

# Light-Front Hamiltonian Calculation of Masses of Heavy Quarkonia

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**Method:** Weak-coupling expansion for QCD in the LF Fock space

**Result:**  $\alpha_\lambda, m_\lambda \longrightarrow$  masses of  $c\bar{c}$  or  $b\bar{b}$

boost-invariant rotationally symmetric spectrum and states

SDG, Jarosław Młynik - IFT/08/06

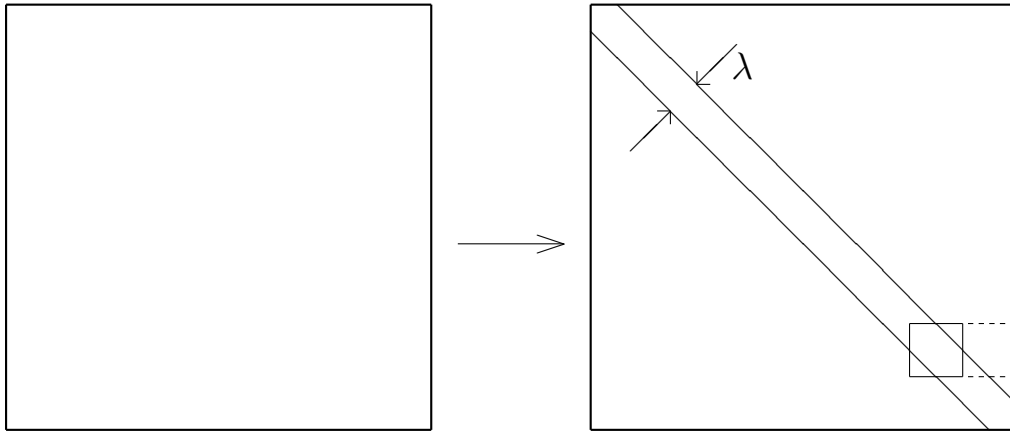
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Calculations do not involve:

scattering states for quarks or gluons, Feynman diagrams, path integral, euclidicity postulate, lattice, or vacuum expectation values.

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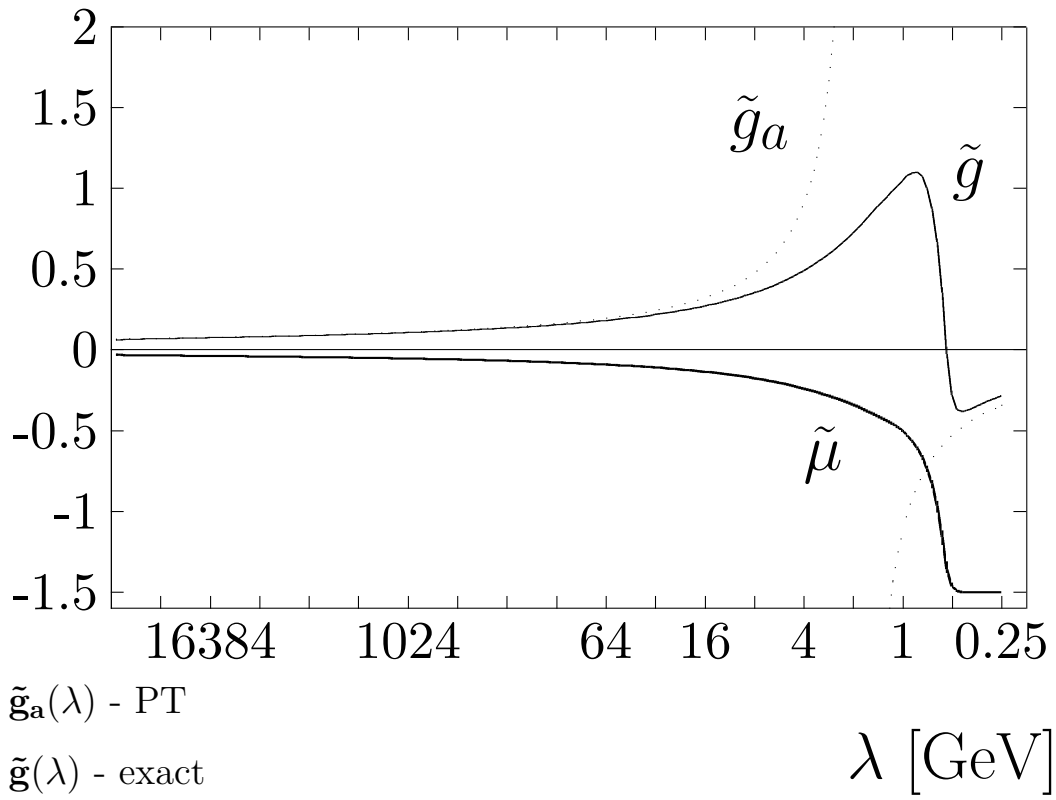
Renormalization Group Procedure for Effective Particles in QFT  
(RGPEP in LFQCD).



