

Elastic (anti-)neutrino-nucleon scattering in covariant baryon chiral perturbation theory

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Background

- **Neutrino nucleon(νN) scattering** is an important way to understand the properties of neutrinos.
- There have been large scientific installations at home and abroad to research the properties of neutrinos such as:
 - ① The Daya Bay Neutrino experiment in China [[F. P. An, et al, PRL 108 \(2012\), 171803](#)]
 - ② The Jiangmen Neutrino experiment [[F. An, et al, JPG 43 \(2016\) 3, 030401](#)]
 - ③ The Super Kamiokande Neutrino experiment in Japan [[Y. Fukuda, 10.1142/9789812704948_0002](#)]
- The study of neutrinos interactions with matter can provide an important input for the accurate determination of neutrino oscillation parameters. See review [[Z. Z. Xing and Z. h. Zhao, RPP 84 \(2021\) 6, 066201](#)] .

Earlier studies

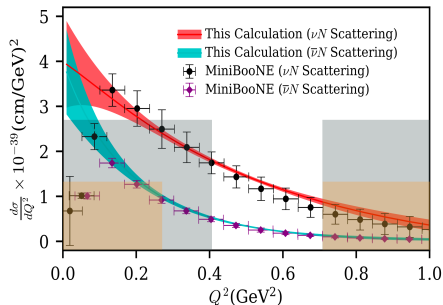
- Early νN scattering was mainly extracted from neutrino nuclear quasielastic scattering experiments [L.A. Ahrens, et al, PRD 35 (1987), 785]
- In 2010 and 2015, the MiniBooNE published $\nu(\bar{\nu})$ -induced neutral current(NC) differential cross section data, concentrated in energy intervals below 2 GeV. [MiniBooNE collaboration, PRD 82 (2010) 092005] [MiniBooNE collaboration, PRD 91 (2015) 012004]
- D. Pevalov gave experimental data near the threshold [D. Perevalov, FERMILAB-THESIS-2009-47 (2009)] .
 - In the low energy region, the data of νN quasielastic scattering have a complicated varying behavior, which has not been explained in theory.
- G.T. Garvey et al. calculated the strange quark axial vector form factor of the nucleon by analyzing the ratio of proton-to-neutron neutrino-induced [G.T. Garvey et al, PRC C 48 (1993), 1919-1925] , and calculated the strange quark form factor and the axial vector dipole mass of the proton by refitting BNL experimental data on neutrino-proton elastic scattering. [G.T. Garvey et al, PRC 48 (1993), 761-765]

Recent research

- R.S. Sufian et al. determined the NC axial vector form factor $G_A(Q^2)$, and calculated the differential cross section $\frac{d\sigma_{\nu N \rightarrow \nu N}}{dQ^2}$ for NC near $Q^2 = 0$ [R. S.

Sufian et al, JHEP 01 (2020), 136] .

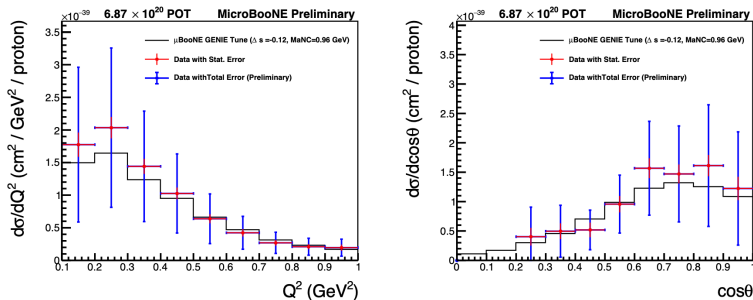
- Dipole parametrization
 - In $Q^2 \lesssim 0.15 \text{ GeV}^2$, the differential cross section predictions of $\nu(\bar{\nu})N$ scattering starts to deviate from MiniBooNE result
- The possible reason:
- 1、Pauli blocking effect
 - 2、Nuclear shadowing



R. S. Sufian et al, JHEP 01 (2020), 136.

Recent results from MicroBooNE

Figure 1: Final differential cross sections $d\sigma/dQ^2$ (left) and $d\sigma/d\cos\theta$ (right) with both statistical and systematic uncertainties.



[Ren Lu, JPS Conf.Proc. 37 \(2022\) 020309.](#)

- First measurement of muon neutrino neutral current elastic(NCE) scattering from protons ($0.1 < Q^2 < 1 \text{ GeV}^2$)
- Plan to extract the strange quark contribution to the axial form factor

Our work

- Neutrino nucleon scattering is the most basic process to explore the interactions between neutrinos and matter.
- For neutrino nucleon scattering process, QCD can no longer be used directly for perturbation calculation at low energies due to the color confinement effect.
- **Chiral perturbation theory (ChPT)** is an effective field theory of QCD at low energy based on chiral symmetry at hadronic level.

