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Introduction

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Meson effective theory (traditional approach)

effective action consistent with chiral sym, hidden local sym.

"Top down approach" of holographic QCD

- 1. Find a D-brane configuration that realizes QCD
- 2. Use the Gauge/String duality
- 3. Some approximation

[Sakai-S.S. 2004]

Wait for the explanation



Meson effective theory

5 dim U(N_f) YM-CS theory in a curved space-time

$$S_{5\text{dim}} \simeq S_{YM} + S_{CS} \qquad k(z) = 1 + z^{2} \qquad \text{CS5-form}$$

$$S_{YM} = \kappa \int d^{4}x dz \operatorname{Tr} \left(\frac{1}{2} h(z) F_{\mu\nu}^{2} + k(z) F_{\mu z}^{2} \right) \qquad S_{CS} = \frac{N_{c}}{24\pi^{2}} \int_{5} \omega_{5}(A)$$

$$\kappa = \frac{\lambda N_{c}}{216\pi^{3}} \equiv a \lambda N_{c} \qquad h(z) = (1 + z^{2})^{-1/3} \qquad (M_{KK} = 1 \text{ unit})$$

• Just one line $= \begin{cases} M_{KK} \sim \text{cut off scale} \\ \lambda & \sim \text{bare coupling} \end{cases}$

5 dim YM-CS theory = 4 dim meson theory

$$A_{\mu}(x^{\mu}, z) = \sum_{n \ge 1} B_{\mu}^{(n)}(x^{\mu})\psi_{n}(z)$$
$$A_{z}(x^{\mu}, z) = \sum_{n \ge 0} \varphi^{(n)}(x^{\mu})\phi_{n}(z)$$

complete sets Chosen to diagonalize kinetic & mass terms of $B^{(n)}_{\mu}, \varphi^{(n)}$

 $\varphi^{(0)} \sim \text{pion} \quad B^{(1)}_{\mu} \sim \rho \text{ meson} \quad B^{(2)}_{\mu} \sim a_1 \text{ meson} \quad \cdots$

$$S_{5\dim}(A) = S_{4\dim}(\pi, \rho, a_1, \rho', a_1', \cdots)$$

Reproduces old phenomenological models

- Vector meson dominance[Gell-Mann-Zachariasen 1961, Sakurai 1969]Gell-Mann Sharp Wagner model[Gell-Mann -Sharp-Wagner 1962]Hidden local symmetry[Bando-Kugo-Uehara-Yamawaki-Yanagida 1985]
- Masses and couplings roughly agree with experiments.

Quantitative tests

[Sakai-S.S. 2004, 2005]

(Our model vs Experiment)

Meson mass

mass	ρ	a_1	ho'	(a'_{1})	ho''
exp.(MeV)	776	1230	1465	(1640)	1720
our model	[776]	1189	1607	2023	2435
ratio	[1]	1.03	0.911	(0.811)	0.706

input $(M_{KK} \simeq 949 \text{ MeV})$

coupling

coupling		fitting $m_ ho$ and f_π	experiment
f_{π}	$1.13 \cdot \kappa^{1/2} M_{KK}$	[92.4 MeV]	92.4 MeV
L_1	$0.0785 \cdot \kappa$	$0.584 imes 10^{-3}$	$(0.1 \sim 0.7) imes 10^{-3}$
L_2	$0.157\cdot\kappa$	$1.17 imes10^{-3}$	$(1.1\sim1.7) imes10^{-3}$
L_{3}	$-0.471\cdot\kappa$	$-3.51 imes10^{-3}$	$-(2.4 \sim 4.6) imes 10^{-3}$
L_9	$1.17\cdot\kappa$	$8.74 imes 10^{-3}$	$(6.2 \sim 7.6) imes 10^{-3}$
L_{10}	$-1.17\cdot\kappa$	$-8.74 imes 10^{-3}$	$-(4.8 \sim 6.3) \times 10^{-3}$
$g_{ ho\pi\pi}$	$0.415\cdot\kappa^{-1/2}$	4.81	5.99
$g_ ho$	2.11 $\cdot \kappa^{1/2} M_{KK}^2$	0.164 GeV ²	0.121 GeV ²
$g_{a_1 ho\pi}$	$0.421 \cdot \kappa^{-1/2} M_{\rm KK}$	4.63 GeV	$2.8 \sim 4.2 { m GeV}$

What about baryons?

