

$a_0(980)$ as a dynamically generated resonance in the extended linear sigma model

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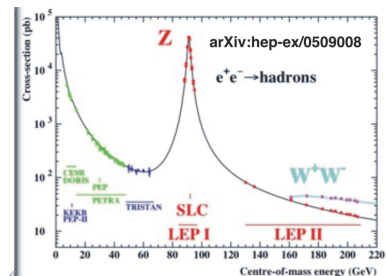
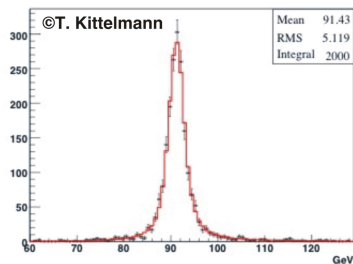
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What is a resonance?

- in QFT: *particle* is an excitation of the fields (like a scalar field S) that are able to propagate over sufficiently large time scales
- extremely short-lived unstable particles with mean life times on the order of 10^{-22} s are called *resonances*
- cannot be directly observed, yet it is possible to establish their existence from a scattering process (\rightarrow invariant mass distribution)



The problematic scalar sector

- enhancement of the cross section near $s \approx M^2$:

relativistic *Breit–Wigner* formula (if $\Gamma \ll M$)

$$d\sigma(a + b \rightarrow C + D) \sim \frac{M\Gamma}{(s - M^2)^2 + M^2\Gamma^2}$$

- naive quark model: works fine (\rightarrow multiplet structures) for a wide range of unstable particles and resonances
- cannot be applied to the scalars: large widths, huge background and several decay channels (with short mass intervals, e.g. $K\bar{K} \sim 1$ GeV and $\eta\eta \sim 1.1$ GeV)
- one expects non- $q\bar{q}$ objects

The problematic scalar sector

- introduce complex mass poles of the form

T-Matrix pole \sqrt{s} (in MeV)

$$\sqrt{s} = M - i\frac{\Gamma}{2}$$

- above parameterization is said to be stable against gauge and field-redefinition transformations (T. Bhattacharya and S. Willenbrock, PR **D47** (1993))
- BW-parameterization does not fulfill these properties (S. Willenbrock and G. Valencia, PL **B259** (1991); A. Sirlin, PL **B267** (1991))
- in particular, only for $\Gamma \ll M$ there is a reasonable connection between BW- and pole parameters

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Dynamical generation of scalar mesons

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easily infer its quark structure. A similar picture works for the tensors.

For scalar mesons the situation is different and the one-to-one correspondence between the observed scalar mesons and their underlying quark content is distorted by dynamical effects. This is because they couple strongly to more than one meson-meson channel, creating overlapping and interfering resonance structures. Furthermore, since the interactions are S waves, the opening of each threshold produces a more dramatic s dependence in the propagator. At each threshold,

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Dynamical generation?

- mass and width of a resonance are then determined by the position of the **complex pole** of the full interacting propagator in the appropriate **unphysical Riemann sheet**

(R. E. Peierls, Proceed. of the Glasgow Conf. on Nuclear and Meson Physics (1954))

- this requires the understanding of the **rich analytic properties** of this propagator
- maybe more than that:

The present work focuses on the study of the $I=1$ and $I=1/2$ sector of the light scalar meson spectroscopy. Previous papers from Tornqvist and Roos [1,5] seemed to suggest that using a simple model based on the hadronic “dressing” of bare seeds, one could generate more than one, possibly a whole family of mesons, with the same quantum numbers, starting with one bare seed only. This is certainly a very interesting possibility, since we know that experiment has

(M. Boglione and M. R. Pennington, PR **D65** (2002))

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Some words to the model...

- starting point: reduce complexity of QCD interaction by effective hadron-hadron interactions with hadronic dofs and symmetries known from the QCD Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{meson}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{baryon}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{dilaton}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{weak}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\text{meson}} = & \text{Tr}[(D_\mu \Phi)^\dagger (D^\mu \Phi)] - m_0^2 \text{Tr}(\Phi^\dagger \Phi) - \lambda_1 [\text{Tr}(\Phi^\dagger \Phi)]^2 - \lambda_2 \text{Tr}(\Phi^\dagger \Phi)^2 \\ & + c_1 (\det \Phi - \det \Phi^\dagger)^2 + \text{Tr}[H(\Phi + \Phi^\dagger)] - \frac{1}{4} \text{Tr}(L_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu}^2) \\ & + \text{Tr} \left[\left(\frac{m_1^2}{2} + \Delta \right) (L_\mu^2 + R_\mu^2) \right] + \frac{g_2}{2} (\text{Tr}\{L_{\mu\nu}[L^\mu, L^\nu]\} + \text{Tr}\{R_{\mu\nu}[R^\mu, R^\nu]\}) \\ & + \frac{h_1}{2} \text{Tr}(\Phi^\dagger \Phi) \text{Tr}(L_\mu^2 + R_\mu^2) + h_2 \text{Tr}[(L_\mu \Phi)^2 + (\Phi R_\mu)^2] + 2h_3 \text{Tr}(L_\mu \Phi R^\mu \Phi^\dagger) \\ & + \text{chiral invariant vector and axialvector four-point interaction vertices} \end{aligned}$$

