

粒子物理学的自旋极化

Lecture 2

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2.1. 自旋和螺旋度

- 自旋- $\frac{1}{2}$ 粒子

- 1925-1927, formulated by Dutch physicists
- 1927, Pauli introduced spin as operator in QM
- Particles classified into Bosons and Fermions in spin

$$\hat{s} = \frac{1}{2} \hat{\sigma}$$

Pauli operator:

$$\sigma_x = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_y = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \sigma_z = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Two component spinor χ :

$$\chi = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \frac{1}{2}\theta e^{-\frac{i\phi}{2}} \\ \sin \frac{1}{2}\theta e^{\frac{i\phi}{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \chi^\dagger \chi = 1$$

- Polarization vector

$$P_\chi = \chi^\dagger \hat{s} \chi = (\sin\theta \cos\phi, \sin\theta \sin\phi, \cos\theta), \text{ 极化度: } p = \sqrt{P_\chi^2} = 1$$



**Wolfgang Ernst Pauli,
1900-1958**

2.2. 单粒子态

- 非相对论的单粒子态

Angular momentum operator (J_x, J_y, J_z) or (J_1, J_2, J_3) :

$$[J_i, J_j] = i \epsilon_{ijk} J_k ,$$

Define $J^2 = J_x^2 + J_y^2 + J_z^2$, $J_+ = J_x + iJ_y$, $J_- = J_x - iJ_y$

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

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

$$J_{\pm} |jm\rangle = [(j \mp m)(j \pm m + 1)]^{1/2} |jm \pm 1\rangle$$

Completeness relation

$$\langle j'm' | jm \rangle = \delta_{j'j} \delta_{m'm}$$

$$\sum_{jm} |jm\rangle \langle jm| = I ,$$

非相对论的单粒子态(续)

- finite rotation $R(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$

$$U[R(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)] = e^{-i\alpha J_z} e^{-i\beta J_y} e^{-i\gamma J_z}$$

- representation of rotation matrix

$$\begin{aligned} D_{m'm}^j(R) &= D_{m'm}^j(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \langle jm' | U[R(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)] | jm \rangle \\ &= e^{-im'\alpha} d_{m'm}^j(\beta) e^{-im\gamma} \end{aligned}$$

with $d_{m'm}^j(\beta) = \langle jm' | e^{-i\beta J_y} | jm \rangle$

- rotation of state $|jm\rangle$

$$U[R(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)] |jm\rangle = \sum_{m'} |jm'\rangle D_{m'm}^j(\alpha, \beta, \gamma),$$

相对论的单粒子态

- Lorentz boost along z -axis: $L_z(\beta)$

One particle state: mass W , energy E , momentum \vec{p} , spin state $|jm\rangle$

Proper homogeneous Lorentz transformation:

$$p'^\mu = \Lambda_\nu^\mu p^\nu$$

with $p^\nu = (E, \vec{p})$ and $p'^\mu = (E', \vec{p}')$, Λ_ν^μ defined by $g_{\alpha\beta} = \Lambda_\mu^\alpha \Lambda_\nu^\beta = g_{\mu\nu}$, $\det \Lambda = 1$, $\Lambda_0^0 > 0$.

$L_z(\beta)$ matrix:

$$L_z(\beta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh \alpha & 0 & 0 & \sinh \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \sinh \alpha & 0 & 0 & \cosh \alpha \end{pmatrix}$$

With velocity $\beta = \tanh \alpha$,

$$\tanh \alpha = \frac{P}{E}, \sinh \alpha = \frac{P}{W}, \cosh \alpha = \frac{E}{W}$$

相对论的单粒子态(续)

- Lorentz boost along arbitrary direction ($\vec{\beta}$)

$$L(\vec{\beta}) = R(\phi, \theta, 0)L_z(\beta)R^{-1}(\phi, \theta, 0),$$

$$U[L(\vec{p})] = U[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)]U[L_z(p)]U^{-1}[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)],$$

