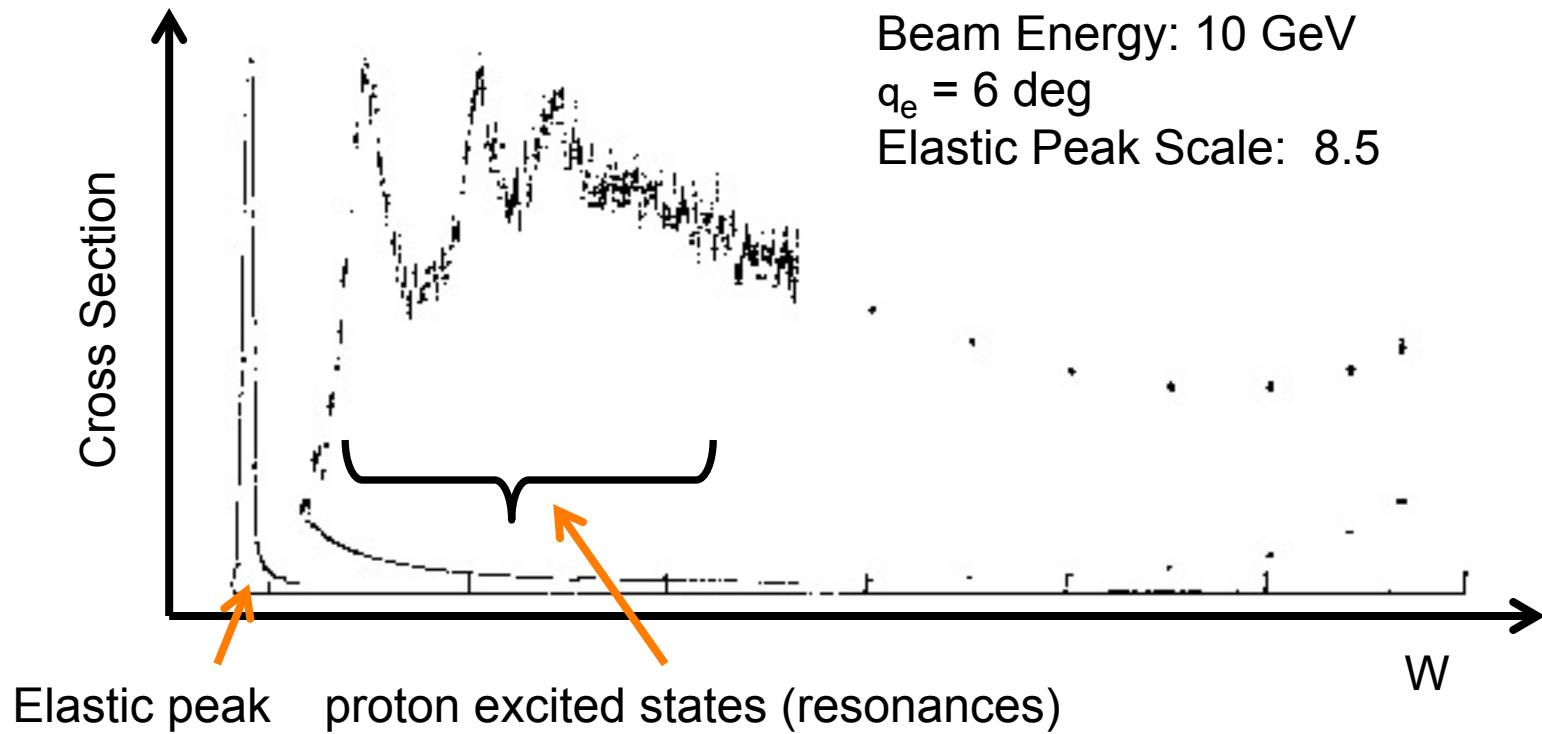


Nucleon Resonances

Gail Dodge

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Inclusive Electron Scattering on the Proton



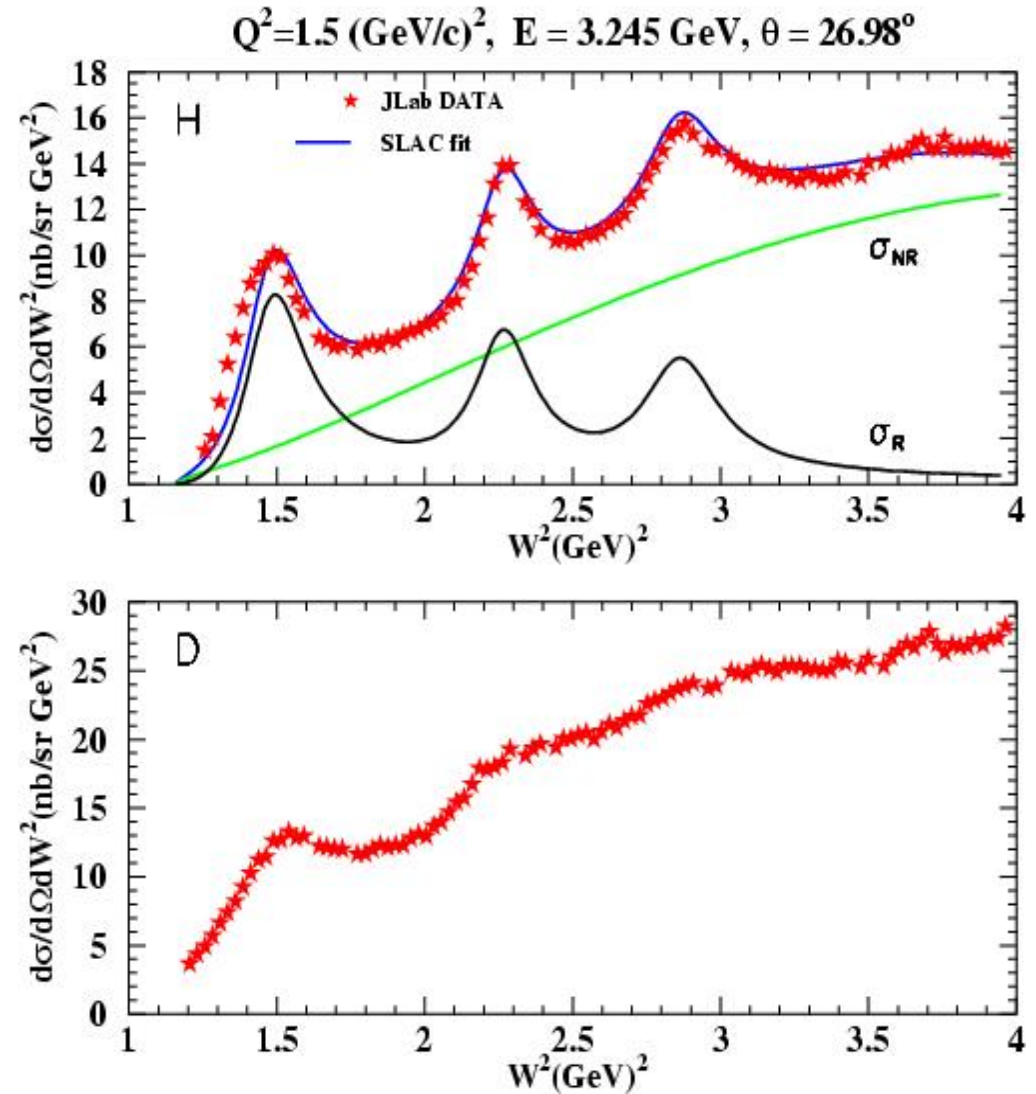
First excited state is a Delta resonance (Δ)

Neutron excitations are harder to study

Elastic peak not shown

Note W^2 on the x-axis

Fermi motion of the proton and neutron in the deuteron smears out the structure



Notation

Originates with πN scattering

L is the orbital angular momentum between the π and nucleon

Label resonance by via **production** mechanism:

$$L_{2l,2J}$$

Pion has isospin 1, spin 0

In 2012 PDG changed to label resonance by the spin and parity of the **state**:

Originally : $\Delta(1232) P_{33}$

Now PDG lists: $\Delta(1232) 3/2^+$ Parity:

More notation: N or N* is a resonance with isospin = $1/2$ (strangeness = 0)
 Δ has isospin = $3/2$ (strangeness = 0)

Resonances in the PDG (2014)

“Resonances are defined by poles of the S -matrix, whether in scattering, production or decay matrix elements. These are poles in the complex plane in s , as discussed in the new review on *Resonances*. As traditional we quote here the pole positions in the complex energy $w = \sqrt{s}$ plane. Crucially, the position of the pole of the S -matrix is independent of the process, and the production and decay properties factorize. This is the rationale for listing the pole position first for each resonance.”

