

# International Workshop on Partial Wave Analyses and Advanced Tools for Hadron Spectroscopy (PWA 12 / ATHOS 7)

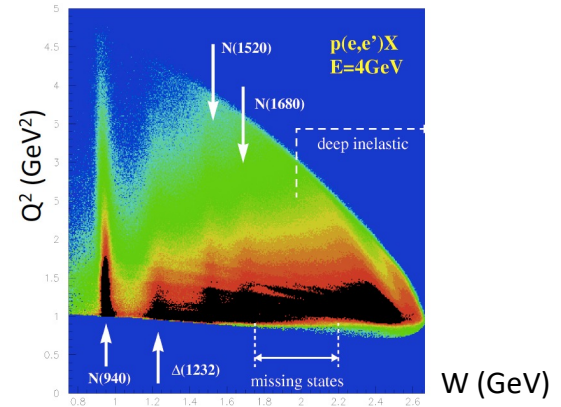
## Baryon Spectroscopy with CLAS and CLAS12 Annalisa D'Angelo

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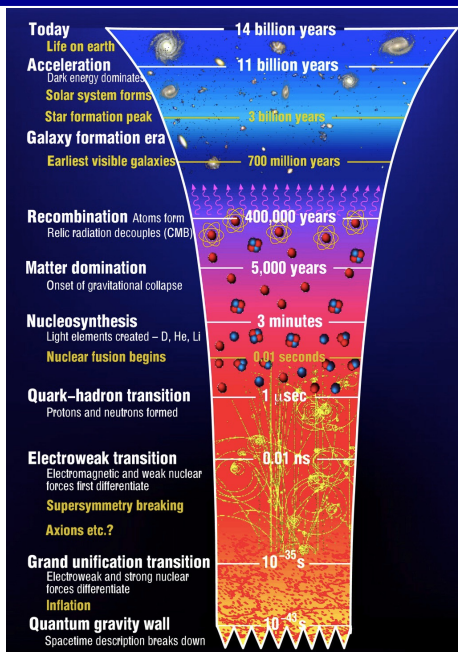
For the CLAS Collaboration

### Outline:

- Establishing  $N^*$  states
- Identifying the effective degrees of freedom
- Results on photo- and electro-production
- Hybrid baryons signature
- Outlook & conclusions



# Strong QCD is born $\sim 1\mu\text{sec}$ after the Big Bang



$T \sim 700,000,000$  yrs: Galaxies

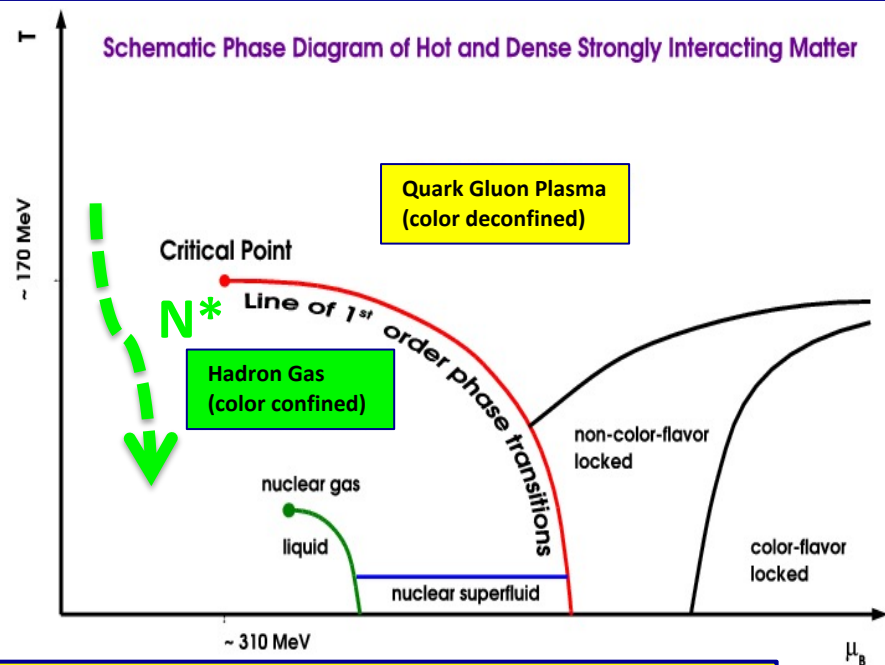
$T \sim 400,000$  yrs: Atoms

$T \sim 10^2$  s: Nuclei

$T \sim 10^{-6}$  s: Nucleons

$T \sim 10^{-9}$  s: QGP

$T \sim 10^{-6}$  s: Transition from the QGP to Nucleons

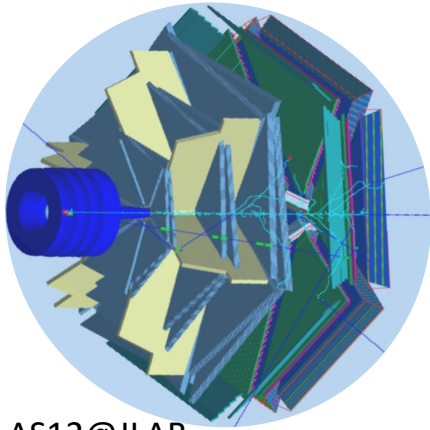


**Dramatic events occur in the microsecond old Universe.**

- The transition from the QGP to the baryon phase is dominated by excited baryons. A quantitative description requires more states than found to date => **missing baryons**.
- During the transition the quarks acquire **dynamical mass** and the **confinement of color** occurs.

# N\* Program – photo- & electro-production of mesons

The N\* program is one of the key physics foundations of CLAS@JLab, A2@MAMI and CB@ELSA



Detectors have been designed to measure cross sections and spin observables over a broad kinematic range for exclusive reaction channels:

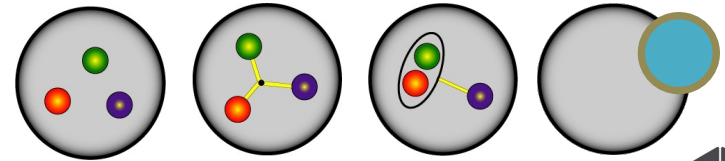
$\pi N$ ,  $\omega N$ ,  $\phi N$ ,  $\eta N$ ,  $\eta' N$ ,  $\pi\pi N$ ,  $KY$ ,  $K^*Y$ ,  $KY^*$

- N\* parameters do not depend on how they decay
- Different final states have different hadronic decay parameters and different backgrounds
- Agreement offers model-independent support for findings

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- The program goal is to probe the *spectrum* of N\* states and their *structure*
  - Probe the underlying degrees of freedom of the nucleon through studies of photoproduction and the  $Q^2$  evolution of the electro-production amplitudes.

N\* degrees of freedom??



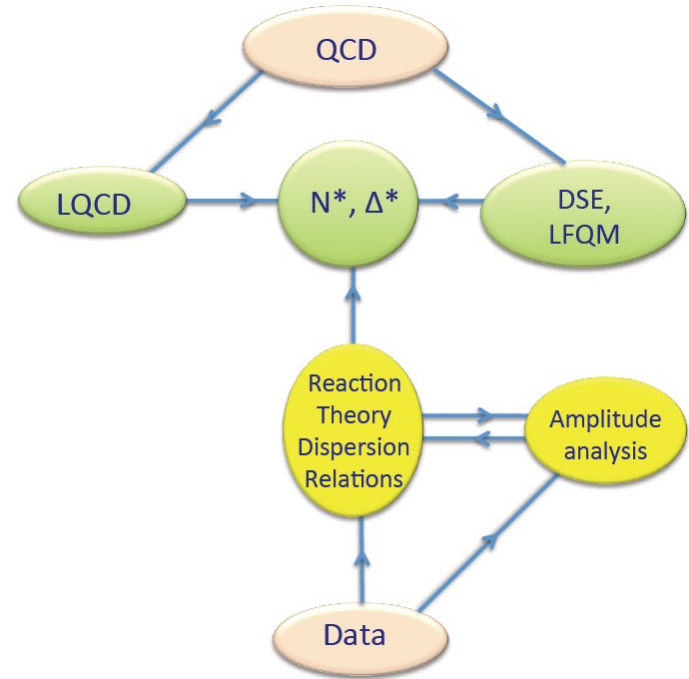
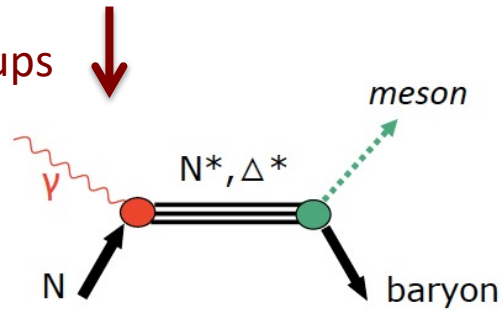
# Establishing the $N^*$ and $\Delta$ Spectrum

## Experimental requirements:

- Precision measurements of photo-induced processes in wide kinematics, e.g.  
 $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi N, \eta p, KY, \dots$        $\gamma n \rightarrow \pi N, K^0 Y^0, \dots$
- More complex reactions, e.g.  $\gamma p \rightarrow \omega p, \rho p, \pi p, \eta p, K^* Y, \dots$  may be sensitive to high mass states through direct transition to ground state or through cascade decays
- Polarization observables are essential

Engaging theoretical groups

Extract s-channel resonances



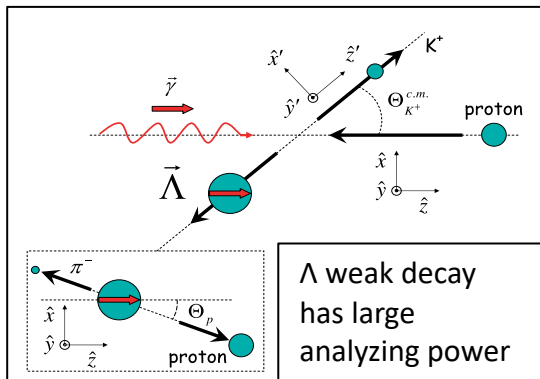
Hadronic production

&

Electromagnetic production

# Polarization Observables: Complete Experiment

## The holy grail of baryon resonance analysis



- Process described by **4** complex, parity conserving amplitudes
- **8** well-chosen measurements are needed to determine amplitude.
- Up to **16** observables measured directly
- **3** inferred from double polarization observables
- **13** inferred from triple polarization observables

