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Possible Bound States of $J/\psi J/\psi$ from Two Pion Exchange

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Is the existence of a J/ψJ/ψ bound state plausible?
X.-K. Dong, V. Baru, F.-K. Guo, C. Hanhart, A. Nefediev and B.-S. Zou, arxiv:2107.03946



- > Background: Experimental signals of $cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$ states
- ► Interactions between J/ ψ J/ ψ : soft gluon exchange \rightarrow two pion exchange + ...
- > Possible bound states of $J/\psi J/\psi$

Background — X(6900) in LHCb measurement





Figure 3: Invariant mass spectra of weighted di- J/ψ candidates with $p_{\rm T}^{{\rm di-}J/\psi} > 5.2 \,{\rm GeV}/c$ and overlaid projections of the $p_{\rm T}^{{\rm di-}J/\psi}$ -threshold fit using (a) the NRSPS plus DPS model, (b) model I, and (c) model II.



Compact tetraquarks?

Predictions dated back to 1970s

- R.L. Jaffe, PRD15, 267(1977),
- K.-T. Chao, Z.Phys.C7, 317(1981),
- A. M. Badalian etal, PRD25,2370(1982), ...

Many theoretical investigations

Molecular configurations?

Hints of X(6200) in LHCb data, X.-K. Dong et al, PRL126,132001(2021), Z.-R. Liang et al, arXiv:2104.08589

What's the binding mechanism???

Background — Hints of a J/ ψ J/ ψ molecule





X.-K. Dong et al, PRL126,132001(2021)

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X.-K. Dong et al, PRL126,132001(2021),

 \succ Compositeness of X(6200)

 $ar{X}_A = (1+2|r_0/a_0|)^{-1/2}$ I. Matusche et al, EPJA57(2021)3,101

 $\bar{X}_A = 1$ for molecules and 0 for compact state .

Large molecular component in X(6200) in 3-channel fit.

Background — Hints of a J/ ψ J/ ψ molecule





Existence of X(6200) confirmed

Interactions between J/ ψ J/ ψ

Two pion exchange





- $$\begin{split} & \flat \psi \pi \pi \text{ coupling related to the chromopolarisabilities, } \alpha_{AB} \text{, satisfying} \\ & \alpha_{J/\psi J/\psi} \alpha_{\psi(2S)\psi(2S)} \geq \alpha_{\psi(2S)J/\psi}^2 \text{.} \quad \text{A. Sibirtsev et al, PRD71, 076005(2005)} \end{split}$$
- ► Difference between $\psi(2S)$ and J/ψ estimated: $\xi \equiv \frac{\alpha_{J/\psi J/\psi}}{\alpha_{\psi(2S)J/\psi}} \approx 1 \sim 3$ quark model wavefunction & $J/\psi\pi$ scattering length
- \blacktriangleright ψ(2S)J/ψππ coupling from BESII data on ψ(2S) → J/ψππ decay.

[BES Collaboration], PLB645, 19 (2007)

- Non-perturbative interaction of scalar-isoscalar $\pi\pi$ and $K\overline{K}$ channel considered.
- Potentials via dispersive relation.

$\psi\psi\pi\pi$ coupling



Lagrangian from HQSS

$$\mathcal{L}_{\psi_{\alpha}\psi_{\beta}\Phi\Phi} = \frac{c_{1}^{(\alpha\beta)}}{2} \left\langle J_{\beta}^{\dagger}J_{\alpha} \right\rangle \operatorname{Tr}[u_{\mu}u^{\mu}] + \frac{c_{2}^{(\alpha\beta)}}{2} \left\langle J_{\beta}^{\dagger}J_{\alpha} \right\rangle \operatorname{Tr}[u_{\mu}u_{\nu}]v^{\mu}v^{\nu} + \mathrm{H.c.}$$

Amplitude of $\psi(2S) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi$ reads > $\mathcal{M}_1(s) = \Omega_{11}^S(s)\mathcal{M}^S(s;m_\pi) + \Omega_{12}^S(s)\frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\mathcal{M}^S(s;m_K)$ $\mathcal{M}_{\pi\pi}(s,\theta) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \left[\mathcal{M}_1(s) + \Omega^D(s) P_2(\cos\theta) \mathcal{M}^D(s;m_\pi) \right]$ 2 Re 1 Im 0 Ω_{12} Ω_{11} 0 -22 0 2 1 0 \sqrt{s} [GeV] \sqrt{s} [GeV]

Omnes data from S. Ropertz et al, EPJC78, 1000(2018)

Fitting BESII data





Potential





$J/\psi J/\psi$ molecular states

Solving Lippmann-Schwinger equation



$$T(E;k',k) = V_{\text{tot}}^{S}(k',k,\Lambda) + \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^{3}l}{(2\pi)^{3}} \frac{V_{\text{tot}}^{S}(k',l,\Lambda) T(E;l,k)}{E - l^{2}/M_{J/\psi} + i\epsilon}$$

- ▶ Parameters: $\Lambda(1 \sim 3 \text{ GeV})$, $\xi(1 \sim 3)$ and V_{ct} in GeV^{-2}
- Poles for $\xi = 1$. Solid for bound states and dashed for virtual states



XKD—Is the existence of a $J/\psi J/\psi$ bound state plausible

Plausible?



- Contact term + two pion (kaon) exchange leads to a molecule of $J/\psi J/\psi$
- > We take it plausible if two pion (kaon) exchange has sizeable contributions to the binding of $J/\psi J/\psi$, characterized by the ratio

$$\frac{V_{\rm exch}^S(k'=0,k=0,\Lambda)}{V_{\rm tot}^S(k'=0,k=0,\Lambda)}\gtrsim 1/2$$

- The pole position is fixed to be 1 MeV below the threshold.
- Solid for bound states, dashed for virtual states.



Summary



- Experimental hints of a states near $J/\psi J/\psi$ threshold, with possible molecular nature
- Soft gluon exchange between $J/\psi J/\psi$ described by two pion and kaon exchange.
- Coupling constants of $\psi\psi\pi\pi$ coupling extracted from BESII data on $\psi(2S) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi\pi$ decay
- > $J/\psi J/\psi \pi \pi$ coupling is argued to be $1 \sim 3$ times of $\psi(2S)J/\psi \pi \pi$ coupling
- With reasonable cutoff Λ , two pion and kaon exchange provide sizeable contribution to the $J/\psi J/\psi$ attraction.
- > The binding of $J/\psi J/\psi$ system is plausible, given our current understanding of hadron-hadron interaction.
- > Take a look at $J/\psi e^+e^-$ or $J/\psi \mu^+\mu^-$ channels.

Thank you!