Present Status of the NN Weak Interaction and Recent Results

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- Ratio of weak to strong amplitudes is $10^{-7} \rightarrow$ Use Parity Violation



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Hadronic Weak interaction: DDH

- Low energy NN interaction in terms of the lowest energy mesons in which the pseudoscalar π meson and ρ and ω vector mesons couple a weak vertex to a strong vertex
- To relate to observables, need to calculate matrix elements. DDH used quark model, SU(6) symmetry, and non-leptonic hyperon decays to make estimates of the couplings

$$\begin{split} V_{DDH}^{PV}(\vec{r}) &= i \frac{h_{\pi}^{1} g_{\pi NN}}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{\tau_{1} \times \tau_{2}}{2} \right)_{z} \left(\sigma_{1} + \sigma_{2} \right) \cdot \left[\frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\pi}(\mathbf{r}) \right] \\ &- g_{\rho} \left(h_{\rho}^{0} p_{1} \cdot \tau_{2} + h_{\rho}^{1} \left(\frac{\tau_{1} \times \tau_{2}}{2} \right)_{z} + \frac{h_{\rho}^{2}}{2\sqrt{6}} \left((3\tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2})_{z} - \tau_{1} \cdot \tau_{2} \right) \right) \\ &\times \left(\left(\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2} \right) \cdot \left\{ \frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\rho}(\mathbf{r}) \right\} + i(1 + \chi_{V}) \sigma_{1} \times \sigma_{2} \cdot \left[\frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\rho}(\mathbf{r}) \right] \right) \\ &- g_{\omega} \left(h_{\omega}^{0} + h_{\omega}^{1} \left(\frac{\tau_{1} \times \tau_{2}}{2} \right)_{z} \right) \\ &\times \left(\left(\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2} \right) \cdot \left\{ \frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\omega}(\mathbf{r}) \right\} + i(1 + \chi_{S}) \sigma_{1} \times \sigma_{2} \cdot \left[\frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\omega}(\mathbf{r}) \right] \right) \\ &+ \left(\frac{\tau_{1} \times \tau_{2}}{2} \right)_{z} \left(\sigma_{1} + \sigma_{2} \right) \cdot \left[g_{\rho} h_{\rho}^{1} \left\{ \frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\rho}(\mathbf{r}) \right\} - g_{\omega} h_{\omega}^{1} \left\{ \frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\omega}(\mathbf{r}) \right\} \right) \\ &- ig_{\rho} h_{\rho}^{1'} \left(\frac{\tau_{1} \times \tau_{2}}{2} \right)_{z} \left(\sigma_{1} + \sigma_{2} \right) \cdot \left[\frac{p_{1} - p_{2}}{2m_{N}}, w_{\rho}(\mathbf{r}) \right] \end{split}$$

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|---------------|---------------------------------|----------------|------|------|
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| $h_{ ho}^{0}$ | -30.8 ↔→ 11.4 | -11.4 | -8.4 | -3.8 |
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• Initially thought $\Delta I = 1$ could be large \rightarrow motivated various experiments (including NPDGamma, $A_{\gamma} = -0.107 h_{\pi}^{1}$)

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Extracting the Couplings from Observables in DDH?

Heavy Nuclei had a natural basis:

 $X_{N(n,
ho)} = 5.5(h_{\pi}^{1} \pm 0.12h_{
ho}^{1} \pm 0.18h_{\omega}^{1}) - 1.1(h_{
ho}^{0} + 0.7h_{\omega}^{0})$



