

Recent highlights with baryons from lattice QCD

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Overview

- recent highlights involving baryons in lattice QCD
 - proton mass decomposition
 - nucleon spin decomposition
 - percent level determination of nucleon axial coupling
 - proton and neutron electromagnetic form factors
 - parton distribution function
 - scattering amplitudes
 - baryon-baryon interactions with HAL QCD method
 - H -dibaryon warm up
- key progress
 - achieving much better precision with disconnected diagrams
 - ability to include multi-hadron operators
 - more and more studies being done at physical point

Temporal correlations from path integrals

- stationary-state energies from $N \times N$ Hermitian correlation matrix

$$C_{ij}(t) = \langle 0 | O_i(t+t_0) \bar{O}_j(t_0) | 0 \rangle$$

- judiciously designed operators \bar{O}_j create states of interest

$$O_j(t) = O_j[\bar{\psi}(t), \psi(t), U(t)]$$

- correlators from path integrals over quark $\psi, \bar{\psi}$ and gluon U fields

$$C_{ij}(t) = \frac{\int \mathcal{D}(\bar{\psi}, \psi, U) \ O_i(t + t_0) \ \bar{O}_j(t_0) \ \exp(-S[\bar{\psi}, \psi, U])}{\int \mathcal{D}(\bar{\psi}, \psi, U) \ \exp(-S[\bar{\psi}, \psi, U])}$$

- involves the **action** in imaginary time

$$S[\bar{\psi}, \psi, U] = \bar{\psi} K[U] \psi + S_G[U]$$

- $K[U]$ is fermion Dirac matrix

- $S_G[U]$ is gluon action

Integrating the quark fields

- integrals over Grassmann-valued quark fields done exactly
- meson-to-meson example:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \mathcal{D}(\bar{\psi}, \psi) \psi_a \psi_b \bar{\psi}_c \bar{\psi}_d \exp(-\bar{\psi} K \psi) \\ &= (K_{ad}^{-1} K_{bc}^{-1} - K_{ac}^{-1} K_{bd}^{-1}) \det K. \end{aligned}$$

- baryon-to-baryon example:

$$\begin{aligned} & \int \mathcal{D}(\bar{\psi}, \psi) \psi_{a_1} \psi_{a_2} \psi_{a_3} \bar{\psi}_{b_1} \bar{\psi}_{b_2} \bar{\psi}_{b_3} \exp(-\bar{\psi} K \psi) \\ &= \left(-K_{a_1 b_1}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_2}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_3}^{-1} + K_{a_1 b_1}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_3}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_2}^{-1} + K_{a_1 b_2}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_1}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_3}^{-1} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - K_{a_1 b_2}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_3}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_1}^{-1} - K_{a_1 b_3}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_1}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_2}^{-1} + K_{a_1 b_3}^{-1} K_{a_2 b_2}^{-1} K_{a_3 b_1}^{-1} \right) \det K \end{aligned}$$

Monte Carlo integration

- correlators have form

$$C_{ij}(t) = \frac{\int \mathcal{D}U \det K[U] K^{-1}[U] \cdots K^{-1}[U] \exp(-S_G[U])}{\int \mathcal{D}U \det K[U] \exp(-S_G[U])}$$

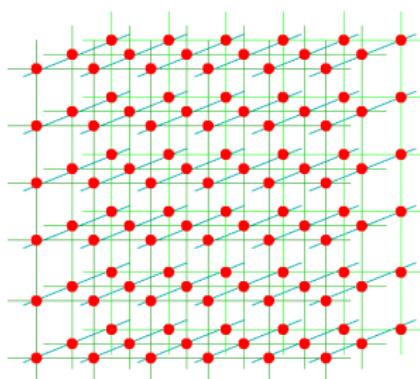
- resort to Monte Carlo method to integrate over gluon fields
- use Markov chain to generate sequence of gauge-field configurations

$$U_1, U_2, \dots, U_N$$

- most computationally demanding parts:
 - including $\det K$ in updating
 - evaluating K^{-1} in numerator

Lattice QCD

- Monte Carlo method using computers requires formulating integral on space-time lattice (usually hypercubic)
- **quarks** reside on sites, **gluons** reside on links between sites
- integrate over gluon fields on each link
- Metropolis method with global updating proposal
 - RHMC: solve Hamilton equations with Gaussian momenta
- $\det K$ estimates with integral over pseudo-fermion fields
- systematic errors
 - discretization
 - finite volume
 - unphysical quark masses



Building blocks for single-hadron operators

- building blocks: covariantly-displaced LapH-smeared quark fields
- stout links $\tilde{U}_j(x)$
- Laplacian-Heaviside (LapH) smeared quark fields

$$\tilde{\psi}_{a\alpha}(x) = \mathcal{S}_{ab}(x, y) \psi_{b\alpha}(y), \quad \mathcal{S} = \Theta\left(\sigma_s^2 + \tilde{\Delta}\right)$$

- 3d gauge-covariant Laplacian $\tilde{\Delta}$ in terms of \tilde{U}
- displaced quark fields:

$$q_{a\alpha}^A = D^{(j)} \tilde{\psi}_{a\alpha}^{(A)}, \quad \bar{q}_{a\alpha}^A = \tilde{\psi}_{a\alpha}^{(A)} \gamma_4 D^{(j)\dagger}$$

- displacement $D^{(j)}$ is product of smeared links:

$$D^{(j)}(x, x') = \tilde{U}_{j_1}(x) \tilde{U}_{j_2}(x+d_2) \tilde{U}_{j_3}(x+d_3) \dots \tilde{U}_{j_p}(x+d_p) \delta_{x', x+d_{p+1}}$$

- to good approximation, LapH smearing operator is

$$\mathcal{S} = V_s V_s^\dagger$$

- columns of matrix V_s are eigenvectors of $\tilde{\Delta}$

Extended operators for single hadrons

- quark displacements build up orbital, radial structure

Meson configurations



Baryon configurations



$$\bar{\Phi}_{\alpha\beta}^{AB}(\mathbf{p}, t) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} e^{i\mathbf{p}\cdot(\mathbf{x} + \frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{d}_\alpha + \mathbf{d}_\beta))} \delta_{ab} \bar{q}_{b\beta}^B(\mathbf{x}, t) q_{a\alpha}^A(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

$$\bar{\Phi}_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{ABC}(\mathbf{p}, t) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} e^{i\mathbf{p}\cdot\mathbf{x}} \varepsilon_{abc} \bar{q}_{c\gamma}^C(\mathbf{x}, t) \bar{q}_{b\beta}^B(\mathbf{x}, t) \bar{q}_{a\alpha}^A(\mathbf{x}, t)$$

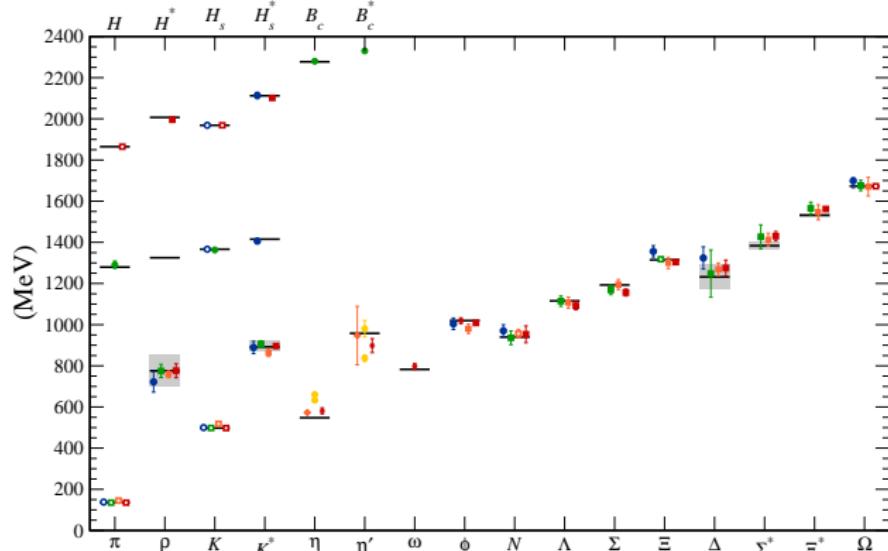
- group-theory projections onto irreps of lattice symmetry group

$$\bar{M}_l(t) = c_{\alpha\beta}^{(l)*} \bar{\Phi}_{\alpha\beta}^{AB}(t) \quad \bar{B}_l(t) = c_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{(l)*} \bar{\Phi}_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{ABC}(t)$$

- definite momentum \mathbf{p} , irreps of little group of \mathbf{p}

Stable hadron mass success

- low-lying mass spectrum successfully determined
- level of precision: isospin breaking now relevant

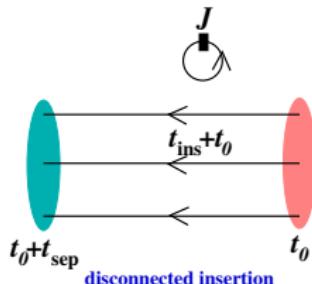
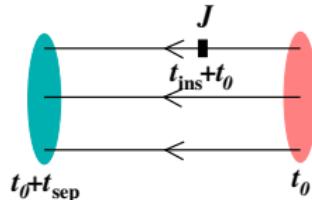


[A. Kronfeld, Ann. Rev. N.P. Sci 62, 265 (2012)]

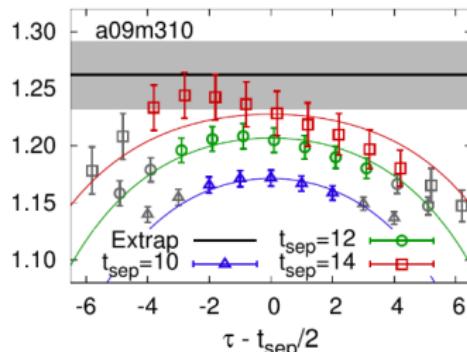
- challenge: scattering amplitudes and resonances

