

# Kaon-nucleon dynamics and role of chiral symmetry



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# Kaon in nuclear and hadron physics

## Strange quark conveyer

$$K^+ \sim u\bar{s}, \quad K^0 \sim d\bar{s}, \quad \bar{K}^0 \sim \bar{d}s, \quad K^- \sim \bar{u}s,$$

Impurity in nuclear (ud-quark) systems

Kaon condensation, CFL phase, ... --> astrophysics

## Kaon-Nucleon interaction, kaons in nuclei

$\Lambda(1405)$  quasi-bound state below  $\bar{K}N$  threshold  
-->  $\bar{K}N(l=0)$  interaction is strongly attractive.

Deeply bound **kaonic nuclei** --> High density?

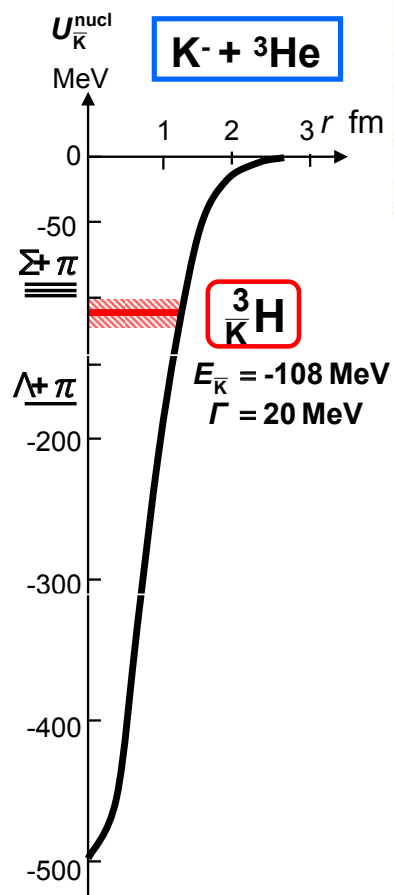
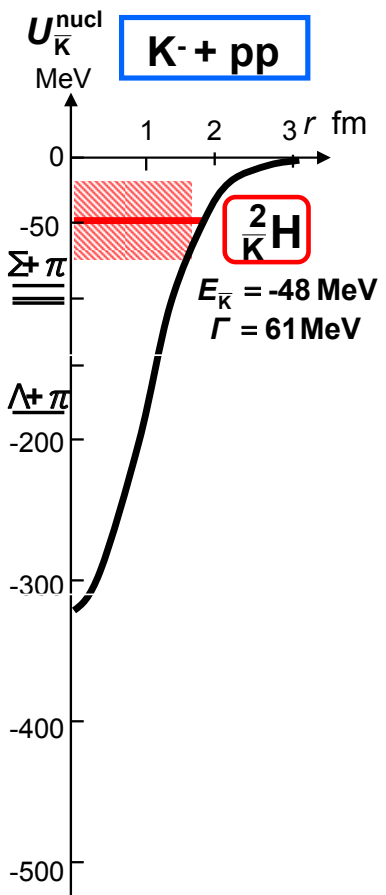
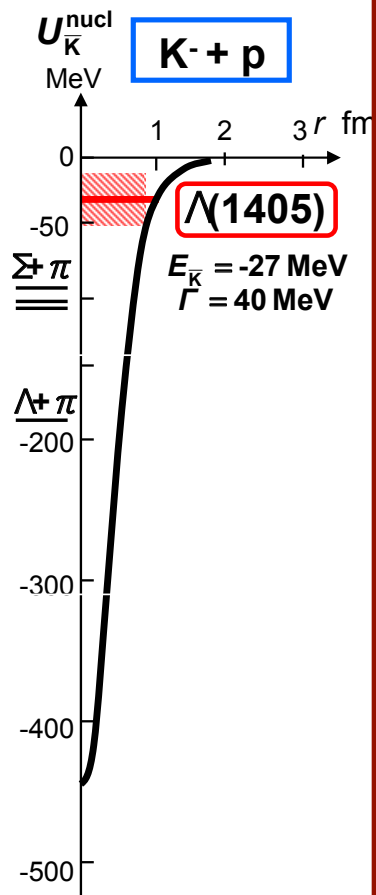
## Pseudoscalar meson : Flavor partner of $\pi$

