

The BGOOD experiment at ELSA

- multi-quark structures in the baryon uds sector ?



Outline

- motivation
- BGOOD experiment
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- summary

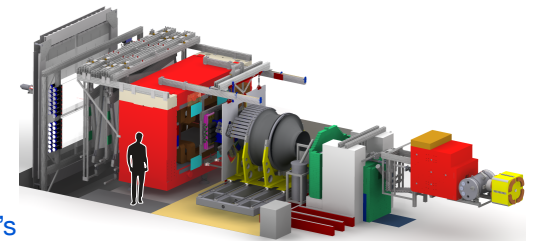
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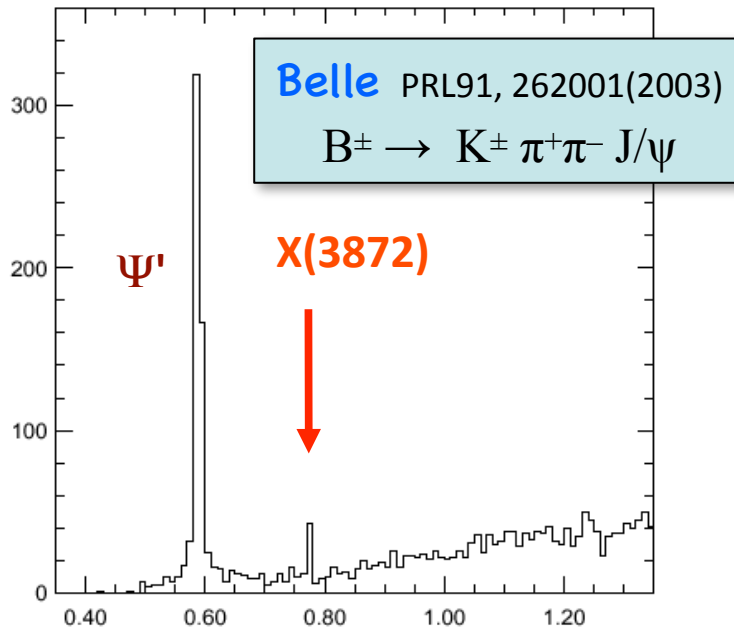


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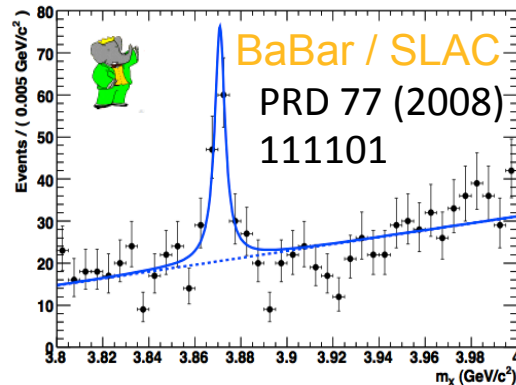
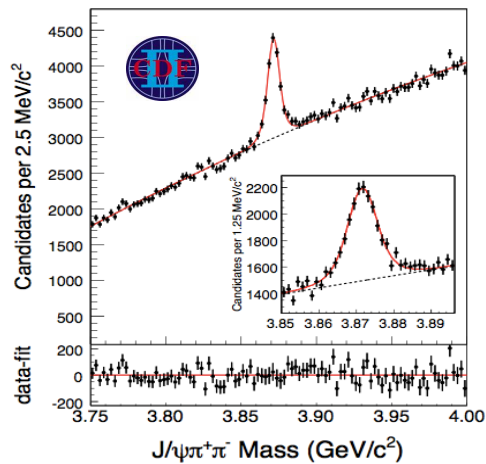


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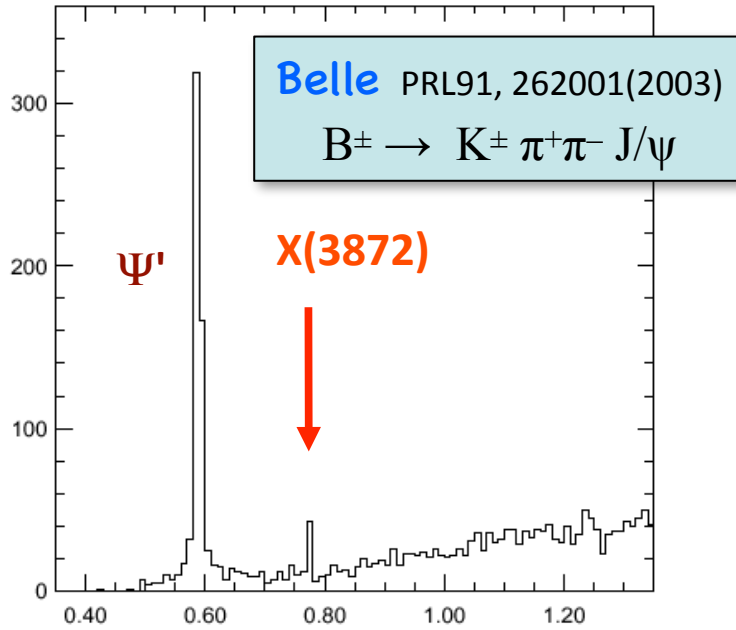
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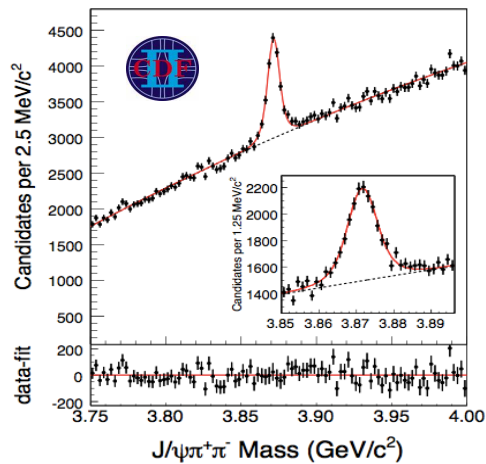


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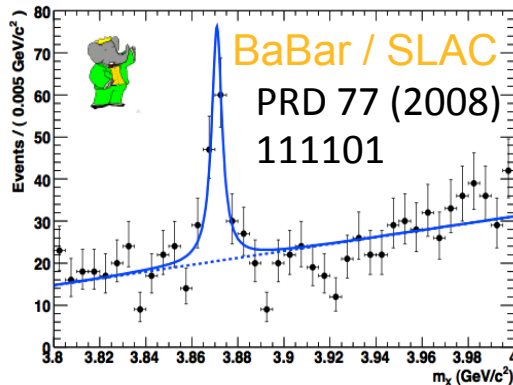


Belle PRL91, 262001(2003)
 $B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi$

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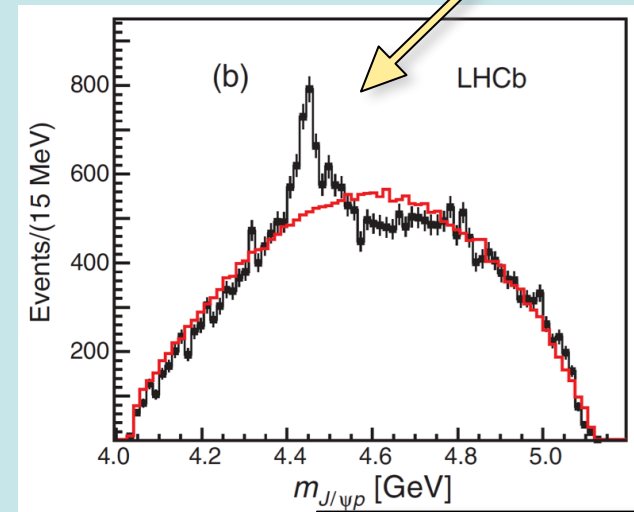
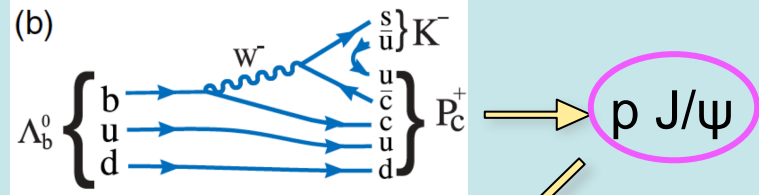
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R. Aaij et al., PRL 115 (2015) 072001



PB / VB hidden c predicted from meson-baryon interactions:
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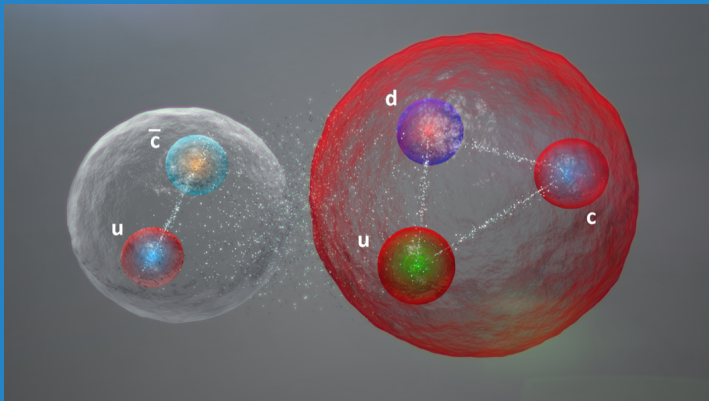
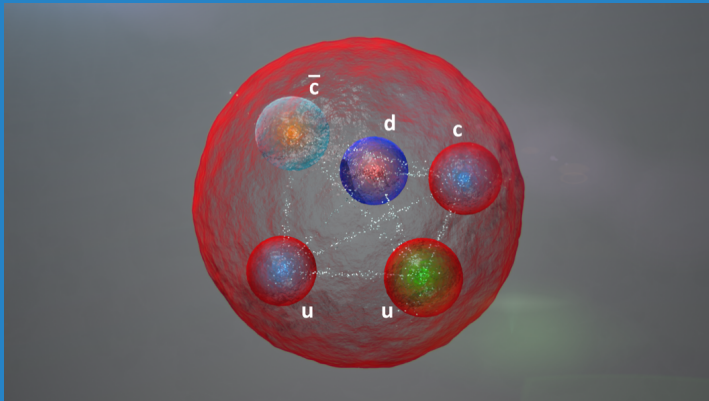
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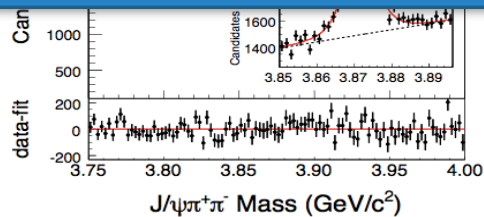
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- 5-quark structures definitely observed
- (hidden) c-quark sector
- similar 4-quark states in meson sector
- structure/binding mechanism under debate

