The suppression of the decay constants of the pion's excited states in Holographic QCD

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- Holographic QCD
- Pion mass spectrum
- Holographic decay constants
- The vanishing of the decay constants
- Comparison with the Dyson-Schwinger formalism
- Conclusions

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• The vanishing of the leptonic decay constants of pion's excited states in the chiral limit

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Pseudoscalar meson radial excitations

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Goldstone modes are the only pseudoscalar mesons to possess a nonzero leptonic decay constant in the chiral limit when chiral symmetry is dynamically broken. The decay constants of their radial excitations vanish. These features and aspects of their impact on the meson spectrum are illustrated using a manifestly covariant and symmetry-preserving model of the kernels in the gap and Bethe-Salpeter equations.

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PACS number(s): 14.40.Cs, 11.10.St, 11.15.Tk, 21.45.+v

• The authors have found a generalized GOR relation

$$f_{\pi_n} M_{\pi_n}^2 = 2m_q(\xi) \rho_{\pi_n}(\xi)$$

• Its worth to remind that this relation reproduce the GOR relation, n = 0.

$$\rho_{\pi_0}^0(\xi) := \lim_{m \to 0} \rho_{\pi_0}(\xi) = -\frac{1}{f_{\pi_0}^0} \left\langle \bar{q}q \right\rangle_{\xi} \qquad (f_{\pi_0}^0)^2 M_{\pi_0}^2 = 2m_q(\xi) \left\langle \bar{q}q \right\rangle_{\xi}$$

• When chiral symmetry is dynamically broken, then

$$\rho_{\pi_n}^0(\xi) := \lim_{m \to 0} \rho_{\pi_n}(\xi) < \infty, \quad \forall n.$$

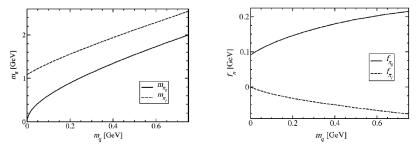
• The authors considered, by assumption

$$M_{\pi_{n>0}} > M_{\pi_0}$$
 hence $M_{\pi_{n>0}} \neq 0$ (chiral limit)

• This leads to vanishing of the decay constant for excited states

$$f_{\pi_n}^0 \equiv 0, \quad \forall n \ge 1.$$

• The ρ_n function is non-trivial as quark mass. The authors found just for the first excited state.



• In the real world, the light quarks has small mass. So, we expected a suppression for excited states

$$\frac{f_{\pi_n}^0}{f_{\pi_0}^0} < 1, \ \ \forall n \ge 1.$$

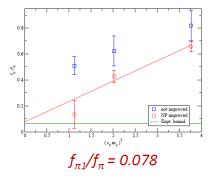
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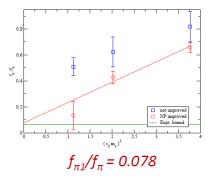
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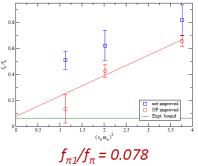


• In 2001, experimental results showed this suppression [JHEP 0106, 067 (2001)].

$$f_{\pi_1}/f_{\pi_0} < 0.064 \text{ MeV}_{\odot}$$

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• Sum rules [Phys. Rev. D 65, 074013 (2002)], effective chiral Lagrangians [Phys. Rev. D 56, 221 (1997)] also find strongly suppressed values for f_{π_1} .

