

Mesons beyond the quark-antiquark picture:
glueballs, hybrids, tetraquarks
- part 1 -

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The Lagrangian of QCD and its symmetries

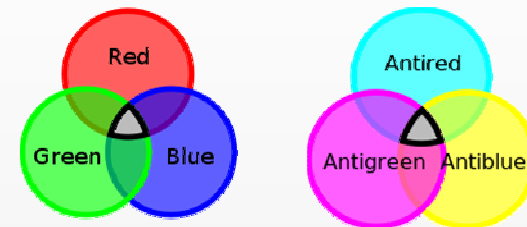


Born Giuseppe Lodovico Lagrangia
25 January 1736
Turin

Died 10 April 1813 (aged 77)
Paris

The QCD Lagrangian

Quark: u,d,s and c,b,t **R,G,B**



$$q_i = \begin{pmatrix} q_i^R \\ q_i^G \\ q_i^B \end{pmatrix}; i = u, d, s, \dots$$

8 type of gluons (**R \bar{G} , B \bar{G} ,...**)

$$\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} \bar{q}_i (i\gamma^\mu D_\mu - m_i) q_i - \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu}$$

$$A_\mu^a; a = 1, \dots, 8$$

Feynman diagrams of QCD

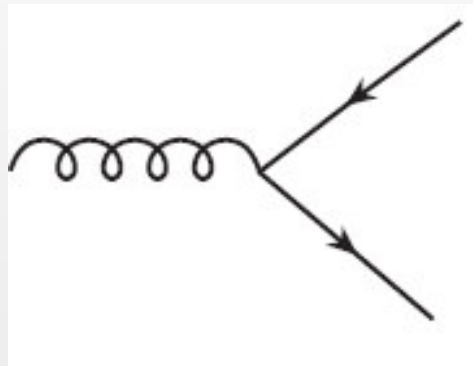
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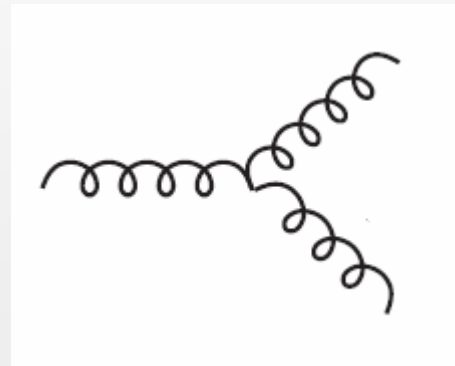
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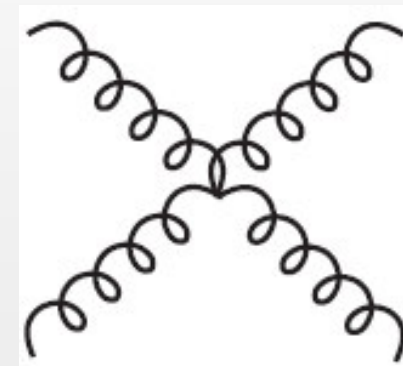
Gluon



Gluon-quark-antiquark
vertex



3-gluon vertex



4-gluon vertex

Trace anomaly: the emergence of a dimension

Chiral limit: $m_i = 0$

$$x^\mu \rightarrow x'^\mu = \lambda^{-1} x^\mu$$

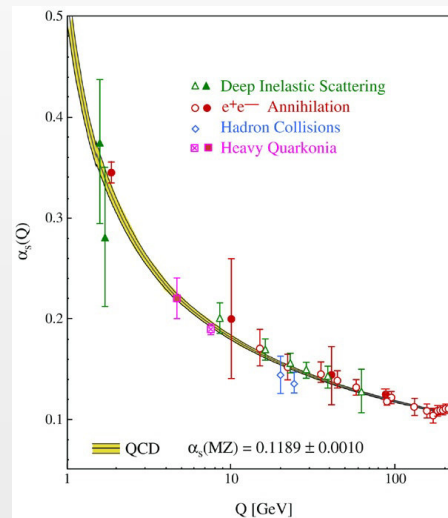
is a classical symmetry broken by quantum fluctuations (trace anomaly)

$$g_0 \xrightarrow{\text{Renormierung}} g(\mu)$$

Dimensional transmutation

$$\Lambda_{\text{YM}} \approx 250 \text{ MeV}$$

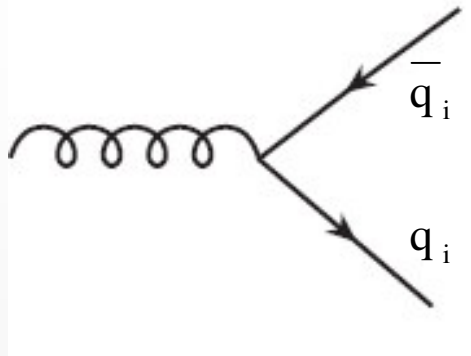
$$\alpha_s(\mu = Q) = \frac{g^2(Q)}{4\pi}$$



Effective gluon mass: $m_{\text{gluon}} = 0 \rightarrow m_{\text{gluon}}^* \approx 500 - 800 \text{ MeV}$

Gluon condensate: $\langle G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a,\mu\nu} \rangle \neq 0$

Flavor symmetry



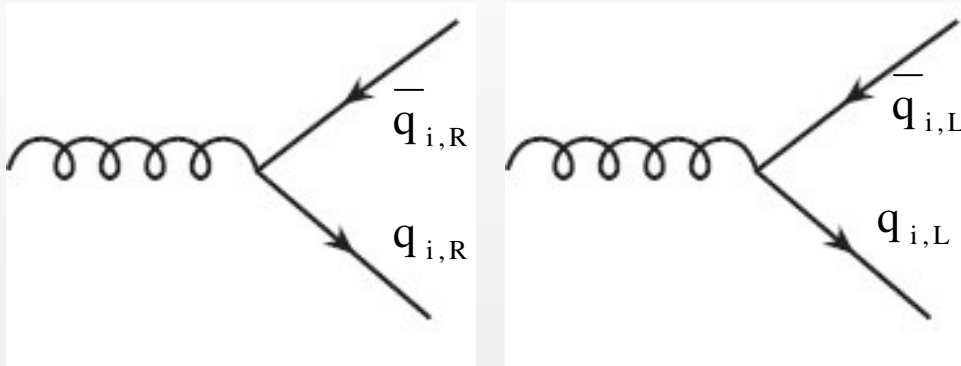
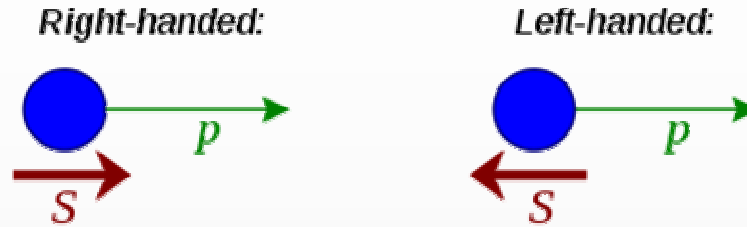
Gluon-quark-antiquark vertex.

