

# $\eta n$ & $K^0\Lambda$ photoproduction off the neutron with nucleon resonances

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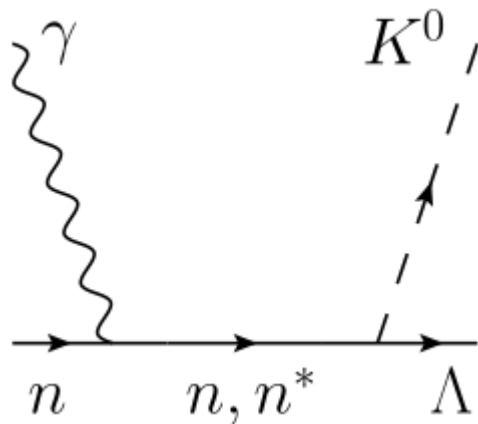
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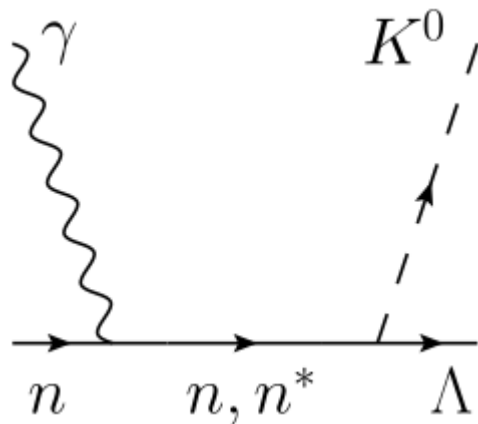


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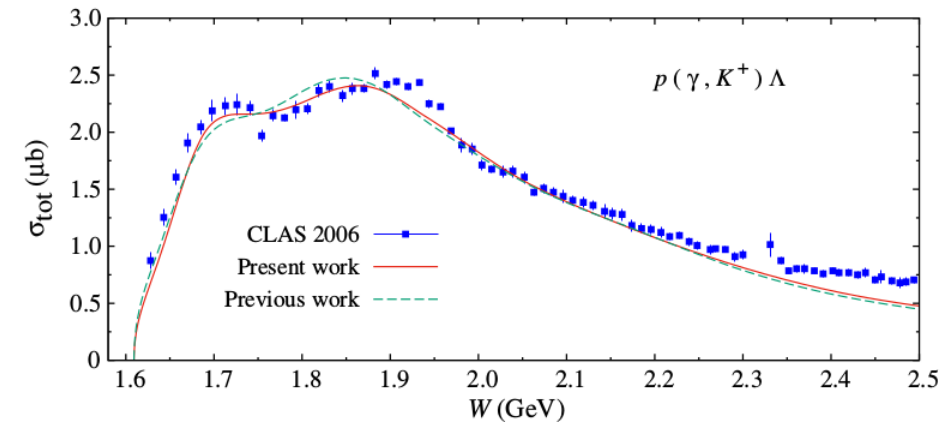
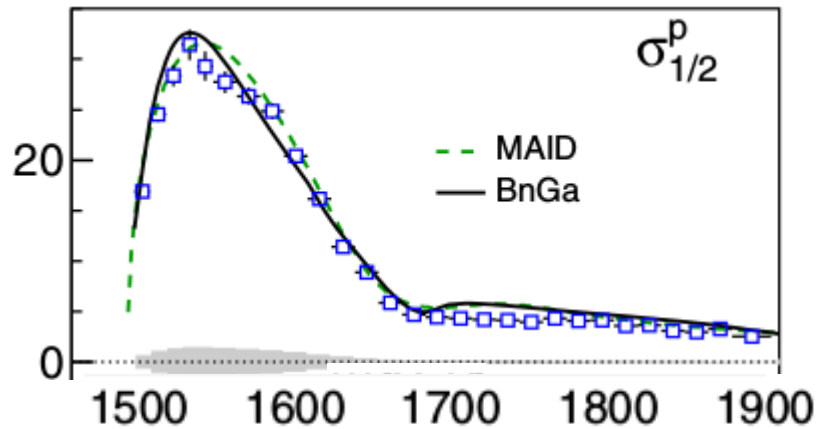


- Other possibility for investigating  $N(1685, 1/2^+)$  would be  $\pi N$  and  $\pi\Delta$  channels.

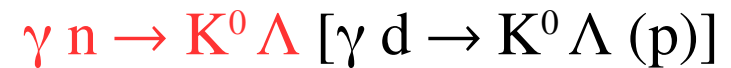
- $K\Sigma$  channel is not useful since its  $W_{\text{th}}$  is almost 1685 MeV.

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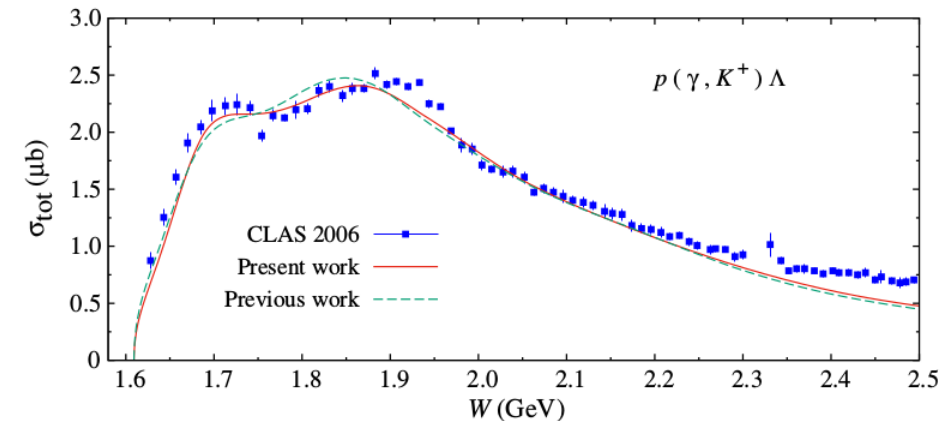
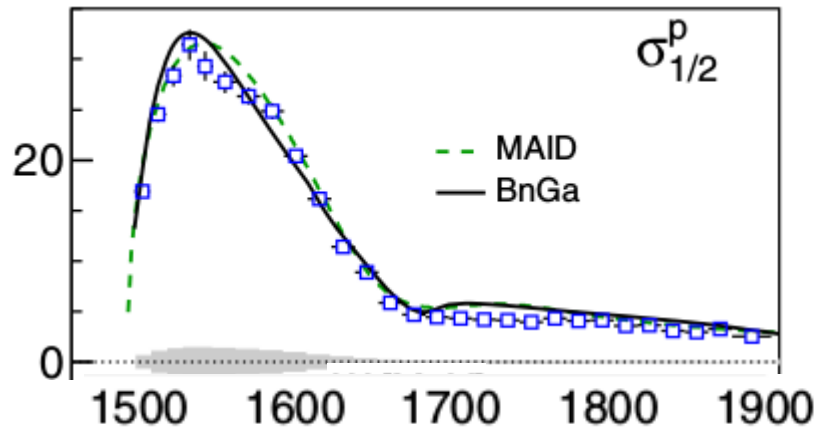
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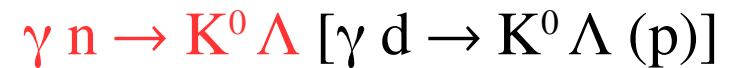
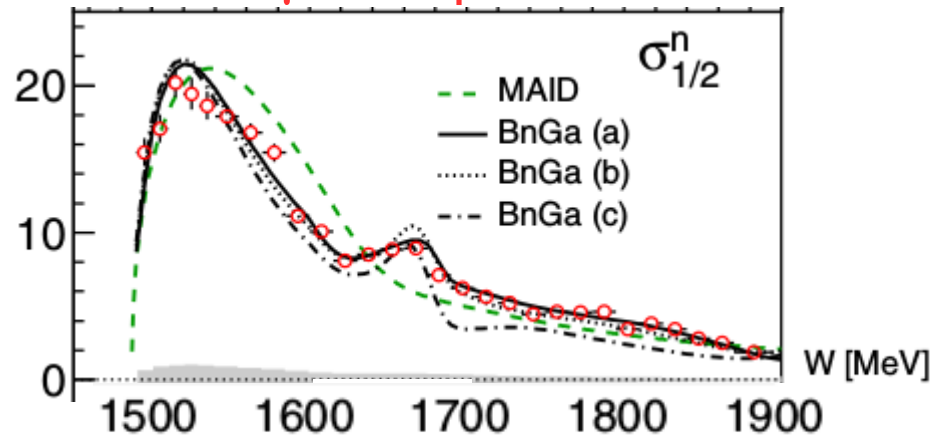
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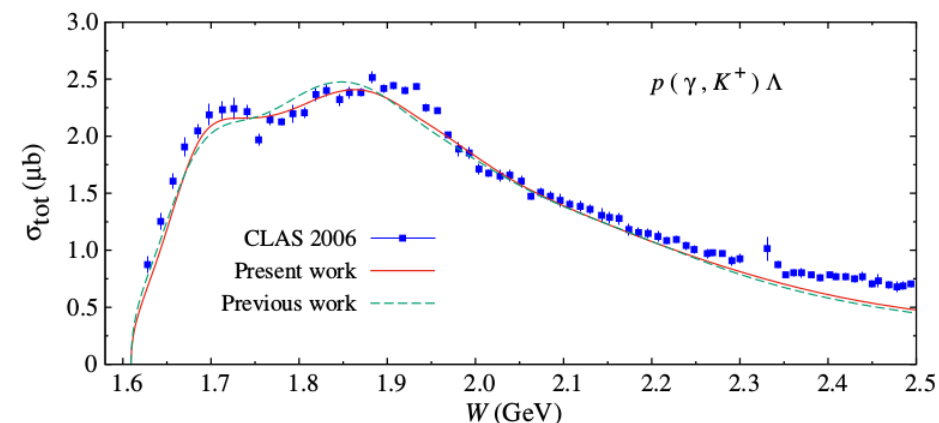
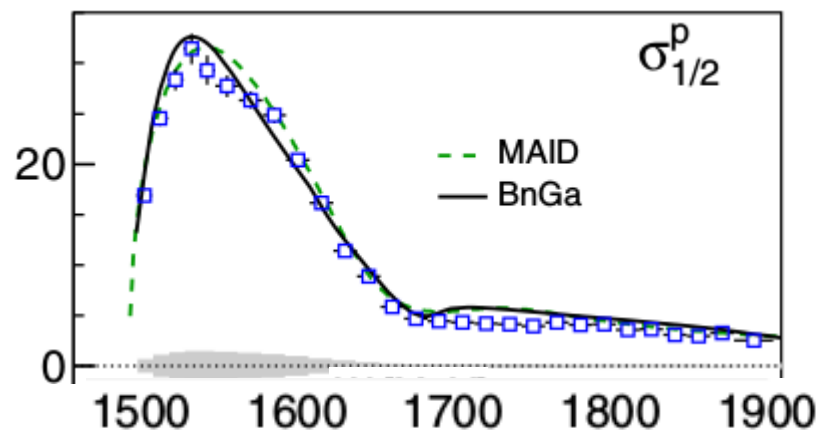


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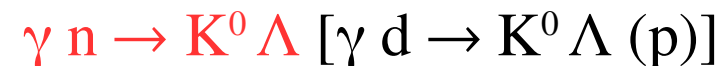
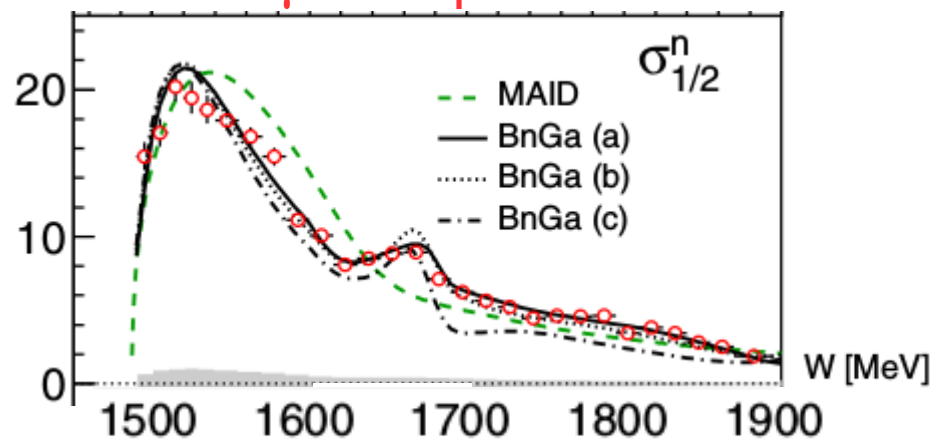


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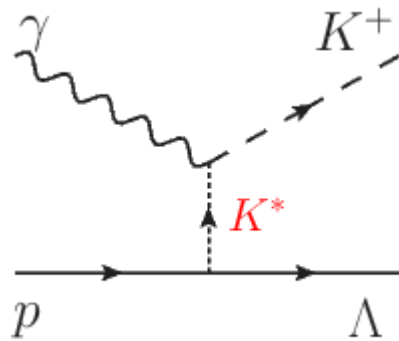
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- Our approach is similar to the RPR model but avoids a complex fitting procedure. We construct the relation between “the coupling constants” of effective Lagrangians and “the partial decay widths” that can be obtained by PDG or hadron models. Thus model parameters are much reduced.

