

$A = 4 - 7$ Ξ Hypernuclei Based on Interactions from Chiral EFT

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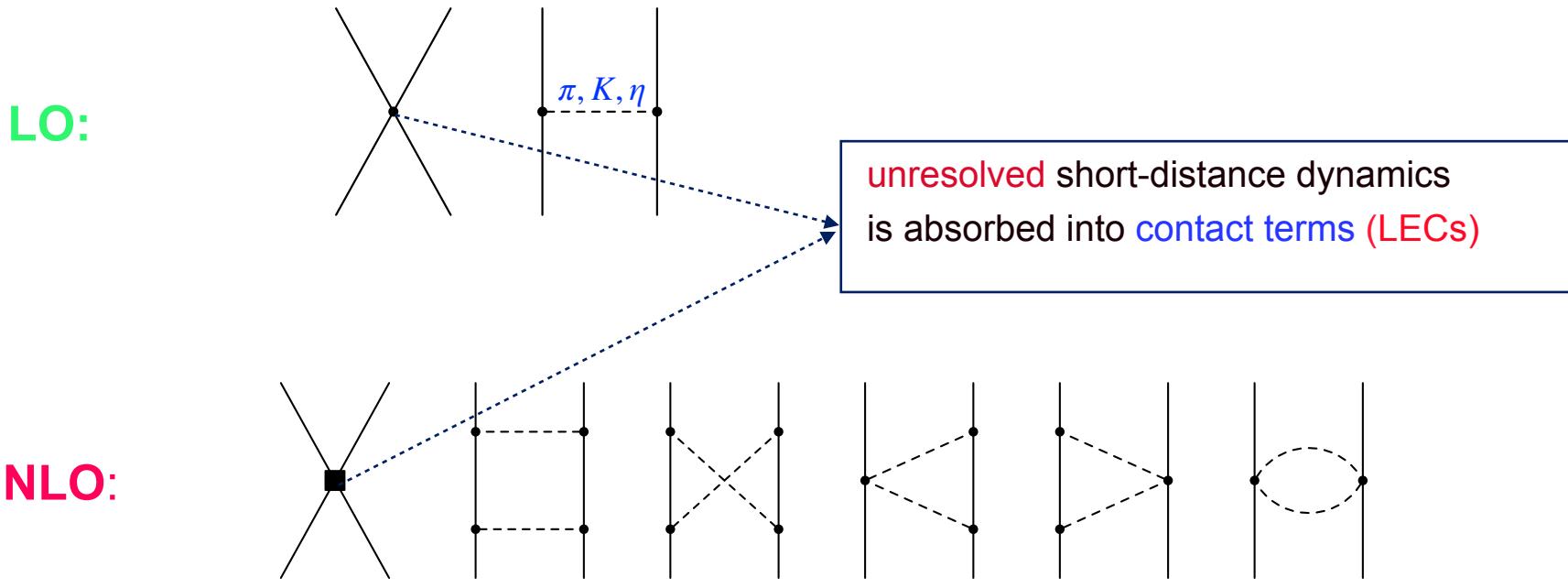
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- Summary

Baryon-Baryon interactions in χ EFT

LO: H. Polinder et al., NPA 779 (2006). NLO: J. Haidenbauer et al., NPA 915 (2013)

- degrees of freedom: octet baryons (N, Λ, Σ, Ξ), pseudoscalar mesons (π, K, η)
- based on Weinberg power counting as in the NN case



- exploit $SU(3)_f$ to fix BBM couplings and relate various LECs, allow $SU(3)_f$ breaking where it seems appropriate
- number of contact terms:

NN: 2 (LO) 7 (NLO)

YN: + 3 (LO) + 11 (NLO)

YY: + 1 (LO) + 4 (NLO) \Rightarrow 28 LECs for S=-2 at NLO

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$\rightarrow \Xi$ single particle potential $U_{\Xi} \approx -14$ MeV ($U_{\Lambda} \approx -30$ MeV)