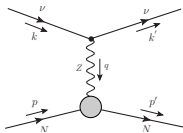
Our aim

- In ChPT, calculate the 4 form factors of the neutral current(NC) and charged current(CC)
- We will combine the 4 form factors and the differential cross sections to carry out numerical calculation and compare with experimental results
- Try to explain the discrepancy between theoretical and experimental data in the low energy region

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- The process of neutrino nucleon elastic scattering:
 $\nu(k) + N(p) \rightarrow \nu(k') + N(p')$



Only consider single boson exchange !

- The differential cross section:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \frac{|\overline{\mathcal{M}}|^2}{64\pi m_N^2 E_\nu^2}$$

- The scattering amplitude

$$\mathcal{M} = i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} L_\mu H^\mu$$

$$L_\mu \equiv \bar{\nu}(k') \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) \nu(k)$$

$$H^\mu \equiv \langle N(p') | \mathcal{J}_Z^\mu | N(p) \rangle$$

- The amplitude squared:

$$|\overline{\mathcal{M}}|^2 = \frac{G_F^2}{2} L_{\mu\nu} H^{\mu\nu}$$

- The leptonic and hadronic tensors:

$$L_{\mu\nu} = 8 \left[k_\mu k'_\nu + k_\nu k'_\mu - g_{\mu\nu} k \cdot k' \pm i \epsilon_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} k^\alpha k'^\beta \right]$$

$$H_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left[(\not{p} + m_N) \tilde{\Gamma}_\mu (\not{p}' + m_N) \Gamma_\nu \right]$$

$$\text{with } \tilde{\Gamma}_\mu = \gamma_0 \Gamma_\mu^\dagger \gamma_0$$

where

$$H^\mu = \langle N(p') | \mathcal{J}^\mu | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \Gamma^\mu u(p)$$

The Form Factors and Differential Cross Section

- Ignore the second class currents

$$\Gamma^\mu = \gamma^\mu F_1 + \frac{i}{2m_N} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu F_2 - \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 G_A - \frac{q^\mu}{m_N} \gamma_5 G_P$$

where F_1 , F_2 , G_A and G_P are the nucleon weak NC Dirac, Pauli, axial and induced pseudoscalar form factors.

- The differential cross section(NC)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \frac{G_F^2 M^2}{8\pi E_\nu^2} \left[A \pm \frac{(s-u)}{M^2} B + \frac{(s-u)^2}{M^4} C \right]$$

with

$$A \equiv \frac{Q^2}{M^2} \left[G_A^2 (1 + \eta) + 4\eta F_1 F_2 - (F_1^2 - \eta F_2^2) (1 - \eta) \right]$$

$$B \equiv \frac{Q^2}{M^2} G_A (F_1 + F_2)$$

$$C \equiv \frac{1}{4} \left[G_A^2 + F_1^2 + \eta F_2^2 \right]$$

where $(s-u) = 4ME_\nu - Q^2$, $\eta = Q^2/4M^2$

The Form Factors and Differential Cross Section

- Vector current is conserved:

$$F_i = \left(\frac{1}{2} - \sin^2 \theta_W \right) \left[F_i^{EM,p} - F_i^{EM,n} \right] \tau_3 \\ - \sin^2 \theta_W \left[F_i^{EM,p} + F_i^{EM,n} \right] - \frac{1}{2} F_i^{(s)}, \quad i = 1, 2,$$

- The electric and magnetic Sachs form factors:

$$G_E(Q^2) = F_1^{EM}(Q^2) - \frac{Q^2}{4m_N^2} F_2^{EM}(Q^2), \\ G_M(Q^2) = F_1^{EM}(Q^2) + F_2^{EM}(Q^2),$$

- The weak axial vector form factor:

$$G_A(Q^2) = \frac{\tau_3}{2} G_A^v(Q^2) - \frac{1}{2} G_A^{(s)}(Q^2).$$

e.g. dipole parameterization:

$$G_A^v(Q^2) = \frac{g_A}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_A^2}\right)^2}, \quad G_A^{(s)}(Q^2) = \frac{\Delta s}{\left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_A^2}\right)^2}$$

- We want to calculate the form factors in ChPT.

