Highlights in Light-Baryon Spectroscopy and Searches for Gluonic Excitations

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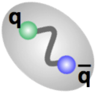

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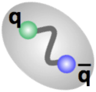
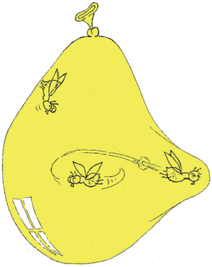


Strong-Coupling Quantum Chromodynamics (QCD)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathrm{QCD}} = \sum_q \bar{q}\,(i\gamma_\mu D^\mu \;-\; m_q)\,q \;-\frac{1}{4}F^{\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}$$

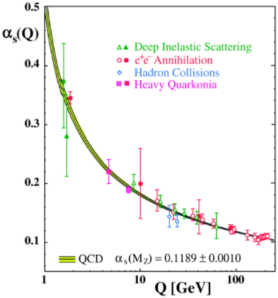
QCD is the theory of the strong nuclear force which describes the interactions of quarks and gluons making up hadrons.

Strong processes at larger distances and at small (soft) momentum transfers belong to the realm of non-perturbative QCD.

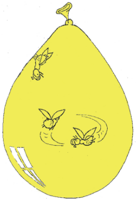


Confinement

“Strong QCD”



“pQCD”



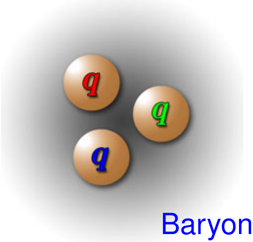
Asymptotic Freedom

Hadrons: Baryons & Mesons

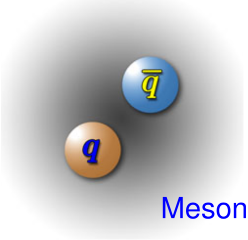
The strong coupling confines quarks and breaks chiral symmetry, and so defines the world of light hadrons.

Baryons are special because

- their structure is most obviously related to the color degree of freedom, e. g. $|\Delta^{++}\rangle = |u^{\uparrow}u^{\uparrow}u^{\uparrow}\rangle$.
- they are the stuff of which our world is made.



Baryons



Mesons

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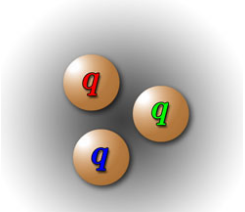

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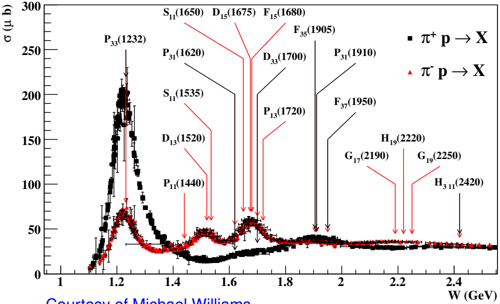

Courtesy of Michael Williams

➜ PDG 2010, J. Phys. GG 37.

Great progress in recent years:

➜ γN & πN data

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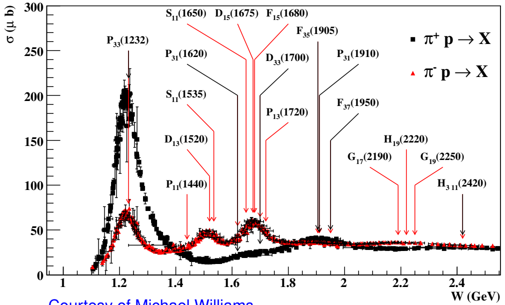

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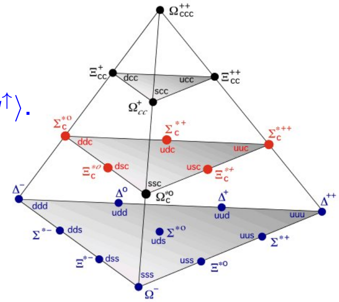


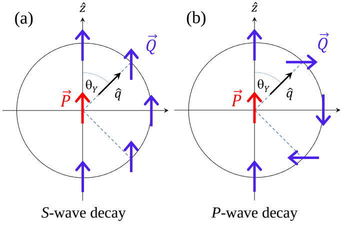
Many Y^* QN not measured:
(Quark model assignments)
➜ many Ξ^* and Ω^*, etc.

