

Hadron Properties in a class of holographic models

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Low-energy photon and pion scattering in holographic QCD, JHEP 1306 (2013) 020;

Large-distance properties of holographic baryons, Nucl.Phys. B875 (2013) 351-367.

Extension of Hidden local symmetry

(Son & Stephanov '03)

$$\mathcal{L} = \sum_{k=1}^{K+1} f_k^2 \text{Tr} |D_\mu \Sigma^k|^2 - \sum_{k=1}^K \frac{1}{2g_k^2} \text{Tr} (F_{\mu\nu}^k)^2.$$

$$\Sigma^k = \exp \left\{ i \Pi \frac{f_\pi}{2f_k^2} \right\}, \quad \Pi = \pi^a \frac{\tau^a}{2},$$

$$U = \Sigma^1 \Sigma^2 \dots \Sigma^{K+1}$$

$$U \rightarrow LUR^\dagger.$$

$$U = \exp \left\{ \frac{2i\Pi}{f_\pi} \right\}, \quad \frac{4}{f_\pi^2} = \sum_{k=1}^{K+1} \frac{1}{f_k^2}.$$

$$\text{---} \quad K=0: \pi$$

$$\text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \quad K=1: \pi, \rho$$

$$\text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} \quad K=2: \pi, \rho, \omega$$

$$\text{SU}(2)_L \left| \begin{array}{c} (gA_\mu)^1 \\ \Sigma^1 \end{array} \right. \text{---} \begin{array}{c} (gA_\mu)^2 \\ \Sigma^2 \end{array} \text{---} \begin{array}{c} (gA_\mu)^{K-1} \\ \Sigma^{K-1} \end{array} \text{---} \begin{array}{c} (gA_\mu)^K \\ \Sigma^{K+1} \end{array} \text{---} \text{SU}(2)_R$$

$K=0$ Weinberg '79;

$K=1$ Bando et. al, '85;

$K=2$ Bando et. al, '88.

Large N_C and continuum limit

- When $K \rightarrow \infty$,

$$U(x^\mu) = \text{P exp} \left\{ i \int_{-z_0}^{+z_0} \mathcal{A}_z(x^\mu, z') dz' \right\},$$

The relation is first proposed by Atiyah and Manton ('89), to connect Skyrmions and instanton solutions.

- 5D Yang-Mills action:

$$S_{\text{YM}} = - \int d^5 x \text{tr} \left[-f^2(z) \mathcal{F}_{z\mu}^2 + \frac{1}{2g^2(z)} \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^2 \right].$$

- The topological 5d Chern-Simons term provides a natural mechanism for $U(1)_A$ symmetry broken and other anomalous processes:

$$S_{\text{CS}} = -\kappa \int \text{tr} \left[\mathcal{A} \mathcal{F}^2 + \frac{i}{2} \mathcal{A}^3 \mathcal{F} - \frac{1}{10} \mathcal{A}^5 \right], \quad \kappa = \frac{N_C}{24\pi^2}.$$

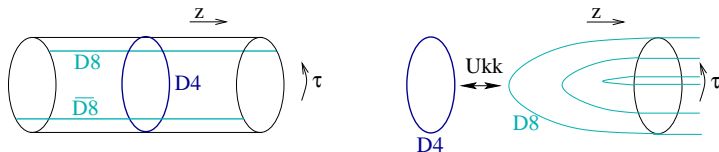
- Baryon number

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \int dz d^3 x \epsilon^{0\mu\nu\lambda\rho} \text{Tr} \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu} \mathcal{F}_{\lambda\rho} \\ &= \frac{i}{24\pi^2} \int d^3 x \epsilon^{ijk} \text{Tr} [(U^{-1} \partial_i U)(U^{-1} \partial_j U)(U^{-1} \partial_k U)]. \end{aligned}$$

String construction: Sakai-Sugimoto model

D-branes configuration (Sakai & Sugimoto '04):

	0	1	2	3	(4)	5	6	7	8	9
D4	X	X	X	X	X					
D8- $\bar{D}8$	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X



- YM+CS action from the low energy action on the $D8$ branes.
- Baryons from $D4$ branes wrapping around S^4 , and can be realized as the instanton configuration on the $D8$ brane.