$\Delta(1232) 3/2^+$

$$I(J^P) = \frac{3}{2}(\frac{3}{2}^+)$$

Breit-Wigner mass (mixed charges) = 1230 to 1234 (≈ 1232) MeV

Breit-Wigner full width (mixed charges) = 114 to 120 (≈ 117) MeV

$$p_{\text{beam}} = 0.30 \text{ GeV}/c \quad 4\pi\lambda^2 = 94.8 \text{ mb}$$

Re(pole position) = 1209 to 1211 (≈ 1210) MeV

$-2\text{Im}(\text{pole position}) = 98 \text{ to } 102 (\approx 100) \text{ MeV}$

ρ	$1/2^+$	****	$\Delta(1232)$	$3/2^+$	****	Σ^+	$1/2^+$	****	Ξ^0	$1/2^-$
n	$1/2^+$	****	$\Delta(1600)$	$3/2^+$	***	Σ^0	$1/2^+$	****	Ξ^-	$1/2^-$
$N(1440)$	$1/2^+$	****	$\Delta(1620)$	$1/2^-$	****	Σ^-	$1/2^+$	****	$\Xi(1530)$	$3/2^-$
$N(1520)$	$3/2^-$	****	$\Delta(1700)$	$3/2^-$	****	$\Sigma(1385)$	$3/2^+$	****	$\Xi(1620)$	
$N(1535)$	$1/2^-$	****	$\Delta(1750)$	$1/2^+$	*	$\Sigma(1480)$		*	$\Xi(1690)$	
$N(1650)$	$1/2^-$	****	$\Delta(1900)$	$1/2^-$	**	$\Sigma(1560)$		**	$\Xi(1820)$	$3/2^-$
$N(1675)$	$5/2^-$	****	$\Delta(1905)$	$5/2^+$	****	$\Sigma(1580)$	$3/2^-$	*	$\Xi(1950)$	
$N(1680)$	$5/2^+$	****	$\Delta(1910)$	$1/2^+$	****	$\Sigma(1620)$	$1/2^-$	*	$\Xi(2030)$	$\geq \frac{5}{2}$
$N(1685)$		*	$\Delta(1920)$	$3/2^+$	***	$\Sigma(1660)$	$1/2^+$	***	$\Xi(2120)$	
$N(1700)$	$3/2^-$	***	$\Delta(1930)$	$5/2^-$	***	$\Sigma(1670)$	$3/2^-$	****	$\Xi(2250)$	
$N(1710)$	$1/2^+$	***	$\Delta(1940)$	$3/2^-$	**	$\Sigma(1690)$		**	$\Xi(2370)$	
$N(1720)$	$3/2^+$	****	$\Delta(1950)$	$7/2^+$	****	$\Sigma(1730)$	$3/2^+$	*	$\Xi(2500)$	
$N(1860)$	$5/2^+$	**	$\Delta(2000)$	$5/2^+$	**	$\Sigma(1750)$	$1/2^-$	***		
$N(1875)$	$3/2^-$	***	$\Delta(2150)$	$1/2^-$	*	$\Sigma(1770)$	$1/2^+$	*	Ω^-	$3/2^-$
$N(1880)$	$1/2^+$	**	$\Delta(2200)$	$7/2^-$	*	$\Sigma(1775)$	$5/2^-$	****	$\Omega(2250)^-$	
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$	**	$\Delta(2300)$	$9/2^+$	**	$\Sigma(1840)$	$3/2^+$	*	$\Omega(2380)^-$	
$N(1900)$	$3/2^+$	***	$\Delta(2350)$	$5/2^-$	*	$\Sigma(1880)$	$1/2^+$	**	$\Omega(2470)^-$	
$N(1990)$	$7/2^+$	**	$\Delta(2390)$	$7/2^+$	*	$\Sigma(1900)$	$1/2^-$	*		
$N(2000)$	$5/2^+$	**	$\Delta(2400)$	$9/2^-$	**	$\Sigma(1915)$	$5/2^+$	****		
$N(2040)$	$3/2^+$	*	$\Delta(2420)$	$11/2^+$	****	$\Sigma(1940)$	$3/2^+$	*		
$N(2060)$	$5/2^-$	**	$\Delta(2750)$	$13/2^-$	**	$\Sigma(1940)$	$3/2^-$	***		
$N(2100)$	$1/2^+$	*	$\Delta(2950)$	$15/2^+$	**	$\Sigma(2000)$	$1/2^-$	*		
$N(2120)$	$3/2^-$	**				$\Sigma(2030)$	$7/2^+$	****		
$N(2190)$	$7/2^-$	****	Λ	$1/2^+$	****	$\Sigma(2070)$	$5/2^+$	*		
$N(2220)$	$9/2^+$	****	$\Lambda(1405)$	$1/2^-$	****	$\Sigma(2080)$	$3/2^+$	**		

3 and 4 star resonances are listed in the PDG Tables

N BARYONS
($S = 0, I = 1/2$)
 $p, N^+ = uud; n, N^0 = udd$

p $I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}^+)$
Mass $m = 1.00727646681 \pm 0.00000000009$ u
Mass $m = 938.272046 \pm 0.000021$ MeV [a]

Λ BARYONS
($S = -1, I = 0$)
 $\Lambda^0 = uds$

Λ $I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$
Mass $m = 1115.683 \pm 0.006$ MeV

Δ BARYONS
($S = 0, I = 3/2$)
 $\Delta^{++} = uuu, \Delta^+ = uud, \Delta^0 = udd, \Delta^- = ddd$

$\Delta(1232) 3/2^+$ $I(J^P) = \frac{3}{2}(\frac{3}{2}^+)$

Σ BARYONS
($S = -1, I = 1$)
 $\Sigma^+ = uus, \Sigma^0 = uds, \Sigma^- = dds$

Σ^+ $I(J^P) = 1(\frac{1}{2}^+)$
Mass $m = 1189.37 \pm 0.07$ MeV ($S = 2.2$)
Mean life $\tau = (0.8018 \pm 0.0026) \times 10^{-10}$ s

Ω BARYONS
($S = -3, I = 0$)
 $\Omega^- = sss$

CHARMED BARYONS
($C = +1$)
 $\Lambda_c^+ = udc, \Sigma_c^{++} = uuc, \Sigma_c^+ = udc, \Sigma_c^0 = ddc,$
 $\Xi_c^+ = usc, \Xi_c^0 = dsc, \Omega_c^0 = ssc$

S-Matrix, Breit-Wigner

$$S_{ab} = I_{ab} - 2i\sqrt{\rho_a}\mathcal{M}_{ab}\sqrt{\rho_b} \quad \rho_a(s) = \frac{1}{16\pi} \frac{2|\vec{q}_a|}{\sqrt{s}}$$

$$\mathcal{M} = \mathcal{M}^{\text{b.g.}} + \mathcal{M}^{\text{pole}}$$

$$\sqrt{s_R} = M_R - i\Gamma_R/2 \quad \text{Mass and width of resonance}$$

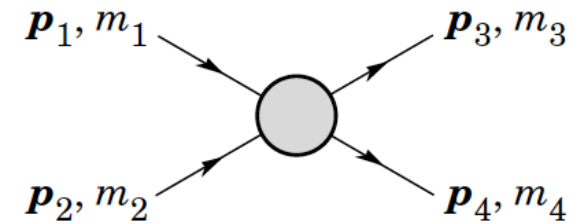
↑ The lifetime of the resonance/state is $\tau = \frac{\hbar}{\Gamma}$

Location of pole for resonance R in complex s- plane

In the limit of one isolated resonance $M_R = M_{\text{BW}}$

$$\mathcal{M}_{ba}^{\text{pole}} \Big|_{N=1} = - \frac{g_b g_a}{s - M_{\text{BW}}^2 + i\sqrt{s}\Gamma_{\text{BW}}}$$

g_a = coupling of resonance to channel a



$$s = (p_1 + p_2)^2 = (p_3 + p_4)^2$$

$$t = (p_1 - p_3)^2 = (p_2 - p_4)^2$$

$$u = (p_1 - p_4)^2 = (p_2 - p_3)^2$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = \frac{1}{64\pi s} \frac{1}{|p_{1\text{cm}}|^2} |\mathcal{M}|^2$$

A Breit-Wigner fit is problematic if there are overlapping resonances and/or thresholds for new channels opening up and backgrounds that vary over the width of the resonance. Some theorists use the K-matrix or T-matrix.

