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# Lightest strange resonance precision determination from a dispersive analysis of data

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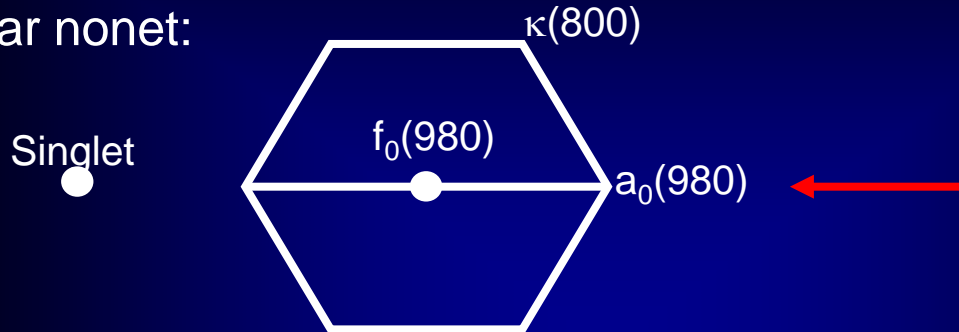
# MOTIVATION: The light scalar controversy.

## ● Scalar SU(3) multiplets identification controversial

- Too many or too few resonances for decades  
But there is an emerging picture



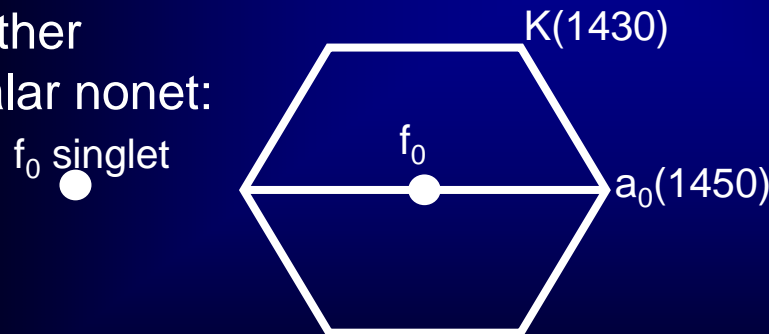
A Light scalar nonet:



Non-strange heavier!!  
Inverted hierarchy problem  
For quark-antiquark

$f_0(500)$  and  $f_0(980)$  are  
really octet/singlet mixtures

+ Another  
heavier scalar nonet:



+ glueball



Enough  $f_0$  states have been observed:  $f_0(1370)$ ,  $f_0(1500)$ ,  $f_0(1700)$ .

The whole picture is complicated by mixture between them (lots of works here)

**Today only the  $\kappa(800)$  or  $K0^*(800)$  still "Needs Confirmation" @ PDG**

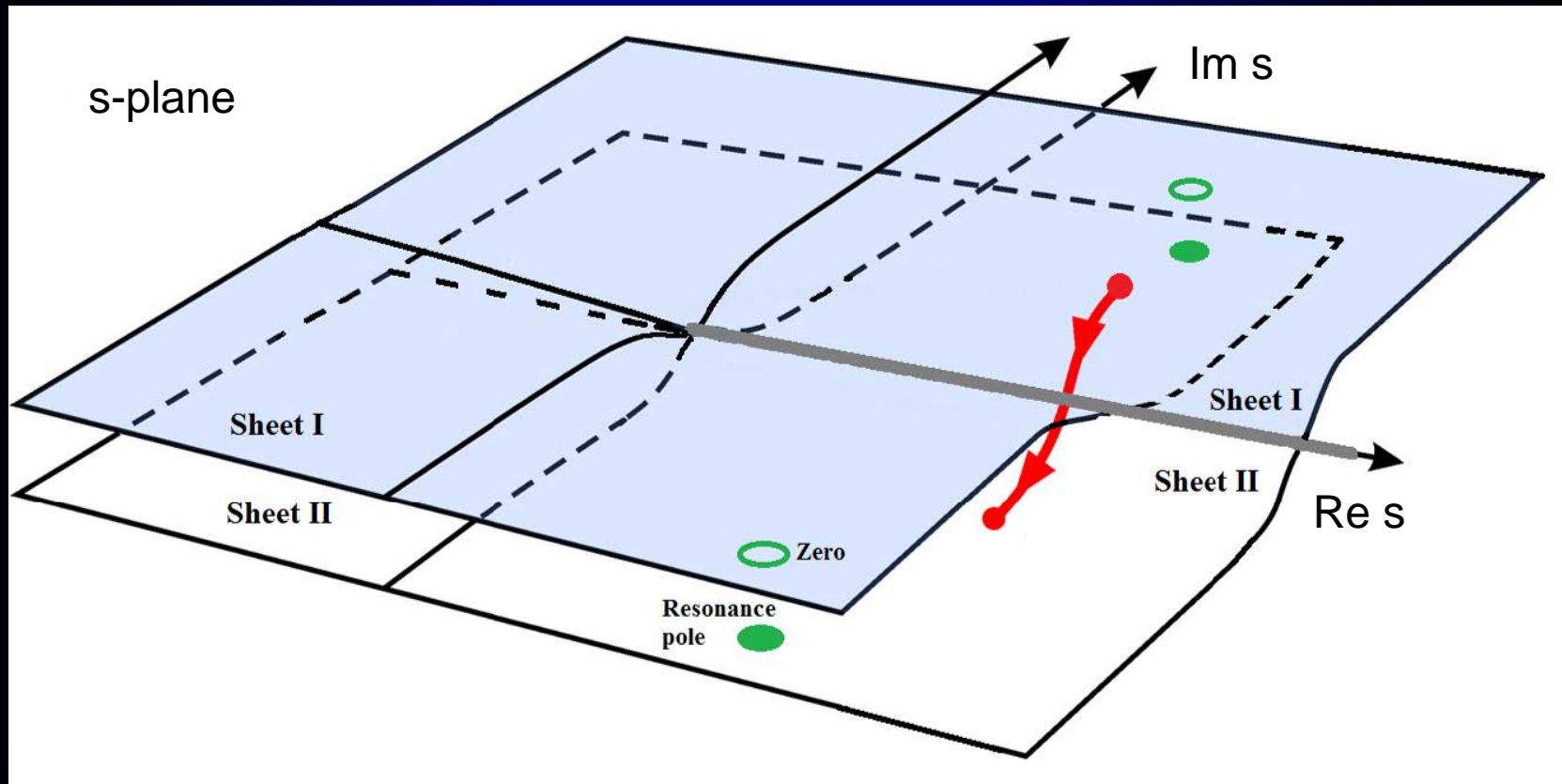
## Resonances as poles

The Breit-Wigner shape is just an approximation for narrow and isolated resonances

The universal features of resonances are their pole positions and residues \*

$$\sqrt{s_{pole}} \approx M - i \Gamma/2$$

\*in the Riemann sheet obtained from an analytic continuation through the physical cut



# Overview of the $K_0^*(800)$ or “kappa” meson until 2018 @PDG

- Omitted from the 2017PDG summary table since, “needs confirmation”

But, all descriptions of data respecting unitarity and chiral symmetry find a pole at  $M=650-770$  MeV and  $\Gamma \sim 550$  MeV or larger.

Best determination comes from a SOLUTION (NO  $I=1/2$ ,  $J=0$  data below 800 MeV) of a Roy-Steiner dispersive formalism, consistent with UChPT

Decotes Genon et al 2006

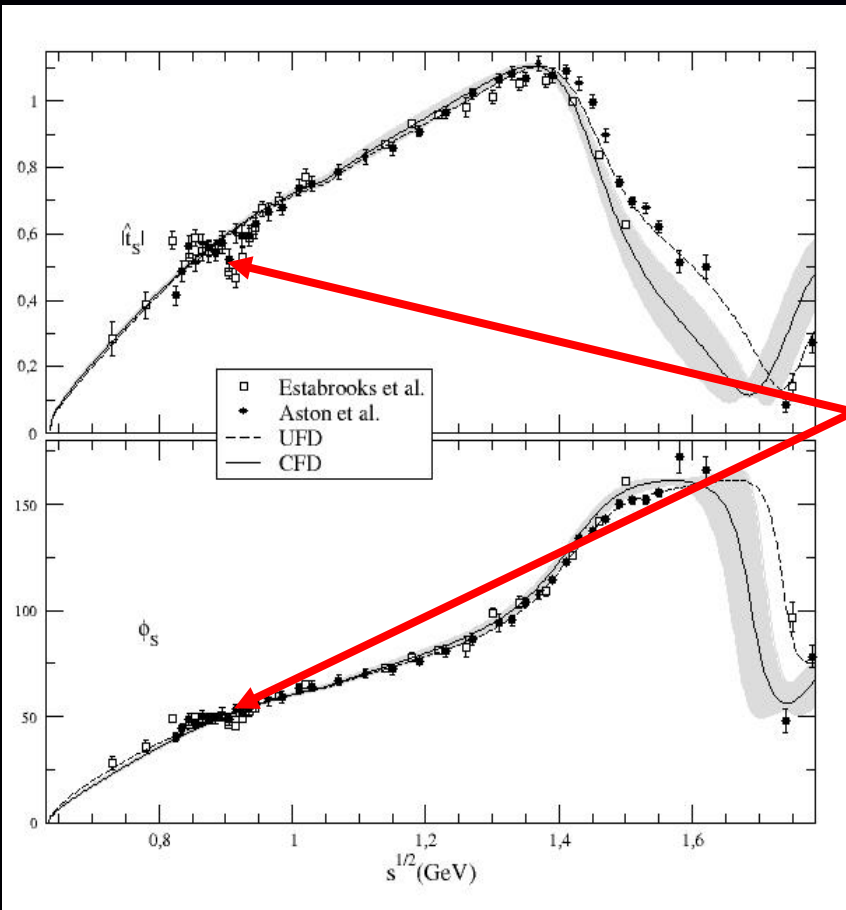
2017PDG dominated by such a SOLUTION

$M-i\Gamma/2=(682\pm 29)-i(273\pm i12)$  MeV @PDG2017

PDG willing to reconsider situation.. if additional independent dispersive DATA analysis.

We were encouraged  
by PDG members to do it.

## Data on $\pi K$ scattering: S-channel



Most reliable sets:

Estabrooks et al. 78 (SLAC)

Aston et al. 88 (SLAC-LASS)

$l=1/2$  and  $3/2$  combination

No clear “peak” or phase movement of  $\kappa/K_0^*(800)$  resonance

Definitely NO BREIT-WIGNER shape

Mathematically correct to use POLES

Strong support for  $K_0^*(700)$  from decays of heavier mesons, but rigorous model-independent extractions absent. Often inadequate Breit-Wigner formalism

POLE extraction rigorous when using Dispersion Relations or complex-analyticity properties

# Why use dispersion relations?

## CAUSALITY:

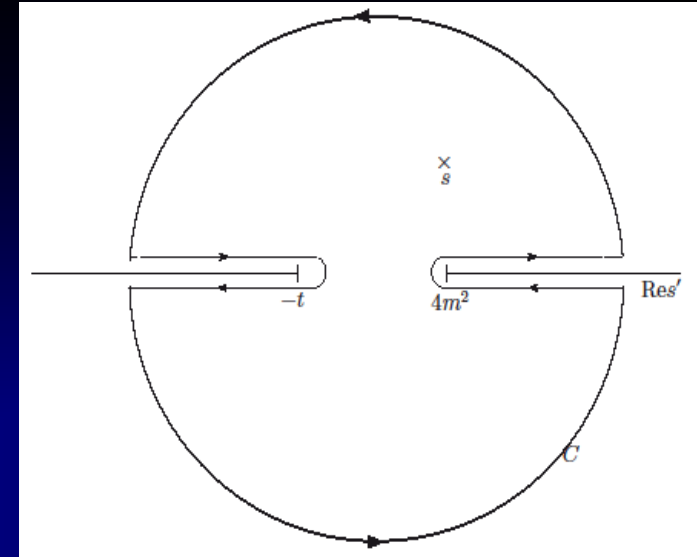
Amplitudes  $T(s,t)$  are ANALYTIC in complex  $s$  plane but for cuts for thresholds.

Crossing implies **left cut** from  $u$ -channel threshold

Cauchy Theorem determines  $T(s,t)$  at ANY  $s$ , from an INTEGRAL on the contour

If  $T \rightarrow 0$  fast enough at high  $s$ , curved part vanishes

$$T(s, t, u) = \underbrace{\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{4m^2}^{\infty} ds' \frac{\text{Im}T(s', t, u')}{s' - s}}_{\text{Right cut}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{-t} ds' \frac{\text{Im}T(s', t, u')}{s' - s}}_{\text{Left cut}}$$



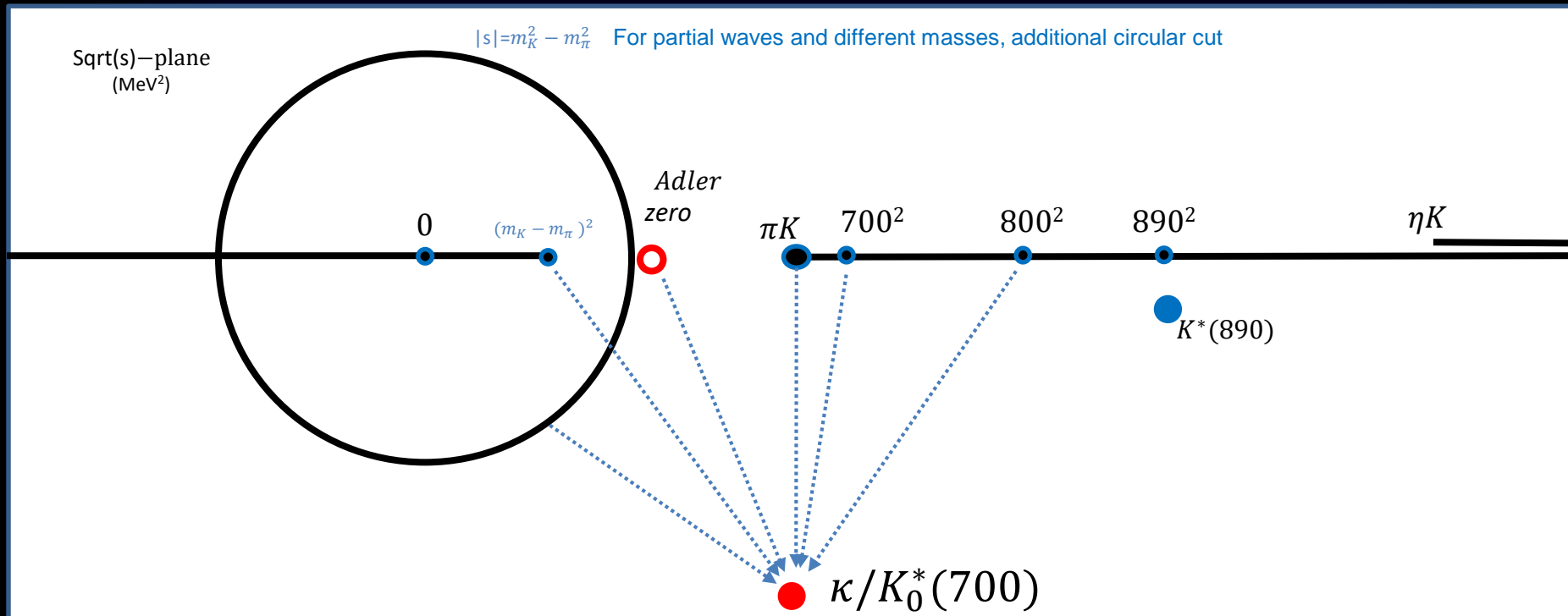
Otherwise, determined up to a polynomial (subtractions)  
**Left cut usually a problem**

