

Can We Determine Lambda-Lambda Interaction from Two-Particle Momentum Correlation ?

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1. Introduction

- ★ $\Lambda\Lambda$ Inv. Mass Spec.
- ★ Two-Particle Correlation — How we can use it ?

2. (K^- , $K^+\Lambda\Lambda$) Reaction

- ★ IntraNuclear Cascade model
- ★ Inclusive and Exclusive K^+ Spectra
- ★ $\Lambda\Lambda$ Inv. Mass Spectrum

3. $\Lambda\Lambda$ Interaction

- ★ Extracted $\Lambda\Lambda$ Int.
- ★ Does Λ - Λ System Bound ?
- ★ $\Lambda\Lambda$ Correlation at AGS, SPS, and RHIC

4. Summary

Refs. of Ours

INC: Nara, Ohnishi, Harada, Engel, NPA614 (97), 433

JAM: Y.Nara, NPA638 ('98), 555c; nucl-th/9802016

Y.Nara et al., to be submitted.

Corr. to nn Int.

Slaus, Akaishi, Tanaka, PRep. 173, ('89), 257.

Corr. to $\Lambda\Lambda$ Int.

Ohnishi, Hirata, Nara, Shinmura, Akaishi, in preparation

Hirata, Ohnishi, Ohtsuka, Nara, in preparation

$\Lambda\Lambda$ Interaction

★ **IMPORTANT**

Baryon-Baryon Int. with $SU_f(3)$,
 Double Hypernuclei, H particle, Neutron Star, ...

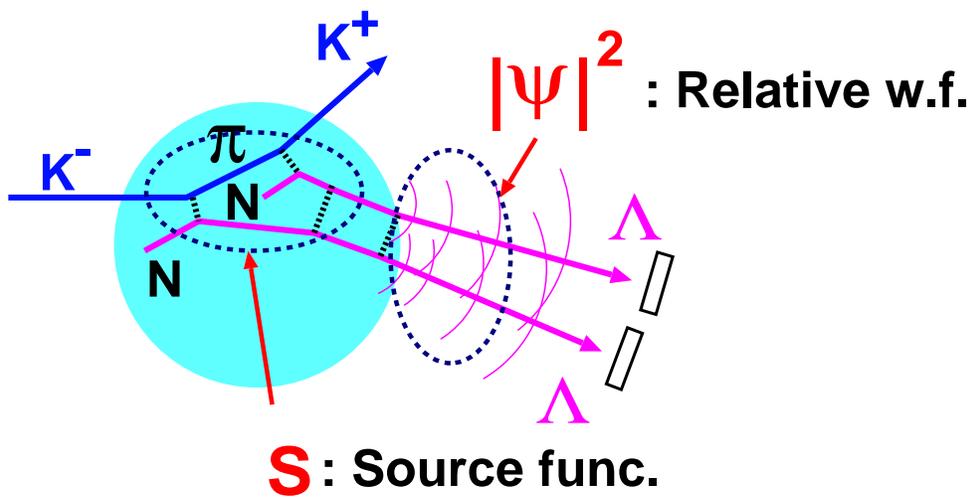
★ but **DIFFICULT** to measure

- Double Hypernuclei → 3 events/35 years, Only 1S_0
- Scattering Exp. → Compact Collider

● **Enh. of Λ - Λ Inv. Mass Spec. at Low E.**

Ahn et al. (KEK E224 coll.), KEK Preprint 98-24, 1998; PRL, in press

- **Two-Particle Momentum Correlation**
 = Source Func. + Relative w.f.



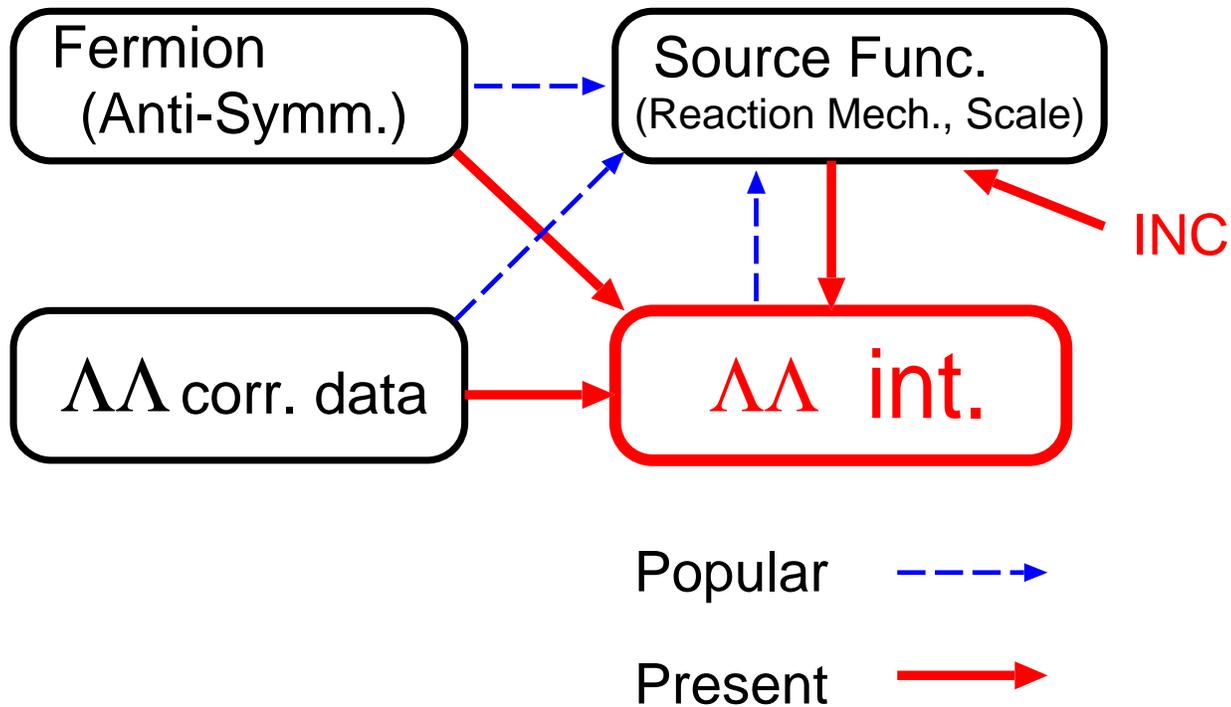
$$P(p_1, p_2) = \int dx_1 dx_2 S(p_1, x_1, p_2, x_2) |\psi^{(-)}(k, r_{12})|^2$$