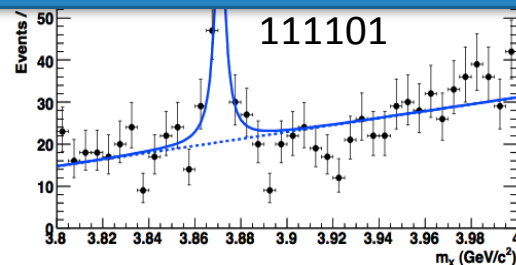
- ➔ paradigm change in hadron physics
- ➔ general feature of structure formation in QCD ?
- ➔ similar structures in (hidden) s-quark sector ??

but: — mass pattern $D - D^* / K - K^*$ and
— widths $D^* - K^*$ different



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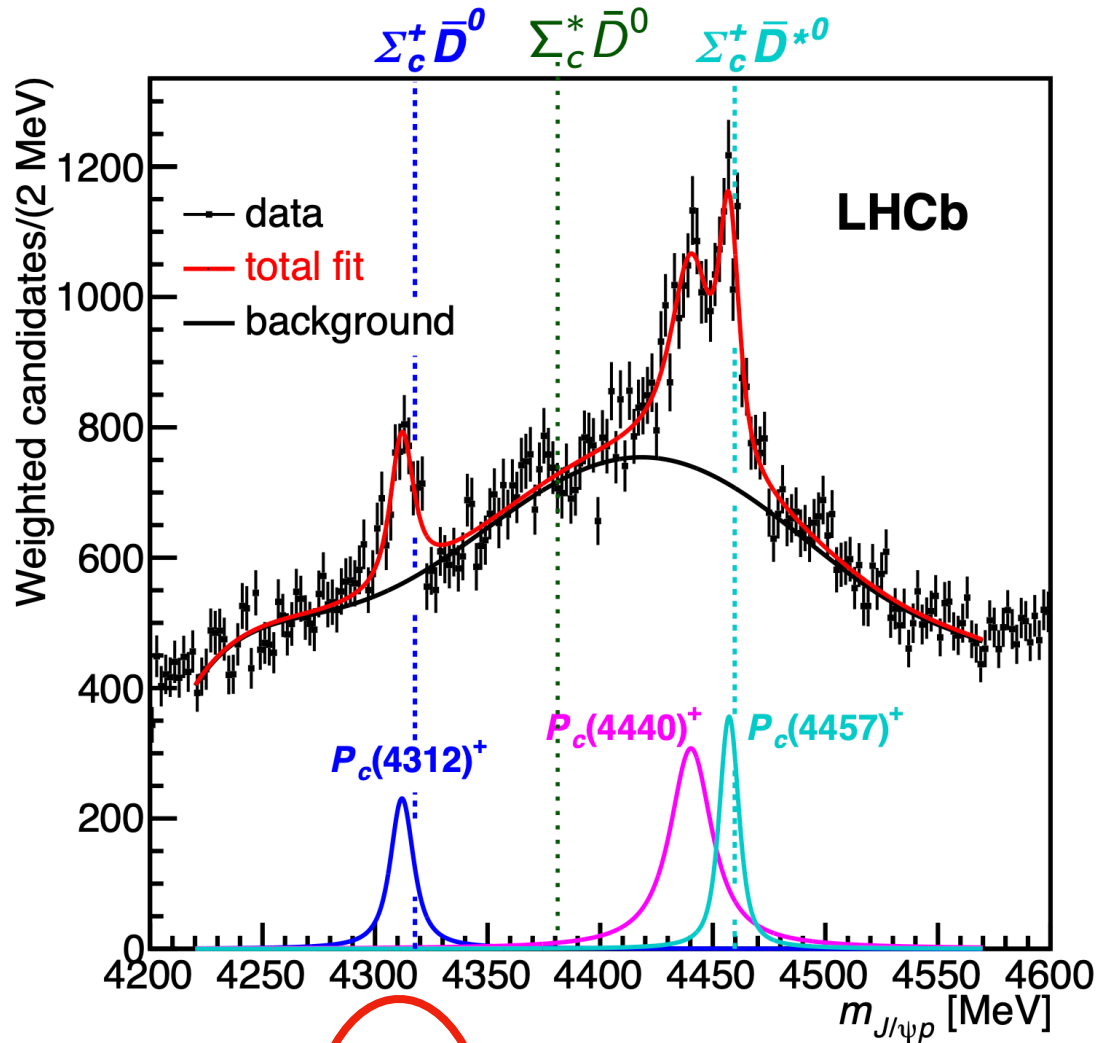
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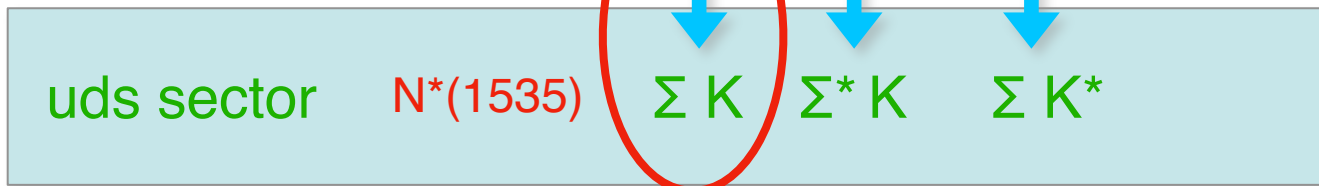
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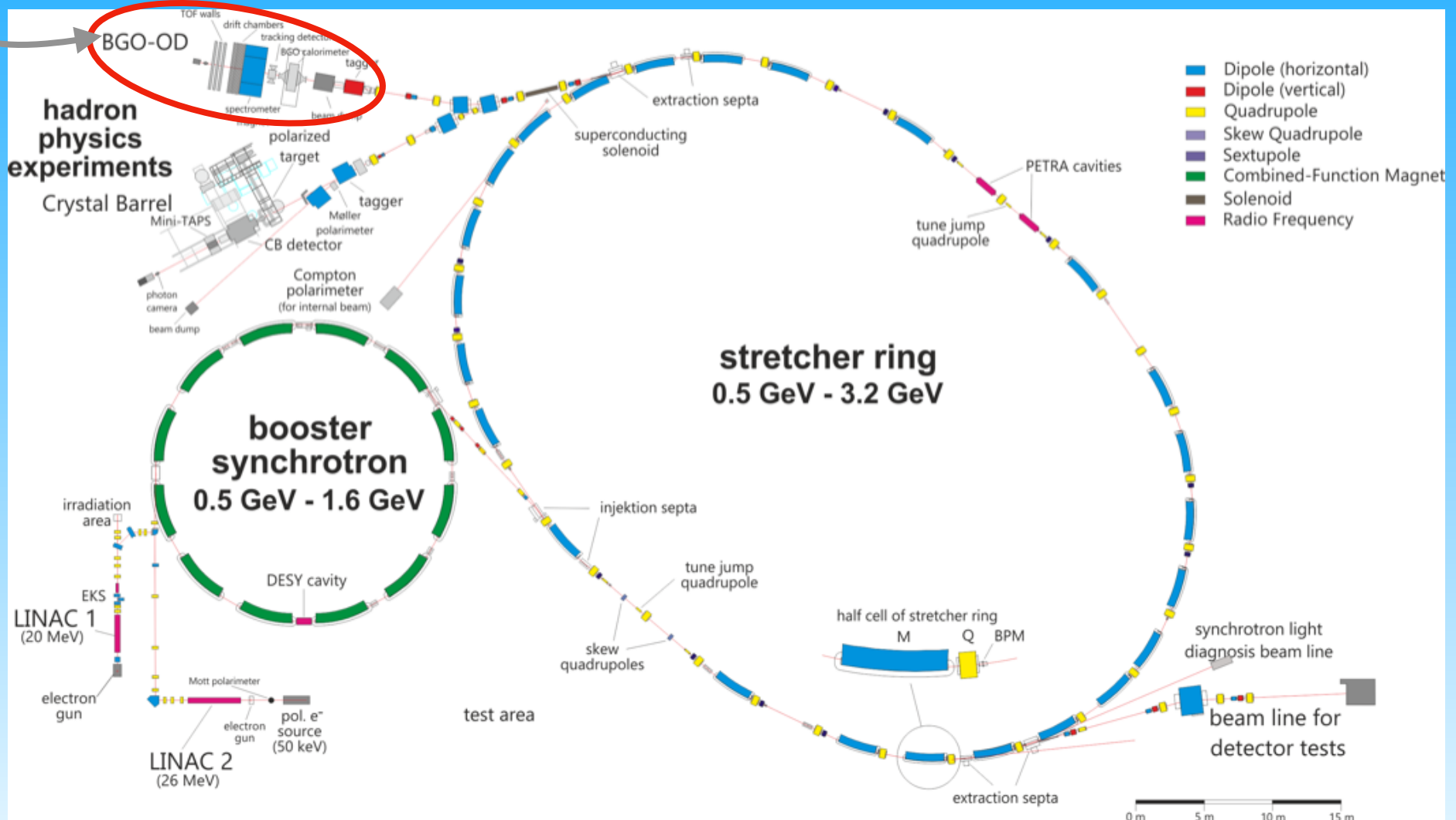
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BGOOD experiment

