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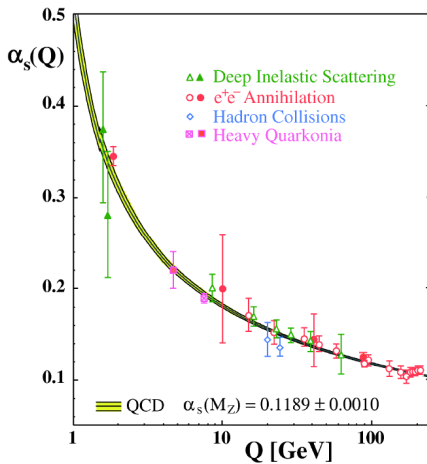
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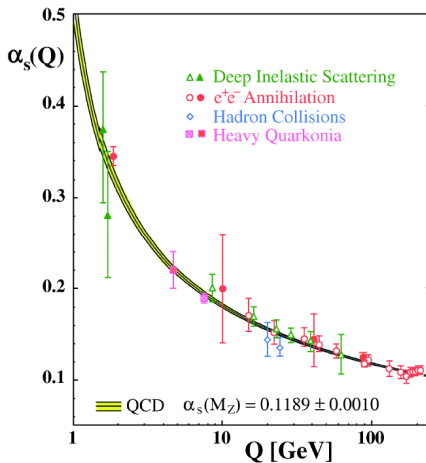


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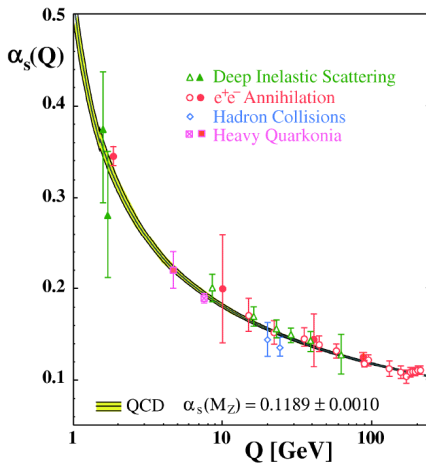
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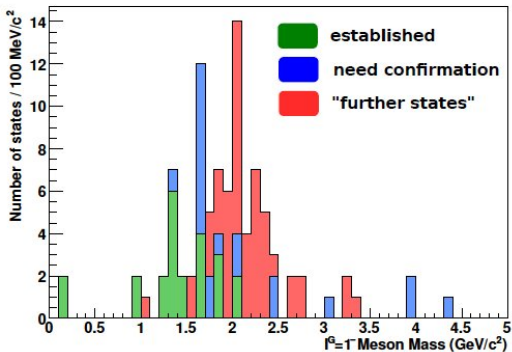
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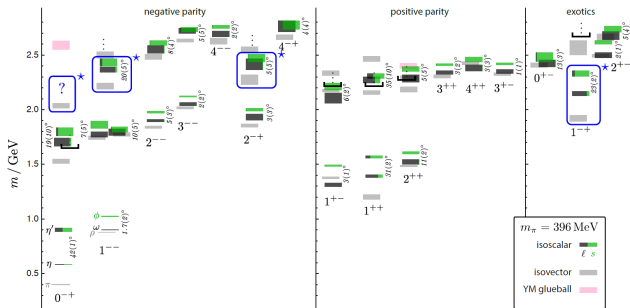
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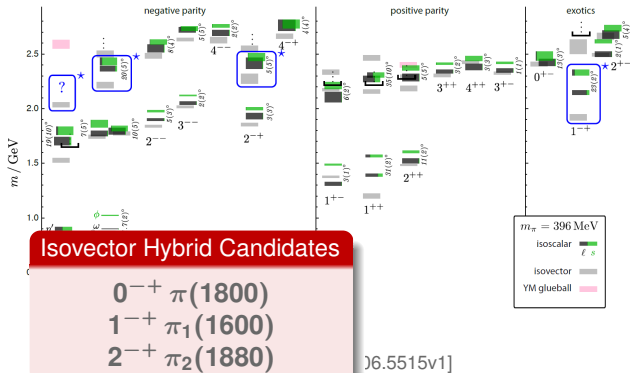


Dudek et al. [arXiv:1106.5515v1]



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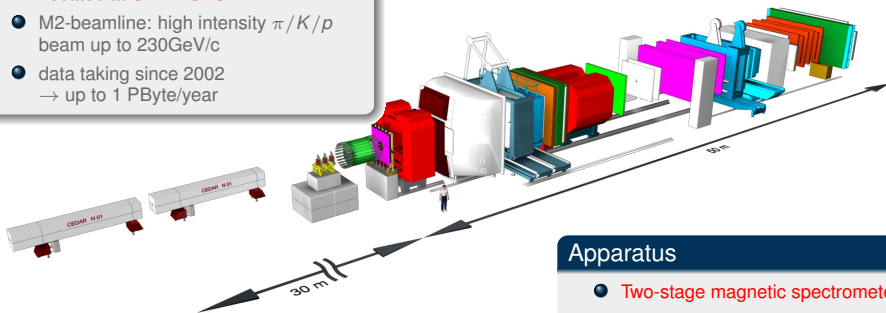


The COMPASS Hadron Setup

Spectrometer and Hadron Beam

Overview

- **CO**mmun **M**uon and **P**roton **A**pparatus for **S**tructure and **S**pectroscopy ¹
- Located at **CERN SPS**
- M2-beamline: high intensity $\pi/K/p$ beam up to 230GeV/c
- data taking since 2002
→ up to 1 PByte/year



Apparatus

- **Two-stage magnetic spectrometer**
- Large acceptance charged tracking
- Calorimetry (ECAL/HCAL)
- Kaon PID (CEDARs/RICH)

¹ [Nucl. Instr. and Meth. A 577 (2007) 455]



Light Meson Spectroscopy

$\pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$ and $\pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$

$\eta \pi^-$ and $\eta' \pi^-$

$\pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$

Status of the $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$ Spin Exotic Partial Wave