Good for:

- 1) Calculating  $T(s,t)$  where there is not data
- 2) Constraining data analysis
- 3) ONLY MODEL INDEPENDENT extrapolation to complex  $s$ -plane without extra assumptions

# Why so much worries about low energy and CORRECT ANALYTIC STRUCTURE?

Analyticity is expressed in the  $s$ -variable, not in  $\text{Sqrt}(s)$



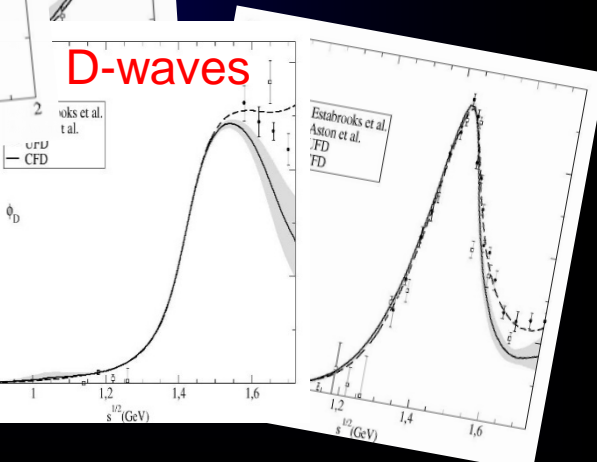
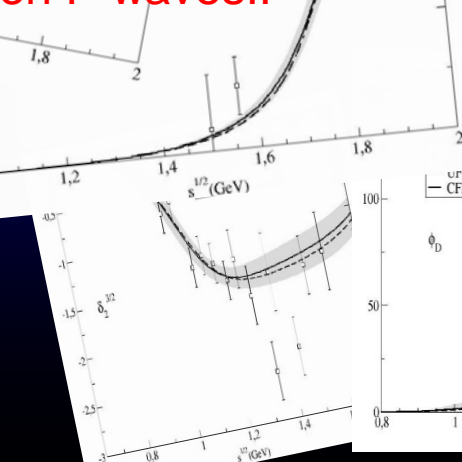
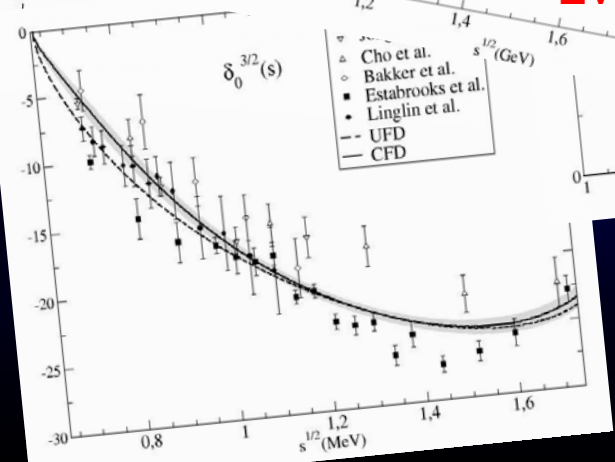
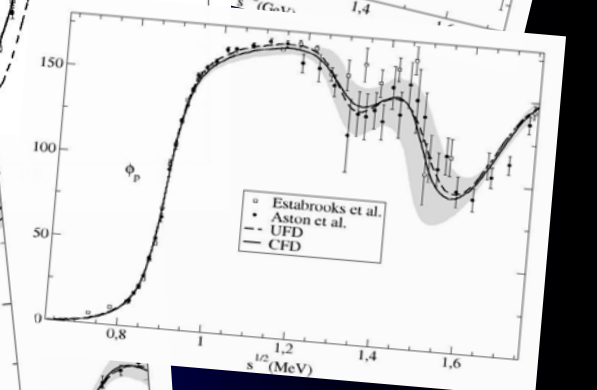
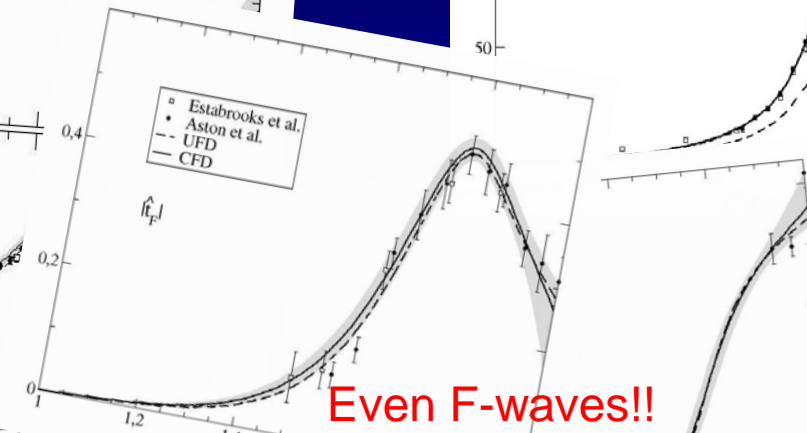
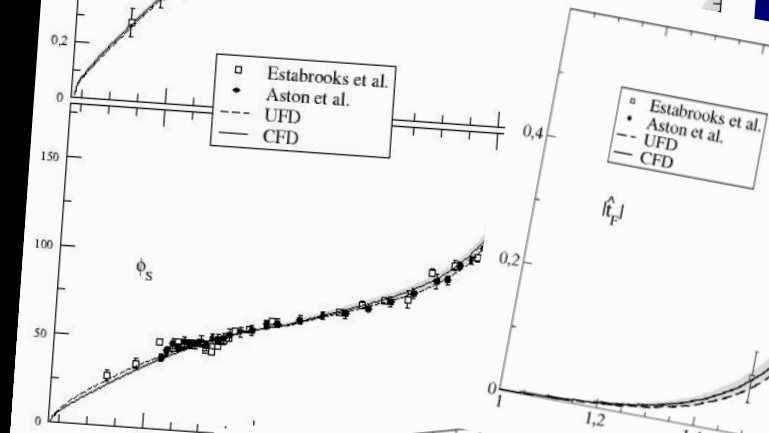
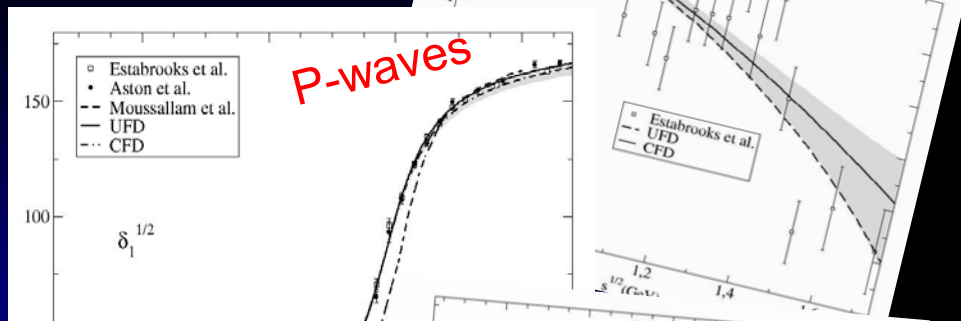
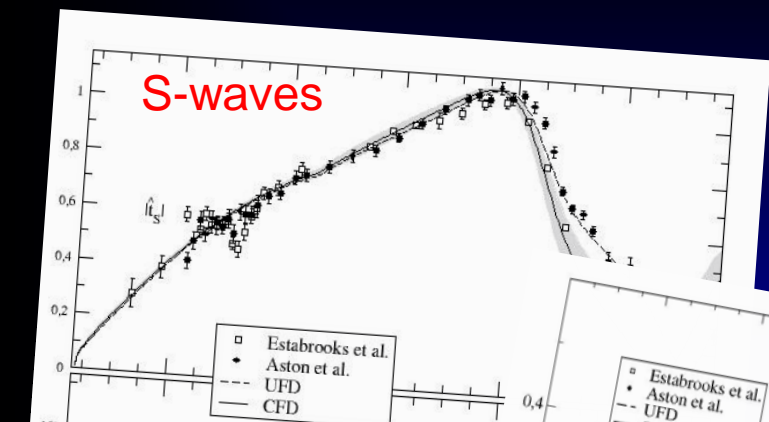
Important for  
the  $\kappa/K_0^*(700)$

- Threshold behavior (chiral symmetry)
- Subthreshold behavior (chiral symmetry  $\rightarrow$  Adler zeros)
- Other cuts (Left & circular)
- Avoid spurious singularities

Less important for other resonances...

# Our Dispersive/Analytic Approach for $\pi K$ and strange resonances

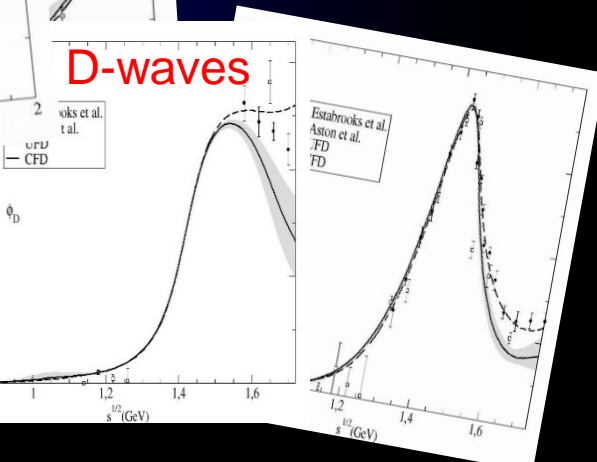
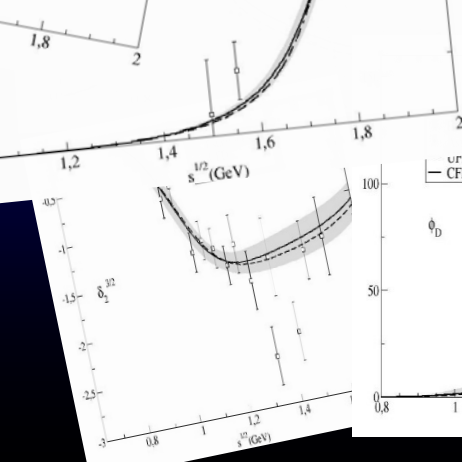
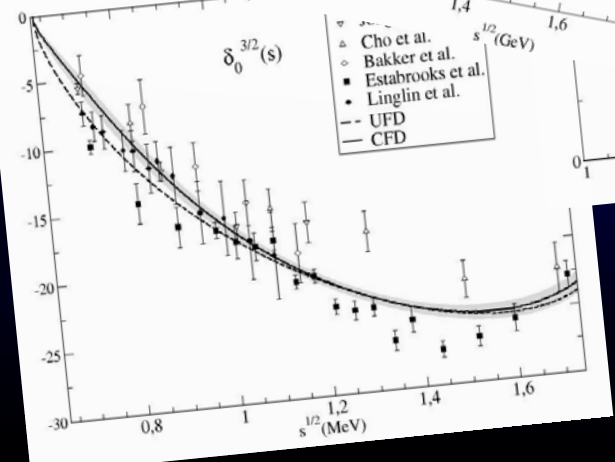
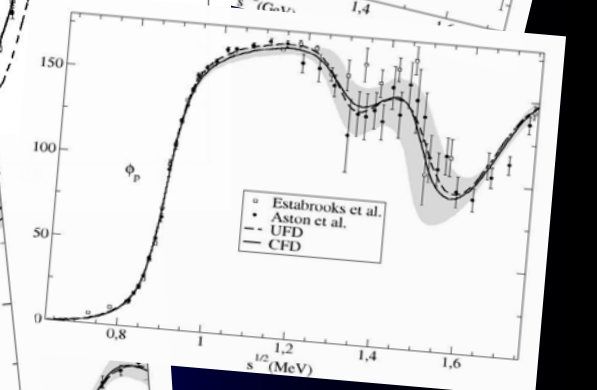
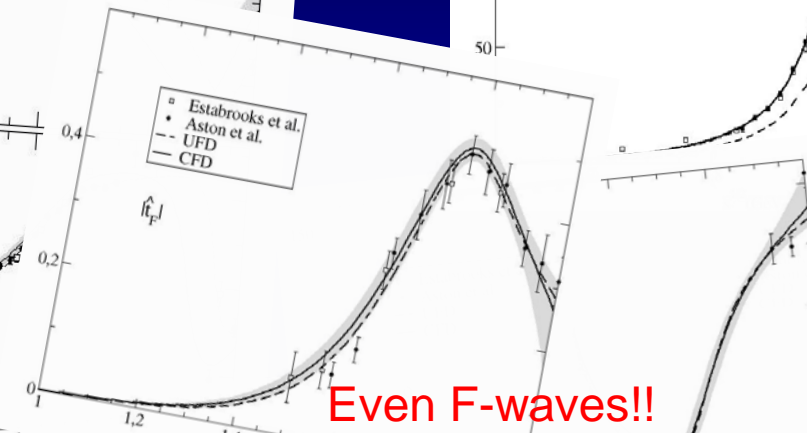
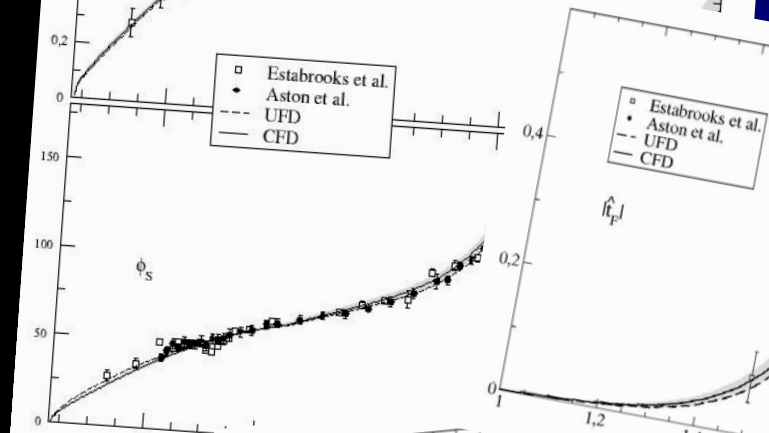
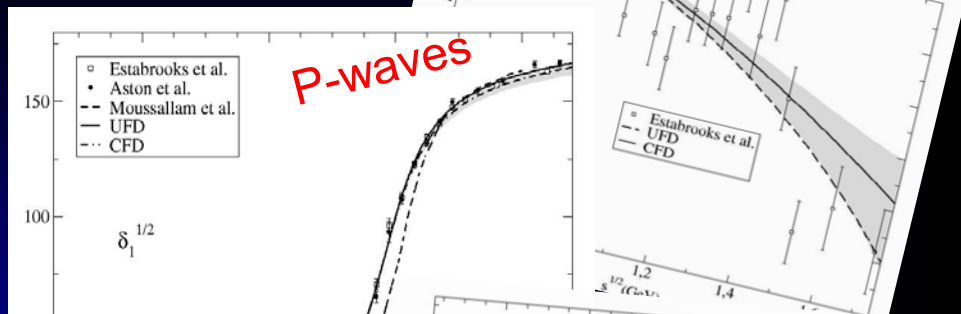
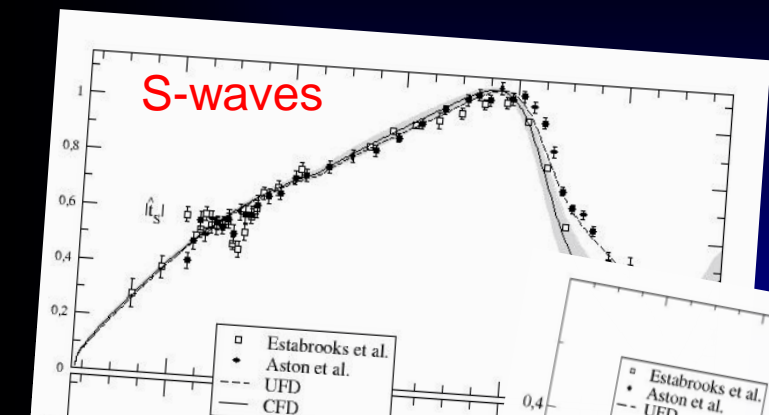
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## Forward dispersion relations for $K \pi$ scattering.