- In 1961, Skyrme proposed
 Baryons are solitons (Skyrmion) in a pion effective theory.
- In 1983, Adkins-Nappi-Witten (ANW)

succeeded to calculate the static properties (mean square radii, magnetic moment, axial coupling, etc.) by quantizing the collective modes of the Skyrmion.



<u>Q</u>. Can we apply the idea of ANW to our system?



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2 Brief summary of the model [Sakai-S.S. 2004]

Type IIA string theory in Witten's D4 background

+ N_f Probe D8-branes (assuming $N_c \gg N_f$) dual 4 dim QCD with N_f massless quarks at low energy



The effective theory on the D8-branes

*N*_f D8-branes extended along $(x^{\mu}, z) \times S^4 \subset \mathbb{R}^{1,3} \times \mathbb{R}^2 \times S^4$ ← Low energy $z \to +\infty$

9 dim *U*(*N*_{*f*}) gauge theory

- Reducing S^4 (Here we only consider *SO(5)* invariant states)

5 dim *U(N_f)* YM-CS theory

$$A_\mu(x^
u,z), A_z(x^
u,z)$$
 $\mu,
u = 0 \sim 3$
5 dim gauge field

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$$\kappa = \frac{\lambda N_{c}}{216\pi^{3}} \equiv a \lambda N_{c} \qquad h(z) = (1 + z^{2})^{-1/3} \qquad (M_{KK} = 1 \text{ unit})$$

[See also, Son-Stephanov 2003]



Skyrmion

Instanton

• **Classical solution** (We consentrate on the $N_f = 2$ case.)

The instanton solution for the Yang-Mills action

$$S_{\rm YM} = \kappa \int d^4 x dz \, {\rm Tr} \left(\frac{1}{2} h(z) F_{\mu\nu}^2 + k(z) F_{\mu z}^2 \right)$$

shrinks to zero size !

The Chern-Simons term makes it larger U(1) part $S_{\rm CS} = \frac{N_c}{24\pi^2} \int_{5} \omega_5(A) = \frac{N_c}{16\pi^2} \int d^4x dz \, A_0^{U(1)} \, \epsilon^{ijk} {\rm Tr} F_{ij} F_{kz} + \cdots$ source of the U(1) charge Non-zero for instanton total SU(2) part $(N_f = 2)$ Stabilized at $\rho_{cl}^2 = \frac{N_c}{8\pi^2\kappa} \sqrt{\frac{6}{5}}$ U(1) part [Hong-Rho-Yee-Yi 2007] ρ (size) [Hata-Sakai-S.S.-Yamato 2007] • Note that $\rho_{cl} \sim \mathcal{O}(\lambda^{-1/2})$

If λ is large enough, the 5 dim space-time can be approximated by the flat space-time. (The effect of the non-trivial z-dependence is taken into account perturbatively.)

Z = 0 $Z_{cl} = 0$ $k(z) \simeq h(z) \simeq 1 \quad (\text{for } |z| \ll 1)$ $x^{1 \sim 3}$

→ The leading order classical solution is the BPST instanton with $\rho = \rho_{\rm Cl}$ and $Z = Z_{\rm Cl} = 0$

$$A_M^{\text{Cl}} = -i \frac{\xi^2}{\xi^2 + \rho^2} g \partial_M g^{-1} \qquad g = \frac{(z - Z) - i(\vec{x} - \vec{X}) \cdot \vec{\tau}}{\xi} \\ \xi = \sqrt{(\vec{x} - \vec{X})^2 + (z - Z)^2}$$

 ρ : size (\vec{X}, Z) : position of the instanton

4 Quantization

time

Consider a slowly moving (rotating) baryon configuration. Use the moduli space approximation method :