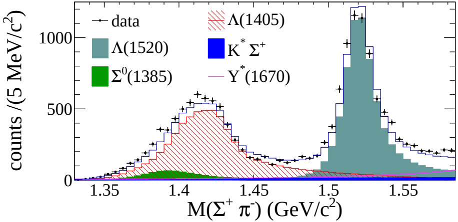
Spin and Parity Measurement of the Λ(1405) Baryon

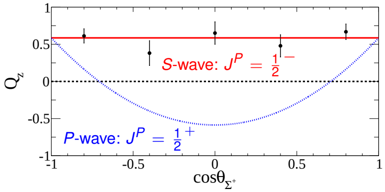
K. Moriya *et al.* [CLAS Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **112**, 082004 (2014)

Data for $\gamma p \to K^+\Lambda(1405)$ support $J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-$

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







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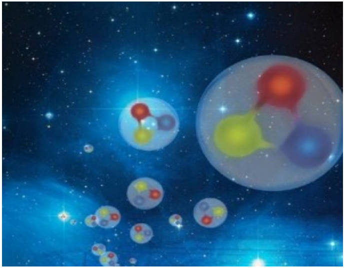

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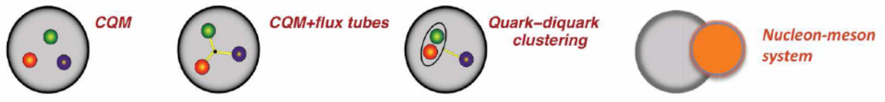
Baryons: What are the fundamental degrees of freedom inside a nucleon? Constituent quarks? How do degrees change with varying quark masses?



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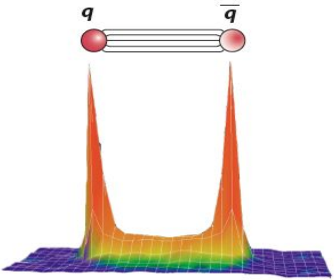

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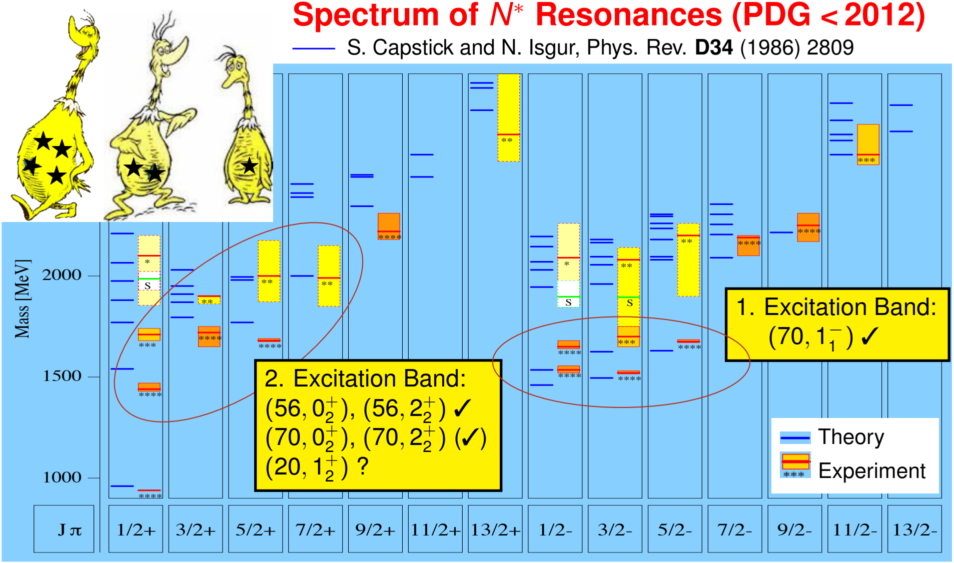
Mesons: What are the properties of the predicted states beyond simple quark-antiquark systems (hybrid mesons, glueballs, ...)?

➜ Gluonic Excitations provide a measurement of the excited QCD potential.

Hybrid baryons are possible but do not carry “exotic” quantum numbers.

Spectrum of N^* Resonances (PDG < 2012)

— S. Capstick and N. Isgur, Phys. Rev. **D34** (1986) 2809



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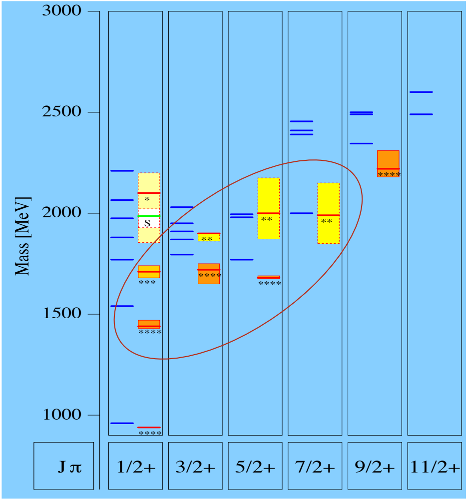

V.C. & W. Roberts, Rep. Prog. Phys. **76** (2013)

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$N(1685)$			*
$N(1700)$	$3/2^-$ (D_{13})	***	***
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$N(1900)$	$3/2^+$ (P_{13})	**	***
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$N(2000)$	$5/2^+$ (F_{15})	**	**
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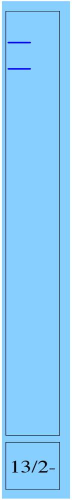