## Regge-plus-Resonance model

□ preserves unitarity.

Single particle exchange  
in the t-channel of spin J

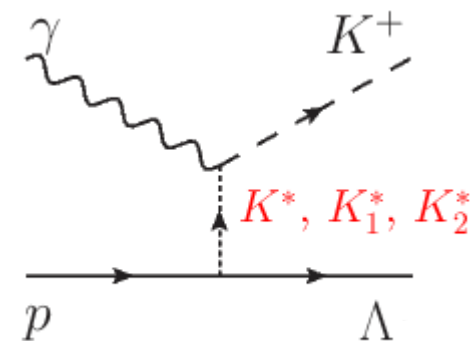


$$\sigma \sim s^{J-1}$$

Froissart bound :

$$\sigma^{\text{Tot}}(s) \leq \text{constant} \times \log^2(s/s_0)$$

Sum up all meson  
exchanges of various J



$$\sigma \sim s^{\alpha(0)-1}$$

K and K\* trajectories are degenerated :

$$\alpha_K = \alpha_K(t) = \frac{0.7}{\text{GeV}^2} (t - M_K^2)$$

$$\alpha_{K^*} = \alpha_{K^*}(t) = \frac{0.83}{\text{GeV}^2} t + 0.25$$



## Regge-plus-Resonance model

Invariant amplitude:  $M^{\text{Regge}}$  (background) +  $M^{\text{Resonance}}$

□ interpolates between the low and high momentum transfer regions.

□ Regge propagators ( $P^{\text{Regge}}$ ) in a gauge invariant manner

$$\mathcal{M}_{t,s}^{\text{Regge}} = [(\mathcal{M}_K + \mathcal{M}_N)(t - M_K^2)P_K^{\text{Regge}} + \mathcal{M}_{K^*}(t - M_{K^*}^2)P_{K^*}^{\text{Regge}}]$$

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Guidal,  
NPA.627.645(1997)

□ Strong coupling constants

▷ SU(3)<sub>f</sub> symmetry :  $-4.4 \leq g_{KN\Lambda}/4\sqrt{\pi} \leq -3.0$

▷ Nijmegen potentials :  $-4.9 \leq g_{KN\Lambda}/4\sqrt{\pi} \leq -3.8$

are constrained by the high energy region.

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□ PDG & missing resonances

□ Hadronic form factors: monopole, dipole, Gaussian

□ Rarita-Schwinger propagators ( $S(p)$ ) for spin-3/2, -5/2, -7/2  $N^*$ 's

[PRD.60.61(1941), Behrends,PR.106.345(1957), Rushbrooke,PR.143.1345(1966), Chang,PR.161.1308(1967)]

$$(i\not{p} - M)R_{\alpha_1\alpha_2\dots\alpha_{n-1}} = 0 \quad \gamma^{\alpha_1}R_{\alpha_1\alpha_2\dots\alpha_s} = 0, \quad \partial^{\alpha_1}R_{\alpha_1\alpha_2\dots\alpha_s} = 0,$$

$$g^{\alpha_1\alpha_2}R_{\alpha_1\alpha_2\dots\alpha_s} = 0.$$

$$S(p) = \frac{i}{\not{p} - M} \Delta(J) \quad \sum_{\text{spins}} R_{\alpha_1\dots} \bar{R}^{\beta_1\dots} = \Lambda_{\pm} \Delta_{\alpha_1\dots}^{\beta_1\dots} \quad (\Delta_{\alpha}^{\beta}: \text{spin projection operator})$$

$$\Delta_{\alpha}^{\beta}(\frac{3}{2}) = -g_{\alpha}^{\beta} + \frac{1}{3}\gamma_{\alpha}\gamma^{\beta} + \frac{1}{3M}(\gamma_{\alpha}p^{\beta} - p_{\alpha}\gamma^{\beta}) + \frac{2}{3M^2}p_{\alpha}p^{\beta}$$

$$\Delta_{\alpha_1\alpha_2}^{\beta_1\beta_2}(\frac{5}{2}) = \frac{1}{2}(\theta_{\alpha_1}^{\beta_1}\theta_{\alpha_2}^{\beta_2} + \theta_{\alpha_1}^{\beta_2}\theta_{\alpha_2}^{\beta_1}) - \frac{1}{5}\theta_{\alpha_1\alpha_2}\theta^{\beta_1\beta_2} - \frac{1}{10}(\Gamma_{\alpha_1}\Gamma^{\beta_1}\theta_{\alpha_2}^{\beta_2} + \Gamma_{\alpha_1}\Gamma^{\beta_2}\theta_{\alpha_2}^{\beta_1} + \Gamma_{\alpha_2}\Gamma^{\beta_1}\theta_{\alpha_1}^{\beta_2} + \Gamma_{\alpha_2}\Gamma^{\beta_2}\theta_{\alpha_1}^{\beta_1})$$

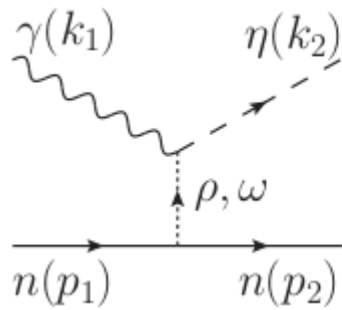
$$\Delta_{\alpha_1\alpha_2\alpha_3}^{\beta_1\beta_2\beta_3}(\frac{7}{2}) =$$

Oh,JKPS.59.3344(2011)

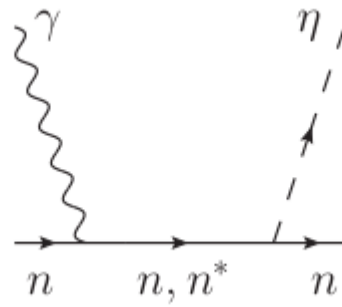
$$\theta_{\alpha\beta} = -\left(g_{\alpha\beta} - \frac{1}{M^2}p_{\alpha}p_{\beta}\right) \Gamma^{\alpha} = i\left(\gamma^{\alpha} - \frac{1}{M^2}\not{p}p^{\alpha}\right)$$

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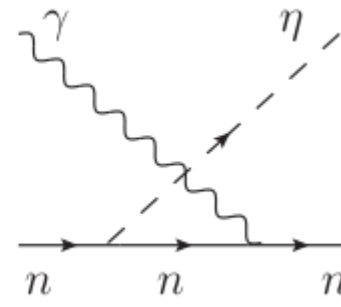
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t channel



s channel

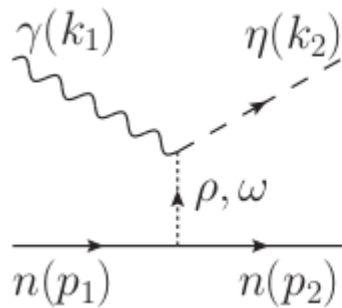


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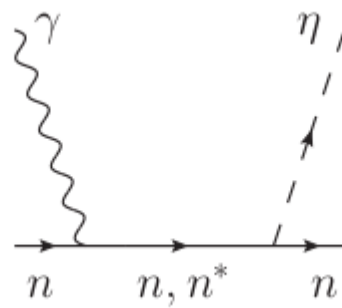
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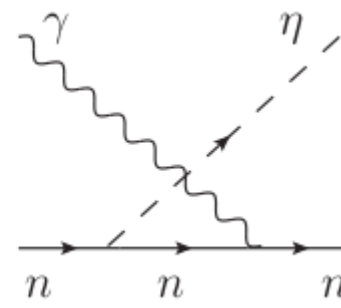
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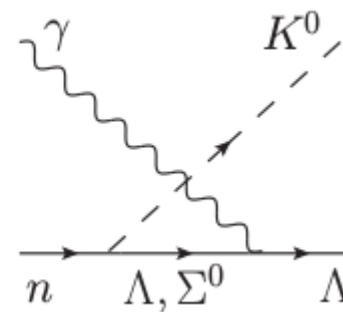
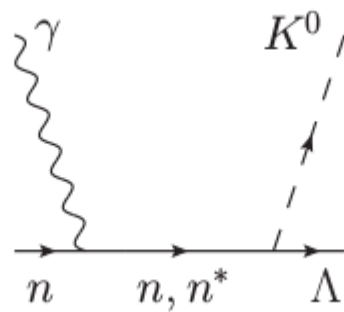
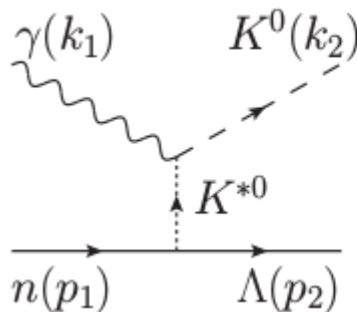
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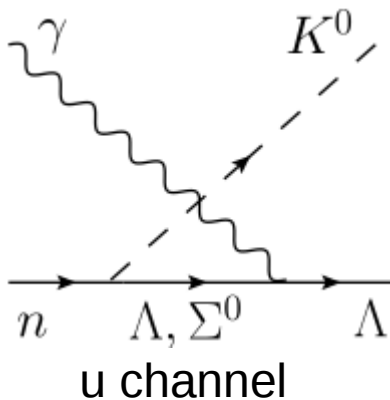
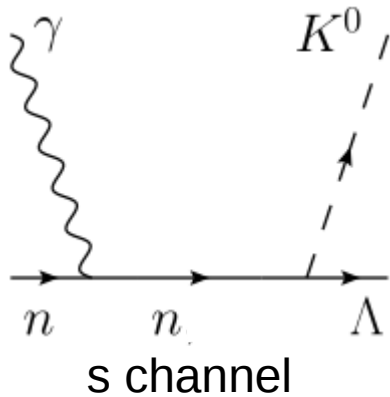
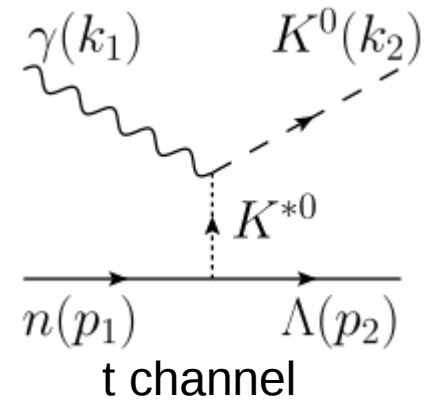
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Change particles & couplings.