It is democratic! The gluon couples to each flavor with the same strength

$$q_i \rightarrow U_{ij} q_j$$

$$U \in U(3)_V \rightarrow U^\dagger U = 1$$

Chiral symmetry



$$q_i = q_{i,R} + q_{i,L}$$

$$q_{i,R} = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \gamma^5)q_i$$

$$q_{i,L} = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \gamma^5)q_i$$

$$q_i = q_{i,R} + q_{i,L} \rightarrow U_{ij}^R q_{j,R} + U_{ij}^L q_{j,L}$$

$$U(3)_R \times U(3)_L = U(1)_{R+L} \times U(1)_{R-L} \times SU(3)_R \times SU(3)_L$$

In the chiral limit ($m_i=0$) chiral symmetry is exact

Spontaneous breaking of chiral symmetry

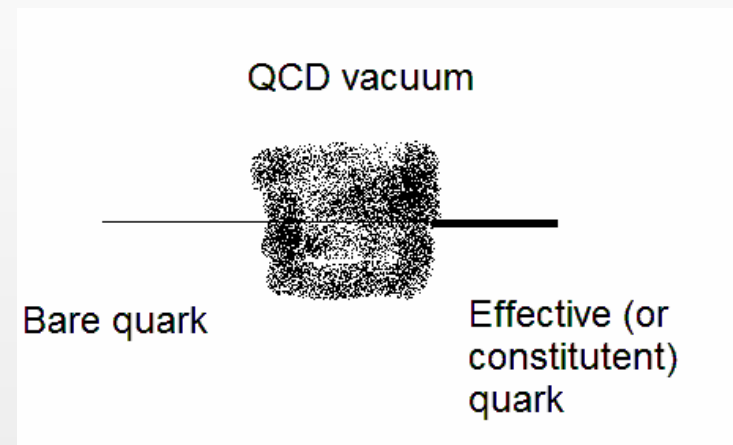
$$U(3)_R \times U(3)_L = U(1)_{R+L} \times U(1)_{R-L} \times SU(3)_R \times SU(3)_L$$

$$\text{SSB: } SU(3)_R \times SU(3)_L \rightarrow SU(3)_{V=R+L}$$

Chiral symmetry \rightarrow Flavor symmetry

$$\langle \bar{q}_i q_i \rangle = \langle \bar{q}_{i,R} q_{i,L} + \bar{q}_{i,L} q_{i,R} \rangle \neq 0$$

$$m \approx m_u \approx m_d \approx 5 \text{ MeV} \rightarrow m^* \approx 300 \text{ MeV}$$



$$m_{\rho\text{-meson}} \approx 2m^*$$

$$m_{\text{proton}} \approx 3m^*$$

Symmetries of QCD: summary

$SU(3)_{\text{color}}$: exact. Confinement: you never see color, but only white states.

Dilatation invariance: holds only at a classical level and in the chiral limit.
Broken by quantum fluctuations (trace anomaly)
and by small quark masses

$SU(3)_R \times SU(3)_L$: holds in the chiral limit, but is broken by nonzero quark masses. Moreover, it is spontaneously broken to $U(3)_{V=R+L}$

$U(1)_{A=R-L}$: holds at a classical level, but is also broken by quantum fluctuations (chiral anomaly)

What is a meson?

Hadrons

No ,colored' state has been seen.

Confinement: physical states are white and are called hadrons.

Hadrons can be:

Mesons: bosonic hadrons

Baryons: fermionic hadrons

Definition of mesons: Wikipedia???

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Meson

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In **particle physics**, **mesons** (/ˈmiːzɒnz/ or /ˈmɛzɒnz/) are **hadronic subatomic particles** composed of one **quark** and one **antiquark**, bound together by the **strong interaction**. Because mesons are composed of sub-particles, they have a physical size, with a diameter roughly one femtometre, ^[*citation needed*] which is about $\frac{2}{3}$ the size of a **proton** or **neutron**. All mesons are unstable, with the longest-lived lasting for only a few hundredths of a microsecond. Charged mesons decay (sometimes through intermediate particles) to form **electrons** and **neutrinos**. Uncharged mesons may decay to **photons**.

Mesons are not produced by radioactive decay, but appear in nature only as short-lived products of very high-energy interactions in matter, between particles made of quarks. In **cosmic ray** interactions, for example, such particles are ordinary protons and neutrons. Mesons are also frequently produced artificially in high-energy particle accelerators that collide protons, anti-protons, or other particles.

In nature, the importance of lighter mesons is that they are the associated quantum-field particles that transmit the **nuclear force**, in the same way that photons are the particles that transmit the electromagnetic force. The higher energy (more massive) mesons were

Mesons

Mesons of spin 0 form a nonet

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Statistics	Bosonic
Interactions	Strong
Theorized	Hideki Yukawa (1935)
Discovered	1947
Types	~140 (List)
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Mesone

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In **fisica delle particelle**, i **mesoni** sono un gruppo di **particelle subatomiche** composte da un **quark** e un **antiquark** legati dalla **forza forte**. Sono **particelle** instabili e decadono tipicamente in **fotoni** o in **leptoni**, come gli **elettroni** e i **neutrini**.

Il primo mesone venne teorizzato nel 1935 da **Hideki Yukawa** come mediatore dell'**interazione forte fra nucleoni**^[1] e fu poi identificato sperimentalmente nel 1947 nei raggi cosmici con il **pione**.^[2]

Il termine mesone nacque storicamente per indicare **particelle** con **massa** intermedia fra l'**elettrone** e il **protono**.

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Il decadimento di un **kaone** (K^+) in tre **pioni** ($2 \pi^+$, $1 \pi^-$) è un processo che coinvolge sia le interazioni **deboli** che quelle **forti**.

Le **interazioni deboli**: l'**antiquark strange** (\bar{s}) del kaone trasmuta in un **antiquark up** (\bar{u}) tramite l'emissione di un **bosone W^+** , il quale decade consequenzialmente in un **antiquark down** (\bar{d}) e un **quark up** (u).

Le **interazioni forti**: un quark up (u) emette un

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Meson

Mesonen (von griechisch: τὸ μέσον (tó méson) „das Mittlere“) sind instabile subatomare **Teilchen**. Aufgebaut aus einem **Quark-Antiquark-Paar** bilden sie eine der zwei Gruppen von **Hadronen**. Von der zweiten Hadronengruppe, den **Baryonen**, unterscheiden sich Mesonen durch ihren ganzzahligen **Spin**; sie sind somit **Bosonen**.

Der Name „Meson“ wurde wegen der mittelschweren Masse des zuerst entdeckten Mesons, des **Pions**, zwischen **Elektron** und **Proton** gewählt.

Mesonen entstehen in hochenergetischen Teilchenkollisionen (z. B. in der **kosmischen Strahlung** oder in Experimenten der **Hochenergiephysik**) und zerfallen in Sekundenbruchteilen. Sie werden nach der Art der enthaltenen Quarks, ihrem Spin und ihrer **Parität** klassifiziert. Mittels ihrer Quarks nehmen Mesonen an der **starken** und **schwachen Wechselwirkung** sowie der **Gravitation** teil; **elektrisch geladene** Mesonen unterliegen zusätzlich der **elektromagnetischen Wechselwirkung**.

