

What Makes Proton a Stable Particle and How Can the EIC Provides Insights

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- Mass and Rest Energy
- Rest Energy (Mass) Decomposition from Hamiltonian
- Gravitational Form Factors
- Trace anomaly and cosmological constant
- Insights from EIC

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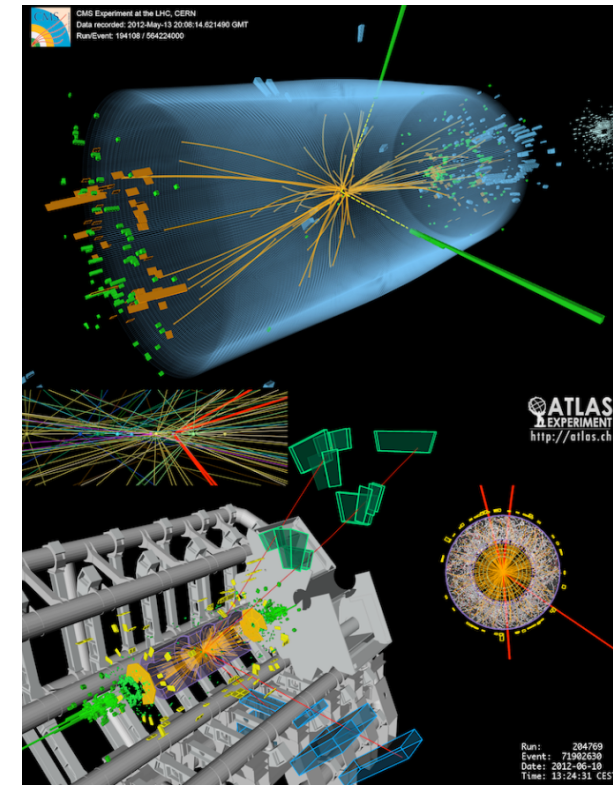
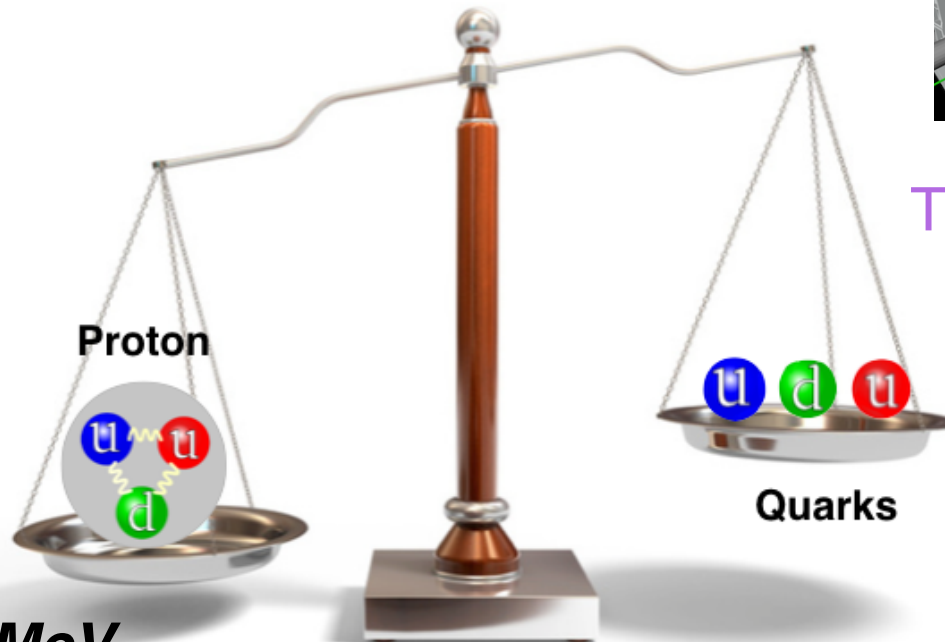
Motivation

Where does the proton mass come from, and how ?

But the mass of the proton is

$938.272046(21) \text{ MeV}$.

~100 times of the sum of the quark masses!



The Higgs boson make the u/d quark having masses (2GeV MS-bar):

$$m_u = 2.08(9) \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_d = 4.73(12) \text{ MeV}$$

Laiho, Lunghi, & Van de Water,
Phys.Rev.D81:034503,2010

Mass and Rest Energy

- $E = m c^2 \longrightarrow m$ increases with E ? converting mass to energy?
- $E_0 = m c^2$ (Einstein 1905, $m^2 = E^2 - p^2$)
- $e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ($m_{\gamma\gamma} = 2m_e$)
- E and p are additive, not mass
- In general relativity, the gravitational field is coupled to the EMT.
- In non-relativistic limit, Newton's law of force and universal gravitational involves E_0 or mass.
- Inertial mass and gravitational mass are the same mass.
- Relativistic mass is a misnomer, rest mass is redundant.
- -- L.B. Okun doi:10.1134/1.1358478

Rest Energy from Hamiltonian

- Energy momentum tensor (EMT)

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{4} \bar{\psi} \gamma_{(\mu} \vec{D}_{\nu)} \psi + G_{\mu\alpha} G_{\nu\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} \delta_{\mu\nu} G^2$$

- Separate the EMT into traceless part and trace part

$$T_R^{\mu\nu} = \bar{T}_R^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{4} \eta^{\mu\nu} (T^\rho_\rho)_R$$

X. Ji (1995)

- Hamiltonian -- $H = \int d^3 \vec{x} T^{00}(x)$

- With equation of motion (scale dependent)

$$H_m = \int d^3 \vec{x} \sum_f m_f \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f,$$

$$H_E(\mu) = \int d^3 \vec{x} \sum_f (\psi_f^\dagger i \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{D} \psi_f)_M,$$

