

Problems in Baryon Spectroscopy and Baryon Program at BES

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Outline

1. Why baryon spectroscopy ?
2. Problems in baryon spectroscopy
3. Baryon program at BES
4. Prospects

1. Why Baryon Spectroscopy from J/ψ Decays ?

- Baryons = the basic blocks of our world
- Baryons = the simplest system in which three colors of QCD neutralize into colorless objects and the essential confinement character of QCD is manifest.
- Spectroscopy = powerful tool for exploring microscopic structure of matter

Atomic Spectroscopy \Rightarrow **Atomic Quantum Theory**

Nuclear Spectroscopy \Rightarrow **Shell Model &
Collective motion Model**

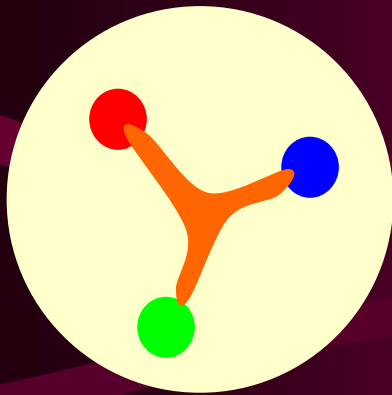
Baryon Spectroscopy \Rightarrow ?

- Very poor knowledge on baryon spectroscopy

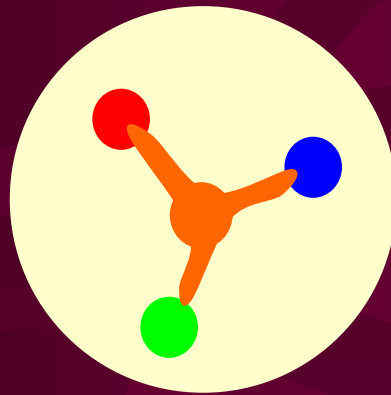
Why ?

2. Problems in baryon spectroscopy

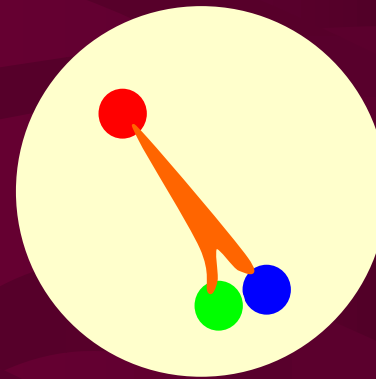
A. Theoretical problem: What are effective degrees of freedom ?



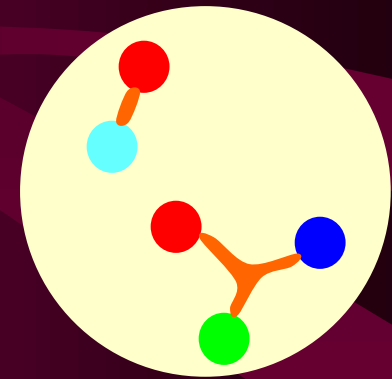
(a) 3q



(b) hybrid



(c) diquark



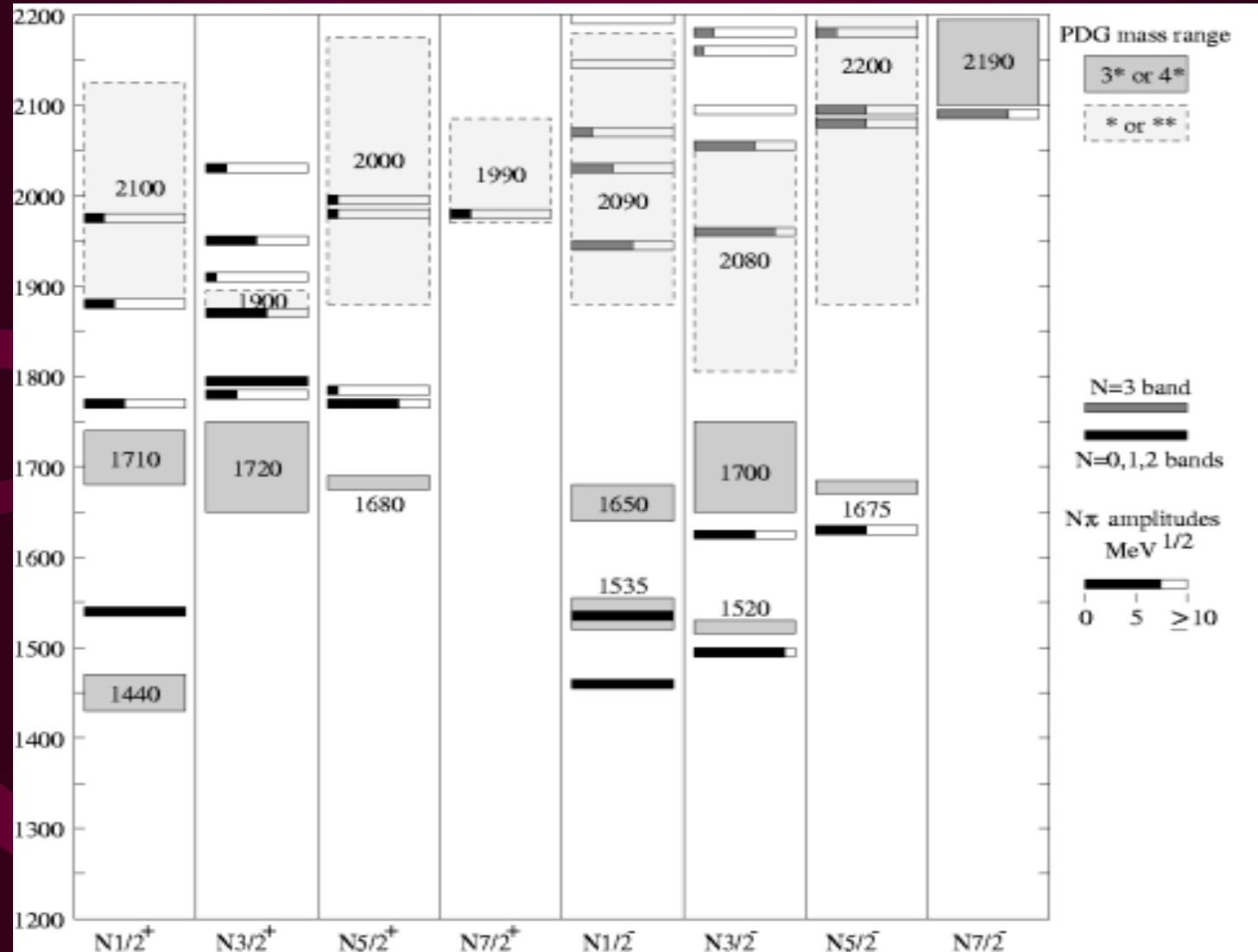
(d) multi-quark

Predicted states: (d) > (b) > (a) > (c)

“missing” baryon problem: observed states < (a) predicted states

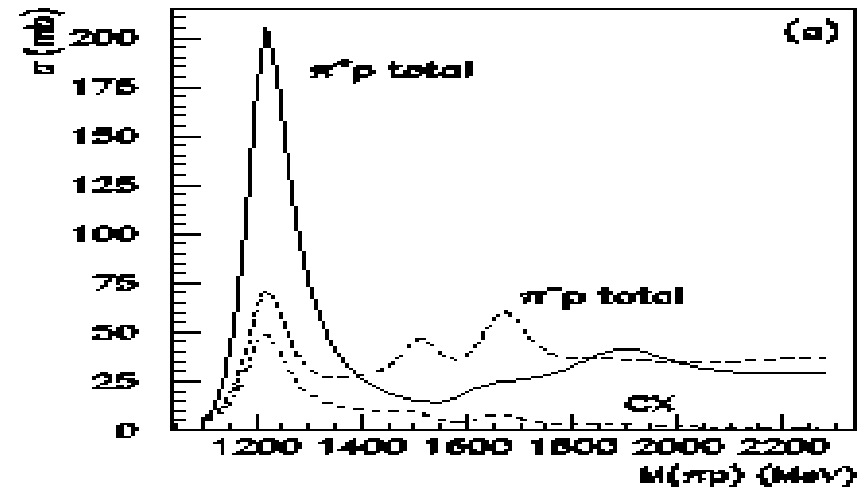
“Missing” N* Problem

Capstick et al.