Holographic QCD: A new approach for Hadron Physics

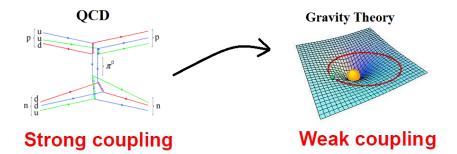
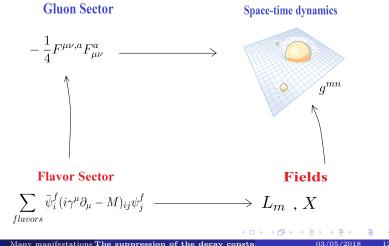


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• Holographic QCD aims to study the strongly coupled regime of QCD using gauge/gravity duality



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• Gauge invariant Operators in 4D are mapped into fields in 5D

$$4D: \mathcal{O}(x^{\mu}) \qquad 5D: \phi(x^{\mu}, z)$$

$$T^{\mu\nu} \rightarrow \qquad g^{mn}(x, z) \qquad \langle T^{\mu}_{\mu} \rangle = \frac{\beta(g_s)}{2g_s} \text{Tr} F^2$$

$$\text{Tr} F^2 \rightarrow \qquad \Phi(x, z) \qquad \text{Phys.Rev. D86 (2012) 034033}$$

• Action for pure gluon sector: Graviton-dilaton action

$$S_g = \frac{1}{16\pi G_5} \int d^5x \sqrt{|g|} e^{-2\Phi} (R + 4\partial_M \Phi \partial^M \Phi - V(\Phi))$$

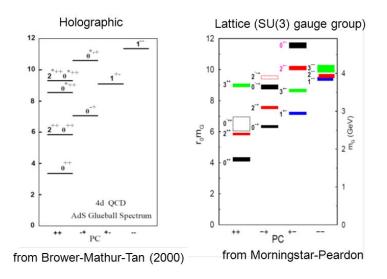
• Glueballs takes place:

F.Brunner, A. Rebhan – Phys.Lett.B770(2017)124 – 130
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Glueballs spectrum



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Holographic Flavour sector

• The holographic dictionary for the flavour sector: $m^2 = (\Delta - p)(\Delta + p - 4)$

4D: $\mathcal{O}(x^{\mu})$	5D: $\phi(x^{\mu}, z)$	p	Δ	m^2
$\bar{q}_L \gamma_\mu t^a q_L$	$L_m^a(x,z)$	1	3	0
$\left\ \bar{q}_R \gamma_\mu t^a q_R \right\ $	$R_m^a(x,z)$	1	3	0
$\bar{q}_R q_L$	$\frac{2}{z}X(x,z)$	0	3	-3

• Action for flavour sector: Karch-Katz-Son-Stephanov (KKSS) model

$$S_f = \int d^5x \sqrt{|g|} e^{-\Phi} \operatorname{Tr}\left\{ |DX|^2 - 3|X|^2 - \frac{1}{4g_5^2} \left(L_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu}^2 \right) \right\}$$

• The full system can be described by the action

$$S_{grav} = S_g + \frac{N_f}{N_c} S_f$$

• Holographic duality conjectures

$$Z_{hadron}[J(x)] = Z_{grav}[\phi_0(x)] \sim e^{-S_{grav}[\phi(x,\epsilon)]}|_{\phi \to \phi_0}.$$

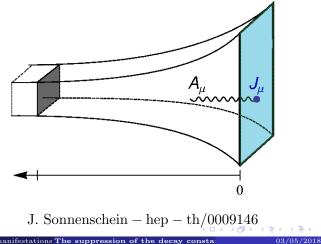
- No back reaction: $N_f/N_c \ll 1$
- **QCD** Trace anomaly $\Rightarrow \Phi(z) \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ Deformed AdS_5

$$ds^{2} = a(z)\frac{L^{2}}{z^{2}}(dt^{2} - d\vec{x}^{2} - dz^{2})$$

• a(z) is determined by the dilation-gravity equation

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• The simplest background that simulates confinement is the hard wall background: $a(z) = \delta(z - z_0)$.