Instanton moduli $\mathcal{M} \ni (X^{\alpha}) \longrightarrow (X^{\alpha}(t))$ $\uparrow (\alpha = 1, 2, \cdots, \dim \mathcal{M})$

Quantum Mechanics for $X^{lpha}(t)$

For SU(2) one instanton,

 $A_M(t,x) \sim A_M^{\mathsf{Cl}}(x; X^{\alpha}(t))$

$$\mathcal{M} \simeq \{ (\vec{X}, Z, \rho) \} \times SU(2) / \mathbb{Z}_2 \quad \mathbb{Z}_2 : \mathbf{a} \to -\mathbf{a}$$
position size $\overset{\mathsf{U}}{\mathbf{a}} \leftarrow SU(2)$ orientation

$$L_{\mathsf{QM}} = \frac{G_{\alpha\beta}}{2} \dot{X}^{\alpha} \dot{X}^{\beta} - U(X^{\alpha}) \qquad U(X^{\alpha}) = 8\pi^2 \kappa \left(1 + \left(\frac{\rho^2}{6} + \frac{3^6 \pi^2}{5 \lambda^2 \rho^2} + \frac{Z^2}{3} \right) + \cdots \right)$$
Note (\vec{X}, \mathbf{a}) : genuine moduli (the same as in the Skyrme model)
 (ρ, Z) : new degrees of freedom, added since they are light compared with the other massive modes.

- Solving the Schrodinger equation for this Quantum mechanics, we obtain the baryon states
 - Generalization of Adkins-Nappi-Witten including vector mesons and p, Z modes

We can construct baryon states for $n, p, \Delta(1232), N(1440), N(1530), \cdots$

Example Nucleon wave function:

$$\psi(\vec{X}, \mathbf{a}, \rho, Z) \propto e^{i\vec{p}\cdot\vec{X}} R(\rho)\psi_Z(Z)T(\mathbf{a})$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} R(\rho) = \rho^{\tilde{l}}e^{-A\rho^2} & \tilde{l} = -1 + 2\sqrt{1 + N_c^2/5} \\ \psi_Z(\rho) = e^{-AZ^2} & A = \frac{8\pi^2\kappa}{\sqrt{6}} \\ T(\mathbf{a}) = a_1 + ia_2 \text{ for } |p\uparrow\rangle \text{ etc.} \end{pmatrix}$$

Baryon spectrum



- <u>Note:</u> We only consider the mass difference, since $O(N_c^0)$ term in M_0 is not known.
 - $M_{KK} \simeq 949 \text{ MeV}$ (fixed by ρ -meson mass) is a bit too large. It looks better if M_{KK} were around 500 MeV.



[Hashimoto-Sakai-S.S.2008]

[See also, Hata-Murata-Yamato 2008]

- Chiral symmetry $U(N_f)_L \times U(N_f)_R \longrightarrow (A_{L\mu}(x), A_{R\mu}(x))$
- Interpreted as

with

$$A_{L\mu}(x) = \lim_{z \to +\infty} A_{\mu}(x, z) \qquad A_{R\mu}(x) = \lim_{z \to -\infty} A_{\mu}(x, z)$$
$$\Rightarrow S_{5 \dim} \Big|_{\mathcal{O}(A_L, A_R)} = -\int d^4x \left(A^a_{L\mu} J^{a\mu}_L + A^a_{R\mu} J^{a\mu}_R \right)$$

$$J_{L\mu} = -\kappa \left(k(z) F_{\mu z} \right) \Big|_{z=+\infty} \quad J_{R\mu} = +\kappa \left(k(z) F_{\mu z} \right) \Big|_{z=-\infty}$$

vector and axial vector currents

$$J_{V}^{\mu} \equiv J_{L}^{\mu} + J_{R}^{\mu} = -\kappa \left[k(z) F^{\mu z} \right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty}$$

$$J_{A}^{\mu} \equiv J_{L}^{\mu} - J_{R}^{\mu} = -\kappa \left[\psi_{0}(z) k(z) F^{\mu z} \right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty} (\psi_{0}(\pm\infty) = \pm 1)$$

How to calculate

- We need to know how $F_{\mu z}(x,z)$ behaves at $z \to \pm \infty$
 - → We cannot use the solution in the flat space.
- The EOM are complicated non-linear equations.

