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FOR MESONS

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PREFACE

In this thesis, the non-relativistic quark model has been applied to mesons. A mass formula is developed and fitted into the experimentally confirmed mesons. The mass formula is found to be accurate in predicting the masses with errors of the orders of a few per cent. A complete table of mesons has been prepared with the help of this mass formula.

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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

A. Historical Background

The type of model for the strongly interacting "elementary particles" or hadrons to be discussed has a long history, beginning with the model discussed by Fermi and Yang (1) in which the pion is considered as a bound state of the nucleon-antinucleon system. These bound state models have never been considered fully respectable, perhaps not even today. Indeed, it is not really possible to meet all the objections to such models. It was realized by Fermi and Yang that, given the nucleons, it was unnecessary to consider π meson to be an independent particle, since a state having all the quantum numbers of the pion could be built up from nucleons and antinucleons. For a theory of the observed "elementary particles" in terms of a more primary object, it is clear that this should be chosen to be a fermion, the simplest possibility being that of spin $\frac{1}{2}$ for reasons of economy. Bosons can then be constructed from bound states of the particle and its antiparticle; some primary fermion object is necessary in order to allow the construction of states corresponding to the observed fermionic hadrons. At least two primary objects are needed, with differing charge values, in order to allow the possibility of constructing states of different charge values Q , for given baryon no. B . If the interactions between the primary

objects are assumed charge-independent, then all the states formed from these objects can be classified into I-spin multiplets.

After the discovery of mesons and baryons with non-zero strangeness, it was pointed out by Sakata (2) that the model of Fermi and Yang could readily be extended to take into account the additional additive quantum no. of strangeness S (or of hypercharge Y defined by $Y = S + B$), simply by adding the Λ hyperon to the set of primary objects, giving rise to the primary triplet of Sakatans, (p, n, Λ)

Now, the charge independence long known for non-strange hadrons corresponds to the hypothesis that their interaction energy is invariant with respect to any unitary transformation between the states of the nucleon doublet (P, N) i.e. that the interactions are invariant with respect to the $SU(2)$ group of isospin, whose properties are exactly parallel to those for the $SU(2)$ group well known in connection with the Pauli spin theory. We shall represent these basis isospin states by the column matrix ξ , with $\xi_1 = p$ and $\xi_2 = n$, which have the same isospin transformations as P and N but need not be identical to them. Like P and N , they form a two-dimensional covariant isospinor

$$\xi = \begin{pmatrix} \xi_1 \\ \xi_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

which, under the transformations U of the $SU(2)$ group, transforms as

$$\xi \rightarrow \xi' = U\xi \quad (2)$$

in which U is a 2×2 unitary matrix satisfying $\det U = 1$. Any isospin rotation can be completely characterized by its effect on ξ as described by (2). The doublet (ξ_1, ξ_2) with isospin $I = \frac{1}{2}$ forms the basis for the fundamental representation of the isospin group $SU(2)$

We also now define contravariant spinors

$$\eta = (\eta^1, \eta^2) \quad (3)$$

which under the U transformations, transform in such a way that $\eta^a \xi_a$ is invariant; (summation of repeated indices is understood throughout).

η describes the transformation properties of the doublet of antiparticles \bar{p} and \bar{n} . Higher isospin multiplets can be constructed by forming direct products of the spinors ξ or η or both. If we consider a system composed of a particle and an antiparticle, we obtain four states that can be written

$$M^i_k = \eta^i \xi_k \quad (4)$$

Then tensor M^i_k has mixed properties under isospin transformations; i.e. it does not correspond to an irreducible representation of SU(2). However, by judiciously taking linear combinations of the above states we can construct two sets of orthonormal states such that, under the action of SU(2), the states within each set transform among each other and as such, form the basis of an irreducible representation, i.e. a multiplet. Evidently one of these sets consists of the invariant or isoscalar $\eta^i \xi_i$ the remaining states form a triplet. The two sets in question are

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\eta^1 \xi_1 + \eta^2 \xi_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\bar{p}p + \bar{n}n), \text{ singlet } I=0 \quad (5-a)$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \eta^1 \xi_2 &= \bar{p}n \\ \eta^2 \xi_1 &= \bar{p}\bar{n} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\eta^1 \xi_1 - \eta^2 \xi_2) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\bar{p}p - \bar{n}n) \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{triplet} \\ I=1 \end{array} \quad (5-b)$$

showing that the direct product of the two isospin doublets breaks down into an isospin singlet and an isospin triplet. We can write this symbolically as

$$2 \times \bar{2} = 1 + 3 \quad (6)$$

With n and p carrying zero strangeness we can represent the triplet of pions by the triplet (5-b). This fact can mean two things. Either the fundamental objects p, n, \bar{p}, \bar{n} , are mathematical objects; thus identification of the pion triplet with (5-b) means only that the pion has the same isospin transformation properties as the combinations given by Eq. (5-b), or the objects p, n, \bar{p}, \bar{n} , are physical particles, hence the pion must be regarded as the bound state of these particles.

Similarly the η meson can be represented in this model by the singlet. In this way we can construct all nonstrange hadrons from our building blocks p, n , and their antiparticles. The assumption of invariance of the mechanics of the system under isospin transformation ensures that these hadrons fall into isospin multiplets, each of which is characterized by the value of the isospin I . If the symmetry is perfect, each multiplet is degenerate in mass. Electromagnetic forces, which break isospin symmetry, cause small mass splittings within the multiplets. Once one member of a given multiplet is found, all the other members of the multiplet must also exist.

It is clear that with this procedure we will never be able to construct the strange particles. For that purpose we must have at least one more fundamental object with nonzero strangeness. This requirement leads to SU(3).

B. The Quark Model

The hypothesis that this unitary symmetry for the interactions should be extended to SU(3) symmetry for the three-dimensional space of the Sakaton $S = (p, n, \Lambda)$ was made by the Sakata school (3) by Yamaguchi (4) and Wess (5). Since the Λ state is observed to have mass about 176 MeV greater than that for the (n,p) states, this SU(3) symmetry cannot be satisfied to such accuracy as is observed for the SU(2) symmetry of isospin; there must exist interactions of nuclear strength which break this SU(3) symmetry. A particularly appealing model was the vecton model of Fujii, (6) discussed also by Kobzarev and Okun (7) and by Gell-Mann (8) in which the interaction arises from the coupling of a neutral vector field (the vector V_μ) with the baryon current

$$J_\mu^\beta = \left\{ \bar{p} \tau_\mu p + \bar{n} \tau_\mu n + \bar{\Lambda} \tau_\mu \Lambda \right\} \quad (7)$$

In this model, the vecton appears as a gauge field for baryon number and the invariance of the interaction $\lambda J_\mu^\beta V_\mu$ with respect to the SU(3) transformation appear as a consequence of baryon conservation.

In the SU(3) scheme, the states are labelled by the suffix α , thus u_α with $\alpha = 1, 2, 3$, the 3 - axis being associated with hypercharge. So, the only difference between SU(2) and SU(3) is that in SU(3) our basic state is a three-component spinor

$$\xi = \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \psi_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p \\ n \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} \quad (8)$$

Under the transformations of SU(3) this spinor transforms as

$$\xi \rightarrow \xi' = U\xi \quad (9a)$$

where U is a 3 x 3 unitary matrix with $\det U = 1$. The contravariant spinor describing the antiparticles are given by

$$\eta = (\eta^1 \eta^2 \eta^3) \equiv (\bar{p} \bar{n} \bar{\lambda}) \quad (9b)$$

It transforms such that $\eta\xi$ is invariant. The triplets (p, n, λ) and $(\bar{p}, \bar{n}, \bar{\lambda})$ form the bases for the two fundamental representation of SU(3). These are denoted by $\{3\}$ and $\{\bar{3}\}$ respectively. The particles p, n, λ are called quarks and the antiparticles $\bar{p}, \bar{n}, \bar{\lambda}$ antiquarks, the names used by Gell-Mann (9). The consequences of quark model has been vigorously investigated by Zweig (10). The p and n quarks form an isodoublet ($I = \frac{1}{2}$) of strangeness $S = 0$. ; The λ quark is an isoscalar ($I = 0$) to which we assign strangeness $S = -1$. An octet state can be formed from triplet quarks only from baryon no. $B = 3nb$ where n is an integer and b is the quark baryon no. Hence it is necessary to assume a fractional value for b and the simplest possibility is $b = 1/3$, so that the observed baryon states are then composite states consisting of three quarks. Hence the hypercharge Y , defined by

$$Y = S + B \quad (9c)$$

is $+1/3$ for p and n , and $-2/3$ for λ . The Gell-Mann-Nishijima relation

$$Q = I_z + \frac{1}{2} Y \quad (9d)$$

in which Q is the charge, then gives for the charges e_q of the quarks p, n, λ the fractional values $2/3 e, -1/3 e, -1/3e$, respectively. Here e is the charge of the proton. We have collected the quantum numbers

of the quarks in Table I:

TABLE I
QUANTUM NUMBERS OF THE QUARKS

	B	I	I_z	Y	S	e_q/e
p	1/3	1/2	1/2	1/3	0	2/3
n	1/3	1/2	-1/2	-1/2	0	-1/3
λ	1/3	0	0	-2/3	-1	-1/3

For the antiquarks the quantum numbers I_z , S, B, Y, and e_q are the opposites of those of the corresponding quarks. We can represent the basic triplets of SU(3) graphically as in Figure 1:

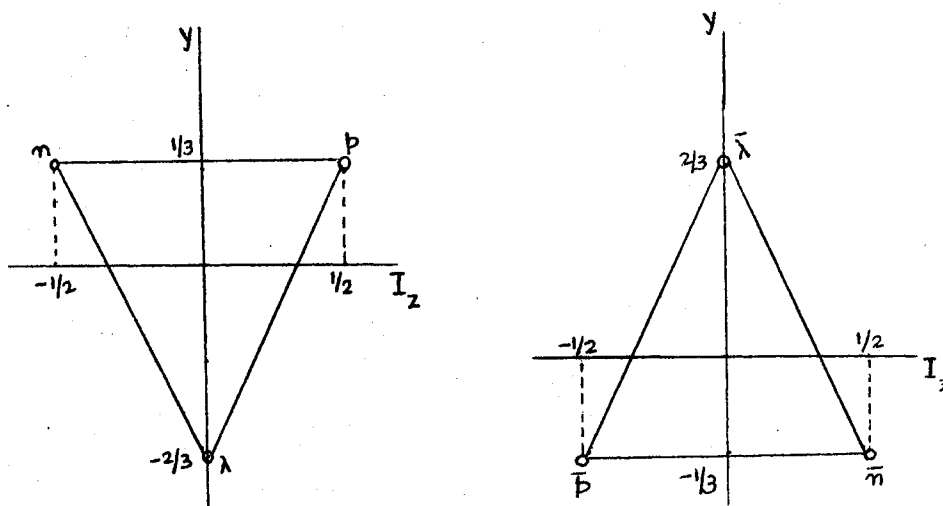


Figure 1. The Triplets of Quarks and Antiquarks

With these quantum nos. we conclude

- (1) the quarks cannot decay completely into the observed particle states, since this would violate baryon conservation and charge conservation, both conservation laws being known to hold to an exceedingly

high accuracy. (11)

(2) The quark states can decay weakly into each other, following the rules known for weak interaction process. For example if q_3 is the heaviest quark then the weak decay processes

$$q_3 \rightarrow q_{1,2} + \pi \quad (10a)$$

$$\rightarrow q_2 + \gamma \quad (10b)$$

$$\rightarrow q_1 + e^- + \bar{\nu} \quad (10c)$$

are possible, at rates which depend on the mass differences. According as q_2 is heavier (or lighter) than q_1 , then the beta decay processes

$$q_2 \rightarrow q_1 + e^- + \bar{\nu} \quad (11)$$

can occur, provided the mass difference is greater than m_e . In all cases, however the lightest quark state is necessarily stable; there are no decay processes consistent with the conservation laws.

Now, each hadron is supposed to be bound state of quarks or anti-quarks or both due to some strongly attractive force whose nature is unknown. SU(3) invariance means that the three quarks making up the triplet representation of SU(3) have the same mass and that the forces between them do not change under SU(3) transformation. This fact ensures the existence of SU(3) multiplets consisting of $n\bar{q}m\bar{q}$ states ($n, m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$). With perfect symmetry the states within each multiplet are degenerate in mass. If the symmetry is broken, the degeneracy is lifted. Hence from the quark picture we arrive in a natural way at the classification of mesons, baryons and their resonances into certain SU(3) multiplets. In the simplest scheme, in which mesons are $q\bar{q}$ states and baryons qqq states, only singlets, octets and

decuplets are allowed. Experimental verification of this ordering of hadrons into SU(3) multiplets has been one of the most striking discoveries in particle physics in recent years. The observed multiplets are only approximately degenerate, thus showing that SU(3) is only an approximate symmetry.

The major problem about the quark hypothesis is the fact that no quark particle has yet been observed in nature. It must certainly be possible to produce $q\bar{q}$ pairs in high-energy nuclear collisions, although it is not easy to give a reliable estimate of the production cross-section to be expected. It's necessary to conclude that they must be very massive particles, so that their production rate in cosmic rays would be correspondingly low and their accumulated intensity in terrestrial matter sufficiently low that they would be sufficiently difficult to detect.

A number of accelerator experiments have been carried out to search for quark production in 30 GeV proton-nucleus collisions. Blum (12) searched for particles of charge $e/3$ or $2e/3$ by examining particle tracks with subnormal bubble density in a hydrogen chamber exposed to a particle beam from the CERN accelerator. They concluded that if $M_q \leq 4 \text{ GeV}$ then the quark production cross-section is not greater than 10^{-32} cm^2 in nucleon - nucleon collisions at 27.5 GeV/c. Leipuner (13) made a counter search sensitive to particles of charge $e/3$ and concluded that, if $M \leq 2 \text{ GeV}$, the production cross-section is not greater than 10^{-32} cm^2 for 28 GeV protons. The most extensive accelerator search has been that recently reported by Lederman (14) which was sensitive to particles of charge $\geq 2e/3$ and which could be interpreted more quantitatively as a result of their prior investigations of the effective-

ness of the high momentum components of the nucleons within complex nuclei for the production of antiprotons. Estimating the quark pair production cross-section for the process

$$p + N \rightarrow p + N + q + \bar{q} \quad (12)$$

from the known cross-section for the corresponding proton - antiproton pair production process, with corrections for the phase space and with a factor $(M_p/M_q)^2$ to represent the charge in the intermediate propagator in this process, the observed upper limit cross section of $3 \times 10^{-36} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ sr}^{-1} (\text{GeV}/c)^{-1}$ corresponds to a lower limit of 4.5 GeV for the quark mass.

Cosmic ray experiments allow the possibility of exploring higher mass values. A recent experiment by Bowen (15) was sensitive to the low charge values $\pm e/3$. The interpretation of their observations depend both on the production cross section assumed and on the quark interaction cross-section; for example, if the production cross-section is assumed to be 10^{-30} cm^2 for all energies above the threshold and σ_{qN} to be 15 mb, then the observations are consistent only with $M_q \geq 3 \text{ GeV}$.

McCusker and Cairns (16) claimed to have observed fractionally charged quarks in cloud-chamber photographs of the cores of very energetic cosmic ray showers while Chu (17) claimed to have observed a fractionally charged quark in a bubble-chamber photograph of energetic cosmic ray tracks. However, both of these experiments have alternative explanation which do not require fractionally charged quarks so that many physicists are not ready to accept the experiments of Cairns and McCusker and Chu until additional experimental work is performed to

check these findings (18). Most physicists are now very sceptical about these claims.

