# **TWO-PION EXCHANGE**

# **PARITY-VIOLATING NN INTERACTION**

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# **MOTIVATIONS**

#### New work in the EFT formalism (Zhu et al.)

- two components retained
- effects up to 30% of the one-pion exchange when a comparison is possible!

#### Earlier work in the 70's

- many more components for the isovector part (6)
- no large contribution expected

#### **Present talk: comparison of the different approaches**

- role of LEC's
- "velocity" dependent (non-local) terms
- range

(isoscalar and isotensor components ignored)

# OUTLINE

- Dispersion relation approach
- EFT approach
- Relation to the contribution of time-ordered diagrams
- Similarities and differences
- Numerical comparisons

#### **DISPERSION-RELATION FORMALISM**

A powerful method

Schematically:

$$A(NN \to NN)(t) \propto \int \frac{dt'}{t'-t} A(NN \to 2\pi)(t') \times A^*(NN \to 2\pi)(t')$$

Some model:

approximation of the  $A(NN \rightarrow 2\pi)(t')$  amplitude by the contribution of the nucleon and its excitations  $(\Delta(1232)$  resonance in particular)



# **PV NN INTERACTION IN MOMENTUM SPACE** ( $\Delta T = 1$ part)

General expression (in notations of M. Chemtob and B.D.):

$$V(\vec{p}',\vec{p}) = V_{44} + V_{34} + V_{56} + V_{75} + V_{66} + V_{85}$$
  
=  $i (\tau_1 + \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 \times \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot (\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) v_{44}(q, \cdots)$   
+  $(\tau_1 + \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 - \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot (\vec{p}' + \vec{p}) v_{34}(q, \cdots)$   
+  $i (\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 + \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot (\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) v_{56}(q, \cdots)$   
+  $(\tau_1 - \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 + \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot (\vec{p}' + \vec{p}) v_{75}(q, \cdots)$   
+  $(\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{q} \ \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot (\vec{p}' + \vec{p}) \times \vec{q} + (\vec{\sigma}_1 \leftrightarrow \vec{\sigma}_2)) v_{66}(q, \cdots)$   
 $- i (\tau_1 - \tau_2)^z (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot (\vec{p}' + \vec{p}) \ \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot (\vec{p}' + \vec{p}) \times \vec{q} + (\vec{\sigma}_1 \leftrightarrow \vec{\sigma}_2)) v_{85}(q, \cdots).$ 

 $(\vec{p} \text{ and } \vec{p'}: \text{ c.m. nucleon momenta in initial and final states,}$ 

 $\vec{q}$ : momentum transfer carried by pions)

Four terms at order  $M^{-1}$  and two at order  $M^{-3}$  (generally discarded)

Functions  $v_{ij}(q, \dots) \rightarrow \text{assume a dispersion relation form:}$  $v_{ij}^{\text{COV}}(q, \dots) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} dt' \, \frac{g_{ij}(t', \dots)}{\sqrt{t'} \, (t'+q^2)},$ 

# **PV NN INTERACTION IN CONFIGURATION SPACE** ( $\Delta T = 1$ part)

General expression:

$$\begin{split} V(r, \vec{p}', \vec{p}) &= i (\tau_1 + \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 \times \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot [\vec{p}, v_{44}(r, \cdots)] \\ &+ (\tau_1 + \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 - \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot \{\vec{p}, v_{34}(r, \cdots)\} \\ &+ i (\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 + \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot [\vec{p}, v_{56}(r, \cdots)] \\ &+ (\tau_1 - \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 + \vec{\sigma}_2) \cdot \{\vec{p}, v_{75}(r, \cdots)\} \\ &+ 2i (\tau_1 \times \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot [\vec{p}, \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot \vec{l} \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr} v_{66}(r, \cdots)] + (\vec{\sigma}_1 \leftrightarrow \vec{\sigma}_2)) \\ &- 2 (\tau_1 - \tau_2)^z \ (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \{\vec{p}, \vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot \vec{l} \frac{1}{r} \frac{d}{dr} v_{85}(r, \cdots)\} + (\vec{\sigma}_1 \leftrightarrow \vec{\sigma}_2)) \ , \end{split}$$

where:

$$v_{ij}^{\text{COV}}(r,\cdots) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} dt' \ g_{ij}(t',\cdots) \ \frac{e^{-r\sqrt{t'}}}{r \ \sqrt{t'}} \,.$$

