



Nucleon Structure and Spectrum

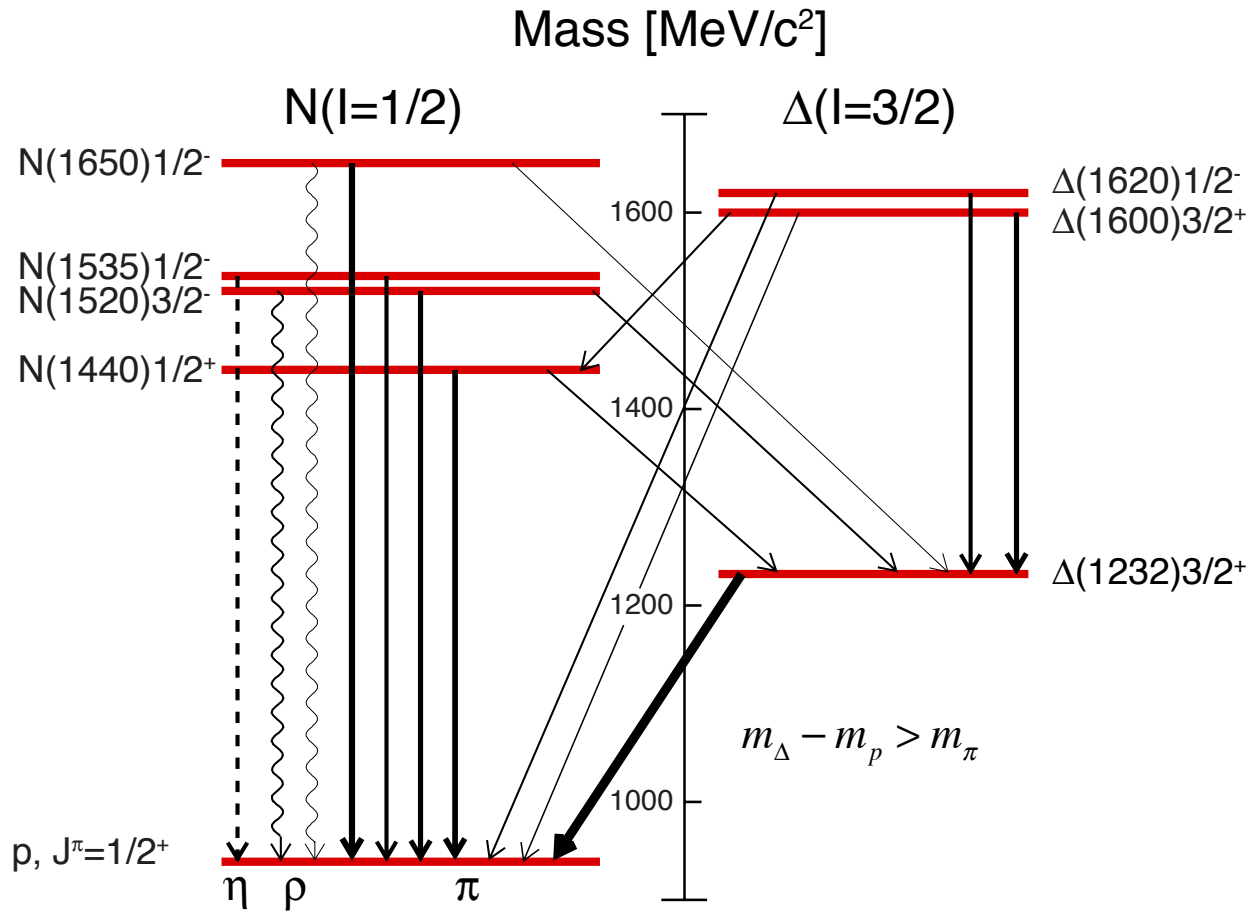
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 - Single-meson photoproduction
 - Double-pion photoproduction

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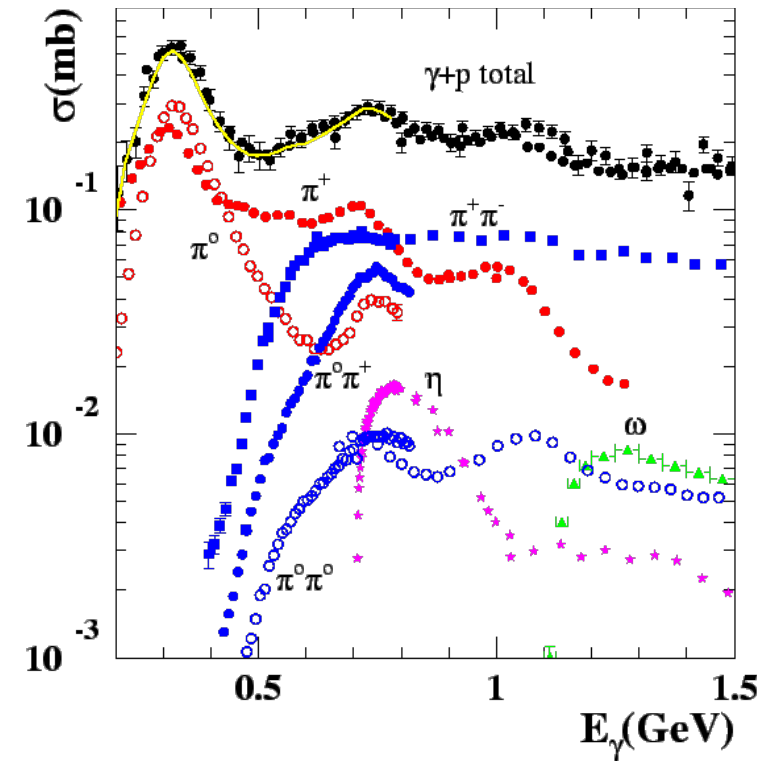
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Baryon Spectroscopy



Location and properties of excited states

Photoproduction cross section



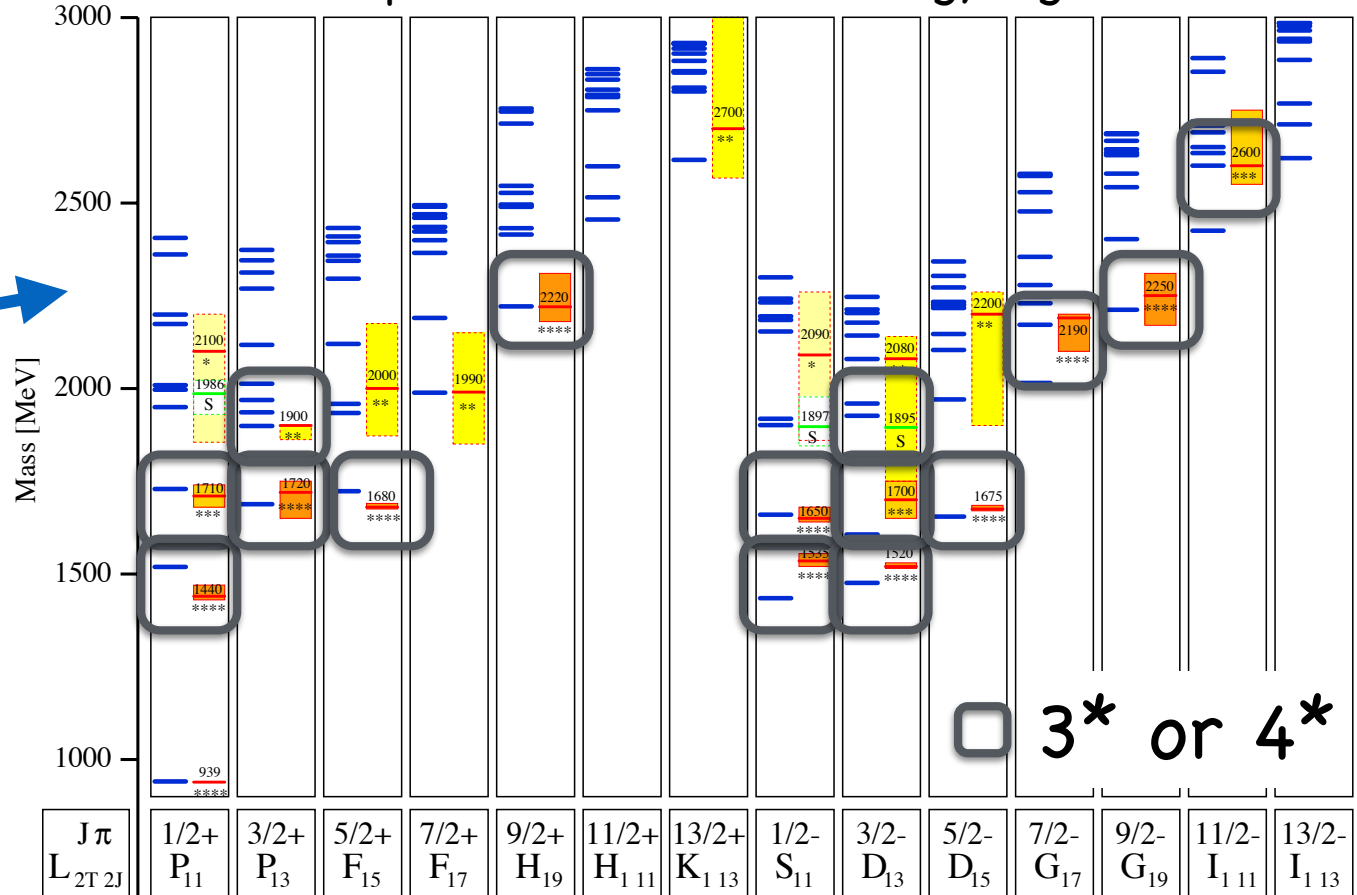
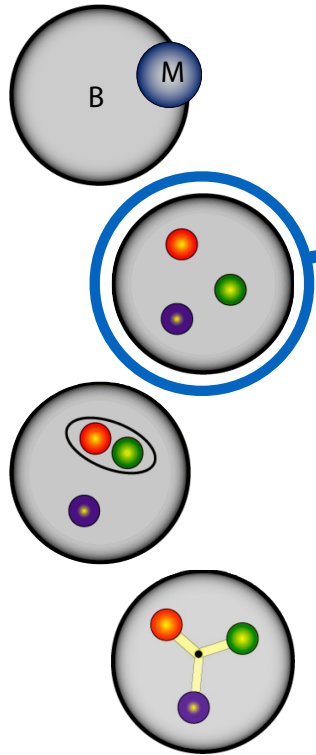
$$\Gamma \propto \frac{\hbar}{\tau} \approx 100 - 400 \text{ MeV}$$

