

# N\* Resonances from (mostly) low to (sometimes) high virtualities

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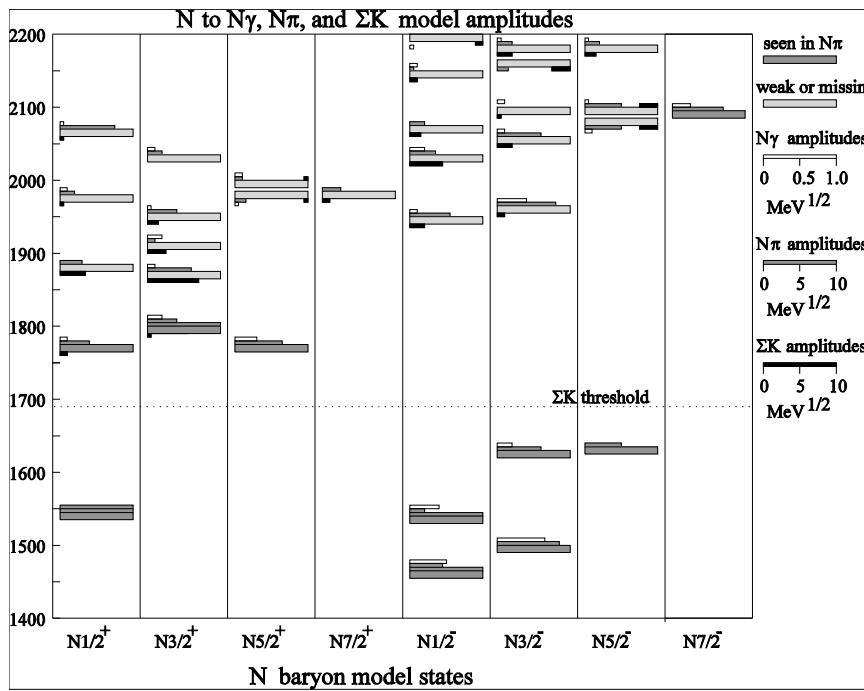
# Outline

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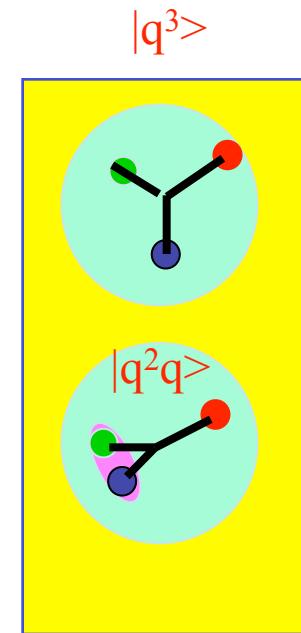
- Spectroscopy: theory and experiment
- Quantum Chromodynamics on the lattice
- Recent Highlights
- Resonances
  - phenomenology
  - strong decays
  - Form factors and Matrix Elements
- Summary and prospects

# Baryon Spectroscopy

- No baryon “**exotics**”, ie quantum numbers not accessible with simple quark model; but may be **hybrids**!
- Nucleon Spectroscopy: Quark model masses and amplitudes – states classified by isospin, parity and **spin**.



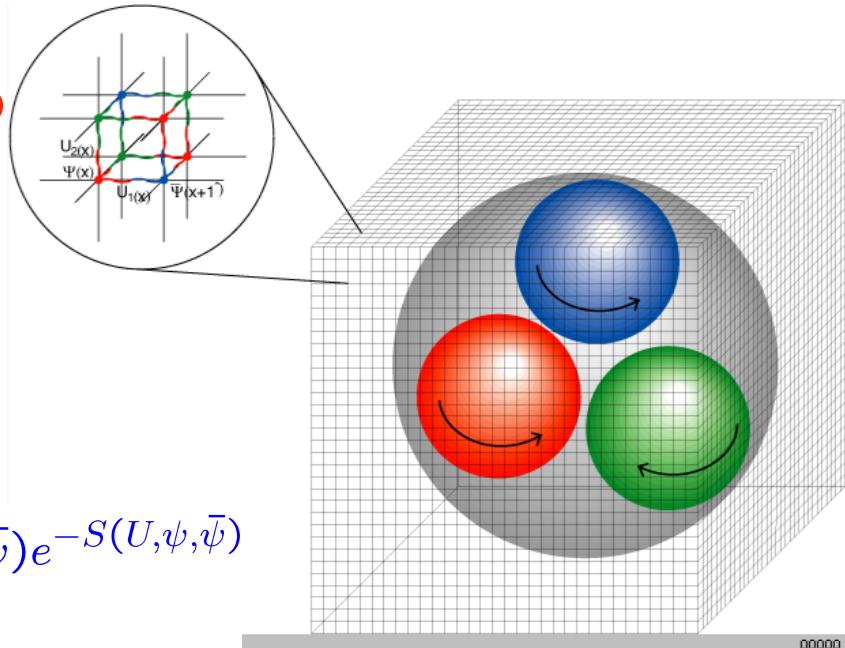
- **Missing**, because our pictures do not capture correct degrees of freedom?
- Do they just not couple to **probes**?



Capstick and Roberts, PRD58  
(1998) 074011

# Lattice QCD - I

- Lattice QCD enables us to undertake **ab initio** computations of many of the low-energy properties of QCD
- Continuum Euclidean space time replaced by four-dimensional **lattice**



$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{x,\mu} dU_\mu(x) \prod_x d\psi(x) \prod_x d\bar{\psi}(x) \mathcal{O}(U, \psi, \bar{\psi}) e^{-S(U, \psi, \bar{\psi})}$$

where

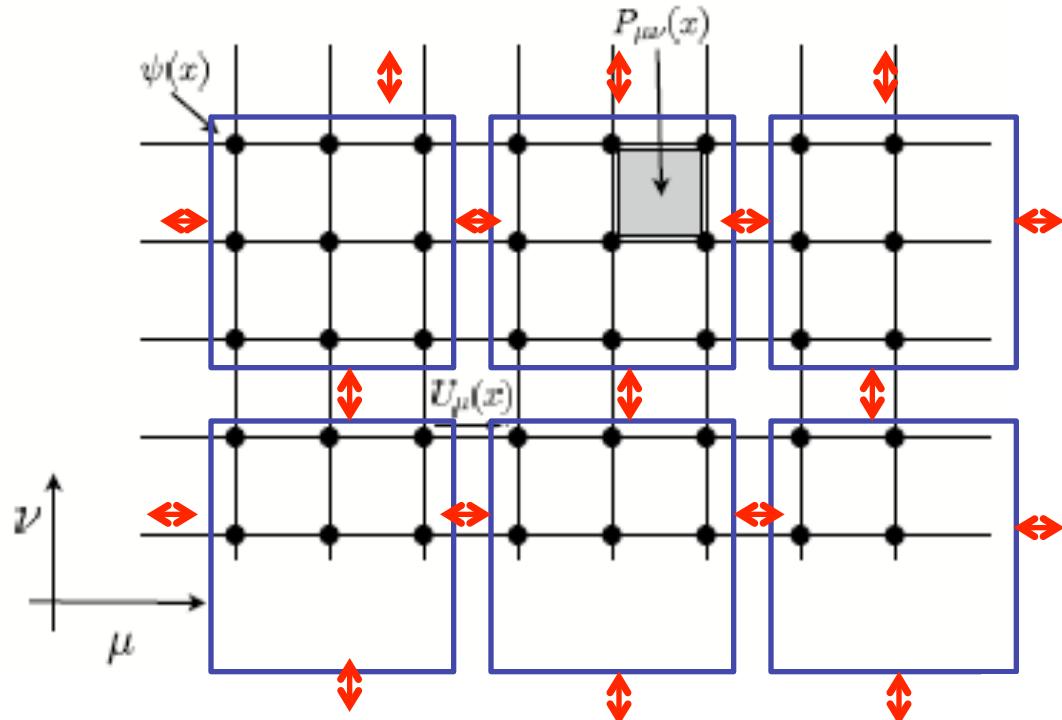
$$S(U, \psi, \bar{\psi}) = -\frac{6}{g^2} \sum_x \text{Tr} U_{Pl} + \sum_x \bar{\psi} M(U) \psi$$

$\psi, \bar{\psi}$  are **Grassmann Variables**

Importance Sampling

$$\langle \mathcal{O} \rangle = \frac{1}{Z} \prod_{x,\mu} dU_\mu(x) \mathcal{O}(U) \det M(U) e^{-S_g(U)}$$

# Hierarchy of Computations



Capability Computing -  
Gauge Generation



Capacity Computing -  
Observable Calculation

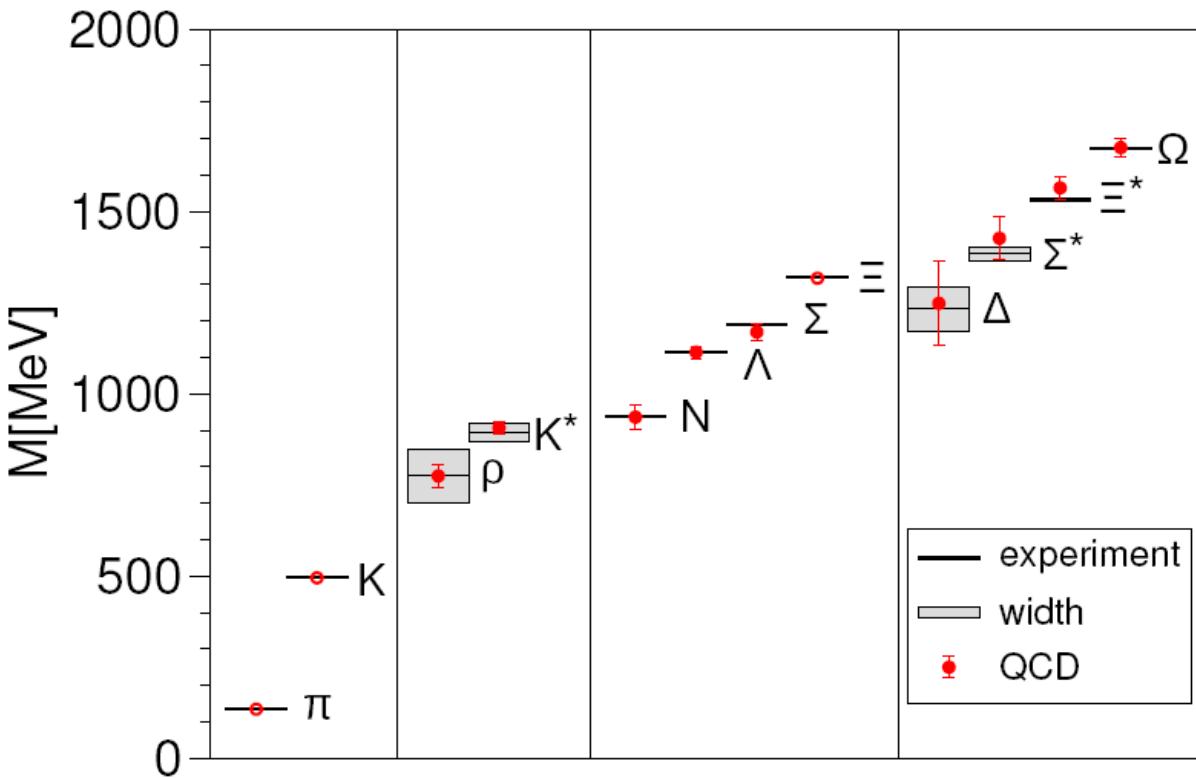


Highly regular problem, with simple boundary conditions – *very efficient use of massively parallel computers using data-parallel programming.*

# Low-lying Hadron Spectrum

## Benchmark of LQCD

$$\begin{aligned} C(t) = \sum_{\vec{x}} \langle 0 | N(\vec{x}, t) \bar{N}(0) | 0 \rangle &= \sum_{n, \vec{x}} \langle 0 | e^{ip \cdot x} N(0) e^{-ip \cdot x} | n \rangle \langle n | \bar{N}(0) | 0 \rangle \\ &= |\langle n | N(0) | 0 \rangle|^2 e^{-E_n t} = \sum_n A_n e^{-E_n t} \end{aligned}$$



Durr et al., BMW  
Collaboration

Science 2008

Control over:

- Quark-mass dependence
- Continuum extrapolation
- finite-volume effects  
(pions, resonances)

# Nucleon EM Form Factors

Two form factors

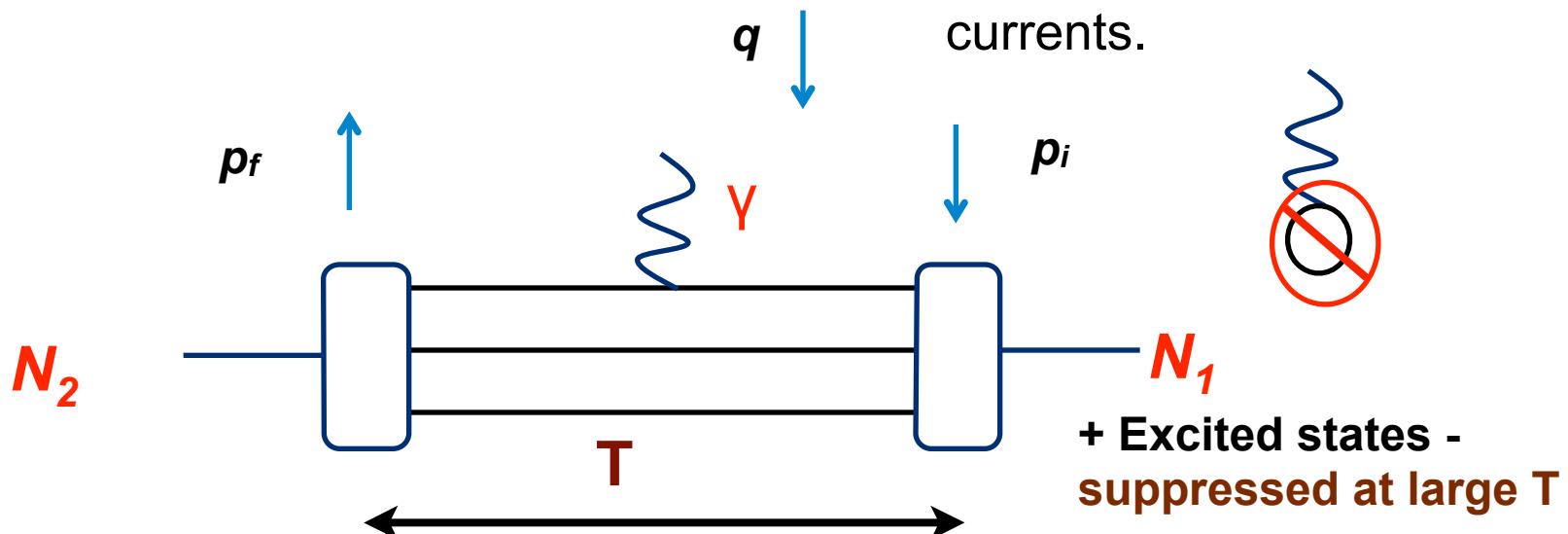
$$\langle p_f | V_\mu | p_i \rangle = \bar{u}(p_f) \left[ \begin{array}{c} \text{Dirac} \\ \gamma_\mu F_1(q^2) + i q_\nu \frac{\sigma_{\mu\nu}}{2m_N} F_2(q^2) \end{array} \right] u(p_i)$$

