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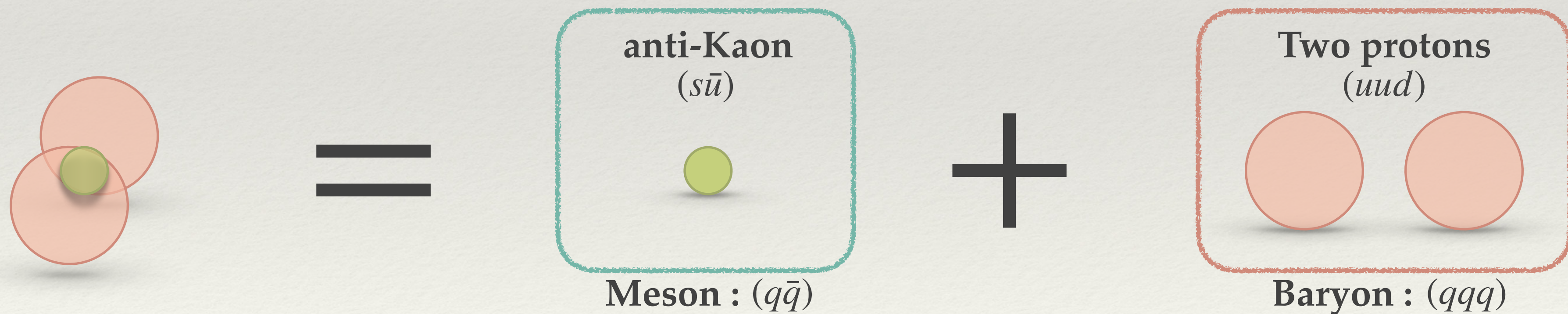
K^-pp bound state in ${}^3\text{He}(K^-, \Lambda p)n$ reaction

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For the E15 collaboration

(Expected) Property of K^-pp

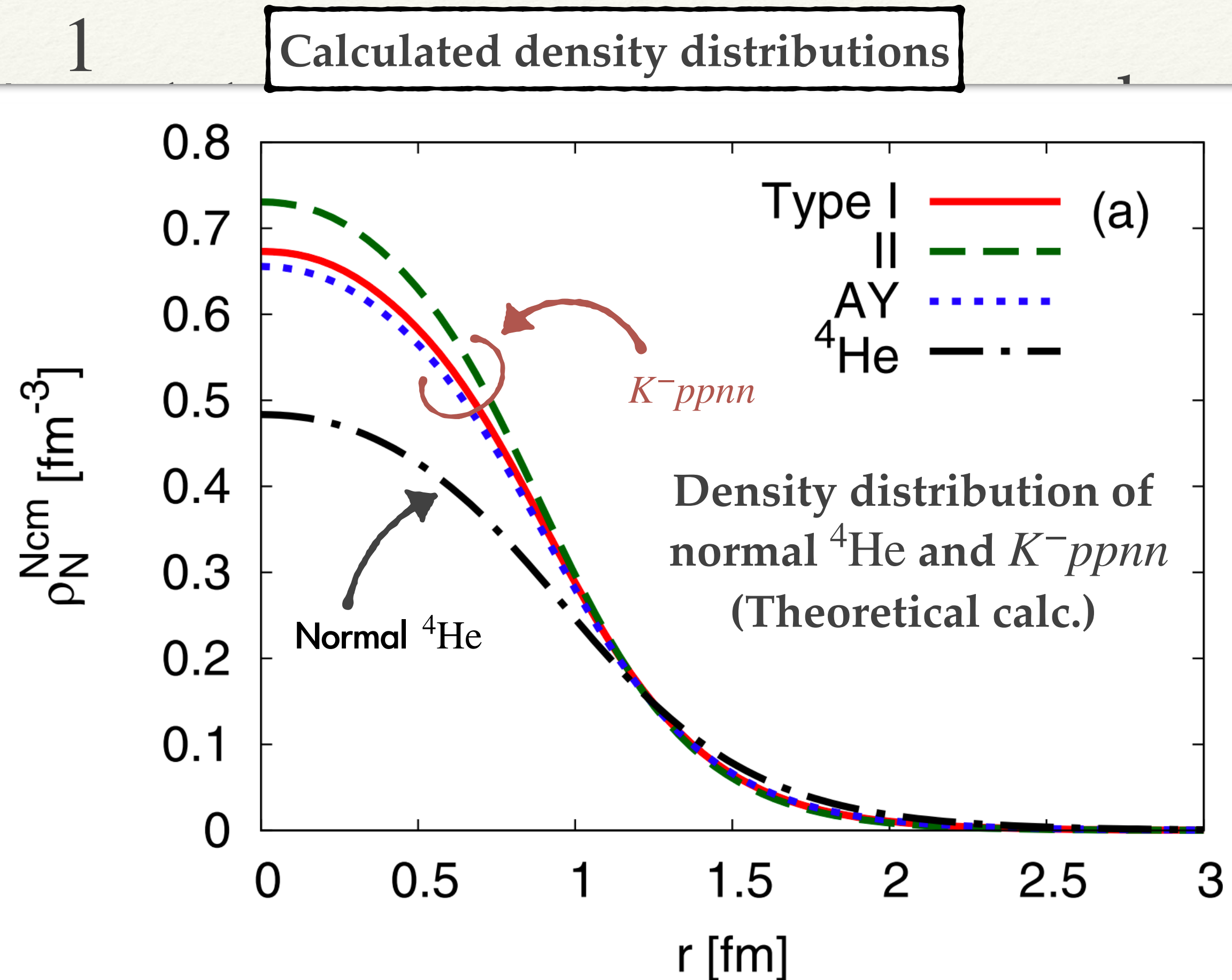
❖ K^-pp is the $I_Z = +\frac{1}{2}$ state of the simplest kaonic nucleus $\bar{K}NN$.

Meson as a component of nucleus



(Expected) Property of K^-pp

❖ K^-pp is the $I_Z =$



$\bar{K}NN$.

Calculated binding energy

Chiral SU(3)

~ 20 MeV

Phenomenologic

~ 50 MeV

Calculated NN distance

Chiral SU(3)

~ 2.1 fm

phenomenological

~ 1.8 fm

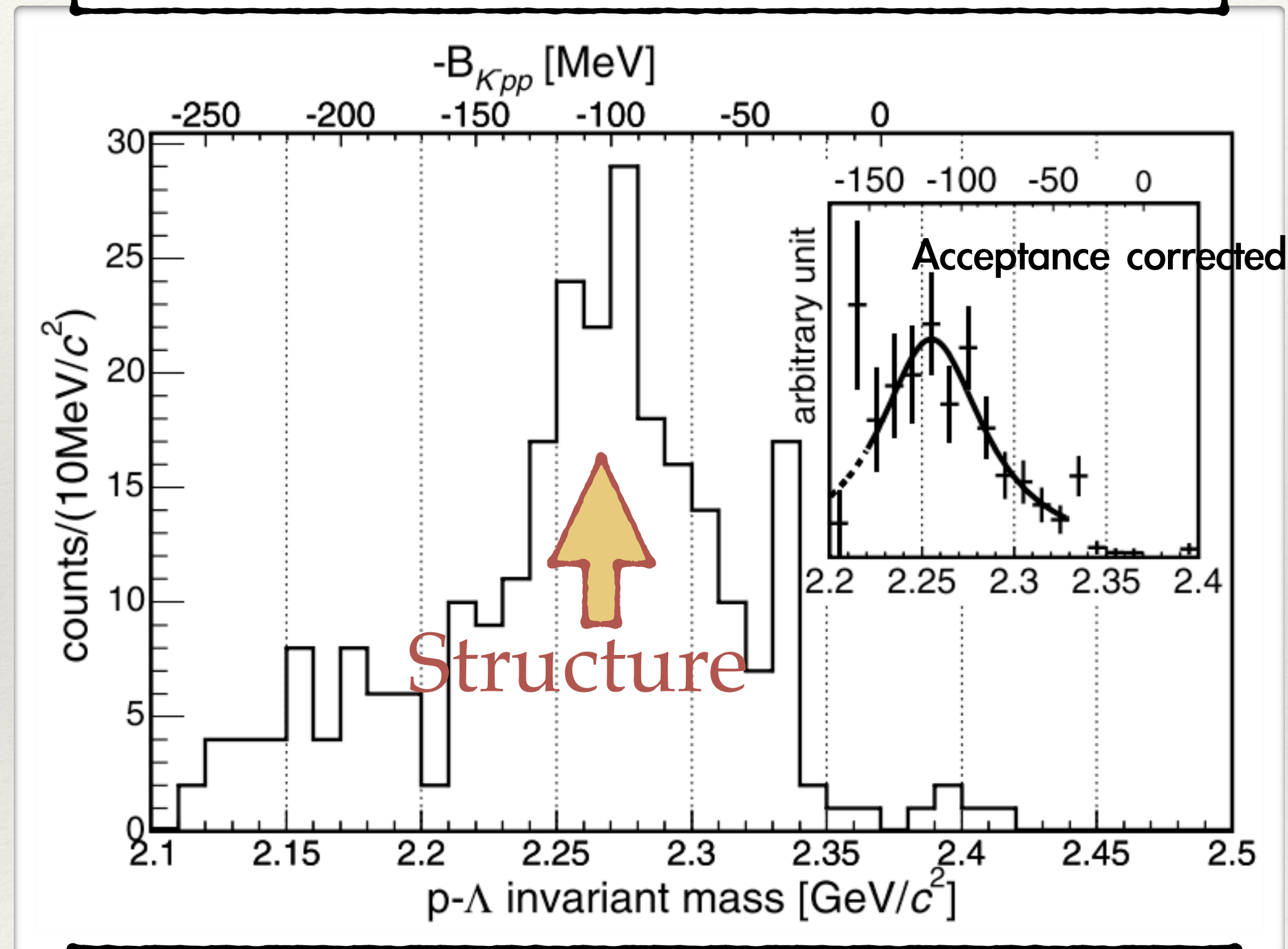
c.f. ~ 2 MeV for deuteron

S. Ohnishi et al., Phys. Rev. C95 (2017) 065202

c.f. ~ 2.2 fm for normal nucleus

Searching for K^-pp so far

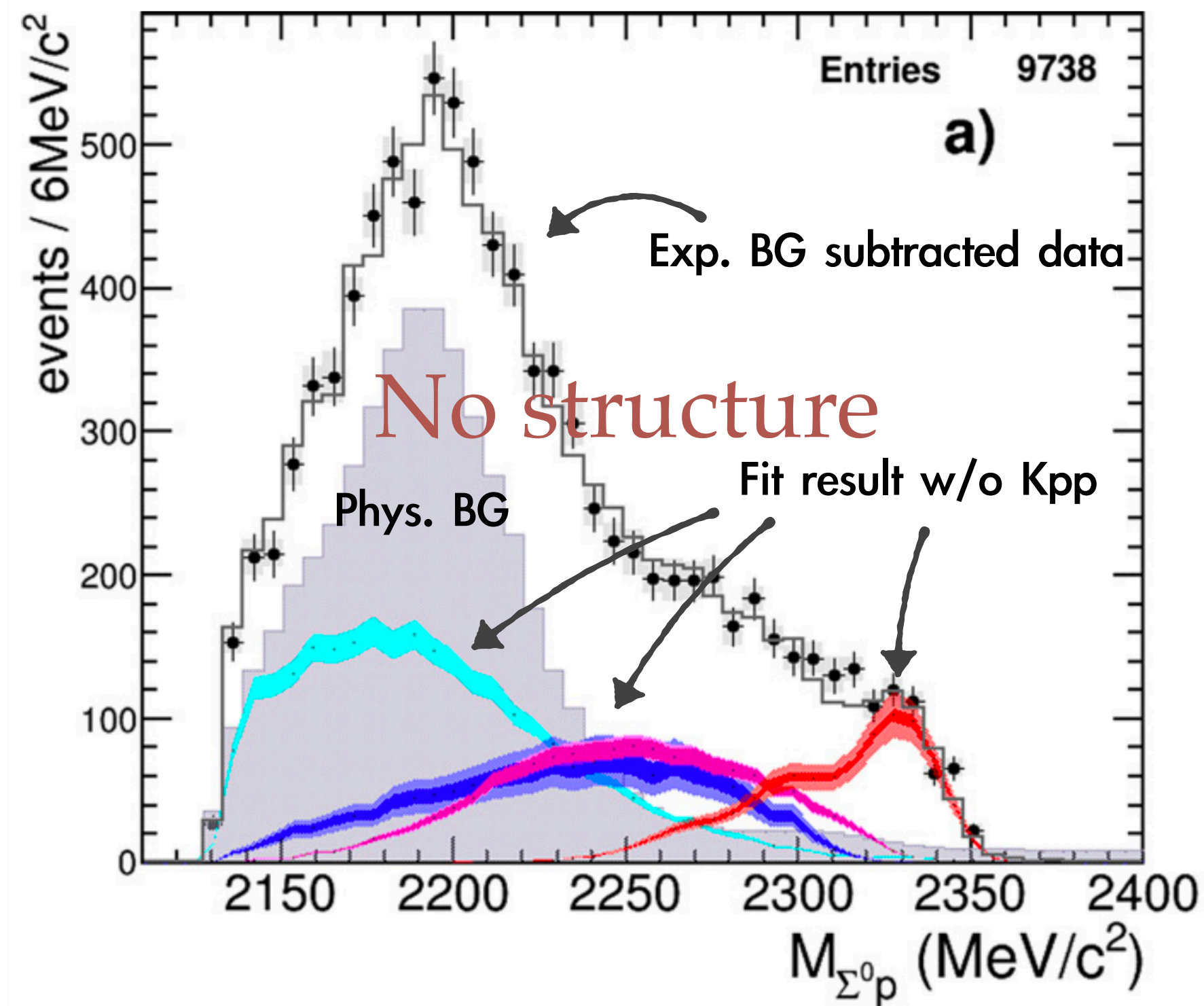
FINUDA (Stopped K^- on light nucleus target)



M. Agnello et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 94 (2005) 212303.

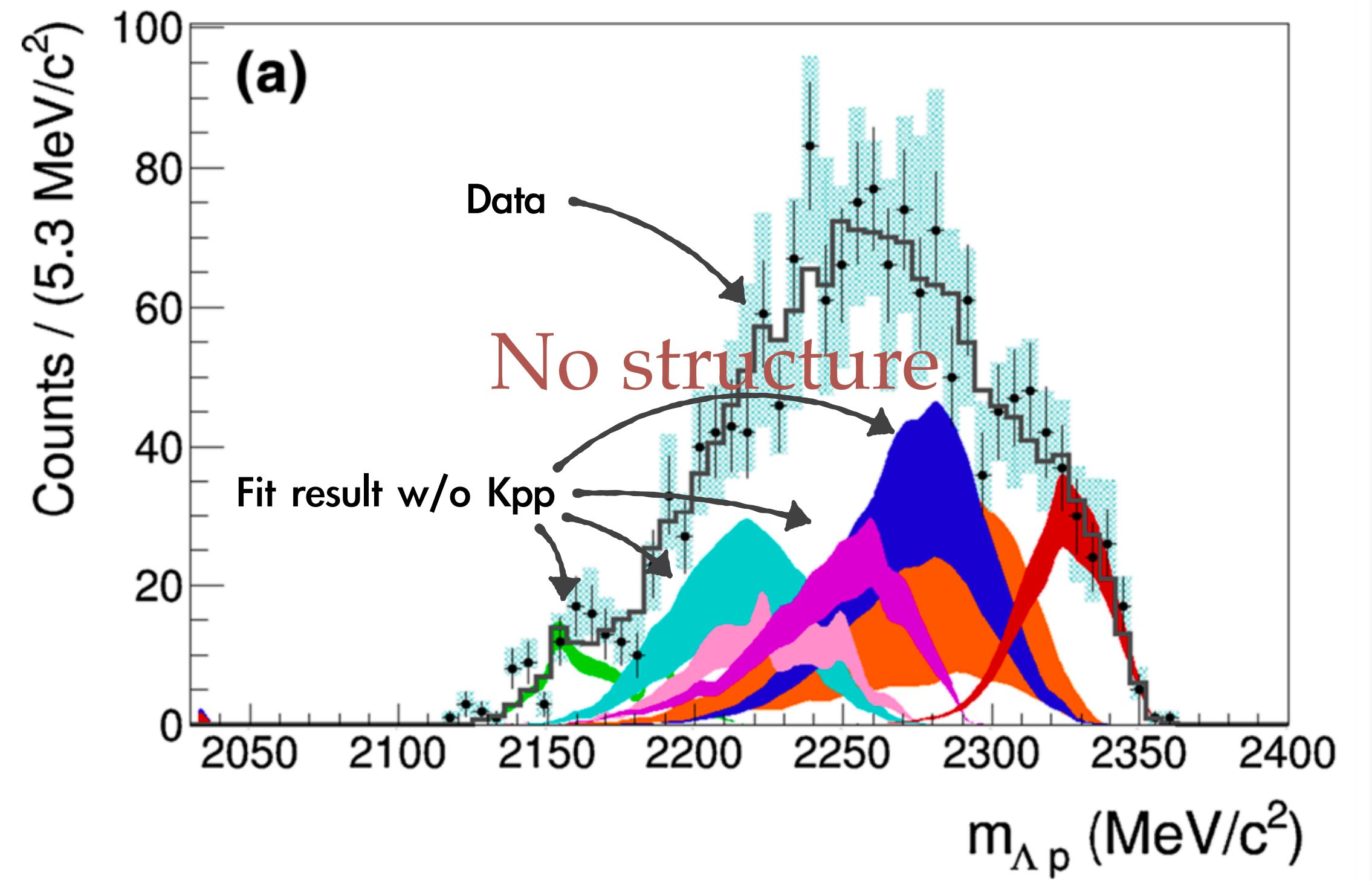
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AMADEUS (Stopped K^- , Σ^0p)



O. Vázquez Doce et al., Phys. Lett. B **758** (2016) 134.

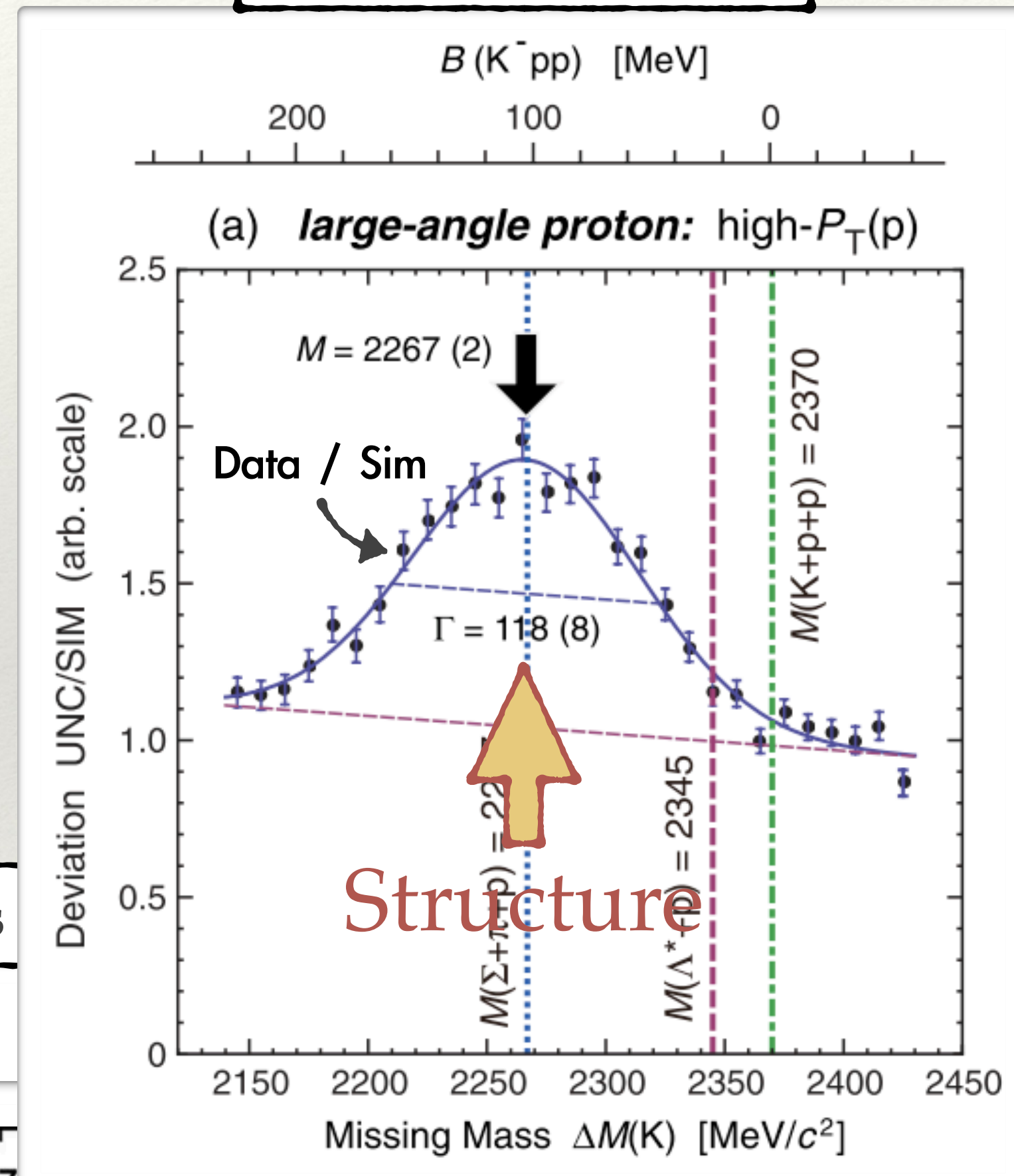
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R. Del Grande et al., Eur. Phys. J. C **79** (2019) 190.

Searching for K^-pp so far

DISTO ($pp \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda p$)



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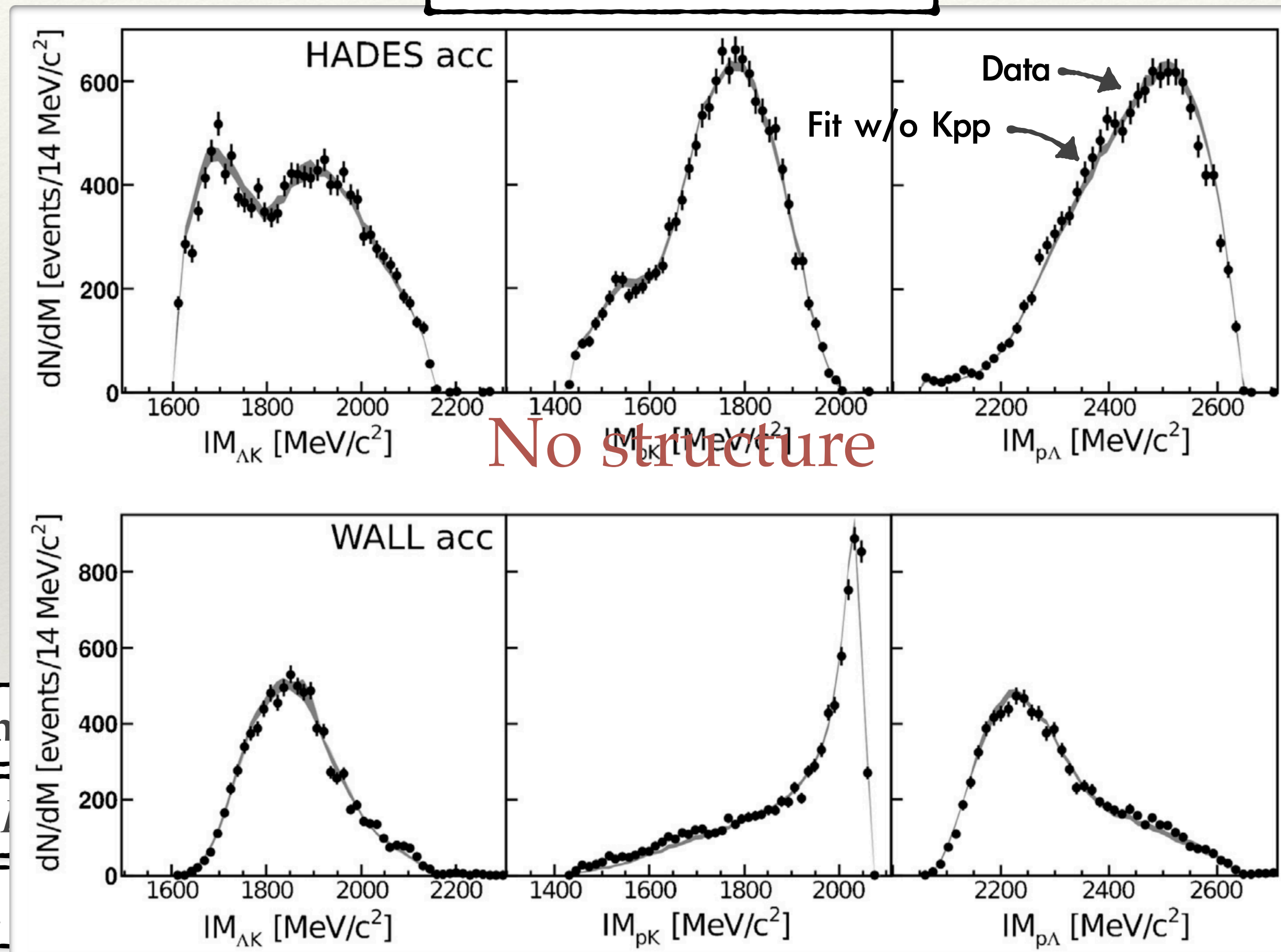
AMADEUS (Stopped K^- , Λp)

T. Yamazaki et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **10** (2010) 132502.

(a)

Searching for K^-pp so far

HADES ($pp \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda p$)

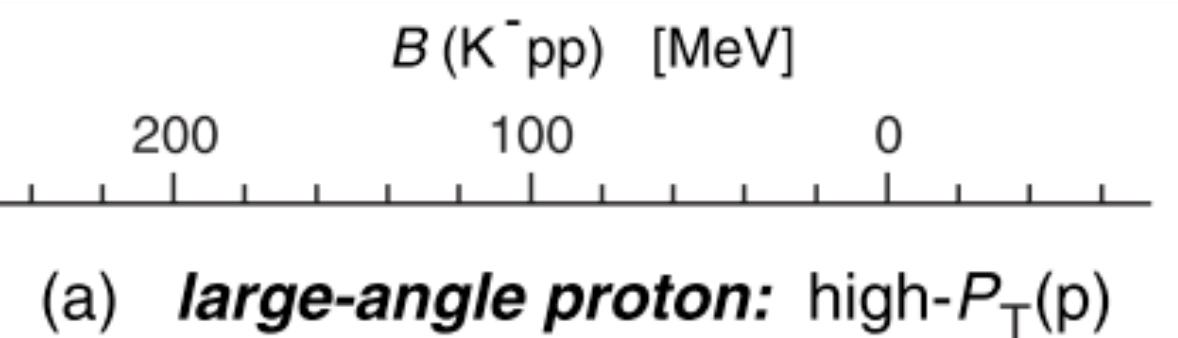


FINUDA (Stopped K^- on light)

AMADEUS (Stopped)

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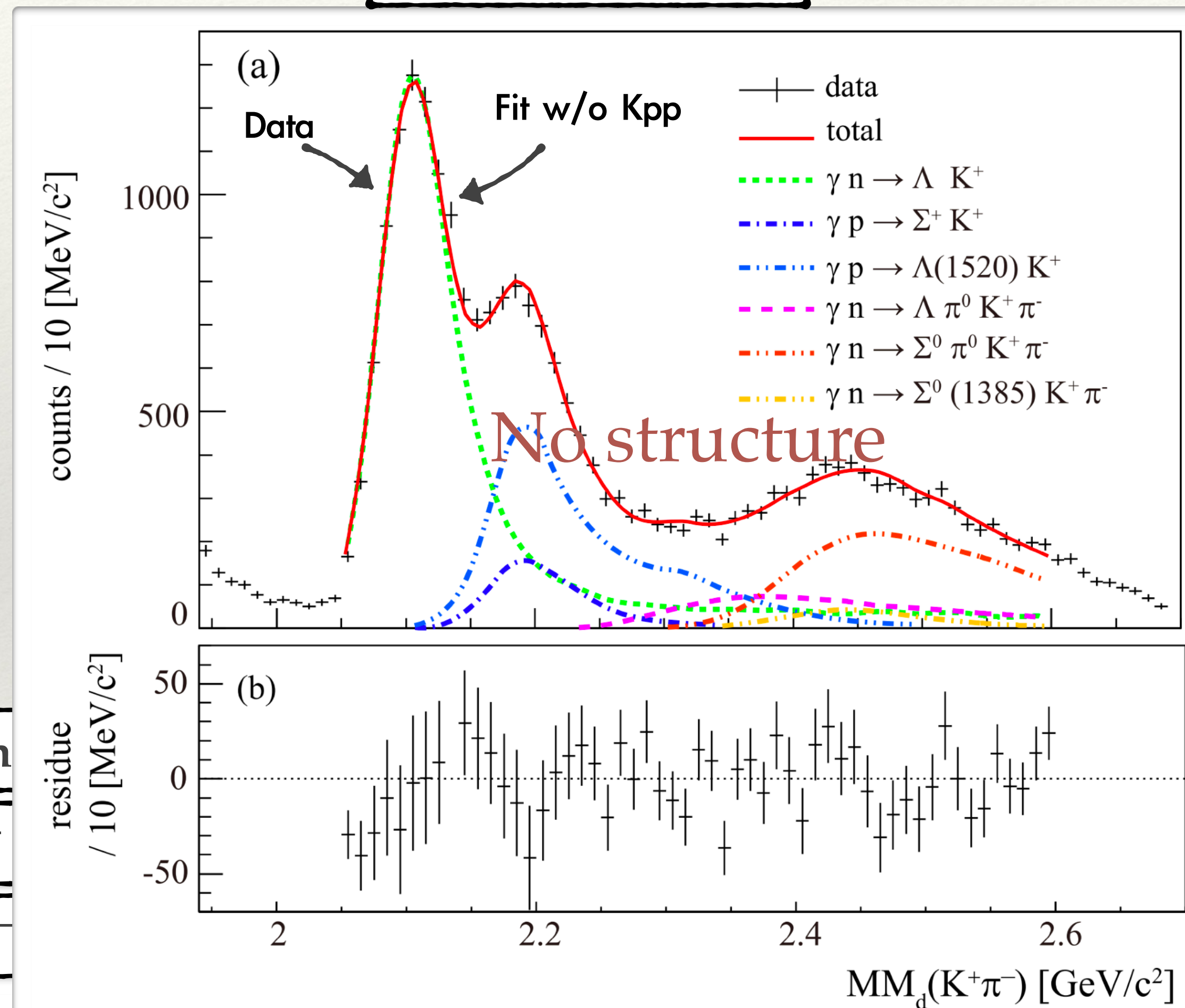
DISTO ($pp \rightarrow K^+ \Lambda p$)



G. Agakishiev, Phys. Lett. B 742 (2015) 242.

Searching for $K^- pp$ so far

LEPS ($\gamma d \rightarrow \pi^- K^+ X$)



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A. O. Tokiyasu et al., Phys. Lett. B 728, (2014) 616.

