

Baryon Spectroscopy at Jefferson Laboratory

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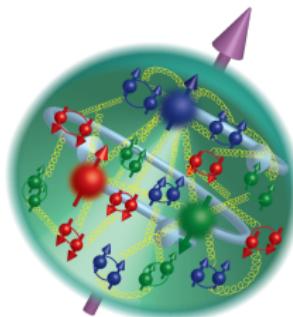
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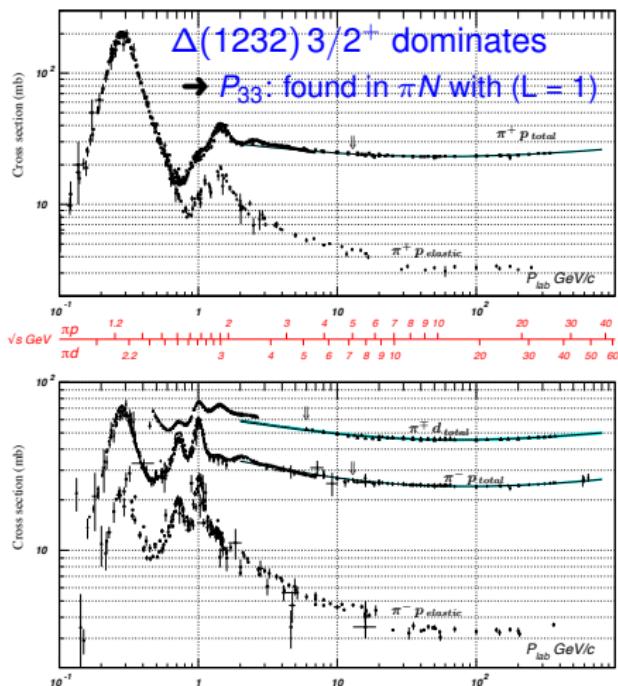
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Hadron Beams: Pion- (Kaon-) Nucleon Scattering



First insight into experimental difficulties:

- The elastic cross section drops fast.
→ The resonances decouple from elastic scattering amplitude.
- Gradual disappearance of resonant structures in the πp cross sections
→ For $\sqrt{s} > 1.7$ GeV, more and more inelastic channels open.

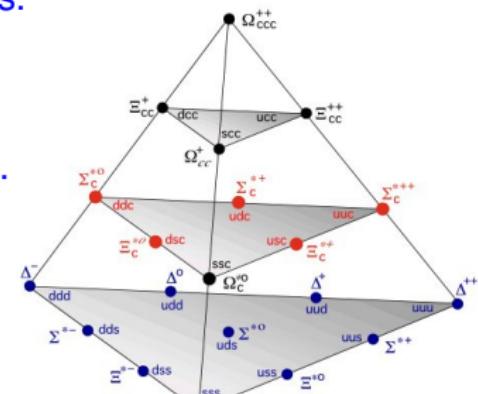
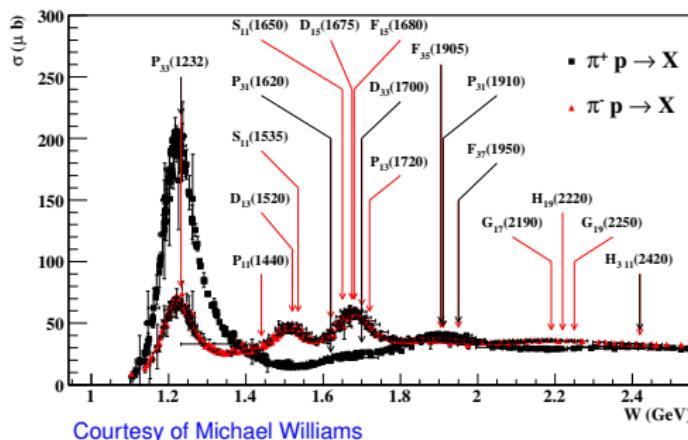
In 1952, first cross-section measurement of $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$
(H. L. Anderson, E. Fermi, E. A. Long, D. E. Nagle, Phys. Rev. 85 (1952) 936)

Baryon Spectroscopy: The Light Flavors

The strong coupling confines quarks and breaks chiral symmetry, and so defines the world of light hadrons.

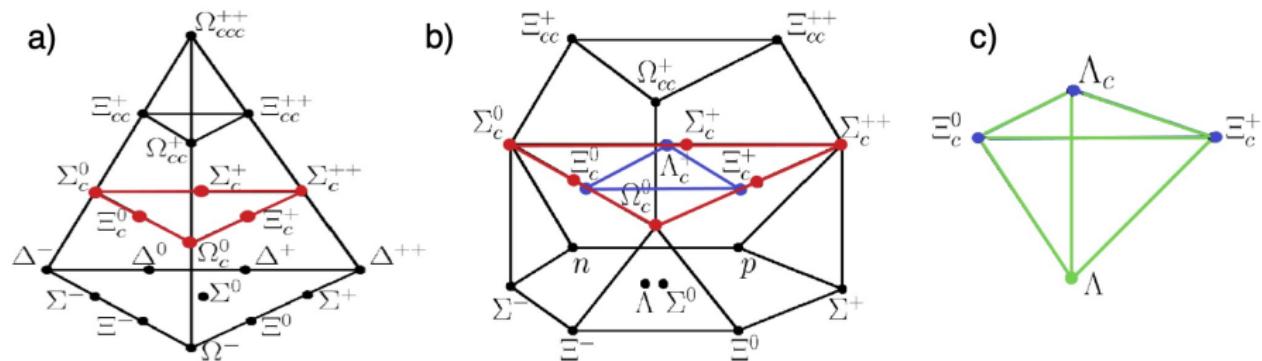
Baryons are special because

Their structure is most obviously related to the color degree of freedom, e.g. $|\Delta^{++}\rangle = |u^\dagger u^\dagger u^\dagger\rangle$.



Many Y^* QN not measured:
 (Quark model assignments)
 → Most Ξ^* and Ω^* , etc.

SU(4) Multiplet Structure of Baryons



Multiplet structure for flavor SU(4):

$$4 \otimes 4 \otimes 4 = 20_S \oplus 20_M \oplus 20_M \oplus 4_A$$

- Great progress also for charmed and bottom baryons (Belle, LHCb).
 (S. Yang [Belle], next presentation | Zan Ren [LHCb], Tuesday, 10:00 - 10:30)

How do we study baryons experimentally?

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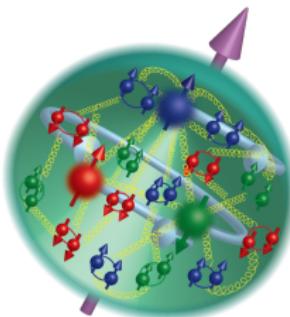
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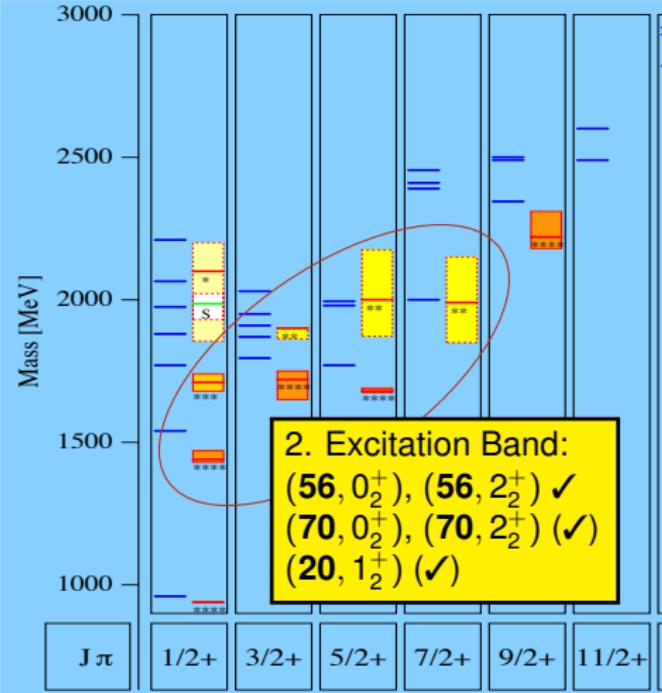
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S. Capstick & N. Isgur, Phys. Rev. D34 (1986) 2809