Matrix elements from lattice QCD

- standard method for matrix element calculations requires 3-point functions



- excited-state contamination removed by taking t_{sep} , t_{ins} , and $t_{\text{sep}} - t_{\text{ins}}$ large
- in practice, difficult to achieve due to signal-to-noise
- current requires renormalization for comparison to $\overline{\text{MS}}$
- nonperturbative/perturbative methods



Proton mass decomposition

- recent determination of mass decomposition of proton
[Y.Yang, J.Liang, Y.Bi, Y.Chen, T.Draper, K.F.Liu, Z.Liu, PRL121, 212001 (2018)]
- rest mass M of proton given by [Ji PRL74, 1071 (1995)]

$$M = -\langle T_{44} \rangle = \langle H_m \rangle + \langle H_E \rangle(\mu) + \langle H_g \rangle(\mu) + \frac{1}{4}\langle H_a \rangle,$$

- $\langle T_{\mu\nu} \rangle$ expectation value of energy momentum tensor in hadron
- quark condensate $H_m = \sum_{u,d,s\dots} \int d^3x m \bar{\psi} \psi$
- quark energy $H_E = \sum_{u,d,s\dots} \int d^3x \bar{\psi} (\vec{D} \cdot \vec{\gamma}) \psi$
- glue field energy $H_g = \int d^3x \frac{1}{2}(B^2 - E^2)$
- anomaly term $H_a = \sum_{u,d,s\dots} \int d^3x \gamma_m m \bar{\psi} \psi - \int d^3x \frac{\beta(g)}{g} (E^2 + B^2)$
- $\langle H_m \rangle, \langle H_a \rangle, \langle H_E + H_g \rangle$ scale and scheme independent
- obtain from renormalized quark and gluon momentum fractions
 $\langle H_g \rangle = \frac{3}{4}M\langle x \rangle_g$ and $\langle H_E \rangle = \frac{3}{4}M\langle x \rangle_q - \frac{3}{4}\langle H_m \rangle$
- anomaly term from $\langle H_a \rangle = M - \langle H_m \rangle$

Proton mass decomposition (con't)

- determined mass M from two-point correlator
- used previous determination of $\langle H_m \rangle$ (2016)
- momentum fractions from

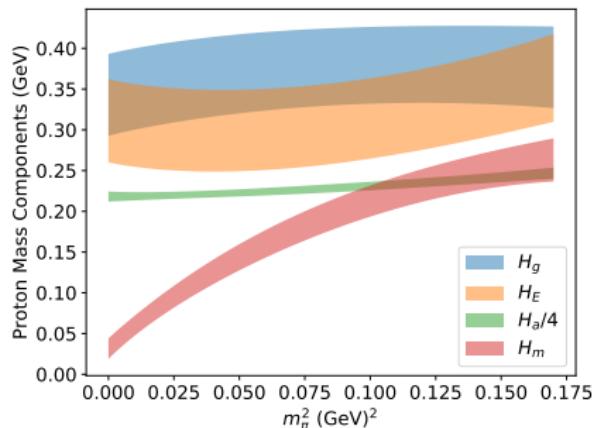
$$\begin{aligned}\langle x \rangle_{q,g} &\equiv -\frac{\langle N | \frac{4}{3} \bar{T}_{44}^{q,g} | N \rangle}{M \langle N | N \rangle}, \\ \bar{T}_{44}^q &= \int d^3x \bar{\psi}(x) \frac{1}{2} (\gamma_4 \overleftrightarrow{D}_4 - \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=0,1,2,3} \gamma_i \overleftrightarrow{D}_i) \psi(x), \\ \bar{T}_{44}^g &= \int d^3x \frac{1}{2} (E(x)^2 - B(x)^2).\end{aligned}$$

- renormalization

$$\begin{aligned}\langle x \rangle_{u,d,s}^R &= Z_{QQ}^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(\mu) \langle x \rangle_{u,d,s} + \delta Z_{QQ}^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(\mu) \sum_{q=u,d,s} \langle x \rangle_q + Z_{QG}^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(\mu) \langle x \rangle_g \\ \langle x \rangle_g^R &= Z_{GQ}^{\overline{\text{MS}}}(\mu) \sum_{q=u,d,s} \langle x \rangle_q + Z_{GG}^{\overline{\text{MS}}} \langle x \rangle_g,\end{aligned}$$

Proton mass decomposition (con't)

- obtained results on 4 ensembles ($N_f = 2 + 1$ DWF action, overlap valence)
- disconnected insertions: cluster-decomposition error reduction, all time slices looped over
- extrapolate with global fit including finite volume, spacing corrections, chiral behavior



- quark energy $32(4)(4)\%$
- glue energy $36(5)(4)\%$
- quark condensate $9(2)(1)\%$
- trace anomaly $23(1)(1)\%$
- with $N_f = 2 + 1$

Nucleon spin decomposition

- spin decomposition of nucleon

[C.Alexandrou, M.Constantinou, K.Hadjiyiannakou, K.Jansen, C.Kallidonis, G.Koutsou, A.V.Aviles-Casco, C.Wiese, PRL 119, 142002 (2017)]

- from Ji sum rule [Ji, PRL78, 610 (1997)]

$$J_N = \sum_{q=u,d,s,c\dots} \left(\frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma_q + L_q \right) + J_g$$

- obtain from nucleon matrix elements ($Q=p'-p$, $P=\frac{1}{2}(p'+p)$)

$$\langle N(p, s') | \bar{q} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 q | N(p, s) \rangle = \bar{u}_N(p, s') \left[g_A^q \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \right] u_N(p, s),$$

$$\langle N(p', s') | \bar{q} \gamma^{\{\mu} \overleftrightarrow{D}^{\nu\}} q | N(p, s) \rangle = \bar{u}_N(p', s') \Lambda_{\mu\nu}^q(Q^2) u_N(p, s),$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Lambda_{q(g)}^{\mu\nu}(Q^2) &= A_{20}^{q(g)}(Q^2) \gamma^{\{\mu} P^{\nu\}} + B_{20}^{q(g)}(Q^2) \frac{\sigma^{\{\mu\alpha} q_\alpha P^{\nu\}}}{2m} \\ &\quad + C_{20}^{q(g)}(Q^2) \frac{1}{m} Q^{\{\mu} Q^{\nu\}}, \end{aligned}$$

Nucleon spin decomposition (con't)

- quark(gluon) total angular momentum and quark momentum fraction and spin from

$$\begin{aligned} J_{q(g)} &= \frac{1}{2}[A_{20}^{q(g)}(0) + B_{20}^{q(g)}(0)] \\ \langle x \rangle_q &= A_{20}^q(0), \quad \Delta \Sigma_q = g_A^q \end{aligned}$$

- gluon momentum fraction from $\mathcal{O}_{\mu\nu}^g = 2\text{Tr}[G_{\mu\sigma}G_{\nu\sigma}]$ with

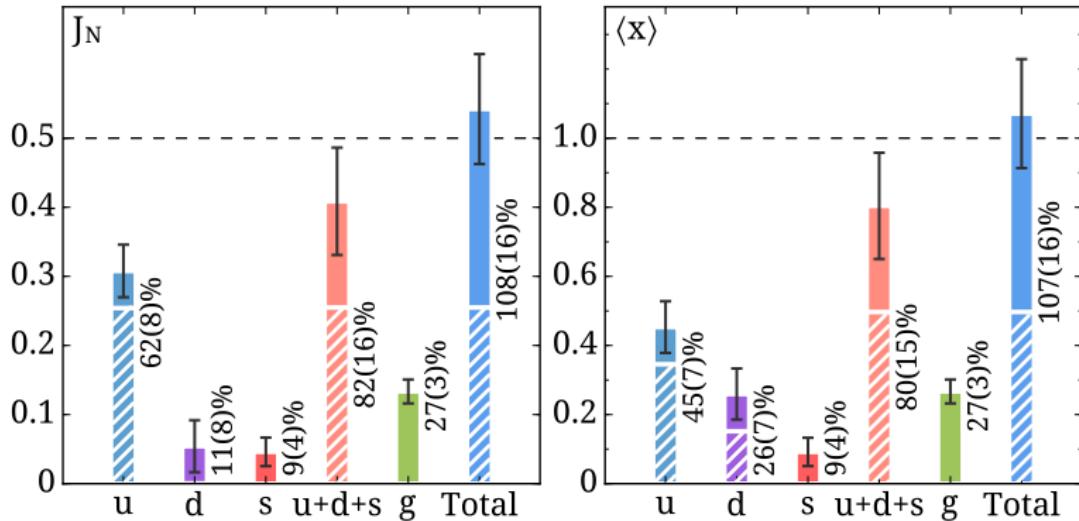
$$\overline{\mathcal{O}}^g \equiv \mathcal{O}_{44}^g - \frac{1}{3}\mathcal{O}_{jj}^g$$

$$\langle N(p, s') | \overline{\mathcal{O}}^g | N(p, s) \rangle = \left(-4E_N^2 - \frac{2}{3}\vec{p}^2 \right) \langle x \rangle_g,$$

- one ensemble at physical point $48^3 \times 96$ twisted mass clover-improved $a = 0.0939(3)$ fm from nucleon mass
- u, d disconnected diagrams by exact deflation + one-end-trick
- s disconnected diagrams by truncated solver method
- renormalization factors determined nonperturbatively

Nucleon spin decomposition (con't)

