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***Meson-meson scattering in 2D QCD***

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# The 't Hooft model (1+1D QCD, large-N limit)

*The Lagrangian*

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{4} \text{tr}(G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu}) + \sum_a \bar{q}^a (i\gamma \cdot D - m^a) q^a$$

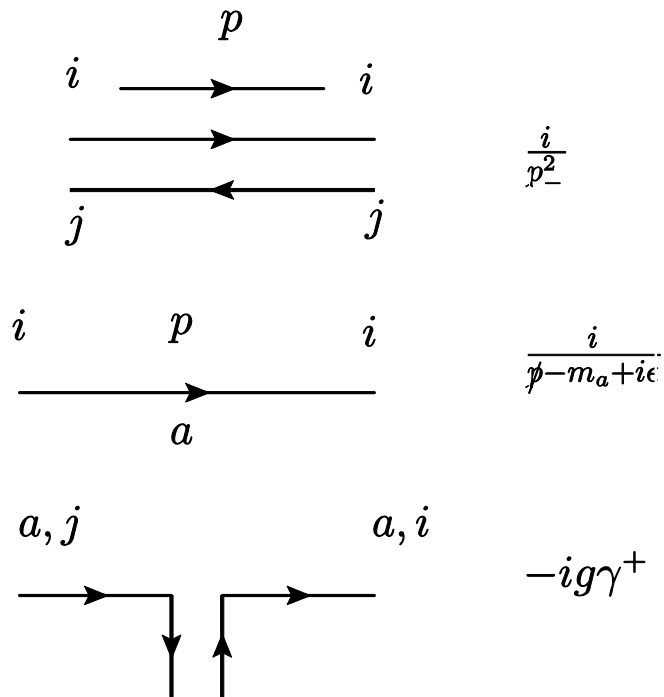
With a SU(N) gauge symmetry, where  $g^2 N = \text{const}$ ,  $N \rightarrow \infty$  (Large-N limit).



Light cone gauge  
 $A^+ = 0$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} \text{tr}((\partial_- A^-)^2) + \sum_a \bar{q}^a (i\gamma^\mu \partial_\mu - g\gamma^+ A_+ - m^a) q^a$$

## The Feynman Rules



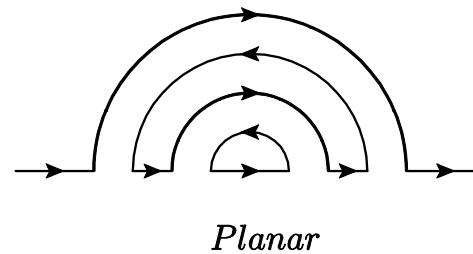
An infrared cutoff in  $p_-$  integration

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{p_+}{2\pi} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{-\lambda} + \int_{\lambda}^{\infty} \frac{dp_-}{2\pi} \right)$$

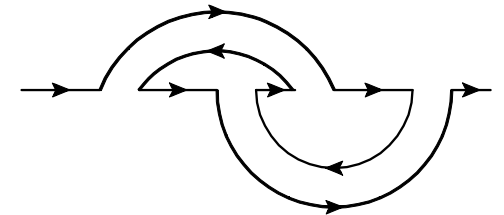
Phys.Rev.D 13.1649 by C G.Callan, Jr.Nigel Coote and D J.Gross

# The Dyson-Schwinger equation for dressed quark propagator

Closed color loop provide a factor of N



*Higher order of 1/N*



The leading order diagram for the DS equation

$$\begin{array}{c} i \quad a \quad i \\ \text{---} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} i \quad a \quad i \\ \text{---} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} i \quad \text{---} \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{---} \end{array} \quad \text{---} \quad i \\ a \end{array}$$

The coefficient of the  $\gamma^+$  of the dressed quark propagator

$$\tilde{s}_a(p) = \frac{1}{2p^- - \frac{m_a^2 - \frac{g^2 N}{\pi}}{p^+} - \frac{g^2 N}{\pi} \frac{\text{Sgn}(p^+)}{\lambda} + i\epsilon \text{Sgn}(p^+)}$$

Callan et al. PRD (1976)