For comparison, see

Workman, PRC 79, 038201 (2009)

Workman, PRC 59, 3441 (1999)

Partial Wave Analysis

$$f(\theta) = \sum_{\ell} \sqrt{4\pi(2\ell+1)} f_{\ell} Y_{\ell 0}(\theta)$$

f_{ℓ} is the complex scattering amplitude for the ℓ th partial wave

$$f_{\ell} = \frac{1}{2ik} (\eta_{\ell} e^{2i\delta_{\ell}} - 1)$$

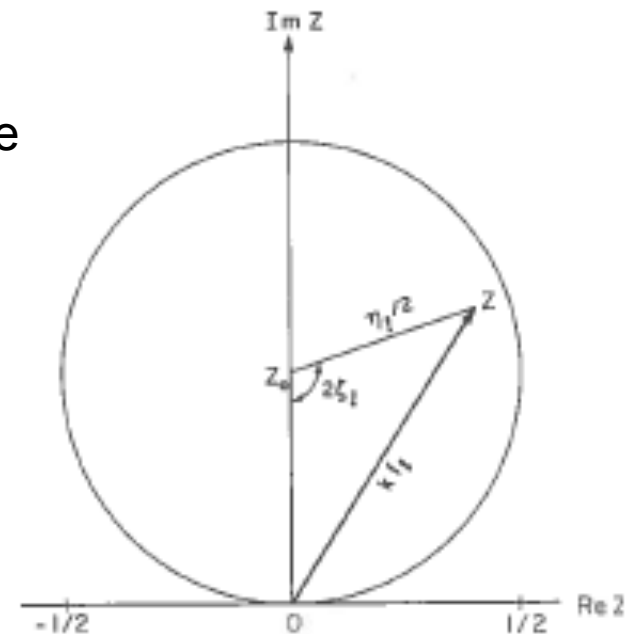
k is the c.m. momentum
 η_{ℓ} is the inelasticity parameter (=1 for elastic scattering)
 δ_{ℓ} is the phase shift

Plot $z = kf_{\ell} = \frac{1}{2i} (\eta_{\ell} e^{2i\delta_{\ell}} - 1)$ in the complex plane

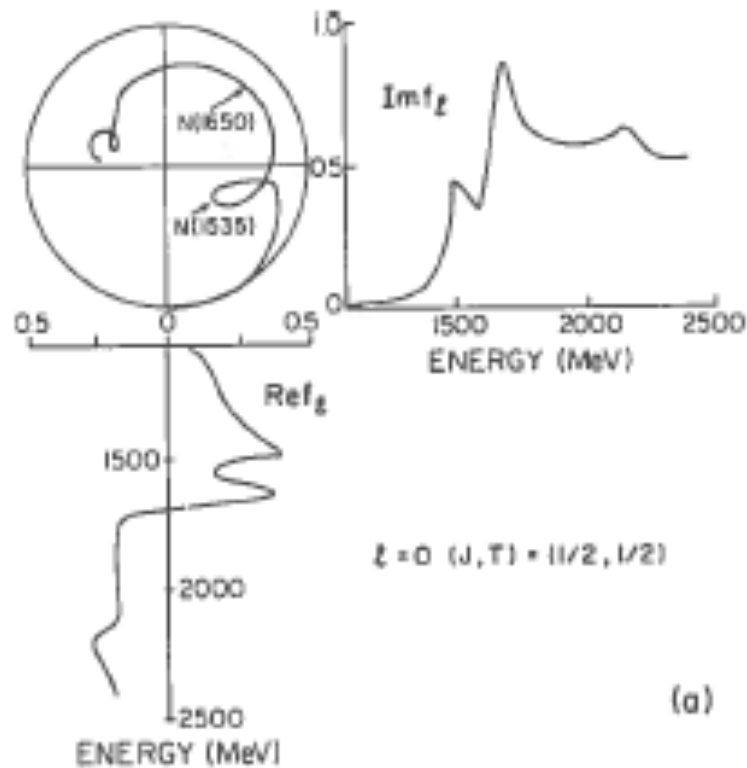
Unit circle centered at $(0, 1/2i)$

If $\eta_{\ell} = 1$, z traces the circumference of the circle

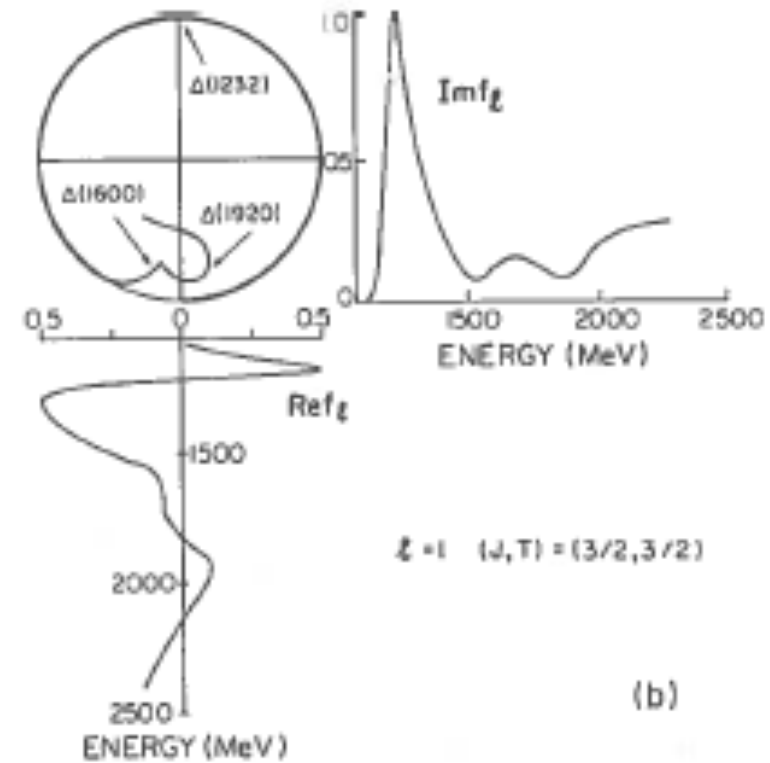
If the phase shift is small, then z is almost entirely real. If phase shift is $\pi/2$, z is almost entirely imaginary and there may be a resonance.



Argand Diagram



(a)

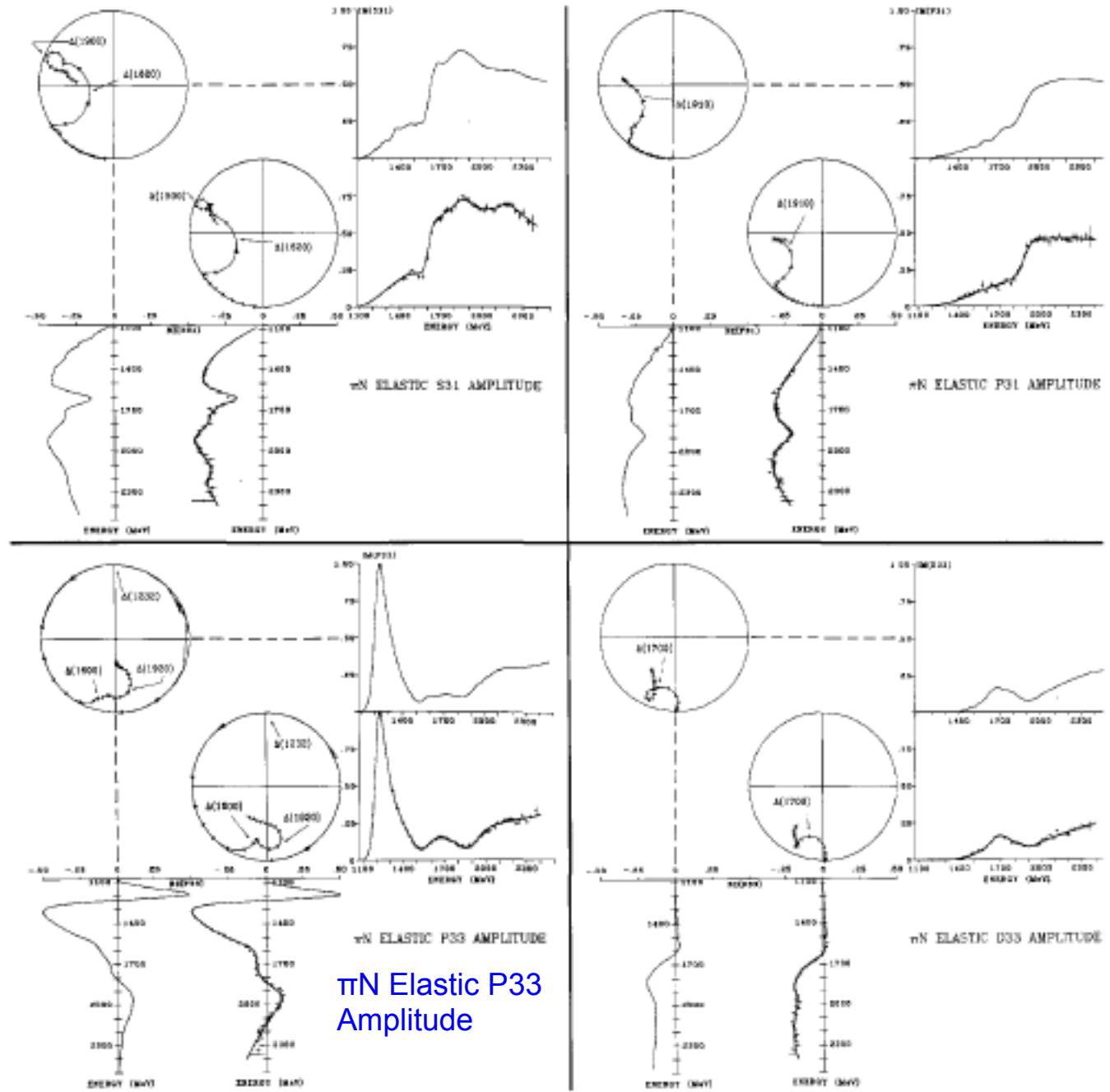


(b)

