

The light baryon resonance spectrum in a coupled-channel approach – recent results of the Jülich-Bonn model

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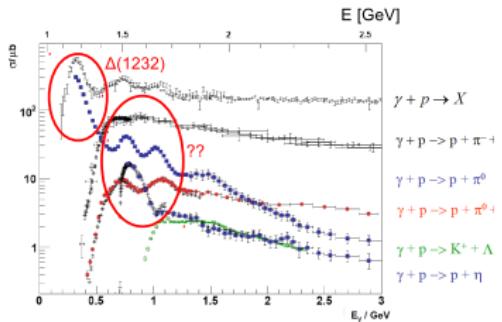
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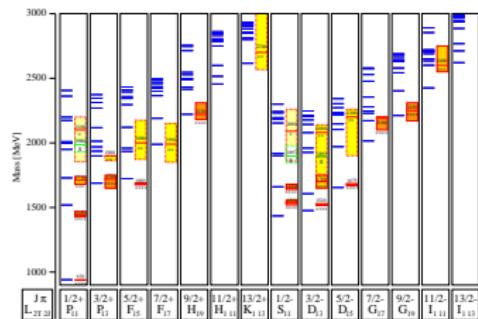
The excited baryon spectrum:

Connection between experiment and QCD in the non-perturbative regime

Experimental study of hadronic reactions



Theoretical predictions of excited hadrons
e.g. from relativistic quark models:



Löring et al. EPJ A 10, 395 (2001), experimental spectrum: PDG 2000

Major source of information:

In the past: elastic or charge exchange π/N scattering

- “missing resonance problem”

In recent years: photoproduction reactions

- large data base, high quality (double) polarization observables, towards a complete experiment

Reviews: Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 125, 103949 (2022), Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 111 (2020) 103752

In the future: electroproduction reactions

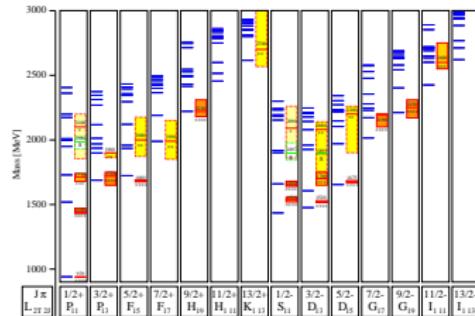
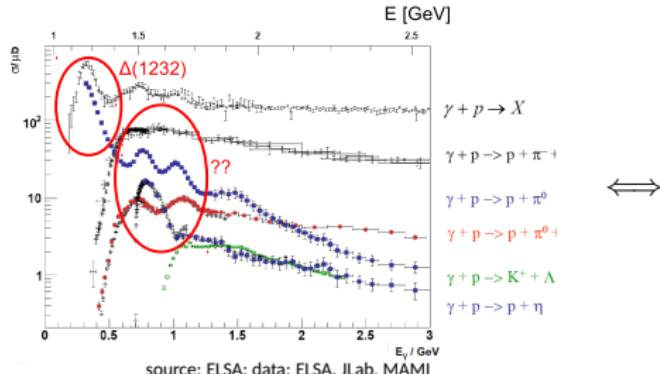
- 10^5 data points for $\pi N, \eta N, KY, \pi\pi N$ Review: e.g. Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 67 (2012)

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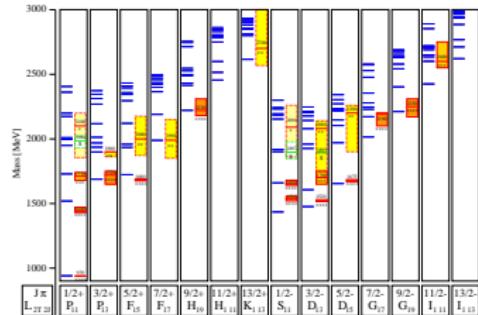
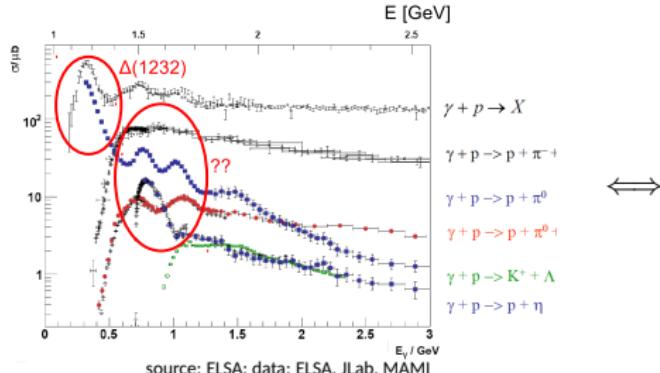


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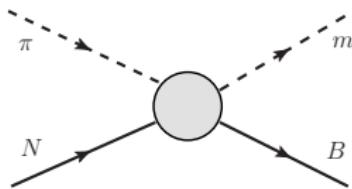


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Jülich-Bonn DCC approach for hadronic reactions



The Jülich-Bonn DCC approach for N^* and Δ resonances pion-induced reactions

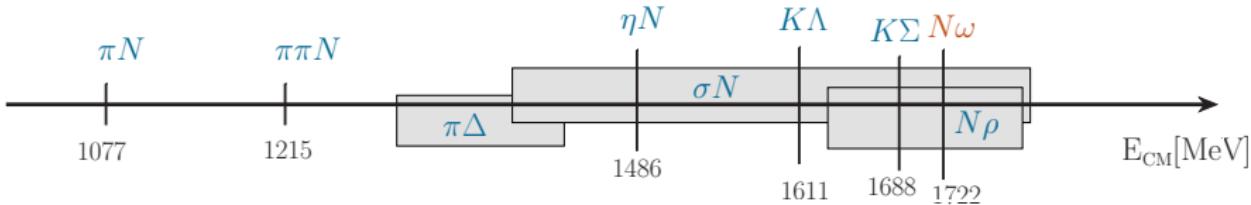
EPJ A 49, 44 (2013)