$\pi\pi$ Production at Central Rapidities

Tests of Chiral Dynamics

3π Primakoff Production

Conclusions and Outlook

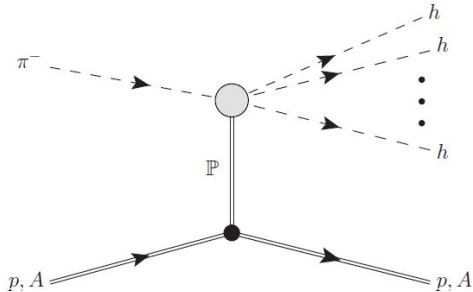
Pion Polarizability



Light Meson Spectroscopy

Isovector Mesons

Diffractive Pion Dissociation

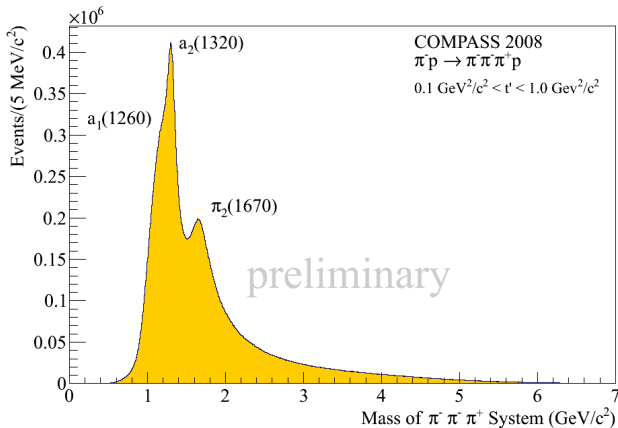




$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+ p$ (2008)

Invariant Mass Spectrum

- 190 GeV/c hadron beam \rightarrow
96% π^- , 3.5% K^- , 0.5% \bar{p}
- 40cm liquid hydrogen target
- $0.1 \text{ GeV}^2/c^2 < t' < 1.0 \text{ GeV}^2/c^2$
- $\sim 50\text{M}$ exclusive events (2008)





Partial Wave Analysis - Formalism

Two-Step Approach

- Fit in mass bins (Decomposition in Partial Waves)

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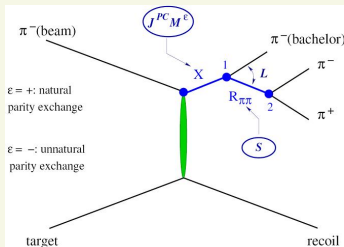
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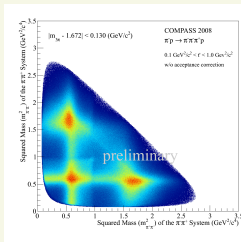
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Isobar Model



Dalitz Plot $\pi_2(1670)$ region





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- χ^2 fit of the spin-density matrix (Extraction of Resonance Parameters)

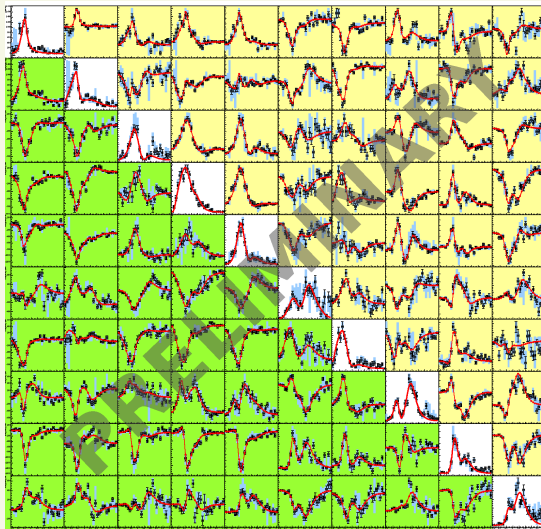
- Parametrization of spin-density matrix elements, $\sum_r T_{ir}^{\epsilon} T_{jr}^{\epsilon*}(m_x)$
- Takes into account interference terms
- Coherent background for some waves



Partial Wave Analysis - Formalism

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Example: Spin density matrix of 10 waves



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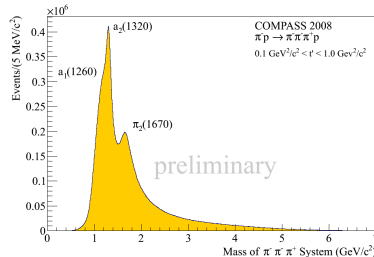
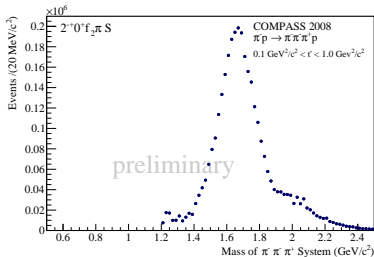
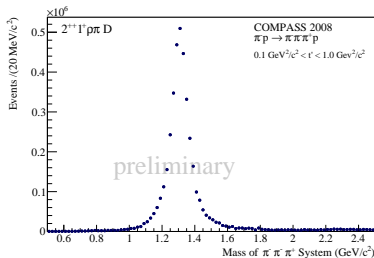
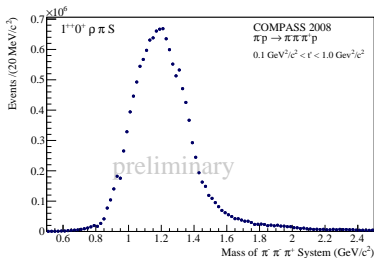
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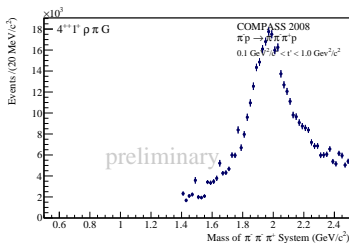
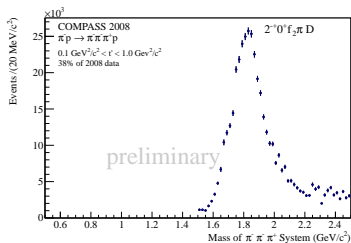
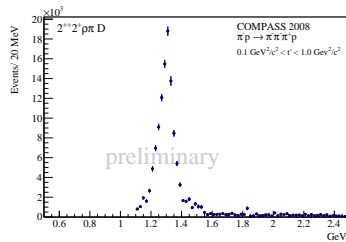
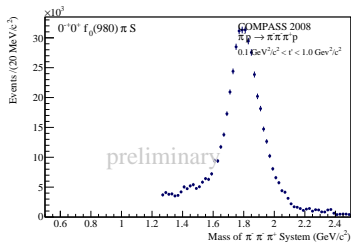
Intensities of dominant J^{PC} states





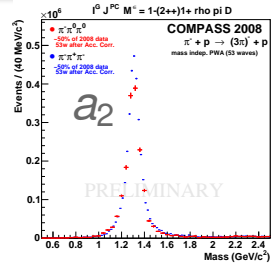
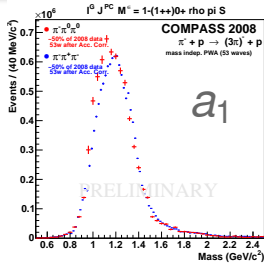
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Additional Waves