Beam ( $P^Y$ )	Target ( $P^T$ )			Recoil ( $P^R$ )			Target ( $P^T$ ) + Recoil ( $P^R$ )								
	$x$	$y$	$z$	$x'$	$y'$	$z'$	$x'$	$x'$	$x'$	$y'$	$y'$	$y'$	$z'$	$z'$	$z'$
unpolarized	$d\sigma_0$	$\hat{T}$		$\hat{P}$			$\hat{T}_{x'}$		$\hat{L}_{x'}$	$\hat{\Sigma}$		$\hat{T}_{z'}$		$\hat{L}_{z'}$	
$P_L^\gamma \sin(2\phi_\gamma)$	$\hat{H}$	$\hat{G}$		$\hat{O}_{x'}$	$\hat{O}_{z'}$			$\hat{C}_{z'}$	$\hat{E}$	$\hat{F}$			$-\hat{C}_{x'}$		
$P_L^\gamma \cos(2\phi_\gamma)$	$-\hat{\Sigma}$	$-\hat{P}$		$-\hat{T}$			$-\hat{L}_{z'}$		$\hat{T}_{z'}$	$-d\sigma_0$		$\hat{L}_{x'}$		$-\hat{T}_{x'}$	
circular $P_c^\gamma$	$\hat{F}$	$-\hat{E}$		$\hat{C}_{x'}$	$\hat{C}_{z'}$			$-\hat{O}_{z'}$	$\hat{G}$	$-\hat{H}$			$\hat{O}_{x'}$		

A. Sandorfi, S. Hoblit, H. Kamano, T.-S.H. Lee, J.Phys. 38 (2011) 053001

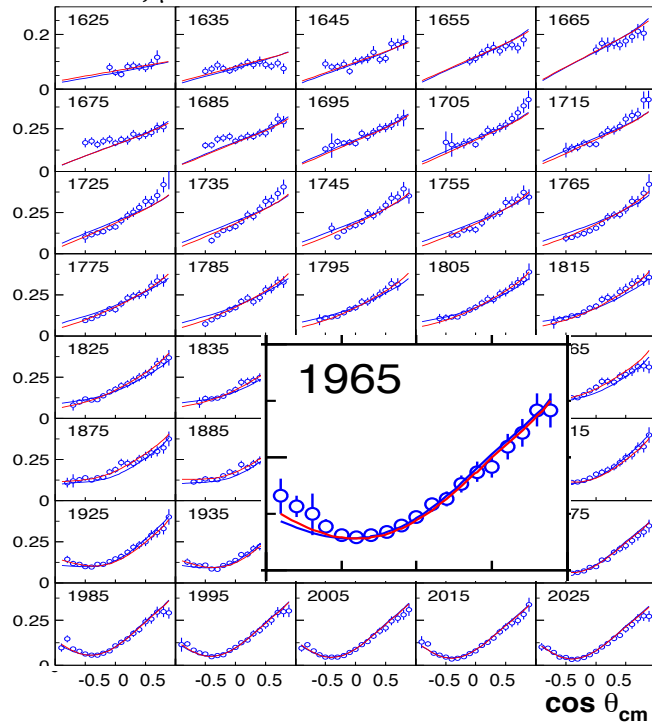
# Establishing the $N^*$ spectrum – Precision & Polarization are essential

## Hyperon photoproduction $\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda \rightarrow K^+ p \pi^-$



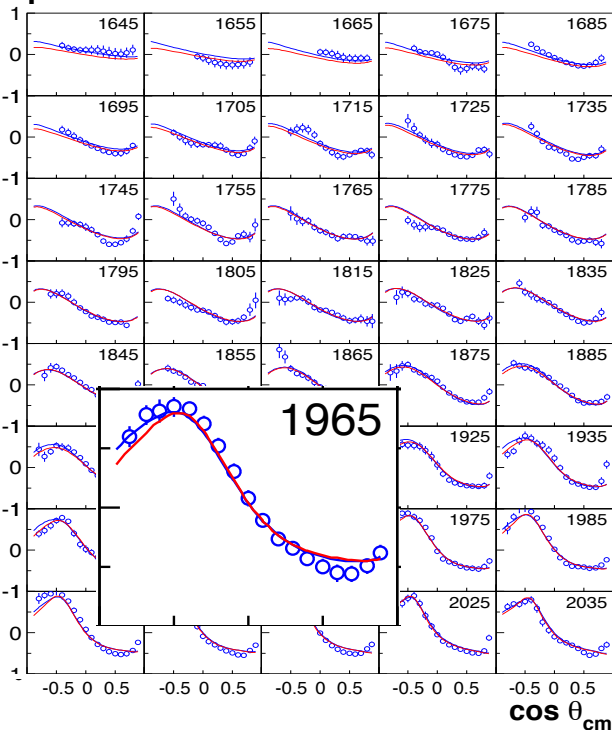
Fit by BnGa group A.V. Anisovich et al, EPJ A48, 15 (2012)

$d\sigma/d\Omega$ ,  $\mu\text{b/sr}$

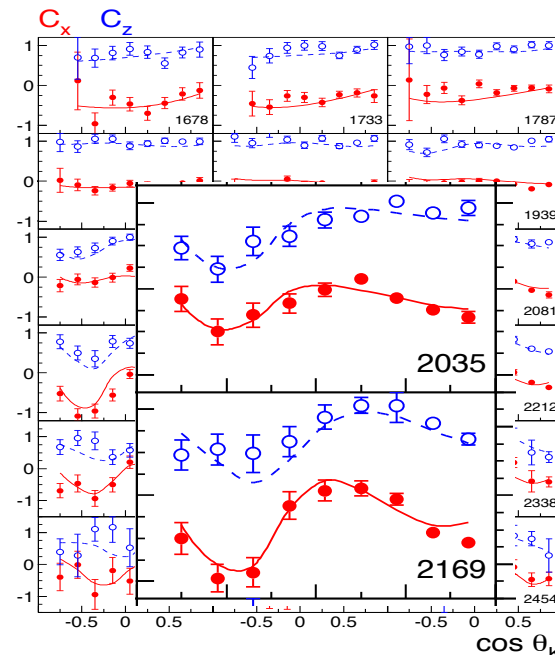


M. McCracken et al. (CLAS), Phys.RevC81,025201,2010

**P**



## $\gamma \rightarrow \Lambda$ Polarization transfer



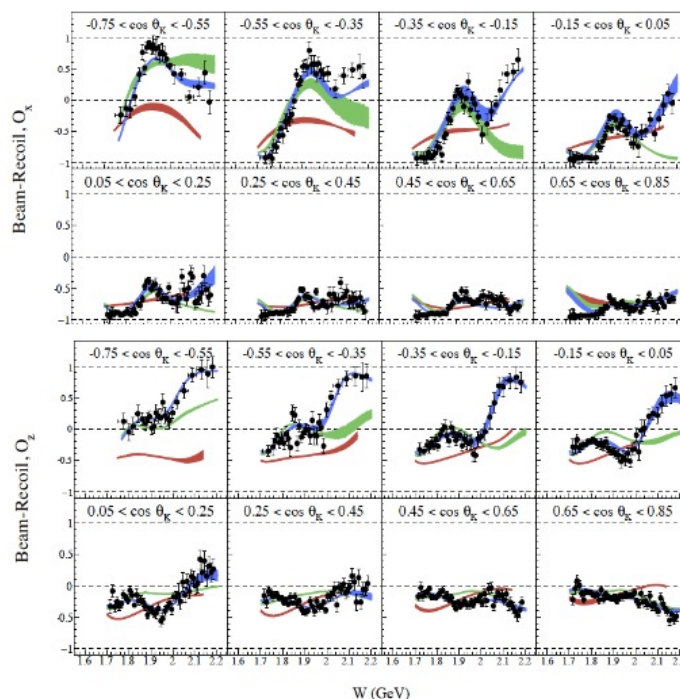
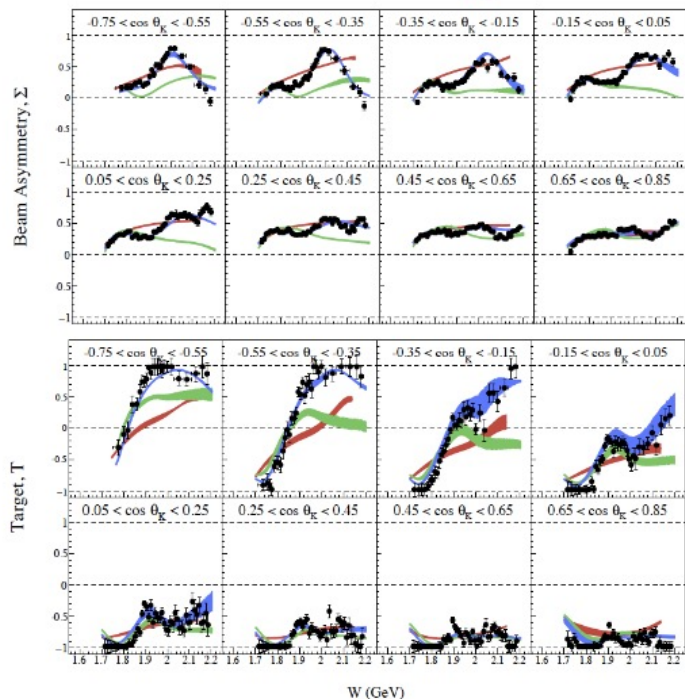
D. Bradford et al. (CLAS), Phys.Rev. C75, 035205, 2007



# More N\* from polarized $K^+ \Lambda$ photoproduction?



C.A. Paterson et al., PRC93 (2016) 065201



— ANL-Osaka   
 — BnGa 2014   
 — BnGa 2014 refit

New Multipole  
Extraction

PRC96,055202  
(2017)

# Evidence for New N\* in KY

State N(mass)J <sup>P</sup>	PDG pre 2010	PDG 2020	KΛ	KΣ	Nγ	Nπ
N(1710)1/2 <sup>+</sup>	***	****	**	*	****	****
N(1880)1/2 <sup>+</sup>		***	**	*	**	*
N(2100)1/2 <sup>+</sup>	*	***	*		**	***
N(1895)1/2 <sup>-</sup>		****	**	**	****	*
N(1900)3/2 <sup>+</sup>	**	****	**	**	****	**
N(1875)3/2 <sup>-</sup>		***	*	*	**	**
N(2120)3/2 <sup>-</sup>		***	**	*	***	**
N(2060)5/2 <sup>-</sup>		***	*	*	***	**
Δ(1600)3/2 <sup>+</sup>	***	****			****	***
Δ(1900)1/2 <sup>-</sup>	**	***		**	***	***
Δ(2200)7/2 <sup>-</sup>	*	***		**	**	***