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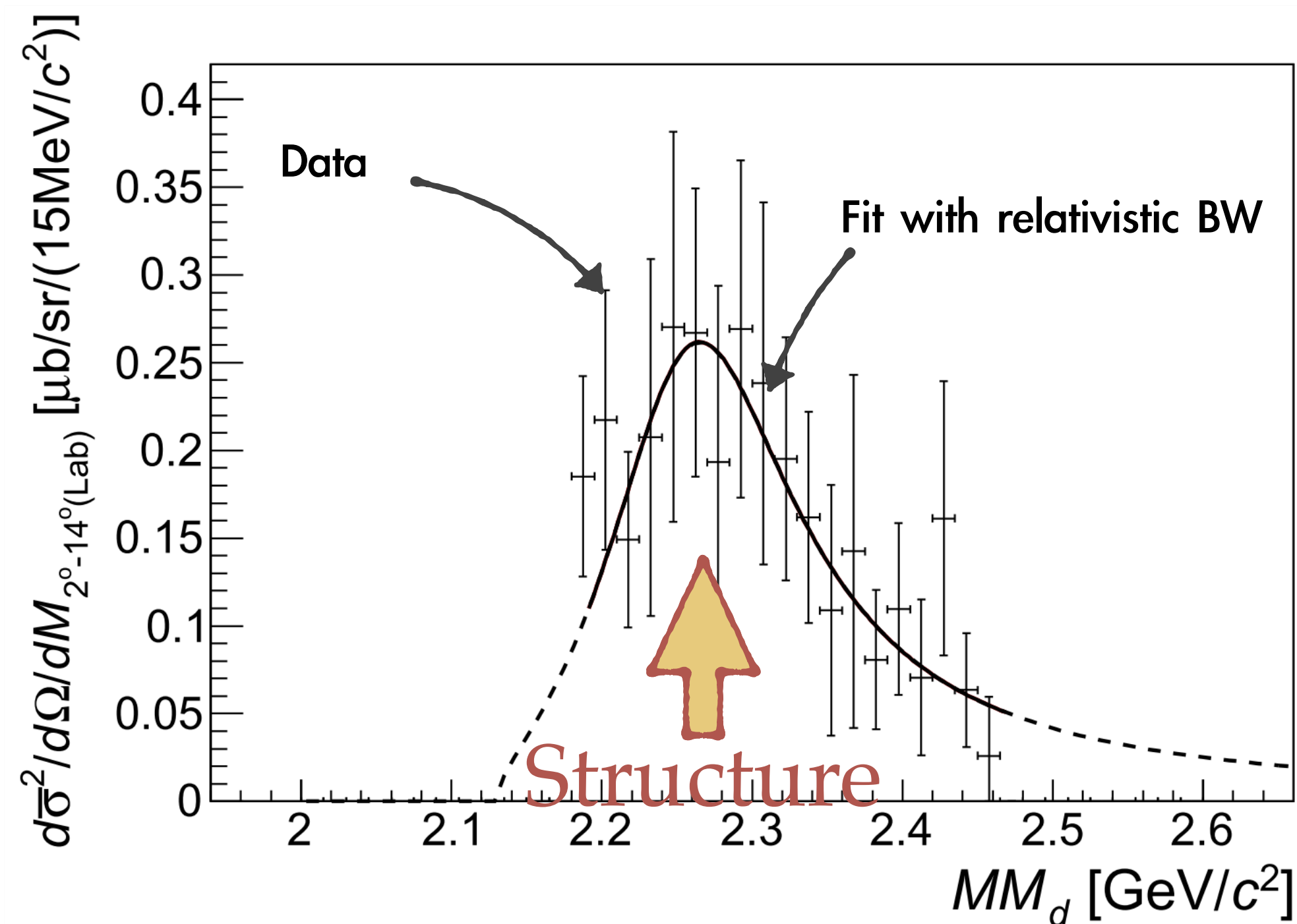
Fit w/o Kpp

Data

(a)

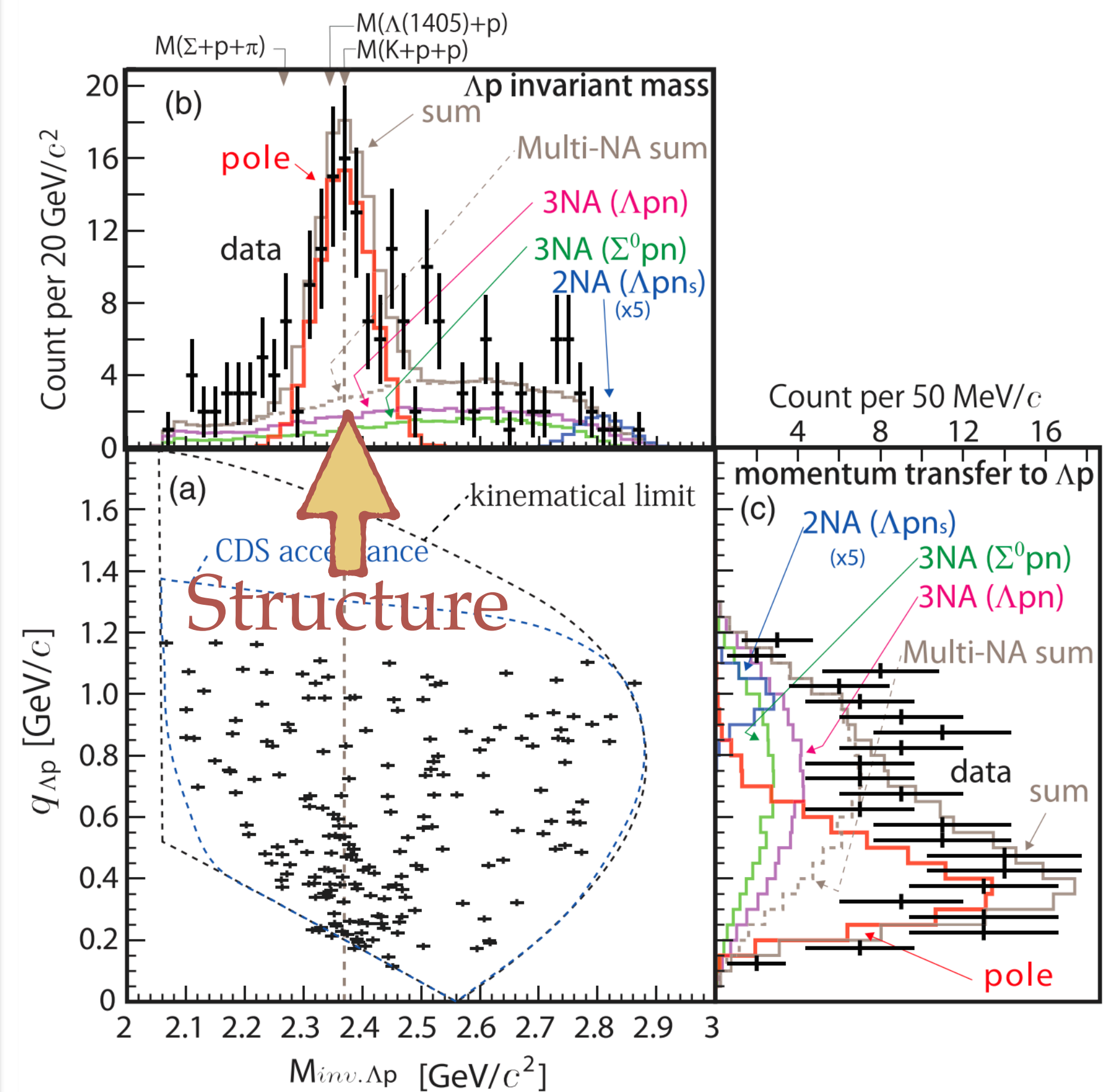
Searching for K^-pp so far

J-PARC E27 ($\pi^+d \rightarrow K^+\Sigma^0p$)



Y. Ichikawa et al., Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. **2015** (2015).

J-PARC E15 ($K^-^3\text{He} \rightarrow \Lambda pn$)

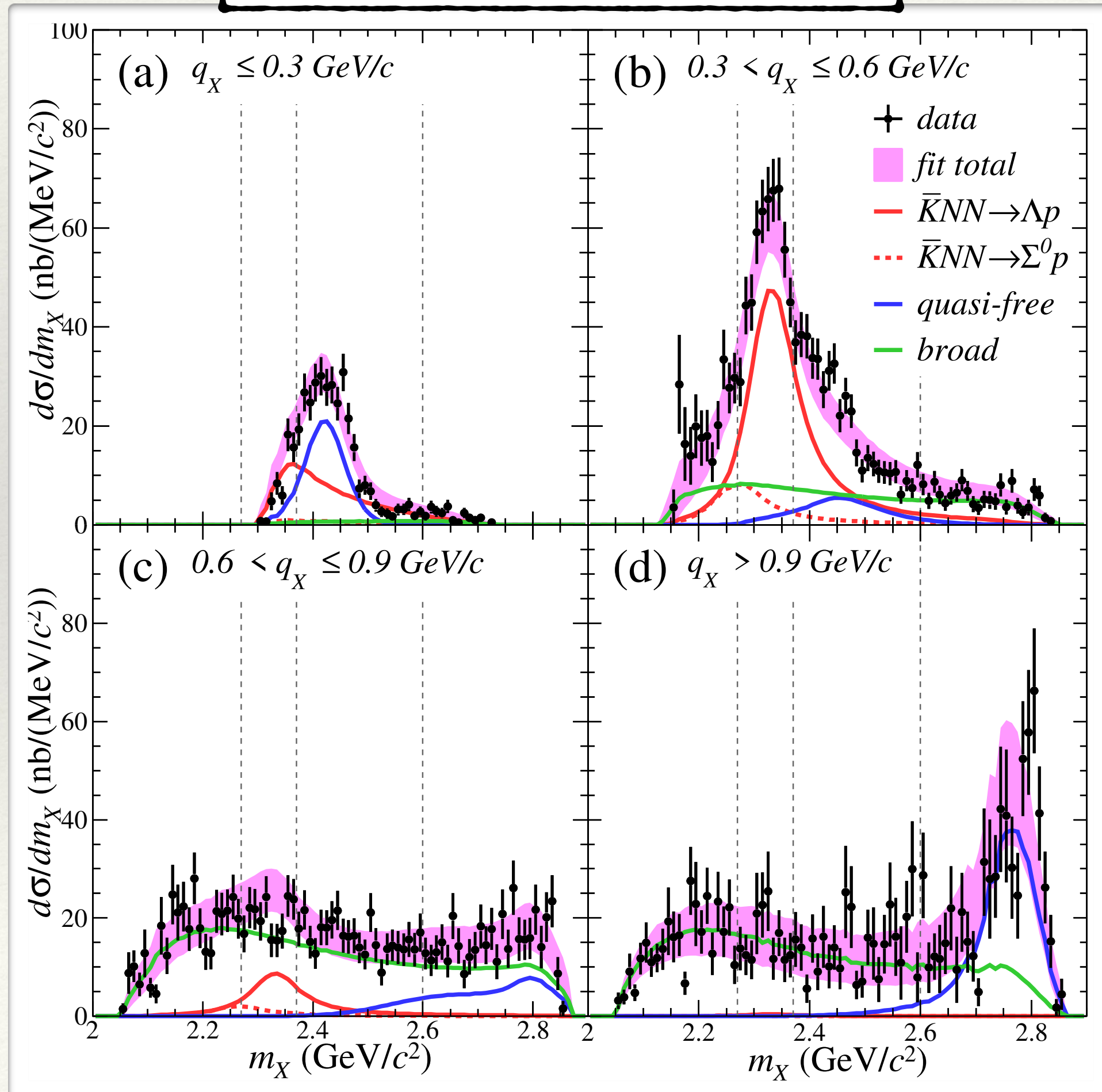


Y. Sada et al., Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. **2016** (2016) 051D01.

Today's topics

Phys. Lett. B **789** (2019) 620.

Phys. Rev. C **102** (2020) 044002.



First topic

Result of E15

- ❖ K^-pp existence has been confirmed.
- ❖ B.E. $\sim 40 \text{ MeV}$
- ❖ $\Gamma \sim 100 \text{ MeV}$

Second topic

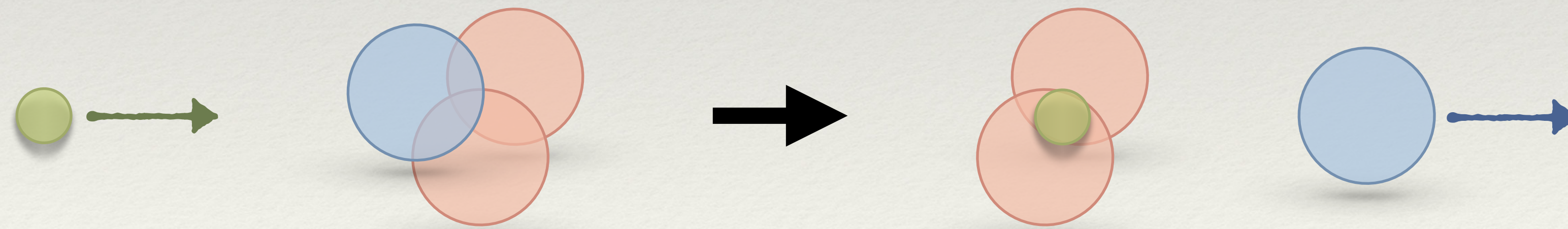
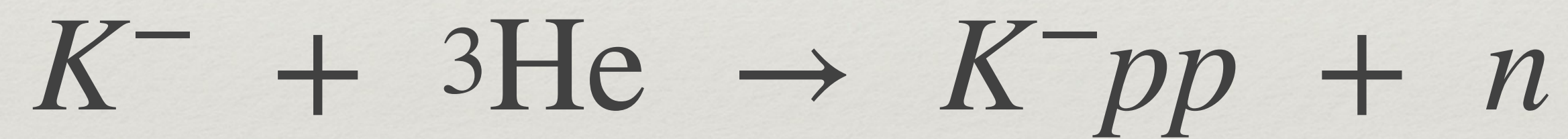
Future plan

- ❖ To search for \bar{K}^0nn
- ❖ To determine J^P of K^-pp
- ❖ Systematic study of $A \geq 3$ systems

E15 experiment

In-flight (K^- , n) reaction to generate $\bar{K}NN$ bound state

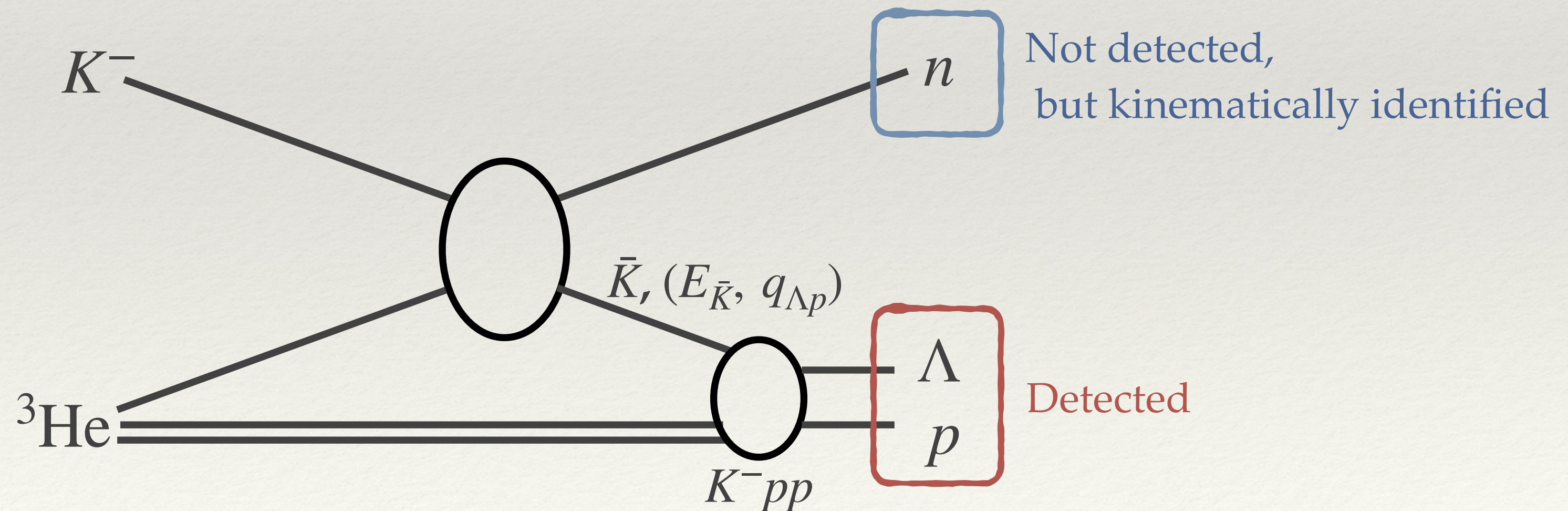
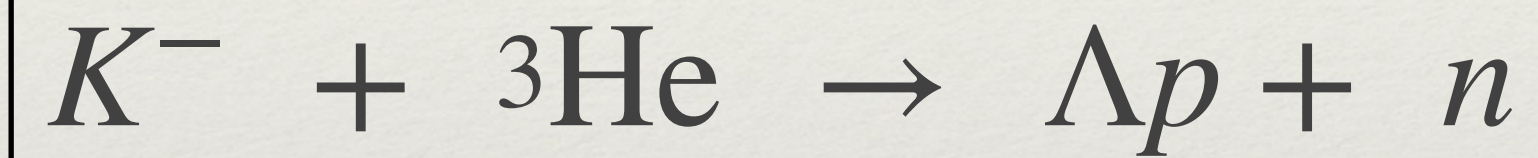
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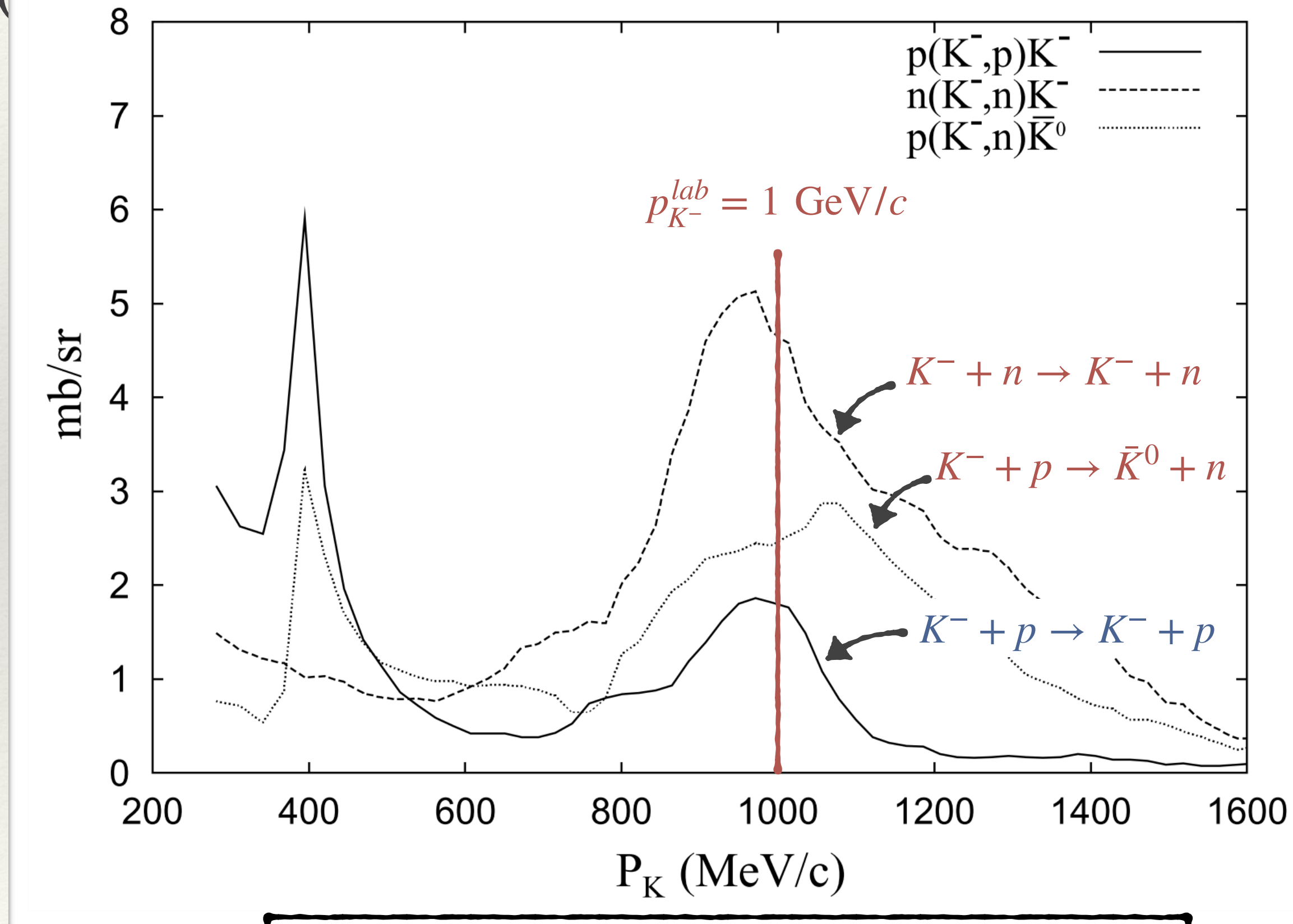


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In-flight ($\theta_N = 0^\circ$)

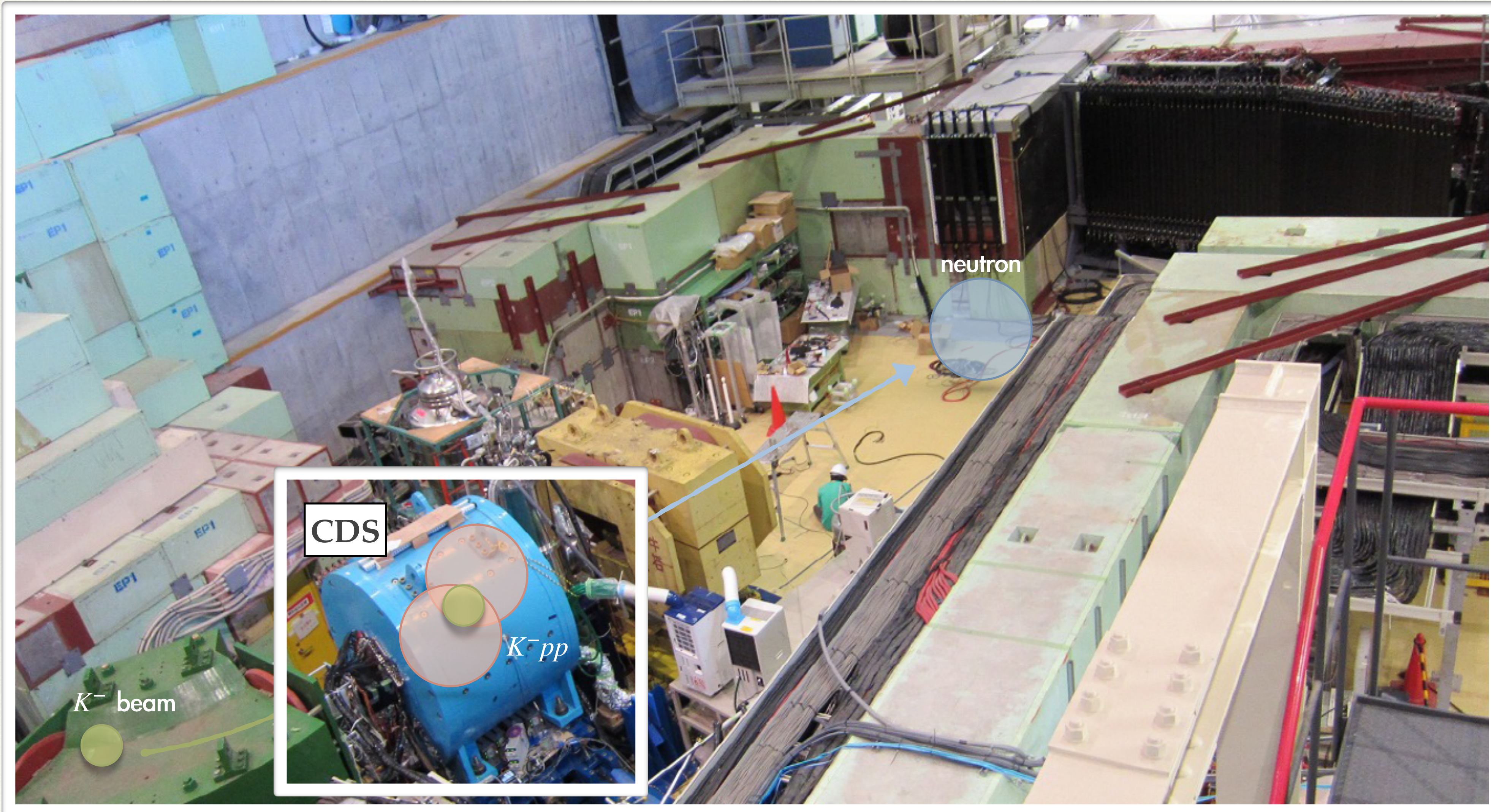
ground state

Cross section of $K^-N \rightarrow \bar{K}N$ at $\theta_N = 0^\circ$

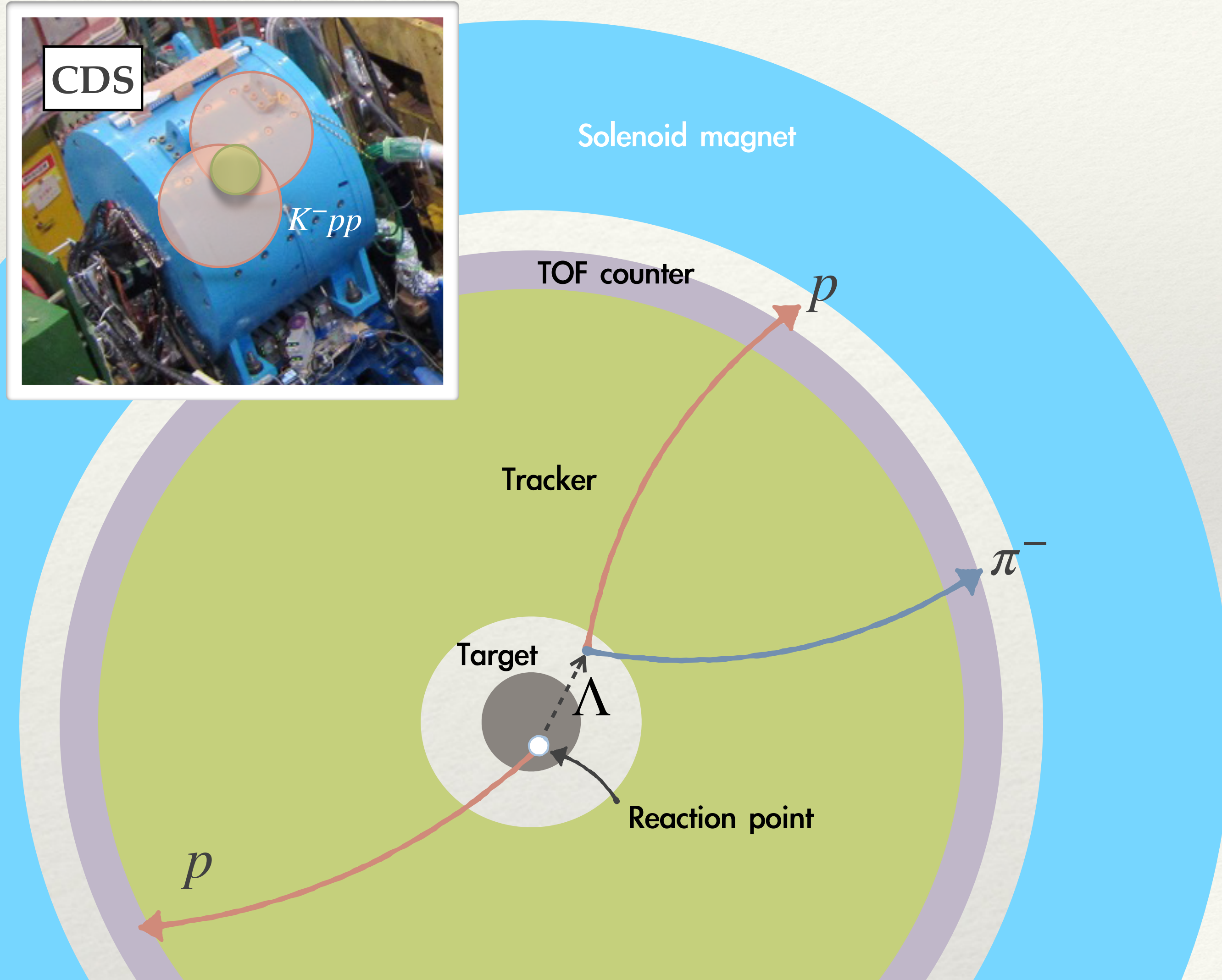


T. Kishimoto, Phys. Rev. Lett. **83** (1999) 4701.

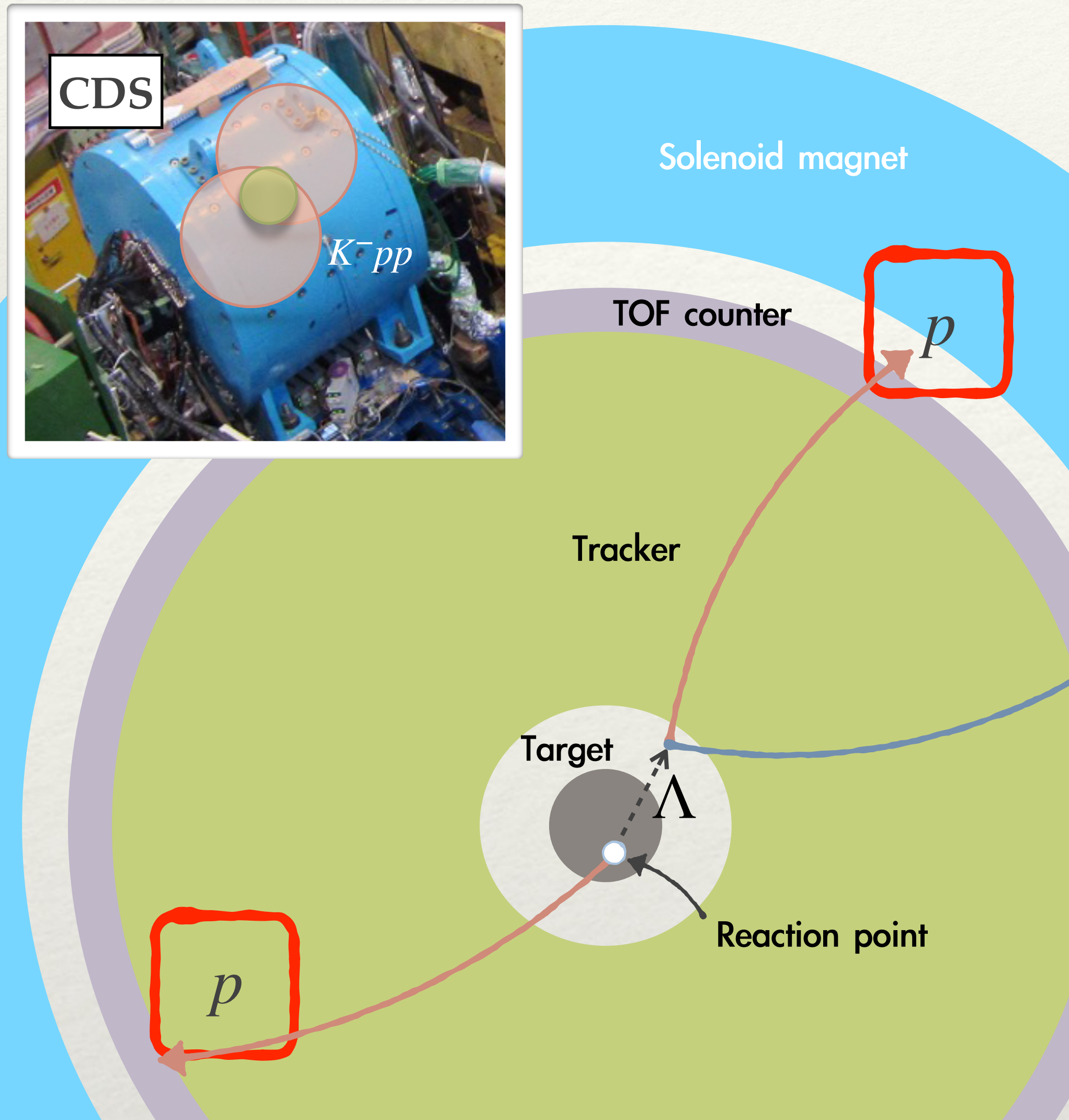
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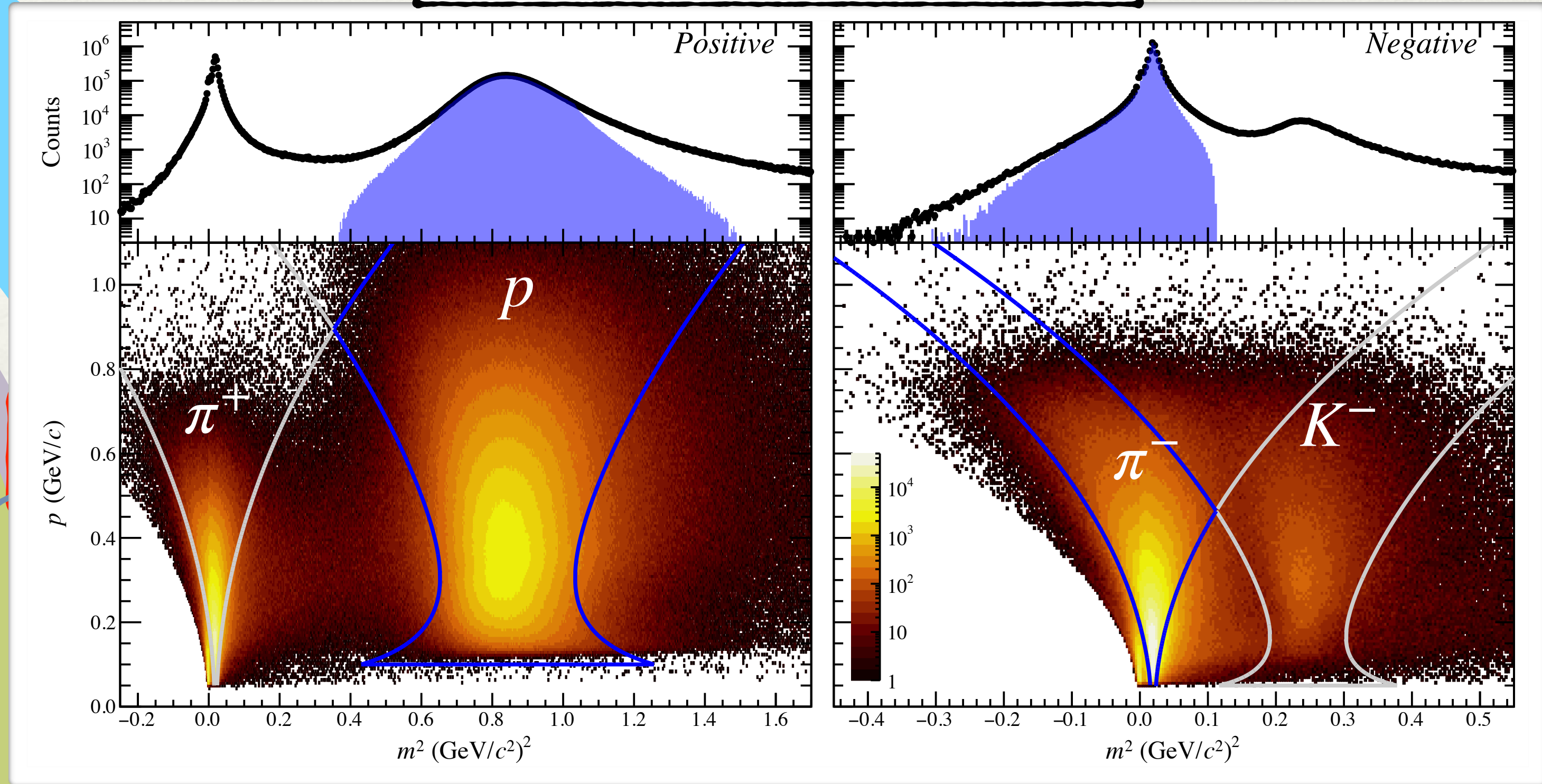
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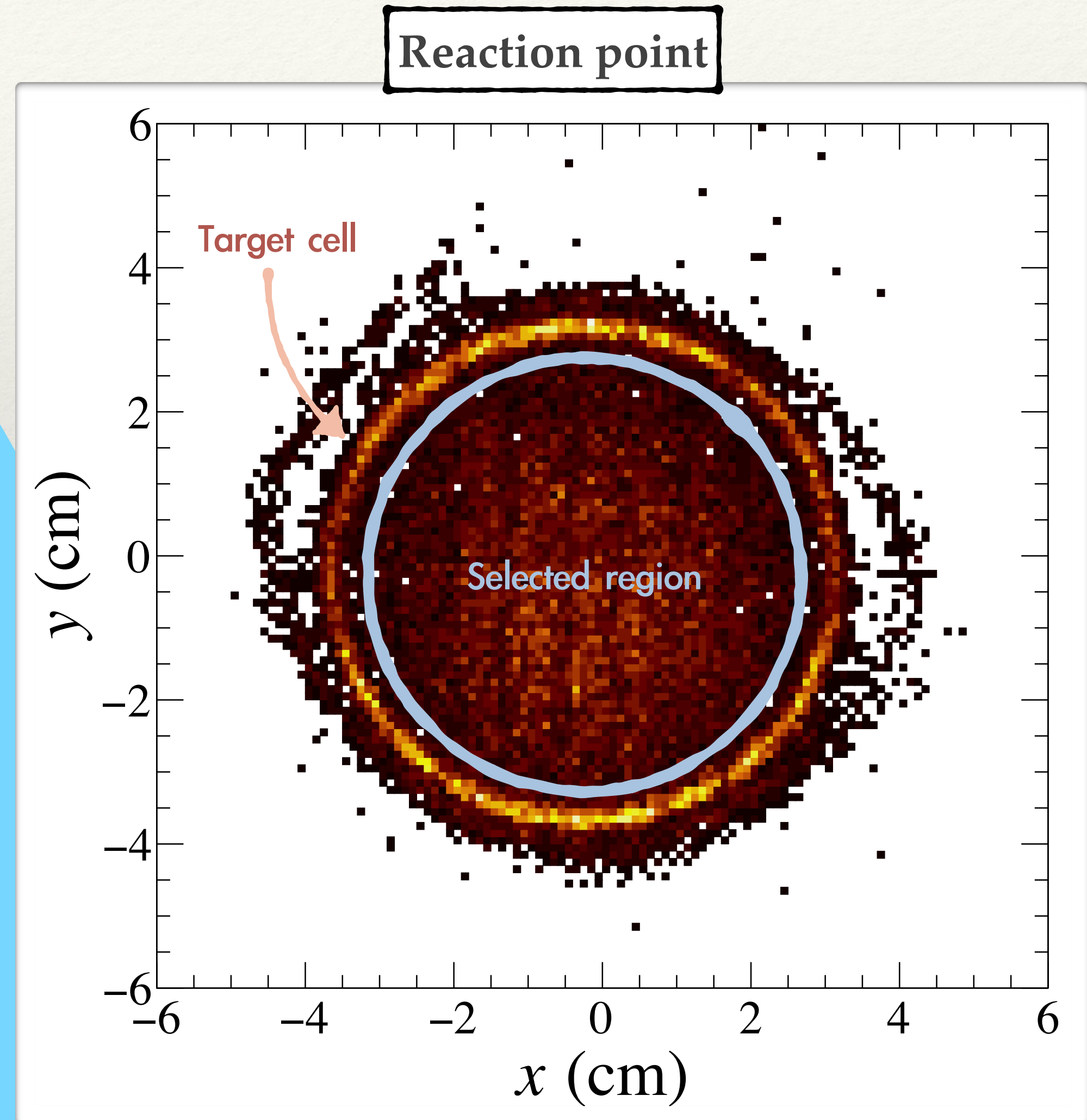
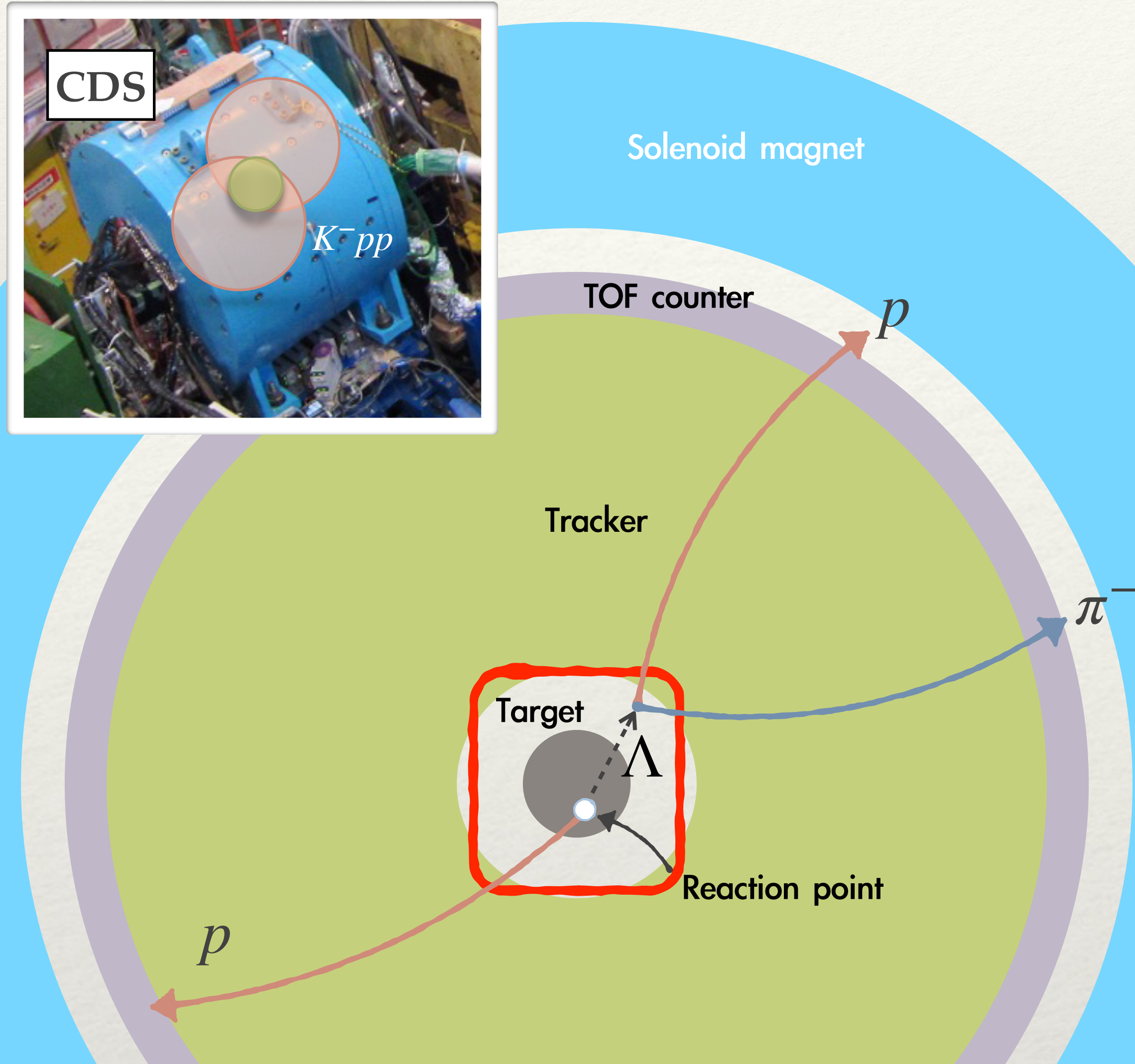
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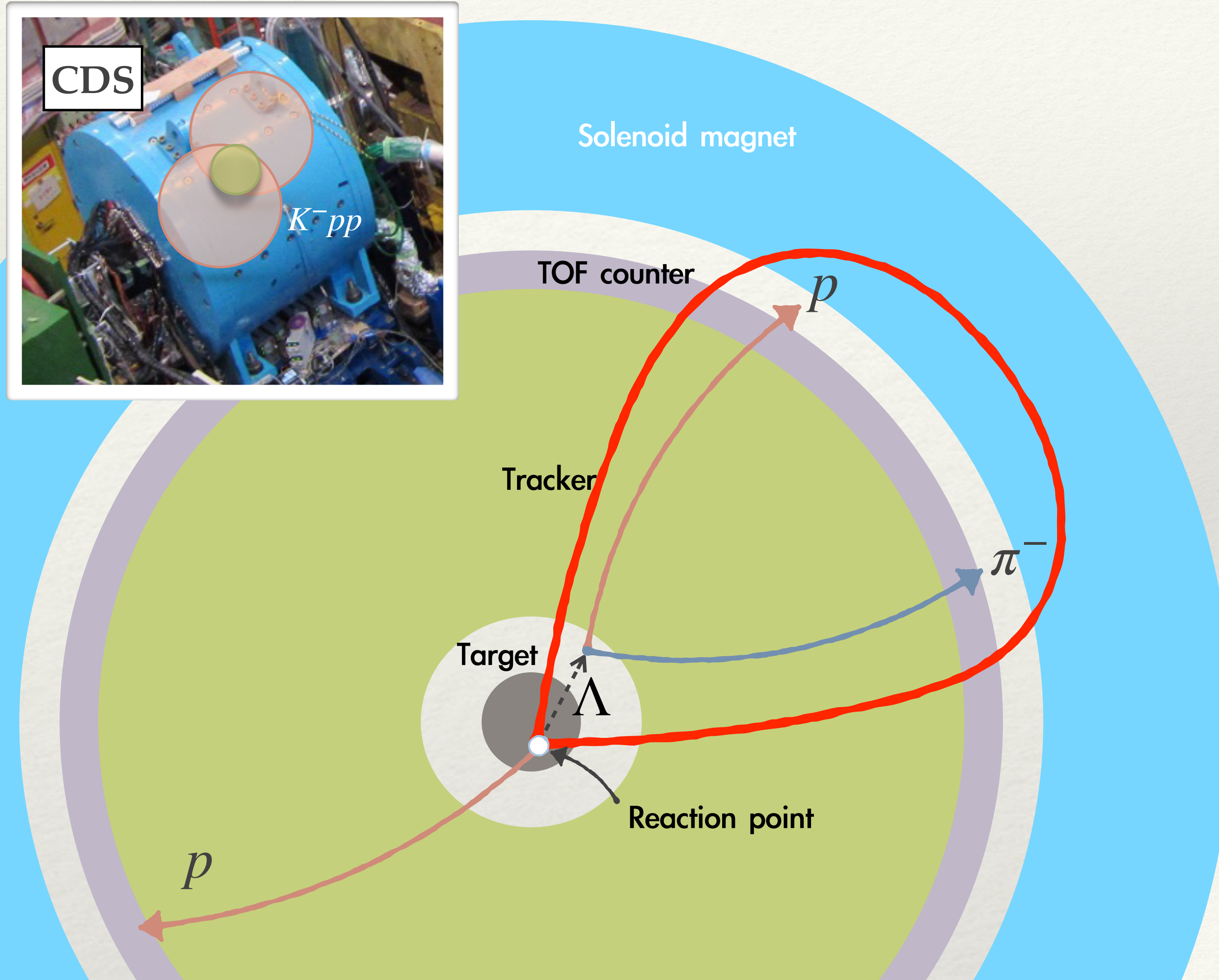
Identification of detected particles



