## Nonlocal Condensate Model for QCD Sum Rules

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Pion form factor  

$$\begin{array}{c} \swarrow \\ (\pi(P_2)|J_{\mu}^{em}(0)|\pi(P_1)\rangle = F_{\pi}(Q^2)(P_1 + P_2)_{\mu} \\ = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4z d^4q \exp(iq \cdot z) \langle \pi(P_2)|J_{\mu}^{em}(z)|\pi(P_1) \rangle
\end{array}$$

The pion form factor can be written as the convolution of a hardscattering amplitude  $T_H$  and wave function  $\phi(x)$ 

$$F_{\pi}(Q^2) = \int_0^1 dx_1 \, dx_2 \, \phi(x_2, \mu^2) T_{\rm H}(x_1, x_2, Q^2/\mu^2, \alpha_{\rm s}(\mu^2)) \phi(x_1, \mu^2)$$

### Concepts

- Basic idea : Describing the nonperturbative contribution by a set of phenomenologically effective Feynman rules ------ "quark-hadron duality".
- How to do it ?

Dispersion relation : a phenomenological procedure which connect perturbative and non-perturbative corrections with the *lowest-lying resonances* in the corresponding channels by using of the *Borel* improved dispersion relations

- ➢Borel transformation : a) An improved expansion series
  - b) Give a selection rule of  $s_0$

### **Dispersion** relation

Firstly, consider a polarization operator  $\Pi_{\mu\nu}(Q^2 = -q^2)$  which was defined as the vacuum average of the current product:

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu}(Q^2) = i \int dx e^{iqx} \langle \Omega | \mathsf{T} \left[ j_{\mu}(x) j_{\nu}(0) \right] | \Omega \rangle$$
  
$$\equiv (q_{\mu}q_{\nu} - q^2 g_{\mu\nu}) \Pi(Q^2),$$

Where the state  $|\Omega\rangle$  is the exact vacuum which contain non-perturbative information.

Now, we can insert a complete set of states  $\sum_{\Gamma} |\Gamma\rangle \langle \Gamma|$  and the identity

$$\frac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \int d^4p \,\theta(p^0) \,\delta(p^2 - m_\Gamma^2) \equiv 1,$$

Between two currents.

$$\Pi_{\mu\nu}(Q^2) = \frac{i}{(2\pi)^3} \sum_{\Gamma} \int dx \int d^4p \,\theta(p^0) \,\delta(p^2 - m_{\Gamma}^2) e^{iqx} \langle \Omega | j_{\mu}(x) | \Gamma \rangle \langle \Gamma | j_{\nu}(0) | \Omega \rangle$$
  
$$\equiv \rho_{\mu\nu}(q^2) \theta(s_0 - q^2) + \Pi_{\mu\nu}(q^2) \theta(q^2 - s_0),$$

Here assuming that there exists a threshold value  $s_0$  which can separate the matrix element to lowest resonance state and other higher states.

Because the general structure of  $\Pi(q^2)$  can be inferred from OPE and can be given by

$$\Pi(q^2) = \Pi^{pert.}(q^2) + \left[a\frac{\langle GG\rangle}{(q^2)^3} + b\frac{\alpha_s\langle\bar{\psi}\psi\rangle^2}{(q^2)^4} + \dots\right]$$

And via the dispersion relation, the function  $\Pi(q^2)$  can be written as

$$\Pi(q^2) = \int_0^\infty ds \, \frac{\rho(s)}{s - q^2 - i\epsilon},$$

with the spectral function  $\rho(s)$  is

$$\rho(s) \equiv \frac{1}{\pi} \mathrm{Im} \Pi(\mathbf{s}).$$

Thus, we can obtain a duality relation between the hadronic resonance and quark contributions

$$\rho^{res}(q^2) = \theta(s_0 - q^2) \left[ \Pi^{pert.}(q^2) + a \frac{\langle GG \rangle}{(q^2)^3} + b \frac{\alpha_s \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle^2}{(q^2)^4} + \dots \right]$$

Such that

$$\int_{0}^{s_{0}} ds \frac{\rho^{res}(s)}{s - q^{2} - i\epsilon} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{0}^{s_{0}} ds \frac{1}{s - q^{2} - i\epsilon}$$
$$\times \operatorname{Im} \left[ \Pi^{\text{pert.}}(s) + a \frac{\langle \mathrm{GG} \rangle}{s^{3}} + b \frac{\alpha_{\mathrm{s}} \langle \bar{\psi} \psi \rangle^{2}}{s^{4}} + \dots \right].$$

The Borel transformation

$$\hat{L}_M \Pi(Q^2) = \lim_{\substack{Q^2, n \to \infty \\ Q^2/n = M^2}} \frac{1}{(n-1)!} (Q^2)^n \left[ -\frac{d}{dQ^2} \right]^n \Pi(Q^2).$$

