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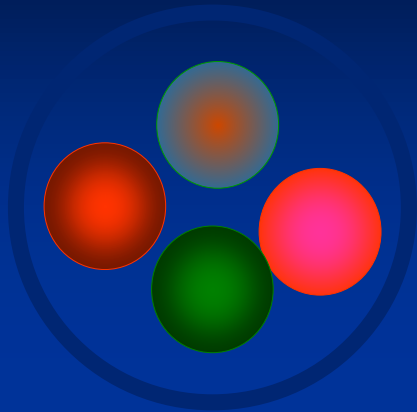
Dibaryons – Molecule versus Hexaquark

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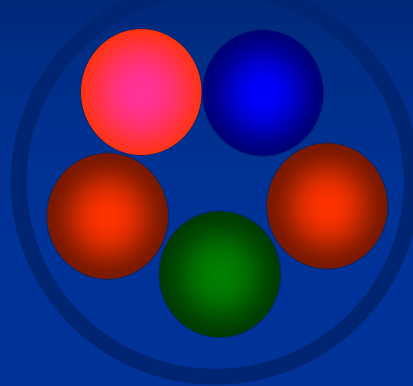
Heinz Clement

Exotics

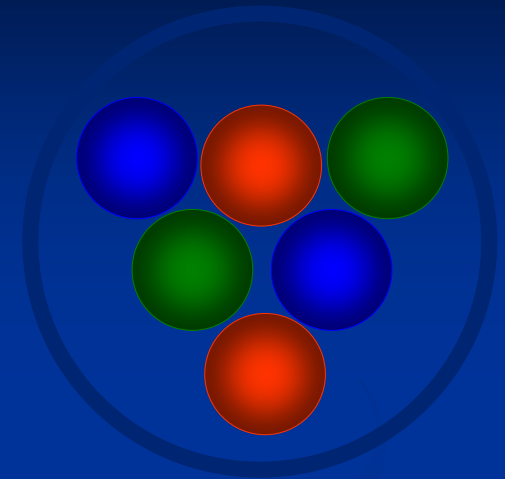
Tetraquark



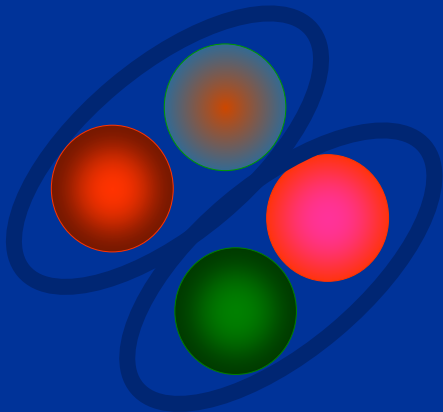
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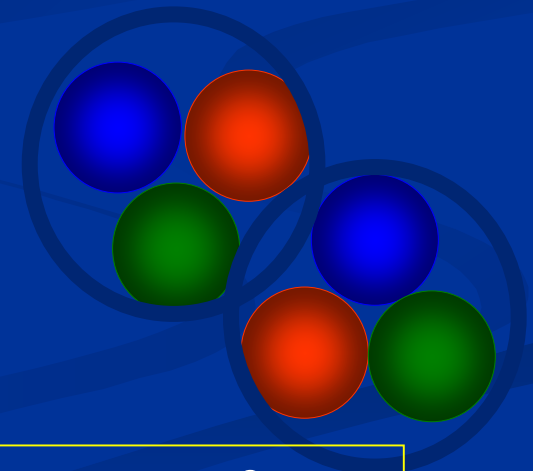
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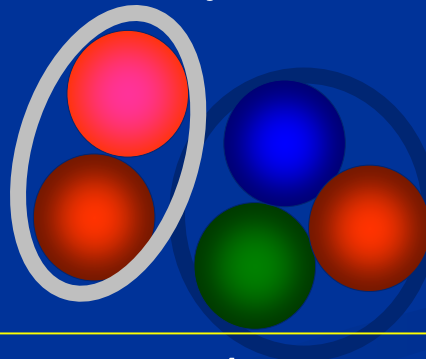
Meson-Meson molecule



Baryon-Baryon molecule



Meson-Baryon molecule



$B = 0$

1

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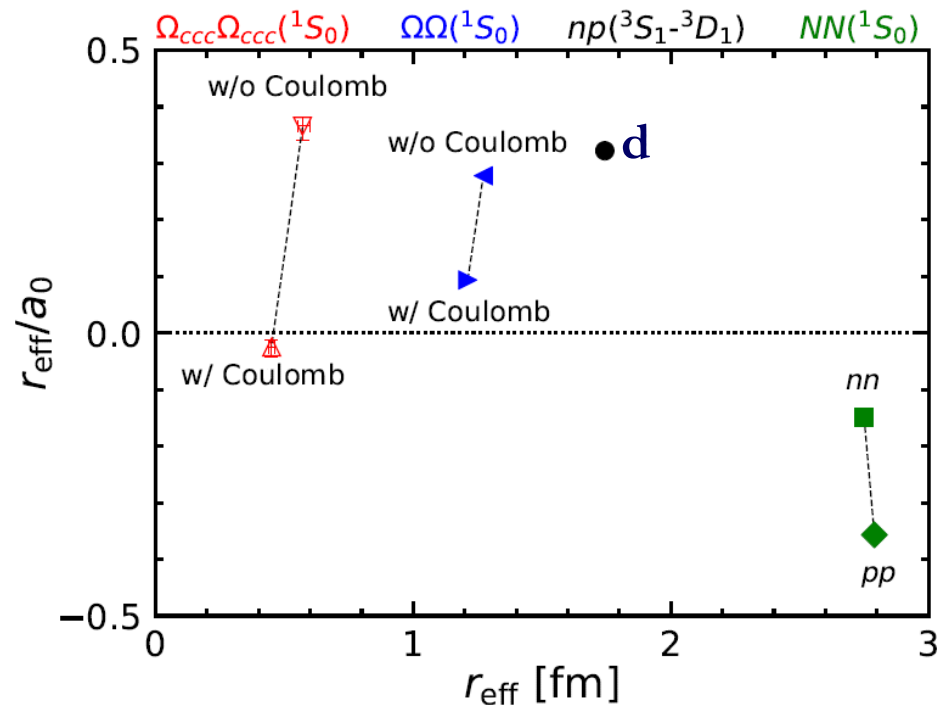
Width of a Resonance

- If width of decay products large, then also resonance width large in general (unflavored sector)
- If width of decay products small, then also the resonance width can be **small (charm and beauty sectors)**
 - Many predictions for a diversity of dibaryon systems,
 - see e.g. Chin. Phys. C 45 (2021) 022001 and many newer ones

a favorite $\Xi_b \Xi_b$??

Flavored Dibaryons

- LQCD predictions (HAL QCD) :



PRL 127 (2021) 072003

Two-Baryon Scenario

■ What do we know so far:

- 3S_1 deuteron groundstate: $I (J^P) = 0 (1^+)$ **the only boundstate so far!**
- 1S_0 virtual state (NN FSI): $I (J^P) = 1 (0^+)$ **in addition ΔN FSI**

■ What would we like to know:

- Are there six-quark bags: hexaquarks (genuine dibaryons)?
- Are there in general resonant states (molecular, dynamic) at all?

■ Experimental findings:

- 1D_2 resonance structure near the ΔN threshold: $I (J^P) = 1 (2^+)$
- 3D_3 resonance **much below** the $\Delta\Delta$ threshold: $I (J^P) = 0 (3^+)$



■ Are there more states?

- In unflavored or flavored sectors?

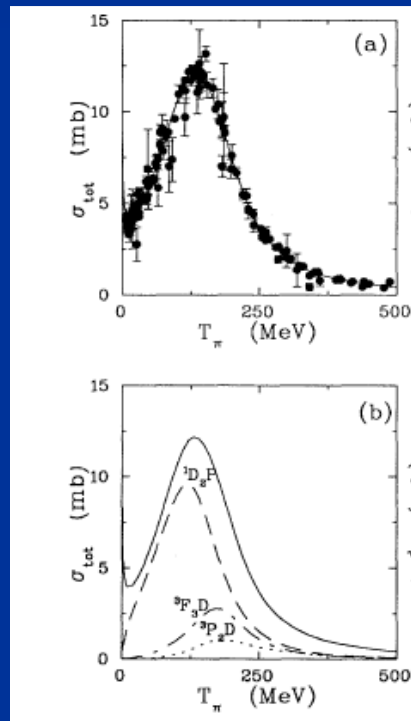
Early Predictions of Dibaryons

- 1964 Dyson & Xoung: 6 non-strange states
- 1975 Jaffe: H-dibaryon ($uudds$: $\Lambda\Lambda$)
- Thereafter:
- multitude of predictions of a vast number of dibaryon states (Nijmegen group, ...)
- \Rightarrow **Dibaryon Rush Era:**
- Many experimental claims ...
- but **no single one firmly** established finally

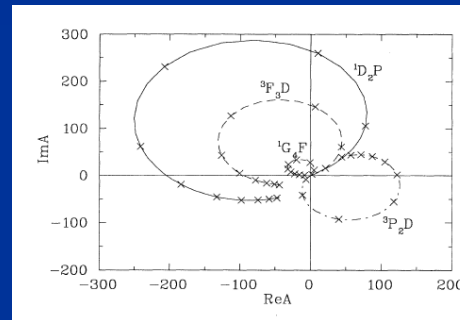
Possibly the only survivor: 1D_2 Resonance

- Best seen in $pp \leftrightarrow d\pi^+$,
 - but also in $pp \rightarrow pn\pi^+$ as well as pp and π^+d scattering (phaseshift analyses)

$\sigma_{\text{tot}} (\pi^+d \rightarrow pp)$



Argand plot



R.A. Arndt et al., PRD 35 (1987) 128
 PRC 48 (1993) 1926
 50 (1994) 1796
 56 (1997) 635
 N. Hoshizaki, PRC 45 (1992) R1424
 Prog. Theor. Phys. 89 (1993) 245
 251
 563
 569

$I(J^P) = 1(2^+)$
 $M \approx 2148 \text{ MeV} = m_\Delta + m_N - 22 \text{ MeV}$
 $\Gamma \approx 126 \text{ MeV} \approx \Gamma_\Delta$

Alternative description: cusp, virtual state, reflection D. Bugg et al.
 However, not consistent!!! Kukuljin and Platonova PRD 94 (2016) 054039

Conclusion from the Failures in the Dibaryon Rush Era:

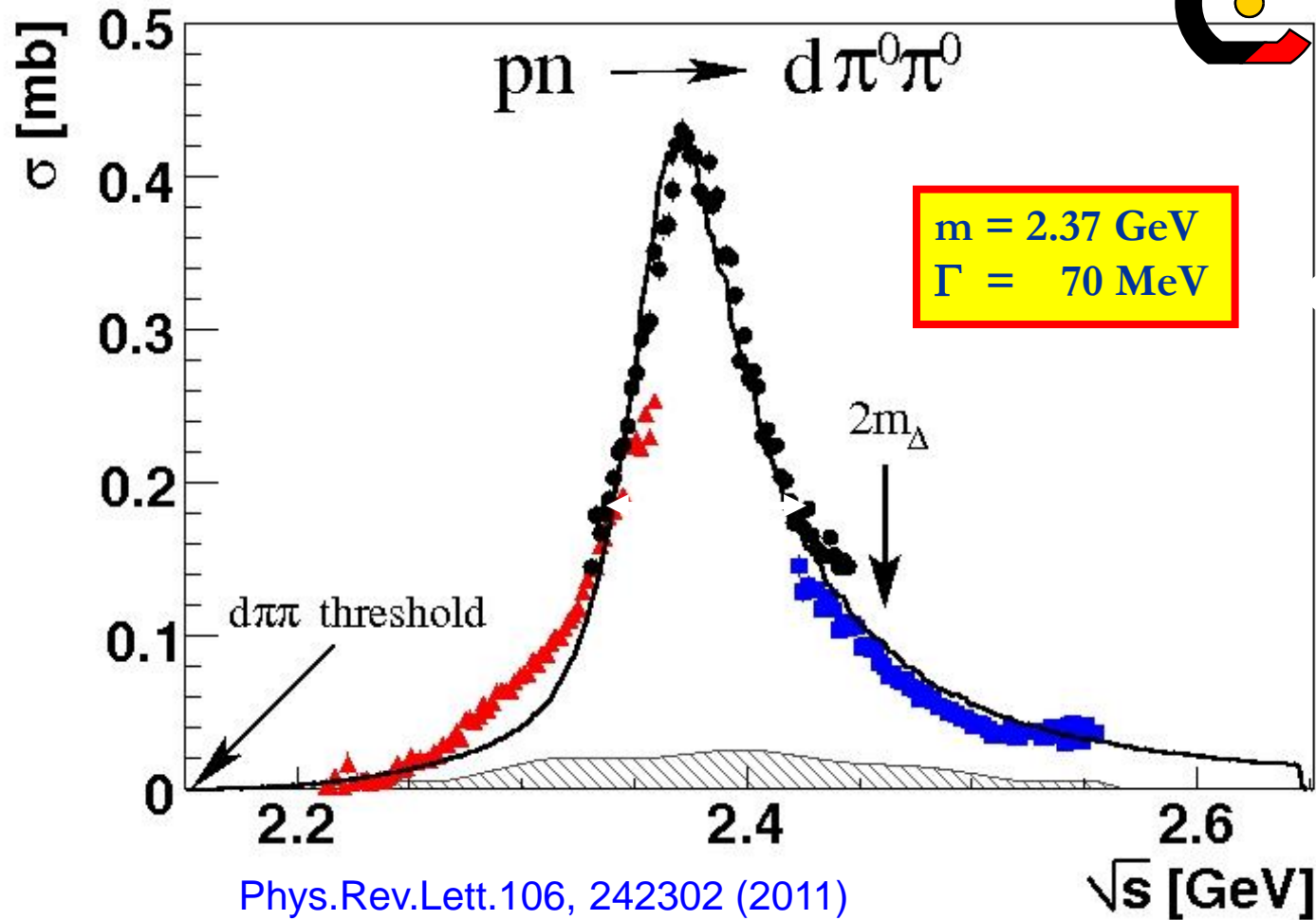
Do Exclusive and kinematically complete measurements

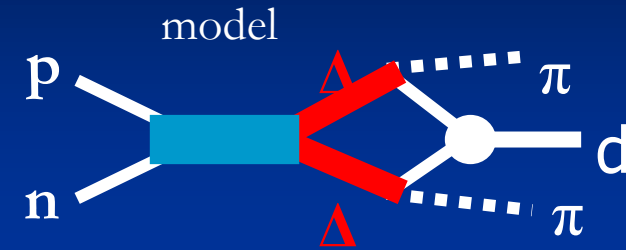
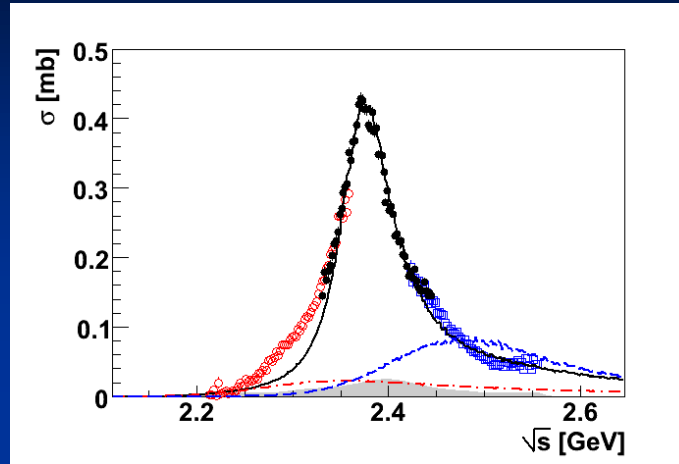
■ Our approach:

- Two-pion production with best suited equipment
 - 4π detector: WASA
 - pellet target: p and d
 - storage ring: CELSIUS \rightarrow COSY
- The learning phase:
 - pp induced two-pion production
- Following a trace:
 - the ABC effect in double-pionic fusion
- The surprise:
 - a narrow resonance in pn induced **isoscalar** two-pion production



Isoscalar : Results from WASA at COSY



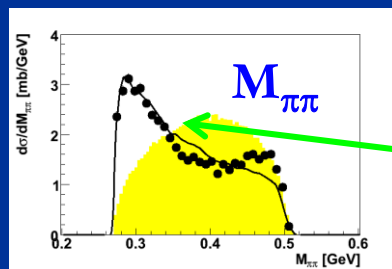
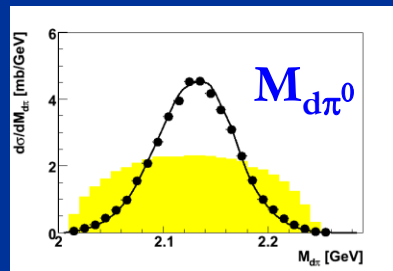
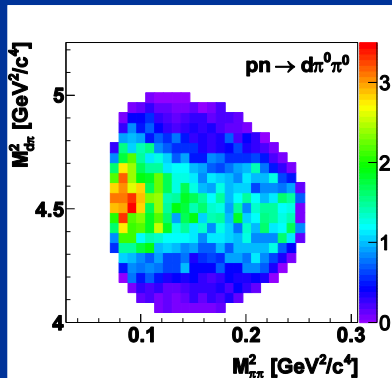
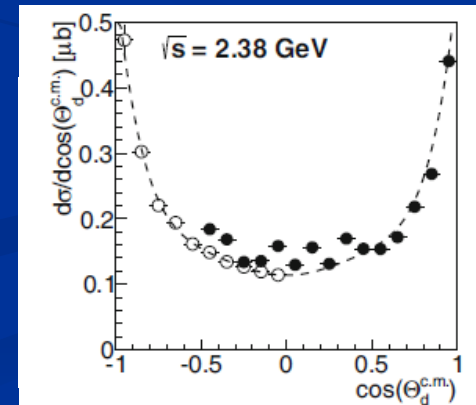


$I (J^P) = 0 (3^+)$

$M, \Gamma, \Gamma_i * \Gamma_f, F(q_{\Delta\Delta})$

Phys.Rev.Lett.106, 242302 (2011)

EPJA 52 (2016) 147

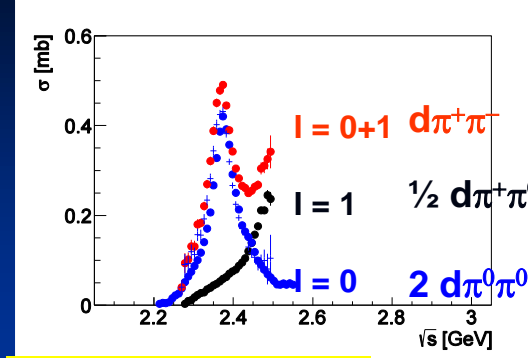
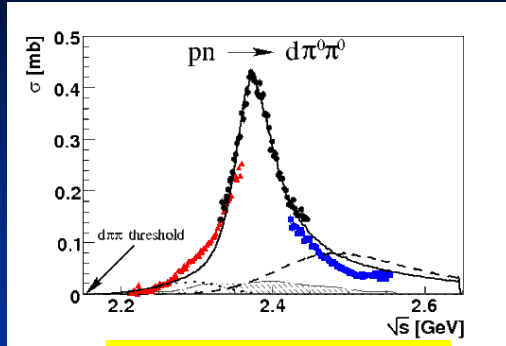


ABC effect

hadronic decays

PRL 106 (2011) 242302

○ ● ○ WASA data



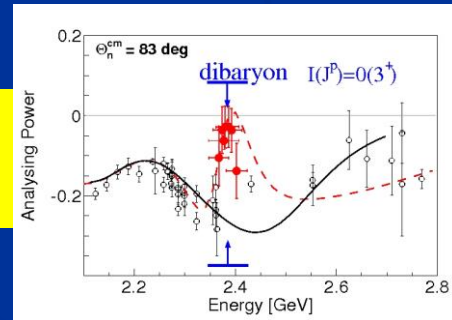
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$d\pi^0\pi^0$

$d\pi^+\pi^-$

$pn \rightarrow d^*(2380)$

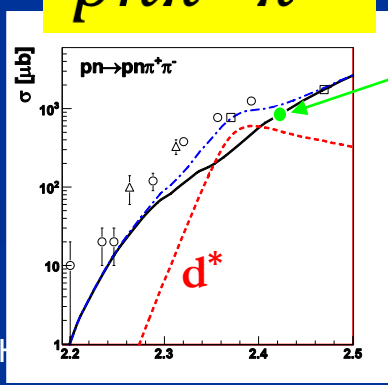
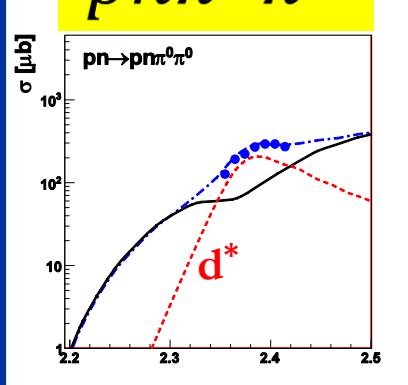
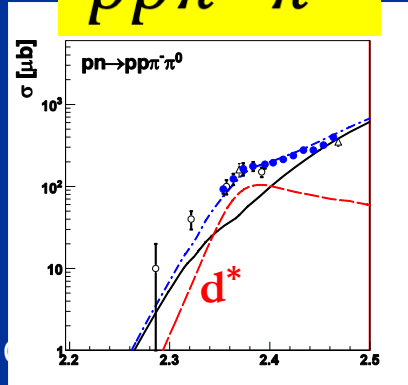
pn



$pp\pi^-\pi^0$

$pn\pi^0\pi^0$

$pn\pi^+\pi^-$



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HADES PLB 750 (2015) 184

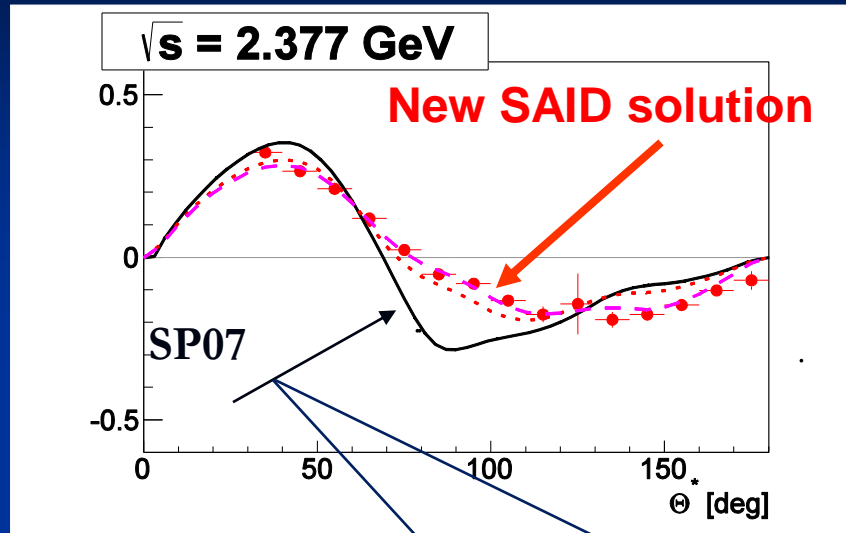
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$\rightarrow \sqrt{s}$ [GeV]