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Mezony [edytuj]

Mezony – cząstki elementarne należące do **hadronów**, o **liczbie barionowej** $B=0$ oraz **spinach** całkowitych. Mezony zbudowane są z par **kwark-antykwar**, co jest związane z tym, że wypadkowy **ładunek kolorowy** cząstki musi być równy zero (antykwar posiada antykolor kwarku). Wewnętrzna geometria mezonu może być określona poprzez **geometrię Bóla-Lobaczewskiego** i przypuszczalnie ma, tak jak grawitacja, naturę geometryczną.

Historycznie nazwa mezon dotyczyła cząstek o masie pośredniej (po grecku *mesos* – pośredni) między masą **elektronu** a masą **protonu**. Obecnie do mezonów zalicza się także wiele rezonansów o masach większych od masy protonu.

Do metatrwałych (trwałych ze względu na **oddziaływanie silne**) mezonów należą mezony **π (piony)**, **K (kaony)**, **η** , **D** i **B**, a do rezonansów mezonowych mezony **ρ** , **ω** , **ϕ** , **J/ψ** i **Y**, przy czym zgodnie z **regułą OZI** lekkie stany mezonów ψ i Y są jednak stosunkowo trwałe^[1].

Wszystkie metatrwałe mezony mają **spin 0** i **parzystość** – chociaż dla B nie jest to pewne.

Jądro atomowe, interpretowane jako stany związane barionów, istnieje wskutek wymiany mezonów między **barionami**.

Geometria hiperboliczna

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Mesón

En **física de partículas**, un **mesón** (del **griego antiguo** μέσος *mésos* 'que está en medio') es un **bosón** que responde a la **interacción nuclear fuerte**, esto es, un **hadrón** con un **espín entero**.

En el **Modelo estándar**, los mesones son **partículas compuestas** en un estado **quark-antiquark**. Se cree que todos los mesones conocidos consisten en un par quark-antiquark (los así llamados **quarks de valencia**) más un "mar" de pares quark-antiquark y **gluones** virtuales. Está en progreso la búsqueda de **mesones exóticos** que tienen constituyentes diferentes. Los quarks de valencia pueden existir en una superposición de estados de **sabor**; por ejemplo, el **pion** neutro no es ni un par arriba-antiarriba ni un par abajo-antiabajo, sino una **superposición cuántica** igual de ambos. Los mesones pseudoescalares (con espín 0) tienen la menor energía en reposo, donde el quark y antiquark tienen espines opuestos, y luego el **mesón vectorial** (**vector meson**) (con espín 1), donde el quark y antiquark tienen espines paralelos. Ambos presentan versiones de mayor energía donde el espín está incrementado por el **momento angular orbital**. Todos los mesones son inestables.

Originalmente, se predijo que los mesones eran los portadores de la fuerza que une al



Mesones de espín 0

Composición	Compuesta - Quarks y antiquarks
Familia	Bosón
Grupo	Hadrón
Interacción	Nuclear fuerte
Teorizada	Hideki Yukawa (1935)
Descubierta	1946
Tipos	~140 (Lista)
Masa	Entre 139 MeV/c ² (π^+) y 9,460 MeV/c ² (Υ)

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Meson

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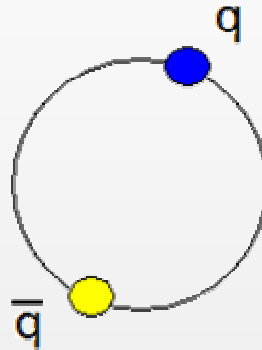
- 1) A meson is a strongly interacting particle with integer spin.
- 2) A meson is a strongly interacting particle with zero baryon number.

A meson is not necessarily a quark-antiquark state

Conventional mesons

Quark: u,d,s,... **R,G,B**

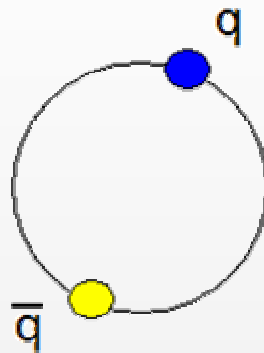
Quark-antiquark bound states: conventional mesons



$$|color\rangle = \sqrt{1/3} (\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G)$$

Conventional mesons/2

Surely, with quark-antiquark states we can understand a lot of QCD, but definitely not everything.



$$\vec{L}, \vec{S} \quad \longrightarrow \quad P = -(-1)^L \quad C = (-1)^{L+S}$$

$$\vec{L}, \vec{S} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \vec{J} = \vec{L} + \vec{S} \quad J^{PC}$$

Exotic quantum numbers

Not all quantum numbers are permitted for a quark-antiquark states.

$$J^{PC} = 0^{+-}, 1^{-+}, 2^{+-}, \dots$$

are exotic quantum numbers.

Short ex: show it is so!

$$P = -(-1)^L$$

$$C = (-1)^{L+S}$$

$$\vec{J} = \vec{L} + \vec{S}$$

$L = S = 0 \rightarrow J^{PC} = 0^{-+}$ pseudoscalar mesons

$$|\pi^+\rangle = |u\bar{d}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 0\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$



$$|\pi^-\rangle = |d\bar{u}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 0\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

$$|\pi^0\rangle = |u\bar{u} - d\bar{d}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 0\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

Flavor symmetry: the 3 pions have the same mass.

$$|K^+\rangle = |u\bar{s}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 0\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

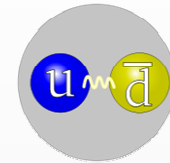
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$$|D^0\rangle = |u\bar{c}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 0\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

...

$L = 0, S = 1 \rightarrow J^{PC} = 1^{--}$ vector mesons

$$|\rho^+\rangle = |u\bar{d}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$



...

$$|K^*(892)^+\rangle = |u\bar{s}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

...

$$|D^{*0}\rangle = |u\bar{c}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

...

$$|j/\Psi\rangle = |c\bar{c}\rangle |space : L = 0\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

$L = S = 1 \rightarrow J^{PC} = 0^{++}$ scalar mesons

$$|\sigma\rangle = |u\bar{u} + d\bar{d}\rangle |space : L = 1\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

corresponds to the resonance $f_0(1370)$.

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$$|\chi_{c0}(1S)\rangle = |c\bar{c}\rangle |space : L = 1\rangle |spin : S = 1\rangle |\bar{R}R + \bar{B}B + \bar{G}G\rangle$$

PDG quark-antiquark listing/1

Table 15.2: Suggested $q\bar{q}$ quark-model assignments for some of the observed light mesons. Mesons in bold face are included in the Meson Summary Table. The wave functions f and f' are given in the text. The singlet-octet mixing angles from the quadratic and linear mass formulae are also given for the well established nonets. The classification of the 0^{++} mesons is tentative: The light scalars $a_0(980)$, $f_0(980)$, and $f_0(500)$ are often considered as meson-meson resonances or four-quark states, and are omitted from the table. Not shown either is the $f_0(1500)$ which is hard to accommodate in the nonet. The isoscalar 0^{++} mesons are expected to mix. See the “Note on Scalar Mesons” in the Meson Listings for details and alternative schemes.