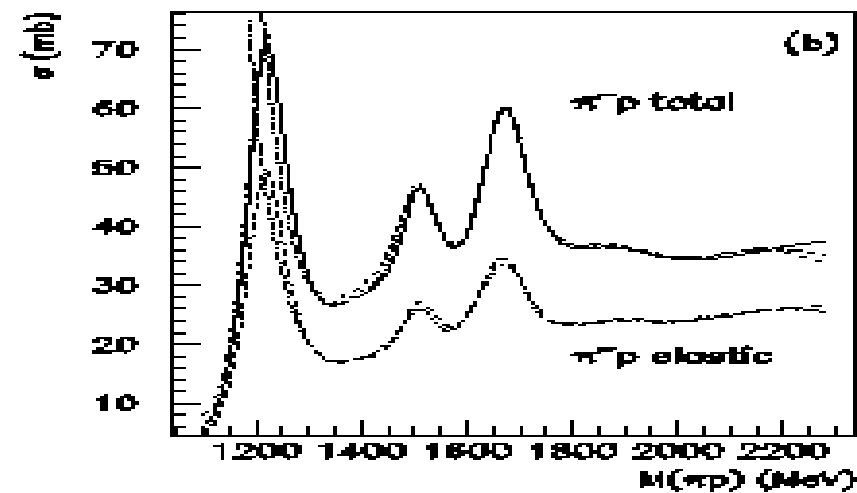


B. Experimental Problems :

- Mixture of different isospin states
- Overlap of broad resonances of various spins



$$\Rightarrow (7 - 10) \Delta^*$$



$$\Rightarrow (10 - 13) N^*$$

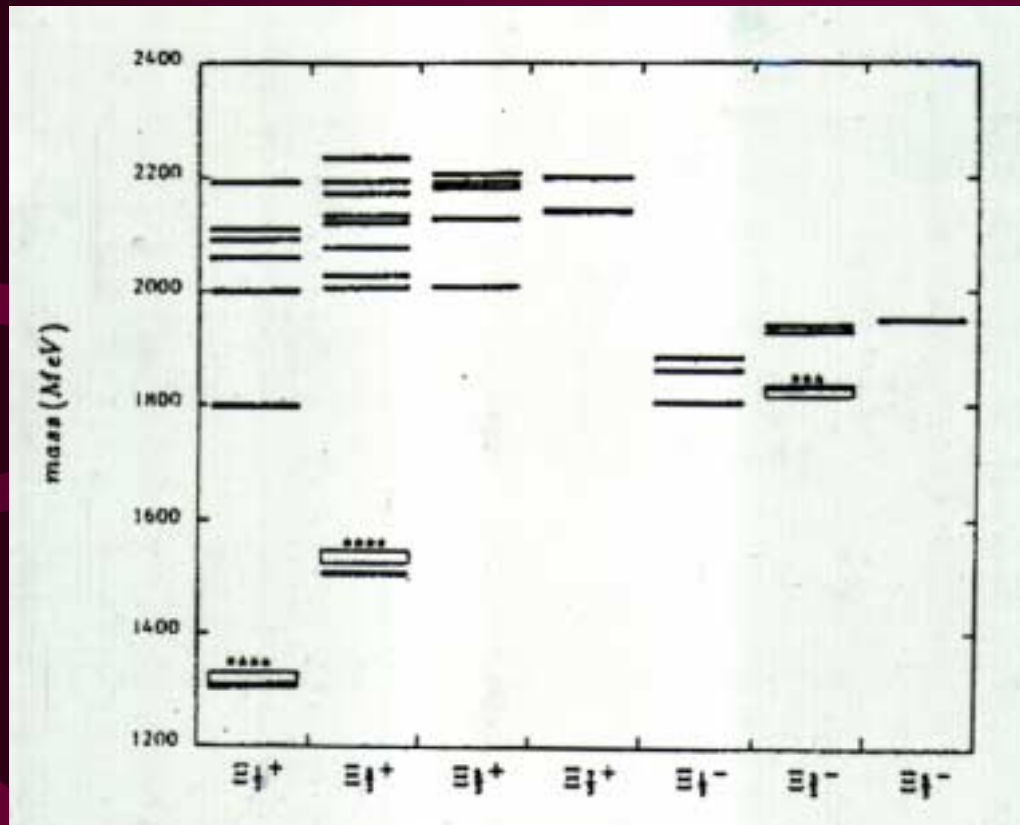
$$K^- p \rightarrow \Lambda^*, \Sigma^* \rightarrow K^- p$$



$$(7-12) \Lambda^* \quad \& \quad (4-8) \Sigma^*$$

Problem: Lack of kaon beam

(ssq) - Baryon Spectroscopy $[1]^*$



Capstick & Isgur
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Theory is not challenged due to lack of data !

New Facilities for N*:

- CEBAF@JLAB, USA
- ELSA@Bonn, Germany
- GRAAL@Grenoble, France
- Spring8@JASRI, Japan

- N*(1440) first radial excitation

M = 1345-1470, $\Gamma = 160-450$ MeV

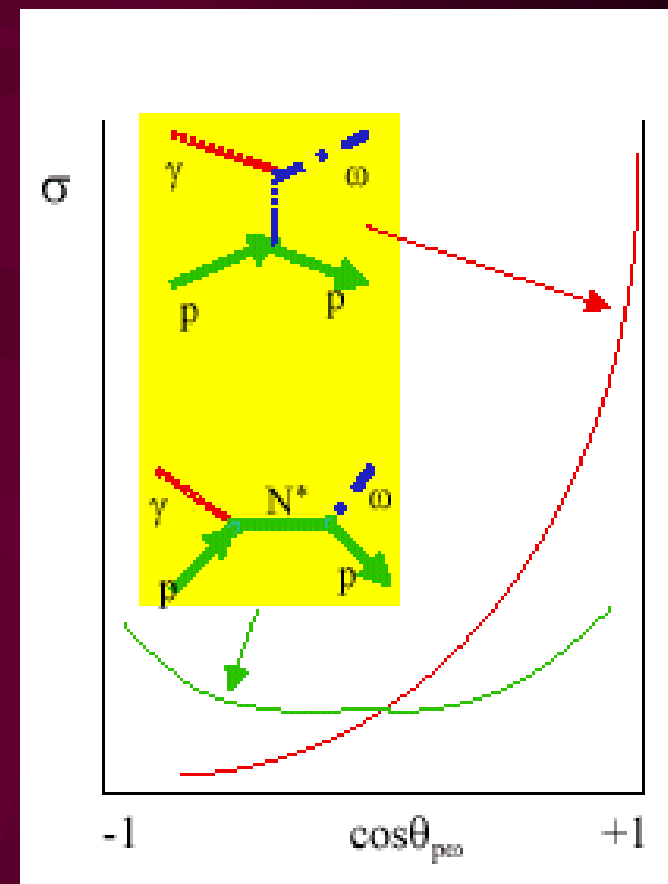
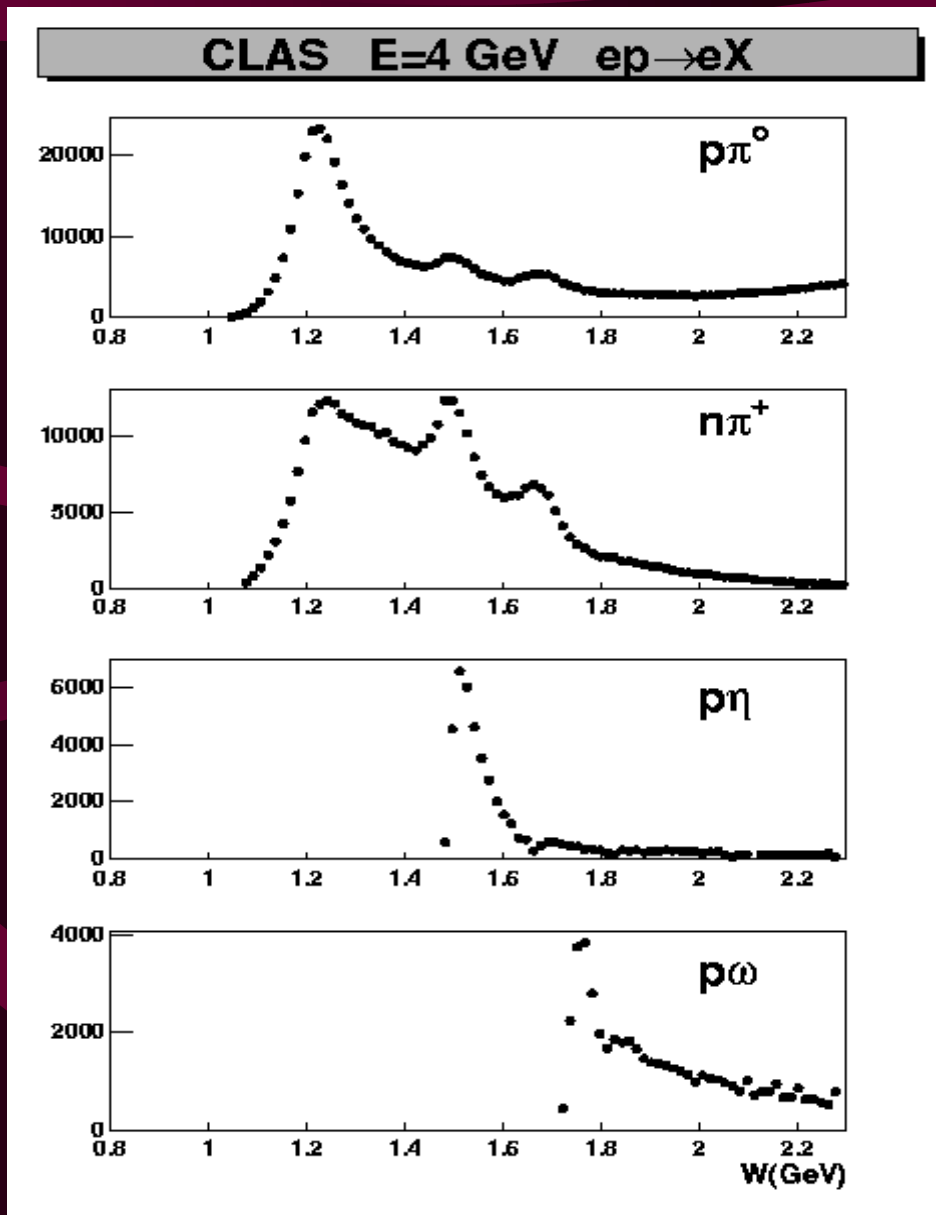
- N*(1535) first L=1 excitation

