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yuds + charges - cultural note about non-observation  
excited state mesons

## Pseudoscalar mesons by the eightfold way

The decays  $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$        $K \rightarrow \pi/\mu\nu$  etc  
 $\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi/\mu\nu$

suggest that these mesons contain no net "hadron-ness",  
which seems to be a globally conserved quantity (of course  
to all forces). For its interaction are hadron-like (strong),  
so we conjecture that the mesons are stable compositions  
of equal amounts of hadron matter & hadronic anti-matter.  
Thus, the simplest way to form this is to combine the two  
associated (3-d) fundamental representations, which we denote

$$3 \otimes \bar{3} \rightarrow \text{mesons?}$$

lets try it!

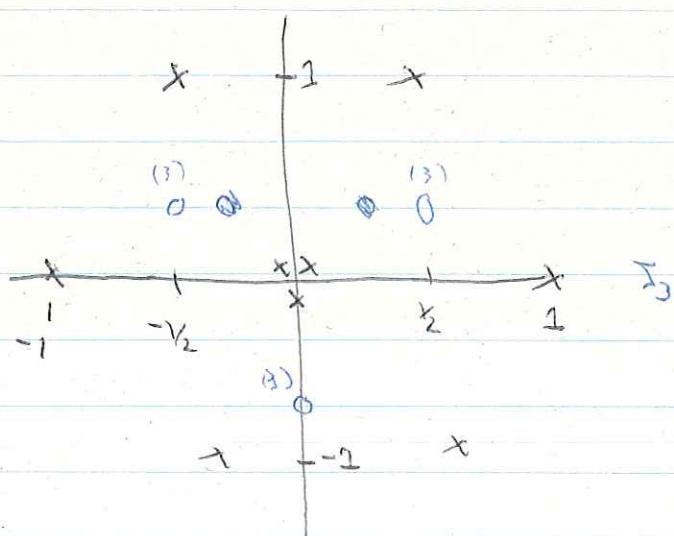
By analogy w/  $SU(2)$ , to get a list of states in  
product representation (we won't worry about <sup>associated</sup> Clebsch-Gordan  
coefficients), we superimpose the  $\bar{3}$  representation at  
each point of the  $3$  representation

(No symmetry drawn w/ a zero of graph paper here.)

$\bar{3} \otimes \bar{3}$

height

diagram



Note that there are 3 states at the origin, but only 2 can belong to the irreducible rep. containing the property ( $\langle \mathbf{I}_1 \otimes \mathbf{I}_2 | \mathbf{I}_1, \mathbf{I}_2 \rangle = |1, 0\rangle$  and  $|0, 0\rangle$ )

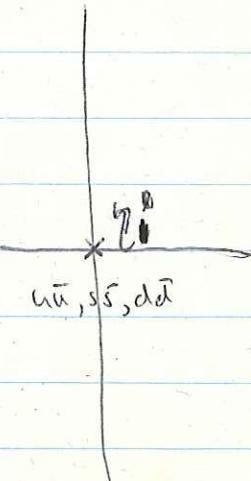
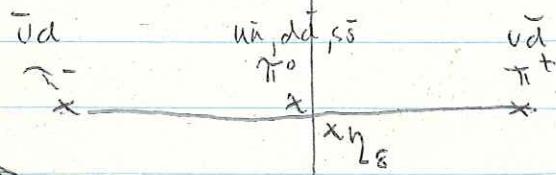
This, this will be the sum of two irred. reps.,  
of dimension 8 and 1

$$3 \otimes \bar{3} = \overset{\text{"irreducible way" }}{8} \oplus 1$$

and we assign our pseudoscalar mesons

8:

1



(pm-4f)

from which we see that for repn<sup>3</sup> now that  $\kappa^{\pm} = \bar{s}^{\pm}$  has  $s^{\pm}$ :

$$Y = s$$

$$Q = I_3 + Y/2$$

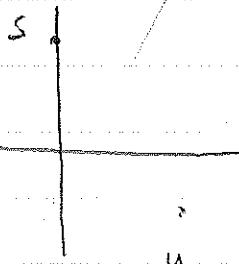
(strangeness will be modified shortly) (but  $s = -1$   $\bar{s} = +1$  ( $k^+$  convention))

charge operator - "Gold-Mann-Nishijima relation"

NOTE - at this point, what you'd like to do is say that there are two substructures, & are composed of constituents, called "quarks" with the following property

	I	$I_3$	s	
u (up)	$\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	0	"isospin up"
d (down)	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	0	"isospin down"
s (strange)	0	0	-1	if net strangeness is to be get a strange particle

But in 1964, no one had ever observed fractionally charged particles, so are those really particles? Then - wait until SLAC scattering exp w/ end of decade (next quarter).