np Elastic: Angular Distributions at Resonance

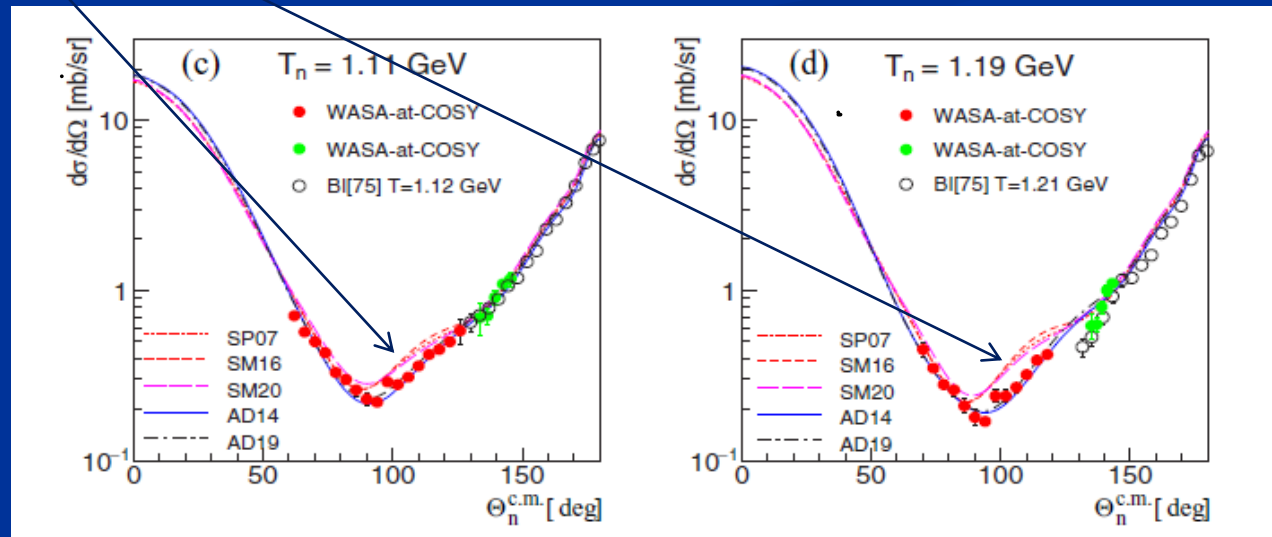


$A_y(\theta)$



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$\sigma(\theta)$

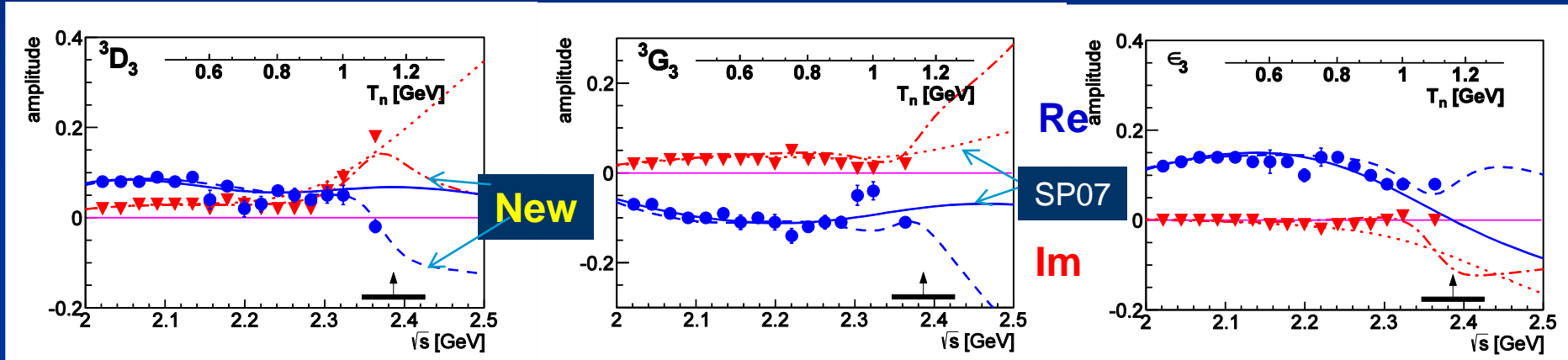


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SAID Partial-Wave Analysis

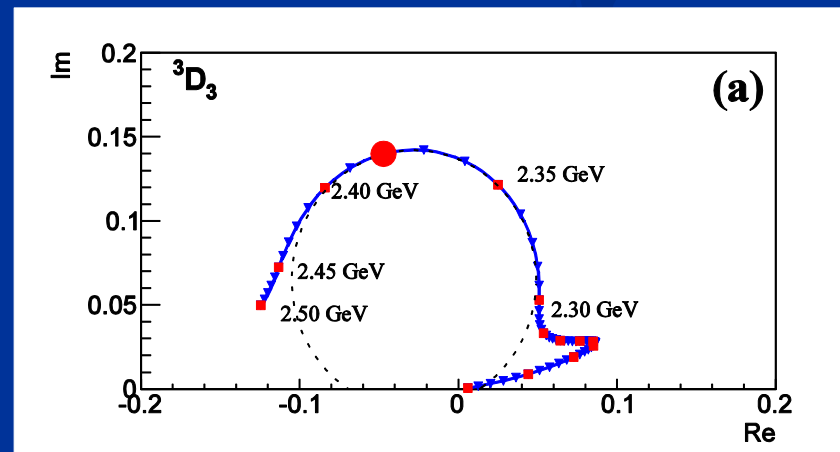
${}^3D_3 - {}^3G_3$ Coupled Partial Waves

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Argand diagram:

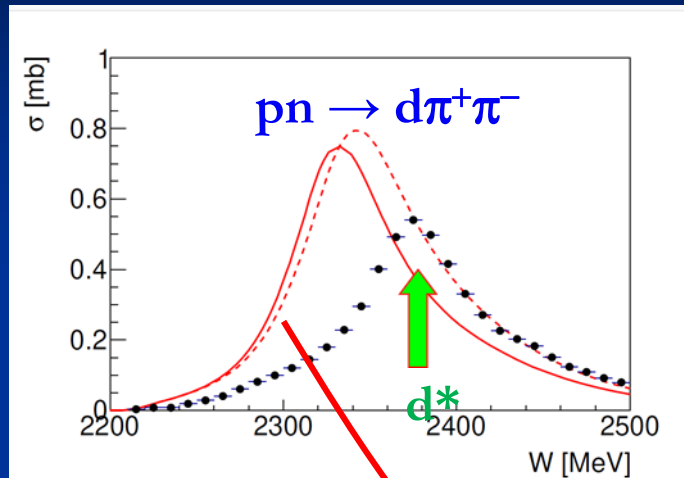
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Pole in 3D_3 at
 $2380 \pm 10 - i 40 \pm 5$ MeV

⇔ Genuine Resonance
 in np System

Sequential Single-Pion Production



arxiv 2106.0094



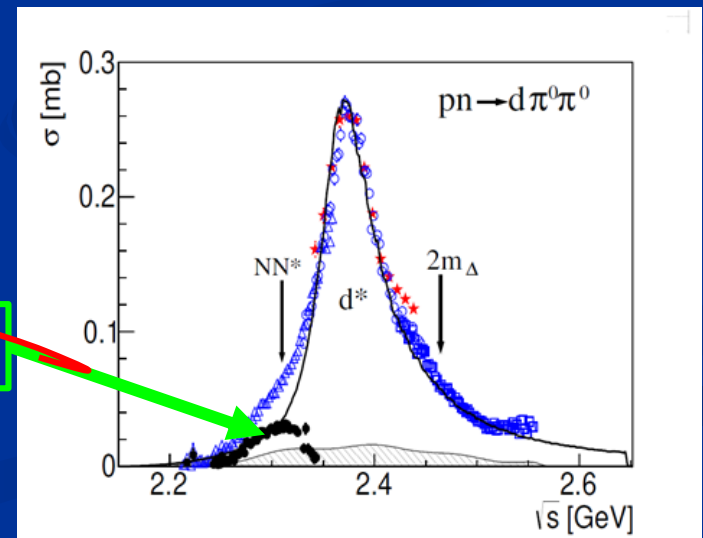
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Using proper single-pion data
and proper partial waves



$J^P = 1^+ \text{ and } 1^-$



Branching Ratios for the Decay of $d^*(2380)$

- hadronic decays

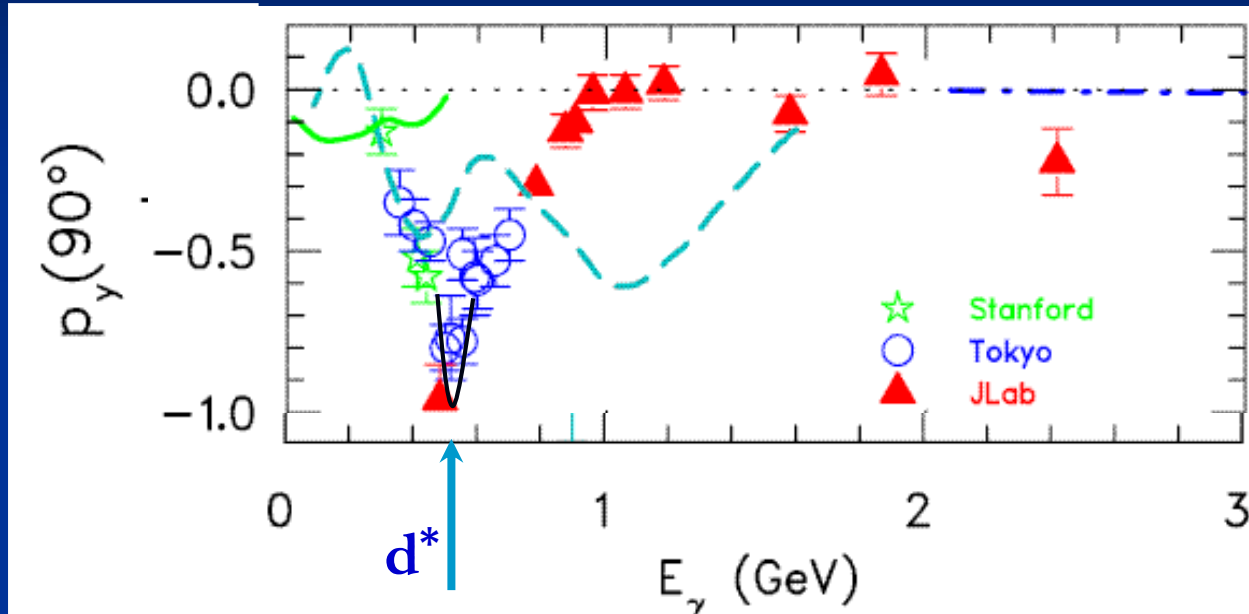
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decay channel	branching	derived from
$d \pi^0 \pi^0$	$14 \pm 1 \%$	measurement
$d \pi^+ \pi^-$	$23 \pm 2 \%$	measurement
$pp \pi^0 \pi^-$	$6 \pm 1 \%$	measurement
$nn \pi^+ \pi^0$	$6 \pm 1 \%$	isospin mirrored
$np \pi^0 \pi^0$	$12 \pm 2 \%$	measurement
$np \pi^+ \pi^-$	$30 \pm 4 \%$	measurement (old data + HADES)
np	$12 \pm 3 \%$	measurement
$(NN\pi)_{I=0}$	$< 5 \%$ (90% C.L.)	measurement

consistent with isospin coupling for a $\Delta\Delta$ intermediate system*

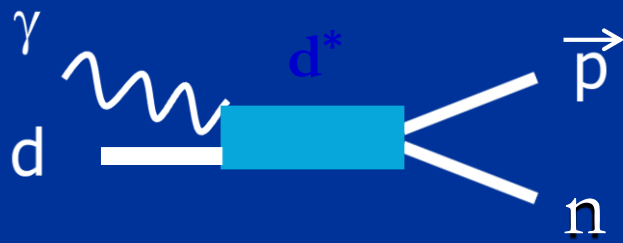
*see also Fäldt & Wilkin, PLB 701 (2011) 619, Albaladejo & Oset, PRC 88(2003) 014006

Further hints: $\gamma d \rightarrow \vec{p}n$



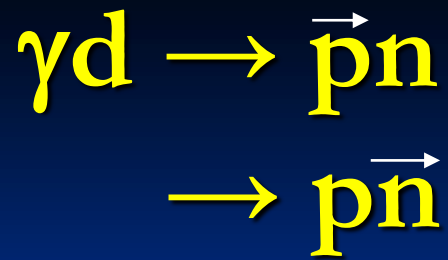
R. Gilman and F. Gross AIP Conf. Proc. 603 (2001) 55