Nambu-Goldstone boson of **chiral symmetry** breaking

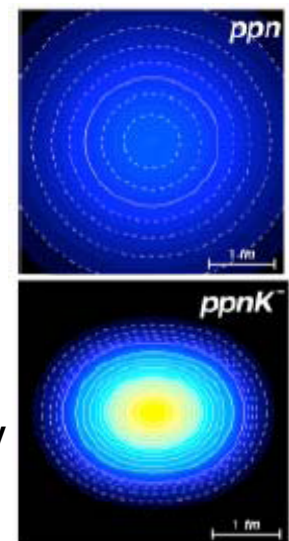


# Deeply bound kaonic nuclei

## $\bar{K}N$ potential



A. Dote et al.

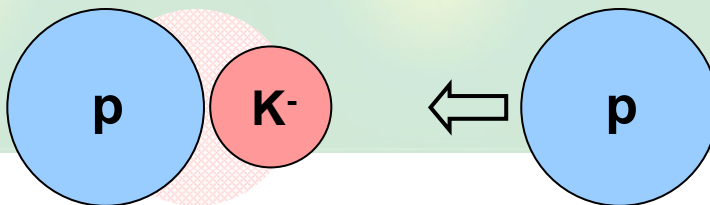


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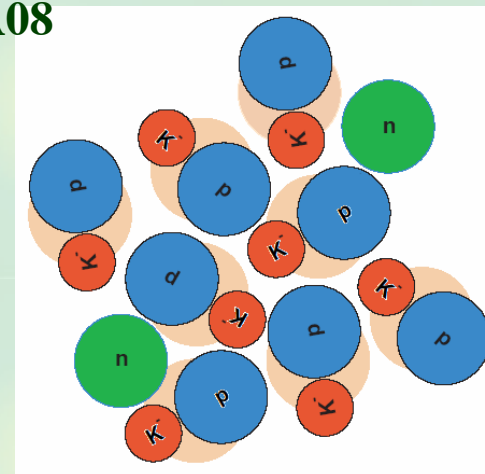
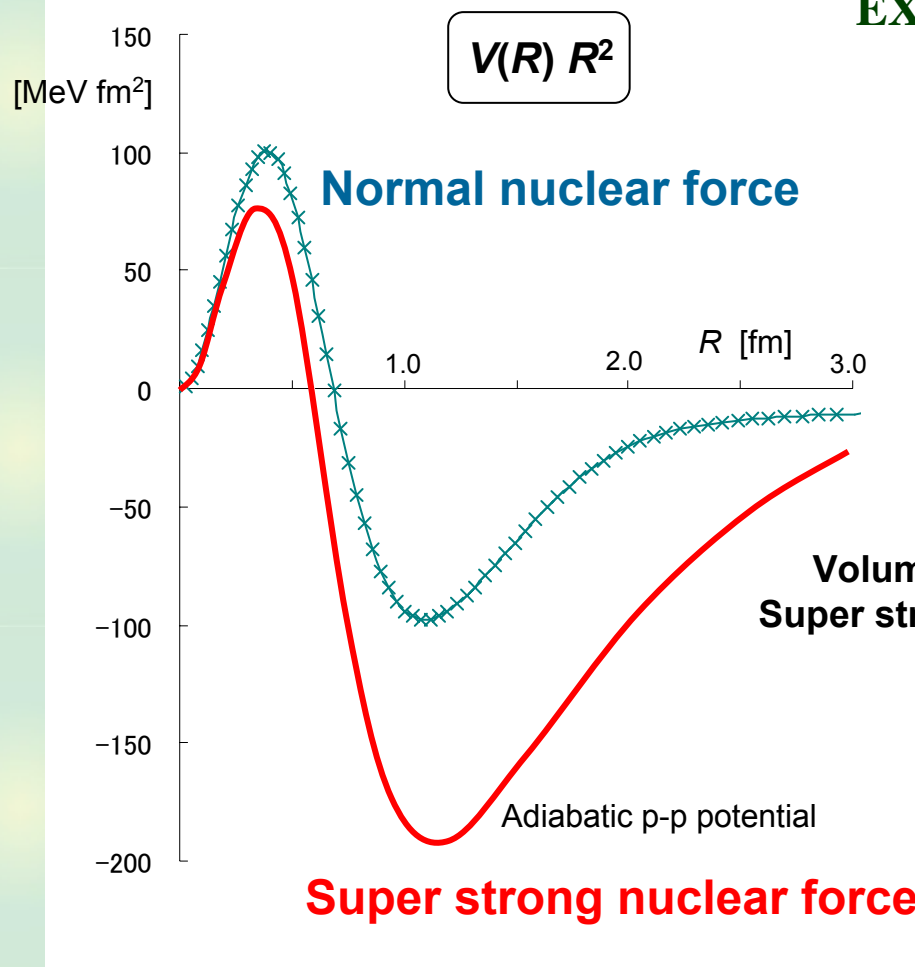
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# Adiabatic p-p potential in K-pp

