

Electromagnetic properties of the $\Delta(1232)$ and decuplet baryons in the self-consistent $SU(3)$ chiral quark-soliton model

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We examine the electromagnetic properties of the $\Delta(1232)$ resonance within the self-consistent chiral quark-soliton model. In particular, we present the Δ form factors of the vector-current $G_{E0}(Q^2)$, $G_{E2}(Q^2)$, and $G_{M1}(Q^2)$ for a momentum-transfer range of $0 \leq Q^2 \leq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$. We apply the symmetry-conserving quantization of the soliton and take $1/N_c$ rotational corrections into account. Values for the magnetic moments of all decuplet baryons as well as for the $N - \Delta$ transition are given. Special attention is also given to the electric quadrupole moment of the Δ .

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I. INTRODUCTION

The hadron spectrum can be ordered by flavor- $SU(3)$ multiplets where the low lying baryons are assigned to either an octet or a decuplet with spin $1/2$ and $3/2$, respectively. The main focus of this work is the hypercharge $+1$ state of the decuplet, the Δ . Even though the Δ is the first excitation of the proton and rather isolated from other resonances, due to its short lifetime many of its properties are not yet experimentally determined with accurate precision. This is reflected in the poor experimental knowledge of the magnetic moment of the Δ which is listed by the Particle Data Group as $\mu_{\Delta^{++}} = 3.7\text{--}7.5\mu_N$ and $\mu_{\Delta^+} = (2.7_{-1.3}^{+1.0}(\text{stat}) \pm 1.5(\text{syst}) \pm 3(\text{theor}))\mu_N$, where $\mu_N = e/2M_N$ is the nucleon magneton [1]. The former value is extracted from the reaction $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p \gamma$, e.g. [2,3], and the latter one from the process $\gamma p \rightarrow p \pi^0 \gamma'$ [4]. The study of the transition process of the nucleon to the Δ can be used to gain additional information about the $N\Delta$ system. This process is characterized by a magnetic dipole and an electric quadrupole transition moment which are, in [5], extracted as $\mu_{N\Delta} = 3.46 \pm 0.03\mu_N$ and $Q_{N\Delta} = -(0.0846 \pm 0.0033)e \text{ fm}^2$, respectively. Apart from the Δ , experimental data on electromagnetic properties of decuplet baryons only exist for the magnetic moment of the Ω^- baryon $\mu_{\Omega^-} = (-2.02 \pm 0.05)\mu_N$ [1].

On the theoretical side, the Δ was investigated within many different frameworks. In the case of $SU(6)$ symmetry the Δ magnetic moment is predicted to be $\mu_{\Delta} = Q_{\Delta}\mu_p$,

with Q_{Δ} being the charge of the Δ and μ_p the magnetic moment of the proton, which yields a value of $\mu_{\Delta^{++}} = 5.58\mu_N$ [6]. Other approaches include quark models [7–13], large N_c and soliton models [14–16], lattice QCD calculations [17–20], QCD sum rules, and chiral perturbation theory [21–26]. Very recently lattice QCD calculations of electromagnetic form factors of the Δ up to a momentum transfer of $Q^2 \leq 2.5 \text{ GeV}^2$ were presented in [27]. In addition, large N_c relations which connect the magnetic moments of the octet and the electric quadrupole moments of the $N\Delta$ transition to the moments of the Δ can be found in [28–30]. In the present work we investigate the electromagnetic form factors of the $\Delta^+(1232)$ in the framework of the self-consistent chiral quark-soliton model (χ QSM) assuming isospin symmetry. In particular, we calculate the charge (G_{E0}), electric quadrupole (G_{E2}), and magnetic dipole (G_{M1}) form factors of the Δ^+ up to a momentum transfer of $0 \leq Q^2 \leq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$. We also present values for the magnetic moments of all decuplet baryons as well as for the $N - \Delta$ transition. In the χ QSM baryons are seen as certain $SU(3)$ rotations of a classical soliton, therefore having the same origin. The quantization of these rotations allows only $SU(3)$ multiplets with zero triality, hence the octet and decuplet appear naturally. Because of this, the χ QSM is able to describe various observables of various baryons within the same set of parameters. These parameters are fixed by reproducing mesonic experimental data, letting the constituent quark mass be the only free parameter in the baryon sector. Since we cannot take an exact form of the momentum-dependent constituent quark mass, we use the value of $M = 420 \text{ MeV}$ which is known to reproduce very well the experimental data [31–35]. The regularization behavior of the momentum dependence is

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mimicked by the proper-time regularization. The cutoff parameter and the averaged current quark mass are then fixed for a given M to the pion decay constants f_π and m_π , respectively. The model parameters used in the present work are the same as in previous works [34–42]; no additional readjusting for different observables was done. Given that, the χ QSM, with model parameters fixed in the meson sector and natural inclusion of octet and decuplet baryons, provides a unique framework with predictive power.

In the past the χ QSM was applied successfully to the octet baryon (axial) vector form factors [32–37,39], and parton and antiparton distributions [43–50]. Furthermore, the χ QSM was also applied to observables of the antidecuplet pentaquarks [40–42,51–55]. The vector currents of decuplet baryons at $Q^2 = 0$ were investigated in various versions of the χ QSM in the past: in the self-consistent χ QSM [56,57], in the χ QSM version formulated in the infinite momentum frame [58], and in the so-called *model-independent* χ QSM version [55]. Both self-consistent χ QSM calculations in the literature, which presented the decuplet magnetic moments, were prior to the symmetry-conserving quantization (SCQ) of the χ QSM [59], which is explicitly applied in this work and ensures the realization of the Gell-Mann-Nishijima relation in the model.

The outline of this work is as follows. In Sec. II we give the general, model-independent expressions for the observables in question. The given formulas at the end of this section are suitable for calculation in the χ QSM. Section III then describes how these expressions are treated in the model. Final results for the self-consistent χ QSM are given in Sec. IV. We summarize the work in Sec. V and give more detailed expressions in the appendixes.

II. GENERAL FORMALISM

Our aim is to investigate the $\Delta(1232)$ electromagnetic form factors and compare them to nucleon electromagnetic form factors and the $N - \Delta$ magnetic transition moment in the self-consistent $SU(3)$ χ QSM. For that, we will summarize in this section the relevant model-independent definitions of these quantities. The form factors are defined through the baryon matrix element of the vector current where the virtual photon couples to the NN , $N\Delta$, and $\Delta\Delta$ systems.

A. The $\gamma^* NN$ vertex

The baryon matrix element of the vector current, $V^{\mu\lambda}(0) = \bar{\Psi}(0)\gamma^\mu\Psi(0)$, between nucleon states is parametrized by two form factors, $F_1(Q^2)$ and $F_2(Q^2)$,

$$\begin{aligned} &\langle N(p', s') | V^\mu(0) | N(p, s) \rangle \\ &= \bar{u}(p', s) \left[F_1(Q^2) \gamma^\mu + i F_2(Q^2) \frac{\sigma^{\mu\beta} q_\beta}{2M_N} \right] u(p, s), \quad (1) \end{aligned}$$

with $q = p' - p$, $Q^2 = -q^2$, $u(p, s)$ as the nucleon spinor

of mass M_N , momentum p , and third-spin component s . In the Breit frame the Sachs form factors are defined as

$$G_E(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) - \frac{Q^2}{4M_N^2} F_2(Q^2), \quad (2)$$

$$G_M(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) + F_2(Q^2),$$

which are projected out by the operations

$$G_E(Q^2) = \int \frac{d\Omega_q}{4\pi} \left\langle N\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V^0(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle, \quad (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} G_M(Q^2) &= 3M_N \int \frac{d\Omega_q}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}^2|^2} \\ &\times \left\langle N\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V^k(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle. \quad (4) \end{aligned}$$

Note that in the Breit frame $Q^2 = \vec{q}^2$ holds. The right-hand side of these equations can be evaluated in the χ QSM.

B. The $\gamma^* N\Delta$ vertex

We take the rest frame of the final Δ with momentum $p' = (M_\Delta, 0)$ and mass M_Δ . The incoming nucleon has the momentum $p = (E_N, -\vec{q})$ and energy E_N . For the $\gamma^* N\Delta$ vertex we use the decomposition of [60,61] where the baryon matrix element is written in terms of the Rarita-Schwinger spinors $u^\alpha(p, s)$ as

$$\begin{aligned} &\left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V_\mu(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle \\ &= i \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} \bar{u}^\beta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \Gamma_{\beta\mu} u\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right), \quad (5) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{\beta\mu} &= G_M^{N\Delta}(Q^2) \mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^M + G_E^{N\Delta}(Q^2) \mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^E \\ &+ G_C^{N\Delta}(Q^2) \mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^C, \quad (6) \end{aligned}$$

with the magnetic dipole ($G_M^{N\Delta}$), electric quadrupole ($G_E^{N\Delta}$), and Coulomb quadrupole ($G_C^{N\Delta}$) form factors. The corresponding structures are

$$\mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^M = \frac{-3(M_\Delta + M_N)}{[(M_\Delta + M_N)^2 + Q^2] 2M_N} \epsilon_{\beta\mu\sigma\tau} P_\sigma q_\tau, \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^E &= -\mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^M + \frac{6}{4M_\Delta^2 |\vec{q}|^2} \epsilon_{\beta\sigma\nu\gamma} P_\nu q_\gamma \epsilon_{\mu\sigma\alpha\delta} p'_\alpha q_\delta i \gamma^5 \\ &\times \frac{M_\Delta + M_N}{M_N}, \quad (8) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{K}_{\beta\mu}^C = 3\Delta^{-1}(q^2) q_\beta [q^2 P_\mu - q \cdot P q_\mu] i \gamma^5 \frac{M_\Delta + M_N}{M_N}, \quad (9)$$

with the momenta defined as $P = \frac{1}{2}(p' + p)$, $q = p' - p$, and $\Delta^{-1}(q^2) = 4M_\Delta^2 |\vec{q}|^2$. We are interested in the magnetic

transition moment of the $N \rightarrow \Delta$ process and will again use the projector $3 \int \frac{d\Omega_q}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2}$ for which the term $\mathcal{K}_{\beta k}^C$ vanishes and the above matrix element turns into

$$\begin{aligned} & 3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V_k(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{E_N + M_N}{2M_N}} 2(M_\Delta + M_N) \left[\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N} \frac{G_M^{N\Delta}(Q^2) - G_E^{N\Delta}(Q^2)}{[(M_\Delta + M_N)^2 + Q^2]} \right. \\ & \quad \left. + \frac{1}{2M_N} \frac{G_E^{N\Delta}(Q^2)}{E_n + M_N} \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

For further calculations we note that the electromagnetic $N \rightarrow \Delta$ transition is dominated by the form factor $G_M^{N\Delta}$ [exp. $G_E^{N\Delta}/G_M^{N\Delta} = (-2.5 \pm 0.5)\%$] [1], which justifies neglecting the $G_E^{N\Delta}(Q^2)$ contribution. At the point $Q^2 = 0$ we therefore have

$$\begin{aligned} & 3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V_k(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle_{Q^2=0} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{E_N(0) + M_N}{2M_N}} \frac{M_\Delta}{M_N} \frac{2}{(M_\Delta + M_N)} G_M^{N\Delta}(0), \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

where the magnetic transition moment is related to $G_M^{N\Delta}(0)$ by [61]

$$\mu_{N\Delta} = \sqrt{\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N}} G_M^{N\Delta}(0) \mu_N, \quad (12)$$

$$Q_{N\Delta} = -\frac{6}{M_N} \frac{2M_\Delta}{M_\Delta^2 - M_N^2} \sqrt{\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N}} G_E^{N\Delta}(0). \quad (13)$$

Although we will denote the quadrupole moment in units of fm^2 in this paper, it is understood that the electric quadrupole moment is expressed in units of $e \text{fm}^2$, with e the electric charge.

The above equations now have a form which can be investigated in the χ QSM.

