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HADES Hyperons Physics Program

Hyperon Production
(in pp and HI collisions)

Hyperon Structure
($\Lambda(1405)$, Hyperon eFF)

Hyperon-nucleon interactions
(via correlation functions)

Hypernuclei

Hyperon polarization
(from pp to AA)

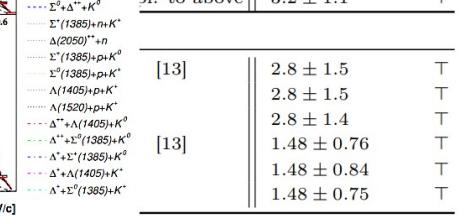
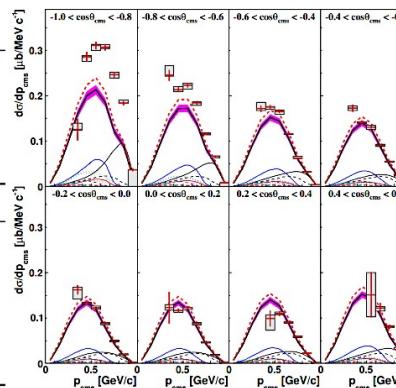


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Measurements of Λ in p+p@3.5 GeV

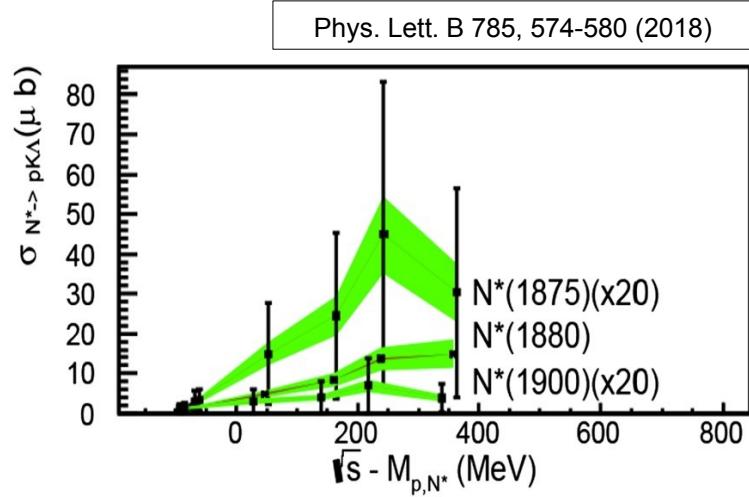
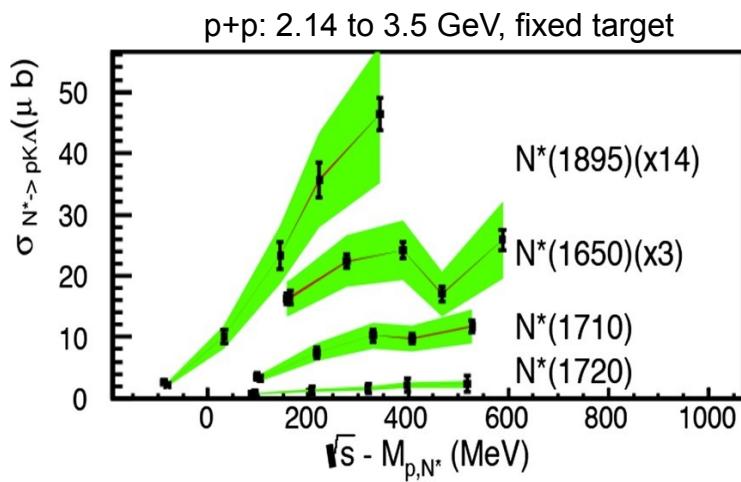
(Mainly) data driven
model
based on exclusive
measurements in HADES

id	pp \rightarrow reaction	$\sigma_0^{(\text{id})}$	cross section [nb]	\angle var.	$\angle(a_2, a_4)$	HADES, Phys. Rev. C 95, 015207 (2017) H^+ notes			fit result
3-body channels									
1	$\Lambda p K^+$	35.26 ± 0.43	$^{+3.55}_{-2.83}$	$\theta_{\Lambda}^{\text{cms}}$	0.798	0.134	✓	[16]	38.835 ± 0.026
2	$\Sigma^0 p K^+$	$16.5 \pm 20\%$		$\theta_{\Sigma^0}^{\text{cms}}$	0.034 ± 0.241	—		[21]+calc.	19.800 ± 0.094
3	$\Lambda \Delta^{++} K^0$	29.45 ± 0.08	$^{+1.67}_{-1.46} \pm 2.06$	$\theta_{\Delta^{++}}^{\text{cms}}$	1.49 ± 0.3	—	✓	[13]	32.10 ± 0.11
4	$\Sigma^0 \Delta^{++} K^0$	9.26 ± 0.05	$^{+1.41}_{-0.31} \pm 0.65$	$\theta_{\Sigma^0}^{\text{cms}}$	0.08 ± 0.02	—	✓	[13]	8.5 ± 2.1
5	$\Lambda \Delta^+ K^+$	$9.82 \pm 20\%$		$\theta_{\Delta^+}^{\text{cms}}$		from $\Lambda \Delta^{++} K^0$	res. mod.		11.78 ± 0.15
6	$\Sigma^0 \Delta^+ K^+$	$3.27 \pm 20\%$		$\theta_{\Sigma^0}^{\text{cms}}$		from $\Sigma^0 \Delta^{++} K^0$	res. mod.		2.6 ± 1.3
7	$\Sigma(1385)^+ n K^+$	22.42 ± 0.99	± 1.57	$\theta_{\Sigma^{*+}}^{\text{cms}}$	1.427 ± 0.3	0.407 ± 0.108	✓	[17]	17.905 ± 0.075
8	$\Delta(2050)^{++} n$	33 % feeding for $\Sigma^* n K^+$		$\theta_{\Sigma^*}^{\text{cms}}$	1.27	0.35	✓	[17]	8.82 ± 0.13
9	$\Sigma(1385)^+ p K^0$	14.05 ± 0.05	$^{+1.79}_{-2.14} \pm 1.00$	$\theta_{\Sigma^{*+}}^{\text{cms}}$	1.42 ± 0.3	—	✓	[13]	16.101 ± 0.072
10	$\Sigma(1385)^0 p K^+$	6.0 ± 0.48	$^{+1.94}_{-1.06}$	$\theta_{\Sigma^0}^{\text{cms}}$		from $\Sigma(1385)^+ n K^+$	✓	[17]	7.998 ± 0.069
11	$\Lambda(1405) p K^+$	9.2 ± 0.9	± 0.7					[18]	7.7 ± 3.0
12	$\Lambda(1520) p K^+$	5.6 ± 1.1	± 0.4					[18]	7.2 ± 3.6
13	$\Delta^{++} \Lambda(1405) K^0$	$5.0 \pm 20\%$							
14	$\Delta^{++} \Sigma(1385)^0 K^0$	$3.5 \pm 20\%$							
15	$\Delta^+ \Sigma(1385)^+ K^0$	$2.3 \pm 20\%$							
16	$\Delta^+ \Lambda(1405) K^+$	$3.0 \pm 20\%$							
17	$\Delta^+ \Sigma(1385)^0 K^+$	$2.3 \pm 20\%$							
18	$\Lambda p \pi^+ K^0$	2.57 ± 0.02	$^{+0.21}_{-1.98} \pm 0.18$						
19	$\Lambda n \pi^+ K^+$	from $\Lambda p \pi^+ K^0$							
20	$\Lambda p \pi^0 K^+$	from $\Lambda p \pi^+ K^0$							
21	$\Sigma^0 p \pi^+ K^0$	1.35 ± 0.02	$^{+0.10}_{-1.35} \pm 0.09$						
22	$\Sigma^0 n \pi^+ K^+$	from $\Sigma^0 p \pi^+ K^0$							
23	$\Sigma^0 p \pi^0 K^+$	from $\Sigma^0 p \pi^+ K^0$							



Resonant production of strangeness in p+p

- Combined PWA analysis of COSY-TOF, DISTO, FOPI and HADES data
- Contribution of seven N* resonances to pK⁺Λ
- 90% of pKΛ goes via resonances (at HADES energy)