Notice the appearance of the orbital angular momentum operator in the last two terms

#### **A FEW DETAILS**

Convergence properties:

depend on the way the iterated one-pion exchange is removed (1 + 1) = 0

(choice of the Green's function,  $(2E_p - 2E_0)^{-1}$  or  $E_0(E_p^2 - E_0^2)^{-1}$ )

 $\textbf{Below} \rightarrow \textbf{quadratic mass operator}$ 

$$g_{44}(t')_{t'\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{2}{M\sqrt{t'}} \left( \log(\frac{t'}{M^2}) - 1 \right),$$
  

$$g_{34}(t')_{t'\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{2}{M\sqrt{t'}} \left( \log(\frac{t'}{M^2}) - 1 \right),$$
  

$$g_{56}(t')_{t'\to\infty} = -\tilde{K} \frac{1}{M\sqrt{t'}} \left( \frac{5}{8} \log(\frac{t'}{M^2}) + \frac{15}{8} - \frac{3}{2} \log(2) \right),$$
  

$$g_{75}(t')_{t'\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{1}{M\sqrt{t'}} \left( \frac{9}{4} \log(\frac{t'}{M^2}) - \frac{1}{4} + \log(2) \right).$$

 $(t')^{-1/2}$  behavior  $\rightarrow$  convergence of dispersion integrals ensured, though  $\cdots$  can provide some benchmark result

# **TWO-PION EXCHANGE IN THE EFT FORMALISM (ZHU et al.)**

Graphical representation:



$$v_{44}^{\text{EFT}}(q) = -4\sqrt{2} \pi \frac{h_{\pi}^{1}}{\Lambda_{\chi}^{3}} (g_{A}^{3} L(q) - LEC_{2}),$$
  

$$v_{56}^{\text{EFT}}(q) = -\sqrt{2} \pi \frac{h_{\pi}^{1}}{\Lambda_{\chi}^{3}} (g_{A} L(q) - g_{A}^{3} (3 - \frac{4 m_{\pi}^{2}}{4 m_{\pi}^{2} + q^{2}}) L(q) + LEC_{6}).$$

Scale  $\Lambda_{\chi}$ : roughly given by  $\Lambda_{\chi} = 4\pi f_{\pi} = 4\pi g_A M/g_{\pi NN} \simeq 1$  GeV. Function  $L(q) \rightarrow$  defined as:

$$L(q) = \frac{\sqrt{q^2 + 4m_\pi^2}}{q} \log\left(\frac{\sqrt{q^2 + 4m_\pi^2} + q}{2m_\pi}\right) = \frac{\sqrt{q^2 + 4m_\pi^2}}{2q} \log\left(\frac{\sqrt{q^2 + 4m_\pi^2} + q}{\sqrt{q^2 + 4m_\pi^2} - q}\right)$$

#### **TWO-PION EXCHANGE IN THE TIME-ORDERED DIAGRAM APPROACH**

Graphical representation:



$$\begin{split} v_{44}^{\rm TO}(q) &= \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 h_{\pi}^1}{4 \, M^3 \sqrt{2}} \\ &\times \int \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{k^2 - (\vec{k} \cdot \hat{q})^2}{\omega_i \, \omega_j} \left( \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 \, (\omega_i + \omega_j)} + \frac{1}{(\omega_i + \omega_j) \, \omega_j^2} + \frac{1}{\omega_i \, (\omega_i + \omega_j) \, \omega_j} \right), \\ v_{56}^{\rm TO}(q) &= \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 h_{\pi}^1}{4 \, M^3 \sqrt{2}} \left( \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{\omega_i \, \omega_j \, (\omega_i + \omega_j)} \right) \\ &- \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{k^2 - \frac{q^2}{4}}{\omega_i \, \omega_j} \left( \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 \, (\omega_i + \omega_j)} + \frac{1}{(\omega_i + \omega_j) \, \omega_j^2} + \frac{1}{\omega_i \, (\omega_i + \omega_j) \, \omega_j} \right) \right), \end{split}$$