B. Krusche and S. Schadmand, Prog. Nucl. Phys. 51, 399 (2003)
 K. Hagiwara et al. (Particle Data Group), Phys. Rev. D66, 010001 (2002)

Relevant degrees of freedom and missing resonance problem

N Resonance Spectrum – the low-energy signature of QCD

Degrees of freedom

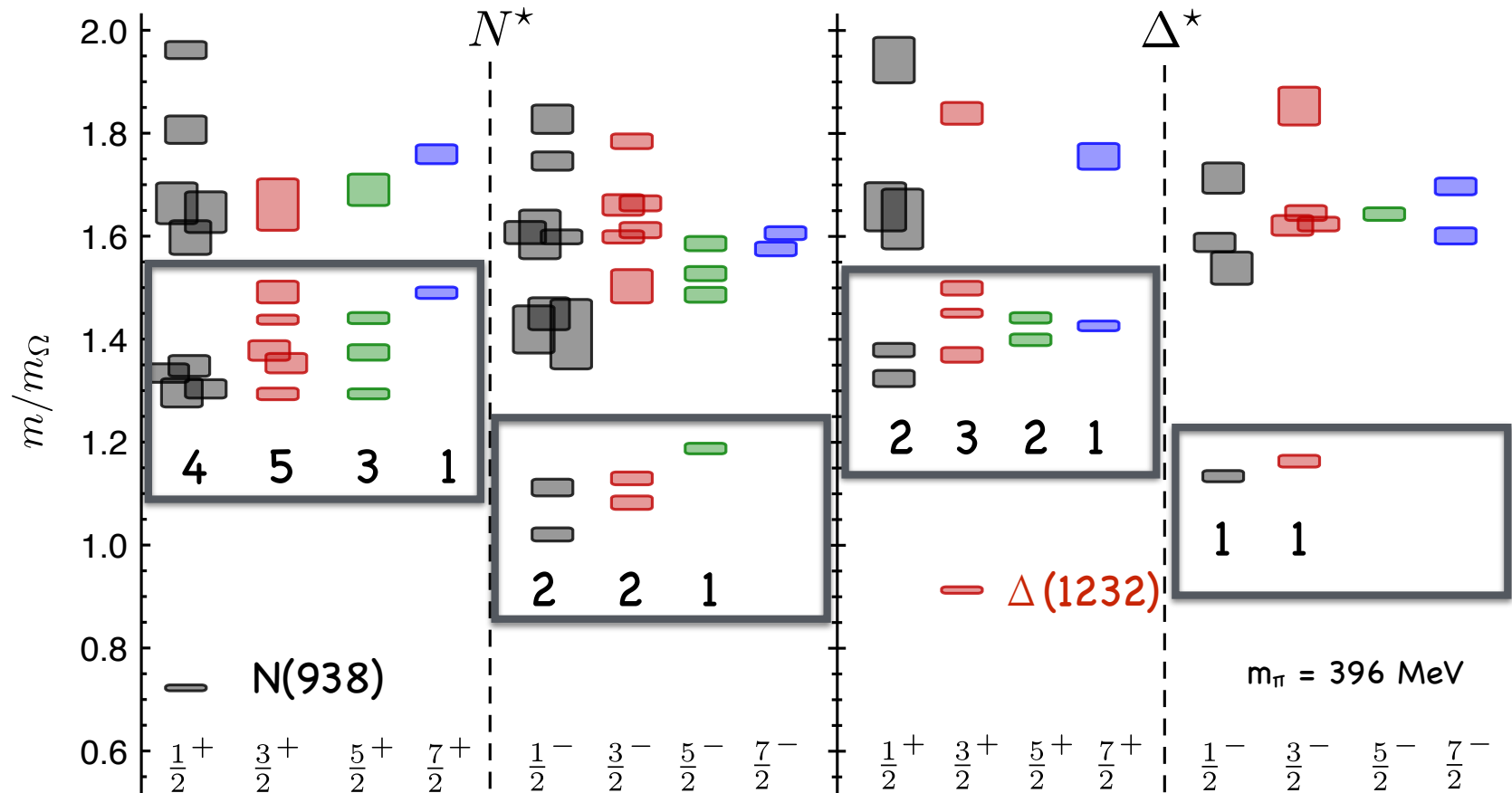


Quark Models

- **Constituent Quark Models** predict many more of excited states than have been observed; some of the states may only couple weakly to πN .
- Quark-Diquark Models with a tightly bound diquark predict fewer states.
- Quark and Flux-Tube Models predict increased number of states.

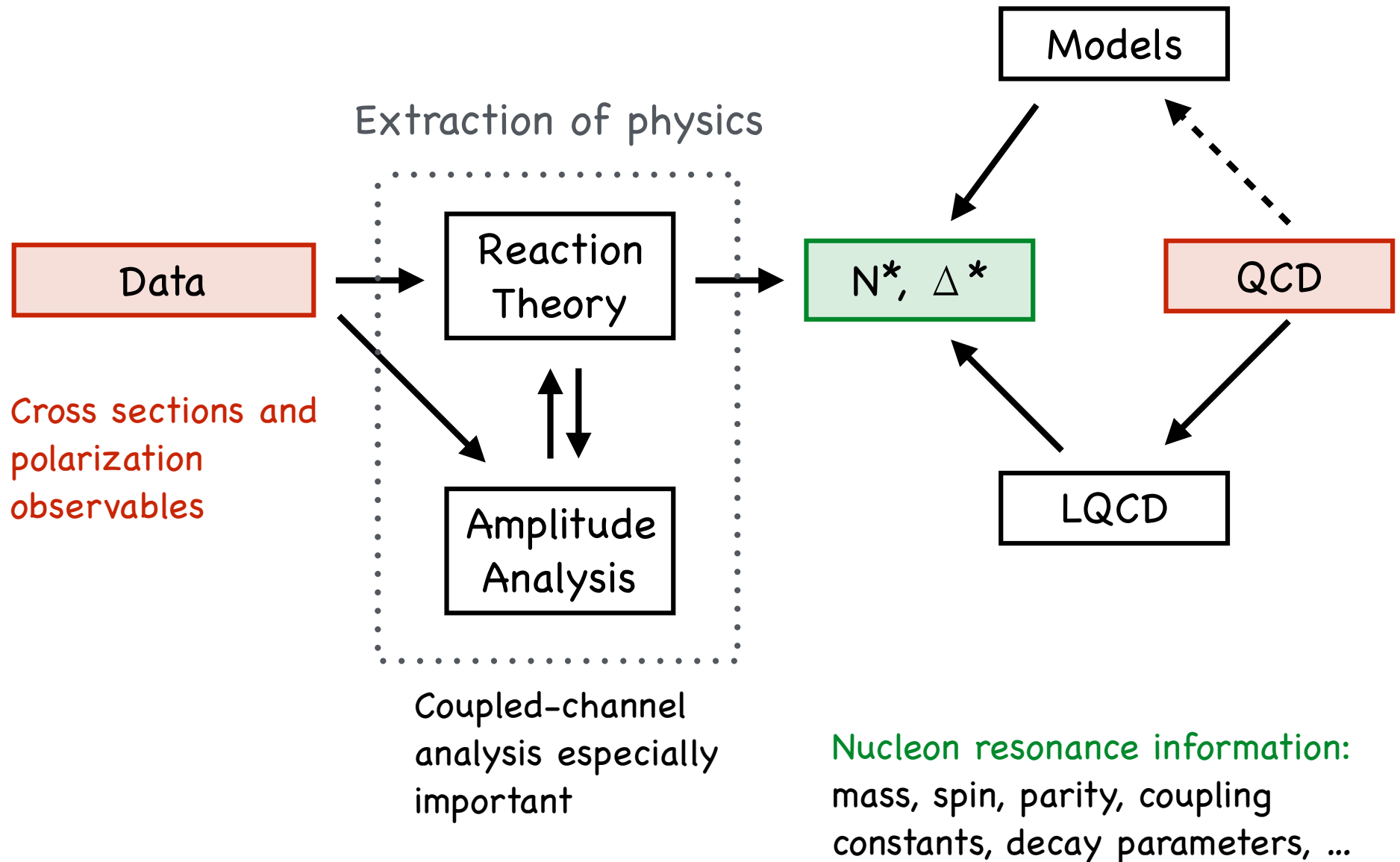
Resonance spectrum in Lattice QCD

Hadron spectrum collaboration



LQCD predicts states with the same quantum numbers as CQMs with underlying $SU(6) \times O(3)$ symmetry; **more states** than have been identified experimentally.