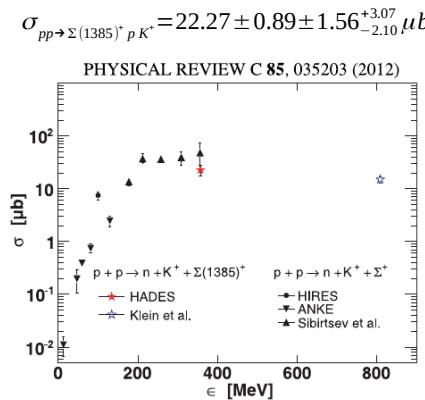
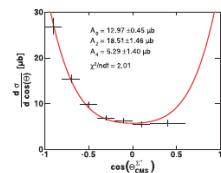
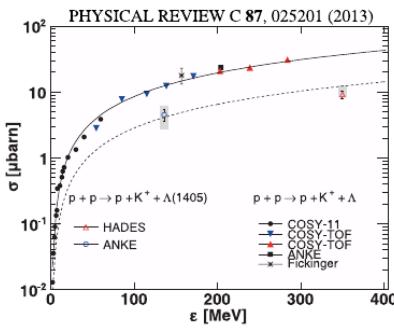


Heavy hyperons production

**p+p@3.5 GeV
data**

$\Lambda(1405)$, $\Lambda(1520)$

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Lambda(1405)pK^+} &= 9.2 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.7^{+3.3}_{-1.0} \mu\text{b}, \\ \sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)pK^+} &= 5.6 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.4^{+1.1}_{-1.6} \mu\text{b}, \\ \sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Sigma^+\pi^-pK^+} &= 5.4 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.4^{+1.0}_{-2.1} \mu\text{b}, \\ \sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Delta^{++}\Sigma^-K^+} &= 7.7 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.5^{+0.3}_{-0.9} \mu\text{b}.\end{aligned}$$



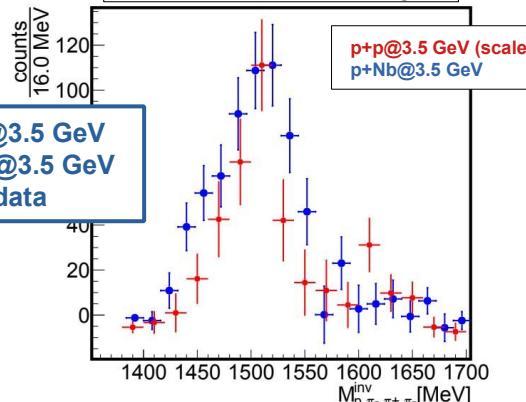
$\Sigma(1385)$

$$\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^+ p K^+} = 22.27 \pm 0.89 \pm 1.56^{+3.07}_{-2.10} \mu\text{b}$$

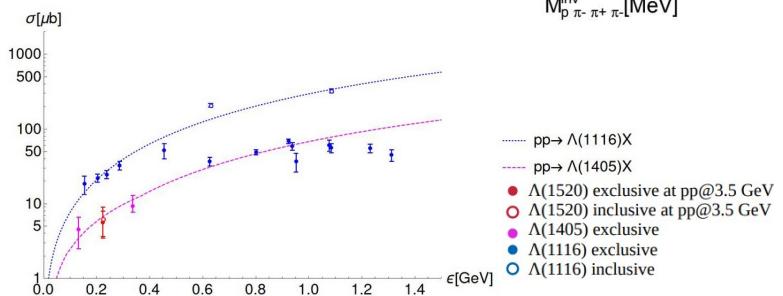
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$\Lambda(1520)$ in pp and pNb

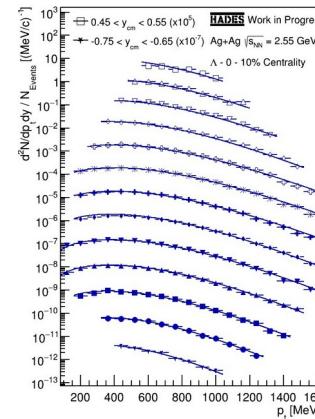
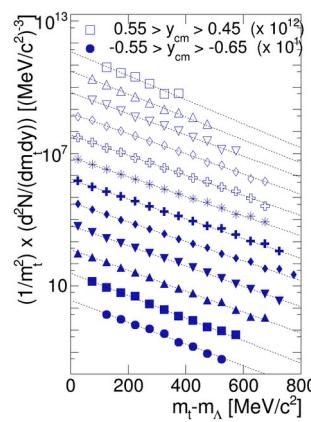
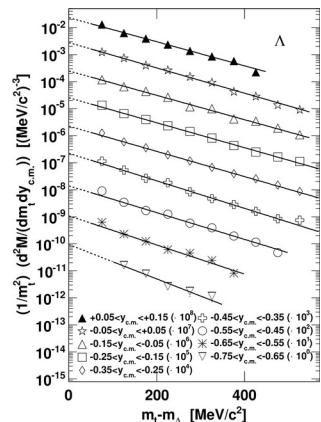
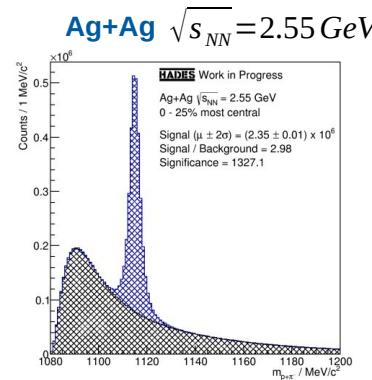
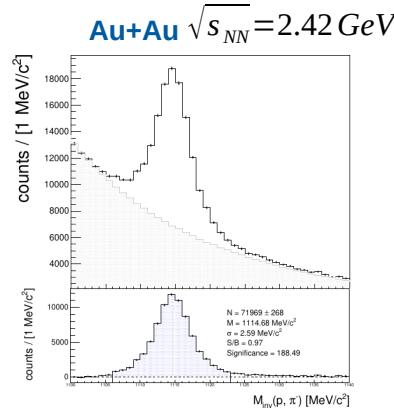
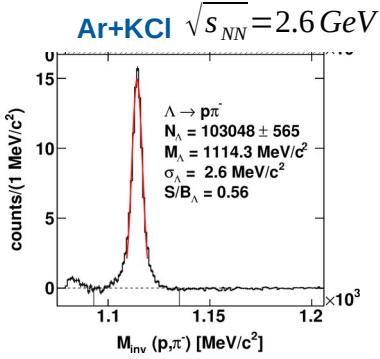
HADES Preliminary



**p+p@3.5 GeV
p+Nb@3.5 GeV
data**



Λ hyperon



High statistics

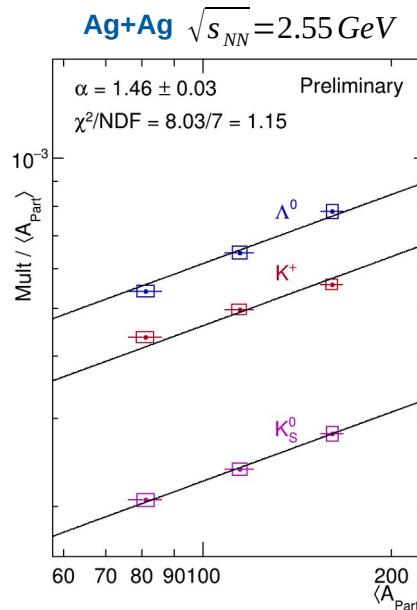
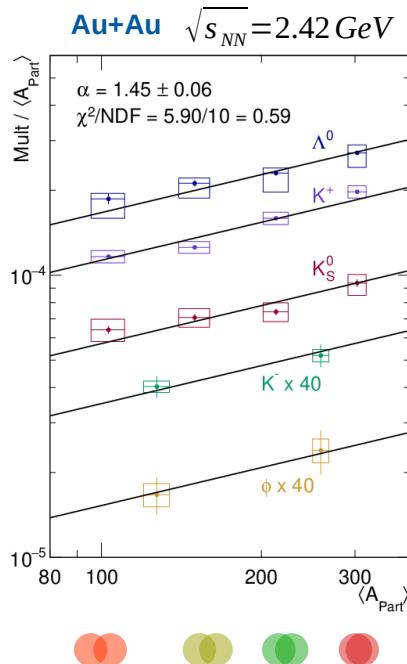
Large phase-space coverage

- Eur.Phys.J.A 47 (2011) 21
- Phys.Lett.B 793 (2019) 457-463

Strangeness production in HIC at SIS18

Strangeness production is an important probe for the QCD matter formed in HIC at SIS18