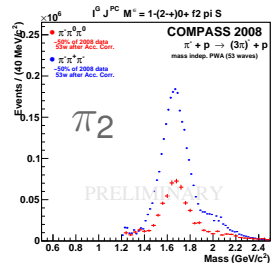


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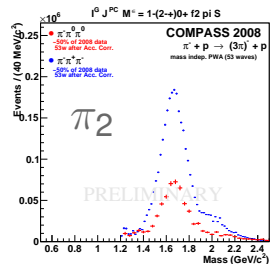
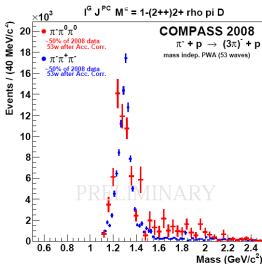
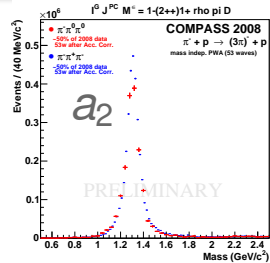
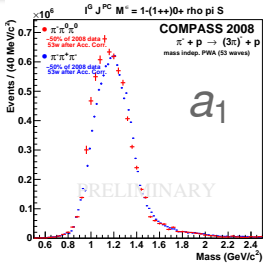
Charged/Neutral Pions

- Channels probe different parts of spectrometer
- Qualitative agreement
- Isospin symmetry





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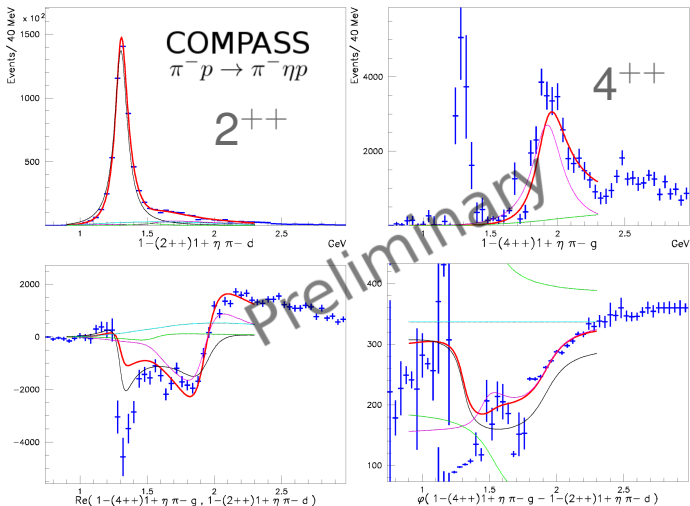
$$\pi^- + p \rightarrow \eta\pi + p$$

$$\pi^- + p \rightarrow \eta'\pi + p$$



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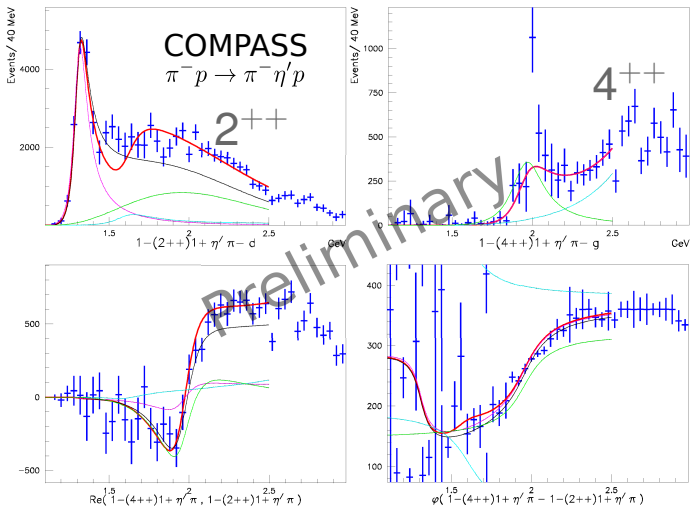
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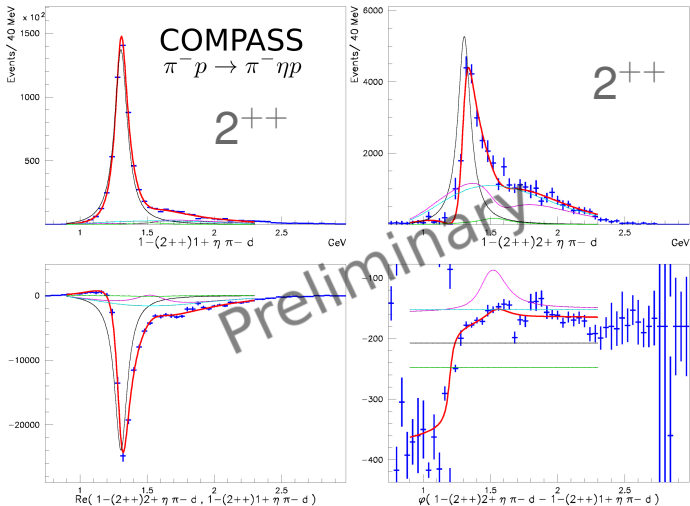
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D_{+-} vs D_{++} -wave

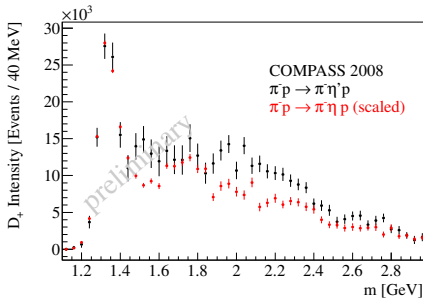




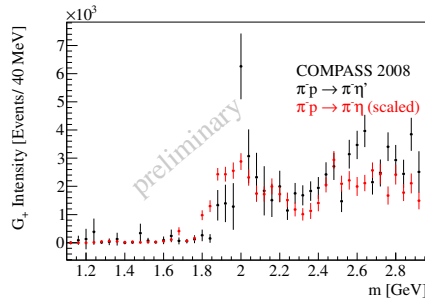
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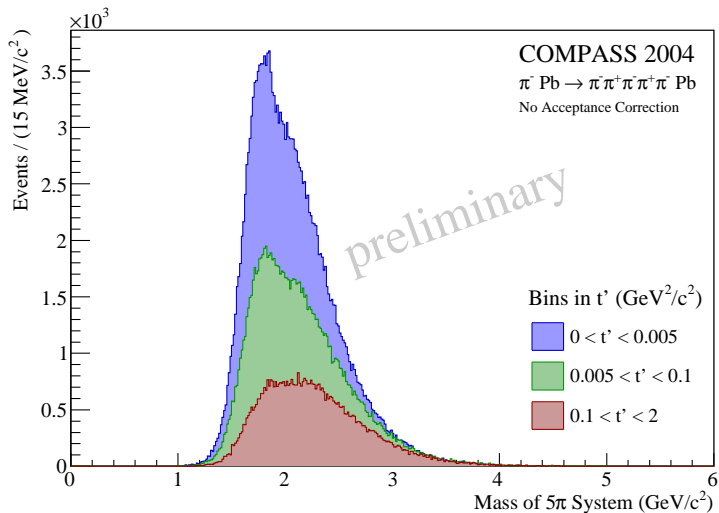




