

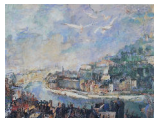
# Constituent models

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# History Some milestones

- **Baryons**

- $\sim 1964$ , Greenberg, Dalitz, Les Houches Lectures  
Horgan, Hey, ...  
Isgur & Karl, ...

- **Mesons**

- 1974  $\rightarrow$  charmonium models
- 1977  $\rightarrow$  quarkonium models

- **Tetraquarks**

- Late 70s baryonium, scalar mesons
- Early 80s  $\rightarrow$  Doubly heavy
- 20s  $\rightarrow X, Y, Z$

- **Other multiquarks**

- Hadron-hadron interaction from quarks
- Dibaryon candidates, exp. or theory, as  $H$  (1977)
- Pentaquark candidates, exp. or theory as  $(\bar{c}uuds)$  (1987)

# Heavy-light encounters

## Exotics with a mixing of light and heavy quarks: Rather old idea

### ON THE POSSIBLE EXISTENCE OF STABLE FOUR-QUARK SCALAR MESONS WITH CHARM AND STRANGENESS<sup>☆</sup>

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### Possibility of Charmed Hypernuclei

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We suggest that both two-body and many-body bound states of a charmed baryon and nucleons should exist. Estimates indicate binding in the  $^1S_0$  state of  $C_1N$  ( $I = \frac{1}{2}$ ) and  $SN$  ( $I = 1$ ). We further estimate the binding energy of  $C_0, C_1$  in various finite nuclei.

### NEW POSSIBILITIES FOR EXOTIC HADRONS – ANTICHARMED STRANGE BARYONS<sup>☆</sup>

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### Do narrow heavy multiquark states exist?

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### POSSIBILITY OF STABLE MULTIQUARK BARYONS

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# Mesons

- Assume  $V(r)$  (central) + spin-spin + ...
- Assume constituent masses
- Solve radial equation for energy and radial function
- For  ${}^3S_1$   ${}^3D_1$  two coupled equations: for instance S-wave component of  $\psi''$  without assuming it is mainly 2S.
- More interesting if **flavor independence** is assumed
- Some mathematical developments (level order, etc. )
- Empirical  $V(r)$  supported by lattice QCD

# Baryons in the quark model

- Some technicalities: solving the 3-body problem
  - Faddeev equations
  - Hyperspherical expansion  $\tilde{X} = \{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}\} = [r, \Omega_5]$
  - Variational methods
- Some minor math. developments, expansion around HO, or around hyperscalar
- **Pairwise interaction?** (see last section for alternatives)
- If so, link meson–baryon?

$$V = \sum_{i < j} (1/2) V(r_{ij})$$

as given by color-octet exchange ?

# Baryons Results and problems

- Baryons usually heavier per quarks than mesons

$$\mathcal{M}(qqq)/3 > \mathcal{M}(q\bar{q})/2$$

- or  $(\bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}) + (qqq) > 3(\bar{q}q)$   
(annihilation via quark rearrangement allowed)
- But masses can change the pattern

$$\mathcal{M}(\bar{Q}\bar{Q}\bar{Q}) + \mathcal{M}(qqq) < 3\mathcal{M}(\bar{Q}q)$$

if  $M/m$  large enough.  $\bar{\Omega}_{bbb}$  does not annihilate on matter!

- Too many states** with  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{y}$  excitations.
- Diquark model** (Lichtenberg) perhaps too restrictive

# The simple prototype

$$H = \sum_i m_i + \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2 m_i} - \frac{3}{16} \sum_{i < j} \tilde{\lambda}_i \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j v_c(r_{ij}) - \frac{3}{16} \sum \tilde{\lambda}_i \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j \boldsymbol{\sigma}_i \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_j \frac{v_{ss}(r_{ij})}{m_i m_j}$$

contains

- constituent masses
- kinetic energy
- chromoelectric energy (or say, central potential)
- chromomagnetic energy (or say, spin-spin)

We consider electric and magnetic parts separately, and then try to combine.

Before: lessons from atomic physics



# Lessons from atomic physics

with flavor independence!

