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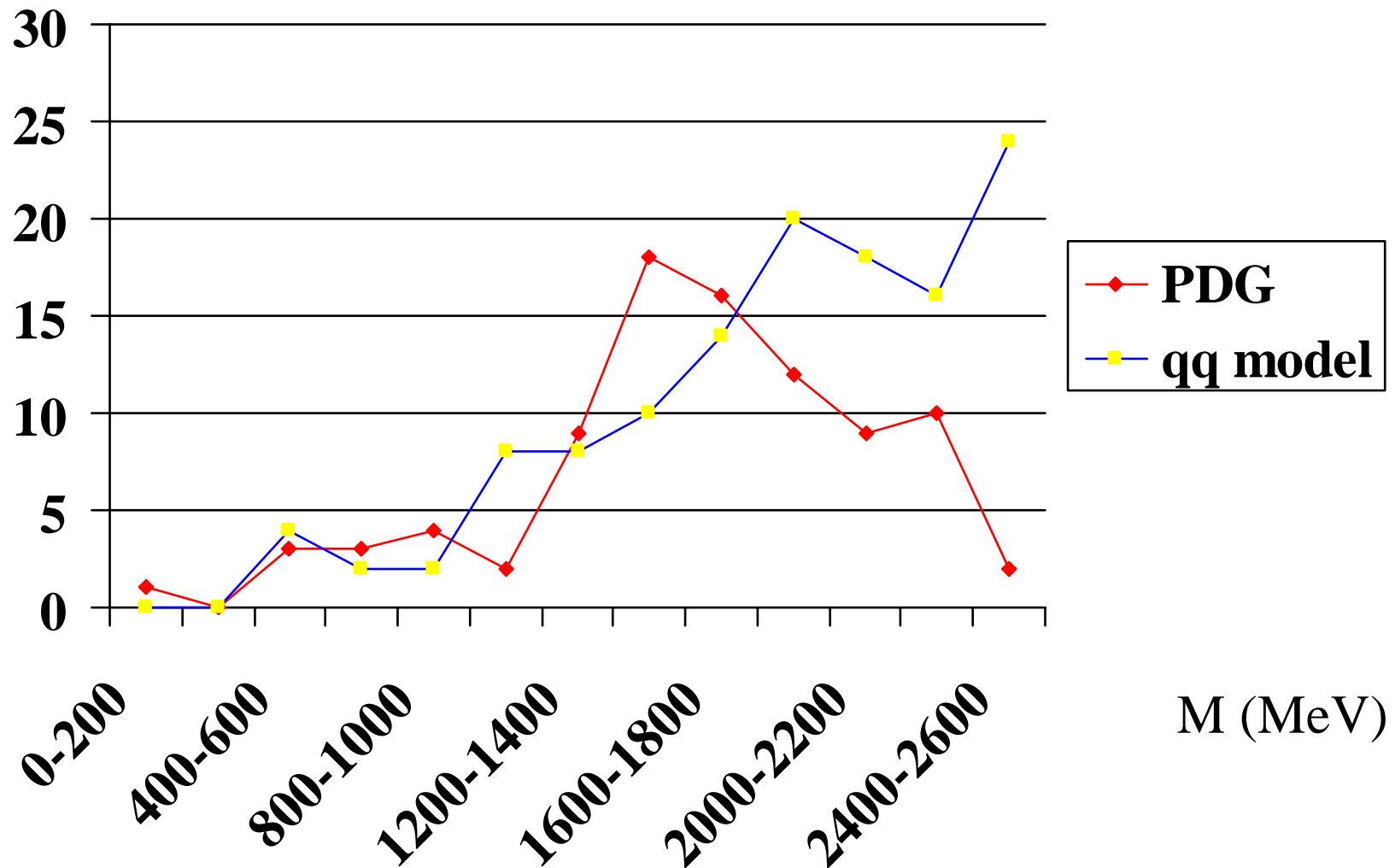
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- **Matters of Principle**
- Fast look at the spectrum
- Explicit Gluonic Degrees of Freedom
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What is Spectroscopy?

How many mesons are there?



Fock Space Expansion:

$$| q\bar{q} \rangle + | q\bar{q}q\bar{q} \rangle + | gg \rangle + | q\bar{q}g \rangle + | q\bar{q}q\bar{q}q\bar{q} \rangle \dots$$

Whatever is not forbidden,
is compulsory:

“This state is an (X) state”
misleading when strong mixing.

Discrete part of the spectrum

—————→ MASS GAP

Quarks u/d 300 MeV

Quark s 500 MeV

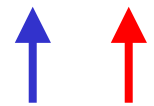
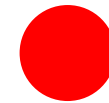
Gluon g 800 MeV

L unit 400 MeV

n (radial) unit 700 MeV

Standard quark-antiquark states

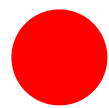
$q\bar{q}$ quantum numbers



$1/2 \times 1/2$

$S = 0, 1$

$J = L+S$



$P = (-1)^{L+1}$

1

-1



$C = (-1)^{L+S}$

L	S	J	PC
0	0	0	-+
0	1	1	--
1	0	1	+ -
1	1	0 1 2	++
2	0	2	-+
2	1	1 2 3	--
3	0	3	+ -
3	1	2 3 4	++

L	S	J ^{PC}	J ^{PC} EXOTICA
0	0	0 ⁻⁺	
0	1	1 ⁻⁻	1 ⁻⁺ 3 ⁻⁺ ...
1	0	1 ^{+ -}	0 ^{+ -} 2 ^{+ -} ...
1	1	0 1 2 ⁺⁺	0 ⁻⁻
2	0	2 ⁻⁺	
2	1	1 2 3 ⁻⁻	 qq> + qqqq> + gg>
3	0	3 ^{+ -}	+ qqg> + qqqqqq> ...
3	1	2 3 4 ⁺⁺	

