

$\Lambda(1405)$ and $\bar{K}N$ interaction

§ 0. Introduction

• $\bar{K}N$ interactionTwo aspects of $\bar{K}$ meson

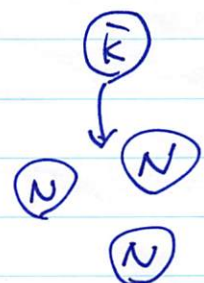
- ① $\bar{K}$ is lighter than other strangeness mesons ($m_K \sim 0.5 m_{K^*}$)
 $\leftarrow$ NG boson of chiral symmetry breaking (Spontaneous χ SB)
- ② $\bar{K}$ is heavier than π ($m_K \sim 3.5 m_\pi$)
 $\leftarrow$ strange quark, $m_{NG}^2 \propto m_q$ (Explicit χ SB)

Interplay between ① and ② $\Rightarrow$ strong $\bar{K}N$ dynamics : § 1

Consequences [HJ 2012]

- $\Lambda(1405)$ as a quasi-bound state (Feshbach resonance)
 " $\bar{K}N$ bound state embedded in resonating $\pi\Sigma$ continuum "
- $\bar{K}$ -few nucleon systems [AY 2002]

	NN	$\bar{K}N$
$I=0$	d (2 MeV)	$\Lambda(1405)$ (15-30 MeV)
$I=1$	attractive	attractive



Nuclei with $\bar{K}$ can form a quasi-bound state

Rigorous few-body calculation with reliable interaction
 up to mass number $A=6$ [Ohnishi 2017] : § 2

Current status of $\Lambda(1405)$

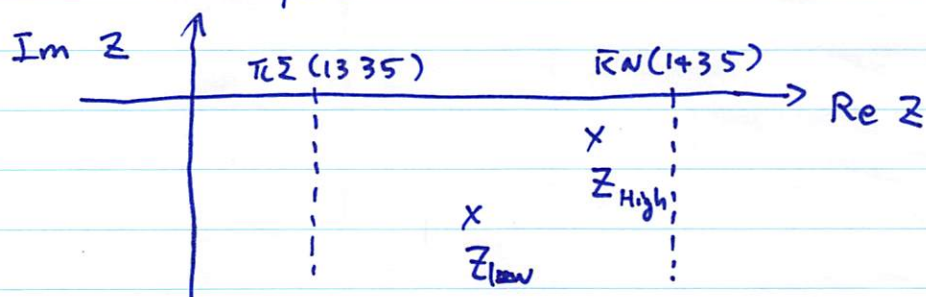
PDG 2017 update [PDG]

strangeness	$S = -1$	
isospin	$I = 0$	
spin-parity	$J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-$	(experimentally established in 2014)
status	****	(Existence is certain, and properties are at least fairly well explored)

Pole positions (prior to "mass and width")

- Four results from different analyses are shown.

e.g.) [IHW 2011]	$\text{Re } Z_R \text{ [MeV]}$	$-2 \times \text{Im } Z_R \text{ [MeV]}$
High-mass pole	1424	52
Low-mass pole	1381	162



What is pole?

- pole of scattering amplitude $\hat{\approx}$ discrete eigenstate of Hamiltonian [Note 1]
- Ideal case: Breit-Wigner amplitude

$$T(s) \propto \frac{1}{s - M_R + \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_R} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} \text{Re } Z_R &= M_R : \text{Mass} \\ -2 \text{Im } Z_R &= \Gamma_R : \text{Width} \end{aligned}$$

Advantages of "pole position" compared with "mass and width"

- Resonances (such as $\Lambda(1405)$) are not always expressed by B-W form
- Reason: background amplitude $T(\sqrt{s}) = T_{\text{pole}}(\sqrt{s}) + \underline{T_{\text{BG}}(\sqrt{s})}$
- Pole positions are less ambiguous theoretically.

Questions

- How are the poles in PDG determined? § 2
- Why are there two poles for one resonance? § 1

c.f. "old story" on $\Lambda(1405)$

$\Lambda(1405)$ in a constituent quark model has

- too light mass for $\ell=1 \leftrightarrow N(1535)$
- too small L-S splitting with $\frac{3}{2}^- \Lambda(1520)$
 $\leftrightarrow N(1535), N(1520)$

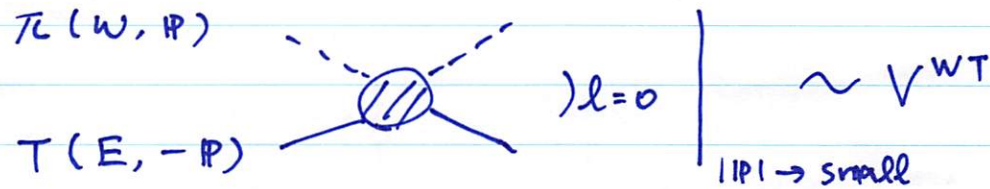
From a modern viewpoint, such static picture is too naive.