Exploring the light Meson Frontier

$$\pi^- + Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- + Pb$$

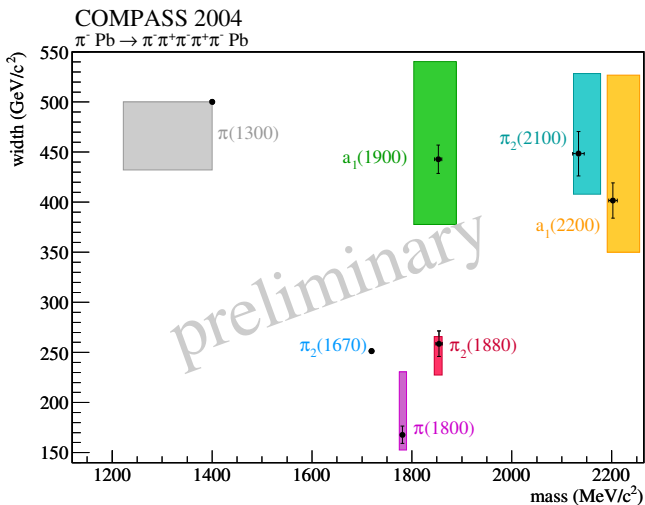



$$\pi^- Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- Pb \quad (2004)$$




5 π Resonances — Extracted Parameters

Summary of Resonance Parameters





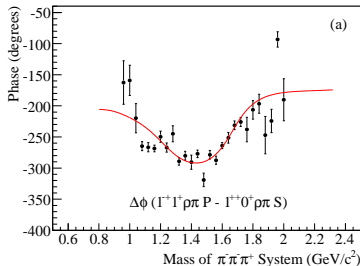
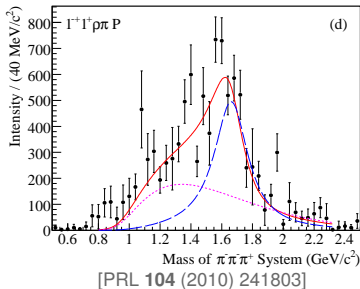
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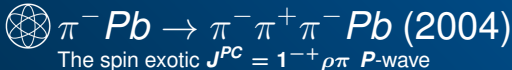
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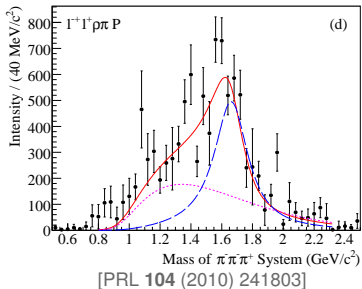




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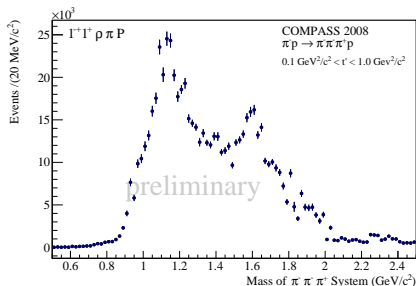
Spin Exotic $\pi_1(1600)$

- Significant 1^{-+} amplitude consistent with resonance at $\sim 1.7 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- No leakage observed ($< 5\%$)
- BW for $\pi_1(1600)$ + background:
 $M = (1.660 \pm 0.010^{+0.000}_{-0.064}) \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 $\Gamma = (0.269 \pm 0.021^{+0.042}_{-0.064}) \text{ GeV}/c^2$

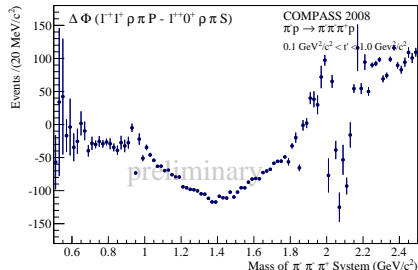


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Intensity (statistical errors only)



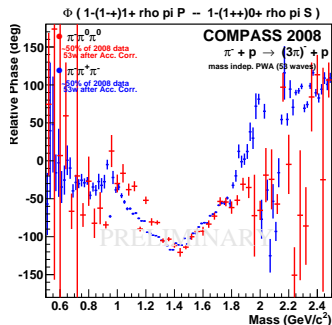
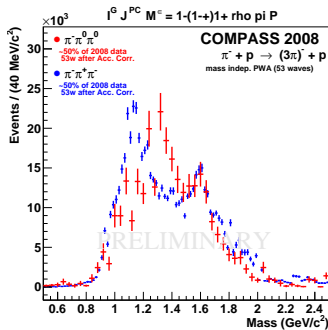
Phase motion vs $1^{++} \rho \pi$ S-wave





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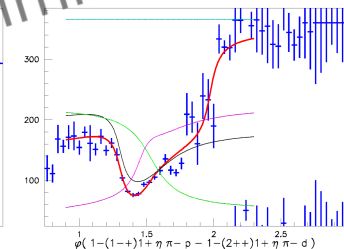
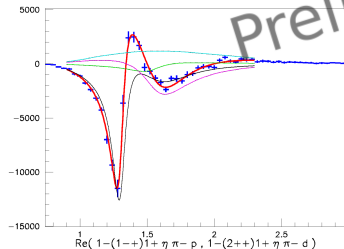
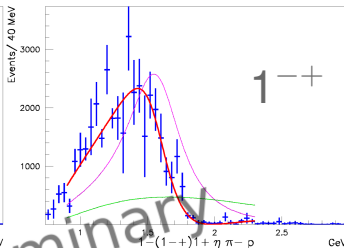
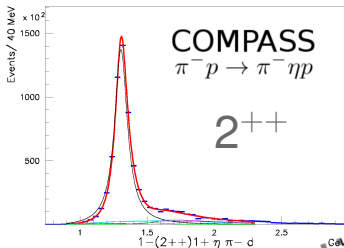
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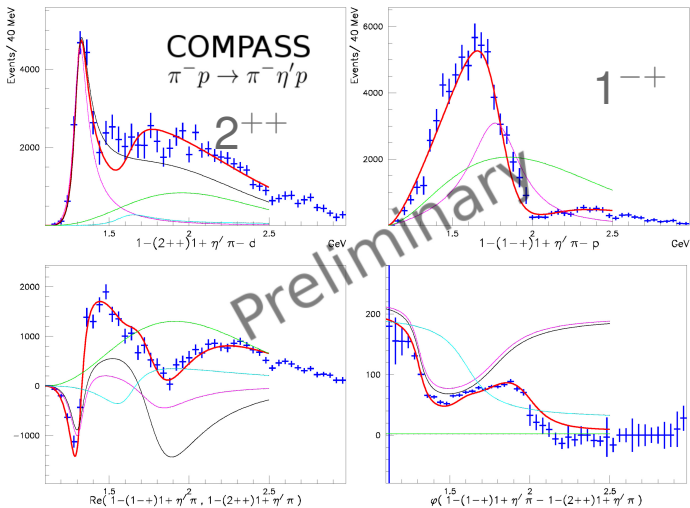