RGPEP has roots in “similarity” RG procedure:

SDG and KGW ('93,'94,'98)

width  $\lambda$  in Hamiltonian matrices  $\rightarrow$  form factors  $f_\lambda$  in RGPEP



$$\mathcal{L} = \bar{\psi}(i\not{D} - m)\psi - \frac{1}{4}F^{\mu\nu a}F_{\mu\nu}^a.$$

$$x^\pm = x^0 \pm x^3, \quad t \rightarrow x^+, \quad z \rightarrow x^-, \quad x^\perp.$$

$$A^+ = 0.$$

$$H_{can} = H_{\psi^2} + H_{A^2} + H_{A^3} + H_{A^4} + H_{\psi A \psi}$$

$$+ H_{\psi A A \psi} + H_{[\partial A A]^2} + H_{[\partial A A](\psi \psi)} + H_{(\psi \psi)^2}.$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\psi^2} = \frac{1}{2} \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ \frac{-\partial^{\perp 2} + m^2}{i\partial^+} \psi,$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{A^2} = -\frac{1}{2} A^{\perp} (\partial^{\perp})^2 A^{\perp},$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\psi A \psi} = g \bar{\psi} \not{A} \psi,$$

$$\mathcal{H}_{(\psi\psi)^2} = \frac{1}{2} g^2 \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ t^a \psi \frac{1}{(i\partial^+)^2} \bar{\psi} \gamma^+ t^a \psi.$$

At  $x^+ = 0$ :

$$\psi = \sum_{\sigma c} \int [k] \left[ \chi_c u_{k\sigma} b_{k\sigma c} e^{-ikx} + \chi_c v_{k\sigma} d_{k\sigma c}^\dagger e^{ikx} \right],$$

$$A^\mu = \sum_{\sigma c} \int [k] \left[ t^c \varepsilon_{k\sigma}^\mu a_{k\sigma c} e^{-ikx} + t^c \varepsilon_{k\sigma}^{\mu*} a_{k\sigma c}^\dagger e^{ikx} \right].$$

Regularization (boost invariant, 7 Poincaré symmetries)

E. g., three-prong vertices  $Y \rightarrow rY$ ,  $r_3 = x^\delta \exp(-\kappa^\perp{}^2/\Delta^2)$ .

Counterterms.

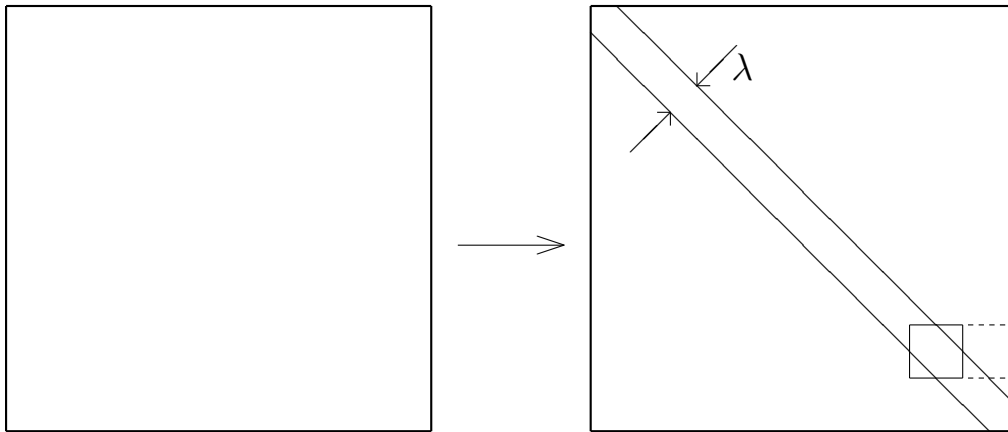
$$H = [H_{can} + H_{CT}]_{reg} .$$

RGPEP:

$$q_\lambda = U_\lambda q_{can} U_\lambda^\dagger ,$$

$$\hat{O}'_\lambda = [\mathcal{T}, \hat{O}_\lambda], \quad \mathcal{T} = U'_\lambda U_\lambda^\dagger ,$$

$$\hat{O}_\infty = \hat{O}_{can(reg)} + \hat{O}_{CT} \rightarrow \hat{O}_\lambda .$$