C. The $\gamma^* \Delta \Delta$ vertex

The baryon matrix element of the vector current, $V^\mu(0) = \bar{\Psi}(0) \gamma^\mu \Psi(0)$, between Δ states is parametrized by four form factors:

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle \Delta(p', s') | V^\mu(0) | \Delta(p, s) \rangle \\ &= -\bar{u}^\alpha(p', s') \left\{ \gamma^\mu \left[F_1^* g_{\alpha\beta} + F_3^* \frac{q_\alpha q_\beta}{(2M_\Delta)^2} \right] \right. \\ & \quad \left. + i \frac{\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu}{2M_\Delta} \left[F_2^* g_{\alpha\beta} + F_4^* \frac{q_\alpha q_\beta}{(2M_\Delta)^2} \right] \right\} u^\beta(p, s). \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

The electric charge and quadrupole form factors G_{E0} , G_{E2} and magnetic dipole and octupole form factors G_{M1} , G_{M3} are defined in the Breit frame by

$$G_{E0}(Q^2) = (1 + \frac{2}{3}\tau)[F_1^* - \tau F_2^*] - \frac{1}{3}\tau(1 + \tau)[F_3^* - \tau F_4^*], \quad (15)$$

$$G_{E2}(Q^2) = [F_1^* - \tau F_2^*] - \frac{1}{2}(1 + \tau)[F_3^* - \tau F_4^*], \quad (16)$$

$$G_{M1}(Q^2) = (1 + \frac{4}{5}\tau)[F_1^* + F_2^*] - \frac{2}{5}\tau(1 + \tau)[F_3^* + F_4^*], \quad (17)$$

$$G_{M3}(Q^2) = [F_1^* + F_2^*] - \frac{1}{2}(1 + \tau)[F_3^* + F_4^*], \quad (18)$$

with $\tau = \frac{Q^2}{4M_\Delta^2}$. We will concentrate in this work on the form factors G_{E0} , G_{E2} , and G_{M1} and postpone the discussion on G_{M3} for future work. Taking the third-spin components for both Δ as $s = +3/2$, the zeroth component of the matrix element, Eq. (14), yields

$$\begin{aligned} & \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{3}{2}\right) \left| V^0(0) \right| \Delta\left(p, \frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle \\ &= G_{E0}(Q^2) - \tau \frac{2}{3} \sqrt{\frac{4\pi}{5}} Y_{20}(\Omega_q) G_{E2}(Q^2), \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

which allows one to project on G_{E0} and G_{E2} using the operations

$$G_{E0}(Q^2) = \int \frac{d\Omega_q}{4\pi} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{3}{2}\right) \left| V^0(0) \right| \Delta\left(p, \frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle, \quad (20)$$

$$\begin{aligned} G_{E2}(Q^2) &= - \int d\Omega_q \sqrt{\frac{5}{4\pi}} \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{\tau} \\ & \times \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{3}{2}\right) \left| Y_{20}(\Omega_q) V^0(0) \right| \Delta\left(p, \frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle. \end{aligned} \quad (21)$$

Using the projector $3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2}$ from the previous subsections on the Δ -matrix element, Eq. (14) yields

$$\begin{aligned} & 3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{3}{2}\right) \left| V^k(0) \right| \Delta\left(p, \frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle \\ &= \frac{1}{M_\Delta} \left[\left[1 + \frac{4}{5}\tau \right] [F_1^* + F_2^*] - \tau \frac{1 + \tau}{2} \frac{4}{5} [F_3^* + F_4^*] \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{M_\Delta} G_{M1}(Q^2). \end{aligned} \quad (22)$$

Similar to the nucleon case the magnetic moment of the Δ is defined by [61]

$$\mu_\Delta = \frac{M_N}{M_\Delta} G_{M1}(0) \mu_N, \quad (23)$$

and the electric quadrupole moment by

$$Q_\Delta = \frac{1}{M_\Delta^2} G_{E2}(0). \quad (24)$$

We will also denote Q_Δ , like $Q_{N\Delta}$ in the section before, in units of fm^2 . The projectors which in the nucleon case

project onto the electric and magnetic form factors, project in the Δ case on the electric charge and magnetic dipole form factors. We will investigate Eqs. (20)–(22) in the χ QSM.

III. FORM FACTORS IN THE CHIRAL QUARK-SOLITON MODEL

We will now briefly describe how equations like Eqs. (3), (4), (11), and (20)–(22) are evaluated in the $SU(3)$ χ QSM. For details we refer to Refs. [31–33]. The main part of the form factors comes from the baryonic matrix element

$$\langle B'(p') | \mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi}(0) | B(p) \rangle = \langle B'(p') | \Psi^\dagger(0) \mathcal{O}^{\mu\chi} \Psi(0) | B(p) \rangle, \quad (25)$$

where the explicit forms of the operator $\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi} = \Psi^\dagger(0) \mathcal{O}^{\mu\chi} \Psi(0)$ (χ being a flavor index) are given by the projector in question,

$$\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi} \rightarrow 1 \text{ for the rotational Hamiltonian,} \quad (26)$$

$$\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi} \rightarrow \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \langle B'(p') | \Psi^\dagger(0) \gamma^0 \gamma^0 \Psi(0) | B(p) \rangle \text{ for } G_E, \quad (27)$$

$$\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi} \rightarrow \int d\Omega_q \langle B'(p') | \Psi^\dagger(0) \gamma^0 \gamma^0 Y_{20}^*(\Omega_q) \Psi(0) | B(p) \rangle \text{ for } G_{E2}, \quad (28)$$

$$\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi} \rightarrow \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \langle B'(p') | \Psi^\dagger(0) \gamma^0 [\vec{q} \times \vec{\gamma}]_z \Psi(0) | B(p) \rangle \text{ for } G_M, G_M^\Delta, G_{M1}. \quad (29)$$

The matrix element, Eq. (25), will be treated in the path-integral formalism with the following effective partition function of the quark and chiral fields Ψ and $U(x)$, respectively:

$$\begin{aligned} Z_{\chi\text{QSM}} &= \int \mathcal{D}\psi \mathcal{D}\psi^\dagger \mathcal{D}U \exp \left[- \int d^4x \Psi^\dagger iD(U) \Psi \right] \\ &= \int \mathcal{D}U \exp(-S_{\text{eff}}[U]), \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

$$S_{\text{eff}}(U) = -N_c \text{Tr} \ln iD(U), \quad (31)$$

$$D(U) = \gamma^4 (i\not{\partial} - \hat{m} - MU\gamma^5) = -i\partial_4 + h(U) - \delta m, \quad (32)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \delta m &= \frac{-\bar{m} + m_s}{3} \gamma^4 \mathbf{1} + \frac{\bar{m} - m_s}{\sqrt{3}} \gamma^4 \lambda^8 \\ &= M_1 \gamma^4 \mathbf{1} + M_8 \gamma^4 \lambda^8, \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

where Tr represents the functional trace, N_c the number of colors, D the Dirac differential operator in Euclidean

space, and $\hat{m} = \text{diag}(\bar{m}, \bar{m}, m_s) = \bar{m} + \delta m$ the current quark mass matrix of the average of the up- and down-quark masses and strange-quark mass, respectively. We assume isospin symmetry. The $SU(3)$ single-quark Hamiltonian $h(U)$ is given by

$$h(U) = i\gamma^4 \gamma^i \partial_i - \gamma^4 M U \gamma^5 - \gamma^4 \bar{m}, \quad (34)$$

$$U^{\gamma^5}(x) = \begin{pmatrix} U_{SU(2)}^{\gamma^5}(x) & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (35)$$

$$\begin{aligned} U_{SU(2)}^{\gamma^5} &= \exp(i\gamma^5 \tau^i \pi^i(x)) \\ &= \frac{1 + \gamma^5}{2} U_{SU(2)} + \frac{1 - \gamma^5}{2} U_{SU(2)}^\dagger, \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

where we use Witten's embedding of the $SU(2)$ field $U(x)_{SU(2)} = \exp(i\tau^i \pi^i(x))$ into the $SU(3)$. The $\pi^i(x)$ denote the pion fields. We use the factor of N_c in Eq. (31) in the large N_c limit to integrate the chiral field in Eq. (30) with the saddle-point approximation. For that, we have to find the pion field that minimizes the action in Eq. (31). Generally, the following Ansätze for the chiral field $U(x)$ and the baryon state $|B\rangle$ in Eq. (25) are made:

$$U_{SU2} = \exp[i\gamma_5 \hat{n} \cdot \vec{\tau} P(r)] \text{ and} \quad (37)$$

$$|B(p)\rangle = \lim_{x_4 \rightarrow -\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{Z}} e^{ip_4 x_4} \int d^3 \vec{x} e^{i\vec{p} \cdot \vec{x}} J_B^\dagger(x) |0\rangle,$$

with

$$J_B(x) = \frac{1}{N_c!} \Gamma_B^{b_1 \dots b_{N_c}} \epsilon^{\beta_1 \dots \beta_{N_c}} \psi_{\beta_1 b_1}(x) \cdots \psi_{\beta_{N_c} b_{N_c}}(x). \quad (38)$$

The first equation assumes that the $SU(2)$ field U has the most symmetric form, a hedgehog form, with the radial pion profile function $P(r)$, while the last two take the baryon state as an Ioffe-type current consisting of N_c valence quarks. The matrix $\Gamma_B^{b_1 \dots b_{N_c}}$ carries the hypercharge Y , isospin I , I_3 , and spin J , J_3 quantum numbers of the baryon, and the b_i and β_i denote the spin-flavor and color indices, respectively.

Applying the above treatments to the baryonic matrix element, Eq. (25) yields

$$\begin{aligned} \langle B_2(p_2) | \mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi}(0) | B_1(p_1) \rangle &= \frac{1}{Z} \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} e^{-ip_2^4(T/2) + ip_1^4(T/2)} \int d^3 \vec{x}' d^3 \vec{x} e^{i\vec{p}_1 \cdot \vec{x} - i\vec{p}_2 \cdot \vec{x}'} \\ &\times \int \mathcal{D}U \mathcal{D}\psi^\dagger \mathcal{D}\psi J_{B'} \left(\frac{T}{2}, \vec{x}' \right) \mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi}(0) J_B^\dagger \left(-\frac{T}{2}, \vec{x} \right) \\ &\times \exp \left[- \int d^4x \psi^\dagger iD(U) \psi \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (39)$$

Finding the chiral-field configuration U_c , which minimizes the action, corresponds to determining the profile function P_c . The configuration U_c is called the soliton. This is done

by setting $\mathcal{J}^{\mu\lambda}(0) = 1$ in Eq. (39). For large Euclidean times, $T \rightarrow \infty$, the expression is proportional to the nucleon correlation function from which we can obtain the χ QSM expression for the nucleon mass. Solving numerically the equation of motion coming from $\delta S_{\text{eff}}/\delta P(r) = 0$ (minimizing the χ QSM nucleon energy) in a self-consistent approach determines the function $P_c(r)$.

Rotations and translations of the soliton also minimize the effective action and are written as

$$U(\vec{x}, t) = A(t)U_c(\vec{x} - \vec{z}(t))A^\dagger(t), \quad (40)$$

where $A(t)$ denotes a time-dependent $SU(3)$ matrix and $\vec{z}(t)$ stands for the time-dependent translation of the center of mass of the soliton in coordinate space. So far, we considered only the classical version of the χ QSM which has to be quantized. Suitable quantum numbers are now obtained by quantizing the rotational zero mode. A detailed formalism can be found in Refs. [31,33].

The Dirac operator of Eq. (32), written in terms of the soliton U_c and its zero modes, acquires the form

$$\begin{aligned} D(U) &= T_{z(t)}A(t)[D(U_c) + i\Omega(t) - \dot{T}_{z(t)}^\dagger T_{z(t)} \\ &\quad - i\gamma^4 A^\dagger(t)\delta m A(t)]T_{z(t)}^\dagger A^\dagger(t), \end{aligned} \quad (41)$$

where the $T_{z(t)}$ denotes the translational operator and the $\Omega(t)$ represents the soliton angular velocity defined as

$$\Omega = -iA^\dagger \dot{A} = -\frac{i}{2} \text{Tr}(A^\dagger \dot{A} \lambda^\alpha) \lambda^\alpha = \frac{1}{2} \Omega_\alpha \lambda^\alpha. \quad (42)$$

The standard way to proceed is to treat all three terms, $\Omega(t)$, $\dot{T}_{z(t)}^\dagger T_{z(t)}$, and δm , perturbatively by assuming a slowly rotating and moving soliton and by regarding δm as a small parameter. Generally, we expand Eq. (41) to the first order in $\Omega(t)$, δm and to the zeroth order in $\dot{T}_{z(t)}^\dagger T_{z(t)}$.

After introducing the collective baryon wave function on the level of Eq. (39) as

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{(\mathcal{R}^*, Y'JJ_3)}^{(\mathcal{R}, YII_3)}(A) &:= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{Z}} e^{-p^4 T/2} \int d^3\vec{u}' e^{i\vec{p}' \cdot \vec{u}'} (\Gamma_B^{b_1 \dots b_{N_c}})^* \\ &\quad \times \prod_{l=1}^{N_c} [\varphi_{v, b_l}^\dagger(\vec{u}') A^\dagger], \end{aligned} \quad (43)$$

and expanding the occurring fermionic determinant and product of propagators and quantizing the soliton rotation, we obtain the following collective Hamiltonian [62]:

$$H_{\text{coll}} = H_{\text{sym}} + H_{\text{sb}}, \quad (44)$$

where H_{sym} and H_{sb} represent the $SU(3)$ symmetric and symmetry-breaking parts, respectively,

$$H_{\text{sym}} = M_c + \frac{1}{2I_1} \sum_{i=1}^3 J_i J_i + \frac{1}{2I_2} \sum_{a=4}^7 J_a J_a, \quad (45)$$

$$H_{\text{sb}} = \frac{1}{\bar{m}} M_1 \Sigma_{SU(2)} + \alpha D_{88}^{(8)}(A) + \beta Y + \frac{\gamma}{\sqrt{3}} D_{8i}^{(8)}(A) J_i. \quad (46)$$

The M_c denotes the mass of the classical soliton and I_i and K_i are the moments of inertia of the soliton [31], of which the corresponding expressions can be found in Ref. [63] explicitly. The components J_i denote the spin generators and J_a correspond to the generalized $SU(3)$ spin generators. $\Sigma_{SU(2)}$ is the $SU(2)$ pion-nucleon sigma term. $D_{88}^{(8)}(A)$ and $D_{8i}^{(8)}(A)$ stand for the $SU(3)$ Wigner D functions in the octet representation, and Y is the hypercharge operator. The parameters α , β , and γ in the symmetry-breaking Hamiltonian are

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha &= \frac{1}{\bar{m}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} M_8 \Sigma_{SU(2)} - \frac{N_c}{\sqrt{3}} M_8 \frac{K_2}{I_2}, & \beta &= M_8 \frac{K_2}{I_2} \sqrt{3}, \\ \gamma &= -2\sqrt{3} M_8 \left(\frac{K_1}{I_1} - \frac{K_2}{I_2} \right). \end{aligned} \quad (47)$$

The collective wave functions of the Hamiltonian in Eq. (44) can be found as $SU(3)$ Wigner D functions in representation \mathcal{R} :

$$\begin{aligned} \langle A | \mathcal{R}, B(YII_3, Y'JJ_3) \rangle &= \Psi_{(\mathcal{R}^*, Y'JJ_3)}^{(\mathcal{R}, YII_3)}(A) \\ &= \sqrt{\dim(\mathcal{R})} (-)^{J_3 + Y'/2} D_{(Y, I, I_3)(-Y', J, -J_3)}^{(\mathcal{R})*}(A). \end{aligned} \quad (48)$$

Y' is related to the eighth component of the angular velocity Ω . During the quantization process Y' is constrained to be $Y' = -N_c/3 = -1$. In fact, this constraint allows us to have only $SU(3)$ representations with zero triality.

