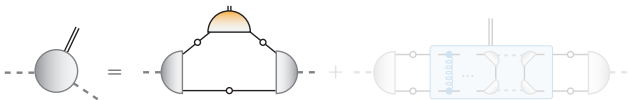
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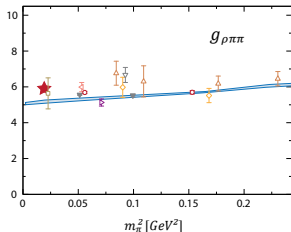
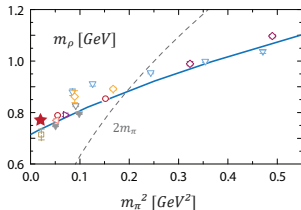


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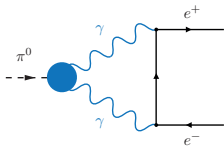


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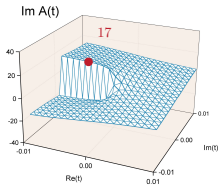
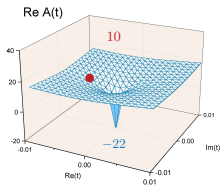
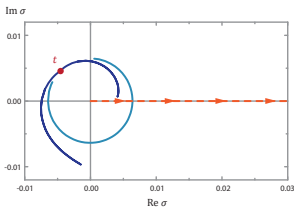
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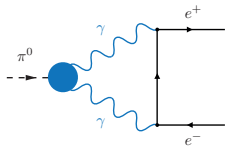


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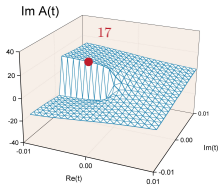
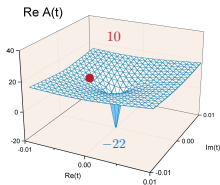
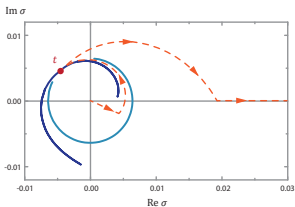
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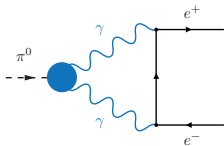


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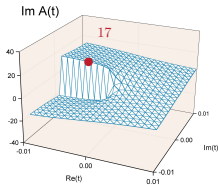
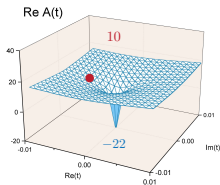
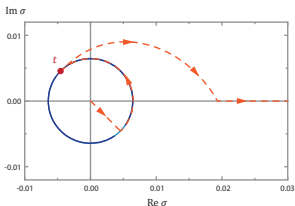
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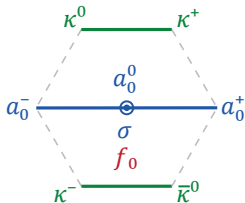
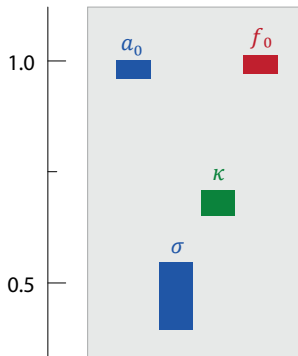


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Tetraquarks?

Light scalar (0^{++}) mesons don't fit into the conventional meson spectrum:



f_0 (980 MeV) $s\bar{s}$
 κ (680 MeV) $u\bar{s}, d\bar{s}$
 a_0 (980 MeV) } $u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, u\bar{d}$
 σ (500 MeV)

- Why are a_0, f_0 mass-degenerate?
- Why are their **decay widths** so different?

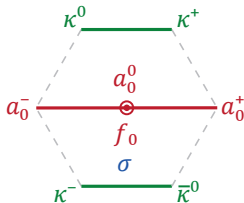
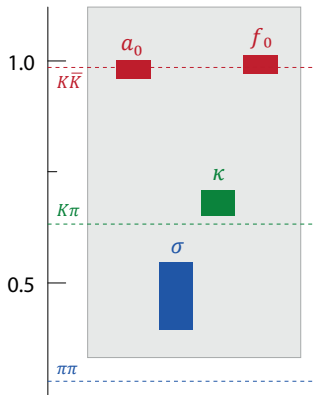
$$\Gamma(\sigma, \kappa) \approx 550 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma(a_0, f_0) \approx 50\text{--}100 \text{ MeV}$$

- Why are they so **light**?
 Scalar mesons ~ **p-waves**, should have masses similar to axialvector & tensor mesons ~ 1.3 GeV

Tetraquarks?

What if they were **tetraquarks** (diquark-antidiquark)? [Jaffe 1977](#), [Close, Tornqvist 2002](#), [Maiani, Polosa, Riquer 2004](#)



f_0 (980 MeV) } $us\bar{u}s, \dots$
 a_0 (980 MeV) }
 κ (800 MeV) } $us\bar{u}d, \dots$
 σ (500 MeV) } $ud\bar{u}d$

- Explains **mass ordering & decay widths**:
 f_0 and a_0 couple to $K\bar{K}$, large widths for σ, κ

- Alternative: **meson molecules?**
[Weinstein, Isgur 1982, 1990](#); [Close, Isgur, Kumano 1993](#)

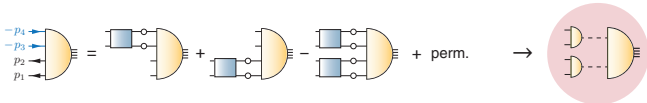
- Non- $q\bar{q}$ nature** of σ supported by dispersive analyses, unitarized ChPT, large N_c , extended linear σ model, quark models
[Pelaez, Phys. Rept. 658 \(2016\)](#)



