Hyperons, Hypernuclei & Neutron Stars

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Road Map for a Strange Trip



♦ Hypernuclei & Hypernuclear Physics

♦ YN & YY Interactions

♦ EoS of Hypernuclear Matter

 \diamond Role of Hyperons on Neutron Stars



What is a hyperon?

♦ A hyperon is a baryon made of one, two or three strange quarks



Hyperon	Quarks	I(J ^P)	Mass (MeV)
Λ	uds	0(1/2+)	1115
Σ^+	uus	$1(1/2^{+})$	1189
Σ^{O}	uds	$1(1/2^{+})$	1193
Σ~	dds	$1(1/2^{+})$	1197
ΞΟ	uss	1/2(1/2+)	1315
Ξ~	dss	$1/2(1/2^+)$	1321
Ω~	SSS	0(3/2+)	1672



What is a hypernucleus ?

♦ A hypernucleus is a bound system of nucleons with one or more strange baryons (Λ,Σ,Ξ,Ω⁻ hyperons).







In a simple single-particle model: protons, neutrons and hyperons are considered distinguishable particles placed in independent effective potential wells in which Pauli exclusion principle is applied. ♦ Since hyperons are distinguishable from nucleons, they are privileged probes to explore states deep inside the nucleus, extending our knowledge of conventional to flavored nuclear physics.



- ♦ Hyperons can change the nuclear nuclear structure. For instance the glue-like role of the Λ hyperon can facilitate the existance of neutron-rich hypernuclei, being a more suitable framework to study matter with extreme n/p ratios as compared to ordinary nuclei.
- ♦ A hypernucleus is a "laboratory" to study hyperon-nucleon (YN) and hyperon-hyperon (YY) interactions.

A simple model of hypernuclei: Hyperon-Nucleus effective potential

Hypernucleus = Ordinary Nuclear Core + Hyperon in a s.p. state of a hyperon-nucleus effective potential derived from hyperon-nucleon interaction



Present status of Λ Hypernuclear Spectroscopy



O. Hashimoto and H. Tamura, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 57, 564 (2006)





First hypernuclear event observed in a nuclear emulsion by Marian Danysz and Jerzy Pniewski in 1952





To commemorate the discovery of Danysz and Pniewski a postcard was issued by the Polish Post in May 1993



(200.000 postcards, postcard price 2000 zl, stamp 1500 zl)

A few years earlier, in 1989, the postmark designed on the basis of the first hypernucleus observation was used for the 20th International Physics Olympiad at the Warsaw post office number 64





Historical Overview

1953 → 1970 : hypernuclear identification with visualizing techniques emulsions, bubble chambers

1962 : first double Λ hypernucleus discovered in a nuclear emulsion irradiated by a beam of K⁻ mesons at CERN

 $1970 \rightarrow Now$: Spectrometers at accelerators:

CERN (up to 1980)

BNL : (K^-, π^-) and (π^+, K^+) production methods

KEK : (K⁻, π ⁻) and (π ⁺, K⁺) production methods

After 2000 : Stopped kaons at DA Φ NE (FINUDA) : (K⁻_{stop}, π^-) The new electromagnetic way : HYPERNUCLEAR production with ELECTRON BEAM (e,e'K⁺) at JLAB &MAMI-C

International Hypernuclear Network

PANDA at FAIR

- 2012~
- Anti-proton beam
- Double Λ-hypernuclei
- γ-ray spectroscopy

MAMI C

- 2007~
- Electro-production
- Single Λ -hypernuclei
- Λ-wavefunction

FINUDA at DA\PhiNE

- e⁺e⁻ collider
- Stopped-K⁻ reaction
- Single <u>A-hypernuclei</u>
- γ-ray spectroscopy (2012~)

SPHERE at JINR

- Heavy ion beams
- Single Λ -hypernuclei

HypHI at GSI/FAIR

- Heavy ion beams
- Single Λ-hypernuclei at
- extreme isospins
- Magnetic moments

J-PARC

- 2009~
- Intense K⁻ beam
- Single and double Λ -hypernuclei
- γ-ray spectroscopy for single Λ

Basic map from Saito, HYP06

JLab

- 2000~
- Electro-production
- Single Λ -hypernuclei
- $\Lambda\text{-wavefunction}$

Hypernuclei: from the cradle to the grave



Production of Λ hypernuclei can occur by ...

Strangeness exchange: (BNL, KEK, JPARC) (replace a u or d quark with an s quark)

$$K^{-} + {}^{A}Z \rightarrow {}^{A}_{\Lambda}Z + \pi^{-}$$



Where the K⁻ in-flight or stopped

♦ Associated production: (BNL, KEK, GSI) (produces an ss pair)

$$\left(\pi^{+} + ^{A}Z \rightarrow^{A}_{\Lambda}Z + K^{+}\right)$$



♦ Electroproduction: (JLAB, MAMI-C)

$$\left(e^{-}+{}^{A}Z \rightarrow e^{-\prime}+K^{+}+{}^{A}_{\Lambda}\left(Z-1\right)\right)$$

 $^{A}Z(e,e'K)^{A}(Z-1)_{\Lambda}$









Production kinematics



✓ High momentum transfer → hyperon has large probability of escaping the nucleus.

✓ Longer π^+ and K⁺ mean free path → interaction with interior nucleons, significant angular momentum transfer. $\Leftrightarrow \underline{n(K^{-},\pi^{-})\Lambda}$

✓ Low momentum transfer → hyperon has large probability of being bound.

✓ Attenuation of (K^-, π^-) reaction in matter (resonance states). Interacion with outer shell neutrons replacing it with a Λ in the same shell.



Measurement of hypernuclear masses

$$\left[M_{A_{A}Z} - M_{A_{Z}} = B_{A_{Z}} - B_{A_{Z}} + M_{\Lambda} - M_{N}\right]$$

♦ Stopped K⁻ reaction (K⁻_{stopped}, π^-)

$$K^-_{stopped} + {}^A Z \rightarrow {}^A_\Lambda Z + \pi^-$$

$$M_{A_{X}} = \sqrt{\left(E_{\pi} - M_{K} - M_{A_{Z}}\right)^{2} - p_{\pi}^{2}}$$

Need only π - outgoing momentum \rightarrow One Spectrometer

♦ In-flight reactions (K⁻_{in-flight}, π ⁻) (π ⁺, K⁺)

$$K^{-}_{in-flight} + {}^{A}Z \rightarrow {}^{A}_{\Lambda}Z + \pi^{-}$$
$$\pi^{+} + {}^{A}Z \rightarrow {}^{A}_{\Lambda}Z + K^{+}$$

$$M_{A_{A_{Z}}} = \sqrt{\left(E_{\pi} - E_{K} - M_{A_{Z}}\right)^{2} - \left(\vec{p}_{\pi} - \vec{p}_{K}\right)^{2}}$$

Need incident & outgoing momenta → Two Spectrometers

Example: spectrum for a (π^+, K^+) on a heavy target



T. Hasegawa et al., Phys. Rev. C 53, 1210 (1996)

$$\pi^+ + {}^{139}La \rightarrow {}^{139}_{\Lambda}La + K^+$$

- ✓ Energy resolution: 2.5 MeV
- ✓ Clear shell structure
- ✓ Obtained with a typical magnetic spectrometer for the detection of K⁺



The FINUDA experiment @ DA Φ NE (Frascati)

DAΦNE: Double Annular e⁺e⁻ Φ-factory for Nice Experiments

 e^+e^- collider dedicated to the production of Φ resonance

FINUDA: FIsica NUcleare at $DA\Phi NE$

produce hypernuclei by stopping negative kaon originating from Φ decay in nuclear target

$$e^{+} + e^{-} \rightarrow \Phi \rightarrow K^{+} + K^{-}$$
$$K^{-}_{stopped} + {}^{A}Z \rightarrow {}^{A}_{\Lambda}Z + \pi^{-}$$





FINUDA results on ${}^{12}_{\Lambda}C$

Very good agreement between FINUDA results & E368 @ KEK ones



M. Agnello et al., Phys. Lett. B 622, 35 (2005)

H. Hotchi et al., Phys. Rev. C 64, 044302 (2001)

The (e,e'K⁺) reaction

- ♦ Relatively new (JLAB, MAMI-C).
- ♦ Excellent energy resolution of energy spectrum.
- ♦ Although the cross section is 10^{-2} smaller than that of (π⁺,K⁺) this is compensated by larger beam intensity.