6→2 projection proved to be incompatible: too much theoretical error

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$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L}_{PV} &= - \left[\mathcal{C}^{(^{3}\!S_{1}-^{^{1}\!P_{1}})} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \vec{\sigma} \tau^{2} N \right)^{\dagger} \cdot \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \tau^{2} i \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D} N \right) \right. \\ &+ \mathcal{C}^{(^{1}\!S_{0}-^{^{3}\!P_{0}})}_{(\Delta I=0)} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \vec{\sigma} \tau^{2} \tau^{a} N \right)^{\dagger} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \vec{\sigma} \cdot \tau^{2} \vec{\tau} i \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D} N \right) \\ &+ \mathcal{C}^{(^{1}\!S_{0}-^{^{3}\!P_{0}})}_{(\Delta I=1)} \epsilon_{ab} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \tau^{2} \tau^{a} N \right)^{\dagger} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \vec{\sigma} \cdot \tau^{2} \tau^{b} \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D} N \right) \\ &+ \mathcal{C}^{(^{1}\!S_{0}-^{^{3}\!P_{0}})}_{(\Delta I=2)} \mathcal{I}_{ab} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \tau^{2} \tau^{a} N \right)^{\dagger} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \vec{\sigma} \cdot \tau^{2} \tau^{b} \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D} N \right) \\ &+ \mathcal{C}^{(^{3}\!S_{1}-^{^{3}\!P_{1}})} \epsilon_{ijk} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \sigma^{i} \tau^{2} N \right)^{\dagger} \left(N^{T} \sigma^{2} \sigma^{k} \tau^{2} \tau^{3} \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D}^{j} N \right) \right] + \mathrm{H.c.} \,, \end{split}$$

• 5 LECs. Can only use two-body systems

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Hadronic Weak Interaction: $1/N_c$ hierarchy

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- First, Phillips et al used the 1/N_c expansion of QCD to tackle the PV NN force in the DDH framework

$$\begin{split} h_{\rho}^{0} &\sim \sqrt{N_{c}}, \qquad h_{\rho}^{2} \sim \sqrt{N_{c}} \\ \frac{h_{\rho}^{1'}}{\sin^{2}\theta_{W}} \lesssim \sqrt{N_{c}}, \qquad \frac{h_{\omega}^{1}}{\sin^{2}\theta_{W}} \sim \sqrt{N_{c}} \\ \frac{h_{\rho}^{1}}{\sin^{2}\theta_{W}} \lesssim \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{c}}}, \qquad \frac{h_{\pi}^{1}}{\sin^{2}\theta_{W}} \lesssim \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{c}}}, \qquad h_{\omega}^{0} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{c}}} \end{split}$$

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Theory

Hadronic Weak Interaction: $1/N_c$ hierarchy EFT

- First developed by Schindler et al in EFT(π) (5 couplings), with LEC C's (related to the DDH couplings and the Λ's in the following)
- Showed that the two isoscalar terms are related to one another by a factor of 3 up to $O(1/N_c^2)$ corrections. Can go from 5 \rightarrow 4 effective couplings

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{C}^{(^3S_1-^1P_1)} \sim N_c , \\ & \mathcal{C}^{(^1S_0-^3P_0)}_{(\Delta I=0)} \sim N_c , \\ & \mathcal{C}^{(^1S_0-^3P_0)}_{(\Delta I=1)} \sim N_c^0 \sin^2 \theta_W , \end{aligned}$$
(33)
$$& \mathcal{C}^{(^1S_0-^3P_0)}_{(^1\Delta I=2)} \sim N_c , \\ & \mathcal{C}^{(^3S_1-^3P_1)}_{(^3S_1-^3P_1)} \sim N_c^0 \sin^2 \theta_W . \end{aligned}$$

As before, the two isoscalar terms are not independent at leading order in the large- N_c counting, but up to $1/N_c^2$ corrections are related by

$$\mathcal{C}^{(^{3}S_{1}-^{1}P_{1})} = 3 \, \mathcal{C}^{(^{3}S_{0}-^{3}P_{0})}_{(\Delta I=0)} \,.$$
(34)

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 $V_{\rm LO}^{\rm PN}$

 A recent review by Gardner, Haxton, and Holstein (GHH) finds a new basis of LO and makes predictions using a mapping from DDH



$$\begin{split} {}^{C}(\mathbf{r}) &= \Lambda_{0}^{1} {}^{S_{0}-^{3}\mathrm{P}_{0}} \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{A}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot (\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2}) - \frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{S}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot i(\sigma_{1} \times \sigma_{2}) \right) \\ &+ \Lambda_{0}^{^{3}S_{1}-^{1}\mathrm{P}_{1}} \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{A}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot (\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2}) + \frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{S}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot i(\sigma_{1} \times \sigma_{2}) \right) \\ &+ \Lambda_{1}^{^{1}S_{0}-^{3}\mathrm{P}_{0}} \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{A}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot (\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2})(\tau_{1z} + \tau_{2z}) \right) \\ &+ \Lambda_{1}^{^{3}S_{1}-^{3}\mathrm{P}_{1}} \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{A}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot (\sigma_{1} + \sigma_{2})(\tau_{1z} - \tau_{2z}) \right) \\ &+ \Lambda_{2}^{^{1}S_{0}-^{3}\mathrm{P}_{0}} \left(\frac{1}{i} \frac{\overleftarrow{\nabla}_{A}}{2m_{N}} \frac{\delta^{3}(\mathbf{r})}{m_{\rho}^{2}} \cdot (\sigma_{1} - \sigma_{2})(\tau_{1} \otimes \tau_{2})_{20} \right), \end{split}$$

