# Hadron Resonances and Decays from the Lattice

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#### The Task

- Apart from the nucleon, hadrons of most phenomenological interest are resonances
- Resonance states cannot be identified with a single energy eigenstate of the lattice Hamiltonian

• The method of choice is to compute masses and widths from the volume dependence of the energy levels

 $\Delta \to N\pi$ 

Lüscher, Wiese

#### Scalar Nonet

 $\kappa^{0}(660)$   $\kappa^{+}(660)$ 

 $a_0^{-}(980) = a_0^{-}(980) = a_0^{+}(980) = a_0^{+}(980)$ 

 $\kappa^{-}(660)$   $\bar{\kappa}^{0}(660)$ 

- Does not fit a  $q\bar{q}$  description, but seems to have a significant  $qq\bar{q}\bar{q}$  (tetraquark ?) component 't Hooft et al.
- Instead, a heavier nonet above 1 GeV appears to be largely  $q\bar{q}$
- Scalar mesons are especially important to understand because they have the same quantum numbers as the vacuum, and therefore, they can condense into the vacuum and break global symmetries such as chiral  $U(N_f) \times U(N_f)$ . The details of how this symmetry breaking is implemented in Nature is one of the most profound problems in particle physics.

### Decays



$$C = \begin{pmatrix} [q\bar{q}] [q\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q}] [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q}] [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] \\ [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}] \\ [q\bar{q} \bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}] \\ [q\bar{q} \bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}] [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}] & [q\bar{q} \bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q}] \\ \end{bmatrix} \end{pmatrix}$$

Mixing with glueballs can be neglected

### Excited Baryons



#### Bulava et al.

- The N(1440), or Roper resonance, is a subject of extensive interest because of its surprisingly low mass
- In constituent quark models the lowest-lying negative parity state  $N^*$  occurs below the Roper, whereas in Nature the  $N^*(1535)$  is almost 100 MeV above the Roper resonance
- This phenomenon has led to wide speculation on the possible exotic nature of the Roper resonance

### Dynamical Origin of Roper



Suzuki et al.

### Lattice

• Finite volume  $V = L^3 \times T$  with periodic bc:

$$p = rac{2\pi |\mathbf{n}|}{L}, \quad \mathbf{n} \in \mathbb{N}^3$$
 $O(4) \to H(4)$ 

- Need small quark masses so that  $\sigma(440), \kappa(660), \rho(770), \Delta(1232), \cdots$  resonances can decay
- Quark masses need to be tuned carefully



QCDSF: 
$$m_u + m_d + m_s =$$
 fixed

This Talk





Benchmark Calculation

## Action

 $S = S_G + S_F$ 

$$S_G = \beta \sum_{x,\mu < \nu} \left( 1 - \frac{1}{3} \operatorname{Re} \operatorname{Tr} U_{\mu\nu}(x) \right)$$

$$S_{F} = \sum_{x} \left\{ \bar{\psi}(x)\psi(x) - \kappa \,\bar{\psi}(x)U_{\mu}^{\dagger}(x-\hat{\mu})[1+\gamma_{\mu}]\psi(x-\hat{\mu}) - \kappa \,\bar{\psi}(x)U_{\mu}(x)[1-\gamma_{\mu}]\psi(x+\hat{\mu}) - \frac{1}{2}\kappa \,c_{SW} \,g \,\bar{\psi}(x)\sigma_{\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}(x)\psi(x) \right\}$$

**Clover Fermions** 

$$N_f = 2$$

### Acceptable Volumes



 $\delta$  Regime

### $m_{\pi}L \ll 1 , \ L \ll T$

$$m_{\pi}^{\rm res} = \frac{3}{2F_{\pi}^2 L^3 (1+\Delta)}$$

with

$$\Delta = \frac{2}{F_{\pi}^2 L^2} 0.2257849591 + \frac{1}{F_{\pi}^4 L^4} \left[ 0.088431628 - \frac{0.8375369106}{3\pi^2} \left( \frac{1}{4} \ln \left( \Lambda_1 L \right)^2 + \ln \left( \Lambda_2 L \right)^2 \right) \right]$$

