# Hypernuclear Physics as a Probe for In-Medium Flavour Dynamics

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# The Topics:

- From Cosmic to Hadronic Scales
- QCD, Hadrons, and Nuclei
- Hadronic Effective Field Theory
- Nuclear Density Functional Theory
- Hypernuclear Matter, Hypernuclei, Neutron Stars
- Summary and Outlook

# ...and weaving the science net!



# Constituents of the Universe ( $\Omega = \rho/\rho_c$ ):

Baryonic (luminous) Matter:

Ω<sub>B</sub>~0.05



Dark Matter:

Dark Energy:







# The big Riddle of Cosmology:



### Cosmology, Astrophysics und Atomic Nuclei



#### **Galactic Scales:**

100,000 Lightyears (ly) 1ly ~  $10^{18}$  cm =  $10^{16}$  m =  $10^{13}$  km Nuclear Scales:  $1fm = 10^{-15} m = 10^{-13} cm \sim 10^{-31} ly$ 

# Theory of Strong Interactions: QCD

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{\text{QCD}} &= \bar{q} \left( i \gamma^{\mu} D_{\mu} - m \right) q - \frac{1}{4} F^a_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}_a \\ &= \bar{q} (i \gamma^{\mu} \partial_{\mu} - m) q + g \bar{q} \gamma^{\mu} T_a q A^a_{\mu} - \frac{1}{4} F^a_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}_a \end{aligned}$$



...and from asymptotic freedom... to confinement... to the nuclear shell model



Nucleus ~ cold, degenerate
 Fermi-Gas of Quasiparticles
 U=U<sub>0</sub>+U<sub>so</sub>ℓ·σ











# Recent Progress in Lattice QCD - *ab initio* Description of the Baryonic Mass Spectrum:



#### What about mass...?

#### The Higgs-Field: A massive (complex) scalar field



# QCD and Many-Body Physics



Reduction to the relevant degrees of freedom: QCD → effective hadronic scales but retaining fundamental symmetries!



# <u>3N INTERACTION to N<sup>2</sup>LO: PREDICTIONS</u>

 $\Rightarrow$  <u>Parameter-free</u> predictions for nd and pd scattering & break-up









# reviews of Modern Physics

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#### Synthesis of the Elements in Stars\*

E. MARGARET BURBIDGE, G. R. BURBIDGE, WILLIAM A. FOWLER, AND F. HOYLE

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> "It is the stars, The stars above us, govern our conditions"; (King Lear, Act IV, Scene 3)

> > but perhaps

"The fault, dear Brutus, is not in our stars, But in ourselves," (Julius Caesar, Act I, Scene 2)

"B<sup>2</sup>FH" Theory

#### Theorems on the Dynamics of Interacting Quantum Many-Body Systems:

Kohn-Sham(~1960) : QM many-body systems  $\cong$  DFT of E[ $\rho$ ]Kohn-Hohenberg (~1963) : DFT  $\rightarrow$  E[ $\rho, \tau$ ]

# $E[\rho,\tau]/\rho = \tau + \frac{1}{2}E_{int}/\rho \sim \tau + \frac{1}{2}\rho(3a_{SE} + a_{TE})/4 + \dots$

$$\rho = \left\langle \Psi^{+}\Psi \right\rangle \sim \frac{1}{3}k_{\rm F}^{3} ; \ \tau = \left\langle \frac{\hbar^{2}}{2m} \left| \nabla \Psi \right|^{2} \right\rangle \frac{1}{\rho} \sim \frac{3}{5}k_{\rm F}^{2}$$

# Lagrangian Hadronic Density Functional Theory

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_N + \mathcal{L}_m + \mathcal{L}_{int}$$

 $\mathcal{L}_{int}$ 

$$= \bar{\psi}g_{\sigma}\Phi_{\sigma}\psi + \bar{\psi}g_{\delta}\boldsymbol{\tau}\Phi_{\delta}\psi \\ + \bar{\psi}g_{\pi}\gamma^{5}\boldsymbol{\tau}\Phi_{\pi}\psi + \bar{\psi}g_{\eta}\gamma^{5}\Phi_{\eta}\psi \\ - \bar{\psi}g_{\omega}\gamma_{\mu}A^{\mu}_{\omega}\psi - \bar{\psi}g_{\rho}\gamma_{\mu}\boldsymbol{\tau}A^{\mu}_{\rho}\psi - e\bar{\psi}\hat{Q}\gamma_{\mu}A^{\mu}_{\gamma}\psi$$

 $\psi g_{\omega} \gamma_{\mu} A^{\mu}_{\omega} \psi - \psi g_{\rho} \gamma_{\mu} \tau A^{\mu}_{\rho} \psi - e \psi Q \gamma_{\mu} A^{\mu}_{\gamma}$ 

