

"Lattice QCD calculations of the excited-state spectrum, and the low-energy degrees of freedom of QCD

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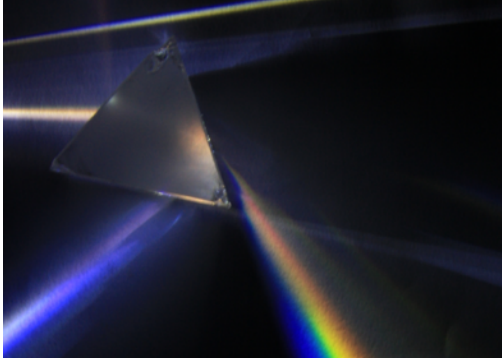
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Outline

- Spectroscopy: theory and experiment
- Lattice QCD Spectroscopy Recipe Book
- Results and insight
 - Light-meson spectroscopy and isoscalar
 - Decay constants
 - Charmonium
 - Baryons, and the search for gluons
- Strong decays
- Summary

Spectroscopy

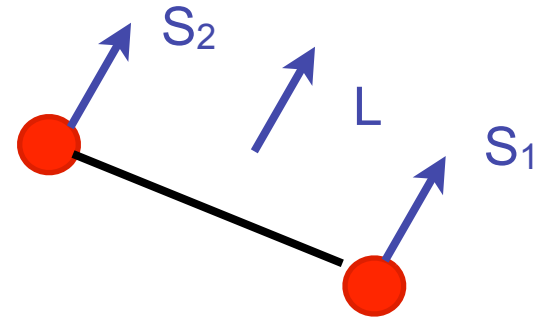
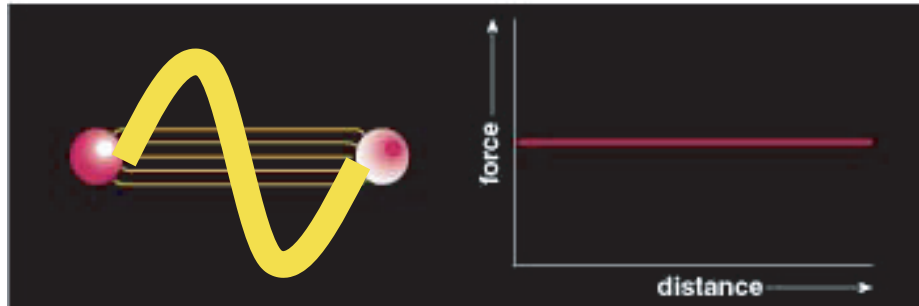
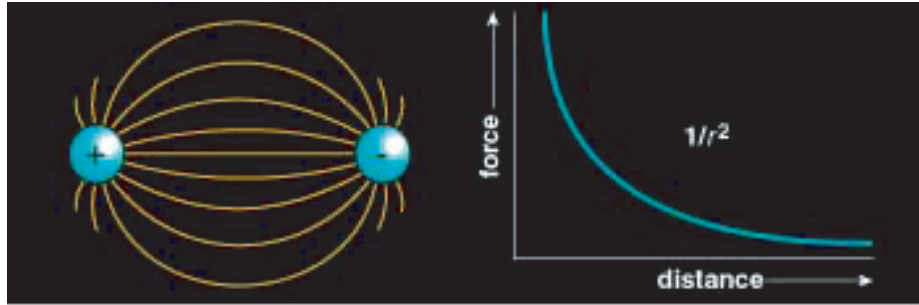


Classic means of determining underlying degrees of freedom in a theory. *Probe the strong interaction and its underlying field theory **Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD)***

Spectroscopy and QCD

- *What are the key degrees of freedom describing the bound states - **protons, neutrons, pions,????***
 - *How do they change as we vary the quark mass - **Charmonium?***
- *What is the origin of confinement, describing 99% of observed matter?*
- *If QCD is correct and we understand it, expt. data must confront ab initio calculations*
- *What is the role of the gluon in the spectrum – **search for exotics***

Meson Spectrum



Simple quark model (for neutral mesons) admits only certain values of J^{PC}

$$P = (-1)^{l+1}$$

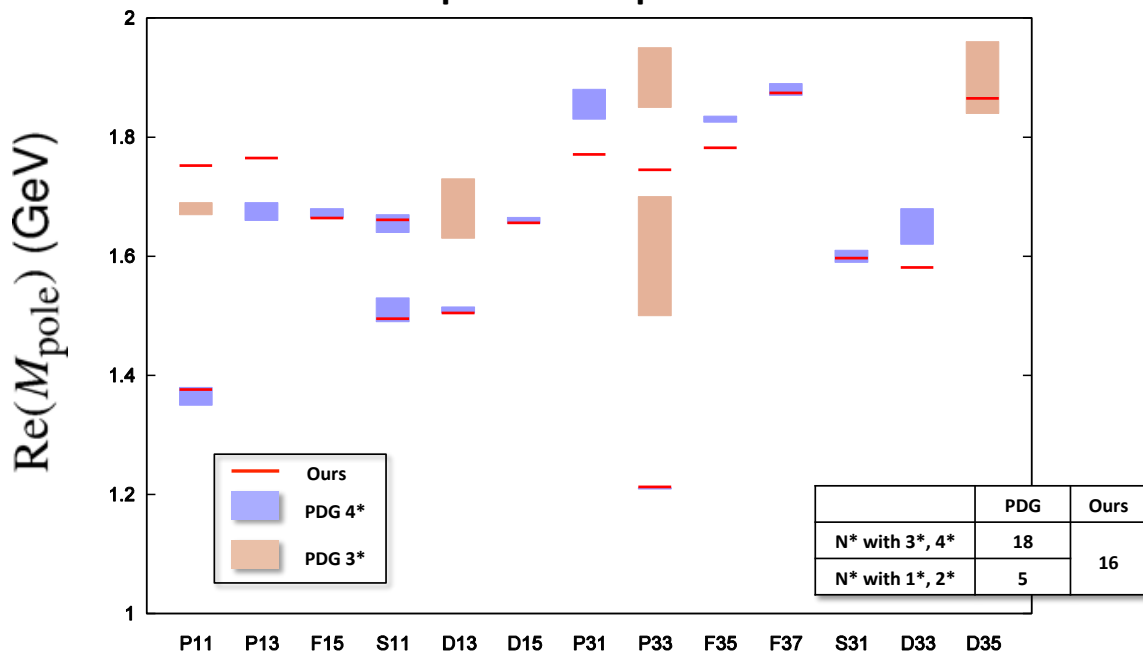
$$C = (-1)^{l+s}$$

- Exotic Mesons are those whose values of J^{PC} are not accessible to quark model: 0^{+-} , 1^{-+} , 2^{+-}
- Multi-quark states:
- Hybrids with *excitations of the flux-tube*
- Study of hybrids: revealing **gluonic** degrees of freedom of QCD.
- *Glueballs*: purely, or predominantly, gluonic states

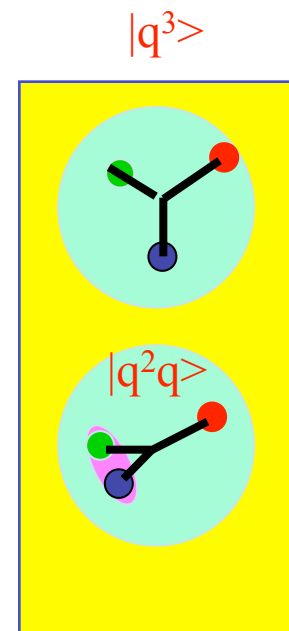
Baryon Spectroscopy

- No baryon “**exotics**”, ie quantum numbers not accessible with simple quark model; but may be **hybrids**!
- Nucleon Spectroscopy: Quark model masses and amplitudes – states classified by isospin, parity and **spin**.

Real parts of N* pole values



- **Missing**, because our pictures do not capture correct degrees of freedom?
- Do they just not couple to **probes**?



EBAC: Kamano, Nakamura, Lee, Sato - 2012

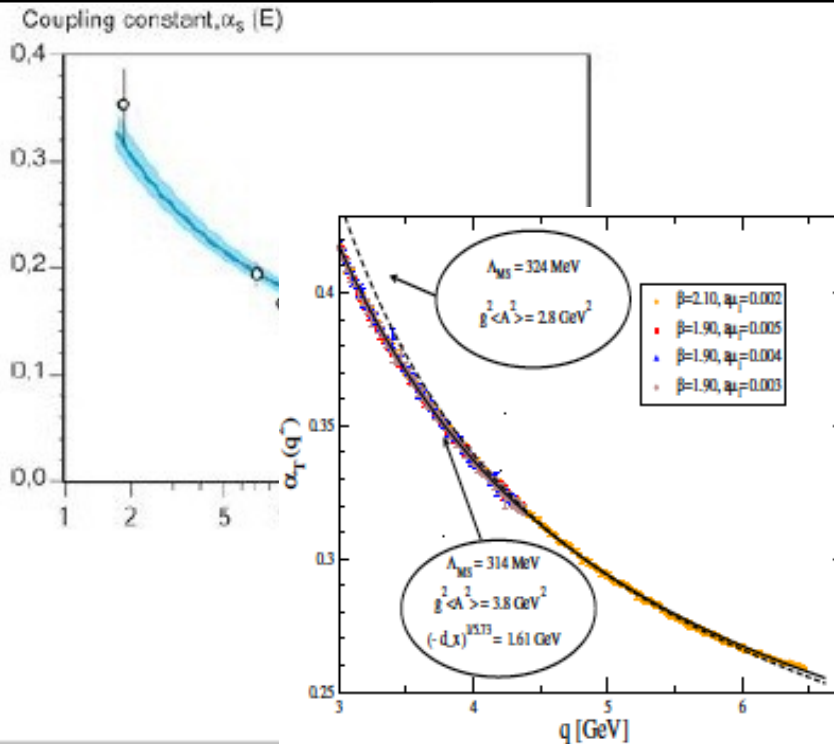
Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD)

QED	QCD
Photon, γ	Gluons, G
Charged particles, e, μ, u, d, \dots	Quarks: u, d, s, c, b, t
Photon is <i>neutral</i>	Gluons carry <i>color charge</i> Theory is <i>non-Abelian</i>
$\alpha_e = 1/137$	$\alpha_s \sim O(1)$

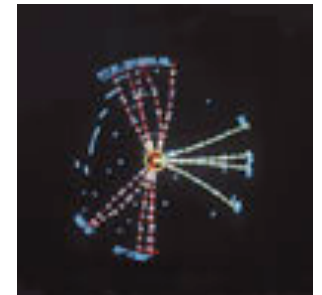
Infrared Slavery
Lattice QCD



Gluons in spectrum!



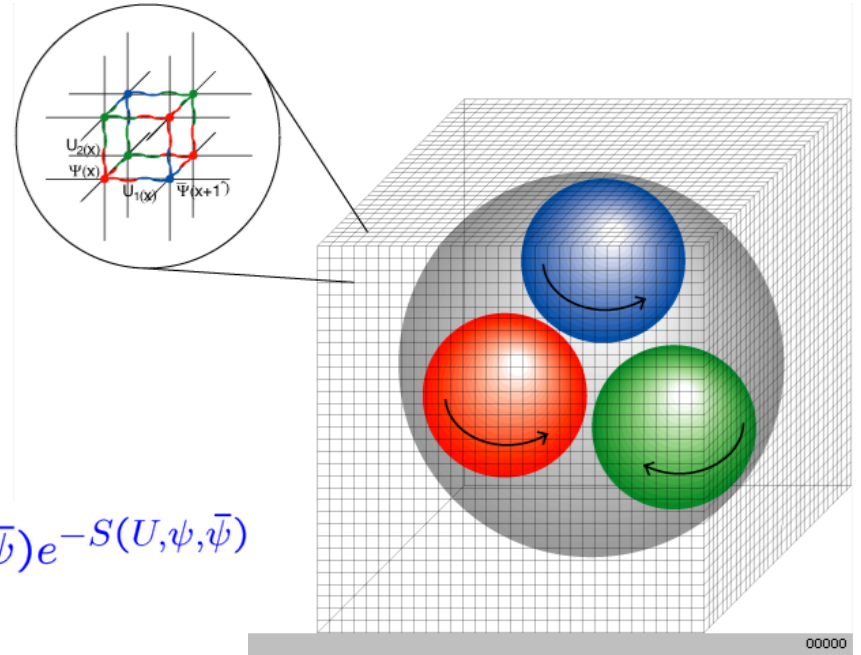
Asymptotic Freedom
Pert. Theory



Gluons in three-jet event

Lattice QCD

- Lattice QCD enables us to undertake **ab initio computations of many of the low-energy properties of QCD**
- Continuum Euclidean space time replaced by four-dimensional **lattice** – *24³ x 128 for talk today*



$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{x,\mu} dU_\mu(x) \prod_x d\psi(x) \prod_x d\bar{\psi}(x) \mathcal{O}(U, \psi, \bar{\psi}) e^{-S(U, \psi, \bar{\psi})}$$

where

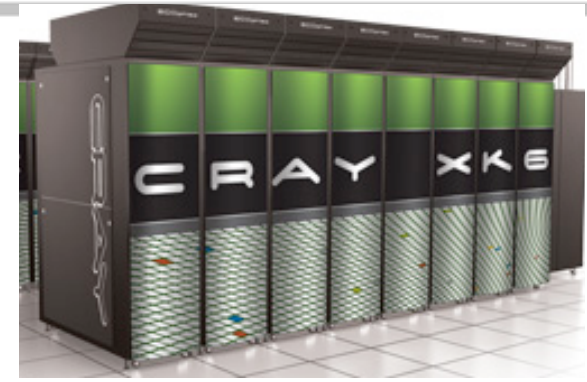
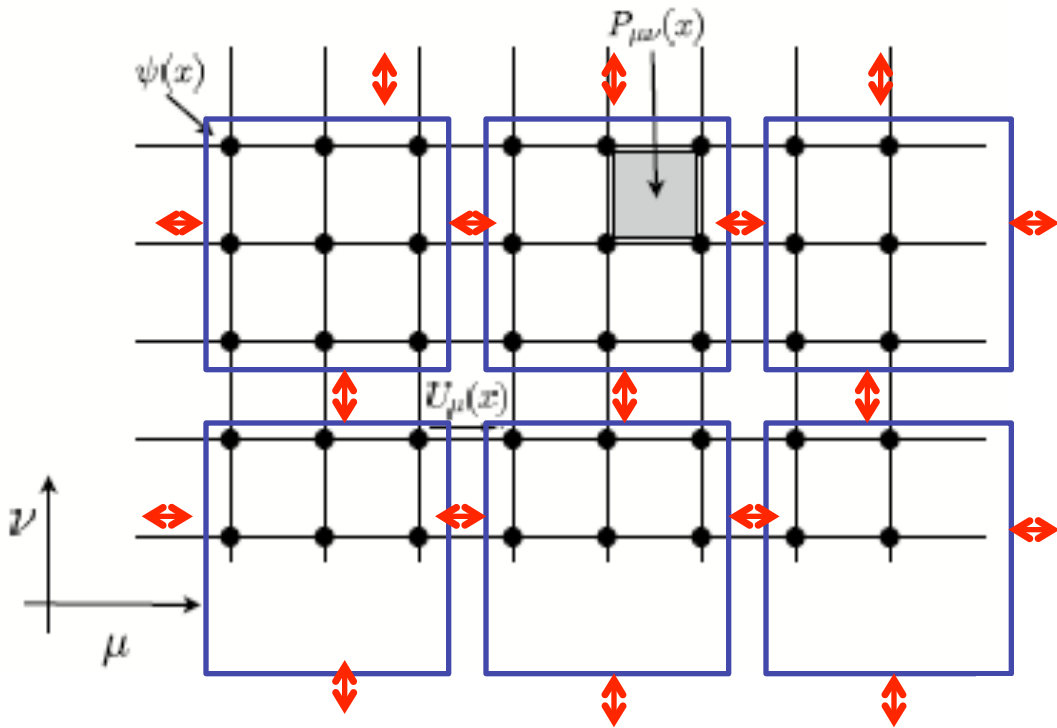
$$S(U, \psi, \bar{\psi}) = -\frac{6}{g^2} \sum_x \text{Tr} U_{Pl} + \sum_x \bar{\psi} M(U) \psi$$

$\psi, \bar{\psi}$ are **Grassmann Variables**

Importance Sampling

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{x,\mu} dU_\mu(x) \mathcal{O}(U) \det M(U) e^{-S_g(U)}$$