The window Hamiltonian is independent of the UV regularization  $r_\Delta$ .

$$H|P\rangle = M^2|P\rangle \quad \rightarrow \quad H_\lambda|P\rangle = M^2|P\rangle.$$

$$|P\rangle = |Q_\lambda \bar{Q}_\lambda\rangle + |Q_\lambda \bar{Q}_\lambda g_\lambda\rangle + \dots$$

$$[H_\lambda] = \begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & H_3 & fY \\ \cdot & fY^\dagger & H_2 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} T_3 + \mu^2 & fY \\ fY^\dagger & T_2 + V_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$H_{Q\bar{Q}\lambda} = T_{2\lambda} + V_{2\lambda} + f_\lambda Y_\lambda^\dagger \frac{1}{T_3 + \mu^2} f_\lambda Y_\lambda.$$

$$H_\lambda|P\rangle = M^2|P\rangle \rightarrow H_{Q\bar{Q}\lambda}|P\rangle = M^2|P\rangle.$$

$f_\lambda f_\lambda \frac{4m^2}{q_z^2} \frac{\mu^2}{q^2 + \mu^2} \quad \longrightarrow \quad \text{harmonic force in } H_{Q\bar{Q}\lambda}.$
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**Perturbative derivation of counterterms:**  $rY T^{-1} rY$

$$H_\lambda |Q\rangle = m^2 |Q\rangle \rightarrow m_{CT}^2(\delta, \Delta).$$

**1 quark (gap  $\mu_{g/Q}^2 \neq 0$  when  $x_g \rightarrow 0$ ):**  $fY(T + \mu_{q/Q}^2)^{-1} fY$

$$H_\lambda |Q\rangle = m_Q^2(\delta) |Q\rangle, \quad m_Q^2(\delta) \rightarrow \infty.$$

**$Q\bar{Q}$  (gap  $\mu_{g/Q\bar{Q}}^2 \rightarrow 0$  when  $x_g \rightarrow 0$ ):**  $fY(T + \mu_{g/Q\bar{Q}}^2)^{-1} fY$

$$(T + V_{Coulomb} + \Sigma + V) |Q\bar{Q}\rangle = M^2 |Q\bar{Q}\rangle.$$

$$fY(T + \mu_{g/Q\bar{Q}}^2)^{-1}fY$$

$$(T + V_{Coulomb} + \Sigma + V)|Q\bar{Q}\rangle = M^2|Q\bar{Q}\rangle.$$

$$\Sigma \psi(\vec{p}) = \alpha \left[ \int d^3q \frac{ff}{q_z^2} \frac{\mu^2(q_z)}{\mu^2(q_z) + q^2} \right] \psi(\vec{p}),$$

$$V \psi = -\alpha \int d^3q \frac{ff}{q_z^2} \frac{\mu^2(q_z)}{\mu^2(q_z) + q^2} \psi(\vec{p} - \vec{q}).$$

$$f = \exp \left\{ -[m\vec{q}^2 / (q_z \lambda^2)]^2 \right\},$$

$$q_z \rightarrow 0 \longrightarrow |\vec{q}| \rightarrow 0,$$

$$\psi(\vec{p} - \vec{q}) = \psi(\vec{p}) - \vec{q} \vec{\partial} \psi(\vec{p}) + \frac{1}{2} q^i q^j \partial^i \partial^j \psi(\vec{p}) + \dots,$$

$$-\alpha \int d^3q \frac{ff}{q_z^2} \frac{\mu^2(q_z)}{\mu^2(q_z) + \vec{q}^2} \frac{1}{2} q^i q^j = -\frac{1}{2} k \delta^{ij} \text{ INDEPENDENT of } \mu^2.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & H_4 & fY_1 & fY_2 \\ \cdot & fY_1^\dagger & H_3 & fY \\ \cdot & fY_2^\dagger & fY^\dagger & H_2 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} T_4 + \mu^2 & fY_1 & fY_2 \\ fY_1^\dagger & H_3 & fY \\ fY_2^\dagger & fY^\dagger & H_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mu^2 \longrightarrow \left(1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{\alpha_0^2}\right) \mu^2$$

$$|M, P^+, P^\perp\rangle = \int [ij] \tilde{\delta} P^+ \frac{\bar{u}_i \Psi_{ij} v_j}{-4m^2} |ij\rangle.$$

