



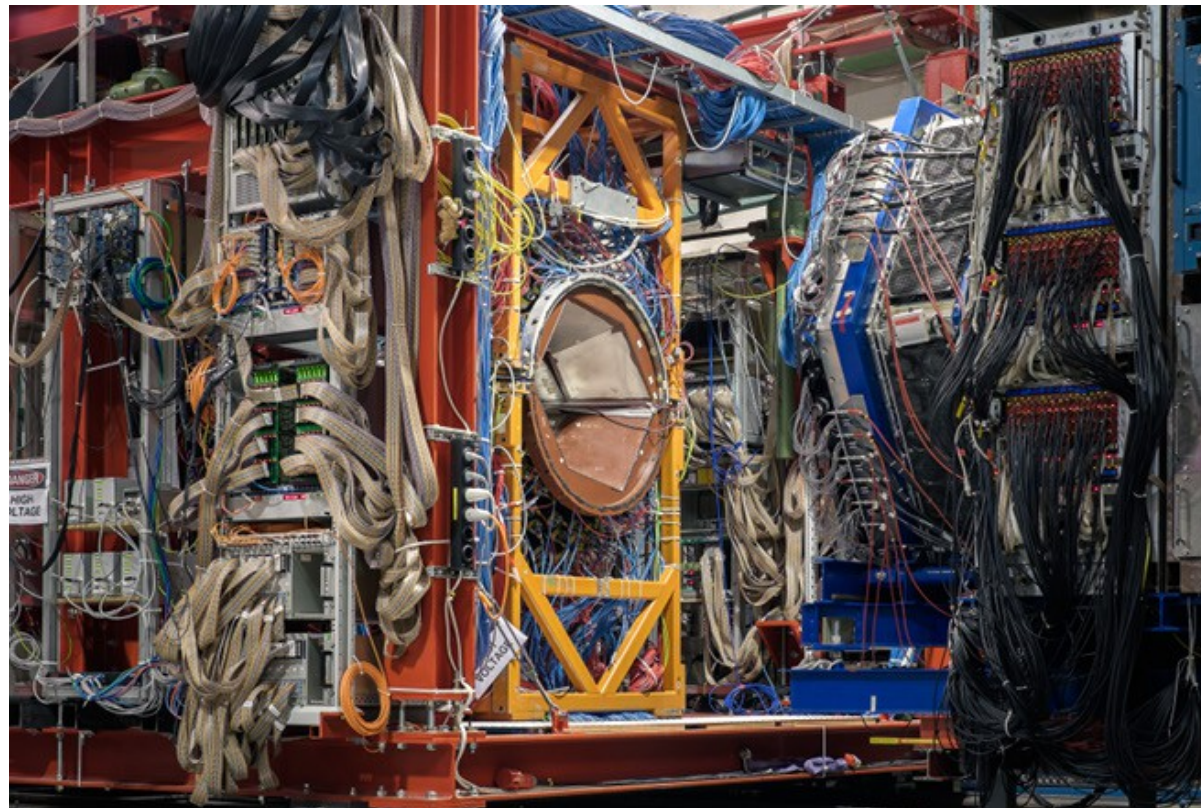
# $N^*$ Photoexcitation Results from Mainz



THE LOW-ENERGY FRONTIER  
OF THE STANDARD MODEL

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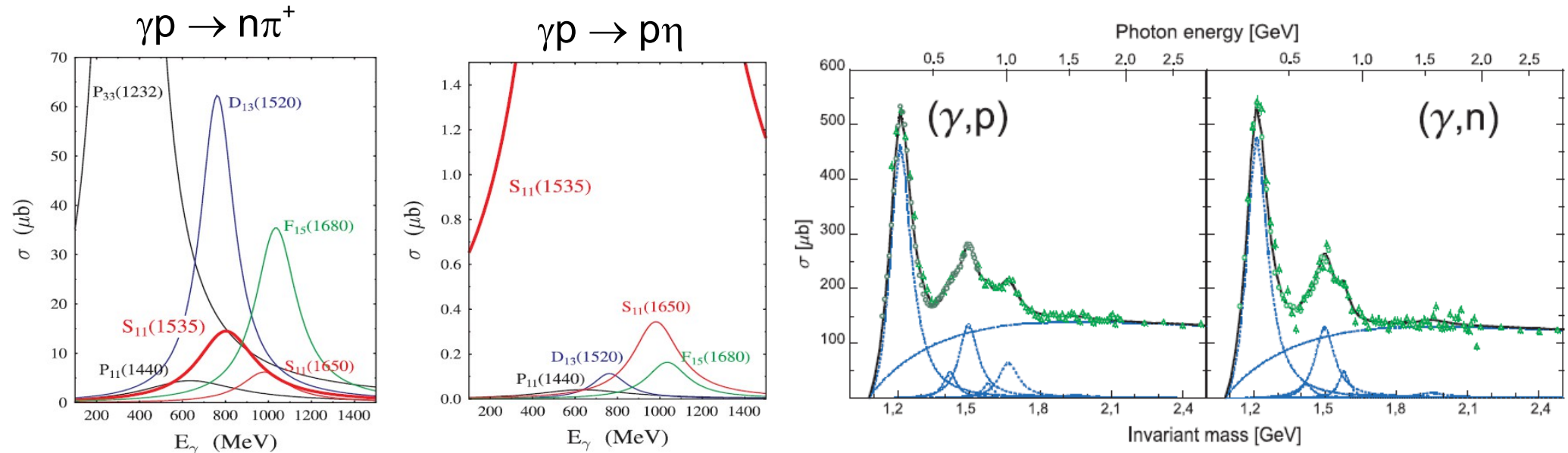
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# Baryon resonances

Goal: Gain a good understanding of the spectrum and properties of baryon resonances

Experimentally: Broad overlapping resonances

- Partial Wave Analysis necessary
- Measurement of cross-sections and polarization observables
- Different production channels

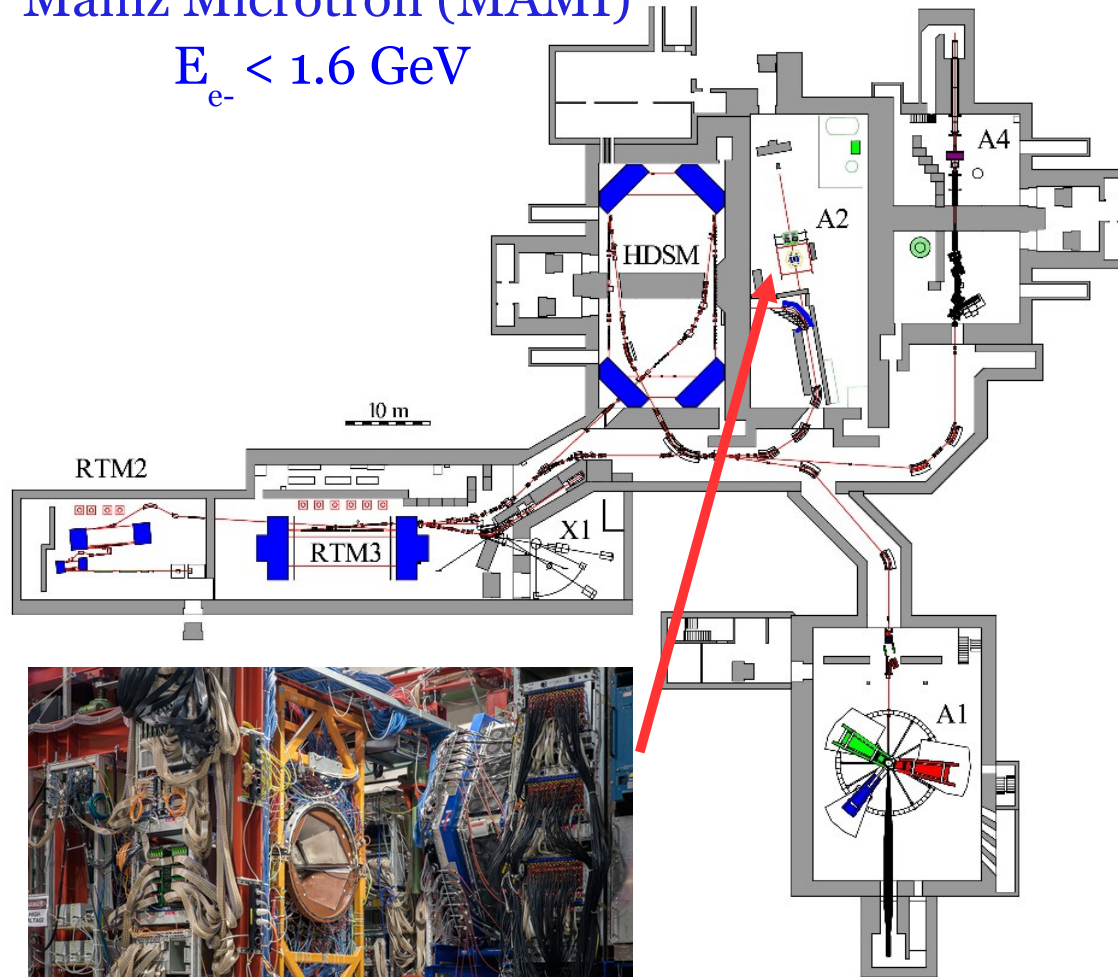


- Channels different from  $\pi N \rightarrow$  Photoproduction experiments
- Production off the proton ( $\pi^0$ ,  $\eta$ ,  $\eta'$ ,  $2\pi^0$ ,  $\pi^0\eta$ , ...)
- Production of mesons off light and heavy nuclei

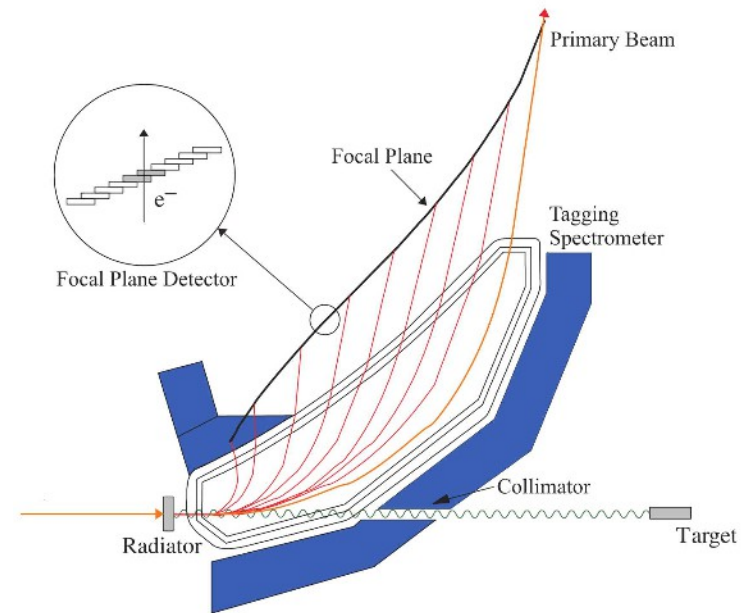
# Experimental setup

Mainz Microtron (MAMI)

$E_{e^-} < 1.6 \text{ GeV}$



Tagger/End point tagger



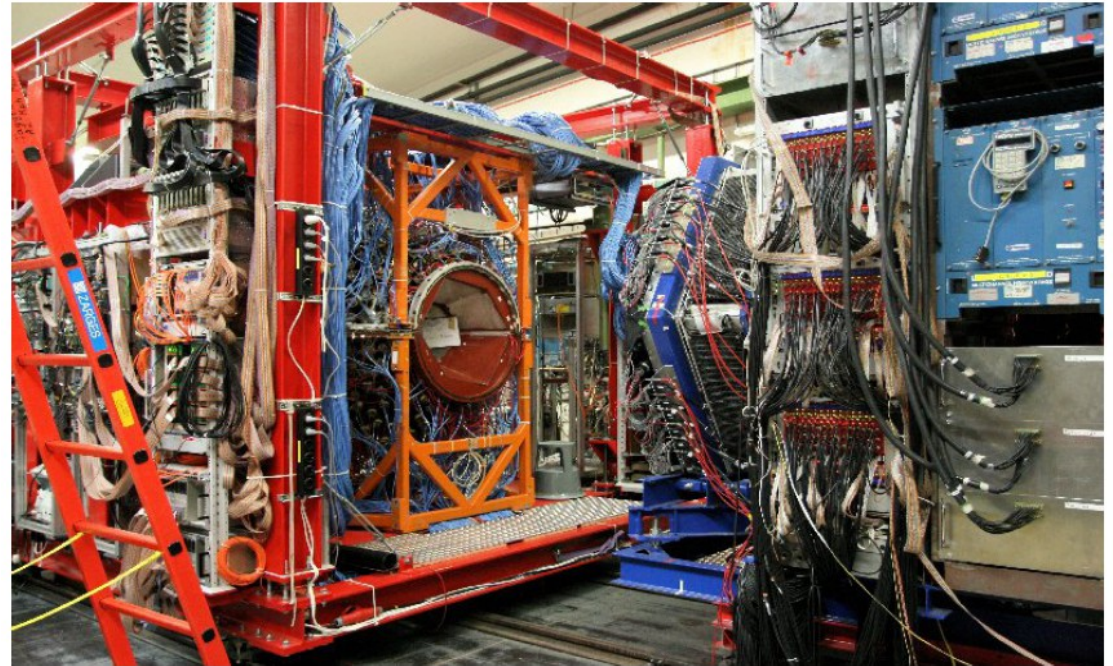
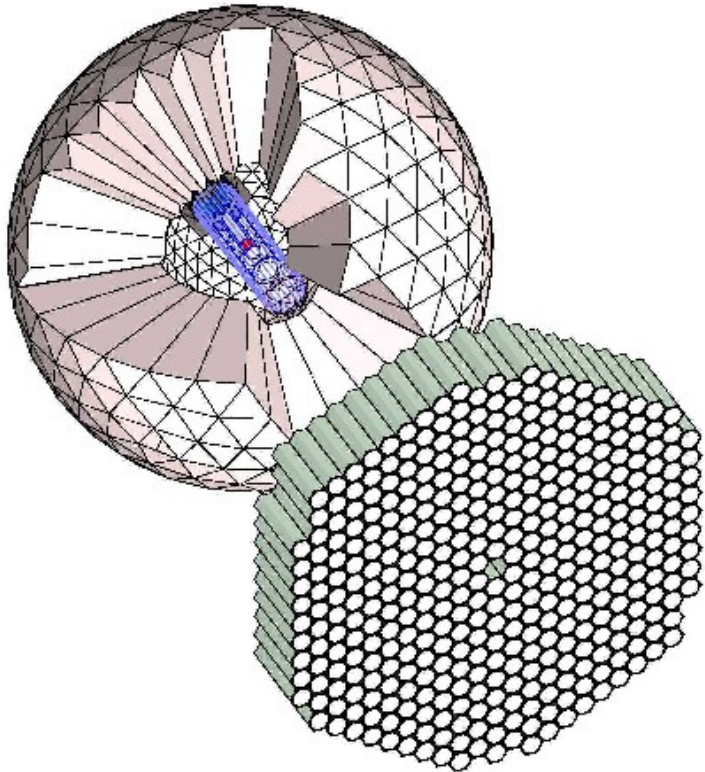
$$E_{\gamma} = E_{e^-} - E_{\text{tagg}}$$

Upgrade → experiments with ~4 times higher rates will be possible!

- High-Flux, Tagged, Bremsstrahlung Photon Beam: Unpolarized, Linear, and Circular
- Polarized and Unpolarized Targets
- Recoil polarimeter
- ➔ Development of an active He gas target in progress



# Crystal Ball/TAPS experiment



## Crystal Ball:

- 672 NaI Crystals
- 24 Particle Identification Detector Paddles
- 2 Multiwire Proportional Chambers

## TAPS:

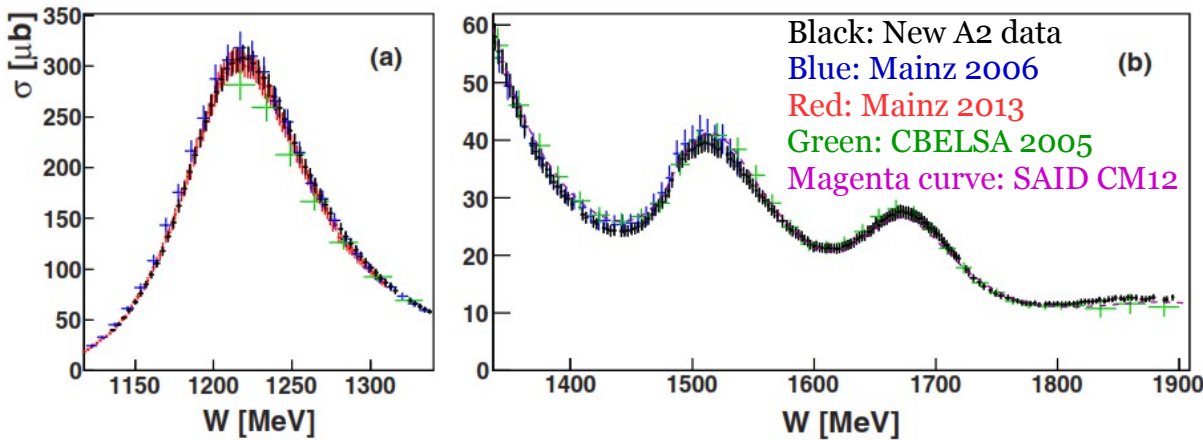
- 366 BaF<sub>2</sub> and 72 PbWO<sub>4</sub> Crystals
- 384 Veto Detectors

## Polarized Butanol/D-Butanol



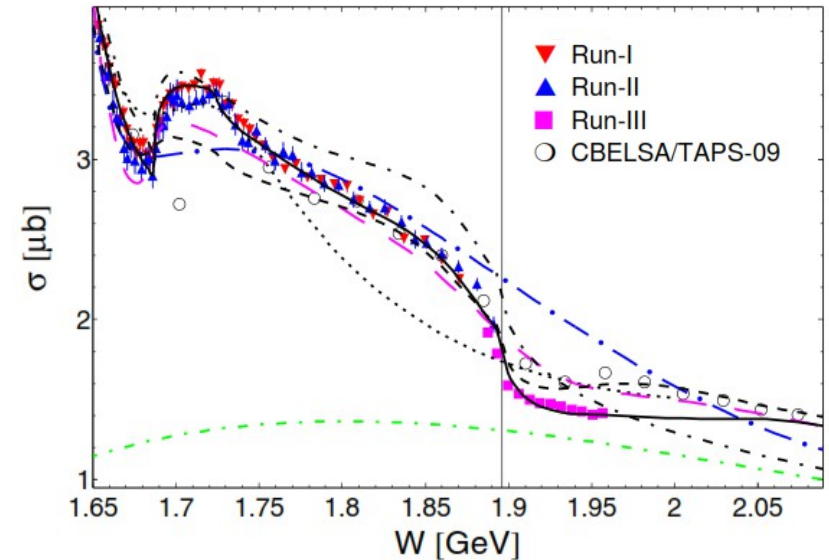
# Selected photoproduction data from A2

$$\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0$$



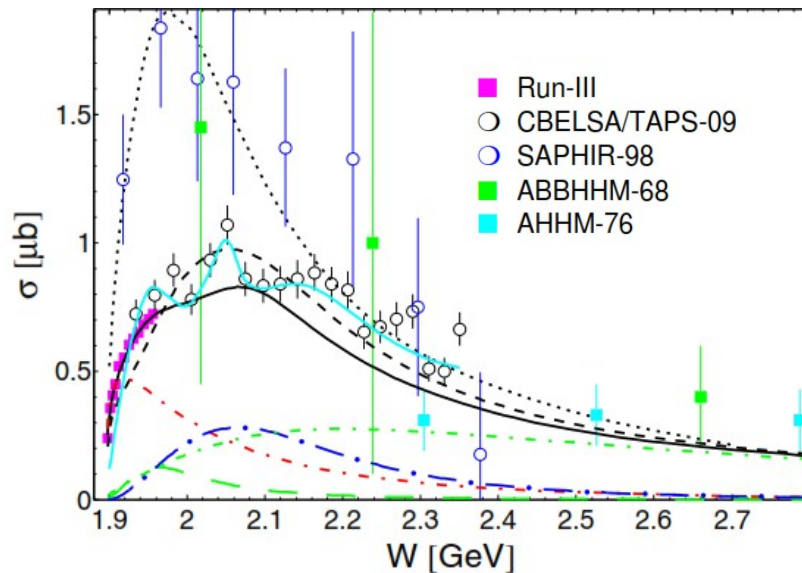
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$$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$$



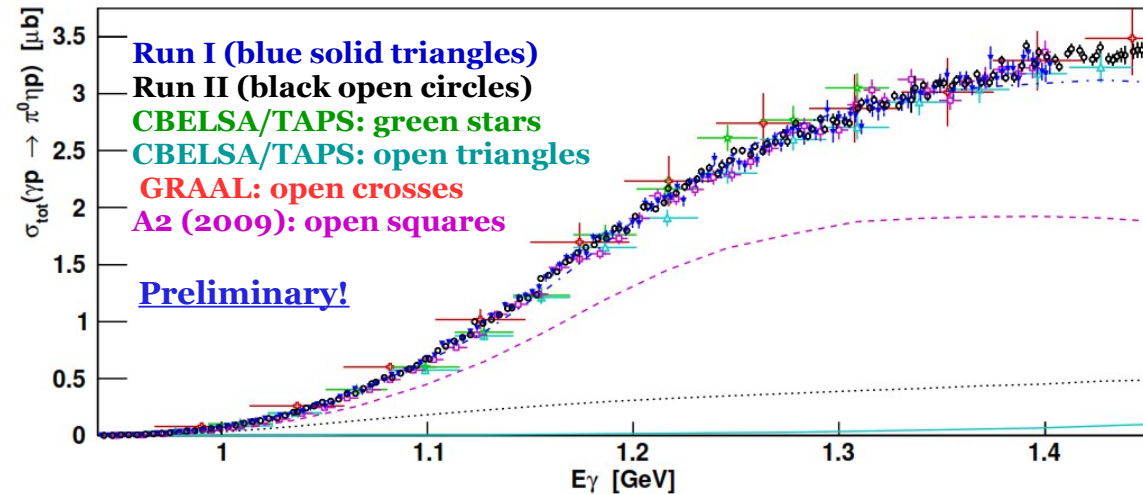
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$$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta'$$



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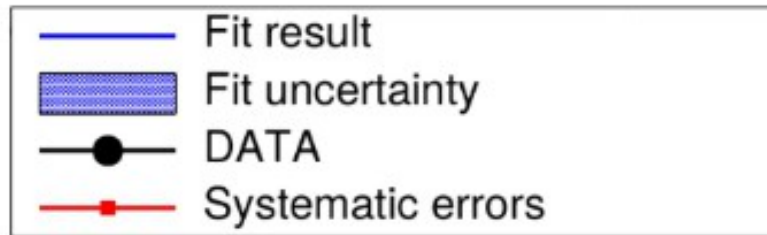
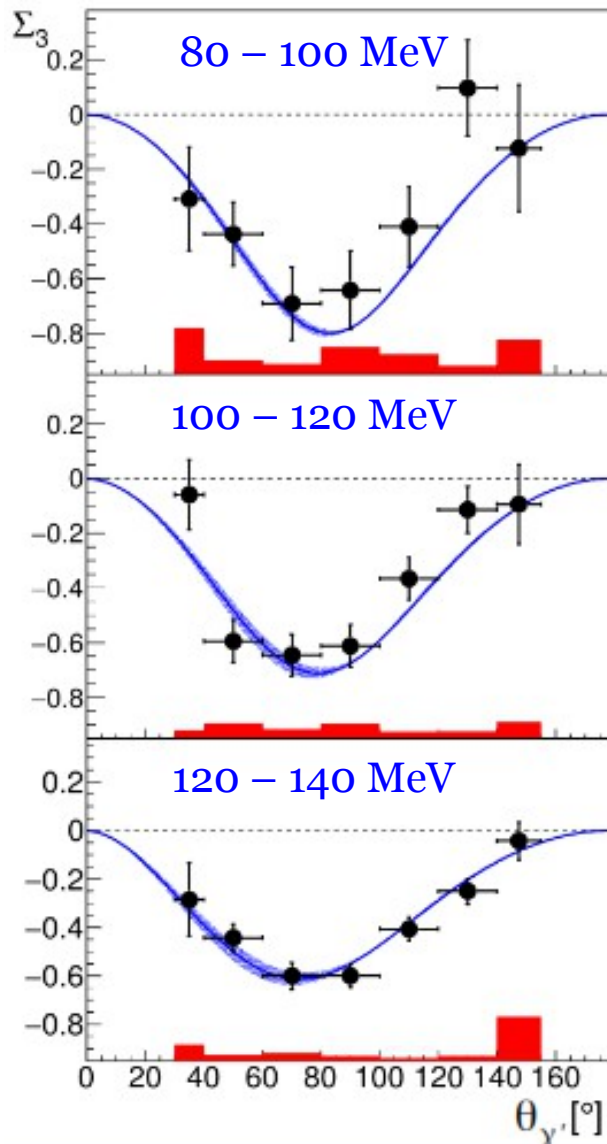
$$\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\eta$$



To be published by the A2 Collaboration



# Below pion threshold: Compton scattering



Fit on our  $\Sigma_3$  results using Baldin sum rule constraint gives:

BChPT framework:

$$\beta_{M1} = 2.8_{-2.1}^{+2.3} \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

$$\chi^2/\text{ndf} = 19.2/20$$

HBChPT framework:

$$\beta_{M1} = 3.7_{-2.3}^{+2.5} \times 10^{-4} \text{ fm}^3$$

$$\chi^2/\text{ndf} = 17.1/20$$

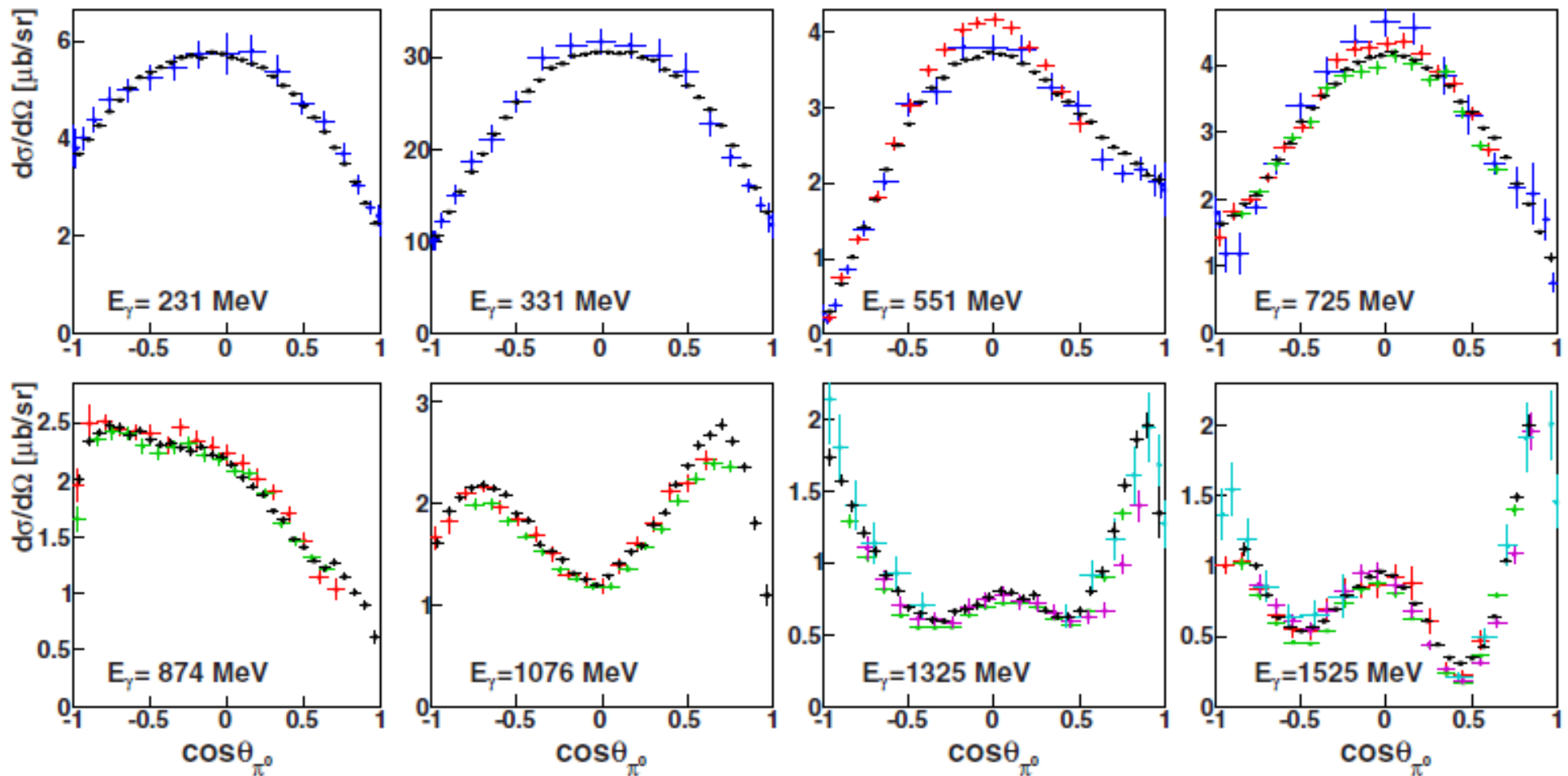
At low energy, the measurement of the beam asymmetry  $\Sigma_3$  provides an alternative way to extract  $\beta_{M1}$ :

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\theta, \phi) = \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\theta) [1 + p_y \Sigma_3 \cos(2\phi)] \quad \text{where} \quad \Sigma_3 = \frac{d\sigma_{\perp} - d\sigma_{\parallel}}{d\sigma_{\perp} + d\sigma_{\parallel}}$$

V. S., E.J. Downie, E. Mornacchi, J.A. McGovern, N. Krupina, Eur.Phys.J. A53 (2017) no.1, 14

High-precision measurements of the beam asymmetry and unpolarized cross-section planned in the end of 2017!

