Inclusive and semi-inclusive lepton nucleus scattering in quasielastic region and beyond

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Introduction

- Quasi-Elastic
 - Nuclear models: SF, SuSA, HF, RPA
 - Comparison between models V.Belocchi et al., arXiv 2310.02007 [nucl-th]

Meson exchange currents

- Inclusive process
- Semi-inclusive process V.Belocchi et al., arXiv 2401.13640 [nucl-th]
- Future developments

Neutrino physics

Neutrinos:

- ▶ Light fermions that interact through Weak interaction only ⇒ Very low signals, heavy target needed: nuclei!
- Flavour Oscillation: mass eigenstate \neq flavour eigenstate

Neutrino experiments want to study the properties of this particle, and extract information on the **Oscillation Matrix**, especially on the **CP violating phase**.



Incident neutrino fluxes distribution for several experiments

Experiments measure the number of events. In a neutrino oscillation experiment:

$$N_{\nu_{\beta}}(\overline{E_{\nu}}) \sim \int dE_{\nu} \Phi_{\nu_{\alpha}}(E_{\nu}) P_{\nu_{\alpha} \to \nu_{\beta}}(E_{\nu}) \sigma(E_{\nu}) \epsilon_{det} d(E_{\nu}, \overline{E_{\nu}})$$

Reconstructed energy $\overline{E_{\nu}} \Leftrightarrow E_{\nu}$ True neutrino energy

Nucleus is a very rich and complex target, composed by

- Nucleons, not elementary particles
- Mesons, that can be considered as the mediators of nuclear interaction



Lepton-Nucleus interaction: several processes

Nuclear Effects: Free Nucleon \rightarrow Nucleus

- Broadening of QE, Fermi motion
 Initial hadronic state from nuclear model
- Pauli Blocking PB, Final State Interactions FSI
- Multinucleon excitations: 2p-2h





It's possible to determine the channel and to reconstruct the interaction vertex? NO!

- \blacktriangleright We don't know the initial hadronic state \rightarrow nuclear model
- Incident flux wide in energy: we don't know initial E_{ν}
- Outgoing hadron particles are affected by final state interactions

Importance of electron scattering for neutrino processes

Here flux integrated CCQE neutrino-carbon cross-section is reported, with the T2K near detector ν_{μ} flux.



Flux integration hides very different behaviour of adopted nuclear model $$\Downarrow$$

Electron-nucleus scattering

- No incident energy reconstruction problem
- Easy four-momentum transfer reconstruction
- Numerous high precision data available

 \Rightarrow Channels separation

Purpose

Motivation:

- ▶ Deeper comprehension of QE and 2p2h processes starting from electron-nucleus scattering
- Inputs and theoretical computations to improve the accuracy for neutrino experiments

Neutrino physics community is recently focusing on semi-inclusive processes (hadrons detected in the final state), a lot of data available and coming soon

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Build a general framework capable to compute Inclusive and Semi-Inclusive cross sections starting from microscopic computations, for QE and 2p2h channels



The general EM cross-section formula is:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{k}'}\mathrm{d}\Omega_{\mathrm{k}'}} = \underbrace{\frac{\alpha^2}{Q^2}}_{\sigma_{Mott}} \frac{|\mathbf{k}'|}{E_k} \nu_0 (2\pi)^3 \frac{L_{\mu\nu}}{\nu_0} W_A^{\mu\nu}$$

Nuclear Hadronic Tensor: described using a Nuclear Model

$$W^{\mu
u}_A := \sum_X ig\langle A | \left(J^\mu_A
ight)^\dagger | X
ight
angle ig\langle X | \, J^
u_A | A
ight
angle \delta^4 \left(M_A + q - P_X
ight)$$

If the sum is performed over every possible final state X, W_A describes an inclusive process

QE: relatively easy to describe, relies on lepton-nucleon interaction

Comparing nuclear models: why?