located at 
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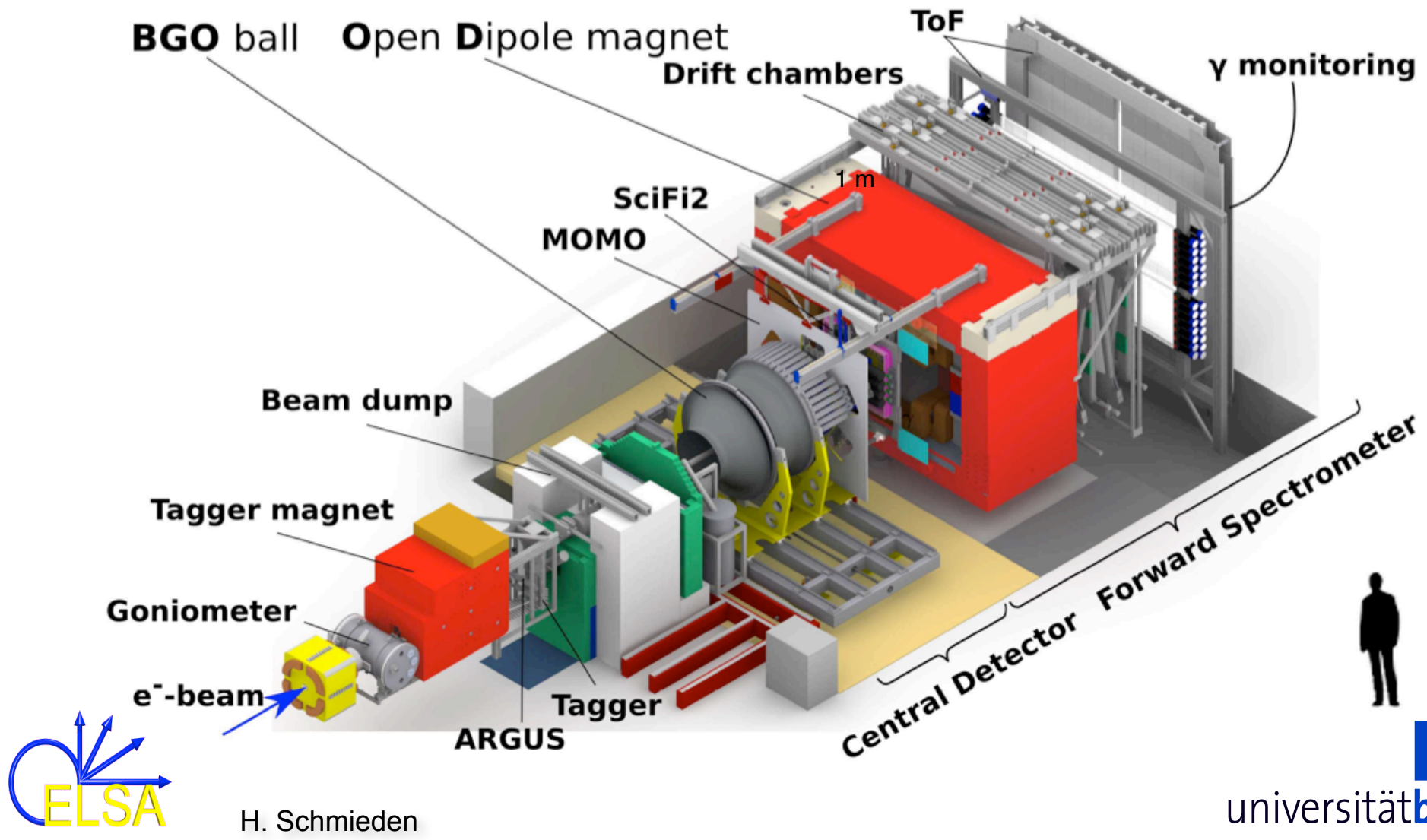


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BGO ball

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Hadrons and Nuclei

flux monitoring ToF driftchambers **BGO** ball **Open Dipole magnet**
SciFi MOMO
y
z
x
Tagger magnet
goniometer
e-beam
forward spectrometer central detector beam dump Tagger ARGUS

Overview of the BGOOD (BGOball Open Dipole magnet) experiment at the Elsa Facility dedicated to study meson photo-production

From: T. C. Jude and P. Levi Sandri et al. on "The BGOOD experimental setup at ELSA"

γ monitoring

Beam

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Forward Spectrometer



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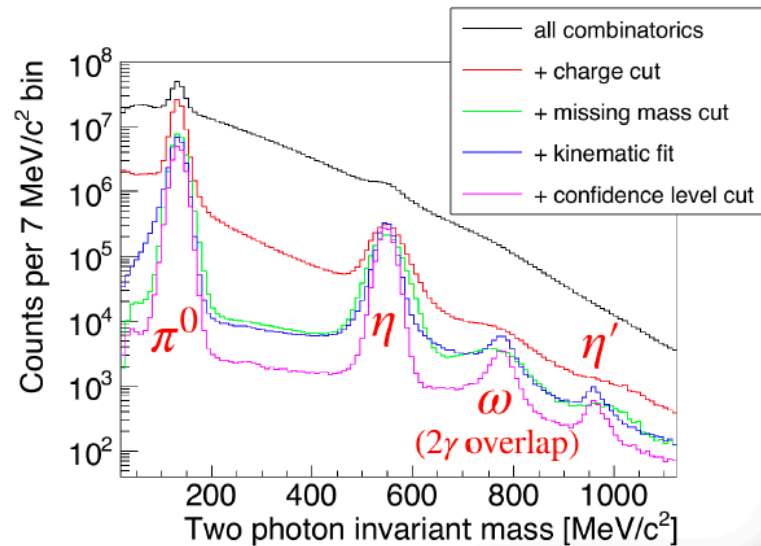
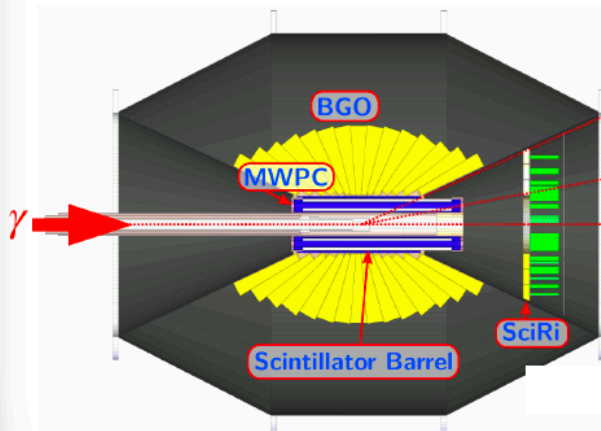
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BGO ball Open Dipole magnet

ToF

γ monitoring

Central region - neutral meson identification



Forward Spectrometer

Central Detector



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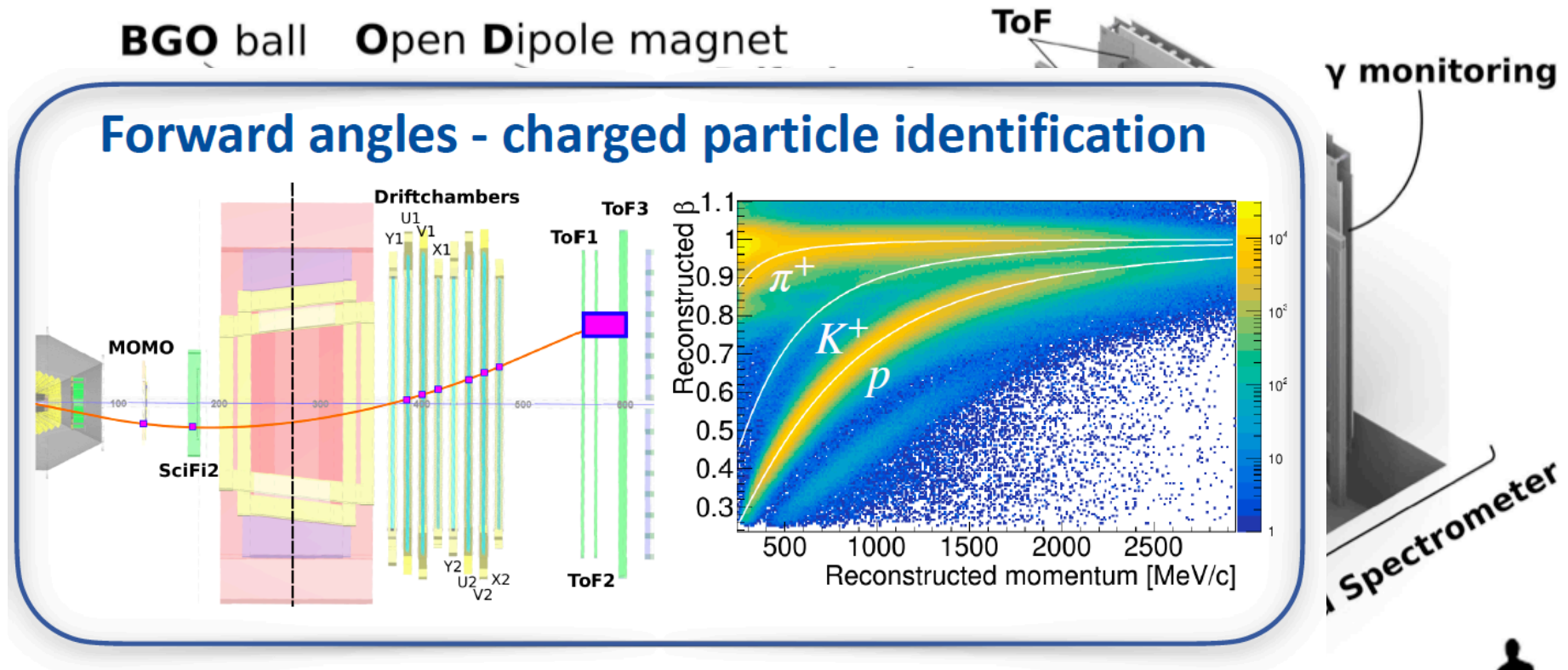


