Strangeness Content of the Nucleon



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Outline

- The QCD Vacuum
- Quarks to Hadrons
- Measurements of Nucleon Form Factors
- Latest Results on Strangeness
- A Precise Theoretical Calculation of G_M^s
- What needs measuring?





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Topology of QCD Vacuum





Leinweber: see CSSM web pages

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Powerful Qualitative New Insights From Lattice QCD

QCD sum rules :

$$\begin{split} \left\langle 0 \left| \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} G^i_{\mu\nu} G^i_i \right| 0 \right\rangle &= \left\langle 0 \left| \frac{2\alpha_s}{\pi} (B^2 - E^2) \right| 0 \right\rangle \\ &= (350 \pm 30 \text{ MeV})^4, \end{split}$$

- Non-trivial topological structure of vacuum linked to dynamical chiral symmetry breaking
- There are regions of positive and negative topological charge
- BUT they clearly are NOT spherical

NOR are they weakly interacting!



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Quark Condensate

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at a renormalization scale of about 1 GeV.

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and last term is as big as 20 MeV (or more) i.e. presence of nucleon "cleans out" vacuum to some extent

Hence: Model independent LO term for in-medium condensate

$$\frac{Q(\rho_B)}{Q_0} \simeq 1 - \frac{\sigma_N}{f_\pi^2 m_\pi^2} \rho_B$$

BUT this has no new physics at all!





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QCD and the Origin of Mass

u + u + d = protonmass: 0.003 + 0.003 + 0.006 \neq 0.938

HOW does the rest of the proton mass arise?



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χ'al Extrapolation Under Control when Coefficients Known – e.g. for the nucleon



FRR give same answer to <<1% systematic error!

| | Bare Coefficients | | | | Renormalized Coefficients | | | |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----|---------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|
| Regulator | a_0^{Λ} | a_2^{Λ} | a_4^{Λ} | Λ | c_0 | c_2 | c_4 | m_N |
| Monopole | 1.74 | 1.64 | -0.49 | 0.5 | 0.923(65) | 2.45(33) | 20.5(15) | 0.960(58) |
| Dipole | 1.30 | 1.54 | -0.49 | 0.8 | 0.922(65) | 2.49(33) | 18.9(15) | 0.959(58) |
| Gaussian | 1.17 | 1.48 | -0.50 | 0.6 | 0.923(65) | 2.48(33) | 18.3(15) | 0.960(58) |
| Sharp cutoff | 1.06 | 1.47 | -0.55 | 0.4 | 0.923(65) | 2.61(33) | 15.3(8) | 0.961(58) |
| Dim. Reg. (BP) | 0.79 | 4.15 | +8.92 | _ | 0.875(56) | 3.14(25) | 7.2(8) | 0.923(51) |

Leinweber et al., PRL 92 (2004) 242002



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Convergence from LNA to NLNA is Rapid – Using Finite Range Regularization

| Regulator | LNA | NLNA |
|-----------|-----|------|
| Sharp | 968 | 961 |
| Monopole | 964 | 960 |
| Dipole | 963 | 959 |
| Gaussian | 960 | 960 |
| Dim Reg | 784 | 884 |

M_N in MeV

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Comparison with χ QSM



Goeke et al., hep-lat/0505010



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Analysis of pQQCD ρ data from CP PACS





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Infinite Volume Unitary Results

All 80 data points drop onto single, well defined curve



Allton, Young et al., hep-lat/0504022



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Precision Tests of Nucleon Structure

 Astonishing discovery concerning proton electric form factor



But what about contribution from non-valence quarks

- especially strange quarks ?





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Strangeness Widely Believed to Play a Major Role – Does It?