- Discrepancies between models
- ν physics requires better accuracy: too high uncertainties also in QE cross-section
- $\Rightarrow \mbox{Comparison between models can be} \\ extremely useful$

Studied models:

- RFG: very simple but relativistic model
- Spectral Function SF: MF with short range NN correlations (Rome SF)
- SuperScaling Approach SuSA: extracts nuclear features from electron data via a fit
- Hartree-Fock HF: MF to describe the nucleus, based on quantum theory of many body systems
- Random Phase Approximation RPA: describe the probe propagation inside the nuclear medium

RPA

Developed RPA scheme:

- Based on HF, nuclear matter approximations, non relativistic meson potentials M.B. Barbaro et al, Nucl. Phys. A 596 (1996), R. Machleidt et al, Phys. Rep. 149 (1987)
- Computations of Polarization Tensor, p-h pairs propagation under an interaction potential



HF Dyson equation



Two approaches:

- Ring approximation: resummation of direct diagrams only
- ► Antisymmetyc (aRPA): direct and exchange diagrams → continued fraction expansion

A. De Pace, Nucl. Phys. A 635 (1998)

Results and comparisons

Some electron-carbon cross-sections are shown, at several kinematics. Data from archive nucl-ex/0603032







- SuSA underestimates the cross-section, but has a better shape
- RPA is in good agreement with data
- SF overestimates the cross-section, the peak is shifted at larger energy
- Ring is not reproducing the data: antisymmetrization is needed
- At $\omega > 0.2 GeV$ missing strength: MEC start to contribute!

Results and comparisons

Low kinematics, PB and FSI effects





- HF and HF-based RPA, Ring reproduces peak position
- SuSA and SF are not adequate at q < 300 MeV</p>
- ► HF, HF-RPA overestimate the cross-section
- HF-ring seems to partially account for giant resonances ►

Low angles, forward scattering



 $q_{\rm QEP}=540~{
m MeV}$

- General agreement in the peak position
- SuSA underestimates cross-section (corrected in SuSAv2)
- \blacktriangleright General lack of strength at very low ω

Summary

- Several nuclear models for QE are analyzed: the aim is not perfect agreement with data -at least for the moment!-, but the possibility to compare models in the same framework (form factors, nuclear tensor description...)
- ▶ HF, RPA are more appropriate at low momentum transfer, where IA-based approches are not
- This RPA calculation is among the few that include explicitly exchange diagrams. Others account for them by adding effective terms to the ring approach

QE... and Beyond: MEC

Increasing the transferred energy, two nucleons can be emitted: 2p-2h



Features:

- Leptonic probe interacts with a nucleon in a correlated pair of nucleons exchanging mediator (III order process, not FSI)
- Leptonic probe interacts directly with the exchanged virtual meson between two nucleons, exciting them both

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Meson Exchange Current: two-body current

Effective Field Theory to describe nucleons-mesons interaction: E. Hernandez et al, Mod.Phys.Lett.A 23 (2008)

Non-Linear σ -model

$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\Psi}(i\partial \!\!\!/ - M)\Psi + \frac{1}{2}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi}\partial^{\mu}\vec{\phi} - \frac{1}{2}m_{\pi}^{2}\vec{\phi}^{2} + \frac{g_{A}}{f_{\pi}}\bar{\Psi}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}(\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi})\Psi + \mathcal{O}(1/f_{\pi}^{2})$$

- Provides a description of a system composed by nucleons and pions
- Nucleon-pion vertex is dominated by pseudo-vector interaction
- πNN coupling is $\frac{g_{\pi NN}}{2m_N} = \frac{g_A}{2f_{\pi}}$ using the Goldberger-Treiman relation
- Ψ: nucleon, isospin doublet
- $\vec{\phi}$: pionic field, scalar isospin triplet, $\pi^{\pm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\phi_1 \pm i \phi_2)$
- $\vec{\tau}$: isospin Pauli matrices, $\tau^{\pm} = \tau_1 \pm i\tau_2$

Physical pions in the Lagrangian:

$$rac{ec{ au}}{2}ec{\phi} = rac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(au^+\pi^-+ au^-\pi^+)+rac{ au_3}{2}\pi_0$$

To 'switch on' the EW interaction in the previous Lagrangian, the standard $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ local symmetry procedure is performed, with associated gauge bosons \vec{W}^{μ} and B^{μ} , followed by the physical separation between weak and EM interactions