Peak of the resonance is when $\text{Re}(z)$ changes sign
Usually use steps of 50 MeV to trace out the scattering amplitude

PDG 1986

Argand diagrams for all the major resonances

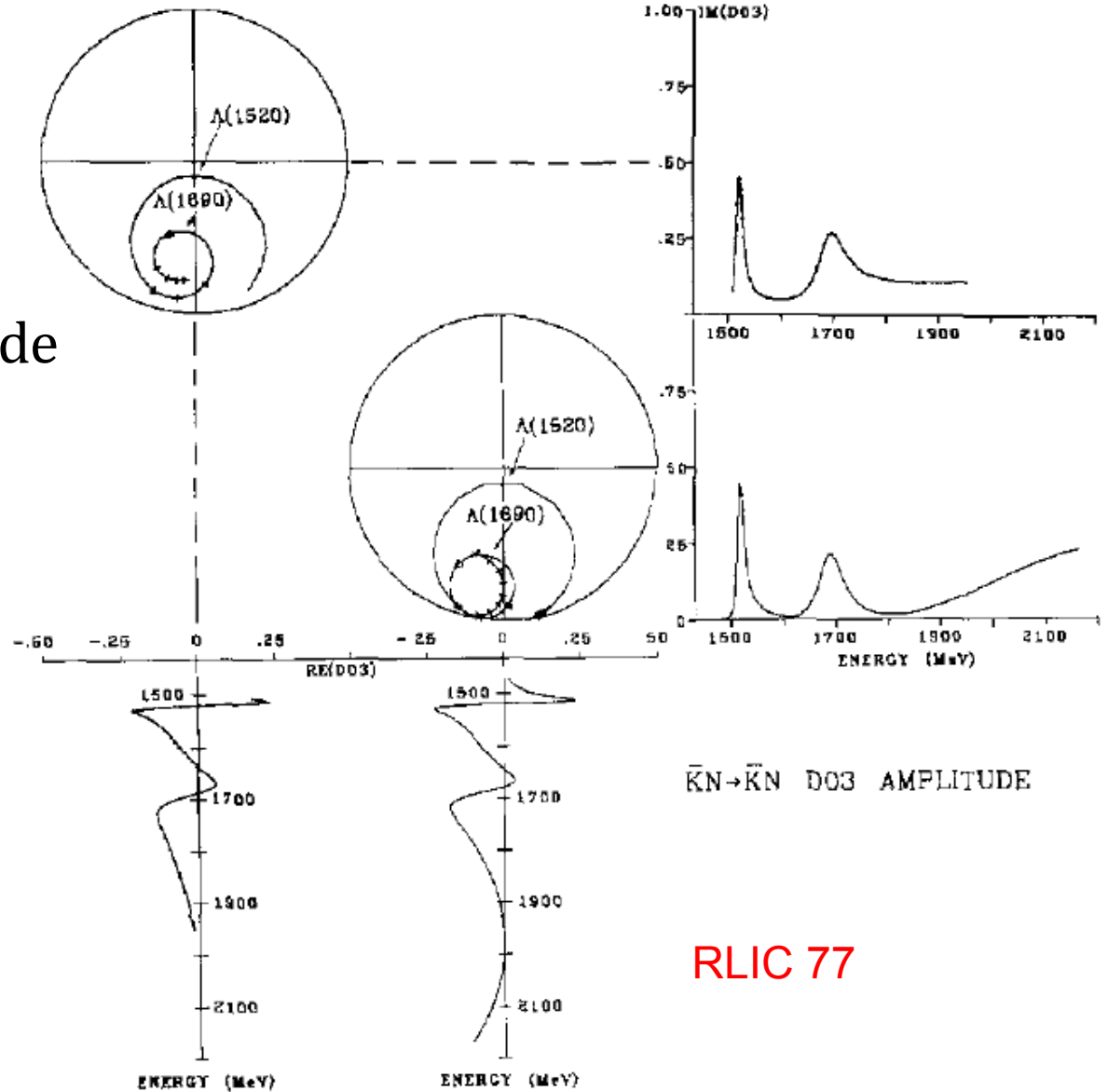


πN Elastic P33
Amplitude

More Argand – D_{03}

Alston 78

$\bar{K}N \rightarrow \bar{K}N$ D_{03} Amplitude



$\bar{K}N \rightarrow \bar{K}N$ D_{03} AMPLITUDE

RLIC 77

Quark Model

Table 15.1: Additive quantum numbers of the quarks.

	<i>d</i>	<i>u</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>t</i>
Q – electric charge	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$
I – isospin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
I_z – isospin <i>z</i> -component	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
S – strangeness	0	0	-1	0	0	0
C – charm	0	0	0	+1	0	0
B – bottomness	0	0	0	0	-1	0
T – topness	0	0	0	0	0	+1

Each quark has baryon number $B = 1/3$; Anti-quarks have opposite quantum numbers

$$Y = B + S - \frac{C - B + T}{3} \quad Q = I_z + \frac{B + S + C + B + T}{2}$$

Multiplets

$$|qqq\rangle_A = |\text{color}\rangle_A \times |\text{space, spin, flavor}\rangle_S$$

$$3 \otimes 3 \otimes 3 = 10_S \oplus 8_M \oplus 8_M \oplus 1_A$$

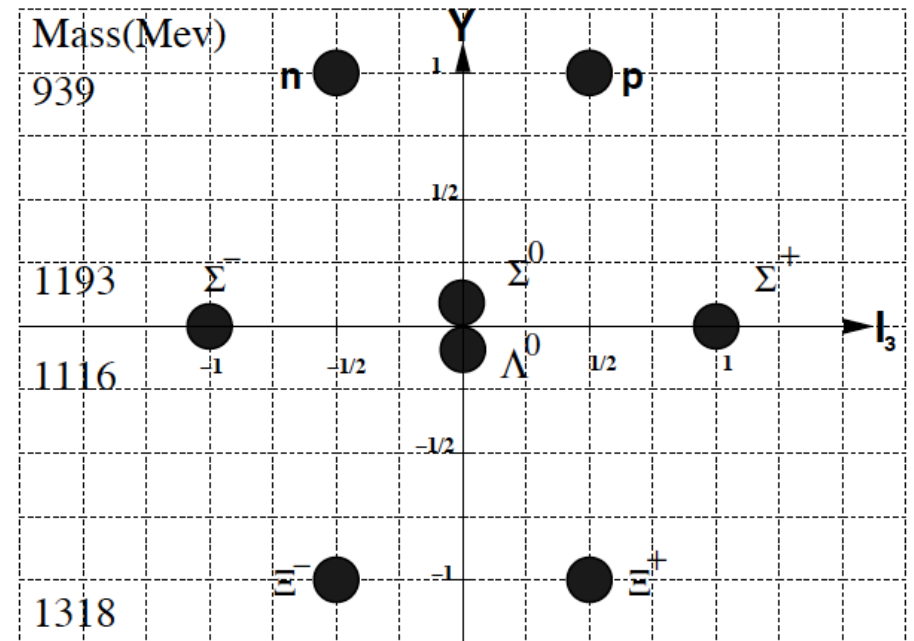
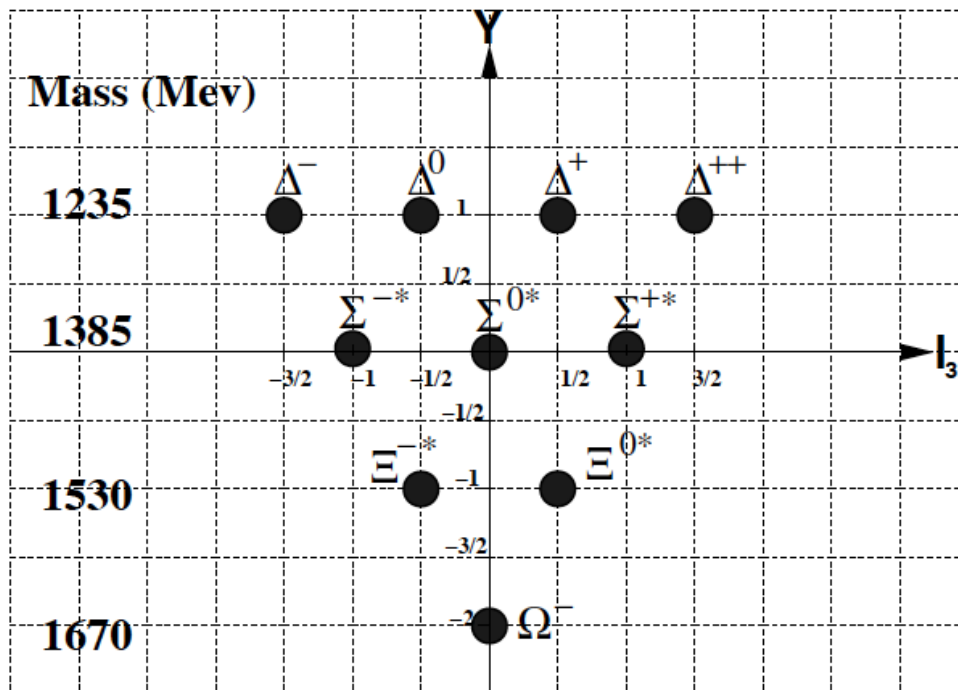
Observed Λ is a mixture of Λ_1 and Λ_8 .
 States of same spin and parity can mix.