Naming scheme has  
changed:

$L_{21 21}(E) \rightarrow J^P(E)$

[P.A. Zyla et al. \(Particle Data Group\), Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. 2020, 083C01 \(2020\)](#)

Measure more polarization observables, study these states in electroproduction and extend to higher masses



# Do New States Fit into LQCD Projections ?

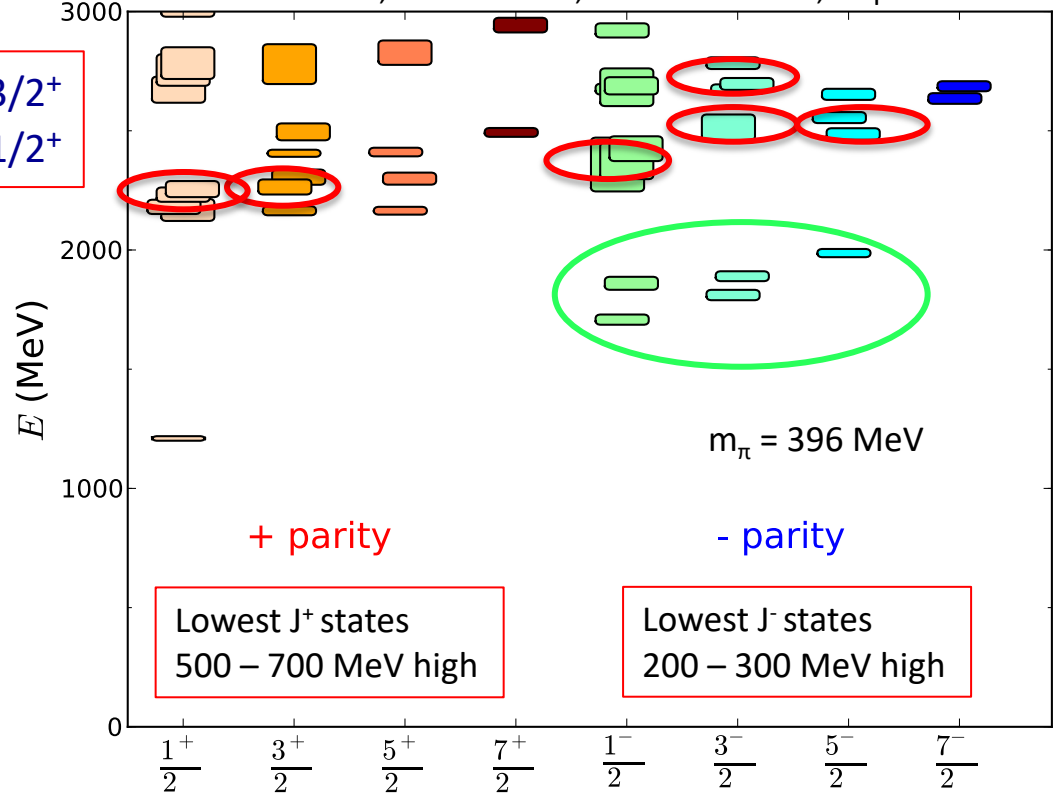
Robert G. Edwards, Jozef J. Dudek, David G. Richards, Stephen J. Wallace *Phys.Rev. D84 (2011) 074508*

$N(1900)3/2^+$   
 $N(1880)1/2^+$

$N(2060)5/2^-$   
 $N(2120)3/2^-$   
 $N(1875)3/2^-$   
 $N(1895)1/2^-$

Ignoring the mass scale,  
 new candidates fit the  $J^P$   
 values predicted from  
 LQCD.

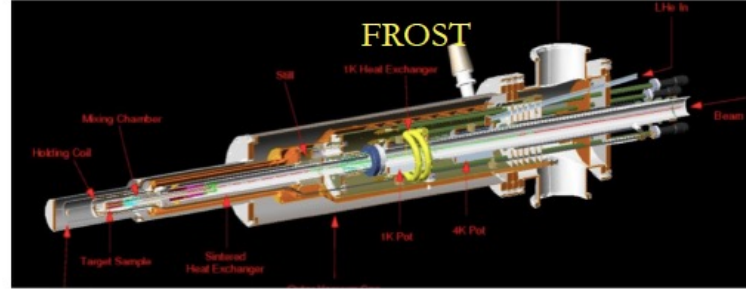
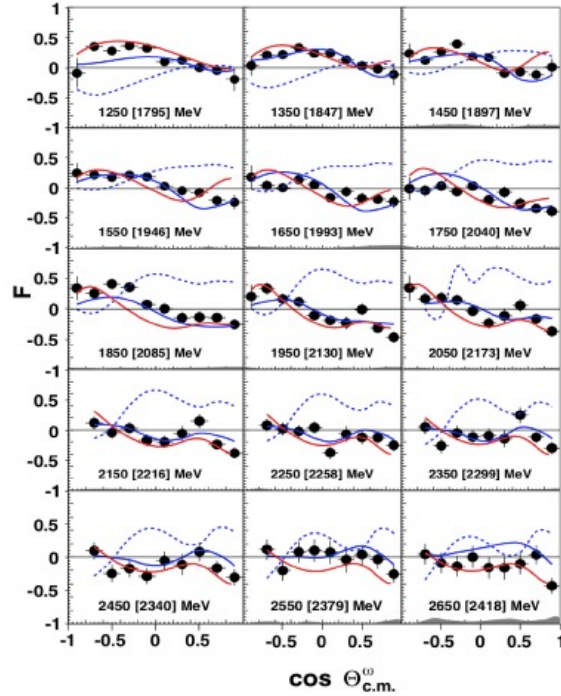
The field would really  
 benefit from more  
 realistic Lattice masses  
 for  $N^*$  states.



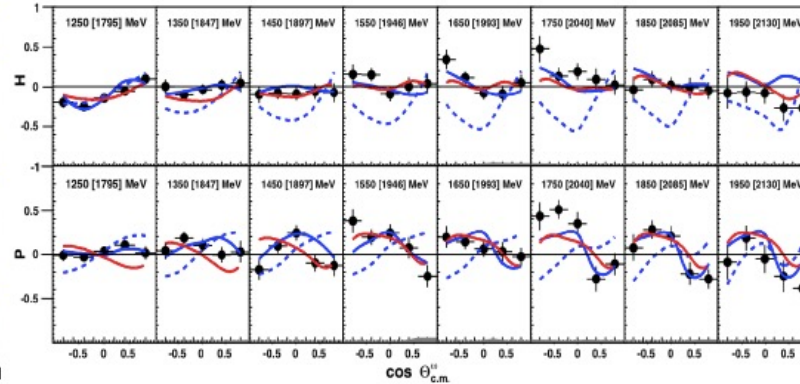
Known states:  
 $N(1675)5/2^-$   
 $N(1700)3/2^-$   
 $N(1520)3/2^-$   
 $N(1650)1/2^-$   
 $N(1535)1/2^-$

# Beam-target asymmetries $\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow p \omega$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{d\sigma_0}{d\Omega} \left\{ (1 - \delta_l \Sigma \cos 2\beta) + \Lambda \cos \alpha (-\delta_l H \sin 2\beta + \delta_\odot F) - \Lambda \sin \alpha (-T + \delta_l P \cos 2\beta) \right\},$$



*P. Roy et al. (CLAS), Phys.Rev. Lett. 122 (2019) 162301*



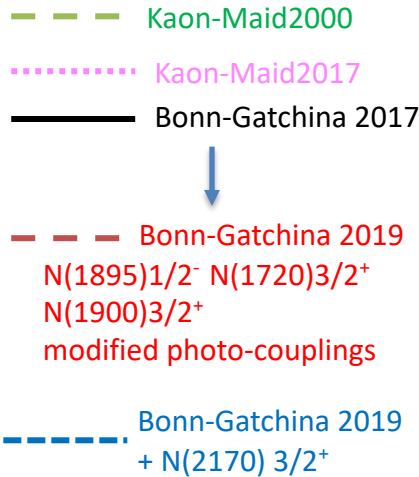
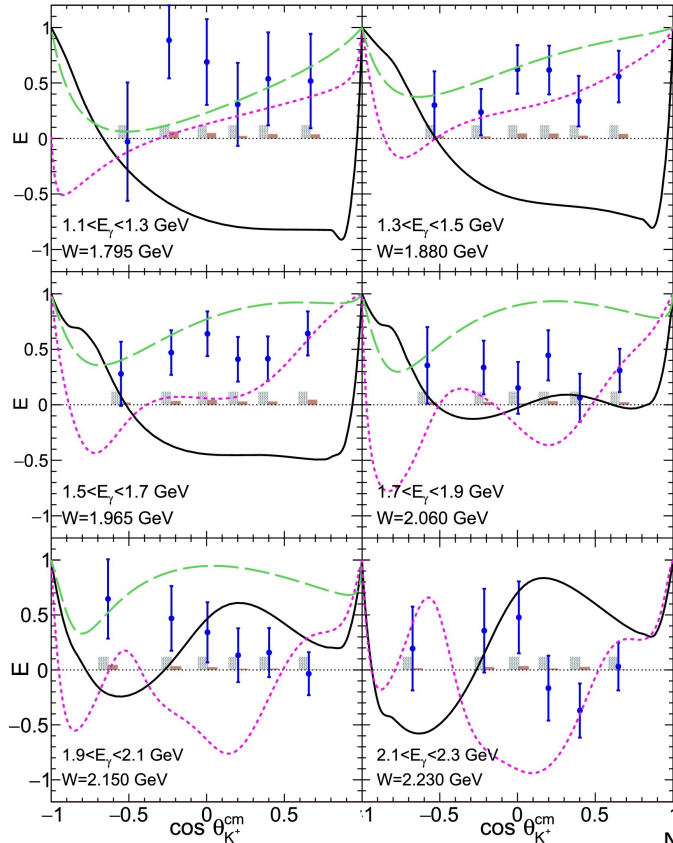
PWA: *BnGa*, *Wei*