The meaning of the operator  $\hat{L}_M$  becomes clear if we act on a particular term in the power expansion:

$$\hat{L}_M\left(\frac{1}{Q^2}\right)^k = \frac{1}{(k-1)!} \left(\frac{1}{M^2}\right)^k.$$

By apply the Borel transformation  $\hat{L}_M$  we have

$$\hat{L}_{M} \int_{0}^{s_{0}} ds \frac{\rho^{res}(s)}{s - q^{2} - i\epsilon} = \frac{1}{\pi M^{2}} \sum_{m_{\Gamma}^{2} < s_{0}} e^{-m_{\Gamma}^{2}/M^{2}} \langle 0 | J_{\mu}(0) | \Gamma \rangle \langle \Gamma | J_{\nu}(0)^{\dagger} | 0 \rangle$$

$$= \int_{0}^{s_{0}} ds \frac{e^{-s/M^{2}}}{\pi M^{2}} \operatorname{Im} \left[ \Pi^{pert.}(s) + a \frac{\langle GG \rangle}{s^{3}} + b \frac{\alpha_{s} \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle^{2}}{s^{4}} + \dots \right].$$

#### The choice of s<sub>0</sub> in two-photon process



### Pion form factor in QSR

$$\langle \pi(P_2) | J^{em}_{\mu}(0) | \pi(P_1) \rangle = F_{\pi}(Q^2) (P_1 + P_2)_{\mu}$$
  
=  $\frac{1}{(2\pi)^4} \int d^4z d^4q \exp(iq \cdot z) \langle \pi(P_2) | J^{em}_{\mu}(z) | \pi(P_1) \rangle$ 

Consider the three-point function  $\Gamma_{\sigma\mu\lambda}$ :

$$\Gamma_{\sigma\mu\lambda}(p_1^2, p_2^2, q^2) = i \int d^4y d^4z \exp(ip_2 \cdot y - iq \cdot z) \\ \times \langle 0|T\left(\eta_{\sigma}(y)J_{\mu}(z)\eta_{\lambda}^{\dagger}(0)\right)|0\rangle ,$$

where

$$J_{\mu} = \frac{2}{3}\bar{u}\gamma_{\mu}u - \frac{1}{3}\bar{d}\gamma_{\mu}d, \qquad \eta_{\sigma} = \bar{u}\gamma_{\sigma}\gamma_{5}d$$

are the electromagnetic and axial currents, respectively, of up and down quarks.

Again, insert the complete set of states and identity:

$$\begin{split} \Gamma_{\sigma\mu\lambda}(p_{1}^{2},p_{2}^{2},q^{2}) &= i\sum_{\Gamma\Gamma'} \int \mathrm{d}^{4}y \mathrm{d}^{4}z \mathrm{d}^{4}p_{i} \mathrm{d}^{4}p_{f} \cdot \delta(p_{i}^{2}-m_{\Gamma}^{2}) \delta(p_{f}^{2}-m_{\Gamma'}^{2}) \\ &\times e^{(ip_{f}\cdot y-iq\cdot z)} \langle 0|\eta_{\sigma}(y)|\Gamma'\rangle \langle \Gamma'|J_{\mu}(z)|\Gamma\rangle \langle \Gamma|\eta_{\lambda}^{\dagger}(0)|0\rangle \\ &= f_{\pi}^{2}p_{1\lambda}p_{2\sigma}(2\pi)^{2}\delta(p_{1}^{2}-m_{\pi}^{2})\delta(p_{2}^{2}-m_{\pi}^{2})(p_{1}+p_{2})_{\mu}F_{\pi}(q^{2}) \\ &+ \Gamma_{\sigma\mu\lambda} \left[ 1 - \theta(s_{0}-p_{1}^{2})\theta(s_{0}-p_{2}^{2}) \right], \end{split}$$

With the matrix element  $\langle 0|\eta_{\sigma}(y)|\pi(p)\rangle$  is given by PCAC:

$$\langle 0|\eta_{\sigma}(y)|\pi(p)\rangle = if_{\pi}p_{\sigma}e^{-ip\cdot y}.$$



$$f_{\pi}^{2} e^{-2m_{\pi}^{2}/M^{2}} p_{1\lambda} p_{2\sigma}(p_{1}+p_{2})_{\mu} F_{\pi}(q^{2})$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{0}^{s_{0}} \int_{0}^{s_{0}} \mathrm{ds}_{1} \mathrm{ds}_{2} \mathrm{e}^{-(\mathbf{s}_{1}+\mathbf{s}_{2})/M^{2}} \times \mathrm{Im} \left[ \Gamma_{\sigma\mu\lambda}^{\mathrm{pert.}}(\mathbf{s}_{1},\mathbf{s}_{2}) + \mathcal{A}_{\sigma\mu\lambda}(\mathbf{s}_{1},\mathbf{s}_{2}) \langle \mathrm{GG} \rangle + B_{\sigma\mu\lambda}(s_{1},s_{2}) \alpha_{s} \langle \bar{\psi}\psi \rangle^{2} + \ldots \right].$$

