

STRANGENESS NUCLEAR PHYSICS

Progress Report (2018-2022)

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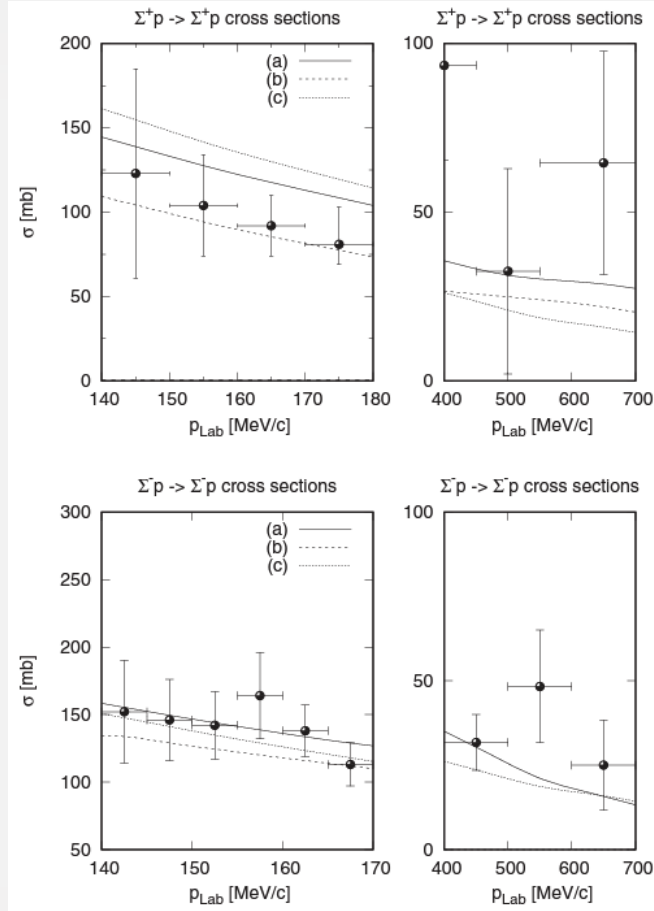
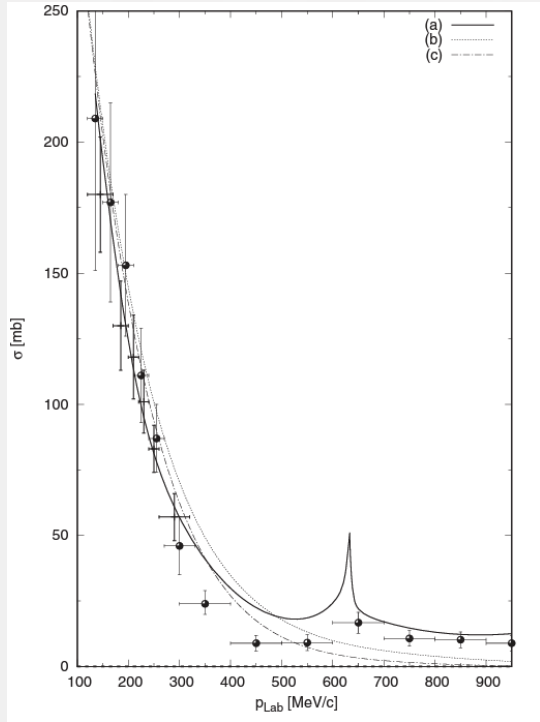


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Elementary YN, YY interactions

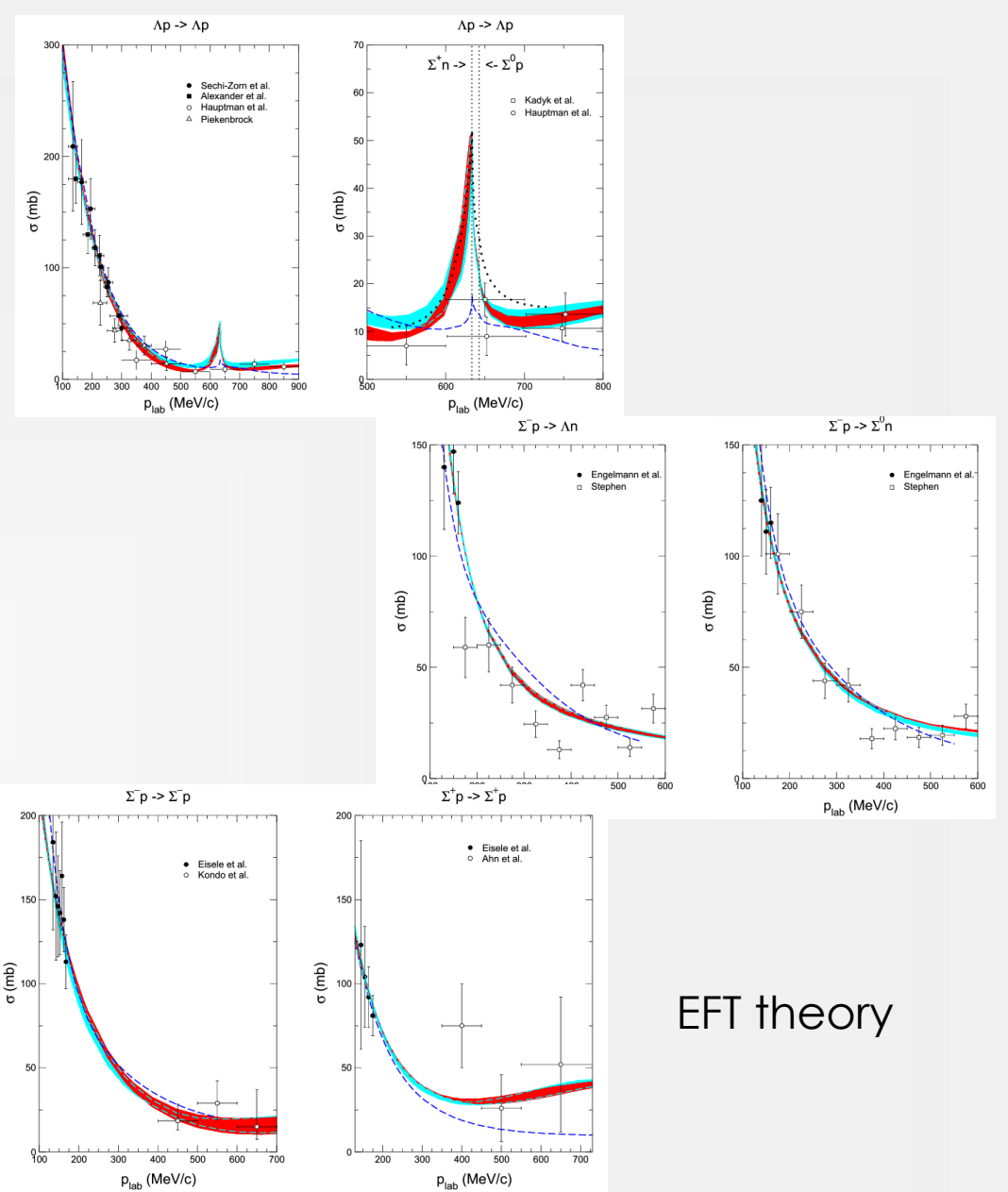
YN Cross Sections

Hyperons are short-lived. Scattering experiments difficult!
(scarce amount of data)



Meson-exchange model

Nagels, Rijken, Yamamoto, PRC (2019)

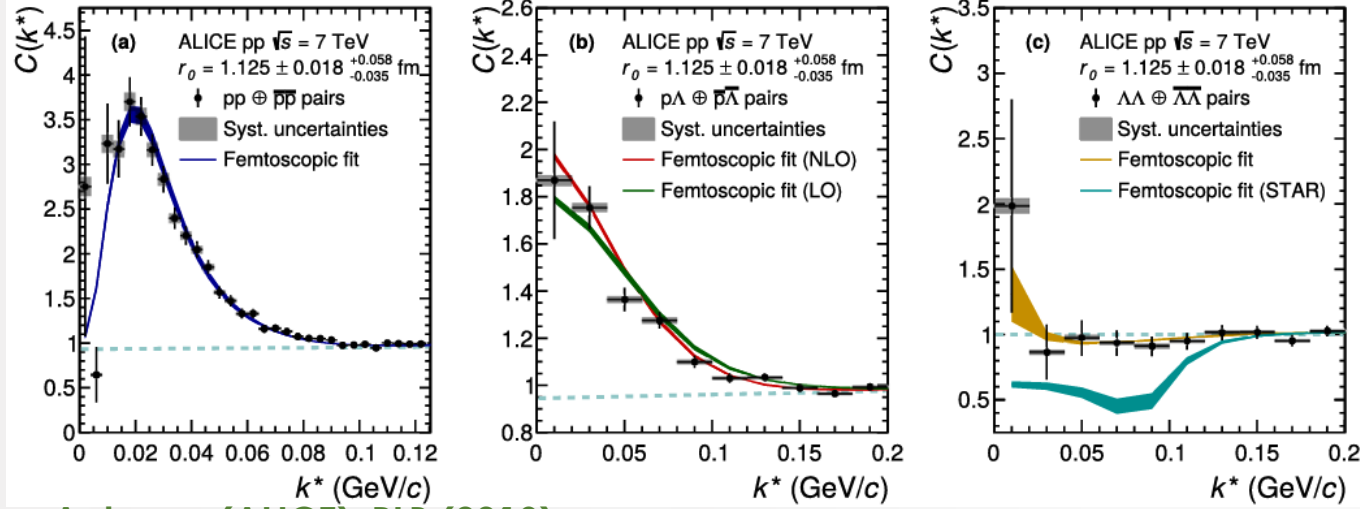


EFT theory

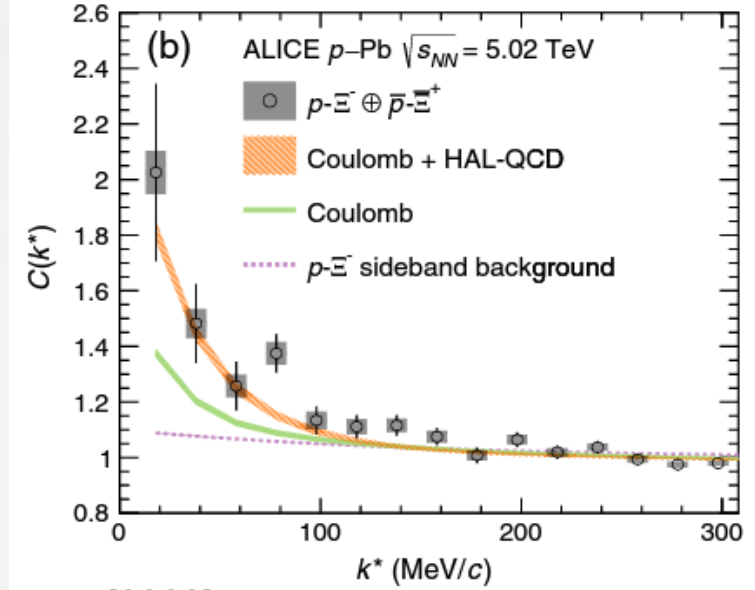
Haidenbauer, Meißner, Nogga, EPJA (2020)

Femtoscscopy studies are bringing information on low-energy YN, YY interactions! → **ALICE@LHC**

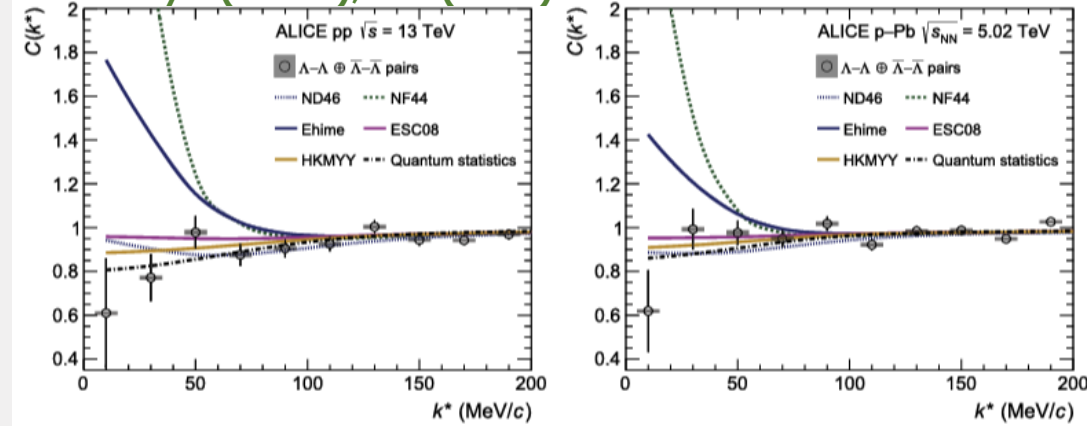
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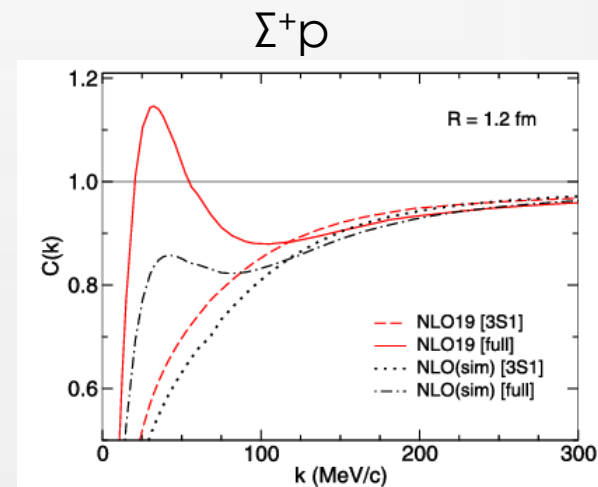
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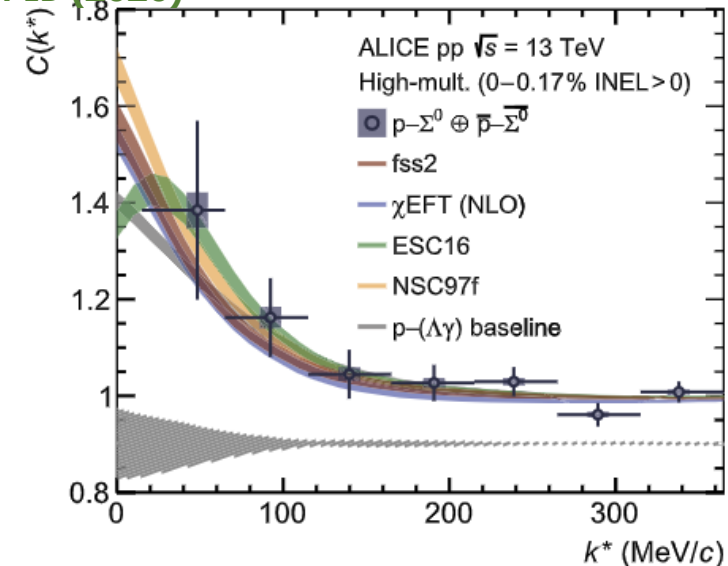
Acharya (ALICE), PLB (2019)



Haidenbauer, Meissner, PLB (2022)

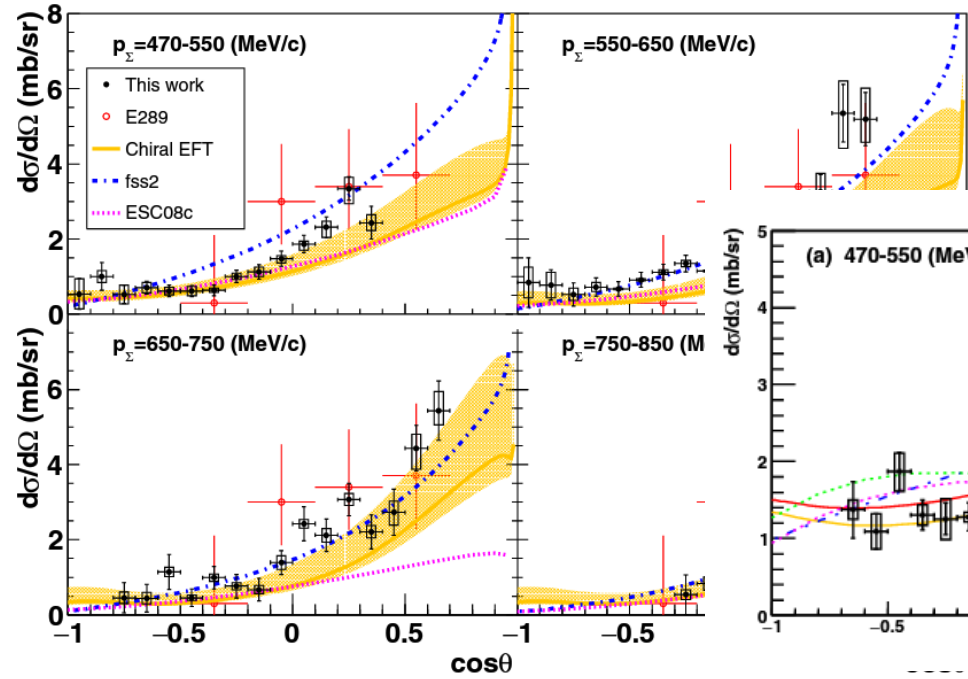


PLB (2020)



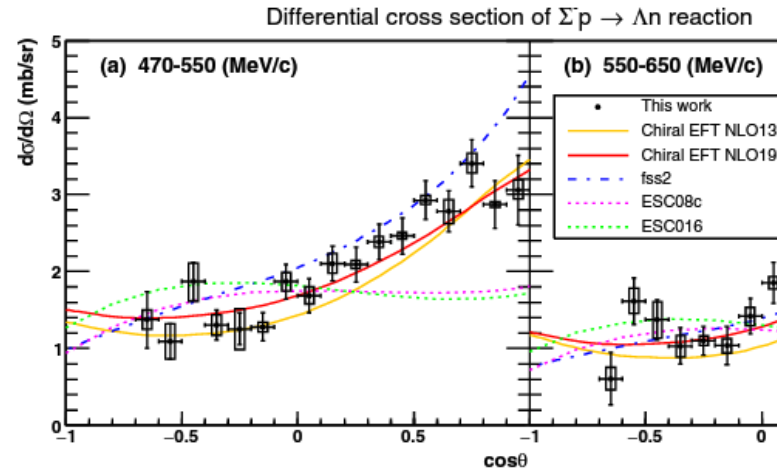
differential x-sections for Σ^-p

Miwa (J-PARC E40) PRC (2021)



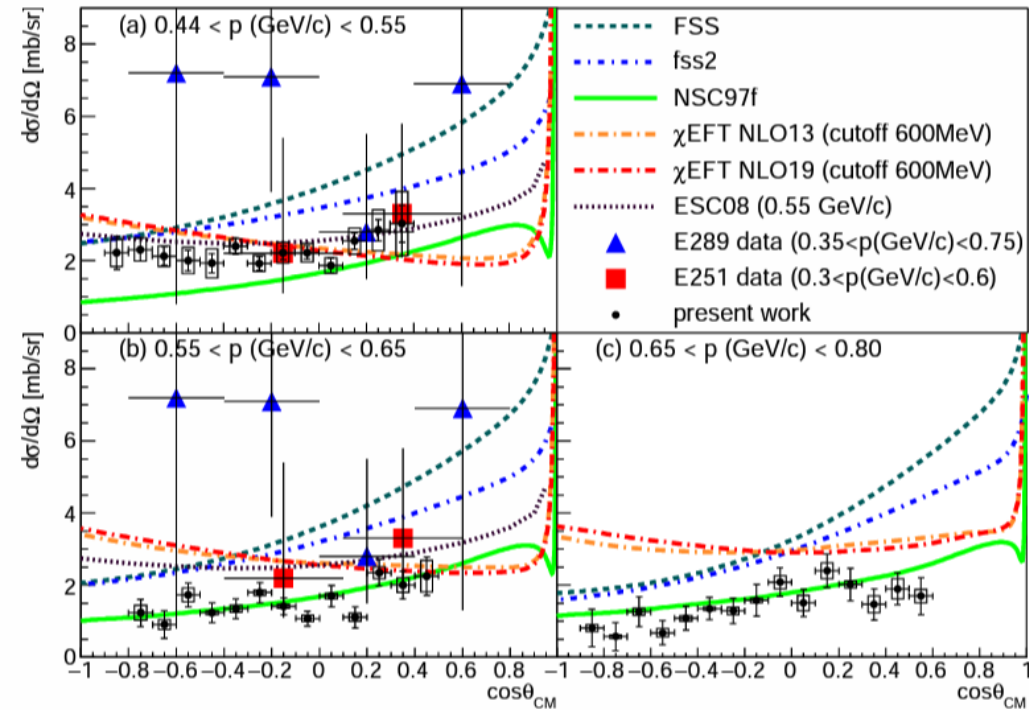
J-PARC E40

differential x-sections for $\Sigma^-p \rightarrow \Lambda n$ PRL (2022)



