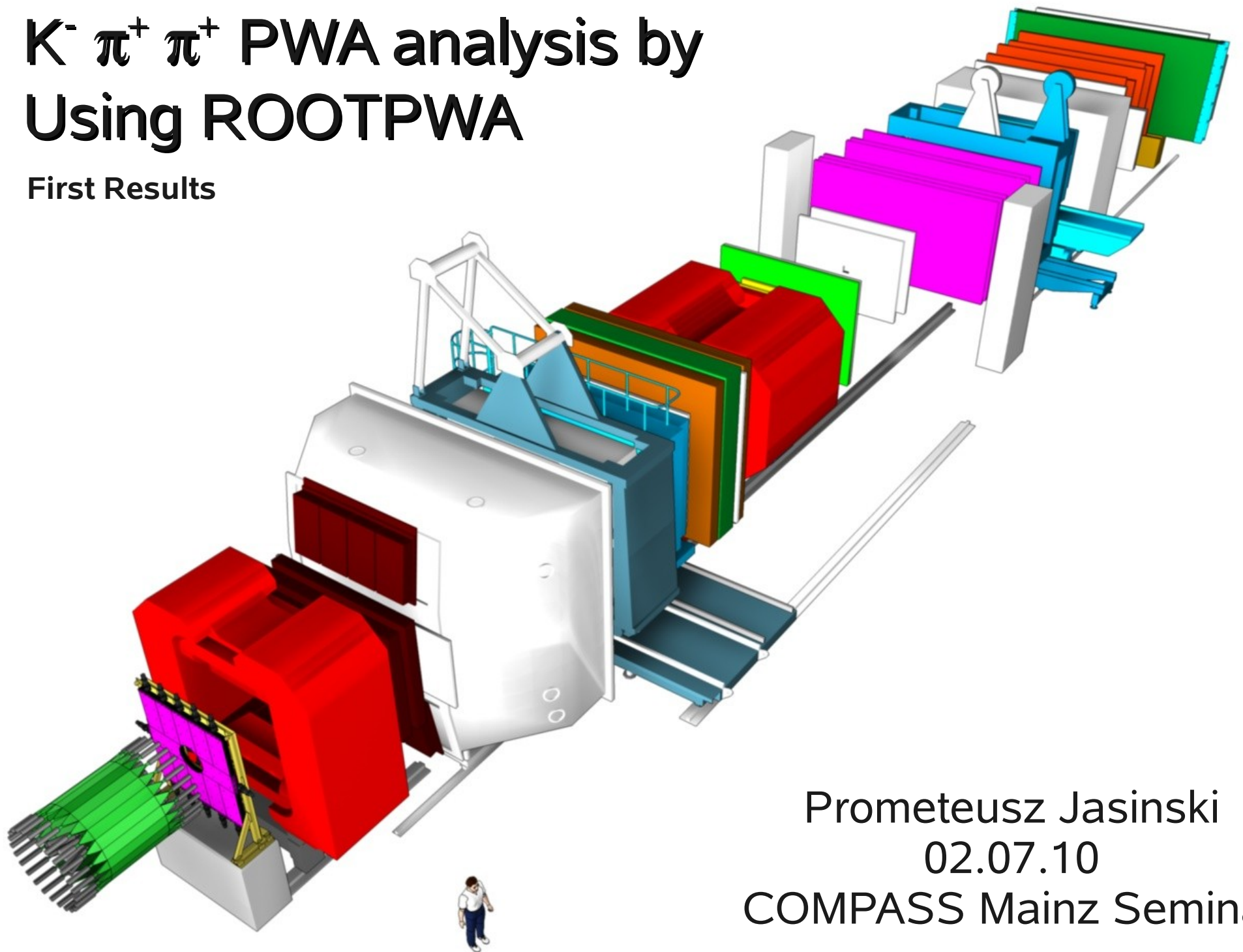


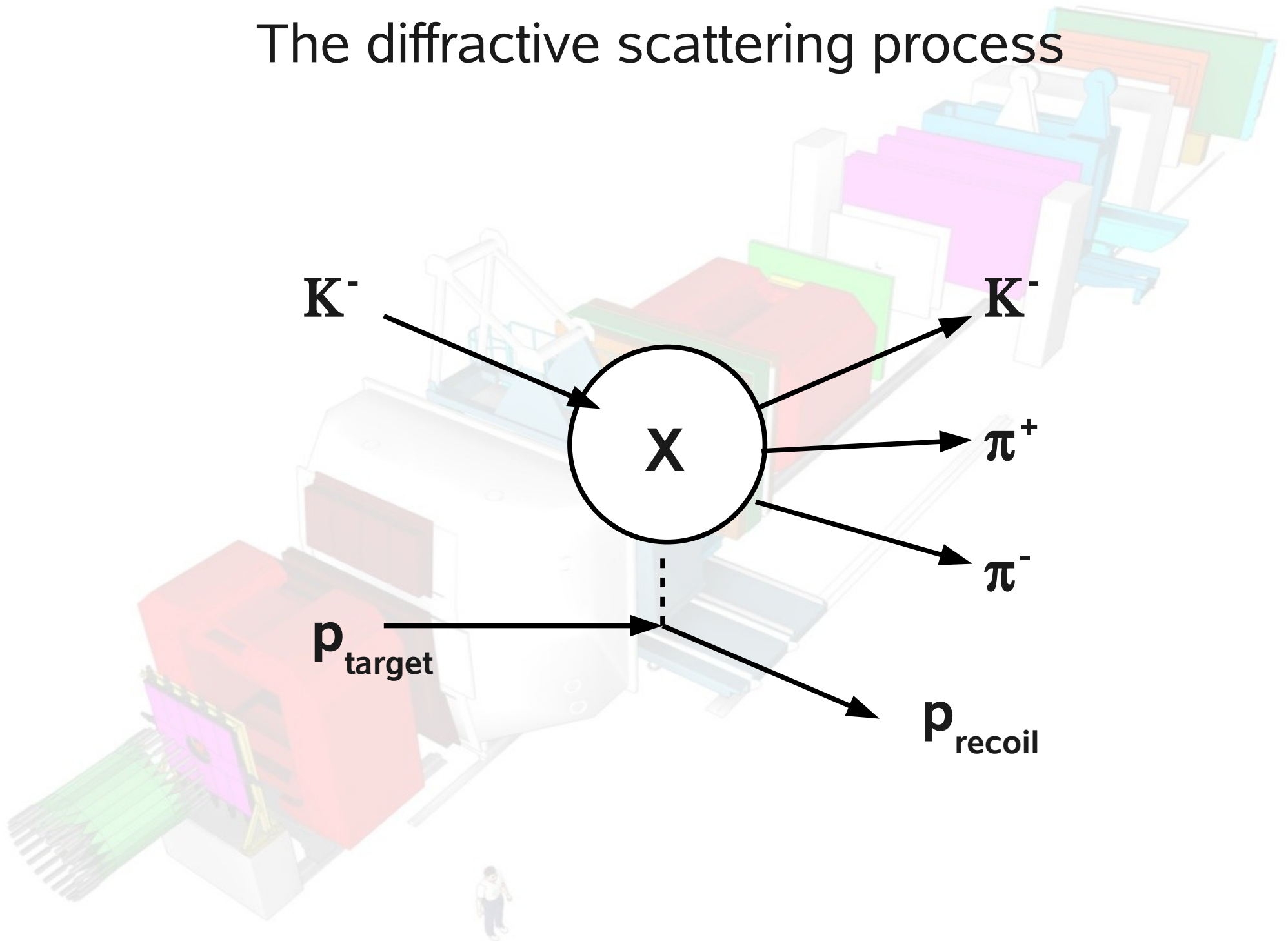
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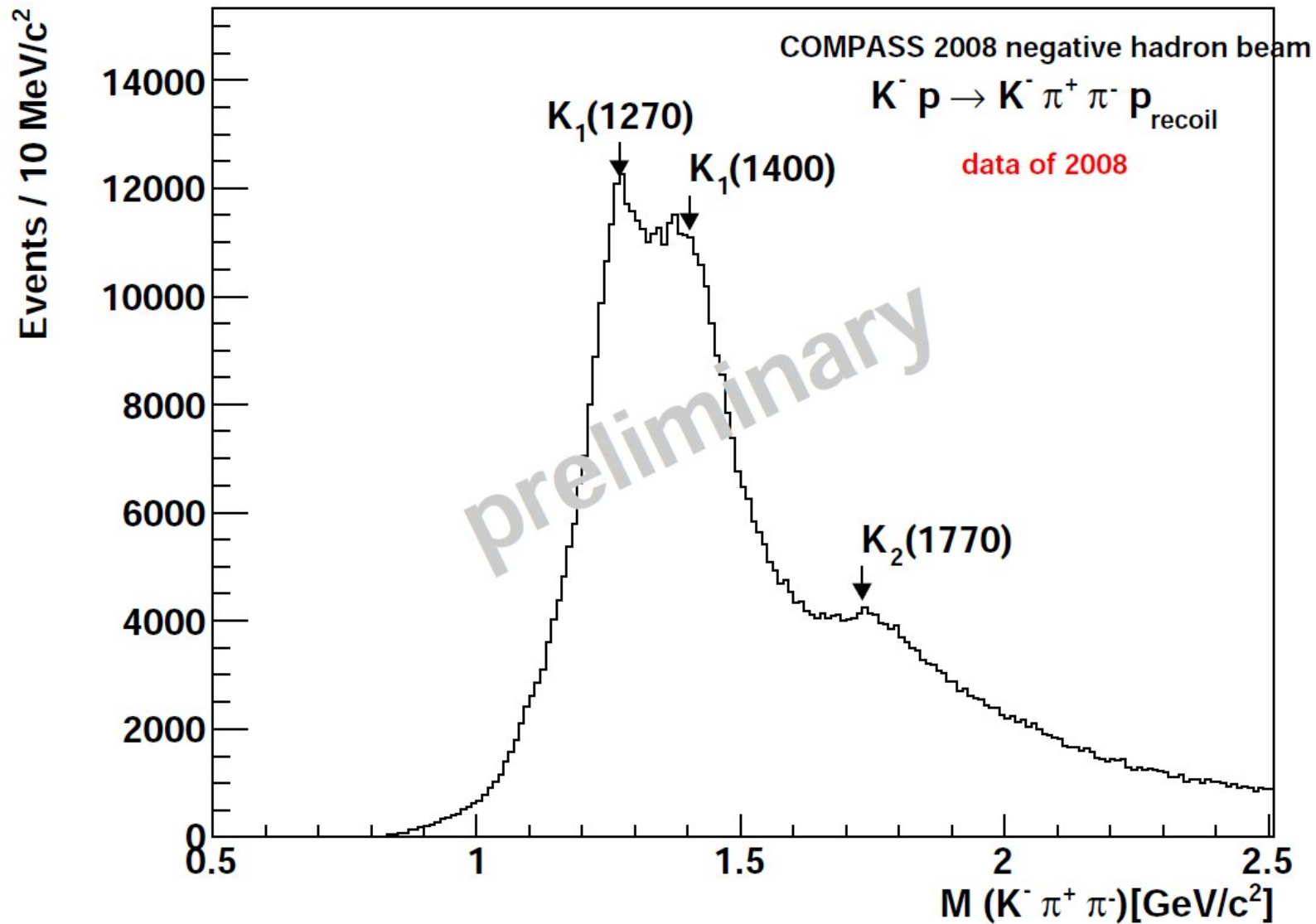


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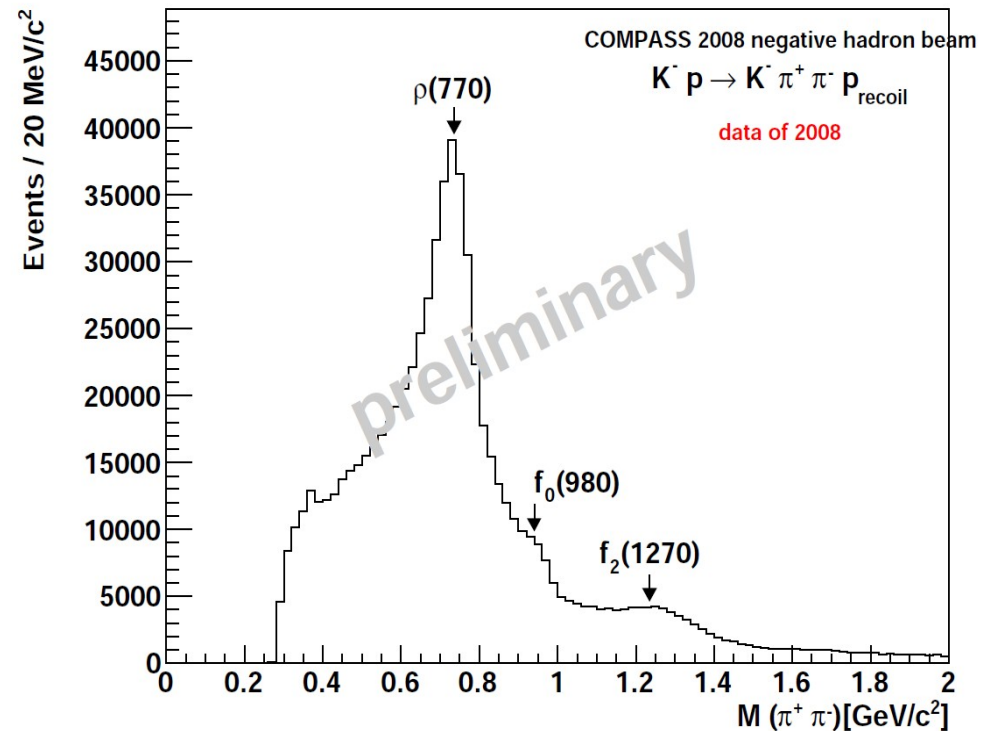
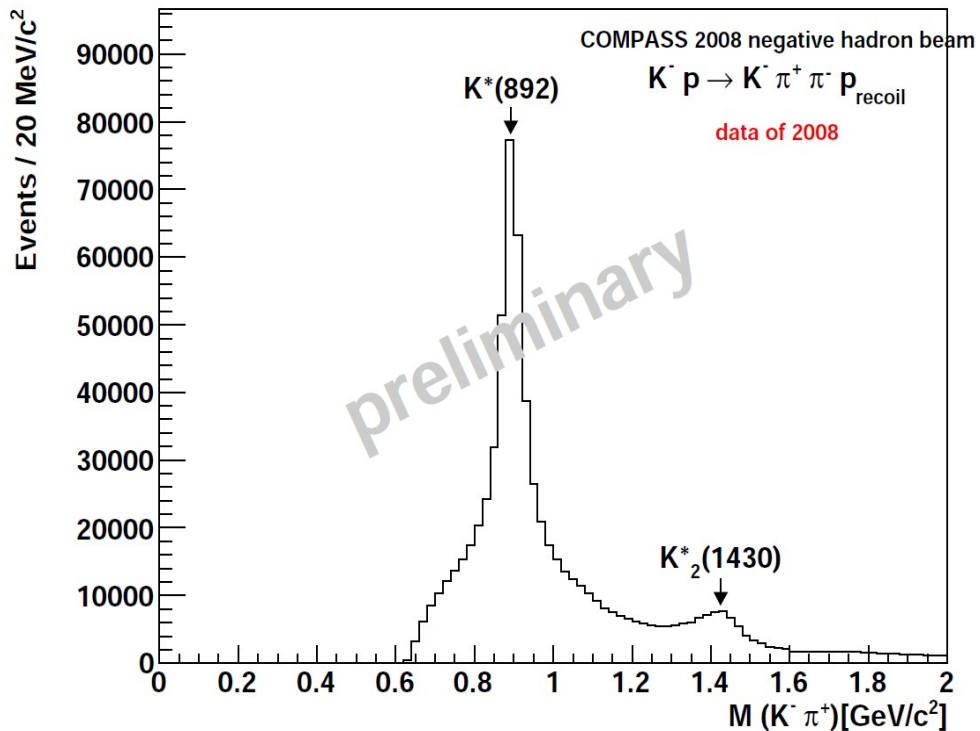