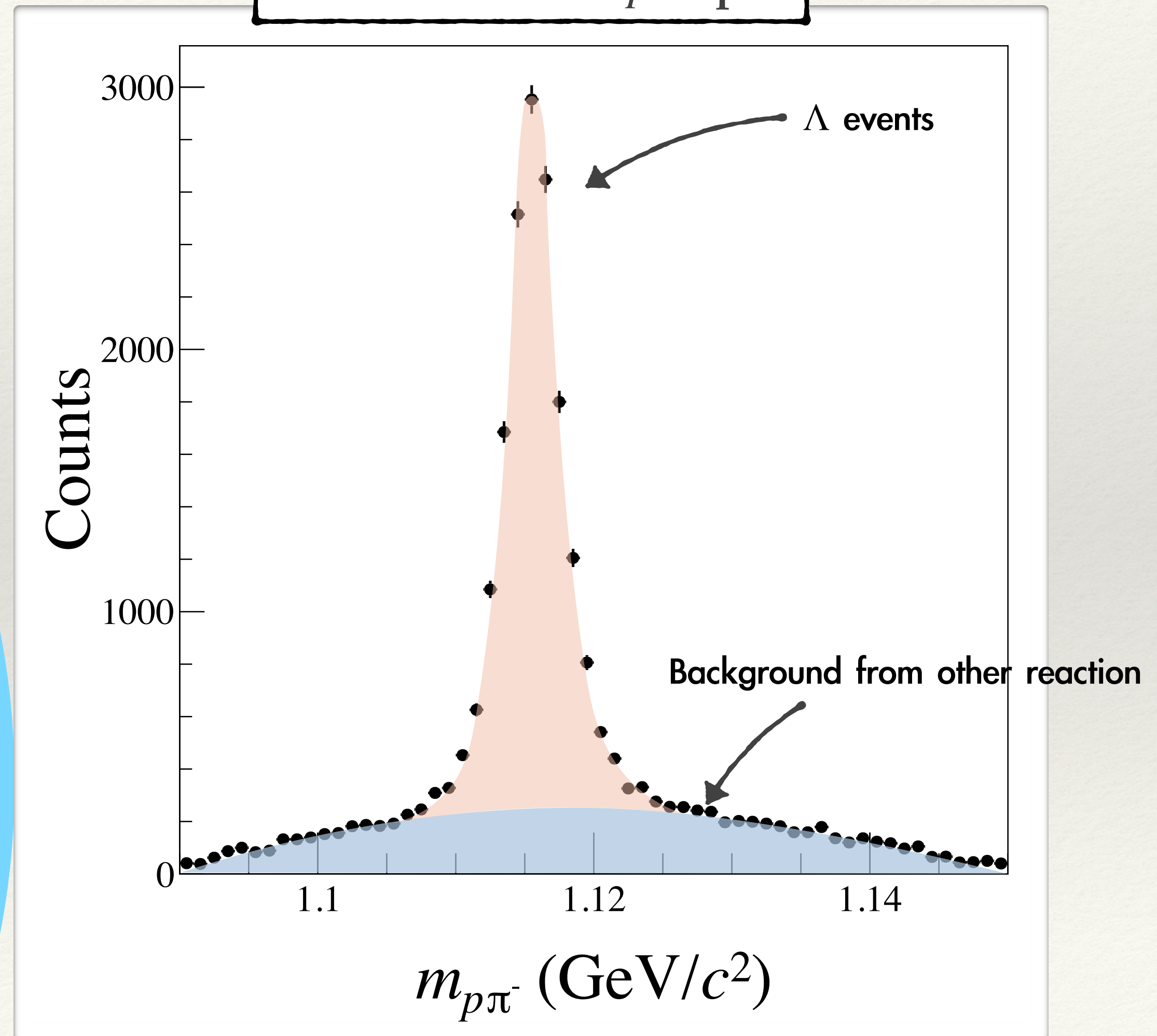
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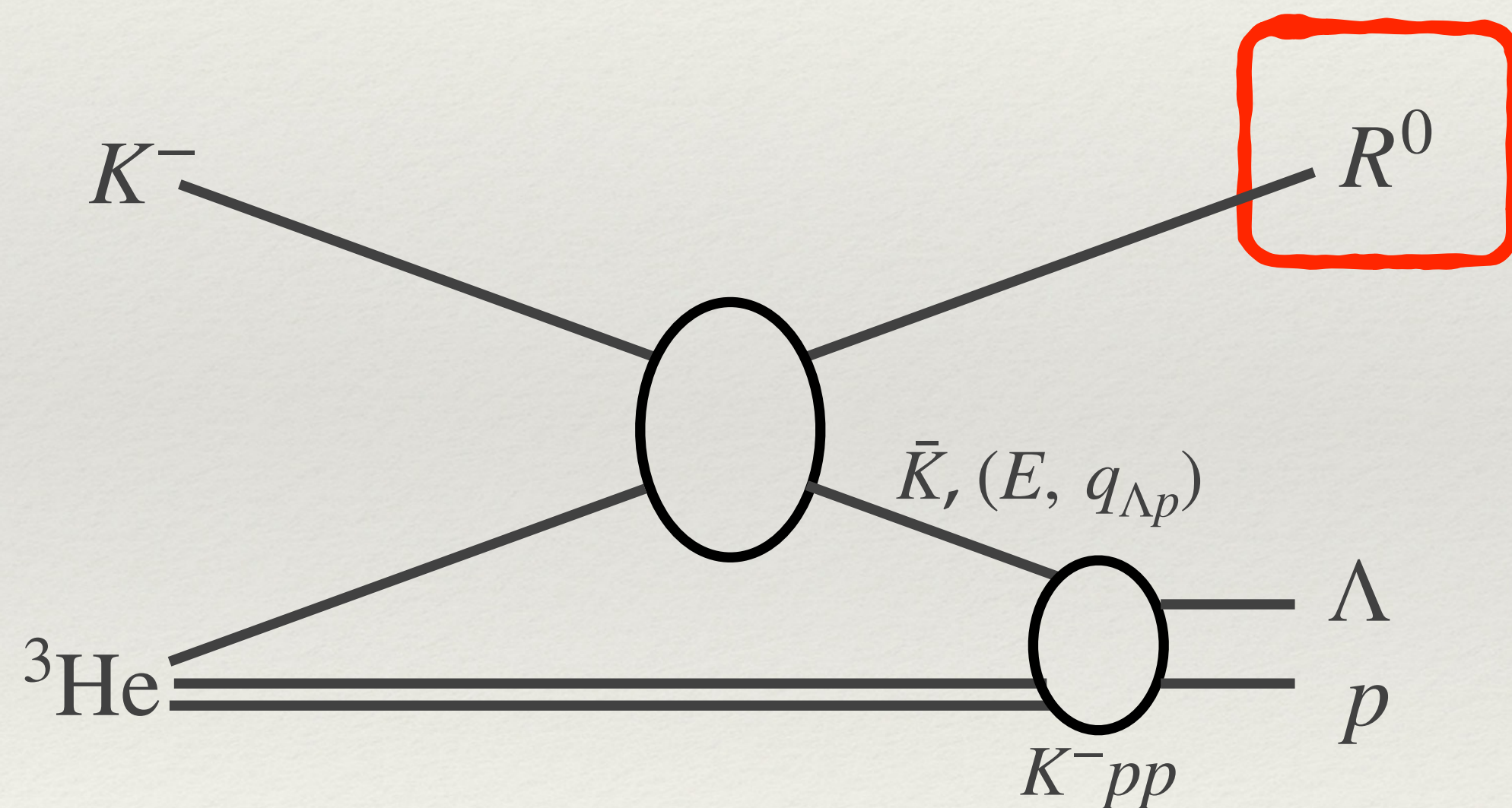
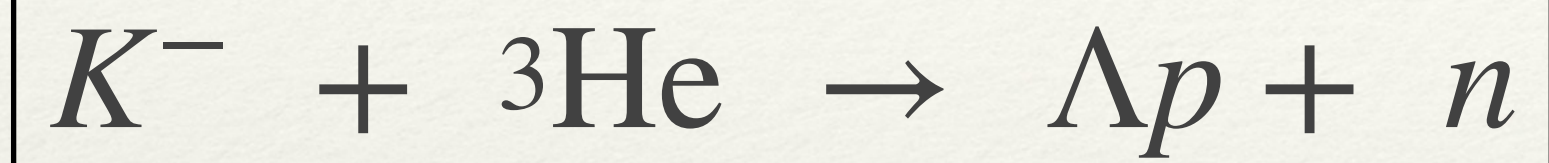
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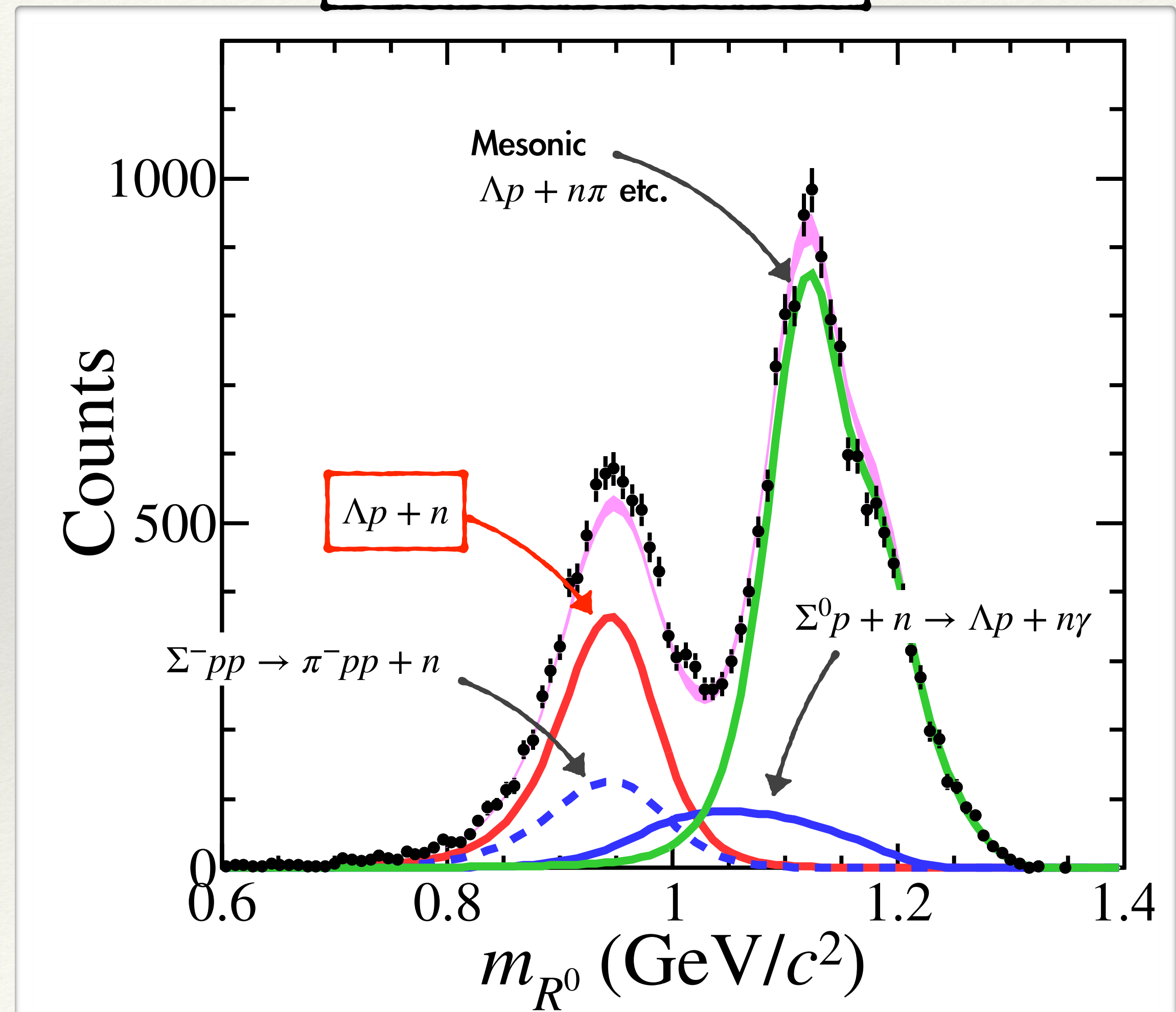
Invariant mass of $p\pi^-$ pair



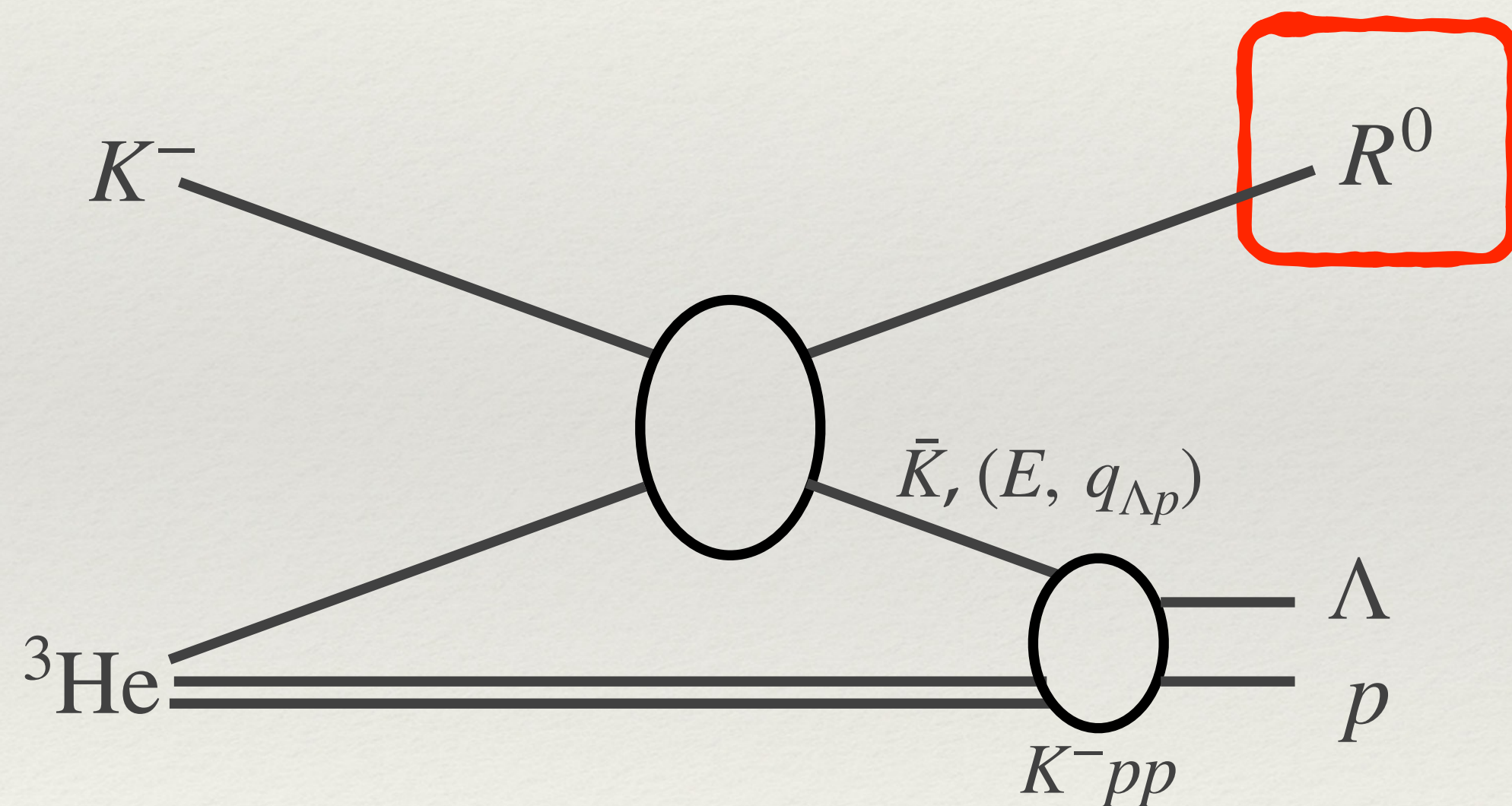
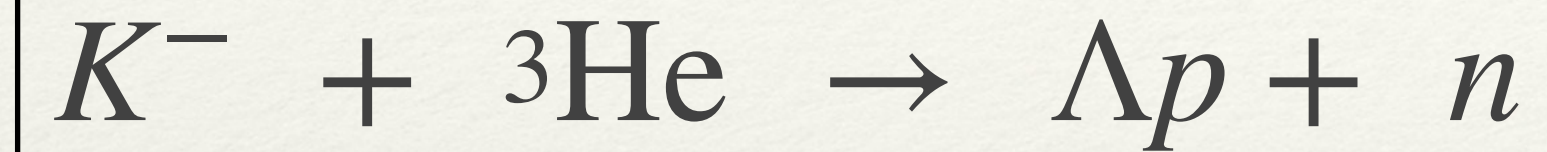
E15 experiment



Invariant mass of $p\pi^-$ pair



E15 experiment



Data purity

Signal

$\Lambda p n$ final state

$\sim 80\%$

Backgrounds

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$\sim 10\%$

$\Sigma^- p p$ final state

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$\Lambda p n + \pi$ final state

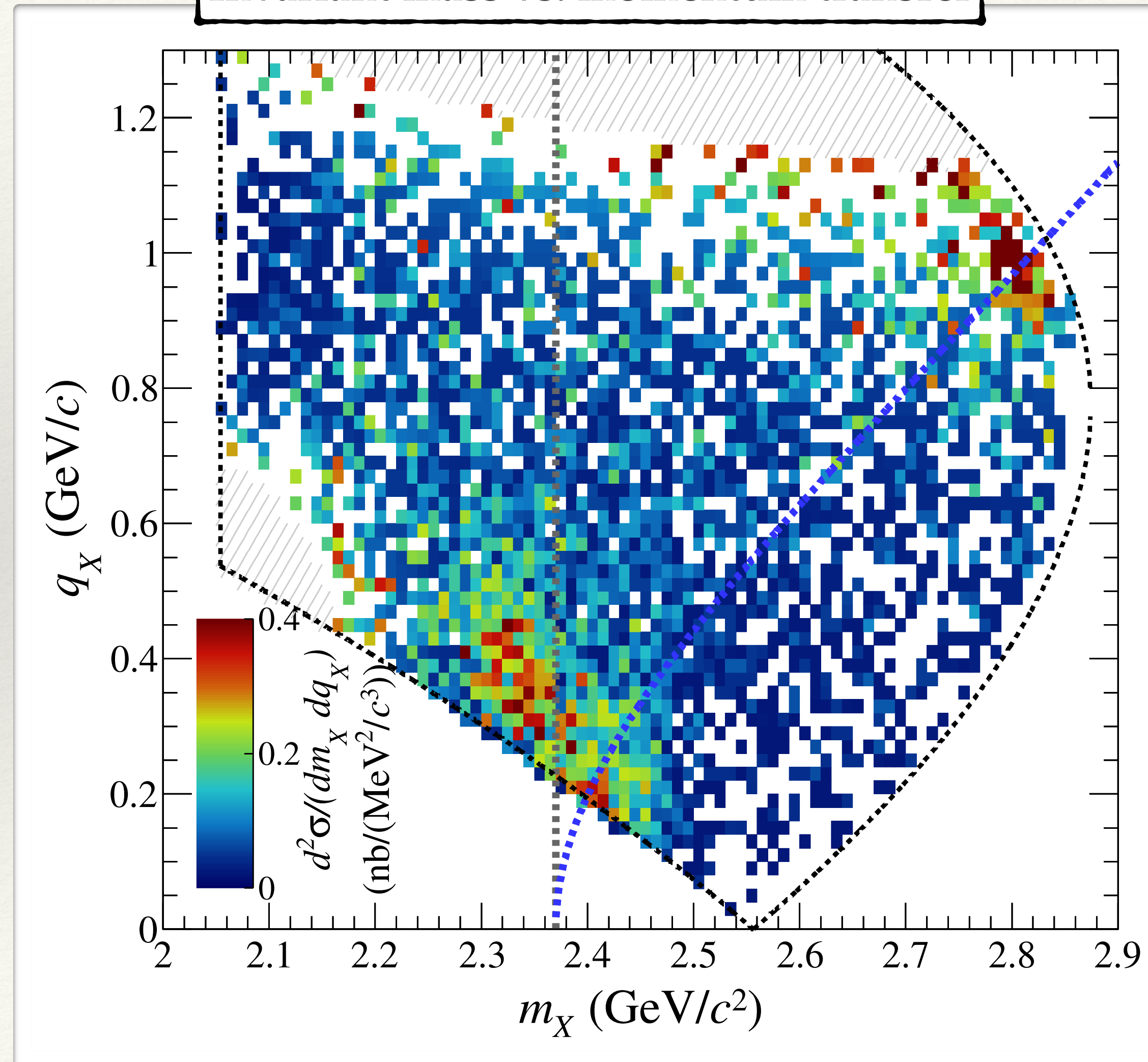
Negligible

Exp. background

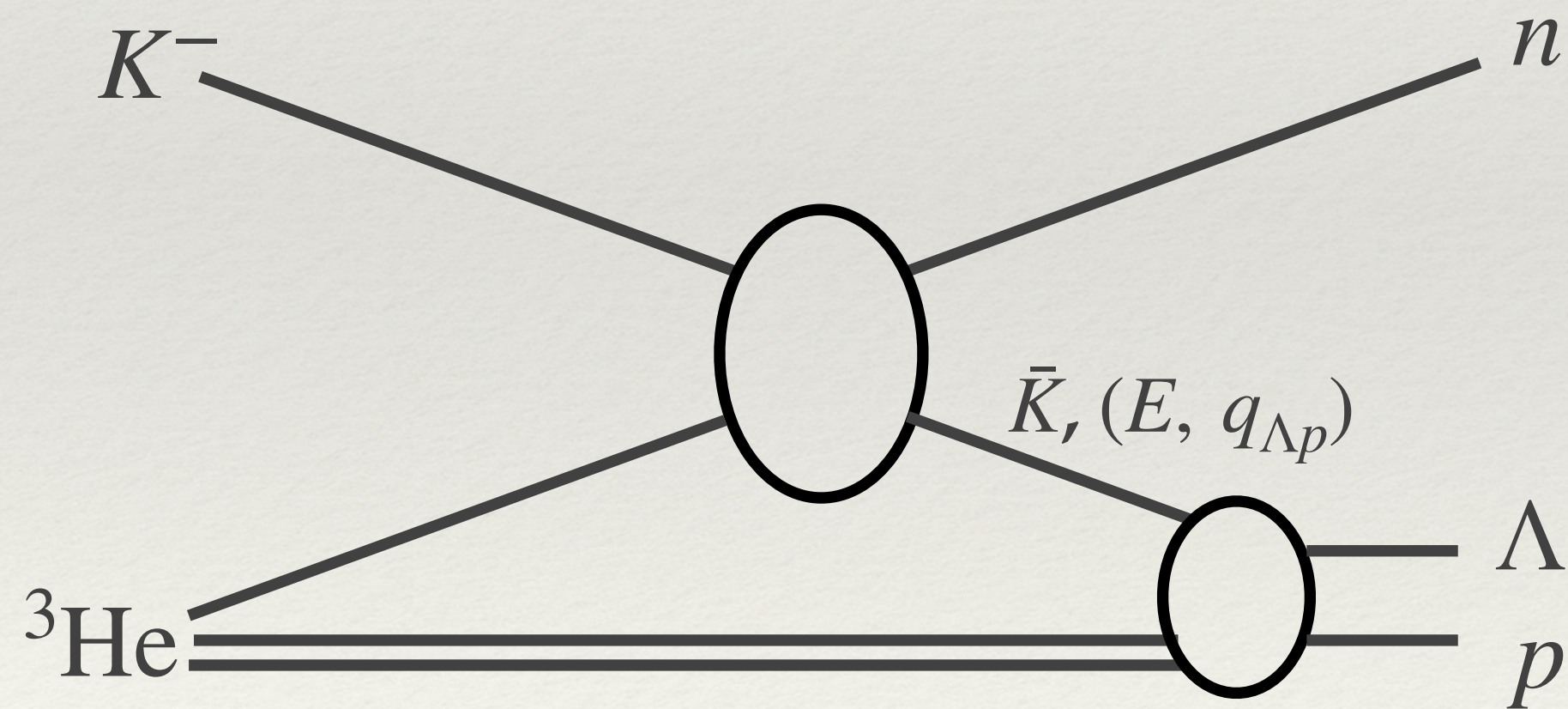
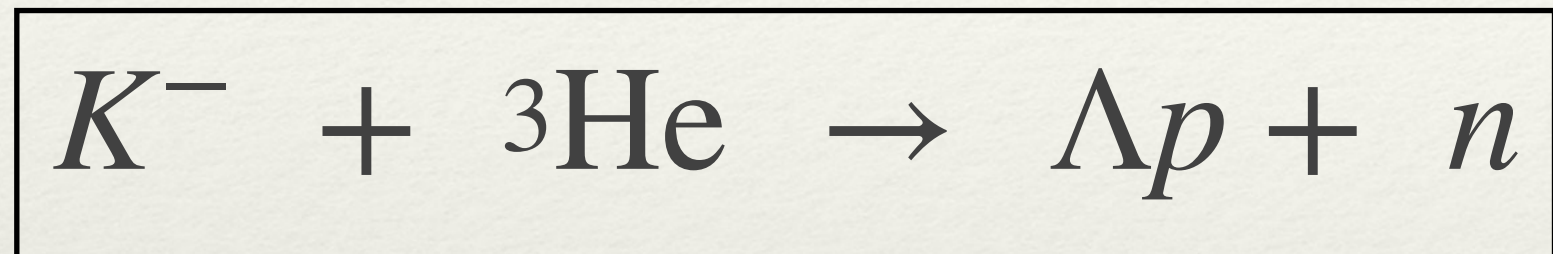
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Result of E15

