Spectroscopic studies of S = -2 systems

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Hyper-nuclear chart



Physics Motivation

- A doorway to the multistrangeness system
- Very dynamic system?
 - Large baryon mixing?
 Inversely proportional to mass difference.
 - H dibaryon as a mixed state of $\Lambda\Lambda$ - Ξ N- $\Sigma\Sigma$?
- Little is known so far

 → Main motivation of
 the J-PARC



Approved experiments

----- J-PARC PAC Approval summary -----

		(Co-) Spokespersons	Affiliation(*)	Title of the experiment	Approval status	Slow Dev12	line priority
P01		V. Sumachev	Petersburg Nulear Physics Institute	Proposal on measurements of the spin rotation parameters A and R at the J-PARC in the resonance region of $\pi\text{-N}$ elastic scattering	Rejected	bujii	bayr rriorrey
P02	Lol	P. Aslanyan	Laboratory for High Energy, JINR	Study of Exotic Multiquark States with Λ -Hyperons and K $^0{}_{ m S}$ Meson Systems at JPARC	-		
P03		K. Tanida	Kyoto U	Measurement of X rays from B ⁻ Atom	Stage 1		EO3
P04		J. C. Peng; S. Sawada	U.of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; KEK	Measurement of High-Mass Dimuon Production at the 50-GeV Proton Synchrotron	Deferred		
P05		T. Nagae	KEK	Spectroscopic Study of E-Hypernucleus, ¹² mBe, via the ¹² C(K ⁻ , K ⁺) Reaction	Stage 2	00,1	<u>LE05</u>
P06		J. Imazato	KEK	Measurement of T-violating Transverse Muon Polarization in K $^* \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^* \nu$ Decays	Stage 1		
P07		K. Imai, K. Nakazawa, H. Tamura	Kyoto U., Gifu U., Tohoku U.	Systematic Study of Double Strangeness System with an Emulsion-counter Hybrid Method	Stage 1 🚽		E07
P08		A. Krutenkova	ITEP	Pion double charge exchange on oxygen at J-PARC	-		
P09	Lol	T. Nakano	RCNP, Osaka U	Study of Exotic Hadrons with S=+1 and Rare Decay K $^* \to \pi^* v~v$ bar with Low-momentum Kaon Beam at J-PARC	-		
P10		A. Sakaguchi	Osaka U	Study on A-Hypernuclei with the Charge-Exchange Reactions	Deferred		
P11		K.Nishikawa	KEK	Tokai-to-Kamioka (T2K) Long Baseline Neutrino Oscillation Experimental Proposal	Stage 2		
P12	Lol	S. Choi	Seoul National University	Study of Parton Distribution Function of Mesons via Drell-Yan Process at J-PARC at High-p beamline	-		
P13		T. Tamura	Tohoku U.	Gamma-ray spectroscopy of light hypernuclei	Stage 2	Payl	2
P14		T. Yamanaka	Osaka University	Proposal for $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 v v$ -bar Experiment at J-PARC	Stage 1		
P15		M. Iwasaki, T. Nagae	RIKEN, KEK	A Search for deeply-bound kaonic nuclear states by in-flight 3He(K-, n) reaction	Stage 1	Dayi	
P16		S. Yokkaichi	RIKEN	Electron pair spectrometer at the J-PARC 50-GeV PS to explore the chiral symmetry in QCD	Deferred		
P17		R. Hayano, H. Outa	U. Tokyo, RIKEN	Precision spectroscopy of Kaonic ³ He 3d->2p X-rays	Stage 1	Dayı	
P18		H. Bhang, H. Outa, H. Park	SNU, RIKEN, KRISS	Coincidence Measurement of the Weak Decay of ¹² C and the three-body weak interaction process	Deferred		
P19		M. Naruki	RIKEN	High-resolution Search for ⊖ [*] Pentaquark in πp → KX Reactions	Stage1	Day1	
P20	Lol	Y. Kuno	Osaka U	An Experimental Search for μ [−] −e [−] Conversion at Sensitivity of 10 ⁻¹⁸ with a High Intense Muon Source, PRISM	-		



Letter of Intent No presentation this time Experiment at the fast extraction beam Experiment at the third extraction beam

: Affiliation of the spokespersons

3 experiments approved for S=-2 nucl. phys.

Approved experiments

E03: Measurement of X rays from Ξ^- atom Spokesperson – K. Tanida (Kyoto) E05: Spectroscopic study of Ξ -hypernucleus, ${}^{12}_{\Xi}Be$, via the ${}^{12}C(K^-,K^+)$ reaction (Day 1 – 1st priority) Spokesperson – T. Nagae (Kyoto) E07: Systematic study of double strangeness system with an emulsion-counter hybrid method Spokespersons – K. Imai (Kyoto) K. Nakazawa (Gifu) H. Tamura (Tohoku)

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Missing mass spectroscopy of ${}^{12}C(K^-,K^+)X \rightarrow {}^{12}_{\Xi}Be, {}^{12}_{\Lambda\Lambda}Be$



1.8 GeV/c K⁻ beam

high intensity 1.4x10⁶ K⁻ /spill (Phase-1)

high purity $K^-/\pi^- \sim 6.9$

Importance of Ξ systems

- Valuable information on ΞN (effective) interaction
 - e.g., How strong $\Xi N \rightarrow \Lambda \Lambda$ (and thus $\Xi N \cdot \Lambda \Lambda$ mixing) is?
 - Relevant to the existence of H dibaryon
 - ΞN component in $\Lambda\Lambda$ -hypernuclei
 - Exchange interaction is prohibited in one-meson exchange models
- How about A dependence?
- Impact on neutron stars
 - Does Ξ⁻ play significant role in neutron stars because of its negative charge?
 - Σ^- was supposed to be important, but its interaction with neutron matter is found to be strongly repulsive.

