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Effective field theories in a finite volume

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Plan

- Introduction: effective field theories in a finite volume
- Lüscher equation in a moving frame
- The nature of scalar mesons:
 - Identification of the hadronic molecules on the lattice
 - Twisted boundary conditions and the generalization of Lüscher formula for multi-channel scattering
 - Strangeness content of the exotic states
- Infinite-volume limit of the matrix elements on the lattice
- Conclusions, outlook

Goals:

- Extracting scattering S-matrix elements from lattice simulations:
 - Elastic scattering (Lüscher)
 - Inelastic scattering: phase shifts, inelasticities, scattering lengths
 - Resonance parameters
 - The nature of the resonances: $q\bar{q}$ states, hadronic molecules, tetraquarks, etc
- Extracting matrix elements of external currents:
 - Magnetic moments, axial charges, etc
 - Electromagnetic formfactors

Infinite-volume limit?

↪ Use effective field theory methods!

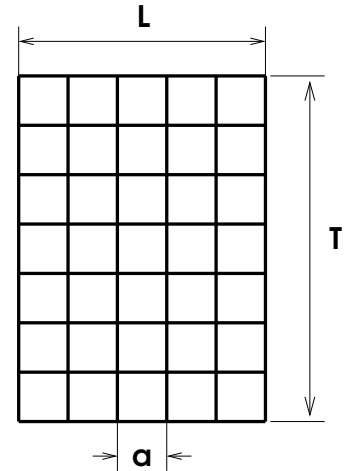
Lüscher approach

M. Lüscher, lectures given at Les Houches (1988); NPB 364 (1991) 237

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Lattice calculations are always done
in a finite volume

- ⇒ *The spectrum is discrete*
- ⇒ *scattering? resonances?*



Energy spectrum at: $R_{\text{int}}^{-1}L \simeq ML \gg 1, \quad a \rightarrow 0$

- Momenta are small: $p \simeq 2\pi/L \ll M \Rightarrow$ **NR EFT**
- Finite-volume corrections to the energy levels are only power-suppressed in L
- Studying the dependence of the energy levels on L gives the scattering phase in the infinite volume \Rightarrow **Resonances**

Example: Lüscher equation the moving frame

Covariant non-relativistic EFT in the infinite volume, no spin:

G. Colangelo, J. Gasser, B. Kubis and AR, PLB 638 (2006) 187

$$\mathcal{L} = \Psi^\dagger 2W_N (i\partial_t - W_N) \Psi + \Phi^\dagger 2W_\pi (i\partial_t - W_\pi) \Phi + C_0 \Psi^\dagger \Phi^\dagger \Phi \Psi + \dots$$

$$W_N = \sqrt{M_N^2 - \Delta}, \quad W_\pi = \sqrt{M_\pi^2 - \Delta}$$

Lippmann-Schwinger equation in an arbitrary moving frame:

$$T(p_1 p_2; q_1 q_2) = V(p_1 p_2; q_1 q_2) + \int \frac{d^3 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{V(p_1 p_2; k_1 k_2) T(k_1 k_2; q_1 q_2)}{4w_N w_\pi (w_N + w_\pi - q_1^0 - q_2^0)}$$

$$\mathbf{k}_N = \eta \mathbf{P} + \mathbf{k}, \quad \mathbf{k}_\pi = (1 - \eta) \mathbf{P} + \mathbf{k}, \quad \eta = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + \frac{m_N^2 - M_\pi^2}{s} \right)$$

Choice of the interaction Lagrangian:

V depends on the Lorentz-invariant variables $p_i \cdot p_j$

Partial-wave expansion: infinite volume

LS equation for the on-shell partial-wave amplitudes:

$$T_L(s) = V_L(s) + V_L(s) G(s) V_L(s)$$

$$V_L(s) = (s - s_t)^L \left(\sum_n C_{nL} (s - s_t)^n \right), \quad s_t = (m_N + M_\pi)^2$$

$$G(s) = \lim_{d \rightarrow 3} \int \frac{d^d \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{1}{4w_N w_\pi (w_N + w_\pi - q_1^0 - q_2^0)} = \frac{ip(s)}{8\pi\sqrt{s}}$$

Matching:

$C_{nL} \Leftrightarrow$ effective-range expansion parameters
(scattering length, effective radius, etc)