$$I_q = 0, 1/2$$

$$S_q = 0, 1$$

$$I_{q\bar{q}} = 0, 1/2, 1$$

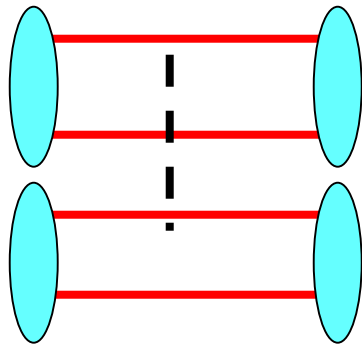
$$S_{q\bar{q}} = 0, 1$$

SU(3) Exotica

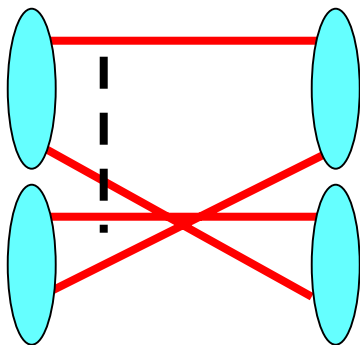
Any meson with $I=3/2$ and higher
or strangeness $S=2$ and higher

Exotic $SU(3)$ channels are repulsive

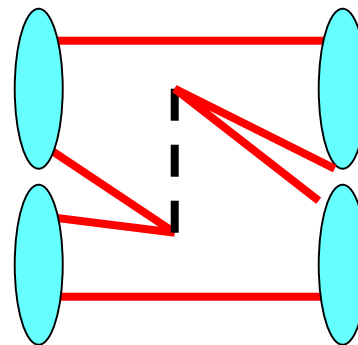
(Explanation by E. Ribeiro 1980)



= 0 (color factor)



repulsive



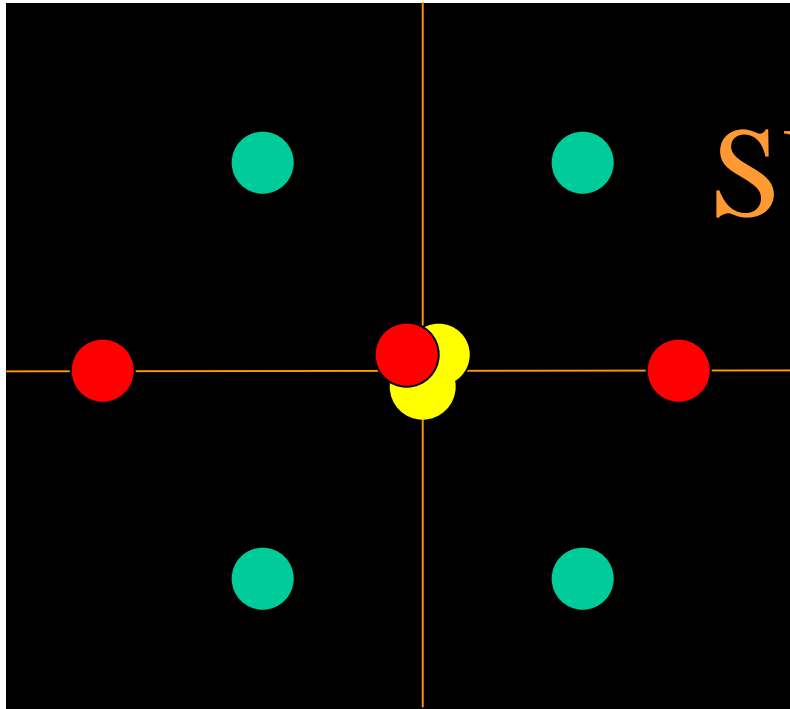
attractive

In exotic scattering the second diagram can't contribute
 for example $\pi^+\pi^+$ ($I=2$) $u\bar{d}u\bar{d}$ no annihilation

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SU (3) Flavor Nonets



$L = 0, S = 0, 1$

0^{-+} π K η η'

1^{--} ρ K^* ω ϕ

$L = 1, S = 0$

1^{+-} $b_1(1235)$ K_1B $h_1(1170, 1380)$

$L = 1, S = 1$

0^{++} $a_0(1450)$ $K_0^*(1400)$ $f_0(1370, 1710)$

0^{++} $a_0(980)$ $\kappa(900)$ $f_0(600, 980)$

1^{++} $a_1(1260)$ K_1A $f_1(1285, 1420)$

2^{++} $a_2(1320)$ $K_2^*(1430)$ $f_2(1430, 1525)$

$a_2(1700)$ $K_2^*(1980)$ $f_2(\text{various})$

0^{-+}	$\pi(1300)$	$K(1460)$	$\eta(1295, 1440_{\text{H}})$
	$\pi(1800)$	$K(1830)$	$\eta(1760, 2225 ?)$
1^{--}	$\rho(1450)$	$K^*(1410)$	$\omega(1420) \phi(1680)$
	$\rho(1700)$	$K^*(1680)$	$\omega(1650)$ 
	$\rho(1900) \rho(2150) \dots$		
2^{-+}	$\pi_2(1670)$	$K_2(1770)$	$\eta_2(1645, 1870)$
3^{--}	$\rho_3(1690)$	$K_3^*(1780)$	$\omega_3(1670) \phi_3(1850)$
4^{++}	$a_4(1260)$	$K_4(1400)$	$f_4(1285, 1420)$

And an assortment of other resonances...
Some in excess: Cryptoexotic?

- 1) $f_2(1270)$ $\eta_L(1440)$ (4quark states?)
- 2) $f_0(1500)$ (some glueball component)
- 3) $K_2(1580)$ (dubious)
- 4) $K_2(1770)$ $K_2(1820)$ (complete D-wave 2^{-+} nonet; the orthogonal state could be a hybrid/4q state)

Some missing:

b_1 around 1600 to complete a 1^{+-} nonet

a_0 around 1800 to complete a 0^{++} nonet

K_1 around 1800 to complete a 1^{++} nonet

ϕ around 1800 to complete 1^{--} nonet

AND SOME EXOTICS ...