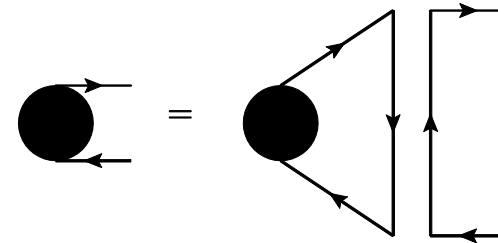
The leading order diagram of Bethe-Salpeter Equation

The 't Hooft Equation

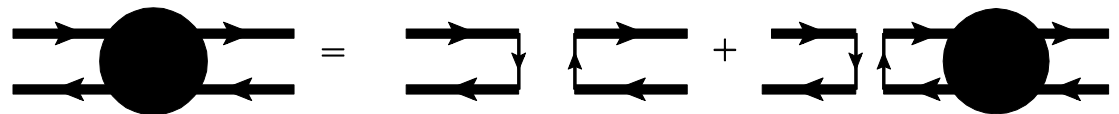
$$\mu_k^2 \varphi_k(x) = \left( \frac{\gamma_1}{x} + \frac{\gamma_2}{1-x} \right) \varphi_k(x) + \int_0^1 dy \frac{\varphi_k(x) - \varphi_k(y)}{(x-y)^2}.$$

$$\gamma_a = \frac{\pi m_a^2}{g^2 N}$$

't Hooft.Gerard, Nucl.Phys. B75,461-470 (1974)



The leading order diagram of quark-antiquark scattering amplitude



Quantum theory of field. Volume 1, 10.2 polology  
S. Weinberg

$$G \rightarrow \frac{-2i\sqrt{\mathbf{q}^2 + m^2}}{q^2 + m^2 - i\epsilon} (2\pi)^7 \delta^4(q_1 + \cdots + q_n) \\ \times \sum_{\sigma} M_{0,\mathbf{q},\sigma}(q_2 \cdots q_r) M_{\mathbf{q},\sigma|0}(q_{r+2} \cdots q_n)$$

The quark-antiquark

$$T(x', x; r) = \frac{ig^2}{r_-^2(x' - x)^2} - \sum_k \frac{i}{(r^2 - r_k^2)} \left\{ \phi_k^*(x') \frac{2g}{\lambda} \left( \frac{g^2 N}{\pi} \right)^{1/2} \left[ \theta(x'(1 - x')) + \frac{\lambda}{2|r_-|} \left( \frac{\gamma_a - 1}{x'} + \frac{\gamma_b - 1}{1 - x'} - \mu_k^2 \right) \right] \right\} \\ \times \left\{ \phi_k(x) \frac{2g}{\lambda} \left( \frac{g^2 N}{\pi} \right)^{1/2} \left[ \theta(x(1 - x)) + \frac{\lambda}{2|r_-|} \left( \frac{\gamma_a - 1}{x} + \frac{\gamma_b - 1}{1 - x} - \mu_k^2 \right) \right] \right\}$$

Callan et al. PRD13,1649(1976)

The form factor

$$\Phi_k^{1,2}(x) = \varphi_k(x) \frac{g^2}{|r_-|} \sqrt{\frac{N_c}{\pi}} \left[ \theta(x(1 - x)) \frac{2|r_-|}{\lambda} + \frac{\gamma_1 - 1}{x} + \frac{\gamma_2 - 1}{1 - x} - \mu_k^2 \right].$$

# Decay amplitude

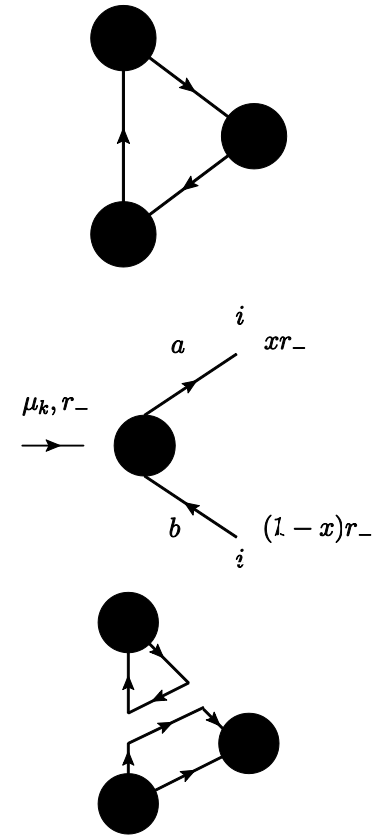
The leading order diagram of the 1 meson  $\rightarrow$  2 mesons Decay

