

Quantum Mechanics

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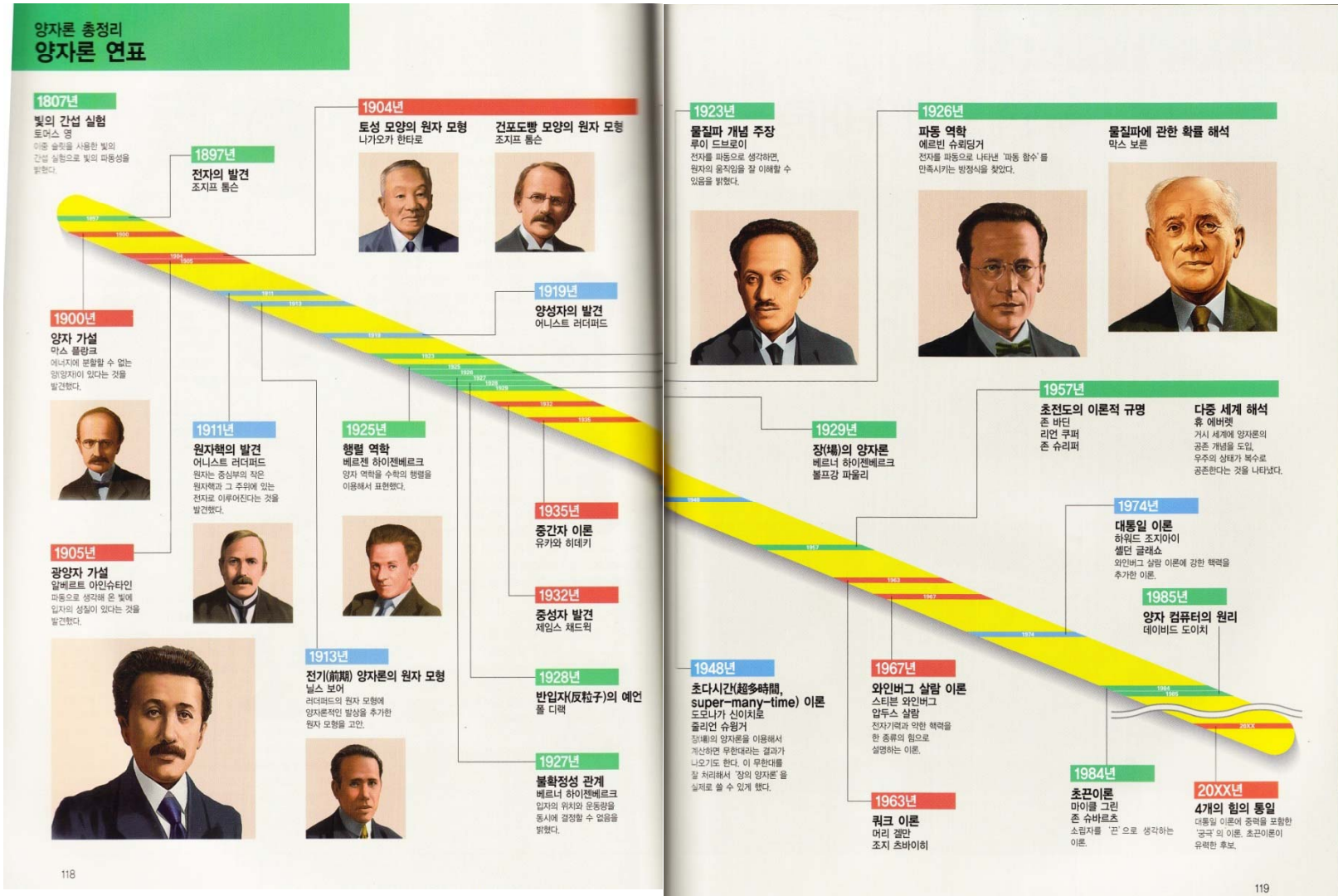
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- Symmetry properties of the quantum mechanical wave-function space
- Apply it to the Hydrogen atom
- Connection between the atomic system and the hadron system in particle physics
- Meson wave function
- Baryon wave function

양자론 연표



3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

\vec{J} The angular momentum operators

$|jm\rangle$ The quantum state



$$J_z |jm\rangle = m\hbar |jm\rangle$$

Where $m = -j, \dots, 0, \dots, j$.

$$J_z = \frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}$$

3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

$$J_{\pm} = J_x \pm iJ_y$$

$$[J_z, J_+] = \hbar J_+$$

$$[J_z, J_-] = -\hbar J_-$$

$$[J_+, J_-] = 2\hbar J_z$$

$$J_+ |jm\rangle = \sqrt{j(j+1) - m(m+1)}\hbar |jm+1\rangle$$

$$J_- |jm\rangle = \sqrt{j(j+1) - m(m-1)}\hbar |jm-1\rangle$$

$$J^2 |jm\rangle = j(j+1)\hbar^2 |jm\rangle$$

$$J^2 = \frac{J_+ J_- + J_- J_+}{2} + J_z^2$$

3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

$$\vec{J} = \vec{J}_1 + \vec{J}_2$$

$$|jm\rangle = \sum_{j_1 j_2} C_{mm_1 m_2}^{j_1 j_2} |j_1 m_1\rangle |j_2 m_2\rangle \quad (\text{where } m = m_1 + m_2)$$

Clebsch-Gordon(CG)
coefficient

$$|j_1 m_1\rangle |j_2 m_2\rangle = \sum_{j=|j_1-j_2|}^{j_1+j_2} C_{mm_1 m_2}^{j_1 j_2} |jm\rangle$$

SPIN

QM Revision

Quantum Mechanical LADDER operators, $\hat{J}_{\pm} = \hat{J}_x \pm i\hat{J}_y$

$$\hat{J}_+ |j, m\rangle = \sqrt{j(j+1)-m(m+1)} |j, m+1\rangle$$

$$\hat{J}_- |j, m\rangle = \sqrt{j(j+1)-m(m-1)} |j, m-1\rangle$$

For Example - can generate all $|j, m\rangle$ states from $|j, j\rangle$

$$|1, 1\rangle = |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = \uparrow\uparrow$$

Since \hat{J}_x etc. formed from derivatives use product rule,
 $d(uv) = udv+vdu$, when acting on product of states:

$$\hat{J}_- |1, 1\rangle = (\hat{J}_- |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle) |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle + |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle (\hat{J}_- |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle)$$

$$\sqrt{2} |1, 0\rangle = |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle + |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle$$

$$|1, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow)$$

For the combination of two spin half particle:

$$|1, 1\rangle = \uparrow\uparrow$$

$$|1, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow)$$

$$|1, -1\rangle = \downarrow\downarrow$$

All SYMMETRIC under interchange of 1 \leftrightarrow 2

Also an orthogonal combination which is

ANTI-SYMMETRIC under interchange of 1 \leftrightarrow 2

$$|0, 0\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow)$$

3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

Let's consider the spin angular momentum of a meson.

$$j_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$j_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

1 Quark
1 Antiquark

$$j = |j_1 - j_2|, \dots, j_1 + j_2$$

$$= 0, 1$$

pseudoscalar

Vector mesons

3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

$$|1+1\rangle = \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$m = m_1 + m_2$

In order to obtain $|10\rangle$ state, one can apply the lowering operator.

$$J_- = J_{1-} + J_{2-}$$

$$|10\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

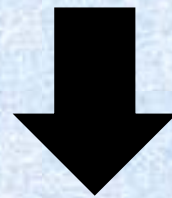
$$|1-1\rangle = \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

3.1 Angular Momentum and CG-Coefficients

Let's consider the pseudoscalar meson.

$$|00\rangle = a \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle + b \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

$$J_+ |00\rangle = 0$$



$$|00\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left| \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle \left| \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

Review the main idea of solving the central potential problem. First, obtaining the nonrelativistic solutions.

$$H = \frac{\vec{p}^2}{2m} + V(r)$$

$$\frac{\vec{p}^2}{2m} = \frac{P_r^2}{2m} + \frac{L^2}{2I}$$

Using spherical coordinate system.