$$\vec{r}_{12} = \vec{r}_1 - \vec{r}_2 + \vec{P}(t_2 - t_1)/2m, \quad \vec{P} = \vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2, \quad \vec{k} = \frac{1}{2}(\vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_2),$$

W. G. Gong et al., PRC 43 ('91), 781.

Slaus, Akaishi, Tanaka, PRep. 173, ('89), 257.

How to Use Two-Particle Correlation



★ If we have **Realistic Source Func.**, we can extract info. of Λ - Λ int !

→ IntraNuclear Cascade calc.

Nara, Ohnishi, Harada, Engel, NPA614 (97), 433.

c.f nn Corr. → r_{eff} (Slaus-Akaishi-Tanaka, 1989)

• Specific Assumptions in this work

= **Spin Singlet dominance and $L = 0$ Int. Only**

$$\psi^{(-)}(\vec{k}, \vec{r}) \simeq \sqrt{2} \left[\cos(kr \cos \theta) - j_0(kr) + e^{-i\delta_0} u_0(r) \right]$$

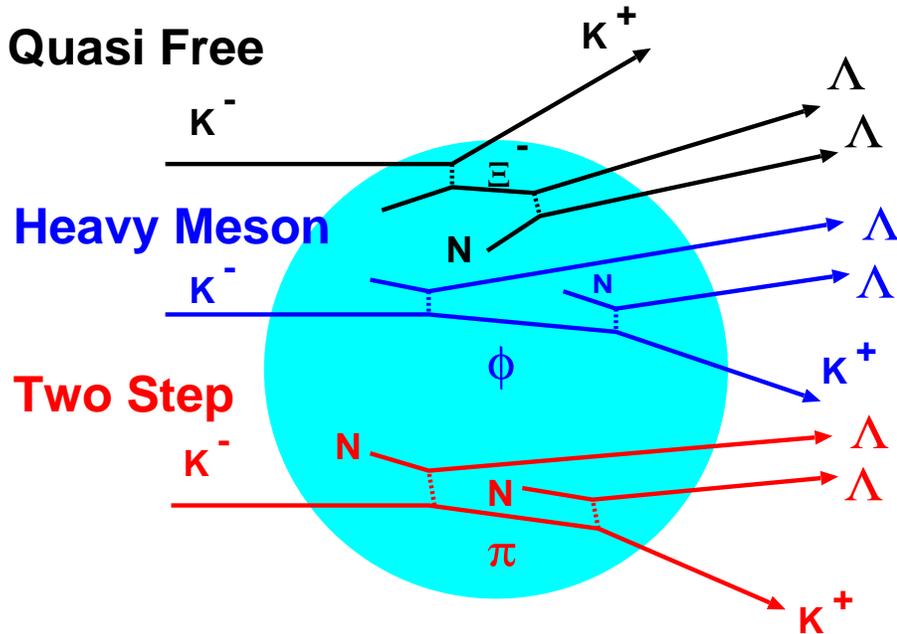
u_0 : s -wave Relative w.f. ← Interaction

+ Usual Assumptions

- 1: Two-body Correlation is mainly determined by Two-body Int. (Mean Field Effects are Small)
- 2: Slow Dep. of Source Fun. on Momentum

Source Func. = IntraNuclear Cascade (INC)

Nara, Ohnishi, Harada, Engel, NPA614 (97), 433.



• K^+ Production Mech.

Quasi Free	$K^- N \rightarrow K^+ \Xi^{(*)}$
Heavy-Meson (Gobbi-Dover-Gal)	$K^- N \rightarrow MY, M \rightarrow K^- K^+$ $MN \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda$ $(M = \phi, f_0, a_0)$
Two-Step	$K^- N \rightarrow MY^{(*)}, MN \rightarrow K^+ Y^{(*)}$ $(M = \pi, \eta, \rho, \omega, \phi, f_0, a_0)$

• Baryon-Baryon Collision

★ $NN \rightarrow NN, NY \rightarrow NY'$ (ND)

★ $\Xi N \rightarrow \Lambda \Lambda$ (ND, $r_c=0.5$ fm)

