Nucleon Generalized Form Factors with Domain Wall Fermions on an Asqtad Sea

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- Mixed Action Calculation
- Chiral Extrapolation
- Origin of the Nucleon Spin
- Comparison with Phenomenology
- Summary and Outlook

Physics Motivation

- Generalized parton distributions probe the light cone quark distribution $q(x, r_{\perp})$ as a function of longitudinal momentum fraction x and transverse position r_{\perp}
- Specify total quark contribution to nucleon spin
- Reveal transverse structure of light cone wave function
- Synergy with experiment
 - Experiment measures convolutions of GPD's
 - Lattice measures moments of GPD's

Gauge Invariant Decomposition of Nucleon Spin

X. Ji PRL 78, 610 (1997)

$$J^{i} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{ijk} \int d^{3}x [T^{\alpha\nu}x^{\mu} - T^{\alpha\mu}x^{\nu}] = J^{i}_{q} + J^{i}_{g}$$

$$\vec{J}_{q} = \int d^{3}x \psi^{\dagger} [\vec{\gamma}\gamma_{5} + \vec{x} \times (-i\vec{D})]\psi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} [A_{20}(q^{2} = 0) + B_{20}(q^{2} = 0)]$$

$$\vec{J}_{g} = \int d^{3}x [\vec{x} \times (\vec{E} \times \vec{B})]$$

$$\neq \Delta g$$

- \square A₂₀ and B₂₀ are generalized form factors defined below
- Cannot write Jg as sum of helicity and orbital contributions of local operators

Generalized form factors

$$\mathcal{O}_{q}^{\{\mu_{1}\mu_{2}...\mu_{n}\}} = \overline{\psi}_{q} \gamma^{\{\mu_{1}} i D^{\mu_{2}} ... i D^{\mu_{n}\}} \psi_{q} \qquad \qquad \bar{P} = \frac{1}{2} (P' + P)$$

$$\langle P' | \mathcal{O}^{\mu_1} | P \rangle = \langle \langle \gamma^{\mu_1} \rangle \rangle A_{10}(t) + \frac{i}{2m} \langle \langle \sigma^{\mu_1 \alpha} \rangle \rangle \Delta_{\alpha} B_{10}(t)$$

$$\langle P' | \mathcal{O}^{\{\mu_1 \mu_2\}} | P \rangle = \bar{P}^{\{\mu_1} \langle\!\langle \gamma^{\mu_2\}} \rangle\!\rangle A_{20}(t) + \frac{i}{2m} \bar{P}^{\{\mu_1} \langle\!\langle \sigma^{\mu_2\} \alpha} \rangle\!\rangle \Delta_{\alpha} B_{20}(t) + \frac{1}{m} \Delta^{\{\mu_1} \Delta^{\mu_2\}} C_2(t) ,$$

$$\begin{split} \langle P' | \mathcal{O}^{\{\mu_1 \mu_2 \mu_3\}} | P \rangle &= \bar{P}^{\{\mu_1} \bar{P}^{\mu_2} \langle\!\langle \gamma^{\mu_3} \rangle\!\rangle A_{30}(t) \\ &+ \frac{i}{2m} \bar{P}^{\{\mu_1} \bar{P}^{\mu_2} \langle\!\langle \sigma^{\mu_3} \rangle\!\rangle \Delta_{\alpha} B_{30}(t) \\ &+ \Delta^{\{\mu_1} \Delta^{\mu_2} \langle\!\langle \gamma^{\mu_3} \rangle\!\rangle A_{32}(t) \\ &+ \frac{i}{2m} \Delta^{\{\mu_1} \Delta^{\mu_2} \langle\!\langle \sigma^{\mu_3} \rangle\!\rangle \Delta_{\alpha} B_{32}(t), \end{split}$$

 $\Delta = P' - P$

 $t = \Delta^2$

Limits and Sum Rules

□ Moments of parton distributions $t \rightarrow 0$ $A_{n0} = \int dx x^{n-1} q(x)$