Related to familiar Sach's electromagnetic form factors through

$$G_E(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) - \frac{Q^2}{(2m_N)^2} F_2(Q^2)$$

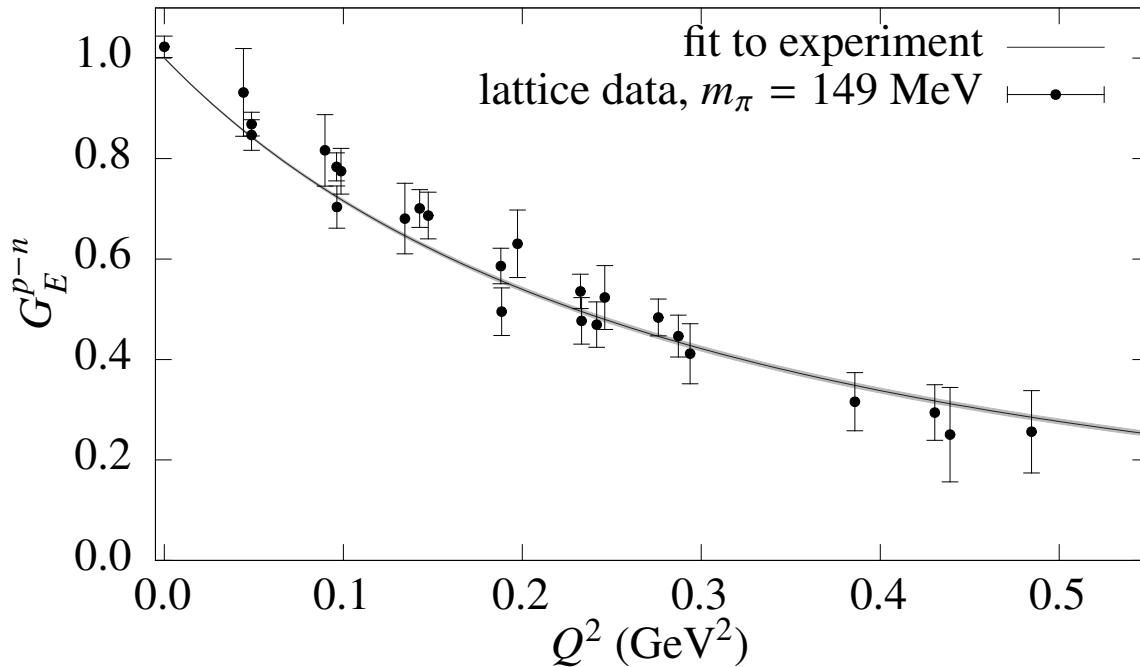
$$G_M(Q^2) = F_1(Q^2) + F_2(Q^2)$$

**Isovector:** difference between **p** and **n** or difference between **u** and **d** currents.



# Electromagnetic Form Factors

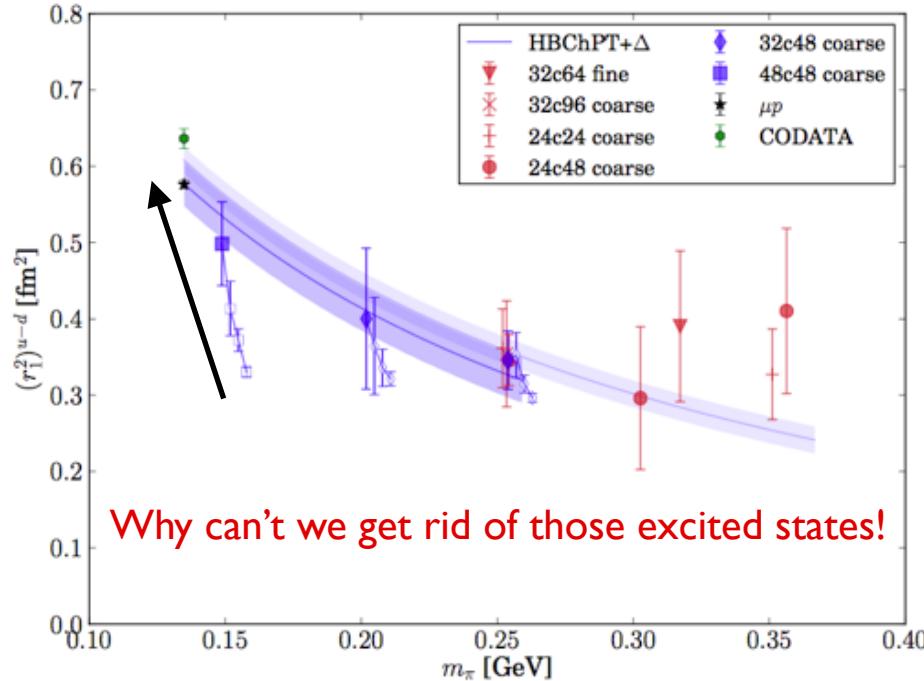
Wilson-clover lattices from BMW



Hadron structure at nearly-physical quark masses

Green et al (LHPC), Phys. Rev. D 90, 074507 (2014)

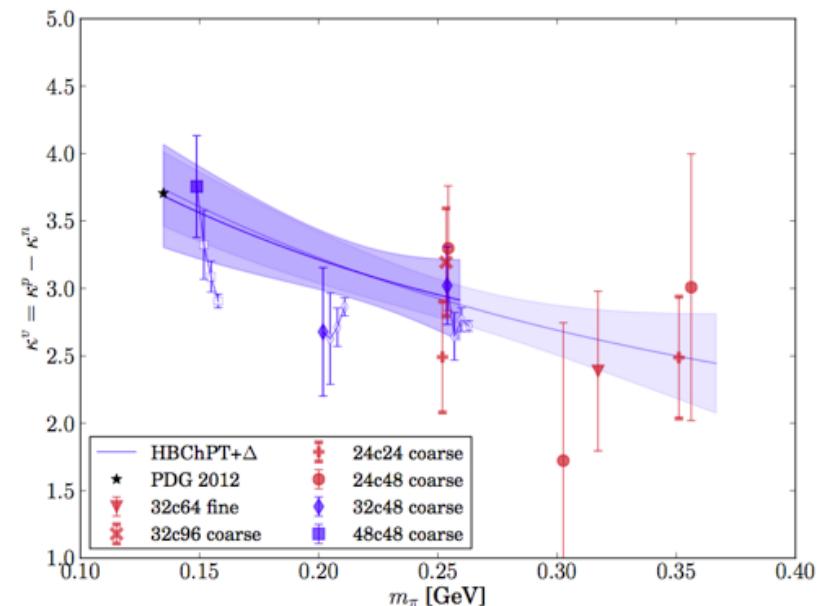
# Isovector Charge Radius



Why can't we get rid of those excited states!

Precision Calculations of the Fundamental Quantities in Nuclear Physics - at physical quark masses

Green et al, arXiv:1404.40



# Variational Method

Subleading terms → **Excited states**

Construct matrix of correlators with *judicious choice of operators*

$$\begin{aligned} C_{\alpha\beta}(t, t_0) &= \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_\alpha(t) \mathcal{O}_\beta^\dagger(t_0) | 0 \rangle \\ &\rightarrow \sum_n Z_\alpha^n Z_\beta^{n\dagger} e^{-M_n(t-t_0)} \end{aligned}$$

Delineate contributions using variational method: solve

$$\begin{aligned} C(t)u(t, t_0) &= \lambda(t, t_0)C(t_0)u(t, t_0) \\ \lambda_i(t, t_0) &\rightarrow e^{-E_i(t-t_0)} \left( 1 + O(e^{-\Delta E(t-t_0)}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Eigenvectors, with metric  $C(t_0)$ , are orthonormal and project onto the respective states

- Resolve energy dependence - *anisotropic lattice*
- Judicious construction of interpolating operators - *cubic symmetry*

# Baryon Operators

Aim: interpolating operators of *definite* (continuum) JM:  $O^{JM}$

- Lattice does not respect symmetries of continuum: *cubic symmetry for states at rest*  $\langle 0 | O^{JM} | J', M' \rangle = Z^J \delta_{J,J'} \delta_{M,M'}$

Starting point

$$B = (\mathcal{F}_{\Sigma_F} \otimes \mathcal{S}_{\Sigma_S} \otimes \mathcal{D}_{\Sigma_D}) \{ \psi_1 \psi_2 \psi_3 \}$$

Introduce circular basis:

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=-1} = \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \overleftrightarrow{D}_x - i \overleftrightarrow{D}_y \right)$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=0} = i \overleftrightarrow{D}_z$$

$$\overleftrightarrow{D}_{m=+1} = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \overleftrightarrow{D}_x + i \overleftrightarrow{D}_y \right).$$

Straightforward to project to definite spin:  $J = 1/2, 3/2, 5/2$

$$| [J, M] \rangle = \sum_{m_1, m_2} | [J_1, m_1] \rangle \otimes | [J_2, m_2] \rangle \langle J_1 m_1; J_2 m_2 | JM \rangle$$

Use projection formula to find subduction under irrep. of cubic group - operators are closed under rotation!

$$\begin{aligned} O_{\Lambda\lambda}^{[J]}(t, \vec{x}) &= \frac{d_\Lambda}{g_{O_h^D}} \sum_{R \in O_h^D} D_{\lambda\lambda}^{(\Lambda)*}(R) U_R O^{J,M}(t, \vec{x}) U_R^\dagger \\ &\stackrel{\text{Irrep, Row}}{=} \sum_M S_{\Lambda,\lambda}^{J,M} O^{J,M} \stackrel{\text{Irrep of R in } \Lambda}{=} \stackrel{\text{Action of R}}{=} \end{aligned}$$

# Efficient Correlation fns:

- Use the new “distillation” method.
- Observe  $L^{(J)} \equiv (1 - \frac{\kappa}{n} \Delta)^n = \sum_{i=1}^n f(\lambda_i) v^{(i)} \otimes v^{*(i)}$
- Truncate sum at sufficient  $i$  to capture relevant physics modes – we use 64: set “weights”  $f$  to be unity
- *Baryon* correlation function

Eigenvectors of  
Laplacian

$$C_{ij}(t) = \Phi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{i,(p,q,r)}(t) \Phi_{\bar{\alpha}\bar{\beta}\bar{\gamma}}^{j,(\bar{p},\bar{q},\bar{r})\dagger}(0)$$
$$\times \left[ \tau_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^{p\bar{p}}(t, 0) \tau_{\beta\bar{\beta}}^{q\bar{q}}(t, 0) \tau_{\gamma\bar{\gamma}}^{r\bar{r}}(t, 0) \right. \\ \left. - \tau_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^{p\bar{p}}(t, 0) \tau_{\beta\bar{\gamma}}^{q\bar{r}}(t, 0) \tau_{\gamma\bar{\beta}}^{r\bar{q}}(t, 0) \right]$$

where

$$\Phi_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^{i,(p,q,r)} = \epsilon^{abc} S_{\alpha\beta\gamma}^i (\Gamma_1 \xi^{(p)})^a (\Gamma_2 \xi^{(q)})^b (\Gamma_3 \xi^{(r)})^c$$

$$\tau_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^{p\bar{p}}(t, 0) = \xi^{\dagger(p)}(t) M_{\alpha\bar{\alpha}}^{-1}(t, 0) \xi^{(\bar{p})}(0)$$