Hierarchy of Computations



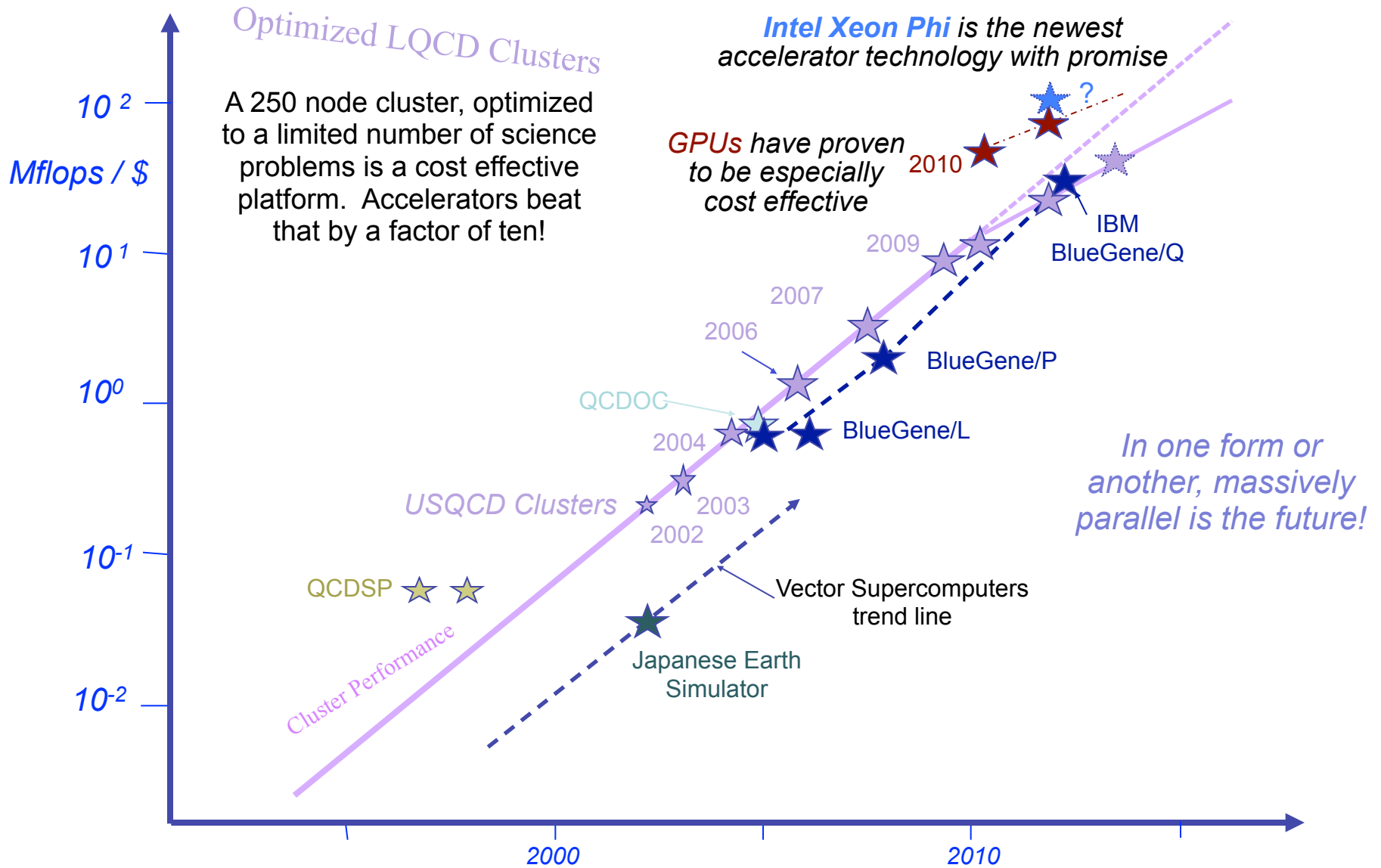
Capability Computing -
Gauge Generation

Capacity Computing -
Observable Calculation



Highly regular problem, with simple boundary conditions – *very efficient use of massively parallel computers using data-parallel programming.*

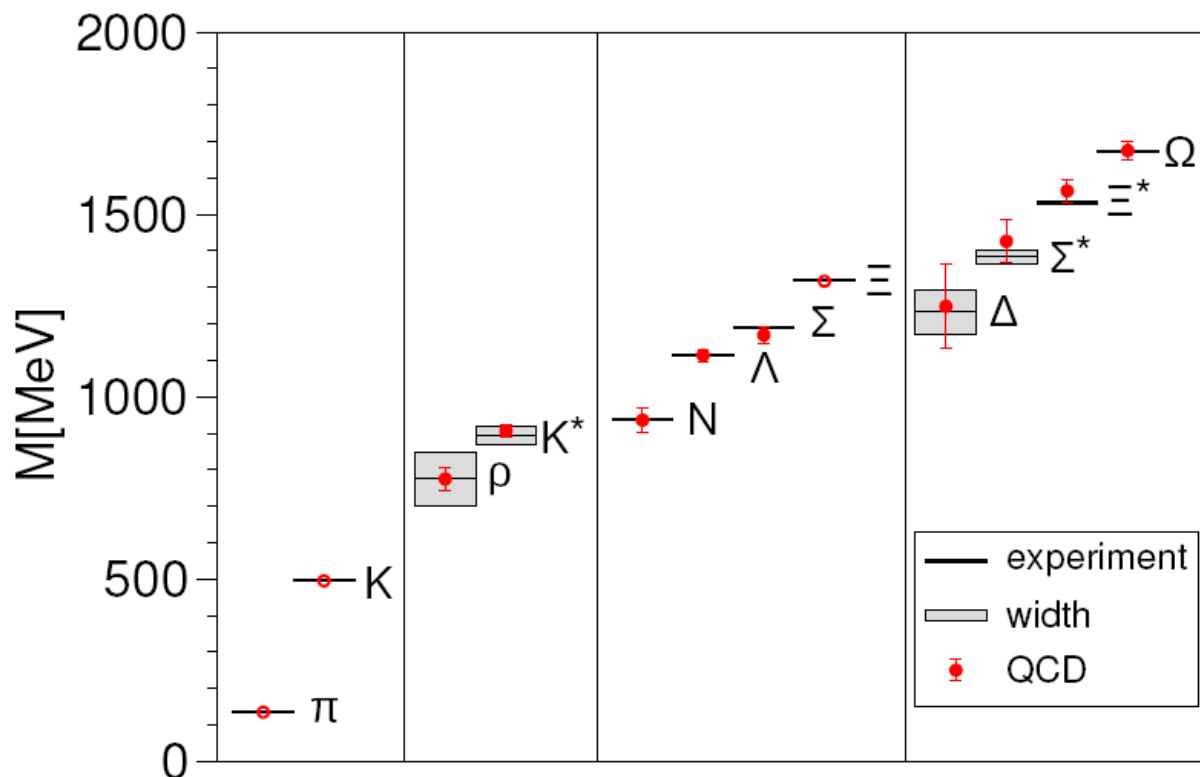
Science per Dollar for (some) LQCD Capacity Applications



Low-lying Hadron Spectrum

Benchmark of LQCD

$$\begin{aligned}
 C(t) &= \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle 0 | N(\vec{x}, t) \bar{N}(0) | 0 \rangle = \sum_{n, \vec{x}} \langle 0 | e^{ip \cdot x} N(0) e^{-ip \cdot x} | n \rangle \langle n | \bar{N}(0) | 0 \rangle \\
 &= | \langle n | N(0) | 0 \rangle |^2 e^{-E_n t} = \sum_n A_n e^{-E_n t}
 \end{aligned}$$



Durr et al., BMW
Collaboration

Science 2008

Control over:

- **Quark-mass dependence**
- **Continuum extrapolation**
- **finite-volume effects (pions, resonances)**

Variational Method

Subleading terms → *Excited states*

Construct matrix of correlators with *judicious choice of operators*

$$C_{ij}(t, 0) = \frac{1}{V_3} \sum_{\vec{x}, \vec{y}} \langle \mathcal{O}_i(\vec{x}, t) \mathcal{O}_j^\dagger(\vec{y}, 0) \rangle = \sum_N \frac{Z_i^{N*} Z_j^N}{2E_N} e^{-E_N t}$$

$$Z_i^N \equiv \langle N | \mathcal{O}_i^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle$$

Delineate contributions using *variational method*: solve

$$C(t)v^{(N)}(t, t_0) = \lambda_N(t, t_0)C(t_0)v^{(N)}(t, t_0).$$

$$\lambda_N(t, t_0) \longrightarrow e^{-E_N(t-t_0)},$$

Eigenvectors, with metric $C(t_0)$, are orthonormal and project onto the respective states

$$v^{(N')\dagger} C(t_0) v^{(N)} = \delta_{N, N'}$$

$$Z_i^N = \sqrt{2m_N} e^{m_N t_0/2} v_j^{(N)*} C_{ji}(t_0).$$

Challenges

To appreciate difficulty of extracting excited states, need to understand signal-to-noise ratio in two-point functions. Consider correlation function:

$$C(t) = \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}(t) \mathcal{O}(0)^\dagger | 0 \rangle \longrightarrow e^{-Et}$$

Then the fluctuations behave as DeGrand, Hecht, PRD46 (1992)

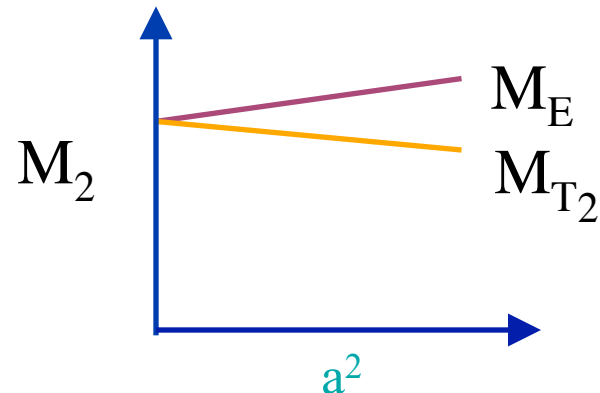
$$\sigma^2(t) \simeq \left(\langle 0 | |\mathcal{O}(t) \mathcal{O}(0)^\dagger|^2 | 0 \rangle - C(t)^2 \right) \longrightarrow e^{-2m_\pi t}$$

Signal-to-noise ratio degrades with increasing E - **Solution: anisotropic lattice with lattice spacing $a_t < a_s$**

For heavy quarks $m a_t \ll 1$

Cubic symmetry of lattices

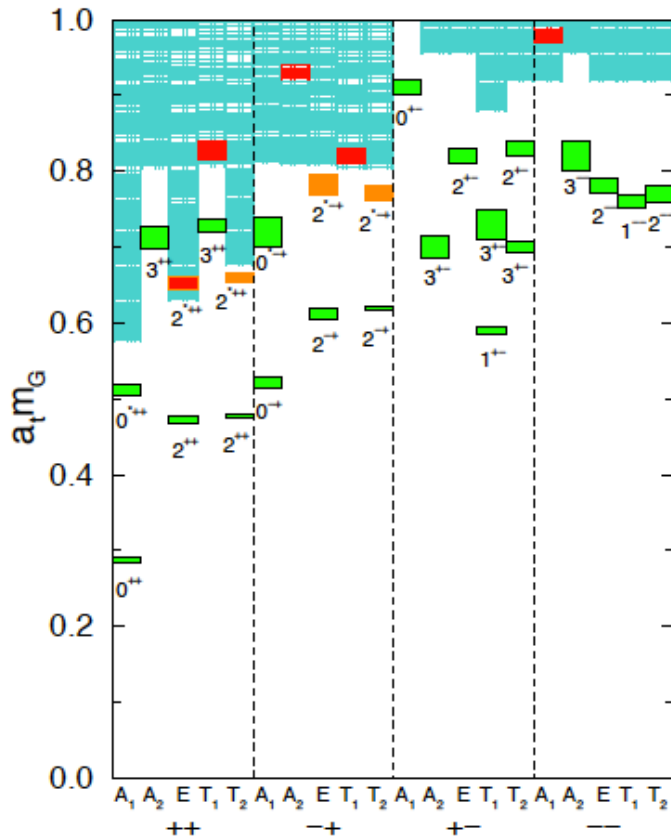
J	irreps
0	$A_1(1)$
1	$T_1(3)$
2	$T_2(3) \oplus E(2)$
3	$T_1(3) \oplus T_2(3) \oplus A_2(1)$
4	$A_1(1) \oplus T_1(3) \oplus T_2(3) \oplus E(2)$



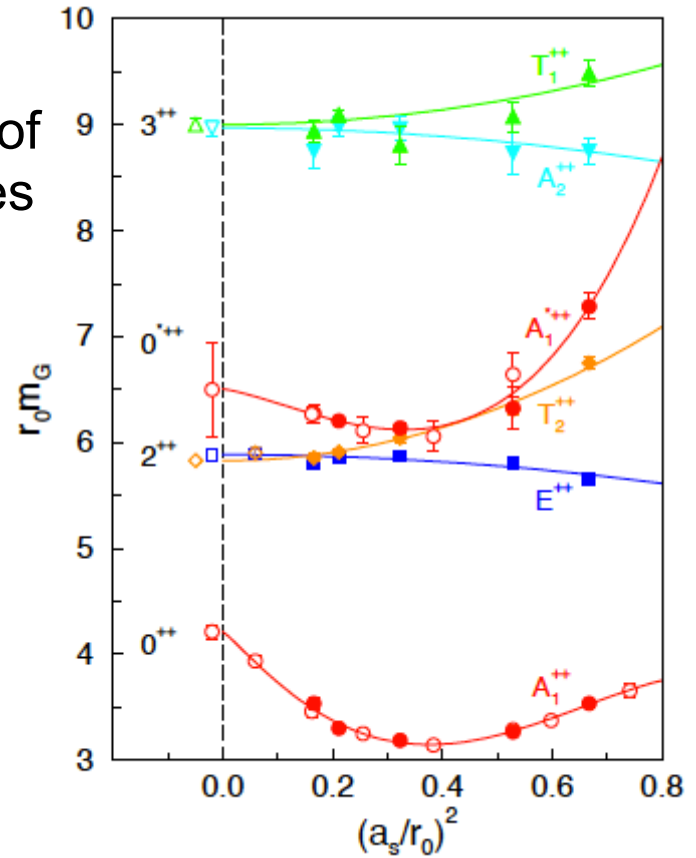
Glueball Spectroscopy - I

Triple-gluon vertex - Pure Yang-Mills spectrum.
Predicts existence of bound states.

Morningstar, Peardon 97,99



Observe emergence of degeneracies



Spectroscopy with Quarks

- **Anisotropic lattices** - to precisely resolve energies
- **Variational method** - with sufficient operator basis to delineate states
- Identification of spin - **Many Values of Lattice Spacing?**

Anisotropic fermion action

Edwards, Joo, Lin, PRD78 (2008)

$$S_G^\xi[U] = \frac{\beta}{N_c \gamma_g} \left\{ \sum_{x,s>s'} \left[\frac{5}{3u_s^4} \mathcal{P}_{ss'} - \frac{1}{12u_s^6} \mathcal{R}_{ss'} \right] + \sum_{x,s} \left[\frac{4}{3u_s^2 u_t^2} \mathcal{P}_{st} - \frac{1}{12u_s^4 u_t^2} \mathcal{R}_{st} \right] \right\}$$

$$S_F^\xi[U, \bar{\psi}, \psi] = \sum x \bar{\psi}(x) \frac{1}{\tilde{u}_t} \left\{ \tilde{u}_t \hat{m}_0 + \hat{W}_t + \frac{1}{\gamma_f} \sum_s \hat{W}_s - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\gamma_g}{\gamma_f} + \frac{1}{\xi} \right) \frac{1}{\tilde{u}_t \tilde{u}_s^2} \sum_s \sigma_{ts} \hat{F}_{ts} + \frac{1}{\gamma_f} \frac{1}{\tilde{u}_s^3} \sum_{s<s'} \sigma_{ss'} \hat{F}_{ss'} \right] \right\} \psi(x).$$

Two anisotropy parameters to tune, in gauge and fermion sectors

$$\xi = 3.5 \quad \begin{aligned} \gamma_g &= \xi_0 \\ \gamma_f &= \xi_0 / \nu \end{aligned} \quad \text{Dispersion Relation} \quad \begin{aligned} a_s &\simeq 0.12 \text{ fm} \\ a_t &\simeq 0.035 \text{ fm} \end{aligned}$$