No dedicated “strangeness runs”, anticipated statistics in A+A runs dictated by dielectron program



Observation:

Universal centrality dependence of multiplicities $M \sim \langle A_{\text{part}} \rangle^\alpha$

- Au+Au $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.42 \text{ GeV}$: $\alpha = 1.45 \pm 0.06$
- Ag+Ag $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.55 \text{ GeV}$: $\alpha = 1.46 \pm 0.03$

Scaling with absolute amount of strangeness not with individual hadron states

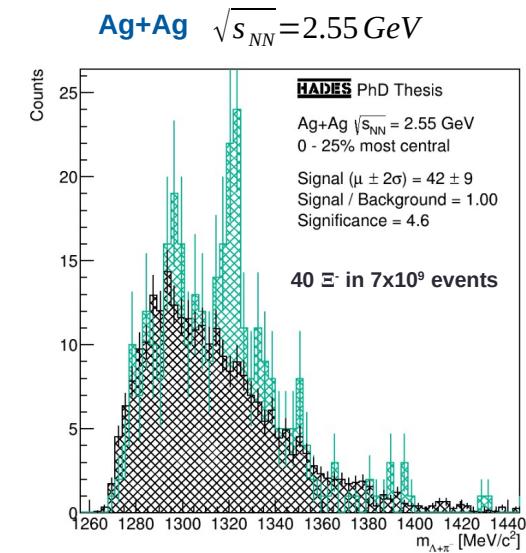
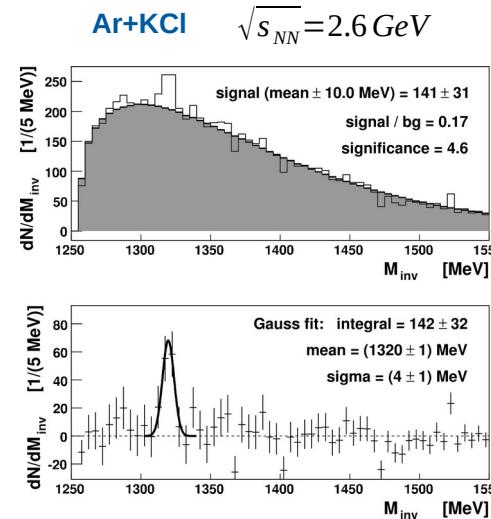
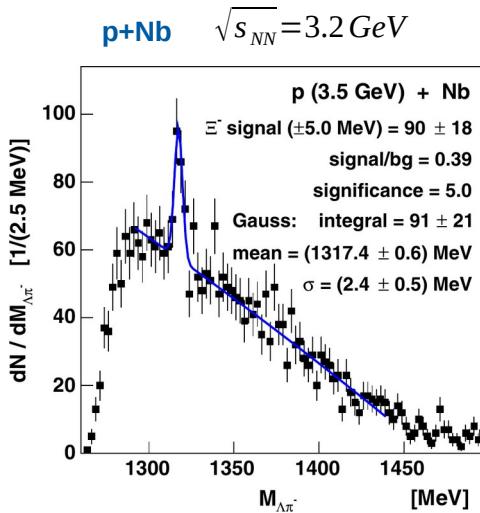
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Ξ^- hyperon

Multi-strange baryons - historically a signature for QGP

An impressive set of data, however data below AGS energies are missing for less abundant particles (Ξ, Ω)!

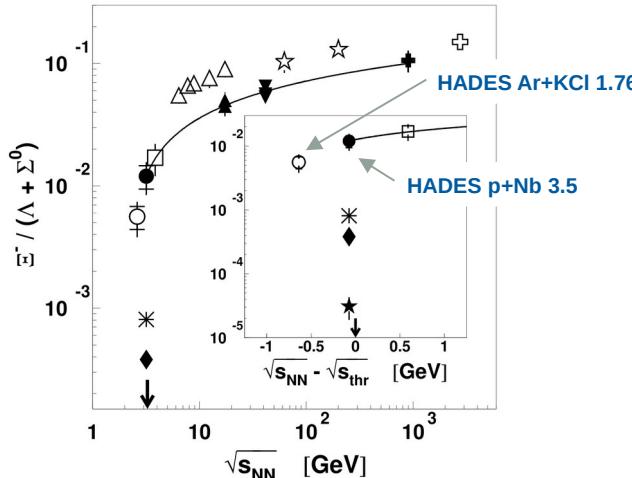
Ξ^- (far below NN production threshold) is observed by HADES



HADES, PRL 114 (2015) 212301

HADES, PRL 103 (2009) 132301

Ξ^- hyperon, model comparison

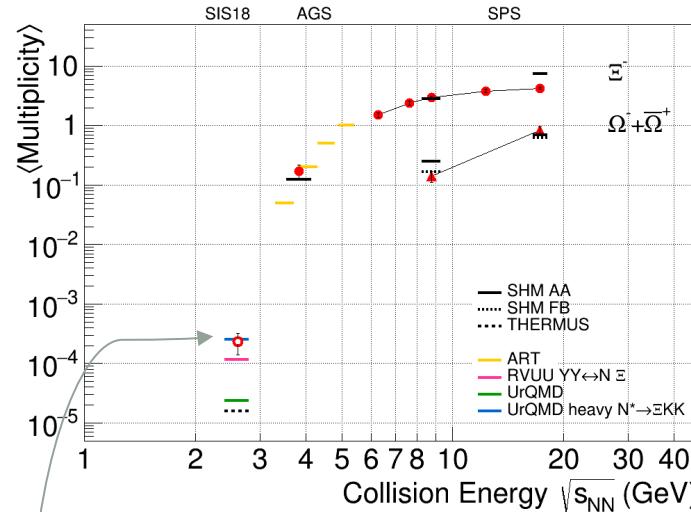


Observations:

Double strange hyperon multiplicity above expectation of Statistical Hadronization Model (SHM)

- Not in equilibrium?
- Role of YY interaction, high mass baryonic resonances?

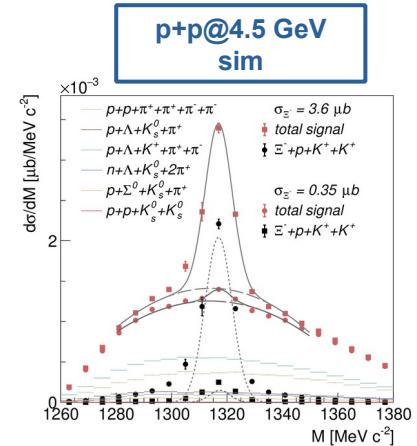
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 RVUU: F. Li et al., PRC 85 (2012) 064902
 UrQMD: J. Steinheimer et al., J.Phys. G43 (2016) 015104
 ART: C.M. Ko et al., PLB595 (2004) 158-164



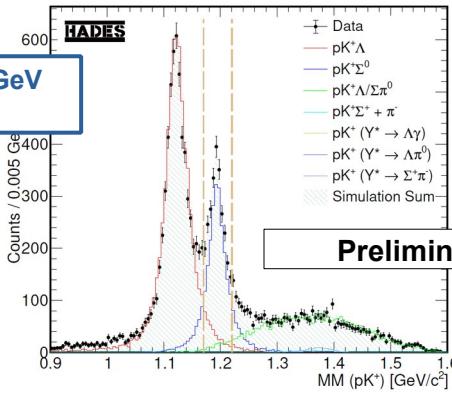
Observations:

Does UrQMD microscopic transport models Ξ^- dominant role of high mass baryonic resonances?