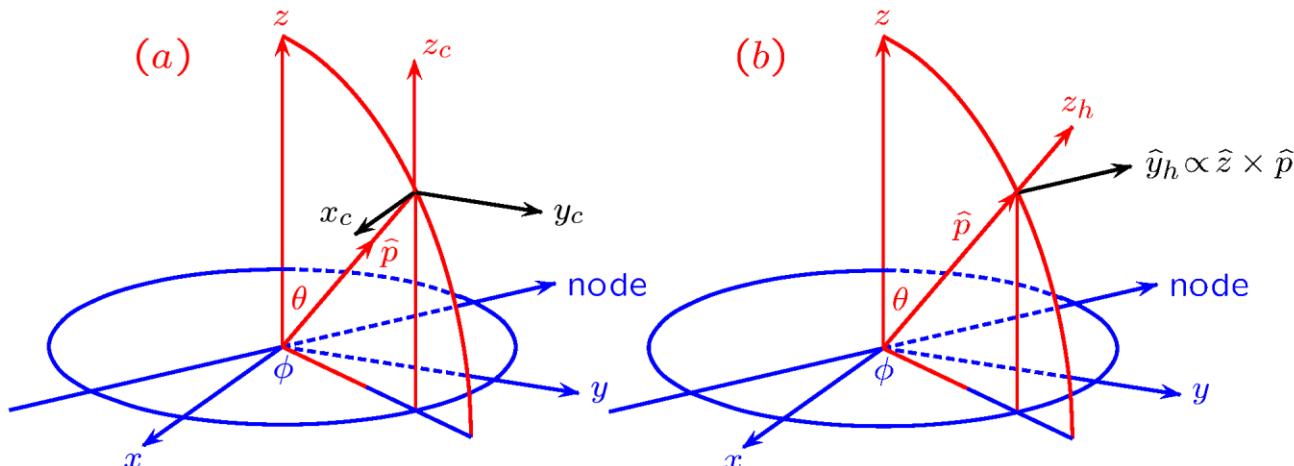
multiplication law

Canonical State:

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{p}, jm\rangle &= |\phi, \theta, p, jm\rangle = U[L(\vec{p})] |jm\rangle \\ &= U[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)] U[L_z(p)] U^{-1}[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)] |jm\rangle, \end{aligned}$$

Helicity state

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{p}, j\lambda\rangle &= |\phi, \theta, p, j\lambda\rangle = U[L(\vec{p})] U[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)] |j\lambda\rangle \\ &= U[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)] U[L_z(p)] |j\lambda\rangle. \end{aligned}$$



相对论的单粒子态(续)

- Rotations on the canonical state and helicity state

Canonical State:

$$\begin{aligned} U[R] |\vec{p}, jm\rangle &= U[\overset{\circ}{RR}] U[L_z(p)] U^{-1}[\overset{\circ}{RR}] U[R] |jm\rangle \\ &= \sum_{m'} D_{m'm}^j(R) |R\vec{p}, jm'\rangle , \end{aligned}$$

Helicity state

➤ Rotaion R around \vec{p} , helcity invariant:

$$\begin{aligned} U[R] |\vec{p}, j\lambda\rangle &= U[\overset{\circ}{RR}] U[L_z] |j\lambda\rangle \\ &= |R\vec{p}, j\lambda\rangle . \end{aligned}$$

➤ Boost along \vec{p} direction, i.e., $\vec{p}'/\!/ p$, helcity invariant:

$$\begin{aligned} U[L'] |\vec{p}, j\lambda\rangle &= U[L'] U[L(\vec{p})] U[\overset{\circ}{R}] |j\lambda\rangle \\ &= U[L(\vec{p}')] U[\overset{\circ}{R}] |j\lambda\rangle \\ &= |\vec{p}', j\lambda\rangle . \end{aligned}$$

相对论的单粒子态(续)

- Relationship between canonical and helicity state

$$\begin{aligned} |\vec{p}, j\lambda\rangle &= U[\overset{\circ}{R}]U[L_z]U^{-1}[\overset{\circ}{R}]U[\overset{\circ}{R}] |j\lambda\rangle \\ &= \sum_m D_{m\lambda}^j(\overset{\circ}{R}) |\vec{p}, jm\rangle . \end{aligned}$$

- Normalization of helicity state

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \vec{p}' j' m' | \vec{p} j m \rangle &= \tilde{\delta}(\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) \delta_{jj'} \delta_{mm'} \\ \langle \vec{p}' j' \lambda' | \vec{p} j \lambda \rangle &= \tilde{\delta}(\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) \delta_{jj'} \delta_{\lambda\lambda'} , \end{aligned}$$

where $\tilde{\delta}(\vec{p}' - \vec{p}) = (2\pi)^3(2E) \delta^{(3)}(\vec{p}' - \vec{p})$.