→ extended Linear Sigma Model (eLSM)

(S. Janowski, D. Parganlija, F. Giacosa and D. H. Rischke, PR **D84** (2011);

D. Parganlija, P. Kovacs, G. Wolf, F. Giacosa and D. H. Rischke, PR **D87** (2013))

Some words to the model...

- mesons are assigned as $q\bar{q}$ -states:

$$(\text{Pseudo-})\text{Scalars } \Phi_{ij} \sim \langle q_L \bar{q}_R \rangle_{ij} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (q_i \bar{q}_j - q_i \gamma_5 \bar{q}_j)$$

$$\Phi = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{(\sigma_N + a_0^0)}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{i(\eta_N + \pi^0)}{\sqrt{2}} & a_0^+ + i\pi^+ & K_0^{*+} + iK^+ \\ a_0^- + i\pi^- & \frac{(\sigma_N - a_0^0)}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{i(\eta_N - \pi^0)}{\sqrt{2}} & K_0^{*0} + iK^0 \\ K_0^{*-} + iK^- & \bar{K}_0^{*0} + i\bar{K}_0^0 & \sigma_S + i\eta_S \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{Lefthanded } L_{ij}^\mu \sim \langle q_L \bar{q}_L \rangle_{ij} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (q_i \gamma^\mu \bar{q}_j + q_i \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu \bar{q}_j)$$

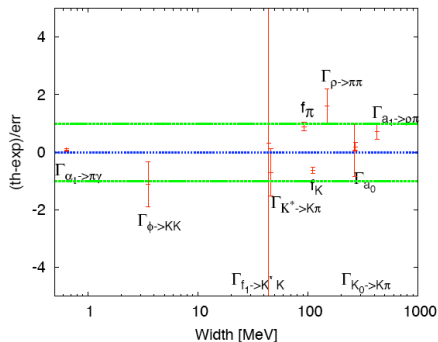
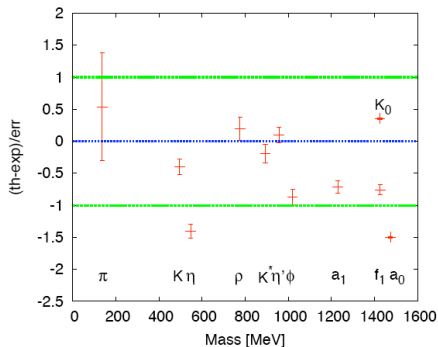
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$$\text{Righthanded } R_{ij}^\mu \sim \langle q_R \bar{q}_R \rangle_{ij} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (q_i \gamma^\mu \bar{q}_j - q_i \gamma_5 \gamma^\mu \bar{q}_j)$$

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Some words to the model...

- main results of the model:



D. Parganlija, P. Kovacs, G. Wolf, F. Giacosa and D. H. Rischke, PR **D87** (2013)

- e.g., the a_0 is the $a_0(1450)$, a $q\bar{q}$ -state with mass of about 1363 MeV

Some words to the model...

- π - η -Lagrangian:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{a_0\eta\pi} = & (A_{a_0\eta N\pi} \cos \varphi_\eta + A_{a_0\eta S\pi} \sin \varphi_\eta) a_0^0 \eta \pi^0 \\ & + B_{a_0\eta N\pi} \cos \varphi_\eta a_0^0 \partial_\mu \eta \partial^\mu \pi^0 \\ & + C_{a_0\eta N\pi} \cos \varphi_\eta \partial_\mu a_0^0 (\pi^0 \partial^\mu \eta + \eta \partial^\mu \pi^0)\end{aligned}$$

- π - η' -Lagrangian:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{a_0\eta'\pi} = & (-A_{a_0\eta N\pi} \sin \varphi_\eta + A_{a_0\eta S\pi} \cos \varphi_\eta) a_0^0 \eta' \pi^0 \\ & + (-B_{a_0\eta N\pi} \sin \varphi_\eta) a_0^0 \partial_\mu \eta' \partial^\mu \pi^0 \\ & + (-C_{a_0\eta N\pi} \sin \varphi_\eta) \partial_\mu a_0^0 (\pi^0 \partial^\mu \eta' + \eta' \partial^\mu \pi^0)\end{aligned}$$