π_1 (1400) $M = 1380$ (20) MeV

$\Gamma = 300$ (40) MeV

decay to $\eta\pi$

π_1 (1600) $M = 1600$ (25) MeV

$\Gamma = 310$ (60) MeV

decay to $\eta' \pi$

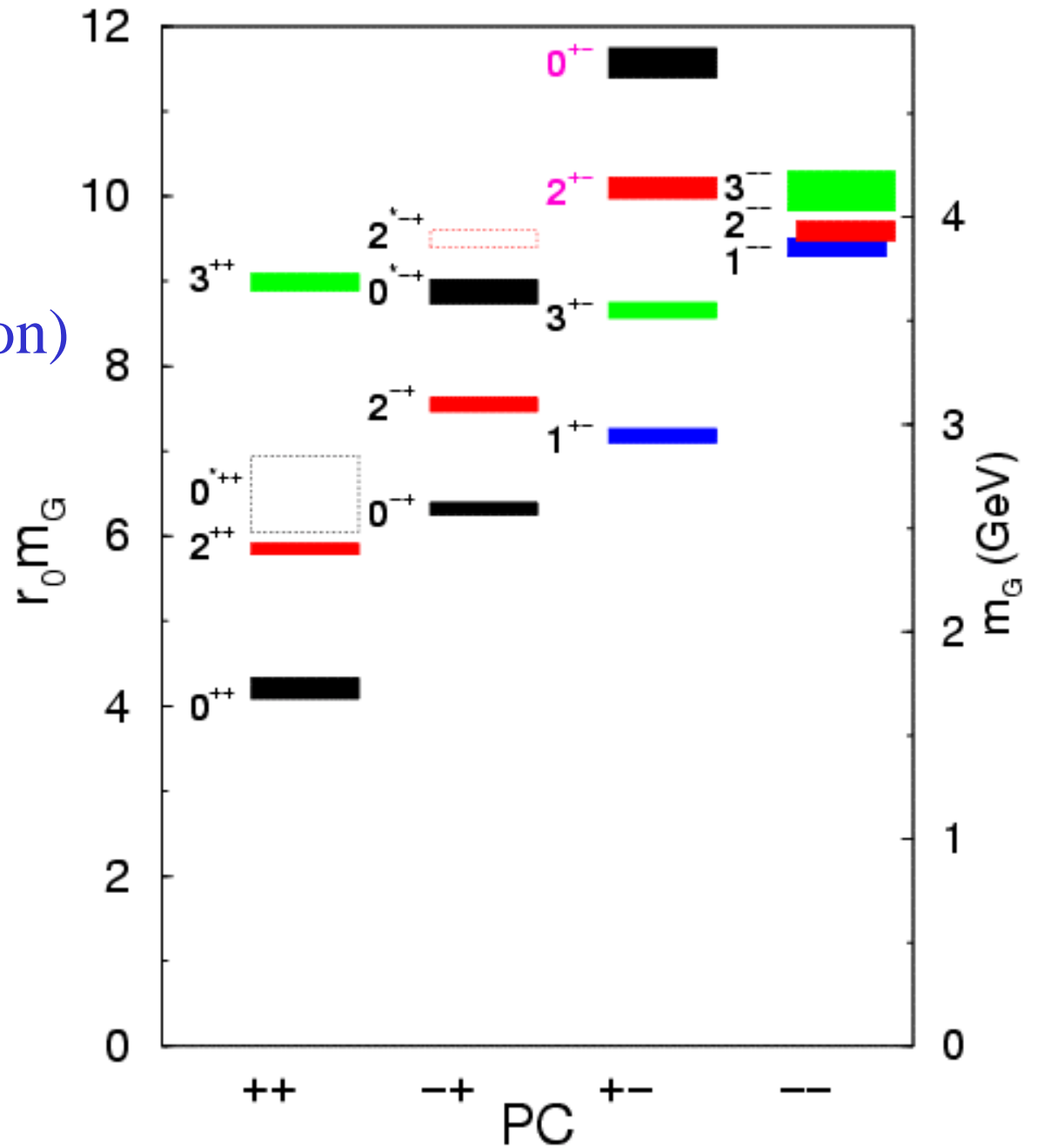
X (1600) I=2 state!! If confirmed, 4q

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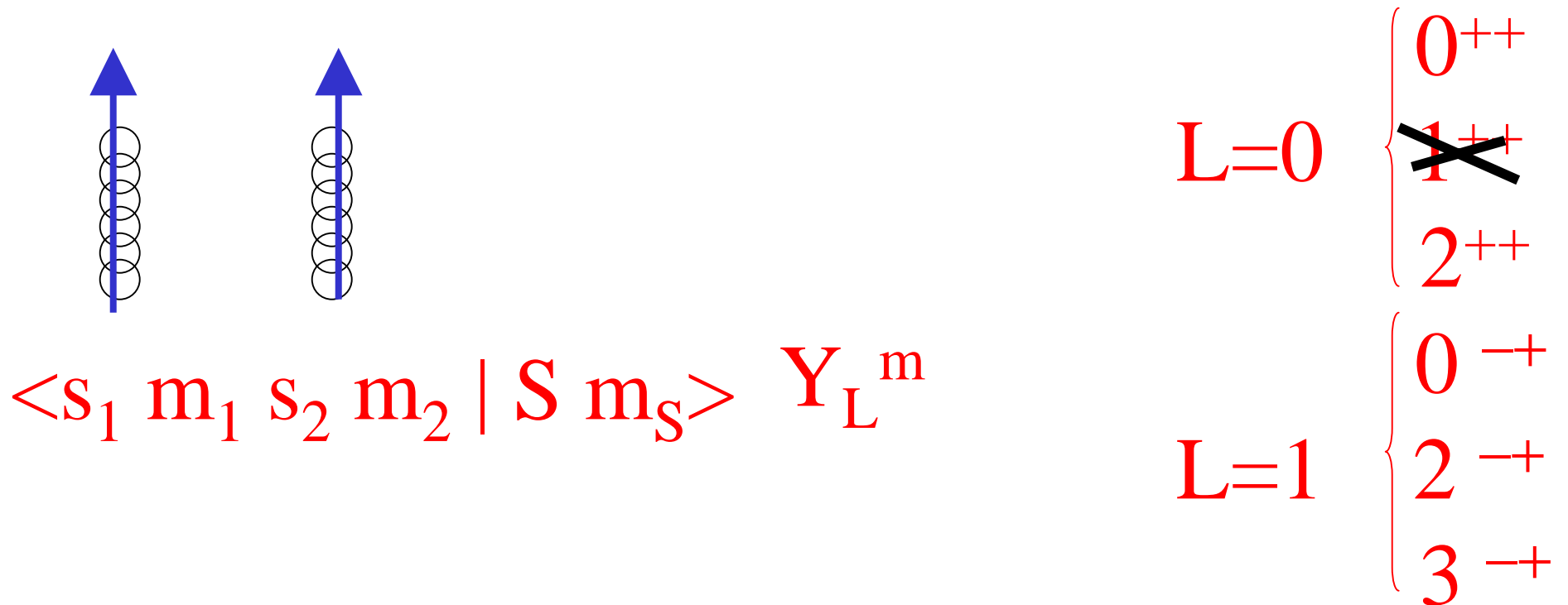
GLUEBALLS

