

Chiral field theory of 0^{-+} glueball

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- glueball is the solution of nonperturbative QCD
- Many candidates of 0^{++} , 0^{-+} , and 2^{++} glueballs have been discovered
- A chiral field theory is applied to do systematic and quantitative study of the properties of the 0^{-+} glueball.

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \bar{\psi}(x)(i\gamma \cdot \partial + \gamma \cdot v + \gamma \cdot a\gamma_5 - mu(x))\psi(x) - \bar{\psi}M\psi + \frac{1}{2}m_0^2(\rho_i^\mu \rho_{\mu i} + \omega^\mu \omega_\mu + a_i^\mu a_{\mu i} + f^\mu f_\mu + K_\mu^a \bar{K}^{a\mu} + K_1^\mu K_{1\mu} + \phi_\mu \phi^\mu + f_s^\mu f_{s\mu}) \quad (1)$$

where $a_\mu = \tau_i a_\mu^i + \lambda_a K_{1\mu}^a + (\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\lambda_8)f_\mu + (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\lambda_8)f_{s\mu}$ ($i = 1, 2, 3$ and $a = 4, 5, 6, 7$), $v_\mu = \tau_i \rho_\mu^i + \lambda_a K_\mu^a + (\frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\lambda_8)\omega_\mu + (\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\lambda_8)\phi_\mu$, $u = \exp\{i\gamma_5(\tau_i \pi_i + \lambda_a K^a + \lambda_8 \eta_8 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\eta_0)\}$,

- m is the constituent quark mass which originates in the quark condensate, the theory has dynamical chiral symmetry breaking
- M is the current quark mass matrix, In the limit, $m_q \rightarrow 0$, the theory has global $U(3)_L \times U(3)_R$ symmetry.

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$$\rho_\mu^i = -\frac{1}{m_0^2} \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu \tau^i \psi,$$

$$a_\mu^i = -\frac{1}{m_0^2} \bar{\psi} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 \tau^i \psi.$$

- N_c expansion is naturally embedded
- Integrating out the quark field, the L of mesons is obtained. The theory is phenomenologically successful

- The 0^{-+} glueball χ field is expressed as the gluon operator $F\tilde{F}$

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F^{a\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}^a + F_{\mu\nu}^a\tilde{F}^{a\mu\nu}\chi + \frac{1}{2}G_\chi^2\chi\chi,$$

$$\chi = -\frac{1}{G_\chi^2}F_{\mu\nu}\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}.$$

- U(1) anomaly

$$\partial_\mu(\bar{\Psi}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\Psi) = \frac{3g_s^2}{(4\pi)^2}F_{\mu\nu}\tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}. \quad (2)$$

- χ -field is coupled to the quark operator

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4}F^{a\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}^a - \{\bar{\Psi}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5\Psi\partial_{\mu}\chi + 2i\bar{\Psi}M\gamma_5\Psi\chi\} + \frac{1}{2}G_{\chi}^2\chi\chi.$$

- Insert this L into the L of the mesons, the L of mesons and 0^{-+} glueball is constructed.
Integrating out the quark fields, the L of the mesons and the glueball is obtained.

- In this theory the 0^{-+} mesons are Goldstone mesons.
- $\eta(1405)$ is taken as a 0^{-+} glueball

$$m_{\eta_8}^2 = \frac{1}{3} \{ 2(m_{K^+}^2 + m_{K^0}^2) - m_{\pi}^2 \},$$

$$\Delta m_{\eta_8 \eta_0}^2 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{9} (m_{K^+}^2 + m_{K^0}^2 - 2m_{\pi}^2),$$

$$\Delta m_{\chi \eta_8}^2 = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{9} \frac{f_{\pi}}{F} (m_{K^+}^2 + m_{K^0}^2 - 2m_{\pi}^2).$$

- $m_{\eta_0}^2$, $\Delta m_{\chi\eta_0}^2$, and m_{χ}^2 are the three parameters of the mass matrix
- $m_{\eta(1405)}$, m_{η} , and $m_{\eta'}$ are taken as inputs.
- The decay width of $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ is taken as another input

$$\Gamma(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) = \frac{\alpha^2}{16\pi^3} \frac{m_{\eta'}^3}{f_{\pi}^2} \left(2\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}b_2 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}a_2 \right)^2.$$

- The mixing are determined

$$\begin{aligned}\eta &= 0.9742\eta_8 + 0.1593\eta_0 - 0.16\chi, \\ \eta' &= -0.1513\eta_8 + 0.8208\eta_0 - 0.551\chi, \\ \eta(1405) &= -0.003522\eta_8 + 0.5724\eta_0 + 0.8199\chi.\end{aligned}$$

- Using VMD, it is predicted

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) = \frac{\alpha^2}{16\pi^3} \frac{m_{\eta(1405)}^3}{f_\pi^2} \left(2\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}b_3\right)^2 = 4.55 \text{ keV}$$

- The branching ratio of $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ is predicted

$$B(\eta(1405) \rightarrow 2\gamma) = 0.87(1 \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-4}$$

- The vertex of $\eta(1405)\nu\nu$ is determined by the η_0 component mainly.
- Using the VMD and the L, the vertices of $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \gamma\nu$ are determined

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\gamma) = (0.5724)^2 \frac{3\alpha}{2\pi^4 g^2} \frac{1}{f_\pi^2} k_\rho^3,$$

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \omega\gamma) = \frac{1}{9} (0.5724)^2 \frac{3\alpha}{2\pi^4 g^2} \frac{1}{f_\pi^2} k_\omega^3,$$

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \phi\gamma) = \left(\frac{2}{9} 0.5724\right)^2 \frac{3\alpha}{2\pi^4 g^2} \frac{1}{f_\pi^2} k_\phi^3.$$