The experimental geometry requires two spectrometers to detect:

- ✓ the scattered electrons which defines the virtual photons
- \checkmark the kaons

Hypernuclear spectrum from the (e,e'K⁺) reaction



V. Rodrigues, PhD Thesis, University of Houston (2006)

In summary ...



Hypernuclear binding energies show saturation as ordinary nuclei

Production of Σ hypernuclei

Production mechanisms similar to the ones considered for Λ hypernuclei like, e.g., strangeness exchange (K⁻, π^{\pm})



T. Nagae et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 80, 1605 (1998)

 Σ hypernuclear states in p-shell hypernuclei



What do we know about double Λ hypernuclei ?

Not so much

	$B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ (MeV)	$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ (MeV)				Nagara
_{лл} ⁶ Не	10.9 ± 0.5	4.7 ± 0.6	Prowse	(1966)		event
{^6} Не	$7.25 \pm 0.19^{+0.13}{-0.1}$	1.01±0.20 ^{+0.18}	KEK-E373	(2001)		
¹⁰ <i>Be</i>	17.7 ± 0.4	4.3 ± 0.4	Danysz	(1963)		same
¹⁰ Ве	8.5 ± 0.7	-4.9 ± 0.7	KEK-E176	(1991)		event
13 ^13 B	27.6 ± 0.7	4.8 ± 0.7	KEK-E176	(1991)		
,10 <i>Be</i>	12.33 ^{+0.35}		KEK-E373	(2001, 1	unpublist	ned)

$$B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^{A}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) = B_{\Lambda}({}^{A}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) + B_{\Lambda}({}^{A-1}_{\Lambda}Z)$$
$$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^{A}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) = B_{\Lambda\Lambda}({}^{A}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) - 2B_{\Lambda}({}^{A-1}_{\Lambda}Z) = B_{\Lambda}({}^{A}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Z) - B_{\Lambda}({}^{A-1}_{\Lambda}Z)$$

The production of double Λ hypernuclei

♦ Ξ^{-} conversion in two Λ 's:

$$\Xi^{-} + p \rightarrow \Lambda + \Lambda + 28.5 MeV$$

$$\Xi^{-} \text{ production:}$$

$$\checkmark (K^{-}, K^{+}) \text{ reaction (BNL, KEK)}$$

$$\overline{K^{-} + p \rightarrow \Xi^{-} + K^{+}}$$

✓ Antiproton production (PANDA@FAIR)

$$p + \overline{p} \to \Xi^- + \overline{\Xi}^+$$

Hypernuclear γ-ray spectroscopy

- Produced hypernuclei can be in an excited state.
- Energy released by emission of neutrons or protons or γ-ray when hyperon moves to lower states.





- ♦ Excellent resolution with Ge (NaI) detectors.
- A depth potential in nucleus ~ 30 MeV
 → observation of γ-rays limited to low excitation region.
- \diamond γ -ray transition measures only energy difference between two states.

Hypernuclear fine structure & the spindependent ΛN interaction



γ -ray spectrum of ${}^{16}_{\Lambda}O$

- ♦ Observed twin peaks demonstrate hypernuclear fine structure for ¹⁶_ΛO (1⁻→1⁻,0⁻) transitions.
- Small spacing in twin peaks caused by spin-dependent ΛN interaction.
- ♦ Recent analysis revealed another transition at 6758 keV corresponding to ¹⁶ O (2⁻→0⁻).



M. Ukai et al., Phys. Rev. C 77, 05315 (2008)

The Weak Decay of Λ hypernuclei



Decay observables

 $\Gamma \sim \Gamma_{\Lambda}^{free} = 3.8 \times 10^9 \, s^{-1}$



(well reproduced by theoretical models)



Building YN & YY Interactions



The YN & YY Interactions

- ♦ Study of the role of strangeness in low and medium energy nuclear physics.
- \diamond Test of SU(3)_{flavor} symmetry.
- ♦ Input for Hypernuclear Physics & Astrophysics (Neutron Stars).

But due to:

- ✓ difficulties of preparation of hyperon beams.
- \checkmark no hyperon targets available.
- YN: Only about 35 data points, all from the 1960's
- 10 new data points, from KEK-PS E251 collaboration (2000)
- YY: No scattering data at all

(cf. > 4000 NN data for $E_{lab} < 350 \text{ MeV}$)
YN meson-exchange models

Strategy: start from a NN model & impose $SU(3)_{flavor}$ constraints

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sum_{k=1}^{n} \sum_{M} \sum_{M} \left(\overline{\Psi}_{M} \Psi_{M} \right) \phi_{M} \\ \Rightarrow \text{ scalar: } \sigma, \delta \\ \Rightarrow \text{ pseudocalar: } \pi, K, \eta \\ \Rightarrow \text{ pseudocalar:$$

The Nijmegen & Jülich models

Nijmegen

(Nagels, Rijken, de Swart, Maessen)

- ♦ Based on Nijmegen NN potential.
- Momentum & Configuration Space.
- Exchange of nonets of pseudo-scalar, vector and scalar.
- ♦ Strange vertices related by SU(3) symmetry with NN vertices.
- ♦ Gaussian Form Factors:

$$F_M(k^2) = e^{-\frac{k^2}{2\Lambda_M^2}}$$

Jülich

(Holzenkamp, Reube, Holinde, Speth, Haidenbauer, Meissner, Melnitchouck)

- \diamond Based on Bonn NN potential.
- Momentum Space & Full energy-dependence & nonlocality structure.
- higher-order processes involving πand ρ-exchange (correlated 2πexchange) besides single meson exchange.
- ♦ Strange vertices related by SU(6) =SU(3)_{flavor}xSU(2)_{spin} symmetry with NN vertices.
- ♦ Dipolar Form Factors:

$$F_M(k^2) = \left(\frac{\Lambda_M^2 - m_M^2}{\Lambda_M^2 - k^2}\right)^2$$

Scattering amplitudes

Scattering amplitudes describing the hyperon-nucleon scattering are obtained by solving the Lipmann-Schwinger equation



Chiral Effective Field Theory for YN

Strategy: start from a chiral effective lagrangian in a way similar to the NN case



Polinder, Haidenbauer & Meissner, NPA 779, 244 (2006)

 $\diamondsuit Contact terms$ $L_{1} = C_{i}^{1} \langle \overline{B}_{a} \overline{B}_{b} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{b} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{a} \rangle$ $L_{2} = C_{i}^{2} \langle \overline{B}_{a} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{a} \overline{B}_{b} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{b} \rangle$ $L_{3} = C_{i}^{3} \langle \overline{B}_{a} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{a} \rangle \langle \overline{B}_{b} (\Gamma_{i} B)_{b} \rangle$ \checkmark $V^{B_{1}B_{2} \rightarrow B_{3}B_{4}} = C_{S}^{B_{1}B_{2} \rightarrow B_{3}B_{4}} + C_{T}^{B_{1}B_{2} \rightarrow B_{3}B_{4}} \vec{\sigma}_{1} \cdot \vec{\sigma}_{2}$

