

K^+N elastic scattering for estimation of in-medium quark condensate with strange

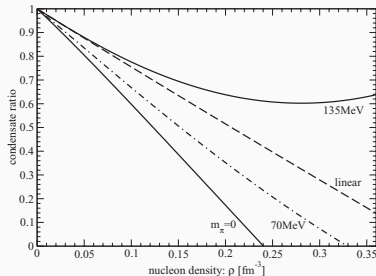
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Partial restoration of ChSB in-medium

- Chiral symmetry (ChS) is spontaneously broken by physical states (ChSB)
 - Quark condensate $\Rightarrow \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle \neq 0$
 - ChS is considered to be **partially restored** even at finite density like nuclei
 - $|\langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle|$ is expected to decrease in nuclear medium
- want to investigate the behavior of in-medium quark condensate from **observables**

In-medium quark condensate $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d \rangle^*$



taken from N. Kaiser *et al.*, PRC 77, 025204 (2008)

- Chiral symmetry is 30% restored at normal nuclear density
- Theoretical prediction can be seen in π -nucleus system experimentally

pionic atom:

- K. Suzuki *et al.*, PRL 92, 072302 (2004);
- E. E. Kolomeitsev *et al.*, PRL 90, 092501 (2003);
- Jido, Hatsuda, Kunihiro, PLB 670, 109 (2008)

- up to linear-density:

$$\frac{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d \rangle^*}{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d \rangle_0} = 1 - \frac{\sigma_{\pi N}}{F_{\pi}^2 M_{\pi}^2} \rho$$

E.G. Drukarev, E.M. Levin, Nucl. Phys. A 511, 679 (1990)

- $c_1 = -\frac{\sigma_{\pi N}}{4M_{\pi}^2} = -0.59 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ with $\sigma_{\pi N} = 45 \text{ MeV}$ determined by πN scattering
J. Gasser, H. Leutwyler, and M. E. Sainio, Phys. Lett. B253, 252 (1991)

- 30 % reduction at ρ_0
(normal nuclear density 0.17 fm^{-3})

πA scattering:

- E. Friedman *et al.*, PRL 93, 122302 (2004); PRC 72, 034609 (2005)

In-medium condensate with strange quarks

Systematic point of view, we are interested in
in-medium quark condensate with strange $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$:

- 1 represent $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$ in terms of correlation function Π^{ab}
- 2 expand Π^{ab} based on low-density theorem then obtain $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$ in terms of T_{KN} in soft-limit $q \rightarrow 0$
- 3 calculate T_{KN} with ChPT and the LECs are determined from the experiments
- 4 evaluate $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$ using the obtained T_{KN}

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$\langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle^*$ is obtained by evaluating Π^{ab} with soft-limit $q \rightarrow 0$

$(q^\mu \Pi_{5\mu}^{ab}(q))$ vanishes in soft-limit because of no zero modes.)

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$$\begin{aligned} \langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^* &= -i \frac{m + m_s}{2} \Pi^{4+i5, 4-i5}(q=0; \rho) \\ &= -i \frac{m + m_s}{2} \left\langle \left(\frac{P^4(0) + iP^5(0)}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \left(\frac{P^4(0) - iP^5(0)}{\sqrt{2}} \right) \right\rangle^* \\ &\sim -i \frac{m + m_s}{2} \langle \Omega | K^-(q)K^+(q) | \Omega \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Low-density expansion of $\Pi^{4+i5,4-i5}$

Low-density theorem (E.G. Drukarev, E.M. Levin, Nucl. Phys. A 511, 679 (1990))

$$\langle \Omega | \mathcal{O} | \Omega \rangle = \langle 0 | \mathcal{O} | 0 \rangle + \rho \langle N | \mathcal{O} | N \rangle + O(\rho^{n>1})$$

Applying to Π^{ab} :

$$\Pi^{4+i5,4-i5}(q; \rho) = G_K \langle 0 | K^-(q) K^+(q) | 0 \rangle + \rho G_K \langle N | K^-(q) K^+(q) | N \rangle + O(\rho^{n>1})$$

$$G_K \equiv \langle 0 | \frac{P^4 - iP^5}{\sqrt{2}} | K^+ \rangle$$

and using the reduction formula (S. Weinberg, Phys. Rev. Lett. 17, 616 (1966)):

$$\langle N | K^-(q) K^+(q) | N \rangle = \frac{i}{q^2 - M_K^2} \frac{1}{q^2 - M_K^2} \left(-\frac{T_{KN}(q)}{2M_N} \right),$$

we obtain

$$\frac{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*}{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle_0} = \left(1 + \frac{\rho}{M_K^2} \frac{T_{KN}(q=0)}{2M_N} \right).$$