$\Lambda_1 = uds$

$\Lambda_8 = uds$

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

$$J^P = 1/2^+$$



Adding Spin

3 flavors times 2 spins – like 6 independent particles

$$6 \otimes 6 \otimes 6 = 56_S \oplus 70_M \oplus 70_M \oplus 20_A \quad \text{spatial symmetry}$$

$$56 = {}^4 10 \oplus {}^2 8$$

L=0 “ground state”; has Δ decuplet (times 4 spin states) and nucleon octet (times 2 spin states)

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

The superscript is $2S + 1$

$$20 = {}^2 8 \oplus {}^4 1,$$

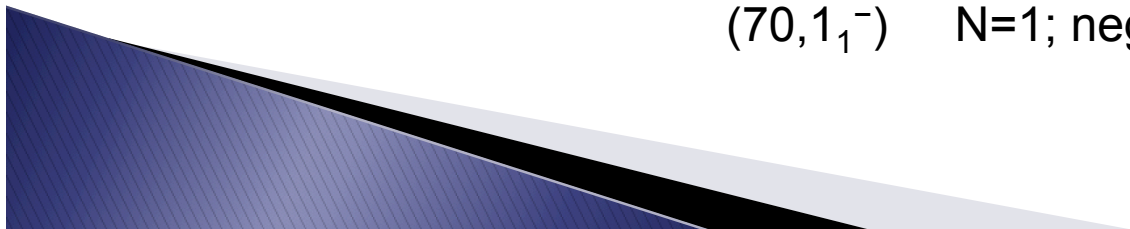
N denotes excitation bands

N = 0 has 56-plet with nucleon and Δ

Notation (D, L_N^P)

$(56, 0_0^+)$ N=0; Nucleon and Δ

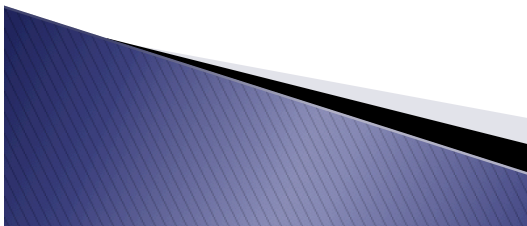
$(70, 1_1^-)$ N=1; negative parity states below 1.9 GeV



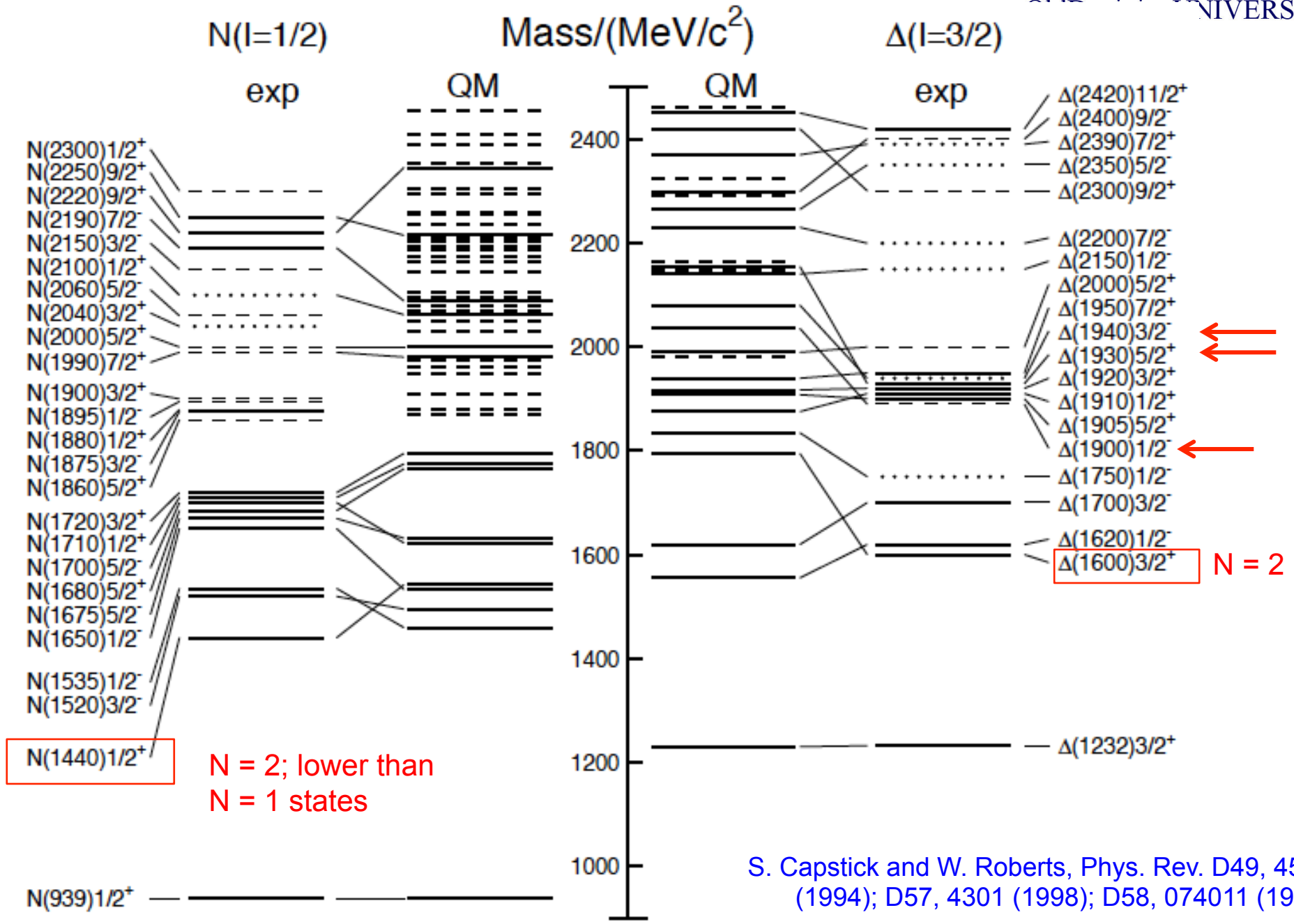
Quark Model Assignments

Table 15.5: N and Δ states in the $N=0,1,2$ harmonic oscillator bands. L^P denotes angular momentum and parity, S the three-quark spin and 'sym'=A,S,M the symmetry of the spatial wave function. Only dominant components indicated. Assignments in the $N=2$ band are partly tentative.

N	sym	L^P	S	$N(I = 1/2)$			$\Delta(I = 3/2)$		
2	A	1^+	$1/2$	$1/2^+$	$3/2^+$				
2	M	2^+	$3/2$	$1/2^+$	$3/2^+$	$5/2^+$	$7/2^+$		
2	M	2^+	$1/2$		$3/2^+$	$5/2^+$		$3/2^+$	$5/2^+$
2	M	0^+	$3/2$		$3/2^+$				
2	M	0^+	$1/2$	$1/2^+$				$1/2^+$	
				$N(1710)$				$\Delta(1750)$	
2	S	2^+	$3/2$					$1/2^+$	$3/2^+$
								$5/2^+$	$7/2^+$
								$\Delta(1910)$	$\Delta(1920)$
								$\Delta(1905)$	$\Delta(1950)$
2	S	2^+	$1/2$		$3/2^+$	$5/2^+$			
					$N(1720)$	$N(1680)$			
2	S	0^+	$3/2$					$3/2^+$	
								$\Delta(1600)$	
2	S	0^+	$1/2$	$1/2^+$					
				$N(1440)$					
1	M	1^-	$3/2$	$1/2^-$	$3/2^-$	$5/2^-$			
				$N(1650)$	$N(1700)$	$N(1675)$			
1	M	1^-	$1/2$	$1/2^-$	$3/2^-$			$1/2^-$	$3/2^-$
				$N(1535)$	$N(1520)$			$\Delta(1620)$	$\Delta(1700)$
0	S	0^+	$3/2$					$3/2^+$	
								$\Delta(1232)$	
0	S	0^+	$1/2$	$1/2^+$					
				$N(938)$					