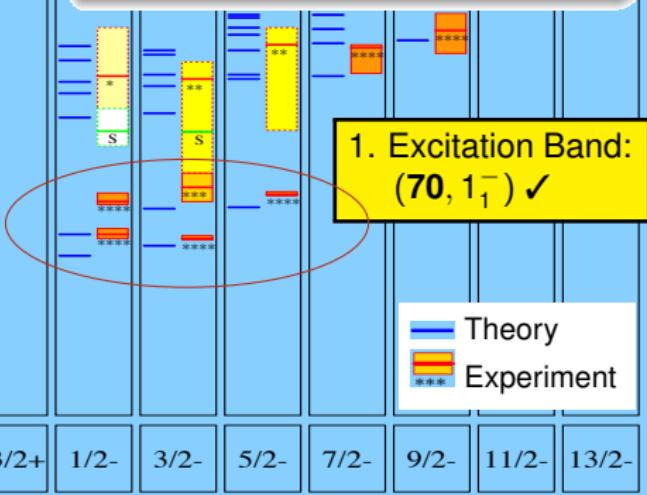
SU(6) ($^{2S+1}$ multiplets; u, d, s , spin)

$$6 \otimes 6 \otimes 6 = 56_S \oplus 70_M \oplus 70_M \oplus 20_A$$

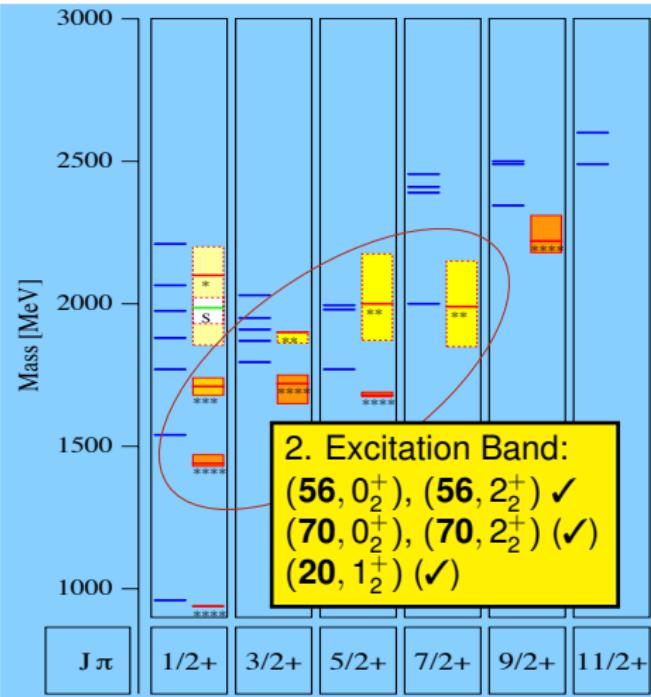
$$\Rightarrow 56 = {}^410 \oplus {}^28 \text{ "ground states"}$$

$$70 = {}^210 \oplus {}^48 \oplus {}^28 \oplus {}^21$$

$$20 = {}^28 \oplus {}^41$$



Spectrum of N^* Resonances



V. C. & W. Roberts, Rep. Prog. Phys. 76 (2013)

N^*	J^P ($L_{2I,2J}$)	2010	2022
$N(1440)$	$1/2^+ (P_{11})$	****	****
$N(1520)$	$3/2^- (D_{13})$	****	****
$N(1535)$	$1/2^- (S_{11})$	****	****
$N(1650)$	$1/2^- (S_{11})$	****	****
$N(1675)$	$5/2^- (D_{15})$	****	****
$N(1680)$	$5/2^+ (F_{15})$	****	****
$N(1685)$		*	
$N(1700)$	$3/2^- (D_{13})$	***	***
$N(1710)$	$1/2^+ (P_{11})$	***	***
$N(1720)$	$3/2^+ (P_{13})$	****	****
$N(1860)$	$5/2^+$		**
$N(1875)$	$3/2^-$		***
$N(1880)$	$1/2^+$		***
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$		****
$N(1900)$	$3/2^+ (P_{13})$	**	****
$N(1990)$	$7/2^+ (F_{17})$	**	**
$N(2000)$	$5/2^+ (F_{15})$	**	**
$N(2080)$	D_{13}	**	
$N(2090)$	S_{11}	*	
$N(2040)$	$3/2^+$		*
$N(2060)$	$5/2^-$		***
$N(2100)$	$1/2^+ (P_{11})$	*	***
$N(2120)$	$3/2^-$		***
$N(2190)$	$7/2^- (G_{17})$	****	****
$N(2200)$	D_{15}	**	
			$13/2-$

Table representing CLAS@JLab measurements

	σ	Σ	T	P	E	F	G	H	$T_{x'}$	$T_{z'}$	$L_{x'}$	$L_{z'}$	$O_{x'}$	$O_{z'}$	$C_{x'}$	$C_{z'}$	
Proton targets																	
$p\pi^0$	✓	✓	✓	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓									
$n\pi^+$	✓	✓	✓	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓					✓	published			
$p\eta$	✓	✓	✓	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓					✓	acquired or under analysis			
$p\eta'$	✓	✓	✓	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓									
$p\omega(\phi)$	✓	✓	✓	(✓)	✓	✓	✓	✓						Tensor polarization, SDMEs, I^\odot, I^s, I^c , etc.			
$K^+\Lambda$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
$K^+\Sigma^0$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
$K^0\Sigma^+$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Neutron (deuteron) targets																	
$p\pi^-$	✓	✓			✓		✓										
$K^+\Sigma^-$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓									
$K^0\Lambda$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
$K^0\Sigma^0$	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

In addition, two-meson reactions are being analyzed:

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$\gamma p \rightarrow (p\rho) \rightarrow p\pi^+\pi^-$ (CLAS), $\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\pi^0$, $p\pi^0\eta$, $p\pi^0\omega$ (ELSA, MAMI, etc.)

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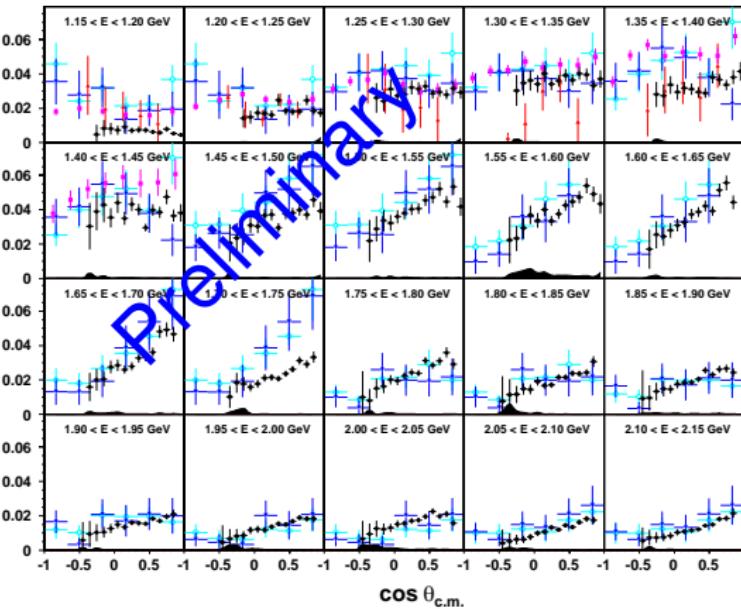
Additional presentations from ELSA:

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A. Thiel [CBELSA/TAPS], Monday, 2:00 - 2:30 | T. Jude [BGOOD], Thursday, 4:50 - 5:10.

