

I.] Extracting the quark mass ratios from $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$

The Lagrangian describing strong interactions:

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = -\frac{1}{4} G_a^{\mu\nu} G_a^{\mu\nu} + \sum_{k=1}^{N_f} \bar{q}_k (i \gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_k) q_k$$

$G_a^{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu A_\nu^a - \partial_\nu A_\mu^a + g_s \frac{\lambda_a}{2} A_\mu^a A_\nu^a$ $D_\mu = \partial_\mu - i g_s \frac{\lambda_a}{2} A_\mu^a$ (g) \sim gluon field

- Build all the invariants under $SU(3)_c$ with the quarks
- gauge the theory: $SU(3)_c \rightarrow$ local q_k
- 8 different gauge fields: G_μ^a the gluons $e e e e$
- Different parts of the Lagrangian:
 - kinetic terms $-\frac{1}{4} G_a^{\mu\nu} G_a^{\mu\nu}$
 - Interactions quark - gluon
 - Interactions gluon - gluon: non-abelian gauge group.
- One single universal coupling: $\alpha_s(\mu) = \frac{g_s^2(\mu)}{4\pi}$ strong coupling constant, depends on energy.
- 7 unknowns in the Lagrangian
 - * strong coupling constant: $\alpha_s(\mu) = \frac{g_s^2(\mu)}{4\pi}$
 - * 6 quark masses: m_k

• How to get the quark masses?

\rightarrow No direct access due to confinement!

Masses beyond Λ_QCD : Masses treated as small perturbations $m_{u,d,s} \ll \Lambda_{QCD}$
 \Rightarrow Expansion in power of $\frac{m_q}{\Lambda_{QCD}}$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{\pi^+}^2 &= B_0 (m_u + m_d) \{ 1 + \mathcal{O}(\hat{m}, m_s) \} \\ M_{K^+}^2 &= B_0 (m_u + m_s) \{ 1 + \mathcal{O}(\hat{m}, m_s) \} \\ M_{K^0}^2 &= B_0 (m_d + m_s) \{ 1 + \mathcal{O}(\hat{m}, m_s) \} \end{aligned}$$

GOR relation:

$(\text{Hadron mass})^2 = \text{Spontaneous sym breaking} \times \text{explicit sym breaking}$
 $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle$ \times m_q

Gell-Mann - Oakes - Renner relations:



Gell Mann Oakes Renner formula 1968 Leutwyler's lecture

$$M_{\pi}^2 = \underbrace{(m_u + m_d)}_{\text{explicit}} \cdot \underbrace{\langle 0 | \bar{u} \gamma_5 u | 0 \rangle}_{\text{spontaneous}} \times \frac{1}{F_{\pi}^2}$$

Coefficient: decay constant F_{π}

• why $M_{\pi}^2 \propto (m_u + m_d)$?

$$\langle 0 | \bar{u}(z) \gamma^k \gamma_5 d(z) | \pi^- \rangle = i \sqrt{2} F_{\pi} \not{e}^k e^{-i \cdot z} \rightarrow \text{Axial current generates } \pi^-.$$

$$\langle 0 | \bar{u}(z) i \gamma_5 d(z) | \pi^0 \rangle = \sqrt{2} G_{\pi} e^{-i \cdot z}$$

Current conservation: Use Dirac equation \rightarrow see following page

Exercise

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow \partial_{\mu} (\bar{u} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma_5 d) &= (m_u + m_d) \bar{u} i \gamma_5 d \\ &= \partial_{\mu} \bar{u} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma_5 d + \bar{u} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma_5 \partial_{\mu} d \\ &= i m_u \bar{u} \gamma^{\mu} \gamma_5 d - \underbrace{\bar{u} \gamma_5 \gamma^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} d}_{\downarrow} \\ &\quad + i \bar{u} \gamma_5 m_d d \\ &= \underline{(m_u + m_d) \bar{u} i \gamma_5 d} \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{x=0}$$

$$-i^2 \sqrt{2} F_{\pi} \not{e}^k \not{e}^k = (m_u + m_d) \sqrt{2} G_{\pi}$$

$$\sqrt{2} F_{\pi} \not{e}^k \not{e}^k = (m_u + m_d) \sqrt{2} G_{\pi}$$

$$\underline{F_{\pi} M_{\pi}^2 = (m_u + m_d) G_{\pi}}$$

$$\boxed{\gamma_5 \gamma^k = -\gamma^k \gamma_5}$$

$$\boxed{M_{\pi}^2 = (m_u + m_d) \frac{G_{\pi}}{F_{\pi}}} \quad \text{exact}$$

• Expansion in powers of m_u, m_d :

$$\frac{G_{\pi}}{F_{\pi}} = B + O(m)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{M_{\pi}^2 = (m_u + m_d) B + O(m^2)}$$

$$(i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)\psi = 0$$

$$C: (i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)\psi = 0$$

$$C(i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)\psi = 0$$

$$C(i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)C^{-1}C\psi = 0$$

$$(C i \cancel{\not{\partial}} C^{-1} - m)(-i\gamma_2 \psi^*) = 0$$

$$(i(-\cancel{\not{\partial}}) - m)(-i\gamma_2 \psi^*) = 0$$

$$-(i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)\psi_c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (i\cancel{\not{\partial}} + m)\psi_c = 0$$

$\psi_c = C\psi$
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~~$$C = \gamma_2$$~~

$$\psi \rightarrow -i\gamma_2 \psi^* = \psi_c$$

$$\bar{\psi} = \psi^\dagger \gamma_0$$

$$C\gamma^\mu C^{-1} = -\gamma^\mu$$

$$[(i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)\psi]^\dagger = 0$$

$$\psi^\dagger (i\cancel{\not{\partial}} - m)^\dagger = 0$$

$$\psi^\dagger (-i(\gamma^0 \gamma^\mu \gamma^0) \partial - m) = 0$$

$$\psi^\dagger \gamma^0 (-i\gamma^\mu \gamma^0 \partial - \gamma^0 m) = 0$$

$$\psi^\dagger \gamma^0 (-i\gamma^\mu \gamma^0 \partial - \gamma^0 m) = 0$$

$$\bar{\psi} (-i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - m) \gamma^0 = 0$$

$$\bar{\psi} (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu + m) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\bar{\psi} (i\cancel{\not{\partial}} + m) = 0}$$

$$(\gamma^\mu)^\dagger = \gamma^0 \gamma^\mu \gamma^0$$

$(i\partial - m)d$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \partial_\mu (\bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 d) &= (\partial_\mu \bar{u}) \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 d + \bar{u} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \partial_\mu d \\
 &= \bar{u} \overleftarrow{\partial} \gamma_5 d + \bar{u} (\partial \gamma_5 d) \\
 &= \bar{u} \overleftarrow{\partial} \gamma_5 d - \bar{u} \gamma_5 \partial d \quad \neq 0 \\
 &= \bar{u} (i\overleftarrow{\partial}) \gamma_5 d + \bar{u} \gamma_5 i\overrightarrow{\partial} d
 \end{aligned}$$