Since interested in the resonance region, we use minimal number of subtractions

Defining the  $s \leftrightarrow u$  symmetric and anti-symmetric amplitudes at  $t=0$

$$T^+(s) = \frac{T^{1/2}(s) + 2T^{3/2}(s)}{3} = \frac{T^{I_t=0}(s)}{\sqrt{6}},$$
$$T^-(s) = \frac{T^{1/2}(s) - T^{3/2}(s)}{3} = \frac{T^{I_t=1}(s)}{2}.$$

We need one subtraction for the symmetric amplitude

$$\text{Re}T^+(s) = T^+(s_{\text{th}}) + \frac{(s - s_{\text{th}})}{\pi} P \int_{s_{\text{th}}}^{\infty} ds' \left[ \frac{\text{Im}T^+(s')}{(s' - s)(s' - s_{\text{th}})} - \frac{\text{Im}T^+(s')}{(s' + s - 2\Sigma_{\pi K})(s' + s_{\text{th}} - 2\Sigma_{\pi K})} \right],$$

And none for the antisymmetric

$$\text{Re}T^-(s) = \frac{(2s - 2\Sigma_{\pi K})}{\pi} P \int_{s_{\text{th}}}^{\infty} ds' \frac{\text{Im}T^-(s')}{(s' - s)(s' + s - 2\Sigma_{\pi K})}.$$

where  $\Sigma_{\pi K} = m_{\pi}^2 + m_K^2$

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# Forward Dispersion Relation analysis of $\pi K$ scattering DATA up to 1.6 GeV

(not a solution of dispersion relations, but a constrained fit)

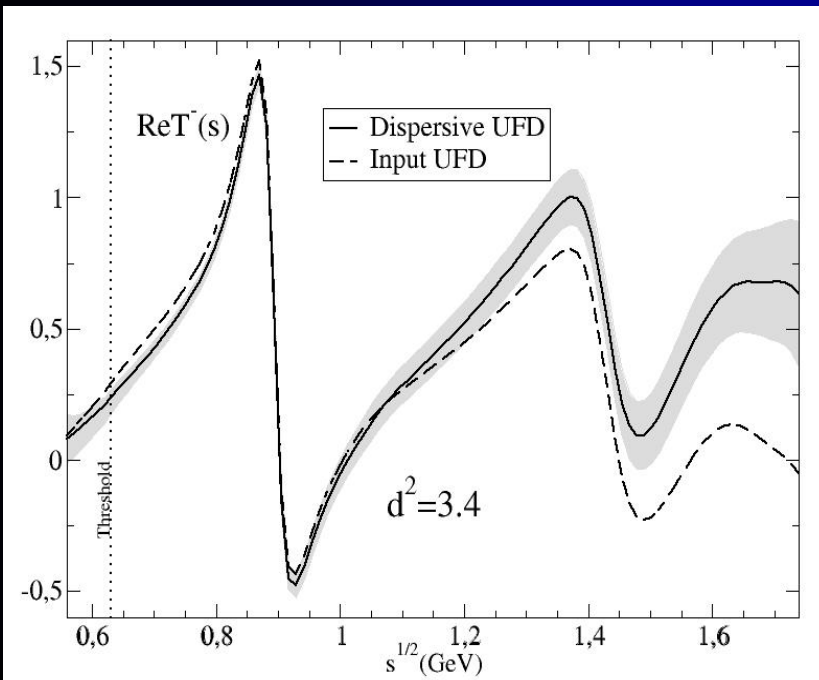
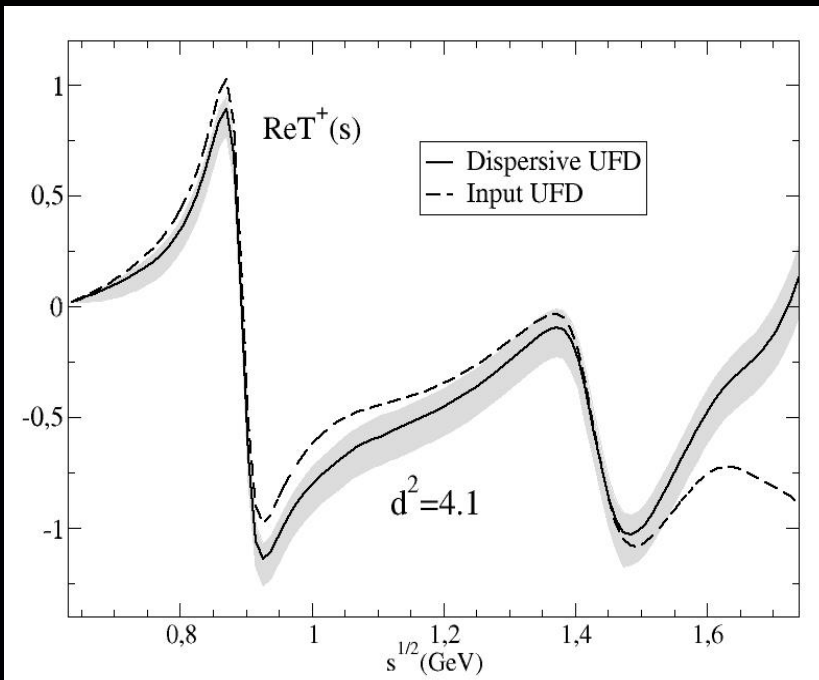
A.Rodas & JRP, PRD93,074025 (2016)

First observation:

Forward Dispersion relations  
Not well satisfied by data  
Particularly at high energies

So we use

Forward Dispersion Relations  
as CONSTRAINTS on fits



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# How well Forward Dispersion Relations are satisfied by unconstrained fits

Every 22 MeV calculate the difference between both sides of the DR /uncertainty

Define an averaged  $\chi^2$  over these points, that we call  $d^2$

$d^2$  close to 1 means that the relation is well satisfied

$d^2 \gg 1$  means the data set is inconsistent with the relation.

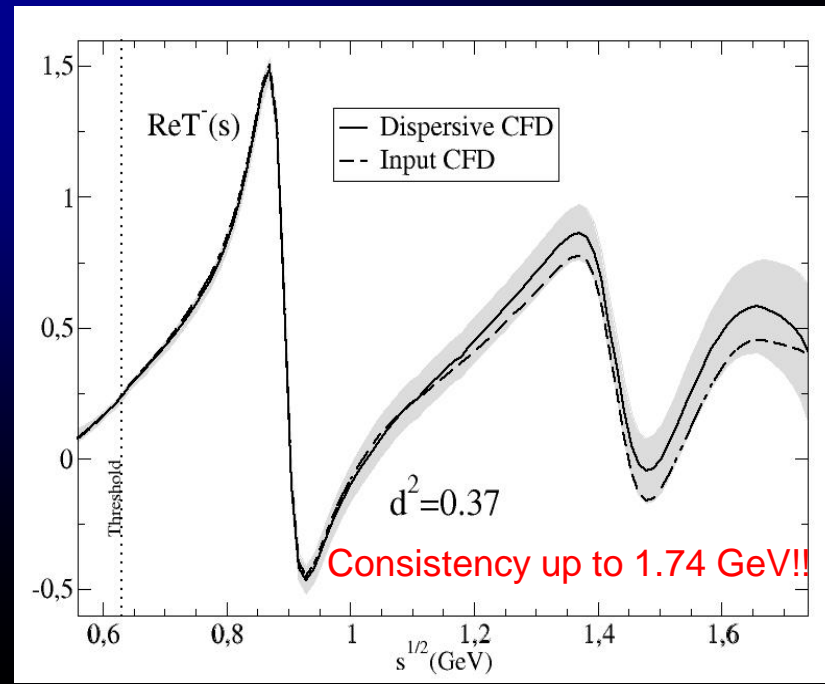
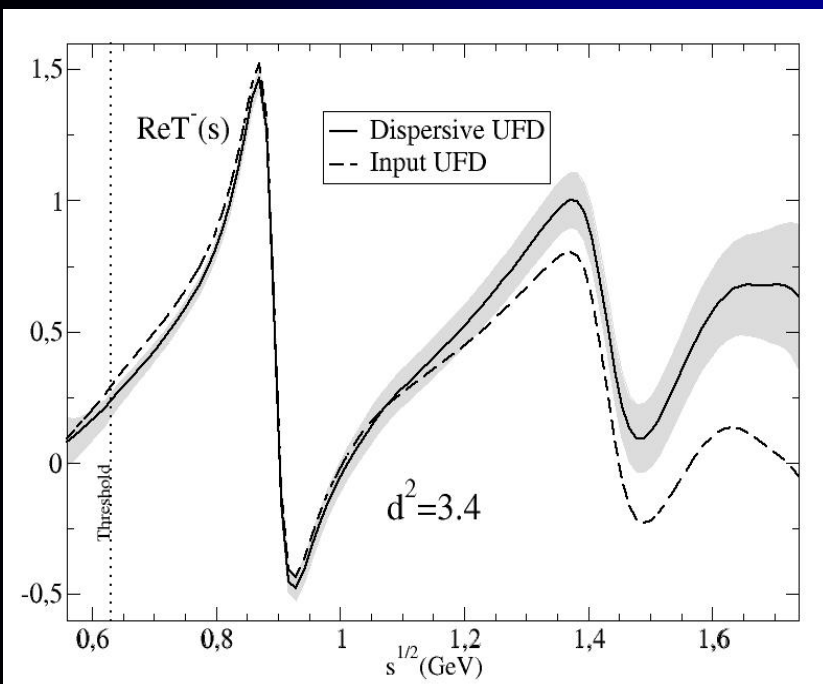
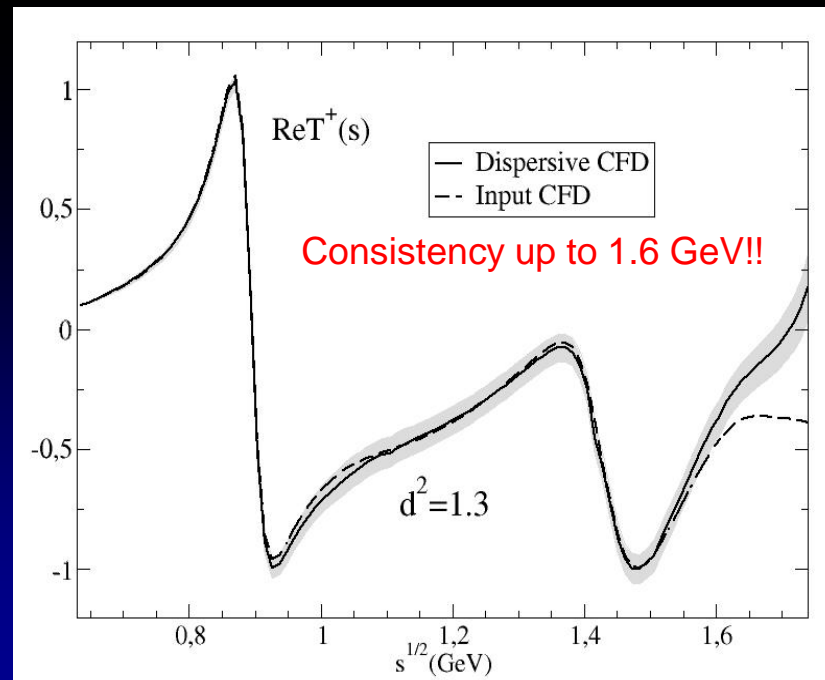
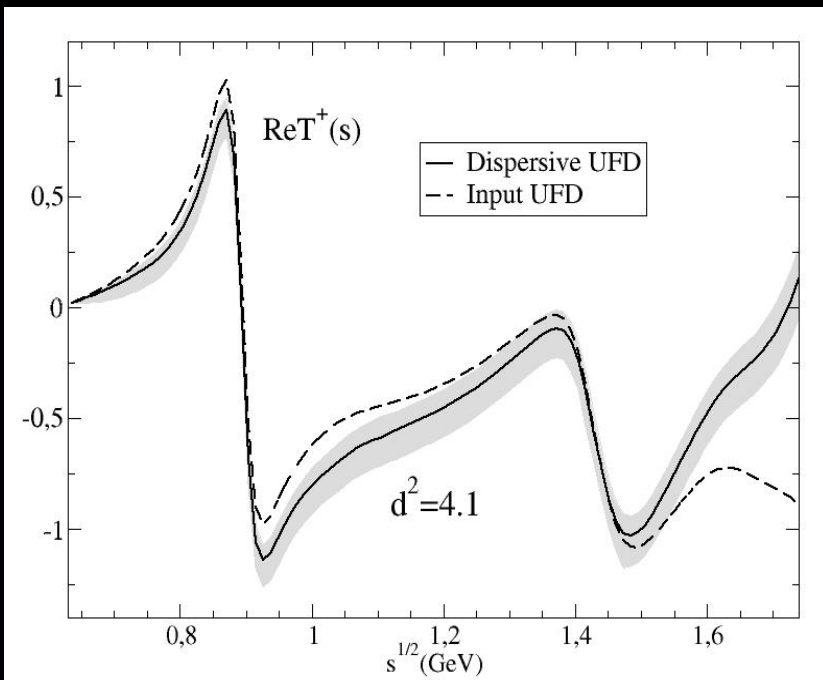
This can be used to check DR