- ❑ K exchange is excluded because of charge.
- ❑ Other higher strange mesons are excluded because of their small photocouplings, e.g.,  $\text{Br}(K^*(1410) \rightarrow K_0 \gamma) < 2.2 \times 10^{-4}$ .

## 1. Background contributions



## Effective hadronic Lagrangians

## Electromagnetic interactions

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma KK^*} = g_{\gamma KK^*}^0 \epsilon^{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} \partial_\mu A_\nu (\partial_\alpha \bar{K}_\beta^{*0} K^0 + \bar{K}^0 \partial_\alpha K_\beta^{*0}),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma NN} = -\bar{N} \left[ e_N \gamma_\mu - \frac{e\kappa_N}{2M_N} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu \right] A^\mu N,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma \Lambda\Lambda} = \frac{e\kappa_\Lambda}{2M_N} \bar{\Lambda} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu A^\mu \Lambda,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma \Sigma\Lambda} = \frac{e\mu_{\Sigma\Lambda}}{2M_N} \bar{\Sigma}^0 \sigma_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu A^\mu \Lambda + \text{H.c.},$$

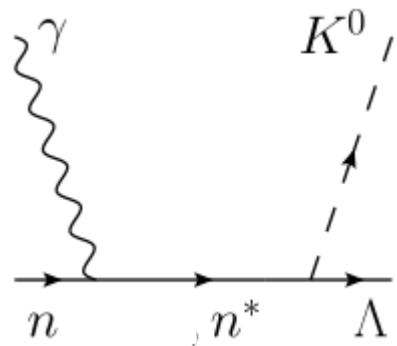
## Strong interactions

$$\mathcal{L}_{K^*N\Lambda} = -g_{K^*N\Lambda} \bar{N} \left[ \gamma_\mu \Lambda - \frac{\kappa_{K^*N\Lambda}}{M_N + M_\Lambda} \sigma_{\mu\nu} \Lambda \partial^\nu \right] K^{*\mu} + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{KNY} = \frac{g_{KNY}}{M_N + M_Y} \bar{N} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 Y \partial^\mu K + \text{H.c.},$$

form factor:  $F_B(q^2) = \left[ \frac{\Lambda_B^4}{\Lambda_B^4 + (q^2 - M_B^2)^2} \right]^2$

## 2. Resonance contributions



$$\Gamma^\pm = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_5 \\ I_{4 \times 4} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Gamma_\nu^\pm = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_\nu \gamma_5 \\ \gamma_\nu \end{pmatrix}$$

Gaussian form factor:

$$F_{N^*}(q_s^2) = \exp \left\{ -\frac{(q_s^2 - M_{N^*}^2)^2}{\Lambda_{N^*}^4} \right\}$$

$$\Lambda_B = \Lambda_{N^*} = 0.9 \text{ GeV}$$

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$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma NN^*}^{1/2^\pm} = \frac{eh_1}{2M_N} \bar{N} \Gamma^\mp \sigma_{\mu\nu} \partial^\nu A^\mu N^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma NN^*}^{3/2^\pm} = -ie \left[ \frac{h_1}{2M_N} \bar{N} \Gamma_\nu^\pm - \frac{ih_2}{(2M_N)^2} \partial_\nu \bar{N} \Gamma^\pm \right] F^{\mu\nu} N_\mu^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma NN^*}^{5/2^\pm} = e \left[ \frac{h_1}{(2M_N)^2} \bar{N} \Gamma_\nu^\mp - \frac{ih_2}{(2M_N)^3} \partial_\nu \bar{N} \Gamma^\mp \right] \partial^\alpha F^{\mu\nu} N_{\mu\alpha}^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\gamma NN^*}^{7/2^\pm} = ie \left[ \frac{h_1}{(2M_N)^3} \bar{N} \Gamma_\nu^\pm - \frac{ih_2}{(2M_N)^4} \partial_\nu \bar{N} \Gamma^\pm \right] \partial^\alpha \partial^\beta F^{\mu\nu} N_{\mu\alpha\beta}^* + \text{H.c.}$$

## Strong interactions

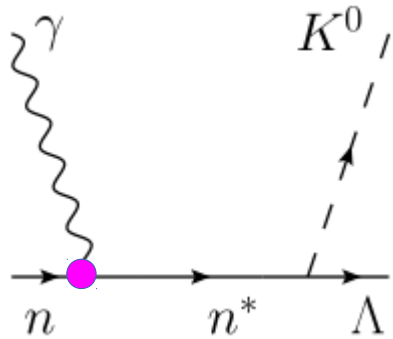
$$\mathcal{L}_{K\Lambda N^*}^{1/2^\pm} = -ig_{K\Lambda N^*} \bar{K} \bar{\Lambda} \Gamma^\pm N^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{K\Lambda N^*}^{3/2^\pm} = \frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K} \partial^\mu \bar{K} \bar{\Lambda} \Gamma^\mp N_\mu^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{K\Lambda N^*}^{5/2^\pm} = \frac{ig_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K^2} \partial^\mu \partial^\nu \bar{K} \bar{\Lambda} \Gamma^\pm N_{\mu\nu}^* + \text{H.c.},$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{K\Lambda N^*}^{7/2^\pm} = -\frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K^3} \partial^\mu \partial^\nu \partial^\alpha \bar{K} \bar{\Lambda} \Gamma^\mp N_{\mu\nu\alpha}^* + \text{H.c.}$$

## 2. Resonance contributions



Oh, Ko, Nakayama,  
PRC.77.045204(2008)

“Transition magnetic moments”  $h_1, h_2$  &  
“Helicity amplitudes”  $A_\lambda$

$$\underline{A}_\lambda(j) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{8M_N M_R k_\gamma}} \frac{2j+1}{4\pi} \times \int d\cos\theta d\phi e^{-i(m-\lambda)\phi} d_{\lambda m}^j(\theta) \langle \mathbf{k}_\gamma, \lambda_\gamma, \lambda_N | -i\underline{M} | jm \rangle$$

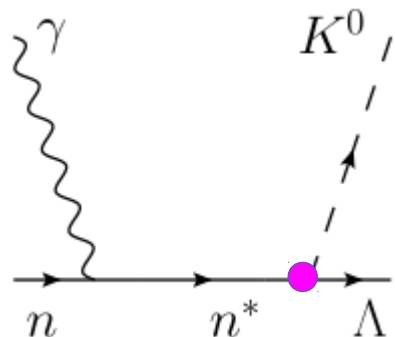
$$\left\{ \underline{A}_{1/2}(\frac{1}{2}^\pm) = \mp \frac{e f_1}{2M_N} \sqrt{\frac{k_\gamma M_R}{M_N}} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \underline{A}_{1/2}(\frac{3}{2}^\pm) &= \mp \frac{e\sqrt{6}}{12} \sqrt{\frac{k_\gamma}{M_N M_R}} \left[ \underline{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{4M_N^2} M_R (M_R \mp M_N) \right] \\ \underline{A}_{3/2}(\frac{3}{2}^\pm) &= \mp \frac{e\sqrt{2}}{4M_N} \sqrt{\frac{k_\gamma M_R}{M_N}} \left[ \underline{f_1} \mp \frac{f_2}{4M_N} (M_R \mp M_N) \right] \end{aligned} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} \underline{A}_{1/2}(\frac{5}{2}^\pm) &= \pm \frac{e}{4\sqrt{10}} \frac{k_\gamma}{M_N} \sqrt{\frac{k_\gamma}{M_N M_R}} \left[ \underline{f_1} + \frac{f_2}{4M_N^2} M_R (M_R \pm M_N) \right] \\ \underline{A}_{3/2}(\frac{5}{2}^\pm) &= \pm \frac{e}{4\sqrt{5}} \frac{k_\gamma}{M_N^2} \sqrt{\frac{k_\gamma M_R}{M_N}} \left[ \underline{f_1} \pm \frac{f_2}{4M_N} (M_R \pm M_N) \right] \end{aligned} \right.$$

$A_\lambda$  can be taken from PDG.

## 2. Resonance contributions



$$m_l + m_f = m_j$$

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in preparation

$$\Gamma(N^* \rightarrow K\Lambda) = \sum_{\ell} |G(\ell)|^2$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}^{\pm} \rightarrow K\Lambda^*\right) = \frac{1}{4\pi} \frac{q}{M_{N^*}} g_{K\Lambda^*N^*}^2 (E_{\Lambda^*} \pm M_{\Lambda^*}),$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{2}^{\pm} \rightarrow K\Lambda^*\right) = \frac{1}{12\pi} \frac{q^3}{M_{N^*}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda^*N^*}^2}{M_K^2} (E_{\Lambda^*} \mp M_{\Lambda^*}),$$

$$\Gamma\left(\frac{5}{2}^{\pm} \rightarrow K\Lambda^*\right) = \frac{1}{30\pi} \frac{q^5}{M_{N^*}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda^*N^*}^2}{M_K^4} (E_{\Lambda^*} \pm M_{\Lambda^*}),$$

“Strong coupling constants”  $g_{K\Lambda N^*}$  &  
“Decay amplitudes”  $G(\ell)$

$$\begin{aligned} & \langle K(\vec{q}) \Lambda(-\vec{q}, m_f) | -i\mathcal{H}_{\text{int}} | N^*(\mathbf{0}, m_j) \rangle \\ &= 4\pi M_{N^*} \sqrt{\frac{2}{|\vec{q}|}} \sum_{\ell, m_{\ell}} \langle \ell m_{\ell} \frac{1}{2} m_f | j m_j \rangle Y_{\ell, m_{\ell}}(\hat{q}) G(\ell) \end{aligned}$$

$$G\left(\frac{1+P}{2}\right) = \mp \sqrt{\frac{|\vec{q}|(E_{\Lambda} \mp M_{\Lambda})}{4\pi M_{N^*}}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K} \text{ for } N^*(1/2^P),$$

$$G\left(\frac{3-P}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{|\vec{q}|^3(E_{\Lambda} \pm M_{\Lambda})}{12\pi M_{N^*}}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K} \text{ for } N^*(3/2^P),$$

$$G\left(\frac{5+P}{2}\right) = \mp \sqrt{\frac{|\vec{q}|^5(E_{\Lambda} \mp M_{\Lambda})}{30\pi M_{N^*}}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K^2} \text{ for } N^*(5/2^P),$$

$$G\left(\frac{7-P}{2}\right) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{|\vec{q}|^7(E_{\Lambda} \pm M_{\Lambda})}{70\pi M_{N^*}}} \frac{g_{K\Lambda N^*}}{M_K^3} \text{ for } N^*(7/2^P),$$

$G(\ell)$  can be taken from quark model predictions.

constituent quark model  
Capstick, PRD.58.074011(1998)

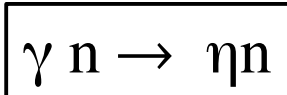


EM ( $\gamma n n^*$ ) interactions“Transition magnetic moments”  $h_1, h_2$  &  
“Helicity amplitudes”  $A_\lambda$  $\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$  $\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$ 

State	Rating	Width [MeV]	$A_{1/2}$	$A_{3/2}$	$h_1$	$h_2$
$N(1520, 3/2^-)$	****	100-120 (110)	$\approx -50$	$\approx -115$	-0.77	-0.62
$N(1535, 1/2^-)$	****	125-175 (140)	$\approx -75$	...	-0.53	...
$N(1650, 1/2^-)$	****	100-150 (125)	$\approx -10$	...	0.063	...
$N(1675, 5/2^-)$	****	130-160 (145)	$-60 \pm 5$	$-85 \pm 10$	4.88	5.45
$N(1680, 5/2^+)$	****	100-135 (120)	$\approx 30$	$\approx -35$	...	...
$N(1700, 3/2^-)$	***	100-300 (200)	$25 \pm 10$	$-32 \pm 18$	-1.43	1.64
$N(1710, 1/2^+)$	****	80-200 (140)	$-40 \pm 20$	...	0.24	...
$N(1720, 3/2^+)$	****	150-400 (250)	$-80 \pm 50$	$-140 \pm 65$	1.50	1.61
$N(1860, 5/2^+)$	**	300	$21 \pm 13$	$34 \pm 17$	0.28	1.09
$N(1875, 3/2^-)$	***	120-250 (200)	$10 \pm 6$	$-20 \pm 15$	-0.55	0.54
$N(1880, 1/2^+)$	***	200-400 (300)	$-60 \pm 50$	...	0.30	...
$N(1895, 1/2^-)$	****	80-200 (120)	$13 \pm 6$	...	0.067	...
$N(1900, 3/2^+)$	****	100-320 (200)	$0 \pm 30$	$-60 \pm 45$	0.29	-0.56
$N(2000, 5/2^+)$	**	300	$-18 \pm 12$	$-35 \pm 20$	-0.47	-0.56
$N(2120, 3/2^-)$	***	260-360 (300)	$110 \pm 45$	$40 \pm 30$	-1.71	2.41
$N(1685, 1/2^+)$		30			-0.315	41

 $\triangle$  2018 edition  
of PDG $\square$   $A_\lambda$  is taken from PDG.