 \diamond One-pseudoscalar meson exchange

$$L = \left\langle i\overline{B}\gamma^{\mu}D_{\mu}B - M_{0}\overline{B}B + \frac{D}{2}\overline{B}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\left\{u_{\mu},B\right\} + \frac{F}{2}\overline{B}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\left[u_{\mu},B\right]\right\rangle$$

$$V^{B_{1}B_{2} \rightarrow B_{3}B_{4}} = -f_{B_{1}B_{2}M}f_{B_{3}B_{4}M}\frac{\left(\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{k}\right)\left(\vec{\sigma}_{2}\cdot\vec{k}\right)}{k^{2} + m_{M}^{2}}$$

♦ Lippmann-Schwinger equation cut-off with the regularized

$$F(p,p',\Lambda) = e^{-\frac{\left(p^4 + {p'}^4\right)}{\Lambda^4}}$$

b: Лр->Лр а: лр->лр Cutoff dependence: Λ≈550-700 MeV σ (mb) σ (mb) YN data rather well described p_{lab} (MeV/c) p_{lab} (MeV/c)



Total cross YN sections

Differential YN cross sections

NPA 779, 224 (2006)

Green band: EFT

Dashed: Jülich04

Solid: NSC97f

Light hypernuclei properties

♦ Hypertriton (${}^{3}H_{\Lambda}$) binding energy cutoff independent

Λ≈550	Λ=600	Λ=650	Λ ≈700	Jülich04	NSC97f	Expt.
-2.35	-2.34	-2.34	-2.36	-2.27	-2.30	-2.354(50)

Deuteron B(²H): -2.224 MeV

 \diamond A=4 doublet: ${}^{4}\text{H}_{\Lambda} - {}^{4}\text{He}_{\Lambda}$

${}^{4}\mathrm{H}_{\Lambda}$	Λ=550	Λ=600	Λ=650	Λ=700	Jülich04	NSC97f	Expt.
$E_{sep}(0^+)$	2.63	2.46	2.36	2.38	1.87	1.60	2.04
$E_{sep}(1^+)$	1.85	1.51	1.23	1.04	2.34	0.54	1.00
ΔE_{sep}	0.78	0.95	1.13	1.34	-0.48	0.99	1.04
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CSB-0 ⁺	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.03	-0.01	0.10	0.35
CSB-1 ⁺	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01		-0.01	0.24

(All units are given in MeV)

Low-momentum YN interaction

<u>Idea</u>: start from a realistic YN interaction & integrate out the highmomentum components in the same way as as been done for NN.







Lippmann-Schwinger Equation

$$T(k',k;E_k) = V_{lowk}(k',k) + \frac{2}{\pi} P \int_0^{\Lambda} dq q^2 V_{lowk}(k',q) \frac{1}{E_k - H_0(q)} T(q,k;E_k)$$

Conditions

$$\frac{dT_{\Lambda}}{d\Lambda} = 0; \quad V_{lowk} = \Lambda \quad \Lambda \to \infty: V_{lowk} = V_{bare}$$

Renormalization Group Flow Equation

$$\frac{d}{d\Lambda}V_{lowk}(k',k) = -\frac{2}{\pi}\frac{V_{lowk}(k',\Lambda)T(\Lambda,k;\Lambda^2)}{E_k - H_0(\Lambda)}$$





 ${}^{1}S_{0}$ (I=1/2)matrix elements and phase-shift for $\Lambda N \rightarrow \Lambda N$ **Λ**≈500 MeV

800 1000

B. -J. Schaefer et al., Phys. Rev. C 73, 011001 (2006)

Cut-off dependence



¹S₀ (I=1/2)matrix elements for $\Lambda N \rightarrow \Lambda N$ (NSC97f)

B. -J. Schaefer et al., Phys. Rev. C 73, 011001 (2006)



Approaches to Hypernuclear Matter EoS

The Hypernuclear Matter EoS has been considered by many authors using



Phenomenological approaches

Based on effective density-dependent interactions with parameters adjusted to reproduce nuclear and hypernuclear observables and compact star properties (e.g., Skyrme, RMF, ...)



Microscopic approaches

Based on realistic two-body baryon-baryon interactions that describe scattering data in free space. To obtain the EoS one has to "solve" the complicated many-body problem (e.g., BHF, DBHF, $V_{low k}$, ...)

Brueckner Theory for Hyperonic Matter

Consider a system of A fermions described by

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^{A} K_i + \sum_{i < j}^{A} V_{ij} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Ground State} \quad H |\psi\rangle = E |\psi\rangle$$

UNSOLVABLE !!!

 \diamond <u>Idea:</u> introduce an auxiliary s. p. potential U_i



♦ Goldstone Expansion

(only linked diagrams)

$$\Delta E = \left\langle \phi_0 \left| H_1 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1 - \left| \phi_0 \right\rangle \left\langle \phi_0 \right|}{E_0 - H_0} H_1 \right]^n \left| \phi_0 \right\rangle_l \right.$$



♦ Brueckner's reaction matrix (G-matrix)

✓ Partial summation of the set of pp ladder diagrams

$$i \bigcirc \cdots \bigcirc j + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc k + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc j + \cdots = i \bigcirc m + i \bigcirc m +$$

✓ G-matrix obtained by solving the Bethe-Goldstone equation

$$G = V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V + \cdots$$

$$= V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} \left[V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} V + \cdots \right]$$

$$G$$

Then:

$$G = V + V \frac{Q}{\omega - H_0 + i\eta} G$$

Note that the Bethe-Goldstone equation is formally identical to the Lippmann-Schwinger equation describing the scattering of two particles in free space

$$T = V + V \frac{1}{\omega - K + i\eta}T$$



The G-matrix describes the scattering of two particles in the presence of a surrounding medium

♦ Medium Effects

Pauli blocking of intermediate states

The Pauli operator Q prevents the scattering to any occupied state, limiting the phase space of intermediate states

Dressing of intermediate particles

The s.p. spectrum is modified by U which represents the average potential "felt" by a particle due to the presence of the medium





♦ Hole-line expansion & the BHF approximation



Grouping by number of hole lines $(c/r_0 < 1) \implies$ hole-line or Brueckner-Bethe-Goldstone expansion. Leading term: BHF approximation

$$E_{BHF} = \sum_{i \le A} \left\langle \alpha_i \left| K \right| \alpha_i \right\rangle + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left[\sum_{i,j \le A} \left\langle \alpha_i \alpha_j \left| G(\omega) \right| \alpha_i \alpha_j \right\rangle \right]$$

Convergence of the hole-line expansion

Depends on the choice of the auxiliary potential



H. Q. Song et al., PRL 81, 1584 (1998)

♦ Extended BHF approach: Hyperonic Matter

Bethe-Goldstone equation (coupled channels)

•
$$G(\omega)_{B_1B_2;B_3B_4} = V_{B_1B_2;B_3B_4} + \sum_{B_iB_j} V_{B_1B_2;B_jB_k} \frac{Q_{B_iB_j}}{\omega - E_{B_i} - E_{B_j} + i\eta} G(\omega)_{B_jB_k;B_3B_4}$$

• $E_B(k) = \frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m_B} + \operatorname{Re}[U_B(k)] + m_B$

$$U_B(k) = \sum_{B'} \sum_{k' \le k_{F_{B'}}} \left\langle \vec{k}\vec{k}' \middle| G(\omega = E_B(k) + E_{B'}(k')) \middle| \vec{k}\vec{k}' \right\rangle$$

Energy per particle

•
$$\frac{E}{A}(\rho,\beta) = \frac{1}{A} \sum_{B} \sum_{k \le k_{F_B}} \left(\frac{\hbar^2 k^2}{2m_B} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re}\left[U_B(\vec{k}) \right] + m_B \right)$$

