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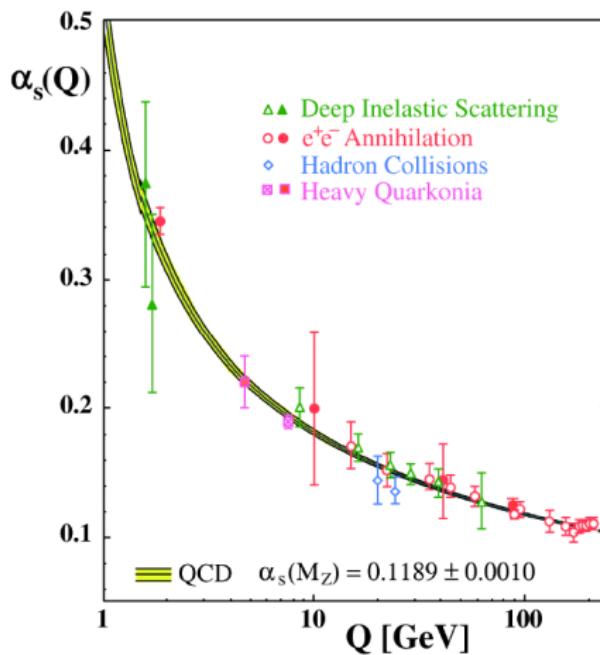
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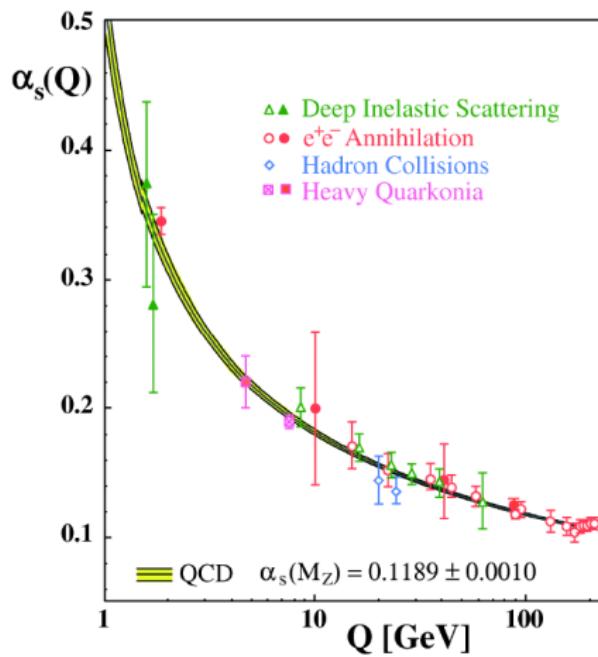


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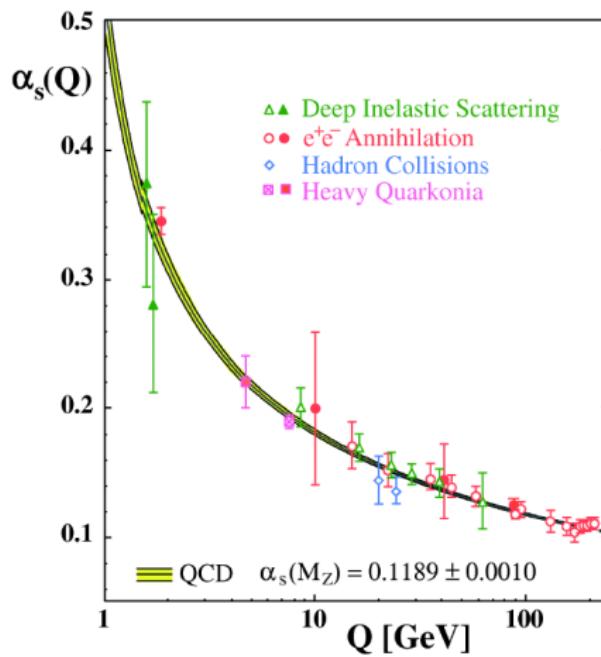


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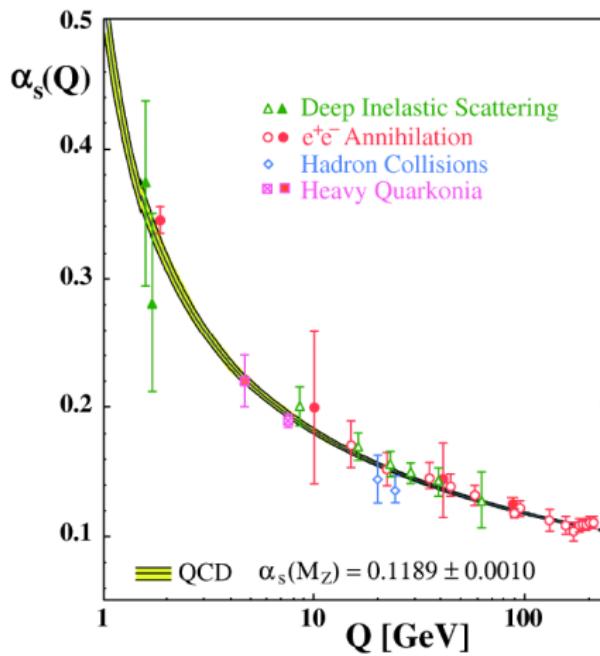
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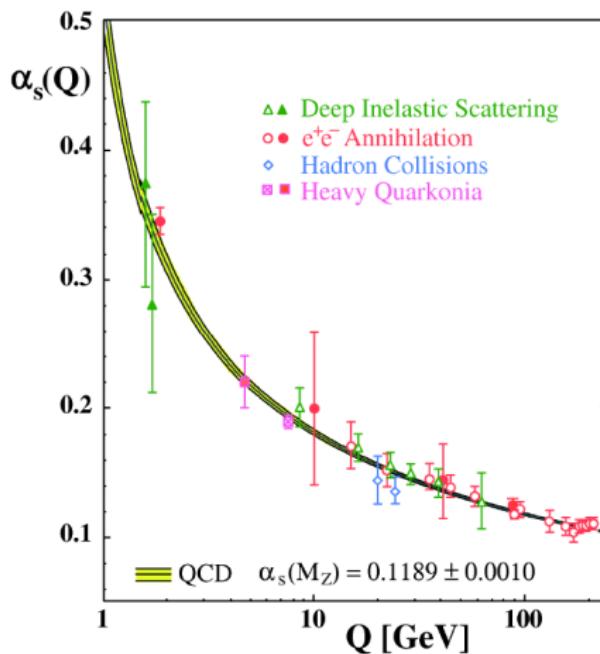


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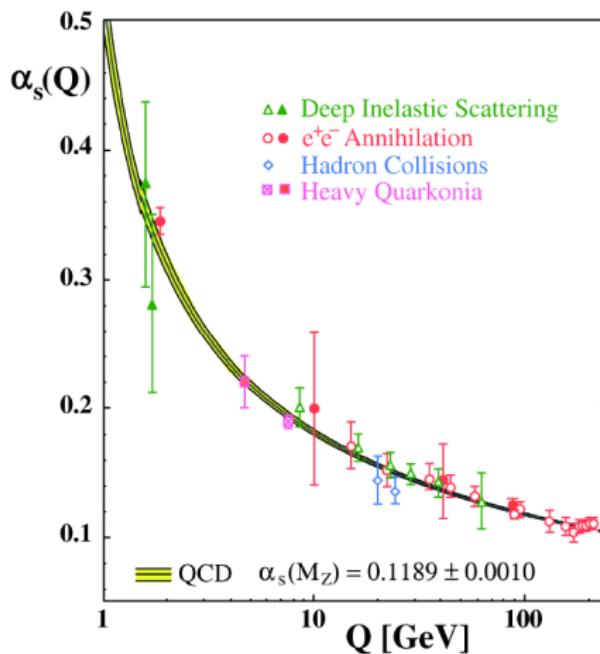


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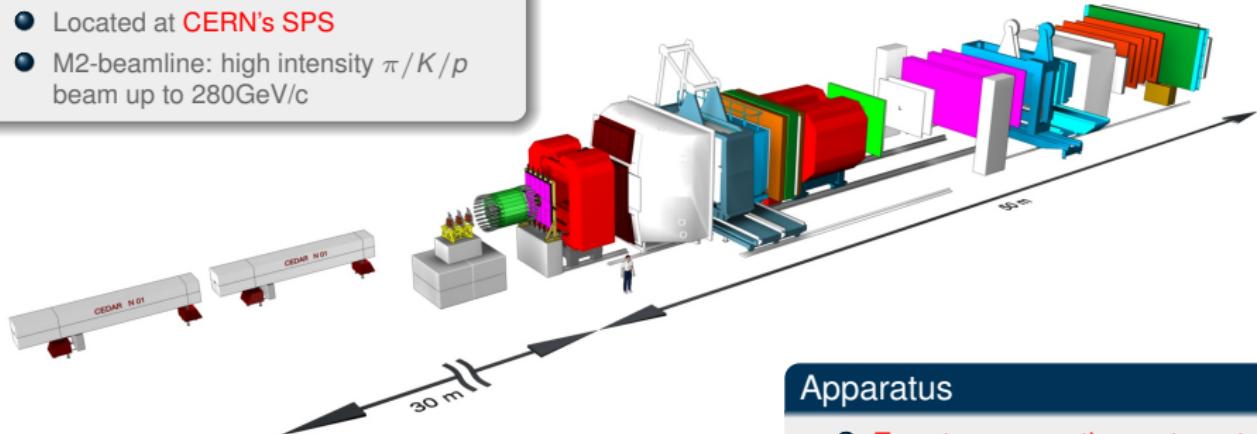
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# The COMPASS Hadron Setup

## Spectrometer and Hadron Beam

### Overview

- COmmon Muon and Proton Apparatus for Structure and Spectroscopy
- Located at **CERN's SPS**
- M2-beamline: high intensity  $\pi/K/p$  beam up to 280GeV/c



### Apparatus

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



## Tests of Chiral Dynamics

Pion Polarizability

$3\pi$  Primakoff Production

## Light Meson Spectroscopy

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

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

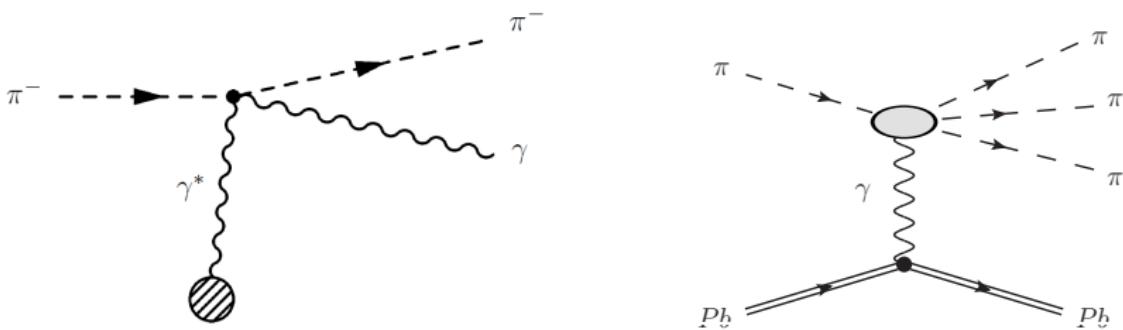
Status of the  $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$  Spin Exotic Partial Wave