Preliminary



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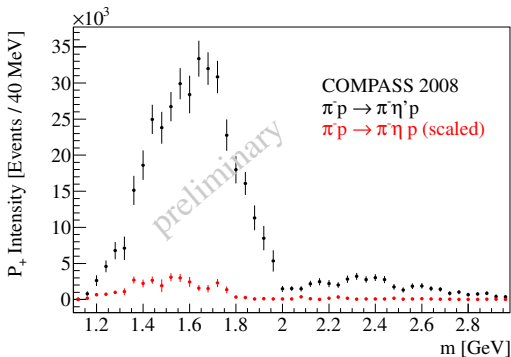




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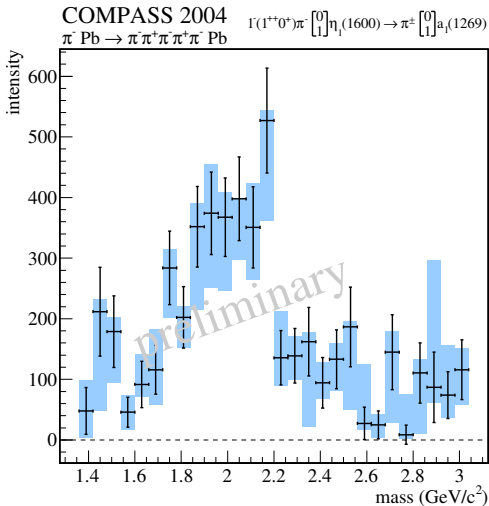
Comparison of P_+ waves





$\pi^- Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- Pb$ (2004)

An exotic 4π isobar





Systematic Improvements of the Model

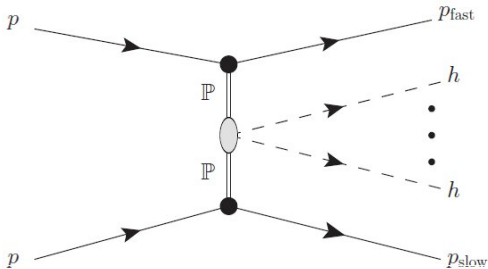
WORK IN PROGRESS

- Exploit full t' -dependence
→ 2D partial-wave decomposition in small m and t' bins
- Model non-resonant contributions (Deck effect)
- Semi-model-independent isobar parameterizations
→ extract $(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$ from 3π data
- Improve fitting procedures
 - thresholds
 - objective model selection (genetic algorithm)



Isoscalar – Scalar Mesons

Meson Production at Central Rapidities in pp Scattering

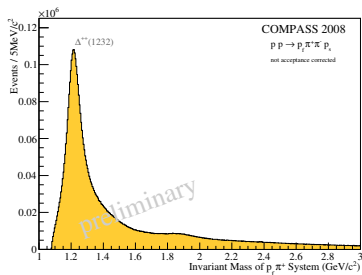
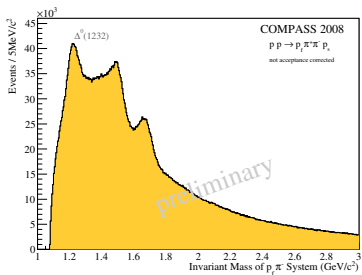




$pp \rightarrow p_{\text{fast}} \pi^+ \pi^- + p_{\text{slow}}$ (2008)

Proton Diffraction

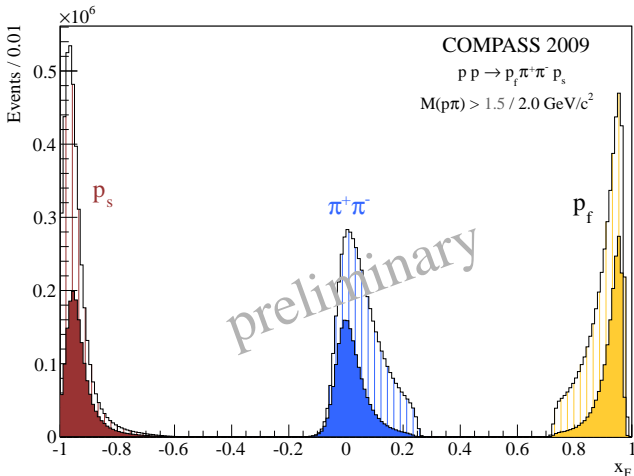
- Diffractive production of baryon resonances
- Kinematic overlap between production mechanisms
→ mass dependence





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Central Production – $\pi^+ \pi^-$ System

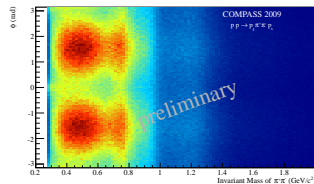
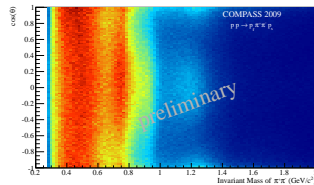
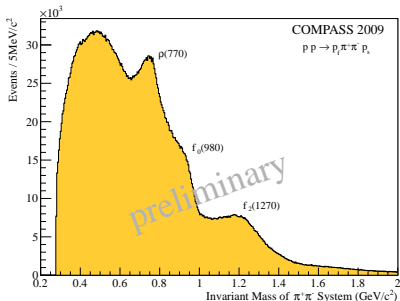