Quark kinetic and potential energy

$$H_g(\mu) = \int d^3 \vec{x} \frac{1}{2} (B^2 + E^2)_M,$$

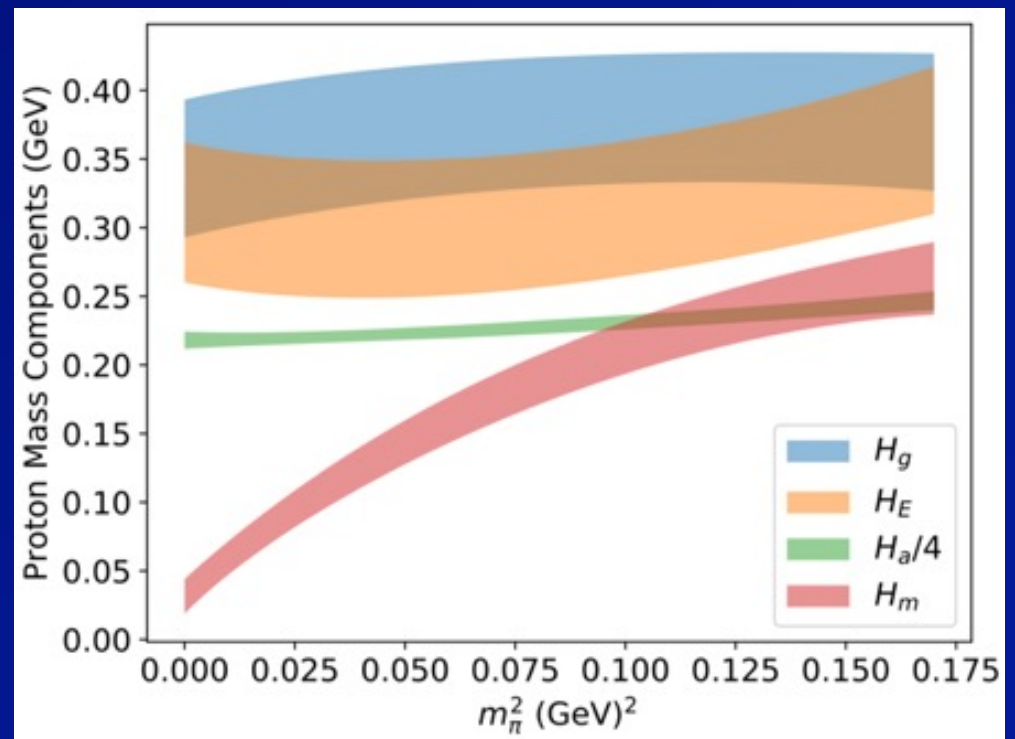
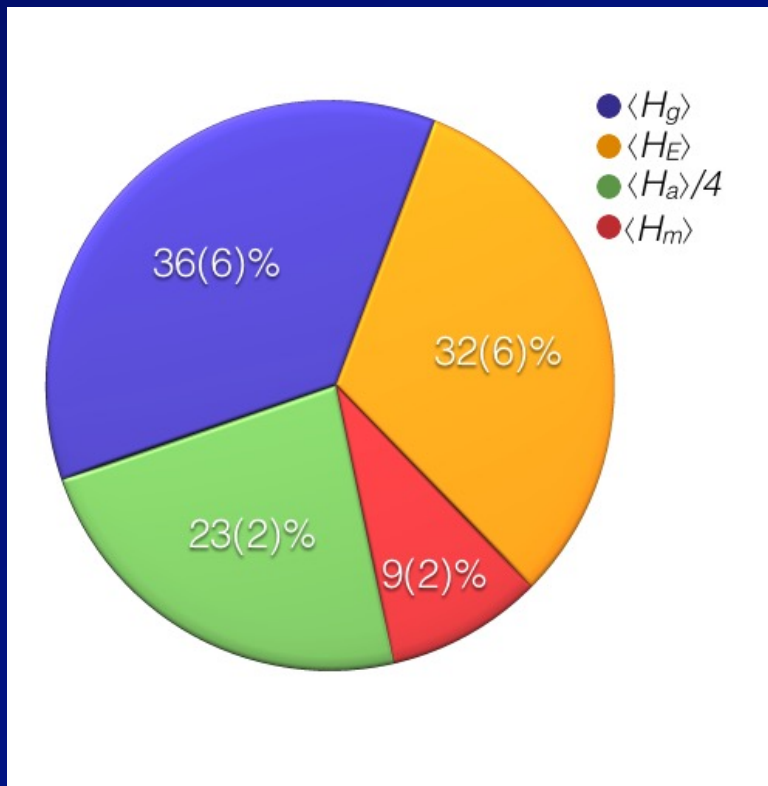
Glue field energy

$$H_{tr} = \int d^3 \vec{x} \frac{1}{4} (T^\mu_\mu)_R.$$

$$E_0 = M = \langle H_M \rangle + \langle H_E(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_g(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_{tr} \rangle,$$

Proton Mass Decomposition

Lattice calculation with systematics
(physical pion mass, continuum, infinite
volume extrapolations, renormalization)



Y.B. Yang et al (χ QCD), PRL 121, 212001 (2018)
Physic 11, 118 (2018); ScienceNews, Nov. 16 (2018)

Rest Energy from Hamiltonian

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- Hamiltonian -- $H = \int d^3\vec{x} T^{00}(x)$

$$H_q(\mu) = \int d^3\vec{x} \left(\frac{i}{4} \sum_f \bar{\psi}_f \gamma^{\{0} \overleftrightarrow{D}^{0\}} \psi_f - \frac{1}{4} T_{q\mu}^\mu \right)_M, \quad \text{Quark momentum fraction}$$

$$H_g(\mu) = \int d^3\vec{x} \frac{1}{2} (B^2 + E^2)_M, \quad \text{Glue momentum fraction}$$