$$|ij\rangle = b_{\lambda_i}^\dagger d_{\lambda_j}^\dagger |0\rangle, \quad \frac{\bar{u}_i \Psi_{ij} v_j}{-4m^2} \rightarrow \chi_i^\dagger \phi(\vec{k}_{ij}) \chi_j \quad \leftarrow \text{Melosh.}$$

$$0 = [\vec{p}^2 - k_p \Delta_p - x] \phi(\vec{p}) - 2 \int \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} \mathcal{V} \phi(\vec{k}),$$

$$k_p = \frac{9}{128 \sqrt{2\pi}} \left( \frac{\lambda^2}{\alpha m^2} \right)^3,$$

$$\mathcal{V} = f \frac{4\pi}{(\vec{p} - \vec{k})^2} (1 + BF) \quad \leftarrow \text{scaling, } \lambda \sim \sqrt{\alpha} m, (N = ?)$$

$$f = \exp \left\{ - \left[ \frac{\mathcal{M}^2(p) - \mathcal{M}^2(k)}{\lambda^2} \right]^2 \right\},$$

$$M = 2m \sqrt{1 + x \left( \frac{2}{3} \alpha \right)^2}.$$

Example of  $J/\psi$  or  $\Upsilon$ :

$$\phi(\vec{k}) = [a(\vec{k}) + \vec{b}(\vec{k})\vec{\sigma}]$$

$$a(\vec{k}) = 0, \quad b^m(\vec{k}) = \left[ \delta^{mn} \frac{S(k)}{k} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \delta^{mn} - 3 \frac{k^m k^n}{k^2} \right) \frac{D(k)}{k} \right] s^n.$$

$$0 = \begin{bmatrix} p^2 - k_p \partial_p^2 - x, & 0 \\ 0, & p^2 - k_p \partial_p^2 + k_p \frac{6}{p^2} - x \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} S(p) \\ D(p) \end{bmatrix} - \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty dk f pk \begin{bmatrix} \mathcal{W}_{ss}, \mathcal{V} \\ \mathcal{W}_{ds}, \mathcal{V} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{W}_{ss} = J_0 + \frac{\alpha^2}{3} [(p^2 + k^2) J_0 - 16/9],$$

$$\mathcal{W}_{sd} = \frac{\alpha^2}{3} [p^2 (J_2 - J_0) + 4/3] \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}, \quad \mathcal{W}_{ds} = \frac{\alpha^2}{3} [k^2 (J_2 - J_0) + 4/3] \frac{\sqrt{2}}{3},$$

$$\mathcal{W}_{dd} = J_2 + (J_2 - J_0)/2 + \frac{\alpha^2}{3} \{ (p^2 + k^2) [J_0 - (J_2 - J_0)/6] - 20/9 \}.$$

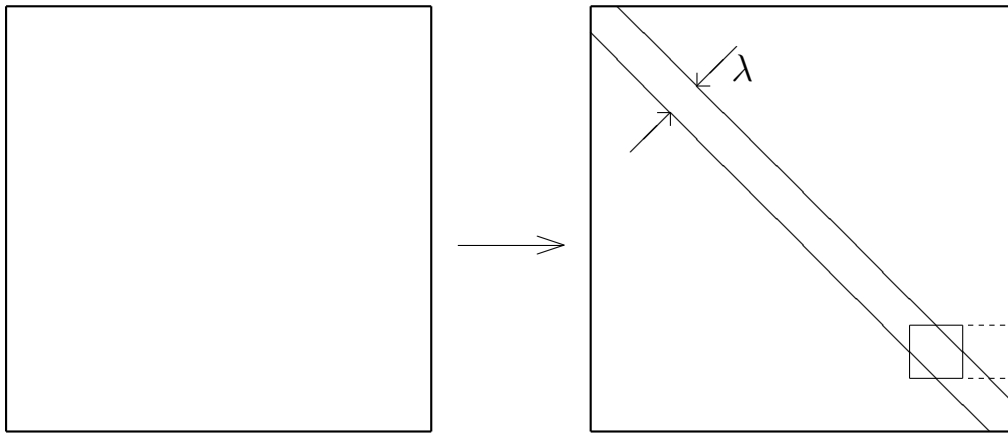
$\delta$ -functions with  $f_\lambda$ .

$J_0, J_2$  are known functions.