$n^{2s+1}\ell_J$	J^{PC}	$l = 1$ $u\bar{d}, \bar{u}d, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(d\bar{d} - u\bar{u})$	$l = \frac{1}{2}$ $u\bar{s}, d\bar{s}; \bar{d}s, -\bar{u}s$	$l = 0$ f'	$l = 0$ f	θ_{quad} [°]	θ_{lin} [°]
1^1S_0	0^{-+}	π	K	η	$\eta'(958)$	-11.4	-24.5
1^3S_1	1^{--}	$\rho(770)$	$K^*(892)$	$\phi(1020)$	$\omega(782)$	39.1	36.4
1^1P_1	1^{+-}	$b_1(1235)$	K_{1B}^\dagger	$h_1(1380)$	$h_1(1170)$		
1^3P_0	0^{++}	$a_0(1450)$	$K_0^*(1430)$	$f_0(1710)$	$f_0(1370)$		
1^3P_1	1^{++}	$a_1(1260)$	K_{1A}^\dagger	$f_1(1420)$	$f_1(1285)$		
1^3P_2	2^{++}	$a_2(1320)$	$K_2^*(1430)$	$f_2'(1525)$	$f_2(1270)$	32.1	30.5
1^1D_2	2^{-+}	$\pi_2(1670)$	$K_2(1770)^\dagger$	$\eta_2(1870)$	$\eta_2(1645)$		
1^3D_1	1^{--}	$\rho(1700)$	$K^*(1680)$		$\omega(1650)$		
1^3D_2	2^{--}		$K_2(1820)$				
1^3D_3	3^{--}	$\rho_3(1690)$	$K_3^*(1780)$	$\phi_3(1850)$	$\omega_3(1670)$	31.8	30.8
1^3F_4	4^{++}	$a_4(2040)$	$K_4^*(2045)$		$f_4(2050)$		
1^3G_5	5^{--}	$\rho_5(2350)$	$K_5^*(2380)$				
1^3H_6	6^{++}	$a_6(2450)$			$f_6(2510)$		
2^1S_0	0^{-+}	$\pi(1300)$	$K(1460)$	$\eta(1475)$	$\eta(1295)$		
2^3S_1	1^{--}	$\rho(1450)$	$K^*(1410)$	$\phi(1680)$	$\omega(1420)$		

[†] The $1^{+\pm}$ and $2^{-\pm}$ isospin $\frac{1}{2}$ states mix. In particular, the K_{1A} and K_{1B} are nearly equal (45°) mixtures of the $K_1(1270)$ and $K_1(1400)$. The physical vector mesons listed under 1^3D_1 and 2^3S_1 may be mixtures of 1^3D_1 and 2^3S_1 , or even have hybrid components.

PDG quark-antiquark listing/2

Table 15.3: $q\bar{q}$ quark-model assignments for the observed heavy mesons with established J^{PC} . Mesons in bold face are included in the Meson Summary Table.

$n^{2s+1}\ell_J J^{PC}$	$l = 0$ $c\bar{c}$	$l = 0$ $b\bar{b}$	$l = \frac{1}{2}$ $c\bar{u}, c\bar{d}; \bar{c}u, \bar{c}d$	$l = 0$ $c\bar{s}; \bar{c}s$	$l = \frac{1}{2}$ $b\bar{u}, b\bar{d}; \bar{b}u, \bar{b}d$	$l = 0$ $b\bar{s}; \bar{b}s$	$l = 0$ $b\bar{c}; \bar{b}c$
$1^1S_0 \quad 0^{-+}$	$\eta_c(1S)$	$\eta_b(1S)$	D	D_s^\pm	B	B_s^0	B_c^\pm
$1^3S_1 \quad 1^{--}$	$J/\psi(1S)$	$\Upsilon(1S)$	D^*	$D_s^{*\pm}$	B^*	B_s^*	
$1^1P_1 \quad 1^{+-}$	$h_c(1P)$	$h_b(1P)$	$D_1(2420)$	$D_{s1}(2536)^\pm$	$B_1(5721)$	$B_{s1}(5830)^0$	
$1^3P_0 \quad 0^{++}$	$\chi_{c0}(1P)$	$\chi_{b0}(1P)$	$D_0^*(2400)$	$D_{s0}^*(2317)^{\pm\dagger}$			
$1^3P_1 \quad 1^{++}$	$\chi_{c1}(1P)$	$\chi_{b1}(1P)$	$D_1(2430)$	$D_{s1}(2460)^{\pm\dagger}$			
$1^3P_2 \quad 2^{++}$	$\chi_{c2}(1P)$	$\chi_{b2}(1P)$	$D_2^*(2460)$	$D_{s2}^*(2573)^\pm$	$B_2^*(5747)$	$B_{s2}^*(5840)^0$	
$1^3D_1 \quad 1^{--}$	$\psi(3770)$			$D_{s1}^*(2700)^\pm$			
$2^1S_0 \quad 0^{-+}$	$\eta_c(2S)$		$D(2550)$				
$2^3S_1 \quad 1^{--}$	$\psi(2S)$	$\Upsilon(2S)$					
$2^1P_1 \quad 1^{+-}$		$h_b(2P)$					
$2^3P_{0,1,2} \quad 0^{++}, 1^{++}, 2^{++}$	$\chi_{c2}(2P)$	$\chi_{b0,1,2}(2P)$					

[†] The masses of these states are considerably smaller than most theoretical predictions. They have also been considered as four-quark states. The open flavor states in the 1^{+-} and 1^{++} rows are mixtures of the $1^{+\pm}$ states.

Chiral models: the basic idea

Spontaneous symmetry breaking at the meson level

$$\pi = \pi^0 \equiv \sqrt{1/2}(\bar{u}u - \bar{d}d) \text{ neutral pion}$$

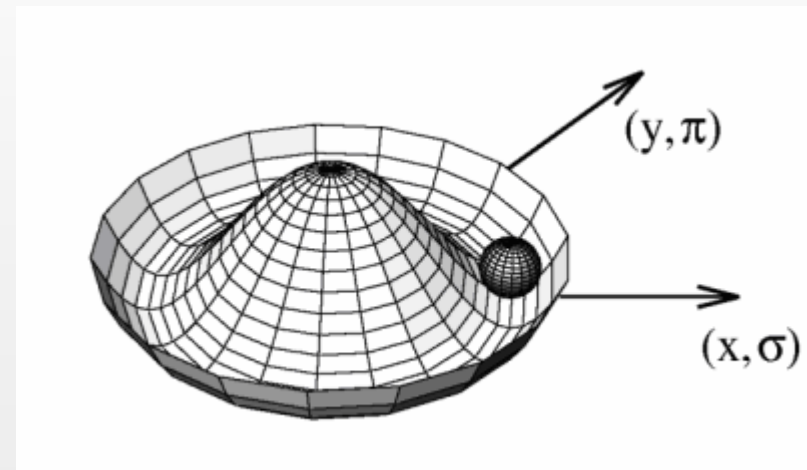
$$\sigma \equiv \sqrt{1/2}(\bar{u}u + \bar{d}d) \equiv f_0(1370)$$

