Nucleon Polarizabilities in Compton Scattering



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low energy outgoing photon plays role of applied e.m. dipole field



POLARIZABILITIES

Real Compton Scattering:



- Virtual Compton Scattering:
 - \implies local response on a distance scale depending on Q^2

Polarizabilities in Real and Virtual Compton Scattering

What we learn about e.m. structure of the nucleon from Polarizabilities

Status of theoretical and experimental analysis

Dispersion relation formalism as a tool to extract polarizabilities from data

Static polarizabilities in Real Compton Scattering





Magnetic polarizability:





$$ec{\mu}_{induced}=etaec{B}$$

Classical extended object small dielectric and permeable sphere with radius a

$$\alpha_{E1} = \frac{\epsilon - 1}{\epsilon + 2} a^3 \qquad \qquad \beta_{M1} = \frac{\mu - 1}{\mu + 2} a^3$$

 \implies for a perfectly conducting sphere $\epsilon \to \infty$ and $\mu \to 0$

$$\alpha_{E1} = a^3 \qquad \qquad \beta_{M1} = -\frac{1}{2}a^3$$

[Jackson, 1975]

Quantum mechanical system

energy shift of the system under the influence of an external electric field

$$\Delta E = -\alpha_{em} \sum_{n>0} \frac{|\langle n|z|0\rangle|^2}{E_n - E_0} \vec{E}_0^2 = -\frac{1}{2} \alpha_{E1} \vec{E}_0^2$$

quadratic Stark effect

➡ for hydrogen atom

$$\alpha_{E1}/\text{volume} \approx \frac{1}{10}$$

pretty good conductor!

Spin independent dipole polarizabilities



 $\alpha_{E1}^{exp} = (12.1 \pm 0.3 \mp 0.4) \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$ 1000 times "stiffer" than hydrogen!

$$\beta^{exp}_{M1} = (1.6 \pm 0.4 \mp 0.4) \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

Paramagnetism

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 $\beta_{
m para} > 0$

Baldin Sum Rule (1960)

$$\alpha_{E1} + \beta_{M1} = \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} d\nu \; \frac{(\sigma_{1/2} + \sigma_{3/2})}{\nu^2}$$

$$\alpha_{E1} + \beta_{M1} = (13.8 \pm 0.4) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

Compton scattering

$$\alpha_{E1} - \beta_{M1} = (10.5 \pm 0.9) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

Olmos de Leon et al. (MAMI-TAPS), EPJ A10 (2001)



Spin polarizabilities



backward spin polarizability (unpolarized Compton scattering) $\gamma_{\pi} = \gamma_{E1E1} + \gamma_{M1M1} - \gamma_{E1M2} + \gamma_{M1E2}$

 $\gamma_{\pi} = (-38.7 \pm 1.8) \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^4$

TAPS, LARA, SENECA Schumacher, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 55(2005)

How to extract the RCS polarizabilities



RCS below pion threshold

- > effects of the polarizabilities rather small (~ 10 %) below threshold
- > limitation in energy in order to apply low energy expansion (LEX)

Dispersion relation formalism allows

- \succ to check validity of LEX
- > to extract polarizabilities with a minimum of model dependence
- \succ to go to higher energies to enhance the sensitivity to polarizabilities

Dispersion Relations at fixed t

$$\mathbf{T} = \varepsilon_{\mu} \varepsilon_{\nu}^{\prime *} \sum_{i=1}^{6} A_{i}(\nu, t) O_{i}^{\mu\nu}$$

 $A_i(\nu, t)$: 6 Lorentz invariant functions of $\nu = E_\gamma + \frac{t}{4M}$ and $t = -2E'_\gamma E_\gamma (1 - \cos \theta)$

analytical functions in the complex ν plane with cuts and poles on the real axis



$$A_i(\nu, t) = A_i(-\nu, t)$$
 $A_i(\nu^*, t) = A_i^*(\nu, t)$

Unsubtracted Dispersion Relations

$$\operatorname{Re} A_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}} = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im}_{s} A_{i}(\nu' t) \frac{\nu' d\nu'}{\nu'^{2} - \nu^{2}} \quad (i = 3, 4, 5, 6)$$

$$\operatorname{Im}_{N} \int_{N}^{\gamma} \int_{N} \int_{N}^{\gamma} \int_{N} \int_{$$

input from phenomenological pion photoproduction amplitudes fitted to data and model for the two-pion contribution (suppressed for low energy RCS)