- Completeness relation

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{jm} \int |\vec{p} j m\rangle \tilde{dp} \langle \vec{p} j m| &= I && \text{with } \tilde{dp} = \frac{d^3 \vec{p}}{(2\pi)^3(2E)} , \\ \sum_{j\lambda} \int |\vec{p} j \lambda\rangle \tilde{dp} \langle \vec{p} j \lambda| &= I , \end{aligned}$$

单粒子态的宇称和时间反演操作

- Particle with position \vec{x} , momentum \vec{p} , and angular momentum J

$$P : \quad \vec{x} \rightarrow -\vec{x}, \quad \vec{p} \rightarrow -\vec{p}, \quad \vec{J} \rightarrow \quad \vec{J}$$

$$T : \quad \vec{x} \rightarrow \quad \vec{x}, \quad \vec{p} \rightarrow -\vec{p}, \quad \vec{J} \rightarrow -\vec{J}$$

Parity: $\Pi |jm\rangle = \eta |jm\rangle$, Time reversal: $\mathbb{T} |jm\rangle = \sum_k T_{km} |jk\rangle$.

Canonical basis:

$$\Pi |\vec{p}, jm\rangle = \eta |-\vec{p}, jm\rangle$$

$$\mathbb{T} |\vec{p}, jm\rangle = (-)^{j-m} |-\vec{p}, j-m\rangle$$

$$\Pi |\phi, \theta, p, jm\rangle = \eta |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, p, jm\rangle$$

$$\mathbb{T} |\phi, \theta, p, jm\rangle = (-)^{j-m} |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, p, j-m\rangle$$

Helicity basis:

$$\Pi |\phi, \theta, p, j\lambda\rangle = \eta e^{-i\pi j} |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, p, j - \lambda\rangle$$

$$\mathbb{T} |\phi, \theta, p, j\lambda\rangle = e^{-i\pi\lambda} |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, p, j\lambda\rangle$$

双粒子态

- Construction of two-particle canonical states

Particle	Spin	mass	momentum
1	s_1	w_1	\vec{p}
2	s_2	w_2	$-\vec{p}$

- spin states

$$|\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle = a U[L(\vec{p})] |s_1 m_1\rangle U[L(-\vec{p})] |s_2 m_2\rangle$$

$$L(\pm \vec{p}) = \overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0) L_{\pm z}(p) \overset{\circ}{R}^{-1}(\phi, \theta, 0),$$

Total spin:

$$|\phi\theta sm_s\rangle = \sum_{m_1 m_2} (s_1 m_1 s_2 m_2 |sm_s) |\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle$$

Rotation
property

$$U[R] |\Omega sm_s\rangle = \sum_{m'_s} D_{m'_s m_s}^s(R) |R' sm'_s\rangle$$

$$R' = R\Omega$$

双粒子态

- orbital momentum

$$|\ell m s m_s\rangle = \int d\Omega Y_m^\ell(\Omega) |\Omega s m_s\rangle$$

$$U[R] |\ell m s m_s\rangle = \int d\Omega Y_m^\ell(\Omega) D_{m'_s m_s}^s(R) |R' s m'_s\rangle \quad \text{Rotation property}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y_m^\ell(\Omega) &= \sqrt{\frac{2\ell+1}{4\pi}} D_{m_0}^{\ell*}(R^{-1} R') \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2\ell+1}{4\pi}} \sum_{m'} D_{mm'}^{\ell*}(R^{-1}) D_{m'0}^{\ell*}(R') \\ &= \sum_{m'} D_{m'm}^{\ell}(R) Y_{m'}^{\ell}(\beta', \alpha'), \end{aligned}$$

With:

$$R' = R'(\alpha', \beta', \gamma') = R\Omega,$$

$$d\Omega = d\alpha' d\cos\beta',$$

$$U[R] |\ell m s m_s\rangle = \sum_{m' m'_s} D_{m'm}^{\ell}(R) D_{m'_s m_s}^s(R) |\ell m' s m'_s\rangle$$

