

In either case..

$$\frac{1}{2} \otimes \frac{1}{2} = 1 \oplus 0$$

$$2 \times 2 = 3 + 1$$

4 states triplet + singlet

More general ? (No proof here)

example $J_1 = 2$ $J_2 = \frac{3}{2}$] combine ...

Largest $J_{\max} = J_1 + J_2 = (3\frac{1}{2})$

Smallest $J_{\min} = |J_1 - J_2| = (\frac{1}{2})$

all in between too
 $\frac{1}{2}, 1\frac{1}{2}, 2\frac{1}{2}, 3\frac{1}{2}$

Count states.

$$2 \rightarrow -2, -1, 0, 1, 2 \rightarrow 5$$

$$\frac{3}{2} \rightarrow$$

$$\times 4$$

20 states.

$$3\frac{1}{2}: 2 \times \frac{1}{2} + 1 = 2$$

$$1\frac{1}{2} \quad 4$$

$$2\frac{1}{2} \quad 6$$

$$3\frac{1}{2} \quad 8$$

20 states!

Generally, how do you relate the two? → "Clebsch-Gordan"

One is always simple, "Max"

remember $j_1 = 2, j_2 = 3/2$

$$| \begin{matrix} 7 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 7 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \rangle = | \begin{matrix} 2 \\ m_1 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 3 \\ m_2 \end{matrix} \rangle$$

$$| \begin{matrix} 7 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \rangle = a | \begin{matrix} 2 \\ 1/2 \end{matrix} \rangle + b | \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 3/2 \end{matrix} \rangle$$

$a + b = 1$ p 337 RPP!

$$= \sqrt{\frac{3}{7}} | \begin{matrix} 2 \\ 1/2 \end{matrix} \rangle + \sqrt{\frac{4}{7}} | \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 3/2 \end{matrix} \rangle$$

$$| \begin{matrix} 7 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{matrix} \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{1}{7}} | \begin{matrix} 2 \\ -1/2 \end{matrix} \rangle + \sqrt{\frac{4}{7}} | \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 1/2 \end{matrix} \rangle + \sqrt{\frac{2}{7}} | \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 3/2 \end{matrix} \rangle$$

Spin $-1/2 \iff$ Generic 2×2

ISO spin

$$S_z = \frac{\hbar}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

• Diagonal
• e.v. along diagonal

$$\left. \begin{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow 100\% + \hbar/2 \\ \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow 100\% - \hbar/2 \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = \alpha \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\left. \begin{matrix} \alpha^2 & + \hbar/2 \\ |\beta|^2 & - \hbar/2 \end{matrix} \right\}$$

Isospin Resonances

$ \pi^+\rangle$	$ \pi^0\rangle$	$ \pi^-\rangle$
$u\bar{d}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}[u\bar{u} - d\bar{d}]$	
$I_3 = +1$	$I_3 = 0$	$I_3 = -1$
$I = 1$	$I = 1$	$I = 1$

Famous: (Fermi, 1950's)

\vec{P}_π $\pi^+ p \rightarrow ?$ } $p: I = \frac{1}{2}, I_3 = +\frac{1}{2}$
 $\pi^- p \rightarrow ?$ } $n: I = \frac{1}{2}, I_3 = -\frac{1}{2}$
 (not $I = \frac{3}{2}$, other Z not observed)

strong scattering.
 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Delta^{++}(1232)$ σ_+
 $I_3 = 1, I_3 = -\frac{1}{2} \rightarrow I = \frac{3}{2}, I_3 = +\frac{3}{2}$ } one of 4!

$I_{31} \quad I_{32} \quad I_{tot} \quad I_{tot+3}$
 $|1 \quad \frac{1}{2}\rangle = | \frac{3}{2} \quad \frac{3}{2} \rangle$
 $\langle \frac{3}{2} \frac{3}{2} | \text{strong} | 1 \frac{1}{2} \rangle$
 $\propto \langle \frac{3}{2} \frac{3}{2} | 1 \frac{1}{2} \rangle = 1$ (commutes)
 $\frac{1}{\pi} p \rightarrow \Delta^0(1232)$
 $I_{3tot} = -\frac{1}{2}$
 $| \frac{3}{2} -\frac{1}{2} \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} | 0 -\frac{1}{2} \rangle + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} | -1 \frac{1}{2} \rangle$

$$\langle \frac{3}{2} \frac{-1}{2} | \text{strong} | -1 \frac{1}{2} \rangle$$

$I_{31} \quad I_{32}$

$$\propto \left[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{3} \langle 0 \frac{-1}{2} | + \frac{\sqrt{1}}{3} \langle -1 \frac{1}{2} | \right] \left[| -1 \frac{1}{2} \rangle \right]$$

Orthogonal

$$\propto \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\text{Rate} \propto \frac{1}{3}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_+}{\sigma_-} = \frac{1}{1/3} = 3$$

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Like Magic