Strong interactions

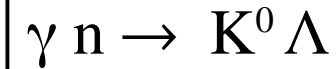
“Strong coupling constants”  $g_{KAN^*}$  &  
“Decay amplitudes”  $G(\ell)$ 

State	$G(\ell)$	$g_{\eta NN^*}$	$\Gamma_{N^* \rightarrow \eta N} / \Gamma_{N^*} [\%]$	$ g_{\eta NN^*} $	$g_{\eta NN^*}$ (final)
$N(1520, 3/2^-)$	$0.4^{+2.9}_{-0.4}$	-8.30	0.07 – 0.09	5.23 – 6.49	-5.23
$N(1535, 1/2^-)$	$8.1 \pm 0.8$	2.05	30 – 55	1.58 – 2.14	2.10
$N(1650, 1/2^-)$	$-2.4 \pm 1.6$	-0.43	15 – 35	0.76 – 1.16	-0.80
$N(1675, 5/2^-)$	$-2.5 \pm 0.2$	-2.50	< 1	< 0.90	-0.90
$N(1680, 5/2^+)$	$0.6 \pm 0.1$	-2.98	< 1	< 4.07	-2.47
$N(1700, 3/2^-)$	$-0.2 \pm 0.1$	0.38	seen		0.38
$N(1710, 1/2^+)$	$5.7 \pm 0.3$	-4.23	10 – 50	2.93 – 6.55	-4.00
$N(1720, 3/2^+)$	$5.7 \pm 0.3$	2.08	1 – 5	0.43 – 4.50	1.00
$N(1860, 5/2^+)$	$1.9 \pm 0.8$	-2.84	2 – 6	2.47 – 4.27	-2.47
$N(1875, 3/2^-)$	$4.0 \pm 0.2$	-3.58	< 1	< 0.89	-0.80
$N(1880, 1/2^+)$			5 – 55	2.02 – 6.69	2.00
$N(1895, 1/2^-)$			15 – 40	0.60 – 0.99	0.60
$N(1900, 3/2^+)$			2 – 14	0.33 – 0.87	0.33
$N(2000, 5/2^+)$	$1.9 \pm 0.8$	-1.57	< 4	< 0.90	-0.50
$N(2120, 3/2^-)$	$4.0 \pm 0.2$	-1.91			-1.91
$N(1685, 1/2^+)$					1.4

□  $G(\ell)$  is taken from quark model predictions [Capstick, PRD.58.074011(1998)].

□  $\text{Br}(N^* \rightarrow \eta n)$  is taken from PDG.

Strong interactions

“Strong coupling constants”  $g_{K\Lambda N^*}$  &  
“Decay amplitudes”  $G(\ell)$ 

State	$G(\ell)$	$g_{K\Lambda N^*}$	$\Gamma_{N^* \rightarrow K\Lambda} / \Gamma_{N^*} [\%]$	$ g_{K\Lambda N^*} $	$g_{K\Lambda N^*}$ (final)
$N(1650, 1/2^-)$	$-3.3 \pm 1.0$	$-0.78$	5 – 15	0.59 – 1.02	$-0.78$
$N(1675, 5/2^-)$	$0.4 \pm 0.3$	1.23			1.23
$N(1680, 5/2^+)$	$\simeq 0.1 \pm 0.1$	$-2.84$			$-2.84$
$N(1700, 3/2^-)$	$-0.4 \pm 0.3$	2.34			2.34
$N(1710, 1/2^+)$	$4.7 \pm 3.7$	$-7.49$	5 – 25	4.2 – 9.4	$-4.2$
$N(1720, 3/2^+)$	$-3.2 \pm 1.8$	$-1.80$	4 – 5	1.8 – 2.0	$-1.1$
$N(1860, 5/2^+)$	$-0.5 \pm 0.3$	1.40	seen		1.40
$N(1875, 3/2^-)$	$\simeq 1.7 \pm 1.0$	$-2.47$	seen		$-2.47$
$N(1880, 1/2^+)$			12 – 28	4.5 – 6.4	3.0
$N(1895, 1/2^-)$	$2.3 \pm 2.7$	0.34	13 – 23	0.58 – 0.77	0.34
$N(1900, 3/2^+)$			2 – 20	0.53 – 1.7	0.6
$N(1990, 7/2^+)$	$\simeq 1.5 \pm 2.4$	0.61			0.61
$N(2000, 5/2^+)$	$-0.5 \pm 0.3$	0.61			0.61
$N(2060, 5/2^-)$	$\simeq -2.2 \pm 1.0$	$-0.52$	seen		$-0.52$
$N(2120, 3/2^-)$	$\simeq 1.7 \pm 1.0$	$-1.05$			$-1.05$
$N(2190, 7/2^-)$	$\simeq -1.1$	0.67			0.67
$N(1685, 1/2^+)$					$-0.9$

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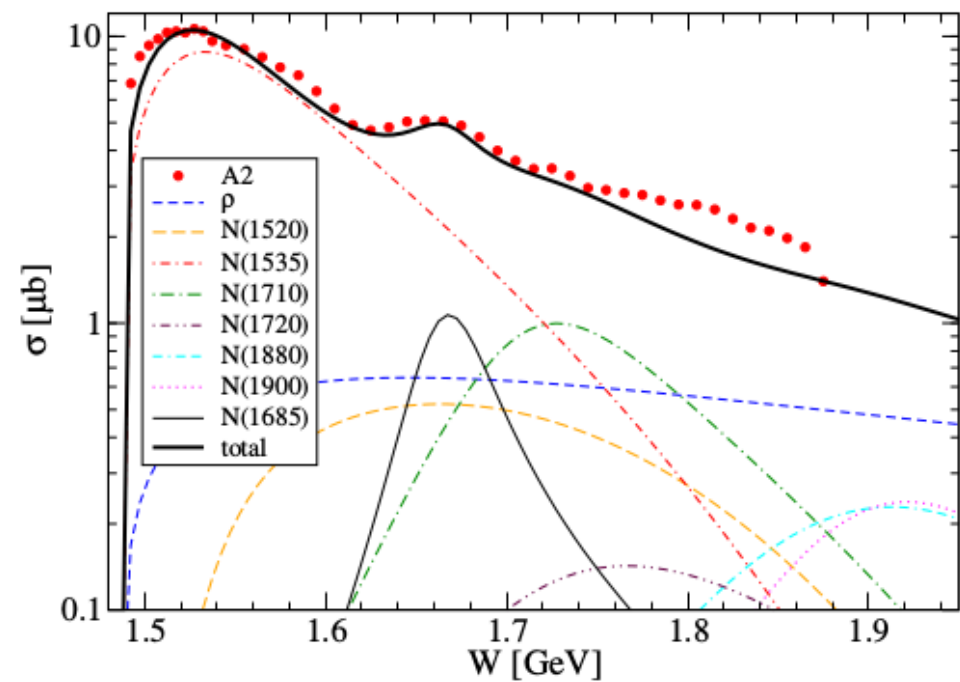
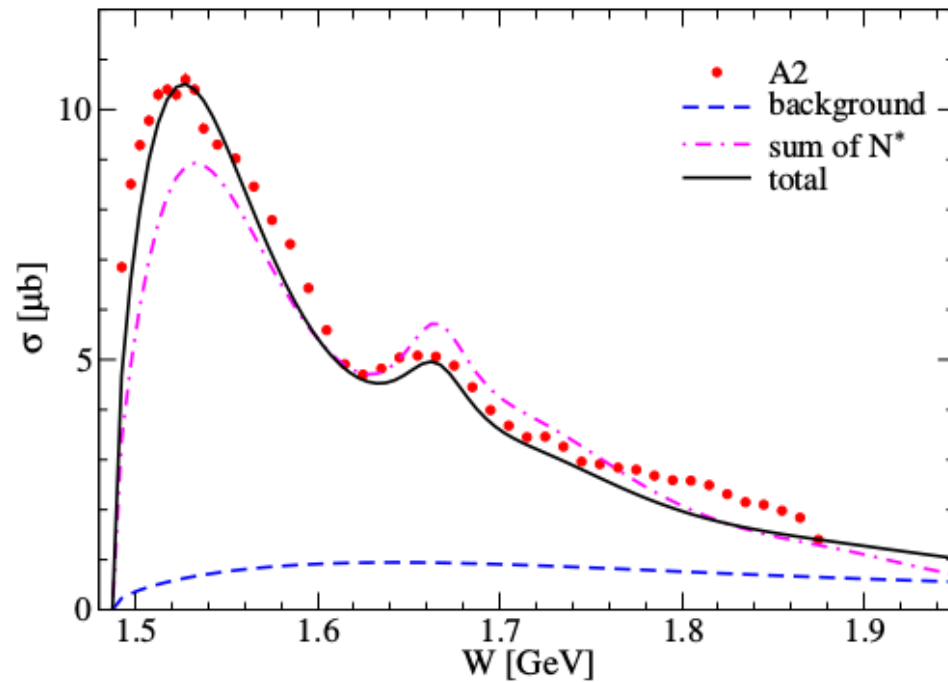
# Results

$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$ 

Total Cross Section

A2

[PRC.90.015205(2014)]



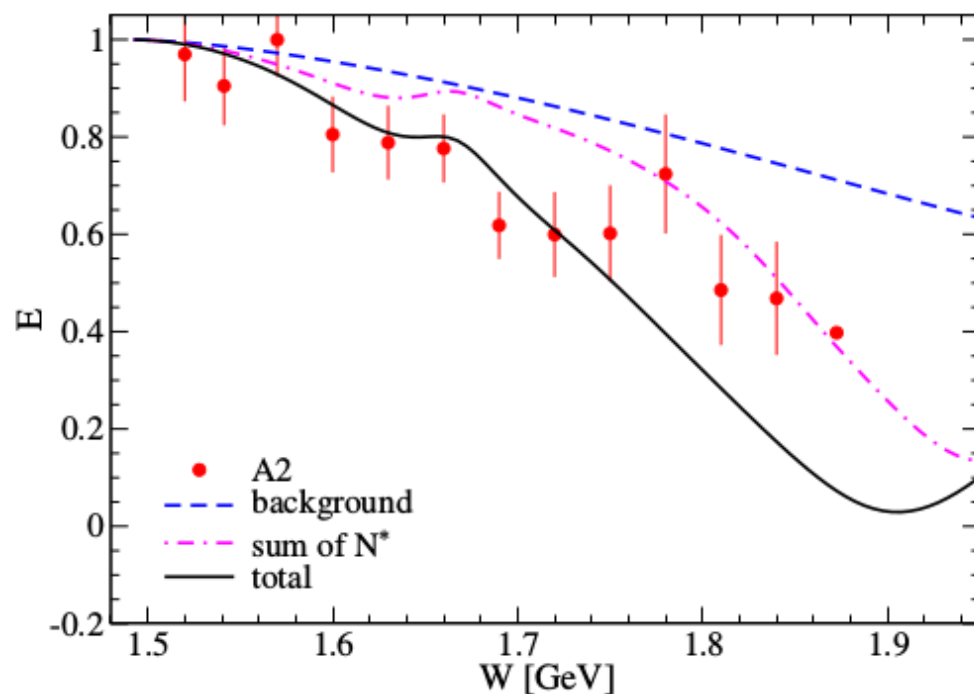
- ❑ Background contributions reach only the level of 30% compared to the total result at high energies.
- ❑ Among a total of 16  $N^*$ s, the A2 data is reproduced mainly by the predominant  $N(1535, 1/2^-)$ , and  $N(1685, 1/2^+)$  and  $N(1710, 1/2^+)$ .