To obtain CONSTRAINED FITS TO DATA (CFD) we minimize:

$$W^2(d_{T+}^2 + d_{T-}^2) + \sum_{I=\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}} \left( \frac{\Delta_I}{\delta\Delta_I} \right)^2 + \sum_k \left( \frac{P_k^{UFD} - P_k}{\delta P_k^{UFD}} \right)^2,$$

2 FDR's Sum Rules threshold Parameters of the unconstrained data fits

W roughly counts the number of effective degrees of freedom (sometimes we add weight on certain energy regions)

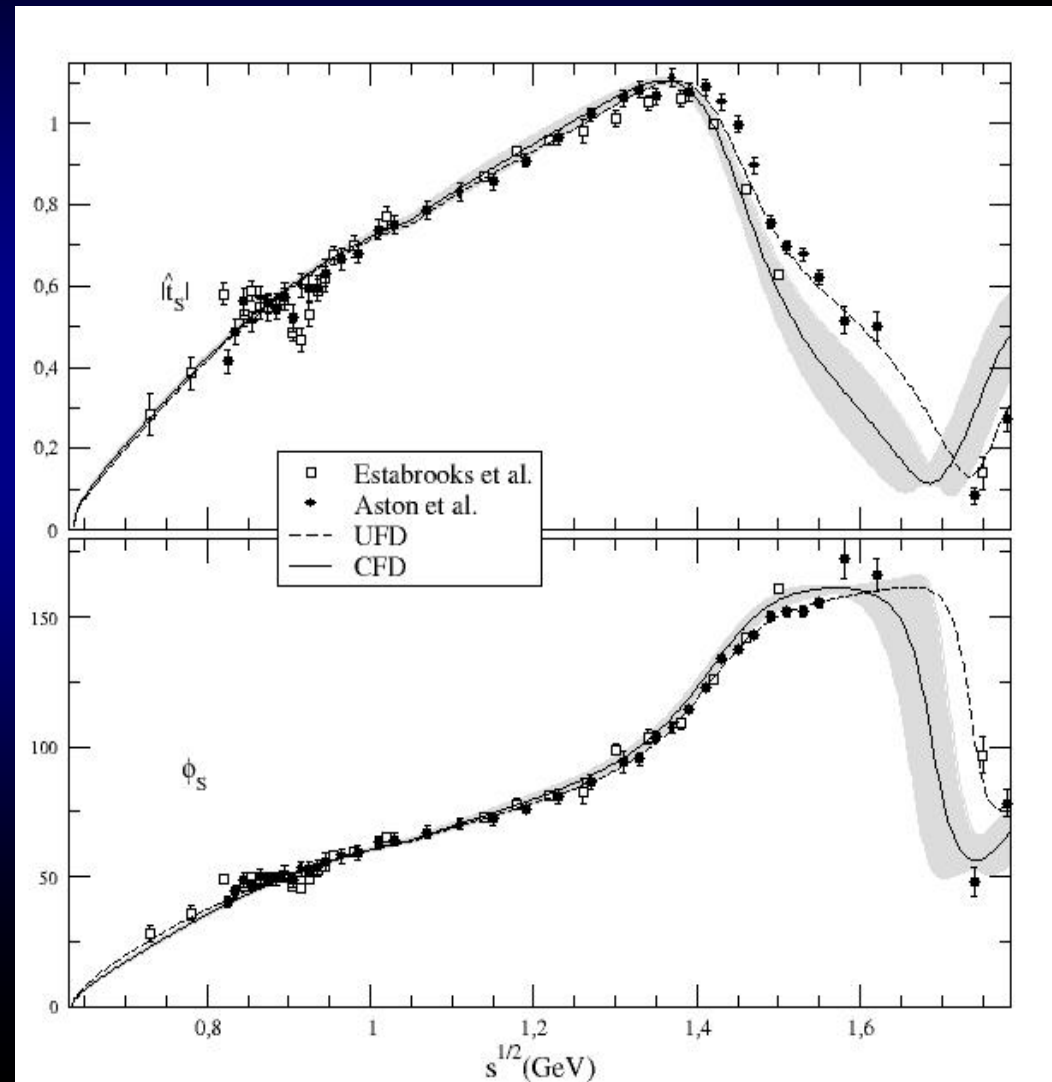
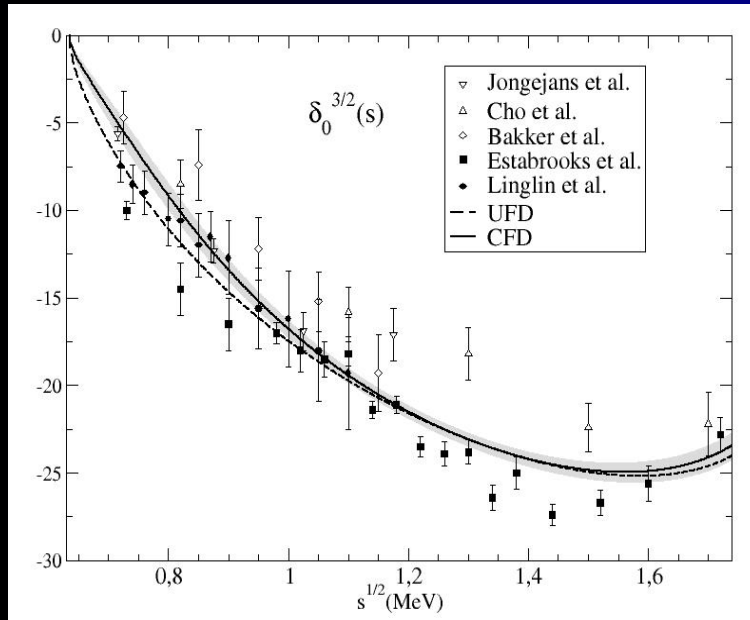




# From Unconstrained (UFD) to Constrained Fits to data (CFD)

S-waves. The most interesting for the  $K_0^*$  resonances

Largest changes from UFD to CFD  
at higher energies



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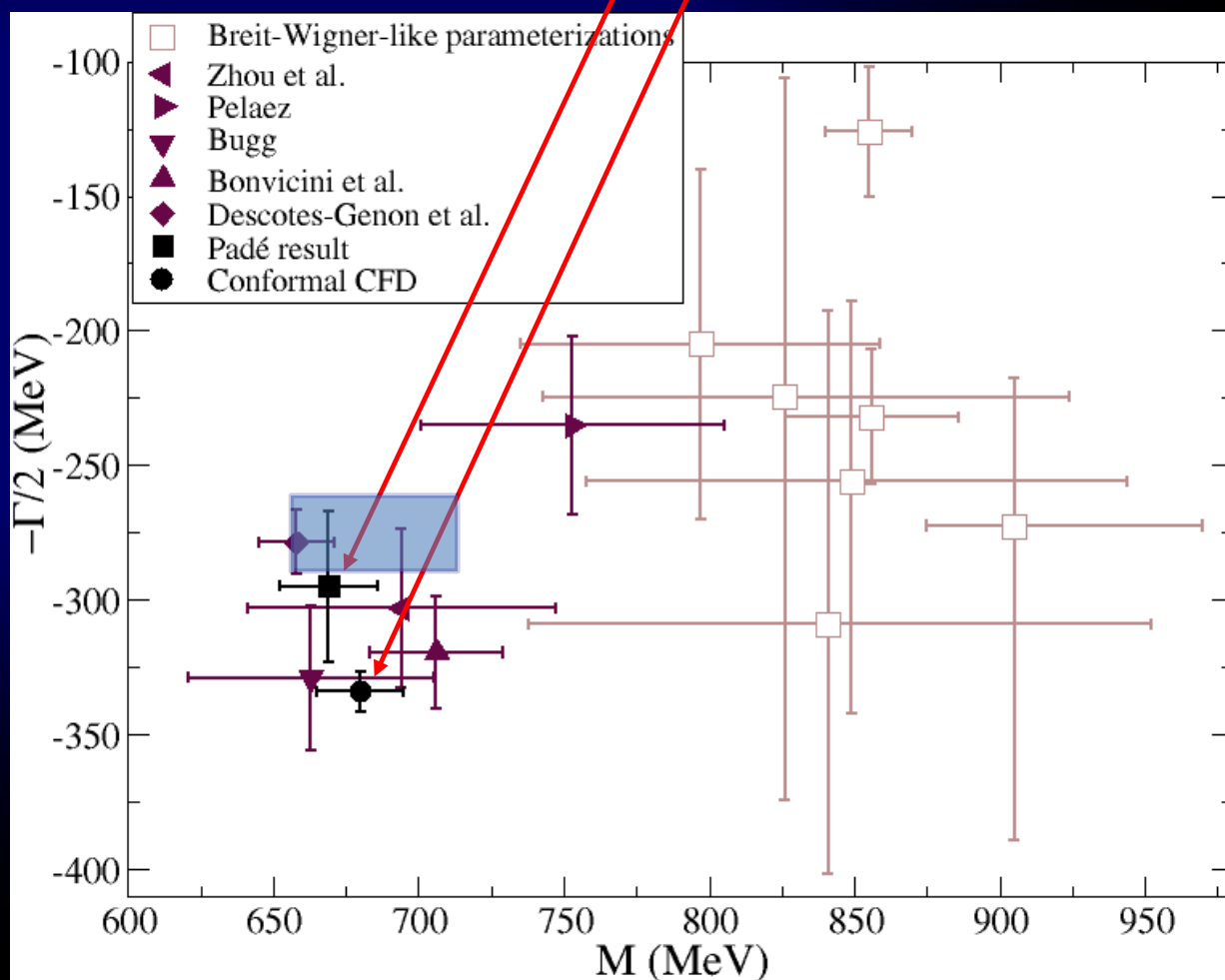
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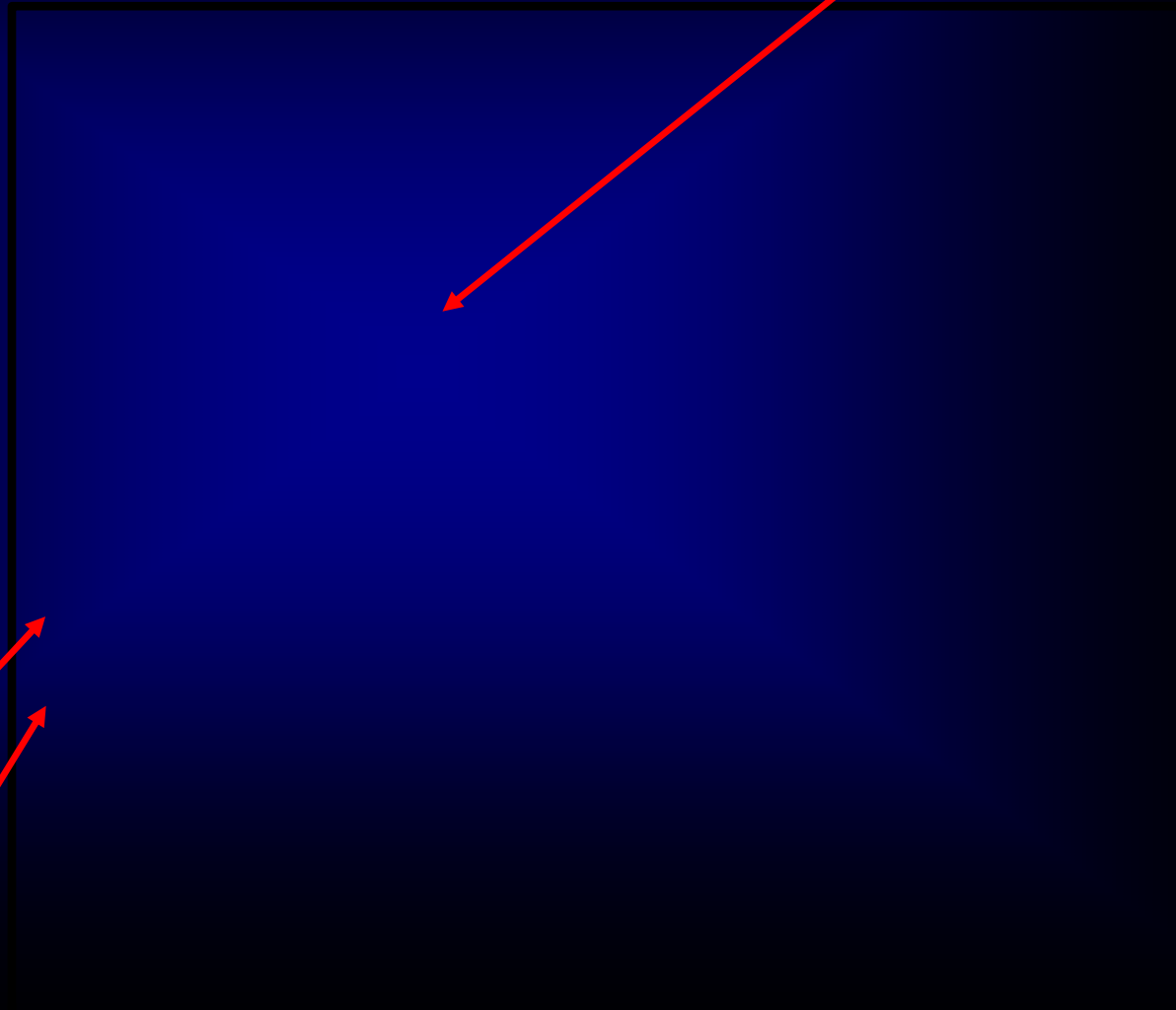
The resonance is NO LONGER the  $\kappa$  nor the  $K_0^*(800)$

But Still “Needs Confirmation” !