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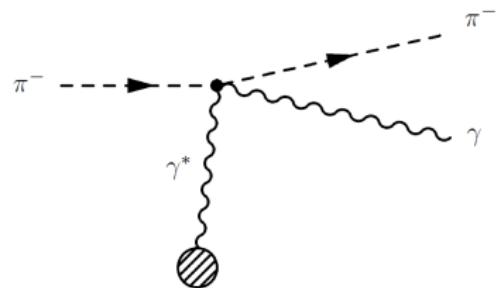
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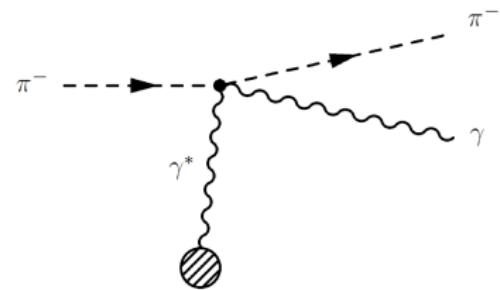
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## Dedicated Talk

J. Friedrich,  
Wed. 18th, 09:00h

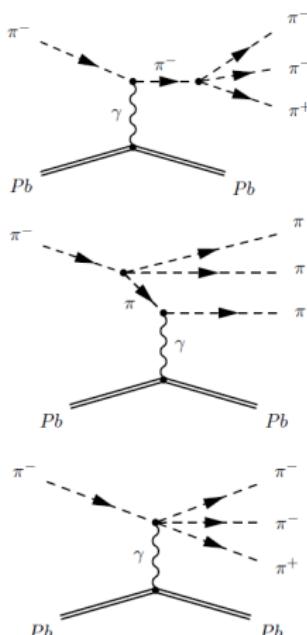
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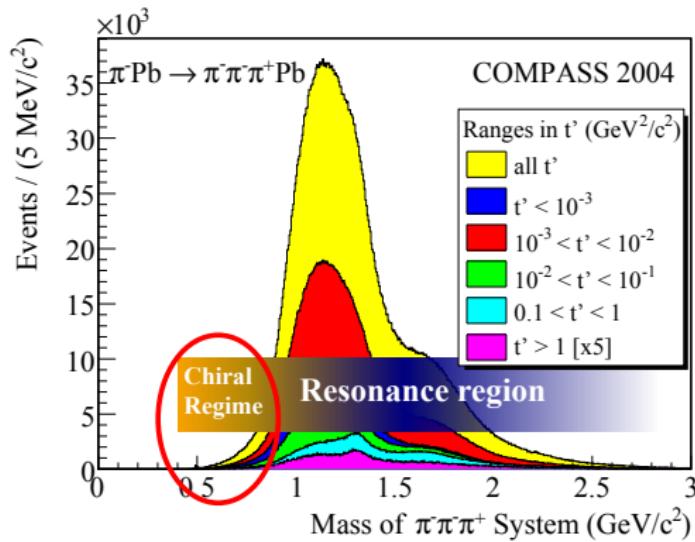
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d\sigma_{\pi\gamma}}{dE_\gamma} &= \frac{d\sigma_{\text{point}}}{dE_\gamma} + \frac{d\sigma(\beta_\pi)}{dE_\gamma} \\ &= C_1 \cdot \frac{E_{\text{beam}}}{E_\pi E_\gamma} + C_2 \cdot \frac{E_\gamma}{E_{\text{beam}}^2} \cdot \beta_\pi\end{aligned}$$

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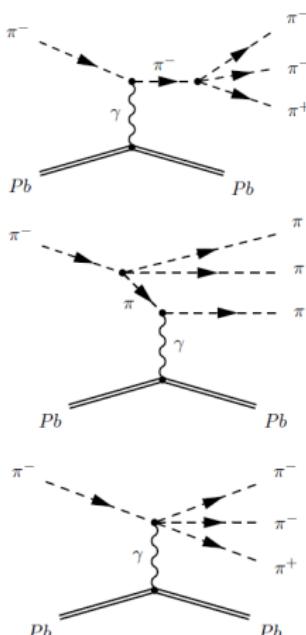


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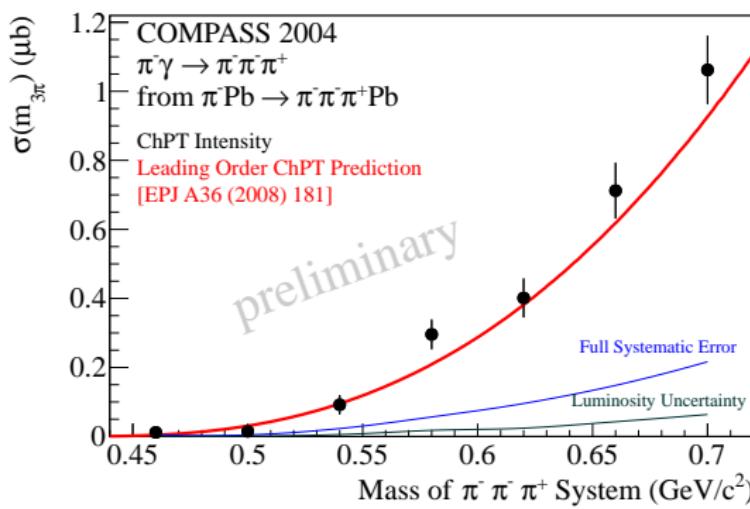


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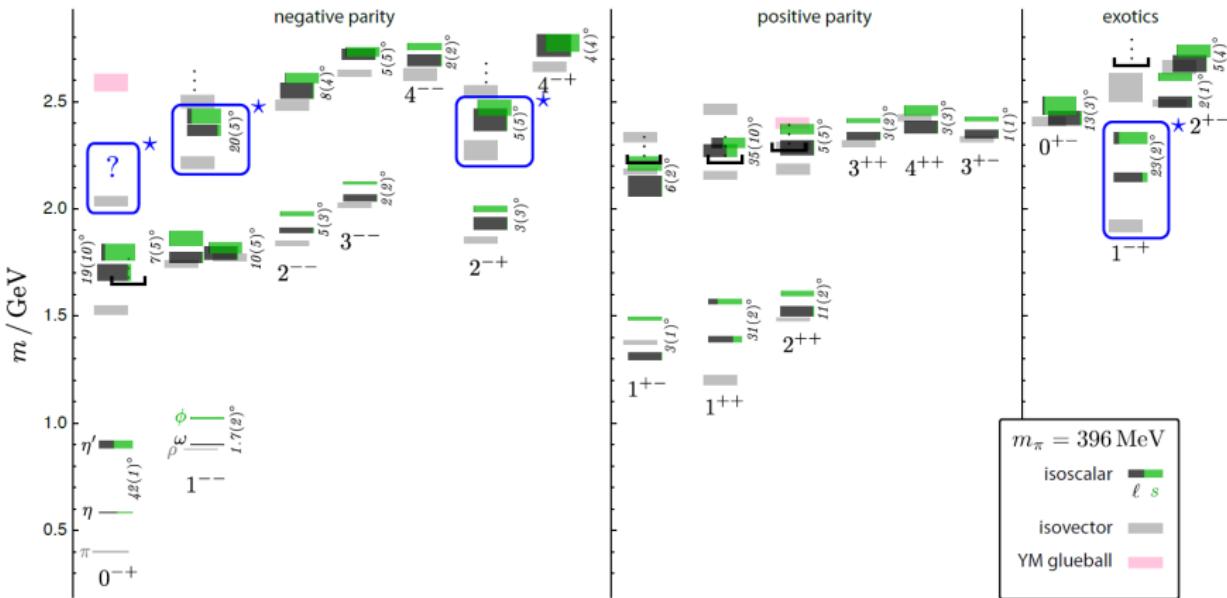