Light-Front Holographic QCD

LF(3+1) \rightarrow AdS_5

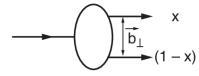
 $\psi(\mathbf{x}, \overrightarrow{\mathbf{b}_{\perp}}) \qquad \longleftarrow \quad \phi(\mathbf{z})$

 $\zeta = \sqrt{x(1-x)\vec{b}_{\perp}^2} \quad \longleftarrow \quad z$

arXiv:1301.2733 [hep-ph]

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DCSB is implemented in a nonstandard way



() The decay constants of the excited $\phi(\zeta)$ states do not vanishes in the chiral limit

$$\psi(x, \zeta, \varphi) = e^{iL\varphi} \sqrt{x(1-x)} \frac{\varphi(\zeta)}{\sqrt{2\pi\zeta}}$$

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• We consider the flavor action in the hard wall background

$$S_f = \int d^5x \sqrt{|g|} \operatorname{Tr} \left\{ |DX|^2 - 3|X|^2 - \frac{1}{4g_5^2} \left(L_{\mu\nu}^2 + R_{\mu\nu}^2 \right) \right\}$$

$$D_m X = \partial_m X - iL_m X + iXR_m,$$
$$L_{mn} = \partial_m L_n - \partial_n L_m - i[L_m, L_n] \quad L \Leftrightarrow R$$

• Vacuum structure: $L_{mn} = R_{mn} = 0$

$$\partial_z \left(\frac{1}{z^3} \partial_z X_0 \right) + \frac{3}{z^5} X_0 = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad v(z) = 2X_0 = Mz + \Sigma z^3$$

Da Rold and Pomarol - Nucl. Phys. B721 (2005), pp. 79-97

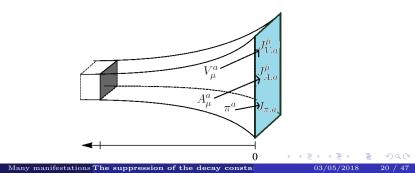
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• The fluctuations around the vacuum give the mesons

$$X(x,z) = e^{i\pi^{a}(x,z)t^{a}} X_{0}(x,z) e^{i\pi^{a}(x,z)t^{a}}$$

• Similarly to QCD, we construct the 5D vector and axial vector fields.

$$V^{a}_{\mu}(x,z) = R^{a}_{\mu}(x,z) + L^{a}_{\mu}(x,z), \quad A^{a}_{\mu}(x,z) = R^{a}_{\mu}(x,z) - L^{a}_{\mu}(x,z)$$



• Using the fluctuations and expanding the flavour action, we have

$$S = S_0 + S_2 + S_3 + \dots ,$$

• We focus in S_2 for the $SU(N_f)$

$$S_{2} = \int d^{5}x \sqrt{|g|} \Big\{ -\frac{1}{4g_{5}^{2}} a_{a}^{mn} a_{mn}^{a} + \frac{T_{A}^{ab}}{2} (\partial^{m} \pi^{a} - A^{m,a}) (\partial_{m} \pi_{b} - A_{m,b}) \Big\}.$$
$$a_{mn} = \partial_{m} A_{n} - \partial_{n} A_{m}, \quad \operatorname{Tr}(\{T^{a}, X_{0}\}\{T^{b}, X_{0}\}) = \frac{T_{A}^{ab}}{2}.$$

• Let us separate the action S_2 in the 4d and z parts, using

$$A^a_{\hat{\mu}} = A^{\perp,a}_{\hat{\mu}} + \partial_{\hat{\mu}}\phi^a.$$

• The gauge symmetry of the action allow us to write

$$A^a_{\hat{\mu}} \rightarrow A^{\perp,a}_{\hat{\mu}}, \quad A^a_z \rightarrow -\partial_z \phi^a, \quad \pi^a \rightarrow \pi^a - \phi^a$$

• The Kaluza-Klein expansion

$$A_{\hat{\mu}}^{\perp,a}(x,z) = g_5 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^{a,n}(z) \hat{A}_{\hat{\mu}}^{a,n}(x),$$
$$\pi^a(x,z) = g_5 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \pi^{a,n}(z) \hat{\pi}^{a,n}(x), \quad \phi^a(x,z) = g_5 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \phi^{a,n}(z) \hat{\pi}^{a,n}(x).$$

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• The gauge-invariant excitations, like mesons, are performed holographically as 5D normalizable modes of bulk fields.