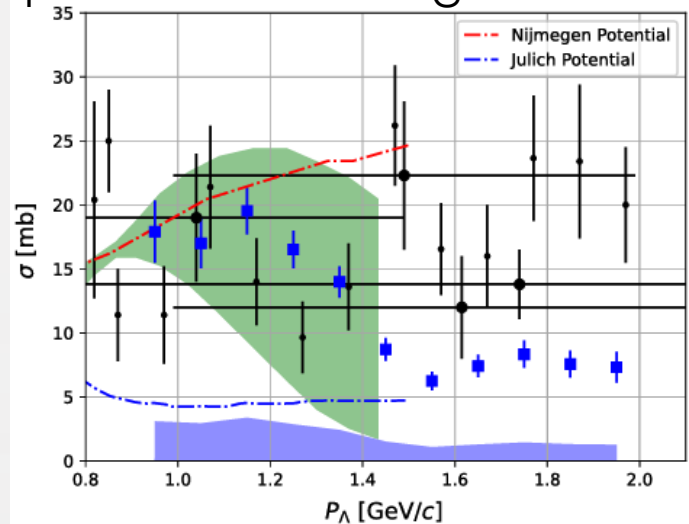
differential x-sections for Σ^+p

Nanamura (J-PARC E40), arXiv:2203.08393



CLAS

Λp elastic scattering x-sections



T. Rowley (CLAS), PRL (2021)

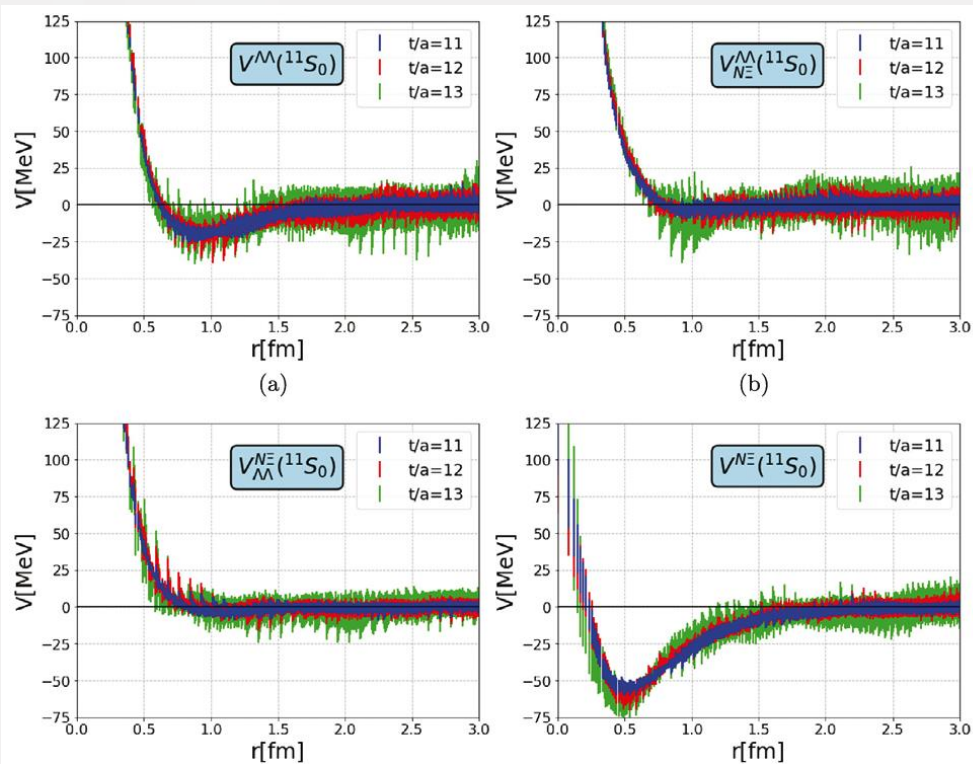
Lattice QCD

HAL QCD

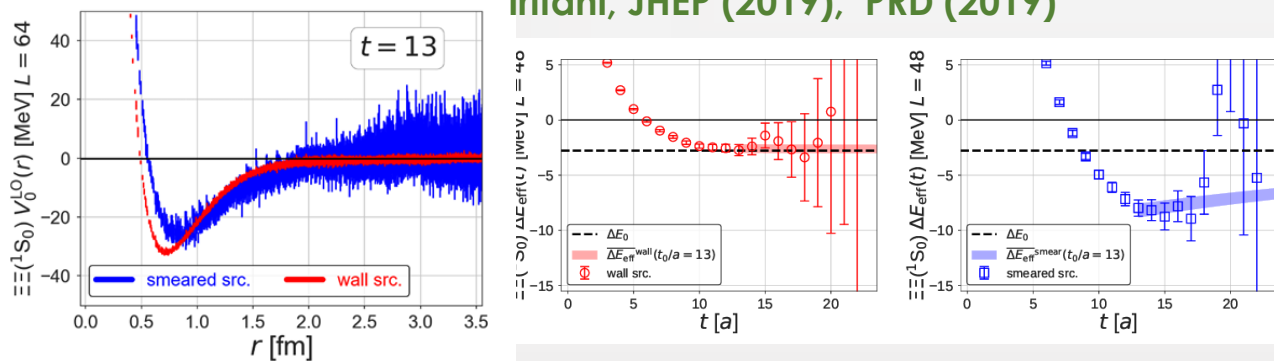
BB strangeness ranging from 0 to -4

NPLQCD

Sasaki, NPA (2020)

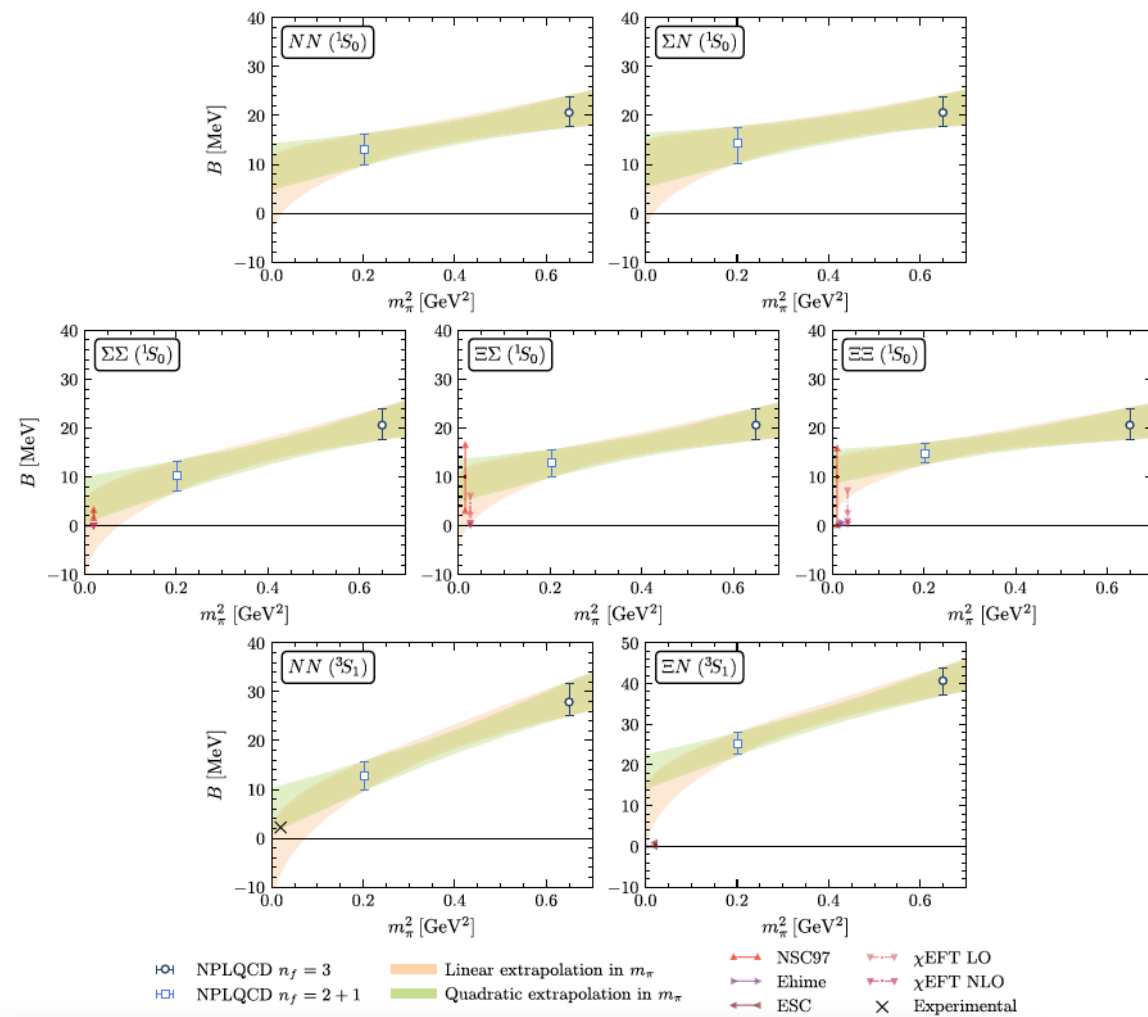


Iritani, JHEP (2019), PRD (2019)



Lyu, PRD (2022)

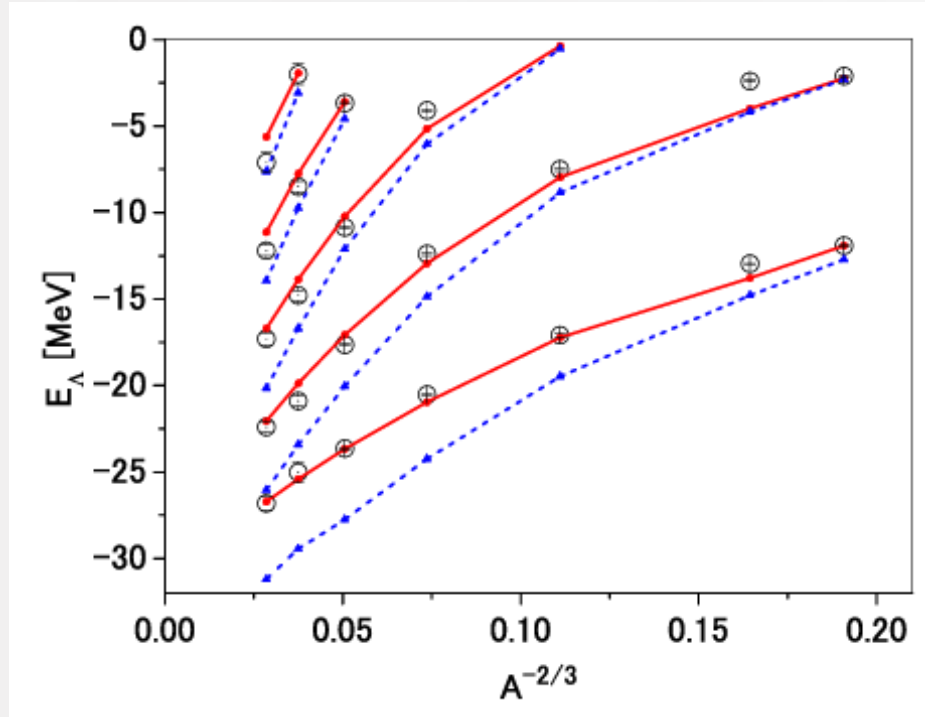
IIIa, PRD (2021)



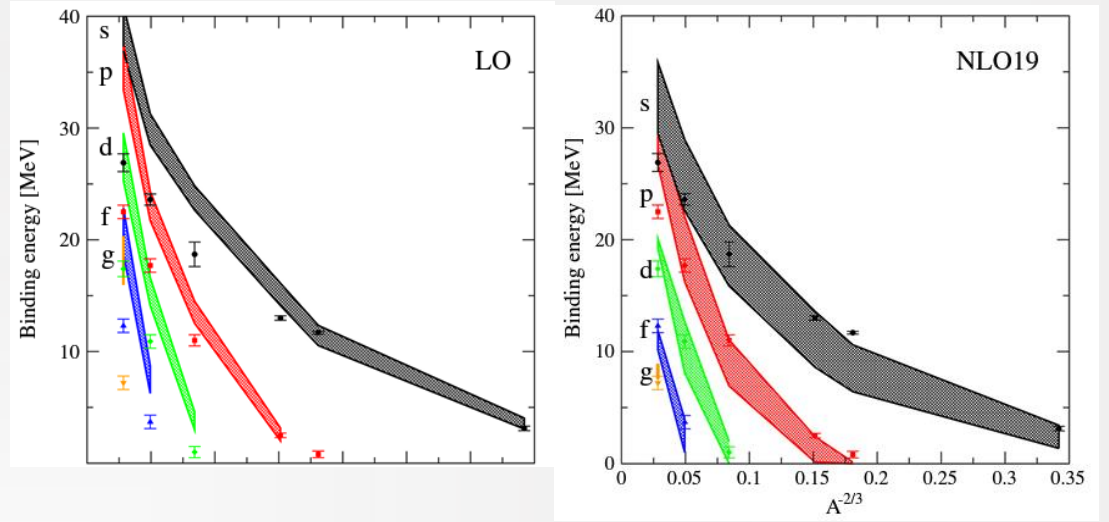
Testing (and constraining) YN, YY interactions with hypernuclei

(mean-field Y-potentials obtained from in-medium modified G-matrix interactions)

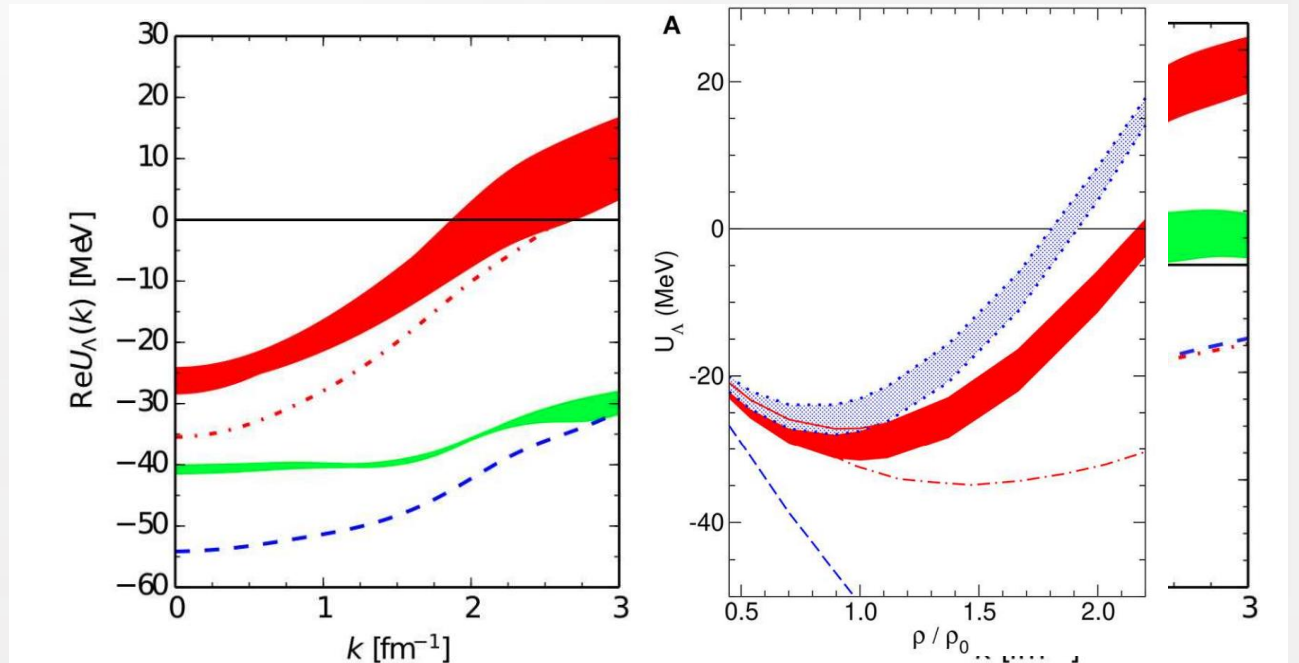
Nagels, Rijken, Yamamoto, PRC (2019)



Haidenbauer, Vidaña, EPJA (2020)



Petschauer, Haidenbauer, Kaiser, Meißner, Weise, Front.Phys (2020)



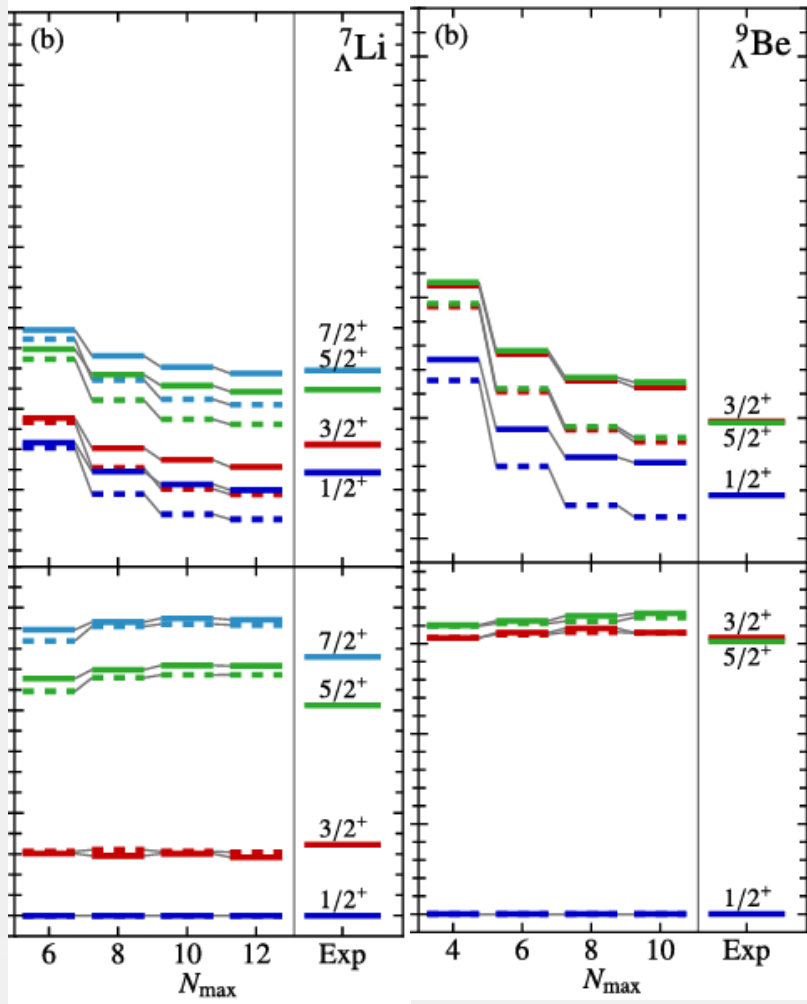
Testing (and constraining) YN, YY interactions with hypernuclei

(*ab-initio* No Core Shell Model calculations)

Slater determinant basis of HO states

Wirth, Gazda, Navrátil, Roth, PRC (2018)

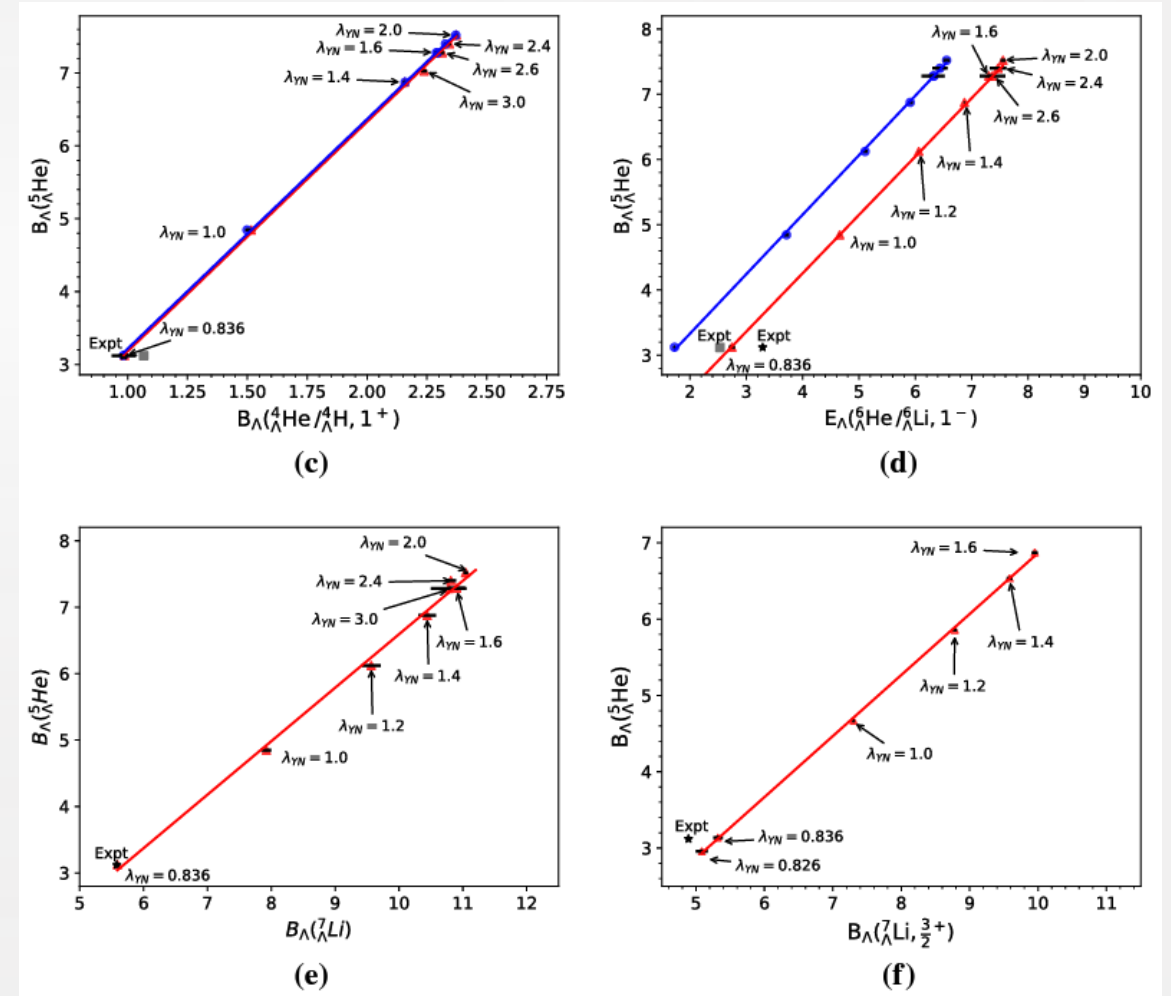
Wirth, Roth, PLB (2018); PRC (2019)



Jacobi coordinates and symmetry-adapted basis

Le, Haidenbauer, Meißner, Nogga, EPJA (2020)

$\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei: EPJA (2021)



Testing (and constraining) YN, YY interactions with few-body hypernuclei

(→ “exact” wavefunction is known)

the best benchmark for testing the YN interaction and understand a few puzzles:

- Hypertriton B_Λ (is it larger than before?)
- Charge Symmetry Breaking (CSB) in hypernuclei
- Is there a Λnn resonant state? and a $\Sigma^0 nn$ one?
- Lifetime of the hypertriton

- Hypertriton B_Λ (is it larger than before?)