The Chiral Lagrangian

- The effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff} = \sum_{i=1}^2 \mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi}^{(2i)} + \sum_{j=1}^3 \mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(j)}$$

- Meson field is contained in U :

$$U = u^2 = \exp\left(i\frac{\Phi}{F}\right)$$

where $\Phi = \vec{\phi} \cdot \vec{\tau} = \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 & \sqrt{2}\pi^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\pi^- & -\pi^0 \end{pmatrix}$

- πN Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(1)} = \bar{\Psi}_N \{ i\not{D} - m + \frac{1}{2} g \not{\psi} \gamma_5 \} \Psi_N$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{8m} c_6 \bar{\Psi}_N \{ F_{\mu\nu}^+ \sigma^{\mu\nu} \} \Psi_N + \frac{1}{8m} c_7 \bar{\Psi}_N \{ \langle F_{\mu\nu}^+ \rangle \sigma^{\mu\nu} \} \Psi_N + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(3)} = & \frac{i}{2m} d_6 \bar{\Psi}_N [D^\mu, f_{\mu\nu}^+] D^\nu \Psi_N + h.c. + \frac{2i}{m} d_7 \bar{\Psi}_N (\partial^\mu \hat{v}_{\mu\nu}^{(s)}) D^\nu \Psi_N + h.c. \\ & + \frac{1}{2} d_{16} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \bar{\Psi}_N \langle \chi_+ \rangle u_\mu \Psi_N + \frac{i}{2} d_{18} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \bar{\Psi}_N [D_\mu, \chi_-] \Psi_N \\ & + \frac{1}{2} d_{22} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \bar{\Psi}_N [D^\nu, f_{\mu\nu}^-] \Psi_N + \dots \end{aligned}$$

The Chiral Lagrangian

- $\pi\pi$ Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi}^{(2)} = \frac{F^2}{4} \langle u_\mu u^\mu + \chi_+ \rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi}^{(4)} = & \frac{1}{8} \ell_4 \langle u_\mu u^\mu \rangle \langle \chi_+ \rangle \\ & + \frac{1}{16} (\ell_3 + \ell_4) \langle \chi_+ \rangle^2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

- The chiral blocks

$$f_{\mu\nu}^\pm = u f_{\mu\nu}^\pm u^\dagger \pm u^\dagger f_{\mu\nu}^R u$$

$$f_{\mu\nu}^L = \partial_\mu l_\nu - \partial_\nu l_\mu - i[l_\mu, l_\nu]$$

$$f_{\mu\nu}^R = \partial_\mu r_\nu - \partial_\nu r_\mu - i[r_\mu, r_\nu]$$

$$\hat{v}_{\mu\nu}^{(s)} = \partial_\mu \hat{v}_\nu^{(s)} - \partial_\nu \hat{v}_\mu^{(s)}$$

$$\chi_\pm = u^\dagger \chi u^\dagger \pm u \chi^\dagger u$$

$$\chi = \text{diag}(M^2, M^2)$$

- The covariant derivative:

$$D_\mu = \partial_\mu + \Gamma_\mu - i\tilde{v}_\mu^s$$

where

$$u_\mu = i \left\{ u^\dagger (\partial_\mu - i r_\mu) u - u (\partial_\mu - i \ell_\mu) u^\dagger \right\}$$

$$\Gamma_\mu = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ u^\dagger (\partial_\mu - i r_\mu) u + u (\partial_\mu - i \ell_\mu) u^\dagger \right\}$$

- Introduce the $\mathcal{Z}$ boson

$$\ell_\mu = \left(\frac{g_W}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right) (-2 \cos^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{Z}_\mu \frac{\tau_3}{2}$$

$$r_\mu = \left(\frac{g_W}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right) (2 \sin^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{Z}_\mu \frac{\tau_3}{2}$$

$$\hat{v}_\mu^{(s)} = \left(\frac{g_W}{2 \cos \theta_W} \right) (2 \sin^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{Z}_\mu \frac{\tau_0}{2}$$

Feynman Diagrams

- The hadronic part has a more complicated case due to the strong interactions inside the nucleon.

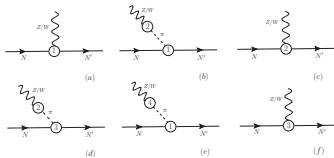


Figure 2: The tree-level diagrams of $\nu(\bar{\nu})N$ elastic scattering

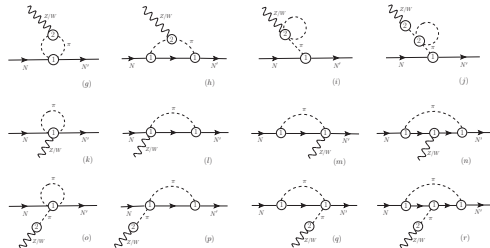


Figure 3: The one-loop diagrams of $\nu(\bar{\nu})N$ elastic scattering

- The **pion exchange** in hadron vertices mainly contributes to G_P , and G_P is entered into the **CC** scattering process.