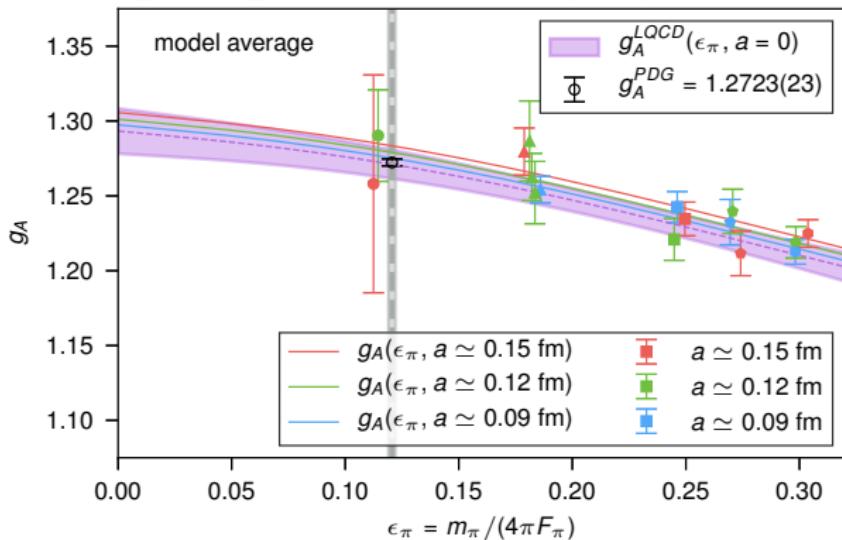
- nucleon spin (left) and momentum (right) decompositions
- striped segments → valence; solid → sea quark and gluon



Nucleon axial coupling

- recent percent level determination of g_A

[C.Chang et al., Nature 558, 91 (2018); arXiv:1805.12130]



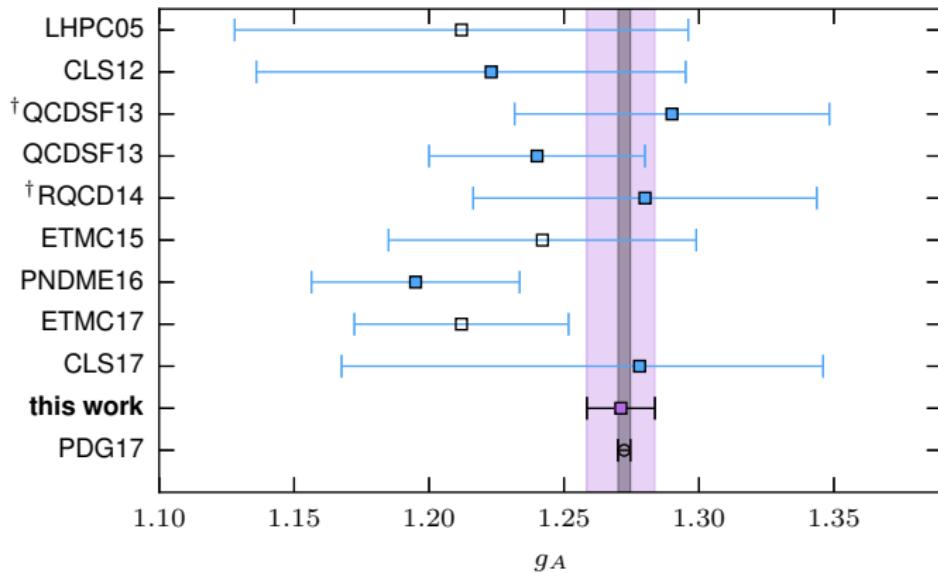
- use of Feynman-Hellman method

$$g_A = 1.2711(103)^s(39)^x(15)^a(19)^V(04)^I(55)^M$$

- errors: statistical, chiral, spacing, volume, isospin, model selection

Nucleon axial coupling (con't)

- comparison to other determinations

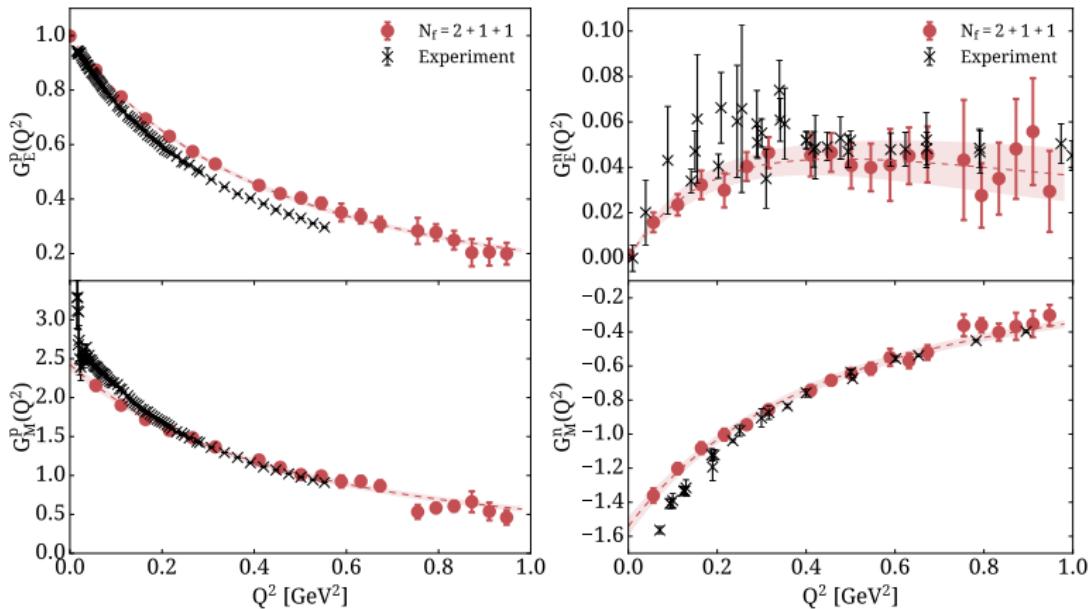


Proton/neutron electromagnetic form factors

- recent study of proton and neutron electromagnetic form factors
[C.Alexandrou, S.Bacchio, M.Constantinou, J.Finkenrath, K.Hadjyiannakou, K.Jansen, G.Koutsou, A.V.Aviles Casco, arXiv:1812.10311]
- one ensemble $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ twisted mass with $m_\pi = 130$ MeV
- two ensembles $N_f = 2$ twisted mass with $m_\pi = 130$ MeV and two volumes $Lm_\pi \sim 3$ and $Lm_\pi \sim 4$
- unprecedented precision of disconnected diagram contributions
 - hierarchical probing
 - low mode deflation
 - large numbers of smeared point sources to reduce gauge noise
- disconnected diagrams have nonnegligible effects
- thorough investigation of excited-state contamination
- further study of finite-volume effects at low Q^2 needed

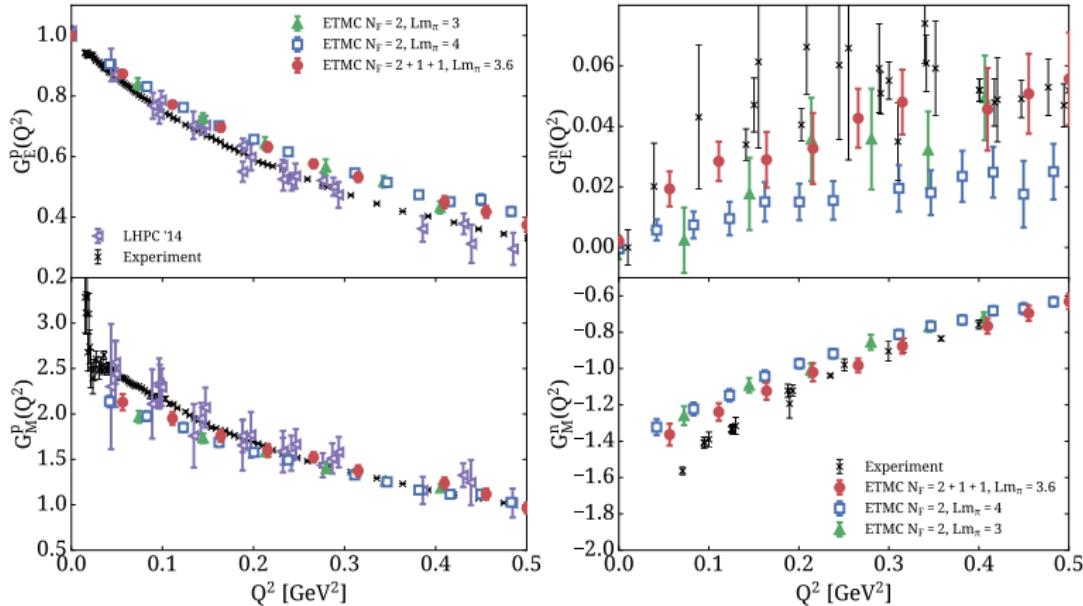
Proton/neutron electromagnetic form factors (con't)

- comparison of $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ results to experiment



Proton/neutron electromagnetic form factors (con't)

- comparing $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ and $N_f = 2$ (hollow symbols ignore disconnected)