Adam (STAR), Nature Phys. (2020)

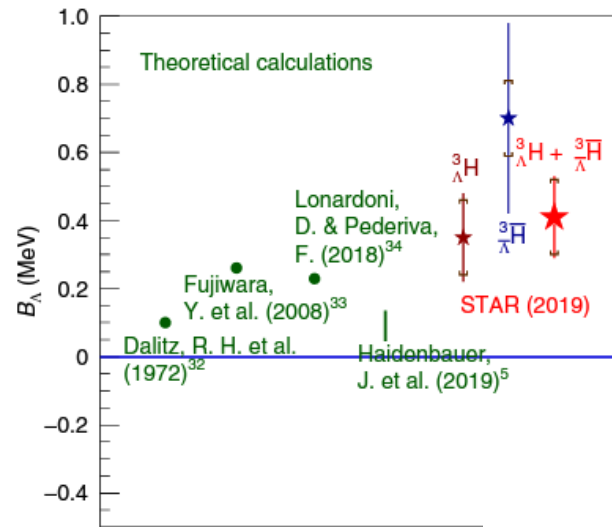
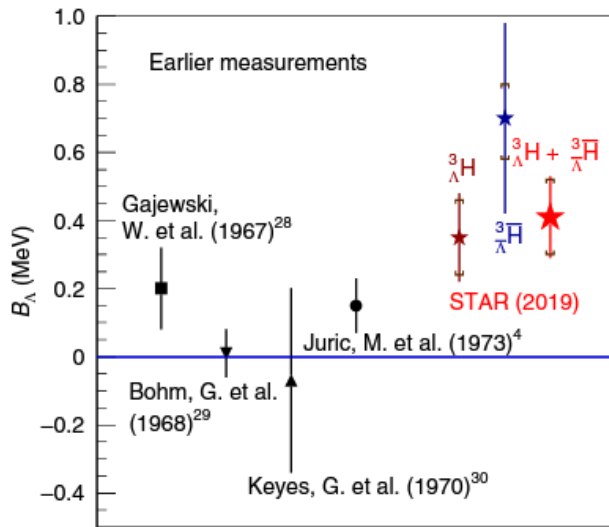
average value: $B_\Lambda = 0.13 \pm 0.05$ MeV

STAR measurement: $B_\Lambda = 0.41 \pm 0.12$ MeV

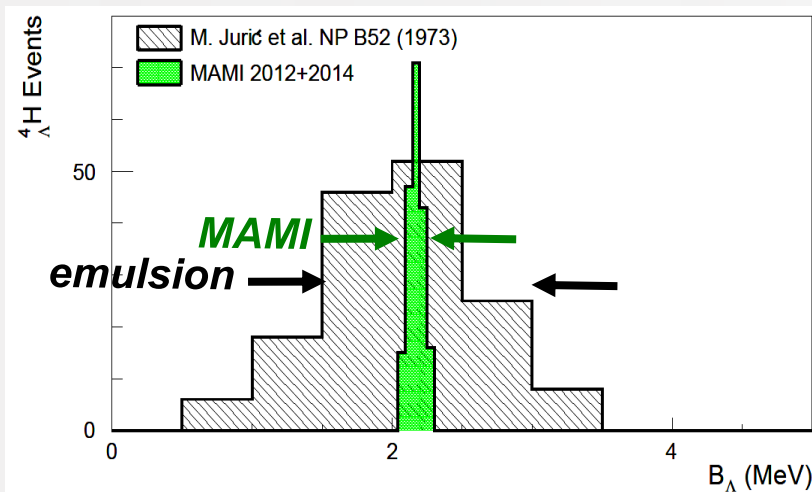
Le, Haidenbauer, Meißner, Nogga, PLB (2020)

(the new value used to constrain the relative weight of the singlet/triplet ΛN interaction)

→ An increased B_Λ is compatible with a good description of light hypernuclei



YN interaction	NL019	Fit A
a_s	-2.91	-4.00
a_t	-1.41	-1.22

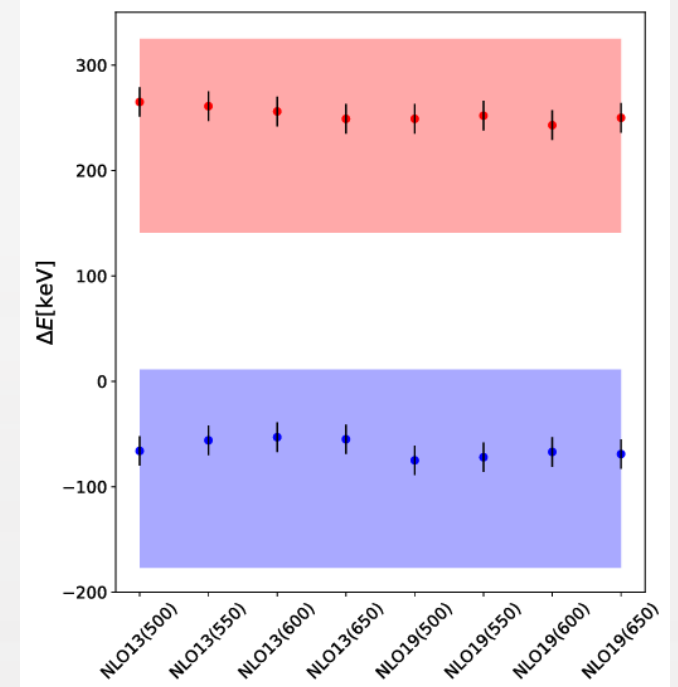
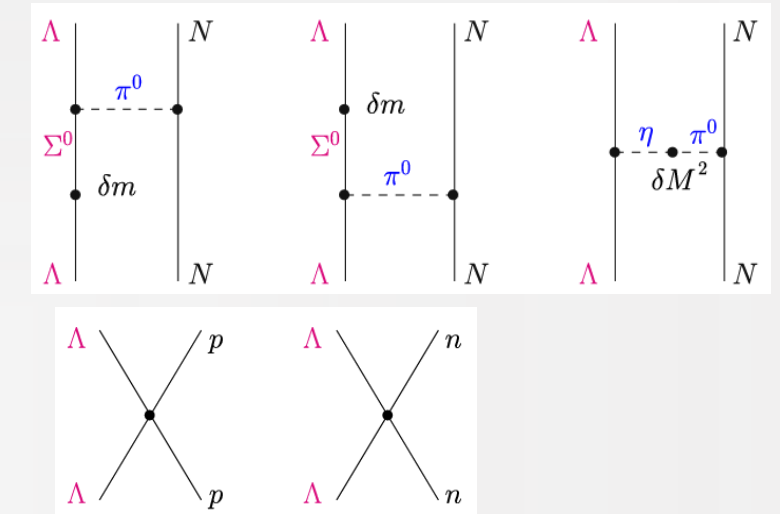
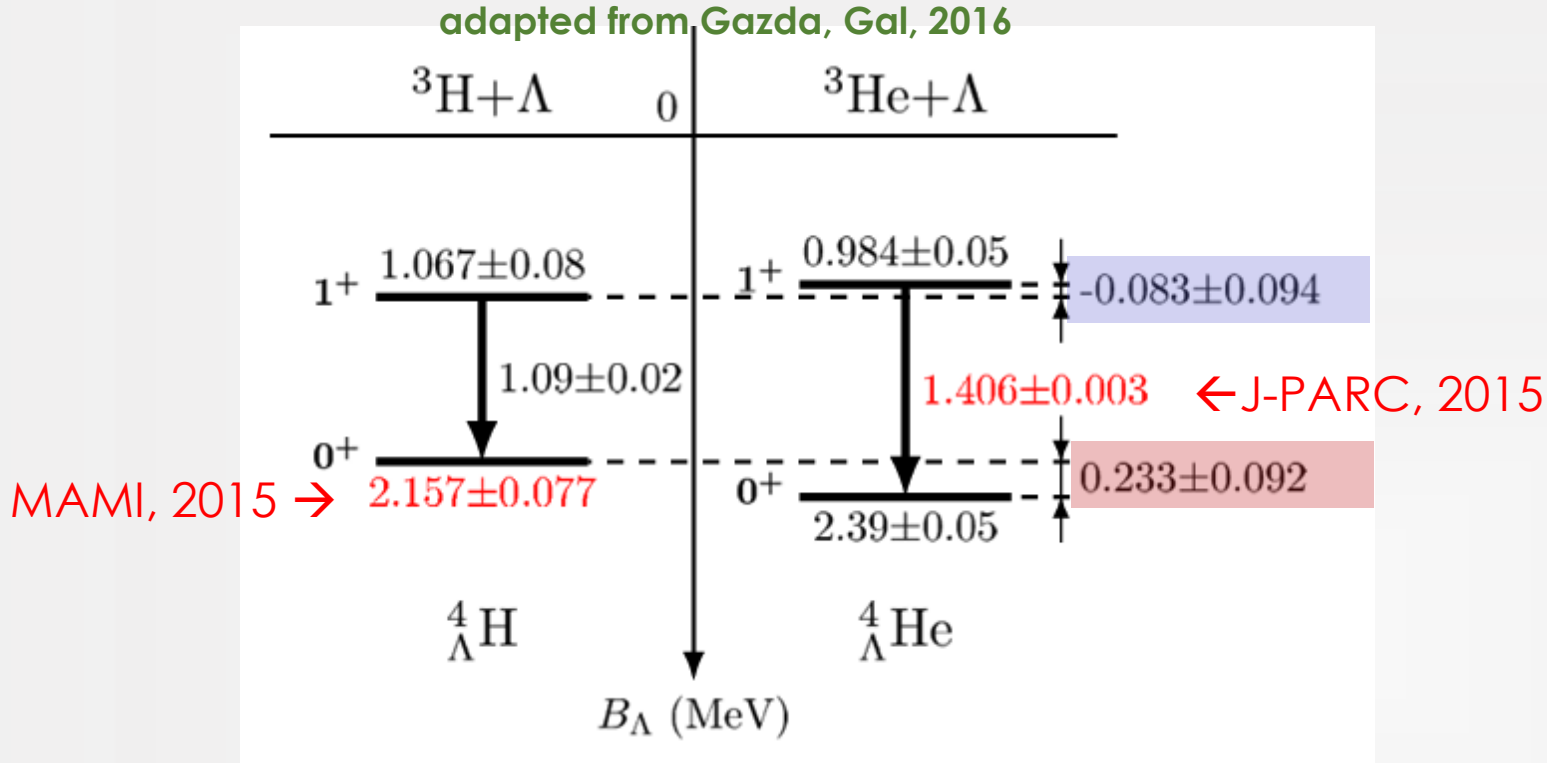


New measurement @MAMI coming soon!

(pion decay spectroscopy with statistical and systematic errors of ~ 20 keV
(commissioning: summer 2022))

- Charge Symmetry Breaking (CSB) in hypernuclei

Haidenbauer, Meißner, Nogga, 2021



J-PARC E63 experiment:

\rightarrow gamma-transition energy ($1^+ \rightarrow 0^+$) in $^4_{\Lambda}\text{H}$

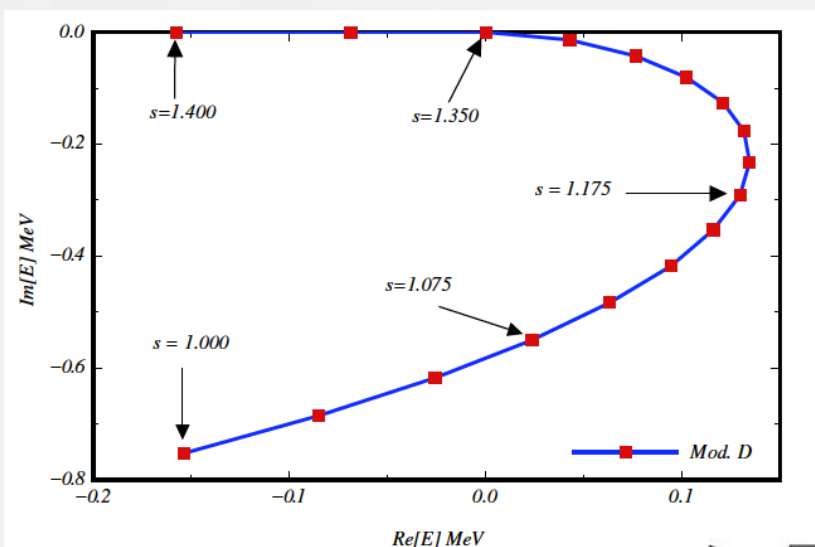
(a triple coincidence measurement with the in-flight (K^- , π^-) reaction, gamma-ray, and weak decay)

- **Is there a Λnn resonant state? (and a $\Sigma^0 nn$ one?)** (HypHI Collaboration, 2013)

If it exists, it will put severe constraints on the Λn interaction

Gibson, Afnan SciPost, 2020

Nijmegen D

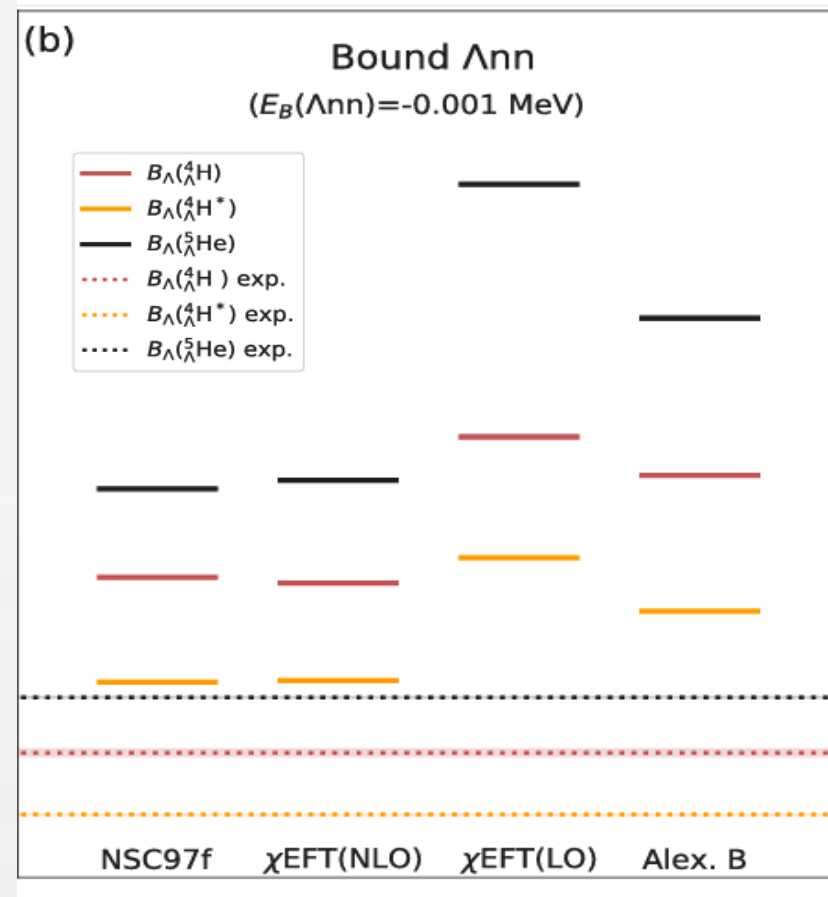
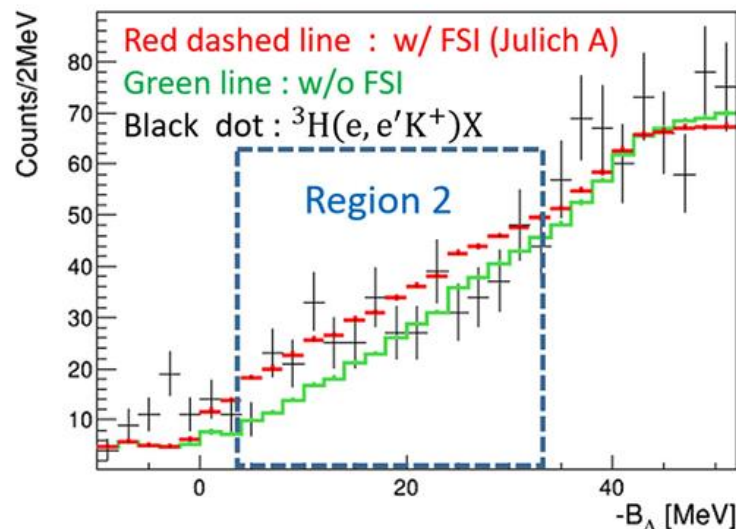


Schäfer, Bazak, Barnea, Mareš, PLB 2020, PRC2021

LO pionless EFT + 2- and 3-body contact terms
(strength of 3-body force varied)

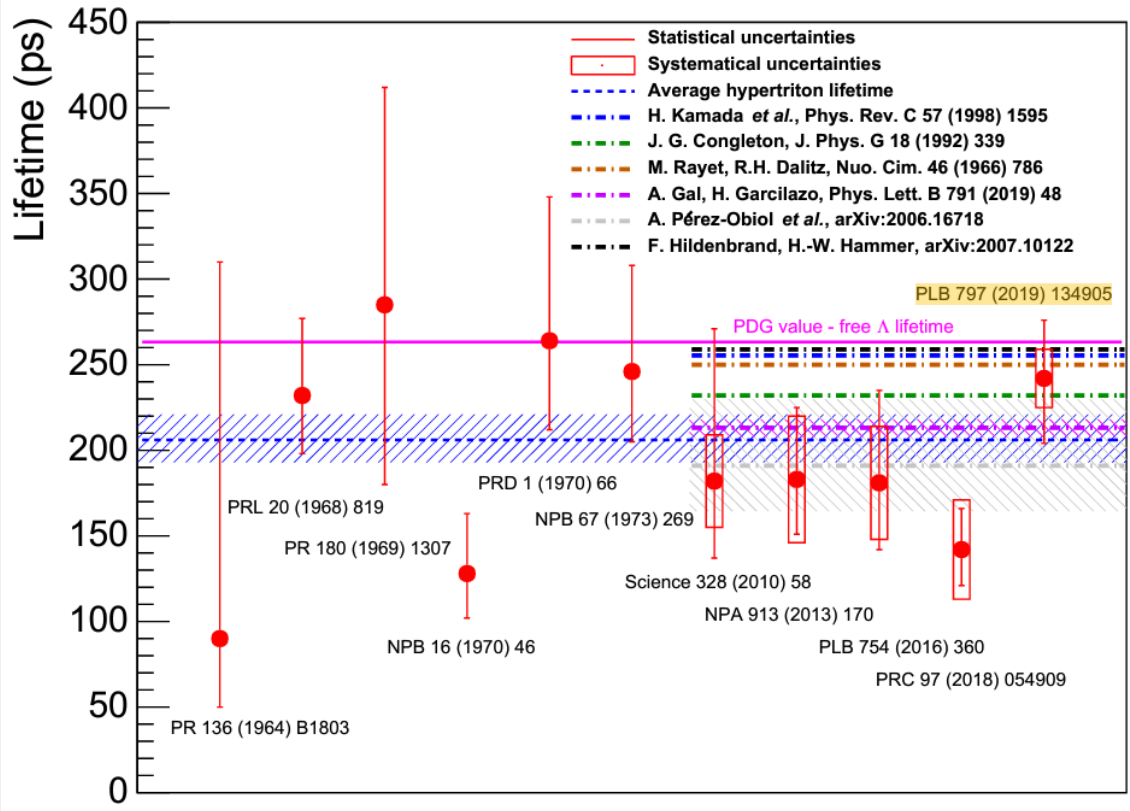
E12-17-003 in Hall A@J-lab:
(enhancements seen)
→ a possible Λnn resonance
and a pair of ΣNN states ?