• As much as 100 to 300 MeV of proton mass:

$$M_N = \langle N(P)| - \frac{9\,\alpha_s}{4\,\pi} \operatorname{Tr}(G_{\mu\nu}G^{\mu\nu}) + m_u\bar{\psi}_u\psi_u + m_d\bar{\psi}_d\psi_d + m_s\bar{\psi}_s\psi_s|N(P)\rangle$$

Hence 110
$$\pm$$
 110 MeV (increasing to 180 for higher σ_N)

 $\Delta M_N^{s-\text{quarks}} = \frac{ym_s}{\sigma_N} \sigma_N$

• Through proton spin crisis: As much as 10% of the spin of the proton

• HOW MUCH OF THE MAGNETIC FORM FACTOR?





70?

 $y=0.2 \pm 0.2$

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G0 Experiment at Jefferson Lab





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World Data @ $Q^2 = 0.1 \text{ GeV}^2$



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 $G_{E}^{s} = -0.013 \pm 0.028$ $G_{M}^{s} = +0.62 \pm 0.31$ $\pm 0.62 \ 2\sigma$ <u>Contours</u> $---- 1\sigma, 2\sigma$ ---- 68.3, 95.5% CL

<u>Theories</u>

- 1. Leinweber, et al. PRL **94** (05) 212001
- 2. Lyubovitskij, et al. PRC 66 (02) 055204
- Lewis, et al.
 PRD 67 (03) 013003
- 4. Silva, et al.



Simple Fits to World Hydrogen Data

• Fit

$$G_{E}^{s}(Q^{2}) + \eta(Q^{2}, E_{i})G_{M}^{s}(Q^{2}) = \frac{4\pi\alpha\sqrt{2}}{G_{F}Q^{2}}\frac{\varepsilon G_{E}^{p^{2}} + \tau G_{M}^{p^{2}}}{\varepsilon G_{E}^{p}(1+R_{V}^{(0)})}\left(A_{phys} - A_{NVS}(Q^{2}, E_{i})\right)$$

with simple forms for G_E^s , G_M^s

$$G_{E}^{s}(Q^{2}) = \frac{c_{2}Q^{4}}{1 + d_{1}Q^{2} + d_{2}Q^{4} + d_{3}Q^{6}} \quad \text{à la Kelly}$$

$$G_{M}^{s}(Q^{2}) = \frac{G_{M}^{s}(Q^{2} = 0)}{\left(1 + Q^{2}/\Lambda_{M}^{s}\right)^{2}}$$

with

 $G_M^s(Q^2 = 0) = 0.81$ from Q² = 0.1 GeV² plot, dipole ff

DHB, 17 June 2005

"Fit" to World Hydrogen Data



Significance & Comparison with Lattice QCD

- Size and sign of the strange magnetic moment is astonishing!
- Experimental isoscalar nucleon moment is 0.88 μ_N c.f. this result which is (Beck) - 0.54 μ_N : i.e. - 60% !!
- Also remarkable versus lattice QCD which gives

+0.03 \pm 0.01 μ_{N} (Leinweber et al., PRL 94 (2005) 212001)

Sign would require violation of universality of

valence quark moments by $\sim 70\%$!





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Magnetic Moments within QCD



 $p = 2/3 u^p - 1/3 d^p + O_N$ $n = -1/3 u^p + 2/3 d^p + O_N$ $2p + n = u^p + 3 O_N$ (and $p + 2n = d^p + 3 O_N$) $\Sigma^{+} = 2/3 \mathbf{u}^{\Sigma} - 1/3 \mathbf{s}^{\Sigma} + \mathbf{O}_{\Sigma}$ $\Sigma^{-} = -1/3 \mathbf{u}^{\Sigma} - 1/3 \mathbf{s}^{\Sigma} + \mathbf{O}_{\Sigma}$ Σ^+ - $\Sigma^- = \mathbf{u}^{\Sigma}$ $O_{N} = 1/3 [2p + n - (u^{p} / u^{\Sigma}) (\Sigma^{+} - \Sigma^{-})]$ **HENCE:** Just these ratios from Lattice OCD $O_{N} = 1/3 [n + 2p - (u^{n} / u^{\Xi}) (\Xi^{0} - \Xi^{-})]$ OR Office of U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Constraint from Charge Symmetry