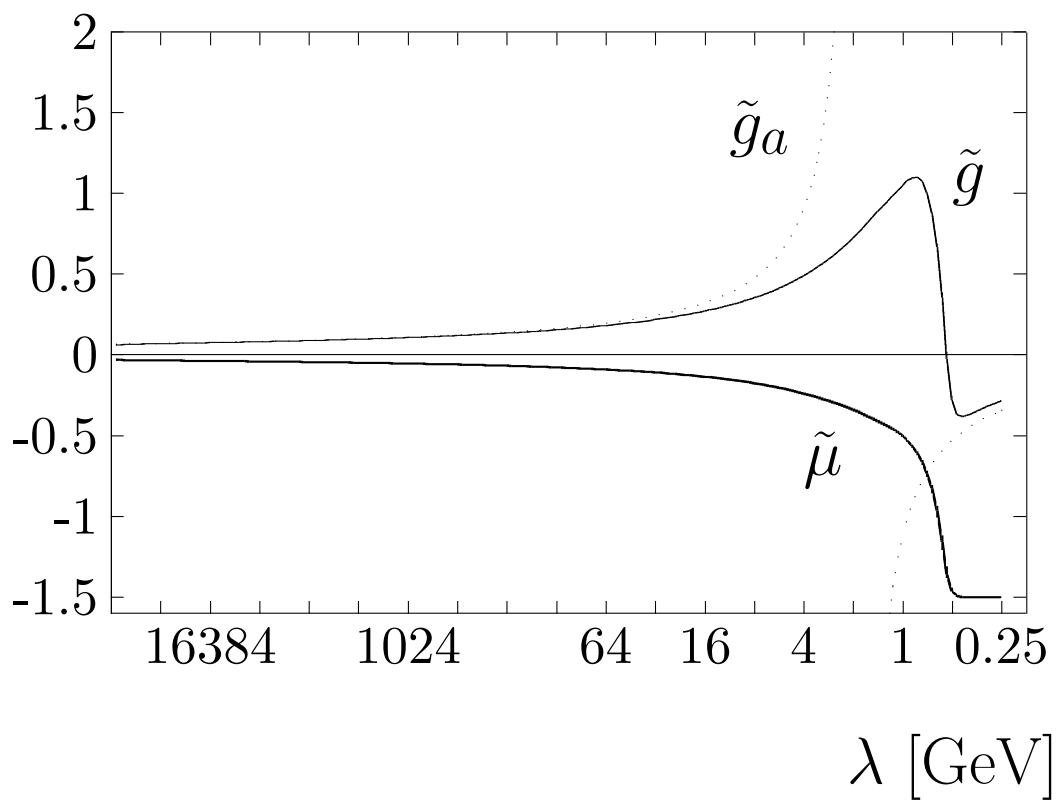
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In principle: 2 states  $\rightarrow \alpha_\lambda, m_\lambda$ .

$\lambda = ?$



Two examples for  $c\bar{c}$  and  $b\bar{b}$ .



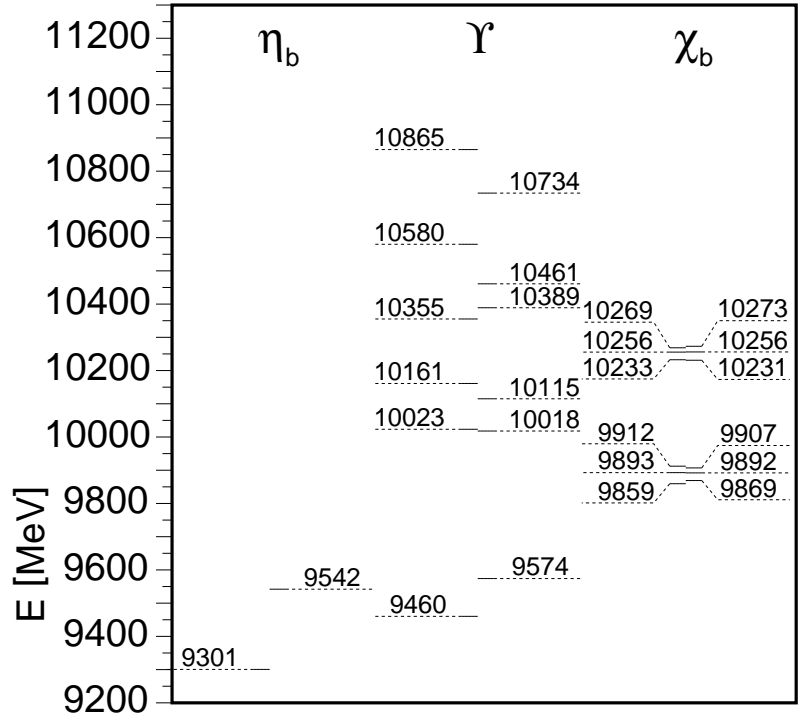


FIG. 1: 7  $b\bar{b}$  middle states:  $\lambda = 3779.8$  MeV,  $\alpha_\lambda = 0.28839$ ,  $m = 4835.9$  MeV, ( $\omega = 184.62$  MeV).