Extracting nucleon-resonance information from experimental data



Observables in pseudoscalar meson photoproduction

4 complex amplitudes \Rightarrow 16 possible (not independent) observables

double pion photoproduction fills empty cells in the table

<u>Beam</u>		<u>Target</u>			<u>Recoil</u>			Target + Recoil									
					x'	y'	z'	x'	x'	x'	y'	y'	y'	z'	z'	z'	
		x	y	z				x	y	z	x	y	z	x	y	z	
unpolarized	$d\sigma_0$		T			P			$T_{x'}$		$L_{x'}$		Σ		$T_{z'}$		$L_{z'}$
$P_L^\gamma \sin(2\varphi_\gamma)$		H		G	$O_{x'}$		$O_{z'}$			$C_{z'}$		E		F			$-C_{x'}$
$P_L^\gamma \cos(2\varphi_\gamma)$	$-\Sigma$		$-P$			$-T$			$-L_{x'}$		$T_{z'}$		$-d\sigma_0$		$L_{x'}$		$-T_{x'}$
circular P_c^γ		F		$-E$	$C_{x'}$		$C_{z'}$			$-O_{z'}$		G		$-H$			$O_{x'}$



coherent and incoherent
Bremsstrahlung

e.g, FROST
and HDice

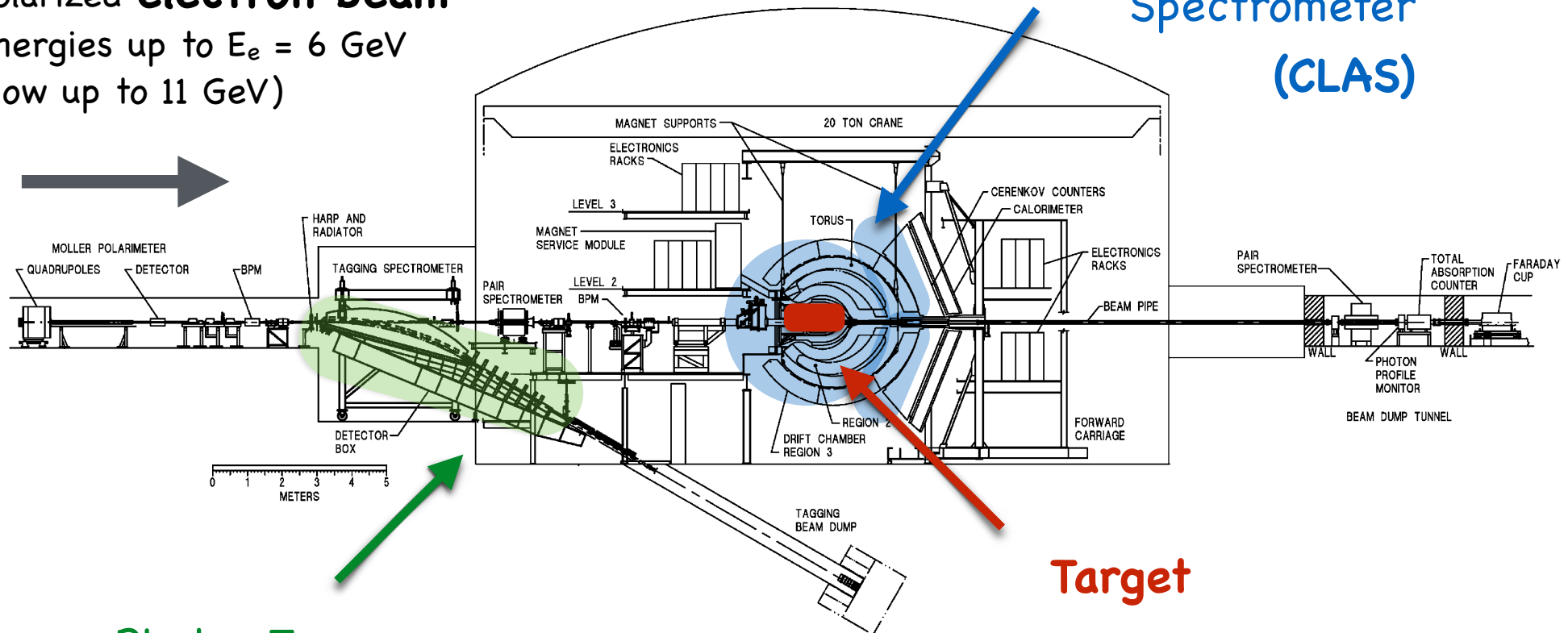
e.g, Hyperon
weak decay

CEBAF Large Acceptance Spectrometer in Hall B (1997 - 2012)



CEBAF Large Acceptance Spectrometer (CLAS)

Polarized **electron beam**
Energies up to $E_e = 6$ GeV
(now up to 11 GeV)



Photon Tagger

$$E_\gamma = E_e - E_{e'}$$

Target

unpolarized p or d,
polarized FROST,
HDice

CLAS meson photoproduction analyses

Proton target



present
examples



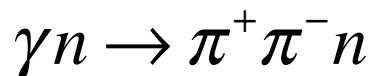
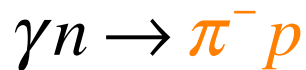
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e.g. CLAS frozen spin target (FROST)

Cross section and
polarization observables

Unpolarized, circularly
polarized, linearly
polarized **beam**

Neutron target



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e.g. unpolarized deuterium target (g13),
polarized HD-Ice target (g14)

Unpolarized, longitudinally
polarized, transversally
polarized **target**

Recoil polarization
(asymmetry in the weak
decay of the hyperon)

Double Polarization Observable E in π^+n

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right) = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 (1 - P_z P_\odot E)$$

$$W = 1240 - 2260 \text{ MeV}$$

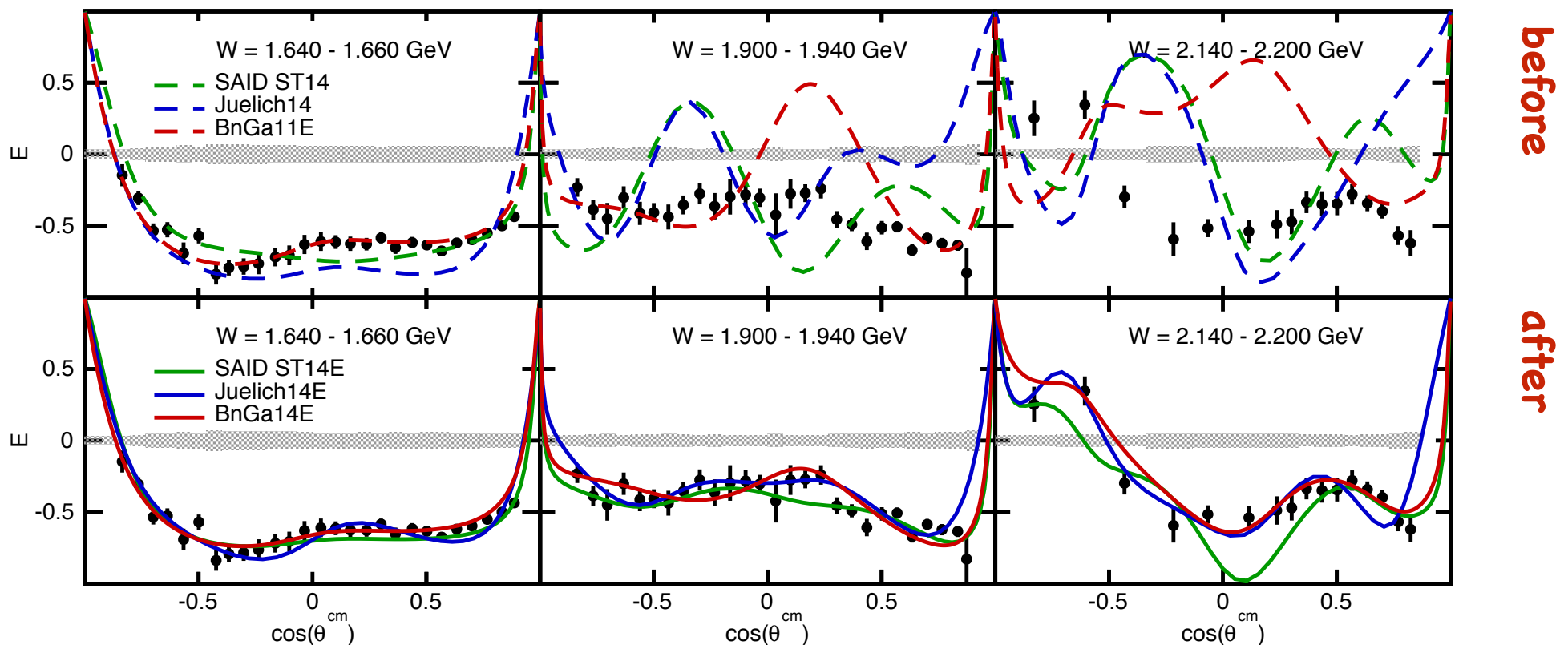
$$-0.9 \leq \cos(\theta_\pi^{cm}) \leq +0.9$$

$$\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow \pi^+ n$$

W = 1.650 GeV

W = 1.920 GeV

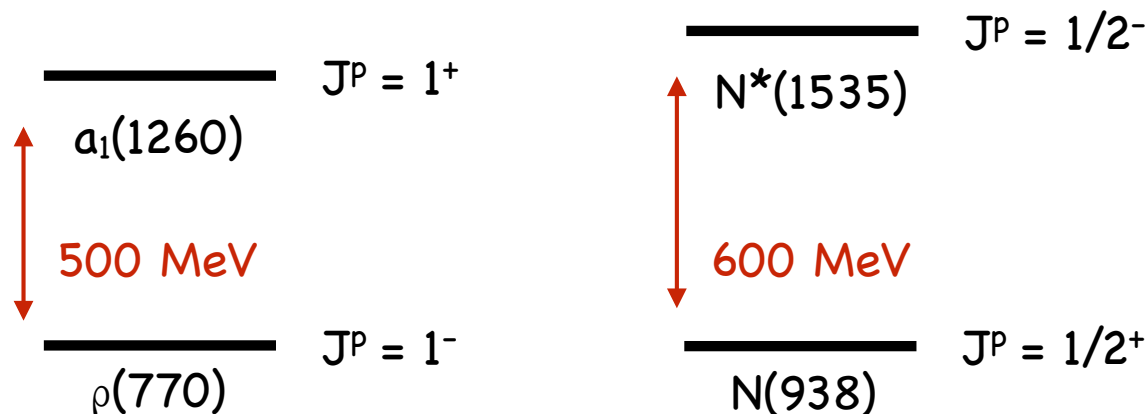
W = 2.170 GeV



Partial Wave Analyses Good overall description after fit, however, not with identical results.