Covariant derivatives

Fermions:
$$D^{\mu} = \partial^{\mu} + ig \frac{\vec{\tau}}{2} \vec{W}^{\mu} + ig' Y B^{\mu}$$

Pions: $D^{\mu} \phi_i = \partial^{\mu} \phi_i - g \epsilon_{ijk} \phi_j W^{\mu}_k$

with

$$\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}\vec{W}_{\mu} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\tau^{+}W_{\mu}^{-} + \tau^{-}W_{\mu}^{+}) + \frac{\tau_{3}}{2}W_{3\mu} \quad W_{\mu}^{\pm} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(W_{1\mu} \pm iW_{2\mu})$$

EM interaction

$$egin{array}{lll} & ig {ec { au}\over 2} ec W^\mu + ig'\, YB^\mu &
ightarrow & ieA^\mu \ & g \epsilon_{ij3} W^\mu_3 &
ightarrow & e \epsilon_{ij3} A^\mu \end{array}$$

 $W^{\mu}/A^{\mu} N \Delta$ transition

$$\mathcal{L} = g \bar{\Psi}_{\mu} \vec{T}^{\dagger} \vec{W}^{\mu} \Psi + h.c. \quad
ightarrow \quad \mathcal{L}_{EM} = e \bar{\Psi}_{\mu} T_3^{\dagger} A^{\mu} \Psi + h.c.$$

 $N \Delta \pi$ transition

$$\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{rac{3}{2}} rac{f^*}{m_\pi} ar{\Psi}_\mu \, ar{\mathcal{T}}^\dagger \partial^\mu ar{\phi} \Psi + h.c.$$

• Ψ_{μ} : Rarita-Schwinger $\frac{3}{2}$ -spinor, with four isospin indices (μ) and four Dirac indices -omitted-• T^{\dagger} : $\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow \frac{3}{2}$ isospin transition 4x2 operator $T_{1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{pmatrix} -\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$ $T_{2} = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{6}} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \sqrt{3} \end{pmatrix}$ $T_{3} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ $T_{i}T_{j}^{\dagger} = \frac{2}{3}\delta_{ij} - \frac{i}{3}\epsilon_{ijk}\tau_{k}$ In the MEC currents, Δ appears always as a virtual particle

 Δ propagator

$$G_{lphaeta}(p) = rac{\mathcal{P}_{lphaeta}(p)}{p^2 - M_{\Delta}^2 + iM_{\Delta}\Gamma_{\Delta}}$$

Where $\mathcal{P}_{\alpha\beta}$ is the projector over the physical states

$$\sum_{spin} u_{\alpha}(p)\overline{u}_{\beta}(p) = \mathcal{P}_{\alpha\beta}(p) = -(\not p + M_{\Delta}) \Big[g_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{3} \gamma_{\alpha} \gamma_{\beta} - \frac{2}{3} \frac{p_{\alpha} p_{\beta}}{M_{\Delta}} + \frac{p_{\alpha} \gamma_{\beta} - p_{\beta} \gamma_{\alpha}}{3M_{\Delta}} \Big]$$

In the following the imaginary contribution to the responses arising from the Δ propagator is not included



 $\Gamma^{\alpha\mu}$ contains vector and axial form factors. EM case:

$$\Gamma_{V}^{\alpha\mu} = \Big[\underbrace{\frac{C_{3V}}{M}(g^{\alpha\mu}\not q - q^{\alpha}\gamma^{\mu})}_{d} + \frac{C_{4V}}{M^{2}}(g^{\alpha\mu}qp_{\Delta} - q^{\alpha}p_{\Delta}^{\mu}) + \frac{C_{5V}}{M^{2}}(g^{\alpha\mu}qp - q^{\alpha}p^{\mu})\Big]\gamma_{5}$$

Meson Exchange Current

Describe the possibility that a probe excites two holes into two particles: *De Pace et al, Nucl.Phys.A* 726 (2003)