(Lattice spectrum from Morningstar and Peardon)



Coulomb gauge BCS-TDA glueballs

(A. Szczepaniak et al. PRL 76, 2011 (1996),
F. Llanes-Estrada et al. NPA (2002).)



$J = 1$ is absent (Yang's theorem)
 $P = -1$ requires a p-wave
(therefore pushed up 500-600 MeV)
 $C = -1$ requires three quasi-gluons
(therefore pushed up 800 MeV)
 $I = 0, S = 0$ (always flavor singlets)

LOWEST GLUEBALL STATES:

0^{++} (1600) 2^{++} (2000 and up)

Glueballs fall on Regge Trajectories

- * Interaction between color densities as suggested by QCD in the Coulomb gauge (non abelian gluon-gluon interaction)
- * Slope of Regge trajectories much smaller than for quark mesons because color factor 3 instead of $4/3$
- * In (L,S) notation: model $(0,0) 0^{++}$, $(2,0) 2^{++}$, $(4,0) 4^{++}$ fall on Regge trajectory parallel to pomeron.
- * The $2^{++} (0,2)$ falls on Pomeron Regge trajectory, within lattice error bands.
- * These are little sensitive to spin-orbit coupling which is the model's largest weakness.

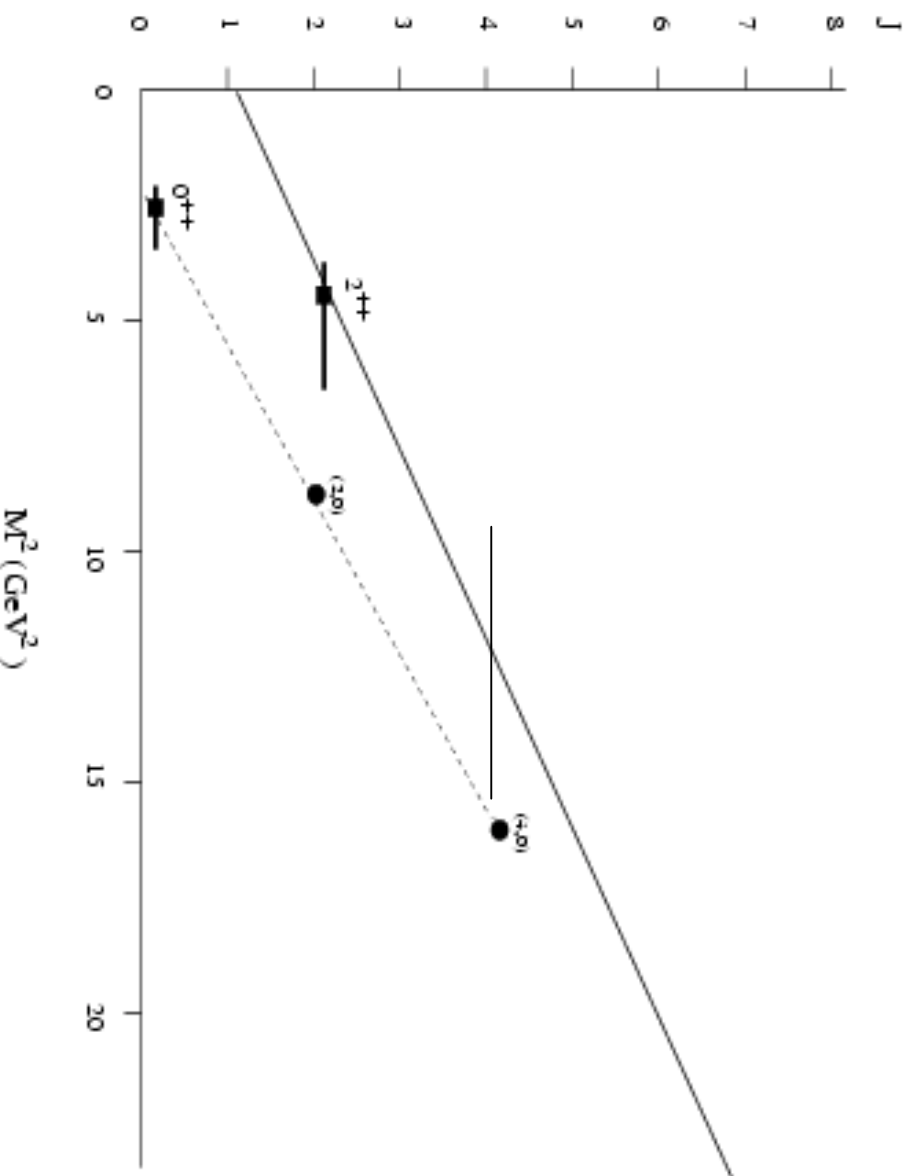
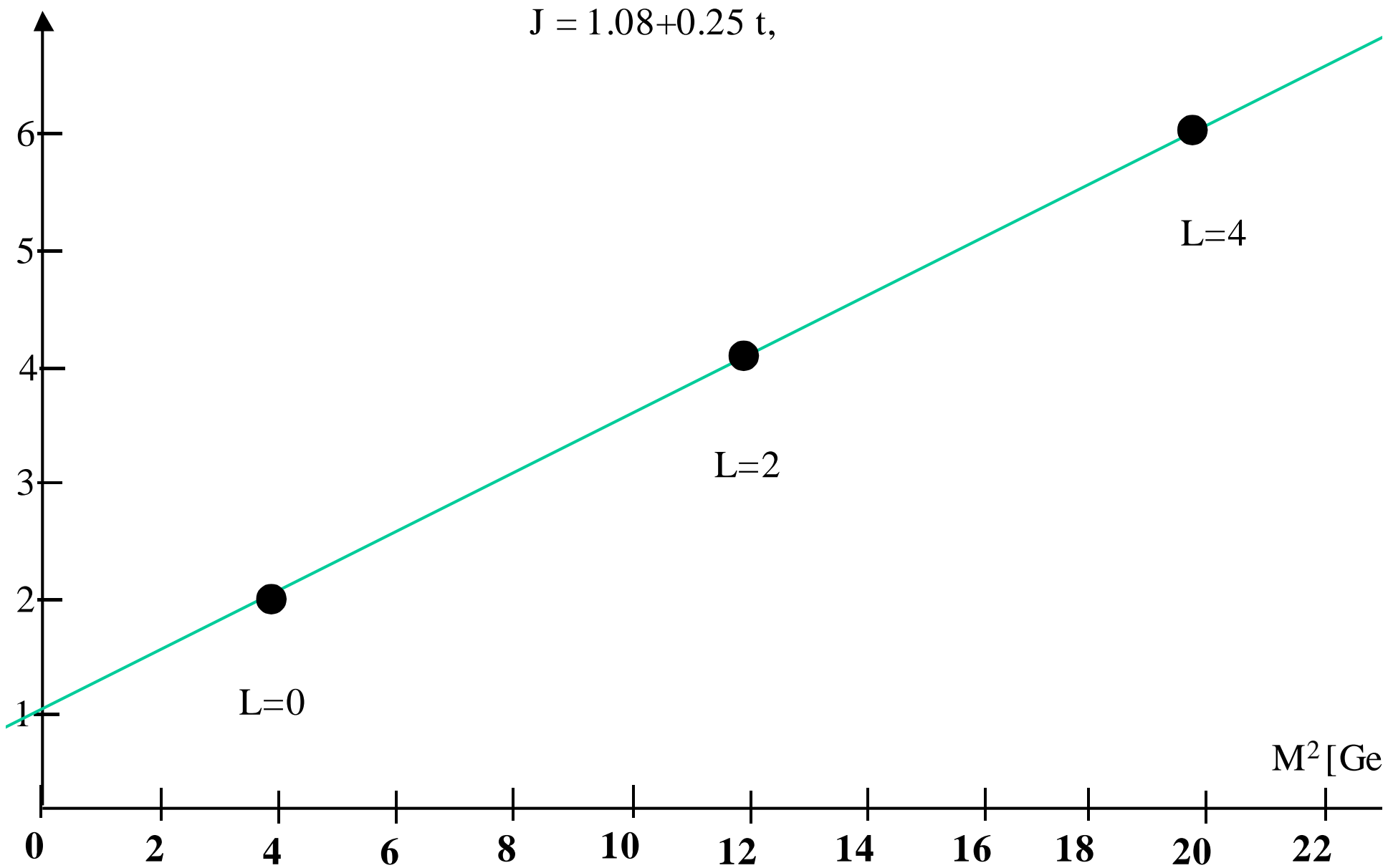