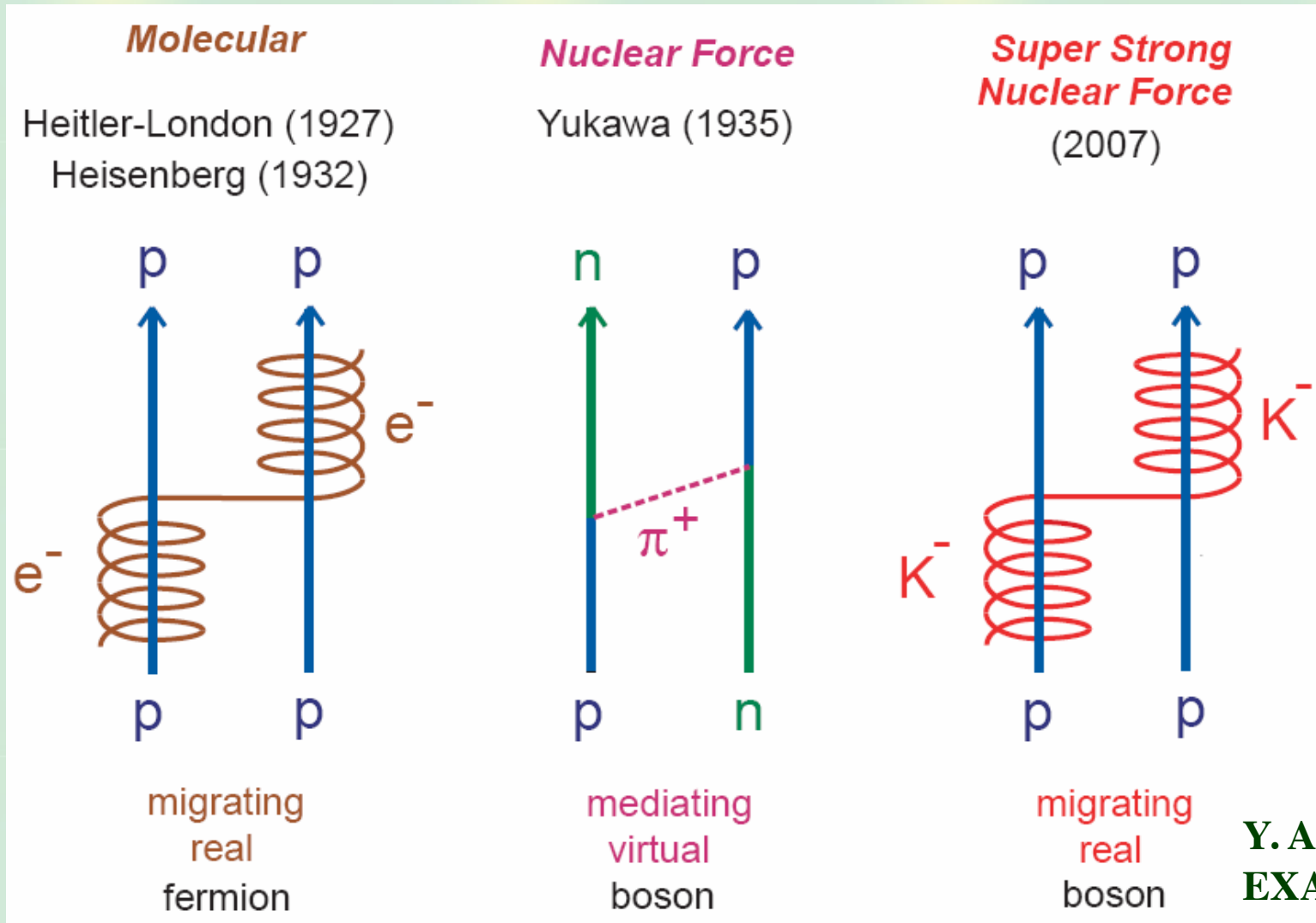


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Volume integral ratio  
Super strong / Normal ~ 4.1

# Deeply bound (few-body) kaonic nuclei



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## Importance of chiral symmetry

### Chiral symmetry

- connects hadronic phenomena with underlying theory of QCD.
- dictates the low energy hadron-**NG boson** interaction (e.g.  $\bar{K}N$  interaction).
- may give you a Nobel prize!