 \diamond Two amplitudes do not satisfy unsubtracted DRs \rightarrow finite energy sum rule

$$\operatorname{Re}A_{i}^{\mathrm{NB}} = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\nu_{max}} \operatorname{Im}_{s}A_{i}(\nu't) \frac{\nu' \mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2} - \nu^{2}} + A_{i}^{\mathrm{as}} \qquad (i = 1, 2)$$

asymptotic contribution \rightarrow meson exchange in the t-channel



L'vov, Petrun'kin, Schumacher, PRC55 (1997)

Subtracted Dispersion Relations

 $A_i(\nu, t) = A_i^s(\nu, 0) + A_i^t(0, t) + A_i(0, 0)$

subtracted dispersion relations in the s-channel



⇒ improved convergence of the integral

 $> A_i^t(0,t)$: subtracted dispersion relations in the t-channel $\gamma\gamma \to N\bar{N}$



> $A_i(0,0) = a_i \implies$ polarizabilities: free parameters fitted to data

Gorchtein, Drechsel, B.P., Vanderhaeghen, PRC61 (1999); Drechsel, B.P., Vanderhaeghen, Phys. Rep. 378(2003)

Mandelstam plane for RCS



RCS below pion threshold: fit with fixed-t DRs



Two main variants of Chiral EFT:

-Baryon Chiral Perturbation Theory (BChPT) \rightarrow expansion in q/ Λ , fully relativistic

-Heavy Baryon Chiral Perturbation Theory (HBChPT) \rightarrow expansion in q/ Λ and I/M_N non relativistic

* Inclusion of Δ as explicit degree of freedom:

- BChPT: δ - expansion: $\delta = \left(\frac{m_{\pi}}{\Delta M}, \frac{\Delta M}{\Lambda}\right)$ with $\Delta M = M_{\Delta} - M_N$ [Pascalutsa and Phillips, PRC67 (2003)]

- HBChPT: small-scale expansion (SSE) or ϵ expansion: $\epsilon = \left(\frac{m_{\pi}}{\Lambda}, \frac{p}{\Lambda}, \frac{\Delta M}{\Lambda}\right)$ [Hemmert, Holstein and Kambor, PLB395 (1997)]

Different power counting scheme

* Unknown LECs enter in the polarizabilities at NLO \rightarrow parameters to fit to RCS data

Global Fit using BChPT with Δ



EFTs versus DRs

Fit to UNPOLARIZED cross section \rightarrow sensitivity to $\alpha_{E1} - \beta_{M1}$ and $\alpha_{E1} + \beta_{M1}$



Heavy Baryon ChPT [Beane, Malheiro, McGovern, Phillips, van Kolck, NPA747 (2005)]

Baryon ChPT with Δ [Lensky and Pascalutsa, EPJC65 (2010)]

Partially Covariant Baryon ChPT with Δ [McGovern, Phillips, Griesshammer, EPJA49 (2013)]

how to obtain more accurate values for scalar polarizabilities?



* combination of cross sections with linearly pol. photons in the transverse direction to the photon momentum \implies independent extraction of α_{E1} and β_{M1}

Proposal of measurements for the neutron at HIgS and for the proton at MAMI MAMI proposal: A2/06-2012

Spin Polarizabilities

	HB ³	HB ⁴	SSE	LC ³	$LC^3 + \Delta$	LC⁴	DRs	Exp.
γ _{ειει}	-5.7	-1.4	-5.4	-3.3	-4.5	-2.8	-4.3	no data
γμιμι	-1.1	3.3	1.4	-0.1	3.7	-3.I	2.9	no data
γ _{ΕΙΜ2}	1.1	0.2	1.0	0.5	-0.9	0.8	0.0	no data
γ _{ΜΙΕ2}	1.1	1.8	1.0	0.8	2.2	0.3	2.1	no data
Ŷο	4.6	-3.9	2.0	1.8	-0.7	4.8	-0.7	-0.9 ± 0.08 ± 0.11
γ_{π}	4.6	6.3	6.8	3.5	11.3	-0.8	9.3	8.0 ± 1.8