Fundamental Rep. Generators

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = u^{\pm}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = d^{\pm}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = s^{\pm}$$

On our original diagram, we've written explicit quark wavefunctions for all but  $\eta^0, \eta_8, \eta_1$ . Those were or fairly easily removed out

$$\eta_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (\bar{u}u + \bar{d}d + \bar{s}s)$$

funny sign for  
antiquarks in  $SU(2)$

never can't show preference for  $u\bar{d}$ ,  
if symmetry is exact (which it is  
by assumption)

$$\eta \pi^0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\bar{u}u - \bar{d}d)$$

Since  $J=1$   $I_3=0$

$$\eta_8 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (\bar{u}u + \bar{d}d - 2\bar{s}s) \quad \rightarrow \text{orthonormality}$$

In real life,  $\eta_1, \eta_8$  mix through an undetermined parameter  $\Theta_{ps}$  (ps for "pseudoscalar") to form physical  $\eta, \eta'$  (now on the latter). [ $SU(3)$  is broken when s quarks are included]

### Higher Mass Resonances

If we posit that quarks are fundamental spin  $\frac{1}{2}$  fermions, then the "spin" of a composite state should be determined by the quark spin alignment and relative angular momentum

$$\vec{J}_{\text{meson}} = \vec{L}_{\text{quark}} + \vec{s}_{\text{quark}}$$

and we should have quark multiplets corresponding to all  $L_s$  carbons

$2s+1$

$L_J$

L

S

$J^P$

NOTE: 'to' stands to  
indicate  $s=1$  for  $k'$ 's

${}^1S_0$  0  $O$  (<sup>anti</sup>aligned)  $O^-$  pseudoscalar  $K^l$ 's,  $\pi^l$ 's,  $\eta$ 's

${}^3S$ , 0  $1$  (<sup>aligned</sup>)  $1\bar{0}$  vector  $K^{*l}$ 's,  $p$ 's,  $w, \phi$

${}^3P_2$  1  $1$  (<sup>aligned</sup>)  $2^+$  tensor  $K_2^0$ 's,  $A_2^0$ 's,  $F_2^0$ 's  
switch basis!

${}^3P_0$  1  $1$  (<sup>aligned</sup>)  $0^+$  scalar  $K_0^0$ 's,  $g_0^0$ 's,  $f_0^0$ 's

${}^1P_1$ , 1  $0$   $1^+$  axial vector  $K^l$ 's,  $A^l$ 's,  $F^l$ 's

So, this is  $9+5=14$  meson states, some higher  $L$  (2,3)  
haven't been discussed... But they get pretty heavy

$$m_{\pi^0} \approx 135 \text{ meV}$$

$$m_{\pi^+} = 1260$$

$$m_{\rho^0} \approx 770 \text{ meV}$$

$$m_{\rho^+} \approx 1320$$

$$m_{a_0} \approx 984 \text{ meV}$$

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## OCTET / SINGLET MESON MIXING IN SU(3)

We have only got time for a rough outline of this topic; for a complete description, see e.g. Burcham + Tabor, 337-340. On the other hand, it's important to go through this in order to understand the origin & behavior of the physical  $I=I'=0$  mesons, & the observed  $\eta_8, \eta_0$  mixtures for the various  $J^P$  multiplets.

Ward-Sohns: For perfect  $SU(3)$  symmetry, all masses are equal in any multiplet. We do observe (up to small E+M effects) that in multiplets in  $I$  submultiplets in  $SU(3)$  multiplets have equal mass  $\Rightarrow SU(3)$

(is broken in  $V$ . It can be easily verified that But due to a raising & lowering operator, However,

$$V = V_0 + \frac{1}{2} Q$$

So now breaking is in terms of  $V$ , not  $\chi$ !

and since that  $Q$  is constant w/in any  $V$ -spin multiplet.