# Single $\pi^0$ production



P. Adlarson et al., Phys.Rev. C92 (2015) no.2, 024617

MAMI 2006: R. Beck, R. Leukel, and A. Schmidt, Acta Phys. Pol. B 33, 813 (2002); R. Beck, Eur. Phys. J. A 28, 173(2006)

CBELSA/TAPS: V. Crede et al., Phys. Rev. C 84, 055203 (2011)

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GRAAL: O. Bartalini et al., Eur. Phys. J. A 26, 399 (2005)

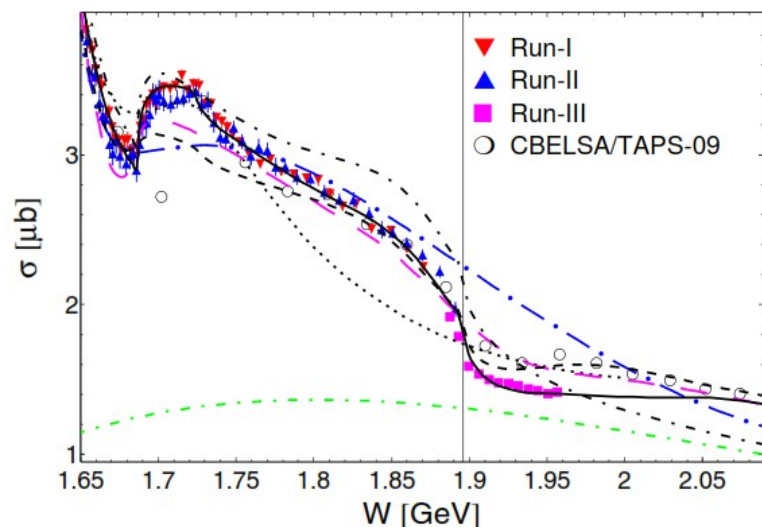
→ Interpretation within further partial wave analyses



# Single $\eta$ and $\eta'$ production

Black dashed:  $\eta$ MAID2003, blue: SAID-GE09, BG2014-2 (magenta)

Solid black line:  $\eta$ MAID2017

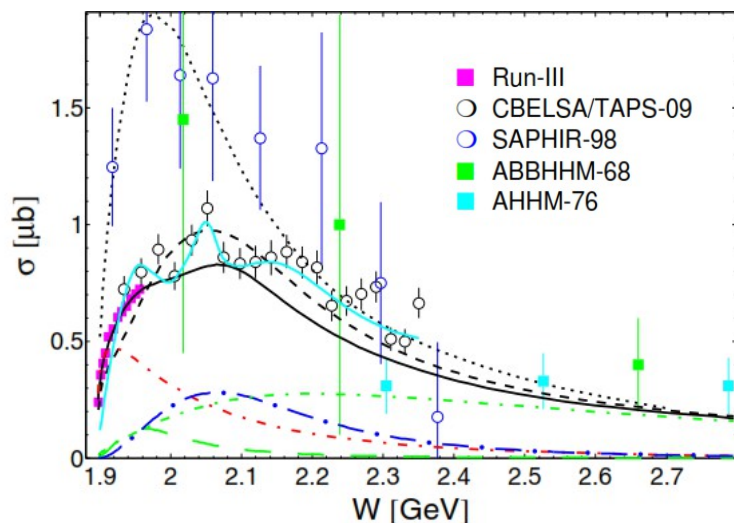


Cyan: Fit to the CBELSA/TAPS data

Individual contributions in final  $\eta$ MAID2017 solution:

red dashed-dotted:  $N(1895)1/2^-$ , green long dashed:  $N(1900)3/2^+$

Blue long-dashed:  $N(2120)3/2^-$



$\eta$

Particle	$J^P$	overall	$N\gamma$	$N\pi$	$N\eta$	$N\sigma$	$N\omega$	$\Delta K$	$\Sigma K$	$N\rho$	$\Delta\pi$
$N$	$1/2^+$	****									
$N(1440)$	$1/2^+$	****	****	****	○	***				*	***
$N(1520)$	$3/2^-$	****	****	****	***					***	***
$N(1535)$	$1/2^-$	****	****	****	***					**	*
$N(1650)$	$1/2^-$	****	***	****	***			***	***	***	***
$N(1675)$	$5/2^-$	****	***	****	*			*		*	***
$N(1680)$	$5/2^+$	****	****	****	*	**				***	***
$N(1700)$	$3/2^-$	***	**	***	*			*	*	*	***
$N(1710)$	$1/2^+$	****	****	****	***		**	*****	***	*	**
$N(1720)$	$3/2^+$	****	***	****	***			***	***	***	*
$N(1860)$	$5/2^+$	**		**						*	*
$N(1875)$	$3/2^-$	***	***	*			**	***	***		***
$N(1880)$	$1/2^+$	**	*	*		**		*			
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$	**	**	*	***			***	*		
$N(1900)$	$3/2^+$	***	***	**	***		**	***	***	*	**
$N(1990)$	$7/2^+$	**	**	**					*		
$N(2000)$	$5/2^+$	**	**	*	***			***	*	***	
$N(2040)$	$3/2^+$	*		*	○						
$N(2060)$	$5/2^-$	**	**	**	*				***		
$N(2100)$	$1/2^+$	*		*	○						
$N(2120)$	$3/2^-$	**	*	**	○			*	*		
$N(2190)$	$7/2^-$	****	***	****	○		*	***		*	
$N(2220)$	$9/2^+$	****		****	○						
$N(2250)$	$9/2^-$	****		****	○						
$N(2300)$	$1/2^+$	**		**	○						
$N(2570)$	$5/2^-$	**		**	○						
$N(2600)$	$11/2^-$	***		***	○						
$N(2700)$	$13/2^+$	**		**	○						

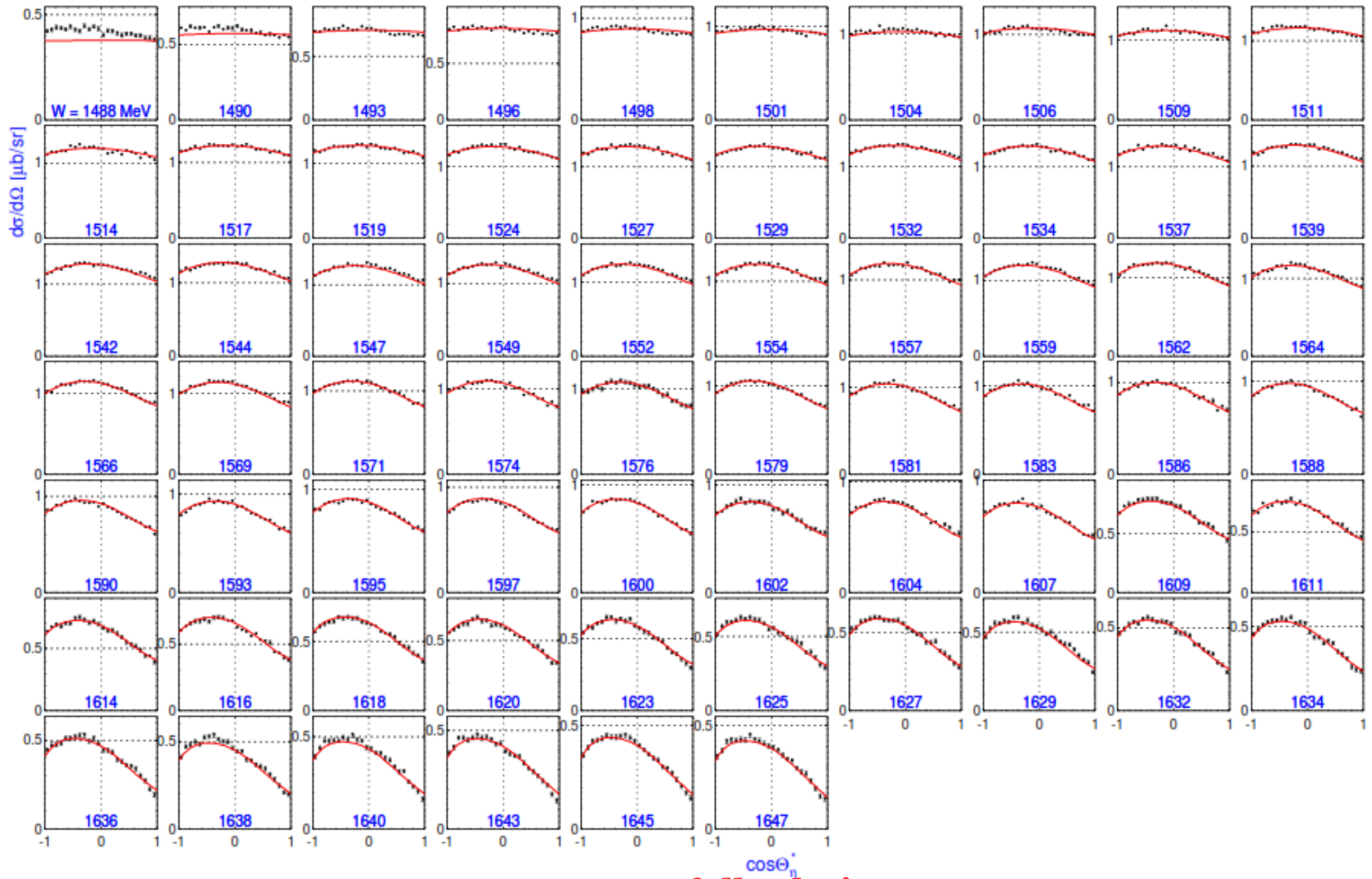
$\eta'$

8  $N^*$  in 2001/2003

New resonances in  $\eta$ MAID 2015/2017

— Resonances with no evidence for ( $\gamma$ ,  $\eta$ )

# Single $\eta$ production

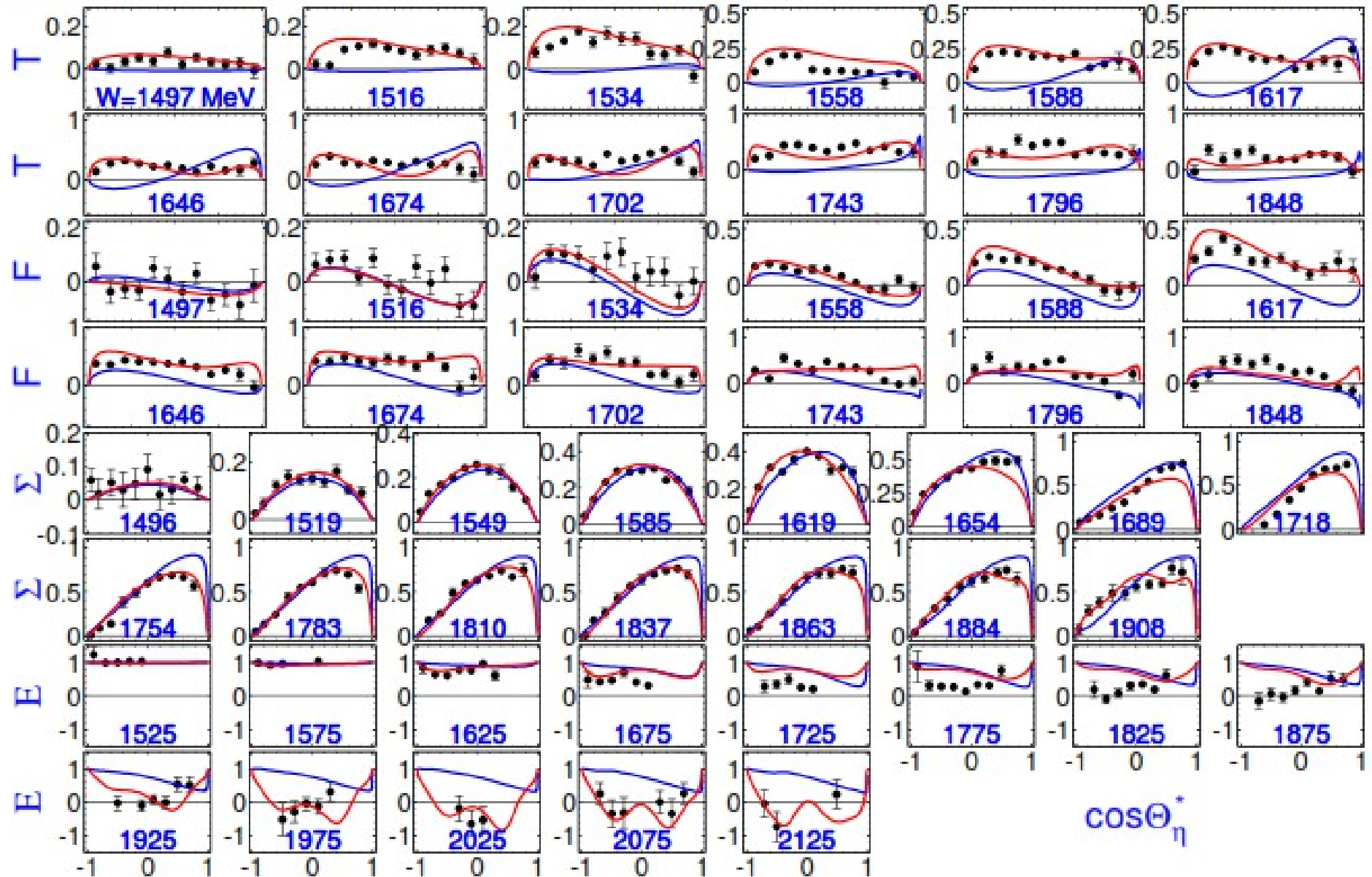


Data and  $\eta$ MAID full solution

# Single $\eta$ production

T, F,  $\Sigma$ , and E for  $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$

Data: A2MAMI-15 (T,F), GRAAL-07 ( $\Sigma$ ), CLAS-15 (E). Red - full solution, -  $\eta$ MAID03.

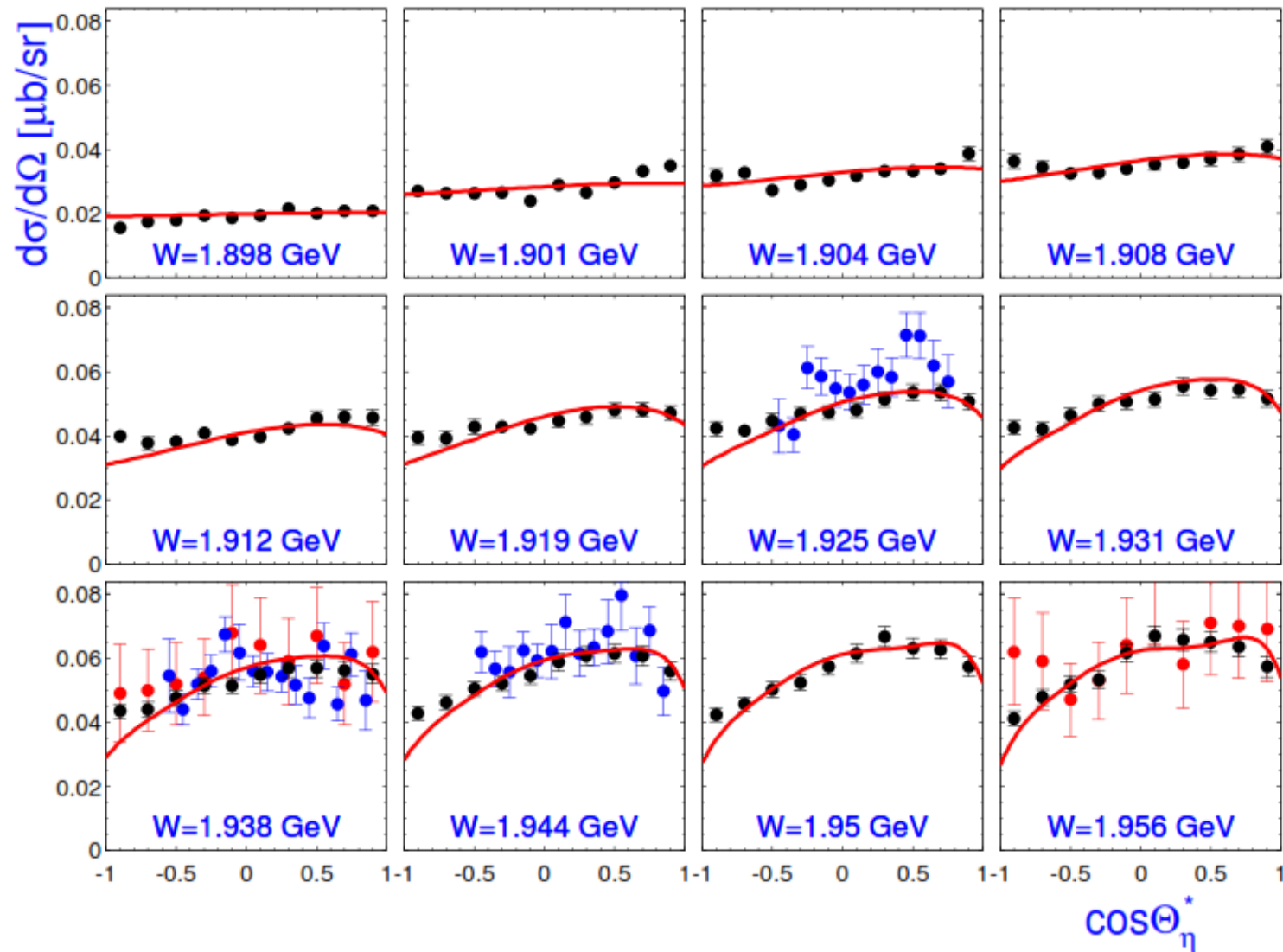




# Single $\eta'$ production

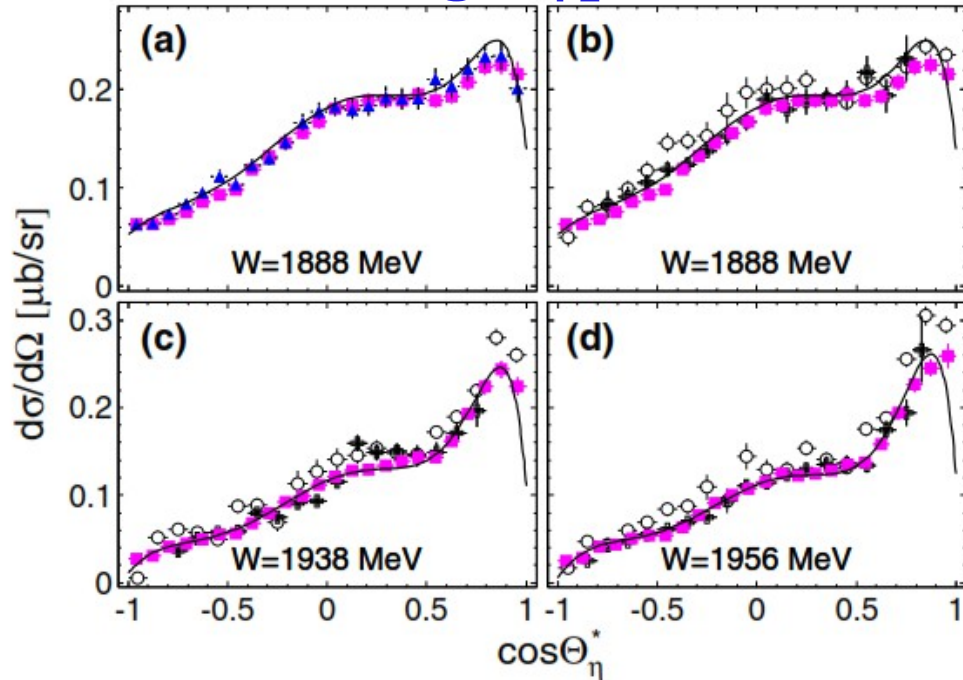
Data: A2MAMI- CBELSA/TAPS-09 (red), CLAS-09 (blue)

Red line - full solution.

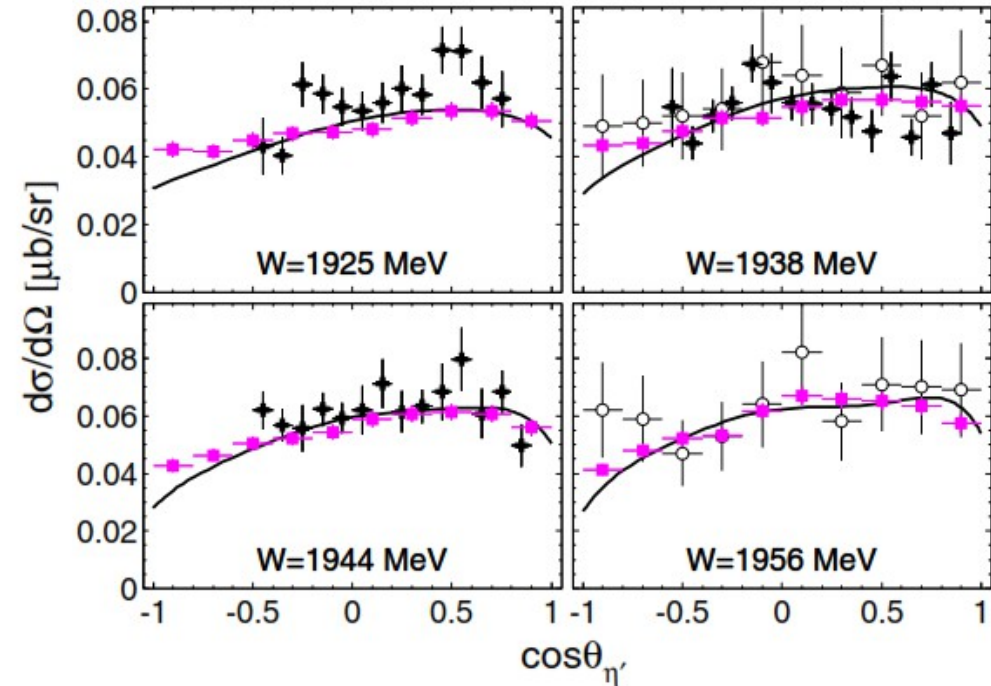


# Single $\eta$ and $\eta'$ production

## Single $\eta$ production



## Single $\eta'$ production



Magenta squares and blue triangles: A2, open circles: CBELSA/TAPS, black crosses: CLAS, curve:  $\eta$ MAID (2017)

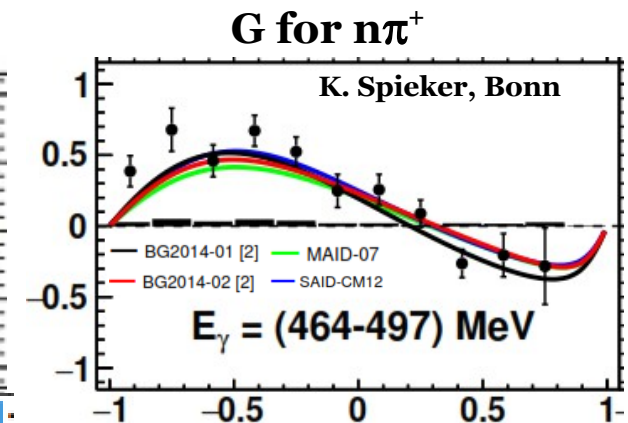
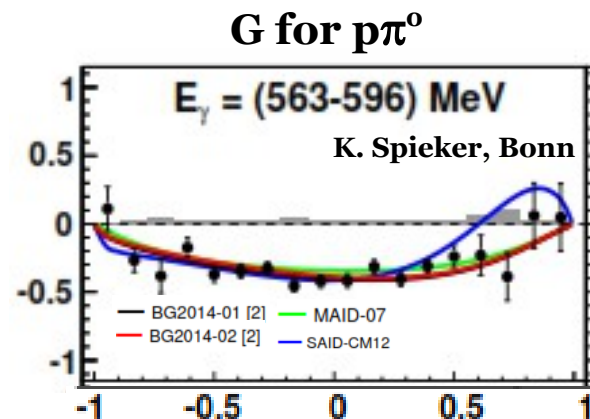
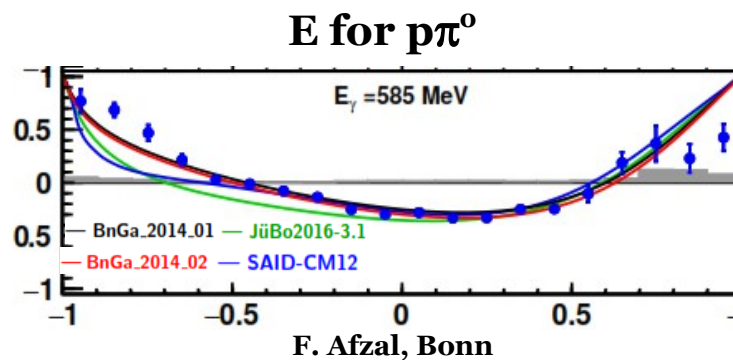
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- Overall: Good agreements with CLAS and CBELSA/TAPS data
- In some bins systematic discrepancies (upto 10%) with CBELSA/TAPS data

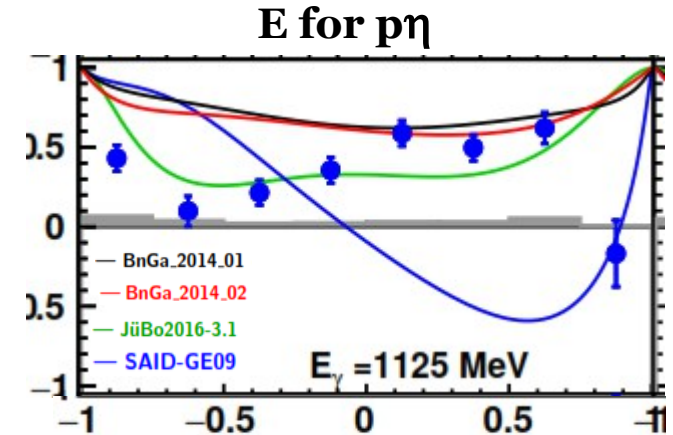
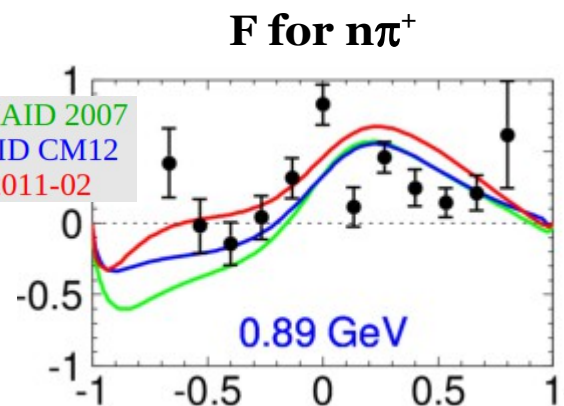
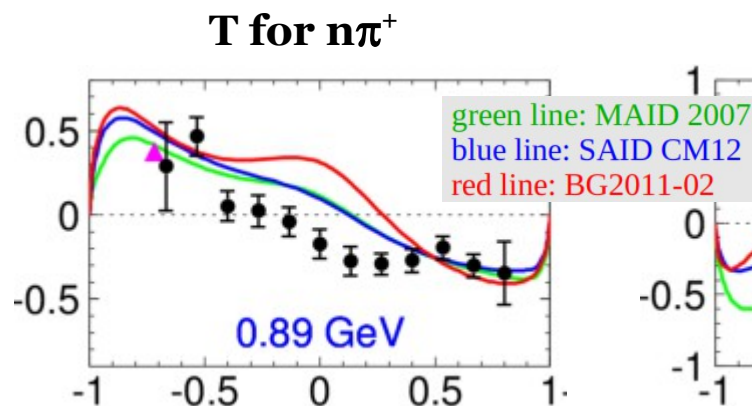
# Single meson production: data on polarization observables

Photon Polarization		Target Polarization		
		x	y	z
unpolarized	$\sigma$	—	T	—
linearly polarized	$\Sigma$	H	P	G
circularly polarized	—	F	—	E

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\theta) \cdot \left[ 1 - p_{\gamma}^{lin} \Sigma \cos(2\phi) + p_x(-p_{\gamma}^{lin} H \sin(2\phi) + p_{\gamma}^{circ} F) - p_y(-T + p_{\gamma}^{lin} P \cos(2\phi)) - p_z(-p_{\gamma}^{lin} G \sin(2\phi) + p_{\gamma}^{circ} E) \right]$$



All data preliminary!