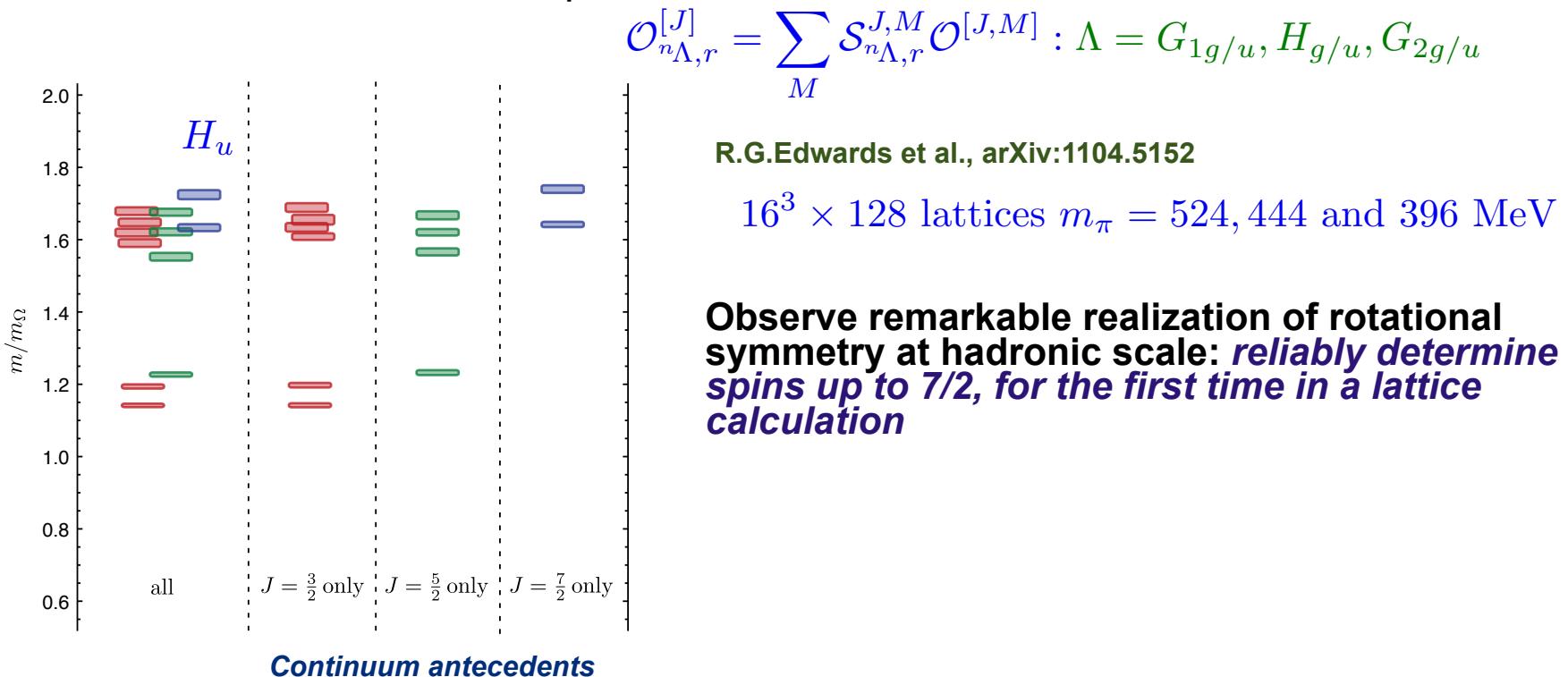
Perambulators

# Excited Baryon Spectrum - I

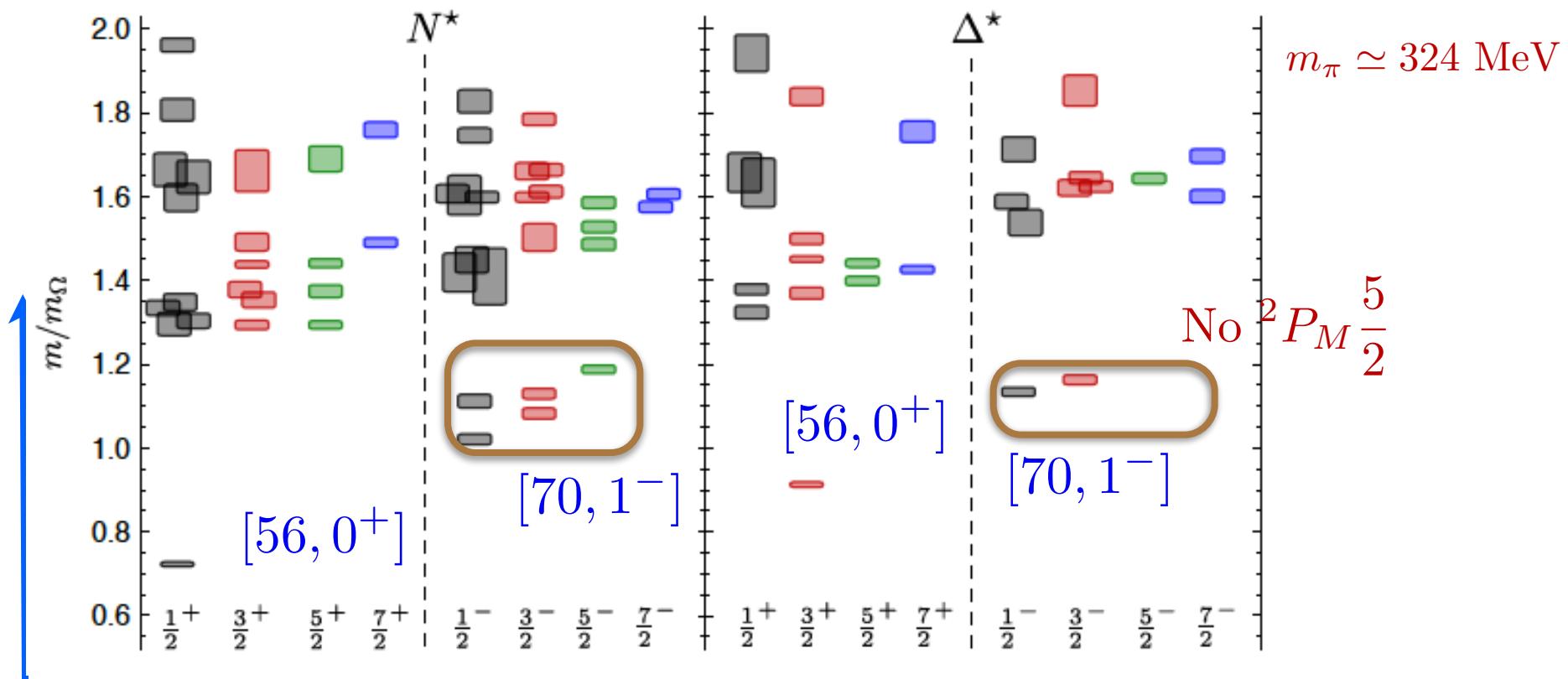
Construct basis of 3-quark interpolating operators in the continuum:

$$\left( N_M \otimes \left(\frac{3}{2}^-\right)_M^{\frac{1}{2}} \otimes D_{L=2,S}^{[2]} \right)^{J=\frac{7}{2}} \quad \text{“Flavor” x Spin x Orbital}$$

Subduce to lattice irreps:



# Excited Baryon Spectrum - II



$[70, 0^+], [56, 2^+], [70, 2^+], [20, 1^+]$

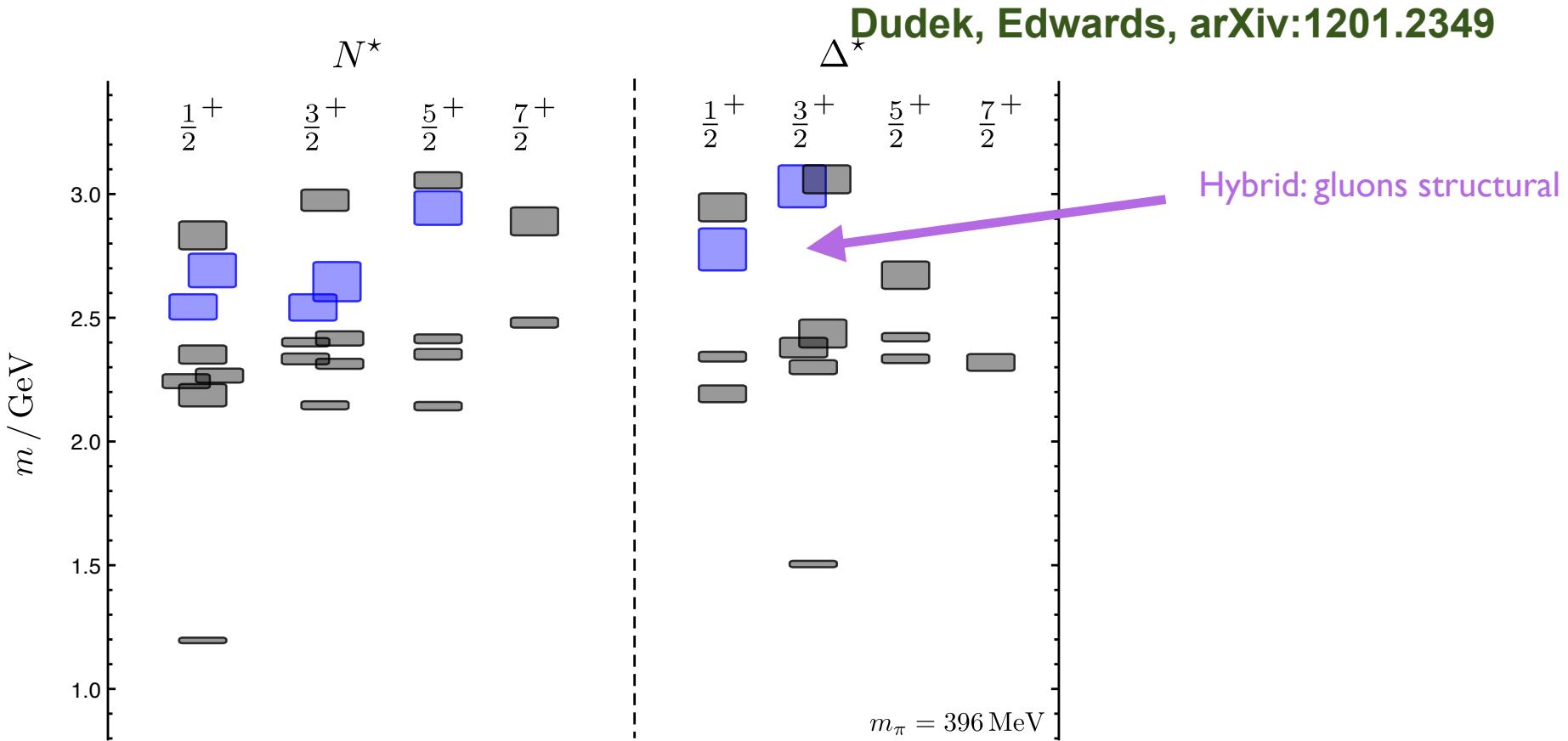
$N^{1/2+}$  sector: need for complete basis to faithfully extract states

Broad features of  $SU(6) \times O(3)$  symmetry.  
Counting of states consistent with NR quark model.

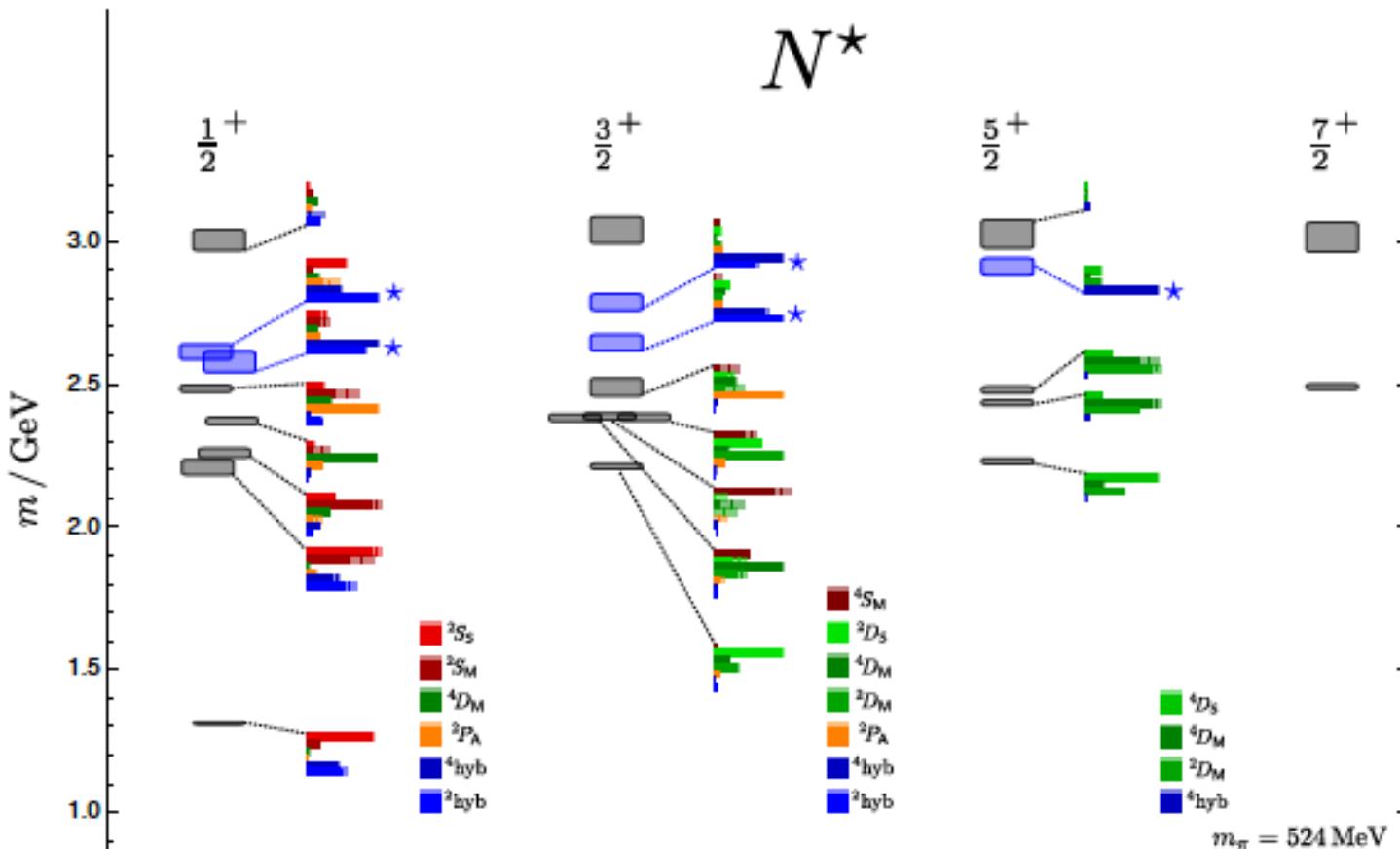
Inconsistent with quark-diquark picture or parity doubling.