The H_{sb} mixes the representations for the collective baryon states which are treated by first-order perturbation as

$$|B_{\mathcal{R}}\rangle = |B_{\mathcal{R}}^{\text{sym}}\rangle - \sum_{\mathcal{R}' \neq \mathcal{R}} |B_{\mathcal{R}'}\rangle \frac{\langle B_{\mathcal{R}'} | H_{\text{sb}} | B_{\mathcal{R}} \rangle}{M(\mathcal{R}') - M(\mathcal{R})}. \quad (49)$$

From this, we obtain the collective wave functions for the baryon octet and decuplet with the inclusion of a wave function correction proportional to the strange-quark mass as (other wave function corrections are listed in the appendices)

$$|N_8\rangle = |8_{1/2}, N\rangle + c_{10}\sqrt{5}|1\bar{0}_{1/2}, N\rangle + c_{27}\sqrt{6}|27_{1/2}, N\rangle, \quad (50)$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\Delta_{10}\rangle &= |10_{3/2}, \Delta\rangle + a_{27}\sqrt{\frac{15}{2}}|27_{3/2}, \Delta\rangle \\ &\quad + a_{35}\frac{5}{\sqrt{14}}|35_{3/2}, \Delta\rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (51)$$

with

$$c_{1\bar{0}} = -\frac{I_2}{15} \left(\alpha + \frac{1}{2} \gamma \right), \quad c_{27} = -\frac{I_2}{25} \left(\alpha - \frac{1}{6} \gamma \right), \quad (52)$$

$$a_{27} = -\frac{I_2}{8}\left(\alpha + \frac{5}{6}\gamma\right), \quad a_{35} = -\frac{I_2}{24}\left(\alpha - \frac{1}{2}\gamma\right). \quad (53)$$

We turn now to the general expression Eq. (39) for a certain operator $\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi}(0)$, which we can now write in the form

$$\langle B'(p') | \psi^\dagger(0) \mathcal{O}^{\mu\chi} \psi(0) | B(p) \rangle \\ = \int \mathcal{D}A \int d^3z e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{z}} \Psi_{B'}^*(A) \mathcal{G}^{\mu\chi}(\vec{z}) \Psi_B(A) e^{S_{\text{eff}}}, \quad (54)$$

$$= \int d^3z e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{z}} \langle B' | \mathcal{G}^{\mu\chi}(\vec{z}) | B \rangle. \quad (55)$$

We have again used the saddle-point approximation and expanded the Dirac operator with respect to Ω and δm to the linear order and $\hat{T}_{z(t)}^\dagger T_{z(t)}$ to the zeroth order, with everything contained in the expression $\mathcal{G}^{\mu\chi}(\vec{z})$. The $\mathcal{D}A$ and d^3z arise from the zero modes due to summing over all U_c configurations which minimize the χ QSM action. The expression $\mathcal{G}^{\mu\chi}(\vec{z})$ contains the specific form factor parts originating from the explicit choice of $\mathcal{J}^{\mu\chi}(0)$. The expansion in Ω and δm provides the following structure of the form factors in the χ QSM:

$$G_{E,M}(Q^2) = G_{E,M}^{(\Omega^0, m_s^0)}(Q^2) + G_{E,M}^{(\Omega^1, m_s^0)}(Q^2) + G_{E,M}^{(m_s^1), \text{op}}(Q^2) \\ + G_{E,M}^{(m_s^1), \text{wf}}(Q^2), \quad (56)$$

where the first term corresponds to the leading order (Ω^0, m_s^0), the second one to the first $1/N_c$ rotational correction (Ω^1, m_s^0), the third to the linear m_s corrections coming from the operator, and the last one to the linear m_s corrections coming from the wave function corrections, respectively.

In the χ QSM Hamiltonian of Eq. (34), the constituent quark mass M would, in general, be momentum dependent, introducing a natural regularization scheme for the divergent quark loops in the model. However, the inclusion of a momentum-dependent constituent quark mass is not straightforward, and in the present framework, the standard way to proceed is to take the quark mass as a free, constant parameter and to introduce an additional regularization scheme. The value of $M = 420$ MeV is known to reproduce very well experimental data [31–35] together with the proper-time regularization. In the meson sector the cutoff parameter and \bar{m} are then fixed for a given M to the pion decay constants f_π and m_π , respectively. Proceeding to the baryon sector does not require any more new parameters. Throughout this work the strange current quark mass is fixed to $m_s = 180$ MeV. We want to emphasize that all

TABLE I. Moments of inertia and mixing coefficients for $M = 420$ MeV.

I_1 (fm)	I_2 (fm)	K_1 (fm)	K_2 (fm)	$\Sigma_{\pi N}$ (MeV)	$c_{\overline{10}}$	c_{27}	a_{27}	a_{35}
1.06	0.48	0.42	0.26	41	0.037	0.019	0.074	0.018

these model parameters are the same as in previous works [34–42]; no additional readjusting for different observables was done. The numerical results for the moments of inertia and mixing coefficients are summarized in Table I for $M = 420$ MeV. In the case of the form factors, we apply the symmetry-conserving quantization as found in [59].

A. The $\gamma^* NN$ vertex in the χ QSM

We give now the final expressions for Eqs. (3) and (4) evaluated in the χ QSM on the basis of Eq. (54). We use Refs. [31–33]. The projector contracts the Lorentz index, and an average over the momentum-transfer orientation gives rise to spherical Bessel functions $j_{0,1}(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|)$ where, in the Breit frame, $Q^2 = |\vec{q}|^2$ holds. The electric and magnetic form factors are obtained by choosing in Eq. (39) $\mathcal{J}^\mu(0)$ as

$$\mathcal{J}^\mu(0) \xrightarrow{E} \Psi^\dagger \gamma^0 \gamma^\mu \Psi, \quad (57)$$

$$\mathcal{J}^\mu(0) \xrightarrow{M} \Psi^\dagger \gamma^0 z^i \gamma^j \epsilon^{ij3} \Psi, \quad (58)$$

according to Eqs. (3) and (4).

The electric and magnetic form factors in the χ QSM read, finally,

$$G_E(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} G_E^{\chi=3}(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_E^{\chi=8}(Q^2), \quad (59)$$

$$G_M(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} G_M^{\chi=3}(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_M^{\chi=8}(Q^2),$$

with the expressions

$$G_E^\chi(Q^2) = \int d^3z j_0(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|) \int dA \langle B' | A \rangle \mathcal{G}_E^\chi(\vec{z}) \langle A | B \rangle, \quad (60)$$

$$G_M^\chi(Q^2) = M_N \int d^3z \frac{j_1(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|)}{|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|} \int dA \langle B' | A \rangle \mathcal{G}_M^\chi(\vec{z}) \langle A | B \rangle. \quad (61)$$

The electric and magnetic densities are given by

$$\mathcal{G}_E^\chi(\vec{z}) = D_{\chi 8}^{(8)} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \mathcal{B}(\vec{z}) - \frac{2}{I_1} D_{\chi i}^{(8)} J_i I_1(\vec{z}) - \frac{2}{I_2} D_{\chi a}^{(8)} J_a I_2(\vec{z}) - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} M_1 D_{\chi 8}^{(8)} \mathcal{C}(\vec{z}) - \frac{2}{3} M_8 D_{88}^{(8)} D_{\chi 8}^{(8)} \mathcal{C}(\vec{z}) + 4 \frac{K_1}{I_1} M_8 D_{8i}^{(8)} D_{\chi i}^{(8)} I_1(\vec{z}) \\ + 4 \frac{K_2}{I_2} M_8 D_{8a}^{(8)} D_{\chi a}^{(8)} I_2(\vec{z}) - 4 M_8 D_{8i}^{(8)} D_{\chi i}^{(8)} \mathcal{K}_1(\vec{z}) - 4 M_8 D_{\chi a}^{(8)} D_{8a}^{(8)} \mathcal{K}_2(\vec{z}) \quad (62)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_M^\chi(\vec{z}) = & -\sqrt{3}D_{\chi^3}^{(8)}\mathcal{Q}_0(\vec{z}) - \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}\frac{1}{I_1}D_{\chi^8}^{(8)}J_3\mathcal{X}_1(\vec{z}) + \sqrt{3}\frac{1}{I_1}d_{ab3}D_{\chi^b}^{(8)}J_a\mathcal{X}_2(\vec{z}) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}\frac{1}{I_1}D_{\chi^3}^{(8)}\mathcal{Q}_1(\vec{z}) + \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}\frac{K_1}{I_1}M_8D_{83}^{(8)}D_{\chi^8}^{(8)}\mathcal{X}_1(\vec{z}) \\ & - 2\sqrt{3}\frac{K_2}{I_2}M_8D_{8a}^{(8)}D_{\chi^b}^{(8)}d_{ab3}\mathcal{X}_2(\vec{z}) + 2\sqrt{3}\left[M_1D_{\chi^3}^{(8)} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}M_8D_{88}^{(8)}D_{\chi^3}^{(8)}\right]\mathcal{M}_0(\vec{z}) - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}}M_8D_{83}^{(8)}D_{\chi^8}^{(8)}\mathcal{M}_1(\vec{z}) \\ & + 2\sqrt{3}M_8D_{\chi^a}^{(8)}D_{8b}^{(8)}d_{ab3}\mathcal{M}_2(\vec{z}). \end{aligned} \quad (63)$$

Since M_1 and M_8 are proportional to m_s , all terms containing M_1 and M_8 are m_s corrections in the present approach. The expressions $\mathcal{B}(\vec{z}), \dots, \mathcal{M}_2(\vec{z})$ are presented in the appendixes. The Wigner D functions depend on the rotation A , e.g. $D_{\chi^3}^{(\chi)} = D_{\chi^3}^{(\chi)}(A)$, and expressions such as

$$\int dA \langle B'|A \rangle D_{\chi^3}^{(8)}(A) \langle A|B \rangle \quad (64)$$

are evaluated as described in the appendixes. The value for the nucleon mass M_N in front of Eq. (61) is taken as the value given by the classical soliton mass, i.e. by the mass of the nucleon in the χ QSM, which is heavier than the experimental mass [31] by a factor of 1.36.

B. The $\gamma^*N\Delta$ vertex in the χ QSM

We now investigate Eq. (11) in the χ QSM. In order to evaluate the left-hand side of Eq. (11) in the χ QSM, we had to take $\lim N_c \rightarrow \infty$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{N_c \rightarrow \infty} 3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V_k(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle \Big|_{Q^2=0} \\ & = \lim_{N_c \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{E_N(0) + M_N}{2M_N}} 2 \frac{M_\Delta}{M_N} \frac{G_M^{N\Delta}(0)}{(M_\Delta + M_N)}, \end{aligned} \quad (65)$$

$$\mu_{N\Delta} = \lim_{N_c \rightarrow \infty} \sqrt{\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N}} G_M^{N\Delta}(0) \mu_N. \quad (66)$$

In the whole χ QSM approach, we do not take any N_c^{-2} and also not all N_c^{-1} corrections into account. Corrections coming from the translational zero mode in Eq. (41) or vibrations of the classical soliton U_c were not considered. According to this, we could rewrite the factors on the right-hand side of Eq. (66) as follows:

$$E_N = M_N + \frac{\vec{p}^2}{2M_N} + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (67)$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{E_N(0) + M_N}{2M_N}} = 1 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (68)$$

$$\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N} = \frac{M_N + \frac{3}{2I_1}}{M_N} = 1 + \frac{3}{2I_1 M_N} = 1 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (69)$$

$$\frac{2}{M_\Delta + M_N} = \frac{1}{M_N} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{3}{2I_1 M_N}} = \frac{1}{M_N} + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (70)$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{M_\Delta}{M_N}} = 1 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}). \quad (71)$$

The expression of Eq. (66) then reads

$$\begin{aligned} & \lim_{N_c \rightarrow \infty} 3 \int \frac{d\Omega}{4\pi} \frac{q^i \epsilon^{ik3}}{i|\vec{q}|^2} \left\langle \Delta\left(p', \frac{1}{2}\right) \left| V_k(0) \right| N\left(p, \frac{1}{2}\right) \right\rangle \Big|_{Q^2=0} \\ & = \frac{1}{M_N} G_M^{N\Delta}(0), \end{aligned} \quad (72)$$

$$\mu_{N\Delta} = G_M^{N\Delta}(0) \mu_N. \quad (73)$$

The corresponding χ QSM expression is then given by

$$G_M^{N\Delta}(0) = \frac{1}{2} G_M^{N\Delta\chi=3}(0) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_M^{N\Delta\chi=8}(0), \quad (74)$$

$$\begin{aligned} G_M^{N\Delta\chi}(0) = & M_N \int d^3z \frac{j_1(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|)}{|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|} \Big|_{Q^2=0} \\ & \times \int dA \left\langle \Delta\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) | A \right\rangle \mathcal{G}_M^\chi(\vec{z}) \langle A | N\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (75)$$

where the density $\mathcal{G}_M^\chi(\vec{z})$ is the same as in Eq. (61) since the projectors in Eqs. (4) and (11) are the same. The only $1/N_c$ corrections which are taken into account on the level of Eq. (54) are those originating from $\mathcal{G}(\vec{z})$ but not from the expression $e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{z}}$. This is connected to the fact that we just expand Eq. (41) to the zeroth order in $\hat{T}_{z(t)}^\dagger T_{z(t)}$. In the case of the rest frame of the Δ , we have for \vec{q}^2 the expressions

$$\vec{q}^2 = (M_\Delta - E_N)^2 + Q^2 = Q^2 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (76)$$

$$|\vec{q}| = \sqrt{Q^2} + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}). \quad (77)$$

This means that in the present formalism the $|\vec{q}|$ entering in Eq. (74) is actually $\sqrt{Q^2}$. Applying the above large N_c arguments means that we neglect *all* $1/N_c$ corrections besides those coming from the rotational frequency (Ω) expansion of Eq. (41). After having done this, we put $N_c = 3$ in order to get finite numerical results.