Order $O(p^2)$ and $O(p^4)$ chiral Lagrangian

- Even parity (Sakai & Sugimoto '04, Hirn & Sanz '05):

$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{\text{YM}} \supset \int d^4x \left[\frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle \right. \\
 + L_1 \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle^2 + L_2 \langle u_\mu u_\nu \rangle \langle u^\mu u^\nu \rangle + L_3 \langle u_\mu u^\mu u_\nu u^\nu \rangle \\
 - iL_9 \langle f_{+\mu\nu} u^\mu u^\nu \rangle + \frac{L_{10}}{4} \langle f_{+\mu\nu} f_+^{\mu\nu} - f_{-\mu\nu} f_-^{\mu\nu} \rangle \\
 \left. + \frac{H_1}{2} \langle f_{+\mu\nu} f_+^{\mu\nu} + f_{-\mu\nu} f_-^{\mu\nu} \rangle \right],
 \end{aligned}$$

$$U = u^2, \quad u_\mu = i \left\{ u^\dagger (\partial_\mu - ir_\mu) u - u (\partial_\mu - il_\mu) u^\dagger \right\}.$$

- Odd parity (Sakai & Sugimoto '05):

$$S_{\text{CS}} \supset S_{\text{WZW}} = -\frac{iN_C}{48\pi^2} \int_{M^4} \mathcal{Z}(u, l_\mu, r_\mu) - \frac{iN_C}{240\pi^2} \int_{M^4 \times \mathbb{R}} \text{tr}(gdg^{-1})^5.$$

$$g^{-1}(x, z) = P \exp \left\{ i \int_0^z dz' \mathcal{A}_z(x, z') \right\}.$$

$$\xi_{R(L)}(x) \equiv g^{-1}(x, \pm\infty), \quad \xi_R(x) = \xi_L(x)^\dagger = u.$$

Alternative derivation with chirally delocalized quarks (Hill '06)

Low energy constants up to $O(p^4)$

$$S_{\text{YM}} \supset S_2^{\chi\text{PT}}[\pi] + S_4^{\chi\text{PT}}[\pi],$$

$$f_\pi^2 = 4 \left(\int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{dz}{f^2(z)} \right)^{-1}, \quad \psi_0(z) = \frac{f_\pi^2}{2} \int_0^z \frac{1}{f^2(z)} dz,$$

$$L_1 = \frac{1}{2} L_2 = -\frac{1}{6} L_3 = \frac{1}{32} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{(1 - \psi_0^2)^2}{g^2(z)} dz,$$

$$L_9 = -L_{10} = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{1 - \psi_0^2}{g^2(z)} dz, \quad H_1 = -\frac{1}{8} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{1 + \psi_0^2}{g^2(z)} dz.$$

	flat	Cosh	hard-wall	Sakai-Sugimoto	χPT
$10^3 L_1$	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.9 ± 0.3
$10^3 L_2$	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.7 ± 0.7
$10^3 L_3$	-3.1	-3.2	-3.1	-3.1	-4.4 ± 2.5
$10^3 L_9$	5.2	6.3	6.8	7.7	7.4 ± 0.7
$10^3 L_{10}$	-5.2	-6.3	-6.8	-7.7	-6.0 ± 0.7

Skyrme model and Skyrme parameter

- Skyrme model (Skyrme '61 & '62)

$$S = \int d^4x \left(-\frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \text{tr} \left(U^{-1} \partial_\mu U \right)^2 + \frac{1}{32e_S^2} \text{tr} \left[U^{-1} \partial_\mu U, U^{-1} \partial_\nu U \right]^2 \right),$$

$$e_S^{-2} = 32 L_1 = 16L_2 = -\frac{16}{3} L_3 = \int dz \frac{(1 - \psi_0^2(z))^2}{g^2(z)}.$$

- Skyrme parameter:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{g_{v^n \pi \pi}^2}{m_{v^n}^2} = \frac{1}{3f_\pi^2}, \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{g_{v^n \pi \pi}^2}{m_{v^n}^2} = \frac{1}{4e_S^2 f_\pi^4},$$

ρ -dominance valid at about 2% level, so

$$e_S^2 \sim 3m_\rho^2/4f_\pi^2 \sim 7.7^2$$

to compare with $\pi\pi$ scattering results ($\sim 7.4^2$), and the value used in Skyrme model calculation (5.45^2 , Adkins, Nappi and Witten '83).