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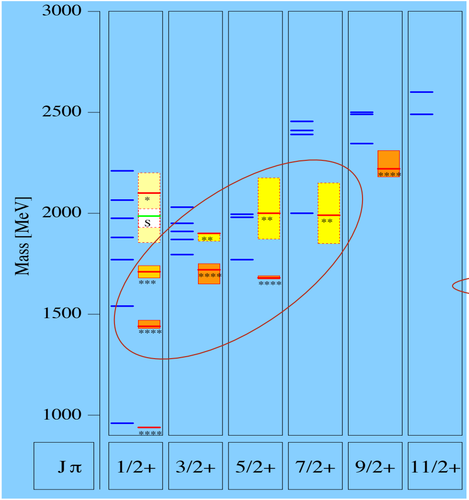

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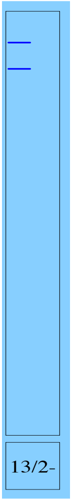

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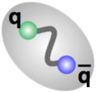
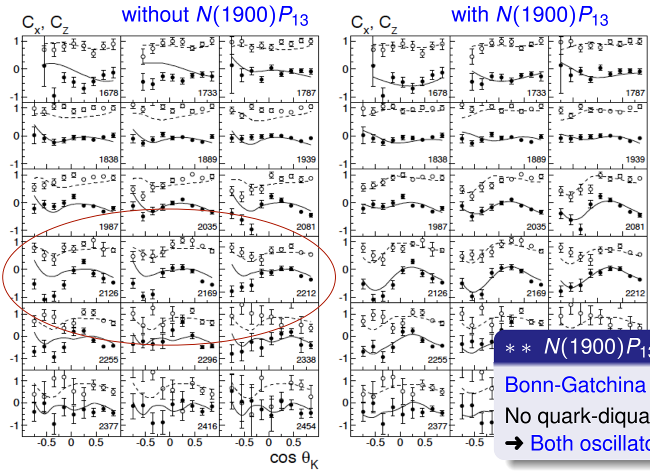
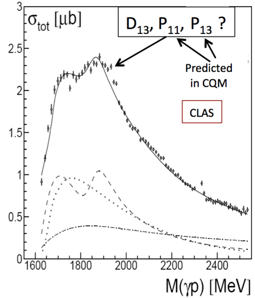


Polarization Transfer in $\vec{\gamma} p \to K^+ \vec{\Lambda}$: C_x, C_z





$**$ $N(1900)P_{13}$, $N(2000)F_{15}$, $N(1990)F_{17}$

Bonn-Gatchina PWA requires $N(1900)P_{13}$

No quark-diquark oscillations!

➜ Both oscillators need to be excited.

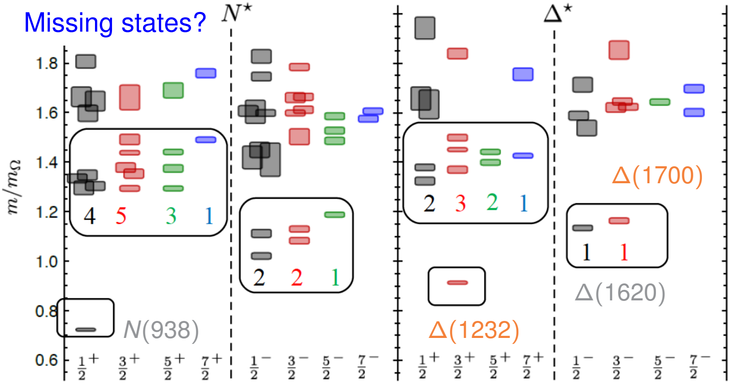
R. Bradford *et al.* [CLAS Collab.], PRC **75**, 035205 (2007) [➜ R. Schumacher, Parallel II:B5]

Fits: BoGa-Model, V. A. Nikonov *et al.*, Phys. Lett. B **662**, 245 (2008)

Baryon Spectroscopy from Lattice QCD

R. Edwards *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **84**, 074508 (2011)

Missing states?

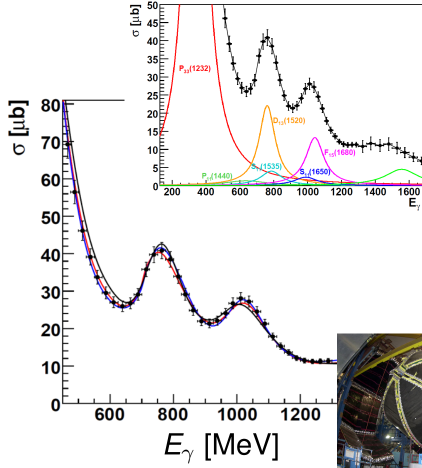


$m_\pi = 396$ MeV

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

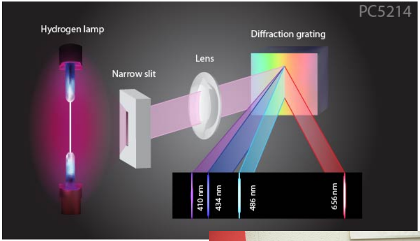
➜ Counting of levels consistent with non-rel. quark model, no parity doubling

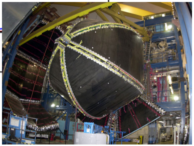
Why are Polarization Observables Important?