A meson with momentum  $r_-$  decay to a pair of quark propagators are described by the form factor  $\Phi_k^{a,b}(x)$

This kind of diagram is counted by the form factor

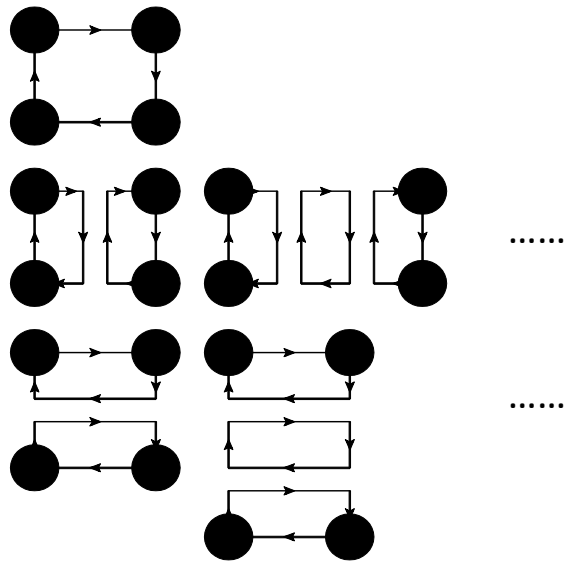
Analytically solved in Callan et al. PRD13,1649(1976) and J.C.F Barbon et al.,Nucl.Phys. B434,109 (1995)

Some numerical results is shown in J.C.F Barbon et al.,Nucl.Phys. B434,109 (1995) and E.Abdalla,R.Mohayee,arxiv:hep-th/9610059(1997)

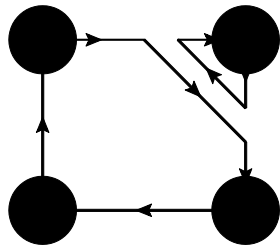




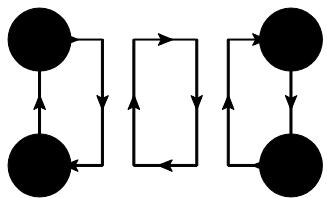
# The leading order 2 mesons $\rightarrow$ 2 mesons Scattering in the $1/N$ -expression



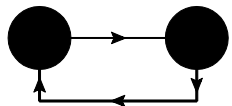
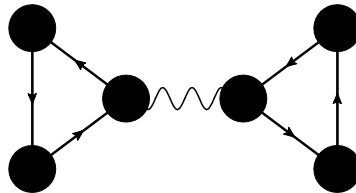
The leading order diagram of the scattering



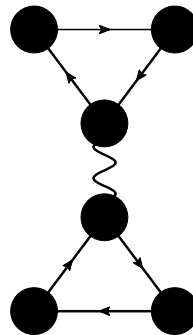
Counted by the form factor



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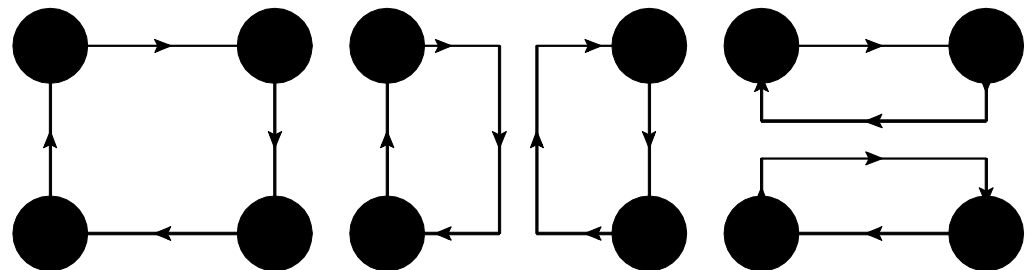