Anomaly matching

- VVA correlator (one vector current carries a soft momentum)

$$i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle j_\mu^a(x) j_\nu^{5b}(0) \rangle_{\hat{F}} = \frac{Q^2}{8\pi^2} d^{ab} P_\mu^\perp \left[P_\nu^{\beta\perp} w_T(q^2) + P_\nu^{\beta\parallel} w_L(q^2) \right] \epsilon_{\alpha\beta\sigma\rho} \hat{F}^{\sigma\rho}.$$

$$d^{ab} = (1/2)\text{tr}(Q\{t^a, t^b\}), P_\mu^{\alpha\perp} = \eta_\mu^\alpha - q_\mu q^\alpha/q^2, P_\mu^{\alpha\parallel} = q_\mu q^\alpha/q^2.$$

- $m_q = 0$ (Adler, Bardeen '69; 't Hooft '80; Witten '83):

$$w_L(Q^2) = \frac{2N_c}{Q^2}.$$

- $m_q \neq 0$, OPE gives

$$w_L(Q^2) = \frac{2N_c}{Q^2} - \frac{16\pi^2 \chi m_q \langle \bar{q}q \rangle}{Q^4} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q^6}\right),$$

magnetic susceptibility $\langle \bar{q} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q \rangle_{\hat{F}} = \chi \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \hat{F}_{\mu\nu}$.

- Extrapolation of pion pole term (Vainshtein '02):

$$w_L(Q^2) \approx \frac{2N_c}{Q^2 + m_\pi^2} = \frac{2N_c}{Q^2} - \frac{2N_c m_\pi^2}{Q^4} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q^6}\right),$$

$$\Rightarrow \chi = -\frac{N_c}{4\pi^2 f_\pi^2} \sim -9 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

- SUM RULE, VMD (P. Ball '02)

$$\chi \sim -3 \text{ GeV}^{-2}.$$

Anomaly matching

- $m_q = 0$, to all orders in α_s (Vainshtein '02, Knecht, Peris, Perrottet, de Rafael '03)

$$w_T(Q^2) = \frac{w_L(Q^2)}{2} = \frac{N_c}{Q^2}$$

Non-perturbative power corrections at large Q^2 :

$$w_T(Q^2) = \frac{w_L(Q^2)}{2} + \frac{N_C^2 - 1}{N_C^2} \frac{16\pi^3 \alpha_s}{Q^6} \chi \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q^8}\right)$$



$$\Pi_V(Q^2) = -\frac{N_c}{24\pi^2} \log\left(\frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}\right) + \frac{1}{24\pi} \frac{\alpha_s \langle G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu} \rangle}{Q^4} - \frac{14}{9} \frac{N_C^2 - 1}{N_C^2} \frac{\pi \alpha_s \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2}{Q^6} + \dots$$

$$\Pi_A(Q^2) = -\frac{N_c}{24\pi^2} \log\left(\frac{Q^2}{\mu^2}\right) + \frac{1}{24\pi} \frac{\alpha_s \langle G_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu} \rangle}{Q^4} + \frac{22}{9} \frac{N_C^2 - 1}{N_C^2} \frac{\pi \alpha_s \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2}{Q^6} + \dots$$



$$\Pi_V(Q^2) - \Pi_A(Q^2) = -\frac{N_C^2 - 1}{N_C^2} \frac{4\pi \alpha_s}{Q^6} \langle \bar{q}q \rangle^2 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{Q^8}\right).$$

Anomaly matching

- Holographic relation (Son & Yamamoto '10):

$$w_T(Q^2) = \frac{w_L(Q^2)}{2} + \frac{N_C}{f_\pi^2} [\Pi_V(Q^2) - \Pi_A(Q^2)]$$

$$w_T(Q^2) = \frac{N_C}{Q^2} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} dz A(Q, z) \partial_z V(Q, z), \quad w_L(Q^2) = \frac{2N_C}{Q^2},$$

$$\Pi_V(Q^2) = \frac{1}{Q^2} f^2(z) V(Q, z) \partial_z V(Q, z) \Big|_{z=-z_0}^{z=+z_0},$$

$$\Pi_A(Q^2) = \frac{1}{Q^2} f^2(z) A(Q, z) \partial_z A(Q, z) \Big|_{z=-z_0}^{z=+z_0}.$$