M = 1495-1555, $\Gamma = 90-250$ MeV

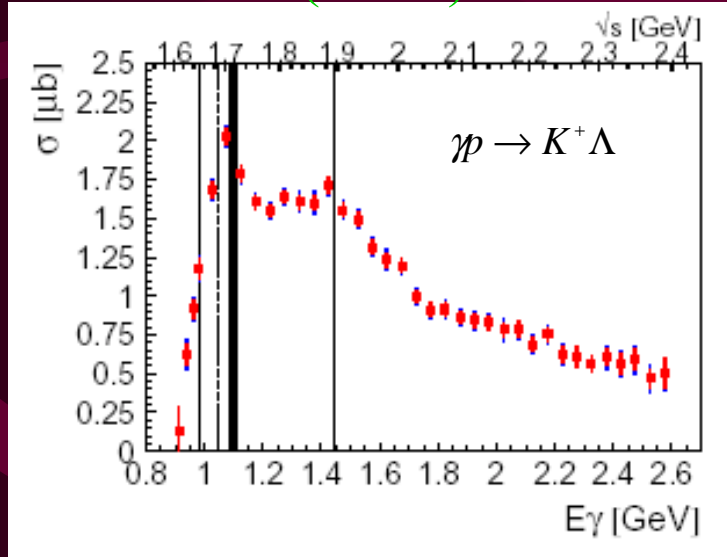
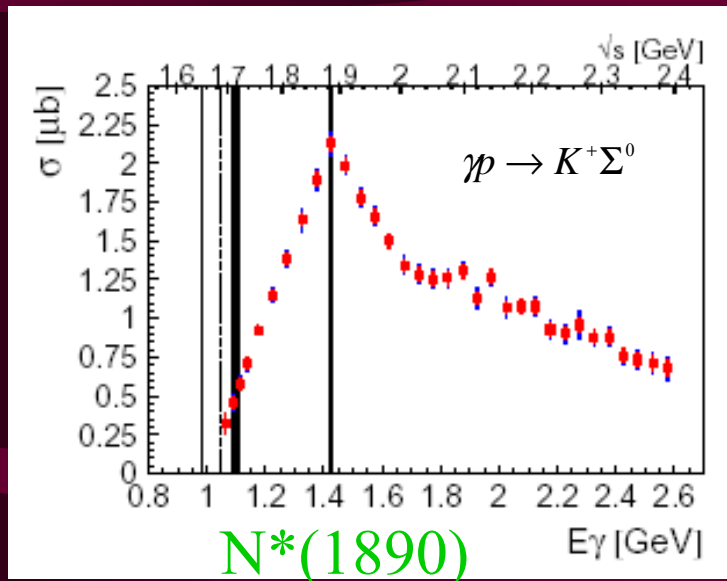
- Missing N* resonances

Hybrid (qqqg), 3-quark, diquark-q

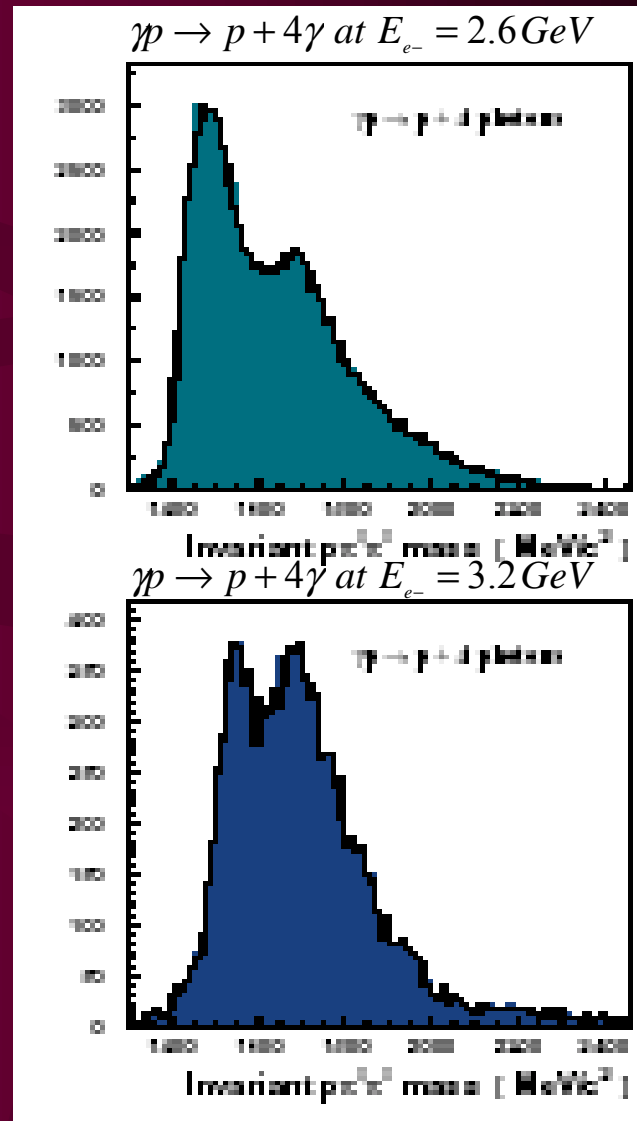
Key issues:



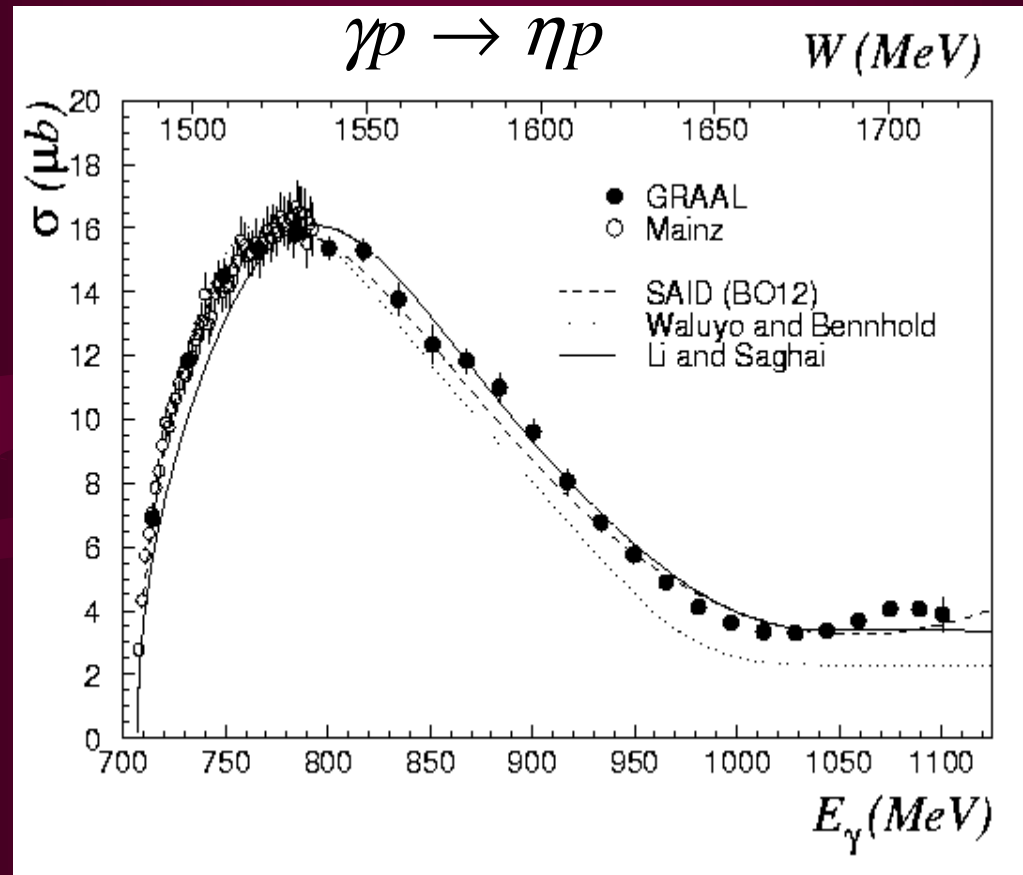
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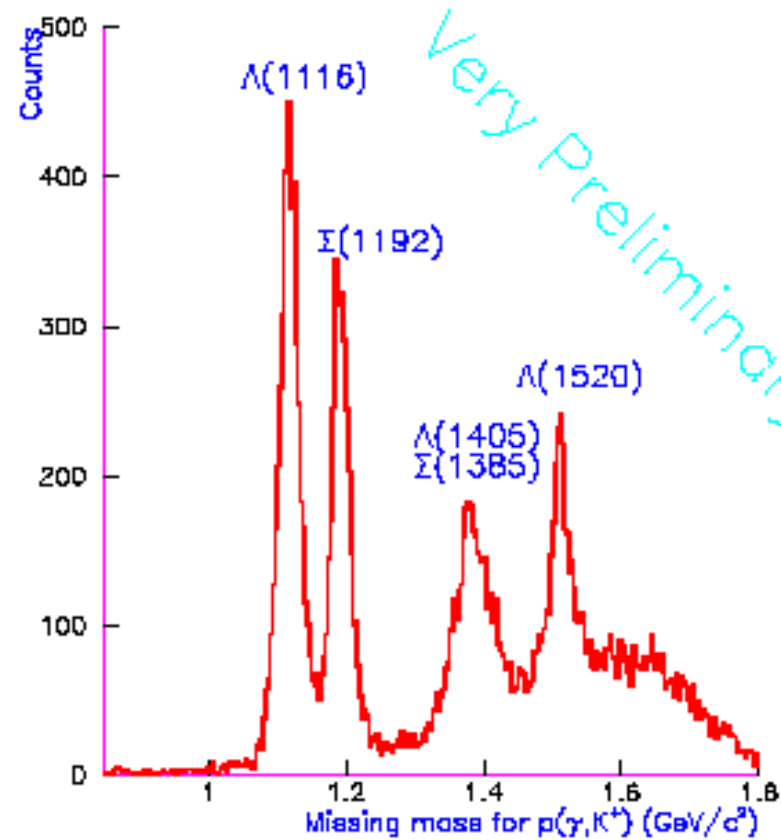
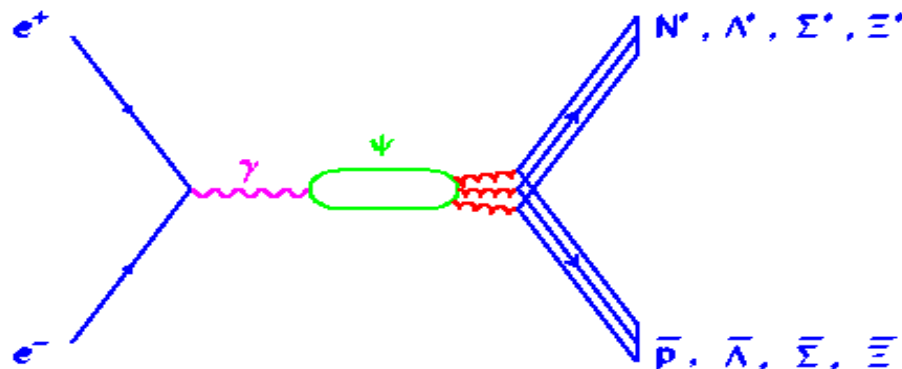


Figure 7. A missing mass distribution of (γ, K^+) reactions.

3. Baryon program at BES@BEPC:

$$J/\Psi \rightarrow \bar{B} B M \Rightarrow N^*, \Lambda^*, \Sigma^*, \Xi^*$$



J/Ψ decay branching ratios ($\text{BR} \times 10^3$) for some interested channels

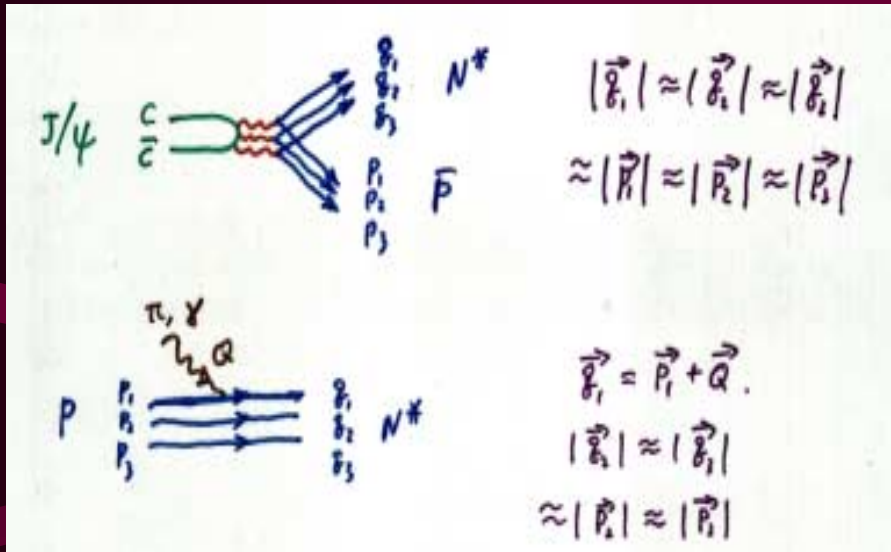
$p\bar{p}$	$\Lambda\bar{\Lambda}$	$\Sigma^0\bar{\Sigma}^0$	$\Xi\bar{\Xi}$	$\Lambda\bar{\Sigma}^-\pi^+$	$pK^-\bar{\Lambda}$	$pK^-\bar{\Sigma}^0$
2.1 ± 0.1	1.4 ± 0.1	1.3 ± 0.2	1.8 ± 0.4	1.1 ± 0.1	0.9 ± 0.2	0.3 ± 0.1
$p\bar{n}\pi^-$	$p\bar{p}\pi^0$	$p\bar{p}\pi^+\pi^-$	$p\bar{p}\eta$	$p\bar{p}\eta'$	$p\bar{p}\omega$	$K^-\Lambda\bar{\Xi}^+ ?$
2.0 ± 0.1	1.1 ± 0.1	6.0 ± 0.5	2.1 ± 0.2	0.9 ± 0.4	1.3 ± 0.3	$K^+\bar{\Lambda}\Xi^- ?$

Experimental advantages:

- Pure isospin 1/2 πN and $\pi\pi N$: $\Psi \rightarrow \bar{n}p\pi^-, \bar{p}p\pi^0, \bar{p}n\pi^+, \bar{p}p\pi^+\pi^-$
- Missing N^* with small couplings to πN & γN , but large coupling to $gggN$: $\Psi \rightarrow \bar{p}p\eta, \bar{p}p\omega, \bar{p}p\eta', \bar{p}p\phi, \bar{p}\Lambda K, \bar{p}\Sigma K, \dots$
- Not only N^* , but also $\Lambda^*, \Sigma^*, \Xi^*$: $\Psi \rightarrow \Xi\Lambda K, \Xi\Sigma K, \dots$
- Less allowed spins due to threshold effect, hence less overlap effects.