• This way, the pseudoscalar part of the action S_2 becomes

$$S_{2}^{\pi} = \sum_{n,m=0}^{\infty} \int d^{4}x \Big\{ \frac{1}{2} \Delta_{\pi}^{a,nm} (\partial_{\hat{\mu}} \hat{\pi}^{a,n}) (\partial^{\hat{\mu}} \hat{\pi}^{a,m}) - \frac{1}{2} M_{\pi}^{a,nm} \hat{\pi}^{a,n} \hat{\pi}^{a,m} \Big\}$$

• where the coefficients are

$$\begin{split} \Delta^{a,nm}_{\pi} &= \int \frac{dz}{z} \Big\{ [\partial_z \phi^{a,n}(z)] [\partial_z \phi^{a,m}(z)] \\ &+ \beta^{aa}_A(z) [\pi^{a,n}(z) - \phi^{a,n}(z)] [\pi^{a,m}(z) - \phi^{a,m}(z)] \Big\} \,, \\ M^{a,nm}_{\pi} &= \int \frac{dz}{z} \beta^{aa}_A(z) [\partial_z \pi^{a,n}] [\partial_z \pi^{a,m}]. \end{split}$$

• where we have defined

$$\beta_A^{ab} = \frac{g_5^2}{z^2} T_A^{ab} \,.$$

• In order to obtain standard kinetic terms we impose

$$\Delta_{\pi}^{a,nm} = \delta^{nm}, \quad M_{\pi}^{a,nm} = m_{\pi^{a,n}}^2 \delta^{nm}$$

• The above conditions lead to equations

$$\frac{\beta_A^{aa}(z)}{z} \left[\pi^{a,n}(z) - \phi^{a,n}(z) \right] = -\partial_z \left[\frac{1}{z} \partial_z \phi^{a,n}(z) \right],$$

$$\beta_A^{aa}(z) \partial_z \pi^{a,n}(z) = m_{\pi^{a,n}}^2 \partial_z \phi^{a,n}(z).$$

• The mass spectrum of the axial and pseudoscalar mesons can be obtained using

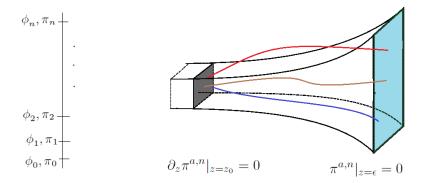
$$\phi^{a,n}|_{z=\epsilon} = \pi^{a,n}|_{z=\epsilon} = 0,$$

$$\partial_z \phi^{a,n}|_{z=z_0} = \partial_z \pi^{a,n}|_{z=z_0} = 0.$$

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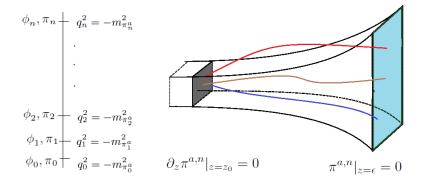
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 • The pions are identified by

$$P = \pi^{i} t^{i} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\pi^{0}}{\sqrt{2}} & \pi^{+} \\ \pi^{-} & -\frac{\pi^{0}}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix},$$

• The equations for normalized modes takes the form

$$\frac{\beta(z)}{z} \left[\pi^n(z) - \phi^n(z) \right] = -\partial_z \left[\frac{1}{z} \partial_z \phi^n(z) \right] ,$$

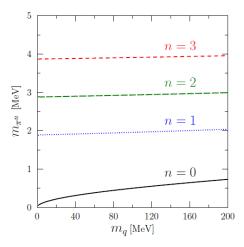
$$\beta(z) \, \partial_z \pi^n(z) = m_{\pi^n}^2 \partial_z \phi^n(z) .$$

