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NRQCD

\[ \mathcal{L}_{\text{NRQCD}} = \mathcal{L}_g + \mathcal{L}_q + \mathcal{L}_\psi + \mathcal{L}_\chi + \mathcal{L}_{\psi\chi} \]

\[ \mathcal{L}_g = -\frac{1}{4} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_{\mu\nu}^a + \frac{d_2}{m_Q^2} F_{\mu\nu}^a D^2 F_{\mu\nu}^a + d_g^3 \frac{1}{m_Q^2} g f_{abc} F_{\mu\nu}^a F_{\mu\nu}^{\alpha b} F_{\nu\alpha c} \]

\[ \mathcal{L}_\psi = \psi^\dagger \left( iD_0 + c_2 \frac{D^2}{2m_Q} + c_4 \frac{D^4}{8m_Q^2} + c_F g \frac{\sigma B}{2m_Q} + c_D g \frac{DE-ED}{8m_Q^2} \right) \psi \]

\[ \mathcal{L}_\chi = \text{c.c of } \mathcal{L}_\psi \]

\[ \mathcal{L}_{\psi\chi} = \frac{f_1(1S_0)}{m_Q^2} \psi^\dagger \chi \chi^\dagger \psi + \frac{f_1(3S_1)}{m_Q^2} \psi^\dagger \sigma \chi \chi^\dagger \sigma \psi + \frac{f_8(1S_0)}{m_Q^2} \psi^\dagger T^a \chi \chi^\dagger T^a \psi \]

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potential NRQCD Lagrangian at $T=0$

pNRQCD (Brambilla, Pineda, Soto and Vairo, NPB566 (2000) 275).
Starting from NRQCD and integrating out the scale $\frac{1}{r}$.

$$\mathcal{L}_{pNRQCD} = \int d^3r \text{Tr} \left[ S^\dagger \left( i\partial_0 - h_s \right) S \
+ O^\dagger \left( iD_0 - h_o \right) O \right] + V_A(r) \text{Tr}(O^\dagger rgE S + S^\dagger rgE O) \
+ \frac{V_B(r)}{2} \text{Tr}(O^\dagger rgE O + O^\dagger OrgE) + \mathcal{L}_g + \mathcal{L}_q$$

- Degrees of freedom are singlet and octets.
- Allows to obtain manifestly gauge-invariant results. Simplifies the connection with Lattice QCD.
- If $1/r \gg T$ we can use this Lagrangian as starting point. In other cases the matching between NRQCD and pNRQCD will be modified.
EFTs to study quarkonium in a medium

\[ m \]
\[ 1/r \sim mv \]
\[ V \sim mv^2 \]

Brambilla, Ghiglieri, Vairo and Petreczky (PRD78 (2008) 014017)
M. A. E and Soto (PRA78 (2008) 032520)
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Reinterpretation

We can understand \( \text{Tr}(S^{\dagger}(t,x)S(t,x')\rho) \) as the projection of the density matrix to the subspace in which we have a singlet. Quarkonium is an open quantum system interacting with a bath.
How to describe quarkonium in a medium?
Potential model approach

\[ i\partial_t \Psi = \left( \frac{p^2}{M} + V(r, T) \right) \Psi \]

Only screening:
- Compute whether, at a given temperature, the potential is compatible with the existence of a given bound states.
- Sequential meeting picture.

Including the effect of inelastic collisions:
- Encoded in an imaginary part of the potential.
- Identify the norm of the wave-function with survival probability. Zero at large times?
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Transport equation approach

\[ \partial_t p^{1S} = f(p^{\text{free}}) - \Gamma p^{1S} \sim \Gamma(p^{1S}_{\text{eq}} - p^{1S}) \]

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- At large times it arrives to an equilibrium state.
- All quantum coherence information is lost. Can not fully include screening effects in this way. Quantum mechanics is needed to solve the bound state problem.

\[ p^{1S} \] is the probability to find a 1S state and \( f(p^{1S}) \) is the probability that a 1S is generated by the decay of other particles.
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Open quantum system approach

$$\partial_t \rho = -i [H, \rho] + D(\rho)$$

- Quantum version of a transport equation.
- The state is represented by a density matrix.
- Can include in the same equation screening and dissociation by collisions.
Example: The Lindblad equation
Gorini, Kossakowski and Sudarshan (1976), Lindblad (1976)

\[ \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \rho = -i [H, \rho] + \sum_i \left( C_i \rho C_i^\dagger - \frac{1}{2} \{ C_i^\dagger C_i, \rho \} \right) \]

Equation fulfilled by any evolution which:
- Is Markovian (no memory).
- Conserves the trace (sum of all probabilities is equal to 1).
- Is a completely positive map (no negative probabilities).
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These diagrams represent the evolution of the density matrix:

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8 diagrams that connect whatever state at time $t$ with an octet at time $t + dt$. 
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Comparison to CMS data at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$ (Phys. Lett. B 790, 270-293 (2019)), computation shown in Hard Probes 2018.
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**Lattice QCD data**

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- Data at $T = 334$ MeV, not used originally in our paper, is taken from Larsen, Meinel, Mukherjee and Petreczky (2019).
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- More on Effective Field Theories and lattice QCD on Nora Brambilla’s plenary talk on Thursday.