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- study $\Lambda\Lambda^6\text{He}$, $\Lambda\Lambda^5\text{He}$ and $\Lambda\Lambda^4\text{H}$ using LO and NLO
(HL et al., EPJA 57 (2021) 217)

→ $\Lambda\Lambda^6\text{He}$ is fairly well described with NLO; $\Lambda\Lambda^5\text{He}$ is predicted to be bound

- Kohno et al., use Ξ s.p. potential obtained with NLO to study finite systems: $\Xi^- - ^{14}\text{N}$, $\Xi^- - ^{12}\text{C}$

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→ reasonable agreement with experiment can be obtained

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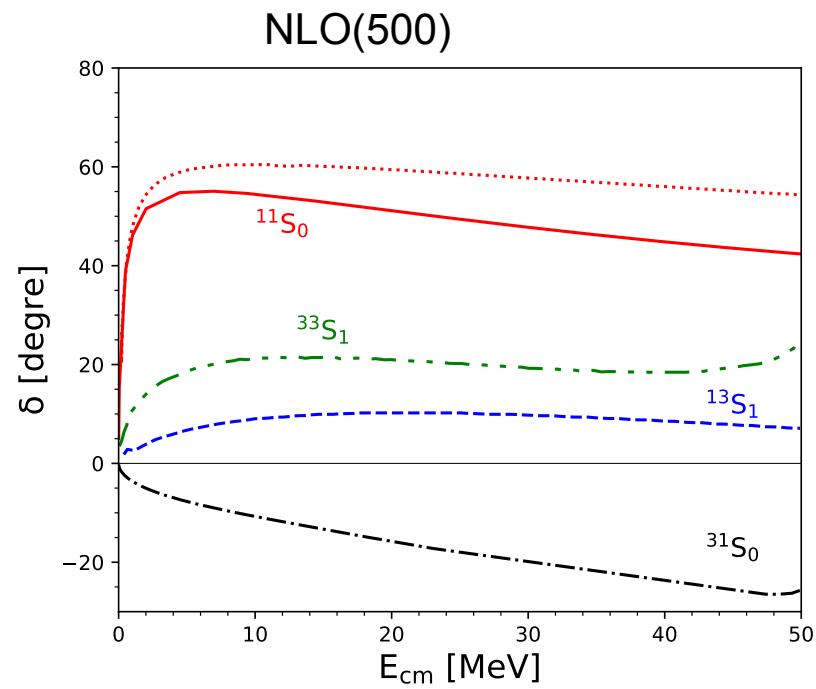
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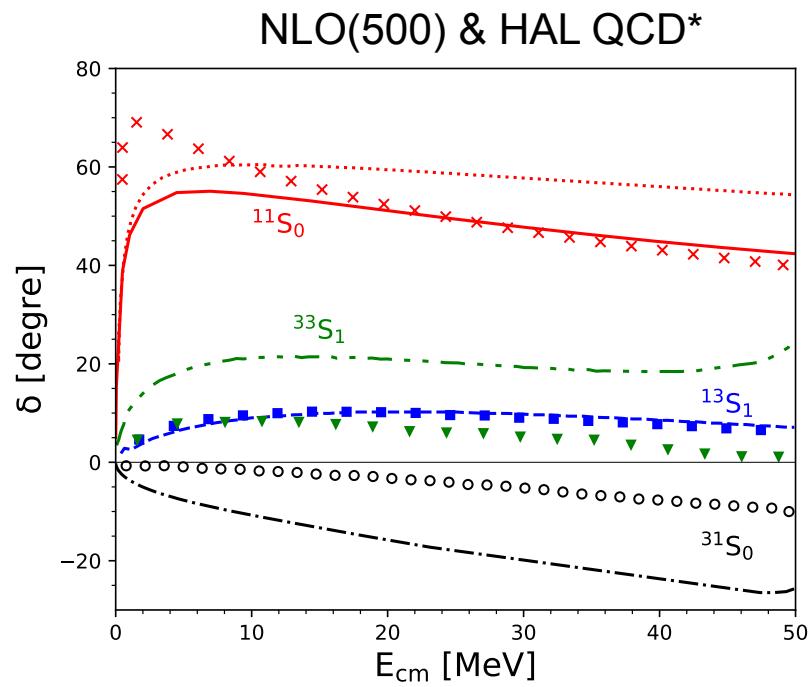
Our aim:

- **study predictions of chiral interactions for $A = 4 - 7$ Ξ systems using Jacobi NCSM**
 - ▶ input Hamiltonian: chiral NN ($N^4LO^+(450)$) and S=-2 NLO potentials
 - ▶ $\Xi N - \Lambda \Sigma - \Sigma \Sigma$ transition in S=-2 is explicitly considered
 - ▶ $\Lambda \Lambda - \Xi N(^{11}S_0)$ coupling is effectively incorporated by re-adjusting the strength of $V_{\Xi N - \Xi N}$

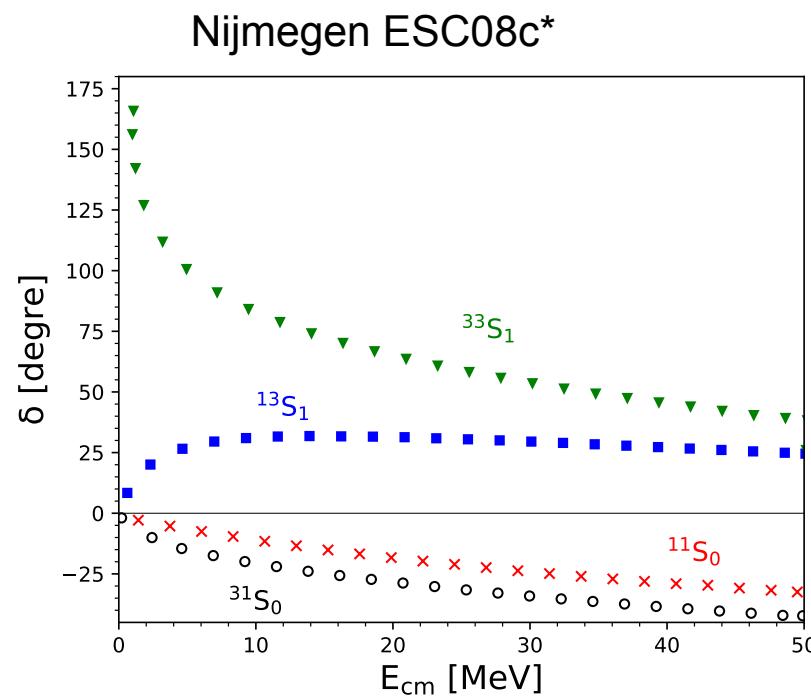
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- $^{11}S_0$ is rather attractive in NLO and HAL QCD, but repulsive in ESC08c
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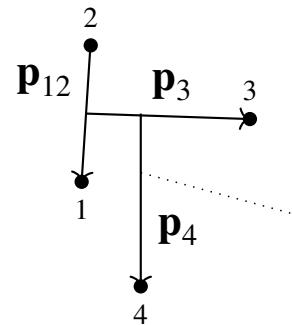
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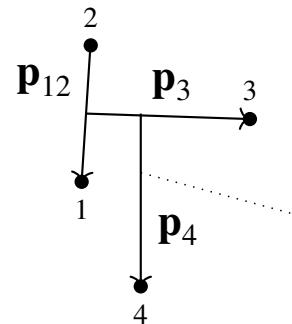
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⇒ hypernuclear wavefunction

$$|\Psi(\pi, J, T)\rangle = \sum_{\alpha^{*(Y_1 Y_2)}} C_{\alpha^{*(Y_1 Y_2)}} |\alpha^{*(Y_1 Y_2)}(\mathcal{N}JT)\rangle + \sum_{\alpha^{*(\Xi)}} C_{\alpha^{*(\Xi)}} |\alpha^{*(\Xi)}(\mathcal{N}JT)\rangle$$

- basis truncation:

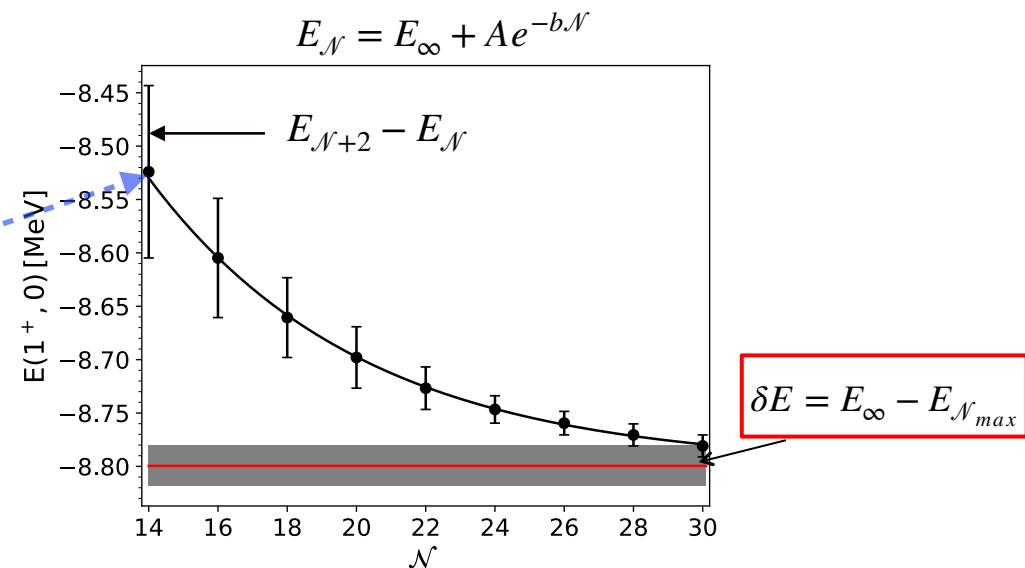
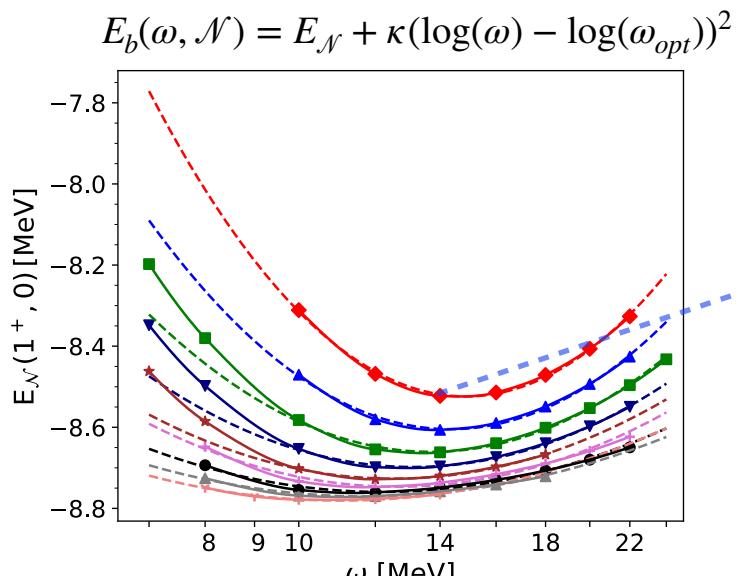
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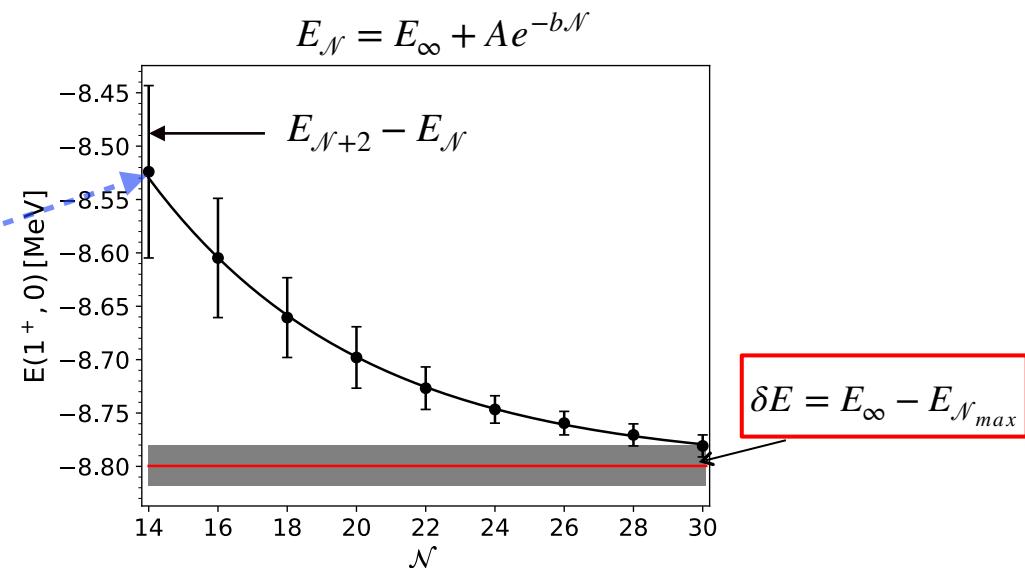
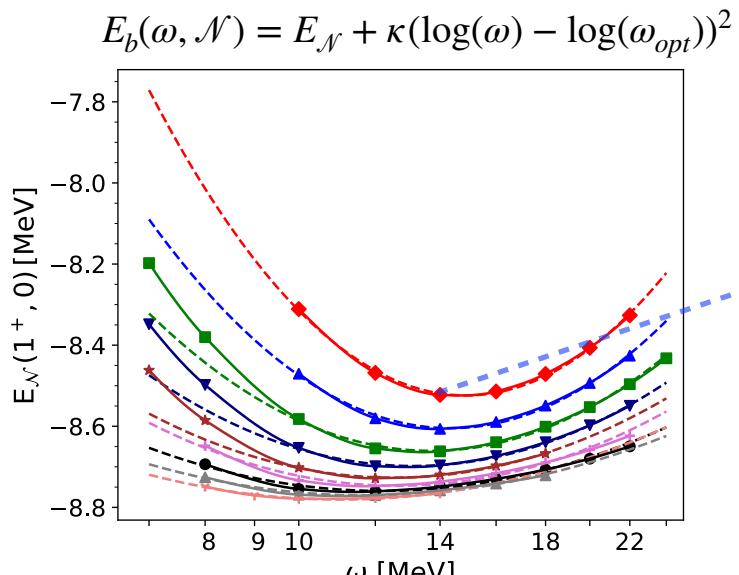
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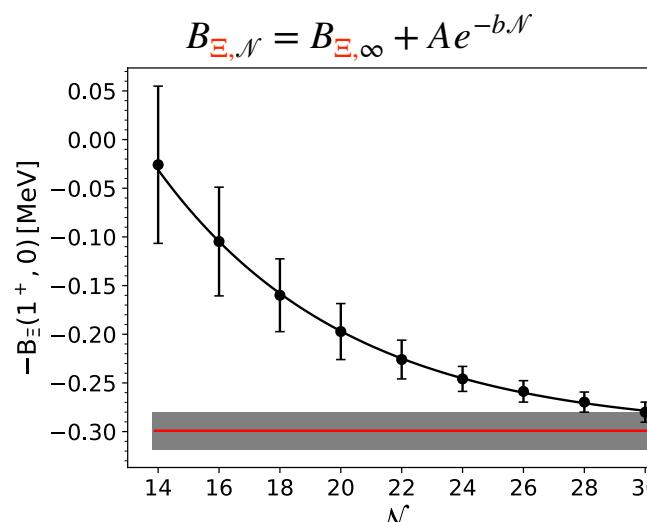
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- extract converged separation energy B_{Ξ} :