More complicated triplet schemes have been put forward, with the purpose of allowing integral values of B and Q for the triplet states. We shall not discuss these more elaborate triplet models in detail, because there is a great deal of flexibility in their use and in their comparison with the properties of the observed particle states. The simple quark model of Gell-Mann and Zweig provides a very much less flexible framework for the interpretation of "elementary particle" properties and it is of particular interest to follow the development of this model until such time as it may prove inadequate to account for the observed phenomena.

CHAPTER II

QUARK MODEL FOR MESONS

A. Higher Multiplets in the Quark Model

We can obtain higher representations of SU(3) by forming direct products of the basic spinors ξ and η . Consider the states for a $q\bar{q}$ pair:

$$M_K^i = \eta^i \xi_K \quad (1)$$

There are nine of them that have mixed properties under SU(3) transformation. The combination

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \eta^i \xi_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} (\bar{p}p + \bar{n}n + \bar{\lambda}\lambda) \quad (2)$$

is invariant under any U transformation and as such, forms the basis for a one-dimensional representation. This is a unitary singlet. The remaining eight states transform among each other and span the bases for an eight-dimensional representation. We call it an octet and so,

$$\{3\} \times \{\bar{3}\} = \{1\} + \{8\} \quad (3)$$

The two central states of the octet those with $I_2 = 0$ are linear combinations of $p\bar{p}$, $n\bar{n}$, $\lambda\bar{\lambda}$. One of them forms an isotriplet with $\bar{p}n$ and $\bar{n}p$ and is

$$x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\bar{p}p - \bar{n}n) \quad (4)$$

The remaining state y is an isosinglet and is given by

$$y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (\bar{p}p + \bar{n}n - 2\bar{\lambda}\lambda) \quad (5)$$

TABLE II
 QUANTUM NOS. OF $q\bar{q}$ PAIR

	B	I	I_z	Y	S	e_q/e
$\bar{p}\bar{p}$	0	1,0	1	0	0	0
$\bar{p}\bar{n}$	0	1,0	1	0	0	1
$\bar{p}\bar{\lambda}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	1
$\bar{n}\bar{n}$	0	1,0	0	0	0	0
$\bar{n}\bar{p}$	0	1,0	-1	0	0	-1
$\bar{n}\bar{\lambda}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	1	1	0
$\lambda\bar{\lambda}$	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\lambda\bar{n}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	-1	-1	0
$\lambda\bar{p}$	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$-\frac{1}{2}$	-1	-1	-1/3

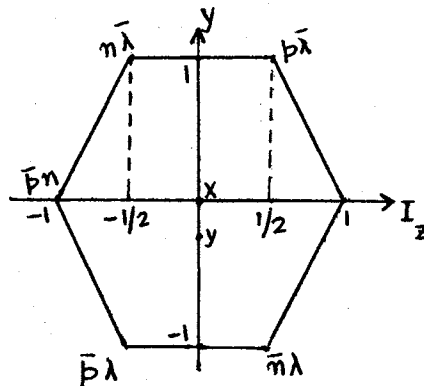


Figure 2. Octet of $q\bar{q}$ States

The basic states for two quark triplets are (19)

$$\xi_i \xi_k \quad (i, k = 1, 2, 3) \quad (6)$$

These nine states have mixed SU(3) transformation properties. We have

six symmetric states:

$$\left. \begin{array}{ccc} p\bar{p} & n\bar{n} & \lambda\bar{\lambda} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(p\bar{n} + n\bar{p}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(p\bar{\lambda} + \lambda\bar{p}) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(n\bar{\lambda} + \lambda\bar{n}) \end{array} \right\} \{6\} \quad (7)$$

and three anti symmetric states

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (p\bar{n} - n\bar{p}) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (p\bar{\lambda} - \lambda\bar{p}) \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (n\bar{\lambda} - \lambda\bar{n}) \end{array} \right\} \{\bar{3}\} \quad \therefore \{3\} \times \{\bar{3}\} = \{\bar{3}\} + \{6\} \quad (8)$$

B. Pseudoscalar and Vector Meson States

In this model, the meson states are considered to be bound states of a $q\bar{q}$ pair, due to some strongly attractive interaction between them. This interaction could arise from the exchange of vector mesons between them, for example; A particular attractive possibility is provided by the vector model of Fujii (20).

This model allows only states which belong to $\{1\}$ or $\{8\}$ representations. The formation of meson states belonging to the $\{27\}$ representation requires the consideration of more complicated excitations, such as the structure $\bar{q}\bar{q}qq$ and we interpret the absence of evidence for the existence of $\{27\}$ states to the higher excitation energies needed for these more complicated structures. For mesons, a particle and its antiparticle are always in the same SU(3) multiplet. Now since quark and antiquark have opposite intrinsic parity, the parity P of the $q\bar{q}$ state is given by

$$P = (-)^{L+1} \quad (9)$$

and charge conjugation quantum numbers C for the neutral states is

$$C = (-)^{L+S} \quad (10)$$

where S is the total intrinsic spin, which is 0 or 1 according to whether the quark spins are parallel or antiparallel. This implies that $J^{PC=0^{--}}$, (odd)⁺, (even)⁺⁻ are excluded in quark model. The lowest $q\bar{q}$ states are the $L = 0$ states. Depending on S , there are two sets of nine S states

having the following quantum nos.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad & S = 0, \quad P = -1, \quad C = +1 \\ \text{(b)} \quad & S = 1, \quad P = -1, \quad C = -1 \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

each of which falls into an SU(3) singlet and an SU(3) octet. Sets (a) and (b) may be identified with the two nonets of observed pseudoscalar and vector mesons respectively.

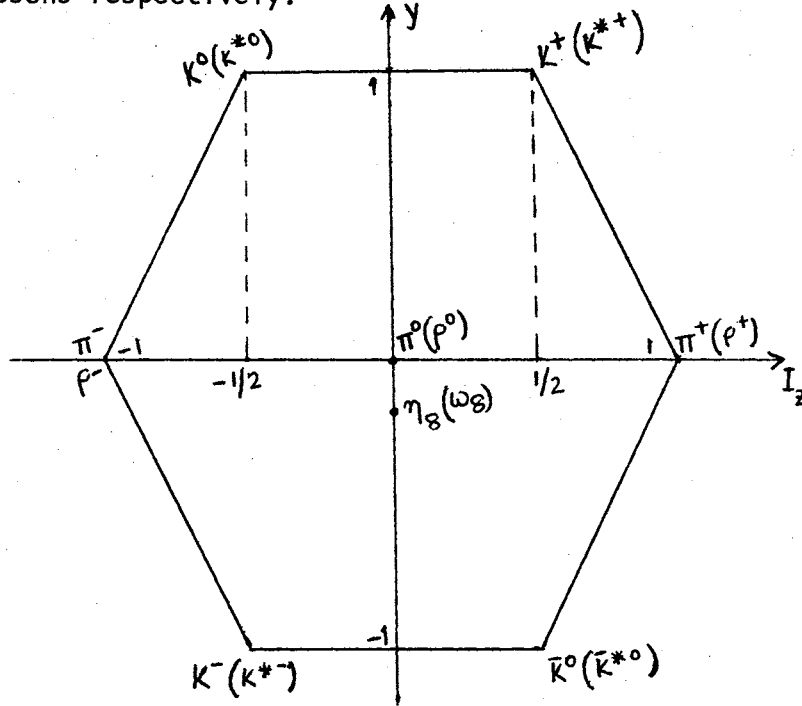


Figure 3. Octet of Pseudoscalar and Vector Mesons

The wavefunctions of the substates for these $L = 0$ unitary multiplets may be written

$$\Psi(\{\alpha\}, S; y, I, I_3) = \phi(\{\alpha\}, S; r) \chi_S g(\{\alpha\}; y, I, I_3) \quad (12)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} \phi &\rightarrow \text{radial wavefunction} \\ \chi &\rightarrow \text{spin wavefunction} \\ g &\rightarrow \text{unitary - spin wavefunction} \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$

Octet States:

$$I=1 \quad \begin{cases} g(p^+) = g(\pi^+) = \bar{v}_2 v_1 \\ g(p^0) = g(\pi^0) = (\bar{v}_1 v_2 - \bar{v}_2 v_1) / \sqrt{2} \\ g(p^-) = g(\pi^-) = \bar{v}_1 v_2 \end{cases} \quad (14)$$

$$I = \frac{1}{2} \begin{cases} g(k^{*+}) = g(k^+) = \bar{q}_3 q_1 ; g(\bar{k}^{*-}) = g(k^-) = \bar{q}_1 q_3 \\ g(k^{*0}) = g(k^0) = \bar{q}_3 q_2 ; g(\bar{k}^{*0}) = g(\bar{k}^0) = \bar{q}_2 q_3 \end{cases} \quad (15)$$

$$I = 0 : g(\phi_8) = g(\eta_8) = (\bar{q}_1 q_1 + \bar{q}_2 q_2 - 2\bar{q}_3 q_3) / \sqrt{6}$$

Singlet State :

$$g(\omega) = g(X) = (\bar{q}_1 q_1 + \bar{q}_2 q_2 + \bar{q}_3 q_3) / \sqrt{3} \quad (16)$$

The interaction energy in these states must be very large. The masses of the observed particles are quite low, relative to $q\bar{q}$ total mass $2M_q$, so that the $q\bar{q}$ binding energy must be very large.

We shall generally use non-relativistic concepts. Morpurgo (21) pointed out this is not unreasonable. The range of the $q\bar{q}$ force is likely to be of the order $R \approx \hbar/m_v c$. So in the \bar{q} - q wavefunction typical quark momenta will be $\hbar/R \approx m_v c$ to be compared with the quark mass energy $M_q c^2 \gtrsim 5 \text{ GeV}$. So the quark vels. in these states are therefore

$$v/c \sim \hbar / (R M_q c) \sim m_v / M_q \lesssim 1/5 \quad (17)$$

So non-relativistic concepts are quite appropriate

Vector Meson States:

With exact unitary symmetry, there will be two mass values for the vector mesons, m_8 for the octet states and m_1 , for the singlet state. In general, these mass values will differ, since the \bar{q} - q potential U may be expected to depend on the unitary representation $\{\alpha\}$ to which the state belongs.

The vector mesons observed show appreciable mass splittings between the various isospin multiplets. For example $m(\rho) = 765 \text{ MeV}$ whereas $m(k^*) = 892 \text{ MeV}$. The simplest hypothesis about these SU(3)

breaking interactions is that the mass splittings are simply due to a mass difference between quark q_3 and the quarks q_1, q_2 with $m_1 = m_2 = m$ required by isospin conservation and

$$m_3 = m + \Delta \quad (18)$$

whereas the mass ρ is given by m_8 , this additional quark mass leads to

$$K^* = m_8 + \Delta \quad (19)$$

So, to a first approximation

$$\Delta = K^* - \rho = 127 \text{ MeV} \quad (20)$$

The expectation values of the mass for the states ϕ_8 and ω_1 are obtained using the unitary spin wavefunction, with the results

$$\phi_8 = m_8 + 4/3, \quad \omega_1 = m_1 + 2/3 \quad (21)$$

With this symmetry - breaking term, the mass operator has a matrix element linking the ϕ_8 and ω_1 states, given by

$$(\phi_8/m/\omega_1) = (-2\sqrt{2}/3) I \Delta \quad (22)$$

where I denotes the overlap integral between the radial wavefunctions appropriate to the octet and singlet potentials.

A case of special interest is that in which the \bar{q} - q potential does not depend on the quark labels, thus

$$(\bar{q}_\alpha q_\beta / U / \bar{q}_\gamma q_\delta) = U \delta_{\alpha\gamma} \delta_{\beta\delta} \quad (23)$$

This property holds automatically for the potential resulting from the exchange of a vector coupled with the baryon current. With this property, the potentials $U(\{8\})$ are $U(\{1\})$ are identical and we have

$$m_8 = m_1 \quad (24)$$

The $I = Y = 0$ eigenstates of the energy are not the ϕ_8 and ω_1 states, but are given by the states $(\bar{q}_1 q_1 + \bar{q}_2 q_2) / \sqrt{2}$ and $\bar{q}_3 q_3$, corresponding to mass values m_8 and $m_8 + 2\Delta$ respectively. These states are naturally

to be identified with the observed ω and ϕ states, so that

$$\begin{aligned} g(\omega) &= (\bar{q}_1 q_1 + \bar{q}_2 q_2) / \sqrt{2} = \cos \theta_v g(\omega_1) + \sin \theta_v g(\phi_8) \\ g(\phi) &= -\bar{q}_3 q_3 = \sin \theta_v g(\omega_1) + \cos \theta_v g(\phi_8) \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

where the mixing angle θ_v is given by $\cos \theta_v = \sqrt{2/3}$, $\sin \theta_v = \sqrt{1/3}$. So we have the mass predictions

$$\begin{aligned} \omega &= \rho \\ \omega + \phi &= 2K^* \end{aligned} \quad (26)$$

and leads to the further estimate

$\Delta = (\phi - \omega) / 2 = 118 \text{ MeV}$, very close to the estimate obtained above from $(K^* - \rho)$.

More generally, we consider the $I=Y=0$ states for the case $m_8 \neq m_1$. The mass operator has this form

$$\begin{pmatrix} m_8 + 4\Delta/3 & -(2\sqrt{2}/3)I\Delta \\ -(2\sqrt{2}/3)I\Delta & m_1 + 2\Delta/3 \end{pmatrix} \quad (27)$$

and has the eigenvalues ω and ϕ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \omega + \phi &= m_1 + m_8 + 2\Delta \\ \omega\phi &= (m_8 + 4\Delta/3)(m_1 + 2\Delta/3) - 8I^2\Delta^2/9 \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

With $\rho = m_8$ and $K^* = m_8 + \Delta$, We can eliminate m_1 , m_8 and from these equations to give the inequality (22)

$$\begin{aligned} \{(\omega - \rho)(\phi - \rho) - \frac{4}{3}(K^* - \rho)(\omega + \phi - 2K^*)\} &= \frac{8}{9} * \\ (K^* - \rho)^2 (1 - I^2) &\geq 0 \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

Assuming $I = 1$,

$$(\omega - \rho)(\phi - \rho) = \frac{4}{3}(K^* - \rho)(\phi + \omega - 2K^*) \quad (30)$$

At this point, we shall go over to the conventional use of the (mass)² operator for bosons. This appears rather appropriate since the boson mass appears only in the combination (mass)² in the energy operator so that the mass splitting perturbations calculated are contributions

directly to $(\text{mass})^2$. Insofar as perturbation theory is valid for the mass splitting effects, it should be equally valid to use perturbation theory for (mass) or $(\text{mass})^2$ and in fact, for the vector mesons it generally makes little difference whether (mass) or $(\text{mass})^2$ is used. However, there are very good reasons to prefer the use of the $(\text{mass})^2$ operator in the case of the pseudoscalar mesons and so for consistency, we shall use the $(\text{mass})^2$ operator for the vector mesons. We have

$$\begin{aligned} \rho^2 &= m_8^2 \\ K^{*2} &= m_8^2 + \delta \quad \text{and for the } (\text{mass})^2 \text{ matrix} \\ &\begin{pmatrix} m_8^2 + 4\delta/3 & -(2\sqrt{2}/3)\delta \\ -(2\sqrt{2}/3)\delta & m_1^2 + 2\delta/3 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \quad (31)$$

where the correction δ is proportional to the quark mass difference

$$\begin{aligned} (\Delta) \quad & \text{With the first approximation } m_8 = m_1 \\ & \delta = K^{*2} - \rho^2 = 2.025 \times 10^5 \text{ (MeV)}^2 \\ & 2\delta = \phi^2 - \omega^2 = 4.27 \times 10^5 \text{ (MeV)}^2 \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

in good agreement with each other, confirming that $m_1 \approx m_8$. Writing

$\delta = 2m_8\Delta$, we have $\Delta \approx 135$ MeV. Allowing $m_8 \neq m_1$, we have Schwinger's relation

$$(\omega^2 - \rho^2) (\phi^2 - \rho^2) = \frac{4}{3} (K^{*2} - \rho^2) (\omega^2 + \phi^2 - 2K^{*2}) \quad (33)$$

This requires $(\omega - \rho) = 25.0$ MeV, Somewhat larger than the present value of 19 MeV.