# Light Meson Spectroscopy Search for States beyond the Constituent Quark Model

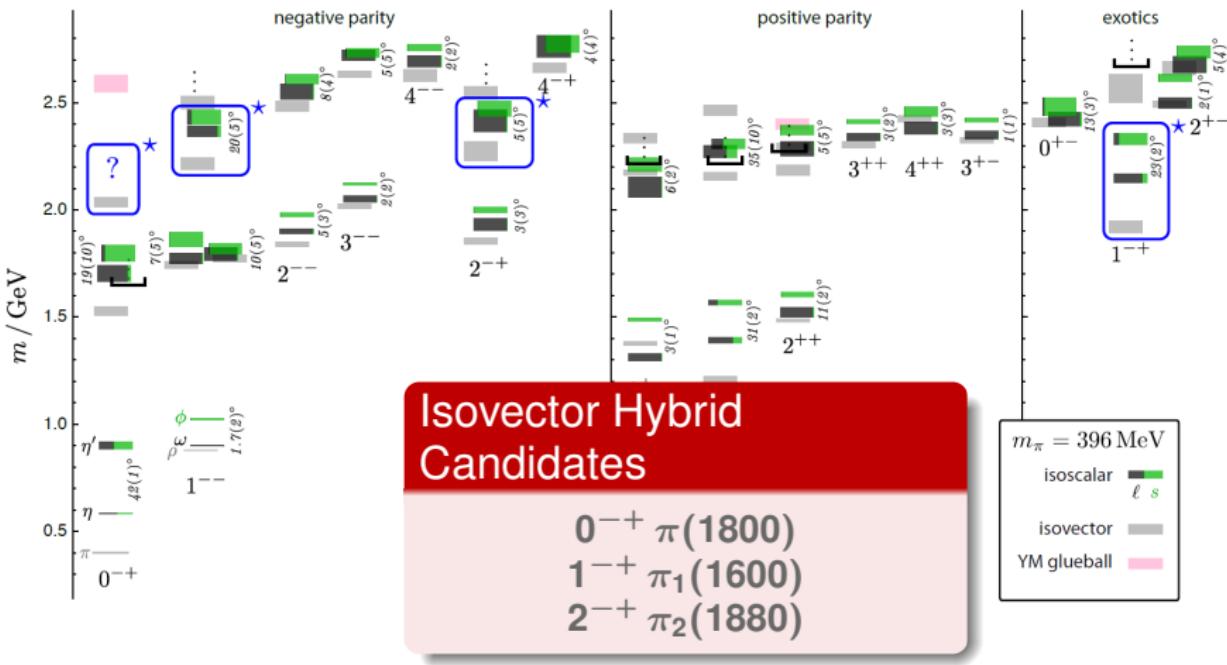
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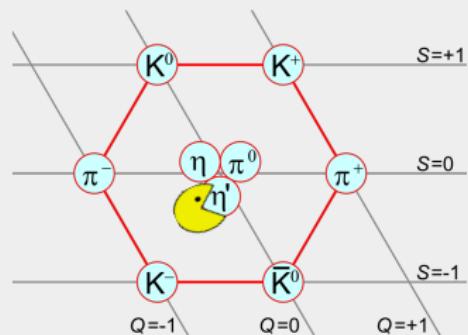
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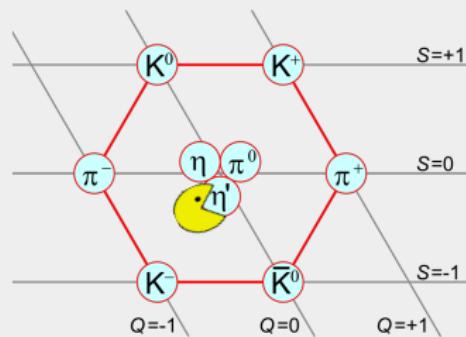
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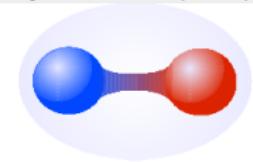
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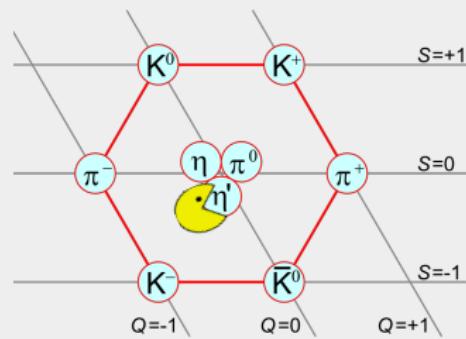
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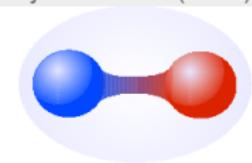
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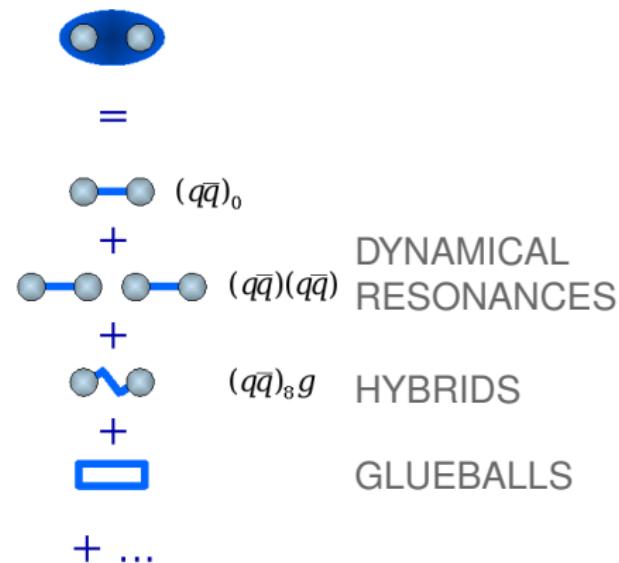


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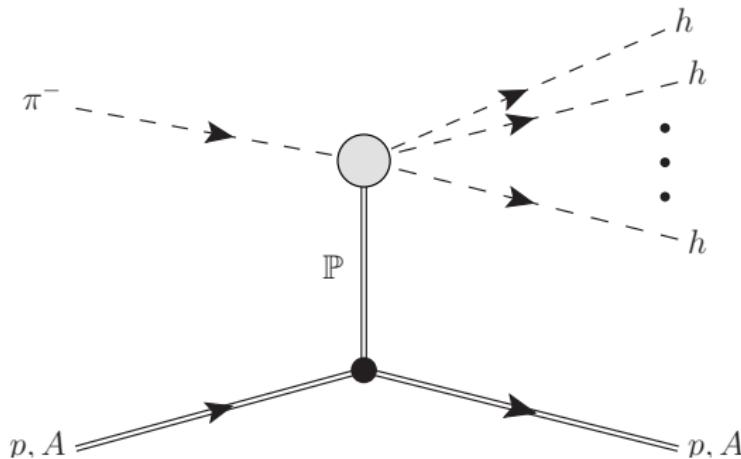
QCD-allowed contributions to meson spectrum:





# Isovector Mesons

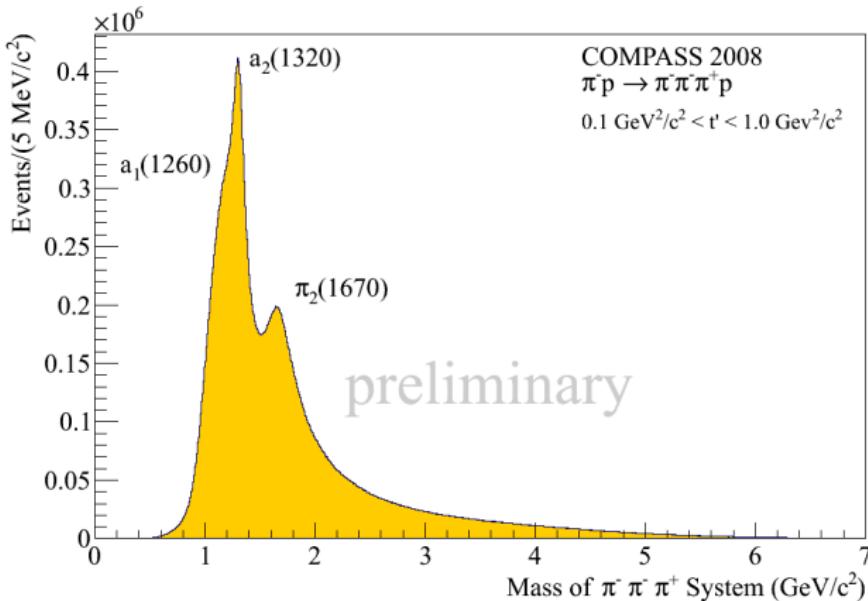
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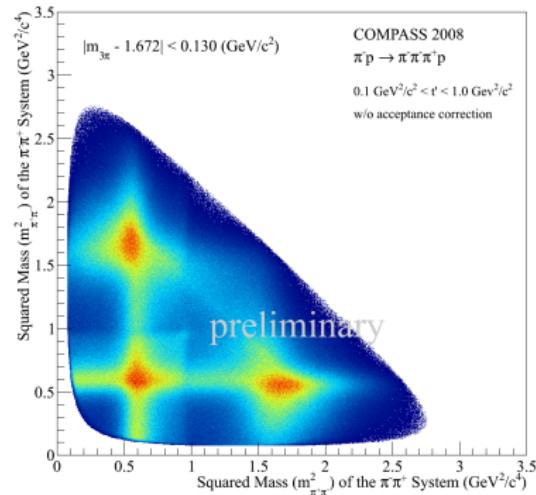
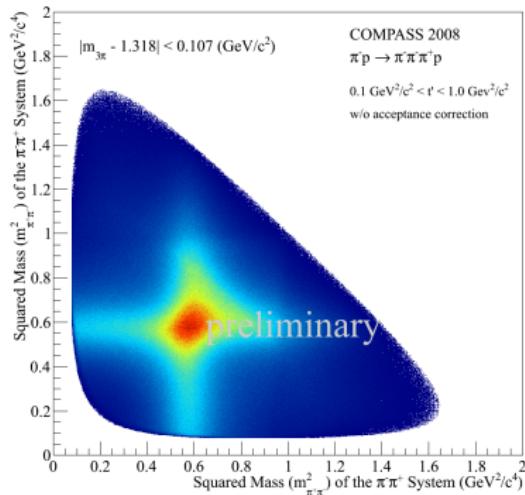
# Invariant Mass Spectrum of $\pi^-\pi^-\pi^+$ (2008)

- 190 GeV/c hadron beam →  
96% $\pi^-$ , 3.5% $K^-$ , 0.5% $\bar{p}$
- 40cm liquid hydrogen target

- $0.1\text{GeV}^2/\text{c}^2 < t' < 1.0\text{GeV}^2/\text{c}^2$
- $\sim 50\text{M}$  exclusive events (2008)



# 3 $\pi$ Dalitz Plots



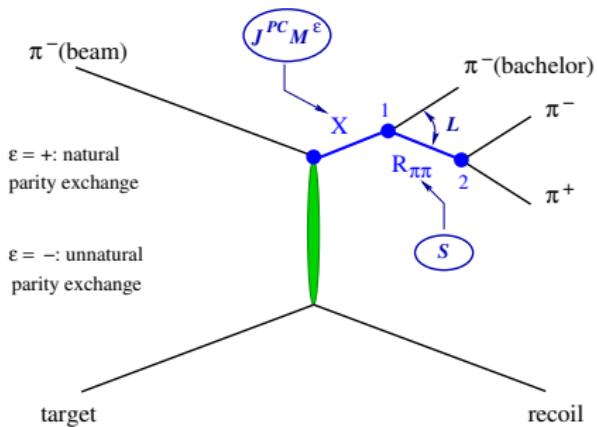
Left: Dalitz plot for  $a_2(1320)$ , events selected by  $\pm\Gamma_0$  around  $a_2$  mass.  
Right: Dalitz plot for  $\pi_2(1670)$  with  $\pm 0.5\Gamma_0$ .

- Input to PWA per mass bin: one Dalitz plot + 3 angles = 5 variables

# Decay Parameterization: The Isobar Model

Chain of successive 2-body decays

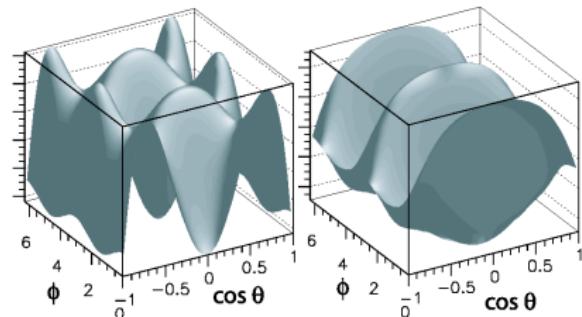
Model n-body decay by a chain of successive 2-body decays:



Example angular distributions:

$$X(2^+) \rightarrow f_2(1275)\pi$$

$$f_2(1275) \rightarrow \pi\pi$$



- For fixed n-body mass  $m$  there are  $3n - 4$  parameters (angles, intermediate state masses)
- Parameterization of isobar subsystems