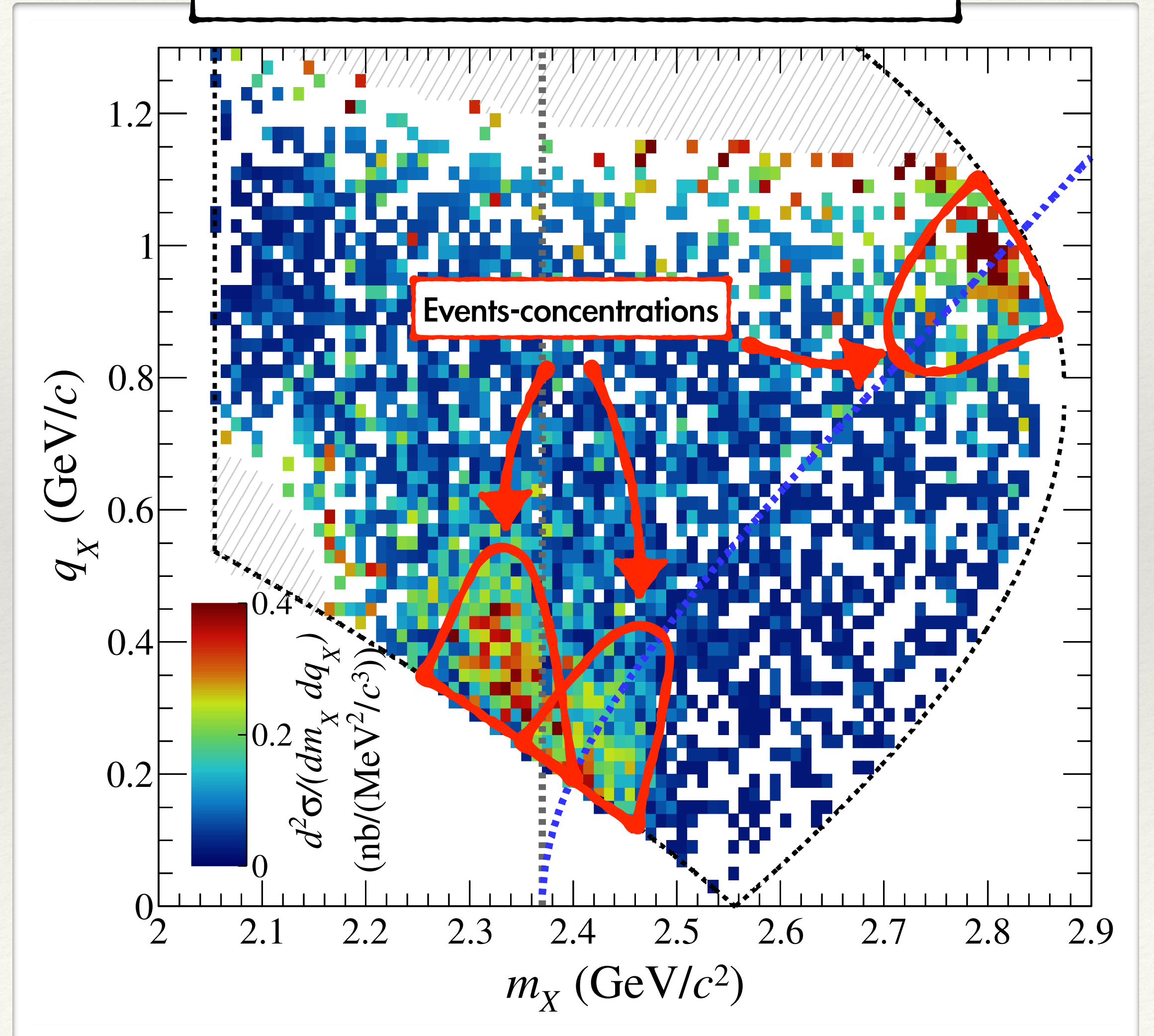
Invariant mass vs. momentum transfer



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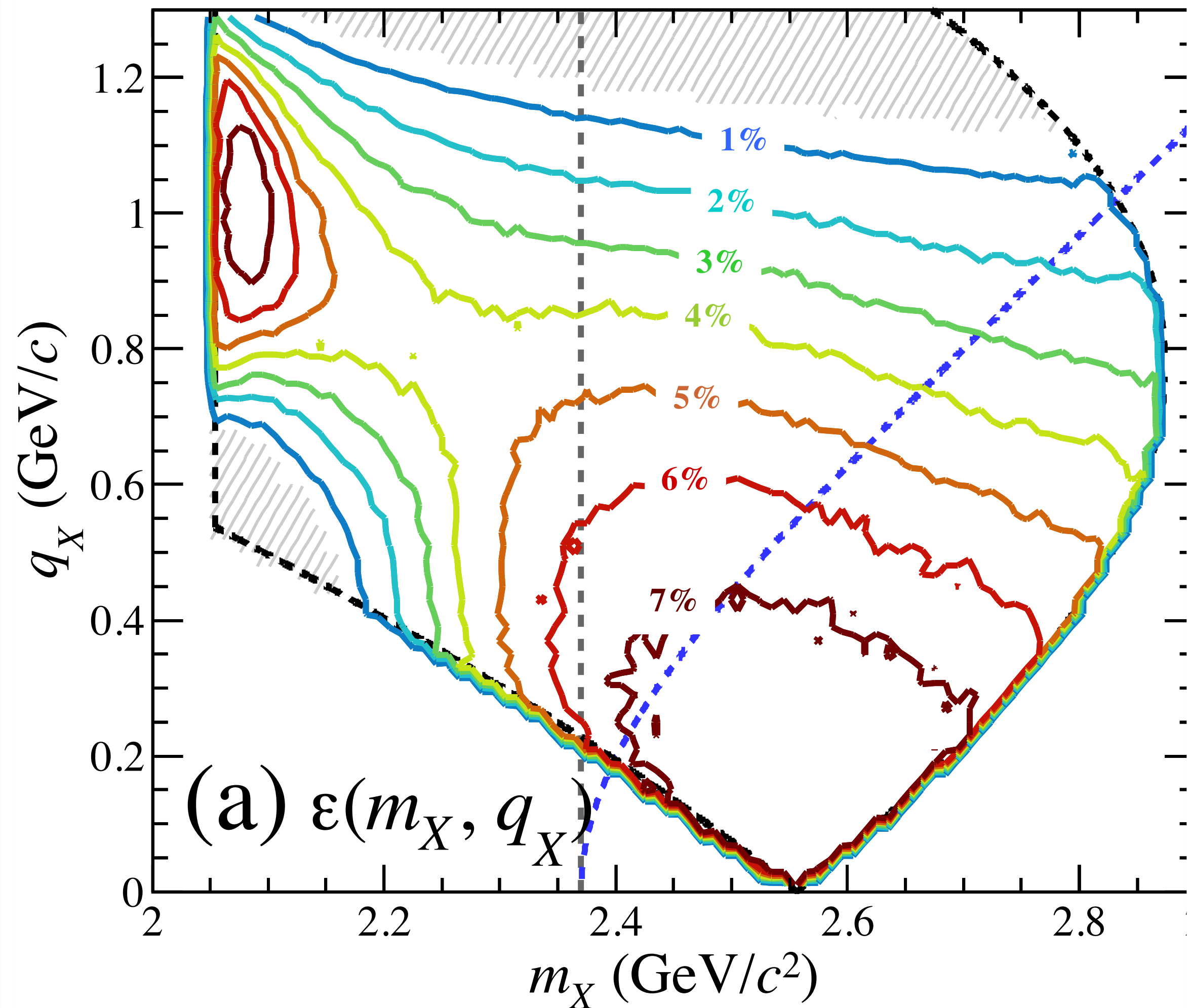


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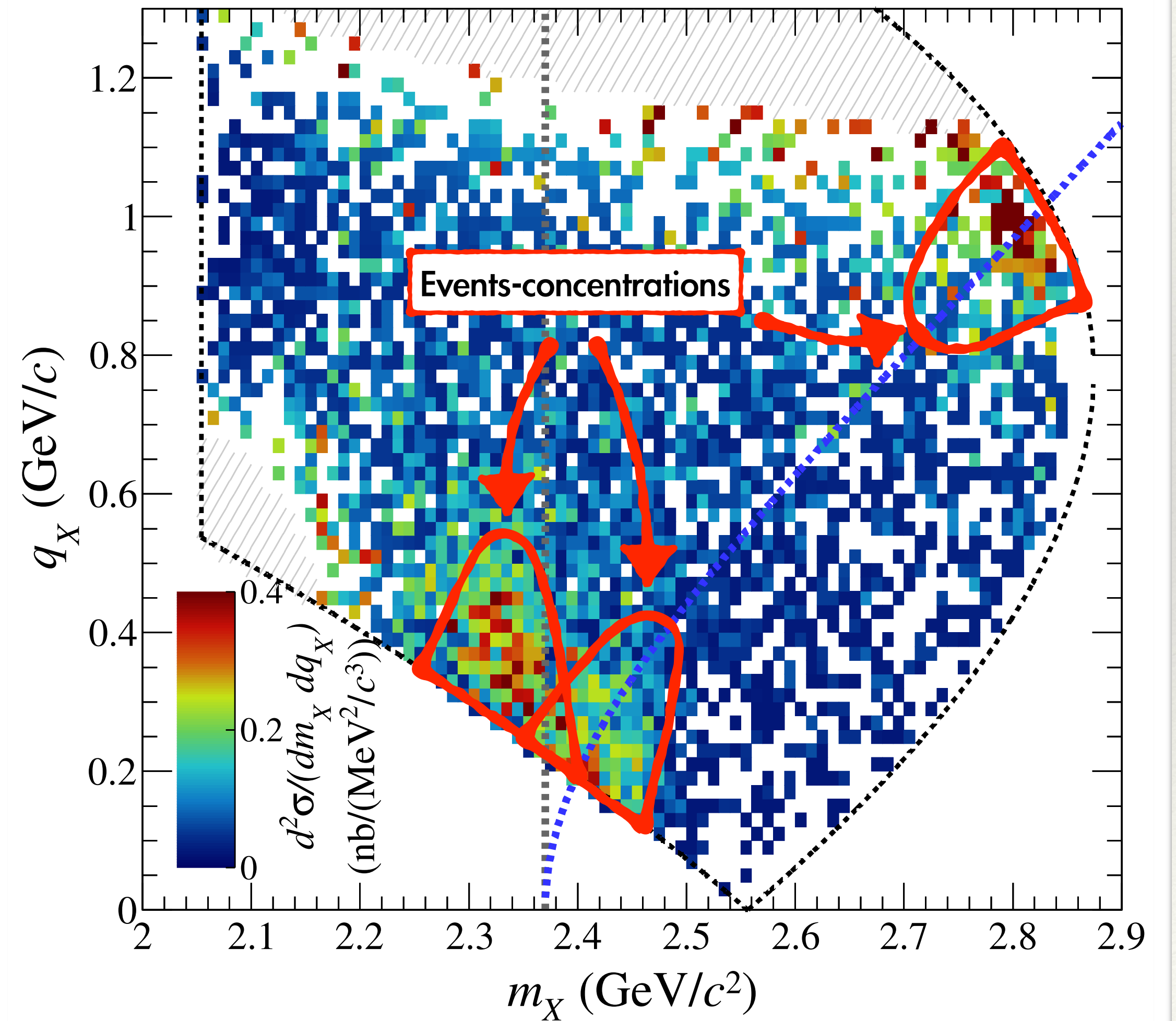


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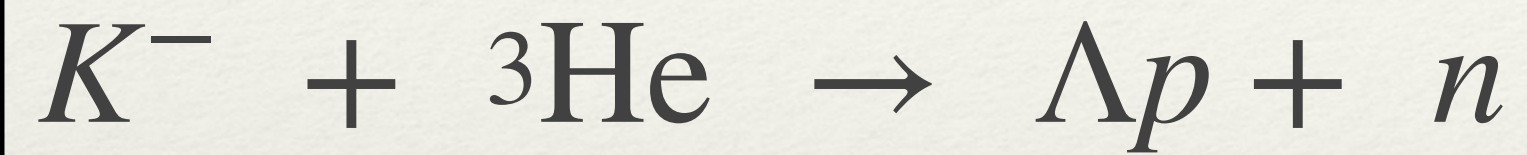
Acceptance map



Invariant mass vs. momentum transfer

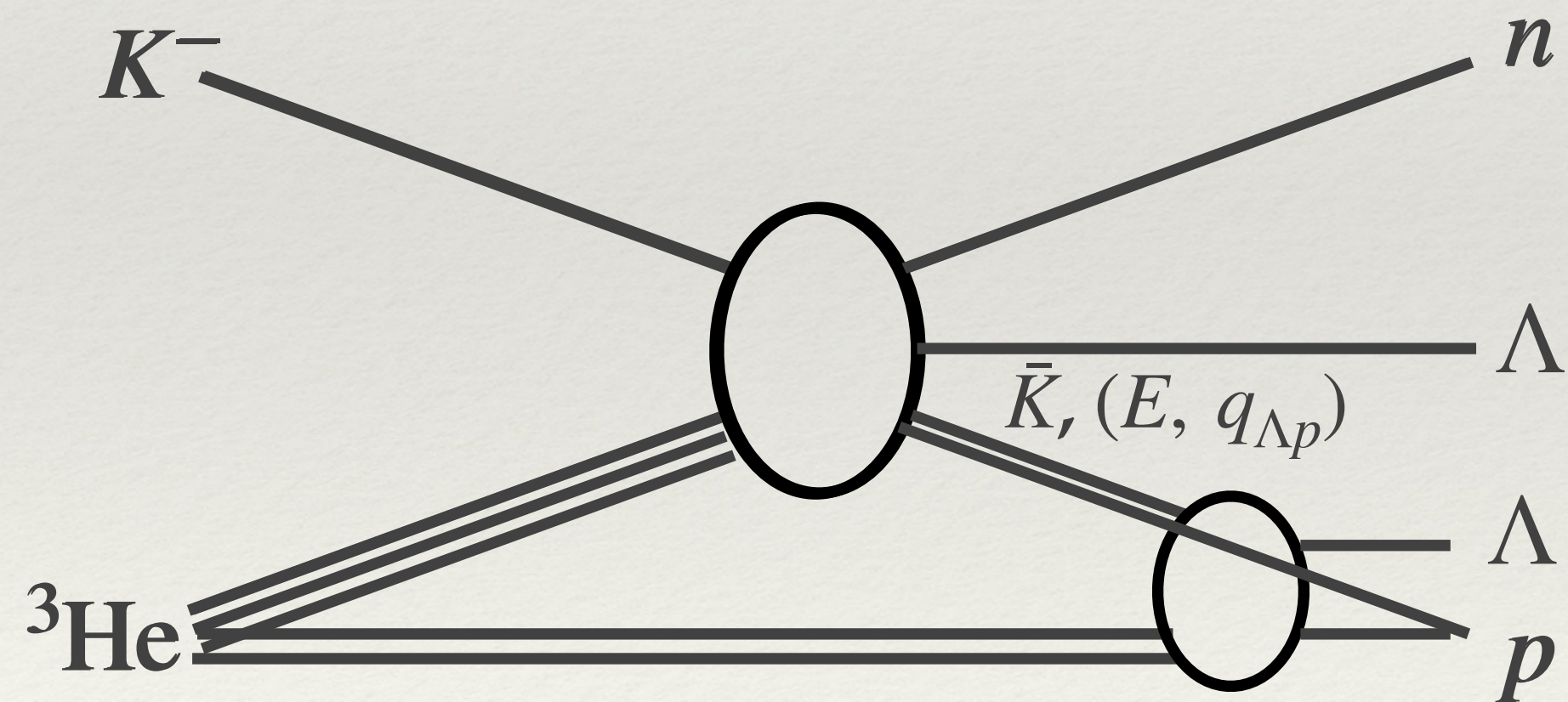


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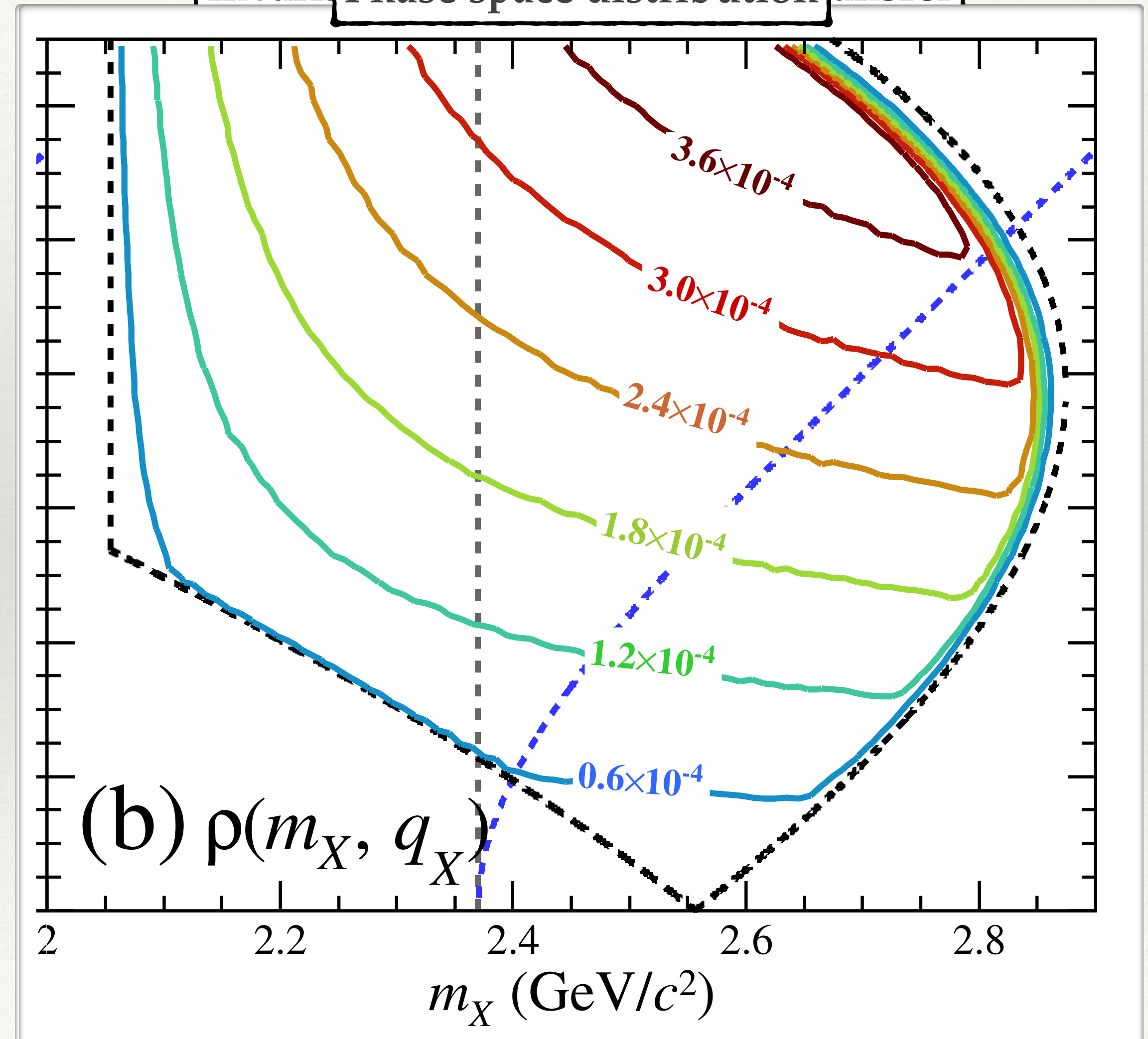


Point like interaction

(Kaon absorption by three nucleons; 3NA)

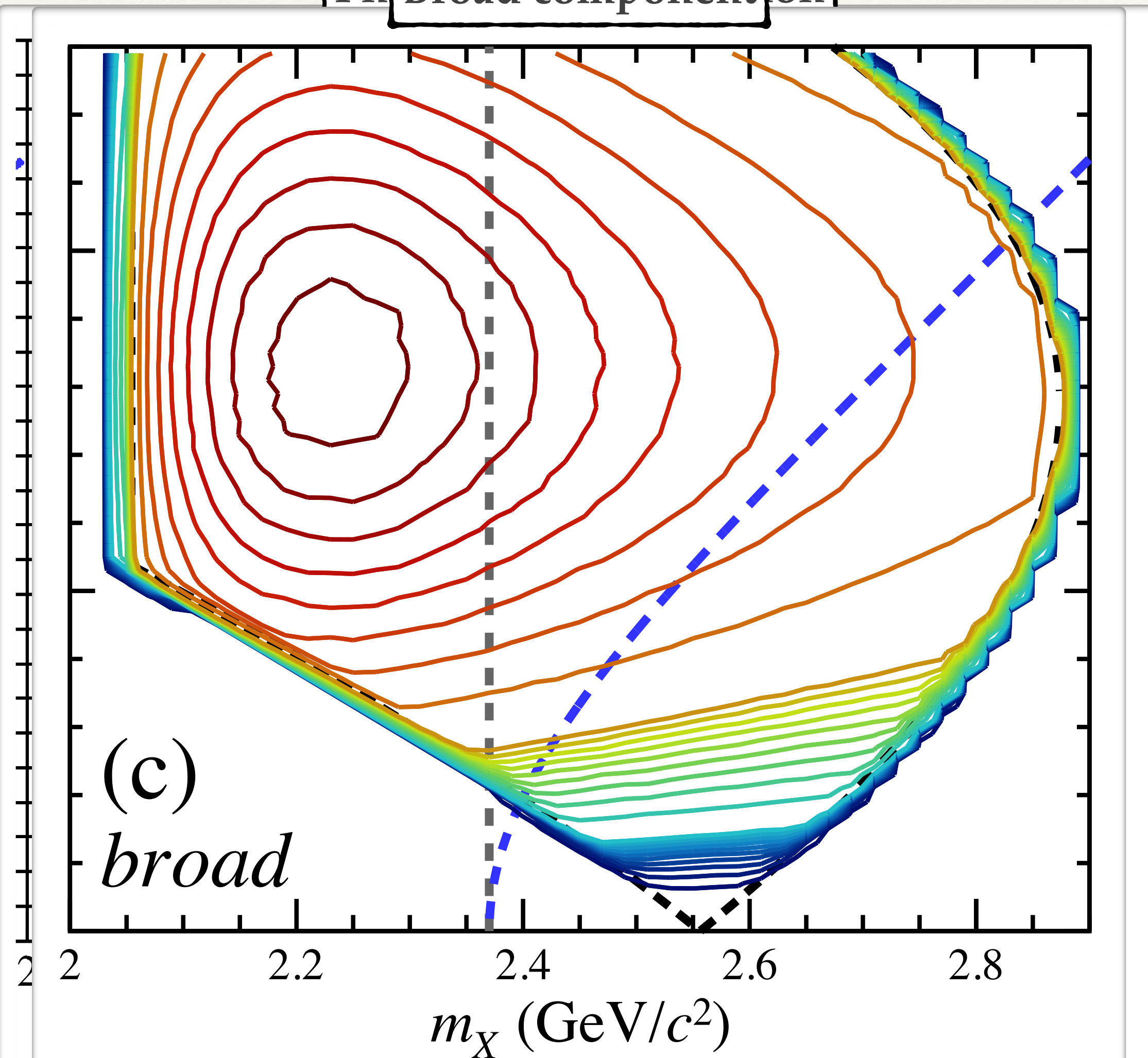


Invariant Phase space distribution transfer

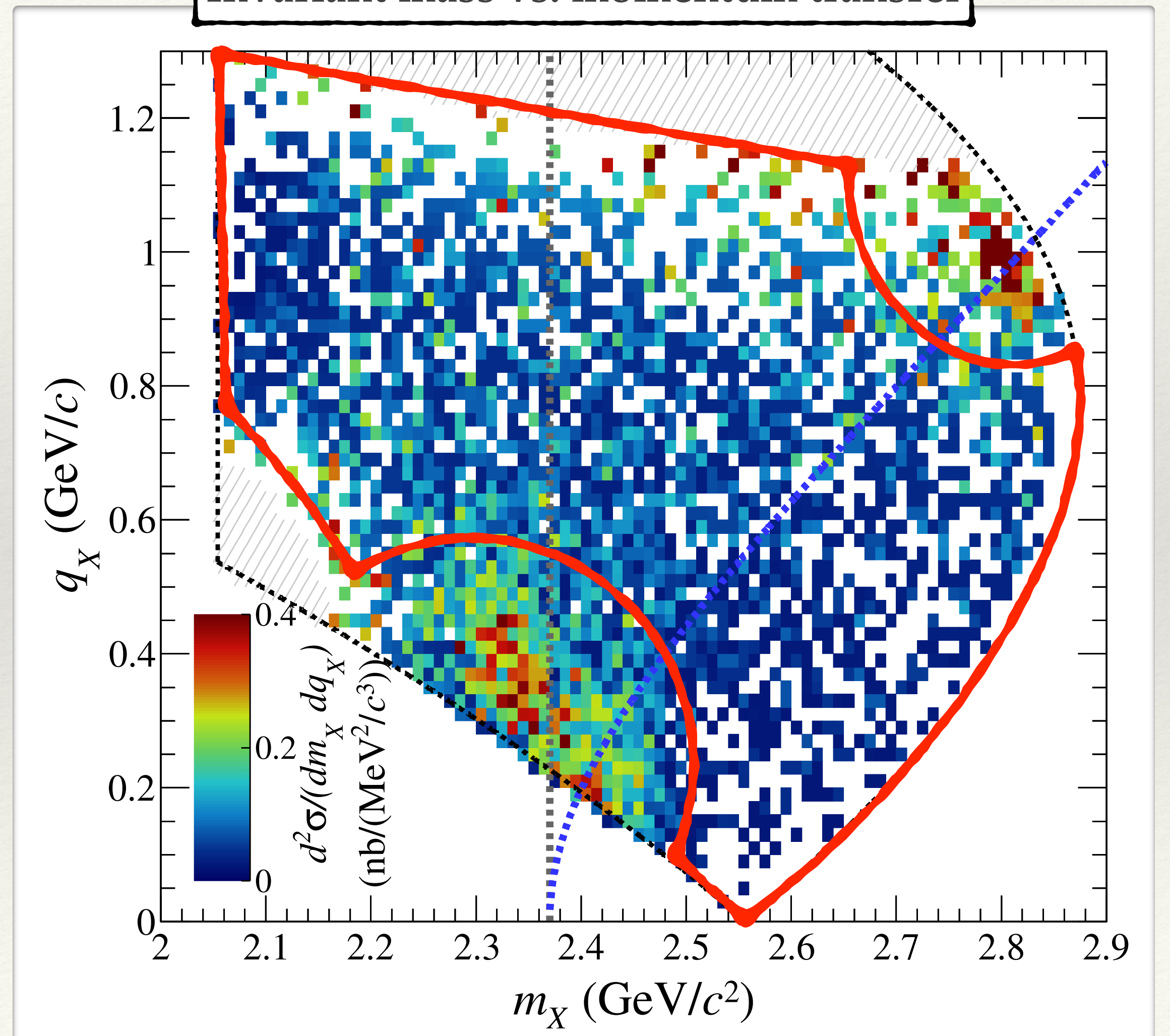


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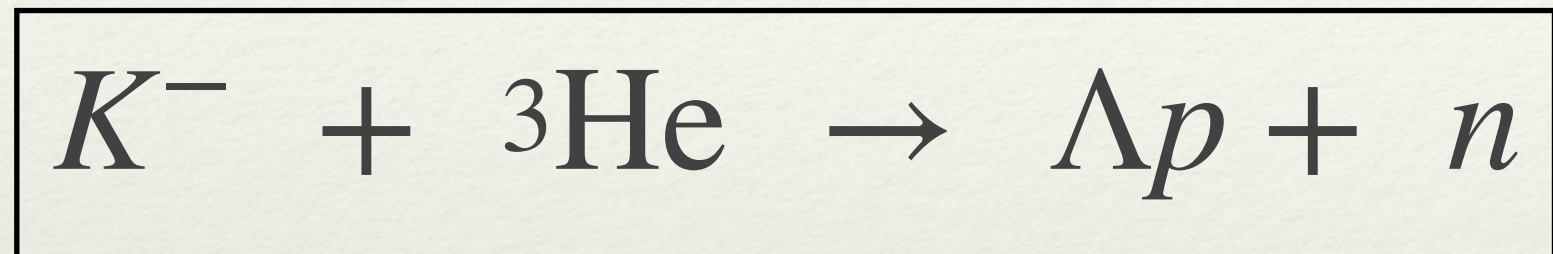
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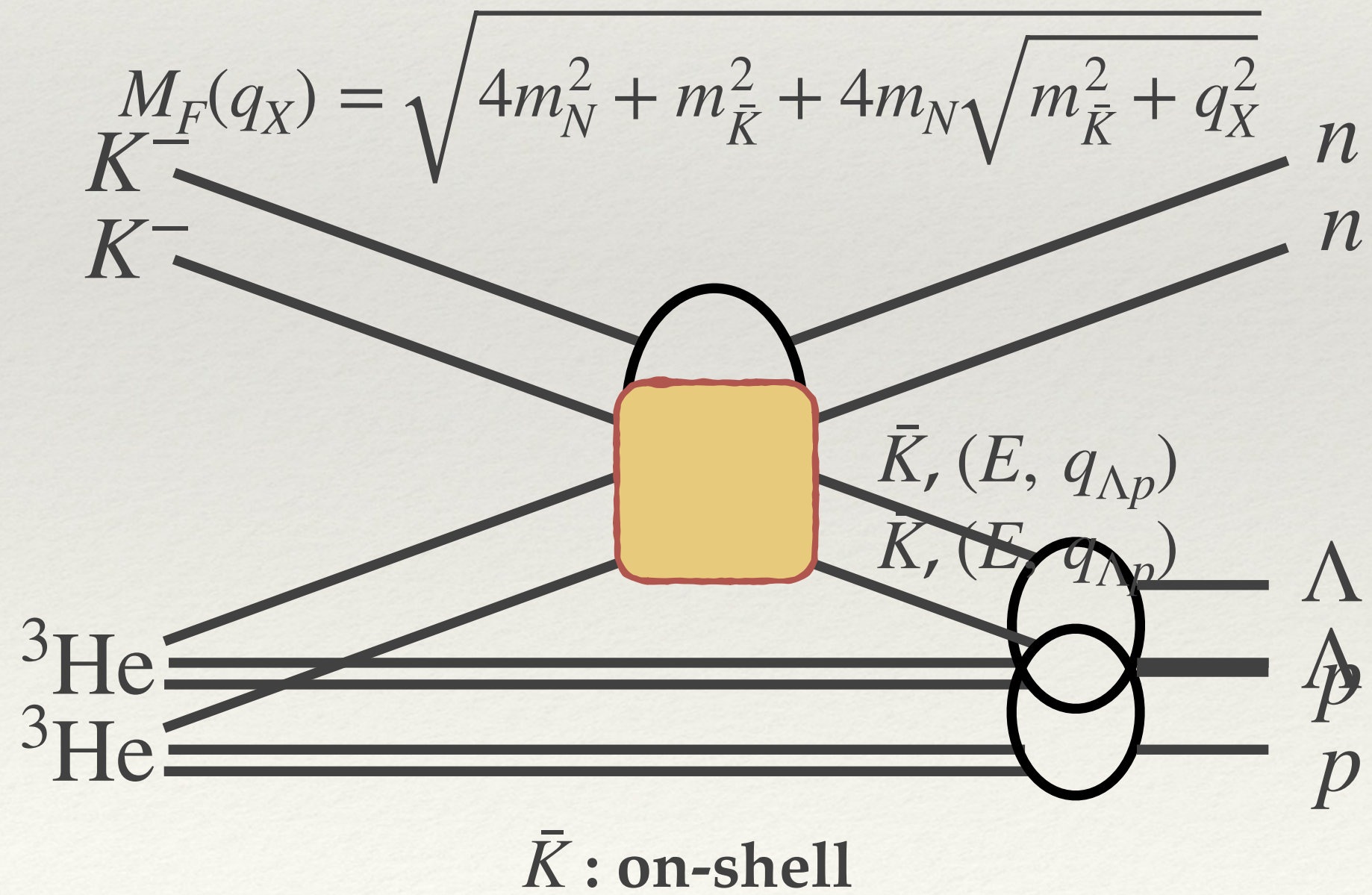
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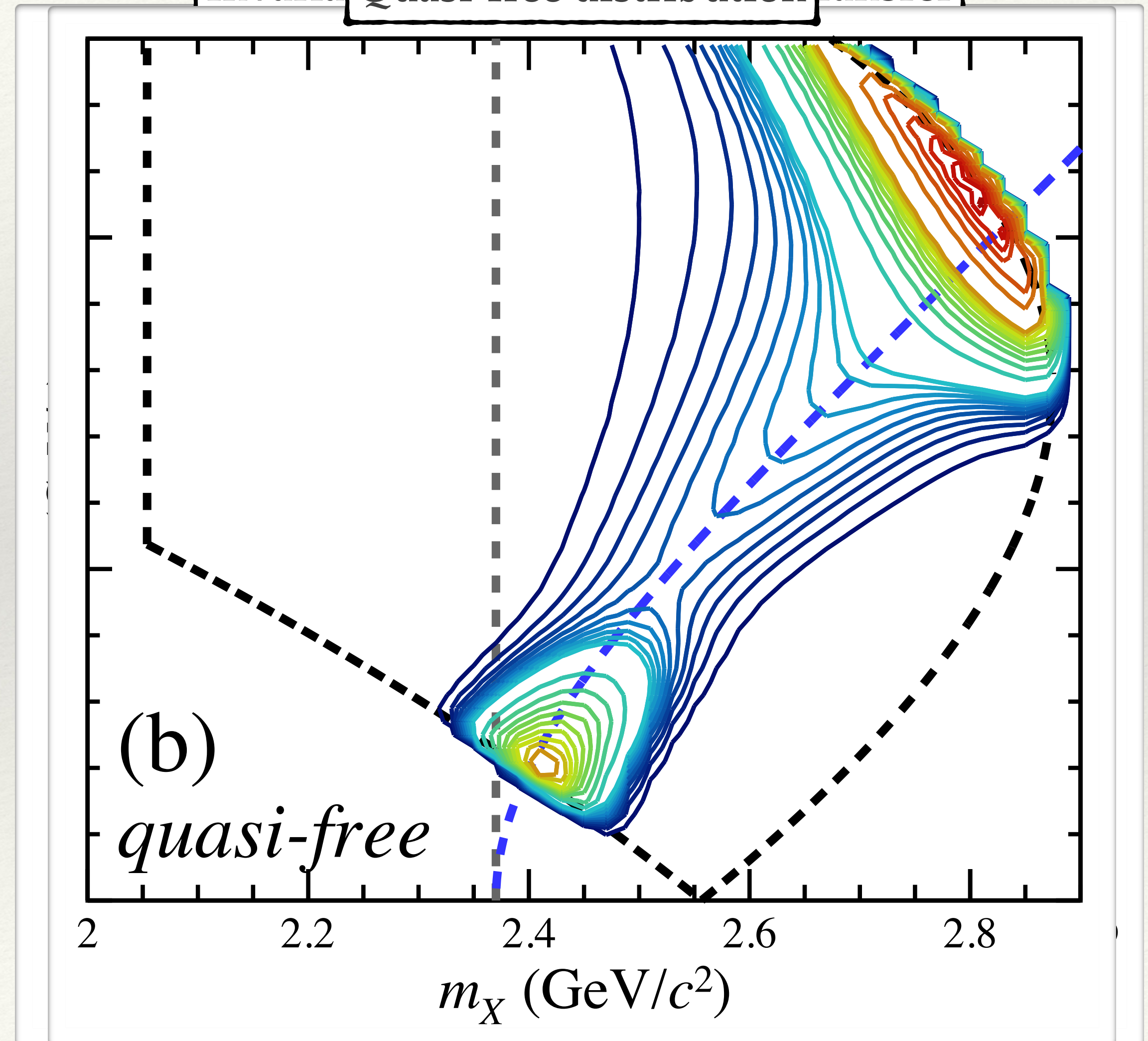
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QF-K absorption by two residual nucleons