- Extrapolating to large $Q^2 \Rightarrow \chi = -\frac{N_C}{4\pi^2 f_\pi^2}.$

- At low energy, it gives (Knecht et. al '11)

$$C_{22}^W = -\frac{N_C}{32\pi^2 f_\pi^2} L_{10}.$$

$$O_{22}^W \equiv \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \langle u_\mu \{ \nabla_\gamma f_{+\gamma\nu}, f_{+\alpha\beta} \} \rangle, \quad O_{10} = \langle f_{+\mu\nu} f_+^{\mu\nu} - f_{-\mu\nu} f_-^{\mu\nu} \rangle.$$

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$$C_{22}^W \sim (6 - 8) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-2}, \quad -\frac{N_C}{32\pi^2 f_\pi^2} L_{10} \sim 6.7 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-2}.$$

Resonance Lagrangian



$$\begin{aligned}
 S_{\text{YM}} \Big|_{\text{Kin.}} &= \int d^4x \left\langle -\frac{1}{2} (\nabla_\mu v_\nu^n - \nabla_\nu v_\mu^n)^2 + m_{Vn}^2 v_\mu^{n2} - \frac{1}{2} (\nabla_\mu a_\nu^n - \nabla_\nu a_\mu^n)^2 + m_{a^n}^2 a_\mu^{n2} \right\rangle, \\
 S_{\text{YM}} \Big|_{1\text{-res.}} &= \int d^4x \left\{ - \left\langle \frac{f^{\mu\nu}}{2} \left[(\nabla_\mu v_\nu^n - \nabla_\nu v_\mu^n) a_{Vn} - \frac{i}{2} ([u_\mu, a_\nu^n] - [u_\nu, a_\mu^n]) a_{Aa^n} \right] \right\rangle \right. \\
 &\quad - \left\langle \frac{i}{4} [u^\mu, u^\nu] \left[(\nabla_\mu v_\nu^n - \nabla_\nu v_\mu^n) b_{Vn\pi\pi} - \frac{i}{2} ([u_\mu, a_\nu^n] - [u_\nu, a_\mu^n]) b_{a^n\pi^3} \right] \right\rangle \\
 &\quad \left. + \left\langle \frac{f^{\mu\nu}}{2} \left[(\nabla_\mu a_\nu^n - \nabla_\nu a_\mu^n) a_{Aa^n} - \frac{i}{2} ([u_\mu, v_\nu^n] - [u_\nu, v_\mu^n]) (a_{Vn} - b_{Vn\pi\pi}) \right] \right\rangle \right\}, \\
 S_{\text{CS}} \Big|_{1\text{-res.}} &= \int d^4x \left\{ - \frac{N_C}{32\pi^2} c_{Vn} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \langle u_\mu \{ v_\nu^n, f_{+\alpha\beta} \} \rangle + \frac{N_C}{64\pi^2} c_{a^n} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \langle u_\mu \{ a_\nu^n, f_{-\alpha\beta} \} \rangle \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \frac{iN_C}{16\pi^2} (c_{Vn} - d_{Vn}) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \langle v_\mu^n u_\nu u_\alpha u_\beta \rangle \right\}.
 \end{aligned}$$

● Anomaly matching for resonance couplings:

$$\begin{aligned}
 c_{Vn} &= g_{Vn\pi\pi} \equiv \frac{m_{Vn}^2}{2f_\pi^2} b_{Vn\pi\pi}, & c_{a^n} &= g_{a^n\pi^3} \equiv \frac{m_{a^n}^2}{3f_\pi^2} b_{a^n\pi^3}, \\
 d_{Vn} &= \frac{m_{Vn}^2}{12f_\pi^2} \int_{-z_0}^{+z_0} \frac{\psi_{2n-1}(1-\psi_0^4)}{g^2(z)} dz. \\
 c_{\omega|\text{exp}} &\sim 5.80, & g_{\rho\pi\pi|\text{exp}} &\sim 5.99.
 \end{aligned}$$