Cross Sections for $\gamma p \rightarrow K^0 \Sigma^+ \rightarrow p \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

Z. Akbar, T. Hu, V. C. et al. [CLAS Collaboration], CLAS approved.

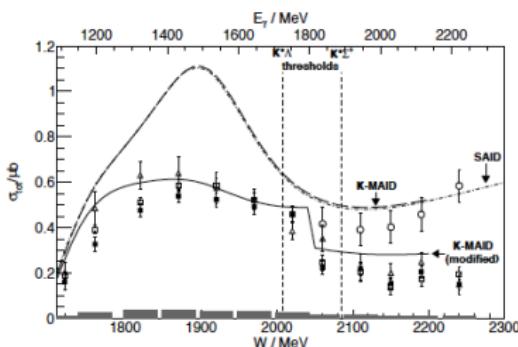


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 → In preparation for $K^0 \Sigma^+$: P, E, Σ, T, C_x , C_z , O_x , O_z

New cross section results
in 50-MeV-wide E_γ bins for

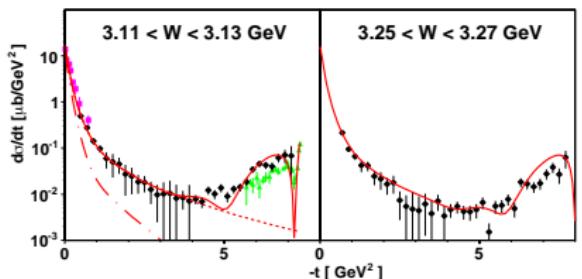
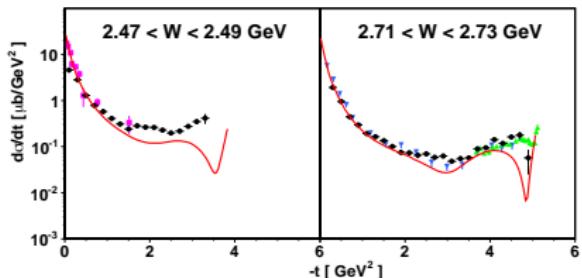
$1.15 < E_\gamma < 3.0$ GeV

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No anomaly observed in CLAS data,
i.e. no sudden drop in cross section.

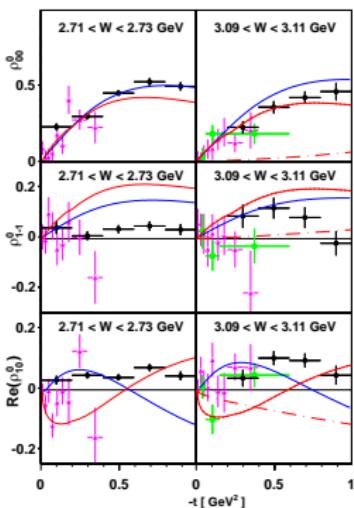
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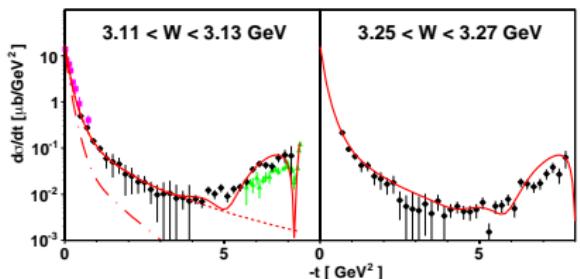
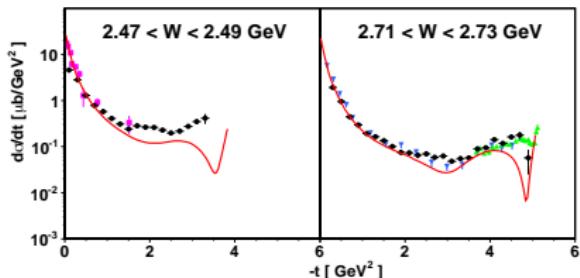
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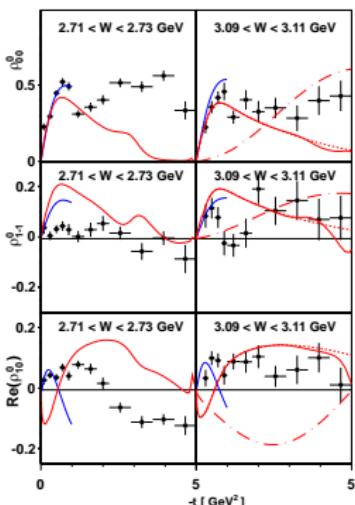
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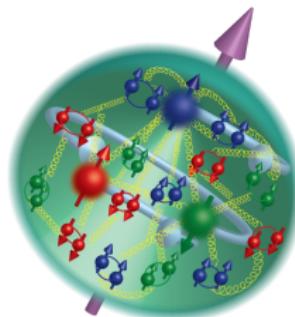
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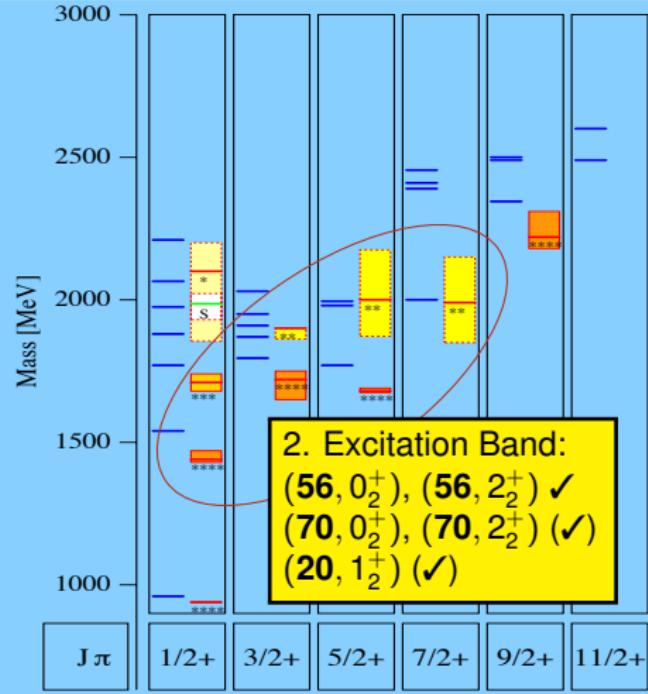
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N	$(D, L_N^{P_J})$	S	J^P	Octet Members				Singlets
0	$(56, 0_0^+)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	$N(939)$	$\Lambda(1116)$	$\Sigma(1193)$	$\Xi(1318)$	–
1	$(70, 1^-)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$N(1535)$	$\Lambda(1670)$	$\Sigma(1620)$	$\Xi(1690)$	$\Lambda(1405)$
		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	$N(1520)$	$\Lambda(1690)$	$\Sigma(1670)$	$\Xi(1820)$	$\Lambda(1520)$
		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$N(1650)$	$\Lambda(1800)$	$\Sigma(1750)$		–
		$\frac{5}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	$N(1700)$				–
		$\frac{5}{2}$	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	$N(1675)$	$\Lambda(1830)$	$\Sigma(1775)$		–
2	$(56, 0_2^+)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	$N(1440)$	$\Lambda(1600)$	$\Sigma(1660)$		–
	$(70, 0_2^+)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	$N(1710)$	$\Lambda(1810)^\dagger$	$\Sigma(1770)^\dagger$		–
	$(56, 2_2^+)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	$N(1720)^\dagger$	$\Lambda(1890)^\dagger$	$\Sigma(1840)^\dagger$		–
		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	$N(1680)$	$\Lambda(1820)^\dagger$	$\Sigma(1915)^\dagger$		–
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		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$		$N(1880)$			–
		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$		$N(1900)^\dagger$		$\Sigma(2080)^\dagger$	–
		$\frac{5}{2}$	$\frac{5}{2}^+$		$N(2000)$	$\Lambda(2110)^\dagger$	$\Sigma(2070)^\dagger$	–
		$\frac{7}{2}$	$\frac{7}{2}^+$		$N(1990)$	$\Lambda(2020)$	$\Sigma(2030)^\dagger$	–
	$(20, 1_2^+)$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	$N(2100)^\dagger$	–	–	–	–
		$\frac{3}{2}$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	$N(2040)^\dagger$	–	–	–	–