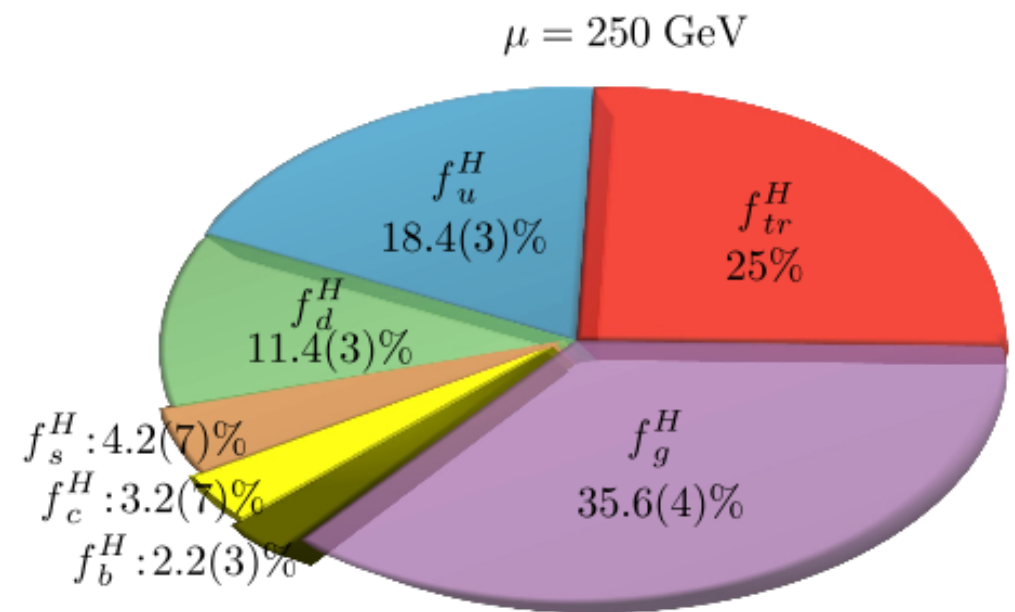
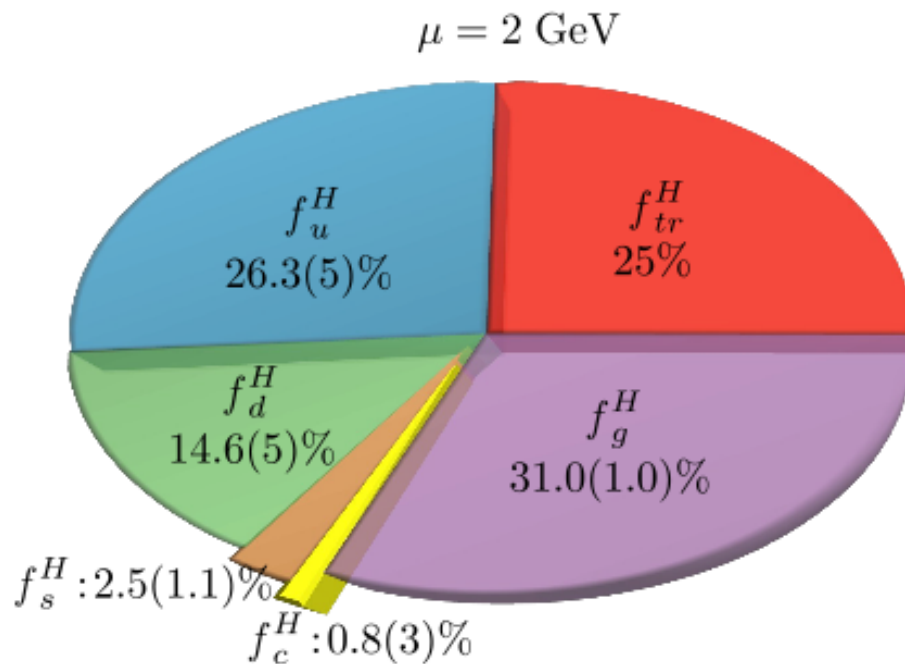
$$H_{tr} = \int d^3\vec{x} \frac{1}{4} (T^\mu_\mu)_R.$$

- Rest energy -- $E_0 = M = \langle H_{qf}(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_g(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_{tr} \rangle,$

$$\langle H_{qf}(\mu) \rangle = \frac{3}{4} \sum_f \langle x \rangle_f(\mu) M, \quad \langle H_g(\mu) \rangle = \frac{3}{4} \langle x \rangle_g(\mu) M,$$

$$\langle H_{tr} \rangle = \frac{1}{4} M. \quad \langle x \rangle - \text{momentum fraction}$$

Rest Energy Decomposition from Hamiltonian



$$f_f^H = \langle H_q \rangle / M = \frac{3}{4} \langle x \rangle_f(\mu), \quad f_g^H = \langle H_g \rangle / M = \frac{3}{4} \langle x \rangle_g(\mu),$$

$$f_{tr}^H = \langle H_{tr} \rangle / M = \frac{1}{4}$$

Momentum fractions from CT18 (T.J. Hou et al, PRD, arXiv:1912.10053) at $\mu = 2 \text{ GeV}$ and 250 GeV .