Coupling to meson-baryon states drastically changes the situation
(bare state of $N(1440)$, XYZ states above DD threshold, ---)

§ 1 Chiral dynamics for meson-baryon scattering

1.1 Weinberg-Tomozana theorem

low-energy s-wave interaction of the NG boson (π) and a target hadron (T)



Chiral symmetry gives constraints on V^{WT}

- Original derivation [Weinberg 1966, Tomozawa 1966, Cheng-Li, Coleman]
- Chiral perturbation theory [Scherer - Schindler]

• Important properties

① V^{WT} is proportional to $W = \sqrt{m_{NG}^2 + P^2}$

- Interaction is energy dependent
- Chiral limit ($m_{NG} = 0$) $\Rightarrow V^{WT} = 0$ at threshold ($P = 0$)
- Finite quark mass ($m_{NG} \neq 0$) $\Rightarrow V^{WT} \propto m_{NG}$ at threshold

② Sign (attractive/repulsive) and strength are determined by group theoretical factor of $SU(N_F)_V$

- No adjustable parameter. Model-independent prediction.

c.f. p-wave interaction $\propto g_A^2$, reflecting the structure of T

• $\bar{K}N - \pi\Sigma$ ($I=0$) interaction

$SU(3)$ meson-baryon Lagrangian for the WT interaction

$$\mathcal{L}^{WT} = \text{Tr} \left(\bar{B} \gamma^\mu \frac{i}{4f^2} [\Phi \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\partial}_\mu \Phi, B] \right)$$

$$B = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Sigma^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \Lambda & \Sigma^+ & p \\ \Sigma^- & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \Sigma^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \Lambda & n \\ \Xi^- & \Xi^0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \Lambda \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{baryon octet}$$

$$\Phi = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \eta & \pi^+ & K^+ \\ \pi^- & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \pi^0 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \eta & K^0 \\ K^- & \bar{K}^0 & -\frac{2}{\sqrt{6}} \eta \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{meson octet} \\ (NG \text{ bosons}) \end{array}$$

f : meson decay constant $\sim 93 \text{ MeV}$

← covariant derivative of $\text{Tr}(\bar{B} i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu B)$: property ②

WT interaction (see [Note 3] for derivation)

$$V_{ij}^{WT} = - \frac{C_{ij}}{4f^2} (W_i + W_j) \quad \leftarrow \text{energy of meson in channel } i$$

$$C_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -\sqrt{3/2} \\ & 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \bar{K}N (I=0) \\ \pi\Sigma (I=0) \end{array}$$

• W_i ← time derivative in $\mathcal{L}^{WT}$: property ①

• $C > 0 \Rightarrow V < 0 \Rightarrow$ attractive interaction.

• No dependence on momentum transfer $\rightarrow$ S-fn interaction
in coordinate space



1.2 3d δ function potential• Schrödinger equation

$$\left(-\frac{\nabla^2}{2\mu} + \lambda \delta(\mathbf{x})\right) \psi(\mathbf{x}) = E \psi(\mathbf{x})$$

- $d=1$: Attractive interaction ($\lambda < 0$) always gives one bound state.
- $d \geq 2$: Pathology (ultraviolet divergence)
 - ← short range behavior is too singular

option 1) Renormalization

Regularize UV by cutoff Λ , let the coupling λ depends on Λ , so that the observables are independent of Λ , c.f. [Note 2]

option 2) Physical cutoff Λ

Our description is applicable up to the UV scale Λ

Potential is defined for a given Λ .