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$P_r = m \dot{r}$$

$$L = mr^2 \dot{\theta}$$

$$I = mr^2$$



$$\left\{ \frac{P_r^2}{2m} + \frac{L^2}{2mr^2} + V(r) \right\} \psi(r, \theta, \varphi) = E \Psi(r, \theta, \varphi)$$

$$\psi(r, \theta, \varphi) = R(r)Y(\theta, \varphi)$$

Separation of
the variables

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$-\frac{2mr^2}{R} \left(\frac{P_r^2}{2m} + V(r) - E \right) R = \frac{1}{Y} L^2 Y$$

Angular part,

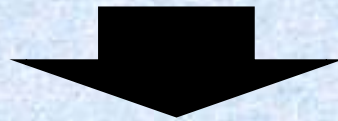
$$L^2 Y = (\text{const}) Y$$

$$L^2 Y_l^m(\theta, \varphi) = l(l+1)\hbar^2 Y_l^m(\theta, \varphi)$$

$$L_z Y_l^m(\theta, \varphi) = m\hbar Y_l^m(\theta, \varphi)$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$\left(\frac{P_r^2}{2m} + V(r) - E\right)R = -\frac{(\text{const})}{2mr^2}R$$



$$\left(\frac{P_r^2}{2m} + \frac{l(l+1)\hbar^2}{2mr^2} + V(r)\right)R_l(r) = ER_l(r)$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics


$$P_r = \frac{\hbar}{i} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r} \right) \longrightarrow P_r^2 = -\hbar^2 \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} r$$
$$= \frac{\hbar}{i} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} r$$

$$-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{d^2 U_l(r)}{dr^2} + \left(V(r) + \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right) U_l(r) = E U_l(r)$$

$$U_l(r) = r R_l(r)$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

Consider the Coulomb potential in the hydrogen atom.

$$V(r) = -\frac{e^2}{r}$$


$$\frac{d^2U_l(r)}{dr^2} + \left(\frac{2mE}{\hbar^2} + \frac{2m e^2}{\hbar^2 r} - \frac{l(l+1)}{r^2} \right) U_l(r) = 0$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$x \equiv 2\kappa r \quad \kappa = \sqrt{-\frac{2mE}{\hbar^2}} \quad \nu = \frac{1}{\kappa a}$$

Bohr radius.

$$\left(\frac{d^2}{dx^2} - \frac{l(l+1)}{x^2} + \frac{\nu}{x} - \frac{1}{4} \right) U_l(x) = 0$$

$$U_l(x) = x^{l+1} e^{-\frac{x}{2}} v_l(x)$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$v_l(x) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma(l+1+p-\nu)}{\Gamma(l+1-\nu)} \frac{(2l+1)!}{(2l+1+p)!} \frac{x^p}{p!}$$

The series should be terminated at a finite natural number

$$a_{p+1} = \frac{l+1+p-\nu}{(2l+2+p)(p+1)} a_p$$

$$a_p = \frac{\Gamma(l+1+p-\nu)}{\Gamma(l+1-\nu)} \frac{(2l+1)!}{(2l+1+p)!} \frac{1}{p!}$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$a_{n'+1} = 0$$

$$l + 1 + n' - \nu = 0$$



$$\nu = l + 1 + n'$$

Natural
number!

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$E_n = -\frac{me^4}{2\hbar^2 n^2}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{e^2}{\hbar c} \approx \frac{1}{137.036}$$

$$E_n = -\alpha^2 mc^2 \left(\frac{1}{2n^2} \right)$$

Fine structure constant

$$\approx -13.6\text{eV}/n^2$$

3.2 Central Potential in Quantum Mechanics

$$n' = n - l - 1 \geq 0$$



$$n - 1 \geq l$$

$$-l \leq m \leq +l$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

1. Relativistic Correction

$$\begin{aligned} T &= (\gamma - 1)mc^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2}mv^{\rightarrow 2} + \frac{3}{8}m\frac{v^{\rightarrow 2}}{c^4} + \dots \\ &= \frac{p^{\rightarrow 2}}{2m} - \frac{p^{\rightarrow 4}}{8m^3c^2} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

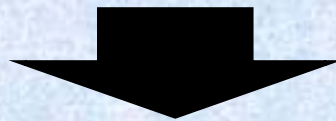
$$E = \sqrt{p^{\rightarrow 2}c^2 + m^2c^4}$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

$$\Delta H_{\text{rel}} = -\frac{\overset{\rightarrow 4}{p}}{8m^3 c^2}$$

$$\boxed{\overset{\rightarrow 2}{\frac{p}{2m}} = E_n - V}$$

$$\left\langle \left(\overset{\rightarrow 2}{\frac{p}{2m}} \right)^2 \right\rangle = \left\langle \left(\overset{\rightarrow 4}{\frac{p}{4m^2}} \right) \right\rangle = E_n^2 - 2E_n \langle V \rangle + \langle V^2 \rangle$$



$$\langle \Delta H_{\text{rel}} \rangle = -\frac{1}{2mc^2} \left(E_n^2 - 2E_n \langle V \rangle + \langle V^2 \rangle \right)$$

$$\boxed{V = -\frac{e^2}{r}}$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{r} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{n^2 a}$$

$$\left\langle \frac{1}{r^2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\left(l + \frac{1}{2}\right) n^3 a^2}$$



$$\Delta E_{rel} = -\alpha^2 mc^2 \frac{1}{4n^4} \left(\frac{2n}{l + \frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{2} \right)$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

2. Spin-Orbit Coupling

$$\Delta H_{so} = -\vec{\mu} \cdot \vec{B}$$

$$\vec{\mu} = -\frac{e}{mc} \vec{s}$$

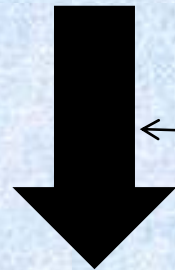
$$\vec{B} = \frac{e}{mcr^3} \vec{L}$$

g-factor of
electron is 2



3.3 H-atom Spectra

$$\Delta H_{so} = \frac{e^2}{m^2 c^2 r^3} \vec{L} \cdot \vec{s}$$



Correction including
Thomas-precession

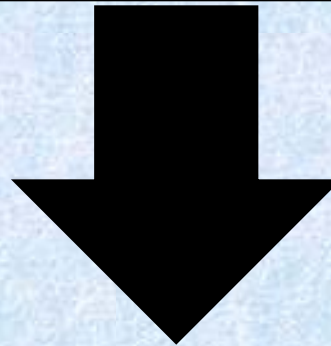
$$\Delta H_{so} = \frac{e^2}{2m^2 c^2 r^3} \vec{L} \cdot \vec{s}$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \Delta H_{so} \rangle &= \frac{e^2}{2m^2 c^2} \left\langle \frac{\vec{L} \cdot \vec{s}}{r^3} \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{e^2}{2m^2 c^2} \left\langle \frac{\left(\vec{J}^2 - \vec{L}^2 - \vec{s}^2 \right) / 2}{r^3} \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{e^2}{2m^2 c^2} \cdot \frac{\hbar^2 \left\{ j(j+1) - l(l+1) - \frac{3}{4} \right\}}{2} \left\langle \frac{1}{r^3} \right\rangle\end{aligned}$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

$$\text{Using } \left\langle \frac{1}{r^3} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{l(l + \frac{1}{2})(l + 1)n^3 a^3}$$



$$\langle \Delta E_{so} \rangle = \alpha^4 mc^2 \frac{\{j(j+1) - l(l+1) - \frac{3}{4}\}}{4n^3 l(l + \frac{1}{2})(l + 1)}$$