$\Rightarrow \bar{K}N$  interaction in chiral SU(3) dynamics

# Chiral unitary approach

Description of  $S = -1$ ,  $\bar{K}N$  s-wave scattering :  $\Lambda(1405)$  in  $l=0$

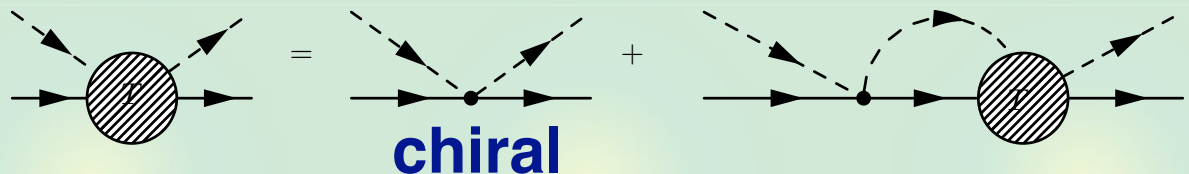
- Interaction  $\leftarrow$  chiral symmetry

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- Amplitude  $\leftarrow$  unitarity (coupled channel)

R.H. Dalitz, T.C. Wong and G. Rajasekaran, *PR*153, 1617 (1967)

$$T = \frac{1}{1 - VG} V$$



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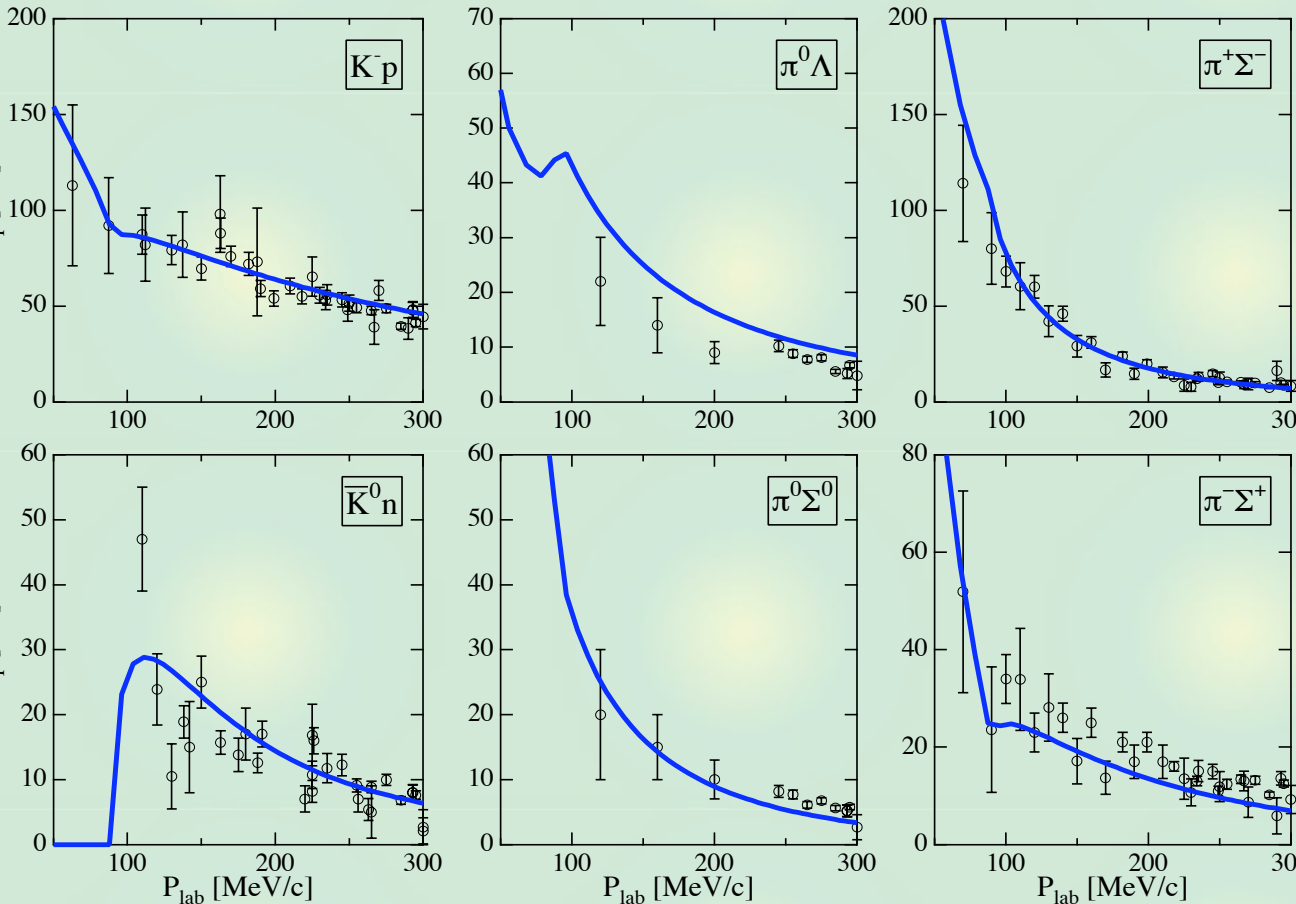
M.F.M. Lutz, E. E. Kolomeitsev, *Nucl. Phys.* A700, 193 (2002),