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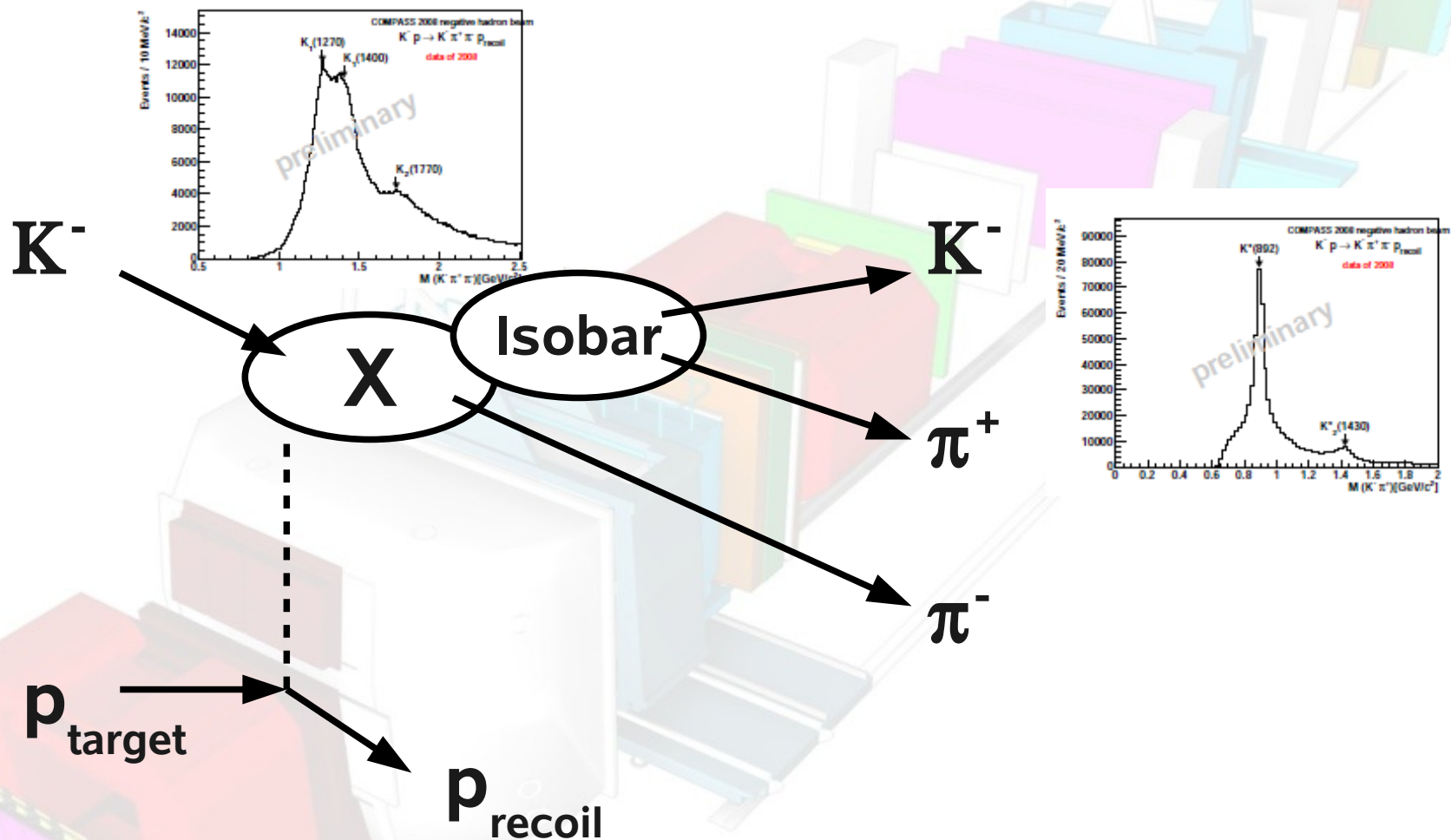
What about subsystems? Let's have a look...

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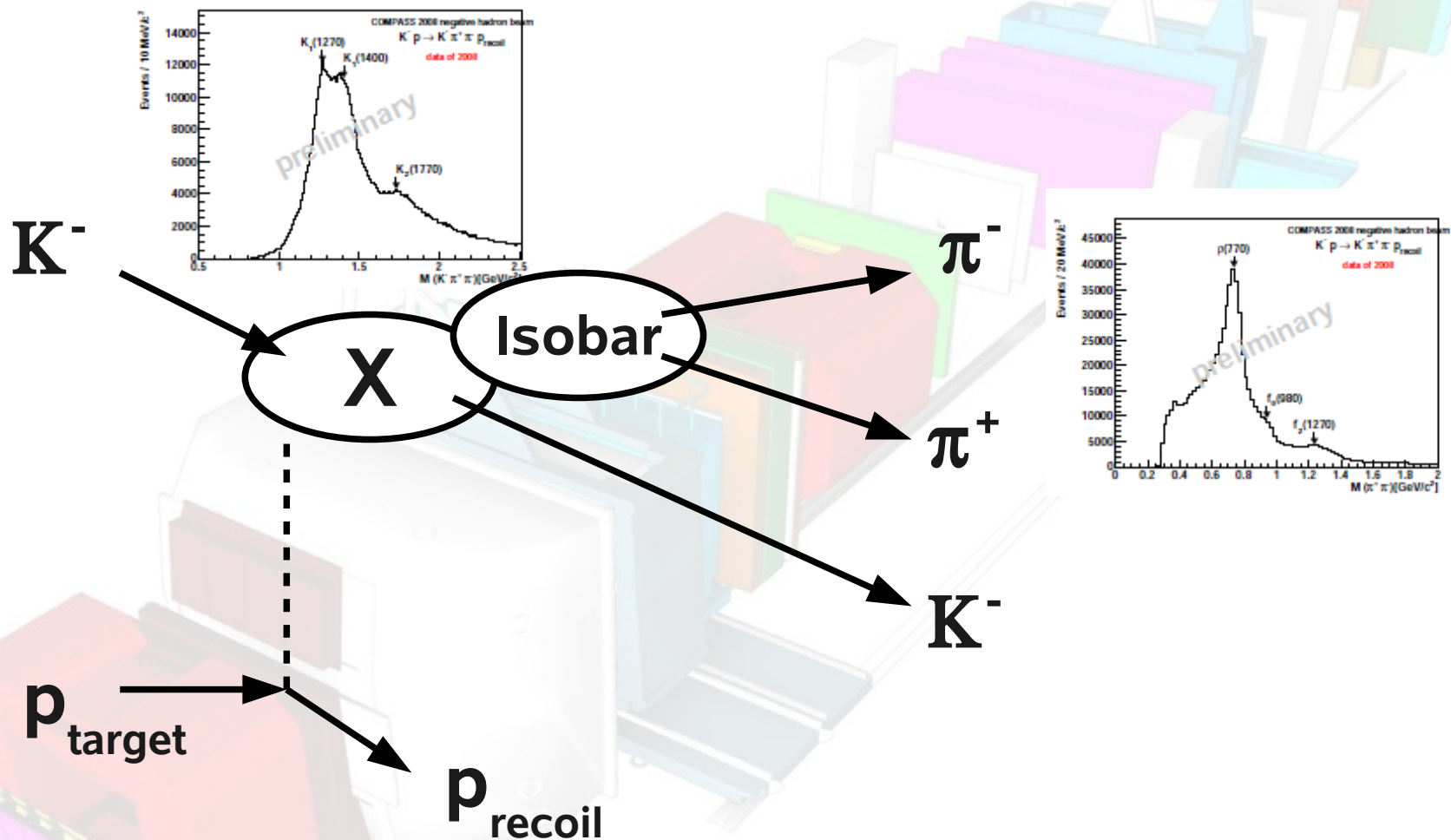


Aha, there is structure, too → Assuming an isobar decay chain...

Isobar model assumption: A decay chain

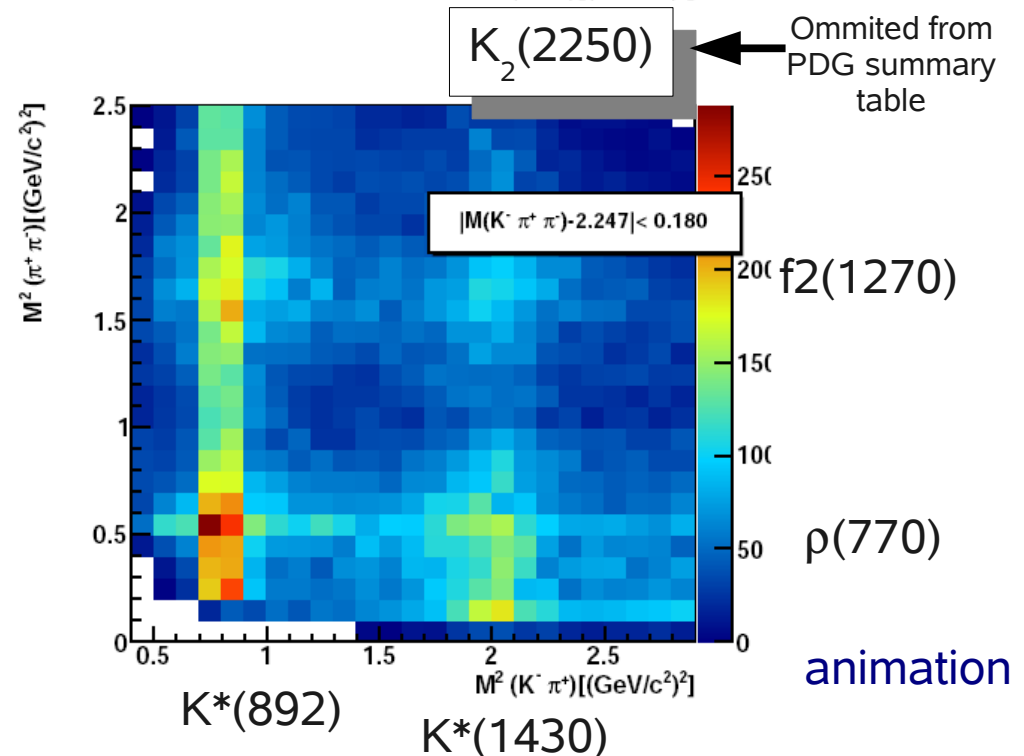
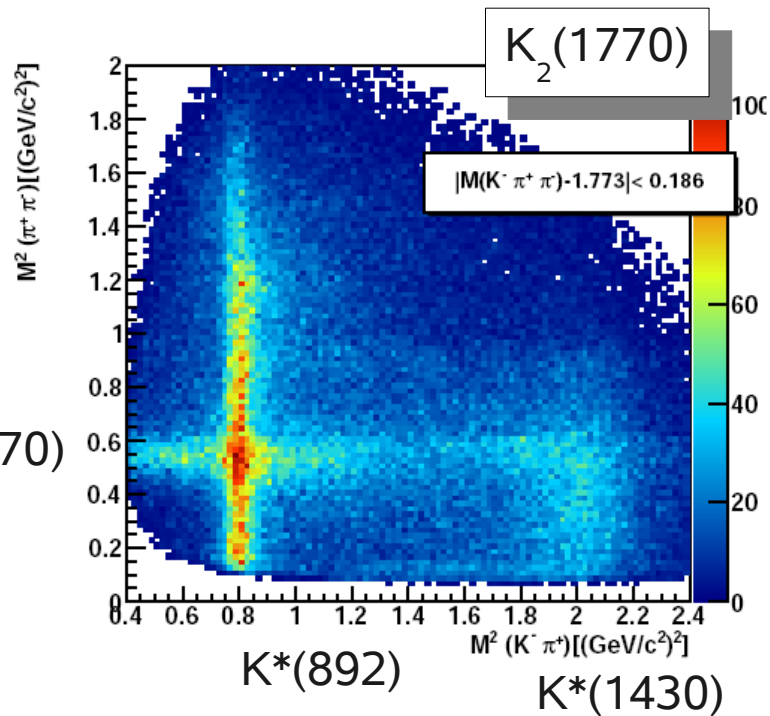
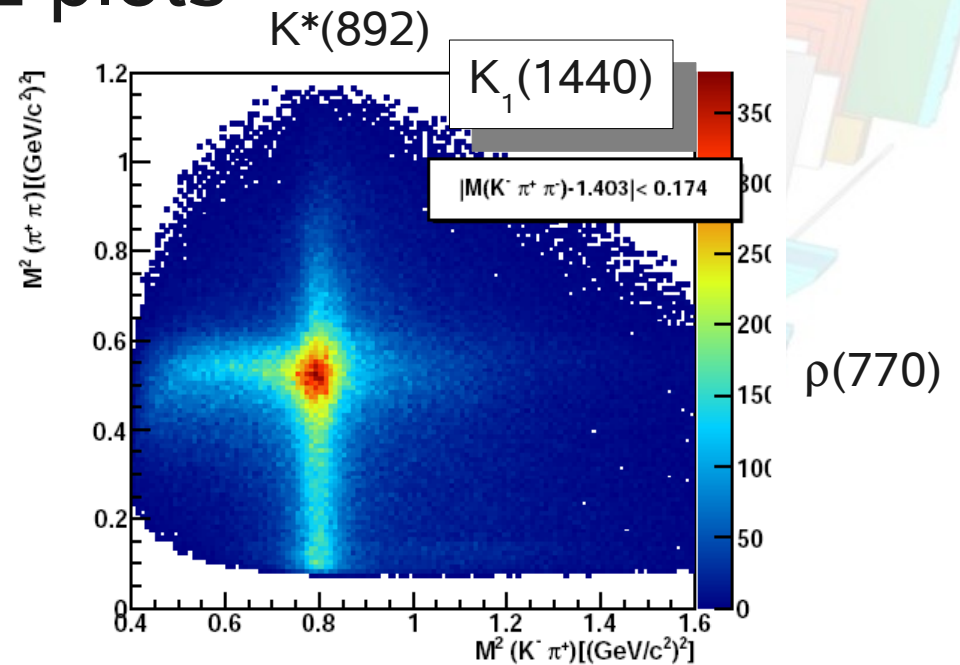
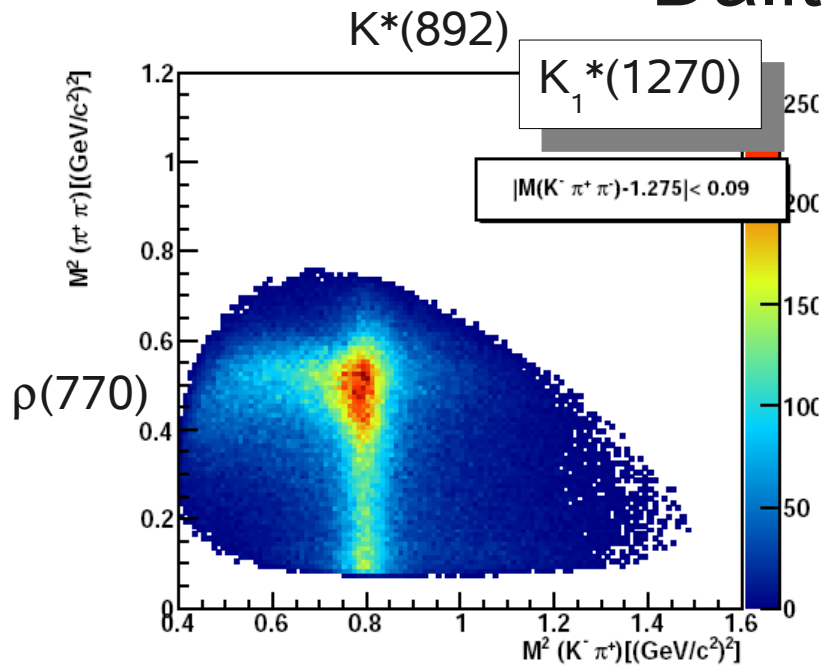


Isobar model assumption: A decay chain



Note: Assuming no direct 3 particle decay

Dalitz plots



Quantum numbers to deal with

14. QUARK MODEL

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14.1. Quantum numbers of the quarks

Quarks are strongly interacting fermions with spin 1/2 and, by convention, positive parity. Antiquarks have negative parity. Quarks have the additive baryon number 1/3, antiquarks -1/3. Table 14.1 gives the other additive quantum numbers (flavors) for the three generations of quarks. They are related to the charge Q (in units of the elementary charge e) through the generalized Gell-Mann-Nishijima formula

$$Q = I_z + \frac{B + S + C + B' + T}{2}, \quad (14.1)$$

where B is the baryon number. The convention is that the *flavor* of a quark (I_z , S , C , B , or T) has the same sign as its *charge* Q . With this convention, any flavor carried by a charged meson has the same sign as its charge, *e.g.*, the strangeness of the K^+ is +1, the bottomness of the B^+ is +1, and the charm and strangeness of the D_s^- are each -1. Antiquarks have the opposite flavor signs.