C. The $\gamma^* \Delta \Delta$ vertex in the χ QSM

For the Δ electromagnetic form factors we again use the Breit frame with $Q^2 = \vec{q}^2$ and

$$G_{E0}(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} G_{E0}^{\chi=3}(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_{E0}^{\chi=8}(Q^2), \quad (78)$$

$$G_{E2}(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} G_{E2}^{\chi=3}(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_{E2}^{\chi=8}(Q^2), \quad (79)$$

$$G_{M1}(Q^2) = \frac{1}{2} G_{M1}^{\chi=3}(Q^2) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} G_{M1}^{\chi=8}(Q^2). \quad (80)$$

The calculation of the form factor G_{M3} requires the evaluation of densities beyond the ones derived in this work, and we therefore postpone the discussion of this form factor for future studies.

The projector of the electric charge form factor of the Δ is the same as for the nucleon case; hence we can use Eq. (60) with

$$G_{E0}^{\chi}(Q^2) = \int d^3 z j_0(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|) \left\langle \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left| \mathcal{G}_E^{\chi}(\vec{z}) \right| \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle. \quad (81)$$

The Δ magnetic dipole form factor, Eq. (22), and magnetic moment have the prefactors

$$\frac{1}{M_{\Delta}} = \frac{1}{M_N + \frac{3}{2I_1}} = \frac{1}{M_N} \frac{1}{1 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2})}, \quad (82)$$

$$\frac{M_N}{M_{\Delta}} = \frac{M_N}{M_N} \frac{1}{1 + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2})}, \quad (83)$$

and therefore give in the χ QSM the expressions

$$G_{M1}^{\chi}(Q^2) = M_N \int d^3 z \frac{j_1(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|)}{|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|} \left\langle \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left| \mathcal{G}_M^{\chi}(\vec{z}) \right| \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle, \quad (84)$$

$$\mu_{\Delta} = G_{M1}(0) \mu_N. \quad (85)$$

The densities $\mathcal{G}_E^{\chi}(\vec{z})$ and $\mathcal{G}_M^{\chi}(\vec{z})$ are the same as in Eqs. (60) and (61) since the projectors in Eqs. (3) and (20) and Eqs. (4) and (22) are the same, respectively.

The projector on G_{E2} is different. The electric quadrupole form factor reads, in terms of Eq. (54),

$$G_{E2}^{\chi}(Q^2) = - \int d\Omega_q \sqrt{\frac{5}{4\pi}} \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{\tau} \int dz^3 e^{i\vec{q}\cdot\vec{z}} \times \left\langle \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left| [Y_{20}^*(\Omega_q) \mathcal{G}^{0\chi}(\vec{z})] \right| \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle, \quad (86)$$

which after performing the integral over $d\Omega_q$ gives

$$G_{E2}^{\chi}(Q^2) = 6\sqrt{5} M_{\Delta}^2 \int dr r^4 \frac{j_2(k \cdot r)}{k^2 r^2} \int d\Omega_z \times \left\langle \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \left| [\sqrt{4\pi} Y_{20}(\Omega_z) \mathcal{G}^{0\chi}(\vec{z})] \right| \Delta\left(\frac{3}{2}\right) \right\rangle, \quad (87)$$

with $r = |\vec{z}|$ and $k = |\vec{q}|$. The expression $[\sqrt{4\pi} Y_{20}(\Omega_z) \mathcal{G}^{0\chi}(\vec{z})] = \mathcal{G}_{E2}^{0\chi}(\vec{z})$ shall illustrate the χ QSM form factor density, which we obtain when we choose the operator $\mathcal{J}^{\mu}(0)$ in Eq. (39) as

$$\mathcal{J}^{\mu}(0) \xrightarrow{E2} \Psi^{\dagger} \sqrt{4\pi} Y_{20}(\Omega_z) \gamma^0 \gamma^{\mu} \Psi, \quad (88)$$

according to Eq. (21).

Since G_{E2} is extracted out from the zeroth component of the vector current, the Lorentz structure is the same as for the form factor G_E . Hence, we can construct the G_{E2} χ QSM form factor density from the expression for G_E . For the form factor G_{E2} we will not take any m_s corrections coming from the operator into account, and we start from the $SU(3)$ expression of G_E , which reads

$$G_E^{\chi}(Q^2) = \int d^3 z j_0(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|) \int dA \langle B' | A \rangle \mathcal{G}_E^{\chi}(\vec{z}) \langle A | B \rangle, \quad (89)$$

with the density

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}_E^{\chi}(\vec{z}) &= D_{\chi^8}^{(8)} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \mathcal{B}(\vec{z}) - 2 \left\{ \frac{J_i}{2I_1}, D_{\chi^j}^{(8)} \right\} I_1^{ij}(\vec{z}) \\ &\quad - 2 \left\{ \frac{J_a}{2I_2}, D_{\chi^a}^{(8)} \right\} I_2(\vec{z}), \\ \frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{B}(\vec{z}) &= \phi_v^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \phi_v(\vec{z}) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_n \text{sign}(\varepsilon_n) \phi_n^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \phi_n(\vec{z}), \\ \frac{1}{N_c} I_1^{ij}(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} \langle v | \tau^i | n \rangle \phi_n^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \tau^j \phi_v(\vec{z}) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) \langle n | \tau^i | m \rangle \phi_m^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \tau^j \phi_n(\vec{z}), \\ \frac{1}{N_c} I_2(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\varepsilon_n^0} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n^0 - \varepsilon_v} \langle n^0 | v \rangle \phi_v^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \phi_{n^0}(\vec{z}) \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m^0} \mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_{m^0}) \phi_{m^0}^{\dagger}(\vec{z}) O \phi_n(\vec{z}) \langle n | m^0 \rangle. \end{aligned}$$

The choice of $\mathcal{J}^{\mu}(0)$ defines the operator O in the densities \mathcal{B} , I_1 , I_2 , which in the case of the form factor G_E is $O = \gamma^0 \gamma^0 = 1$ and in the case of G_{E2} it is $O = \sqrt{4\pi} Y_{20}(\Omega_z)$. The density \mathcal{B} originates from the zeroth-order Ω^0 in the rotation-velocity expansion of Eq. (41), whereas I_1 , I_2 are the first rotational Ω^1 corrections. The Ω^1 corrections are also referred to as $1/N_c$ corrections. In the case of the operator $O = \sqrt{4\pi} Y_{20}(\Omega_z)$, the corresponding densities $\mathcal{B}(\vec{z})$ and $I_2(\vec{z})$ are identically zero.

The final expression in the χ QSM for the form factor G_{E2} is found to be

$$G_{E2}^\chi(Q^2) = \frac{12}{I_1\sqrt{2}} M_\Delta^2 \langle B' | [3D_{\chi^3}^{(8)} J_3 - D_{\chi^i}^{(8)} J_i] | B \rangle \times \int dr r^4 \frac{j_2(|\vec{q}|r)}{|\vec{q}|^2 r^2} I_{1E2}(r), \quad (90)$$

with the density

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{6}{N_c} I_{1E2}(r) &= \sum_{n \neq v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} (-)^{G_m} \langle A^v, G^v | \tau_1 | A^n, G^n \rangle \\ &\times \langle A^n, G^n | r \rangle \{ \sqrt{4\pi} Y_2 \otimes \tau_1 \}_{11} \langle r | A^v, G^v \rangle \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) (-)^{G_n - G_m} \\ &\times \langle A^n, G^n | \tau_1 | A^m, G^m \rangle \langle A^m, G^m | r \rangle \\ &\times \{ \sqrt{4\pi} Y_2 \otimes \tau_1 \}_{11} \langle r | A^n, G^n \rangle, \end{aligned} \quad (91)$$

where the sum over the third grand spins of the basis states in Appendix E are already taken. The whole G_{E2}^χ form factor originates from the rotational corrections and therefore scales as $1/N_c$ and vanishes in the large N_c limit.

The same density also occurs in the χ QSM expression for the $N - \Delta$ transition form factor ratios $R_{EM} = -G_E^{N\Delta}(0)/G_M^{N\Delta}(0) = E2/M1$ and $R_{SM} = C2/M1 \sim G_C^{N\Delta}(0)/G_M^{N\Delta}(0)$ in [38]. The final results of that χ QSM $SU(3)$ analysis are $E2/M1 = -1.4\%$ and $C2/M1 \approx -1.8\%$, for which we can write

$$0.78 \approx \frac{E2/M1}{C2/M1} = \frac{E2}{C2} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\int dr \frac{\partial}{\partial r} [r j_2(|\vec{q}|r)] I_{1E2}(\vec{x})}{\int dr j_2(|\vec{q}|r) I_{1E2}(\vec{x})}, \quad (92)$$

by using the formulas presented in [38]. Inserting the density $I_{1E2}(r)$ of this work reproduces the 0.78. In addition, we can also reproduce the values for M^{E2} presented in [64] by using the expressions of that work with the density $I_{1E2}(r)$ of this work.

IV. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

We now present and discuss the final results of this work. We have calculated the electromagnetic form factors G_{E0} , G_{E2} , and G_{M1} of $\Delta(1232)$ and compared them to the form factors G_E and G_M of the nucleon. We also considered the magnetic transition moment of the process $N \rightarrow \Delta$ and gave numerical values for all other decuplet magnetic moments. All results are achieved by using the self-consistent $SU(3)$ χ QSM. In this formalism the constituent quark mass M is the only free parameter with a standard value $M = 420$ MeV. Numerical parameters are fixed as described in Sec. III and are exactly the same as in the works [34–42]. With the numerical parameters of Table I, the χ QSM yields masses of the octet and decuplet baryons in units of MeV, as in Ref. [42]:

$$\begin{aligned} M_N &= 1001(939), & M_\Lambda &= 1124(1116), \\ M_\Sigma &= 1179(1189), & M_\Xi &= 1275(1318), \\ M_\Delta &= 1329(1232), & M_{\Sigma^*} &= 1431(1385), \\ M_{\Xi^*} &= 1533(1530), & M_\Omega &= 1635(1672), \end{aligned} \quad (93)$$

where the numbers in the parentheses are the experimental values of the Particle Data Group [1]. The χ QSM values were obtained by first calculating the hypercharge splittings with Eq. (44) and afterwards starting from the experimental octet mass center, $M_8 = (M_\Lambda + M_\Sigma)/2 = 1151.5$ MeV.

In general, for the observables investigated in this work a change of the constituent quark mass between the values in the range $M = (400\text{--}450)$ MeV affect the numerical values of the observables by 4%. We therefore present only final results for $M = 420$ MeV.

We will first discuss the values of the form factors at the point $Q^2 = 0$ and afterwards their Q^2 dependence up to $Q^2 = 1$ GeV².

The magnetic moments are obtained from Eqs. (59), (74), and (80),

$$G_M(0) = \frac{1}{2} \left[G_M^{\chi=3}(0) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} G_M^{\chi=8}(0) \right], \quad (94)$$

for which we can rewrite Eq. (63) in the following simple form:

$$G_M^\chi(0) = \int dA \langle B' | A \rangle [\hat{\mathcal{G}}_M^\chi + \hat{\mathcal{G}}_M^{\chi(\text{opc})}] \langle A | B \rangle, \quad (95)$$

$$\hat{\mathcal{G}}_M^\chi = w_1 D_{\chi^3}^{(8)} + w_2 d_{pq3} D_{\chi p}^{(8)} \hat{J}_q + w_3 \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} D_{\chi^8}^{(8)} \hat{J}_3, \quad (96)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\mathcal{G}}_M^{\chi(\text{opc})} &= w_4 \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} d_{pq3} D_{\chi p}^{(8)} D_{8q}^{(8)} + w_5 (D_{\chi^3}^{(8)} D_{88}^{(8)} + D_{\chi^8}^{(8)} D_{83}^{(8)}) \\ &+ w_6 (D_{\chi^3}^{(8)} D_{88}^{(8)} - D_{\chi^8}^{(8)} D_{83}^{(8)}). \end{aligned} \quad (97)$$

All magnetic constants in this work can be reproduced (within accuracy) by using the values of Table II and the matrix elements of Appendix F. In the case of flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetry, only the parameters w_1 , w_2 , and w_3 contribute, whereas w_4 , w_5 , and w_6 are m_s corrections coming from the operator; wave function corrections contribute via $|B\rangle$ with the parameters w_1 , w_2 , and w_3 . Since the right-hand

TABLE II. Magnetic parameters for Eq. (97). The parameters are for a constituent quark mass of $M = 420$ MeV and a mass of $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV in Eq. (61), as described in the text. The density \mathcal{M}_0 is proportional to m_s .

w_1	w_2	w_3	w_4	w_5	w_6
-12.94 (with \mathcal{M}_0)	7.13	5.16	-1.31	-0.78	0.07
-13.64 (no \mathcal{M}_0)					

TABLE III. Magnetic moments of the decuplet in the self-consistent χ QSM for $M = 420$ MeV. All numbers are given with the inclusion of flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetry-breaking effects. The flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetric value of this work is given by $\mu_{B^{10}} = 2.47 Q_{10} \mu_N$. The χ QSM Ω^- magnetic moment agrees well with the experimental value given by the Particle Data Group of $\mu_{\Omega^-} = (-2.02 \pm 0.05) \mu_N$ [1]. The mass factor of Eq. (61) is $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV, as described in the text.