~~$$= i(\bar{u} \overleftarrow{\partial} \gamma_5 d + \bar{u} \gamma_5 \overrightarrow{\partial} d)$$~~

$$= i [\overleftarrow{\partial} \gamma_5 \bar{u} d + \gamma_5 \overrightarrow{\partial} \bar{u} d]$$

Electromagnetic effects: Dashen's theorem:

$$(M_{K^+}^2 - M_{K^0}^2)_{em} = (M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2)_{em} = O(\alpha^2 m)$$

s quark d quark same charge

ChPT at leading order + e.m. corrections:

$$M_{\pi^0}^2 = B_0(m_u + m_d), \quad M_{\eta^+}^2 = B_0(m_u + m_d) + \Delta_{em}$$

$$M_{K^0}^2 = B_0(m_d + m_s), \quad M_{K^+}^2 = B_0(m_u + m_s) + \Delta_{em}$$

$$m_\eta = 547.862 \text{ MeV}$$

2 unknowns: B_0 and Δ_{em} .

Exercise: get $\frac{m_u}{m_d}$ and $\frac{m_s}{m_d}$ from meson masses

Answer $\frac{m_u}{m_d} = \frac{M_{K^+}^2 - M_{\eta^+}^2}{M_{K^0}^2 - M_{\eta^+}^2}$ Weinberg '77

PDG'14

$$M_{\eta^+}^2 = 0.43857018 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$M_{\pi^0}^2 = 0.1349766 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$M_{K^+}^2 = 0.493677 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$M_{K^0}^2 = 0.497614 \text{ GeV}^2$$

$$\frac{m_u}{m_d} \stackrel{\text{L.O.}}{=} \frac{M_{K^+}^2 - M_{\eta^+}^2 + 2M_{\pi^0}^2 - M_{\eta^+}^2}{M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2 + M_{\pi^+}^2} \sim 0.56$$

$$\frac{m_s}{m_d} \stackrel{\text{L.O.}}{=} \frac{M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2}{M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2 + M_{\pi^+}^2} \sim 20.2$$

→ ChPT what is it? → see next page

Form dimensionless ratios: Mass formulae to second chiral order:

$$\left(\frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2} \right)_{st} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} B_0 (M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2)}{\frac{1}{2} (M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} [B_0(m_u + m_s) + B_0(m_d + m_s)]}{\frac{1}{2} [B_0(m_u + m_d) + B_0(m_u + m_d)]} (1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2))$$

$$= \frac{B_0(m_s + \frac{m_u + m_d}{2})}{B_0(2 \frac{m_u + m_d}{2})} (1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)) \quad \text{[Gasser & Leutwyler '85]}$$

$$= \frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{2 \hat{m}} (1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2))$$

$$\frac{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{st}}{M_{K^+}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2} = \frac{B_0(m_d - m_u)}{B_0(m_s + \hat{m}) - 2B_0 \hat{m}} (1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2))$$

$$= \frac{m_d - m_u}{m_s - \hat{m}} (1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2))$$

with $\Delta_H = \frac{9}{f^2} (M_K^2 - M_\pi^2) (2L_8 - L_5) + 7 \text{ LogA}$

no corrections at one loop

Form double ratio: $Q^2 = \frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2} \cdot \frac{M_K^2 - M_\pi^2}{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{st}} (1 + O(m_q^2, e^2))$

$$\sim \frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{2 \hat{m}} \cdot \frac{m_d - m_u}{m_d - m_s} = \frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{2 \hat{m}} \cdot \frac{m_d - m_u}{m_d - m_s}$$

corrections suppressed by 2 orders \hat{m}^2 quark masses

expansion



- Form dimensionless ratio: Mass formula to 2. & second chiral order Gasser & Leutwyler '85
- Exercise: derive L_0 (first order)

$$\left(\frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2}\right)_{str} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}(M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2)}{\frac{1}{2}(M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2)} \left(1 + \frac{\Delta_H}{L_0} + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

$$= \frac{B_0(m_s + \frac{m_u + m_d}{2})}{B_0(2\frac{m_u + m_d}{2})} \left(1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2}\right)_{str} = \frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{2\hat{m}} \left(1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

$$\frac{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{str}}{(M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)_{str}} = \frac{B_0(m_d - m_u)}{B_0(m_s + \hat{m}) - 2B_0\hat{m}} \left(1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

$$= \frac{m_d - m_u}{m_s - \hat{m}} \left(1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

with $\Delta_H = \frac{8(M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)}{F_0^2} (2L_8 - L_5) + 2 \log_3$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{1}{32\pi^2 F_0^2} \left(m_s^2 \log \frac{m_s^2}{\mu^2} - m_u^2 \log \frac{m_u^2}{\mu^2} - m_d^2 \log \frac{m_d^2}{\mu^2}\right)$$

- Form double ratio: Δ_H cancels in the ratio

$$\frac{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{str}}{M_K^2 - M_\pi^2} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(\frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2}\right)_{str}} = \frac{m_d - m_u}{m_s - \hat{m}} \left(1 + \Delta_H\right)^{-1} \cdot \frac{2\hat{m}}{(m_s + \hat{m})} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \Delta_H}$$

$$= \frac{(m_d - m_u)(m_d + m_u)}{(m_s + \hat{m})^2}$$

$$\left(\frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2}\right)_{str} \cdot \frac{M_K^2 - M_\pi^2}{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{str}} = \frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{2\hat{m}} \left(1 + \Delta_H + O(m_q^2)\right) \cdot \frac{m_s - \hat{m}}{m_d - m_u} \cdot \frac{1}{1 + \Delta_H}$$

$$= \underbrace{\frac{m_s + \hat{m}}{m_d - m_u}}_{Q^2} \left(1 + O(m_q^2)\right)$$