Total spin J :

$$\begin{aligned} |JM\ell s\rangle &= \sum_{m m_s} (\ell m s m_s | JM) |\ell m s m_s\rangle \\ &= \sum_{\substack{m m_s \\ m_1 m_2}} (\ell m s m_s | JM) (s_1 m_1 s_2 m_2 | sm_s) \int d\Omega Y_m^\ell(\Omega) |\Omega m_1 m_2\rangle \end{aligned}$$

双粒子态

- Construction of two-particle helicity states

$$\begin{aligned} |\phi\theta\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle &= a U[\overset{\circ}{R}] \left\{ U[L_z(p)] |s_1\lambda_1\rangle U[L_{-z}(p)] |s_2 -\lambda_2\rangle \right\} \\ &\equiv U[\overset{\circ}{R}(\phi, \theta, 0)] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle , \end{aligned}$$

$$|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = \frac{N_J}{2\pi} \int dR D_{M\mu}^{J*}(R) U[R] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$$

$$U[R'] |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = \frac{N_J}{2\pi} \int dR D_{M\mu}^{J*}(R) U[R''] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$$

Use:

$$\begin{aligned} D_{M\mu}^{J*}(R) &= D_{M\mu}^{J*}(R'^{-1} R'') \\ &= \sum_{M'} D_{MM'}^{J*}(R'^{-1}) D_{M'\mu}^{J*}(R'') \\ &= \sum_{M'} D_{M'M}^J(R') D_{M'\mu}^{J*}(R'') . \end{aligned}$$

双粒子态(续)

$$U[R'] |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = \sum_{M'} D_{M'M}^J(R') |JM'\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$$

Specify R :

$$\begin{aligned} & U[R(\phi, \theta, \gamma)] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle \\ = & U[R(\phi, \theta, 0)] U[R(0, 0, \gamma)] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle \\ = & e^{-i(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)\gamma} U[R(\phi, \theta, 0)] |00\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle . \end{aligned}$$

Target:

$$|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = N_J \int d\Omega D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^{J*}(\phi, \theta, 0) |\phi\theta\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$$

双粒子态(续)

- Normalization

$$\langle \Omega' m'_1 m'_2 | \Omega m_1 m_2 \rangle = \delta^{(2)}(\Omega' - \Omega) \delta_{m_1 m'_1} \delta_{m_2 m'_2}$$

$$\langle \Omega' \lambda'_1 \lambda'_2 | \Omega \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \rangle = \delta^{(2)}(\Omega' - \Omega) \delta_{\lambda_1 \lambda'_1} \delta_{\lambda_2 \lambda'_2} .$$

$$\langle J' M' \ell' s' | J M \ell s \rangle = \delta_{JJ'} \delta_{MM'} \delta_{\ell\ell'} \delta_{ss'} . \quad \sum_{\substack{JM \\ \ell s}} |JM\ell s\rangle \langle JM\ell s| = I$$

$$\langle J' M' \lambda'_1 \lambda'_2 | J M \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \rangle = \delta_{JJ'} \delta_{MM'} \delta_{\lambda_1 \lambda'_1} \delta_{\lambda_2 \lambda'_2} , \quad \sum_{\substack{JM \\ \lambda_1 \lambda_2}} |JM\lambda_1 \lambda_2\rangle \langle JM\lambda_1 \lambda_2| = I$$

$$\langle \Omega \lambda'_1 \lambda'_2 | J M \lambda_1 \lambda_2 \rangle = N_J D_{M\lambda}^{J*}(\phi, \theta, 0) \delta_{\lambda_1 \lambda'_1} \delta_{\lambda_2 \lambda'_2}$$

双粒子态(续)

- relationship between canonical and helicity states

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\phi\theta\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle &= a U[\overset{\circ}{R}] \left\{ U[L_z(p)] |s_1\lambda_1\rangle U[L_{-z}(p)] |s_2-\lambda_2\rangle \right\} \\
 &= a U[L(\vec{p})] U[\overset{\circ}{R}] |s_1\lambda_1\rangle U[L(-\vec{p})] U[\overset{\circ}{R}] |s_2-\lambda_2\rangle \\
 &= \sum_{m_1 m_2} D_{m_1 \lambda_1}^{s_1}(\phi, \theta, 0) D_{m_2 -\lambda_2}^{s_2}(\phi, \theta, 0) |\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle ,
 \end{aligned}$$

$$|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = N_J \sum_{m_1 m_2} \int d\Omega D_{M\lambda}^{J*}(\phi, \theta, 0) D_{m_1 \lambda_1}^{s_1}(\phi, \theta, 0) D_{m_2 -\lambda_2}^{s_2}(\phi, \theta, 0) |\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle$$