... many others

works successfully, also in  $S=0$  sector, meson-meson scattering sectors, systems including heavy quarks, ...

# How it works? vs experimental data

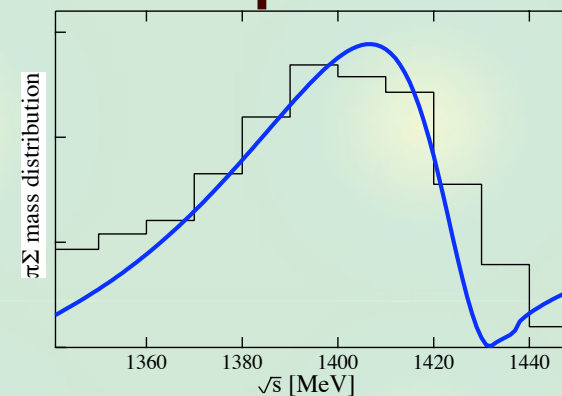
## Total cross sections



## threshold ratios

	$\gamma$	$R_c$	$R_n$
exp.	2.36	0.664	0.189
theo.	1.80	0.624	0.225

## $\pi\Sigma$ spectrum



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**$\Rightarrow \bar{K}N$  interaction in this framework**



## Effective interaction based on chiral SU(3) dynamics

Few-body kaonic nuclei in chiral dynamics

- single-channel  $\bar{K}N$  potential

Construction of effective single-channel potential

T. Hyodo and W. Weise, Phys. Rev. C 77, 035204 (2008)

1) Coupled-channel  $\rightarrow$  single  $\bar{K}N$  channel BS equation  
incorporation of  $\pi\Sigma$  channel (exact)

2) Local potential in Schrödinger equation (approximate)

$\rightarrow$   $\bar{K}N$  interaction : attractive, but **weaker than the phenomenological potential.**