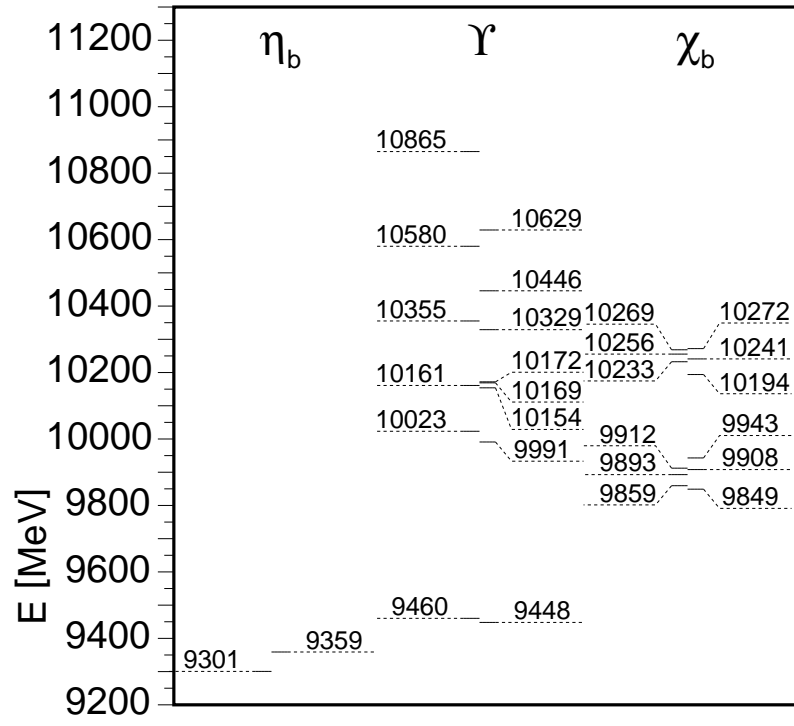


FIG. 2: 12  $b\bar{b}$  states:  $\lambda = 3252.3$  MeV,  $\alpha_\lambda = 0.50738$ ,  $m = 4979.7$  MeV, ( $\omega = 147.11$  MeV).

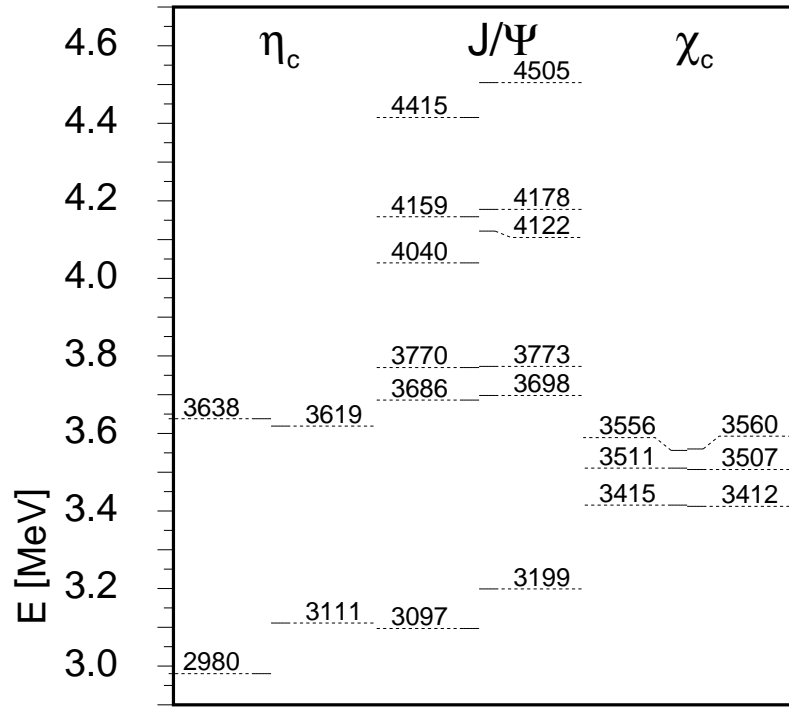


FIG. 3: 3 middle  $c\bar{c}$  states:  $\lambda = 1990.0$  MeV,  $\alpha_\lambda = 0.34335$ ,  $m = 1553.3$  MeV, ( $\omega = 284.93$  MeV).