- K - K -Lagrangian:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{a_0KK} = & A_{a_0KK} a_0^0 (K^0 \bar{K}^0 - K^- K^+) \\ & + B_{a_0KK} a_0^0 (\partial_\mu K^0 \partial^\mu \bar{K}^0 - \partial_\mu K^- \partial^\mu K^+) \\ & + C_{a_0KK} \partial_\mu a_0^0 (K^0 \partial^\mu \bar{K}^0 + \bar{K}^0 \partial^\mu K^0 - K^- \partial^\mu K^+ - K^+ \partial^\mu K^-)\end{aligned}$$

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How we calculate the loops

- calculate imaginary part of self-energy loop $\Pi_{ij}(s)$ by the optical theorem (regularized by Gaussian 3d-cutoff function):

$$\int d\Gamma |-i\mathcal{M}_{ij}|^2 = \sqrt{s} \Gamma_{ij}^{\text{tree}}(s) = -2 \text{Im} \Pi_{ij}(s)$$

- calculate the corresponding real part through a dispersion relation:

$$\text{Re} \Pi_{ij}(s) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int ds' \frac{\text{Im} \Pi_{ij}(s')}{s - s'}$$

- perform the analytic continuation, $s \rightarrow z$, and the continuation into the appropriate Riemann sheet(s) by:

Analytic continuation

$$\Pi_{ij}^c(z) = \Pi_{ij}(z) + \text{Disc} \Pi_{ij}(z) , \quad \text{Disc} \Pi_{ij}(s) = 2i \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \text{Im} \Pi_{ij}(s + i\epsilon)$$

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Canonical quantization¹

- theory with two scalar fields: $\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = gS\partial_\mu\phi\partial^\mu\phi$
- to quantize, we write down the Hamiltonian by using conjugate momenta:

$$\pi_S = \partial^0 S \quad , \quad \pi_\phi = \partial^0\phi + 2gS\partial^0\phi$$

- the Hamiltonian then reads

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H} &= \pi_S\partial^0 S + \pi_\phi\partial^0\phi - \mathcal{L} \\ &= \mathcal{H}_S + \frac{1}{2}\pi_\phi\pi_\phi(1 + 2gS)^{-1} + \frac{1}{2}\vec{\nabla}\phi \cdot \vec{\nabla}\phi + \frac{1}{2}m^2\phi^2 + gS\vec{\nabla}\phi \cdot \vec{\nabla}\phi \end{aligned}$$

- in contrast to an 'ordinary' interaction:

$$\mathcal{H} = \mathcal{H}_S + \mathcal{H}_\phi - gS\phi\phi$$

¹hats and indices are written explicitly on this and the next slide

Canonical quantization

- expanding the denominator gives

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{int}} = -gS\pi_\phi\pi_\phi + gS\vec{\nabla}\phi \cdot \vec{\nabla}\phi + 2g^2S^2\pi_\phi\pi_\phi + \mathcal{O}(g^3)$$

- finally $S \rightarrow \hat{S}$, $\phi \rightarrow \hat{\phi}$, $\pi_S \rightarrow \hat{\pi}_S$, $\pi_\phi \rightarrow \hat{\pi}_\phi$ and commutation relations
- but: for perturbation theory we need the formulation in the *interaction picture*:

$$\hat{S}^I = \hat{U}\hat{S}\hat{U} \quad , \quad \hat{\phi}^I = \hat{U}\hat{\phi}\hat{U} \quad , \quad \hat{\pi}_S^I = \partial^0\hat{S}^I \quad , \quad \hat{\pi}_\phi^I = \partial^0\hat{\phi}^I$$

- which results in

$$\hat{\mathcal{H}}_{\text{int}}^I = -\hat{\mathcal{L}}_{\text{int}}^I + 2g^2\hat{S}^I\hat{S}^I\partial_0\hat{\phi}^I\partial^0\hat{\phi}^I + \mathcal{O}(g^3) \quad ,$$

so an infinite number of vertices in our Feynman rules

Contractions with derivatives²

- at one-loop level (in particular upon resummation) only terms of $\mathcal{O}(g^2)$ contribute:

The diagram shows the expansion of a self-energy loop with a derivative interaction. The first row shows a circle with a double line and the symbol Π inside, equal to a diagram with a solid line, a dashed loop with an arrow, and a vertex labeled ∂_0 , plus a diagram with two dashed loops with arrows and vertices labeled ∂_μ . The second row shows a double line with an arrow equal to a single line with an arrow plus a diagram with a single line with an arrow, a circle with Π , and another single line with an arrow, plus ellipses. The third row shows a single line with an arrow plus a diagram with a single line with an arrow, a circle with Π , and a double line with an arrow.