Theoretical advantages:

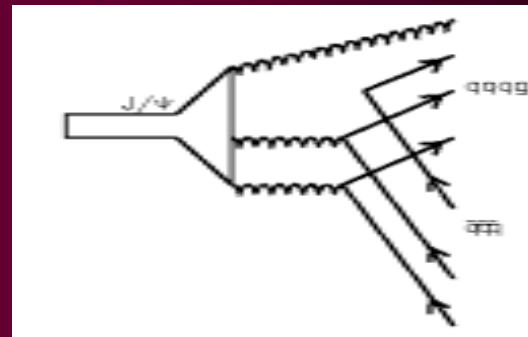
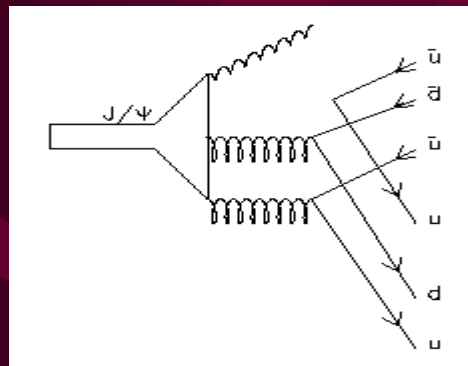
- A new way to probe the quark structure of N^*



Probe different aspects of the quark distributions inside N^* .

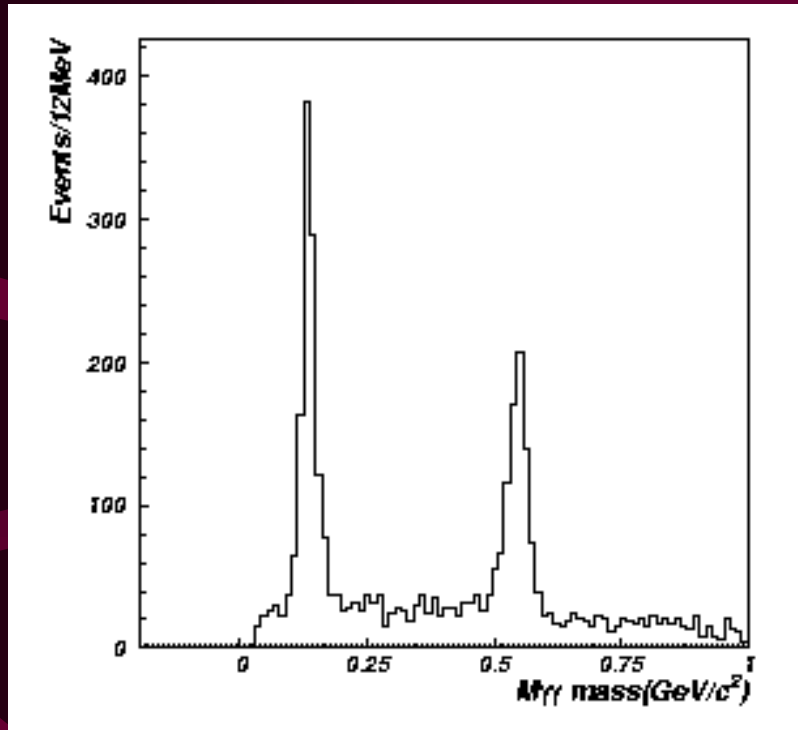
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- Study hybrid baryon

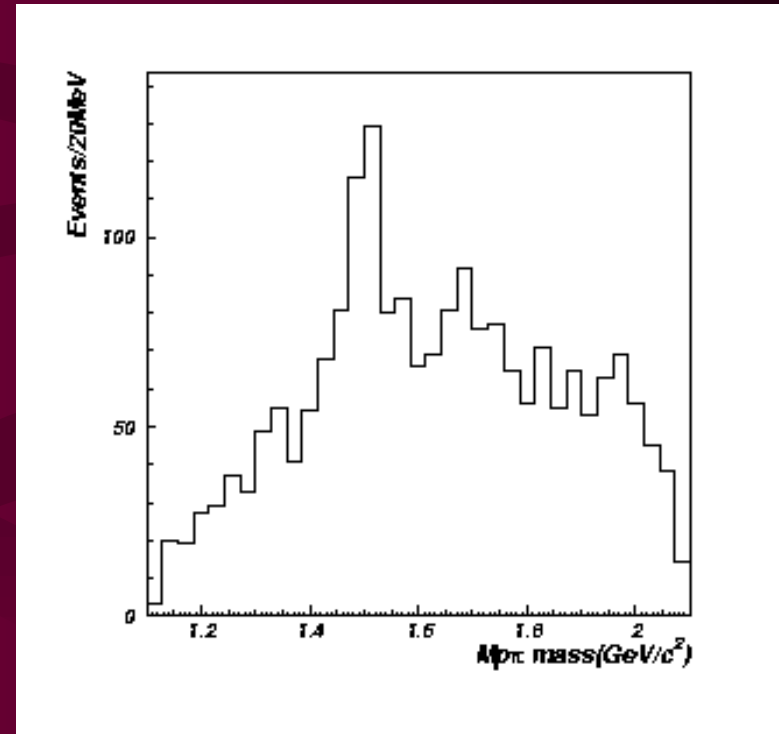


Some results from BES

$$M_{\gamma\gamma} \text{ in } J/\Psi \rightarrow \bar{p}p\gamma\gamma$$



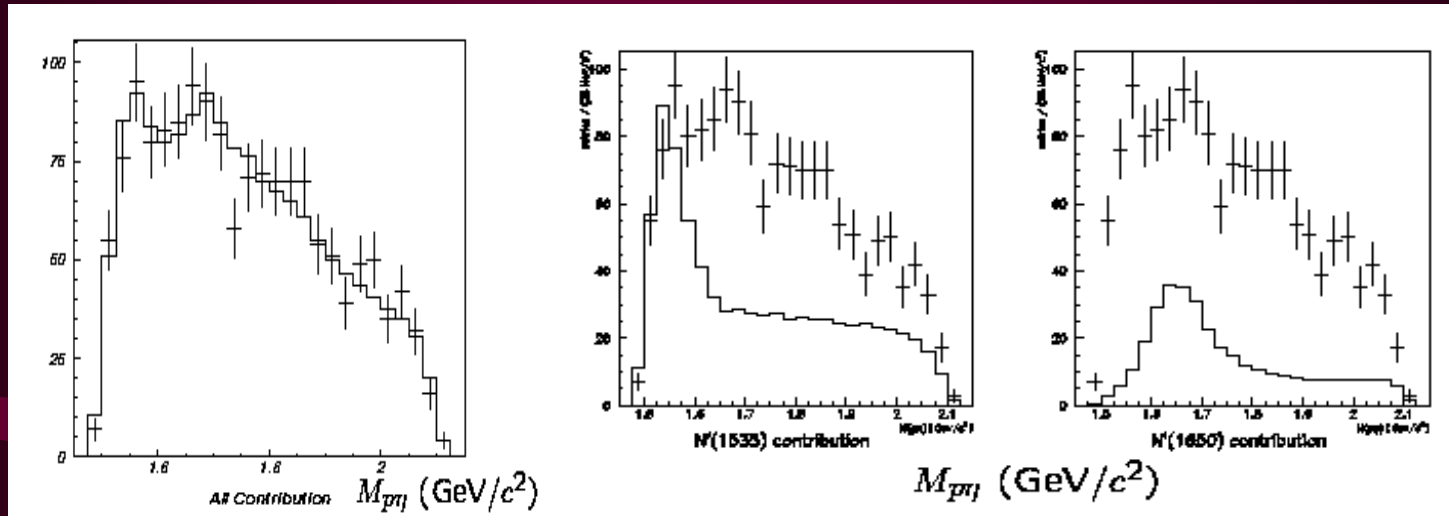
$$M_{N\pi} \text{ in } J/\Psi \rightarrow \bar{p}p\pi^0$$