Chiral transformation: $\sigma \leftrightarrow \pi$

$$V = \frac{m_0^2}{2}(\sigma^2 + \pi^2) + \frac{\lambda}{4}(\sigma^2 + \pi^2)^2$$

$m_0^2 < 0 \rightarrow$ Mexican hat

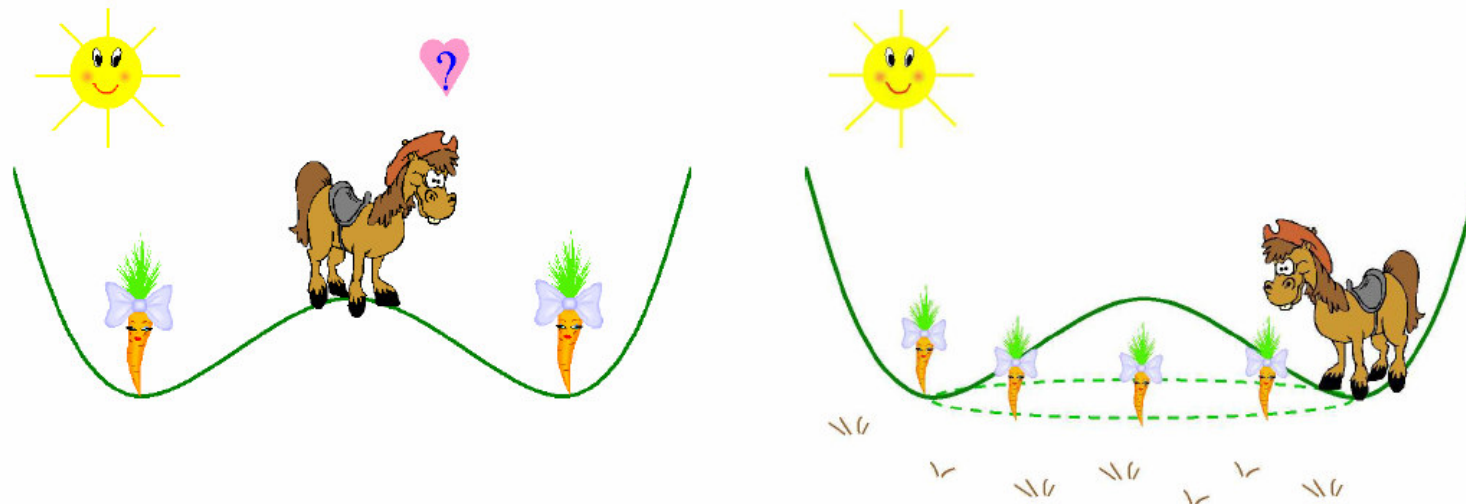
$$\text{SSB: } \langle \sigma \rangle \propto \langle \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d \rangle \neq 0$$



The donkey of Buridan

Jean Buridan (in Latin, *Johannes Buridanus*) (ca. 1300 – after 1358)

Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking



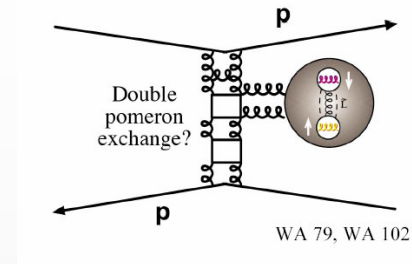
Although Nicolás likes the symmetric food configuration, he must break the symmetry deciding which carrot is more appealing. In three dimensions, there is a continuous valley where Nicolás can move from one carrot to the next without effort.

Picture taken from A. Pich, arXiv:0705.4264 [hep-ph],
Cern-Claf Lecture on 'The Standard model of electroweak interactions'

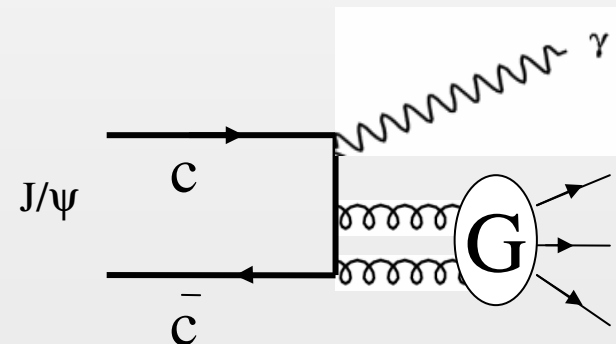
Hadronic Experiments

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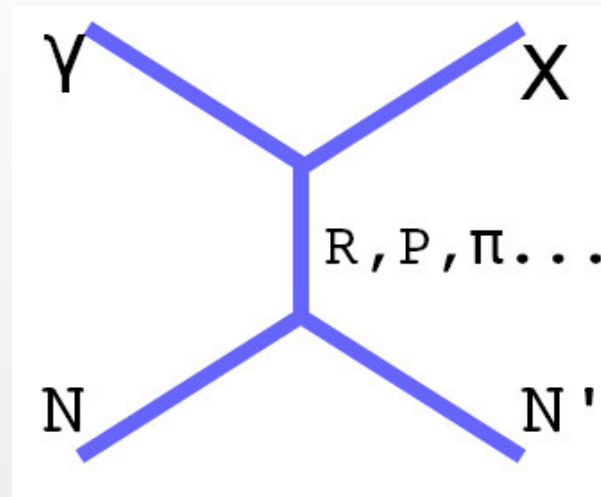
Proton-proton
(WA79,WA102,LHC)



Electron-positron
(Belle, Babar,BES,KLOE,...)