CHAPTER III

A. Pseudoscalar Mesons

We now return to our discussion of pseudoscalar mesons. Their main properties with their decay modes and quantum numbers are shown below.

TABLE III
PSEUDOSCALAR MESONS

Particle	Mass (MeV)	J^P	I^G	Main Decay Mode	C	Y	σ	L
π^\pm	139.6	0^-	1^-	$\mu\nu$	+	0	0	0
π^0	134.97	0^-	1^-	$\gamma\gamma$	+	0	0	0
η	548.8 ± 0.6	0^-	0^+	$\gamma\gamma$	+	0	0	0
η'	957.7 ± 0.8	0^-	0^+	$\eta\pi\pi$	+	0	0	0
K^\pm	493.8	0^-	0^-	$\mu\nu$	+	$+^-$	0	0
K^0, \bar{K}^0	498.8	0^-	0^-	$\mu\nu$	+	+1, -1	0	0

Looking at the table we find that the mass values for pseudoscalar mesons appear widely separated. Of the $I = Y = 0$ states, the η meson at 549 MeV lies relatively close to the π triplet and the K doublets and is usually identified as the eight member of the pseudoscalar octet. The use of linear mass expressions gives rather poor agreement for pseudoscalar mesons. With the use of $(\text{mass})^2$ expressions, the Gell-Mann

Okubo mass formula (23)

$$\eta_8^2 = (4K^2 - \pi^2)/3 \quad (1)$$

gives good agreement to the experimental mass. We usually take X^0 to be the ninth pseudoscalar meson. This is not strictly necessary.

Another candidate is the E (1422). The η_8 is pure unitary octet and η_1' pure singlet. Since these states have the same quantum numbers $I = Y = 0$, they can mix in broken SU(3) when belonging to the same nonet and the observed particles η and X^0 are coherent superpositions of them. Explicitly,

$$\eta = \psi_8 \cos \theta - \psi_1 \sin \theta \quad (2)$$

$$X^0 = \psi_8 \sin \theta + \psi_1 \cos \theta \quad (3)$$

in which ψ_8 and ψ_1 denote the pure octet and singlet states respectively.

Kokkedee has given the following relations

$$m_\eta^2 + m_{X^0}^2 = m_1^2 + m_8^2 + 2\delta \quad (4)$$

$$m_\eta^2 m_{X^0}^2 = m_1^2 m_8^2 + \frac{2}{3} \delta (2m_1^2 + m_8^2) + \frac{8}{9} \delta^2 (1 - F^2) \quad (5)$$

$$\tan 2\theta_p = \frac{(4\sqrt{2}/3) F \delta}{m_8^2 - m_1^2 + (\frac{2}{3}) \delta} \quad (6)$$

$$m_\pi^2 = m_8^2 \quad (7)$$

This leads to

$$m_1 = 863 \text{ MeV} \quad m_8 = 135 \text{ MeV} \quad (8)$$

$$F = 0.52 \quad \theta_p \simeq -11^\circ \quad (9)$$

where F is the overlap integral $F(0)$ between the space wave functions of η and η_1' .

Gursey (24) has given an interesting argument for the use of $(\text{mass})^2$ for pseudoscalar mesons. This argument depends on the hypothesis that the pseudoscalar octet masses are all zero in the limit of exact unitary symmetry, when the symmetry - breaking interactions are turned off. In this situation, to obtain the mass, generated in first order by the introduction of the symmetry-breaking interaction, one calculates the energy of the meson state for a given linear momentum. The energy for momentum p then changes from p to $E(p) = \sqrt{(m^2+p^2)} = p + m^2/2p + \dots$ so that the first-order correction to the energy gives directly the value of m^2 . This argument has been given support by explicit calculation based on a covariant model by Wick (25) and Cutkosky (26)

If we now consider $E(1422)$ meson instead of X^0 as the ninth member of the pseudoscalar nonet, then

$$m_1 = 1360 \text{ MeV} \quad m_8 = 135 \text{ MeV} \quad (10)$$

$$F = 0.88 \quad \theta_p = -6^\circ \quad (11)$$

The actual situation may be more complicated in the sense that, in principle, mixing can occur between the states η , X^0 and E . Samuel (27) has examined the mixing of the pure octet member and two $SU(3)$ singlets. His results are quoted below:

$$|E\rangle = 0.08 |\eta_8\rangle + 0.43 |\eta_0\rangle + 0.90 |\eta'_0\rangle \quad (12)$$

$$|X^0\rangle = 0.08 |\eta_8\rangle + 0.90 |\eta_0\rangle - 0.43 |\eta'_0\rangle \quad (13)$$

$$|\eta\rangle = 0.99 |\eta_8\rangle - 0.11 |\eta_0\rangle - 0.04 |\eta'_0\rangle \quad (14)$$

B. Vector Mesons

The main properties of vector mesons with their decay modes and quantum numbers are shown below.

TABLE IV
VECTOR MESONS

Particle	Mass (MeV)	J^P	I^G	Main Decay Mode	C	Y
ρ^\pm	769 ± 3	1^-	1^+	2π	-	0
ρ^0	769 ± 3	1^-	1^+	2π	-	0
ω	783.7 ± 0.4	1^-	0^-	$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	-	0
ϕ	1018.8 ± 0.5	1^-	0^-	K^+K^-	-	0
$K^{*\pm}$		1^-	$\frac{1}{2}$	$K\pi$	-	± 1
K^{*0}, \bar{K}^{*0}	891 ± 1	1^-	$\frac{1}{2}$		-	$+1, -1$

Kokkedee has given the following relations for the vector mesons

$$m_1 = 799 \text{ MeV} \quad m_8 = 777 \text{ MeV} \quad (15)$$

$$\tan 2\theta_V = \frac{(4\sqrt{2}/3) F\Delta}{m_8 - m_1 + \frac{2}{3} \Delta} \quad (16)$$

where he has given the mass m_A of particle A within SU(3) multiplet $\{\alpha\}$ as

$$m_A = \langle \psi(A) | \sum_i m_{q_i} - U(\{\alpha\}) | \psi(A) \rangle \quad (17)$$

in which the sum runs over the quarks composing hadrons A and U denotes

the $q\bar{q}$ potential. U does not depend on the quark labels and $U(\{a\})$ may include all possible $SU(3)$ - invariant contributions. The near equality of m_1 and m_8 is what we expect if within the 35 - plet, the dominant $SU(6)$ - breaking forces are the spin-spin forces. In that case, for vector mesons $U(\{1\}) = U(\{8\})$ and

$$m_1 \simeq m_8 \quad (18)$$

So within the experimental uncertainty in the value of m_ρ , the vector meson nonet is consistent with $F \simeq 1$ and this leads to $\theta_v = \arctan [(1/2) \sqrt{2}] = 35^\circ$.

If we compare these results with those for the pseudoscalar mesons, the large difference between the values of m_8 for the two nonets points to the presence of strong $SU(6)$ breaking, spin-dependent forces, at least within the 35-plet. We may have roughly the picture shown below:

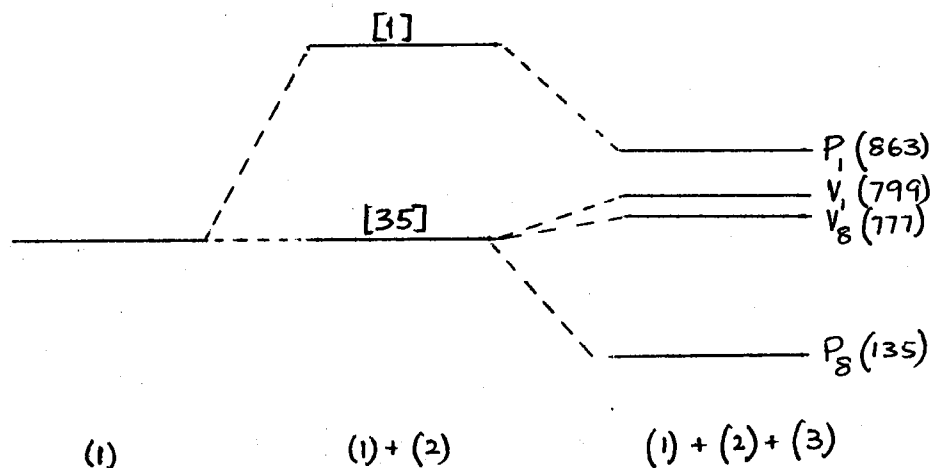


Figure 4. Mass Splittings among the 36 Mesonic States with $L = 0$ due to forces of Types (1), (2) and (3). The figure is not according to scale

C. Excited Mesonic States

In the last few years, an amazing number of mesonic and baryonic resonances has been established in the mass region from 1 to about 3 GeV. This number is steadily rising and, witness the skill of the experimentalists, will undoubtedly continue to do so for quite a while. It is logical within the framework of the quark model to try to interpret these higher resonance states as excitations of the $q\bar{q}$ systems. This spectroscopic aspect of the quark model has been vigorously investigated by Dalitz (28). Now in the quark model, excited meson states may be generated in two distinct ways (which can occur combined):

- (i) more complicated quark - antiquark excitations, for example the configurations $\bar{q}q\bar{q}q$. The SU(6) and relativistic \tilde{U} (12) schemes which have been discussed in the literature usually attribute higher resonances to these excitations.
- (ii) non-zero orbital angular momentum for the quarks. These are the most natural to consider, within the framework of our model.

A $q\bar{q}$ system with orbital angular momentum $L \neq 0$ generates four sets of nonets of parity $(-1)^{L+1}$, namely three for $S = 1$ and $C = (-)^{L+1}$ and $J = L + 1, L, L - 1$ and one for $S = 0$ having $C = (-)^L$ and $J = L$ in which J is the total angular momentum. For $L = 0$, there are, of course, only two nonets. We denote these nonets by ${}^3_{L+1}$, 3_L , ${}^3_{L-1}$ and 1_L respectively. Each of them consists of an SU(3) singlet and octet. The possible pattern for mass splittings among the $q\bar{q}$ states for general L is shown below:

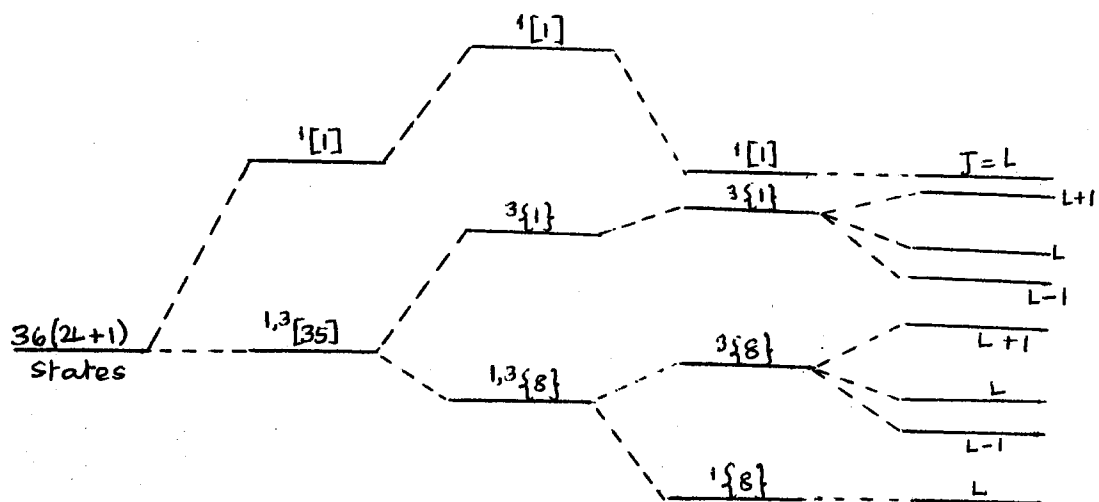


Figure 5. Possible Pattern for Mass Splittings Among the Quark-Antiquark States for General L

For $L = 0$ mesons, the observed pattern is consistent with the above scheme. Here $^1[1]$, $^3\{1\}$ and $^3\{8\}$ are close together in mass, whereas $^1\{8\}$ is pushed down considerably. Now, the first excited configurations will be those corresponding to $L = 1$. These four nonets will have the spin-parity values $(2+)$, $(1+)$, $(0+)$ with $C = 1$ and $(1+)$ with $C = -1$. The four nonets will be separated in mass by the spin-orbit coupling; in each nonet, there may be some difference between the m_1 and m_8 masses and there will be mixing between the $I = Y = 0$ states and mass splitting for the other states, introduced by the quark mass difference Δ . There will be no mixing between the $Y = 0$ states of the two $(1+)$ nonets with $C = \pm 1$, since charge-conjugation invariance holds for the strong-interactions. Mixing between these two nonets can occur for the $Y = \pm 1$ states, in general, through the symmetry-breaking interactions; this mixing could arise only from symmetry-breaking potentials which couple $S = 0$ and $S = 1$ states.

Now, of the $L = 1$ states, the nonet 3P_2 with $JPC = 2^{++}$ is well established. The $I = Y = 0$ members are the well known f meson of mass 1260 ± 20 MeV and width 100 MeV and the f' meson of mass 1514 ± 20 MeV and width 85 MeV., recently discovered by Barnes (29). For the f meson, the decay mode $f \rightarrow \pi\pi$ is dominant; for the f' meson, the decay mode $f' \rightarrow K\bar{K}$ is dominant. Both states therefore have $C = +1$. The $I = 1, Y = 0$ state is the A_2 meson, of mass 1300 ± 10 MeV and width 85 ± 10 MeV, known from its decay modes $A_2 \rightarrow \rho\pi$ and $K\bar{K}$; the $\rho\pi$ mode requires $G = -1$ for the A_2 meson, which corresponds again to $C = +1$. The $Y = +1 (-1)$ state is the K^{**} meson of mass 1420 ± 10 MeV and width 100 ± 20 MeV, established from the work of Haque et al. (30) and Hardy et al., (31) whose dominant decay mode is $K^{**} \rightarrow K\pi$.

Kokkedee has given the following relations for the 3P_2 nonet:

$$\delta = 3 \times 10^5 \text{ (MeV)}^2; \quad \theta \simeq 28^\circ \quad F \simeq 1 \quad (19)$$

$$m_8 = 1315 \text{ MeV} \quad m_1 = 1230 \text{ MeV} \quad (20)$$

Where θ is the mixing angle for the $I = Y = 0$ states and F the overlap integral of their space wave-functions. The value of δ is in reasonable agreement with those found for the $L = 0$ states. The qualitative features of the partial widths observed for the decay processes of these mesons is also in accord with the nonet structure. We show below the octet pattern of 2^+ meson.