Suzuki et al (E12-17-003), PTEP (2022)



- Lifetime of the hypertriton (short or similar to the free Λ lifetime?)

New results: **ALICE@LHC, PLB 2019** **STAR, PRL 2022**



New measurements planned at:

HADES

J-Lab E12-19-002

STAR BES II

J-PARC E73

WASA-FRS HypHI

ab initio no-core shell model including Σ NN admixtures and $\pi^- - {}^3\text{He}$ FSI

Pérez-Obiol, Gazda, Friedman, Gal, PLB (2020)

Λ_{UV}	B_Λ	$\tau({}^3_\Lambda\text{H})$
800	69	234 ± 27
900	135	190 ± 22
1000	159	180 ± 21
-	410	163 ± 18

Lifetime and decay branching ratios in pionless EFT

Hildenbrand, Hammer, PRC (2020)

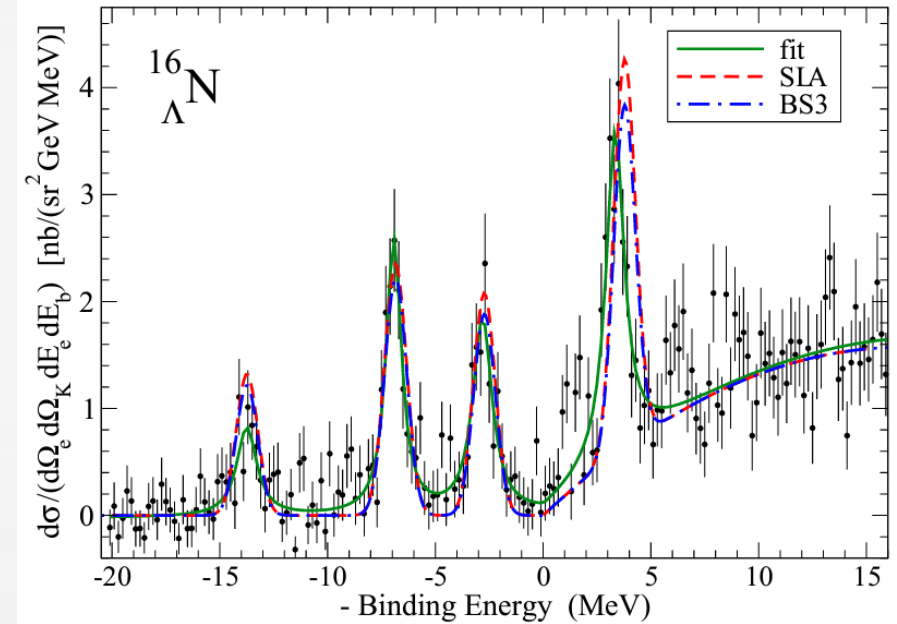
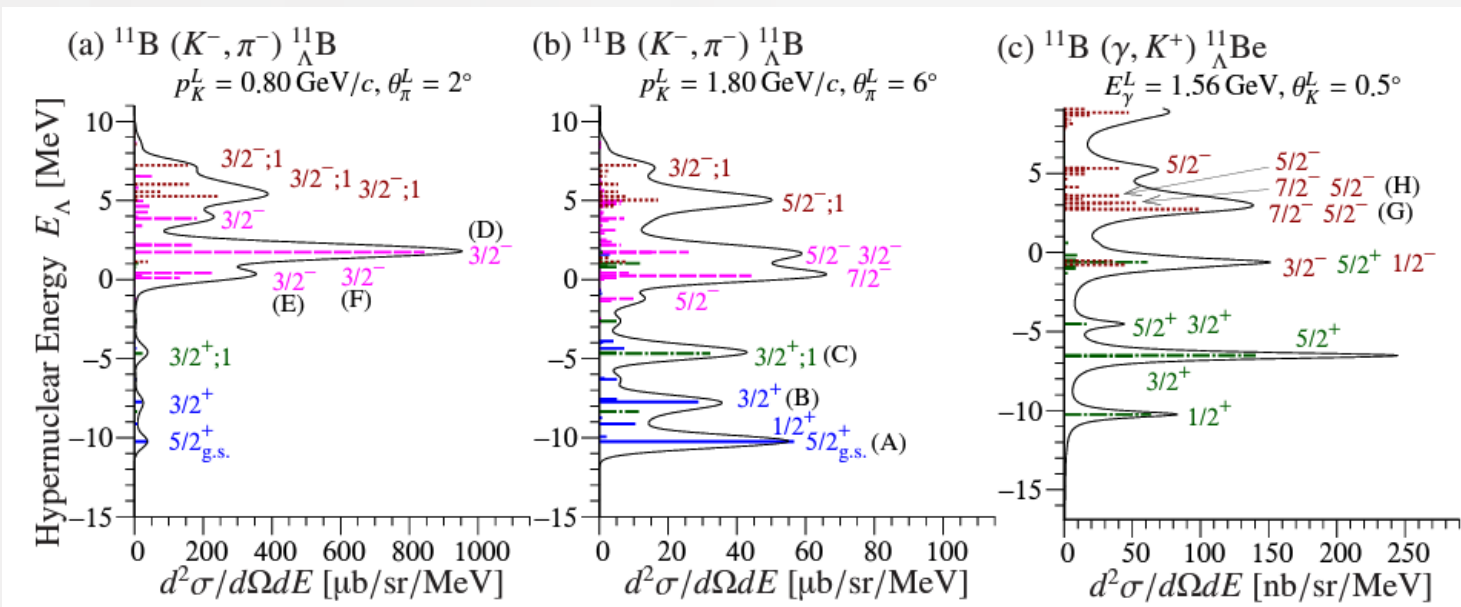
Observable	$B_\Lambda = 0.13 \text{ MeV}$		$B_\Lambda = 0.41 \text{ MeV}$	
	0.642	0.732	0.642	0.732
α_-	0.642	0.732	0.642	0.732
$(\Gamma_{pd} + \Gamma_{nd})/\Gamma_\Lambda$	0.612	0.612	0.415	0.416
$(\Gamma_{{}^3\text{He}} + \Gamma_{{}^3\text{H}})/\Gamma_\Lambda$	0.382	0.363	0.569	0.541
$\Gamma_{{}^3_\Lambda\text{H}}/\Gamma_\Lambda$	0.992	0.975	0.984	0.956
$\Gamma_{{}^3\text{He}}/(\Gamma_{{}^3\text{He}} + \Gamma_{pd})$	0.384	0.373	0.578	0.566
$\tau_{{}^3_\Lambda\text{H}}$ [ps]	264.7	269.8	267.6	275.0

HYPERNUCLEAR SPECTROSCOPY

DWIA x-sections of (K^-, π^-) , (π^+, K^+) , and (γ, K^+) reactions
(within the extended model space) **Umeya, Motoba, Itonaga,**

(e, eK^+) reactions

Garibaldi (J-Lab E94-107) PRC (2019)



JLab E12-15-008 $^{40}_{\Lambda}\text{K}$ and $^{48}_{\Lambda}\text{K}$ targets

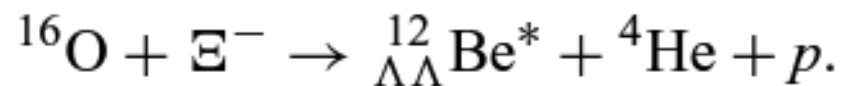
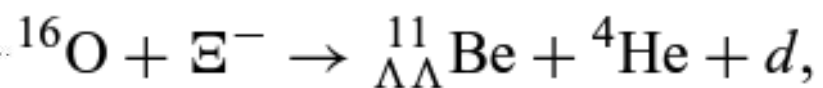
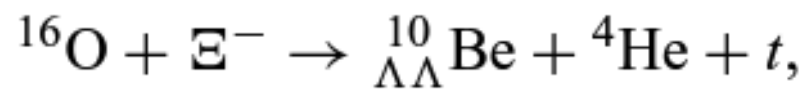
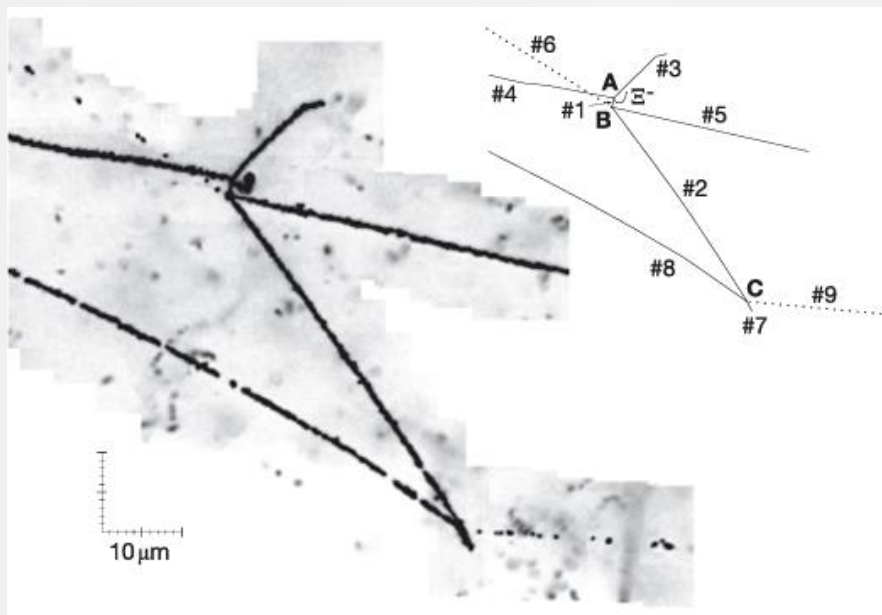
Beam line **HIHR at JPARC:**
supra-precision (π, K^+) Λ -hypernuclei spectroscopy

$$S=-2$$

$\Lambda\Lambda$ – hypernuclei / Ξ hypernuclei / Ξ^- - atoms

Observation of a new $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernucleus (MINO event)

Ekawa, **(J-PARC E07)** PTEP (2019)



← most probable



$$B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 19.07 \pm 0.11 \text{ MeV}$$

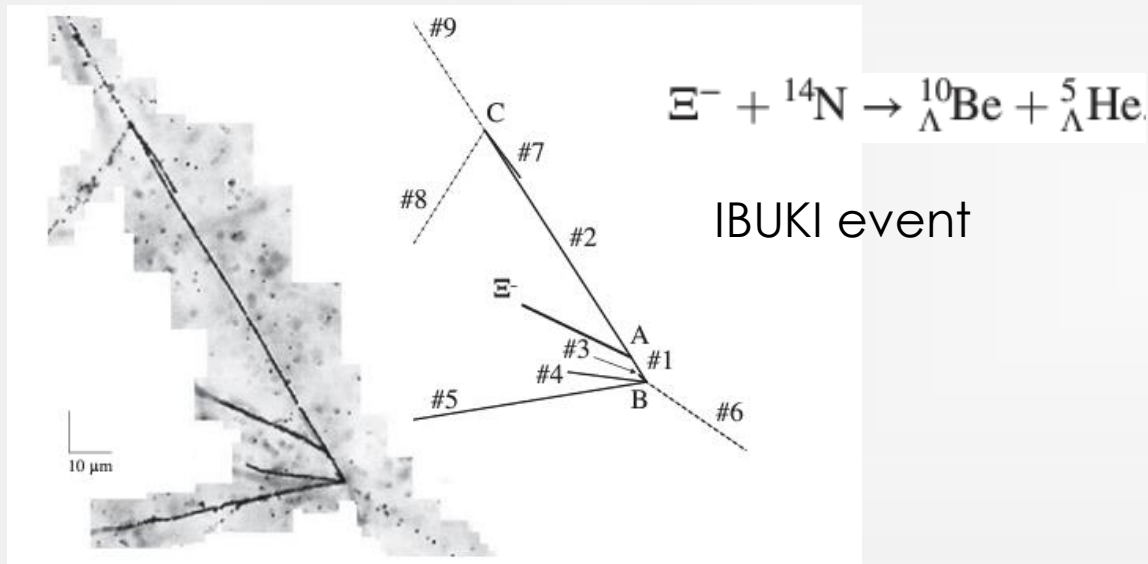
$$\Delta B_{\Lambda\Lambda} = 1.87 \pm 0.37 \text{ MeV}$$

Ξ^- -Nuclear Bound States

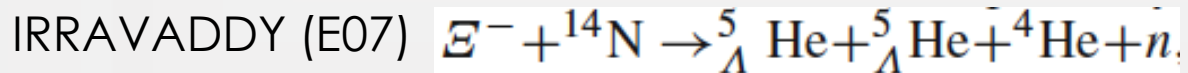
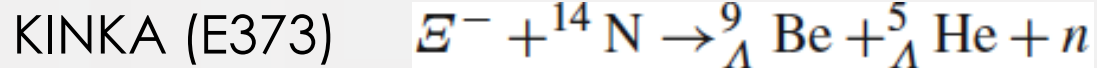
KEK E373 and **J-PARC E07** experiments

Coulomb-Assisted Ξ^- - ^{14}N $1p_{\Xi^-}$ nuclear bound state

Hayakawa (J-PARC E07), PRL (2021)



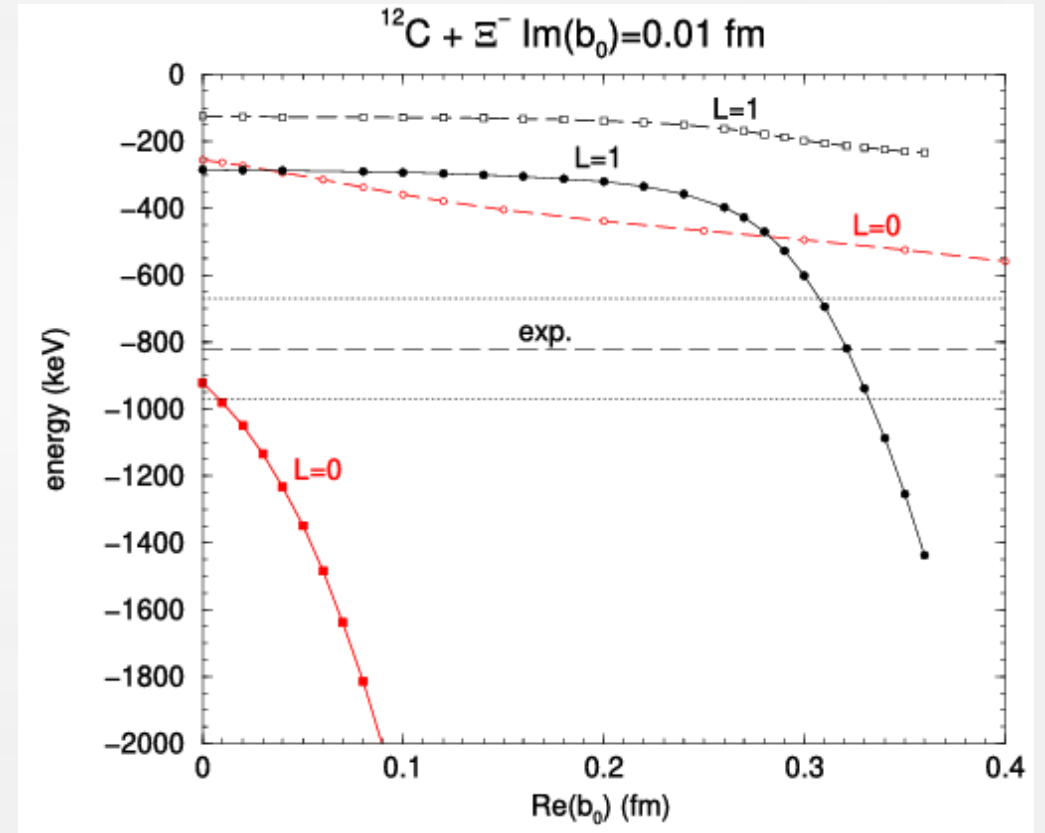
Yoshimoto, PTEP (2021)



→ $1s_{\Xi^-}$ nuclear state

Analysis of emulsion events where Ξ^- is captured in $1p_{\Xi^-}$ nuclear states

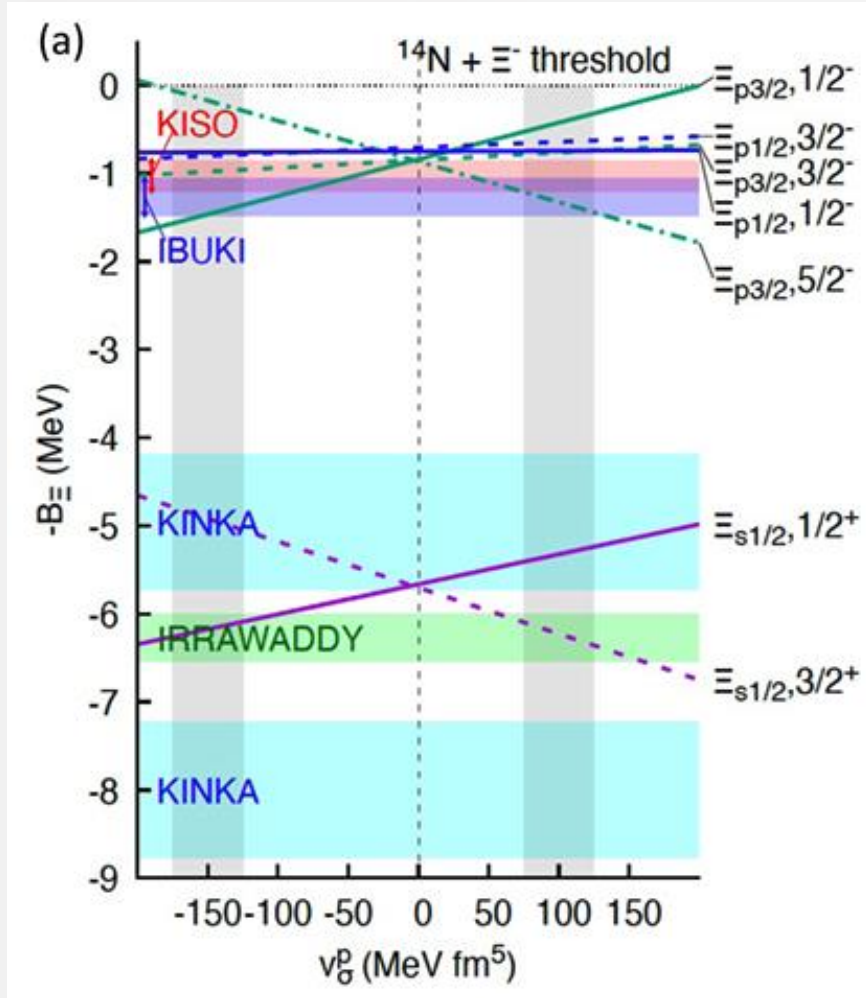
Friedman, Gal, Phys.Lett.B (2021)



→ attractive potential depth: $V_{\Xi} \gtrsim 20 \text{ MeV}$

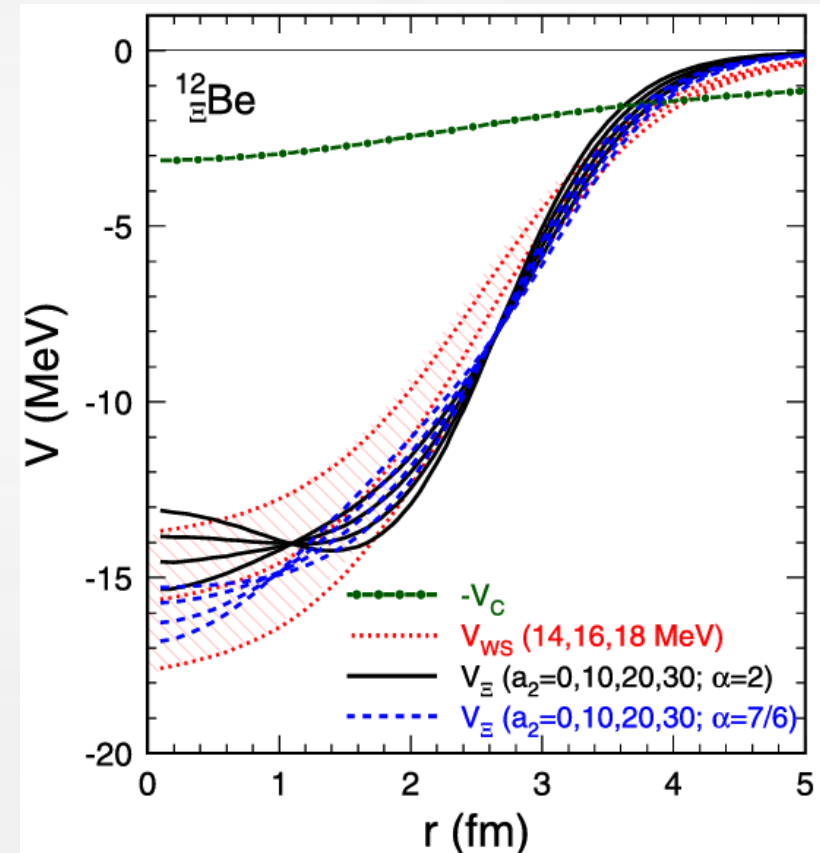
Energy spectra of Ξ^- hypernuclei within a RMF model
(constrained to the new observations)