Both PWA need newly discovered nucleon resonances:  $N(1880)1/2^+$ ,  $N(1895)1/2^-$ ,  $N(1875)3/2^-$ ,  $N(2120)3/2^-$ . Also strong evidence is found for  $N(2000)5/2^+$  (previously also seen in unpolarized CLAS  $\omega$  data)

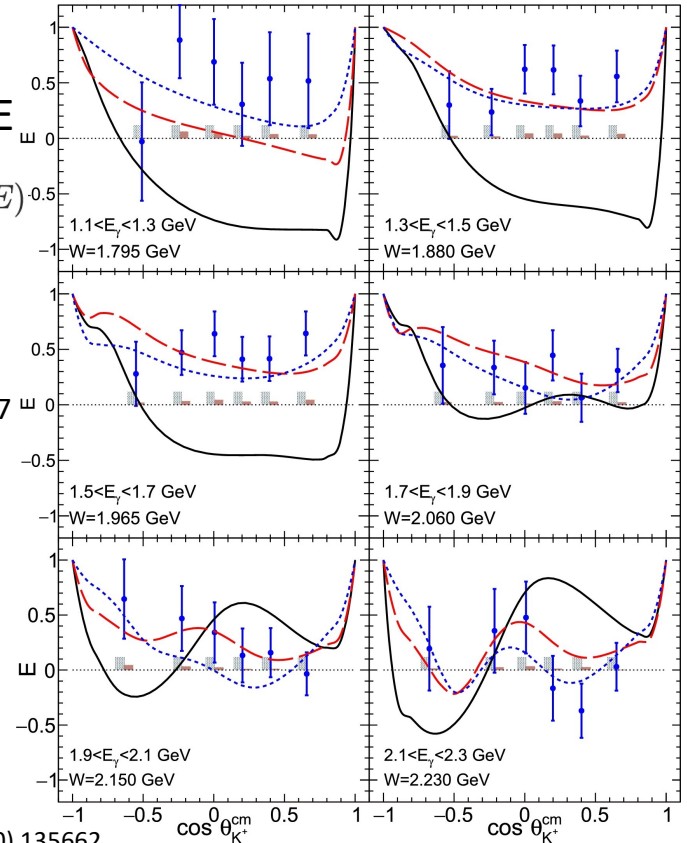
# Search for Neutron States: $\vec{\gamma} \vec{n} \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$

Beam-Target  
helicity asymmetry  $E$

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right) = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 (1 - P_T^{eff} P_\odot E)$$



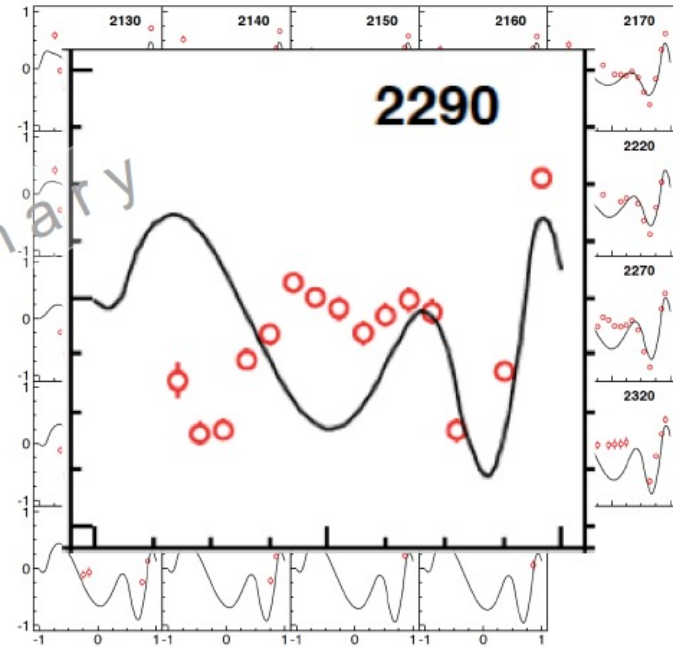
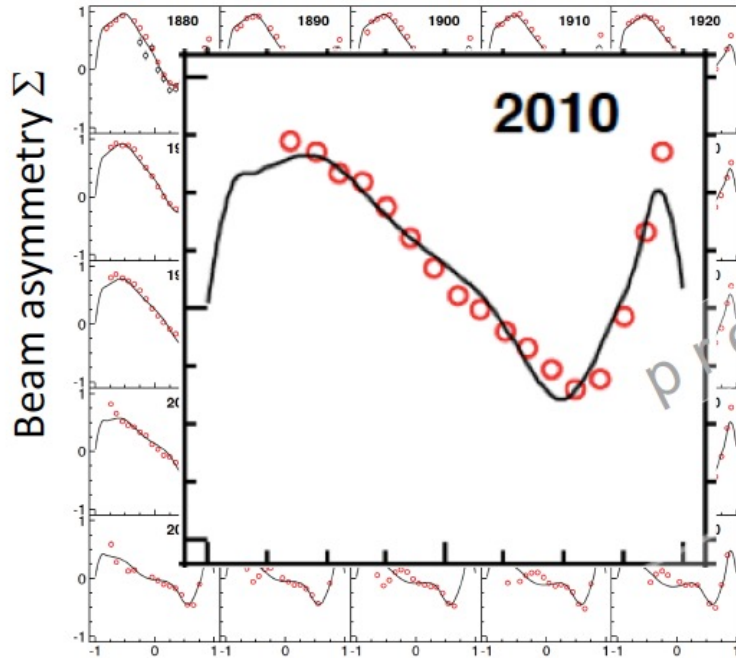
N. Zachariou et al Phys Lett B 808 (2020) 135662



# Search for Neutron States: $\vec{\gamma} n \rightarrow \pi^- p$

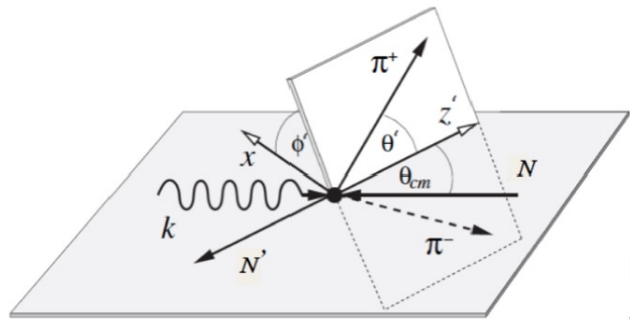
$\Sigma (\gamma n \rightarrow \pi^- p)$

Fit: Bonn-Gatchina, 2018



Fit requires additional new resonances above 2100 MeV

# $\pi^+ \pi^-$ photoproduction – polarized p target



Measurements of polarization observables

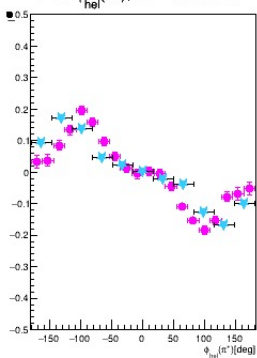
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_i} = \sigma_0 \{ (1 + \Lambda_z \cdot \mathbf{P}_z) + \delta_{\odot} (I^{\odot} + \Lambda_z \cdot \mathbf{P}_z^{\odot}) \}$$

HD-ice frozen-spin  
polarized target

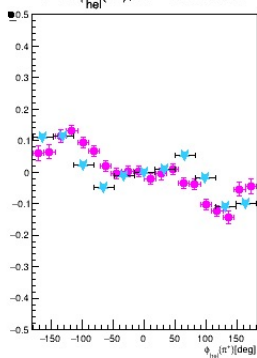
$I^{\odot}$  polarized p



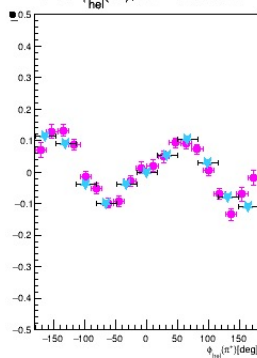
$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 1.67$  GeV



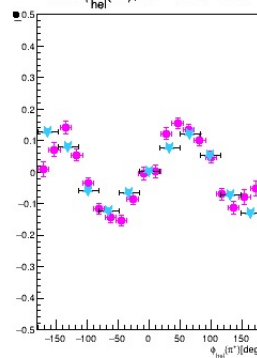
$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 1.80$  GeV



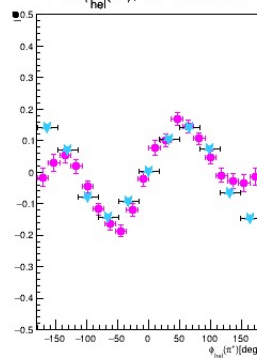
$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 1.90$  GeV



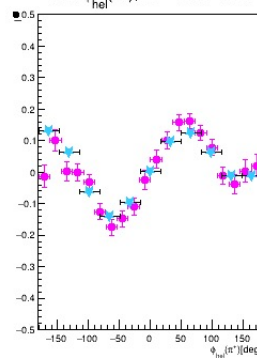
$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 2.00$  GeV



$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 2.10$  GeV

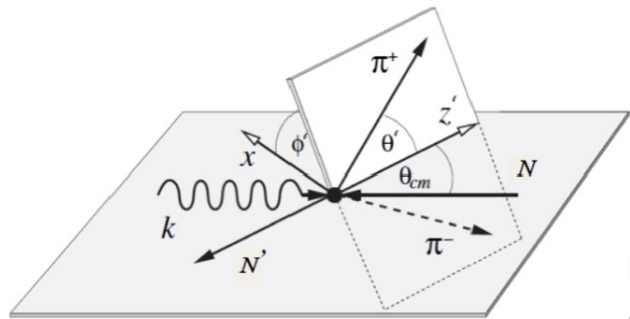


$P$  vs  $\phi_{hel}(\pi^+)$ ,  $W = 2.20$  GeV



Preliminary results by: A. Filippi (g14 data-set)