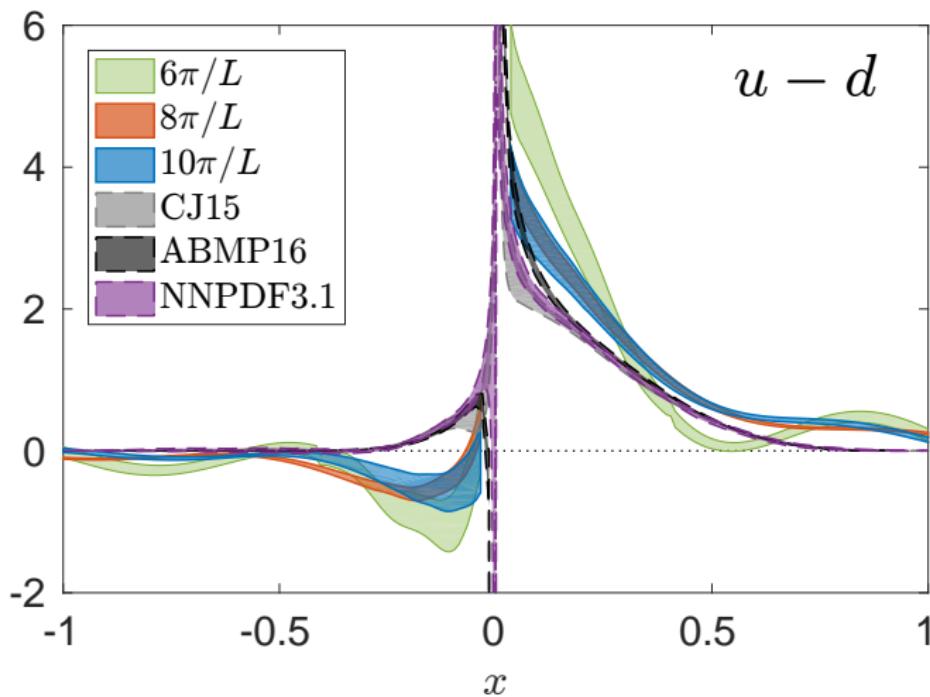


Light-cone parton distribution function

- first determination of unpolarized helicity parton distribution function at the physical point with nonperturbative renormalization and large momenta treated [C.Alexandrou, K.Cichy, M.Constantinou, K.Jansen, A.Scapellato, F.Steffens, PRL 121, 112001 (2018)]
- extracting PDFs from their moments impractical
- used method proposed by Ji [X.Ji, PRL110, 262002 (2013)] with subsequent refinements
 - compute spatial correlations between boosted nucleon states
 - Fourier transforms produce quasi-PDFs
 - take infinite-momentum limit via a refined matching procedure
 - target mass corrections
 - renormalization scheme for Wilson line operators
- one $48^3 \times 96$ twisted mass $N_f = 2$ ensemble $a = 0.0938(3)(2)$ fm and $m_\pi L = 2.98(1)$ at physical point

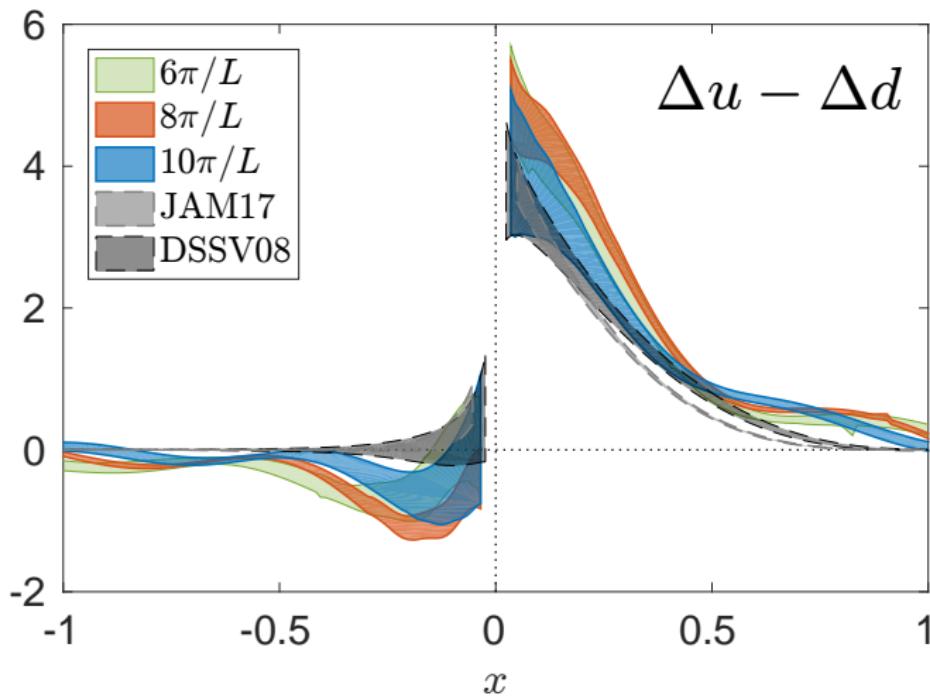
Light-cone parton distribution function (con't)

- unpolarized PDFs for three momenta compared to some phenomenological curves



Light-cone parton distribution function (con't)

- polarized PDFs for three momenta compared to some phenomenological curves



Excited states from correlation matrices

- in finite volume, energies are discrete (neglect wrap-around)

$$C_{ij}(t) = \sum_n Z_i^{(n)} Z_j^{(n)*} e^{-E_n t}, \quad Z_j^{(n)} = \langle 0 | O_j | n \rangle$$

- not practical to do fits using above form
- define new correlation matrix $\tilde{C}(t)$ using a single rotation

$$\tilde{C}(t) = U^\dagger C(\tau_0)^{-1/2} C(t) C(\tau_0)^{-1/2} U$$

- columns of U are eigenvectors of $C(\tau_0)^{-1/2} C(\tau_D) C(\tau_0)^{-1/2}$
- choose τ_0 and τ_D large enough so $\tilde{C}(t)$ diagonal for $t > \tau_D$
- effective energies

$$\tilde{m}_\alpha^{\text{eff}}(t) = \frac{1}{\Delta t} \ln \left(\frac{\tilde{C}_{\alpha\alpha}(t)}{\tilde{C}_{\alpha\alpha}(t + \Delta t)} \right)$$

tend to N lowest-lying stationary state energies in a channel

- 2-exponential fits to $\tilde{C}_{\alpha\alpha}(t)$ yield energies E_α and overlaps $Z_j^{(n)}$

Two-hadron operators

- our approach: superposition of products of single-hadron operators of definite momenta

$$c_{\mathbf{p}_a \lambda_a; \mathbf{p}_b \lambda_b}^{I_{3a} I_{3b}} B_{\mathbf{p}_a \Lambda_a \lambda_a i_a}^{I_a I_{3a} S_a} B_{\mathbf{p}_b \Lambda_b \lambda_b i_b}^{I_b I_{3b} S_b}$$

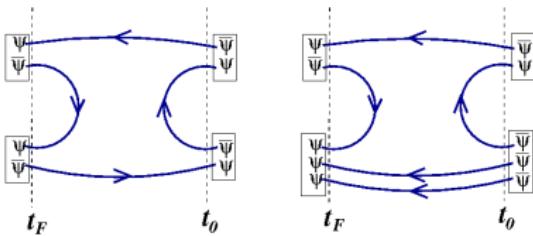
- fixed total momentum $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{p}_a + \mathbf{p}_b$, fixed $\Lambda_a, i_a, \Lambda_b, i_b$
- group-theory projections onto little group of \mathbf{p} and isospin irreps
- crucial to know and fix all phases of single-hadron operators for all momenta
 - each class, choose **reference** direction \mathbf{p}_{ref}
 - each \mathbf{p} , select one **reference** rotation $R_{\text{ref}}^{\mathbf{p}}$ that transforms \mathbf{p}_{ref} into \mathbf{p}
- efficient creating large numbers of two-hadron operators
- generalizes to three, four, ... hadron operators

Quark propagation

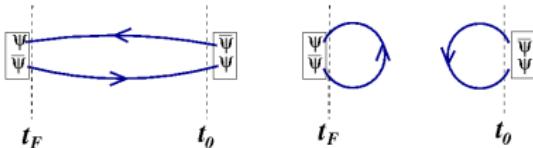
- quark propagator is inverse K^{-1} of Dirac matrix
 - rows/columns involve lattice site, spin, color
 - very large $N_{\text{tot}} \times N_{\text{tot}}$ matrix for each flavor
- $$N_{\text{tot}} = N_{\text{site}} N_{\text{spin}} N_{\text{color}}$$
- for $64^3 \times 128$ lattice, $N_{\text{tot}} \sim 403$ million
- not feasible to compute (or store) all elements of K^{-1}
- solve linear systems $Kx = y$ for source vectors y
- translation invariance can drastically reduce number of source vectors y needed
- multi-hadron operators and isoscalar mesons require large number of source vectors y

Quark line diagrams

- temporal correlations involving our two-hadron operators need
 - slice-to-slice quark lines (from all spatial sites on a time slice to all spatial sites on another time slice)
 - sink-to-sink quark lines



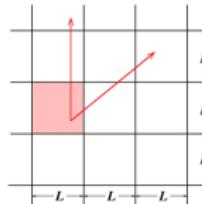
- isoscalar mesons also require sink-to-sink quark lines



- solution: the stochastic LapH method! [CM et al., PRD83, 114505 (2011)]

Quantum numbers in toroidal box

- periodic boundary conditions in cubic box
 - not all directions equivalent \Rightarrow using J^{PC} is wrong!!
- label stationary states of QCD in a periodic box using irreps of cubic space group **even in continuum limit**
 - zero momentum states: little group O_h
 $A_{1a}, A_{2ga}, E_a, T_{1a}, T_{2a}, \quad G_{1a}, G_{2a}, H_a, \quad a = g, u$
 - on-axis momenta: little group C_{4v}
 $A_1, A_2, B_1, B_2, E, \quad G_1, G_2$
 - planar-diagonal momenta: little group C_{2v}
 $A_1, A_2, B_1, B_2, \quad G_1, G_2$
 - cubic-diagonal momenta: little group C_{3v}
 $A_1, A_2, E, \quad F_1, F_2, G$
- include G parity in some meson sectors (superscript + or -)



Spin content of cubic box irreps

- numbers of occurrences of Λ irreps in J subduced

J	A_1	A_2	E	T_1	T_2
0	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	0	0	1	0
2	0	0	1	0	1
3	0	1	0	1	1
4	1	0	1	1	1
5	0	0	1	2	1
6	1	1	1	1	2
7	0	1	1	2	2

J	G_1	G_2	H	J	G_1	G_2	H
$\frac{1}{2}$	1	0	0	$\frac{9}{2}$	1	0	2
$\frac{3}{2}$	0	0	1	$\frac{11}{2}$	1	1	2
$\frac{5}{2}$	0	1	1	$\frac{13}{2}$	1	2	2
$\frac{7}{2}$	1	1	1	$\frac{15}{2}$	1	1	3