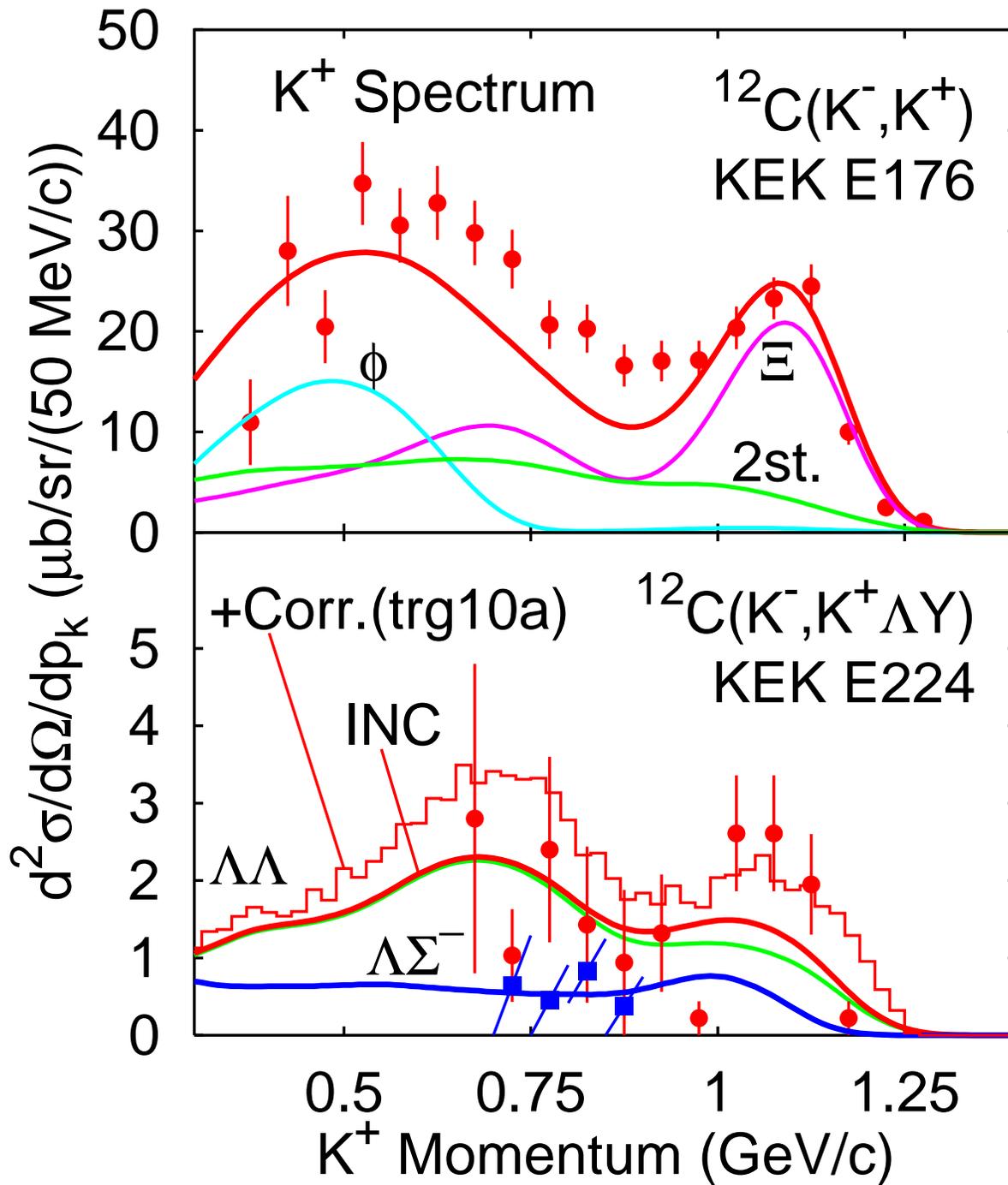
• Mean Field Effects

★ $U_\Lambda = -30$ MeV, $U_\Sigma = -10$ MeV

$U_\Xi = -16$ MeV

(Fukuda et al. PRC58 (98) 1306)