# PWA Formalism Redux

## 2-Stage Isobar-Model Fit

### Mass-Independent PWA

- Fit angular distributions + isobar systems  
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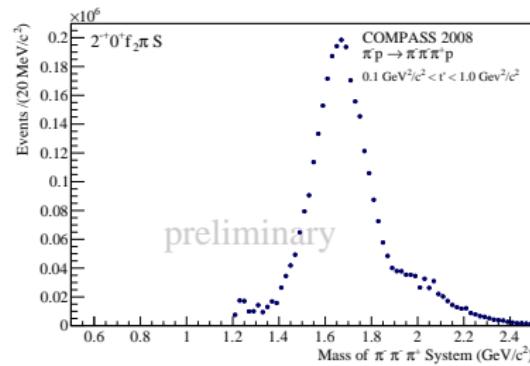
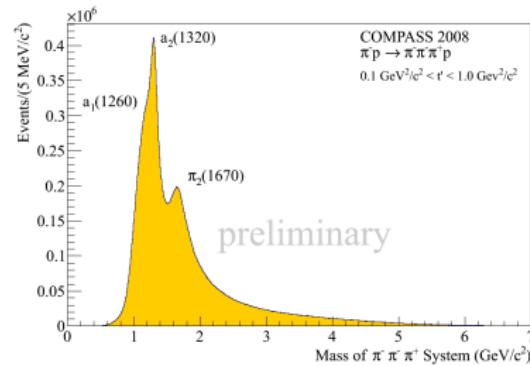
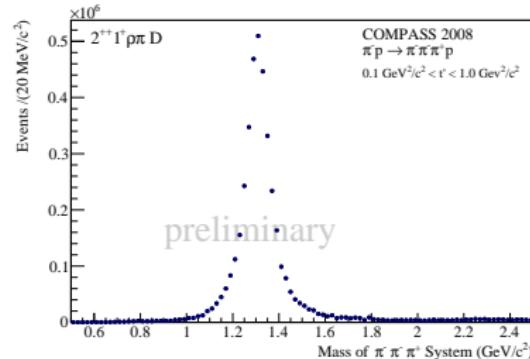
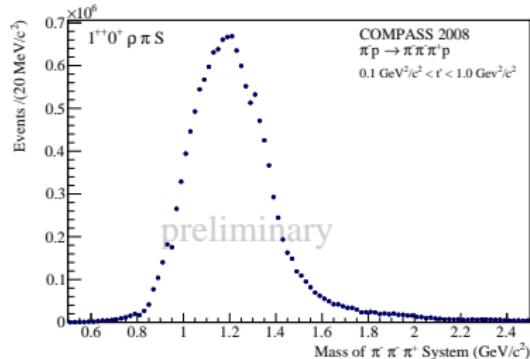
### Mass-Dependent $\chi^2$ fit → Extract Resonance Parameters

- Parameterization 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



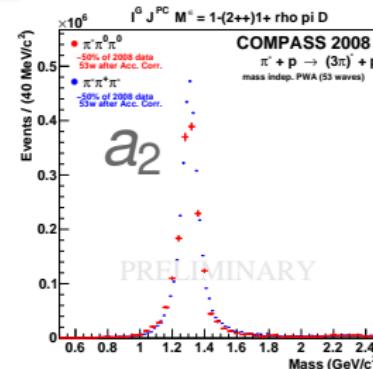
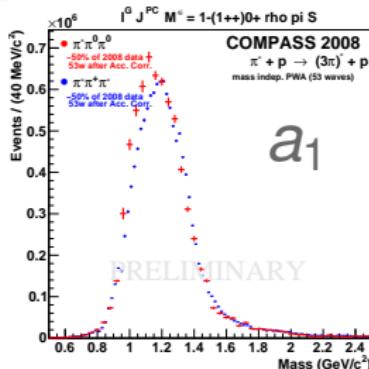
# Intensities of dominant $J^{PC}$ states

First results from mass independent PWA (2008)



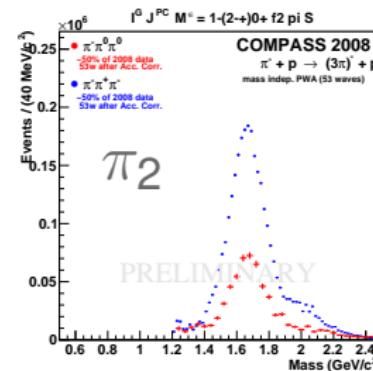
# Comparison $\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$ vs $\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$

Partial wave intensities normalized to  $a_2$



## Charged/Neutral Pions

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





# Systematic Improvements of the Model

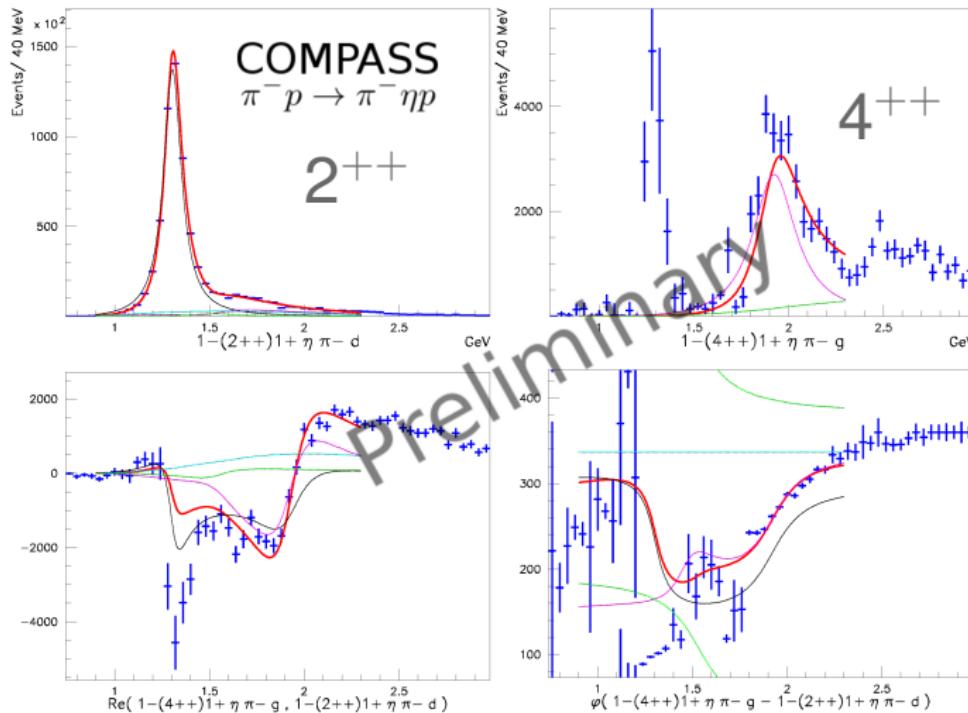
WORK IN PROGRESS

- 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  $3\pi$  data
- Add chiral amplitudes where possible
- Improve fitting procedures (thresholds, model selection, ...)



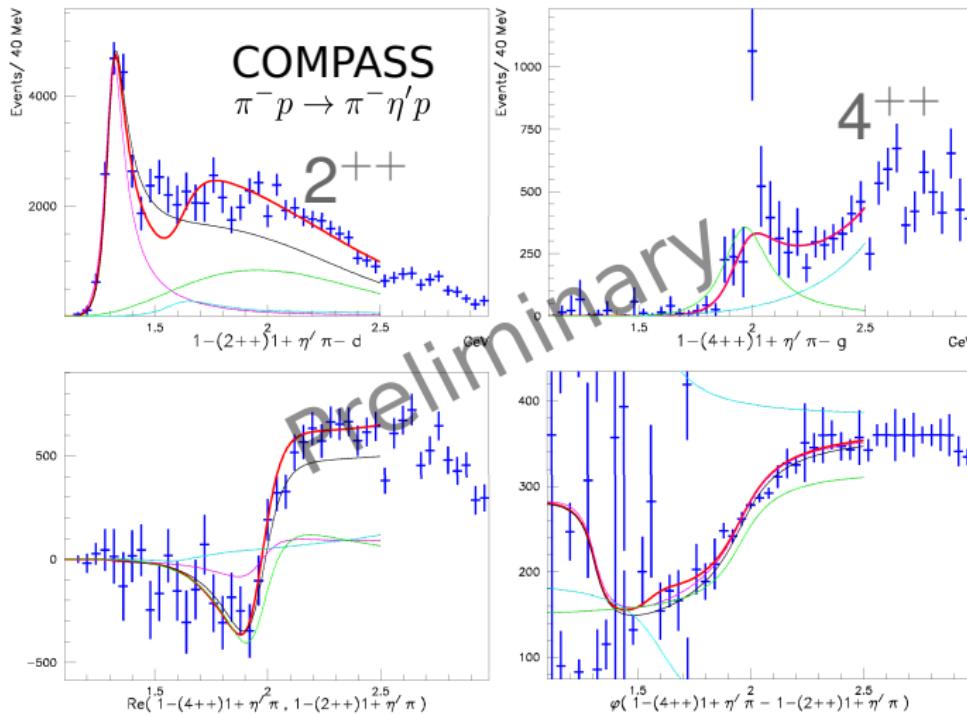
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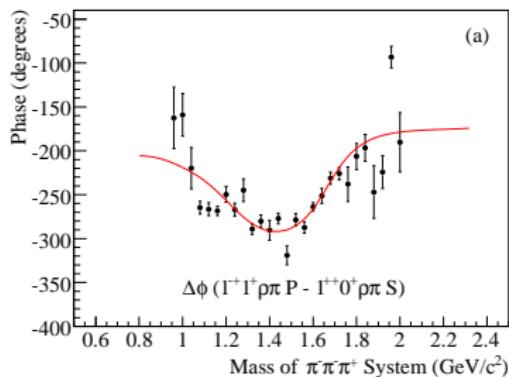
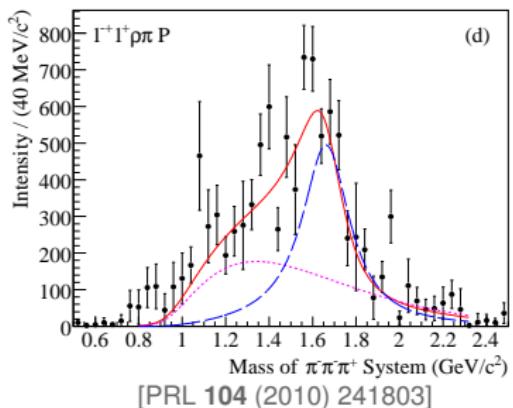


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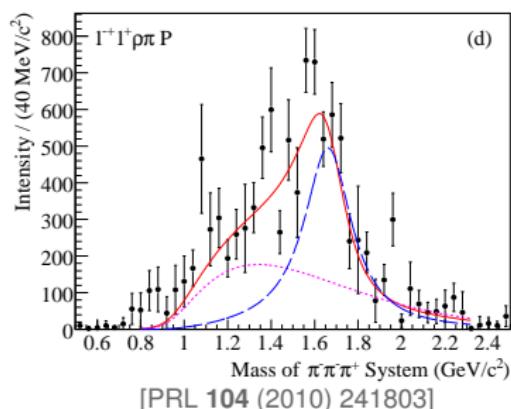