Anisotropic Clover Generation - I

Tuning performed for three-flavor theory

Challenge: setting scale and strange-quark mass

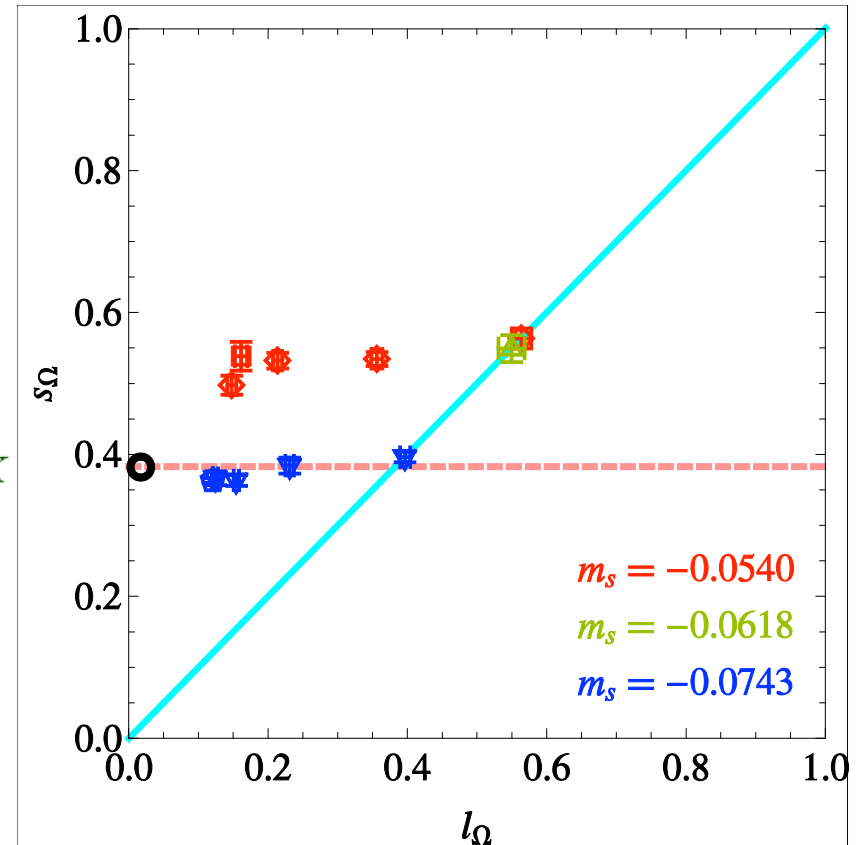
Lattice coupling fixed

Proportional to m_s to LO ChPT

$$s_X = (9/4)[2m_K^2 - m_\pi^2]/m_X^2$$

Omega 

Express physics in (dimensionless)
(l,s) coordinates

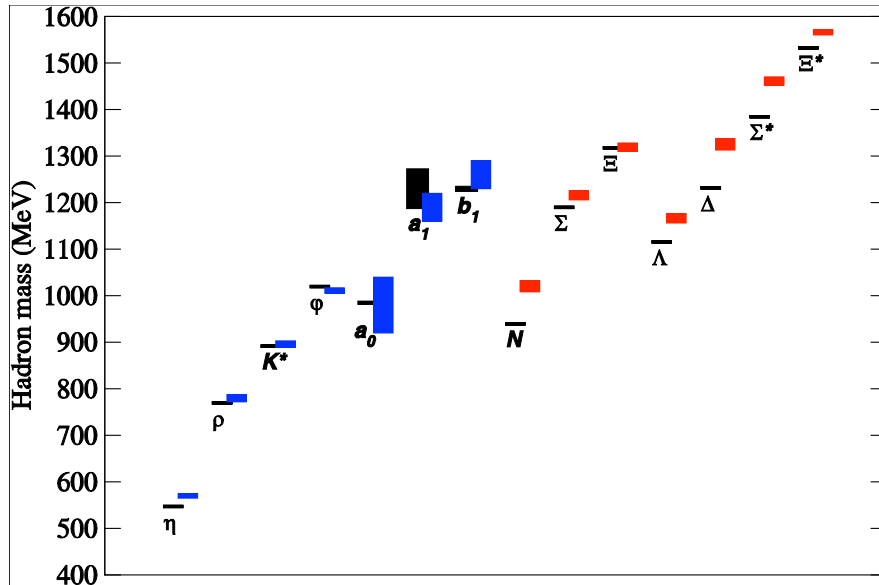


$$l_X = (9/4)m_\pi^2/m_X^2$$

H-W Lin et al (Hadron Spectrum Collaboration),
PRD79, 034502 (2009)

Proportional to m_l to LO ChPT

Anisotropic Clover – II

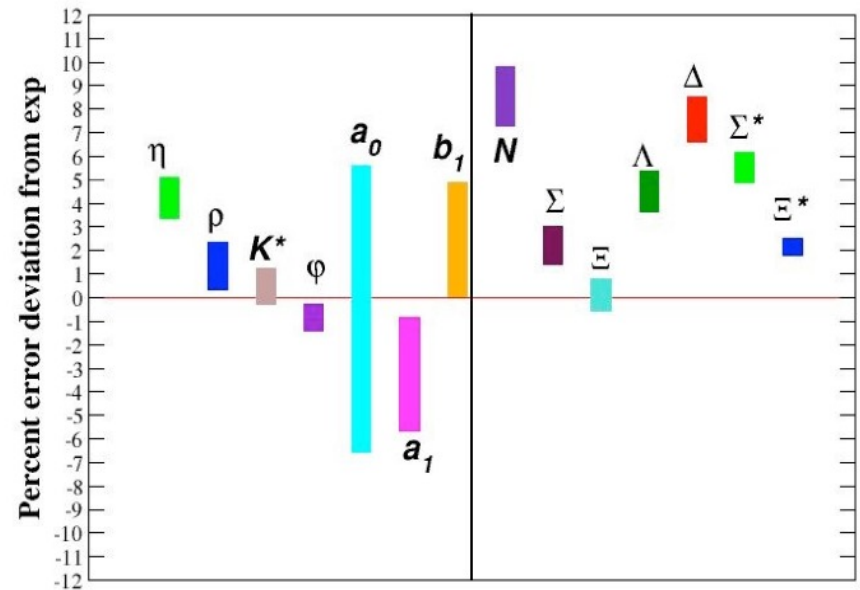


Low-lying spectrum: *agrees with experiment to 10%*

$$m_\pi \geq 400 \text{ MeV}$$

No chiral extrapolations - resonances

$N_f=2+1$ Hadron Spectrum: NN Leading Order Extrapolation



Variational Method: Meson Operators

Aim: interpolating operators of *definite* (continuum) JM: O^{JM}

Starting point $\langle 0 | O^{JM} | J', M' \rangle = Z^J \delta_{J,J'} \delta_{M,M'}$
 $\bar{\psi}(\vec{x}, t) \Gamma D_i D_j \dots \psi(\vec{x}, t)$

Introduce circular basis:

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=-1} = \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\overleftrightarrow{D}_x - i \overleftrightarrow{D}_y \right)$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=0} = i \overleftrightarrow{D}_z$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=+1} = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\overleftrightarrow{D}_x + i \overleftrightarrow{D}_y \right).$$

Straightforward to project to definite spin - *for example* $J = 0, 1, 2$

$$(\Gamma \times D_{J=1}^{[1]})^{J,M} = \sum_{m_1, m_2} \langle 1, m_1; 1, m_2 | J, M \rangle \bar{\psi} \Gamma_{m_1} \overleftrightarrow{D}_{m_2} \psi.$$

Use projection formula to find subduction under irrep. of cubic group - operators are closed under rotation!

$$O_{\Lambda\lambda}^{[J]}(t, \vec{x}) = \frac{d_\Lambda}{g_{O_h^D}} \sum_{R \in O_h^D} D_{\lambda\lambda}^{(\Lambda)*}(R) U_R O^{J,M}(t, \vec{x}) U_R^\dagger$$

↑
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$$\text{Irrep, Row} = \sum_M S_{\Lambda,\lambda}^{J,M} O^{J,M} \quad \text{Irrep of R in } \Lambda \quad \text{Action of R}$$

Correlation functions: Distillation

- Use the new “distillation” method.

- Observe
$$L^{(J)} \equiv (1 - \frac{\kappa}{n} \Delta)^n = \sum_{i=1} f(\lambda_i) v^{(i)} \otimes v^{*(i)}$$

Eigenvectors of Laplacian

- Truncate sum at sufficient i to capture relevant physics modes – we use 64: set “weights” f to be unity
- Meson correlation function

$$C_M(t, t') = \langle 0 | \bar{d}(t') \Gamma^B(t') u(t') \bar{u}(t) \Gamma^A(t) d(t) | 0 \rangle$$

Includes displacements

- Decompose using “distillation” operator as

M. Peardon *et al.*, PRD80,054506 (2009)

$$C_M(t, t') = \text{Tr} \langle \phi^A(t') \tau(t', t) \Phi^B(t) \tau^\dagger(t', t), \rangle$$

where

Perambulators \longrightarrow

$$\Phi_{\alpha\beta}^{A,ij} = v^{*(i)}(t) [\Gamma^A(t) \gamma_5]_{\alpha\beta} v^{(j)}(t')$$

$$\tau_{\alpha\beta}^{ij}(t, t') = v^{*(i)}(t') M_{\alpha\beta}^{-1}(t', t) v^{(j)}(t).$$

Momentum Projection at Source and Sink!

Distillation - II

- Meson correlation functions N^3
- Baryon correlation functions N^4
- Stochastic sampling of eigenvectors - *stochastic LaPH*

Morningstar et al, Phys.Rev.D83:114505,2011

- Alternative idea: simpler orthonormal basis for the smearing function L

$$\sum_i \phi_i^*(x) \phi_i(y) = \delta(x - y), \quad \sum_x \phi_i^*(x) \phi_j(x) = \delta_{ij}$$

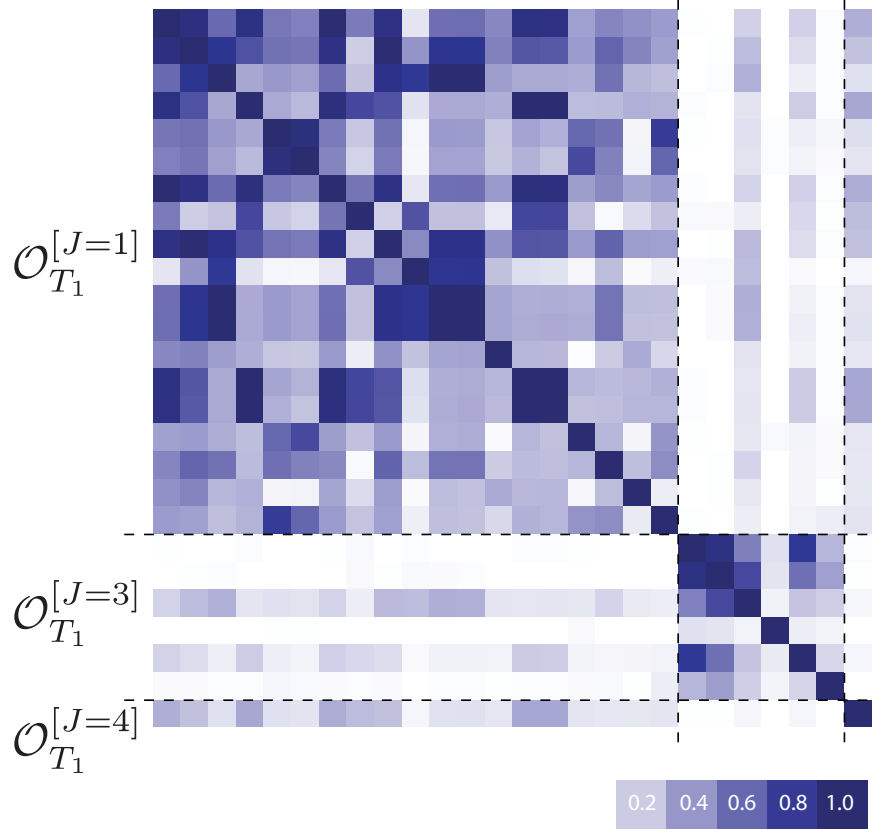
Colour-wave basis

$$\phi_i(x) = e^{-ipx} \delta_{s,s'} \delta_{c,c'}$$

Z.Brown, K.Orginos, arXiv:1210.1953

Identification of Spin

Hadspec collab. (dudek et al), 1004.4930, PRD82, 034508

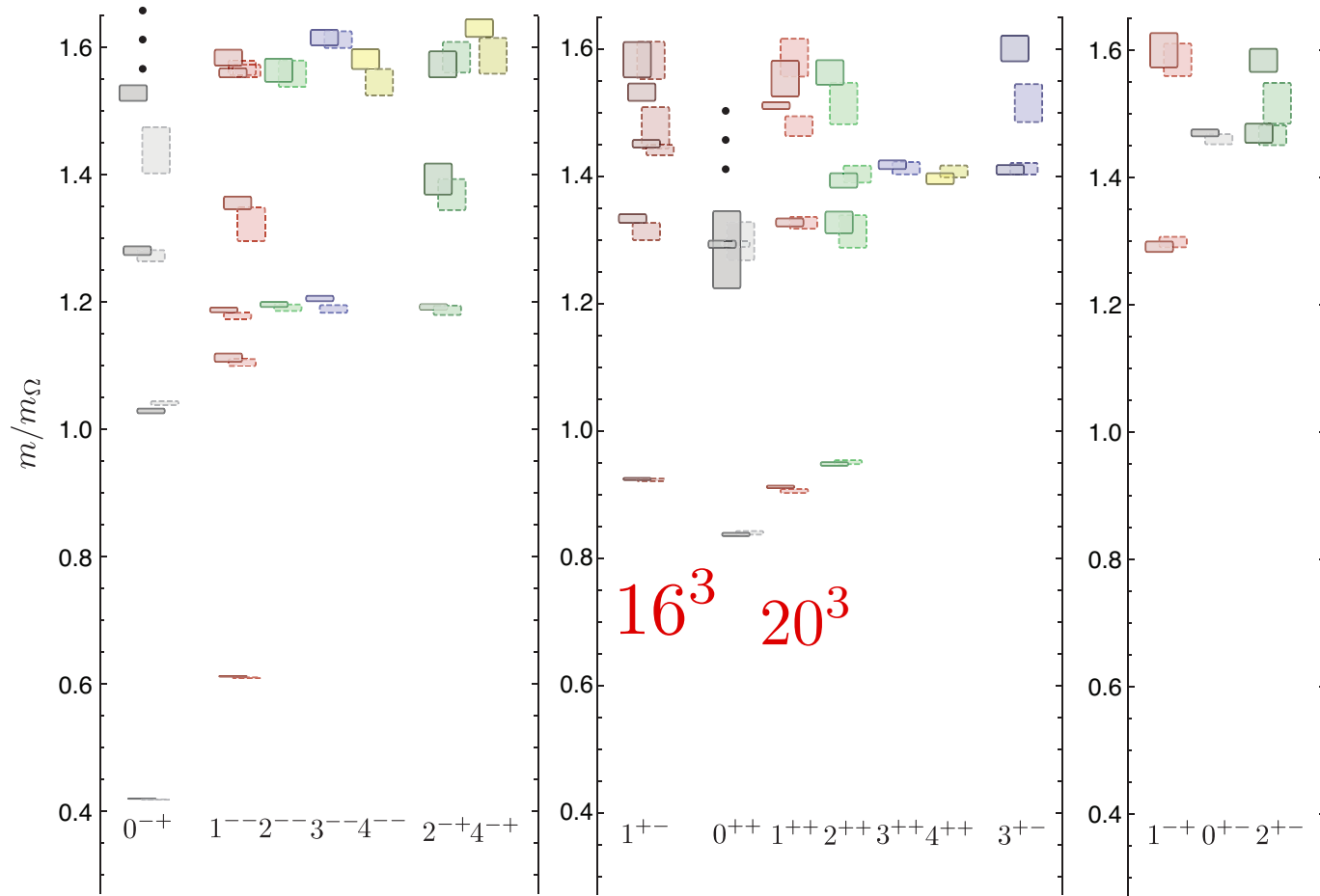


$$C_{ij}^{\Lambda} = \frac{1}{\dim(\Lambda)} \sum_{\lambda} \langle 0 | O_{i(\Lambda)\lambda}^{[J]} O_{j(\Lambda)\lambda}^{[J]} | 0 \rangle$$

Operators know their parentage

Exploit to determine spins

Isovector Meson Spectrum - I



Dudek et al,
PRL 103:262001
(2009)

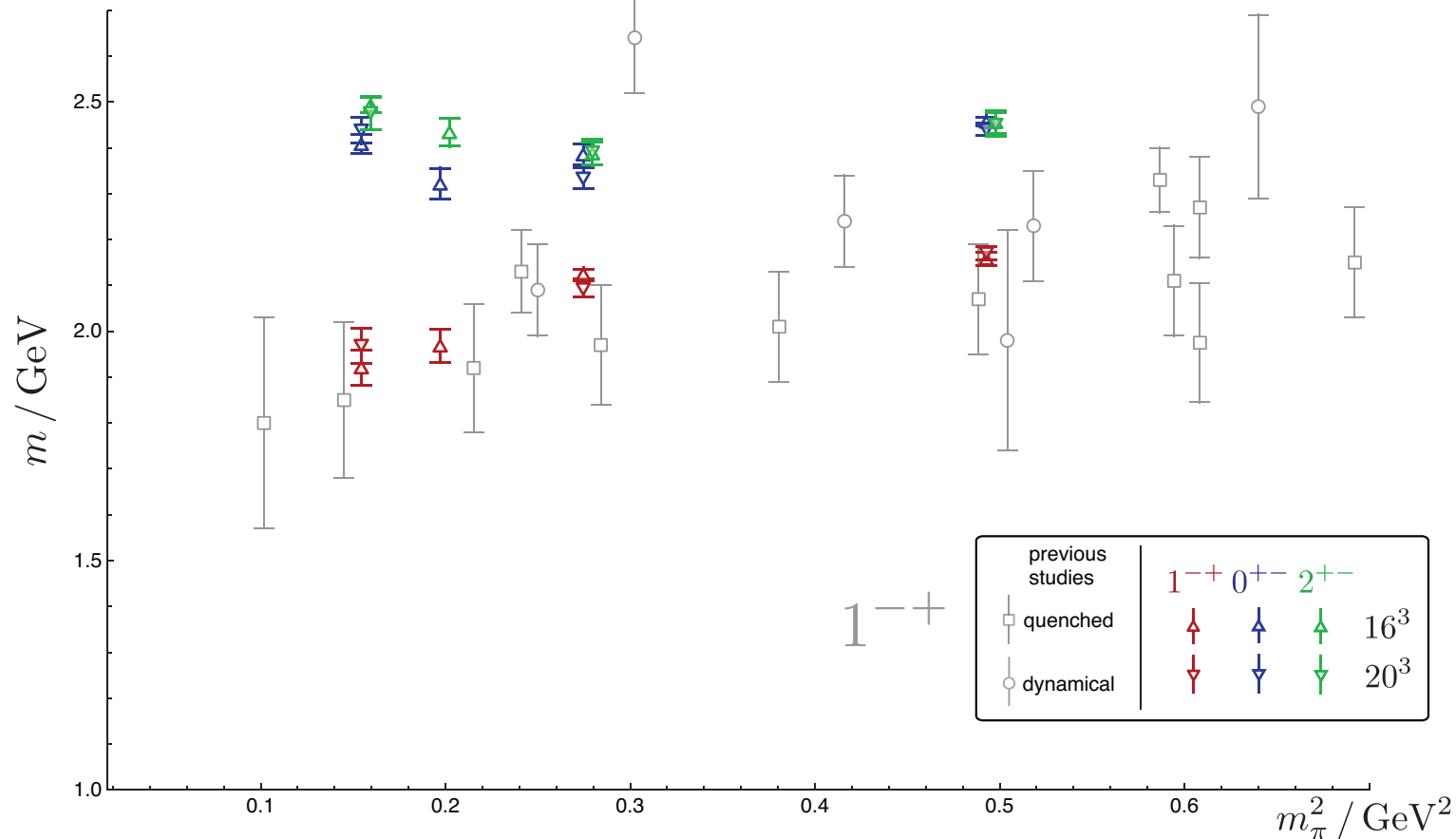
*Isovector spectrum
with quantum
numbers reliably
identified*