► Two-body ElectroMagnetic Meson Exchange Currents J^µ_{2p2h}







RFG 2p2h

Inclusive hadronic tensor, no hadronic particles detected:

$$W_{2\rho2h}^{\mu\nu} = (2\pi)^3 \frac{V}{4} \int_{|\mathbf{p}| \le p_F} \frac{m_N \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p}_1}{(2\pi)^3 E_{\rho 1}} \frac{m_N \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p}_2}{(2\pi)^3 E_{\rho 2}} \frac{m_N \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p}_1'}{(2\pi)^3 E_{\rho 1'}} \frac{m_N \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p}_2'}{(2\pi)^3 E_{\rho 2'}} \tilde{W}_{2\rho2h}^{\mu\nu} \delta^4 \{\theta_{PB}\}$$

Semi-inclusive hadronic tensor, one final proton detected (p'_1) :

$$W_{2p2h}^{\mu\nu}(N_{1}') = (2\pi)^{3} \frac{V}{4} \int_{|\mathbf{p}| \le p_{F}} \frac{m_{N} d\mathbf{p}_{1}}{(2\pi)^{3} E_{p1}} \frac{m_{N} d\mathbf{p}_{2}}{(2\pi^{3}) E_{p2}} \frac{m_{N} d\mathbf{p}_{2}'}{(2\pi^{3}) E_{p2'}} \tilde{W}_{2p2h}^{\mu\nu} \delta^{4} \{\theta_{PB}\}$$
$$\tilde{W}_{2p2h}^{\mu\nu} = \sum_{\substack{\text{spin} \\ \text{isospin}}} \langle 2p2h | J_{2p2h}^{\mu} | F \rangle \langle F | J_{2p2h}^{\nu\dagger} | 2p2h \rangle \qquad |2p2h\rangle = b_{p_{2}'}^{\dagger} b_{p_{1}}^{\dagger} b_{p_{1}} b_{p_{2}} | F \rangle$$

• J^{μ}_{2p2h} is a two-body operator, acting on the spin, isospin and momentum space

Is possible to invert the two particles, obtaining another current that must be included

$$J^{\mu}_{2p2h} = J^{\mu}_{2p2h}(p_1, p_2, p_1', p_2') - J^{\mu}_{2p2h}(p_1, p_2, p_2', p_1')$$

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MEC Polarization Tensors

Combining two meson exchange currents \rightarrow Two possibilities!

• Direct term: $J^{\mu}J^{\nu\dagger}(p_1, p_2, p_{1'}, p_{2'}) + J^{\mu}J^{\nu\dagger}(p_1, p_2, p_{2'}, p_{1'})$



3 examples of the 16 EM many body direct diagrams

• Exchange term: $J^{\mu}(p_1, p_2, p_{1'}, p_{2'})J^{\nu\dagger}(p_1, p_2, p_{2'}, p_{1'}) + \mu \leftrightarrow \nu$



3 examples of the 12 EM many body exchange diagrams



Inclusive calculation, fixing ω, q

- Integration over two particles and two holes momenta
- Four-momentum conservation
- q-system: nucleus symmetry \rightarrow azimuthal invariance

Non-vanishing responses

$$R_L = W_{2p2h}^{00} \qquad \qquad R_T = W_{2p2h}^{11} + W_{2p2h}^{22}$$

Electric charge conservation:

 R_L includes contribution from W_{2p2h}^{00} , W_{2p2h}^{03} , W_{2p2h}^{33}

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 \Rightarrow 7 dimension integration

MEC Responses

- ▶ RFG model in nuclear matter for Carbon target, $p_F = 228$ MeV
- Energy shift $E_s = 20$ MeV for each particle $\rightarrow E_s^{2p2h} = 2E_s$



We tested the results with previous work, for iron De Pace et al, Nucl. Phys. A 726 (2003)



Delta Form Factors impact

▶ In *De Pace et al* only C_{3V} was included. Here all Δ form factors are included: responses increase, more relevant at high q-values

MEC Responses: Results

MEC Transverse and Longitudinal Nuclear Responses at several q-values:



Final MEC contribution is almost totally transverse with respect to q^{μ}

- MEC responses show a wide but defined peak, due to Δ role. Strenght is about a half of the transverse QE responses
- At low q-values QE peak is well separated from MEC contributions. As q increases the two peaks overlap
- MEC responses are truncated when the exchanged q^{μ} becomes time-like