#### Giessen DDRH Theory: Covariant Octet Flavour Density Functional Theory



- SU(3) DFT at the Fermi Momentum Scale
- BB Interactions in Free Space by Meson Exchange
- ab initio Approach to In-Medium Interactions
- · Self-consistence, Thermodynamical Consistence

#### Non-Perturbative Approach to BB Interactions...

$$\mathbf{K} = \mathbf{V} + \int \mathbf{V} \mathbf{g}_{\mathrm{NN}} \mathbf{Q}_{\mathrm{F}} \mathbf{K}$$







#### Ladder Kernel

- Map the ab-initio calculations on an effective Lagrangian
- Medium dependent renormalization

 $V_{OBE} = \sum_{\alpha} \overline{g_{\alpha}^2 D_{\alpha}(t)} \langle \overline{u}_1 \hat{O}_{\alpha} \overline{u}_3 \rangle \langle \overline{u}_2 \hat{O}_{\alpha} \overline{u}_4 \rangle$ 

#### Building blocks for a covariant nuclear DFT...





#### Nuclear Matter DBHF Vertices





**Isoscalar Vertices** 

**Isovector** Vertices

### The Nuclear Equation of State





*ab initio* covariant Nuclear Many-Body Theory: Energy Density Functional (EDF) - Diagrammatic Order Scheme

$$E(\rho) \approx E(\rho_0) + \sum_{q=p,n} \frac{\partial E(\rho)}{\partial \rho_q} \delta \rho_q + \sum_{q,q'=p,n} \frac{\partial^2 E(\rho)}{\partial \rho_q \partial \rho_{q'}} \delta \rho_q \delta \rho_{q'} + \dots$$

$$E(\rho) \approx E(\rho_0) + \sum_{q=p,n} U_q(\rho_0) \delta \rho_q + \sum_{q,q'=p,n} F_{qq'}(\rho_0) \delta \rho_q \delta \rho_{q'} + \dots$$

### Microscopic relativistic Fermi-Liquid Theory

#### Strangeness and Hypernuclear Physics: From SU(2) Isospin to SU(3) Flavour Dynamics



# World Map of Hypernuclear Physics



### N \* (1650), N\*(1710), N\*(1720) baryonic resonances.

#### A (π<sup>+</sup>,K<sup>+</sup>)<sub>Λ</sub>B<sup>\*</sup>







#### **Target emission**

**Α (p,K⁺)**<sub>Λ</sub>Β

#### **Projectile emission**





# Dynamics of strangeness production

#### $\gamma p \rightarrow K\Lambda$ Results from the Giessen CC Model



separate fits to
 SAPHIR and
 CLAS data

• constraints from other hadronic and  $\gamma$  channels

$$\pi N \rightarrow K\Lambda + + + \pi N \rightarrow \pi N$$

$$(N \rightarrow \gamma N \quad \pi N \rightarrow \pi N)$$

$$(N \rightarrow \pi N \quad \pi N \rightarrow 2\pi N)$$

$$(N \rightarrow \eta N \quad \pi N \rightarrow \eta N)$$

$$(N \rightarrow \omega N \quad \pi N \rightarrow \omega N)$$

$$(N \rightarrow K\Sigma \quad \pi N \rightarrow K\Sigma)$$

nucl-th/0505010/PRC 72:015210 (2005)



Excitation of states with different J



Phys.Rev.C77:052201,2008

#### **Proton-induced Strangeness Production**



 $\pi$  exchange dominates,  $\rho$  and  $\omega$  exchange more important at back angles due to large momentum transfers.

R. Shyam, H. L. and U. Mosel, Phys. Rev.C 69 (2004) 065205

#### Exploratory Case Study: Production of Hypernuclei in Heavy Ion Collisions The HypHI Project@GSI & FAIR (T. Saito)



GiBUU+Coalescence+SMM, PLB 2009; <u>arXiv:0811.3506;</u> Phys.Lett.B663:197-201,2008



# YA mean-field V(gym)=V0+Vls +clynamical correlations?

Direct Observation?  $\rightarrow$  Hyperon "Beams" at J-PARC!