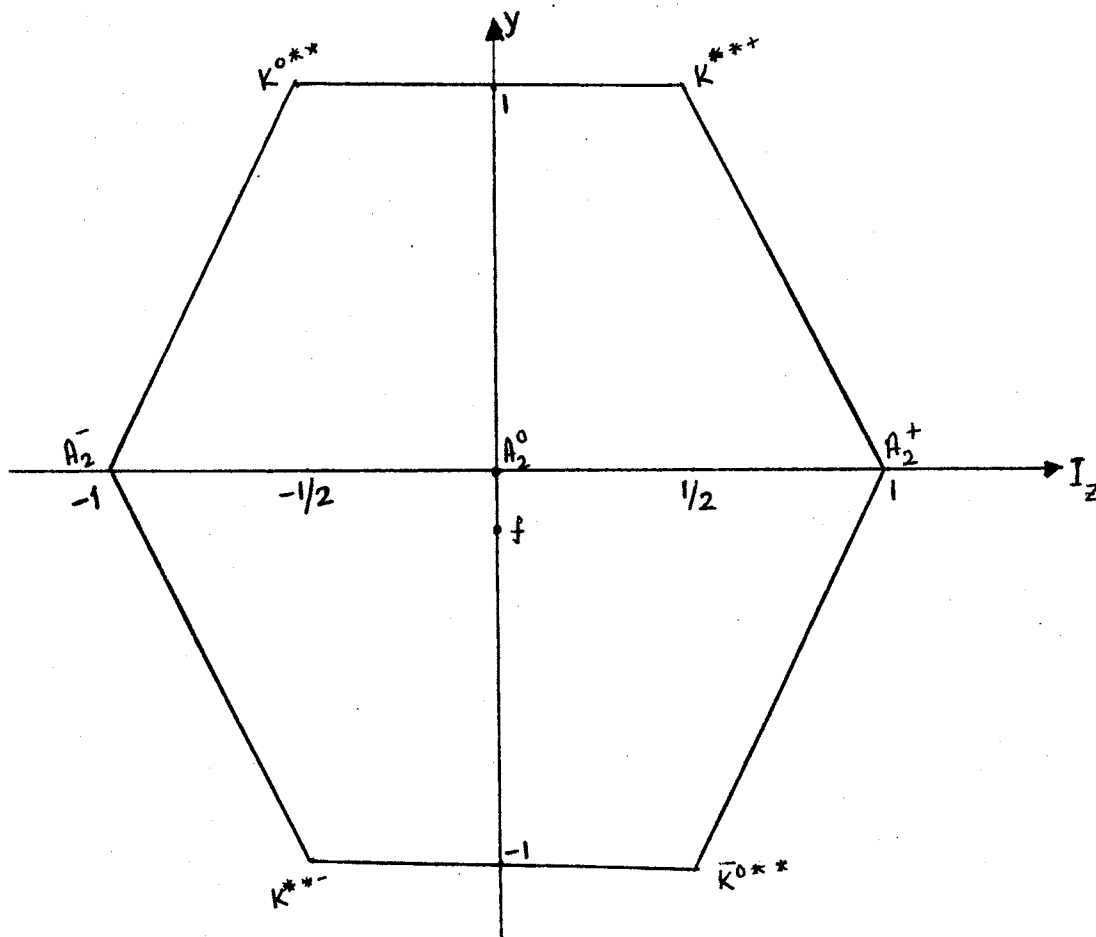


Figure 6. Octet Pattern for 2^+ Mesonic Nonet

The evidence concerning $(1+)$ states is on a less secure footing. The D meson at 1285 MeV with width 40 MeV, established recently by Miller et al. (32) and by d'Andlauer et al. (33), from the decay modes $D \rightarrow \bar{K}K\pi$, has $I = Y = 0$ and is consistent with spin parity $(1+)$ or $(2-)$. On the basis of our model, the $(1+)$ assignment would be favoured since the $(2-)$ states require $L = 2$ and would be expected to lie in a much higher mass region. The properties of this decay mode also indicate $G = +1$; with $I = 0$ we then have $C = +1$ for the D meson. The A_1 meson at 1070 ± 13 MeV and width 125 ± 25 MeV, has been established for the decay mode $A_1 \rightarrow \rho\pi$ whose characteristics strongly favour the spin-parity assignment $(1+)$ and which has $I = 1, Y = 0$. The $\pi\rho$ decay mode requires $G = -1$ for the A_1 meson and hence $C = +1$. The K^* meson, of mass 1230 ± 10 MeV and width 60 ± 10 MeV, and with the decay mode $K^* \rightarrow K\pi\pi$ has been reported by Armenteros et al. (35) to have $I = \frac{1}{2}$ and decay characteristics strongly suggestive of spin-parity $(1+)$. It is rather difficult to fit the above mass values into a nonet picture. The identification of the E meson already discussed as the D' meson is barely compatible with the Schwinger inequality and would require the overlap integral between the $A_1^{(+)}$ and $A_8^{(+)}$ states to be essentially zero i.e. that these states should not mix. For the $C = -1$ $(1+)$ nonet, we have to date, two candidates. The B meson, with mass 1235 MeV and width 125 ± 30 MeV has been identified from its decay to $\pi + \omega$ and therefore has $I = 1, G = +1$ whence $C = -1$. The K^* meson, with mass 1320 MeV also has the J^P assignment $1+$ and $C = -1$. The H meson at 990 ± 10 MeV has been reported by Barsch et al. (36) but the spin-parity assignment is still unclear. Finally we consider the $C = +1$ $(0+)$ states. The δ meson at 966 MeV has been identified as $I = 1$ state, consistent with our model. The

K_N meson with mean mass 1170 MeV is consistent with the spin-parity assignment (0^+) . For the $I=Y=0$ state, the situation is not very clear, but we can identify the S^* meson, with mass 1070 MeV as having the spin-parity assignment (0^+) . There are several other candidates for these states but the experimental situation is still very unclear.

D. Remarks

Since our knowledge of the $L = 1$ nonets is rather incomplete, there are relatively few tests possible for the viewpoint of the quark model discussed here.

Apart from spin-orbit forces, the (1^-) and (2^+) nonets would be expected to have rather similar features, both having $S=1$ configurations. For the (1^-) nonet, we have $m_1 = 799$ MeV, $m_8 = 777$ MeV; for the (2^+) nonet, the difference between the octet and singlet masses is larger, and opposite in sign, with $m_1 = 1230$ MeV, $m_8 = 1315$ MeV. Since the central forces in these two sets of states are the same, this difference between $(m_1 - m_8)$ should be attributed to an F -dependence in the spin-orbit force, which is effective in the $L = 1$ state but absent in the $L = 0$ state. What is known about the symmetry-breaking interaction in the $L = 1$ nonets appears reasonably consistent with the effects seen in the $L = 0$ nonets. The situation is only clear for the (2^+) nonet, as discussed by Glashow and Socolow (37).

For $L = 2$, the quark-antiquark model implies nonets for spin-parity values (3^-) , (2^-) with $C = \pm 1$ and (1^-) . A plausible candidate is the π_A meson of mass 1640 MeV, with the spin-parity assignment (2^-) . The situation in these higher mass regions is unclear and we will have to wait until complete experimental verification of these higher states

becomes possible.

CHAPTER IV

POTENTIAL FOR QUARK - ANTIQUARK COMBINATION

A. $q\text{-}\bar{q}$ Potential

The properties of the pseudoscalar and vector mesons have been part of the case made for the physical appropriateness of the larger symmetry of the SU(6) group for the elementary particle interactions, as first proposed by Gursey and Radicati (38) and by Sakata (39). Basically, the statement of SU(6) symmetry is that the $q\text{-}\bar{q}$ potential is invariant for simultaneous spin and unitary - spin transformations.

With SU(6) symmetry, the $\bar{q}\text{-}q$ states are of the type $q^A \bar{q}_B$. This tensor is reducible into a singlet tensor $q^A \bar{q}_A$ and a (1,1) tensor $(q^A \bar{q}_B - \delta_B^A q^C \bar{q}_C/6)$ consisting of the remaining 35 components. The only singlet state available is the $S = 0, \{1\}$ state, so that the $S=0, \{8\}$ and the $S = 1, \{1\}$ and $\{8\}$ states constitute the 35 SU(6) supermultiplet:

$$\underline{35} = 1 \times 8 + 3 \times 1 + 3 \times 8 \quad (1)$$

It is convenient to introduce the infinitesimal operators F_i ($i = 1, \dots, 8$) of the SU(3) group, which we may call the unitary spin operators. Their commutation relations are given by Gell-Mann (40) and by deSwart (41).

They are completely analogous to the infinitesimal operators σ_i for the SU(2) group and they include the isospin operators τ_i appropriate to the isospin SU(2) subgroup of the SU(3) group. For an SU(3) rep-

resentation, the eigenvalue of the total unitary spin F^2 is given by

$$F^2 = \sum_{i=1}^8 F_i^2 = 2(p^2 + pq + q^2 + 3(p+q)) \quad (2)$$

For the \bar{q} - q system, $F_1^2 = F_2^2 = 8$ and we deduce that the scalar product

$$F_1 \cdot F_2 = (F^2 - F_1^2 - F_2^2) / 2 \quad (3)$$

has the values + 1 for the $\{8\}$ state, - 8 for the $\{1\}$ state.

Projection operators for the eigenstates of total spin and total unitary spin are then readily constructed and the general form of the S - wave q - \bar{q} potential may be written

$$U(\bar{q}q) = \left\{ U_{p1} (1 - \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (1 - F_1 \cdot F_2) + U_{p8} (1 - \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (8 + F_1 \cdot F_2) + U_{v1} (3 + \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (1 - F_1 \cdot F_2) + U_{v8} (3 + \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (8 + F_1 \cdot F_2) \right\} / 36 \quad (4)$$

Empirically, the interactions U_{v1} U_{v8} and U_{p1} are approximately equal, the interaction U_{p8} being significantly stronger. So, to a good approximation,

$$U(\bar{q}q) = U_0 + \delta U_{p8} (1 - \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (8 + F_1 \cdot F_2) / 36 \quad (5)$$

Dalitz gives explicitly the form of this potential as

$$U(\bar{q}q) = \bar{u}(1) + \bar{u}(35) (-\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2 - F_1 \cdot F_2 + \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2 F_1 \cdot F_2) \quad (6)$$

and with SU(6) symmetry the form expected for U ($\bar{q}q$) is

$$U(\bar{q}q) = \bar{u}_0 + \bar{u}_1 (1 - \sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2) (1 - F_1 \cdot F_2) / 36 \quad (7)$$

B. Specific Forms of Potentials:

Hydrogenic System Problem

Energy levels and eigenfunctions are given by:

$$W = -Z^2 e^4 m_e / 2\hbar^2 n^2 \quad (8)$$

$$\Psi = N e^{-r/n} r^l L_{n-l-1}^{2l+1} \left(\frac{2r}{n} \right) y_l^m(\theta, \varphi) \quad (9)$$

as shown by Green (42). If we investigate the hydrogenic system problem for $l \neq 0$, we find that an unusual degeneracy occurs in which the energy depends upon the integral combination

$$n = \nu + 1 + l \quad (10)$$

Harmonic Oscillator:

The three-dimensional harmonic oscillator has been used in many discussions in nuclear physics to furnish a simple reference set of levels. The eigenfunctions, as given by Powell (43) are

$$\Psi_{n,l,m} = N e^{-r^2/2} r^l L_K^{l+1/2}(r^2) y_l^m(\theta, \phi) \quad (11)$$

where $L_K^\alpha(t)$ is the Laguerre polynomial

$$L_K^\alpha(t) = \sum_{\nu=0}^K \binom{K+\alpha}{K-\nu} \frac{(-t)^\nu}{\nu!} \quad (12)$$

The energy levels for this potential are given by

$$W = \left(2\nu + l + \frac{3}{2} \right) \hbar \omega_c, \quad \omega_c = \sqrt{\frac{k}{m}} \quad (13a)$$

Introducing the oscillator number $N = 2\nu + l$ (13b)

$$W = \left(N + \frac{3}{2} \right) \hbar \omega_c \quad (13c)$$

Spherical Well

Usually one assumes a naive picture of quarks moving nonrelativistically in a very deep flat potential well. For mesons, the form of potential naturally points to infinite spherical well. It is true that there is nothing particularly sacred about either the harmonic oscillator or the Coulomb potential. If one believes the potential picture, one would note that the Coulomb potential with its singularity at the origin would tend to depress the states of lower angular momentum and therefore pull down the radially excited s - state to make it degenerate with the p - state, whereas the smooth harmonic -oscillator potential has the first radially excited s - state considerably higher. The data would indicate that if a potential has any meaning, the well goes down much more steeply than a harmonic oscillator but may not be quite as singular as the Coulomb potential.

The quark model is sometimes considered to be only a simple representation of an underlying algebraic structure without requiring the existence of physical quarks. With this approach the harmonic and Coulomb potentials can be considered from an algebraic point of view. The accidental degeneracies of these two potentials are characterized by the groups $SU(3)$ and $O(4)$ respectively. Thus, one may attempt to classify the multiplets by using the representations of either of these internal symmetry groups as quantum numbers to label the states, without invoking the physical picture of a harmonic or Coulomb potential. At present, the experimental data are insufficient to provide great support for these approaches.

Particle in a Spherical Box

Green (44) has given the solutions for s and p states. For s states

$$W \approx -V_0 + (v+1)^2 \frac{\pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} \quad (14)$$

For p states

$$W \approx -V_0 + \left(v + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 \frac{\pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} \quad (15)$$

Where the field of force is defined by

$$\begin{aligned} V(r) &= -V_0 & 0 < r < a \\ &= \infty & r > a \\ v &= 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{aligned} \quad (16)$$

For d, f, ... states we consider the general radial wave equation

$$G_i'' + \left[\epsilon_0^2 - \frac{l(l+1)}{\rho^2} - \epsilon_w^2 \right] G_i = 0 \quad (17a)$$

Where

$$\epsilon_0^2 = \frac{V_0}{E_0}, \quad \epsilon_w^2 = \frac{W}{E_0}, \quad \rho = r/a \quad (17b)$$

This equation is identical to Bessel's equations and the solutions which vanish at $\rho = 0$ are

$$G_i = \left[\frac{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho \pi}{2} \right]^{1/2} J_{l+\frac{1}{2}} \left[(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho \right] \quad (18)$$

where $J_{l+\frac{1}{2}}$ are Bessel functions of half-integral order. Since the wave function must vanish at $\rho = 1$, the values of ϵ_w must be such that

$$J_{l+\frac{1}{2}} \left[(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \right] = 0 \quad (19)$$

Particle in a Spherical Well. We have in this case

$$\begin{aligned} V(r) &= -V_0 & 0 < r < a \\ &= 0 & r > a \end{aligned} \quad (20)$$

$$\rho = r/a$$

where a is the radius of the spherical well.

Since V vanishes as $r \rightarrow \infty$ the wave function no longer need vanish identically outside the well. The exterior wave function for s - waves must be a well-behaved function

$$G_e'' - \epsilon_w^2 G_e = 0 \quad (21)$$

$$\therefore G_e = C_e \exp(-\epsilon_w \rho)$$

$$G_i = C_i \sin(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho \quad (22)$$

whereas

Also, since the interior and exterior wave functions must join smoothly at $\rho = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} G_i(1) &= G_e(1) \\ G_i'(1) &= G_e'(1) \end{aligned} \quad (23)$$

Normalization condition

$$\int_0^a |G_i|^2 dr + \int_a^\infty |G_e|^2 dr = 1 \quad (24)$$

Now, $[G_i' / G_i]_{\rho=1} = [G_e' / G_e]_{\rho=1} \quad (25)$

$$\therefore \tan(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} = -\frac{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{\epsilon_w} \quad (26)$$

When the well is shallow, it is impossible to express the energy levels in terms of an explicit formula. In this case, we must find the roots of the above equation by approximate numerical or graphical methods.