Infinite sumation of two-hole line diagrams

\diamond <u>Coupled Channels</u>

	S = 0 $S = -1$	S = -2	S = -3	S = -4
I = 0	$(NN \rightarrow NN)$	$ \begin{pmatrix} \Lambda\Lambda \to \Lambda\Lambda & \Lambda\Lambda \to \Xi N & \Lambda\Lambda \to \Sigma\Sigma \\ \Xi N \to \Lambda\Lambda & \Xi N \to \Xi N & \Xi N \to \Sigma\Sigma \\ \Sigma\Sigma \to \Lambda\Lambda & \Sigma\Sigma \to \Xi N & \Sigma\Sigma \to \Sigma\Sigma \end{pmatrix} $		(EE → EE)
I = 1/2	$\begin{pmatrix} \Lambda N \to \Lambda N & \Lambda N \to \\ \Sigma N \to \Lambda N & \Sigma N \to \end{pmatrix}$	$\Sigma N \rightarrow \Sigma N$	$\begin{pmatrix} \Lambda \Xi \to \Lambda \Xi & \Lambda \Xi \to \Sigma \\ \Sigma \Xi \to \Lambda \Xi & \Sigma \Xi \to \Sigma \end{bmatrix}$	=) =)
I = 1	$(NN \rightarrow NN)$	$ \begin{pmatrix} \Xi N \to \Xi N & \Xi N \to \Lambda \Sigma & \Xi N \to \Sigma \Sigma \\ \Lambda \Sigma \to \Xi N & \Lambda \Sigma \to \Lambda \Sigma & \Lambda \Sigma \to \Sigma \Sigma \\ \Sigma \Sigma \to \Xi N & \Sigma \Sigma \to \Lambda \Sigma & \Sigma \Sigma \to \Sigma \Sigma \end{pmatrix} $		(EE → EE)
I = 3/2	$(\Sigma N \rightarrow \Sigma N)$		$(\Sigma\Xi \rightarrow \Sigma\Xi)$	
I = 2		$(\Sigma\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma\Sigma)$		

Hyperons in Nuclear Matter

s.p. potentials

binding energy



Hyperons & Neutron Star Properties

Some known facts about Neutron Stars

- Mass: $M \sim 1 2 M_{\odot}$
- Radius: R ~ 10 12 km (or less ?)
- Density: $\rho \sim 10^{14} 10^{15} \text{ g/cm}^3$

 $\begin{array}{l} \rho_{universe} \sim \ 10^{-30} \ g/cm^3 \\ \rho_{sun} \quad \sim \ 1.4 \quad g/cm^3 \\ \rho_{earth} \quad \sim \ 5.5 \quad g/cm^3 \end{array}$





Firenze

$$M_{Firenze} \sim (3.65 \times 10^{5}) \times 75 \ kg$$

~1.37 × 10⁻²³ M_{\odot}
 $A_{Firenze} \sim 102 \ km^{2}, \ H_{Fiorentini} \sim 1.75m$
 $\rho_{Fiorentini} \sim 1.55 \times 10^{-4} \ g / cm^{3}$

Baryonic number: $N_{\rm h} \sim 10^{57}$ ("giant (hyper)nuclei")

 $10^{5}G$

Magnetic field: $B \sim 10^{8...16} G (10^{4...12} T)$





Earth

Magnet

Sunspots



Largest continuous field in lab. (FSU, USA)

 $4.5 \times 10^5 G$



 $2.8x10^7G$

Largest magnetic pulse in lab. (Russia)



Electric field: $E \sim 10^{18} \text{ V/cm}$

- Temperature: $T \sim 10^{6...11} \text{ K}$
- Rotational period distribution → two types of pulsars:
 - pulsars with P ~ s
 - pulsars with P ~ ms

Shortest rotational period PSR in Terzan 5: $P_{J1748-2446ad} = 1.39$ ms

Most NS are observed as pulsars. Nowadays more than 2000 pulsars are known

Observables

- Period (P, dP/dt)
- Masses
- Luminosity
- Temperature
- Magnetic Field
- Gravitational Waves (future)



http://www.phys.ncku.edu.tw/~astrolab/mirrors/apod_e/ap090709.html

The 1001 Astrophysical Faces of Neutron Stars



Anomalous X-ray Pulsars



Soft Gamma Repeaters



Rotating Radio Transients



dim isolated neutron stars



X-ray binaries



pulsars



Compact Central Objects



binary pulsars



planets around pulsar

Observation of Neutron Stars

X- and γ -ray telescopes



Chandra



Fermi Most of the Atmospheric opacity Visible Light Long-wavelengt Infrared spectrum Radio Waves observable Radio Waves observable Gamma Rays, X-Rays and Ultraviolet absorbed by from Earth, from Earth. blocked. Light blocked by the upper atmosphere atmospheric gasses (best with some (best observed from space). atmospheric observed distortion. from space . \

Wavelength

Optical telescopes



VLT (Atacama, Chile)



Arecibo (Puerto Rico): 305 m



Radio telescopes

Green Banks (USA): 100 m



Nançay (France): 94 m

Space telescopes



HST (Hubble)

How to Measure Neutron Star Masses

Use Doppler variations in spin period to measure orbital velocity changes along the line-of-sight

 5 Keplerian parameters can normally be determined:

P, a sin i, ε , T₀ & ω

• 3 unknowns: M_1 , M_2 , i

Kepler's 3rd law

$$\frac{G(M_1 + M_2)}{a^3} = \left(\frac{2\pi}{P}\right)^2 \longrightarrow \qquad f(M_1, M_2, i) = \frac{\left(M_2 \sin i\right)^3}{\left(M_1 + M_2\right)^2} = \frac{Pv^3}{2\pi G}$$

mass function



In few cases small deviations from Keplerian orbit due to GR effects can be detected

Measure of at least 2 post-Keplerian parameters

High precision NS mass determination

$$\dot{\omega} = 3T_{\otimes}^{2/3} \left(\frac{P_b}{2\pi}\right)^{-5/3} \frac{1}{1-\varepsilon} \left(M_p + M_c\right)^{2/3}$$
$$\gamma = T_{\otimes}^{2/3} \left(\frac{P_b}{2\pi}\right)^{1/3} \varepsilon \frac{M_c \left(M_p + 2M_c\right)}{\left(M_p + M_c\right)^{4/3}}$$

$$r = T_{\otimes}M_c$$

$$\dot{P}_{b} = -\frac{192\pi}{5} T_{\otimes}^{5/3} \left(\frac{P_{b}}{2\pi}\right)^{-5/3} f(\varepsilon) \frac{M_{p}M_{c}}{\left(M_{p} + M_{c}\right)^{1/3}} \longrightarrow$$

- Periastron precession
- → Time dilation and grav. redshift
- → Shapiro delay "range"
 - Shapiro delay "shape"
 - Orbit decay due to GW emission



An example: the mass of the Hulse-Taylor pulsar (PSR J1913+16)



Parameter	Value		
Orbital period $P_{\rm b}$ (d)	0.322997462727(5)		
$\mathbf P$ rojected semi-major axis x (s)	2.341774(1)		
Eccentricity e	0.6171338(4)		
Longitude of periastron ω (deg)	226.57518(4)		
Epoch of periastron $T_0~(\mathrm{MJD})$	46443.99588317(3)		
Advance of periastron $\dot{\omega}$ (deg yr $^{-1}$)	4.226607(7)		
Gravitational redshift γ (ms)	4.294(1)		
Orbital period derivative $(\dot{P}_{\rm b})^{\rm obs}~(10^{-12})$	-2.4211(14)		



Neutron Star Radii Measurements

Not much to say after the excellent seminar by Sebastien Guillot yesterday



Anatomy of a Neutron Star



Hyperons in Neutron Stars

Hyperons in NS considered by many authors since the pioneering work of Ambartsumyan & Saakyan (1960)



Phenomenological approaches

- ♦ Relativistic Mean Field Models: Glendenning 1985; Knorren et al. 1995; Shaffner-Bielich & Mishustin 1996, Bonano & Sedrakian 2012, ...
- ♦ Non-realtivistic potential model: Balberg & Gal 1997
- ♦ Quark-meson coupling model: Pal et al. 1999, …
- ♦ Chiral Effective Lagrangians: Hanauske et al., 2000
- ♦ Density dependent hadron field models: Hofmann, Keil & Lenske 2001



Microscopic approaches

- Schulze et al. 2006, I.V. et al. 2011, Burgio et al. 2011, Schulze & Rijken 2011
- ♦ V_{low k}: Djapo, Schaefer & Wambach, 2010



Sorry if I missed somebody Hyperons are expected to appear in the core of neutron stars at $\rho \sim (2-3)\rho_0$ when μ_N is large enough to make the conversion of N into Y energetically favorable.