Higher q-values:



Same considerations as before

Ratio between RFG and MEC transverse responses is still the same

Semi-inclusive calculation, fixing ω , q, $\mathbf{p}'_1(p'_1, \theta_{p_{1'}}, \phi_{p_{1'}})$

- Integration over one particle and two holes momenta
- Four-momentum conservation
- ▶ q-system: nucleus symmetry → NO MORE azimuthal invariance
- Non-vanishing responses

$$R_L = W_{2p2h}^{00} \qquad R_T = W_{2p2h}^{11} + W_{2p2h}^{22}$$
$$R_{TT} = W_{2p2h}^{22} - W_{2p2h}^{11} \qquad R_{TL} = \frac{1}{2} (W_{2p2h}^{10} + W_{2p2h}^{01})$$

Electric charge conservation:

 R_{TL} includes contributions from W_{2p2h}^{10} , W_{2p2h}^{13}

k staticing plane 0, pv Reaction plane 2

 \Rightarrow 5 dimension integration

We tested our models with data showed in J. Ryckebusch et al, Phys. Lett. B 333, 310 (1994), arXiv:nucl-th/9406015.

Experimental settings, q-system

- Fixed incident and final lepton energy E_k , $E_{k'}$, scattering angle and \mathbf{p}'_1
- ▶ Scattering plane x z → no contribution from $W^{\mu 2}$, $\mu \neq 2$
- ▶ Proton detected in the scattering-plane $\rightarrow \phi_{p_{1'}} = 0, \pi$ Note that ϕ_{p_1} , value affects the sign of R_{TL} contribution
- ▶ 6th differential cross-section

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{d\omega d\Omega_{k'} dE_m d\Omega_{p_{1'}}} \\ E_m &= \omega - T_{p_{1'}} \qquad T_{p_{1'}} = E_{p_{1'}} - m_N \end{aligned}$$

Semi-Inclusive Results

 R_T and R_{TT} contributions included only Kinematics: $E_k = 470$ MeV, $\omega = 263$ MeV, q = 303 MeV



- Defined peak
- \blacktriangleright Direct and exchange contribution included (exchange \sim 12% of direct, \sim 13% of total)
- Δ most important contribution (\sim 50%), π and $\pi \Delta$ similar
- Very good agreement with data below $E_m \simeq 130$ MeV
- For $E_m > 130$ MeV other process starts to contributes: π production via Δ excitation

Isospin channel separation

Example: Δ forward current



► Isospin operator:
$$I_{\Delta F} = 2\tau_3^{(1)}\mathbb{1}^{(2)} - I_{V_3}$$

$$I_{V_3} = \frac{1}{2} (\tau_-^{(1)} \tau_+^{(2)} - \tau_+^{(1)} \tau_-^{(2)}) \qquad I_{V_3}^{\dagger} |pp\rangle = 0$$

• Δ current is the only term contributing to pp channel (pionic current has I_{V_3} only)

$$I_{\Delta F}^{\dagger} \ket{pp} = 2 \ket{pp}$$
 $I_{\Delta F}^{\dagger} \ket{pn} = 2 \ket{pn} - 2 \ket{np}$

In the semi-inclusive channel, a proton is detected in the final state

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 $|pn\rangle$, $|np\rangle$ both contribute

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pn channel four times bigger than pp

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Kinematics: $E_k = 470$ MeV, $\omega = 263$ MeV, q = 303 MeV



- pn dominates with to respect pp channel
- T contribution is the most important, TT reduces the strength for $\simeq 14\%$ (of T)

Kinematics: $E_k = 475$ MeV, $\omega = 212$ MeV, q = 270 MeV data from L. J. H. M. Kester et al., Phys. Lett. B 344, 79 (1995)



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Higher Q^2 values, parallel kinematics ($\theta_p = 0$) data from *H. Baghaei et al.*, *Phys. Rev. C 39*, 177 (1989).