- See talk of Natalie Walford for further results: 22.08.2017, Parallel Session (A2), 14:30
- Data on beam asymmetry  $\Sigma$  published for  $1214 < W < 1450 \text{ MeV}$  (S. Gardner et al., Eur.Phys.J. A52 (2016) no.11, 333)
- New data taken on  $\Sigma$  for single  $\pi^0$  for determination of E2/M1 ratio with improved systematics



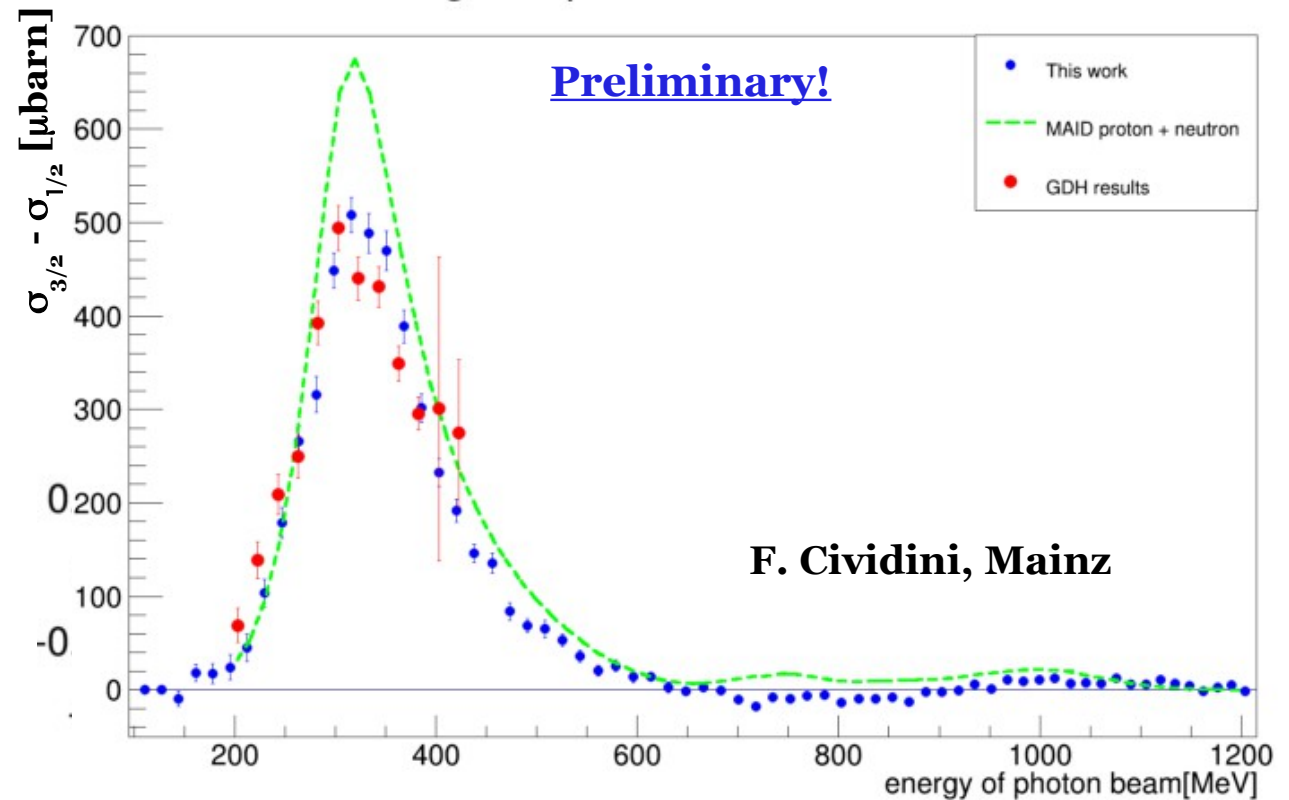
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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = & \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\theta) \cdot \left[ 1 - p_{\gamma}^{\text{lin}} \Sigma \cos(2\phi) \right. \\ & + p_x(-p_{\gamma}^{\text{lin}} H \sin(2\phi) + p_{\gamma}^{\text{circ}} F) \\ & - p_y(-T + p_{\gamma}^{\text{lin}} P \cos(2\phi)) \\ & \left. - p_z(-p_{\gamma}^{\text{lin}} G \sin(2\phi) + p_{\gamma}^{\text{circ}} E) \right] \end{aligned}$$

- Extraction of E for nucleons bound in deuteron in progress
- Total inclusive polarized cross-section difference extracted for  $\pi^0$  production
- Extraction of differential cross-sections in progress

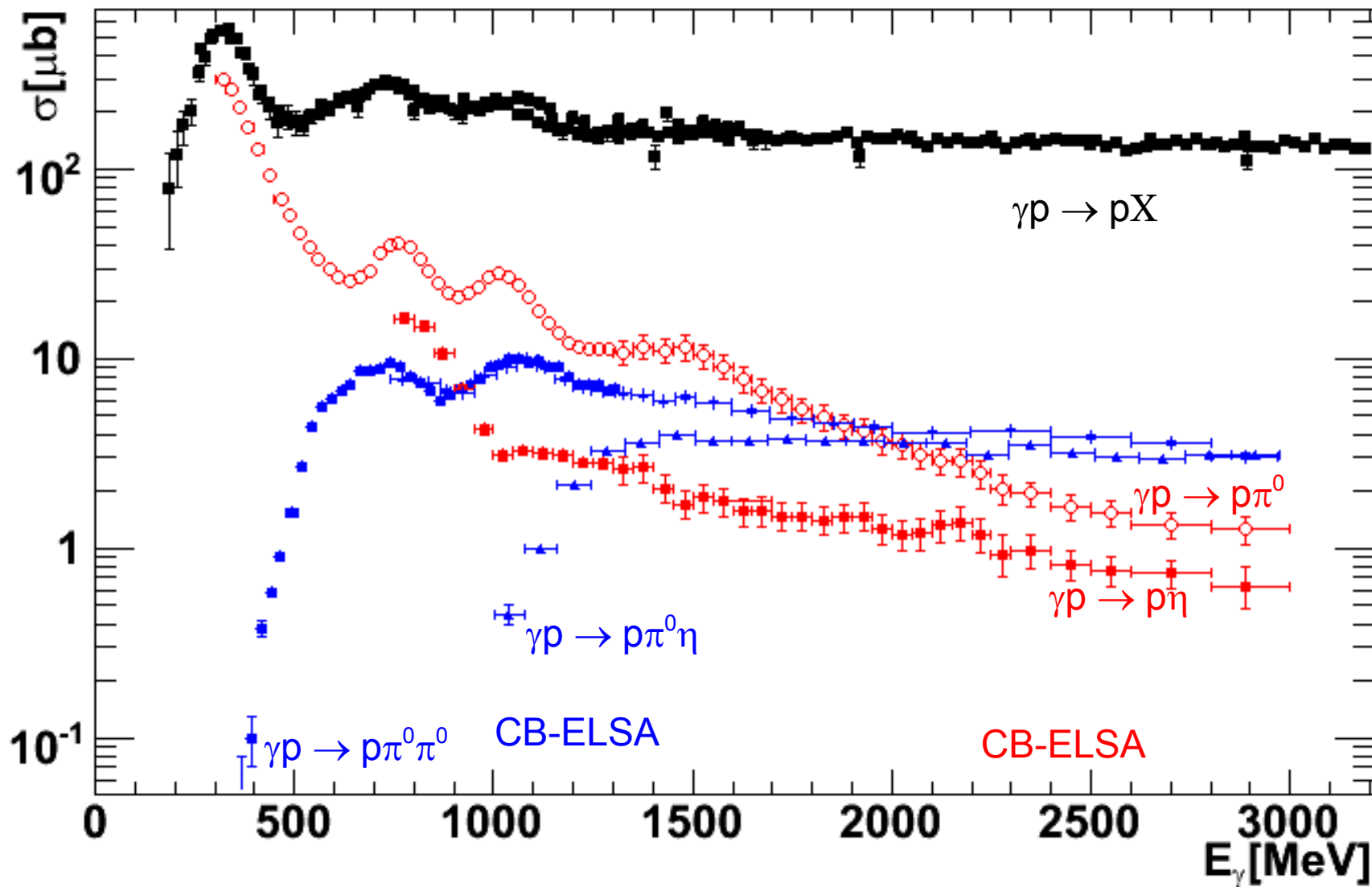
Single  $\pi^0$  polarised cross section



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# Double meson photoproduction

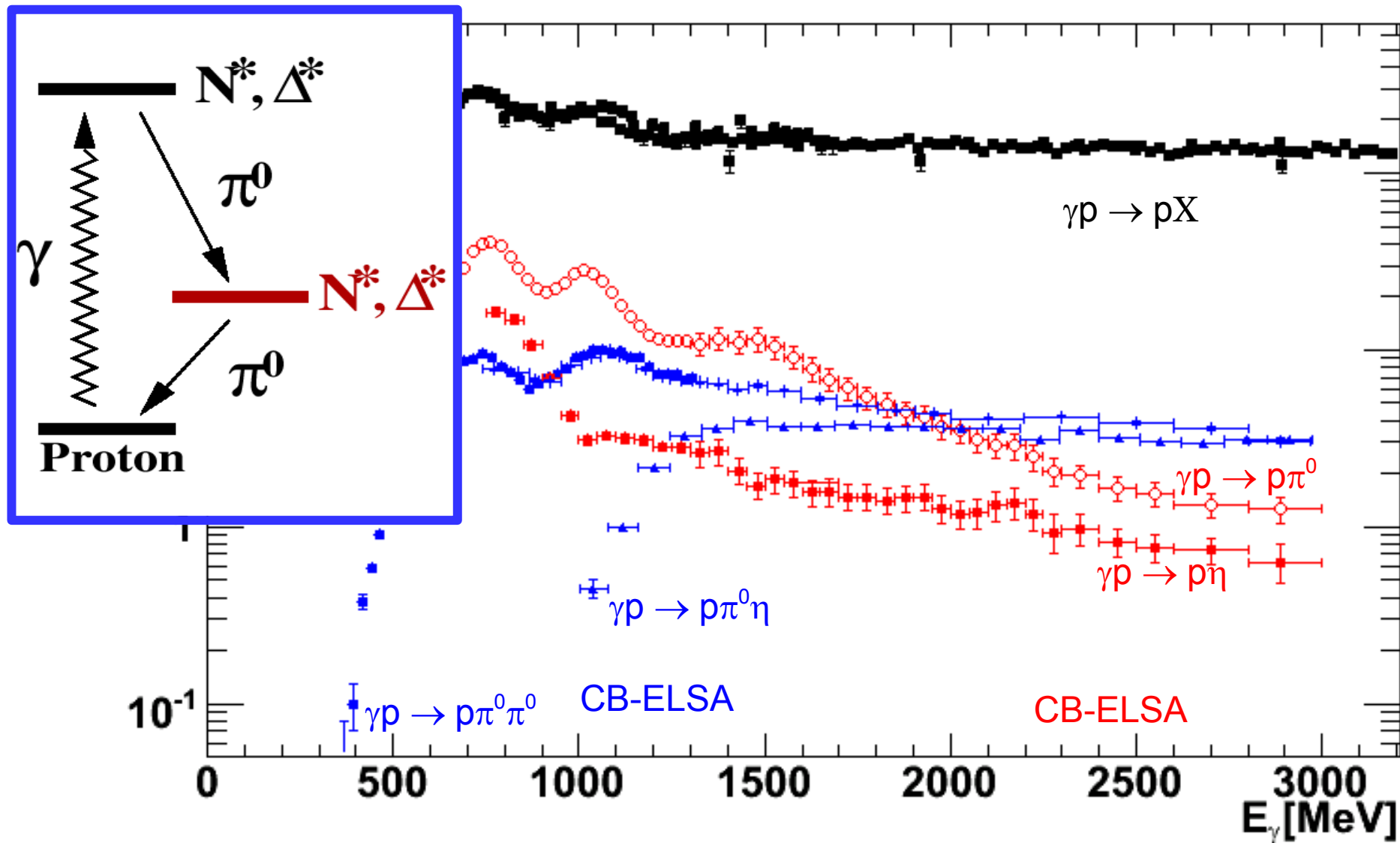
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# Double meson photoproduction

Goal: Gain a good understanding of the spectrum and properties of baryon resonances



- At high energies: Multi-meson final states play a role of increasing importance!
- Access to resonances with cascading decays

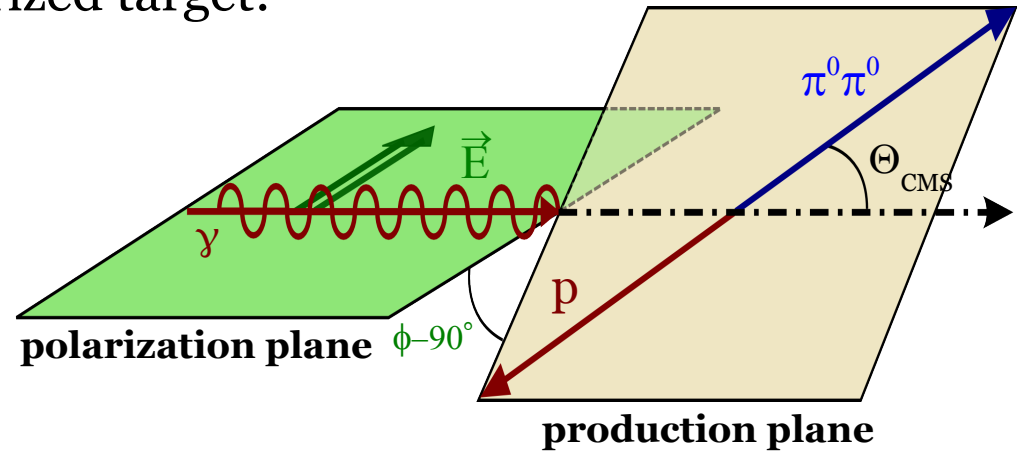


# Double pion production ( $I^s$ and $I^c$ )

Linearly polarized photon beam, unpolarized target:

Quasi two-body consideration:

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 [1 + \delta_I \Sigma \cos(2\phi)]$$



- Three-particle final state: **additional plane!**
- **Additional polarization observables!**

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 \{1 + \delta_I [I^s \sin(2\phi) + I^c \cos(2\phi)]\}$$

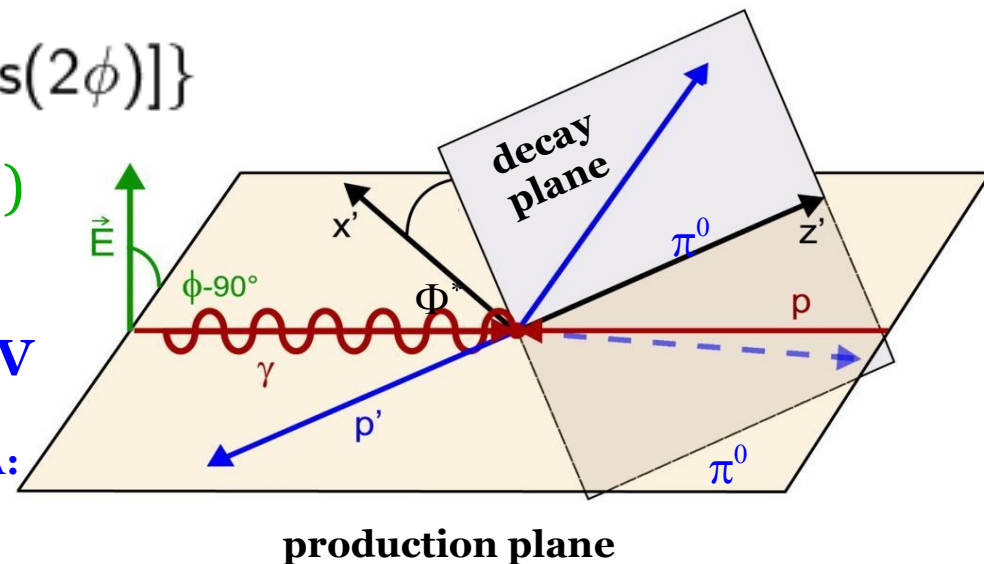
$$I^c(\Phi^*) = I^c(2\pi - \Phi^*), \quad I^s(\Phi^*) = -I^s(2\pi - \Phi^*)$$

**First measurement of  $I^s$  and  $I^c$   
in  $\vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow p\pi^0\pi^0$  at energies below  $\sim 700$  MeV**

**Data from CBELSA/TAPS above 1 GeV had a high impact on PWA:**

V. S. , E. Gutz, H. Pee, et al., Phys.Lett. B746 (2015) 127-131

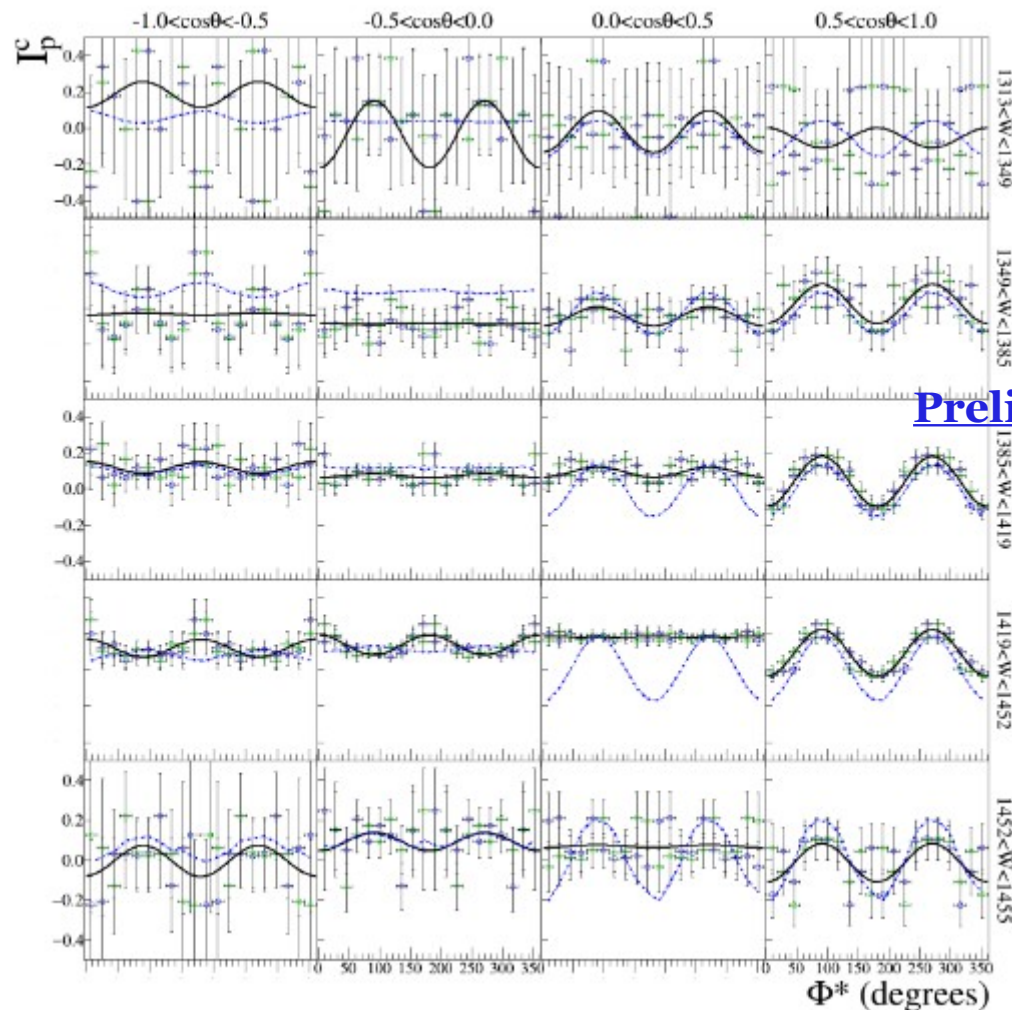
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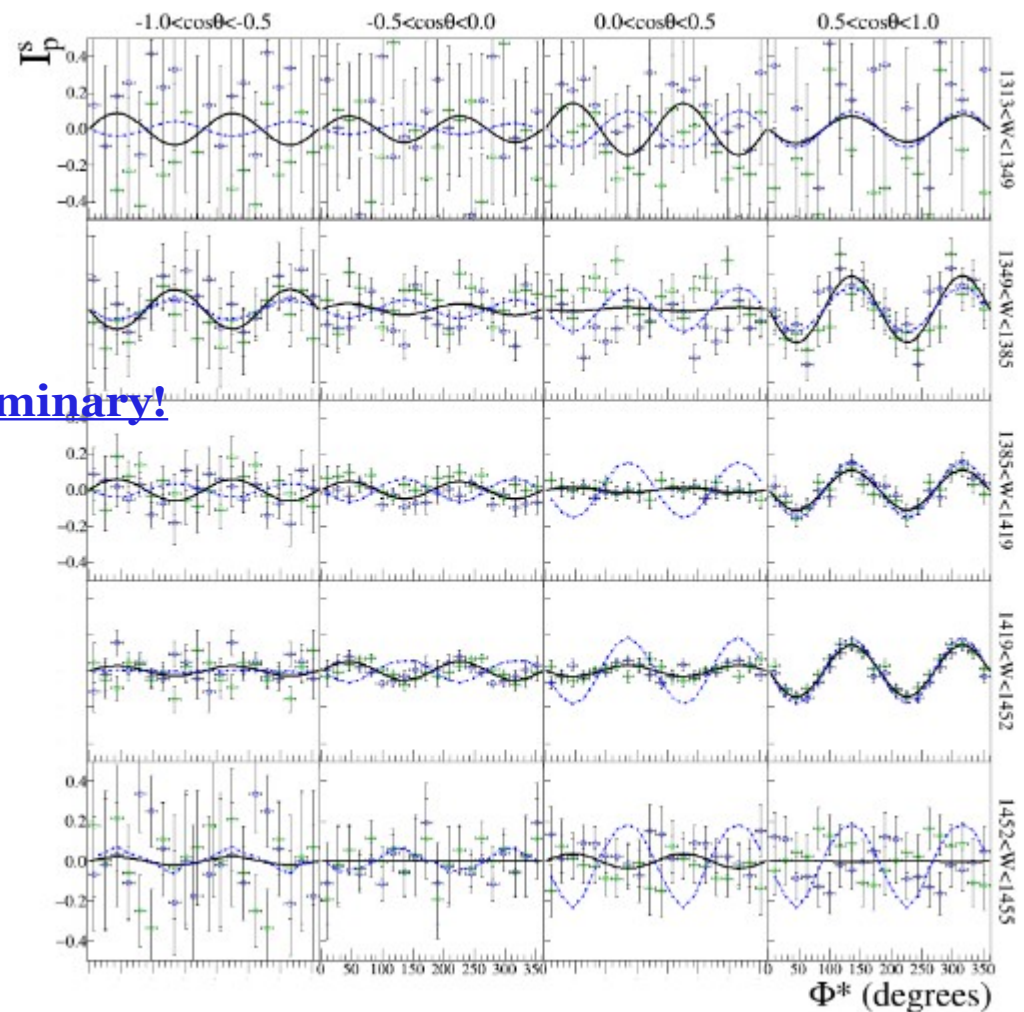
# Double pion production ( $\Gamma^s$ and $\Gamma^c$ )

$$\Gamma^c(\Phi^*) = \Gamma^c(2\pi - \Phi^*)$$

$$\Gamma^s(\Phi^*) = -\Gamma^s(2\pi - \Phi^*)$$



**Preliminary!**

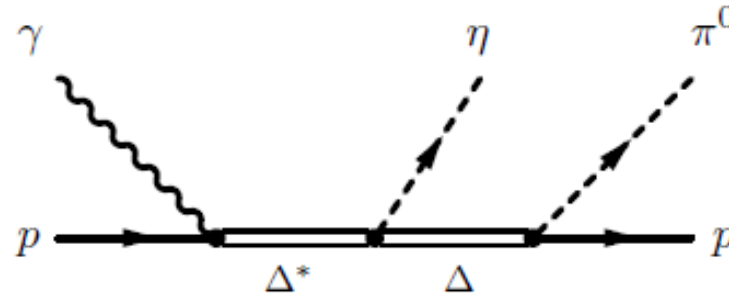


Solid curve: fit to the data with third order cosine/sine series,  
dashed curve: BnGa PWA 2014 from (E. Gutz , V. Crede, V. S., H. van Pee, et al., Eur.Phys.J. A50 (2014) 74)

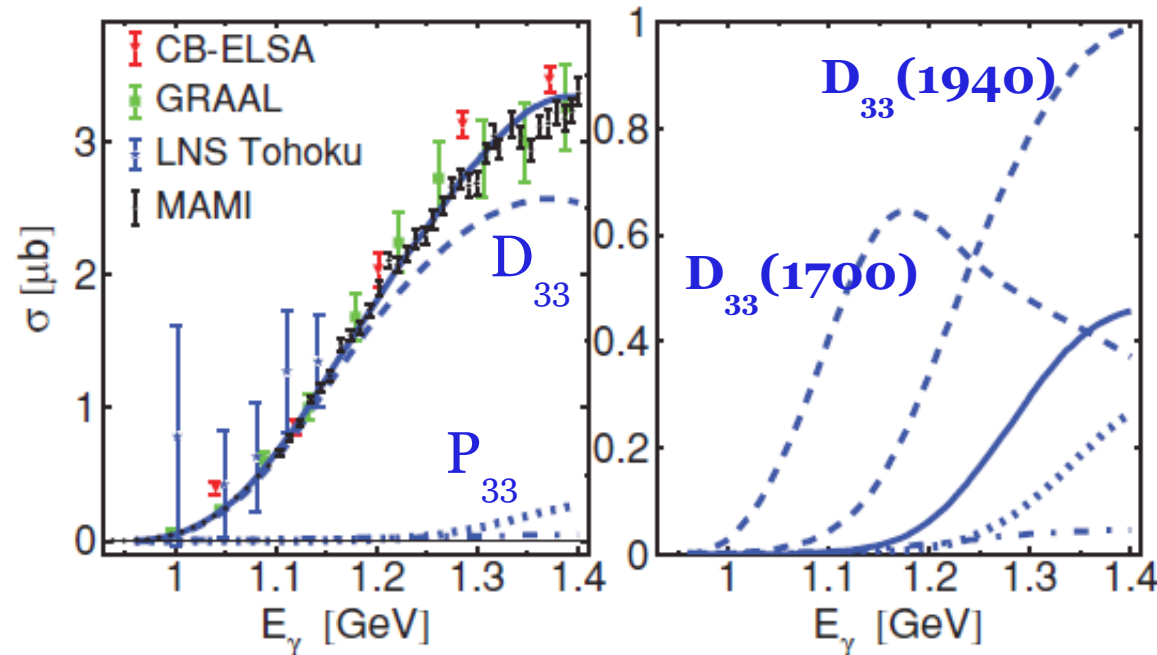
**Significant differences between data and BnGa PWA predictions!**

# $\pi^0\eta$ photoproduction (proton target)

- The production of  $\pi^0\eta$  pairs best suited to study the  $D_{33}(1700)$  resonance
- $\eta$  acts as an isospin filter: Access to  $\gamma p \rightarrow D_{33}(1700) \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\eta \rightarrow p\pi^0\eta$

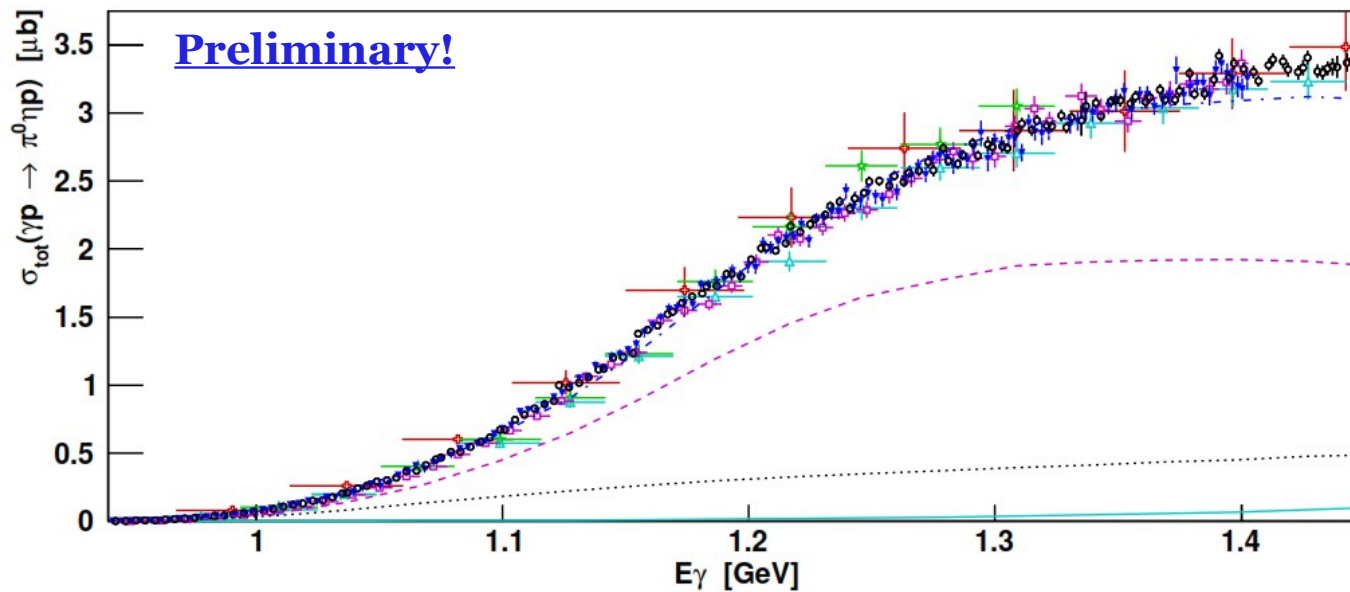


- $D_{33}(1700)$  dominates close to the production threshold





# $\pi^0\eta$ production off the proton



Run I (blue solid triangles)  
Run II (black open circles)  
CBELSA/TAPS: green stars  
CBELSA/TAPS: cyan open triangles  
GRAAL: red open crosses  
A2 (2009): magenta open squares

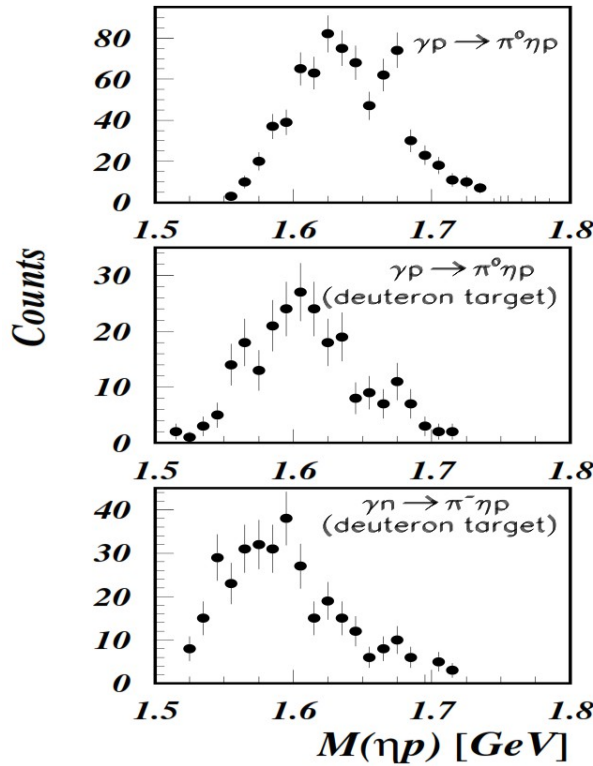
BnGA PWA: blue dash-dotted line  
 $\gamma p \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\eta$ : magenta dashed  
 $\gamma p \rightarrow S11(1535)\pi^0$ : black dotted  
 $\gamma p \rightarrow a_0(980)p$ : cyan solid

## New data set:

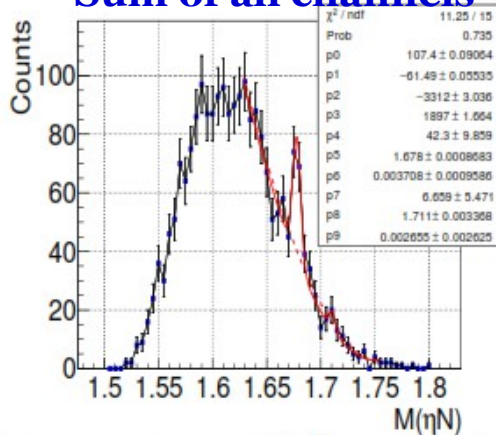
- Improved statistics: More than 1.500.000 events for the unpolarized cross-section and more than 1.000.000 events in the polarized sample
- Kinematic fit applied
- Event-based data (5D) sample obtained
- Finer binning and extension of the energy coverage to the threshold region
- Total cross-section, angular distributions, Dalitz plots and beam helicity asymmetry extracted  $\rightarrow$  input for PWA with a potentially high impact

# $\pi^0\eta$ production off the proton

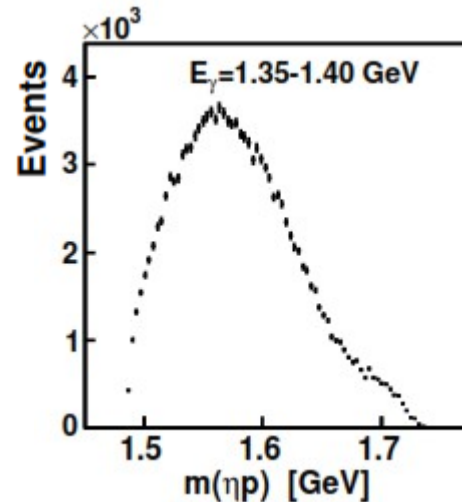
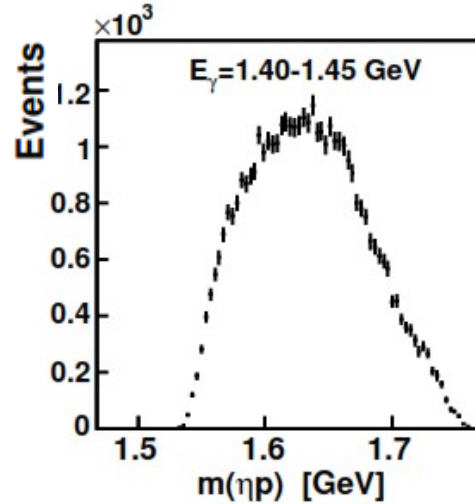
GRAAL data:  $E_\gamma = 1.4 - 1.5$  GeV  
 $m(\pi^0 N) < 1.2$  GeV