Use: $D_{m_1 \lambda_1}^{s_1} D_{m_2 -\lambda_2}^{s_2} = \sum_{sm_s} (s_1 m_1 s_2 m_2 | sm_s) (s_1 \lambda_1 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda) D_{m_s \lambda}^s$

$$D_{M\lambda}^{J*} D_{m_s \lambda}^s = \sum_{\ell m} \sqrt{\frac{4\pi}{2\ell+1}} \left(\frac{2\ell+1}{2J+1} \right) (\ell m s m_s | JM) (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) Y_m^\ell .$$

$$|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = \sum_{\ell s} \left(\frac{2\ell+1}{2J+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) (s_1 \lambda_1 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda) | JM \ell s \rangle$$

双粒子态(续)

$$\langle J'M'\ell s | JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 \rangle = \left(\frac{2\ell+1}{2J+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) (s_1 \lambda_1 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda) \delta_{JJ'} \delta_{MM'}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |JM\ell s\rangle &= \sum_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle \langle JM\lambda_1\lambda_2| JM\ell s\rangle \\ &= \sum_{\lambda_1\lambda_2} \left(\frac{2\ell+1}{2J+1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) (s_1 \lambda_1 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda) |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle . \end{aligned}$$

- Symmetry relations

Parity operation: $\Pi |\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle = \eta_1 \eta_2 |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, m_1 m_2\rangle ,$

l - s coupled state: $\Pi |JM\ell s\rangle = \eta_1 \eta_2 (-)^\ell |JM\ell s\rangle ,$

Helicity state: $\Pi |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = \eta_1 \eta_2 (-)^{J-s_1-s_2} |JM -\lambda_1 -\lambda_2\rangle$

双粒子态(续)

- time reversal operation

$$\mathbb{T} |\phi\theta m_1 m_2\rangle = (-)^{s_1-m_1} (-)^{s_2-m_2} |\pi + \phi, \pi - \theta, -m_1 - m_2\rangle$$

l - s coupled state: $\mathbb{T} |JM\ell s\rangle = (-)^{J-M} |J - M\ell s\rangle$

Helicity state: $\mathbb{T} |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle = (-)^{J-M} |J - M\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$

- identical particle symmetry

$$|JM\ell s\rangle_s = a_s [1 + (-)^{2s_1} \mathbb{P}_{12}] |JM\ell s\rangle$$

l - s coupled state:

$$\mathbb{P}_{12} |JM\ell s\rangle = (-)^{\ell+s-2s_1} |JM\ell s\rangle$$

or $|JM\ell s\rangle_s = a_s [1 + (-)^{\ell+s}] |JM\ell s\rangle$

双粒子态(续)

- identical particle symmetry (continued)

Helicity state: $|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle_s = b_s(\lambda_1\lambda_2)[1 + (-)^{2s_1} \mathbb{P}_{12}] |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle$

or $|JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle_s = b_s(\lambda_1\lambda_2) \{ |JM\lambda_1\lambda_2\rangle + (-)^J |JM\lambda_2\lambda_1\rangle \}$

- Two body decays $J \rightarrow 1 + 2$

particle	J	1	2
spin	J	s_1	s_2
helicity	M	λ_1	λ_2
parity	η	η_1	η_2
momentum	$(\omega, \vec{0})$	(E_1, \vec{p})	$(E_2, -\vec{p})$

双粒子态(续)

- Two body decays $J \rightarrow 1 + 2$ (cont.)