3.3 H-atom Spectra

3. The Combination of Relativistic and Spin-Orbit Correction

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta E_{fs} &= \Delta E_{rel} + \Delta E_{so} \\ &= -\alpha^4 mc^2 \frac{1}{4n^4} \left(\frac{2n}{j + \frac{1}{2}} - \frac{3}{2} \right)\end{aligned}$$

Not depend on ℓ

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$\Delta H_{hf} = -\vec{\mu}_p \cdot (\vec{B}_L + \vec{B}_s)$$

Hyperfine: Proton과 electron의 orbital 운동에 따른 자기장 및 스핀

$$\vec{\mu}_p = \gamma_p \frac{e}{Mc} \vec{s}_p$$

$$\vec{B}_L = -\frac{e}{mcr^3} \vec{L}$$

$$\vec{B}_s = \frac{1}{r^3} \left\{ 3 \frac{(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{r}) \vec{r}}{r^2} - \vec{\mu} \right\}$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$\Delta E_{hf} = \langle \Delta H_{hf} \rangle \approx \left(\frac{m}{M} \right) \alpha^4 mc^2$$

In the positronium system, this factor is equal to 1

So, there is no distinction between the fine structure and the hyperfine structure in the positronium system.

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

There are two important aspects of positronium spectra.

1. The reduced mass effect

$$m_{red} = \frac{m}{2}$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$\begin{aligned} E_n^{\text{positronium}} &= -\alpha^2 m_{\text{red}} c^2 \left(\frac{1}{2n^2} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} E_n^{\text{hydrogen}} \\ &\approx \frac{13.6\text{eV}}{2} = 6.8\text{eV} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a^{\text{positronium}} &= \frac{\hbar^2}{m_{\text{red}} e^2} \\ &= 2a^{\text{hydrogen}} \\ &= 1.06 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

2. The electron-positron annihilation effect
which modifies the interaction Hamiltonian.

$$\Delta E_{\text{annihilation}} \approx \alpha^4 mc^2$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$l = 0$$

The charge conjugation is give by $c = (-1)^{l+s}$ for the positronium and the photon has $c = -1$



$$s = 0$$

$$2\gamma$$

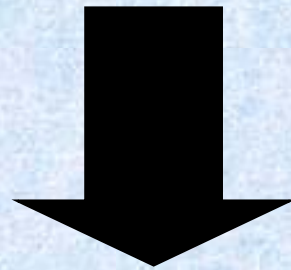
$$s = 1$$

$$3\gamma$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$(\Delta E_{\text{quarkonium}}) \approx 100 \text{ MeV}$$

$$(\Delta E_{\text{positronium}}) \approx eV$$



Confining potential

$$V(r) = -\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha_s \hbar c}{r} + F_0 r$$

3.4 Quarkonium Spectra

$$M = m_1 + m_2 + A \frac{\vec{s}_1 \cdot \vec{s}_2}{m_1 m_2}$$

Light Mesons

Mesons are bound $q\bar{q}$ states. Here we consider only mesons consisting of **LIGHT** quarks (u, d, s).

$$m_u \sim 0.3 \text{ GeV}, \quad m_d \sim 0.3 \text{ GeV}, \\ m_s \sim 0.5 \text{ GeV}$$

Ground state ($L = 0$)

For ground states, where orbital angular momentum is zero, the meson “spin” (total angular momentum) is determined by the $q\bar{q}$ spin state.

Two possible $q\bar{q}$ total spin states $S = (0, 1)$

★ $S = 0$: pseudo-scalar mesons

★ $S = 1$: vector mesons

Meson Parity : (q and \bar{q} have **OPPOSITE** parity):

$$P = P(q)P(\bar{q})(-1)^L \\ = (+1)(-1)(-1)^L = -1 \quad (\text{for } L = 0)$$

Flavour States:

$$u\bar{d}, u\bar{s}, d\bar{u}, d\bar{s}, s\bar{u}, s\bar{d}$$

$$(u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s}) \text{ MIXTURES}$$

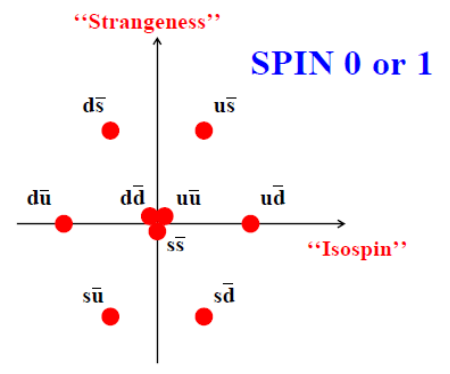
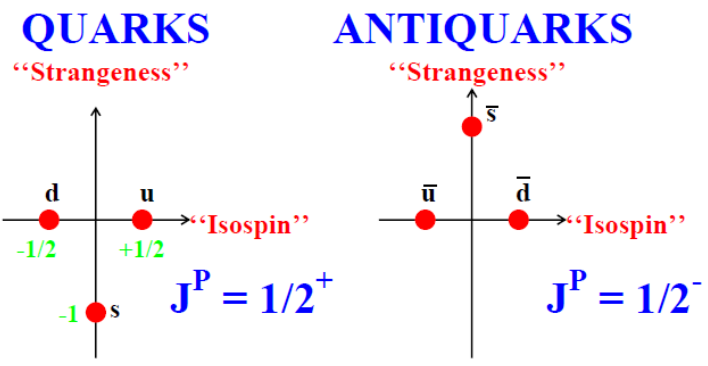
Expect :

9 $J^P = 0^-$ MESONS : **PSEUDO-SCALAR NONET**

9 $J^P = 1^-$ MESONS : **VECTOR NONET**



uds MULTIPLETS



The ideas of **strangeness** and **isospin** are historical quantum numbers assigned to different states. Essentially they count quark flavours (this was all before the formulation of the quark model)

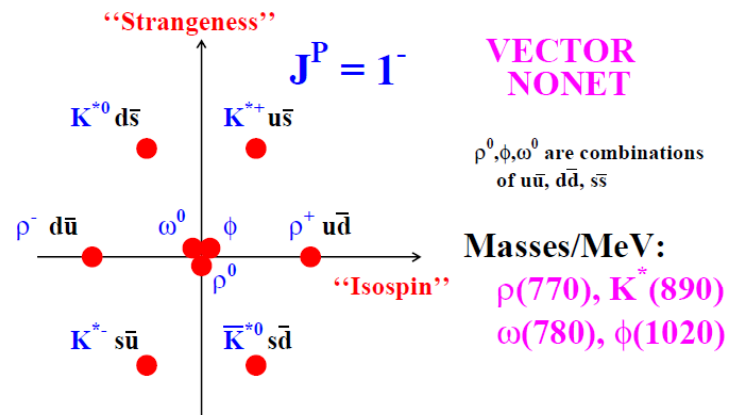
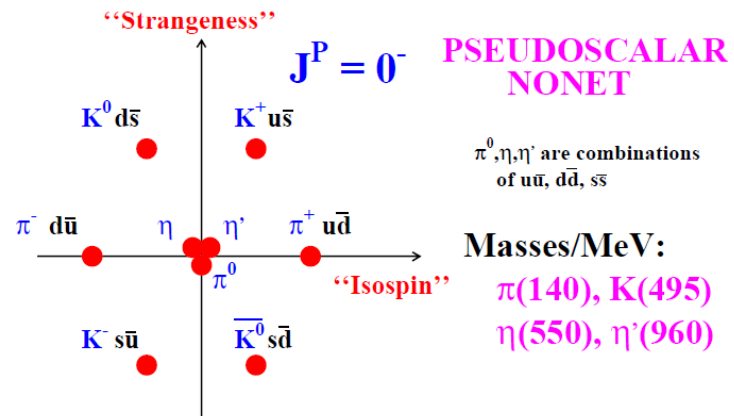
$$\text{Isospin} = \frac{1}{2}(n_u - n_d - n_{\bar{u}} + n_{\bar{d}})$$