Is chiral symmetry effectively restored in highly excited mesons and baryons?

An important consequence of the spontaneous breaking of the chiral symmetry is the large mass gap between chiral partners:



Mesons and baryons at higher masses are often observed in parity doublets. Example: four positive-parity and four negative-parity Δ^* resonances at about 1900 MeV

$\Delta(1910)1/2^+$	$\Delta(1920)3/2^+$	$\Delta(1905)5/2^+$	$\Delta(1950)7/2^+$ (***)
$\Delta(1900)1/2^-$	$\Delta(1940)3/2^-$	$\Delta(1930)5/2^-$	$\Delta(2200)7/2^-$ (*)

New evidence for $\Delta(2200)7/2^-$ resonance

BnGa analysis incl. recent CLAS and CBELSA/TAPS data

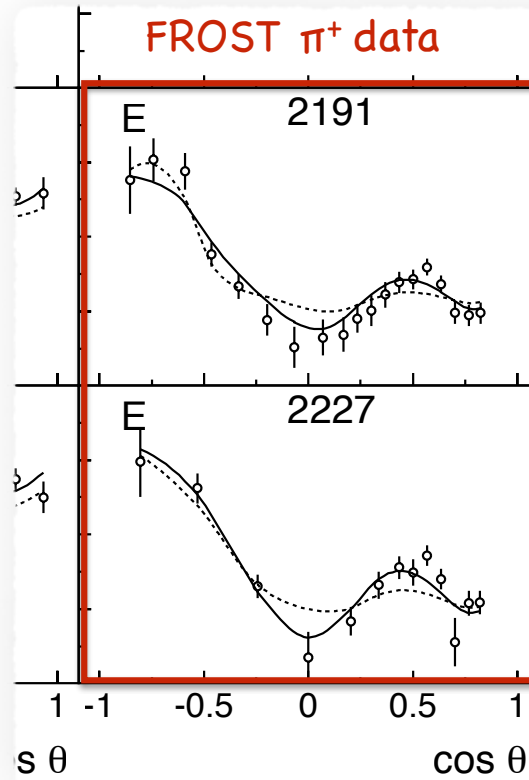
Parity partner of $\Delta(1950)7/2^+$ is poorly known.

$\Delta(1950)7/2^+$ ****
 $\Delta(2200)7/2^-$ *

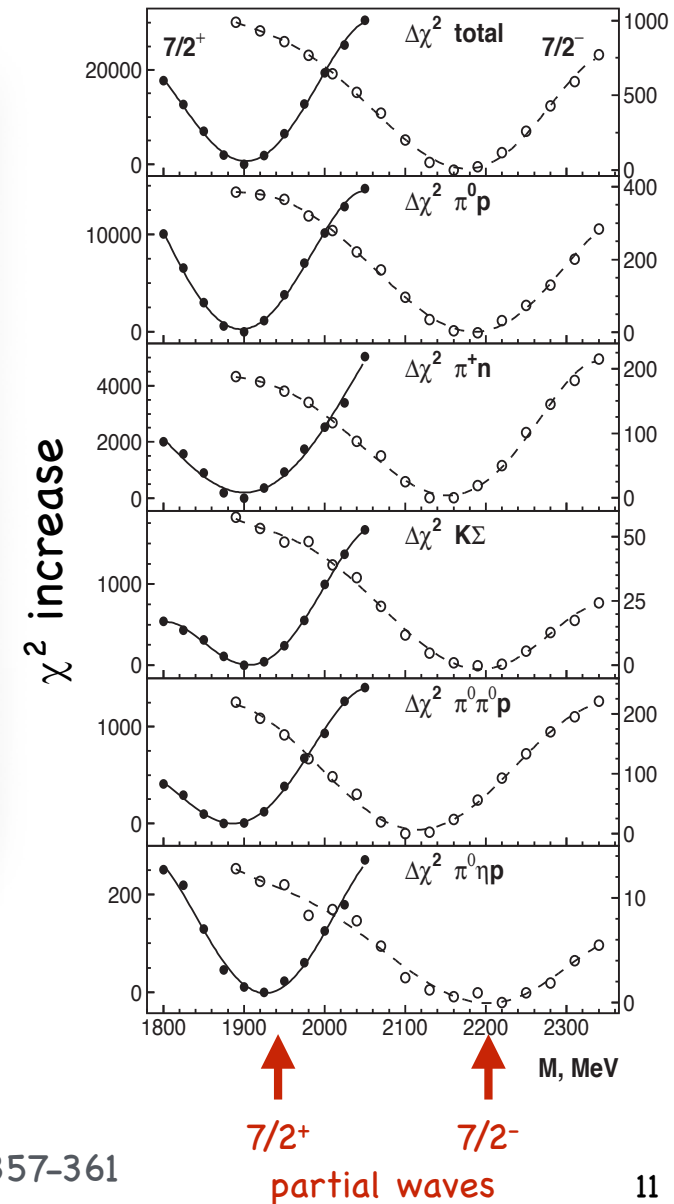
Evidence found for $\Delta(2200)7/2^-$ in a preliminary analysis of the Bonn/Gatchina group.

$M(\Delta 7/2^-) \approx 2180$ MeV

... and not ≈ 1950 MeV. Chiral symmetry is not restored in high-mass hadrons.