$$x_{\text{Feynman}} = 2p_l / \sqrt{s}$$



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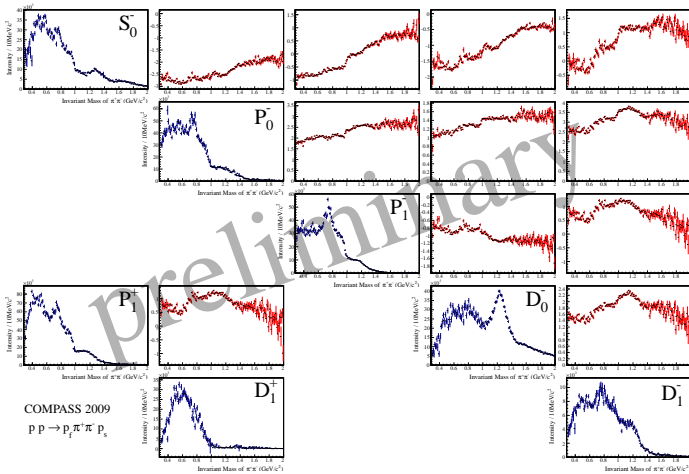
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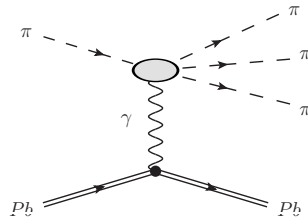
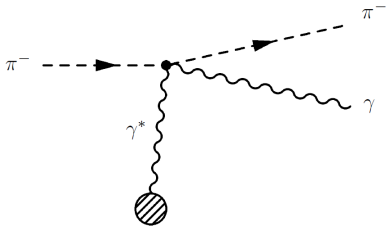
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Amplitude Analysis of $\pi^+ \pi^-$ System – Physical Solution after Disambiguation





Tests of Chiral Dynamics



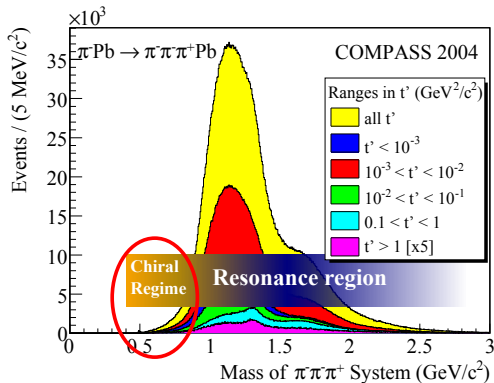
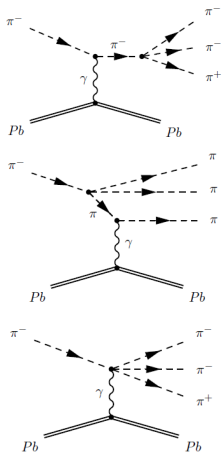


Primakoff 3π Spectral Function from χ PT

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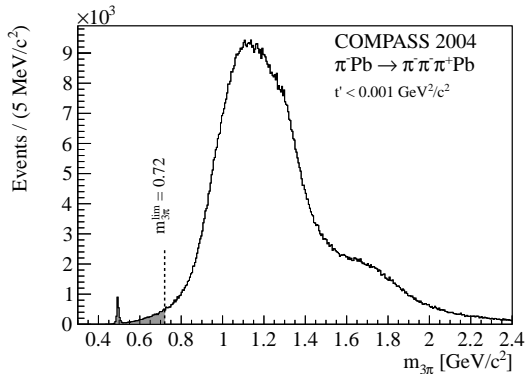
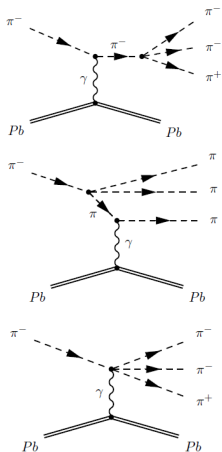
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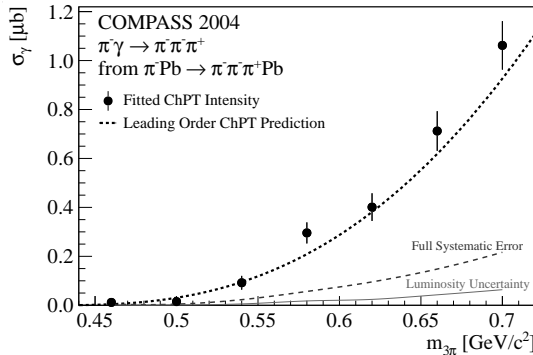
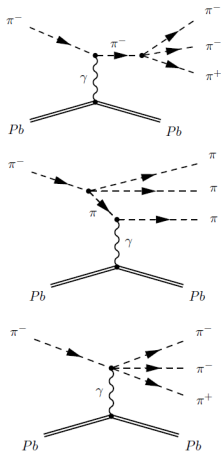
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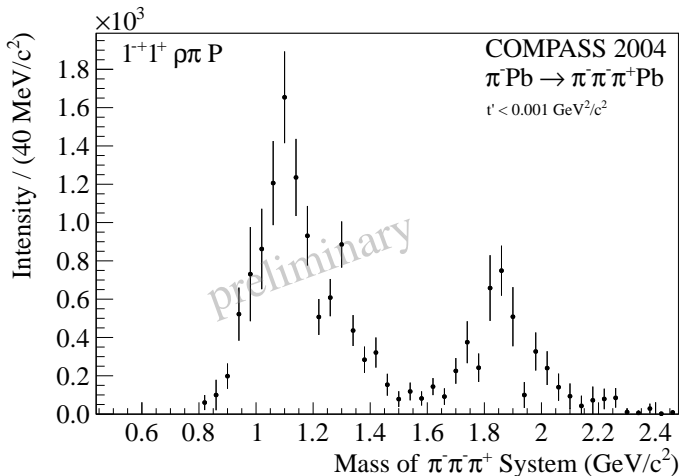
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$$\pi^- Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- Pb \text{ (2004)}$$

$$1^{-+} \rho \pi \text{ in Primakoff Production}$$




Conclusion

- COMPASS 2008/2009: **large data sets** in
 - diffractive $\pi^-/K^-/p$ dissociation (up to 2 orders of magnitude improvement)
 - Primakoff
- **Chiral dynamics:** 3π -amplitude
- $\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$, $\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$, $\eta\pi^-$, $\eta'\pi^-$, $K^-\pi^+\pi^-$, 5π , $\pi^-\pi_{\text{central/isobar}}^+$
 - Where is the $l = 0$ partner $\eta_1(1600)$ of the $\pi_1(1600)$?
Hybrid Supermultiplet?