$$\text{Strangeness} = n_{\bar{s}} - n_s$$



Light Mesons

ZERO ORBITAL ANGULAR MOMENTUM



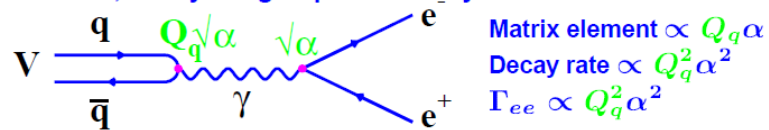
Meson Wave-functions

- ★ $u\bar{d}$, $u\bar{s}$, $d\bar{u}$, $d\bar{s}$, $s\bar{u}$, $s\bar{d}$ are straightforward
- ★ However, $(u\bar{u}, d\bar{d}, s\bar{s})$ states all have zero flavour quantum numbers - therefore can MIX

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \pi^0(140) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(u\bar{u} - d\bar{d}) \\ \eta(550) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} - 2s\bar{s}) \\ \eta'(960) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} + s\bar{s}) \end{aligned} \right\} J^P = 0^-$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \rho^0(770) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(u\bar{u} - d\bar{d}) \\ \omega^0(780) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d}) \\ \phi(1020) &= s\bar{s} \end{aligned} \right\} J^P = 1^-$$

Mixing coefficients determined experimentally from masses, decays. e.g. leptonic decays of vector mesons



$$M_{fi}(\rho^0 \rightarrow e^+e^-) \sim e \frac{1}{q^2} \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (Q_u e - Q_d e) \right]$$

$$\Gamma_{\rho^0 \rightarrow e^+e^-} \propto \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{2}{3} - \left(-\frac{1}{3} \right) \right) \right]^2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Gamma_{\omega^0 \rightarrow e^+e^-} \propto \left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{2}{3} + \left(-\frac{1}{3} \right) \right) \right]^2 = \frac{1}{18}$$

$$\Gamma_{\phi \rightarrow e^+e^-} \propto \left[\frac{1}{3} \right]^2 = \frac{1}{9}$$

PREDICT: $\Gamma_{\rho^0} : \Gamma_{\omega^0} : \Gamma_{\phi} = 9 : 1 : 2$

EXPERIMENT: $8.8 \pm 2.6 : 1 : 1.7 \pm 0.4$



Meson Masses

Meson masses partly from constituent quark masses

★ $m(K) > m(\pi)$

hints at $m_s > m_u, m_d$

But that is not the whole story

★ $m(\rho^+) > m(\pi^+)$ (770 MeV c.f. 140 MeV)

but both are $u\bar{d}$

★ Only difference is in orientation of **Quark SPINS**

$\uparrow\uparrow$ vs. $\downarrow\uparrow$

SPIN-SPIN INTERACTION

QED: Hyperfine splitting in H_2 ($L=0$)

Energy shift due to electron spin in magnetic field of proton

$$\Delta E = \tilde{\mu} \cdot \tilde{B} = \frac{2}{3} \tilde{\mu}_e \cdot \tilde{\mu}_p |\psi(0)|^2$$

$$\text{using } \tilde{\mu} = \frac{e}{2m} \tilde{S}$$

$$\Delta E \propto \alpha_{em} \frac{\tilde{S}_e \cdot \tilde{S}_p}{m_1 m_2}$$

QCD: Colour Magnetic Interaction

Fundamental form of the interaction between a quark and a gluon is identical to that between an electron and a photon.

Consequently, also have a **COLOUR MAGNETIC INTERACTION**

$$\Delta E \propto \alpha_S \frac{\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2}{m_1 m_2}$$



MESON MASS FORMULA (L=0)

$$M_{q\bar{q}} = m_1 + m_2 + A \frac{\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2}{m_1 m_2}$$

where A is a constant

For a state of SPIN $\tilde{S} = \tilde{S}_1 + \tilde{S}_2$

$$\tilde{S}^2 = \tilde{S}_1^2 + \tilde{S}_2^2 + 2\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2$$

$$\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2 = \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{S}^2 - \tilde{S}_1^2 - \tilde{S}_2^2)$$

$$S_1^2 = S_2^2 = S_1(S_1 + 1) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \frac{1}{2}) = \frac{3}{4}$$

giving $\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2 = \frac{1}{2}\tilde{S}^2 - \frac{3}{4}$

For

$$J^P = 0^- \text{ MESONS: } \tilde{S}^2 = 0$$

$$J^P = 1^- \text{ MESONS: } \tilde{S}^2 = S(S + 1) = 2$$

therefore

$$\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2 = \frac{1}{2}\tilde{S}^2 - \frac{3}{4} = -\frac{3}{4} \quad (0^- \text{ mesons})$$

$$\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2 = \frac{1}{2}\tilde{S}^2 - \frac{3}{4} = +\frac{1}{4} \quad (1^- \text{ mesons})$$

Giving the (L=0) Meson Mass formulae

$$M = m_1 + m_2 - \frac{3A}{4m_1 m_2} \quad (0^- \text{ mesons})$$

$$M = m_1 + m_2 + \frac{A}{4m_1 m_2} \quad (1^- \text{ mesons})$$

0^- mesons lighter than 1^- mesons



Can now try different values of $m_{u/d}$, m_s and A and try to reproduce the observed values.

Meson	Mass/MeV	
	Predicted	Experiment
π	140	138
K	484	496
ρ	780	770
ω	780	782
K^*	896	894
ϕ	1032	1019

Excellent agreement using:

$$m_u = m_d = 310 \text{ MeV},$$

$$m_s = 483 \text{ MeV},$$

$$A = 0.06 \text{ GeV}^3.$$

(see Question 4 on the problem sheet)

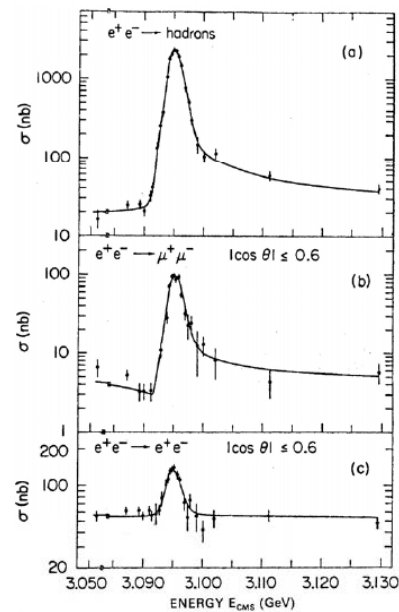
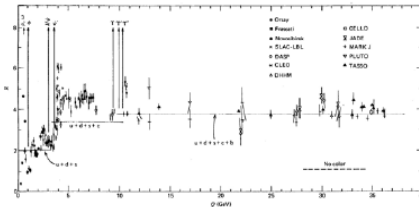
Bring on the Baryons.....