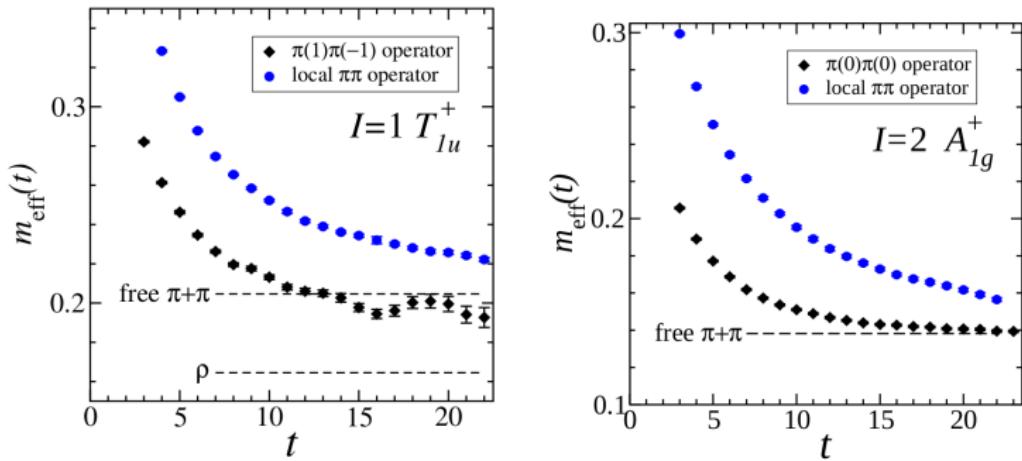
Common hadrons

- irreps of commonly-known hadrons at rest

Hadron	Irrep	Hadron	Irrep	Hadron	Irrep
π	A_{1u}^-	K	A_{1u}	η, η'	A_{1u}^+
ρ	T_{1u}^+	ω, ϕ	T_{1u}^-	K^*	T_{1u}
a_0	A_{1g}^+	f_0	A_{1g}^+	h_1	T_{1g}^-
b_1	T_{1g}^+	K_1	T_{1g}	π_1	T_{1u}^-
N, Σ	G_{1g}	Λ, Ξ	G_{1g}	Δ, Ω	H_g

Local multi-hadron operators

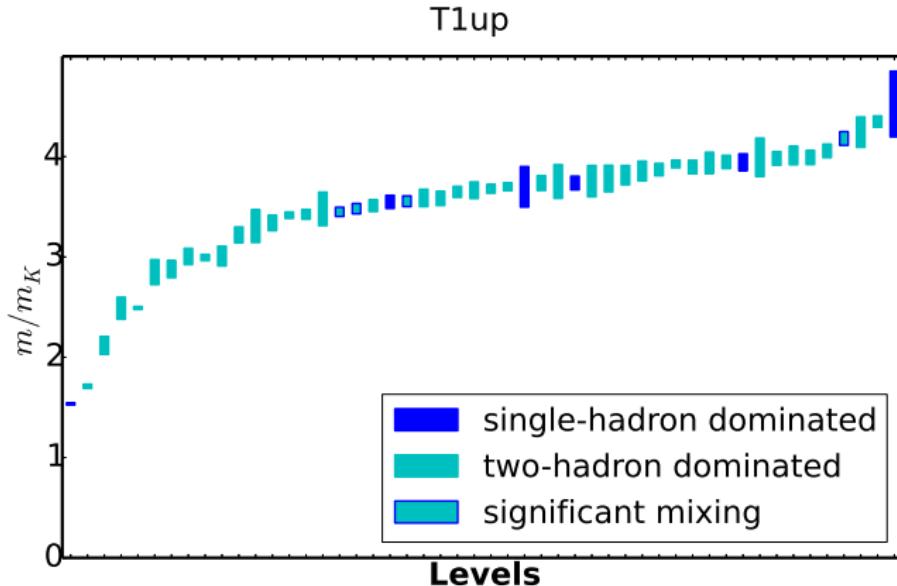
- comparison of $\pi(\mathbf{k})\pi(-\mathbf{k})$ and localized $\sum_{\mathbf{x}} \pi(\mathbf{x})\pi(\mathbf{x})$ operators



- much more contamination from higher states with local multi-hadron operators

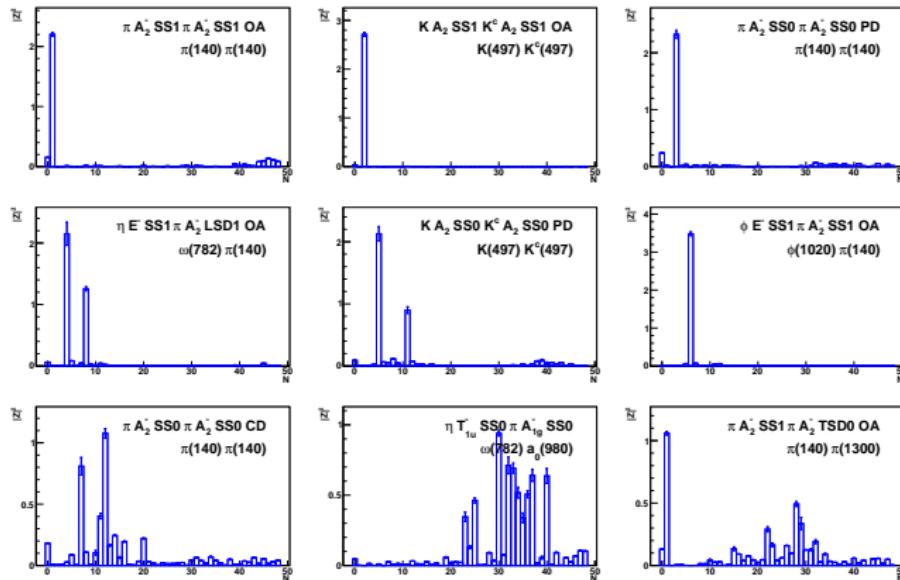
The challenge of excited states

- stationary state energies $I = 1, S = 0, T_{1u}^+$ channel on $(32^3 \times 256)$ anisotropic lattice $m_\pi \sim 240$ MeV



Level identification

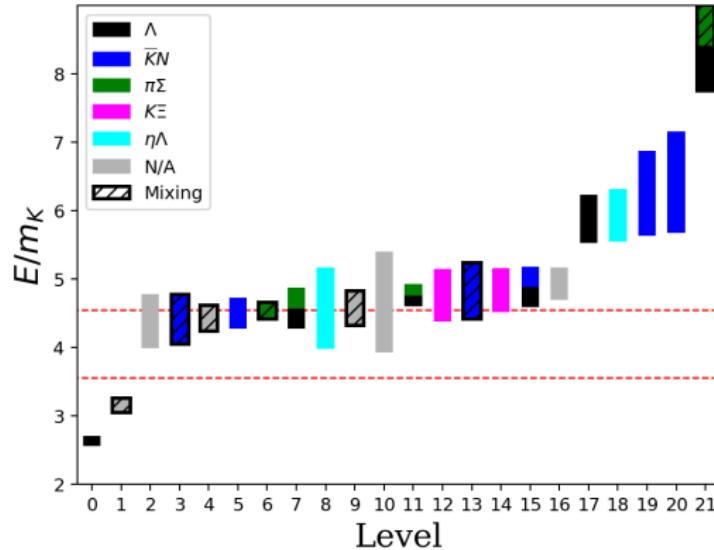
- level identification inferred from $|Z|^2$ overlaps with probe operators
- overlaps for various operators