BESI 7.8M J/ ψ

H.B.Li, BES, H.C.Chiang, G.X.Peng, B.S.Zou, Nucl. Phys. A675 (2000) 189c

PWA Results from $J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{p}\eta$ (BES I 7.8M)



$N^*(1535)$ parameters	BES	PDG2000
Mass (MeV)	1530 ± 10	1520 – 1555
Γ (MeV)	95 ± 25	100 – 250
$N^*(1650)$ parameters	BES	PDG2000
Mass (MeV)	1647 ± 20	1640 – 1680
Γ (MeV)	145^{+80}_{-45}	145 – 190

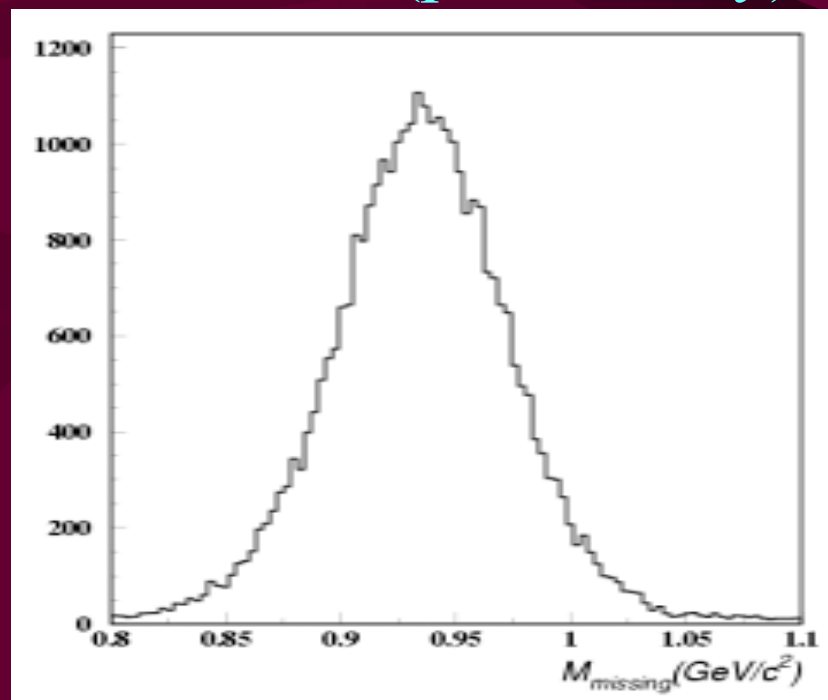
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$J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{n}\pi^-$ from BESII data

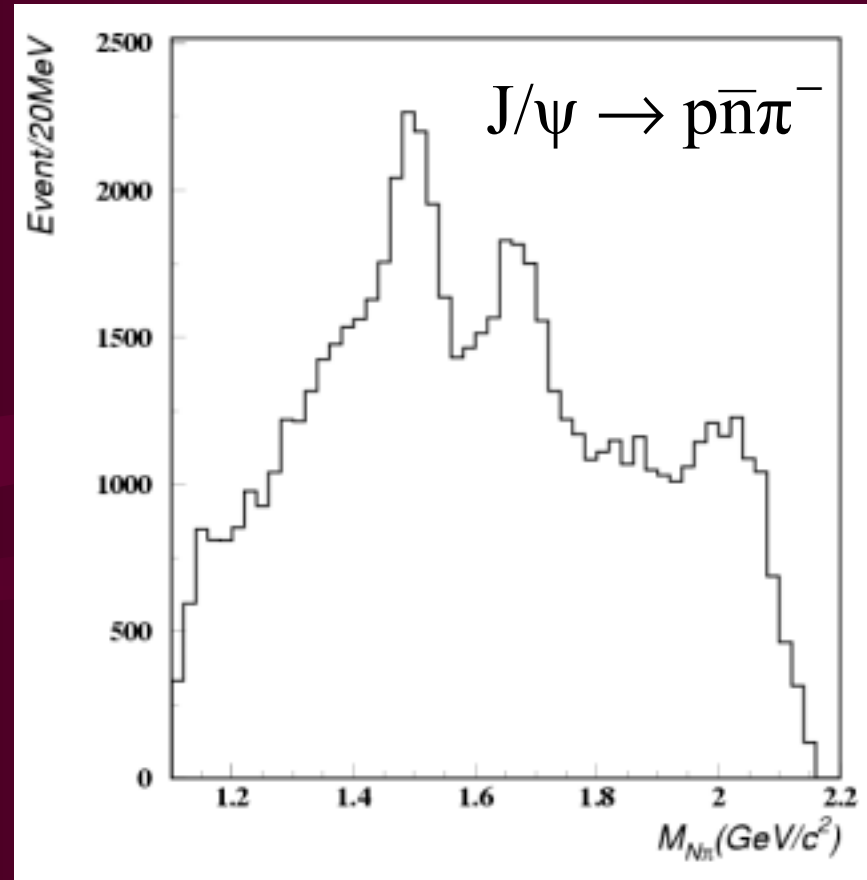
● Events selection

- 2 good charged tracks
- $Q1+Q2 = 0$
- $|\cos\theta| < 0.85$
- PID: TOF and dE/dx
- $Prob(\chi^2, 1C) > 0.055$
- $0.78 \text{ GeV} < M_{\text{missing}} < 1.13 \text{ GeV}$
- $M_{p\pi} > 1.13 \text{ GeV}$

BESII 27M (preliminary)



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Why $N^*(2020)$ peak? $L=0$ limits it to be $3/2^+$ or $1/2^+$
A new “missing” N^* ?

- partial wave analysis is performed
- partial waves used in the fit:

$N^*(1440) (1/2+)$

$N^*(1520) (3/2-)$

$N^*(1535) (1/2-)$

$N^*(1650) (1/2-)$

$N^*(1675) (5/2-)$

$N^*(1680) (5/2+)$

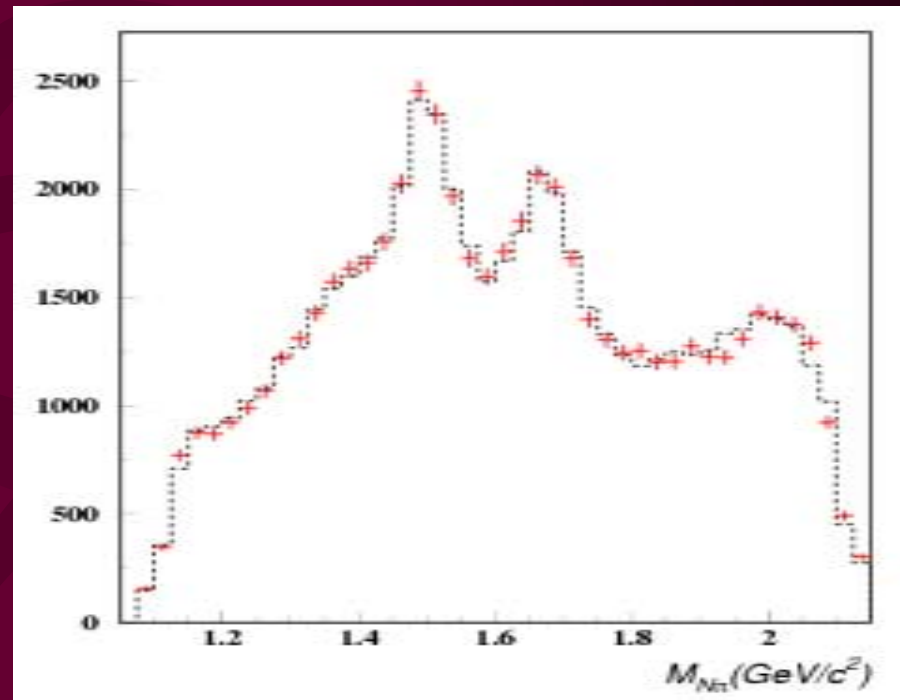
$N^*(2020) (3/2+)$

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Where, $N^*(1440)$, $N^*(1520)$, $N^*(1535)$ and $N^*(1680)$ are most significant.