$\gamma p \to p\pi^0$

Atomic Spectrum of Hydrogen





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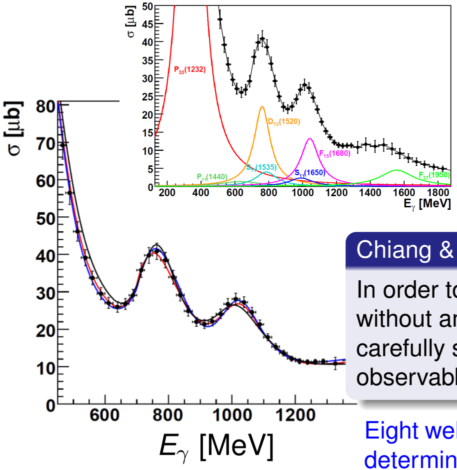


$\gamma p \to p\pi^0$

For single-meson production:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sigma_0 \{ 1 - \delta_l \Sigma \cos 2\phi$$
$$+ \Lambda_x (-\delta_l H \sin 2\phi + \delta_\odot F)$$
$$- \Lambda_y (-T + \delta_l P \cos 2\phi)$$
$$- \Lambda_z (-\delta_l G \sin 2\phi + \delta_\odot E)\}$$

Chiang & Tabakin, Phys. Rev. C55, 2054 (1997)

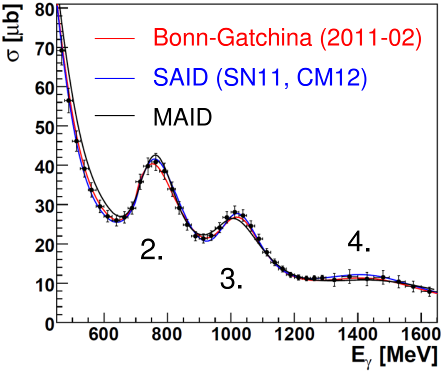
In order to determine the full scattering amplitude without ambiguities, one has to carry out eight carefully selected measurements: four double-spin observables along with four single-spin observables.

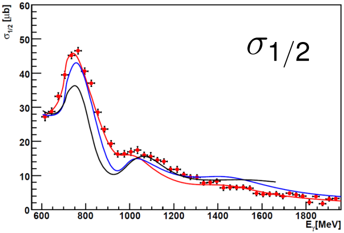
Eight well-chosen measurements are needed to fully determine production amplitudes F_1, F_2, F_3, and F_4.

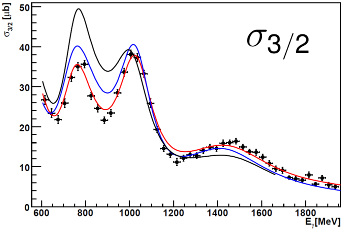
Example: Ambiguities in $\gamma\, p \to p\, \pi^0$

Helicity Difference:

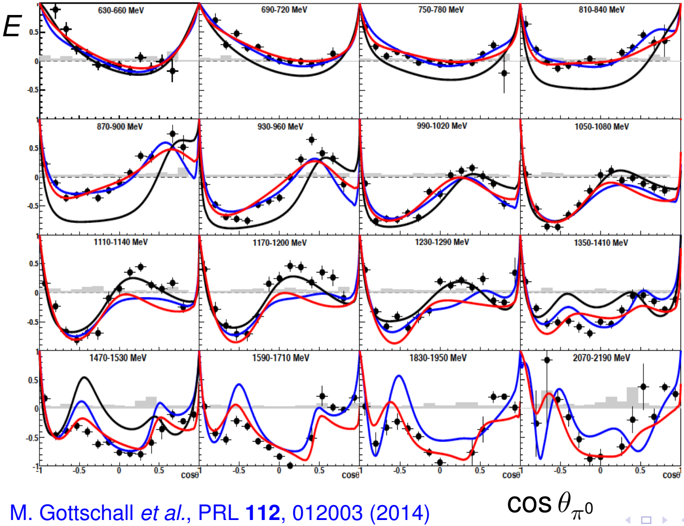
$$E \;=\; -\frac{1}{2\,\Lambda_z\,\delta_\odot}\;\frac{N^{\rightarrow\Rightarrow} - N^{\rightarrow\Leftarrow}}{N^{\rightarrow\Rightarrow} + N^{\rightarrow\Leftarrow}}$$