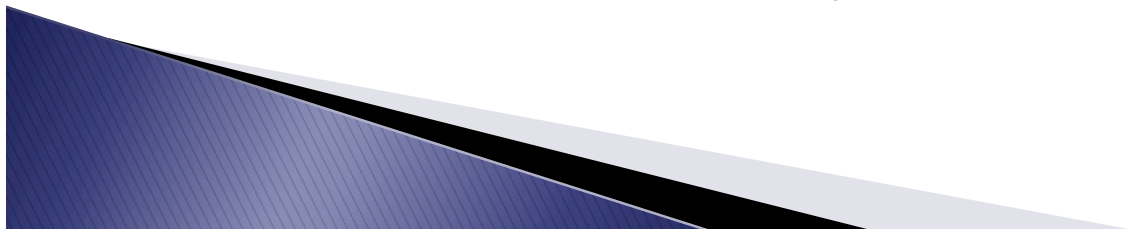


Comparison to Reality – from PDG



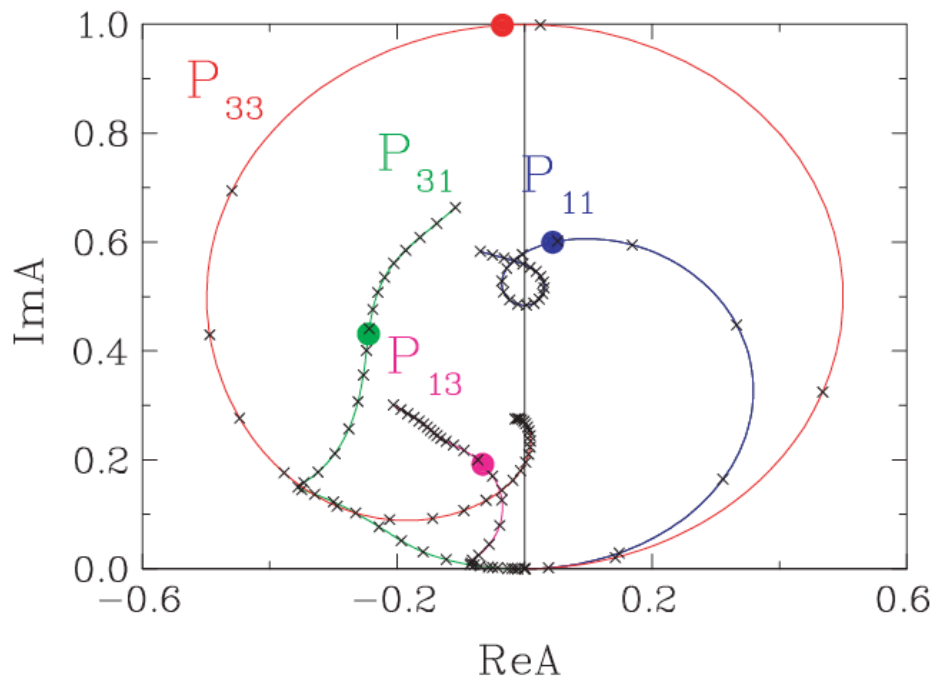
Missing Resonances

- ▶ Clearly there are many resonances that have not been observed.
- ▶ GWU 2006 fit finds fewer resonances than have been reported previously. No evidence for almost half of the states listed on previous page. But resonances which do not couple strongly to πN may not be seen here.
- ▶ Photo and electro production data are relatively recent and just now being analyzed as part of global fits.
- ▶ Jlab has reported evidence for a few missing resonances. See, e.g., Burkert: Mesons 2012
- ▶ Di-quark model postulates that two of the three quarks are coupled, which then limits the available degrees of freedom and would predict fewer resonances. Even the di-quark model predicts more states than we see. So far lattice QCD does not favor di-quark type models.

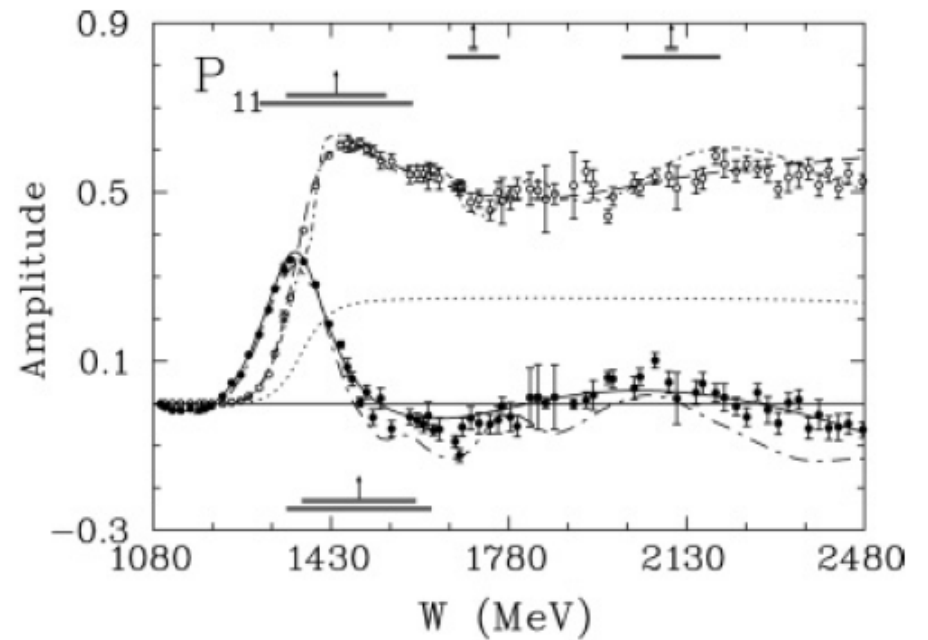
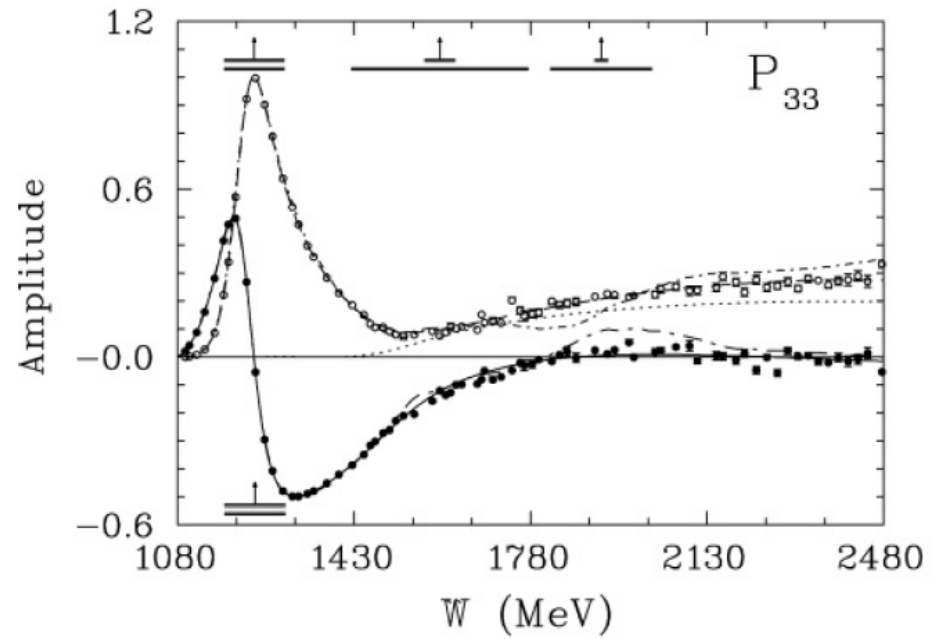


GWU fit to data 2006

PRC 74, 045205 (2006)



Solid dot gives BW mass from fit



A new resonance?

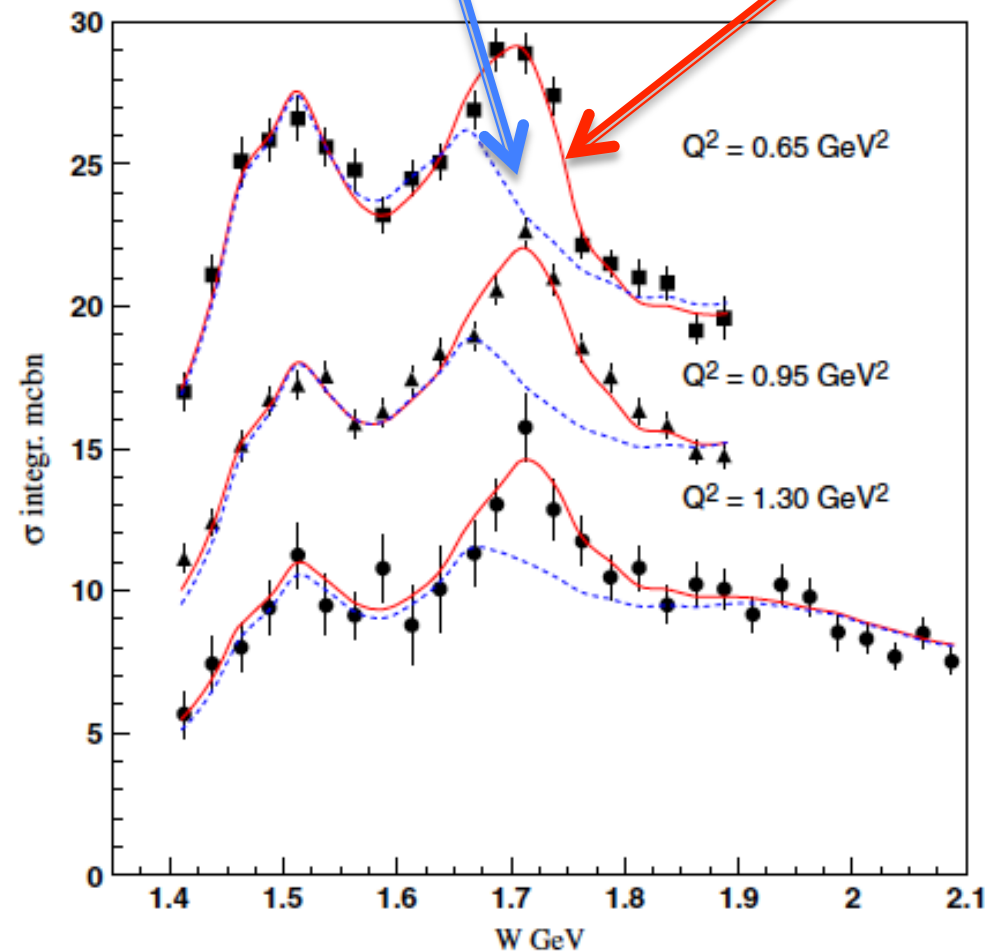
Electroproduction to $\pi^+\pi^-\rho$ channel