Best analysis so far:  
Roy-Steiner  
dispersion relations

Plenty of room  
for improvement  
on parameters

Our  
Pade sequences



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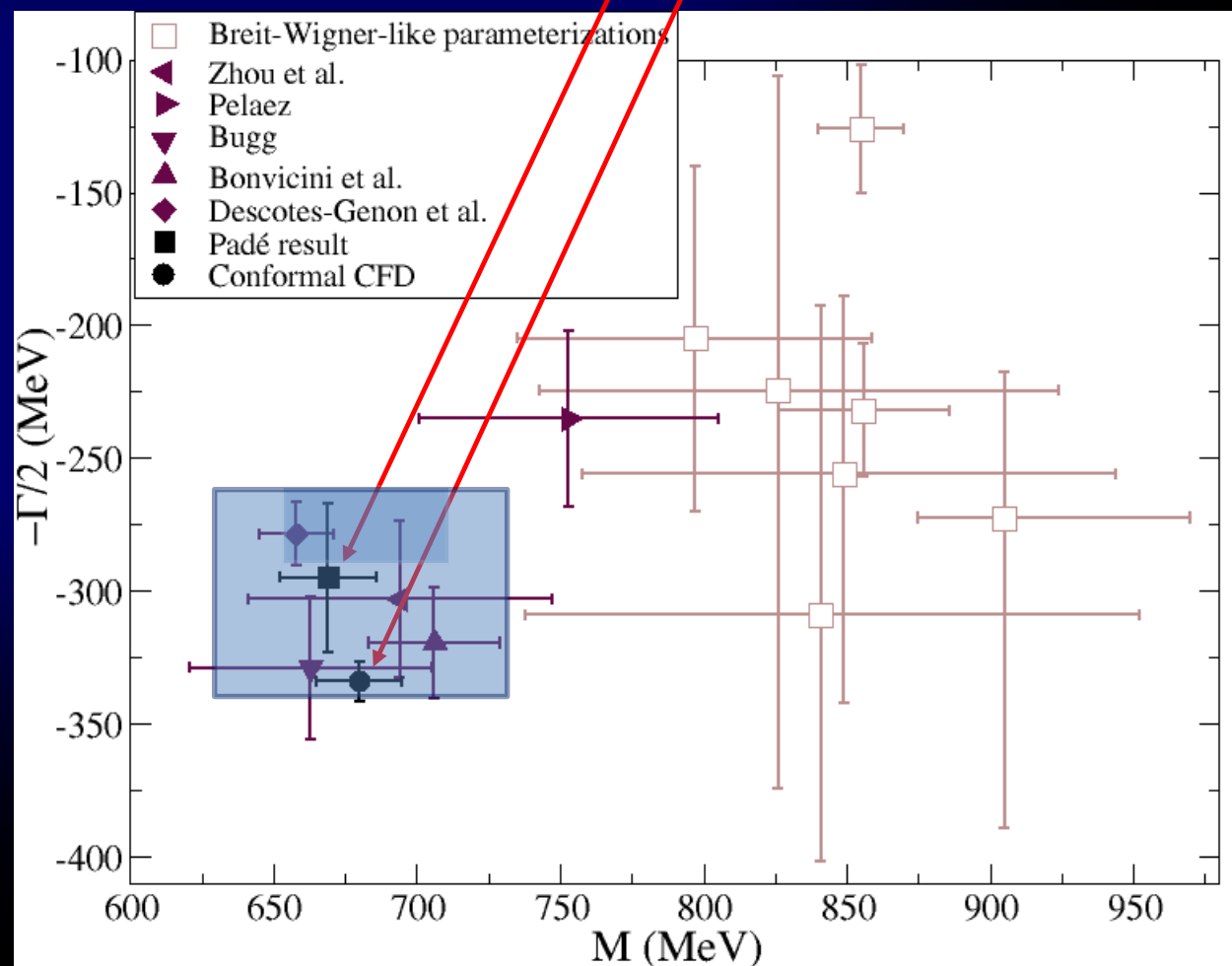
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New PDG2018:  
 $(630 - 730) - i(260 - 340) \text{ MeV}$

And name changed  
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## Partial-wave $\pi K$ Dispersion Relations

Need  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  to rewrite left cut. Range optimized.

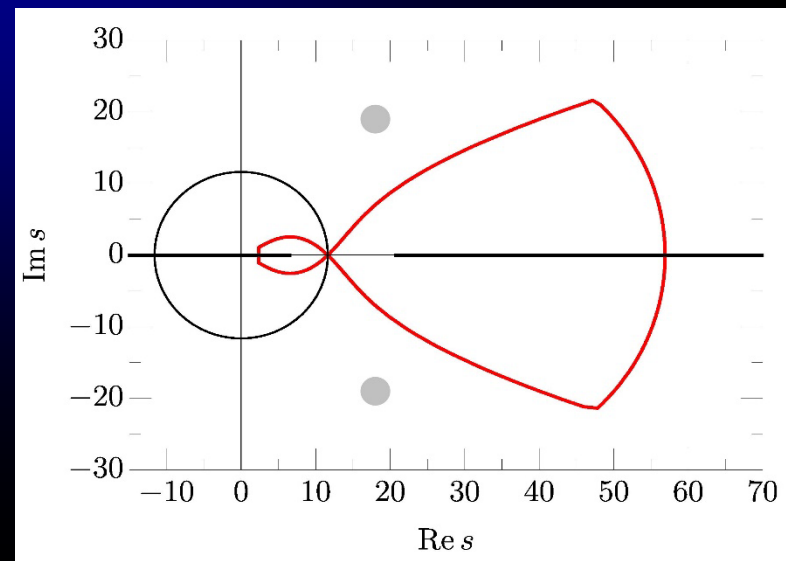
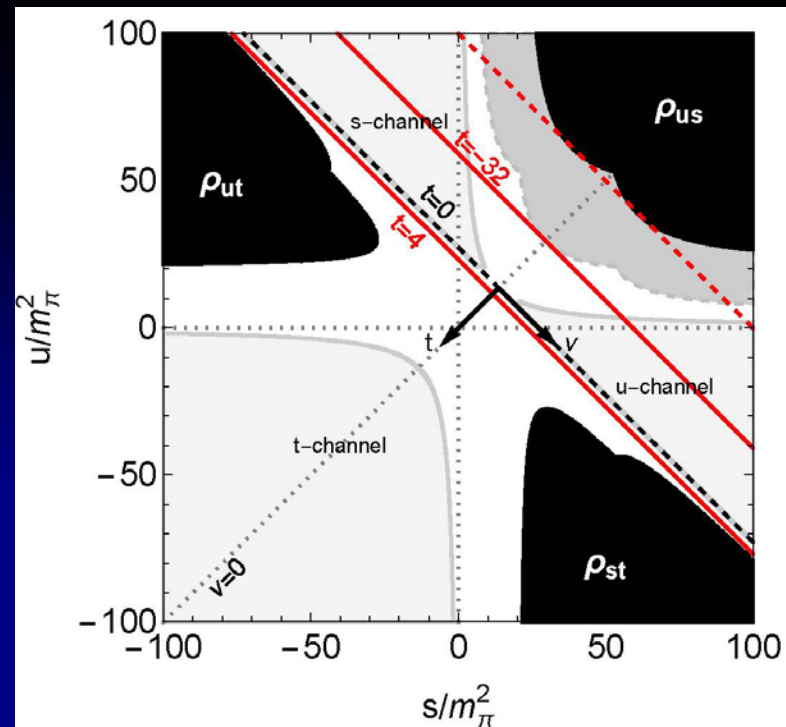
# Partial Wave $\pi K \rightarrow \pi K$ and $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$ Dispersion Relations (Roy-Steiner eqs.)

To get a resonance pole we need  
PARTIAL-WAVE dispersion relations.

Their applicability is limited  
-by the double spectral regions  
-by the Lehmann ellipses  
(way too technical. See our appendices)

Two possibilities in the literature:

- 1) Integrate "t" for fixed-t dispersion relations.  
Fine for the real axis (1.1 GeV)  
but bad to reach the pole.  
Were used to obtain solutions by the Paris Group  
We will only use them as constraints on data



# $\pi K \rightarrow \pi K$ and $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$ Hyperbolic Dispersion Relations (HDR)

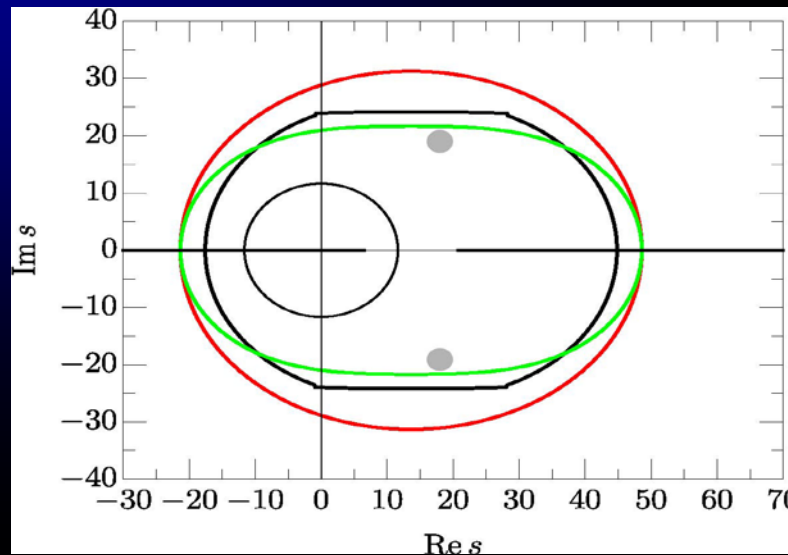
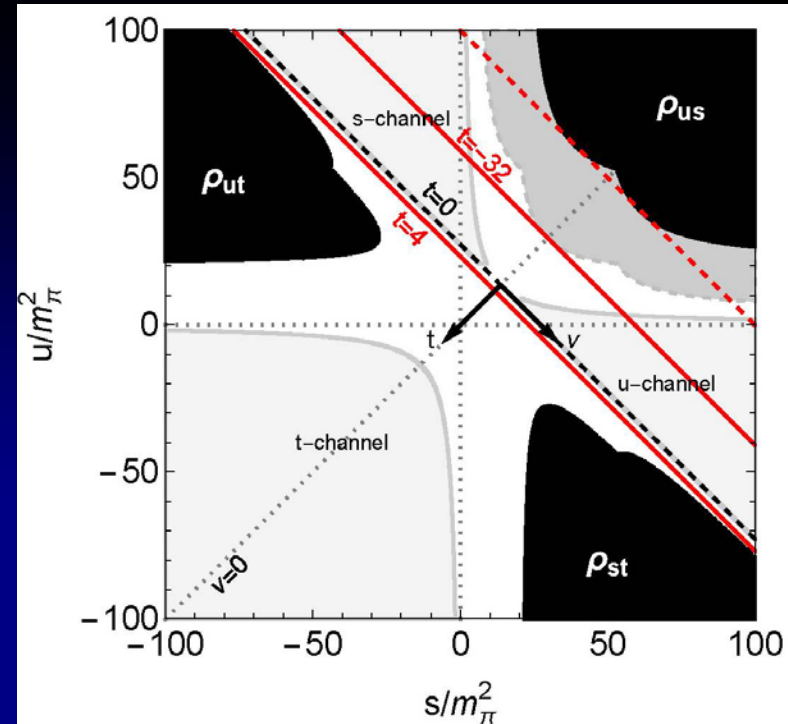
2) Integrate along  $(s-a)(u-a)=b$  hyperbolae in the Mandelstam plane

We tuned  $a$  to maximize applicability for  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$

Applicability range slightly smaller in real axis but covers the kappa pole if a chosen appropriately

We will use them as constraints and to get the pole.

$a = -9m_\pi^2$  chosen to include also error bars inside applicability region





# $\pi K \rightarrow \pi K$ and $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$ Hyperbolic Dispersion Relations (HDR)

$g_J^I = \pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  partial waves. We study  $(I,J)=(0,0),(1,1),(0,2)$

$f_J^I = K\pi \rightarrow K\pi$  partial waves. Taken from previous dispersive study

JRP, A. Rodas PRD 2016

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_0^0(t) &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} m_+ a_0^+ + \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{\text{Im } g_0^0(t')}{t'(t'-t)} dt' - \frac{t}{\pi} \sum_{\ell \geq 2} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{dt'}{t'} G_{0,2\ell-2}^0(t, t') \text{Im } g_{2\ell-2}^0(t') + \sum_{\ell} \int_{m_+^2}^{\infty} ds' G_{0,\ell}^+(t, s') \text{Im } f_{\ell}^+(s'), \\
 g_1^1(t) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{\text{Im } g_1^1(t')}{t'-t} dt' - \sum_{\ell \geq 2} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} dt' G_{1,2\ell-1}^1(t, t') \text{Im } g_{2\ell-1}^1(t') + \sum_{\ell} \int_{m_+^2}^{\infty} ds' G_{1,\ell}^-(t, s') \text{Im } f_{\ell}^-(s'), \\
 g_2^0(t) &= \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{\text{Im } g_2^0(t')}{t'(t'-t)} dt' + \sum_{\ell \geq 2} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{dt'}{t'} G_{2,4\ell-2}^{0'}(t, t') \text{Im } g_{4\ell-2}^0(t') + \sum_{\ell} \int_{m_+^2}^{\infty} ds' G_{2,\ell}^{+'}(t, s') \text{Im } f_{\ell}^+(s').
 \end{aligned} \tag{39}$$

$G_{J,J}^I(t, t')$  = integral kernels, depend on a parameter  
 Lowest # of subtractions. Odd pw decouple from even pw.

$$g_{\ell}^0(t) = \Delta_{\ell}^0(t) + \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{dt'}{t'} \frac{\text{Im } g_{\ell}^0(t')}{t'-t}, \quad \ell = 0, 2,$$

$$g_1^1(t) = \Delta_1^1(t) + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} \frac{dt'}{t'-t} \text{Im } g_1^1(t'), \tag{40}$$

$\Delta(t)$  depend on higher waves or on  $K\pi \rightarrow K\pi$ .

Integrals from  $2\pi$  threshold !