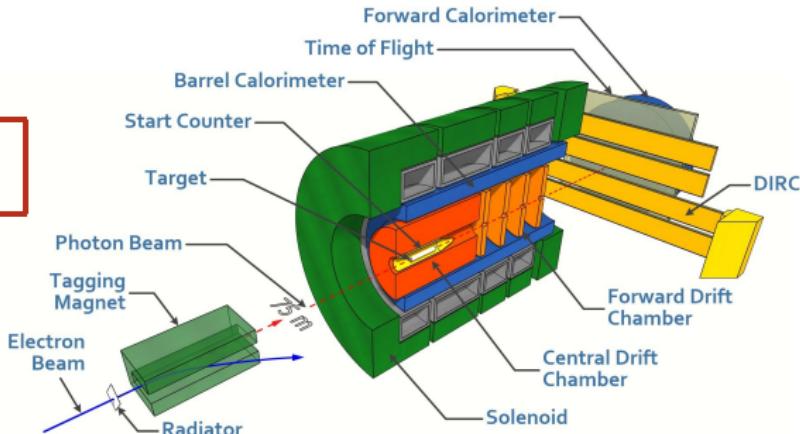
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Hadron Spectroscopy

- $\pi + \text{Nucleus}$

- γp *Photoproduction*

- $e^+ e^-$
- $\bar{p}p$



The GlueX Collaboration

- ~ 135 members, 29 institutions
(Armenia, Canada, Chile, China, Germany, Greece, Russia, UK, USA)
- GlueX phase-I complete (120 PAC days)
- First physics published in 2017

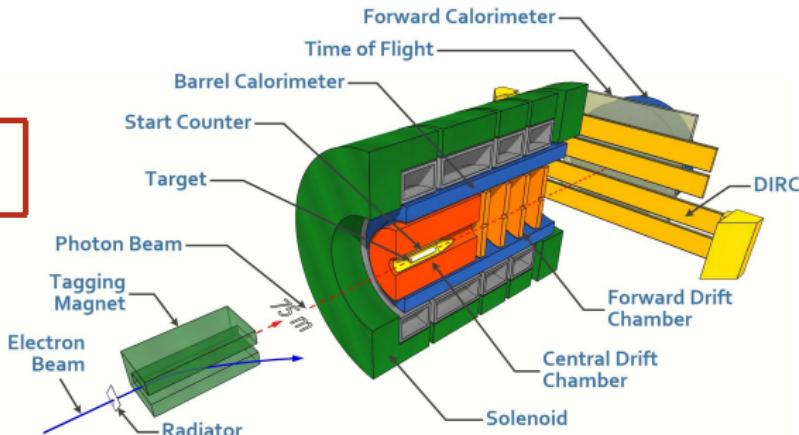


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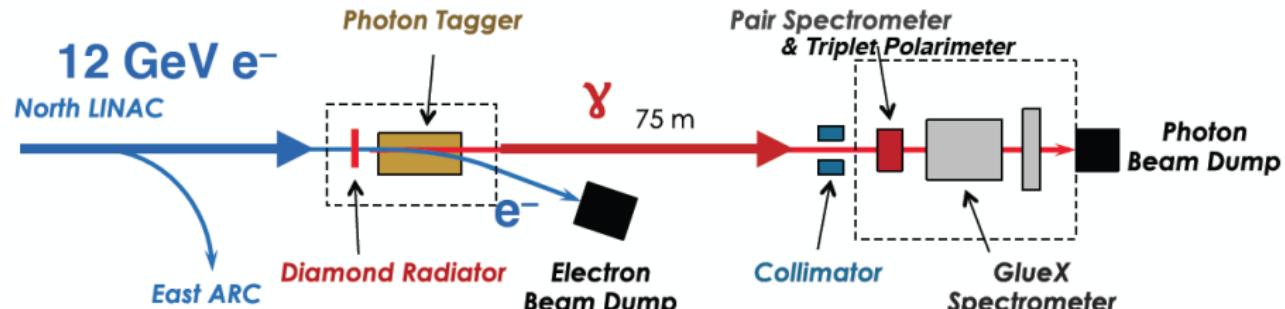


GlueX Presentations at MENU 2023

- Justin Stevens, this session
- William Imoehl, Thursday, 3:10 - 3:30
- Farah Afzal, Thursday, 5:30 - 5:50
- R. Schumacher, Thursday, 5:30 - 5:50

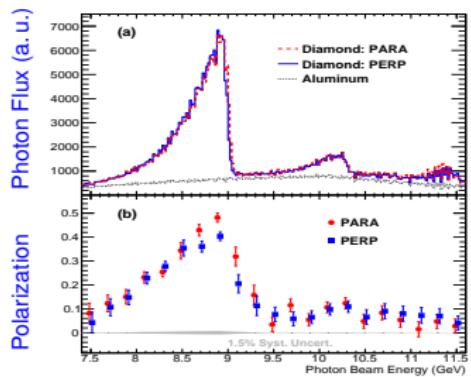


The GlueX Experiment: Photon Beamlne



Polarized photon beam produced via coherent bremsstrahlung off thin diamond radiator:

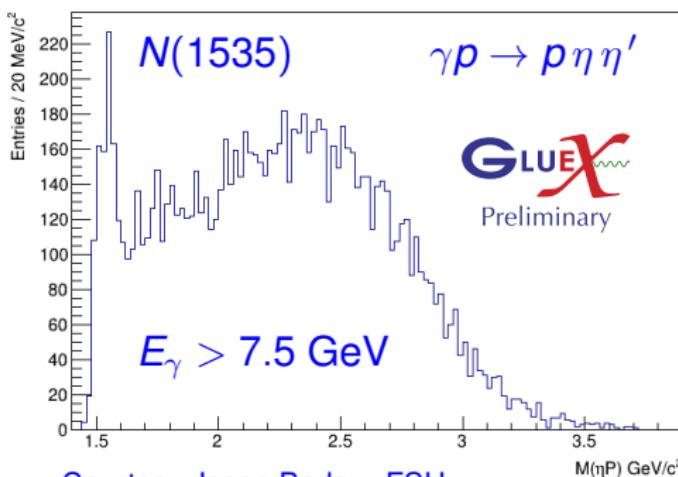
- Tagging system with $\Delta E < 25$ MeV.
- Linear photon polarization of $P_\gamma \approx 40\%$ in the coherent peak.
- Phase-I intensity of $5 \times 10^7 \gamma/\text{s}$ in peak.