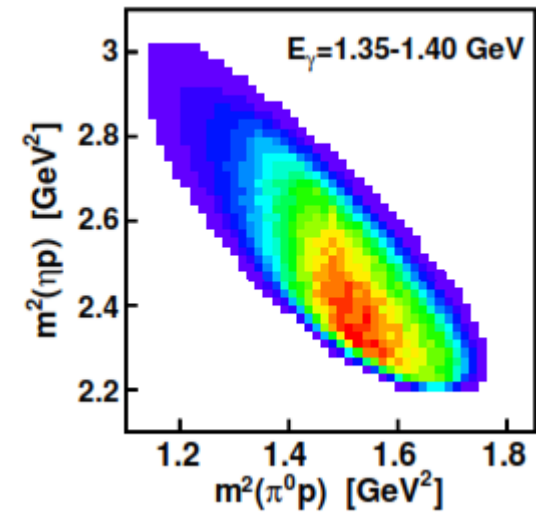
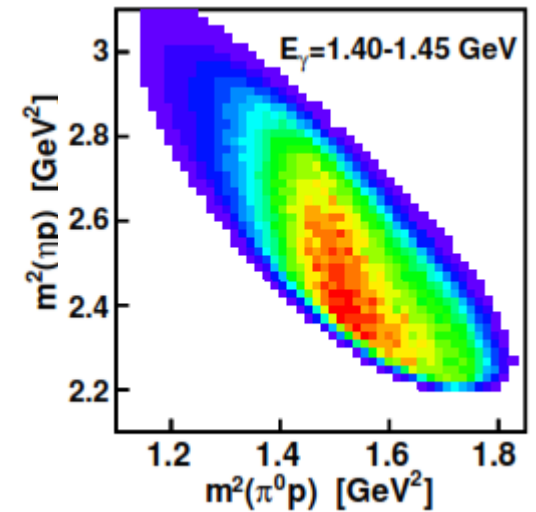
Sum of all channels



A2 data for  $\pi^0\eta$  ( $m(\pi^0 N) < 1.2$  GeV)



A2 data ( $\pi^0\eta$ )

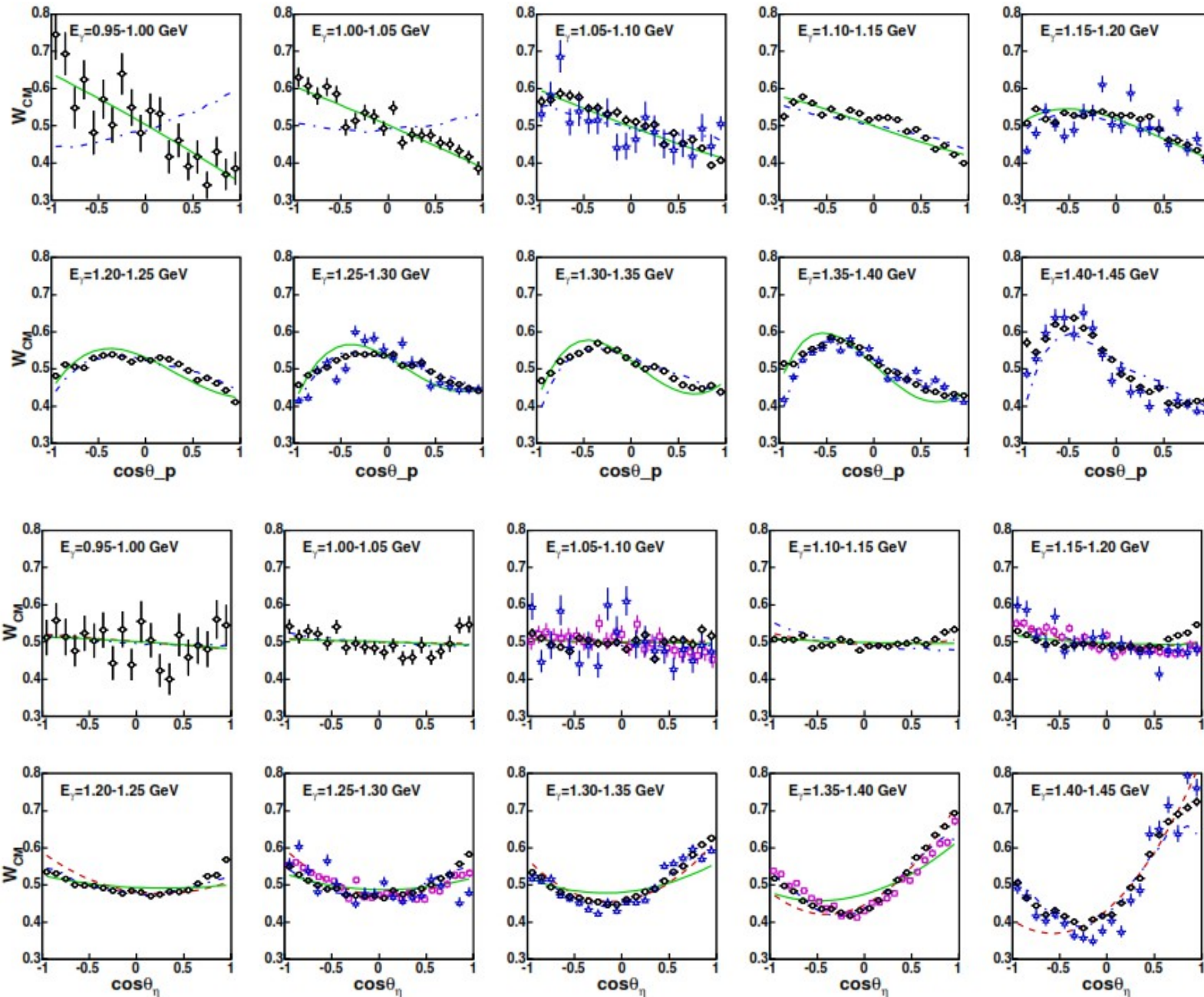


No signature of narrow N(1685) resonance in the A2 data!

# $\pi^0\eta$ production off the proton

Preliminary!

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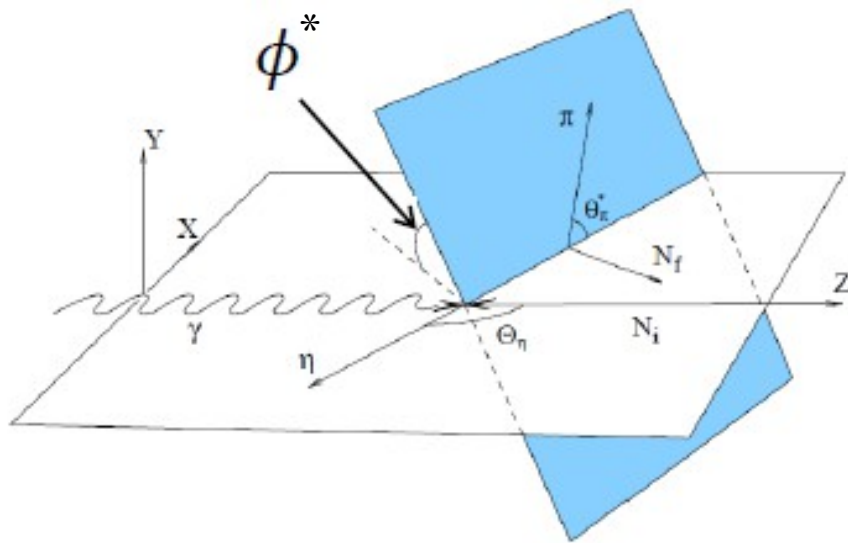


Run I and Run II (open circles), with  
CBELSA/TAPS: blue stars  
A2 (2009): magenta open squares  
(at close energies)

Predictions:  
BnGa PWA (2014): blue dash-dotted  
line  
MaTm model: red dashed line

Fit of MaTm model to the present  
data: solid green line

# $\pi^0\eta$ : Beam helicity asymmetry (proton target)

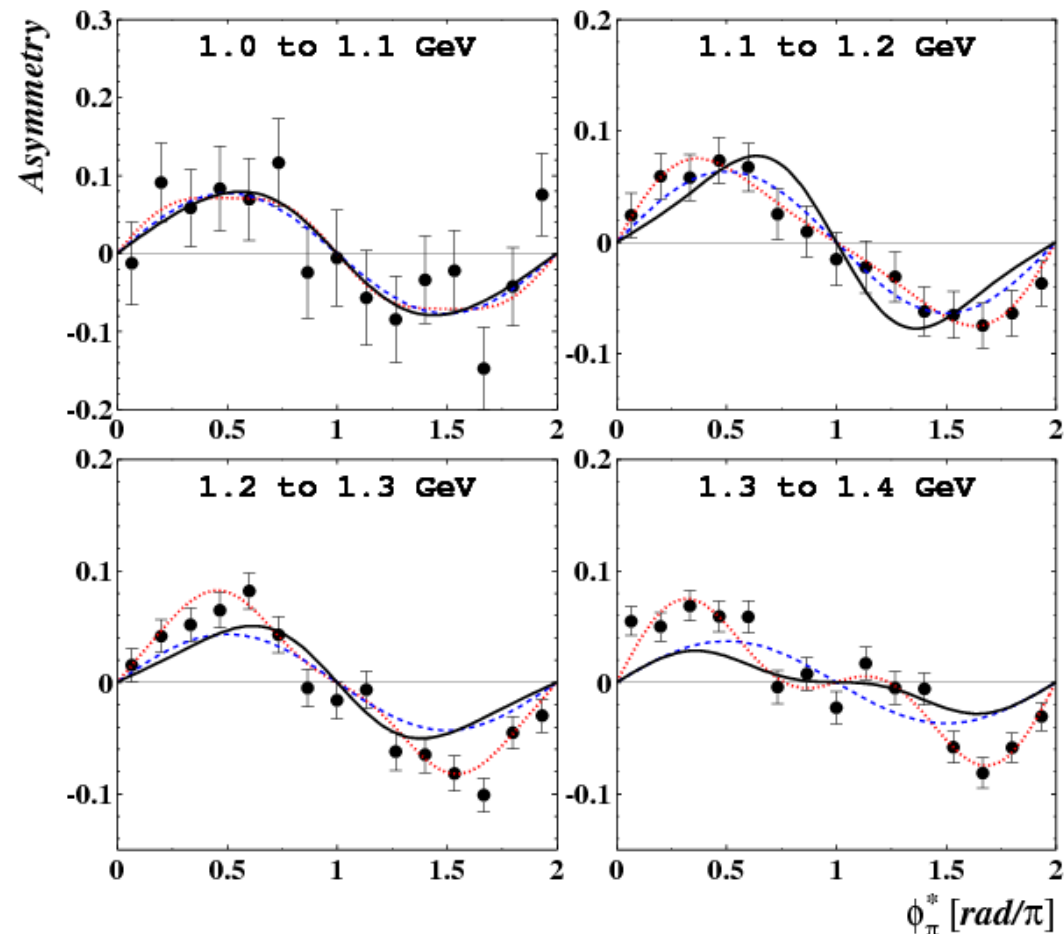


Beam helicity asymmetry:

$$W^c(\phi) \sim \sigma^+(\phi) - \sigma^-(\phi)$$

$W^c(\phi)$  can be expanded as:

$$W^c(\phi) = \sum_{n=1}^{n_{\max}} A_n \sin n\phi$$



Dotted line: fit with the first 3 terms of the sine expansion ( $A_1, A_2, A_3$ )

Solid line: isobar model with 6 resonances

Dashed line: only  $D_{33}$  wave

V. L. Kashevarov, et al., Phys. Lett. B 693, 551 (2010)

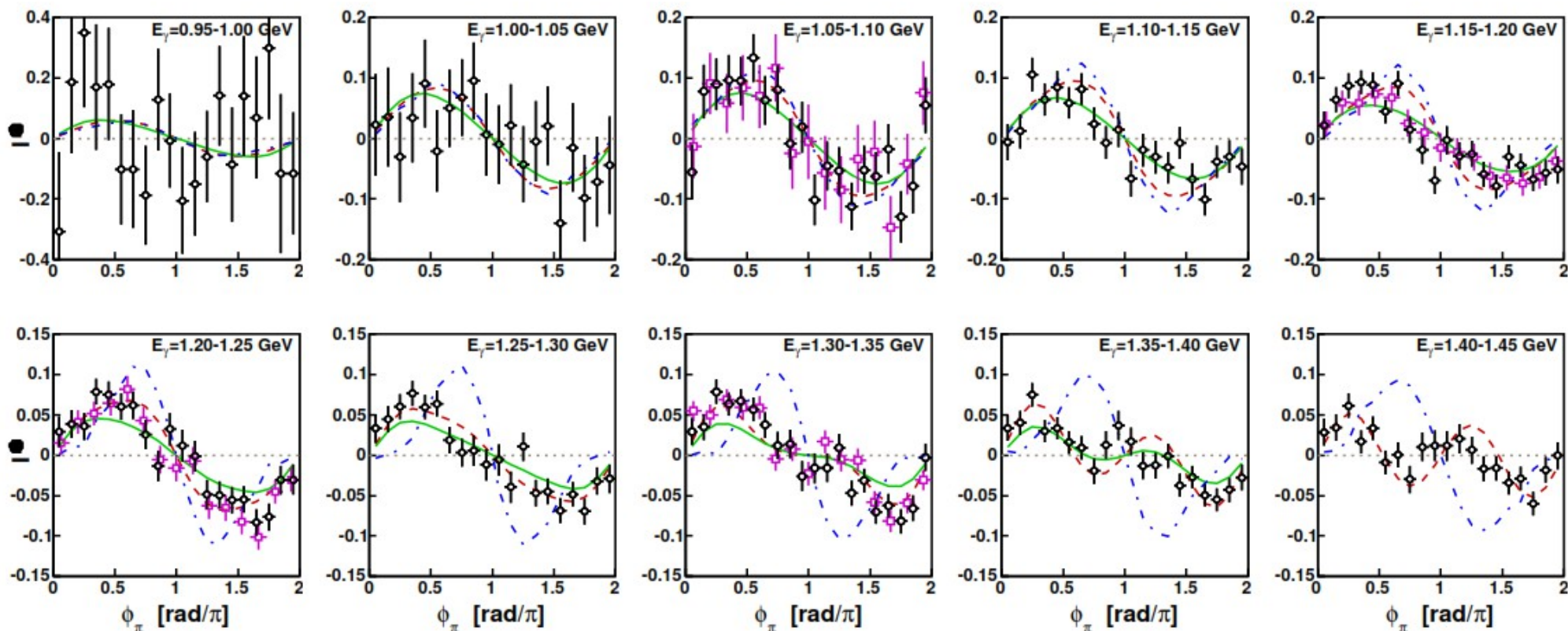
[A2 Collaboration]

**Both unpolarized and polarized data indicate the dominance of the  $D_{33}$  wave at energies  $E_\gamma < 1.2$  GeV**



# $\pi^0\eta$ : Beam helicity asymmetry (proton)

Preliminary!



Run I and Run II (open circles)

Predictions:

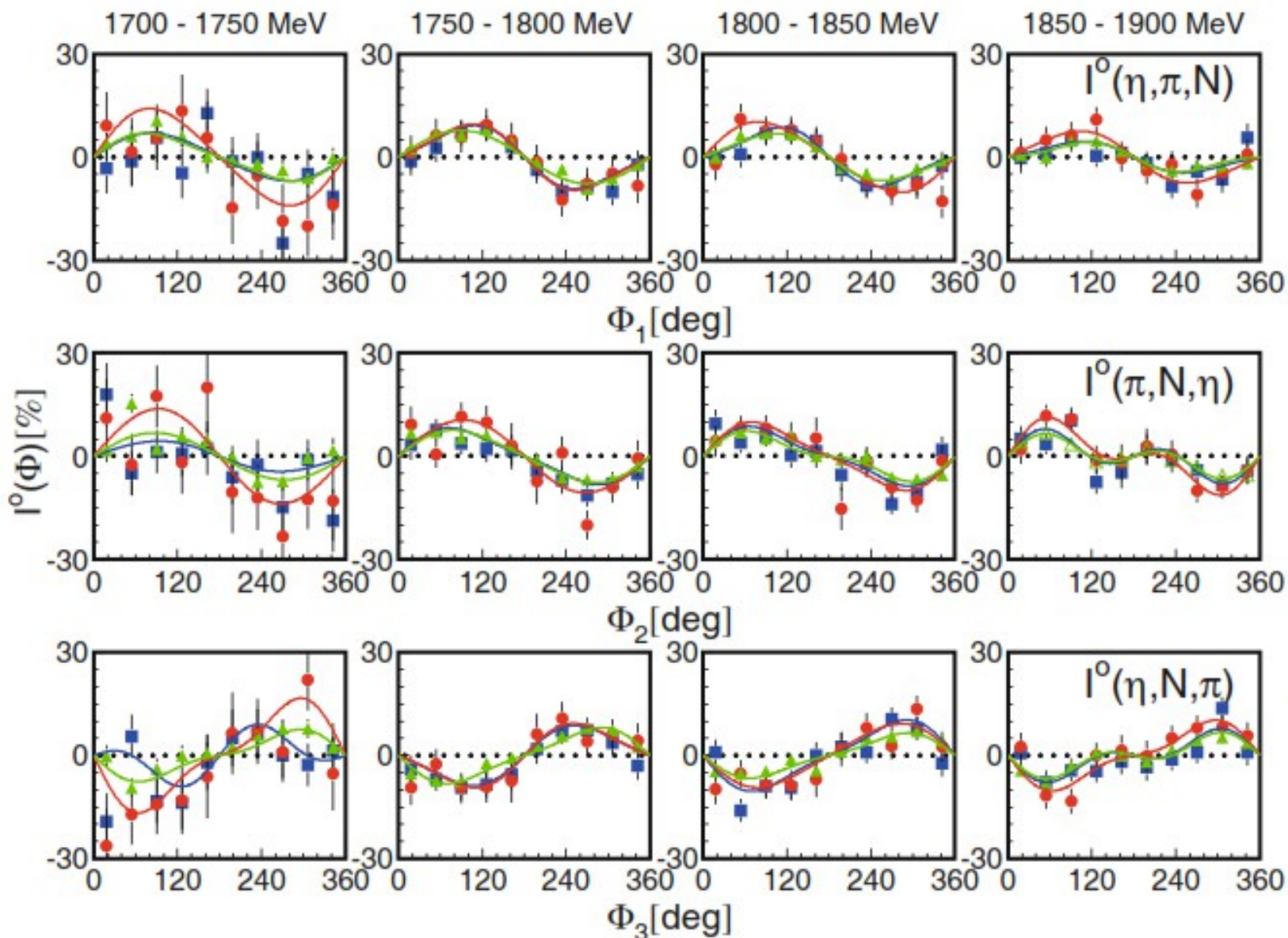
BnGa PWA (2014): blue dash-dotted line

MaTm model: red dashed line

Fit of MaTm model to the present data: solid green line

- Significant differences at high energies between data and BnGa PWA
- High impact can be expected
- 4-vectors provided to the BnGa PWA group  
(Data analysis finished, MaTm model calculations in progress)

# $\pi^0\eta$ : Beam helicity asymmetry (deuteron)



free proton  
quasifree proton  
quasifree neutron

Curves: fit to  
the data

$$I^\odot(\Phi) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \sin(n\Phi)$$

A. Käser , F. Müller, Eur.Phys.J. A52 (2016) no.9, 272 (A2 Collaboration)

Final State Interaction (FSI) is practically not affecting the asymmetry signal

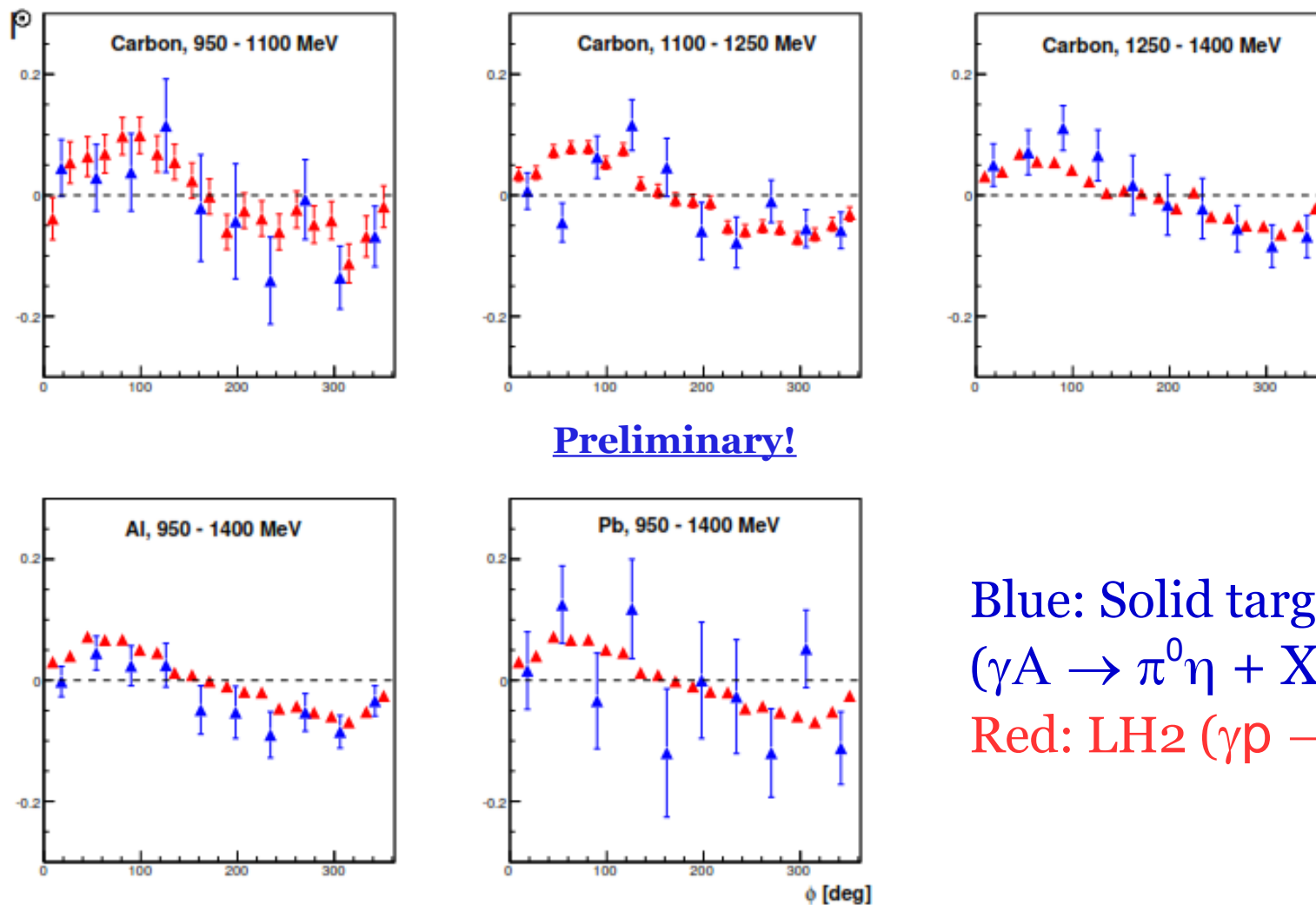
# Production of $\pi^0\eta$ off nuclei

- Second resonance region: No strong experimental indication for significant modifications of  $D_{13}(1520)$  or  $S_{11}(1535)$
- The structure in these observables is reasonably described by the  $D_{33}(1700)$  resonance within the isobar model for the proton target at  $E_\gamma < 1.2$  GeV (A. Fix, et al.)

## New experiments performed at MAMI:

- ➔ Search for modifications of the  $D_{33}(1700)$  resonance
- ➔ First measurement of the beam helicity asymmetry for the investigation of in-medium modifications in addition to differential cross-sections
- ➔ Comparison with free proton data
- ➔ Better understanding of the Final State Interaction (FSI)

# Beam helicity asymmetry for $\pi^0\eta$ (solid targets)



Preliminary!

Blue: Solid targets  
( $\gamma A \rightarrow \pi^0\eta + X$ )  
Red: LH2 ( $\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\eta$ )

- First measurement of the beam helicity asymmetry with heavy targets
- Good Agreement between LH2 and solid target data
- Final State Interaction is practically not affecting the asymmetry signal (absorption but no rescattering similarly with deuteron results?)
- The D33(1700) resonance signal remains practically unchanged
- Extraction of unpolarized cross-sections in progress



# Summary

- ♦ High statistics data sets on  $\pi^0$ ,  $\eta$ ,  $\eta'$ ,  $2\pi^0$ ,  $\pi^0\eta$ ,... production obtained
- ♦ Possibilities for experiments with high-intensity photon beam (circularly or linearly polarized), polarized and unpolarized targets hydrogen and deuteron targets, recoil polarimeter
- ♦ Helium and heavier (solid) targets
- ♦ Single and double polarization observables extracted with high precision
- ♦ In the future, extension of the program performed for protons to the neutron (deuteron or helium targets)



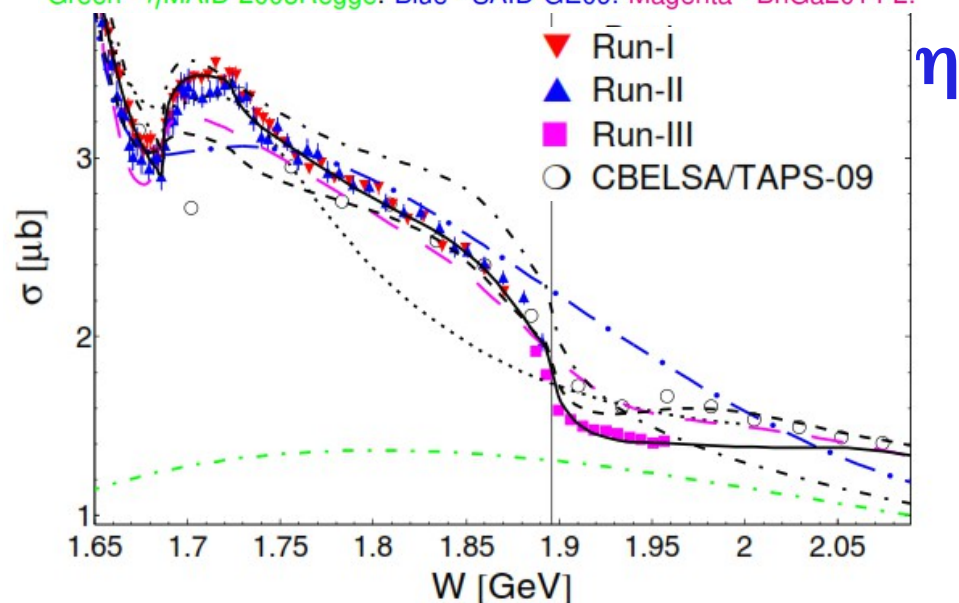
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**Backup**

# Single $\eta$ and $\eta'$ production

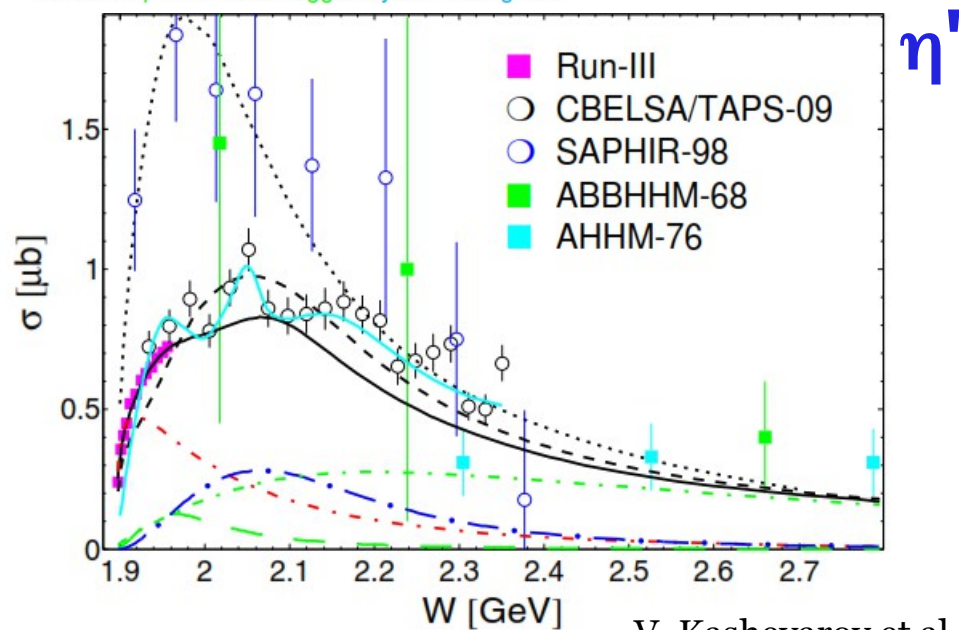
Black lines: full solution (solid), background (dashed),  $S_{11} + bg$  (dash-dotted).

Green -  $\eta$ MAID-2003Regge. Blue - SAID-GE09. Magenta - BnGa2014-2.



Black lines: full solution (solid), background (dashed),  $N(1895)1/2^-$  (dash-dotted).

Green -  $\eta$ MAID-2003Regge. Cyan - Huang-13.