Discovery of the J/ψ

★ 1974 : Discovery of a **NARROW RESONANCE** in e^+e^- collisions at $\sqrt{s} \approx 3.1$ GeV

Observe resonances R_μ at low \sqrt{s} - many "bumps"



$e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$

$J/\psi(3097)$

$e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

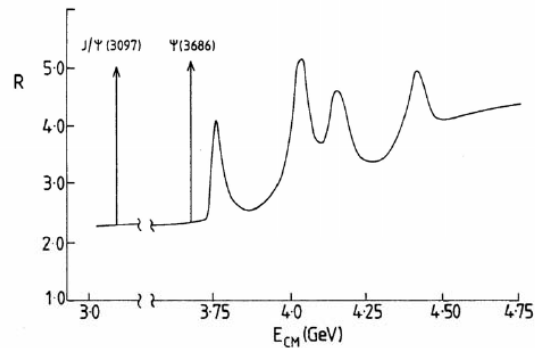
$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-$

Observed width, ~ 3 MeV, all due to experimental resolution ! Actual **WIDTH**, $\Gamma_{J/\psi} \sim 87$ keV.

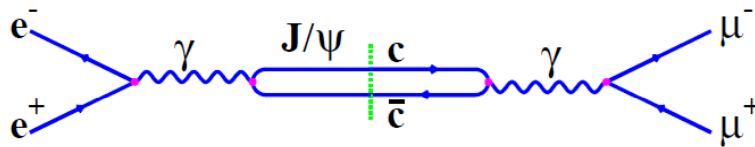
Zoom in to the **CHARMONIUM** ($c\bar{c}$) region, i.e.

$$\sqrt{s} \sim 2m_c$$

mass of charm quark, $m_c = 1.5 \text{ GeV}$



Resonances due to formation of **BOUND** unstable $c\bar{c}$ states. The lowest energy of these is the narrow J/ψ state.



The particle physics of decaying particles:

- ★ Particle Lifetimes
- ★ Decay Widths
- ★ Partial Widths
- ★ Resonances

i.e. the physics of $e^+e^- \rightarrow Z^0$.

Much of this will be familiar from Nuclear Physics

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

Baryon

1. Three quarks
2. The Pauli's exclusion principle must hold

First, two different tensor products to construct a multiquark wavefunction.

Inner product

Not change the number of particles
Enlarge the quantum space



Outer product

Increase the number of particles
Not change the quantum space

BARYON WAVE-FUNCTIONS

Baryons made from 3 indistinguishable quarks (flavour treated as another quantum number in the wave-function)

$$\psi_{\text{baryon}} = \psi_{\text{space}} \psi_{\text{flavour}} \psi_{\text{spin}} \psi_{\text{colour}}$$

ψ_{baryon} must be **ANTI-SYMMETRIC** under interchange of any 2 quarks.

Ground State (L=0)

Here we will only consider the baryon ground states. The ground states have zero ORBITAL ANGULAR momentum,

$$\Rightarrow \psi_{\text{space}} \text{ is symmetric}$$

★ All hadrons are **COLOUR SINGLET**S

$$\psi_{\text{colour}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (rgb + gbr + brg - grb - rbg - bgr)$$

i.e. ψ_{colour} is anti-symmetric

Therefore $\psi_{\text{space}} \psi_{\text{colour}}$ is anti-symmetric

$$\Rightarrow \psi_{\text{spin}} \psi_{\text{flavour}} \text{ must be SYMMETRIC}$$



★ Start with the combination of three spin-half particles.

Trivial to write down the spin wave-function for the $|\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\rangle$ state :

$$|\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\rangle = \uparrow\uparrow\uparrow$$

Generate the other states using \hat{J}_- .

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{J}_- |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\rangle &= (\hat{J}_- \uparrow) \uparrow\uparrow + \uparrow (\hat{J}_- \uparrow) \uparrow + \uparrow\uparrow (\hat{J}_- \uparrow) \\ \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} \frac{5}{2} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{2}} |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle &= \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow + \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow + \uparrow\uparrow\downarrow \\ |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\downarrow\uparrow\uparrow + \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow + \uparrow\uparrow\downarrow) \end{aligned}$$

Giving the spin $\frac{3}{2}$ states :

$$\begin{aligned} |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2}\rangle &= \uparrow\uparrow\uparrow \\ |\frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\downarrow\uparrow\uparrow + \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow + \uparrow\uparrow\downarrow) \\ |\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\uparrow\downarrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\downarrow\uparrow) \\ |\frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2}\rangle &= \downarrow\downarrow\downarrow \end{aligned}$$

ALL SYMMETRIC under interchange of any two spins

★ For the spin-half states, first consider the case where the first two quarks are in a $|0, 0\rangle$ state.

$$\begin{aligned} |0, 0\rangle_{(12)} &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow) \\ |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle_{(123)} &= |0, 0\rangle_{(12)} |\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow) \\ |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle_{(123)} &= |0, 0\rangle_{(12)} |\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow\downarrow) \end{aligned}$$

ANTI-SYMMETRIC under interchange of 1 ↔ 2.



3-quark spin-half states can **ALSO** be formed from the state with the first two quarks in a **SYMMETRIC** spin wave-function.

Can construct a 3-particle $|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle_{(123)}$ state from

$$|1, 0\rangle_{(12)}|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle_{(3)} \text{ and} \\ |1, 1\rangle_{(12)}|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle_{(3)}$$

Taking a linear combination:

$$|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = a|1, 1\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle + b|1, 0\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle$$

with $a^2 + b^2 = 1$. Act upon both sides with \hat{J}_+ :

$$\hat{J}_+|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = a(\hat{J}_+|1, 1\rangle)|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle + a|1, 1\rangle(\hat{J}_+|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle) \\ + b(\hat{J}_+|1, 0\rangle)|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle + b|1, 0\rangle(\hat{J}_+|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle)$$

$$0 = a|1, 1\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle + \sqrt{2}b|1, 1\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle$$

$$a = -\sqrt{2}b$$

which with $a^2 + b^2 = 1$ implies:

$$a = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}, \quad b = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

Giving

$$|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}|1, 1\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}|1, 0\rangle|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle$$

$$|\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2 \uparrow\uparrow\downarrow - \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow)$$

similarly

$$|\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2 \downarrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\downarrow - \uparrow\downarrow\downarrow)$$



3 QUARK SPIN WAVE-FUNCTIONS

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\left| \frac{3}{2}, \frac{3}{2} \right\rangle = \uparrow\uparrow\uparrow$$

$$\left| \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\downarrow\uparrow\uparrow + \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow + \uparrow\uparrow\downarrow)$$

$$\left| \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\uparrow\downarrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\downarrow\uparrow)$$

$$\left| \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{3}{2} \right\rangle = \downarrow\downarrow\downarrow$$

SYMMETRIC under interchange of **any two quarks**

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2\uparrow\uparrow\downarrow - \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow)$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2\downarrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\downarrow - \uparrow\downarrow\downarrow)$$

SYMMETRIC under interchange of **1 ↔ 2**

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow)\uparrow$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow)\downarrow$$

ANTI-SYMMETRIC under interchange of **1 ↔ 2**

$\psi_{\text{spin}}\psi_{\text{flavour}}$ **must be symmetric** under interchange of **any two quarks**.



Consider 3 cases:

① Quarks all SAME Flavour: uuu,ddd,sss

- ★ ψ_{flavour} is **SYMMETRIC** under interchange of **any two** quarks.
- ★ REQUIRE ψ_{spin} to be **SYMMETRIC** under interchange of **any two** quarks.
- ★ ONLY satisfied by **SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$** states.
- ★ no uuu, ddd, sss, **SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$** baryons with $L = 0$

3 SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ states : uuu,ddd,sss.

② Two quarks have same Flavour: ddu,uud,..