Tanimura, Sagawa, Sun, Hiyama, PRC (2022)



Skyrme-Hartree-Fock mean-field method
(constrained to the new observations)

Guo, Zhou, Schulze, PRC (2021)



Lighter Ξ -Nuclear systems

Few body calculations with realistic potentials: AV8
 NN potential combined with a Ξ N potential
 (either Nijmegen or HAL QCD)

Hiyama et al., PRL (2020)

		$NN\Xi$		$NNN\Xi$			
(T, J^π)	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}^+)$	$(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}^+)$	$(0, 0^+)$	$(0, 1^+)$	$(1, 0^+)$	$(1, 1^+)$	
ESC08c	...	7.20	...	10.20	3.55	10.11	
HAL QCD	0.36(16)(26)	

→ the $NNN\Xi$ system ($T=0, J^\pi=1^+$) appears to be bound

Chiral NN and Ξ N interactions

Le, Haidenbauer, Meissner, Nogga, EPJA (2021)

	B_Ξ [MeV]	Γ [MeV]
${}^4_\Xi\text{H}(1^+, 0)$	0.48 ± 0.01	0.74
${}^4_\Xi\text{n}(0^+, 1)$	0.71 ± 0.08	0.2
${}^4_\Xi\text{n}(1^+, 1)$	0.64 ± 0.11	0.01
${}^4_\Xi\text{H}(0^+, 0)$	–	–

Planned:

Ξ^- - atomic X-ray measurement (**J-PARC E07**) (Ξ^- Ag and Ξ^- Br)

Production of light Ξ -nuclei (**J-PARC E75**) ${}^7\text{Li}(K^-,K^+) {}^7_{\Xi}\text{H}$

High-resolution spectroscopy of Ξ hypernuclei
via the (K^-,K^+) reaction (**J-PARC E70**) ${}^{12}\text{C}(K^-,K^+) {}^{12}_{\Xi}\text{Be}$

$\bar{K}N$ and \bar{K} -nucleus interactions

Review: T. Hyodo and W. Weise, [arXiv:2202.06181](https://arxiv.org/abs/2202.06181)

$\bar{K}N$ interaction

Lorentz-invariant formulation of chiral effective field theory (LO)

Ren, Epelbaum, Gegelia, Meißner, EPJC (2021)

Extension to higher energies (LO+NLO):

Feijoo, Magas, Ramos, PRC 2019

Bruns, Cieplý, NPA 2022

and higher partial waves:

Feijoo, Gazda, Magas, Ramos, Symmetry 2021

$l=1$ $K^-n \rightarrow \pi^0\Lambda$ amplitude at threshold

Piscicchia (AMADEUS@DAFNE) (2019)

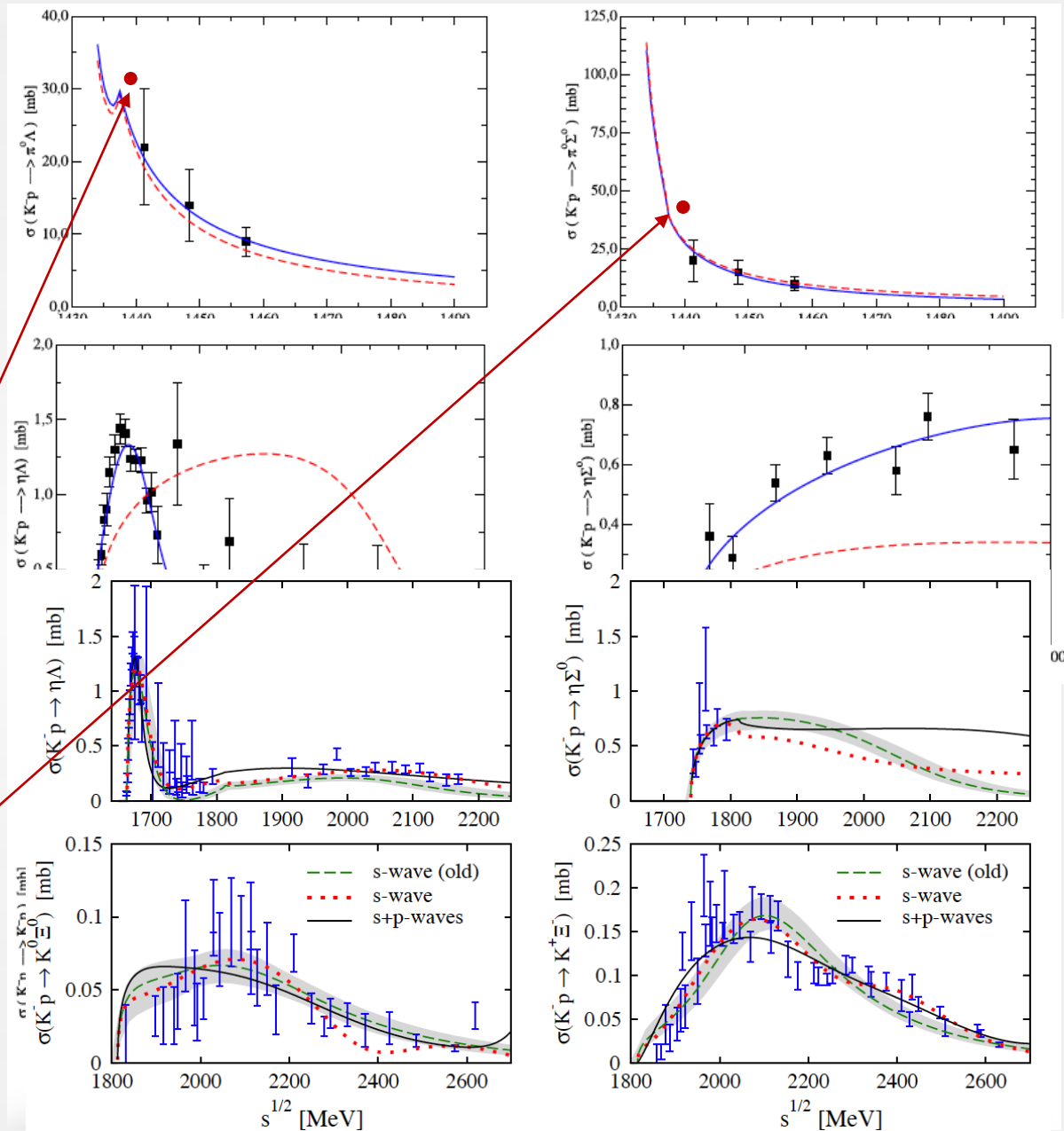
$$|A_{K^-n \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^-}| = (0.334 \pm 0.018 \text{ stat}^{+0.034}_{-0.058} \text{ syst}) \text{ fm.}$$

$K^-p \rightarrow \pi^0\Lambda, \pi^0\Sigma^0$ x-section

Piscicchia (AMADEUS@DAFNE) (2022)

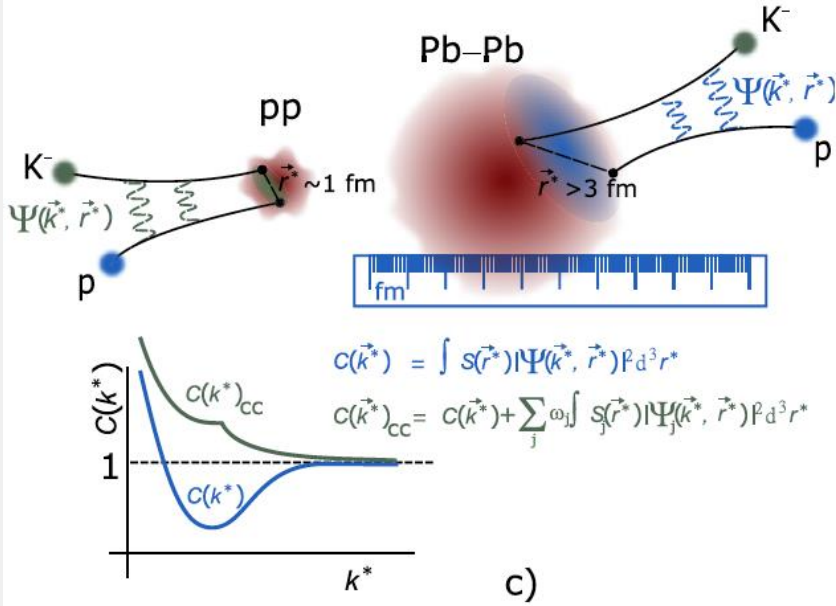
$$\sigma_{K^-p \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^0} = 31.0 \pm 0.5(\text{stat.})^{+1.2}_{-1.2}(\text{syst.}) \text{ mb}$$

$$\sigma_{K^-p \rightarrow \Sigma^0\pi^0} = 42.8 \pm 1.5(\text{stat.})^{+2.4}_{-2.0}(\text{syst.}) \text{ mb}$$



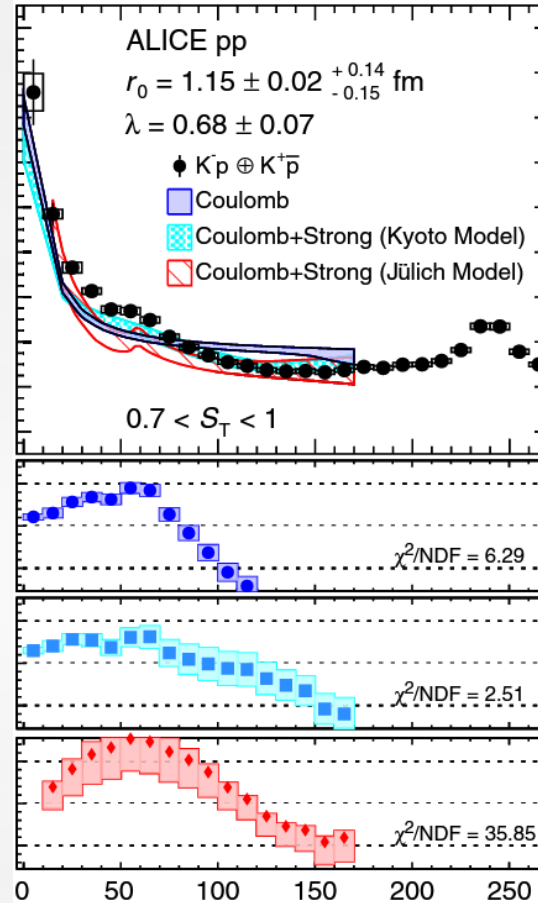
(adapted from Phys. Lett. B822 (2021) 136708)

Femtoscropy

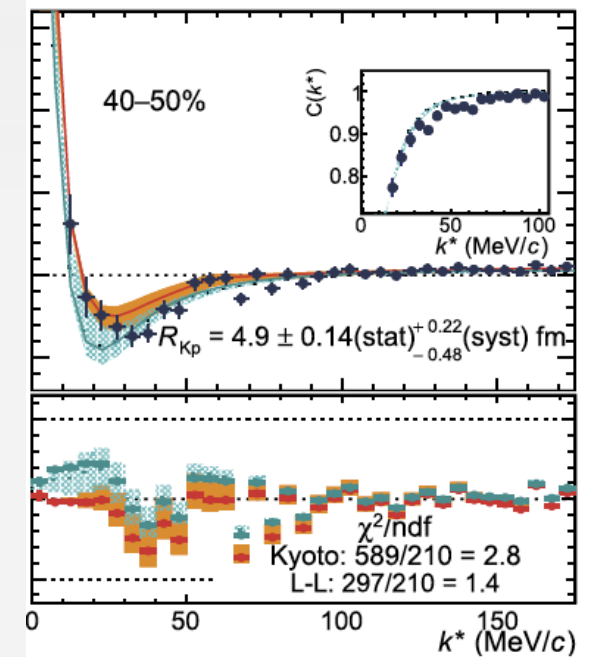


Femtoscropy ALICE@LHC

pp collisions Acharya (ALICE), PRL (2020)

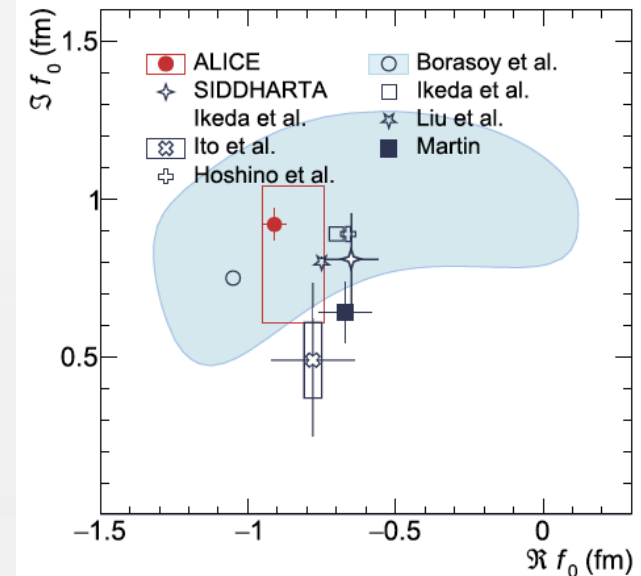
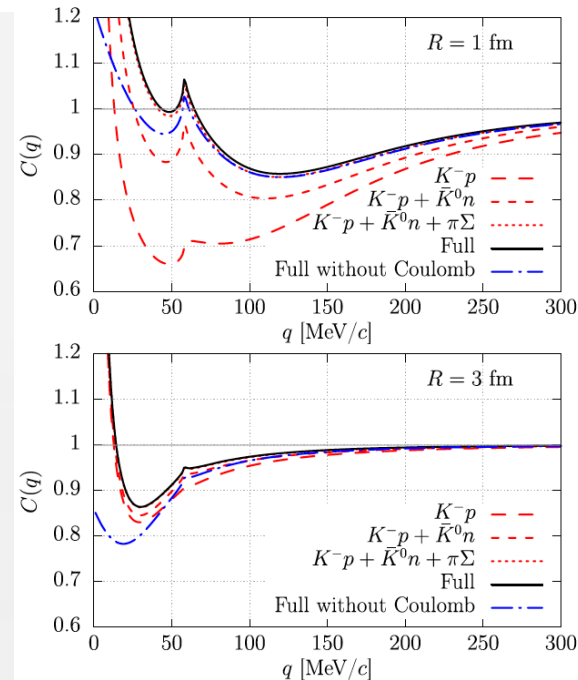


Pb Pb collisions Acharya (ALICE), PLB 2021

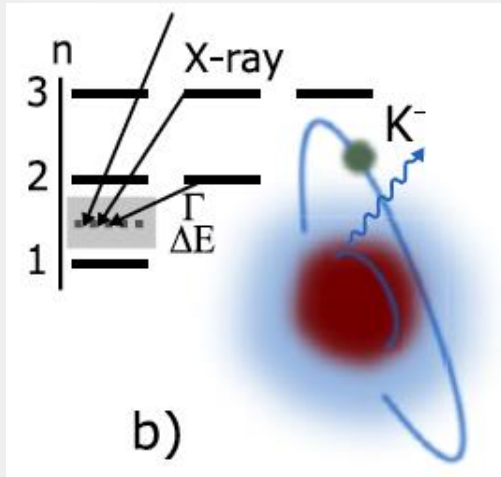


Importance of coupled channels ($K^-p - \bar{K}^0n$) and dependence on source size R

Kamiya, Hyodo, Morita, Ohnishi, Weise, PRL (2020)

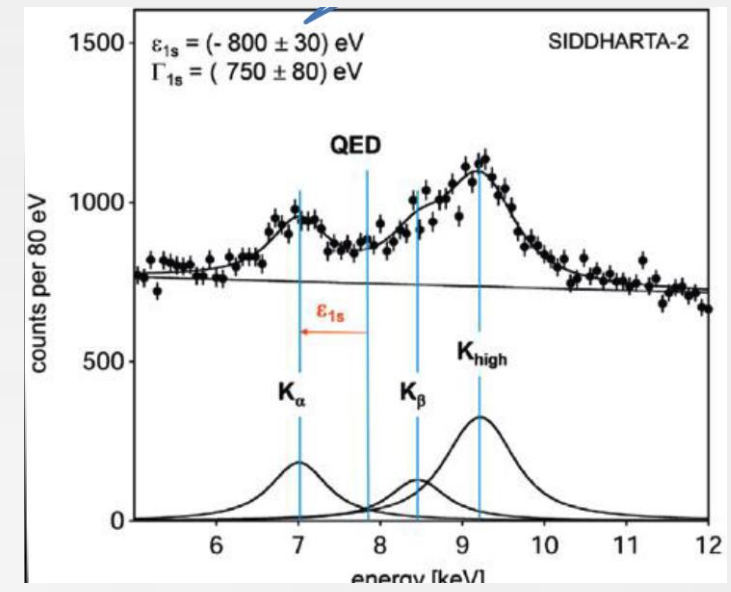


Light kaonic atoms



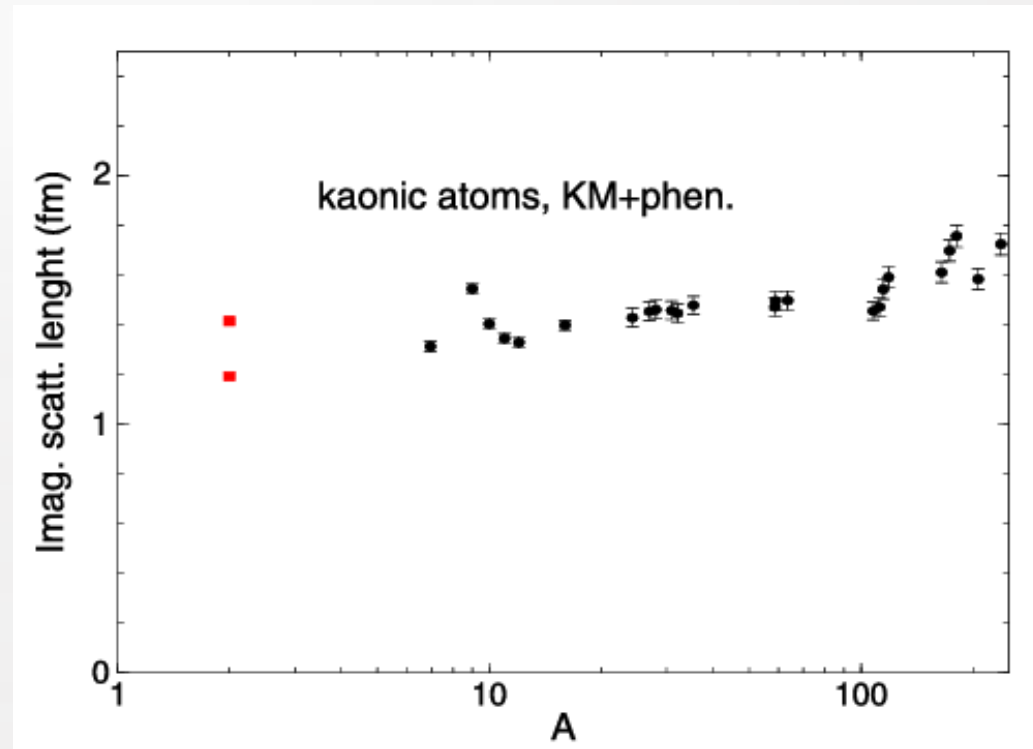
The K^-n interaction will be pinned down from the measurement of the energy shift and width of the **kaonic deuterium** ground state (data being taken now at **SIDDHARTA2@DAFNE**)

(and planned at J-PARC)



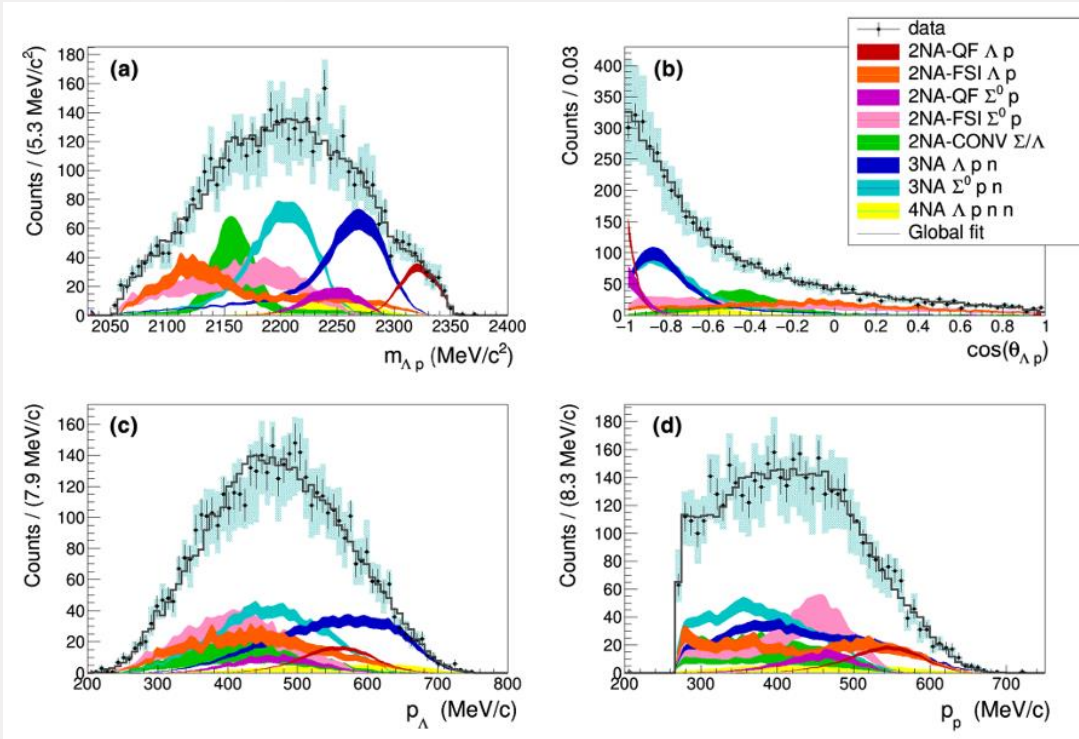
Connecting heavy kaonic atom fits with kaonic deuterium

Barnea, Friedman, Gal, NPA (2021)



K^- multi-nucleon absorption in ^{12}C

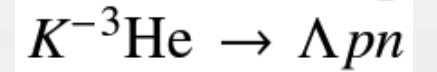
Del Grande (AMADEUS), EPJC (2019)



Study of KNN absorption with chiral models. Branching ratios to various absorption channels well reproduced.