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■ channels ν, μ, γ :



↪ $\pi N \rightarrow \omega N$ included by Y.-F. Wang (PRD 106 (2022)), talk on Monday on compositeness of resonances (2307.06799 [nucl-th])

↪ hidden charm reactions: C.-W. Shen, Z.-L. Wang CP C 42 (2018), EPJ C 82 (2022)

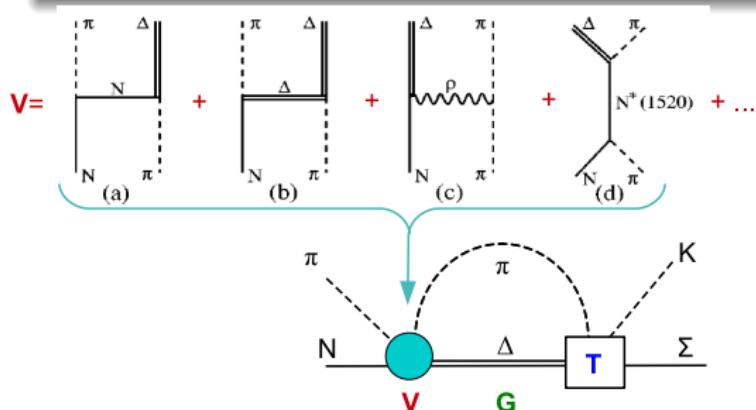
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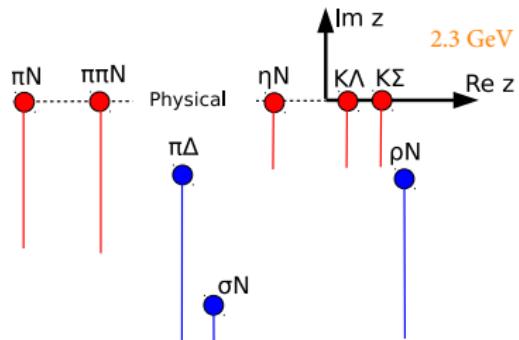
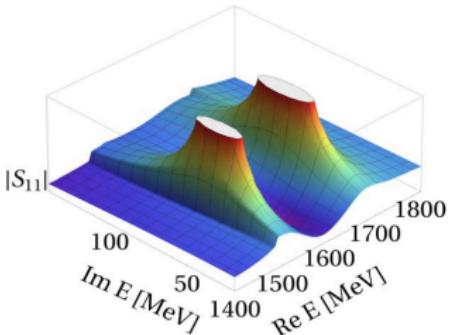
- potentials $\textcolor{red}{V}$ constructed from effective \mathcal{L}
- t - and u -channel: T^{NP}
dynamical generation of poles
- s -channel diagrams: T^P
genuine resonance states
- contact terms

Resonance states

- (2 body) unitarity and analyticity respected (no on-shell factorization, dispersive parts included)
- opening of **inelastic channels** \Rightarrow **branch point** and new **Riemann sheet**

Resonances: poles in the **full** T -matrix

- on the unphysical Riemann sheet
- Pole position E_0 is the same in all channels
- $\text{Re}(E_0)$ = "mass", $-2\text{Im}(E_0)$ = "width"
residues \rightarrow branching ratios

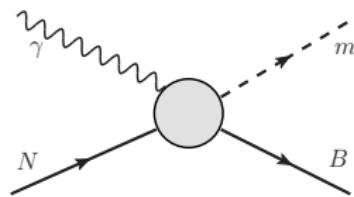


3-body $\pi\pi N$ channel:

- parameterized effectively as $\pi\Delta$, σN , ρN
- $\pi N/\pi\pi$ subsystems fit the respective phase shifts

\hookleftarrow branch points move into complex plane

Photoproduction



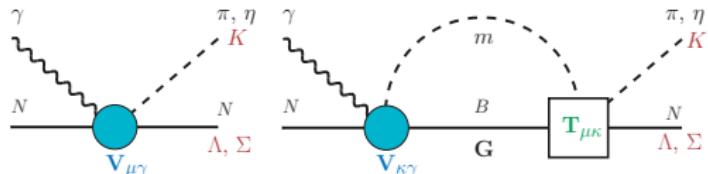
Photoproduction in a semi-phenomenological approach

EPJ A 50, 101 (2015)

Multipole amplitude

$$M_{\mu\gamma}^{IJ} = V_{\mu\gamma}^{IJ} + \sum_{\kappa} T_{\mu\kappa}^{IJ} G_{\kappa} V_{\kappa\gamma}^{IJ}$$

(partial wave basis)



$$m = \pi, \eta, K, B = N, \Delta, \Lambda$$

$T_{\mu\kappa}$: full hadronic T -matrix as in pion-induced reactions

Photoproduction potential: approximated by energy-dependent polynomials (field-theoretical description numerically too expensive)

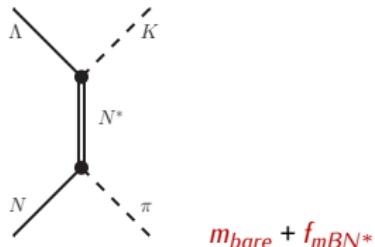
$$\begin{aligned} V_{\mu\gamma}(E, q) &= \text{Diagram showing a nucleon } N \text{ interacting with a photon } \gamma \text{ to produce a meson } m, \text{ mediated by } P_u^{NP}. \\ &+ \text{Diagram showing a nucleon } N \text{ interacting with a photon } \gamma \text{ to produce a resonance } N^*, \Delta^*, \text{ which then decays into a meson } m, \text{ mediated by } P_i^P. \end{aligned}$$
$$= \frac{\tilde{\gamma}_\mu^a(q)}{m_N} P_\mu^{NP}(E) + \sum_i \frac{\gamma_{\mu;i}^a(q) P_i^P(E)}{E - m_i^b}$$