| Coeff | DDH | Girlanda | Large ${\cal N}_c$ |
|--|---|---|------------------------|
| $\boxed{\Lambda_0^+ \equiv \frac{3}{4} \Lambda_0^{^3S_1 - ^1P_1} + \frac{1}{4} \Lambda_0^{^1S_0 - ^3P_0}}$ | $-g_ ho h^0_ ho (rac{1}{2} + rac{5}{2} \chi_ ho) - g_\omega h^0_\omega (rac{1}{2} - rac{1}{2} \chi_\omega)$ | $2\mathcal{G}_1 + \tilde{\mathcal{G}}_1$ | $\sim N_c$ |
| $\Lambda_0^- \equiv \frac{1}{4} \Lambda_0^{3S_1 - 1P_1} - \frac{3}{4} \Lambda_0^{1S_0 - 3P_0}$ | $g_{\omega}h^0_{\omega}(\frac{3}{2} + \chi_{\omega}) + \frac{3}{2}g_{\rho}h^0_{\rho}$ | $-\mathcal{G}_1 - 2\tilde{\mathcal{G}}_1$ | $\sim 1/N_c$ |
| $\Lambda_1^{1S_0-{}^3P_0}$ | $-g_ ho h_ ho^1(2{+}\chi_ ho) - g_\omega h_\omega^1(2{+}\chi_\omega)$ | \mathcal{G}_2 | $\sim \sin^2 \theta_w$ |
| $\Lambda_1^{^3S_1-^3P_1}$ | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}g_{\pi NN}h_{\pi}^{1}\left(\frac{m_{ ho}}{m_{\pi}}\right)^{2} + g_{ ho}(h_{ ho}^{1} - h_{ ho}^{1\prime}) - g_{\omega}h_{\omega}^{1}$ | $2\mathcal{G}_6$ | $\sim \sin^2 \theta_w$ |
| $^{1}S_{0}-{}^{3}P_{0}$ | $-g_ ho h_ ho^2(2+\chi_ ho)$ | $-2\sqrt{6}G_5$ | $\sim N_c$ |

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Hadronic Weak Interaction: Theory Outlook

- DDH is an important theoretical framework. It is model dependent, but can still be used to describe experiments
- Lots of theoretical work has been done and ongoing. 1/N_c hierarchy is a great step forward
- pionless EFT, 2-body, 4 (5-1) LECs = at least 4 experiments
 - $\vec{n} + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$ spin-angular asymmetry (completed, ~47% error)
 - $\vec{n} + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$ circular polarization (large error)
 - n p spin rotation
 - p p longitudinal asymmetry (completed, ~16% error)
 - $\vec{\gamma} + d \rightarrow n + p$ (difficult, not bright enough γ source)
- EFT, GHH, DDH equivalent
 - Few- and many-body calculations ongoing
 - Difficult theory, but can express observables in the theory



Theory

Hadronic Weak Interaction: Experiments

Experimental approaches:

- Heavy Nuclei:
 - Small level spacings \rightarrow large PV signals
 - Theoretical interpretations more difficult

• Few-body:

- Large level spacings \rightarrow small PV signals
- Little or no theoretical error







NN Weak Interactions:

Experiments

Hadronic Weak interaction: Exp's with Theory Interpretation?

Experiments with too much theoretical uncertainty?