Thus, break out the symmetry-breaking terms in hamiltonian

$$H_{\text{tot}} = H_0 + H_V + H_S$$

$\uparrow$        $\uparrow$   
 "vectorial", "V-scalar"  
 depends on  $V_3$  depends on  $V$

← Think H atom:

200 nm splitting on  $J_z$   
 energies on  $J$ .

and so

[Qm5]

$$\langle U, U_3 | H_0 + H_V + H_S | U, U_3 \rangle = m_0^2 + m_V^2 U_3 + m_S^2 U$$

where the use of  $m_i^2$  rather than  $M_i$  is a subtlety having to do w/ the fact that mesons (bosonic) satisfy the Klein-Gordon Eqn, in which mass appears quadratically.

Now, apply this to the  $U=1$  triplet in the meson octet. By applying  $U \rightarrow k^0 = |\bar{s}d\rangle$  it is easily

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page~~ shown that

$$|U=1, U_3=0\rangle = \frac{1}{2} [\sqrt{3} \eta_8^0 - \pi^0]$$

allowing us to write down the relations based on  $U_3, Q$  assigned

$$\left. \begin{aligned} m_{K^0}^2 &= \langle K^0 | H | K^0 \rangle = m_0^2 + m_S^2 + m_V^2 \\ m_{\bar{K}^0}^2 &= \langle \bar{K}^0 | H | \bar{K}^0 \rangle = m_0^2 + m_S^2 - m_V^2 \\ m_{\eta_8^0}^2 &= \langle \eta_8^0 | H | \eta_8^0 \rangle = m_0^2 + 2m_S^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} |K^0\rangle &= |+, 1\rangle \\ |K^0\rangle &= |-, 1\rangle \\ \Rightarrow m_V^2 &= 0 \text{ and } m_S^2 \\ m_{K^0}^2 &= m_0^2 + m_S^2 = \langle 1, 0 | H | 1, 0 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} m_{\pi^0}^2 &= \langle \pi^0 | H | \pi^0 \rangle = m_0^2 + m_S^2 - m_V^2 \\ m_{\bar{\pi}^0}^2 &= \langle \bar{\pi}^0 | H | \bar{\pi}^0 \rangle = m_0^2 + m_S^2 + m_V^2 \\ m_{\eta_8^0}^2 &= \langle \eta_8^0 | H | \eta_8^0 \rangle = \frac{1}{4} m_{\pi^0}^2 + \frac{3}{4} m_{\eta_8^0}^2 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} |\pi^0\rangle &= |+, -\rangle \\ |\pi^0\rangle &= |-, +\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$(EP) m_V^2 = 0, \text{ and } m_K^2 = m_0^2 + m_S^2 = \frac{1}{4} m_{\pi^0}^2 + \frac{3}{4} m_{\eta_8^0}^2$$

Since  $m_{K^0} = m_{\bar{K}^0}$ , we can combine this to get

$$\boxed{m_{\eta_8^0}^2 = \frac{1}{3} (4m_{K^0}^2 - m_{\pi^0}^2)} = (570 \text{ MeV})^2$$

$m_{\eta_8^0} = 550$  : close to

Meson Octet "Gell-Mann - Okubo" mass formula

not quite ..

$\boxed{QmSS}$

[OK - H does not mix  $\pi^0, \eta_8^0$  since isospin is good symmetry]

$\pi^0, \eta_8^0$  have different Quantum Nos - don't mix!]

symmetric

→ neither  $\eta$  nor  $\eta'$  has this  
mass! What's going on?  $\eta_1, \eta_8$

Now, this formula is not realized since the  $\eta^0$  mixes  $\downarrow$   
w/ the  $\eta'_1$  (of different mass even for good  $SU(3)$ )

to get the physical  $\eta, \eta'$  (then we refer to generic  $T^P$  representations). do pseudoscalar  $\eta'$ , but could do vector  $w, \phi$ , etc. can mix...