$N^*(2020) (3/2+)$: $M = 2020 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$, $\Gamma = 220 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$

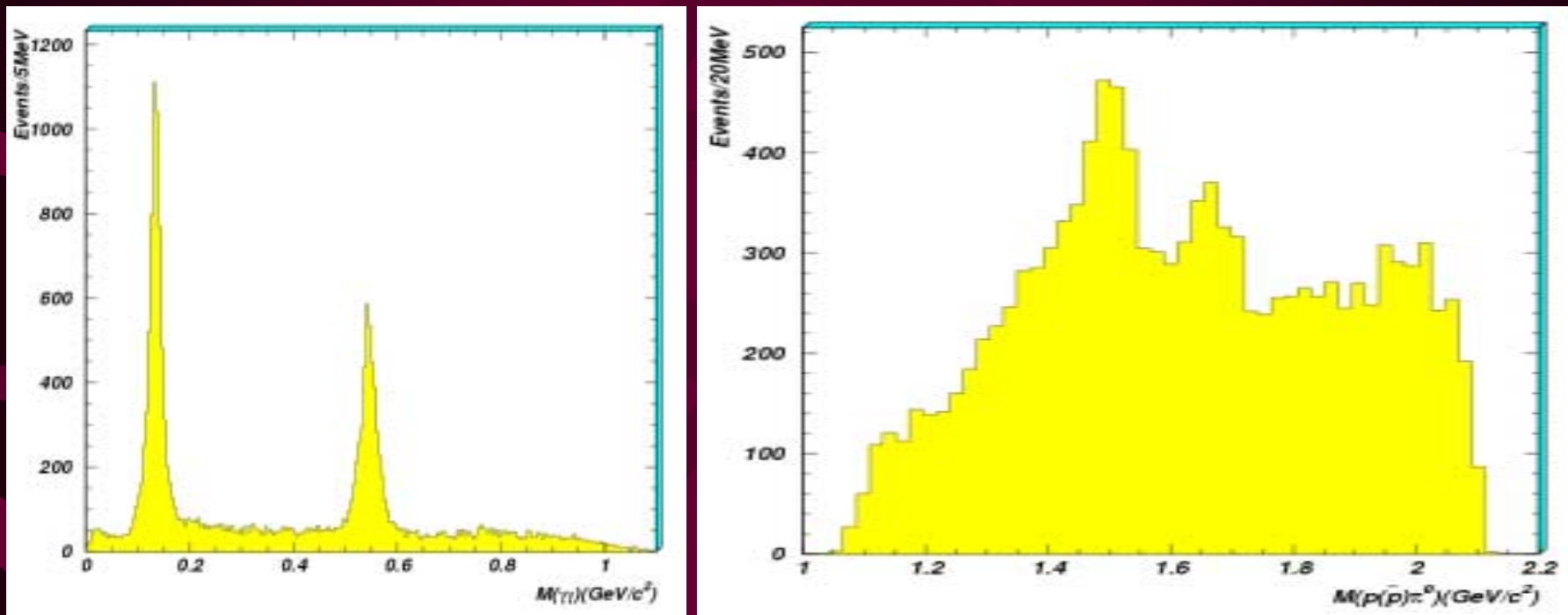
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Errors are under further investigation

$J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{p}\pi^0$ from BESII data

BESII 58M (preliminary)



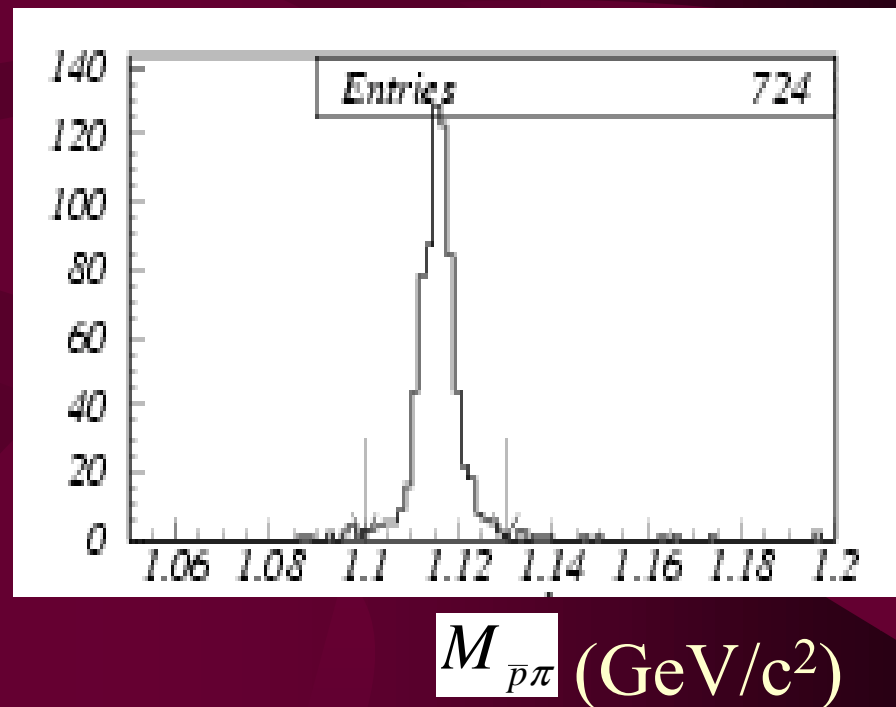
PWA will be performed

$J/\psi \rightarrow p\bar{p}K\pi$ from BESII data

Events selection

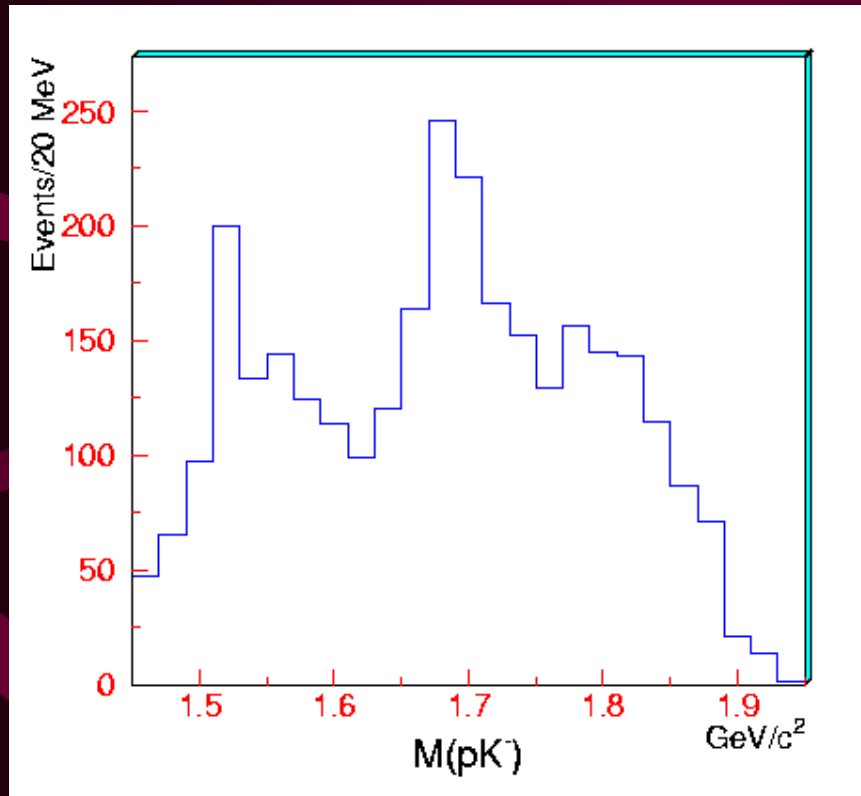
- 4 good charged tracks
- At least one $p(\bar{p})$
- $\chi^2 < 20$
- $0.35 \text{ GeV} < M_K < 0.65 \text{ GeV}$

BESII 58M (preliminary)