HB³: Heavy Baryon ChPT at O(p³) [Hemmert et al, 1998]

- HB⁴: Heavy Baryon ChPT at O(p⁴) [Kumar et al, 2000]
- SSE: Heavy Baryon with Δ at O(p³) [Hemmert et al, 1998]
- LC³⁺ Δ : [Lensky, Pascalutsa, EPJC (2010); Lensky, Pascalutsa, to be published]
- LC⁴: Lorentz covariant ChPT [Djukanovic, PhD Thesis, Mainz, 2008]

DRs: Dispersion Relations [Drechsel et al., 2003]

** values WITHOUT pion-pole contribution

Spin Polarizabilities from

Double and single polarization experiments at MAMI

(MAMI proposal A2/11-2009)



> leading spin polarizabilities are treated as free parameters

- $\succ \alpha_{E1}$ and β_{M1} are fixed to central exp. value
- higher-order polarizabilities are fixed by subtracted dispersion relations based on pion-photoproduction multipoles

cross-check with alternative models



* solid curves: unitary and casual effective field theory based on chiral Lagrangian

- ----> parameters fitted to pion-photoproduction multipoles
- description of pion-photoproduction and Compton scattering up to W=1.3 GeV [Gasparyan, Lutz, NPA848 (2010); Gasparyan, Lutz, BP, Nucl.Phys.A866(2011)]
- * dashed curves: dispersion relations using the same values for polarizabilities

difference between dashed and solid curves due to higher-order terms

Virtual Compton Scattering on proton



low energy outgoing photon plays role of applied e.m. dipole field

nucleon response :

Guichon et al. (1995)

Generalized Polarizabilities (GPs)

Drechsel et al. (1998)

 $\alpha(Q^2)$, $\beta(Q^2)$, and 4 spin GPs describe the spatial distributions of induced polarizations

 $e p \longrightarrow e' p \gamma$

$$T^{\mathrm{ep}\to\mathrm{e}'\mathrm{p}\gamma} = T^{\mathrm{BH}} + T^{\mathrm{VCS}}$$



 \succ Multipole expansion of T_{NB}



 ρ, ρ' $\begin{cases}
2 Coulomb \\
I Magnetic \\
0 Electric
\end{cases}$

Angular momentum conservation: $|L-L'| \le S \le L+L'$

Parity conservation: $(-1)^{L+\rho} = (-1)^{L'+\rho'}$

Generalized Polarizabilities (GPs)

(using charge conjugation and nucleon crossing symmetry)

final γ	initial γ^*	S	Ρ ^{(ρ'L',ρ L)S}	RCS limit
EI	CI	0	P ^{(01,01)0}	α
	CI		P ^{(01,01)1}	0
	M2		P ^{(01,12)1}	γ _{ειм2}
MI	MI	0	P ^{(11,11)0}	β
	MI		P ^{(11,11)1}	0
	E2		P ^{(11,02)1}	Υ _{ΜΙΕ2}

2 scalar GPs + 4 spin GPS

✤ LEX

- o expansion in q '
- o valid only at low energies (below pion threshold)
- o extraction of structure functions which contain linear combinations of 6 GPs
 - \longrightarrow model input for the spin-flip GPs to isolate $\alpha(Q^2)$ and $\beta(Q^2)$

✤ DR

- o full energy dependence
- o valid below and above pion threshold
- ⇒ consistency check of LEX below pion threshold it allows to go at higher energies where the effects of GPs are enhanced
- o direct extraction of $\alpha(\mbox{Q}^2)$ and $\beta(\mbox{Q}^2)$



The Unpolarized VCS experiments in the World

	Q ² (GeV ²)	8	Method of analysis	Roche, et al, PRL 85 (2000)
MAMI-AI-I	0.33	0.62	LEX	
JLab E93050	0.9, 1.8	0.95, 0.88	LEX and DRs	Laveissiere, et al, PRL 93 (2004)
Bates E9703	0.057	0.90	LEX and DRs	Bourgeois et al., PRL97 (2006)
MAMI-AI-2	0.33	0.48	DRs	Bensafa et al., EPJA32 (2007)
MAMI-AI-3	0.33	0.64	LEX	Janssens et al., EPJA37 (2008)