The no. of ϵ_w roots which exist depends upon the well parameter ϵ_0

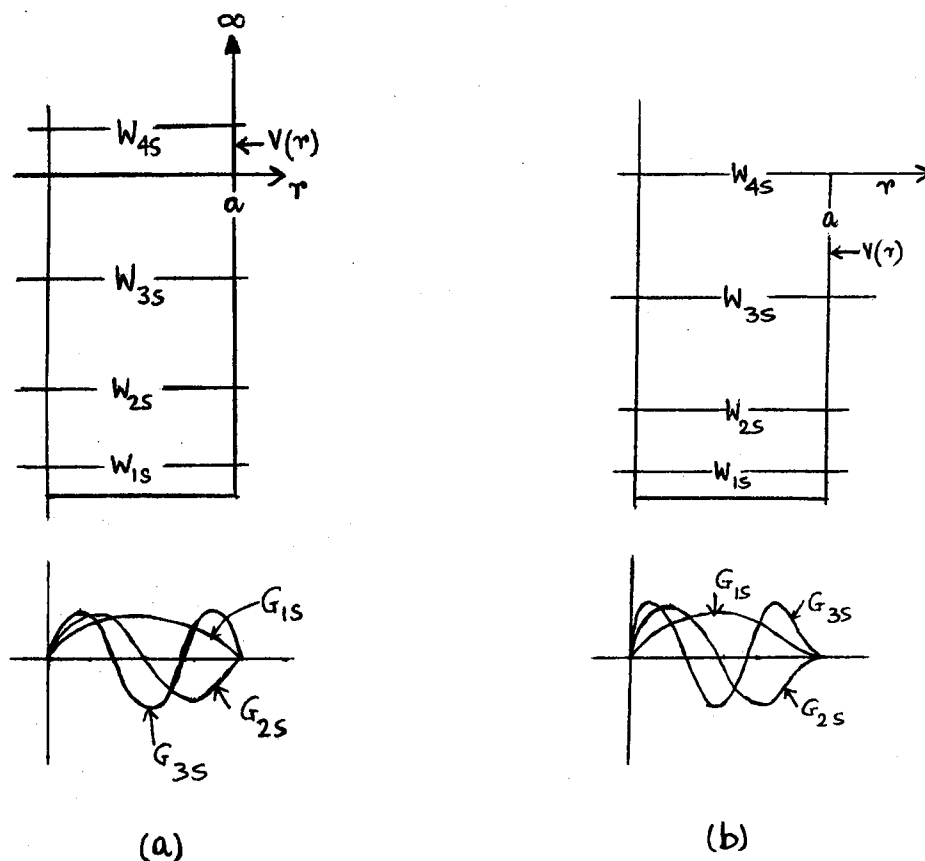


Figure 7. Schematic Diagram Showing Low-lying s States and the Corresponding Wave Functions when $\epsilon_0 = 7\pi/2$ in (a) a Spherical Box and (b) a Spherical Well

We note that in each of the latter cases the wave function extends into the external region. This region would be inaccessible to the particle if classical laws were obeyed, since here the classical kinetic energy $T = W - V$ would be negative.

Let's now consider briefly the p states of binding ($L = 1$) for the spherical well. The radial wave equation for the interior region is given by

$$G_i'' + \left(\epsilon_0^2 - \frac{2}{\rho} - \epsilon_w^2 \right) G_i = 0 \quad (27)$$

Solution:

$$G_{ip} = C_{ip} \left[\frac{\sin(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho}{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho} - \cos(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho \right] \quad (28)$$

as can be easily verified by direct differentiation. The wave-equation for the exterior region is given by

$$G_e'' - \left(\frac{2}{\rho^2} + \epsilon_w^2 \right) G_e = 0 \quad (29)$$

The solution is:

$$G_{ep} = C_{ep} \left(\epsilon_w + \frac{1}{\rho} \right) \exp(-\epsilon_w \rho) \quad (30)$$

as also can be proved by direct differentiation. The boundary condition is given by:

$$\left. \frac{G_e'}{G_e} \right|_{\rho=1} = \left. \frac{G_i'}{G_i} \right|_{\rho=1} \quad (31)$$

Now,

$$\left. \frac{G_e'}{G_e} \right|_{\rho=1} = -\epsilon_w - \frac{1}{\epsilon_w + 1} \quad (32)$$

Also,

$$\left. \frac{G_i'}{G_i} \right|_{\rho=1} = -1 + \frac{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{-1/2} - \cot(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}} \quad (33)$$

This yields the energy eigenvalue equation as

$$\frac{\cot(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}} - \frac{1}{\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2} = \frac{1}{\epsilon_w} + \frac{1}{\epsilon_w^2} \quad (34)$$

So, for the case of a shallow well, we find that the critical ϵ_0 values, each of which gives rise to a p state of zero energy ($\epsilon_w = 0$) are $\pi, 2\pi, \dots$

corresponding to the relation

$$\tan \epsilon_0 = 0 \quad (35)$$

For the solutions for d, f, g, states, we need to find the general solutions of the radial equations inside and outside the well for an arbitrary l. These solutions are

$$G_{il} = \left[\frac{(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2) \rho \pi}{2} \right]^{1/2} J_{l+\frac{1}{2}} \left[(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} \rho \right] \quad (36)$$

$$G_{el} = \left(\frac{\rho \pi}{2} \right)^{1/2} N_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\rho) \quad (37)$$

where $J_{l+\frac{1}{2}}$ and $N_{l+\frac{1}{2}}$ are Bessel and Neumann functions of half-integral order. On the basis of the properties of these functions the eigenvalues and the eigenfunctions can be determined for any ϵ_0 .

Infinite Spherical Well

The eigenfunctions and $\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2$ eigenvalues of the spherical well go over to those of the spherical box as $V_0 \rightarrow \infty$. So, for d states,

$$J_{5/2}(\theta) = 0 \quad \text{where } \theta = [(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}] \quad (38)$$

Now,

$$J_p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-)^k \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{2k+p}}{k! (k+p)!} \quad (39)$$

$$\therefore J_{5/2}(\theta) = \frac{(\theta/2)^{5/2}}{(5/2)!} - \frac{(\theta/2)^{9/2}}{(9/2)!} + \frac{(\theta/2)^{13/2}}{(13/2)!} - \dots \quad (40)$$

$$\therefore J_{5/2}(\theta) = \frac{(\theta/2)^{5/2}}{\Gamma(7/2)} \prod_{s=1}^{\infty} \left(1 - \frac{\theta^2}{p_s^2}\right) \quad (41)$$

where p_s are the real zero of $J_{5/2}(\theta)$.

Now (45)

$$J_\nu(z) \sim \sqrt{\left(\frac{2}{\pi z}\right)} \left[\cos\left(z - \frac{\nu\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^s (\nu, 2s)}{(2z)^{2s}} \right. \\ \left. - \sin\left(z - \frac{\nu\pi}{2} - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^s (\nu, 2s+1)}{(2z)^{2s+1}} \right] \quad (42)$$

Where

$$(\nu, s) = \frac{2^{-2s}}{s!} \left[(4\nu^2 - 1^2)(4\nu^2 - 3^2) \dots \dots \dots \{4\nu^2 - (2s-1)^2\} \right]$$

and $(\nu, 0) = 1$ (43)

$$\therefore J_{5/2}(z) \sim \left(\frac{2}{\pi z}\right)^{1/2} \left[P_{5/2}(z) \cos\left(z - \frac{3\pi}{2}\right) - Q_{5/2}(z) \sin\left(z - \frac{3\pi}{2}\right) \right] \quad (44)$$

where

$$P_{5/2}(z) = \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 0)}{1} - \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 2)}{4z^2} + \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 4)}{16z^4} - \dots \dots \dots \\ = 1 - \frac{3}{z^2} \quad (45)$$

and

$$Q_{5/2}(z) = \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 1)}{2z} - \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 3)}{4z^2} \frac{1}{2z} + \frac{(\frac{5}{2}, 5)}{(2z)^5} - \dots \dots \dots \\ = \frac{3}{z} \quad (46)$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)^{1/2} J_{5/2}(z) \sim \left\{ P_{5/2}^2(z) + Q_{5/2}^2(z) \right\}^{1/2} \cos\left(z - \frac{3\pi}{2} - \theta\right) \quad (47)$$

where

$$\tan \theta = -Q_{5/2}(z)/P_{5/2}(z) = \frac{3z}{3-z^2} \quad (48)$$

So the positive zeros are defined by

$$z - \frac{3\pi}{2} - \theta = \left(s - \frac{1}{2}\right)\pi, \quad s = 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (49)$$

$$\therefore z = (s+1)\pi + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3z}{3-z^2}\right) \quad (50)$$

So for the zeros we have the formula:

$$\left(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2\right)^{1/2} = (s+1)\pi + \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{3 - (\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)}\right) \quad (51)$$

For a well which has a large ϵ_0 , ϵ_w will be close to ϵ_0 for low-lying state and so

$$\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{3(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{3 - \epsilon_0^2 + \epsilon_w^2}\right) \cong \tan^{-1} 0 = 0 \quad (52)$$

$$\therefore \left(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2\right)^{1/2} = (s+1)\pi; \quad s = 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (53)$$

$$= (v+2)\pi; \quad v = 0, 1, 2, \dots \quad (53a)$$

$$W \cong -V_0 + \frac{(v+2)^2 \pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} \quad (54)$$

Similarly for f states,

$$\left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)^{1/2} J_{7/2}(z) \sim \left\{P_{7/2}^2(z) + Q_{7/2}^2(z)\right\}^{1/2} \cos(z - 2\pi - \theta) \quad (55)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\tan \theta &= -Q_{7/2}(z)/P_{7/2}(z) \\ &= 3 \left(-\frac{2}{z} - \frac{25}{z^3} - \dots \right)\end{aligned}\quad (56)$$

So the positive zeros are given by

$$z - 2\pi - \theta = \left(S - \frac{1}{2} \right) \pi, \quad S = 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (57)$$

$$\therefore z = \left(S + \frac{3}{2} \right) \pi - \frac{6}{z} - \frac{3}{z^3} + \dots \quad (58)$$

Writing $\alpha = \left(S + \frac{3}{2} \right) \pi$ and assuming $z = \alpha + \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} + \frac{\mu}{\alpha^3} + \dots$ substituting and neglecting α^{-5} etc., we have

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha + \frac{\lambda}{\alpha} + \frac{\mu}{\alpha^3} + \dots &= \alpha - 6 \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{\lambda}{\alpha^3} + \dots \right) \\ &\quad - 3 \left(\frac{1}{\alpha^3} - \dots \right) + \dots\end{aligned}\quad (59)$$

and so that equating the co-efficients of α^{-1} and α^{-3} we have

$$\lambda = -6, \quad \mu = 6\lambda - 3 = -39 \quad (60)$$

$$\therefore z \sim \left(S + \frac{3}{2} \right) \pi - \frac{6}{\left(S + \frac{3}{2} \right) \pi} - \frac{39}{\left(S + \frac{3}{2} \right)^3 \pi^3} - \dots \quad (61)$$

This gives the approximate solution as

$$\left(E_0^2 - E_w^2 \right)^{1/2} \sim \left(\nu + \frac{5}{2} \right) \pi \quad (62)$$

$$\therefore W \sim -V_0 + \frac{\left(\nu + \frac{5}{2} \right)^2 \pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} \quad (63)$$

Similarly, for arbitrary l

$$\left(\frac{\pi z}{2}\right)^{1/2} J_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z) = \left\{ P_{l+\frac{1}{2}}^2(z) + Q_{l+\frac{1}{2}}^2(z) \right\} \cos\left(z - \frac{(l+1)\pi}{2} - \theta\right) \quad (64)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} P_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z) &= \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} (-1)^s \frac{(l+\frac{1}{2}, 2s)}{(2z)^{2s}} \\ &= 1 - \frac{l(l+1)(l+2)(l-1)}{2! (2z)^2} + \frac{l(l+1)(l+2)(l+3)(l-1)(l-2)(l-3)}{4! (2z)^4} \\ &\quad - \dots \\ &\quad + (-1)^s \frac{l(l+1)(l+2) \dots (l+2s)(l-1)(l-2) \dots (l-2s+1)}{(2s)! (2z)^{2s}} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z) &= \sum_{s=0}^{\infty} (-1)^s \frac{(l+\frac{1}{2}, 2s+1)}{(2z)^{2s+1}} \\ &= \frac{l(l+1)}{1! 2z} - \frac{l(l+1)(l+2)(l+3)(l-1)(l-2)}{3! (2z)^3} \\ &\quad + \dots \\ &\quad + (-1)^s \frac{l(l+1)(l+2) \dots (l+2s+1)(l-1)(l-2) \dots (l-2s)}{(2s+1)! (2z)^{2s+1}} \end{aligned}$$

Also

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} - \frac{Q_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z)}{P_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z)} \quad (66)$$

Generalizing the notation,

$$Q_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z) = \sum_{s=0}^{\lfloor \frac{l-1}{2} \rfloor} \frac{(-)^s (l-2s) \cdots l(l+1) \cdots (l+2s+1)}{(2s+1)! (2z)^{2s+1}} \quad (67)$$

So the positive zeros are given by

$$z - \frac{(l+1)\pi}{2} - \theta = \left(v + \frac{1}{2}\right) \pi \quad (68)$$

Assuming that the expansion $\tan^{-1} (-Q_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z)/P_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(z))$ represent small contributions, the approximate energy eigenvalues are given by

$$(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2} = \left(v + \frac{l}{2} + 1\right) \pi \quad (69)$$

$$W \approx -V_0 + \left(v + \frac{l}{2} + 1\right)^2 \frac{\pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} \quad (70)$$

Schiff (46) has given the solutions for a spherical well as

$$G_i = A_i \rho^{1/2} J_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\epsilon' \rho) \quad (71)$$

$$G_e = A_e \rho^{1/2} K_{l+\frac{1}{2}}(\epsilon_w \rho) \quad (72)$$

The boundary condition yields the energy eigenvalue condition as

$$\epsilon' \frac{j_{l-1}(\epsilon')}{j_l(\epsilon')} = i\epsilon_w \frac{h_{l-1}^{(1)}(i\epsilon_w)}{h_l^{(1)}(i\epsilon_w)} \quad (73)$$

Looking at the asymptotic behavior of the Hankel functions, this simplifies to,

$$\frac{j_l(\epsilon')}{j_{l-1}(\epsilon')} = -\frac{\epsilon'}{\epsilon_w} \quad (74)$$

So for $l=1$,

$$\frac{j_1(\epsilon')}{j_0(\epsilon')} = -\frac{\epsilon'}{\epsilon_w} \quad (75)$$

We know that if we put the right hand side equal to zero, the values of ϵ' which satisfy the equation $j_l(\epsilon')=0$ are a trifle smaller than $\frac{3\pi}{2}, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \frac{7\pi}{2}$, and so on. If we now make a Taylor series expansion of $j_l(\rho)$ about $\rho=\rho_l$ and keep terms upto first order,

$$j_l(\rho) = j_l(\rho_l) + (\rho - \rho_l) \left. \frac{dj_l}{d\rho} \right|_{\rho=\rho_l} \quad (76)$$

Since $j_l(\rho_l) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore j_l(\rho) &= (\rho - \rho_l) \left[j_0(\rho_l) - \frac{2}{\rho} j_l(\rho_l) \right] \\ &= (\rho - \rho_l) j_0(\rho_l) \end{aligned} \quad (77)$$

$$\therefore \rho = \rho_l + \frac{j_l(\rho)}{j_0(\rho_l)} \approx \rho_l \quad (78)$$

For $l=2$

$$\frac{j_2(\rho)}{j_1(\rho)} = -\frac{\rho}{\epsilon_w}; \rho_l \approx 2\pi, 3\pi, 4\pi, \dots \quad (79)$$

$$\therefore j_2(\rho) = (\rho - \rho_l) j_1(\rho_l) \quad (80)$$

$$\therefore \rho = \rho_l + j_2(\rho) / j_1(\rho_l) \quad (81)$$

In general for $l = n$,

$$\rho = \rho_1 + \frac{j_n(\rho)}{j_{n-1}(\rho_1)} \quad (82)$$

Now for $l = 1$,

$$\rho = \rho_1 - \frac{\rho}{\epsilon_w} \frac{j_0(\rho)}{j_0(\rho_1)} \quad (83)$$

$$\therefore \rho = \frac{\rho_1}{1 + \frac{j_0(\rho)}{j_0(\rho_1)} \frac{1}{\epsilon_w}} \approx \frac{\rho_1}{1 + \frac{2}{2\epsilon_w}} \quad (84)$$

$$\therefore \rho^2 \approx \rho_1^2 \left(1 - \frac{2}{\epsilon_w}\right) = K \left(1 - \frac{2}{\epsilon_w}\right) \quad (85)$$

$$\therefore \epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2 = K \left(1 - \frac{2}{\epsilon_w}\right) \quad (86)$$

$$\therefore \epsilon_w^3 + (K - \epsilon_0^2) \epsilon_w - 2K = 0 \quad (87)$$

Solutions of cubic equations of this type have been discussed by Cowles

(47). Using his notation, the three roots are given by

$$\epsilon_{w1} = y + z \quad (88)$$

$$\epsilon_{w2} = \omega y + \omega^2 z \quad (89)$$

$$\epsilon_{w3} = \omega^2 y + \omega z \quad (90)$$

$$y = \left(\rho_1^2 + \left(\rho_1^4 + \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/2} \right)^{1/3} \quad (91)$$

$$z = \left(\rho_1^2 - \left(\rho_1^4 + \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/2} \right)^{1/3} \quad (92)$$

Now, we note that even though the roots are all real, they can not be reduced to real algebraic form because the square root of the discriminant is imaginary. This is the so called irreducible case of the cubic equation and the roots can only be found by trigonometric methods (48).