Simultaneous fit of pion- & photon-induced reactions

Free parameters

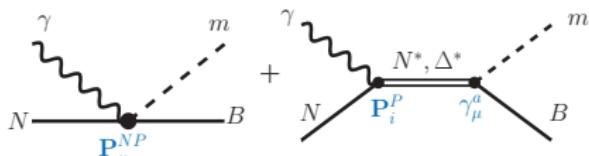
- $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, KY$:

s-channel: resonances (T^P)



$$m_{bare} + f_{BN^*}$$

- $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, KY$: couplings of the polynomials and s-channel parameters



- couplings in contact terms

- t - & u -channel parameters: cut-offs, mostly fixed to values of previous JüBo studies
(couplings fixed from SU(3))

$\Rightarrow \sim 900$ fit parameters in total, $\sim 72,000$ data points

↳ calculations on a supercomputer [JURECA, Jülich Supercomputing Centre, Journal of large-scale research facilities, 2, A62 (2016)]

- large number of fit parameters, many from polynomials

- can be regarded as advantage: prevents the inclusion of superfluous s-channel states to improve fit

Extension to $K\Sigma$ photoproduction on the proton

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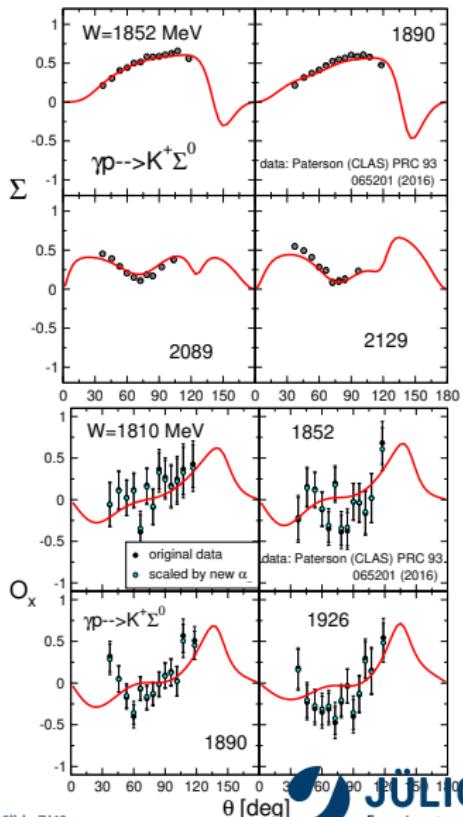
Simultaneous analysis of $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, K\Lambda, K\Sigma$ and $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, K\Lambda, K\Sigma$

- almost 72,000 data points in total, $W_{\max} = 2.4$ GeV
 - $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+\Sigma^0$: $d\sigma/d\Omega, P, \Sigma, T, C_{x',z'}, O_{x,z} = 5,652$
 - $\gamma p \rightarrow K^0\Sigma^+$: $d\sigma/d\Omega, P = 448$
- polarizations scaled by new Λ decay constant α_- (Ireland PRL 123 (2019), 182301), if applicable
- χ^2 minimization with MINUIT on JURECA [Jülich Supercomputing Centre, JURECA: JLSRF 2, A62 (2016)]

Resonance analysis:

- all 4-star N and Δ states up to $J = 9/2$ are seen (exception: $N(1895)1/2^-$) + some states rated less than 4 stars
- no additional s -channel diagram, but indications for new dyn. gen. poles

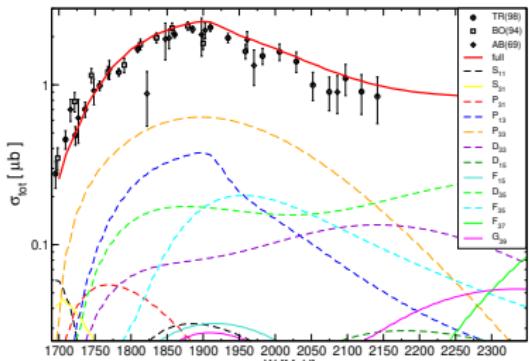
Selected fit results



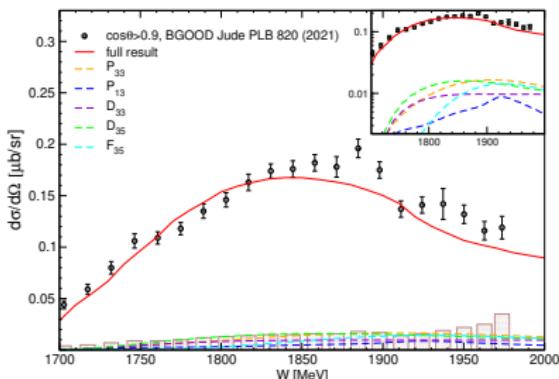
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(Data not included in fit)