Non-relativistic EFT in a finite volume

S.R. Beane et al., NPA 747 (2005) 55 (no spin, CM frame)

Finite volume: $\int \frac{d^3\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} (\dots) \rightarrow \frac{1}{L^3} \sum_{\mathbf{k}} (\dots), \quad \mathbf{k} = \frac{2\pi\mathbf{n}}{L}, \quad \mathbf{n} \in Z^3$

\Rightarrow Poles of the resolvent $\langle \mathbf{p} | \frac{1}{z-H} | \mathbf{q} \rangle \Rightarrow$ Spectrum in a box

Lüscher formula for the scattering phase shift, moving frame

M. Lage et al., in progress

$$\det \left(\delta_{mm'} \delta_{ll'} - \tan \delta_l(p) \underbrace{\mathcal{M}_{lm,l'm'}^{\mathbf{d}}(p)}_{\text{Free Green function, finite volume}} \right) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{d} = \frac{L}{2\pi} (\mathbf{p}_1 + \mathbf{p}_2)$$

Lüscher approach in the moving frame

The matrix $\mathcal{M}_{lm,l'm'}^{\mathbf{d}}(p)$ is given by a linear combination of

$$Z_{lm}^{\mathbf{d}}(1, q^2) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 1} \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in P_d} \frac{Y_{lm}(\mathbf{r})}{(\mathbf{r}^2 - q^2)^s}$$

$$P_d = \{ \mathbf{r} \in \mathbb{R}^3 \mid \mathbf{r} = \gamma^{-1}(\mathbf{n} - \eta \mathbf{d}) \quad \text{for some } \mathbf{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^3 \}$$

$$\gamma^{-1} \mathbf{a} \doteq (\gamma^{-1} a_{\parallel}, \mathbf{a}_{\perp}), \quad q = \frac{pL}{2\pi}$$

- By using *covariant* NR effective field theory method, we obtain Lüscher formula in the moving frame, including unequal mass case and scattering of the particles with spin
- The rotation symmetry is broken down to (a subgroup of) (the double cover of) the cubic group; mixing of the partial waves
- Symmetry is reduced in the unequal mass case, e.g., $Z_{lm}^{\mathbf{d}}(1, q^2) \neq 0$ for odd values of l
- Planned: using *covariant* NR EFT to describe 3-body systems

Where are the resonance poles?

Consider CM frame:

Suppose that there exists an isolated narrow resonance in the vicinity of the elastic threshold. Assume that effective range expansion for the quantity $p \cot \delta(p)$ is convergent in the resonance region.

$$p \cot \delta(p) = A_0 + A_1 p^2 + \dots$$

⇒ A_0, A_1, \dots are measured on the lattice

⇒ Resonance pole in the complex momentum plane:

$$\cot \delta(p_*) = -i$$

⇒ $p \rightarrow p_*$ effectively amounts to the infinite-volume limit $\text{Im } q \rightarrow \mp \infty$, since

$$\lim_{\text{Im } q \rightarrow \mp \infty} \frac{Z_{00}(1; q^2)}{\pi^{3/2} q} = \mp i \text{ sign}(\text{Re } q)$$

Example: The nature of the scalar mesons

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- What is the nature of the scalar mesons with a mass ~ 1 GeV:
 $q\bar{q}$ states? tetraquarks? hadronic molecules? ...?
- What kind of the information can be learned from the lattice?

Consider $f_0(980)$ in the vicinity of “heavy” threshold $s = s_t = 4M_K^2$:

2-channel LS equation, infinite volume (“heavy”=1, “light”=2):

$$\begin{aligned}T_{11} &= H_{11} + H_{11}iq_1T_{11} + H_{12}iq_2T_{21} \\T_{21} &= H_{21} + H_{21}iq_1T_{11} + H_{22}iq_2T_{21}\end{aligned}$$

Resonance pole(s) are determined from the secular equation:

$$1 - iq_1H_{11} - iq_2H_{22} - q_1q_2(H_{11}H_{22} - H_{12}^2) = 0$$

Quark compounds or molecules?