Construction of T_{KN}

In order to evaluate $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$, T_{KN} is needed:

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- 1 construct K^+N scattering amplitude by ChPT:
 - ChPT is suitable for taking soft-limit
 - T_{KN} includes the low-energy constants
 - In order to improve **extrapolation to strange quark sector**, add some NNLO in addition to Leading Order + NLO, 12 LECs

Construction of T_{KN} : LO

Isospin combinations:

$$T_{K^+p \rightarrow K^+p} = T_{KN}^{I=1}$$

$$T_{K^+n \rightarrow K^+n} = \frac{1}{2}(T_{KN}^{I=1} + T_{KN}^{I=0})$$

$$T_{K^+n \rightarrow K^0p} = \frac{1}{2}(T_{KN}^{I=1} - T_{KN}^{I=0})$$

calculate $T_{KN}^{I=0,1}$

- Leading order of SU(3) chiral Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L}_{MB}^{(1)} = \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}(i\not{D} - M_0)B\} - \frac{D}{2} \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}\gamma^\mu\gamma^5\{u_\mu, B\}\} - \frac{F}{2} \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}\gamma^\mu\gamma^5[u_\mu, B]\}$$

$$D = 0.80, \quad F = 0.46$$

Construction of T_{KN} : NLO

- NLO of SU(3) chiral Lagrangian: Aoki, Jido, PTEP2019,013D01(19)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}_{MB}^{(2)} = & b_D \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}\{\chi_+, B\}\} + b_F \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}[\chi_+, B]\} + b_0 \text{Tr}\{\bar{B}B\} \text{Tr}\{\chi_+\} \\
 & + d_1 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\{u_\mu, [u^\mu, B]\}) + d_2 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[u_\mu, [u^\mu, B]]) + d_3 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}u_\mu)\text{Tr}(u^\mu B) \\
 & + d_4 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}B)\text{Tr}(u^\mu u_\mu) \\
 & - \frac{g_1}{8M_N^2} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\{u_\mu, [u_\nu, \{D^\mu, D^\nu\}B]\}) - \frac{g_2}{8M_N^2} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[u_\mu, [u_\nu, \{D^\mu, D^\nu\}B]]) \\
 & - \frac{g_3}{8M_N^2} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}u_\mu)\text{Tr}(u_\nu, \{D^\mu, D^\nu\}B) - \frac{g_4}{8M_N^2} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\{D^\mu, D^\nu\}B)\text{Tr}(u_\mu u_\nu) \\
 & - \frac{h_1}{4} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu]Bu_\mu u_\nu) - \frac{h_2}{4} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu]u_\mu[u_\nu, B]) \\
 & - \frac{h_3}{4} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu]u_\mu\{u_\nu, B\}) - \frac{h_4}{4} \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\gamma^\mu, \gamma^\nu]u_\mu)\text{Tr}(u_\nu B) + \text{h.c.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$b^{I=0} = b_0 - b_F,$$

$$d^{I=0} = 2d_1 + d_3 - 2d_4,$$

$$g^{I=0} = 2g_1 + g_3 - 2g_4,$$

$$h^{I=0} = h_1 + h_2 + h_3 + h_4,$$

$$b^{I=1} = b_0 + b_D,$$

$$d^{I=1} = -2d_2 - d_3 - 2d_4,$$

$$g^{I=1} = -2g_2 - g_3 - 2g_4,$$

$$h^{I=1} = h_1 - h_2 - h_3 - h_4.$$

Construction of T_{KN} : NNLO

- In order to improve **extrapolation to strange quark sector**, we introduce some terms which contain strange quark mass from the next-to-next-to-leading order (NNLO): Oller et al. JHEP09 (2006) 079

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{MB}^{(3)} = & v_D \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\{\chi_-, \gamma_5 B\}) + v_F \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\chi_-, \gamma_5 B]) \\ & + w_1 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\gamma_\mu B[\chi_-, u^\mu]) + w_2 \text{Tr}(\bar{B}[\chi_-, u^\mu]\gamma_\mu B) \\ & + w_3 [\text{Tr}(\bar{B}u^\mu) \text{Tr}(\chi_- \gamma_\mu B) - \text{Tr}(\bar{B}\chi_-) \text{Tr}(u^\mu \gamma_\mu B)]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}v_- = v_D - v_F, & & v_+ = v_D + 3v_F, \\ w^{I=0} = w_1 - w_2 + w_3, & & w^{I=1} = w_1 + w_2 - w_3\end{aligned}$$