- full (inverse) propagator takes the form $\Delta_S^{-1}(s) = s - M_0^2 - \Pi(s)$

²hats and indices are omitted; field operators are in the interaction picture!

Contractions with derivatives

- in momentum space one usually writes $\partial_\mu \rightarrow \pm ik_\mu$, e.g. the decay amplitude for $S \rightarrow \phi\phi$ reads

$$-2ig \underbrace{\left(-\frac{s - 2m^2}{2} \right)}_{=-k \cdot k} = \text{diagram 1} = \text{diagram 2}$$

- this is OK since no additional vertex from \mathcal{H}_{int} enters here
- there is also no problem for the tadpole diagram in the self-energy,

$$\langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \partial_0^x \phi(x) \partial^{0,x} \phi(x) \} | 0 \rangle \sim \text{diagram 1} = \text{diagram 2},$$

because time-ordering is obsolete

Contractions with derivatives

- this is different for the one-loop diagram; usually the contractions equal Feynman propagators:

$$\begin{aligned} \underbrace{\phi(x_1)\phi(x_2)} &= \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \phi(x_1)\phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle = i\Delta_F^\phi(x_1 - x_2) \\ &= i \int \frac{d^4k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{e^{-ik \cdot (x_1 - x_2)}}{k^2 - m^2 + i\epsilon} \end{aligned}$$

- the contractions in our loop diagram are found by using the time-ordered product

$$\begin{aligned} \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \phi(x_1)\phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle &= \\ &= \langle 0 | \phi(x_1)\phi(x_2) | 0 \rangle \Theta(x_1^0 - x_2^0) + \langle 0 | \phi(x_2)\phi(x_1) | 0 \rangle \Theta(x_2^0 - x_1^0) \end{aligned}$$

Contractions with derivatives

- the action of one derivative on the Feynman propagator gives

$$\begin{aligned}
 i\partial_\nu^{x_2} \Delta_F^\phi(x_1 - x_2) &= \partial_\nu^{x_2} \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \phi(x_1) \phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle \\
 &= \dots \\
 &= \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \phi(x_1) \partial_\nu^{x_2} \phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle \\
 &\quad - \eta_{\nu 0} \delta(x_1^0 - x_2^0) \underbrace{\langle 0 | [\phi(x_1), \phi(x_2)] | 0 \rangle}_{=0}
 \end{aligned}$$

- while another derivative leads to

$$\begin{aligned}
 i\partial_\mu^{x_1} \partial_\nu^{x_2} \Delta_F^\phi(x_1 - x_2) &= \partial_\mu^{x_1} \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \phi(x_1) \partial_\nu^{x_2} \phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle \\
 &= \dots \\
 &= \langle 0 | \mathcal{T} \{ \partial_\mu^{x_1} \phi(x_1) \partial_\nu^{x_2} \phi(x_2) \} | 0 \rangle \\
 &\quad + \eta_{\mu 0} \delta(x_1^0 - x_2^0) \underbrace{\langle 0 | [\phi(x_1), \partial_\nu^{x_2} \phi(x_2)] | 0 \rangle}_{\neq 0}
 \end{aligned}$$

Contractions with derivatives

- for the extra term we find

$$\eta_{\mu 0} \delta(x_1^0 - x_2^0) \langle 0 | [\phi(x_1), \partial_\nu^{x_2} \phi(x_2)] | 0 \rangle = i \eta_{\mu 0} \eta_{\nu 0} \delta^{(4)}(x_1 - x_2),$$

which breaks Lorentz invariance explicitly

- this extra term makes the loop diagram to split into

The diagrammatic equation shows a tadpole diagram with two vertices, each labeled ∂_μ , connected by a dashed loop. This is equal to the difference of two other diagrams: a tadpole with one vertex labeled $\partial_\mu \partial_\nu$ and a tadpole with one vertex labeled $\partial_0 \partial^0$.

where the latter term cancels the first tadpole diagram

\Rightarrow at one-loop level all extra terms (coming from the additional vertex and contractions with derivatives) cancel each other

Contractions with derivatives

- but: when using dispersion relations with cutoff-functions, one needs to take into account the first tadpole diagram since

$$\int d\Gamma \left| \begin{array}{c} \text{---} s \text{---} \\ \text{---} \partial_\mu \text{---} \\ \text{---} \phi \text{---} \\ \text{---} \phi \text{---} \end{array} \right|^2 = 2 \operatorname{Im} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{---} \partial_\mu \text{---} \\ \text{---} \partial_\nu \text{---} \end{array} \right) = 2 \operatorname{Im} \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{---} \partial_\mu \partial_\nu \text{---} \\ \text{---} \partial^\mu \partial^\nu \text{---} \end{array} \right)$$

will give an imaginary part that used in the dispersion relation yields the *wrong* diagram, i.e, the loop from the middle