Neutron Star Matter Composition

RMFT





N. K. Glendenning, APJ 293, 470 (1985)

M. Baldo et al.,, PRC 61, 055801 (2000)
Effect of Hyperons in the EoS and Mass of Neutron Stars



Measured Neutron Star Masses (up to $\sim 2006-2008$)





$$M_{\rm max} [EoS] > 1.4 - 1.5 M_{\odot}$$

Hyperons in NS (up to ~ 2006-2008)



Phenomenological: M_{max} compatible with 1.4-1.5 M_{\odot}



Microscopic : $M_{max} < 1.4-1.5 M_{\odot}$



Recent measurements of high masses \rightarrow life of hyperons more difficult

Eccentric Binary Millisecond Pulsars

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Abstract. In this paper we review recent discovery of millisecond pulsars (MSPs) in eccentric binary systems. Timing these MSPs we were able to estimate (and in one case precisely measure) their masses. These results suggest that, as a class, MSPs have a much wider range of masses $(1.3 \text{ to } > 2M_{\odot})$ than the normal and mildly recycled pulsars found in double neutron star (DNS) systems $(1.25 < M_p < 1.44M_{\odot})$. This is very likely to be due to the prolonged accretion episode that is thought to be required to form a MSP. The likely existence of massive MSPs makes them a powerful probe for understanding the behavior of matter at densities larger than that of the atomic nucleus; in particular, the precise measurement of the mass of PSR J1903+0327 $(1.67 \pm 0.01M_{\odot})$ excludes several "soft" equations of state for dense matter.

T h e p r e c i s e measurement of the m a s s o f P S R J1903+0328 (1.67 +/-0.01 M_{sun}) excludes several "soft" EoS for dense matter

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✓ binary sytem (P=95.17 d) ✓ high eccentricity (ϵ =0.437) ✓ companion mass: ~ 1 M_{\odot} ✓ pulsar mass: $M = 1.67 \pm 0.11 M_{\odot}$

Two-solar mass neutron star measured

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A two-solar-mass neutron star measured using Shapiro delay

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to exist in our Universe, the composition and properties of which are still theoretically uncertain. Measurements of the masses or radii of these objects can strongly constrain the neutron star matter equation of state and rule out theoretical models of their composition^{1,2}. The observed range of neutron star masses, however, has hitherto been too narrow to rule out many predictions of 'exotic' non-nucleonic components3-6. The Shapiro delay is a general-relativistic increase in light travel time through the curved space-time near a massive body7. For highly inclined (nearly edge-on) binary millisecond radio pulsar systems, this effect allows us to infer the masses of both the neutron star and its binary companion to high precision^{8,9}. Here we present radio timing observations of the binary millisecond pulsar [1614-2230^{10,11} that show a strong Shapiro delay signature. We calculate the pulsar mass to be $(1.97 \pm 0.04)M_{\odot}$, which rules out almost all currently proposed2-5 hyperon or boson condensate equations of state (Mo, solar mass). Quark matter can support a star this massive only if the quarks are strongly interacting and are therefore not 'free' quarks12.

Neutron stars are composed of the densest form of matter known long-term data set, parameter covariance and dispersion measure varito exist in our Universe, the composition and properties of which ation can be found in Supplementary Information.

> As shown in Fig. 1, the Shapiro delay was detected in our data with extremely high significance, and must be included to model the arrival times of the radio pulses correctly. However, estimating parameter values and uncertainties can be difficult owing to the high covariance between many orbital timing model terms⁴. Furthermore, the χ^2 surfaces for the Shapiro-derived companion mass (M_2) and inclination angle (*i*) are often significantly curved or otherwise non-Gaussian¹⁵. To obtain robust error estimates, we used a Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) approach to explore the post-fit χ^2 space and derive posterior probability distributions for all timing model parameters (Fig. 2). Our final results for the model

Table 1 Physical parameters for PSR J1614-2230

Parameter	Value	
Ecliptic longitude (λ)	245.78827556(5)°	
Ecliptic latitude (B)	-1.256744(2)°	
Proper motion in λ	9.79(7) mas yr ⁻¹	
Proper motion in B	-30(3) mas yr ⁻¹	
Parallax	0.5(6) mas	

The mass 1.97 +/- 0.04 M_{sun} of the pulsar PSR J1614+2230 rules out almost all currently proposed hyperon or boson condensate EoS. Quark matter can support such a massive star only if quarks are strongly interacting (not "free quarks")



Binary millisecond pulsar PSR J1614+2230 Shapiro delay signature

$$\Delta t = -\frac{2GM}{c^3} \log\left(1 - \vec{R} \cdot \vec{R}'\right)$$

On April 26th 2013 the discovery of the most massive (up to now) pulsar (PSR J0348+0432) was made public

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- ✓ binary system (P=2.46 h)
- \checkmark very low eccentricity
- \checkmark companion mass: $0.172 \pm 0.003 M_{\odot}$
- ✓ pulsar mass: $M = 2.01 \pm 0.04 M_{\odot}$

Measured Neutron Star Masses (2014)



updated from Lattimer 2013

Observation of $\sim 2 M_{sun}$ neutron stars

Dense matter EoS stiff enough is required such that

 $M_{\rm max} [EoS] > 2M_{\odot}$

Can strangeness (hyperons, kaons, quarks) still be present in the interior of neutron stars in view of this constraint?

The Hyperon Puzzle



"Hyperons \rightarrow "soft (or too soft) EoS" not compatible (mainly in microscopic approaches) with measured (high) masses. However, the presence of hyperons in the NS interior seems to be unavoidable."



- \checkmark can YN & YY interactions still solve it ?
- \checkmark or perhaps hyperonic three-body forces ?
- ✓ what about quark matter ?