• where

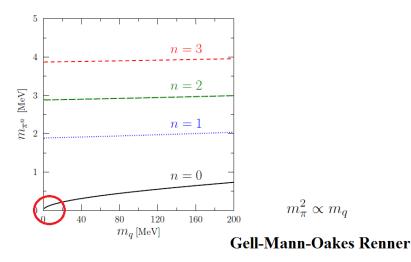
$$\beta(z) = \frac{g_5^2}{z^2} v(z)^2 = g_5^2 \left(\zeta m_q + \frac{\sigma}{\zeta} z^2\right)^2.$$

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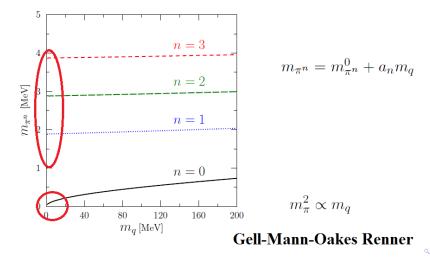
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Holographic decay constants

• Variating the action δS_2 , we obtain the surface term

$$\delta S_2^{\text{Bdy}} = -\int d^4x \left[\langle J_{V,a}^{\hat{\mu}} \rangle \left(\delta V_{\hat{\mu}}^a \right)_{z=\epsilon} + \langle J_{A,a}^{\hat{\mu}} \rangle \left(\delta A_{\hat{\mu}}^a \right)_{z=\epsilon} + \langle J_{\pi,a} \rangle \left(\delta \pi^a \right)_{z=\epsilon} \right]$$

• where the vev's (holographic currents) are

$$\langle J_{V,a}^{\hat{\mu}}(x)\rangle \quad = \quad P_{V,a}^{z\mu}|_{z=\epsilon} = -\frac{1}{g_5^2} \left(\sqrt{|g|} v_a^{z\mu}\right)_{z=\epsilon},$$

$$\langle J_{A,a}^{\hat{\mu}}(x)\rangle = P_{A,a}^{z\mu}|_{z=\epsilon} = -\frac{1}{g_5^2} \left(\sqrt{|g|} a_a^{z\mu}\right)_{z=\epsilon},$$

$$\langle J_{\pi,a}(x) \rangle = P_{\pi,a}^z|_{z=\epsilon} = \left[\sqrt{|g|} T_A^{ab} \left(\partial^z \pi_b - A_b^z \right) \right]_{z=\epsilon}$$

• Using the Kaluza-Klein expansion in the axial and vector holographic currents

$$\langle J_{\pi,a}(x) \rangle = -\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{\beta_A^{aa}(z)}{g_5 z} \partial_z \pi^{a,n}(z) \right]_{z=\epsilon} \hat{\pi}^{a,n}(x).$$

$$\langle J_{A,a}^{\hat{\mu}}(x) \rangle = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} g_{A^{a,n}} \hat{A}_{a,n}^{\hat{\mu}}(x) - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f_{\pi^{a,n}} \partial^{\hat{\mu}} \hat{\pi}^{a,n}(x),$$

• The constants are defined as

$$g_{A^{a,n}} = \left[\frac{1}{g_5 z} \partial_z a^{a,n}(z)\right]_{z=\epsilon}, \quad f_{\pi^{a,n}} = -\left[\frac{1}{g_5 z} \partial_z \phi^{a,n}(z)\right]_{z=\epsilon}$$

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Holographic decay constants

• These constants are precisely the decay constants

$$\begin{aligned} \langle 0|J_{A,a}^{\hat{\mu}}(x)|A^{b,m}(p,\lambda)\rangle &= g_{A^{a,m}}e^{-ip\cdot x}\epsilon^{\hat{\mu}}(p,\lambda)\delta^{ab},\\ \langle 0|J_{A,a}^{\hat{\mu}}(x)|\pi^{b,m}(p)\rangle &= f_{\pi^{a,m}}e^{-ip\cdot x}\delta^{ab}. \end{aligned}$$

• After some manipulations, we obtain the PCAC relation

$$\langle J_{\pi,a}(x) \rangle = \partial_{\hat{\mu}} \langle J^{\hat{\mu}}_{A,a}(x) \rangle$$