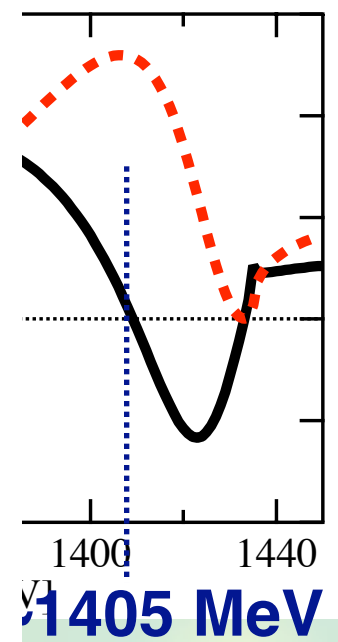
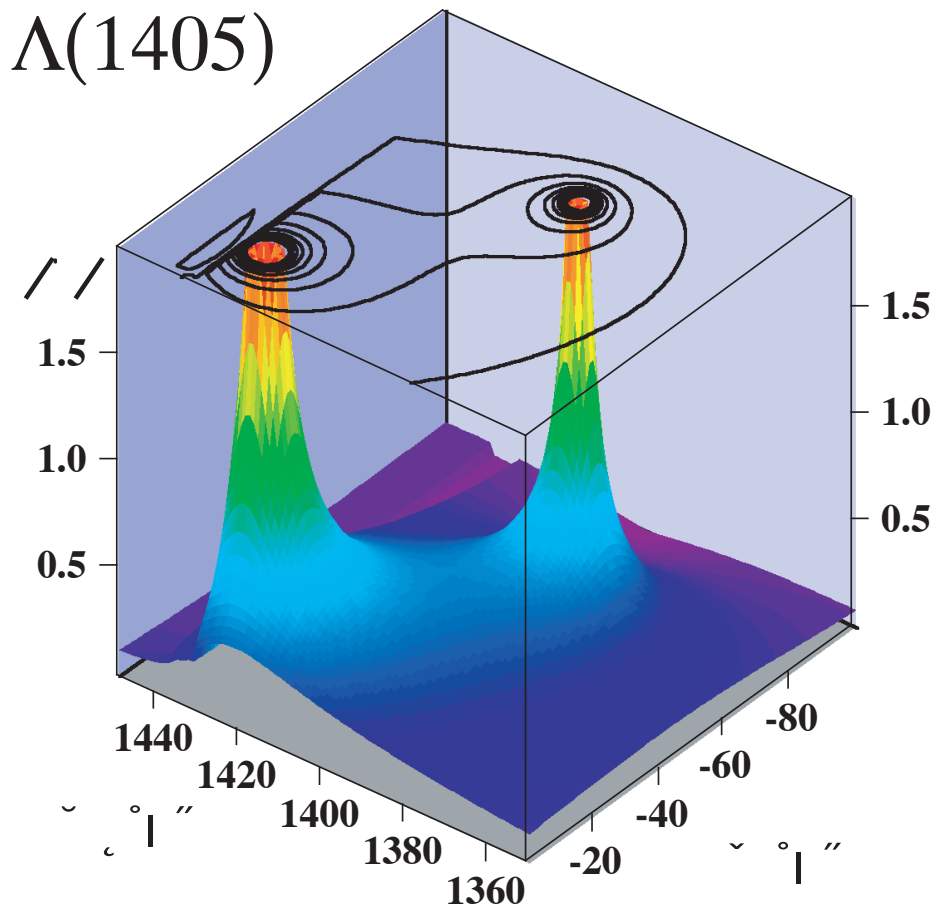
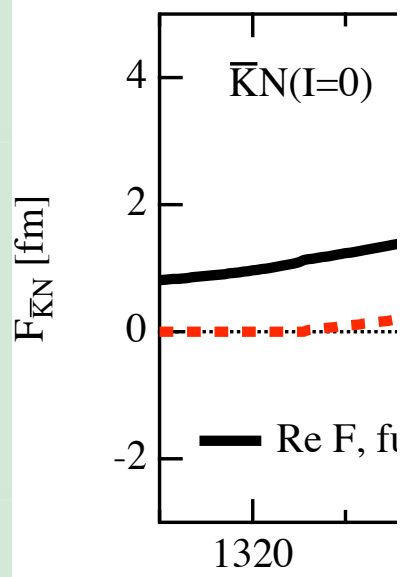
Application to K-pp system : bound, but B  $\sim$  20 MeV

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Why the interaction is weaker?  $\rightarrow$  structure of the  $\Lambda(1405)$