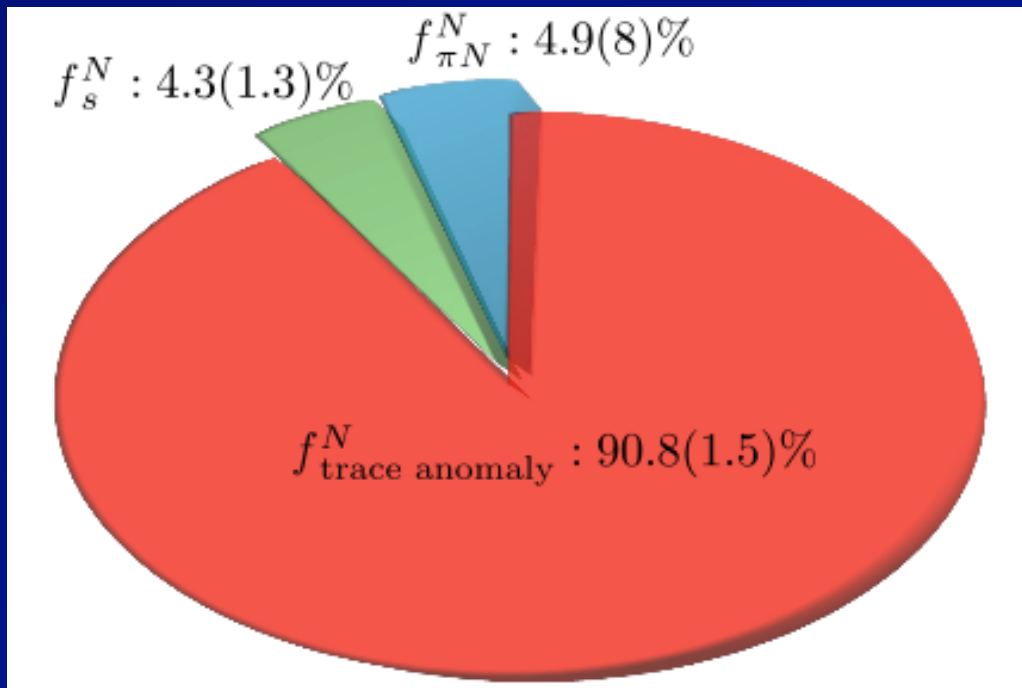
Trace of EMT (1/4 of Hadron Mass)

- Trace of EMT – scalar, frame independent, RG invariant

$$T_{\mu}^{\mu} = \sum_f m_f \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \left[\sum_f m_f \gamma_m(g) \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \frac{\beta(g)}{2g} F^{\alpha\beta} F_{\alpha\beta} \right]$$

- Lattice calculation of of quark condensate

- Y.B. Yang et al (χ QCD) [arXiv: 1511.15089]
- Overlap fermion ($Z_m Z_s = 1$)
- 3 lattices (one at physical m_{π}), systematics (volume, continuum)



πN sigma term

$$\sigma_{\pi N} = \frac{m_u + m_d}{2} \langle P | \bar{u}u + \bar{d}d | P \rangle$$

Strangeness sigma term

$$\sigma_s = m_s \langle P | \bar{s}s | P \rangle$$

$$f_{\pi N}^N = \frac{\sigma_{\pi N}}{M_N}, \quad f_s^N = \frac{\sigma_s}{M_N}$$

Rest Energy from Gravitational FF

- Gravitational Form factors from the EMT matrix elements

$$\begin{aligned} \langle P' | (T_{q,g}^{\mu\nu})_R(\mu) | P \rangle / 2M_N &= \bar{u}(P') [T_{1_{q,g}}(q^2, \mu) \gamma^{(\mu} \bar{P}^{\nu)} + T_{2_{q,g}}(q^2, \mu) \frac{\bar{P}^{(\mu} i \sigma^{\nu)\alpha} q_\alpha}{2M_N} \\ &+ D_{q,g}(q^2, \mu) \frac{q^\mu q^\nu - g^{\mu\nu} q^2}{M_N} + \bar{C}_{q,g}(q^2, \mu) M_N \eta^{\mu\nu}] u(P) \end{aligned}$$

- T_1 and T_2

$$\begin{aligned} T_{1_{q,g}}(0) &= \langle x \rangle_{q,g}(\mu); & \langle x \rangle_q(\mu) + \langle x \rangle_g(\mu) &= 1 & [\text{Ji}] \\ T_{1_{q,g}}(0) + T_{2_{q,g}}(0) &= 2J_{g,g}(\mu); & 2J_q(\mu) + 2J_g(\mu) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

- D term: deformation of space = elastic property - [Polyakov]
- C term: pressure - [Lorce]

$$\bar{C}_q + \bar{C}_g = 0, \quad \partial_\nu T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

Rest Energy from Gravitational FF

■ What are \bar{C}_q and \bar{C}_g ?

$$\langle P | (T_{q,g}^{00})_M(\mu) | P \rangle |_{\vec{P}=0} / 2M_N = \langle x \rangle_{q,g}(\mu) M_N + \bar{C}_{q,g}(0, \mu) M_N,$$

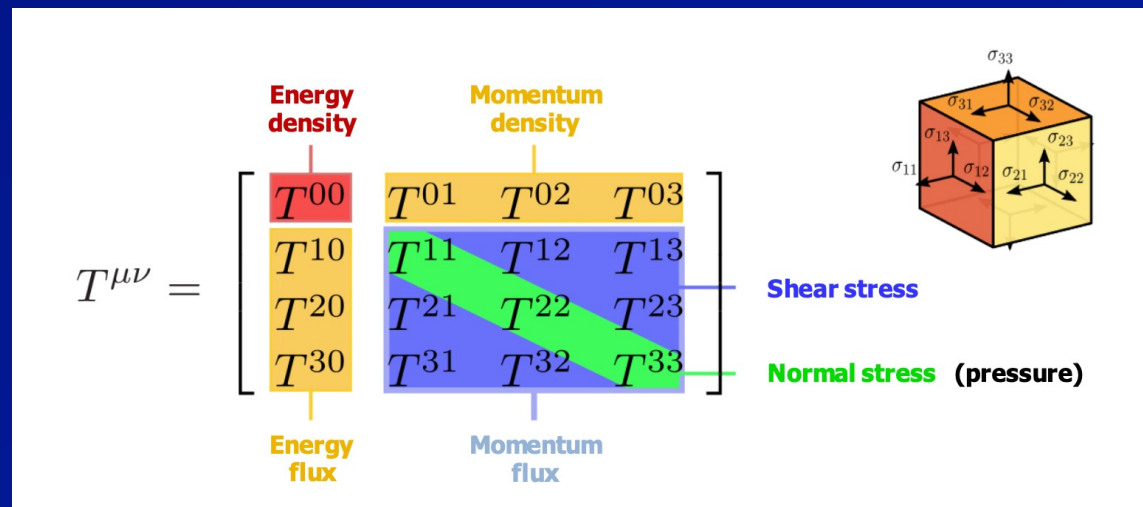
$$\langle P | (T_{q,g}^{ii})_M(\mu) | P \rangle |_{\vec{P}=0} / 2M_N = 3\bar{C}_{q,g}(0, \mu) M_N$$