K. Wijesooriya et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 86 (2001) 2975



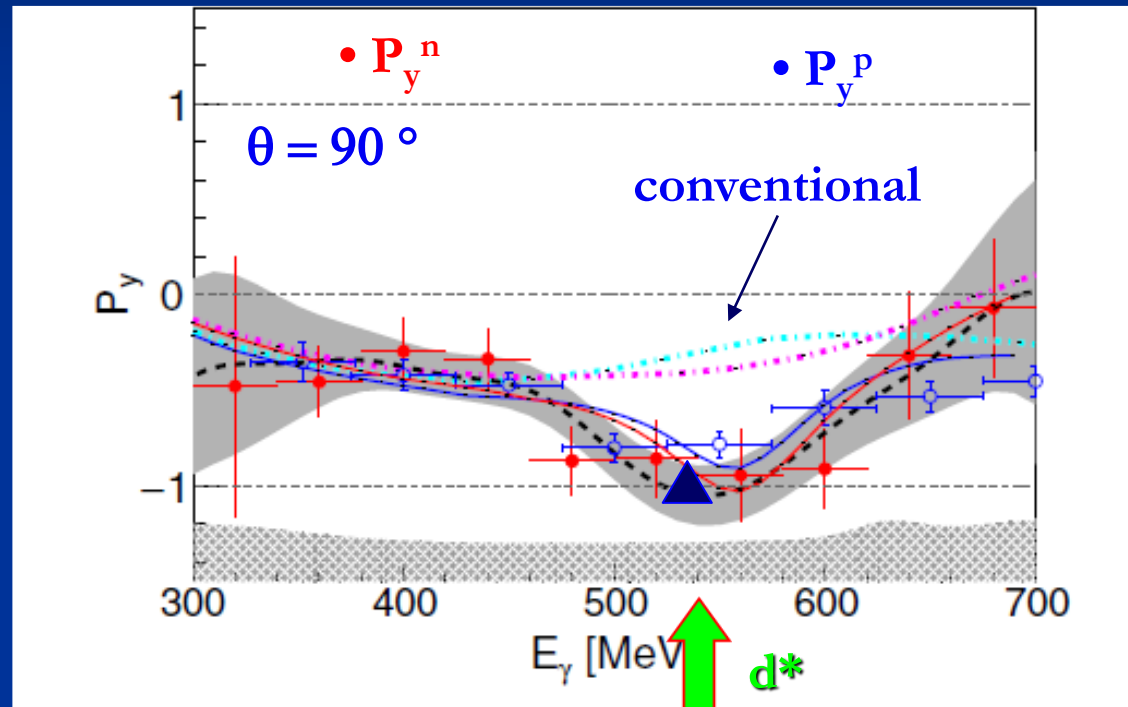
T. Kamae, T. Fujita Phys. Rev. Lett. 38 (1977) 471

H. Ikeda et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 42 (1979) 1321



$P_y^p = P_y^n = -1$
 \rightarrow
 pn system in S=1

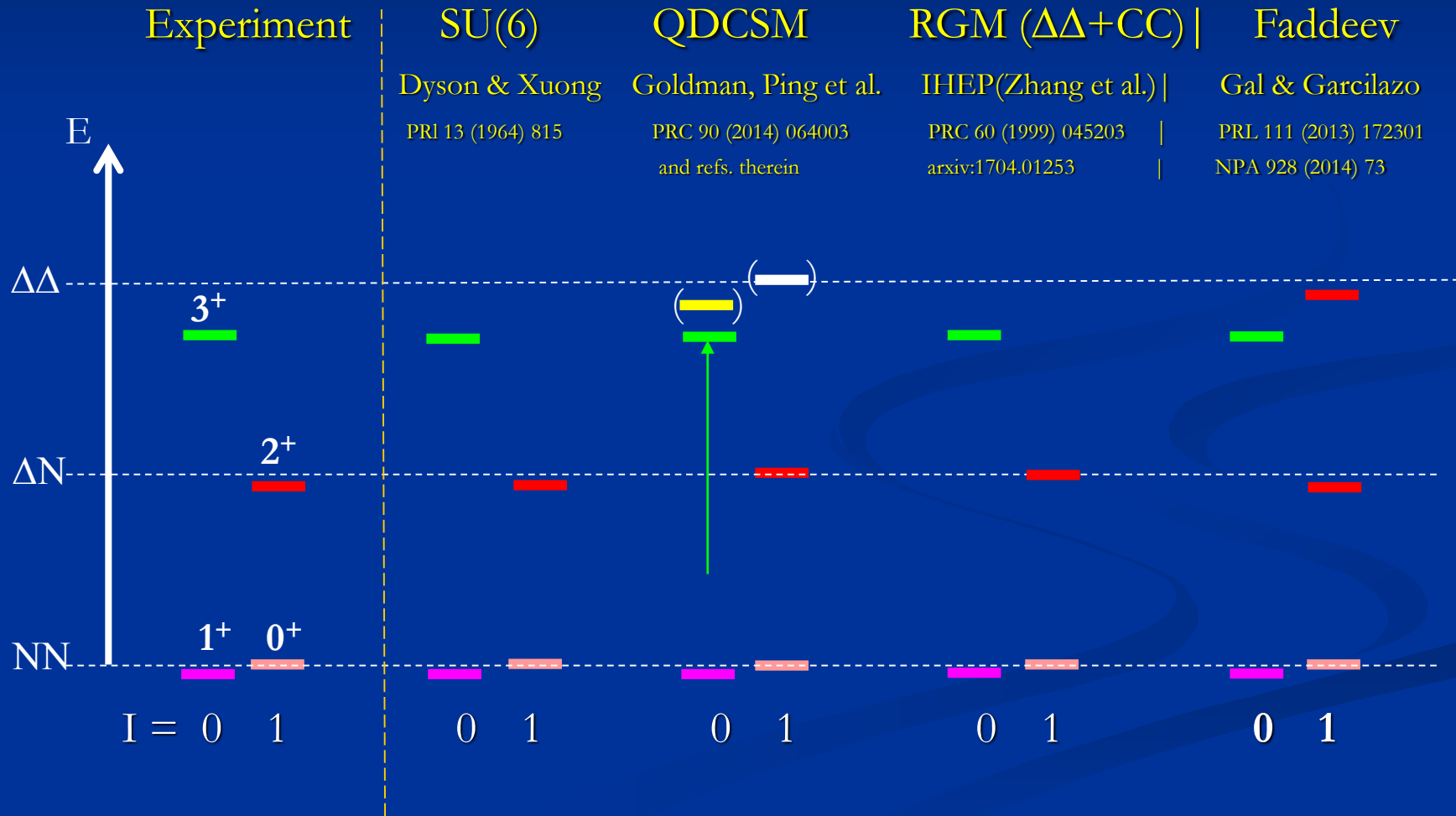
PWA ???



Legendre decomposition of P_y :
 P_3^1 gives largest contribution

A2-MAMI, PRL 124 (2020) 132001

Comparison to predictions from Quark and Hadron Models



Width of $d^*(2380)$

- Experiment: $\Gamma \approx 70 \text{ MeV}$
 - (t-channel $\Delta\Delta$: $\approx 250 \text{ MeV}$)
- QDCSM: 110 MeV PRC 89 (2014) 034001
- Faddeev: $(94 + 10) \text{ MeV}$ NPA 928 (2014) 73
 - Hidden Color? PLB 727(2013) 438
- RGM ($\Delta\Delta + CC$) 72 MeV PRC 94 (2016) 014003

Molecule vs Hexaquark

Size of $d^*(2380)$

- Estimate from uncertainty relation:

$$R \approx \hbar c / \sqrt{2\mu B}$$

$$B_{\Delta\Delta} \approx 80 \text{ MeV} \Rightarrow R \approx 0.5 \text{ fm}$$

- QCD model IHEP

0.8 fm

- QCD model Nangjing (LAMPF)

0.8 fm

- LQCD (HAL QCD)

PLB 811 (2020) 135935

0.8 – 1 fm

hexaquark

- Faddeev hadr. G&G

PLB 769 (2017) 436

1.5 – 2 fm

molecule

Branching via Intermediate State

hexaquark

■ $d^* \rightarrow \Delta\Delta \rightarrow NN\pi\pi$

IHEP., PRC 94 (2016) 014003

molecule

$d^* \rightarrow {}^1D_2 \pi \rightarrow NN\pi\pi$



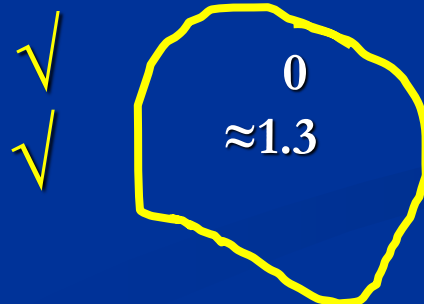
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channel rel. branching | rel. branching

channel	rel. branching	rel. branching
$d \pi^0 \pi^0$	1	1
$d \pi^+ \pi^-$	2	2
$np \pi^0 \pi^0$	1	1
$np \pi^+ \pi^-$	5/2	5/2
$pp \pi^0 \pi^-$	1/2	1/2

Identical
Isospin
Relations

$np \approx 0.9$
 $(NN\pi)_{I=0} \approx 0$



Rèsumè

Zhang, Chen, Shen et al.

Huang, Ping, Wang et al.

Gal & Garcilazo

Dyson's prediction

■ Non-Strange Two-Baryon Spectrum

■ 3 established states: 3S_1 deuteron groundstate

1S_0 virtual state

1D_2 resonance (ΔN)

■ 1 new - **presumably exotic** - state:

$d^*(2380)$ resonance ($\Delta\Delta$)

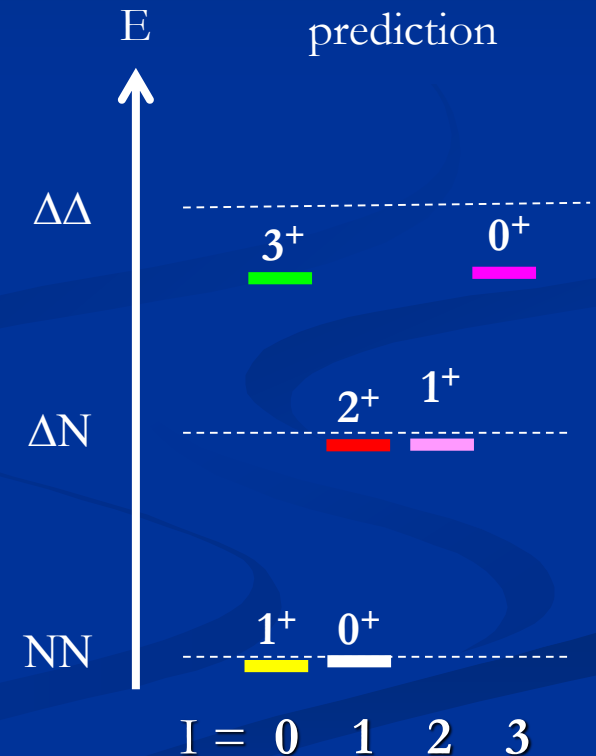
■ Are there more states?

■ NN-decoupled states with $I = 2, 3$?

■ Search in $pp \rightarrow pp\pi^+ \pi^-$

and in $pp \rightarrow pp\pi^+\pi^+ \pi^-\pi^-$

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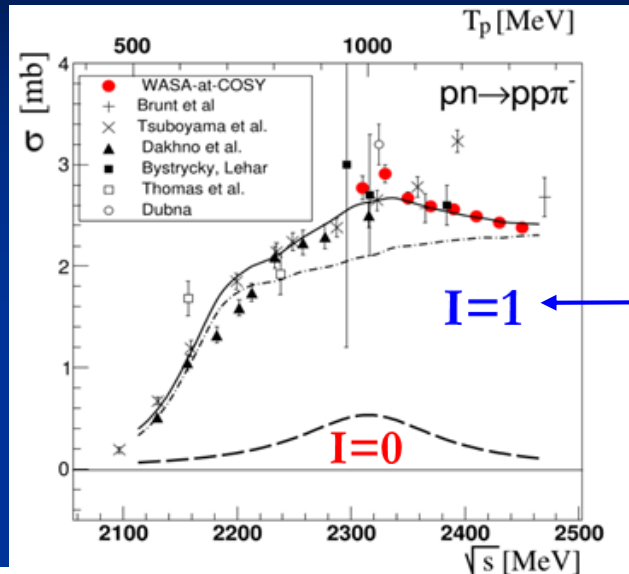


(Molecular) States near ΔN Threshold

	I = 1			I = 2		
S-wave:	2^+	$(^1D_2)$	D_{12}	1^+	$(^3P_1)$	D_{21}
				WASA		
				PRL 121 (2018) 052001		
P-wave:	0^-	$(^3P_0)$	COSY-ANKE			
	2^-	$(^3P_2)$	-“- ,	SAID		
	3^-	$(^3F_3)$	SAID	(?)		