$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$ 

Beam-Target Asymmetry

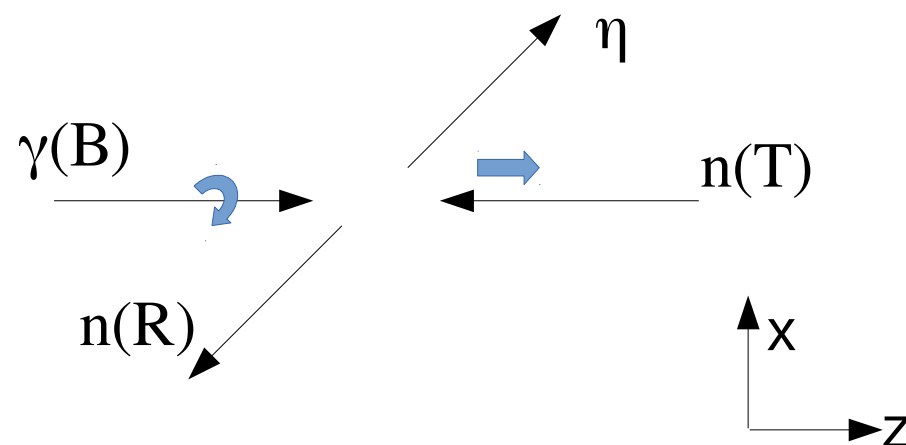
A2

[PRL.117.132502(2016)]



(Beam, Target, Recoil)

$$E = \frac{\sigma(r, +z, 0) - \sigma(r, -z, 0)}{\sigma(r, +z, 0) + \sigma(r, -z, 0)} = \frac{\sigma_{1/2} - \sigma_{3/2}}{\sigma_{1/2} + \sigma_{3/2}}$$



- ❑ Background contribution is not sufficient to describe the A2 data.
- ❑ The inclusion of  $N^*$ s pulls down  $E$  and it finally reaches zero at  $W = 1.9$  GeV revealing some bump structure near  $W = 1.68$  GeV.

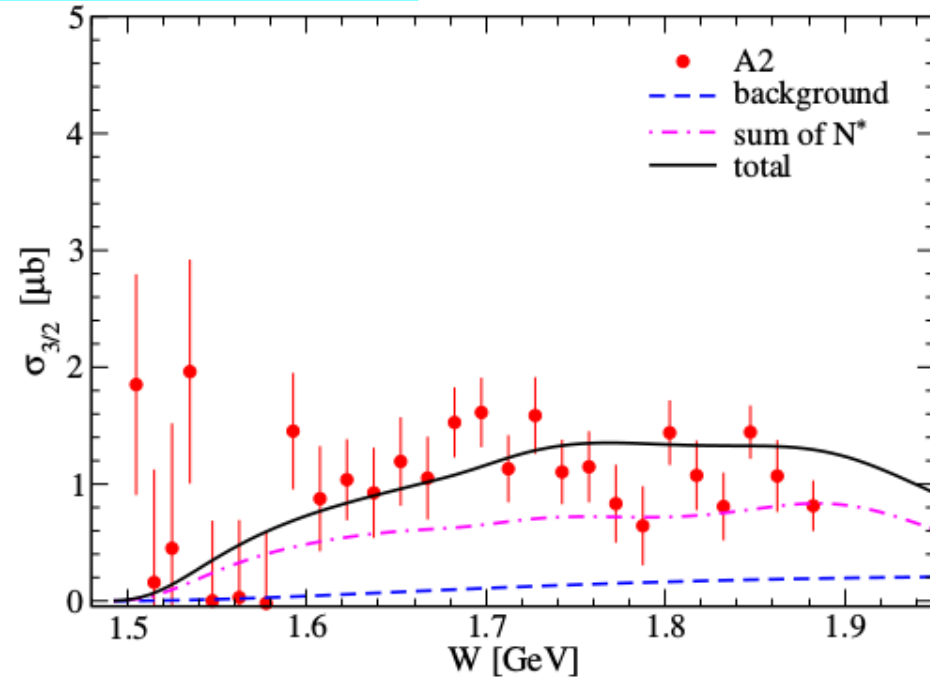
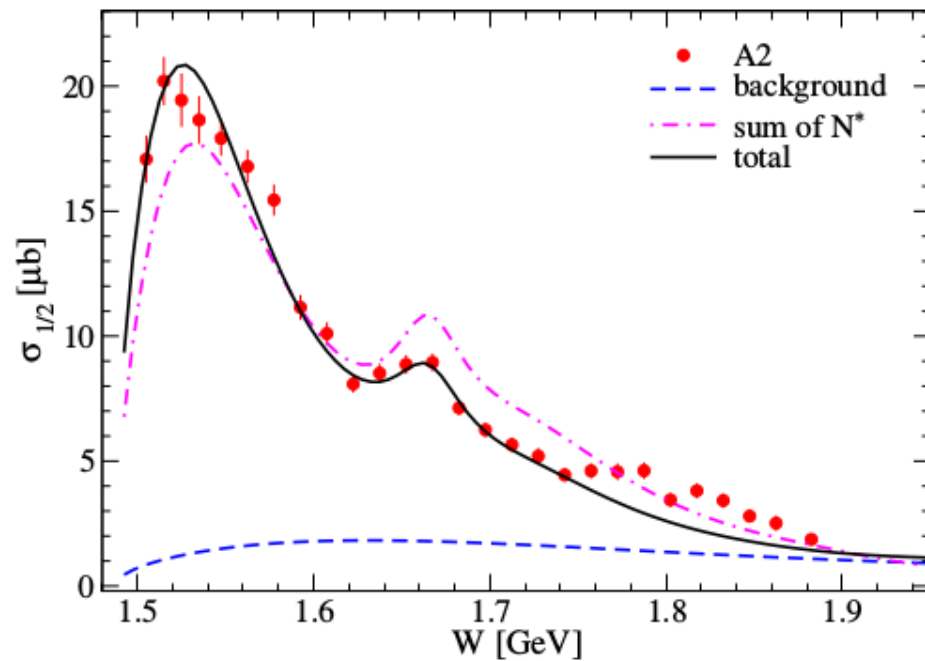
$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$ 

## Helicity-Dependent Cross Sections

A2

[PRL.117.132502(2016)]

$$\sigma_{1/2} = \sigma_0(1 + E), \quad \sigma_{3/2} = \sigma_0(1 - E)$$



□  $N^*$ s with spin  $J = 1/2$  ( $J \geq 3/2$ ) contribute to  $\sigma_{1/2}$  ( $\sigma_{3/2}$ ).

$N^*$ s with spin “ $J = 1/2$ ” & “ $J \geq 3/2$ ” are all separately well described.

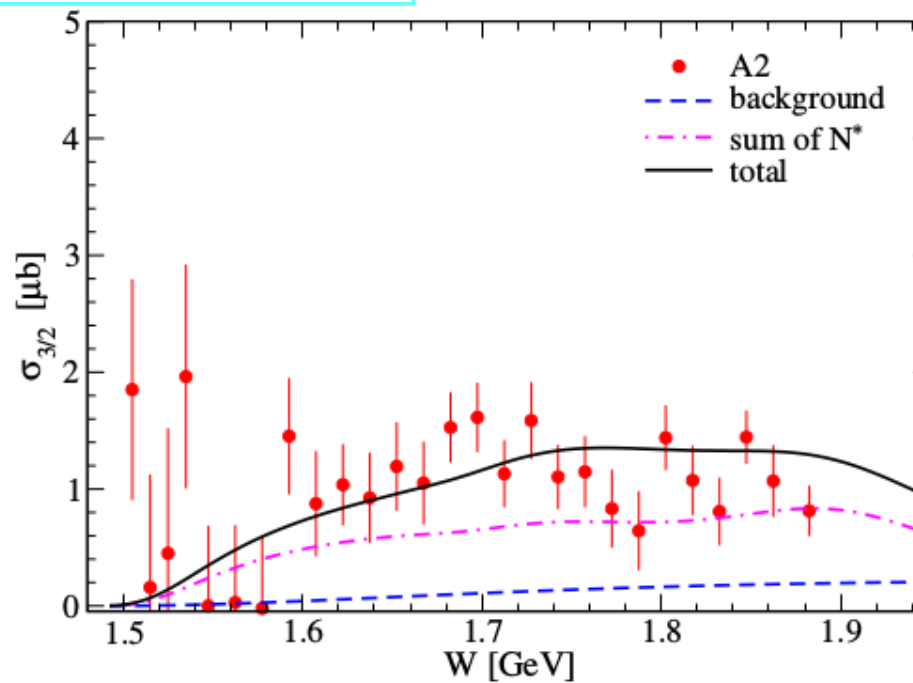
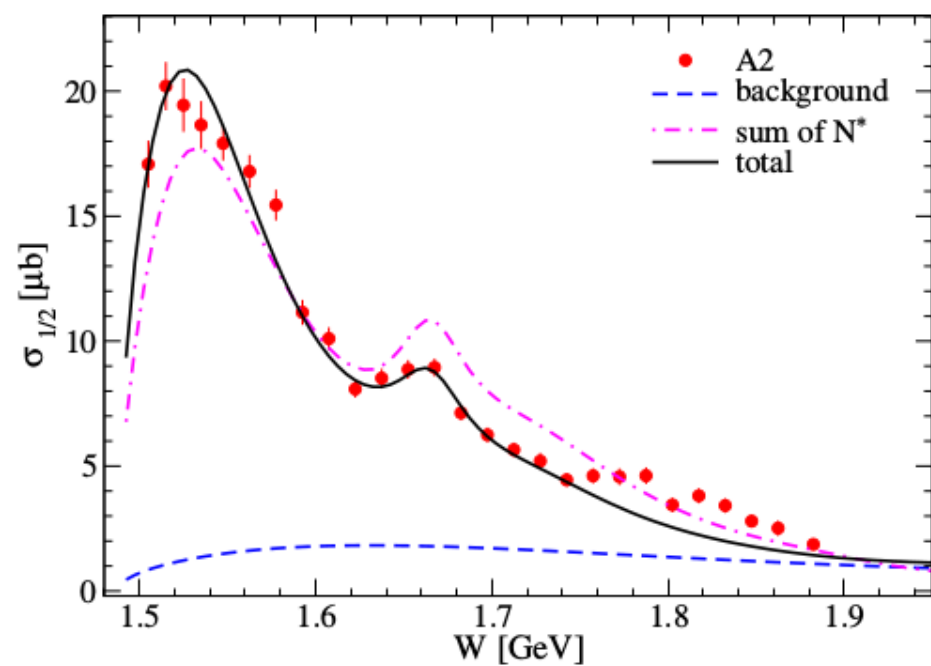
$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$ 