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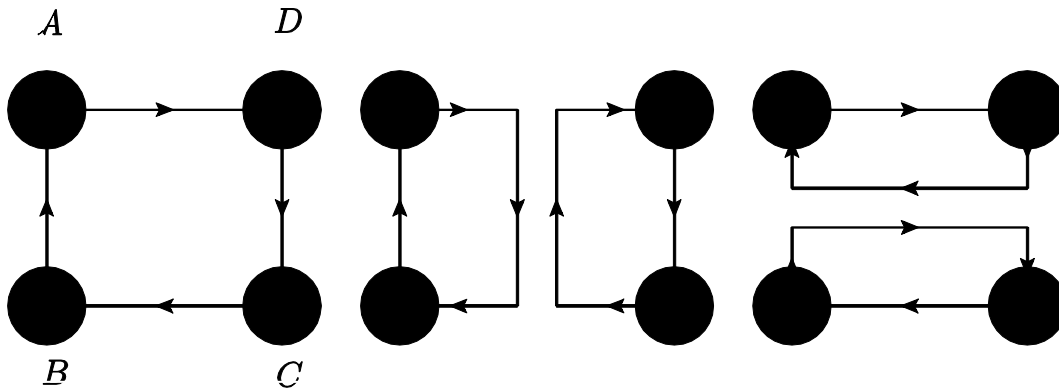


We didn't calculate the one meson exchange diagram

We only calculated the contact diagram

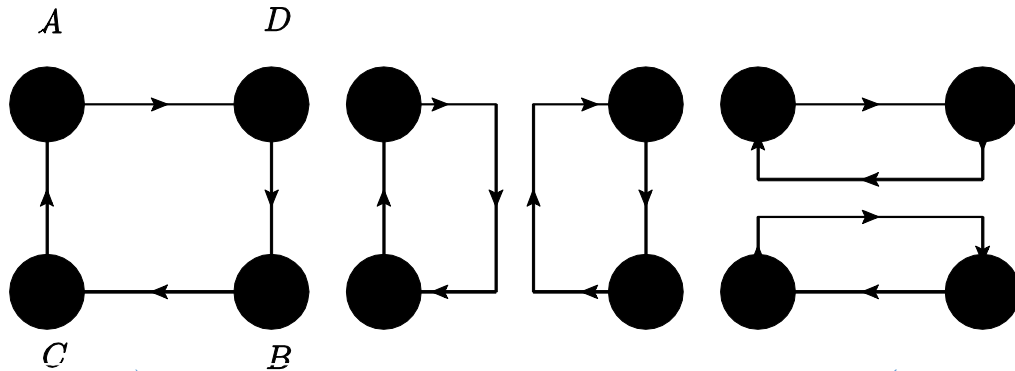


For a particular scattering:  $A+B \rightarrow C+D$



No  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  in each diagram

The results are  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  independent



The  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  of the 1<sup>st</sup> diagram is canceled by the other 2 diagrams

## Some analytic results

### 1.Two-flavor:

$$A(q^a \bar{q}^b) + B(q^b \bar{q}^a) \rightarrow C(q^a \bar{q}^b) + D(q^b \bar{q}^a)$$

$$i\mathcal{M} = (1 + \mathcal{P})(1 + \mathcal{C})i\mathcal{M}_0.$$

$$i\mathcal{M}_0 = \theta(\omega_2 - \omega_1) i 4g^2 \omega_1 \int_0^1 dx \int_0^1 dy \frac{1}{(y\omega_1 - \omega_2 - x)^2} \varphi_A\left(\frac{\omega_2 - \omega_1 + x}{\omega_2 - \omega_1 + 1}\right) \varphi_B(y) \varphi_C(x) \varphi_D\left(\frac{y\omega_1}{\omega_2}\right),$$

$$\omega_1 = \frac{r_{B-}}{r_{C-}}$$

$$\omega_2 = \frac{r_{D-}}{r_{C-}}$$

### 2.Single-flavor:

$$A(q^a \bar{q}^a) + B(q^a \bar{q}^a) \rightarrow C(q^a \bar{q}^a) + D(q^a \bar{q}^a)$$

$$i\mathcal{M} = (1 + \mathcal{R})(1 + \mathcal{P})(1 + \mathcal{C})i\mathcal{M}_0 + (1 + \mathcal{R})i\mathcal{M}_1,$$