- we need to correct:

Correction for derivative interactions

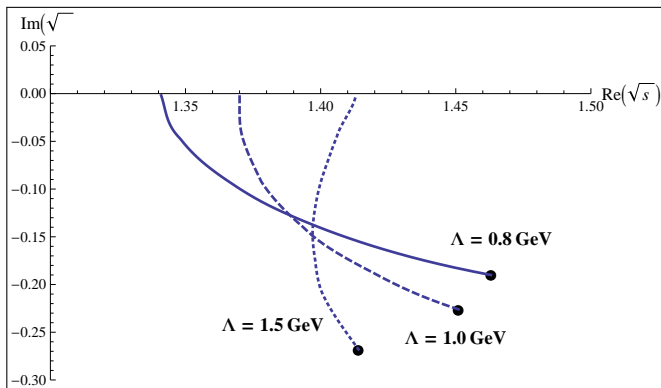
In case of a loop with **two connected** derivative vertices, subtract a tadpole diagram in the inverse propagator.

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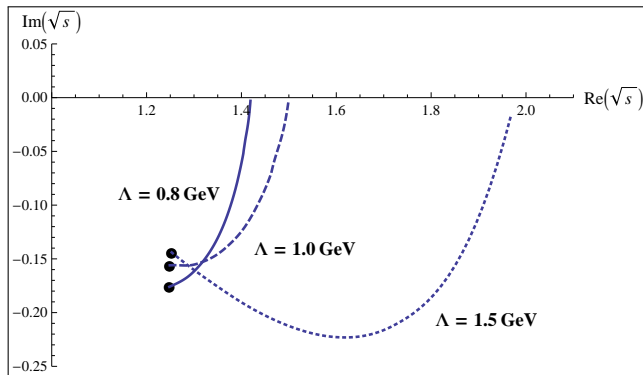
No derivative interactions

- $\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = g(Aa_0^0\eta\pi^0 + Ba_0^0\eta'\pi^0 + Ca_0^0(K^0\bar{K}^0 - K^-K^+))$, $g = 0\dots 1$



Only derivative interactions

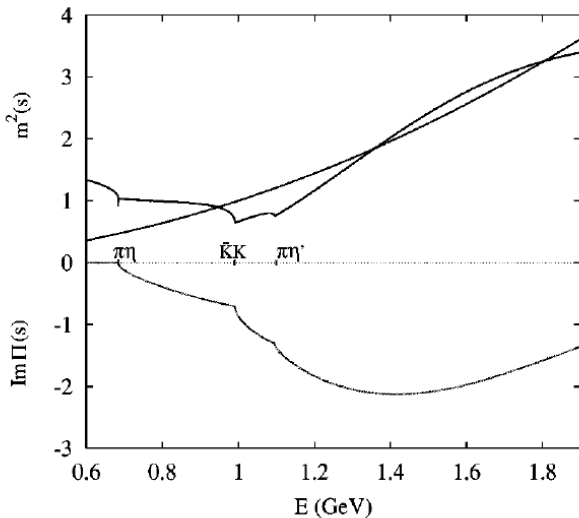
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Running mass plot

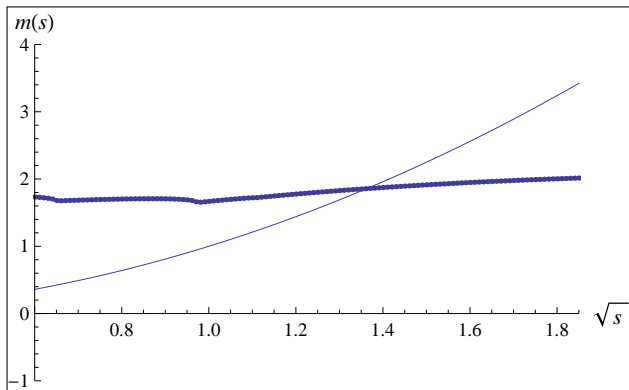
- $m^2(s) = M_0^2 + \text{Re}\Pi(s)$

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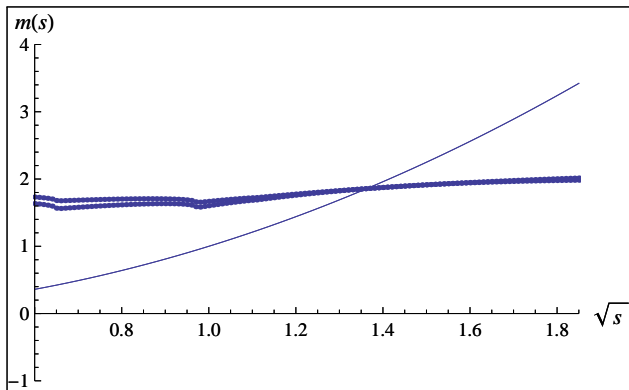
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- decreasing the cutoff: $\Lambda = 1.5$ GeV, 1.0 GeV, 0.8 GeV