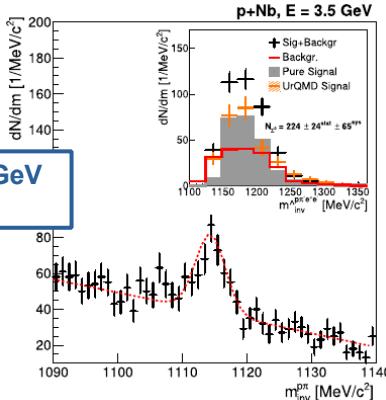
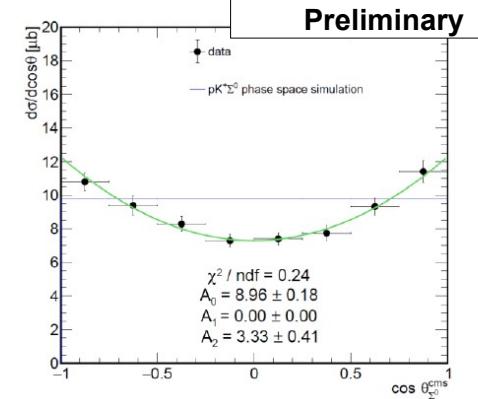
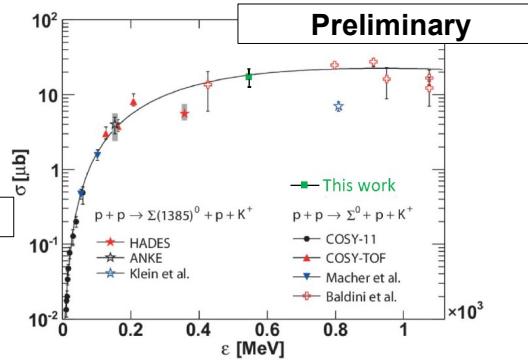
Spectroscopy of $N^* \rightarrow \Xi + K + K$ is badly needed



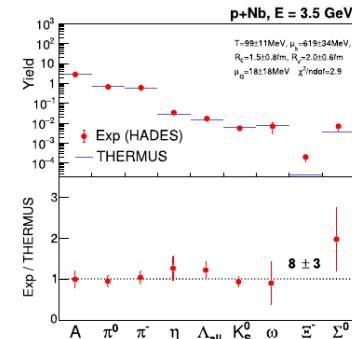
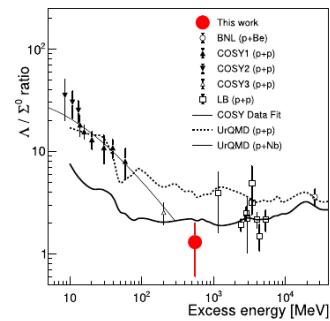
Σ^0 production



$$\sigma(pK^+\Sigma^0)[\mu b] = 18.74 \pm 1.01(\text{stat}) \pm 1.71(\text{syst})$$

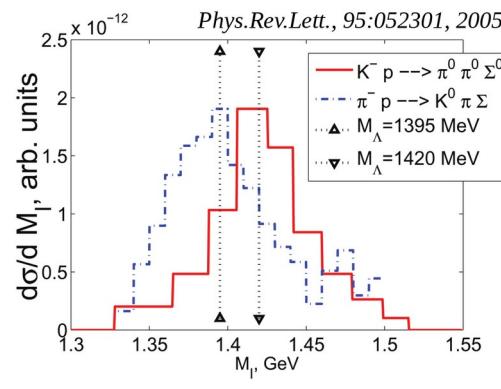
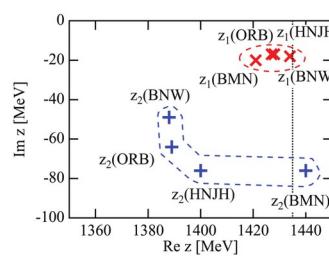
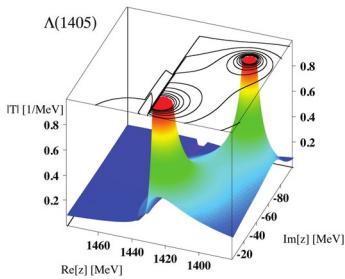


$$\sigma_{p+Nb}(\Sigma^0) = 5.8 \pm 2.3 \text{ mb}$$

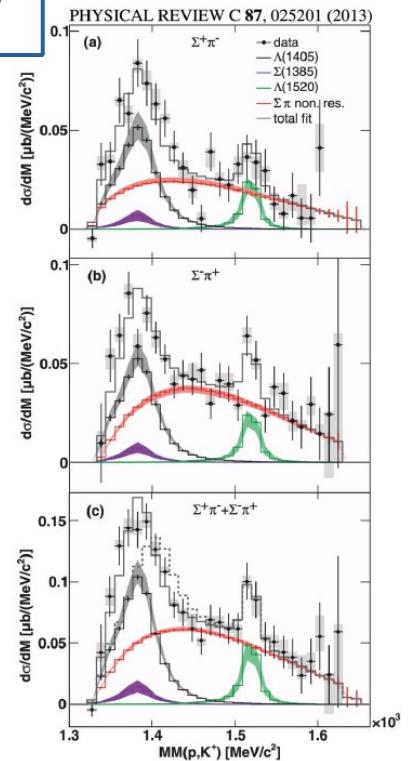


$\Lambda(1405)$ structure

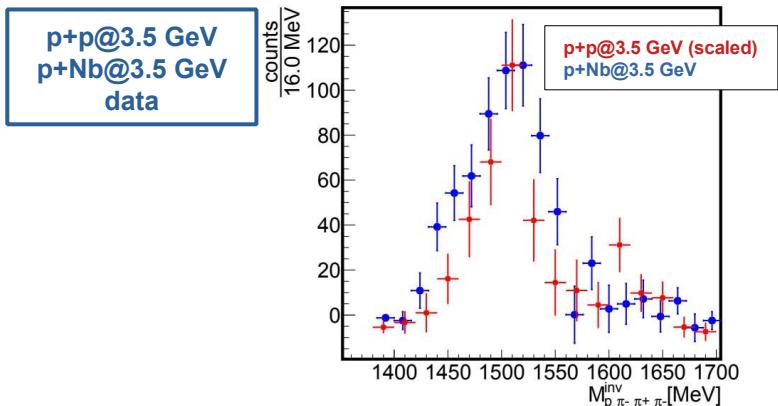
- $\Sigma\pi$ decays of $\Lambda(1405)$ are sensitive tests of its structure ($\Sigma\pi/\Lambda N$ poles)
- Line shape of $\Lambda(1405)$:
 - $\Sigma-\pi$ (pp beams [HADES, ANKE])
 - $K-N$ (K beams [LEPS] and electro-production [CLAS])
- $\Lambda(1405)$ measured in HADES in p+p@3.5 GeV via $\Sigma^\pm\pi^\mp$, but $\Sigma^\pm\pi^\mp$ are also allowed for $\Sigma(1385)^+$ → overlap of mass peaks
- HADES ECAL allows to measure $\Lambda(1405)$ via $\Sigma^0\pi^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-3\gamma$, which is not allowed for $\Sigma(1385)^0$
- Previous pp data suffered from low statistics, HADES can improve statistical precision by two orders of magnitude



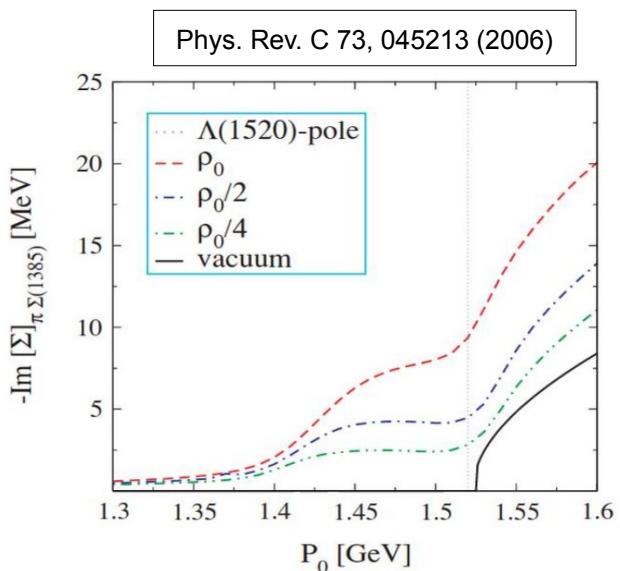
p+p@3.5 GeV
data



Cold matter effects on $\Lambda(1520)$

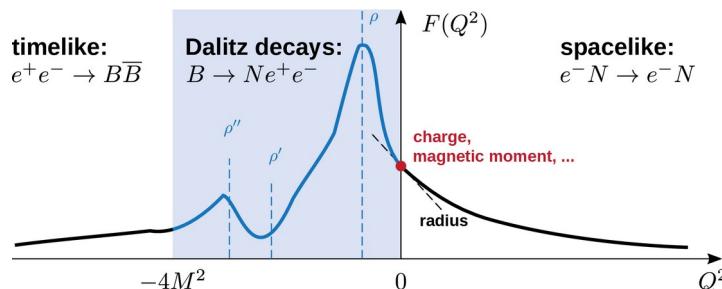


- is $\Lambda(1520)$ a $\Sigma(1385)\pi$ molecule?
- studies of in-medium modifications of $\Lambda(1520)$