#### DDRH-Scaling of In-Medium Hyperon Interactions

Naïve Quark Model Scaling:  $g_{m\Lambda} = 2/3 g_{mN}$ 

but...

$$K_{\Lambda N} = \frac{1}{1 - \mathbf{z} V_{NN} G Q_F} \mathbf{z} V_{NN} = \mathbf{R} K_{NN}$$

### Hyperon-Nucleon Vertices at the Mean-Field Level:

$$\Sigma_{mY} = g_{mY} \Phi_m(\rho_B) \Leftrightarrow \Sigma_{mN} = g_{mN} \Phi_m(\rho_B)$$

$$R_{m} = \frac{g_{mY}}{g_{mN}} = \frac{\Sigma_{mY}}{\Sigma_{mN}}$$
$$R_{m} = \frac{g_{mY}}{g_{mN}} \left[ 1 + O\left(\left(\frac{k_{F}^{Y}}{k_{F}^{N}}\right)^{2}\right) + O\left(1 - \frac{M_{N}}{M_{Y}}\right) \right]$$

#### DDRH Flavour Dynamics: $\Lambda$ Single Particle Energies



Density Dependent NN and N $\Lambda$  Dirac-Brueckner Vertices

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### DDRH Spectrum for <sup>89</sup>Y:

E<sub>B</sub> MeV

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•  $^{89}Y = \Lambda + ^{88}Y(4-, g.s.)$ 



# Fall in Beauty - the End of a Star (M>8M<sub>s</sub>): The Crab Nebula Neutron Star



### Expected Structure of a Neutron Star



### Charge-Neutral Neutron Star Matter in $\beta$ -Equilibrium

$$n \leftrightarrow p + e^{-} + \overline{\nu}_{e^{-}}; \quad N + N \leftrightarrow N + Y + \overline{K}; \Delta \leftrightarrow N + \pi$$
$$\lambda_{n} = \lambda_{p} + \lambda_{e^{-}} + \lambda_{\overline{\nu}}; \quad \overline{K} \to 2\gamma, \mu + \nu$$

Appearance of Strangeness:  $\rho \sim 2\rho_0$ : hyperon threshold ( $\Sigma^-$ ),  $\rho > 5\rho_0$ : hypermatter dominates



# **Baryon Resonances in Neutron Stars?**



#### Hyperon Interactions and Neutron Stars

![](_page_45_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### DDRH Neutron Star Mass-Radius Relation (TOV Eq.):

![](_page_46_Figure_1.jpeg)

Data: XMM-Newton X-ray space observatory Gravitational Red-Shift z =0.35 ~ (-G/c<sup>2</sup>)M/R (Fe-Lines from a series of 28 X-ray bursts from EX007481676)

# $\Lambda\Sigma^0$ Mixing in Asymmetric Nuclear Matter

$$M_{\Lambda\Sigma} \equiv \langle N, Z | V_{\rho}^{0} \tau_{3} | N, Z \rangle \cong \frac{g_{\Lambda\Sigma}^{\rho}}{g_{NN}^{\rho}} \left( \frac{g_{NN}^{\rho}}{m_{\rho}} \right)^{2} \left( \rho_{n} - \rho_{p} \right)$$

•  $\Lambda \Sigma^{\circ}$  CC Problem  $\rightarrow$  Mass Eigenstates ( $\Delta m \sim 77 MeV$ ):

$$\begin{pmatrix} h_{\Lambda} - E & M_{\Lambda\Sigma} \\ M_{\Lambda\Sigma}^{\dagger} & h_{\Sigma} + \Delta m - E \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \Psi_{\Lambda} \\ \Psi_{\Sigma} \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

#### • Flavor Eigenstates $\Phi \rightarrow$ Mass Eigenstates $\Psi$ :

$$\begin{pmatrix} \Psi_{\Lambda} \\ \Psi_{\Sigma} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & \sin \phi \\ -\sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \Phi_{\Lambda} \\ \Phi_{\Sigma} \end{pmatrix} ; \quad \tan 2\phi = \frac{2M_{\Lambda\Sigma}}{h_{\Lambda} - h_{\Sigma} - \Delta m}$$

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#### Summary, Conclusions and Outlook

- Hadrons on Cosmic Scales
- QCD in Nuclei: EFT at the Fermi-Momentum Scale
- Relativistic Field Theory for Nuclei and Hypernuclei
- · Productions of Hypernuclei
- Investigations of Nuclei, Hypernuclei and Neutron Stars
- $\Lambda \Sigma^0$  Flavor Mixing in Asymmetric Matter
- Open Problem: YY Interactions
- Dynamical Correlations and Hyperon Spectral Functions

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Production of Double-∧ Hypernuclei by ∑<sup>-</sup> Capture and subsequent Decay in a 2-step Process

![](_page_51_Figure_2.jpeg)

## The O<sup>+</sup> Scalar Meson Nonet

![](_page_52_Figure_1.jpeg)

#### PDG:

- σ/f0(600); Γ ~ 600-1000MeV: → ππ
- δ/a₀(980); Γ~50…100MeV: → ηπ,K<del>K</del>
- f<sub>0</sub>(975); Γ~40…100MeV: → ππ,KK

#### Strange Mesons and $\Lambda\Lambda$ Binding

![](_page_53_Figure_1.jpeg)

 $-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3}g_{NN\omega}(\rho=\rho_0)=5.3$ 

0.9833

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2.9751