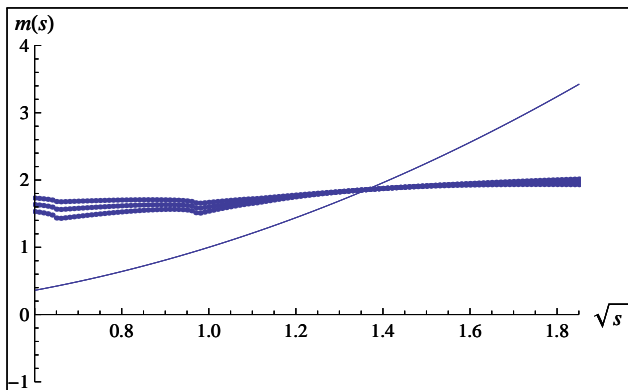
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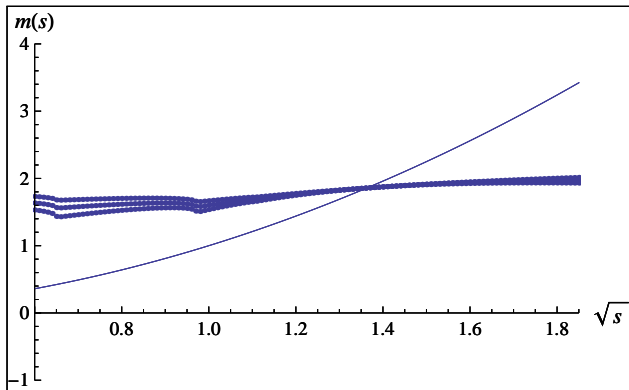
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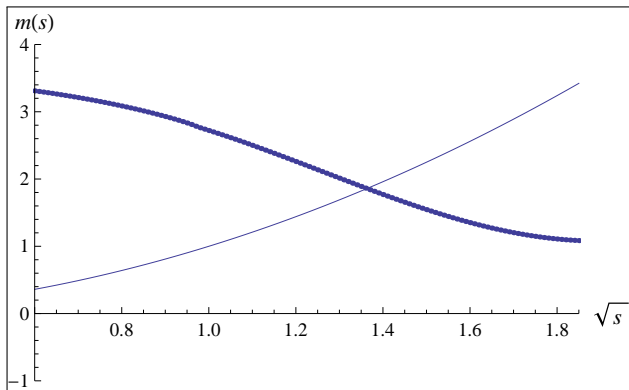
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- there are no additional poles

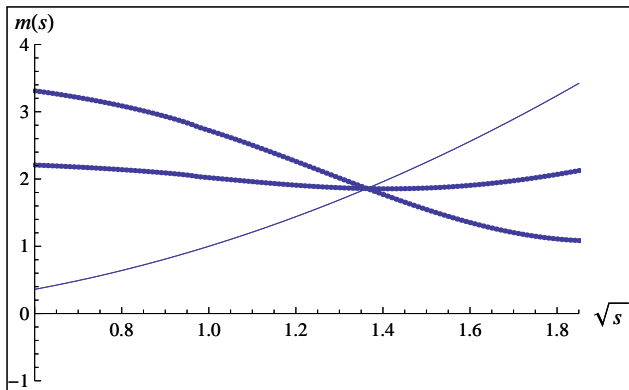
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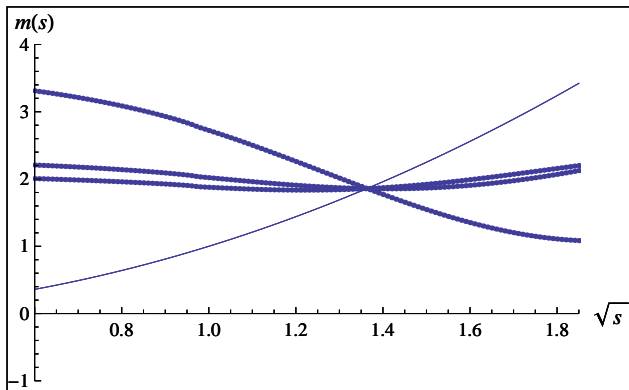
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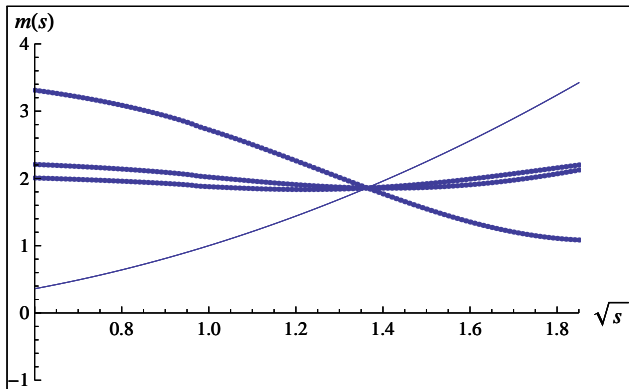
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- there are no additional poles