Staircase of energy levels

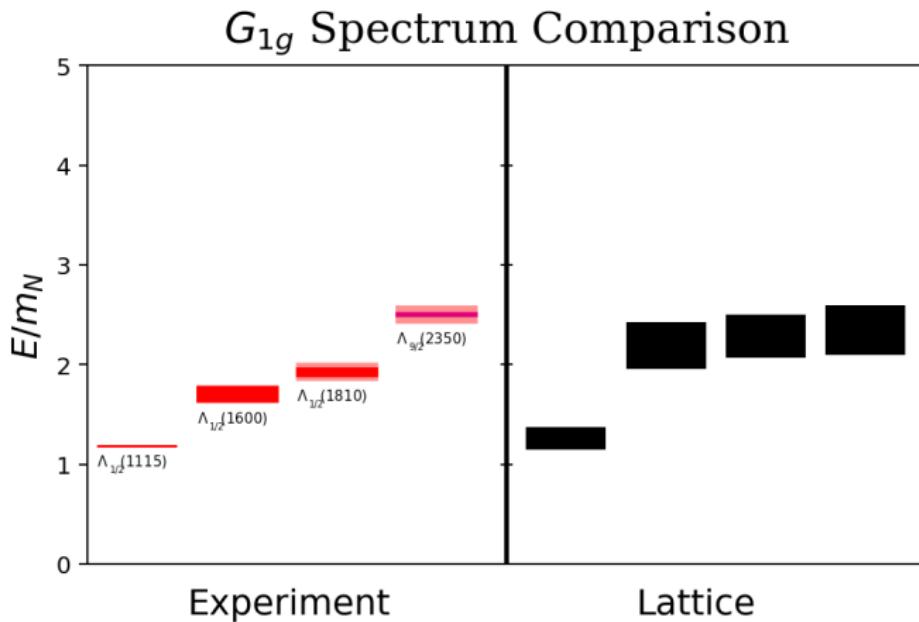
- stationary state energies $I = 0, S = -1, G_{1g}^+$ channel on $(32^3 \times 256)$ anisotropic lattice
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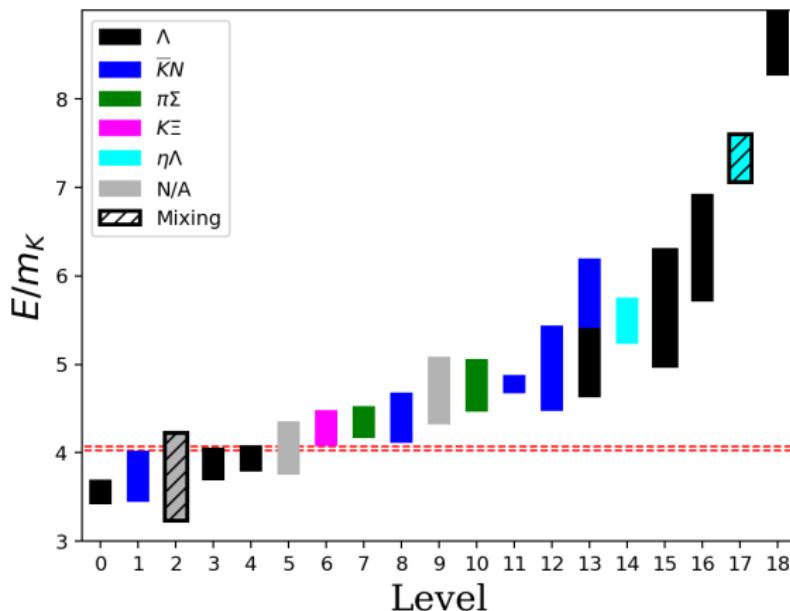
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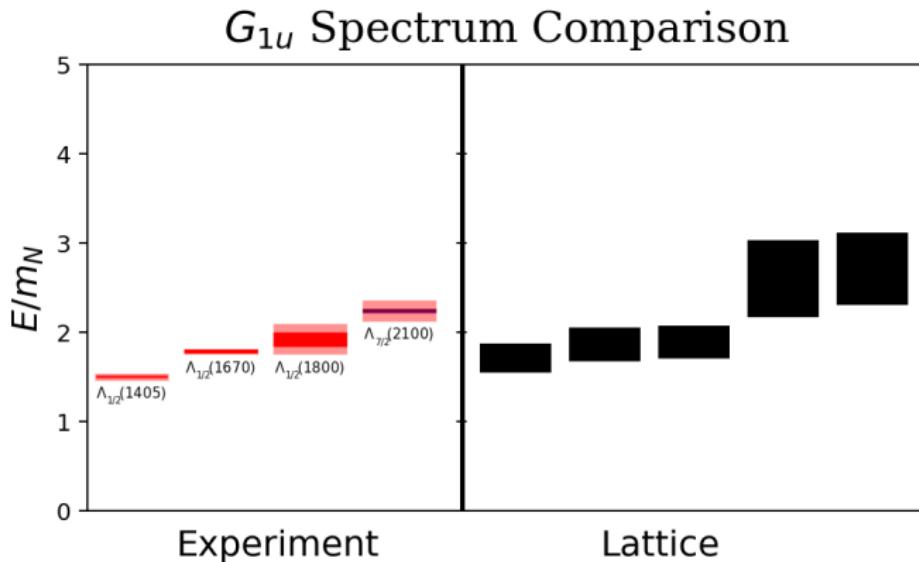
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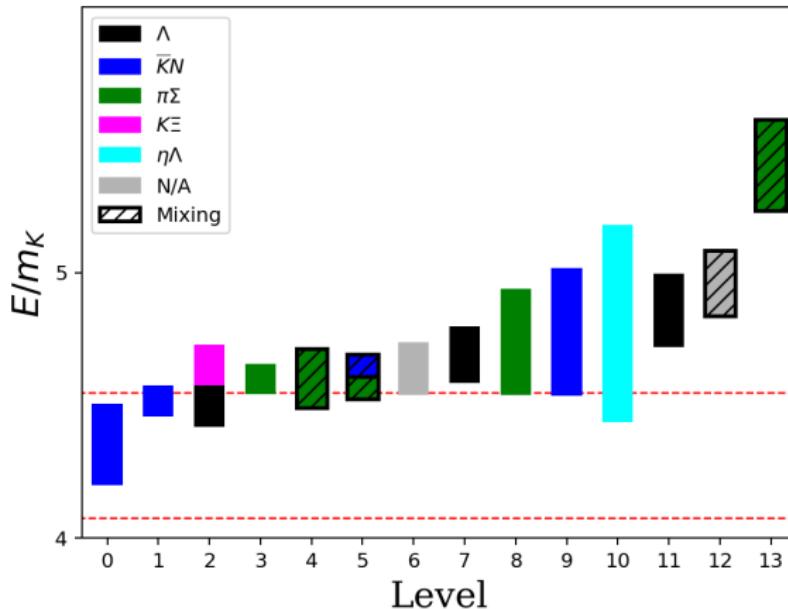
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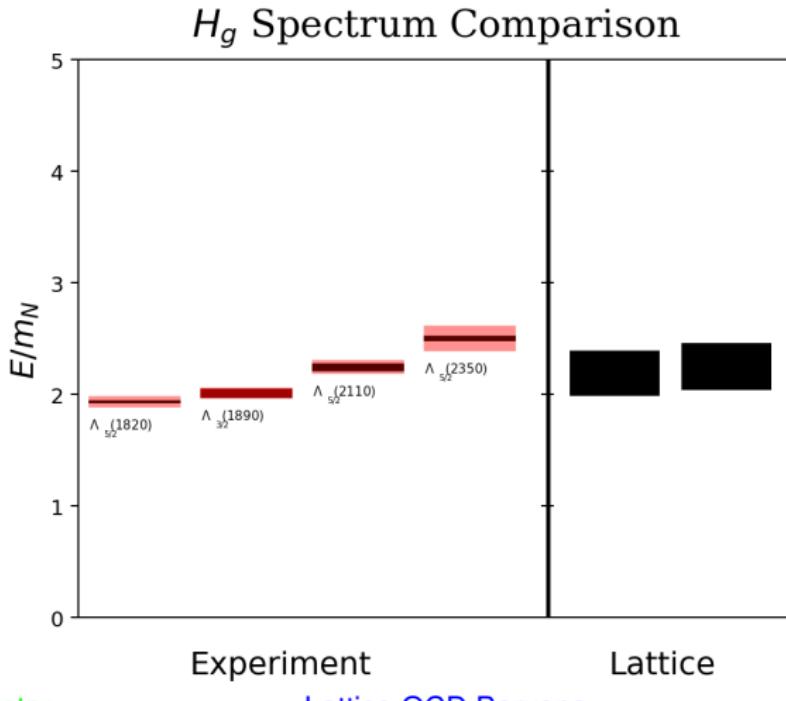
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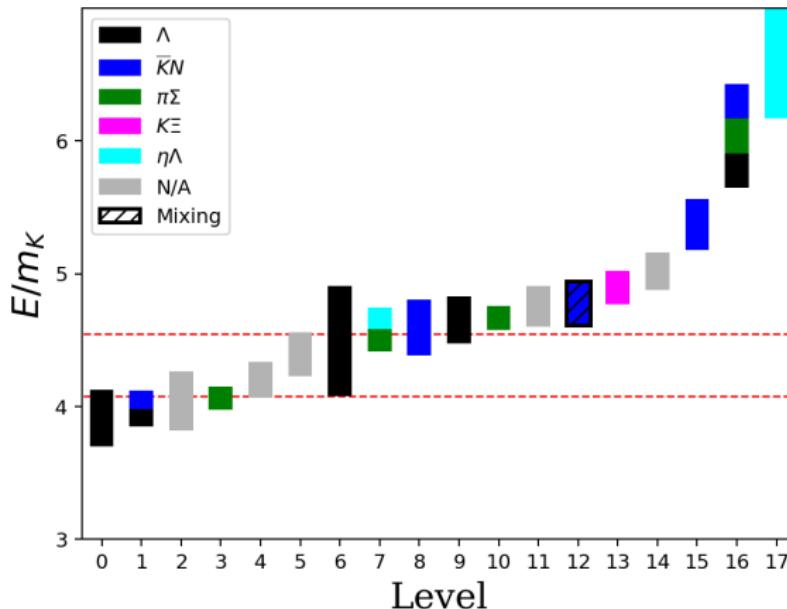
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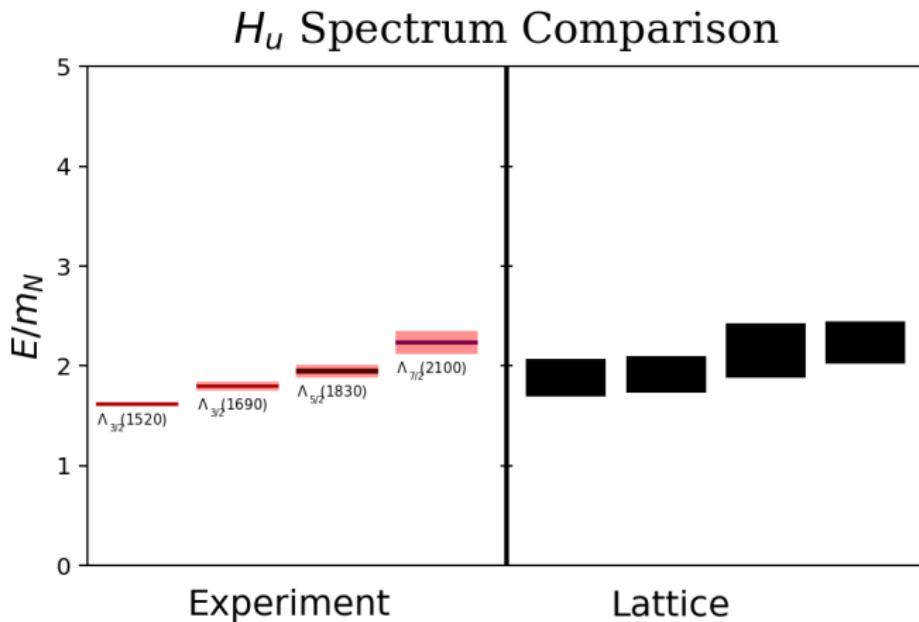
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Scattering amplitudes from lattice QCD