Helicity Asymmetry E in $\vec{\gamma}\,\vec{p} \to p\,\pi^0$ @ ELSA



$$E = \frac{\sigma_{1/2} - \sigma_{3/2}}{\sigma_{1/2} + \sigma_{3/2}}$$

$E_\gamma \in [0.6, 2.2]$ GeV

- • CBELSA/TAPS
- — Maid
- — Said (CM12)
- — BoGa (2011_2)

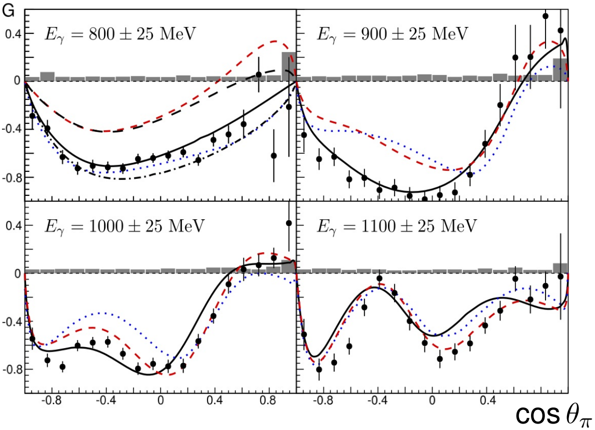
Angular distributions sensitive to interference between resonances.

M. Gottschall *et al.*, PRL **112**, 012003 (2014)

Asymmetry G in $\vec{\gamma}\vec{p} \to p\pi^0$ @ ELSA

➜ J. Hartmann, Parallel III: B10 "Light Quarks" (more results from ELSA)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sigma_0 \{ 1 - \delta_l \Sigma \cos 2\phi + \Lambda_x (-\delta_l H \sin 2\phi + \delta_\odot F) - \Lambda_y (-T + \delta_l P \cos 2\phi) - \Lambda_z (-\delta_l G \sin 2\phi + \delta_\odot E)\}$$



Surprisingly, π production also not well understood at lower energies:

— BoGa
-- SAID
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A. Thiel *et al.*, PRL **109**, 102001 (2012)

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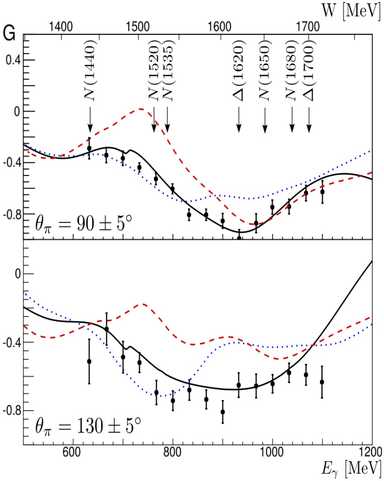

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$\theta_\pi = 90 \pm 5°$

$\theta_\pi = 130 \pm 5°$

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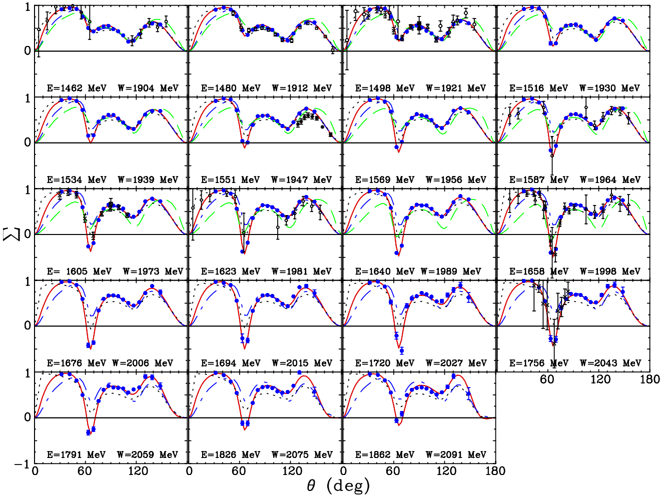
Below 1 GeV, discrepancies can be traced to the E_{0+} and E_{2-} multipoles, which are related to certain resonances:

E_{0+}: $N(1535)\,\frac{1}{2}^-$, $N(1650)\,\frac{1}{2}^-$, $\Delta(1620)\,\frac{1}{2}^-$

E_{2-}: $N(1520)\,\frac{3}{2}^-$, $\Delta(1700)\,\frac{3}{2}^-$

A. Thiel *et al.*, PRL **109**, 102001 (2012)

Beam Asymmetry Σ in $\vec{\gamma} p \to p \pi^0$ @ CLAS (g8b)



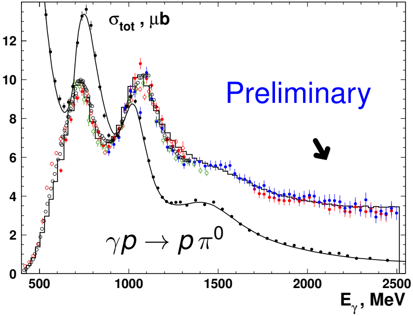
Largest changes in SAID DU13

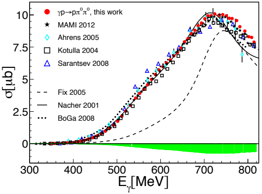
- Improved mapping of dip near 60°
- Couplings of
  - $\Delta(1700)\,\frac{3}{2}^-$
  - $\Delta(1905)\,\frac{5}{2}^+$