• Bound state solution ($d=3$)

$$E = -B \quad (B > 0)$$

$$\text{Fourier transformation of w.f. } \psi(\mathbf{x}) = \int \frac{d^3 p}{(2\pi)^3} e^{i\mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{x}} \phi(\mathbf{p})$$

$$\text{Schrödinger eq.} \Rightarrow \phi(\mathbf{p}) = - \frac{\lambda}{B + \mathbf{p}^2/2\mu} \underbrace{\int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} \phi(\mathbf{k})}_{\psi(\mathbf{x}=\mathbf{0})}$$

Integrate over $\mathbf{P}$: consistency condition for a discrete eigenstate

$$-\lambda \int \frac{d^3\mathbf{P}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{1}{B + \mathbf{P}^2/2\mu} = 1$$

$$-\lambda \frac{4\pi}{(2\pi)^3} \int_0^{\Lambda} dp \frac{p^2}{B + p^2/2\mu} = 1 \quad \leftarrow \text{UV divergence!}$$

$$-\lambda \frac{\mu}{\pi^2} \left(1 - \sqrt{2\mu B} \arctan \frac{\Lambda}{\sqrt{2\mu B}} \right) = 1$$

Binding energy $B \leftarrow$ coupling λ for a given cutoff Λ

• Critical coupling

Consider $B \rightarrow 0$ limit $\left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \arctan \frac{1}{x} = 0 \right)$

$$-\lambda \frac{\mu}{\pi^2} 1 = 1 \quad (B \rightarrow 0) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \lambda_c \equiv -\frac{\pi^2}{\mu \Lambda}$$

critical coupling

• $\lambda < 0$ and $|\lambda| \geq |\lambda_c| \Rightarrow$ one bound state

• else $\Rightarrow$ no bound state

For $d=3$, attractive δ -fn potential does not always give a bound state

N.B.) $\lambda_c \propto 1/\mu$

$\Rightarrow$ if μ is large, more chance to have a bound state

Can we have a resonance for $0 > \lambda > \lambda_c$?

$\rightarrow$ It is shown that the resonance solution is not allowed.

[HJH 2007] Appendix B

1.3 $\Lambda(1405)$ and meson-baryon interaction V^{WT} at threshold $\propto C m_{NG}$

$$C^{\bar{K}N} = 3, \quad C^{\pi\Sigma} = 4, \quad C^{\pi N(I=1/2)} = 2 \quad (\text{all attractive})$$

	$\bar{K}N(I=0)$	$\pi\Sigma(I=0)$	$\pi N(I=1/2)$
$C m_{NG}$	$3 m_K \sim 1485 \text{ MeV}$	$4 m_\pi \sim 560 \text{ MeV}$	$2 m_\pi \sim 280 \text{ MeV}$

$$\Rightarrow V_{\bar{K}N}^{WT} \gg V_{\pi\Sigma}^{WT} \gg V_{\pi N}^{WT}$$

WT interaction in the $\Lambda(1405)$ sector is very strong.

- $m_{NG} = m_K \leftarrow$ strange quark mass
- $C^{\pi\Sigma} = 4 \leftarrow SU(3)$ group structure

unique feature in three-flavor/strangeness sector!

• Critical coupling

Similar discussion with § 1.2 for relativistic dispersion relation

[HJH 2006, 2007]

$$C_{\text{crit}} = \frac{2f^2}{m_{NG} [-G(M_T + m_{NG})]}$$

$\nwarrow$ some function

$$\bar{K}N: \quad C_{\text{crit}} \sim 1.8 < C^{\bar{K}N} = 3 \quad \rightarrow \text{bound}$$

$$\pi\Sigma: \quad C_{\text{crit}} \sim 10.8 > C^{\pi\Sigma} = 4$$

$$\pi N: \quad C_{\text{crit}} \sim 11.9 > C^{\pi N} = 2 \quad \left. \vphantom{C_{\text{crit}} \sim 11.9} \right\} \rightarrow \text{unbound} \quad (\pi \text{ is too light to bind})$$

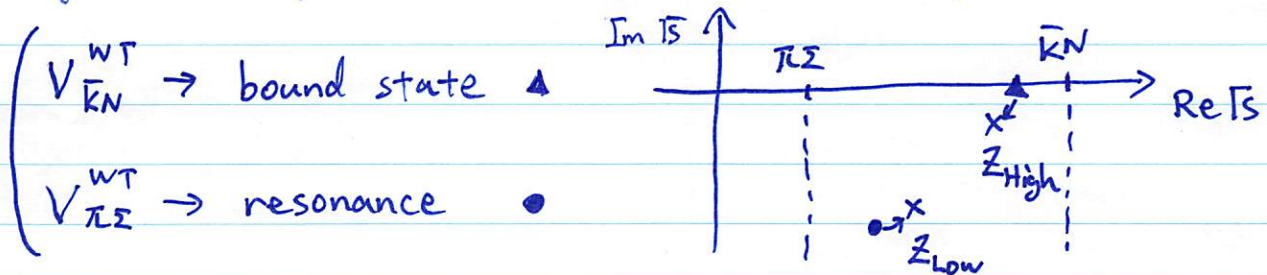
 $\bar{K}N$ system should support a bound state. $\rightarrow \Lambda(1405)$