Vector meson dominance

	Flat	Cosh	Hard-wall	Sakai-Sugimoto
VV-AA correlator				
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho}^2 m_\rho^2 - a_{Aa_1}^2 m_{a_1}^2}{\Sigma_n (a_{Vn}^2 m_n^2 - a_{Aa_n}^2 m_{a_n}^2)}$	99 %	300 %	350 %	840 %
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho}^2 - a_{Aa_1}^2}{\Sigma_n (a_{Vn}^2 - a_{Aa_n}^2)}$	8 %	34 %	41 %	110 %
$\gamma^* \rightarrow \pi\pi$				
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho} g_\rho \pi\pi}{\Sigma_n a_{Vn} g_n \pi\pi}$	18 %	0	-11 %	-30 %
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho} g_\rho \pi\pi / m_\rho^2}{\Sigma_n a_{Vn} g_n \pi\pi / m_n^2}$	0.8 %	0	-2 %	-6 %
$\gamma^* \pi \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$				
$1 - \frac{c_\rho (c_\rho - d_\rho) / m_\rho^2}{\Sigma_n c_n (c_n - d_n) / m_n^2}$	2 %	0	1.5 %	4 %
$1 - \frac{c_\rho (c_\rho - d_\rho) / m_\rho^4}{\Sigma_n c_n (c_n - d_n) / m_n^4}$	0.3 %	0	0.3 %	1.4 %
$\gamma^* \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$				
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho} (c_\rho - d_\rho)}{\Sigma_n a_{Vn} (c_n - d_n)}$	-30 %	-20 %	-30 %	-50 %
$1 - \frac{a_{V\rho} (c_\rho - d_\rho) / m_\rho^2}{\Sigma_n a_{Vn} (c_n - d_n) / m_n^2}$	-5 %	-3 %	-5 %	-10 %

$O(p^6)$ low energy constants: derivation

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{22}^W &= \frac{N_C}{64\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{V\nu n} \cdot c_{\nu n}}{m_{\nu n}^2} = \frac{N_C}{128\pi^2 f_{\pi}^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_{V\nu n} \cdot b_{\nu n \pi \pi} \\
 &= \frac{N_C}{128\pi^2 f_{\pi}^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{\psi_{2n-1}}{g^2(z)} dz \cdot \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{\psi_{2n-1}(1-\psi_0^2)}{g^2(z')} dz' \\
 &= \frac{N_C}{128\pi^2 f_{\pi}^2} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \frac{1-\psi_0^2}{g^2(z)} dz = -\frac{N_C}{32\pi^2 f_{\pi}^2} L_{10} \\
 &\quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{g^2(z)} \psi_n(z) \psi_n(z') = \delta(z-z').
 \end{aligned}$$

$$C_{52} = -\frac{1}{8} S_{V\pi\pi} - 2 \left(\frac{N_C}{32\pi^2} \right)^2 S_{V\pi^4},$$

$$S_{V\pi\pi} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{a_{V\nu n} \cdot b_{\nu n \pi \pi}}{m_{\nu n}^2} = \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} G(0; z, z') (1-\psi_0^2) dz dz',$$

$$S_{V\pi^4} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{c_{\nu n} \cdot (c_{\nu n} - d_{\nu n})}{m_{\nu n}^2} = \frac{1}{2f_{\pi}^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_{\nu n \pi \pi} \cdot (c_{\nu n} - d_{\nu n}) = \frac{4}{15f_{\pi}^2}.$$

$$G(0; z, z') = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\psi_n(z) \psi_n(z')}{m_n^2} = \frac{1}{f_{\pi}^2} \left[(1-\psi_0(z))(1+\psi_0(z'))\theta(z-z') + (z \leftrightarrow z') \right].$$

$O(p^6)$ low energy constants: a few results

- $\pi\pi$ scattering

$$L_1 = \frac{1}{2}L_2 = -\frac{1}{6}L_3, \quad C_1 + 4C_3 = 3C_3 + C_4.$$

- $\pi \rightarrow l\nu\gamma$ decay: $G_A(q^2) = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$L_9 + L_{10} = 0, \quad 2C_{78} - 4C_{87} + C_{88} = 0.$$