Table 14.1: Additive quantum numbers of the quarks.

Property \ Quark	d	u	s	c	b	t
Q – electric charge	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{1}{3}$	$+\frac{2}{3}$
I – isospin	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
I_z – isospin z -component	$-\frac{1}{2}$	$+\frac{1}{2}$	0	0	0	0
S – strangeness	0	0	-1	0	0	0
C – charm	0	0	0	+1	0	0
B – bottomness	0	0	0	0	-1	0
T – topness	0	0	0	0	0	+1

14.2. Mesons

Mesons have baryon number $B = 0$. In the quark model, they are $q\bar{q}'$ bound states of quarks q and antiquarks \bar{q}' (the flavors of q and q' may be different). If the orbital angular momentum of the $q\bar{q}'$ state is ℓ , then the parity P is $(-1)^{\ell+1}$. The meson spin J is given by the usual relation $|\ell - s| < J < |\ell + s|$, where s is 0 (antiparallel quark spins) or 1 (parallel quark spins). The charge conjugation or C -parity

$$3 \otimes \bar{3} = 8 \oplus 1. \quad (14.2)$$

A fourth quark such as charm c can be included by extending $SU(3)$ to $SU(4)$. However, $SU(4)$ is badly broken owing to the much heavier c quark. Nevertheless, in an $SU(4)$ classification, the sixteen mesons are grouped into a 15-plet and a singlet:

$$4 \otimes \bar{4} = 15 \oplus 1. \quad (14.3)$$

The *weight diagrams* for the ground-state pseudoscalar (0^{-+}) and vector (1^{--}) mesons are depicted in Fig. 14.1. The light quark mesons are members of nonets building the middle plane in Fig. 14.1(a) and (b).

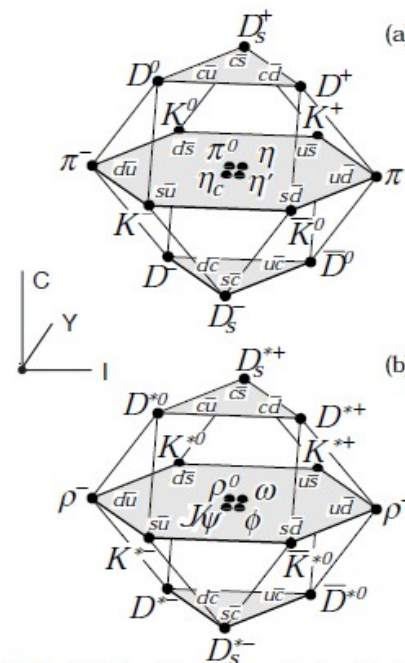
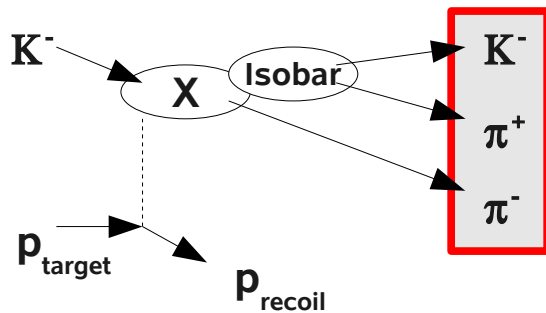


Figure 14.1: $SU(4)$ weight diagram showing the 16-plets for the pseudoscalar (a) and vector mesons (b) made of the u , d , s , and c quarks as a function of isospin I , charm C , and hypercharge $Y = S + B - \frac{C}{3}$. The nonets of light mesons occupy the central planes to which the $c\bar{c}$ states have been added.

Decomposition of the decay chain (reversely)

final states (more or less stable particles)



For us relevant quantum numbers:

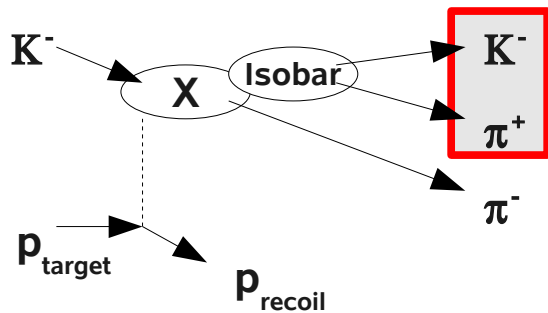
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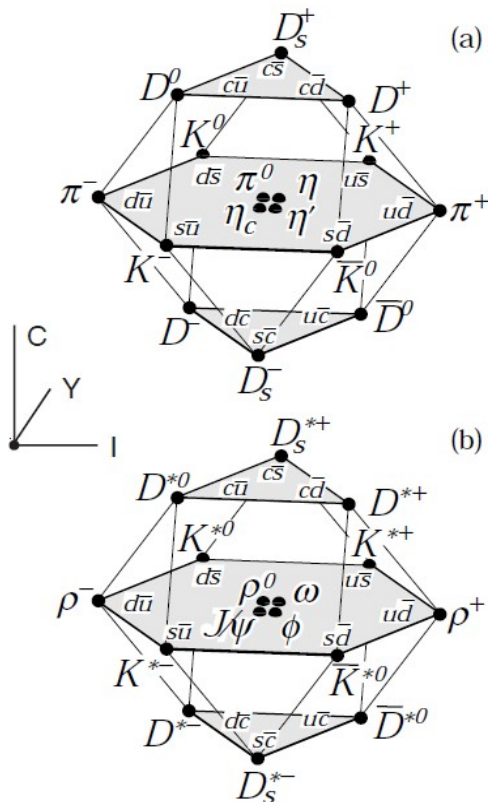
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$J = 0$: pseudoscalar mesons

$J = 1$: vector mesons



π^{\pm}

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$K^*(892)$

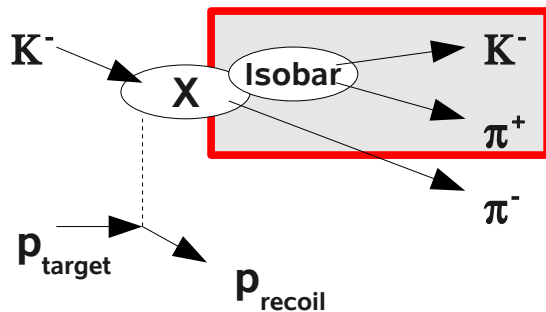
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Isobar states (resonances in the subsystem)



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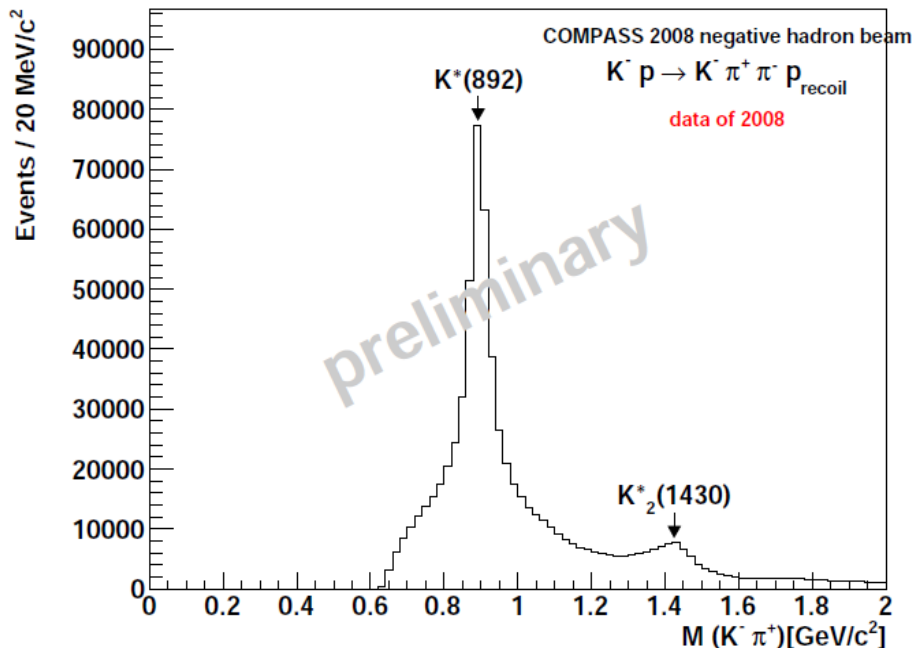
Introducing additional inner

Quantum number:

Orbital angular momentum: $\ell = 0, 1, \dots$

Parity of the quark pair becomes

$$P = P_1 \times P_2 \times (-1)^{\ell+1} = -1 \text{ (for } \ell=0\text{)}$$



$K_2^*(1430)$

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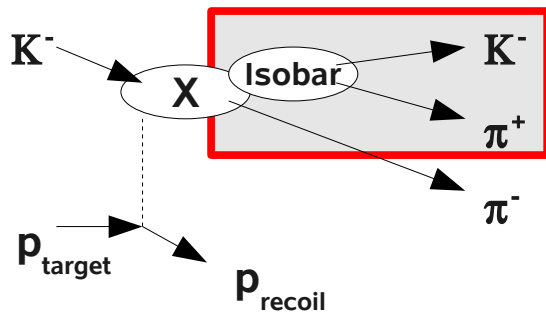
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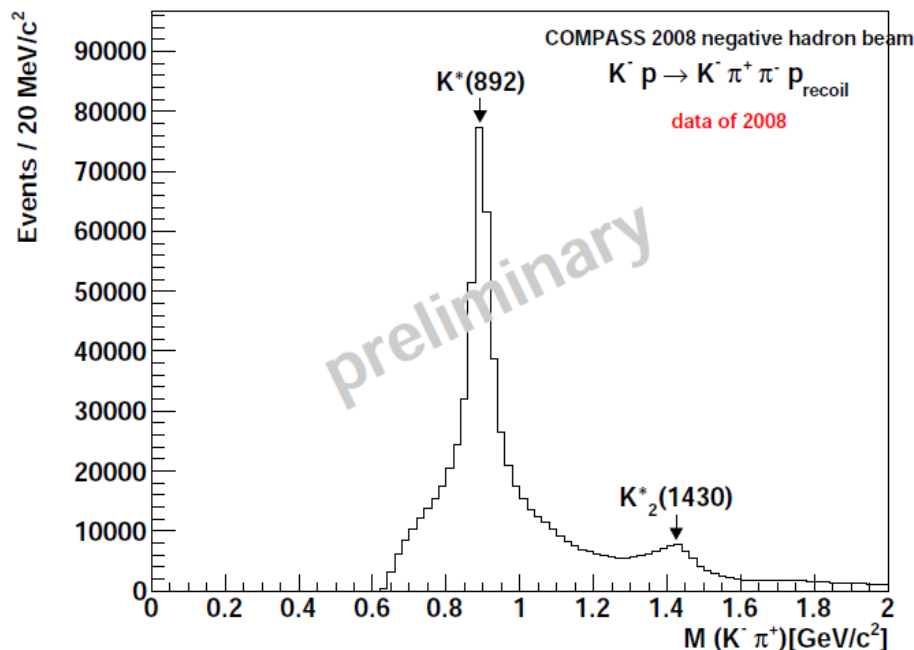


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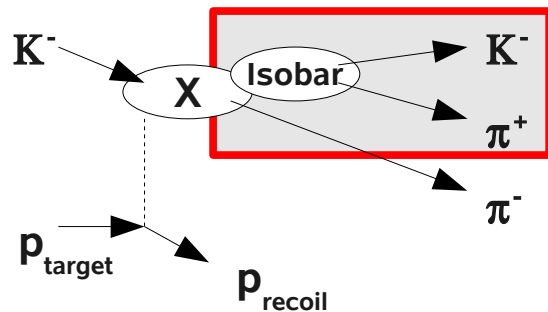
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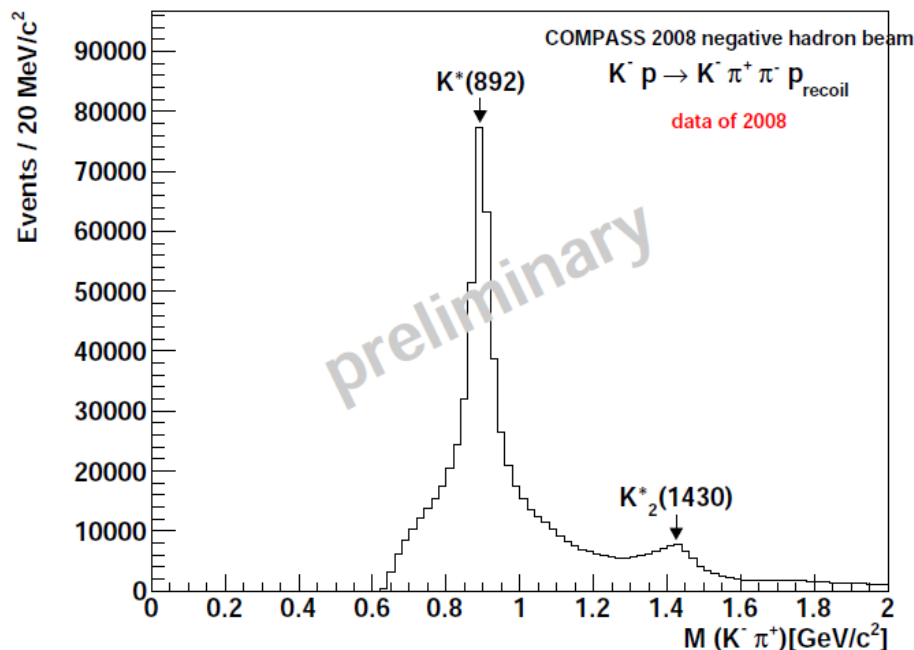
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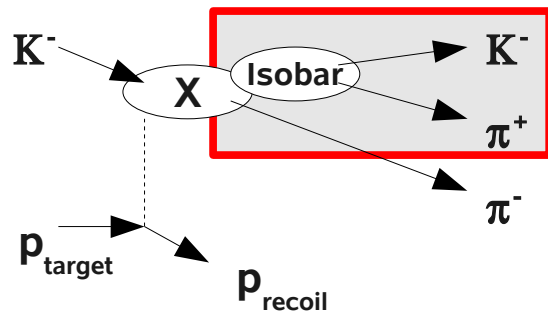
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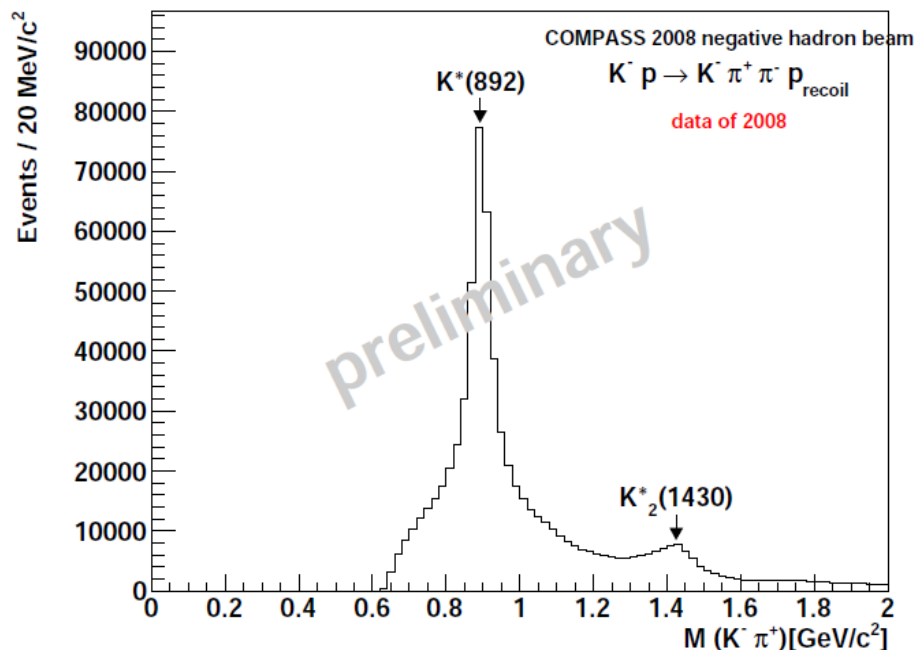
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Total Spin couples then to