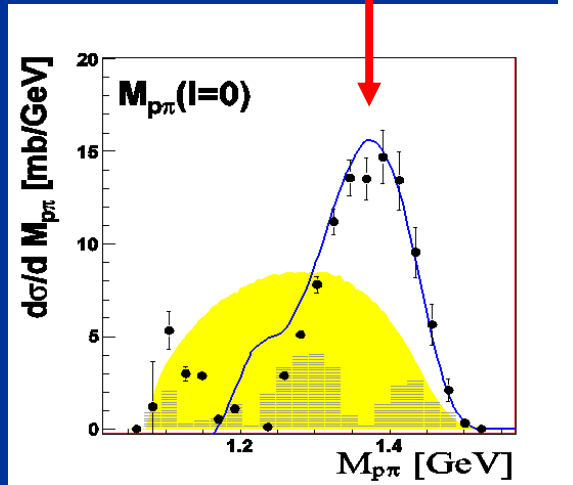
Isoscalar Single-Pion Production: N^*N

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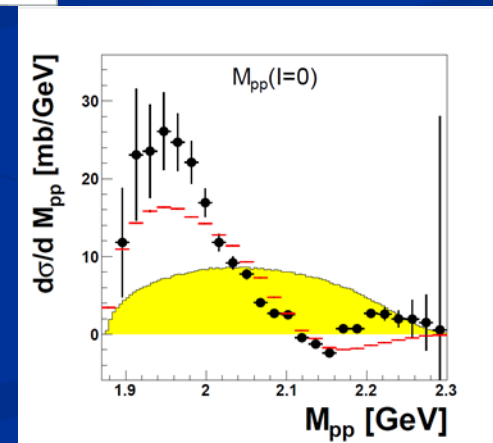


$$\frac{1}{2} \sigma(pp \rightarrow pp\pi^0)$$

Roper



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(Molecular) States near NN^* Threshold



$I = 0$

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$I = 1$

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S-wave:

$1^+ (^3S_1)$

$0^+ (^1S_0) ??$

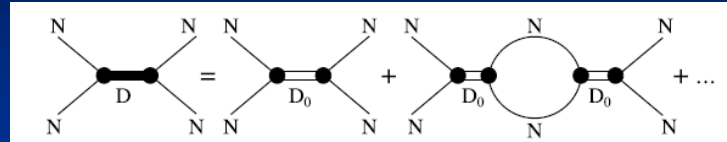
P-wave:

$1^- (^1P_1)$

PWA: Sarantsev et al., EPJA 43 (2010) 11

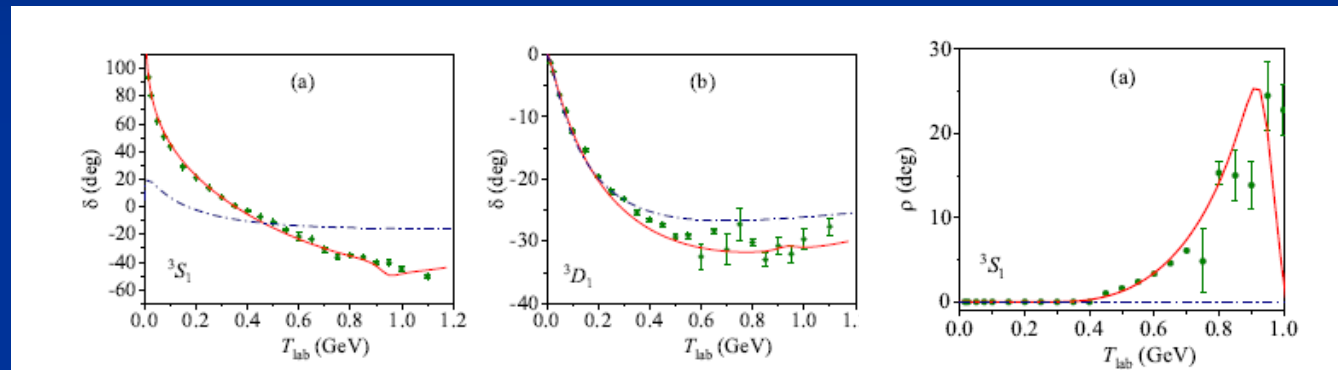
NN-interaction with intermediate dibaryon formation

- Kukulini†, Platonova et al.
- π -exchange +



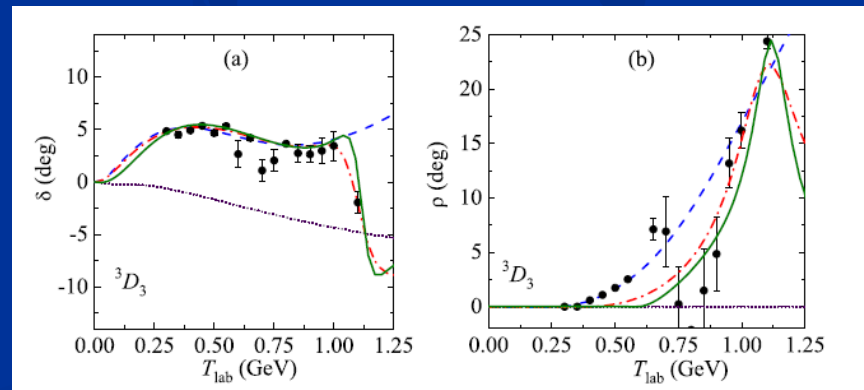
${}^3S_1 - {}^3D_1$

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3D_3

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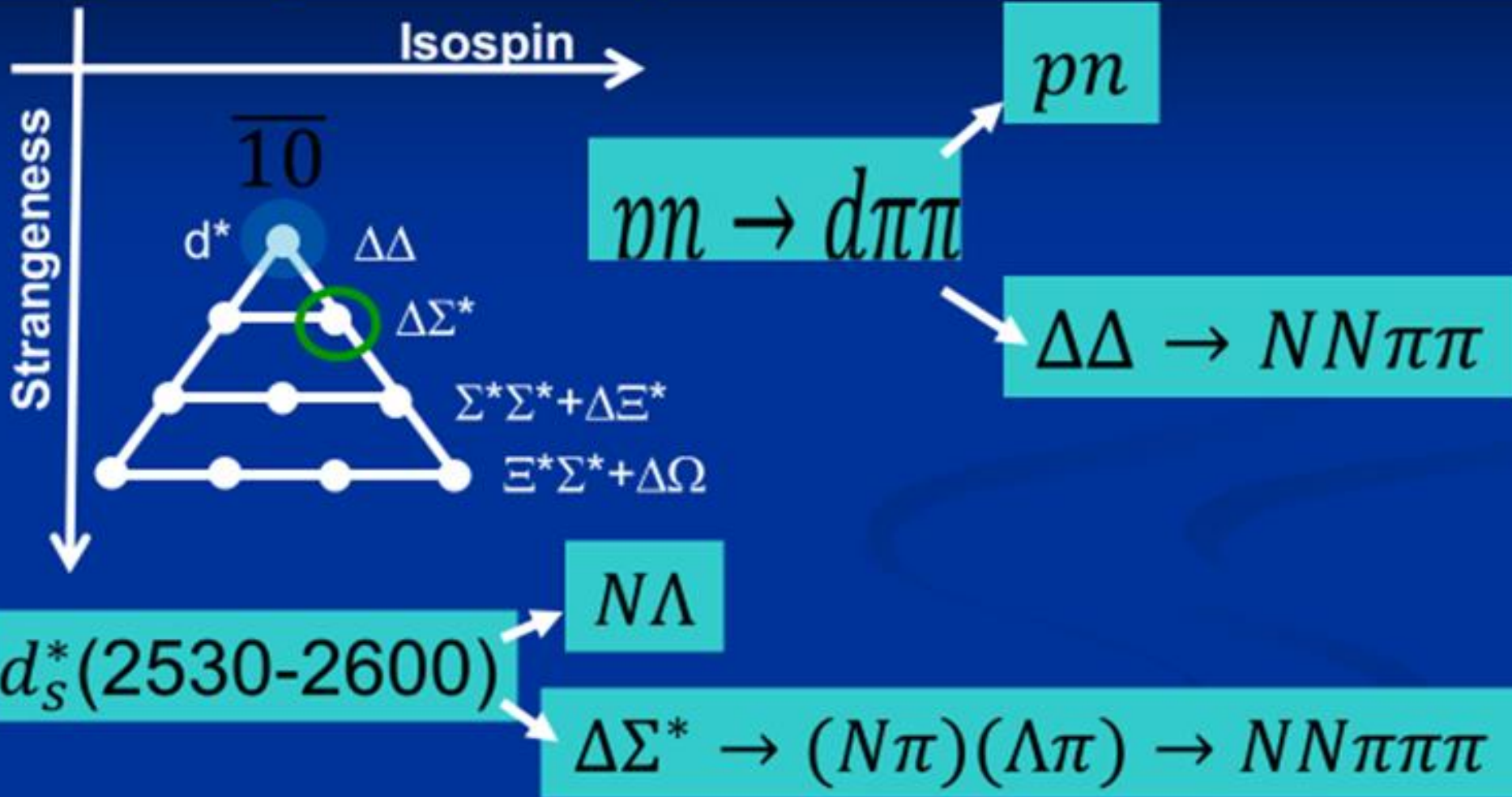


Outlook and Open Problems

- Size of d^* (2380)
 - \Rightarrow elm excitation of d^* $ed \rightarrow ed^* \rightarrow ed\pi^0\pi^0$
- Observation at other installations
 - HADES @ GSI: but no full 4π
 - IHEP ?? $e^+e^- \rightarrow \bar{d} d^*$ at 4.3 – 4.6 GeV ??
 - KEK, JPARC, LHCb, others ???
- Astrophysical relevance? (M. Bashkanov, York)
- Are there more (exotic) dibaryons?
 - D_{30} mirror state of d^*
 - strange, charmed and beautiful dibaryons??

Strange Dibaryon

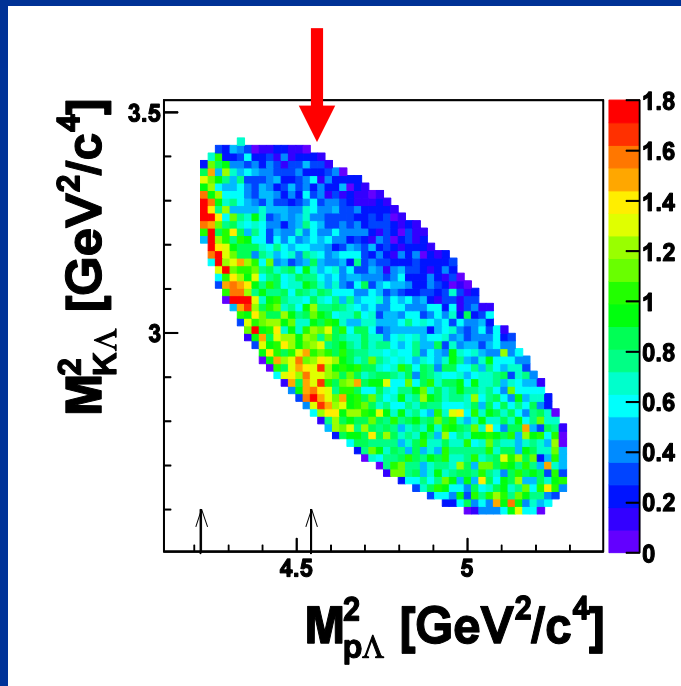
M. Bashkanov, York



$pp \rightarrow K^+ p \Lambda$

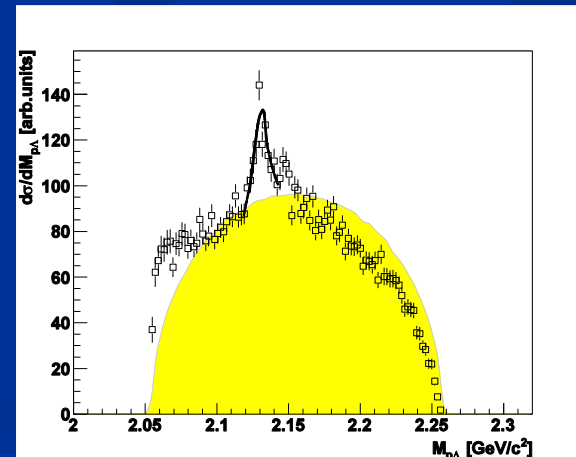
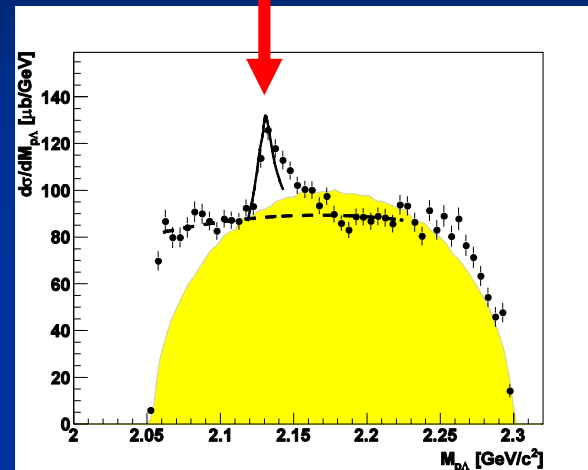
■ COSY-TOF