- $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi\pi$ scattering

$$a_2^{00} = 256\pi^4 f_\pi^2 (8C_{53} + 8C_{55} + C_{56} + C_{57} + 2C_{59}),$$

$$b^{00} = -128\pi^4 f_\pi^2 (C_{56} + C_{57} + 2C_{59}),$$

$$a_2^{+-} = 256\pi^4 f_\pi^2 (8C_{53} - 8C_{55} + C_{56} + C_{57} - 2C_{59} + 4C_{78} + 8C_{87} - 4C_{88}),$$

$$b^{+-} = -128\pi^4 f_\pi^2 (C_{56} + C_{57} - 2C_{59} - 4C_{78}).$$

	Holo.	DSE	Reso. Lagr.	ENJL
a_2^{00}	N_C^2	3.79	13 ± 3.3	14.0
b^{00}	$N_C^2/6$	1.66	3 ± 1	1.66
a_2^{+-}	0	-0.98	0.75 ± 0.65	6.7
b^{+-}	0	-0.23	0.45 ± 0.15	0.38

$\gamma^* \rightarrow \pi\pi$ vs. $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma^*$ form factor

$$\mathcal{F}_\pi(Q^2) = \frac{1}{f_\pi^2} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} f^2(z) V(Q, z) \psi_0'(z)^2 dz.$$

$$\mathcal{F}_{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) = \frac{N_C}{24\pi^2 f_\pi} \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} V(Q, z) \psi_0'(z) dz.$$

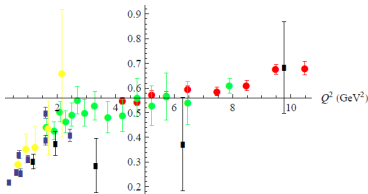
$$\mathcal{F}_{\gamma\pi}(Q^2) = \frac{N_C}{12\pi^2 f_\pi} \mathcal{F}_\pi(Q^2).$$

- Previously found in hard wall model (Grigoryan & Radyushkin '08) and Sakai-Sugimoto model (Stoffers & Zahed '11).

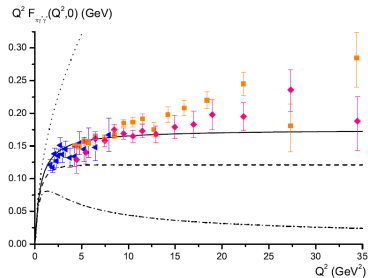
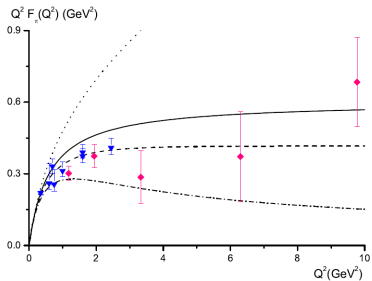
- Low energy limit:

$$C_{22}^W = \frac{N_C}{32\pi^2 f_\pi^2} L_9.$$

$$C_{22}^W \sim (6-8) \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-2}, \quad \frac{N_C}{32\pi^2 f_\pi^2} L_9 \sim 8.3 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ GeV}^{-2}.$$



- $\frac{12\pi^2 f_\pi Q^2}{N_C} \mathcal{F}_{\gamma\pi}(Q^2)$ (circles) and $Q^2 \mathcal{F}_\pi(Q^2)$ (squares) versus Q^2 , figure taken from (Stoffers & Zahed '11).

$\gamma^* \rightarrow \pi\pi$ vs. $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma^*$ form factor

Ultraviolet classification and constraint

- Special coordinate:

$$y = \psi_0(z) = \frac{f_\pi^2}{2} \int_0^z \frac{1}{f^2(z)} dz ,$$
$$\tilde{f}^2(y) = \frac{f_\pi^2}{2} ,$$
$$\tilde{g}^2(y) = \frac{f_\pi^2 g^2(z(y))}{2 f^2(z(y))} ,$$

- Characteristic index in the ultraviolet ($y \rightarrow \pm 1$):

$$\tilde{g}^2(y) \sim (1 - y^2)^\alpha$$

- flat model: $\alpha = 0$
 - asymptotic anti-de Sitter background (“cosh” and hard-wall model): $\alpha = 1$
 - Sakai-Sugimoto model: $\alpha = 4/3$
- Ultraviolet constraint ($L_1, \dots, L_{10} < \infty, H_1 \rightarrow \infty$)

$$1 \leq \alpha < 2.$$

Low energy π and photon scattering

- $\pi^+\pi^- \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$ process

$$A(s, t, u) = \frac{(t+2s)}{4} h(-t) + (t \leftrightarrow u).$$

- $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$ process

$$A(s, t, u)^{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0} = \frac{a_2}{(4\pi f_\pi)^4} \left[\frac{(s-4t)}{8} f_\pi^2 h(-t) + (t \leftrightarrow u) \right],$$

$$B(s, t, u)^{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0} = \frac{b}{(4\pi f_\pi)^4} \left[\frac{3}{8} f_\pi^2 h(-t) + (t \leftrightarrow u) \right].$$