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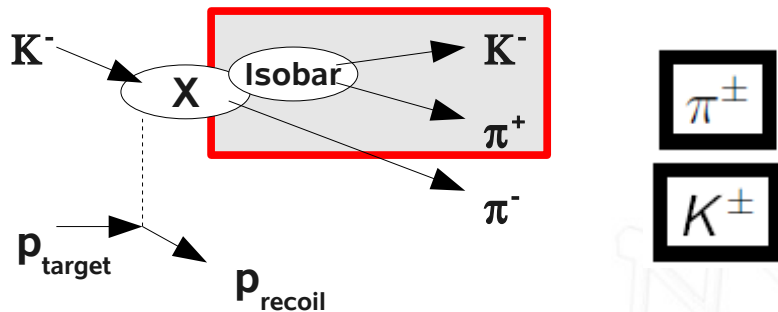
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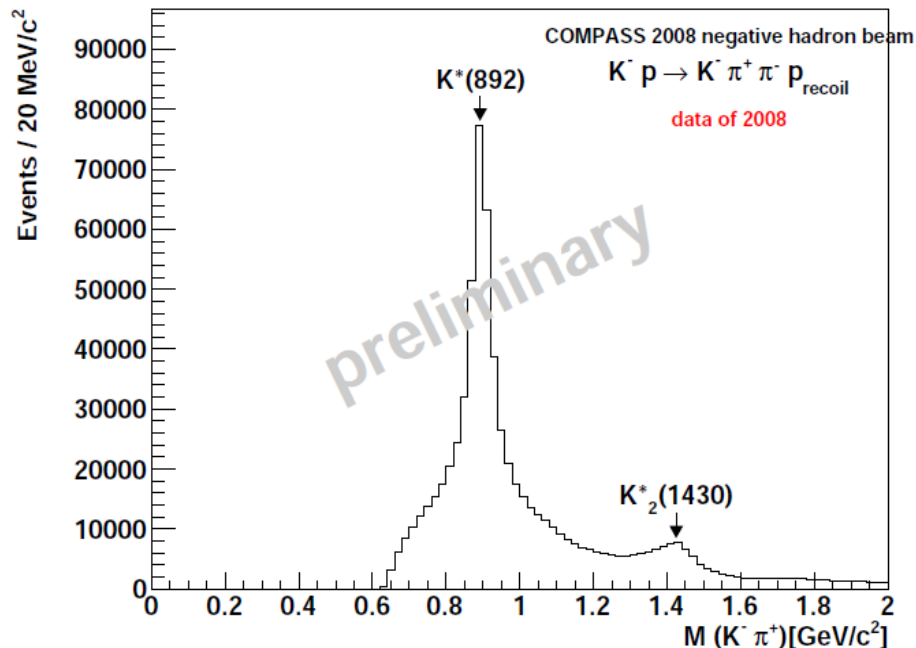


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Important notation:

$$particle_1 \begin{bmatrix} l \\ s \end{bmatrix} particle_2$$

here:

$$K^- \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ |s_1 - s_2| \leq s \leq |s_1 + s_2| = 0 \dots 0 \end{bmatrix} \pi^+$$

Total Spin still couples

$$|s - \ell| \leq J \leq |s + \ell|$$

and thus every J bigger than 0 is possible
 due to the orbital angular momentum $\ell = 0, 1, 2, \dots$
 But not all J are observed!

$$K_2^*(1430)$$

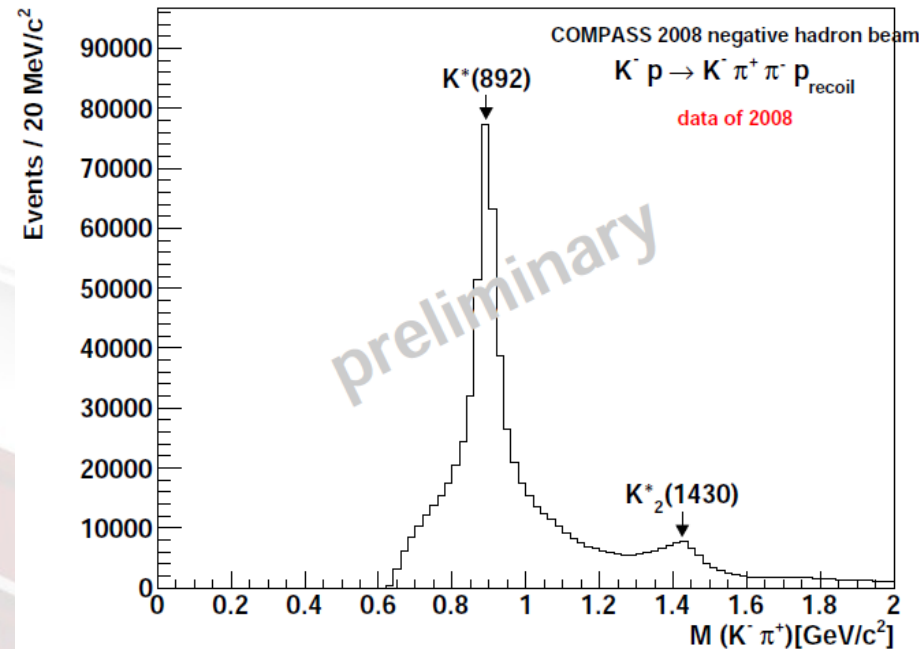
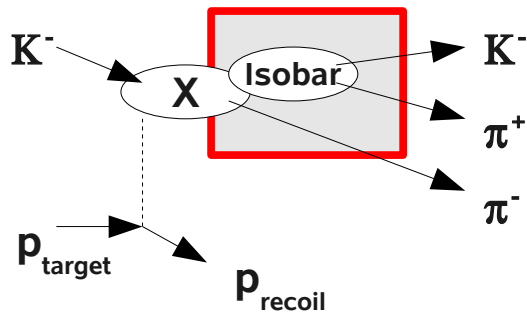
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It is now assumed to have a good knowledge about the Isobars appearing in the subsystems.
 (Of course the subsystems are not fully understood at all!)

2 particle subsystems are usually already analyzed in further experiments and we use this Knowledge to setup now a partial wave set based on the observed Isobars.

As an example we use the clearly visible resonances:

$$K_2^*(1430)$$

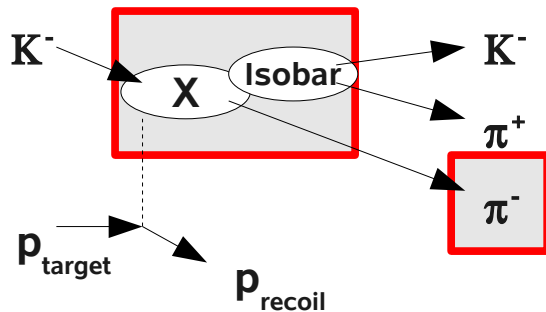
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Decomposition of the decay chain (reversely)

The diffractively produced resonance



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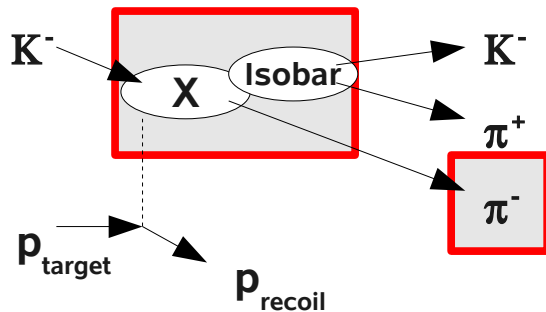
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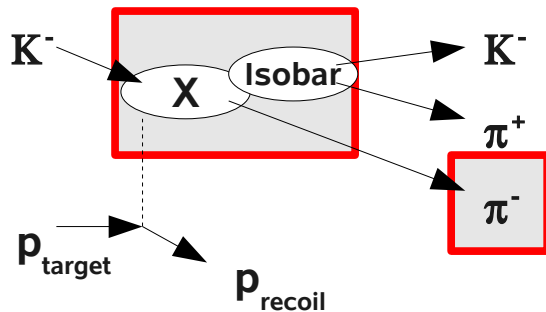
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$$K^*(892)^0 \left[\begin{array}{l} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ |s_1 - s_2| \leq s \leq |s_1 + s_2| = 1 \dots 1 \end{array} \right] \pi^-$$

J	P	L	M
1	+	0	-1,0,1
0	-	1	0
1	-	1	-1,0,1
2	-	2	-2,-1,0,1,2
1	+	2	-1,0,1
2	+	2	-2,-1,0,1,2
3	+	2	-3,...,3

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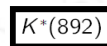
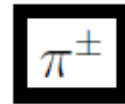
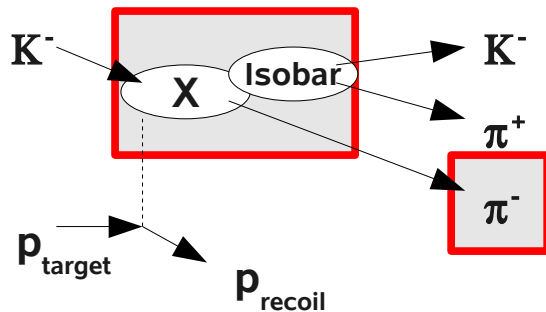
$$K^*(892)^0 \left[\begin{array}{l} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ |s_1 - s_2| \leq s \leq |s_1 + s_2| = 1 \dots 1 \end{array} \right] \pi^-$$

Regroup to values of same JP(C) since
It is an observed fact that same JP(C) states
mix and are therefore dealt as one and the
same resonance in the PDG.

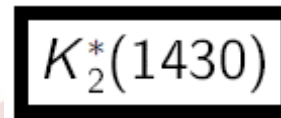
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Decomposition of the decay chain (reversely)

The diffractively produced resonance



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Add orbital angular momentum $\ell = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Parity of the resonance becomes

$$P = P_1 \times P_2 \times (-1)^{\ell+1}$$

Total Spin couples then to

$$|s - \ell| \leq J \leq |s + \ell|$$

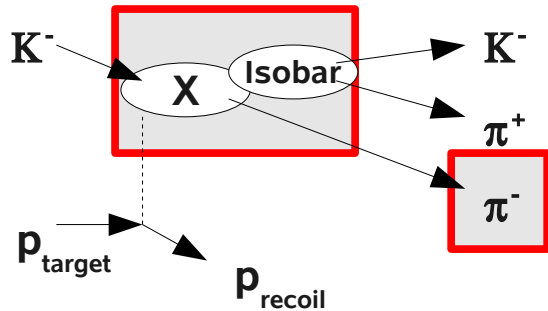
Projection of J is the quantum number $M = -J, -J+1, \dots, +J$

$$K_2(1430)^0 \left[\begin{matrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ |s_1 - s_2| \leq s \leq |s_1 + s_2| = 2 \dots 2 \end{matrix} \right] \pi^-$$

J	P	L	M
2	-	0	-2,...,2
1	+	1	-1,...,1
2	+	1	-2,...,2
3	+	1	-3,...,3
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1	-	2	-1,...,1
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Grouped again to same JP(C)

J	P	L	M
0	-	2	0
1	+	1	-1,...,1
1	-	2	-1,...,1
2	+	1	-2,...,2
2	-	0	-2,...,2
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3	+	1	-3,...,3
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4	-	2	-4,...,4

Listed resonances in the PDG

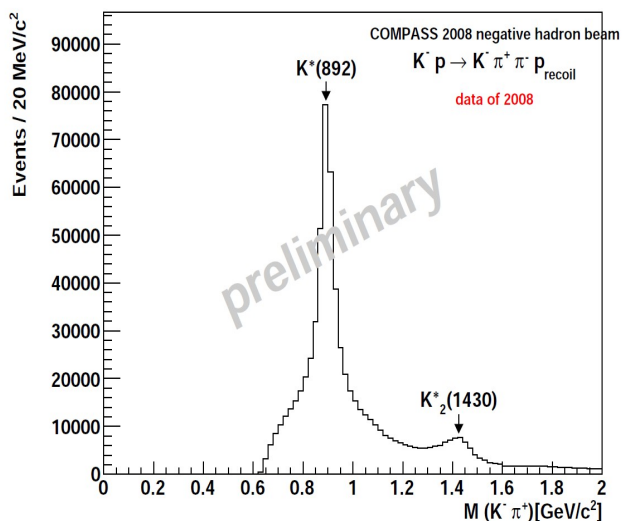
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J	P	J	P	Observed resonances listed in the PDG
0	-	0	-	K(1460)
1	+	1	+	K1(1270),K1(1400)
1	-	1	-	<u>K*(1410),K*(1680)</u>
2	+	2	+	<u>K*2(1430),K*(1980)</u>
2	-	2	-	K2(1580),K2(1770),K2(1820), <u>K*2(1980)</u> ,...
3	+	3	+	-
		3	-	K*3(1780)
		4	-	-

Only resonances listed with observed decays containing these two example isobars
Italic if K(892) decays were observed* but no K*2(1430) contribution.

Let's see whether we can observe them...

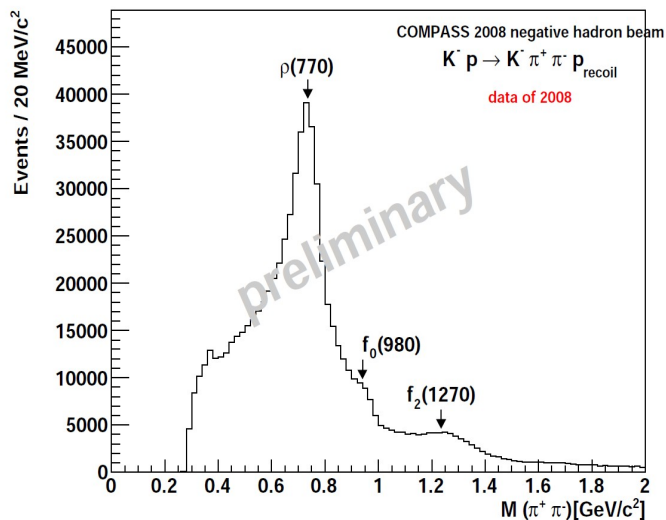
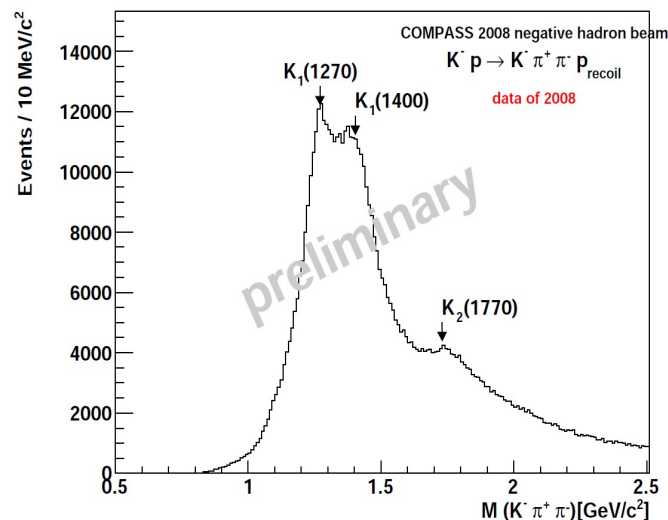
Basic partial wave set based on visible isobars



$$K^*(892)^0 \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \pi^-$$

$$K_2(1430)^0 \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \pi^-$$

$$K_0(1430)^0 \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \pi^-$$



$$K^- \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \rho(770)^0$$

$$K^- \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} f_0(980)^0$$

$$K^- \begin{bmatrix} l=0,1,2,\dots \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} f_2(1270)^0$$

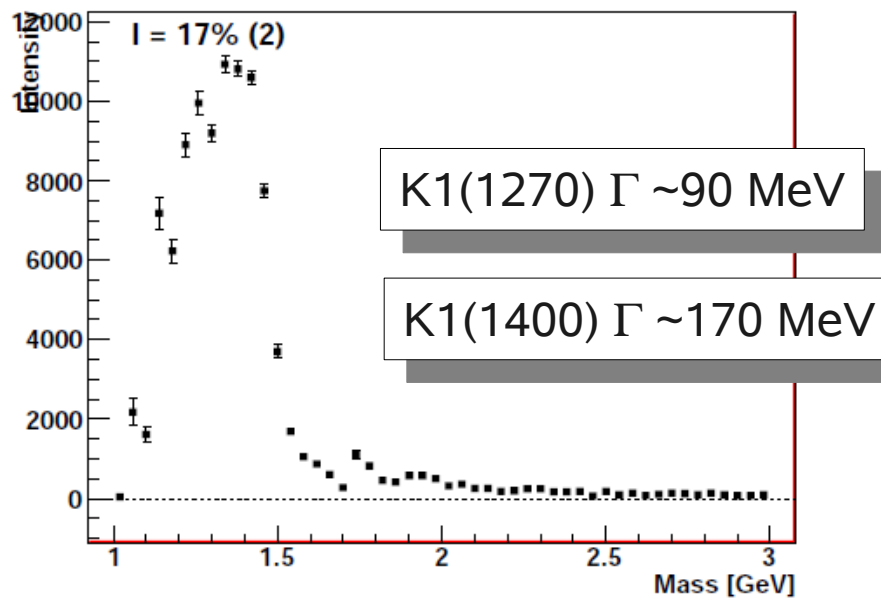
- Take only $M \geq 0$ (natural parity exchange, $J = 0^+, 1^-, 2^+, \dots$ since pomeron dominated)
- $l \leq 2$
- Take only visible, known JP states, 1+ and 2 -

→ 32 waves + flat wave !