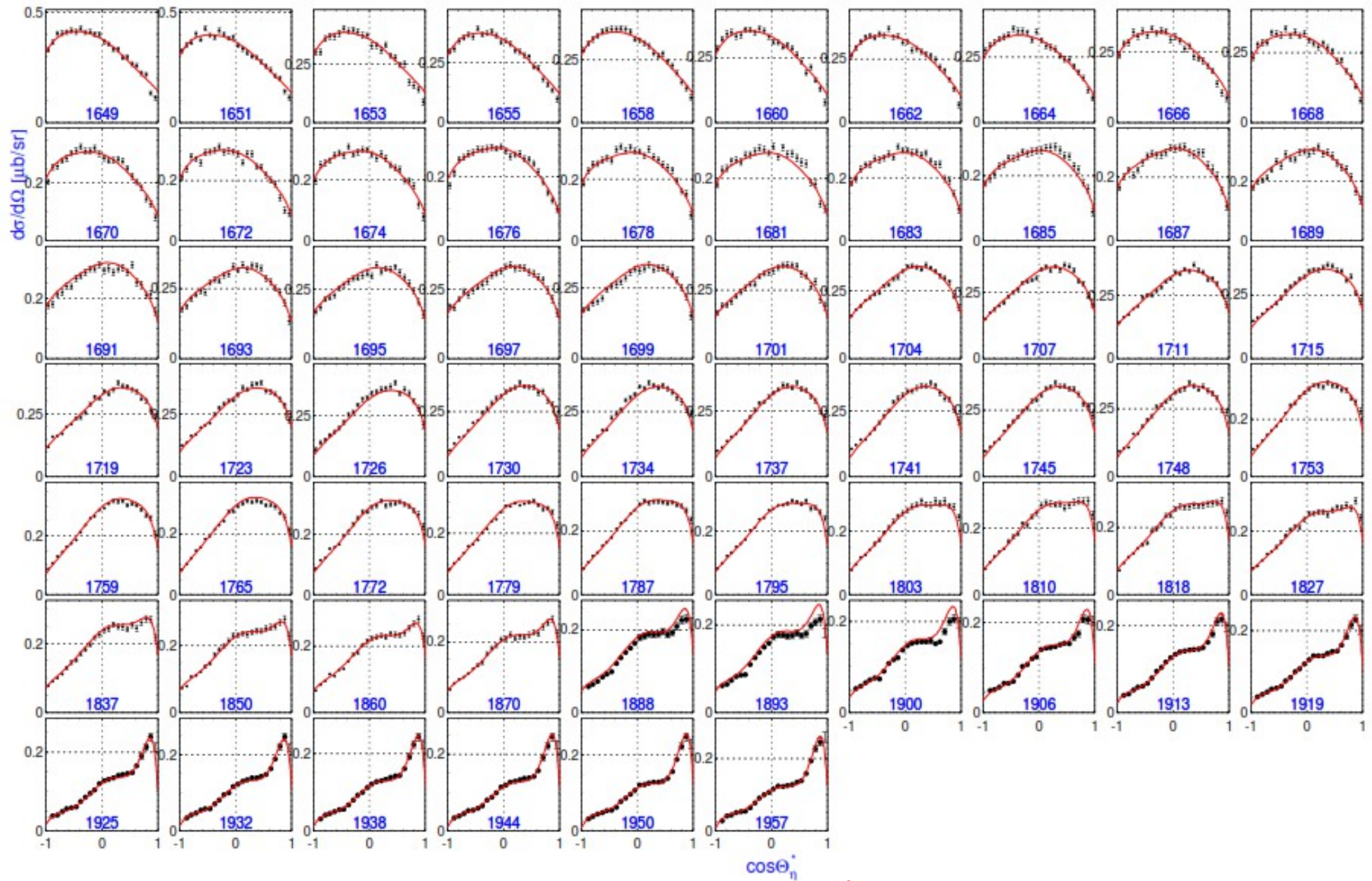


Particle	$J^P$	overall	$N\gamma$	$N\pi$	$N\eta$	$N\sigma$	$N\omega$	$\Lambda K$	$\Sigma K$	$N\rho$	$\Delta\pi$
$N$	$1/2^+$	****									
$N(1440)$	$1/2^+$	****	****	****	****	***				*	***
$N(1520)$	$3/2^-$	****	****	****	****					***	***
$N(1535)$	$1/2^-$	****	****	****	****					**	*
$N(1650)$	$1/2^-$	****	****	****	****			***	**	**	***
$N(1675)$	$5/2^-$	****	****	****	*			*		*	***
$N(1680)$	$5/2^+$	****	****	****	*	**				***	***
$N(1700)$	$3/2^-$	****	****	****	*			*	*	*	***
$N(1710)$	$1/2^+$	****	****	****	****	**	****	****	****	*	**
$N(1720)$	$3/2^+$	****	****	****	****			**	**	**	*
$N(1860)$	$5/2^+$	**		**						*	*
$N(1875)$	$3/2^-$	****	****	*			**	****	****		***
$N(1880)$	$1/2^+$	**	*	*		**		*			
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$	**	**	*	****			**	*		

Resonance	$J^P$	$M_{BW}$ [MeV]	$\Gamma_{BW}$ [MeV]	$\beta_{\eta N}$ [%]	$A_{1/2}$
$N(1535)$	$1/2^-$	$1528 \pm 6$	$163 \pm 25$	$41 \pm 4$	+115
****		$1535 \pm 10$	$150 \pm 25$	$42 \pm 10$	$+115 \pm 15$
$N(1650)$	$1/2^-$	$1634 \pm 5$	$128 \pm 16$	$28 \pm 11$	+45
****		$1655^{+15}_{-10}$	$140 \pm 30$	14-22	$+45 \pm 10$
$N(1895)$	$1/2^-$	$1890^{+9}_{-23}$	$150 \pm 57$	$20 \pm 6$	-30
**					



# Single $\eta$ production



Data and  $\eta$ MAID full solution



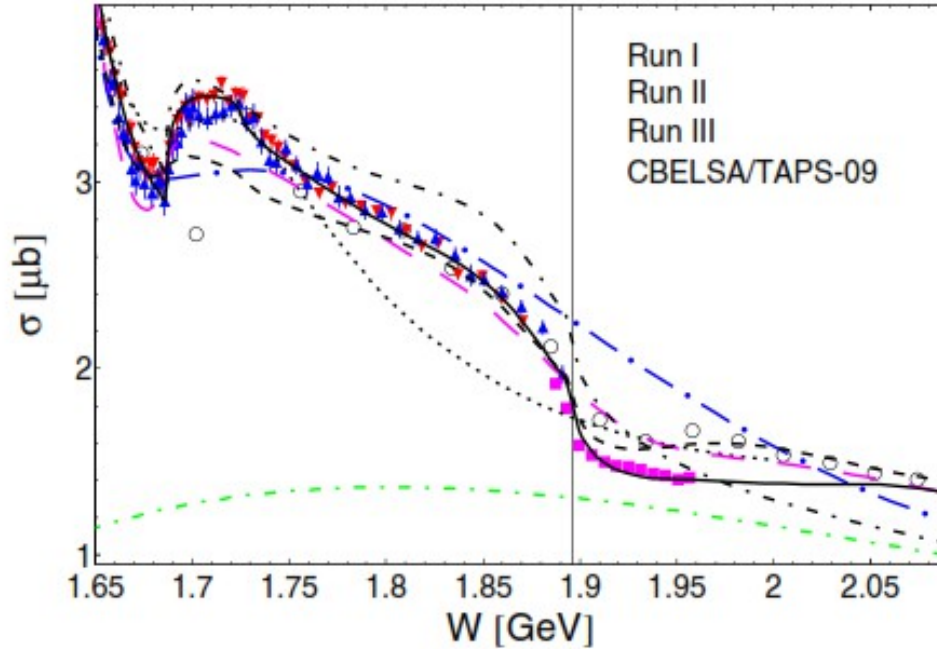


FIG. 6.  $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$  total cross sections from this Letter compared to the previous measurements by CBELSA/TAPS [5] and to model calculations by  $\eta$ MAID-2003 [13] (the black dotted line), SAID-GE09 [3] (the blue long-dashed-dotted line), BG2014-2 [8] (the magenta long-dashed line). The notation for the new  $\eta$ MAID2017 solution and the meaning of the error bars are the same as in Fig. 4. The Regge background and its sum with the contributions from  $N(1/2^-)$  resonances are shown by green and black dashed-dotted lines, respectively. The  $\eta$ MAID2017 solution from the fit only to the previous  $\eta$  and  $\eta'$  data is shown by the black dashed line. The vertical line corresponds to the  $\eta'$  threshold.

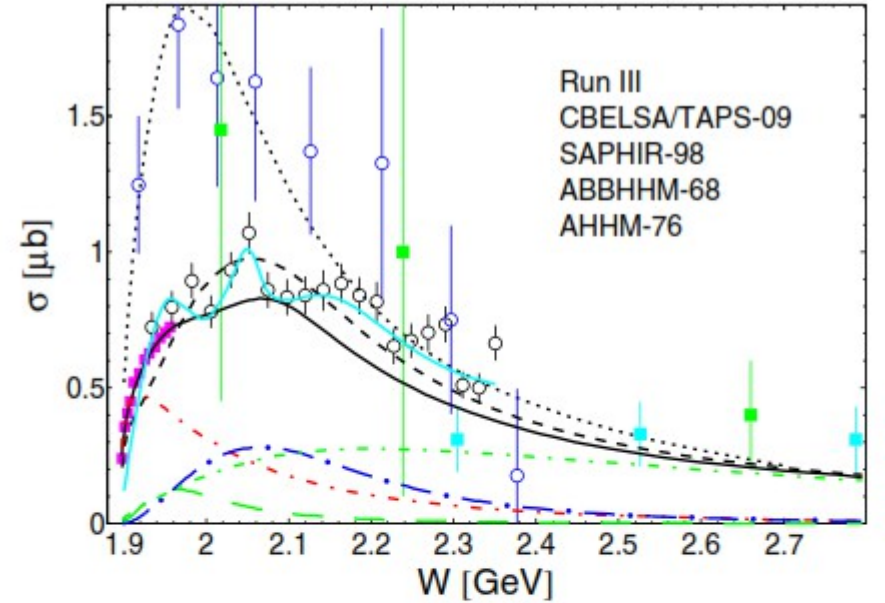
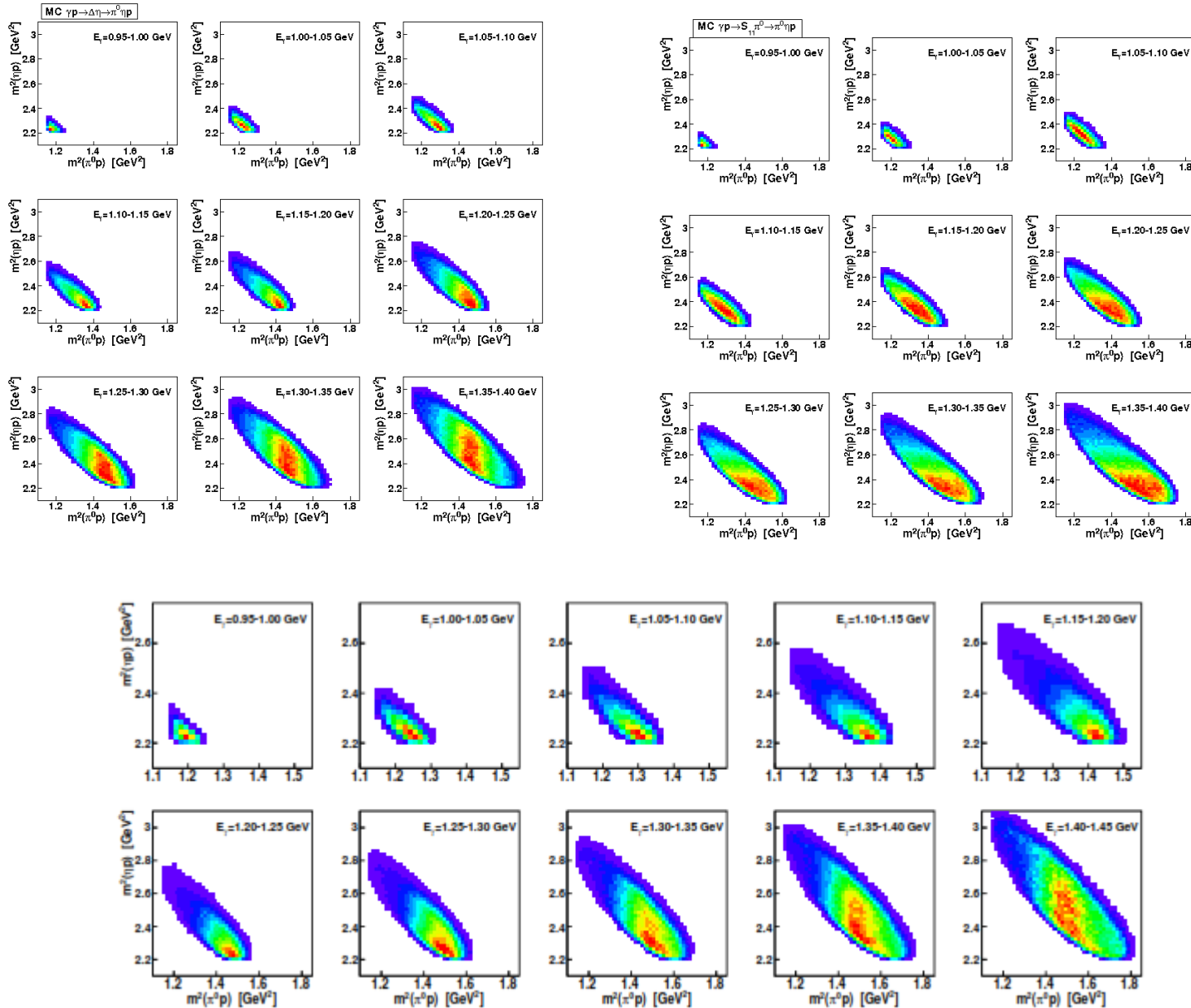


FIG. 7.  $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta' p$  total cross sections from this Letter compared to the previous measurements by CBELSA/TAPS [5], SAPHIR [32], ABBHHM [33], and AHHM [34], and to the model calculations by the  $\eta$ MAID-Regge-2003 [19] and  $\eta$ MAID2017 solutions (with the same notations as in Fig. 6 and statistical uncertainties shown for the previous measurements). The fit to the CBELSA/TAPS data from Ref. [35] is shown by the cyan solid line. For the final  $\eta$ MAID2017 solution, the individual contributions from  $N(1895)1/2^-$ ,  $N(1900)3/2^+$ , and  $N(2120)3/2^-$  are shown by the red dashed-dotted, green long-dashed, and blue long-dashed-dotted lines, respectively.

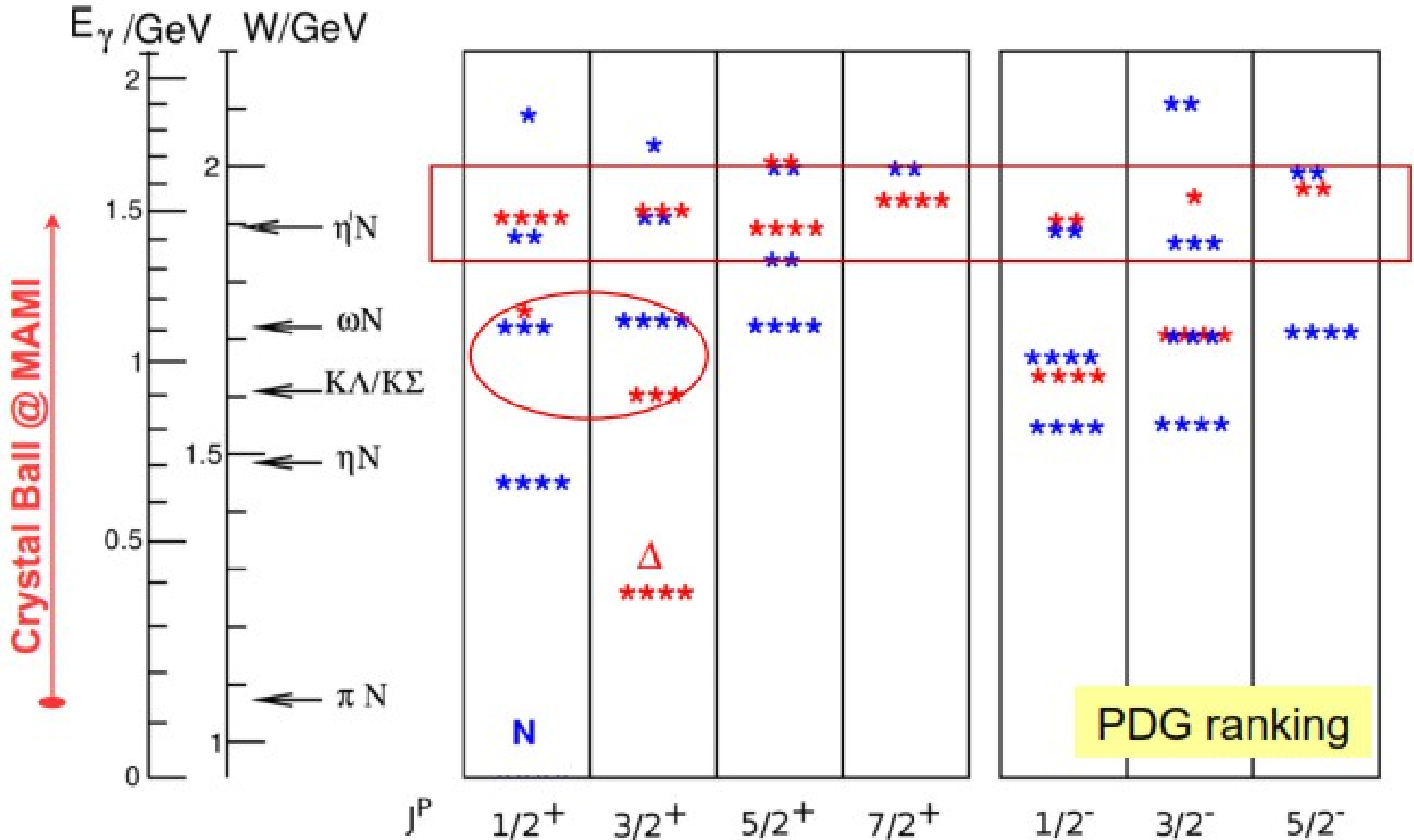
# $\pi^0\eta$ production



Strong contribution from  $\gamma p \rightarrow (D_{33}(1700)) \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\eta \rightarrow p\pi^0\eta$

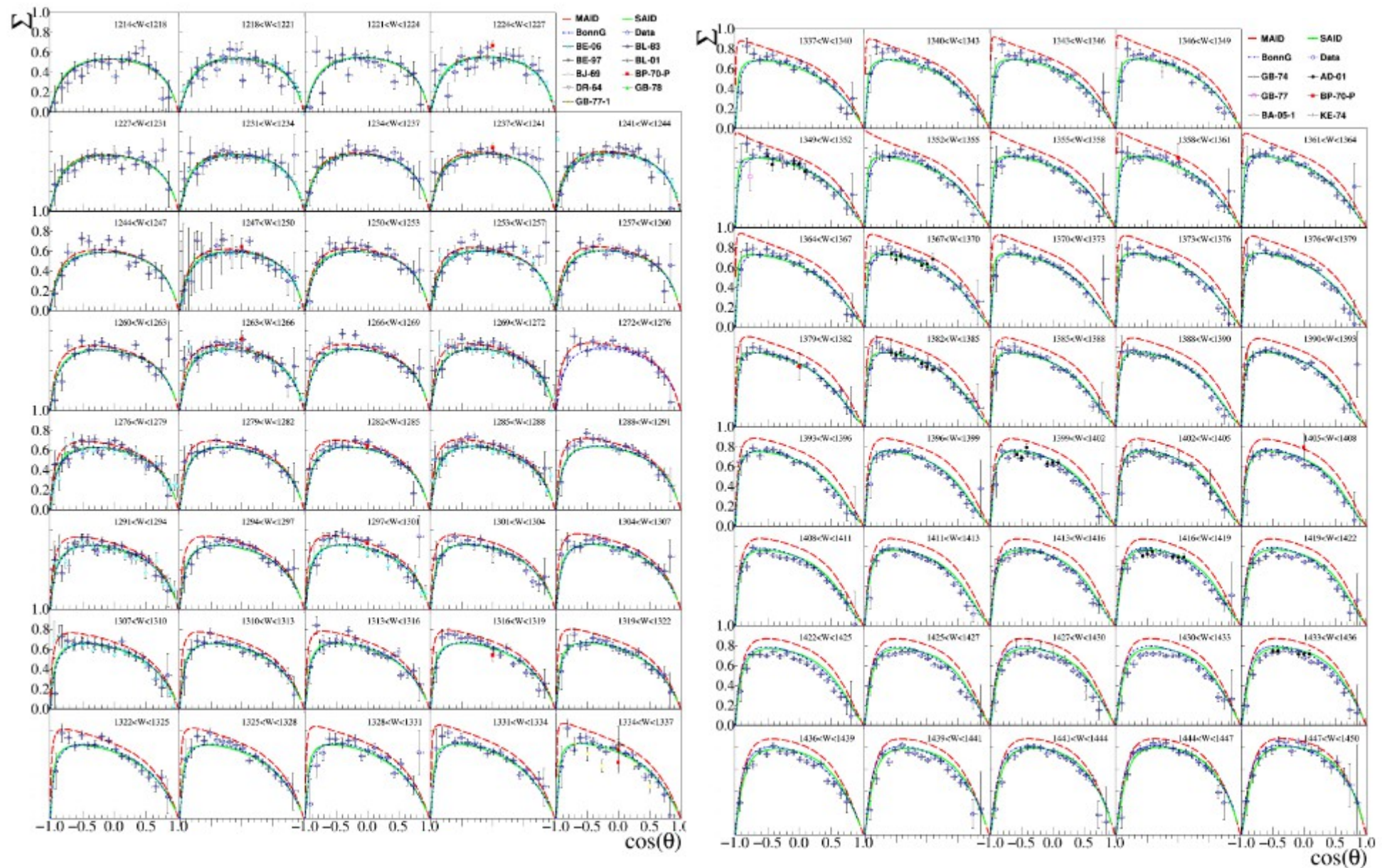
# Baryon resonances

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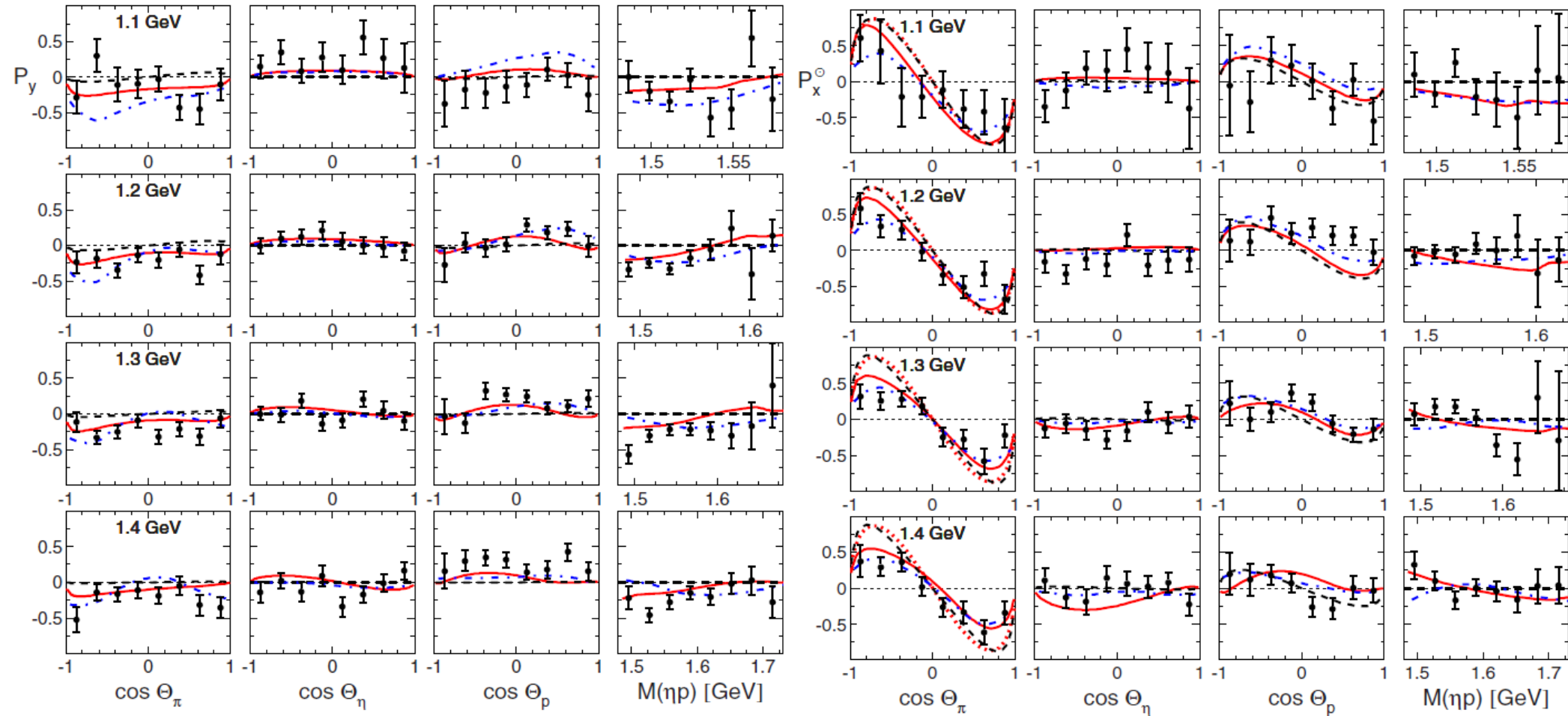


# Single $\pi^0$ production: beam asymmetry



Text and references will be added  
 → Interpretation within further partial wave analyses

# $\pi^0\eta$ production, single and double polarization

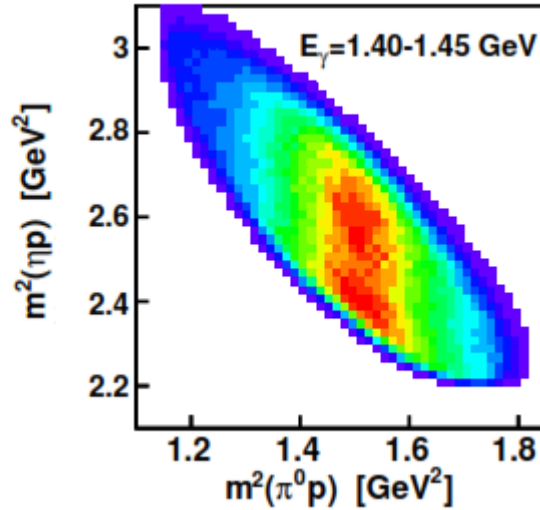


(Data are shown in a quasi two-body approach)

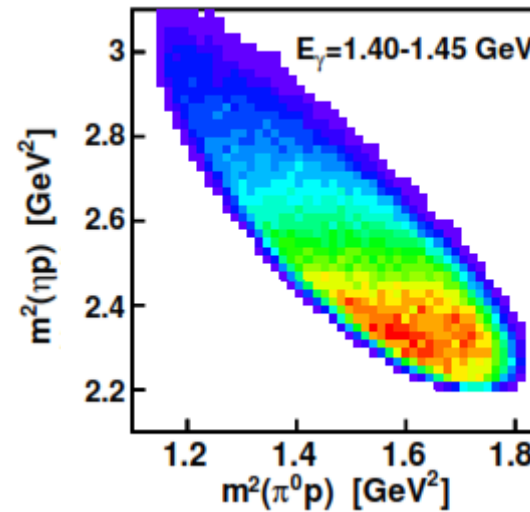
Dashed: only  $D_{33}$  wave, solid: A. Fix model, dashed-dotted BnGa PWA

# $\pi^0\eta$ production off the proton

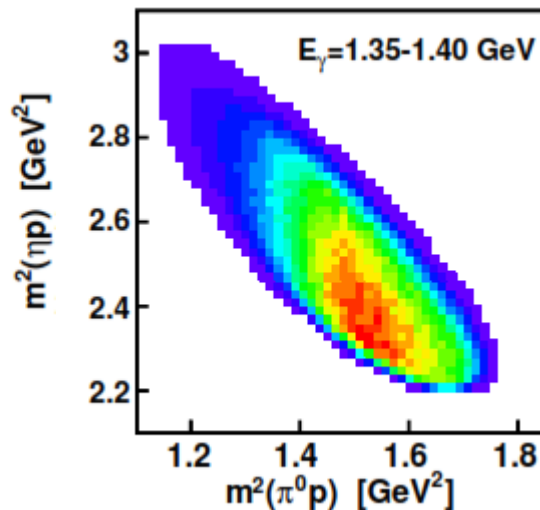
MC for  $\gamma p \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\eta$



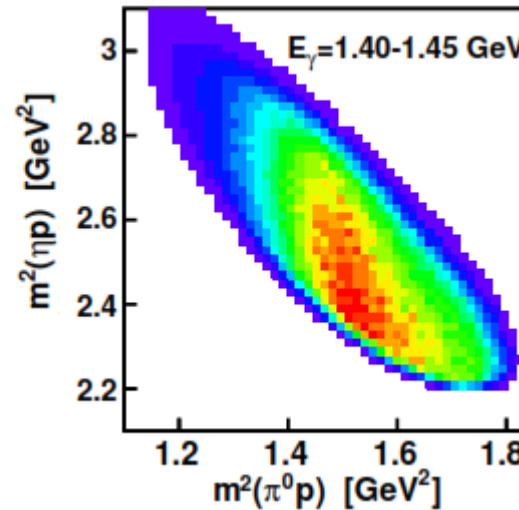
MC for  $\gamma p \rightarrow S_{11}\pi^0$



Data



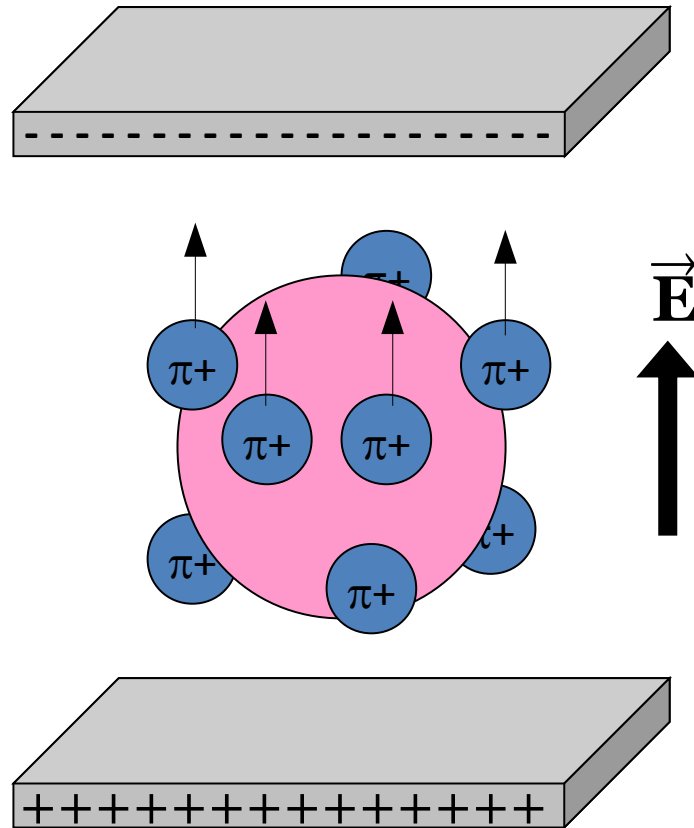
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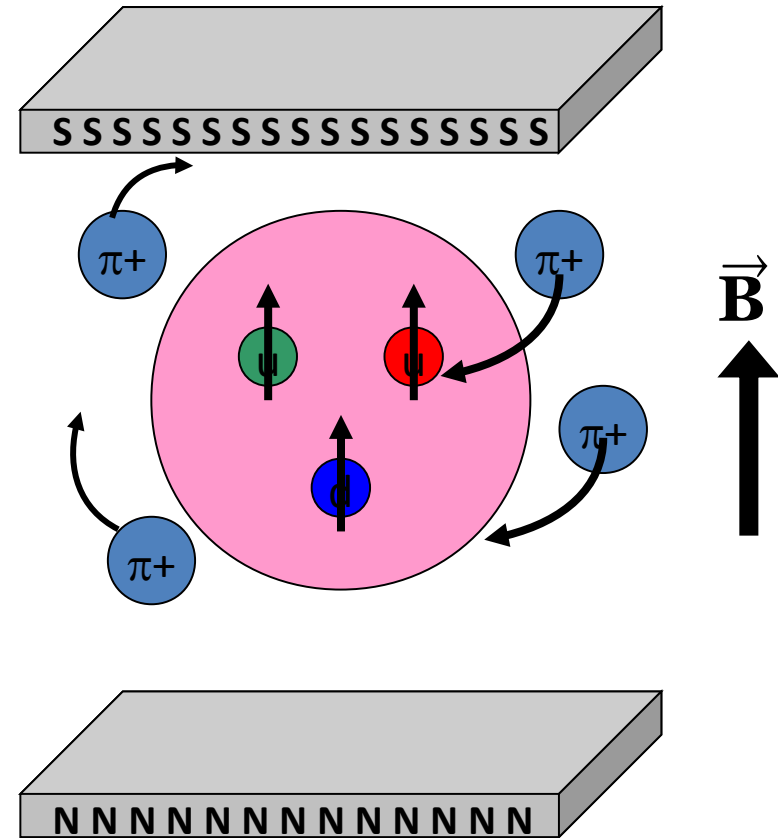
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# Scalar polarizabilities