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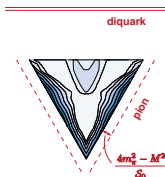
- **Light scalar mesons σ , κ , a_0 , f_0 as tetraquarks:**
solution of four-body equation reproduces mass pattern

GE, Fischer, Heupel, PLB 753 (2016)

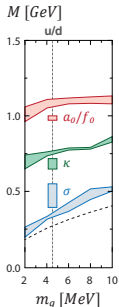


BSE dynamically generates
meson poles in wave function:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_i(S_0, \nabla, \triangle, \circ) &\rightarrow 1500 \text{ MeV} \\
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 f_i(S_0, \nabla, \triangle, \circ) &\rightarrow 1200 \text{ MeV} \\
 f_i(S_0, \nabla, \triangle, \circ) &\rightarrow \mathbf{350 \text{ MeV !!}}
 \end{aligned}$$

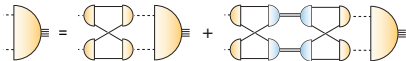


Four quarks rearrange
to "**meson molecule**"



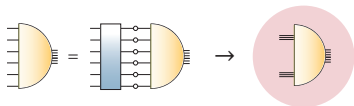
- Similar in **meson-meson / diquark-antidiquark** approximation
(analogue of quark-diquark for baryons)

Heupel, GE, Fischer, PLB 718 (2012)



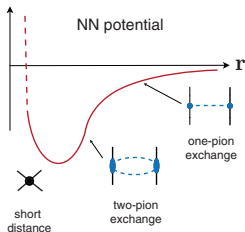
Towards multiquarks

Transition from **quark-gluon** to **nuclear degrees of freedom**:

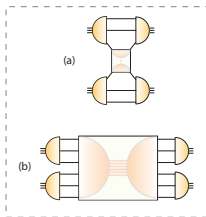


- 6 ground states, one of them **deuteron**
[Dyson, Xuong, PRL 13 \(1964\)](#)
- Dibaryons vs. **hidden color**?
[Bashkanov, Brodsky, Clement, PLB 727 \(2013\)](#)
- **Deuteron FFs** from quark level?

Microscopic origins of nuclear binding?



[Weise, Nucl. Phys. A805 \(2008\)](#)



- only quarks and gluons
- **quark interchange** and **pion exchange** automatically included
- **dibaryon** exchanges

Scattering amplitudes

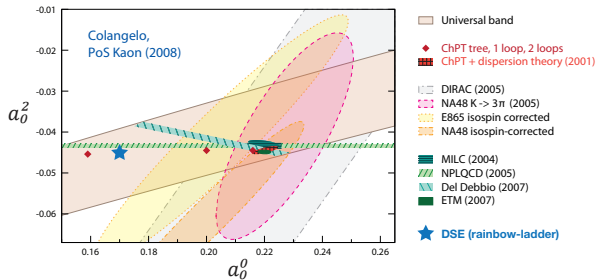
Scattering amplitudes from quark level:

• $\pi\pi$ scattering

DSE: Bicudo, Cotanch, Llanes-Estrada, Maris, Ribeiro, Szczepaniak, PRD 65 (2002),

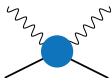
Cotanch, Maris, PRD 66 (2002)

CST: Biernat, Pena, Ribeiro, Stadler, Gross, PRD 90 (2014)



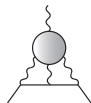
• Nucleon Compton scattering

GE, Fischer, PRD 85 (2012) & PRD 87 (2013), GE, FBS 57 (2016)



• Hadronic light-by-light scattering

Goecke, Fischer, Williams, PLB 704 (2011), GE, Fischer, Heupel, PRD 92 (2015)



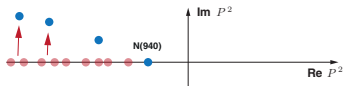
Lattice vs. DSE / BSE

Lattice

Full dynamics

contained in path integral

Proper treatment of
resonances essential



Simpler access to **position-space**
and **gluonic operators**

$$\langle N | \bar{\psi} \not{D} \psi | N \rangle \sim \text{diagram 1} + \text{diagram 2}$$

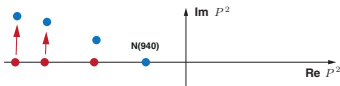
Two Feynman diagrams representing the nucleon operator. Each diagram shows a blue oval representing a nucleon with two external quark lines. A wavy line representing a gluon is attached to the nucleon. The first diagram shows the gluon attached to the top quark line, and the second diagram shows it attached to the bottom quark line.

Precision!

DSE / BSE

Dynamics constructed from
underlying **n-point functions**

Resonance dynamics
“on top of” **quark-gluon dynamics**



Simpler access to multi-scale problems
and higher n-point functions



Can tell us about underlying dynamics!

Backup slides

nPI effective action

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see: Sanchis-Alepuz & Williams, J. Phys. Conf. Ser. 631 (2015), arXiv:1503.05896 and refs therein

Self-energy:

$$\Sigma = \frac{\delta\Gamma_2}{\delta D} = - \text{[dashed arc]} - \text{[dashed arc]} + \text{[dashed arc]} + \text{[dashed loop]} = - \text{[dashed arc]}$$

Vertex:

$$\frac{\delta\Gamma_2}{\delta V} = 0 \Rightarrow - \text{[vertex]} + \text{[vertex]} + \text{[vertex]} = 0$$

Vacuum polarization:

$$\Sigma' = \frac{\delta\Gamma_2}{\delta D'} = - \text{[circle with dashed line]} + \frac{1}{2} \text{[circle with dashed line and two dots]} + \frac{1}{2} \text{[circle with dashed line and four dots]} = - \frac{1}{2} \text{[circle with dashed line]}$$

BSE kernel:

$$-K = \frac{\delta\Sigma}{\delta D} = - \text{[diagram 1]} - \text{[diagram 2]} + \text{[diagram 3]} + \text{[diagram 4]} + \text{[diagram 5]} + \text{[diagram 6]} = - \text{[diagram 7]} + \text{[diagram 8]}$$

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nPI effective action

nPI effective actions provide **symmetry-preserving closed truncations**.