### Local and non-local condensate

An exact propagator :  $\langle \Omega | T(q(x)\overline{q}(y)) | \Omega \rangle = \langle \Omega | q(x)\overline{q}(y) | \Omega \rangle + \langle \Omega | : q(x)\overline{q}(y) : | \Omega \rangle.$ 

The Wick theorem :  $T(q(x)\overline{q}(y)) = \overline{q(x)\overline{q}(y)} + : q(x)\overline{q}(y) : .$ 

The normal ordering :  $\begin{cases} \langle 0 | : q(x)\overline{q}(y) : | 0 \rangle = 0. \\ \\ \langle \Omega | : q(x)\overline{q}(y) : | \Omega \rangle \neq 0. \end{cases}$ 

#### **Operator product expansion**

In the QSR approach it is assumed that the confinement effects are sufficiently soft for the Taylor expansion:

#### Local condensate result of pion form factor

B.L. Ioffe and A.V. Smilga, NPB216(1983)373-407



#### The infrared divergence problem



$$\langle \overline{q}q \rangle \cdot \frac{1}{q_1^2} \frac{1}{p_1^2} \frac{1}{(q_1 - q_2)^2}$$

#### Non-local condensate models

In 1986, S. V. Mikhailov and A. V. Radyushkin proposed:

$$\langle \overline{q}(0)q(z)\rangle = \langle \overline{q}q\rangle \int_0^\infty e^{sz^2/4} f_s(s)ds, \overline{q}(0)\gamma_\mu q(z)\rangle = -iz_\mu \langle \overline{q}q\rangle \int_0^\infty e^{sz^2/4} f_v(s)ds$$

with

$$f_s(s) = \delta(s) - (\lambda^2/2)\delta'(s) + \cdots$$

$$f_v(s) = A[\delta'(s) - \frac{57}{80}\lambda^2\delta''(s)] + \cdots$$

#### Other models

$$f_{s}(s) = N_{1} \cdot \exp(-\Lambda^{2}/s - s^{2}\sigma_{1}^{2}) - 0$$

$$f_{v}(s) = N_{2} \cdot \exp(-\Lambda^{2}/s - s\sigma_{2}) - 0$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\langle \overline{q(0)}q(z) \rangle \sim \langle \overline{q}q \rangle \exp(-\lambda_{q}^{2}|z^{2}|/8) - 0$$
A.P

—Gaussian decay —exponential decay

A.P. Bakulev, S.V. Mikhailov and N.G. Stefanis, hep-ph/0103119

A.P. Bakulev, A.V. Pimikov and N.G. Stefanis, 0904.2304

Compare with the simplest gauge invariant non-local condensate :

$$\begin{split} &\langle \overline{q(0)}q(z)\rangle &= \langle \overline{q}q\rangle + \frac{z^2}{8}\langle \overline{q}q\rangle (\lambda_q^2 - m_q^2) + \cdots \\ &\langle \overline{q(0)}\gamma^{\mu}q(z)\rangle &= -i\frac{m_q z^{\mu}}{4}\langle \overline{q}q\rangle + \cdots \end{split}$$

Must obey following constrain condition

$$\begin{split} \int_{0}^{\infty} \mathrm{ds} \cdot \mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbf{s}) &= 1 & \langle \overline{q} i g \hat{G}^{\mu\nu} \sigma_{\mu\nu} q \rangle \equiv m_{0}^{2} \langle \overline{q} q \rangle \\ \int_{0}^{\infty} \mathrm{ds} \cdot \mathbf{s} \cdot \mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbf{s}) &= \frac{(\lambda_{q}^{2} - m_{q}^{2})}{2} & \lambda_{q}^{2} = \frac{m_{0}^{2}}{2} - m_{q}^{2} \\ \int_{0}^{\infty} \mathrm{ds} \cdot \mathbf{f}_{\mathbf{v}}(\mathbf{s}) &= m_{q} \end{split}$$

Local condensate:

$$\varphi_{\pi}(x) + \varphi_{\pi'}(x)e^{-m_{\pi'}^2/M^2} + \ldots = \frac{\delta(x) + \delta(1-x)}{2} + a\langle \bar{q}D^2q \rangle \left\{ \delta'(x) + \delta'(1-x) \right\} + \ldots$$