# $\pi^+ \pi^-$ photoproduction – polarized p target

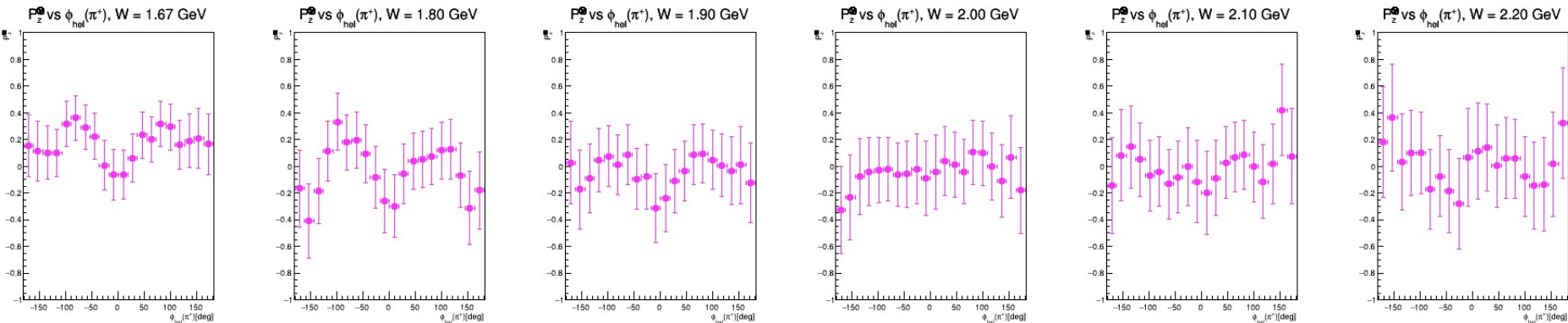


Measurements of polarization observables

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dx_i} = \sigma_0 \{ (1 + \Lambda_z \cdot \mathbf{P}_z) + \delta_{\odot} (\mathbf{I}^{\odot} + \Lambda_z \cdot \mathbf{P}_z^{\odot}) \}$$

HD-ice frozen-spin  
polarized target

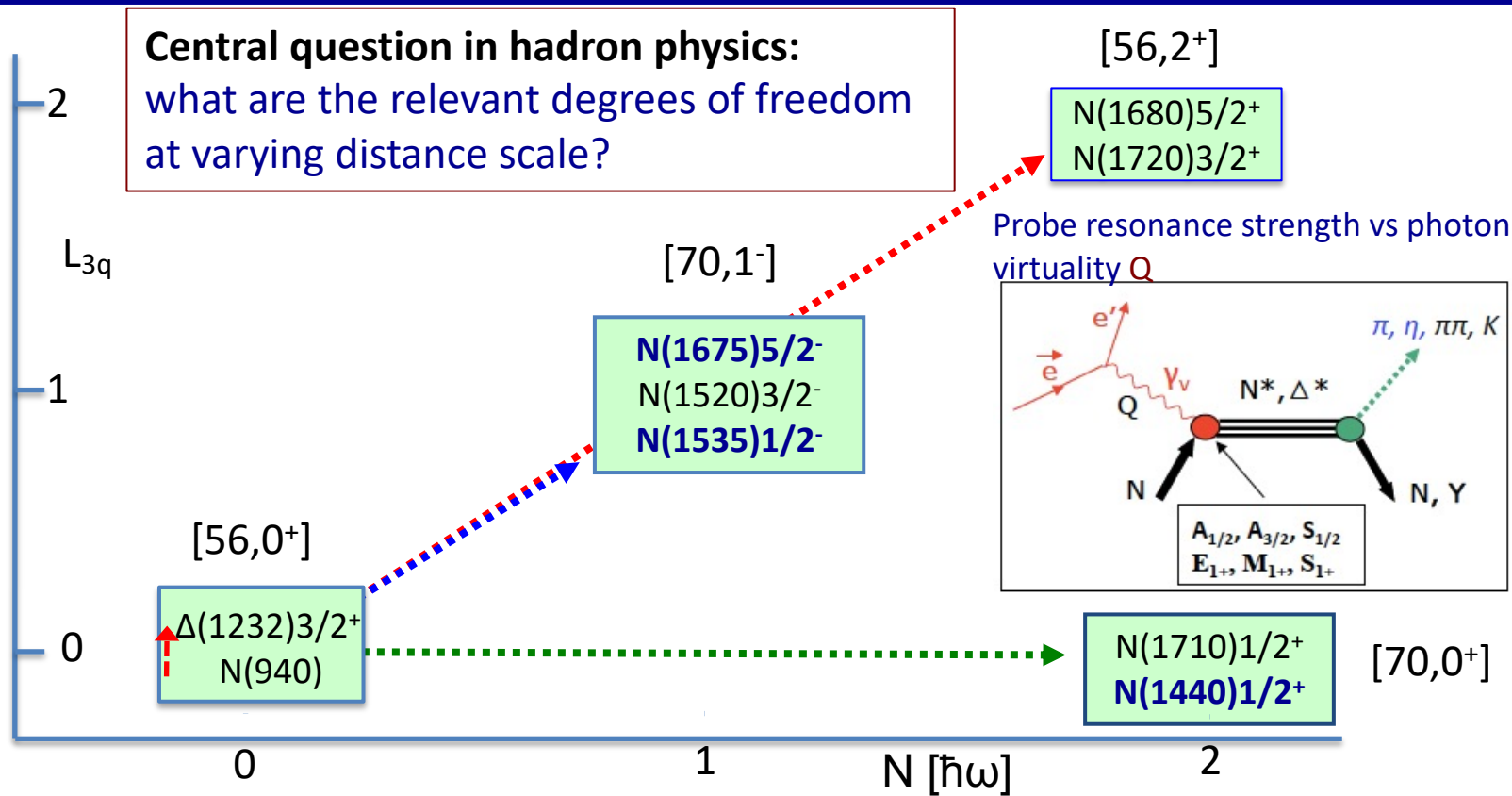
polarized p  $\mathbf{P}_z^{\odot}$



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# Electroexcitation of $N^*/\Delta$ resonances

Central question in hadron physics:  
what are the relevant degrees of freedom  
at varying distance scale?

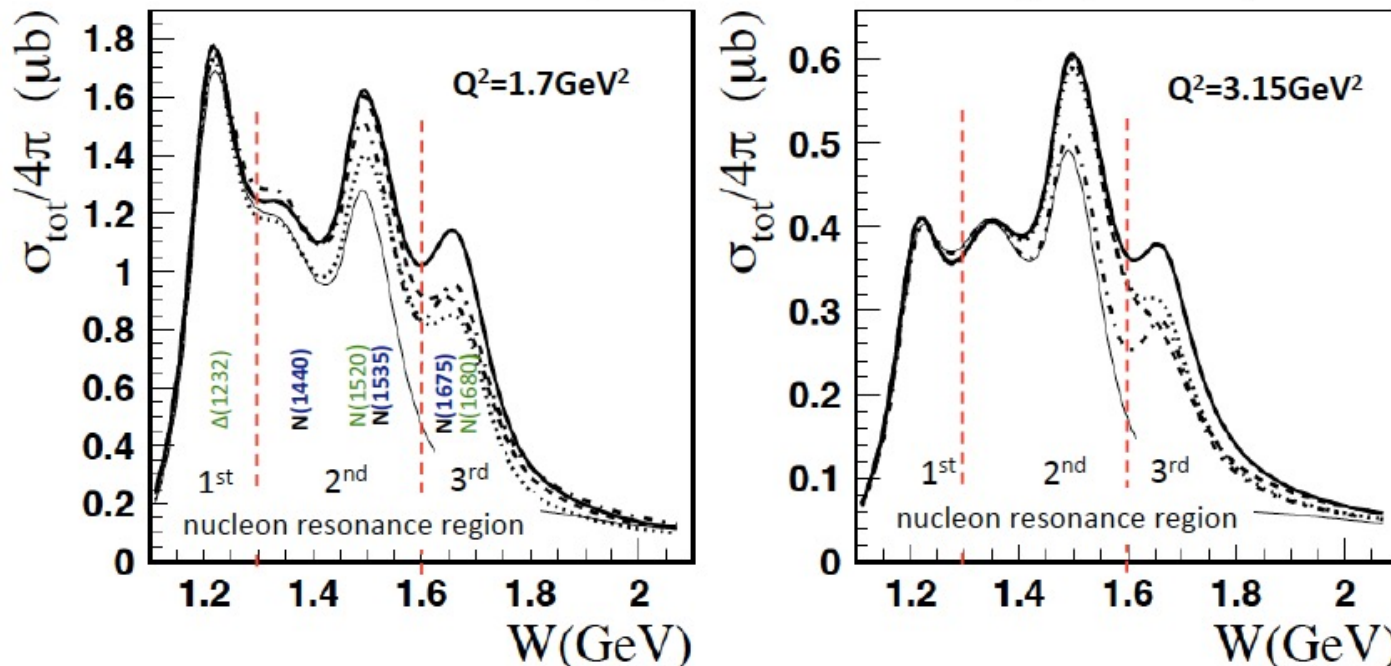


# Total cross section at $W < 2.1$ GeV



Different states respond differently to changes in  $Q^2$

Data: K. Park et al. PRC 77 (2008) 015208; K. Park et al. PRC 91 (2015) 045203

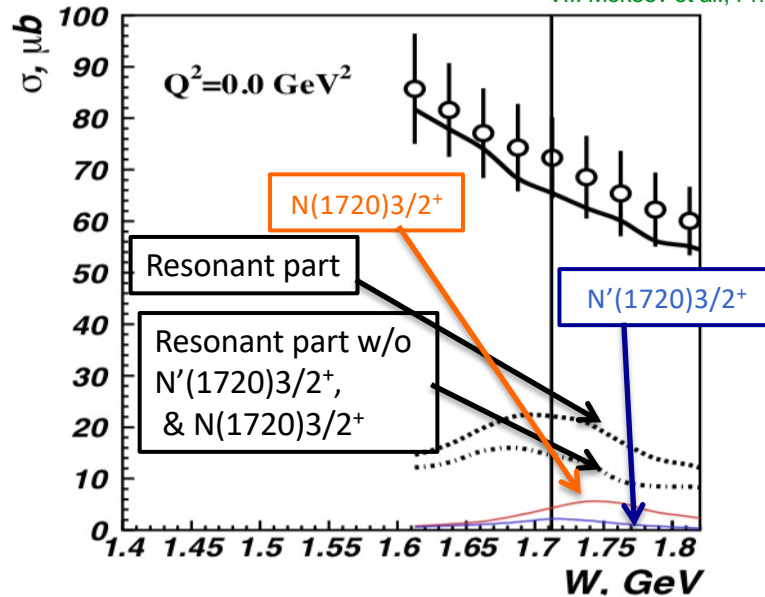


Analysis with UIM & fixed- $t$  DR; Recent review: I. Aznauryan, V. Burkert, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 67 (2012) 1.