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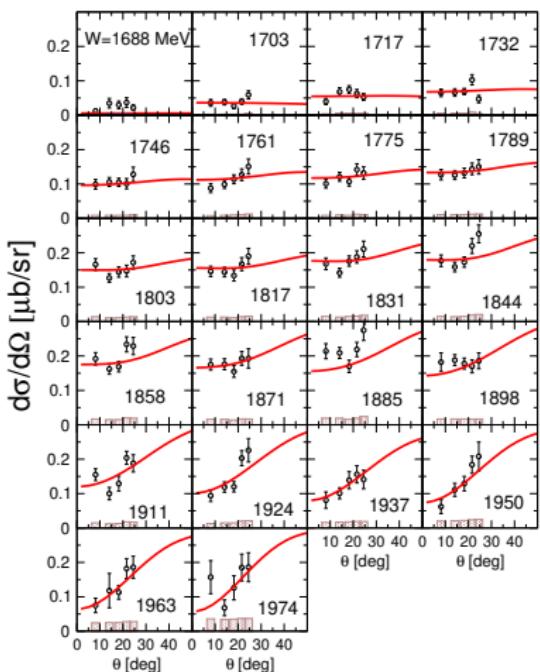
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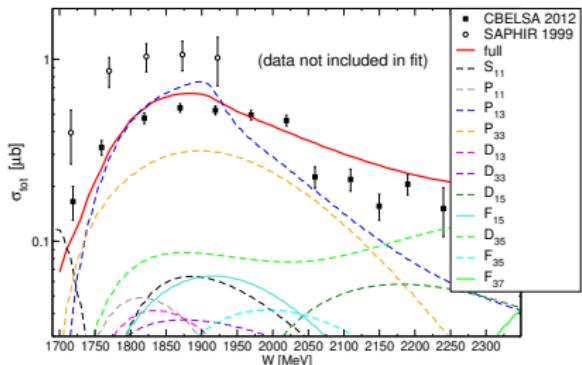
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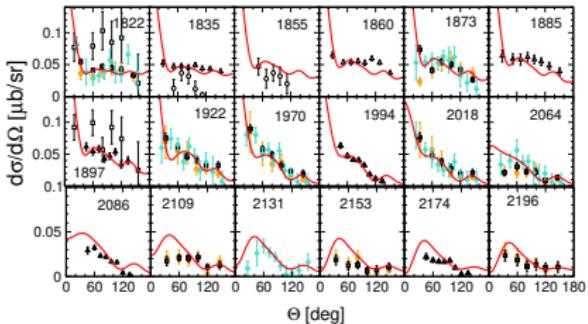
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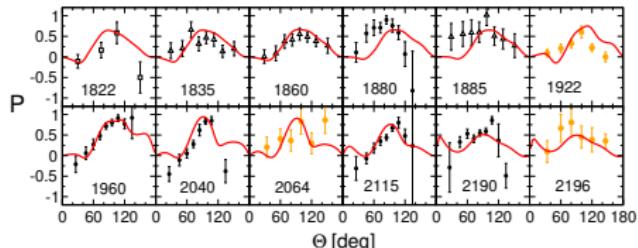


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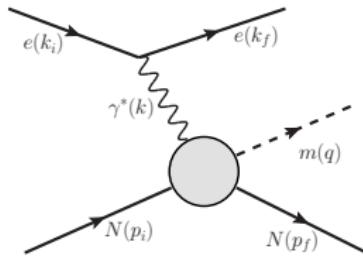


- much less data than for $K^+\Sigma^0$
(448 vs 5,652 data points)
- in parts inconsistent data
→ difficult to achieve a good fit result
- cusp in σ_{tot} at ~ 2 GeV not reproduced
(data not included in fit)

Data: open squares: SPAHIR 1999, cyan: SAPHIR 2005, orange: CBELSA/TAPS 2007, black squares: CBELSA/TAPS 2011, open circles: A2 2018, open triangles: A2 2013, black triangles: Hall B 2003, black circles: CLAS 2013



Electroproduction



Experimental studies of electroproduction:

major progress in recent years, e.g., from JLab, MAMI, ...

- 10^5 data points for πN , ηN , KY , $\pi\pi N$ electroproduction
- access the Q^2 dependence of the amplitude
 - expected to provide a link between perturbative QCD and the region where quark confinement sets in
- so far, no new N^* or Δ^* established from electroproduction:
data not yet analyzed on the same level as photoproduction
Reviews: Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 67 (2012); Few. Body Syst. 63 (2022) 3, 59

Single-channels analyses, e.g.:

- **MAID**: π , η , kaon electroproduction (EPJA 34, 69 (2007), NPA 700, 429 (2002),)
- **JLab**: π electroproduction covering the resonance region (PRC 80 (2009) 055203)

Coupled-channels analyses:

- **ANL-Osaka**: extension of DCC analysis of pion electroproduction (PRC 80, 025207 (2009)) **in progress** (Few Body Syst. 59 (2018) 3, 24)
- **Jülich-Bonn-Washington approach** M. Mai et al. PRC 103 (2021): $\gamma^* p \rightarrow \pi^0 p, \pi^+ n, \eta p, K\Lambda$

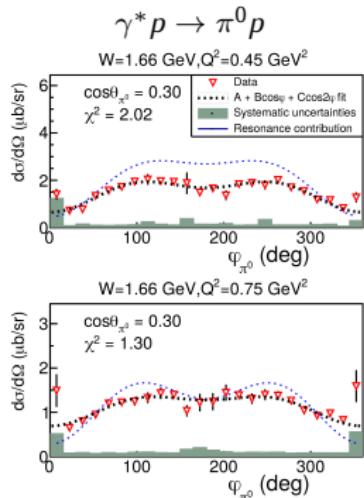


Figure and data from Markov et al. (CLAS) PRC 101 (2020),
resonance contribution: JLab/YerPhI

Jülich-Bonn-Washington parametrization

M. Mai et al. PRC 103 (2021), PRC 106 (2022), arXiv:2307.10051 [nucl-th]

$$\mathcal{M}_{\mu\gamma^*}(k, W, Q^2) = \mathcal{R}_{\ell'}(\lambda, q/q_\gamma) \left(V_{\mu\gamma^*}(k, W, Q^2) + \sum_{\kappa} \int_0^\infty dp p^2 T_{\mu\kappa}(k, p, W) G_\kappa(p, W) V_{\kappa\gamma^*}(p, W, Q^2) \right)$$