Solution I: Hyperonic Three Body Forces

Natural solution based on: Importance of NNN force in Nuclear Physics (Considered by several authors: Chalk, Gal, Usmani, Bodmer, Takatsuka, Loiseau, Nogami, Bahaduri, IV)



Two-meson exchange Hyperonic TBF



Repulsion at high densities due to Z-diagram as in NNN



Example: the NNA force

 $\pi\pi$ contribution

$$V_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma,\Sigma^*}(\vec{r}_{N_1\Lambda},\vec{r}_{N_2\Lambda}) = -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma,\Sigma^*}\left\{X_{N_1\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_1\Lambda}),X_{N_2\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_2\Lambda})\right\}\vec{\tau}_{N_1}\cdot\vec{\tau}_{N_2}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} X_{ij}(\vec{x}) &= \vec{\sigma}_i \cdot \vec{\sigma}_j Y(x) + S_{ij}(\hat{x}) T(x) \\ Y(x) &= \frac{\partial^2 Z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{2}{x} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial x} \\ T(x) &= \frac{\partial^2 Z}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{x} \frac{\partial Z}{\partial x} \\ Z(x) &= \frac{4}{m_\pi} \int \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{x}}}{k^2 + m_\pi^2} F_{NN\pi}(k^2) F_{\Lambda(\Sigma,\Sigma^*)\pi}(k^2) \end{aligned}$$



$$C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma^{*}} = \frac{2}{27} \frac{g_{NN\pi}^{2} f_{\Lambda\Sigma^{*}\pi}^{2}}{16\pi^{2}} \frac{m_{\Sigma}^{2} - m_{\Lambda}}{m_{\Sigma^{*}} - m_{\Lambda}}$$

$$\left(C_{NNN}^{\Delta} = \frac{2}{81} \frac{g_{NN\pi}^2 f_{N\Delta\pi}^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{m_{\pi}^2}{m_{\Delta} - m_{\Lambda}}, \frac{C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma^*}}{C_{NNN}^{\Delta}} \sim 0.185\right)$$

KK contribution

$$\begin{split} V_{NN\Lambda}^{\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda},\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) &= -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Lambda} \left\{ X_{N_{1}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda}), X_{N_{2}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) \right\} \\ V_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda},\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) &= -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma} \left(\left\{ \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{1}} \cdot \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}}, \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}} \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{2}} \right\} \\ &+ \left[\vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{1}} \cdot \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}}, \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}} \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{2}} \right] \right) \left\{ X_{N_{1}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda}), X_{N_{2}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) \right\} \\ V_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma^{*}}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda},\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) &= -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma^{*}} \left(\left\{ \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{1}} \cdot \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}}, \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}} \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{2}} \right\} \\ &+ \left. \frac{1}{2} \left[\vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{1}} \cdot \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}}, \vec{\tau}_{N_{2}} \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\Lambda_{2}} \right] \right) \left\{ X_{N_{1}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{1}\Lambda}), X_{N_{2}\Lambda}(\vec{r}_{N_{2}\Lambda}) \right\} \end{split}$$

with

$$Z(x) = \frac{4}{m_K} \int \frac{d\vec{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{e^{-i\vec{k}\cdot\vec{x}}}{k^2 + m_K^2} F_{N\Lambda K}(k^2) F_{N(\Sigma,\Sigma^*)K}(k^2)$$



$$C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Lambda} = -\frac{1}{9} \frac{g_{N\Lambda K}^{4}}{16\pi^{2}} \frac{m_{\pi}^{2}}{m_{\Lambda} - m_{N}} \left(\frac{m_{K}}{m_{\pi}}\right)^{4}$$
$$C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma} = -\frac{1}{18} \frac{g_{N\Lambda K}^{2} g_{N\Sigma K}^{2}}{16\pi^{2}} \frac{m_{\pi}^{2}}{m_{\Sigma} - m_{N}} \left(\frac{m_{K}}{m_{\pi}}\right)^{4}$$
$$C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma^{*}} = \frac{1}{27} \frac{g_{N\Lambda K}^{2} f_{N\Sigma^{*}K}^{2}}{16\pi^{2}} \frac{m_{\pi}^{2}}{m_{\Sigma^{*}} - m_{N}} \left(\frac{m_{K}}{m_{\pi}}\right)^{4}$$

 $\sigma\sigma$, $\omega\omega$ and $\sigma\omega$ contributions



For instance $\sigma\sigma$ looks like:

$$\begin{split} V_{N\Lambda N}^{\bar{\Lambda}} &= C_{N\Lambda N}^{\bar{\Lambda}} \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{1}' - \mathbf{r}_{1}) \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{2}' - \mathbf{r}_{2}) \\ &\{-4Z(r_{13})Z(r_{32}) \ \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'}^{2} - 4Z'(r_{13})Z(r_{32}) \ \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} - 4Z(r_{13})Z'(r_{32}) \ \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} \\ &- [Y(r_{13})Z(r_{32}) + Z(r_{13})Y(r_{32})] - \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \ Z'(r_{13})Z'(r_{32}) \\ &- 2i[Z'(r_{13})Z(r_{32}) \ \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{3} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \wedge \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} + Z'(r_{32})Z(r_{13}) \ \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{3} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \wedge \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'}]\} \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{3}' - \mathbf{r}_{3}) \\ V_{\Lambda NN}^{\bar{N}} &= C_{\Lambda NN}^{\bar{N}} \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{1}' - \mathbf{r}_{1}) \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{2}' - \mathbf{r}_{2}) \\ &\{-4Z_{1}(r_{13})Z_{2}(r_{32}) \ \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'}^{2} - 4Z_{1}'(r_{13})Z_{2}(r_{32}) \ \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} - 4Z_{1}(r_{13})Z_{2}'(r_{32}) \ \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \cdot \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} \\ &- [Y_{1}(r_{13})Z_{2}(r_{32}) + Z_{1}(r_{13})Y_{2}(r_{32})] - \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \ Z_{1}'(r_{13})Z_{2}'(r_{32}) \\ &- 2i[Z_{1}'(r_{13})Z_{2}(r_{32}) \ \mathbf{\sigma}_{3} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{13} \wedge \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'} + Z_{2}'(r_{32})Z_{1}(r_{13}) \ \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{3} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{32} \wedge \nabla_{\mathbf{r}_{3}'}]\} \ \delta(\mathbf{r}_{3}' - \mathbf{r}_{3}) \end{split}$$



But that's only the beginning of the story there are MANY MANY MANY more forces & contributions



Three-Body Forces within the BHF approach

TBF can be introduced in our BHF approach by adding effective density-dependent two body forces to the baryon-baryon interactions V when solving the Bethe-Goldstone equation



$$W_{B_iB_j}\left(\vec{r}_{ij}\right) = \int W_3\left(\vec{r}_i,\vec{r}_j,\vec{r}_k\right) n\left(\vec{r}_i,\vec{r}_j,\vec{r}_k\right) d^3\vec{r}_k$$

 $W_3(\vec{r}_i, \vec{r}_j, \vec{r}_k)$: genuine TBF $n(\vec{r}_i, \vec{r}_j, \vec{r}_k)$: three-body correlation function

From the genuine NNN,NNY, NYY and YYY TBF ...



NNY → NN, NY





NYY \rightarrow NY, YY



 $YYY \rightarrow YY$



Effective density-dependent 2BF from NNY

• $\pi\pi$ contribution

$$W_{NN}^{B}(\vec{r}) = -C_{NNY}^{B}\rho_{Y} \Big[V_{\sigma}^{\pi\pi}(\vec{r})\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\pi\pi}(\vec{r})S_{12}(\hat{r}) \Big]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\tau}_{2}$$
$$(B=\Lambda,\Sigma,\Sigma^{*} Y=\Lambda,\Sigma)$$

$$W_{N\Sigma}^{\Delta}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Sigma}^{\Delta}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{\pi\pi}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\pi\pi}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{I}_{2}$$

$$W_{N\Sigma \to N\Lambda}^{\Delta}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Sigma \to NN\Lambda}^{\Delta}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{\pi\pi}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\pi\pi}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\rho}_{2}$$



Solution D. Logoteta, Ph.D. Thesis (2013)

KK contribution

$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\Lambda}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Lambda}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]$$
$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\Sigma,\Sigma^{*}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Lambda}^{\Sigma,\Sigma^{*}}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\rho}_{2}$$

$$W_{N\Sigma}^{\Lambda,\Sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Sigma}^{\Lambda,\Sigma}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\tau}_{2}$$
$$W_{N\Sigma}^{\Sigma^{*}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Sigma}^{\Sigma^{*}}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\rho}_{2}$$

$$W_{N\Sigma \to N\Lambda}^{\Lambda,\Sigma,\Sigma^{*}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = -C_{NN\Sigma \to NN\Lambda}^{\Lambda,\Sigma,\Sigma^{*}}\rho_{N}\left[V_{\sigma}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{KK}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]\vec{\tau}_{1}\cdot\vec{\rho}_{2}$$