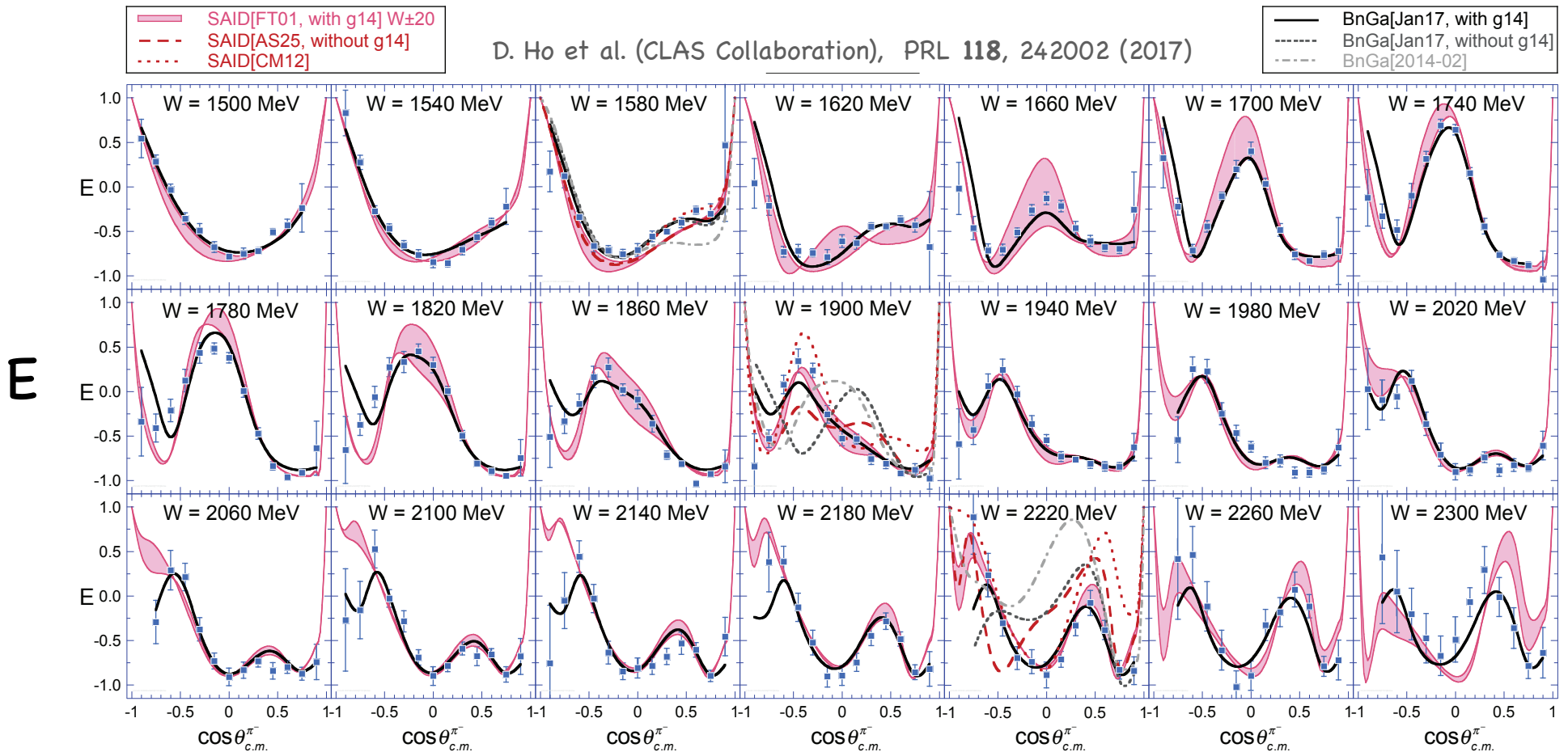


— with $\Delta(2200)7/2^-$
 without



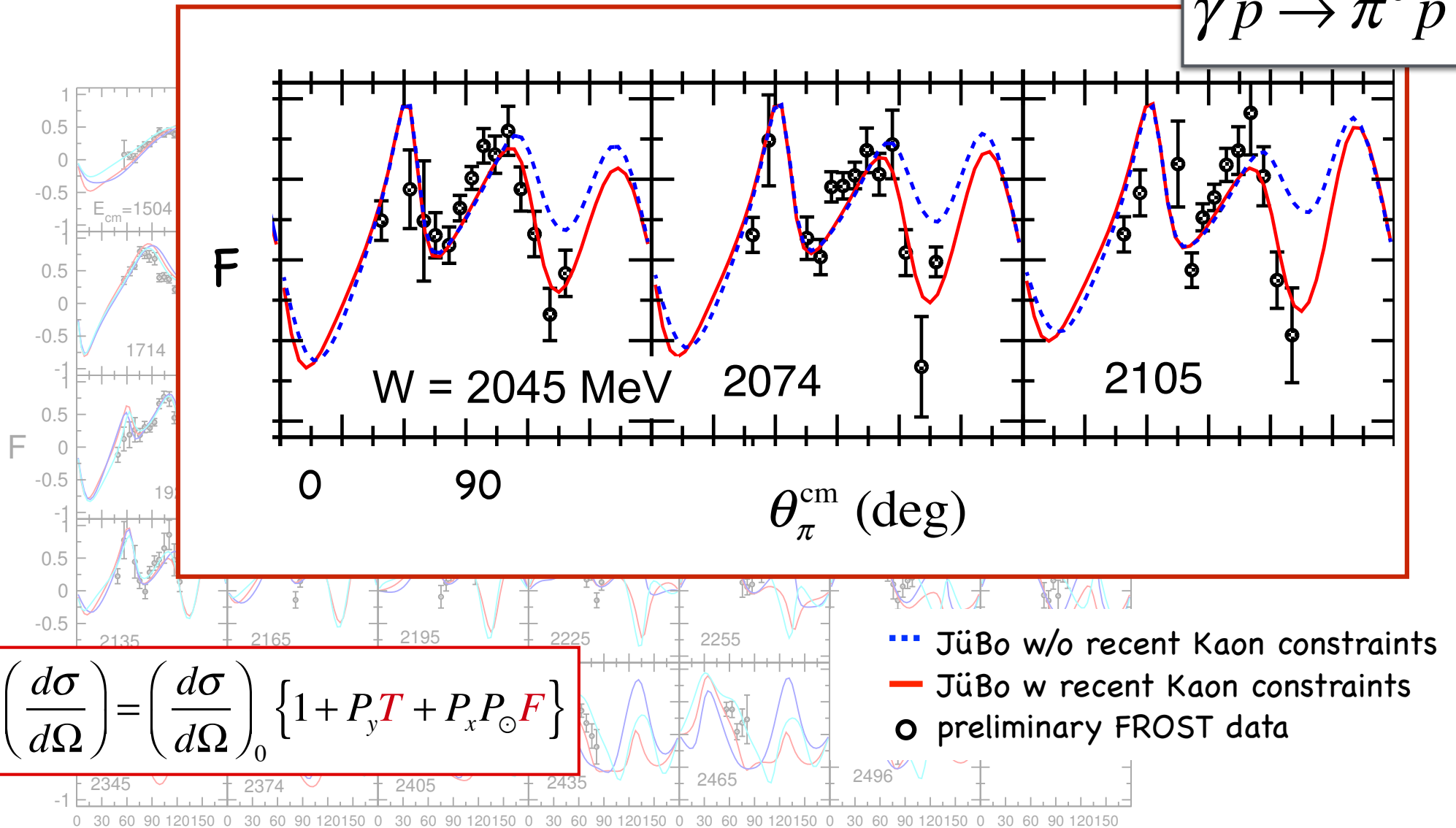
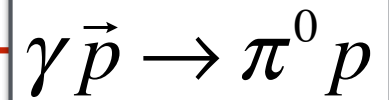
Significant revisions for several $\gamma n N^*$ resonance photocouplings

$$\vec{\gamma} \vec{n}(p) \rightarrow \pi^- p(p)$$



- Inclusion of these results in new PWA calculations has resulted in revised $\gamma n N^*$ couplings and, in the case of the $N(2190)7/2^-$, convergence among different PWA groups.
- Such couplings are sensitive to the dynamical process of N^* excitation and provide important guides to nucleon structure models.

Kaon-data-constrained Jülich-Bonn solutions describe new π^0 photoproduction data well



Helicity asymmetry E in eta photoproduction on the proton

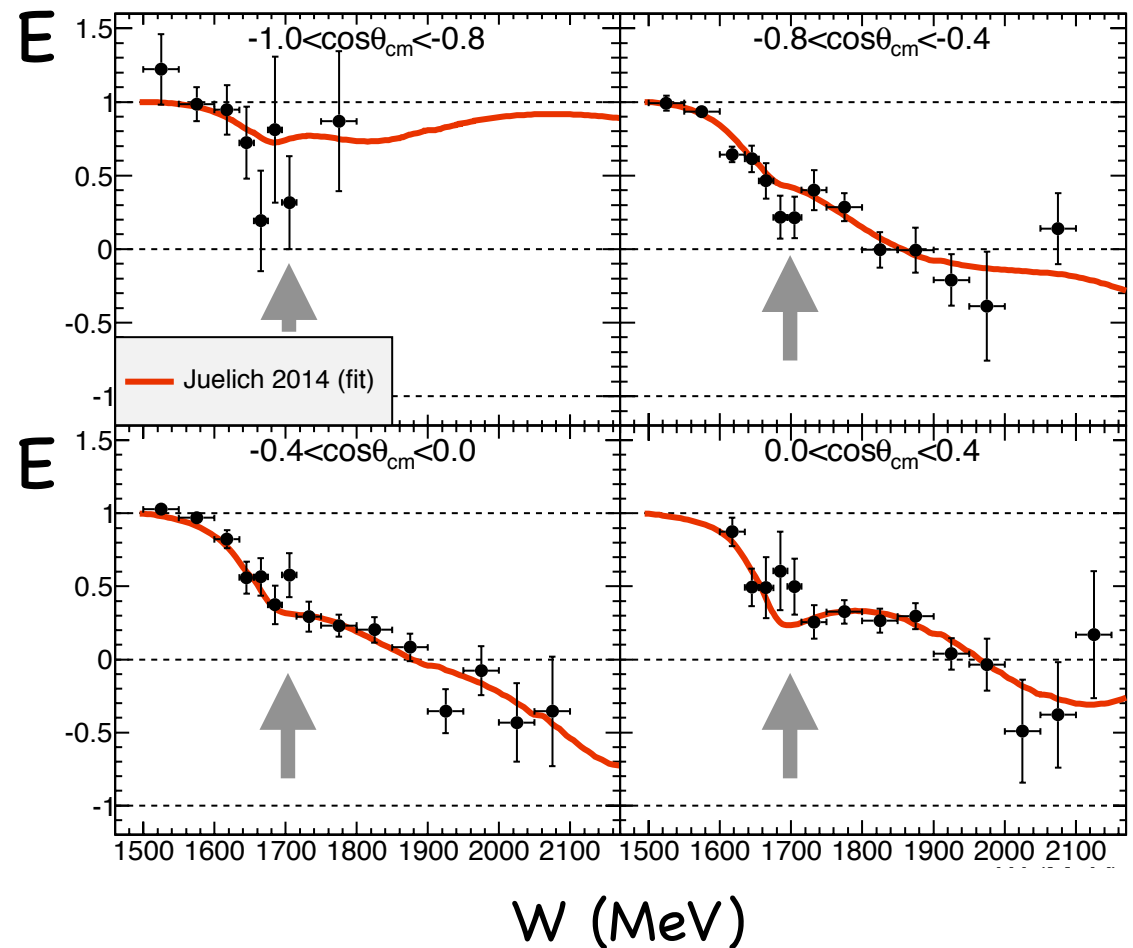
$$\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow \eta p$$

η photoproduction isolates $N^*(I=1/2)$ states in the resonance spectrum.

Narrow structure seen in MAMI $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$ cross section data.

[predicted in πN PWA: Phys. Rev. C 69, 035208 (2004)]

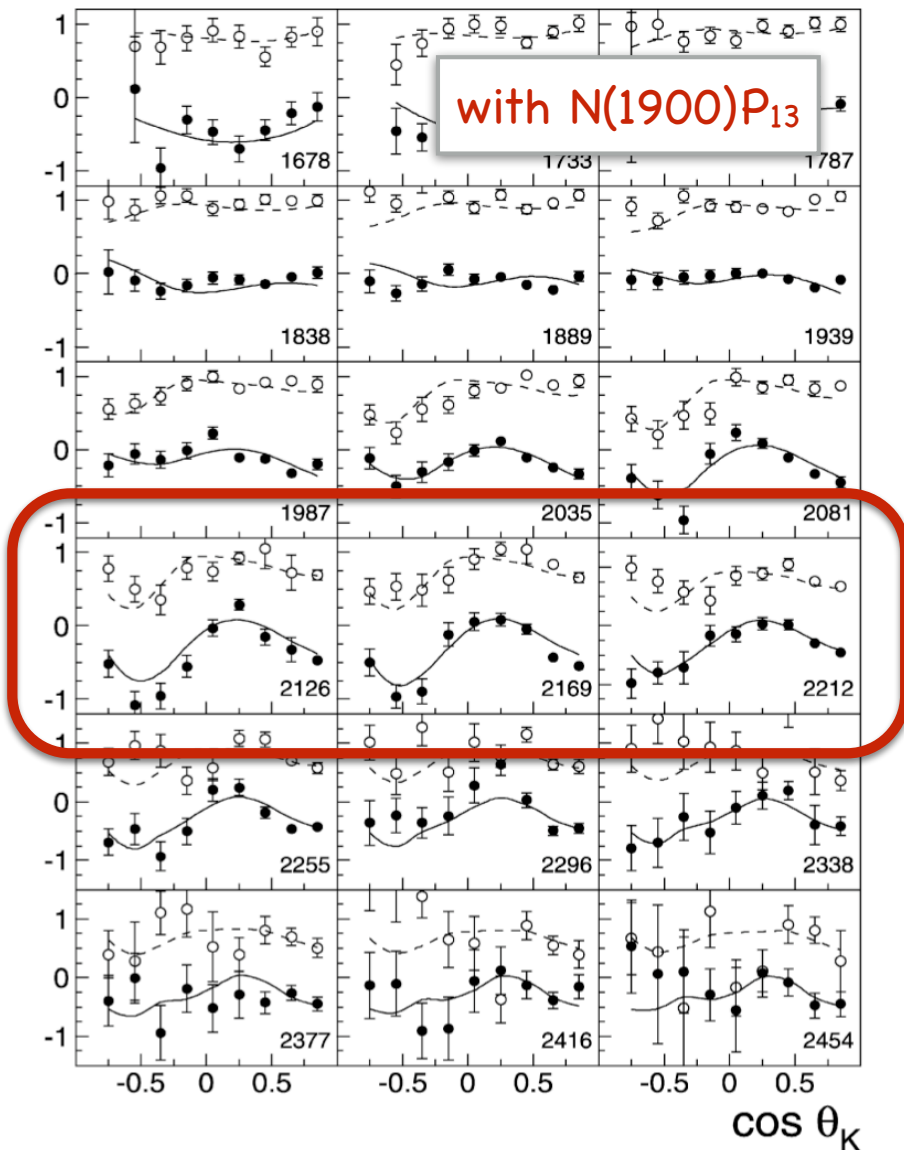
Present CLAS E data do not demand the presence of a narrow resonance with a width of 40 MeV or less at about 1.7 GeV.