(Pseudo)-threshold behavior with meson/photon momenta

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{k \rightarrow 0} E_{\ell+} &= k^\ell \\ \lim_{q \rightarrow 0} L_{\ell+} &= q^\ell \\ \dots \end{aligned}$$

For $Q^2=0$ (real photons) identical to Jülich-Bonn photoproduction amplitude

$$V_{\mu\gamma^*}(k, W, Q^2) = V_{\mu\gamma}^{\text{JUBO}}(k, W) \cdot \tilde{F}_D(Q^2) \cdot e^{-\beta_\mu^0 Q^2/m_p^2} \left(1 + Q^2/m_p^2 \beta_\mu^1 + (Q^2/m_p^2)^2 \beta_\mu^2 \right)$$

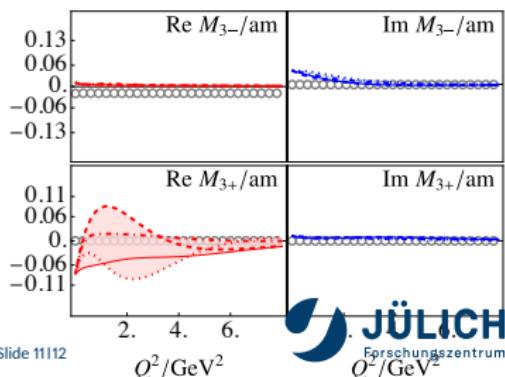
Siegert's theorem Siegert(1973)
Amaldi et al.(1979)
Tiator(2016)

$$V^{L_{\ell\pm}} = (\text{const.}) \cdot V^{E_{\ell\pm}}$$

...at pseudo-threshold

- simultaneous fit to πN , ηN , $K\Lambda$ electroproduction off proton ($W < 1.8$ GeV, $Q^2 < 8$ GeV 2)
- 533 fit parameters, 110.281 data points
- Input from JüBo: $V_{\mu\gamma}(k, W, Q^2 = 0)$, $T_{\mu\kappa}(k, p, W)$, $G_\kappa(p, W)$
 → universal pole positions and residues (fixed in this study)
- long-term goal: fit pion-, photo- and electron-induced reactions simultaneously

$\gamma^* p \rightarrow K\Lambda$ at $W = 1.7$ GeV



Summary and Outlook

Extraction of the N^* and Δ spectrum from experimental data: major progress in last decade

- new information from photoproduction data → new and upgraded states in PDG table
- however: less progress for Δ^* states
- wealth of high-quality electroproduction data, more at high Q^2 in the future (CLAS12)
→ to be included in modern coupled-channel analyses (in progress)

Jülich-Bonn DCC analysis:

- Extraction of the N^* and Δ spectrum in a simultaneous analysis of pion- and photon-induced reactions [Eur.Phys.J.A 58 (2022) 229]
- $\pi N \rightarrow \omega N$ channel included, prerequisite for ω photoproduction [Wang et al. PRD 106 (2022), 094031]
- **Electroproduction:** Jülich-Bonn-Washington approach [Mai et al. PRC 103 (2021), PRC 106 (2022), 2307.10051 [nucl-th]]
 - In progress: Baryon transition form factors
 - In progress: adaption of JüBo framework to $\bar{K}N$ reactions → Λ^* , Σ^*
 - New interactive web interface: <https://jbw.phys.gwu.edu> (under construction)
→ multipoles, observables, data

Thank you for your attention!

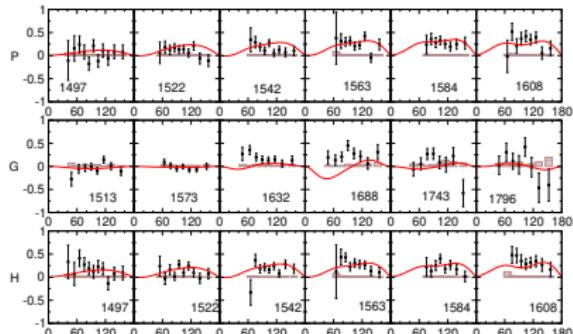
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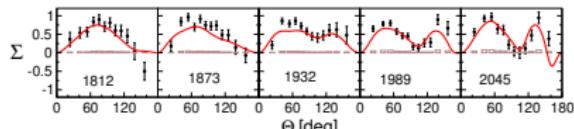
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- Σ Afzal PRL 125, 152002 (2020): Backward peak in data

→ Observation of $\eta' N$ cusp + importance of $N(1895)1/2^-$ (BnGa)

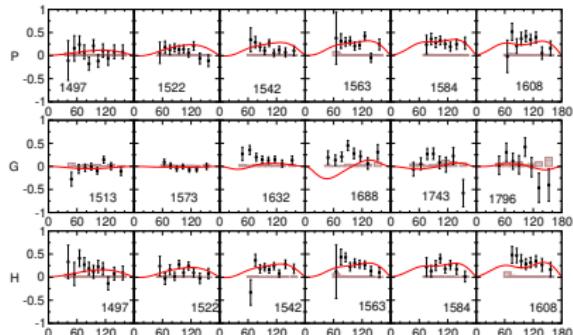


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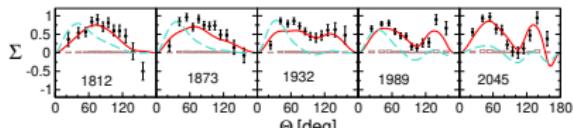
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- Σ Afzal PRL 125, 152002 (2020): Backward peak in data