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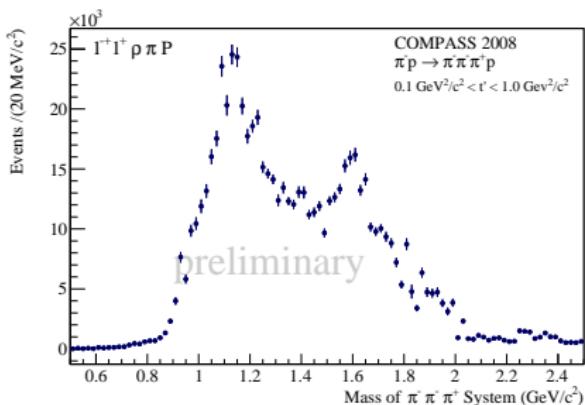
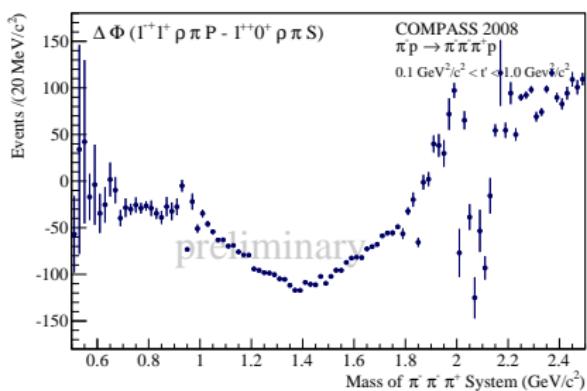
## Spin Exotic $\pi_1(1600)$

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

# The spin exotic $J^{PC} = 1^{-+} \rho\pi$ $P$ -wave

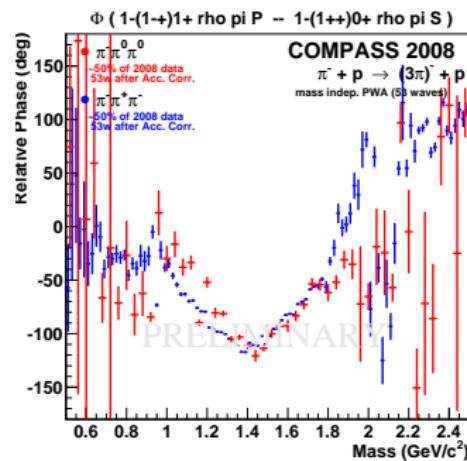
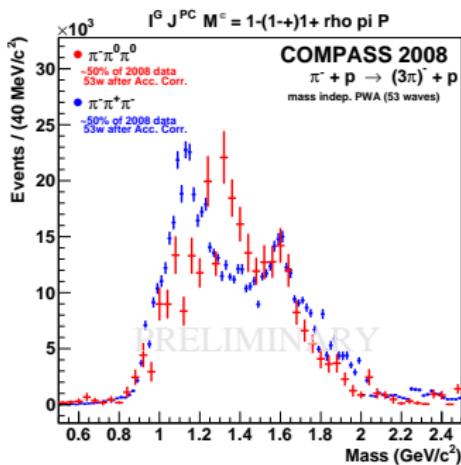
$1^{-+}$  in  $\pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$

Intensity (statistical errors only)

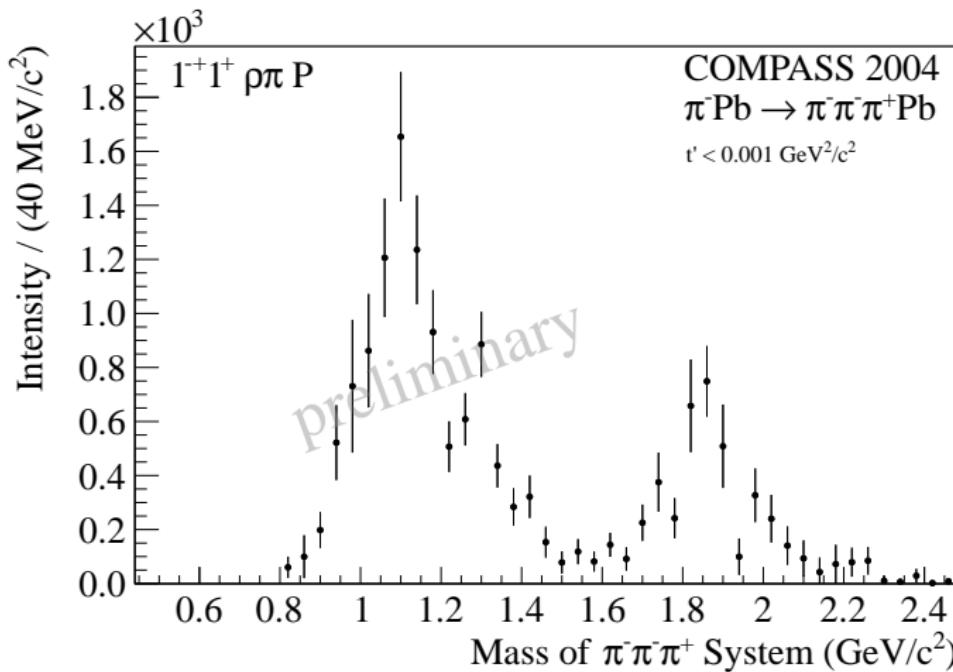
Phase motion vs  $1^{++} \rho\pi$   $S$ -wave

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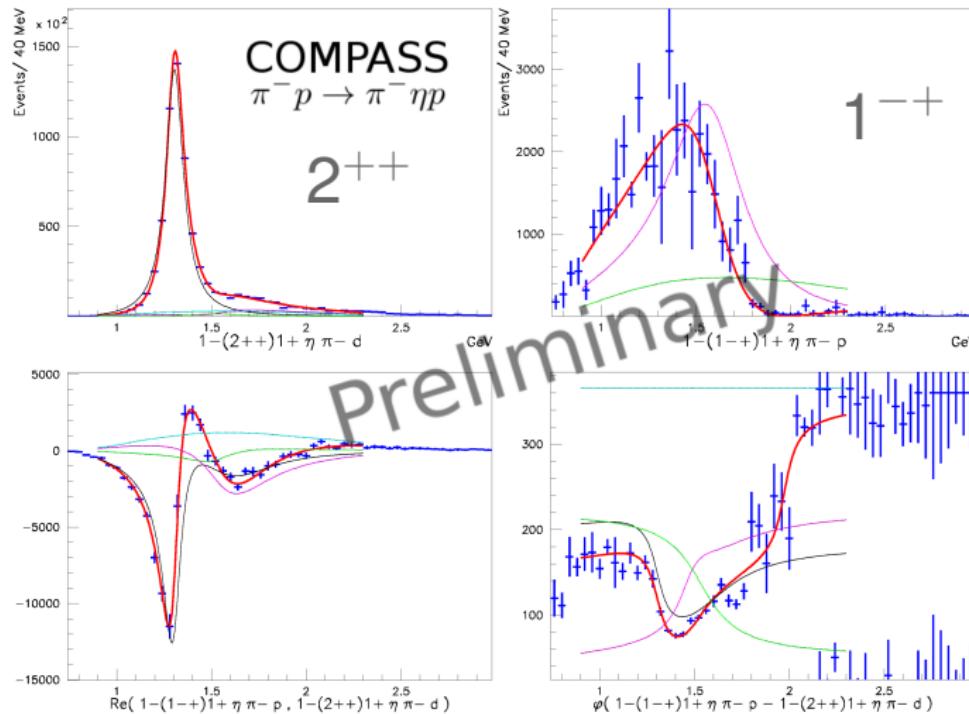


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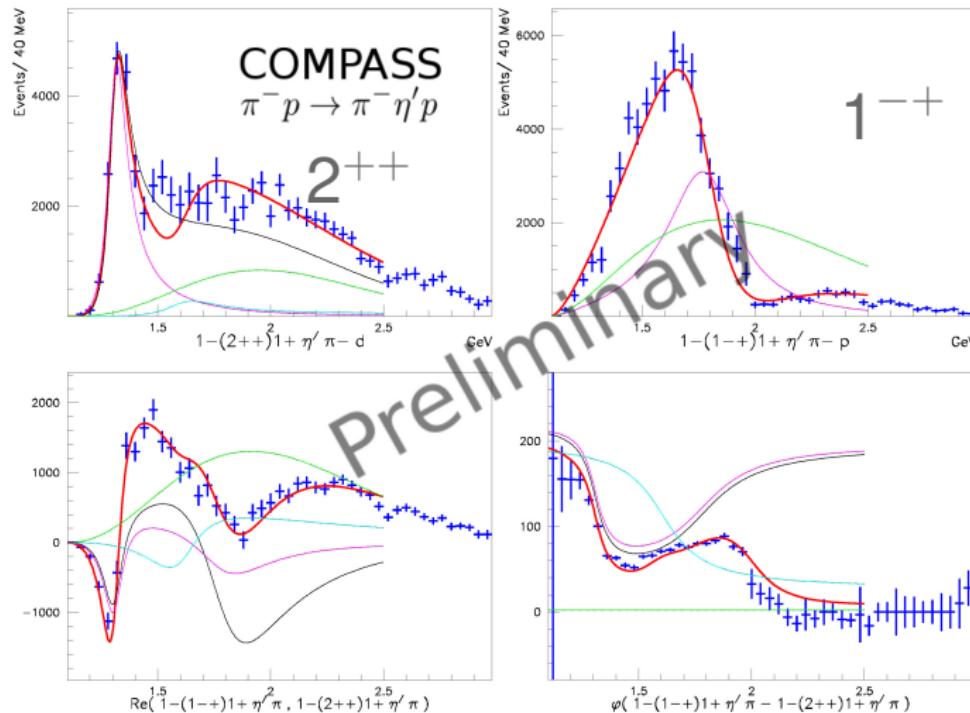
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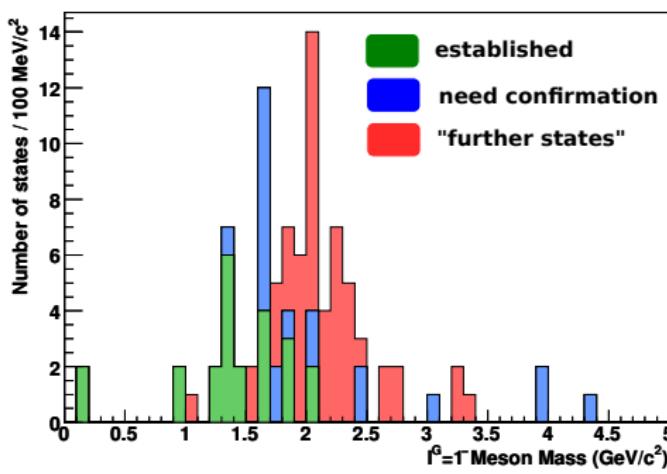
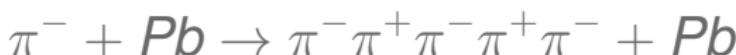
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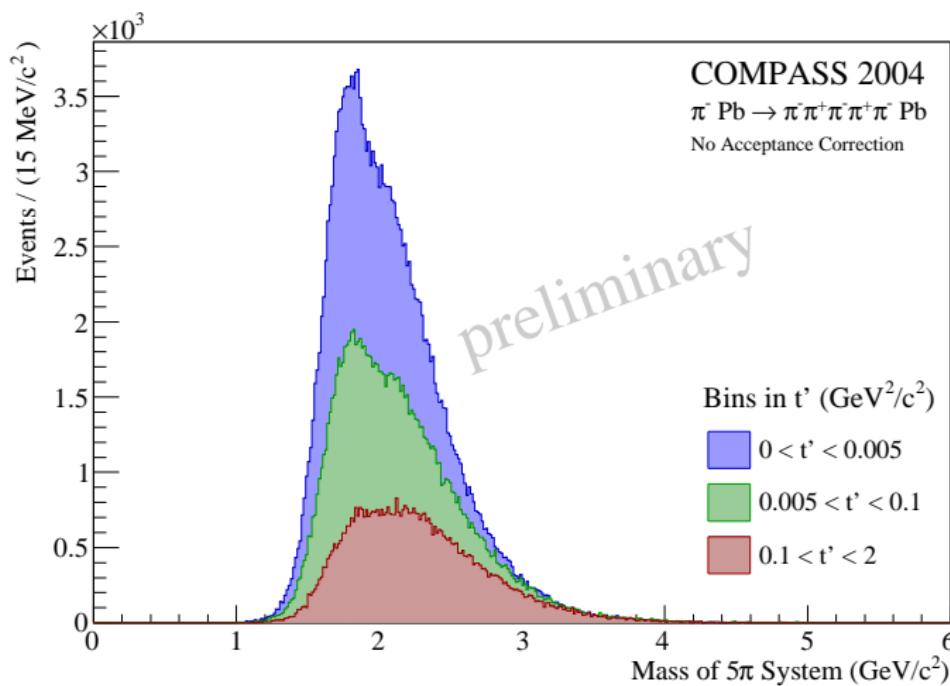




