Production of (strange) resonances (Importance of production)

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- A few general remarks; amplitude analysis, interpretation of the experiment and theory.
- Physics of quasi-elastic photoproduction : π/K exchange
- Consequences for spectroscopy





Nature/QCD : kinematical variables are real



Physical interpretation: models







In practice

1. Covariant amplitudes fit data A(s, t), Physically: satisfy complicated unitarity relations

Experiment

2. Partial waves $A_l(s)$ satisfy simple unitarity relations, directly related to physics but have complicated analytical properties.

3. Ultimately physics is determined by singularities in energy and in angular momentum

Theory

$$A_l(s) = A(s, l)$$

Finite Energy Sum Rules



 High s-data calculated from s-channel p.w.a



V.Mathieu, et al. (JPAC) 2018

 Resonance parameters (low-s) can be constrained by high-s data

t/s duality

M.Aghasyan et al. COMPASS (2018)



• The $a_1(1260)$ was for some time confused with the pion exchange

- Analogous $K\pi\pi$ analysis: duality between $K_1(1270), K_1(1400), K_1(1650)(?)$ K-exchange





Compare with 720 K events at COMPASS (see S.Wallner)



On the nature of $\Lambda(1405)$



Figure 2: Leading Regge trajectories for the Λ resonances. Dashed lines are displayed to guide the eye.

C.Fernandez-Ramirez, et al. (JPAC) (2016)



In peripheral production (s vs t channel pwa)



$$\begin{split} A(s,t) &= \sum_{l} (2l+1) A_{l}(s) P_{l}(t) \\ \text{For large s, } A_{l}(s) \text{ are small} \\ \text{(tails of resonances)} \end{split}$$

$$A(s,t) = \sum_{l} (2l+1)A_{l}(t)P_{l}(s)$$

The t-channel p.w. with largest $l_{eff} = \alpha(t)$ dominates



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Global Regge analysis

 Test Regge pole hypothesis and estimate corrections (daughters, cuts)



Rege poles : Factorizable residues

 t-dependent phase
 Shrinkage of the forward peak

$$A_{\lambda_i} = \sqrt{-t}^{|\lambda_1 - \lambda_3|} \sqrt{-t}^{|\lambda_2 - \lambda_4|} \beta^e_{\lambda_1 \lambda_3} \beta^a_{\lambda_2 \lambda_4} A_R(s, t)$$

 λ_i = t-channel helicities

Data =1271 points, N_{par} = 6 SU(3) couplings, 1 mixing angle, 2 exp. slopes) Except pion, pomeron exchange.



Global Regge pole analysis



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"Specific" analysis : π/K exchange

- At low-t charge exchanges reactions should be dominated by $\pi(K)$ exchanges
- Constraints from QCD, chiral, SU(3) symmetry.
- Relevant for light and heavy flavor pheno. (e.g. XYZ's)
- But there are still open issues
 - What is pion exchange ?
 - What happens at t~0



G.Montana et al. (JPAC) in preparation



"Specific" analysis : π/K exchange

$$A_{\lambda_{i}}(s,t) = \sum_{J} (2J+1)A_{\lambda_{i}}^{J}(t)d_{\lambda_{2}-\lambda_{4},\lambda_{1}}^{J}(\theta_{t})$$

$$\lim_{Y} \gamma p \to \pi^{+}n \ (K^{+}Y), \text{ t-channel p.w. with}$$

$$J^{P} = 0^{-} \text{ has the singularity closest to}$$

$$\lim_{N} \gamma p_{i}(k,\mu_{\gamma}) \to \pi^{-}(p_{\pi})$$

$$\lim_{Y} \pi (q_{t}) \to \pi^{-}(q_{t})$$

$$\lim_{N} \gamma p_{i}(p_{i},\mu_{i}) \to N^{-}(p_{f},\mu_{f})$$

 $\pi(K)$ contribution to t-channel vanishes !



Pion/kaon exchange



- s/t-channel amplitudes are related (Wigner rotation) this means there has to be a Regge pole near $J \sim 0$ in the t-channel p.w.

$$\gamma \ (k, \lambda_{\gamma}) \qquad 1^{-} \otimes 0^{-} = 1^{+} \begin{cases} L = 1 & \text{for } J = 0 \\ L = \{J - 1, J + 1\} & \text{for } J \ge 2 \end{cases} \text{ vs two L's}$$

$$\overline{\pi} \ (p_{\overline{\pi}}) \qquad \cdot \text{ This is manifested as singularity in J of the p.w.a}$$

$$\cdot \text{ The } \infty \text{ times } 0 \text{ from kinematics = finite}$$

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Pion/kaon exchange



t-channel =A x d = nucleon pole (s-channel) !









Elementary exchange
Regge
$$\pi$$
 (VGL)
 $\sum_{J}^{s \to \infty}, R = \sqrt{1/2s_0}$
 $\sum_{J}, R = \sqrt{1/2s_0}, j_p = 1, j_z = 1$
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Pion/Kaon exchange

- The J=0 pole is equivalent to nucleon contribution (current conservation)
- As it should be : there is no need to mix s- and t-channel amplitudes



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- Photo-production is the "cleanest" probe of OPE.
- At higher-t natural exchanges dominate
- At t~0 other interesting phenomena: absorption, cuts, conspiracy between pion and nucleon poles etc. (stay tuned)

K photoproducton



A.M.Boyarski et al. SLAC (1969) (exp) N.Levy et al. (1973)

- Low-t vs. high-t physics : K vs K* exchanges
- SU(3) relations
- Factorization breaking effects : need low-t, $|-t'| < m_K^2 \sim 0.25 \ GeV^2$



FIG. 10. The beam asymmetry Σ for $\vec{\gamma}p \to K^+\Sigma^0$ as a function of -t. The results from the 0/90 and -45/45 data sets are averaged (solid circles) where horizontal error bars indicate the RMS widths of the t bins and vertical error bars represent statistical and systematic uncertainties added in quadrature. An additional 2.1% overall relative polarization uncertainty is not included. The triangles are previous SLAC results [2] at $E_{\gamma} = 16$ GeV, the curves show predictions from RPR-2007 [6, [7] (solid) and Guidal *et al.* [5] (dashed) at $E_{\gamma} = 8.5$ GeV.

J.Hernandez talk

Lambda SDEM's



• SDME's can be used to test Regge pole dominance, e.g. ρ^2 vanishes if resides factorize

 Models need to be scrutinized

FIG. 7. Spin density matrix elements and predictions by Yu and Kong (based on Ref. [14]), using parameters based on data from CLAS [9] and LEPS [6], [7] (blue solid) and using parameters based on data from LAMP2 [5] and SLAC [4] (red dashed). The vertical error bars show the statistical uncertainty, the blue shaded boxes the scaling uncertainty from the polarization, and the black boxes the remaining systematic uncertainties combined in quadrature. The horizontal error bars show the RMS widths within the $-(t - t_0)$ bins.

S.Adhikari, et al. GlueX 2022



Summary

- (Quasi) elastic production: determines Regge exchanges
- Use Regge theory to correlate resonance production with resonance decays, e.g. FESR's
- One pole, two pole, etc. structures should be understood in terms of trajectories they belong to



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The Exo(tic) Had(ron) Collaboration started in 2023 to explore all aspects of exotic hadron physics, from predictions within lattice QCD, through reliable extraction of their existence and properties from experimental data, to descriptions of their structure within phenomenological models.



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