- ▶ kinl: $E_k = 460 \text{ MeV}$, $\omega = 275 \text{ MeV}$, q = 401 MeV
- kinll: $E_k = 647$ MeV, $\omega = 382$ MeV, q = 473 MeV Discrepancies:
- Higher $Q^2 \rightarrow RFG$ unable to describe very off-shell probe interaction
- Higher q values $\rightarrow E_s^{2p2h} = 40$ MeV probably not enough, FSI effects reduced

 E_s^{2p2h} dependence and Pauli Blocking effect



• Increasing E_s^{2p2h} , shift toward higher E_m

- Effect more relevant in parallel kinematics, response accumulated and localized at lower Em
- Best agreement with data in the range $E_s^{2p2h} = 20 40$ MeV
- Pauli Blocking, included via step function, truncates the responses at $E_m = \omega T_F$

Summary

- MEC contributions are computed in a microscopic way in the RFG model, and account for the first contribution at higher energy transfer values beyond the QE channel
- Semi-inclusive 2p2h theoretical predictions are in a very good agreement with available data, providing a first direct proof of the importance of this process and of the validity of the MEC model.
- ▶ The only free parameter E_s^{2p2h} accounts for binding energy and other effects not included in the model, as FSI. We adopted $E_s^{2p2h} = 40$ MeV being the 'natural' choice coherent with QE approach.

Work in Progress

- Further investigation over the other TL and L nuclear responses
- Obtain the Weak Nuclear Responses in the 2p2h channel
- Adapt our model to describe semi-inclusive process using the TKI variables, that mix leptonic and hadronic momentum variables
- Extend this computational tool to describe 1body-2body inclusive interference

Thanks for the attention!

Backup

E_{ν} Reconstruction

We only know, in a reliable way, outgoing lepton kinematics. Modelling the nuclear initial state, it's possible to reconstruct the $\overline{E_{\nu}}$, using the inclusive CCQE formula:

$$\overline{E_{\nu}} = \frac{m_{p}^{2} - (m_{n} - E_{b})^{2} - m_{\mu}^{2} + 2(m_{n} - E_{b})E_{\mu}}{2(m_{n} - E_{b} - E_{\mu} + p_{\mu}\cos\theta)}$$

- There are biases due to Fermi motion inside the nucleus
- This formula doesn't work for other channels

But what do we see? Event topology

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Basic ideas:

Impulse Approximation: incoherent scattering on single nucleons



Spectral function as a way to describe nuclear dynamics

$$P(\mathbf{p}, E) = \sum_{R} |\langle A | N, \mathbf{p}; R, -\mathbf{p} \rangle|^2 \delta (E - m + M_A - E_R)$$

R is the residual nucleus

The angle bracket is the amplitude associated to factorization

▶ Taking into account the energy absorbed by the nucleus, $\tilde{\omega}$ is the effective exchanged energy $\tilde{\omega} := \omega + m - E - E_p$

 $P(\mathbf{p}, E)$ is the probability density function to find a nucleon with momentum p and removal energy E

I - A interaction: Spectral Function FS

Factorization! Hence the hadronic tensor:

$$W^{\mu\nu}_A(q) = rac{1}{(2\pi)^3} \sum_i \int \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p} \mathrm{d}EP(E,\mathbf{p}) rac{1}{4E_\mathbf{p}E_{|\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{q}|}} W^{\mu\nu}_i(p,\tilde{q})$$

and the cross section

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}^2 \sigma_{\mathrm{IA}}}{\mathrm{d}\Omega_{k'} \mathrm{d}E_{k'}} = \int \mathrm{d}\mathbf{p} \mathrm{d}EP(E, \mathbf{p}) \sum_{i} \frac{\mathrm{d}^2 \sigma_{i}}{\mathrm{d}\Omega_{k'} \mathrm{d}E_{k'}} (q, \tilde{q}) \delta(\omega - E + m - E_{|\mathbf{p}+\mathbf{q}|})$$

In this work the Rome SF is used

- Based on a mean-field model, contributes for the 80%
- NN short range correlations, account for 20%, for high nucleon momentum