#### TIME-ORDERED DIAGRAM APPROACH $\rightarrow$ DISPERSION FORM

Supposes a complete set of topologically equivalent diagrams

$$\begin{split} \int d\vec{k} \; \frac{k^2 - (\vec{k} \cdot \hat{q})^2}{\omega_i \,\omega_j} \left( \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 \,(\omega_i + \omega_j)} + \frac{1}{(\omega_i + \omega_j) \,\omega_j^2} + \frac{1}{\omega_i \,(\omega_i + \omega_j) \,\omega_j} \right) \\ &= 4\pi (1 - L(q)) + \int d\vec{k} \frac{k^2}{\omega_k^5} = \pi \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty dt' \; \frac{2\sqrt{t' - 4 \, m_\pi^2}}{\sqrt{t'} \,(t' + q^2)} \,, \\ \int d\vec{k} \; \frac{1}{\omega_i \,\omega_j \,(\omega_i + \omega_j)} = 2\pi (1 - L(q)) + \frac{1}{2} \int d\vec{k} \frac{1}{\omega_k^3} = \pi \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty dt' \; \frac{\sqrt{t' - 4 \, m_\pi^2}}{\sqrt{t'} \,(t' + q^2)} \,, \\ \int d\vec{k} \; \frac{k^2 - \frac{q^2}{4}}{\omega_i \,\omega_j} \left( \frac{1}{\omega_i^2 \,(\omega_i + \omega_j)} + \frac{1}{(\omega_i + \omega_j) \,\omega_j^2} + \frac{1}{\omega_i \,(\omega_i + \omega_j) \,\omega_j} \right) \right) \,, \\ &= 2\pi \big( 3(1 - L(q)) + \frac{4 \, m_\pi^2}{4 \, m_\pi^2 + q^2} L(q) \big) + \frac{3}{2} \int d\vec{k} \frac{k^2}{\omega_k^5} \\ &= \pi \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty dt' \; \frac{3(t' - 4m_\pi^2) + 4m_\pi^2}{\sqrt{t'} \,\sqrt{t'} - 4m_\pi^2 \,(t' + q^2)} \,. \end{split}$$

Notice: the L(q) part and the total result have opposite signs

#### **SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES**

Spectral functions g(t'): to be noticed

 $\rightarrow$  large M limit (large distances)  $\neq$  large t' limit (small distances)

$$g_{44}(t')_{M\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{4q_{\pi}}{M^3} = \tilde{K} \frac{2\sqrt{t'-4m_{\pi}^2}}{M^3},$$

$$g_{34}(t')_{M\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{\pi}{M^4} \frac{x}{2} = \tilde{K} \frac{\pi}{M^4} \frac{t'-2m_{\pi}^2}{4},$$

$$g_{56}(t')_{M\to\infty} = -\tilde{K} \frac{x}{q_{\pi}M^3} = -\tilde{K} \frac{(t'-2m_{\pi}^2)}{M^3\sqrt{t'-4m_{\pi}^2}},$$

$$g_{75}(t')_{M\to\infty} = \tilde{K} \frac{\pi}{M^4} \left(\frac{t'-4m_{\pi}^2}{16} + \frac{3}{2}\frac{t'-2m_{\pi}^2}{4}\right).$$

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Large *M* limit:  $g_{44}(t')$  and  $g_{56}(t')$  dominate