• Two-pole structure

In contrast to § 1.2, V^{WT} can generate resonances through E -dependence

→ $\pi\Sigma$ channel has a resonance above threshold

- Origin of two-pole structure of $\Lambda(1405)$ in isospin basis [HW 2008]



two eigenstates between $\bar{K}N$ and $\pi\Sigma$ thresholds

- Origin in $SU(3)$ basis (flavor singlet + octet) [Jido 2003]

- different coupling strengths : $Z_{\text{High}} \rightarrow \bar{K}N$, $Z_{\text{Low}} \rightarrow \pi\Sigma$

⇒ $\pi\Sigma$ lineshape can be reaction dependent

1.4 Summary

Weinberg-Tomozawa theorem (chiral symmetry constraint)

$$V_{\bar{K}N} \propto 3m_{\bar{K}}, \quad V_{\pi\Sigma} \propto 4m_{\pi}$$

↓
bound state

↓
resonance

→ two-pole structure of $\Lambda(1405)$

Strangeness/ $SU(3)$ is essential.

§ 2 Recent developments

2.1 Determination of pole positions in PDG

• Experimental database① K^-p total cross sections to K^-p , $\bar{K}^0n$, $\pi^-\Sigma^+$, $\pi^0\Sigma^0$, $\pi^+\Sigma^-$, $\pi^0\Lambda$

- Old bubble chamber data with sizable error bars
- Constraints above $\bar{K}N$ threshold

② Threshold branching ratios σ , R_n , R_c

- Stopped K^- in hydrogen, relatively accurate
- Constraints at $\bar{K}N$ threshold

③ Kaonic hydrogen shift ΔE and width Γ

- Transition X-ray from 2P to 1S
- Related to K^-p scattering length $\rightarrow$ constraint at $\bar{K}N$ threshold
- "Inconsistency" with ①, ② was resolved [SIDDHARTA 2011]

④ $\pi\Sigma$ spectra

- Invariant mass distribution in production experiments
 $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \underline{\pi\Sigma}$ (LEPS, CLAS), $pp \rightarrow K^+p \underline{\pi\Sigma}$ (HADES), etc.
- Constraints below $\bar{K}N$ threshold

- Reaction model is needed to relate with T_{MB} $\frac{d\sigma}{dM_{\pi}} \sim |\underline{C_{\text{reac}}} \otimes T_{MB}|^2$
 $\rightarrow$ ④ is NOT a direct constraint.

NLO chiral SU(3) dynamics

Systematic improvement of V based on ChPT

$$V = \underbrace{\text{WT term}}_{\mathcal{O}(p)} + \underbrace{\text{Born terms}}_{\mathcal{O}(p)} + \underbrace{\text{NLO terms}}_{\mathcal{O}(p^2)} \sim \text{resummed diagram}$$

- S-wave component of Born terms is in higher order than WT term in nonrelativistic expansion.
- Born terms contain axial couplings $D, F \leftarrow$ hyperon decays
- NLO (next-to-leading order) terms have 7 low-energy constants
 $\rightarrow$ free parameters

Scattering amplitude : nonperturbative resummation

$$T(\bar{s}) = V(\bar{s}) + V(\bar{s}) G(\bar{s}) T(\bar{s})$$

$$= V + VG + VGV + VGVGV + \dots \sim \text{resummed diagrams}$$

- Loop function $G(\bar{s})$ has 6 subtraction constants ($\hat{=}$ UV cutoff)
 $\rightarrow$ free parameters

χ^2 fitting to data ①, ②, ③ [IHW 2011]

- $\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.} = 0.96$ (~ 120 data)
- Pole positions $\leftarrow T(\bar{s})$: $\left. \begin{array}{l} Z_{\text{high}} = 1424 - 26i \text{ MeV} \\ Z_{\text{low}} = 1381 - 81i \text{ MeV} \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow \text{PDG}$

Analyses by other groups (fitting strategy, choice of data, ---)

- Position of Z_{high} converges in a small region
- " Z_{low} shows a sizable scatter [MH 2015]

2.2 Realistic $\bar{K}N$ potential $\Lambda(1405) \sim \bar{K}N$ quasi-bound state→ Quasi-bound states of $\bar{K} + \text{few nucleons}$?