all QVs except  
 $SU(3)$  same, but  
 $SU(3)$  is broken, so

$$\eta' = \eta^0 \cos\theta + \eta_8^0 \sin\theta$$

(A)

$$\eta = -\eta^0 \sin\theta + \eta_8^0 \cos\theta$$

Since the mass eigenstates are the  $\eta, \eta'$ , then

$$H \begin{pmatrix} \eta' \\ \eta \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{\eta'}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & m_\eta^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \eta' \\ \eta \end{pmatrix}$$

and so the  $qq\bar{q}$   $SU(3)$  eigenstate mass matrix is not diagonal

$$H \begin{pmatrix} \eta_1^0 \\ \eta_8^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11}^2 & m_{18}^2 \\ m_{18}^2 & m_{88}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \eta_1^0 \\ \eta_8^0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{\eta_1^0}^2 & m_{18}^2 \\ m_{18}^2 & m_{\eta_8^0}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \eta_1^0 \\ \eta_8^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

With the Gott-Mann Okubo constraint  $m_{\eta_8^0}^2 = \frac{1}{3}(4m_{11}^2 - m_{18}^2)$   
We can diagonalize w/ matrix  $R = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & \sin\theta \\ -\sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{pmatrix}$  s.t.  $\begin{pmatrix} m_{\eta_1^0}^2 & 0 \\ 0 & m_{\eta_8^0}^2 \end{pmatrix} = R^\dagger \begin{pmatrix} m_{11}^2 & m_{18}^2 \\ m_{18}^2 & m_{88}^2 \end{pmatrix} R$

Upon diagonalization we find an expression for the mixing angle in terms of observables and eliminating  $m_{11}, m_{18}$

$$\tan^2 \theta = \frac{m_{\eta_8^0}^2 - m_{\eta_1^0}^2}{m_{\eta_1^0}^2 - m_{\eta_8^0}^2} \quad \text{w/ } m_{\eta_8^0}^2 = \frac{1}{3}(4m_{11}^2 - m_{18}^2)$$

Plugging in masses,

Input mass J<sup>P</sup> multiplet

$\Theta$

Physical mesons

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} k_0^0 \\ \pi^0 \\ \eta^0 \end{array} \right)$$

$0^-$  (pseudoscalar)

$$-11^\circ$$

$$\eta, \eta'$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} K_0^0 \\ K^0 \\ \eta^0 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \text{Jnd f m/s constraint}$$

$1^-$  (vector)

$$90^\circ$$

$$\phi, \omega, w, \phi$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} K_2^0 (1420) \\ \eta_2 (1420) \\ \eta_2^0 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow \text{Jnd f m/s constraint}$$

$2^+$  (tensor)

$$32^\circ$$

$$f_2, f_2'$$

So what? Perhaps  $\Theta$  is just a parameter, and this is all just a parametrization of ignorance. But no - recall that

$$\eta_i^0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} + s\bar{s})$$

$$\eta_8^0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (u\bar{u} + d\bar{d} - 2s\bar{s})$$

trilinear mixing relation (4),

Plugging in, it turns out that for  $\sin \Theta = 1/\sqrt{3}$ , or  $\Theta = 35^\circ$

$$w \phi \eta' = u\bar{u} + d\bar{d}$$

$$w = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \eta_8^0$$

$$\phi \eta_8^0 = s\bar{s}$$

$$w = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \eta_1 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \eta_8^0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (u\bar{u} + d\bar{d})$$

$$\phi = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \eta_1 - \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \eta_8^0 = s\bar{s}$$

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Thus, if the quark model is correct, then the

$$\phi_{1020} \rightarrow \text{mostly } s\bar{s}$$

$$\omega \rightarrow \text{mostly } u\bar{u} d\bar{d}$$

$$B(\phi \rightarrow K\bar{K}) = (83.2 \pm 0.7)\%$$

$$\text{Also, } f_2' \rightarrow K\bar{K} (88.8 \pm 3.1)\%$$

$$B(\omega \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0, \pi^0\gamma, \pi^+\pi^-) = 99.7\% \text{ but showing nothing in } M_\omega < 2M_K$$

Also, the  $\omega(782)$  does not have enough mass

to go to  $K\bar{K}$ , but its relatively short lifetime (width = 8 MeV)

indicates that it's not being suppressed by a desire to!

The  $\phi$  is a relatively narrow resonance decay predominantly to  $K^+K^-$  - what a nice cross-check on particle ID systems!

$$\Gamma_\phi = 4.3 \text{ MeV}$$

Ans

$$\text{Show } Y = B + S \quad B(1_{u,d,s}) = \frac{1}{3}(1_{u,d,s})$$

## BARYONS IN THIS QUARK MODEL

Given the 3x3 rule &  $\frac{1}{3}$  charge of the eigenvectors of the fundamental representation (quarks), and the fact that baryons have "not hadron-ness"

(all baryon decays have at least 1 baryon decay product), we conjecture that baryons will be represented by a product of 3 fundamental representations...