- γ Circular Polarization of Heavy Nuclei:
 - E.g. ⁴⁰K, ¹⁷⁵Lu, ¹⁸¹Ta
 - All in the basis $X_{N(n,p)} = 5.5(h_\pi^1 \pm 0.12 h_\rho^1 \pm 0.18 h_\omega^1) 1.1(h_\rho^0 0.7 h_\omega^0)$

¹³³Cs, ²⁰⁵Tl anapole moment

• Theory of nuclear anapole moment? (W. S. Wilburn, J. D. Bowman, Phys.Rev. C, **57** (1998))



Hadronic Weak interaction: Heavy Nuclei Experiments

• ¹⁸F: $P_{\gamma} = 12 \pm 38 \times 10^{-5}$ (Caltech/Seattle, Mainz, Florence, Queens)

- Mixing of the 0⁺, ΔI = 1 decay into the 0⁻, ΔI = 0 state gives circular polarization in the 1.081 MeV γ emitted: →= pure ΔI = 1 transition
- Small mass difference between the two states acts as a nuclear amplifier
- Couplings: $4385h_{\pi}^1 492h_{\rho}^1 833h_{\omega}^1$, or $\Lambda_1^{{}^3S_1 {}^3P_1} + 2.42\Lambda_1^{{}^1S_0 {}^3P_0}$
- ^{19}F : $\textit{A}_{\gamma}=7.4\pm1.9\times10^{-5}$ (Seattle, Mainz)

NN Weak Interactions:

- Angular asymmetry in the polarized excited 1/2⁻ to the 1/2⁺ ground state
- Couplings: $\Lambda_0^{^1S_0-^3P_0} + 0.67\Lambda_1^{^1S_0-^3P_0} + 0.43\Lambda_0^{^3S_1-^1P_1} + 0.29\Lambda_1^{^3S_1-^3P_1}$



Heavy Nuclei Experiments





 $\vec{p} - \vec{p}$ scattering: best constraints still

- A_L = -0.93 ± 0.21 (13 MeV, Bonn), -1.7 ± 0.8 (15 MeV, LANL), -1.57 ± 0.23 ×10⁻⁷ (45 MeV, PSI)
 - Longitudinal analyzing power of polarized protons on an un-polarized target

• GHH:
$$\Lambda_0^{1}S_0^{-3}P_0^{} + \Lambda_1^{1}S_0^{-3}P_0^{} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\Lambda_2^{1}S_0^{-3}P_0^{} = 419 \pm 43$$

• DDH:
$$-(h_{
ho}^0 - 0.7 h_{\omega}^0) = 25 \pm 6.1$$

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 $\vec{p} - \vec{\alpha}$ scattering

- $A_L = 3.3 \pm 0.9 \times 10^{-7}$ (46 MeV, PSI)
 - Longitudinal analyzing power of protons on ⁴He target

• GHH:
$$\Lambda_0^{^1S_0-^3P_0} + 0.89\Lambda_1^{^1S_0-^3P_0} + 0.75\Lambda_0^{^3S_1-^1P_1} + 0.32\Lambda_1^{^3S_1-^3P_1} = 930 \pm 253$$

- DDH: -0.34 h_{π}^1 0.05 h_{ρ}^1 0.06 h_{ω}^1 + 0.14 h_{ρ}^0 + 0.06 h_{ω}^0 = 3.3 \pm 0.9
- Similar combination as ¹⁹F



Neutron Spin Rotation in ⁴**He** to begin soon at NIST: $\frac{d\phi}{dz}$ LO: Λ_0^+



- Previous result statistics limited: +1.7 \pm 9.1 (stat) \pm 1.4 (sys) \times 10⁻⁷ rad/m
- $\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{k}$ interaction causes an accumulation of phase: corkscrew motion!
- Use various configurations of magnetic fields to isolate the effect
- 5th force program at LANL using same apparatus (sans ⁴He) finished, published in PRB https://doi.org/10.1016/j.physletb.2018.06.066



Few-body Experiments

Neutron Spin Rotation in n - p: $\frac{d\phi}{dz}$ LO: $\Lambda_0^+ + 2.7 \Lambda_2^{1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$



- Motivation for *n* − *p* spin rotation:
 - Sensitive to leading order $\Delta I = 0,2$
 - One of the 4 experiments needed for pionless EFT
 - Could have a large signal (expectation based on experimental data now)



Hadronic Weak interaction: NPDGamma

NPDGamma ($\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{k}$) at the SNS at ORNL, goal: $h_{\pi}^{1} \sim 1 \times 10^{-7}$



• Flipping the neutron polarization is equivalent to a parity transformation

• Large statistics! Must collect 10¹⁶ photons to see 10⁻⁸ asymmetry!

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NN Weak Interactions:

Few-body Experiments

Final Results: accepted for publication in PRL!