# Hybrid Baryon Spectrum

Original analysis ignore **hybrid** operators of form  $D_{l=1,M}^{[2]}$

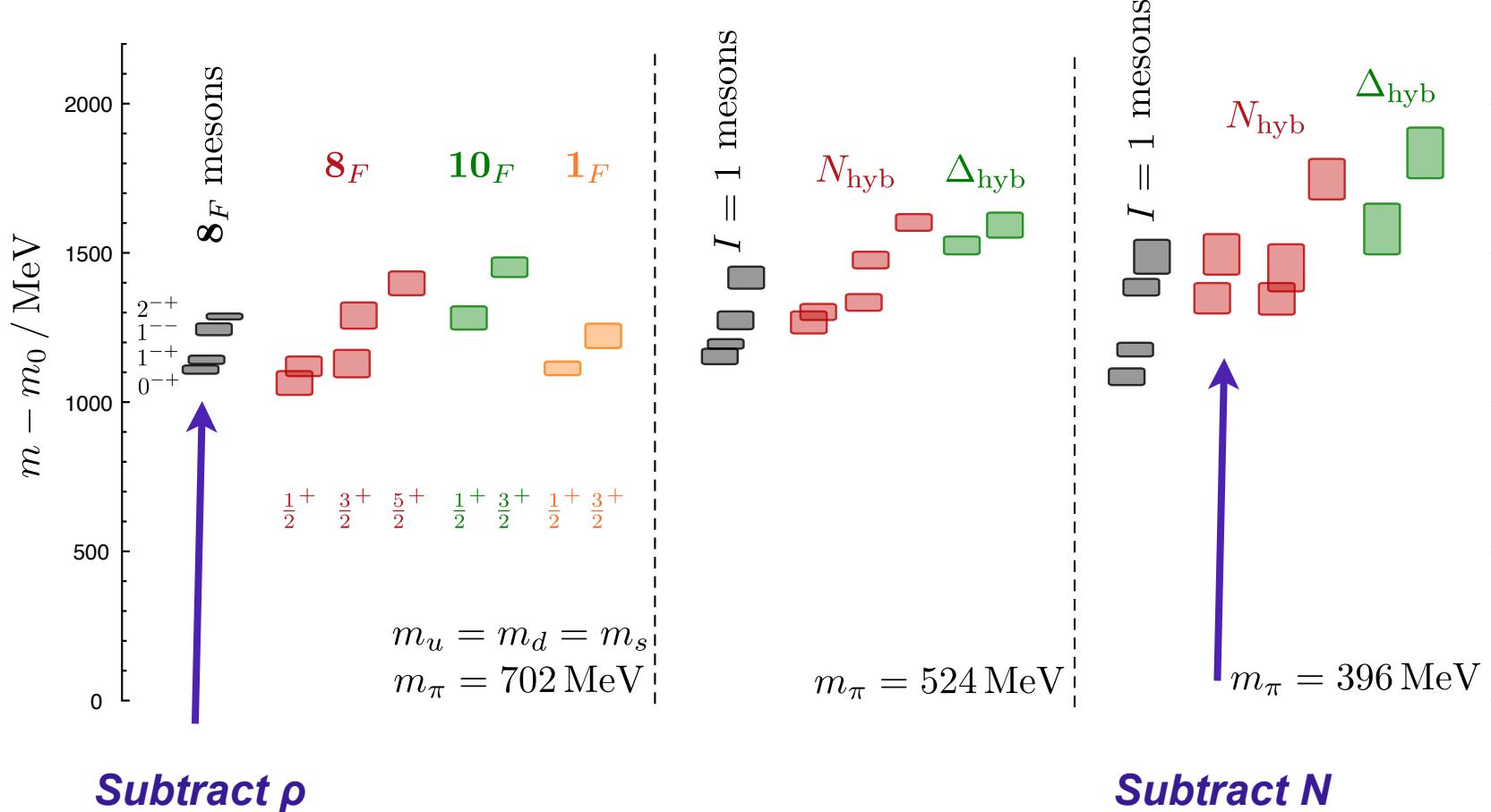


# Interpolating Operators



Examine overlaps onto different NR operators, i.e. containing upper components of spinors: *ground state has substantial hybrid component*

# Putting it Together



Common mechanism in meson and baryon hybrids: chromomagnetic field with  $E_g \sim 1.2 - 1.3 \text{ GeV}$

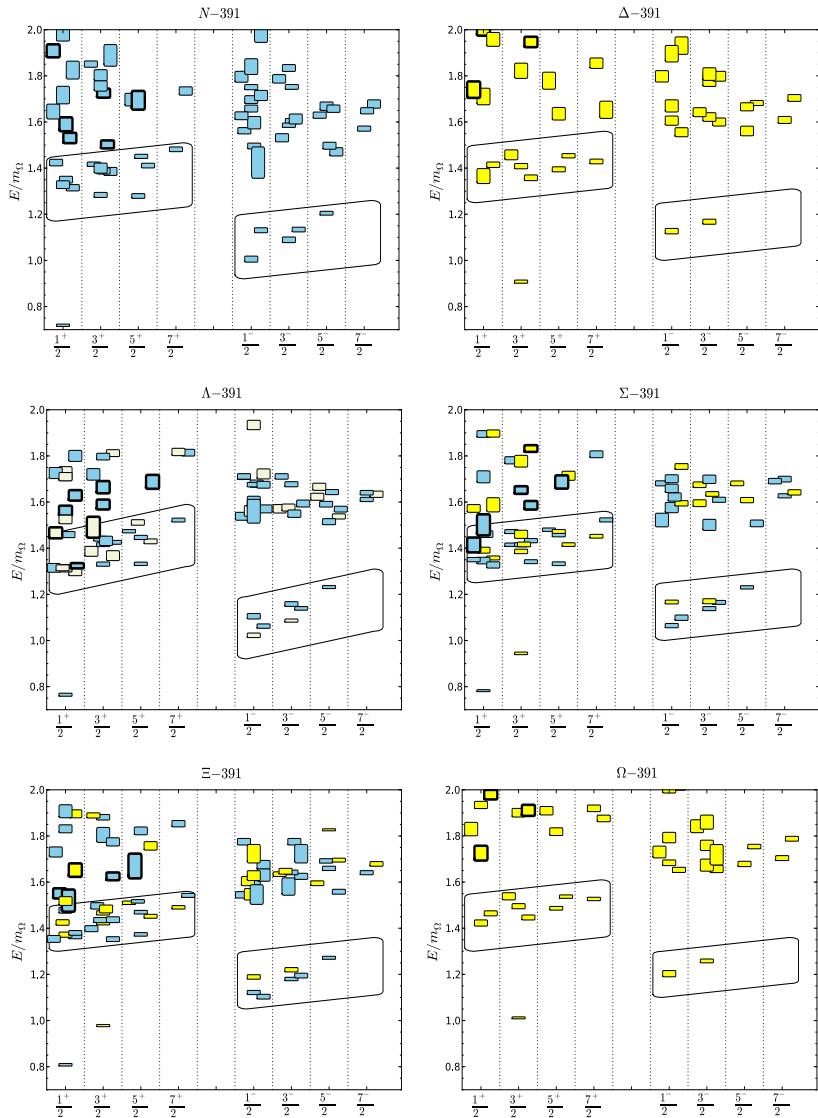
# Flavor Structure

$SU(3)_F$	S	L	$J^P$	
$8_F$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$
	$\frac{3}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^- \quad \frac{5}{2}^-$
$N_8(J)$			2	2 1
$10_F$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$
$N_{10}(J)$			1	1 0
$1_F$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$
$N_1(J)$			1	1 0

One derivative

$SU(3)_F$	S	L	$J^P$	
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	$\frac{1}{2}$	2		$\frac{3}{2}^+$
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Two derivative



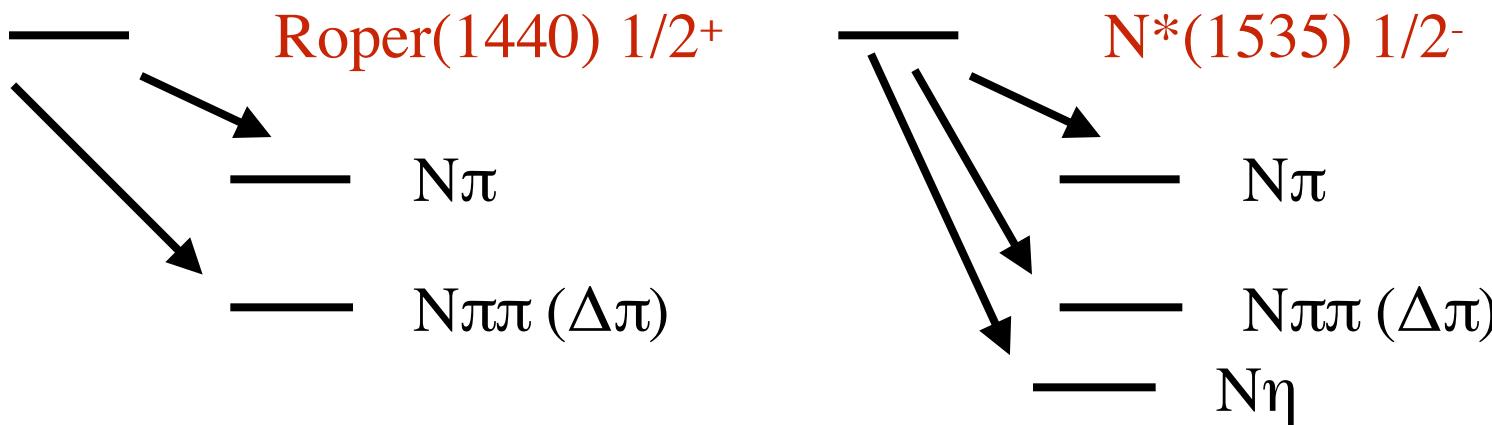
Examine Flavor structure of baryons constructed from u, d s quarks.

- Can identify predominant flavor for each state: **Yellow (10F)**, **Blue (8F)**, **Beige (1F)**.
- **SU(6) x O(3) Counting**
- Presence of “hybrids” characteristic across all +ve parity channels: **BOLD Outline**

R. Edwards et al., Phys. Rev. D87 (2013) 054506

# Some of our states are missing...

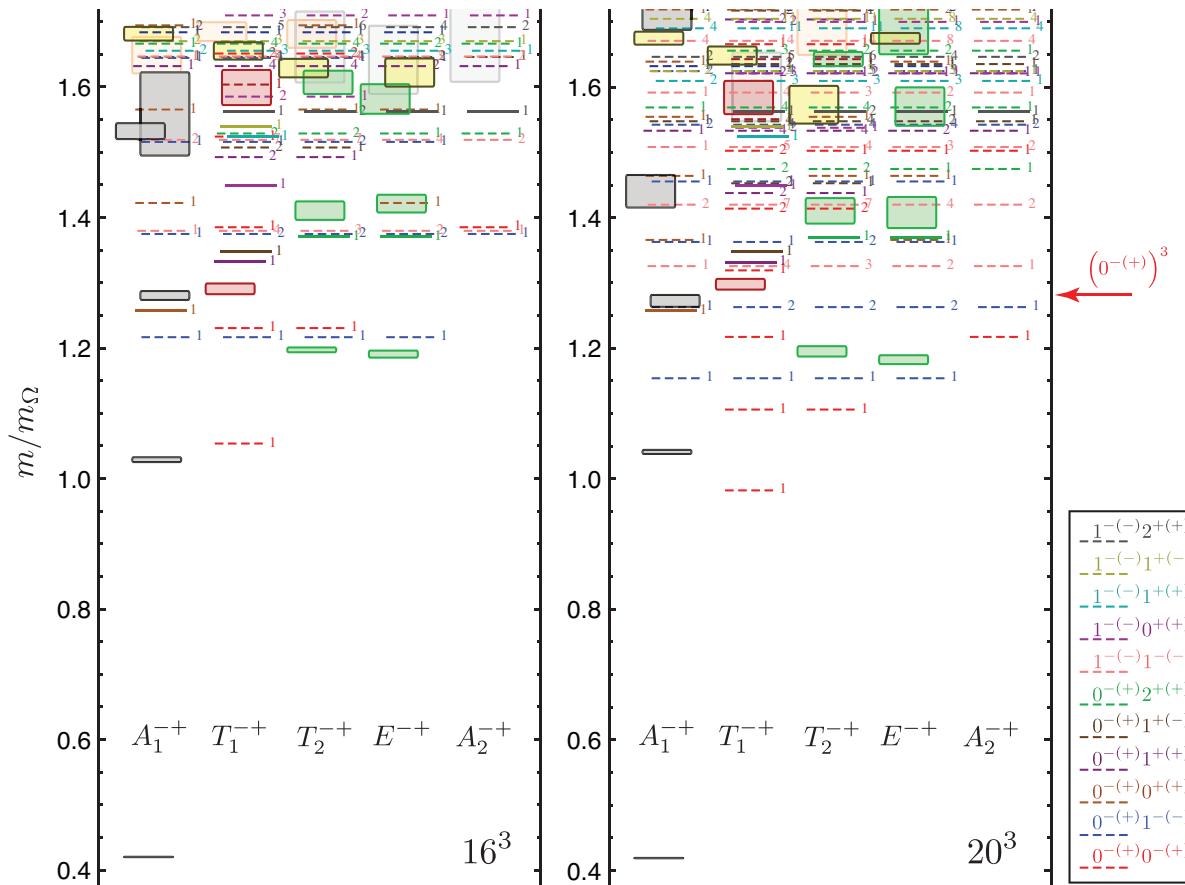
Partial decay widths



Momenta are quantised → discrete spectrum of energies. Even above threshold at our quark masses we should see (close-to?) these energies in spectrum

# Isovector meson spectrum

States unstable under strong interactions



Calculation is incomplete.

Meson spectrum on two volumes: dashed lines denote expected (non-interacting) multi-particle energies.