Exercise: Show that $Q^2 = \frac{m_\Delta^2 - m^2}{m_d^2 - m_\mu^2}$

one can draw an ellipse called "Lautwyler Ellipse" in the plane

$\frac{m_\Delta}{m_d} = f\left(\frac{m_\mu}{m_d}\right)$ up to $\left(\frac{m}{m_\Delta}\right)^2$ corrections neglecting "

Draw the ellipse and put Q_0 : value of Q relying on meson masses + the use of Dashen's theorem. [Hint: take $(M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2)_{em} = (M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2)_{phys}$]

Answer: $\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{m_\Delta^2 - m^2}{m_d^2 - m_\mu^2} = 1$

$\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{m_\Delta^2}{m_d^2} \cdot \frac{1 - \frac{m^2}{m_\Delta^2}}{1 - \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_d^2}} = 1$

$\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{m_\Delta^2}{m_d^2} \left(1 - \frac{m^2}{m_\Delta^2}\right) = 1 - \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_d^2}$

$\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{m_\Delta^2}{m_d^2} \left(1 - \frac{m^2}{m_\Delta^2}\right) + \frac{m_\mu^2}{m_d^2} = 1$

Neglecting $\frac{m^2}{m_\Delta^2}$ that is tiny we get:

$\frac{m_\mu^2}{m_d^2} + \frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{m_\Delta^2}{m_d^2} = 1$: equation of "Lautwyler's ellipse"

where Q represents the major semi-axis of the ellipse.

Compute Q_{Dashen} : relies on meson masses + Dashen theorem:

$(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{str} \stackrel{\text{Dashen}}{=} (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2) - (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{em}$
 $\stackrel{\text{Dashen}}{=} (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2) - (M_{\pi^0}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2)_{em}$
 $= (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2) - (M_{\pi^0}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2)_{phys} - (M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2 + 2M_{K^0}^2)_{em}$

$Q_D^2 = \frac{(M_K^2)}{(M_\Delta^2)} \cdot \frac{(M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)_{str}}{(M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2)_{str}} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}(M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2) - \frac{1}{2}(M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2)_{em} \cdot (M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2 - (M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2))}{\frac{1}{2}(M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2) - \frac{1}{2}(M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2)_{em} \cdot (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2 + M_{\pi^+}^2)}$
 $\Rightarrow Q_D = 29.2$

But various calculations find large corrections to Dashen's theorem

$O\left(\frac{m^2}{m_\Delta^2}\right)$
 $= \frac{(M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2 + M_{\pi^0}^2)(M_{K^+}^2 + M_{K^0}^2 - M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2)}{4 M_{\pi^0}^2 (M_{K^0}^2 - M_{K^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2 + M_{\pi^+}^2)}$

$$1 \leq \frac{(M_{K^+}^2 - M_{K^0}^2)_{e.m.}}{(M_{\pi^+}^2 - M_{\pi^0}^2)_{e.m.}} \leq 2.5 \quad \Rightarrow \quad 20.6 \leq Q \leq 24.2 \Rightarrow \text{plot}$$

Not very precise!

Can we extract Q with a better precision? \rightarrow lattice QCD
 Yes! using $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ decays!

But how?

$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$: η has $I=0 \rightarrow G=+$
 π has $I=1 \rightarrow G=-$

Ex: B^0 charge conservation give η decay.

\rightarrow violates G parity / isospin conservation

η : spin zero isospin singlet state

$\rightarrow 3\pi$ must couple to vanishing isospin and angular momentum.
 \Rightarrow Impossible because that the $|0,0\rangle$ state formed by 3π can not have angular momentum 0

Exercise: Show that the state $|0,0\rangle$ formed by 3π can not have a zero angular momentum.

Physical basis: I, I_3

$$|\pi^+\rangle = |1, +1\rangle, \quad |1, 0\rangle = |\pi^0\rangle, \quad |1, -1\rangle = |\pi^-\rangle$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |\pi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\pi^+\rangle + |\pi^0\rangle) \\ |\pi^0\rangle = |\pi^0\rangle \end{array} \right\} \text{isospin basis}$$

A generic 2 pion state has no definite isospin but it can be decomposed in a sum of eigenstates of I and I_3

From 3 pion flavours one can construct 3×2 different pion states and their decomposition is given by: 2 pions form eigenstates of I_3 because the third component can simply be added!

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |\pi^+\rangle \otimes |\pi^+\rangle = |1, 1\rangle \otimes |1, 1\rangle \\ = |2, 2\rangle \\ = |\pi^+, \pi^+\rangle \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow |\pi^+, \pi^+\rangle = |2, 2\rangle$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} |\pi^-\rangle \otimes |\pi^-\rangle = |1, -1\rangle \otimes |1, -1\rangle \\ = |2, -2\rangle \\ = |\pi^-, \pi^-\rangle \end{array} \right\} |\pi^-, \pi^-\rangle = |2, -2\rangle$$



$$|\pi^0\rangle \otimes |\pi^0\rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} |2,0\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |0,0\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\pi^0\rangle$$

$$|\pi^+\rangle \otimes |\pi^0\rangle = |1,+1\rangle \otimes |1,0\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |2,1\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^-\rangle \otimes |\pi^0\rangle = |1,-1\rangle \otimes |1,0\rangle$$

$$|\pi^-\pi^0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |2,-1\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,-1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\rangle \otimes |\pi^+\rangle = |1,0\rangle \otimes |1,1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\pi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |2,1\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\rangle \otimes |\pi^-\rangle = |1,0\rangle \otimes |1,-1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\pi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |2,-1\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,-1\rangle$$

$$|\pi^+\rangle \otimes |\pi^-\rangle = |1,+1\rangle \otimes |1,-1\rangle \quad \begin{matrix} I_3=0 \\ I=2 \\ I=1 \\ I=0 \end{matrix}$$

$$|\pi^+\pi^-\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |2,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |0,0\rangle$$

$$\left(|\pi^-\rangle \otimes |\pi^+\rangle = |1,-1\rangle \otimes |1,1\rangle \right)$$

$$|\pi^-\pi^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |2,0\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |0,0\rangle$$

$\begin{matrix} \pi^0 & |1,0\rangle \\ \otimes & \begin{matrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{matrix} \\ & |0\rangle \end{matrix}$

↳ We can invert this relations leading to the decomposition of isospin states into 2 pions.