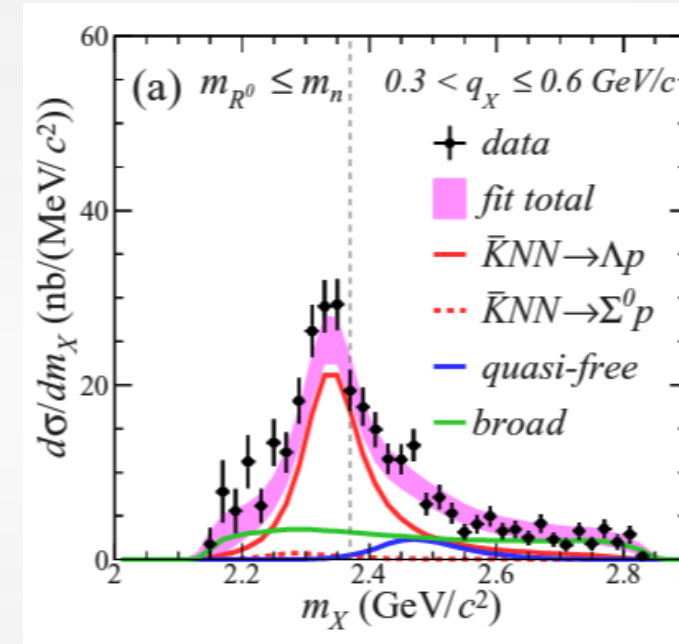
Hrtankova, Ramos, PRC (2020)

K^-pp bound state



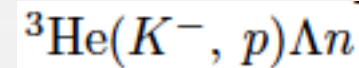
$$B_K = 42 \pm 3(\text{stat.})_{-4}^{+3}(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_K = 100 \pm 7(\text{stat.})_{-9}^{+19}(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

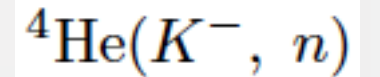


Ajimura, PLB 2019,
Yamaga, PRC 2020
(J-PARC E15)

Future: search for K-pn / heavier clusters: KNNN



Shevchenko, FBS (2021)



Kanada-En'yo, EPJA (2021)

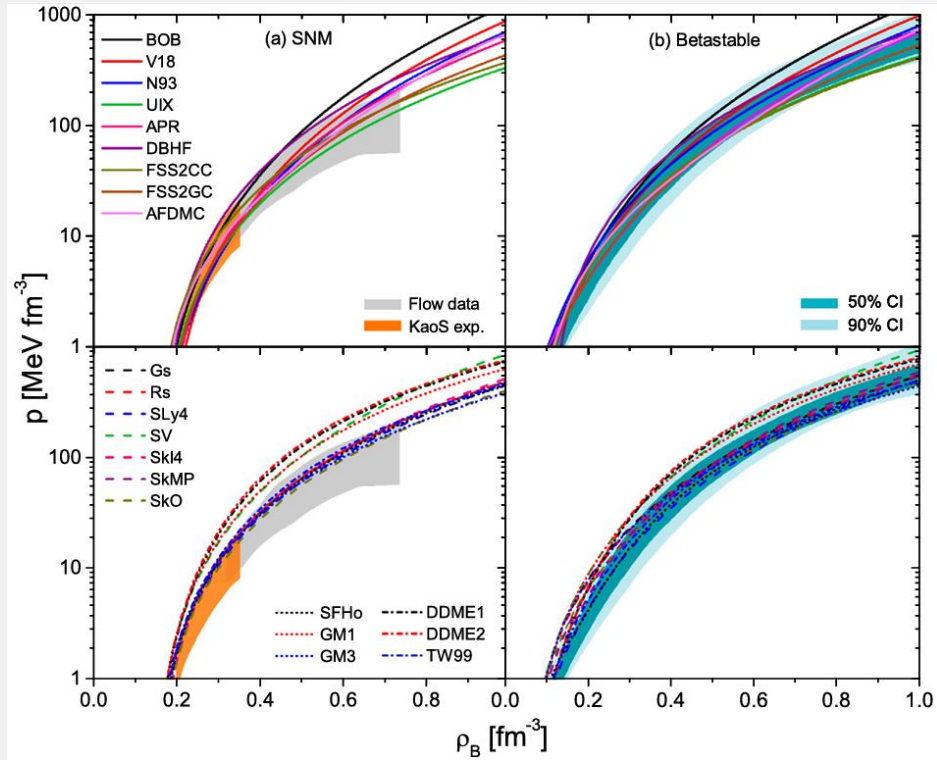
Strangeness in matter and in neutron stars

Laura Tolos, Laura Fabbietti
Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 112 (2020) 103770

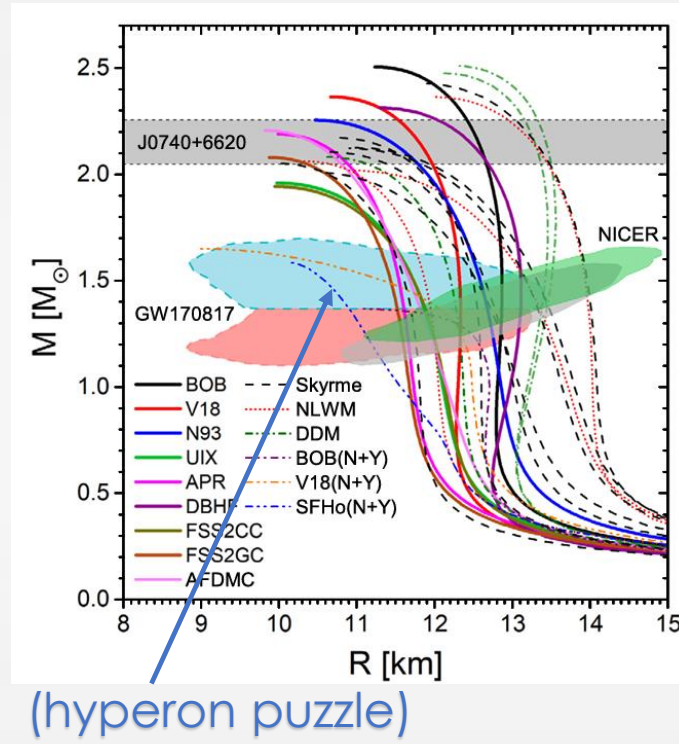
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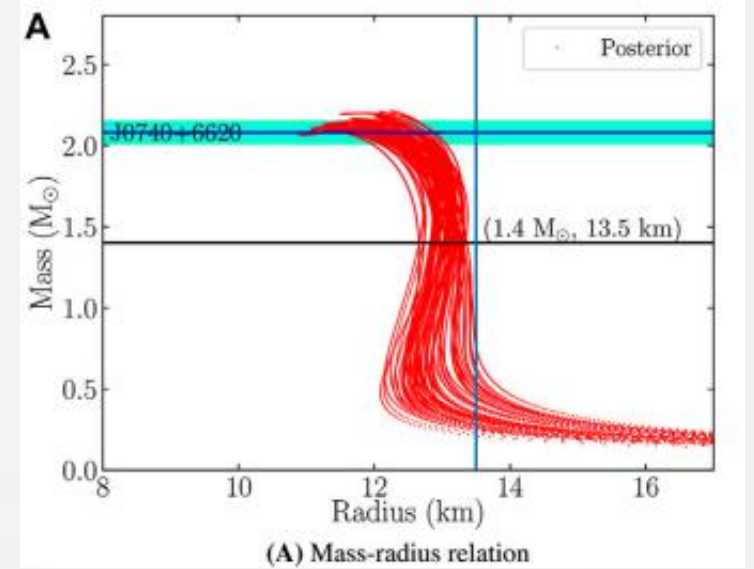


M-R relationship



Multi-Physics Constraints in Hyperonic Neutron Stars (RMF)

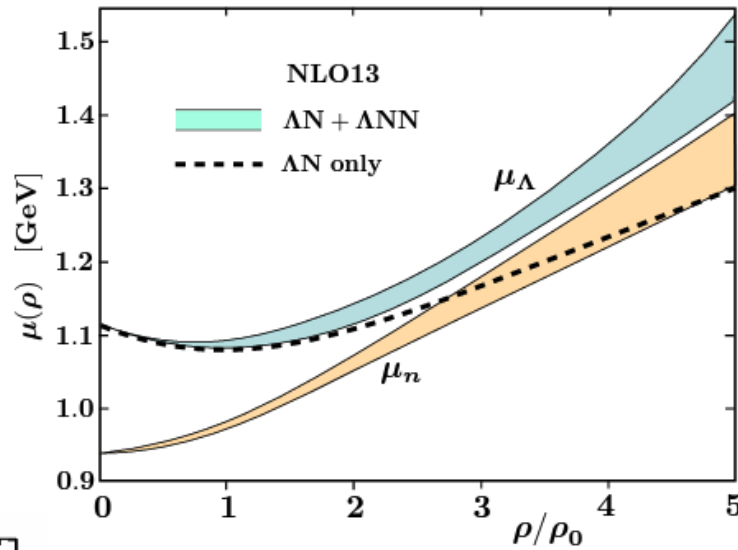
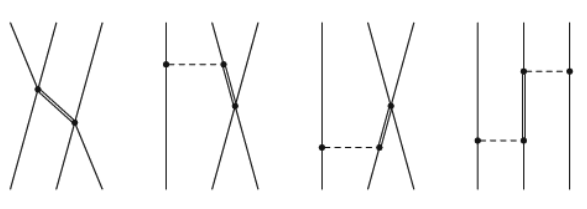
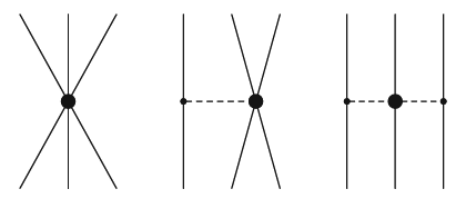
[Ghosh, Pradhan, Chatterjee, Schaffner-Bielich](#)
[Front.Astron.Space \(2022\)](#)



YNN force? Hyperon–nucleon three-body forces and strangeness in neutron stars

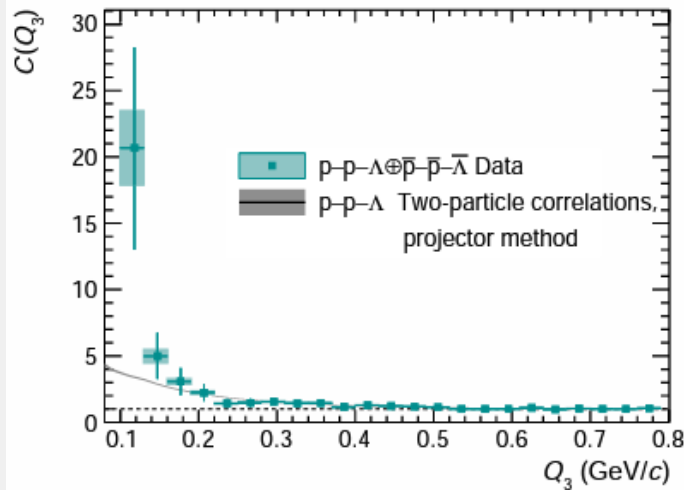
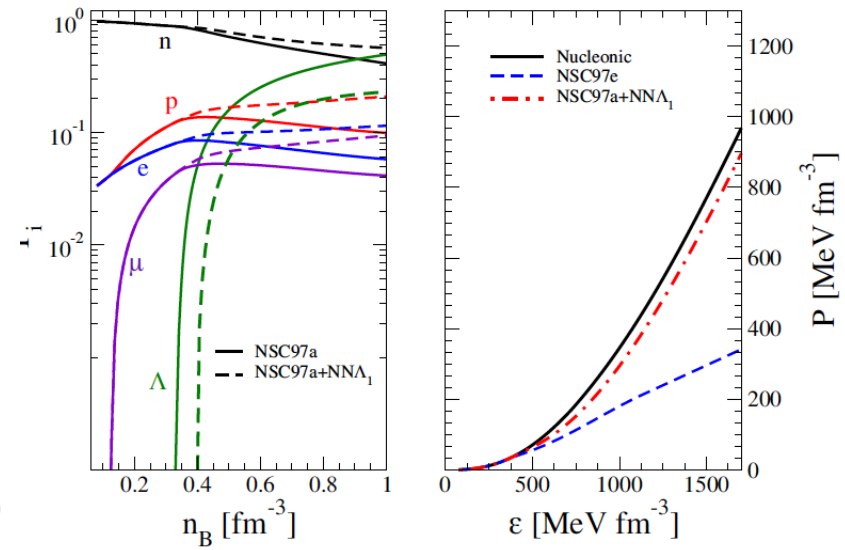
YNN prevents the appearance of hyperons

Gerstung, Kaiser, Weise EPJA (2020)



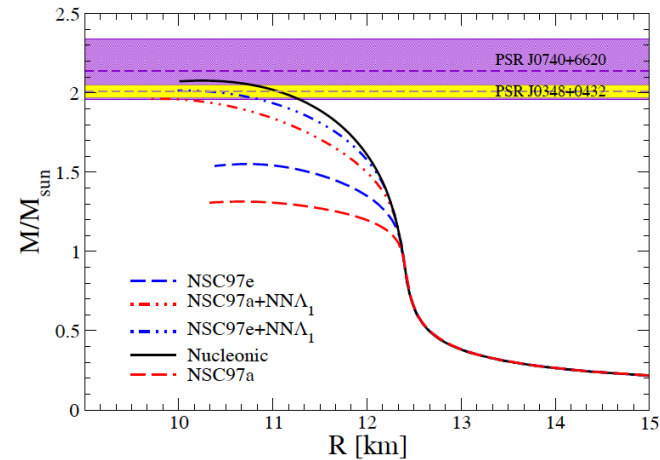
Hyperons appear in the core even with YNN
2M_⊙ maximum mass reproduced

Logoteta, Vidaña, Bombaci, EPJA (2019)



ppΛ correlations (ALICE)

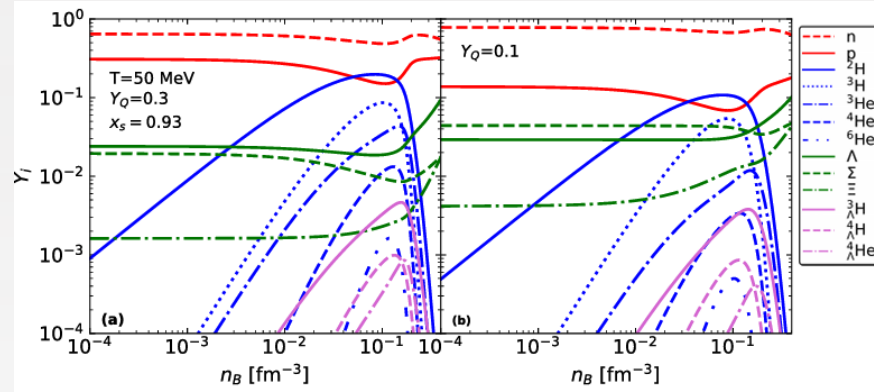
arXiv:2206.03344v1



Hyperons in neutron star matter at **finite T** (supernovas, binary neutron star mergers)

Light nuclei and hypernuclei are present in the **crust**

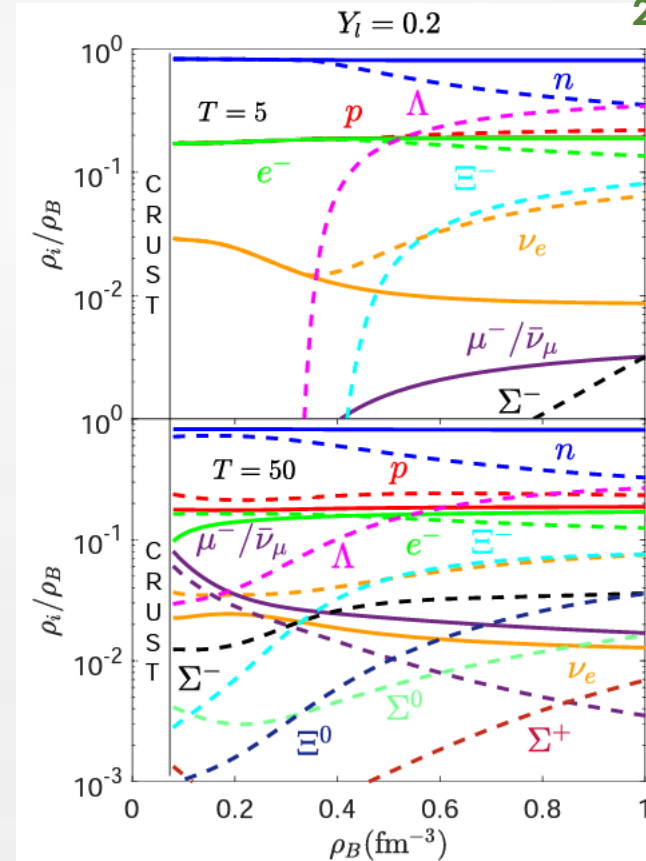
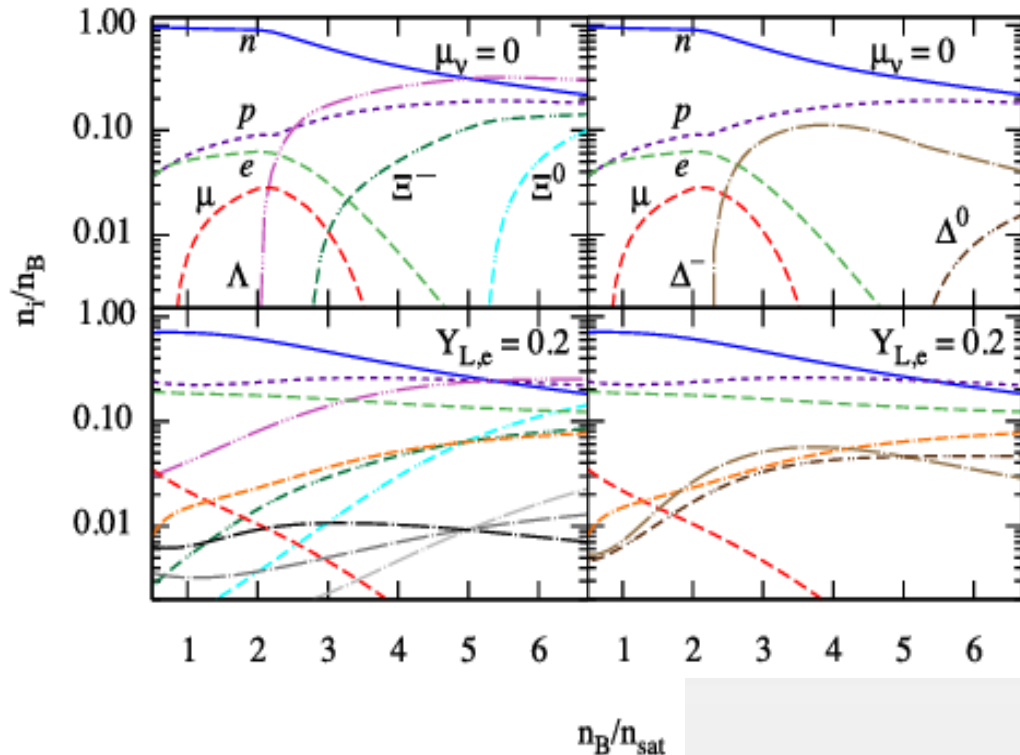
Custódio, Pais, Providência, PRC (2021)