- finite-volume energies E related to infinite-volume S matrix

[M. Lüscher, NPB354, 531 (1991)]

- introduce K -matrix (Wigner 1946)

$$S = (1 + iK)(1 - iK)^{-1} = (1 - iK)^{-1}(1 + iK)$$

- $JLSa$ basis: total ang mom J , orbital L , spin S , species channel a
- introduce

$$K_{L'S'a'; LSa}^{-1}(E) = q_{\text{cm},a'}^{-L' - \frac{1}{2}} \tilde{K}_{L'S'a'; LSa}^{-1}(E_{\text{cm}}) q_{\text{cm},a}^{-L - \frac{1}{2}}$$

- below 3-particle thresholds, quantization condition is

$$\det(1 - B^{(\mathbf{P})}\tilde{K}) = \det(1 - \tilde{K}B^{(\mathbf{P})}) = 0$$

- or

$$\det(\tilde{K}^{-1} - B^{(\mathbf{P})}) = 0$$

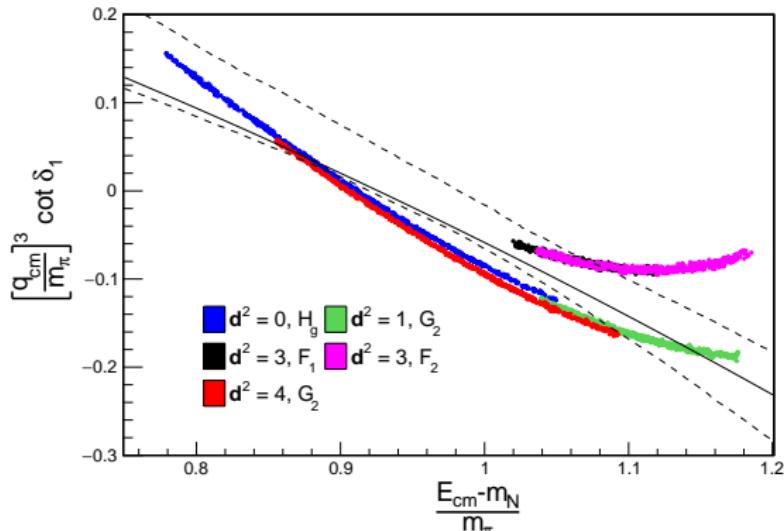
- Hermitian “box matrix” $B^{(\mathbf{P})}$ encodes effects of cubic finite-volume

Scattering amplitudes from lattice QCD (con't)

- quantization condition relates single energy E to entire K -matrix
- cannot solve for K -matrix (except single channel, single wave)
- approximate K -matrix with functions depending on handful of fit parameters
- obtain estimates of fit parameters using many energies
- quantization condition involves infinite-dimensional determinant
 - make practical by (a) transforming to a block-diagonal basis and (b) truncating in orbital angular momentum
- meson-meson scattering becoming mature
- only a few meson-baryon scattering attempts
- baryon-baryon scattering currently gestating

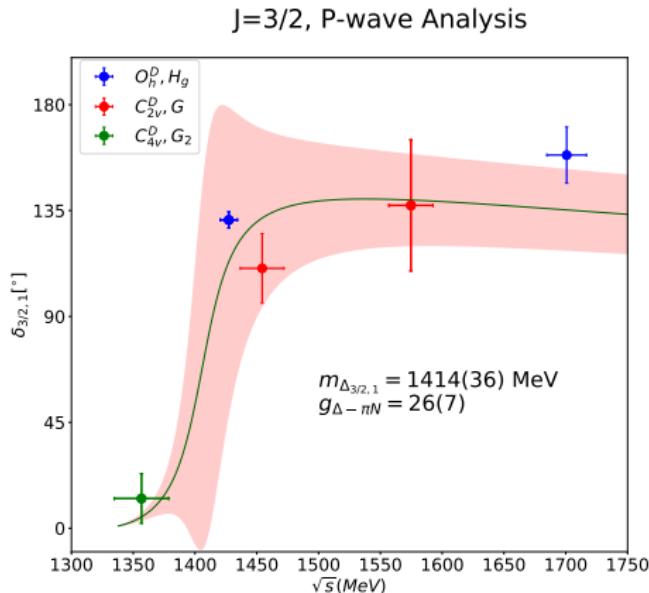
Decay of Δ

- recent study of $\Delta(1232) \rightarrow N\pi$ amplitude
[C.W.Andersen, J.Bulava, B.Hörz, CM, PRD **97**, 014506 (2018)]
- included $L = 1$ wave only (for now)
- large $48^3 \times 128$ isotropic lattice, $m_\pi \approx 280$ MeV, $a \sim 0.076$ fm
- Breit-Wigner fit gives $m_\Delta/m_\pi = 4.738(47)$ and $g_{\Delta N\pi} = 19.0(4.7)$ in agreement with experiment ~ 16.9



Another recent Δ study

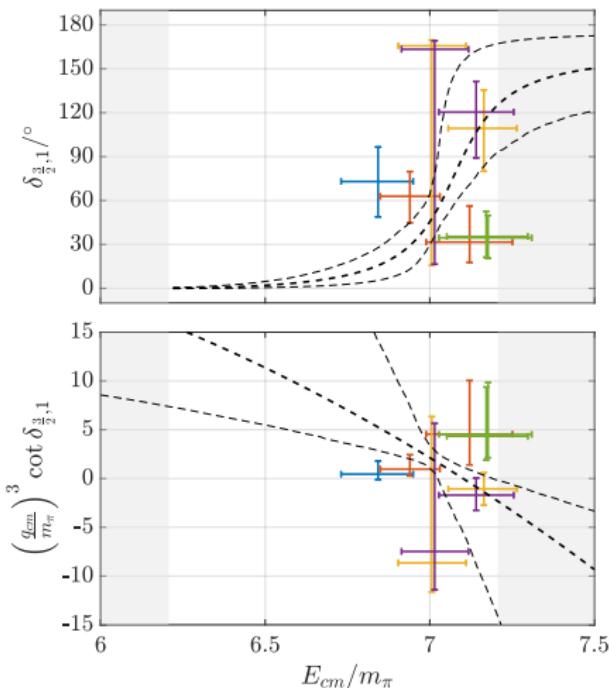
- Preliminary results $L = 2.8$ fm, $a = 0.116$ fm, $m_\pi = 260$ MeV
[S.Paul, G.Silvi, C.Alexandrou, G.Koutsou, S.Krieg, L.Leskovec, S.Meinel, J.Negele, M.Petschlies, A.Pochinsky, G.Rendon, S.Syritsyn, Lattice 2018]



- no slice-to-slice propagators
- three total momenta
- ground and excited states
- single partial wave

Our Δ study in progress

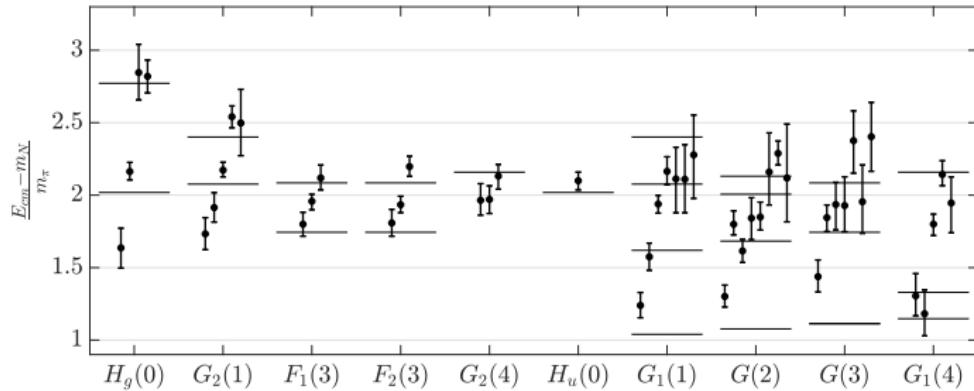
- Preliminary results $L = 4.2$ fm, $a = 0.065$ fm, $m_\pi = 200$ MeV
[C.Andersen, B.Hörz, J.Bulava, CM, in prep.]



- five total momenta
- ground and excited states
- preliminary statistics: expect 6 times smaller errors
- light pion mass → small elastic region

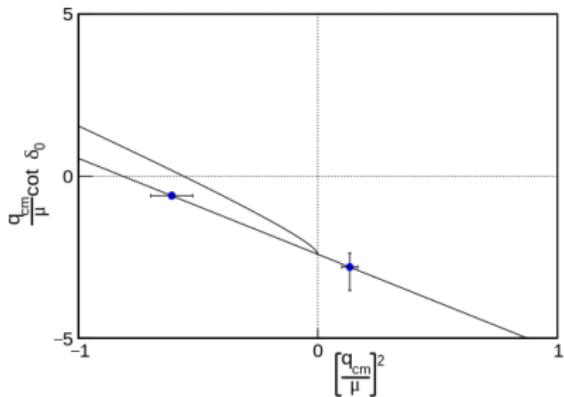
Our Δ study in progress (con't)

- fits include irreps which mix S and P waves
- relies on automated determination of B -matrix elements
[CM et al., NPB924, 477 (2017)]
- finite-volume spectrum:



$\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma\pi$ study in progress

- Preliminary results $L = 3.2$ fm, $a = 0.065$ fm, $m_\pi = 280$ MeV
[B.Hörz, C.Andersen, J.Bulava, M.Hansen, D.Möhler, CM, H.Wittig, in prep.]