Amplitudes of NC

- The amplitude: $\mathcal{M} = i\frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} L_\mu H^\mu$

$$H^\mu = H_{tree}^\mu + H_{loop}^\mu = H_a^\mu + H_b^\mu + H_c^\mu + H_d^\mu + H_e^\mu + H_f^\mu + H_{loop}^\mu$$

$$H_a^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ (\cos 2\theta_W \frac{\tau_3}{2} - \sin^2 \theta_W) \gamma^\mu - g_A \frac{\tau_3}{2} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_b^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ \frac{g_A m_N}{t - m_\pi^2} \tau_3 q^\mu \gamma_5 \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_c^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ [\textcolor{red}{c}_6 \cos 2\theta_W \frac{\tau_3}{2} - (\textcolor{red}{c}_6 + \textcolor{red}{2c}_7) \sin^2 \theta_W] \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2m_N} \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_d^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ \frac{2m_N m_\pi^2 (2\textcolor{red}{d}_{16} - \textcolor{red}{d}_{18})}{t - m_\pi^2} \tau_3 q^\mu \gamma_5 \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_e^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ \frac{2g_A m_N m_\pi^2 \textcolor{red}{\ell}_4}{F^2 (t - m_\pi^2)} \tau_3 q^\mu \gamma_5 \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_f^\mu = \bar{u}(p') \left\{ (4\textcolor{red}{d}_7 t \sin^2 \theta_W - \textcolor{red}{d}_6 t \cos 2\theta_W \tau_3) \gamma^\mu + (\textcolor{red}{d}_6 t \cos 2\theta_W \tau_3 - 4\textcolor{red}{d}_7 t \sin^2 \theta_W) \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2m_N} \right. \\ \left. - (4\textcolor{red}{d}_{16} m_\pi^2 + \textcolor{red}{d}_{22} t) \frac{\tau_3}{2} \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 + \textcolor{red}{d}_{22} m_N \tau_3 q^\mu \gamma_5 \right\} u(p)$$

$$H_{loop}^\mu = \dots$$

- The constants marked in red are the low energy constants(LECs).

Renormalization of NC and Parameter Values

- The ultraviolet(UV) divergences $\Rightarrow \overline{MS} - 1$ (or $\widetilde{MS}$) scheme.
The UV divergences from loops are subtracted by the infinite parts in the bare parameters $g, c_6, c_7, d_6, d_7, d_{16}, d_{18}, d_{22}, \ell_4$, respectively.
- The power counting breaking(PCB) terms $\Rightarrow$ the EOMS scheme.

	Power Counting	Relativistic	Analyticity
$\overline{MS} - 1$	x	✓	✓
HB	✓	x	x
IR	✓	✓	x
EOMS	✓	✓	✓

- The extended-on-mass-shell (EOMS) ✓
The PCB terms in loops can be properly canceled by the LECs in the chiral Lagrangians.

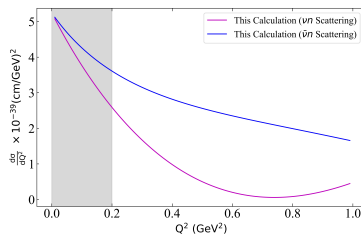
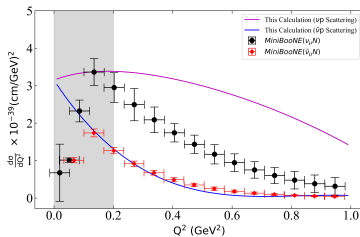
- The parameter values

m_N	m_π	$\overset{\circ}{g}_A$	F_π	E_ν	$E_{\bar{\nu}}$
0.939	0.138	1.13	0.0924	0.80	0.65

c_6	c_7	d_6	d_7	d_{16}	d_{18}	d_{22}
1.35	-2.68	0	-0.49	-0.83	-0.20	0.96

[D. L. Yao et al, PRD 98 (2018) 7, 076004] [D. L. Yao et al, PLB 794 (2019), 109–113]

Preliminary Numerical Results of NC



- Preliminary numerical results of NC. Left: $\nu(\bar{\nu})p$ -NC ; Right: $\nu(\bar{\nu})n$ -NC

- The figures above show the preliminary numerical results in the NC, the values of those parameters are in need of further improvement
- The shaded gray indicates the ChPT valid region
- The $d\sigma/dQ^2$ for $\bar{\nu}p$ scattering agree well with the MiniBooNE
- The $d\sigma/dQ^2$ for νp scattering is far different from the MiniBooNE
- Our preliminary results still don't agree with the MiniBooNE data in $Q^2 \lesssim 0.15 \text{ GeV}^2$