Data: Ripani, PRL 91, 022002

Analysis: Moiseev, PRC 80 045212

Conventional N^* 's only

New $3/2^+$ state



Electro and photo-production data are starting to have an impact

Bonn-Gatchina analysis

$N(\text{mass})J^P$	PDG 2012	$K\Lambda$	$K\Sigma$	γp	$p\omega$	$p\eta'$
$N(1710)1/2^+$	***	***	**	***		
$N(1880)1/2^+$	**	**		**		
$N(2100)1/2^+$	*					2130
$N(1895)1/2^-$	**	**	*	**		1920
$N(1900)3/2^+$	***	***	**	***		
$N(2040)3/2^+$	*					2050
$N(1875)3/2^-$	***	***	**	***		
$N(2150)3/2^-$	**	**		**		
$N(2000)5/2^+$	**	**	*	**	1950	
$N(2060)5/2^-$	**		**	**		2080

$N(1710) 1/2^+$ was not observed by GWU in the πN data.

The “complete” experiment

If you consider electro-production, you have three amplitudes, each of which is complex:

$$\sigma_T(\nu_R, Q^2) = \frac{2M}{\Gamma_R M_R} [|A_{\frac{1}{2}}|^2 + |A_{\frac{3}{2}}|^2],$$

$$\sigma_L(\nu_R, Q^2) = \frac{4M}{\Gamma_R M_R} [|S_{\frac{1}{2}}|^2],$$

There are 12 amplitudes (3 photon spin \times 2 N \times 2 N')
 6 amplitudes are independent (parity)

6 Helicity amplitudes, each of which are complex
 Must have 12 observables to extract reliably

For real photons you need 8 observables.

Detailed formalism in many reviews, for example:
 Aznauryan and Burkert, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. **67**, 1 (2012)

Observables: production of pseudoscalar mesons

In real photon experiments, there are **16 observables**:

- Unpolarized cross section (1)
- Beam, Target and Recoil single spin asymmetries (Σ , T, P) (3)
- Beam-Target, Beam-Recoil, Target-Recoil asymmetries (each with 4 combinations) (12)

For electron scattering there are 20 additional observables!!! (longitudinal photon + LT interference)

Beam		Target	Recoil	Target-Recoil								
		x y z	x' y' z'	x y z	x y z	x y z	x y z	x y z	x y z	x y z	x y z	
	σ_0	T	P	$T_{x'}$	$L_{x'}$	$\hat{\Sigma}$	$T_{z'}$	$L_{z'}$				
P_T	Σ	H \hat{P} G	$O_{x'}$ \hat{T} $O_{z'}$	$\tilde{L}_{z'}$	$\tilde{C}_{z'}$	$\tilde{T}_{z'}$	\tilde{E}	\tilde{F}	$\tilde{L}_{x'}$	$\tilde{C}_{x'}$	$\tilde{T}_{x'}$	
P_{\odot}		F E	$C_{x'}$ $C_{z'}$	$\tilde{O}_{z'}$	\tilde{G}	\tilde{H}	$\tilde{O}_{x'}$					

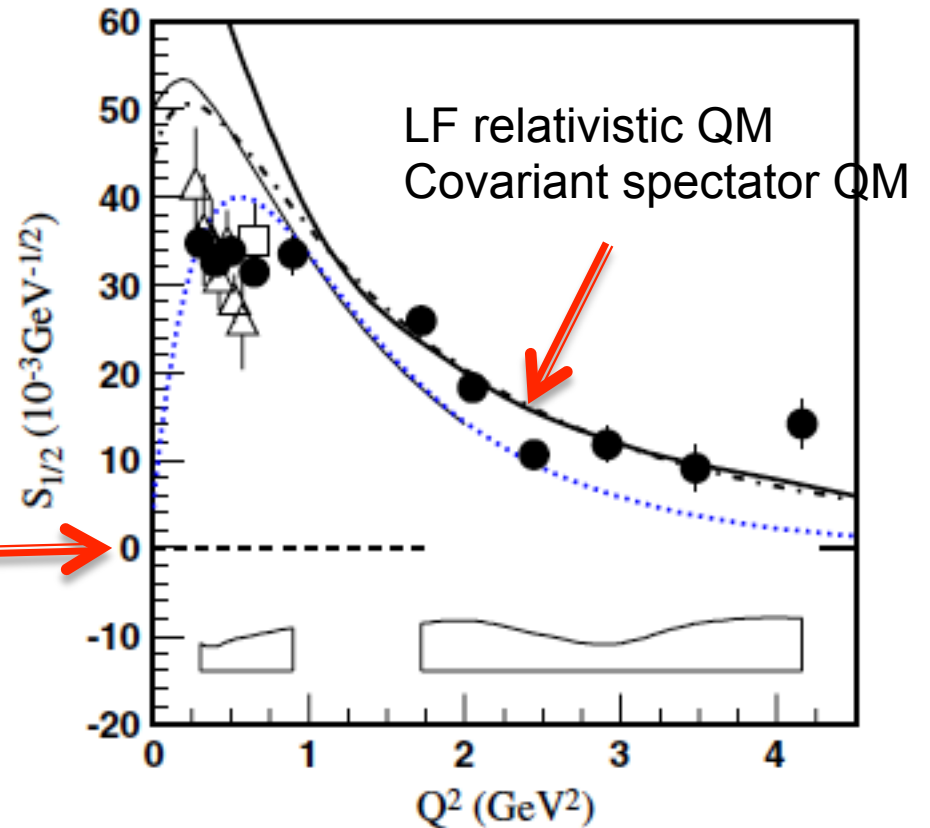
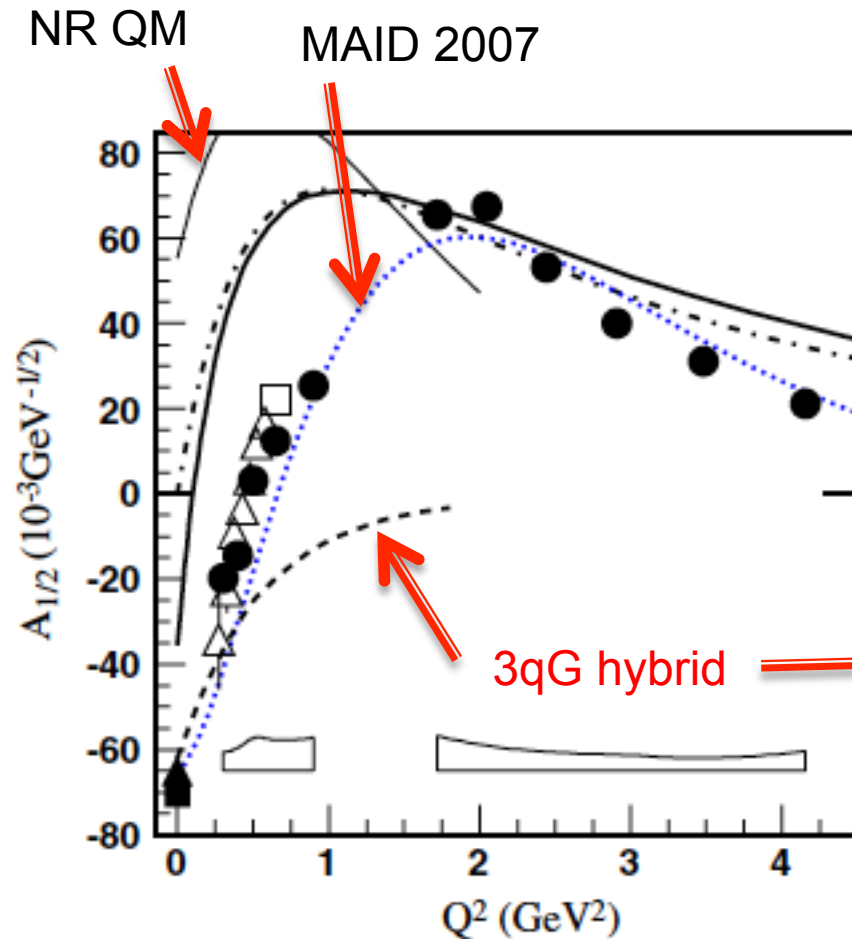
Roper Resonance $N(1440) P_{11}$

Data from CLAS π and 2π production

Evidence suggests a 3q radial excitation. Hybrid 3qG solutions is ruled out.