## • Three body

- Obvious binding of  $(\alpha^{++} e^{-} \mu^{-})$
- Not so obvious binding of  $H^{-} = (p, e^{-}, e^{-})$  as any factorized wf  $\Psi = f(\mathbf{r}_1) f(\mathbf{r}_2)$  fails. Solved by Hylleraas, Chandrasekhar, ...
- Every  $(M^{+}, m^{-}, m^{-})$  stable  $\forall M/m$  (Hill)
- $(\mu^{+} \mu^{-} e^{-})$  unstable !

## • Four body

- $(e^{+} e^{+} e^{-} e^{-})$  weakly bound
- $(\mu^{+} \mu^{+} e^{-} e^{-})$  is more stable, with many excitations
- $(\mu^{+} e^{+} \mu^{-} e^{-})$  is unstable
- Any  $(m_1^{+} m_2^{+} m^{-} m^{-})$  is stable (Varga, Fleck, R.)
- $(M^{+} m^{-} M^{-} m^{-})$  stable and **Borromean** near  $M/m = 2$ , as none of the 3-body subsystems is stable (R., 2003)

- Stability of  $(M^{+}, m^{-}, m^{-})$  and  $(m_1^{+} m_2^{+} m^{-} m^{-})$ : degenerate thresholds

# H<sub>2</sub> vs. Ps<sub>2</sub>



$$H(\text{H}_2) = \left( \frac{1}{4M} + \frac{1}{4m} \right) \sum \mathbf{p}_i^2 + V + \left( \frac{1}{4M} - \frac{1}{4m} \right) (\mathbf{p}_1^2 + \mathbf{p}_2^2 - \mathbf{p}_3^2 - \mathbf{p}_4^2)$$



$$H(\text{H}_2) = H_0 + H_A$$

- where  $H(\text{H}_2)$  and  $H_0$  of the rescaled Ps<sub>2</sub> have the **same threshold**
- as the systems with inverse masses  $\{1/M, 1/m\}$  and  $\{1/(2M) + 1/(2m), 1/(2M) + 1/(2m)\}$  have the same reduced mass.
- $H_A$  breaks  $C$  conjugation, and lowers  $H(\text{H}_2)$  as compared to  $H_0$

# Atomic physics vs. quark model

## No obvious excess of attraction

- Consider  $P_{S_2}$  with  $V = \sum g_{ij}(-1/r_{ij})$
- The **threshold** Ps + Ps has  $g_{13} = g_{24} = +1$ , others  $g_{ij} = 0$ , hence  $\sum g_{ij} = +2$ .
- The **molecule** has (after renumbering)  $g_{12} = g_{34} = -1$ , others  $g_{ij} = +1$ , hence **the same**  $\sum g_{ij} = +2$ . Weak binding. Not so obvious.
- In **quark models** with a pure spin-independent interaction assumed to be pairwise and colour-dependent,  
 $V \propto \sum \tilde{\lambda}_i^{(c)} \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j^{(c)} v(r_{ij})$ , color neutrality imposes something similar:

$$\left\langle \sum \tilde{\lambda}_i^{(c)} \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j^{(c)} \right\rangle (qq\bar{q}\bar{q}) = 2 \left\langle \sum \tilde{\lambda}_i^{(c)} \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j^{(c)} \right\rangle (q\bar{q}),$$

hence binding, again, is **not obvious**

## Ps<sub>2</sub> vs. tetraquark

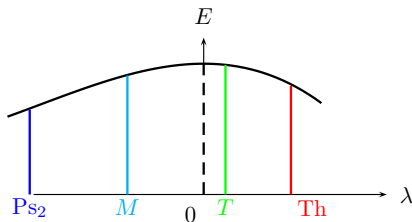
Meson-meson, atom-atom, Ps<sub>2</sub>, tetraquark of frozen color given by

$$H = \sum \mathbf{p}_i^2 / (2m) + \sum g_{ij} v(r_{ij}) .$$

After suitable renumbering:

$$H = \sum \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2m} + \left( \frac{1}{3} - \lambda \right) [v_{12} + v_{23}] + \left( \frac{1}{3} + \frac{\lambda}{2} \right) (v_{13} + v_{14} + v_{23} + v_{24}) .$$