~~$$|2,2\rangle = |1,+1\rangle \otimes |1,+1\rangle = |\pi^+\pi^+\rangle$$~~

$$|2,2\rangle = |1,1\rangle \otimes |1,1\rangle = |\pi^+\pi^+\rangle$$

~~$$|2,1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,1\rangle$$~~

$$|2,1\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,1\rangle \otimes |1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |1,0\rangle \otimes |1,1\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^+\pi^0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^0\pi^+\rangle$$

$$|2,0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |1,1\rangle \otimes |1,-1\rangle + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} |1,0\rangle \otimes |1,0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |1,-1\rangle \otimes |1,1\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |\pi^+\pi^-\rangle + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} |\pi^0\pi^0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |\pi^-\pi^+\rangle$$



$$|1, \pm 1\rangle = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^{\pm} \pi^0\rangle = \mp \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^0 \pi^{\pm}\rangle$$

$$|1, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^+ \pi^-\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^- \pi^+\rangle$$

$$|0, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1, 1\rangle \otimes |1, -1\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1, 0\rangle \otimes |1, 0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1, -1\rangle \otimes |1, 1\rangle$$

$$|0, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |\pi^+ \pi^-\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |\pi^0 \pi^0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |\pi^- \pi^+\rangle$$

Since the pions are bosons (spin 0) they obey Bose statistics
 \Rightarrow the wave function of the state is even under exchange of 2 pions
 if the angular momentum quantum number ^{odd} is even (odd)

From above we read off the angular momentum is even for the states with $I=0$ or 2 and odd for the state with $I=1$.

\rightarrow More formally rotation.

\hookrightarrow Similar to what we did with 2 pions we decompose the state $|0, 0\rangle$ into 3 pions.

We start with the 3rd component of isospin (we learn it is additive) \rightarrow we have to sum the 3 I_3 to 0:

What can it be?

$$1 \cdot 3 I_3 = 0 \quad |\pi^0, \pi^0 \pi^0\rangle$$

$$\cdot I_3 = 1, I_3 = -1, I_3 = 0 \quad |\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0\rangle$$

\hookrightarrow Only the ρ decay channels allowed by isospin.

N.B.: Of course charge conservation also prohibits all the other channels

Exercise: What about $\pi^0 \pi^0$? $\pi^0 \pi^0$

We construct a 3 pion state by coupling a 2 pion states to a single pion

A single pion has total isospin $I=1$, a 3 pion state with varying total isospin can only be achieved if the 2 pion state has $I=1$ as well

$$|0,0\rangle_3 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(|1,1\rangle_2 |1,-1\rangle_2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1,0\rangle_2 |1,0\rangle_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1,-1\rangle_2 |1,1\rangle_2 \right)$$

number of pions

From before read off the pion states:

$$|0,0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \left(|\pi^+\rangle \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^0\pi^0\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\pi^0\pi^-\rangle \right) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |\pi^0\rangle \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\pi^+\pi^-\rangle - |\pi^-\pi^+\rangle) \right)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |\pi^-\rangle \otimes \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|\pi^+\pi^0\rangle - |\pi^0\pi^+\rangle) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \left(|\pi^+\pi^0\pi^-\rangle - |\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\rangle + |\pi^0\pi^-\pi^+\rangle - |\pi^0\pi^+\pi^-\rangle + |\pi^-\pi^+\pi^0\rangle - |\pi^-\pi^0\pi^+\rangle \right)$$

The state containing $3\pi^0$ does not contribute at all because $2\pi^0$ can't form a $1,0\rangle$ state.

As the 3 pion state is anti-symmetric in the pions (change 2 pions \rightarrow introduce minus sign) it has according to Bose statistics \Rightarrow odd angular momentum

In particular The angular momentum must be non-zero! \Rightarrow we conclude that the decay is not allowed if isospin is conserved.

But happen in nature

$\rho^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ 28% of charged \Rightarrow isospin is broken \hookrightarrow responsible for difference of mass between neutron and proton!

charged angular momentum

$$J = S + L$$

\uparrow spin
 \uparrow orbital angular momentum

all the angular momentum

slide.

$\eta \rightarrow 3D$ is directly proportional to $(m_u - m_d)$

\rightarrow Forbidden by isospin symmetry. 3 pions can not at the same time couple to vanishing angular momentum and zero isospin.

The only operator in the QCD Lagrangian that can produce such a transition is

$$\mathcal{L}_{IB} = -\frac{m_u - m_d}{2} (\bar{u}u - \bar{d}d)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{QCD} &= -\bar{q} m \bar{q} q \\ &= -m_u \bar{u} u - m_d \bar{d} d \end{aligned}$$

add and subtract

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{QCD} &= -\bar{q} M q \\ &= -\frac{g}{6} \bar{q}_f m_f q_f \end{aligned}$$

$$M = \sum_{a=0}^8 \lambda_a M_a \quad q = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M_a = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(\lambda_a M)$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} m_u & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & m_d & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & m_s \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_0 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & & \\ & 1 & \\ & & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M_a = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(\lambda_a M)$$

6.17?

$$M = \frac{m_u + m_d + m_s}{\sqrt{6}} \lambda^0 + \frac{m_u - m_d}{2} \lambda^3 + \frac{m_s - m_d}{\sqrt{3}} \lambda^8 \quad \lambda^3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

\rightarrow From the term proportional to $\lambda^3 \Rightarrow$ contribution to the Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{IB} = -\frac{m_u - m_d}{2} \bar{q} \lambda^3 q$$

$$= -\frac{m_u - m_d}{2} (\bar{u}u - \bar{d}d)$$

It is a $\Delta I = 1$ operator

\Rightarrow Decay amplitude can be used proportional to $(m_u - m_d)$

can be used to extract this quantity.