N^* Spectroscopy at GlueX

GlueX is not the ideal experiment for N^* spectroscopy without a polarized target.
However,

- N^* resonances are abundantly produced at $E_\gamma > 7$ GeV.
- Interesting program on N^* physics is possible.



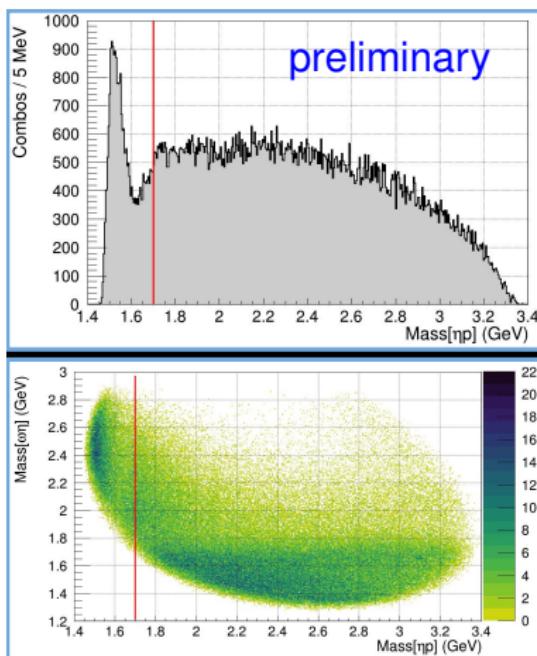
Courtesy Jason Barlow, FSU

Data selection:

- General cuts to improve overall event kinematics (CL, missing mass, etc.).
- No cuts (yet) to enhance $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta' N(1535)$ production.

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Reaction: $\gamma p \rightarrow p \eta \omega$

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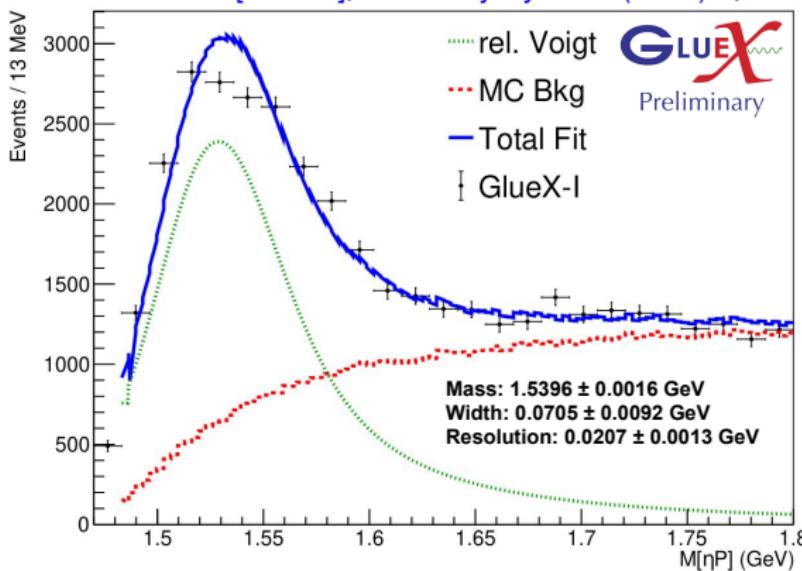
- General cuts to improve overall event kinematics (CL, missing mass, etc.).
- $8.2 \text{ GeV} < E_\gamma < 8.8 \text{ GeV}$
- $-t < 0.6 \text{ GeV}^2$
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V.C. et al. [GlueX], Few Body Syst. 64 (2023) 2, 32



$N(1535)$ BREIT-WIGNER WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
125 to 175 (≈ 150) OUR ESTIMATE			
147 \pm 5	6 HUNT	19	DPWA Multichannel
163 \pm 25	KASHEVAROV	17	DPWA $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p, \eta' p$
120 \pm 10	SOKHOYAN	15a	DPWA Multichannel
131 \pm 12	SHKLYAR	13	DPWA Multichannel
188.4 \pm 3.8	6 ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
240 \pm 80	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
120 \pm 20	HOEHLER	79	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
128 \pm 14	ANISOVICH	12a	DPWA Multichannel
141 \pm 4	SHRESTHA	12a	DPWA Multichannel
182 \pm 25	BATINIC	10	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi\pi, N\eta$
129 \pm 8	PENNER	02c	DPWA Multichannel
95 \pm 25	BAI	01a	BES $J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{p}\eta$
143 \pm 18	THOMPSON	01	CLAS $\gamma^* p \rightarrow p\bar{p}\eta$

Description with rel. Voigtian

Barrier factor of $L = 1$

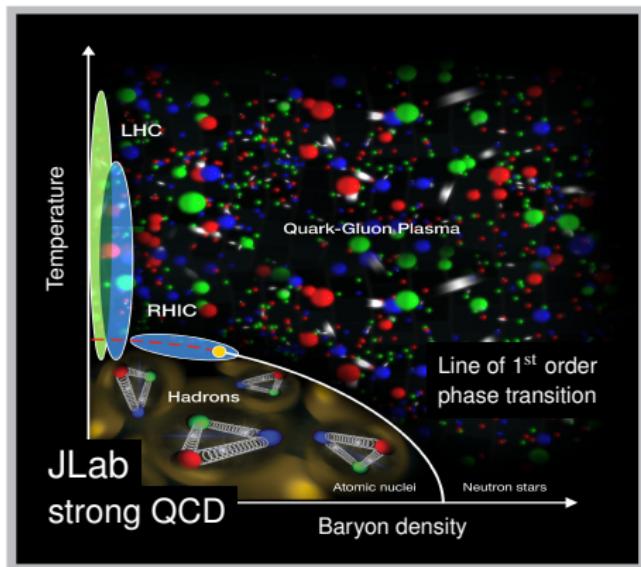
$\eta\omega$ MC background

$M_{\eta\omega} < 2 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

$\rightarrow \Gamma = 70.5 \pm 9.2 \text{ MeV}$

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QCD Phases and the Study of Baryon Resonances

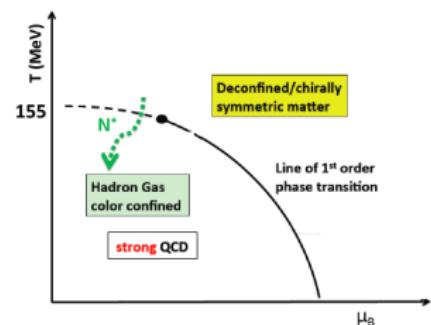


- Chiral symmetry is broken
- Quarks acquire mass
- Baryon resonances occur
- Color confinement emerges

QGP



hadron
phase



RPP (u, d, s, c) baryons not sufficient to describe freeze-out behavior.
(e.g. A. Bazavov *et al.*, PRL 113 (2014) 7, 072001)