 $\rightarrow$  in agreement with EFT and TO approaches

#### SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES

Potentials in momentum space

$$\begin{split} v_{44}^{\rm LM}(q) &= v_{44}(q)_{M \to \infty} = \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 h_{\pi}^1}{16 \, \pi^2 \, M^3 \sqrt{2}} \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} dt' \, \frac{\sqrt{t' - 4 \, m_{\pi}^2}}{\sqrt{t'} \, (t' + q^2)} \\ &= -4\sqrt{2} \, \pi \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 \, h_{\pi}^1}{(4 \, \pi g_A M)^3} \, \left(g_A^3 \, L(q) - LEC_2\right), \\ v_{56}^{\rm LM}(q) &= v_{56}(q)_{M \to \infty} = - \, \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 \, h_{\pi}^1}{32 \, \pi^2 \, M^3 \sqrt{2}} \, \int_{4m_{\pi}^2}^{\infty} dt' \, \frac{(t' - 2m_{\pi}^2)}{\sqrt{t'} \, \sqrt{t' - 4m_{\pi}^2} \, (t' + q^2)} \\ &= -\sqrt{2} \, \pi \frac{g_{\pi NN}^3 \, h_{\pi}^1}{(4 \, \pi g_A M)^3} \left(g_A^3 \, L(q) - g_A^3 \, (3 - \frac{4 \, m_{\pi}^2}{4 \, m_{\pi}^2 + q^2}) \, L(q) + LEC_6\right). \end{split}$$

-  $v_{44}$ : EFT, TO and LM coincide (up tp LEC's and choice of  $\Lambda_{\chi}$ )

-  $v_{56}$ : EFT differs for the triangle diagram:  $g_A$  instead of  $g_A^3$  $\rightarrow$  role of the  $\Delta(1232)$  in the dispersion- relation approach

# **FUNCTIONS** g(t')

Left panel:

- $g_{44}(t'), g_{34}(t'), g_{75}(t'), g_{56}(t')$ : comparable at large t'
- $g_{44}(t')$ ,  $g_{56}(t')$ : dominate at low t'



Right panel:

- large M limit for  $g_{44}(t')$  and  $g_{56}(t') \rightarrow$  overestimates the full result

# **POTENTIALS** v(q)

Left panel: all potentials are comparable (apart  $V_{pi}$ , expected)



Right panel:

- $v^{COV}$  and  $v^{EFT}$  have opposite signs for both components,  $v_{44}$  and  $v_{56}$
- similar q dependence however  $\rightarrow$  role of LEC's

# SUBSTRACTED POTENTIALS v(q)

Potentials  $v_{44}$  and  $v_{56}$  substracted so that to vanish at q = 0



The large M limit tends to overestimate the "covariant" result  $\rightarrow$  cutoff role due to a relativistic treatment

# **POTENTIALS** v(r)

- All potentials compare at (very) small distances
- The potentials  $v_{44}$  and  $v_{56}$  dominate at medium and large distances but contribution in these ranges relatively small



Notice ratios:  $v_{34}/v_{44} \rightarrow \rho$ -exchange like around 1fm for  ${}^{1}S_{0} \leftrightarrow {}^{3}P_{0}$  $v_{75}/v_{56} \rightarrow$  destructive interference for  ${}^{3}S_{1} \leftrightarrow {}^{3}P_{1}$ 

### POTENTIALS v(r) AND LARGE M LIMIT

Results in qualitative agreement with those in momentum space:

large M limit  $\rightarrow$  overestimates the "covariant" result, especially at small r's



Important notice: large M limit  $\rightarrow$  divergent  $r^{-1}$  behavior for  $r \rightarrow 0$ , compensated by a  $\delta(r)$  function of opposite sign in the EFT approach (LEC's!)

#### POTENTIALS v(r) AT LARGE AND SMALL DISTANCES

Two-pion exchange: a medium-range interaction?  $\rightarrow$  compare to  $\rho$  exchange



Difference with the strong-interaction case:

no S-state two-pion exchange, only in a P-state

# **CONCLUSION AND OUTLOOK**

Comparison  $\rightarrow$  no fundamental discrepancy

Suggests however many corrections to the lowest-order EFT approach

- higher  $M^{-1}$  order terms, not negligeable
- smaller long-range contribution

# Role of LEC's

 $\rightarrow$  a different substraction scheme is to be preferred

$$L(q) \rightarrow L(q) - 1 - \log(\frac{\mu}{m_{\pi}})$$
 with  $\mu \simeq M$ 

Range of two-pion exchange in comparison with the  $\rho$ -exchange one:

- longer range (two-pion tail),
- but also shorter range (extra log (r) dependence)