K^+ Spectrum in $^{12}\text{C}(K^-, K^+)$

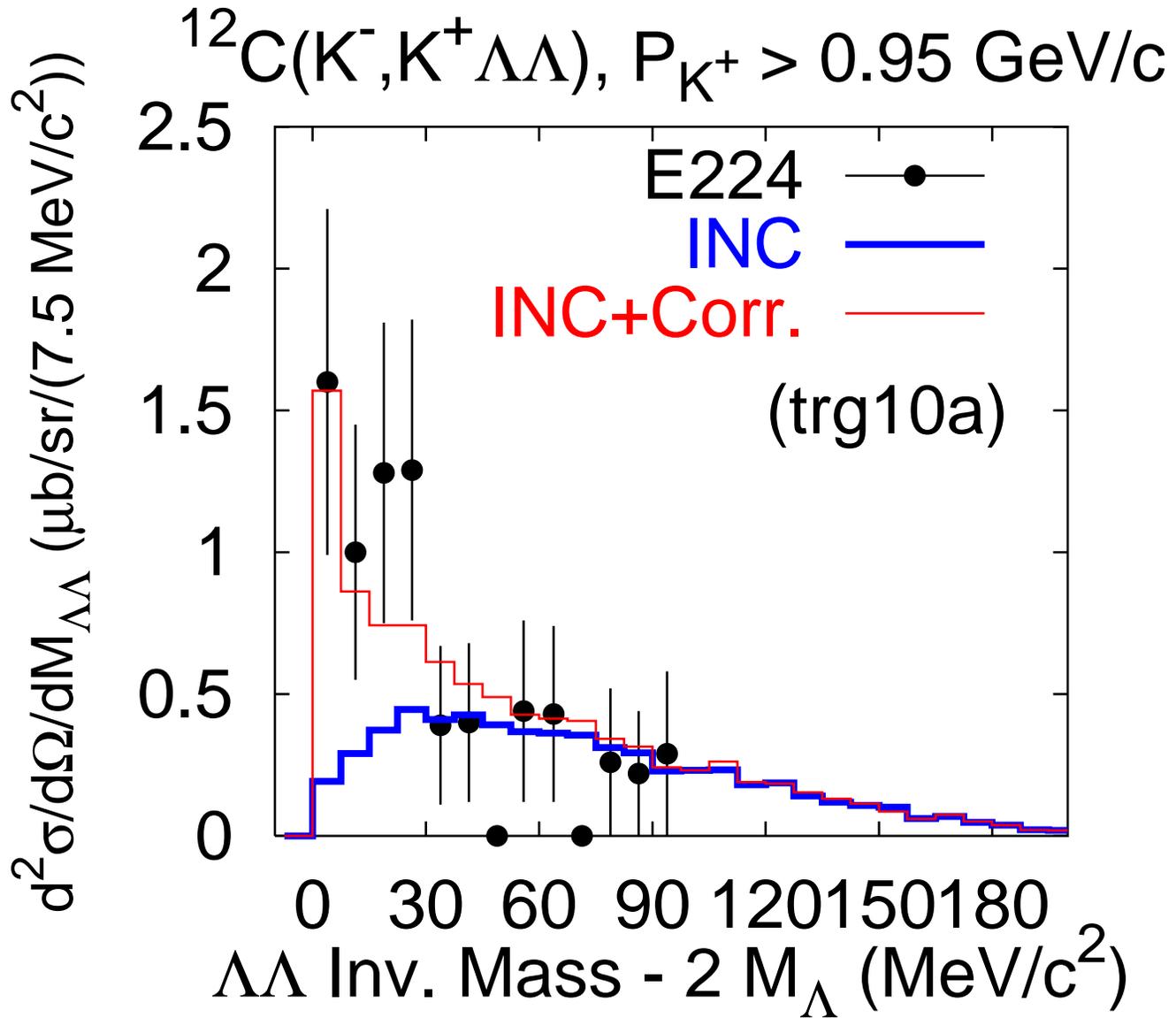


- INC results of $(K^-, K^+ \Lambda\Lambda)$

★ Underestimate of around $3 \mu\text{b}$ ($P(K^+) > 0.95 \text{ GeV}/c$)

★ **Two-Step Processes are dominant** even in QF region.

Λ - Λ Inv. Mass Spectrum



- INC results

- ★ Underestimate of around $3 \mu\text{b} \sim (K^-, K^+ \Lambda\Lambda)$
- ★ Reproduces at $E_{\Lambda\Lambda} > 50 \text{ MeV} \dots$ **Source Size $\leq 3 \text{ fm}$**

- INC+Corr. results

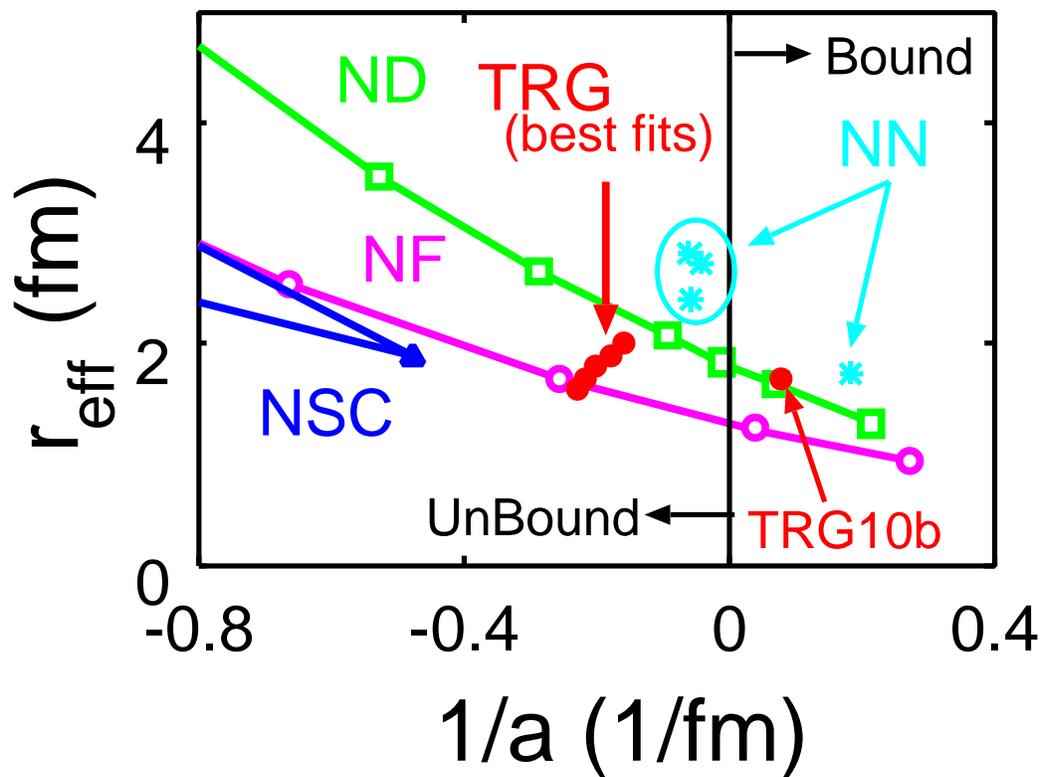
- ★ **Attr. $\Lambda\Lambda$ Int.** \rightarrow Fast Growth of W.F.
- \rightarrow **Enh. of Inv. Mass Spec.**

Extracted Λ - Λ Interaction

• χ^2 -Fit within Two-Range Gauss Interaction

	μ_l (fm)	v_l (MeV)	v_s (MeV)	a (fm)	r_{eff} (fm)	χ^2 /DOF	B.E. (MeV)
TRG06	0.6	-900	1440	-4.4	1.6	0.32	U.B.
TRG07	0.7	-400	750	-4.6	1.7	0.33	U.B.
TRG08	0.8	-230	470	-5.0	1.8	0.34	U.B.
TRG09	0.9	-150	310	-5.6	1.9	0.36	U.B.
TRG10a	1.0	-110	240	-6.3	2.0	0.38	U.B.
TRG10b	1.0	-140	260	13.1	1.7	0.40	0.22

($\mu_s = 0.45$ fm is fixed for simplicity.)

