The Roper resonance from spatially large interpolation fields

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Motivation

- Radial excitation of nucleon
- Roper mass experimental value: 1440 MeV ($\Gamma \approx 300$ MeV)





Keh-Fei Liu et al., arXiv:1403.6847 (2014)

Ground State Elimination (GSE) method

Consider two correlators

$$C_1 = A_1 e^{-m_0 t} + B_1 e^{-m_1 t} + \cdots$$
$$C_2 = A_2 e^{-m_0 t} + B_2 e^{-m_1 t} + \cdots$$

$$\exists a, b \Rightarrow aC_1 + bC_2 \sim e^{-m_1 t} + \cdots$$



Lattices used

- RBC/UKQCD 2+1 flavor domain wall $24^3 \times 64$, a ≈ 0.112 fm, $m_{\pi} = 330$ MeV, with overlap fermion on top, 200 configurations
- JLab 2+1 flavor anisotropic clover 24³ \times 128, a \approx 0.123 fm, m_{\pi} = 390 MeV, 760 configurations



Steps

- 1. Take two correlators C_1 , C_2
- 2. Fit for proton, note the fitting window



- 3. Take linear combination of the two correlators with parameter *a*: $C = C_1 + aC_2$
- 4. For each jackknife sample, fit C to zero in the proton fitting window to fix a
- 5. For each jackknife sample, fit *C* for mass of the 1st excited state.



γQCD

Overlap on domain wall





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Anisotropic Clover



Smeared source (RMS $r \approx$ 1.1 fm), point sink







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 $a^{-1}=1.77 GeV, m_{l}a=0.005$





Point source, point sink





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Cause of Discrepency

Size of operator. Source should cover node of roper wave function.





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Summary

- We used GSE method to extract the mass of roper
- The roper extracted is sensitive to the size of the operator. One needs a set of large sources.
- We speculate that the πN state coupling to the 3-quark interpolation field is important.
- Effective in terms of statistics
- I invite you to try this method on your data.

Variation Method

Most studies use this approach, with multiple smear sizes, and interpolation fields.