→ difficult to solve exactly.

We use the following trick to calculate the currents.





[Hashimoto-Sakai-S.S.2008]

[See also, Hong-Rho-Yee-Yi 2007, Hata-Murata-Yamato 2008]

Now we are ready to calculate various physical quantities

But, don't trust too much !

- λ may not be large enough.
- Higher derivative terms may contribute.
- $N_c = 3$ is not large enough.
- The model deviates from real QCD at high energy $\sim M_{\rm KK}$
- We use $M_{KK} \simeq 949$ MeV (value consistent with ρ meson mass) But we know this is too large to fit the baryon mass differences.

Baryon number current

$$J_B^{\mu} = -\frac{2}{N_c} \kappa \left[k(z) F_{U(1)}^{\mu z} \right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty} \quad \text{U(1) part of the U(2) gauge field}$$

$$J_B^{\mathbf{0}} \simeq \left[k(z)\partial_z G\right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty} \qquad J_B^i \simeq -\frac{J^j}{16\pi^2\kappa}\epsilon^{ijk}\partial_k J_B^{\mathbf{0}} + \cdots$$

 $\begin{pmatrix} G: \text{ Green's function } (h(z)\partial_i^2 + \partial_z k(z)\partial)G = \delta^3(\vec{x} - \vec{X})\delta(z - Z) \\ J^j: \text{Spin operator } J^j = -i4\pi^2\kappa\rho^2\operatorname{tr}(\tau^j \mathrm{a}^{-1}\dot{\mathrm{a}}) \end{pmatrix}$

Note: $k(z) \sim z^2$, $\partial_z G \sim 1/z^2$ at $z \to \pm \infty$

 \longrightarrow J_B^{μ} is non-zero, finite.

Isoscalar mean square radius

$$\langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0} = \int d^3x \, r^2 \, J_B^0 \simeq (0.742 \text{ fm})^2$$

$$\uparrow$$
Numerical estimate using $M_{\text{KK}} \simeq 949 \text{ MeV}$
(fixed by ρ -meson mass)

$$\left(\text{cf. } \langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0}^{1/2} \Big|_{\text{exp}} = \frac{0.806}{0.806} \text{ fm}, \ \langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0}^{1/2} \Big|_{\text{ANW}} = 0.59 \text{ fm} \right)$$

Isoscalar magnetic moment

$$\mu_{I=0}^{i} = \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^{ijk} \int d^{3}x \, x^{j} J_{B}^{k} \simeq \frac{J^{i}}{16\pi^{2}\kappa} \, J_{B}^{i} \simeq -\frac{J^{j}}{16\pi^{2}\kappa} \epsilon^{ijk} \partial_{k} J_{B}^{0} + \cdots$$

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For a spin up proton state $|p\uparrow\rangle$ Isoscalar g-factor $\langle p \uparrow | \mu_{I=0}^{i} | p \uparrow \rangle = \frac{\delta^{i3}}{32\pi^{2}\kappa} \equiv \frac{g_{I=0}}{4M_{N}} \delta^{i3}$ Nucleon mass $(M_N \simeq 940 \text{ MeV})$ $g_{I=0} = \frac{M_N}{8\pi^2 \kappa M_{\rm KK}} \simeq 1.68$ $M_{\rm KK} \simeq 949$ MeV, $\kappa \simeq 0.00745$ (fixed by m_{ρ}) (fixed by f_{π}) $\left(\text{cf. } g_{I=0} \Big|_{\text{exp}} \simeq 1.76, g_{I=0} \Big|_{\text{ANW}} = 1.11 \right)$

Summary of the results

	our result	exp.	ANW
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0}^{1/2}$	0.74 fm	0.81 fm	0.59 fm
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{I=1}^{1/2}$	0.74 fm	0.94 fm	∞ ×
$\langle r^2 \rangle_A^{1/2}$	0.54 fm	0.67 fm	_
$g_{I=0}$	1.7	1.8	1.1
$g_{I=1}$	7.0	9.4	6.4
g_A	0.73	1.3	0.61