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Summary and outlook

- we have studied the propagator pole of the isovector state $a_0(1450)$ as it is determined by the eLSM
- single kind of loop corrections (vertices with/only derivatives) do not change the overall result of our model
- we find no *companion pole* that could be assigned as the $a_0(980)$
- we need to extend to the mixed case (vertices with and without derivatives) \rightarrow ongoing
- one should include the contact terms that are present in the model

Thank you!

Breit–Wigner parameterization

- the Breit–Wigner mass M_{BW} and decay width Γ_{BW} are defined as

Breit–Wigner parameterization

$$M_{\text{BW}}^2 = M_0^2 + \text{Re} \Pi(M_{\text{BW}}^2), \quad \Gamma_{\text{BW}} = -\frac{Z}{M_{\text{BW}}} \text{Im} \Pi(M_{\text{BW}}^2)$$

- if $\text{Im} \Pi(M_{\text{BW}}^2)$ small, neglect the full energy dependence of $\Pi(p^2)$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta_S(p^2) &\simeq \frac{Z}{p^2 - M_{\text{BW}}^2 - iZ \text{Im} \Pi(M_{\text{BW}}^2)} \\ &\simeq \frac{Z}{p^2 - M_{\text{BW}}^2 + iM_{\text{BW}}\Gamma_{\text{BW}} + \frac{\Gamma_{\text{BW}}^2}{4}} \\ &= \frac{Z}{p^2 - \left(M_{\text{BW}} - i\frac{\Gamma_{\text{BW}}}{2}\right)^2} \end{aligned}$$

General problem

- complex root function:

$$f : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, z \mapsto +\sqrt{z} = \sqrt{z} = w ,$$

$$f(z) = \sqrt{z} = \sqrt{\rho}e^{i\frac{\varphi}{2}} , \text{ for } \varphi \in (-\pi, \pi]$$

- behaviour of f by approaching the negative real axis:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} f(-\rho + i\epsilon) &= \sqrt{\rho}e^{i\frac{\pi}{2}} \\ &= i\sqrt{\rho} , \\ \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} f(-\rho - i\epsilon) &= \sqrt{\rho}e^{-i\frac{\pi}{2}} \\ &= -i\sqrt{\rho} \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is **not** well-defined

General problem

- discontinuity across the cut:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Disc } f(-\rho) &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \left[f(-\rho + i\epsilon) - f(-\rho - i\epsilon) \right] \\
 &= i\sqrt{\rho} - (-i\sqrt{\rho}) \\
 &= 2i\sqrt{\rho}
 \end{aligned}$$

- analytic continuation down into second Riemann sheet:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} f_{II}(-\rho - i\epsilon) &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} f(-\rho + i\epsilon) \\
 &= \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} f(-\rho - i\epsilon) + 2i\sqrt{\rho} \\
 &= i\sqrt{\rho} , \\
 \Rightarrow f_{II}(z) &= -f(z) \\
 &= -\sqrt{z}
 \end{aligned}$$

General problem

- we find in general for a function f with property $f(z) = f^*(z^*)$:

Discontinuity on real axis

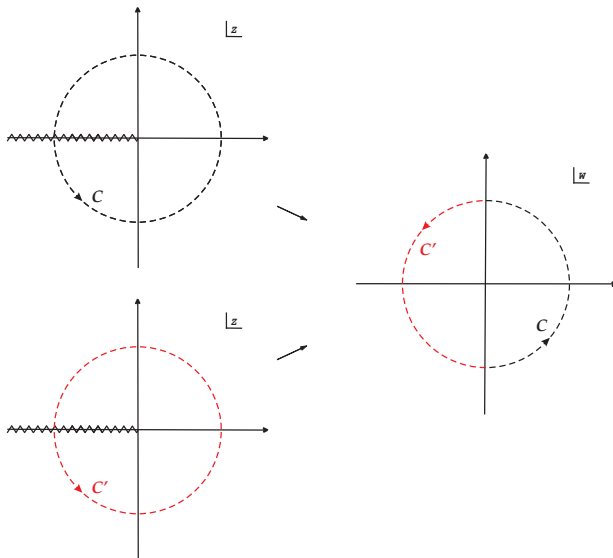
$$\text{Disc } f(x) = 2i \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0^+} \text{Im } f(x + i\epsilon)$$