Low Energy Expansion (below π threshold)



Low energy expansion in q'

$$d^{5}\sigma^{e\,p\to e'\,p'\,\gamma}(q,q',\theta,\epsilon,\phi) = d^{5}\sigma^{\mathrm{BH}+\mathrm{Born}} + q'\,\Phi\,\Psi_{0}(q,\theta,\epsilon,\phi) + \mathcal{O}(q'^{2})$$

$$\Psi_0(q,\theta,\epsilon,\phi) = v_1(\theta,\phi) \left[P_{LL}(Q^2) - \frac{1}{\epsilon} P_{TT} \right] + v_2(\theta,\phi) P_{LT}(Q^2)$$

unpolarized experiment linear combinations of 6 GPs

The VCS Structure Functions

Measured ep \rightarrow e'p γ cross sections at MAMI below threshold



LEX analysis at MAMI



Analogous analysis at JLab and MIT-Bates

Results for Structure Funtions



Dispersion Relations

***** VCS described in terms of 12 Lorentz invariant amplitudes F_i (ν , t, Q^2)

 \clubsuit unsubtracted dispersion relations in the s-channel at fixed t and Q^2

$$\operatorname{Re}F_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi}\mathcal{P}\int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im}F_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu',t)\frac{\nu'\,\mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}}$$



 $\operatorname{Im} F_i \Longrightarrow \gamma^* N \to \pi N \text{ from MAID}$

MAID: Drechsel, Hanstein, Kamalov, Tiator, NPA 645 (1999)

 \bullet two amplitudes do not satisfy unsubtracted DRs \rightarrow finite energy sum rule

$$\operatorname{Re}F_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{P}\int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\nu_{max}} \operatorname{Im}_{s} F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t) \frac{\nu' \mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}} + F_{i}^{\operatorname{as}}(Q^{2},\nu,t)$$

asymptotic parts contain free parameters fitted to data at fixed Q² $\alpha(Q^2) = \alpha^{\text{DISP}}(Q^2) + \alpha^{\text{ASY}}(Q^2) \qquad \beta(Q^2) = \beta^{\text{disp}}(Q^2) + \beta^{\text{ASY}}(Q^2)$

Mandelstam plane for RCS





-0.5

100 200

100 200

q '_{c.m.} (MeV/c)

100 200

100 200



scalar electric and magnetic GPs

World data on proton

Generalized Polarizabilities (GPs)



Induced polarization in proton



 $\boldsymbol{\nu} = q \cdot P/M$ $\boldsymbol{\tau} = Q^2/(4M^2)$

light-front

$$H^{\mu\nu} = -i \int d^4x \, e^{-iq \cdot x} \langle p', \, \lambda'_N | T[J^{\mu}(x), \, J^{\nu}(0)] | p, \, \lambda_N \rangle$$

 \bigstar density interpretation : consider process in light-front frame

+ component of virtual photon \implies VCS tensor $H^{+\nu}$

$$\bigstar \text{ quasi-static electric field } \vec{E} \sim iq'^0 \vec{\varepsilon}'_{\perp} = i \frac{\nu}{(1+\tau)} \frac{P^+}{M} \vec{\varepsilon}'_{\perp}$$

 \bigstar induced dipole moment minimizes energy $-\vec{E}\cdot\vec{P}_0$

 $\bigstar \text{ linear response in } \circ \vec{\varepsilon}_{\perp}^{\prime*} \cdot \vec{P}_{0} \equiv \varepsilon_{\nu}^{\prime*} \frac{(1+\tau)}{(2P^{+})} \frac{\partial H^{+\nu}}{\partial \nu}|_{\nu=0} + \text{ component } \varepsilon_{\nu}^{\prime*} \frac{\partial H^{+\nu}}{\partial \nu}|_{\nu=0}$

induced polarization in proton with definite helicity

$$\vec{P}_{0}(\vec{b}) = \int \frac{d^{2}\vec{q}_{\perp}}{(2\pi)^{2}} e^{-i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{b}_{\perp}} \vec{P}_{0}(\vec{q}_{\perp})$$
$$= \hat{b} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dQ}{(2\pi)} QJ_{1}(bQ)A(Q^{2})$$