3PI at 3-loop: **all two- and three-point functions are dressed**; 4, 5, ... do not appear.

$$\Gamma_2 = - \text{[circle with dashed line]} + \frac{1}{2} \text{[circle with dashed line and dot]} + \frac{1}{4} \text{[crossed ladder]}$$

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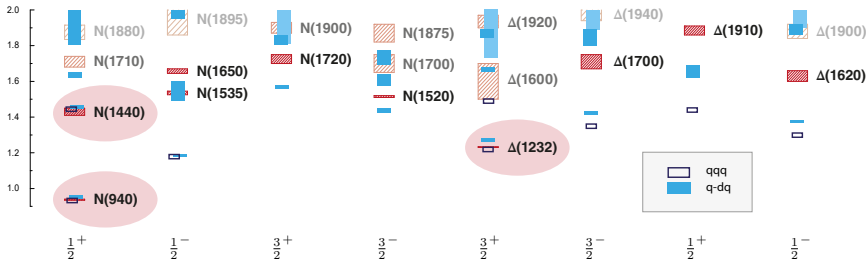
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- Crossed ladder cannot be added by hand, requires **vertex correction**!
- without 3-loop term: **rainbow-ladder** with tree-level vertex \Rightarrow 2PI
- but still requires **DSE solutions** for propagators!
- Similar in QCD. nPI truncation guarantees chiral symmetry, massless pion in chiral limit, etc.

Baryon spectrum I

Three-quark vs. quark-diquark in rainbow-ladder: [GE, Fischer, Sanchis-Alepuz, PRD 94 \(2016\)](#)

M [GeV]

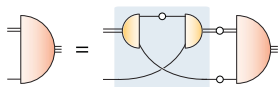
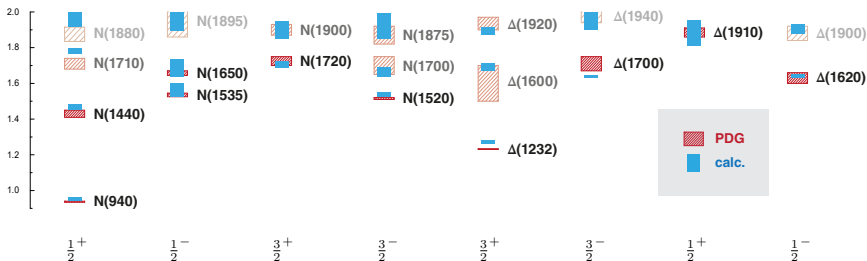


- **qqg** and **q-dq** agrees: N, Δ, Roper, N(1535)
- # levels compatible with experiment: **no states missing**
- N, Δ and their 1st excitations (including **Roper**) agree with experiment
- But remaining states too low \Rightarrow wrong level ordering between Roper and N(1535)

Baryon spectrum

Quark-diquark with reduced pseudoscalar + vector diquarks: [GE, Fischer, Sanchis-Alepuz, PRD 94 \(2016\)](#)

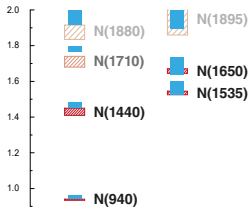
M [GeV]



- Scale Λ set by f_π
- Current-quark mass m_q set by m_π
- c adjusted to ρ - a_1 splitting
- η doesn't change much

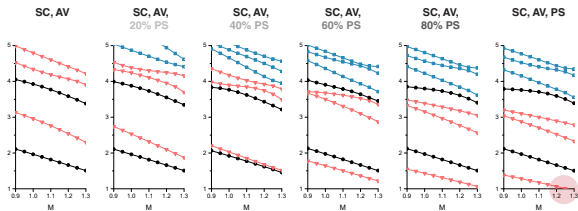
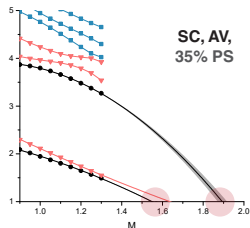
Baryon spectrum

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Level ordering between
Roper and N(1535):

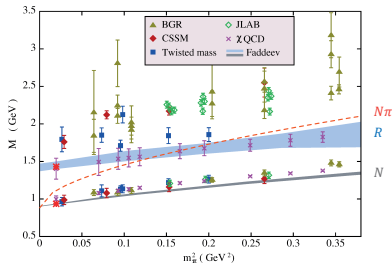
dynamics of ps diquark produces
2 nearby states: **N(1535), N(1650)**



Resonances

- **Current-mass evolution** of Roper:

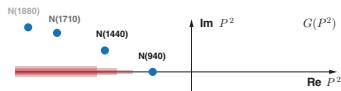
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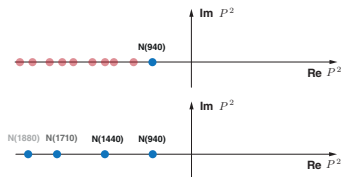
- **'Pion cloud'** effects difficult to implement at quark-gluon level:



- Branch cuts & widths generated by **meson-baryon interactions**: Roper $\rightarrow N\pi$, etc.



- **Lattice**: finite volume, DSE (so far): bound states



Resonance dynamics shifts poles into complex plane, but effects on real parts small?