Let

$$A = -\frac{r}{2} + i \sqrt{-\left(\frac{r^2}{4} + \frac{q^3}{27}\right)} \quad (93)$$

$$B = -\frac{r}{2} - i \sqrt{-\left(\frac{r^2}{4} + \frac{q^3}{27}\right)} \quad (94)$$

Where

$$q = k - \epsilon_0^2 \quad (95)$$

$$r = -2k \quad (96)$$

$$A = m e^{i\theta}, \quad B = m e^{-i\theta} \quad (97)$$

$$m = \left(-\frac{q^3}{27}\right)^{1/2}, \quad \cos \theta = -\frac{r}{2} \left(-\frac{27}{q^3}\right)^{1/2} \quad (98)$$

So the roots of the irreducible case of the cubic are given by,

$$r_1 = 2m^{1/3} \cos \frac{\theta}{3} \quad (99)$$

$$r_2 = 2m^{1/3} \cos \frac{\theta + 2\pi}{3} \quad (100)$$

$$r_3 = 2m^{1/3} \cos \frac{\theta + 4\pi}{3} \quad (101)$$

where

$$m = \left(-\frac{(p_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27}\right)^{1/2} \quad (102)$$

$$\cos \theta = p_1^2 \left(-\frac{(p_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^{-3}}{1/27}\right)^{1/2} \quad (103)$$

$$\therefore \epsilon_{w1} = 2 \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \cos \frac{\theta}{3} \quad (104)$$

$$\epsilon_{w2} = 2 \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \cos \frac{\theta + 2\pi}{3} \quad (105)$$

$$\epsilon_{w3} = 2 \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \cos \frac{\theta + 4\pi}{3} \quad (106)$$

Now,

$$\cos \theta = \rho_1^2 \left(- \frac{27}{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3} \right)^{1/2} \quad (107)$$

So to a first order of approximation,

$$\cos \theta \approx \left(\frac{27 \rho_1^4}{\epsilon_0^6} \right)^{1/2} \approx 0 \quad (108)$$

$$\theta \approx \pi/2 \quad (109)$$

To improve our calculations, let us assume $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2} + \epsilon$ where ϵ represents a small contribution to θ due to the term $3\sqrt{3}\rho_1^2/\epsilon_0^3$ in $\cos \theta$.

$$\therefore \frac{\theta}{3} = \frac{\pi}{6} + \frac{\epsilon}{3} \quad (110)$$

$$\epsilon_{w1} = \sqrt{3} \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} - \frac{\epsilon}{3} \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \quad (111)$$

since $\cos \frac{\epsilon}{3} \approx 1$ and $\sin \frac{\epsilon}{3} \approx \frac{\epsilon}{3}$ (112)

Similarly,

$$\epsilon_{w2} = \sqrt{3} \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} - \frac{\epsilon}{3} \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \quad (113)$$

$$\epsilon_{w3} = \frac{2\epsilon}{3} \left(- \frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \quad (114)$$

Approximately, since $\theta \simeq \pi/2$

$$\epsilon_{w1} \simeq \sqrt{3} \left(-\frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \quad (115)$$

$$\epsilon_{w2} \simeq -\sqrt{3} \left(-\frac{(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)^3}{27} \right)^{1/6} \quad (116)$$

$$\epsilon_{w3} \simeq 0 \quad (117)$$

Another way of improving our order of magnitude calculations is to go back to our original cubic equations and try to improve our roots by algebraic methods:

$$\epsilon_w^3 + (\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)\epsilon_w - 2\rho_1^2 = 0 \quad (118)$$

$$\therefore (\epsilon_0^2 - \rho^2)^{3/2} + (\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)(\epsilon_0^2 - \rho^2)^{1/2} - 2\rho_1^2 = 0 \quad (119)$$

Simplification yields

$$-\rho^2\epsilon_0^2 + \rho^4 + \rho_1^2(\epsilon_0^2 - \rho^2) = 2\rho_1^2(\epsilon_0^2 - \rho^2)^{1/2} \quad (120)$$

Let us assume

$$\rho = \rho_1 + c \quad (121)$$

So the right hand side is equal to

$$2\rho_1^2\epsilon_0 - \frac{\rho_1^2\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \quad (122)$$

and the left hand side is equal to

$$c^4 + 4\rho_1 c^3 + (5\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2)c^2 - 2c\rho_1(\epsilon_0^2 - \rho_1^2) \quad (123)$$

So to a first-order of approximation,

$$c = \frac{2\rho_1^2\epsilon_0 - \frac{\rho_1^4}{\epsilon_0}}{\rho_1^3 - \rho_1\epsilon_0^2 + \frac{\rho_1^3}{\epsilon_0}} \quad (124)$$

$$\rho = \rho_1 + \frac{2\rho_1^2\epsilon_0 - \frac{\rho_1^4}{\epsilon_0}}{\rho_1^3 - \rho_1\epsilon_0^2 + \frac{\rho_1^3}{\epsilon_0}} \quad (125)$$

Also,

$$\rho^4 - \rho^2 \left(\rho_1^2 + \epsilon_0^2 - \frac{\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \right) - \rho_1^2 \epsilon_0 (2 - \epsilon_0) = 0 \quad (126)$$

After extracting the root of the equation and simplifying, we have

$$\therefore \rho^2 = \left[\left(\rho_1^2 + \epsilon_0^2 - \frac{\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \right) \pm \left(\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2 - \frac{\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \right) \pm \left(\frac{2\rho_1^2\epsilon_0}{\rho_1^2 - \epsilon_0^2 - \frac{\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0}} \right) \right] / 2 \quad (127)$$

If we take the positive sign,

$$\rho^2 \approx \rho_1^2 - \frac{2\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \quad (128)$$

$$\therefore \rho \approx \rho_1 - \frac{\rho_1}{\epsilon_0} \quad (129)$$

If we take the negative sign,

$$\rho^2 \approx \epsilon_0^2 - \frac{\rho_1^2}{\epsilon_0} \quad (130)$$

which accounts for the root $\epsilon_w \approx 0$ when to a first approximation we have $\rho^2 \approx \epsilon_0^2$. So the final formula for an arbitrary state l is given by

$$W \approx -V_0 + \left(\nu + \frac{l}{2} + 1 \right)^2 \frac{\pi^2 \hbar^2}{2ma^2} + \frac{\hbar^2}{2ma^2} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{3(\epsilon_0^2 - \epsilon_w^2)^{1/2}}{3 - \epsilon_0^2 + \epsilon_w^2} \right) \quad (131)$$

This completes our discussion of the infinite square well with first-order corrections to the binding-energy formula. We note, that if we take an order - of - magnitude approximation for M and V_0 , the third term in the binding energy formula is negligible compared to the first two terms.

CHAPTER V

MASS FORMULA CALCULATIONS

Let us consider a $q\bar{q}$ pair bound in a potential of average strength U_0 . If the quark velocities in the low lying states are to be non-relativistic and the quark masses very large, then the potential is presumably 'flat-bottomed' in the manner of a square-well or harmonic oscillator. For reasonable and deep potentials of this sort the level structure is roughly independent of the shape and there is no loss in generality in supposing that the potential is a square well.

Referring to equation no. (131) in Chapter V, we can now write the general mass formula as

$$M^2 = M_1 + n\Delta + V_1 \vec{L} \cdot \vec{S} + V_2 \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 + \left(\nu + \frac{L}{2} + 1\right)^2 V_3 \quad (1)$$

where M_1 is the square of the term representing twice the quark mass minus the average well-depth; n is the number of strange quarks making up the boson, S is the spin-operator and L is the orbital angular momentum operator, ν is the total quantum number and Δ , V_1 , V_2 and V_3 are constants.

The $\vec{L} \cdot \vec{S}$ term is given by the formula

$$\vec{L} \cdot \vec{S} = (\vec{J}^2 - \vec{L}^2 - \vec{S}^2) / 2 \quad (2)$$

This yields for the triplet:

$$\vec{L} \cdot \vec{S} = L \quad \text{for } J = L + 1 \quad (3)$$

$$= -1 \quad \text{for } J = L \quad (4)$$

$$= -L - 1 \quad \text{for } J = L - 1 \quad (5)$$

For the singlet

$$\vec{L} \cdot \vec{S} = 0 \quad (6)$$

The $\vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2$ term is given by

$$\vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 = \frac{\vec{S}^2 - \vec{S}_1^2 - \vec{S}_2^2}{2} \quad (7)$$

This yields

$$\vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 = \frac{1}{4} \quad \text{for } S = 1 \quad (8)$$

$$= -3/4 \quad \text{for } S = 0 \quad (9)$$

The number of excess λ quarks making up the bosons is found by finding the expectation value of the quark content with respect to the Hamiltonian. A complete list is shown in the following table. A list giving the particle masses and the appropriate quantum numbers is also given in Table VI. Two graphs corresponding to this table are given in Pages 56 and 57.

TABLE V
NUMBER OF STRANGE QUARKS FOR MESONS

Particle	Number of Excess Λ Quarks
π	0
ρ	0
δ	0
A1	0
A2	0
B	0
π_A	0
K	1
K*	1
K_N	1
K*	1
K**	1
K*	1
η	1.333
ω	0
S*	0
f	0
E	0
\emptyset	0
D	2
f'	2
X_0	0.666

TABLE VI
 MESON MASSES WITH ν , L , $L.S$, $S_1.S_2$ VALUES

Particle	Mass in MeV	ν	L	$L.S$	$S_1.S_2$
π	135	0	0	0	-3/4
K	498	0	0	0	-3/4
η	549	0	0	0	-3/4
ρ	765	0	0	0	1/4
K^*	892	0	0	0	1/4
ϕ	1019	0	0	0	1/4
ω	784	0	0	0	1/4
δ	966	1	1	-2	1/4
K_N^*	1170	1	1	-2	1/4
S_N^*	1070	1	1	-2	1/4
A1	1070	1	1	-1	1/4
K^*	1230	1	1	-1	1/4
D	1285	1	1	-1	1/4
A2	1300	1	1	1	1/4
K^{**}	1420	1	1	1	1/4
f'	1514	1	1	1	1/4
f	1260	1	1	1	1/4
B	1235	1	1	0	-3/4
K^*	1320	1	1	0	-3/4
E	1422	2	0	0	-3/4
π_A	1640	2	2	0	-3/4