- X pion loop contribution is log divergent in the chiral limit. Our calculation corresponds to the tree level in ChPT.
- Solution We can also evaluate these for excited baryons such as $\Delta(1232), N(1440), N(1535), \cdots$

Form factors

$$\langle N, \vec{p}' | J_{\text{em}}^{\mu}(0) | N, \vec{p} \rangle = \overline{u}(p', s') \left[\gamma^{\mu} F_1(q^2) + \frac{i}{2m_N} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_{\nu} F_2(q^2) \right] u(p, s)$$

Breit frame: $\vec{p}' = -\vec{p} = \vec{q}/2$ $(q = p' - p) \qquad N$

Dirac form factor Pauli form factor

Breit frame:
$$\vec{p}' = -\vec{p} = \vec{q}/2$$

$$\langle N, \vec{q}/2 | J_{\text{em}}^0(0) | N, -\vec{q}/2 \rangle = G_E(\vec{q}^2) \chi_{s'}^{\dagger} \chi_s$$

$$\langle N, \vec{q}/2 | J_{\text{em}}^i(0) | N, -\vec{q}/2 \rangle = \frac{i}{2m_N} G_M(\vec{q}^2) \chi_{s'}^\dagger(\vec{q} \times \vec{\sigma}) \chi_s$$

Sachs form factor

$$G_E(q^2) = F_1(q^2) + \frac{q^2}{4m_N^2}F_2(q^2)$$
$$G_M(q^2) = F_1(q^2) + F_2(q^2)$$

Electric form factor Magnetic form factor

 $N \ \prime \ p'$

p

Dipole behavior

dipole ($\Lambda \simeq 0.71 \text{ GeV}^2$) **Experimental data suggest** $G_E^p(Q^2) \simeq \frac{1}{\mu_p} G_M^p(Q^2) \simeq \frac{1}{\mu_n} G_M^n(Q^2) \simeq \frac{1}{(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\Lambda^2})^2} \qquad G_E^n(Q^2) \simeq 0$ G_E^p G_M^n/μ_n G_M^p/μ_p 10[°] 10 : dipole 0.923 G_{Mn}/μ_n G_{Mp}/μ_p 0.95 dots : data 5 0.900 0.875 10^{-1} 10^{-1} 10^{-1} dipole dipole 10 dipole 10^{-1} 10⁰ 10^{-2} 10^{-1} 10^{-2} 10^{-2} 10^{-1} 10^{0} Q^2 (GeV²) Q^2 (GeV²) Q^2 (GeV²) G_E^n $1 \, \text{GeV}^2$ ---- natio 0.05 Lassia -

O² [(GeV/c)²]



$$G_E^p(Q^2) = \frac{1}{\mu_p} G_M^p(Q^2) = \frac{1}{\mu_n} G_M^n(Q^2) = \sum_{n \ge 1} \frac{g_{v^n} g_{v^n NN}}{Q^2 + m_n^2} \qquad G_E^n(Q^2) = 0$$

with
$$g_{v^n} = -2\kappa(k(z)\partial_z\psi_{2n-1})\Big|_{z=+\infty}$$

 $g_{v^nNN} = \langle \psi_{2n-1}(Z) \rangle$



Vector meson dominance

• Can this be compatible with dipole?

$$\begin{split} G^p_E(Q^2) \simeq 1 - 2.38Q^2 + 4.02(Q^2)^2 - 6.20(Q^2)^3 + 9.35(Q^2)^4 - 14.0(Q^2)^5 + \cdots \\ \frac{1}{(1+Q^2/\Lambda^2)^2} \simeq 1 - 2.38Q^2 + 4.24(Q^2)^2 - 6.71(Q^2)^3 + 9.97(Q^2)^4 - 14.2(Q^2)^5 + \cdots \\ \text{ with } \Lambda^2 = 0.758 \text{ GeV}^2 \end{split} \qquad (M_{\text{KK}} = 1 \text{ unit})$$

5 Conclusion

- We proposed a new method to analyze static properties of baryons.
- Our model automatically includes the contributions from various massive vector and axial-vector mesons.
- Compared with the similar analysis in the Skyrme model (ANW), the agreement with the experimental values are improved in most of the cases.
- But, we should keep in mind that our analysis is still very crude and there are a lot of ambiguities remain unsolved.