$$\begin{aligned} i\mathcal{M}_1 = & \left\{ -\theta(1 - \omega_1) i 4g^2 \int_0^1 dx P \int_0^1 dy \frac{\omega_1 \omega_2}{[(y-1)\omega_1 + (1-x)\omega_2]^2} \varphi_A\left(\frac{x\omega_2}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}\right) \varphi_B(y) \varphi_C(y\omega_1) \varphi_D(x) \right. \\ & \left. + (B \leftrightarrow C, A \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow 1/\omega_1, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}{\omega_1}) \right\} + \\ & \left\{ -\theta(\omega_2 - \omega_1) i 4g^2 \int_0^1 dx P \int_0^1 dy \frac{\omega_1}{(y\omega_1 - x)^2} \varphi_A\left(\frac{x + \omega_2 - \omega_1}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}\right) \varphi_B(y) \varphi_C(x) \varphi_D\left(\frac{(y-1)\omega_1 + \omega_2}{\omega_2}\right) \right. \\ & \left. + (A \leftrightarrow C, B \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_2}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_1}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}) \right\} + \\ & \left\{ -\theta(\omega_2 - \omega_1) \theta(\omega_1 - 1) i \frac{4\pi}{N_c} \int_0^1 dx \left[ 2r_{C+} r_{C-} + 2r_{D+} r_{C-} + \frac{M_a^2}{x - \omega_1} + \frac{M_a^2}{x - 1} - \frac{M_a^2}{x - \omega_1 + \omega_2} - \frac{M_a^2}{x} \right] \right. \\ & \times \varphi_A\left(\frac{x - \omega_1 + \omega_2}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}\right) \varphi_B(x/\omega_1) \varphi_C(x) \varphi_D\left(\frac{x - \omega_1 + \omega_2}{\omega_2}\right) + (A \leftrightarrow D, B \leftrightarrow C, \omega_1 \rightarrow 1/\omega_1, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}{\omega_1}) \\ & \left. + (A \leftrightarrow B, C \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}{\omega_2}, \omega_2 \rightarrow 1/\omega_2) + (A \leftrightarrow C, B \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_2}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_1}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}) \right\}, \end{aligned}$$

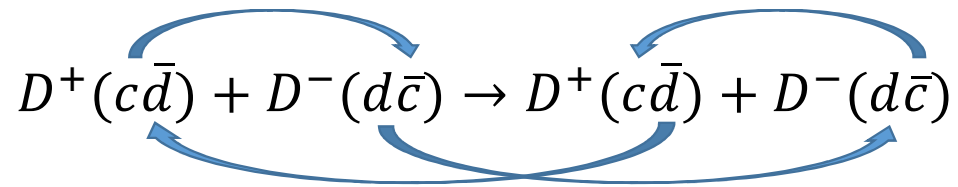
$$C: (A \leftrightarrow C, B \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_2}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1})$$

$$P: (A \leftrightarrow B, C \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{1 + \omega_2 - \omega_1}{\omega_2}, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{\omega_2})$$

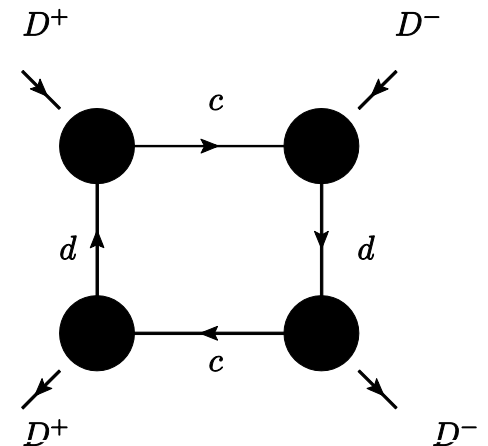
$$R: (C \leftrightarrow D, \omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}, \omega_2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{\omega_2})$$

# Example for scattering process with nonvanishing amplitude

A 2-flavor example

$$D^+(c\bar{d}) + D^-(d\bar{c}) \rightarrow D^+(c\bar{d}) + D^-(d\bar{c})$$


1. The line between two incoming(outgoing) mesons should connect an quark and an antiquark of a same flavor.
2. The line Between one incoming and one outgoing mesons should connect two quark(antiquark) of a same flavor.