Compositeness criterium: S. Weinberg, PRD 130 (1963) 776; Phys. Rev. 131 (1963) 440; Phys. Rev. 137 (1965) B672

Pole counting: D. Morgan, NPA 543 (1992) 632

N. A. Törnqvist, PRD 51 (1995) 5312

D. Morgan and M. R. Pennington, PLB 258 (1991) 444; PRD 48 (1993) 1185

V. Baru *et al*, PLB 586 (2004) 53

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S -matrix poles:

- A single pole near threshold: hadronic molecule
 - More poles correspond to tightly bound state ($q\bar{q}$? tetraquarks?)
 - The argument is only valid near threshold
- ⇒ Measure $H_{ij}(s)$ on the lattice (multi-channel Lüscher equation)
- ⇒ Find the position of the pole(s)

Lippmann-Schwinger equation in a finite volume

$$iq_i \rightarrow \mathcal{J}_i = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi L}} Z_{00}(1; k_i^2), \quad k_i = \frac{Lq_i}{2\pi}, \quad i = 1, 2$$

The pseudophase $\delta(q_2)$ is a measurable on the lattice:

$$\delta(q_2) = -\phi(k_2) + \pi n, \quad k_2 = \frac{q_2 L}{2\pi}, \quad \tan \phi(k_2) = -\frac{\pi^{3/2} k_2}{Z_{00}(1; k_2^2)}$$

Expressing pseudophase through H_{ij} :

$$\tan \delta(q_2) = q_2 \left(H_{22}(s) + \frac{\mathcal{J}_1(s)(H_{12}(s))^2}{1 - \mathcal{J}_1(s)H_{11}(s)} \right)$$

$\Rightarrow \delta(s) \rightarrow H_{ij}(s)$: not enough equations in the multi-channel case!

Twisted boundary conditions: $K \bar{K}$ threshold

P.F. Bedaque, PLB 593 (2004) 82;

G.M. de Divitiis, R. Petronzio and N. Tantalo, PLB 595 (2004) 408;

G.M. de Divitiis and N. Tantalo, hep-lat/0409154;

C.T. Sachrajda and G. Villadoro, PLB 609 (2005) 73

The twisting angle: $\theta \in (0, 2\pi)$

$$u(\mathbf{x} + L\mathbf{e}_i) = u(\mathbf{x}), \quad d(\mathbf{x} + L\mathbf{e}_i) = d(\mathbf{x}), \quad s(\mathbf{x} + L\mathbf{e}_i) = e^{i\theta} s(\mathbf{x})$$

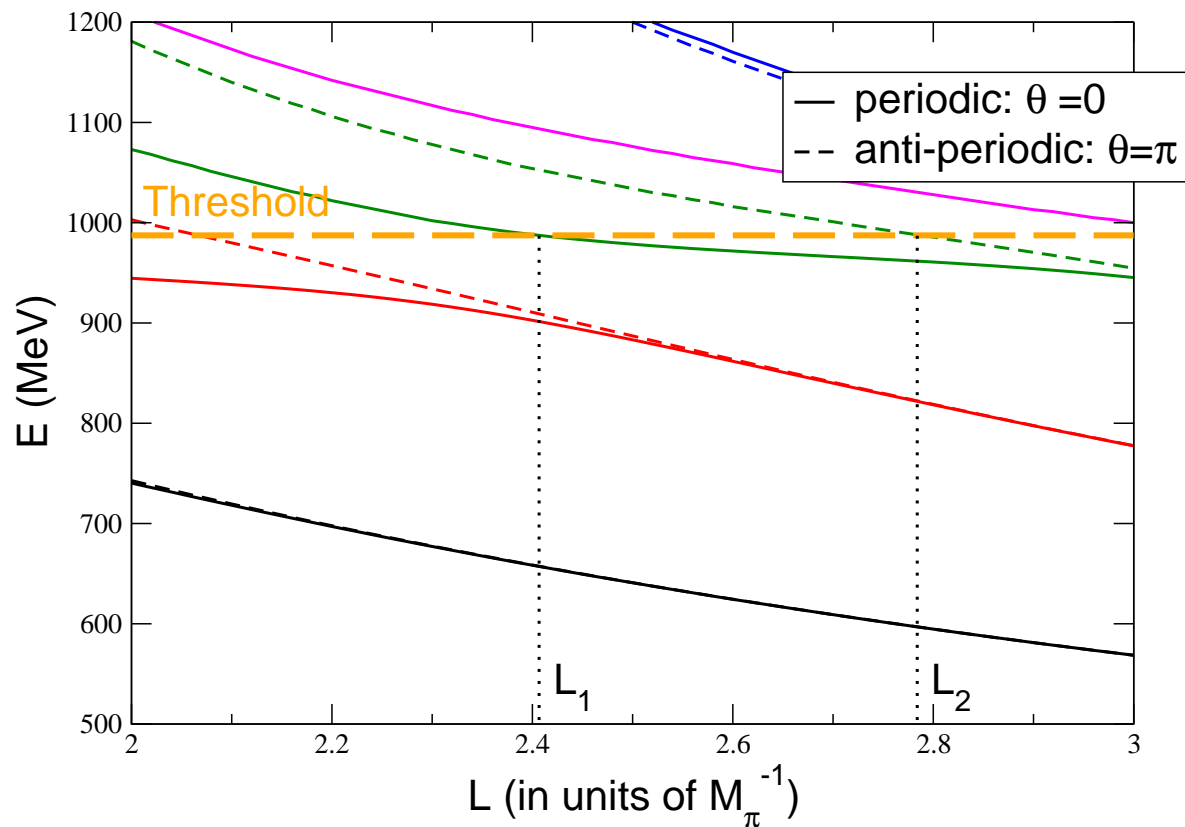
Only the “heavy” threshold with strange particles moves:

$$Z_{00}(1; k_1^2) \rightarrow Z_{00}^\theta(1, k_1^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi}} \lim_{s \rightarrow 1} \sum_{\mathbf{n} \in \mathbb{Z}^3} \frac{1}{((\mathbf{n} - \theta/2\pi)^2 - k_1^2)^s}$$

Pseudophase:
$$\tan \delta^\theta(q_2) = q_2 \left(H_{22}(s) + \frac{\mathcal{J}_1^\theta(s)(H_{12}(s))^2}{1 - \mathcal{J}_1^\theta(s)H_{11}(s)} \right)$$

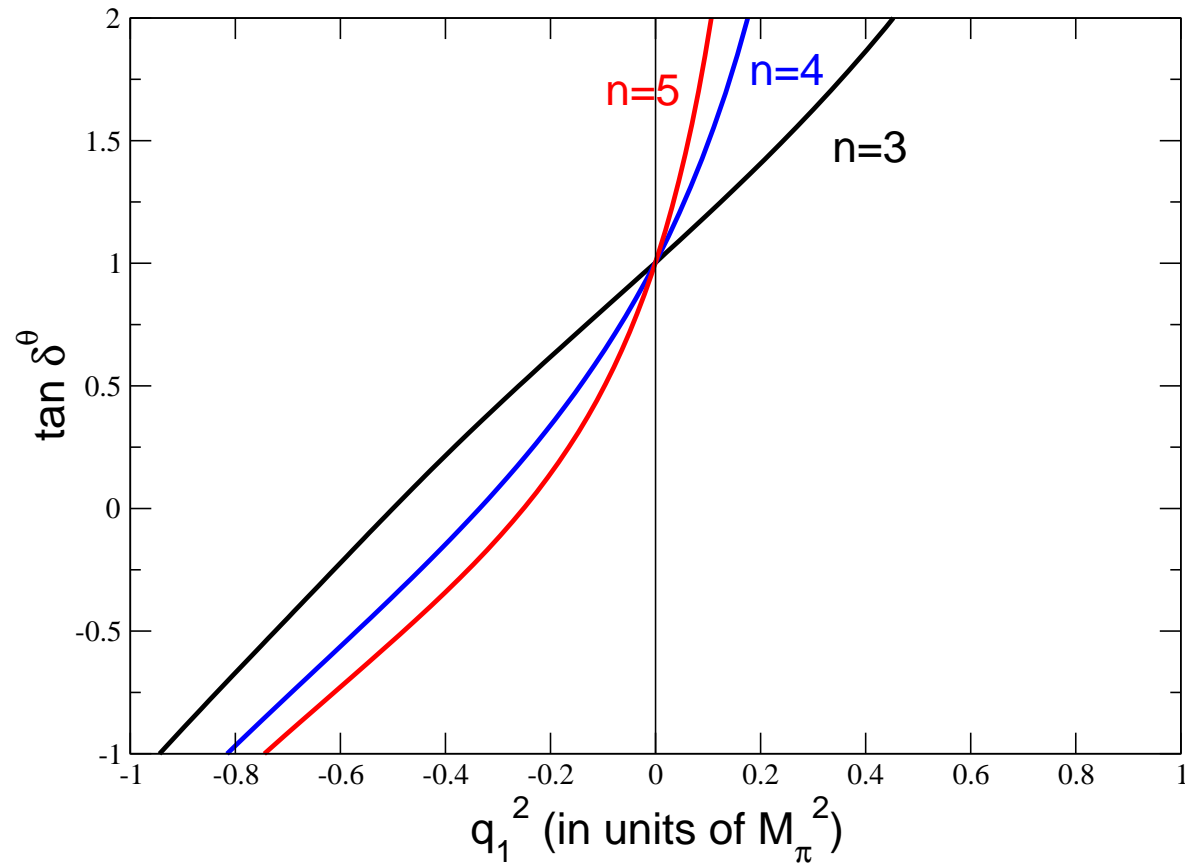
⇒ Independent matching conditions for every single θ