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \langle \vec{p}\lambda_1; -\vec{p}\lambda_2 | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \\
&= 4\pi \left(\frac{w}{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \langle \phi\theta\lambda_1\lambda_2 | JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 \rangle \langle JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \\
&= N_J F_{\lambda_1\lambda_2}^J D_{M\lambda}^{J*}(\phi, \theta, 0), \quad \lambda = \lambda_1 - \lambda_2 ,
\end{aligned}$$

Helicity decay amplitude:

$$F_{\lambda_1\lambda_2}^J = 4\pi \left(\frac{w}{p}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \langle JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle$$

Expansion in l - s coupling

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle &= \sum_{\ell s} \langle JM\lambda_1\lambda_2 | JM\ell s \rangle \langle JM\ell s | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \\
&= \sum_{\ell s} \left(\frac{2\ell+1}{2J+1}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}} (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) (s_1 \lambda_1 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda) \langle JM\ell s | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

双粒子态(续)

- Two body decays $J \rightarrow 1 + 2$ (cont.)

$$F_{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}^J = \sum_{\ell s} \left(\frac{2\ell + 1}{2J + 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} a_{\ell s}^J (\ell 0 s \lambda | J \lambda) (s_1 \lambda_2 s_2 - \lambda_2 | s \lambda)$$

with partial-wave amplitude $a_{\ell s}$

$$a_{\ell s}^J = 4\pi \left(\frac{w}{p} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \langle JM \ell s | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \quad \sum_{\lambda_1 \lambda_2} |F_{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}^J|^2 = \sum_{\ell s} |a_{\ell s}^J|^2$$

- If decay conserves parity

$$F_{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}^J = \eta \eta_1 \eta_2 (-)^{J-s_1-s_2} F_{-\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}^J$$

- If 1 and 2 are identical particle

$$F_{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}^J = (-)^J F_{\lambda_2 \lambda_1}^J$$

双粒子态(续)

- Example

Give a process $e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-$, calculate the electron angular distribution.

Helicity: $J/\psi(M)$, $e^+(\lambda_1)$, $e^-(\lambda_2)$, decay amp. F_{λ_1,λ_2}

$$A = D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^{1*}(\phi, \theta, 0) F_{\lambda_1,\lambda_2} \rightarrow$$

$$|A|^2 = \sum_{\substack{M=\pm 1, \\ \lambda_1, \lambda_2 = \pm 1/2}} D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^{1*}(\phi, \theta, 0) D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^1(\phi, \theta, 0) |F_{\lambda_1,\lambda_2}|^2$$

$\propto (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$ (assuming helicity conservation)

三粒子态

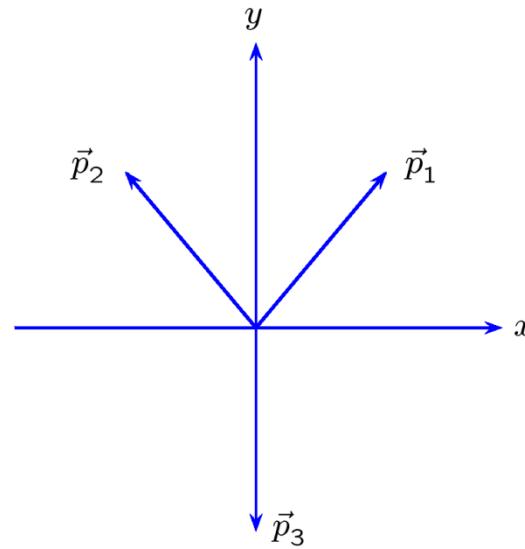
- Three particle state

In standard orientation:

$$|000, E_i \lambda_i\rangle = b \prod_{i=1}^3 |\vec{p}_i s_i \lambda_i\rangle$$

with $|\vec{p}_i s_i \lambda_i\rangle = U[R_i L_z(p_i)] |s_i \lambda_i\rangle$

$$R_i = R(\phi_i, \pi/2, 0)$$



Standard orientation system

In arbitrary orientation

$$|\alpha\beta\gamma, E_i \lambda_i\rangle = U[R(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)] |000, E_i \lambda_i\rangle$$

Normalization: $\rightarrow b = 8\pi^2 \sqrt{4\pi}$

$$\langle \alpha'\beta'\gamma', E'_i \lambda'_i | \alpha\beta\gamma, E_i \lambda_i \rangle = \delta^{(3)}(R' - R) \delta(E'_1 - E_1) \delta(E'_2 - E_2) \prod_i \delta_{\lambda_i \lambda'_i}$$

三粒子态(续)

- State with momentum J

$$|JM\mu, E_i \lambda_i\rangle = \frac{N_J}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int dR D_{M\mu}^{J*}(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) |\alpha\beta\gamma, E_i \lambda_i\rangle$$

Rotation transformation:

$$U[R'] |JM\mu, E_i \lambda_i\rangle = \sum_{M'} D_{M'M}^J(R') |JM'\mu, E_i \lambda_i\rangle$$

it shows that μ is invariant, identified as the z-component of angular momentum.