Polarization Transfer Observables C_x, C_z

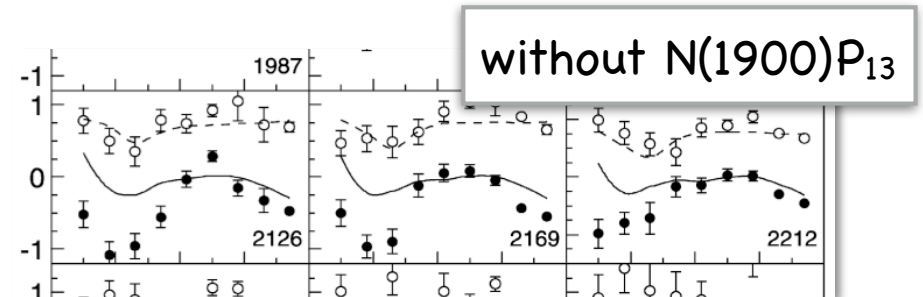
$$\vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow K^+ \vec{\Lambda}$$

C_x (●), C_z (○) for $K^+ \Lambda$ channel



Bonn-Gatchina coupled-channel isobar model: $N(1900)P_{13}$ needed in PWA of Nikonov et al.

Strongest contributions to $\gamma p \rightarrow K \Lambda$: S_{11} -wave, $P_{13}(1720)$, $P_{13}(1900)$, $P_{11}(1840)$



State confirmed in more recent analyses.

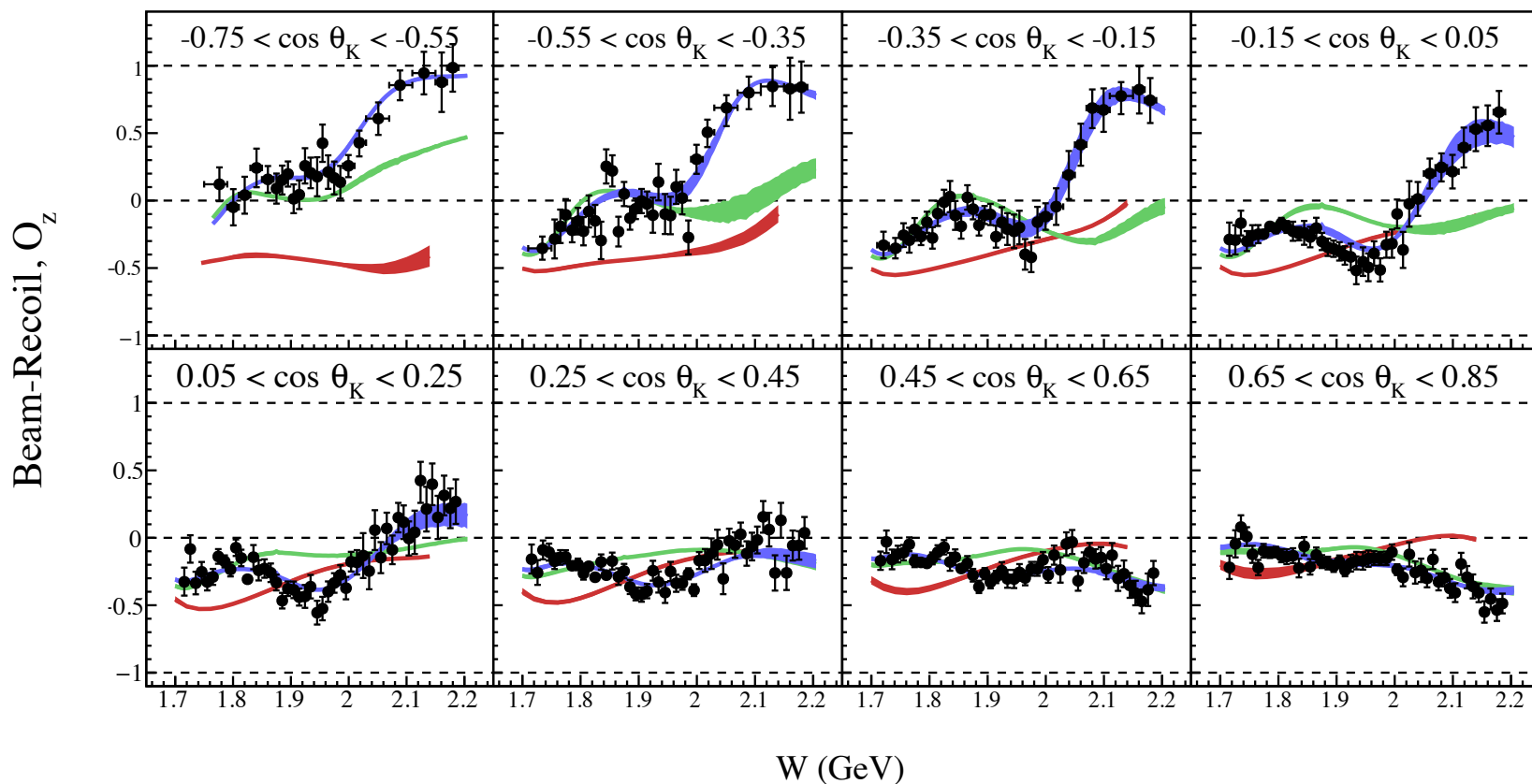
$N(1900)P_{13}$ found in qqq models, not expected in some quark-diquark models.

CLAS Data: R. Bradford, et al., Phys. Rev. C 75, 035205 (2007).

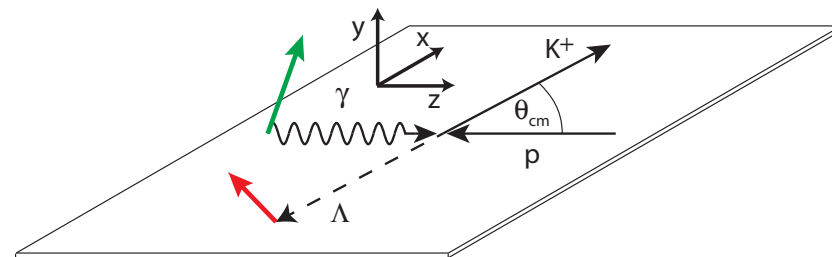
Analysis: V.A. Nikonov et al., Phys. Lett. B 662, 245 (2008)

Strengthened evidence for set of resonances in latest BoGa fit

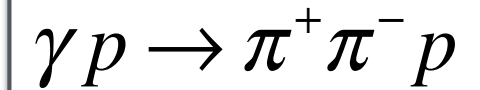
$$\vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda$$



ANL-Osaka coupled-channels calculations,
 Bonn-Gatchina partial wave analysis (2014),
 Bonn-Gatchina calculations after a refit including the
 present data, which include additional $N^*(3/2^+)$ and
 $N^*(5/2^+)$ resonances.



Double-pion photoproduction as a tool in the study of excited nucleons



$N\pi\pi$ is a **dominant decay channel** of highly excited nucleons.

Essential part in coupled-channel calculations.