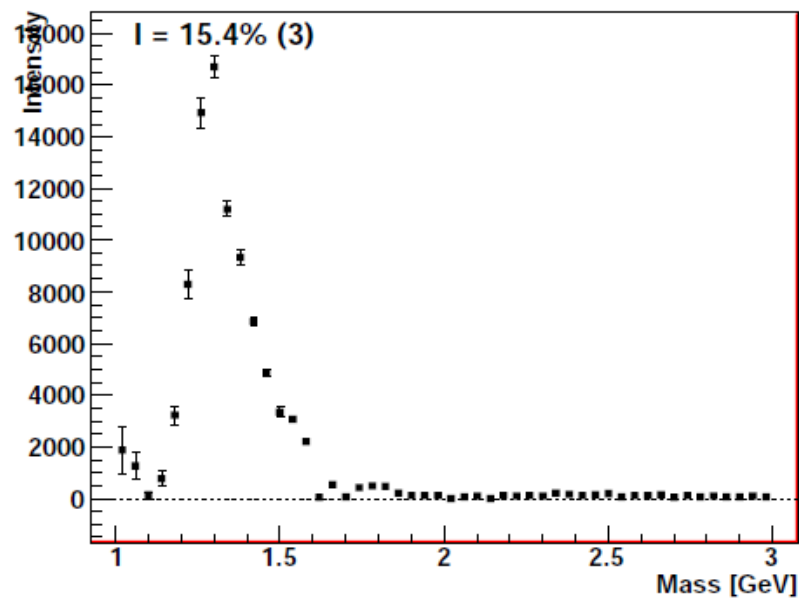
- Fit on 40 MeV bins

“basic” wave set results (JP=1+)

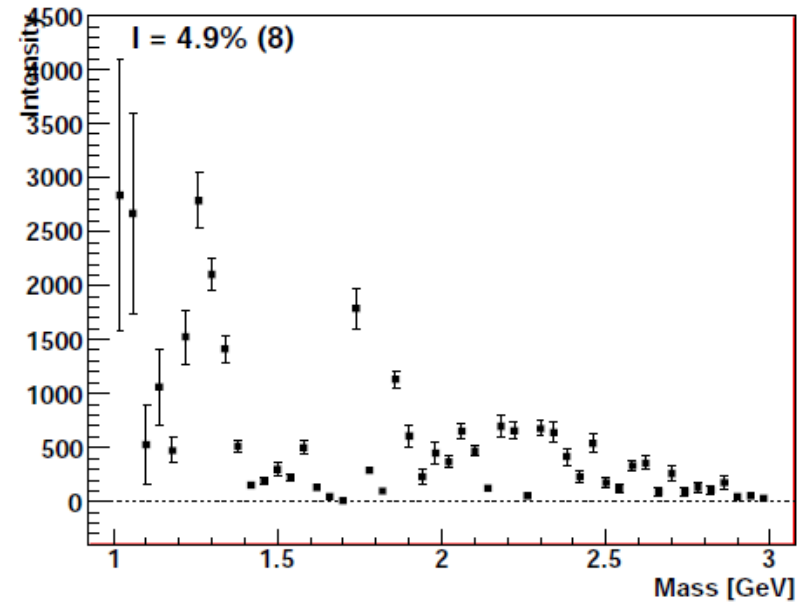
1-1++0+Kstar8920_01_pi-.amp [4]



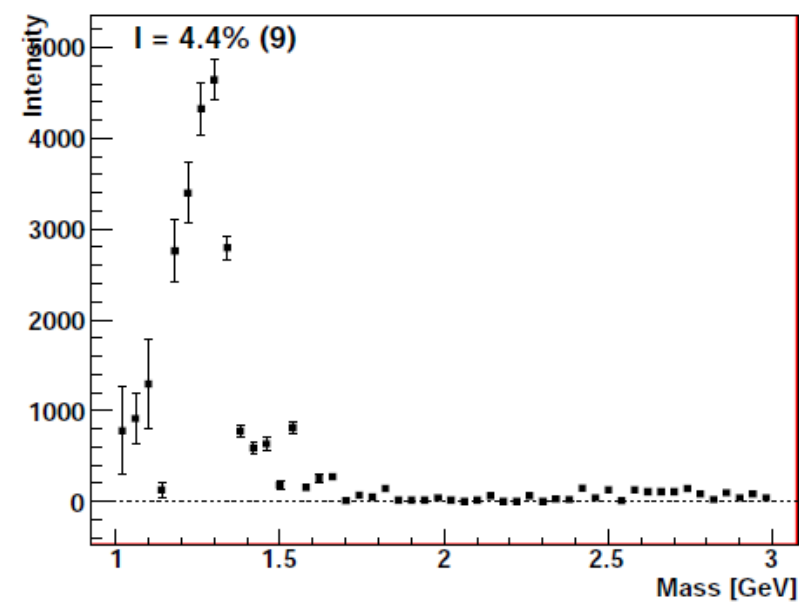
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1-1++0+Kstar01430_10_pi-.amp [2]

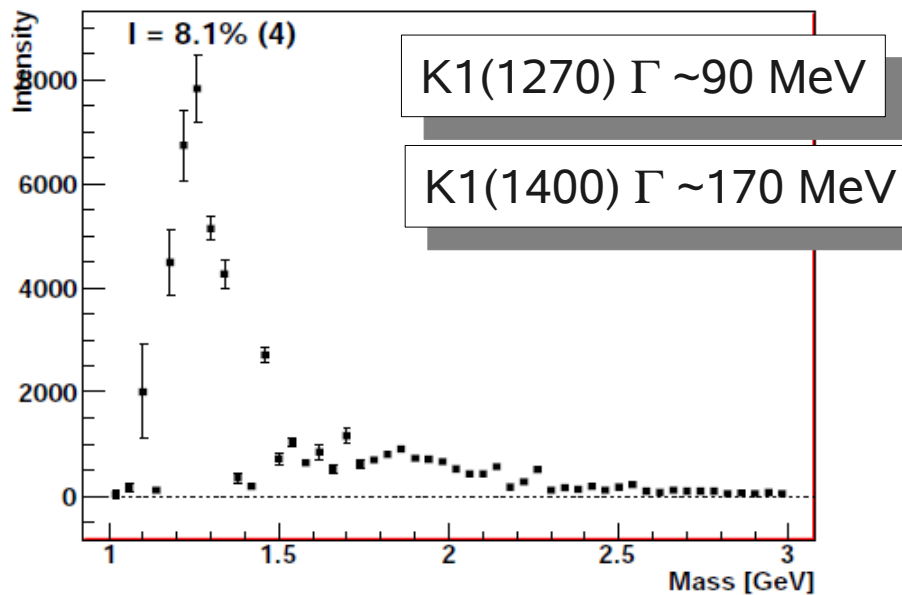


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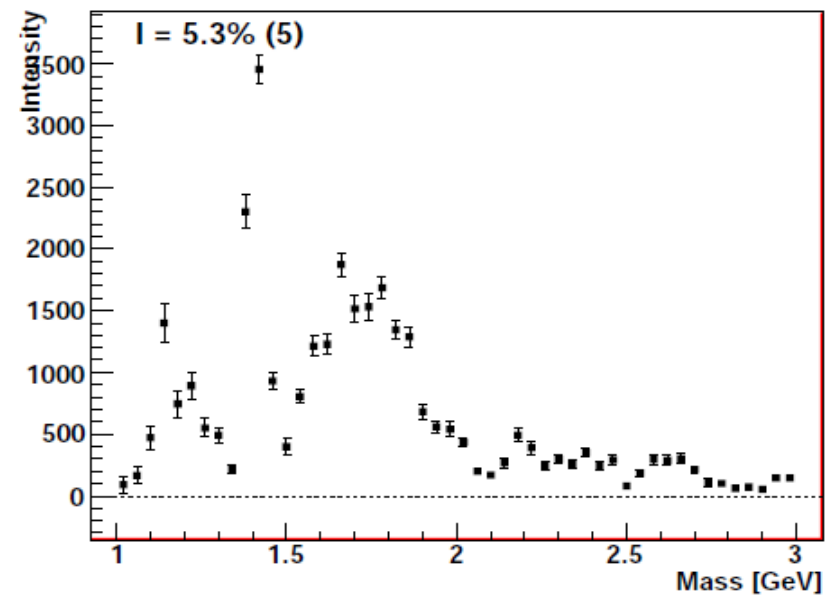


“basic” wave set results (JP=1+)

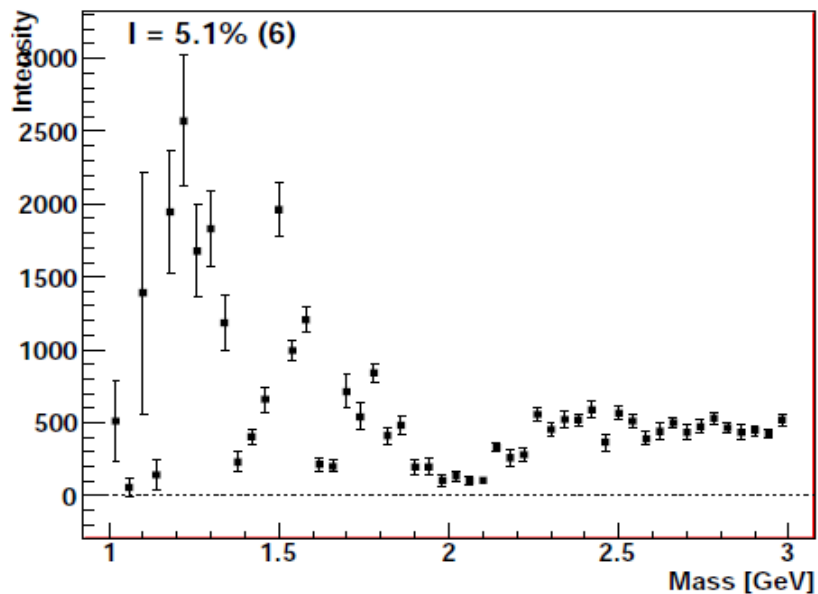
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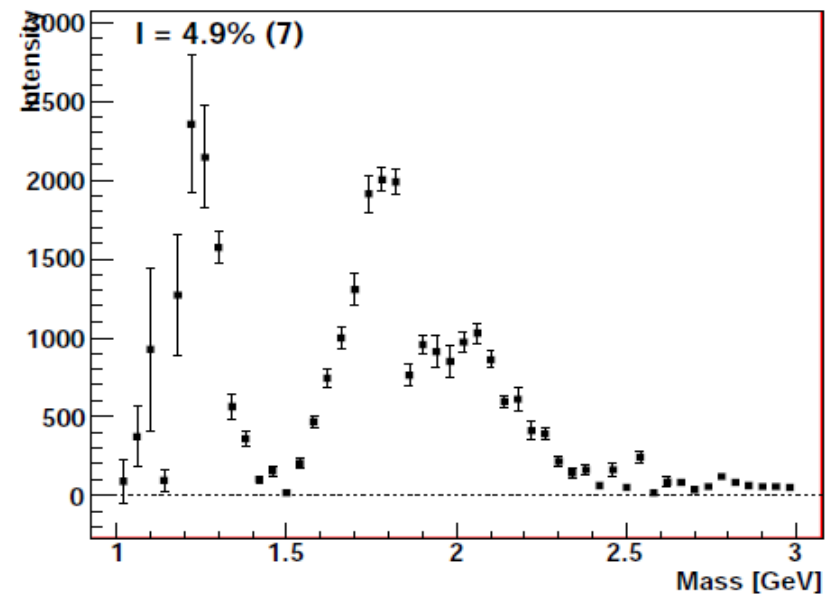
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1-2-+0+Kstar01430_20_pi-.amp [19]

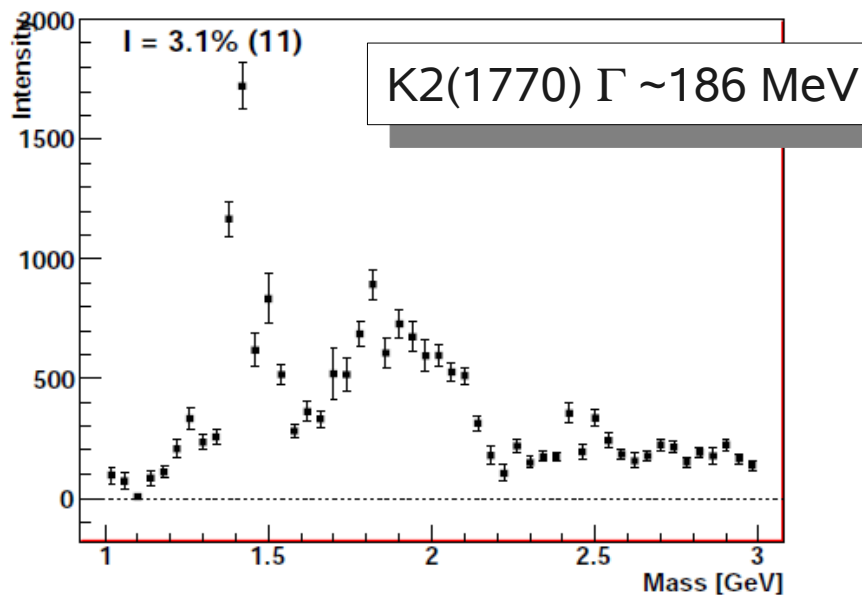


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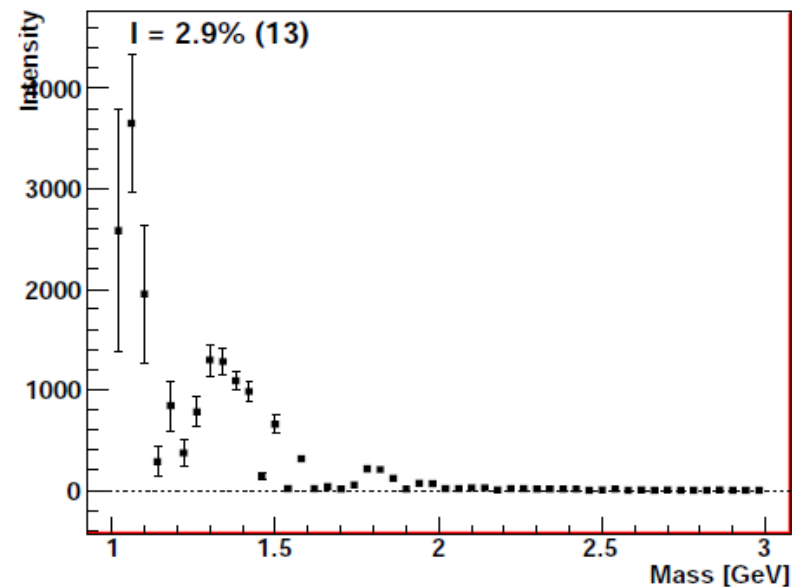