Leutwyler, Niedermayer & Hasenfratz

# **Residual Mass**



$$F_0 = F_{\pi}|_{m\pi=0} = 78^{+14}_{-10} \,\mathrm{MeV}$$

## Landscape



### Scale



#### Resonances on the Lattice

Continuum

T = K + K G T $t_l = k_l + k_l ip t_l$ 

 $\det \left[ \tan \delta_l - p \, k_l \right] = 0$ 

#### Euclidean lattice



### Energy Levels

Correlation matrix

$$C_{ij}(t) = \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i \mathcal{O}_j^{\dagger} | 0 \rangle = \sum_k \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i | k \rangle \langle k | \mathcal{O}_j^{\dagger} | 0 \rangle e^{-tW_k}, \quad \mathcal{O} = q\Gamma \bar{q}, \ q\Gamma \bar{q} q\Gamma \bar{q}, \cdots$$

Energies  $W_k$  are obtained from generalized eigenvalue equation

$$C_{ij}(t) v_j = \lambda(t, t_0) C(t_0)_{ij} v_j$$

with eigenvalues

$$\lambda_k(t, t_0) = e^{-(t-t_0)W_k} \left( 1 + O(e^{-(t-t_0)\Delta W_k}) \right)$$

Lüscher & Wolff



Rho

$$W = \sqrt{\mathbf{P}^2 + E^2} \qquad \mathbf{P} = \frac{2\pi}{L} \mathbf{d}, \quad \mathbf{d} \in \mathbb{Z}^3$$
$$E = 2\sqrt{k^2 + m_\pi^2}$$

Consider most general case

$$\mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{d} = d \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{d} = \frac{d}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{d} = \frac{d}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Lüscher
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Gottlieb & Rummukainen

For general partial waves l

$$M_{lm,l'm'}^{\mathbf{d}}(q) = \gamma^{-1} \frac{(-1)^{l}}{\pi^{3/2}} \sum_{j=|l-l'|}^{l+l'} \sum_{s=-j}^{j} \frac{i^{j}}{q^{j+1}} \mathcal{Z}_{js}^{\mathbf{d}}(1;q^{2})^{*} C_{lm,js,l'm'} \qquad q = \frac{kL}{2\pi}, \quad \gamma = \frac{W}{E}$$

Phase

 $\det \left[ \tan \delta_{lI} M - 1 \right] = 0$ 

#### Notation

$$w_{lm} = \gamma^{-1} rac{\pi^{-3/2}}{\sqrt{2l+1}q^{l+1}} \mathcal{Z}^{\mathbf{d}}_{lm}(1;q^2)^*$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Z}_{lm}^{\mathbf{d}}(s;q^2) &= \sum_{\mathbf{r}\in P_{\mathbf{d}}} \frac{\mathcal{Y}_{lm}(\mathbf{r})}{(\mathbf{r}^2 - q^2)^s} \quad s \to 1 \\ P_{\mathbf{d}} &= \left\{ \mathbf{r} \big| \mathbf{r} = \left(\frac{1}{\gamma} - 1\right) \frac{\mathbf{nd}}{d^2} \mathbf{d} + \frac{1}{2\gamma} \mathbf{d} + \mathbf{n}, \mathbf{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^3 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

 $\mathbf{d}/|\mathbf{d}|$ 

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\0\\0 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} w_{00} & 0 & 0\\0 & w_{00} & 0\\0 & 0 & w_{00} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0\\0\\1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} w_{00} - w_{20} & 0 & 0\\0 & w_{00} + 2w_{20} & 0\\0 & 0 & w_{00} - w_{20} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\1\\0 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} w_{00} - w_{20} & 0 & \sqrt{6}w_{22}\\0 & w_{00} + 2w_{20} & 0\\-\sqrt{6}w_{22} & 0 & w_{00} - w_{20} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1\\1\\1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} w_{00} & \sqrt{6}w_{22}e^{-i\pi/4} & \sqrt{6}w_{22}\\-\sqrt{6}w_{22}e^{i\pi/4} & w_{00} & -\sqrt{6}w_{22}e^{-i\pi/4}\\-\sqrt{6}w_{22} & \sqrt{6}w_{22}e^{i\pi/4} & w_{00} \end{pmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{d}/ \mathbf{d} $	H(4)	Spin	$\cot \delta_{11}$
$\left(\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 0\end{array}\right)$	$A_1^+$		$w_{00}$
$\left(\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 0\\ 1\end{array}\right)$	$E^-$ $A_2^-$	 	$w_{00}+2w_{20} \ w_{00}-w_{20}$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \begin{array}{c} 1\\ 1\\ 0 \end{array} \right)$	$egin{array}{c} B_2^+ \ B_1^+ \ E^+ \end{array}$		$egin{aligned} &w_{00}-w_{20}+i\sqrt{6}w_{22}\ &w_{00}-w_{20}-i\sqrt{6}w_{22}\ &w_{00}+2w_{20} \end{aligned}$
$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left( \begin{array}{c} 1\\ 1\\ 1 \end{array} \right)$	$egin{array}{c} B_1^- \ B_2^- \end{array}$		$w_{00}+2i\sqrt{6}w_{22}\ w_{00}-i\sqrt{6}w_{22}$