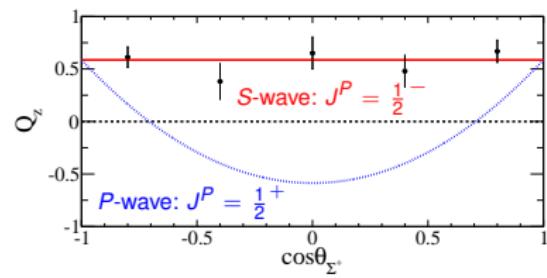
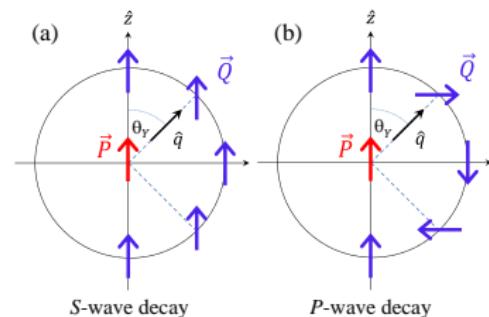
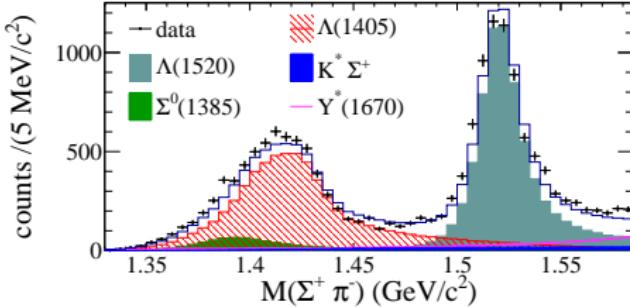
Spin and Parity Measurement of the $\Lambda(1405)$ Baryon

K. Moriya *et al.* [CLAS Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **112**, 082004 (2014)

Data for $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda(1405)$ support

$$J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-$$

- Decay distribution of $\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma^+ \pi^-$ consistent with $J = 1/2$.
- Polarization transfer, \vec{Q} , in $Y^* \rightarrow Y\pi$:
 - S*-wave decay: \vec{Q} independent of θ_Y

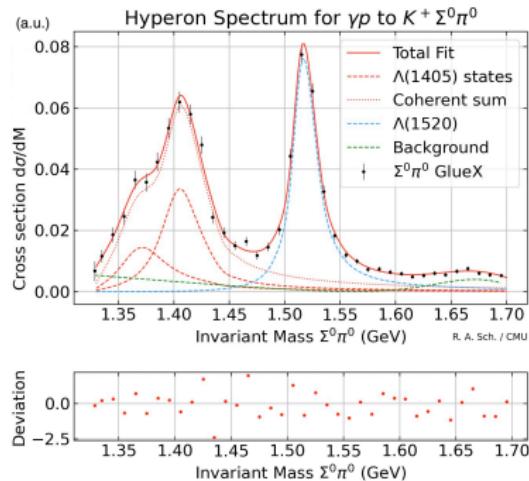


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More coming from GlueX on $\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma^0\pi^0$



- Description based on
 - (1) interfering rel. Breit-Wigners with Flatté amplitudes plus
 - (2) incoherent $\Lambda(1520)$, and
 - (3) further backgrounds.
- Preliminary fit results support the two-pole structure.

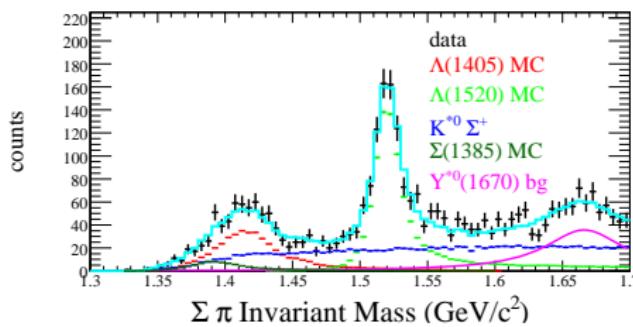
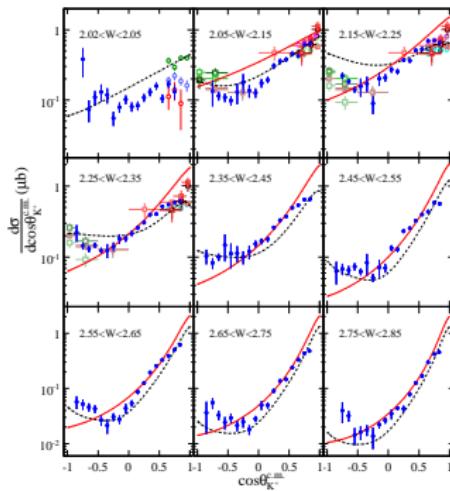
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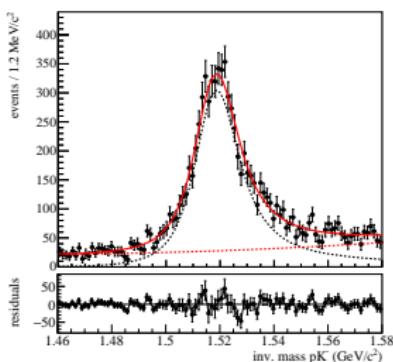
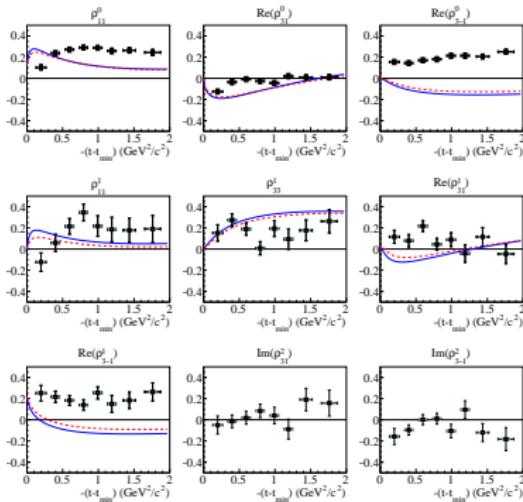
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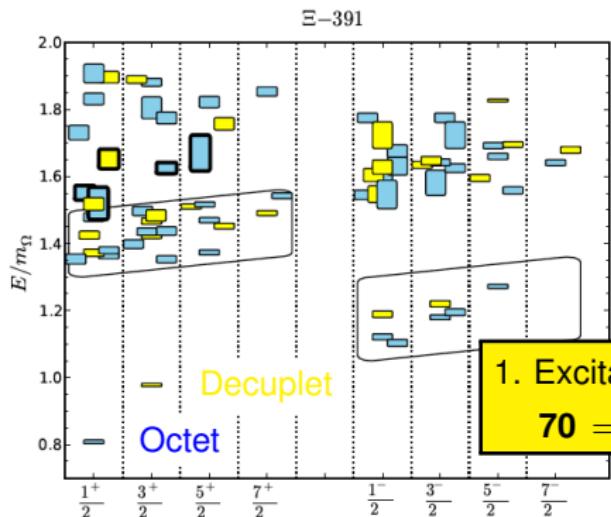
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- Measurement of SDMEs in $\Lambda(1520)$ photoproduction at 8.2–8.8 GeV
 S. Adhikari *et al.* [GlueX Collaboration], Phys. Rev. C **105**, no. 3, 035201 (2022)



$$-(t - t_0) \in [0.3, 0.5] \text{ GeV}^2$$

The Ξ^* and Ω^* Spectrum from Lattice QCD

R. Edwards *et al.*, PRD 87, 054506 (2013)



$\Xi(1320)$	****	$\rightarrow \Lambda\pi$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{1}{2}^+)$
$\Xi(1530)$	****	$\rightarrow \Xi\pi$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{3}{2}^+)$
$\Xi(1620)$	*	$\rightarrow \Xi\pi ?$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{1}{2}^- \text{ or } \frac{1}{2}^+)$
$\Xi(1690)$	***	$\rightarrow Y\bar{K}$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{1}{2}^- ?)$
$\Xi(1820)$	***	$\rightarrow \Lambda\bar{K} !$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{3}{2}^-)$
$\Xi(1950)$	***	$\rightarrow \Xi\pi, Y\bar{K}$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\frac{3}{2}^- ?), \text{"broad"}$
$\Xi(2030)$	***	$\rightarrow Y\bar{K}$	$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2} (\geq \frac{5}{2}?)$