Back up slides



$$J_V^{a\,\mu} = -\kappa \left[k(z) F_{SU(2)}^{a\,\mu z} \right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty}$$
 SU(2) part of the U(2) gauge field

$$J_V^{a\,0} \simeq \mathbf{I}^a J_B^0 + \cdots \qquad J_V^{a\,i} \simeq 2\pi^2 \kappa \rho^2 \operatorname{tr}(\tau^a \mathbf{a} \tau^j \mathbf{a}^{-1}) \,\epsilon^{ijk} \partial_k J_B^0 + \cdots$$

$$\left(I^a : \text{Isospin operator} \quad I^a = -i4\pi^2 \kappa \rho^2 \operatorname{tr}(\tau^a a \dot{a}^{-1}) \right)$$

• We can easily check that

$$Q_V^a = \int d^3x \, J_V^{a0} = I^a$$
 : iso-spin operator

• The ele-mag current is given by

 $J_{\rm em}^{\mu} = J_V^{3\mu} + J_B^{\mu}/2 \quad \longleftarrow \quad Q_{\rm em} = I^3 + Q_B/2$

Isovector magnetic moment

$$\mu_{I=1}^{i} = \epsilon^{ijk} \int d^{3}x \, x^{j} J_{V}^{3,k} \simeq -4\pi^{2} \kappa \rho^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{a}\tau^{i} \mathbf{a}^{-1} \tau^{3})$$

$$\bigwedge_{J_{V}^{a\,i}} \simeq 2\pi^{2} \kappa \rho^{2} \operatorname{tr}(\tau^{a} \mathbf{a}\tau^{j} \mathbf{a}^{-1}) \, \epsilon^{ijk} \partial_{k} J_{B}^{0} + \cdots$$

For a spin up proton state $|p\uparrow\rangle$

$$\langle p\uparrow | \, \mu_{I=1}^{i} \, | p\uparrow \rangle = \frac{8\pi^{2}\kappa}{3} \langle \rho^{2} \rangle \delta^{i3} \equiv \frac{g_{I=1}}{4M_{N}} \, \delta^{i3}$$

• If we approximate $\langle \rho^2 \rangle$ by its classical value $\rho_{cl}^2 = \frac{N_c}{8\pi^2\kappa} \sqrt{\frac{6}{5}}$

$$g_{I=1} \simeq \frac{M_N}{M_{\text{KK}}} \cdot \frac{N_c}{3} \cdot 4\sqrt{\frac{6}{5}} \simeq 4.34 \quad \left(\text{cf. } g_{I=1}\Big|_{\text{exp}} \simeq 9.4, \ g_{I=0}\Big|_{\text{ANW}} = 6.38 \right)$$

• If we evaluate $\langle \rho^2 \rangle$ by using the nucleon wavefunction,

$$\langle \rho^2 \rangle = \rho_{\rm Cl}^2 \left(\sqrt{1 + \frac{5}{N_c^2}} + \frac{\sqrt{5}}{2N_c} \right) \simeq 1.62 \,\rho_{\rm Cl}^2 \quad \Longrightarrow \quad g_{I=1} \simeq 7.03$$

magnetic moment

The magnetic moments for proton and neutron (in the unit of Bohr magneton $\mu_N = \frac{1}{2M_N}$) are

$$\mu_{p} = \frac{1}{4} (g_{I=0} + g_{I=1}) \simeq 2.18 \qquad \mu_{n} = \frac{1}{4} (g_{I=0} - g_{I=1}) \simeq -1.34$$

$$g_{I=0} \simeq 1.68, \ g_{I=1} \simeq 7.03$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \text{cf.} \ \mu_{p} | \exp \simeq 2.79, & \mu_{n} | \exp \simeq -1.91, \\ \mu_{p} | \text{ANW} \simeq 1.87, & \mu_{n} | \text{ANW} \simeq -1.31, \end{pmatrix}$$

Since $g_{I=0} = O(N_c^0)$ and $g_{I=1} = O(N_c^2)$ these values may not be meaningful.