M. Dugger *et al.* [CLAS Collaboration], PRC **88**, 065203 (2013)

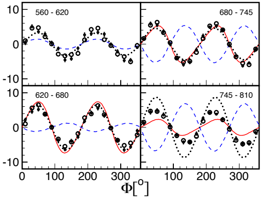
Observation of Decay Cascades in $\gamma p \to p \pi^0 \pi^0$

F. Zehr *et al.*, Eur. Phys. J. A **48**, 98 (2012) @MAMI





Cross Sections

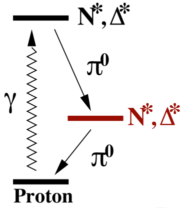


Beam Asymmetry, $I^{\odot}$

Observation of new decay modes in the decay of N^* resonances; weak at most in Δ^* decays.

—— Bonn-Gatchina PWA

V. Sokhoyan, E. Gutz, V. C. *et al.* @ELSA



→ Search for states in decay cascades!

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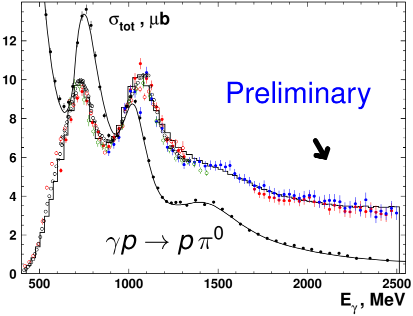

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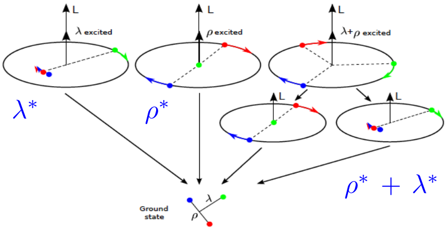

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Decays observed in PWA into, e. g.

$N(1880)\,1/2^+$, $N(1900)\,3/2^+$, $N(2000)\,5/2^+$, $N(1990)\,7/2^+$ → $N(1520)\pi$, $N(1535)\pi$, $N(1680)\pi$, $N\sigma\ (I=1)$

➜ Quartet of $(\mathbf{70}, 2_2^+)$ with $S = \frac{3}{2}$.

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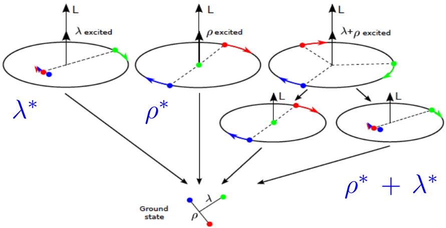
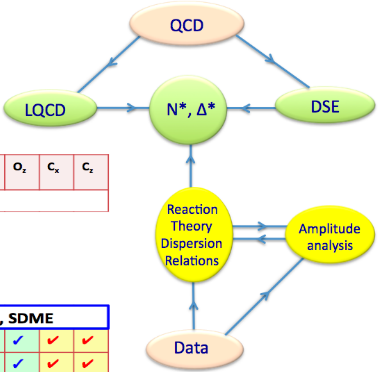


- ➜ M. Battaglieri, Parallel II: B5 “Light Quarks”
- ➜ V. Crede, Parallel III: B10 “Light Quarks” (more results from CLAS@JLab)



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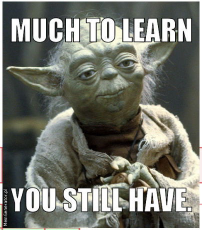

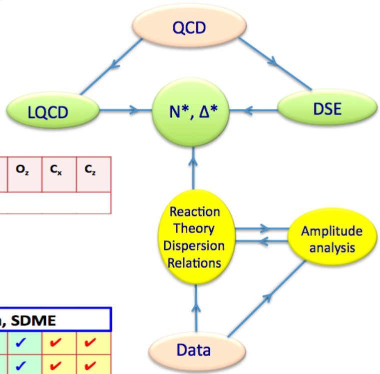

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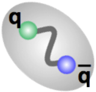

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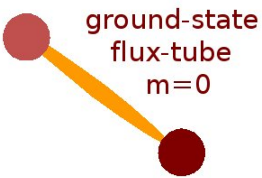

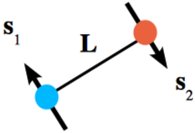

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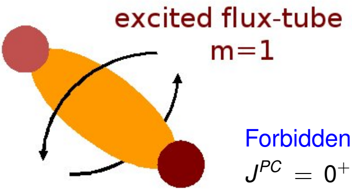

12 GeV CEBAF upgrade has high priority (DOE Office of Science, Long Range Plan) "[key area] is experimental verification of the powerful force fields *(flux tubes)* believed to be responsible for quark confinement."