$N\Sigma$ threshold

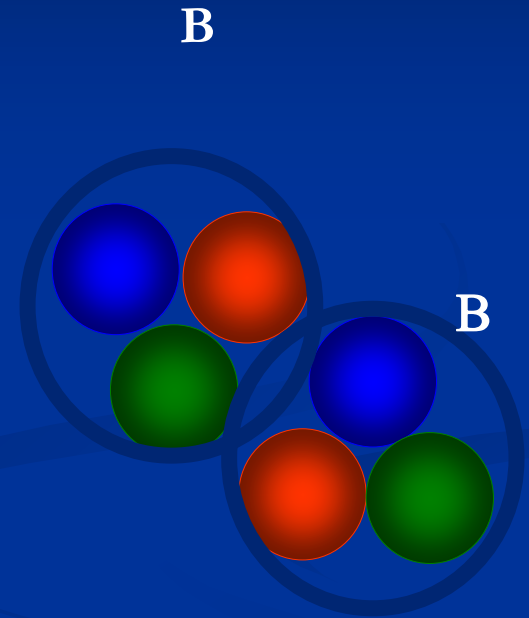


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$N\Sigma$ cusp



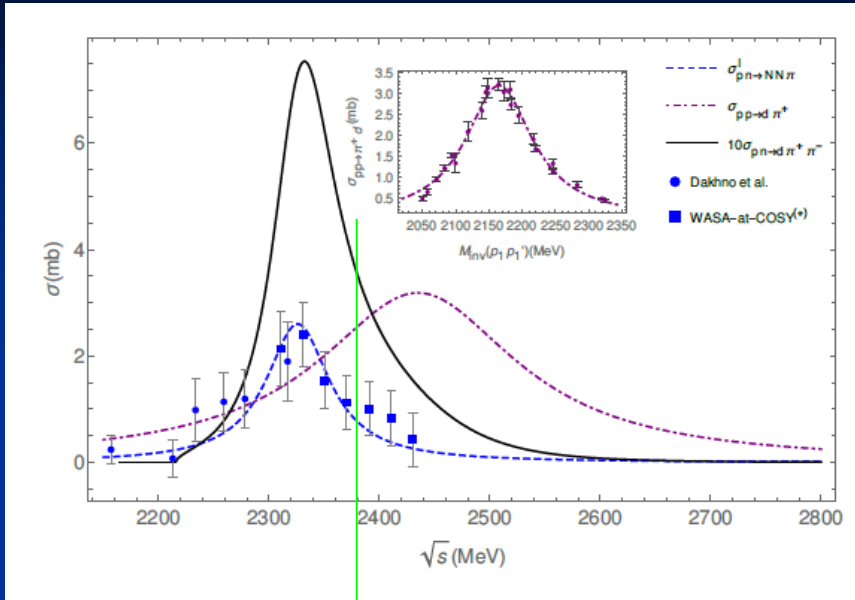
- ... still much to do



Backup Slides

Sequential Single-Pion Production

Oset et al., arXiv: 2102.05575



PWA: $pn(^3D_3) \rightarrow pp(^1D_2)\pi^- \leq 10\%$

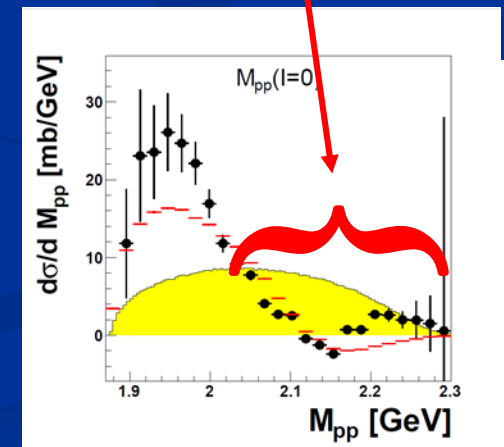
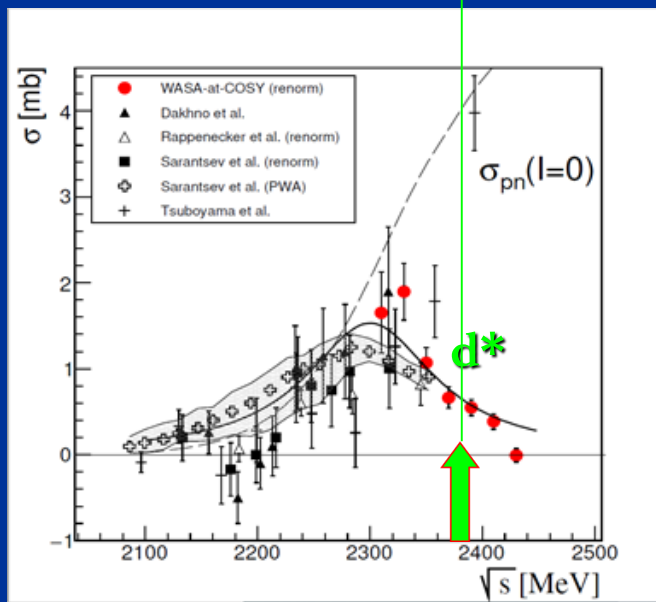
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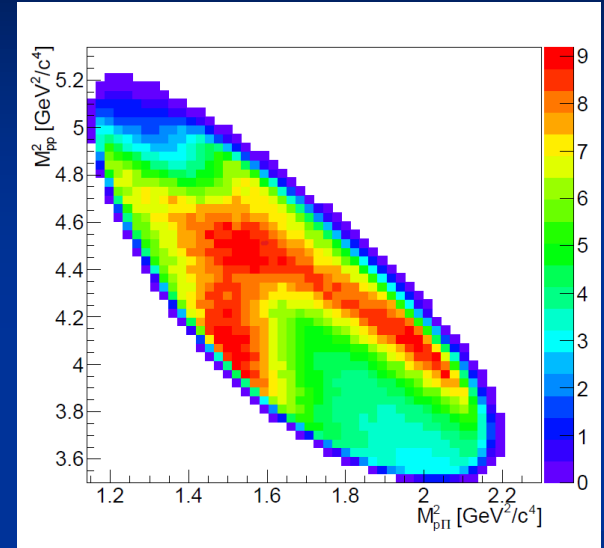
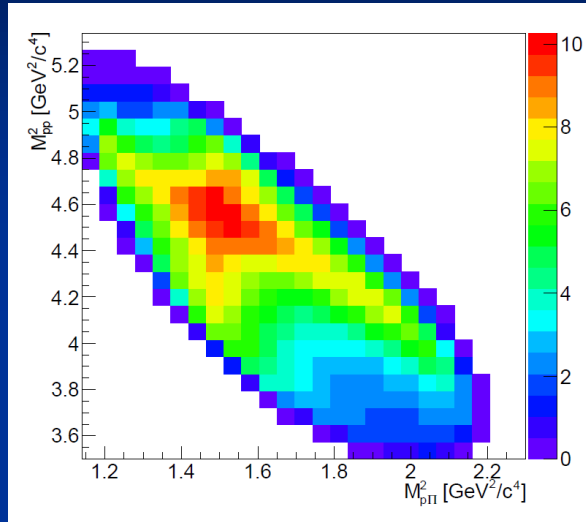
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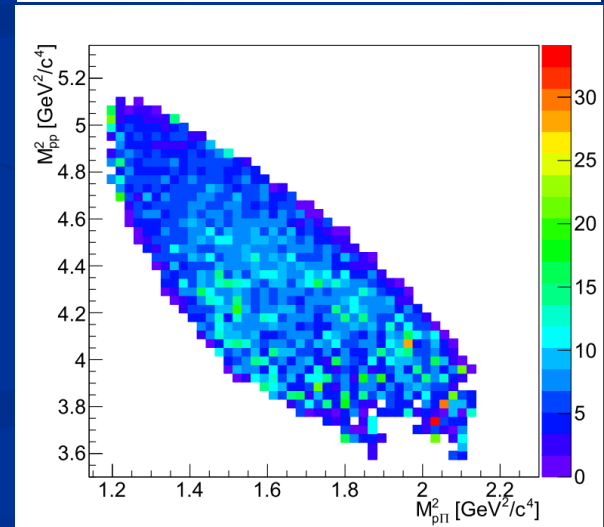
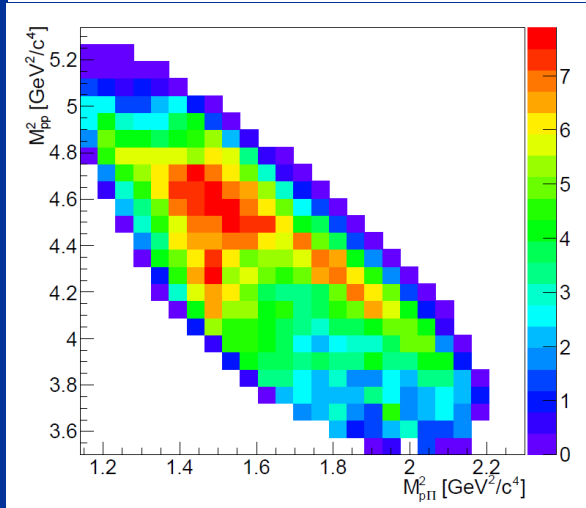


$$pp \rightarrow pp\pi^0$$

$$pn \rightarrow pp\pi^-$$



MC



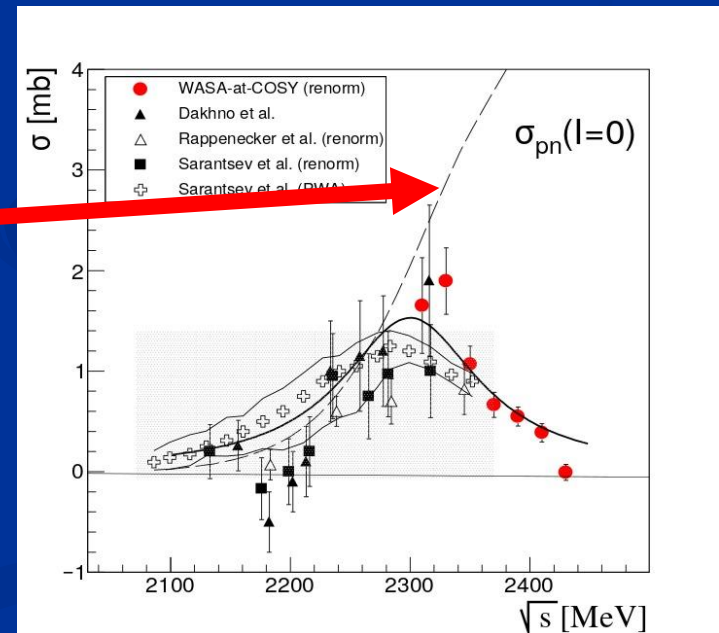
Data

States near $NN^*(1440)$ Threshold?