- ★ For the like quarks, ψ_{flavour} is **SYMMETRIC**.
- ★ REQUIRE ψ_{spin} to be **SYMMETRIC** under interchange of **LIKE** quarks **1 ↔ 2**.
- ★ satisfied by **SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$** and **SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$**

6 SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ and **6 SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$** states: uud, uus, ddu, dds, ssu, ssd

For example: **PROTON** wave-function ($s_z = \frac{1}{2}$):

$$p \uparrow = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (2u \uparrow u \uparrow d \downarrow - u \uparrow u \downarrow d \uparrow - u \downarrow u \uparrow d \uparrow)$$

The above form for the proton wavefunction is sufficient to derive masses and magnetic moments, however, note that the fully symmetrized wavefunction includes cyclic permutations:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} (2u \uparrow u \uparrow d \downarrow - u \uparrow u \downarrow d \uparrow - u \downarrow u \uparrow d \uparrow + 2d \downarrow u \uparrow u \uparrow - d \uparrow u \uparrow u \downarrow - d \uparrow u \downarrow u \uparrow + 2u \uparrow d \downarrow u \uparrow - u \uparrow d \uparrow u \downarrow - u \downarrow d \uparrow u \uparrow)$$



③ All Quarks have DIFFERENT Flavour: uds

Two possibilities for (ud) part:

i) FLAVOUR SYMMETRIC $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(ud + du)$

★ require spin wave-function to be SYMMETRIC under interchange of ud

★ satisfied by SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ and SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$ states

→ ONE SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ uds state

→ ONE SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$ uds state

ii) FLAVOUR ANTI-SYMMETRIC $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(ud - du)$

★ require spin wave-function to be ANTI-SYMMETRIC under interchange of ud

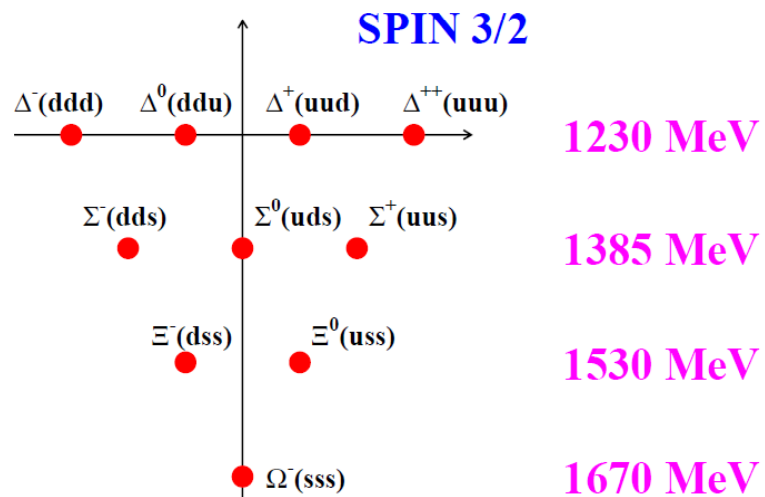
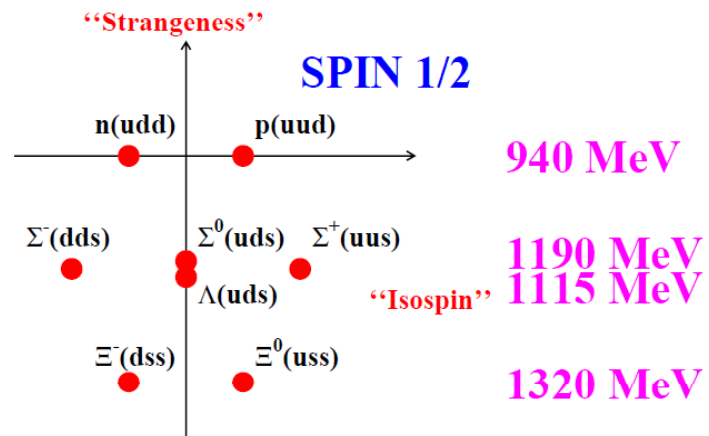
★ only satisfied by SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$ state

→ ONE SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$ uds state

In total **TEN** (3+6+1) SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ states with the required overall symmetry and **EIGHT** (0+6+2) SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$ states

Quark Model predicts Baryons appear in **DECUPLETS** of SPIN- $\frac{3}{2}$ and **OCTETS** of SPIN- $\frac{1}{2}$





BARYON MASS FORMULA (L=0)

$$M_{qqq} = m_1 + m_2 + m_3 + A' \left(\frac{\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_2}{m_1 m_2} + \frac{\tilde{S}_1 \cdot \tilde{S}_3}{m_1 m_3} + \frac{\tilde{S}_2 \cdot \tilde{S}_3}{m_2 m_3} \right)$$

where A' is a constant

EXAMPLE $m_1 = m_2 = m_3 = m_q$

$$\text{here } M_{qqq} = 3m_q + A' \sum_{i < j} \frac{\tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j}{m_q^2}$$

$$\tilde{S}^2 = (\tilde{S}_1 + \tilde{S}_2 + \tilde{S}_3)^2$$

$$\tilde{S}^2 = \tilde{S}_1^2 + \tilde{S}_2^2 + \tilde{S}_3^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} \tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j$$

$$2 \sum_{i < j} \tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j = S(S+1) - 3 \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2} + 1 \right)$$

$$2 \sum_{i < j} \tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j = S(S+1) - \frac{9}{4}$$

$$\sum_{i < j} \tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j = -\frac{3}{4} \quad J = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\sum_{i < j} \tilde{S}_i \cdot \tilde{S}_j = +\frac{3}{4} \quad J = \frac{3}{2}$$

e.g. proton(uud) versus Δ (uud)

$$m_p = 3m_u - \frac{3}{4} \frac{A'}{m_u^2}$$

$$m_\Delta = 3m_u + \frac{3}{4} \frac{A'}{m_u^2}$$



Again try different values of $m_{u/d}$, m_s and A' and try to reproduce the observed values.

Baryon	Mass/MeV	
	Predicted	Experiment
p/n	939	939
Λ	1116	1114
Σ	1193	1179
Ξ	1318	1327
Δ	1232	1239
Σ^*	1384	1381
Ξ^*	1533	1529
Ω	1672	1682

Excellent agreement using: $m_u = m_d = 363 \text{ MeV}$,

$m_s = 538 \text{ MeV}$,

$A' = 0.026 \text{ GeV}^3$.