An example of the energy levels

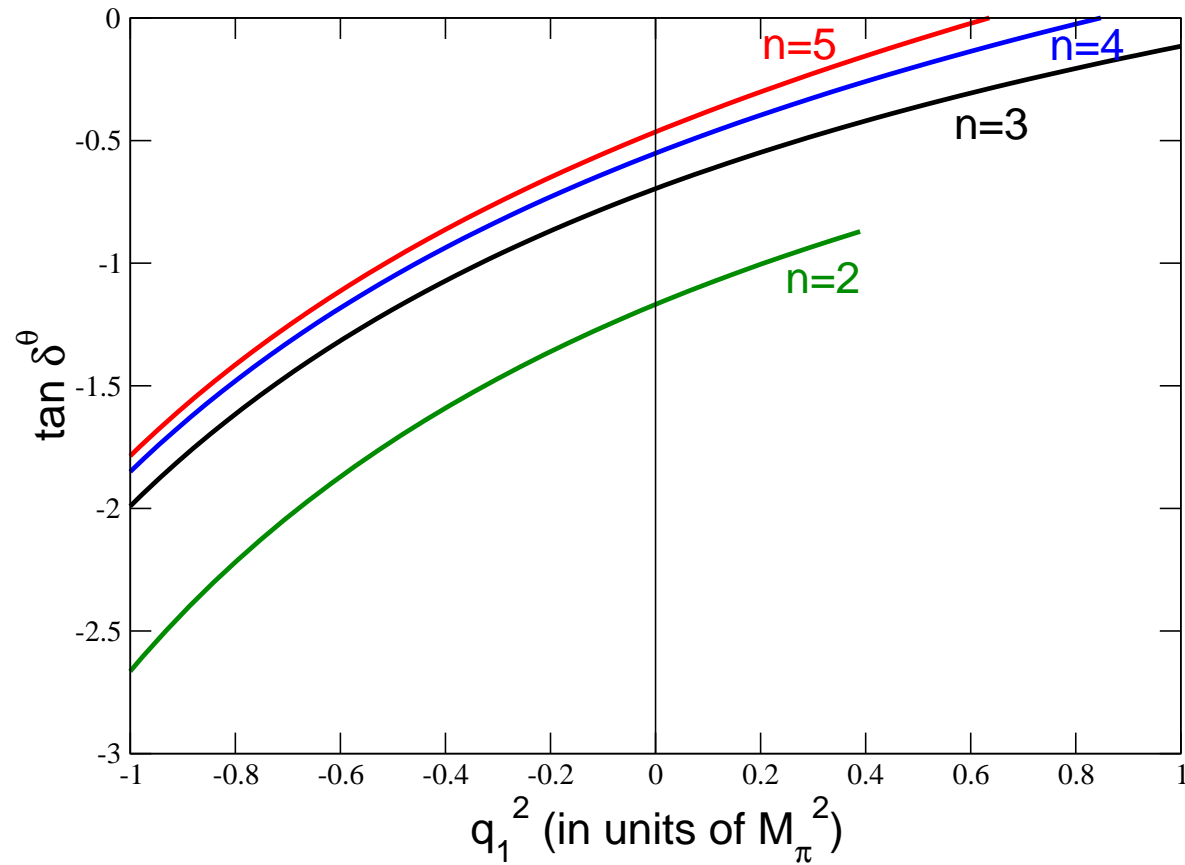


If the excited energy level does not change with θ , then $H_{12}(s_t) \simeq 0$
 \Rightarrow Corresponds to a tightly bound quark state (analogy with HBC)

Pseudophase $\pi\pi$, $K\bar{K}$ system: periodic b.c.