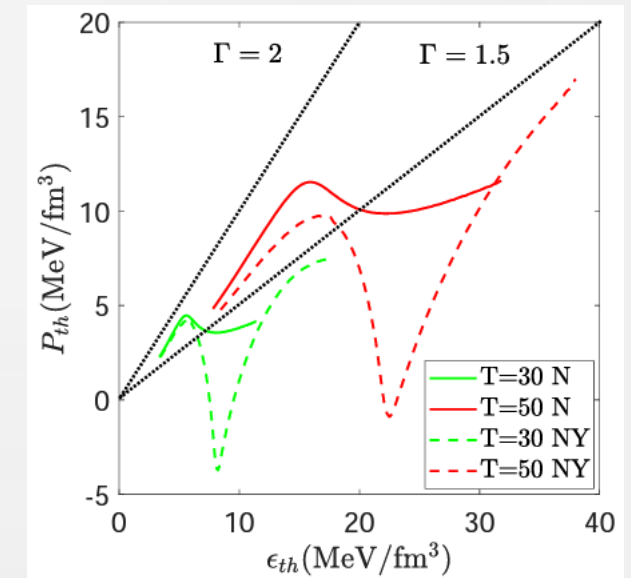
Kochankovski, Ramos, Tolos, 2206.11266 [astro-ph.HE]

Hyperons are all over the **core** at T=50 MeV

Sedrakian, Harutyunyan, 2202.12083 [nucl-th]



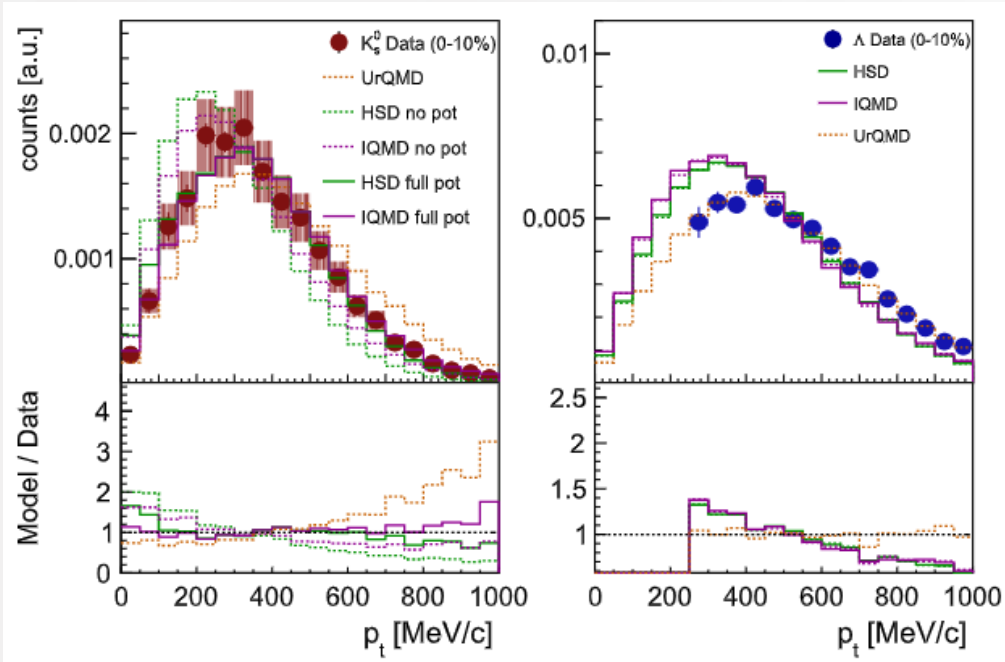
Hyperons affect strongly the $P_{th} - \epsilon_{th}$ relation



In-medium properties of strange particles from heavy-ion collision experiments

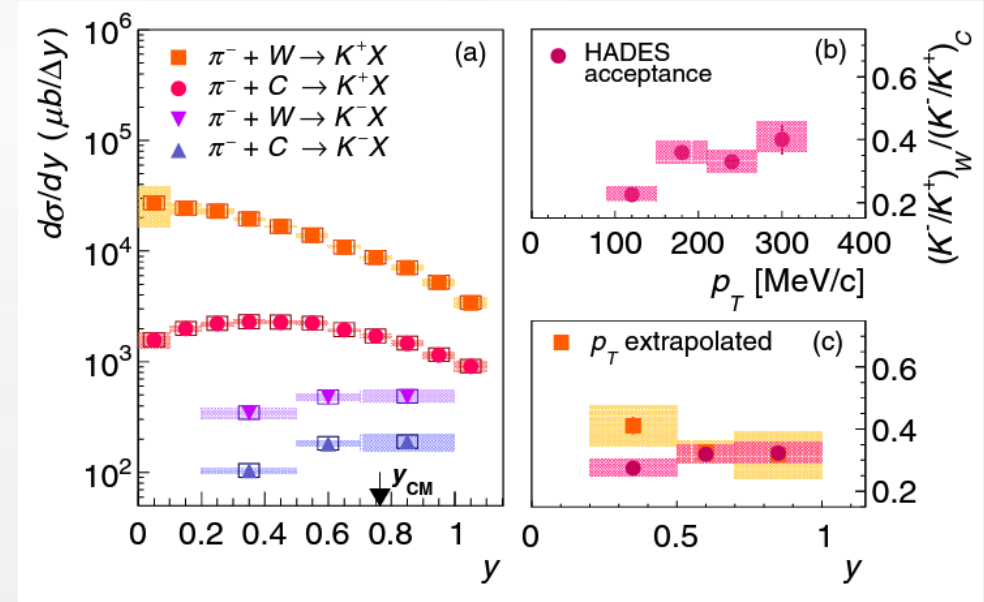
Sub-threshold production of K_s^0 and Λ in Au+Au collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.4$ GeV with HADES

Leifels (HADES PLB (2019))

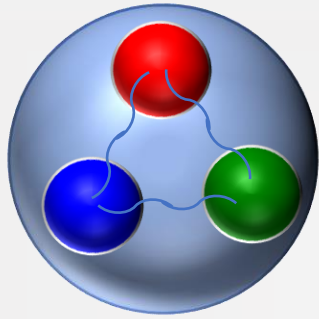


Comparison of K^- absorption from π^- induced reactions on C and W @1.7 GeV/c (HADES at SIS18/GSI)

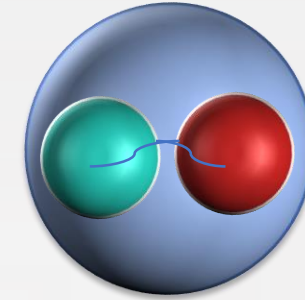
Adamczewski-Musch (HADES), PRL (2019)



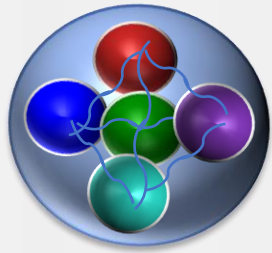
Conventional Baryons: qqq states



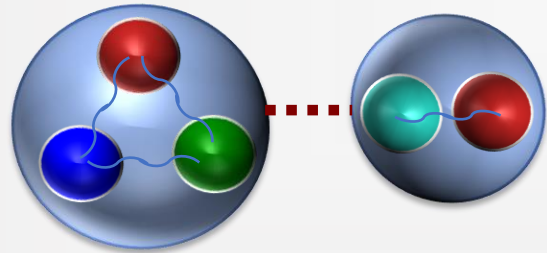
Conventional Mesons: $q\bar{q}$ states



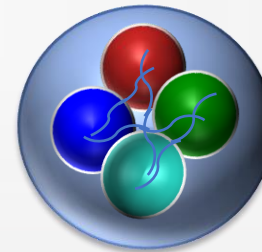
Exotic Hadrons



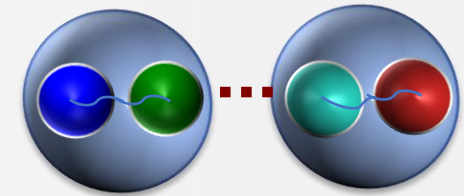
Compact pentaquark



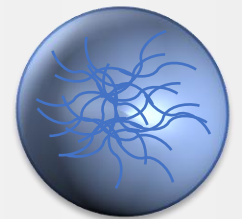
Meson-baryon molecule



Compact tetraquark



meson-meson molecule



glueball

F.K. Guo et al., Rev. Mod. Phys. 90 (2018) 015004

Hua-Xing Chen, Wei Chen, Xiang Liu, Yan-Rui Liu, Shi-Lin Zhu, e-Print: 2204.02649

Tetsuo Hyodo, Masayuki Niyama, Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys. 120 (2021) 103868

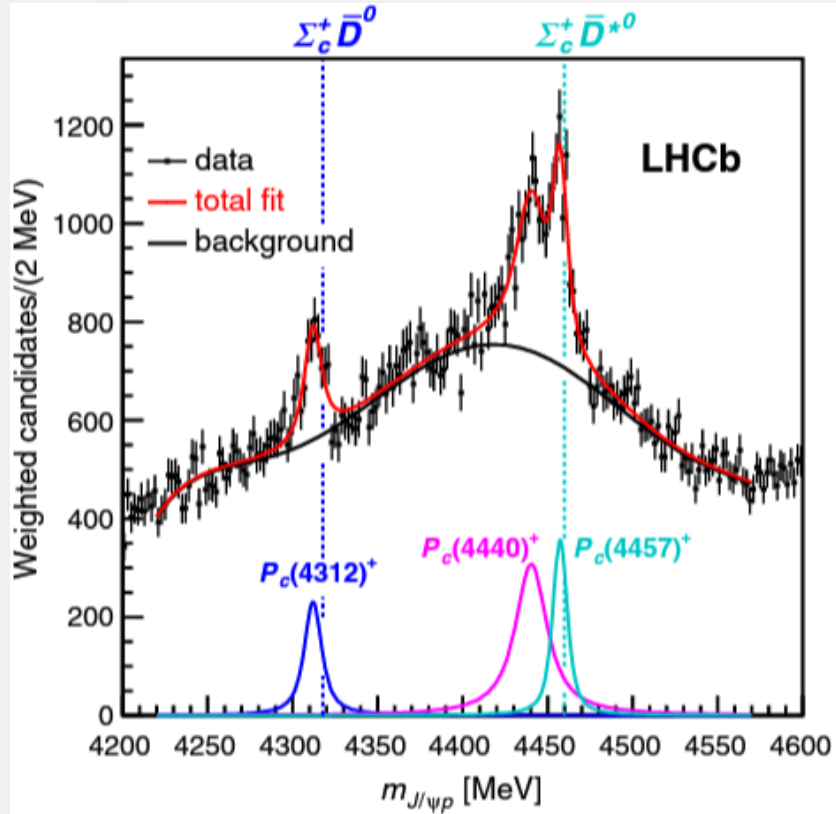
Nora Brambilla et al. Phys.Rept. 873 (2020) 1-154

Pentaquarks

S=0

LHCb, PRL (2015)

revisited: LHCb, PRL (2019)



a narrow $P_c(4380)$?

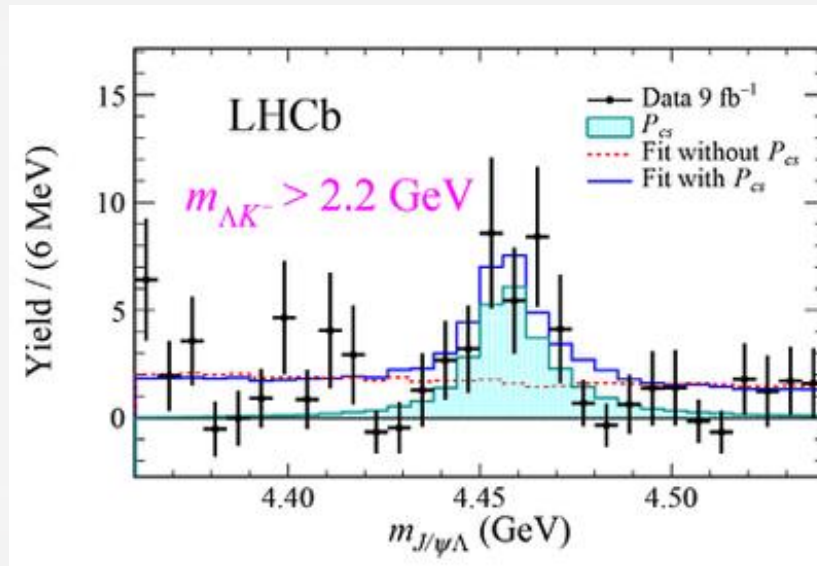
Du, Baru, Guo, Hanhart, Meissner, PRL (2020)

S=-1

P_{cs} mass: ~4459 MeV

LHCb, Science Bulletin (2021)

S=-2?



OBE phenomenological
Wang, Chen, Liu, PRD (2021)

Apparently absent in unitary models based on t-channel vector-meson exchange... (stay tuned)

Marse, Magas, Ramos (2022)

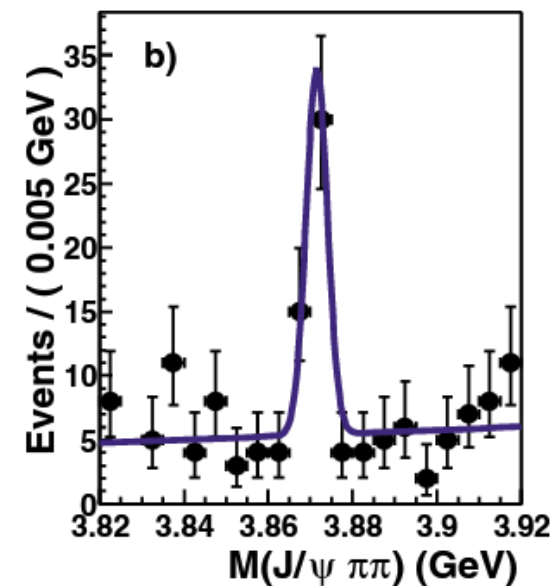
S=-3?

$\Omega_c^* D_s$ state with $J^P=3/2^-$

Wang, Yang, Chen, Liu, PRD (2021)

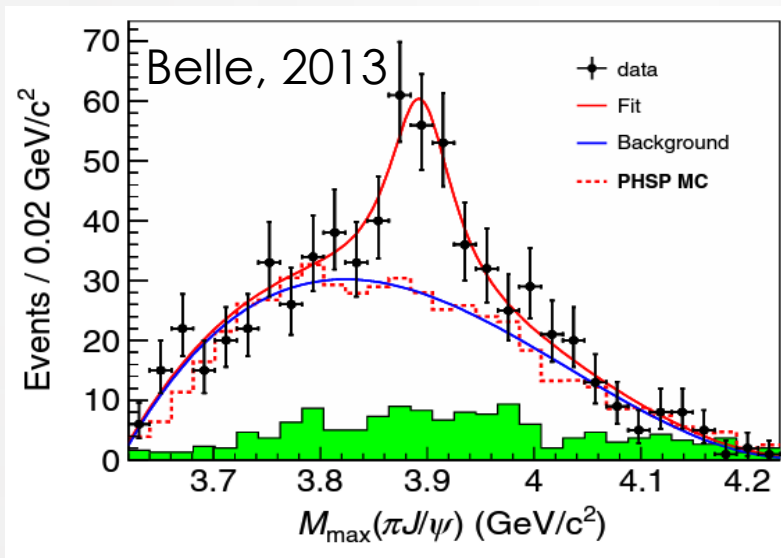
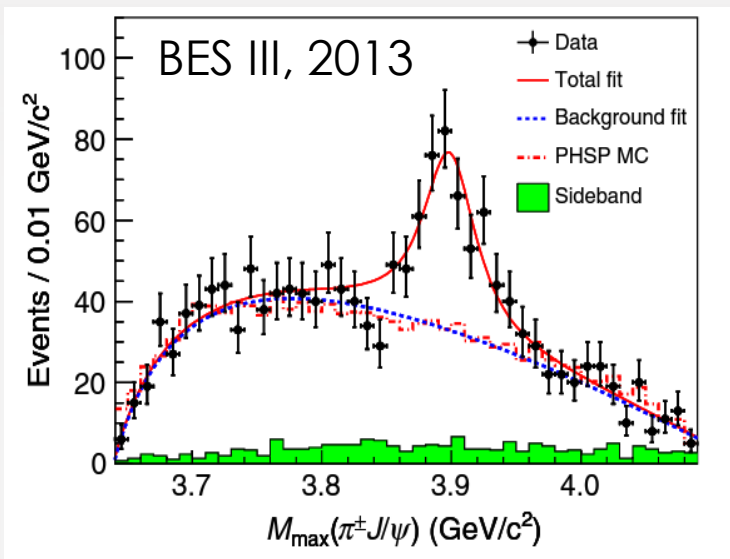
$\chi_{c1}(3872)$

Formerly X(3872),
Discovered in 2003
(Belle)

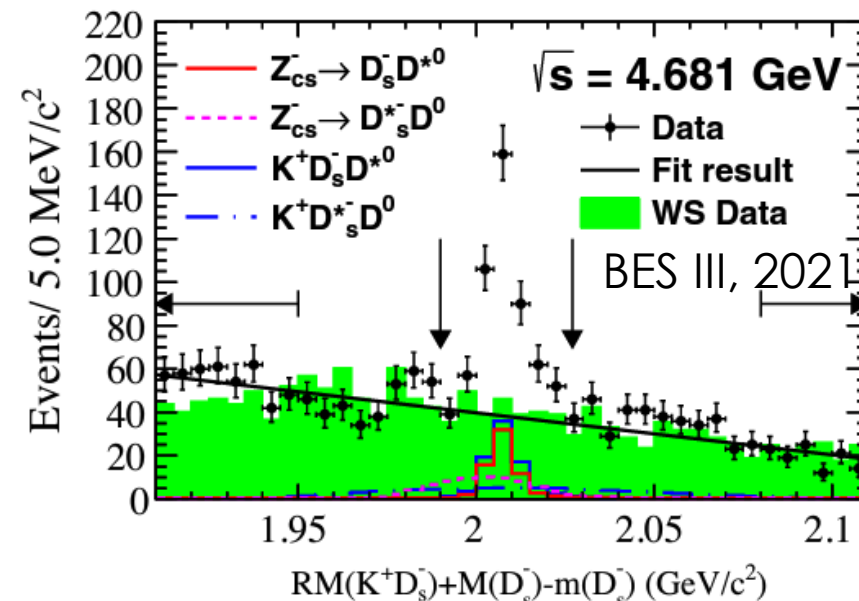


Exotics in the meson sector

charged $Z_c(3900)^\pm$



charged hidden-charm
tetraquark with
strangeness $Z_{cs}(3985)^-$



Molecular states

Cao, Guo, Nieves, Pavon-Valderrama, PRD (2021)

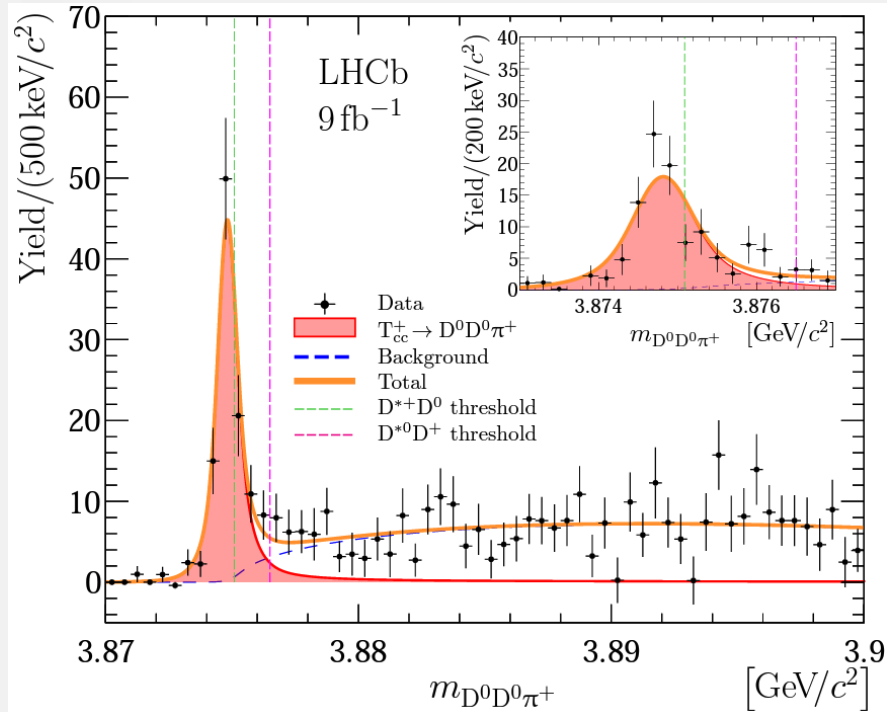
Z.H. Guo, Oller, PRD (2021)