FIG. 3. Comparison of TDA (boxes) and lattice (horizontal bars) 2^{++} and 0^{++} glueballs with the Pomeron (solid line) and daughter (dashed line) Regge trajectories, respectively. The slope of the daughter trajectory is $.28 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$ and was determined by the higher ($L = 2, S = 0$) and ($L = 4, S = 0$) orbital excitations (solid circles).



HYBRID MESONS

From few-body point of view
(Llanes-Estrada & Cotanch, PLB 2001).

$$S_q + S_{\bar{q}} + S_g + L_+ + L_- = J$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} q_+ &= (q + \bar{q})/2 \\ q_- &= q - \bar{q} \end{aligned} \right\}$$

$$P = (-1)^{L_+ + L_-}$$

$$C = (-1)^{1 + S + L_-}$$

$$L_+ = L_- = 0$$

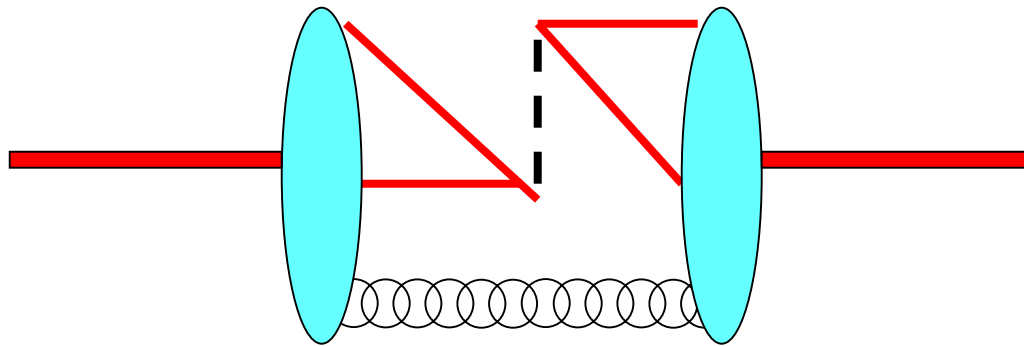
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1^{+-} \\ 0^{++} \\ 1^{++} \\ 2^{++} \end{array} \right.$$

$$L_- = 1 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0^{-+} \\ 1^{-+} \\ 2^{-+} \\ 0^{--} \\ 1^{--} \\ 2^{--} \\ 3^{--} \end{array} \right.$$

$$L_+ = 1 \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0^{-+} \\ 1^{-+} \\ 2^{-+} \\ 3^{-+} \\ 1^{--} \\ 2^{--} \end{array} \right.$$

Flavor: Hybrids come in isospin nonets

Isospin 1 is lighter than isospin zero
if the quark-antiquark spins are aligned.