• This way, we find the following relation

$$f_{\pi^{a,n}}m_{\pi^{a,n}}^2 = -\left[\frac{\beta(z)}{g_5 z}\Pi^{a,n}(z)\right]_{z=\epsilon}, \quad \Pi^n(z) = \partial_z \pi^n(z)$$

• By comparing with the relation found by C. Roberts and et.

$$f_{\pi^{a,n}} m_{\pi^{a,n}}^2 = 2m_q \rho_{\pi^{a,n}}$$

 \bullet We find a holographic expression for the $\rho\text{-function}$

$$\rho_{\pi^{a,n}} = -\frac{1}{2m_q} \left[\frac{\beta(z)}{g_5 z} \Pi^{a,n}(z) \right]_{z=\epsilon}, \quad \Pi^n(z) = \partial_z \pi^n(z)$$

• Remember that, authors showed that

$$\rho_{\pi^{a,n}} < \infty \quad \text{chiral limit}$$

• And, as consequence,

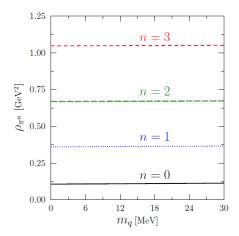
$$f_{\pi^{a,n}} = 0, \quad n > 1$$
 chiral limit

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Holographic ρ -function

• Numerical results for the ρ -function in Holographic model

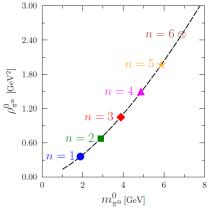


Quark mass dependence of ρ_{π^n} .

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Holographic ρ -function

 We also found the ρ-function, for the excited states, as function of mass in the chiral limit.



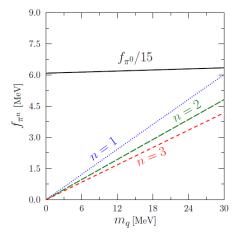
The $\rho_{\pi^n}^0$ function can be fitted as

$$\rho_{\pi^n}^0 = \gamma \, \left(m_{\pi^n}^0\right)^{3/2}, \quad n \ge 1$$

The function $\rho_{\pi^n}^0$, defined in Eq. (1.5), for the first six excited states. The dashed line is a fit to the discrete eigenvalues.

Holographic decay constants

• Finally, the behavior of the decay constant



The decay constant scale as

$$f_{\pi^n} \sim m_q, \quad n \ge 1.$$

FIG. 4. Quark mass dependence of f_{π^n} .

$$f_{\pi^n} m_{\pi^n}^2 = 2m_q \,\rho_{\pi^n}$$

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Holographic QCD

$$f_{\pi^{n}}m_{\pi^{n}}^{2} = 2m_{q}\,\rho_{\pi^{n}} \qquad \qquad f_{\pi^{a,n}}m_{\pi^{a,n}}^{2} = -\left[\frac{1}{g_{5}}\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)\beta(z)\Pi^{a,n}(z)\right]_{z=\epsilon}$$

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Holographic QCD

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$$\downarrow$$

$$\rho_{\pi^{n}}^{0} \text{ has been finite in the chiral limit}$$

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Holographic QCD

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$$\rho_{\pi^n}^0 = \gamma \left(m_{\pi^n}^0 \right)^{3/2} \downarrow$$

Numerically, we have shown

$$m_{\pi^n} = m_{\pi^n}^0 + a_n m_q$$

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- Holographic provides a new way to study the hadron physics.
- We have found a generalized GOR relation from holography, where the ρ_n function has a simple form.
- Our results show that the following relation is valid, in the chiral limit

$$m_{\pi_0} < m_{\pi_{n>0}} \neq 0$$

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- We have shown, from holography, that the ρ_n function is finite in the chiral limit and scale as $(m_{\pi^n}^0)^{3/2}$
- This leads us to conclude that all the decay constant vanish in the chiral limit, for excited states.

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