Pseudophase $\pi\pi$, $K\bar{K}$ system: anti-periodic b.c.



$q\bar{q}$ or tetraquarks?

Strangeness content in the non-relativistic quark model:

$$\mathbf{S}_i = \int d^3\mathbf{x} : \bar{\psi}_i(\mathbf{x}, t)\psi_i(\mathbf{x}, t) :, \quad \mathbf{S}_i|\Phi\rangle = (N_i + \bar{N}_i)|\Phi\rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow y_B = \frac{2\langle B|\bar{s}s|B\rangle}{\langle B|\bar{u}u + \bar{d}d|B\rangle}$$

B	$q\bar{q}$		$q^2\bar{q}^2$	
	wave funct.	y_B	wave funct.	y_B
$I = 0, ns$	$\frac{u\bar{u}+d\bar{d}}{\sqrt{2}}$,	0	$[ud][\bar{u}\bar{d}]$,	0
$I = 0, s$	$s\bar{s}$,	∞	$\frac{[su][\bar{s}\bar{u}]+[sd][\bar{s}\bar{d}]}{\sqrt{2}}$,	2
$I = \frac{1}{2}$	$u\bar{s}, d\bar{s} + \text{conj.}$,	2	$[su][\bar{u}\bar{d}], [sd][\bar{u}\bar{d}] + \text{conj.}$,	$\frac{2}{3}$
$I = 1$	$u\bar{d}, \frac{u\bar{u}-d\bar{d}}{\sqrt{2}} d\bar{u}$,	0	$[su][\bar{s}\bar{d}], \frac{[su][\bar{s}\bar{u}]-[sd][\bar{s}\bar{d}]}{\sqrt{2}}, [sd][\bar{s}\bar{u}]$,	2

Feynman-Hellmann theorem:

$$y_B = 2 \left(\frac{dM_B}{dm_s} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{dM_B}{dm_{ud}} \right)^{-1}$$

Example: matrix elements

1) External field method:

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + G_\mu + qA_\mu \quad \Rightarrow \quad U'_\mu = U_\mu U_\mu^B$$

Energy level shift in the constant magnetic field $A_y = Bx$, spin=1/2:

$$E_\pm = m \pm \mu B + O(B^2), \quad \mu = g \frac{e}{2m} s \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mu = \frac{E_{1/2} - E_{-1/2}}{B}$$

2) Evaluation of the three-point function on the lattice:

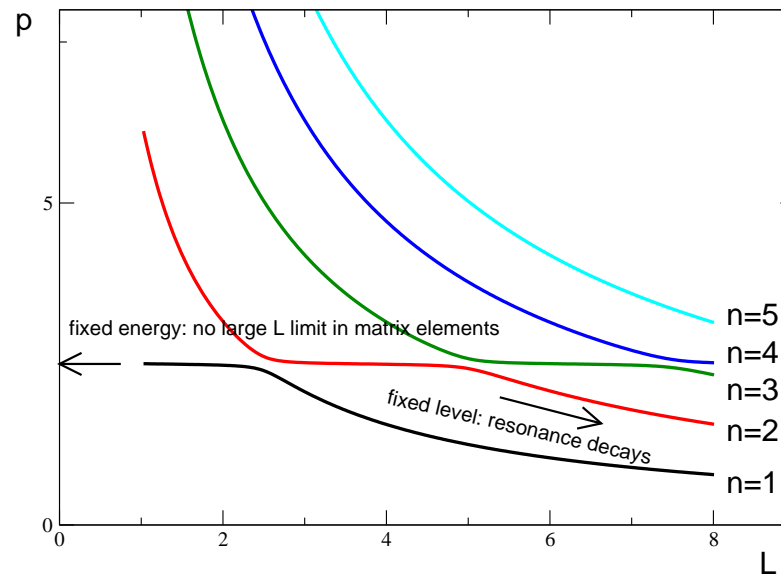
$$G_{\mu\nu}^\alpha(t, \tau, \mathbf{p}', \mathbf{p}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}, \xi} e^{-\mathbf{p}'(\mathbf{x}-\xi) - i\mathbf{p}\xi} \langle 0 | \chi_\mu(x) J^\alpha(\xi) \chi_\nu(0)^\dagger | 0 \rangle$$