“basic” wave set results (JP=2-)

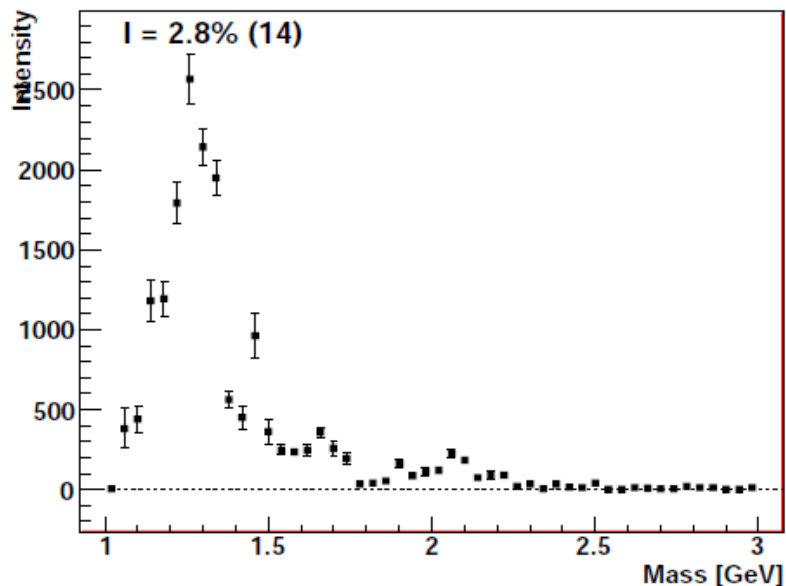
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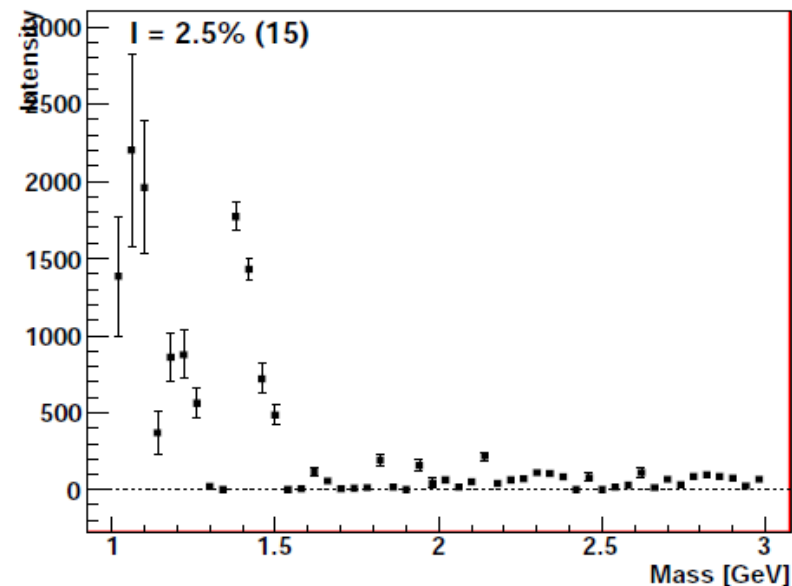
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1-1++1+Kstar8920_01_pi-.amp [12]

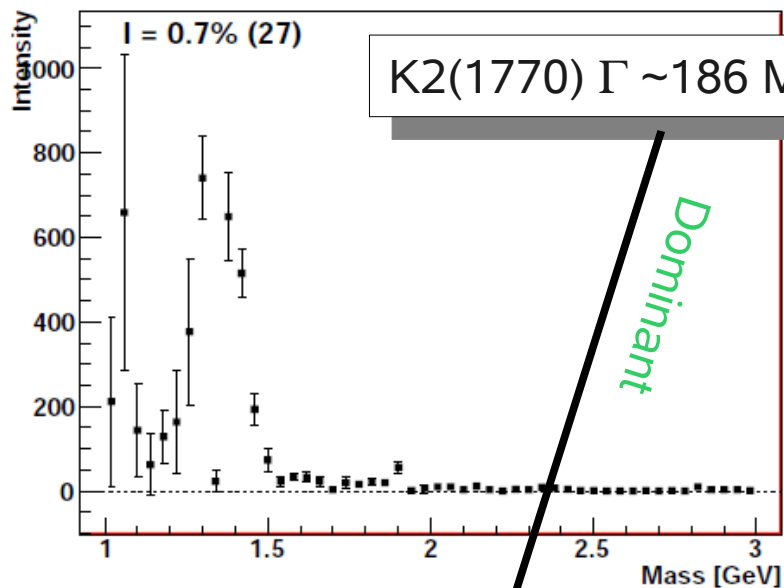


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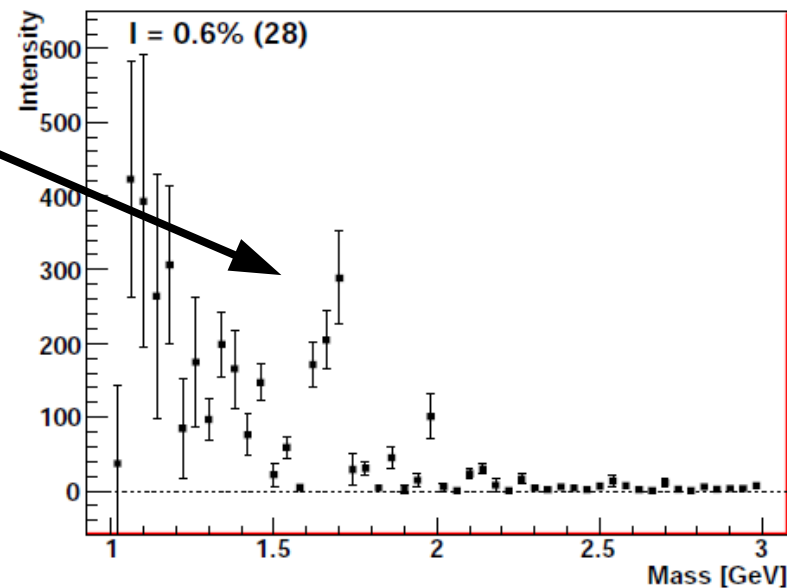


“basic” wave set results (JP=2-)

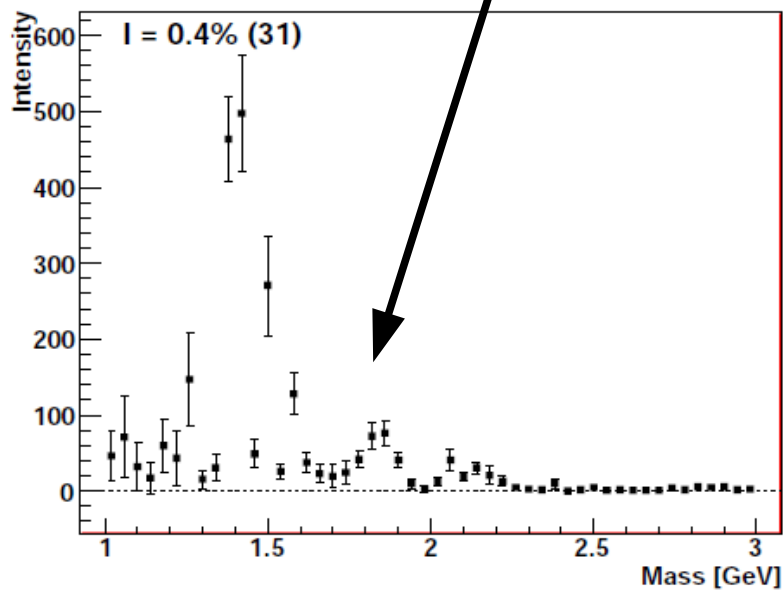
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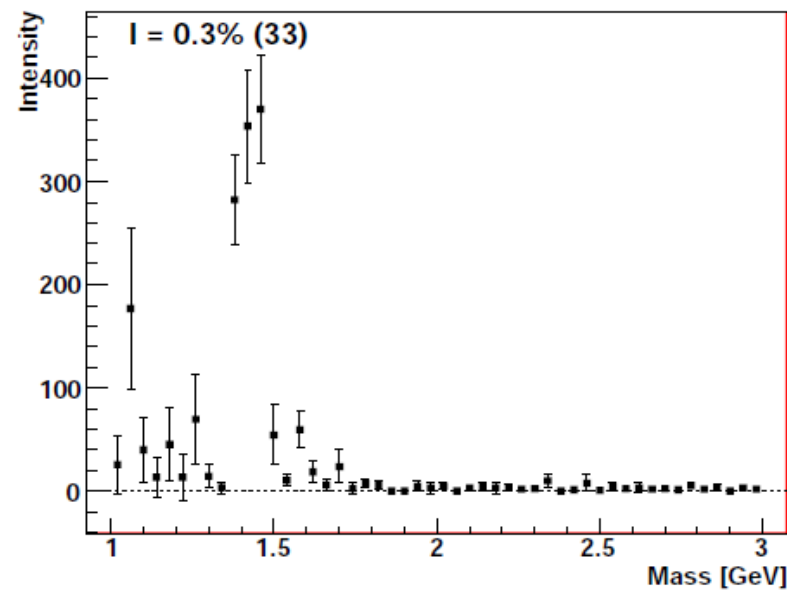
1-2-+1+Kstar214300_02_pi-.amp [28]



1-2-+1+Kstar214300_22_pi-.amp [29]

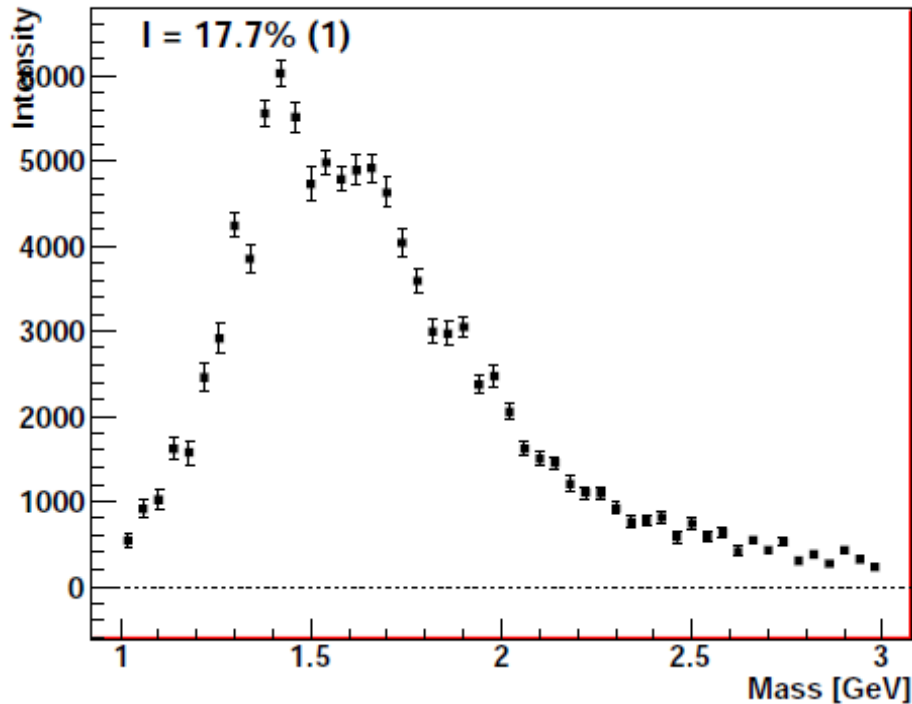


1-2-+1+f21270_22_K-.amp [26]



“ basic “ wave set results (flat wave)

flat [32]



Conclusion:

- initial partial wave set is still leaving too much structure in the flat wave → missing partial waves to describe
- Isobar system is not complete (missing for example flat $(\pi \pi)_s$ $(K \pi)_s$ waves)
- tuning of wave set is needed (thresholds, resonance description of $\rho(770)$ for example)
- A look at the phase motion is not shown here but needed to determine a resonance

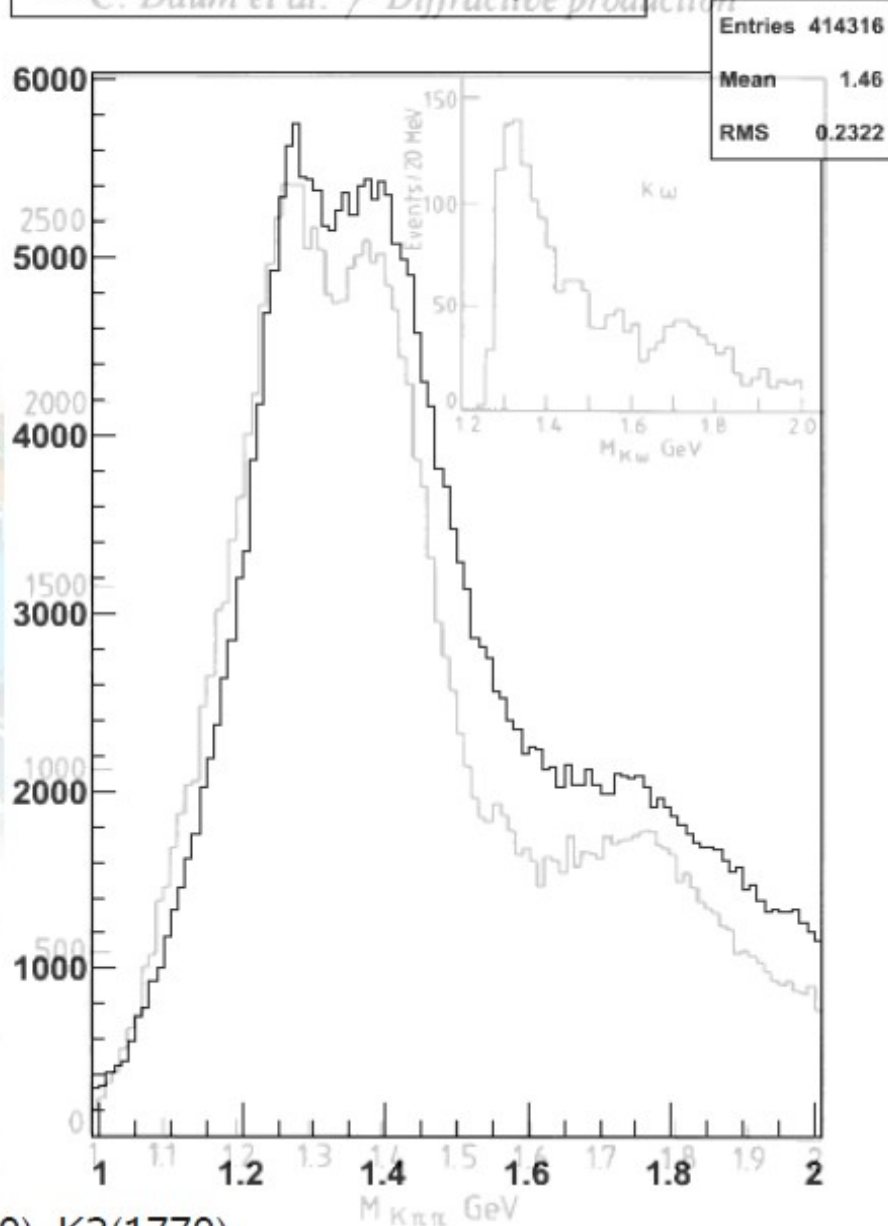
How can we see that I'm going in the right direction? → Implement the wave set of WA03 (same channel) and compare to it...