- parity operation

$$\Pi |JM\mu, E_i \lambda_i\rangle = \eta_1 \eta_2 \eta_3 (-)^{s_1 + s_2 + s_3 - \mu} |JM\mu, E_i -\lambda_i\rangle$$

- identical particle symmetry

$$\mathbb{P}_{12} |\alpha\beta\gamma, E_1 \lambda_1, E_2 \lambda_2, E_3 \lambda_3\rangle = |\pi + \alpha, \pi - \beta, \pi - \gamma, E_2 \lambda_2, E_1 \lambda_1, E_3 \lambda_3\rangle$$

三粒子态(续)

- identical particle symmetry (cont.)

$$\mathbb{P}_{12}|JM\mu, E_1\lambda_1, E_2\lambda_2, E_3\lambda_3\rangle = (-)^{J+\mu}|JM -\mu, E_2\lambda_2, E_1\lambda_1, E_3\lambda_3\rangle$$

- normalization

$$\langle J'M'\mu'E'_i\lambda'_i|J M\mu E_i\lambda_i\rangle$$

$$= \delta_{JJ'}\delta_{MM'}\delta_{\mu\mu'}\delta(E_1 - E'_1)\delta(E_2 - E'_2) \prod_i \delta_{\lambda_i\lambda'_i}$$

- completeness relation

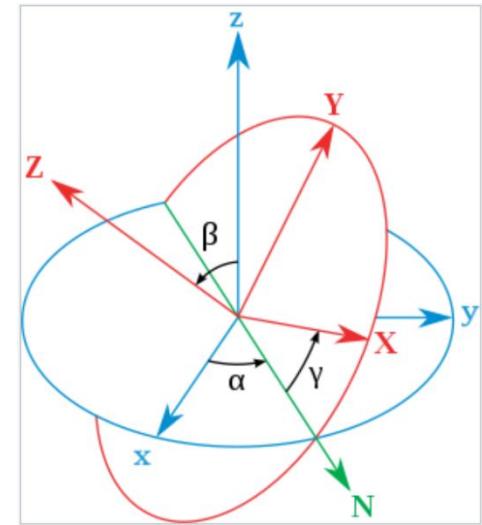
$$\sum_{\substack{JM \\ \mu\lambda_i}} \int |JM\mu E_i\lambda_i\rangle dE_1 dE_2 \langle JM\mu E_i\lambda_i| = I$$

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- decay amplitude

Decay $J \rightarrow s_1 + s_2 + s_3$, with orientation (α, β, γ)

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \langle \alpha\beta\gamma, E_i\lambda_i | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \\ &= \langle \alpha\beta\gamma, E_i\lambda_i | JM\mu E_i\lambda_i \rangle \langle JM\mu E_i\lambda_i | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle \\ &= \frac{N_J}{\sqrt{2\pi}} F_\mu^J(E_i\lambda_i) D_{M\mu}^{J*}(\alpha\beta\gamma) \end{aligned}$$



Helicity amplitude: $F_\mu^j(E_i\lambda_i) = \langle JM\mu E_i\lambda_i | \mathcal{M} | JM \rangle$

Parity conservation: $F_\mu^J(E_i\lambda_i) = \eta\eta_1\eta_2\eta_3(-)^{s_1+s_2+s_3+\mu} F_\mu^j(E_i - \lambda_i)$

Identical particle symmetry:

$$F_\mu^J(E_1\lambda_1, E_2\lambda_2, E_3\lambda_3) = \pm (-)^{J+\mu} F_{-\mu}^J(E_2\lambda_2, E_1\lambda_1, E_3\lambda_3)$$

e.g. $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$

两体→两体过程的S矩阵

- $2 \rightarrow 2$ process: $a + b \rightarrow c + d$

particle	a	b	c	d
spin	s_a	s_b	s_c	s_d
helicity	λ_a	λ_b	λ_c	λ_d
momentum	$\vec{p}_a = \vec{p}_i$	$\vec{p}_b = -\vec{p}_i$	$\vec{p}_c = \vec{p}_f$	$\vec{p}_d = -\vec{p}_f$
Angles	(0,0)		$\Omega_0(\theta, \phi)$	