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = \text{baryons?} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} Q = I_3 + Y/2 \\ \bar{Q} = -I_3 - Y/2 \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{matrix} \bar{3} & Y & Q \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} \\ d & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \\ s & 0 & -\frac{1}{3} & -\frac{1}{3} \end{matrix}$$

Written

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = 3 \otimes (3 \otimes 3) = 3 \otimes (6 \oplus \bar{3}) = 3 \otimes 6 \oplus 3 \otimes \bar{3}$$

where

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$$\text{We know } 3 \otimes \bar{3} = 8 \oplus 1$$

$$\text{hence } 3 \otimes 6 = 8 \oplus 10$$

so

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = 1 \oplus 8 \oplus 8 \oplus 10$$

At first blush - great! These irreducible reps incorporate all lowest lying baryons & baryonic baryomes

$$J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+$$

Octet

$$\downarrow I_3^{-1} \quad I_3^0 \quad I_3^{+1}$$

odd      odd      odd  
• p      • n      • Y=1

$$\begin{matrix} \text{uds} \\ \Sigma^- \\ \Xi^- \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{uds} \Sigma^0 \\ \text{uds} \Lambda^0 \\ \text{uds} \Xi^0 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} E^+ \\ \text{uns} \end{matrix}$$

$$Y=0$$

Note: these are quark assignments, but not wavefunctions!

$$\begin{matrix} \Xi^- \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \Xi^0 \\ \text{uss} \end{matrix} \quad Y=-1$$

$$J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+ \quad \Delta(1232) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uss} \end{matrix} \quad Y=1$$

Octet

Decuplet

$$\Sigma(383)$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uss} \end{matrix}$$

$$Y=0$$

$$\Xi(1530)$$

$$\begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uds} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{odd} \\ \text{uss} \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{ss}^-$$

$$Y=-2$$

$$\Omega(2260)$$

$$\text{uss}^-$$

$$Y=-2$$

In fact, in 1964 when this was put together, the  $\Omega^-$  had not been seen yet. This discovery within a year was perhaps the greatest success of the quark model.

⑥ But, on closer examination, we see some problems.

⑦  $Y \neq s$

This is a small problem & easily fixed. Assign quarks a "hadronness" (baryon no.) of  $\frac{1}{3}$ , and set

$$Y = S + B$$

$\leftarrow$  this holds true

$$c \text{ quark level also } B(g) = \frac{1}{3} \quad B(\bar{g}) = -\frac{1}{3}$$

Then, these irreducible rays describe the observed spectrum, and  $\boxed{J^P = I_3 + \frac{1}{2} Y}$  Also,  $B=0$  for mesons  $\pm 1$  for baryons.

$\uparrow$  Gottfried-Nishijima relation

(QMSI)

④ B → J sample problem 10.4-10.7

② Where are the other 8, 1, 10 for the  $J_p = \frac{1}{2}^+$   
and the other 1, 8, 8 for  $J_p = \frac{3}{2}^+$ ?

To answer this, we must consider the symmetry of the total wave func. under grotz exchange, which must be odd since baryons are fermions.

$$A \quad S \\ \Psi_{\text{tot}} = \Psi_{\text{space}} \Psi_{\text{flavor}} \Psi_{\text{spin}}$$

By hypothesis (An all expectation), the lowest lying states are in a relative L=0 state, so  $\Psi_{\text{flavor}}$  must be symmetric. So,  $\Psi_f \Psi_s$  must be antisymmetric (A). The symmetry of the tot.w.f. is another good parameter of the representation, although not all rep's have consistent 2-partical symmetry.

③ Flavor symmetry of flavor WF - 3 ⊗ 3 ⊗ 3 in  $SV(3)$

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = 10_s + 8_{M_3} + 8_{M_A} + 1_A \quad \boxed{\begin{matrix} \text{You will} \\ \text{show!} \end{matrix}}$$

where  $M_3 \Rightarrow$  symmetric only under exchange of flavor  
 $M_A \Rightarrow$  antisym.