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The Relationship between NC and CC

- The Lagrangian of electromagnetic and weak interaction in SM

$$\mathcal{L}_{EW} = -e\mathcal{J}_{EM}^\mu A_\mu - \frac{g}{2\cos\theta_W}\mathcal{J}_{NC}^\mu Z_\mu - \frac{g}{2\sqrt{2}}\mathcal{J}_{CC}^\mu W_\mu^\dagger + h.c.$$

where $\mathcal{J}_{EM}^\mu$, $\mathcal{J}_{NC}^\mu$ and $\mathcal{J}_{CC}^\mu$ are the electromagnetic (EM) current, weak neutral current (NC) and charged current (CC), respectively.

- In the quark sector (only consider u and d) :

$$\mathcal{J}_{EM}^\mu = \frac{1}{3}V_0^\mu + V_3^\mu$$

$$\mathcal{J}_{NC}^\mu = (1 - 2\sin^2\theta_W)V_3^\mu - A_3^\mu - \frac{2}{3}\sin^2\theta_W V_0^\mu$$

$$\mathcal{J}_{CC}^\mu = \cos\theta_C \left[(V_1^\mu - A_1^\mu) + i(V_2^\mu - A_2^\mu) \right]$$

and $\mathcal{J}_{CC}^\mu W_\mu^\dagger + h.c. = \sum_{a=1}^2 \mathcal{J}_{CC,a}^\mu W_\mu^a$
where

$$\mathcal{J}_{CC,a}^\mu = \sqrt{2}\cos\theta_C(V_a^\mu - A_a^\mu)$$

- The vector and axial-vector currents

$$V_a^\mu \equiv \bar{q}\gamma^\mu \frac{\tau_a}{2} q, \quad a = 0, 1, 2, 3$$

$$A_a^\mu \equiv \bar{q}\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \frac{\tau_a}{2} q, \quad a = 1, 2, 3$$

where $q = (q_u, q_d)^T$

The Relationship between NC and CC

- Isospin decomposition:

$$H_\mu = \langle N'(p') | \mathcal{J}_\mu | N(p) \rangle = \chi_f^\dagger \left[\frac{\tau^a}{2} \mathcal{H}_\mu^v + \frac{\tau^0}{2} \mathcal{H}_\mu^s \right] \chi_i, \quad a = 1, 2, 3$$

- NC(a=3): $\mathcal{H}_\mu^v = (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{V}_\mu^v - \mathcal{A}_\mu^v$, $\mathcal{H}_\mu^s = -2 \sin^2 \theta_W \mathcal{V}_\mu^s$
- CC(a=1,2): $\mathcal{H}_\mu^v = \cos \theta_C (\mathcal{V}_\mu^v - \mathcal{A}_\mu^v)$, $\mathcal{H}_\mu^s = 0$

$$V_\mu^a = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma^\mu \mathcal{F}_1^v + \frac{i}{2m} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu \mathcal{F}_2^v \right] \frac{\tau^a}{2} u(p) = \mathcal{V}_\mu^v \frac{\tau^a}{2}, \quad a = 1, 2, 3$$

$$A_\mu^a = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 \mathcal{G}_A^v + \frac{q^\mu}{m} \gamma_5 \mathcal{G}_P^v \right] \frac{\tau^a}{2} u(p) = \mathcal{A}_\mu^v \frac{\tau^a}{2}, \quad a = 1, 2, 3$$

$$V_\mu^0 = \bar{u}(p') \left[\gamma^\mu \mathcal{F}_1^s + \frac{i}{2m} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu \mathcal{F}_2^s \right] \frac{\tau^0}{2} u(p) = \mathcal{V}_\mu^s \frac{\tau^0}{2}$$

$$\mathcal{J}_\mu^{NC} = (1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{V}_\mu^3 - \mathcal{A}_\mu^3 - 2 \sin^2 \theta_W \mathcal{V}_\mu^0$$

$$\mathcal{J}_\mu^{CC} = \cos \theta_C \left[(\mathcal{V}_\mu^1 - \mathcal{A}_\mu^1) + i(\mathcal{V}_\mu^2 - \mathcal{A}_\mu^2) \right]$$

There are 6 unknown form factors ($\mathcal{F}_{1,2}^v$, $\mathcal{F}_{1,2}^s$, $\mathcal{G}_{A,P}$)

- The relationship between NC and CC:
NC and CC have the FFs ($\mathcal{F}_i^v, \mathcal{G}_i^v$) in common!