- Atomic physics Ps<sub>2</sub> vs. **Threshold**
- Quark model with frozen color  $T = (\bar{3}, 3)$  or  $M = (6, \bar{6})$



*Tetraquarks penalized by the non-Abelian algebra!!!*

# Chromoelectricity and multiquarks

$$H = \sum_i \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2m_i} - \frac{3}{16} \sum_{i < j} \tilde{\lambda}_i \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j v_c(r_{ij})$$

- does not bind ( $qq\bar{q}\bar{q}$ ) with equal masses
- **binds** ( $QQ\bar{q}\bar{q}$ ) if  $M/m$  large enough
- the result is confirmed in *QCD* sum rule (Nielsen et al.), lattice *QCD* (Michael et al., Bicudo et al., etc.) and in the molecular approach (Manohar et al, ...)
- same favorable symmetry breaking that benefits to  $H_2(pp e^- e^-)$  as compared to  $Ps_2(e^+ e^+ e^- e^-)$
- hence the **spin-independent** quark model can produce **stable multiquarks** in extreme circumstances

# Chromomagnetism and multiquarks: $H$

- Jaffe (1977) studied ( $uuddss$ ) with

$$\tilde{H} = \sum_i \tilde{m}_i - C \sum_{i < j} \tilde{\lambda}_i \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j$$

- $SU(3)_f$  symmetry
- Same short-range correlation  $C$  as for baryons,
- the colour-spin algebra reveals a good surprise,
- $\delta M = -8C$  for  $N, \Lambda, \Xi, \dots$
- Thus  $\delta M = -16 C$  for the degenerate thresholds  $N\Xi, \Lambda\Lambda$
- And  $\delta M = -24 C$  for ( $uuddss$ ), i.e., **150 MeV below threshold**
- But removing the approximations (Oka, Yazaki, Rosner, Karl et al., ...) reduces the attraction and eventually spoils the binding

# Chromomagnetism and multiquarks: $H$

## Full calculation

- $H$  with kinetic energy, central potential, and spin-spin potential
- Oka et al., Carbonell et al. . . . unbound
- Maltman & Wolfe: bound
- If long-range meson exchange added ( $\sigma$ ): bound (Zhang et al., Maltman et al.)
- See review by Valcarce
- Will be revisited shortly with improved few-body techniques (Hiyama, Oka, Valcarce, Vijande, Sorba, R.)

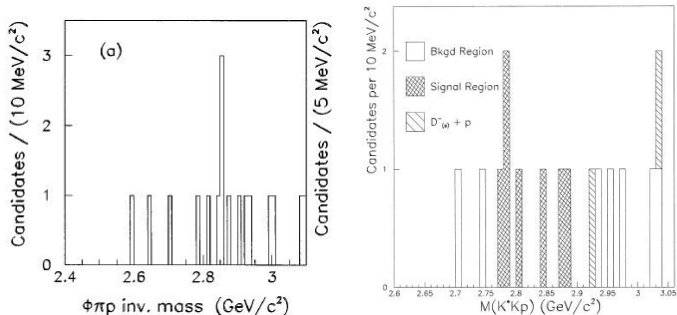
# Chromomagnetism and multiquarks: Pentaquark

- Same exercise repeated in 1987 for  $P = (\bar{Q}uuds)$  (or  $ddus$  or  $ssud$ )
- Same assumptions:  $SU(3)_f$ ,  $C$  borrowed from baryons
- and  $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$  in the chromomagnetic operator
- $\delta M = -16 C$  vs.  $\delta M = -8 C$  for  $(\bar{Q}q) + (qqq)$
- Again, any correction reduces the binding
- Silvestre-Brac and Leandri (Grenoble) and Yuan et al. (China) extended the estimate to other configurations, including  $(\bar{c}cqqq)$ , and found interesting candidates, especially for  $J^P = (1/2)^-$
- Not followed by a more detailed 5-body calculation