$$B_{\Xi, \mathcal{N}} = E_{\mathcal{N}}(^3\text{H}) - E_{\mathcal{N}}(^4_{\Xi}\text{H}), \quad \mathcal{N} = 14, \dots, 30$$

- $\mathcal{N}_{max}(^5\text{H}) = 16, \quad \mathcal{N}_{max}(^7\text{H}) = 12$



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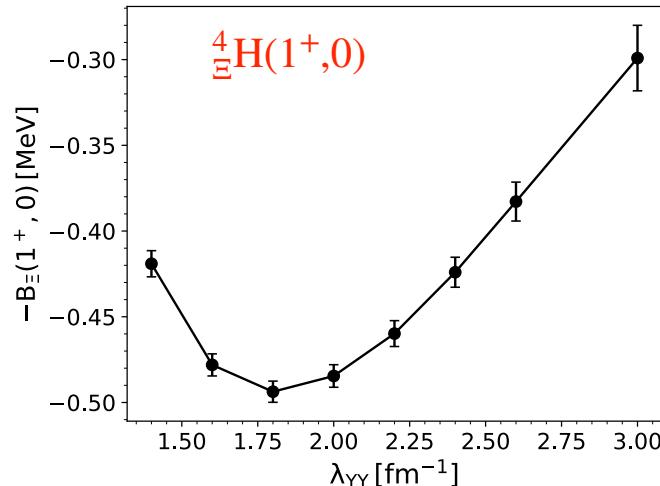
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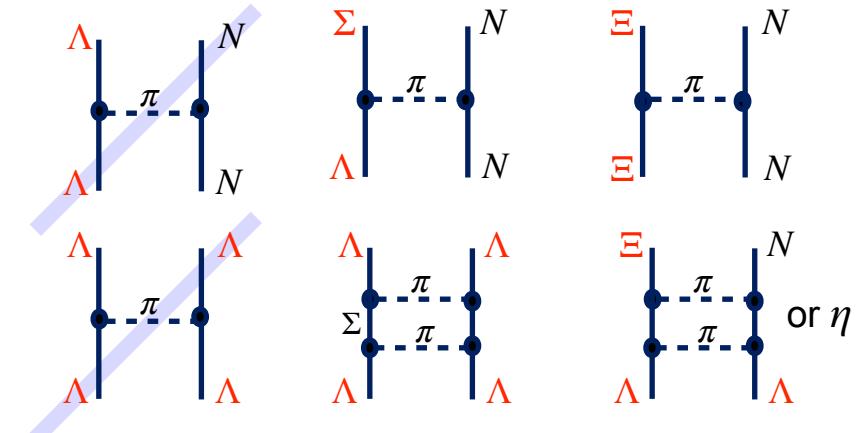
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	ΔB_{Ξ}^{SRG} [keV]	$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}^{SRG}$ [keV]	ΔB_{Λ}^{SRG} [keV]
A=4	190 ± 30	-	740 ± 2
A=5	460 ± 140	80 ± 40	1501 ± 20
A=6	-	100 ± 17	-

- effect of SRG evolution on B_{Ξ} is moderately large, however, $\Delta B_{\Xi}^{SRG} \ll B_{\Xi}$
- SRG dependence will not affect conclusions on the existence of bound states



suppressed by
isospin symmetry

Results for $NNN\Xi$, $^5_{\Xi^-}\text{H}(1/2^+, 1/2)$, $^7_{\Xi^-}\text{H}(1/2^+, 3/2)$

- ▶ $\lambda_{NN} = \lambda_{YY} = 1.6 \text{ fm}^{-1}$
- ▶ neglect mass difference between Ξ^- and Ξ^0 : $m_{\Xi} = (m_{\Xi^-} + m_{\Xi^0})/2$
- ▶ assume isospin symmetry, states are labelled by the isospin T (and mT)