• Three separate analyses agreed at the few 10^{-10} level!

$$\begin{array}{c|c} \hline A_{\gamma} = -3.0 \pm 1.4 \times 10^{-8} \\ \bullet & h_{\pi}^{1} = (2.6 \pm 1.2) \times 10^{-7}, \ C_{1}^{3S \rightarrow ^{3}P_{1}}/C_{0} = -7.4 \pm 3.5 \times 10^{-11} \ \mathrm{MeV^{-1}}, \\ & \Lambda_{1}^{^{3}S_{1} \rightarrow ^{3}P_{1}} = 810 \pm 380 \times 10^{-7} \\ \hline & J. \mathrm{Fry} (\mathrm{UVa}) & \mathrm{NN} \ \mathrm{Weak \ Interactions:} \quad \mathrm{Few-body \ Experiments} \quad \mathrm{Dec} \ 11, 2018 & 19/26 \end{array}$$

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Editors' Suggestion

First Observation of P-odd y Asymmetry in Polarized Neutron Capture on Hydrogen

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NN Weak Interactions: Few-body Experiments

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- This **could** fit into the $1/N_c$ hierarchy. (h_{ω}^1 favored, h_{ρ}^1 and h_{π}^1 disfavored)







n-3He at the SNS at ORNL: $-\Lambda_0^+ + 0.227 \Lambda_2^{1S_0-^3P_0}$



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The review by Gardner et al finds a new basis of LO and makes predictions using a mapping from DDH and $1/N_c$ hierarchy EFT expectations

$$\begin{array}{cccc} \left[\frac{2}{5}\Lambda_{0}^{+} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}\Lambda_{2}^{1S_{0}-3P_{0}} \right] + \left[-\frac{6}{5}\Lambda_{0}^{-} + \Lambda_{1}^{1S_{0}-3P_{0}} \right] &=& 419 \pm 43 & A_{L}(\vec{\mathrm{pp}}) \\ \hline \\ 1.3\Lambda_{0}^{+} + \left[-0.9\Lambda_{0}^{-} + 0.89\Lambda_{1}^{1S_{0}-3P_{0}} + 0.32\Lambda_{1}^{3S_{1}-3P_{1}} \right] &=& 930 \pm 253 & A_{L}(\vec{\mathrm{pa}}) \\ & \left[\left[2.42\Lambda_{1}^{1S_{0}-3P_{0}} + \Lambda_{1}^{3S_{1}-3P_{1}} \right] \right] &<& 340 & P_{\gamma}(^{18}\mathrm{F}) \\ \hline \\ 0.92\Lambda_{0}^{+} + \left[-1.03\Lambda_{0}^{-} + 0.67\Lambda_{1}^{1S_{0}-3P_{0}} + 0.29\Lambda_{1}^{3S_{1}-3P_{1}} \right] &=& 661 \pm 169 & A_{\gamma}(^{19}\mathrm{F}) \\ & \left[\left| \Lambda_{1}^{3S_{1}-3P_{1}} \right| \right] &<& \epsilon 270 & A_{\gamma}(\vec{\mathrm{np}} \to \mathrm{d}\gamma) \end{array}$$

| Observable | Exp. Status | LO Expectation | LO LEC Dependence | |
|--|---|-------------------------------|--|--|
| $A_{\rm p}(\vec{\rm n}+^{3}{\rm He}^{3}{\rm H+p})$ | ongoing | -1.8×10^{-8} | $-\Lambda_0^+ + 0.227 \Lambda_2^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$ | |
| $A_{\gamma}(\vec{n}+d\rightarrow t+\gamma)$ | $8\times 10^{-6}~({\rm see~text})~[58]$ | 7.3×10^{-7} | $\Lambda_0^+ + 0.44 \Lambda_2^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$ | |
| $P_{\gamma}(n+p \rightarrow d+\gamma)$ | $(1.8 \pm 1.8) \times 10^{-7} [57]$ | 1.4×10^{-7} | $\Lambda_0^+ + 1.27 \Lambda_2^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$ | |
| $\frac{d\phi^{n}}{dz}\Big _{\text{parahydrogen}}$ | none | $9.4\times 10^{-7}~\rm rad/m$ | $\Lambda_0^+ + 2.7 \Lambda_2^{^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$ | |
| $\left. \frac{d\phi^{\mathrm{n}}}{dz} \right _{\mathrm{^{4}He}}$ | $(1.7 \pm 9.1 \pm 1.4) \times 10^{-7}$ [56] | $6.8\times 10^{-7}~\rm rad/m$ | Λ_0^+ | |
| $A_L(\vec{\mathbf{p}}+\mathbf{d})$ | $(-3.5\pm8.5)\times10^{-8}~[43]$ | -4.6×10^{-8} | $-\Lambda_0^+$ | |