- Isoscalar Single Pion Production:

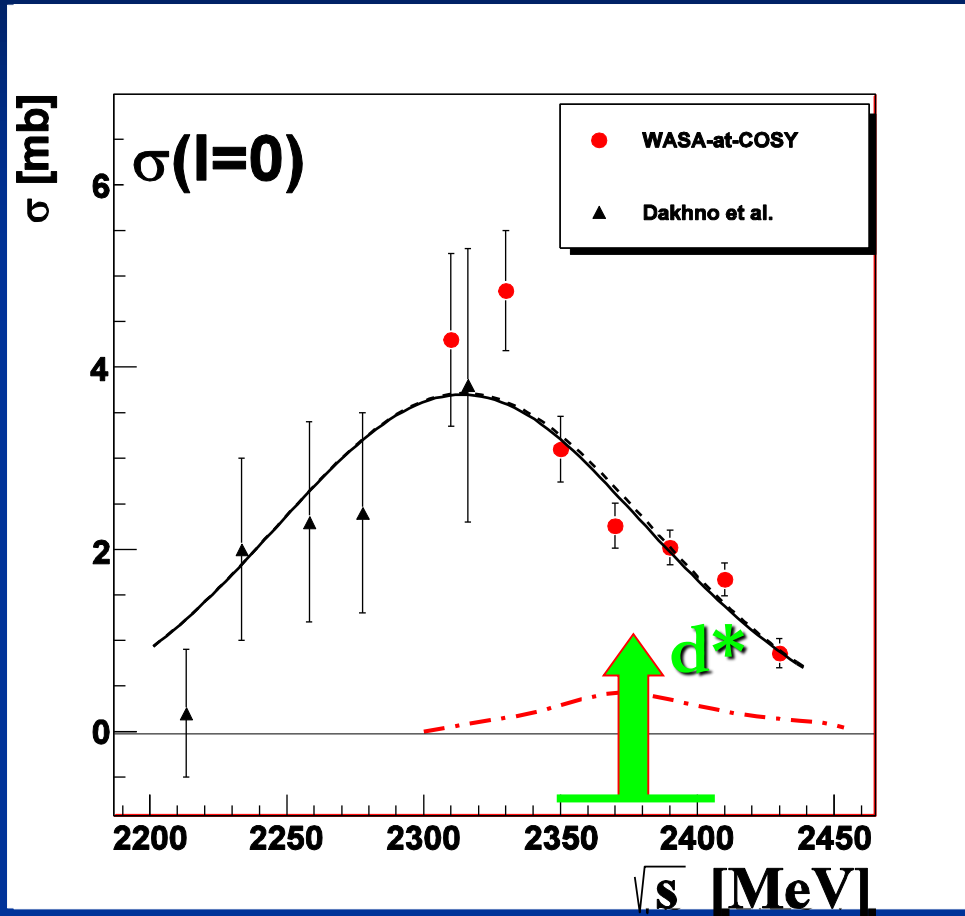
- $$\sigma_{NN \rightarrow NN\pi}(I=0) = 3/2(2\sigma_{np \rightarrow pp\pi^-} - \sigma_{pp \rightarrow pp\pi^0})$$

- *Expect rising cross section,*
- *but falls off beyond 2.3 GeV*



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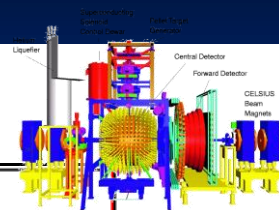
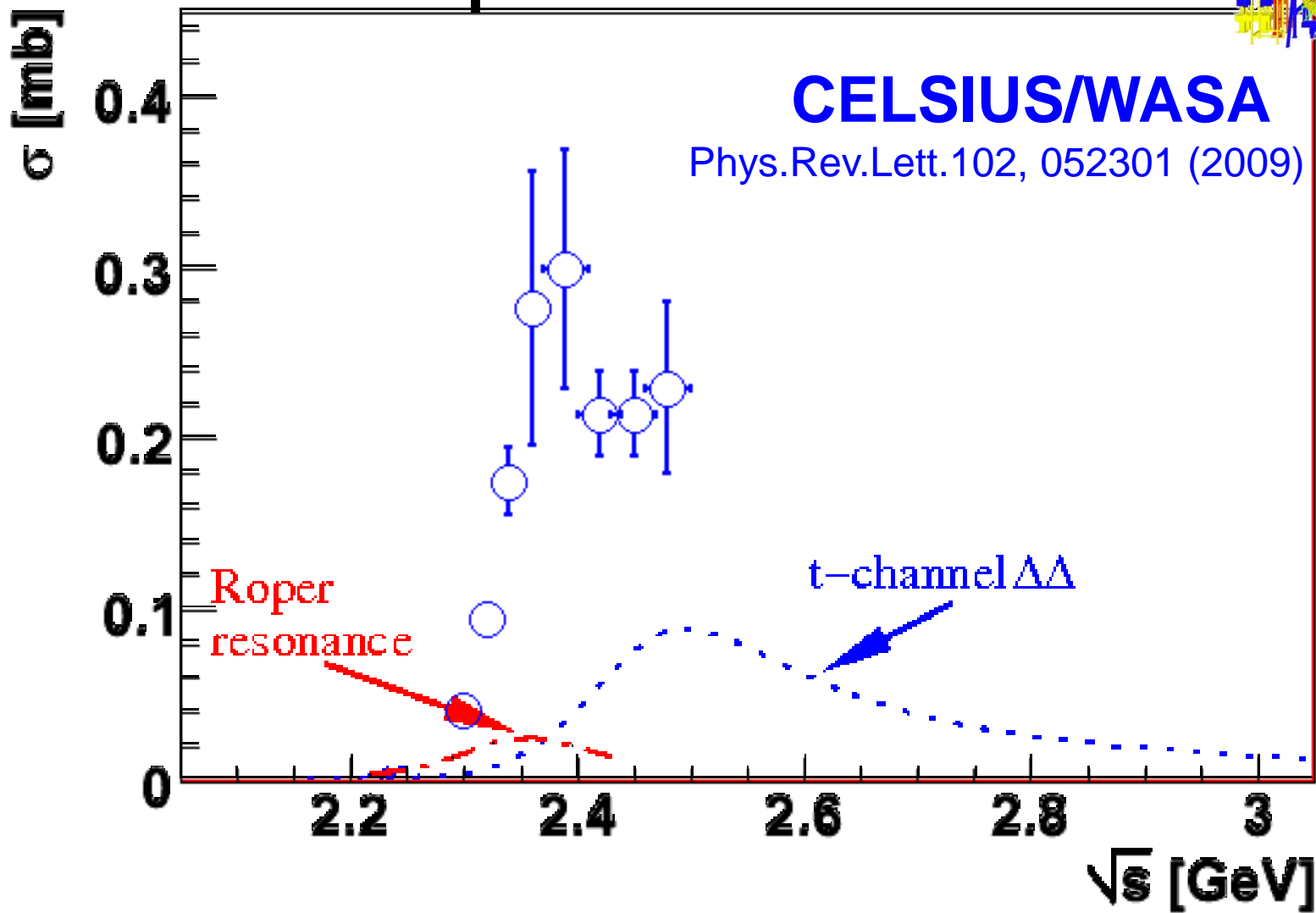
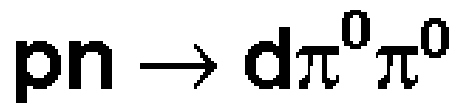
Isoscalar Single-Pion Production



BR < 5%
(90% C.L.)

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Isoscalar : ... and this is what we found!



„Experimentum Crucis“ for d^*

If d^* a true s-channel resonance



then also a resonance in the np system



to be sensed in np scattering

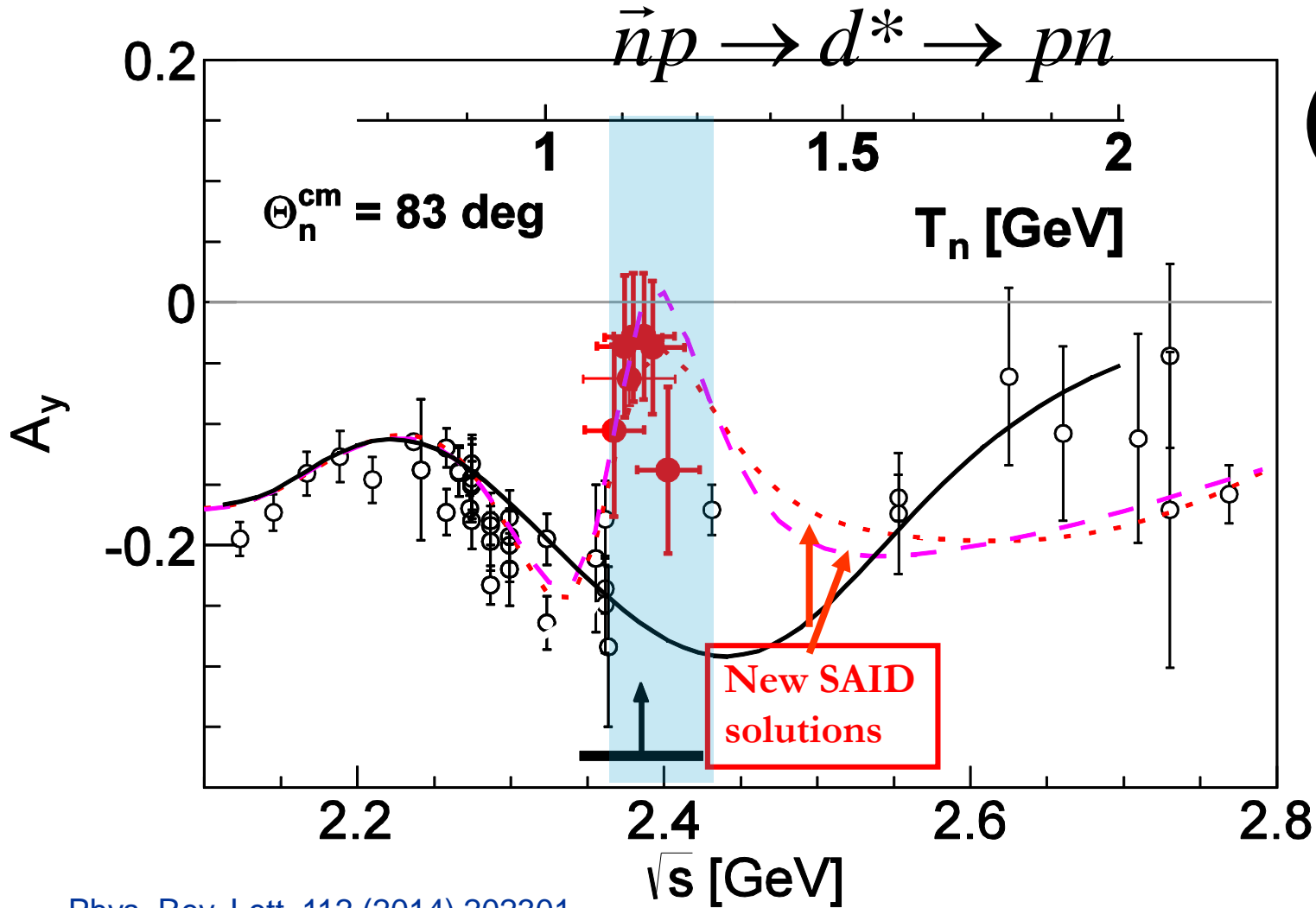


in particular in the analyzing power



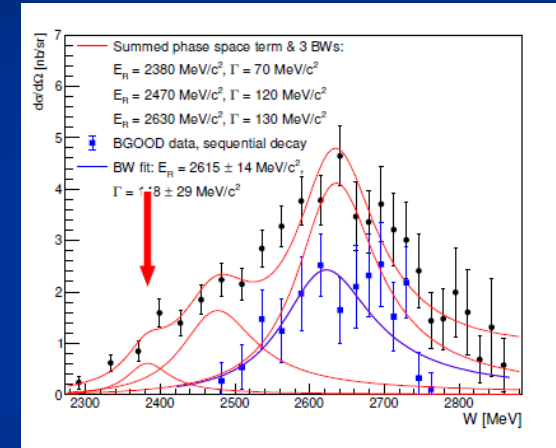
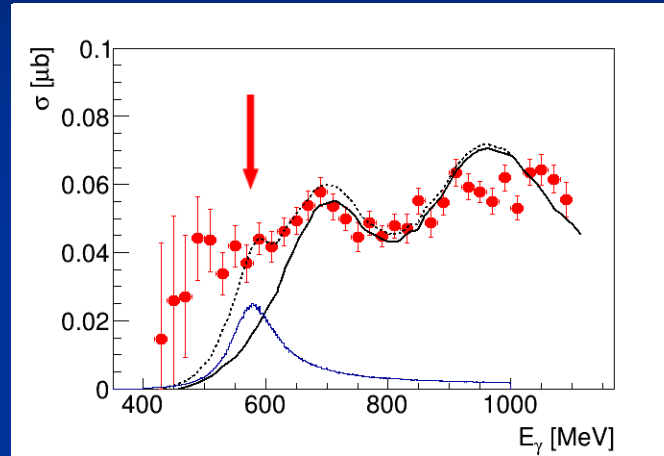
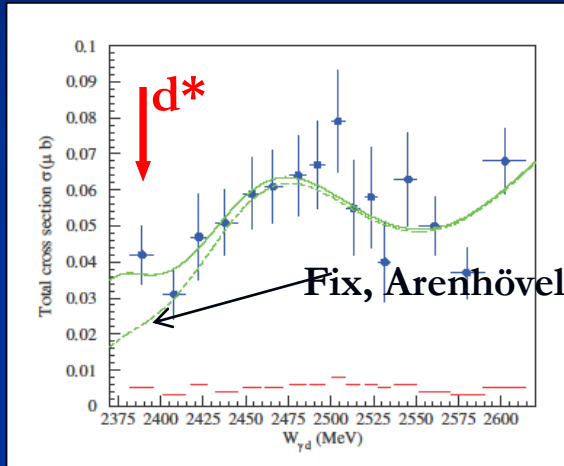
resonance effect $\sim P_3^1(\Theta)$
i.e. maximal at $\Theta = 90^\circ$

