# Regge Couplings from Quark Models

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#### Five-point amplitude



Single-Regge Amplitude

$$A = \sum_{J_1,\lambda} d_{0,\lambda}^{J_1}(\cos\theta_1) e^{i\omega_{12}} a(J_1,\lambda,\theta_2,t_1,t_2)$$

- Project amplitude onto  $t_1$  partial waves
- Assume PWA contains factorizable pole in  $J_1$

$$a(J_1, \lambda, \theta_2, t_1, t_2) \sim \frac{\beta_1(t_1)}{J_1 - \alpha_1(t_1)}$$

• *d*-function asymptotics:

$$d_{0,\lambda}^J \sim (\cos \theta_1)^{-1}$$



### Single-Regge Amplitude





#### Double-Regge Limit

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#### Constraints from cut structure



• Terms like  $s_1^{\alpha_1(t_1)} s^{\alpha_2(t_2)}$  with simultaneous overlapping cuts are forbidden!

 $A \sim \Gamma(-\alpha_1) \Gamma(-\alpha_2) \left[ (-s_{12})^{\alpha_1} (-s_2)^{\alpha_2 - \alpha_1} V_1(\eta_{12}, t_1, t_2) + (-s_{12})^{\alpha_2} (-s_1)^{\alpha_1 - \alpha_2} V_2(\eta_{12}, t_1, t_2) \right]$ 

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$$V_1(\eta, t_1, t_2) = \beta \frac{\Gamma(\alpha_1 - \alpha_2)}{\Gamma(-\alpha_2)} {}_1F_1\left(-\alpha_1, 1 - \alpha_1 + \alpha_2, -\frac{1}{\eta_{12}}\right)$$

 Problem: there's no physical motivation for this amplitude form other than it 'works'!

## String-Breaking Model



$$\langle \psi_B, \psi_C | V | \psi_A \rangle = \int d^3k \ V \ \psi_A(\vec{k}) \psi_B^*(\vec{k} + \vec{P}_c) \psi_C^*(\vec{k} + \vec{P}_c)$$

$$q_1$$

$$\psi_B(k_1, k_2) = \delta^3(P_1 - k_1 - k_2) \psi_B(k_1 - k_2) e^{iP_1}$$

$$q_2$$

$$\psi_C(k_3, k_4) = \delta^3(P_2 - k_3 - k_4) \psi_C(k_3 - k_4) e^{iP_2}$$

$$\psi_A(q_1, q_2) = \delta^3(P - q_1 - q_2) \psi_A(q_1 - q_2) e^{iP} .$$

- Insert wavefunctions for quark-antiquark • pairs in mesons
- Harmonic oscillator wave functions take care of confinement
- Can combine multiple oscillators to approximate any choice function

 $q_1$ 

 $q_2$ 

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$$\psi \propto e^{\frac{-\alpha^2 k^2}{2}} k^l Y_{lm}(\Omega)$$

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(2l + 1)

 $J_1$ 

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• Consider the angular part of the SB matrix element integral:

$$I_{\Omega} = \sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)(2J_1+1)(2J_2+1)}{(4\pi^3)}} \int_{-1}^{1} dz dd_{00}^{\ell}(z) d_{\lambda 0}^{J_1}(z) d_{-\lambda 0}^{J_2}(z)$$

Hypergeometrics and gamma functions allow analytic computation

$$d_{\lambda,0}^{J} = \frac{\chi_{\lambda}}{\Gamma(M+1)} \sqrt{\frac{\Gamma(J+M+1)}{\Gamma(J-M+1)}} \left(\frac{1-z}{2}\right)^{\frac{M}{2}} \left(\frac{1+z}{2}\right)^{\frac{M}{2}} {}_{2}F_{1}(-J+M,J+M+1;\frac{1-z}{2})$$

$$F(a,b;c;x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{\Gamma(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c+n)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c+n)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c+n)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c+n)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(c+n)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(c)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+n)}{\Gamma(a)} \frac{\pi(a+n)\Gamma(b+$$

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 $M = |\lambda|$ 

• Need to include helicity dependence from the original d's  $(M = |\lambda|)$ 

$$A(t_1, \theta_1, \omega_{12}, \theta_2, t_2) = \sum_{J_1, J_2} \sum_{|\lambda| \le J_1, J_2} d_{0,\lambda}^{J_1}(\cos \theta_1) e^{i\omega_{12}} d_{\lambda 0}^{J_2}(\cos \theta_2) a(J_1, J_2, \lambda, t_1, t_2)$$
$$Y_{J\lambda} \sim \sqrt{\frac{2J+1}{4\pi}} (-1)^{\frac{\lambda}{2}} \frac{\Gamma(2J+1)}{\Gamma(J+1)} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\Gamma(J+M+1)\Gamma(J-M+1)}} 2^{-J} z^J e^{i\lambda\phi}$$

$$\Rightarrow g_{12}(\lambda) = 2\sqrt{\frac{(2l+1)}{4\pi}} \frac{(2J_1+1)(2J_2+1)}{4\pi} \chi_{\lambda} \chi_{-\lambda} \frac{\Gamma(2J_1+1) 2^{-J_1} \Gamma(2J_2+1) 2^{-J_2}}{\Gamma(J_1+M+1) \Gamma(J_2+M+1) \Gamma(J_1+1) \Gamma(J_2+1)} \\ \times \sum_{m,n,k} \frac{\Gamma(J_1+M+m+1)}{\Gamma(J_1-M+m+1)} \frac{\Gamma(J_2+M+n+1)}{\Gamma(J_2-M+n+1)} \frac{\Gamma(l+k+1)}{\Gamma(l-k+1)} \\ \times \frac{(-1)^{m+n+k}}{m!n!k!} \frac{\Gamma(M+1)}{\Gamma(M+m+1) \Gamma(M+n+1) \Gamma(k+1)} \frac{\Gamma(1+k+m+n+M)}{\Gamma(2M+k+m+n+2)} .$$

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$$\times \frac{1}{k!n!m!} 2(-1)^{k} \frac{\Gamma(1+k+m+n+M)}{\Gamma(2M+k+m+n+2)} \frac{\Gamma(M+1)^{2}}{\Gamma(k+1)\Gamma(M+1+n)\Gamma(M+1+m)}. \quad (4.51)$$



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## Summary

- Double-Regge Amplitudes are complicated (clearly!)
- Quark models allow us to calculate a physically motivated double-Regge vertex
- Check your d-function representations