Allowed two-particle contributions - momenta - governed by cubic symmetry of volume

# Momentum-dependent $|l=2\pi\pi$ Phase Shift

Dudek et al., Phys Rev D83, 071504 (2011)

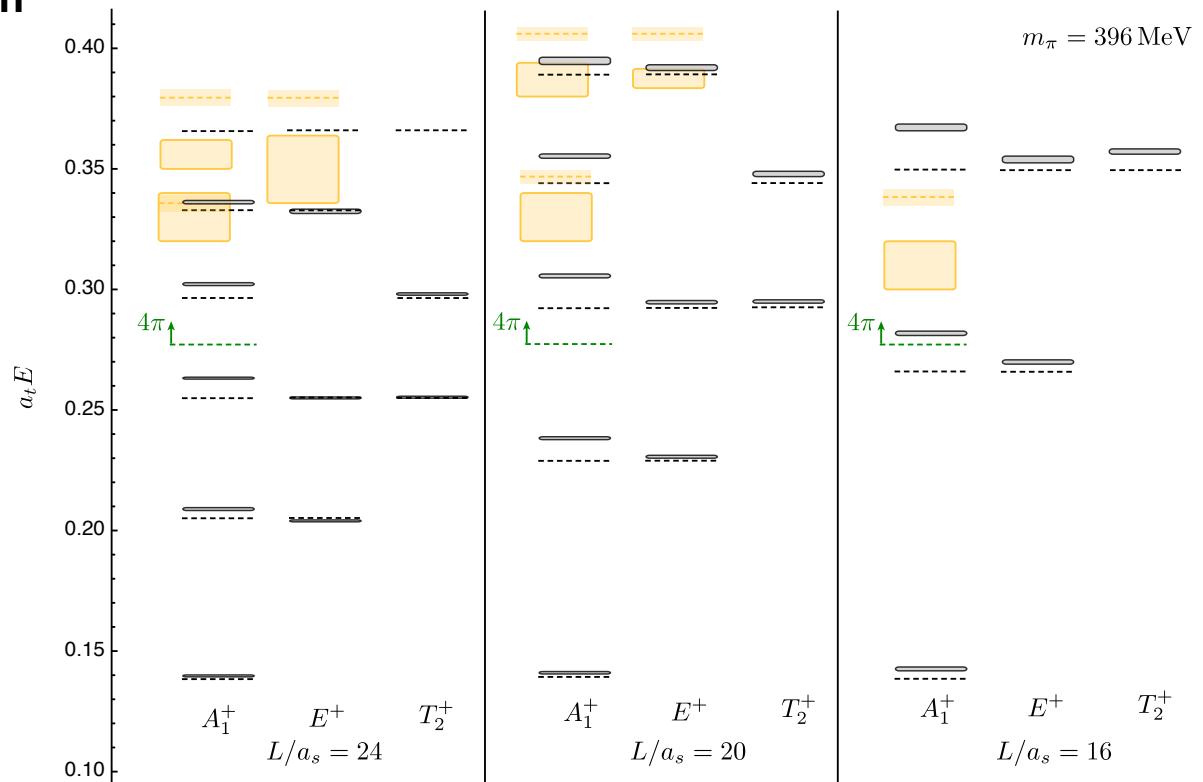
Include **two-body** operators

**Operator basis**

$$\mathcal{O}_{\pi\pi}^{\Gamma,\gamma}(|\vec{p}|) = \sum_m \mathcal{S}_{\Gamma,\gamma}^{\ell,m} \sum_{\hat{p}} Y_\ell^m(\hat{p}) \mathcal{O}_\pi(\vec{p}) \mathcal{O}_\pi(-\vec{p})$$

Total momentum zero - pion momentum  $\pm p$

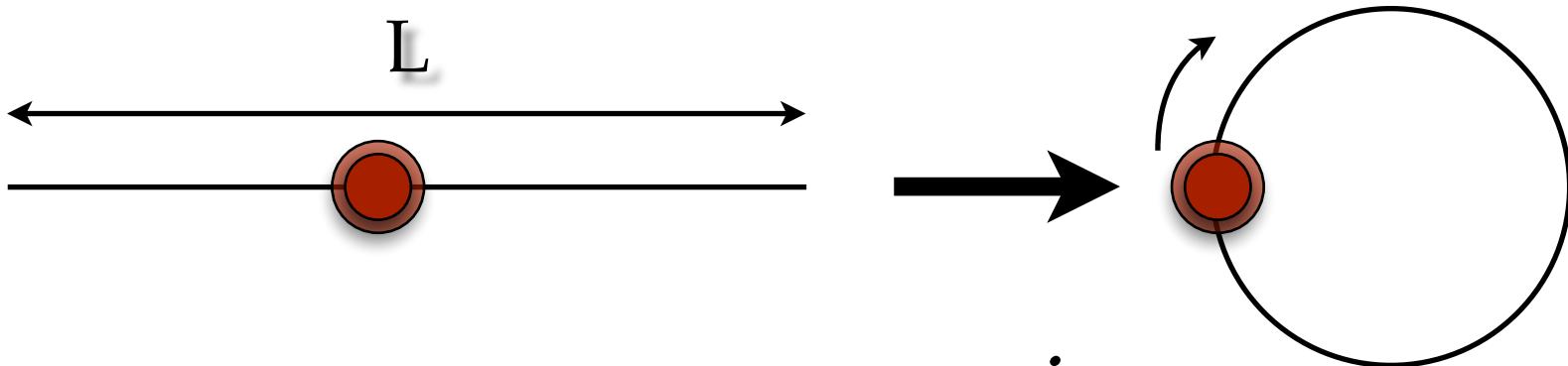
Luescher: energy levels at finite volume  
 $\leftrightarrow$  phase shift at corresponding  $k$



# Reinventing the *quantum-mechanical* wheel

Thanks to Raul Briceno

(in 1+1 dimensions)



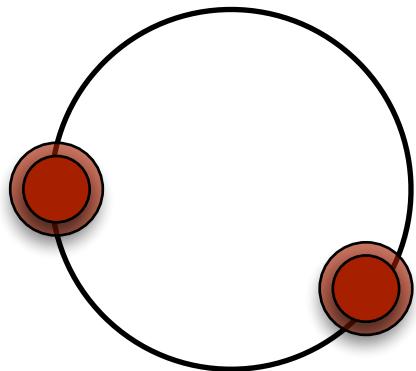
$$\phi(x) \sim e^{ipx}$$

Periodicity:

$$L p_n = 2\pi n$$

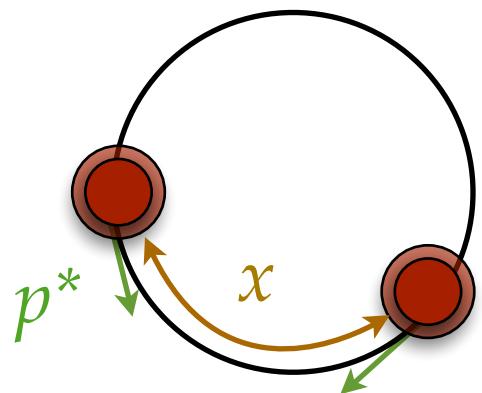
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Two particles:



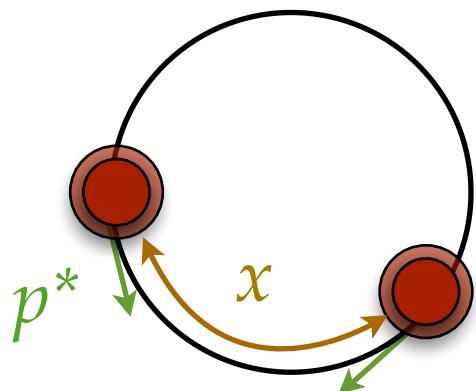
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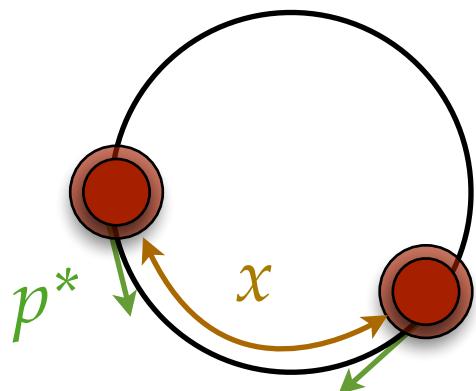
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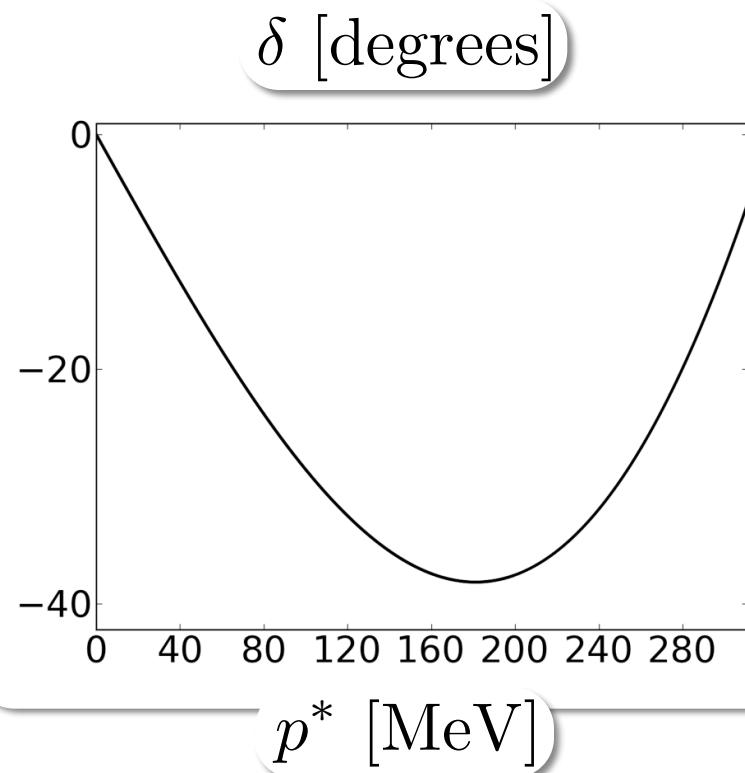
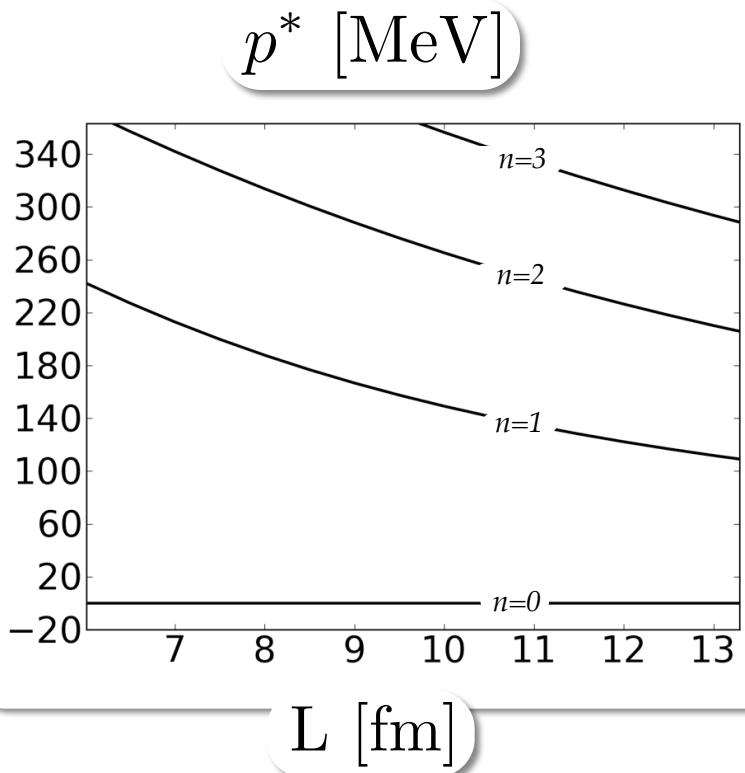
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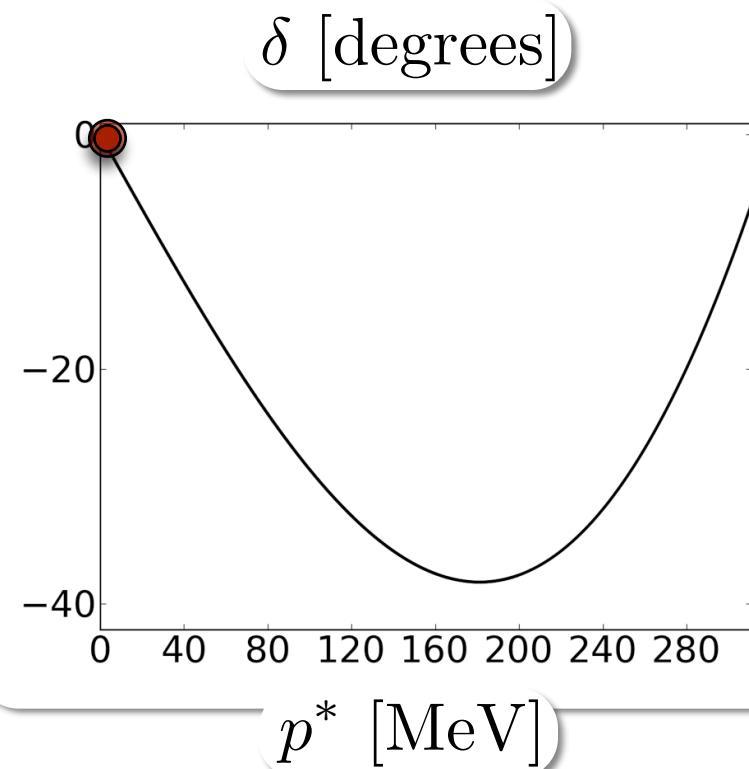
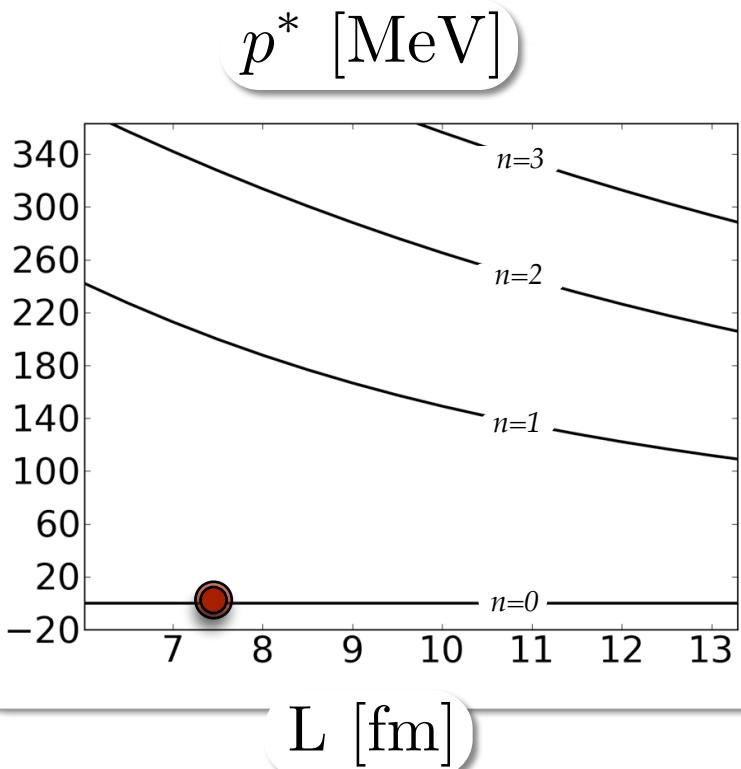
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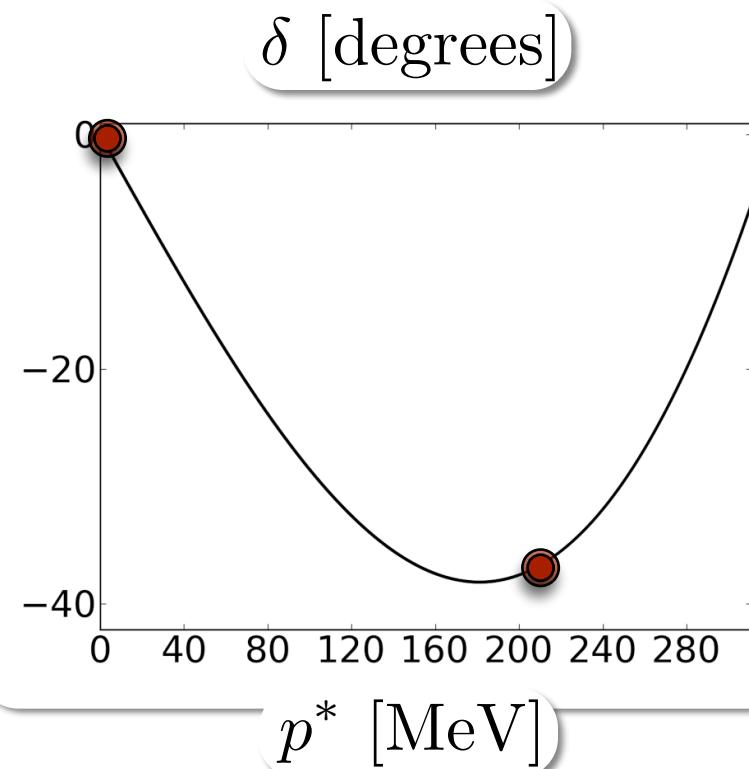
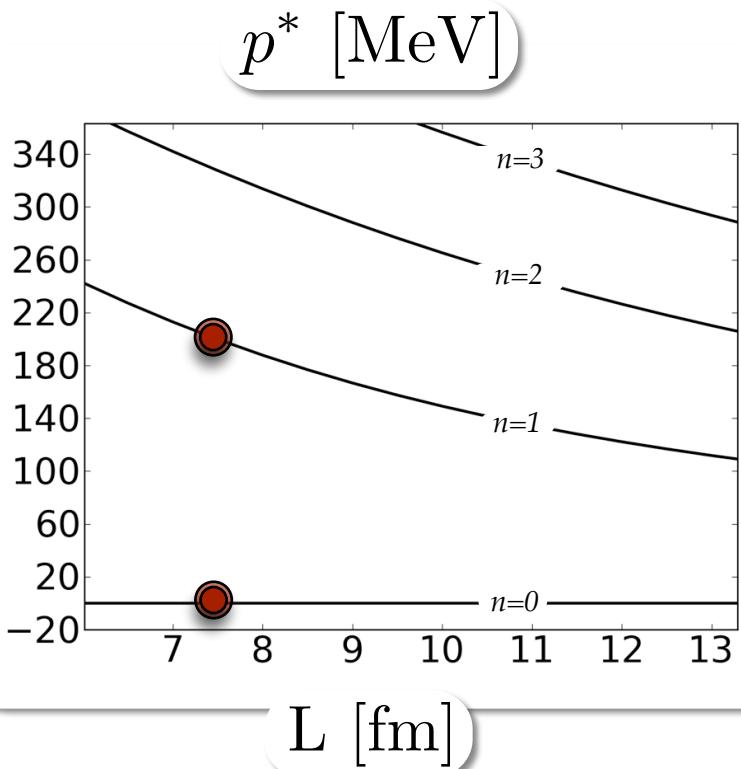
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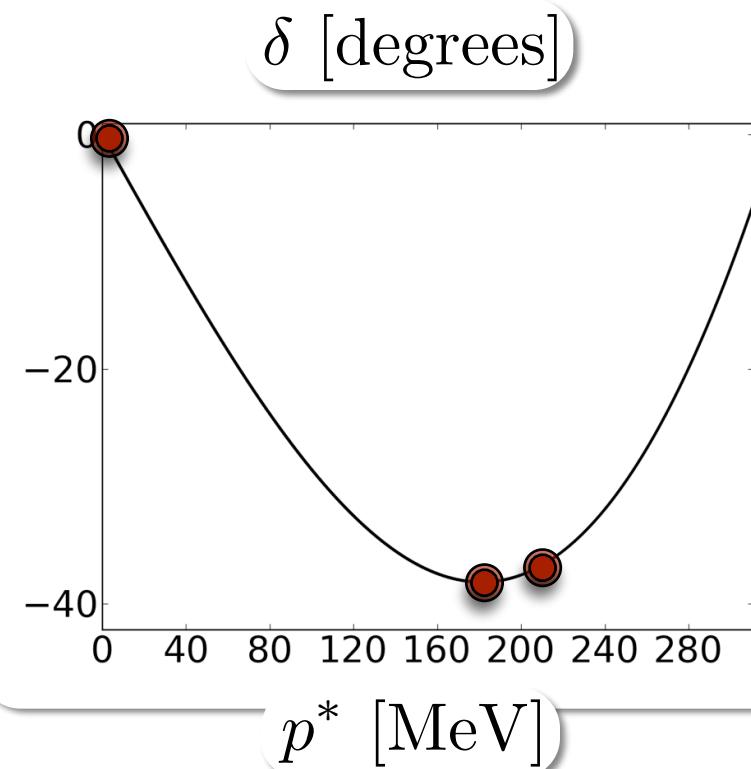
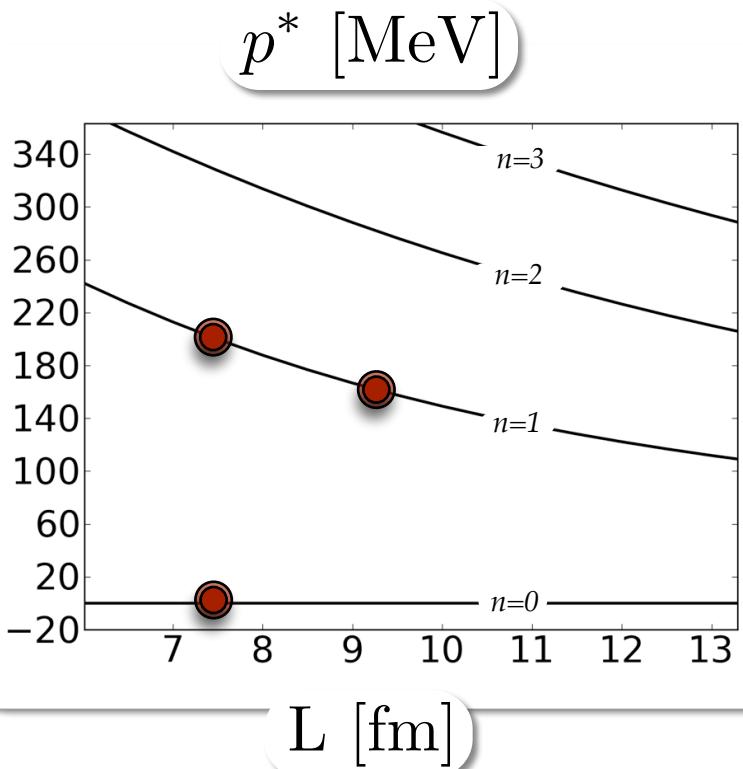
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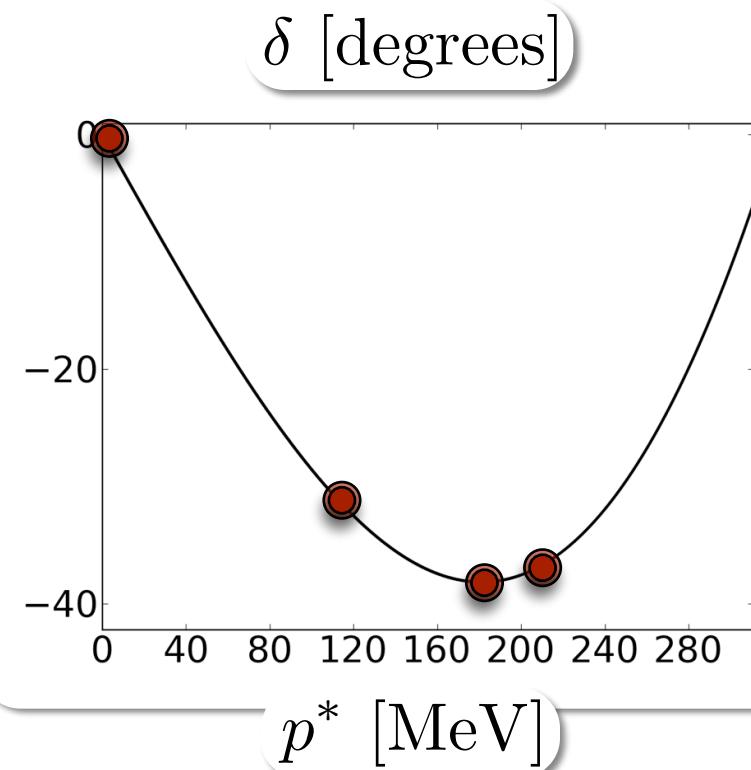
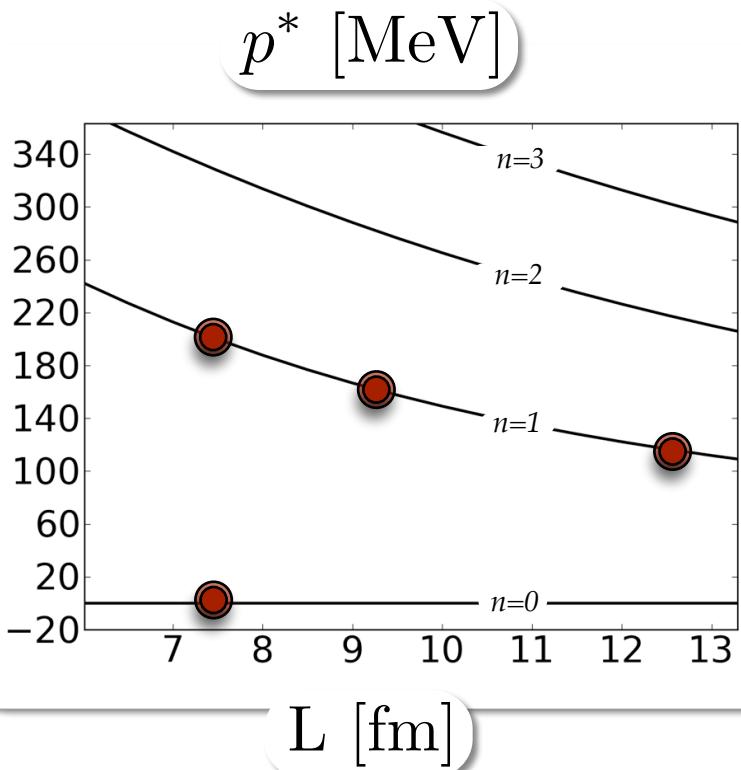
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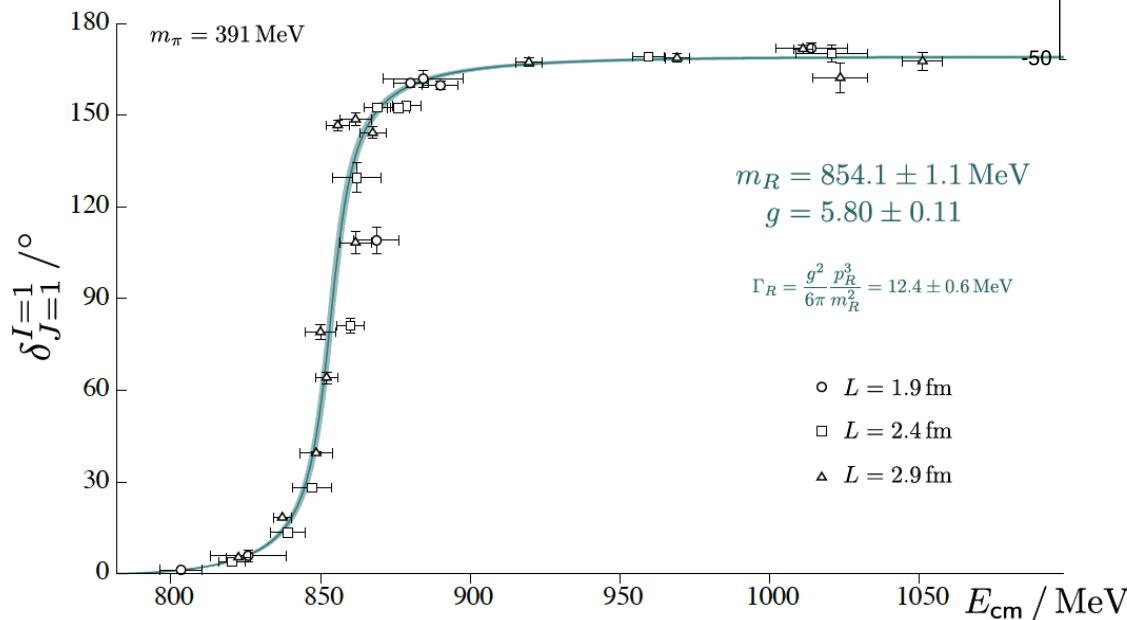
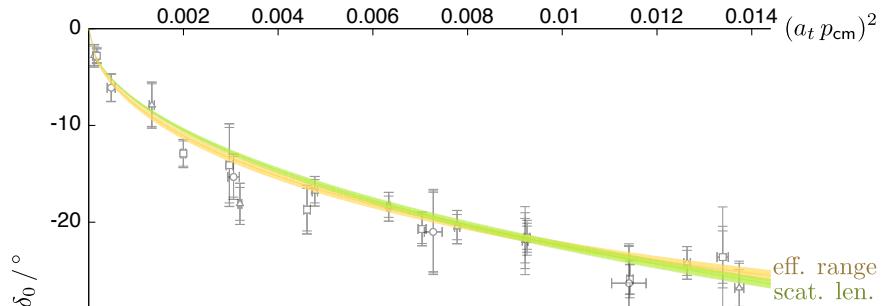
# $|l|=2$ and Resonant $|l|=1$ $\pi\pi$ Phase Shift

