Effects of Collision Dynamics on $p\phi$ Femtoscopy

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Basics of Femtoscopy

Correlation FunctionKoonin-Pratt Formula

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Hadron CF provides insights into

Space-time structure of the matter



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From experimental correlation function Input: hadron interaction → Output: source function Input: source function → Output: hadron interaction

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To explore less understood hadron interactions,

Femtoscopy using dynamical models

$p\phi$ Femtoscopy using Dynamical Model

- Interaction
- Source Function
- Correlation Function
- Effects of Collision Dynamics

$p\phi$ Interaction

Consider only *s*-wave scattering $\rightarrow 2$ channels: ${}^{4}S_{3/2} \& {}^{2}S_{1/2}$

⁴ $S_{3/2}$: <u>HAL QCD potential</u> Y. Lyu *et al.*, PRD **106**, 074507 (2022)

(2+1)-flavor lattice QCD at near physical point

> Overall attraction w/o bound states



² $S_{1/2}$: Parametrized potential E. Chizzali *et al.*, PLB 848, 138358 (2023) Motivated by HAL QCD ⁴ $S_{3/2}$ potential

> Should be constrained phenomenologically via femtoscopy

Femtoscopy using Gaussian SF \rightarrow Indication of a bound state

Dynamical Core–Corona Initialization model (DCCI2)

Y. Kanakubo, Y. Tachibana, and T. Hirano, PRC 105, 024905 (2022)

A cutting-edge dynamical model based on core–corona picture



<u>Core</u>: Equilibrated matter ~ QGP
Corona:

Non-equilibrium partons



High-multiplicity p+p collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$

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High-multiplicity 0-0.17% p+p collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV <u>Plot</u>: **DCCI2 SF**, <u>Line</u>: Gaussian SF $S(r) \propto \exp(-r^2/4r_0^2)$ w/ $r_0 = 1.08$ fm



Non-Gaussian long-tail \rightarrow Larger source size $\langle r^2 \rangle$

Mainly due to p rescatterings with surrounding pion gas **"Pion wind"**

Hadronic rescatterings even in p+p collisions

Correlation Function

2.5





Non-trivial behavior at small *q*

A small but statistically significant difference



DCCI2 C^{tot}

 $C^{(1/2)}$

DCCI2 SF

 $0.7 < S_T < 1.0$

p+p $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

High-mult. 0-0.17%

Emission time correction

Correlation Function



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CF at small *q* is sensitive to the WF in the scattering region

Effects of Hadronic Afterburner



- **Resonance decay** \rightarrow **A little long-tail**
- Hadronic rescatterings
 - \rightarrow Long-tail and larger source size

Effects of Hadronic Afterburner



Effects of Dynamical Hadron Emission

Emission time difference of the pair from a dynamical model

> Emission Time Correction (ETC)

<u>Plots</u>: w/ ETC, <u>Bands</u>: w/o ETC



ETC slightly enlarges source size

Effects of Dynamical Hadron Emission



No statistically significant effects on CF in this particular case

p¢ femtoscopy using SF from a dynamical model (DCCI2)

Effects of collision dynamics

Small but statistically significant

- ✓ Slightly larger source size mainly due to hadronic rescatterings
- ✓ SF depends on relative momentum due to e.g., collectivity

Phenomenological constraint on interaction

✓ Indication of a bound state in ${}^{2}S_{1/2}$ channel ($E_{B} \cong 10-70$ MeV) Slightly different but qualitatively consistent w/ that using Gaussian SF

Importance of using SF that reflects collision dynamics for precise studies of hadron interactions via femtoscopy

Backup

Koonin-Pratt Formula S. E. Koonin, PLB 70, 43 (1977); S. Pratt, PRL 53, 1219 (1984)

Assumptions Chaotic source ~ thermal equilibrium

- Same time approximation
- On-shell approximation

Closed system after emission ~ in vacuum propagation

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$$C(\boldsymbol{q}, \boldsymbol{P}) = \frac{\int d^4 x_a d^4 x_b S_a(\boldsymbol{p}_a; \boldsymbol{x}_a) S_b(\boldsymbol{p}_b; \boldsymbol{x}_b) |\varphi(\boldsymbol{q}; \boldsymbol{r})|^2}{\int d^4 x_a S_a(\boldsymbol{p}_a; \boldsymbol{x}_a) \int d^4 x_b S_b(\boldsymbol{p}_b; \boldsymbol{x}_b)}$$

Pair Rest Frame (P = 0)Integrate out CM

$$C(\boldsymbol{q}) = \int d^3r \ S(\boldsymbol{q};\boldsymbol{r}) \ |\varphi(\boldsymbol{q};\boldsymbol{r})|^2$$

Rewriting Koonin-Pratt Formula



Considering only *s*-wave scattering together with spherical SF

$$C(q) = 1 + \int_{0}^{\infty} dr \begin{bmatrix} 4\pi r^{2}S(q;r) \\ SF \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} |\varphi_{0}(q;r)|^{2} - |j_{0}(qr)|^{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{s-wave Change}{ucrease in WF by interaction}$$

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SF *s*-wave Change

Increase/Decrease in WF by interaction

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with Jacobian



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$$C(q) = 1 + \int_{0}^{\infty} dr \quad \frac{4\pi r^{2}S(q;r)}{SF} \quad \frac{[|\varphi_{0}(q;r)|^{2} - |j_{0}(qr)|^{2}]}{SF}$$
with Jacobian Increase/Decrease in WF by interaction

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SF with Jacobian SF Increase/Decrease in WF by interaction