④ SHOW THIS

⑤

## Quarkonium problem:

⑥ Symmetry of Spin WF       $2\otimes 2 \otimes 2$  in  $SU(2)$

$$2 \otimes 2 \otimes 2 = 4_s \oplus 2_{MS} \oplus 2_{MA}$$

$s=\frac{1}{2}$        $J=\frac{1}{2}$        $s=\frac{1}{2}$

Now, try to form  $J=\frac{3}{2}$  multiplet...

We note that we can combine  $1_0$  and  $4_s$  to get a symmetric flavor after  $J=\frac{3}{2}$  flavor decoupling

but not an antisymmetric one. So things are even worse!

DECUPLET:  $(SU(3), SU(2)) = (10, 4)$  (actually, or  $SU(6)$  rep?)

Also, we can combine

SOLUTION: add a fourth degree of freedom, color, and say all observed hadrons are color singlets. If we say there are 3 colors, then again the singlet color representation of  $3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3$  is antisymmetric. So, then

$$\chi_{\text{tot}} = \chi^S_{\text{SPACE}} \chi^{\text{FLAV}} \chi^{\text{SPIN}} \chi^A_{\text{COLOR}}$$

AN!  
must be  $s$ !

must just start that this is  
totally sym

$J=\frac{3}{2}$   
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And the everything falls into place.

{ mention  $s=\frac{3}{2}$  decuplet  $\downarrow J=\frac{1}{2}$   
 $\downarrow J=\frac{3}{2}$  octet  $(8, 2)$   
 $\frac{1}{2}[(8_{MS}, 2_{MS}) + (8_{MA}, 2_{MA})]$

WHAT IS THIS COLOR?!! This is the first hint of a new generation No, one associated w/ the DYNAMICAL  $SU(3)$  gauge symmetry which forms the basis of

C quarks

C muons

D quarks

our dynamical theory of the L.F. But this will have to wait. In fact, it turns out to do strong charge.

Qm S3

No 1 A!  
Since no  
totally A  
spin wf!

## Constituent vs Current Quark Mass

The mass term appears in  
In QCD, we ~~will~~ ~~introduce~~ the Lagrangian, e.g. for the quarks

$$L = \bar{q} \gamma^\mu q + m \bar{q} q$$

is known as the current mass, and for u, d and s,  
is light

$$m_u \approx 4 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_d \approx 7.5 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_s \approx 150 \text{ MeV}$$

Clearly, though,  $m_p \neq 2m_u^c + m_d^c$ , etc. which also includes the energy of the insuperable gluon field associated w/ the quarks, as well as binding effects. We thus define a phenomenological constituent mass as the mass associated w/ the quark when bound in a <sup>baryon</sup> meson (definition for the two cases!)

Thus, for a baryon, you might naively say  $m_u^{\text{con}} \approx m_d^{\text{con}} \approx \frac{m_p}{3}$ . However, as will see, we can understand baryon masses fairly well by including a spin-spin interaction between the quarks, which will want to take into account when defining the constituent mass.

$$\begin{aligned} M_u &= 0.336 \text{ GeV}/c^2 \\ M_s &= 0.538 \text{ GeV}/c^2 \end{aligned}$$

} low-energy ( $Q \rightarrow \infty$  transfer)  
limit of quark masses  $\Rightarrow$  appropriate  
for momenta. From  $B \rightarrow J/\psi$  or  
baryon mass development  $\mu \downarrow$   
 $\boxed{Q \rightarrow \infty}$  proceeding...

## Baryon Magnetic Moments

For a point-like spin  $\frac{1}{2}$  particle of charge  $e$ , relativistic QM (Dirac eqn) tells us that the magnetic moment is

$$\mu = \frac{e}{2m}$$

We thus define the nuclear magneton as

$$\mu_N = \frac{e}{2m_N}$$

where  $m_N \sim m_p \sim m_n$  is the nucleon mass. Note that immediately, the fact that  $\mu_p/\mu_N = 2.793 \mu_N \neq \mu_N$  and  $\mu_n = -1.913 \mu_N \neq 0$  is strong evidence (in the 30's) that neutrons + protons are not pointlike. Later confirmed by Starfire/SLAC in 60's & 70's (late 50's)