Note: Being scale dependent, separate quark and glue T^{00} are renormalized and mixed.

$$3\bar{C}_{q,g}(0, \mu) M_N = [\langle P | \eta_{\mu\nu} (T_{q,g}^{\mu\nu})_{RM} | P \rangle - \langle P | (T_{q,g}^{00})_{RM}(\mu) | P \rangle] / 2M_N$$

$$\bar{C}_q(0, \mu) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_f (f_f^N - \langle x \rangle_f(\mu)),$$

$$\bar{C}_g(0, \mu) = \frac{1}{4} (f_a^N - \langle x \rangle_g(\mu))$$



Trace Anomaly and Cosmological Constant

■ What is trace anomaly? What dynamical role does it play, if any?

- Nucleon as a statistical system
- Canonical partition function in Euclidean space

KFL, hep-lat/0202026

$$Z_{GC}(V, T, \mu) = \int \mathcal{D}U \mathcal{D}\bar{\psi} \mathcal{D}\psi e^{-S_G(U) - S_F(U, \bar{\psi}, \psi, \mu)}$$

$$Z_C(V, T, n_B) = 1/2\pi \int_0^{2\pi} d\phi e^{-in_B \phi} Z_{GC}(V, T, \mu)|_{\mu=i\phi T}$$

- Nucleon Mass at $T \rightarrow 0$ ($t \rightarrow \infty$ in Z_{GC})

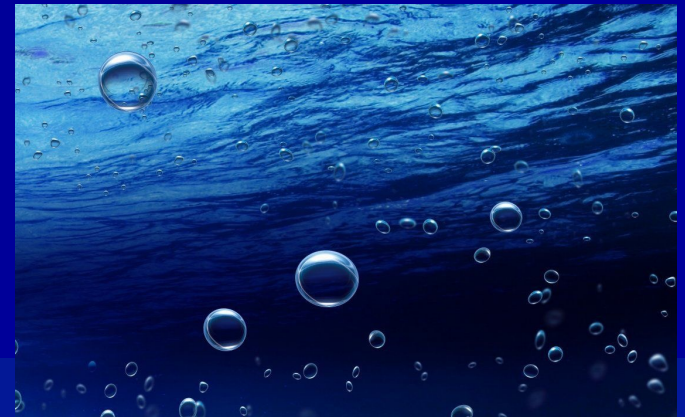
$$\mu(n_B) = -\frac{1}{\beta} \ln \frac{Z_C(n_B + 1)}{Z_C(n_B)} = \frac{F_{n_B+1} - F_{n_B}}{(n_B + 1) - n_B}$$

■ Nucleon is a bubble in the sea of gluon condensate

$$\langle H_a \rangle = -\epsilon_{vac} V,$$

where,

$$\epsilon_{vac} = \frac{\beta(g)}{2g} \langle 0 | F^{\alpha\beta} F_{\alpha\beta} | 0 \rangle < 0$$



Trace Anomaly and Cosmological Constant

- Pressure of anomaly:

$$d\langle H_a \rangle = -P_{vac} dV (dQ = T dS = 0), \quad P_{vac} = -|\epsilon_{vac}| < 0$$

- Quark and glue energy

$$\langle H_E(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_g(\mu) \rangle \propto V^p$$

- Volume dependence of total rest energy

$$E_0 = |\epsilon_{vac}|V + \epsilon_{mat}V^p$$

$$\frac{dE_0}{dV} = -P_{vac} - P_k = |\epsilon_{vac}| + p \epsilon_{mat} V^{p-1} = 0$$

- $E_0 = d E_S$ (d=4) \Rightarrow $p = -1/3$ (MIT bag model, $E_0 = BV + \Sigma_{q,g}/R$)
- Rest energy as the sum of scalar trace and tensor traceless parts

$$E_0 = E_T + E_S,$$

$$E_T = \langle H_{q_f}(\mu) \rangle + \langle H_g(\mu) \rangle = \frac{3}{4} \left[\sum_f \langle x \rangle_f(\mu) + \langle x \rangle_g(\mu) \right] M,$$

$$E_S = \frac{1}{4} [\langle H_m \rangle + \langle H_a \rangle]$$

Trace Anomaly and Cosmological Constant

- Stress-pressure equation

$$\bar{C}_q + \bar{C}_g = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad -P_{\text{total}} = \frac{dE_0}{dV} = \frac{E_S}{V} - \frac{1}{3} \frac{E_T}{V} = 0$$

- $E_S \propto V$, $E_T \propto V^{1/3}$

- Vacuum energy density is indeed a constant which is like the cosmological constant in the $g^{\mu\nu}$ term as Einstein introduced for a static universe. In QCD, it gives a constant restoring pressure to confine the hadrons.