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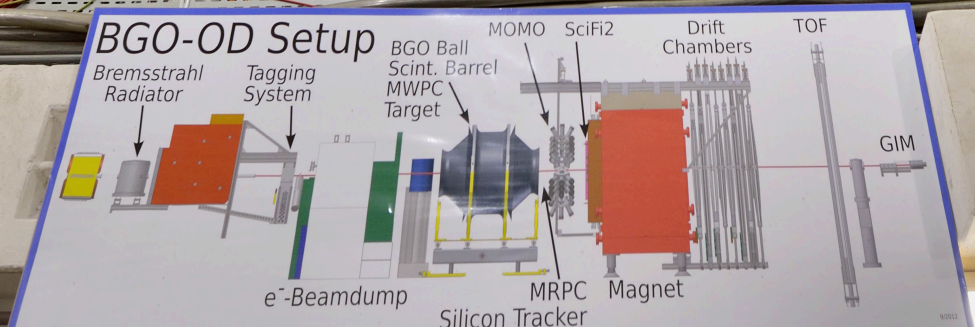
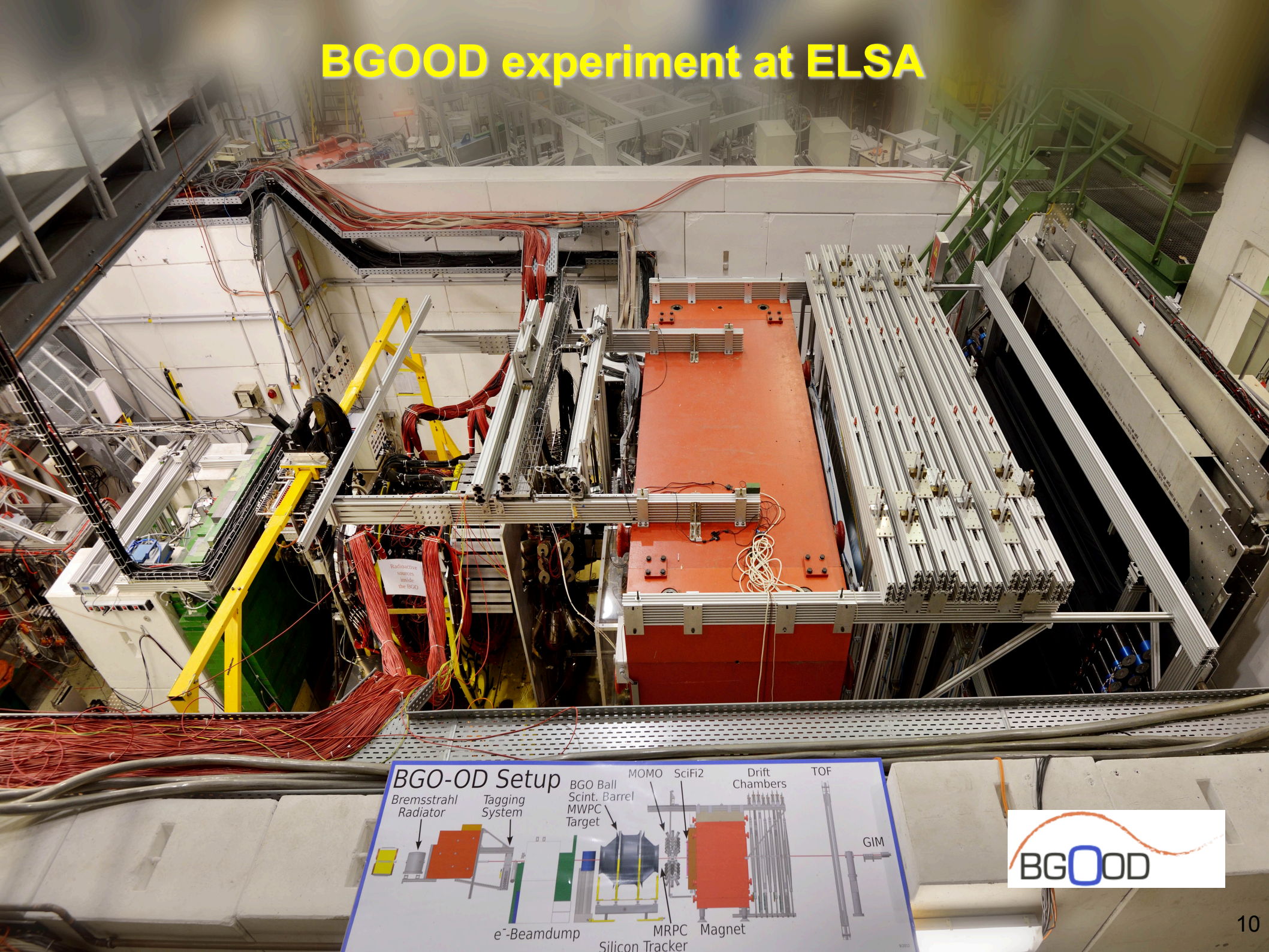
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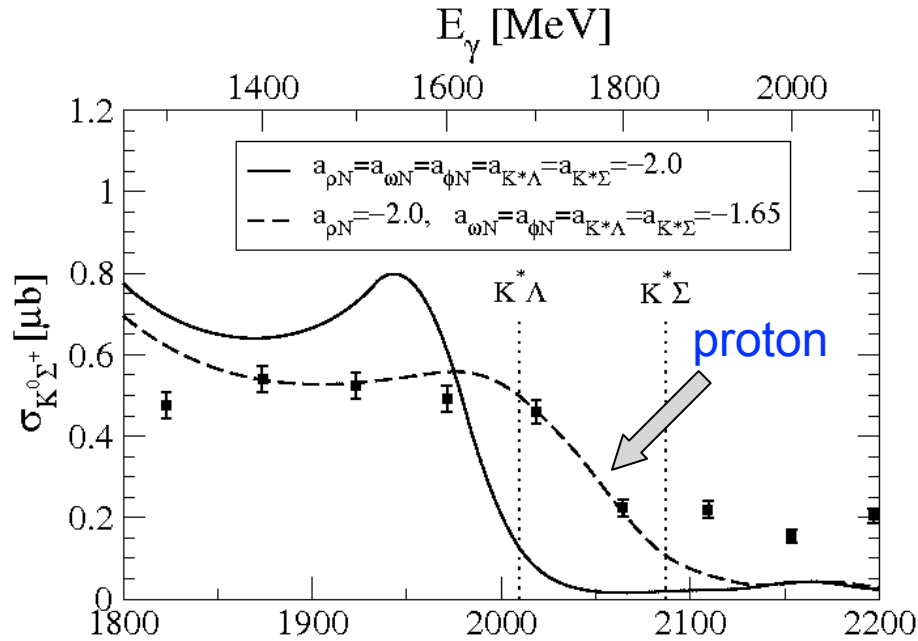


BGOOD experiment

- recent results

$\gamma + p \rightarrow K^0 + \Sigma^+$

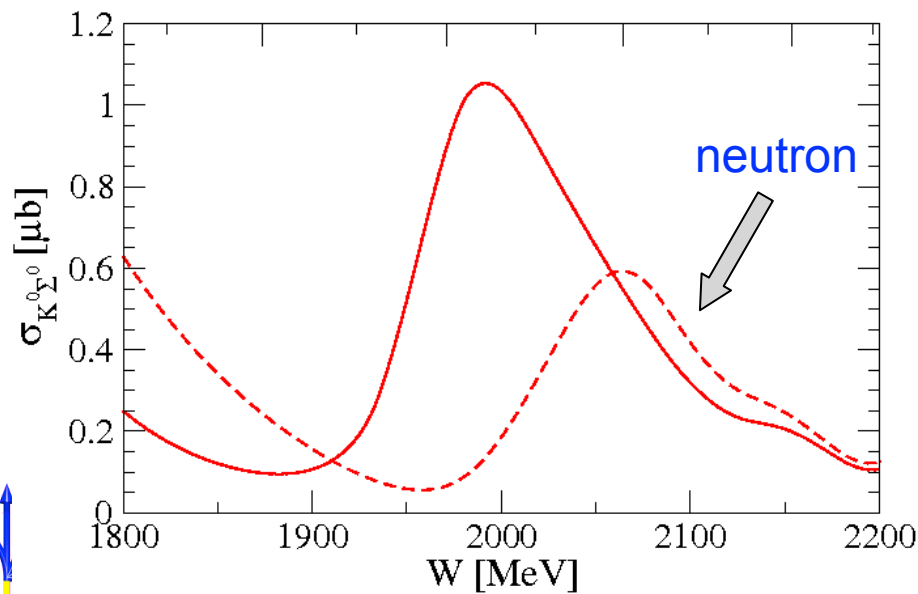
anomaly @ K^* threshold



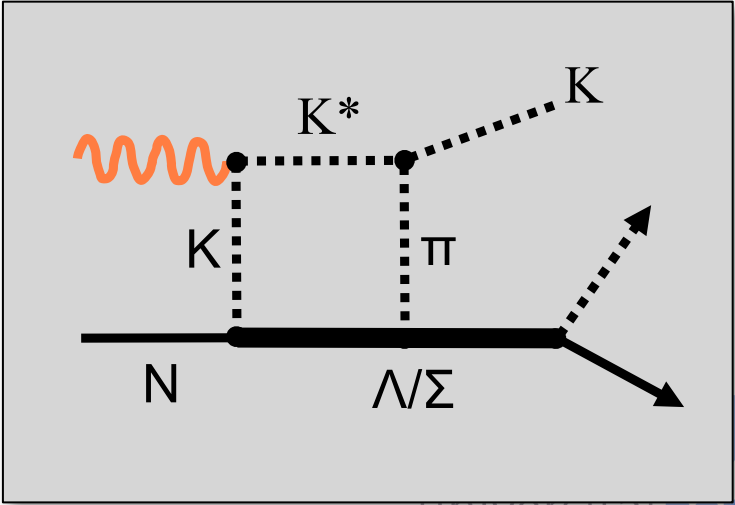
data:
R. Ewald et al. (CB/TAPS), PLB 713 (2012)

Ramos & Oset,
PLB 727 (2013) 287

same model as
LHCb P_c w/ $c \leftrightarrow s$



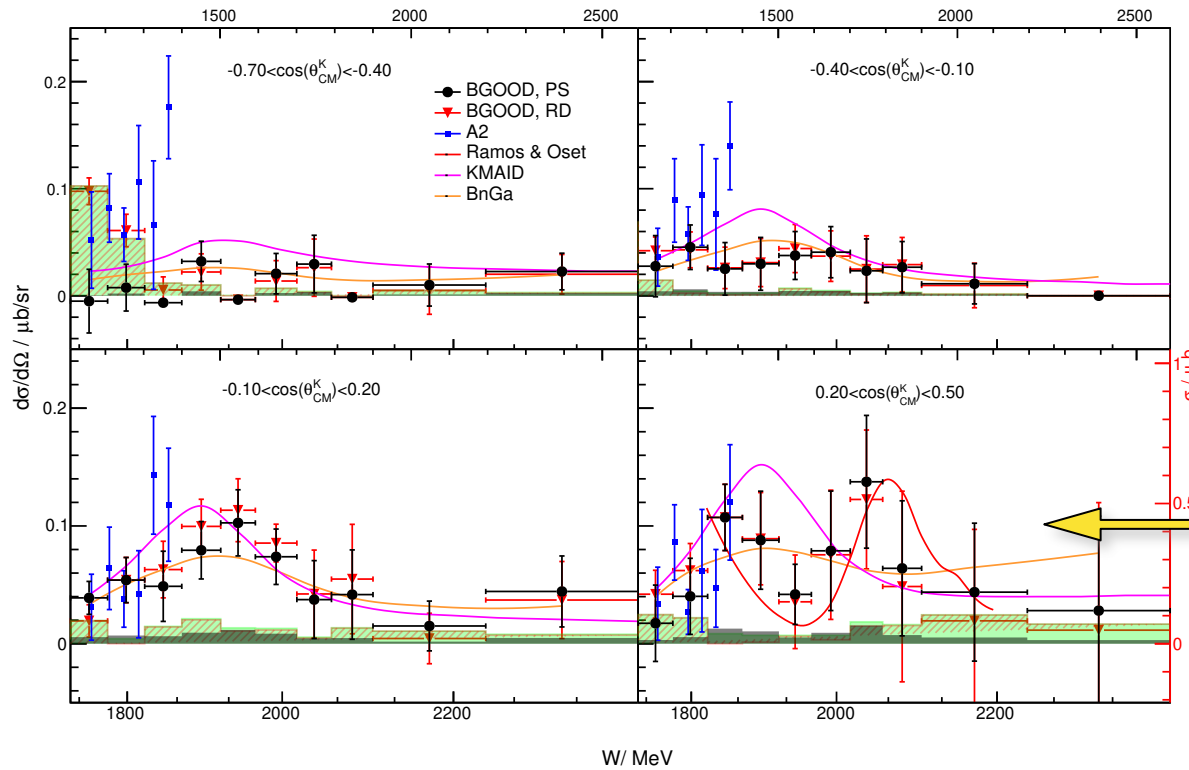
$N^*(2030) / N^*(2080)$



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

K. Kohl et al. [BGOOD]
Eur. Phys. J. 59 (2023)

E_γ / MeV



BGOOD simulated bg fit

BGOOD real bg fit

C. Akondi et al. [MAMI-A2]
EPJ A 55 (2019) 202

see also:

“The molecular nature of some exotic hadrons”
Ramos, Feijoo, Llorens, Montaña
Few Body Sys. 61 (2020) 4, 34
arXiv:2009.04367 (2020)

same model
as LHCb P_c w/
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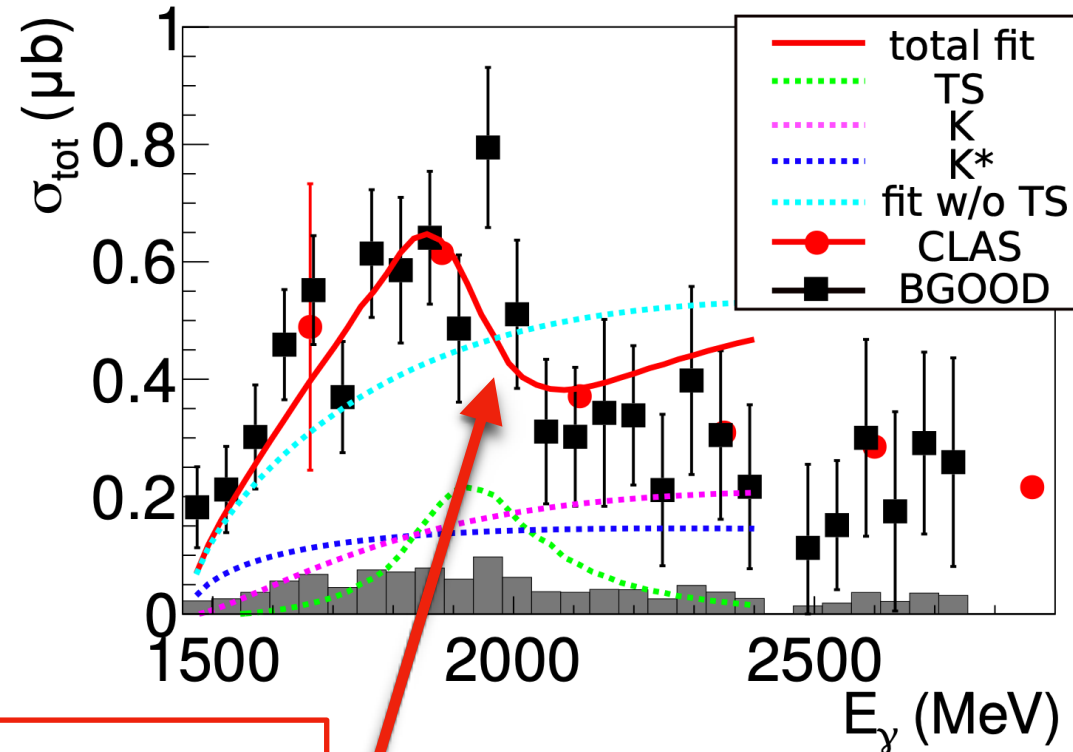
smoking gun
“pentaquark“, if ...

meanwhile: 2x statistics available
& under analysis

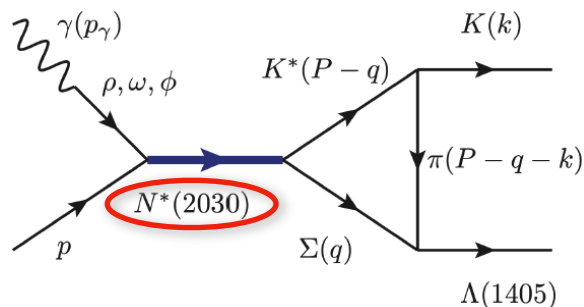
K⁺ Λ(1405) – photoproduction mechanism

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G. Scheluchin *et al.* [BGOOD collab.]
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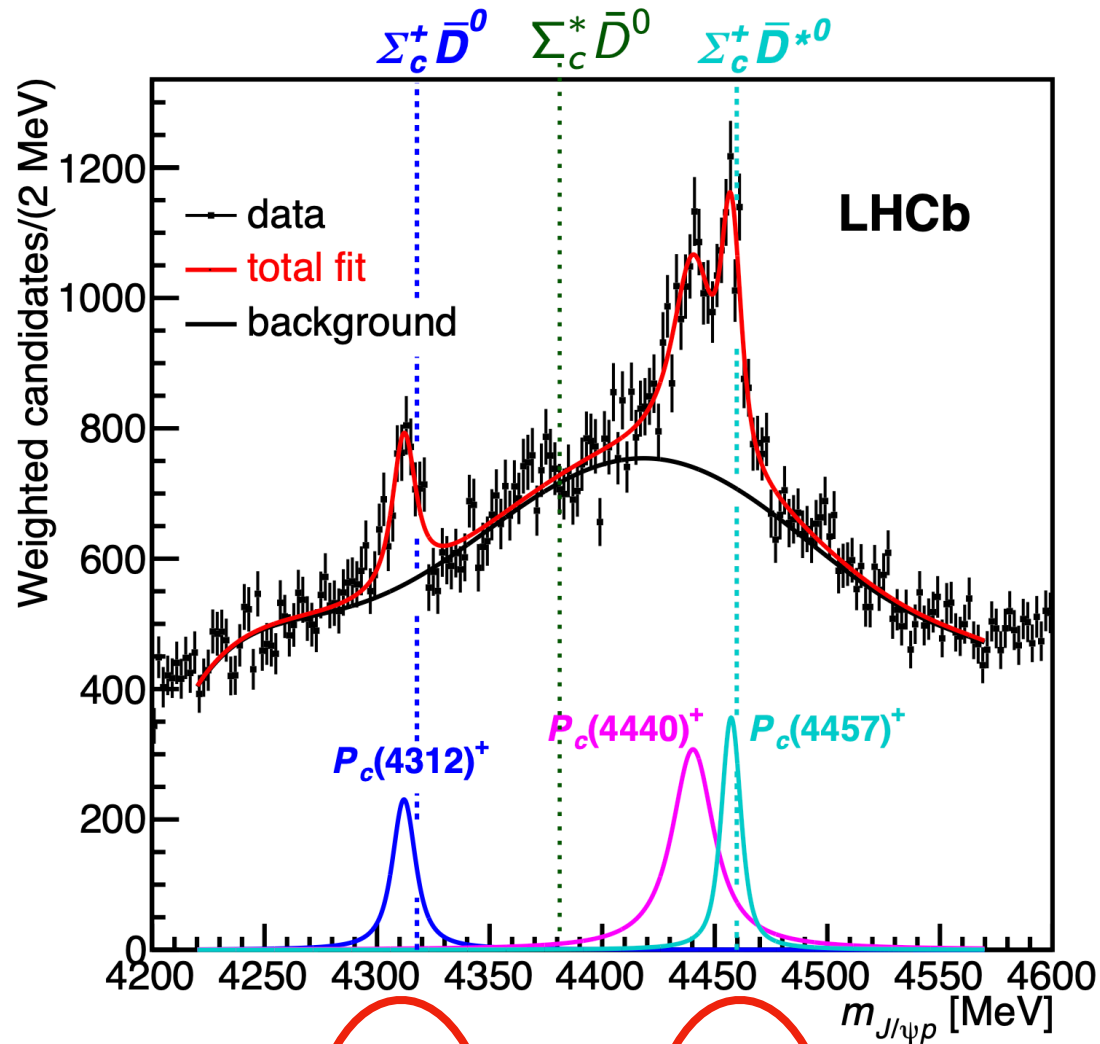
cusplike: triangle mechanism significant



E. Wang, J. Xie, W. Liang, F. Guo, E. Oset,
PR C 95 (2017) 015205

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reminder: LHCb



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uds sector

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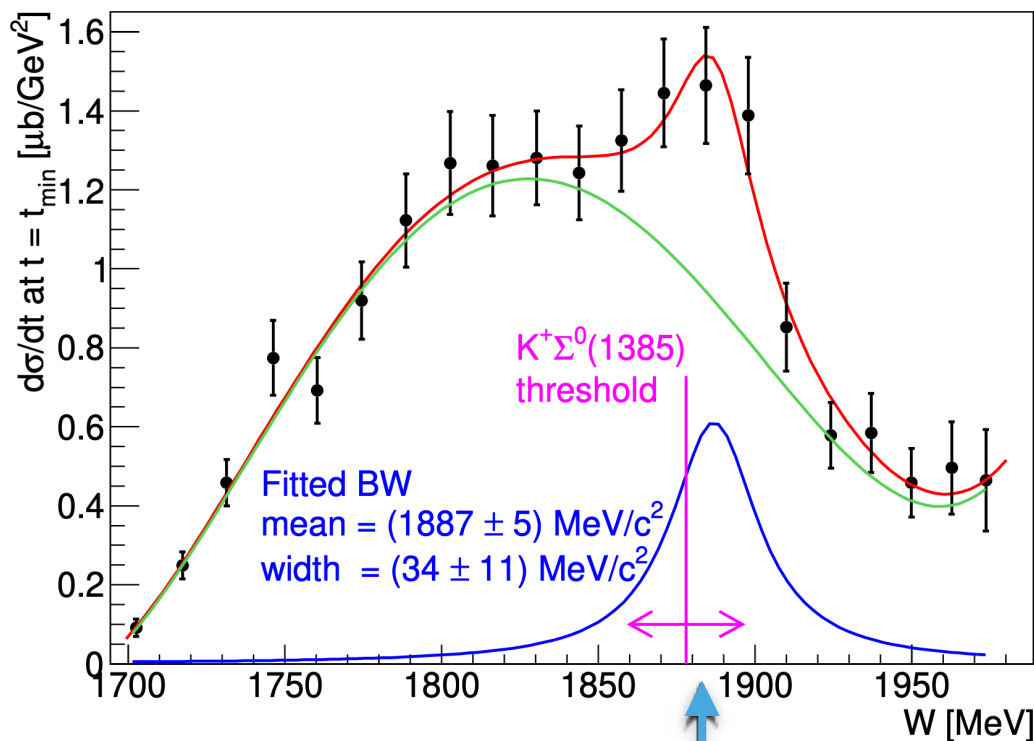
ΣK