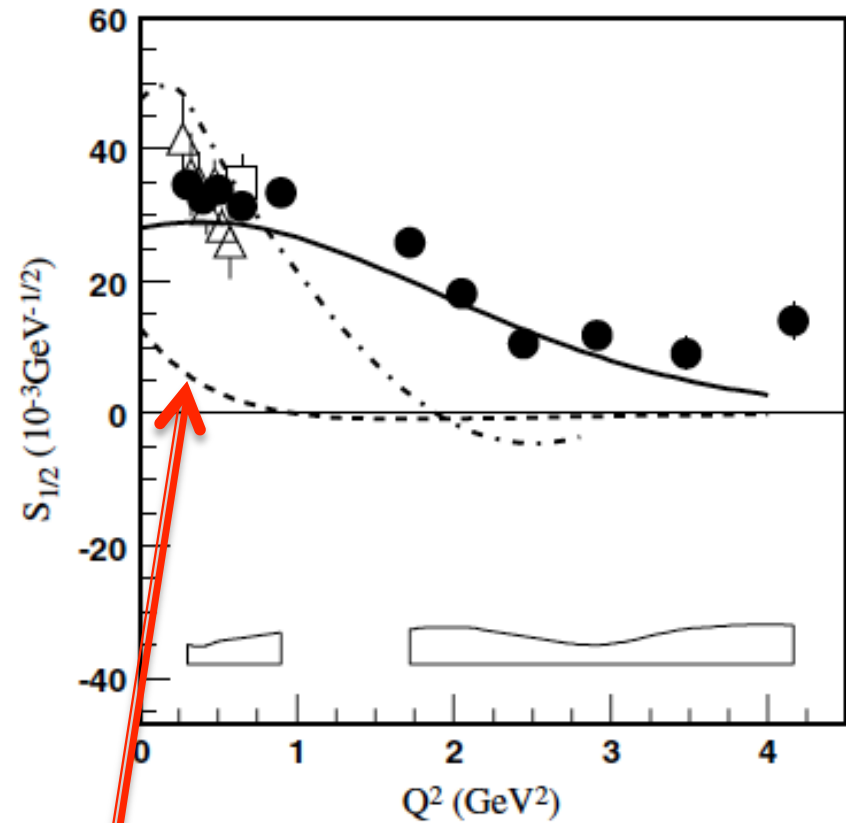
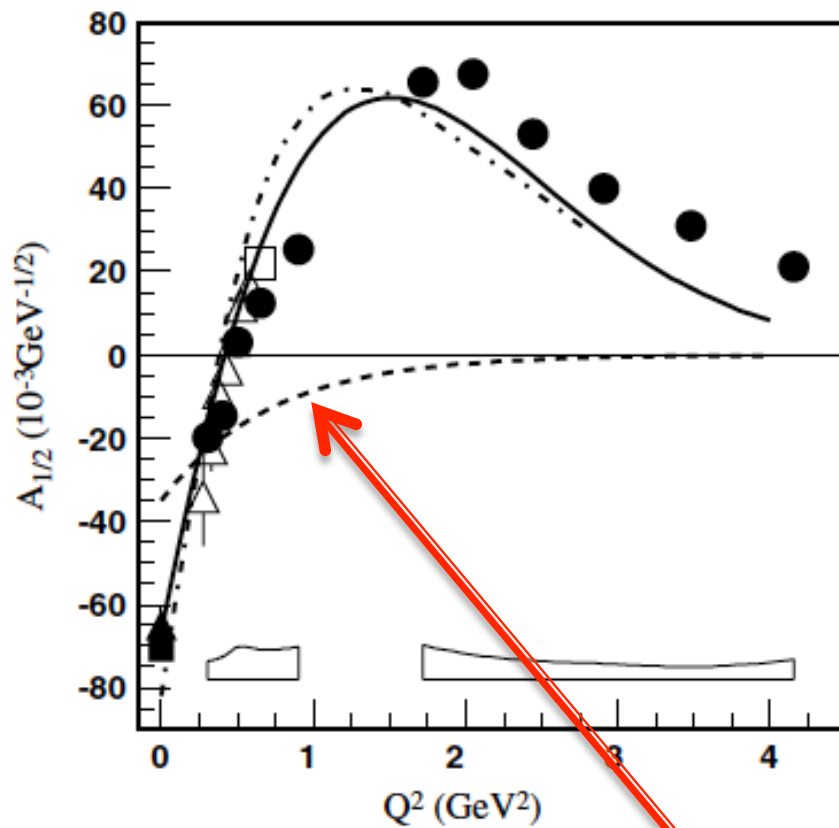
$$\beta_{\pi N} = 0.6$$

$$\beta_{2\pi N} = 0.4$$



Roper, cont.

Full curve (from Obukhovsky 2011)
includes meson-cloud contribution



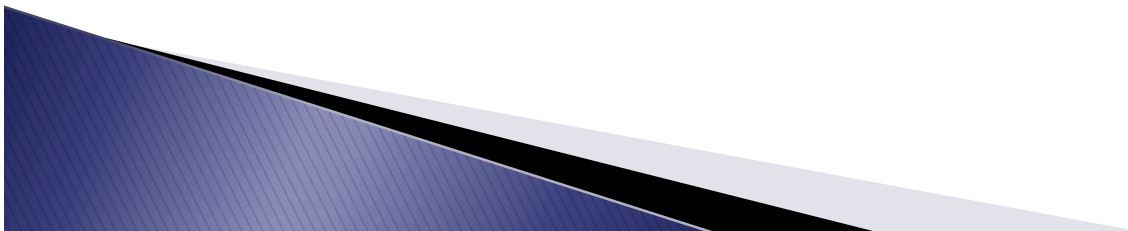
meson-cloud contribution separately

Partial Wave Analyses

- ▶ SAID/MAID – includes data for pseudoscalar meson production; uses BW parametrization; websites have predictions for various quantities; does not include 2π decay channels
- ▶ EBAC – dynamical coupled channel of world data including 2π channels
- ▶ Giessen - coupled-channel analysis; Bethe-Salpeter equation with K-matrix for overlapping resonances
- ▶ Bonn-Gatchina – largest experimental database, including multiparticle final states; K-matrix, phenomenological background

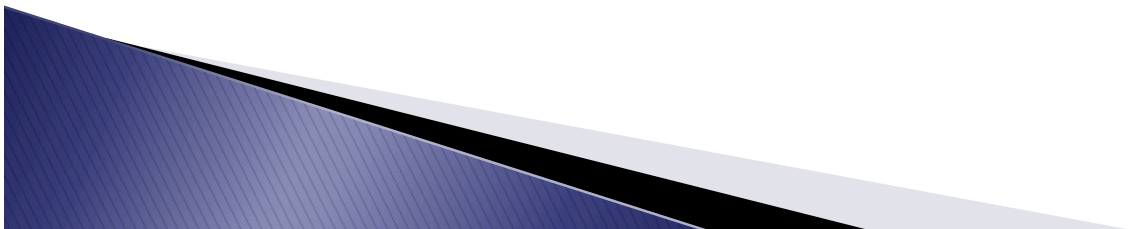
In Conclusion...

This is an exciting time for nucleon resonances as new data enables discovery of missing resonances through rigorous PWIA fits.



SU(3), Group Theory & the Quark Model

- ▶ PDG
- ▶ <http://vietsciences1.free.fr/vietscience/giaokhoa/vatly/vatlyluongtu/PhamXuanYem/QYbookCHAPT07.PDF>
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Breit-Wigner

For an isolated resonance (i.e. Δ), the cross section can be expressed as

$$\sigma_{BW}(E) = \frac{(2J+1)}{(2S_1+1)(2S_2+1)} \frac{\pi}{k^2} \frac{B_{in} B_{out} \Gamma_{tot}^2}{(E - E_R)^2 + \Gamma_{tot}^2 / 4} \quad \text{Non-relativistic}$$

S_1 and S_2 are the spins of the collision particles

J is the total angular momentum of the resonance

k is the c.m. momentum

E is the c.m. energy

B_{in} and B_{out} are the branching fractions of the resonance into the entrance and exit channel

Γ is the width of the resonance

The lifetime of the resonance/state is $\tau = \frac{\hbar}{\Gamma}$

Nucleon resonance widths are large: ~ 100 MeV
 and the resonances overlap