ΞN interaction model and ΞA optical potential

Model	Т	¹ S ₀	³ S ₁	¹ P ₁	³ P ₀	³ P ₁	³ P ₂	U_{Ξ}	Γ_{Ξ}
NHC-D	0	-2.6	0.1	-2.1	-0.2	-0.7	-1.9		
	1	-3.2	-2.3	-3.0	-0.0	-3.1	-6.3	-25.2	0.9
Ehime	0	-0.9	-0.5	-1.0	0.3	-2.4	-0.7		
	1	-1.3	-8.6	-0.8	-0.4	-1.7	-4.2	-22.3	0.5
ESCO4d*	0	6.3	-18.4	1.2	1.5	-1.3	-1.9		
	1	7.2	-1.7	-0.8	- <mark>0.5</mark>	-1.2	-2.8	-12.1	12.7

- One boson exchange (NHC-D, Ehime)
 - strong attraction in odd states \rightarrow strong A dependence
- ESC04d*
 - strong attraction in ${}^{3}S_{1}(T=0)$

SksPlus Spectrometer



- 95° total bend
- ~7m flight path
- $\Delta x=0.3 \text{ mm} (\text{RMS})$

high resolution: $\Delta E \sim 3 \text{ MeV}$



¹²C(K⁻,K⁺)¹²_ΞBe spectra calculated by W.S. potential



		V [±] ₀ [MeV]			
states		-24	-20	-16	-12
s-state		[nb/s			
$0p_{3/2} \rightarrow 0s_{1/2}$	1-	215	168	123	81
p-states				[n	b/sr]
0p _{3/2} →0p _{3/2}	0+	29	20	_	_
	2+	164	103	_	_
0p _{3/2} →0p1 _{/2}	2+	152	93	_	_
sum		345	216	—	—

K.Ikeda, et al, Prog. Theor. Phys. 91 (1994) 747 ; Y.Yamamoto, et al, Prog. Theor. Phys. Suppl. 117 (1994) 281



E03 X-ray spectroscopy of Ξ atom

- The first measurement of X rays from Ξ -atom
 - Gives direct information on the ΞA optical potential
- Produce Ξ⁻ by the Fe(K⁻,K⁺) reaction, make it stop in the target, and measure X rays.



- Aiming at establishing the experimental method
- Possibility for double- $\Lambda \gamma$ -ray



Successfully used for π^- , K⁻, \overline{p} , and Σ^-

Experimental setup



- Long used at KEK-PS K2 beamline (E373, E522, ...)
 - Minor modification is necessary to accommodate high rate.
- Large acceptance (~0.2 sr)

X-ray detector

• Hyperball-J

- 40 Ge detectors
- PWO anti-Compton
- Detection efficiency
 - 16% at 284 keV
- High-rate capability
 < 50% deadtime
- Calibration
 - In-beam, frequent
 - Accuracy ~ 0.05 keV
- Resolution
 - ~2 keV (FWHM)



Yield & sensitivity estimation

- Total number of K⁻: 1.0x10¹² for 800 hours.
- Yield of Ξ
 - production: 3.7×10^6
 - stopped: 7.5×10^5
- X-ray yield: 2500 for $n=6\rightarrow 5$ transition
 - 7200 for n=7→6
- Expected sensitivity
 - Energy shift: -0.05 keV (systematic dominant)
 - → Good for expected shift (~1 keV, 4.4 keV by Koike)
 - < 5% accuracy for optical potential depth
 - Width: directly measurable down to ~ 1 keV
 - X-ray yield gives additional (indirect) information on absorption potential.

Expected X-ray spectrum



Expected X-ray spectrum(2)





shift & width 4 keV

E07 $\Lambda\Lambda$ Hypernuclei

- Hybrid emulsion method
 - Production of Ξ^- by the (K⁻,K⁺) reaction is tagged by counters (almost the same as E03)
 - Then Ξ^- is tracked down in emulsion for possible production of double- Λ hypernuclei.
- Goal: 10000 stopped Ξ⁻ on emulsion
 100 or more double-Λ hypernuclei events
 10 species of double-Λ hypernuclei
 - \rightarrow Chart of double- Λ hypernuclei

Setup around the target



Production of $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei



Example event in emulsion

Dec. 19. 2001



- Track length, thickness
 PID/energy
- Presume what are produced at each vertex
 - Then check consistency
 - Unique assignment is sometimes possible



• Calculate binding energy $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = B_{\Lambda\Lambda} - 2B_{\Lambda}$ gives net $\Lambda\Lambda$ interaction

Systematics of $\Lambda\Lambda$ binding energy

- $\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda}$ may different for each nucleus
 - For example by hyperon mixing effect



Summary & perspective

- Nuclei with S=-2 at J-PARC
 - Main topic of strangeness nuclear physics
- 3 experiments are approved
 - Spectroscopy of Ξ hypernucleus (E05)
 - X-ray spectroscopy of Ξ atom (E03)
 - \rightarrow Ξ A optical potential, Ξ N interaction
 - attractive or repulsive? how strong is $\Xi N \rightarrow \Lambda \Lambda$?
 - Hybrid emulsion study of double Λ hypernuclei (E07)
 → ΛΛ interaction in nuclei, S=-2 hypernuclear chart evidence for ΛΛ-ΞΝ mixing seen in ΛΛ hypernuclei?
- More to come
 - E05 & E03 will do systematic measurements
 - γ -ray spectroscopy of $\Lambda\Lambda$ -hypernuclei may be possible

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