$N_f = 3$ theory - three mass-degenerate “strange” quarks

Exotic

Isovector Meson Spectrum - II

$N_f = 2+1$, $m_\pi = 397$ MeV *States with Exotic Quantum Numbers*



Dudek, Edwards, DGR, Thomas, arXiv:1004.4930

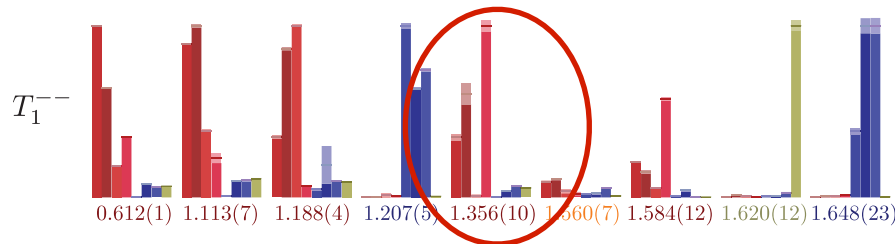
Interpretation of Meson Spectrum

- $J = 0$ $(a_1 \times D_{J=1}^{[1]})^{J=0}$ $(a_1 \times D_{J_{13}=2, J=1}^{[3]})^{J=0}$
- $J = 1$ $(\rho)^{J=1}$ $(a_1 \times D_{J=1}^{[1]})^{J=1}$ $(\rho \times D_{J=2}^{[2]})^{J=1}$ $(\pi \times D_{J=1}^{[2]})^{J=1}$
- $J = 2$ $(a_1 \times D_{J=1}^{[1]})^{J=2}$ $(\rho \times D_{J=2}^{[2]})^{J=2}$ $(a_1 \times D_{J_{13}=2, J=3}^{[3]})^{J=2}$
- $J = 3$ $(\rho \times D_{J=2}^{[2]})^{J=3}$ $(a_0 \times D_{J_{13}=2, J=3}^{[3]})^{J=3}$ $(a_1 \times D_{J_{13}=2, J=3}^{[3]})^{J=3}$
- $J = 4$ $(a_1 \times D_{J_{13}=2, J=3}^{[3]})^{J=4}$

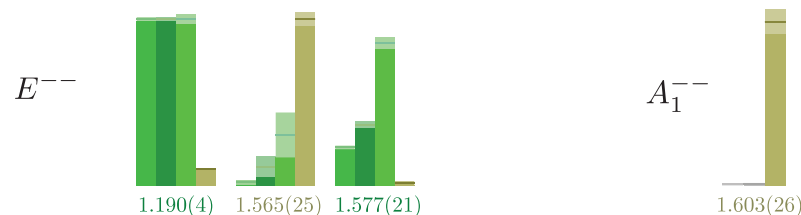
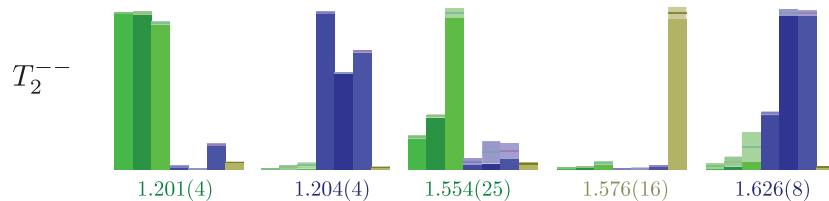
$$Z_i^N = \sqrt{2m_N} e^{m_N t_0/2} v_j^{(N)*} C_{ji}(t_0).$$

← $D_{J=1}^{[2]}$

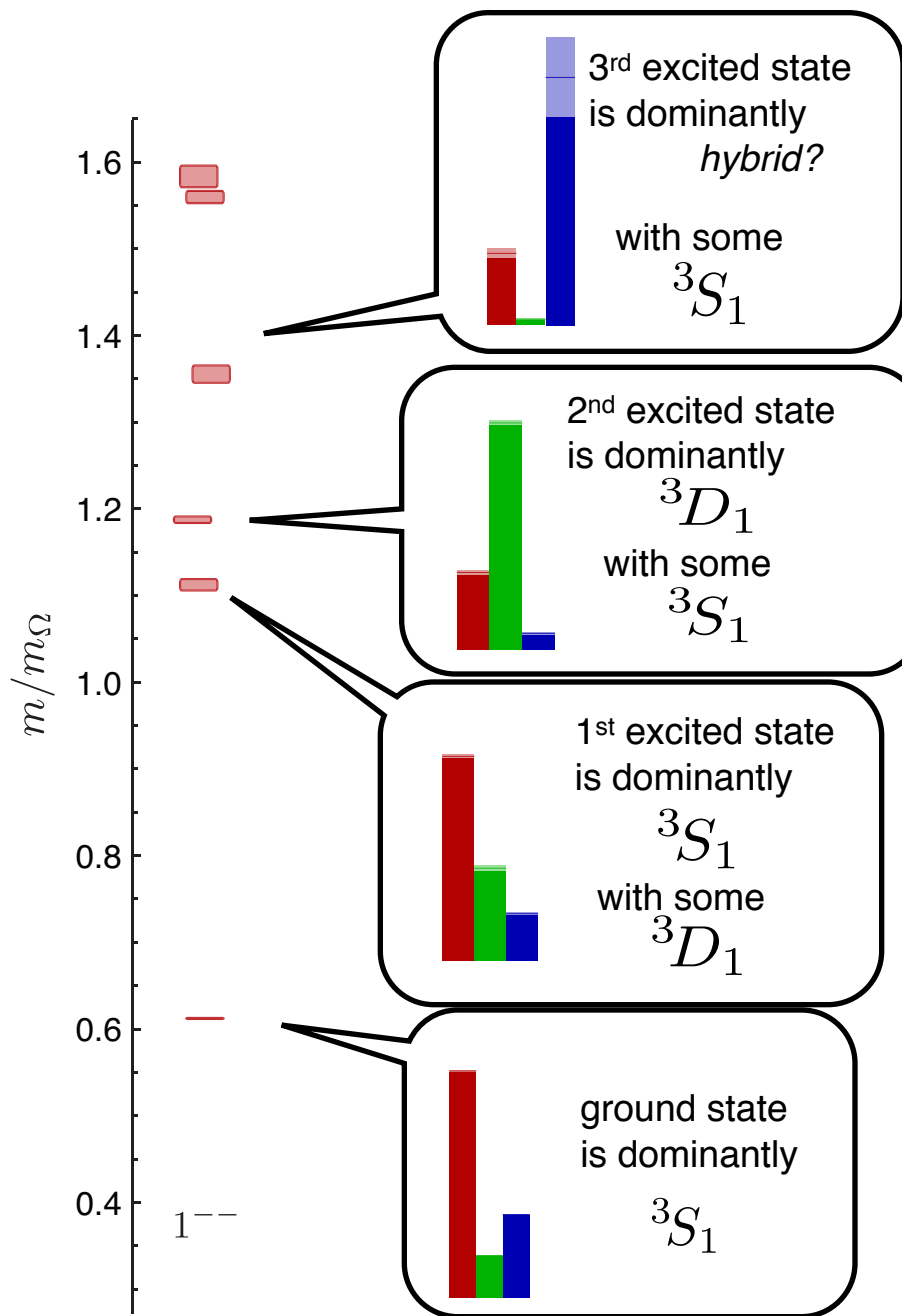
Vanishes for unit gauge field



In each Lattice Irrep, state dominated by operators of particular J



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look at the 'overlaps'

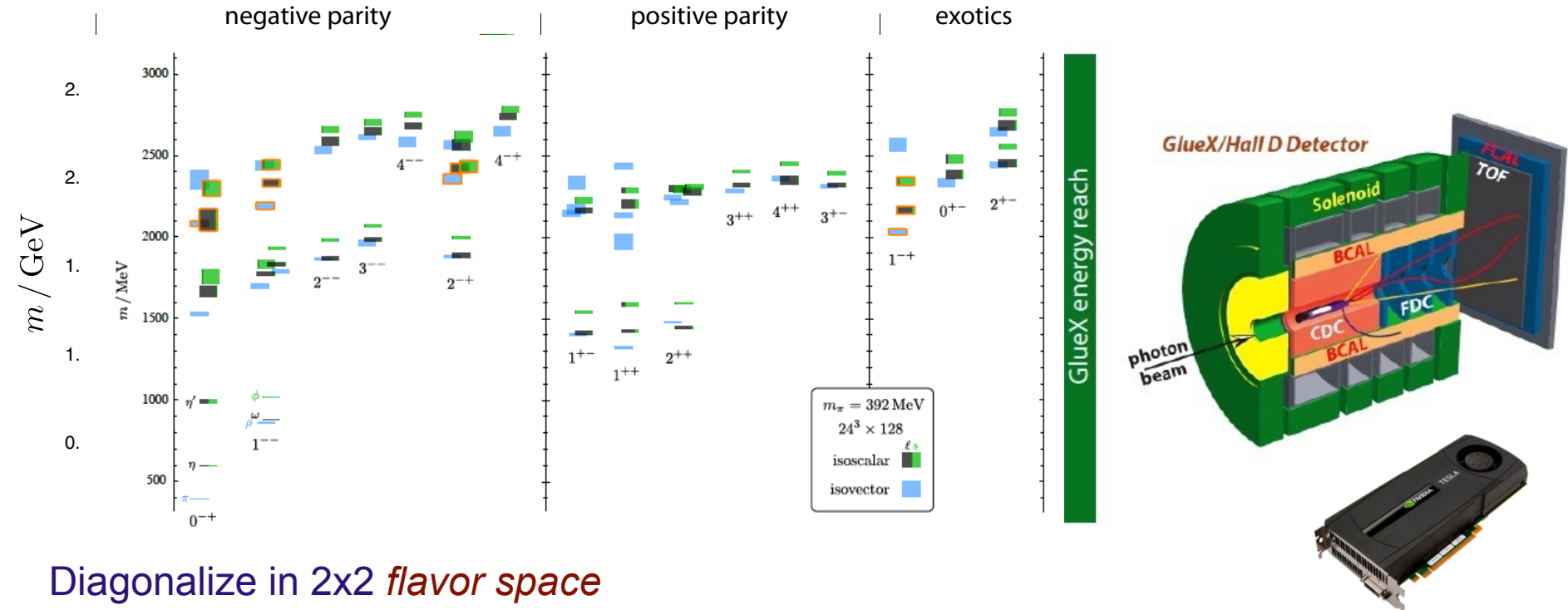
$$\begin{array}{l}
 \rho \quad \quad \quad 3S_1 \\
 (\rho \times D_{J=2}^{[2]})^{J=1} \quad 3D_1 \\
 (\pi \times D_{J=1}^{[2]})^{J=1} \quad \text{hybrid?}
 \end{array}$$

Anti-commutator of covariant derivative: vanishes for unit gauge!

Use lattice QCD to build phenomenology of bound states

Isoscalar Meson Spectrum

Dudek et al, arXiv:1309.2608, arXiv:0909.0200



Diagonalize in 2x2 *flavor space*

$$C = \begin{pmatrix} -C^{\ell\ell} + 2D^{\ell\ell} & \sqrt{2}D^{\ell s} \\ \sqrt{2}D^{s\ell} & -C^{ss} + D^{ss} \end{pmatrix}$$

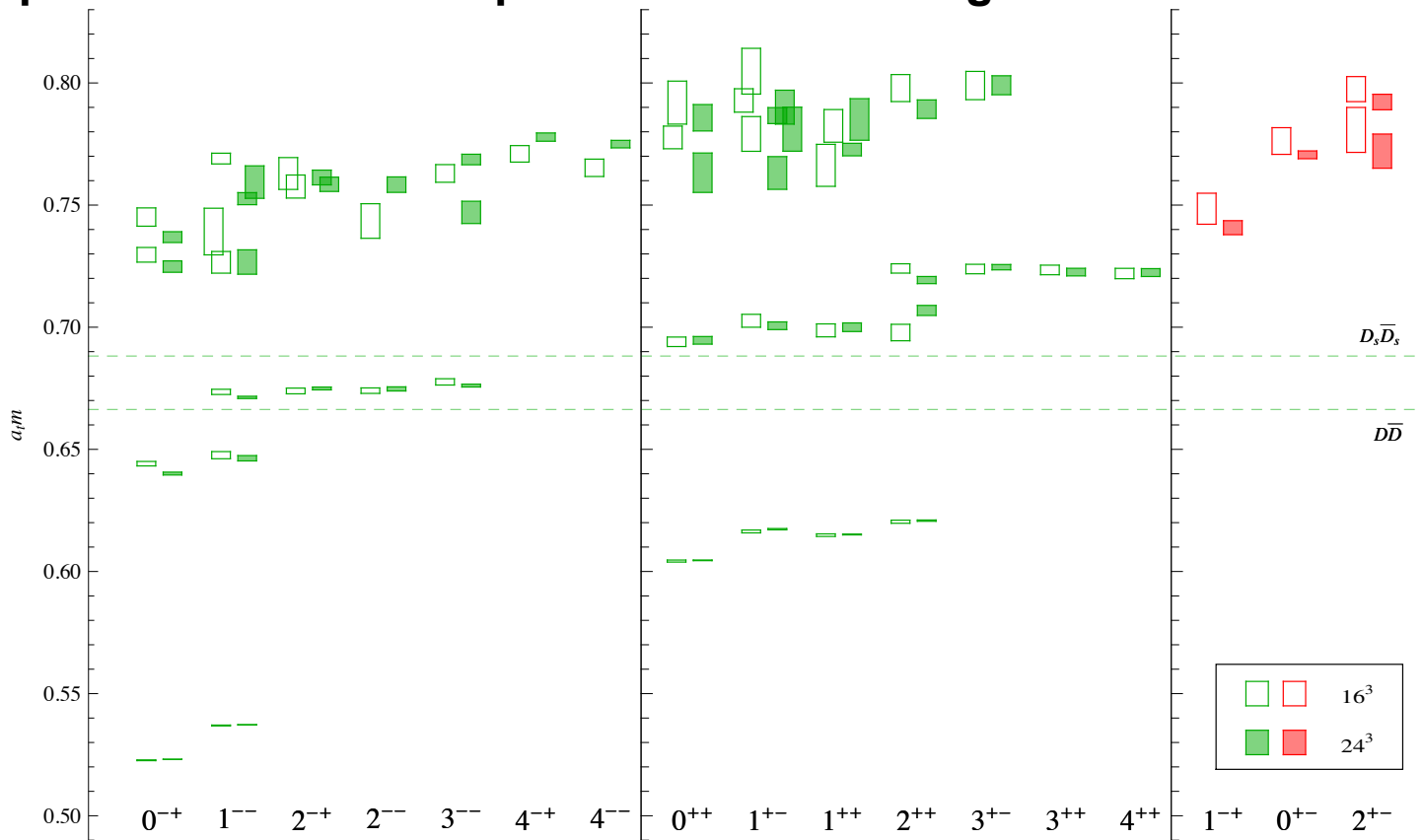
- Spin-identified single-particle spectrum: states of spin as high as four
- Hidden flavor mixing angles extracted - except 0^{++} , 1^{++} near ideal mixing
- *First determination of exotic isoscalar states: comparable in mass to isovector*

J. Dudek et al., PRD73, 11502

Charmonium

Operator construction follows light-quark
Ignore annihilation contributions
Charm quark mass set from η_c with scale set using Ω