Axial coupling

The axial coupling g_A is defined by

$$\int d^3x \langle J_A^{a\,i} \rangle = \frac{g_A}{3} \langle \sigma^i \tau^a \rangle \qquad \langle \cdots \rangle : \text{expectation value} \\ \underset{\text{spin} \text{ isospin}}{} \qquad \qquad \forall \cdots \rangle : \text{expectation value}$$

$$J_A^{a\,i} \simeq -2\pi^2 \kappa \rho^2 \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{a}\tau^j \mathbf{a}^{-1}\tau^a) \left[\psi_0(z)k(z)(\partial_i \partial_j - \delta_{ij}\partial_k^2) \mathbf{H} \right]_{z=-\infty}^{z=+\infty} + \cdots$$

$\begin{pmatrix} H: \text{ Green's function} \\ (k(z)\partial_i^2 + k(z)\partial_z h(z)^{-1}\partial k(z))H = \delta^3(\vec{x} - \vec{X})\delta(z - Z) \end{pmatrix}$

formula

$$\int d^3x \,\partial_i^2 \left(-\frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{1}{r} \right) = 1$$

$$\langle \operatorname{tr}(\mathbf{a}\tau^j \mathbf{a}^{-1}\tau^a) \rangle = -\frac{2}{3} \langle \sigma^i \tau^a \rangle$$

$$g_A = \frac{16\pi\kappa}{3} \left\langle \frac{\rho^2}{k(Z)} \right\rangle$$

• If we approximate $\left\langle \frac{\rho^2}{k(Z)} \right\rangle$ by its classical value $\rho_{cl}^2 = \frac{N_c}{8\pi^2\kappa} \sqrt{\frac{6}{5}}$

$$g_A \simeq \frac{2N_c}{3\pi} \sqrt{\frac{6}{5}} \simeq 0.697 \qquad \left(\text{cf. } g_A \Big|_{\text{exp}} \simeq 1.27, \ g_A \Big|_{\text{ANW}} = 0.61 \right)$$

$$N_c = 3$$

• If we evaluate $\left\langle \frac{\rho^2}{k(Z)} \right\rangle$ by using the nucleon wavefunction, $\left\langle \rho^2 \right\rangle \simeq 1.62 \rho_{\text{Cl}}^2 \qquad \left\langle \frac{1}{k(Z)} \right\rangle \simeq 0.639 \implies g_A \simeq 0.722$

Note: It is possible to show that the Goldberger-Treiman relation is satisfied.

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

Summary table

	our model	Skyrmion[14]	experiment
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{I=0}^{1/2}$	$0.742~\mathrm{fm}$	$0.59 \ \mathrm{fm}$	$0.806~{\rm fm}$
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{\mathrm{M},I=0}^{1/2}$	$0.742~\mathrm{fm}$	0.92 fm	0.814 fm
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{\mathrm{E,p}}$	$(0.742 \text{ fm})^2$	∞	$(0.875 \text{ fm})^2$
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{\rm E,n}$	0	$-\infty$	-0.116 fm^2
$\langle r^2 \rangle_{\rm M,p}$	$(0.742 \text{ fm})^2$	∞	$(0.855 \text{ fm})^2$
$\langle r^2 angle_{ m M,n}$	$(0.742 \text{ fm})^2$	∞	$(0.873 \text{ fm})^2$
$\langle r^2 \rangle_A^{1/2}$	0.537 fm	_	$0.674~\mathrm{fm}$
μ_p	2.18	1.87	2.79
μ_n	-1.34	-1.31	-1.91
$\frac{\mu_p}{\mu_n}$	1.63	1.43	1.46
g_A	0.73	0.61	1.27
$g_{\pi NN}$	7.46	8.9	13.2
$g_{ ho NN}$	5.80	_	$4.2 \sim 6.5$