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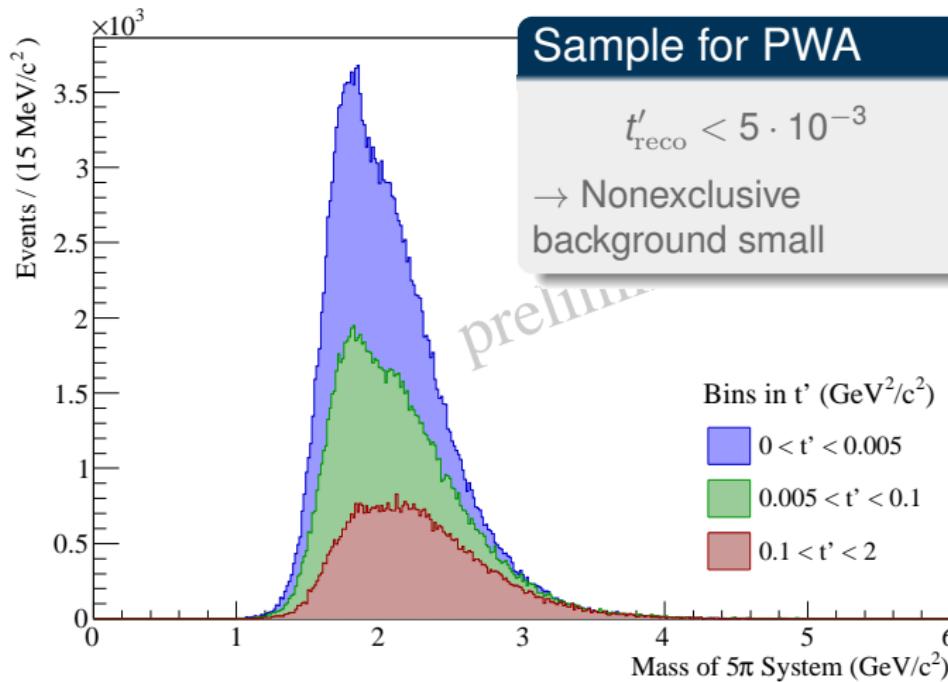


# $5\pi$ Data Sample 2004: $\pi + Pb \rightarrow 5\pi + Pb$





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# Spin Density Matrix (Subset)

## 7-Resonance Fit

$0^{-+} \pi^- f_0(1500) S$

$0^{-+} \rho a_1(1260) S$

$1^{++} \pi^- f_0(1370) P$

$1^{++} \pi^- f_1(1285) P$

$1^{++} \rho \pi(1300) S$

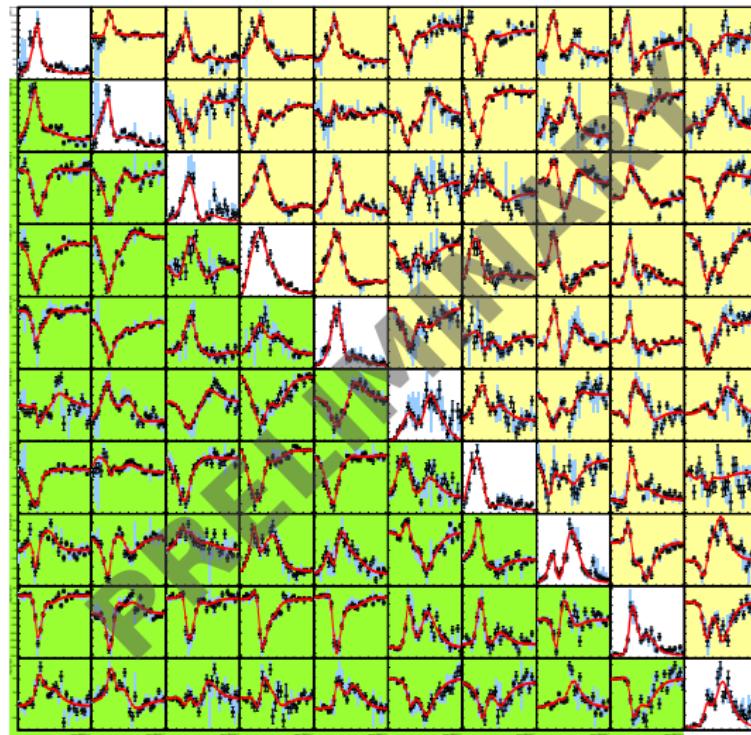
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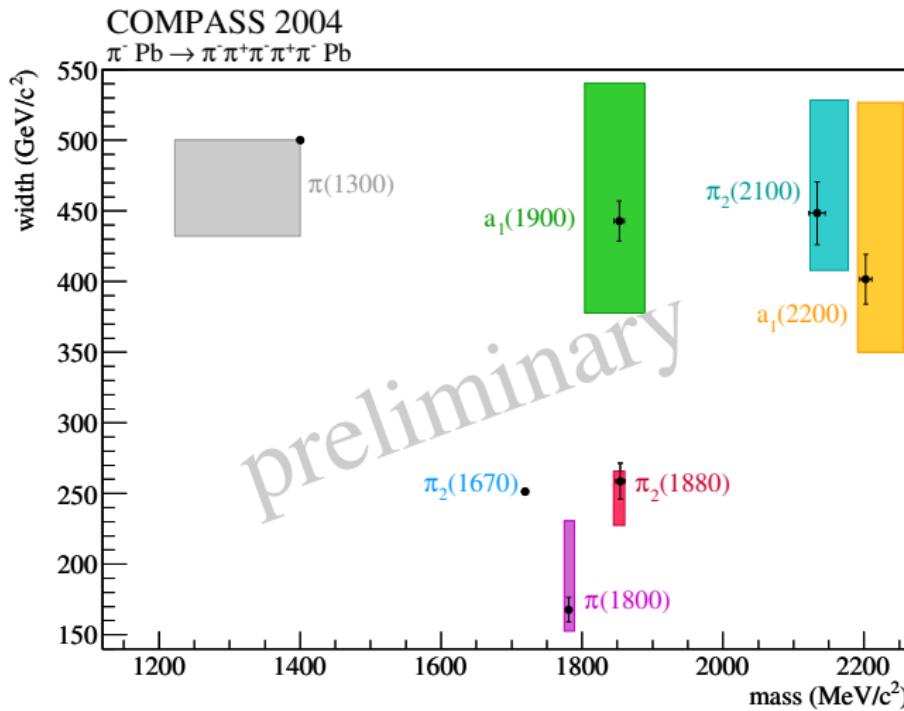
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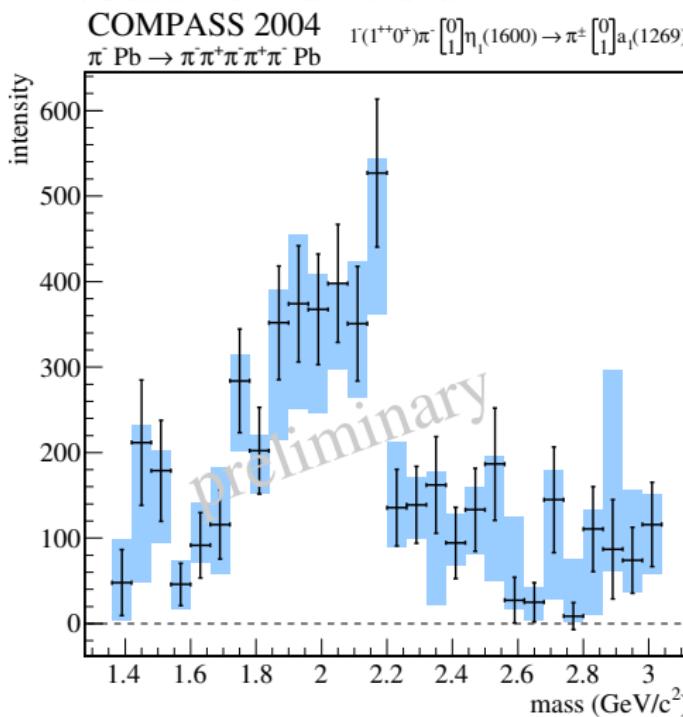
# 5 $\pi$ Resonances — Extracted Parameters

## Summary of Resonance Parameters



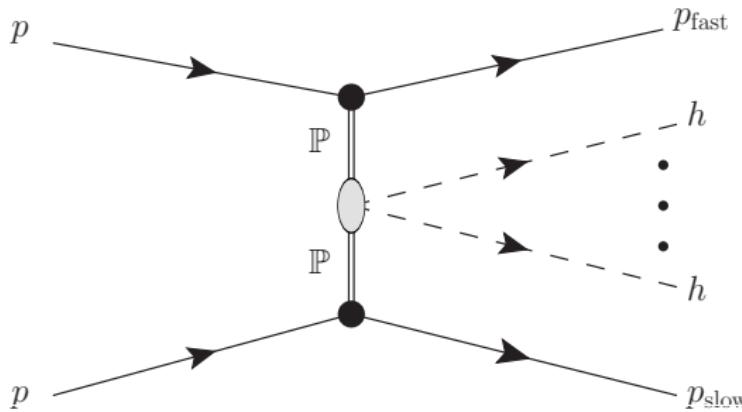
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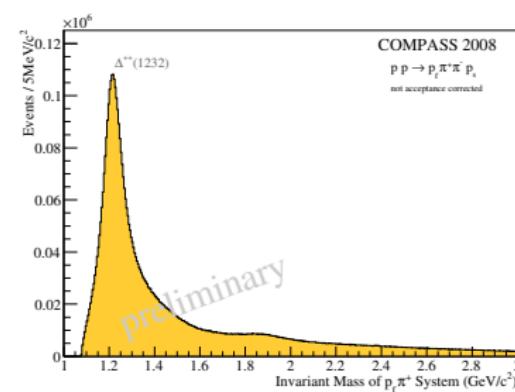
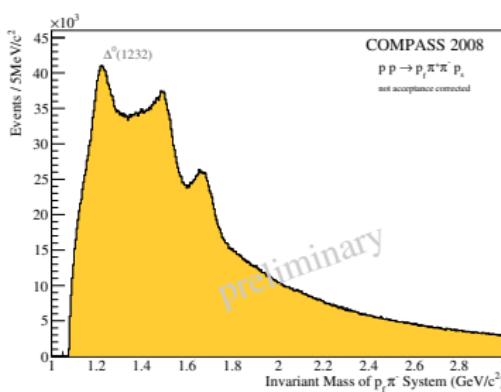
# Isoscalar – Scalar Mesons Meson Production at Central Rapidities in $p\bar{p}$ Scattering