Forbidden States (Exotics):

$J^{PC} = 0^{+-},\ 0^{--},\ 1^{-+},\ 2^{+-}\ \cdots$

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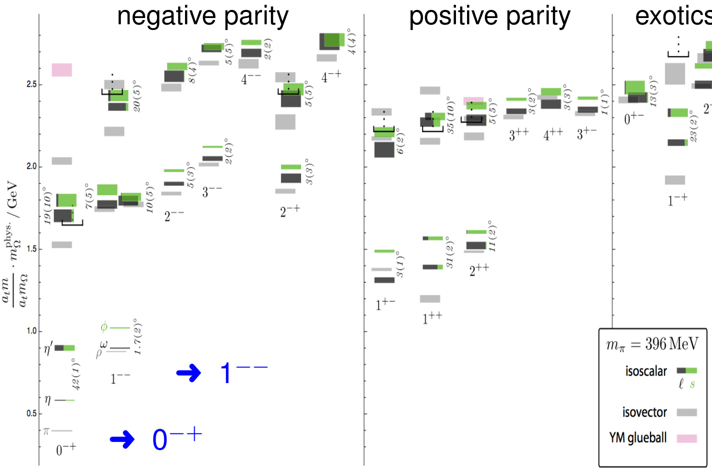

$m_\pi = 396$ MeV

→ isoscalar

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J. J. Dudek *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **83**, 111502 (2011)

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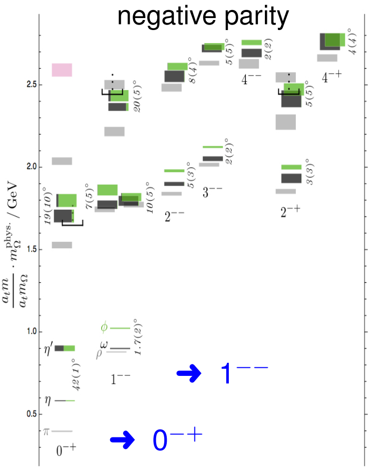

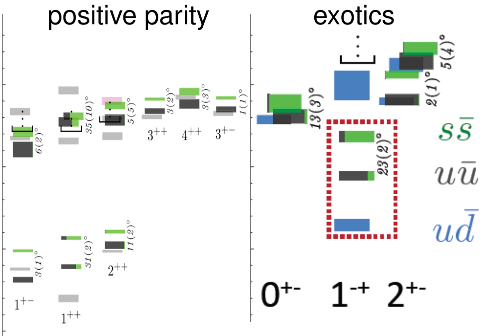

Lattice QCD Predictions

Constituent glue with $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$

➜ Lightest nonet: 1^{--}, $(0^{-+}, 1^{-+}, 2^{-+})$

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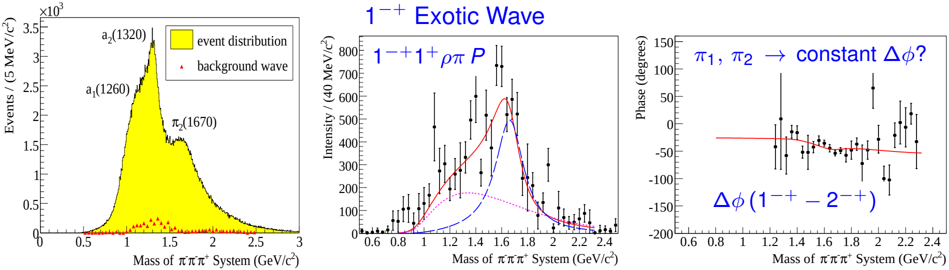
COMPASS Experiment (1): $\pi^- Pb \to \pi^-\pi^-\pi^+ (Pb)$

M. Alekseev *et al.*, PRL **104**, 241803 (2010)



Based on $\sim 420{,}000$ events using a 180 GeV π beam:

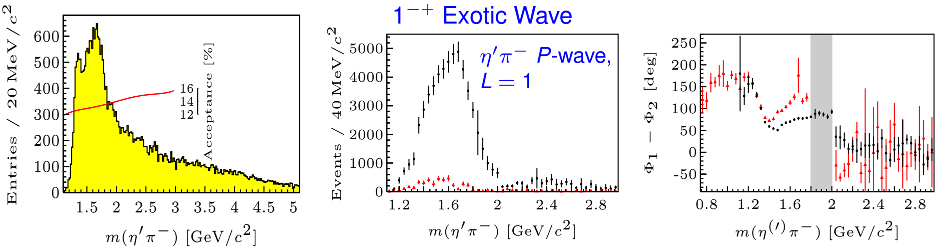
$\pi_1(1600)$: $M = 1660$ MeV, $\Gamma = 269$ MeV	$\pi_2(1670)$: $M = 1658$ MeV, $\Gamma = 271$ MeV

➜ Exotic 1^{-+} wave dominantly produced in natural-parity ($M^\epsilon = 1^+$) exchange.