$\mu/\text{n.m.}$	Δ^{++}	Δ^+	Δ^0	Δ^-	Σ_{10}^+	Σ_{10}^0	Σ_{10}^-	Ξ_{10}^0	Ξ_{10}^-	Ω^-
This work	4.85	2.35	-0.14	-2.63	2.47	-0.02	-2.52	0.09	-2.40	-2.29
χ QSM '98 [57]	4.73	2.19	-0.35	-2.90	2.52	-0.08	-2.69	0.19	-2.48	-2.27

sides of Eqs. (61), (74), (84), and (90) are model equations, we also take the model value for the nucleon mass, which is by a factor of 1.36 larger than the experimental value, $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV.

As in [57] we can write the magnetic moments of the decuplet baryons in flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetry by the simple formula

$$\mu_{B^{10}} = -\frac{1}{12} \left(w_1 - \frac{1}{2} w_2 - \frac{1}{2} w_3 \right) Q_{10} J_3 \mu_N, \quad (98)$$

where Q_{10} is the charge of the decuplet baryon and J_3 its third-spin component. The numerical value of this equation, given later [Eq. (99)], is close to the *model-independent* analysis in [57] and comparable to the one in [55]. The χ QSM analysis of [56,57] gave, in flavor- $SU(3)$, a decuplet magnetic moment of $2.23 \cdot Q_{10} \mu_N$. Even though the numerical value of the present work is close, there are differences in its determination. As explicitly mentioned in [57], the so-called SCQ technique [59] was not applied and the magnetic moment of $2.23 \cdot Q_{10} \mu_N$ is normalized to the experimental nucleon mass in Eq. (60). The SCQ has as a consequence that it decreases μ_B , like g_A^3 in [35] compared to [65], but the normalization to the nucleon mass, as it comes out in the self-consistent χ QSM, enhances μ_B . The final numerical value for the decuplet $SU(3)$ symmetric magnetic moment with $J_3 = 3/2$, the application of SCQ, and normalization to the soliton nucleon mass ($M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV) is

$$\mu_{B^{10}}^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 2.47 \cdot Q_{10} \mu_N. \quad (99)$$

For the above number we used the values of Table II. Our

final results for the magnetic moments by including flavor- $SU(3)$ -breaking effects are summarized in Table III. The m_s corrections of this work are more moderate compared to the results in [57]. This is also a consequence of the SCQ. The SCQ has a significant impact on the parameter w_1 , and therefore alters the ratio of the wave function to operator corrections in this work compared to [57]. For the wave function corrections, the factor a_{27} is numerically dominant and the magnetic moment corrections originating from it are sensitive to w_1 . However, in general, the m_s corrections in this work are maximal 8% for the charged baryons. The m_s corrections in this work have the same sign as in [56] which is not always the case by comparing with [57].

Magnetic moments for the nucleon, the $N - \Delta$, and Δ^+ are discussed in more detail in Table IV. Since the χ QSM uses the large N_c approximation, to some extent the large N_c relations of [28] should be fulfilled. The relations given in that paper are exact up to the order $\mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2})$. In the present approach of the χ QSM, there are two reasons why this relations should not be exactly fulfilled. First, in order to achieve numerical values the transition back to $N_c = 3$ is done. Second, not all N_c^{-1} corrections are taken into account; e.g. corrections from the translational zero mode are not considered. Generally, also for other decuplet magnetic moments in the χ QSM of Table III, the large N_c relations of [28],

$$\mu_{\Delta^{++}} - \mu_{\Delta^-} = \frac{9}{5}(\mu_p - \mu_n) + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (100)$$

$$\mu_{\Delta^+} - \mu_{\Delta^0} = \frac{3}{5}(\mu_p - \mu_n) + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (101)$$

$$\mu_{\Sigma_{10}^+} - \mu_{\Sigma_{10}^-} = \frac{3}{2}(\mu_{\Sigma^+} - \mu_{\Sigma^-}) + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (102)$$

TABLE IV. Magnetic moments of the nucleon, the N - Δ transition, and the Δ^+ in the self-consistent χ QSM for $M = 420$ MeV. The second column corresponds to the leading order in rotation, whereas the third and fourth columns are linear rotational and m_s corrections, respectively. The last column gives experimental data taken from [1,4,5,66] with the uncertainty of $\mu_{\Delta^+} = (2.7_{-1.3}^{+1.0}(\text{stat}) \pm 1.5(\text{syst}) \pm 3(\text{theo})) \mu_N$. The normalization in Eq. (61) is taken as $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV for all given observables, as described in the text. The values for the large N_c relations are given by using the χ QSM values, where in the case of μ_{Δ^+} , the μ_{Δ^0} contribution is omitted.

$\mu[\mu_N]$	Ω^0	Ω^{0+1}	$\Omega^{0+1} + \delta m_s^1$	Large N_c relations	Experiment
μ_p	1.25	2.46	2.44		2.79
μ_n	-0.93	-1.63	-1.68		-1.91
$ \mu_{\Delta N} $	1.38	2.56	2.72	$\mu_{\Delta N} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(\mu_p - \mu_n) = 2.91$	3.46 ± 0.03
μ_{Δ^+}	1.16	2.47	2.35	$\mu_{\Delta^+} \approx \frac{3}{5}(\mu_p - \mu_n) = 2.47$	$2.7 \pm 1.15(\text{stat}) \pm 1.5(\text{syst})$

TABLE V. Table of proton and Δ^+ parameters for the dipole (dip) and exponential (exp) form factor fits, Eqs. (108) and (109). The numbers in parentheses corresponds to (1) using normalization of $M_\Delta^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 1232 \cdot 1.36$ MeV in Eq. (84) and (2) using an exponential-type form factor. The self-consistent χQSM calculation for G_{M1} is best reproduced by a dipole-type form factor, while the numbers for Λ_{M1}^2 in the case of the lattice results are for an exponential-type form factor.

	$\Lambda_E^2/(\text{GeV}^2)$	$G_M^p(0)$	$\Lambda_M^2/(\text{GeV}^2)$	$\Lambda_{E0}^2/(\text{GeV}^2)$	$G_{M1}^{\Delta^+}(0)$	$\Lambda_{M1}^2/(\text{GeV}^2)$
χQSM	0.614	2.438	0.716	0.585	2.354[3.089] ¹⁾	0.736 ^{dip} [0.490] ^{exp}
Quenched Wilson				1.101	2.635	0.978 ^{exp}
Dynamical $N_f = 2$ Wilson				1.161	2.344	1.022 ^{exp}
Hybrid				1.126	3.101	0.895 ^{exp}
Experiment	0.523	2.793				

$$\mu_{\Xi_{10}^0} - \mu_{\Xi_{10}^-} = -3(\mu_{\Xi^0} - \mu_{\Xi^-}) + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}), \quad (103)$$

are satisfied up to 7%.

In the case of the $N - \Delta$ transition and the Δ form factors, we made use of large N_c arguments in Eqs. (71) and (83) for several mass-ratio factors, which lead to the values, also presented in Tables IV and V, in the self-consistent χQSM of

$$G_M^{N\Delta}(0) = 2.72, \quad \mu_{N\Delta} = 2.72\mu_N, \quad (104)$$

$$G_{M1}^{\Delta^+}(0) = 2.35, \quad \mu_{\Delta^+} = 2.35\mu_N. \quad (105)$$

Keeping these mass-ratio factors, which are overall factors, yields

$$G_M^{N\Delta}(0) = 2.30, \quad \mu_{N\Delta} = 2.72\mu_N, \quad (106)$$

$$G_{M1}^{\Delta^+}(0) = 3.09, \quad \mu_{\Delta^+} = 2.35\mu_N. \quad (107)$$

The first treatment would correspond to neglecting *all* $1/N_c$ corrections besides the rotational corrections, while keeping the prefactors would correspond to keeping some more $1/N_c$ corrections but neglecting all model-based $1/N_c$ corrections besides the rotational ones.

We will now discuss the Δ^+ electric and magnetic form factors G_{E0} and G_{M1} for $Q^2 \leq 1$ GeV².

The results of the self-consistent χQSM calculations for the electric and magnetic form factors G_E^p , G_M^p , $G_{E0}^{\Delta^+}$, and $G_{M1}^{\Delta^+}$ are best reproduced by a dipole-type form factor

$$G_{E,M}(Q^2) = \frac{G_{E,M}(0)}{(1 + \frac{Q^2}{\Lambda_{E,M}^2})^2}. \quad (108)$$

In Table V we present the fitted parameter which reproduces the proton and Δ^+ electric and magnetic form factors of Fig. 1. In the case of the lattice results [27], an exponential-type form factor for G_{M1} ,

$$G_{M1}(Q^2) = G_{M1}(0)e^{-Q^2/\Lambda_{M1}^2}, \quad (109)$$

parametrizes the lattice results best. We compare our results in Table V with those of [27].

The charge and magnetic dipole form factors of the decuplet baryons in the case of flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetry

can be written as

$$\begin{aligned} G_{E0}(Q^2) &= Q_{10} \times \int d^3z j_0(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|) \\ &\times \left[\frac{1}{24} \mathcal{B}(\vec{z}) + \frac{5}{8} \frac{I_1(\vec{z})}{I_1} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{I_2(\vec{z})}{I_2} \right], \\ G_{M1}(Q^2) &= Q_{10} \times J_3 \times \frac{M_\Delta}{12} \int d^3z \frac{j_1(|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|)}{|\vec{q}||\vec{z}|} \\ &\times \left[\sqrt{3} \mathcal{Q}_0(\vec{z}) - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\mathcal{X}_1(\vec{z})}{I_1} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \frac{\mathcal{X}_2(\vec{z})}{I_2} \right. \\ &\left. - \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \frac{\mathcal{Q}_1(\vec{z})}{I_1} \right], \end{aligned}$$

with Q_{10} the charge of the decuplet baryon and its third-spin component J_3 , and M_Δ the normalization of the magnetic form factor. In the case of the neutral decuplet baryons, the entire form factors for G_{E0} and G_{M1} , even for $Q^2 > 0$, are only due to strange-quark mass corrections.

For the proton the experimental value of the charge radius is $[\langle r_E^2 \rangle^P]^{1/2} = 0.8750 \pm 0.0068$ fm ($\langle r_E^2 \rangle^P \approx 0.766$ fm²) [1]. The charge radii of the proton and Δ^+ of G_E and G_{E0} in the self-consistent χQSM with $M = 420$ MeV are, respectively,

$$\langle r_E^2 \rangle_P = 0.768 \text{ fm}^2, \quad \langle r_E^2 \rangle_P^{SU(3)} = 0.770 \text{ fm}^2, \quad (110)$$

$$\langle r_E^2 \rangle_{\Delta^+} = 0.794 \text{ fm}^2, \quad \langle r_E^2 \rangle_{\Delta^+}^{SU(3)} = 0.813 \text{ fm}^2, \quad (111)$$

and the magnetic radii for $G_M(Q^2)$ and $G_{M1}(Q^2)$ are

$$\langle r_M^2 \rangle_P = 0.656 \text{ fm}^2, \quad \langle r_M^2 \rangle_P^{SU(3)} = 0.665 \text{ fm}^2, \quad (112)$$

$$\langle r_M^2 \rangle_{\Delta^+} = 0.634 \text{ fm}^2, \quad \langle r_M^2 \rangle_{\Delta^+}^{SU(3)} = 0.658 \text{ fm}^2, \quad (113)$$

where the index $SU(3)$ indicates the value in the case of flavor- $SU(3)$ symmetry. The above radii are calculated by differentiating the χQSM form factor expression, i.e. explicitly integrating the χQSM form factor densities. Alternatively, one could calculate the radii by using the dipole fit due to $\langle r_{E,M}^2 \rangle = 12/\Lambda_{E,M}^2$ for which the values only differ by a maximum of 1%.