1. Excitation Band: $(70, 1^-)$

$$70 = {}^2\mathbf{10} \oplus {}^4\mathbf{8} \oplus {}^2\mathbf{8} \oplus {}^2\mathbf{1}$$

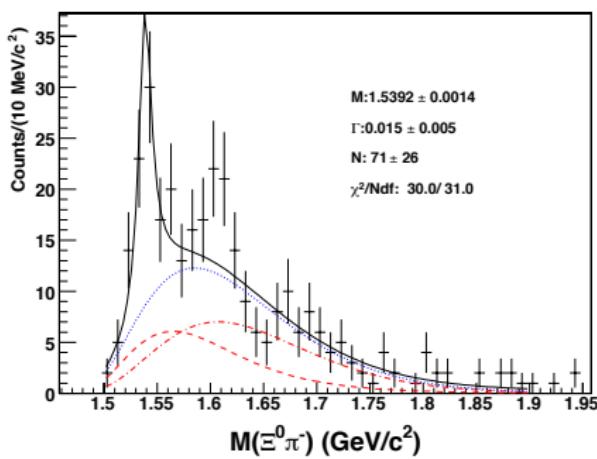
Exhibits broad features expected of $SU(6) \otimes O(3)$ symmetry

- Counting of states of each flavor and spin consistent with QM for the lowest negative- and positive-parity bands.

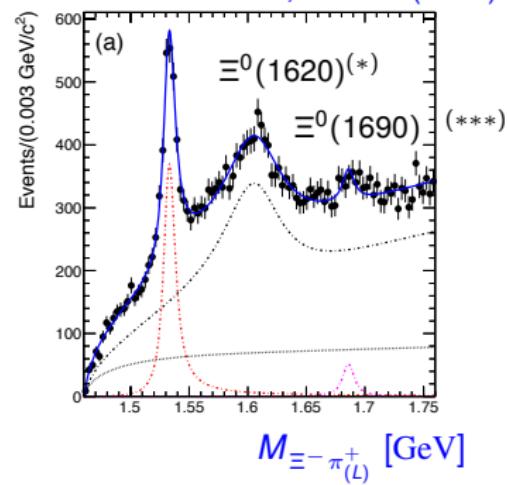
Excited Ξ^* States: 1500 - 1750 Mass Region

From the paper: *Although a small enhancement is observed in the $\Xi^0\pi^-$ invariant mass spectrum near the controversial 1-star $\Xi^-(1620)$ resonance, it is not possible to determine its exact nature without a full partial wave analysis.*

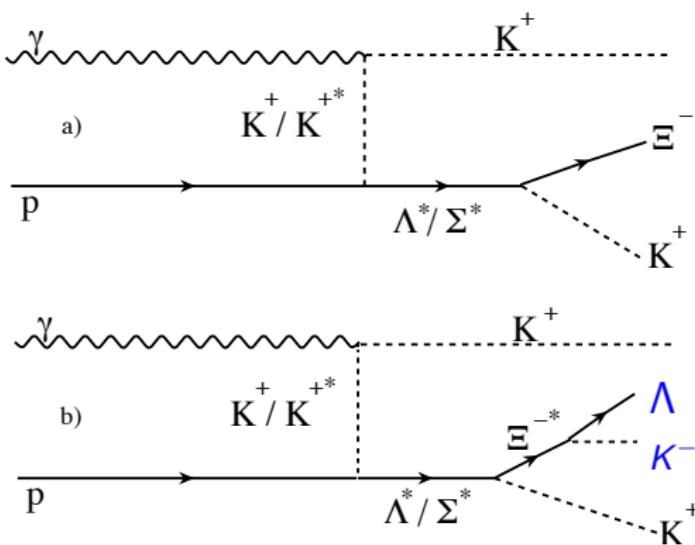
[CLAS], Phys. Rev. C **76**, 025208 (2007)



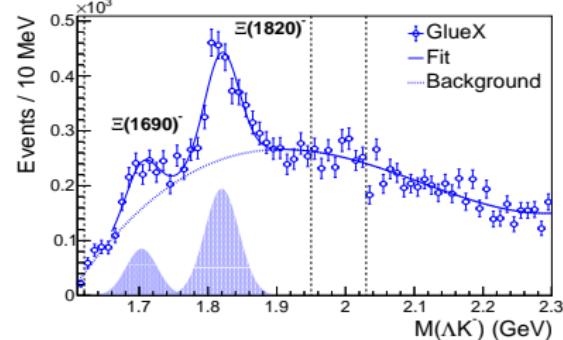
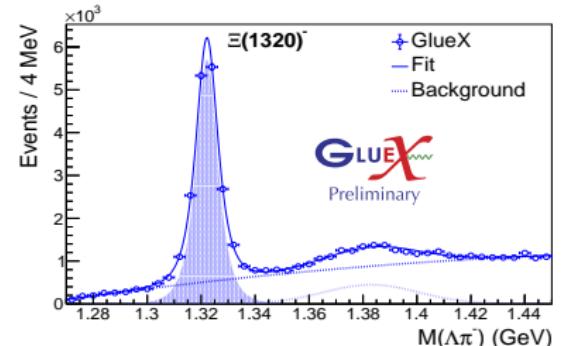
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Possible Production Mechanisms

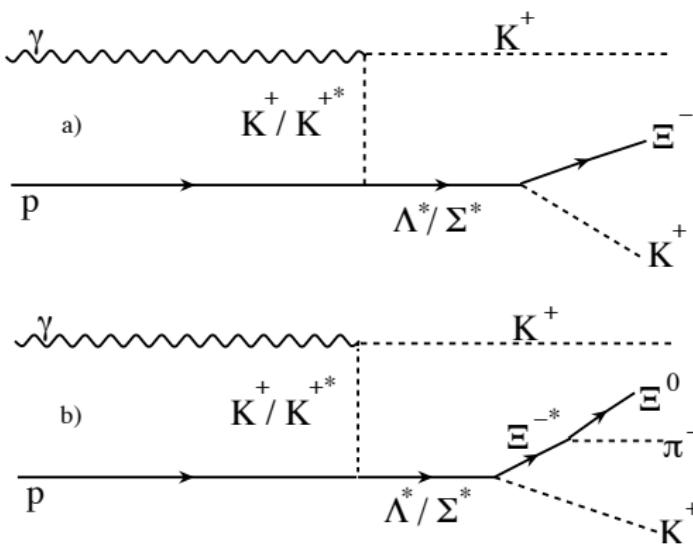


$$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ (K^+ \Xi^{*-}) \rightarrow K^+ (p \pi^- K^-) K^+$$



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Possible Production Mechanisms



$K^+(\Xi^- K^+)$, $K^+(\Xi^0 K^0)$, $K^0(\Xi^0 K^+)$

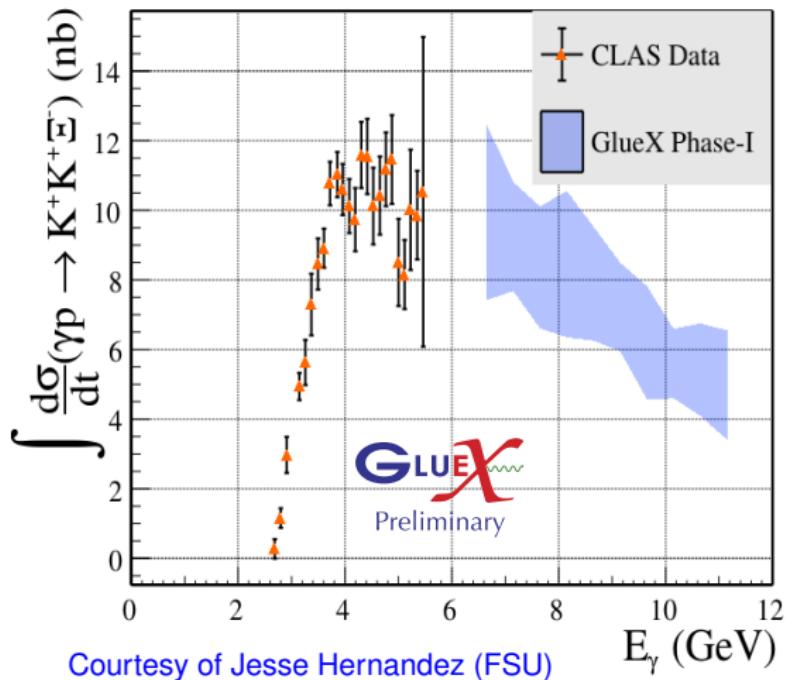
→ Cross sections, beam asymmetries
 (similar to $p\pi\pi$ & pKK^*)