- $G_{1u}(0)$ below inelastic threshold only

- fit form

$$\frac{q}{\mu} \cot \delta_0 = \frac{1}{a_0 \mu} + \frac{\mu r}{2} \left(\frac{q}{\mu} \right)^2$$

- best fit:

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{m_R}{\mu} &= 6.143(77), & \frac{1}{a_0 \mu} &= -2.41(57), & \frac{\mu r}{2} &= -2.9(1.1), \\ m_R &= 1399(24) \text{ MeV}\end{aligned}$$

Time-like pion form factor (warm up for Δ)

- recent determination of time-like pion form factor

[C.Andersen, J.Bulava, B.Hörz, CM, NPB939, 145 (2019)]

- extracted using

$$|F_\pi(E_{\text{cm}})|^2 = g_\Lambda(\gamma) \left(q_{\text{cm}} \frac{\partial \delta_1}{\partial q_{\text{cm}}} + u \frac{\partial \phi_1^{(d,\Lambda)}}{\partial u} \right) \frac{3\pi E_{\text{cm}}^2}{2q_{\text{cm}}^5 L^3} |\langle 0 | V^{(d,\Lambda)} | d \Lambda n \rangle|^2$$

where

$$\gamma = \frac{E}{E_{\text{cm}}}, \quad u = \frac{L q_{\text{cm}}}{2\pi}, \quad g_\Lambda(\gamma) = \begin{cases} \gamma^{-1}, & \Lambda = A_1^+ \\ \gamma, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and δ_1 is the physical phase shift, and

$B_{11}^{(d,\Lambda)} = (q_{\text{cm}}/m_\pi)^3 \cot \phi_1^{(d,\Lambda)}$ gives the pseudophase $\phi_1^{(d,\Lambda)}$

- we compute the matrix element

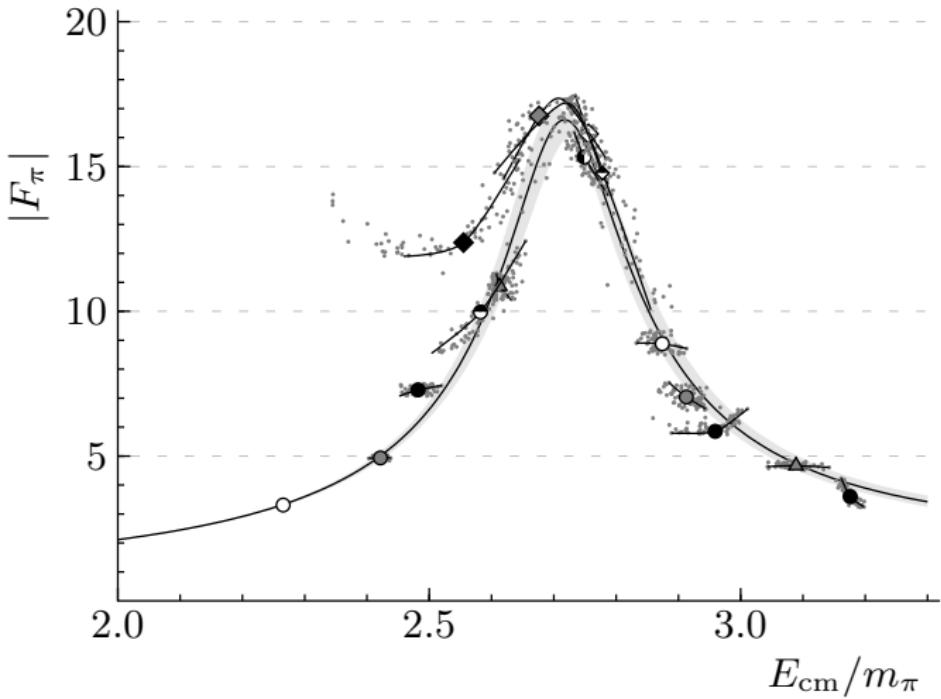
$$V^{(d,\Lambda)} = \sum_\mu b_\mu^{(d,\Lambda)} V_{R,\mu}, \quad \sum_\mu b_\mu^{(d,\Lambda)*} b_\mu^{(d,\Lambda)} = 1,$$

$$V_{R,\mu} = Z_V (1 + ab_V m_1 + a\bar{b}_V \text{Tr} M_q) V_{I,\mu}, \quad V_{I,\mu} = V_\mu + ac_V \tilde{\partial}_\nu T_{\mu\nu},$$

$$V_\mu^a = \frac{1}{2} \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu \tau^a \psi, \quad \tilde{\partial}_\nu T_{\mu\nu}^a = \frac{1}{2} i \tilde{\partial}_\nu \bar{\psi} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \tau^a \psi$$

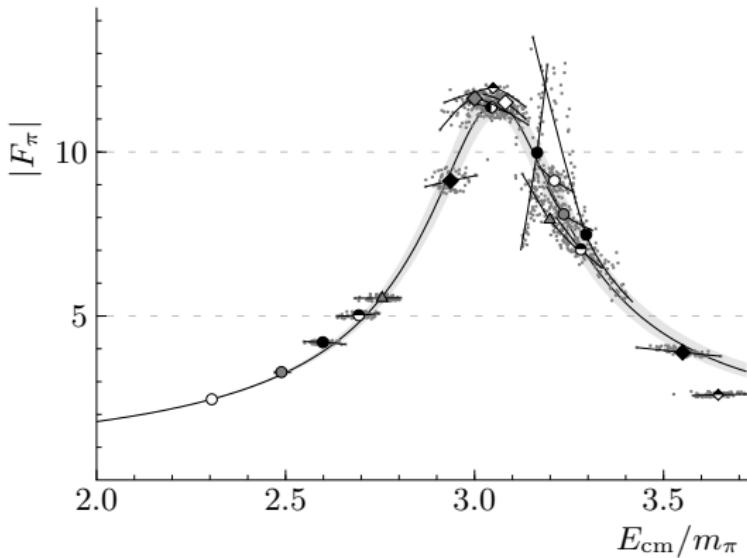
Time-like pion form factor results

- results for CLS N200 ensemble $48^3 \times 128$ with $a = 0.064 \text{ fm}$ and $m_\pi = 280 \text{ MeV}$ (curve is fit with thrice-subtracted dispersion)



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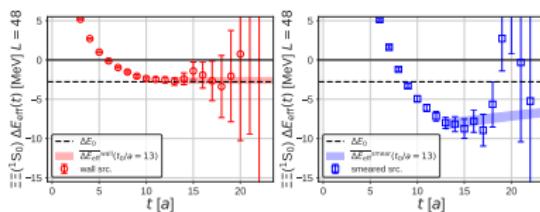
- results for CLS J303 ensemble $64^3 \times 192$ with $a = 0.050$ fm and $m_\pi = 260$ MeV (curve is fit with thrice-subtracted dispersion)



- similar method is now being used for Δ transition form factor needed by Deep Underground Neutrino Experiment

Baryon-baryon interactions in HAL QCD method

- HAL QCD collaboration has extensively studied NN interactions
- their method extracts observables from non-local kernels associated with tempo-spatial correlation functions
- controversy: disagreements with direct method
- recent study shows discrepancy is from misidentification of energies in direct method
[T.Iritani, S.Aoki, T.Doi, T.Hatsuda, Y.Ikeda, T.Inoue, N.Ishii, H.Nemura, K.Sasaki, JHEP03, 007 (2019)]
- used the $\Xi\Xi(^1S_0)$ temporal correlation functions



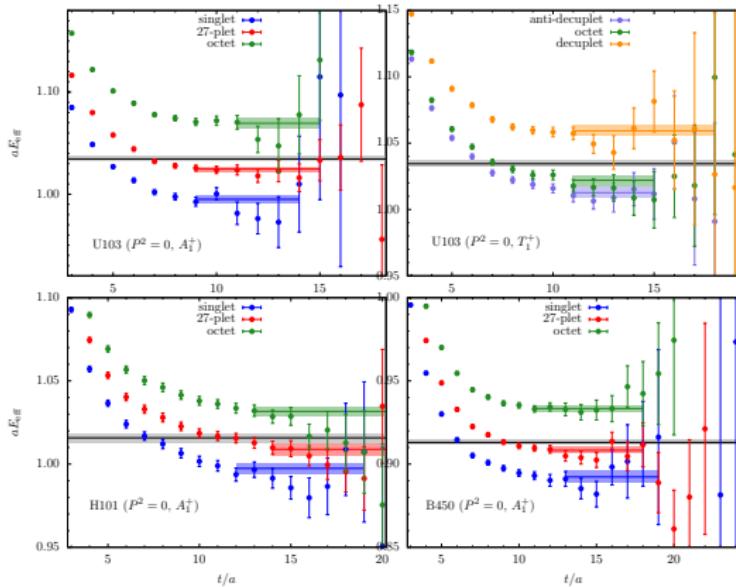
- accelerate progress in baryon-baryon scattering with this resolution

Recent H -dibaryon study

- recent report on ongoing study of the H -dibaryon [A.Hanlon, A.Francis, J.Green, P.Junnarkar, H.Wittig, arXiv:1810.13282]
- obtained results at the $SU(3)$ flavor symmetric point
- used baryon-baryon operators since previous study showed hexaquark operators would not saturate signal
- found several finite-volume energies below $\Lambda\Lambda$ threshold
- scattering amplitude analysis needed to determine if bound/resonance
- warm up exercise (small lattices, pion much too heavy)
- future work on larger lattices and lighter pions will involve stochastic LapH method

Recent H -dibaryon study (con't)

- effective masses for spin-0 and spin-1 operators of different flavor irreps using 3 ensembles
- horizontal black lines show two-octet baryon threshold



Conclusion

- recent highlights involving baryons in lattice QCD
 - proton mass decomposition
 - nucleon spin decomposition
 - percent level determination of nucleon axial coupling
 - proton and neutron electromagnetic form factors
 - parton distribution function
 - scattering amplitudes
 - baryon-baryon interactions with HAL QCD method
 - H -dibaryon warm up
- key progress
 - achieving much better precision with disconnected diagrams
 - ability to include multi-hadron operators
 - more and more studies being done at physical point
- excited-baryon resonances in near future