Electromagnetic form factors $A_{10} = F_1(t), \quad B_{10} = F_2(t)$

- Total quark angular momentum $J_q = \frac{1}{2} [A(0)_{20} + B(0)_{20}]$
- Momentum sum rule

$$1 = A_{20,q}(0) + A_{20,g}(0) = \langle x \rangle_q + \langle x \rangle_g$$

Nucleon spin sum rule

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(A_{20,q}(0) + A_{20,g}(0) + B_{20,q}(0) + B_{20,g}(0) \right)$$
$$= \frac{1}{2} \Delta \Sigma_q + L_q + J_g$$

Domain wall quarks on a staggered sea

- $\square \mathcal{O}(a^2)$ Tadpole improved staggered sea quarks (Asqtad)
 - Economical entre to chiral regime
 - **MILC 2+1** flavor lattices with large L, small m_{π} publicly available
- Domain wall valence quarks
 - \Box Chiral symmetry to within controlled m_{res}
 - Avoids operator mixing
 - $\square \mathcal{O}(a^2)$
 - Conserved 5-d axial current facilitates renormalization
- Mixed action ChPT Chen, O'Connell, Walker-Loud, arXiv: 0706.00035
 - One-loop results have continum chiral behavior with low energy constants containing perturbative a-dependent corrections

Statistics for hadron structure

Signal to noise degrades as pion mass decreases

$$\frac{\text{Signal}}{\text{Noise}} = \frac{\langle J(t)J(0)\rangle}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}\sqrt{\langle |J(t)J(0)|^2\rangle - (\langle J(t)J(0)\rangle)^2}}$$
$$\sim \frac{Ae^{-M_N t}}{\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}\sqrt{Be^{-3m_\pi t} - Ce^{-2M_N t}}}$$
$$\sim \sqrt{N}De^{-(M_N - \frac{3}{2}m_\pi)}$$

- Due to different overlap of nucleon and 3 pions also have volume dependence: \sqrt{V}
- Kostas Orginos analyzed signal/noise correlation functions for mixed action data

Required Measurements

Measurements required for 3% accuracy at T=10 May need significantly more



Numerical calculations

- □ MILC Asqtad configurations $N_F = 2+1$, a = 0.125 fm
- Domain wall valence quarks
 - \Box L_S = 16, M₅ = 1.7
 - Valence quark mass tuned to Asqtad Goldstone pion mass.
 - Recent improvement: Factor 8 increase in # measurements

mπ	# configs	Vol	L (fm)	# measu	irements
758	423	20 ³	2.5	423	
688	348	20 ³	2.5	348	
597	561	20 ³	2.5	561	
495	477	20 ³	2.5	477	
356	628	20 ³	2.5	628	5024
353	274	28 ³	3.5	274	2192
293	464	20 ³	2.5		3712

Improvements in Measurements

- 4 sets of forward propagators per configuration shifted spatially
- Coherent sequential propagators for 4 nucleon sinks and 4 antinucleon sinks •
 - Save factor 4 in time
 - Gauge averaging cancels contributions from neighbors
- Shorter source sink separation
- \Box Overall error reduction ~ factor 4



Statistical independence of measurements

Jackknife binning of correlation functions and matrix elements Sergey Syritsyn



Perturbative renormalization

$$O_i^{\overline{MS}}(Q^2) = \sum_j \left(\delta_{ij} + \frac{g_0^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{N_c^2 - 1}{2N_c} \left(\gamma_{ij}^{\overline{MS}} \log(Q^2 a^2) - (B_{ij}^{LATT} - B_{ij}^{\overline{MS}}) \right) \right) \cdot O_j^{LATT}(a^2)$$

HYP smeared domain wall fermions - B. Bistrovic

7	$Z^{pert}_{\mathcal{O}}$ ₇ nonpert	
20 -	$\overline{Z_A^{pert}}^{\mathcal{L}_A}$	