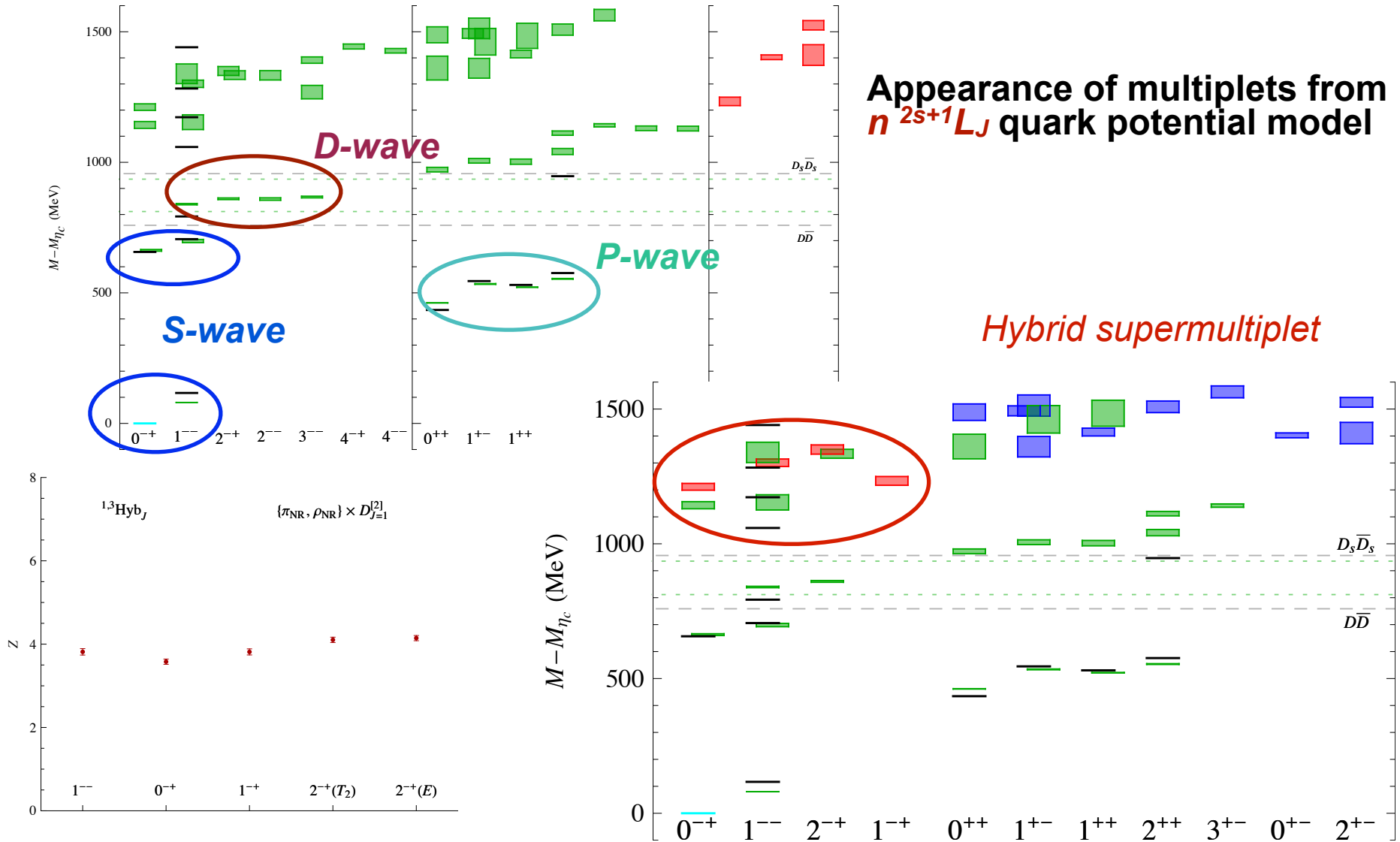
Liuming Liu et al, arXiv: 1204.5425



Exotics

Volume-dependence small \Rightarrow quote results at larger volume

Charmonium - II

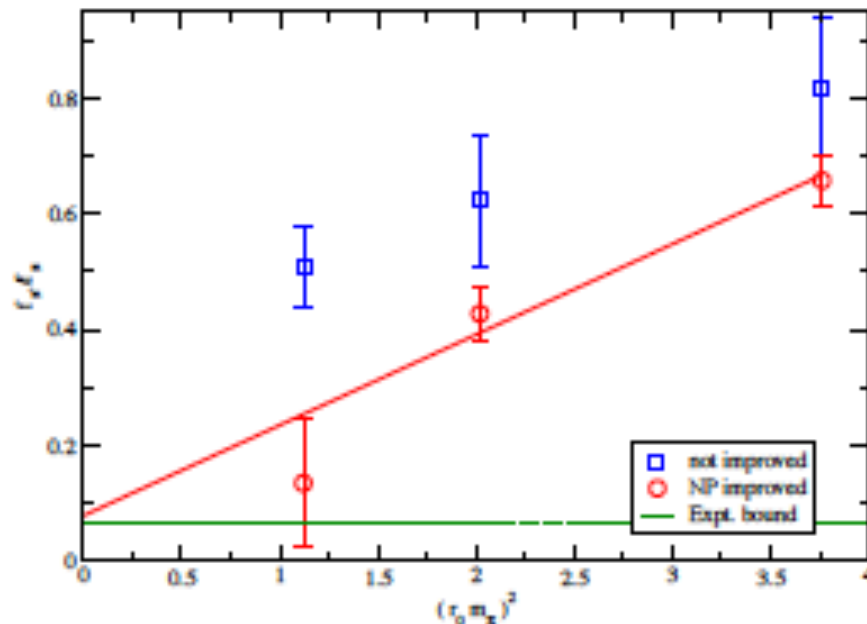


Pseudoscalar Decay Constants

$$f_X = \frac{1}{m_X^2} m_q \langle 0 | \pi | X \rangle$$

e.g. Chang, Roberts, Tandy, arXiv:1107.4003

- Expectation from WT identity $f_{\pi_N} \equiv 0, N \geq 0$
- Compute in LQCD



McNeile and Michael, hep-lat/0607032

Pseudoscalar Decay - II

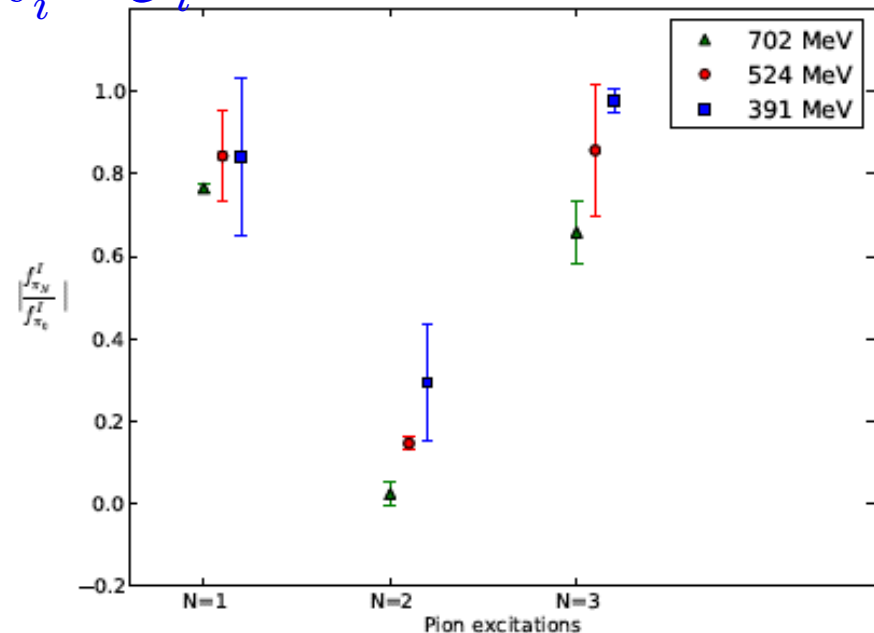
E. Mastropas, DGR, PRD(2014)

- Axial-vector current mixes on lattice

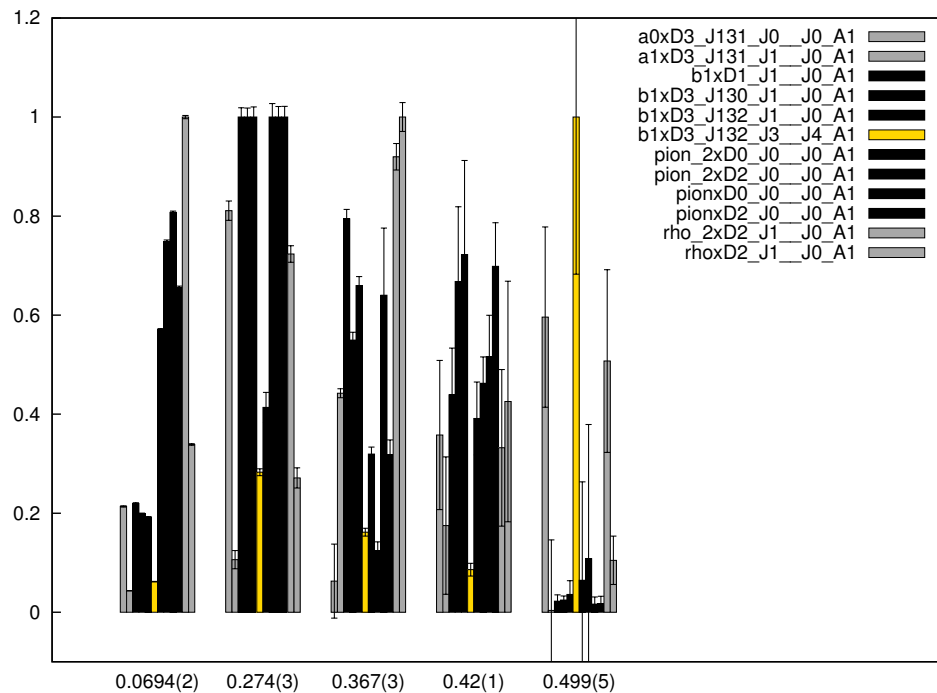
$$A_4^I = (1 + ma_t \Omega_m) \left[A_4^U - \frac{1}{4} (\xi - 1) a_t \partial_4 P \right]$$

$$C_{A_4, N}(t) = \frac{1}{V_3} \sum_{\vec{x}, \vec{y}} \langle 0 | A_4(\vec{x}, t) \Omega_N^\dagger(\vec{y}, 0) | 0 \rangle \longrightarrow e^{-m_N t} m_N \tilde{f}_{\pi_N}$$

where $\Omega_N = \sqrt{2m_N} e^{-m_N t_0/2} v_i^{(N)} \mathcal{O}_i$



Look at overlaps with different classes of operators



- Strong suppression for second HYBRID state

Excited Baryon Spectrum - I

Construct basis of 3-quark interpolating operators in the continuum:

$$\left(N_M \otimes \left(\frac{3}{2}^- \right)_M^1 \otimes D_{L=2,S}^{[2]} \right)^{J=\frac{7}{2}} \quad \text{“Flavor” x Spin x Orbital}$$

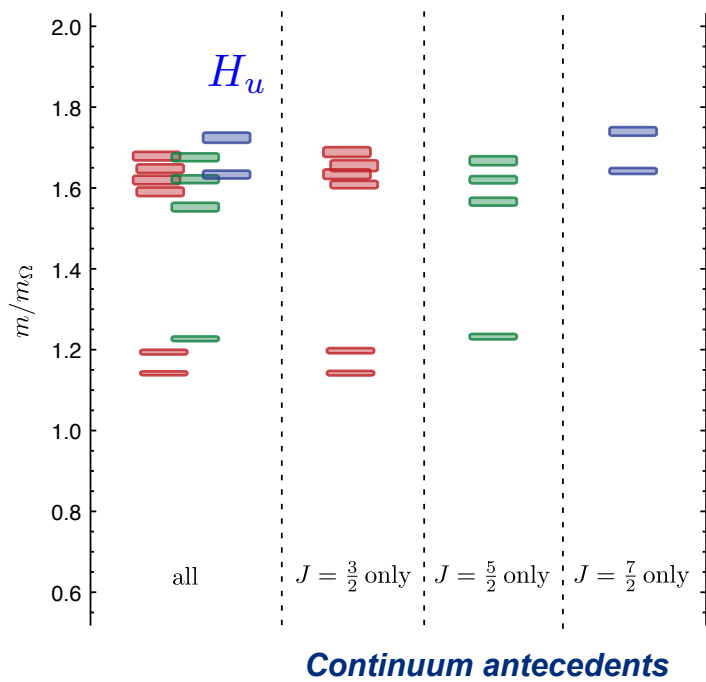
Subduce to lattice irreps:

$$\mathcal{O}_{n\Lambda,r}^{[J]} = \sum_M \mathcal{S}_{n\Lambda,r}^{J,M} \mathcal{O}^{[J,M]} : \Lambda = G_{1g/u}, H_{g/u}, G_{2g/u}$$

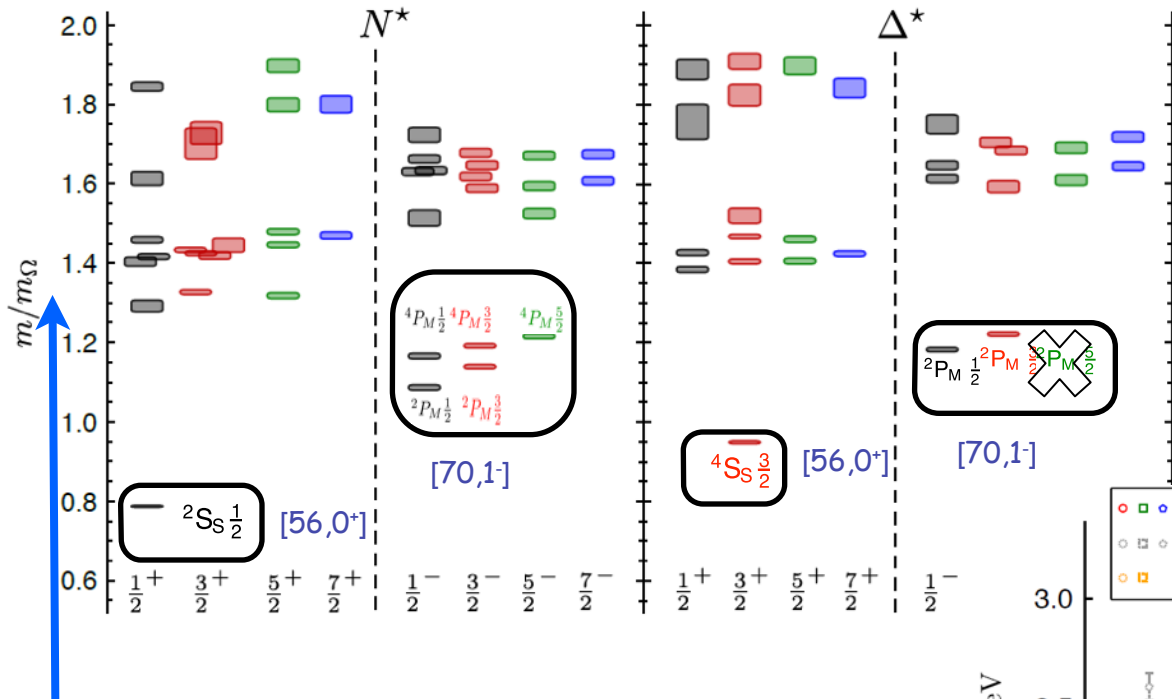
R.G.Edwards et al., arXiv:1104.5152

$16^3 \times 128$ lattices $m_\pi = 524, 444$ and 396 MeV

Observe remarkable realization of rotational symmetry at hadronic scale: *reliably determine spins up to 7/2, for the first time in a lattice calculation*



Excited Baryon Spectrum - II



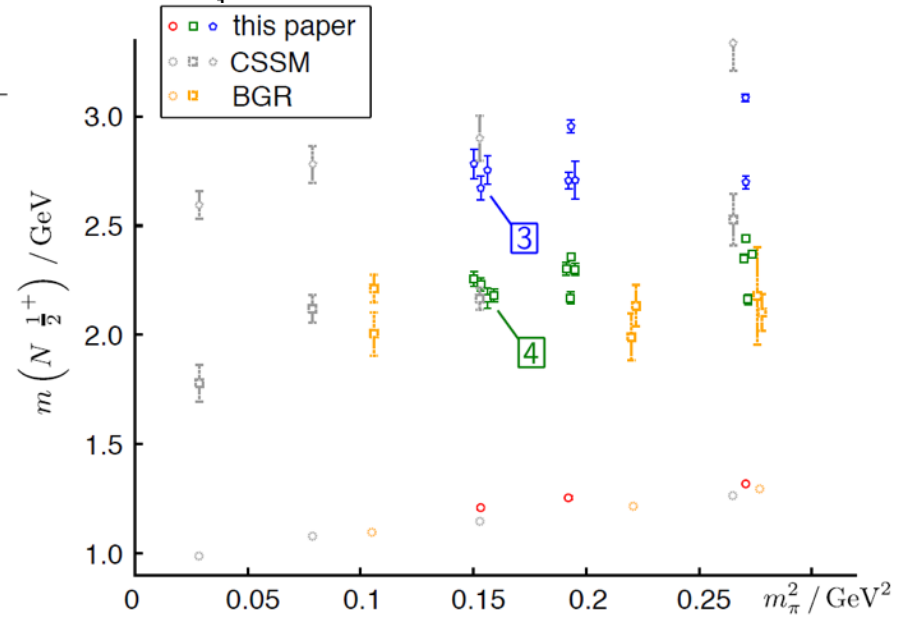
Broad features of SU(6)xO(3) symmetry.