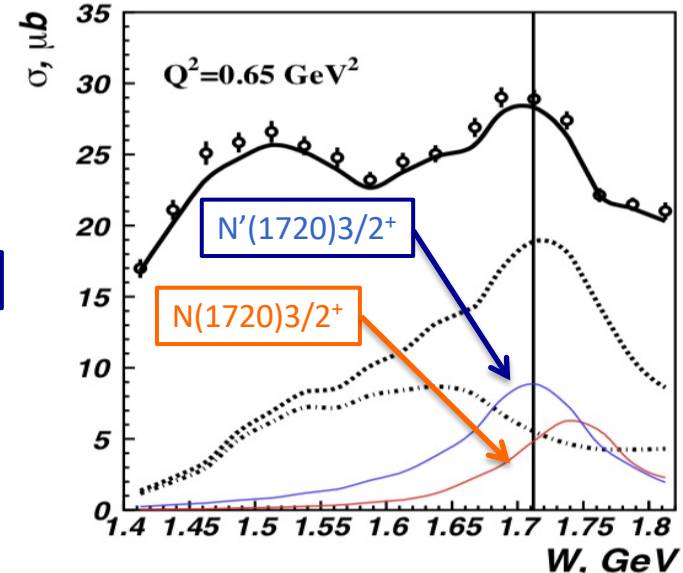


# $\pi^+\pi^-p$ CLAS data - Newly Discovered $N'(1720)3/2^+$

$\pi^+\pi^-p$  photoproduction

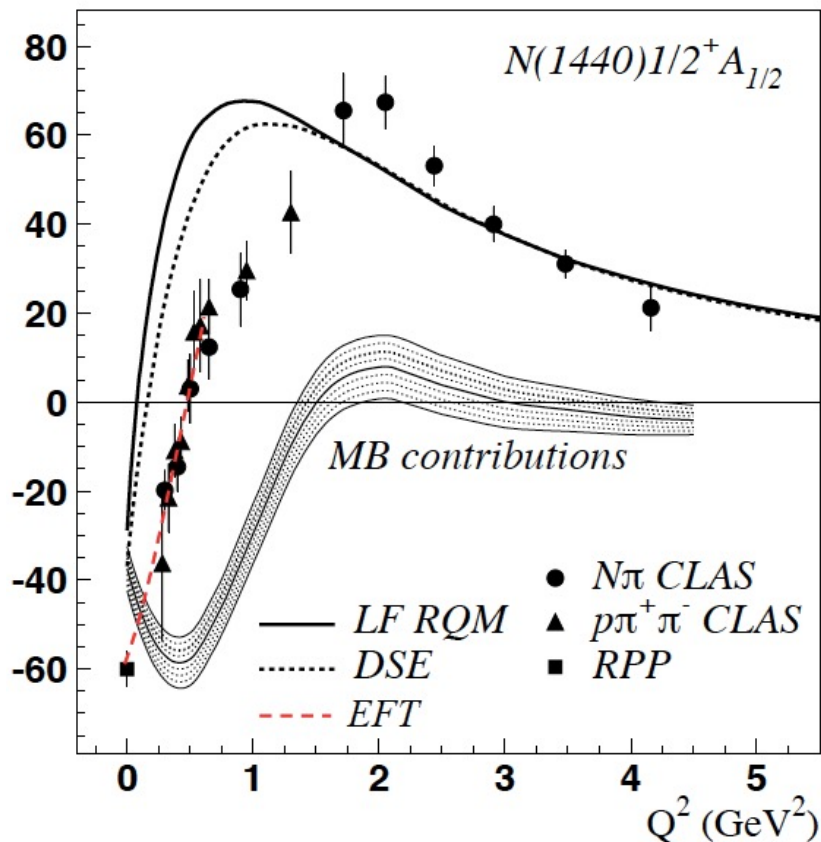


$\pi^+\pi^-p$  electroproduction



- Evidence of a new  $N'(1720)3/2^+$  resonance from the combined analysis of CLAS photo- and electroproduction of the  $\pi^+\pi^-p$  channel
- First result on  $Q^2$  evolution of new resonance electrocoupling

# Roper - 1st nucleon radial excitation?



V.B., C. Roberts, *Rev.Mod.Phys.* 91 (2019) no.1, 011003

LF RQM: I. Aznauryan, V.B. arXiv:1603.06692

DSE: J. Segovia, C.D. Roberts et al., *PRC94* (2016) 042201

EFT: T. Bauer, S. Scherer, L. Tiator, *PRC90* (2014) 015201

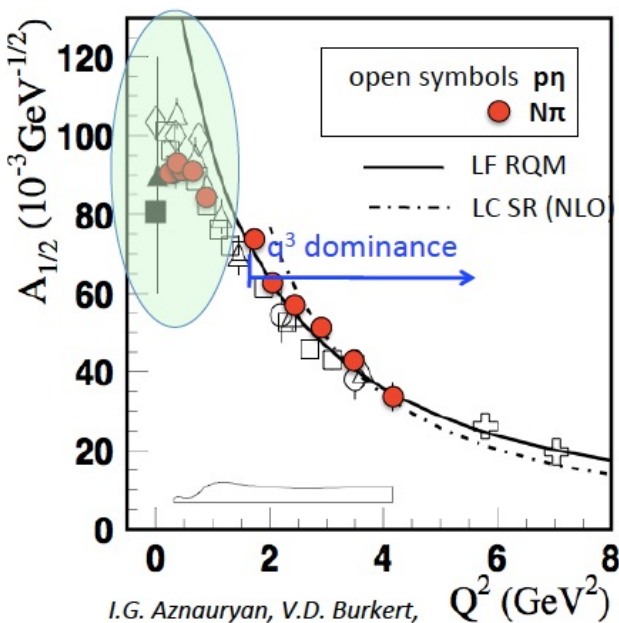
→ Non-quark contributions are significant at  $Q^2 < 2.0 \text{ GeV}^2$ . The behavior at  $Q^2 < 0.5$  can be modeled in EFT.

→ The 1<sup>st</sup> radial excitation of the  $q^3$  core emerges as the probe penetrates the MB cloud

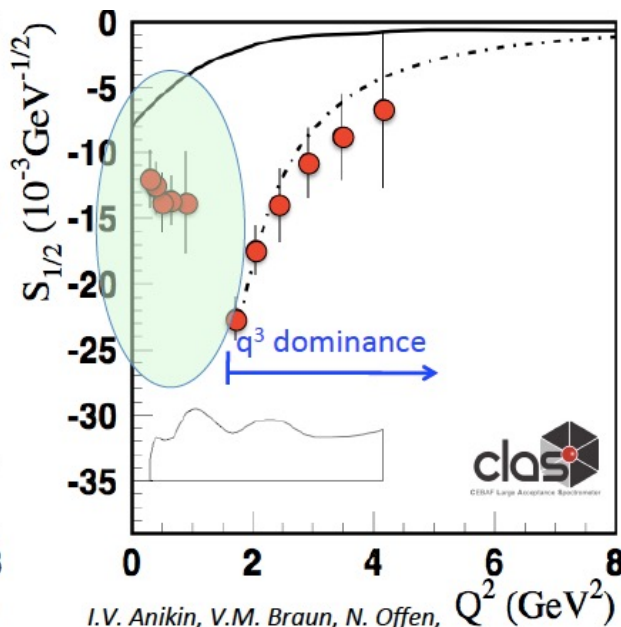
**“Nature” of the Roper – is consistent with the 1<sup>st</sup> radial excitation of its quark core surrounded by a meson-baryon “cloud”.**

# MB Contribution to electro-excitation of $N(1535)1/2^-$

## Is it a 3-quark state or a hadronic molecule?



I.G. Aznauryan, V.D. Burkert,  
PR C85 (2012) 055202



I.V. Anikin, V.M. Braun, N. Offen,  
PR D92 (2015) 1, 014018

$N(1535)1/2^-$   
is consistent  
with the 1<sup>st</sup>  
orbital excitation  
of the nucleon.

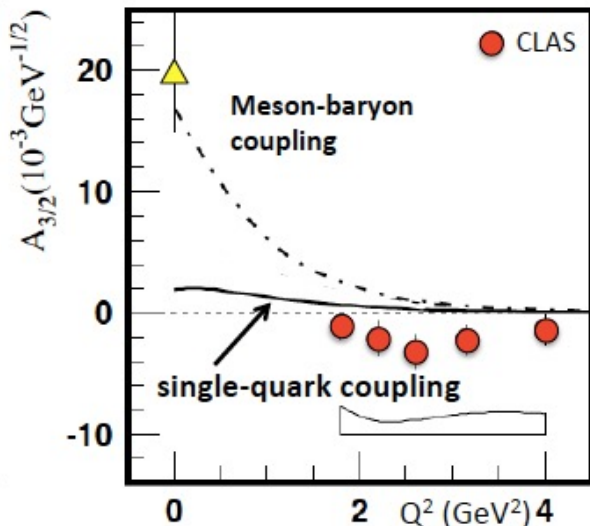
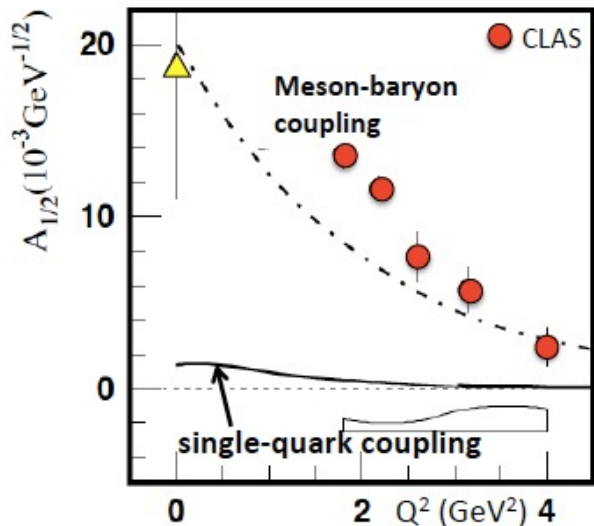
- Meson-baryon cloud may account for discrepancies at low  $Q^2$ .

# MB Contribution to electro-excitation of $N(1675)5/2^-$

Quark components to the helicity amplitudes of the  $N(1675) 5/2^-$  are strongly suppressed for proton target.