Strange quark mass is contained in χ_-

Construction of T_{KN} : in-medium condensate

KN scattering amplitudes:

$$T_{KN}^I = T_{\text{WT}}^I + T_{\text{Born}}^I + T_{\text{NLO}}^I + T_{\text{NNLO}}^I$$

Taking isospin-average and soft-limit, we have

$$\frac{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*}{\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle_0} = 1 + \frac{(3b^{I=1} + b^{I=0})}{F_K^2} \rho$$

Construction of T_{KN} : Fitting

In order to evaluate $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$, we need to obtain T_{KN} :

② fit LECs to the experimental data:

- K^+p elastic diff. cross sections, $P_{\text{lab}} = 145$ to 726 MeV/ c
- $K^+n \rightarrow K^0p$ diff. cross sections, $P_{\text{lab}} = 434$ to 780 MeV/ c
- $I = 1, 0$ total cross sections

Two choices for $I = 0$ total cross section data:

- Carroll et al. 1973
- Bowen et al. 1970, 1973 ← Broad resonance could exist
Aoki, Jido, PTEP2019,013D01(19)

Construction of T_{KN} : $I = 0$ broad resonance state

- **Broad resonance** with $I = 0, S = +1$ around $P_{\text{lab}} = 600$ MeV has been reported in Aoki, Jido, PTEP2019,013D01(19)

	Resonance (J^P)	mass [MeV]	width [MeV]
Solution 1	$P_{01} (\frac{1}{2}^+)$	1617	305
Solution 2	$P_{03} (\frac{3}{2}^+)$	1678	463

- The resonance may affect $I = 0$ $K^+ N$ scattering
→ fit LECs with
 - FIT 1: Carroll et al. (1973) for $I = 0$, no resonance
 - FIT 2: Bowen et al. (1970) for $I = 0$, no resonance
 - FIT 3: Bowen et al. (1970) for $I = 0$ and P_{01} resonance
 - FIT 4: Bowen et al. (1970) for $I = 0$ and P_{03} resonance

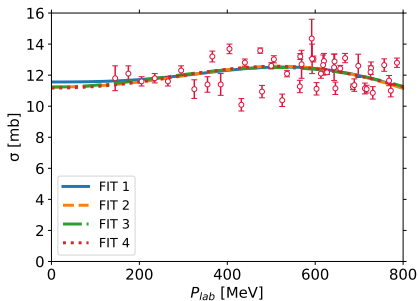
Fitted LECs

Fitting	FIT 1 (Carroll 1973)	FIT 2 (Bowen 1970)	FIT 3 (Bowen 1970 with P_{01})	FIT 4 (Bowen 1970 with P_{03})
$b^{I=1}$	-1.07 ± 0.11	-1.13 ± 0.10	-0.11 ± 0.12	-1.08 ± 0.11
$d^{I=1}$	-2.05 ± 0.20	-2.08 ± 0.17	0.19 ± 0.19	-1.97 ± 0.17
$g^{I=1}$	-0.82 ± 0.22	-0.90 ± 0.18	-0.80 ± 0.20	-1.01 ± 0.19
$h^{I=1}$	3.70 ± 0.50	4.20 ± 0.60	0.90 ± 0.54	4.20 ± 0.60
$w^{I=1}$	-0.76 ± 0.11	-1.01 ± 0.10	-0.36 ± 0.10	-1.05 ± 0.10
$b^{I=0}$	-3.66 ± 0.30	1.40 ± 0.40	2.40 ± 0.48	2.30 ± 0.40
$d^{I=0}$	-9.20 ± 0.40	-0.30 ± 0.40	-1.40 ± 0.58	-0.60 ± 0.50
$g^{I=0}$	1.50 ± 0.50	6.10 ± 0.70	8.30 ± 0.95	8.10 ± 0.80
$h^{I=0}$	16.30 ± 0.70	-3.90 ± 0.80	-1.60 ± 0.96	-4.90 ± 0.80
$w^{I=0}$	-0.57 ± 0.29	4.19 ± 0.35	4.90 ± 0.46	5.00 ± 0.40
v_-	42.90 ± 1.70	12.70 ± 1.70	5.00 ± 0.19	10.1 ± 1.70
v_+	-7.60 ± 0.90	4.60 ± 0.90	-0.36 ± 0.93	4.70 ± 0.90
χ_{dof}^2	2.41	2.75	2.95	2.96

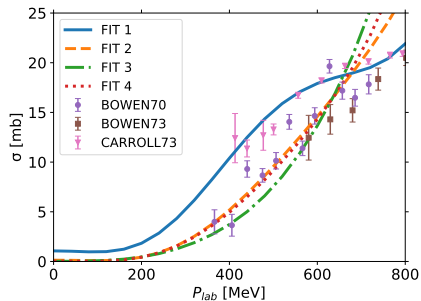
LECs except for w^I : GeV^{-1} , w^I : GeV^{-2}
 $I = 1$ LECs are better determined than $I = 0$ LECs.