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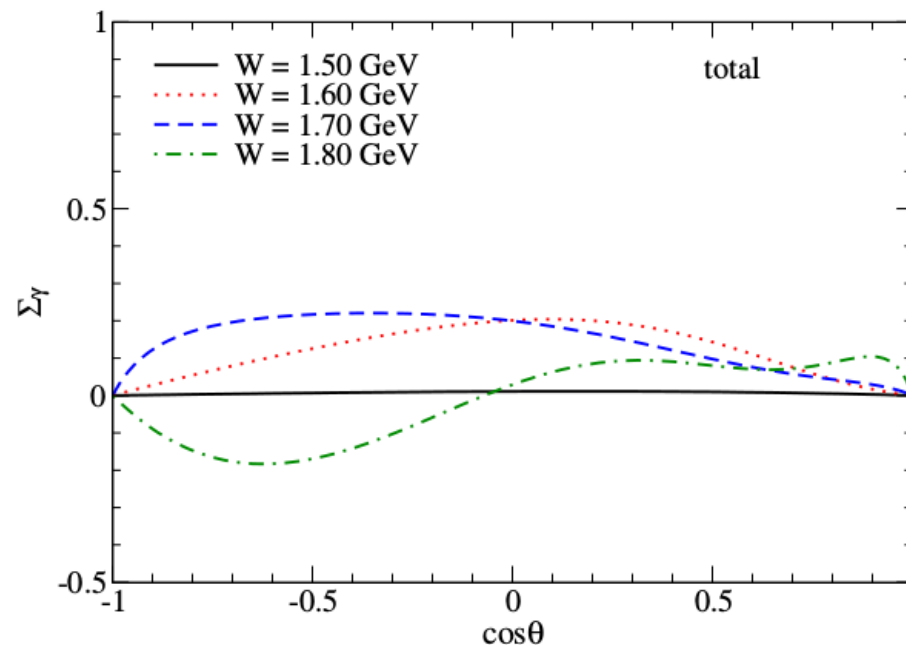
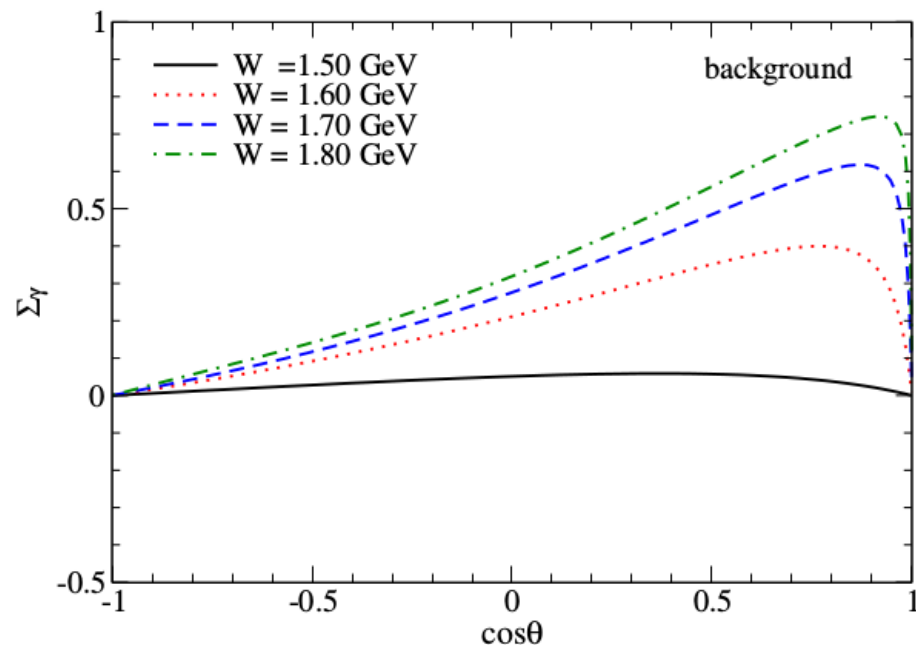
- $N^*$ s with spin  $J = 1/2$  ( $J \geq 3/2$ ) contribute to  $\sigma_{1/2}$  ( $\sigma_{3/2}$ ).  
 $N^*$ s with spin “ $J = 1/2$ ” & “ $J \geq 3/2$ ” are all separately well described.
- Background term interferes constructively [destructively] with  $N(1535, 1/2^-)$  [ $N(1685, 1/2^+)$  &  $N(1710, 1/2^+)$ ].
- $N(1520, 3/2^-)$ ,  $N(1720, 3/2^+)$ , and  $N(1900, 3/2^+)$  are also necessary although their contributions are small.



$\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$ 

Beam Asymmetry

$$\Sigma = \frac{\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}_{\perp} - \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}_{\parallel}}{\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}_{\perp} + \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}_{\parallel}}$$



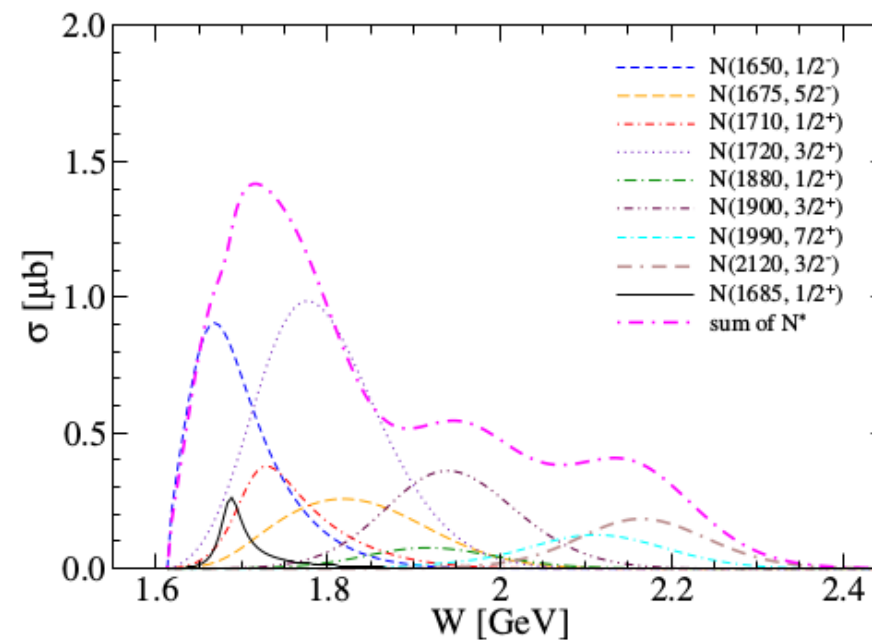
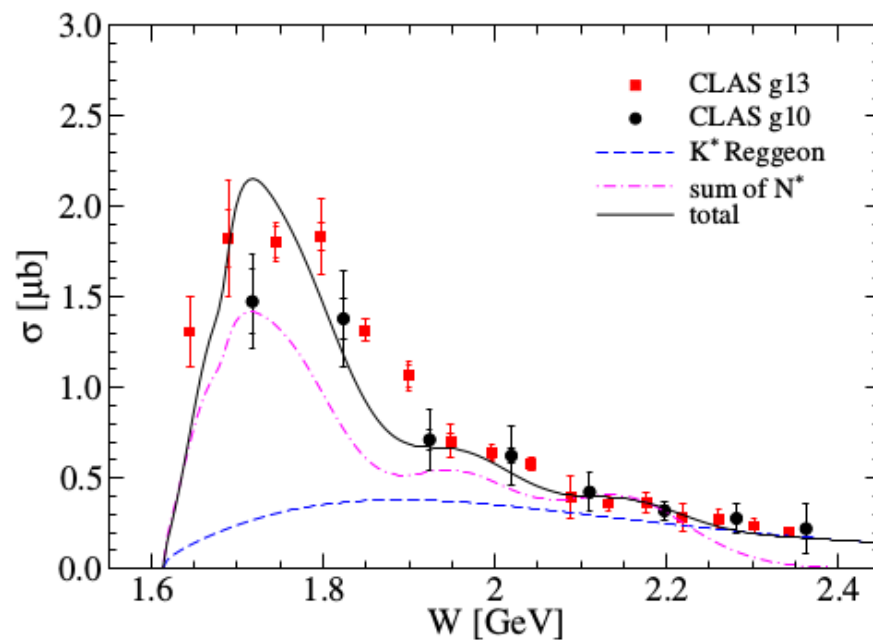
- ❑ When  $N^*$  are included, the changes are dramatic.
- ❑  $\Sigma_{\gamma}$  gets diminished and the magnitudes of  $\Sigma_{\gamma}$  becomes overall equal or less than 0.2.
- ❑ Future exp.al measurements ( $\Sigma_{\gamma}$  & other polarization observables) will become a touchstone to judge which interpretation will turn out right.

$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$ 

Total Cross Section

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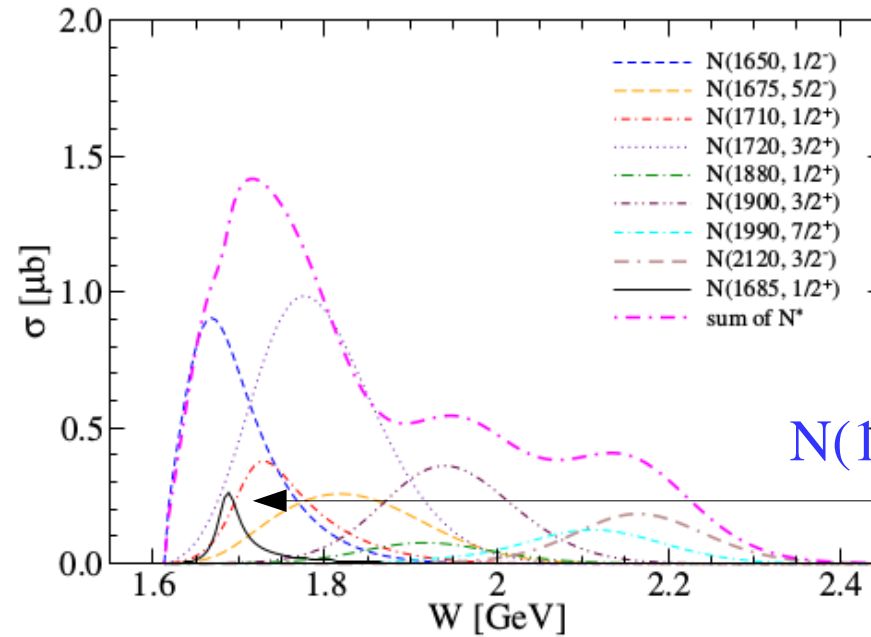
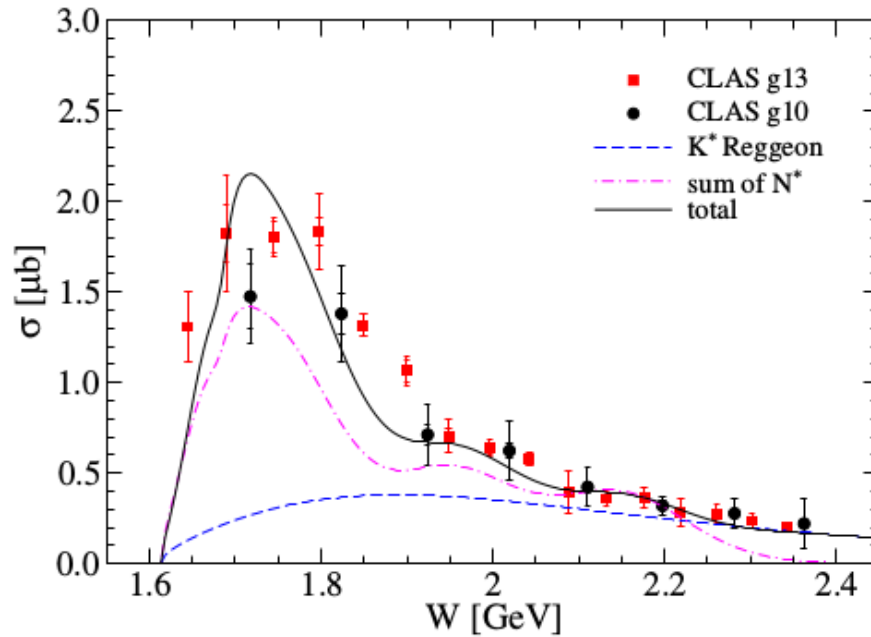
- Only rotating phase is acceptable.
- Main contribution comes from  $1/2^+$ ,  $1/2^-$ ,  $3/2^+$   $N^*$  resonances.