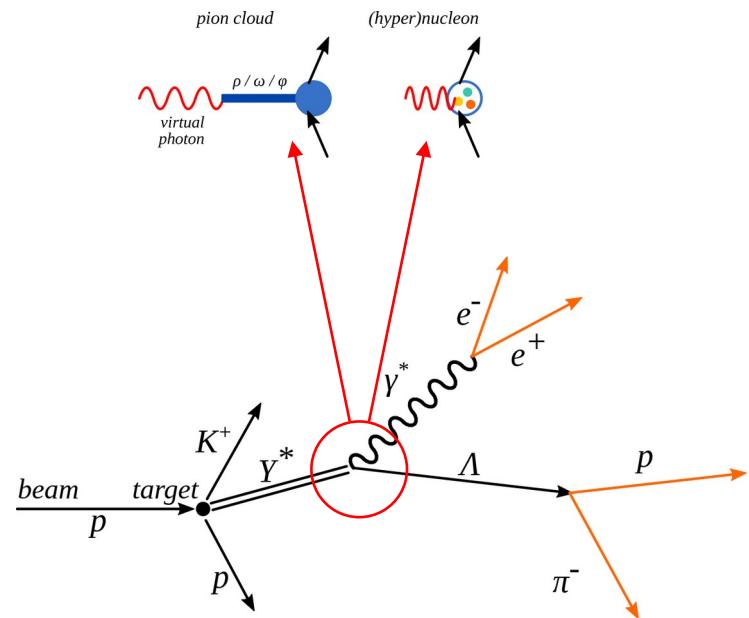
Hyperons electromagnetic decays $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$

- eTFF are sensitive probes of hyperon internal structure
- Measurements of eTFF



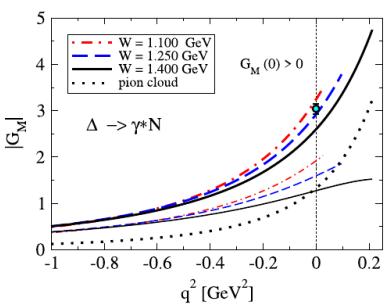
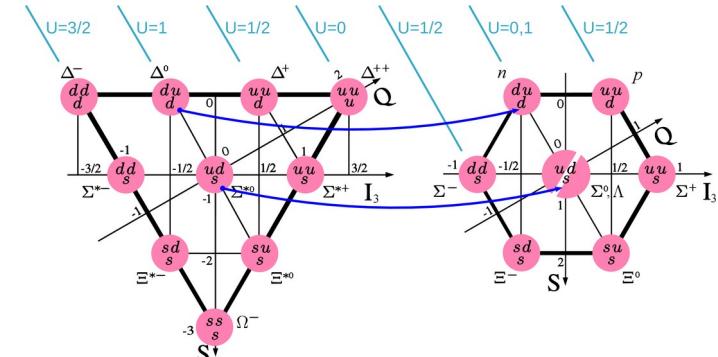
- Space-like region $|Q^2| > 0$ is inaccessible for excited hyperons (as target or beam)
- Time-like high $|Q^2|$ is probed by electron-positron annihilation (BaBar, CLEO_C, BESIII)
- Time-like low $|Q^2|$ available via Dalitz decays in HADES

$$d\Gamma(R_{J \geq 3/2} \rightarrow N\gamma^*) = \textcolor{teal}{F}(m, M_{l+l-})^\pm \left(\frac{l}{l+1} \left| G_{M/E}^\pm(M_{l+l-}) \right|^2 + (l+1)(l+2) \left| G_{E/M}^\pm(M_{l+l-}) \right|^2 + \frac{M_{l+l-}^2}{m^2} |G_C(M_{l+l-})|^2 \right)$$

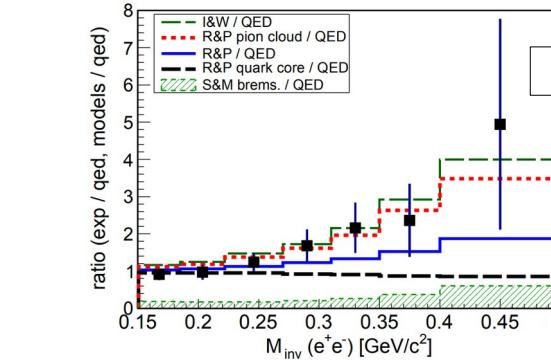
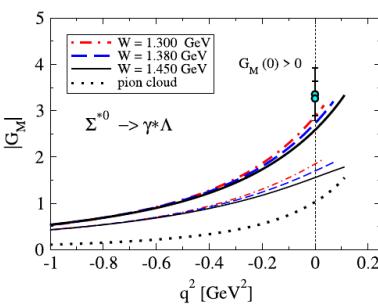


Hyperons electromagnetic decays $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$

- Comparison of strange and non-strange baryons: i.e. $\Delta(1232) \rightarrow N e^+ e^-$ with $\Sigma(1385)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ e^-$ (flavor symmetry partner of Δ in SU(3))

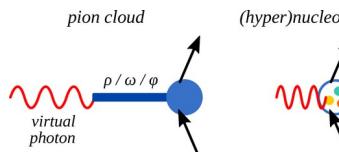


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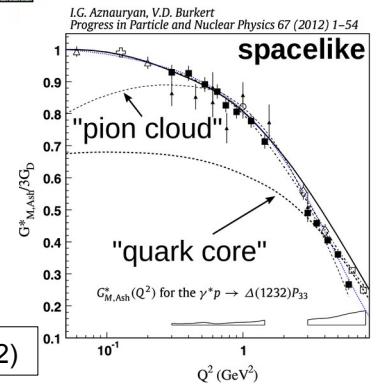


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$p+p@3.5$ GeV
data



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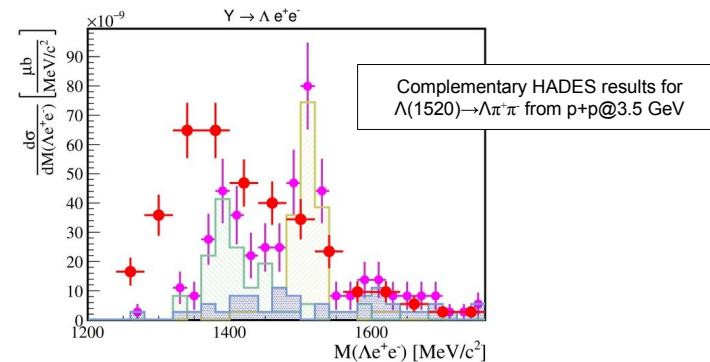
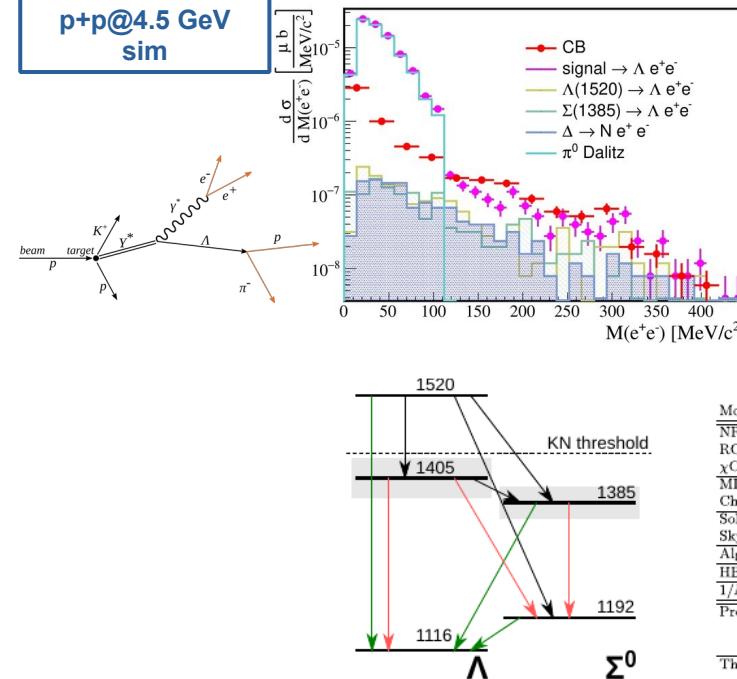