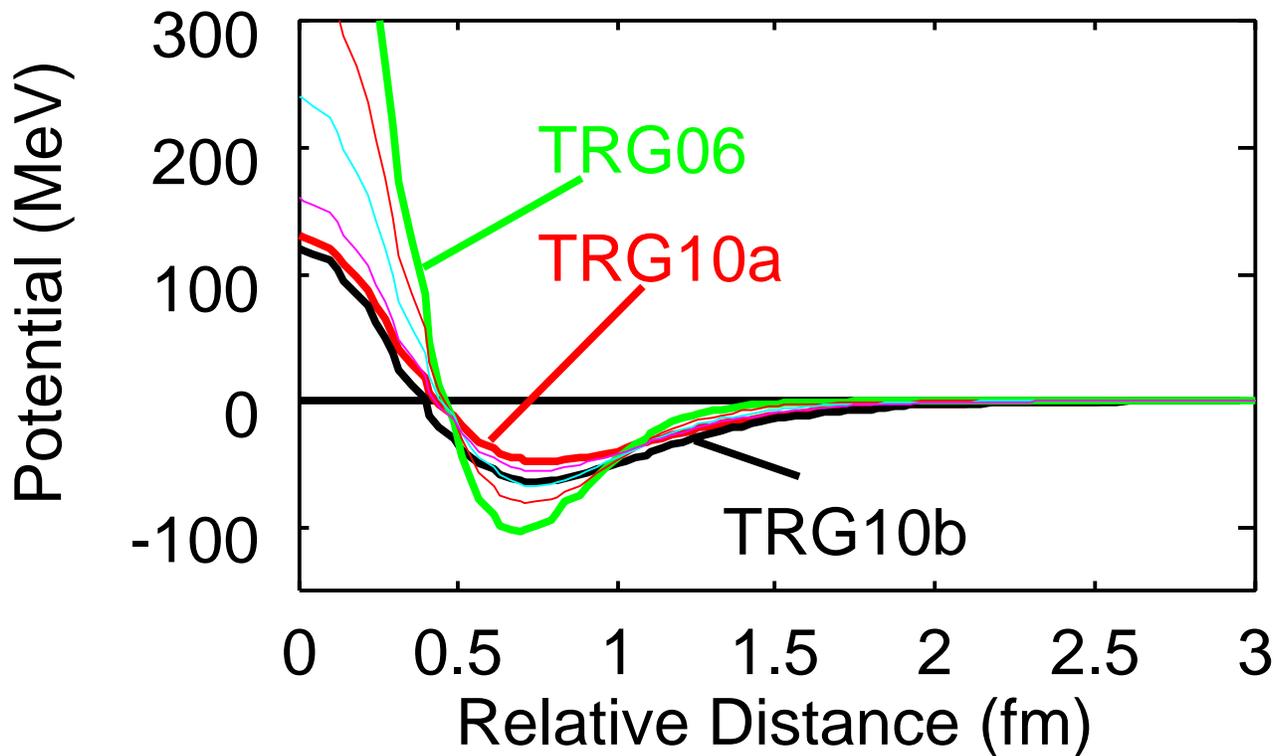


★ Strongly attractive and short range

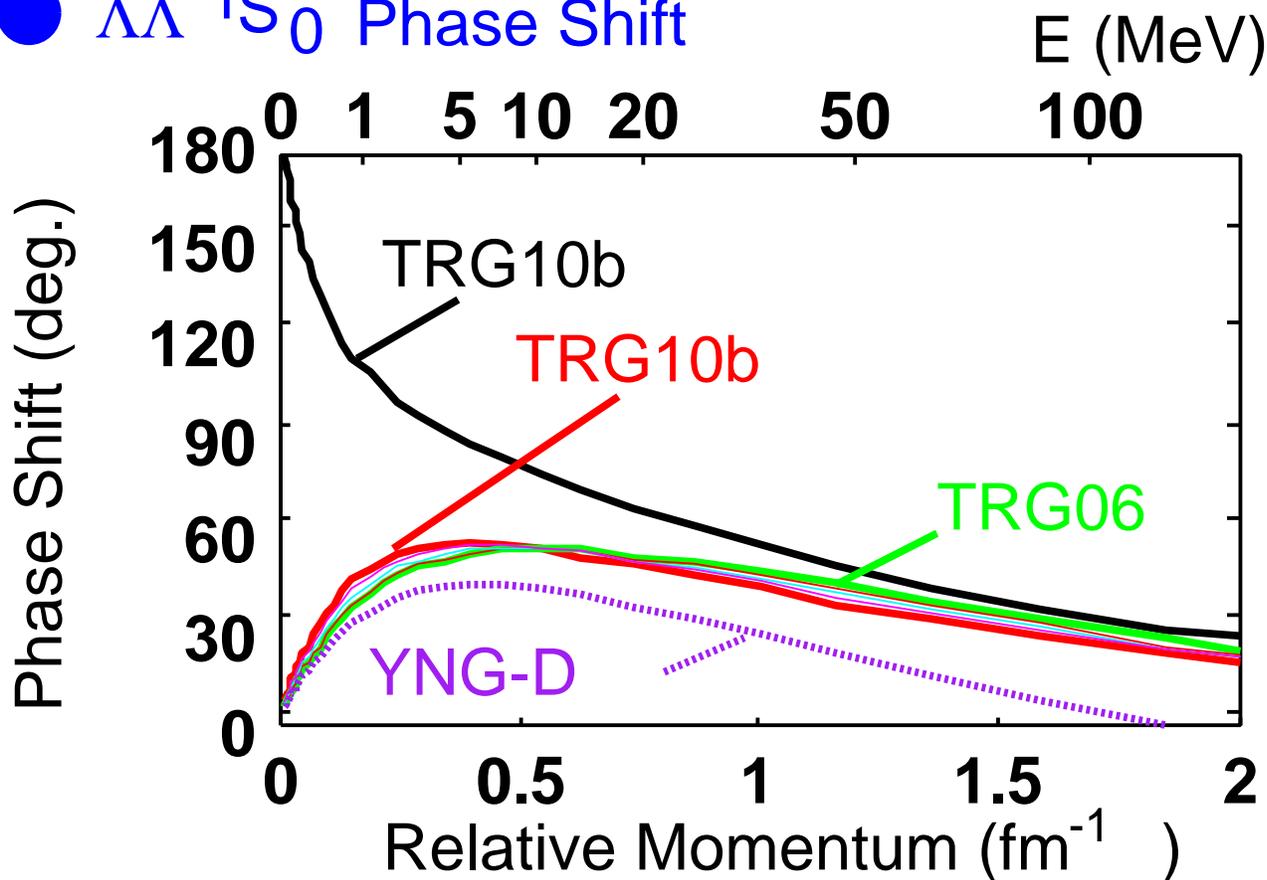
★ TRG10a \simeq ND with $r_c = 0.5 \sim 0.52$ fm.