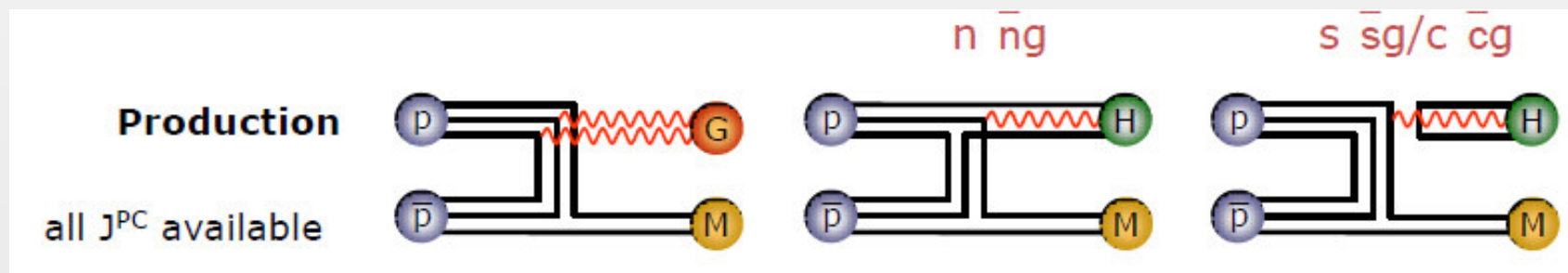
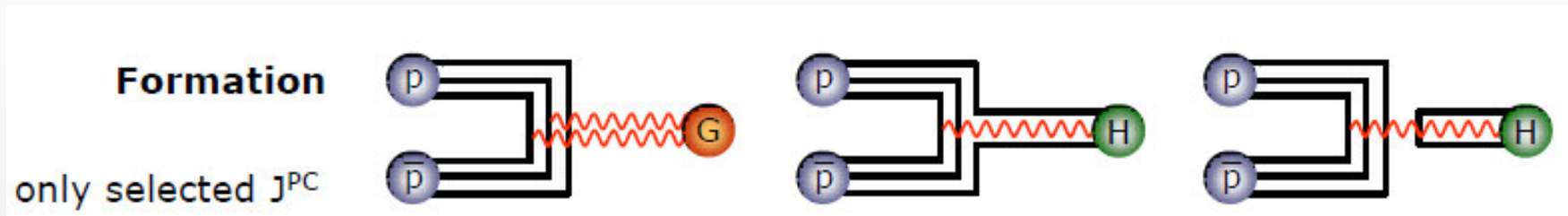


Photoproduction: Compass at Cern
GlueX AND CLAS12 AT Jlab (start soon)

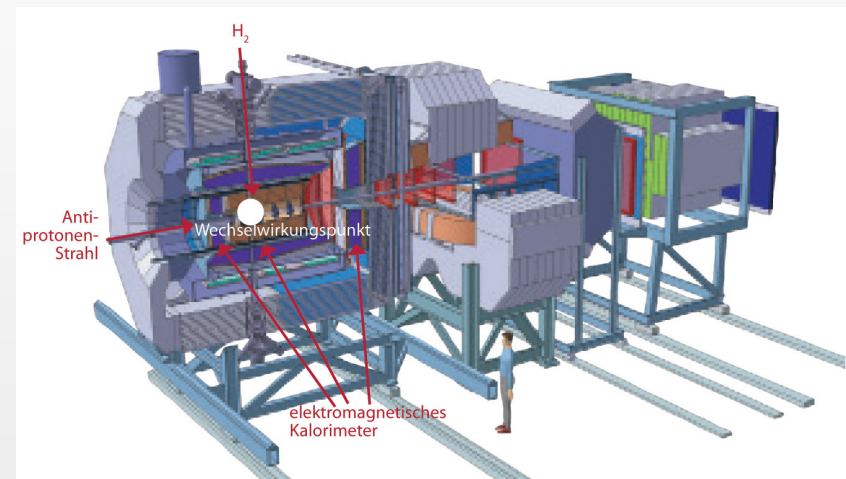
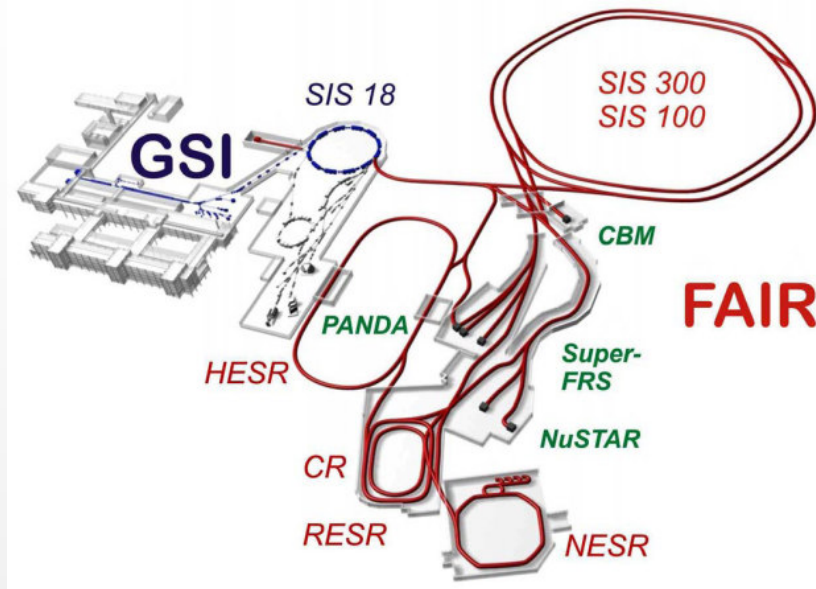


Proton-antiproton

(Lear, Fermilab, and in the future: Panda)



The PANDA experiment



Formation process: the energy range in PANDA

$$\bar{p} + p \rightarrow X$$

...then X decays in something else (pions, kaons,...)

Antiproton moves, proton at rest

$$E_{\bar{p}} = \sqrt{\vec{q}^2 + m_p^2}$$

$$m_X = \sqrt{2 m_p (m_p + E_{\bar{p}})}$$

Short ex: show that it is so!

$$\text{Using } |\vec{q}| = 1.5 - 10 \text{ GeV} : m_X = 2.25 - 4.53 \text{ GeV}$$