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Progress in Particle and Nuclear Physics 67 (2012) 1-54

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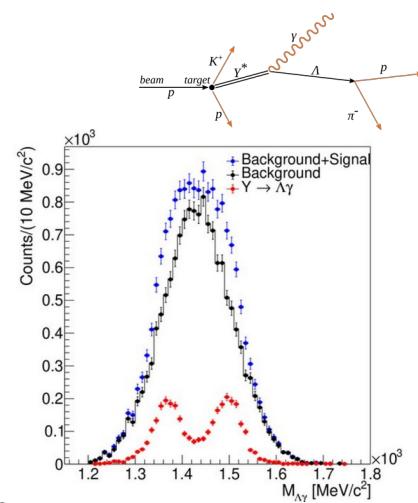
Hyperons electromagnetic decays $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$

p+p@4.5 GeV
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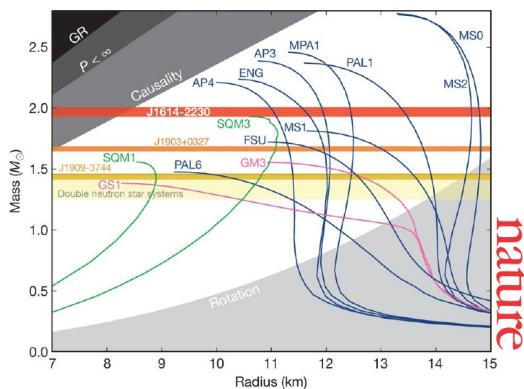
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NRQM[3, 4]	360[14]	273	22	200	72	156	55
RCQM[5]	267	23	118	46	215	293	
χ CQM[6]	350	265	17.4				
MIT Bag[3]		152	15	60, 17	18, 2.7	46	17
Chiral Bag[7]				75	1.9	32	51
Soliton[8]	309-348	243, 170	19, 11	44, 40	13, 17		
Skyrme[9, 10]	157-209	7.7-16					
Algebraic model[11]	343.7	221.3	33.9	116.9	155.7	85.1	180.4
HB χ PT[12] [†]	(670-790)	290-470	1.4-36				
$1/N_c$ expansion[13]	298 ± 25	24.9 ± 4.1					
Previous Experiments	640-720[30]	< 2000[22]	< 1750[22]	27 ± 8[19]	10 ± 4[19]	33 ± 11[17]	47 ± 17[17]
				23 ± 7[19]		134 ± 23[16]	
						159 ± 33 ± 26[18]	
This experiment		$479 \pm 120^{+81}_{-100}$				$167 \pm 43^{+26}_{-12}$	

E. Kaxiras et al., Phys. Rev. D32, p. 695–700 (1985)
C. Granados et al., arXiv:1701:09130 (2017) 113014.
G. Ramalho et al., Phys. Rev. D93 (2016) 033004
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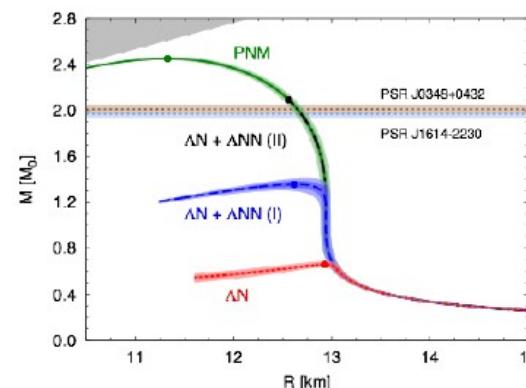


ΛN interactions

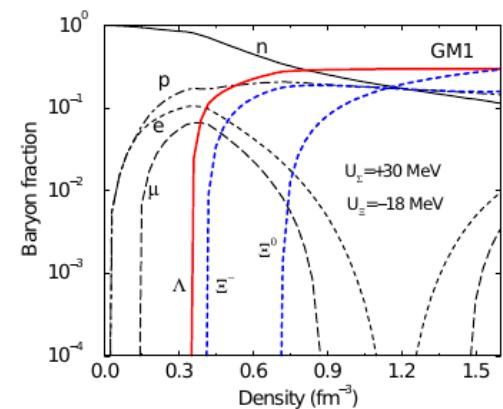
- EOS and “neutron star” puzzle
- purely nucleonic neutron star agrees with measurements
- strangeness softens EOS
- repulsive core of ΛN interaction is crucial for description



PB Demorest *et al.* *Nature* **467**, 1081-1083 (2010) doi:10.1038/nature09466

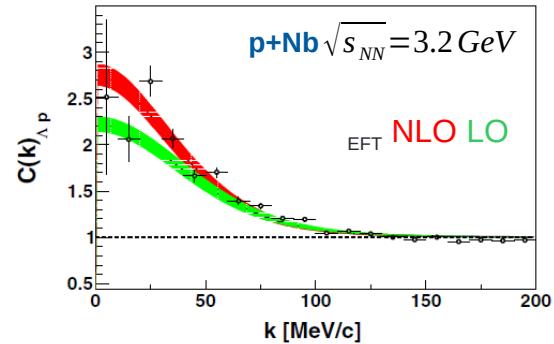


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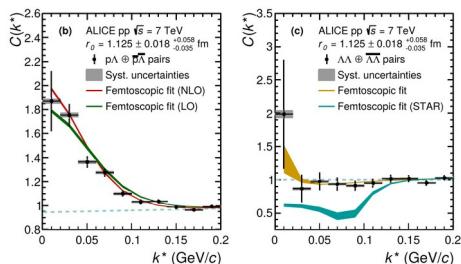


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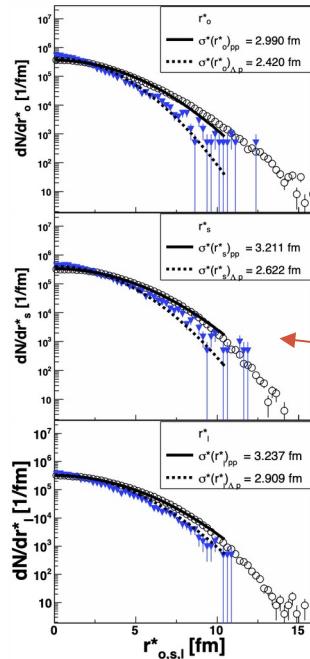
ΛN interactions



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 J. Haidenbauer et al., NPA915 (2013) 24



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$\Lambda\Lambda$ interactions

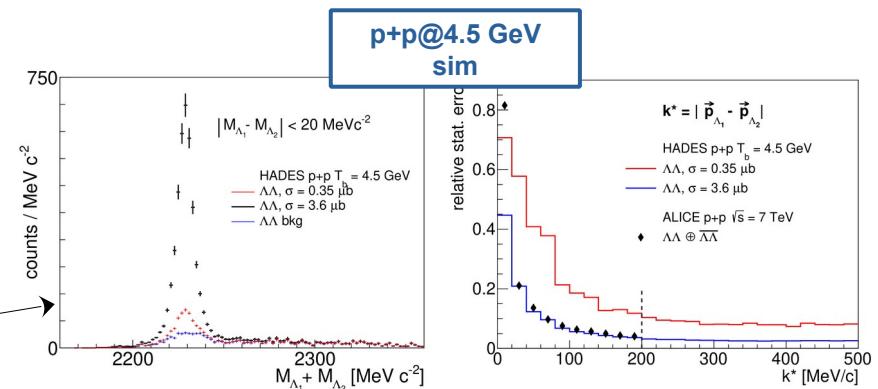
Λp interaction studied (for the first time) via femtoscopy

$$C(\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2) \equiv \frac{P(\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2)}{P(\mathbf{p}_1) \cdot P(\mathbf{p}_2)}$$

Access the region of very low relative hyperon-nucleon momentum ($k < 50 \text{ MeV}/c$)

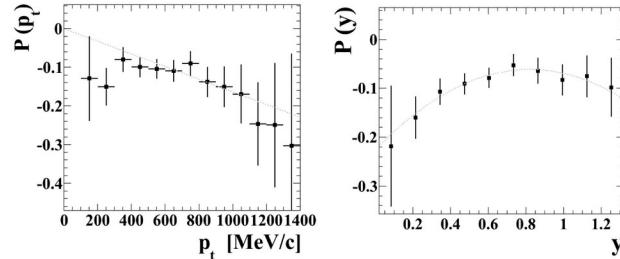
Source size uncertain

ΛN , ΞN further studies in high statistic p+p and p+Ag in 2022+



Λ polarization

p+Nb $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 3.2 \text{ GeV}$



$$\langle P \rangle = -0.119 \pm 0.005 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.016 \text{ (syst)}$$