- Freidman equation for the accelerating expansion of the universe

$$\frac{\ddot{a}}{a} = -\frac{4\pi G}{3}(\rho + 3P)$$

String tension in charmonium

- Heavy quarkonium is confined by a linear potential.
- Constant vacuum energy density and flux tube

$$V(r) = |\epsilon_{vac}| A r = \sigma r$$

- Infinitely heavy quark with Wilson loop

$$V(r) + r \frac{\partial V(r)}{\partial r} = \frac{\langle \frac{\beta}{2g} (\int d^3 \vec{x} F^2) W_L(r, T) \rangle}{\langle W_L(r, T) \rangle}.$$

- For charmonium

$$2\sigma \langle r \rangle = \langle H_\beta \rangle_{\bar{c}c} = \frac{\langle \bar{c}c | \frac{\beta}{2g} \int d^3 \vec{x} F^2 | \bar{c}c \rangle}{\langle \bar{c}c | \bar{c}c \rangle}$$

$$\langle H_\beta \rangle_{\bar{c}c} = M_{\bar{c}c} - (1 + \gamma_m) \langle H_m \rangle_{\bar{c}c}.$$

- Lattice calculation of charmonium (W. Sun et al., 2012.06228)

- $\langle H_\beta \rangle_{\bar{c}c} = 199 \text{ MeV} \rightarrow \sigma = 0.153 \text{ GeV}^2$

- Cornell potential fit of charmonium $\rightarrow \sigma = 0.164(11) \text{ GeV}^2$

EIC Insights

- $\partial_\nu T^{\mu\nu} = 0 \longrightarrow \bar{C}_q(t) + \bar{C}_g(t) = 0$

- This implies

$$T_{1_q}(t) + T_{1_g}(t) - (f_{\pi N}^N(t) + f_s^N(t) + f_a^N(t)) = 0$$

- $T_{1_{q,g}}(t)$ from GPD (X. Ji)

$$T_{1_{q,g}}(t) = \int dx x H_{q,g}(x, 0, t)$$

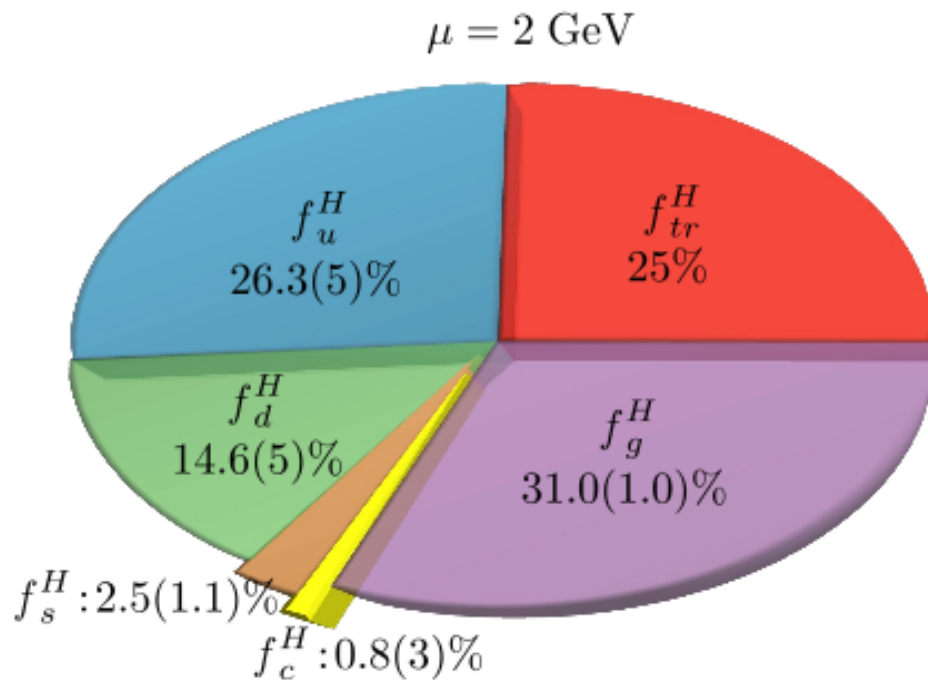
- $f_a^N(t)$ from photo production of charmonium and bottomonium at threshold (D. Kharzeev)

- $f_{\pi N}^N(t), f_s^N(t)$ from lattice calculations

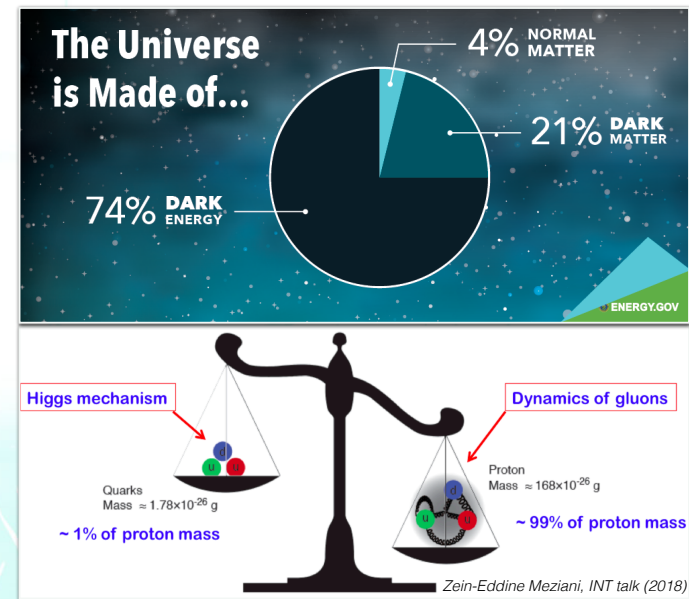
Summary and Challenges

- Proton Rest energy (mass) components (scale dependent):
 - Gravitational form factors (related to momentum fraction)
 - Hamiltonian (quark KE+PE, glue field energy, quark mass, anomaly)
- $m_q \leftarrow$ Higgs mechanism
- Quark condensate \leftarrow chiral symmetry breaking
- Trace anomaly \leftarrow conformal symmetry breaking
- String theory invented in hadron physic finds its home in quantum gravity.
- Cosmological constant introduced in general relativity applies naturally to hadron physics.
- Challenges for EIC to detect $T_{1_{q,g}}(t)$ from GPD and $f_a^N(t)$ from threshold production of heavy quarkonium.

Where does the proton mass come from?



Proton mass



3/4 comes from the quark and glue energies (kinetic, potential, field).
1/4 comes from the quark masses and vacuum energy.