A expressed in terms of GPs : mainly α and β





induced polarization in proton with **transverse spin**

$$\begin{split} \vec{P}_{T}(\vec{b}) &- \vec{P}_{0}(\vec{b}) = \\ &-\vec{b} \left(\vec{S}_{\perp} \times \vec{\varepsilon}_{z}'\right) \cdot \vec{b} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dQ}{(2\pi)} Q J_{2}(bQ) B(Q^{2}) \\ &+ \left(\vec{S}_{\perp} \times \vec{\varepsilon}_{z}'\right) \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{dQ}{(2\pi)} Q \left[J_{0}(bQ) C(Q^{2}) + \frac{J_{1}(bq)}{bQ} B(Q^{2})\right] \end{split}$$

B and C expressed in terms of GPs : include spin GPs

[Gorchtein, Lorcé, Pasquini,Vdh , PRL(2009)]



0.5

1.0

0.0

 $b_x [fm]$

-0.5

-1.0

-1.0

-0.5



- Nucleon polarizabilities to learn about e.m. response of the internal degrees of freedom of the nucleon under the influence of a quasistatic e.m. field
- Dispersion Relation formalism and EFTs as powerful and complementary tools to extract polarizabilities from data
- ◆ Planned extractions at MAMI and HIGS of scalar polarizabilities using linearly polarized photons
 → allows first ever independent extraction of \$\alpha_{E1}\$ and \$\beta_{M1}\$
- New double polarization experiments for RCS at MAMI and HIGS will give first results for spin polarizabilities in RCS
- Planned VCS experiments at MAMI to learn about the GPs in the intermediate Q² region mapping in the coordinate space of the deformation induced in the charge and magnetization densities of the proton in the presence of an external e.m. field



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Contribution to structure functions from spin-dependent GPs



Dependence on the proton em form factors





Measured ep \rightarrow e'p γ cross sections below threshold



Fit of the VCS structure functions

LEX analysis

$$(\mathrm{d}\sigma_{\mathrm{exp}} - \mathrm{d}\sigma_{\mathrm{BH+Born}})/\Phi/v_2 = P_{LT} + v_1/v_2(P_{LL} - P_{TT}/\epsilon)$$





Asymptotic behavior

$$\mathrm{Re}F_{i}^{\mathrm{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi}\mathrm{P}\int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty}\mathrm{Im}_{s}\,F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t)\frac{\nu'\mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}}$$

 $\alpha_P(0) \equiv 1.08$ (Pomeron); $\alpha_M(0) \le 0.5$ (Meson)

 \succ for i \neq 1, 5: unsubtracted dispersion relations

$$\operatorname{Re}F_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{P}\int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im}_{s} F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t) \frac{\nu' \mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}}$$

> for i = 1, 5: finite energy sum rule

$$\operatorname{Re}F_{i}^{\operatorname{NB}}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{P}\int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\nu_{max}} \operatorname{Im}_{s} F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t) \frac{\nu' \mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}} + F_{i}^{\operatorname{as}}(Q^{2},\nu,t)$$

Dispersion Integrals



• for $s \le (M_N + 2m_\pi)^2$ the dominant contribution is from one-pion intermediate states

 $\operatorname{Im} F_i \Longrightarrow \gamma^{(*)} N \to \pi N \text{ from MAID2003}$

MAID2003: Drechsel, Hanstein, Kamalov, Tiator, NPA 645 (1999)