Results for A=4-7

	NLO(500)		others	
	B_{Ξ} [MeV]	Γ [MeV]	B_{Ξ} [MeV]	Γ [MeV]
$^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(1^+, 0)$	0.48 ± 0.01	0.74	$0.36(16)(26)^{(1)}$	$0.06^{(1)}$
			$10.20^{(2)}$	$0.89^{(2)}$
$^4_{\Xi}\text{n}(0^+, 1)$	0.71 ± 0.08	0.2	$3.55^{(2)}$	$0.43^{(2)}$
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$^5_{\Xi}\text{H}(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{1}{2})$	2.16 ± 0.10	0.19	$1.7^{(3)}$	$0.2^{(3)}$
			$2.0^{(4)}$	$0.45^{(4)}$
$^7_{\Xi}\text{H}(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{3}{2})$	3.50 ± 0.39	0.2	$3.15^{(5)}$	$0.02^{(5)}$
			$1.8^{(6)}$	$2.64^{(6)}$

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⁽⁵⁾ HAL QCD (t/a=11)

⁽⁶⁾ Nijmegen ESC04d

H. Fujikawa APFB2021, March (2021)

$$\Gamma \simeq -2 \operatorname{Im} \langle \Psi_{B_{\Xi}} | T_{\Xi N - \Xi N} | \Psi_{B_{\Xi}} \rangle$$

- $\Xi^- p$ Coulomb interaction contributes roughly 200, 600 and 400 keV to $NNN\Xi$, $^5_{\Xi}\text{H}$ and $^7_{\Xi}\text{H}$

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	$\langle V^{S=-2} \rangle$ [MeV]					E [MeV]
	$^1\Xi S_0$	$^3\Xi S_0$	$^1\Xi S_1$	$^3\Xi S_1$	total	
$^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(1^+, 0)$	-1.95	0.02	-0.7	-2.31	-5.21	-8.97
$^4_{\Xi}\text{n}(0^+, 1)$	-0.6	0.25	-0.004	-0.74	-1.37	-9.07
$^4_{\Xi}\text{n}(1^+, 1)$	-0.02	0.16	-0.13	-1.14	-1.30	-9.0
$^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(0^+, 0)$	-0.002	0.08	-0.01	-0.006	-0.11	-6.94
$^5_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 1/2)$	-0.96	0.94	-0.58	-3.63	-4.88	-31.43
$^7_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 3/2)$	-1.23	1.79	-0.79	-6.74	-8.04	-33.22
$U_{\Xi}(p_{\Xi} = 0)^*$	-3.15	9.64	-3.24	-11	-8.8	

* M. Kohno PRC 100(2019) (based on [NLO\(550\)](#))

→ the attraction in $^3\Xi S_1$ is essential for the binding of A=4-7 Ξ -hypernuclei

Results for A=4-7

	$ \Xi N\rangle$					
	$ ^{11}\Xi S_0\rangle$	$ ^{31}S_0\rangle$	$ ^{13}S_1\rangle$	$ ^{33}S_1\rangle$	$J \geq 2$	total
$^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(1^+, 0)$	12.88	0.18	25.91	35.72	24.80	99.49
$^4_{\Xi}\text{n}(0^+, 1)$	8.24	13.32	0.23	23.29	54.73	99.81
$^4_{\Xi}\text{n}(1^+, 1)$	0.14	9.22	9.83	33.08	47.56	99.83
$^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(0^+, 0)$	0.02	11.87	14.65	0.11	73.33	99.98
$^5_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 1/2)$	4.82	12.18	14.37	35.53	32.59	99.49
$^7_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 3/2)$	3.71	12.92	11.11	38.36	32.94	99.04

Probabilities (%) of finding a pair $|\Xi N\rangle$ in different partial-wave states

Estimate partial-wave contributions

- **Assumption:**
 - ▶ no particle conversion contributing
 - ▶ clear core- Ξ structure, both core nucleons and Ξ are in s-wave states
- **A=3 system:**

$${}^3_{\Xi}\text{H}(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{1}{2}) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{3}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{11S_0} + \frac{9}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{31S_0} + \frac{1}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1} + \frac{3}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

$${}^3_{\Xi}\text{H}(\frac{3}{2}^+, \frac{1}{2}) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{4}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1} + \frac{3}{4}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