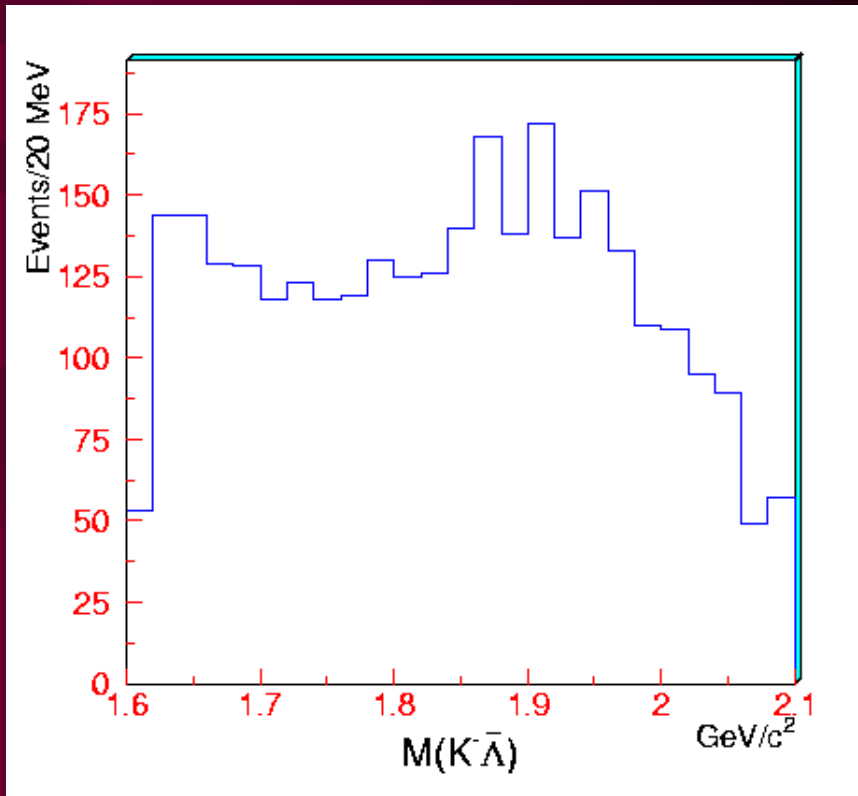
$J/\psi \rightarrow pK\Lambda$ from BESII preliminary

Λ^*



$\Lambda(1520)$, $\Lambda(1690)$ and $\Lambda(1810)$

N^*

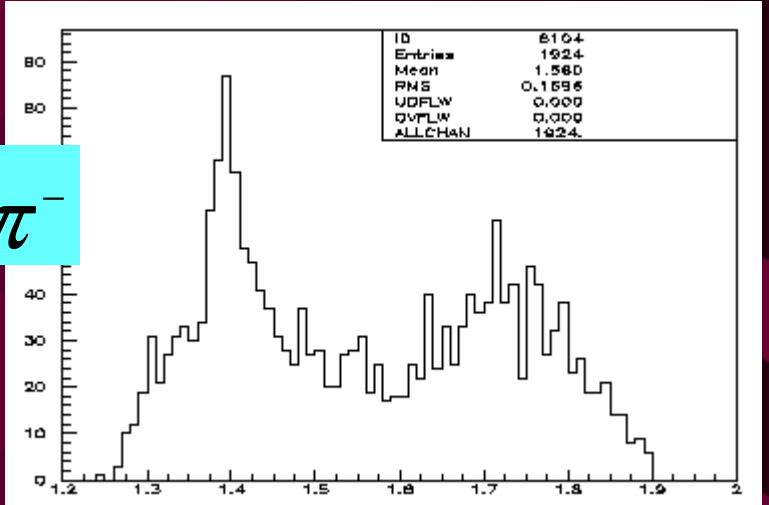
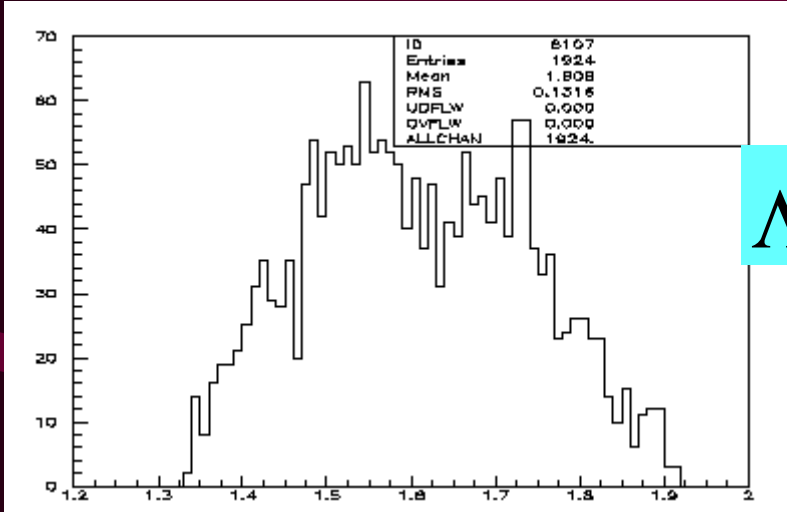


$N^*(1900)$?

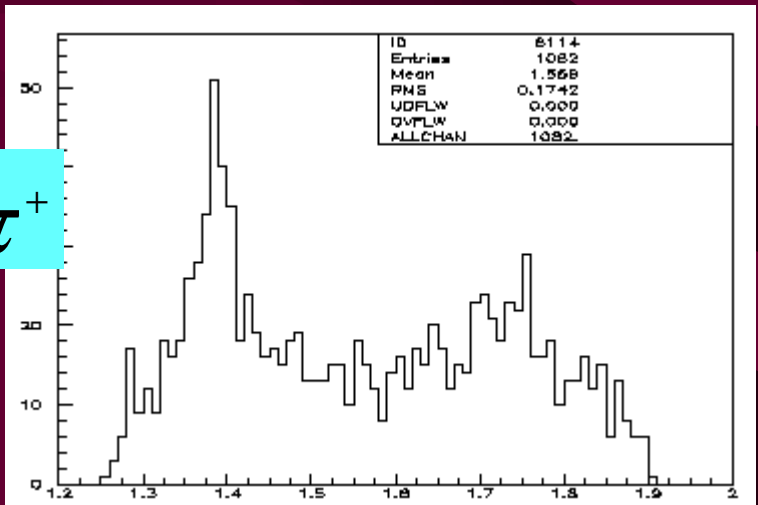
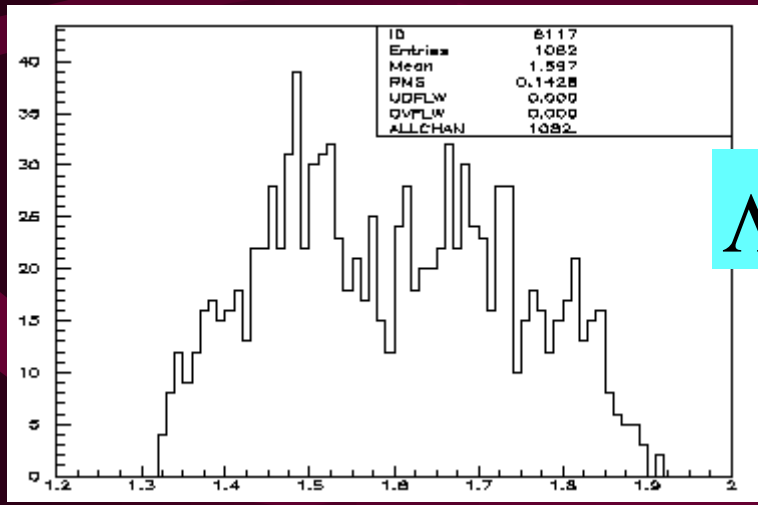
$J/\psi \rightarrow \Sigma\Lambda\pi$ for Λ^* and Σ^* (BESII very preliminary)

Λ^*

Σ^*



$\Lambda \Sigma^- \pi^+$



$\Lambda \Sigma^- \pi^+$

$M_{\pi\Sigma}$

$M_{\pi\Lambda}$

4. Prospects

BESII 58M J/ψ Many interesting baryonic channels
with a lot of PWA hard works to do

BESIII@BEPC2 (2007) $10^{10} J/\psi$ & $10^9 \psi'$

CEBAF, ELSA, GRAAL, Spring-8, CLEO-c, JHF(kaon beam)
competition & complementary



Complete N^* , Λ^* , Σ^* , Ξ^* baryon spectroscopy



Internal quark gluon structure of baryons !