Du, Albaladejo, Guo, PRD (2022)

Baru, Epelbaum, Filin, Hanhart, Nefediev, PRD (2022)

Extensively studied
(Belle, BESIII, LHCb):
lineshape, decay
channels etc

LHCb, 2019



$$\delta m_{\text{BW}} = -273 \pm 61 \pm 5 \begin{matrix} +11 \\ -14 \end{matrix} \text{ keV}/c^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{BW}} = 410 \pm 165 \pm 43 \begin{matrix} +18 \\ -38 \end{matrix} \text{ keV},$$

Femtoscscopy study of the interaction

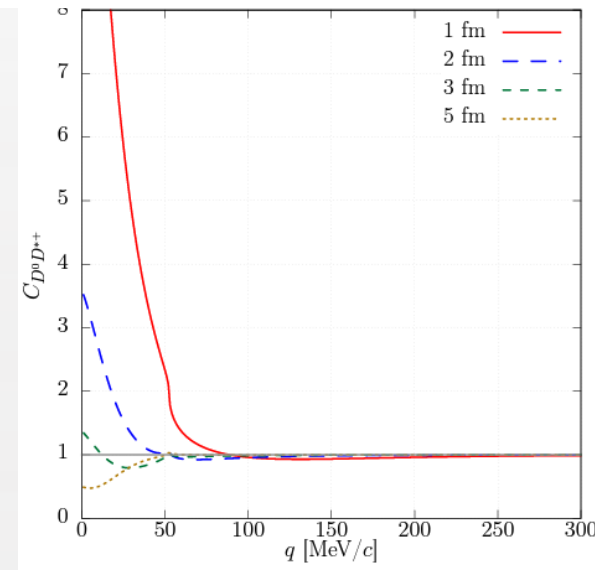
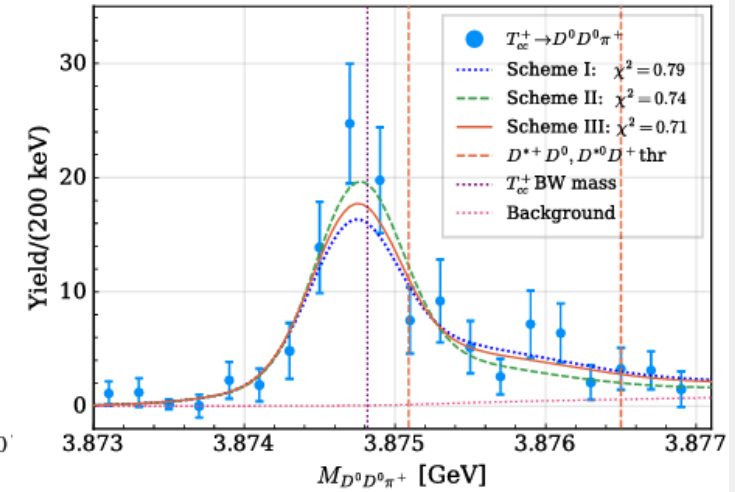
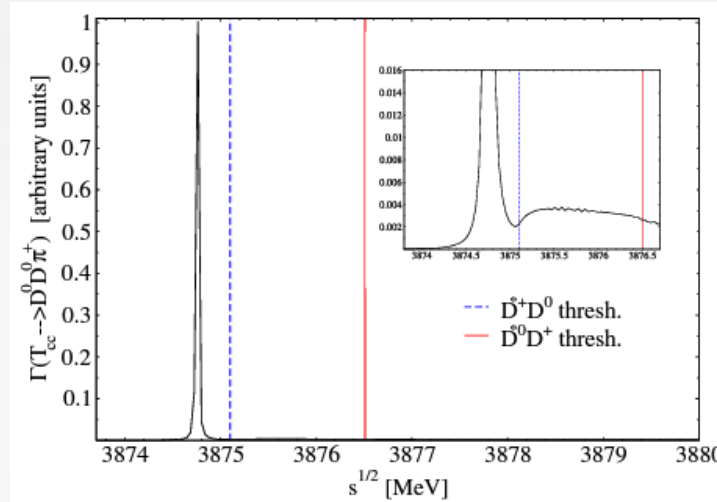
Kamiya, Hyodo, Ohnishi
e-Print: 2203.13814 [hep-ph]

The T_{cc} state ($cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$)

$D^{*+}D^0, D^{*0}D^+$ (in a $l=0$ configuration)

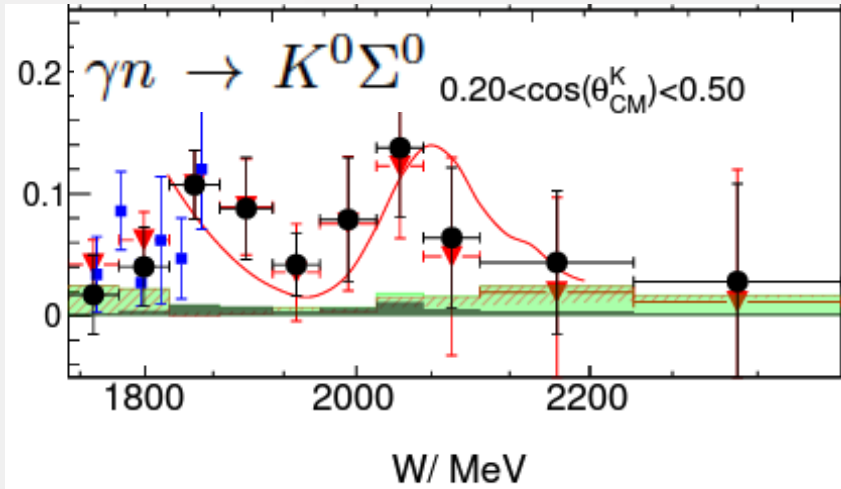
Feijoo, Liang, Oset, PRD (2021)

Du, Baru, Dong, Filin, Guo, Hanhart,
Nefediev, Nieves, Wang, PRD (2022)

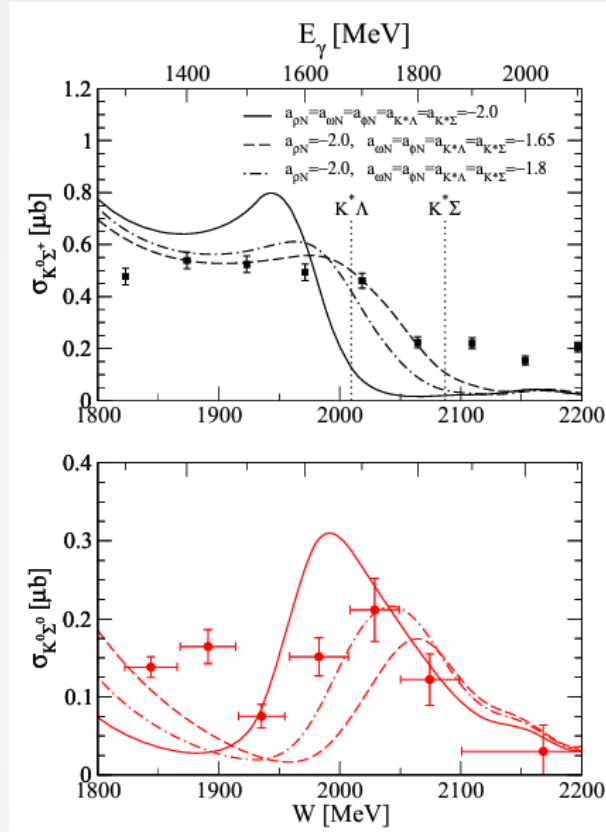


Let's not forget that the $\Lambda(1405)$ was in fact the first exotic baryon (a meson-baryon molecule)!

BGOOD@ELSA, PLB2021



$N^*(2030)$ ($K^* \Sigma$ state),
Ramos et al. FBS 2020



Triangle singularity,
involving the $\Lambda(1405)$

Feijoo, Molina, Oset,
arXiv:2105.09654v1

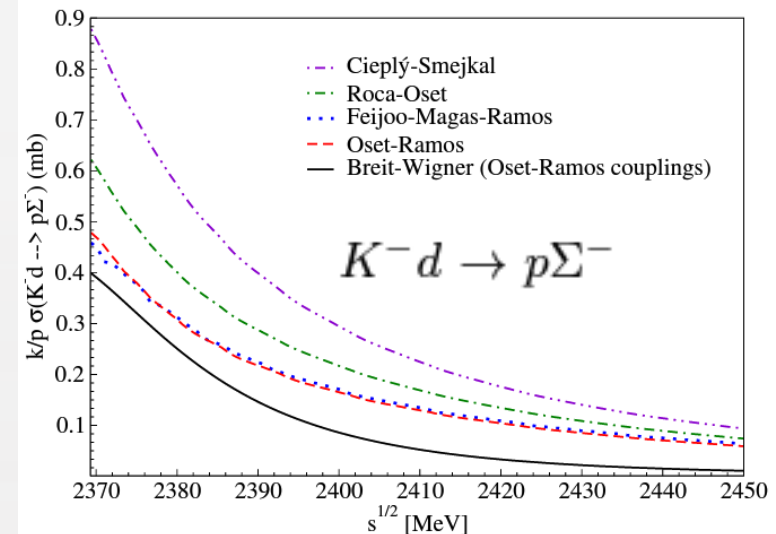
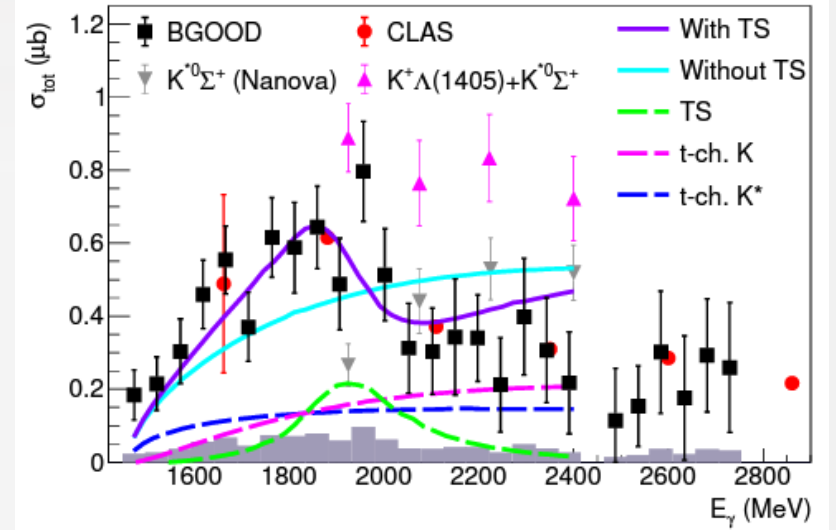
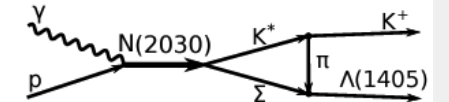
BGOOD@ELSA, arXiv:2108.12235

$$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda(1405) (\rightarrow \pi^0 \Sigma^0)$$

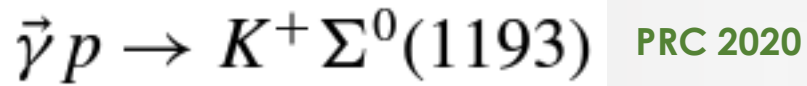
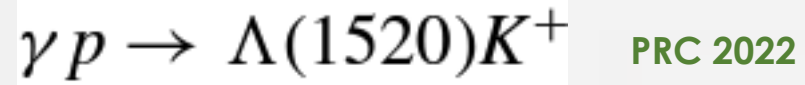
t-channel exchange



triangle diagram

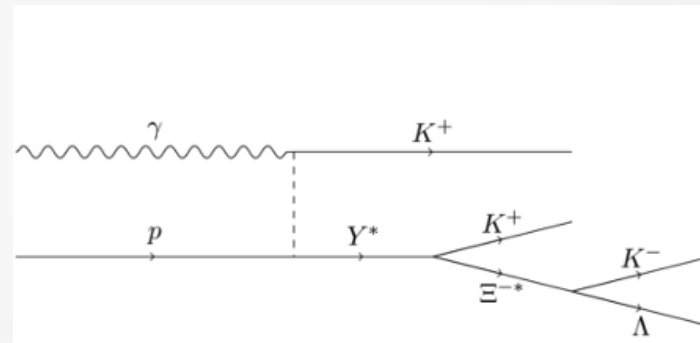


$$E_\gamma = 8.2 - 8.8 \text{ GeV}$$

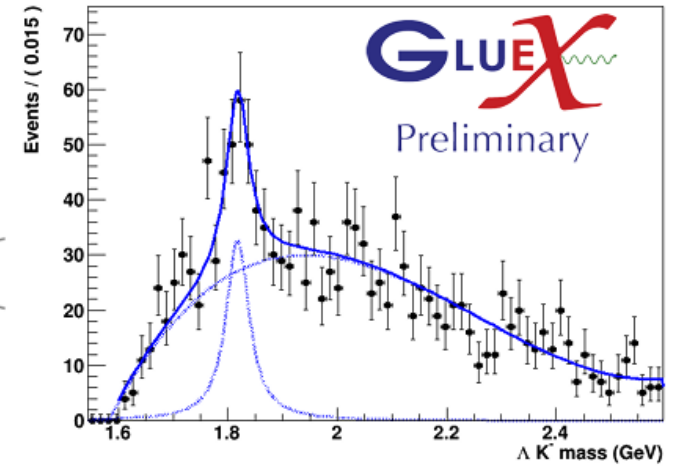


Photoproduction of $\Xi^{(*)}$

lineshape of the $\Lambda(1405)$
(in progress)



(a) Production model



(b) ΛK^- invariant mass

Clas@Jlab

$$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda(1520)$$

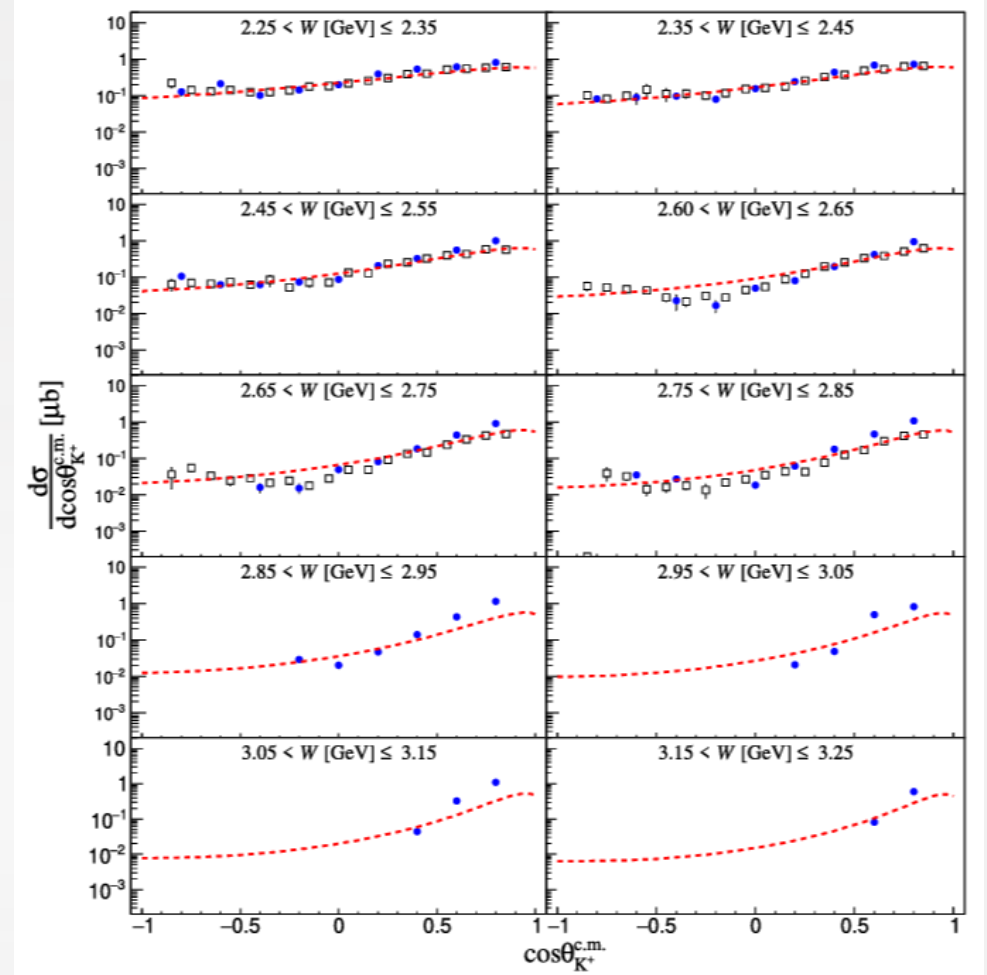
differential x-sections

PRC (2021)

CLAS:

Beam-target helicity asymmetry in $\vec{\gamma} \vec{n} \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$ PLB (2020)

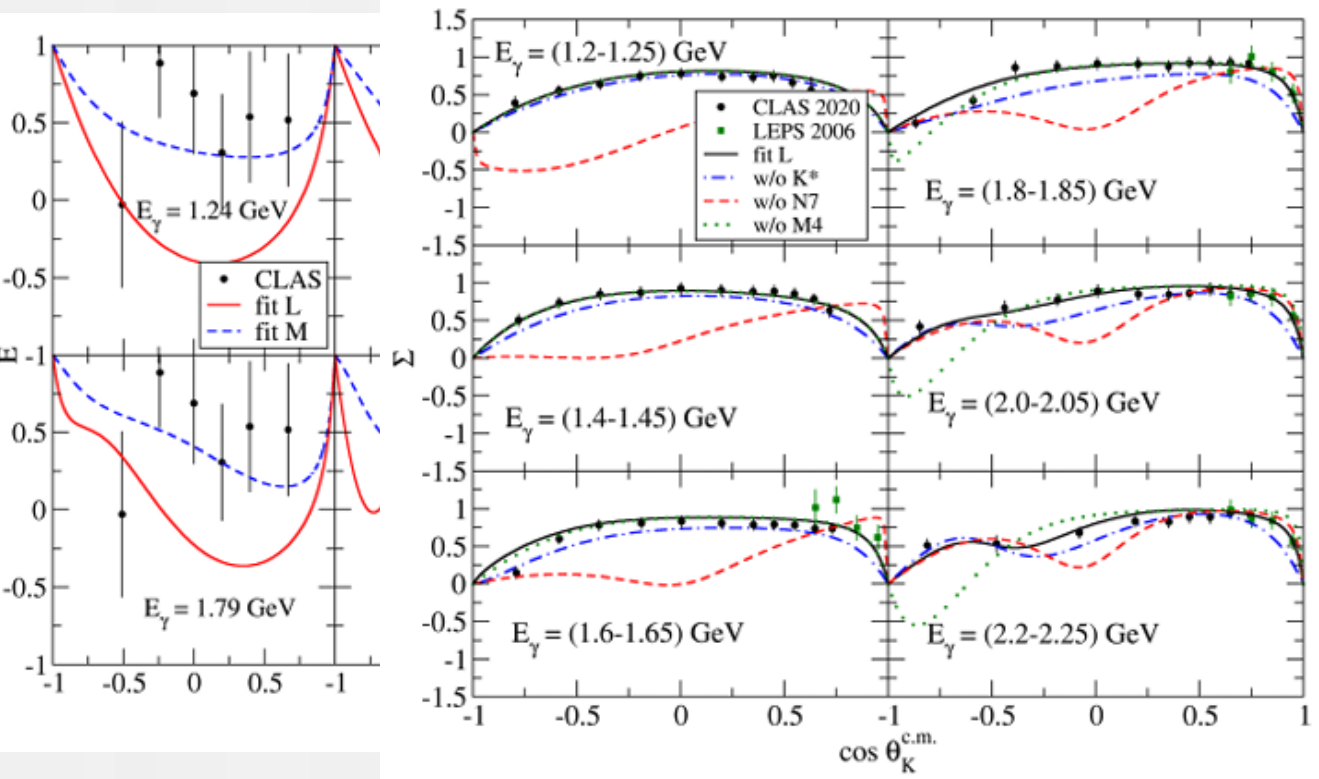
Beam spin asymmetry in $\vec{\gamma} n \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$ PLB (2022)



CLAS12 (electroproduction):

beam-recoil transferred polarizations in $p(e, e' K^+) \Lambda$ $p(e, e' K^+) \Sigma^0$ PRC (2022)

Longitudinal Spin Transfer to Λ Hyperons
arXiv:2201.06480



Isobar Model:

Bydžovský, Cieplý, Petrellis, Skoupil, Zachariou, PRC (2021)

A lot of good work has been done in the 2018-2022 period
(the field has kept alive in spite of the difficult circumstances)

Congratulations!