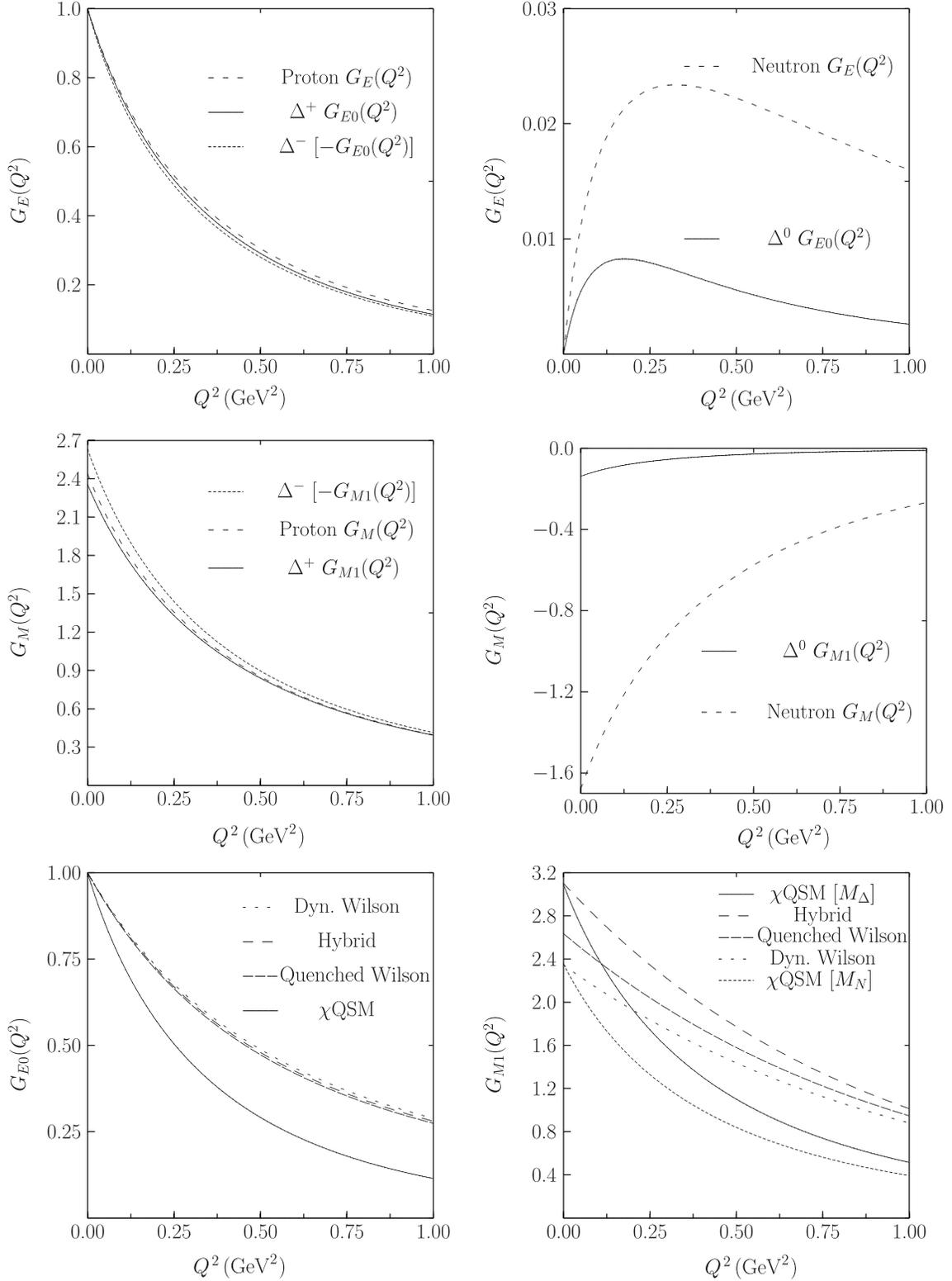


FIG. 1. Electric and magnetic form factors of the Δ^+ , Δ^0 , Δ^- , and the nucleon in the self-consistent χ QSM. The form factors of the Δ^{++} are roughly, by an overall factor of 2, larger than those for the Δ^+ and are not explicitly shown. The $G_{E0}^{\Delta^0}$ and $G_{M1}^{\Delta^0}$ for $Q^2 > 0$ are entirely due to m_s corrections and are therefore smaller compared to the neutron G_M . For all magnetic form factors $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV is used in Eq. (61) apart from the χ QSM graph in the lower-right panel, where we also take $M_\Delta^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 1232 \cdot 1.36$ MeV and indicate the normalization by [$M_{N(\Delta)}$]. In the last two figures we compare our final results for the Δ^+ form factors G_{E0} and G_{M1} with those of the lattice results in [27].

In Fig. 1 we compare the final χ QSM results for the Δ^+ form factors G_{E0} and G_{M1} with those of the lattice calculation [27]. The χ QSM form factors drop faster with increasing Q^2 . In the case of the χ QSM, it is known that the Q^2 dependence of the experimental data of the electric and magnetic form factors for both nucleons is very well reproduced [31]. In the lattice work [67] the nucleon isovector form factor $F_1^{p-n}(Q^2)$ for pion masses ranging from $m_\pi = 775$ MeV down to $m_\pi = 359$ MeV was calculated. It was found that the form factor becomes steeper by lowering the pion mass. Still, for a value of $m_\pi = 359$ MeV the results of [67] are above the experimental values. The minimal value of m_π in Ref. [27] for the form factors G_{E0} and G_{M1} of the Δ^+ , Fig. 1, is $m_\pi = 353$ MeV and also does not fall off as fast as the χ QSM results. This can also be seen by the fact that the lattice results are best reproduced by an exponential-type form factor while the χ QSM are more of a dipole-type form factor. The Δ magnetic moment is presented in the range of $\mu_{\Delta^+} = (1.58-1.91)\mu_N$ in the pion-mass range $m_\pi \approx (353-400)$ MeV. The value of the present χ QSM calculation is $\mu_{\Delta^+} = 2.35\mu_N$.

Recently, a first dynamical lattice QCD calculation [20] of the Δ and Ω^- magnetic dipole moments was also performed using a background field method. The calculation for Ω^- was done at the physical strange-quark mass, with the result $\mu_{\Omega^-} = -1.93(8)\mu_N$ in very good agreement with the experimental number. The Δ has been studied at the smallest pion-mass value $m_\pi = 366$ MeV with the result $\mu_{\Delta^+} = 2.40(6)\mu_N$.

We will now discuss the results for the Δ^+ electric quadrupole form factor G_{E2} . In Fig. 2 we present the final results and compare them with the recent lattice calculations in [27]. As already mentioned in Sec. III C the form

factor G_{E2} in the χ QSM is only due to rotational corrections which are seen as $1/N_c$ corrections. In the large N_c limit the χ QSM leads to a vanishing form factor. In the left panel of Fig. 2 we decomposed the form factor into its contributions coming from the valence and sea quarks. The sea contribution gives the most sizable part of the form factor. This behavior is also seen in Ref. [64] where the electric quadrupole moment $Q_{N\Delta}$ was investigated in the $SU(2)$ χ QSM. The density $I_{1E2}(r)$ also contributes to the $N\Delta$ transition in [64]. Figure 2 shows the same behavior of valence and sea quark contributions for G_{E2} as Fig. 1 in Ref. [64] for the quantity $Q_{N\Delta}$. In the case of the χ QSM, we had to introduce a regularization scheme for the sea quark contribution, which was the proper-time regularization. The fact that the sea quarks give the dominant part of the form factor could result in a sensibility of the χ QSM G_{E2} to the applied regularization scheme. An analogous situation is met, and well known, in the case of the $\Sigma_{\pi N}$ form factor in [68,69]. In this work we do not investigate the regularization dependence of the form factor G_{E2} , and we give all final results for applying the proper-time regularization.

For the parametrization of this form factor we prefer a dipole-type fit, Eq. (108). In Table VI we summarize the parameters which reproduce the self-consistent χ QSM calculation and compare them to the results of the lattice calculation of [27]. In the case of the electric quadrupole form factor, the lattice results are more divergent. Again, the χ QSM result falls off faster in the region $0 \leq Q^2 \leq 0.50$ GeV² compared to all three lattice results, but compares well to the quenched Wilson and hybrid action results for 0.50 GeV² $\leq Q^2 \leq 1$ GeV², respectively.

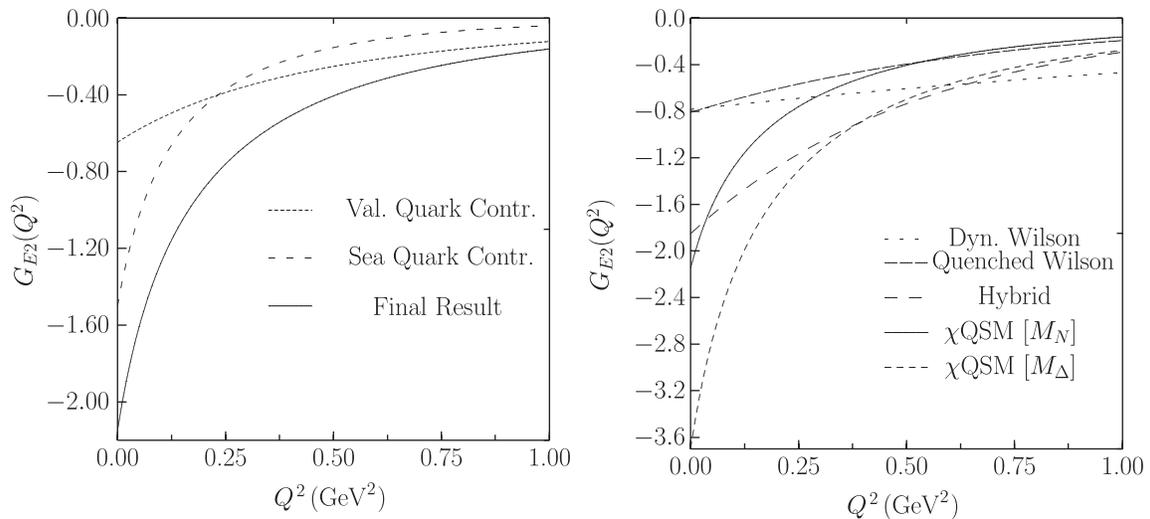


FIG. 2. The electric Δ^+ quadrupole form factor G_{E2} in the self-consistent χ QSM and comparison to the lattice results of [27]. The left panel shows the form factor decomposed into its valence and sea quark contributions while the right panel compares the final result with those of the lattice calculation. In the right panel we took $M_N^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 939 \cdot 1.36$ MeV and $M_\Delta^{\chi\text{QSM}} = 1232 \cdot 1.36$ MeV one time each for the mass in Eq. (90).

TABLE VI. Table for fit parameters of the form factor G_{E2} . The indices “dip” and “exp” correspond to fitting with a dipole- or exponential-type form factor, Eqs. (108) and (109). A dipole-type form factor reproduces the self-consistent χ QSM calculation more accurately than an exponential fit.

	χ QSM	Quenched Wilson	Dynamical Wilson	Hybrid
$G_{E2}^{\Delta^+}(0)$	-2.145	-0.810	-0.784	-1.851
$\Lambda_{E2}^2/(\text{GeV}^2)$	$0.369^{\text{dip}}[0.268]^{\text{exp}}$	0.696^{exp}	1.938^{exp}	0.542^{exp}

In Ref. [29] a relation in the large N_c limit is found which connects the quadrupole moment of the $N - \Delta$ transition $Q_{N\Delta}$ to the quadrupole moment Q_Δ of the Δ ,

$$Q_{\Delta^+} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{5} Q_{p\Delta^+} + \mathcal{O}(N_c^{-2}). \quad (114)$$

Reference [5] extracted the value of

$$Q_{N\Delta} = -(0.0846 \pm 0.0033) \text{ fm}^2, \quad (115)$$

which gives, with the above large N_c relation,

$$Q_{\Delta^+} = (-0.048 \pm 0.002) \text{ fm}^2.$$

The final result of this work in the self-consistent χ QSM is

$$Q_{\Delta^+}^{\chi\text{QSM}} = \frac{G_{E2}(0)}{M_\Delta^2} = -0.0509 \text{ fm}^2, \quad (116)$$

which agrees well with the above estimation. From the left panel in Fig. 2 we see that for the electric quadrupole moment, proportional to $G_{E2}(0)$, the sea quark contribution dominates the valence quark contribution. Furthermore, one can expect the sea quark contribution to have a broader spatial distribution than the one for the valence quarks. This in turn leads to a steeper Q^2 dependence of the contribution to G_{E2} of sea quarks as compared with valence quarks. This is evidenced in the present calculation as shown in Fig. 2.

In the χ QSM work [64] the authors presented an electric quadrupole transition moment of $Q_{N\Delta} = -0.020 \text{ fm}^2$. Also for this quantity, the main contribution comes from the sea quarks. The small value of $Q_{N\Delta} = -0.020 \text{ fm}^2$ in [64] is in contrast with $Q_{N\Delta} = -(0.0846 \pm 0.0033) \text{ fm}^2$ from [66] and the relative large electric Δ quadrupole moment $Q_{\Delta^+}^{\chi\text{QSM}} = -0.0509 \text{ fm}^2$ of this work. We can reproduce, with the density $I_{1E2}(r)$ of this work, the values given in [64]. The discrepancy of the above numbers could be due to a possible breakdown of the approximation $k \cdot R \ll 1$ performed in [64], with k being the photon momentum at $Q^2 = 0$ of the $\gamma^* N \Delta$ process and R being the nucleon charge radius. This remains to be investigated in future studies.

In [70] the Δ^+ electric quadrupole moment is estimated to $Q_{\Delta^+}^{\text{imp(exc)}} = -0.032 \text{ fm}^2 (-0.119 \text{ fm}^2)$ by using a con-

stituent quark model, once with configuration mixings and no exchange current and once with an exchange current but no configuration mixing, respectively. A recent light cone QCD sum rule calculation [71] obtained an electric quadrupole moment of $Q_{\Delta^+} = -(5.8 \pm 1.45)10^{-4} \text{ fm}^2$. Our value of $Q_{\Delta^+}^{\chi\text{QSM}} = -0.0509 \text{ fm}^2$ is more comparable to the constituent quark model results.