- **A=4 system:**

$${}^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(1^+, 0) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{6}V_{\Xi N}^{11S_0} + \frac{1}{3}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1} + \frac{1}{2}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

$${}^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(0^+, 1) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{6}V_{\Xi N}^{11S_0} + \frac{1}{3}V_{\Xi N}^{31S_0} + \frac{1}{2}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

$${}^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(1^+, 1) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{6}V_{\Xi N}^{31S_0} + \frac{1}{6}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1} + \frac{2}{3}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

$${}^4_{\Xi}\text{H}(0^+, 0) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{2}V_{\Xi N}^{31S_0} + \frac{1}{2}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1}$$

- **A=5 system:**

$${}^5_{\Xi}\text{H}(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{1}{2}) : \tilde{V}_{\Xi N} \approx \frac{1}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{11S_0} + \frac{3}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{31S_0} + \frac{3}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{13S_1} + \frac{9}{16}V_{\Xi N}^{33S_1}$$

Estimate partial-wave contributions

- Assumption:
 - ▶ no particle conversion contributing
 - ▶ clear core- Ξ structure, both core nucleons and Ξ are in s-wave states

$(J_{core}, T_{core}, m_{\Xi}^t)$	$\frac{4}{\Xi}H(1^+, 0)$	$\frac{4}{\Xi}n(0^+, 1)$	$\frac{4}{\Xi}n(1^+, 1)$	$\frac{4}{\Xi}H(0^+, 0)$
$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$	49.66	97.48	97.44	49.98
$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$	49.66	—	—	49.98
$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{1}{2})$	—	0.54	0.55	—
$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$	—	1.6	1.6	—
others	0.16	0.17	0.22	0.02

$(J_{core}, T_{core}, m_{\Xi}^t)$	$\frac{5}{\Xi}H(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{1}{2})$
$(0, 0, -\frac{1}{2})$	96.03
$(0, 0, \frac{1}{2})$	1.1
$(0, 1, \frac{1}{2})$	2.1
others	0.3

$(J_{core}, T_{core}, m_{\Xi}^t)$	$\frac{7}{\Xi}H(\frac{1}{2}^+, \frac{3}{2})$
$(0, 1, -\frac{1}{2})$	94.44
$(0, 2, -\frac{1}{2})$	0.7
$(0, 2, \frac{1}{2})$	2.8
others	1.13

Probabilities (%) of finding nucleons with certain (J_{core}, T_{core}) and a Ξ (m_{Ξ}^t) in the A=4-7 wavefunctions

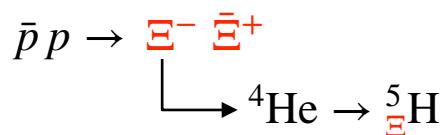
we studied $A=4\text{-}7 \Xi$ hypernuclei using J-NCSM and NLO(500) ΞN potential

- $\Lambda\Sigma - \Xi N - \Sigma\Sigma$ conversions is fully included; $\Lambda\Lambda - \Xi N$ coupling is incorporated into the strength of $V_{\Xi N - \Xi N}$
- effect of SRG evolution on B_Ξ is moderate, larger than in $\Lambda\Lambda$ systems but much smaller than in Λ hypernuclei
- found 3 loosely bound states $(1^+, 0)$, $(0^+, 1)$, $(1^+, 1)$ in $NNN\Xi$
 ${}^5_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 1/2)$, ${}^7_{\Xi}\text{H}(1/2^+, 3/2)$ are more tightly bound
 - ▶ these bindings are predominantly due to the attraction of ΞN potential in ${}^{33}S_1$ channel
 - ▶ all bound states are predicted to have very small decay widths

future works: study dependence of B_Ξ on chiral cutoff. Include SRG-induced 3BF

experimental confirmation?

- $NNN\Xi$ could be produced in heavy ion collisions or in ${}^4\text{He}(K^-, K^+)$ reaction
- ${}^7_{\Xi}\text{H}$ is expected to be produced and studied in ${}^7\text{Li}(K^-, K^+)$ reaction at J-PARC (H. Fujioka et al., FBS 69(2021))
- production of ${}^5_{\Xi}\text{H}$?



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Thank you!