The Relationship between NC and CC

- Definition of FFs

$$H^\mu = \langle N(p') | \mathcal{J}^\mu | N(p) \rangle = \bar{u}(p') \Gamma^\mu u(p)$$

$$\Gamma^\mu = \gamma^\mu F_1 + \frac{i}{2m_N} \sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu F_2 - \gamma^\mu \gamma_5 G_A - \frac{q^\mu}{m_N} \gamma_5 G_P$$

- Physical amplitudes in NC:

$$H^\mu(\nu N \rightarrow \nu N') = \chi_{N'}^\dagger H_{NC}^\mu \chi_N$$

$$F_i(\nu N \rightarrow \nu N') = \chi_{N'}^\dagger \left[(1 - 2 \sin^2 \theta_W) \mathcal{F}_i^Y \frac{\tau_3}{2} - 2 \sin^2 \theta_W \mathcal{F}_i^S \frac{\tau_0}{2} \right] \chi_N, \quad i = 1, 2$$

$$G_i(\nu N \rightarrow \nu N') = \chi_{N'}^\dagger \left[\mathcal{G}_i^Y \frac{\tau_3}{2} \right] \chi_N, \quad i = A, P$$

- Physical amplitudes in CC:

$$H^\mu(\nu_\ell n \rightarrow \ell^- p) = \chi_p^\dagger H_{CC}^\mu \chi_n$$

$$F_i(\nu_\ell n \rightarrow \ell^- p) = \chi_p^\dagger \left[\cos \theta_C \cdot \mathcal{F}_i^Y \frac{\tau_i}{2} \right] \chi_n, \quad i = 1, 2$$

$$G_i(\nu_\ell n \rightarrow \ell^- p) = \chi_p^\dagger \left[\cos \theta_C \cdot \mathcal{G}_i^Y \frac{\tau_i}{2} \right] \chi_n, \quad i = A, P$$

The Differential Cross Section of CC

- The differential cross section(CC)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2} = \frac{G_F^2 M^2 |V_{ud}|^2}{8\pi E_\nu^2} \left[A \pm \frac{(s-u)}{M^2} B + \frac{(s-u)^2}{M^4} C \right]$$

with

$$A \equiv \frac{(m^2 + Q^2)}{M^2} \left\{ (1 + \eta) G_A^2 + 4\eta F_1 F_2 - (1 + \eta) (F_1^2 - \eta F_2^2) - \frac{m^2}{4M^2} \left[(F_1 + F_2)^2 + (G_A + 2G_P)^2 - \left(\frac{Q^2}{M^2} + 4 \right) G_P^2 \right] \right\}$$

$$B \equiv \frac{Q^2}{M^2} G_A (F_1 + F_2)$$

$$C \equiv \frac{1}{4} [G_A^2 + F_1^2 + \eta F_2^2]$$

where $(s-u) = 4ME_\nu - Q^2 - m^2$, $\eta = Q^2/4M^2$, M and m are the nucleon and the lepton mass, respectively.

Preliminary Numerical Results of CC

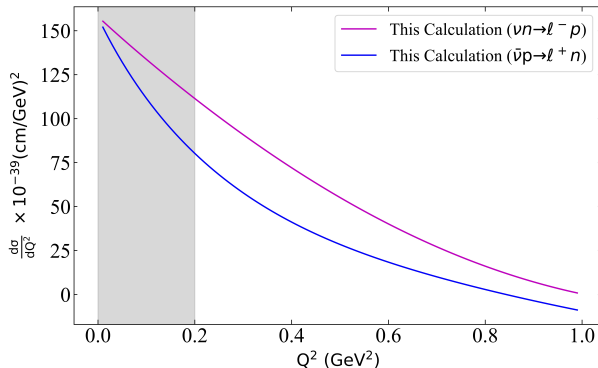


Figure 4: Preliminary numerical results of CC

- The shaded gray indicates the ChPT valid region
- Detailed results of CC are ongoing!

Interactions with Δ

- Considered the Δ -resonance: $\Delta(1232)$, a state of spin- $\frac{3}{2}$
The chiral effective Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{i=1}^2 \mathcal{L}_{\pi\pi}^{(2i)} + \sum_{j=1}^3 \mathcal{L}_{\pi N}^{(j)} + \sum_{k=1}^2 [\mathcal{L}_{\pi\Delta}^{(k)} + \mathcal{L}_{\pi N\Delta}^{(k)}]$$