# Numerical description

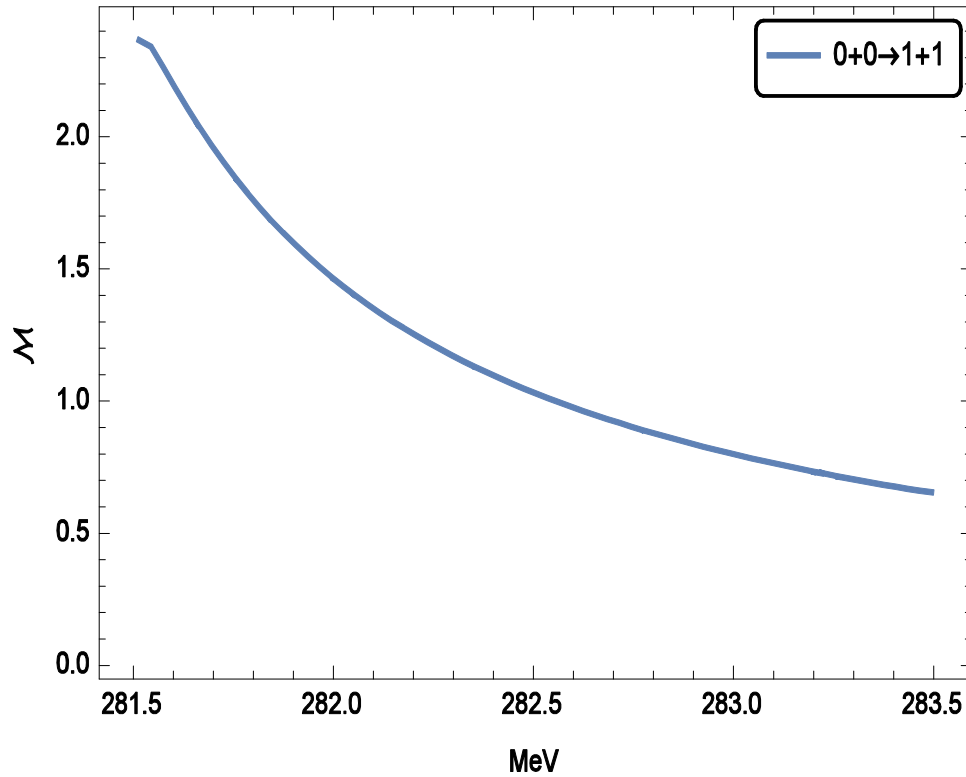
(only 1 free parameter in the center-of-mass frame)

1.Two-flavor:  $A(q^a \bar{q}^b) + B(q^b \bar{q}^a) \rightarrow C(q^a \bar{q}^b) + D(q^b \bar{q}^a)$