$$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$$

Total Cross Section

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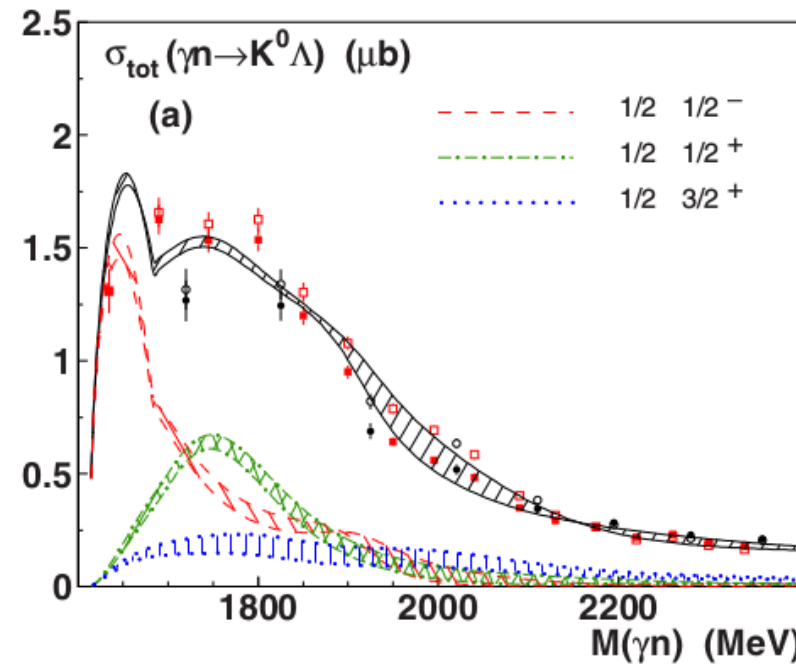


$N(1685, 1/2^+)$

- ❑ Only rotating phase is acceptable.
- ❑ Main contribution comes from  $1/2^+, 1/2^-, 3/2^+$   $N^*$  resonances.

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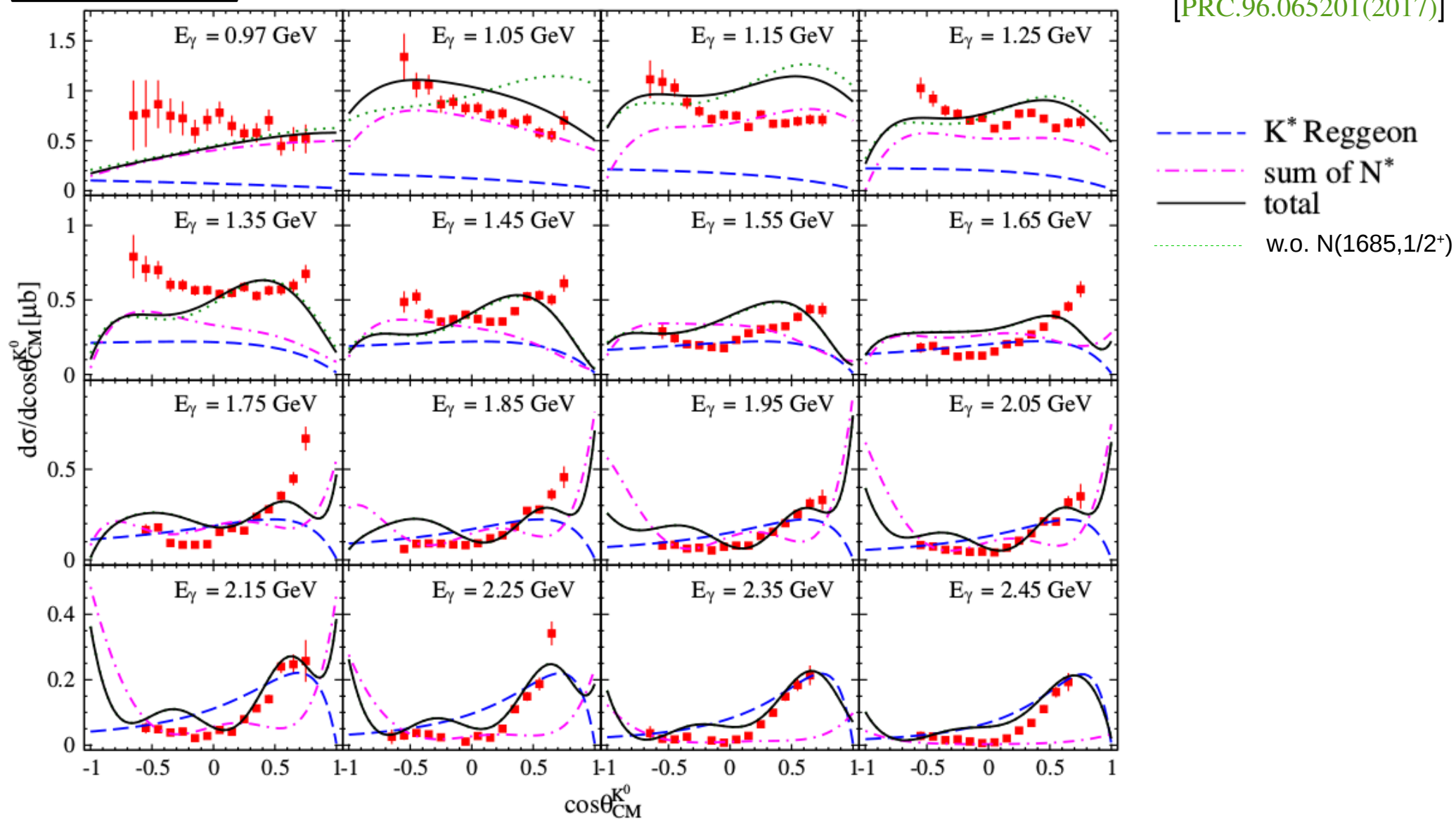
no evidence  
of  $N(1685, 1/2^+)$



$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$ Differential Cross Sections (vs  $\cos\theta$ )

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□ The inclusion of  $N(1685,1/2^+)$  helps to improve the results near threshold.

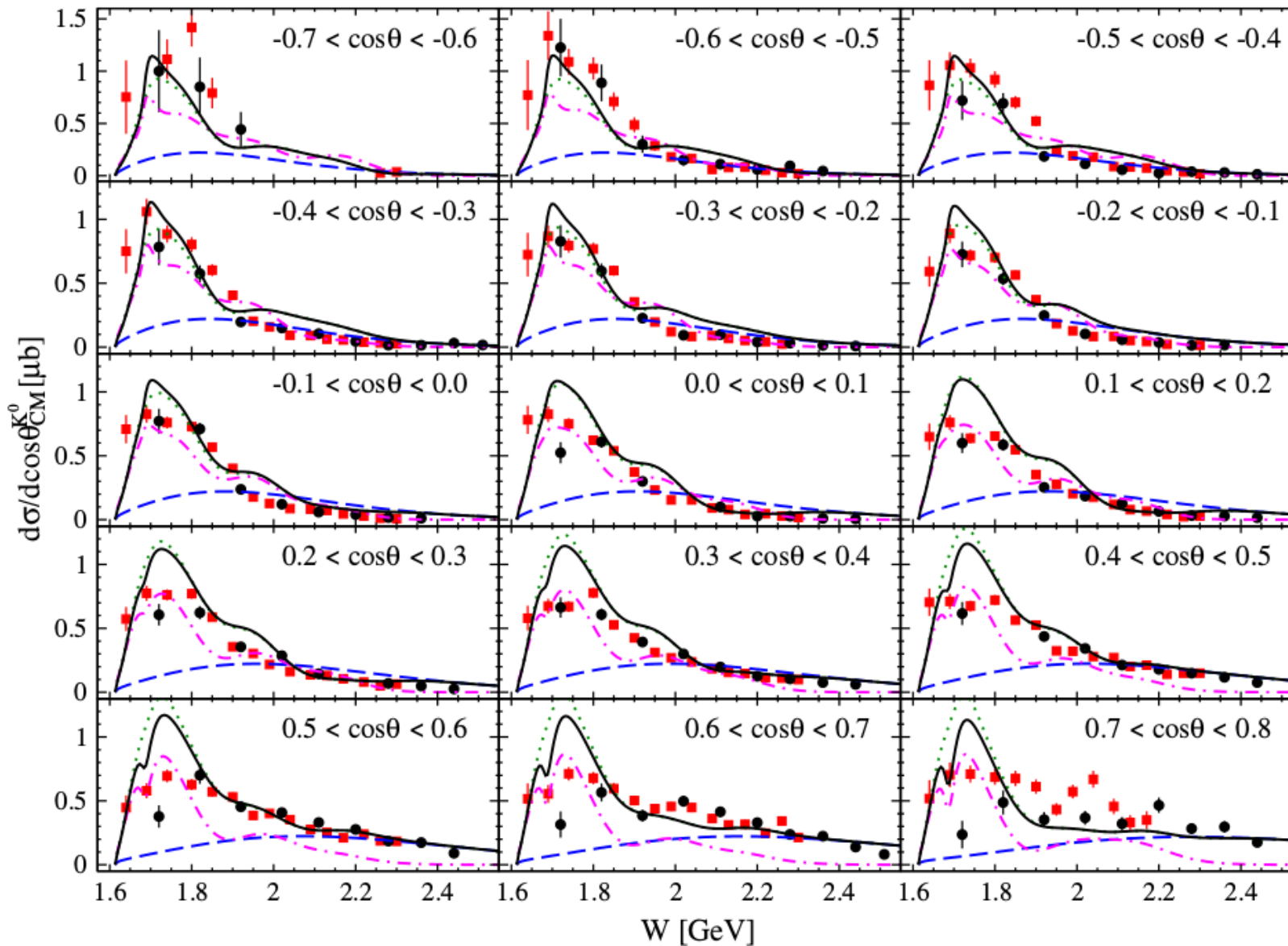
$$\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$$

Differential Cross Sections (vs W)