Decay width a measure of the size of isospin breaking in QCD

• Due to difference in electric charges of the up and down quarks the EM interactions violate also isospin and can contribute to $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$.

⇒ Contribution predicted to be small

• * In chiral limit $m_q \rightarrow 0$, $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ vanishes
 \sim no contributions of $O(e^2)$ (Sutherland)

* At one loop computed [Kubiz Ditsche, Kubiz and Heissner]
 corrections $O(e^2 \cdot m_q)$ → effectively $O(e^2 m_{u,d})$
 not $O(e^2 m_s)$ → very small $\sim 1\%$

A completer

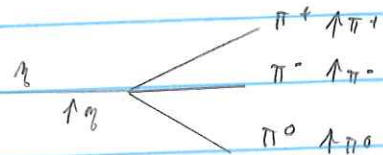
⇒ very clean access from $\Gamma(\eta \rightarrow 3\pi)$ to $(m_d - m_u)$!

• chPT at tree level $O(p^2)$ (current algebra)

$$A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0}(\Delta, t, u) = \frac{B_0 (m_u - m_d)}{3\sqrt{3} F_\pi^2} \left(1 + \frac{3(\Delta - \Delta_0)}{M_\eta^2 - M_\pi^2} \right)$$

Exercise: show this result

with $A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0}$



$$\langle \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0_{out} | \eta \rangle = i (2\pi)^4 \delta^4(p_\eta - p_{\pi^+} - p_{\pi^-} - p_{\pi^0}) A(\Delta, t, u)$$

$$s = (p_{\pi^+} + p_{\pi^-})^2 = (p_\eta - p_{\pi^0})^2$$

$$t = (p_{\pi^0} + p_{\pi^-})^2 = (p_\eta - p_{\pi^+})^2$$

$$u = (p_{\pi^0} + p_{\pi^+})^2 = (p_\eta - p_{\pi^-})^2$$

Now $s + t + u$

$$= m_\eta^2 + m_{\pi^0}^2 + 2m_{\pi^\pm}^2$$

$$= 3\Delta_0 \rightarrow \text{Only 2 independent variables.}$$

Digamma...

| For the scattering

$$A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0}(\Delta, t, u) = \frac{B_0 (m_u - m_d)}{3\sqrt{3} F_\pi^2} \left(1 + \frac{3(\Delta - \Delta_0)}{M_\eta^2 - M_\pi^2} \right)$$

Reminder: $B_0 (m_d - m_u) = -\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2} (M_K^2 - M_\pi^2)$ at tree level.

$$A_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0}(\Delta, t, u) = -\frac{1}{Q^2} \frac{M_K^2}{M_\pi^2} \frac{M_K^2 - M_\pi^2}{3\sqrt{3} F_\pi^2} \cdot H(\Delta, t, u)$$

$$H(\Delta, t, u) = 1 + \frac{3(\Delta - \Delta_0)}{M_\eta^2 - M_\pi^2}$$

In the center of the Dalitz plot $s = t = u = \Delta_0$

Normalisation $H^{CA}(\Delta = t = u = \Delta_0) = 1$

Remember $\frac{1}{Q^2} = \frac{m_d^2 - m_u^2}{m_s^2 - m_c^2}$ ← quantity we want to determine from studying $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$

PDG kinematics (6.24)

One gets $\Gamma = \frac{1}{256\pi^3 m_\eta^3} \int d\Delta dt |A(s,t,u)|^2$

but $\Gamma = \frac{1}{Q^6} \frac{m_K^4 (m_K^2 - m_\pi^2)^2}{6912 \pi^3 m_\eta^3 m_K^4 F_\pi^4} \int d\Delta dt |H(s,t,u)|^2$

experimentally measured

computed with the best accuracy.

↳ determine Q with the best accuracy!

Moderate precision in measurement of Γ → good accuracy on Q since enter as Q^6 !

$\sigma^1 =$
 $\sigma^2 =$
 $\sigma^3 =$

Description of $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ amplitude $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ analog to $\pi\pi$

$$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk} = M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk, l} \propto \langle \pi^i \pi^j \pi^k | \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} | \eta \rangle$$

$$\propto \frac{m_u - m_d}{2} \langle \pi^i \pi^j \pi^k | \bar{q} \tau^l q | \eta \rangle$$

$\pi^3 \equiv \pi^0$

The operator $\bar{q} \tau^l q$ transforms under isospin in the same way as pion π^0

The function $M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk}$ transforms exactly like $\pi\pi$ amplitude → share the same isospin structure.

$$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk} = M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk, 3} = M(\Delta, t, u) S^{ij} S^{k3} + M(t, u, \Delta) S^{ik} S^{j3} + M(u, \Delta, t) S^{i3} S^{jk}$$

$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{+-0}(\Delta, t, u) = M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{113}(\Delta, t, u) = M(\Delta, t, u)$

$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{000}(\Delta, t, u) = M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}^{333}(\Delta, t, u) = M(\Delta, t, u) + M(t, u, \Delta) + M(u, \Delta, t)$

Compute

$$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0}^{CA} =$$

Exercise: From $M_{\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0}^{CA}(\Delta, k, \mu) = 1 + \frac{3(\Delta - \Delta_0)}{M^2_\eta - M^2_\pi}$

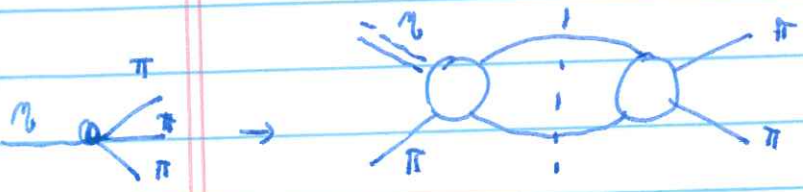
Compute $M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0}^{CA}$

$$M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0}^{CA}(\Delta, k, \mu) = 3 + \frac{3(\Delta - \Delta_0)}{M^2_\eta - M^2_\pi} + \frac{3(k - \Delta_0)}{M^2_\eta - M^2_\pi} + \frac{3(\mu - \Delta_0)}{M^2_\eta - M^2_\pi}$$

$$= 3 \left(1 + \frac{(\Delta + k + \mu - 3\Delta_0)}{M^2_\eta - M^2_\pi} \right)$$

At L_0 $M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0}^{CA}(\Delta, k, \mu)$ is constant!