In any regard, if we now hypothesize ~~on~~ that our quarks are point-like, bearing the constituent mass from before,

$$\mu_u = \frac{2}{3} \frac{e}{2m_u} = 1.863 \mu_N$$

$$\mu_d = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{e}{2m_d} = -0.931 \mu_N$$

$$\mu_s = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{e}{2m_s} = -0.582 \mu_N$$

QMB

## Explicit Baryon Wavefunctions

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As mentioned when deriving the baryon octet & decuplet,

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = (\sqrt{3} \oplus \sqrt{6}) \quad (6_s \oplus \bar{3}_A) \oplus 3 \quad (\text{flavor})$$

$$= 10_s \oplus 8_{m_s} \oplus 8_{m_A} \oplus 1_A$$

and

$$2 \otimes 2 \otimes 2 = 4_s \oplus 8_m$$

$$2 \otimes 2 \otimes 2 = (3_s \oplus 1_A) \otimes 2 = 4_s \oplus 2_{m_s} \oplus 2_{m_A}$$

where  $M_{s,A}$  is symmetry of first two quarks.

Thus, to form the baryon octet, say with a totally antisymmetric wf

$$\psi_{\text{oct}} = \psi_{\text{space}} \psi_{\text{spin}} \psi_{\text{flavor}} \psi_{\text{color}}$$

$$A = 5 \quad A$$

we see that

$$\text{Octet} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [(8_{m_s}, 2_{m_s}) + (8_{m_A}, 2_{m_A})]$$

You will show that, for example for the baryon octet udd state (proton) (this will at least make sense by induction for now)

$$\left| p_{m_s} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |(ud+du)u - 2uud\rangle \quad \left. \right\} (8_{m_s}, 2_{m_s})$$

$$\left| 2_{m_s} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |(\uparrow\downarrow + \downarrow\uparrow)\uparrow - 2\uparrow\uparrow\downarrow\rangle \quad \left. \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \left| p_{m_A} \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |(ud-du)u\rangle \\ \left| p_{m_A}^2 \right\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |(\uparrow\downarrow - \downarrow\uparrow)\uparrow\rangle \end{array} \right\} (8_{m_A}, 2_{m_A})$$

Combining those, we get (you can check explicitly just by multiplying out...) [You really have to follow through carefully; don't LEAVE ON BOARD] forget to add the factor!]

$$|p\rangle = \text{actor } uud = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left\{ (8_{m_s}, 2_{m_s}) + (8_{m_A}, 2_{m_A}) \right\}$$

(1)

(2)

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{18}} |2u\uparrow u\uparrow d\downarrow + 2d\downarrow u\uparrow u\uparrow + 2u\uparrow d\downarrow u\uparrow - u\downarrow u\uparrow d\uparrow - u\uparrow u\downarrow d\uparrow - d\uparrow u\uparrow u\downarrow \rangle$$

(5)

(A)

$$- d\uparrow u\downarrow u\uparrow - u\downarrow d\uparrow u\uparrow - u\uparrow d\uparrow u\downarrow \rangle$$

✓ ok - not too hard.  
Your notation  $u\uparrow u\downarrow d\downarrow \rightarrow$  is kind of slow!

which, in the end, is totally symmetric, as required.

Notice that the  $u\uparrow u\uparrow d\downarrow$  states + permutations get a weight of

2. This will be a non-trivial statement about baryon magnetic moments.

[QM66]

If the quark model holds, then what does  $\textcircled{A}$  predict for  $\mu_p$ ?

$$\mu_p = \langle \bar{q} | \mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3 | q \rangle$$

where  $\mu_i$  is just the magnetic moment up. for the  $i^{\text{th}}$  quark.

Because of the complete symmetry of  $\chi_{\text{spin}}^{\text{charge}}$ , we need merely consider the first quark, and then mult by 3...

↑  $\mu_A$  first quark  
Thus for example, in  $\textcircled{A}$  term j gives for  $\mu_u$

<u>Term</u>	<u>Cont</u>	<u>No.</u>
1	$\frac{4}{18} \mu_u$	
2	$-\frac{4}{18} \mu_d$	negative $\mu_d$ since d is pointing down
:		
5	$\frac{1}{18} \mu_u$	positive $\mu_u$ since u is up
		etc.

Putting all this together & mult by 3

$$\mu_p = \frac{1}{3} (4\mu_u - \mu_d) = 2.79 \mu_N \quad \text{measured} = 2.793 \mu_N$$

REMARKABLE!!