Negative values of the polarization in the order of 5 – 20% over the entire phase space

HADES, Eur.Phys.J.A 50 (2014) 81

Ag+Ag $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.55 \text{ GeV}$

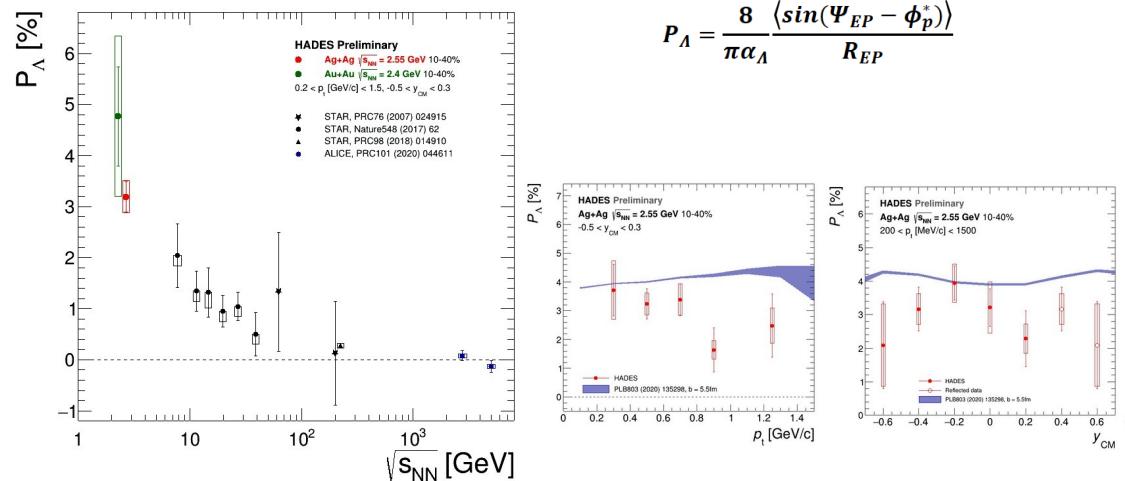
non-central heavy-ion collisions

large orbital angular momenta

vortical structure of the system?

global spin polarization of the particles

$$P_\Lambda = \frac{8}{\pi \alpha_\Lambda} \frac{\langle \sin(\Psi_{EP} - \phi_p^*) \rangle}{R_{EP}}$$



P_Λ still shows the increasing trend from 7.7 GeV down to 2.4 GeV

F. Kornas et al., HADES, Springer Proc.Phys. 250 (2020) 435-439

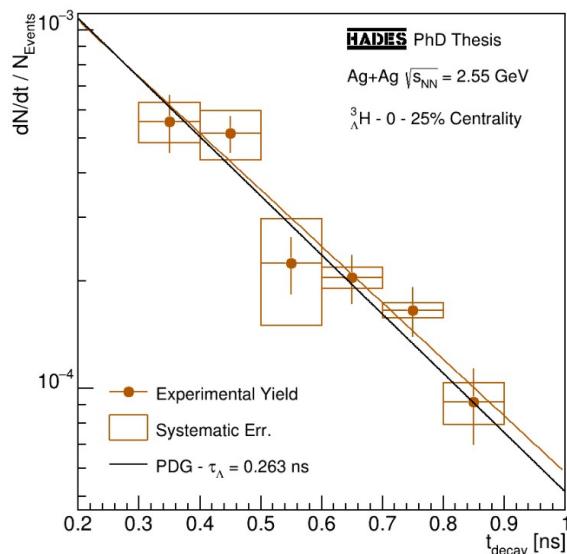
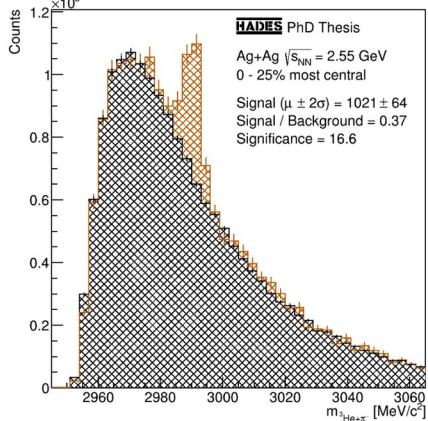
Hypernuclei in HADES

Sensitivity to hypernuclei production in the mid-rapidity region

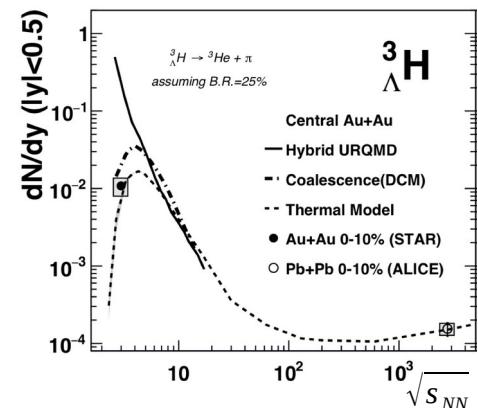
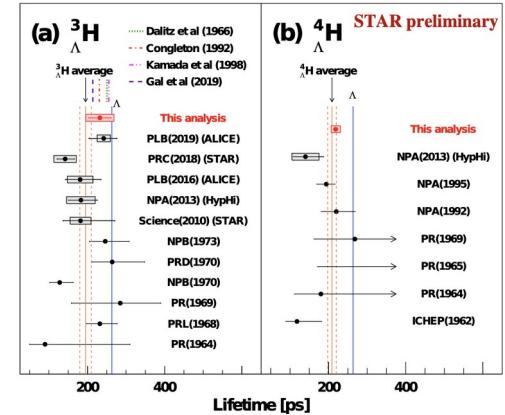
First observation in HADES in the Ag+Ag run $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.55 \text{ GeV}$:

$\sim 1000 {}^3_\Lambda H$ in 7×10^9 events

allows lifetime measurement, understanding the production mechanism



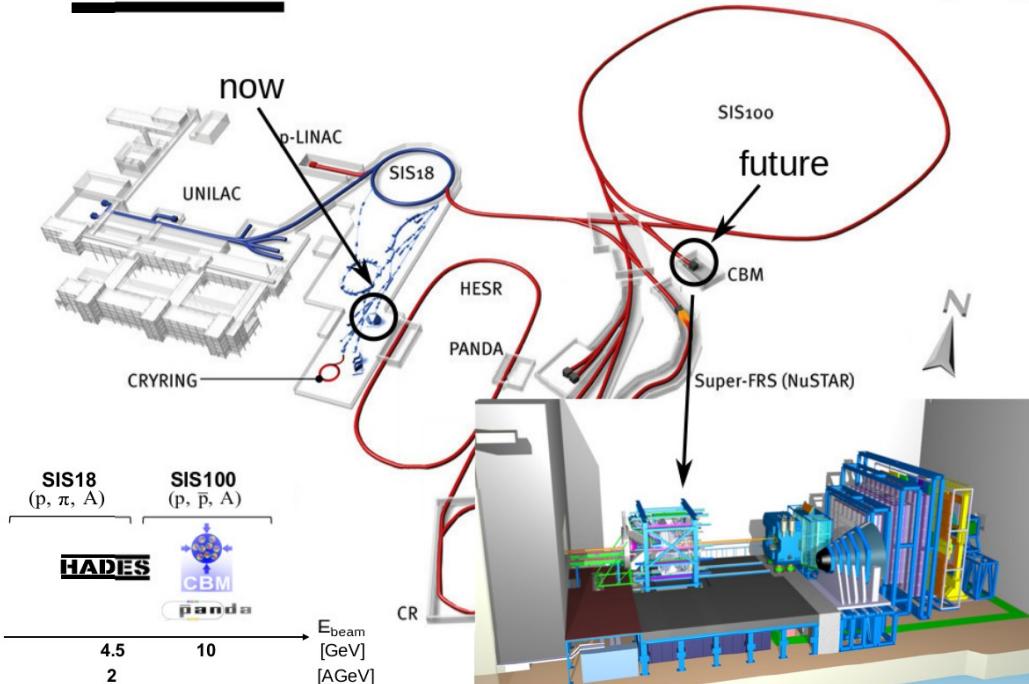
arXiv:2110.09531v1
STAR, Au+Au $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 3 \text{ GeV}$