## Hypothetical Energy Levels

Effective range formula

$$\frac{k^3}{E} \cot \delta_{11}(k) = \frac{24\pi}{g_{\rho\pi\pi}^2} \left(k_{\rho}^2 - k^2\right) \qquad E = 2\sqrt{k^2 + m_{\pi}^2}, \quad k_{\rho} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{m_{\rho}^2 - 4m_{\pi}^2}$$
$$\Gamma_{\rho} = \frac{g_{\rho\pi\pi}^2}{6\pi} \frac{k_{\rho}^3}{m_{\rho}^2} \qquad \text{Experimentally:} \quad \Gamma_{\rho} = 146 \,\text{MeV} \implies g_{\rho\pi\pi} = 5.9$$

Free case

Interacting case

e 
$$\vec{P} = 0$$

$$k = \frac{2\pi |\vec{n}|}{L} , \quad \vec{n} \in \mathbb{N}^3 \qquad \qquad \delta_{11}(k) = \arctan\left\{\frac{\pi^{3/2}q}{\mathcal{Z}_{00}(1;q^2)}\right\} \ \mathrm{mod} \ \pi \ , \quad q = \frac{kL}{2\pi}$$

Lüscher

 $\frac{E}{m_{\pi}} = 2\sqrt{1 + \frac{(2\pi\vec{n})^2}{(m_{\pi}L)^2}}$ 



Physical  $m_\pi, m_
ho$  and  $\Gamma_
ho$ 



 $\vec{P} \neq 0$ 

Physical  $m_\pi, m_
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ho$ 



## Phases



#### Preliminary

# Width



# Mass



## Delta

Effective range formula

$$\frac{k^3}{E} \cot \delta_{3/21}(k) = \frac{24\pi}{g_{\Delta N\pi}^2} \left( m_{\Delta}^2 - E^2 \right)$$

Here

$$E = \sqrt{k^2 + m_\pi^2} + \sqrt{k^2 + m_N^2}, \quad m_\Delta = \sqrt{k_\Delta^2 + m_\pi^2} + \sqrt{k_\Delta^2 + m_N^2}$$

$$\Gamma_{\Delta} = \frac{g_{\Delta N\pi}^2}{6\pi} \frac{k_{\Delta}^3}{m_{\Delta}^2} \qquad \qquad \text{Experimentally:} \quad \Gamma_{\Delta} = 118 \text{ MeV} \implies \frac{g_{\Delta N\pi}^2}{4\pi} = 14.6$$

Free case

Interacting case 
$$\vec{P} = 0$$

$$k = \frac{2\pi |\vec{n}|}{L} , \quad \vec{n} \in \mathbb{N}^3 \qquad \qquad \delta_{3/2\,1}(k) = \arctan\left\{\frac{\pi^{3/2}q}{\mathcal{Z}_{00}(1;q^2)}\right\} \, \bmod \, \pi \, , \quad q = \frac{kL}{2\pi}$$

Bernard et al.

# Hypothetical Energy Levels



## Phase

#### Very preliminary



### Summary

• Simulations at the physical pion mass with Wilsontype fermions progressing

- Benchmark calculation of  $\rho$  resonance parameters successful
  - Precision of the calculation largely question of statistics
- Calculation of  $\Delta$  resonance parameters will follow shortly

- Improvement of algorithms
- Increase of computing power
- QPACE

Ideal volume:  $m_\pi L = 2-4$  $pprox 3-6 \; {\rm fm}$ 

Lowest energy level E sufficient

• Work on scalar resonances in progress. For N(1440) and  $N^*(1535)$  matching with energy levels computed from HBChPT in finite volume might be advantageous Meißner et al