 $\sigma\sigma$ contribution

$$W_{NN}^{\bar{\Lambda}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{\Lambda}}\left[\rho_{N}V_{c_{1}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right) + \rho_{N}^{5/3}V_{c_{2}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right)\right]$$
$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\left[\rho_{\Lambda}V_{c_{1}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right) + \rho_{\Lambda}^{5/3}V_{c_{2}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right)\right]$$
$$W_{N\Sigma}^{\bar{N}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Sigma}^{\bar{N}}\left[\rho_{\Sigma}V_{c_{1}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right) + \rho_{\Sigma}^{5/3}V_{c_{2}}^{\sigma\sigma}\left(\vec{r}\right)\right]$$

 $\omega\omega$ contribution

$$W_{NN}^{\bar{\Lambda}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{\Lambda}}\rho_{\Lambda}\left[V_{c}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right) + V_{\sigma}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]$$
$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\rho_{N}\left[V_{c}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right) + V_{\sigma}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]$$
$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\left(\vec{r}\right) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\rho_{N}\left[V_{c}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right) + V_{\sigma}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)\vec{\sigma}_{1}\cdot\vec{\sigma}_{2} + V_{T}^{\omega\omega}\left(\vec{r}\right)S_{12}\left(\hat{r}\right)\right]$$



• $\sigma \omega$ contribution

$$W_{NN}^{\bar{\Lambda}}(\vec{r}) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{\Lambda}}\rho_{N}V_{c}^{\sigma\omega}(\vec{r})$$
$$W_{N\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}(\vec{r}) = C_{NN\Lambda}^{\bar{N}}\rho_{\Lambda}V_{c}^{\sigma\omega}(\vec{r})$$
$$W_{N\Sigma}^{\bar{N}}(\vec{r}) = C_{NN\Sigma}^{\bar{N}}\rho_{\Sigma}V_{c}^{\sigma\sigma}(\vec{r})$$

and so on and so forth







 $\overline{\Lambda}$ - excitation



• $W_{\Lambda N}^{N}(r)$



• $W_{\Sigma N}^{N}(r)$



Effect of TBF on Mean Field & E/A



Work is in progress, but we can still estimate the effect of hyperonicTBF in NS

1-. Construct the hyperonic matter EoS within the BHF at 2 body level (Av18 NN + NSC89 YN)

2-. Add simple phenomenological density-dependent contact terms that mimic the effect of TBF.

Density-dependent contact terms: (Balberg & Gal 1997)

Potential of a baryon B_y in a sea of baryons B_x of density ρ_x

Folding $V_y(\rho_x)$ with ρ_x , $V_x(\rho_y)$ with ρ_y and combining with weight factors ρ_x / ρ and ρ_y / ρ

 $V_{y}(\rho_{x}) = a_{xy}\rho_{x} + b_{xy}\rho_{x}^{\gamma_{xy}}$

$$\varepsilon_{xy}(\rho_x,\rho_y) = a_{xy}\rho_x\rho_y + b_{xy}\rho_x\rho_y \left(\frac{\rho_x^{\gamma_{xy}} + \rho_y^{\gamma_{xy}}}{\rho_x + \rho_y}\right)$$

attraction

repulsion la

larger than 1

Then, we have ...

$$\varepsilon_{CT} = a_{NN}\rho_{N}^{2} + b_{NN}\rho_{N}^{\gamma_{NN}}$$

$$+ a_{\Lambda N}\rho_{\Lambda}\rho_{N} + b_{\Lambda N}\rho_{\Lambda}\rho_{N} \left(\frac{\rho_{\Lambda}^{\gamma_{\Lambda N}} + \rho_{N}^{\gamma_{\Lambda N}}}{\rho_{\Lambda} + \rho_{N}}\right)$$

$$+ a_{\Sigma N}\rho_{\Sigma}\rho_{N} + b_{\Sigma N}\rho_{\Sigma}\rho_{N} \left(\frac{\rho_{\Sigma}^{\gamma_{\Sigma N}} + \rho_{N}^{\gamma_{\Sigma N}}}{\rho_{\Sigma} + \rho_{N}}\right)$$

 $\rho_{\scriptscriptstyle N} = \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle n} + \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle p} \,, \quad \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle \Sigma} = \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle \Sigma^-} + \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle \Sigma^0} + \rho_{\scriptscriptstyle \Sigma^+}$

NYY \rightarrow YY and YYY \rightarrow YY not included for consistency

The parameters $a_{NN,}^{}b_{NN}^{}$ and $\gamma_{NN}^{}$
fitted to reproduce $\rho_0=0.16$ fm ⁻³ ,
E/A=-16 MeV and K =211-285 MeV

γ_{NN}	a_{NN}	b_{NN}	K_∞
	$[MeV fm^3]$	$[{ m MeV}~{ m fm}^{3\gamma_{NN}}]$	[MeV]
2	-33.44	213.02	211
2.5	-22.08	355.03	236
3	-16.40	665.68	260
3.5	-12.99	1331.36	285

For simplicity, we take $a_{\Lambda N}=a_{\Sigma N}$, $b_{\Lambda N}=b_{\Sigma N}$ and $\gamma_{\Lambda N}=\gamma_{\Sigma N}$ with

$$a_{\Lambda N} = x a_{NN}, \quad b_{\Lambda N} = x b_{NN}, \quad x = 0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, 1$$

to explore different strength of the hyperonic TBF

 $\gamma_{\Lambda N}$ is obtained using the value of -28 MeV for the binding energy of a Λ in nuclear matter

$$\left(\frac{B}{A}\right)_{\Lambda} = 28MeV = -U_{\Lambda}(k=0) - a_{YN}\rho_0 - b_{YN}\rho_0^{\gamma_{YN}}$$

 $U_{\Lambda}(k=0) = -30.8 MeV$

Effect of hyperonic TBF on M_{max}



γ_{NN}	x	γ_{YN}	Maximum Mass
	0	-	1.27(2.22)
	1/3	1.49	1.33
2	2/3	1.69	1.38
	1	1.77	1.41
	0	-	1.29(2.46)
	1/3	1.84	1.38
2.5	2/3	2.08	1.44
	1	2.19	1.48
	0	-	1.34(2.72)
	1/3	2.23	1.45
3	2/3	2.49	1.50
	1	2.62	1.54
	0	-	1.38(2.97)
	1/3	2.63	1.51
3.5	2/3	2.91	1.56
	1	3.05	1.60

Hyperonic TBFs seem not to be the full solution of the "Hyperon Puzzle", although they probably contribute to its solution

 $1.27 < M_{\rm max} < 1.6 M_{\odot}$



Solution II: YY vector meson repulsion (explored in the context of RMF models)

General Feature:

Exchange of scalar mesons generates attraction (softening), but the exchange of vector mesons generates repulsion (stiffening)



Add vector mesons with hidden strangeness (φ) coupled to hyperons yielding a strong repulsive contribution at high densities

 $M_{\rm max} > 2M_{\odot}$, but smaller population of hyperons



Dexhamer & Schramm (2008), Bednarek et al, (2012), Weissenborn et al., (2012)