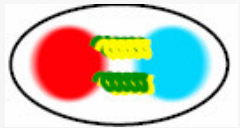
Theoretical expectations

Non-conventional mesons: theoretical expectations

1) Glueballs



2) Hybrids



Compact diquark-antidiquar states



3) Four-quark states

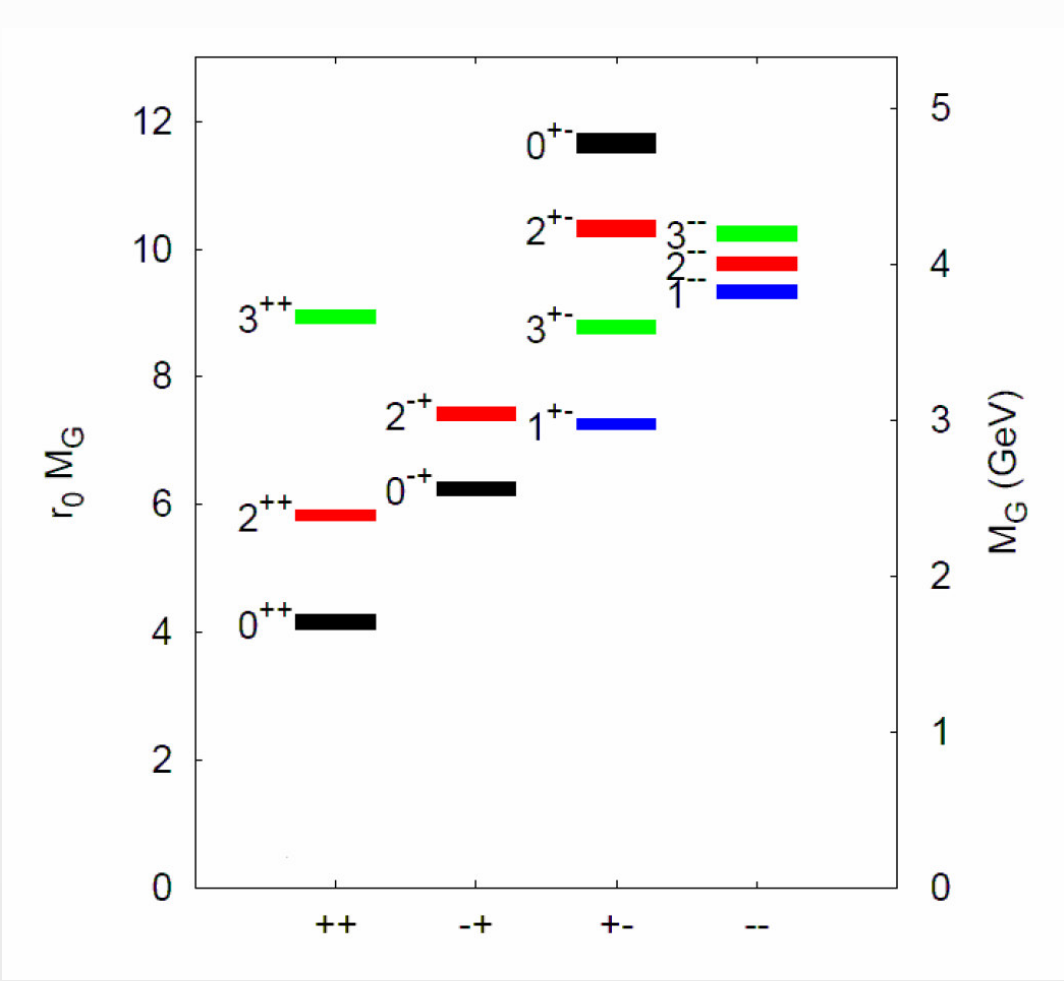
Molecular states (a type of dynamical generation)



Companion poles (another type of dynamical generation)

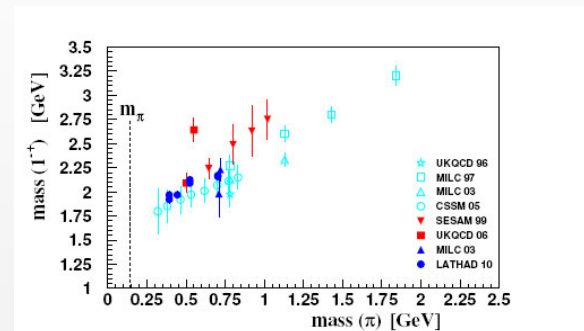
Glueball spectrum from quenched lattice QCD

The missing pieces of the mesonic spectrum:
the glueballs. Where are they?



Hybrid mesons: lattice predictions for 1^{-+} hybrids at about 2 GeV

See for instance the review:
C. Meyer and E. Swanson, "Hybrid Mesons,"
Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. **82** (2015) 21
[arXiv:1502.07276 [hep-ph]].



(Many) tetraquark states are predicted in various models.
Actually even too many...

See for instance:
D. Ebert et al, "Excited heavy tetraquarks with hidden charm,"
Eur. Phys. J. C **58** (2008) 399 [arXiv:0808.3912 [hep-ph]].

Non-quarkonium candidates: light sector

The light scalar mesons

$a_0(980)$ $k(800)$ $f_0(980)$ $f_0(500)$

$$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$$

They (most probably!) are not quark-antiquark states!!!

The light scalars can be interpreted as tetraquark state

A tetraquark is the bound state of two diquarks

An example of „good diquark” is:

$$|qq\rangle = |Space: L = 0\rangle |Spin: (\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow)\rangle |f: (ud - du)\rangle |c: (RB - BR)\rangle$$

Example: $a_0^+(980) = -[\bar{d}, \bar{s}][u, s]$ (and not $u\bar{d}$)

$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$	M < 1 GeV	Tetraquark interpretation
$I = 1$	$a_0(980)$	$[u, s][\bar{d}, \bar{s}], [\bar{u}, \bar{s}][d, s],$ $([u, s][\bar{u}, \bar{s}] - [d, s][\bar{d}, \bar{s}])$
$I = \frac{1}{2}$	$k(800)$	$[u, d][\bar{d}, \bar{s}], [\bar{u}, \bar{d}][d, s],$ $[u, d][\bar{u}, \bar{s}], [\bar{u}, \bar{d}][u, s]$
$I = 0$	$f_0(500)$ $f_0(980)$	$\approx [\bar{u}, \bar{d}][u, d]$ $\approx ([u, s][\bar{u}, \bar{s}] + [d, s][\bar{d}, \bar{s}])$

$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$	$M < 1 \text{ GeV}$	Molecular interpretation
$I = 1$	$a_0(980)$	KK bound-state
$I = \frac{1}{2}$	$k(800)$	πK bound-state
$I = 0$	$f_0(500)$	$\pi\pi$ bound-state
	$f_0(980)$	KK bound-state

Scalars above 1 GeV and scalar glueball candidate

$f_0(1370)$ is compatible with a quark-antiquark substructure.

Yet, a large glueball component is expected in $f_0(1500)$ and/or in $f_0(1710)$.

Latest studies actually point toward $f_0(1710)$ as being predominantly gluonic.

Pseudoscalar glueball: candidates

Up to now we do not know where it is. A light pseudoscalar glueball was not found yet. Here also the candidates are not so easily found.

$\eta(1405)$ and $\eta(1475)$

(but much lighter than the lattice value of 2.6 GeV)

X(2370) (BES)

Tensor glueball: candidate

Here it is fog...

The resonance $f_J(2220)$ could be a candidate, if $J=2$ will be confirmed.

Two states with exotic quantum number

$$J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$$

$\Pi_1(1400)$

$\Pi_1(1600)$

What are they?

They cannot be quark-antiquark states, but they could be hybrid
(but mass too low w.r.t. lattice)

or they could be four-quark states

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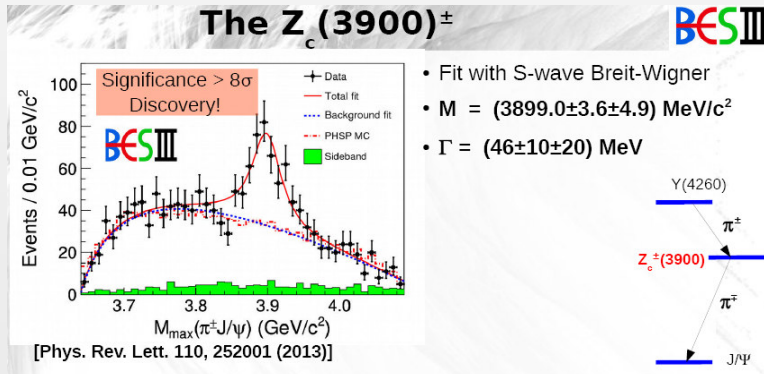
Non-quarkonium candidates: charmonium sector