Rest Energy from Hamiltonian

- Separate out H_m from equation of motion

$$H = H_m + H_E(\mu) + H_g(\mu) + \frac{1}{4}H_a$$

X. Ji

$$H_m = \int d^3x \sum_f m_f \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f - \text{quark mass}$$

$$H_E(\mu) = \sum_f (\psi_f^\dagger i \vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{D} \psi_f)_M + \left[-Z_{gq} H_m + \frac{4}{3} Z_{qg} H_g(\mu_r) \right] - \text{quark energy}$$

$$H_g(\mu) = \int d^3x \frac{1}{2} (B^2 + E^2)_M - \text{glue field energy.}$$

$$f_f^E = \langle H_{E_f}(\mu) \rangle / M_N = \frac{3}{4} (\langle x \rangle_{q_f} - f_f^N)$$

$$f_g^E = \langle H_g \rangle / M_N = \frac{3}{4} \langle x \rangle_g.$$

More scheme dependence

Quark and Glue Components of Hadron Mass and Rest Energy

- Energy momentum tensor (EMT)

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{4} \bar{\psi} \gamma_{(\mu} \vec{D}_{\nu)} \psi + G_{\mu\alpha} G_{\nu\alpha} - \frac{1}{4} \delta_{\mu\nu} G^2$$

- Mass from trace of EMT (trace anomaly) – scalar, frame independent, components are RG invariant

$$T_{\mu}^{\mu} = \sum_f m_f \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \left[\sum_f m_f \gamma_m(g) \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \frac{\beta(g)}{2g} F^{\alpha\beta} F_{\alpha\beta} \right]$$

Chanowitz, Ellis, Crewther,
Collin, Duncan, Joglekar

$$\langle P | T_{\mu}^{\mu} | P \rangle = 2(E^2 - P^2) = 2M_N^2$$

$$(T^{\mu\nu})_R = T^{\mu\nu}, \quad \partial_{\nu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0$$

- Rest energy from EMT – quark and glue components are frame and scale dependent

$$\langle P | T^{\mu\nu} | P \rangle = 2P^{\mu} P^{\nu}$$

Normalization of EMT Trace

- Mass from trace of EMT – scalar, frame independent, components are RG invariant

$$T_{\mu}^{\mu} = \sum_f m_f \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \left[\sum_f m_f \gamma_m(g) \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f + \frac{\beta(g)}{2g} F^{\alpha\beta} F_{\alpha\beta} \right]$$

- However $\langle P | T_{\mu}^{\mu} | P \rangle = 2(E^2 - P^2) = 2M_N^2$ not M_N .
- Expectation value -- frame dependent, mass not additive

$$\frac{\langle P | \int d^3 \vec{x} T_{\mu}^{\mu}(x) | P \rangle}{\langle P | P \rangle} = \frac{M_N^2}{P^0}, \quad \langle P | P \rangle = (2\pi)^3 2P^0 \delta^3(0)$$

- Rest frame $\frac{\langle P | \int d^3 \vec{x} T_{\mu}^{\mu}(x) | P \rangle}{\langle P | P \rangle} \Big|_{\vec{P}=0} = M_N$

- Proper volume – same as in rest frame

$$\frac{\langle P | \int d^3 \vec{x} \gamma T_{\mu}^{\mu}(x) | P \rangle}{\langle P | P \rangle} = M_N, \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/c^2}}$$

Rest Energy from Gravitational FF

- Interpretation in terms of perfect liquid (Lorce)

$$\langle P | (T_{q,g}^{\mu\nu})_M(\mu) | P \rangle / 2M_N = T_{1_{q,g}} P^\mu P^\nu / M_N + \bar{C}_{q,g}(0, \mu) \eta^{\mu\nu} M_N,$$

$$T^{\mu\nu} = (\epsilon + p) u^\mu u^\nu - p \eta^{\mu\nu}$$

- Identify

$$\epsilon_{q,g} \equiv [T_{1_{q,g}}(0) + \bar{C}_{q,g}(0)] \frac{M}{V}, \quad p_{q,g} \equiv -\bar{C}_{q,g}(0) \frac{M}{V}$$

- Internal energy and pressure-volume work

$$U_q = \epsilon_q V = [\langle x \rangle_q + \bar{C}_q(0)] M = [3/4 \langle x \rangle_q + 1/4 \sum_f f_f^N] M,$$

$$U_g = \epsilon_g V = [\langle x \rangle_g + \bar{C}_g(0)] M = [3/4 \langle x \rangle_q + 1/4 f_a^N] M$$