→ Observation of $\eta' N$ cusp + importance of $N(1895)1/2^-$ (BnGa)



Uncertainties of extracted resonance parameters

Challenges in determining resonance uncertainties, e.g.:

- **elastic πN channel:** not data but GWU SAID PWA are used by most groups

→ correlated χ^2 fit including the covariance matrix $\hat{\Sigma}$ [PRC 93, 065205 (2016)]

$$\chi^2(A) = \chi^2(\hat{A}) + (A - \hat{A})^T \hat{\Sigma}^{-1} (A - \hat{A})$$

A ~ vector of fitted PWs, \hat{A} ~ vector of SAID SE PWs

→ same χ^2 as fitting to data up to nonlinear and normalization corrections

- **error propagation** data → fit parameters → derived quantities:

bootstrap method: generate pseudo data around actual data, repeat fit

→ numerically very challenging

- **model selection**, significance of resonance signals:

determine minimal resonance content using Bayesian evidence [PRL 108, 182002; PRC 86, 015212 (2012)]

or the LASSO method [J. R. Stat. Soc. B 58, 267 (1996), PRC 95, 015203 (2017)]:

$$\chi_T^2 = \chi^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^{i_{\max}} |a_i| , \quad \lambda \sim \text{penalty factor}, a_i \sim \text{fit parameter}$$

⇒ very challenging for coupled-channel analyses!

The SAID, MAID, BnGa and JüBo approaches

Detailed comparison: EPJ A 52, 284 (2016)

SAID PWA (gwdac.phys.gwu.edu)

based on Chew-Mandelstam K -matrix

- K -matrix elements parameterized as energy-dependent polynomials
- resonance poles are dynamically generated (except for the $\Delta(1232)$)
- masses, width and hadronic couplings from fits to pion-induced πN and ηN production
- photocouplings from photoproduction

Bonn-Gatchina (BnGa) PWA

(pwa.hiskp.uni-bonn.de)

Multi-channel PWA based on K -matrix (N/D)

- mostly phenomenological model
- resonances added by hand
- resonance parameters determined from large experimental data base:
pion-, photon-induced reactions, 3-body final states
- PWA of $\bar{K}N$ scattering, hyperon spectrum EPJA 55,179 & 180 (2019)

MAID PWA (maid.kph.uni-mainz.de)

unitary isobar model

- resonances as multi-channel Breit-Wigner amplitudes
- background: Born terms + Regge exchanges
- photo- and electroproduction of pions, etas & kaons
- Mainz-Tuzla-Zagreb collaboration: MAID + fixed-t dispersion relations, L+P
(pwatuzla.com/p/mtz-collab.html)

Jülich-Bonn (JüBo) DCC model

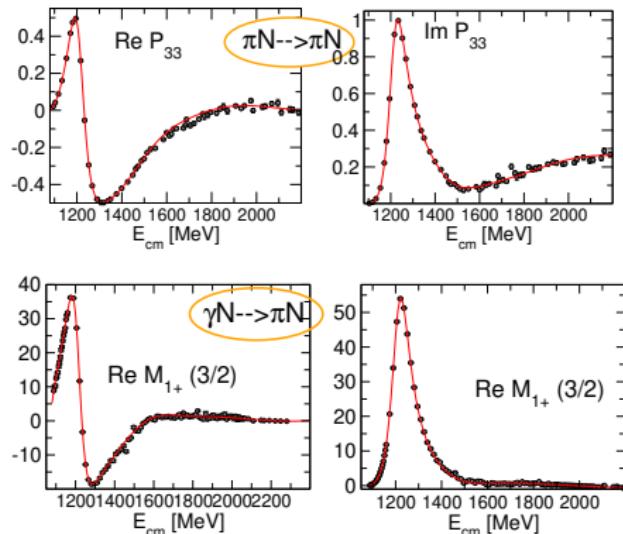
(collaborations.fz-juelich.de/ikp/meson-baryon/main)

Lippmann-Schwinger eq. formulated in TOPT

- hadronic potential from effective Lagrangians
- photoproduction as energy-dependent polynomials
- resonances as s -channel states ("by hand"), dynamical generation possible
- resonance parameters from pion- and photon-induced data
- Jülich-Bonn-Washington model: CC electroproduction analysis (jbw.phys.gwu.edu)

Excited states / Resonances

$$J^P = 3/2^+, I = 3/2$$



Points: SAID 2006 and CM12

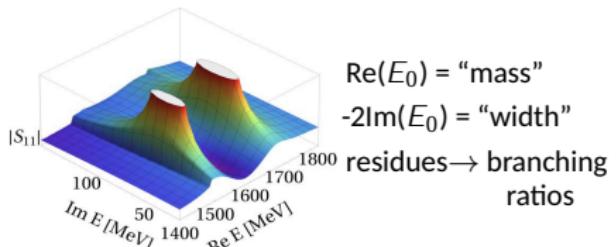
Breit-Wigner parameterization:

$$\mathcal{M}_{ba}^{\text{Res}} = -\frac{g_b g_a}{E^2 - M_{BW}^2 + iE\Gamma_{BW}}$$

- M_{BW}, Γ_{BW} channel dependent
- background? overlapping resonances? thresholds?