★ TRG06 \simeq NF with $r_c = 0.46$ fm.

● $\Lambda\Lambda$ Potential



● $\Lambda\Lambda$ 1S_0 Phase Shift



Does Λ - Λ System Bound ?

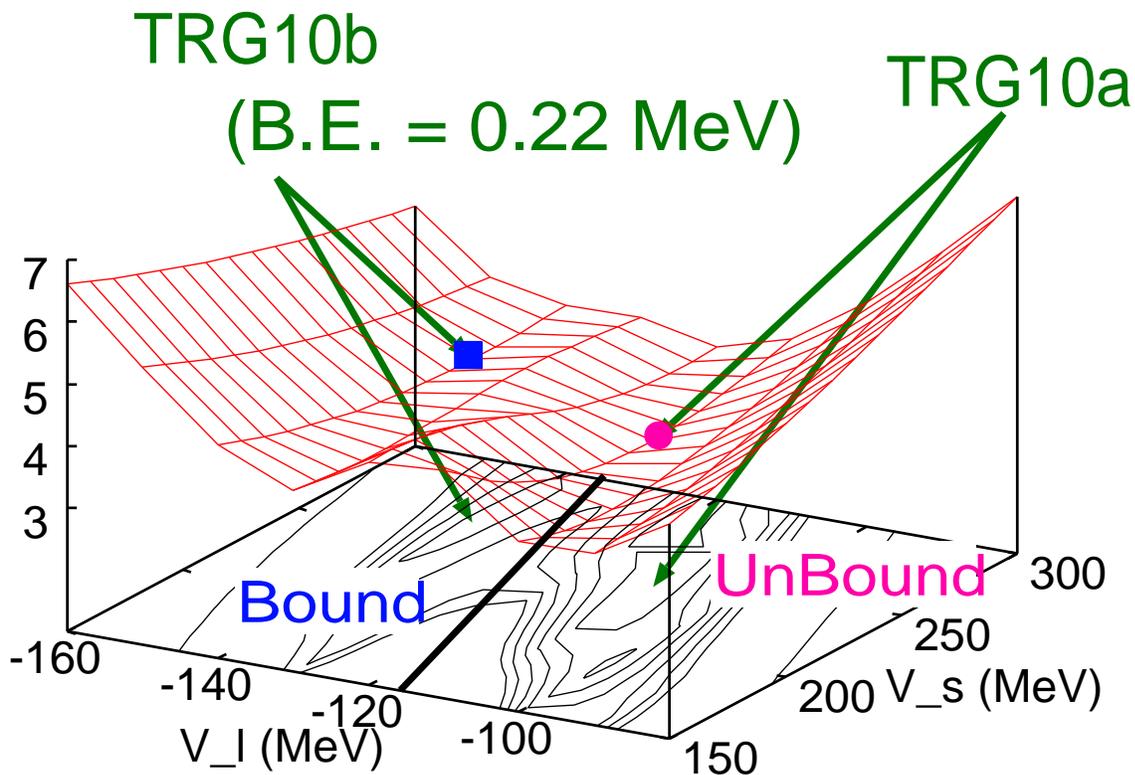
- Corr. Formula + Long Wave Approx.
→ Enhancement Factor

$$P(\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2) = 2 F(k) P_c(\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2) ,$$
$$P_c(\vec{p}_1, \vec{p}_2) = \int d^4x_1 d^4x_2 S(\vec{p}_1, x_1, \vec{p}_2, x_2) ,$$

$$F(k) = \left| \frac{\sin(kb + \delta_0)}{\sin kb} \right|^2 \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow 0} \left(1 - \frac{a}{b}\right)^2 - ck^2$$