## Proton Electric Polarizability



## Proton Magnetic Polarizability

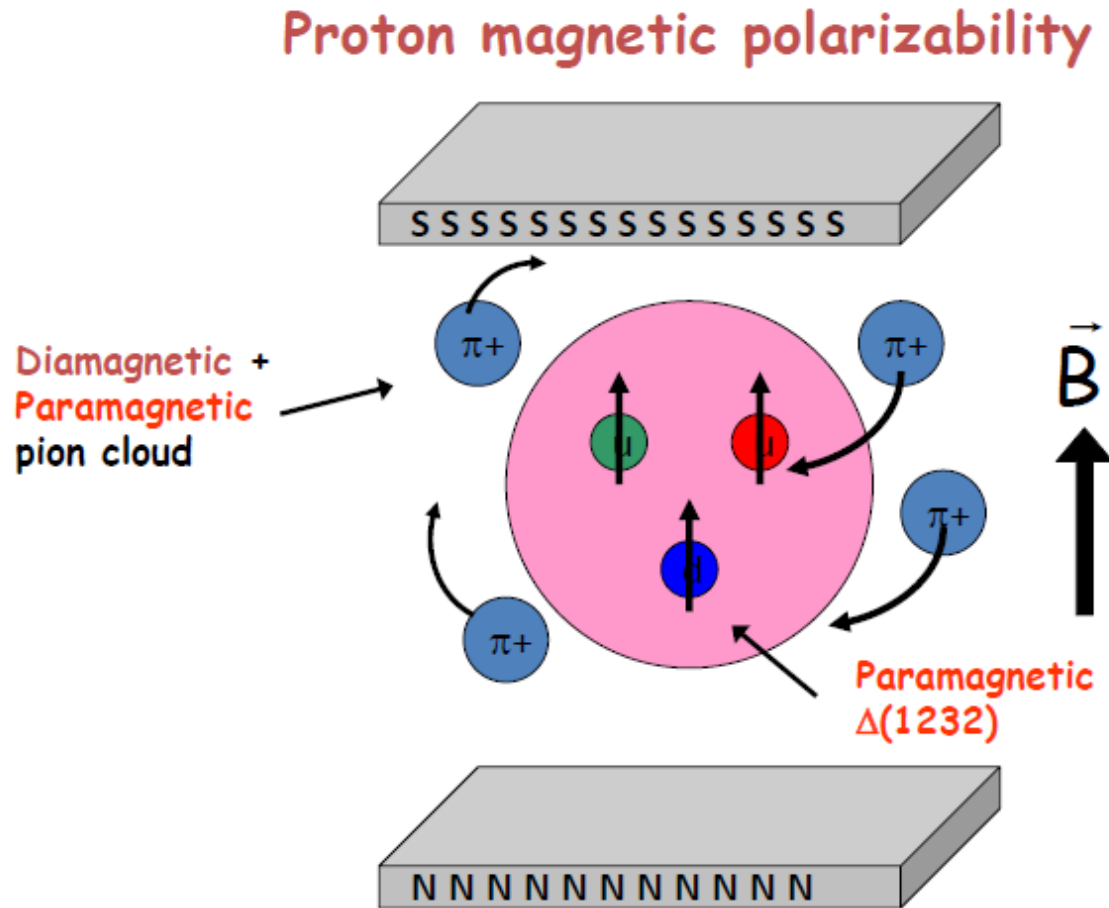


- $\alpha$ : electric polarizability
- Proton between charged parallel plates: “stretchability”

- $\beta$ : magnetic polarizability
- Proton between poles of a magnet: “alignability”



# First look in December 2012 data



Magnetic polarizability: proton between poles of a magnetic

# Rory Miskimen (Bosen 2009)

# Measurement of $\alpha$ and $\beta$

$$\Sigma_3 = \Sigma_3^{(B)} - \frac{4M\omega^2 \cos \theta \sin^2 \theta}{\alpha_{em}(1 + \cos^2 \theta)^2} \beta_{M1} + O(\omega^4), \quad (6)$$

where  $\Sigma_3^{(B)}$  is the pure Born contribution, while

$$\omega = \frac{s - M^2 + \frac{1}{2}t}{\sqrt{4M^2 - t}}, \quad \theta = \arccos \left( 1 + \frac{t}{2\omega^2} \right) \quad (7)$$

are the photon energy and scattering angle in the Breit (brick-wall) reference frame. In fact, to this order in the LEX the formula is valid for  $\omega$  and  $\theta$  being the energy and angle in the lab or center-of-mass frame.

Beam	Target				Recoil			Target + Recoil			
	—	—	—	—	$x'$	$y'$	$z'$	$x'$	$x'$	$z'$	$z'$
	—	$x$	$y$	$z$	—	—	—	$x$	$z$	$x$	$z$
unpolarized	$\sigma_0$	0	$T$	0	0	$P$	0	$T_{x'}$	$-L_{x'}$	$T_{z'}$	$L_{z'}$
linear pol.	$-\Sigma$	$H$	$(-P)$	$-G$	$O_{x'}$	$(-T)$	$O_{z'}$	$(-L_{z'})$	$(T_{z'})$	$(-L_{x'})$	$(-T_{x'})$
circular pol.	0	$F$	0	$-E$	$-C_{x'}$	0	$-C_{z'}$	0	0	0	0

# Baryon resonances

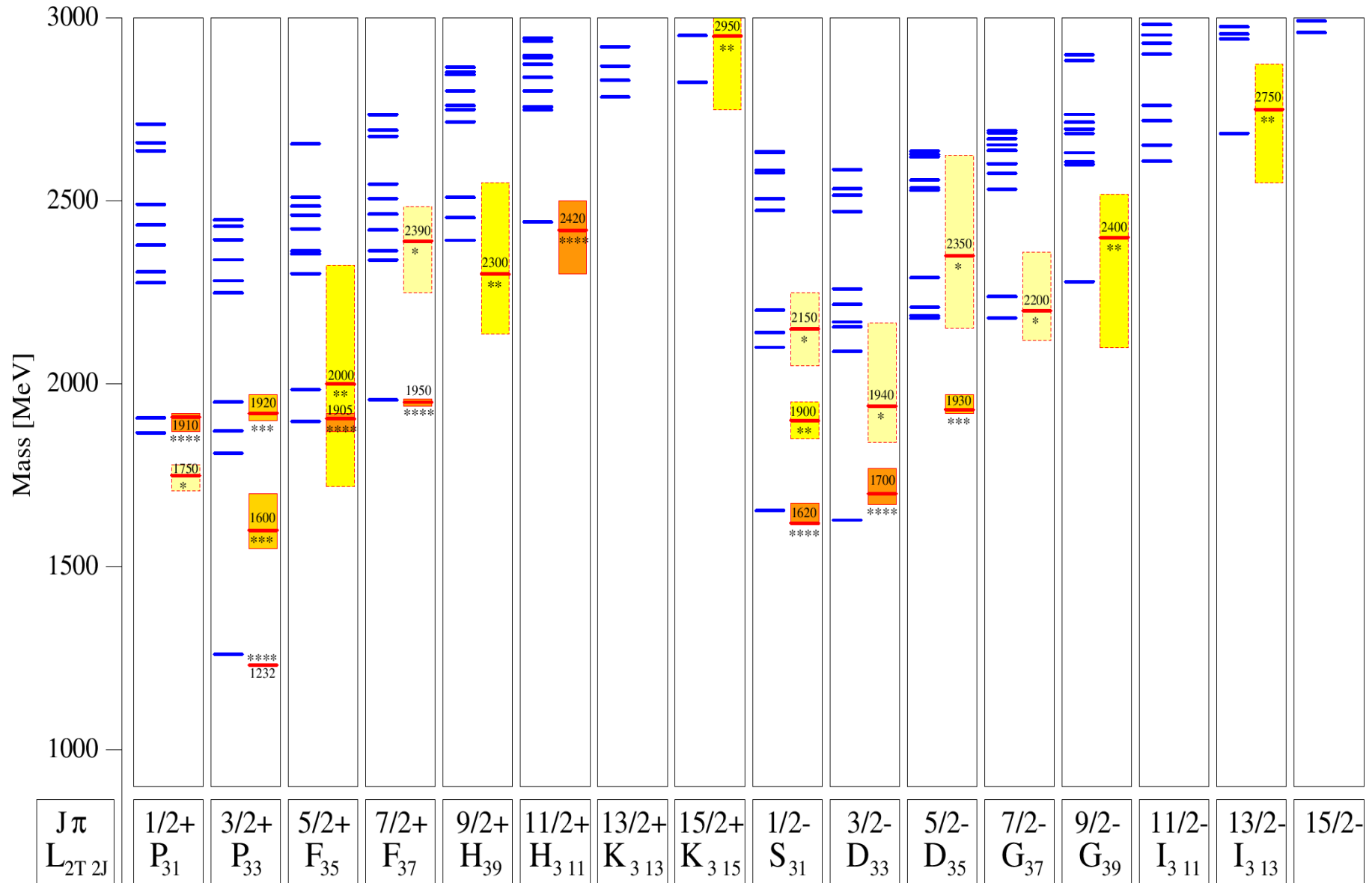
56	S=1/2;L=0;N=0	$N_{1/2+}$ (939)	939 MeV
	S=3/2;L=0;N=0	$\Delta_{3/2+}$ (1232)	1232 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=1;N=0	$N_{1/2-}$ (1535) $N_{3/2-}$ (1520)	1530 MeV
	S=3/2;L=1;N=0	$N_{1/2-}$ (1650) $N_{3/2-}$ (1700) $N_{5/2-}$ (1675)	1631 MeV
	S=1/2;L=1;N=0	$\Delta_{1/2-}$ (1620) $\Delta_{3/2-}$ (1700)	1631 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=1;N=2	$N_{1/2-}$ (2090) $N_{3/2-}$ (2080)	2151 MeV
	S=3/2;L=1;N=2	$N_{1/2-}$ $N_{3/2-}$ $N_{5/2-}$	2223 MeV
	S=1/2;L=1;N=2	$\Delta_{1/2-}$ (2150) $\Delta_{3/2-}$	2223 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=1;N=1	$N_{1/2-}$ $N_{3/2-}$	1779 MeV
	S=3/2;L=1;N=1	$\Delta_{1/2-}$ (1900) $\Delta_{3/2-}$ (1940) $\Delta_{5/2-}$ (1930)	1950 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=2;N=0	$N_{3/2+}$ (1720) $N_{5/2+}$ (1620)	1779 MeV
	S=3/2;L=2;N=0	$\Delta_{1/2+}$ (1910) $\Delta_{3/2+}$ (1920) $\Delta_{5/2+}$ (1905) $\Delta_{7/2+}$ (1950)	1950 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=2;N=0	$N_{3/2+}$ $N_{5/2+}$	1866 MeV
	S=3/2;L=2;N=0	$N_{1/2+}$ $N_{3/2+}$ (1900) $N_{5/2+}$ (2000) $N_{7/2+}$ (1990)	1950 MeV
	S=1/2;L=2;N=0	$\Delta_{3/2+}$ $\Delta_{5/2+}$	1950 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=3;N=0	$N_{5/2-}$ $N_{7/2-}$	2151 MeV
	S=3/2;L=3;N=0	$N_{3/2-}$ $N_{5/2-}$ (2200) $N_{7/2-}$ (2190) $N_{9/2-}$ (2250)	2223 MeV
	S=1/2;L=3;N=0	$\Delta_{5/2-}$ $\Delta_{7/2-}$ (2200)	2223 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=3;N=1	$N_{5/2-}$ $N_{7/2-}$	2334 MeV
	S=3/2;L=3;N=1	$\Delta_{3/2-}$ $\Delta_{5/2-}$ (2350) $\Delta_{7/2-}$ $\Delta_{9/2-}$ (2400)	2467 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=4;N=0	$N_{7/2+}$ $N_{9/2+}$ (2220)	2334 MeV
	S=3/2;L=4;N=0	$\Delta_{5/2+}$ $\Delta_{7/2+}$ (2390) $\Delta_{9/2+}$ (2300) $\Delta_{11/2+}$ (2420)	2467 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=5;N=0	$N_{9/2-}$ $N_{11/2-}$ (2600)	2629 MeV
56	S=3/2;L=5;N=1	$\Delta_{7/2-}$ $\Delta_{9/2-}$ $\Delta_{11/2-}$ $\Delta_{13/2-}$ (2750)	2893 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=6;N=0	$N_{11/2+}$ $N_{13/2+}$ (2700)	2781 MeV
	S=3/2;L=6;N=0	$\Delta_{9/2+}$ $\Delta_{11/2+}$ $\Delta_{13/2+}$ $\Delta_{15/2+}$ (2950)	2893 MeV
70	S=1/2;L=7;N=0	$N_{13/2-}$ $N_{15/2-}$	3033 MeV
56	S=3/2;L=7;N=1	$\Delta_{11/2-}$ $\Delta_{13/2-}$ $\Delta_{15/2-}$ $\Delta_{17/2-}$	3264 MeV
56	S=1/2;L=8;N=0	$N_{15/2+}$ $N_{17/2+}$	3165 MeV
	S=3/2;L=8;N=0	$\Delta_{13/2+}$ $\Delta_{15/2+}$ $\Delta_{17/2+}$ $\Delta_{19/2+}$	3264 MeV

Table 20: Multiplet structure of nucleon and  $\Delta$  resonances. The table contains all known resonances except radial excitations of the  $N_{1/2+}$  (939) and  $\Delta_{3/2+}$  (1232).



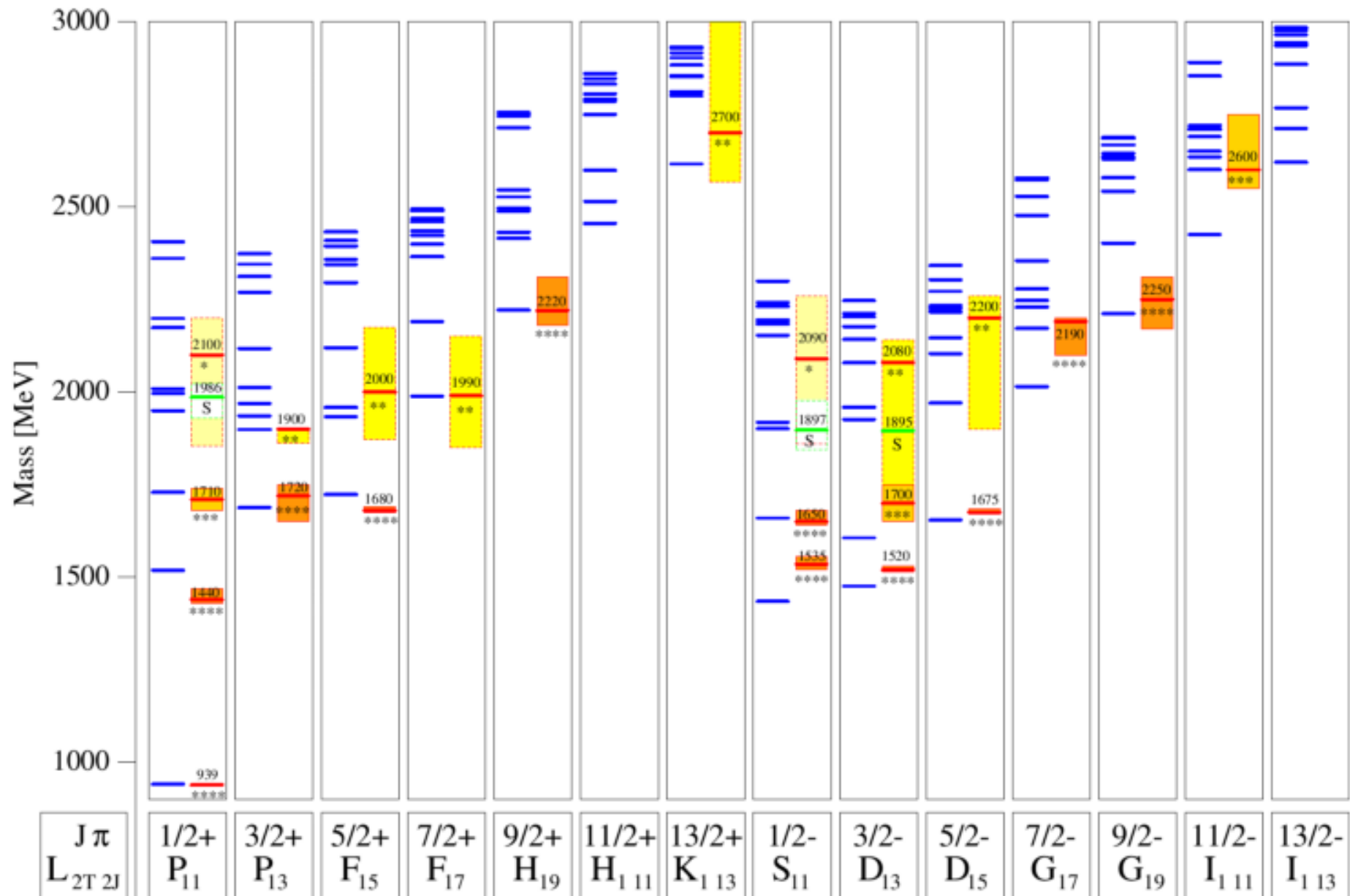
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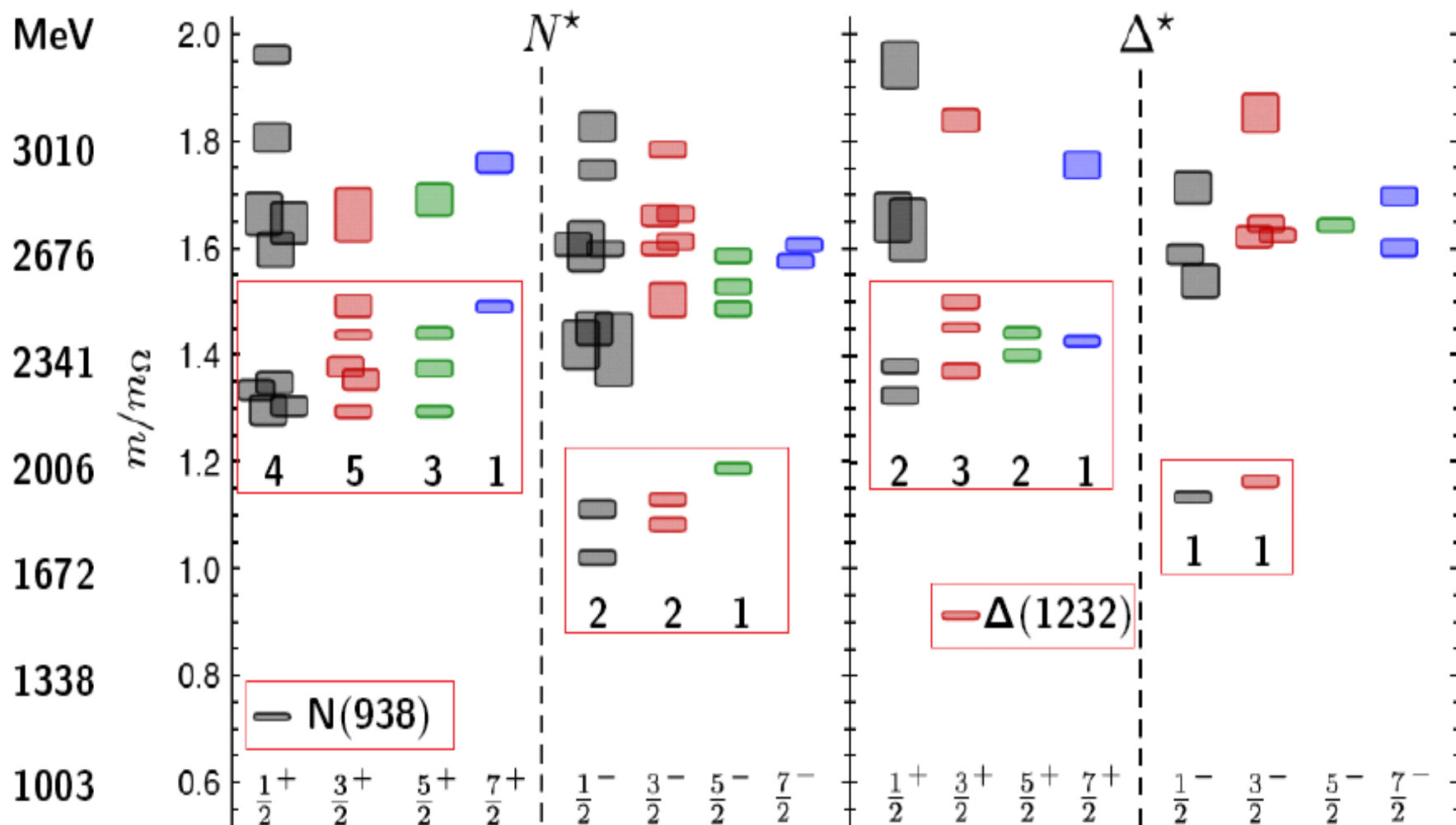


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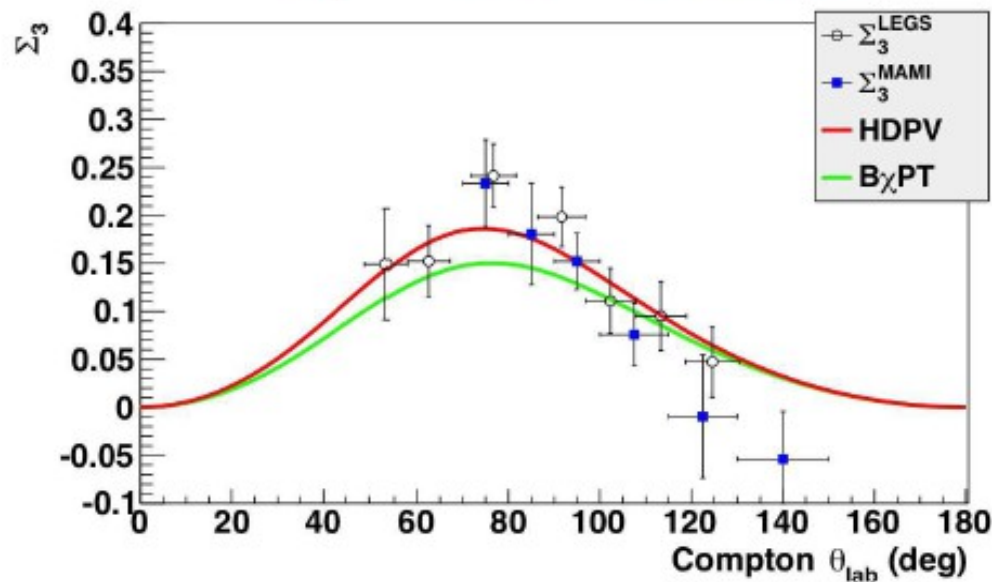
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R. G. Edwards et al., Phys. Rev. D 84, 074508 (2011)

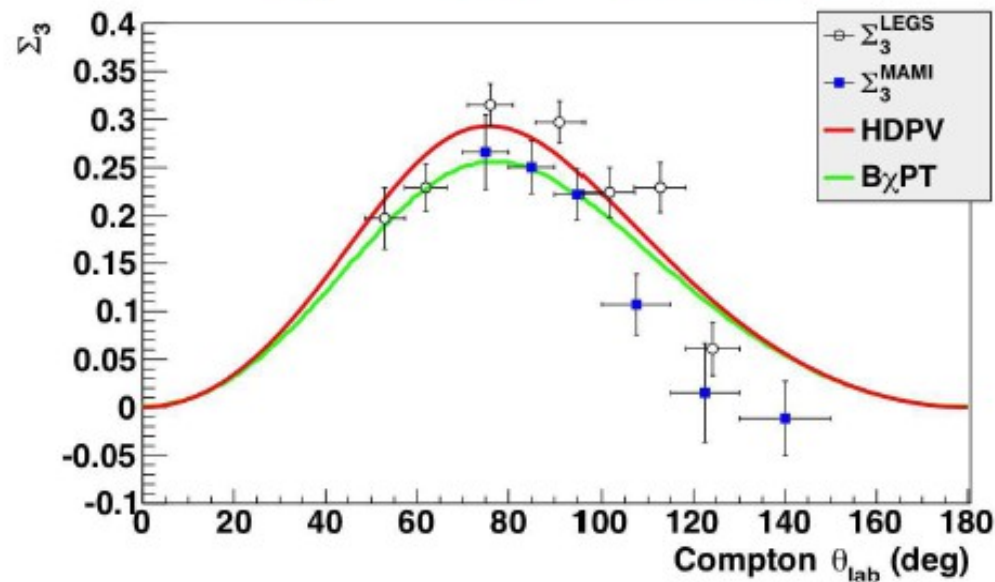


# Spin polarizabilities

$E_\gamma = 267 - 282 \text{ MeV}$



$E_\gamma = 286 - 307 \text{ MeV}$

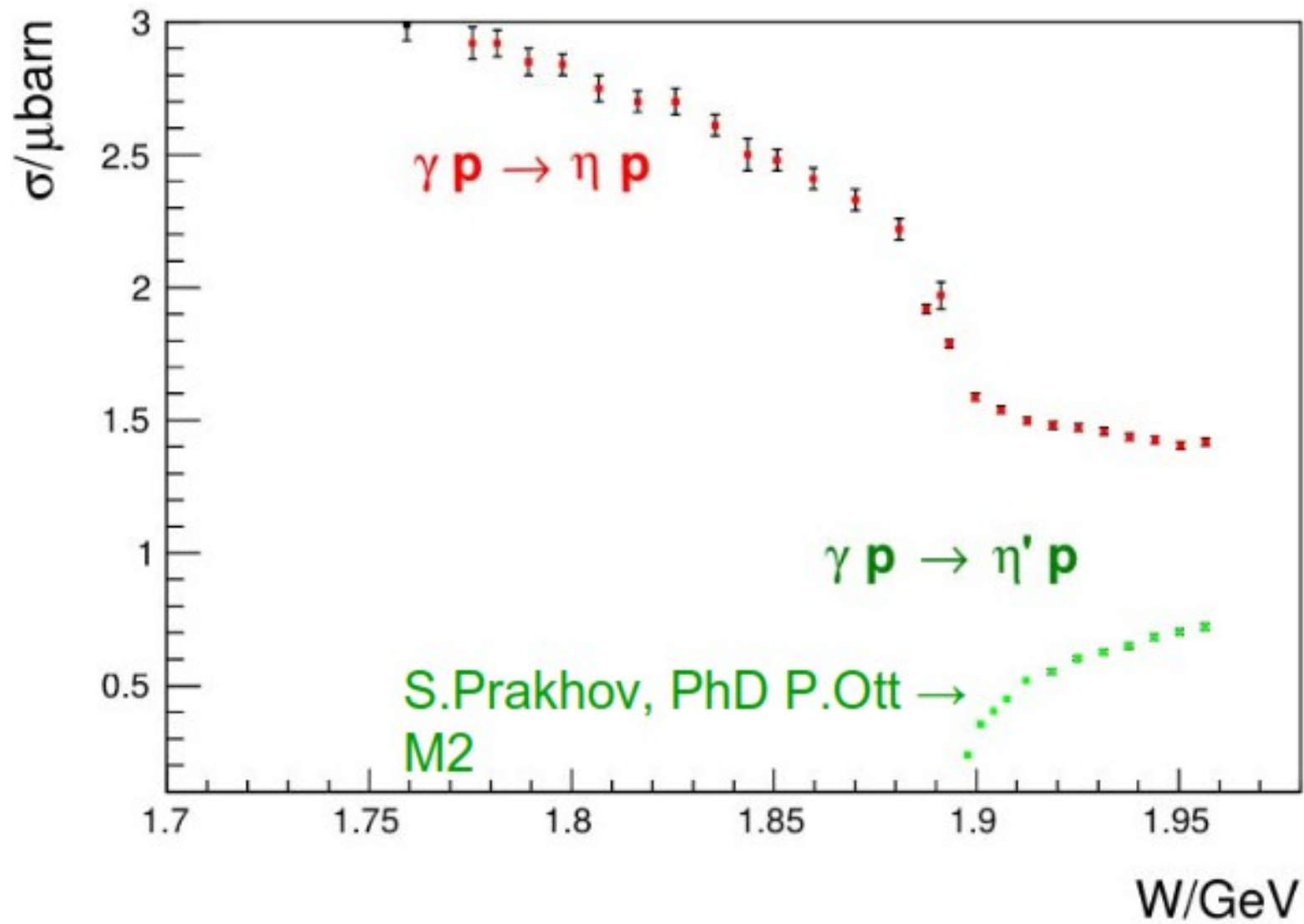


- Recent data (MAMI) and older data (LEGS) are shown along with Dispersion Relation (HDPV) and ChPT (B $\chi$ PT) predictions.