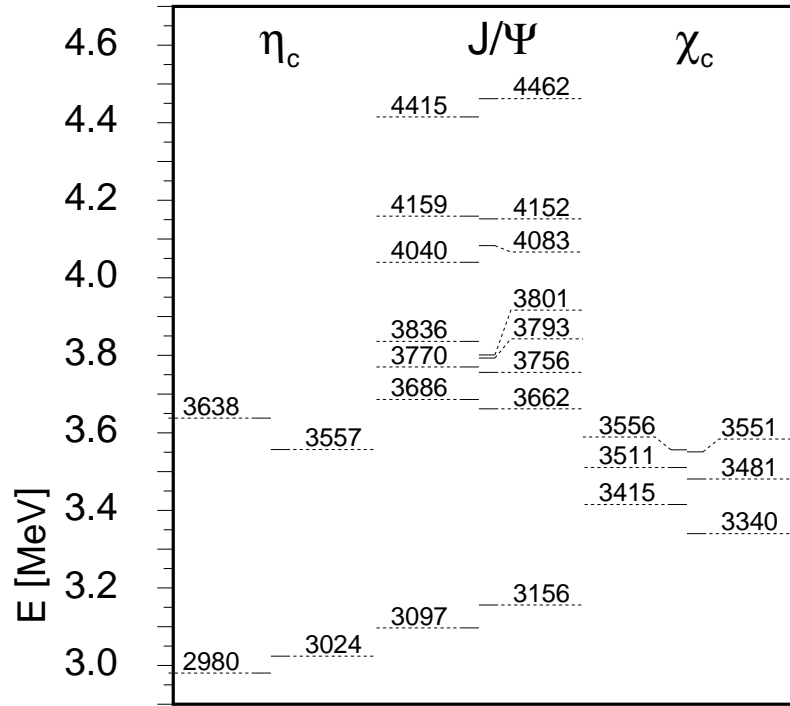
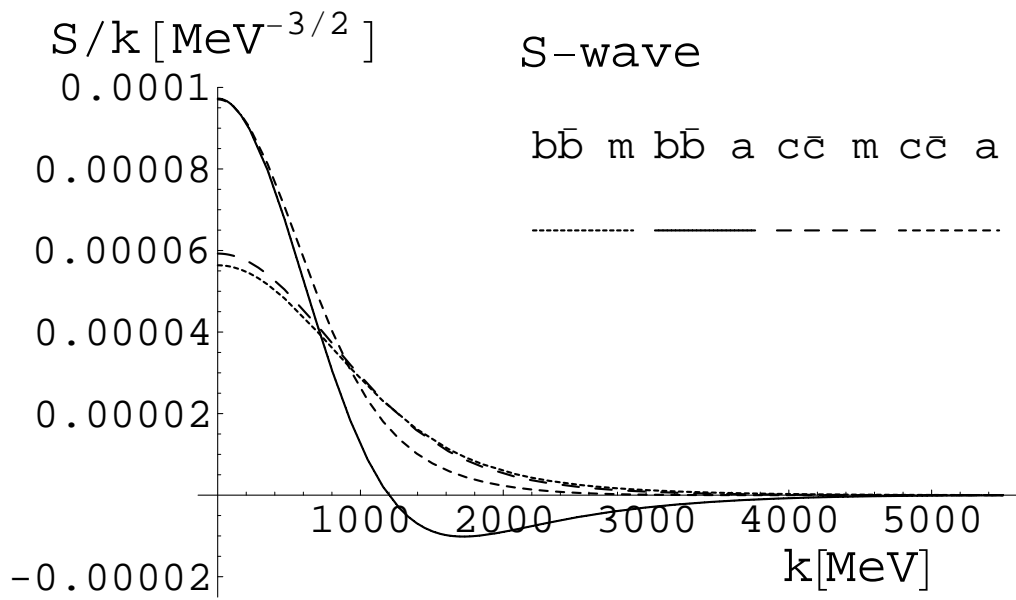
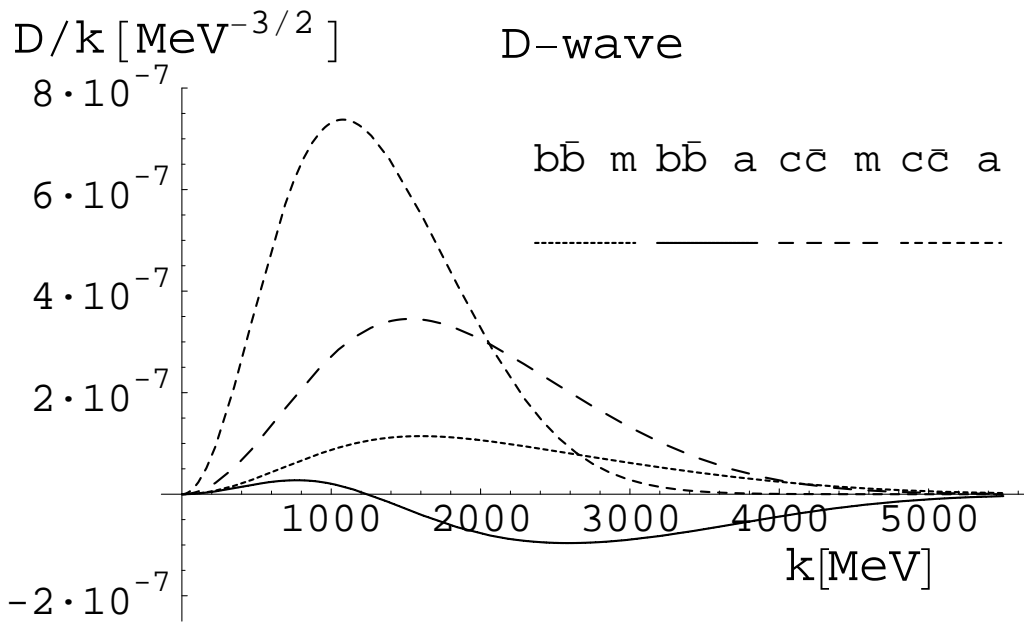