- From scattering data: $E_b = 35$ MeV, $k_f = 225$ MeV
- ▶ Pauli blocking included with step function $\Theta(|\mathbf{p}'| k_f)$
- High energy tail provided by NN short range correlations
- CCQE peak affected by FSI: shift to lower energy and reduction + broadening

I - A interaction: SuperScaling Approach SuSA

Main features:

- Generalization based on the relativistic Fermi gas RFG
- From electron scattering data, reduced cross-section depends on ω and q not independently, but on the scaling variable $\psi(\omega, q)$. This dependency is expressed by a function $f(\psi)$
- Extract from scattering data a realistic scaling function Day et al., Ann.Rev.Nucl.Part.Sci.40 (1990); Donnelly and Sick, PRL82; PRC60 (1999)



- Left panel: scaling behaviour at different kinematics. Broken above the Quasi-Elastic Peak due to resonances, 2p-2h effects
- Right panel: scaling behaviour with several nuclei targets

I - A interaction: SuperScaling Approach SuSA

► From e − A scattering data:





Fundamental basis:

Averaged NN potential: Mean Field MF approach, each particle moves in a single-particle potential that comes from its average interactions with all of other particles

- Definition of particle proper self-energy
- Propagator dressed with self-energy corrections via Dyson equation

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Self consistent equations for proper self-energy and propagator



I - A interaction: Hartree-Fock HF

In this work:

- Infinite nuclear matter
- Not Relativistic meson exchange Bonn potential (σ, ω, π, ρ) M.B. Barbaro et al, Nucl. Phys. A 596 (1996), R. Machleidt et al, Phys. Rep. 149 (1987)

Comparison between Hartree-Fock self-energy computations:

- HF: exact results
- ► HF-bp: biparabolic approximation in the self energy ⇒ analytical result M.B. Barbaro et al, Nucl. Phys. A 596 (1996)



$$V = V^{\pi} + V^{\rho} + V^{\sigma} + V^{\omega}$$

$$V^{\pi} = (V_{S}^{\pi}\sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2} + V_{T}^{\pi}S_{12})\tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2}$$

$$V^{\rho} = (V_{0}^{\rho} + V_{S}^{\rho}\sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2} + V_{T}^{\rho}S_{12})\tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2}$$

$$V^{\sigma} = V_{0}^{\sigma}$$

$$V^{\omega} = V_{0}^{\omega} + V_{S}^{\omega}\sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2} + V_{T}^{\omega}S_{12}$$

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$$V(\mathbf{k}) = V_{0}(k) + V_{\tau}(k)\tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2} + V_{\sigma}(k)\sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2} + V_{\sigma\tau}\sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2}\tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2}$$
Dipole Interaction: $S_{12}(q) = 3(\sigma_{1} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}})(\sigma_{2} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}) - \sigma_{1} \cdot \sigma_{2}$

$$\begin{split} V_{S}^{\pi}(q) &= V_{T}^{\pi}(q) = -\frac{g_{\pi}^{2}}{12m_{N}^{2}}\Gamma_{\pi}^{2}(q)\frac{q^{2}}{q^{2}+m_{\pi}^{2}}\\ V_{0}^{\rho}(q,P) &= \left[g_{\rho}^{2}\left(1+\frac{3}{2}\frac{P^{2}}{m_{N}^{2}}\right) - \frac{g_{\rho}(g_{\rho}+4f_{\rho})}{8m_{N}^{2}}q^{2}\right]\Gamma_{\rho}^{2}(q)\frac{1}{q^{2}+m_{\rho}^{2}}\\ V_{5}^{\rho}(q) &= -2V_{T}^{\rho}(q) = -\frac{(g_{\rho}+f_{\rho})^{2}}{6m_{N}^{2}}\Gamma_{\rho}^{2}(q)\frac{q^{2}}{q^{2}+m_{\rho}^{2}}\\ V_{0}^{\sigma}(q,P) &= g_{\sigma}^{2}\left[-1+\frac{1}{2}\frac{P^{2}}{m_{N}^{2}}-\frac{q^{2}}{8m_{N}^{2}}\right]\Gamma_{\sigma}^{2}(q)\frac{1}{q^{2}+m_{\sigma}^{2}}\\ V_{0}^{\omega}(q,P) &= g_{\omega}^{2}\left[1+\frac{3}{2}\frac{P^{2}}{m_{N}^{2}}-\frac{q^{2}}{8m_{N}^{2}}\right]\Gamma_{\omega}^{2}(q)\frac{1}{q^{2}+m_{\omega}^{2}}\\ V_{0}^{\omega}(q) &= -2V_{T}^{\omega}(q) = -\frac{g_{\omega}^{2}}{6m_{N}^{2}}\Gamma_{\omega}^{2}(q)\frac{1}{q^{2}+m_{\omega}^{2}} \end{split}$$
Cut-off: $\Gamma^{2}(q)_{\alpha} = \frac{\Lambda_{\alpha}^{2}-m_{\alpha}^{2}}{\Lambda_{\alpha}^{2}+q^{2}} \end{split}$