Counting of states consistent with NR quark model.

Inconsistent with quark-diquark picture or parity doubling.

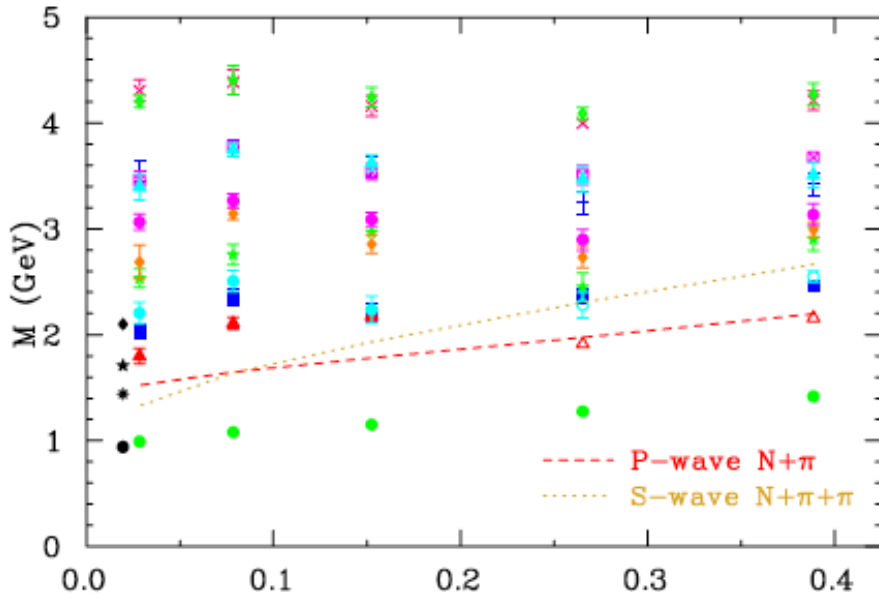
$[70, 0^+]$, $[56, 2^+]$, $[70, 2^+]$, $[20, 1^+]$

$N^{1/2^+}$ sector: need for complete basis to faithfully extract states

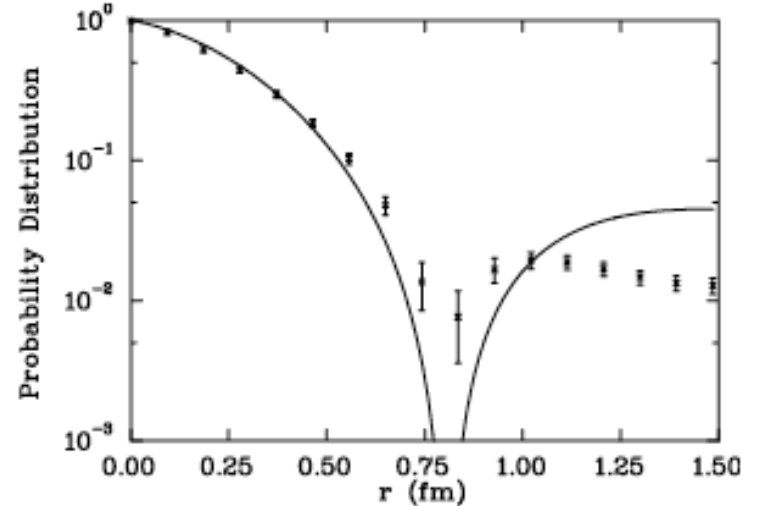
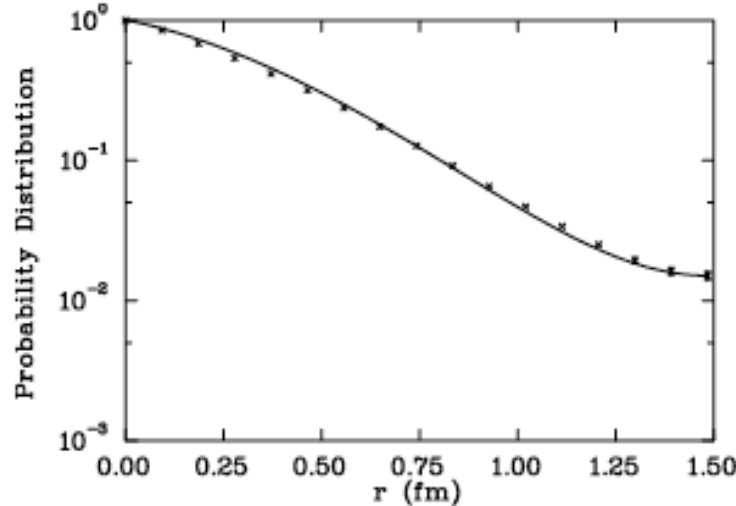


Roper Resonance

Kamleh et al., arXiv:1212.2314



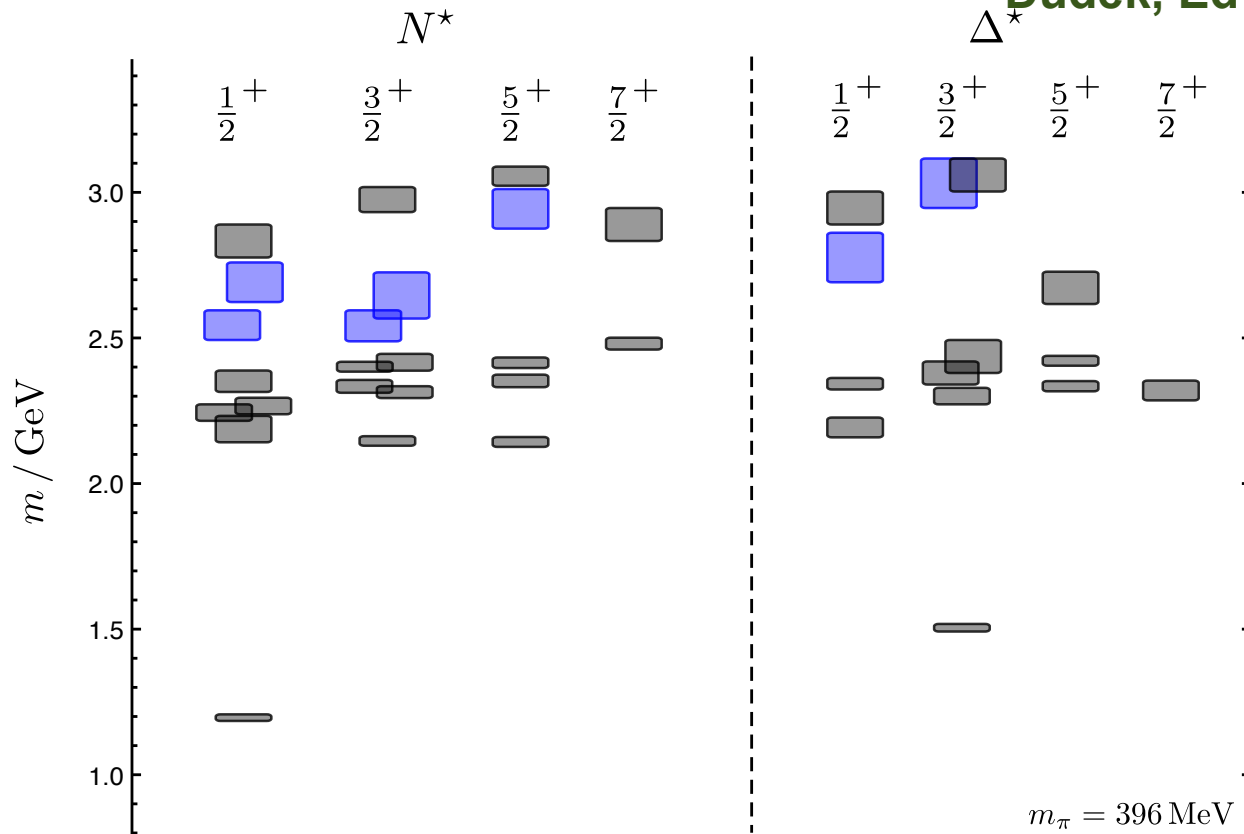
Look at Radial wave function
 \Rightarrow 2S state



Hybrid Baryon Spectrum

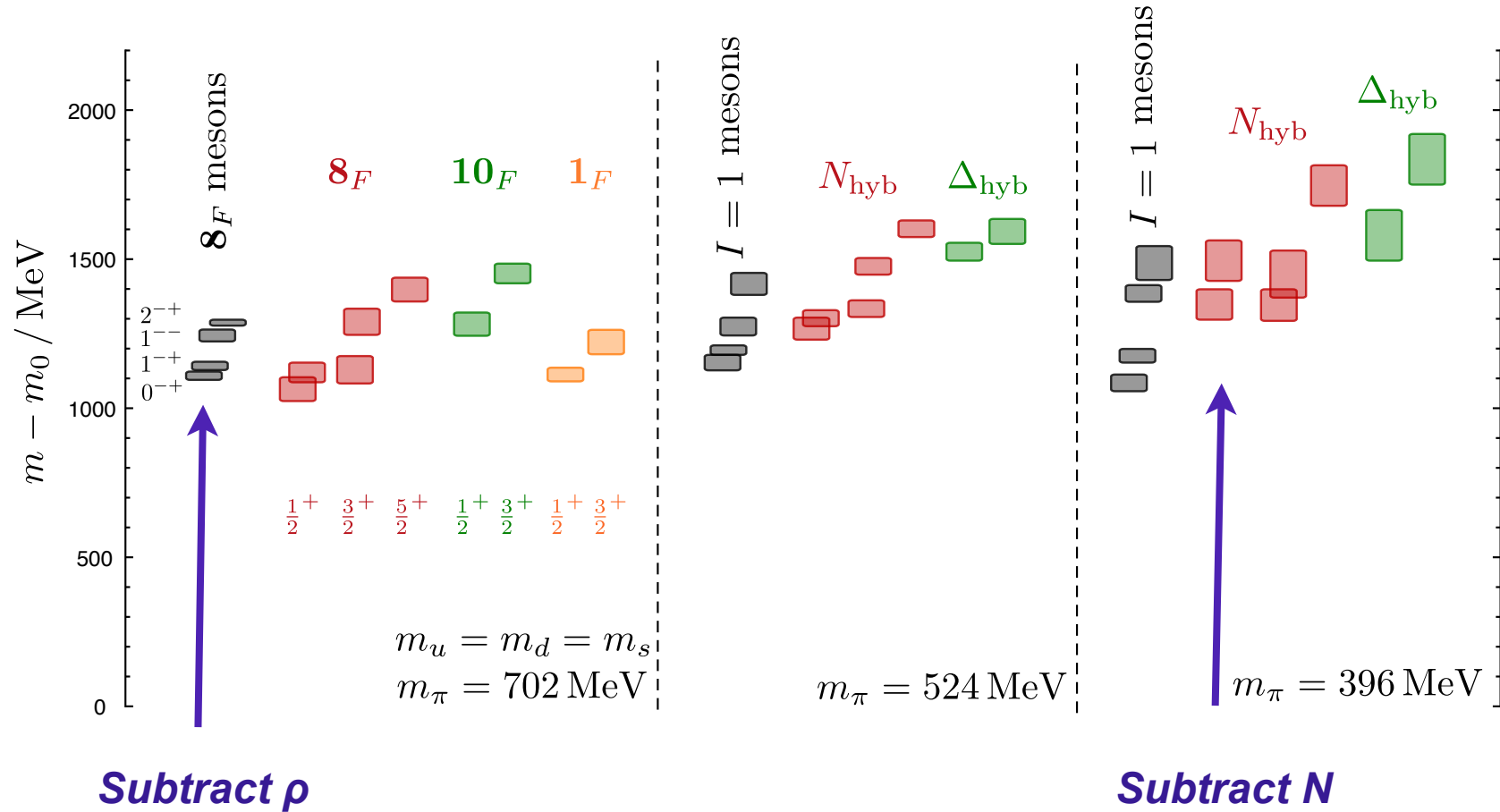
Original analysis ignore hybrid operators of form $D_{l=1,M}^{[2]}$

Dudek, Edwards, arXiv:1201.2349



Putting it Together

Common mechanism in meson and baryon hybrids: chromomagnetic field with $E_g \sim 1.2 - 1.3 \text{ GeV}$



Flavor Structure

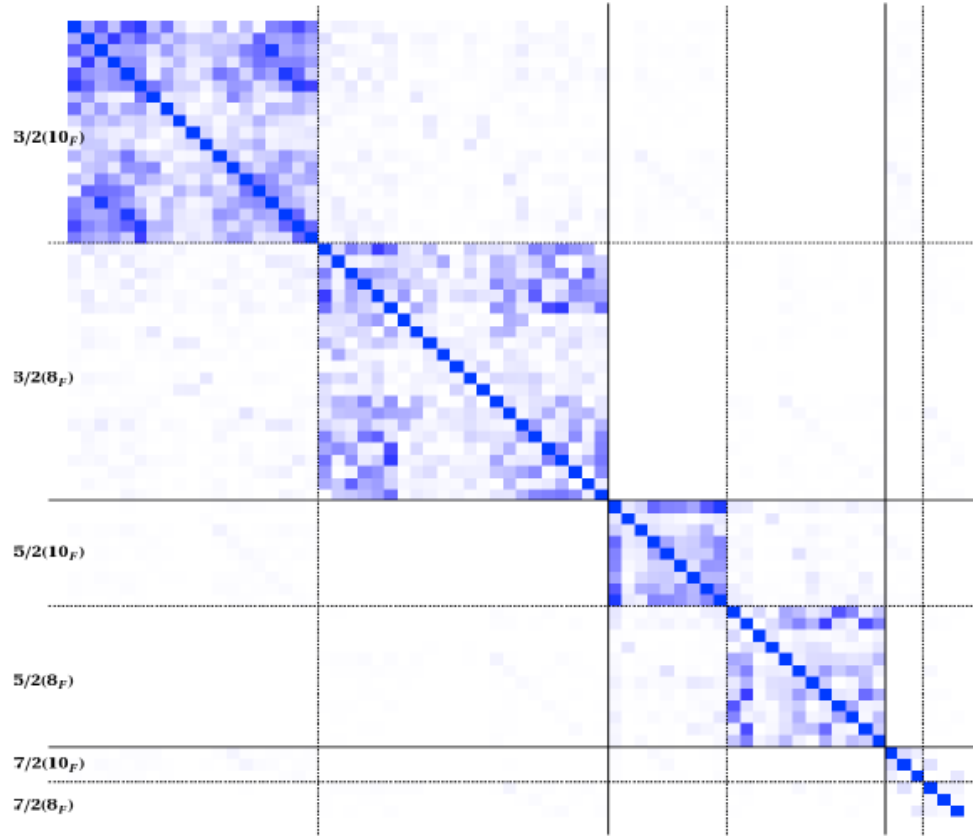
$SU(3)_F$	S	L	J^P		
8_F	$\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$ $\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$ $\frac{3}{2}^-$	$\frac{5}{2}^-$
$N_8(J)$			2	2	1
10_F	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	
$N_{10}(J)$			1	1	0
1_F	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	
$N_1(J)$			1	1	0

One derivative

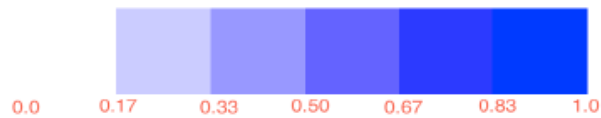
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$N_8(J)$			4	5	3	1
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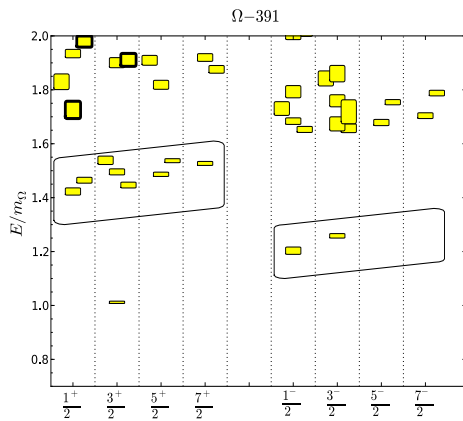
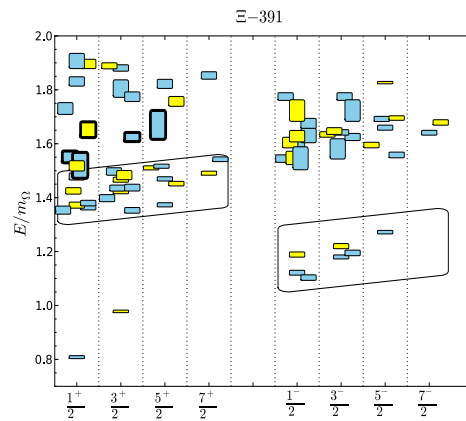
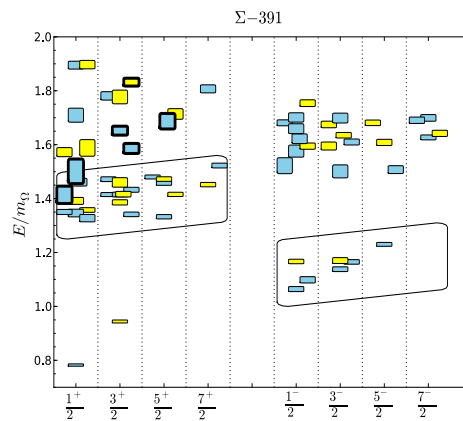
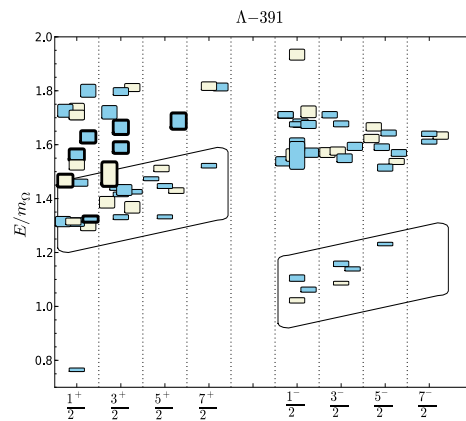
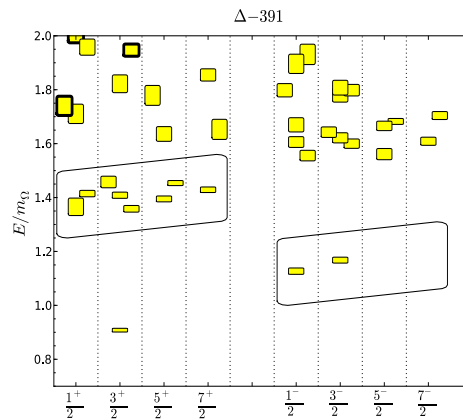
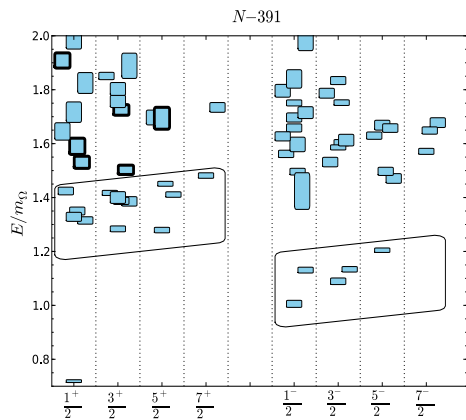
Two derivative

$$C_{ij}^{\Lambda} = \frac{1}{\dim(\Lambda)} \sum_{\lambda} \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_{i(\Lambda)\lambda}^{[J]} \mathcal{O}_{j(\Lambda)\lambda}^{[J]} | 0 \rangle$$