Evolve to $Q^2 = 4 \text{ GeV}^2$

operator	H(4)	HYP
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]q$	1_{1}^{\pm}	0.981
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\mu}q$	4_{4}^{\mp}	0.976
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\sigma_{\mu\nu}q$	6_{1}^{\pm}	0.992
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{\nu\}}q$	6^{\pm}_{3}	0.979
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{V\}}q$	3^{\pm}_1	0.975
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{\nu}D_{lpha\}}q$	8_{1}^{\mp}	0.988
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{\nu}D_{lpha\}}q$	mixing	$1.88 imes 10^{-3}$
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{\nu}D_{\alpha\}}q$	4^{\mp}_{2}	0.987
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{\{\mu}D_{\nu}D_{\alpha}D_{\beta\}}q$	2^{\pm}_{1}	0.993
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\sigma_{\mu\{\nu}D_{\alpha\}}q$	8^{\pm}_{1}	0.994
$\bar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{[\mu}D_{\nu]}q$	6_{1}^{\mp}	0.982
$ar{q}[\gamma_5]\gamma_{[\mu}D_{\{ u]}D_{lpha\}}q$	8_{1}^{\pm}	0.959



Overdetermined system for form factors

Calculate ratio

$$R_{\mathcal{O}}(\tau, P', P) = \frac{C_{\mathcal{O}}^{\rm 3pt}(\tau, P', P)}{C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau_{\rm snk}, P')} \left[\frac{C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau_{\rm snk} - \tau + \tau_{\rm src}, P) \ C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau, P') \ C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau_{\rm snk}, P')}{C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau_{\rm snk} - \tau + \tau_{\rm src}, P') \ C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau, P) \ C^{\rm 2pt}(\tau_{\rm snk}, P)} \right]^{1/2}$$

Schematic form

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \mathcal{O}_i^{cont} \rangle &= \sum_j a_{ij} \mathcal{F}_j \\ \langle \mathcal{O}_i^{cont} \rangle &= \sqrt{E'E} \sum_j Z_{ij} \overline{R}_j \\ \overline{R}_i &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{E'E}} \sum_{jk} Z_{ij}^{-1} a_{jk} \mathcal{F}_k \\ &\equiv \sum_j a'_{ij} \mathcal{F}_j \,. \end{aligned}$$

Chiral extrapolation of GPD's

Haegler et al, LHPC, Phys Rev D77, 094502 (2008)

- Fundamental problem large pion masses
- Covariant Baryon Chiral Perturbation theory gives consistent fit to matrix elements of twist-2 operators for wide range of masses (Dorati, Gail, Hemmert, Nucl Phys A798, 96 (2008)

$$\square \text{ HBChPT expands in } \epsilon = \left\{ \frac{m_{\pi}}{\Lambda_{\chi}}, \frac{p}{\Lambda_{\chi}}, \frac{m_{\pi}}{M_{N}^{0}}, \frac{p}{M_{N}^{0}} \right\}$$
$$\Lambda_{\chi} = 4\pi f_{\pi} \sim 1.17 \,\text{GeV}, \quad M_{N}^{0} \sim 890 \,\text{MeV}$$

CBChPT resums all orders of $\left(\frac{1}{M_N^0}\right)^m$















Chiral extrapolation of $\langle x \rangle_q^{u+d} = A_{20}^{u+d}(t=0)$

Chiral extrapolation O(p²) CBChPT (Dorati, Hemmert, et. al.) Note: connected diagrams only



Chiral Extrapolation of $B_{20}^{u+d}(t, m_{\pi})$ Chiral extrapolation O(p²) CBChPT +O(p³) corrections Note: connected diagrams only (Dorati, et. al.)