Outlook

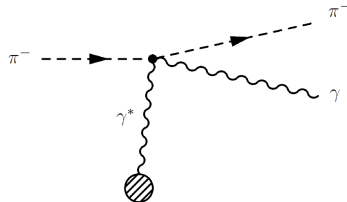
- **Dedicated Primakoff run 2012**



Pion Polarizability

in Primakoff–Compton Scattering

- Electric polarizability
 $\alpha_\pi = \chi_{\text{Pt}} (2.93 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$
- Magnetic polarizability
 $\beta_\pi = \chi_{\text{Pt}} (-2.77 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$





Pion Polarizability

in Primakoff–Compton Scattering

- $\gamma^{(*)} \gamma^{(*)} \longrightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ [via $e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^-$]

PLUTO, MARKII,...: $\alpha_\pi - \beta_\pi = 4 - 20$

rather insensitive to polarisability, dominated by loops

- Radiative π^+ production on the proton:

$$\gamma \pi^* \longrightarrow \pi \gamma \quad [\text{via } \gamma p \rightarrow n \pi^+ \gamma]$$

Mainz (2005) measurement: $\alpha_\pi - \beta_\pi = 11.6 \pm 1.5 \pm 3.0 \pm 0.5$

“ ± 0.5 ”: model error *only within the used ansatz*,

full systematics not under control

- Primakoff Compton reaction:

$$\gamma^{(*)} \pi \longrightarrow \pi \gamma \quad [\text{via } \pi Z \rightarrow Z \pi \gamma]$$

tiny extrapolation $\gamma^* \rightarrow \gamma \mathcal{O}(10^{-3} m_\pi^2)$

fully under theoretical control



Pion Polarizability

in Primakoff–Compton Scattering

Days	π beam, days	μ beam, days	$\alpha_\pi - \beta_\pi$ σ_{tot}	$\alpha_\pi + \beta_\pi$ σ_{tot}	$\alpha_2 - \beta_2$ σ_{tot}
120	90	30	± 0.27 ± 0.26 ± 0.66	fixed ± 0.016 ± 0.025	fixed fixed ± 1.94
			ChPT prediction		
			5.70	0.16	4



Outlook

- Dedicated Primakoff run 2012
- Beyond standard analysis:
 - Non-Resonating Production (**Deck**)
 - Study 2π and 4π systems, Isobar-fits
 - Rescattering
- Further measurements: OZI-violation, Multi-particle final states...
- **Consolidate Data → Global Meson Analysis Working Group**



Backup

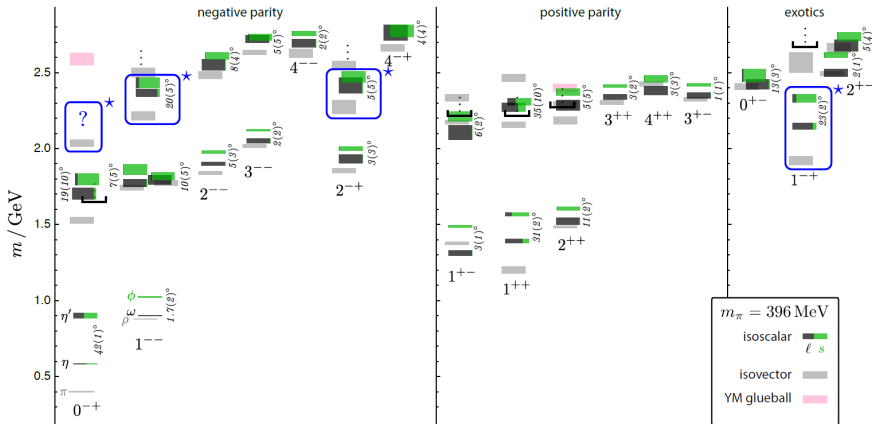


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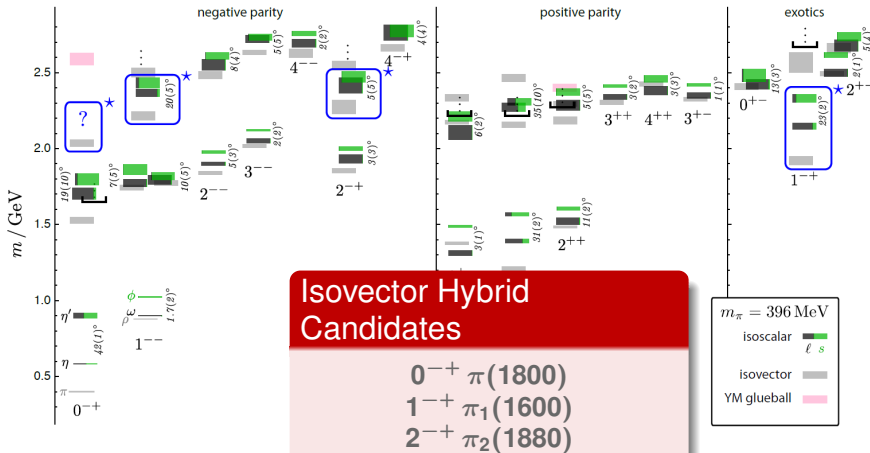


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5π Resonance Parameters

Comparison to PDG

Parameter			Fit	PDG
Resonance	J^{PC}		(MeV/ c^2)	
$\pi(1300)$	0^{-+}	M	1400*	1300 ± 100
		Γ	500 [†]	200...600
$\pi(1800)$	0^{-+}	M	$1781 \pm 5^{+1(+8)}_{-6(-6)}$	1816 ± 14
		Γ	$168 \pm 9^{+5(+62)}_{-14(-15)}$	208 ± 12
○ $a_1(1900)$	1^{++}	M	$1853 \pm 7^{+36(+36)}_{-6(-49)}$	1930^{+30}_{-70}
		Γ	$443 \pm 14^{+12(+98)}_{-45(-65)}$	155 ± 45
○ $a_1(2200)$	1^{++}	M	$2202 \pm 8^{+15(+53)}_{-8(-11)}$	$2096 \pm 17 \pm 121$
		Γ	$402 \pm 17^{+41(+125)}_{-52(-51)}$	$451 \pm 41 \pm 81$
$\pi_2(1670)$	2^{-+}	M	1719.0 [†]	1672.4 ± 3.2
		Γ	251.4 [†]	259 ± 9
$\pi_2(1880)$	2^{-+}	M	$1854 \pm 6^{+6(+6)}_{-4(-9)}$	1895 ± 16
		Γ	$259 \pm 13^{+7(+7)}_{-17(-31)}$	235 ± 34
○ $\pi_2(2100)$	2^{-+}	M	$2133 \pm 12^{+7(+43)}_{-18(-18)}$	2090 ± 29