G. M. Huber, C. Collicott, arXiv:1508.07919 (2015)



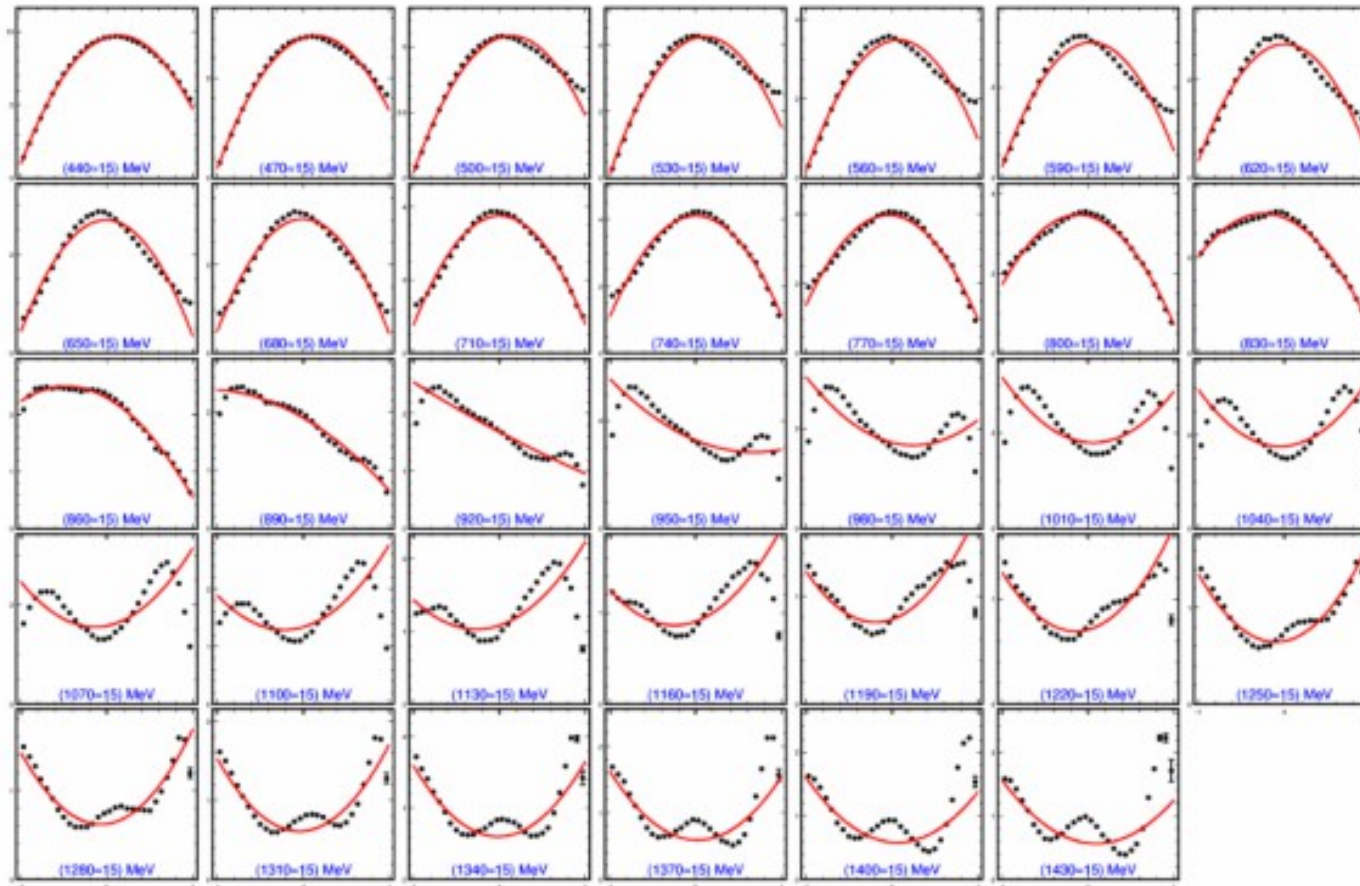
# N(1895)1/2-



# Single pion production

## Legendre expansion of the diff. cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sum_{k=0}^{2\ell_{max}} A_k^{\sigma}(W) P_k(\cos\theta) \quad \ell_{max} = 1$$

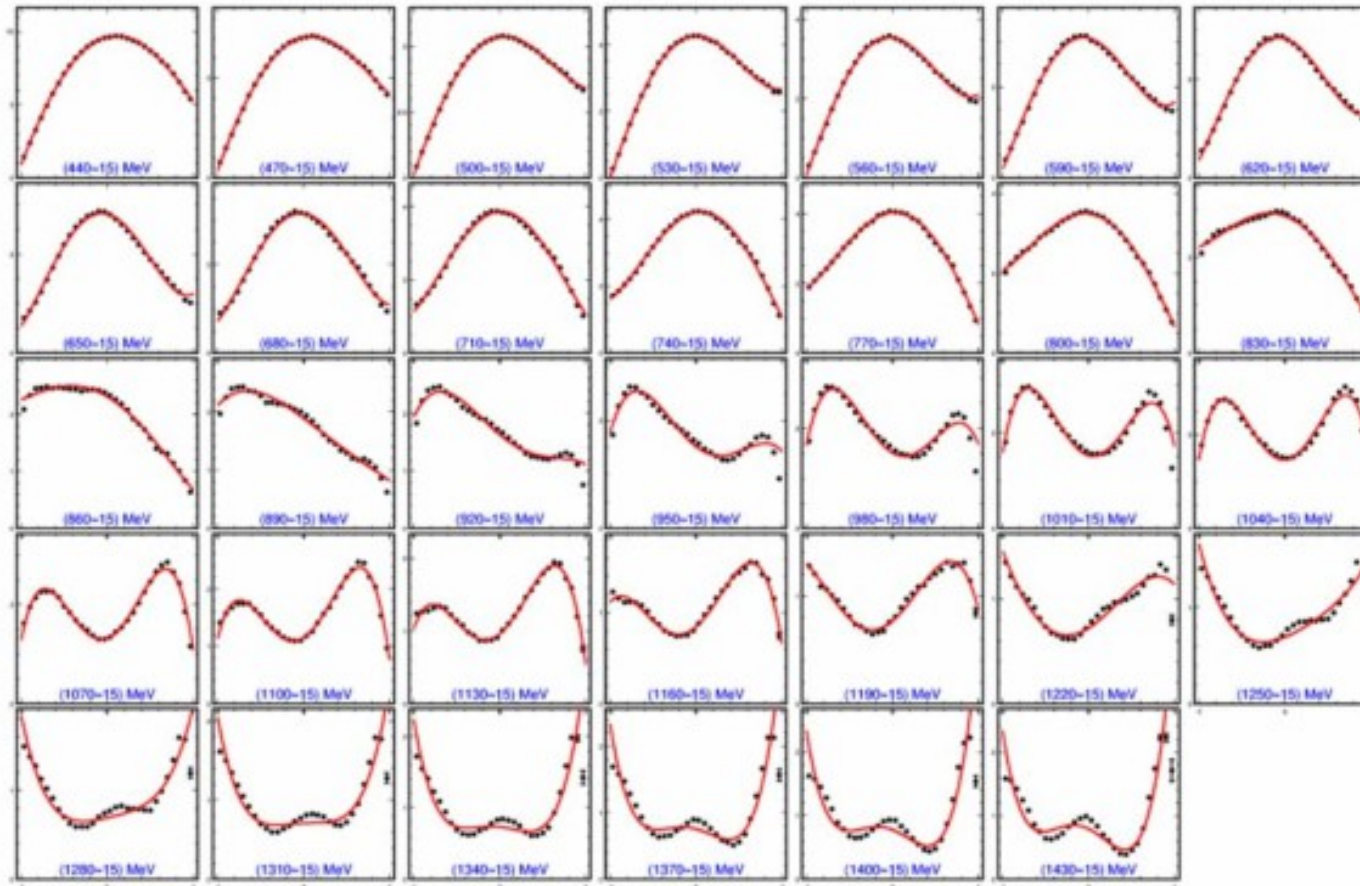


S+P waves are only good up to about 400 MeV

# Single pion production

## Legendre expansion of the diff. cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sum_{k=0}^{2\ell_{max}} A_k^\sigma(W) P_k(\cos\theta) \quad \ell_{max} = 2$$



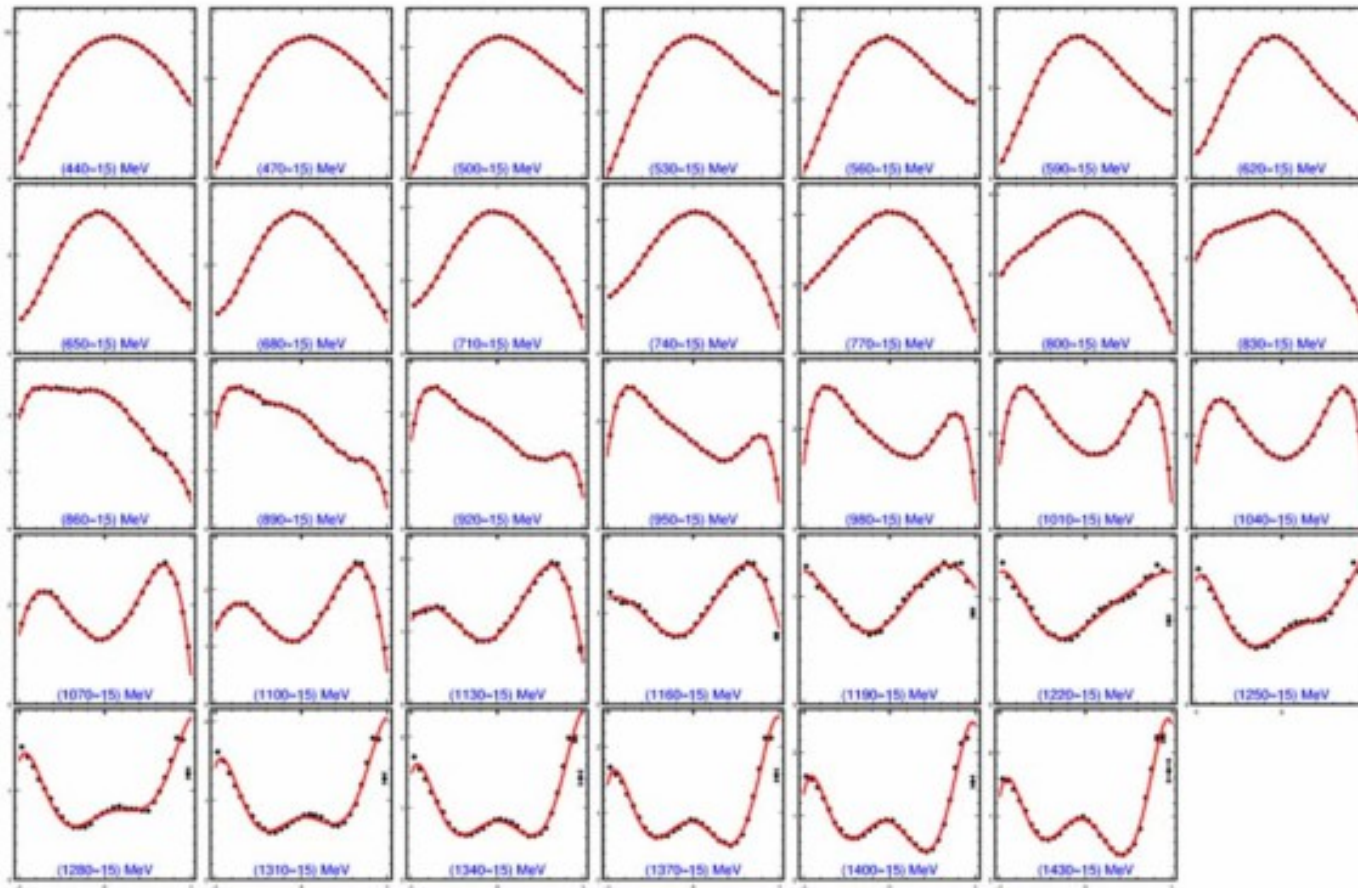
S+P+D waves are good up to about 850 MeV



# Single pion production

## Legendre expansion of the diff. cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sum_{k=0}^{2\ell_{max}} A_k^{\sigma}(W) P_k(\cos\theta) \quad \ell_{max} = 3$$



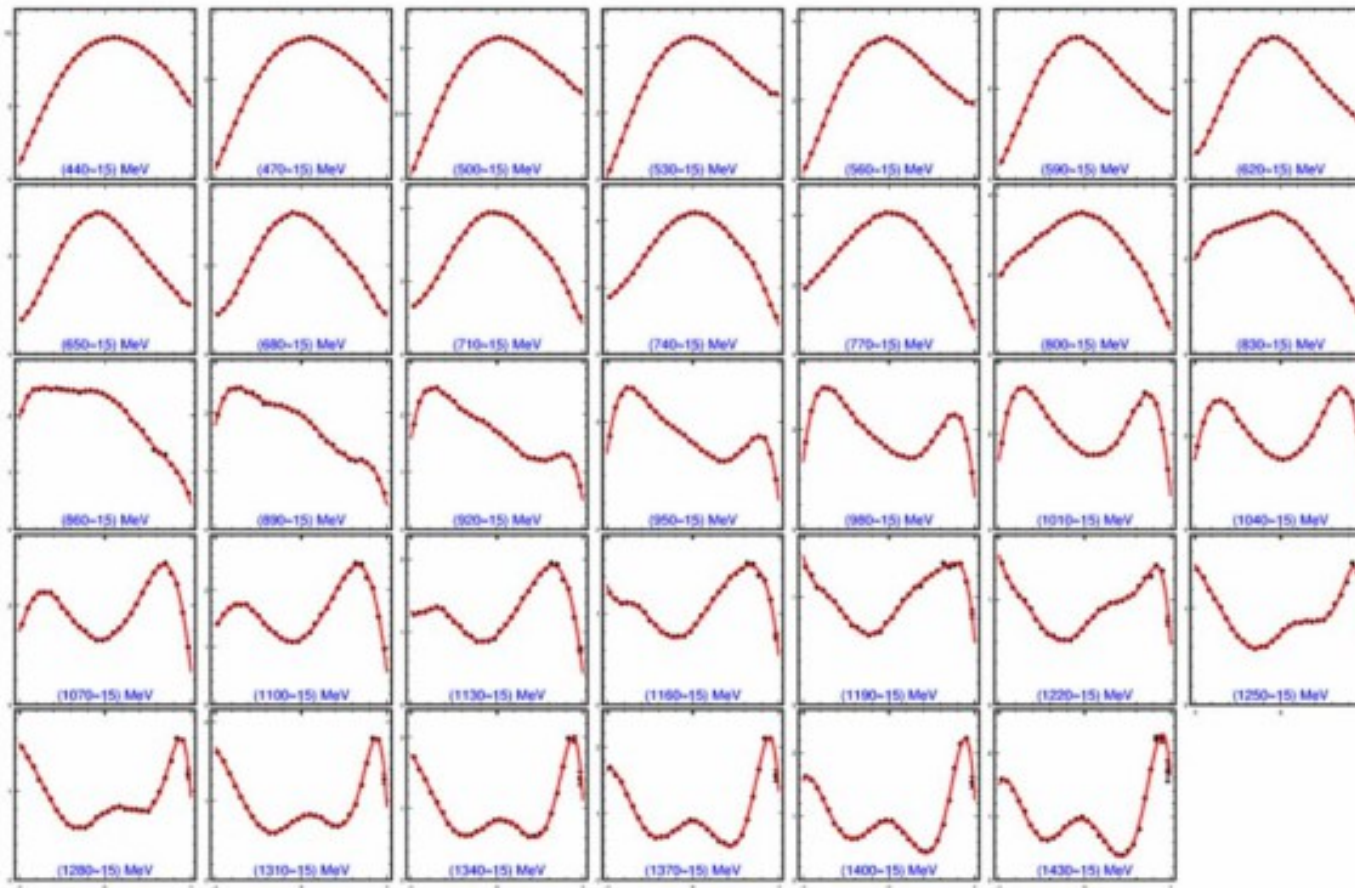
F waves become important around 1 GeV



# Single pion production

## Legendre expansion of the diff. cross section

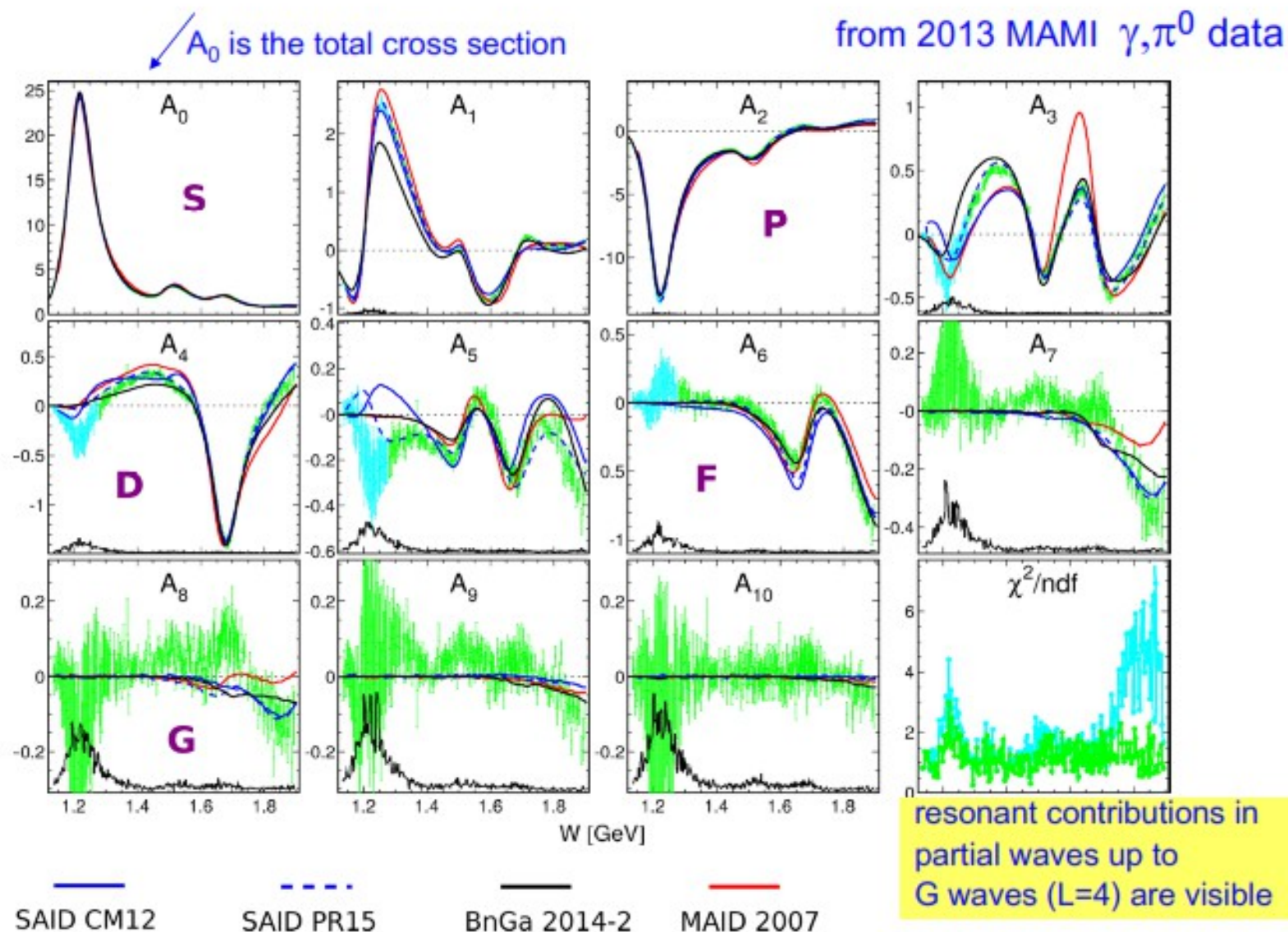
$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \sum_{k=0}^{2\ell_{max}} A_k^{\sigma}(W) P_k(\cos\theta) \quad \ell_{max} = 4$$



around 1.2 GeV also G waves become clearly visible in forward direction

# Single pion production

## Legendre expansion of differential cross section





# Polarized target (slide taken from R. Miskimen)

## Frozen spin target

- 2 cm butanol
- target polarized at 25 mK
- 0.6 T holding field
- $P \sim 90\%$
- $> 1000$  hours relaxation time

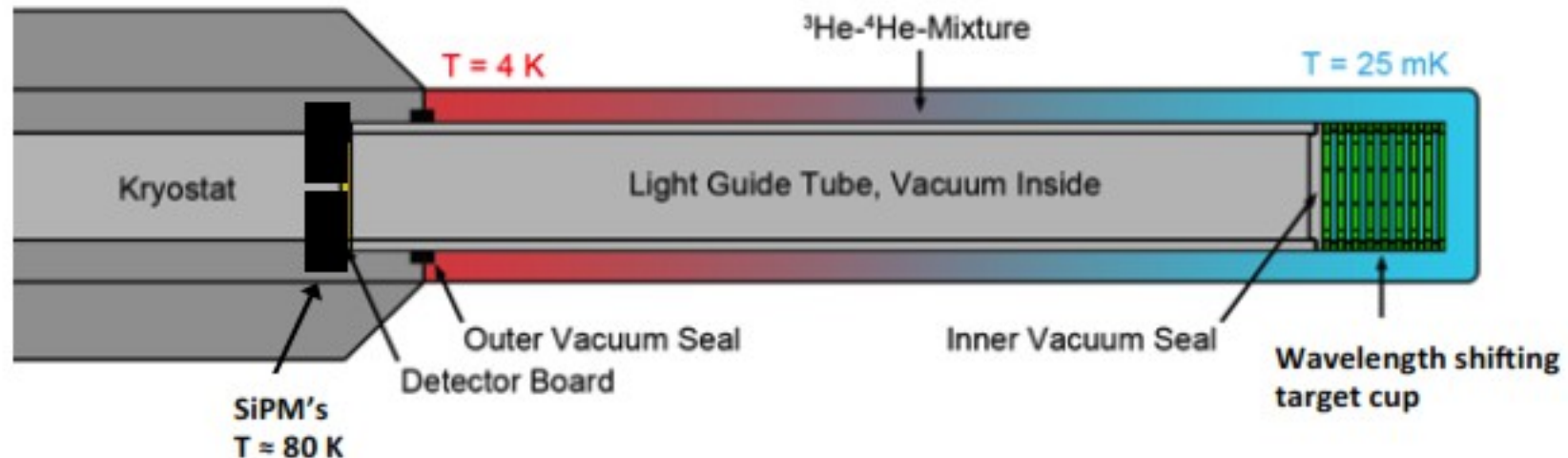
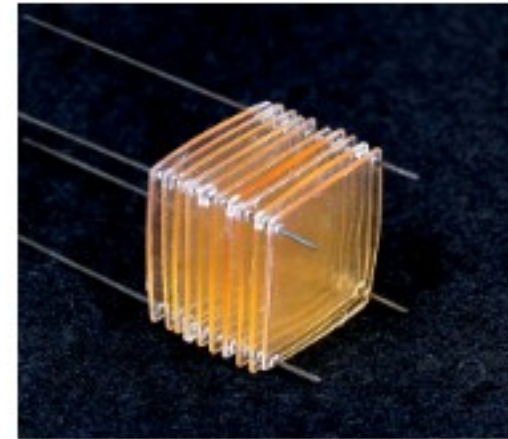


# Polarized active target (slide taken from R. Miskimen)

## Development of a scintillating polarized target for Mainz

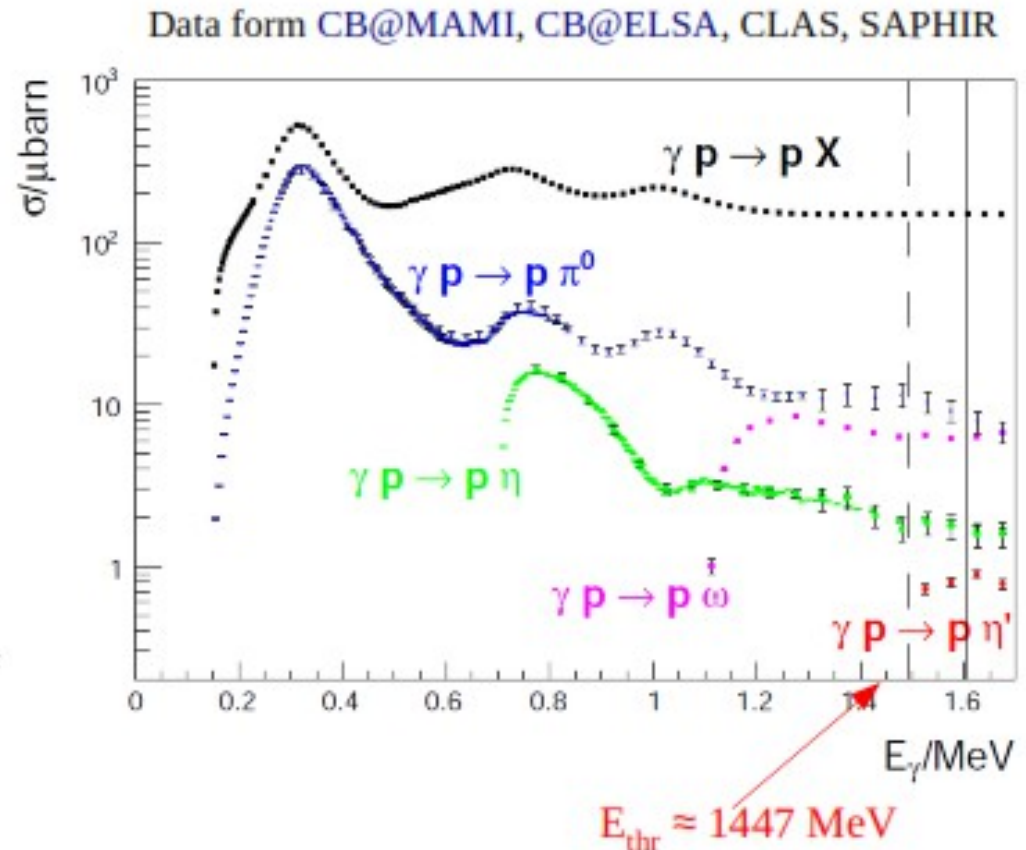
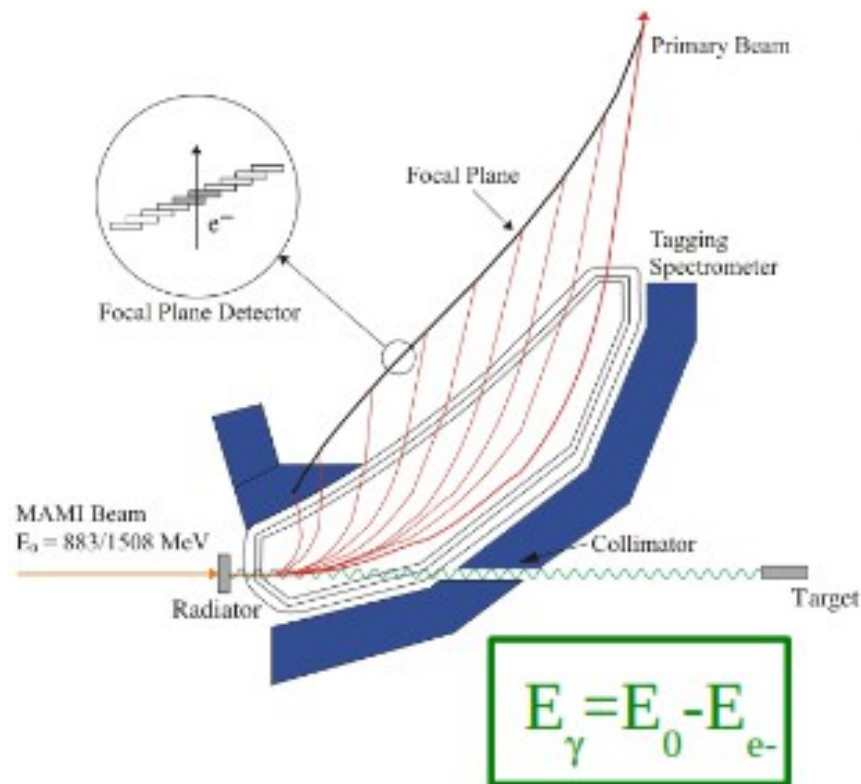
Needed for double-polarized Compton scattering measurements near pion threshold

- **Polarizable scintillator developed at UMass**
  - ✓ Proton polarization  $\approx 70\%$
  - ✓ Relaxation time  $\approx 22$  hours
  - ✓ Light output  $\approx 30\%$  of standard plastic scintillator
  - ✓ High clarity for thicknesses up to 1 mm





# Polarized active target (slide taken from M. Unverzagt)



*High energy resolution:*  $\Delta E_\gamma \approx 2 \text{ MeV}$  at  $E_{e^-} = 883 \text{ MeV}$

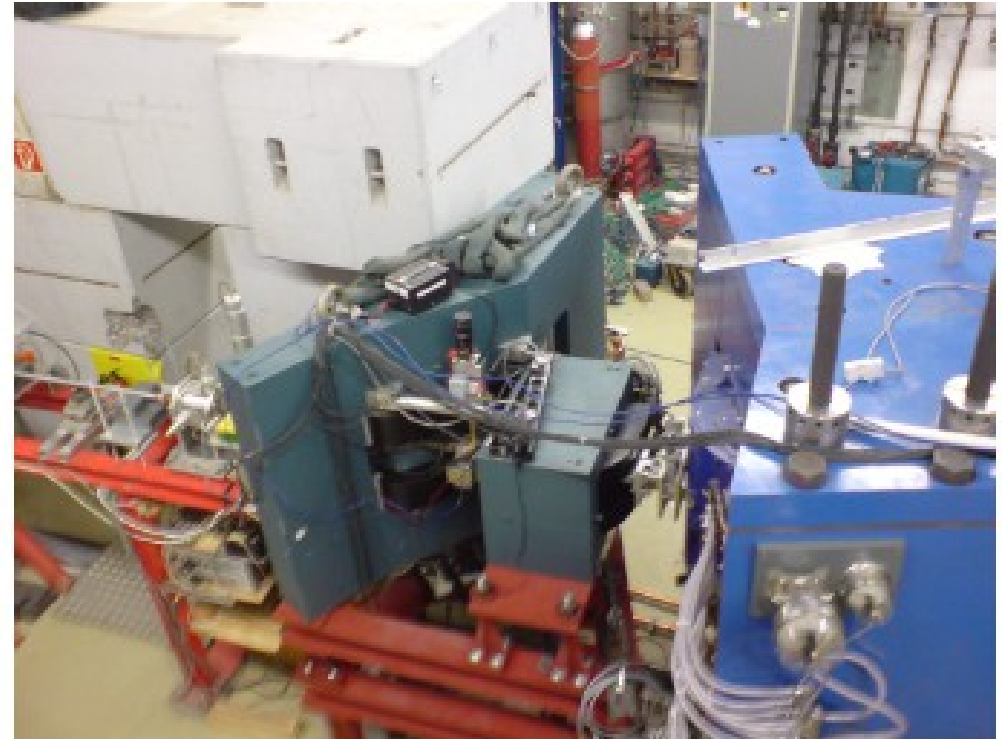
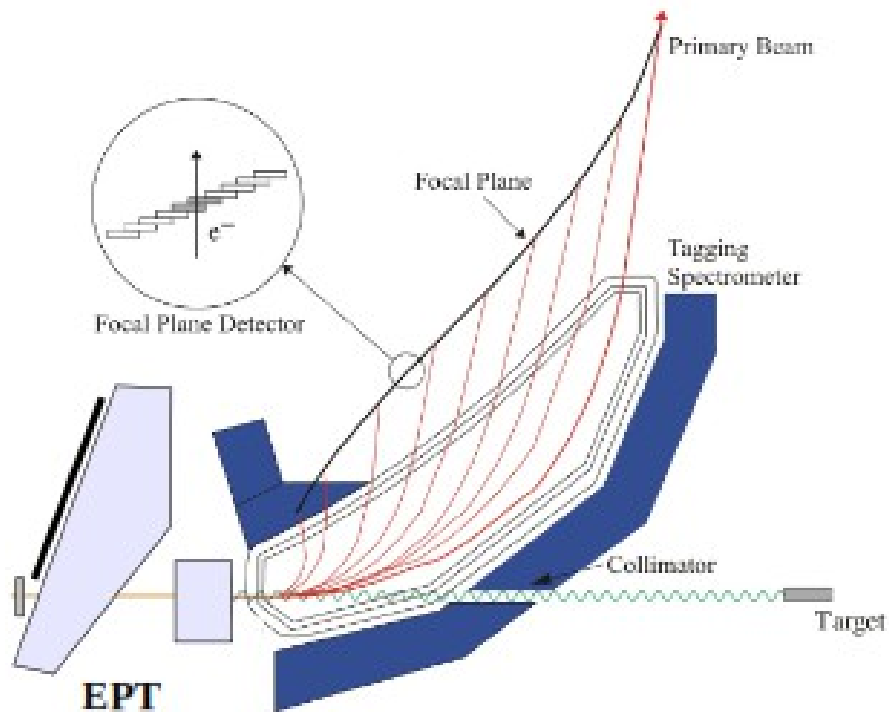
$\Delta E_\gamma \approx 4 \text{ MeV}$  at  $E_{e^-} = 1558 \text{ MeV}$