$$W_{q,g} = p_{q,g} V = -\bar{C}_{q,g}(0) M$$

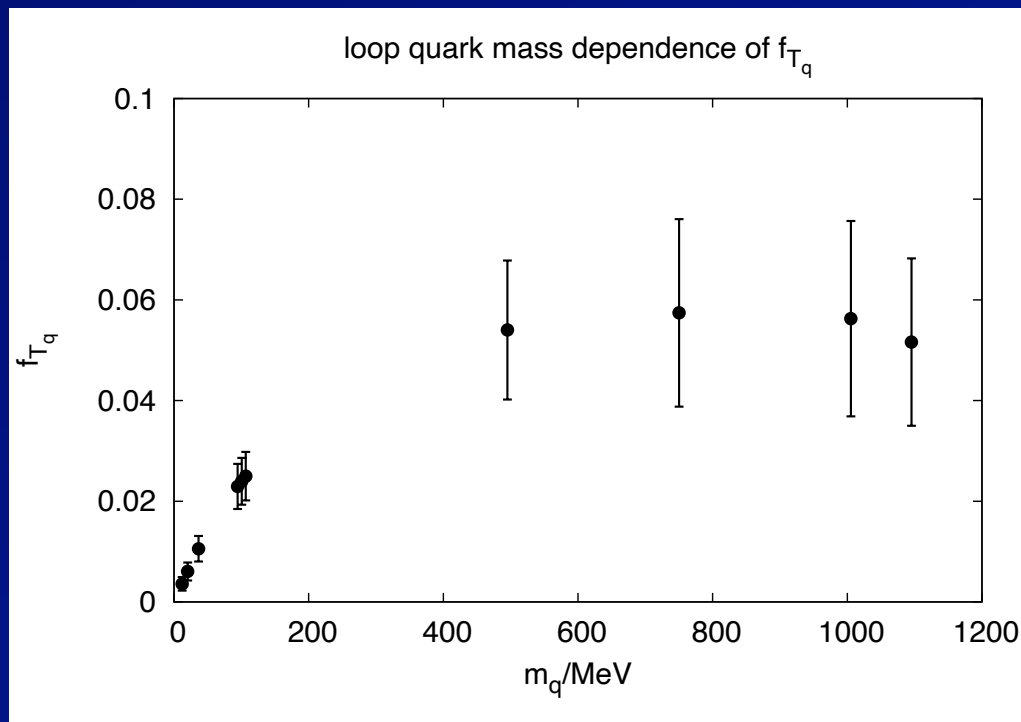
- Total energy and pressure-volume work

$$E_0 = U_q + U_g, \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{Same as from Hamiltonian}$$

$$W = W_q + W_g = 0$$

Heavy Quarks

- At electroweak scale, the standard model includes Higgs, t, b, c quarks in external states
 - M. Gong et al (χ QCD) [arXiv: 1304.1191]



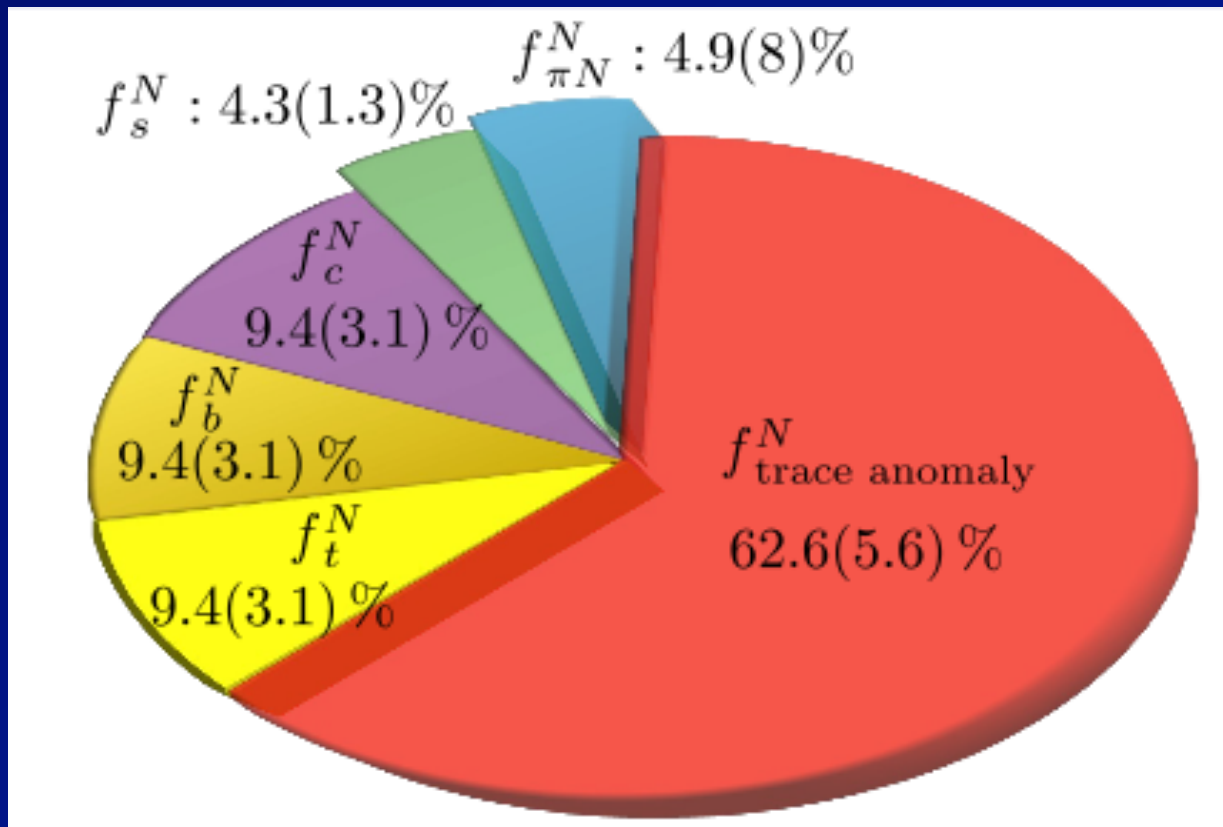
For $m_q > \sim 500$ MeV, $m_f \langle N | \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f | N \rangle \sim \text{constant}$

Heavy Quark Sigma Terms

- M. A. Shifman, A. Vainshtein, and V. I. Zakharov, Phys.Lett. B 78, 443 (1978) -- heavy quark expansion

$$m_h \langle N | \bar{\psi}_h \psi_h | N \rangle \sim -\frac{n_f}{3} \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \langle N | G^2 | N \rangle + \mathcal{O}(1/m_h)$$

$$\frac{\beta(g)}{2g} = -\frac{\beta_0}{2} \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \right) - \frac{\beta_1}{2} \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \right)^2 - \frac{\beta_2}{2} \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \right)^3 + \dots \quad \beta_0 = 11 - \frac{2}{3}n_f$$



Higgs coupling in
dark matter search

$$f^N_{f=c,b,t} = \frac{m_f \langle P | \bar{\psi}_f \psi_f | P \rangle}{M_N}$$

Decoupling theorem:

$$f^N_c + f^N_b + f^N_t + f^N_a \sim \sum_H \mathcal{O}_H(1/m_H)$$