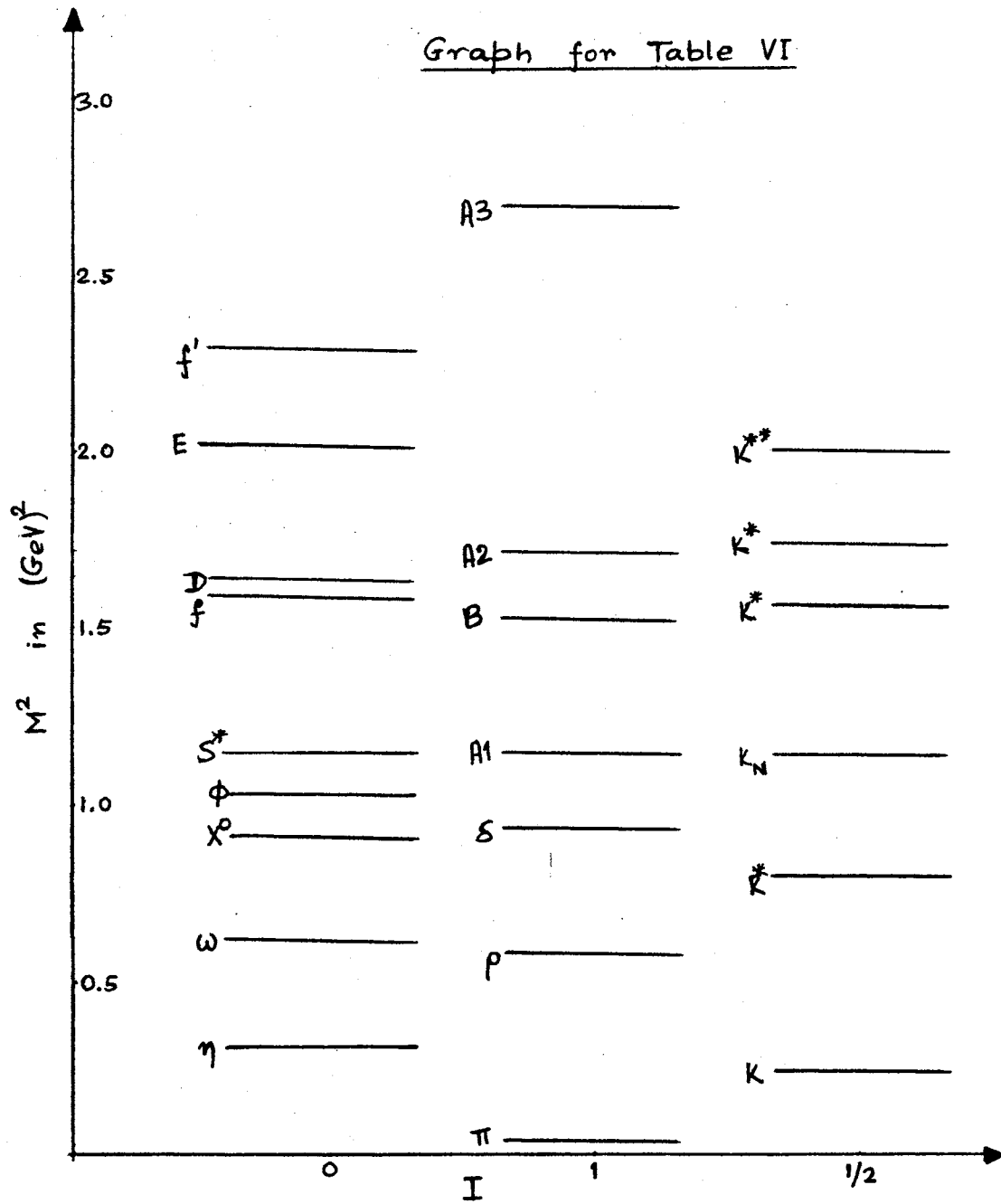


Figure 8. M^2 Versus I -Values for Mesons

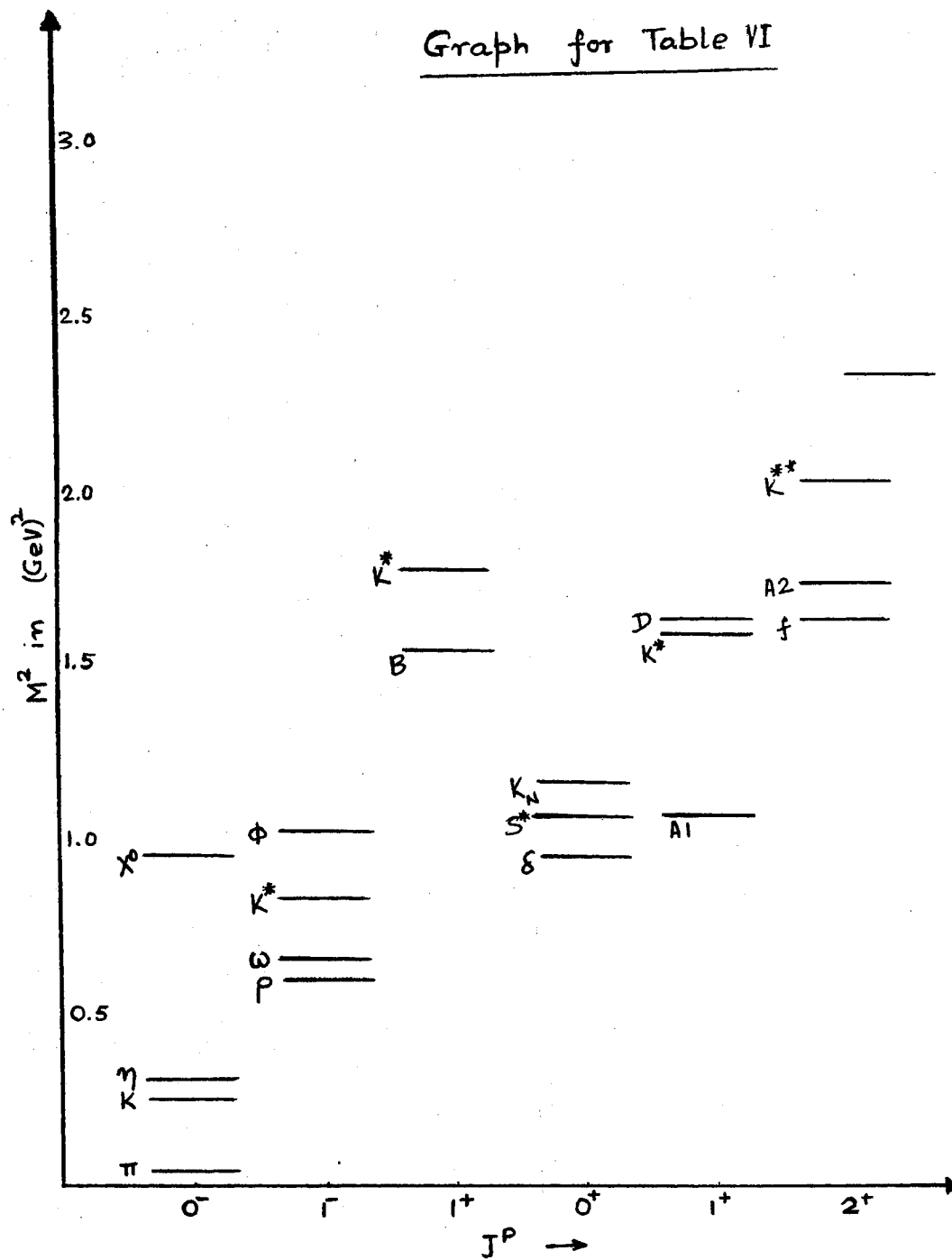


Figure 9. M^2 Versus J^P -Values for Mesons.

So according to our mass formula we have five unknown parameters to fit the experimentally established twenty-one masses. To obtain a best fit, we need to minimize (49)

$$R = \sum_{i=1}^{N=21} \left\{ \frac{t_i - a - bx_i - cz_i - dw_i - ey_i}{t_i} \right\}^2 \quad (10)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} t_i &= M_{\text{exp}}^2 \\ a &= M_1 \\ b &= \Delta \\ x_i &= n_1 \\ c &= V_1 \\ z_i &= L.S \\ d &= V_2 \\ w_i &= S_1 \cdot S_2 \\ e &= V_3 \\ y_i &= \left(v + \frac{L}{2} + 1 \right)^2 \dots \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore R &= \sum_{i=1}^{21} \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right]^2 \\ \frac{\partial R}{\partial a} &= -2 \sum \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right] \frac{1}{t_i} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial R}{\partial b} &= -2 \sum \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right] \frac{x_i}{t_i} = 0 \\ \frac{\partial R}{\partial c} &= -2 \sum \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right] \frac{z_i}{t_i} = 0 \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

$$\frac{\partial R}{\partial d} = -2 \sum \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right] \frac{w_i}{t_i} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial R}{\partial e} = -2 \sum \left[1 - \frac{a}{t_i} - b \frac{x_i}{t_i} - c \frac{z_i}{t_i} - d \frac{w_i}{t_i} - e \frac{y_i}{t_i} \right] \frac{y_i}{t_i} = 0 \quad (13)$$

So, we can write these equations in matrix form as:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sum \frac{1}{t_i} \\ \sum \frac{x_i}{t_i} \\ \sum \frac{z_i}{t_i} \\ \sum \frac{w_i}{t_i} \\ \sum \frac{y_i}{t_i} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum \frac{1}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{z_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{w_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{y_i}{t_i^2} \\ \sum \frac{x_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i^2}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i z_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{w_i x_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{y_i x_i}{t_i^2} \\ \sum \frac{z_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i z_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{z_i^2}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{w_i z_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{y_i z_i}{t_i^2} \\ \sum \frac{w_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i w_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{z_i w_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{w_i^2}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{y_i w_i}{t_i^2} \\ \sum \frac{y_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{x_i y_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{z_i y_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{w_i y_i}{t_i^2} & \sum \frac{y_i^2}{t_i^2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ d \\ e \end{bmatrix}$$

Evaluating the constants a, b, c, d and e with the help of a computer program (Appendix A) yields the values as:

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 = a &= 215071.5818717349 && (\text{MeV})^2 \\ \Delta = b &= 225594.9380004106 && (\text{MeV})^2 \\ V_1 = c &= 273067.3632776805 && (\text{MeV})^2 \\ V_2 = d &= 525934.6181602061 && (\text{MeV})^2 \\ V_3 = e &= 197697.6403414621 && (\text{MeV})^2 \end{aligned}$$

Using these values we have constructed a complete table of quark-antiquark meson states, as shown in Table VII. The table is correct up to three

significant decimal places. We have shown a comparison between the predicted masses and the experimental masses in Table VIII. We are also able to identify our predicted particles with the following, not fully confirmed, particles in Table IX. We have not taken into account the X^0 particle in our calculations. This is due to the appreciable mass difference between the singlet and the octet in the pseudoscalar nonet. If we take into account this mass difference, the X^0 can easily be fitted in our table. The average deviation turns out to be 4.7% for all the established mesons to date.

TABLE VII

COMPLETE TABLE OF QUARK-ANTIQUARK MESON STATES

ν	L	S	JPC	I=1	I=1/2	I=0	I=0	L.S	$S_1 \cdot S_2$
0	0	0	0+-	π (135)	K (494)	η (564)	X^0 (958)	0	-3/4
		1	1--	ρ (738)	K^* (877)	ϕ (998)	ω (738)	0	1/4
1	1	0	1+-	B (1032)	K^* (1138)	X_1 (1227)	X_2 (1027)	0	-3/4
		1	0++	δ (1022)	K_N (1128)	X_2^1 (1219)	S^* (1022)	-2	1/4
		1	1++	A1 (1148)	K^* (1242)	D_3 (1330)	X_4 (1144)	-1	1/4
		1	2++	A2 (1365)	K^{**} (1445)	f' (1521)	f (1365)	1	1/4
2	0	0	0+-	X_5 (1265)	X_6 (1351)	X_7 (1432)	E (1265)	0	-3/4
		1	1--	X_8 (1458)	X_9 (1533)	X_{10} (1605)	X_{11} (1458)	0	1/4
	2	0	2+-	A3 (1727)	X_{12} (1791)	X_{13} (1853)	X_{14} (1727)	0	-3/4
		1	1--	X_{15} (1640)	X_{16} (1707)	X_{17} (1772)	X_{18} (1640)	-3	1/4
		1	2--	X_{19} (1799)	X_{20} (1861)	X_{21} (1920)	X_{22} (1799)	-1	1/4
		1	3--	X_{23} (2013)	X_{24} (2069)	X_{25} (2123)	X_{26} (2013)	-2	1/4
3	1	0	1+-	X_{27} (1955)	X_{28} (2012)	X_{29} (2067)	X_{30} (1955)	0	-3/4
		1	0++	X_{31} (1950)	X_{32} (2007)	X_{33} (2063)	X_{34} (1950)	-2	1/4
		1	1++	X_{35} (2019)	X_{36} (2074)	X_{37} (2128)	X_{38} (2019)	-1	1/4
		1	2++	X_{39} (2150)	X_{40} (2202)	X_{41} (2253)	X_{42} (2150)	1	1/4
	3	0	3+-	X_{43} (2408)	X_{44} (2455)	X_{45} (2500)	X_{46} (2409)	0	-3/4
		1	2++	X_{47} (2288)	X_{48} (2337)	X_{49} (2384)	X_{50} (2288)	-4	1/4
		1	3++	X_{51} (2460)	X_{52} (2506)	X_{53} (2550)	X_{54} (2460)	-1	1/4
		1	4++	X_{55} (2673)	X_{56} (2715)	X_{57} (2756)	X_{58} (2673)	3	1/4

TABLE VII(Continued)

ν	L	S	JPC	I=1	I= $\frac{1}{2}$	I=0	I=0	L.S	$S_1 \cdot S_2$
4	0	0	0+	X ₅₉ (2182)	X ₆₀ (2233)	X ₆₁ (2283)	X ₆₂ (2182)	0	-3/4
		1	1--	X ₆₃ (2300)	X ₆₄ (2348)	X ₆₅ (2396)	X ₆₆ (2299)	0	1/4
	2	0	2+	X ₆₇ (2634)	X ₆₈ (2676)	X ₆₉ (2718)	X ₇₀ (2633)	0	-3/4
		1	1--	X ₇₁ (2578)	X ₇₂ (2621)	X ₇₃ (2664)	X ₇₄ (2577)	-3	1/4
		1	2--	X ₇₅ (2682)	X ₇₆ (2723)	X ₇₇ (2764)	X ₇₈ (2681)	-1	1/4
		1	3--	X ₇₉ (2830)	X ₈₀ (2869)	X ₈₁ (2909)	X ₈₂ (2830)	2	1/4
	4	0	4+	X ₈₃ (3083)	X ₈₄ (3119)	X ₈₅ (3156)	X ₈₆ (3083)	0	-3/4
		1	3--	X ₈₇ (2944)	X ₈₈ (2982)	X ₈₉ (3620)	X ₉₀ (2944)	-5	1/4
		1	4--	X ₉₁ (3124)	X ₉₂ (3160)	X ₉₃ (3195)	X ₉₄ (3124)	-1	1/4
		1	5--	X ₉₅ (3336)	X ₉₆ (3369)	X ₉₇ (3403)	X ₉₈ (3335)	4	1/4

TABLE VIII

COMPARISON OF EXPERIMENTAL AND PREDICTED MESONIC MASSES

Particle	Experimental Mass	Predicted Mass	% Error
π	135	135	0%
K	498	494	0.8%
η	549	564	2.8%
ρ	765	738	3.5%
K*	892	877	1.8%
ϕ	1019	998	2.0%
ω	784	738	6.0%
δ	966	1022	5.8%
K_N	1170	1128	3.5%
S*	1070	1022	4.0%
A1	1070	1148	7.0%
K*	1230	1242	0.9%
D	1285	1330	3.4%
A2	1300	1365	5.0%
K**	1420	1445	1.8%
f'	1514	1521	0.4%
f	1260	1365	8.0%
B	1235	1032	15.0%
K*	1320	1138	13.0%
E	1422	1265	10.0%
π_A	1640	1727	5.3%

TABLE IX
COMPARISON OF PREDICTED MESONS WITH NEW MESONS

Predicted JPC	Predicted Mesons	New Mesons	Predicted Mass	Experimental Mass
0+	X ₇	X ₀	1432	1430
1--	X ₈	X ₁	1458	1440
1--	X ₁₅	ρ'	1640	1660
1--	X ₁₈	ω ₋	1640	1675
2--	X ₁₉	X ₋	1799	1795
3+-	X ₄₃	U	2408	2360
2++	X ₄₉	NN̄	2384	2375
1--	X ₁₆	K _N	1707	1660
2--	X ₂₀	K _N	1861	1760

CHAPTER VI

CONCLUSIONS

We have presented in this thesis a model of the bosons in which they are viewed as bound states of a quark and an antiquark moving in a very deep potential. Some degree of symmetry has been implied in the model in two different ways. First, invariance under the isotopic spin transformations has been assumed to hold for two members of the quark triplet. Second, the binding potential has been assumed to be independent of the isotopic spin state of the bound pair. In comparing the model with real life, one finds some comforting successes. The mass difference between the Λ quark and nucleon quarks that describes the pseudoscalar and vector mass splittings also works for the tensor (2^+) nonet. The major importance of the non-relativistic quark approach lies in its potential for extrapolations of mass-spectra. Of course, some difficulties have already presented themselves. The B (1235) and K^* (1230) mesons seem not to fit very well with our parameters. Though the square-well parameter ma^2 has been determined, it's difficult to quote m separately since the value of a is not known.

At this moment, it is hard to take these difficulties seriously, remembering the uncertain state of our experimental information. We have been able to match our predictions with some new mesons, not yet fully confirmed experimentally. This seems to be a good indication of the success of the model. And, as mentioned before, all mesons,

established to date, fit into our formula with errors of the order of a few per cent.

This, then is the quark model for mesons. In spite of the fact, that no quark has yet been discovered in nature, most of the successes of the model are astonishing and essential features of the mathematical structure of the quark model must survive the test of time.

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APPENDIX

PROGRAM FOR CALCULATION OF MESONIC MASSES

This program, written in the Fortran IV language will calculate the constants a, b, c, d, e, and print out simultaneously the meson masses using the mass formula and the values of the constants. The data cards must give the values of the variables t, x, y, z and w. The masses are then adjusted to the appropriate table.