QED

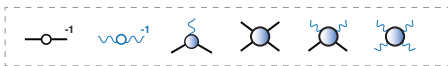
QED's classical action:

$$S = \int d^4x \left[\bar{\psi} (\not{\partial} + ig\mathbf{A} + m) \psi + \frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} \right]$$



Quantum "effective action":

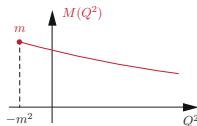
$$\int \mathcal{D}[\psi, \bar{\psi}, A] e^{-S} = e^{-\Gamma}$$



Perturbation theory: expand Green functions in powers of the coupling

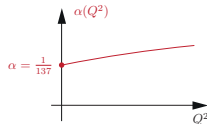
$$\frac{1}{A(p^2)(i\not{p} + M(p^2))} = \frac{1}{i\not{p} + m} + \text{self-energy} + \dots$$

mass function



$$D^{-1}(p^2)(p^2 \delta^{\mu\nu} - p^\mu p^\nu) = p^2 \delta^{\mu\nu} - p^\mu p^\nu + \text{self-energy} + \dots$$

running coupling



$$F_1 \gamma^\mu - \frac{F_2}{2m} \sigma^{\mu\nu} Q^\nu + \dots = \gamma^\mu + \text{self-energy} + \dots$$

anomalous magnetic moment
 $F_2(0) = \frac{\alpha}{2\pi}$

QED

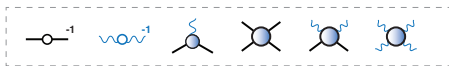
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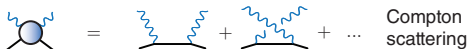
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Moller scattering



Compton scattering


\Rightarrow extremely precise theory predictions!



Light-by-light scattering

Dynamical quark mass

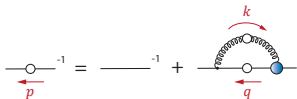
- General form of dressed **quark propagator**:



$$S(p) = \frac{1}{A(p^2)} \frac{-i\not{p} + M(p^2)}{p^2 + M^2(p^2)}$$

$$S^{-1}(p) = A(p^2) (i\not{p} + M(p^2))$$

- Quark DSE**: determines quark propagator, input \rightarrow gluon propagator, quark-gluon vertex

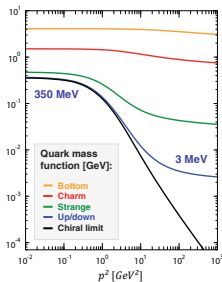


$$S^{-1}(p) = S_0^{-1}(p) + \int_q \gamma^\mu S(q) D^{\mu\nu}(k) \Gamma^\nu(p, q)$$

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- Reproduces **perturbation theory**:

$$\begin{aligned} S^{-1} &= S_0^{-1} - \Sigma \Rightarrow S = S_0 + S_0 \Sigma S \\ &= S_0 + S_0 \Sigma S_0 + S_0 \Sigma S_0 \Sigma S \\ &= \dots \end{aligned}$$



- If strength large enough ($\alpha > \alpha_{\text{crit}}$), **chiral symmetry is dynamically broken**

- Generates $M(p^2) \neq 0$ even in chiral limit. Cannot happen in perturbation theory!
- Mass function \sim **chiral condensate**:

$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = N_C \int \frac{d^4p}{(2\pi)^4} \text{Tr} S(p)$$

Dynamical quark mass

Simplest example: **Munczek-Nemirovsky model**
Gluon propagator = δ -function, analytically solvable

Munczek, Nemirovsky, PRD 28 (1983)

$$D^{\mu\nu}(k) \Gamma^\nu(p, q) \longrightarrow \sim \Lambda^2 \delta^4(k) \gamma^\mu$$

Quark DSE becomes

$$S^{-1}(p) - S_0^{-1}(p) = \Lambda^2 \gamma^\mu S(p) \gamma^\mu = \Lambda^2 \frac{2i\not{p} + 4M}{(p^2 + M^2)A},$$

leads to self-consistent equations for **A**, **M**:

$$A = 1 + \frac{2\Lambda^2}{(p^2 + M^2)A}, \quad AM = m_0 + 2M \frac{2\Lambda^2}{(p^2 + M^2)A}$$

Two solutions in chiral limit: IR + UV

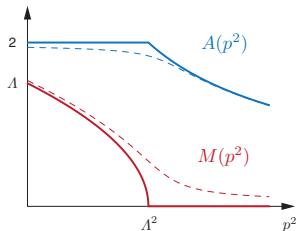
$$\begin{aligned} M(p^2) &= \sqrt{\Lambda^2 - p^2} & M(p^2) &= 0 \\ A(p^2) &= 2 & A(p^2) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \sqrt{1 + 8\Lambda^2/p^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Quark condensate:

$$-\langle \bar{q}q \rangle = N_C \int \frac{d^4p}{(2\pi)^4} \text{Tr} S(p) = \frac{2}{15} \frac{N_C}{(2\pi)^2} \Lambda^3$$

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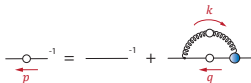


Another extreme case: **NJL model**,
gluon propagator = const,
 $M(p^2) = \text{const}$, but critical behavior

Nambu, Jona-Lasinio, 1961

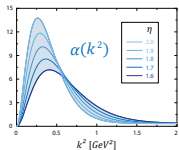
Dynamical quark mass

- Simplest realistic example: **rainbow-ladder**



Tree-level quark-gluon vertex + **effective interaction**:

$$D^{\mu\nu}(k) \Gamma^\nu(p, q) \rightarrow \sim \frac{\alpha(k^2)}{k^2} \left(\delta^{\mu\nu} - \frac{k^\mu k^\nu}{k^2} \right) \gamma^\nu$$