At other facilities (for comparison):

$K^- p \rightarrow K^+ \Xi^{*-}$	J-PARC (2029?)
$K_L p \rightarrow K^+ \Xi^{*0}$	Hall D (2026/30?)
$p p \rightarrow \Xi^* X$	LHCb
$\bar{p} p \rightarrow \Xi^* \bar{\Xi}$	PANDA ?
$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \Xi^* X$	Belle II, BES III

* W. Roberts *et al.*, Phys. Rev. C 71, 055201 (2005)

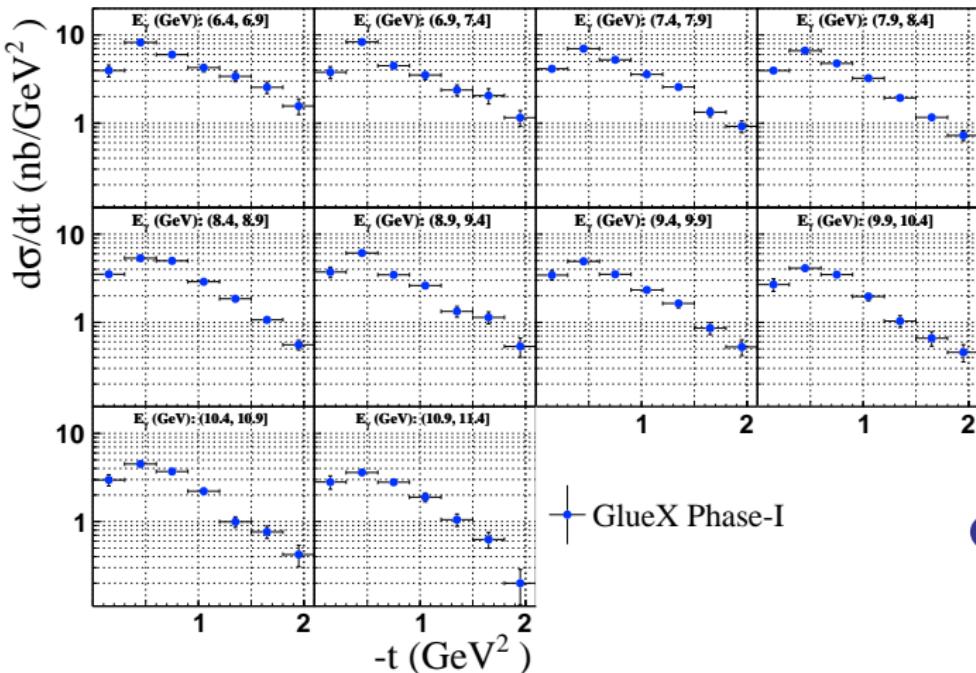
GlueX: Cross Sections in $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \Xi(1320)^-$



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GLUEX
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Outline

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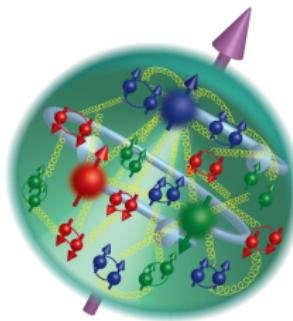
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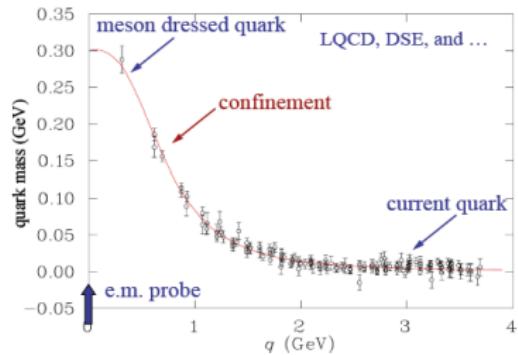
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4 Summary and Conclusions



Open Issues in (Light) Baryon Spectroscopy

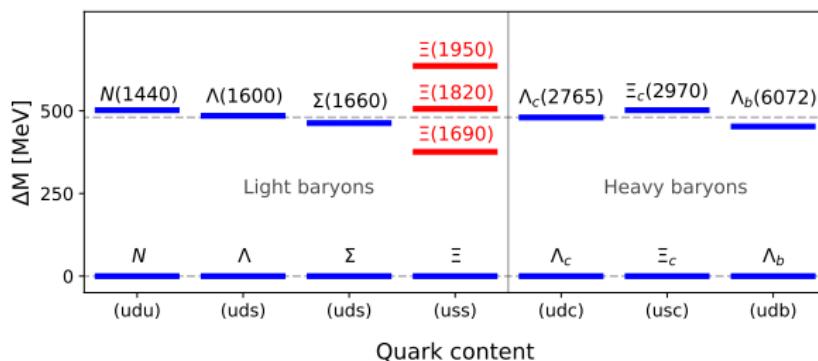
- 1 What are the relevant degrees of freedom in (excited) baryons?
 - Can the high-mass states be described by the dynamics of three flavored quarks? To what extent are diquark correlations, gluonic modes or hadronic degrees of freedom important in this physics?
- 2 Can we identify unconventional states in the strangeness sector, e.g. a $\Lambda(1405)$ or $N(1440)$? What is the situation with the $(\mathbf{20}, \mathbf{1}_2^+)$?
- 3 What is the nature of non-quark contributions, e.g. meson-baryon cloud or dynamically-generated states?
 - Probe the running quark mass and determine the relevant degrees of freedom at different distance scales.
- 4 How do nearly massless quarks acquire mass? (as predicted in DSE and LQCD)



Summary and Conclusions

Spectroscopy of (low-mass) Ξ resonances very important to understand the systematics of the baryon spectrum:

- What about the properties of the $\Xi(1620)$ / $\Xi(1690)$ states?
- Is the $\Xi(1620)$ more than one state? Is the $\Xi(1620)$ the doubly strange partner of the $\Lambda(1405)$?
- Where is the radial excitation of the $\Xi(1320)$?



Radial Excitations
(Roper-like states)
for the octet members
with $J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+$

Arifi et al., PRD 105, 094006

Opportunities with Secondary K_L^0 Beams in Hall D

Possible reactions to be studied (elastic and charge-exchange reactions):

- 2- & 3-body reactions producing $S = -1$ hyperons
- 2-body reactions producing $S = -2$ hyperons
 $\rightarrow K_L^0 p \rightarrow K^+ \Xi^0; \pi^+ K^+ \Xi^-; K^+ \Xi^{0*}; \pi^+ K^+ \Xi^{-*}$
- 3-body reactions producing $S = -3$ hyperons
 $\rightarrow K_L^0 p \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \Omega^-; K^+ K^+ \Omega^{-*}$