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Spin-Average

WF in KP formula = Weighted average of WF in each ${}^{2S+1}L_I$ channel

$$|\varphi|^{2} = \sum_{\text{states}(S,L,J)} \omega_{(S,L,J)} |\varphi^{(S,L,J)}|^{2}$$
$$\omega_{(S,L,J)} = \frac{2S+1}{(2s_{a}+1)(2s_{b}+1)} \frac{2J+1}{(2L+1)(2S+1)}$$

Koonin-Pratt formula Spin-independent SF ← chaotic source

 $\frac{Spin-averaged CF}{C^{tot}(q)} = \sum_{\text{states}(S,L,J)} \omega_{(S,L,J)} C^{(S,L,J)}(q) \qquad \begin{array}{l} \text{Comparable} \\ \text{w/ exp. CF} \end{array}$

Focusing on low-q region w/ chaotic source and closed system assumptions \rightarrow Steady-state Schrödinger eq. w/ central force

<u>Partial-wave expansion</u> $\varphi(\boldsymbol{q};\boldsymbol{r}) = \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (2l+1)i^{l}\varphi_{l}(\boldsymbol{q};\boldsymbol{r})P_{l}(\cos\theta)$

For each ^{2S+1}
$$L_J$$
 channel,

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2\mu}\frac{d^2}{dr^2} + V(r) + \frac{1}{2\mu}\frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \end{bmatrix} u_l(q;r) = \frac{q^2}{2\mu}u_l(q;r) \qquad \mu = \frac{m_a m_b}{m_a + m_b}$$
Reduced mass:
 $\mu = \frac{m_a m_b}{m_a + m_b}$

Lednický-Lyuboshits Model

R. Lednický and V. L. Lyuboshits, Yad. Fiz. 35, 1316 (1981)

 $C(q) = 1 + \int_0^\infty dr 4\pi r^2 S(q;r) [|\varphi_0(q;r)|^2 - |j_0(qr)|^2]$

Assumptions Gaussian SF: $S(q;r) \approx S(r) \propto \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{4r_0^2}\right)$ Asymptotic WF (+ effective range correction)

$$C(q) = 1 + \frac{|f_0(q)|^2}{2r_0^2} F_3\left(\frac{r_{\text{eff}}}{r_0}\right) + \frac{2\text{Re}f_0(q)}{\sqrt{\pi}r_0} F_1(2qr_0) - \frac{\text{Im}f_0(q)}{r_0} F_2(2qr_0)$$

$$F_1, \dots, F_3: \text{Known functions, } f_0(q) = \frac{1}{q\cot\delta_0(q) - iq} \approx \frac{1}{-\frac{1}{a_0} + \frac{1}{2}r_{\text{eff}}q^2 - iq}$$

CF becomes a function of $a_0, r_{\text{eff}}, \text{ and } r_0$

Experimental CF ALICE, PRL 127, 172301 (2021) High-multiplicity (0–0.17%) p+p collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV



Lednický-Lyuboshits fit

R. Lednický and V. L. Lyuboshits, Yad. Fiz. 35, 1316 (1981)

Gaussian source size: $r_0 = 1.08$ fm

Scattering length: $a_0 \cong -0.85 - 0.16i$ fm Effective range: $r_{eff} \cong 7.85$ fm

Attractive $p\phi$ interaction **as a spin-average**

Existing $p\phi$ Femtoscopy 2

Spin-channel-by-channel femtoscopy E. Chizzali et al., PLB 848, 138358 (2023)

Gaussian source size: $r_0 = 1.08$ fm

⁴S_{3/2}: <u>HAL QCD potential</u> Y. Lyu *et al.*, PRD 106, 074507 (2022) $a_0^{(3/2)} \cong -1.43 \text{ fm}, r_{\text{eff}}^{(3/2)} \cong 2.36 \text{ fm}$ Attraction without bound states

²S_{1/2}: <u>Parametrized potential</u> ← Constrain by experimental CF $a_0^{(1/2)} \cong 1.54 - i0.00 \text{ fm}, r_{eff}^{(1/2)} \cong 0.39 + i0.00 \text{ fm}$ Strong attraction Small effects of channel-coupling Indication of a p ϕ bound state









$^{2}S_{1/2}$ Channel

Parametrized potential E. Chizzali *et al.*, PLB **848**, 138358 (2023) Channel-couplings are neglected for simplicity

$$V^{(1/2)}(r) = \frac{\beta \left[a_1 e^{-(r/b_1)^2} + a_2 e^{-(r/b_2)^2} \right]}{\text{Short-range interaction}} + \frac{a_3 m_{\pi}^4 f(r; b_3)}{\text{TPE}} \frac{e^{-2m_{\pi}r}}{r^2}$$

WF change:
$$|\varphi_0|^2 - (j_0)^2$$

 r_{1500}^{0}
 r_{1500}^{0}

Only one

adjustable

parameter

default: $\beta = 7$

WF Change: Interaction-Dependence



The negative valley moves towards the small r region

Compare with ALICE Data

= 6

100

 q^* [MeV]

2.5

2

(1.5 C (d*

0.5

0 0

p-*φ*⊕<u>p</u>-*φ*

50

 $C^{(3/2)}$

 $C^{(1/2)}$

 C^{tot}

ALICE data ----

60

150

200



SF picks up strong positive region of WF

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Compare with ALICE Data



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Problem

Dynamical model \rightarrow **Emission time difference:** $S(q; r^0 \neq 0, r)$

Violates **same time approximation** in KP formula

Free propagation until the other's emission



Core–Corona Ratio

Y. Kanakubo, Y. Tachibana, and T. Hirano, PRC **105**, 024905 (2022)