Single Quark Transition:

$$A_{1/2}^p = A_{3/2}^p = 0$$



- Measures the meson-baryon contribution to the  $\gamma^* p N(1675)5/2^-$  directly.
- Can be verified on  $\gamma^* n N(1675)5/2^-$  which is not suppressed

— *E. Santopinto and M. M. Giannini, PRC 86, 065202 (2012)*  
 - - - *B. Juliá-Díaz, T.-S.H. Lee, et al., PRC 77, 045205 (2008)*

# Hybrid Baryons: Baryons with Explicit Gluonic Degrees of Freedom

Hybrid hadrons with dominant gluonic contributions are predicted to exist by QCD.

## Experimentally:

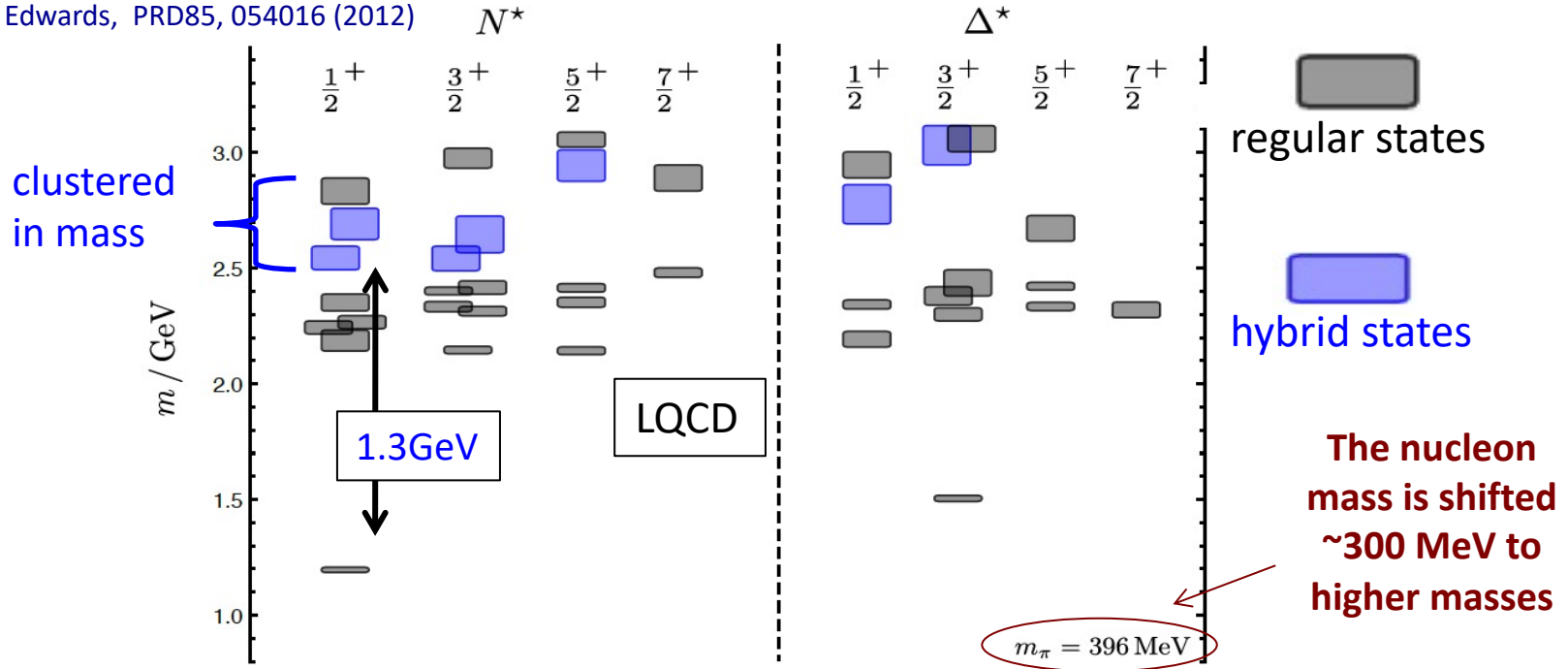
- **Hybrid mesons**  $|q\bar{q}g\rangle$  states may have exotic quantum numbers  $J^{PC}$  not available to pure  $|q\bar{q}\rangle$  states  
GlueX, MesonEx, COMPASS, PANDA ....
- **Hybrid baryons**  $|qqqg\rangle$  have the same quantum numbers  $J^P$  as  $|qqq\rangle$  electroproduction with CLAS12 (Hall B).

## Theoretical predictions:

- ✧ MIT bag model - T. Barnes and F. Close, Phys. Lett. 123B, 89 (1983).
- ✧ QCD Sum Rule - L. Kisslinger and Z. Li, Phys. Rev. D 51, R5986 (1995).
- ✧ Flux Tube model - S. Capstick and P. R. Page, Phys. Rev. C 66, 065204 (2002).
- ✧ LQCD - J.J. Dudek and R.G. Edwards, PRD85, 054016 (2012).

# Hybrid Baryons in LQCD

J.J. Dudek and R.G. Edwards, PRD85, 054016 (2012)



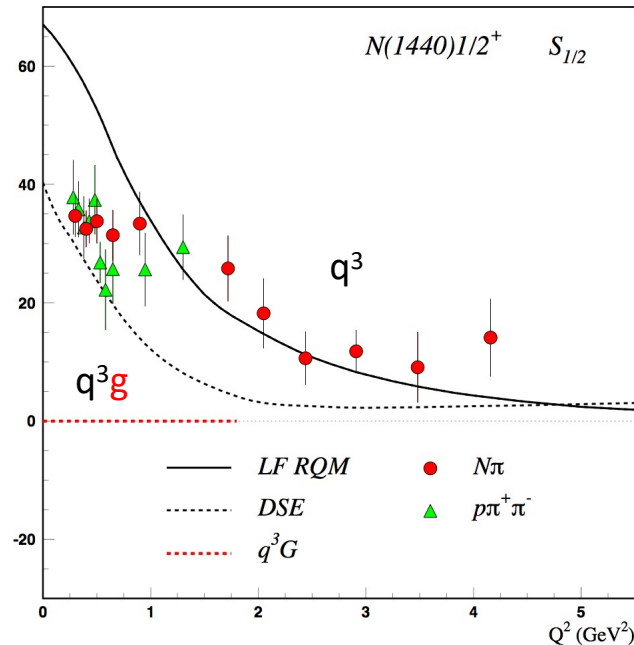
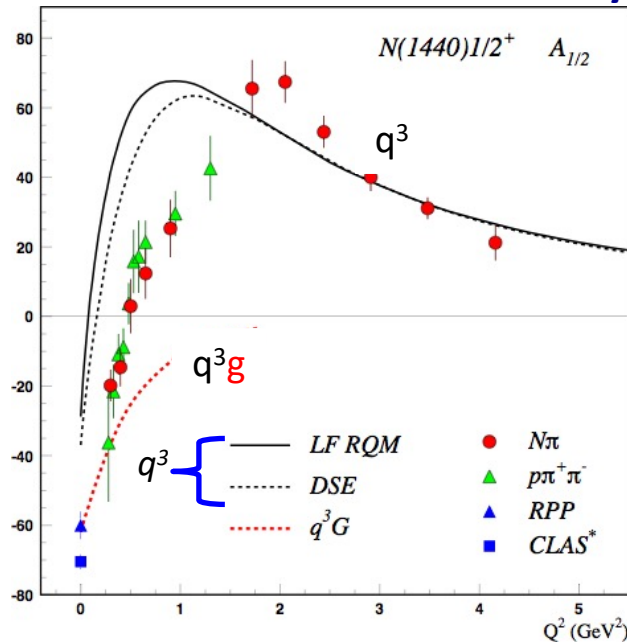
Hybrid states have same  $J^P$  values as  $qqq$  baryons. How to identify them?

- Overpopulation of  $N$   $1/2^+$  and  $N$   $3/2^+$  states compared to QM projections.
- $A_{1/2}$  ( $A_{3/2}$ ) and  $S_{1/2}$  show different  $Q^2$  evolution.

# Separating $q^3g$ from $q^3$ states ?

CLAS results on electrocouplings clarified nature of the Roper.

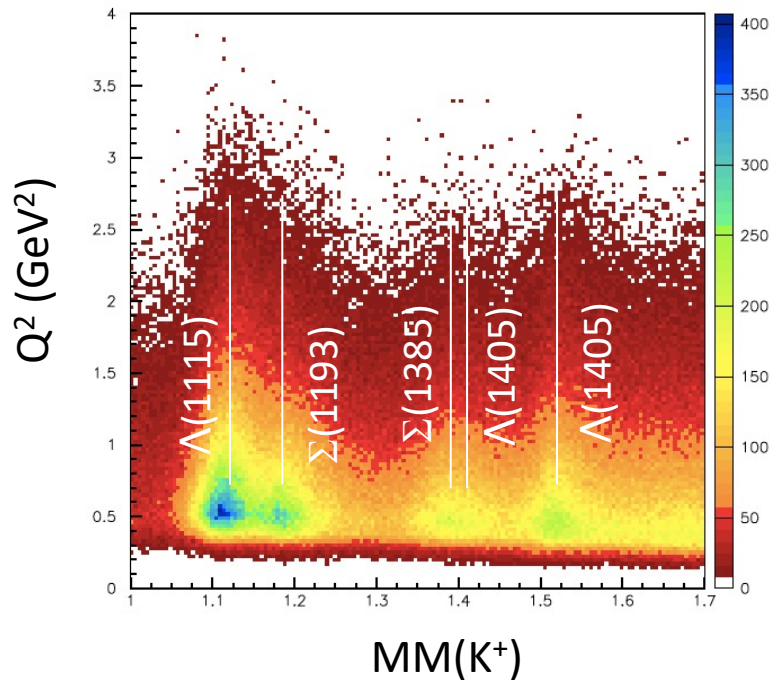
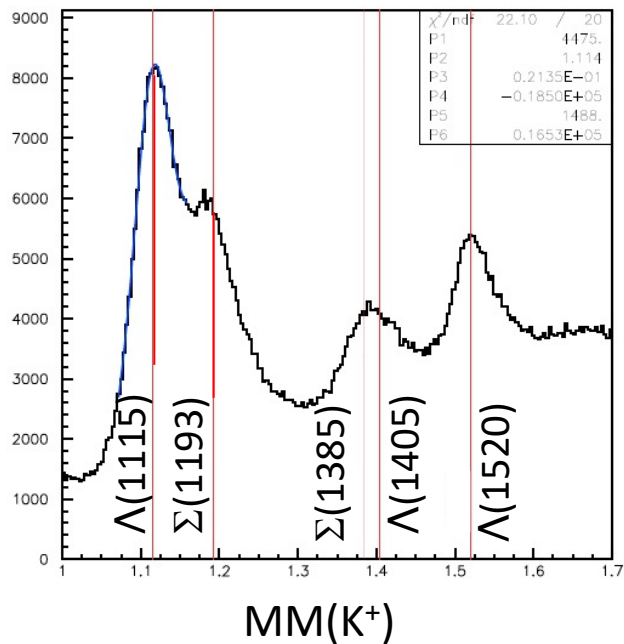
**Will CLAS12 data be able to identify gluonic contributions ?**