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Prior to NPDGamma more severe conflict with DDH "best values"



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NN Weak Interactions: P

After NPDGamma conflict with DDH "best values" somewhat mitigated



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NN Weak Interactions:

After n-³He... need more experiments to clean up the landscape



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NN Weak Interactions: Pheno

Hadronic Weak interaction: What Exps Should We Pursue?

Wouldn't it be nice to have a 10% measurement of LO couplings?

NPDGamma and n-³He shows us how NLO and NNLO can affect LO. Need more experiments!

Completed, can be done with more precision

Done, does not contribute to the determination of the couplings Not attempted

| | Normed Observable | LO Expression | NNLO Correction |
|---|--|---|---|
| $ec{n} + {}^3	ext{He} ightarrow {}^3	ext{H} + p$ | $rac{364}{10^{-8}}A_{ m p}$ | $-\Lambda_0^+ + 0.227 \Lambda_2^{^1S_0 - ^3P_0}$ | $- \left[3.82 \Lambda_0^- + 8.18 \Lambda_1^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0} + 2.27 \Lambda_1^{{}^3S_1 - {}^3P_1} \right]$ |
| $\vec{n} + d \rightarrow t + \gamma$ | $rac{118}{10^{-7}} A_\gamma$ | $\Lambda_0^+ + 0.44 \Lambda_2^{^1S_0 - {^3P_0}}$ | $-\left[1.86\Lambda_{0}^{-}+0.65\Lambda_{1}^{{}^{1}S_{0}-{}^{3}P_{0}}+0.42\Lambda_{1}^{{}^{3}S_{1}-{}^{3}P_{1}}\right]$ |
| $n + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$ | $\frac{825}{10^{-7}} P_{\gamma}$ | $\Lambda_0^+ + 1.27 \Lambda_2^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}$ | $\left[0.47\Lambda_0^{-} ight]$ |
| $\vec{n} - p \text{SR}$ | $\frac{180}{10^{-7}} \frac{d\phi^n}{dz} \Big _{\text{parahydrogen}}$ | $(\Lambda_0^+ + 2.82 \Lambda_2^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0}) ~ \mathrm{rad/m}$ | $-\left[3.15\Lambda_{0}^{-}+1.94\Lambda_{1}^{^{3}S_{1}-^{^{3}}P_{1}} ight]\mathrm{rad/m}$ |
| \vec{n} – ⁴ He SR | $\frac{105}{10^{-7}} \frac{d\phi^{\mathrm{n}}}{dz}\Big _{^{4}\mathrm{He}}$ | $\Lambda_0^+ ~{ m rad}/{ m m}$ | $- \left[1.61 \Lambda_0^- + 0.92 \Lambda_1^{^1S_0 - {^3P_0}} + 0.35 \Lambda_1^{^3S_1 - {^3P_1}}\right] \mathrm{rad/m}$ |
| $\vec{p} + d$ | $rac{156}{10^{-8}}A_L$ | $-\Lambda_0^+$ | $+ \left[1.75 \Lambda_0^ 1.09 \Lambda_1^{{}^1S_0 - {}^3P_0} - 1.25 \Lambda_1^{{}^3S_1 - {}^3P_1}\right]$ |

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Summary and Outlook

- Now have 3 few-body experiments (NPDGamma, $n-{}^{3}$ He, and p-p)
- The community is developing a plan on the next steps for the theory and experiment:
 - Workshop at KITP in March 2018
 - Considering a workshop at ORNL
- What can we do going forward?
 - \vec{n} -⁴He spin rotation experiment is planned at NIST
 - $\vec{n} p$ spin rotation
 - $n + p \rightarrow d + \gamma$ spin-angular and circular polarization
 - $\vec{n} + d \rightarrow t + \gamma$
 - $\vec{n} + {}^3 \text{He} \rightarrow {}^3 \text{H} + p$
 - LQCD calculations of $\Delta I = 2$ might be possible!