COMPASS Experiment (2): $\pi^- p \to \eta^{(\prime)} \pi^- (p)$

➜ F. Haas, Parallel II: B7 "Light Quarks"

C. Adolph *et al.*, arXiv:1408.4286 [hep-ex]



Collaboration refrains from proposing resonance parameters for exotic P wave.

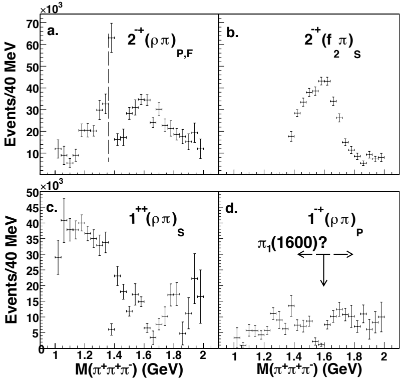
- Odd partial waves with $L = 1, 3, 5$ (non-$q\bar{q}$ QN) suppressed in $\eta\pi^-$ with respect to $\eta'\pi^-$. Even partial waves similar (intensity & phase behavior).
- Dominant $\mathbf{8} \otimes \mathbf{8}$ $(\eta\pi)$ & $\mathbf{1} \otimes \mathbf{8}$ $(\eta'\pi)$ nature of $SU(3)$ flavor configurations
  ➜ $gq\bar{q}$ and $q\bar{q}q\bar{q}$ configurations predicted to have $\mathbf{1} \otimes \mathbf{8}$ character.

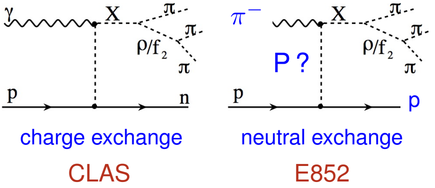
Meson Spectroscopy in Photoproduction: CLAS

Results on light mesons from CLAS at Jefferson Lab

Search for the photo-excitation of exotic mesons in the $\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$ system:

(M. Nozar *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **102**, 102002 (2009))





CLAS does not observe a resonant structure in the 1^{-+} $(\rho\pi)_P$ partial wave in charge exchange (confirmed with higher statistics, PhD 2012).

➜ Consistent with $\pi_1(1600)$ photoproduction via Pomeron exchange.

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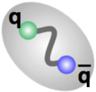


Summary and Outlook

Our understanding of baryon resonances has made great leaps forward. There is good evidence that most of the known states (listed in the PDG) will also be confirmed in photoproduction and that new states will be revealed:

- Goal of performing (almost) complete experiments has been (almost) achieved; significant contributions from (double-)polarization experiments.
- Still too early to nail down degrees of freedom in excited baryons?
  Well, is any of the different approaches THE correct one?
  Or, do they just represent different legitimate views?

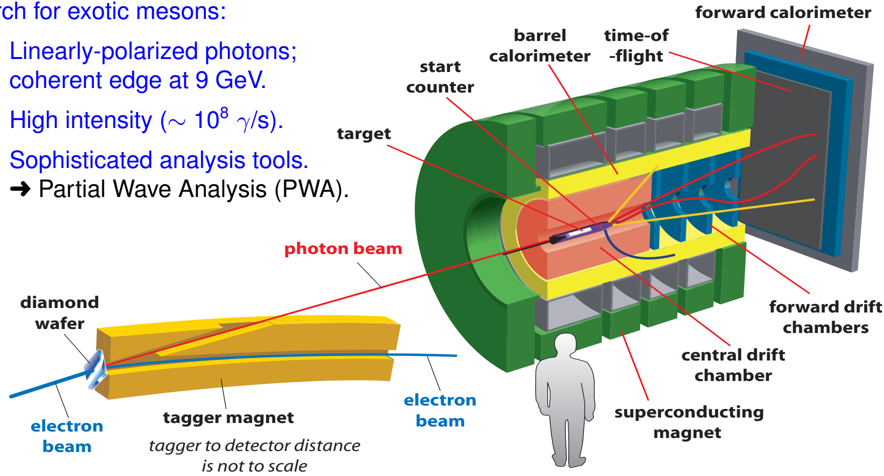
I think we are moving toward a new exciting era in meson spectroscopy (COMPASS@CERN, BES III, PANDA, etc.):

- GlueX in Hall-D at JLab will start to commission in about three weeks ...

Advances in both theory and experiment will allow us to finally understand QCD and confinement.

Search for exotic mesons:

- Linearly-polarized photons; coherent edge at 9 GeV.
- High intensity ($\sim 10^8$ γ/s).
- Sophisticated analysis tools.
  ➜ Partial Wave Analysis (PWA).



➜ M. Shepherd, Plenary 2