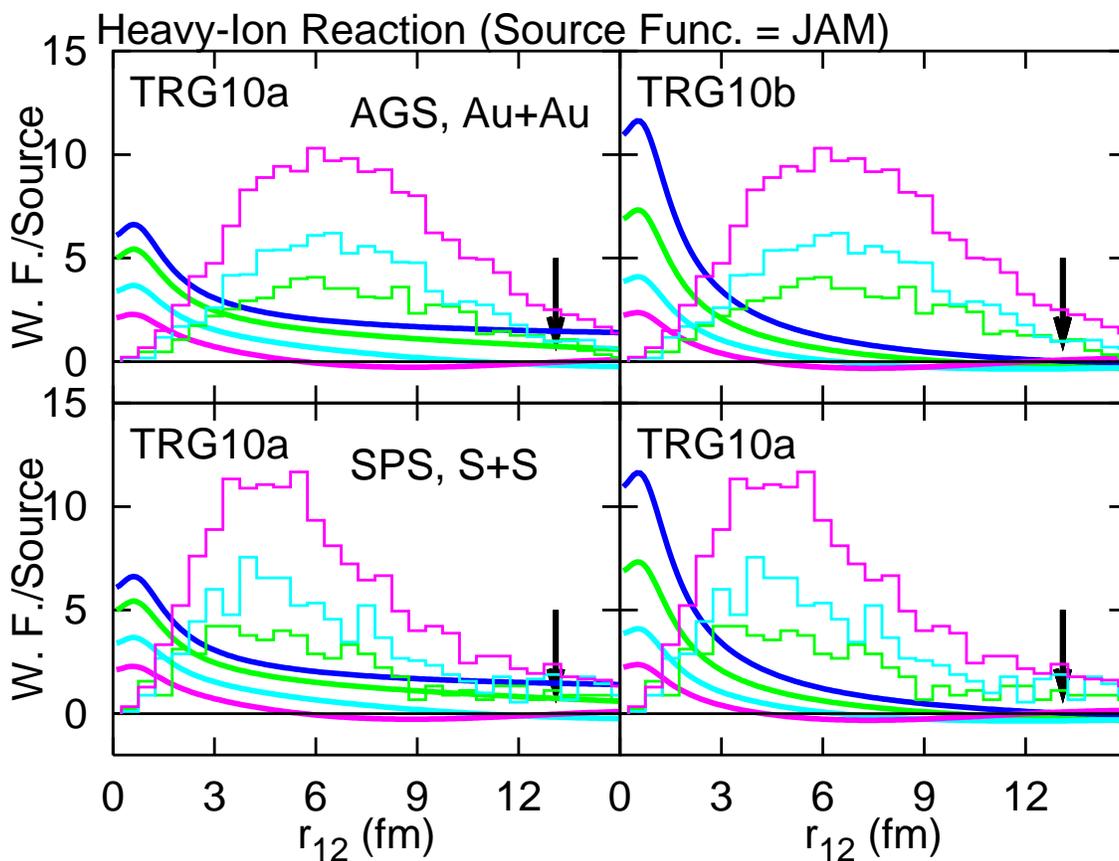
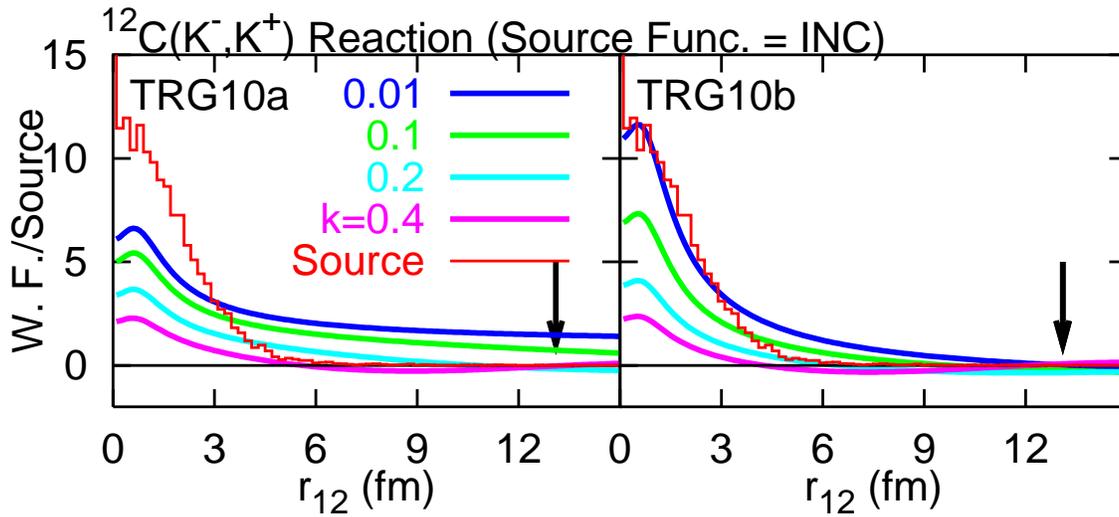
a : scattering length, b : intrinsic range

→ Double-well structure: $a \simeq b \pm \sqrt{F(0)}$



• How to Distinguish Them ?

→ Use Reactions with **Different Source Size**,
covering the region around **Scattering Length**.



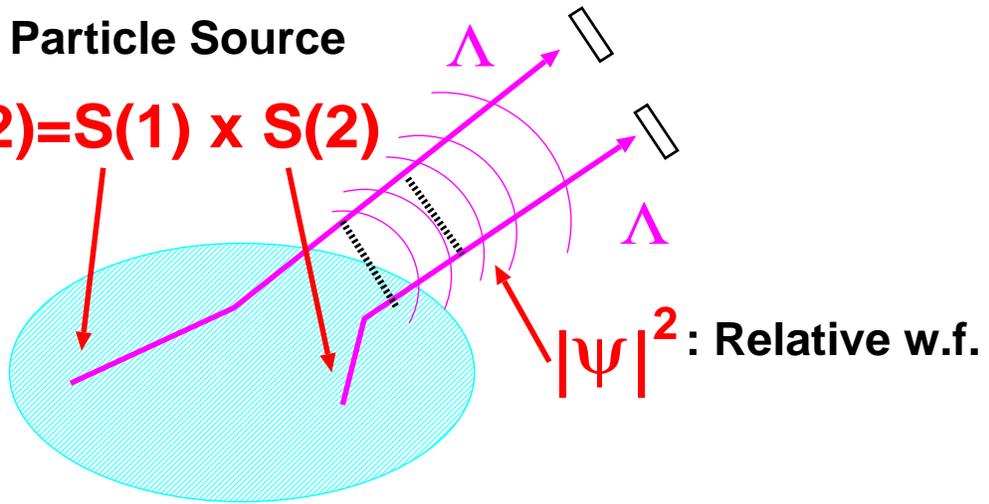
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● Particle Correlation in HIC