# Scattering amplitude in $\bar{K}N$ and $\pi\Sigma$



**Resonance**  
**← strong  $\pi\Sigma$**   
**Binding energy**

**Two poles with same quantum numbers**  
**Different weights of the pole residues --> different spectra**

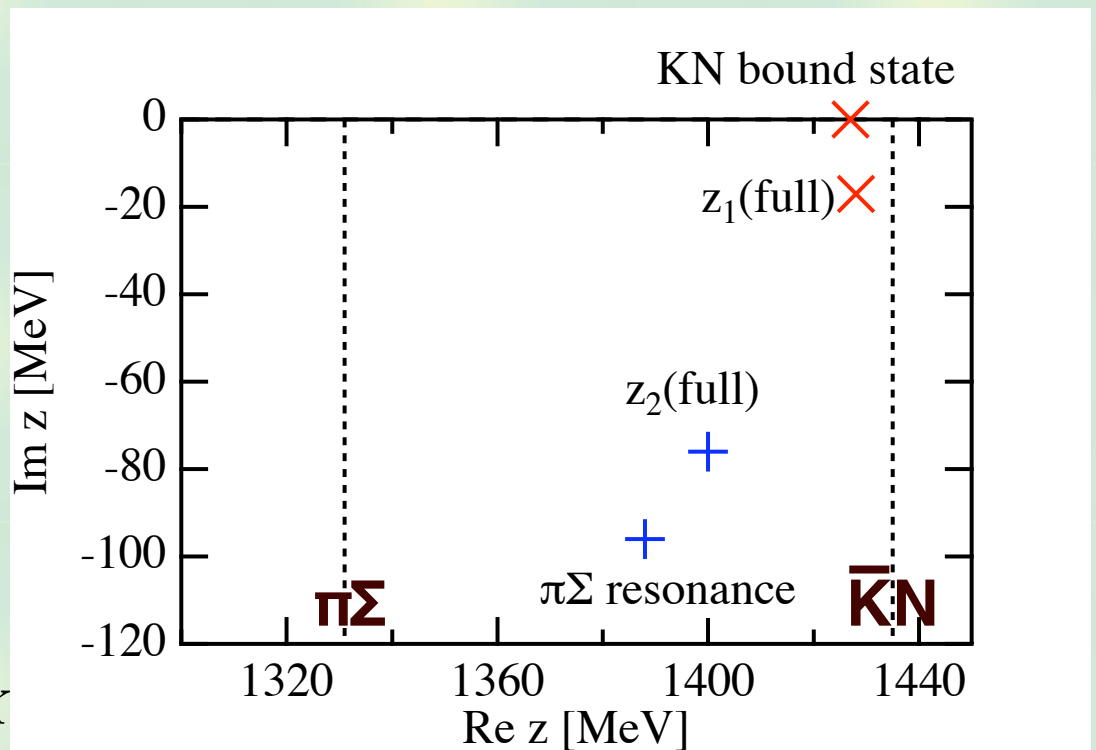
# Origin of the two-pole structure

## Chiral interaction

$$V_{ij} = -C_{ij} \frac{\omega_i + \omega_j}{4f^2}$$

$$C_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} \bar{K}N & \pi\Sigma \\ 3 & -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

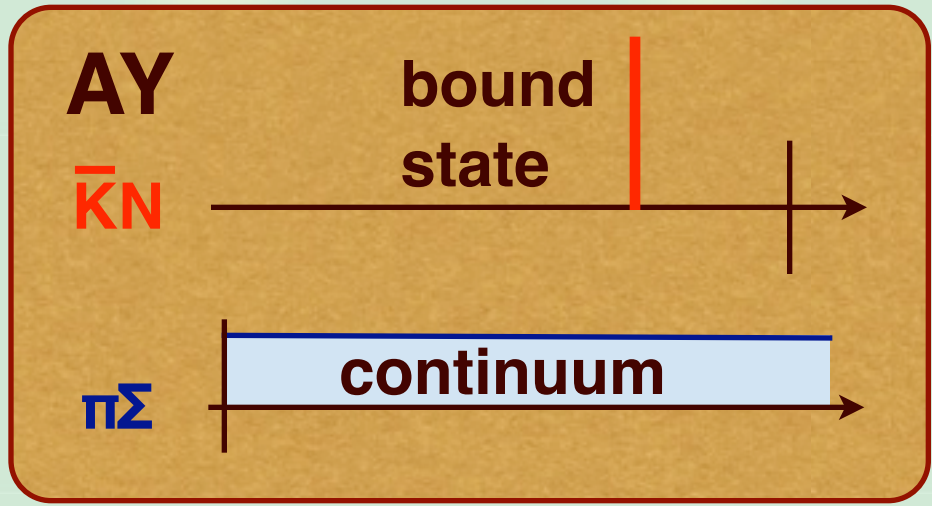
$$\omega_i \sim m_i, \quad 3.3m_\pi \sim m_K$$