FLUX TUBE MODEL

Isgur and Paton 1983



Predicts $I=1$ hybrids with $J^{PC} =$

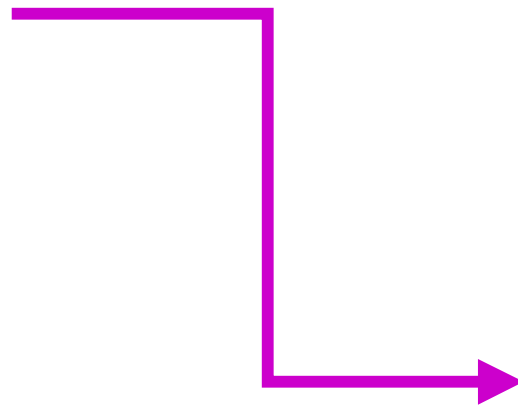
$(012)^{+-}$ $(012)^{-+}$ 1^{++} 1^{--}

at about 1.9 GeV

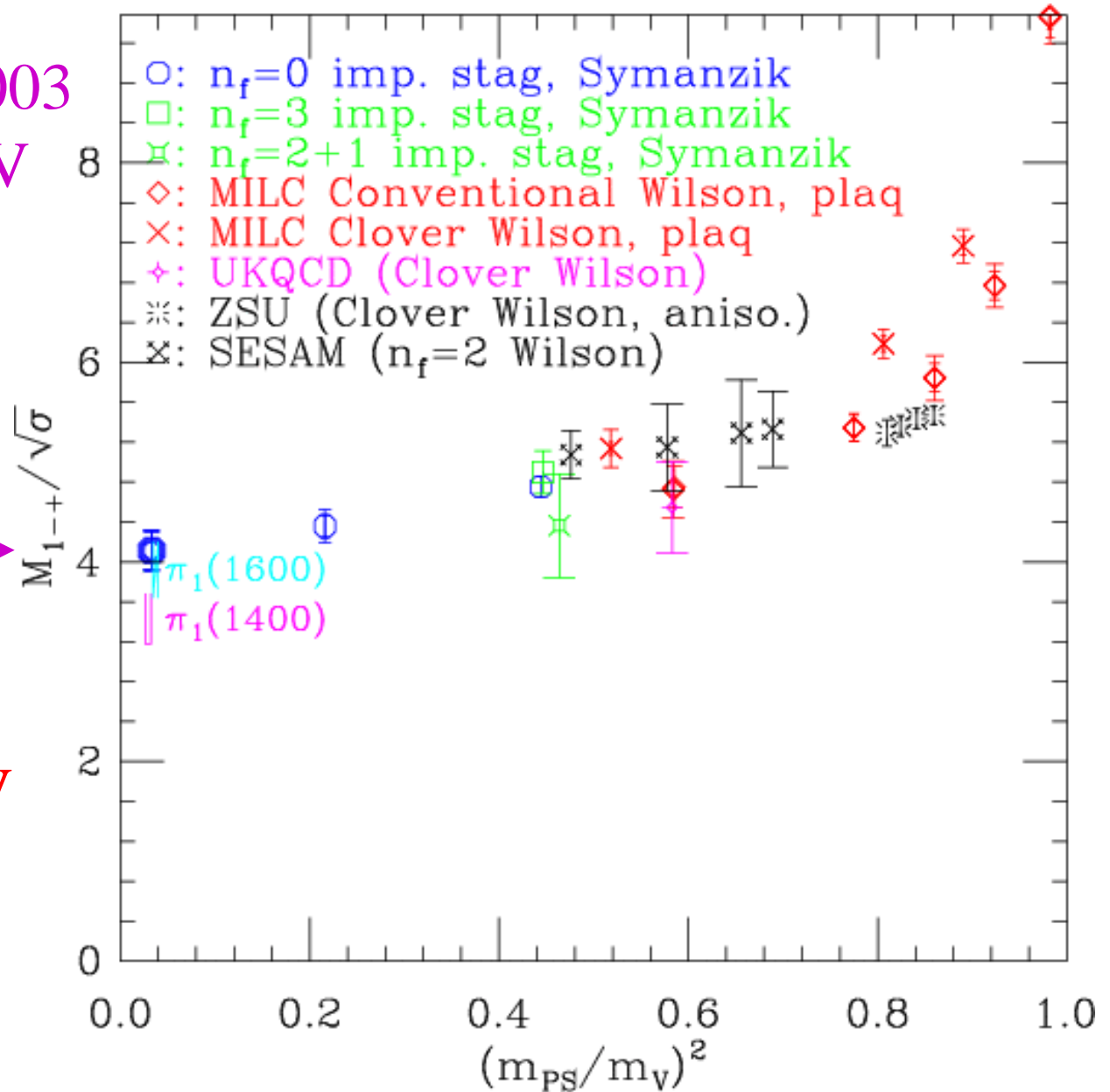
Stringy glue configuration in a color singlet state makes the potential between q and \bar{q} attractive.