- The effective Lagrangian for pion- Δ and pion-nucleon- Δ interactions

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi\Delta}^{(1)} = \bar{\Psi}^{i,\mu} \xi_{ij}^{\frac{3}{2}} (i\gamma_{\mu\nu\alpha} D^{\alpha,jk} - m_{\Delta} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \delta^{jk}) \xi_{kl}^{\frac{3}{2}} \Psi^{l,\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi\Delta}^{(2)} = \bar{\Psi}^{i,\mu} \xi_{ij}^{\frac{3}{2}} (a_1 \text{Tr}[\chi_+] \delta^{jk} g_{\mu\nu}) \xi_{kl}^{\frac{3}{2}} \Psi^{l,\nu}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi N\Delta}^{(1)} = h_A \bar{\Psi}^{i,\alpha} \xi_{ij}^{\frac{3}{2}} \omega_{\alpha}^j \Psi_N + H.c.$$

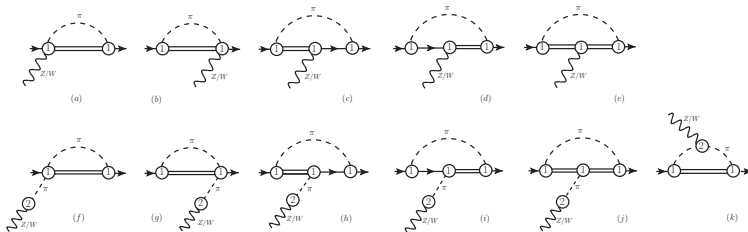
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\pi N\Delta}^{(2)} = & \bar{\Psi}^{i,\alpha} \xi_{ij}^{\frac{3}{2}} \left\{ -i \frac{b_1}{2} F_{\alpha\beta}^{+,j} \gamma_5 \gamma^{\beta} + i b_2 F_{\alpha\beta}^{-,j} \gamma^{\beta} + i b_3 \omega_{\alpha\beta}^j \gamma^{\beta} \right. \\ & \left. + i \frac{b_7}{m} F_{\alpha\beta}^{-,j} i D^{\beta} + i \frac{b_8}{m} \omega_{\alpha\beta}^j i D^{\beta} \right\} \Psi_N + H.c. \end{aligned}$$

- The covariant derivative: $\mathcal{D}_{\mu,ij} = (\partial_{\mu} + \Gamma_{\mu})\delta_{ij} - i\epsilon_{ijk} \text{Tr}[\tau^k \Gamma_{\mu}]$

Interactions with Δ

- The projection operator: $\xi_{ij}^{\frac{3}{2}} = \delta_{ij} - \frac{1}{3}\tau_i\tau_j$
- The Dirac matrices: $\gamma_{\mu\nu\alpha} = \frac{1}{4}\{[\gamma_\mu, \gamma_\nu], \gamma_\alpha\}$, $\gamma_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2}[\gamma_\mu, \gamma_\nu]$
- The chiral blocks:

$$F_{\mu\nu}^{\pm,i} = \frac{1}{2} Tr[\tau^i F_{\mu\nu}^{\pm}] , \quad \omega_\mu^i = \frac{1}{2} Tr[\tau^i u_\mu] , \quad \omega_{\mu\nu}^i = \frac{1}{2} Tr[\tau^i [D_\mu, u_\nu]]$$



- **The calculation** of the Feynman diagrams with Δ -resonance is **on-going**.

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Summary and Outlook

Summary

- In ChPT, we calculated the scattering amplitudes up to $\mathcal{O}(p^3)$ in NC (tree diagrams and loop diagrams) and extracted 4 form factors
- Obtained the relationship: NC and CC have the FFs ($\mathcal{F}_i^v, \mathcal{G}_i^v$) in common
- We have obtained the preliminary numerical results of the NC and CC

Next step

- We will continue to try to explain the complicated varying behavior of the MiniBooNE in the low energy region. If it's still unexplained, then Pauli blocking and nuclear shadowing effect have a great influence.
- Because our partial preliminary numerical results of NC are not consistent with MiniBooNE data, we will consider the Δ -resonance and the contribution of strange quark in later work.

Thank you very much for your patience!

The 6 physical processes of $\nu\bar{\nu}N$ scattering

- 4 physical processes in NC:

$$\nu(k) + p(p) \rightarrow \nu(k') + p(p')$$

$$\nu(k) + n(p) \rightarrow \nu(k') + n(p')$$

$$\bar{\nu}(k) + p(p) \rightarrow \bar{\nu}(k') + p(p')$$

$$\bar{\nu}(k) + n(p) \rightarrow \bar{\nu}(k') + n(p')$$

- 2 physical processes in CC:

$$\nu_{\ell}(k) + n(p) \rightarrow \ell^{-}(k') + p(p')$$

$$\bar{\nu}_{\ell}(k) + p(p) \rightarrow \ell^{+}(k') + n(p')$$

The Study of G_A , G_E and G_M

Electromagnetic form-factors of the nucleon in relativistic baryon chiral perturbation theory

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Extraction of nucleon axial charge and radius from lattice QCD results using baryon chiral perturbation theory

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The G_E and G_M are calculated at order q^4 in a manifestly Lorentz-invariant formulation of baryon chiral perturbation theory [Fuchs et al, J. Phys. G 30 (2004) , 1407-1426] .