X, Y states

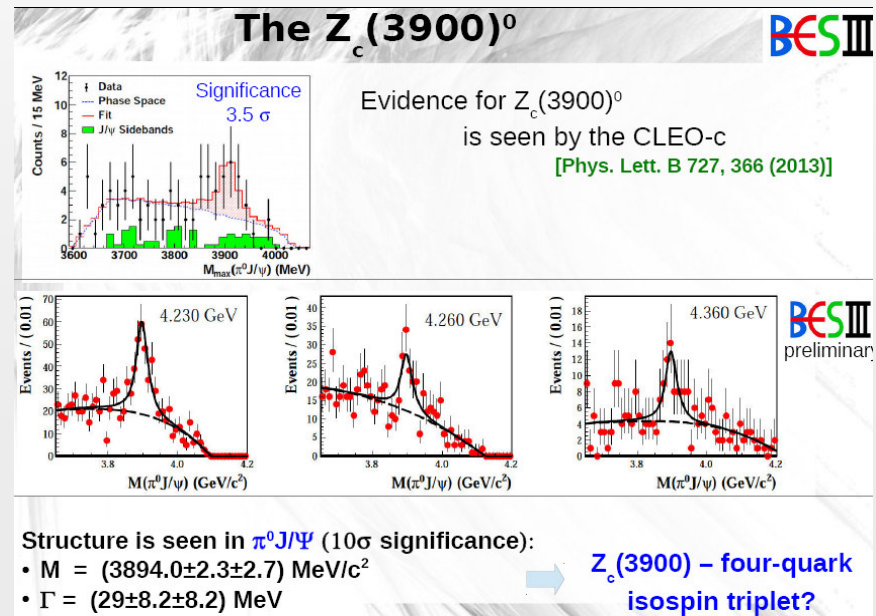
State	M (MeV)	Γ (MeV)	J^{PC}	Decay modes	1 st observation
$X(3823)$	3823.1 ± 1.9	< 24	$?^{? -}$	$\chi_{c1} \gamma$	Belle 2013
$X(3872)$	3871.68 ± 0.17	< 1.2	1^{++}	$J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$, $J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ $D^0 \bar{D}^0 \pi^0$, $D^0 \bar{D}^0 \gamma$ $J/\psi \gamma$, $\psi(2S) \gamma$	Belle 2003
$X(3915)$	3917.5 ± 1.9	20 ± 5	0^{++}	$J/\psi \omega$, $(\gamma\gamma)$	Belle 2004
$\chi_{c2}(2P)$	3927.2 ± 2.6	24 ± 6	2^{++}	$D\bar{D}$, $(\gamma\gamma)$	Belle 2005
$X(3940)$	3942_{-8}^{+9}	37_{-17}^{+27}	$?^{? +}$	$D^* \bar{D}$, $D \bar{D}^*$	Belle 2007
$G(3900)$	3943 ± 21	52 ± 11	1^{--}	$D\bar{D}$, $(e^+ e^-)$	BABAR 2007
$Y(4008)$	4008_{-49}^{+121}	226 ± 97	1^{--}	$J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$, $(e^+ e^-)$	Belle 2007
$Y(4140)$	4144.5 ± 2.6	15_{-7}^{+11}	$?^{? +}$	$J/\psi \phi$	CDF 2009
$X(4160)$	4156_{-25}^{+29}	139_{-65}^{+113}	$?^{? +}$	$D^* \bar{D}^*$	Belle 2007
$Y(4220)$	4216 ± 7	39 ± 17	1^{--}	$h_c(1P) \pi^+ \pi^-$, $(e^+ e^-)$	BESIII 2013
$Y(4260)$	4263_{-9}^{+8}	95 ± 14	1^{--}	$J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$, $J/\psi \pi^0 \pi^0$ $Z_c(3900) \pi$, $(e^+ e^-)$	BABAR 2005
$Y(4274)$	$4274.4_{-6.7}^{+8.4}$	32_{-15}^{+22}	$?^{? +}$	$J/\psi \phi$	CDF 2010
$X(4350)$	$4350.6_{-5.1}^{+4.6}$	$13.3_{-10.0}^{+18.4}$	$0/2^{++}$	$J/\psi \phi$, $(\gamma\gamma)$	Belle 2009
$Y(4360)$	4361 ± 13	74 ± 18	1^{--}	$\psi(2S) \pi^+ \pi^-$, $(e^+ e^-)$	BABAR 2007
$X(4630)$	4634_{-11}^{+9}	92_{-32}^{+41}	1^{--}	$\Lambda_c^+ \Lambda_c^-$, $(e^+ e^-)$	Belle 2007
$Y(4660)$	4664 ± 12	48 ± 15	1^{--}	$\psi(2S) \pi^+ \pi^-$, $(e^+ e^-)$	Belle 2007

Z states

State	M (MeV)	Γ (MeV)	J^{PC}	Decay modes	1 st observation
$Z_c^+(3885)$	3883.9 ± 4.5	24.8 ± 11.5	$1^{+?}$	$D^{*+}\bar{D}^0, D^+\bar{D}^{*0}$	BESIII 2013
$Z_c^+(3900)$	3898 ± 5	51 ± 19	$?^{?-}$	$J/\psi \pi^+$	BESIII 2013
$Z_c^+(4020)$	4022.9 ± 2.8	7.9 ± 3.7	$?^{?-}$	$h_c(1P) \pi^+, D^{*+}\bar{D}^{*0}$	BESIII 2013
$Z_1^+(4050)$	4051_{-43}^{+24}	82_{-55}^{+51}	$?^{?+}$	$\chi_{c1}(1P) \pi^+$	Belle 2008
$Z_2^+(4250)$	4248_{-45}^{+185}	177_{-72}^{+321}	$?^{?+}$	$\chi_{c1}(1P) \pi^+$	Belle 2008
$Z^+(4430)$	4443_{-18}^{+24}	107_{-71}^{+113}	1^{+-}	$\psi(2S) \pi^+$	Belle 2007



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X(3872)

X(3872) $M_x = 3871.52 \pm 0.2 \text{ MeV}$, $\Gamma = 1.3 \pm 0.6 \text{ MeV}$, $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$

Various works (see Brambilla et al, EPJ C (2011) 71):
tetraquark or molecular states the most probable interpretations.
(Mass too light when compared to quark-antiquark predictions)

Possibilities: tetraquark? a D-D* molecular state? It could arise due to mesonic loops as a companion pole. The starting seed state is a regular charm-anticharm object. Loops do the rest.

Other unclarified states: open-charm sector

$D^*_{s0}(2317)$

$D^*_{s0}(2317)$: too light to be a $c\bar{s}$, $\bar{c}s$ quarkonium.

$J^P = 0^+$, Mass = 2317.8 ± 0.6 MeV

It is a good candidate to be a molecular state / dynamically generated state...

In arXiv: 1405.5861 we find that the quarkonium state of 2.47 GeV and a very large width. Loop effects and companion pole?

Summary

Confinement: hadrons

Mesons: not only quark-antiquark states.

Glueballs: the still missing link. They are yet to be found.

States beyond quark-antiquark: light scalar mesons and related topics.

Region of charm-anticharm states: experimental proof of non-quarkonium states, but different models exist.

Thank You