Solve in descending J order

We have used models for higher waves, but give very small contributions

For unphysical region below KK threshold, we used Omnés function

$$\Omega_\ell^I(t) = \exp \left( \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{t_m} \frac{\phi_\ell^I(t') dt'}{t'(t'-t)} \right),$$

$$\Omega_\ell^I(t) \equiv \Omega_{\ell,R}^I(t) e^{i\phi_\ell^I(t)\theta(t-4m_\pi^2)\theta(t_m-t)},$$

This is the form of our HDR: Roy-Steiner+Omnés formalism

$$g_0^0(t) = \Delta_0^0(t) + \frac{t\Omega_0^0(t)}{t_m-t} \left[ \alpha + \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{t_m} dt' \frac{(t_m-t')\Delta_0^0(t') \sin \phi_0^0(t')}{\Omega_{0,R}^0(t')t'^2(t'-t)} + \frac{t}{\pi} \int_{t_m}^{\infty} dt' \frac{(t_m-t')|g_0^0(t')| \sin \phi_0^0(t')}{\Omega_{0,R}^0(t')t'^2(t'-t)} \right]$$

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We can now check how well these HDR are satisfied

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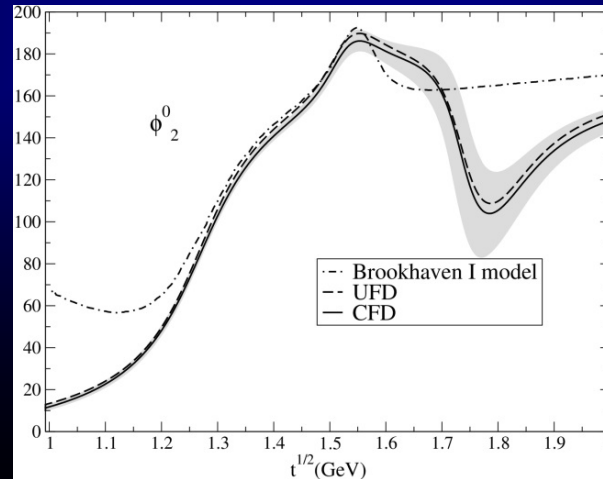
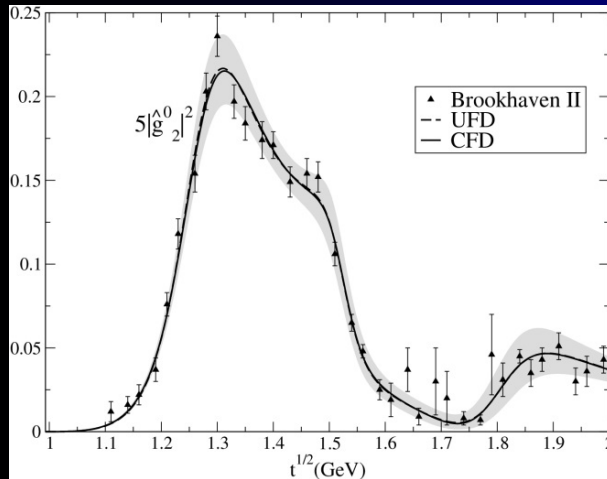
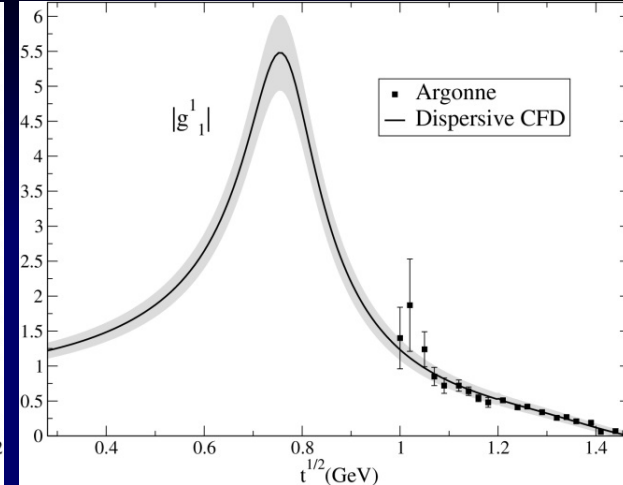
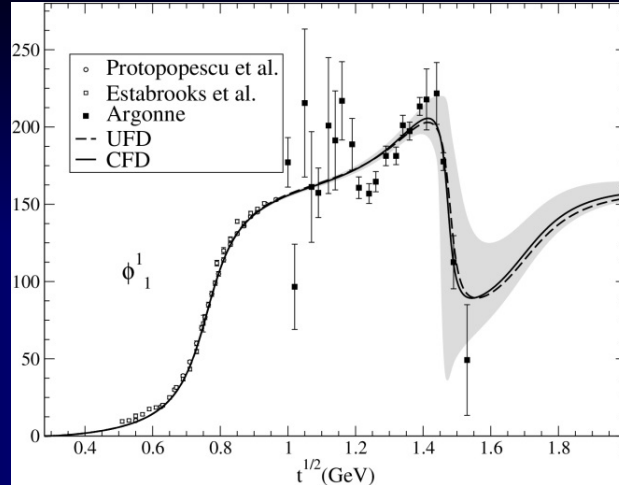
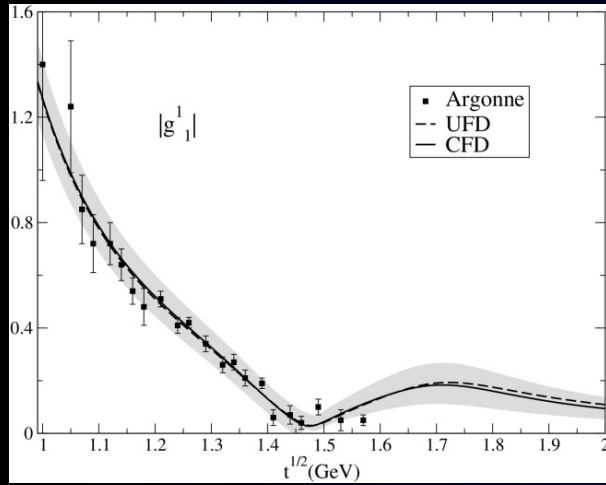
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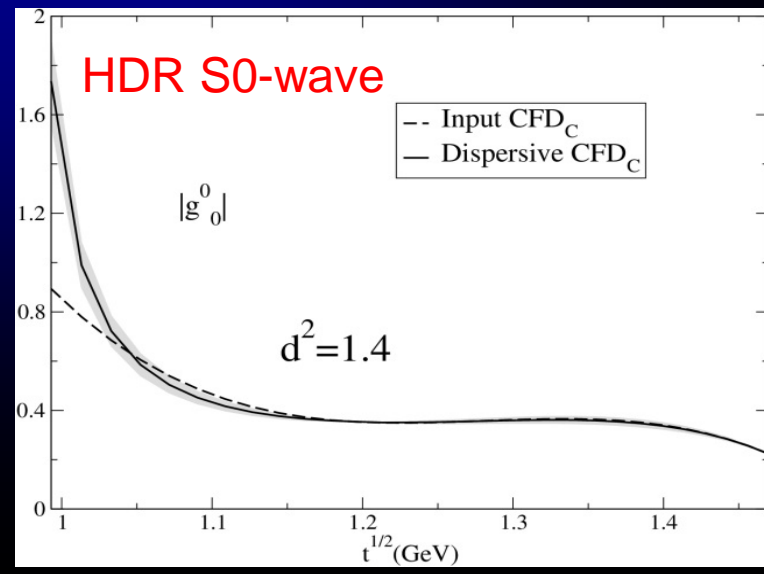
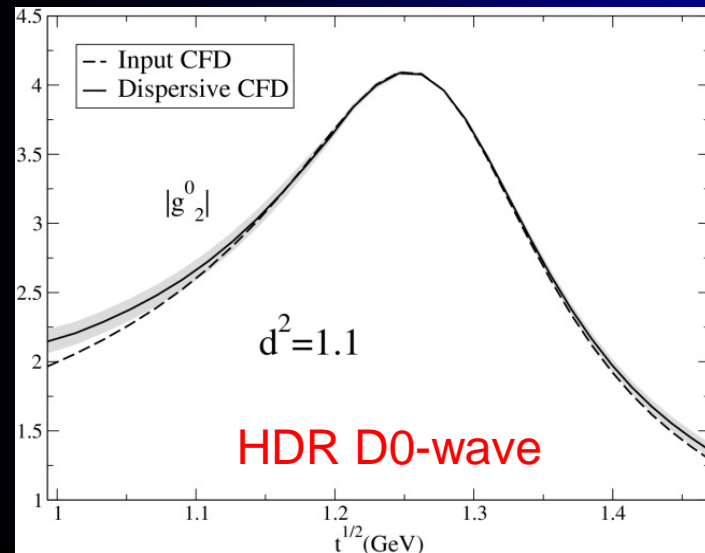
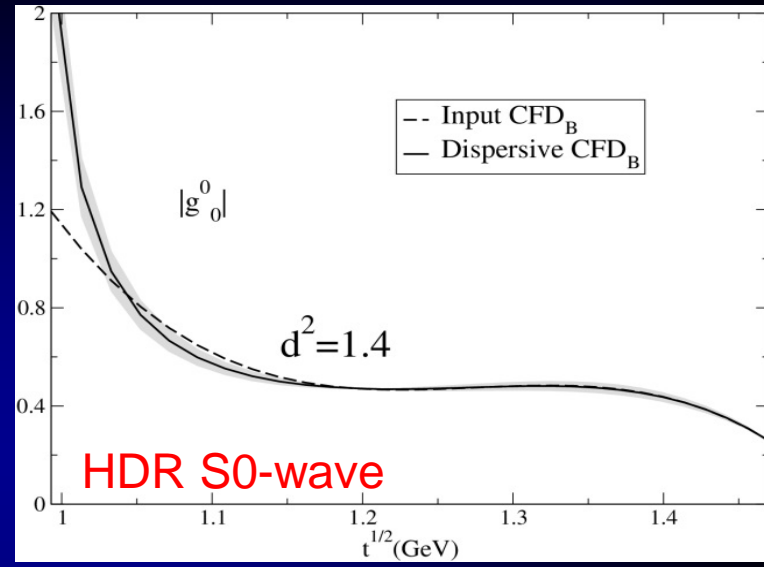
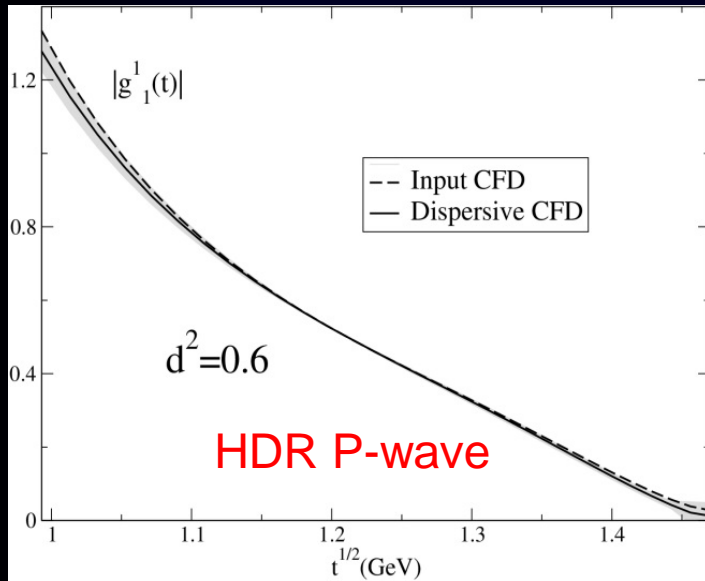
Once again SIMPLE FITS TO  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  DATA



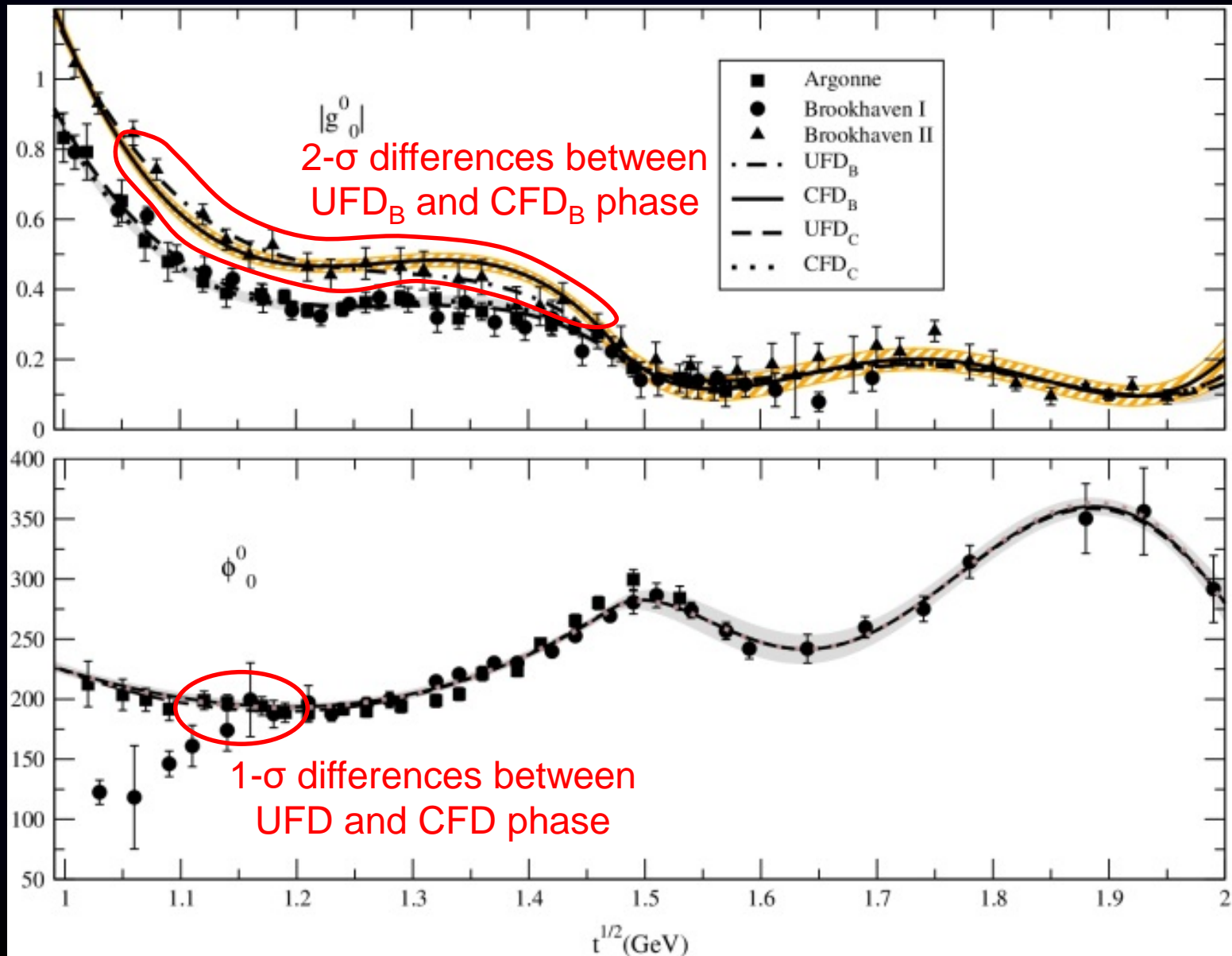
Inconsistent with HDR  
If not constrained

But consistent after HDR used as constraints

Two possible solutions for S0 wave



Some  $2\text{-}\sigma$  level differences between  $\text{UFD}_B$  and  $\text{CFD}_B$  between 1.05 and 1.45 GeV  
 $\text{CFD}_C$  consistent within  $1\text{-}\sigma$  band of  $\text{UFD}_C$



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JRP, A.Rodas, in progress. PRELIMINARY results shown here