Energy Dependence



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$\gamma d \rightarrow d\pi^0\pi^0$



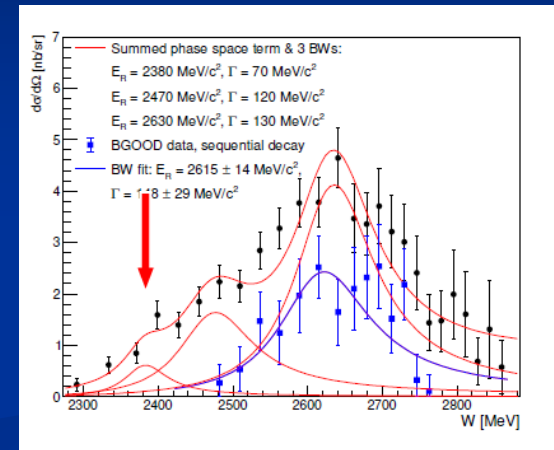
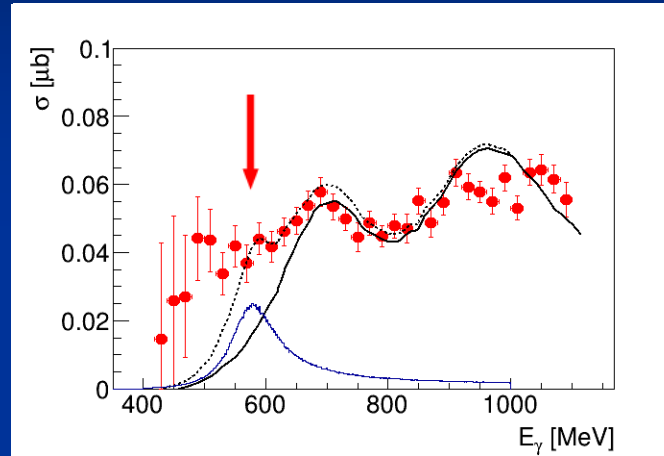
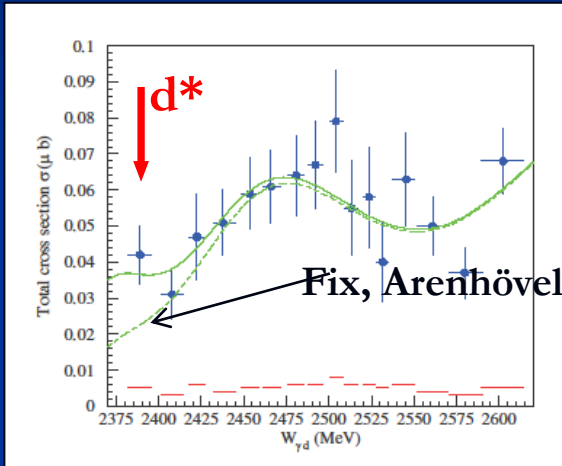
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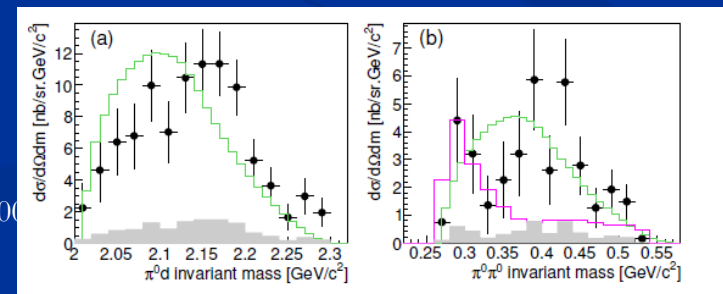


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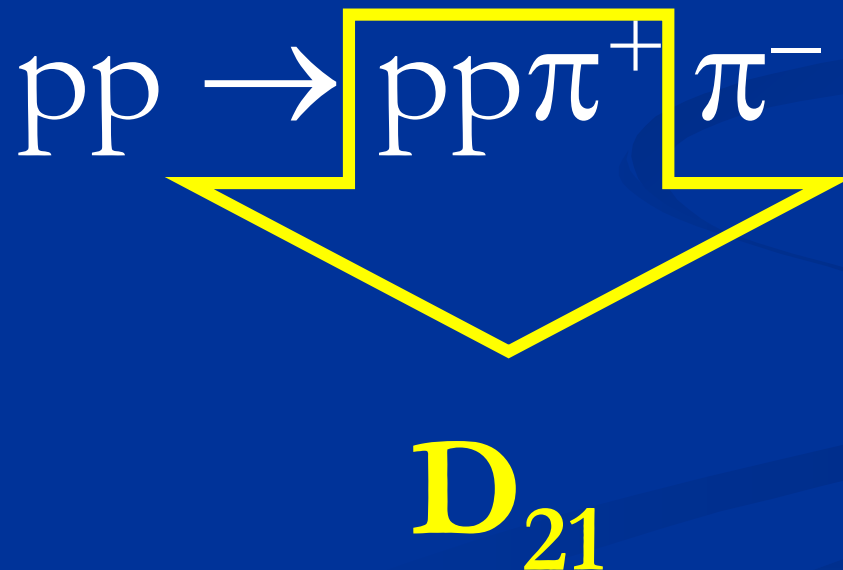
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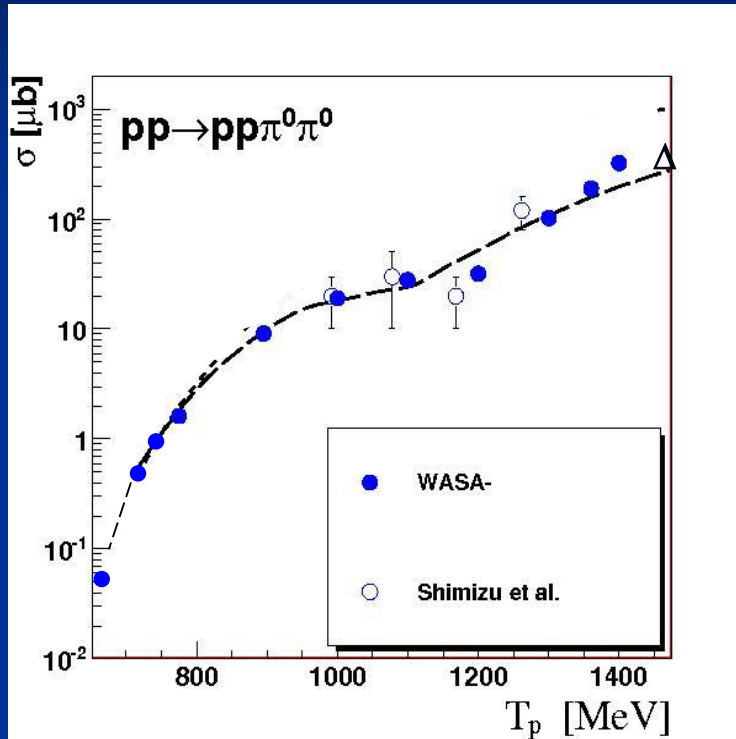


Where can D_{21} be seen?

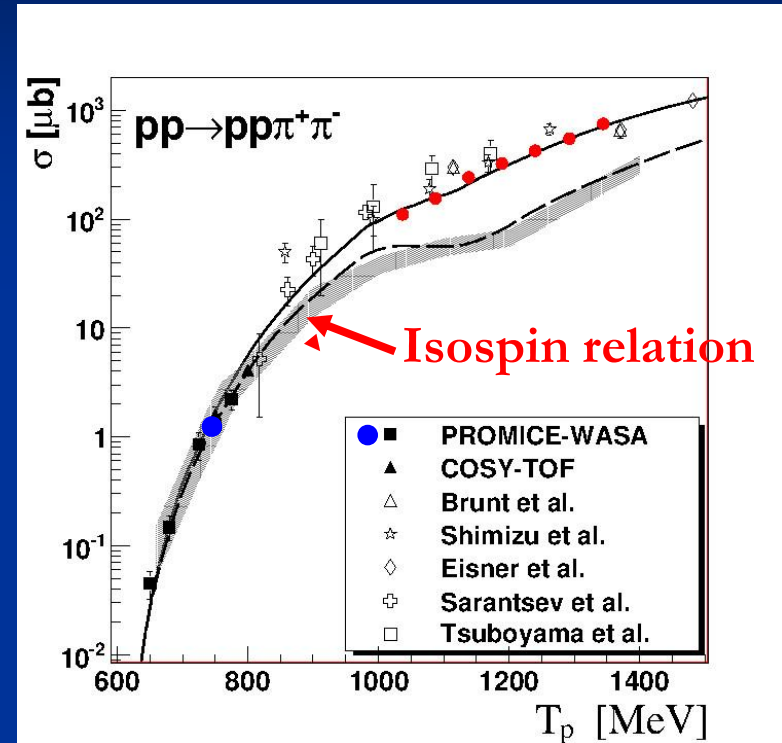
$I=2 \Rightarrow$ only associated production



Total cross section



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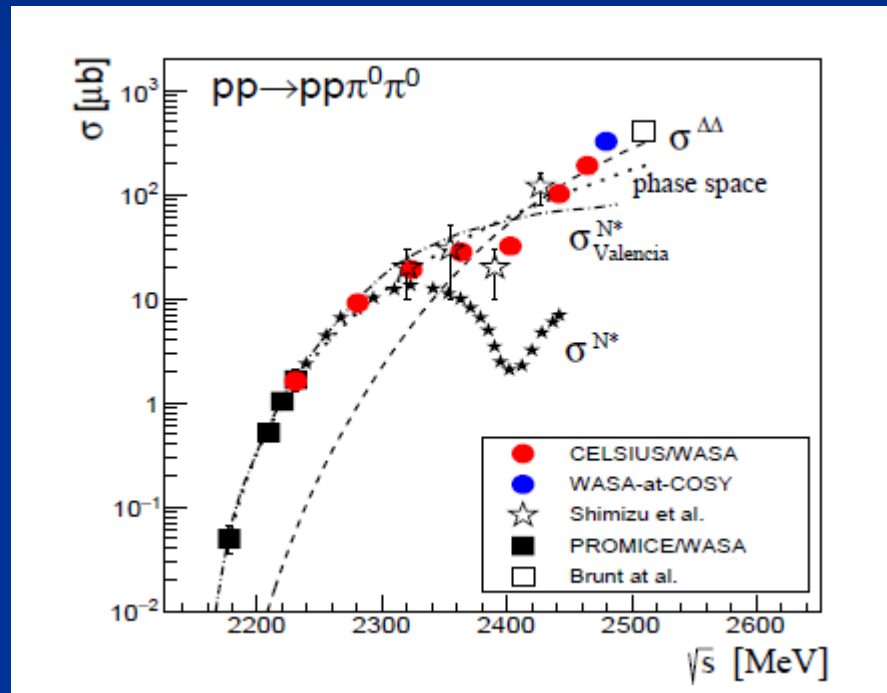


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----- modified Valencia model (Roper + $\Delta\Delta$)

————— modified Valencia model (Roper + $\Delta\Delta$) + D_{21}

$$I(J^P) = 1(0^+) ?$$



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... inevitable dibaryon



$I(J^P) = 0(3^+)$ state: totally symmetric in space, spin & color
antisymmetric in isospin
accessed via $\Delta\Delta$ as doorway?