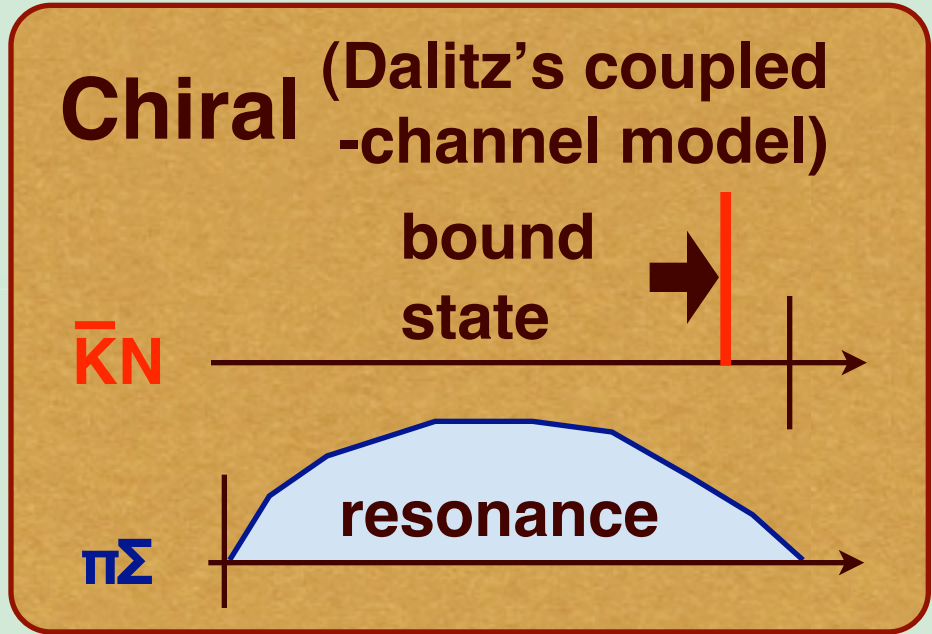
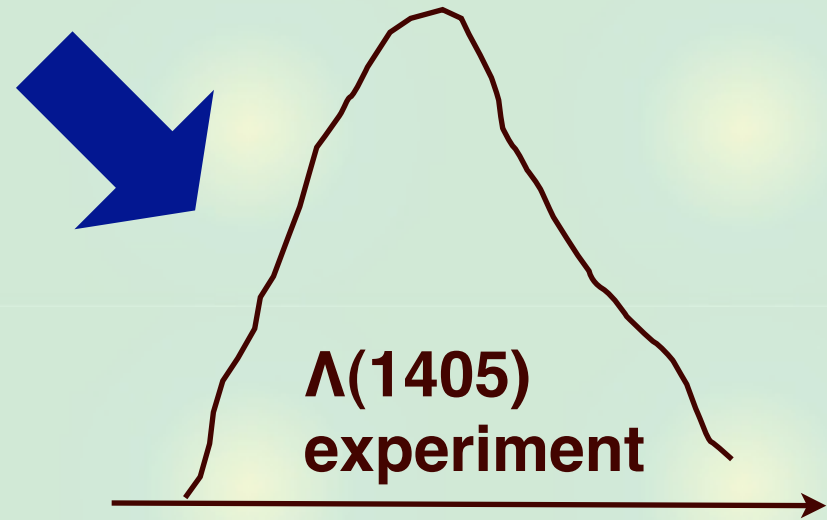
**Very strong attraction in  $\bar{K}N$  (higher energy) --> bound state**  
**Strong attraction in  $\pi\Sigma$  (lower energy) --> resonance**

**Two attractive interactions --> Two states**  
 **$\pi\Sigma \rightarrow \pi\Sigma$  attraction : chiral SU(3) symmetry**

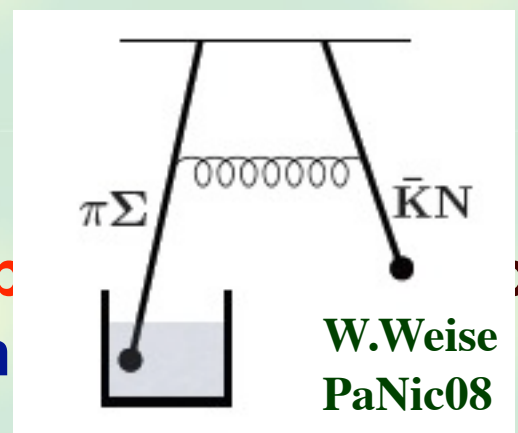
# Schematic illustration : AY vs Chiral



Feshbach resonance



Feshbach resonance



## Summary : $\bar{K}N$ interaction

We study the consequence of chiral SU(3) dynamics in  $\bar{K}N$  phenomenology.

- Single-channel effective  $\bar{K}N$  interaction is **attractive** and forms K-pp bound system.
- Resonance structure in  $\bar{K}N$  appears at around **1420 MeV** <-- **strong  $\pi\Sigma$  dynamics**
- Two attractive interactions in  $\bar{K}N$  and  $\pi\Sigma$  --> **weaker** effective  $\bar{K}N$  interaction
- For deep binding region,  $\pi\Sigma$  dynamics would play an important role.