> Asymptotic contribution to $F_5 = -4 F_{11}$



 π^0 exchange in the t-channel

> Asymptotic parts and contributions beyond π N

F₁^{as} : energy independent t-channel pole

$$F_1^{\text{NB}}(Q^2,\nu,t) - F_1^{\pi N}(Q^2,\nu,t) \simeq \frac{f(Q^2)}{1 - t/m_{\sigma}^2}$$

$$f(Q^2)f(Q^2) = [F_1(t = -Q^2,\nu = 0) - F_1^{\pi N}(t = -Q^2,\nu = 0)](1 + Q^2/m_{\sigma}^2)'m_{\sigma}^2)$$

$$\beta(Q^2) - \beta^{\pi N}(Q^2) = \frac{\left(\beta^{\exp}(0) - \beta^{\pi N}(0)\right)}{\left(1 + Q^2/\Lambda_{\beta}^2\right)^2}$$

contribution beyond π N to F₂ :energy independent constant

$$F_2^{\text{NB}}(Q^2,\nu,t) - F_2^{\pi N}(Q^2,\nu,t) \simeq F_2^{\text{NB}}(t = -Q^2,\nu = 0,Q^2) - F_2^{\pi N}(t = -Q^2,\nu = 0,Q^2)$$

$$\alpha(Q^2) - \alpha^{\pi N}(Q^2) = \frac{\left(\alpha^{\exp(0)} - \alpha^{\pi N}(0)\right)}{\left(1 + Q^2/\Lambda_{\alpha}^2\right)^2}$$

Scalar polarizabilities $\alpha(Q^2)$ ad $\beta(Q^2)$ (two parameters Λ_{α} and Λ_{β}) fitted from experiments

Subtracted Dispersion Relations

$$\operatorname{Re}A_{i}(\nu, t) = A_{i}^{\mathrm{B}}(\nu, t) + \frac{2}{\pi} \operatorname{P} \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im}_{s} A_{i}(\nu', t) \frac{\nu' \mathrm{d}\nu'}{\nu'^{2} - \nu^{2}}$$

$$\operatorname{Re} A_{i}(\nu, t) = A_{i}^{B}(\nu, t) + \left[A_{i}(0, t) - A_{i}^{B}(0, t)\right] \\ + \frac{2}{\pi} \nu^{2} \operatorname{P} \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} \operatorname{Im}_{s} A_{i}(\nu', t) \frac{d\nu'}{\nu'(\nu'^{2} - \nu^{2})} \longrightarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{convergence for all 6} \\ \text{amplitudes} \end{array}$$

* subtraction functions $A_i(0,t) - A_i^B(0,t)$ determined from subtracted DRs in t at fixed $\nu = 0$

$$A_{i}(0,t) - A_{i}^{B}(0,t) = a_{i} + \frac{t}{\pi} \left(\int_{\text{pos.-t cut}} dt' - \int_{\text{neg.-tcut}} dt' \right) \frac{\text{Im}_{t} A_{i}(0,t')}{t'(t'-t)}$$

* subtraction constants $a_i = A_i(0,0) - A_i^B(0,0)$ directly related to linear combinations of static polarizabilities

Subtracted Dispersion Relations

 $A_{i}(\nu, t) = \frac{a_{i}}{a_{i}} + A_{i}^{s}(\nu, t) + A_{i}^{t}(0, t)$

Drechsel, Gorchtein, BP, Vanderhaeghen, PRC61 (1999)



- one-pion intermediate states: $I\pi$ photoproduction multipoles from MAID analysis
- resonance contribution from multipion intermediate states





t-channel dispersion integral

 $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi\pi$: unitarized S and D waves amplitudes

 $\pi\pi \rightarrow N$ N: extrapolation of the crossed π N $\rightarrow \pi$ N helicity amplitudes [Hoehler, 1983]

• negative – t cut: t \leq - 2m_{π} (M+m_{π})

extrapolation of the s-channel amplitudes (Δ (1232) and non-resonant π N exchange) in the unphysical region at ν =0 and t \leq 0

$A_{i}(\nu, t) = \mathbf{a}_{i} + A_{i}^{s}(\nu, t) + A_{i}^{t}(0, t)$

> $A_i^s(\nu, t)$ and $A_i^t(0, t)$ input from available experimental information of different processes ($\gamma \pi \rightarrow \pi N, \gamma \gamma \rightarrow \pi \pi$ and $\pi \pi \rightarrow NN$)