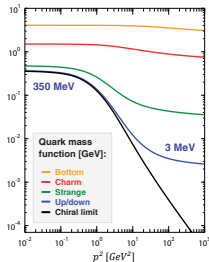


$$\alpha(k^2) = \alpha_{\text{IR}} \left(\frac{k^2}{\Lambda^2}, \eta \right) + \alpha_{\text{UV}}(k^2)$$

adjust scale Λ to observable,
keep width η as parameter

Maris, Tandy, PRC 60 (1999)

- If strength is large enough ($\alpha > \alpha_{\text{crit}}$): **DCSB**
- All dimensionful quantities $\sim \Lambda$ in chiral limit
 \Rightarrow **mass generation for hadrons!**



Classical PCAC relation for $SU(N_f)_A$:

$$\partial_\mu \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \mathbf{t}_a \psi = i \bar{\psi} \{M, \mathbf{t}_a\} \gamma_5 \psi$$

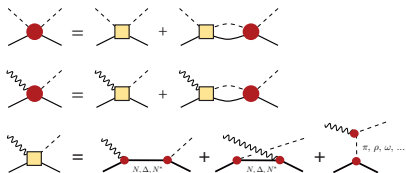
At quantum level:

$$f_\pi m_\pi^2 = 2m r_\pi$$

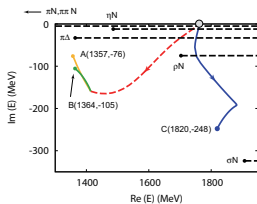
Also $f_\pi \sim \Lambda \Rightarrow m_\pi = 0$ in chiral limit!
 \Rightarrow **massless Goldstone bosons!**

Extracting resonances

Hadronic coupled-channel equations:



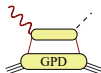
Sato-Lee/EBAC/ANL-Osaka, Dubna-Mainz-Taiwan, Valencia, Jülich-Bonn, GSI, JLab, MAID, SAID, KSU, Giessen, Bonn-Gatchina, JPAC, ...



Suzuki et al., PRL 104 (2010)

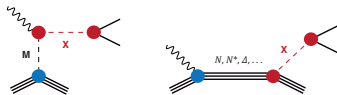
Microscopic effects?

What is an “offshell hadron”?



Extracting resonances

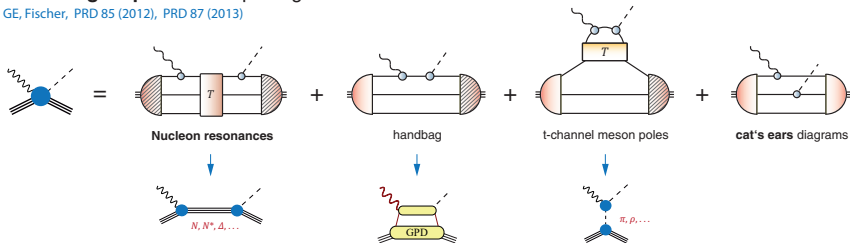
Photoproduction of **exotic mesons** at JLab/Gluex:



What if exotic mesons are **relativistic $q\bar{q}$ states**?
 \Rightarrow study with DSE/BSE!

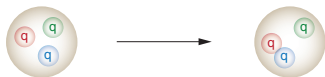
Scattering amplitudes at quark-gluon level:

GE, Fischer, PRD 85 (2012), PRD 87 (2013)



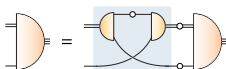
Diquarks?

- Suggested to resolve ‘**missing resonances**’ in quark model:
fewer degrees of freedom \Rightarrow fewer excitations



Anselmino et al., *Rev. Mod. Phys.* 65 (1993),
Klempt, Richard, *Rev. Mod. Phys.* 82 (2010)

- QCD version: assume qq scattering matrix as sum of diquark correlations
 \Rightarrow three-body equation simplifies to **quark-diquark BSE**



Oettel, Alkofer, Hellstern Reinhardt, *PRC* 58 (1998),
Cloet, GE, El-Bennich, Klähn, Roberts, *FBS* 46 (2009)

Quark exchange binds nucleon, gluons absorbed in building blocks.
Scalar diquark ~ 800 MeV, axialvector diquark ~ 1 GeV

Maris, *FBS* 32 (2002), GE, Krassnigg, Schwinger, Alkofer, *Ann. Phys.* 323 (2008), GE, *FBS* 57 (2016)

- N and Δ properties similar in quark-diquark and three-quark approach:
quark-diquark approximation is good!

Complex eigenvalues?

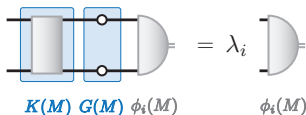
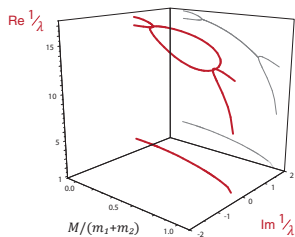
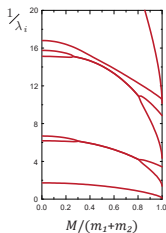
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Wick 1954, Cutkosky 1954

Connection with “**anomalous**” states?