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \vec{p}_c \lambda_c; \vec{p}_d \lambda_d | S | \vec{p}_a \lambda_a; \vec{p}_b \lambda_b \rangle &= \langle \vec{p}_f \lambda_c; -\vec{p}_f \lambda_d | S | \vec{p}_i \lambda_a; -\vec{p}_i \lambda_b \rangle \\
 &= (4\pi)^2 \frac{w_0}{\sqrt{p_f p_i}} \langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | S | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | S | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle = (2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p_c + p_d - p_a - p_b) \langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | S(w_0) | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle$$

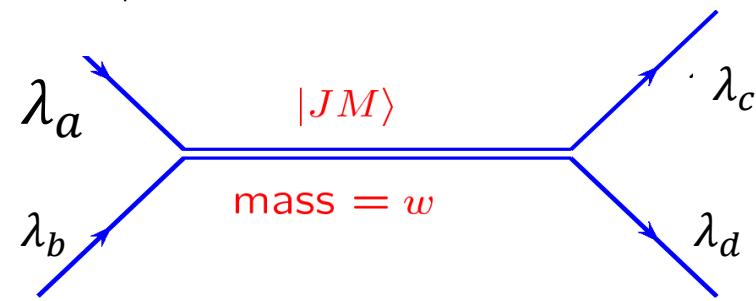
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T -matrix: $S = 1 + iT$

$$(2\pi)^4 \delta^{(4)}(p_c + p_d - p_a - p_b) \mathcal{M}_{fi} = \langle p_c \lambda_c; p_d \lambda_d | T | p_a \lambda_a; p_b \lambda_b \rangle$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{fi} = (4\pi)^2 \frac{w_0}{\sqrt{p_f p_i}} \langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | T(w_0) | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_0} = \frac{p_f}{p_i} \left| \frac{\mathcal{M}_{fi}}{8\pi w_0} \right|^2$$



$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | T(w_0) | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle &= \sum_{JM} \langle \Omega_0 \lambda_c \lambda_d | JM \lambda_c \lambda_d \rangle \langle JM \lambda_c \lambda_d | T(w_0) | JM \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle \\ &\quad \times \langle JM \lambda_a \lambda_b | 00 \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \sum_J (2J+1) \langle \lambda_c \lambda_d | T^J(w_0) | \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle D_{\lambda \lambda'}^{J*}(\phi_0, \theta_0, 0) \end{aligned}$$

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- Scattering amplitude

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_0} = |f(\Omega_0)|^2 \quad f(\Omega_0) = \frac{(p_f/p_i)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{8\pi w_0} \mathcal{M}_{fi} .$$

$$f(\Omega_0) = \frac{1}{p_i} \sum_J \left(J + \frac{1}{2} \right) \langle \lambda_c \lambda_d | T^J(w_0) | \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle D_{\lambda \lambda'}^{J*}(\phi_0, \theta_0, 0) .$$

- relationship of S - T matrix

$$\langle \lambda_c \lambda_d | S^J(w_0) | \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle = \delta_{fi} \delta_{\lambda_c \lambda_a} \delta_{\lambda_d \lambda_b} + i \langle \lambda_c \lambda_d | T^J(w) | \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle$$

- parity conservation

$$\langle -\lambda_c - \lambda_d | S^J(w_0) | -\lambda_a - \lambda_b \rangle = \eta \langle \lambda_c \lambda_d | S^J(w_0) | \lambda_a \lambda_b \rangle$$

with $\eta = \frac{\eta_c \eta_d}{\eta_a \eta_b} (-)^{s_c + s_d - s_a - s_b}$

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- Example

Give a process $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$, calculate the muon angular distribution.

Helicity: $\gamma^*(\lambda)$, $e^+(\lambda_1)$, $e^-(\lambda_2)$, decay amp. F_{λ_1,λ_2}

$$A = D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^{1*}(\phi, \theta, 0) F_{\lambda_1,\lambda_2} \rightarrow$$

$$|A|^2 = \sum_{\substack{M=\pm 1, \\ \lambda_1, \lambda_2 = \pm 1/2}} D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^{1*}(\phi, \theta, 0) D_{M,\lambda_1-\lambda_2}^1(\phi, \theta, 0) |F_{\lambda_1,\lambda_2}|^2$$

$\propto (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$ (assuming helicity conservation)