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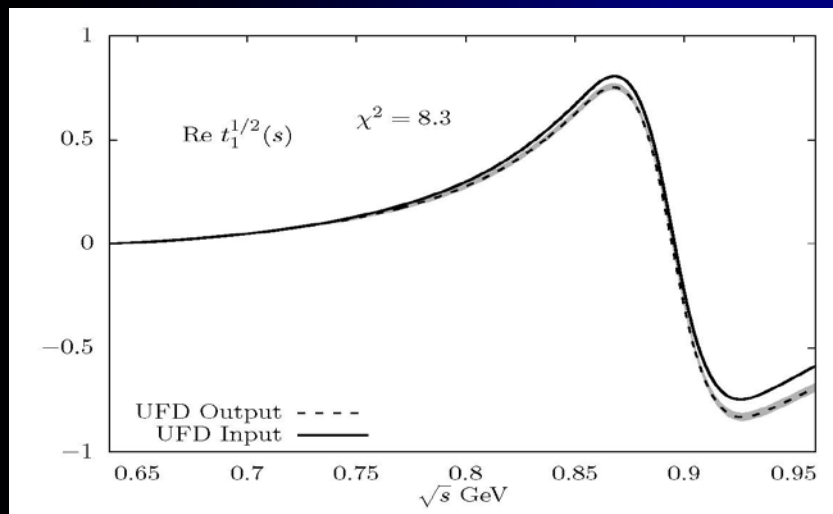
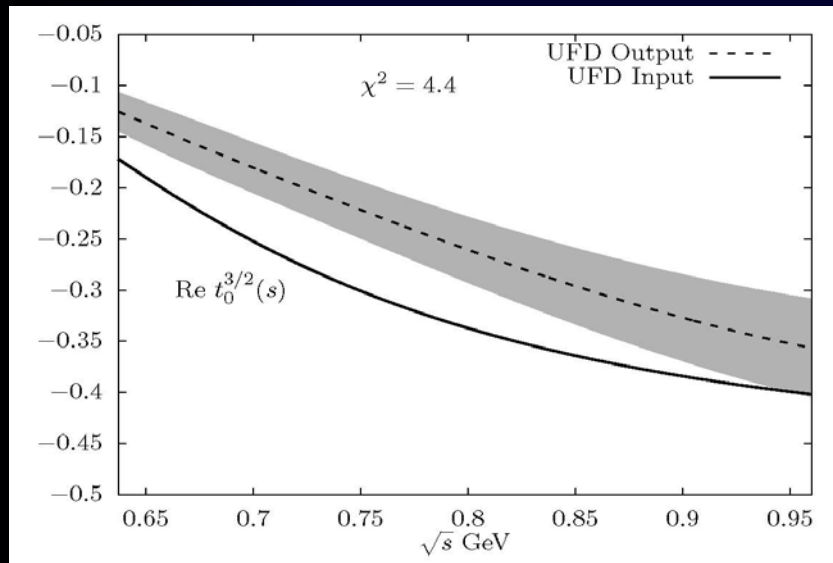
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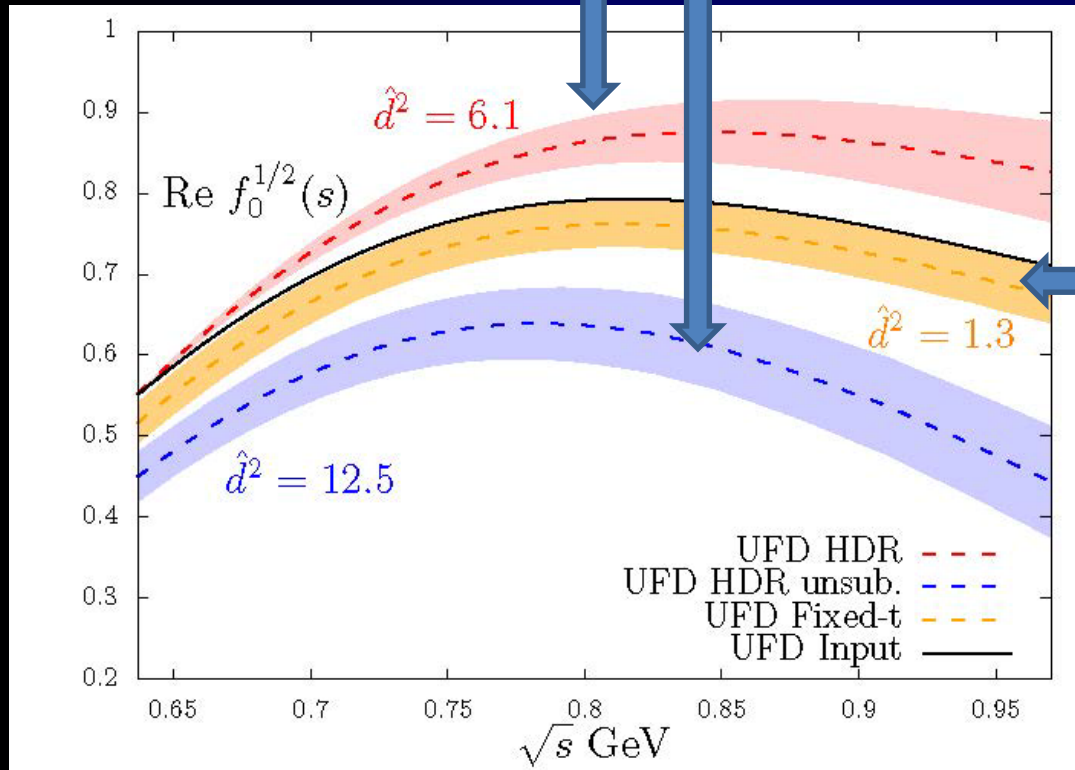
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The most relevant wave for the kappa resonance.

**LARGE inconsistency of HDR Roy-Steiner from unconstrained fits**



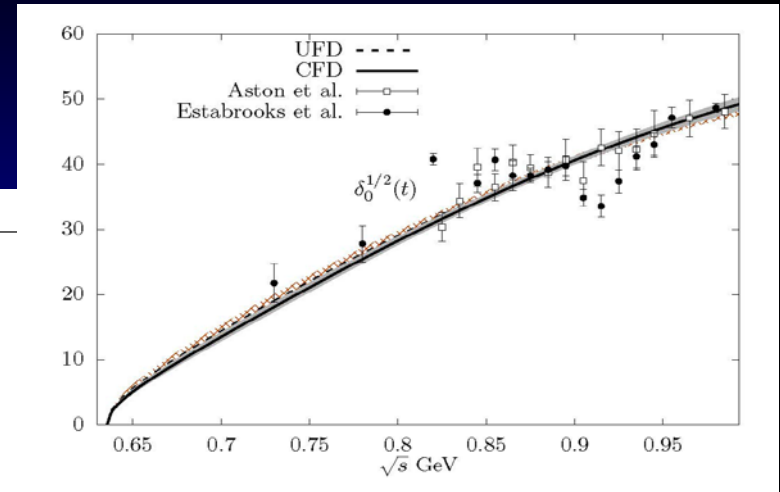
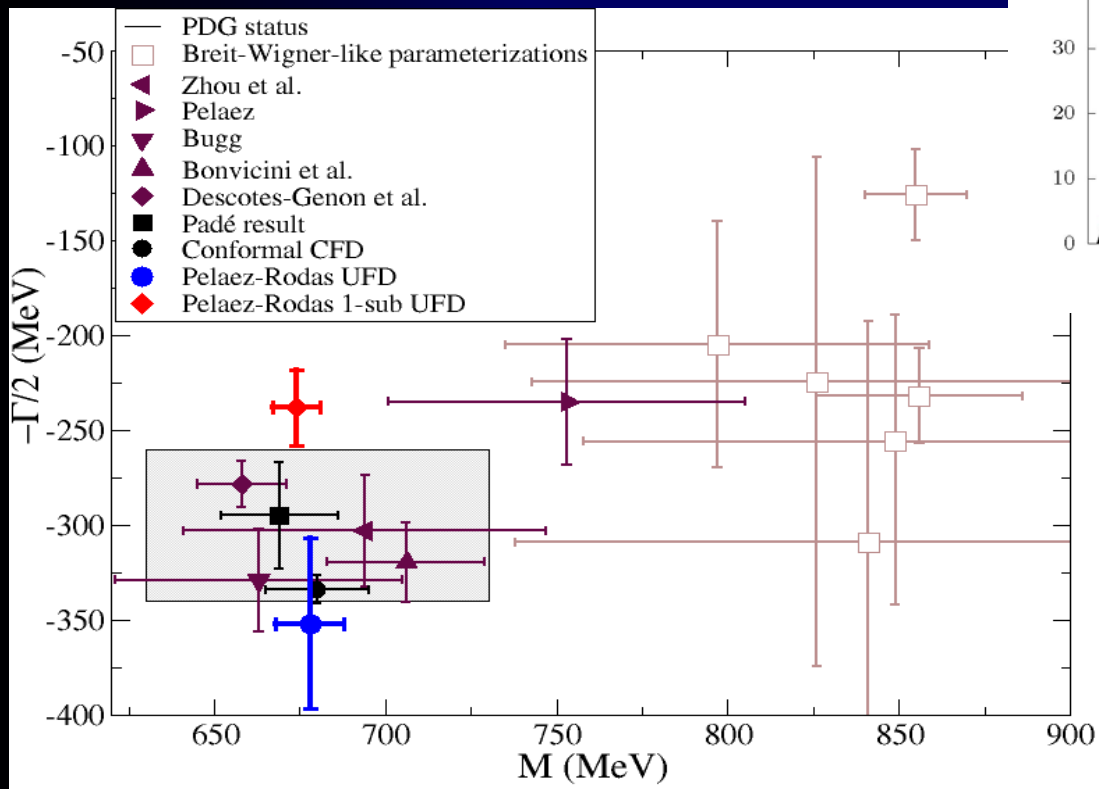
Fixed-t Roy-Steiner is OK  
but kappa pole outside  
their applicability region

**We have chosen the hyperbolae family so that the kappa pole and its uncertainties lie within their applicability region**

# WARNING ABOUT THE PRECISION OF UNCONSTRAINED FITS

Before imposing Roy Eqs. incompatible results with different # of subtractions !!

This is part of the left cut.



Looking fine on data is not enough to get a stable and precise continuation to the complex plane

You can imagine what precision you get if you use simple models only of  $\pi K$ , without left cut or without dispersion relations...

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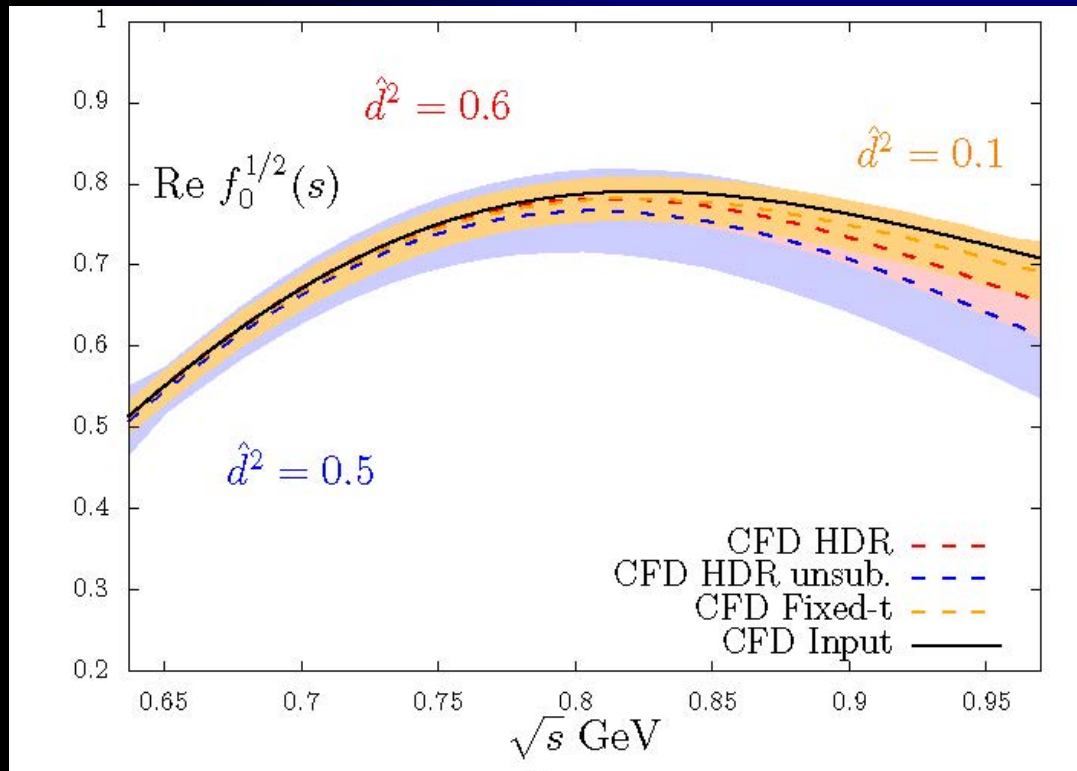
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Thus, a constrained data analysis satisfying Dispersion Relations is needed.  
This is what we have finally completed, satisfying all of them.  
(16 in our case, FDRs, fixed-t, HDR, different # subtractions)