Note: I did not show all waves

COMPASS vs. WA03

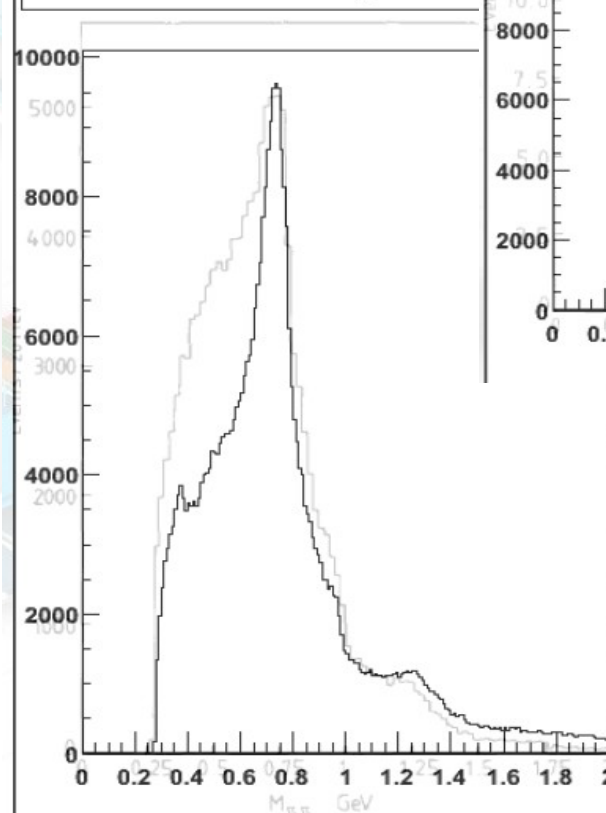
Comparison with WA2 from 1981

invariant mass of $K^- \pi^- \pi^+$ system



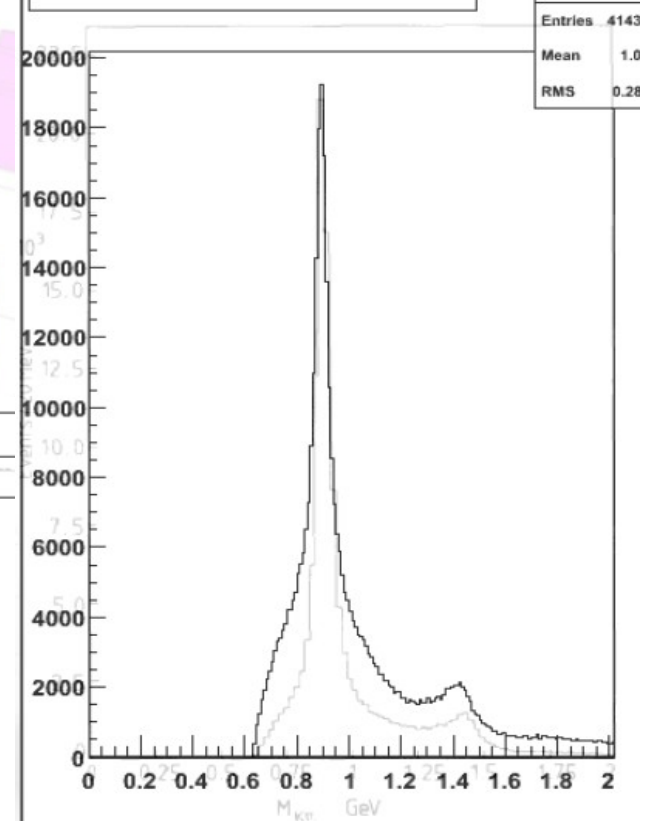
no $K2(1770)$

invariant mass of $\pi^- \pi^+$ system



Visible $\rho(770)$, $f_0(980)$, $f_2(1270)$

invariant mass of $K^- \pi^-$ system



The final wave set by ACCMOR-Collab. (WA03)

Using this wave set for a first try of the ROOTPWA software package

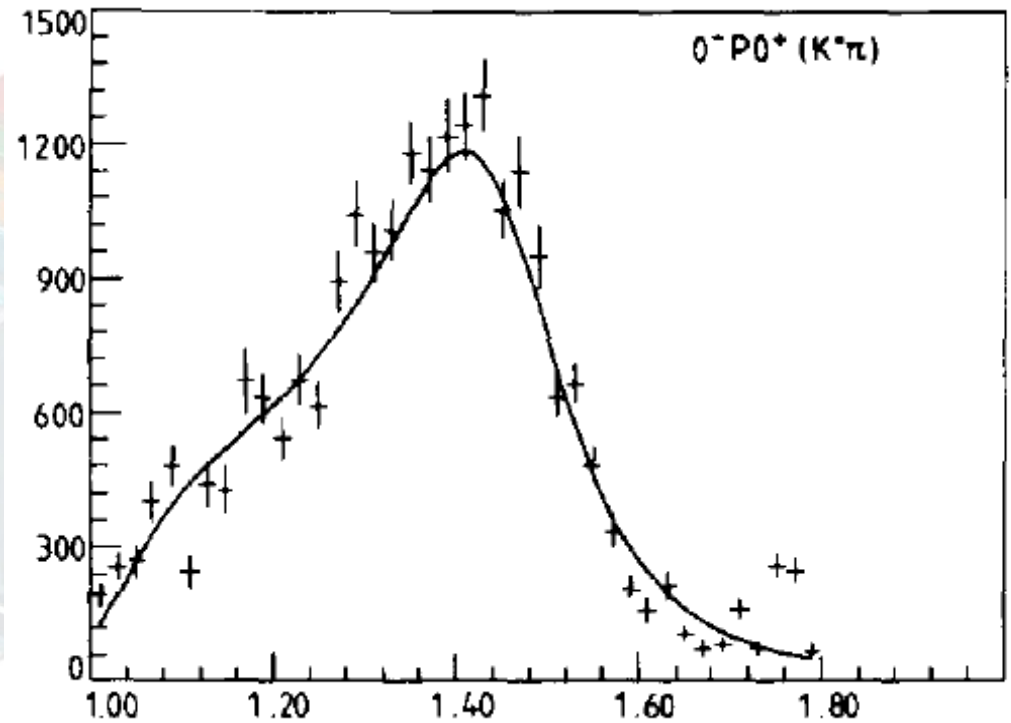
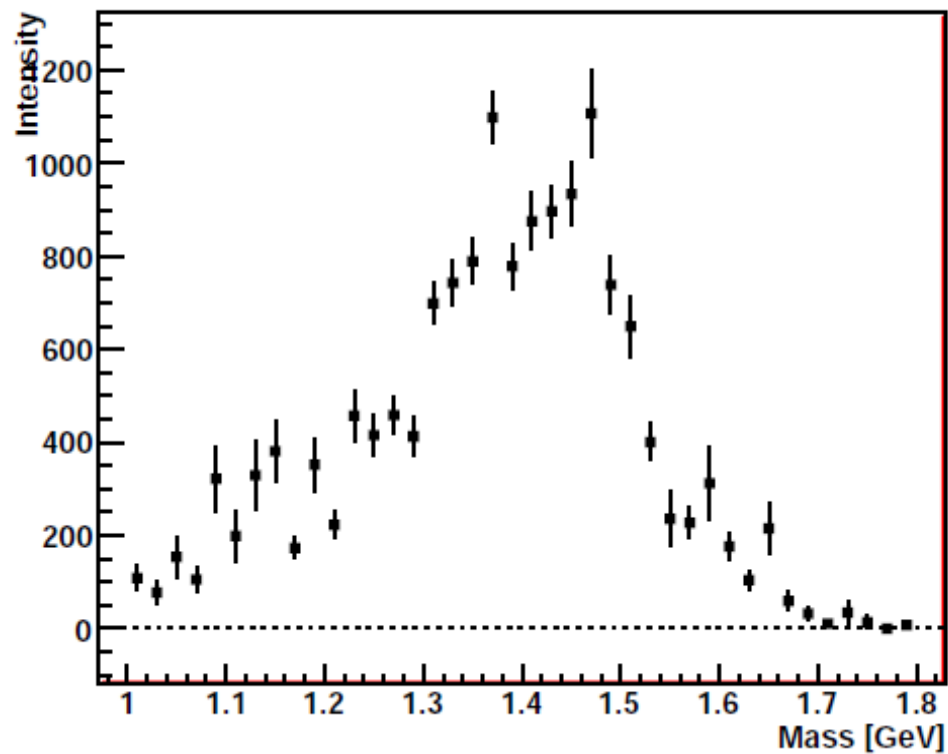
The notation is $J^P L M^\eta$

Mass range (GeV)	1.0–1.1	1.1–1.2	1.2–1.3	1.3–1.4	1.4–1.5	1.5–1.6	1.6–1.7	1.7–2.1
Non-flip waves	$0^- P0^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $1^+ S0^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $0^- S0^+(\epsilon K)$ _____ $1^+ P0^+(\epsilon K)$ _____ $1^+ P0^+(\kappa\pi)$ _____ $1^+ S0^+(\rho K)$ _____ $1^+ S1^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $1^+ S1^+(\rho K)$ _____ $2^+ D1^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $2^- P0^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $0^- P0^+(\rho K)$ _____ $1^+ D0^+(K^*\pi)$ _____ $1^+ P1^+(\kappa\pi)$ _____ $2^+ D1^+(\rho K)$ _____ $1^+ D0^+(\rho K)$ _____ $2^- P0^+(\rho K)$ _____ $2^- S0^+(K^{**}\pi)$ _____ $2^- S0^+(fK)$ _____							
Flip waves	$1^+ S0^+(\rho K)$ _____ $1^+ S1^+(\rho K)$ _____ $1^+ P0^+(\epsilon K)$ _____							

$\epsilon = (\pi\pi)$ s-wave I used σ ; $\kappa = K(800)$; $K^{**} = K^*(1430)$; $f = f_2(1270)$

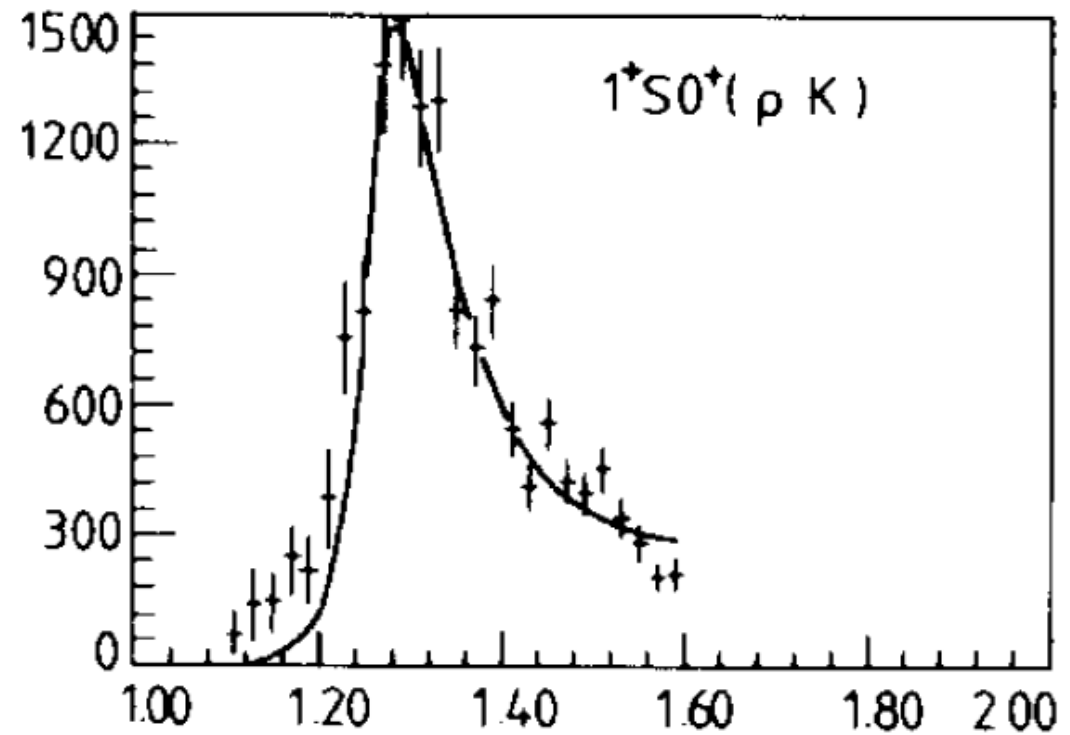
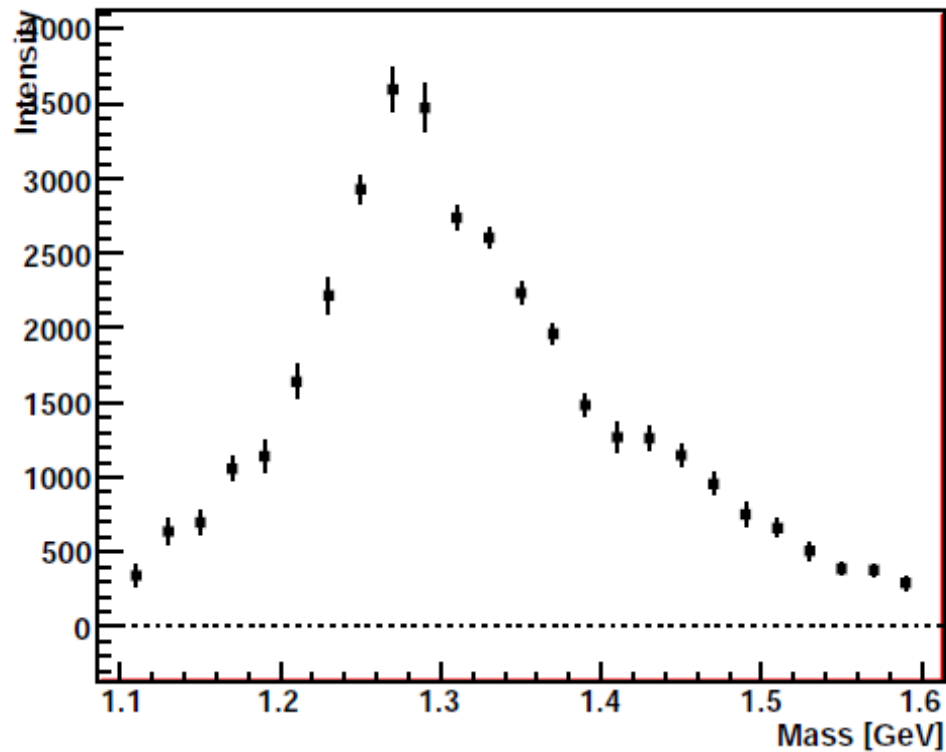
some results for COMPASS 2008 data compared to WA03

1-0-+0+Kstar8920_11_pi-.amp [0]



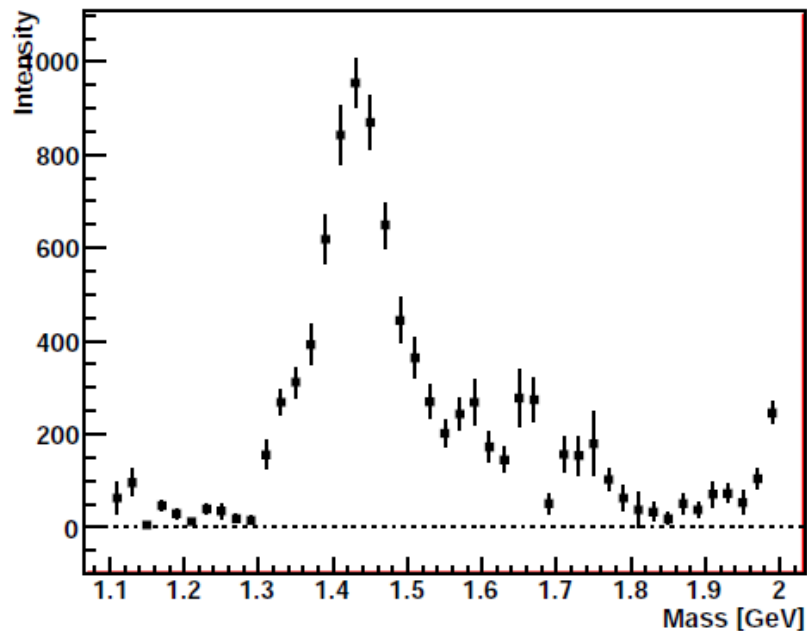
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1-1++1+rho770_01_K-.amp [11]