- We want to compute $M_{\eta \rightarrow 3\pi}$ beyond L_0 .
- $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ has a very similar structure as $\pi\pi$ scattering.
- At L_0 linear in $\Delta/k/\mu$
- \rightarrow S and P waves only
- Consequence for imaginary parts:



cut contribution of D and higher waves requires ~~to~~ to be $O(p^4) \rightarrow$ complete diagram $O(p^8) \hat{=} 3$ loop order

\rightarrow Up to and including 2 loops $\pi\pi$ scattering / $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$ only have discontinuities in S and P waves

- "Reconstruction theorem": Both $\pi\pi \rightarrow 3\pi$ can be decomposed in terms of single variable functions with a right hand cut as:

$$M(\Delta, t, u) = M_0(\Delta) + (\Delta - u) M_1(t) + (\Delta - t) M_2(u) + M_2(t) + M_2(u) - \frac{2}{3} M_2(\Delta)$$

indices 0, 1, 2: $\pi\pi$ isospin, $I = 0, 2$ S wave
 $I = 1$ P wave.

$\Delta - u = 4t^2 \cos^2 \theta_t \rightarrow$ P wave characteristic!
 → see Aitchison's talk

- Use of dispersion relations to describe M_0, M_1 and M_2 why?

Large final state interactions in $\pi \rightarrow 3\pi$ prediction for the width

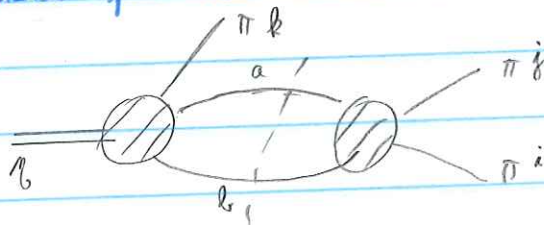
$$M_1 \text{ loop} = 300 \text{ eV} \quad 6.5$$

$$M_1 \text{ tree} = 66 \text{ eV} \quad (85)$$

- Dispersion relations: unitarity + analyticity + Crossing

Start with unitarity: Optical theorem

• Intuitive picture



- Rescattering in "all 3 channels" (Δ, t, u)
- Everything is projected onto the right (S, P partial waves)

$$\text{disc } M_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk}(\Delta, t, u) \propto \int dLIPS \left\{ \begin{aligned} & M_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{abk}(\Delta, t', u') \cdot T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ij}(\Delta, t) \\ & + M_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ajb}(\Delta', t', u') \cdot T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ik}(t, \theta_t)^* \\ & + M_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{iab}(\Delta'', t'', u'') \cdot T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ij}(\mu, \theta_\mu)^* \end{aligned} \right\}$$

We can decompose $\pi\pi$ in isospin 0, 1 and 2

so $A_{\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi}^{kl,ij} = P_0^{kl,ij} F_0(\Delta, t, u) + P_1^{kl,ij} F_1(\Delta, t, u) + P_2^{kl,ij} F_2(\Delta, t, u)$

with $|D^i \pi^j\rangle_2 = P_2^{ij,kl} |\pi^k \pi^l\rangle$
 projector operator.

Unitarity:

$$\text{Im} A_{\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi}^{kl,ij} = \frac{(2\pi)^4}{4} \sum_{m,n=1}^3 \int \frac{d^3 q_1 d^3 q_2}{4 q_1^0 q_2^0 (2\pi)^6} \delta^4(q_1 + q_2 - p_1 - p_2)$$

• $A_{\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi}^{kl,mn} A_{\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi}^{*+mn,ij}$

} insert

LHS

$$\text{Im} A_{\pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi}^{kl,ij} = P_0^{kl,ij} \text{Im} F_0 + P_1^{kl,ij} \text{Im} F_1 + P_2^{kl,ij} \text{Im} F_2$$

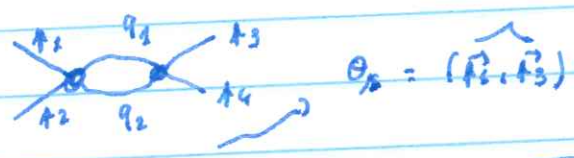
RHS:

$$\frac{1}{64\pi^3} \int \frac{d^3 q_1 d^3 q_2}{q_1^0 q_2^0} \delta^4(q_1 + q_2 - p_1 - p_2) (P_0^{kl,ij} F_0 F_0^* + P_1^{kl,ij} F_1 F_1^* + P_2^{kl,ij} F_2 F_2^*)$$

We have used $P_2^{mn,kl} P_1^{kl,ij} = \delta_{21} P_1^{mn,ij}$
 $P_1^{kl,ij} = P_1^{ij,kl}$

Equating LHS and RHS

$$\text{Im} F_2(\Delta, t, u) = \frac{1}{64\pi^2} \int \frac{d^3 q_1 d^3 q_2}{q_1^0 q_2^0} \delta^4(q_1 + q_2 - p_1 - p_2) F_2(q_1, q_2, t, u) F_2^*(\Delta, t, u; q_1, q_2)$$



$$\text{Im} F_2(\Delta, \theta) = \frac{1}{64\pi^2} \int d\Omega \sqrt{\frac{\Delta - 4m_\pi^2}{s}} F_2(\Delta, \theta_1) F_2^*(\Delta, \theta_2)$$

We expand F_2 into partial waves

$$F_2(\Delta, \theta) = \sum_{l=0}^{+\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos\theta) f_l^\pm(\Delta)$$

$$f_l^\pm(\Delta) = \int_{-1}^1$$

Legendre polynomials

Legendre polynomials are normalized as

$$\int_{-1}^1 dx P_l(x) P_{l'}(x) = \frac{2}{2l+1} \delta_{ll'}$$

They satisfy $\int d\Omega P_l(\cos\theta_1) P_l(\cos\theta_2) = \frac{4\pi}{2l+1} \delta_{ll'} P_l(\cos\theta)$