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---  $K^*$  Reggeon  
- - - sum of  $N^*$   
— total  
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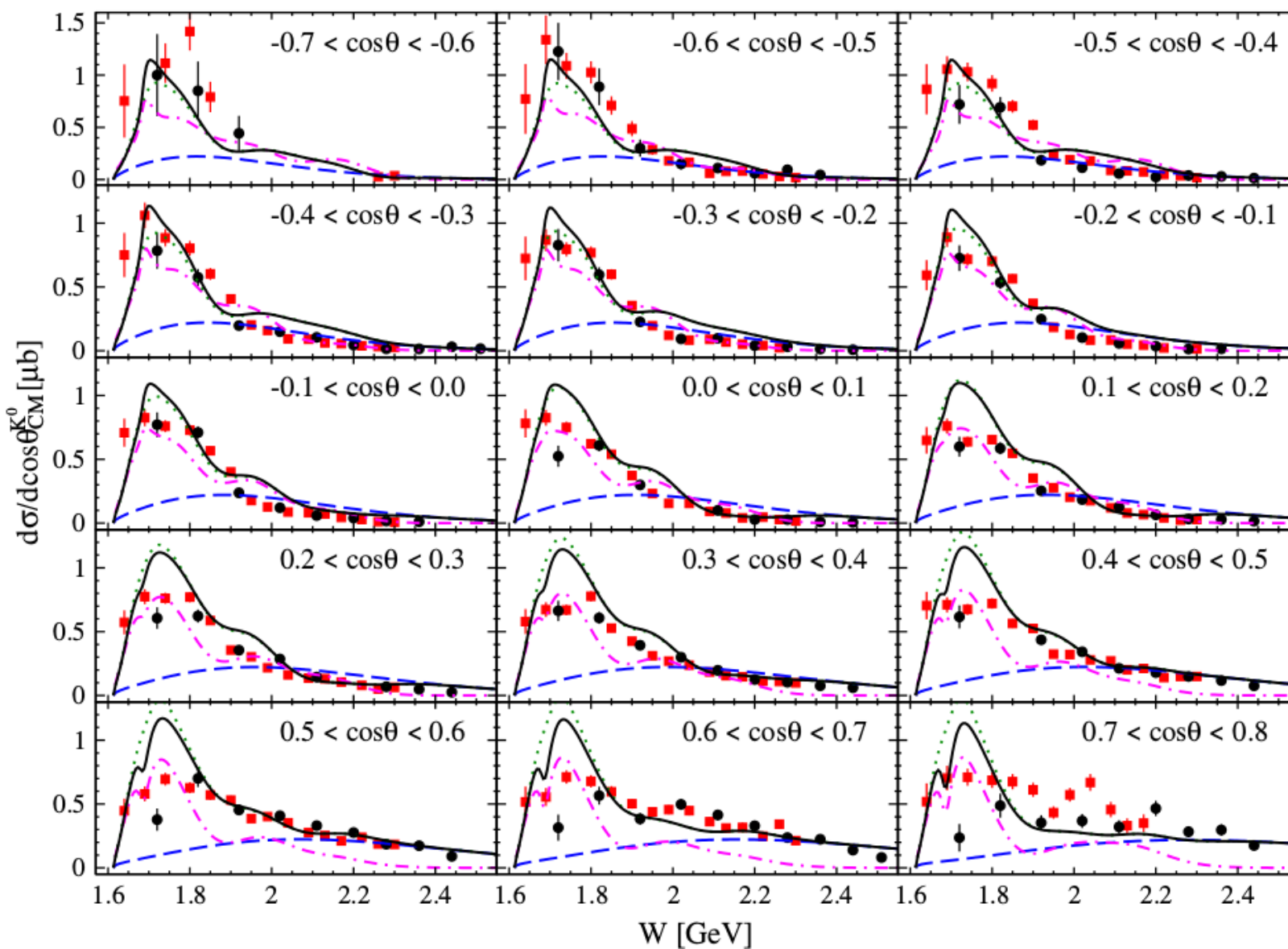
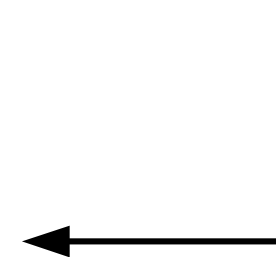
Differential Cross Sections (vs W)

CLAS

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--- K\* Reggeon  
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clear evidence  
of N(1685,1/2+)



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# Summary

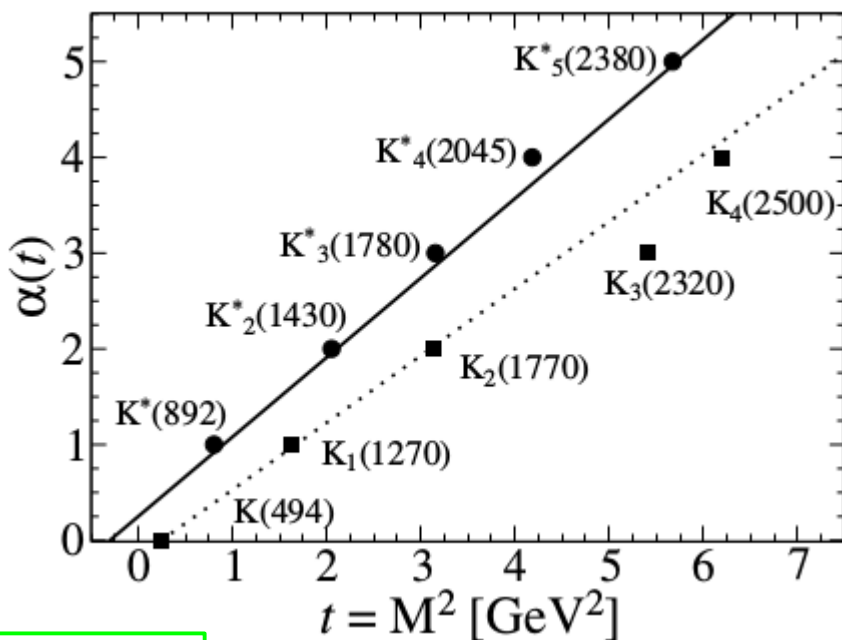
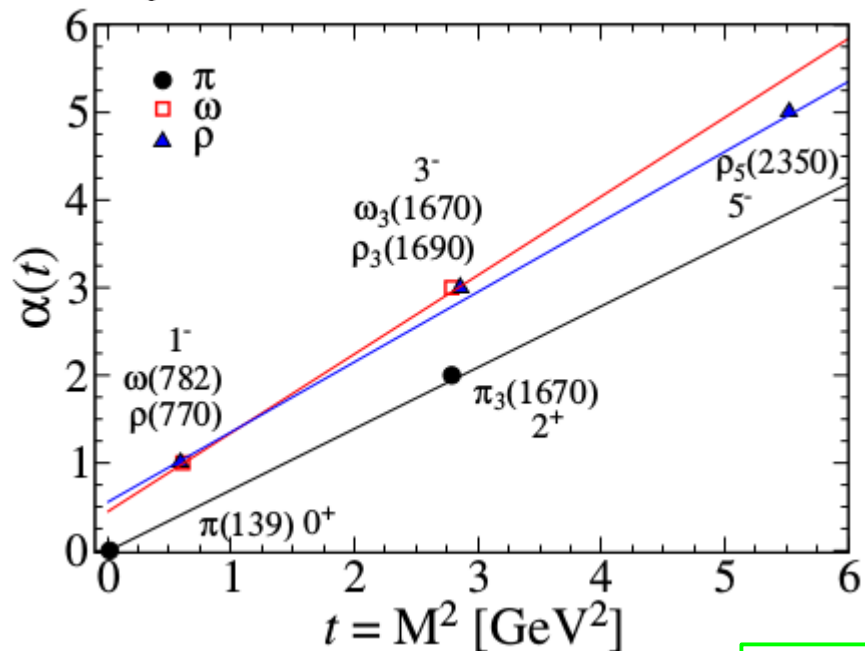
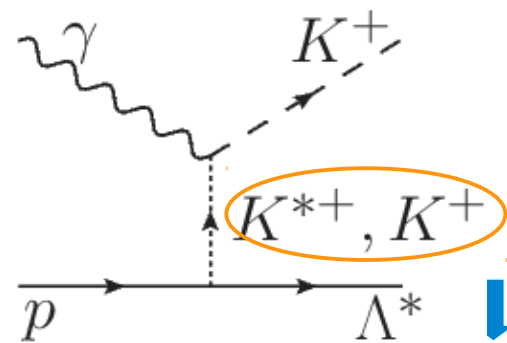
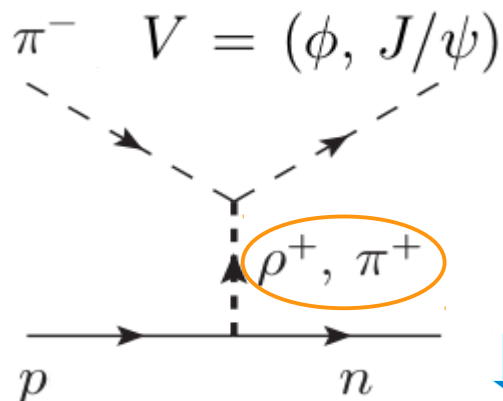
- ◇  $\gamma n \rightarrow \eta n$  &  $\gamma n \rightarrow K^0 \Lambda$  are studied using an effective Lagrangian approach combining with a Regge model.
- ◇  $\rho$ - &  $K^*$ -Reggeon trajectories are dominant background contributions, respectively.
- ◇  $N(1685, 1/2^+)$  is crucial to reproduce the FOREST & CLAS data, respectively, near threshold.

#### Future work:

- ◇ Improve our results by  $\chi^2$  fittings (MINUIT) with CLAS collaboration.
- ◇ Polarization observables will be also calculated.
- ◇ Vector meson ( $\rho, \omega, \varphi$ ) photo- & electro-production off the nucleon and nuclei ( $^4\text{He}, \dots$ )



Back Up



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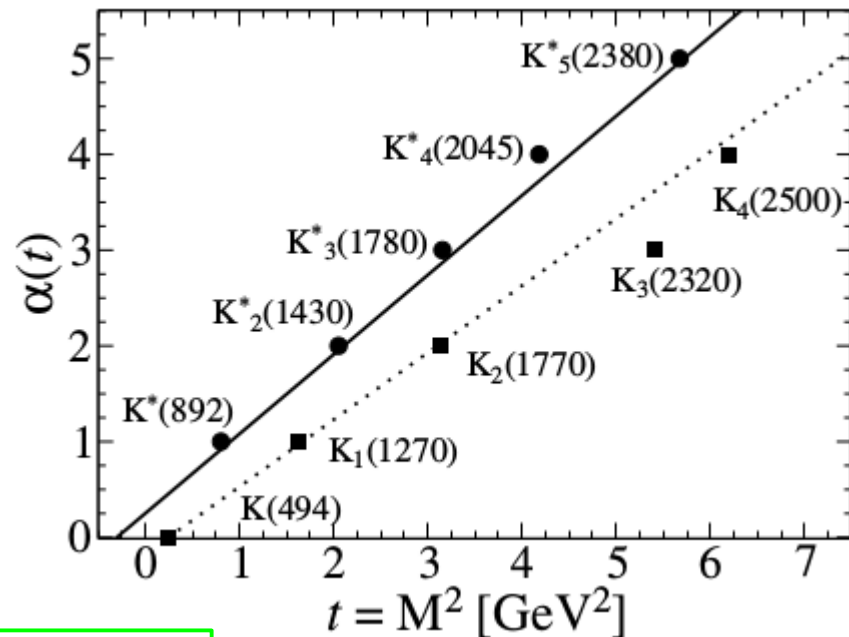
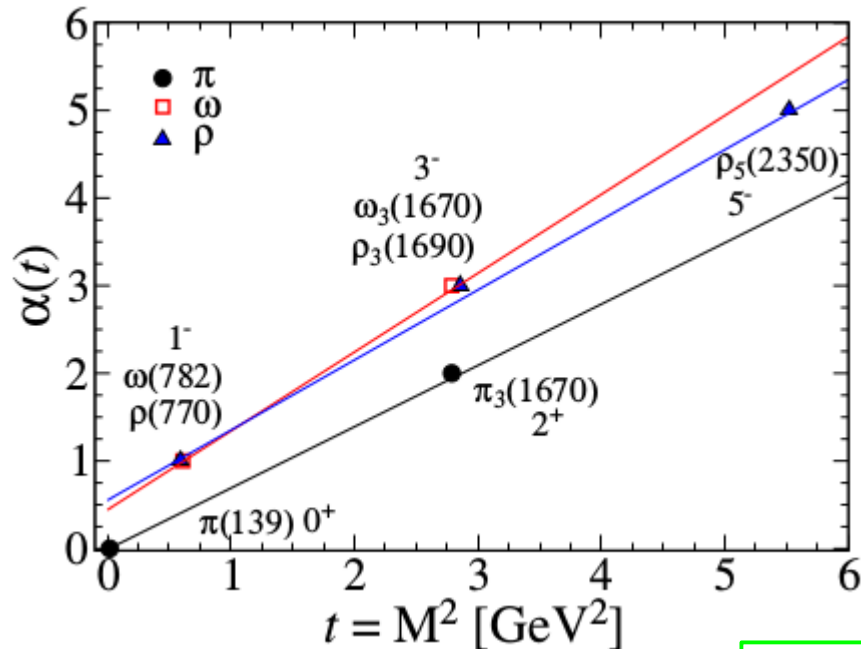
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