Total cross section

$I = 1$ total cross section



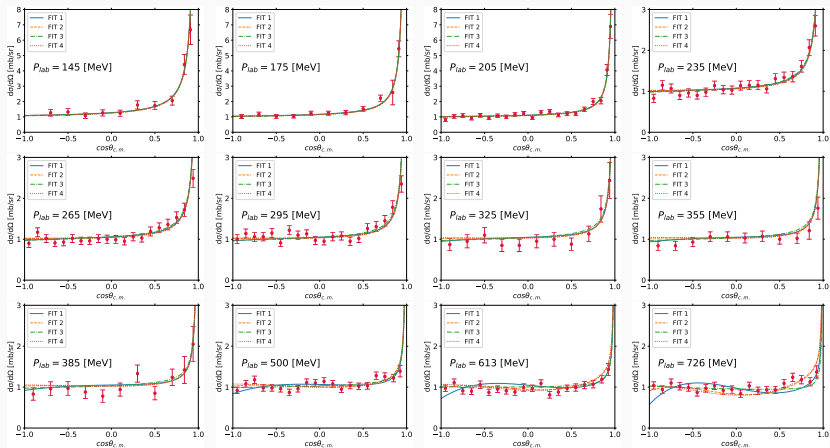
$I = 0$ total cross section



✓ $I = 1$ total cross section is reproduced very well

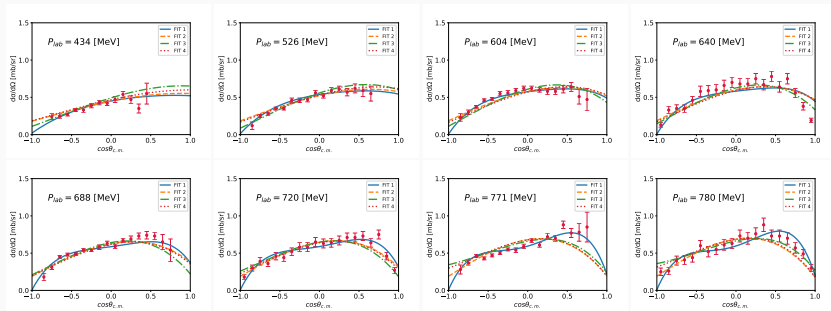
✓ $I = 0$ total cross section is also reproduced well

K^+p differential cross sections



✓ K^+p differential cross sections are reproduced very well

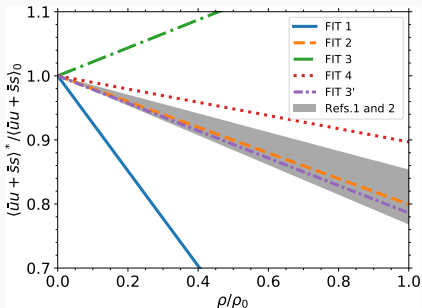
$K^+n \rightarrow K^0p$ charge exchange



✓ $K^+n \rightarrow K^0p$ differential cross sections are reproduced well

- The obtained LECs \rightarrow in-medium $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle$

Behavior of in-medium $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle$



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- Gray area: taken from L.S. Geng, *Frontiers of Physics* 8, 328 (2013), B. Kubis and U. G. Meißner, *Eur. Phys. J. C* 18, 747 (2001)
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Summary

- We derive $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$ using Correlation function approach and Low-density theorem
- We estimate LECs from K^+N elastic scattering to evaluate $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$
 - improve extrapolation to strange sector
 - consider effect of broad resonance state with $S = +1, I = 0$ around $P_{\text{lab}} = 600$ MeV
 - obtain the LECs good to reproduce the data
- Whether $\langle \bar{u}u + \bar{s}s \rangle^*$ increases or decreases and to what degree depends on the existence of resonances and the choice of data for $I = 0$
 - $I = 1$ K^+N scattering data: $P_{\text{lab}} = 145 - 786$ MeV
 - $I = 0$ K^+N scattering data: $P_{\text{lab}} = 366 - 794$ MeV

→ **Need lower energy data** with low ambiguity of $I = 0$ K^+N scattering in order to avoid the effect of the resonance and the choice of $I = 0$ total cross section

K^+n differential cross sections

K^+n elastic scattering are not reproduced
not used in fitting