$\Sigma^* K$

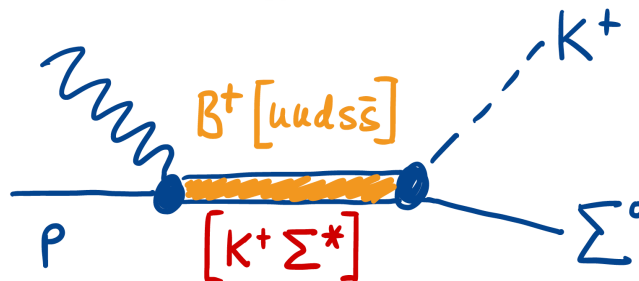
ΣK^*

$N^*(2030/80)$

$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^0$ photoproduction



T. Jude *et al.* [BGOOD collab.]
 Phys. Lett B 820 (2021) 136559

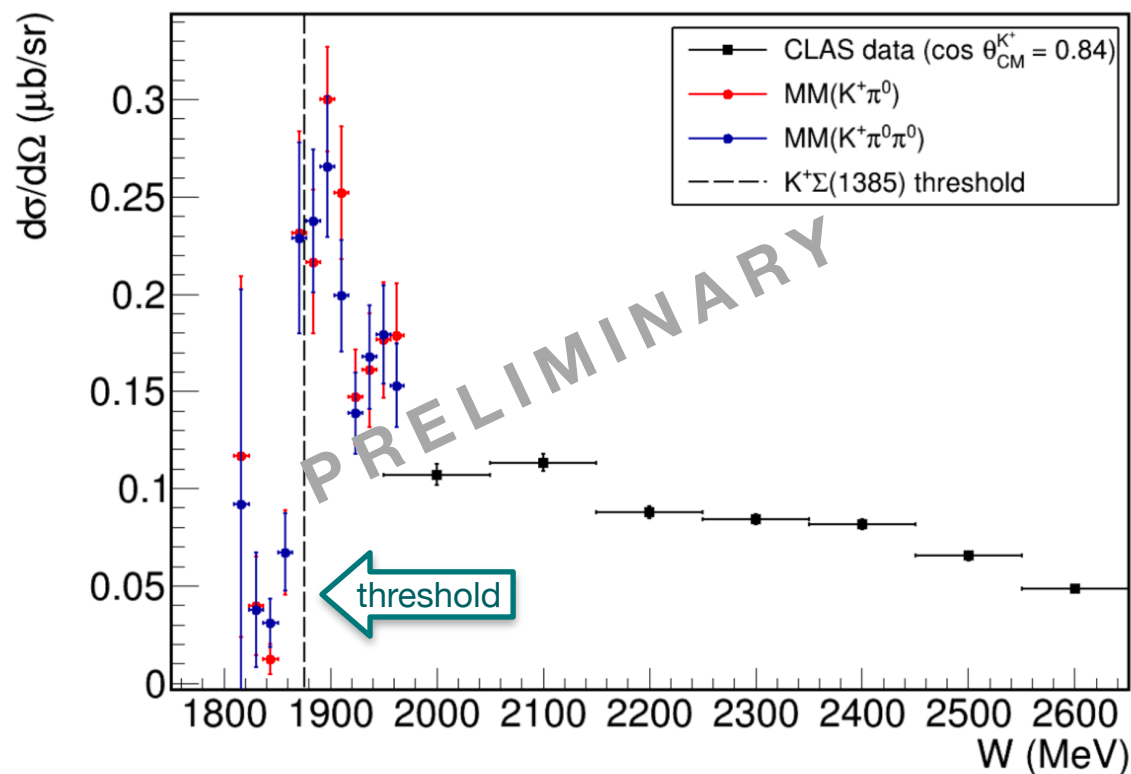


$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^{0*}(1385)$ photoproduction

$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^*(1385)$ at $\Sigma^*(1385)$ threshold

M. Jena Masters thesis (Bonn 2024), data preliminary

- Differential cross section for $\cos \theta_{\text{CM}}^K > 0.9$
- First data from threshold
- large peak at $W \approx 1900$ MeV

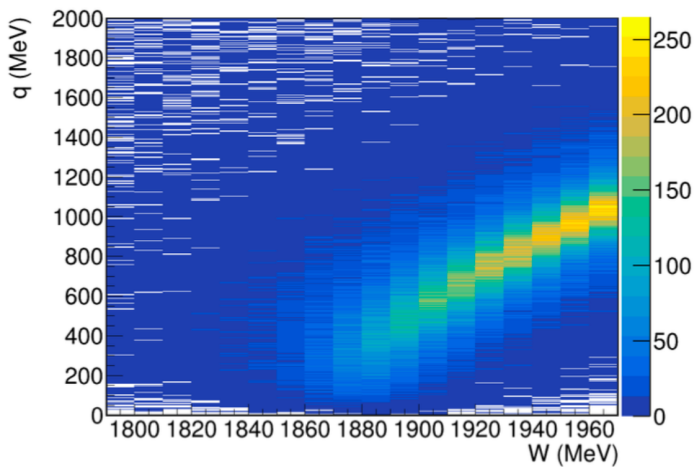


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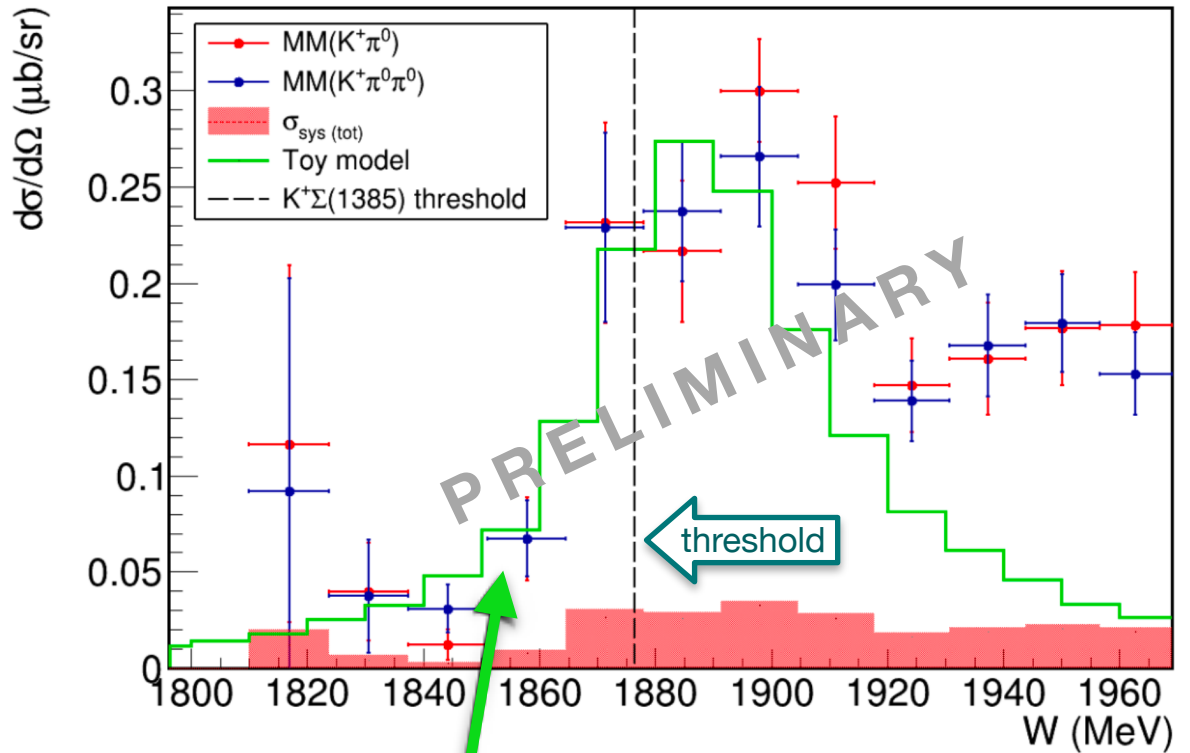
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- Relative $K^+ - \Sigma(1385)$ momentum:



- Assume $\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \propto \frac{1}{(m_\pi^2 + q^2)^2}$



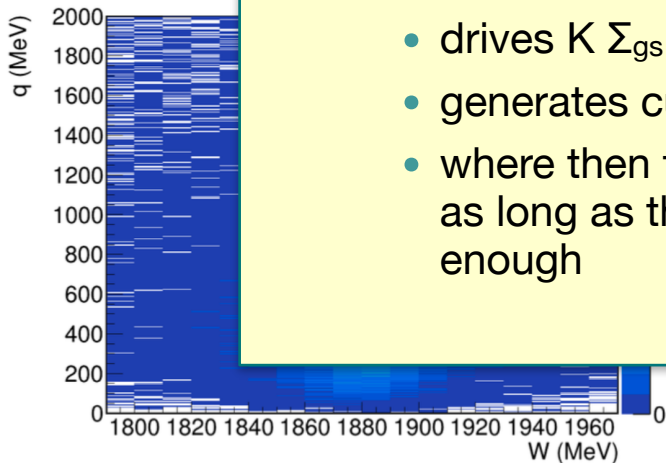
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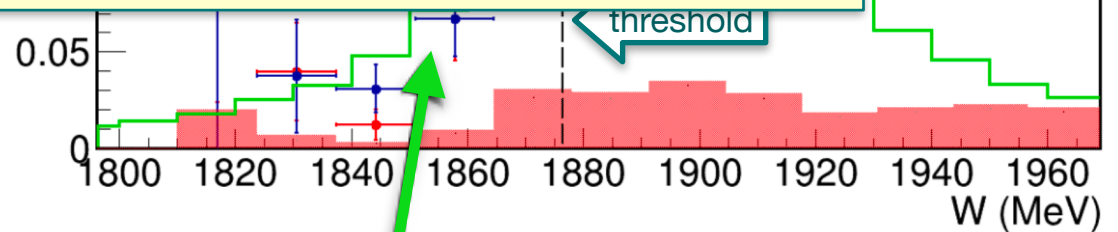
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Relative
momentum



this all looks as if

- $[K \Sigma^*(1385)]$ system is formed (molecule ??) which
- drives $K \Sigma_{gs}$ channel below Σ^* threshold and
- generates cusp in gs channel when $K \Sigma^*$ are produced freely
- where then the strength reappears in a strong enhancement as long as the relative momentum in the $K \Sigma^*$ system is small enough