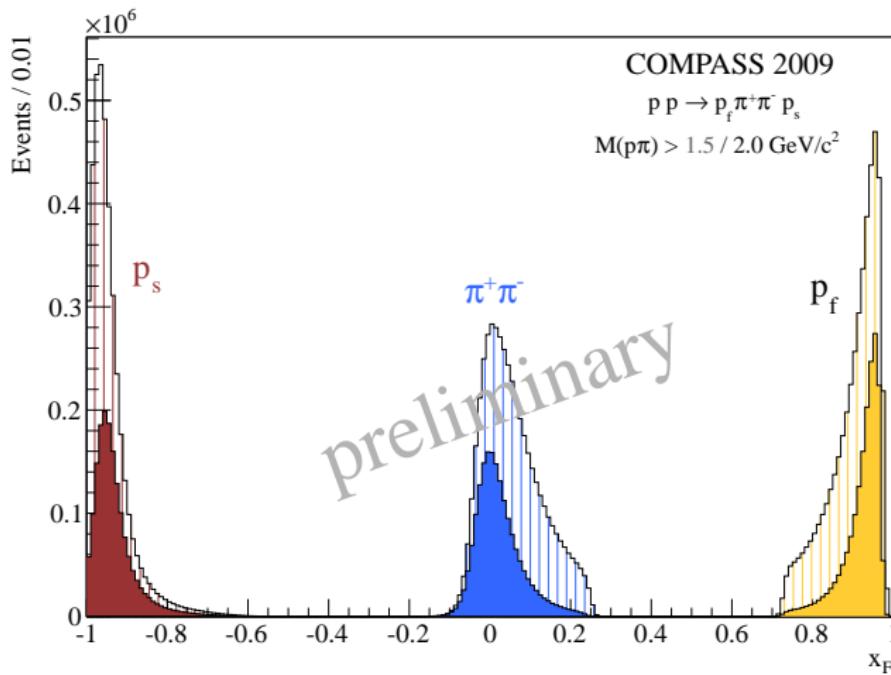
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$$pp \rightarrow p_{\text{fast}} \pi^+ \pi^- + p_{\text{slow}}$$

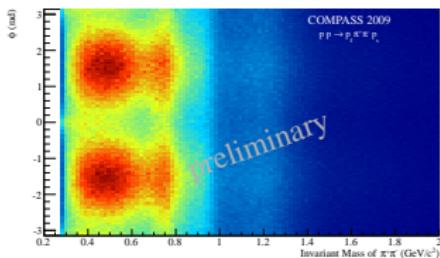
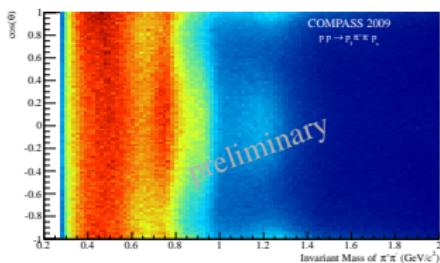
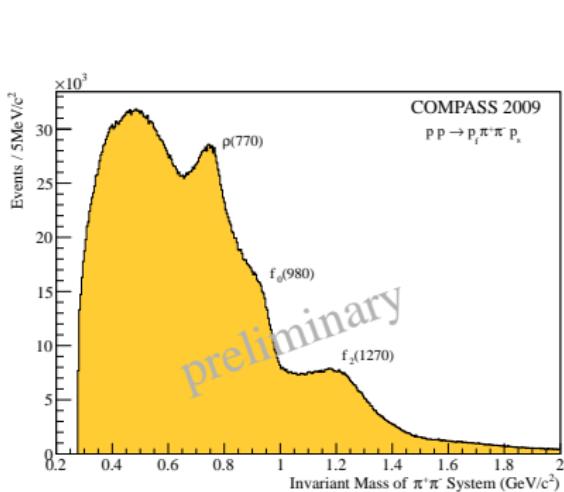
- Diffractive production of baryon resonances
- Kinematic overlap between production mechanisms  
→ mass dependence



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

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

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 Conclusion and Outlook

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

## Outlook

- Dedicated Primakoff run 2012
- Further measurements: OZI-violation, Multi-particle final states...
- Study  $2\pi$  and  $4\pi$  systems, Isobar-fits, rescattering ...
- Consolidate Data → Global Meson Analysis Working Group



# Backup

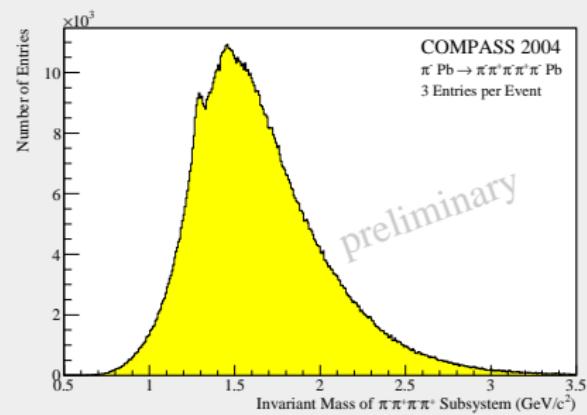
# 5 $\pi$ Resonance Parameters

## Comparison to PDG

Parameter			Fit	PDG
Resonance	$J^{PC}$		(MeV/c $^2$ )	
$\pi(1300)$	$0^{-+}$	M	1400*	$1300 \pm 100$
		$\Gamma$	500 $^{\dagger}$	200...600
$\pi(1800)$	$0^{-+}$	M	$1781 \pm 5^{+1(+8)}_{-6(-6)}$	$1816 \pm 14$
		$\Gamma$	$168 \pm 9^{+5(+62)}_{-14(-15)}$	$208 \pm 12$
$a_1(1900)$	$1^{++}$	M	$1853 \pm 7^{+36(+36)}_{-6(-49)}$	$1930^{+30}_{-70}$
		$\Gamma$	$443 \pm 14^{+12(+98)}_{-45(-65)}$	$155 \pm 45$
$a_1(2200)$	$1^{++}$	M	$2202 \pm 8^{+15(+53)}_{-8(-11)}$	$2096 \pm 17 \pm 121$
		$\Gamma$	$402 \pm 17^{+41(+125)}_{-52(-51)}$	$451 \pm 41 \pm 81$
$\pi_2(1670)$	$2^{-+}$	M	1719.0 $^{\dagger}$	$1672.4 \pm 3.2$
		$\Gamma$	251.4 $^{\dagger}$	$259 \pm 9$
$\pi_2(1880)$	$2^{-+}$	M	$1854 \pm 6^{+6(+6)}_{-4(-9)}$	$1895 \pm 16$
		$\Gamma$	$259 \pm 13^{+7(+7)}_{-17(-31)}$	$235 \pm 34$
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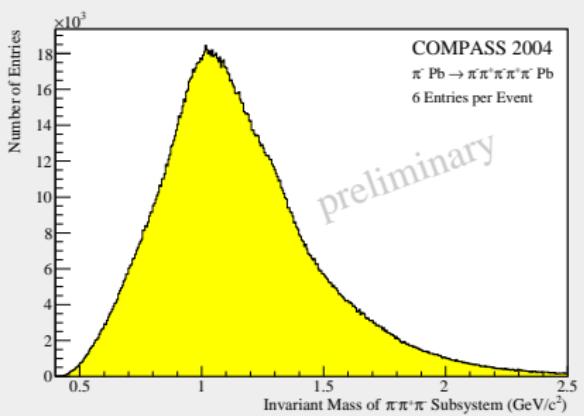
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### $3\pi$ subsystem

 $D_2$ 

1800

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

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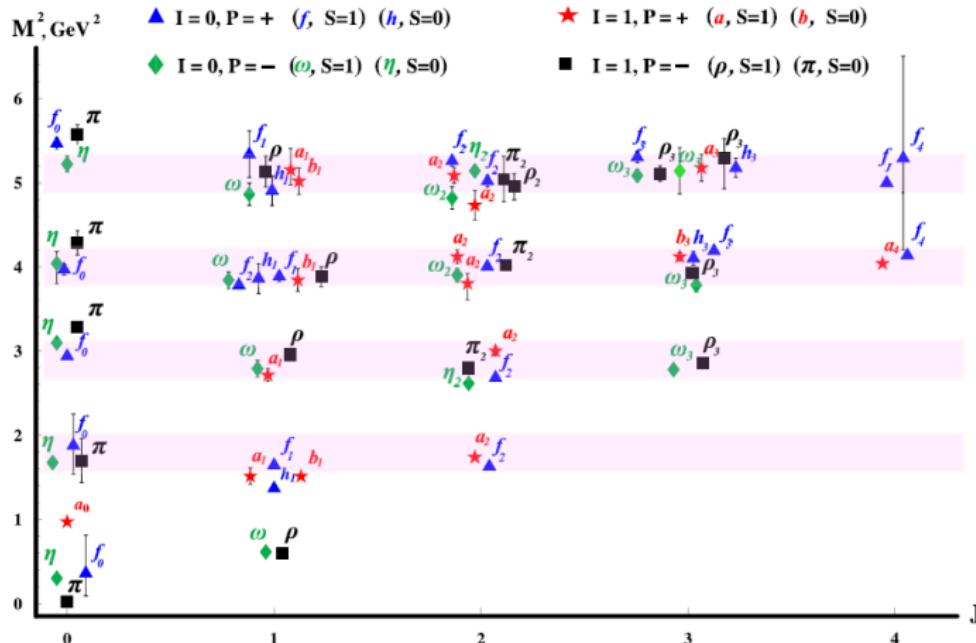
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2 $\pi$  subsystem:  $\sigma, \rho(770), f_2(1270)$