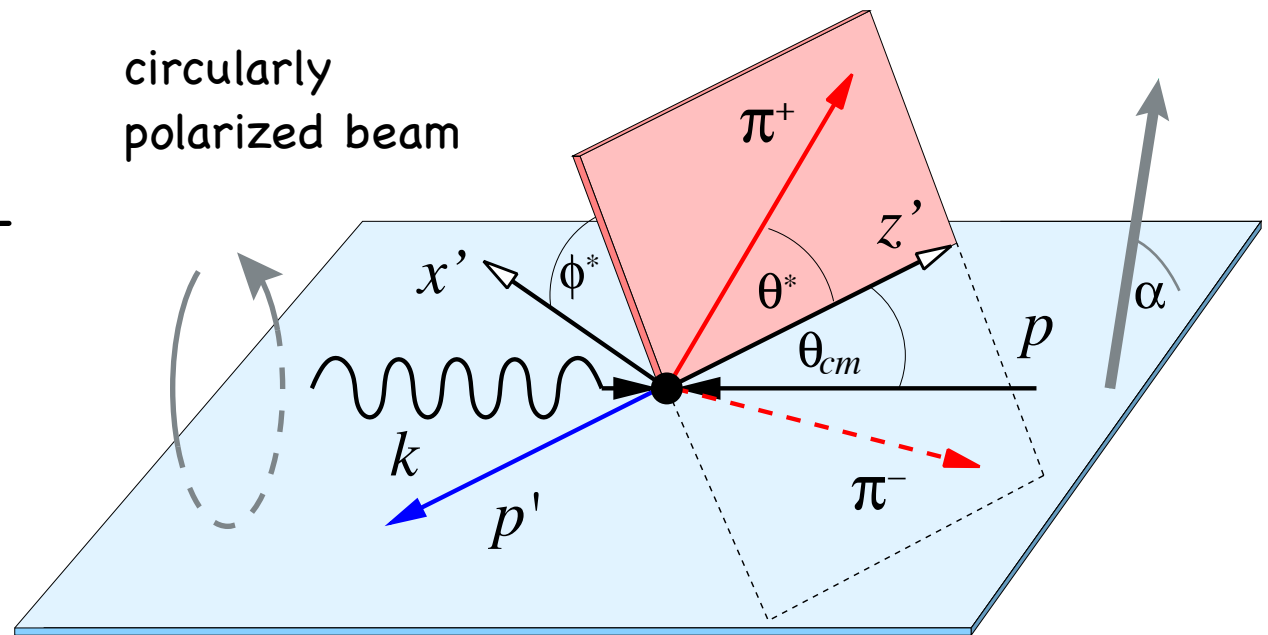
Allows for the study of **sequential decays**.



Example:

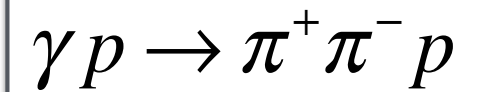
circularly polarized beam

transversely polarized target



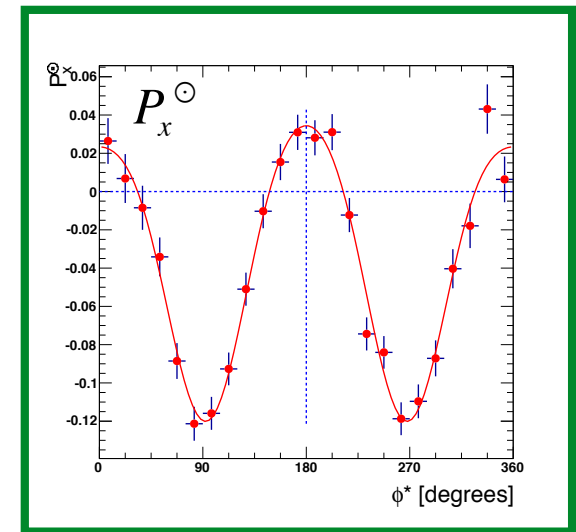
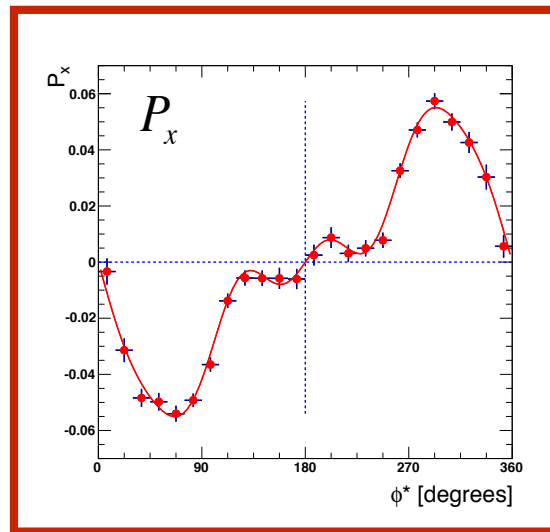
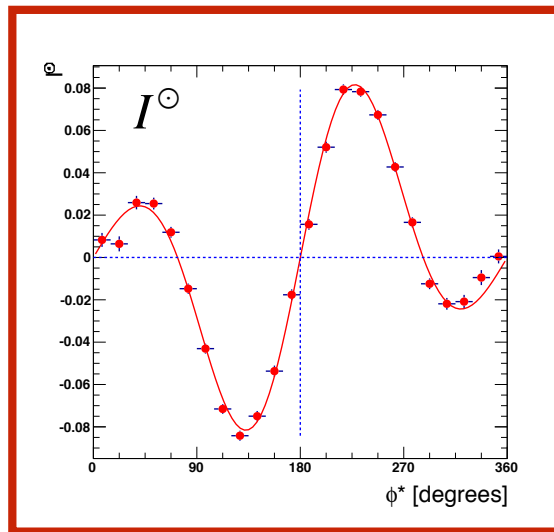
$$\frac{d^5 \sigma}{dm(\pi^+ \pi^-) d\Omega_{\pi^+}^* d \cos \theta}$$

Parity conservation yields to symmetry properties of observables



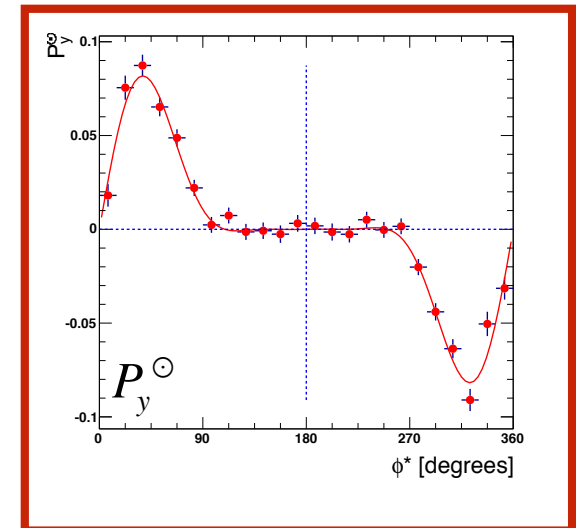
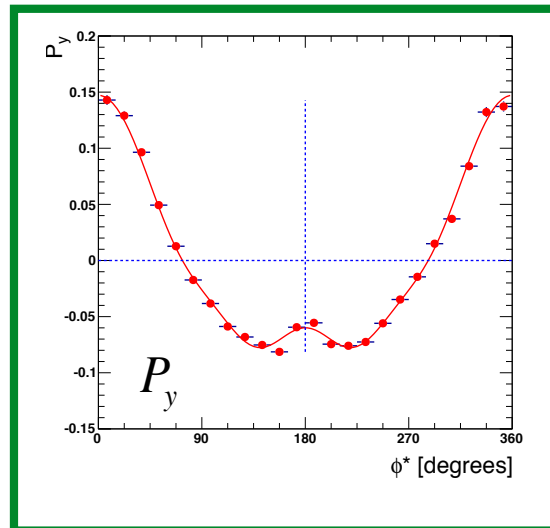
$$M_{-\lambda_N - \lambda'_N}^{-\lambda_\gamma}(\theta, \theta_1, \phi_1) = (-1)^{\lambda_\gamma - \lambda_N + \lambda'_N} M_{\lambda_N \lambda'_N}^{\lambda_\gamma}(\theta, \theta_1, 2\pi - \phi_1)$$

circularly polarized photons -
transversely polarized target



odd observables:
do not exist in single
meson final states.

even observables:
 P_y and P_x^\ominus correspond
to T and F, respectively.

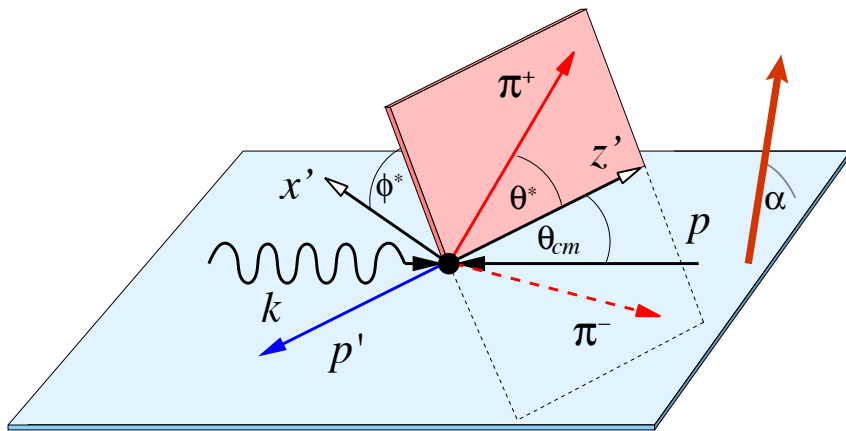


Preliminary results (g9b)

$$\gamma \vec{p} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- p$$

$$I = I_0 \left(1 + \Lambda \cos(\alpha) P_x + \Lambda \sin(\alpha) P_y \right)$$