FAIR PHASE-0: HADES Forward Detector upgrade

HADES

- first detector of FAIR Phase-0 (2018-ongoing)



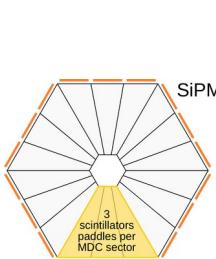
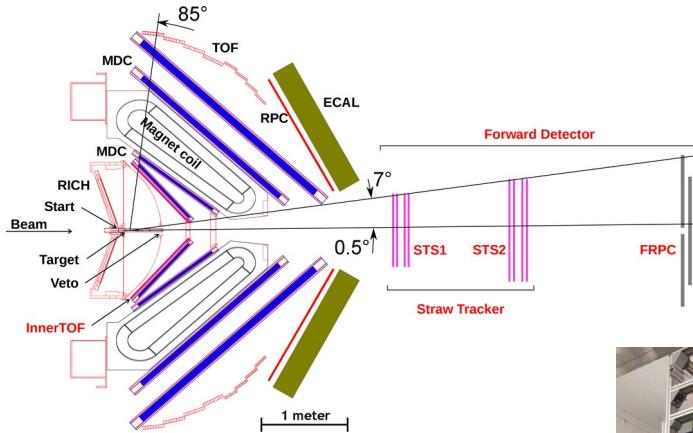
Major HADES upgrades:

- ▶ RPC (2010)
- ▶ Pion Tracker (2014)
- ▶ ECAL (2017-2021)
- ▶ RICH (2018)
- ▶ Forward Detector (2021)
- ▶ iTOF (2021)
- ▶ START

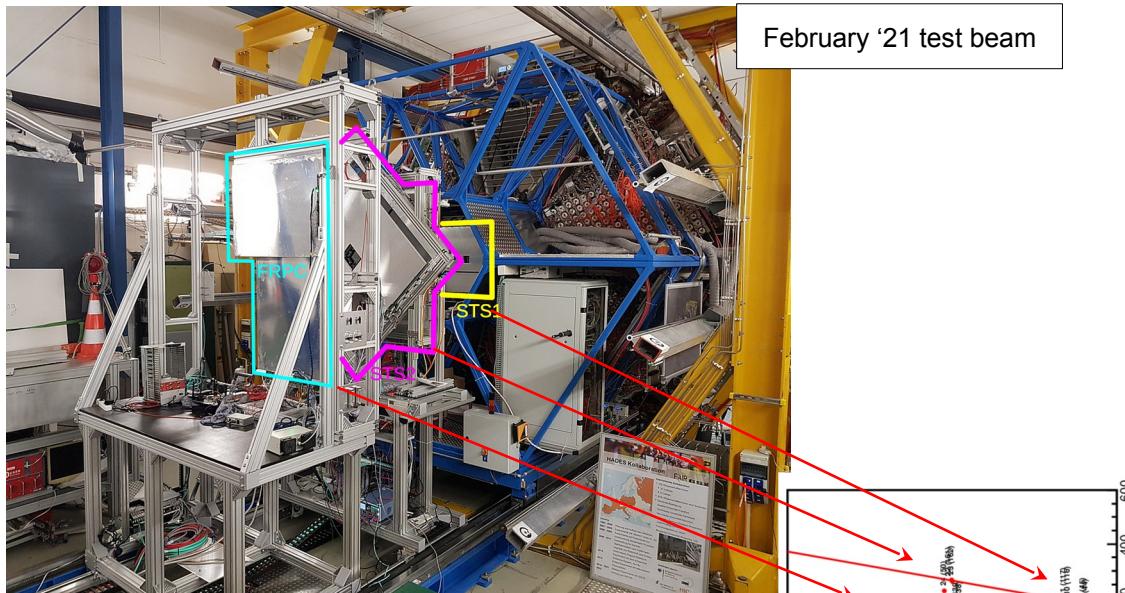
- ▶ various HI beams (Au+Au, Ag+Ag) in the meantime
- ▶ light system beams: p+p@3.5 GeV ('07), π +p/A ('14)
- ▶ the next beam: p+p@4.5 GeV

HADES Forward Detector upgrade: STS

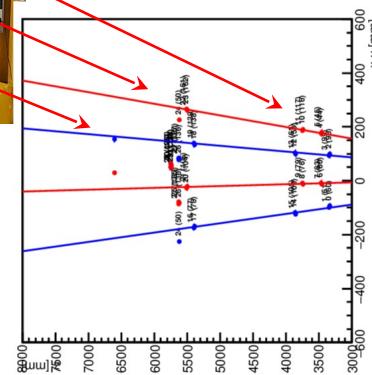
- Instruments the field-free forward hemisphere
- Straw Tube Stations (STS) compatible with Phase-1 PANDA STT and FT
- Boost physics capability for hyperon e/m transition Ffs
- STS1 and STS2 installed and tested in HADES
- fRPC full installation in Nov '21 (half setup tested)
- InnerTOF project to improve triggering efficiency (Q4/2021)



FAIR PHASE-0: HADES Forward Detector upgrade



February '21 test beam



Summary

- **G-PAC 44: HADES III**
- Production and decay of hyperons, and inclusive hadron and dilepton production in p+p reaction at 4.5 GeV
 - 1) Hyperon electromagnetic decays $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$
 - 2) Hyperon hadronic decays
 - 3) Production of double (Ξ^- , $\Lambda\Lambda$) and hidden strangeness (ϕ)
 - 4) Inclusive hadron and dilepton production as a reference for p+A and heavy-ion data

p+p@4.5 GeV beam
scheduled for
February 2022

Table 2: Projected number of events reconstructed during 84 shifts.			
Electromagnetic hyperon decays ($\Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Lambda\gamma$)			
$\Sigma(1385)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ e^-$	$\Lambda(1520) \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ e^-$	$\Sigma(1385) \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$	$\Lambda(1520) \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$
302	352	1484	1559
Hyperon hadronic decays			
$\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma^0\pi^0 \rightarrow \Lambda 3\gamma$	$\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma^\pm\pi^\mp$	$\Lambda(1520) \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^-\pi^+$	
3.6×10^4	7.2×10^4	5.2×10^5	
Production of double and hidden strangeness			
$\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^-$	$\Lambda\Lambda$	$\phi \rightarrow K^+K^-$	
$(4.7 - 47.6) \times 10^4$	$(0.62 - 6.17) \times 10^4$	3.1×10^6	
Inclusive measurement of hadrons and dielectrons			
$M_{ee} < 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	$M_{ee} > 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$	$\omega \rightarrow e^+e^-$	$\phi \rightarrow e^+e^-$
5.72×10^6	7.41×10^5	5.8×10^4	1.86×10^3
			$M_{ee} > 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
			69

PRODUCTION AND DECAY OF HYPERONS,
AND INCLUSIVE HADRON AND DILEPTON
PRODUCTION

In $p+p$ Reactions at 4.5 GeV

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Infrastructure: SIS18, LH₂ target, HADES care

Beam: protons at 4.5 GeV, beam intensity 7.5×10^6 p.s., slow extraction

Abstract

In this HADES Phase-I proposal, we request proton beams to perform a series of experiments aiming at the study of hyperons. The experiments will make very effective and efficient use of the available beamtime since four investigations require the same beam, trigger conditions and improved detector set-up, thus they will be measured consecutively. (1) Production and decay of double strangeness hyperons via electromagnetic decays $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma^*$ and $\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$. (2) Hyperon hadronic decays. (3) Production of double and hidden strangeness via $\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^-$ and $\Lambda\Lambda$. (4) Inclusive hadron and dilepton production as a reference for p+A and heavy-ion data. These measurements will provide a reference for the HADES-PANDA collaboration and will be the first physics program at PANDA. The measurements of hyperon production and electromagnetic decays during Phase-I are complementary to the Phase-I studies at PANDA with respect to the energy range. The HADES-PANDA detector will be built and commissioned already now. Data from the Phase-I will be used to validate the HADES detector and to start the Phase-II detector study with proton beam using the HADES spectrometer contained in the new forward detector system.

This is a new experiment proposal.
We request 84 shifts plus 4 shifts in a separate proposal for commissioning.