V. SUMMARY

In the present work we investigated, in the framework of the self-consistent $SU(3)$ χ QSM, the electromagnetic form factors of the vector current for decuplet baryons. We explicitly take the symmetry-conserving quantization, linear $1/N_c$ rotational, and linear strange-quark mass corrections into account. Earlier self-consistent $SU(3)$ χ QSM results only calculated the decuplet magnetic moments and did not apply the symmetry-conserving quantization. Numerical parameters of the model are fixed in the meson sector as described at the end of Sec. III. The only free parameter of the χ QSM for the baryon sector is the constituent quark mass. All these parameters were fixed by previous studies and were also used in the present work. No additional readjusting is done. With these parameters, the general way to calculate observables in the model is to determine the eigenvalues of the χ QSM Hamiltonian numerically by using a self-consistent pion-field profile, the soliton. These eigenvalues are then used for determining all observables in the χ QSM.

In particular, we calculated the form factors G_{E0} , G_{M1} , and G_{E2} for the Δ^+ up to a momentum transfer of $Q^2 \leq 1 \text{ GeV}^2$ and magnetic moments for all decuplet baryons and the $N - \Delta$ transition. In general, all χ QSM form factors are best reproduced by a dipole-type fit.

Experimental data for decuplet magnetic moments are available for the Δ^{++} with $\mu_{\Delta^{++}} = 3.7\text{--}7.5\mu_N$ [1], the Δ^+ with $\mu_{\Delta^+} = (2.7_{-1.3}^{+1.0}(\text{stat}) \pm 1.5(\text{syst}) \pm 3(\text{theor}))\mu_N$ [4], and for the Ω^- with $\mu_{\Omega^-} = (-2.02 \pm 0.05)\mu_N$. The present work yields values of $\mu_{\Delta^{++}} = 4.85\mu_N$, $\mu_{\Delta^+} = 2.35\mu_N$, and $\mu_{\Omega^-} = -2.29\mu_N$, which are in good agreement with the experimental ones. The $N - \Delta$ magnetic transition moment was extracted in [5] as $\mu_{N\Delta} = 3.46 \pm 0.03\mu_N$, whereas this work yields a value of $\mu_{\Delta N} = 2.72\mu_N$. Other χ QSM results for decuplet magnetic moments are summarized in Table III.

The final results for the magnetic dipole and electric charge form factors are presented in Fig. 1. In the χ QSM the Δ^+ radii of these form factors, $\langle r_E^2 \rangle = 0.794 \text{ fm}^2$ and $\langle r_M^2 \rangle = 0.634 \text{ fm}^2$, are comparable to the ones of the proton, $\langle r_E^2 \rangle = 0.768 \text{ fm}^2$ and $\langle r_M^2 \rangle = 0.656 \text{ fm}^2$, keeping in mind that we take for both baryons the same classical soliton configuration. The experimental value for the proton electric radius is $\langle r_E^2 \rangle \approx 0.766 \text{ fm}^2$.

We also presented the electric quadrupole form factor of the Δ^+ . The value $G_{E2}(0)$ is directly proportional to the Δ electric quadrupole moment for which we found a value of $Q_\Delta = -0.0509 \text{ fm}^2$. The electric quadrupole moment and the electric quadrupole form factor appear in the model entirely as $1/N_c$ corrections arising from the expansion in the rotation velocity of the soliton. Hence, in the large N_c limit the model leads to a vanishing form factor and moment. In addition, a decomposition into the valence and sea quark contributions of the electric quadrupole form factor, Fig. 2, shows that the main contribution originates from the sea quarks. Furthermore, one can expect the sea quark contribution to have a broader spatial distribution than the one for the valence quarks. This in turn leads to a steeper Q^2 dependence of the contribution to G_{E2} of sea quarks as compared with valence quarks which is explicitly seen in the present calculation.

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APPENDIX A: MODEL-INDEPENDENT QUANTITIES

We use the Breit frame in which the incoming p and outgoing p' momenta are defined as

$$\begin{aligned} p' &= \left(E, \frac{\vec{q}}{2} \right), & p &= \left(E, -\frac{\vec{q}}{2} \right), & q &= (0, \vec{q}), \\ Q^2 &= -q^2 = \vec{q}^2, \\ q &= |\vec{q}|(0, \sin\theta \cos\phi, \sin\theta \sin\phi, \cos\theta) \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A1})$$

with $\vec{q}^2 = 4(E^2 - M^2)$. We use the Rarita-Schwinger spin-3/2 spinor

$$u^\alpha(p, s) = \sum_{\lambda, s'} C_{1\lambda(1/2)s}^{(3/2)s} e^\alpha(p, \lambda) u(p, s') \quad \text{with}$$

$$u(p, s) = \sqrt{\frac{E+M}{2M}} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_s \\ \frac{\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{p}}{E+M} \phi_s \end{pmatrix}.$$

The spin-1 vector $e^\alpha(p, \lambda)$ is defined by $\lambda = \pm 1, 0$,

$$\begin{aligned} e^\alpha(p, \lambda) &= \left(\frac{\hat{e}_\lambda \cdot \vec{p}}{M}, \hat{e}_\lambda + \frac{\vec{p} \cdot (\hat{e}_\lambda \cdot \vec{p})}{M(p^0 + M)} \right) \quad \text{with} \\ \hat{e}_{+1} &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, & \hat{e}_0 &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \\ \hat{e}_{-1} &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A2})$$

The final and initial Δ states for the third-spin components read

$$u^\beta(p, +\frac{3}{2}) = u(p, +\frac{1}{2}) e^\beta(p, +1), \quad (\text{A3})$$

$$u^\beta(p, +\frac{1}{2}) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}} u(p, +\frac{1}{2}) e^\beta(p, 0) + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} u(p, -\frac{1}{2}) e^\beta(p, +1). \quad (\text{A4})$$

For the zeroth component of the vector current, $\langle \Delta(\frac{3}{2}) | V^0 | \Delta(\frac{3}{2}) \rangle$, we obtain, by using the Breit frame,

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u}(p', s') \gamma^0 u(p, s) &= \delta_{s's}; \\ e^{*\alpha}(p', 1) g_{\alpha\beta} e^\beta(p, 1) &= -1 - \frac{2}{3} \tau + (3\cos^2\theta - 1) \frac{\tau}{3}, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A5})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{u}(p', s') \sigma^{0\nu} q_\nu u(p, s) &= -i \frac{q^2}{2M} \delta_{s's}; \\ e^{*\alpha}(p', 1) q_\alpha q_\beta e^\beta(p, 1) &= 4M^2 \tau \frac{1+\tau}{3} \\ &\quad \times \left[1 - \frac{1}{2} (3\cos^2\theta - 1) \right], \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A6})$$

with $\tau = Q^2/(4M^2)$.

For the spatial component of the vector current $\langle \Delta | V_k | N \rangle$, we obtain, by using the rest frame of the Δ ,

$$\epsilon_{\beta k \sigma \tau} P_\sigma q_\tau = M \delta^{\beta b} \epsilon^{bks} q^s, \quad (\text{A7})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_{\beta \sigma \nu \gamma} P_\nu q_\gamma \epsilon_{k \sigma \alpha \delta} P'_\alpha q_\delta &= \epsilon_{\beta \sigma \nu \gamma} P_\nu q_\gamma \epsilon_{k \sigma 0 \delta} M q_\delta \\ &= M^2 \delta^{\beta b} [\delta^{bk} \vec{q}^2 - q^b q^k]. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A8})$$

APPENDIX B: χ QSM ELECTRIC DENSITIES

The electric densities of Eq. (62) are

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{B}(\vec{z}) &= \phi_v^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_v(\vec{z}) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_n \text{sign}(\varepsilon_n) \phi_n^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_n(\vec{z}), \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{I}_1(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} \langle v | \tau^i | n \rangle \phi_n^\dagger(\vec{z}) \tau^i \phi_v(\vec{z}) + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) \langle n | \tau^i | m \rangle \phi_m^\dagger(\vec{z}) \tau^i \phi_n(\vec{z}), \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{I}_2(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\varepsilon_{n^0}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{n^0} - \varepsilon_v} \langle n^0 | v \rangle \phi_v^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_{n^0}(\vec{z}) + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m^0} \mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_{m^0}) \phi_{m^0}^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_n(\vec{z}) \langle n | m^0 \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{C}(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} \phi_v^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_n(\vec{z}) \langle n | \gamma^0 | v \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \langle n | \gamma^0 | m \rangle \phi_m^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_n(\vec{z}) \mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m), \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{K}_1(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} \langle v | \gamma^0 \tau^i | n \rangle \phi_n^\dagger(\vec{z}) \tau^i \phi_v(\vec{z}) + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m} \langle n | \gamma^0 \tau^i | m \rangle \phi_m^\dagger(\vec{z}) \tau^i \phi_n(\vec{z}) \mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m), \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{K}_2(\vec{z}) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{\varepsilon_{n^0}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{n^0} - \varepsilon_v} \phi_v^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_{n^0}(\vec{z}) \langle n^0 | \gamma^0 | v \rangle + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_{m^0}) \phi_{m^0}^\dagger(\vec{z}) \phi_n(\vec{z}) \langle n | \gamma^0 | m^0 \rangle.
\end{aligned}$$

The vectors $\langle n |$ are eigenstates of the χ QSM Hamiltonian $h(U)$ which are a linear combination of the eigenstates $\langle n^0 |$ of the Hamiltonian $H(1)$ [72].

APPENDIX C: χ QSM MAGNETIC DENSITIES

The operator for the magnetic form factors in the χ QSM is $O_1 = \gamma^0[\vec{z} \times \vec{\gamma}]_3 = \gamma^5[\vec{z} \times \vec{\sigma}]_{10}$, and the magnetic densities of Eq. (63) are

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{Q}_0(\vec{z}) &= \langle v | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | v \rangle + \sum_n \sqrt{2G_n + 1} \langle n | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle \mathcal{R}_1(\varepsilon_n), \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{X}_1(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} (-)^{G_n} \langle v | \vec{z} \rangle O_1 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle \langle n | \tau_1 | v \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) (-)^{G_m - G_n} \langle n | \tau_1 | m \rangle \langle m | \vec{z} \rangle O_1 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{X}_2(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_{n^0}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{n^0} - \varepsilon_v} \langle n^0 | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | v \rangle \langle v | n^0 \rangle + \sum_{n,m^0} \mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_{m^0}) \sqrt{2G_m + 1} \langle m^0 | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle \langle n | m^0 \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{Q}_1(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_n} \frac{\text{sign}(\varepsilon_n)}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} (-)^{G_n} \langle n | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_1 \langle \vec{z} | v \rangle \langle v | \tau_1 | n \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_4(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) (-)^{G_m - G_n} \langle n | \vec{z} \rangle \\
&\quad \times \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_1 \langle \vec{z} | m \rangle \langle m | \tau_1 | n \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{M}_0(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} \langle v | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle \langle n | \gamma^0 | v \rangle - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_2(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) \sqrt{2G_m + 1} \langle n | \gamma^0 | m \rangle \langle m | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{M}_1(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_n \neq \varepsilon_v} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_v} (-)^{G_n} \langle n | \gamma^0 \tau_1 | v \rangle \langle v | \vec{z} \rangle O_1 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{R}_2(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) (-)^{G_m - G_n} \langle n | \gamma^0 \tau_1 | m \rangle \langle m | \vec{z} \rangle O_1 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle, \\
\frac{1}{N_c} \mathcal{M}_2(\vec{z}) &= \sum_{\varepsilon_{n^0}} \frac{1}{\varepsilon_{n^0} - \varepsilon_v} \langle v | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n^0 \rangle \langle n^0 | \gamma^0 | v \rangle - \sum_{n,m^0} \mathcal{R}_2(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_{m^0}) \sqrt{2G_m + 1} \langle m^0 | \vec{z} \rangle \{O_1 \otimes \tau_1\}_0 \langle \vec{z} | n \rangle \langle n | \gamma^0 | m^0 \rangle.
\end{aligned} \tag{C1}$$

APPENDIX D: REGULARIZATION FUNCTIONS

The regularization functions are defined as

$$\mathcal{R}_1(\varepsilon_n) = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \varepsilon_n \int_{1/\Lambda^2}^{\infty} \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} e^{-u\varepsilon_n^2}, \quad (\text{D1})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_2(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) = \int_{1/\Lambda^2}^{\infty} du \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}u} \frac{\varepsilon_m e^{-u\varepsilon_m^2} - \varepsilon_n e^{-u\varepsilon_n^2}}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_m}, \quad (\text{D2})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_3(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{1/\Lambda^2}^{\infty} \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} \left[\frac{1}{u} \frac{e^{-\varepsilon_n^2 u} - e^{-\varepsilon_m^2 u}}{\varepsilon_m^2 - \varepsilon_n^2} - \frac{\varepsilon_n e^{-u\varepsilon_n^2} + \varepsilon_m e^{-u\varepsilon_m^2}}{\varepsilon_m + \varepsilon_n} \right], \quad (\text{D3})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_4(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{1/\Lambda^2}^{\infty} du \int_0^1 d\alpha e^{-\varepsilon_n^2 u(1-\alpha) - \alpha \varepsilon_m^2 u} \times \frac{\varepsilon_n(1-\alpha) - \alpha \varepsilon_m}{\sqrt{\alpha(1-\alpha)}}, \quad (\text{D4})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_5(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\text{sign}\varepsilon_n - \text{sign}\varepsilon_m}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_m}, \quad (\text{D5})$$

$$\mathcal{R}_6(\varepsilon_n, \varepsilon_m) = \frac{1 - \text{sign}(\varepsilon_n)\text{sign}(\varepsilon_m)}{\varepsilon_n - \varepsilon_m}. \quad (\text{D6})$$