$$\det \left[ e^{2i\delta(k)} - \mathbf{U}_\Gamma \left( k \frac{L}{2\pi} \right) \right] = 0$$

Matrix in  $l$

**lattice irrep**

Dudek et al., Phys Rev D83, 071504  
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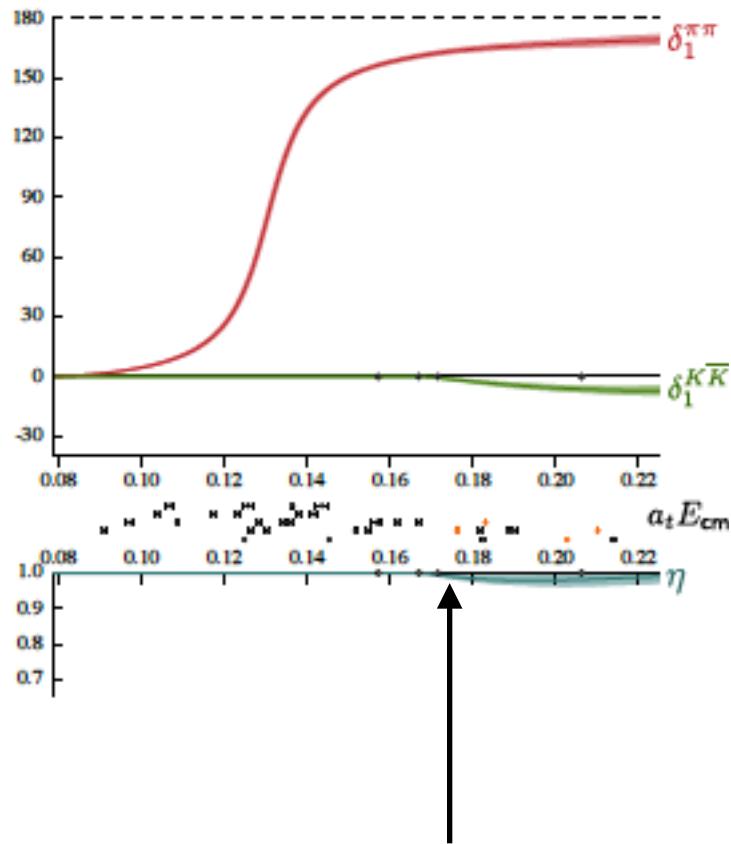


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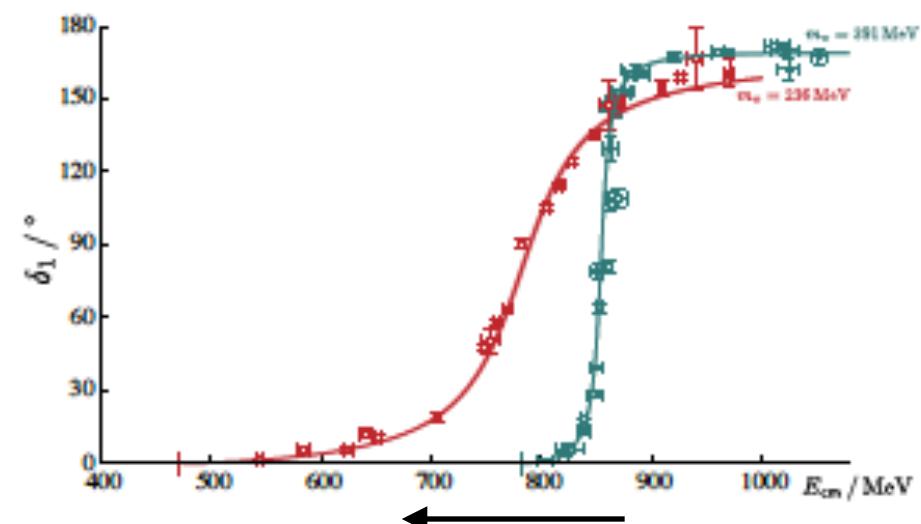
**Feng, Renner, Jansen, PRD83, 094505**  
**PACS-CS, PRD84, 094505**  
**Alexandru et al**  
**Lang et al., PRD84, 054503**

# Inelastic in $\pi\pi$ KK channel

Wilson, Briceno, Dudek, Edwards, Thomas, arXiv:1507.02599



Inelastic Threshold



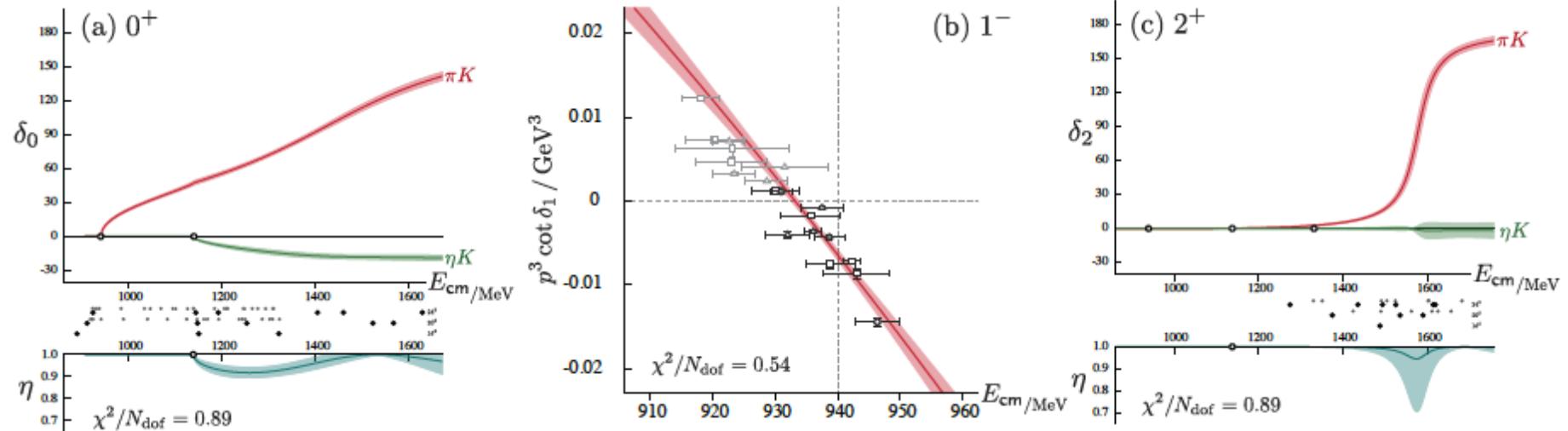
Decreasing Pion Mass

# First - and Successful - inelastic

$$\det \left[ \delta_{ij} \delta_{JJ'} + i \rho_i t_{ij}^{(J)}(E_{\text{cm}}) \left( \delta_{JJ'} + i \mathcal{M}_{JJ'}^{\vec{P}\Lambda}(p_i L) \right) \right] = 0$$

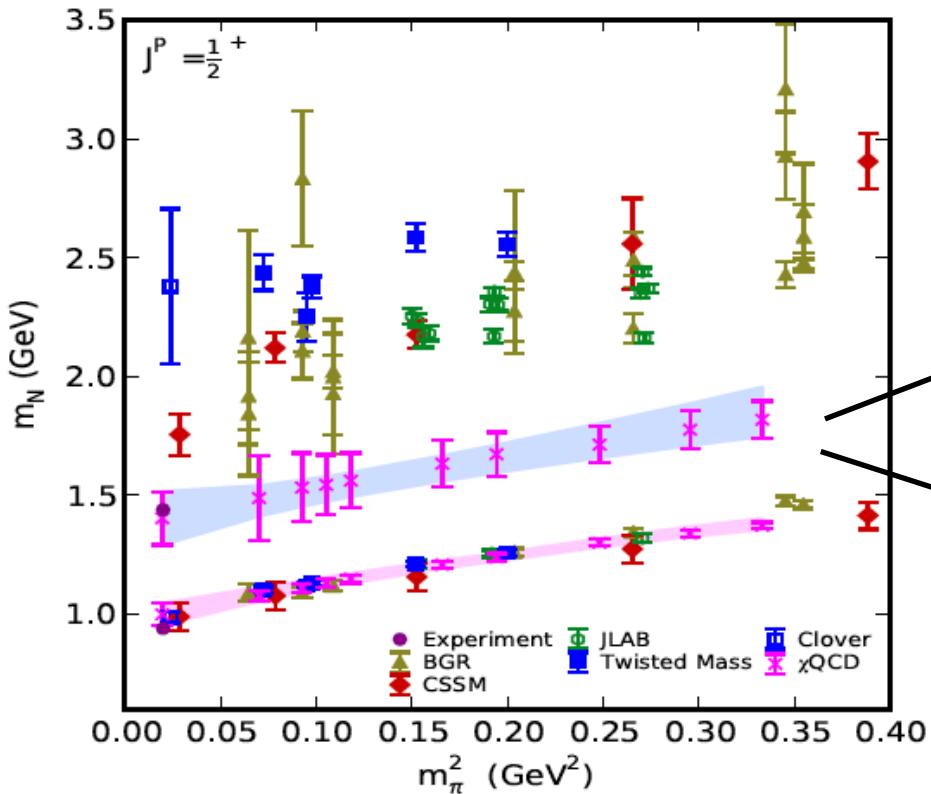
Parametrized as phase shift + inelasticity

$$t_{ii} = \frac{(\eta e^{2i\delta_i} - 1)}{2i\rho_i}, t_{ij} = \frac{\sqrt{1-\eta^2} e^{i(\delta_i+\delta_j)}}{2\sqrt{\rho_i \rho_j}}$$