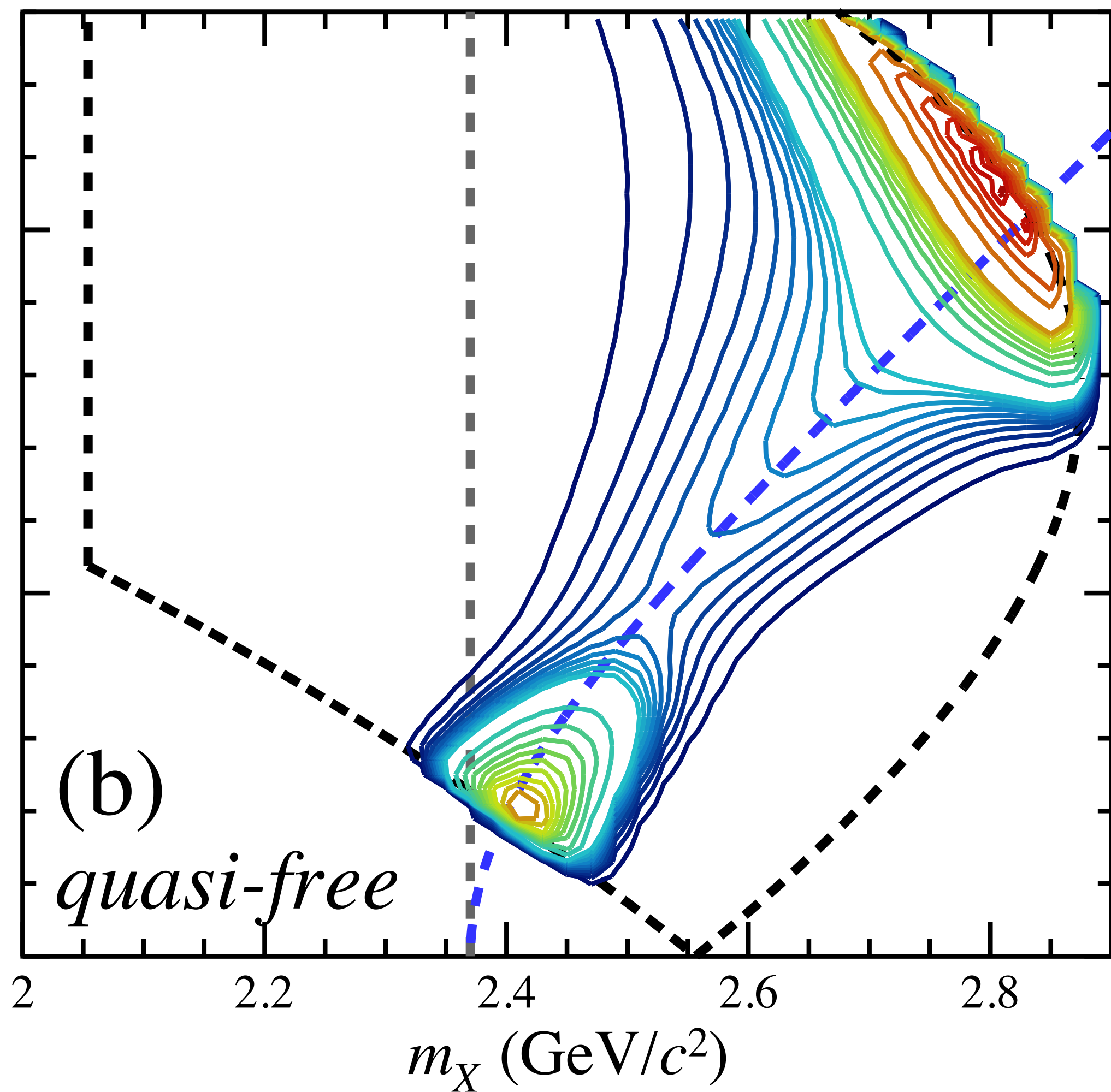


Invariant Mass Quasi-free distribution transfer

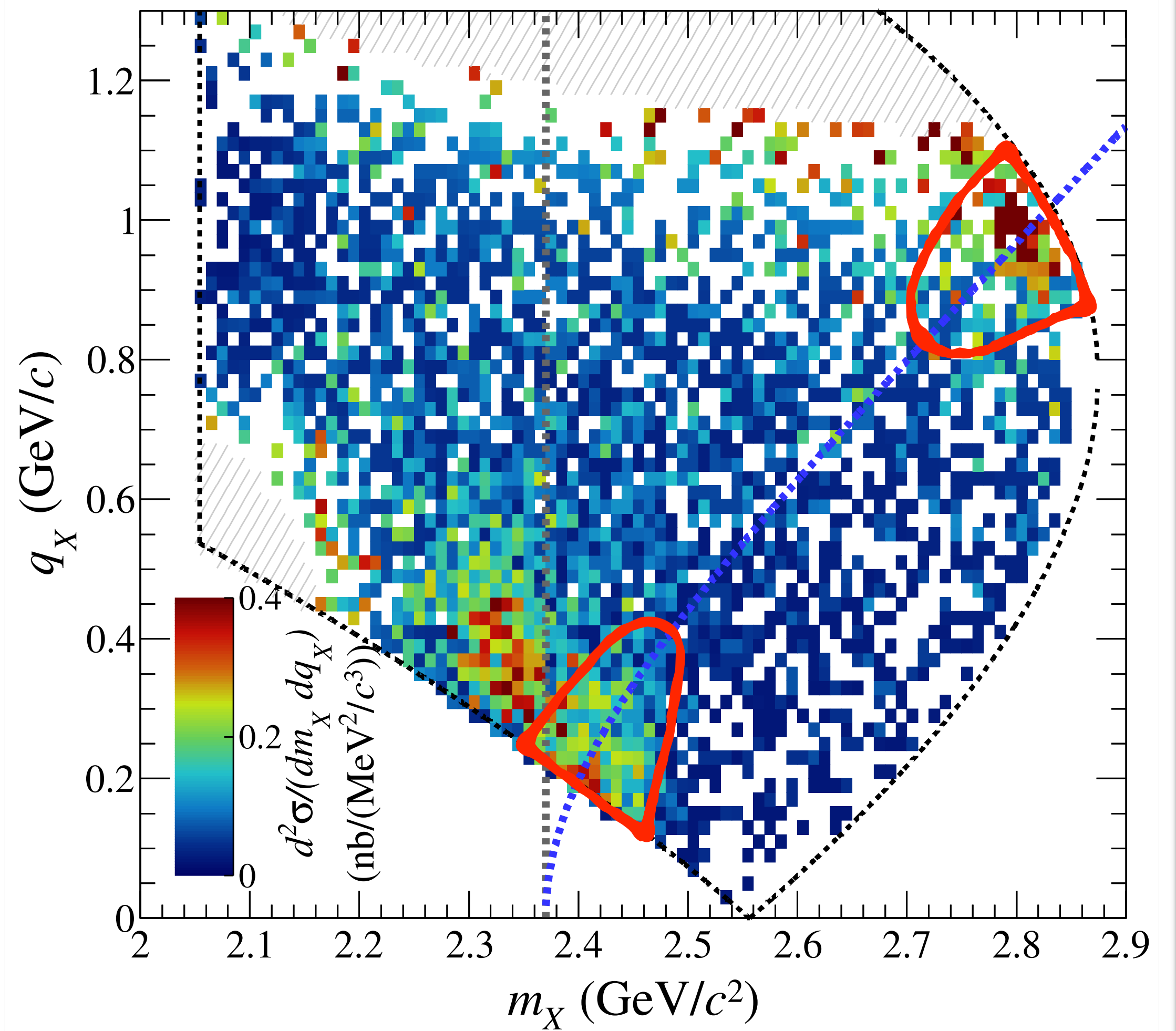


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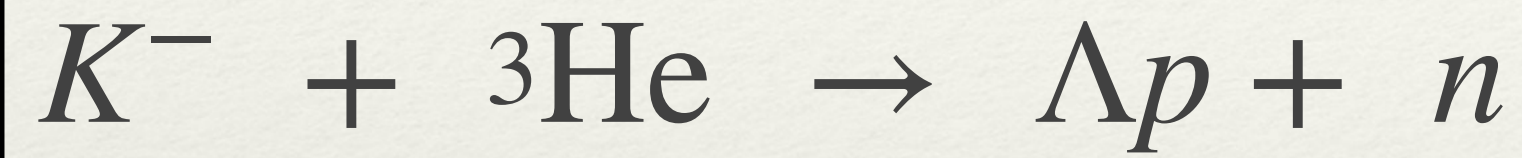
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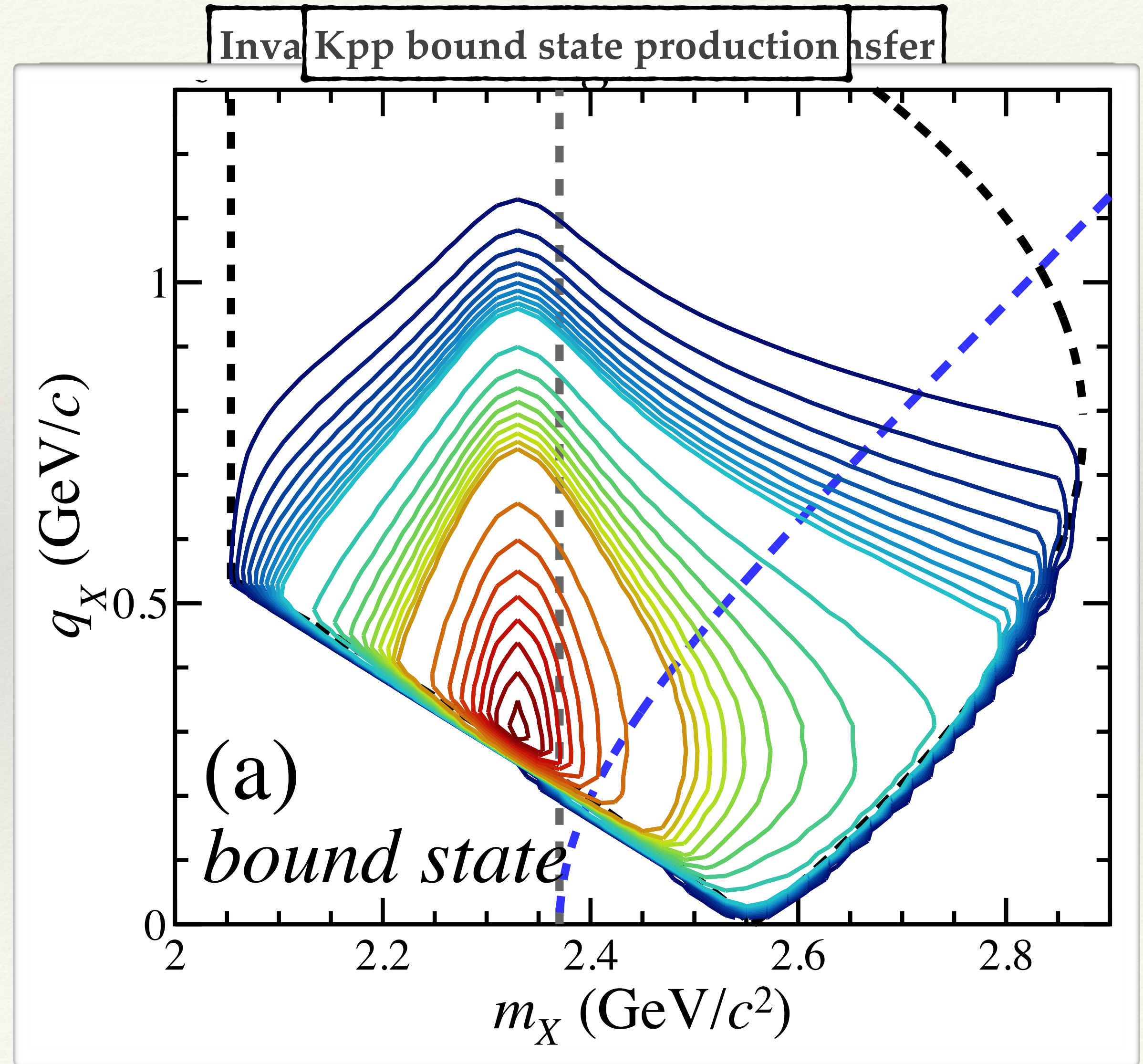
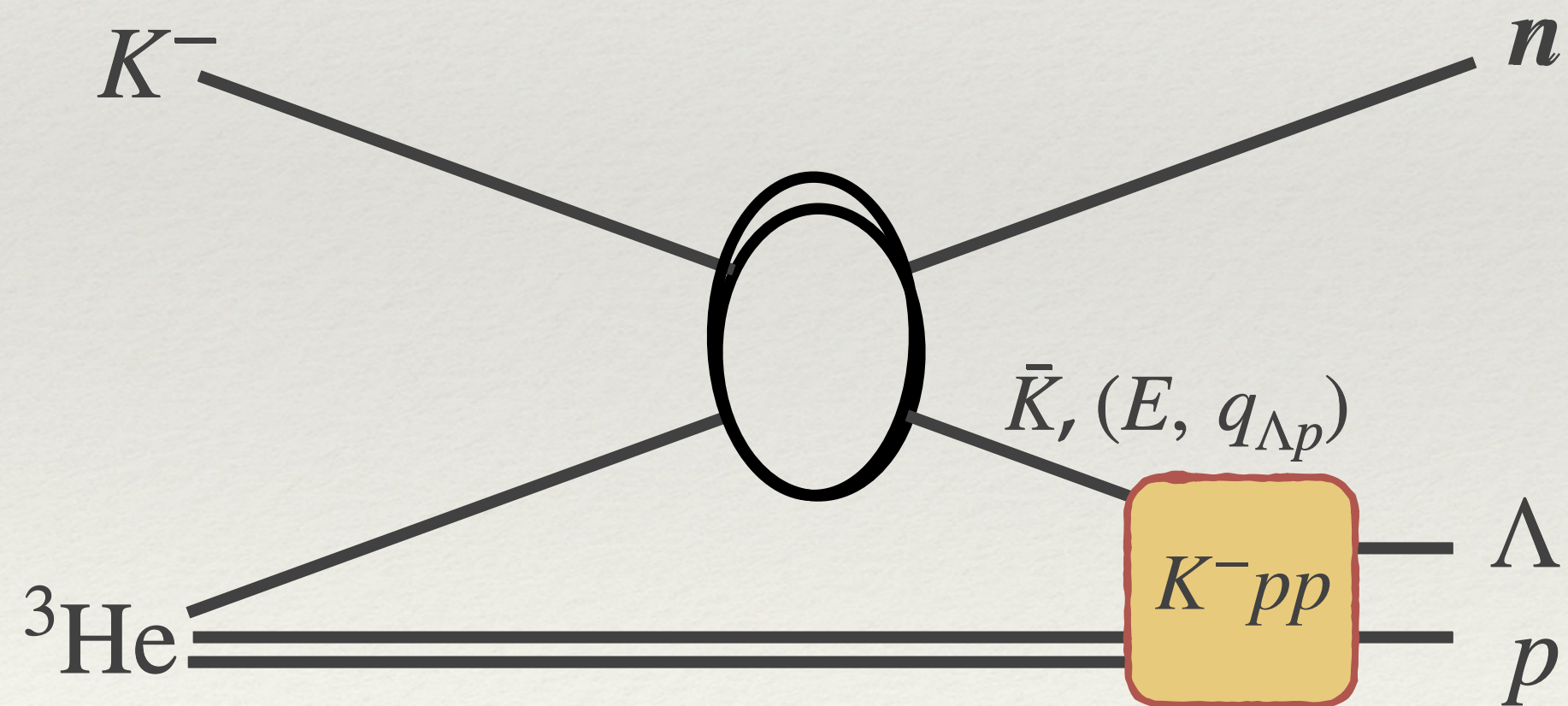
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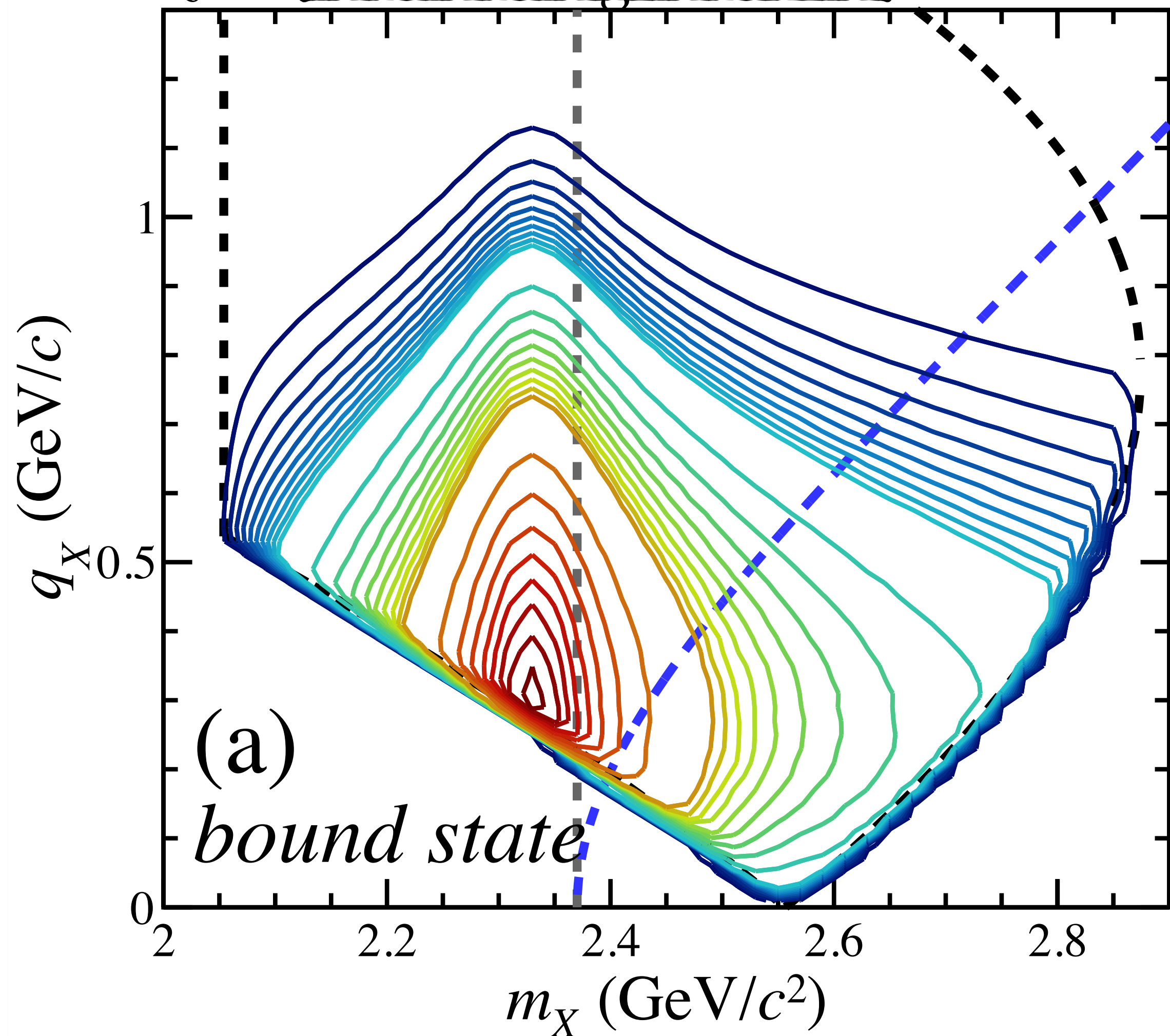


K^-pp production

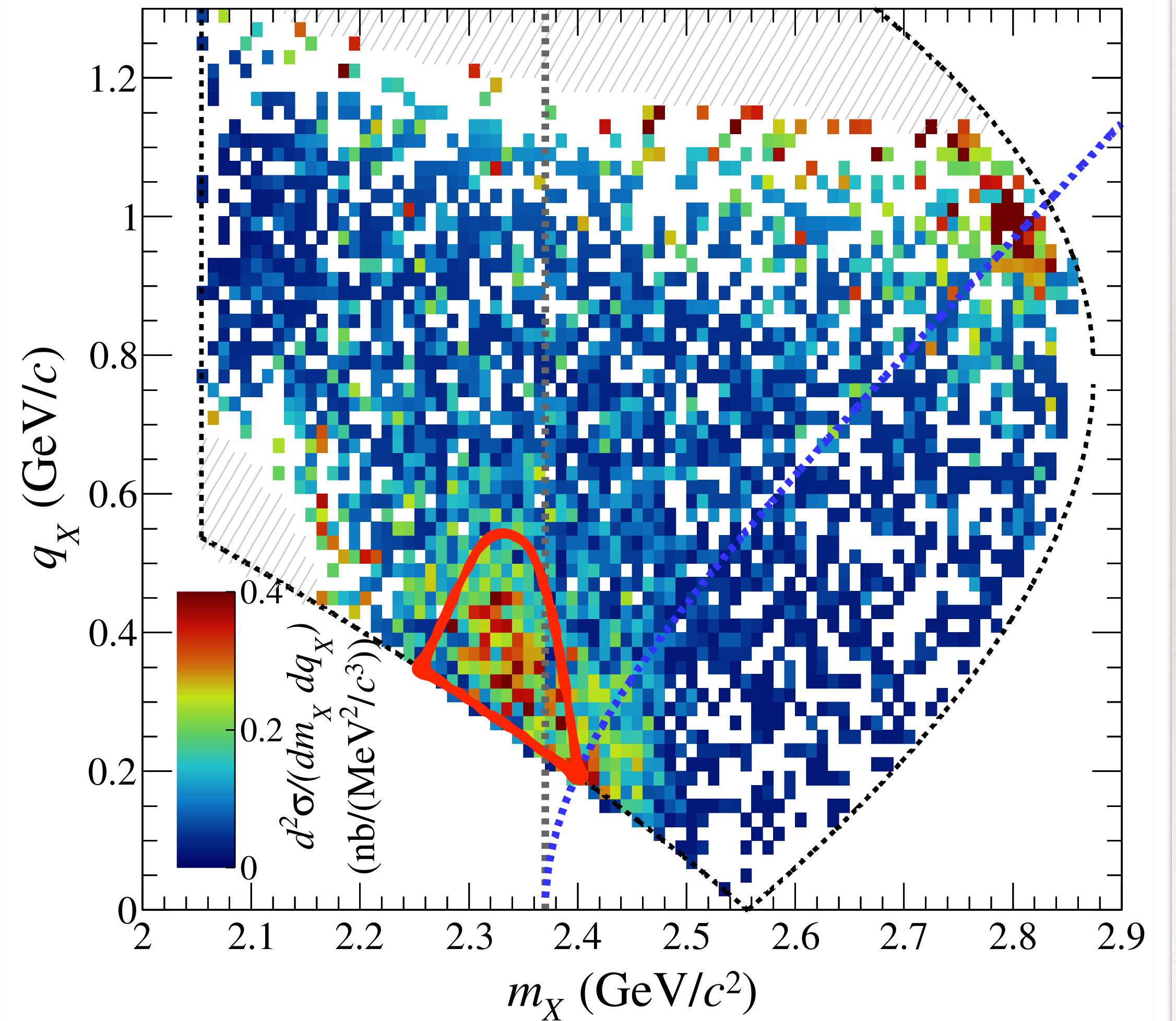


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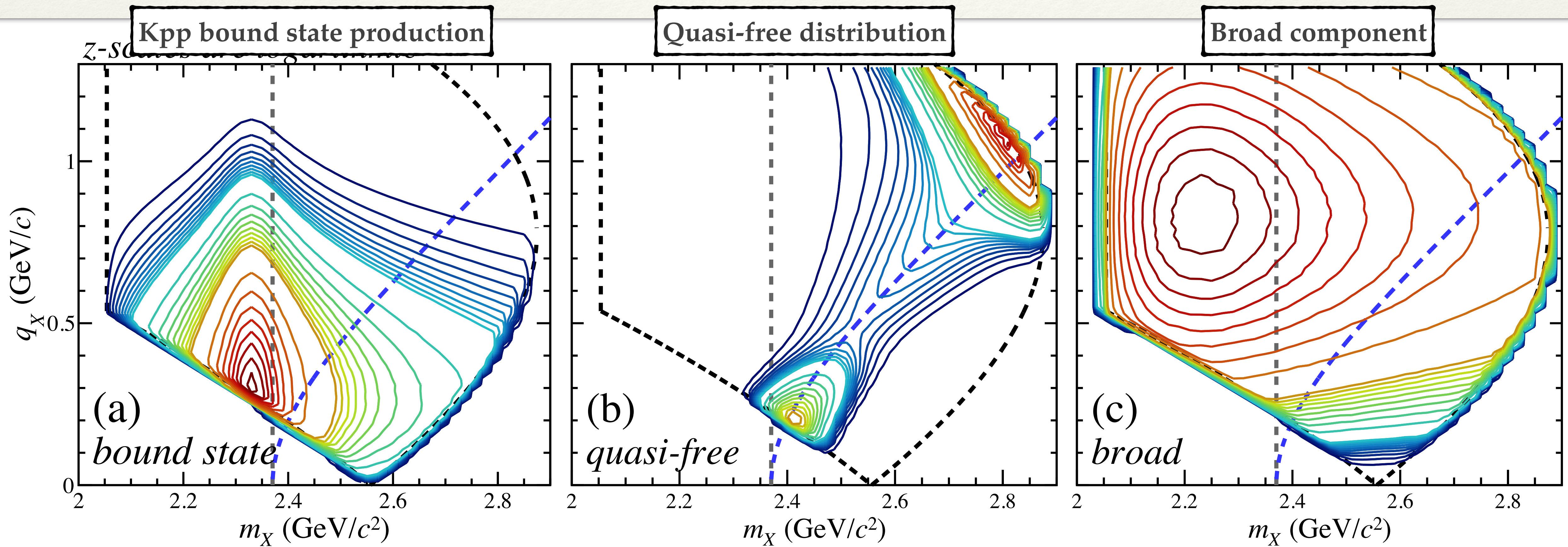
Kpp bound state production



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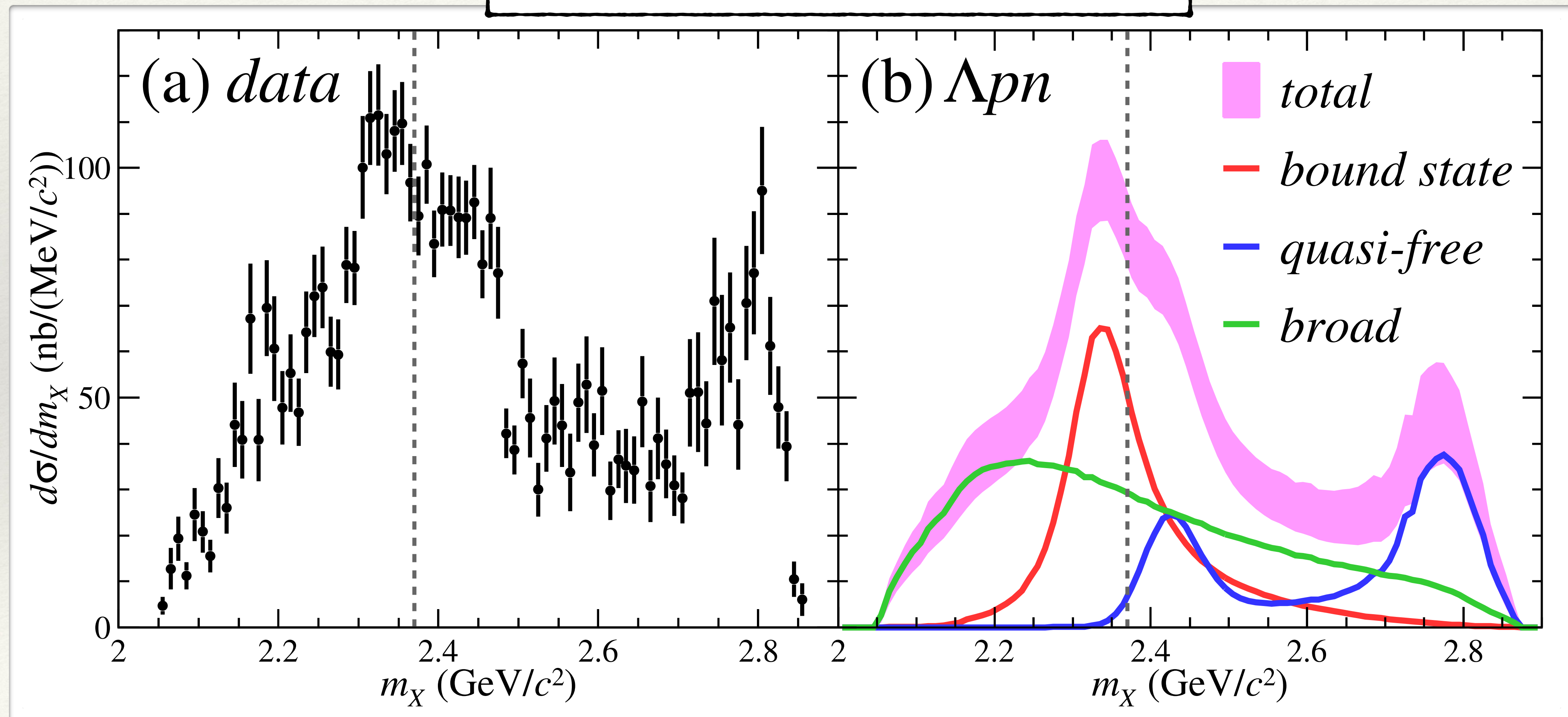


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Invariant distributions of data & fit functions



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Data purity

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Λpn final state $\sim 80\%$

Backgrounds

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$\Sigma^- pp$ final state $\sim 10\%$

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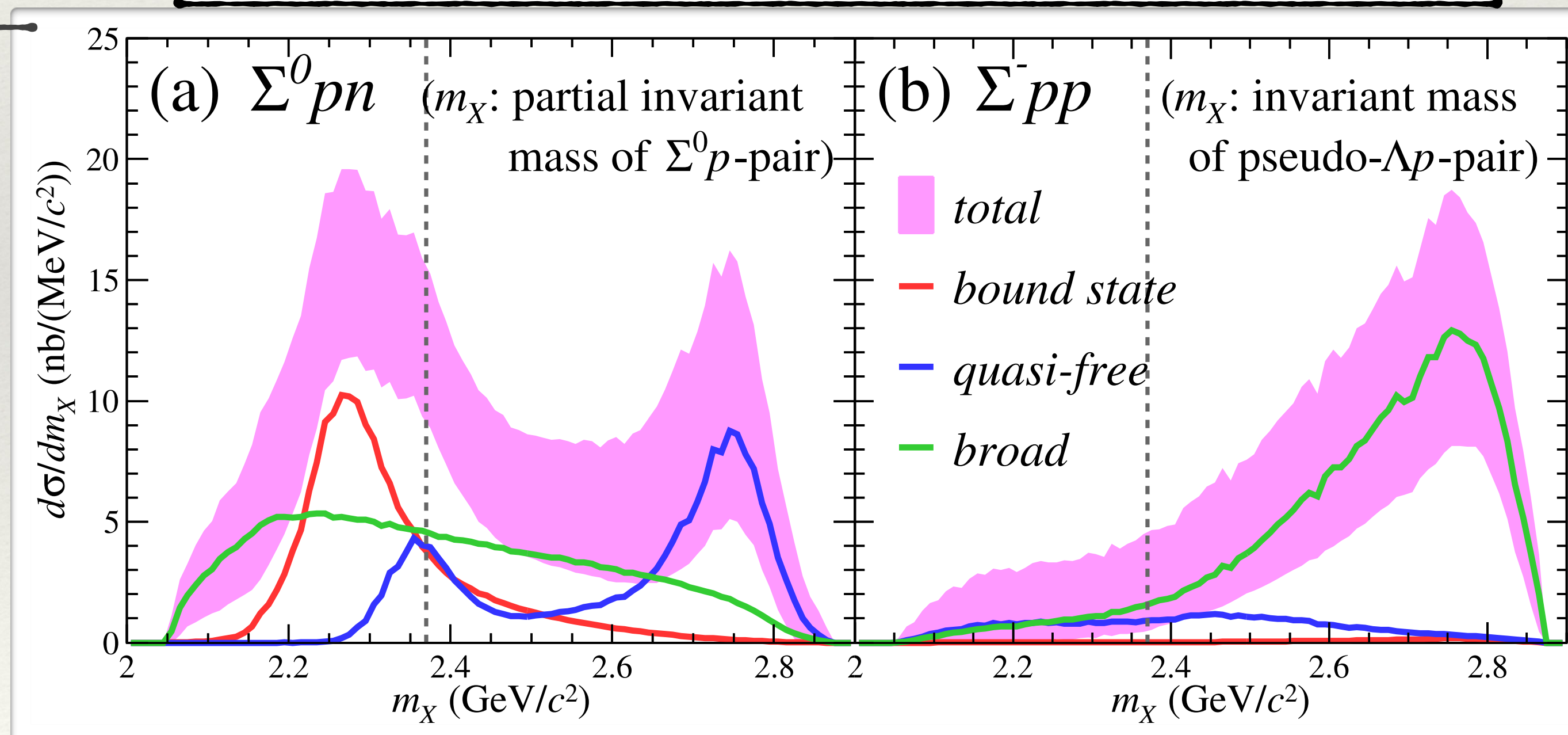
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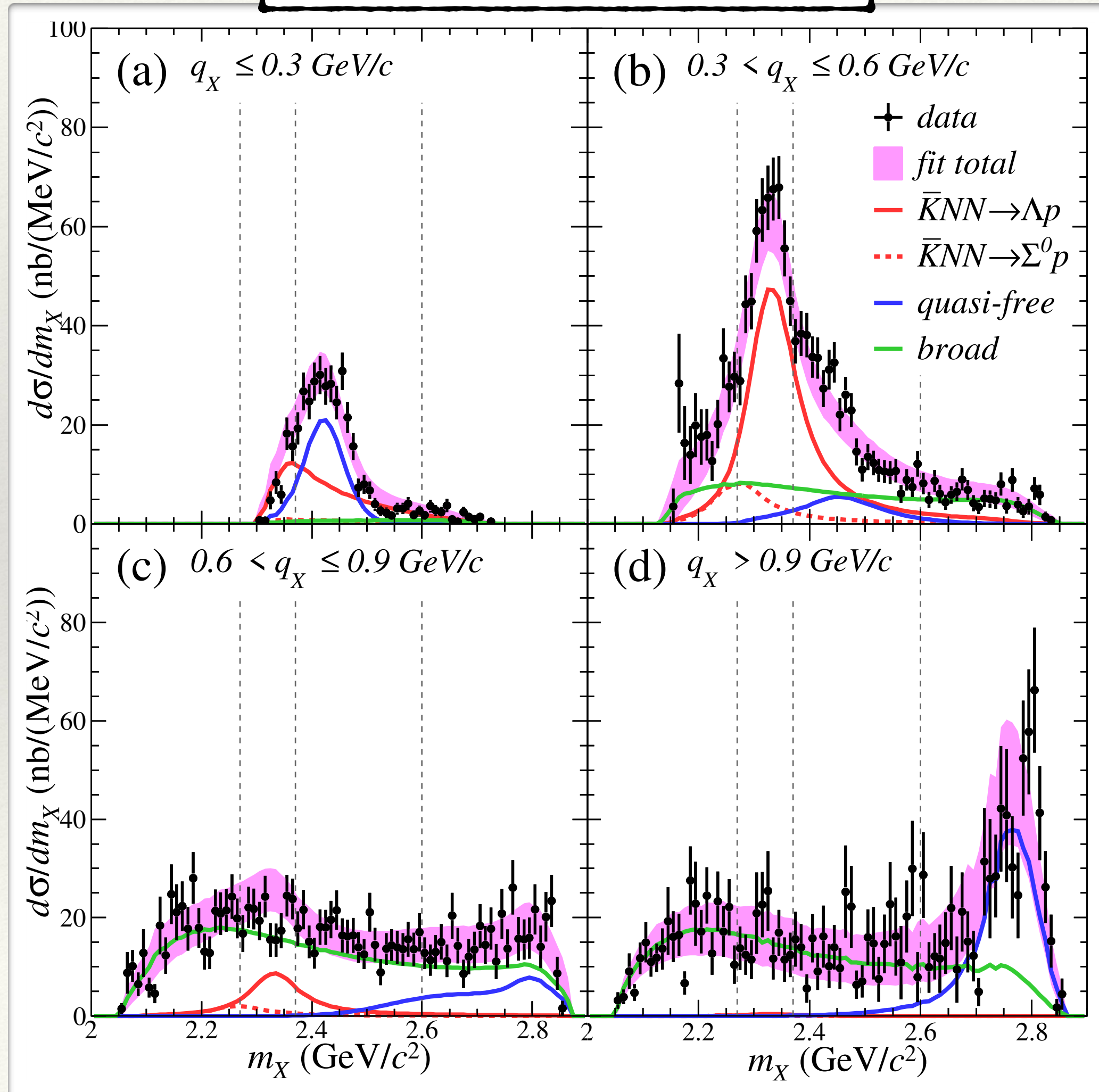
Assuming the same spectral functions