**For hybrid “Roper”,  $A_{1/2}(Q^2)$  drops off faster with  $Q^2$  and  $S_{1/2}(Q^2) \sim 0$ .**

# CLAS12 $K^+$ electroproduction data

$1.6 \text{ GeV} < W < 3 \text{ GeV}$



4 M total  $K\Lambda$  events already collected

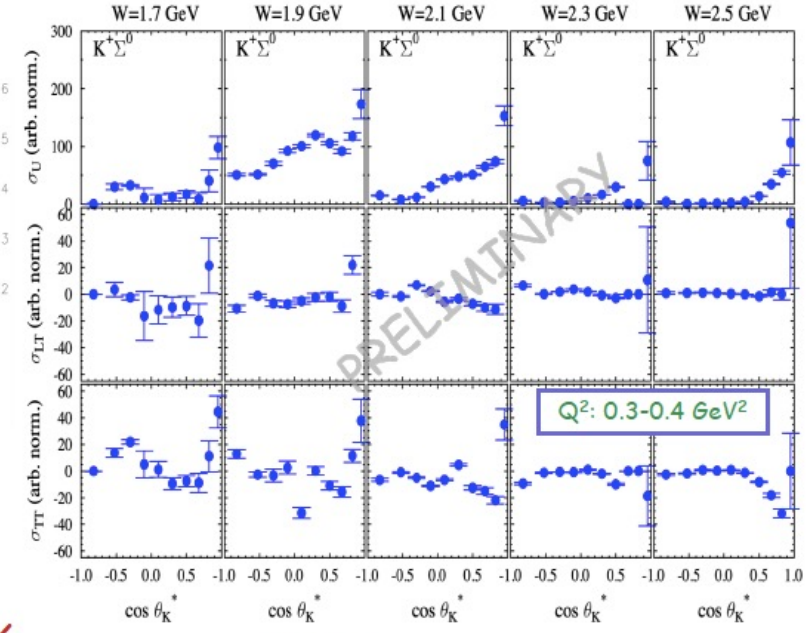
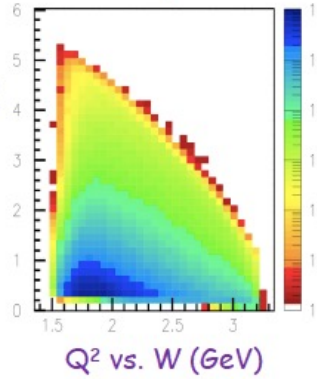
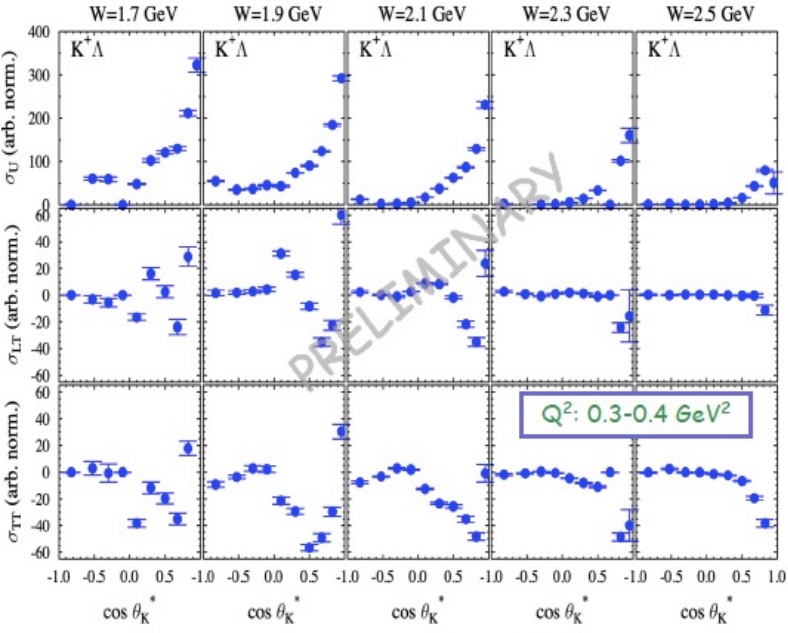


# CLAS12 KY electro-production Cross Section Measurements

$ep \rightarrow e'K^+\Lambda$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = (\sigma_T + \epsilon\sigma_L) + \sqrt{\epsilon(1+\epsilon)}\sigma_{LT} \cos \Phi + \epsilon\sigma_{TT} \cos 2\Phi$$

$ep \rightarrow e'K^+\Sigma^0$



6.535 GeV RG-K

$$\sigma_{T,LLT,TT} = f(Q^2, W, \cos \theta_K^*)$$



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# CLAS12 KY electro-production Cross Section Measurements

CLAS12 RG-K @ 6.535 GeV



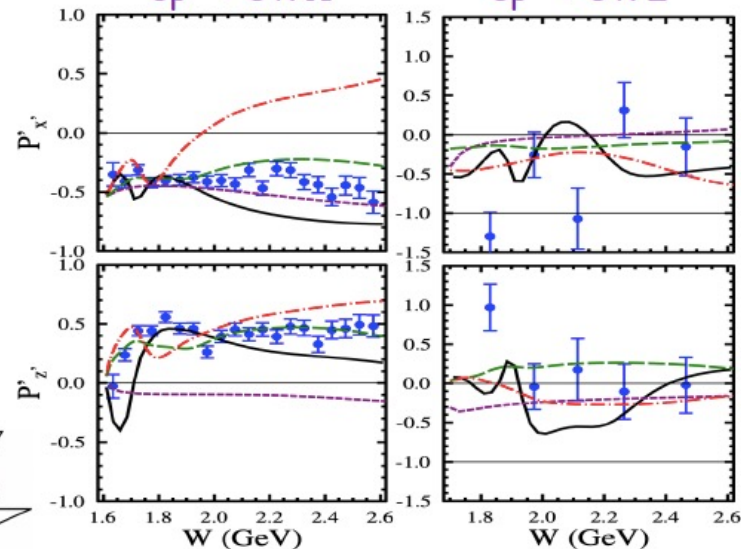
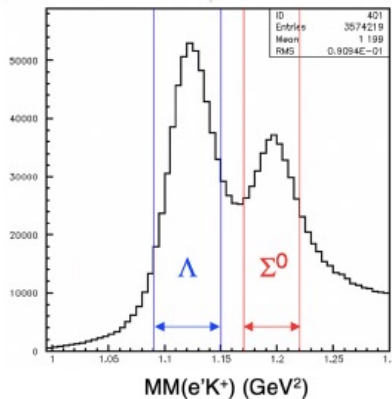
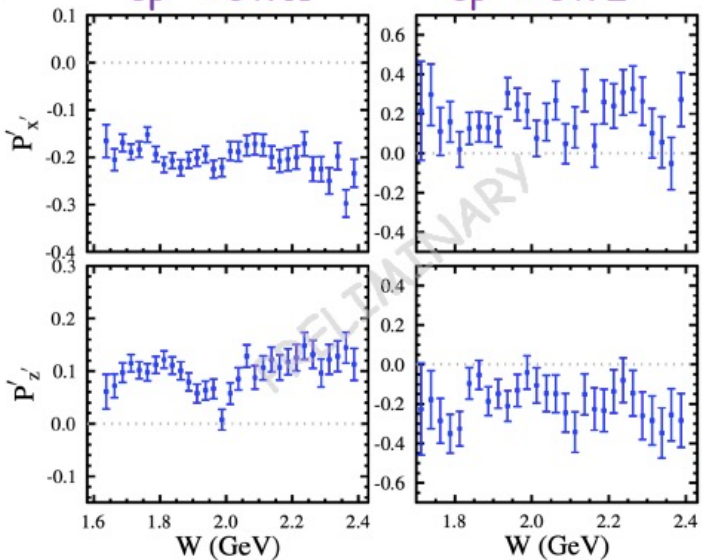
CLAS e1-6 @ 5.754 GeV

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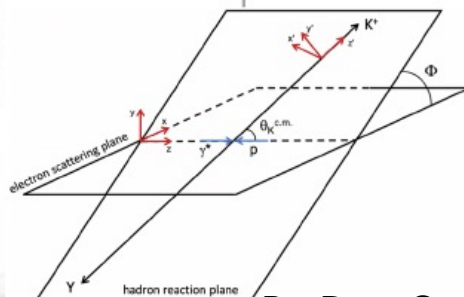
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Publication in preparation



Raw uncorrected polarization



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# Baryon Spectroscopy Status Today

- Major progress made in the last years in the search for  $N^*$  and  $\Delta$  states. All states can be accommodated in CQM and LQCD schemes.
  - Polarization observables in photo-production have provided crucial constraints
- Knowledge of  $Q^2$ -dependence of electro-couplings is absolutely necessary to understand the nature ( the internal structure) of the excited states.
  - Roper IS the first radial excitation of the  $q^3$  core, obscured at large distances by meson-cloud effects.
  - Leading electrocoupling amplitudes of prominent low-mass states (e.g.  $N(1535)1/2^-$ ) is well modeled by DSE/QCD, LC SR and LF RQM for  $Q^2 > 2 \text{ GeV}$ .
- Search for hybrid baryons with explicit gluonic degrees of freedom would be possible investigating the low  $Q^2$  evolution of high-mass resonance (2-3 GeV) electrocouplings:
  - Looking for suppressed  $A^{1/2}$ ,  $A^{3/2}$ ,  $S^{1/2}$  at low  $Q^2$ .

Upcoming results from CLAS12 will play a key role: stay tuned!