Isobars that have been used

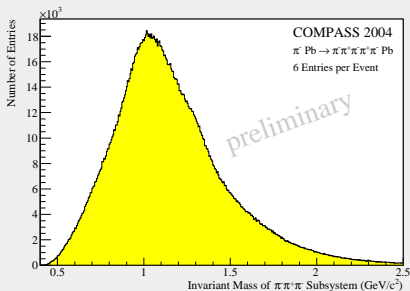
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f_2	1270 / 1565	$0^+(2^{++})$	
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 D_2

1800

 $2^-(2^{1-})$

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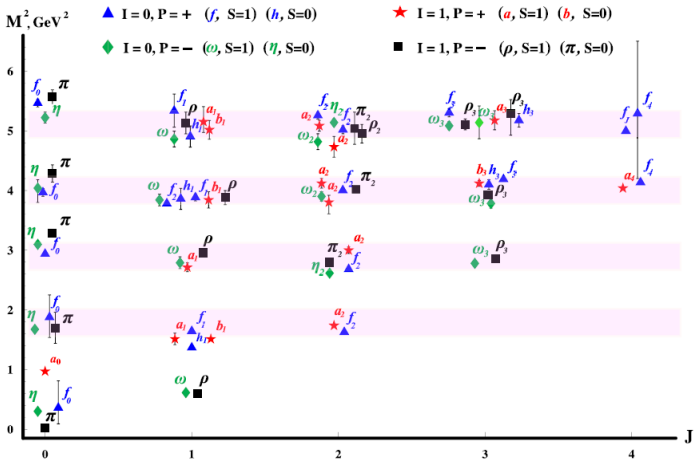
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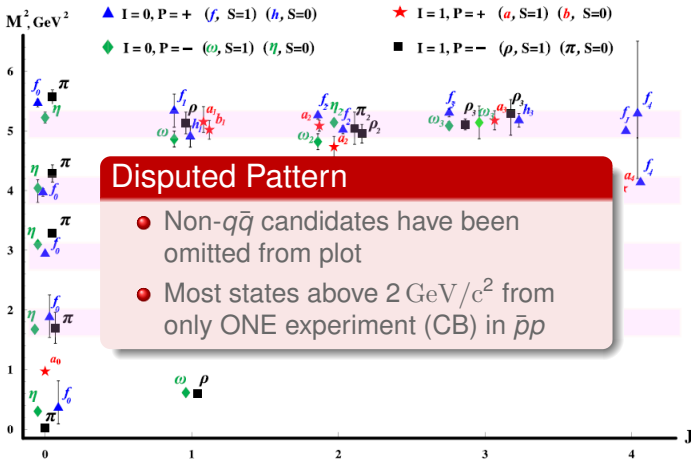
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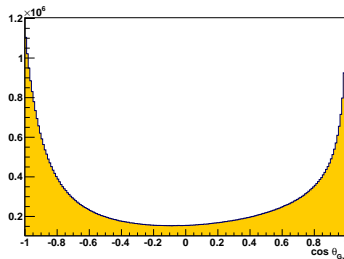
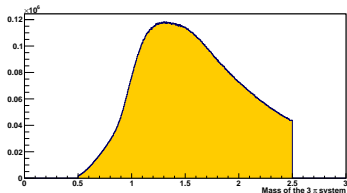
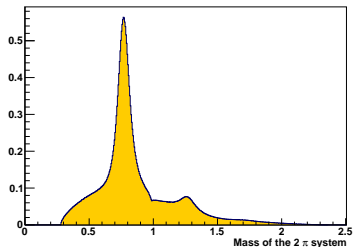
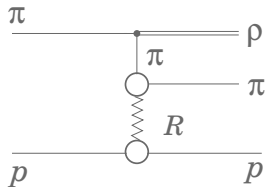
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Nonresonant Scattering — Deck Effect

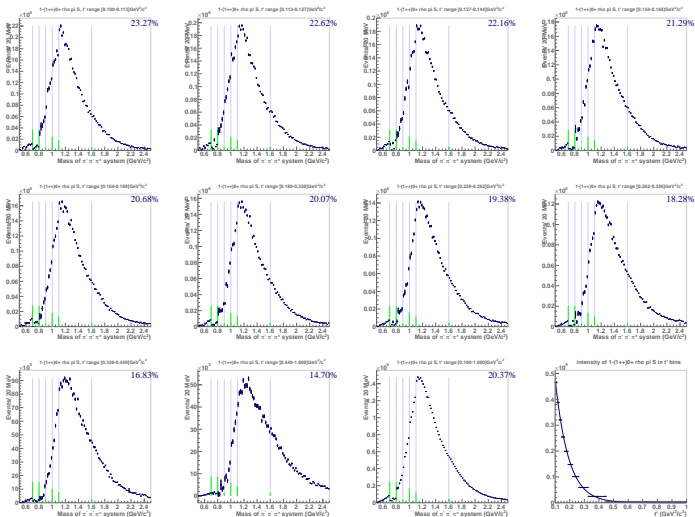
Monte Carlo Simulation





Deck Effect $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ Component

Partial-Wave Decomposition in $m_{3\pi}$ and t' Bins





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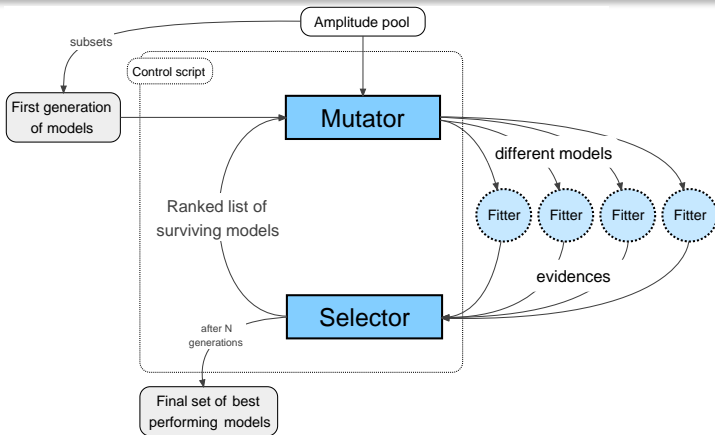
J^{PC} Multiplets

- $\ell = 0 \Rightarrow$ pseudoscalar 0^{-+} , vector 1^{--} states
- $\ell = 1 \Rightarrow$ scalar 0^{++} , axial vector 1^{+-} , 1^{++} and tensor 2^{++} states
- Same $J^{PC} \Rightarrow$ mixing!
- **Forbidden:** 0^{+-} , 1^{-+} , 2^{+-} , 3^{-+} , ... \rightarrow *spin exotic* states



Evolutionary Waveset Exploration

Genetic Algorithm — 284 Waves in Pool



Evidence = Goodness of fit

- **Bayesian Statistics** → regularized Log-Likelihood
- Takes into account model complexity