 $> a_i$: subtraction constants given by the polarizabilities

free parameters to be fitted to RCS data

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_{E1} + \beta_{M1} &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} (a_3 + a_6) \\ \alpha_{E1} - \beta_{M1} &= -\frac{1}{2\pi} a_1 \\ \gamma_{E1E1} &= \frac{1}{8\pi M} (a_2 - a_4 + 2a_5 + a_6) \\ \gamma_{M1M1} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi M} (a_2 + a_4 + 2a_5 - a_6) \\ \gamma_{E1M2} &= \frac{1}{8\pi M} (a_2 - a_4 - a_6) \\ \gamma_{M1E2} &= -\frac{1}{8\pi M} (a_2 + a_4 + a_6) \end{aligned}$$



forward spin-dependent amplitude from experimental data

$$T(\nu, \theta = 0) = \vec{\varepsilon}'^* \cdot \vec{\varepsilon} f(\nu) + i\vec{\sigma} \cdot (\vec{\varepsilon}'^* \times \vec{\varepsilon}) g(\nu)$$

$$g(\nu) = \frac{-e^2 \kappa_N^2}{8\pi M^2} \nu + \nu^3 \gamma_0^{\text{dyn}}(\nu) \xrightarrow{\text{LEX}} \gamma_0^{\text{dyn}}(\nu) = \gamma_0 + \bar{\gamma}_0 \nu^2 + \mathcal{O}(\nu^4)$$
$$\operatorname{Re}[\gamma_0^{\text{dyn}}(\nu)] = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \mathcal{P} \int_{\nu_0}^{\infty} \frac{\sigma_{1/2}(\nu') - \sigma_{3/2}(\nu')}{\nu'(\nu'^2 - \nu^2)} \, \mathrm{d}\nu' \qquad \operatorname{Im}[\gamma_0^{\text{dyn}}(\nu)] = \frac{\sigma_{1/2}(\nu) - \sigma_{3/2}(\nu)}{8\pi\nu^2}$$



MAID05: input of dispersion integrals



Drechsel, Hanstein, Kamalov, Tiator, NPA645 (1999)

Asymptotic behaviour

Behavior at ν !1 at fixed Q^2 and t

$$F_{1}, F_{5} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-2}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)}$$

$$F_{5} + 4F_{11} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-2}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-1}$$

$$F_{2}, F_{6}, F_{10} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-2}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-2}$$

$$F_{7} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-3}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-1}$$

$$F_{3}, F_{8} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-3}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-2}$$

$$F_{9}, F_{12} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-4}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-2}$$

$$F_{4} \sim \nu^{\alpha_{P}(t)-4}, \quad \nu^{\alpha_{M}(t)-3}$$

 $\alpha_{P}(0) \equiv 1.08 \text{ (Pomeron)}, \ \alpha_{M}(0) \leq 0.5 \text{ (Meson)}$ $for i \neq 1, i \neq 5 \text{ UNsubtracted Dispersion Relations}$ $ReF_{i}^{NB}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi} P \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\infty} Im_{s} F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t) \frac{\nu' d\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}}$ for i = 1, i = 5 : $ReF_{i}^{NB}(Q^{2},\nu,t) = \frac{2}{\pi} P \int_{\nu_{thr}}^{\nu_{max}} Im_{s} F_{i}(Q^{2},\nu',t) \frac{\nu' d\nu'}{\nu'^{2}-\nu^{2}} + F_{i}^{as}(Q^{2},\nu,t)$

Dispersion Relations at fixed t and fixed Q²

$$\mathbf{T}^{\mathrm{VCS}} = \varepsilon_{\mu} \varepsilon_{\nu}^{\prime *} \sum_{i=1}^{12} F_i(Q^2, \nu, t) \rho_i^{\mu\nu}$$

 $F_i(Q^2, \nu, t)$: 12 analytical functions in the complex ν plane with cuts and poles on the real axis $\int Im(\nu)$

 $\bullet v + i \varepsilon$ $V_{B} = V_{B}$ Re(v) $\bullet Analyticity in v, Causalit \rightarrow Cauchy integral formula$

$$F_i(Q^2,\nu,t) = F_i^B(Q^2,\nu,t) + \oint_C F_i(Q^2,\nu',t) \frac{\nu' d\nu'}{\nu'^2 - \nu^2}$$

Crossing symmetry and analyticity