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$JOB NOSUBCHK,TIME=30   ASGK   RAY
1  IMPLICIT  REAL *8(A-H,O-Z)
2  REAL * 4 EPS
3  DIMENSION  T(119),X(119),Y(119),Z(119),W(119),R(5),A(25),S(5,5)
4  N=21
5  T(1)=135.D0**2
6  T(2)=498.D0**2
7  T(3)=765.D0**2
8  T(4)=892.D0**2
9  T(5)=1019.D0**2
10 T(6)=784.D0**2
11 T(7)=566.D0**2
12 T(8)=1170.D0**2
13 T(9)=1070.D0**2
14 T(10)=1230.D0 **2
15 T(11)=1300.D0**2
16 T(12)=1420.D0**2
17 T(13)=1235.D0**2
18 T(14)=1320.D0**2
19 T(15)=1285.D0**2
20 T(16)=1260.D0**2
21 T(17)=1514.D0**2
22 T(18)=1070.D0**2
23 T(19)=1422.D0**2
24 T(20)=1640.D0**2
25 T(21)=549.D0**2
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27 X(2)=1.000
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258	Z(114)=-1.000
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261	Z(117)=4.000
262	Z(118)=-1.000
263	Z(119)=-5.000
264	W(1)=-0.7500
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266	W(3)=0.2500
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268	W(5)=0.2500
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381	W(118)=0.2500
382	W(119)=0.2500
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385	Y(3)=1.000
386	Y(4)=1.000
387	Y(5)=1.000
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394	Y(12)=6.300
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397	Y(15)=6.300
398	Y(16)=6.300
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401	Y(19)=9.000
402	Y(20)=16.000
403	Y(21)=1.000
404	Y(22)=9.000
405	Y(23)=9.000
406	Y(24)=16.000
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408	Y(26)=16.000
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415	Y(33)=30.2500
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423	Y(41)=49.000
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427	Y(45)=9.000
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453	Y(71)=9.000
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459	Y(77)=20.2500
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463	Y(81)=30.2500
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467	Y(85)=25.000
468	Y(86)=25.000
469	Y(87)=36.000
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471	Y(89)=36.000
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473	Y(91)=49.000
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475	Y(93)=49.000
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477	Y(95)=6.2500
478	Y(96)=6.2500
479	Y(97)=9.000

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480      Y(98)=16.000
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482      Y(100)=16.000
483      Y(101)=16.000
484      Y(102)=20.2500
485      Y(103)=20.2500
486      Y(104)=20.2500
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491      Y(109)=30.2500
492      Y(110)=25.000
493      Y(111)=25.000
494      Y(112)=36.000
495      Y(113)=36.000
496      Y(114)=36.000
497      Y(115)=36.000
498      Y(116)=49.000
499      Y(117)=49.000
500      Y(118)=49.000
501      Y(119)=49.000
502      C      TO FIND S(1,1)
503      TSUM=0.00
504      DO 10 I=1,21
505      10 TSUM=1.00/(T(I)**2)+TSUM
506      S(1,1)=TSUM
507      C      TO FIND S(1,2)
508      XTSUM=0.00
509      DO 20 I=1,21
510      20 XTSUM=X(I)/(T(I)**2)+XTSUM
511      S(1,2)=XTSUM
512      C      TO FIND S(1,3)
513      ZTSUM=0.00
514      DO 30 I=1,21
515      30 ZTSUM=Z(I)/(T(I)**2)+ZTSUM
516      S(1,3)=ZTSUM
517      C      TO FIND S(1,4)
518      WTSUM=0.00
519      DO 40 I=1,21
520      40 WTSUM=W(I)/(T(I)**2)+WTSUM
521      S(1,4)=WTSUM
522      C      TO FIND S(1,5)
523      YTSUM=0.00
524      DO 50 I=1,21
525      50 YTSUM=Y(I)/(T(I)**2)+YTSUM
526      S(1,5)=YTSUM
527      C      TO FIND S(2,1)
528      S(2,1)=S(1,2)
529      C      TO FIND S(2,2)
530      XXTSUM=0.00
531      DO 60 I=1,21
532      60 XXTSUM=(X(I)*X(I))/(T(I)**2)+XXTSUM
533      S(2,2)=XXTSUM
534      C      TO FIND S(2,3)
535      XZTSUM=0.00
536      DO 70 I=1,21
537      70 XZTSUM=(X(I)*Z(I))/(T(I)**2)+XZTSUM
538      S(2,3)=XZTSUM
539      C      TO FIND S(2,4)

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531      XWTSUM=0.00
532      DO      80  I=1,21
533      80 XWTSUM=(X(I)*W(I))/(T(I)**2)+XWTSUM
534      S(2,4)=XWTSUM
535      C      TO FIND S(2,5)
536      XYTSUM=0.00
537      DO      90  I=1,21
538      90 XYTSUM=(X(I)*Y(I))/(T(I)**2)+XYTSUM
539      S(2,5)=XYTSUM
540      C      TO FIND S(3,1)
541      S(3,1)=S(1,3)
542      C      TO FIND S(3,2)
543      S(3,2)=S(2,3)
544      C      TO FIND S(3,3)
545      ZZTSUM=0.00
546      DO      100 I=1,21
547      100 ZZTSUM=(Z(I)*Z(I))/(T(I)**2)+ZZTSUM
548      S(3,3)=ZZTSUM
549      C      TO FIND S(3,4)
550      WZTSUM=0.00
551      DO      110 I=1,21
552      110 WZTSUM=(W(I)*Z(I))/(T(I)**2)+WZTSUM
553      S(3,4)=WZTSUM
554      C      TO FIND S(3,5)
555      YZTSUM=0.00
556      DO      120 I=1,21
557      120 YZTSUM=(Y(I)*Z(I))/(T(I)**2)+YZTSUM
558      S(3,5)=YZTSUM
559      C      TO FIND S(4,1)
560      S(4,1)=S(1,4)
561      C      TO FIND S(4,2)
562      S(4,2)=S(2,4)
563      C      TO FIND S(4,3)
564      S(4,3)=S(3,4)
565      C      TO FIND S(4,4)
566      WWTSUM=0.00
567      DO      130 I=1,21
568      130 WWTSUM=(W(I)*W(I))/(T(I)**2)+WWTSUM
569      S(4,4)=WWTSUM
570      C      TO FIND S(4,5)
571      YWTSUM=0.00
572      DO      140 I=1,21
573      140 YWTSUM=(Y(I)*W(I))/(T(I)**2)+YWTSUM
574      S(4,5)=YWTSUM
575      C      TO FIND S(5,1)
576      S(5,1)=S(1,5)
577      C      TO FIND S(5,2)
578      S(5,2)=S(2,5)
579      C      TO FIND S(5,3)
580      S(5,3)=S(3,5)
581      C      TO FIND S(5,4)
582      S(5,4)=S(4,5)
583      C      TO FIND S(5,5)
584      YYTSUM=0.00
585      DO      150 I=1,21
586      150 YYTSUM=(Y(I)*Y(I))/(T(I)**2)+YYTSUM
587      S(5,5)=YYTSUM
588      C      TO FIND R(1)
589      SUM=0.00
590      DO      160 I=1,21

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574 160 SUM=1.00/T(I)+SUM
575 R(1)=SUM
576 C TO FIND R(2)
576 XSUM=0.00
577 DO 170 I=1,21
578 170 XSUM=X(I)/T(I)+XSUM
579 R(2)=XSUM
580 C TO FIND R(3)
580 ZSUM=0.00
581 DO 180 I=1,21
582 180 ZSUM=Z(I)/T(I)+ZSUM
583 R(3)=ZSUM
584 C TO FIND R(4)
584 WSUM=0.00
585 DO 190 I=1,21
586 190 WSUM=W(I)/T(I)+WSUM
587 R(4)=WSUM
588 C TO FIND R(5)
588 YSUM=0.00
589 DO 200 I=1,21
590 200 YSUM=Y(I)/T(I)+YSUM
591 R(5)=YSUM
592 DO 1000 J=1,5
593 DO 1000 I=1,5
594 L=5*(J-1)+I
595 1000 A(L)=S(I,J)
596 EPS = 1.E-16
597 CALL SYSTEM(R,A,5,1,EPS,IER)
598 DO 500 K = 1,5
599 500 WRITE(6,600) R(K)
600 600 FORMAT(D26.16)
601 R(1)=R(1)
602 DEL=R(2)
603 Y1=R(3)
604 Y2=R(4)
605 VC=R(5)
606 DO 2000 K=1,21
607 RMASS2=R(1)+X(K)*DEL+Y1*Z(K)+Y2*W(K)+V0*Y(K)
608 2000 WRITE(6,5) K,RMASS2,T(K),DSQRT(RMASS2),DSQRT(T(K))
*EXTENSION* OTHER COMPILERS MAY NOT ALLOW EXPRESSIONS IN OUTPUT LISTS
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609 5 FORMAT(I5,4D26.16)
610 DO 5000 K=22,119
611 RMASS3=R(1)+X(K)*DEL+Y1*Z(K)+Y2*W(K)+V0*Y(K)
612 5000 WRITE(6,7)K,RMASS3,DSQRT(RMASS3)
*EXTENSION* OTHER COMPILERS MAY NOT ALLOW EXPRESSIONS IN OUTPUT LISTS
613 7 FORMAT(I5,2D26.16)
614 STOP
615 END

616 SUBROUTINE SYSTEM(R,A,M,N,EPS,IER)
617 IMPLICIT REAL * 8 (A-H,O-Z)
618 REAL * 4 EPS
619 DIMENSION A(1),R(1)

C ..... DELG 10
C ..... DELG 20
C ..... DELG 30
C SUBROUTINE CGELG DELG 40
C ..... DELG 50
C PURPOSE DELG 60

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	TO SOLVE A GENERAL SYSTEM OF SIMULTANEOUS LINEAR EQUATIONS.	DELG 70
	USAGE	DELG 80
	CALL DGELG(R,A,M,N,EPS,IER)	DELG 90
	DESCRIPTION OF PARAMETERS	DELG 100
	R - DOUBLE PRECISION M BY N RIGHT HAND SIDE MATRIX (DESTROYED). ON RETURN R CONTAINS THE SOLUTIONS OF THE EQUATIONS.	DELG 110
	A - DOUBLE PRECISION M BY M COEFFICIENT MATRIX (DESTROYED).	DELG 120
	M - THE NUMBER OF EQUATIONS IN THE SYSTEM.	DELG 130
	N - THE NUMBER OF RIGHT HAND SIDE VECTORS.	DELG 140
	EPS - SINGLE PRECISION INPUT CONSTANT WHICH IS USED AS RELATIVE TOLERANCE FOR TEST ON LOSS OF SIGNIFICANCE.	DELG 150
	IER - RESULTING ERROR PARAMETER CODED AS FOLLOWS	DELG 160
	IER=0 - NO ERROR,	DELG 170
	IER=-1 - NO RESULT BECAUSE OF M LESS THAN 1 OR PIVOT ELEMENT AT ANY ELIMINATION STEP EQUAL TO 0,	DELG 180
	IER=K - WARNING DUE TO POSSIBLE LOSS OF SIGNIFICANCE INDICATED AT ELIMINATION STEP K+1, WHERE PIVOT ELEMENT WAS LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO THE INTERNAL TOLERANCE EPS TIMES ABSOLUTELY GREATEST ELEMENT OF MATRIX A.	DELG 190
	REMARKS	DELG 200
	INPUT MATRICES R AND A ARE ASSUMED TO BE STORED COLUMNWISE IN M*N RESP. M*M SUCCESSIVE STORAGE LOCATIONS. ON RETURN SOLUTION MATRIX R IS STORED COLUMNWISE TOO.	DELG 210
	THE PROCEDURE GIVES RESULTS IF THE NUMBER OF EQUATIONS M IS GREATER THAN 0 AND PIVOT ELEMENTS AT ALL ELIMINATION STEPS ARE DIFFERENT FROM 0. HOWEVER WARNING IER=K - IF GIVEN - INDICATES POSSIBLE LOSS OF SIGNIFICANCE. IN CASE OF A WELL SCALED MATRIX A AND APPROPRIATE TOLERANCE EPS, IER=K MAY BE INTERPRETED THAT MATRIX A HAS THE RANK K. NO WARNING IS GIVEN IN CASE M=1.	DELG 220
	SUBROUTINES AND FUNCTION SUBPROGRAMS REQUIRED	DELG 230
	NONE	DELG 240
	METHOD	DELG 250
	SOLUTION IS DONE BY MEANS OF GAUSS-ELIMINATION WITH COMPLETE PIVOTING.	DELG 260
	DELG 270
620	IF(M)23,23,1	DELG 280
	SEARCH FOR GREATEST ELEMENT IN MATRIX A	DELG 290
621	1 IER=0	DELG 300
622	PIV=0.00	DELG 310
623	MM=M*M	DELG 320
624	NM=N*M	DELG 330
625	DO 3 L=1,MM	DELG 340
626	TB=DABS(A(L))	DELG 350
627	IF(TB-PIV)3,3,2	DELG 360
628	2 PIV=TB	DELG 370
629	I=L	DELG 380

630	3	CONTINUE	DELG 720
631		TOL=EPS*PIV	DELG 730
	C	A(I) IS PIVOT ELEMENT. PIV CONTAINS THE ABSOLUTE VALUE OF A(I).	DELG 740
	C		DELG 750
	C		DELG 760
	C	START ELIMINATION LOOP	DELG 770
632		LST=1	DELG 780
633		DO 17 K=1,M	DELG 790
	C		DELG 800
	C	TEST ON SINGULARITY	DELG 810
634		IF(PIV)23,23,4	DELG 820
635	4	IF(IER)7,5,7	DELG 830
636	5	IF(PIV-TOL)6,6,7	DELG 840
637	6	IER=K-1	DELG 850
638	7	PIV=1.00/A(I)	DELG 860
639		J=(I-1)/M	DELG 870
640		I=I-J*M-K	DELG 880
641		J=J+1-K	DELG 890
	C	I+K IS ROW-INDEX, J+K COLUMN-INDEX OF PIVOT ELEMENT	DELG 900
	C		DELG 910
	C	PIVOT ROW REDUCTION AND ROW INTERCHANGE IN RIGHT HAND SIDE R	DELG 920
642		DO 8 L=K,NM,M	DELG 930
643		LL=L+I	DELG 940
644		TB=PIV*R(LL)	DELG 950
645		R(LL)=R(L)	DELG 960
646	8	R(L)=TB	DELG 970
	C		DELG 980
	C	IS ELIMINATION TERMINATED	DELG 990
647		IF(K-M)9,18,18	DELG1000
	C		DELG1010
	C	COLUMN INTERCHANGE IN MATRIX A	DELG1020
648	9	LEND=LST+M-K	DELG1030
649		IF(J)12,12,10	DELG1040
650	10	II=J*M	DELG1050
651		DO 11 L=LST,LEND	DELG1060
652		TB=A(L)	DELG1070
653		LL=L+II	DELG1080
654		A(L)=A(LL)	DELG1090
655	11	A(LL)=TB	DELG1100
	C		DELG1110
	C	ROW INTERCHANGE AND PIVOT ROW REDUCTION IN MATRIX A	DELG1120
656	12	DO 13 L=LST,MM,M	DELG1130
657		LL=L+I	DELG1140
658		TB=PIV*A(LL)	DELG1150
659		A(LL)=A(L)	DELG1160
660	13	A(L)=TB	DELG1170
	C		DELG1180
	C	SAVE COLUMN INTERCHANGE INFORMATION	DELG1190
661		A(LST)=J	DELG1200
	C		DELG1210
	C	ELEMENT REDUCTION AND NEXT PIVOT SEARCH	DELG1220
662		PIV=0.DO	DELG1230
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664		J=0	DELG1250
665		DO 16 II=LST,LEND	DELG1260
666		PIV=-A(II)	DELG1270
667		IST=II+M	DELG1280
668		J=J+1	DELG1290
669		DO 15 L=IST,MM,M	DELG1300
670		LL=L-J	DELG1310

671	A(L)=A(L)+PIVI*A(II)	DELG1320
672	TB=DABS(A(L))	DELG1330
673	IF(TB-PIV)15,15,14	DELG1340
674	14 PIV=TB	DELG1350
675	I=L	DELG1360
676	15 CONTINUE	DELG1370
677	DO 16 L=K,MM,M	DELG1380
678	LL=L+J	DELG1390
679	16 R(LL)=R(LL)+PIVI*R(L)	DELG1400
680	17 LST=LST+M	DELG1410
	END OF ELIMINATION LOOP	DELG1420
	C	DELG1430
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	BACK SUBSTITUTION AND BACK INTERCHANGE	DELG1460
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683	LST=M+1	DELG1490
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685	II=LST-I	DELG1510
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688	L=A(L)+.5D0	DELG1540
689	DO 21 J=II,MM,M	DELG1550
690	TB=R(J)	DELG1560
691	LL=J	DELG1570
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693	LL=LL+1	DELG1590
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695	K=J+L	DELG1610
696	R(J)=R(K)	DELG1620
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698	22 RETURN	DELG1640
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