- the function f is either purely real on the real axis or has a branch cut with the discontinuity $\text{Disc } f(x)$
- analytic continuation into second Riemann sheet:

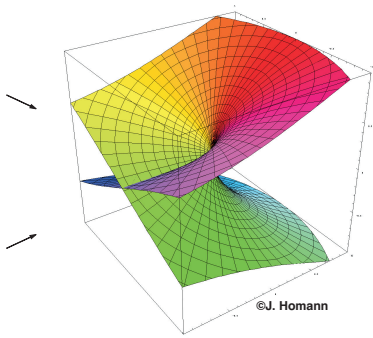
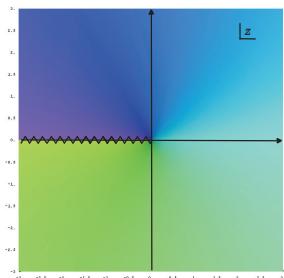
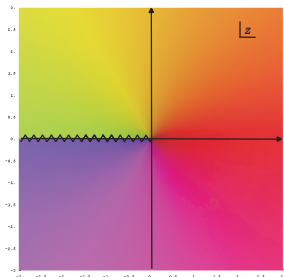
Analytic continuation

$$f_{II}(z) = f(z) + \text{Disc } f(z)$$

General problem

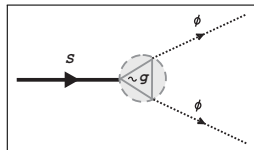


Introduce a *Riemann surface*



Regularization function

- the cutoff parameter Λ does **not** exist at the Lagrangian level
- it can be implemented by using a non-local interaction term (if $f_\Lambda(q) = f_\Lambda(|\mathbf{q}|)$), e.g.



$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = gS(x)\phi^2(x) \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = gS(x) \int d^4y \phi(x+y/2)\phi(x-y/2)\Phi(y)$$

- changes also the tree-level result for the decay width:

$$\Gamma^{\text{tree}}(s) \rightarrow \Gamma^{\text{tree}}(s) \cdot f_\Lambda^2(p_{S\phi\phi})$$

- our choice:

Regularization function in our case

$$f_\Lambda(q) = \exp(-|\mathbf{q}|^2/\Lambda^2)$$

Results of the eLSM

Observable	Fit [MeV]	Experiment [MeV]
f_π	96.3 ± 0.7	92.2 ± 4.6
f_K	106.9 ± 0.6	110.4 ± 5.5
m_π	141.0 ± 5.8	137.3 ± 6.9
m_K	485.6 ± 3.0	495.6 ± 24.8
m_η	509.4 ± 3.0	547.9 ± 27.4
$m_{\eta'}$	962.5 ± 5.6	957.8 ± 47.9
m_ρ	783.1 ± 7.0	775.5 ± 38.8
m_{K^*}	885.1 ± 6.3	893.8 ± 44.7
m_ϕ	975.1 ± 6.4	1019.5 ± 51.0
m_{a_1}	1186 ± 6	1230 ± 62
$m_{f_1(1420)}$	1372.5 ± 5.3	1426.4 ± 71.3
m_{a_0}	1363 ± 1	1474 ± 74
$m_{K_0^*}$	1450 ± 1	1425 ± 71
$\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow \pi\pi}$	160.9 ± 4.4	149.1 ± 7.4
$\Gamma_{K^* \rightarrow K\pi}$	44.6 ± 1.9	46.2 ± 2.3
$\Gamma_{\phi \rightarrow \bar{K}K}$	3.34 ± 0.14	3.54 ± 0.18
$\Gamma_{a_1 \rightarrow \rho\pi}$	549 ± 43	425 ± 175
$\Gamma_{a_1 \rightarrow \pi\gamma}$	0.66 ± 0.01	0.64 ± 0.25
$\Gamma_{f_1(1420) \rightarrow K^*K}$	44.6 ± 39.9	43.9 ± 2.2
Γ_{a_0}	266 ± 12	265 ± 13
$\Gamma_{K_0^* \rightarrow K\pi}$	285 ± 12	270 ± 80