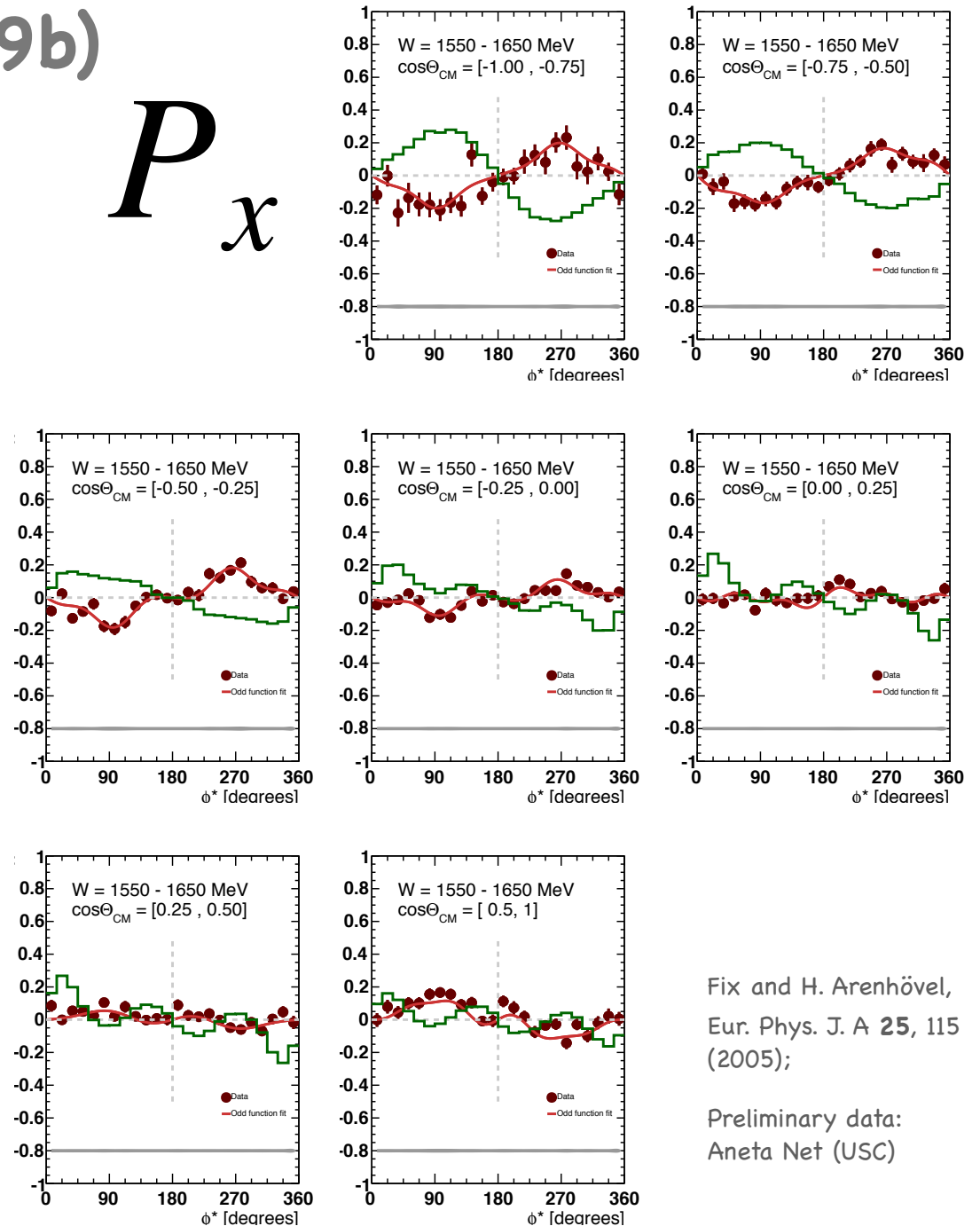
P_x



$W = 1600$ MeV data binned in $\cos\theta_{cm}$,

Fourier series fit

Effective Lagrangian model (A. Fix)



Fix and H. Arenhövel,
 Eur. Phys. J. A **25**, 115
 (2005);

Preliminary data:
 Aneta Net (USC)

Intermediate $\Delta(1232)$ Resonance

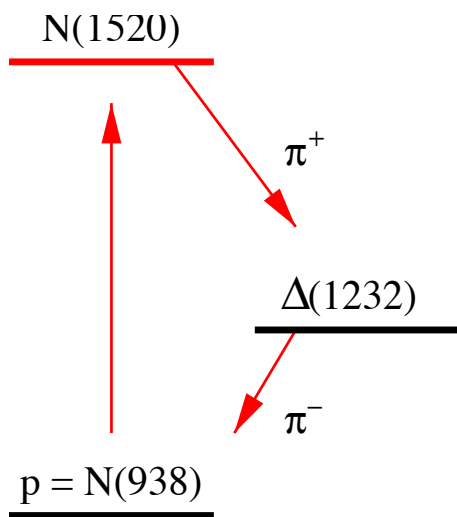
$$\vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- p$$

Fourier coefficients of the angular distribution

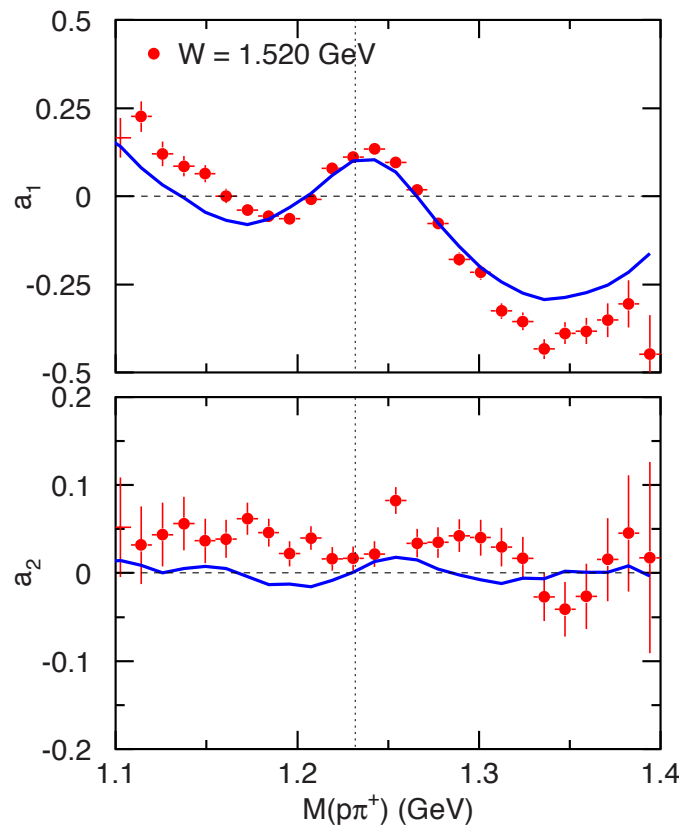
$$I^\ominus = \sum a_k \sin(k\phi)$$

Example of sequential decays

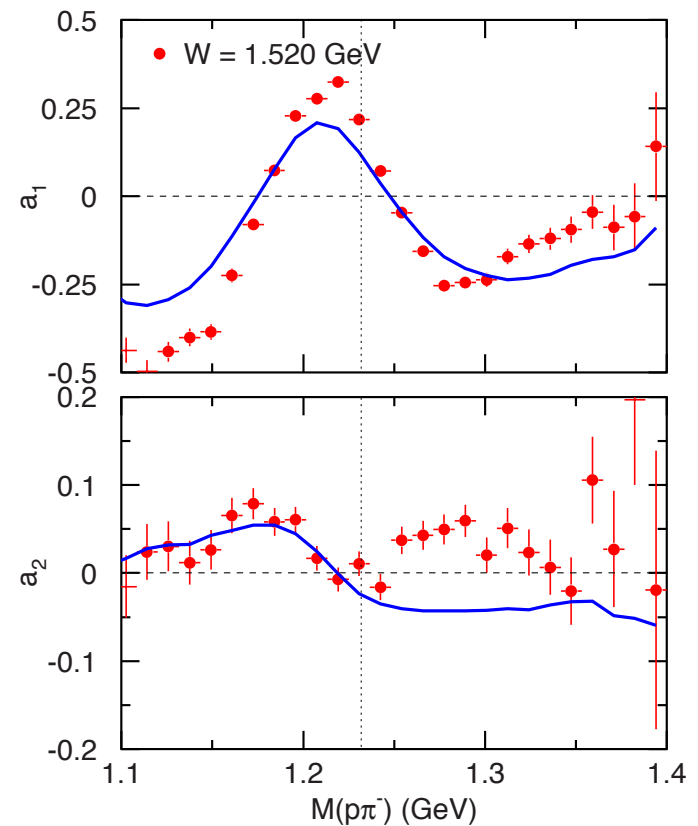
$$\gamma p \rightarrow N^* \rightarrow \pi \Delta$$



$N(1520) \rightarrow \pi^- \Delta^{++} \rightarrow p\pi\pi$



$N(1520) \rightarrow \pi^+ \Delta^0 \rightarrow p\pi\pi$



Summary and outlook

New CLAS polarized photoproduction data off

polarized and unpolarized, proton and neutron targets

contribute to complete or nearly complete experiments.

Evidence of new states found in coupled-channel analyses;
e.g. $\Delta(2200)7/2^-$

Large impact expected as data analyses are being finalized.

PDG baryon summary table for N^* resonances

N^*	J^P	2010	2012	2016
p	$1/2^+$	****	****	****
n	$1/2^+$	****	****	****
$N(1440)$	$1/2^+$	****	****	****
$N(1520)$	$3/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(1535)$	$1/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(1650)$	$1/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(1675)$	$5/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(1680)$	$5/2^+$	****	****	****
$N(1685)$			*	
$N(1700)$	$3/2^-$	***	***	**
$N(1710)$	$1/2^+$	**	**	****
$N(1720)$	$3/2^+$	****	****	****
$N(1860)$	$5/2^+$		**	**
$N(1875)$	$3/2^-$		***	**
$N(1880)$	$1/2^+$		**	**
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$		**	**
$N(1900)$	$3/2^+$	**	***	**
$N(1990)$	$7/2^+$	**	**	**
$N(2000)$	$5/2^+$	**	**	**
$N(2080)$	D_{13}	**		
$N(2090)$	S_{11}	*		
$N(2040)$	$3/2^+$		*	*
$N(2060)$	$5/2^-$		**	**
$N(2100)$	$1/2^+$	*	*	*
$N(2120)$	$3/2^-$		**	**
$N(2190)$	$7/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(2200)$	D_{15}	**		
$N(2220)$	$9/2^+$	****	****	****
$N(2250)$	$9/2^-$	****	****	****
$N(2300)$	$1/2^+$			**
$N(2570)$	$5/2^-$			**
$N(2600)$	$11/2^-$	**	**	**
$N(2700)$	$13/2^+$	**	**	**

future

... future updates ...