$P_0(x) = 1, P_1(x) = x, P_2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1), P_3(x) = \frac{1}{2}(5x^3 - 3x)$

$$\sum_{l=0}^{+\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos\theta) \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d\Omega \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda - 4m^2}{\Lambda}} P_m(\cos\theta_1) \sum_{m=0}^{+\infty} (2m+1) P_m(\cos\theta_2)$$

→ They are linearly independent

$$\sum_{l=0}^{+\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos\theta) \frac{1}{32\pi} \int d\Omega \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda - 4m^2}{\Lambda}} P_l(\cos\theta_1) P_l(\cos\theta_2)$$

$$P_l(\cos\theta) \sin\theta \frac{1}{32\pi} \int d\Omega \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda - 4m^2}{\Lambda}} P_l(\cos\theta_1) P_l(\cos\theta_2) e^{-i\theta_2}$$

$$P_l(\cos\theta) = 32\pi \sqrt{\frac{\Lambda}{\Lambda - 4m^2}} \sin\theta P_l(\cos\theta)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_l(\cos\theta) = \frac{32\pi}{\sqrt{\Lambda - 4m^2}} \sin\theta P_l(\cos\theta) e^{i\theta}$$

$$F_{\pm}(\Lambda, \cos\theta) = \sum_{l=0}^{+\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos\theta) P_l(\cos\theta)$$

Do statistics

l and I both odd or even truncate the sum to S and P waves

$$F_{\pm}(\Lambda, \cos\theta) = \sum_{l=0}^{+\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos\theta) P_l(\cos\theta)$$

l=1 not allowed

$$\Gamma_{I=0,2} = \frac{32\pi}{\sqrt{\Lambda - 4m^2}} e^{i\theta} + D \text{ waves } \dots$$

ππ I=0, l=0 phase shift
ππ I=2, l=2 neglect
+ D waves ...

$$F_{\pm}(\lambda, \cos \theta_{\lambda}) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (2l+1) P_l(\cos \theta) f_{\pm}^l(\lambda)$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{I=1} \\ \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} l=0 \text{ not allowed} \\ \cos \theta \\ \sin \delta_l(\lambda) e^{i \delta_l(\lambda)} \\ \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{\lambda^2}} \end{array} \right] \begin{array}{l} \pi \text{ } \delta=1, l=1 \text{ phase shift} \\ + \text{F waves} \\ l=3 \end{array}$$

Now $H^{+-0}(\lambda, t, \mu) = H^{113} \rightarrow$ Only with $\pi\pi$ intermediate channel.

On a disc $H_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ij k}(\lambda, t, \mu) \propto \int d\Omega_{\pi\pi} \left\{ T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ij}(\lambda, \theta_{\lambda}) + H_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{abk}(\lambda, t, \mu) \right.$
 $+ T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ik}(\lambda, \theta_{\lambda})^* H_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{a'j b'}(\lambda', t, \mu')$
 $\left. + T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, jk}(\mu, \theta_{\mu})^* H_{\pi \rightarrow 3\pi}^{i a' b'}(\lambda', t', \mu') \right\}$

$$\theta_{\lambda} = (\vec{\lambda}, \vec{t}, \vec{\mu})$$

$$t = \frac{1}{2} (3s_{\lambda} - \lambda \pm k(\lambda) \cos \theta_{\lambda})$$

$$k(\lambda) = 4 |k_{\pi\pi}| |k_{\pi k}| = \frac{\lambda^{1/2}(\lambda, m_{\pi}^2, m_{\pi}^2) \lambda^{1/2}(\lambda, m_{\pi}^2, m_{\pi}^2)}{\lambda}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{\lambda}} \lambda^{1/2}(\lambda, m_{\pi}^2, m_{\pi}^2)$$

\rightarrow we want to describe the charged channel: $\cos \theta_{\lambda}, \frac{t - \mu}{k(\lambda)}$

$$H^{+-0}(\lambda, t, \mu) = H^{113}(\lambda, t, \mu) = H(\lambda, t, \mu)$$

$$\text{disc } H(\lambda, t, \mu) \propto \int d\Omega_{\pi\pi} \frac{1}{128\pi^2} \sum_{a,b} \int d\Omega \left\{ \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{\lambda}} T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, ij}(\lambda, \theta_{\lambda}) \right.$$

$$\left. + H^{ab3}(\lambda, t', \mu') + \sqrt{\frac{t - 4m^2}{\lambda}} T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, jk}(\lambda, \theta_{\lambda}) H^{a'jk}(\lambda', t', \mu') \right.$$

insert decomposition

$$\left. + \sqrt{\frac{\mu - 4m^2}{\mu}} T_{\pi\pi}^{ab, jk}(\mu, \theta_{\mu}) H^{i a' b'}(\lambda', t', \mu') \right\}$$

$$d\Omega = d\phi d\cos\theta$$

\rightarrow we decompose the $T_{\pi\pi}$ in isospin.

$$\text{with } P_0^{kl, ij} = \frac{1}{3} \delta^{kl} \delta^{ij}$$

$$P_1^{kl, ij} = \frac{1}{2} (\delta^{ki} \delta^{lj} - \delta^{li} \delta^{kj})$$

$$P_2^{kl, ij} = \frac{1}{2} (\delta^{ki} \delta^{lj} + \delta^{li} \delta^{kj}) - \frac{1}{3} \delta^{kl} \delta^{ij}$$

$$\text{disc } M(\lambda, k, \mu) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \int d\Omega \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \sin \delta_0(\lambda) e^{-i\delta_0(\lambda)} (3M(\lambda, k', \mu')) \right. \\
+ M(k', \mu', \lambda) + M(\mu', \lambda, k') \\
- \frac{1}{3} \sin \delta_2(\lambda) e^{-i\delta_2(\lambda)} (M(k', \mu', \lambda) + M(\mu', \lambda, k')) \\
+ \frac{3}{2} \sin \delta_1(k) e^{-i\delta_1(k)} \cos \theta_k (M(\lambda', k, \mu') - M(\mu', \lambda', k)) \\
+ \frac{1}{2} \sin \delta_2(k) e^{-i\delta_2(k)} (M(\lambda', k, \mu') + M(\mu', \lambda', k)) \\
+ \frac{3}{2} \sin \delta_1(\mu) e^{-i\delta_1(\mu)} \cos \theta_\mu (M(\lambda', k', \mu) - M(k', \mu, \lambda')) \\
+ \frac{1}{2} \sin \delta_2(\mu) e^{-i\delta_2(\mu)} (M(\lambda', k', \mu) + M(k', \mu, \lambda')) \left. \right\}$$