Linearly and circularly polarised photon-beam

Tagging range: 5.1 to 93% of  $E_\gamma \rightarrow$  Maximum energy tagged for  $E_0 = 1604 \text{ MeV}$  is  $1491 \text{ MeV}$

# EPT (slide taken from M. Unverzagt)

- Installation of EPT during 2012



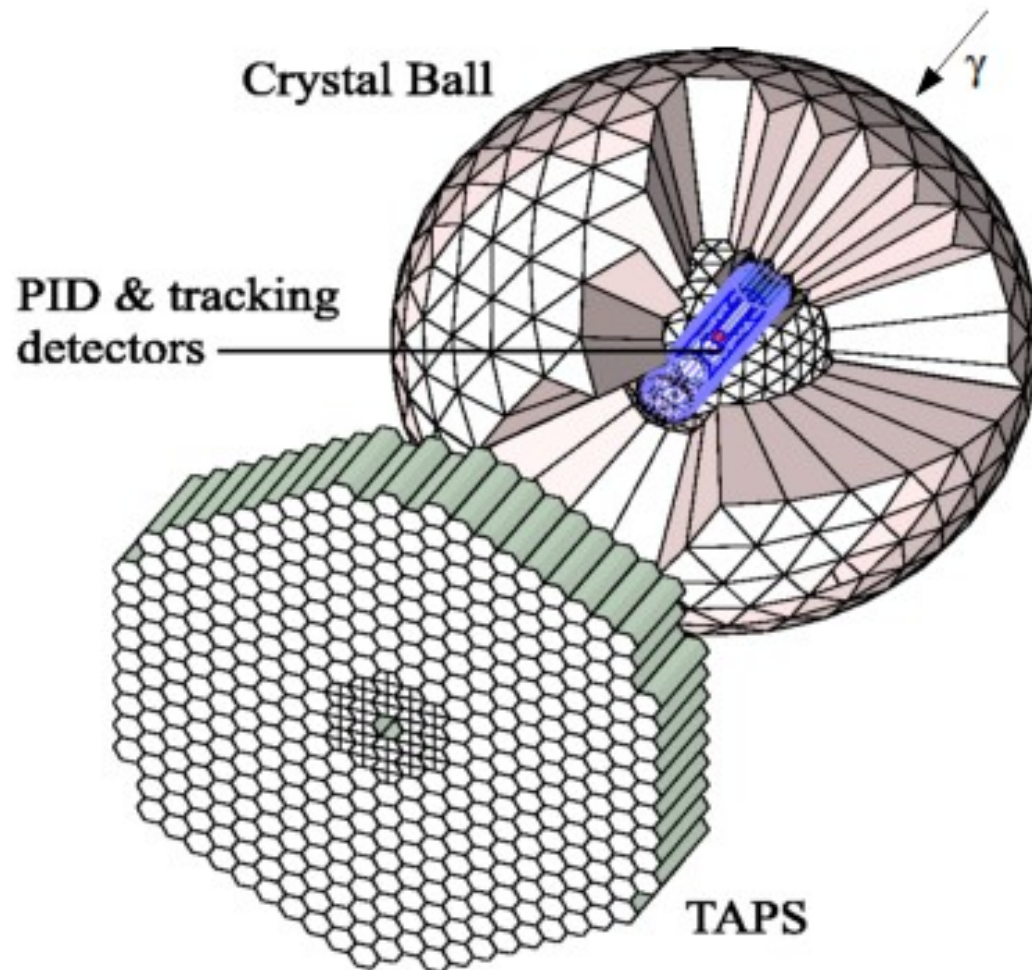
Same working principle as main tagging spectrometer

$E_\gamma \approx 1445-1595 \text{ MeV}$

$\Delta E_\gamma \approx 2.5 \text{ MeV}$

Non-permanent installation in front of main Tagger

# Crystal Ball/TAPS (slide taken from M. Unverzagt)



## Crystal Ball:

672 NaI(Tl) crystals

93,3% of total solid angle

Each crystal equipped with PMT

$$\frac{\sigma}{E_\gamma} = \frac{2\%}{(E_\gamma/\text{GeV})^{0.25}}$$
$$\Delta t = 2.5 \text{ ns FWHM}$$

$$\sigma(\theta) = 2^\circ \dots 3^\circ$$
$$\sigma(\phi) = \frac{2^\circ \dots 3^\circ}{\sin(\theta)}$$

## TAPS:

Up to 510 BaF<sub>2</sub> crystals

Polar acceptance: 4-20°

$\Delta t = 0.5 \text{ ns FWHM}$

$$\frac{\sigma}{E_\gamma} = \frac{0,79\%}{\sqrt{E_\gamma/\text{GeV}}} + 1,8\%$$



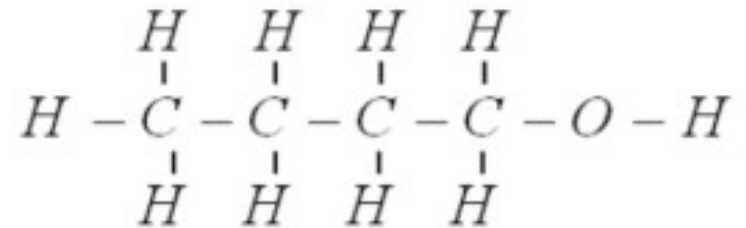
# Targets (slide taken from M. Unverzagt)

- $\text{LH}_2/\text{LD}_2$  used for high rate meson production ( $\eta/\eta'$ )
  - Length: 3cm, 5cm, 10cm

- $^3\text{He}/^4\text{He}$

- **Polarised Butanol/D-Butanol**
  - Transverse and longitudinal polarisation
  - Length: 2 cm
  - Dynamic Nuclear Polarisation
  - Max. Polarisation: 90%
  - Holding field: 0.44 T
  - Relaxation time:  $\tau \sim 1000\text{h}$

- **Solid Targets**

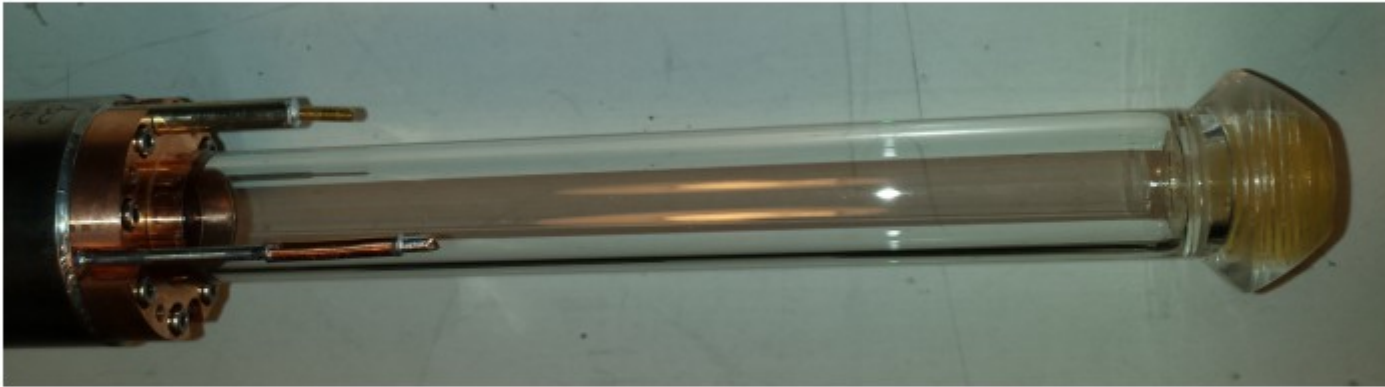




# Polarized active target (slide taken from R. Miskimen)

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Target assembly



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# He gas active target



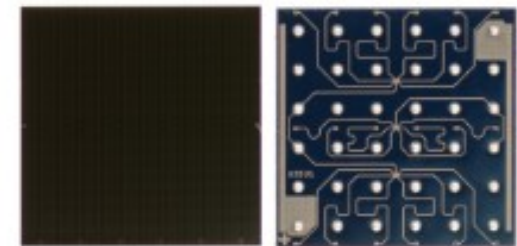
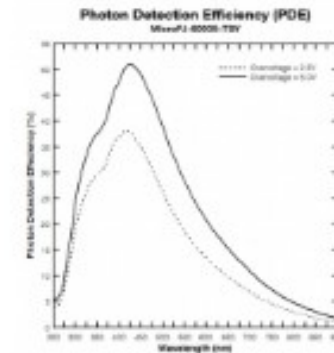
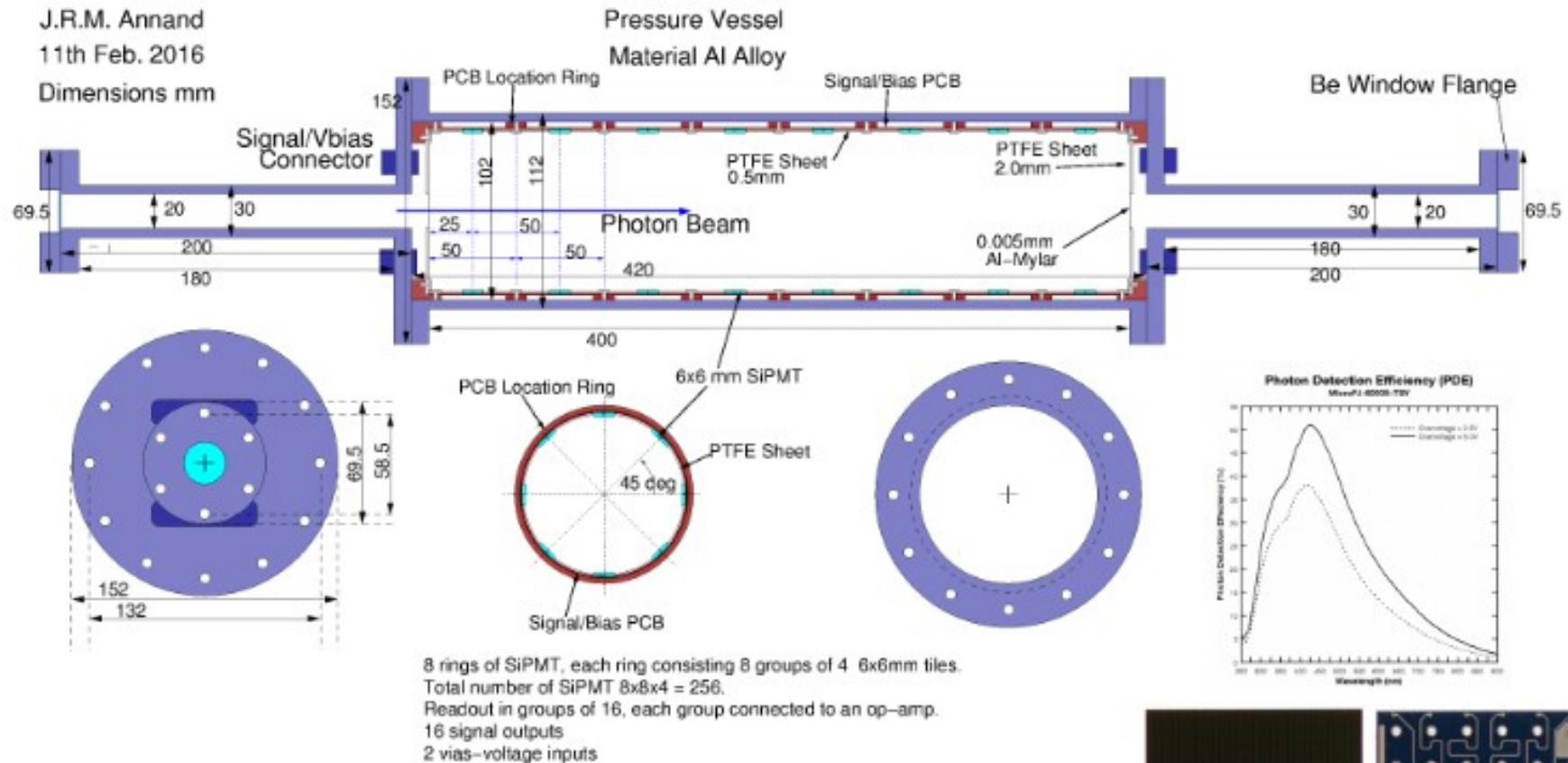
## The New Active Target

Active Target

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11th Feb. 2016

Dimensions mm



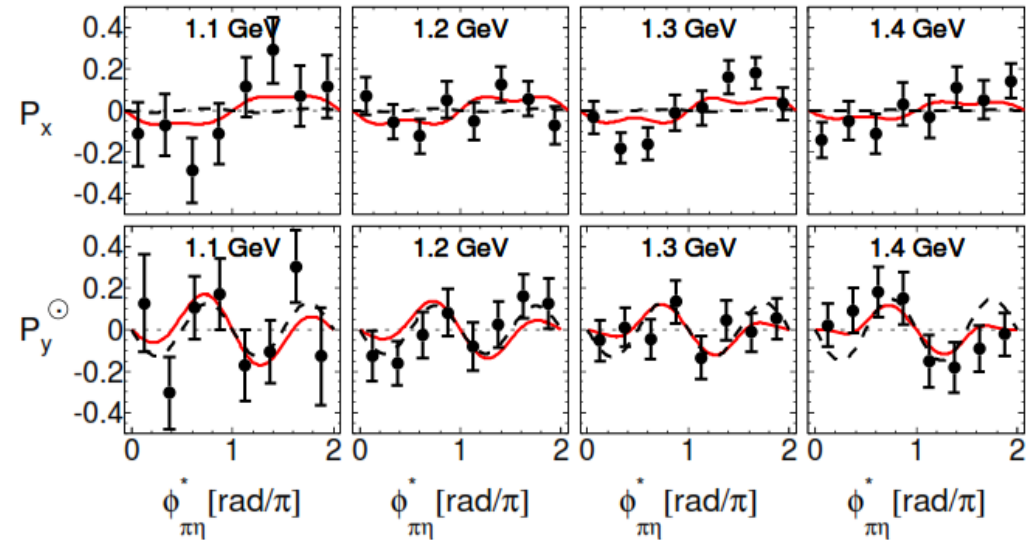
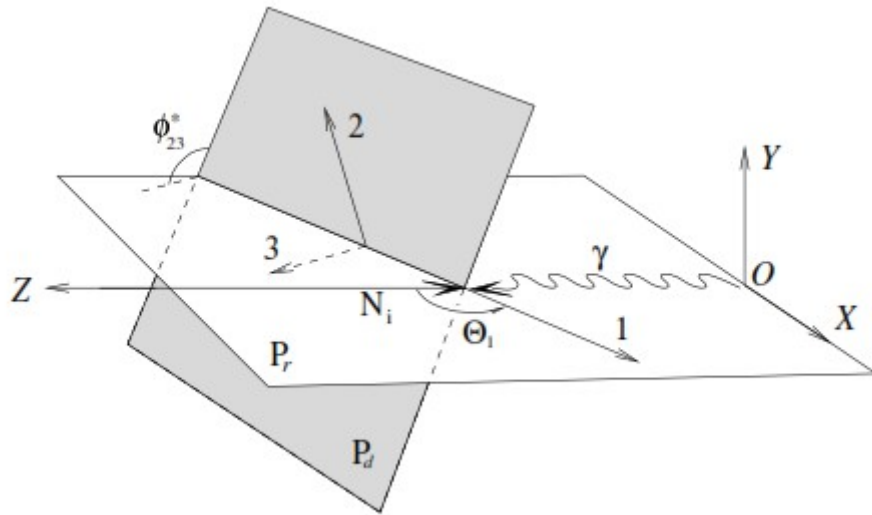
6 x 6 mm J-Series SiPMT

- Al pressure vessel, no welds
- Reuse Be outer windows from original Active Target
- PTFE sheet covers printed circuit board, windows cut for SiPMT

# $\pi^0\eta$ production, double polarization observables

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_1 dM_{23} d\Omega_{23}^*} = \frac{d\sigma_0}{d\Omega_1 dM_{23} d\Omega_{23}^*} \left\{ 1 + h P_\odot I^\odot + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} P_T [P_x \cos \phi - P_y \sin \phi + h P_\odot (P_x^\odot \cos \phi - P_y^\odot \sin \phi)] \right\}$$

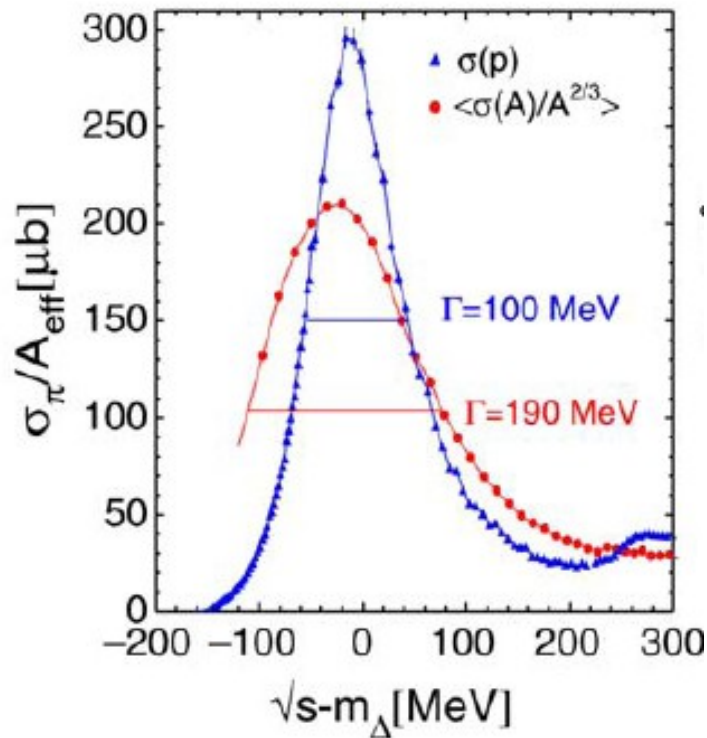
Beam	Target	
	$x$	$y$
—	$P_x$	$P_y$
$c$	$P_x^\odot$	$P_y^\odot$



Dashed: only  $D_{33}$  wave, **solid: A. Fix model**, dashed-dotted BnGa PWA

# Motivation

- The width for  $\Delta(1232)$  is changed in the nuclear medium from 100 MeV to  $\sim 190$  MeV in good agreement with the BUU model (University Gießen) calculations

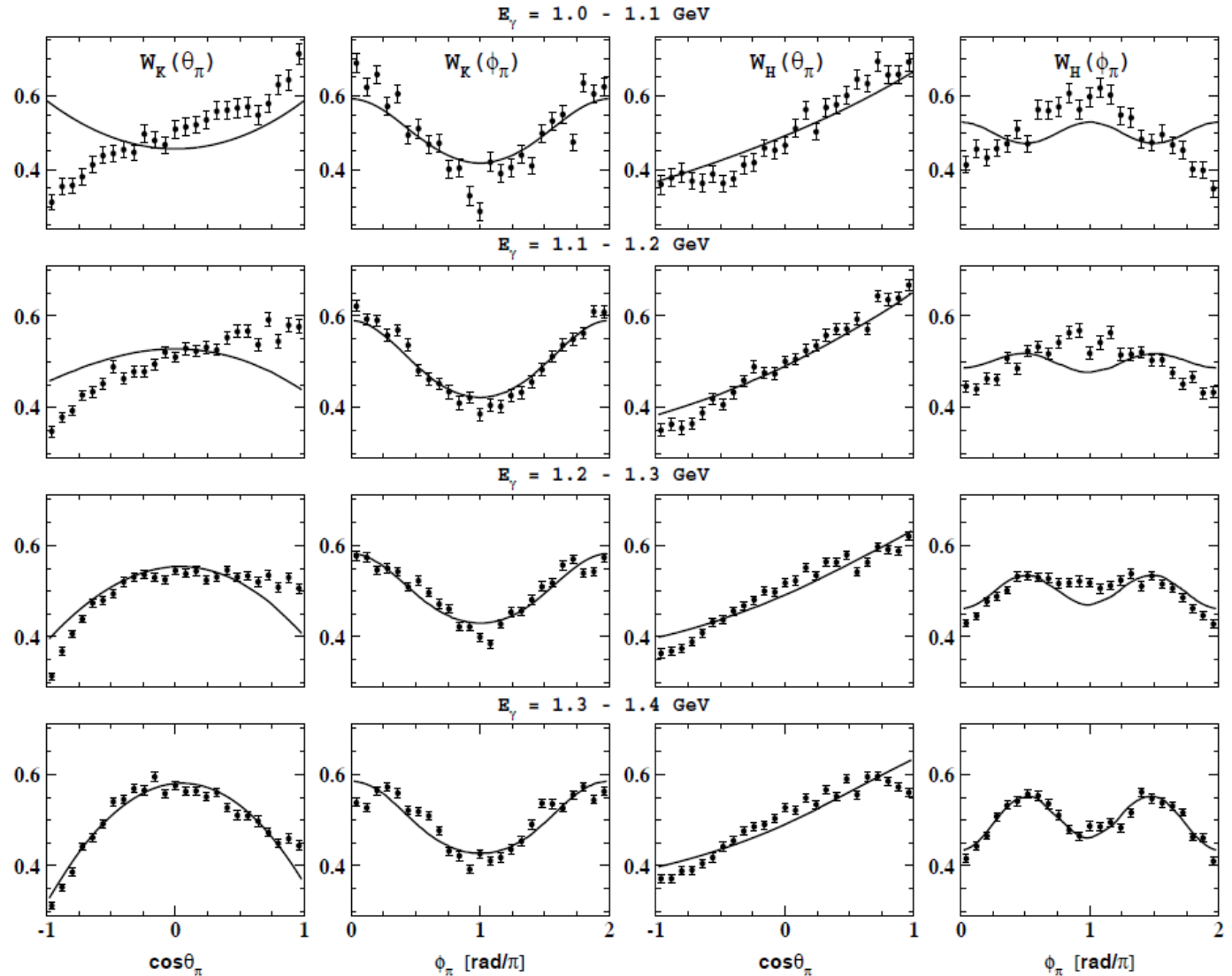
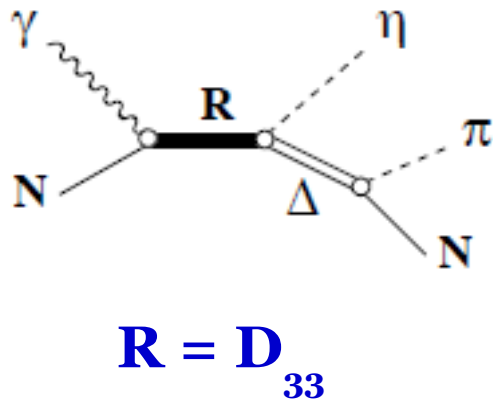


B. Krusche, Progress in Particle and Nuclear Physics 55 (2005) 46–70  
M. Post, J. Lehr, U. Mosel, Nuclear Phys. A 741 (2004) 81

- Second resonance region: No strong experimental indication for significant modifications of  $D_{13}(1520)$  or  $S_{11}(1535)$



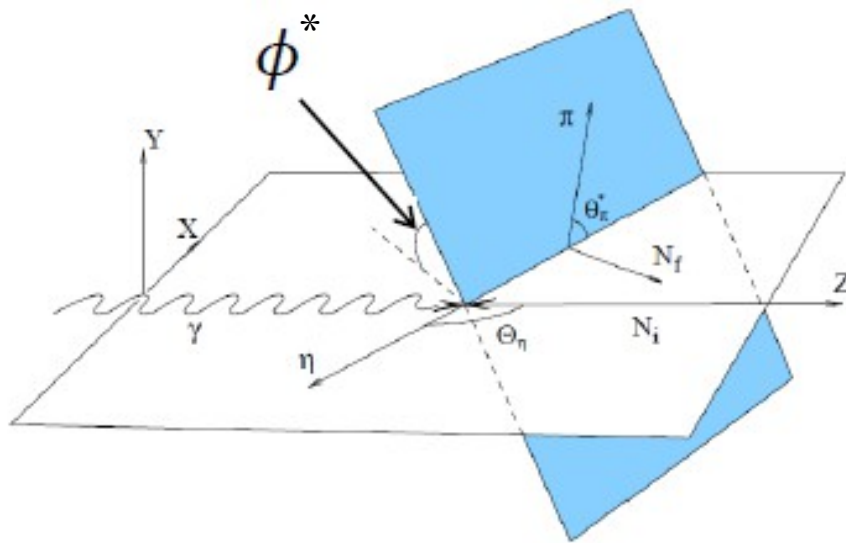
# Differential cross-sections (proton target)



Angular distributions: Reasonable agreement with a model including only the  $D_{33}$  amplitude

V. L. Kashevarov, A. Fix et al., Eur. Phys., J. A 42, 141 (2009)  
[A2 Collaboration]

# Beam helicity asymmetry (proton target)



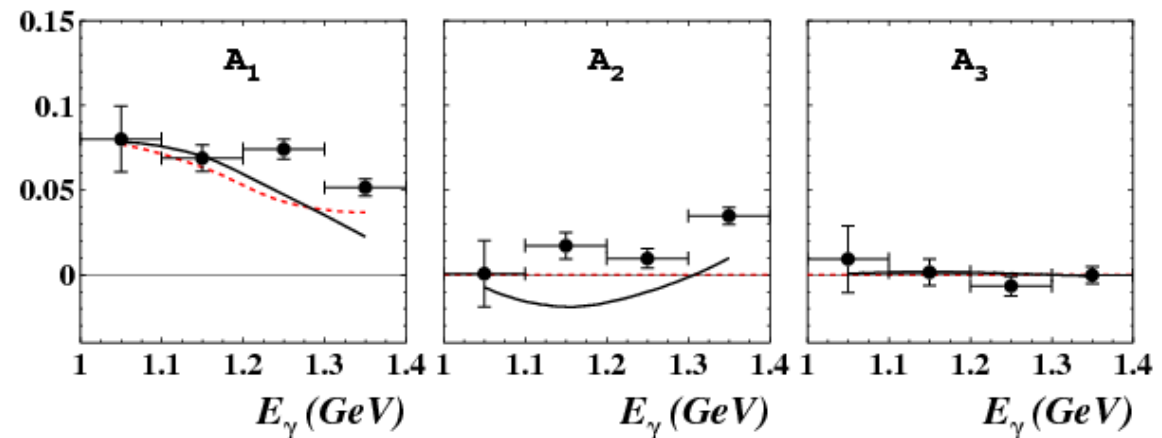
$W^c(\phi)$  can be expanded as:

$$W^c(\phi) = \sum_{n=1}^{n_{\max}} A_n \sin n\phi$$

$A_1$  represents **purely** the contribution of the  $D_{33}$  wave

$A_2$  is sensitive to interference terms

$A_3$  is negligible



Coefficients of the sine expansion

Solid line : full model prediction

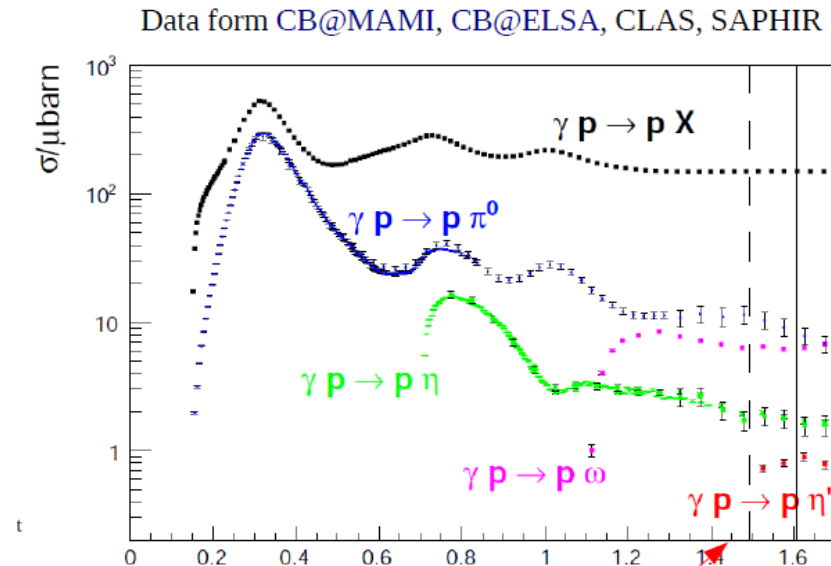
Dashed line: only the  $D_{33}$  amplitude.

V. L. Kashevarov, et al., Phys. Lett. B 693, 551 (2010)

Both unpolarized and polarized data indicate the dominance of the  $D_{33}$  wave at energies  $E_\gamma < 1.2$  GeV

# Polarization observables

Systematic way to go: the complete experiment for pseudoscalar single meson photoproduction: 8 carefully selected observables (with beam, target and recoil polarization required) are needed to predict all other experiments



set		observables			
single	<b>S</b>	$d\sigma/d\Omega$	$\Sigma$	$T$	$P$
beam-target	<b>BT</b>	$G$	$H$	$E$	$F$
beam-recoil	<b>BR</b>	$Ox'$	$Oz'$	$Cx'$	$Cz'$
target-recoil	<b>TR</b>	$Tx'$	$Tz'$	$Lx'$	$Lz'$

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target-recoil	<b>TR</b>	$Tx'$	$Tz'$	$Lx'$	$Lz'$

Double meson final states:  
For a complete experiment, 15 observables are needed!

W. Roberts and T. Oed, Phys. Rev. C 71, 055201 (2005)