Block-diagonal in spin-flavor





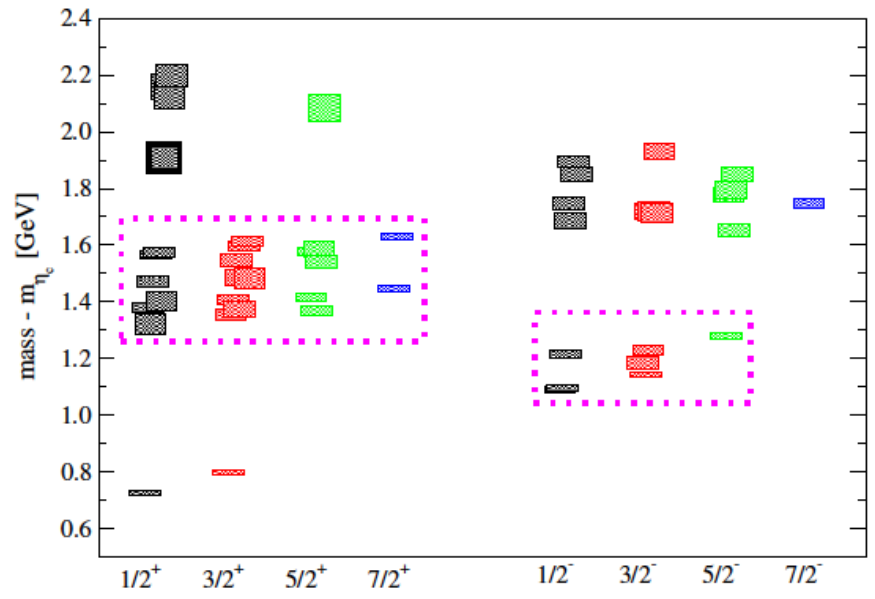
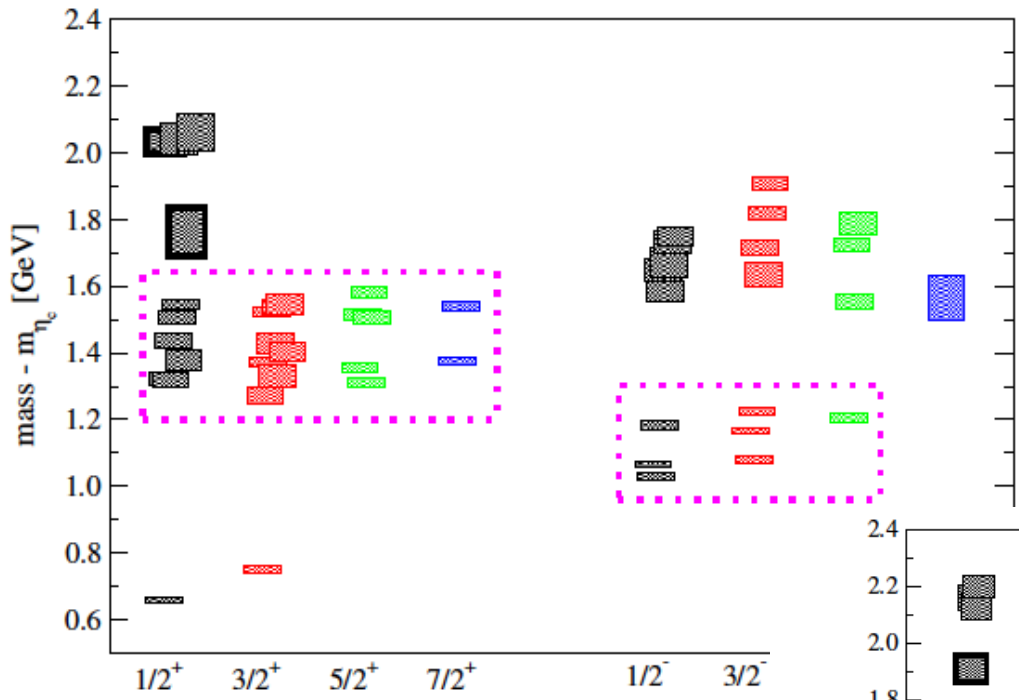
Examine Flavor structure of baryons constructed from u, d s quarks.

- Can identify predominant flavor for each state: Yellow (10F), Blue (8F), Beige (1F).
- SU(6) x O(3) Counting
- Presence of “hybrids” characteristic across all +ve *parity* channels: **BOLD Outline**

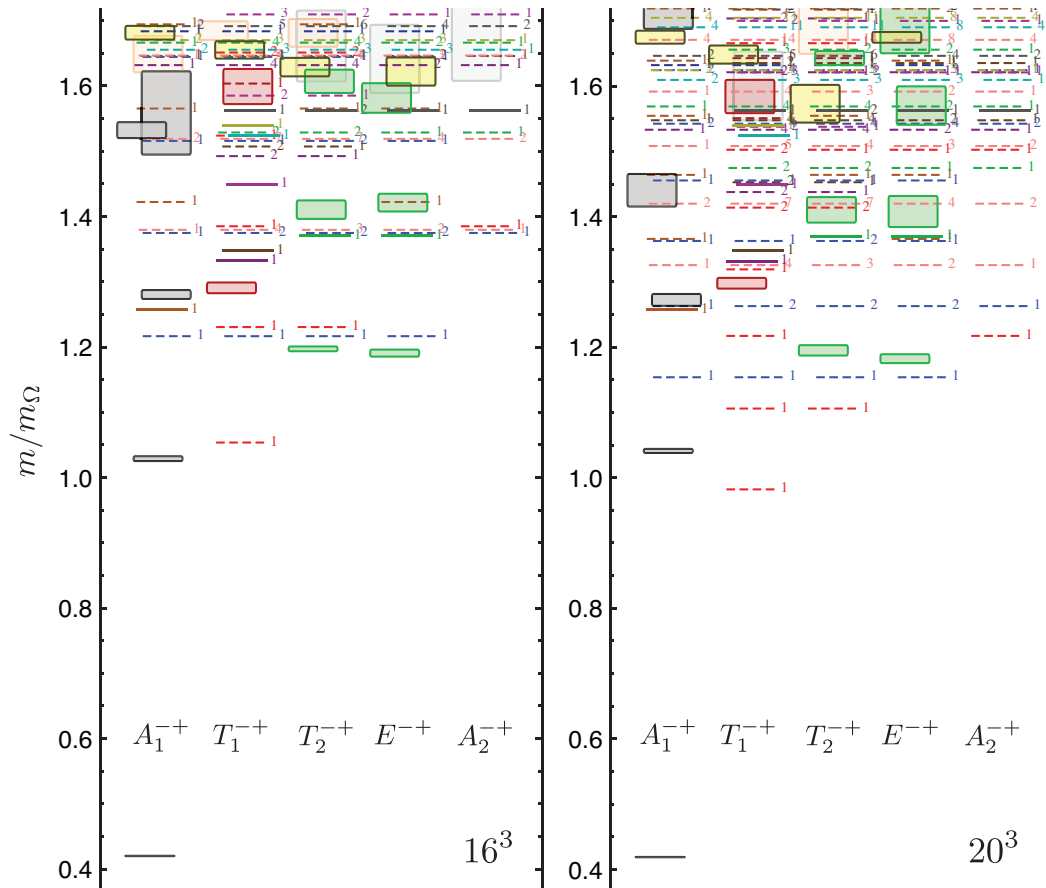
R. Edwards et al., Phys. Rev. D87 (2013) 054506

Recent extension to doubly-charmed baryons

Padmanath et al., arXiv:1502.01845



The elephant in the room...



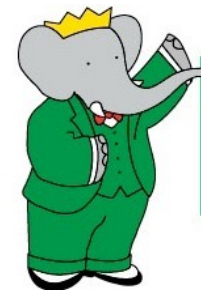
States unstable under strong interactions

Meson spectrum on two volumes: dashed lines denote expected (non-interacting) multi-particle energies.

$(0^{-(+)})^3$

- $1^{-(+)}2^{+(+)}$
- $1^{-(+)}1^{+(-)}$
- $1^{-(+)}1^{+(+)}$
- $1^{-(+)}0^{+(+)}$
- $1^{-(+)}1^{-(-)}$
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Allowed two-particle contributions governed by cubic symmetry of volume



Calculation is incomplete.

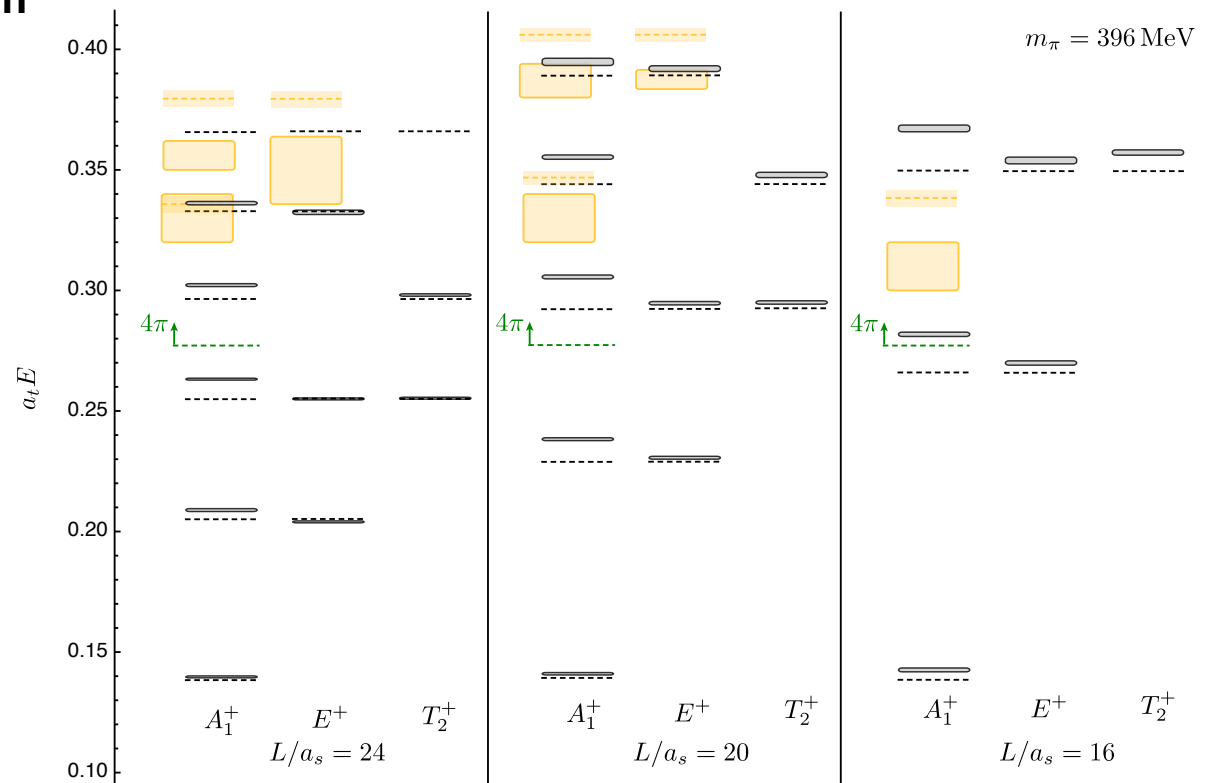
Momentum-dependent $I = 2 \pi\pi$ Phase Shift

Dudek *et al.*, Phys Rev D83, 071504 (2011)

Luescher: energy levels at finite volume \leftrightarrow phase shift at corresponding k

Operator basis
$$\mathcal{O}_{\pi\pi}^{\Gamma,\gamma}(|\vec{p}|) = \sum_m \mathcal{S}_{\Gamma,\gamma}^{\ell,m} \sum_{\hat{p}} Y_{\ell}^m(\hat{p}) \mathcal{O}_{\pi}(\vec{p}) \mathcal{O}_{\pi}(-\vec{p})$$

Total momentum zero - pion momentum $\pm p$



Momentum-dependent $I = 2 \pi\pi$ Phase Shift

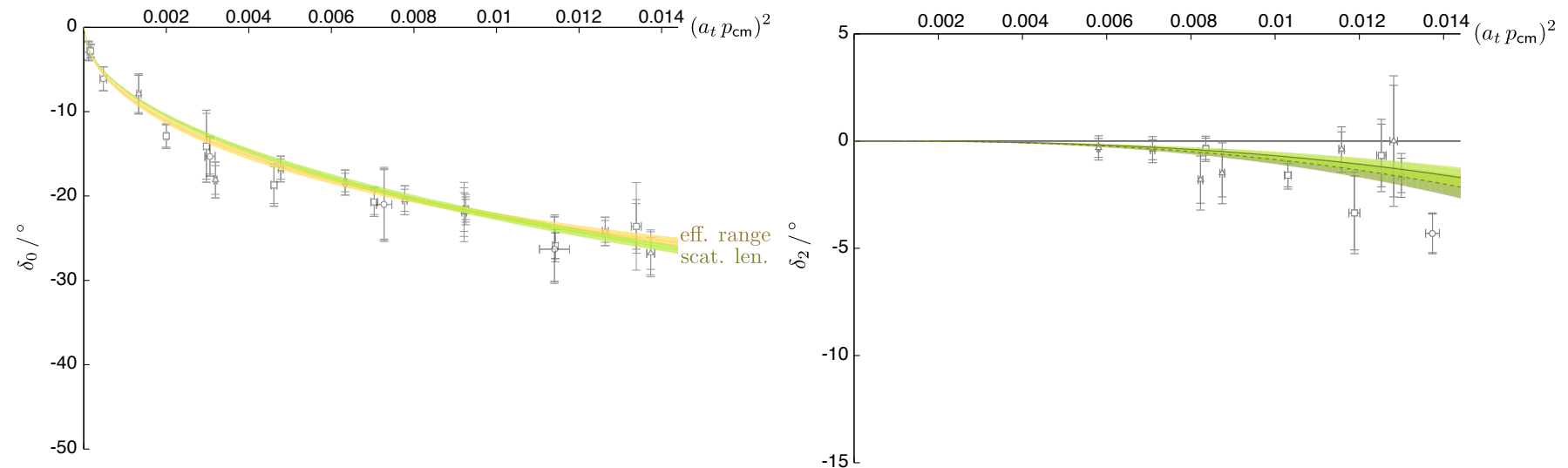
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Matrix in l \rightarrow $\det \left[e^{2i\delta(k)} - U_{\Gamma} \left(k \frac{L}{2\pi} \right) \right] = 0$ \leftarrow lattice irrep