 $B_{20}^{u+d}(t,m_{\pi}) = A_{20}^{0,u+d} h_B^{u+d}(t,m_{\pi}) + \Delta B_{20}^{t,u+d}(t,m_{\pi}) + \frac{m_N(m_{\pi})}{m_N} \left\{ B_{20}^{0,u+d} + \delta_B^t t + \delta_B^{m_{\pi}} m_{\pi}^2 \right\} \dots$



Spin inventory for heavy quarks

Quark spin contribution $\frac{1}{2}\Delta\Sigma = \frac{1}{2}\langle 1 \rangle_{\Delta u + \Delta d} \sim \frac{1}{2}0.682(18)$

Total quark contribution (spin plus orbital)

$$J_q = \frac{1}{2} [A_{20}^{u+d}(0) + B_{20}^{u+d}(0)] = \frac{1}{2} [\langle x \rangle_{u+d} + B_{20}^{u+d}(0)] \sim \frac{1}{2} 0.675(7)$$



Spin Inventory

68% quark spin0% quark orbital32% gluons











Evolution of nonsinglet angular momentum

Nonsinglet J has simple evolutionA.W.Thomas arXiv:0803.2775 [hep-ph]Spin conserved, so large change in L

L

$$u^{-d}(t) + \frac{\Delta \Sigma^{u-d}}{2} = \left(\frac{t}{t_0}\right)^{-\frac{32}{81}} \left(L^{u-d}(t_0) + \frac{\Delta \Sigma^{u-d}}{2}\right) \qquad t = \ln\left(\frac{Q^2}{\Lambda_{OCD}^2}\right)$$





First x moments:

 A_{20}, B_{20}, C_{20}

Consistent with large N behavior [Goeke et. al.]

$ A_{20}^{u+d} $	>	$ A_{20}^{u-d} $
$ B_{20}^{u-d} $	>	$ B_{20}^{u+d} $
$ C_{20}^{u+d} $	>	$ C_{20}^{u-d} $

 A_{20}, B_{20}, C_{20} Original Data



 A_{20}, B_{20}, C_{20} New Data



 A_{20}, B_{20}, C_{20} New Data



High statistics data for low masses



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High statistics data for low masses









Comparison with Phenomenology

Ratios A₃₀ / A₁₀

GPD parameterization: Nucleon form factors, CTEQ parton distributions, Regge behavior, Ansatz Diehl, Feldmann, Jakob, Kroll EPJC 2005



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Generalized form factors A10, A20, A30





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Generalized form factors A₁₀, A₂₀, A₃₀

New Data



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2-d rms Radii for A_{n0}, \tilde{A}_{n0}





Summary

- Mixed action calculations of generalized form factors:
 - Quark orbital angular momentum has unintuitive sign and contributes negligibly to total nucleon spin
 - Constraints on GPD's complementary to experiment
 - Measure transverse size
- CBChPT describes behavior to surprisingly high pion masses
- Improved statistics for light mass ensembles by factor 4:
 - understand systematics and improve statistics of higher masses

Outlook

Dynamical DW calculations with RBC and UKQCD Mixed action results compare well with DW calculations see Sergey Syritsyn's talk - 5:40

Flavor singlet sector

Calculate $A_{20}^{(g)}(0) + B_{20}^{(g)}(0)$ from $\langle P|T_{\mu\nu}^{(g)}|P'\rangle$ using improved gluon operators

Quark contributions from disconnected diagrams

Calculate renormalization and mixing coefficients Z_{ij}

Backup slides



Masses below 500 MeV consistent with extrapolation to experimental point, but higher masses are not.

Plateaus for gA



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arXiv 0801.4016

FIG. 1: Plateaus of g_A . $V = (2.7 \text{ fm})^3$ and $m_f = 0.005, 0.01, 0.02$, and 0.03, from top to bottom.

^{1.4} E

1.2

Plateaus for g_A





FIG. 1: Plateaus of g_A . $V = (2.7 \text{ fm})^3$ and $m_f = 0.005, 0.01, 0.02$, and 0.03, from top to bottom.

331 MeV

arXiv 0801.4016