The nucleon axial form factor is calculated up to the leading one-loop order in a covariant chiral effective field theory with the $\Delta(1232)$ resonance as an explicit degree of freedom. [D.L. Yao et al, Phys. Rev. D 96 (2017) 11, 116022] .

The MiniBooNE results

- The NCE scattering sample consists of three different processes: scattering off free protons in hydrogen(H), bound protons in carbon, and bound neutrons in carbon(C).
- The result is the flux-averaged NCE differential cross-section on(CH_2), averaged over these processes. The MiniBooNE $\nu(\bar{\nu})N \rightarrow \nu(\bar{\nu})N$ cross-section is expressed as: [\[R. S. Sufian et al, JHEP 01 \(2020\), 136\]](#) .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_{\nu(\bar{\nu})N \rightarrow \nu(\bar{\nu})N}}{dQ^2} = & \frac{1}{7} \eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,H} \frac{d\sigma_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,H \rightarrow \nu(\bar{\nu})p,H}}{dQ^2} \\ & + \frac{3}{7} \eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,C} \frac{d\sigma_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,C \rightarrow \nu(\bar{\nu})p,C}}{dQ^2} \\ & + \frac{3}{7} \eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})n,C} \frac{d\sigma_{\nu(\bar{\nu})n,C \rightarrow \nu(\bar{\nu})n,C}}{dQ^2} \end{aligned}$$

where The efficiency corrections $\eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,H}$, $\eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})p,C}$ and $\eta_{\nu(\bar{\nu})n,C}$ for each type of NCE scattering process, are estimated from Monte Carlo simulation as a function of Q^2 .

- The NCE flux-averaged differential cross-section is shown in Figure. 5

The MiniBooNE results

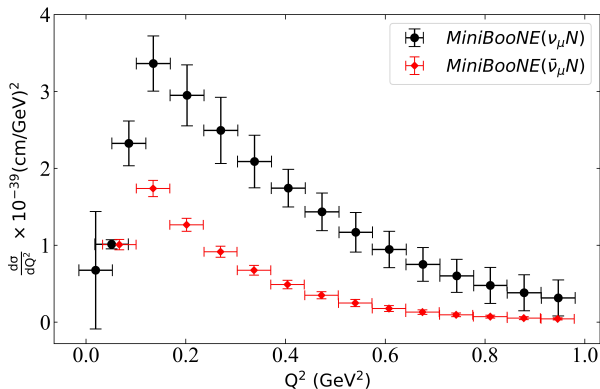


Figure 5: The NCE flux-averaged differential cross-section

reaction	replace $\mathcal{F}_i$ in Eq. (4.7) with
$\ell^- p \rightarrow \ell^- p$	F_i^p
$\ell^- n \rightarrow \ell^- n$	F_i^n
$\nu n \rightarrow \ell^- p$	$F_i^V = F_i^p - F_i^n$
$\nu p \rightarrow \nu p$	$\tilde{F}_i^p = (\frac{1}{2} - 2\sin^2\theta_W)F_i^p - \frac{1}{2}F_i^n - \frac{1}{2}F_i^s$
$\nu n \rightarrow \nu n$	$\tilde{F}_i^n = (\frac{1}{2} - 2\sin^2\theta_W)F_i^n - \frac{1}{2}F_i^p - \frac{1}{2}F_i^s$

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- The relation of **vector form factors** for EM, NC and CC

reaction	replace $\mathcal{F}_A$ in Eq. (4.8) with	replace $\mathcal{F}_P$ in Eq. (4.8) with
$\ell^- p \rightarrow \ell^- p$	-	-
$\ell^- n \rightarrow \ell^- p$	-	-
$\nu n \rightarrow \ell^- p$	F_A	$\frac{2M_N^2}{Q^2 + m_\pi^2} F_A$
$\nu p \rightarrow \nu p$	$\tilde{F}_A^p = \frac{1}{2}F_A + \frac{1}{2}F_A^s$	-
$\nu n \rightarrow \nu n$	$\tilde{F}_A^n = -\frac{1}{2}F_A + \frac{1}{2}F_A^s$	-

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- The relation of **axial vector form factors** for EM, NC and CC