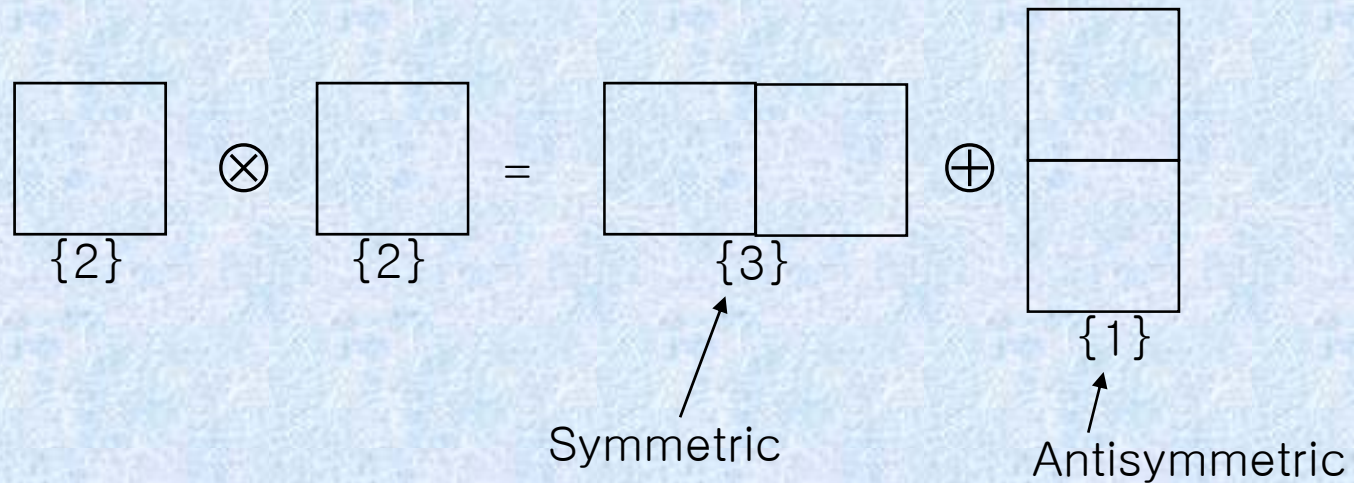
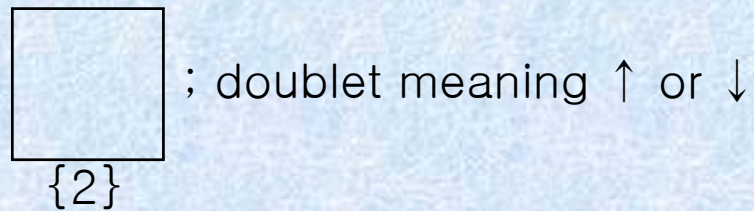
QCD predicts $A' = A/2$ where A is the corresponding constant in the meson mass formula.

Recall $A = 0.06 \text{ GeV}^3$ provided a good description of meson masses.



3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

Using the technique of Young tableau.



3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left(\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} = \left(\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \\
 & = \left(\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \oplus \left(\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \\
 & = \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline \square & \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \{4\} \\ \text{Symmetric} \end{array} \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \{2\} \\ \text{Mixed} \\ \text{Symmetric} \end{array} \quad \quad \quad \begin{array}{c} \uparrow \\ \{2\} \\ \text{Mixed} \\ \text{Symmetric} \end{array}
 \end{aligned}$$

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

$$P^\uparrow = \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \uparrow & \uparrow \\ \hline \downarrow & \\ \hline \end{array} = \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \\ \hline \end{array} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2\uparrow\uparrow\downarrow - \uparrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow) \right. \\
 \left. \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline 2 & \\ \hline \end{array} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\uparrow\downarrow\uparrow - \downarrow\uparrow\uparrow) \right.$$

Spin wave
function!!!

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left(\begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \otimes \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \{3\} \quad \quad \quad \{3\} \quad \quad \quad \{3\} \\
 = & \begin{array}{|c|c|c|} \hline \square & \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \square & \square \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \square \\ \hline \end{array} \\
 & \quad \quad \quad \{10\} \quad \quad \quad \{8\} \quad \quad \quad \{8\} \quad \quad \quad \{1\}
 \end{aligned}$$

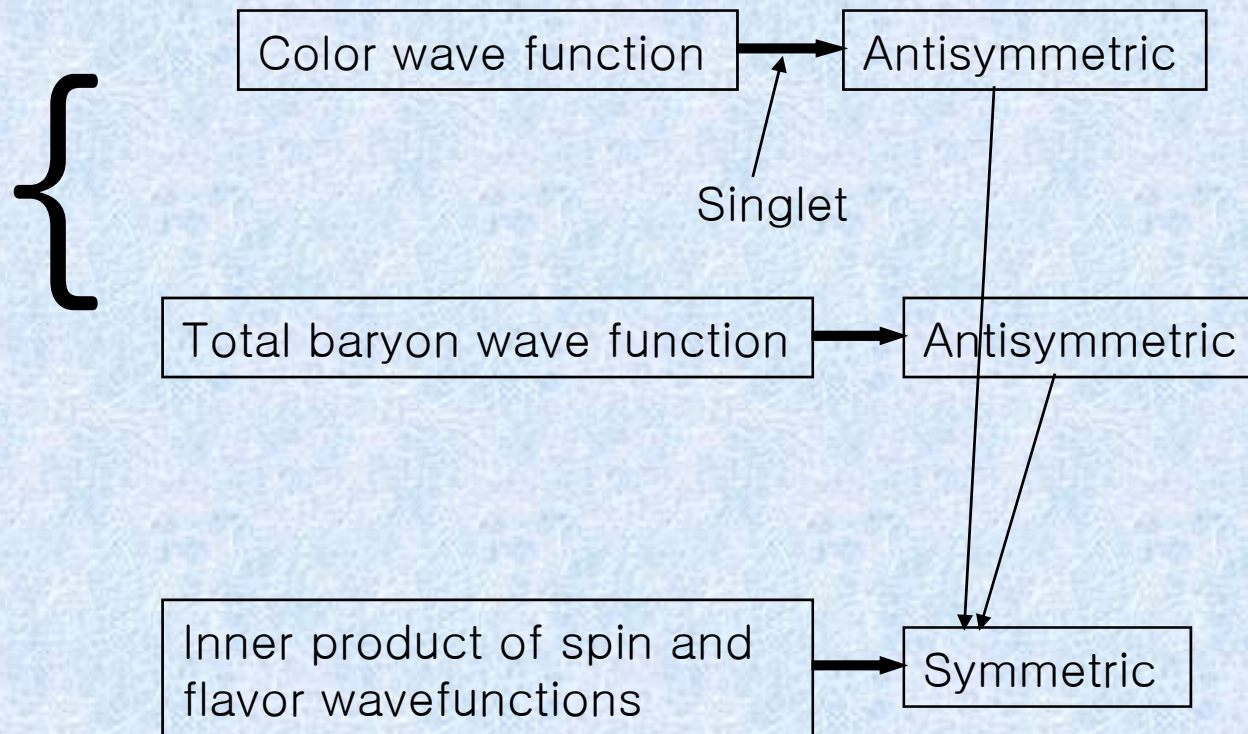
Three flavors, u,d,s

The nucleon (p, n) belong to the octet ({8})

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline u & u \\ \hline d & \\ \hline \end{array} = \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \\ \hline \end{array} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2uud - udu - duu) \right.$$
$$\left. \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline 2 & \\ \hline \end{array} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(udu - duu) \right.$$