Ahlig, Alkofer, Ann. Phys. 275 (1999)



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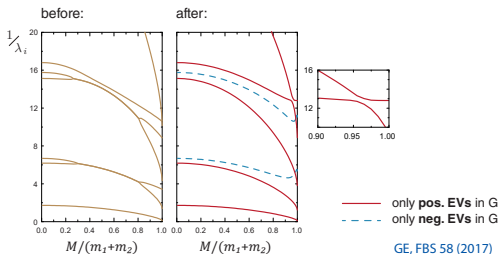
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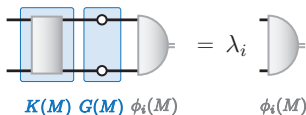
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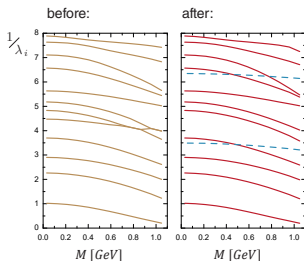
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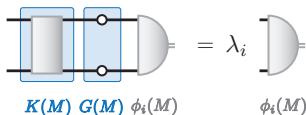
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Eigenvalue spectrum for pion channel

GE, FBS 58 (2017)

— only **pos.** EVs in G
 - - - only **neg.** EVs in G



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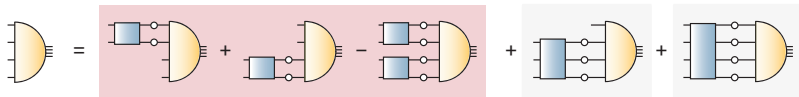
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Tetraquarks: four-body equation

Four-quark bound-state equation:



Two-body interactions

- plus permutations:
 $(qq)(\bar{q}\bar{q}), (q\bar{q})(q\bar{q}), (q\bar{q})(q\bar{q})$
 $(12)(34) \quad (23)(14) \quad (13)(24)$
- $K \otimes I + I \otimes K - K \otimes K$ prevents overcounting in T-matrix $T = K + K G_0 T$, avoids Van-der-Waals forces
[Kvinikhidze & Khvedelidze, Theor. Math. Phys. 90 \(1992\)](#)

3-body
(+ permutations)

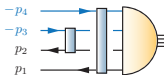
4-body

Keep **two-body interactions** with **rainbow-ladder kernel**:
well motivated by meson & baryon studies

Structure of the amplitude

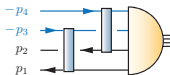
4-quark Bethe-Salpeter amplitude $\Gamma(p, q, k, P)$:
one total momentum & three relative momenta:

$$P = p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + p_4$$



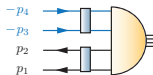
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General structure:

$$\Gamma(p, q, k, P) = \sum_i f_i(p^2, q^2, k^2, \{\omega_j\}, \{\eta_j\}) \tau_i(p, q, k, P)$$

\otimes Color \otimes Flavor

9 Lorentz invariants:

$$p^2, q^2, k^2$$

$$\omega_1 = q \cdot k \quad \eta_1 = p \cdot P$$

$$\omega_2 = p \cdot k \quad \eta_2 = q \cdot P$$

$$\omega_3 = p \cdot q \quad \eta_3 = k \cdot P$$

$$P^2 = -M^2$$

256
Dirac-
Lorentz
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2 Color
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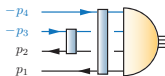
$$3 \otimes \bar{3}, 6 \otimes \bar{6} \text{ or}$$

$$1 \otimes 1, 8 \otimes 8$$

(Fierz-equivalent)

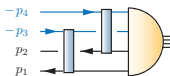
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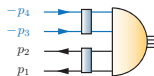
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$$P = p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + p_4$$



$$k = \frac{1}{2}(p_1 + p_2 - p_3 - p_4)$$

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General structure:

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2 Color
tensors:

Kaeding,
nucl-th/9502037

$3 \otimes \bar{3}, 6 \otimes \bar{6}$ or
 $1 \otimes 1, 8 \otimes 8$
(Fierz-equivalent)

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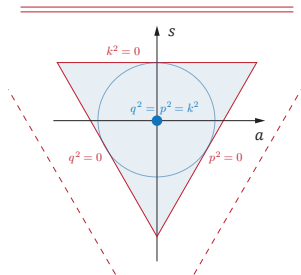
Structure of the amplitude

- **Singlet:** symmetric variable, carries overall scale:

$$S_0 = \frac{1}{4} (p^2 + q^2 + k^2)$$

- **Doublet:** $\mathcal{D}_0 = \frac{1}{4S_0} \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{3}(q^2 - p^2) \\ p^2 + q^2 - 2k^2 \end{bmatrix}$

Mandelstam triangle,
outside: **meson and diquark poles!**

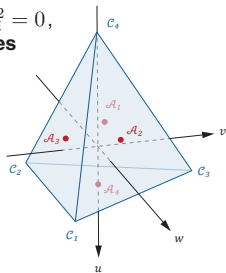


Lorentz invariants can be grouped into **multiplets of the permutation group S4**:

GE, Fischer, Heupel, PRD 92 (2015)

- **Triplet:** $\mathcal{T}_0 = \frac{1}{4S_0} \begin{bmatrix} 2(\omega_1 + \omega_2 + \omega_3) \\ \sqrt{2}(\omega_1 + \omega_2 - 2\omega_3) \\ \sqrt{6}(\omega_2 - \omega_1) \end{bmatrix}$

tetrahedron bounded by $p_i^2 = 0$,
outside: **quark singularities**



- **Second triplet:**
3dim. sphere

$$\mathcal{T}_1 = \frac{1}{4S_0} \begin{bmatrix} 2(\eta_1 + \eta_2 + \eta_3) \\ \sqrt{2}(\eta_1 + \eta_2 - 2\eta_3) \\ \sqrt{6}(\eta_2 - \eta_1) \end{bmatrix}$$

Tetraquark mass

$$f_i(\mathcal{S}_0, \nabla, \triangle, \circ)$$

Idea: use symmetries to figure out **relevant** momentum dependence

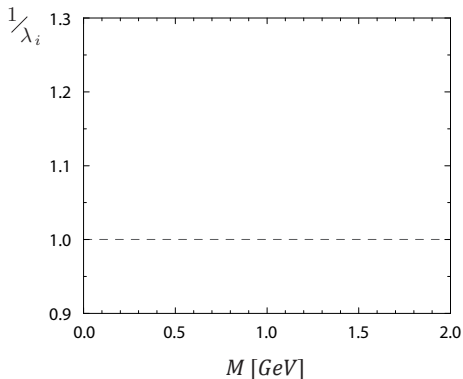
similar:

- **Three-gluon vertex**

[GE, Williams, Alkofer, Vujanovic, PRD 89 \(2014\)](#)

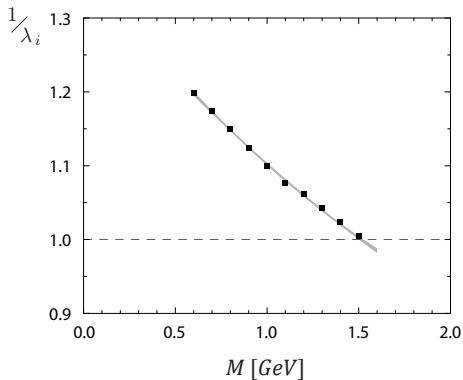
- **HLbL scattering for muon g-2**

[GE, Fischer, Heupel, PRD 92 \(2015\)](#)



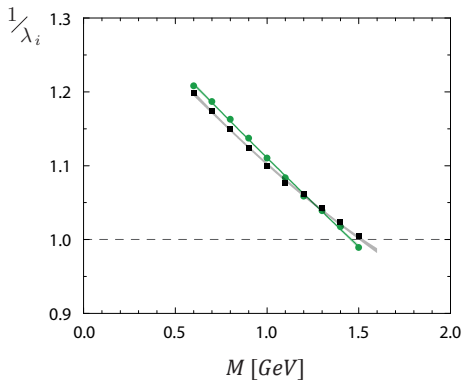
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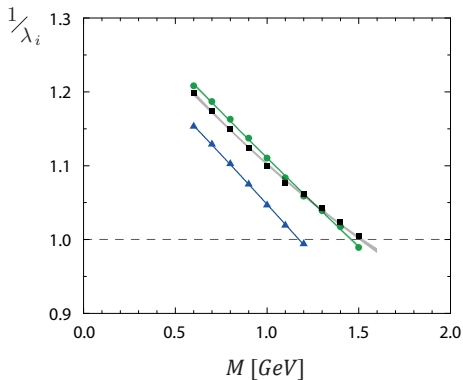
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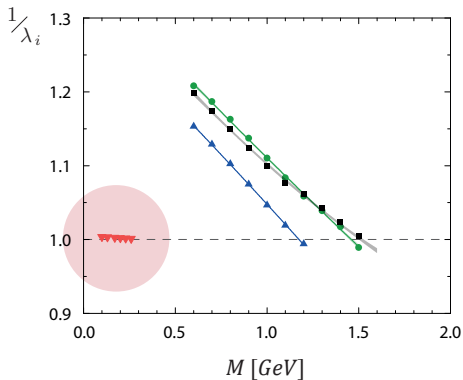
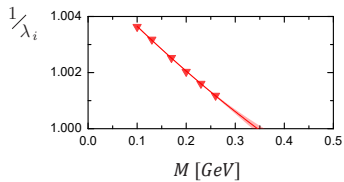
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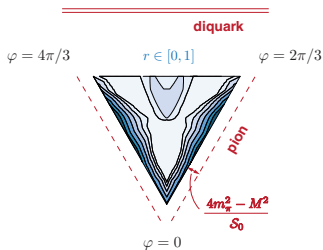


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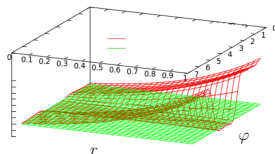
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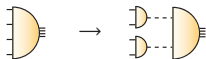
Gap in Mandelstam triangle
due to **pion poles!**



$$f_i(s_0, \nabla, \triangle, \circ)$$

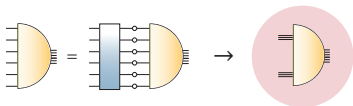
- Four-quark BSE dynamically generates pion poles in BS amplitude, although **equation knows nothing about pions!**
- drive σ mass from 1.5 GeV to ~ 350 MeV
 \Rightarrow light tetraquarks are indirect consequence of $S\chi SB$
- **Poles enter integration domain** above threshold
 $M > 2m_\pi$: the tetraquark becomes a **resonance**

- Four quarks rearrange to “meson molecule”



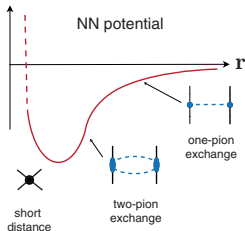
Towards multiquarks

Transition from **quark-gluon** to **nuclear degrees of freedom**:

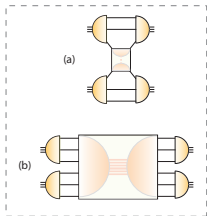


- 6 ground states, one of them **deuteron**
[Dyson, Xuong, PRL 13 \(1964\)](#)
- Dibaryons vs. **hidden color**?
[Bashkanov, Brodsky, Clement, PLB 727 \(2013\)](#)
- **Deuteron FFs** from quark level?

Microscopic origins of nuclear binding?



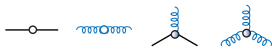
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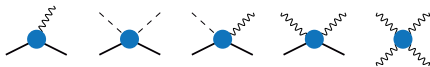
- only quarks and gluons
- **quark interchange** and **pion exchange** automatically included
- **dibaryon** exchanges

Hadron physics with functional methods

Understand properties of
elementary n-point functions



Calculate hadronic **observables**:
mass spectra, form factors, scattering amplitudes, . . .