Recent lattice calculations

C. Bernard et al 2003
 1^{-+} hybrid 1.7 GeV

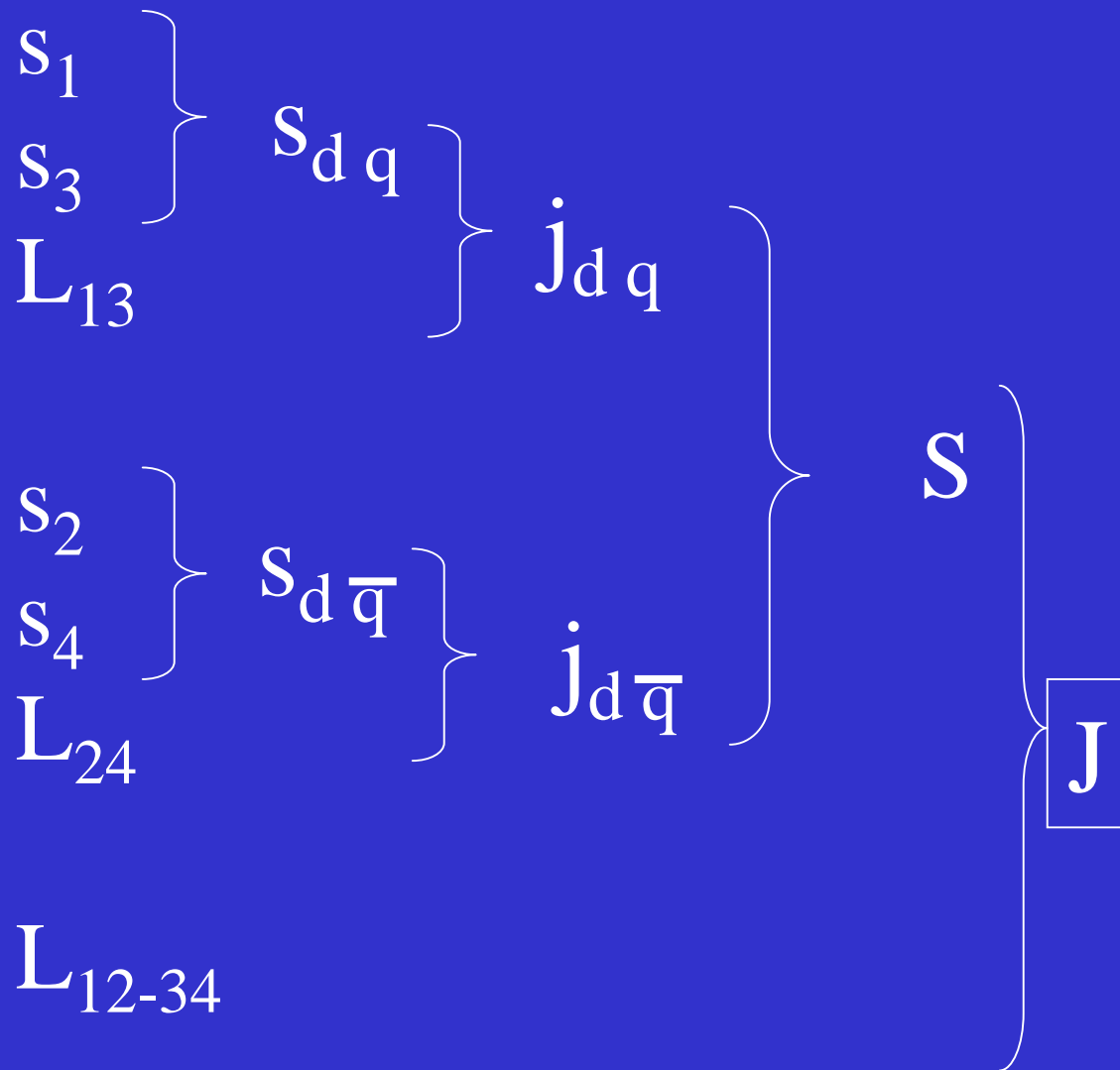
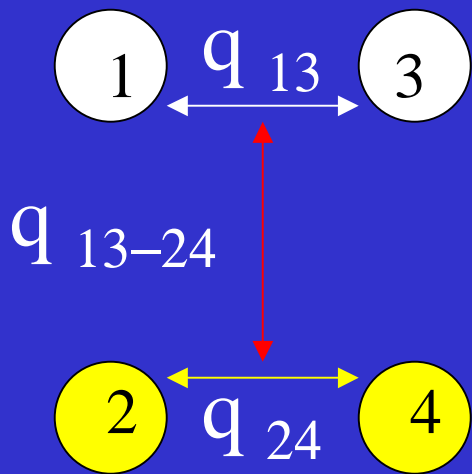


Mei & Luo 2002
 1^{-+} hybrid 2.1 GeV



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$$P = (-1)^{L_{13} + L_{24} + L_{12-34}}$$

$$C = (-1)^S + L_{12-34}$$

GROUND STATE

S-waves only : 0^{++} 1^+ 1^{+-} 2^{++}

P-wave: 1^{--} $(0\ 1\ 2\ 3)^-$ $(0\ 1\ 2)^{-+}$

(with various multiplicities)

Rich spectrum “state inflation”
hopefully most are too broad.

Badalyan (1987; Dafne 1991
LNF-91/017 (R))

Jaffe (1977)

M (4 light q 's) = 1565

1450 MeV

M (2 light 2 s) = 1950

1800 MeV

M (4 s q 's) = 2260

2150 MeV

$J^{PC} = 1^{--}$ states (Mulders, Aerts, de Swart)

1500, 1660, 1830, 1860, 1940, 2000, 2070, 2140,

2210... P-wave exotica 1^{-+} from 1700

Four quark states are broad
(this is indeed how the π_1 s are)
unless just below natural threshold
like $f_0(980)$ is.

Isgur and Weinstein 1983; variational $qqqq$
calculation with free mesons in the basis.
NO MULTIQUARK HADRONS EXIST
other than nuclei and the scalar nonet.