$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\gamma) = 0.84\text{MeV},$$

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \omega\gamma) = 90.3\text{keV},$$

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \phi\gamma) = 58.2\text{keV}.$$

- Besides mass mixing there is kinetic mixing between the η_0 meson and the χ glueball.
- The mixing between the kinetic terms of the ρ^0 and the ω fields is a good example

$$\mathcal{L}_{\rho-\omega} = \left\{ -\frac{1}{4\pi^2 g^2} \frac{1}{m} (m_d - m_u) + \frac{1}{24} e^2 g^2 \right\} (\partial_\mu \rho_\nu - \partial_\nu \rho_\mu) (\partial_\mu \omega_\nu - \partial_\nu \omega_\mu).$$

- By calculating the S-matrix element $\langle \eta_0 | S | \chi \rangle$, the kinetic mixing is found

$$-\left(1 - \frac{2c}{g}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \partial_\mu \eta_0 \partial_\mu \chi.$$

- The radiative decay $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma gg$ is the best ground to search for glueballs

$$\Gamma(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\chi) = \frac{2^{11}}{81} \alpha \alpha_s^2(m_c) \psi_J^2(0) f_G^2 \frac{1}{m_c^8} \frac{\left(1 - \frac{m^2}{m_J^2}\right)^3}{\left\{1 - 2\frac{m^2}{m_J^2} + \frac{4m_c^2}{m_J^2}\right\}^2}$$
$$\left\{2m_J^2 - 3m^2\left(1 + \frac{2m_c}{m_J}\right) - 16\frac{m_c^3}{m_J}\right\}^2,$$

- The χ state is via both the mass mixing and the kinetic mixing related to the η' and the $\eta(1405)$ respectively

$$\langle \eta' | \chi(0) | 0 \rangle = -0.551 + 0.8208 \left(1 - \frac{2c}{g}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{m_{\eta'}^2}{m_{\chi}^2 - m_{\eta'}^2} = 0.3044$$

$$\langle \eta(1405) | \chi(0) | 0 \rangle = 0.8199 + 0.05724 \left(1 - \frac{2c}{g}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{m_G^2}{m_{\chi}^2 - m_G^2} = -1.7788.$$

- $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta') = (4.71 \pm 0.27) \times 10^{-3}$ is taken as an input

$$m_c = 1.22\text{GeV}, B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta(1405)) = 3.67(1 \pm 0.06) \times 10^{-3},$$

$$m_c = 1.23\text{GeV}, B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta(1405)) = 6.69(1 \pm 0.06) \times 10^{-3},$$

$$m_c = 1.24\text{GeV}, B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta(1405)) = 1.13(1 \pm 0.06) \times 10^{-2}.$$

- $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\pi\pi$ is an anomalous decay mode.
- Two subprocesses: (1) $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\rho$, $\rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$,
(2) $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\pi\pi$ directly.
- The prediction of the theory is

$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho^0\pi^+\pi^-) = 0.92 \text{ MeV}.$$

$$B(\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho^0\pi\pi) = 5.4\%.$$

- $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \rho\rho$ is the dominant process.

- Two body decay, $\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0(980)\pi$, should be the major decay mode of $\eta(1405)$.
- The $a_0(980)$ field can be added to the Lagrangian

$$-\frac{1}{2}\bar{\psi}\{(m + \tau^i a_0^i)u + u(m + \tau^i a_0^i)\}\psi.$$

- Of course a mass term $\frac{1}{2}m_{a_0}^2 a_0^i a_0^i$ should be added too

- To the leading order in the momentum expansion the amplitude is found

$$T = -0.5724 \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}f_\pi^2} \frac{1}{g} \left(1 - \frac{1}{3\pi^2 g^2}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left\{ \frac{1}{3} \langle 0 | \bar{\psi}\psi | 0 \rangle + 3m^3 g^2 \right\}$$

- Only the η_0 component contributes
- The quark condensate

$$\frac{1}{3} \langle 0 | \bar{\psi}\psi | 0 \rangle = -(0.24)^3 \text{ GeV}$$

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$$\Gamma(\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0\pi) = 44 \text{ MeV.}$$

$$B(\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0\pi) = 86(1 \pm 0.07)\%$$

- Only the η_8 component of the $\eta(1405)$ contributes to $\eta(1405) \rightarrow K^*(890)K$.
- The coefficient of η_8 of $\eta(1405)$ is determined to be 0.00352.
- the theory predicts a very small branching ratio for $\eta(1405) \rightarrow K^*(890)K$
- the experimental ratio

$$R = \frac{B(\eta(1416) \rightarrow K^* \bar{K} + c.c)}{B(\eta(1416) \rightarrow a_0 \pi)} = 0.028 \pm 0.024$$

- Based on a phenomenologically successful chiral field theory mesons and the U(1) anomaly a chiral field theory of 0^{-+} glueball and mesons has been constructed.
- Systematic and quantitative study of the properties of the candidate of the 0^{-+} glueball $\eta(1405)$ have been done by this theory.
- Besides the mass mixing of η , η' $\eta(1405)$ the kinetic mixing between them has been found.
- Large $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta(1405))$ is via the kinetic mixing predicted.

- The prediction of the small branching ratio of $\eta(1405) \rightarrow 2\gamma$ is consistent with the fact that $\eta(1405)$ has not been found in two photon collisions.
- $\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0(980)\pi$ is the major decay mode of $\eta(1405)$.
- A very small branching ratio of $\eta(1405) \rightarrow K^*K$ is predicted
- The $K^*\bar{K}$ is the dominant decay mode of the $\eta(1475)$.
- The separation of $\eta(1405)$ and $\eta(1475)$ in J/ψ radiative decay is the key to establish that $\eta(1405)$ is the 0^{-+} glueball.