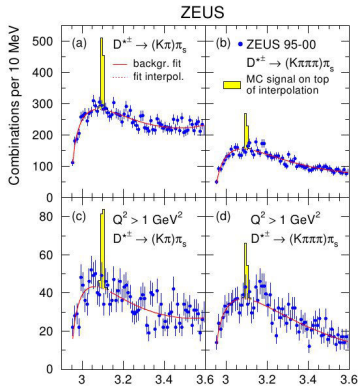
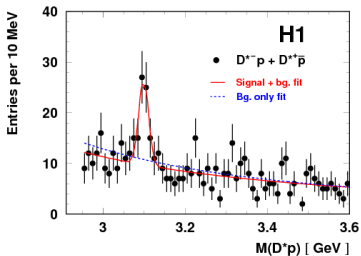
# The 1987-vintage pentaquark: Search at Fermilab

Aitala et al. searched for  $P_c^0 = (\bar{c}s uud) \rightarrow K^{*0} K^- p$  and  $\phi \pi^- p$ . Not conclusive.



A fraction of this collaboration was interested in doing some search at CERN or at some hadron factories, but this was never approved as a priority.

# The 1987-vintage pentaquark: Search at Hera



# Chromomagnetism and multiquarks: $X(3872)$

- Høgaasen et al. have analysed  $X(3872)$  using

$$\tilde{H} = \sum_i \tilde{m}_i - \sum_{i < j} C_{ij} \tilde{\lambda}_i \cdot \tilde{\lambda}_j \sigma_i \cdot \sigma_j$$

with the  $C_{ij}$  deduced from ordinary hadrons,  
e.g.,  $C_{\bar{c}q}$  from  $D^* - D$ .

- Good surprise that one state, with  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$  has almost exactly the mass and the properties of  $X(3872)$ , in particular, in its  $(c\bar{c}) - (q\bar{q})$  projection, is pure **octet-octet** and vector-vector. Hence the decay

$$X \rightarrow \text{charmonium} + \text{light meson}$$

is suppressed.

- The model predicts an  $I = 1$  partner slightly above, with  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ , unlike the  $X(3900)^\pm$  seen at BESIII, Belle, and CLEOc.
- (Preliminary) the conclusions are supported by a more detailed 4-body calculation
- See also Staryi et al.

# Combining chromo-electric and -magnetic effects

- For instance, Rosina et al., Yasui et al. ( $cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$ ) with  $J^P = 1^+$  has favorable chromoelectric binding **and** favorable chromomagnetic interaction as compared to  $D + D^*$
- this requires an **accurate solution of the 4-body problem**, or **5-body** for Pentaquark
- a method is based on correlated Gaussians

$$\Psi = \sum_{CS} \sum_i \gamma_{i,CS} \left[ \exp\left(-\sum_{j<k} a_{jk} r_{jk}^2\right) \pm \dots \right]$$

where  $\dots$  means terms deduced by permutation

- For given  $\{a_{jk}\}$ , variational energy  $E$  and coefficients  $\gamma_i$  given by a generalized eigenvalue equation
- Non linear parameters  $\{a_{jk}\}$  deduced by astute methods (Kamimura et al., Suzuki et al., ...)
- $\sum_{CS}$  spin-color states,  $\geq 15$  for pentaquark with spin  $1/2$

# Combining CE & CM: Heavy dibaryons

- Dibaryons ( $QQ'qqqq$ ) tentatively combine
  - The chromoelectric interaction  $QQ'$
  - The chromomagnetic interaction in  $qqqq$  (triplet of  $SU(3)_f$ ) as in the 1987-vintage pentaquark
- while the thresholds such as  $(QQq) + (qqq)$  and  $(Qqq) + (Qqq)$  get only **one** effect.
- If its works, it means that one has many discoveries awaiting in the double-charm sector
  - **double-charm** baryons
  - **double-charm** mesons
  - **double-charm** dibaryons