$$\text{disc } \int d\Omega = \int d\phi d\cos\theta \\
\int d\Omega r_l^m Y_l^m(k's) = (-i)^m \int d\Omega r_l^m Y_l^m(\mu's)$$

$$\rightarrow M(\lambda, k, \mu) = M_0(\lambda) + (\lambda - \mu) M_2(k) + (\lambda - k) M_2(\mu) + M_2(k) + M_2(\mu) - \frac{2}{3} M_2(\lambda)$$

$$\text{disc } M_I(\lambda) = \text{disc } f_l^I(\lambda)$$

Vatson theorem \Rightarrow disc, $f_l^I(\lambda) \propto \underbrace{t_l^{I*}(\lambda)}_{\text{partial wave of scattering matrix}} f_l^I(\lambda)$

$$\boxed{f_l^I(\lambda) = M_I(\lambda) + \hat{M}_I(\lambda)}$$

\uparrow right hand cut
 \leftarrow left hand cut

\hat{M}_I real on the right hand cut

~~Determination of $\hat{M}_I(\lambda)$~~

$$\text{disc } M_I(\lambda) = \text{disc } [f_l^I(\lambda)] \\
= 2i \sin(\lambda - \frac{1}{2}\pi) f_l^I(\lambda) t_l^{I*}(\lambda) \\
= [M_I(\lambda) + \hat{M}_I(\lambda)] \sin \delta_l^\pm(\lambda) e^{-i\delta_l^\pm(\lambda)} \\
\uparrow \\
\pi \text{ scattering phase in elastic.}$$

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \frac{ab, 11}{\pi} = \frac{ab, 11}{\pi \pi \rightarrow \pi \pi} = \frac{P_{ab, 11}}{\frac{1}{3} \delta^{ab}} F_0(\lambda, t, u) + \frac{P_{ab, 11}}{\frac{1}{2} [\delta^{a1} \delta^{b1}]} F_1(\lambda, t, u)$$

and also $M(\lambda, t, u)$
 $\lambda \rightarrow 3\pi$

$$M_{\lambda \rightarrow 3\pi}^{ijk}(\lambda, t, u) = M(\lambda, t, u) \delta^{ij} \delta^{k3} + M(t, u, \lambda) \delta^{ik} \delta^{j3} + M(u, \lambda, t) \delta^{i3} \delta^{jk}$$

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→ disc $M_{II}(\omega) = 2i \Theta(\lambda - 6m_0^2) \{M_{II}(\omega) + \hat{M}_{II}(\omega)\} \sin \delta_{II}(\omega) e^{i\delta_{II}^2(\omega)}$
 almost like the FF equation: disc $F(\omega) = 2i \Theta(\lambda - 6m_0^2) F(\omega) \sin \delta(\omega) e^{i\delta(\omega)}$
 except for $\hat{M}_{II}(\lambda)$.

→ Homogeneity issues see 149
 we know how to solve $\lim_{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} M(\omega) = \Theta(\lambda - 6m_0^2) M(\omega) \sin \delta(\omega) e^{i\delta(\omega)}$

Exercise → solution $M(\omega) = P(\omega) R(\omega)$

→ How to solve in the general case? Consider discontinuity of $\frac{M(\omega)}{R(\omega)}$, homogeneous = 0 solution → polynomial.

Exercise: find the discontinuity of $\frac{M(\omega)}{R(\omega)}$

$$R(\omega) = e^{\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{6m_0^2}^{+\infty} \frac{\delta(\omega')}{\omega'(\omega' - \lambda)} d\omega'}$$

$$R(\omega + i\epsilon) = e^{i\delta_{II}^2(\omega)} + P \int_{6m_0^2}^{+\infty} \frac{\delta(\omega')}{\omega'(\omega' - \lambda - i\epsilon)} d\omega'$$

$$R(\lambda + i\epsilon) = e^{\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{6m_0^2}^{+\infty} \frac{\delta(\omega')}{\omega'(\omega' - \lambda - i\epsilon)} d\omega'}$$

Sokhotsky - Plemelj formula

$$\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{z \mp i\epsilon} = \pm i\pi \delta(z) + P.P. \frac{1}{z}$$

$$\frac{1}{x(x-\lambda)} = -\frac{1}{x\lambda} + \frac{1}{\lambda(x-\lambda)}$$

$$= \left[-\frac{1}{\lambda} \ln x + \frac{1}{\lambda} \ln(x-\lambda) \right]_{\mu}^{\infty}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\lambda} \ln \left[1 - \frac{\lambda}{x} \right]_{\mu}^{\infty}$$

Determination of $\hat{H}_I(\lambda)$:

Subtract $H_I(\lambda)$ from partial wave projection of $H(\lambda, t, u)$

$$H(\lambda, t, u) = H_0(\lambda) + (\lambda \cdot u) H_1(t) + \dots$$

$\hat{H}_I(\lambda)$ singularities in the t end u , depend of other $H_I(\lambda)$
Angular averages of the other functions \Rightarrow coupled equations.

$$\hat{H}_0(\lambda) = \frac{2}{3} \langle H_0 \rangle + 2(\lambda \cdot \lambda_0) \langle H_1 \rangle + \frac{20}{9} \langle H_2 \rangle + \frac{2}{3} k(\lambda) \langle \gamma H_2 \rangle$$

$$\int d\Omega H(k(\lambda, \gamma)) = \int_{-1}^1 dz \gamma H_2^*(\lambda, \gamma)$$

$$\text{where } \langle \gamma^n H_I \rangle(\lambda) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 dz \gamma^n H_I(k(\lambda, \gamma))$$

$\gamma = \cos \theta$ scattering angle

Non trivial angular averages \Rightarrow need to deform the integration path to avoid crossing cuts

\rightarrow Physics behind the inhomogeneities p 15

See slides