Invariant mass distributions of $\Sigma^0 pn$ & $\Sigma^- pp$ backgrounds

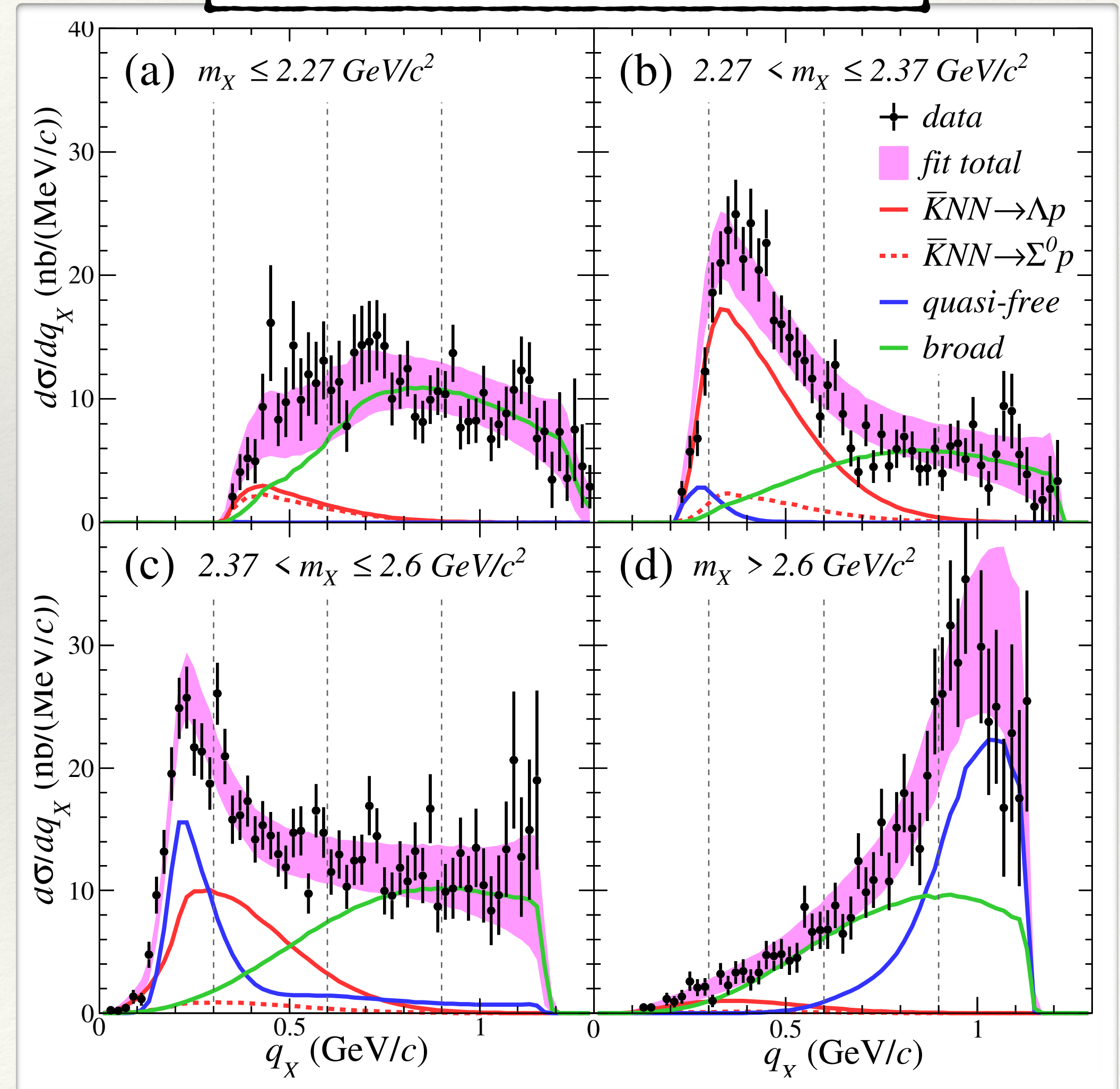


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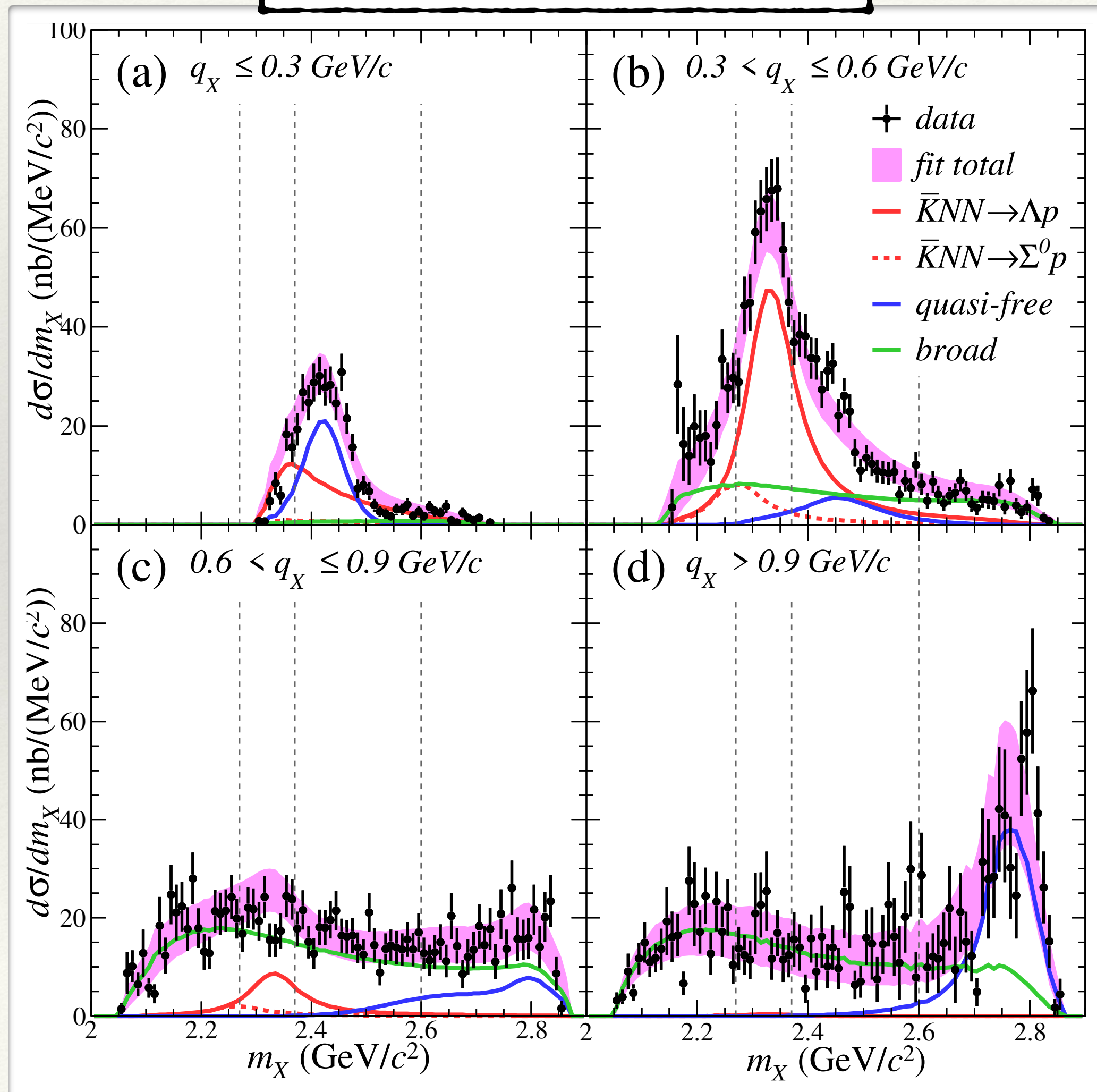


Momentum transfer distributions

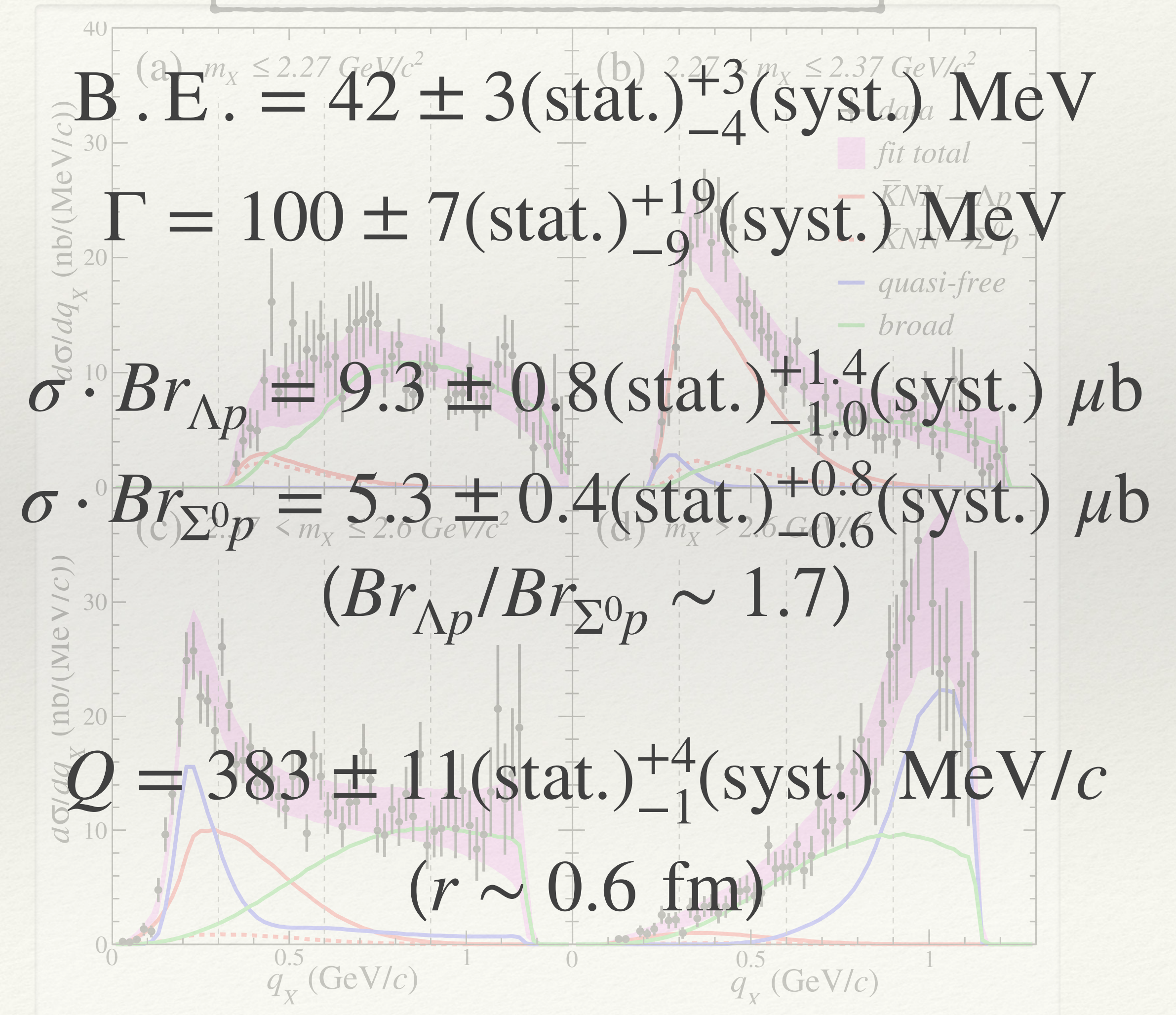


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Invariant mass distributions



Momentum transfer distributions



Result of E15

E15 result

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

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

$$\sigma \cdot Br_{\Lambda p} = 9.3 \pm 0.8(\text{stat.})_{-1.0}^{+1.4}(\text{syst.}) \mu\text{b}$$

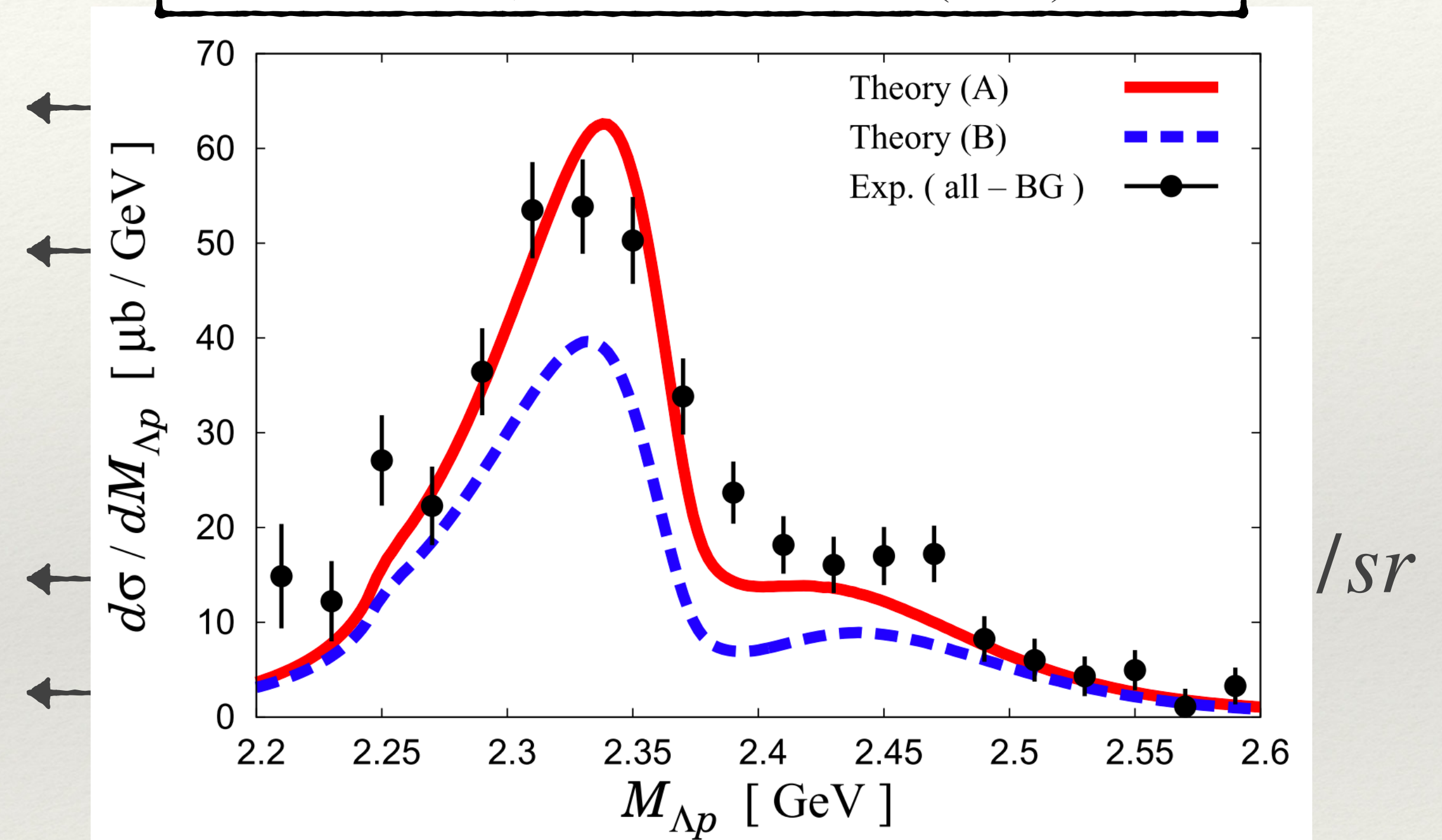
$$\sigma \cdot Br_{\Sigma^0 p} = 5.3 \pm 0.4(\text{stat.})_{-0.6}^{+0.8}(\text{syst.}) \mu\text{b}$$

$$(Br_{\Lambda p} / Br_{\Sigma^0 p} \sim 1.7)$$

$$Q = 383 \pm 11(\text{stat.})_{-1}^{+4}(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}/c$$

$$(r \sim 0.6 \text{ fm})$$

T. Sekihara et al., JPS Conf. Proc. **26** (2019) 023009

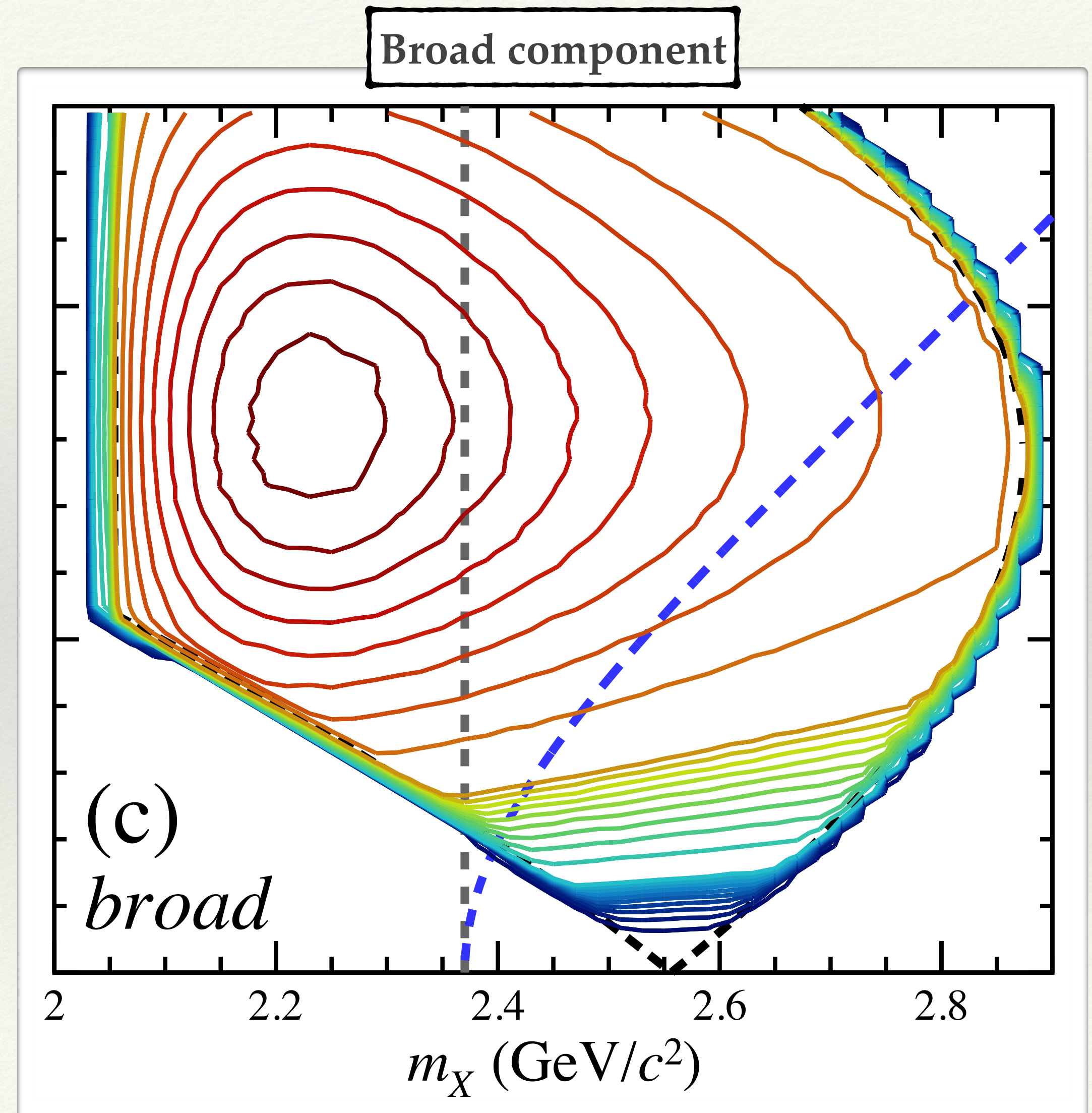
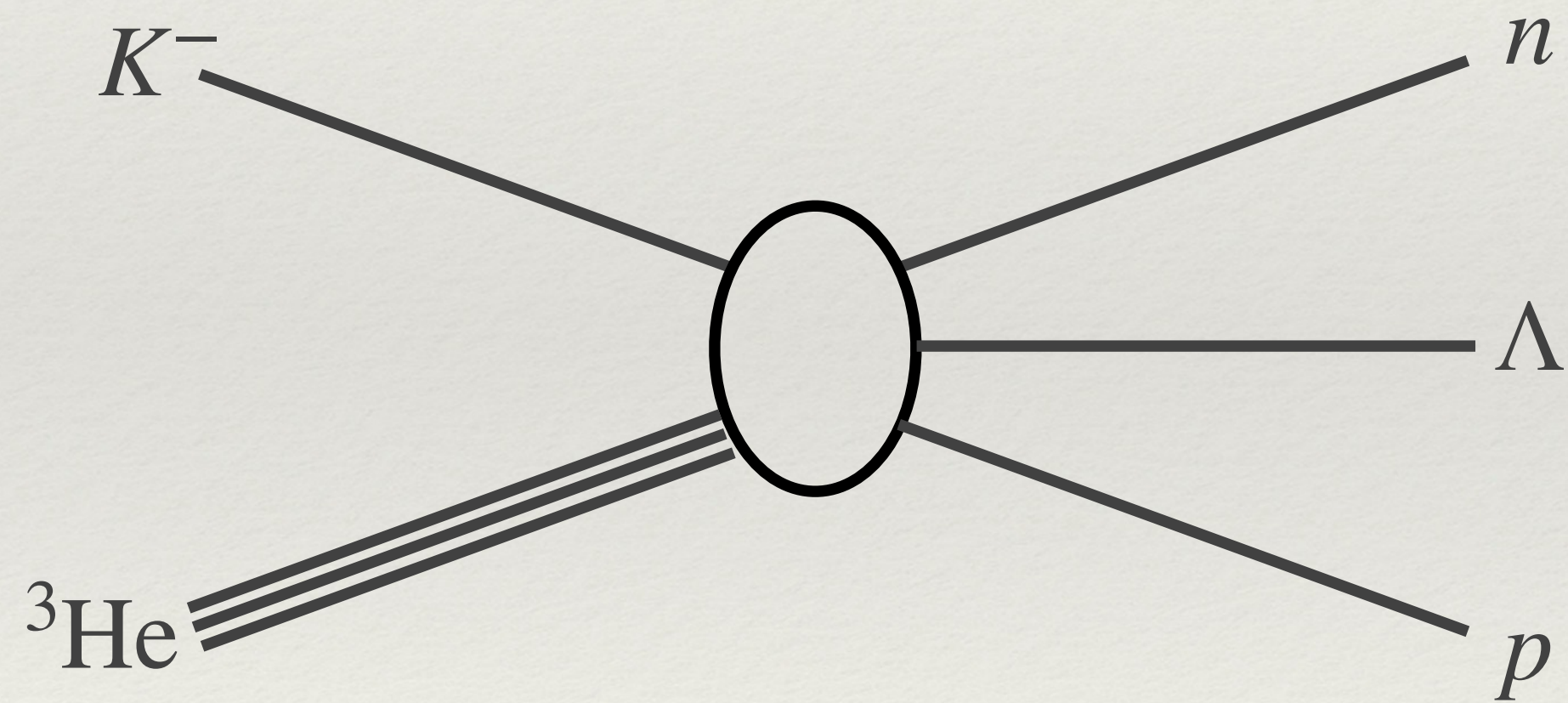


Large difference between E15 & E27.
Good agreement with theoretical calc.

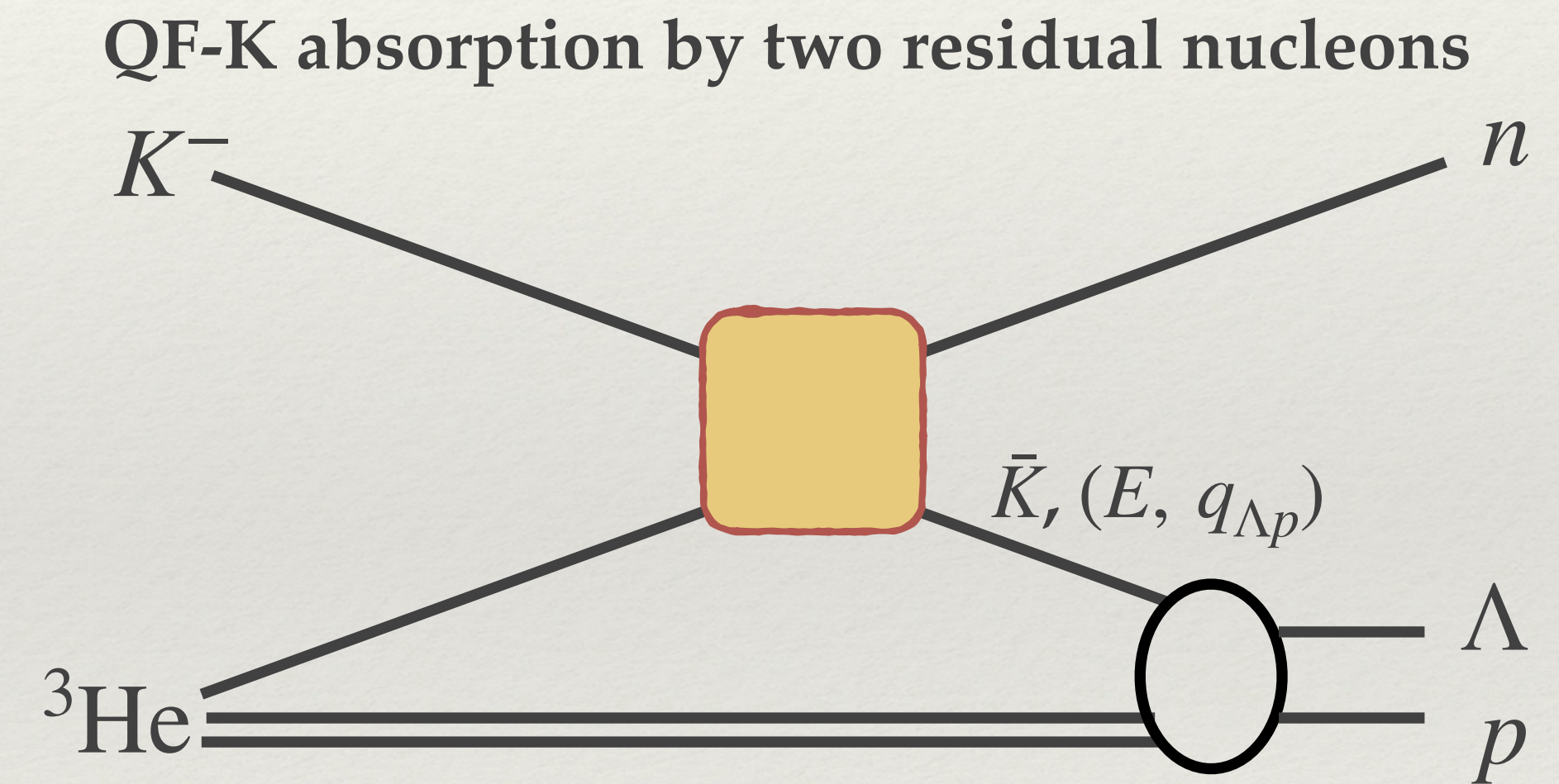
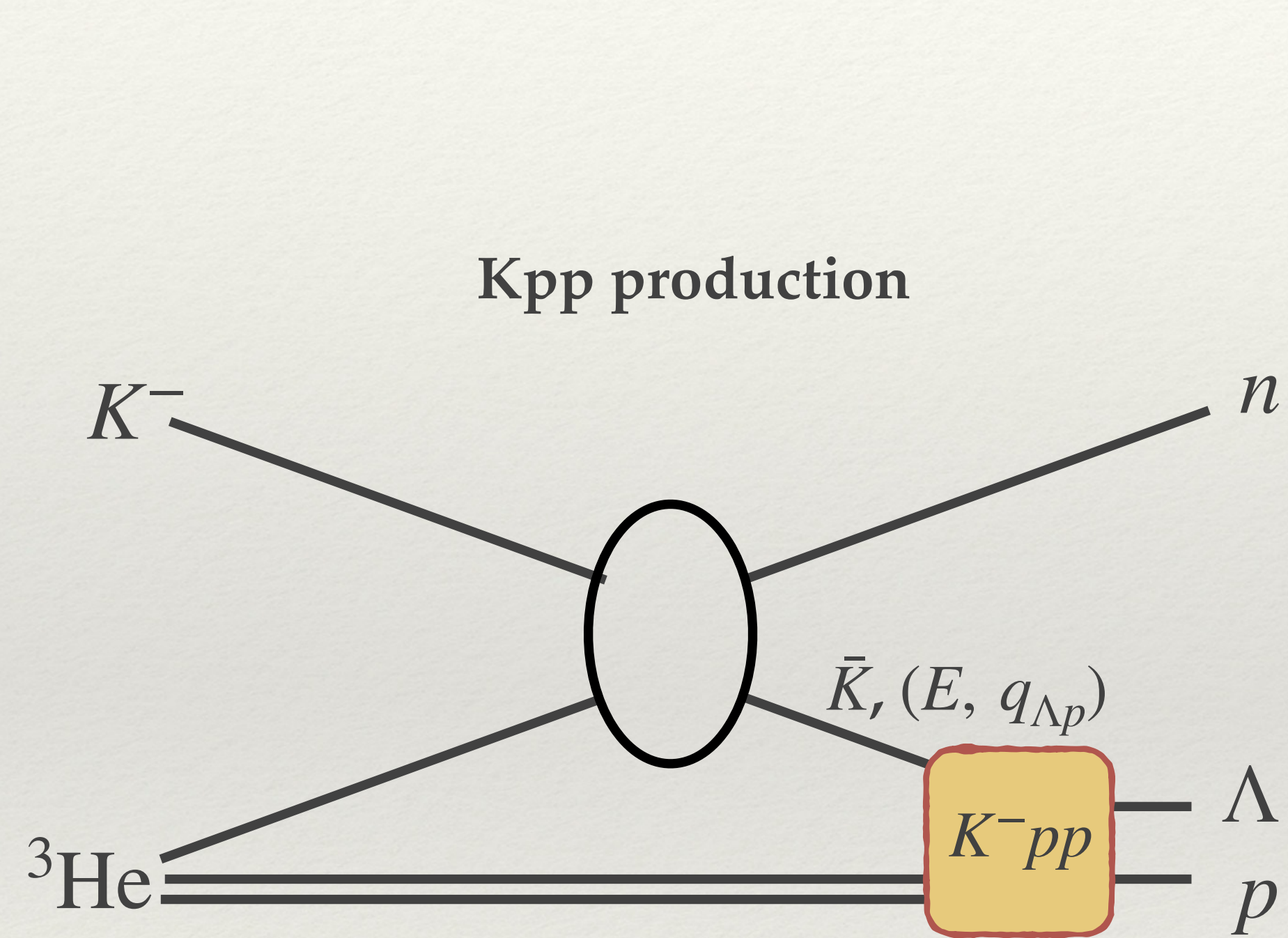
Different state?
Where is broad?

What is origin of broad component?

3NA-like process?

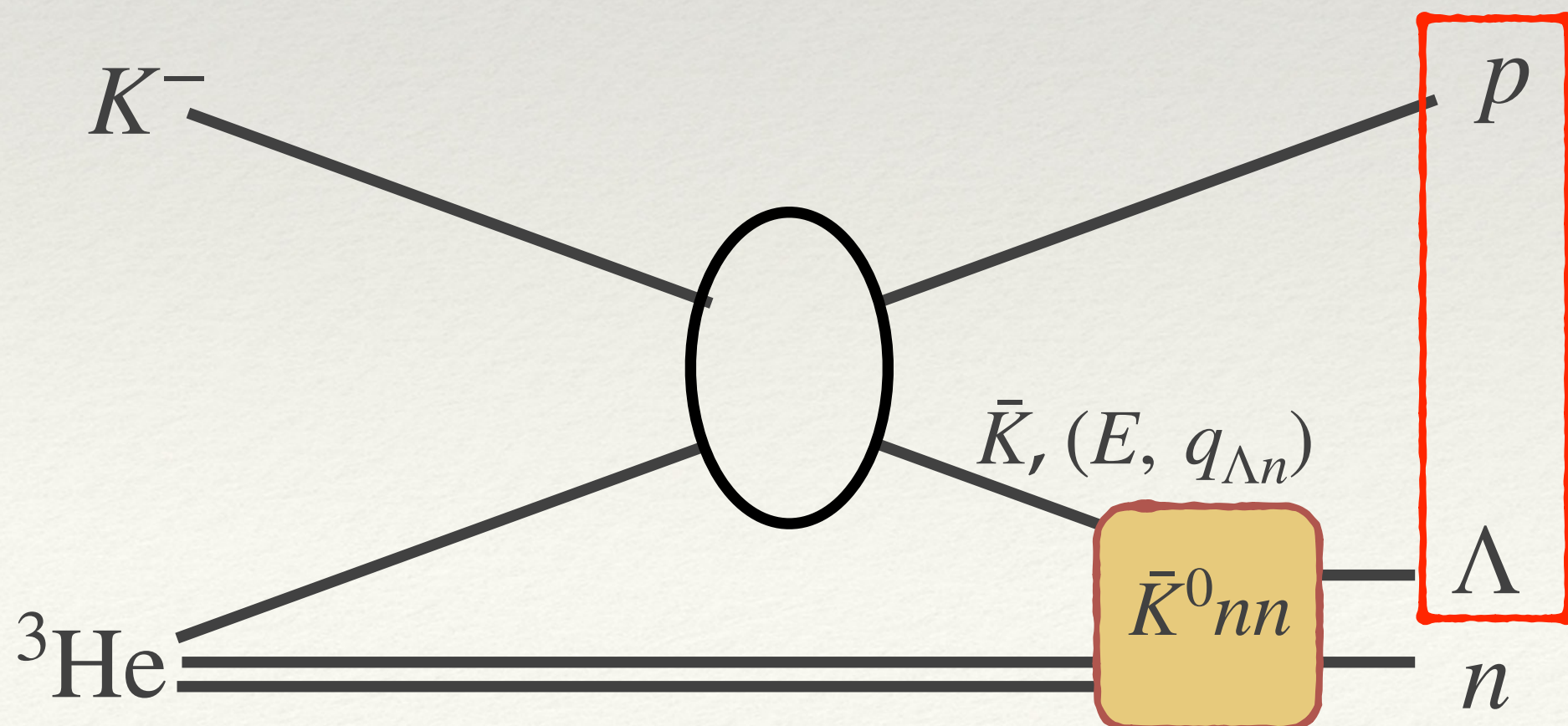
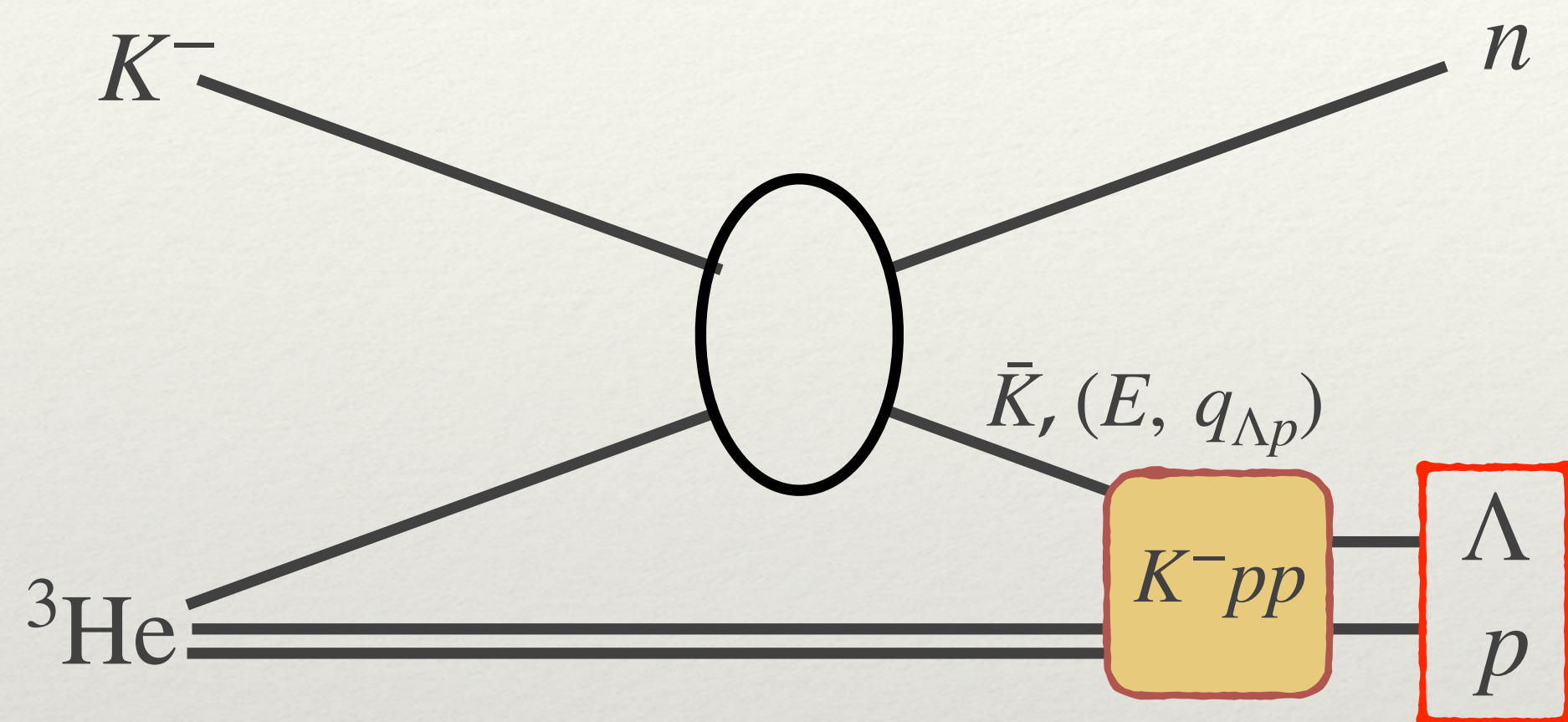