# Variants and approximations: 1. Born-Oppenheimer

- Very useful
- $V(r)$  is already the BO potential after integrating out the gluons and light quarks
- $(QQq)$  BO tested on explicit models (note: first excitation is between  $QQ$ , so the diquark model is not very useful here)
- Suggestion to treat all  $XYZ$ , and even  $P$  as levels in various BO potentials, with explicit  $g$ ,  $q\bar{q}$  or  $qqq$  additions

## Variants and approximations: 2. Diquarks

- The model was invented to minimize the number of baryon excitations, and a re very useful, for instance, for multiparticle production
- It is regularly rediscovered, e.g., for pentaquarks, and for the  $X, Y, Z$  mesons,
- It is at last realised that if it leads to pentaquarks, it also lead to dibaryons, etc.

From pentaquarks to dibaryons in  $\Lambda_b(5620)$  decays



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### ABSTRACT

Pentaquarks and dibaryons are natural possibilities if diquarks are used as the building blocks to assemble hadrons. In this short note, motivated by the very recent discovery of two pentaquark states, we highlight some possible channels to search for dibaryons in  $\Lambda_b(5620)$  decays.

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### Diquark Deuteron

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It is speculated that an almost stable state of hadronic and nuclear matter can be built from *diquarks*. It is suggested that this alternative form of matter has already revealed itself in existing experimental data in the form of a diquark “deuteron” with  $J^P = 0^+$  and with several other anomalous properties.

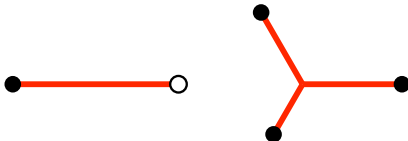


# Pairwise or multibody interaction?

Steiner tree: baryons-1

- For baryons, the linear confinement is described by a Y-shape interaction (Artru, Merkuriev, Dosch, Kuti et al., Kogut et al., etc.)

$$V = \sigma r_{12} , \quad V_Y = \sigma \min_J \sum_{i=1}^3 r_{iJ} .$$

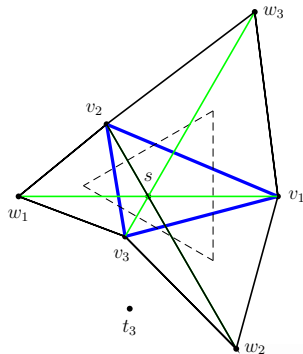
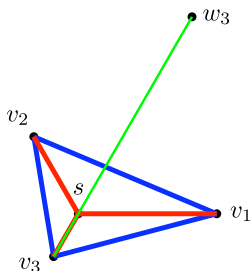


- No dramatic change for baryon spectroscopy, as compared to the 1/2 rule.
- Except for solving the 3-body problem (Taxil et al., Semay et al., etc.)



## Steiner tree: baryons-2

- This baryon potential is the solution of the famous Fermat-Torricelli problem of the minimal path linking three points, with an interesting **symmetry restoration**, intimately related to a theorem by Napoleon.



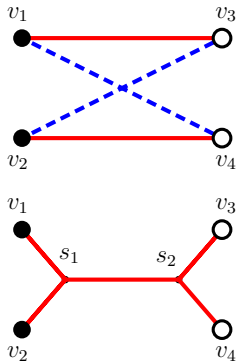
# Steiner tree: tetraquarks-1

$$U = \min \{ V_{\text{flip-flop}}, V_{\text{Steiner}} \}$$

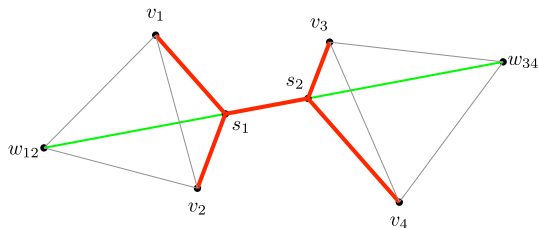
$$V_{\text{flip-flop}} = \min \{ d_{13} + d_{24}, d_{14} + d_{23} \},$$

$$V_{\text{Steiner}} = \min_{s_1, s_2} ( \|v_1 s_1\| + \|v_2 s_1\| + \|s_1 s_2\| + \|s_2 v_3\| + \|s_2 v_4\| ),$$

$U$  dominated by the flip-flop term,



# Steiner tree: tetraquarks-2



In the planar case, very simple construction of the connected term of the potential (this speeds up the computation).

$$V_4 = \sigma \|w_{12} w_{34}\| ,$$

maximal distance between the two Melznak points.