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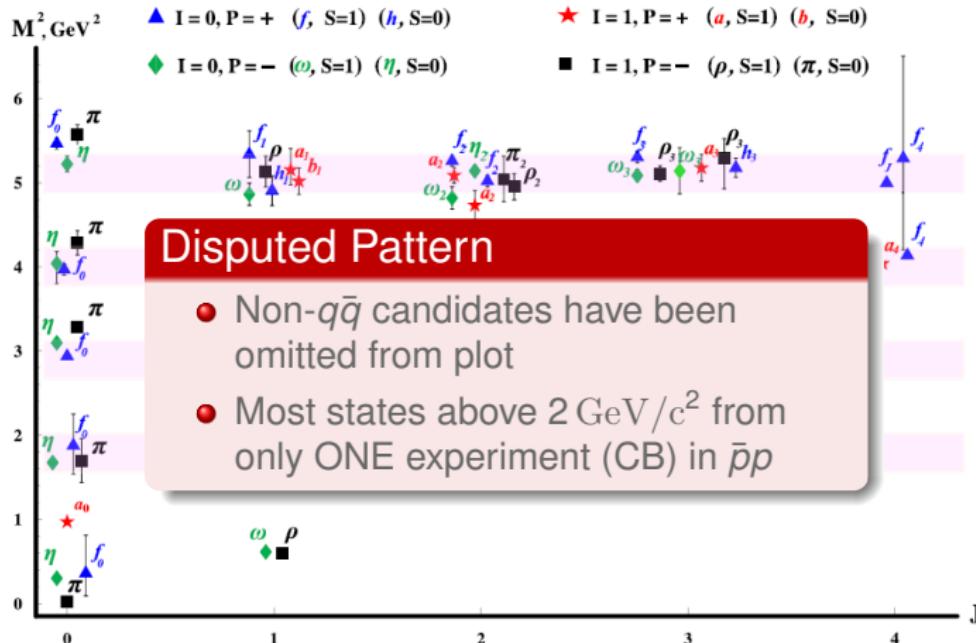


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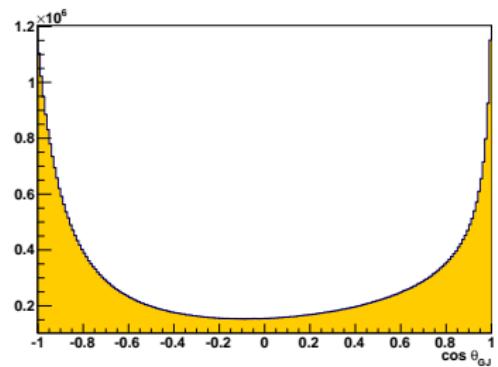
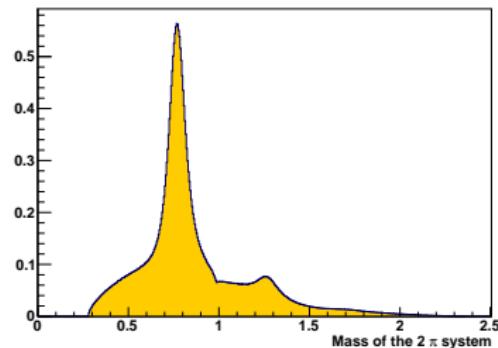
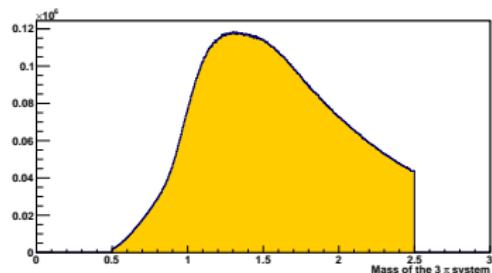
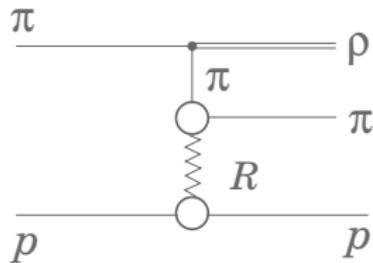


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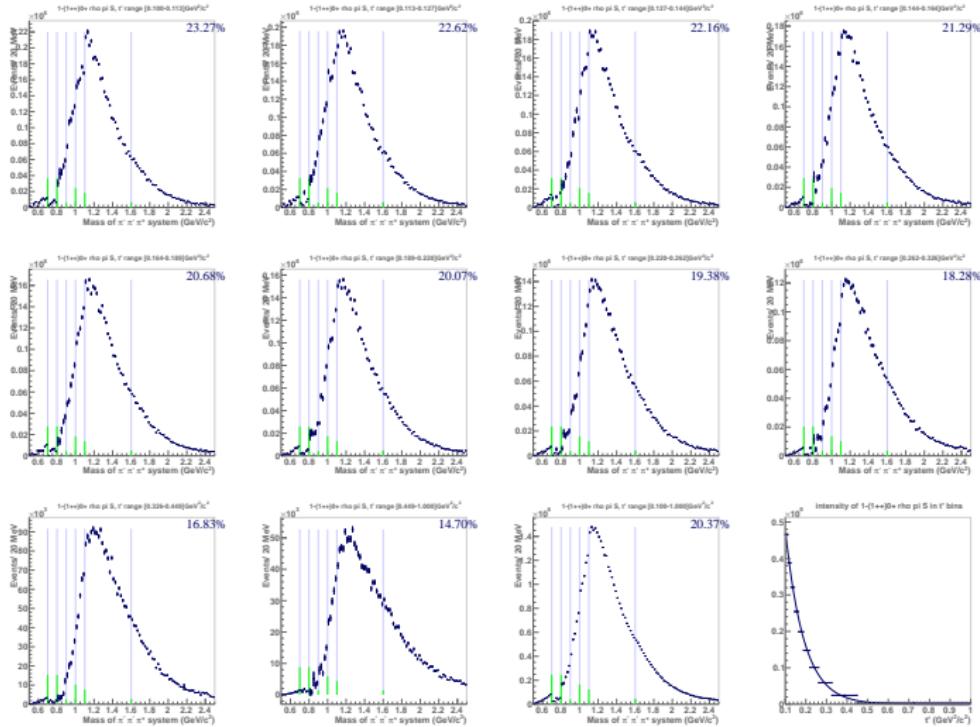
# Nonresonant Scattering — Deck Effect

Monte Carlo Simulation



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

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





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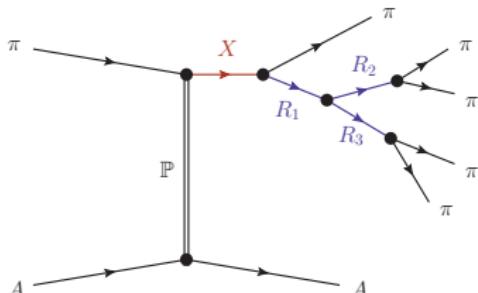
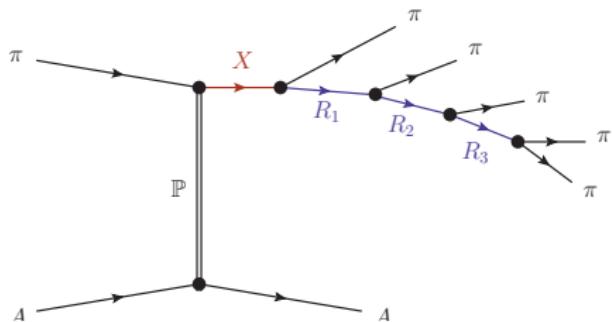
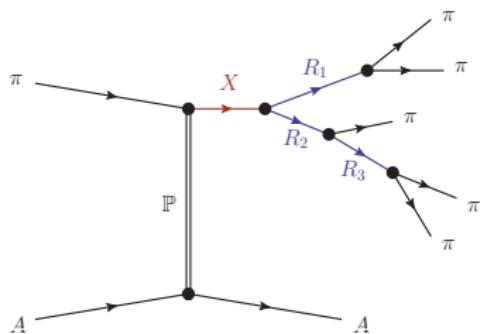
## $J^{PC}$ Multiplets

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

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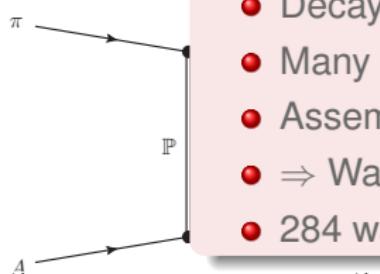
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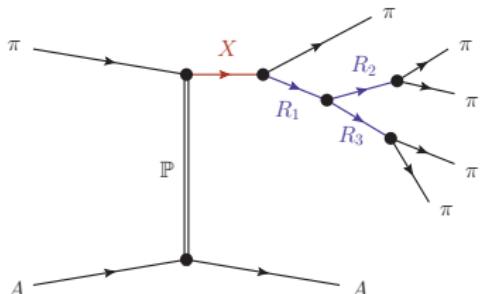
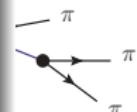
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### 5-Body PWA Specials



- Decay topologies
- Many possible partial waves
- Assembly of waveset not possible by hand
- $\Rightarrow$  Waveset evolution
- 284 waves tested

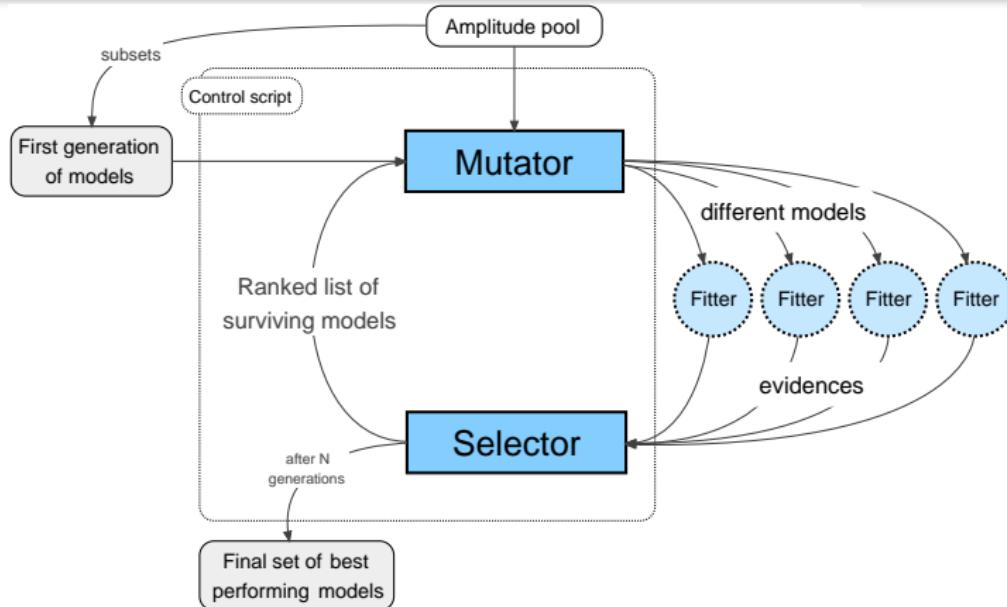


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# Evolutionary Waveset Exploration

Genetic Algorithm — 284 Waves in Pool



Evidence = Goodness of fit

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