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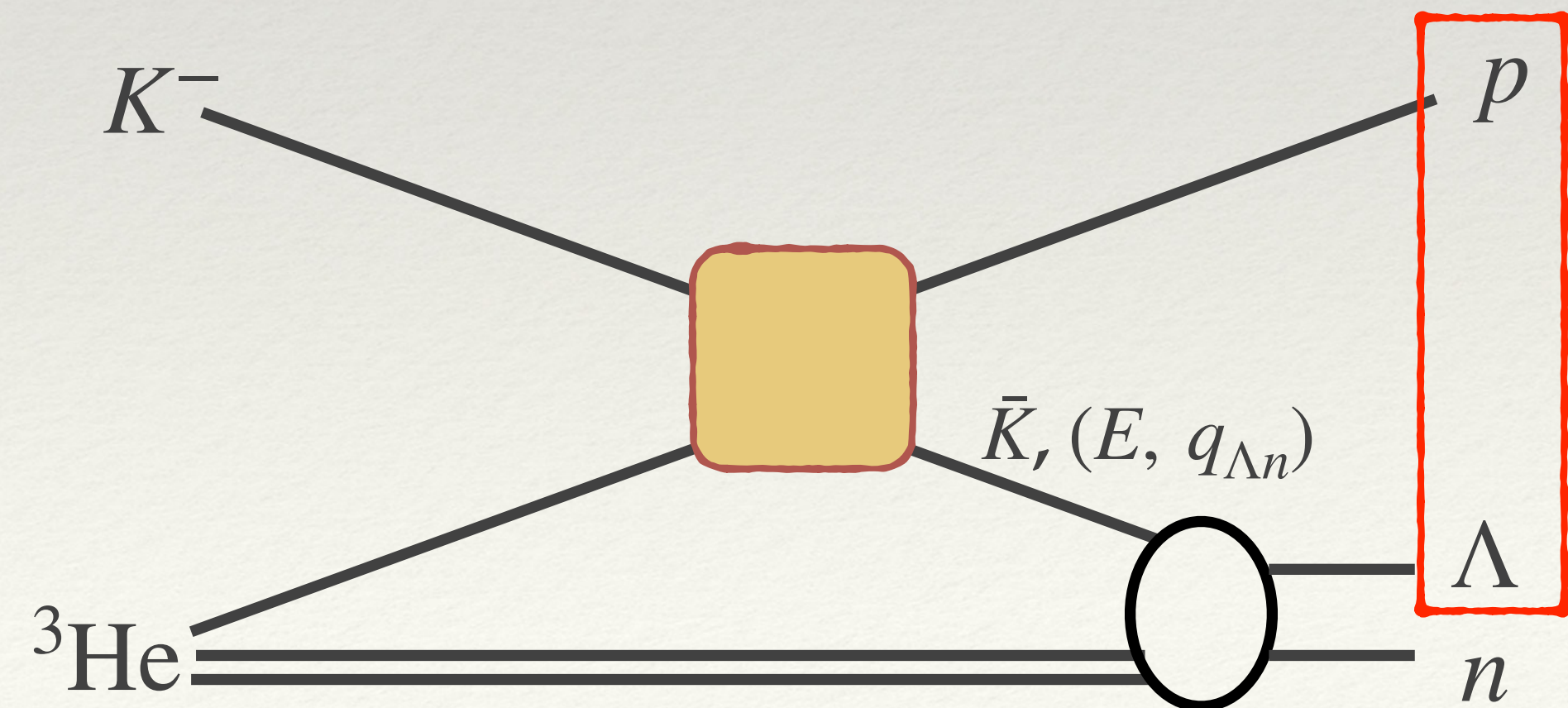
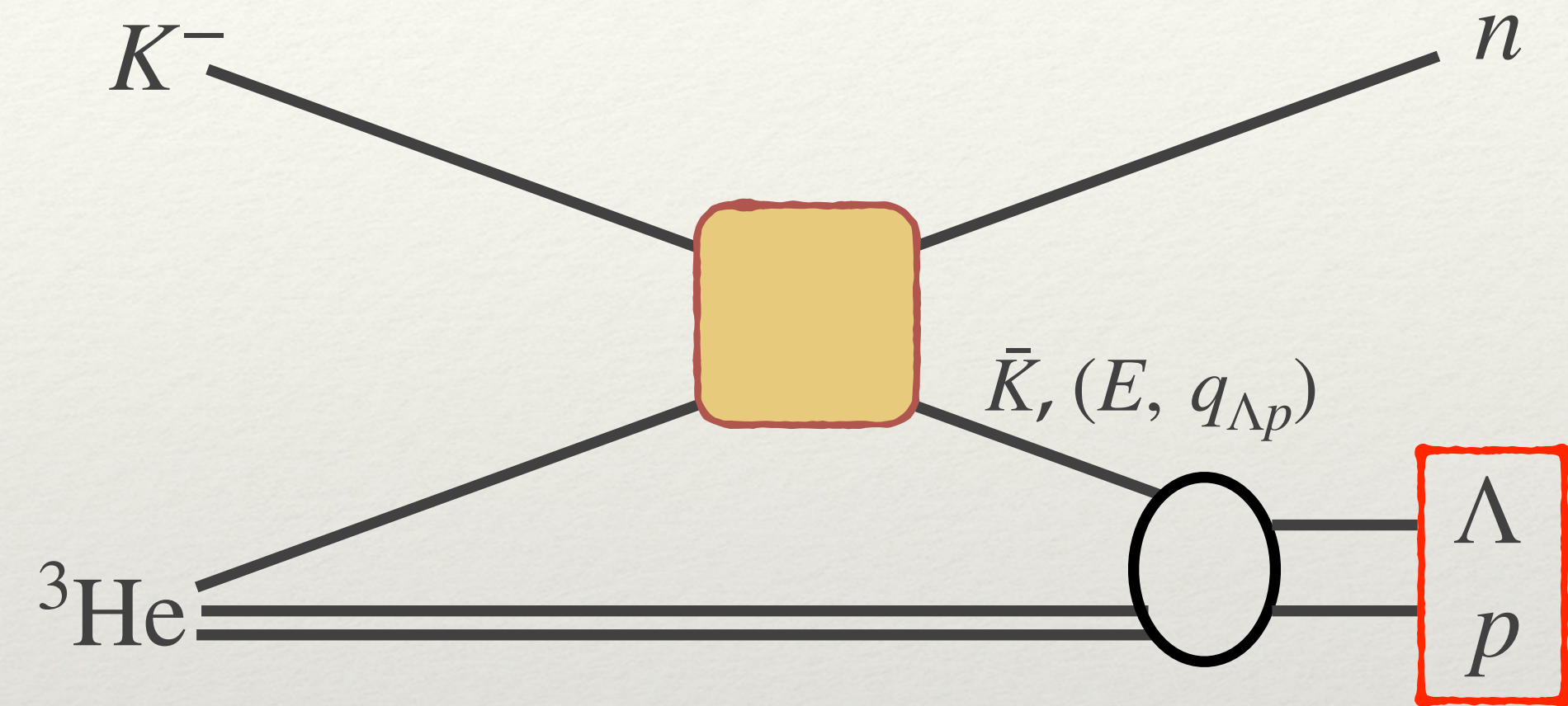


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Kpp production

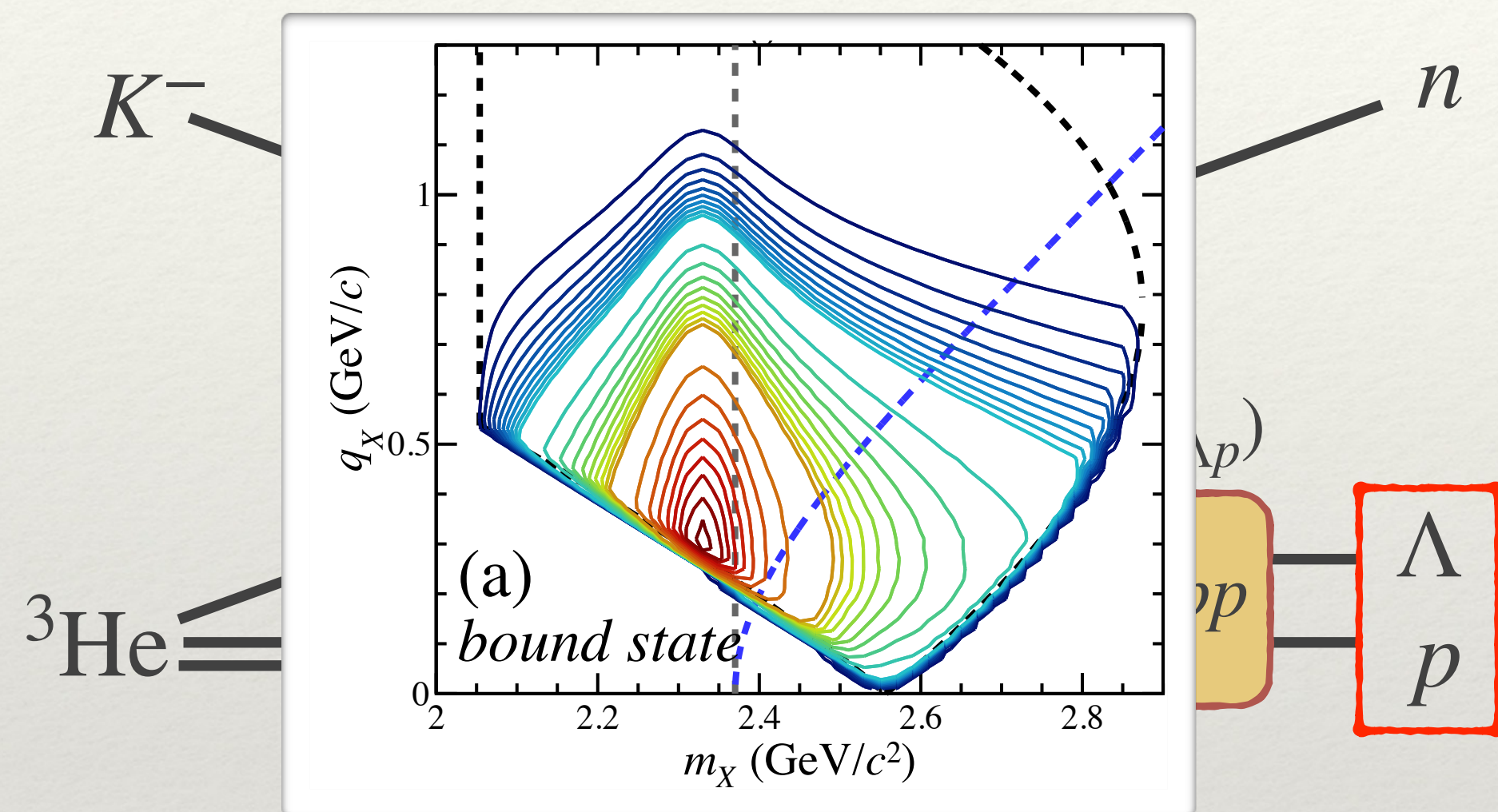


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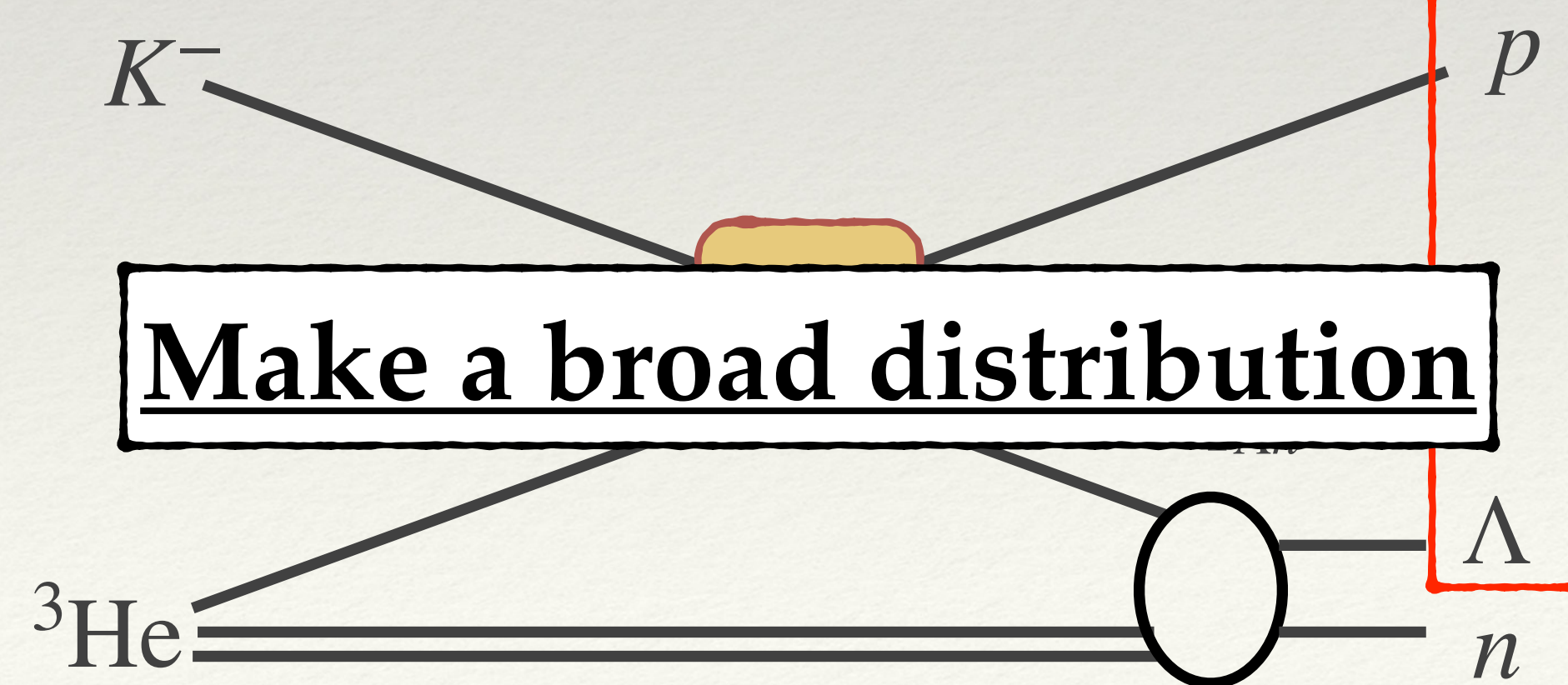
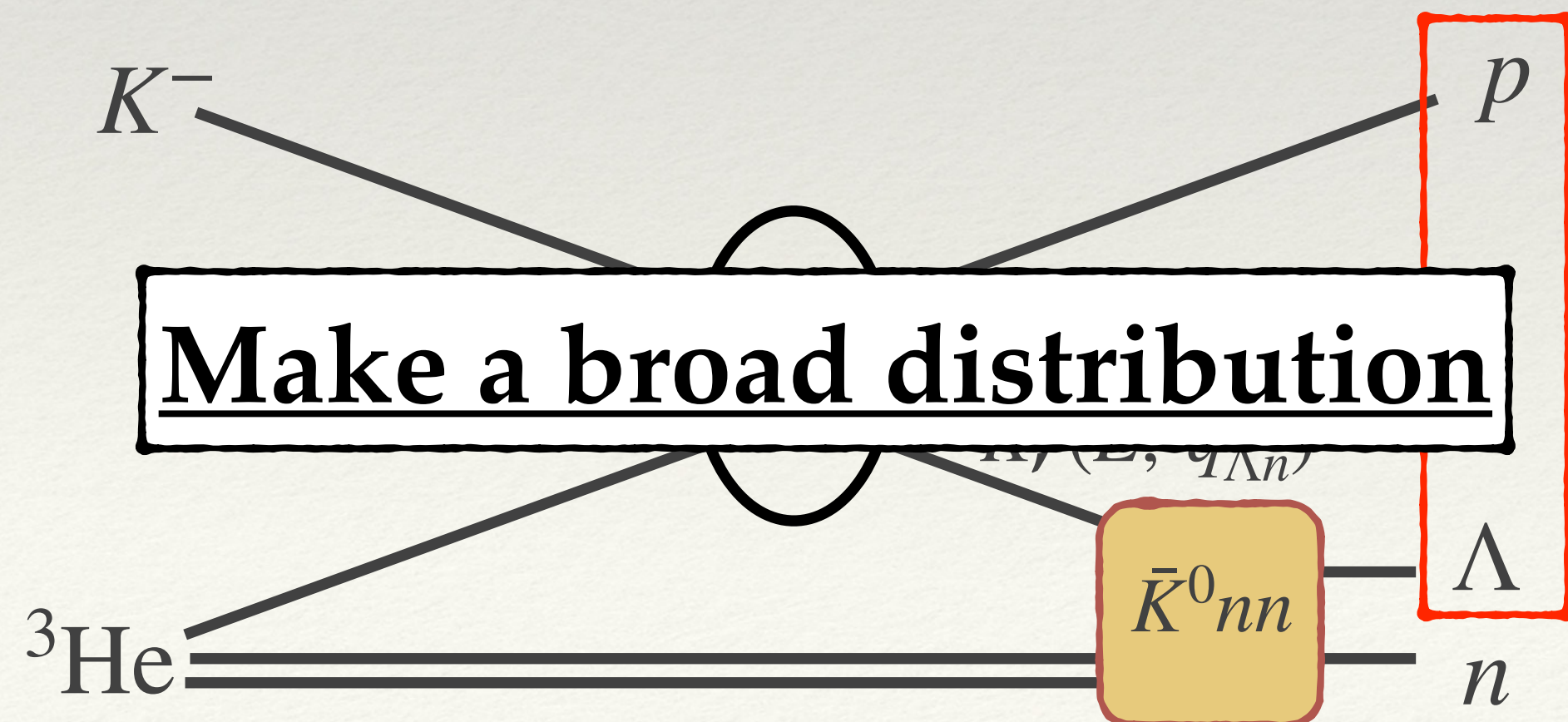
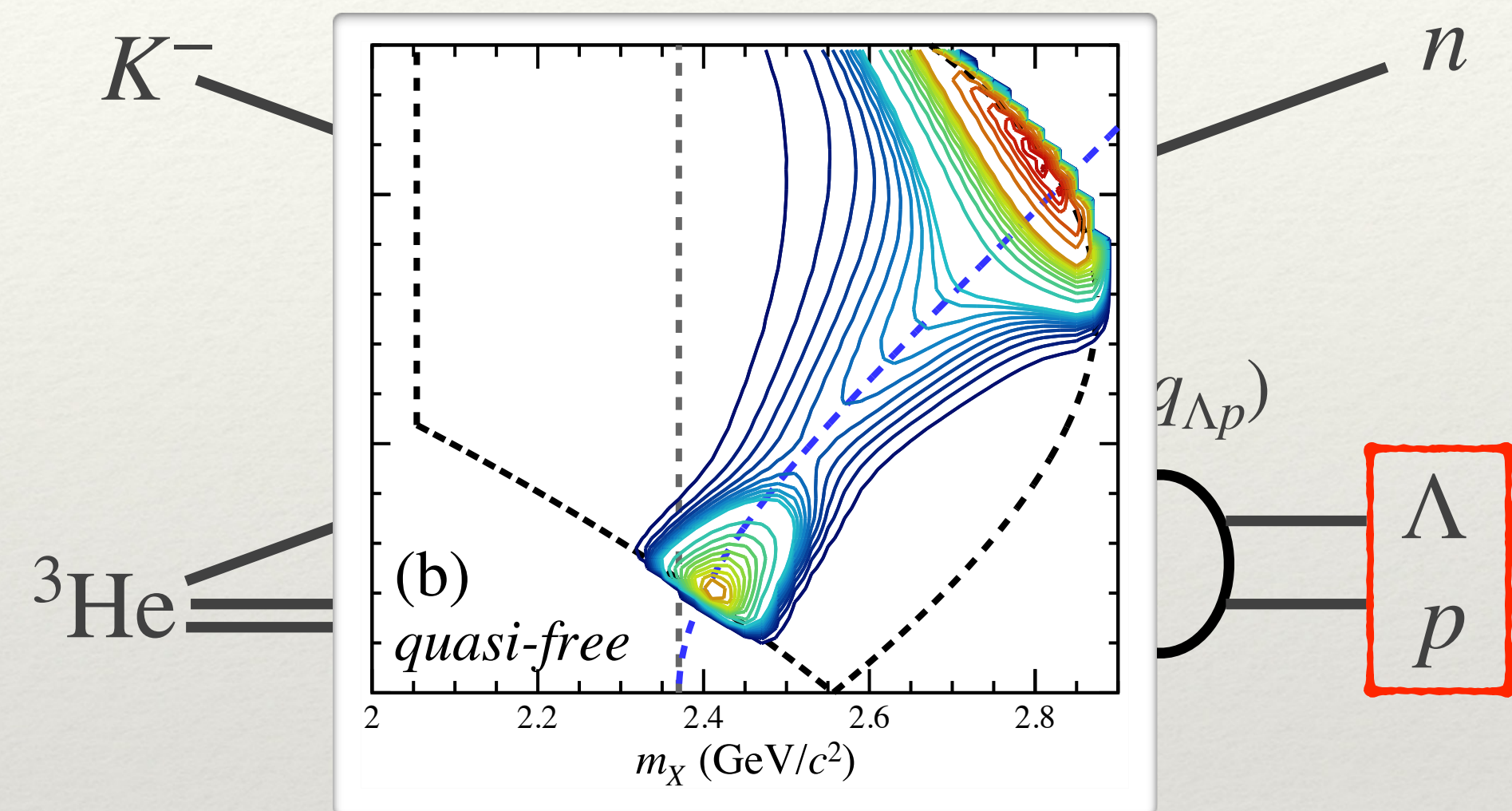


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Kpp production

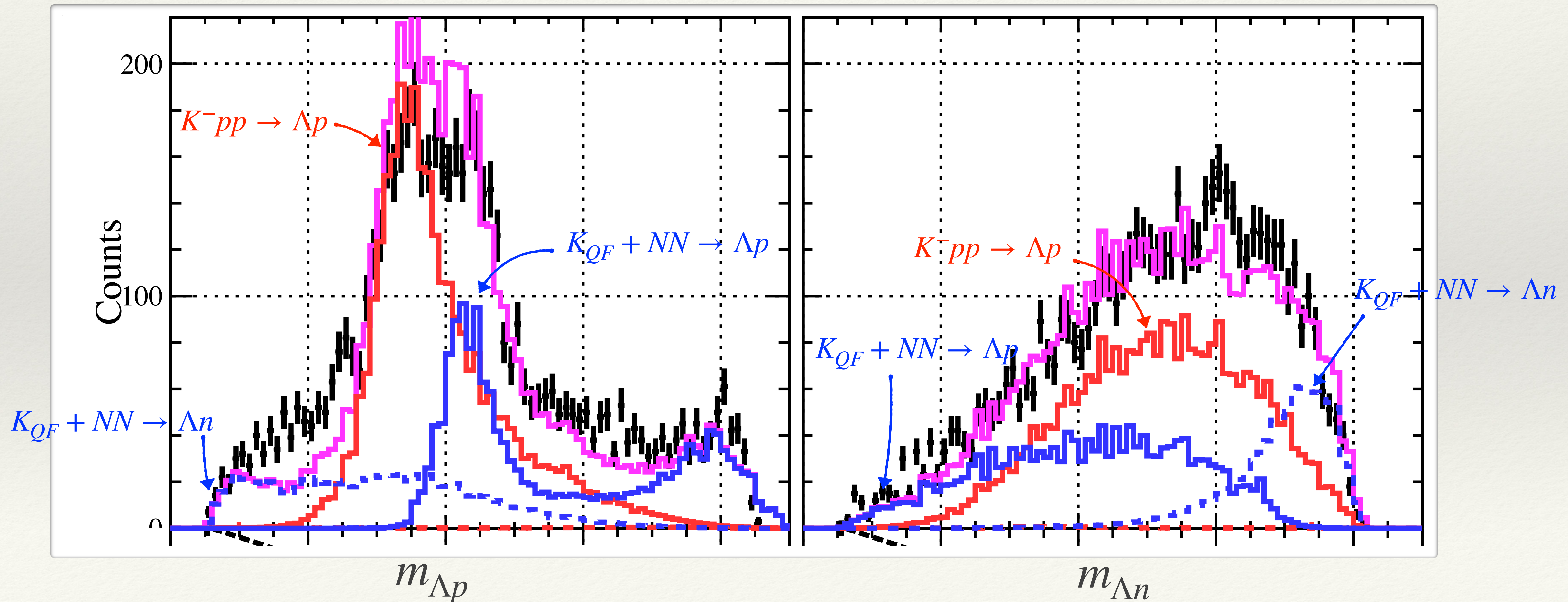


QF-K absorption by two residual nucleons



What is origin of broad component?

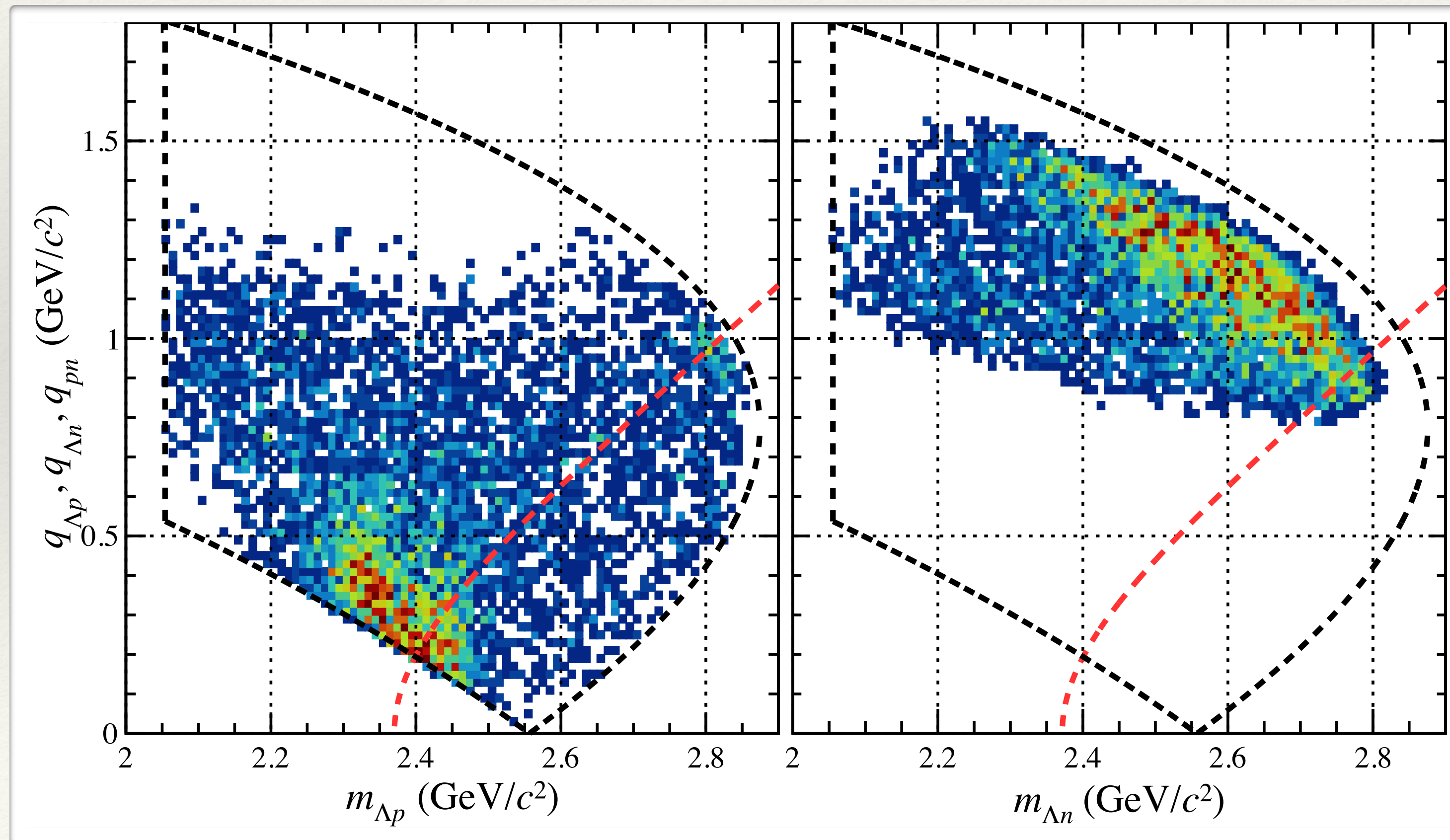
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What is origin of broad component?

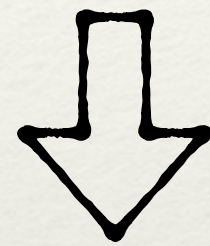
Acceptances are much different between Λp & Λn

Need additional measurement with larger acceptance



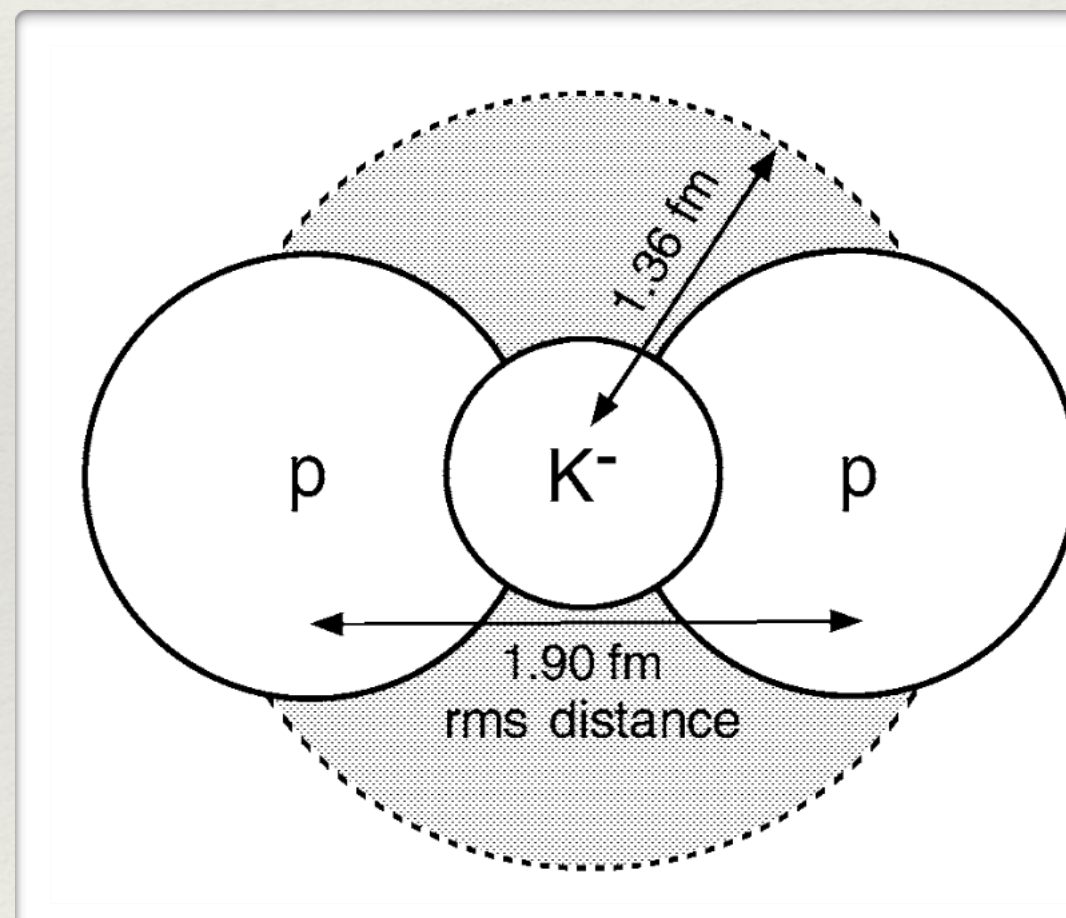
Size of K^-pp

$$Q = 383 \pm 11(\text{stat.})_{-1}^{+4}(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}/c$$



$r \sim 0.6 \text{ fm}$
Quite compact!

But, we need more discussions...
Theoretical calculation is very helpful.



S. Ohnishi et al., Phys. Rev. C **95** (2017) 065202

Model	Kyoto		AY
	Type I	Type II	
B (MeV)	27.9	26.1	48.7
Γ (MeV)	30.9	59.3	61.9
$\delta\sqrt{s}$ (MeV)	$-61.0 - i25.0$	$-30.2 - i23.7$	
P_{K^-}	0.65	0.65	0.64
$P_{\bar{K}^0}$	0.35	0.35	0.36
$\sqrt{\langle r_{NN}^2 \rangle}$ (fm)	2.16	2.07	1.84
$\sqrt{\langle r_{\bar{K}N}^2 \rangle}$ (fm)	1.80	1.73	1.55
$\sqrt{\langle r_N^2 \rangle}$ (fm)	1.12	1.08	0.958
$\sqrt{\langle r_{\bar{K}}^2 \rangle}$ (fm)	1.14	1.10	0.988
$\langle T \rangle_G^{K^-}$ (MeV)	$117 + i28.8$	$124 + i53.1$	$102 + i31.4$
$\langle V \rangle_G^{K^-}$ (MeV)	$-113 - i33.7$	$-120 - i63.9$	$-102 - i47.0$
$\langle T \rangle_G^{\bar{K}^0}$ (MeV)	$74.3 + i18.4$	$76.3 + i33.1$	$63.1 + i15.5$
$\langle V \rangle_G^{\bar{K}^0}$ (MeV)	$-62.0 - i19.1$	$-64.3 - i35.6$	$-48.6 - i21.6$
$2\langle V \rangle_G^{K^- \bar{K}^0}$ (MeV)	$-44.1 - i9.76$	$-41.9 - i16.4$	$-64.0 - i9.24$
$P_{\bar{K}N}^{l=0}$	0.72	0.73	0.73
$P_{\bar{K}N}^{l=1}$	0.28	0.27	0.27

T. Yamazaki and Y. Akaishi, Phys. Lett. B. **535** (2002) 70.

Additional experiment is desired to understand the internal structure.

Future plan

Remaining questions on K^-pp

- Does \bar{K}^0nn state exist?

- What is J^P of the observed K^-pp state?

- What is decay branch of other channels?

- Why is Γ_{K^-pp} so large? (about twice of theoretical expectations)
 - substructure?

- What is the origin of the broad distribution?
 - $\bar{K}_{QF} + NN \rightarrow \Lambda n$?

- What is the internal structure of K^-pp ?

- What is the size of K^-pp ?