# Steiner tree: tetraquarks-3

$$V_4 = \sigma \|w_{12} w_{34}\| ,$$

maximal distance between the two Melznik circles.

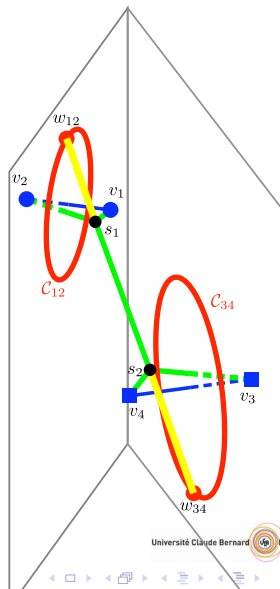
$$V_4 \leq \sigma \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} [\|x\| + \|y\|] + \|z\| \right\} ,$$

which is exactly solvable. The Jacobi var.

$$x = v_1 v_2 ,$$

$$y = v_3 v_4 ,$$

$$z = (v_1 + v_2)/2 - (v_3 + v_4)/2 ,$$

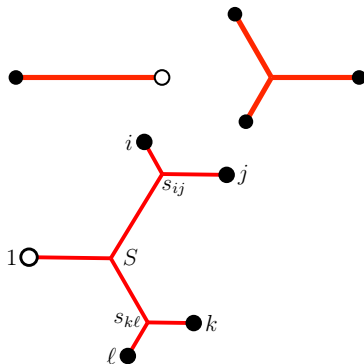


# Steiner tree: pentaquark

- $U = \min\{\text{flip-flop}, \text{Steiner}\},$

- Flip-flop

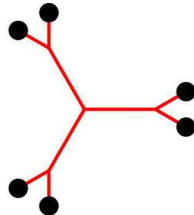
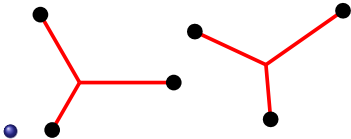
- Connected Steiner tree



- $(\bar{q}qqqq)$ , as well as  $(\bar{Q}qqqq)$ ,  $(\bar{q}qqqQ)$  for  $M \gg m$ , and probably many other configurations **bound** vs. spontaneous dissociation. (hyperscalar approx. with flip-flop alone sufficient to prove binding)
- But short-range forces and antisymmetrisation constraints not yet included.
- $(\bar{c}uuds)$  should survive, as spin effects might help.

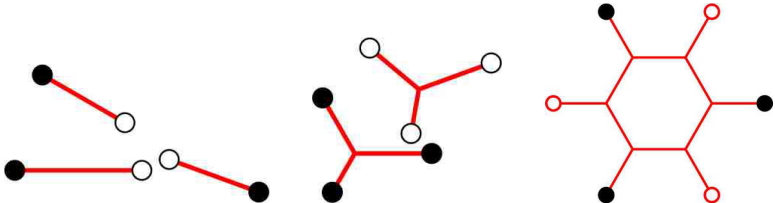
# Steiner-tree: hexaquark

- Same scenario: flip-flop and connected diagrams,
- The latter, more interesting, but less important for the dynamics,
- Binding is obtained in most cases, where antisymmetrisation is neglected.



# Steiner-tree: baryon-antibaryon

- Again: flip-flop and connected diagrams,
- Binding obtained in some cases.
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# Outlook

- The constituent quark model suggests very few bound states
- It involves intricate few-body calculations
- We aim at providing some benchmark estimates
- Multiquarks require both chromoelectric and chromomagnetic effects
- Double-flavor sector very promising
  - Doubly-heavy baryons
  - Doubly-heavy tetraquarks
  - Perhaps doubly-heavy dibaryons