Non-local interaction: $\mathbf{P} = \frac{1}{4}(\mathbf{k}_1 - \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_1' - \mathbf{k}_2')$

Meson	Т	Jπ	m (MeV/c)	A (MeV)	$g^2/4\pi$	$f^2/4\pi$
π	1	0-	138.03	1300	14.9	_
ρ	1	1-	769	1300	0.95	$0.95 \times (6.1)^2$
σ	0	0+	550	2000	7.7823	-
ω	0	1-	782.6	1500	20	-

HF Self-Energy

- Tadpoles \Rightarrow Hartree Self-Energy Σ^{H} : parabolic in k^{2}
- Oysters \Rightarrow Fock Self-Energy Σ^{F} : cumbersome dependency on k^{2}



Fock self-energy of σ (dashed) and of ω (dot-dashed) meson as functions of nucleon momentum k, with $k_f = 225$ MeV. Total contribution is the solid line

Biparabolic approximation

$$\Sigma^{HF} = \overline{A} + \overline{B} rac{k^2}{2m_N^2}, \qquad k < k_f$$

$$\Sigma^{HF} = A + B rac{k^2}{2m_N^2}, \qquad max(q-k_f,k_f) < k < q+k_f$$

q (MeV/c)	$\bar{A}(10^{-2})$	Ē	A (10 ⁻²)	В	$m_N^*(p)/m_N$	
300	-1.671	0.246	0.961	0.146	0.77	
500	-1.671	0.246	-0.424	0.116	0.81	
800	-1.671	0.246	1.034	0.085	0.85	
1000	-1.671	0.246	1.466	0.081	0.86	

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Non-Linear σ -model

Non-Linear: chirality is not like other simmetries, i.e. isospin Lagrangian invariant under chiral transformation, constructed starting from pionic fields and isospin operators instead γ₅ and isospin operators

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L} &= \bar{\Psi}(i\partial \!\!\!/ - M)\Psi + \frac{1}{2}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi}\partial^{\mu}\vec{\phi} - \frac{1}{2}m_{\pi}^{2}\vec{\phi}^{2} + \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{int}}^{\sigma} \\ \mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{int}}^{\sigma} &= \frac{g_{A}}{f_{\pi}}\bar{\Psi}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}(\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi})\Psi - \frac{1}{4f_{\pi}^{2}}\bar{\Psi}\gamma^{\mu}\vec{\tau}(\vec{\phi}\times\partial^{\mu}\vec{\phi})\Psi - \frac{1}{6f_{\pi}^{2}}\Big[\vec{\phi}^{2}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi}\partial^{\mu}\vec{\phi} - (\vec{\phi}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi})(\vec{\phi}\partial^{\mu}\vec{\phi})\Big] \\ &+ \frac{m_{\pi}^{2}}{24f_{\pi}^{2}}(\vec{\phi}^{2})^{2} - \frac{g_{A}}{6f_{\pi}^{3}}\bar{\Psi}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma_{5}\Big[\vec{\phi}^{2}\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi} - (\vec{\phi}\partial_{\mu}\vec{\phi})\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}\vec{\phi}\Big]\Psi + \mathcal{O}(\frac{1}{f_{\pi}^{4}}) \end{split}$$