APPENDIX E: REDUCED MATRIX ELEMENTS**FOR $\{\sqrt{4\pi}Y_2 \otimes \tau_1\}_1$**

We use the basis of [72] where the isospin τ and total angular momentum j are coupled to the grand spin $G = \tau + j$ ($j = l + s$),

$$|0\rangle = |l = G; j = G + \frac{1}{2}; GG_3\rangle, \quad (\text{E1})$$

$$|1\rangle = |l = G; j = G - \frac{1}{2}; GG_3\rangle, \quad (\text{E2})$$

$$|2\rangle = |l = G + 1; j = G + \frac{1}{2}; GG_3\rangle, \quad (\text{E3})$$

$$|3\rangle = |l = G - 1; j = G - \frac{1}{2}; GG_3\rangle. \quad (\text{E4})$$

The reduced matrix elements for the operator $\{\sqrt{4\pi}Y_2 \otimes \tau_1\}_1$ in the density $I_{1E2}(r)$, Eq. (90), are as follows (with the notation $\langle n || \{\sqrt{4\pi}Y_2 \otimes \tau_1\}_1 || m \rangle$):

$$A^0(G) = (-)(G+2) \sqrt{\frac{2G}{(2G+1)(G+1)}},$$

$$A^1(G) = (-)G(2G+4) \sqrt{\frac{1}{(2G+1)(2G+2)(2G+3)}},$$

$$B^0(G) = (-)3 \sqrt{\frac{1}{2(2G+1)}},$$

$$B^1(G) = 3 \sqrt{\frac{(G+2)}{2(2G+1)(2G+3)}},$$

$$C^0(G) = (G-1) \sqrt{\frac{(2G+2)}{(G)(2G+1)}},$$

$$C^1(G) = (-)3 \sqrt{\frac{G(G+1)(2G+4)}{(2G+1)(2G+3)}},$$

$$D^1(G) = (-)3 \sqrt{\frac{G}{2(2G+1)(2G+3)}}.$$

$G^m = G^n$	$ 0(G)\rangle$	$ 1(G)\rangle$	$ 2(G)\rangle$	$ 3(G)\rangle$
$\langle 0(G) $	$A^0(G)$	$B^0(G)$	0	0
$\langle 1(G) $	$B^0(G)$	$C^0(G)$	0	0
$\langle 2(G) $	0	0	$A^0(G)$	$B^0(G)$
$\langle 3(G) $	0	0	$B^0(G)$	$C^0(G)$
$G^m = G^n + 1$	$ 0(G+1)\rangle$	$ 1(G+1)\rangle$	$ 2(G+1)\rangle$	$ 3(G+1)\rangle$
$\langle 0(G) $	0	0	$B^1(G)$	$A^1(G)$
$\langle 1(G) $	0	0	$C^1(G)$	$D^1(G)$
$\langle 2(G) $	$B^1(G)$	$A^1(G)$	0	0
$\langle 3(G) $	$C^1(G)$	$D^1(G)$	0	0

APPENDIX F: MATRIX ELEMENTS

The baryon matrix elements, such as $\langle B' | D_{\chi_3}^{(8)} | B \rangle$, are evaluated by using the $SU(3)$ group algebra [73,74]

$$\langle B'_{\mathcal{R}'} | D_{\chi_m}^n(A) | B_{\mathcal{R}} \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{\dim \mathcal{R}'}{\dim \mathcal{R}}} (-1)^{(1/2)Y'_s + S'_3} (-1)^{(1/2)Y_s + S_3} \times \sum_{\gamma} \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{R}' & n & \mathcal{R}_{\gamma} \\ Q' & \chi & Q \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{R}' & n & \mathcal{R}_{\gamma} \\ -Y'_s S' - S'_3 & m & -Y_s S - S_3 \end{pmatrix}, \quad (\text{F1})$$

with $Q = YI_3$. The (\dots) denote the $SU(3)$ Clebsch-Gordan coefficients.

The wave function corrections, Eq. (49), for the other decuplet baryons are

$$|B_{10}\rangle = |10_{3/2}, B\rangle + a_{27}^B |27_{3/2}, B\rangle + a_{35}^B |35_{3/2}, B\rangle, \quad (\text{F2})$$

with the mixing coefficients

$$a_{27}^B = a_{27} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{15/2} \\ 2 \\ \sqrt{3/2} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad a_{35}^B = a_{35} \begin{pmatrix} 5/\sqrt{14} \\ 2\sqrt{5/7} \\ 3\sqrt{5/14} \\ 2\sqrt{5/7} \end{pmatrix}, \quad (\text{F3})$$

in the bases $[\Delta, \Sigma_{10}^*, \Xi_{10}^*, \Omega]$.

1. Magnetic part

We take the abbreviation $d_{ab3}D_{\chi b}^{(8)}J_a = dD_{\chi}J$, and the matrix element for the magnetic form factors of the decuplet baryons read as follows, with $|B_{10}\rangle = |B_{10}(Y, I_3, S_3)\rangle$:

Leading order

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Delta | D_{33}^{(8)} | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10} | D_{33}^{(8)} | \Sigma_{10} \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10} | D_{33}^{(8)} | \Xi_{10} \rangle = \langle \Omega | D_{33}^{(8)} | \Omega \rangle = -I_3 \frac{1}{6} S_3 \\ \langle \Delta | D_{38}^{(8)} S_3 | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10} | D_{38}^{(8)} S_3 | \Sigma_{10} \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10} | D_{38}^{(8)} S_3 | \Xi_{10} \rangle = \langle \Omega | D_{38}^{(8)} S_3 | \Omega \rangle = I_3 \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} S_3 \\ \langle \Delta | dD_3 J | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10} | dD_3 J | \Sigma_{10} \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10} | dD_3 J | \Xi_{10} \rangle = \langle \Omega | dD_3 J | \Omega \rangle = I_3 \frac{1}{12} S_3 \\ \langle \Delta | D_{83}^{(8)} | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10} | D_{83}^{(8)} | \Sigma_{10} \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10} | D_{83}^{(8)} | \Xi_{10} \rangle = \langle \Omega | D_{83}^{(8)} | \Omega \rangle = -Y \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} S_3 \\ \langle \Delta | D_{88}^{(8)} S_3 | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10} | D_{88}^{(8)} S_3 | \Sigma_{10} \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10} | D_{88}^{(8)} S_3 | \Xi_{10} \rangle = \langle \Omega | D_{88}^{(8)} S_3 | \Omega \rangle = Y \frac{1}{8} S_3 \\ \langle \Delta | dD_8 J | \Delta \rangle &= \langle \Sigma_{10}^* | dD_8 J | \Sigma_{10}^* \rangle = \langle \Xi_{10}^* | dD_8 J | \Xi_{10}^* \rangle = \langle \Omega | dD_8 J | \Omega \rangle = Y \frac{1}{8} \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} S_3 \end{aligned}$$

Wave function corrections

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Omega | D_{33}^{(8)} | \Omega \rangle &= \langle \Omega | D_{38}^{(8)} J_3 | \Omega \rangle = \langle \Omega | dD_3 J | \Omega \rangle = 0, & \langle \Omega | D_{83}^{(8)} | \Omega \rangle &= -a_{35}^B S_3 \sqrt{\frac{1}{105}} \\ \langle \Omega | D_{88}^{(8)} S_3 | \Omega \rangle &= S_3 a_{35}^B \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{35}}, & \langle \Omega | dD_8 J | \Omega \rangle &= -\frac{5}{2} S_3 \sqrt{\frac{1}{105}} a_{35}^B. \end{aligned}$$

Δ		Δ	
$D_{33}^{(8)}$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{5}{9} \sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} - a_{35}^B \frac{1}{15} \sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}]$	$D_{83}^{(8)}$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{5}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} - a_{35}^B \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{42}}]$
$D_{38}^{(8)} J_3$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{5}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} - a_{35}^B \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{42}}]$	$D_{88}^{(8)} J_3$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{15}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} + a_{35}^B \frac{5}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}]$
$dD_3 J$	$I_3 S_3 [-\frac{5}{18} \sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} a_{27}^B - \frac{1}{6} a_{35}^B \sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}]$	$dD_8 J$	$S_3 [\frac{5}{12} \sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} a_{27}^B - \frac{5}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{42}} a_{35}^B]$
Σ_{10}^*		Σ_{10}^*	
$D_{33}^{(8)}$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{1}{6} - a_{35}^B \frac{1}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{35}}]$	$D_{83}^{(8)}$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - a_{35}^B \sqrt{\frac{1}{105}}]$
$D_{38}^{(8)} S_3$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} + a_{35}^B \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{105}}]$	$D_{88}^{(8)} S_3$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{1}{2} + a_{35}^B \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{35}}]$
$dD_3 J$	$I_3 S_3 [-\frac{1}{12} a_{27}^B - \frac{5}{12} \sqrt{\frac{1}{35}} a_{35}^B]$	$dD_8 J$	$S_3 [\frac{1}{6} a_{27}^B \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{105}} a_{35}^B]$
Ξ_{10}^*		Ξ_{10}^*	
$D_{33}^{(8)}$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{7}{9} \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} - a_{35}^B \frac{1}{3} \sqrt{\frac{1}{70}}]$	$D_{83}^{(8)}$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{1}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} - a_{35}^B \frac{3}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{210}}]$
$D_{38}^{(8)} S_3$	$I_3 S_3 [-a_{27}^B \frac{7}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} + a_{35}^B \frac{5}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{210}}]$	$D_{88}^{(8)} S_3$	$S_3 [a_{27}^B \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} + a_{35}^B \frac{15}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{70}}]$
$dD_3 J$	$I_3 S_3 [-\frac{7}{18} a_{27}^B \sqrt{\frac{1}{6}} - \frac{5}{6} \sqrt{\frac{1}{70}} a_{35}^B]$	$dD_8 J$	$S_3 [\frac{1}{12} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} a_{27}^B - \frac{15}{4} \sqrt{\frac{1}{210}} a_{35}^B]$

Operator corrections $D_{88}^{(8)} D_{83}^{(8)} = D_{83}^{(8)} D_{88}^{(8)}$

	Δ	Σ_{10}^*	Ξ_{10}^*	Ω
$D_{88}^{(8)} D_{33}^{(8)}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{5}{126}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{1}{42}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{1}{126}$	0
$D_{83}^{(8)} D_{38}^{(8)}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{5}{126}$	$-I_3 \frac{1}{42}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{1}{126}$	0
$D_{8a}^{(8)} D_{3b}^{(8)} d_{ab3}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{11}{126} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{5}{42} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$-S_3 I_3 \frac{19}{126} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	0
$D_{83}^{(8)} D_{88}^{(8)}$	$S_3 \frac{1}{28} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$S_3 \frac{1}{42} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$-S_3 \frac{1}{28} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	$-S_3 \frac{1}{7} \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$
$D_{8a}^{(8)} D_{8b}^{(8)} d_{ab3}$	$S_3 \frac{5}{84}$	$-S_3 \frac{1}{63}$	$-S_3 \frac{5}{84}$	$-S_3 \frac{1}{14}$

2. Electric part

The Δ state $|\Delta\rangle$ is explicitly $|\Delta\rangle = |\Delta(I_3, S_3)\rangle$, and the matrix elements for the electric form factor read

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle\Delta|D_{38}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= I_3\left[\frac{1}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{5}{6}\sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} + a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{1}{42}}\right], & \langle\Delta|D_{8i}^{(8)}D_{3i}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= I_3\frac{13}{84}\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}, \\
 \langle\Delta|D_{3i}^{(8)}J_i|\Delta\rangle &= I_3\left[-\frac{5}{8} - a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{25}{12}\sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} - a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{1}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}\right], & \langle\Delta|D_{8a}^{(8)}D_{3a}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= -I_3\frac{5}{42}\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}, \\
 \langle\Delta|D_{3a}^{(8)}J_a|\Delta\rangle &= I_3\left[-\frac{1}{4} + a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{5}{6}\sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} + a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}\right], & \langle\Delta|D_{88}^{(8)}D_{38}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= -I_3\frac{1}{28}\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}, \\
 \langle\Delta|D_{88}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= \frac{1}{8} + a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{15}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{30}} + a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{5}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{14}}, & \langle\Delta|D_{8i}^{(8)}D_{8i}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= \frac{17}{56}, \\
 \langle\Delta|D_{8i}^{(8)}J_i|\Delta\rangle &= -\frac{15}{16}\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} + a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{25}{8}\sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} - a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{15}{8}\sqrt{\frac{1}{42}}, & \langle\Delta|D_{8a}^{(8)}D_{8a}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= \frac{15}{28}, \\
 \langle\Delta|D_{8a}^{(8)}J_a|\Delta\rangle &= -\frac{3}{8}\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} - a_{27}^{\Delta}\frac{5}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{10}} + a_{35}^{\Delta}\frac{15}{4}\sqrt{\frac{1}{42}}, & \langle\Delta|D_{88}^{(8)}D_{88}^{(8)}|\Delta\rangle &= \frac{9}{56}.
 \end{aligned} \tag{F4}$$

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