Indep. Particle Source

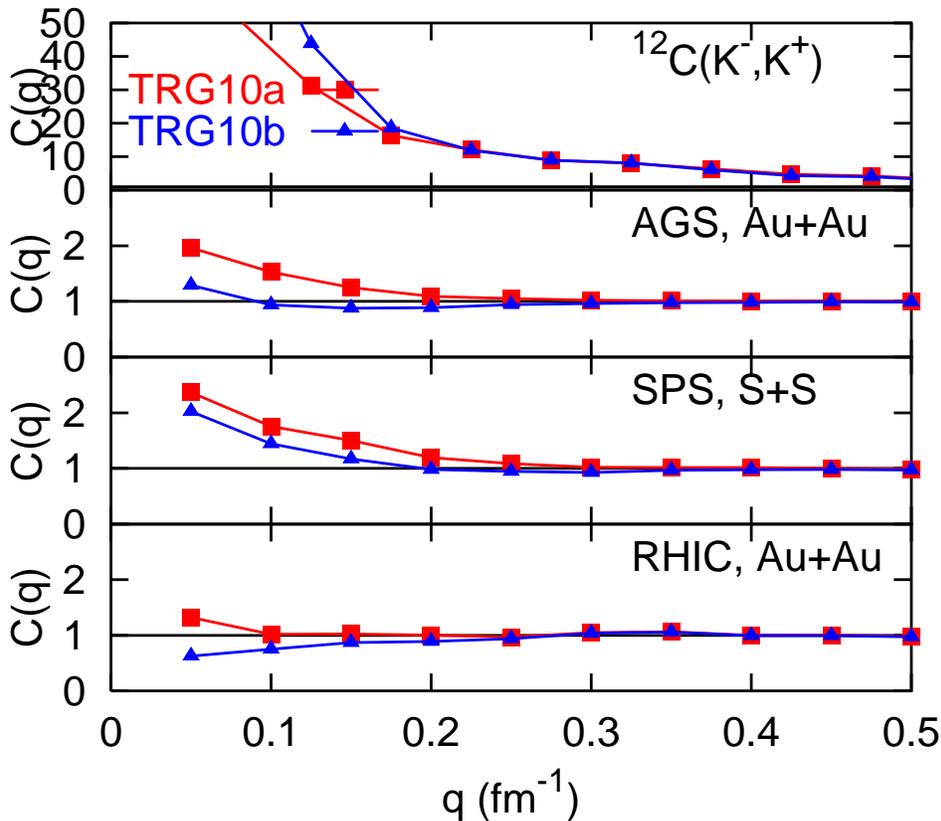
$$S(1,2) = S(1) \times S(2)$$



$$C(q) = \frac{\int dP dx_1 dx_2 S(p_1, x_1, p_2, x_2) |\psi^{(-)}(k, r_{12})|^2}{\int dP dx_1 dx_2 S(p_1, x_1, p_2, x_2)}$$

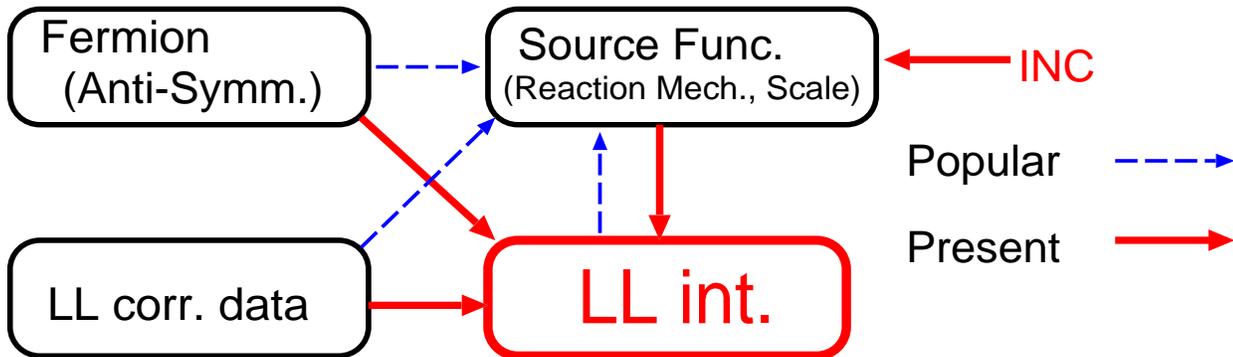
$p_1 = P/2 + q \quad p_2 = P/2 - q$

$\Delta\Delta$ Correlation Function



Summary

1. Source Func. (INC) + Λ - Λ Corr. (Inv. Mass Spec.)
→ Λ - Λ Int.
(We can use Corr. INVERSELY)



2. Extracted Λ - Λ Int. at χ^2 Local Min.

- ★ Best Fit Parameters: No Bound State.
 $a \simeq -5$ fm, $r_{\text{eff}} \simeq 1.8$ fm
- ★ Double well structure: We cannot deny Bound State

$$F(k) \simeq \left(1 - \frac{a}{b}\right)^2 - ck^2,$$

- ★ $\chi^2/\text{DOF} \simeq 0.35$: Large Error Bar of Data

3. Λ - Λ Inv. Mass Spec./Correlation Func.

- ★ (K^- , K^+) Reaction
 - One-Dim. Prod. Mech. + Small Source Size
→ Dyn. Correlated Source
→ Large Enh.
- ★ Relativistic Heavy-Ion Collision
 - Indep. Prod. Mech. + Large Source Size
→ Corr. Func. is Available through Exp.
→ Covers Scat. Length Region of Small B.E.