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions



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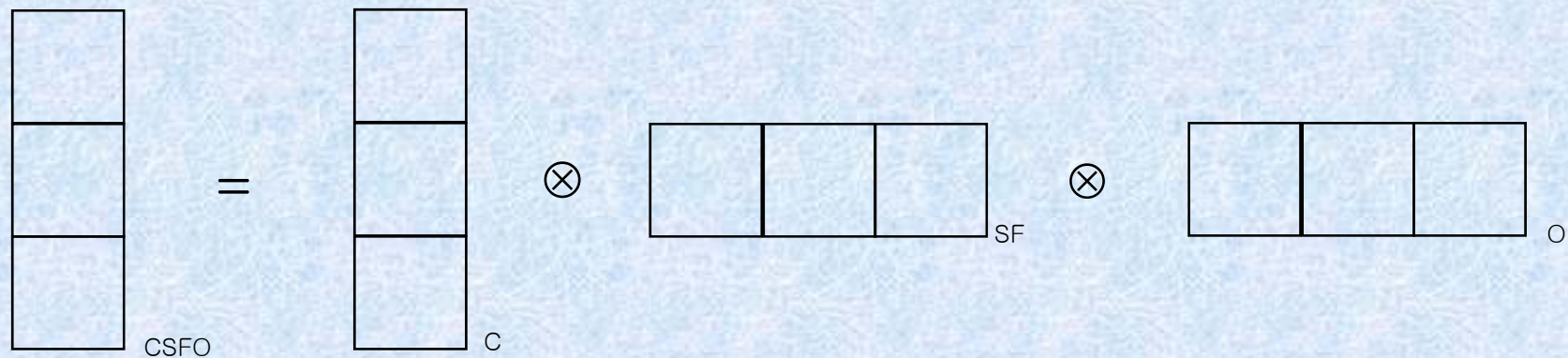
-> Symmetry

$$\begin{array}{c} \square \quad \square \quad \square \\ \text{SF} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \text{Antisymmetry} \\ \text{SF} \end{array} \left(\begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \text{S} \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 2 \\ \hline 3 & \text{F} \\ \hline \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline 2 & \text{S} \\ \hline \end{array} \otimes \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 1 & 3 \\ \hline 2 & \text{F} \\ \hline \end{array} \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \square \quad \square \quad \square \\ \text{SF} \end{array} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{1}{6} (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - \uparrow \downarrow \uparrow - \downarrow \uparrow \uparrow) (2 u u d - u d u - d u u) + \frac{1}{2} (\uparrow \downarrow \uparrow - \downarrow \uparrow \uparrow) (u d u - d u u) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} \left(2(u^\uparrow u^\uparrow d^\downarrow + u^\uparrow d^\downarrow u^\uparrow + d^\downarrow u^\uparrow u^\uparrow) - (u^\uparrow u^\downarrow d^\uparrow + u^\uparrow d^\uparrow u^\downarrow + d^\uparrow u^\uparrow u^\downarrow + u^\downarrow u^\uparrow d^\uparrow + u^\downarrow d^\uparrow u^\uparrow + d^\uparrow u^\downarrow u^\uparrow) \right)$$

3.5 Baryon Wavefunctions



$$\Psi_{p^\uparrow}(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \vec{r}_3, t) = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{3}} \varepsilon_{ijk} \left(2(u_i^\uparrow u_j^\uparrow d_k^\downarrow + u_i^\uparrow d_j^\downarrow u_k^\uparrow + d_i^\downarrow u_j^\uparrow u_k^\uparrow) \right. \\ \left. - (u_i^\uparrow u_j^\downarrow d_k^\uparrow + u_i^\uparrow d_j^\uparrow u_k^\downarrow + d_i^\uparrow u_j^\uparrow u_k^\downarrow + u_i^\downarrow u_j^\uparrow d_k^\uparrow + u_i^\downarrow d_j^\uparrow u_k^\uparrow + d_i^\uparrow u_j^\downarrow u_k^\uparrow) \right) \\ \times \psi_0(\vec{r}_1, \vec{r}_2, \vec{r}_3, t)$$

S-wave orbital
wavefunction

i, j, k are the
color indices

Baryon Magnetic Moments

Assume the bound quarks within baryons behave as **DIRAC** point-like SPIN-1/2 particles with fractional charge, q_q . Then quarks will have magnetic dipole moments:

$$\hat{\mu}_q = \frac{q_q}{m_q} \hat{S}$$

where m_q is the quark mass.

Magnitude of the magnetic dipole moment:

$$\mu_q = \langle q \uparrow | \frac{q_q}{m_q} \hat{S} | q \uparrow \rangle$$

$$\text{with } \hat{S} | q \uparrow \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \hbar | q \uparrow \rangle$$

$$\text{giving } \mu_q = \frac{q_q \hbar}{2m_q}$$

$$\mu_u = \frac{2}{3} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_u}, \mu_d = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_d}, \mu_s = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_s}$$

For quarks bound within a **L=0** baryon, **X**, the baryon magnetic moment is the expectation value of the sum of the individual quark magnetic moments.

$$\hat{\mu}_B = \frac{q_1}{m_1} \hat{S}_1 + \frac{q_2}{m_2} \hat{S}_2 + \frac{q_3}{m_3} \hat{S}_3$$

$$\mu_X = \langle X \uparrow | \hat{\mu}_B | X \uparrow \rangle$$

where $|X \uparrow\rangle$ is the baryon wave-function for the spin up state.

For a spin-up proton:

$$p \uparrow = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}(2u \uparrow u \uparrow d \downarrow - (u \uparrow u \downarrow + u \downarrow u \uparrow)d \uparrow)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu_p = \frac{1}{6} \langle (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\uparrow \downarrow + \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) | \hat{\mu}_1 + \hat{\mu}_2 + \hat{\mu}_3 | (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\uparrow \downarrow + \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) \rangle$$

Consider the contribution from quark 1 (an up-quark):

$$\frac{1}{6} \langle (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\uparrow \downarrow + \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) | \hat{\mu}_1 | (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\uparrow \downarrow + \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) \rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \langle (2 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\uparrow \downarrow + \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) | (2 \mu_1 \uparrow \uparrow \downarrow - (\mu_1 \uparrow \downarrow - \mu_1 \downarrow \uparrow) \uparrow) \rangle$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \mu_1 = \frac{2}{3} \mu_u = \frac{4}{9} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_u}$$

Summing over the other contributions gives:

$$\mu_p = \frac{4}{3} \mu_u - \frac{1}{3} \mu_d = \frac{4}{9} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_u} + \frac{4}{9} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_u} + \frac{1}{9} \frac{e\hbar}{2m_d}$$

$$= \frac{e\hbar}{2m_{u/d}} = \frac{m_p}{m_{u/d}} \mu_N$$

where μ_N is the NUCLEAR MAGNETON $\mu_N = e\hbar/2m_p$

Repeat for other (L=0) Baryons, PREDICT

$$\frac{\mu_n}{\mu_p} = -\frac{2}{3}$$

compared to the experimentally measured value of

-0.685

Baryon	μ_B in Quark Model	Predicted [μ_N]	Experiment [μ_N]
p	$\frac{4}{3}\mu_u - \frac{1}{3}\mu_d$	+2.79	+2.793
n	$\frac{4}{3}\mu_d - \frac{1}{3}\mu_u$	-1.86	-1.913
Λ	μ_s	-0.61	-0.614 ± 0.005
Σ^+	$\frac{4}{3}\mu_u - \frac{1}{3}\mu_s$	+2.68	$+2.46 \pm 0.01$
Ξ^0	$\frac{4}{3}\mu_s - \frac{1}{3}\mu_u$	-1.44	-1.25 ± 0.014
Ξ^-	$\frac{4}{3}\mu_s - \frac{1}{3}\mu_d$	-0.51	-0.65 ± 0.01
Ω^-	$3\mu_s$	-1.84	-2.02 ± 0.05

Impressive agreement with data using

$m_u = m_d = 336$ MeV and

$m_s = 509$ MeV.

(see Question 5 on the problem sheet)

SUMMARY

- ★ Baryons and mesons are complicated objects.
- ★ However, the Quark model can be used to make predictions for masses/magnetic moments.
- ★ The predictions give reasonably consistent values for the constituent quark masses.

	$m_{u/d}$	m_s
Meson Masses	310 MeV	483 MeV
Baryon Masses	363 MeV	538 MeV
Baryon mag. moms.	336 MeV	510 MeV

$$m_u \approx 335 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_d \approx 335 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_s \approx 510 \text{ MeV}$$

- ★ What about the HEAVY quarks (charm, bottom, top)....

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Thank you.