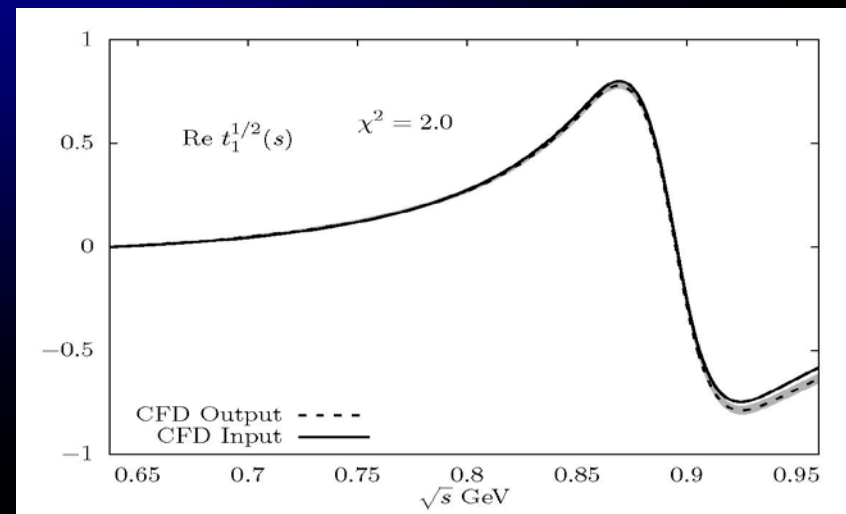
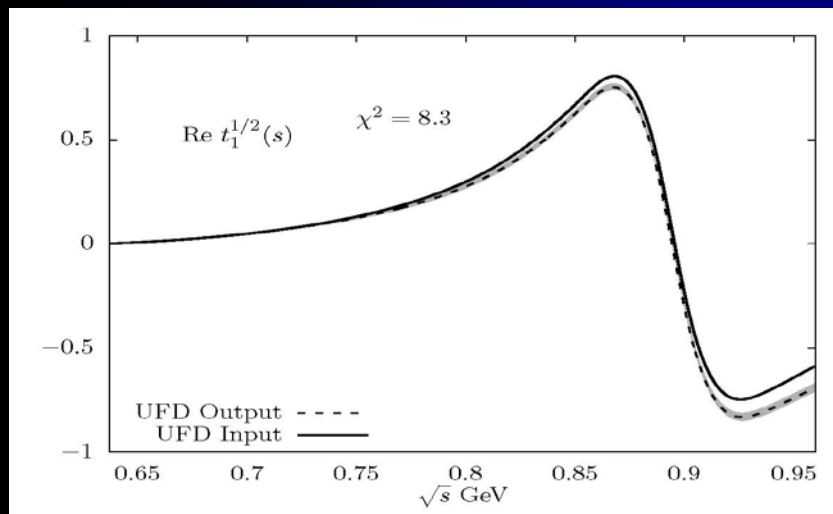
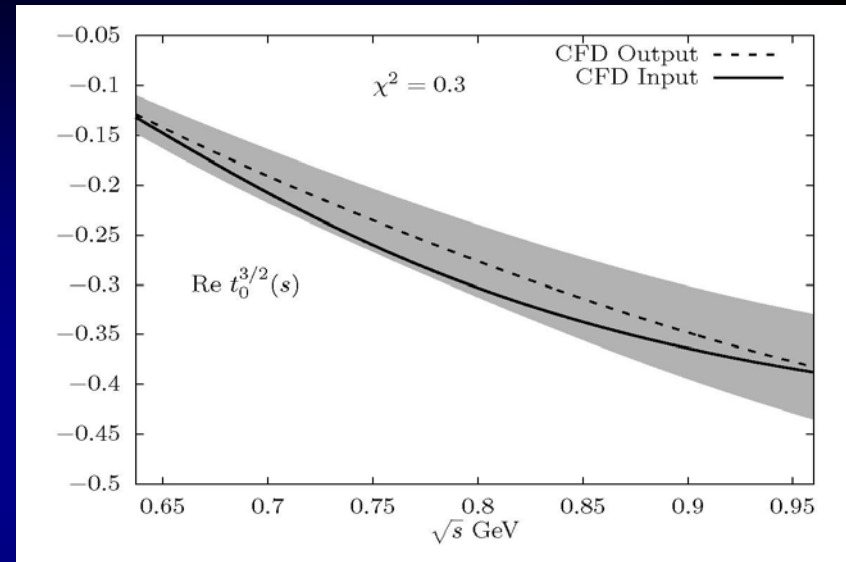
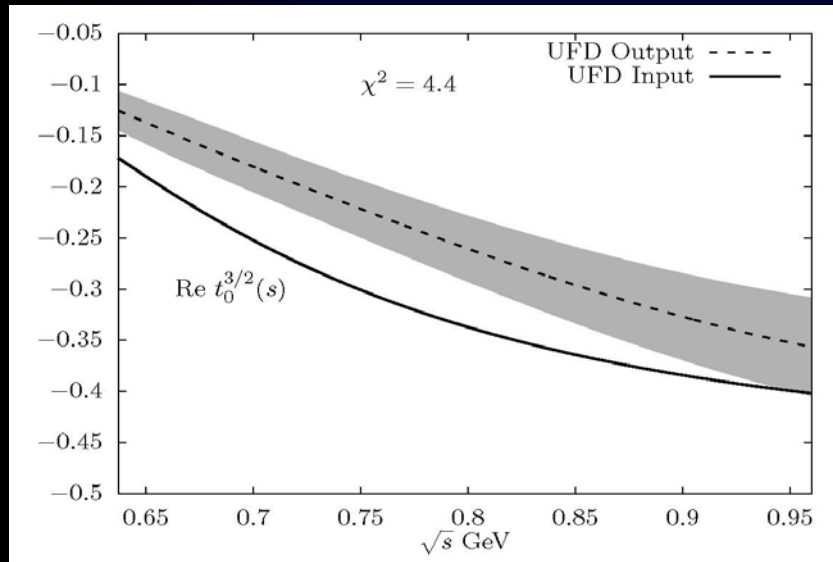


Our Constrained  
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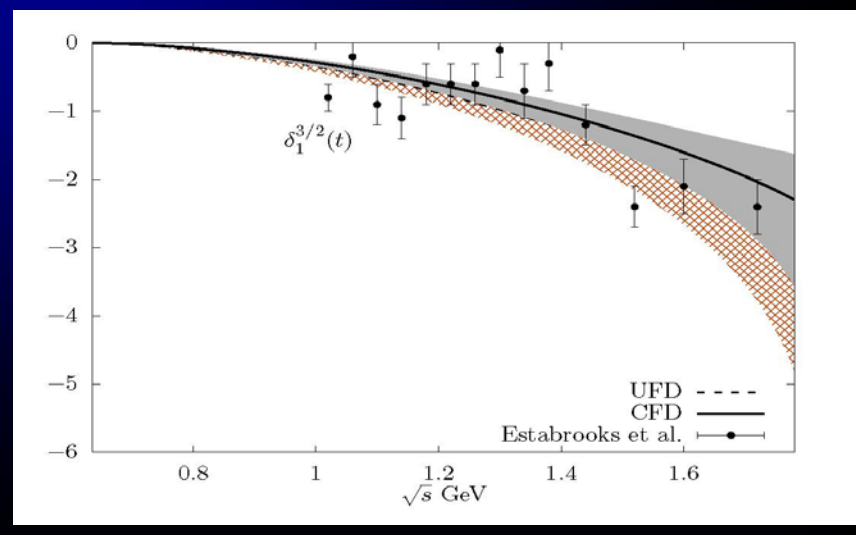
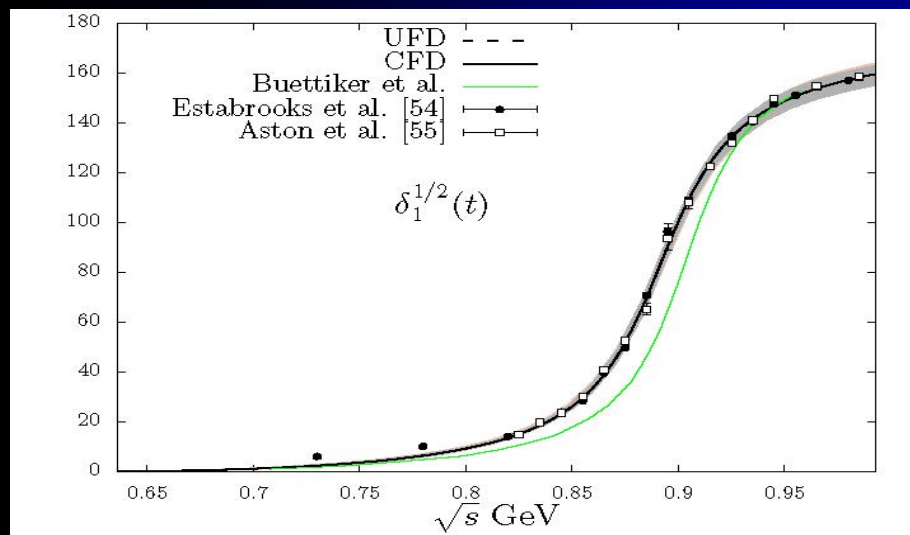
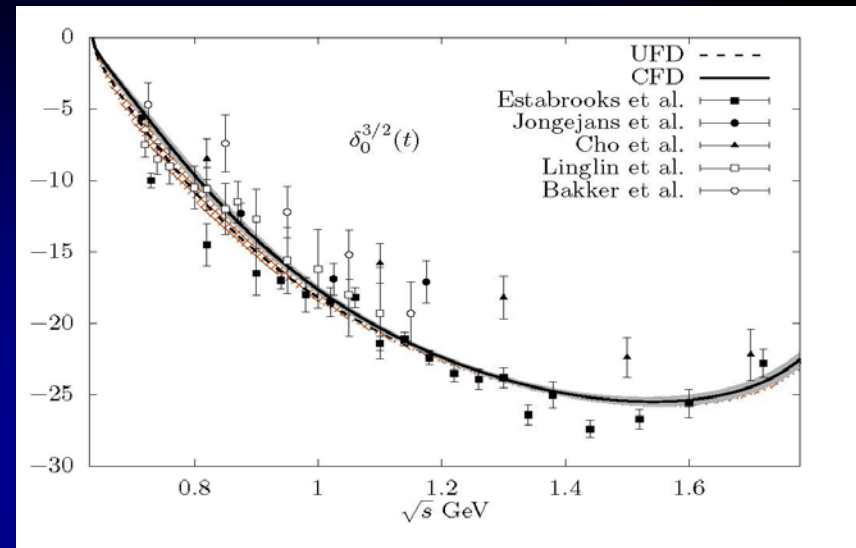
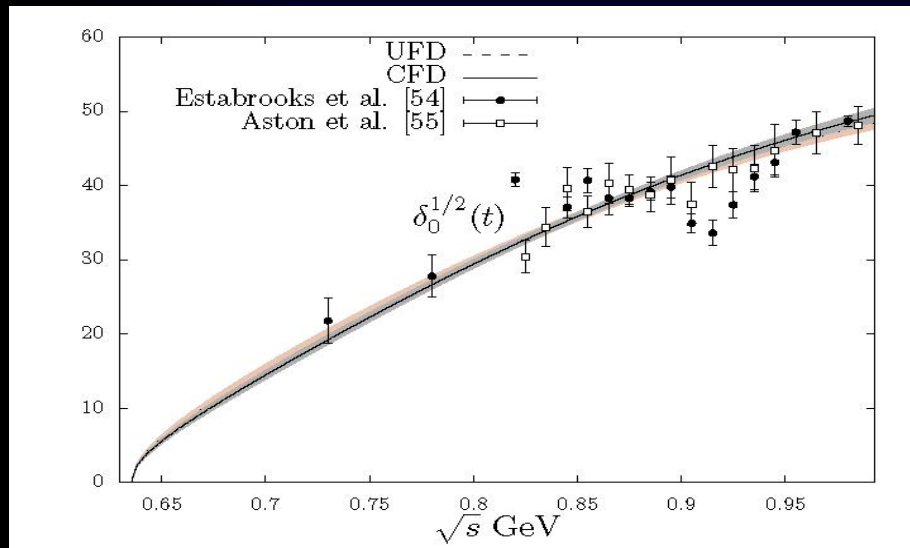
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Made consistent within uncertainties when we use the DR as constraints



Constrained parameterizations suffer minor changes but still describe  $\pi K$  data fairly well. Here we compare the unconstrained fits (UFD) versus the constrained ones (CFD)



The “unphysical”  $\rho$  peak in  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  grows by 10% from UFD to CFD

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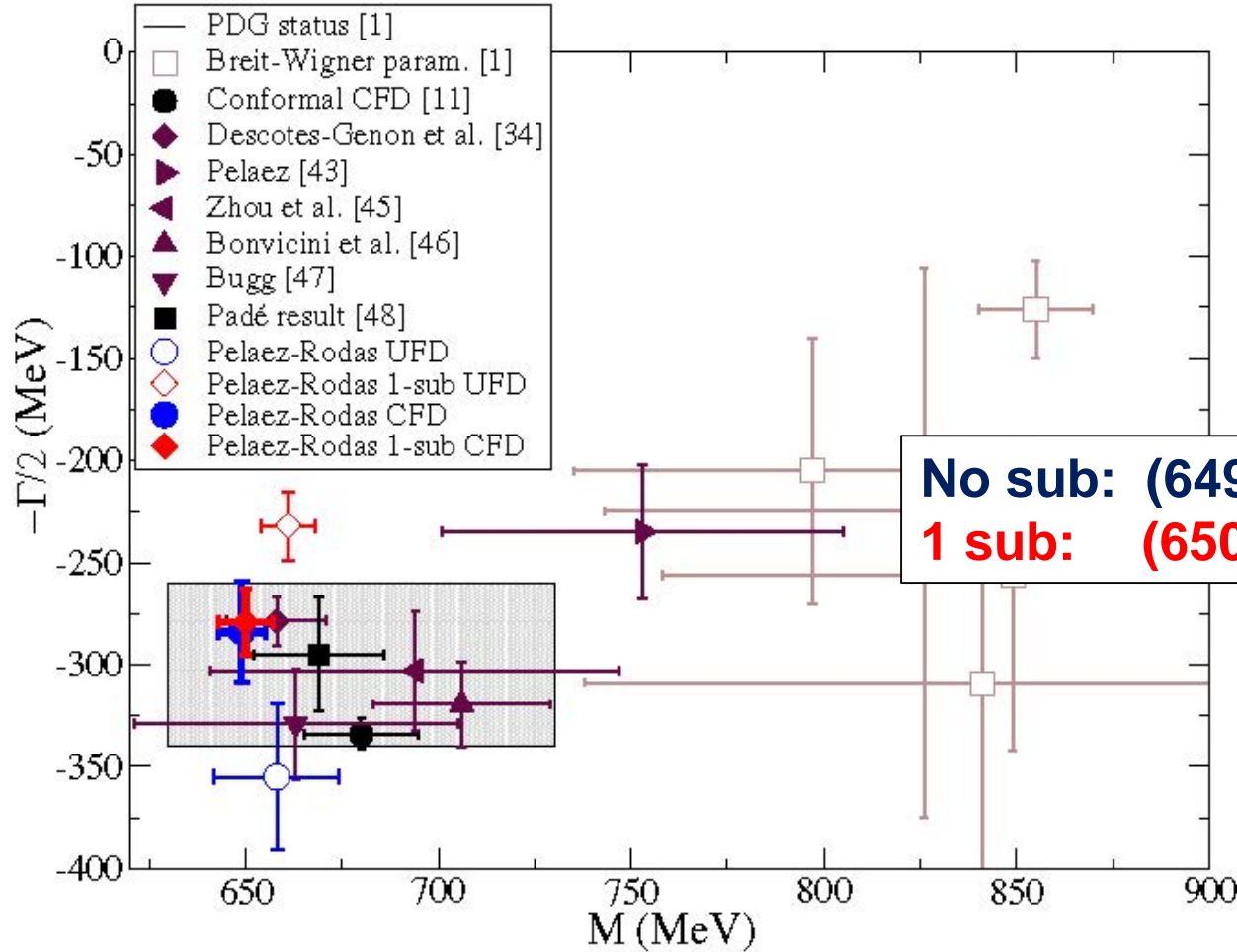
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Now we have:

- Constrained **FIT TO DATA** (not solution but fit)
- Improved P-wave (consistent with data)
- Realistic  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  uncertainties (none before)
- Improved Pomeron
  
- Constrained  $\pi\pi \rightarrow KK$  input with DR
- Unphysical region VERY RELEVANT
- FDR up to 1.6 GeV
- Fixed-t Roy-Steiner Eqs.
- Hyperbolic Roy Steiner Eqs.
  - both in real axis (not before)
  - and complex plane
- Both one and no-subtractions for F- HDR
  - (only the subtracted one before)



When using the constrained fit to data both poles come out nicely compatible



**FINAL RESULT**  
eQCD2020

**No sub:  $(649 \pm 6) - i(284 \pm 25)$  MeV**  
**1 sub:  $(650 \pm 7) - i(279 \pm 16)$  MeV**

Compatible with  
Paris group  
Decotes-Genon-Moussallam 2006  
 $(658 \pm 13) - i(278.5 \pm 12)$  MeV  
And our previous  
"Padé sequence"  
determination  
 $(670 \pm 18) - i(295 \pm 28)$  MeV

## Summary

- The  $\pi K$  and  $\pi \pi \rightarrow KK$  data do not satisfy well basic dispersive constraints
- Using dispersion relations as constraints we provide **simple** and consistent data parameterizations.
- We have implemented partial-wave dispersion relations whose applicability range reaches the kappa pole.
- Our results confirm previous studies and provide a precise determination of its parameters **FROM DATA. A good control on the left cut is needed for this precision.**
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