- $\gamma \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ process

$$\mathcal{F}^{3\pi}(0, s, t) = \mathcal{F}_0^{3\pi} \times \frac{f_\pi^2}{4} \left[h(-s) + h(-t) + h(-u) \right].$$

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$$\begin{aligned} h(Q^2) &= \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} dz \int_{-z_0}^{z_0} dz' \psi'_0(z) \psi'_0(z') G(Q^2; z, z'), \\ &= \sum_n \frac{4g_{Vn\pi\pi}^2}{m_{Vn}^2 + Q^2} \xrightarrow{Q^2 \rightarrow \infty} \frac{4\mathcal{H}}{Q^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Asymptotic instanton solutions at large distance

- Skyrmion (hedgehog):

$$U(\vec{x}) = \exp(i\vec{\tau} \cdot \hat{r}F(r)), \quad F(r) \sim \frac{\beta}{r^2} - \frac{\beta^3}{21r^6}, \quad r \rightarrow \infty.$$

- Holographic instanton:

- Cylindrical ansatz (Witten '79):

$$\bar{A}_j^a = \frac{\phi_2 + 1}{r^2} \epsilon_{jak} x_k + \frac{\phi_1}{r^3} [\delta_{ja} r^2 - x_j x_a] + A_r \frac{x_j x_a}{r^2},$$

$$\bar{A}_z^a = A_z \frac{x^a}{r}, \quad \hat{A}_0 = s.$$

- Asymptotic solutions with special coordinate y ($\tilde{f}^2(y) = f_\pi^2/2$):

$$\phi_1 \sim \frac{\beta^3 y(y^2 - 1)}{3r^6}, \quad \phi_2 \sim -1 + \frac{\beta^2(1 - y^2)}{2r^4},$$

$$A_z \sim \frac{\beta}{r^2} - \frac{\beta^3}{21r^6}, \quad A_r \sim \mathcal{O}(r^{-9}),$$

$$s \sim \frac{\beta^3}{f_\pi^2} \frac{(y^2 - 1)(y^2 - 5)}{r^9}.$$

Large-distance behavior of baryon form factors

- Electromagnetic form factors:

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{G}_E^{I=0}(r) &\rightarrow \frac{3^3}{2^{10}\pi^5} \frac{1}{f_\pi^3} \left(\frac{g_A}{f_\pi}\right)^3 \frac{1}{r^9}, & \tilde{G}_M^{I=0}(r) &\rightarrow \frac{3\Delta}{2^{10}\pi^5} \frac{1}{f_\pi^3} \left(\frac{g_A}{f_\pi}\right)^3 \frac{1}{r^7}, \\ \tilde{G}_E^{I=1}(r) &\rightarrow \frac{\Delta}{2^5\pi^2} \left(\frac{g_A}{f_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{1}{r^4}, & \tilde{G}_M^{I=1}(r) &\rightarrow \frac{1}{2^6\pi^2} \left(\frac{g_A}{f_\pi}\right)^2 \frac{1}{r^4}.\end{aligned}$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} r^2 \frac{\tilde{G}_E^{I=0} \tilde{G}_E^{I=1}}{\tilde{G}_M^{I=0} \tilde{G}_M^{I=1}} = 18.$$

- Goldberger-Treiman relation:

$$\frac{g_{\pi NN}}{M_N} = \frac{g_A}{f_\pi}.$$

- Axial form factor:

$$\tilde{G}_A(r) \rightarrow \frac{3}{7 \cdot 2^6 \pi^3} \frac{1}{f_\pi} \left(\frac{g_A}{f_\pi}\right)^3 \frac{1}{r^7}.$$

- $\langle r^2 \rangle_{E,I=1}, \langle r^2 \rangle_{M,I=1}$ linearly divergent, $\langle r^2 \rangle_{E,I=0}, \langle r^2 \rangle_{M,I=0}$ finite, $\langle r^2 \rangle_A$ quadratically divergent.