Nonlocal condensate:

$$\varphi_{\pi}(x) + \varphi_{\pi'}(x)e^{-m_{\pi'}^2/M^2} + \varphi_{\pi''}(x)e^{-m_{\pi''}^2/M^2} + \dots \equiv \Phi(x, M^2)$$
$$= \frac{M^2}{2} \left(1 - x + \frac{\lambda_q^2}{2M^2}\right) f(xM^2), + (x \to 1 - x)$$

### The Källén-Lehmann representation

The exact fermion's propagator :

$$\begin{split} \langle \Omega | \mathrm{T}\psi(\mathbf{x})\overline{\psi}(\mathbf{y}) | \Omega \rangle &= \mathrm{i} \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^4 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4} \mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{i}\mathbf{k}\cdot(\mathbf{x}-\mathbf{y})} \int_0^\infty \mathrm{d}\mu^2 \frac{\not{k}\rho_1(\mu^2) + \rho_2(\mu^2)}{\mathbf{k}^2 - \mu^2 + \mathrm{i}\epsilon} \\ &= iZ_2 S^r(x-y;m_\gamma) + i \int \frac{\mathrm{d}^4 \mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^4} e^{-i\mathbf{k}\cdot(x-y)} \int_{m_\gamma}^\infty \mathrm{d}\mu^2 \frac{\not{k}\rho_1(\mu^2) + \rho_2(\mu^2)}{\mathbf{k}^2 - \mu^2 + \mathrm{i}\epsilon} \end{split}$$

Non-perturbative part (normal ordering)

Renormalized perturbative part

Recast the equation into:

$$\langle \Omega | \mathcal{T}(q(z)\overline{q}(0)) | \Omega \rangle = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \int_0^\infty ds \exp\left(\frac{z^2}{4}s\right) \int_0^\infty d\mu^2 \exp\left(-\frac{\mu^2}{s}\right) \left[\frac{i\not z}{2}s\rho_1^q(\mu^2) + \rho_2^q(\mu^2)\right] dx$$

And set the nonperturbative piece as:

$$\langle \Omega | : q(z)\overline{q}(0) : |\Omega \rangle = \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \int_0^\infty ds \exp\left(\frac{z^2}{4}s\right) \int_{[s,m_\gamma^2]}^\infty d\mu^2 \exp\left(-\frac{\mu^2}{s}\right) \left[\frac{i\not z}{2}s\rho_1^q(\mu^2) + \rho_2^q(\mu^2)\right]$$

Here  $[s,m_{\gamma}^2]$  means that for s larger than  $m_{\gamma}^2$  then the lower bound is s otherwise is  $m_{\gamma}^2$ 

The quark condensate contribution can be obtained by the normal ordering

$$\begin{split} \langle \overline{q}(0)q(z)\rangle &\equiv -\mathrm{Tr}\left[\langle \Omega | : q(z)\overline{q}(0) : |\Omega\rangle\right] \\ &= \langle \overline{q}q\rangle \left[1 + \frac{z^2}{4}\left(\frac{\lambda_q^2}{2} - \frac{m_q^2}{2}\right) + \cdots\right],\\ \langle \overline{q}(0)\gamma_\mu q(z)\rangle &\equiv -\mathrm{Tr}\left[\gamma_\mu \langle \Omega | : q(z)\overline{q}(0) : |\Omega\rangle\right] \\ &= -i\frac{z_\mu}{4}\langle \overline{q}q\rangle \left(m_q + \cdots\right), \end{split}$$

The weight functions are parameterized as

$$\rho_1^q(\mu^2) = N_1 \exp(-a\mu^2), \quad \rho_2^q(\mu^2) = N_2\mu \exp(-a\mu^2),$$



The dressed propagator for the quark is then given by

$$S^{q}(p) = \frac{\not p + m_{q}}{p^{2} - m_{q}^{2}} + \frac{1}{2}i\frac{(\gamma^{\alpha}\not p\gamma^{\beta}G_{\alpha\beta} - m_{q}\gamma_{\alpha}G^{\alpha\beta}\gamma_{\beta})}{(p^{2} - m_{q}^{2})^{2}} \\ + \frac{\pi^{2}\langle G^{2}\rangle m_{q}\not p(m_{q} + \not p)}{(p^{2} - m_{q}^{2})^{4}} + \left[\not p\hat{I}_{1}^{q}(\mu) + \hat{I}_{2}^{q}(\mu)\right]\frac{\exp[-(p^{2} - \mu^{2})/\mu^{2}]}{p^{2} - \mu^{2}}$$

With the definitions  $\hat{I}_{1,2}^q(\mu)f(\mu) \equiv \int_0^\infty d\mu^2 \rho_{1,2}^q(\mu^2)f(\mu).$ 







## Summary

- The infrared divergence problem can be solved by our nonlocal condensate model.
- The applicable energy region can be extended to 10 GeV<sup>2</sup> in the calculation of pion form factor.
- Can we use the Källén-Lehmann representation to improve the QSR approach?