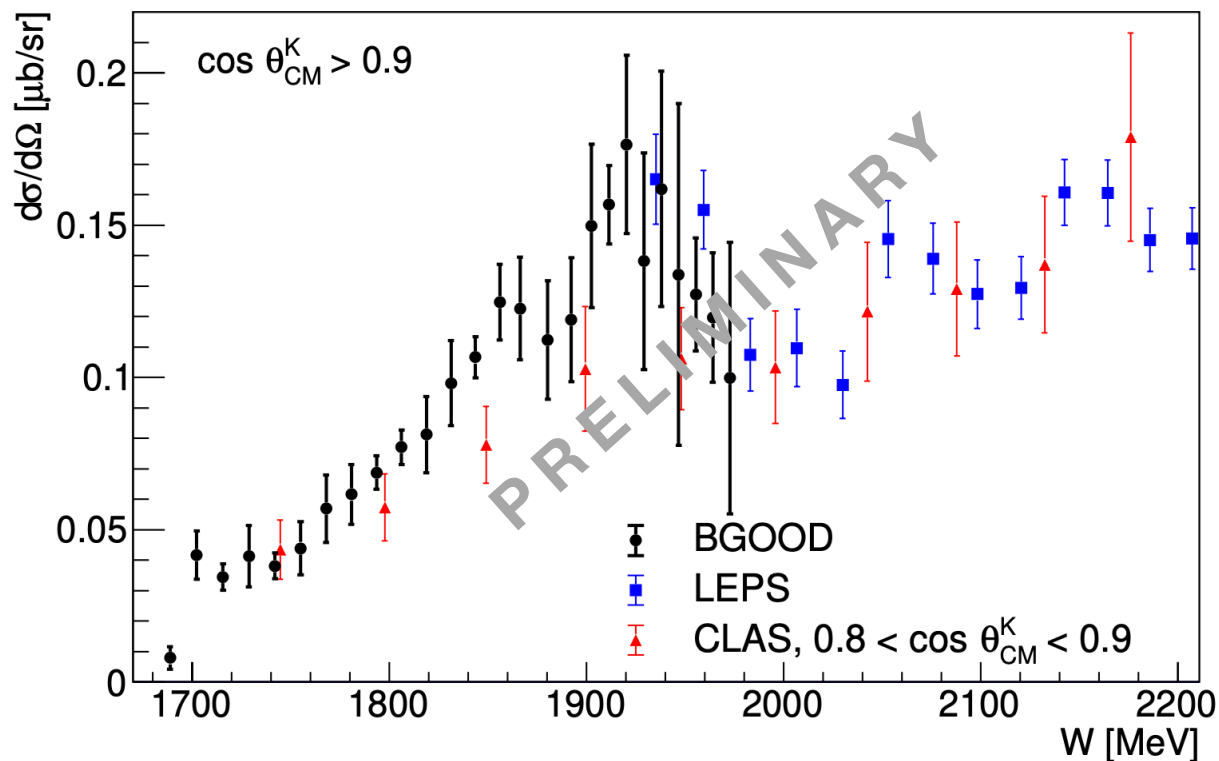
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charge conjugate channel: $\gamma n \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma^-$

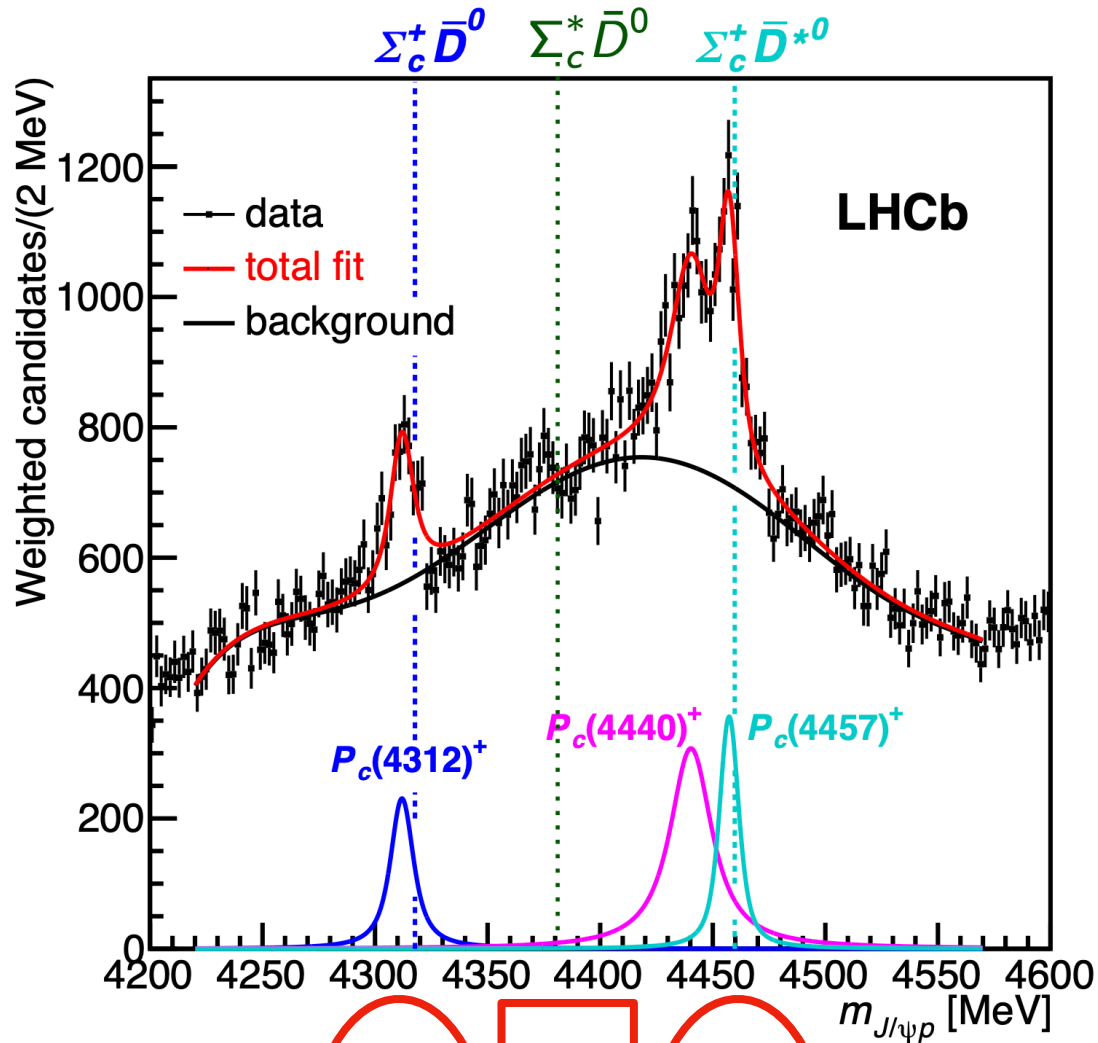
$\gamma n \rightarrow K^+ \Sigma_{gs}$ at $\Sigma^*(1385)$ threshold

J. Groß, PhD thesis in preparation



- first data from threshold for $\cos \theta_{cm}^K > 0.9$
- good agreement w/ CLAS & LEPS where overlap
- enhancement in forward directions
↔ smallest p_{\perp} !

reminder: LHCb comparison



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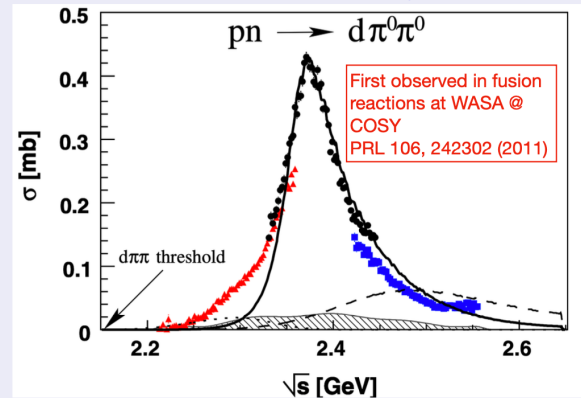
Hexa-quarks / Di-baryons ?

experimental context

coherent 2π photoproduction off deuteron

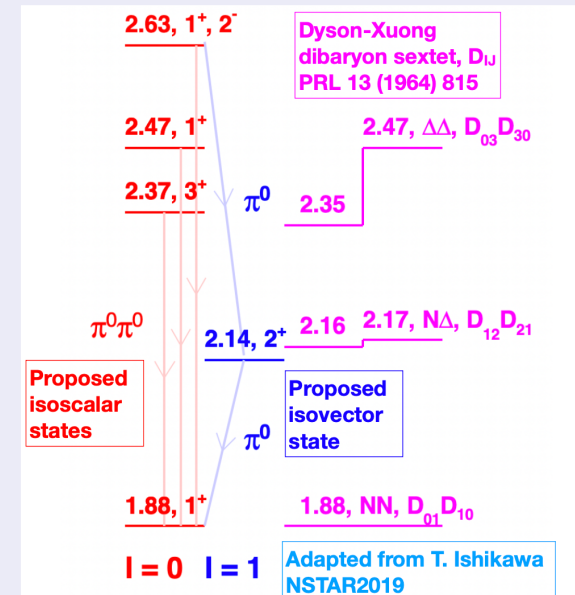
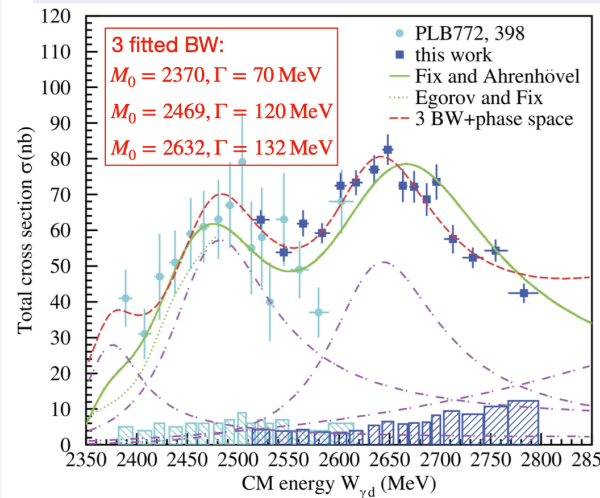
Evidence of the $d^*(2380)$