Dudek, Edwards, Thomas, Wilson, PRL, PRD

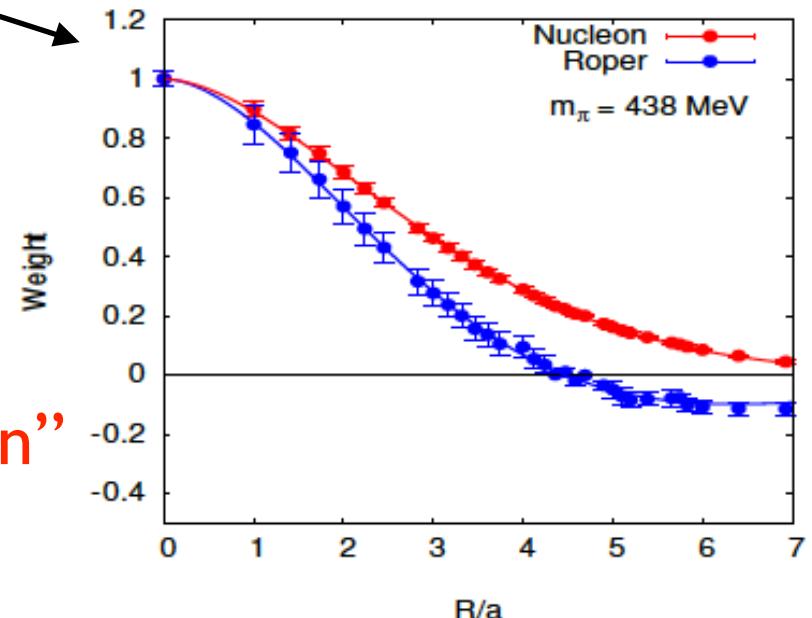
# Roper Resonance



*Compendium of Roper results*

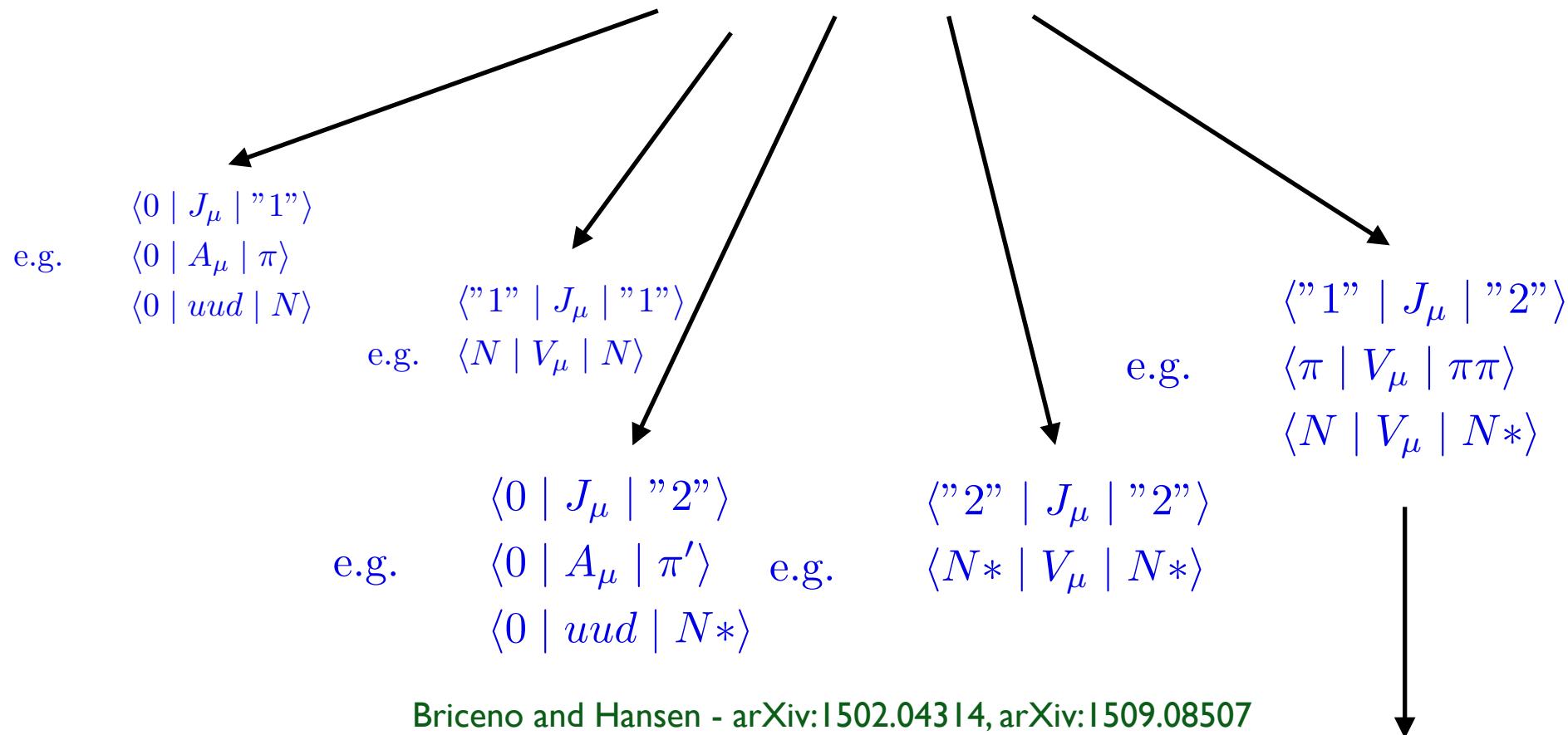
$\chi$ QCD, arXiv:1403.6847

Overlap Fermions,  
Sequential Bayesian Method



“radial wave function”

# Electromagnetic (Weak) Properties



Briceno and Hansen - arXiv:1502.04314, arXiv:1509.08507

See Raul Briceno, this session

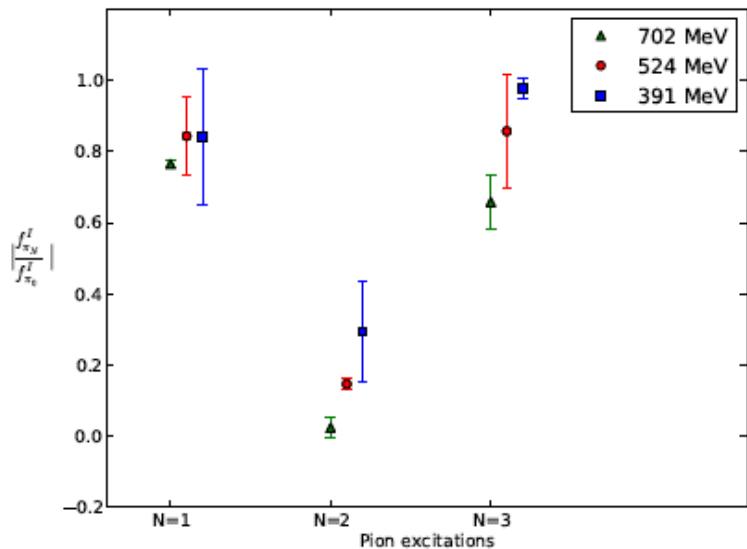
# Pseudoscalar Decay Constants

- Expectation from WT identity  $f_{\pi_N} \equiv 0, N \geq 0$
- Compute in LQCD

$$C_{A_4, N}(t) = \frac{1}{V_3} \sum_{\vec{x}, \vec{y}} \langle 0 | A_4(\vec{x}, t) \Omega_N^\dagger(\vec{y}, 0) | 0 \rangle \longrightarrow e^{-m_N t} m_N f_{\pi_N}$$

where  $\Omega_N = \sqrt{2m_N} e^{-m_N t_0/2} v_i^{(N)} \mathcal{O}_i$

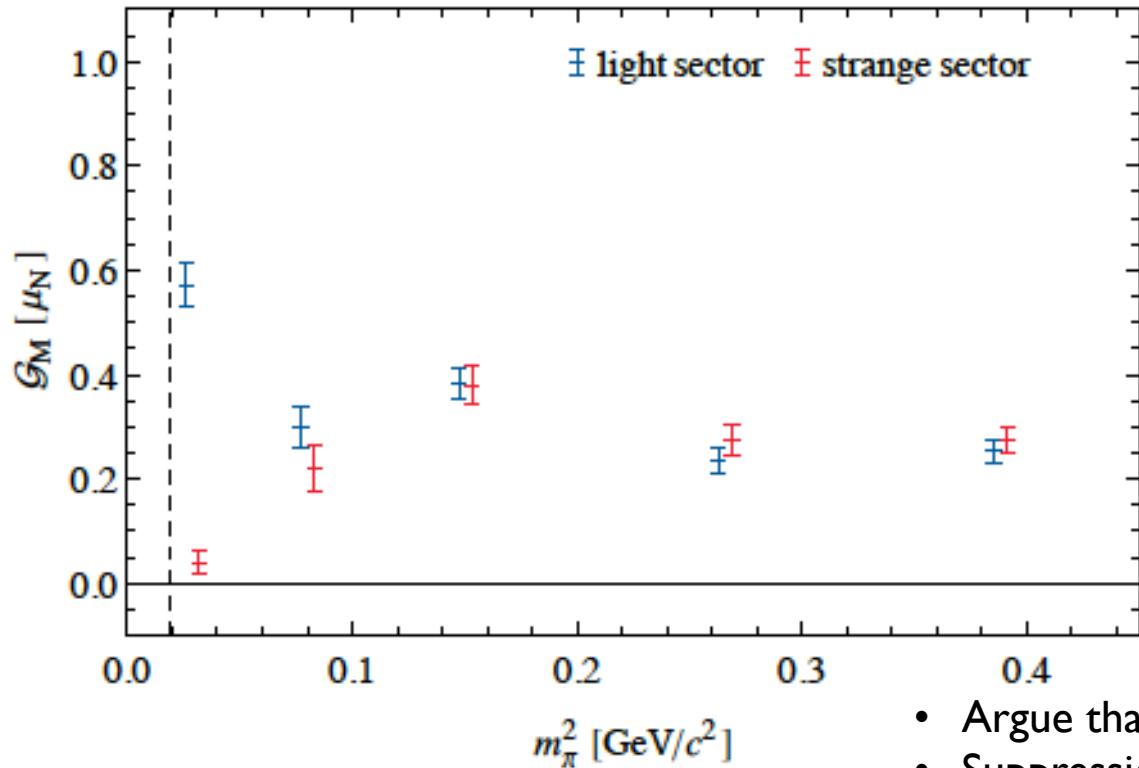
e.g. Chang, Roberts, Tandy, arXiv:1107.4003



E. Mastropas, DGR, arXiv:1403.5575

Infinite-volume matrix elements: need vacuum to two-body matrix elements and energy-dependent amplitudes

# Lambda (1405)



Hall et al, arXiv:1411.3402, PRL

- Argue that is molecular state
- Suppression of strangeness contribution to magnetic moment consistent with KN molecule
- Strong caveat - *interpretation in terms of infinite-volume matrix element requires two-body analysis at finite volume*

# Lattices for Hadron Physics

- Calculations at physical light-quark masses: *direct comparison with experiment*
- Several fine lattice spacings: *controlled extrapolation to continuum, and to reach high Q<sup>2</sup>*
- Hypercube symmetry: *simplified operator mixing*
- *Variational method, to control and extract excited states*

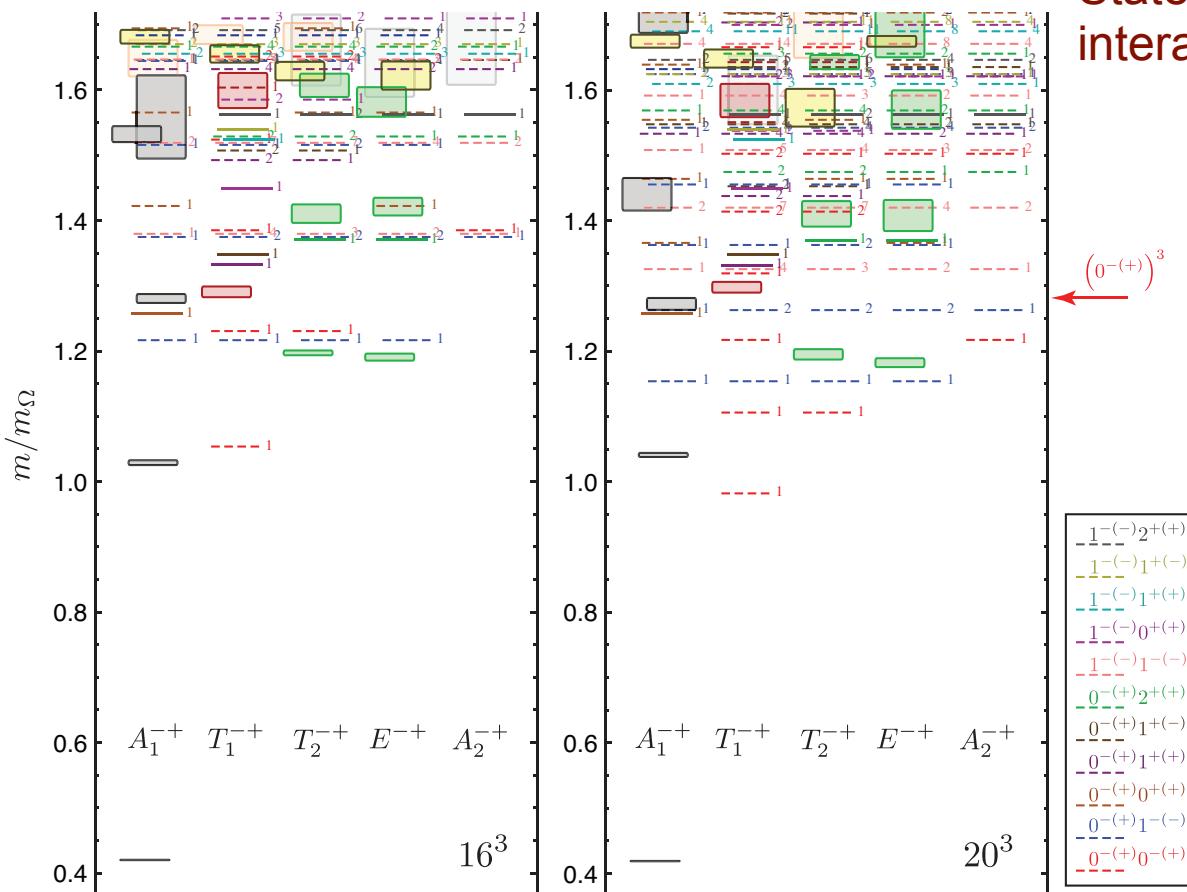
$$\text{Cost}_{\text{traj}} = C \xi^{1.25} \left( \frac{\text{fm}}{a_s} \right)^6 \cdot \left[ \left( \frac{L_s}{\text{fm}} \right)^3 \left( \frac{L_t}{\text{fm}} \right) \right]^{5/4}$$

Major Effort by USQCD

# Summary

- Determining the quantum numbers and the study of the “single-hadron” states a solved problem
- Lattice calculations used to construct new “phenomenology” of QCD
  - Quark-model like spectrum, *common mechanism for gluonic excitations in mesons and baryons. LOW ENERGY GLUONIC DOF*
- **Prediction - Additional states in baryon spectrum associated with hybrid dof.**
- Formalism for extracting scattering amplitudes, including inelastic channels, developed - applied for first time to meson sector
- COUPLED-CHANNEL METHODS ARE KEY
- Formalism for extracting infinite-volume matrix elements from calculations at finite volume developed - *Next Talk*
- Next step for lattice QCD:
  - Baryons more challenging.... *New improved methods in progress...*
  - Calculations at closer-to-physical pion masses - isotropic lattices

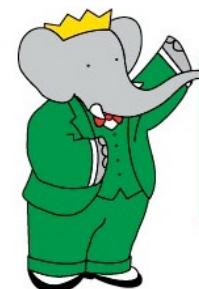
# The elephant in the room...



States unstable under strong interactions

Meson spectrum on two volumes: dashed lines denote expected (non-interacting) multi-particle energies.

Allowed two-particle contributions governed by cubic symmetry of volume



Calculation is incomplete.