$$\begin{aligned} O_N &= \frac{2}{3} \,^{\ell} G_M^u - \frac{1}{3} \,^{\ell} G_M^d - \frac{1}{3} \,^{\ell} G_M^s \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left({}^{\ell} G_M^d - {}^{\ell} G_M^s \right) \,, \\ &= \frac{\ell G_M^s}{3} \left(\frac{1 - {}^{\ell} R_d^s}{{}^{\ell} R_d^s} \right) \,, \end{aligned}$$



$$G_M^s = \left(\frac{{}^{\ell}R_d^s}{1-{}^{\ell}R_d^s}\right) \left[3.673 - \frac{u_p}{u_{\Sigma^+}}\left(3.618\right)\right]$$

$$G_M^s = \left(\frac{{}^{\ell}R_d^s}{1 - {}^{\ell}R_d^s}\right) \left[-1.033 - \frac{u_n}{u_{\Xi^0}} \left(-0.599\right)\right]$$

Leinweber and Thomas, Phys. Rev. D62 (2000) 07505.

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u^pvalence : QQCD Data Corrected for Full QCD Chiral Coeff's

New lattice data from Zanotti et al.; Chiral analysis Leinweber et al.

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Check: Octet Magnetic Moments

Leinweber et al., hep-lat/0406002

Convergence LNA to NLNA Again Excellent (Effect of Decuplet)

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State of the Art Magnetic Moments

| | QQCD | Valence | Full QCD | Expt. |
|----------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| р | 2.69 (16) | 2.94 (15) | 2.86 (15) | 2.79 |
| n | -1.72 (10) | -1.83 (10) | -1.91 (10) | -1.91 |
| Σ+ | 2.37 (11) | 2.61 (10) | 2.52 (10) | 2.46 (10) |
| Σ- | -0.95 (05) | -1.08 (05) | -1.17 (05) | -1.16 (03) |
| Λ | -0.57 (03) | -0.61 (03) | -0.63 (03) | -0.613 (4) |
| Ξ 0 | -1.16 (04) | -1.26 (04) | -1.28 (04) | -1.25 (01) |
| Ξ | -0.65 (02) | -0.68 (02) | -0.70 (02) | -0.651 (03) |
| u ^p | 1.66 (08) | 1.85 (07) | 1.85 (07) | 1.81 (06) |
| u ^E | -0.51 (04) | -0.58 (04) | -0.58 (04) | -0.60 (01) |

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Accurate Final Result for G_M^s

1.25±0.12

Yields : G_{M}^{s} = -0.046 ± 0.019 μ_{N}

Leinweber et al., (PRL June '05) hep-lat/0406002

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Parity Violating Studies on ¹H and ⁴He 3 GeV beam in Hall A $\theta_{lab} \sim 6^{\circ}$ Q² ~ 0.1 (GeV/c)²

| target | A _{PV} G ^s = 0 (ppm) | Stat. Error (ppm) | Syst. Error (ppm) | sensitivity |
|-----------------|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| ¹ H | -1.6 | 0.08 | 0.04 | δ(G ^s _E +0.08G ^s _M) = 0.010 |
| ⁴ He | +7.8 | 0.18 | 0.18 | δ(G ^s _E) = 0.015 |

Brass-Quartz integrating detector

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Lattice data (from MILC Collaboration) : red triangles
Green boxes: fit evaluating σ's on same finite grid as lattice
Lines are exact, continuum results

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FRR Mass well determined by data

$$\sqrt{(M_V^{deg})^2 - \Sigma_{TOT}} = (a_0^{cont} + X_1 a + X_2 a^2) + a_2 (M_{PS}^{deg})^2 + a_4 (M_{PS}^{deg})^4 + a_6 (M_{PS}^{deg})^6$$

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Quark Condensate In-Medium

Free space:

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Lattice QCD Simulation of Vacuum Structure

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