Adlarson et al PRL 106:242302, 2011
Bashkanov et al PRL 102:052301, 2009



- $(I)J^P = (0)3^+$
- Observed in multiple final states

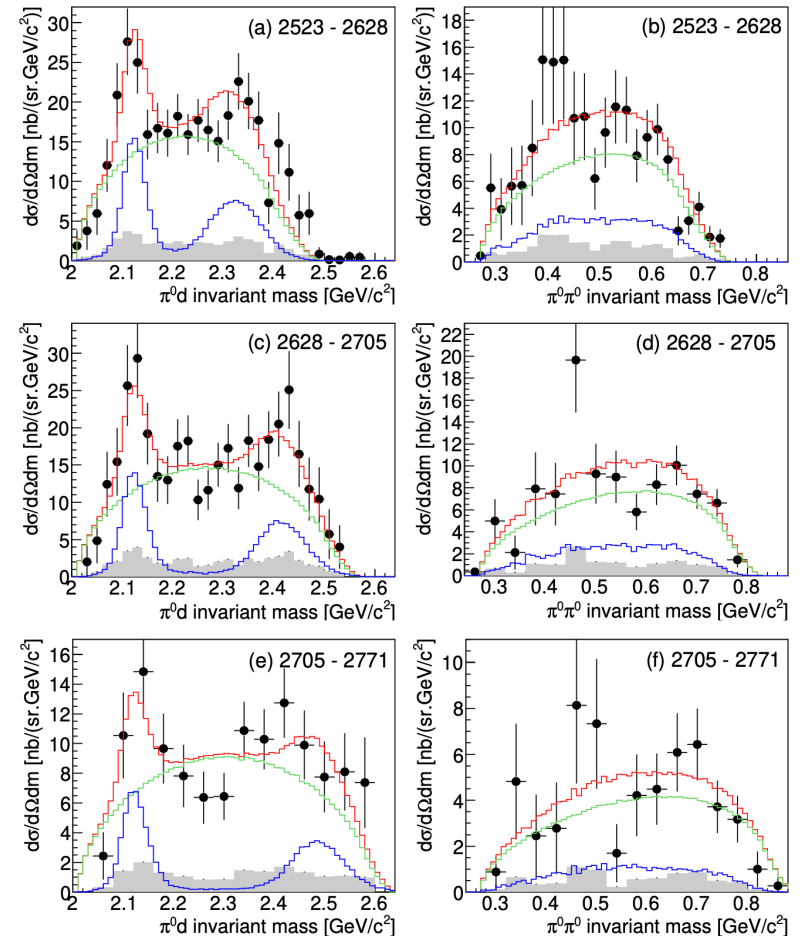
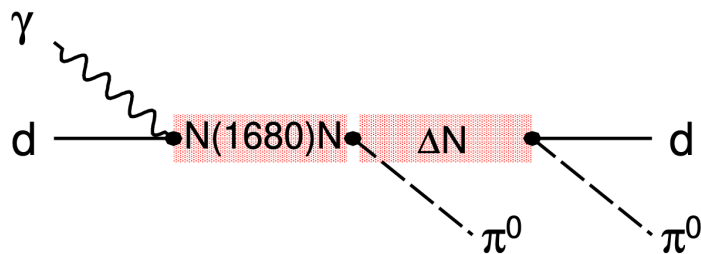
$\gamma d \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 d$ at ELPH PLB 789 (2019) 413 & PLB 772 (2017) 398



See also, preliminary data: M. Guenther et al (A2), PoS (Hadron 2017)051

Hexa-quarks ? – coherent photoproduction on d

- $\pi^0 d$ & $\pi^0 \pi^0$ invariant mass distributions for higher W intervals
- Simulated sequential decay - different masses & widths of the first dibaryon
- Sequential decay + Phase space = sum
- Mass of 2114 MeV/c² and width ~ 20 MeV/c² (exp. resolution!) proved optimal



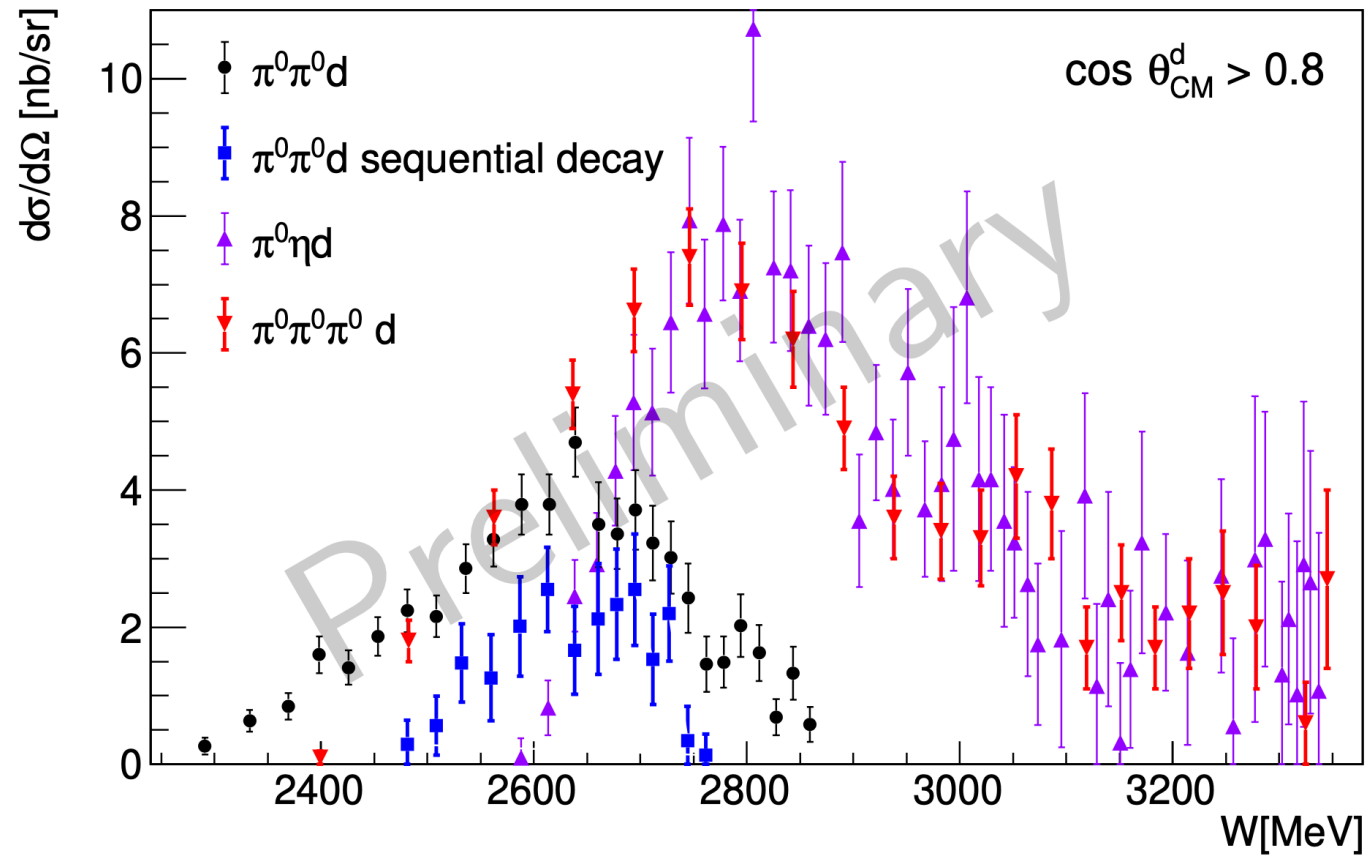
T.C. Jude et al [BGOOD], PLB 832 (2022) 137277



mostly consistent w/ ELPH

Hexa-quarks ? – coherent photoproduction on d

further channels coherent photoproduction

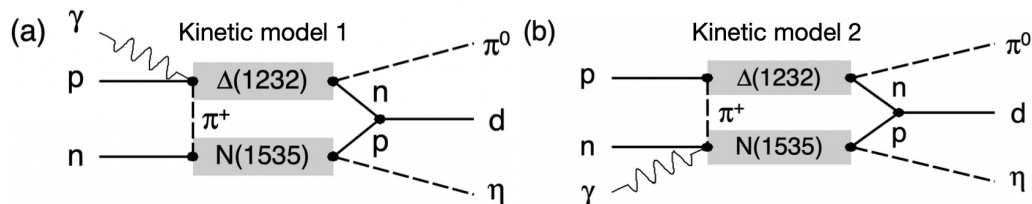


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coherent $\pi^0 \eta$ d photoproduction

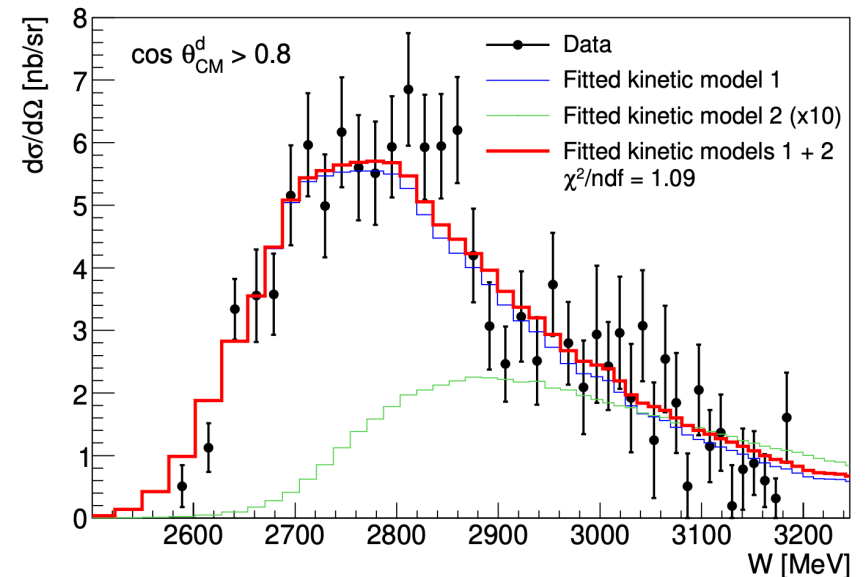
A. Figueiredo, T. C. Jude, et al. arXiv:2405.09392, submitted to PLB

- Distribution agrees well with models of pion re-scattering



- Similar strength of coherent channels could be explained by similar decay branching ratios::

- $N(1535) \rightarrow \pi N, \Gamma_i/\Gamma = 32 - 53 \%$
- $N(1535) \rightarrow \pi\pi N, \Gamma_i/\Gamma = 4 - 31 \%$
- $N(1535) \rightarrow \pi\eta N, \Gamma_i/\Gamma = 30 - 55 \%$



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