BUT

CONFIRMED PENTAQUARK Θ^+ (1540)

Nakano et al., Spring 8 $p K^0, n K^+$ threshold 1435 MeV

Leading wavefunction $|uudd\bar{s}\rangle$

Molecular state such as $f_0(980)$ or deuterium?

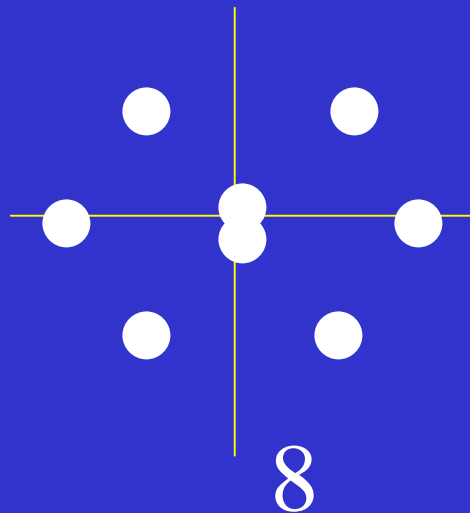
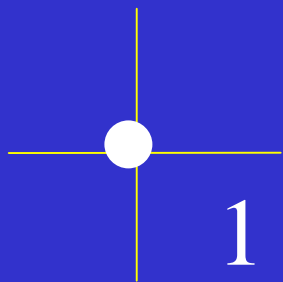
KN repulsive in S-wave

attractive but weak in P-wave

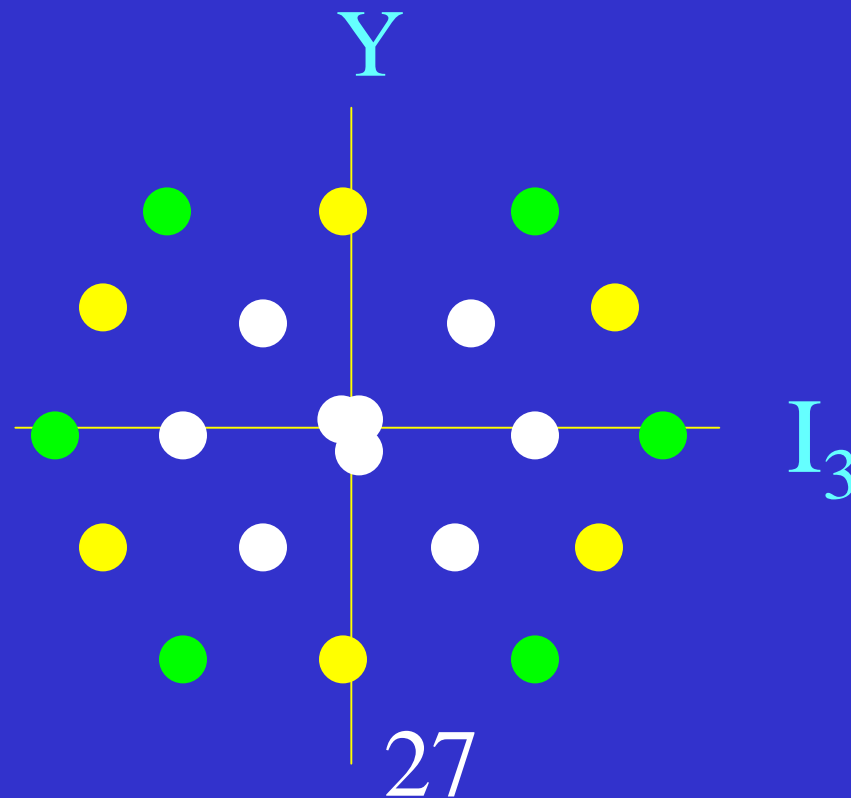
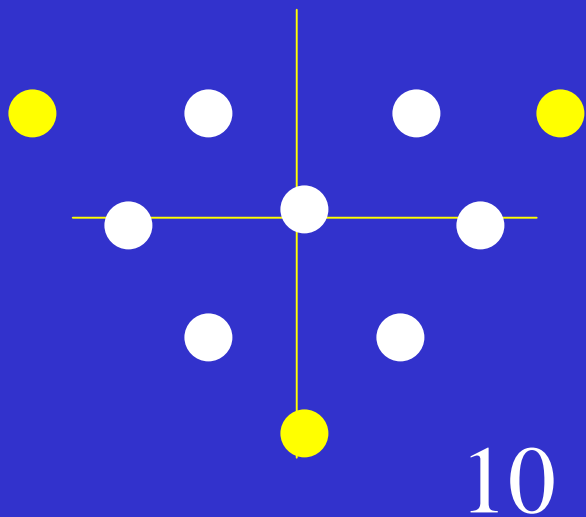
K π N too weak to bind

Bicudo & Marques; Oset & Llanes-Estrada

COMPACT PENTAQUARK



Look for states
with $S=2$ or
 $I_3=3/2, 2$

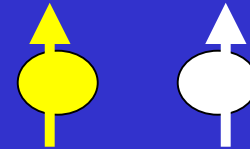


How about 6 q states ?

Obvious place to look is $N\bar{N}$ system

HOT ! BES results suggest parabaryonium
has been found.

0^{-+} parabaryonium



1^{--} orthobaryonium

(almost degenerate, relatively narrow resonances
below NN threshold, suppressed KK decay)

CONCLUSIONS

Below 1.6 GeV state saturation.

Identification of 4 q states (THEORY)

Above 1.6 GeV many states missing
(go bump hunting)

Glueballs: Scalar (1600) and tensor (2000)
stirred in through the f_0 f_2 families.

CONCLUSIONS

Hybrids : Employ exotic quantum numbers to separate from conventional mesons.

Difficult to distinguish from $4q$ composites.

Waves 0^{--} even $^{+-}$ odd $^{-+}$

To correctly identify glue, first illuminate multiquark spectroscopy. (Flavor Exotics).

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