Resonances: poles in the T -matrix

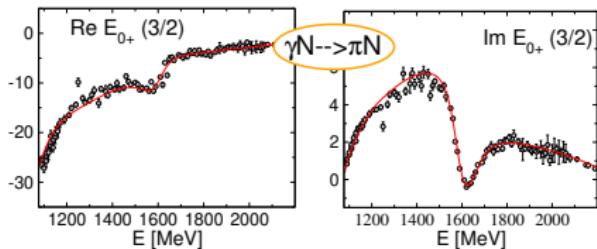
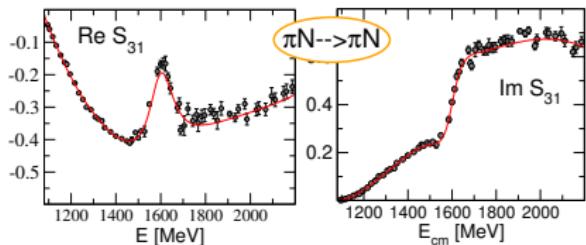
- Pole position E_0 is the same in all channels
- thresholds: branch points



$\text{Re}(E_0) = \text{"mass"}$
 $-2\text{Im}(E_0) = \text{"width"}$
residues \rightarrow branching ratios

Excited states / Resonances

$J^P = 1/2^-, I = 3/2$



Points: SAID 2006 and CM12

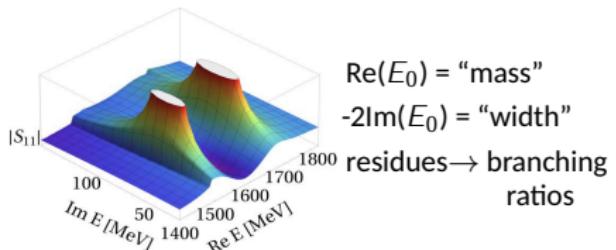
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Details of the formalism

Polynomials:

$$P_i^P(E) = \sum_{j=1}^n g_{i,j}^P \left(\frac{E - E_0}{m_N} \right)^j e^{-g_{i,n+1}^P(E-E_0)}$$

$$P_\mu^{NP}(E) = \sum_{j=0}^n g_{\mu,j}^{NP} \left(\frac{E - E_0}{m_N} \right)^j e^{-g_{\mu,n+1}^{NP}(E-E_0)}$$

- $E_0 = 1077$ MeV

- $g_{i,j}^P, g_{\mu,j}^{NP}$: fit parameter

- $e^{-g(E-E_0)}$: appropriate energy behavior high

- $n = 3$

◀ back

The scattering potential: *s*-channel resonances

$$V^P = \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{\gamma_{\mu;i}^a \gamma_{\nu;i}^c}{z - m_i^b}$$

- i : resonance number per PW
- $\gamma_{\nu;i}^c (\gamma_{\mu;i}^a)$: creation (annihilation) vertex function with **bare coupling** f (**free parameter**)
- z : center-of-mass energy
- m_i^b : **bare mass** (**free parameter**)

■ $J \leq 3/2$:

$\gamma_{\nu;i}^c (\gamma_{\mu;i}^a)$ from effective \mathcal{L}

Vertex	\mathcal{L}_{int}
$N^*(S_{11})N\pi$	$\frac{f}{m_\pi} \bar{\Psi}_{N^*} \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \Psi + \text{h.c.}$
$N^*(S_{11})N\eta$	$\frac{f}{m_\pi} \bar{\Psi}_{N^*} \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \eta \Psi + \text{h.c.}$
$N^*(S_{11})N\rho$	$f \bar{\Psi}_{N^*} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \vec{\rho}_\mu \Psi + \text{h.c.}$
$N^*(S_{11})\Delta\pi$	$\frac{f}{m_\pi} \bar{\Psi}_{N^*} \gamma^5 \vec{S} \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \Delta^\mu + \text{h.c.}$

■ $5/2 \leq J \leq 9/2$:

correct dependence on L (centrifugal barrier)

$$\begin{array}{lll} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{5}{2}}^- & = \frac{k}{M} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^+ & (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{5}{2}}^+ & = \frac{k}{M} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^- \\ (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{7}{2}}^- & = \frac{k^2}{M^2} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^- & (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{7}{2}}^+ & = \frac{k^2}{M^2} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^+ \\ (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{9}{2}}^- & = \frac{k^3}{M^3} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^+ & (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{9}{2}}^+ & = \frac{k^3}{M^3} (\gamma^{a,c})_{\frac{3}{2}}^- \end{array}$$

The scattering potential: t - and u -channel exchanges

	πN	ρN	ηN	$\pi \Delta$	σN	$K\Lambda$	$K\Sigma$
πN	$N, \Delta, (\pi\pi)_\sigma, (\pi\pi)_\rho$	$N, \Delta, Ct., \pi, \omega, a_1$	N, a_0	N, Δ, ρ	N, π	Σ, Σ^*, K^*	$\Lambda, \Sigma, \Sigma^*, K^*$
ρN		$N, \Delta, Ct., \rho$	-	N, π	-	-	-
ηN			N, f_0	-	-	K^*, Λ	Σ, Σ^*, K^*
$\pi \Delta$				N, Δ, ρ	π	-	-
σN					N, σ	-	-
$K\Lambda$						$\Xi, \Xi^*, f_0, \omega, \phi$	Ξ, Ξ^*, ρ
$K\Sigma$							$\Xi, \Xi^*, f_0, \omega, \phi, \rho$

Free parameters: cutoffs Λ in the form factors: $F(q) = \left(\frac{\Lambda^2 - m_\chi^2}{\Lambda^2 + \vec{q}^2} \right)^n$, $n = 1, 2$

Interaction potential from effective Lagrangian

J. Wess and B. Zumino, Phys. Rev. 163, 1727 (1967); U.-G. Meißner, Phys. Rept. 161, 213 (1988); B. Borasoy and U.-G. Meißner, Int. J. Mod. Phys. A 11, 5183 (1996).