Amp: Threshold: 281.514 MeV

Quark mass: 60 80 MeV

Meson mass: 140.322 140.322 140.757 140.757 MeV

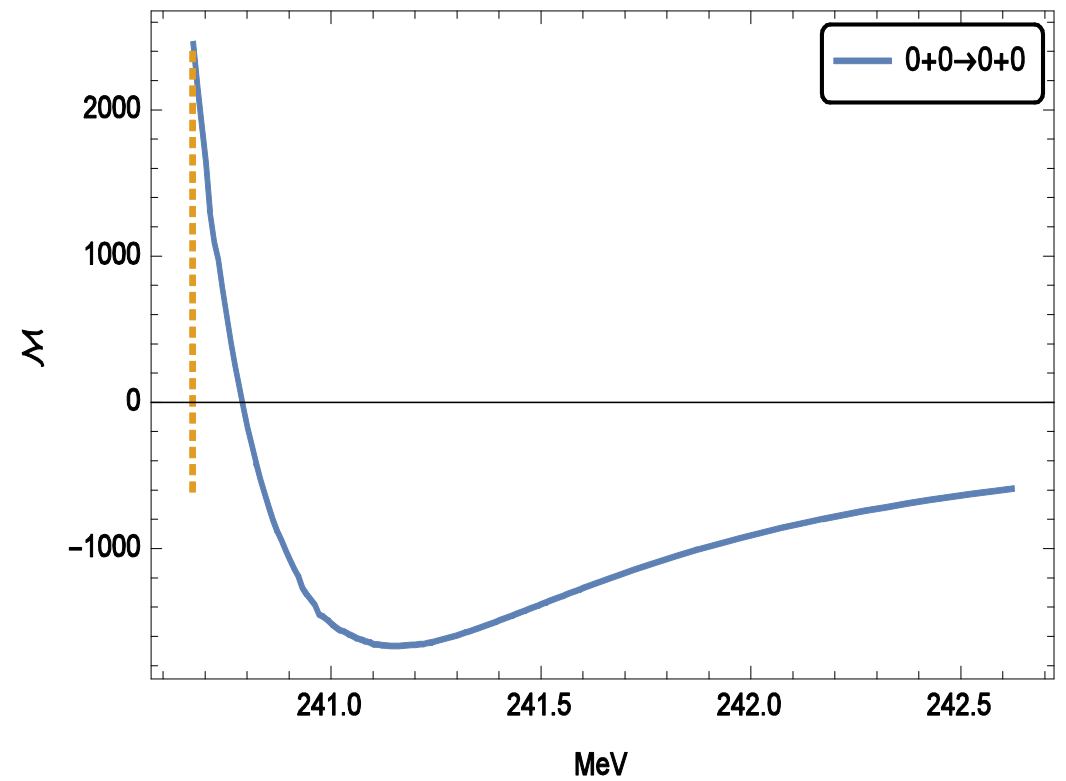


2.Single-flavor:  $A(q^a \bar{q}^a) + B(q^a \bar{q}^a) \rightarrow C(q^a \bar{q}^a) + D(q^a \bar{q}^a)$

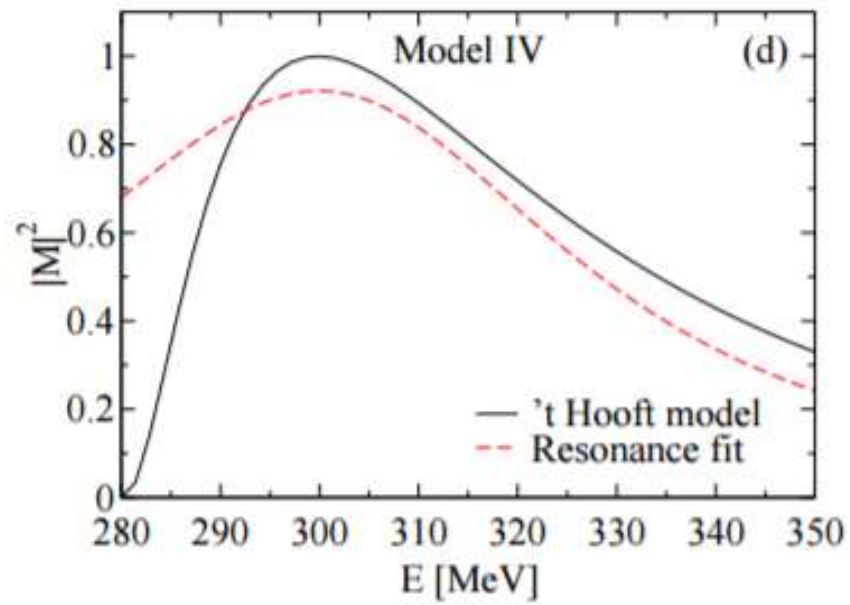
Amp: Threshold: 240.671 MeV

Quark mass: 60 MeV

Meson mass: 120.335 120.335 120.335 120.335 MeV



Z Batiz et al. PRC(2004), incomplete



$g$	2500
$m_{01}$	6.0
$m_{02}$	5.0

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = \tilde{g}^4 \frac{1}{(s - m_r^2)^2 + m_i^4}$$

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 \approx \tilde{g}^4 \frac{\Gamma^2/4}{(E - E_R)^2 + \Gamma^2/4}$$

## Summary and outlook

1. Calculate the leading order of the meson-meson scattering amplitude analytically via the Feynman Diagram and the form factor, which is showed  $\frac{1}{\lambda}$  independent.
2. Classify the possible 2-2 processes of different flavors with nonvanishing amplitude.
3. A numerical description of the result. So far we don't see whether there would be tetraquark states or not.
4. We are going to calculate the full amplitude of the meson-meson scattering.



Thank you