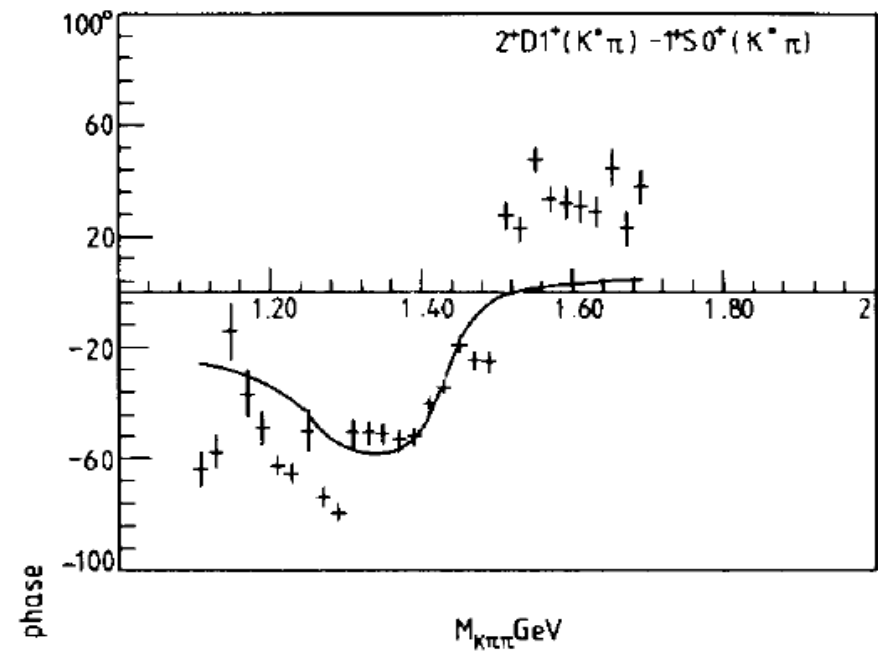
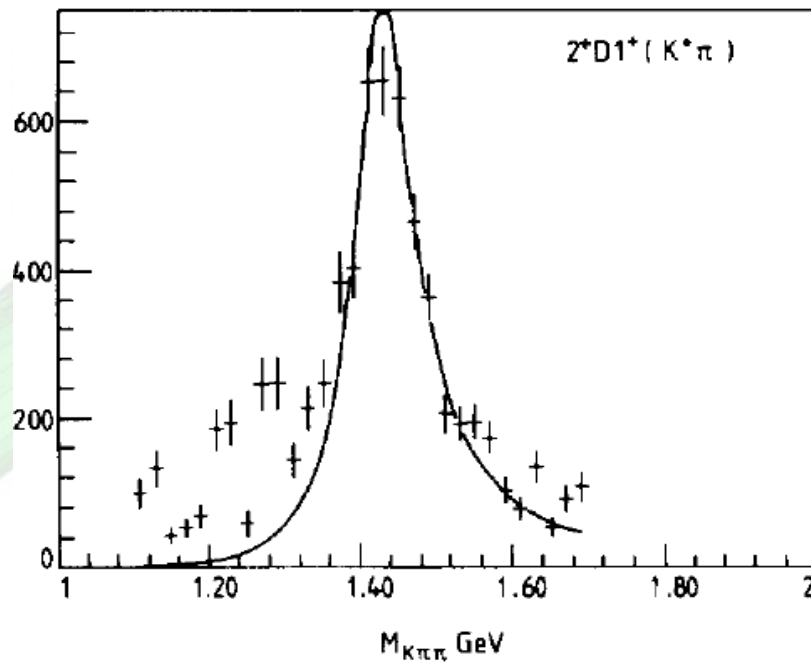
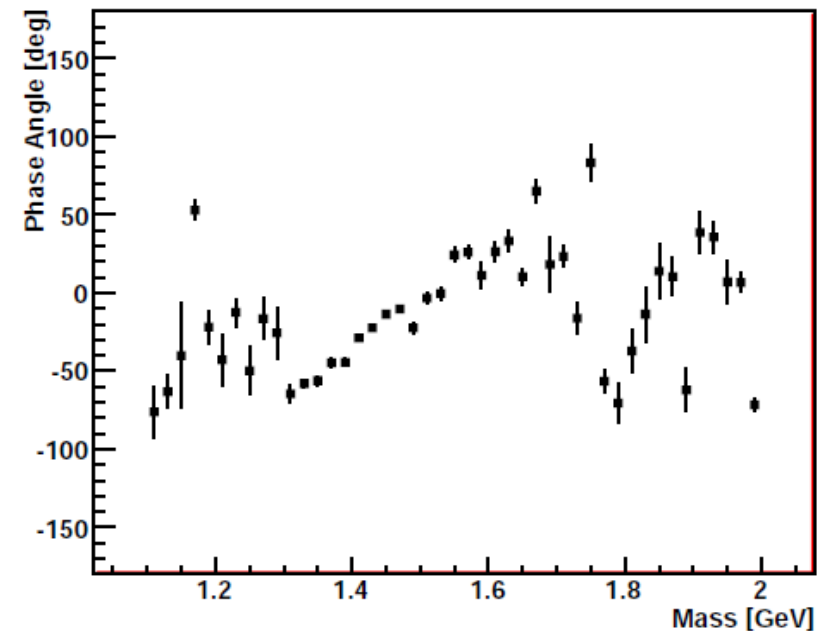


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1-2++1+Kstar8920_21_pi-.amp [16]

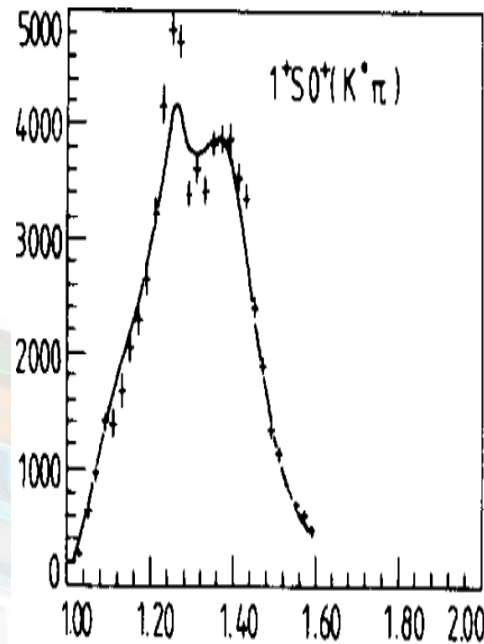
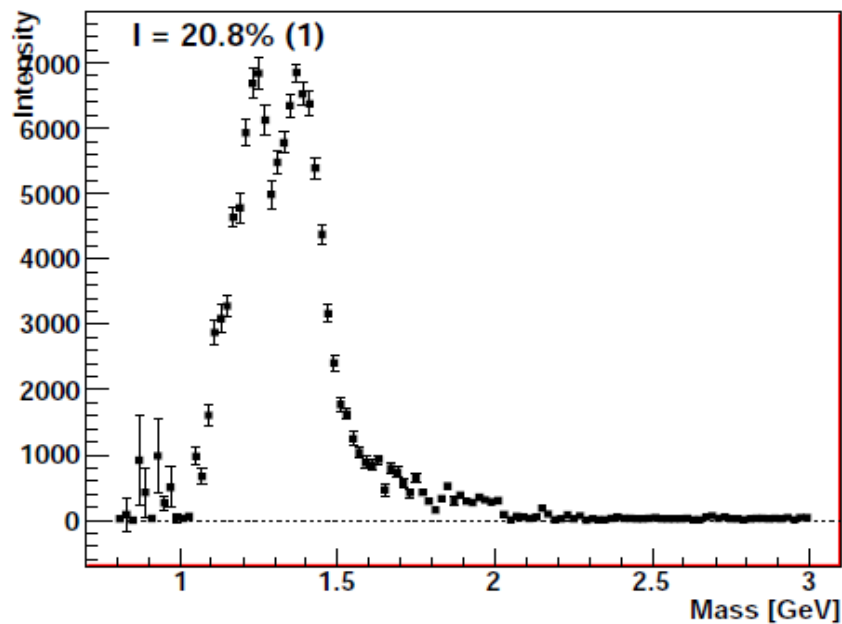


$\Delta\phi(1-2++1+Kstar8920_21_pi-.amp [16], 1-1++0+Kstar8920_01_pi-.amp [4])$

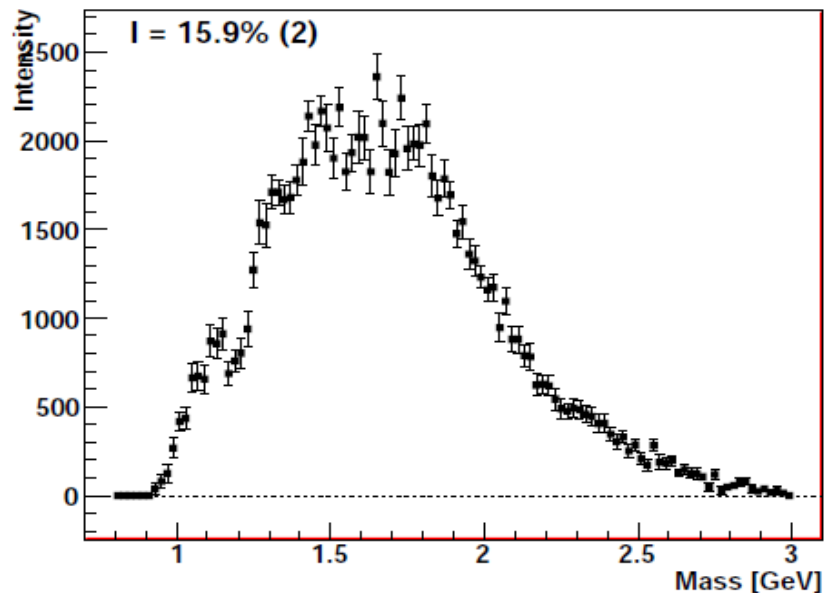


some results for COMPASS 2008 data compared to WA03

1-1++0+Kstar8920_01_pi-.amp [4]



flat [18]



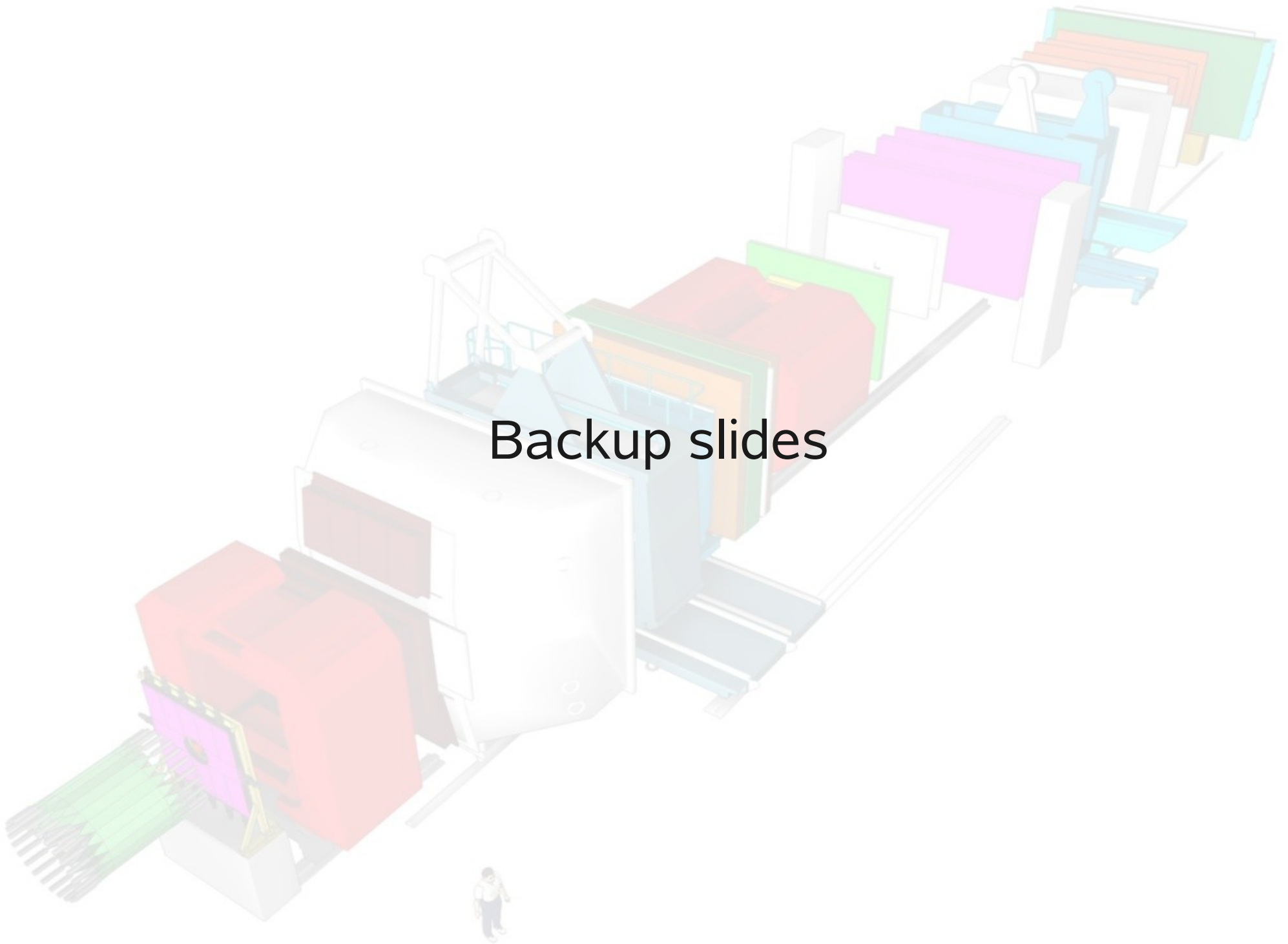
- Major differences are due to:
- no spinflip waves included
 - no mass cuts applied
 - differences in the PDG value
 - differences in the broad S-waves

Conclusion and outlook

- The basic work flow of the PWA program ROOTPWA, mainly maintained and developed by Sebastian Neubert and Boris Grube, is understood. I need to learn to use the correct “buttons” in a appropriate way.
- MC acceptance correction is still to be applied but expected to be flat.
- Studies on the background are being prepared. (3π) background, ($3K$) background, combinatorial background ($\sim 30\%$), leakage studies, deck effects, etc.
- And lot of other work to do... It's fun!



Backup slides



Mass independent PWA in a nutshell

Components of the LogLikelihood function:

$$\ln L = \sum_{n=1}^{N_{\text{events}}} \ln \sum_{\epsilon} \sum_{i,j} \rho_{ij}^{\epsilon} \bar{\psi}_i^{\epsilon}(\tau_n) \bar{\psi}_j^{\epsilon}(\tau_n)^* - \sum_{\epsilon} \sum_{i,j} \rho_{ij}^{\epsilon} I A_{ij}^{\epsilon}$$

Annotations for the LogLikelihood function:

- Decay amplitudes**: Points to $\bar{\psi}_i^{\epsilon}(\tau_n)$
- Kinematics**: Points to τ_n
- Acceptance corrected Phase space integral**: Points to $I A_{ij}^{\epsilon}$
- Spin density matrix (fit parameters)**: Points to ρ_{ij}^{ϵ}
- Coherent sum over waves**: Points to the inner sum $\sum_{i,j}$
- Incoherent sum over reflectivities**: Points to the outer sum \sum_{ϵ}

Production amplitudes \rightarrow Spin density matrix:

$$\rho_{ij}^{\epsilon} = \sum_r T_{ir}^{\epsilon} T_{jr}^{\epsilon*}$$

Normalized decay amplitudes:

$$\bar{\psi}_i^{\epsilon}(\tau) = \frac{\psi_i^{\epsilon}(\tau)}{\sqrt{\int |\psi_i^{\epsilon}(\tau')|^2 d\tau'}}$$

Phase space integrals (with acceptance):

$$I A_{ij}^{\epsilon} = \int \bar{\psi}_i^{\epsilon}(\tau_n) \bar{\psi}_j^{\epsilon}(\tau_n)^* \text{Acc}(\tau) d\tau$$

$$\text{Acc}(\tau) = \begin{cases} 0 \\ 1 \end{cases}$$

(from a talk by Sebastian Neubert)