- Non-linear RMF
 - ✓ σ², σ³, σ⁴ terms
 ✓ ρ², ρ⁴, ω², ω⁴ terms
 ✓ "hidden strangeness" mesons: σ*, φ (σ*², φ², φ⁴)
 ✓ cross terms: ω²ρ², φ²ω², φ²ρ²
 ✓ g_{YV} couplings fixed by SU(6)
 ✓ g_{YS} couplings adjusted by fitting U_B^(B)
 (U_Λ^(N)=-28, U_Σ^(N)=+30, U_Ξ^(N)=-18 MeV)
 (U_Ξ^(Ξ)=U_Λ^(Ξ)=2U_Λ^(Λ), U_Λ^(Λ)=-5 MeV)
- Hyperonic EoS stiffer than the nucleonic one at ρ>5ρ₀ due to the quartic terms involving φ meson







Bednarek et al., (2012)

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 ✓ "hidden strangeness" mesons: σ*, φ (σ*², φ²)
 ✓ g_{YV} couplings: from SU(6) to SU(3) vary z=g₈/g₁ & α=F/(F+D)
 ✓ g_{YS} couplings adjusted by fitting U_B^(N)
 (U_Λ^(N)=-30, U_Σ^(N)=+30, U_Ξ^(N)=-28 MeV)
- Stiffest EoS when including
 φ & σ* is ommited for z=0
 & α=0

$$M_{\rm max} > 2M_{\odot}$$
 but $z = 0 \Longrightarrow g_{N\rho} = 0$



Particle Cocktail



Moving from SU(6) to SU(3):

- Hyperon thresholds moved to very high densities
- Small hyperon fraction

The problem seems to be solved (?) because there is not much strangeness



Solution III: Quark Matter Core

General Feature:

Some authors have suggested that the hyperon core in neutron stars could be replaced by a cores of uds quark mater. Massive neutron stars could actually be hybrid stars with a stiff quark matter core

To yield $M_{\text{max}} > 2M_{\odot}$ Quark Matter should have:

- significant overall quark repulsion ——> stiff EoS
- strong attraction in a channel ——> strong color superconductivity



Ozel et al., (2010), Weissenborn et al., (2011), Klaehn et al., (2011), Bonano & Sedrakian (2012), Lastowiecki et al., (2012), Zdunik & Haensel (2012)

Recent General Analysis by Zdunik & Haensel

Based on:

Simple linear EoS is a rather precise analytic representation of modern quark EoS in a phase 2SC, CFL.

$$P(\varepsilon) = a\left(\varepsilon - \varepsilon^*\right), \quad \mu(P) = \frac{\varepsilon^*}{n^*} \left(1 + \frac{1+a}{a} \frac{P}{\varepsilon^*}\right)^{\frac{a}{1+a}}$$

$$n(P) = n^* \left(1 + \frac{1+a}{a} \frac{P}{\varepsilon^*} \right)$$

3 parameters:

- a: squared of v_{sound}
- ϵ^* : energ. dens. at P=0
- n^{*}: num. dens. at P=0



Fitting 2SC & CLF quark matter EoS



Numerical calculations based on: Nambu-Jona-Lasinio+Color Superconductivity

- A. Agrawal (2010)
- **B**. Blaschke et al., (2010)



Zdnunik & Haensel (2012)

From Hadrons to Quarks



They simulate the sequence: Hadron phase $\rightarrow 2SC$ phase $\rightarrow CFL$ phase $P_i = P^{(B)}(\varepsilon_1^i) = P^{(Q)}(\varepsilon_2^i), \ \mu^{(B)}(P_i) = \mu^{(Q)}(P_i), \ \lambda_i = \frac{\varepsilon_2^i}{\varepsilon_1^i} > 1$



Zdnunik & Haensel (2012)

Stability of QM core and M_{max}



- BQ transition must be rather low ~ $2\rho_0$ - $3\rho_0$
- Density jumps λ_i should not bee too large (< 1.2)
- $v_{sound} \sim 0.8-0.9$ if $2.2 2.4 M_{\odot}$ is observed
- Stiffening EoS $\rightarrow \mu_b$ increases
- If $\mu_b^Q(P) > \mu_b^H(P) \longrightarrow$ instability (reconfinement)



Question is so open that ...

Hyperons-NS-2012 A task force meeting-November 21-24, 2012 Copernicus Astronomical Center Warsaw, Poland

Organizers: M. Bejger, P. Haensel, J. Schaffner-Bielich & L. Zdunik
EMMI Rapid Reaction Task Force Quark Matter in Compact Stars 7-10 October 2013 FIAS Frankfurt, Germany

Chairs: J. Schaffner-Bielich & S. Schramm

Hyperon Stars at Birth

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Proto-Neutron Stars



(Janka, Langanke, Marek, Martinez-Pinedo & Muller 2006)

New effects on PNS matter:

Thermal effects

$$T \approx 30 - 40 \quad MeV$$
$$S / A \approx 1 - 2$$

Neutrino trapping

$$\mu_{v} \neq 0$$

$$Y_{e} = \frac{\rho_{e} + \rho_{v_{e}}}{\rho_{B}} \approx 0.4$$

$$Y_{\mu} = \frac{\rho_{\mu} + \rho_{v_{\mu}}}{\rho_{B}} \approx 0$$

Proto-Neutron Stars: Composition

Neutrino free

 $\mu_v = 0$





 $\mu_v \neq 0$



Neutrino trapped

✓ Large proton fraction

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- Small number of muons
- Onset of $\Sigma^{-}(\Lambda)$ shifted to higher (lower) density
- ✓ Hyperon fraction lower in n-trapped matter

Proto-Neutron Stars: EoS



- Nucleonic matter
- Hyperonic matter
- $\Rightarrow v\text{-trapping} + \text{temperature}$ $\longrightarrow \underline{\text{stiffer EoS}}$
- ♦ More hyperon softening in v-untrapped matter (larger hyperon fraction)

Proto-Neutron Stars: Structure



2 Baryonic mass M_B [solar mass units]

Hyperons & Neutron Star Cooling

Neutron Star Cooling in a Nutshell







Neutrino Emission

Name	Process	Emissivity	
Direct URCA	$n \rightarrow p + l + \overline{v}_l$ $p + l \rightarrow n + v_l$	$\sim T^6$	Fast
Modified URCA	$N+n \rightarrow N+p+l+\overline{v}_l$ $N+p+l \rightarrow N+n+v_l$	$\sim T^8$	Slow
Bremsstrahlung	$N + N \rightarrow N + N + v + \overline{v}$	$\sim T^8$	Slow
Cooper pair formation	$ \begin{array}{c c} n+n \rightarrow [nn] + \nu + \overline{\nu} \\ p+p \rightarrow [pp] + \nu + \overline{\nu} \end{array} $	$\sim T^7$	Medium

Hyperonic DURCA processes possible as soon as hyperons appear (nucleonic DURCA requires x_p > 11-15 %)



+ partner reactions generating neutrinos, Hyperonic MURCA, ...



Additional

Processes

Fast Cooling

R: relative emissitivy w.r.t. nucleonic DURCA

Pairing Gap \longrightarrow suppression of $C_v \& \mathcal{E}$ by

 $\sim e^{(-\Delta/k_BT)}$

• ${}^{1}S_{0}$, ${}^{3}SD_{1}\Sigma N \& {}^{1}S_{0}\Lambda N$ gap





Hyperons & the R-mode instability of Neutron Stars

The R-mode Instability



Hyperon Bulk Viscosity ξ_Y

(Lindblom et al. 2002, Haensel et al 2002, van Dalen et al. 2002, Chatterjee et al. 2008, Gusakov et al. 2008, Shina et al. 2009, Jha et al. 2010,...)



Reaction Rates & ξ_Y reduced by Hyperon Superfluidity

Critical Angular Velocity of Neutron Stars

• r-mode amplitude: $A \propto A_o e^{-i\omega(\Omega)t - t/\tau(\Omega)}$



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