Instanton size: suppressed in Sakai-Sugimoto model

- Sakai-Sugimoto model

$$S_{\text{YM}} = -\kappa \int d^5x \text{tr} \left[\frac{h(z)}{2} \mathcal{F}_{\mu\nu}^2 - k(z) \mathcal{F}_{z\mu}^2 \right],$$

$$\kappa = \frac{\lambda N_C}{216\pi^3}, \quad h(z) = (1 + z^2)^{-1/3}, \quad k(z) = 1 + z^2,$$

$$S_{\text{CS}} = -\frac{N_C}{24\pi^2} \int \text{tr} \left[\mathcal{A} \mathcal{F}^2 + \frac{i}{2} \mathcal{A}^3 \mathcal{F} - \frac{1}{10} \mathcal{A}^5 \right].$$

- (Hashimoto, Sakai & Sugimoto '08)

$$U(\rho) = 8\pi^2 \kappa \left(1 + \frac{\rho^2}{6} \right) + \frac{N_C^2}{40\pi^2 \kappa} \frac{1}{\rho^2} + \dots$$

- Instanton size

$$\rho_{\text{cl}}^2 = \frac{N_C}{8\pi^2 \kappa} \sqrt{\frac{6}{5}}$$

$$M_{l=3} - M_{l=1} \simeq 569 \text{ MeV}, \quad g_A \simeq 0.73$$

$$(M_\Delta - M_N)|_{\text{exp}} \simeq 290 \text{ MeV}, \quad g_A|_{\text{exp}} \simeq 1.27$$

Instanton size: an estimate using the Skyrme model

Quantity	E_{cl}	g_A	M_N	M_Δ	$g_{\pi NN}$	$\langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0}^{1/2}$	$\langle r^2 \rangle_{M,I=0}^{1/2}$	μ_p	μ_n	$g_{\pi N\Delta}$	$\mu_{N\Delta}$
Skyrmion	0.83	0.31	1.11	2.23	3.88	0.31	0.48	0.58	-0.41	5.82	0.70
Instanton-1	0.84	0.47	1.05	1.89	5.62	0.32	0.57	0.87	-0.36	8.43	0.87
Instanton-2	0.94	input	1.00	1.23	14.5	0.52	0.94	2.32	-1.96	21.8	3.0
Experiment	—	1.27	0.939	1.23	13.5	0.81	0.84	2.79	-1.91	20.3	3.3

- $f_\pi = 87 \text{ MeV}$, $e = 7.70$.
- Skyrmion: numerical Skyrmion solution (Adkins, Nappi & Witten '83)
- "Instanton-1": (Atiyah and Manton '89) small instanton configuration with $\rho^2 = 2.11/(e^2 f_\pi^2)$;
- "Instanton-2": large instanton configuration with $\rho^2 = 5.72/(e^2 f_\pi^2)$.

Summary

- Previous holographic derivation of the χ PT lagrangian is extended from $\mathcal{O}(p^4)$ to $\mathcal{O}(p^6)$. Numerical predictions for the LECs in different models are given. Model-independent relations among LECs are found.
- Some of these LEC relations are shown to follow from relations between different correlation functions, form factors or scattering amplitudes.
- Different models are classified according to the different behavior of form factors at large momentum region.
- The asymptotic instanton solutions at large distance are derived, from which the asymptotic form of various baryonic form factors are given.
- Using the Skyrme model as an approximation, large-size instanton configuration is suggested to describe the baryon properties.

Open questions

- The mass pattern is wrong, $m_n \propto n$ instead of $m_n \propto \sqrt{n}$.
- While leading power behavior in the ultraviolet is obtained in asymptotic AdS backgrounds, high power terms need to be included.
- Introduce quark mass.
- Construction of instanton solutions in curved spacetime and in presence of the Chern-Simons term with arbitrary instanton number.

Skyrmions for $1 \leq B \leq 8$



1: $O(3)$



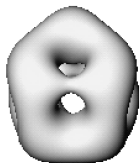
2: $O(2)$



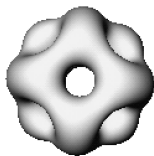
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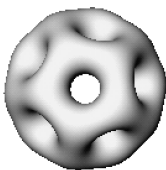
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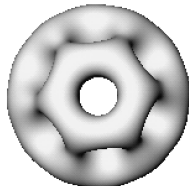
5: D_{2d}



6: D_{4d}



7: Y_h



8: D_{6d}