$$G_{\mu\nu}(t, \mathbf{p}) = \sum_{\mathbf{x}} e^{-i\mathbf{p}\mathbf{x}} \langle 0 | \chi_\mu(x) \chi_\nu(0)^\dagger | 0 \rangle, \quad \chi_\mu^\dagger = \bar{d} \gamma_\mu u$$

$$R_{\mu\nu}^\alpha(\tau, \mathbf{p}', \mathbf{p}) = \frac{G_{\mu\nu}^\alpha(t, \tau, \mathbf{p}', \mathbf{p})}{G_{\mu\mu}(t, \mathbf{p}')} \sqrt{\frac{G_{\nu\nu}(t - \tau, \mathbf{p}) G_{\mu\mu}(\tau, \mathbf{p}') G_{\mu\mu}(t, \mathbf{p}')}{G_{\nu\nu}(\tau, \mathbf{p}) G_{\mu\mu}(t - \tau, \mathbf{p}') G_{\nu\nu}(t, \mathbf{p})}} \rightarrow G_i(Q^2)$$

Infinite-volume limit of the matrix elements

- For stable particles, the limit $L \rightarrow \infty$ exists
- Both methods give the matrix element sandwiched by the eigenvectors of the Hamiltonian. The resonances, however, do not correspond to a single energy level. **How does one calculate the infinite-volume limit for these matrix elements?**



- Fixed energy levels decay in the limit $L \rightarrow \infty$
- The matrix elements at fixed energy oscillate in the limit $L \rightarrow \infty$

Lüscher equation in the external field

Use non-relativistic EFT in a finite volume to calculate shift of the energy levels in the external field

$$T = \text{>}\bigcirc\bigcirc\text{<} + \text{>}\bigcirc\bigcirc\overset{\text{wavy}}{\square}\bigcirc\bigcirc\text{<} + \text{>}\bigcirc\bigcirc\bigcirc\overset{\text{wavy}}{\square}\bigcirc\bigcirc\text{<} + \dots$$

Γ_1 Γ_2

$$H^{-1}(p, p) - J^L(p) - H^{-2}(p, p)\Gamma_1(p) - \Gamma_2(p) = 0$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}L} Z_{00}(1; q^2) = p \cot \delta(p) - 8\pi\sqrt{s}(H^{-2}(p, p)\Gamma_1(p) + \Gamma_2(p))$$

Determine shift of the pole position \Rightarrow magnetic moment

Analytic continuation into the complex plane

$\Gamma_1(p)$: is a polynomial in p^2 , can be analytically continued $p^2 \rightarrow p_*^2$

$$\Gamma_2(p) \sim \frac{dJ^L(p)}{dP_0} = \frac{W_N W_\pi - p^2}{8\pi p s} \cot \delta(p) + \frac{W_N W_\pi}{8\pi p s} \frac{q\phi'(q)}{\sin^2 \phi(p)}$$

The solution of the problem:

- The “dangerous” term $\sim q\phi'(q)/\sin^2 \phi(q)$ depends on the energy level index n through $q = q_n(p)$
- This term can be eliminated by measuring two energy levels $q_1(p)$ and $q_2(p)$

$$\hat{F}(p) = \frac{b_1 F_2 - b_2 F_1}{b_2 - b_1} \quad \text{where} \quad F_i = \frac{Z_{00}(1, q_i^2)}{\pi^{3/2} q_i}, \quad b_i = q_i \phi'(q_i)$$

↪ The complex shift of the pole position is proportional to the magnetic moment of a resonance in the infinite volume

Results

- Non-relativistic effective field theories in a finite volume can be used to relate physical observables to the lattice data
- Using covariant NR EFT, Lüscher equation in the moving frame was derived in the non-equal mass case and for the scattering of the particles with spin
- Twisted boundary conditions are useful to study the multi-channel scattering:
 - ⇒ *Extract both phase shift and inelasticity*
 - ⇒ *Determine complex scattering lengths at inelastic threshold*
 - ⇒ *Study molecular vs non-molecular nature of $f_0(980)$, $a_0(980)$*
- Strangeness content can be used to establish the non- $q\bar{q}$ nature of the states
- Lüscher formula can be generalized for the resonance matrix elements (e.g., magnetic moments of Δ, ρ, \dots)