- Rigorous few-body techniques : (many-body) Schrödinger equation
- How can we apply the results of chiral dynamics ?

• Construction of $\bar{K}N$ potential

Equivalent single-channel local potential [HW 2008]

$$V_{ij}^{\text{chiral}}(E) \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}} V^{\bar{K}N}(E) \xrightarrow{\textcircled{2}} U^{\bar{K}N}(E; r)$$

channel	coupled-channel	single-channel	single-channel
E-dep.	chiral	chiral + Feshbach	chiral + Feshbach
strength	real	complex	complex
scattering eq.	relativistic	relativistic	Schrödinger

process ① : exact transformation

- Feshbach projection (channel elimination) causes E-dependence
- Elimination of lower energy $\pi\Sigma$ channel induces $\text{Im } V^{\bar{K}N}$

process ② : approximate parameterization

- Spatial distribution is assumed to be gaussian
- Strength is tuned to reproduce original amplitude by $V_{ij}^{\text{chiral}}(E)$

• Kyoto $\bar{K}N$ potential [MH 2016]

- $V_{ij}^{\text{chiral}} \leftarrow$ NLO chiral dynamics with SIDDHARTA constraint
- Precision in complex energy plane improved (pole positions $\leq 1 \text{ MeV}$)
- Reproduces whole experimental data with $\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.} \sim 1$
 $\Rightarrow$ realistic $\bar{K}N$ potential (c.f. nuclear force)

• Spatial distribution of $\Lambda(1405)$

Potential $\rightarrow$ wavefunction of $\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow$ spatial structure

Note: Unstable states have a complex eigenenergy

$\rightarrow$ complex expectation value $\langle \psi_R | \hat{O} | \psi_R \rangle \in \mathbb{C}$

Root mean squared radius of $\Lambda(1405)$

$$\langle \Lambda(1405) | \hat{r}^2 | \Lambda(1405) \rangle^{1/2} = 1.04 - 0.61i \text{ fm}$$

(Kyoto $\bar{K}N$ potential, High-mass pole)

Interpretation?

complex eigenmomentum $k = k_R + i k_I$

$$\psi(r) \xrightarrow{r \rightarrow \infty} \frac{e^{ikr}}{r} = \frac{1}{r} \underset{\text{oscillation}}{e^{ik_R r}} \underset{\text{damping (quasi-bound state, } k_I > 0)}{e^{-k_I r}}$$

extraction of damping factor $\rightarrow \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} \sim 1.44 \text{ fm}$

potential range $\sim 0.4 \text{ fm}$, hadron size $\sim 0.7 \text{ fm}$

$\Rightarrow \Lambda(1405)$ as loosely bound $\bar{K}N$ molecule



2.3 Application to few-nucleon systems

• $\bar{K}$ -nuclei

- $\bar{K}N^A$ systems with $A \leq 6$ [Ohnishi 2017]
- $\hat{V} = \hat{V}^{\bar{K}N} + \hat{V}^{NN}$
- Stochastic variational method + correlated gaussians [Suzuki 1998]

	$\bar{K}NN$	$\bar{K}NNN$	$\bar{K}NNNN$	$\bar{K}NNNNNN$
B [MeV]	25-28	45-50	68-76	70-81
Γ [MeV]	31-59	26-70	28-74	24-76

- uncertainty $\leftarrow$ treatment of E-dependence of $\hat{V}^{\bar{K}N}$
- quasi-bound state below the lowest threshold
- Γ (without multi-N absorption) $\sim B$
- interplay between $\hat{V}^{\bar{K}N}$ and $\hat{V}^{NN}$ (see [Ohnishi 2017])

• Kaonic deuterium

- $\bar{K}pn - \bar{K}^0nn$ three-body system with spin 1 [Hoshino 2017]
- $\hat{V} = \hat{V}^{\bar{K}N} + \hat{V}^{NN} + \hat{V}^{\text{Coulomb}}$
- eV precision $\leftarrow$ basis function up to hundreds of fm

$$\Delta E - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma = 670 - i508 \text{ eV}$$

- Result is sensitive to $I=1$ $\bar{K}N$ potential
- Planned experiments (J-PARC E57, SIDDHARTA-2) will give stringent constraint on $I=1$ component.

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