FIG. 4: 11  $c\bar{c}$  states:  $\lambda = 1934.2$  MeV,  $\alpha_\lambda = 0.41443$ ,  $m = 1577.4$  MeV, ( $\omega = 278.72$  MeV).





$b\bar{b}$ , fix masses of  $\chi_2(1P)$  and  $\chi_2(2P)$ :

$$\alpha(\lambda) = 0.25 + (3.85 - \lambda/\text{GeV})/3,$$

$$m(\lambda) = [4.83 + (3.85 - \lambda/\text{GeV})/5] \text{ GeV}.$$

Magnitudes as expected.

?!  $m_\lambda$  stable,  $\alpha_\lambda$  varies about 10 times faster

than  $\alpha_\lambda$  in 3rd order  $H_{\lambda L F Q C D}$ , PRD**63**, 116006 (2001).

$$\mathcal{V} = f \left( \frac{4\pi}{p^2} + \alpha^2 R \right) (1 + \alpha^2 S)(1 + \alpha^2 M).$$

Optimizing  $f$ .

## Conclusion:

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- There exists an approximate constituent picture for heavy quarkonia in 1 flavor QCD: relativistic, simple, usable for fast mesons.
- Fits meson masses reasonably well for reasonable  $\alpha_\lambda$ , and  $m_\lambda$ .
- Provides very specific boost-invariant wave functions in the LF Fock space. Decays? Production? Unequal masses? Exclusive processes? Large velocities.
- Explicit LF bound states with  $J=0$ ,  $J=1$ ,  $J=2$ , waves  $S$ ,  $P$ ,  $D$ ,  $F$ .
- Systematically improvable within RGPEP ( $\alpha \sim 1/3$ ).

Will it improve in 4th order?

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$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{m}{2} \omega^2 r^2 + \mathcal{V}.$$

$$\omega = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3} \frac{\alpha}{\pi}} \lambda \left(\frac{\lambda}{m}\right)^2 \left(\frac{\pi}{1152}\right)^{1/4}.$$

$$\mathcal{V} = f \left(\frac{4\pi}{p^2} + \alpha^2 R\right) (1 + \alpha^2 S)(1 + \alpha^2 M).$$

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P. A. M. Dirac (1977):

”Working with a front is a process that is unfamiliar to physicists. But still I feel that the mathematical simplification that it introduces is all-important. I consider the method to be promising and have recently been making an extensive study of it. It offers new opportunities, while the familiar instant form seems to be played out.”

K. G. Wilson (2004):

”...the time is ripe for a few accomplished theorists to switch into light-front theory and help build a growing research effort in this area.”