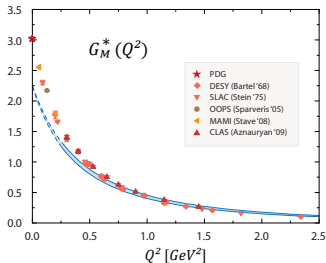
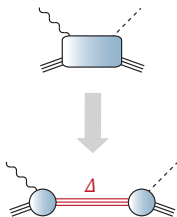


- **QCD**
- **symmetries** intact (Poincare invariance & chiral symmetry important)
- access to all momentum scales & all quark masses
- compute mesons, baryons, tetraquarks, . . . **from same dynamics**

- **systematic** construction of truncations
- technical challenges: coupled integral equations, complex analysis, structure of 3-, 4-, ... point functions, **need lots of computational power!**

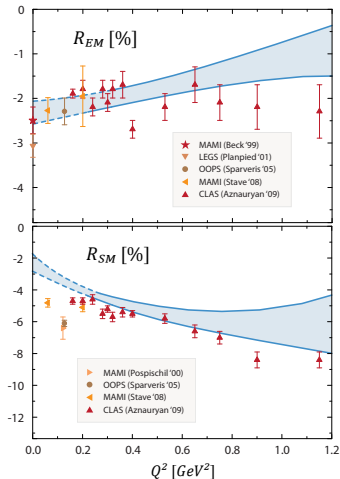
**access to underlying
nonperturbative dynamics!**

Nucleon- Δ - γ transition



- **Magnetic dipole transition (G_M^*)** dominant: quark spin flip (s wave). “Core + 25% pion cloud”
- **Electric & Coulomb quadrupole ratios** small & negative, encode deformation. Reproduced without pion cloud: **OAM** from **p waves!**

GE, Nicmorus, PRD 85 (2012)

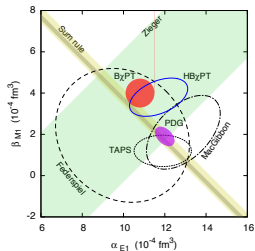


Compton scattering

Nucleon polarizabilities:

ChPT & dispersion relations

Hagelstein, Miskimen, Pascalutsa, PPNP 88 (2016)



In total: polarizabilities \approx

Quark-level effects \leftrightarrow Baldin sum rule

+ nucleon resonances (mostly Δ)

+ pion cloud (at low η_+)?

First DSE results:

GE, FBS 57 (2016)

- Quark Compton vertex (Born + 1PI) calculated, added Δ exchange

- compared to DRs

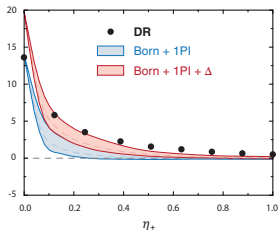
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Downie & Fonvielle, EPJ ST 198 (2011)

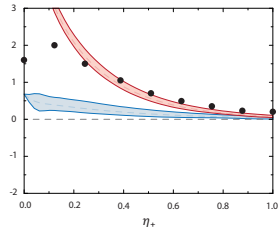
- α_E dominated by handbag, β_M by Δ contribution

\Rightarrow large “QCD background”!

$\alpha_E + \beta_M$ [10^{-4} fm³]

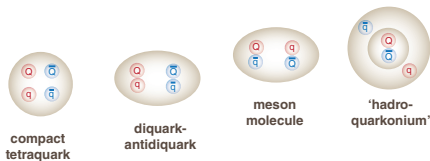


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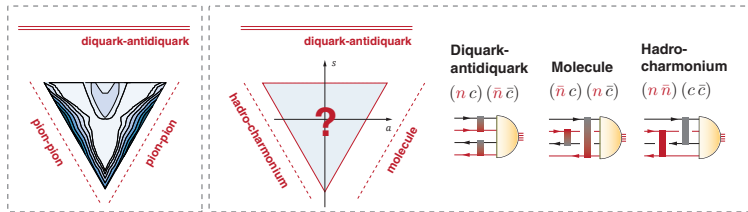


Tetraquarks in charm region?

- Can we **distinguish** different tetraquark configurations?




- Four quarks** dynamically rearrange themselves into $dq\bar{d}\bar{q}$, molecule, hadroquarkonium; strengths determined by four-body BSE:



Muon g-2

- **Muon anomalous magnetic moment:**
total SM prediction deviates from exp. by $\sim 3\sigma$



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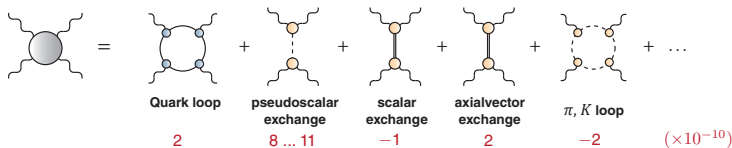
Hadronic vacuum polarization



Hadronic light-by-light scattering

- **LbL amplitude:** ENJL & MD model results

Bijnens 1995, Hakayawa 1995, Knecht 2002, Melnikov 2004, Prades 2009, Jegerlehner 2009, Pauk 2014



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$a_\mu [10^{-10}]$


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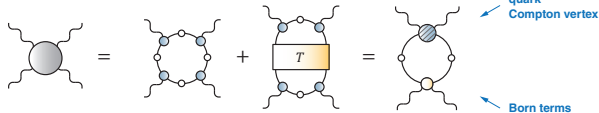
Hadronic
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Hadronic
light-by-light
scattering

- **LbL amplitude** at quark level, derived from **gauge invariance**:

GE, Fischer, PRD 85 (2012), Goecke, Fischer, Williams, PRD 87 (2013)



- **no double-counting, gauge invariant!**
- need to understand **structure of amplitude**

GE, Fischer, Heupel, PRD 92 (2015)

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