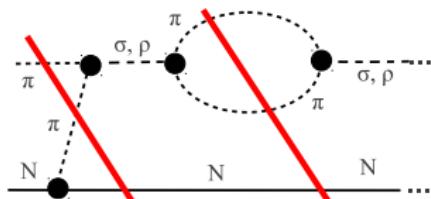
- consistent with the approximate (broken) chiral $SU(2) \times SU(2)$ symmetry of QCD

Vertex	\mathcal{L}_{int}	Vertex	\mathcal{L}_{int}
NNπ	$-\frac{g_{NN\pi}}{m_\pi} \Psi \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \cdot \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \Psi$	NNω	$-g_{NN\omega} \bar{\Psi} [\gamma^\mu - \frac{\kappa\omega}{2m_N} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu] \omega_\mu \Psi$
NΔπ	$\frac{g_{N\Delta\pi}}{m_\pi} \bar{\Delta}^\mu \vec{S}^\dagger \cdot \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \Psi + \text{h.c.}$	$\omega\pi\rho$	$\frac{g_{\omega\rho}}{m_\omega} \epsilon_{\alpha\beta\mu\nu} \partial^\alpha \rho^\beta \cdot \partial^\mu \vec{\pi} \omega^\nu$
$\rho\pi\pi$	$-g_{\rho\pi\pi} (\vec{\pi} \times \partial_\mu \vec{\pi}) \cdot \vec{\rho}^\mu$	NΔρ	$-i \frac{g_{N\Delta\rho}}{m_\rho} \bar{\Delta}^\mu \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \vec{S}^\dagger \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\mu\nu} \Psi + \text{h.c.}$
NNρ	$-g_{NN\rho} \Psi [\gamma^\mu - \frac{\kappa\rho}{2m_N} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu] \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{\rho}_\mu \Psi$	$\rho\rho\rho$	$g_{NN\rho} (\vec{\rho}_\mu \times \vec{\rho}_\nu) \cdot \vec{\rho}^{\mu\nu}$
NNσ	$-g_{NN\sigma} \bar{\Psi} \Psi \sigma$	NNρρ	$\frac{\kappa\rho g_{NN\rho}^2}{2m_N} \bar{\Psi} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \vec{\tau} \Psi (\vec{\rho}_\mu \times \vec{\rho}_\nu)$
$\sigma\pi\pi$	$\frac{g_{\sigma\pi\pi}}{2m_\pi} \partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \cdot \partial^\mu \vec{\pi} \sigma$	ΔΔπ	$\frac{g_{\Delta\Delta\pi}}{m_\pi} \bar{\Delta}_\mu \gamma^5 \gamma^\nu \vec{\tau} \Delta^\mu \partial_\nu \vec{\pi}$
$\sigma\sigma\sigma$	$-g_{\sigma\sigma\sigma} m_\sigma \sigma \sigma \sigma$	ΔΔρ	$-g_{\Delta\Delta\rho} \bar{\Delta}_\tau (\gamma^\mu - i \frac{\kappa_{\Delta\Delta\rho}}{2m_\Delta} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \partial_\nu) \cdot \vec{\rho}_\mu \cdot \vec{\tau} \Delta^\tau$
NNρπ	$\frac{g_{NN\pi}}{m_\pi} 2g_{NN\rho} \bar{\Psi} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \Psi (\vec{\rho}_\mu \times \vec{\pi})$	NNη	$-\frac{g_{NN\eta}}{m_\pi} \bar{\Psi} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \eta \Psi$
NNa ₁	$-\frac{g_{NN\pi}}{m_\pi} m_{a_1} \bar{\Psi} \gamma^5 \gamma^\mu \vec{\tau} \Psi \vec{a}_\mu$	NNa ₀	$g_{NNa_0} m_\pi \bar{\Psi} \vec{\tau} \Psi \vec{a}_0$
$a_1\pi\rho$	$-\frac{2g_{\pi a_1 \rho}}{m_{a_1}} [\partial_\mu \vec{\pi} \times \vec{a}_\nu - \partial_\nu \vec{\pi} \times \vec{a}_\mu] \cdot [\partial^\mu \vec{\rho}^\nu - \partial^\nu \vec{\rho}^\mu]$ $+\frac{2g_{\pi a_1 \rho}}{2m_{a_1}} [\vec{\pi} \times (\partial_\mu \vec{\rho}_\nu - \partial_\nu \vec{\rho}_\mu)] \cdot [\partial^\mu \vec{a}^\nu - \partial^\nu \vec{a}^\mu]$	$\pi\eta a_0$	$g_{\pi\eta a_0} m_\pi \eta \vec{\pi} \cdot \vec{a}_0$

Theoretical constraints of the S -matrix

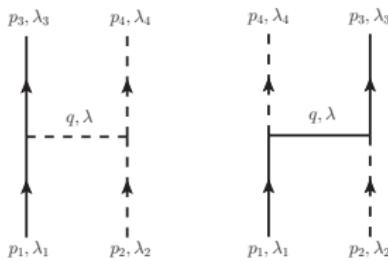
Unitarity: probability conservation

- 2-body unitarity
- 3-body unitarity:
discontinuities from t -channel exchanges
→ Meson exchange from requirements of
the S -matrix [Aaron, Almado, Young, Phys. Rev. 174, 2022 (1968)]



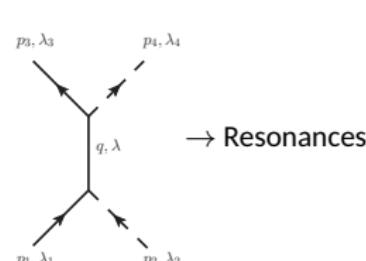
Analyticity: from unitarity and causality

- correct structure of branch point, right-hand cut (real, dispersive parts)
- to approximate left-hand cut → Baryon u -channel exchange



$$\vec{q} = \vec{p}_1 - \vec{p}_3$$

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$$\vec{q} = \vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_3 = 0$$