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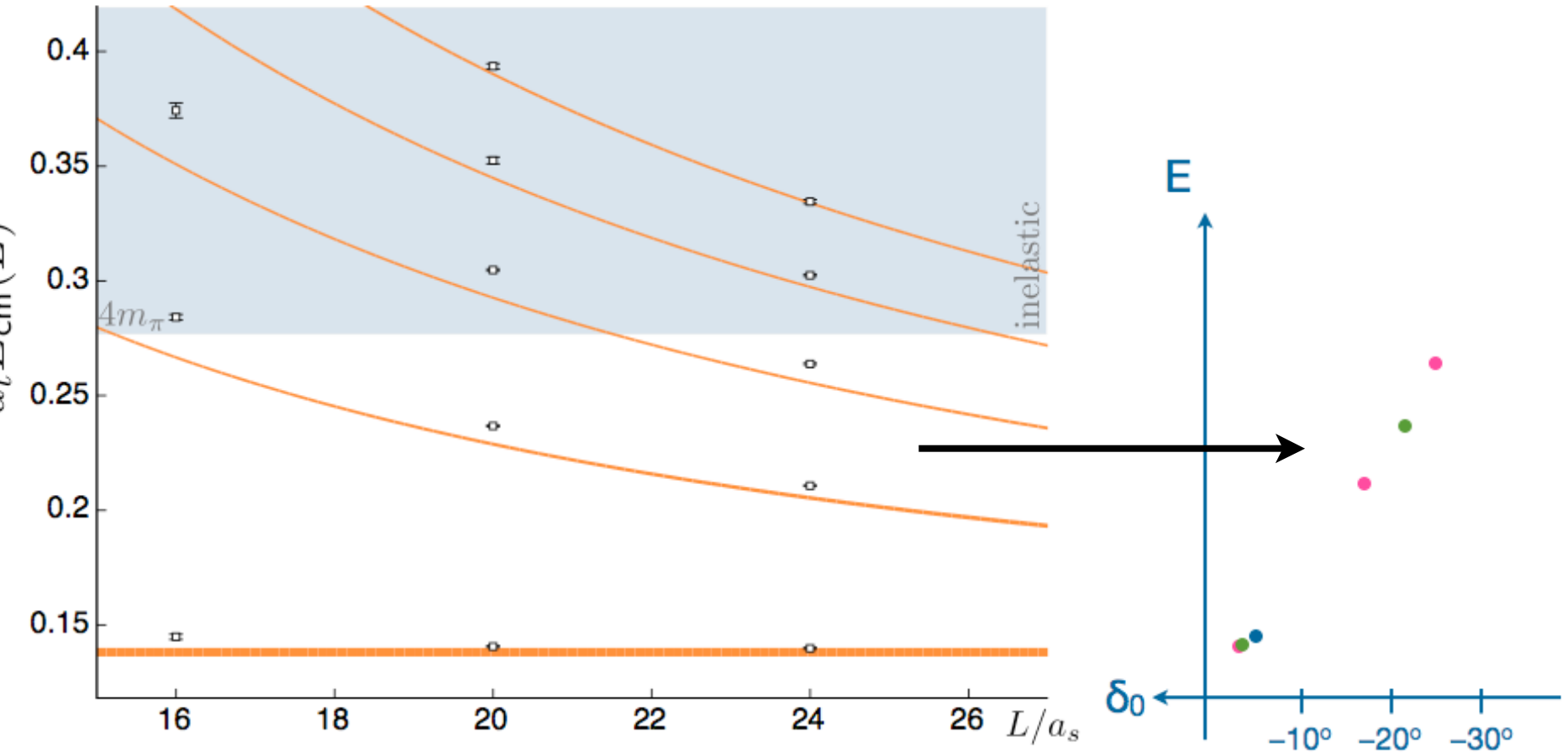
Dudek, Edwards, Thomas, arXiv:1203.6041

- Moving $\pi\pi$ system \rightarrow far more momenta below inelastic threshold
- Optimized single-pion interpolating operators \rightarrow more precise determination of energies

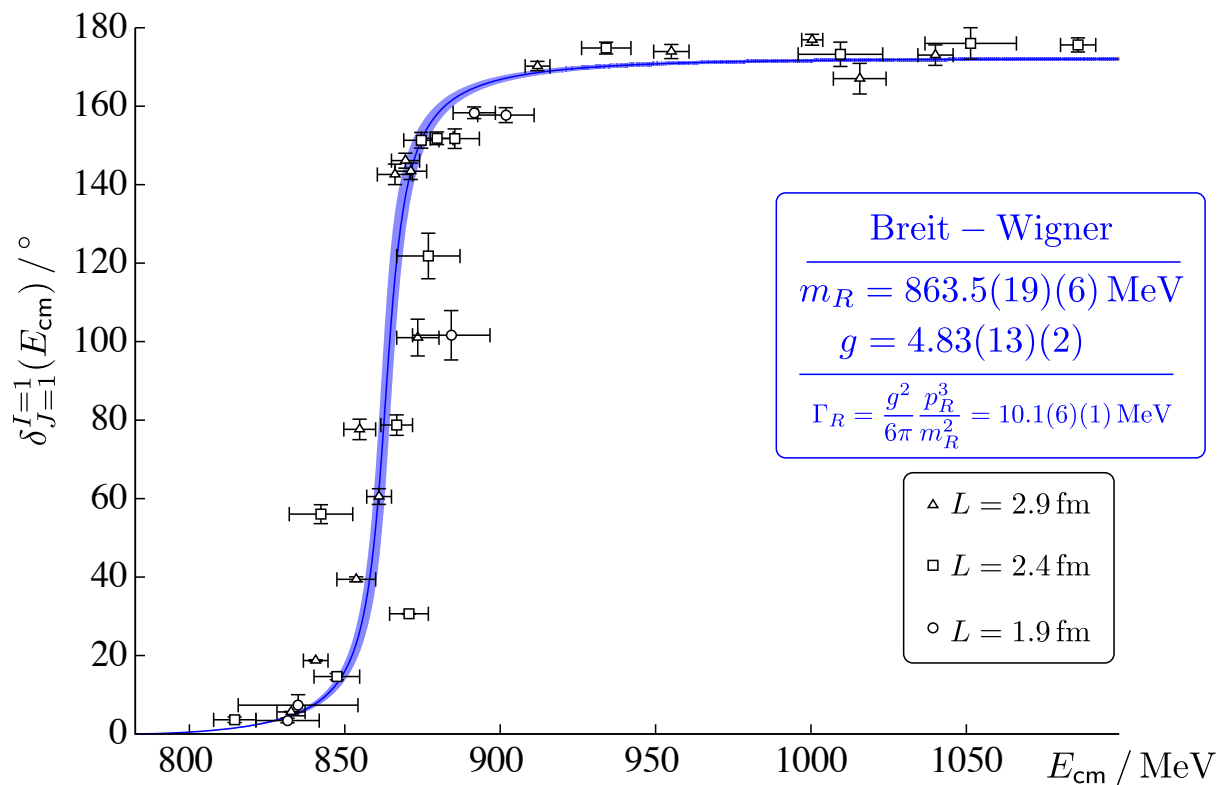


Energy Levels for Scattering States

Slide: J. Dudek



Resonant $I = 1 \pi\pi$ Phase Shift



Feng, Renner, Jansen, PRD83, 094505

PACS-CS, PRD84, 094505

Alexandru et al

Lang et al., PRD84, 054503

Dudek, Edwards, Thomas, Phys. Rev. D 87, 034505 (2013)

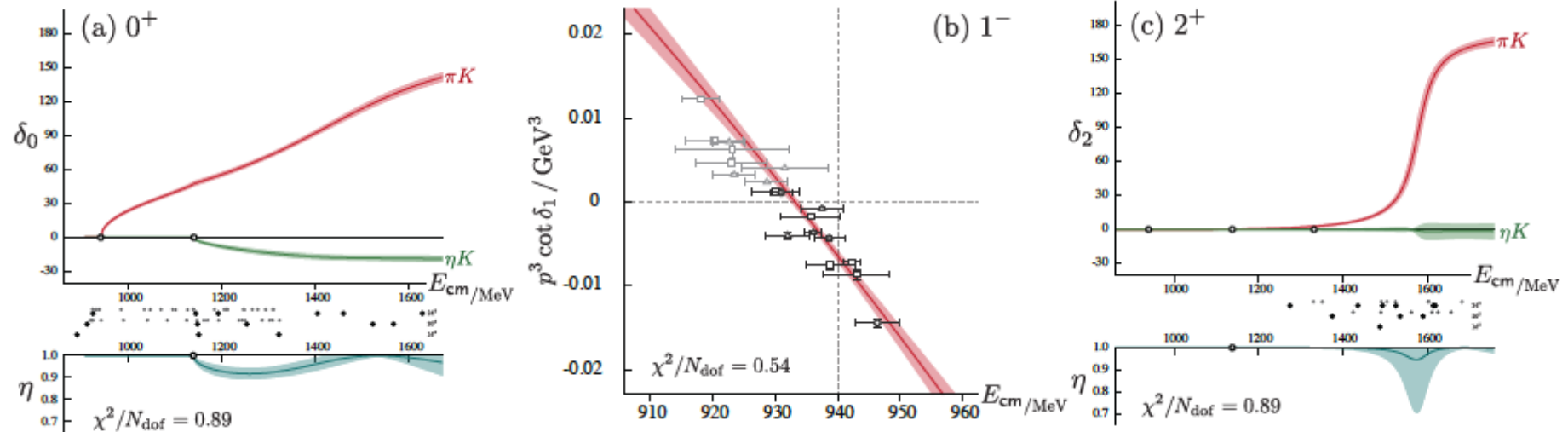
Extend to inelastic channels: Guo et al, Briceno et al.,

First - and Successful - inelastic

$$\det \left[\delta_{ij} \delta_{JJ'} + i \rho_i t_{ij}^{(J)}(E_{\text{cm}}) \left(\delta_{JJ'} + i \mathcal{M}_{JJ'}^{\vec{P}\Lambda}(p_i L) \right) \right] = 0$$

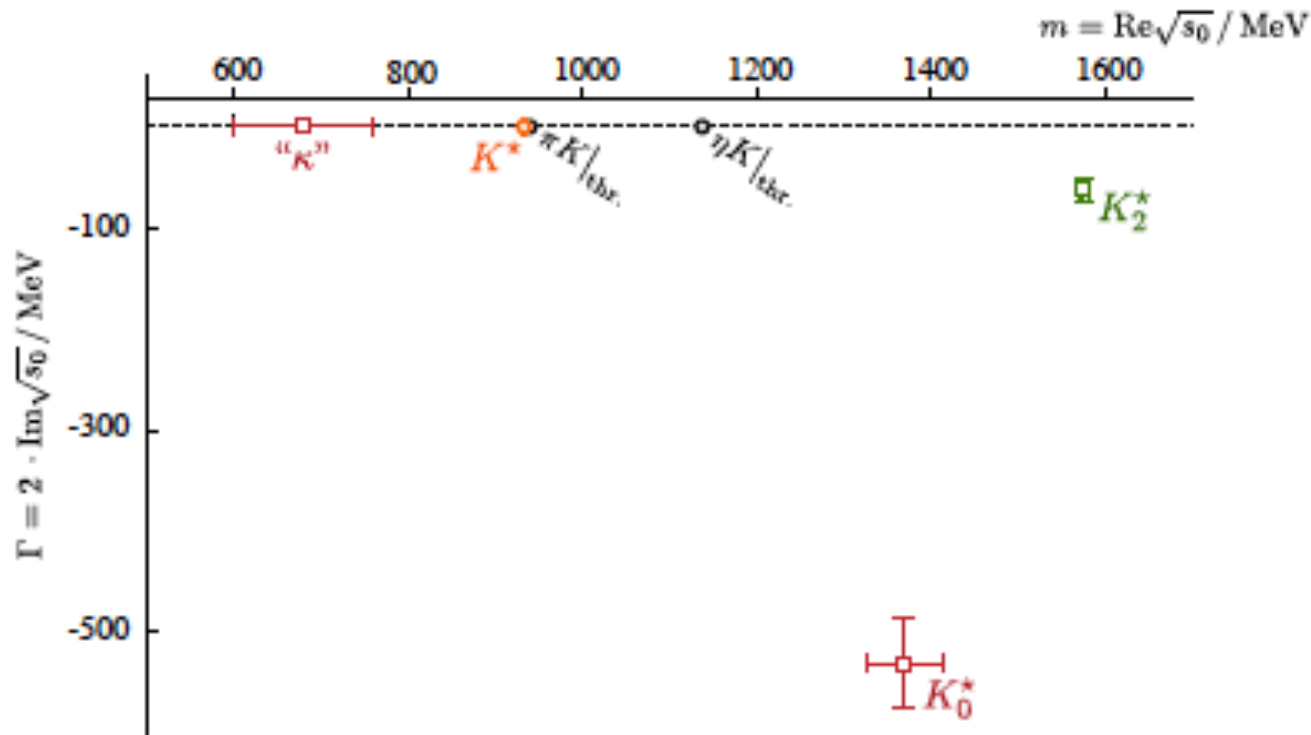
Parametrized as phase shift + inelasticity

$$t_{ii} = \frac{(\eta e^{2i\delta_i} - 1)}{2i\rho_i}, t_{ij} = \frac{\sqrt{1-\eta^2} e^{i(\delta_i + \delta_j)}}{2\sqrt{\rho_i \rho_j}}$$



Dudek, Edwards, Thomas, Wilson, PRL, PRD

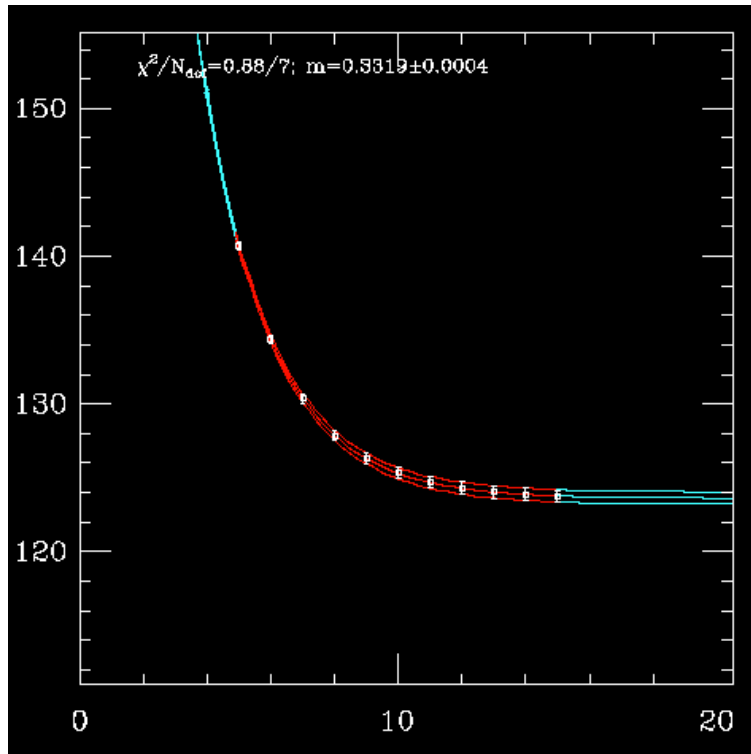
Pole positions in complex plane



Summary

- Spectroscopy of excited states affords an excellent theatre in which to study QCD in low-energy regime.
- Determining the quantum numbers and the study of the “single-hadron” states a solved problem
- Lattice calculations used to construct new “phenomenology” of QCD
 - Quark-model like spectrum, *common mechanism for gluonic excitations in mesons and baryons. LOW ENERGY GLUONIC DOF*
- **Prediction** - *there are exotics in a range accessible to the 12 GeV Upgrade of Jefferson Lab!*
- Next step for lattice QCD:
 - Calculations at closer-to-physical pion masses - isotropic lattices
 - Baryons a challenge....
- Properties - radiative transitions, form factors. Theoretical work! **Hansen and Briceño**

Variational Method + Distillation



Single “distilled” correlator

Fit to

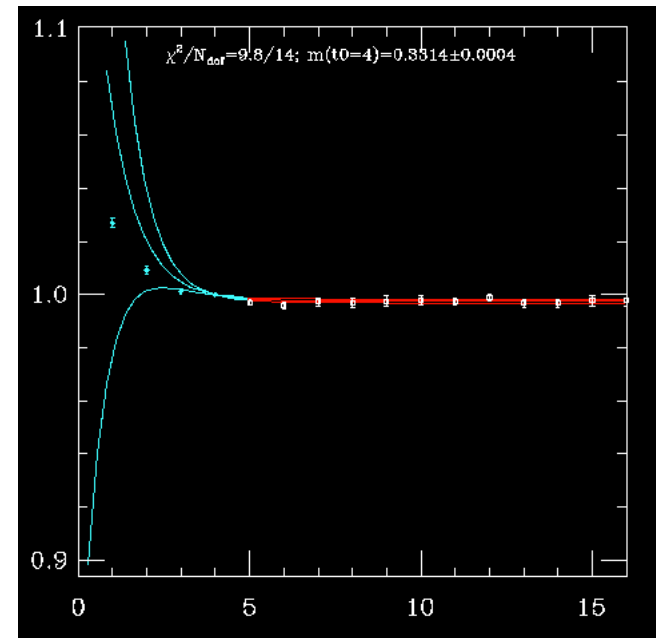
$$C(t) = Ae^{-m_0 t} + Be^{-m' t}$$

and plot $C(t)/e^{-m_0 t}$

Fit to $\lambda_0(t, t_0) = (1 - A)e^{-m_0(t-t_0)} + Ae^{-m'(t-t_0)}$
and plot $C(t)/e^{-m_0(t-t_0)}$

Reduced contribution of excited states

$24^3 \times 64$ isotropic lattice $a_2 \simeq 0.75$ fm, SU(3)



...And for Rho