Spin-parity of K^-pp

- What is J^P of the observed K^-pp state?

$$\bar{K} : J^P = 0^-, I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$N : J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+, I = \frac{1}{2}$$

Spin-parity of $\bar{K}NN$ ($I = 1/2$)

I_{NN}	S_{NN}	L_{NN}	$L_{\bar{K}}$	J^P
1	0	0	0	0^-
1	0	0	1	1^+
0	1	0	0	1^-
0	1	0	1	0^+

$I_{NN} = 0$ state is less bound

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Spin-parity of $\Lambda(1405)N$

S_{Λ^*N}	L_{Λ^*N}	J^P
0	0	0^-
0	1	1^+
1	0	1^-
1	1	0^+

$$\bar{K} : J^P = 0^-, I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$N : J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+, I = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Lambda^* : J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-, I = 0$$

Spin-parity of K^-pp

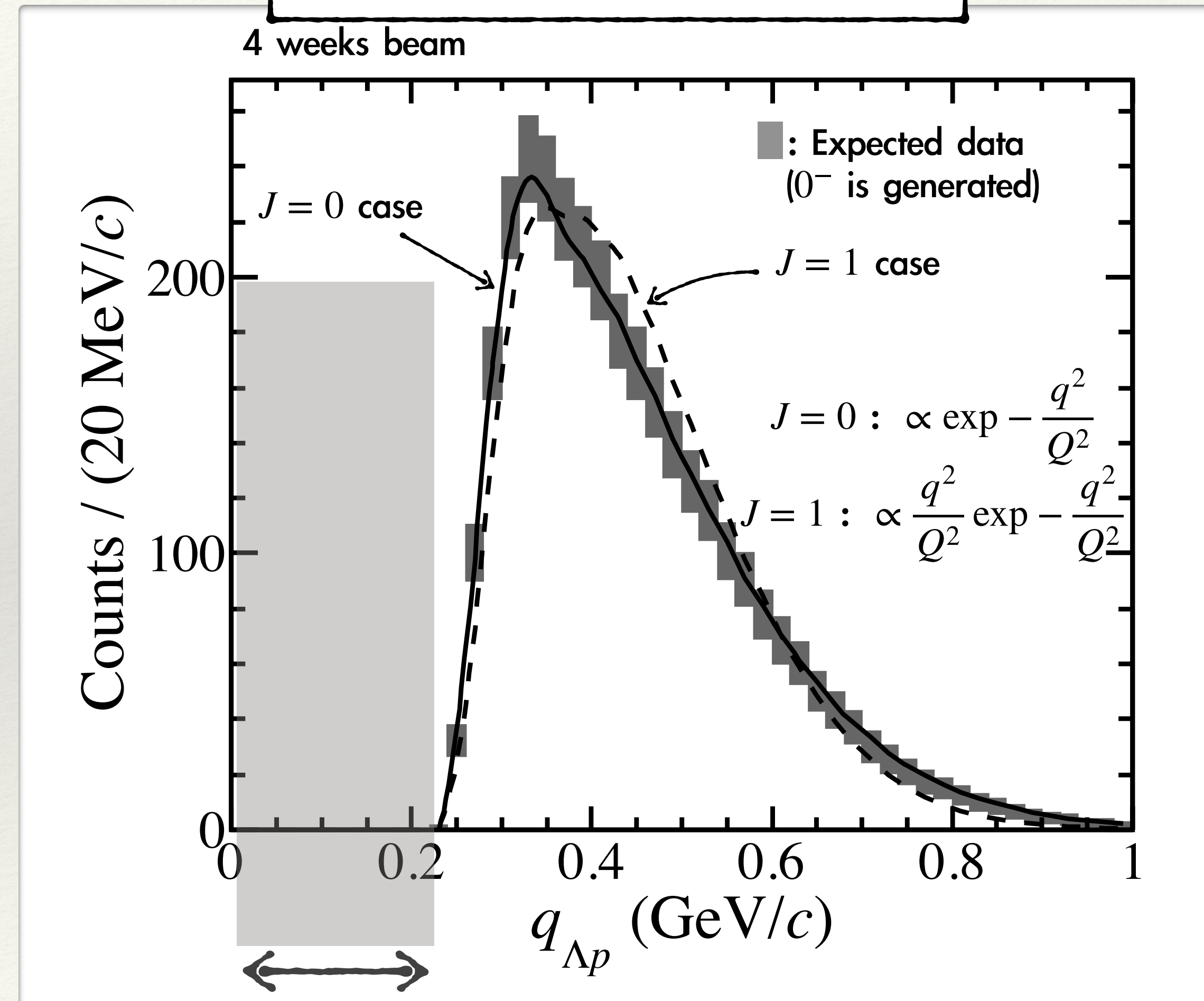
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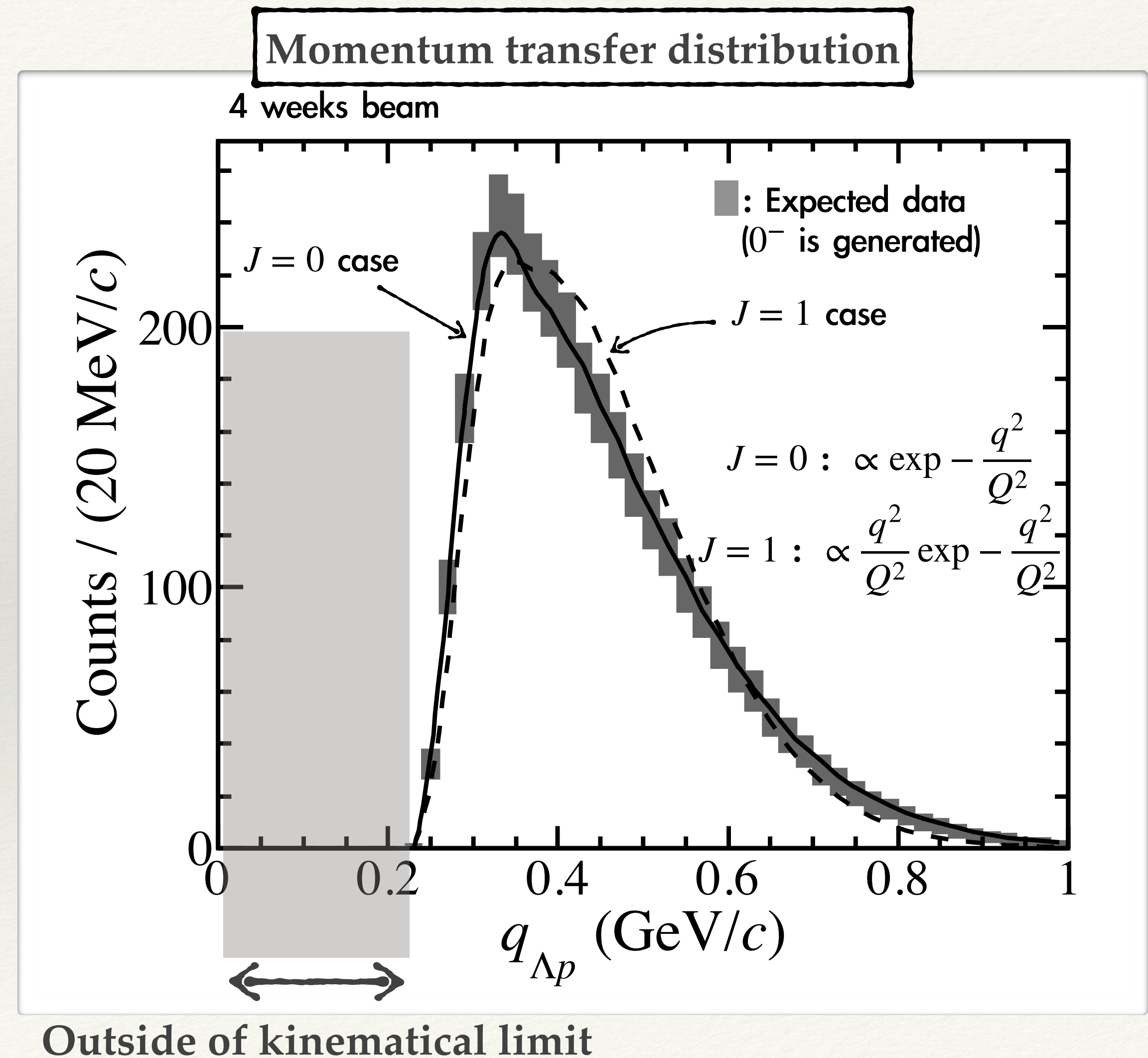
Momentum transfer distribution



Spin-parity of K^-pp

- ❖ Momentum transfer distribution has $J = 0 / 1$ information.
- ❖ However, very higher statistics is necessary to determine J .
- ❖ Because of kinematical limit
- ❖ No information on P is obtained.

Need statistics & additional measurement



Spin-parity of K^-pp

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Spin-spin correlation of Λp pair

P-wave decay

$$\begin{aligned}
 |0^-\rangle = & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1, +1\rangle_L \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p \quad \leftarrow \text{parallel} \\
 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |1, 0\rangle_L \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p \quad \leftarrow \text{anti-parallel} \\
 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} |1, 0\rangle_L \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p \quad \leftarrow \text{anti-parallel} \\
 & +\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} |1, -1\rangle_L \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p \quad \leftarrow \text{parallel}
 \end{aligned}$$

S-wave decay

$$|0^+\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(|0\rangle_L \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p - |0\rangle_L \left| -\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_\Lambda \left| +\frac{1}{2} \right\rangle_p \right)$$

anti-parallel

Spin-parity of K^-pp

Spin-parity of $\bar{K}NN$ ($I = 1/2$)

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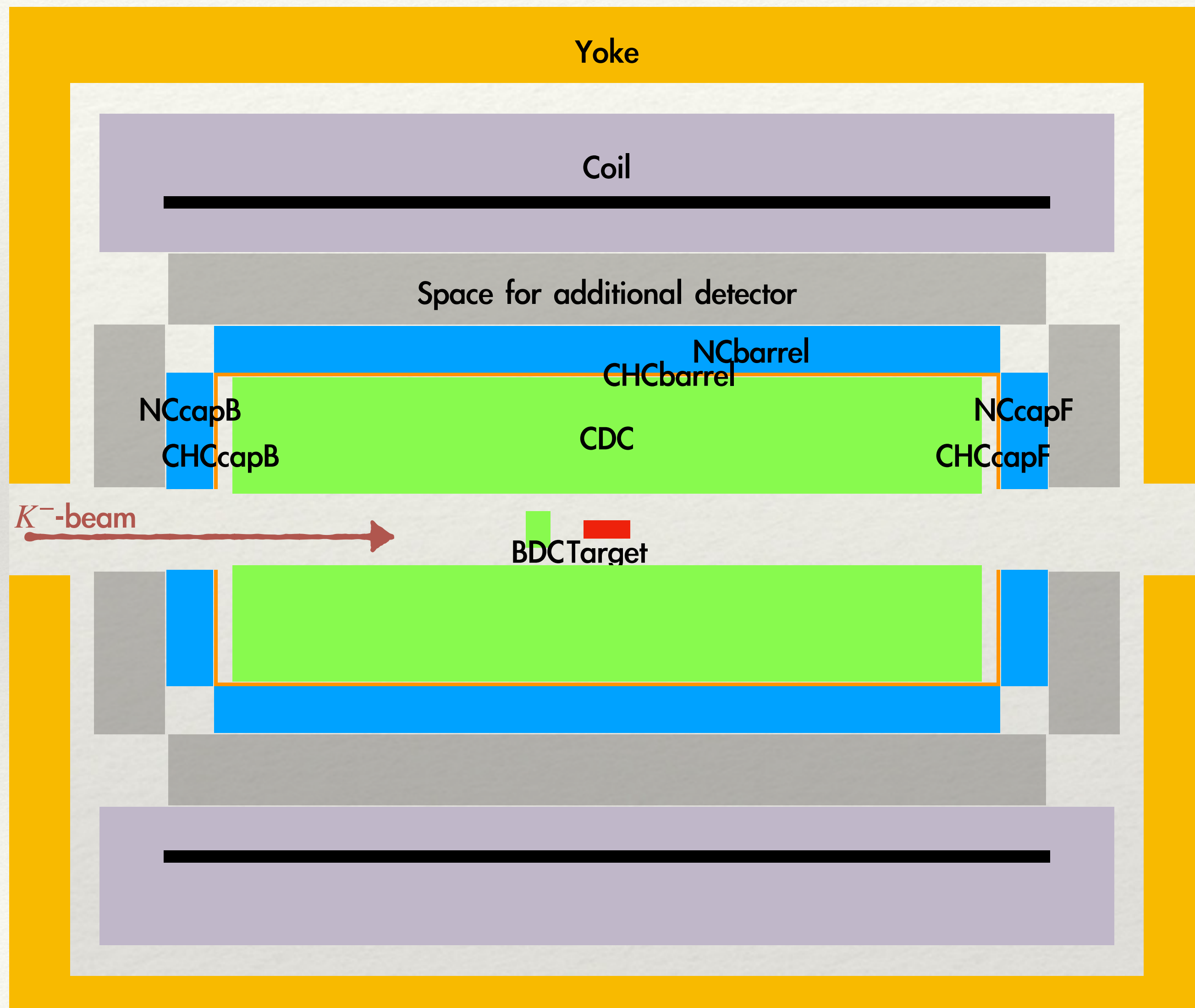
Spin-spin correlation of Λp pair

$\alpha_{\Lambda p}$
$+1/3$
$+1/3$
$-2/3$
-1

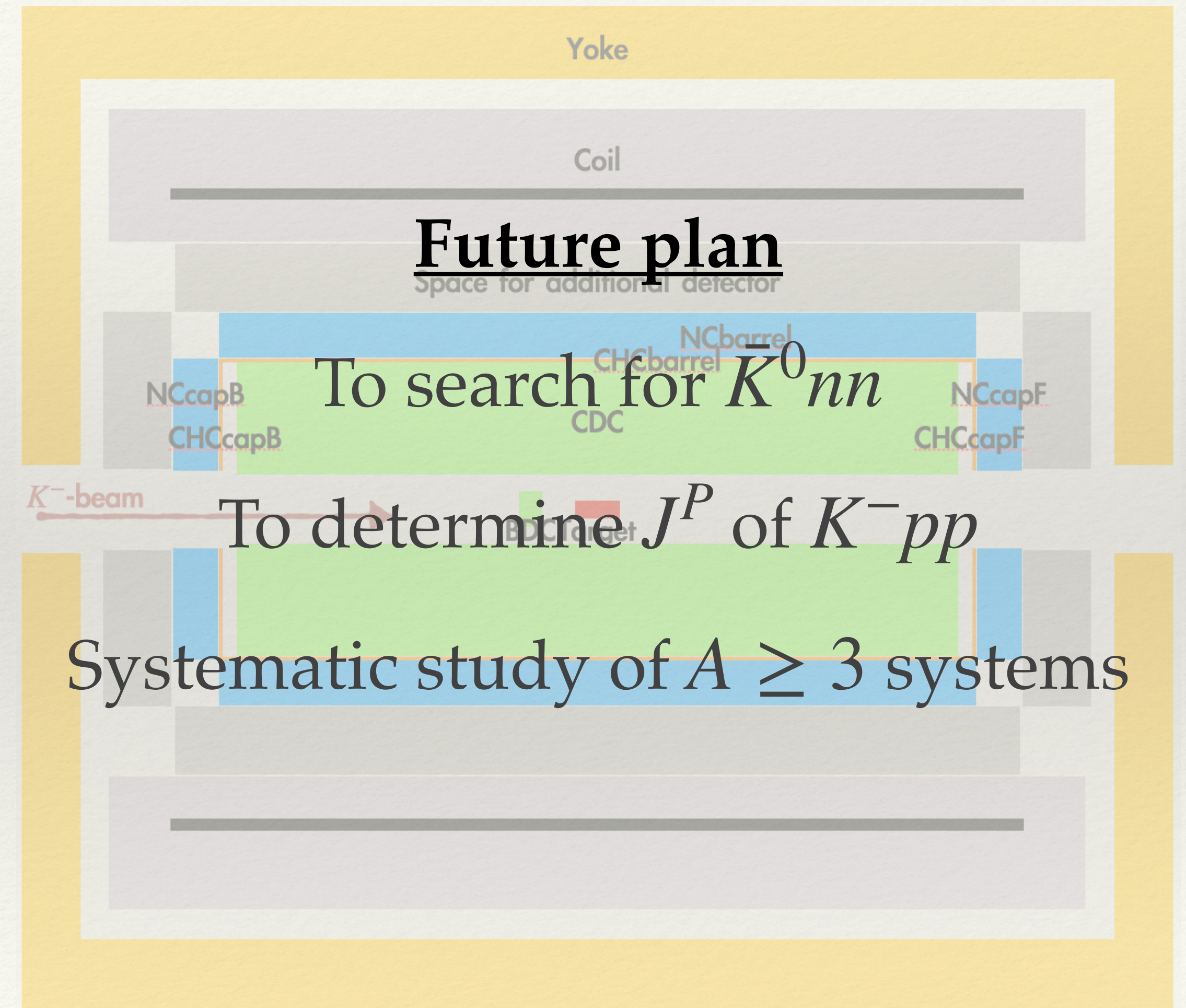
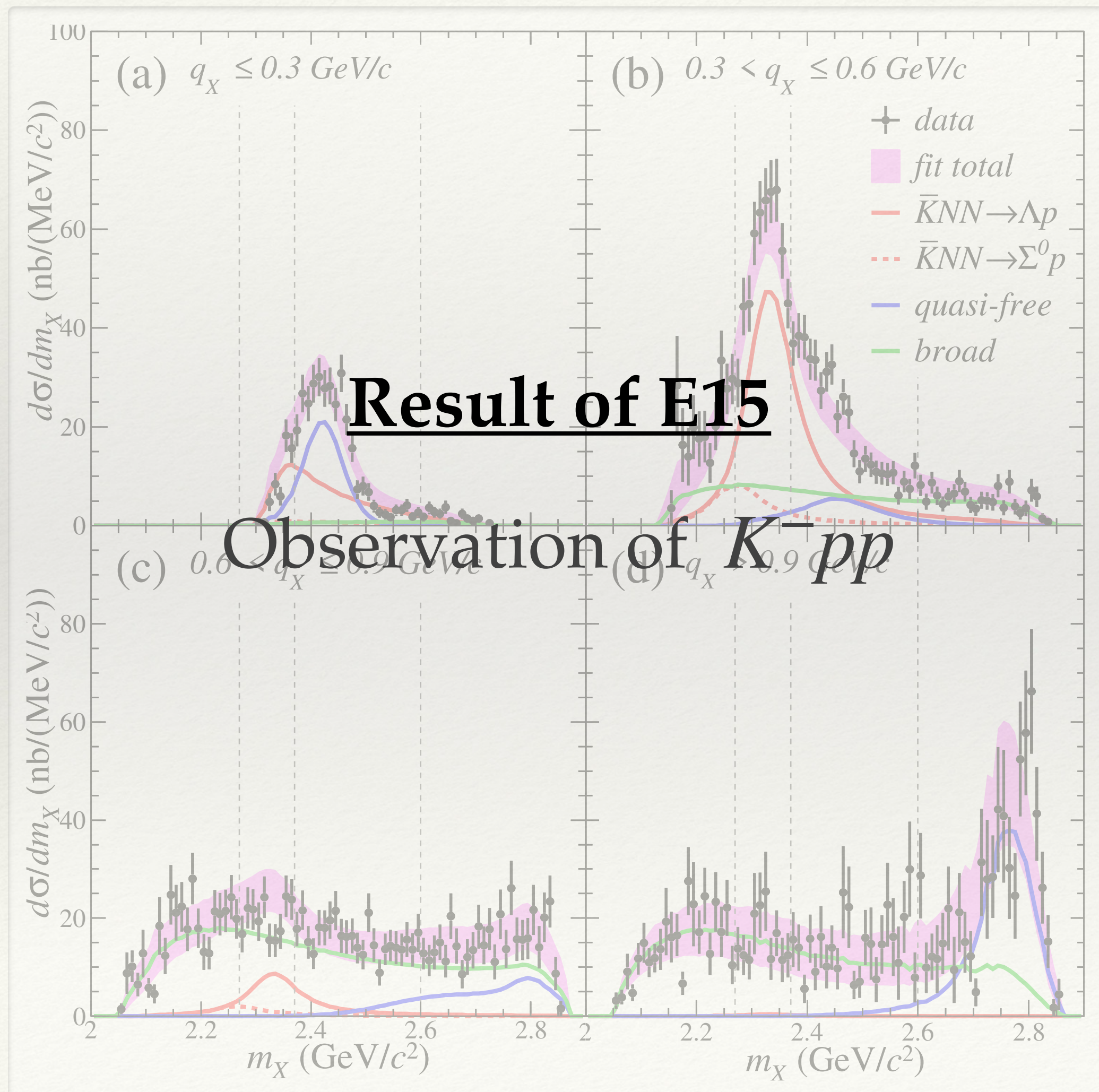
❖ Spin-spin correlation of Λp pair has parity information.

❖ Also need higher statistics

New CDS



Summary



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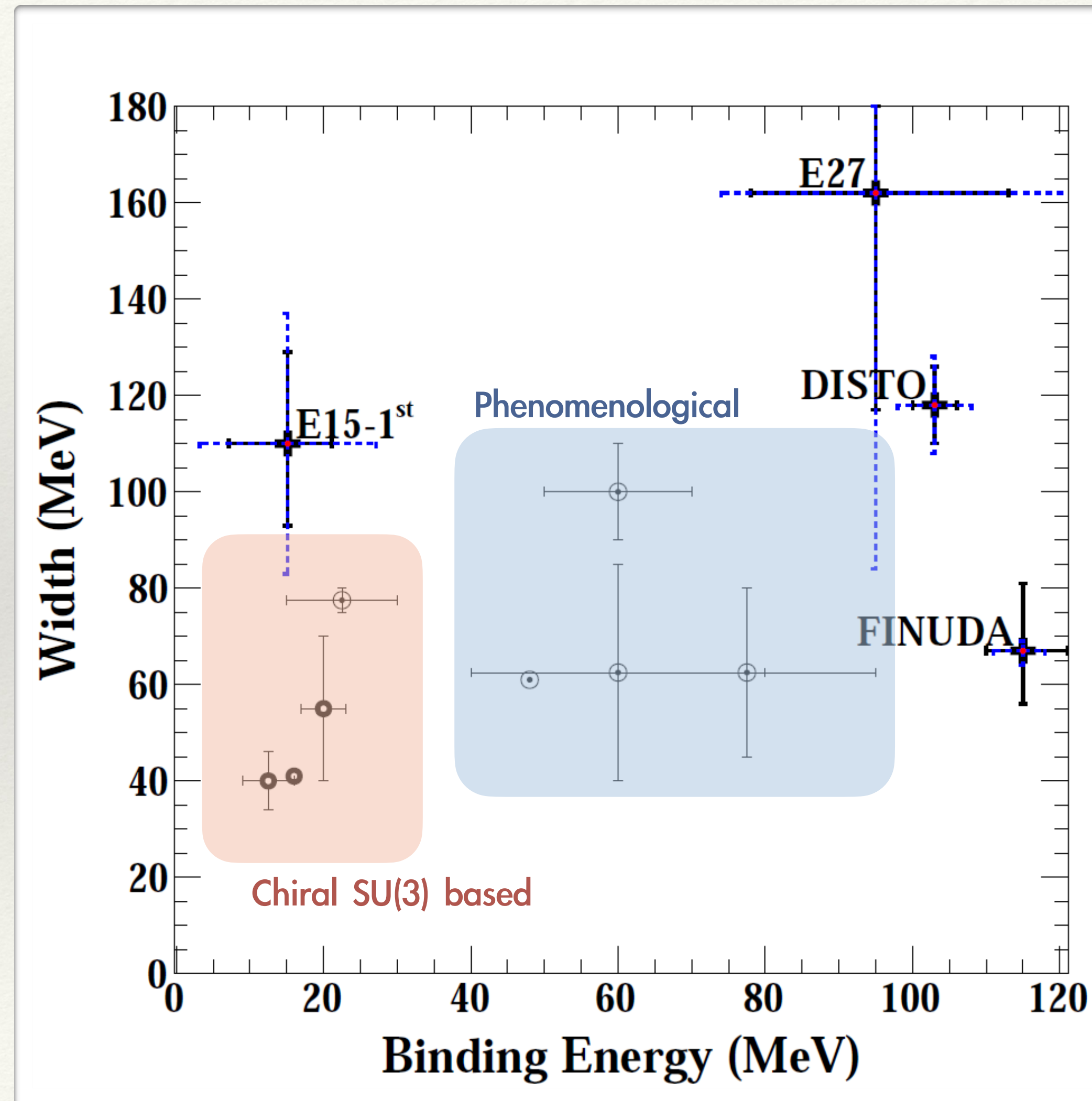
Backup

Theoretical studies

From F. Sakuma NFQCD2018 slide

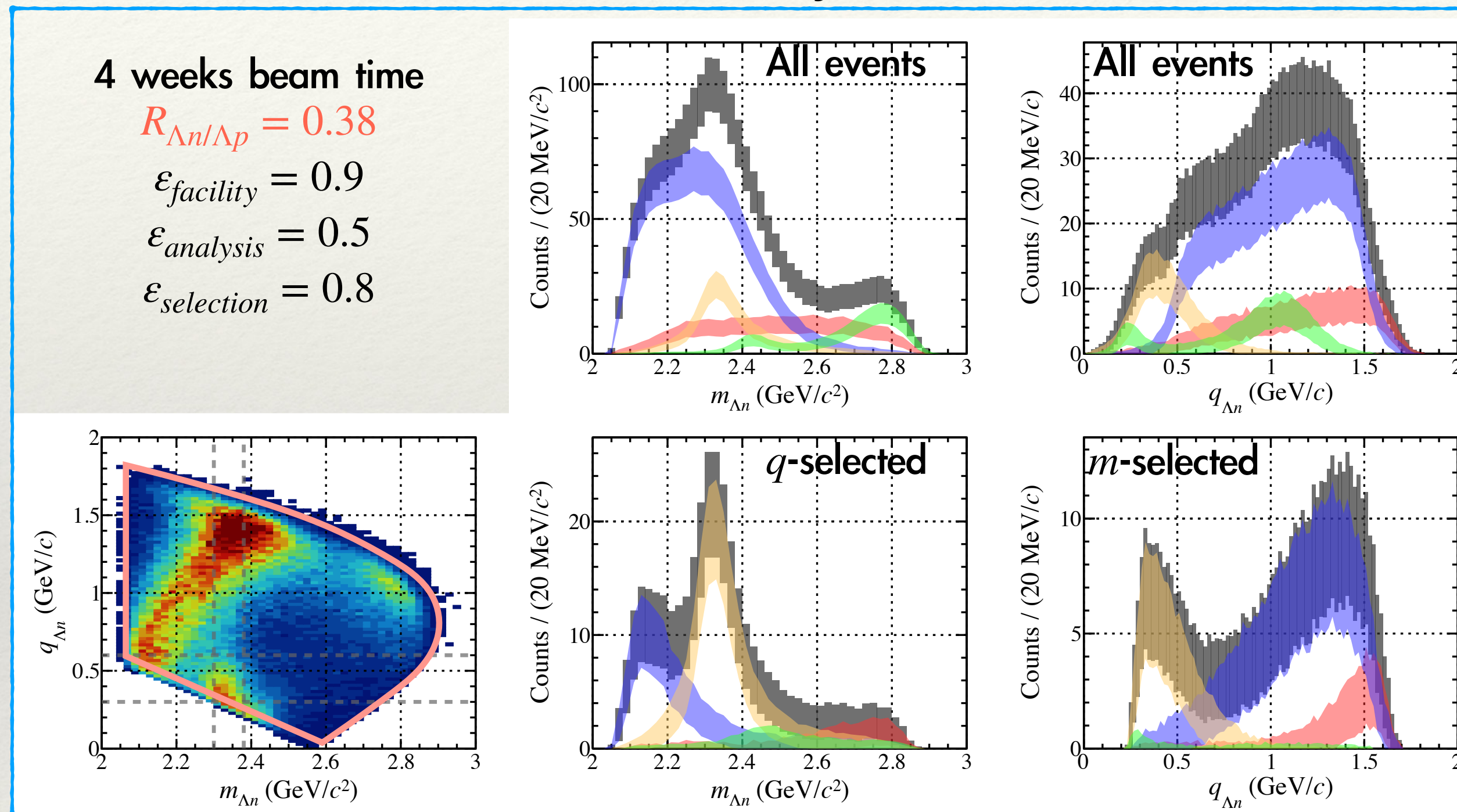
KbarN interaction	Chiral SU(3)			Phenomenological			
	Variational		Faddeev	Variational		Faddeev	
Method	Barnea, Gal, Liverts	Dote, Hyodo, Weise	Ikeda, Kamano, Sato	Yamazaki, Akaishi	Wyceck, Green	Shevchenko, Gal, Mares	Ikeda, Sato
B.E. (MeV)	16	17 - 23	9 - 16	48	40 - 80	50 - 70	60 - 95
Width (MeV)	41	40 - 70	34 - 46	61	40 - 85	90 - 110	45 - 80

Searching for K^-pp so far



Expected spectrum of $\bar{K}^0 nn$ search

Λn detection mode, Λn system measurement



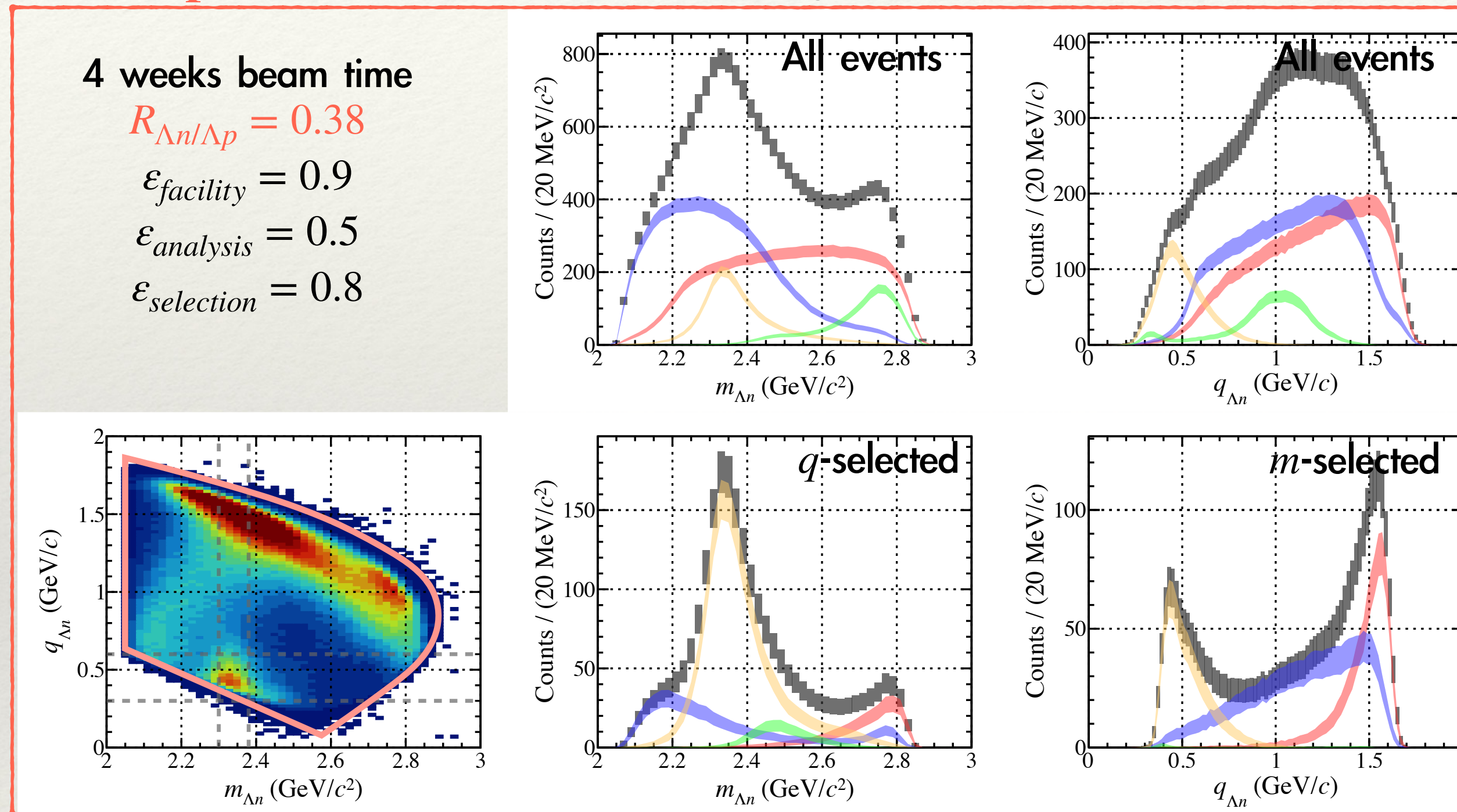
$\sim 1/10$ statistics of E15-2nd is expected.

Error band is statistical error.



Expected spectrum of $\bar{K}^0 nn$ search

Λp detection mode, Λn system measurement



$\sim 1/2$ times statistics of E15-2nd is expected.

Error band is statistical error.



Expected spectrum of $\bar{K}^0 nn$ search

* $R_{\Lambda n/\Lambda p} \sim 0.38$ is assumed from simple considering of elementary cross sections in very forward angle.

- Luminosity (90 kW beam power)
 - $\mathcal{L} = 1.9 / \text{nb} / \text{week}$ *With shorten beam line

Cross sections

Bound state

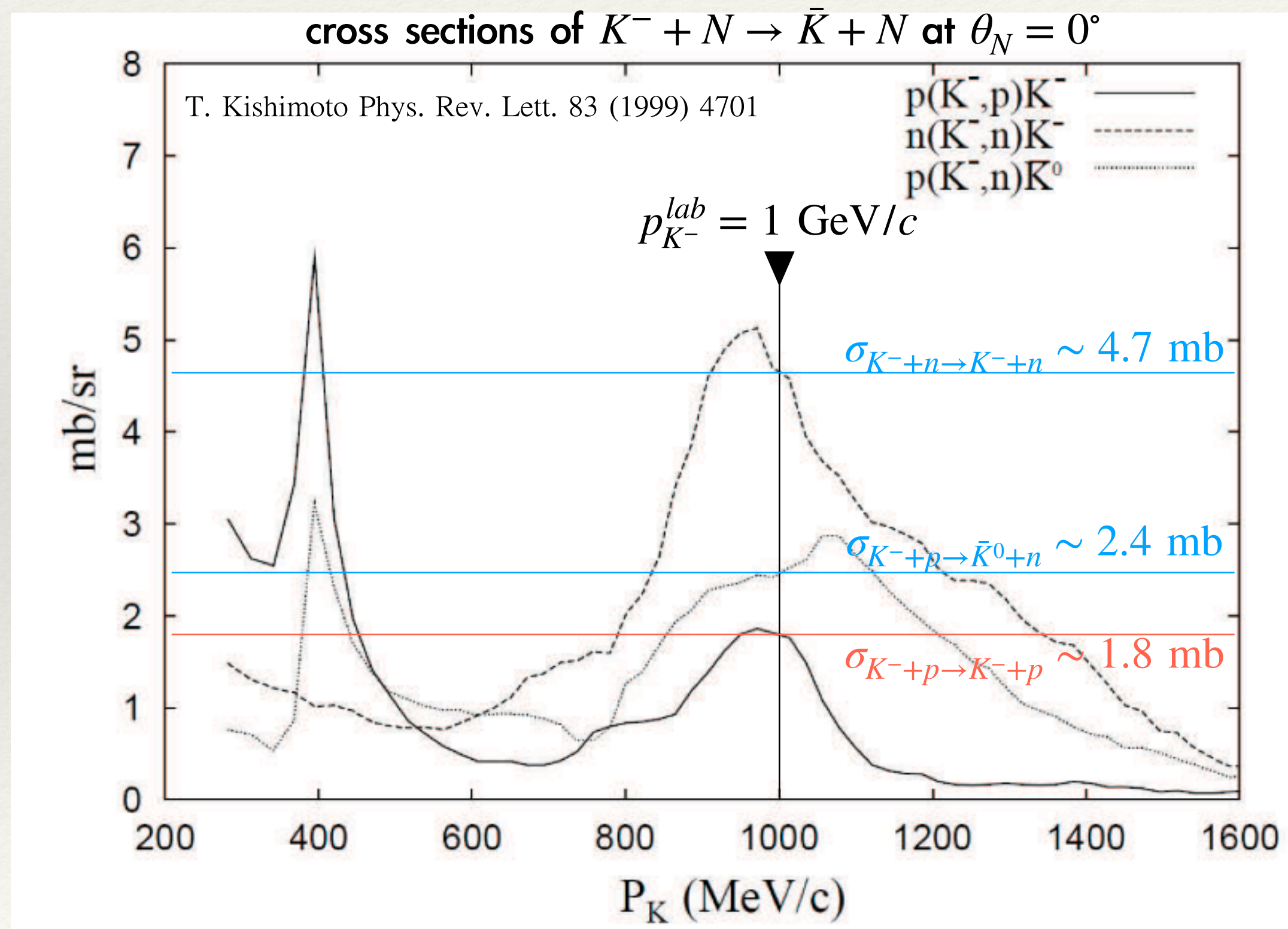
- $\sigma_{K^- pp} \cdot Br_{\Lambda p} = 9.29 \mu\text{b}$ ← E15 result

- $\sigma_{\bar{K}^0 nn} \cdot Br_{\Lambda n} = R_{\Lambda n/\Lambda p} \cdot \sigma_{K^- pp} \cdot Br_{\Lambda p} = 3.10 \mu\text{b}$

Quasi-free

- $\sigma_{QF} Br_{\Lambda p} = 10.7 \mu\text{b}$ ← E15 result

- $\sigma_{QF} \cdot Br_{\Lambda n} = R_{\Lambda n/\Lambda p} \cdot \sigma_{QF} \cdot Br_{\Lambda p} = 3.57 \mu\text{b}$



$\sigma_{\Lambda n} \propto 2 \times \sigma_{K^-+p \rightarrow K^-+p} \sim 3.6 \text{ mb}$

$\sigma_{\Lambda p} \propto 2 \times \sigma_{K^-+p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0+n} + \sigma_{K^-+n \rightarrow K^-+n} \sim 9.5 \text{ mb}$ (${}^3\text{He} = ppn$)