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# Baryon Spectroscopy: Recent Results from the Crystal Barrel/TAPS Experiment at ELSA

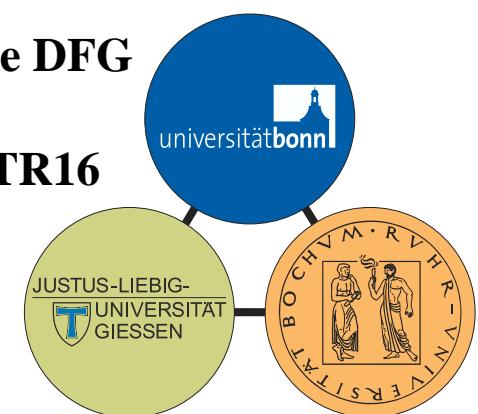
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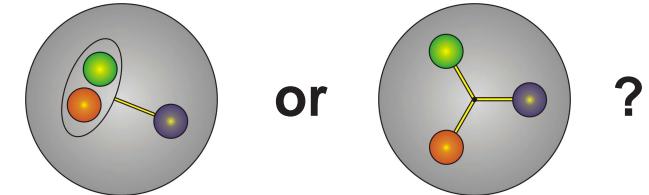
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# Baryon spectroscopy

Aim: Good understanding of the spectrum and the properties of baryon resonances  $\leftrightarrow$  bound states of strong QCD

- What are the relevant degrees of freedom ? e.g.:      or
- Effective forces between them ?



Symmetric quark models:

- many more resonances expected than observed yet
  - certain configurations completely missing !

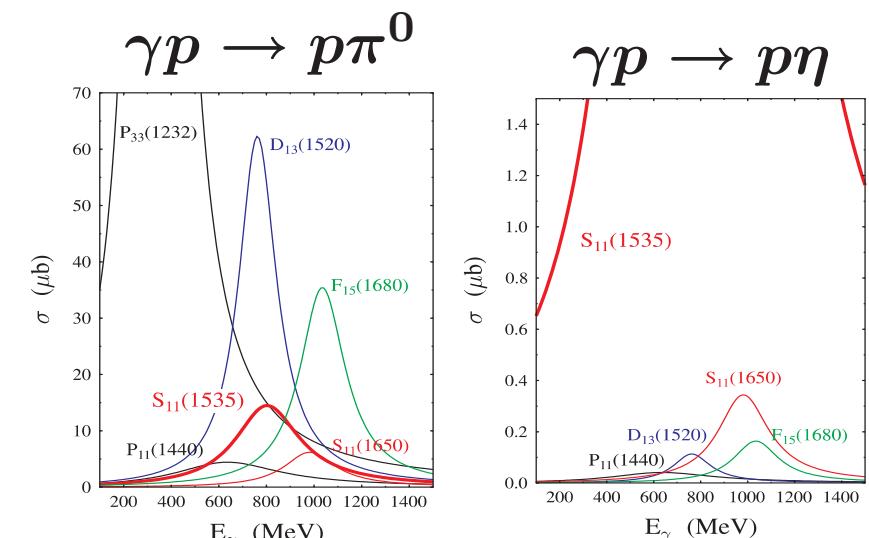
- Certain configurations not realised by strong QCD ? Why ?
- Experimentally not found yet (resonances might decouple from  $\pi N$ )
  - $\leftrightarrow$  Photoprod. experiments e.g.  $\gamma p \rightarrow N\eta$ ,  $N\eta'$ ,  $N\omega$ ,  $\Delta\pi$ ,  $N\rho$ ,  $\Delta\eta$ , ...

Experimentally:

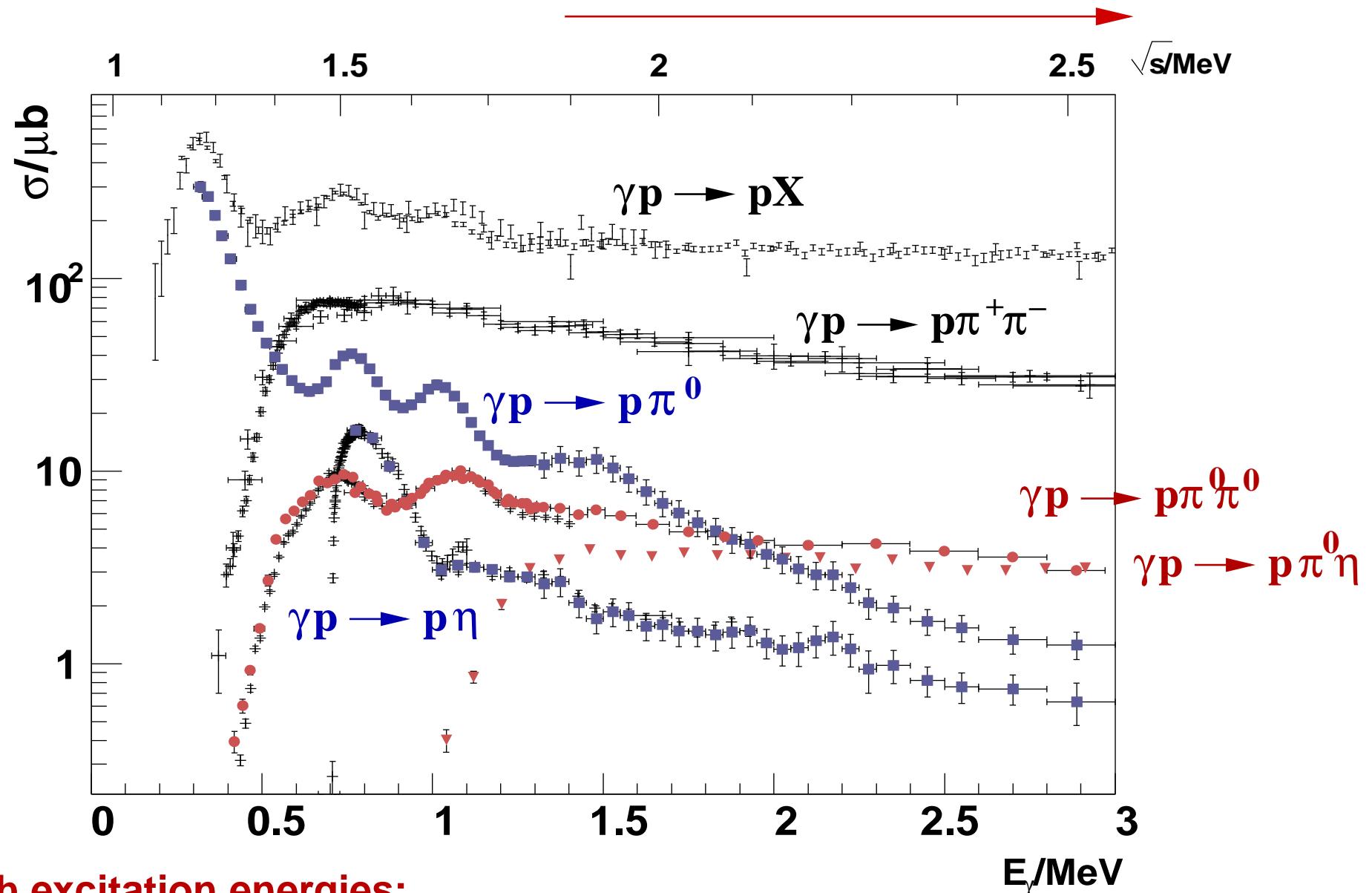
Broad strongly overlapping resonances

Important:

- Measurement of polarisation observables (unambiguous PWA)
- Investigation of different final states



# Photoproduction cross sections

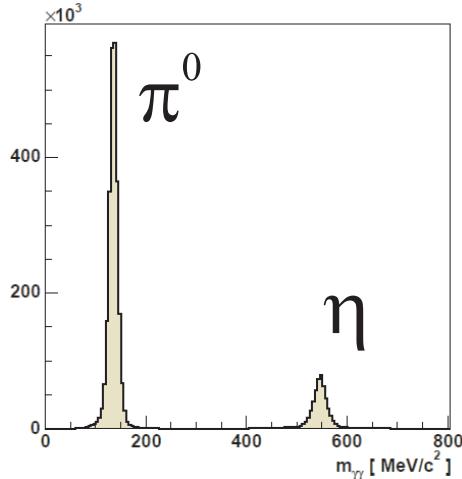


At high excitation energies:

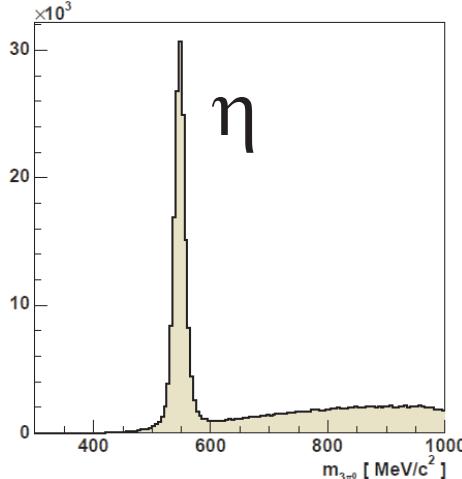
Multi-meson final states play a role of increasing importance

# $\eta$ - Photoproduction

$\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

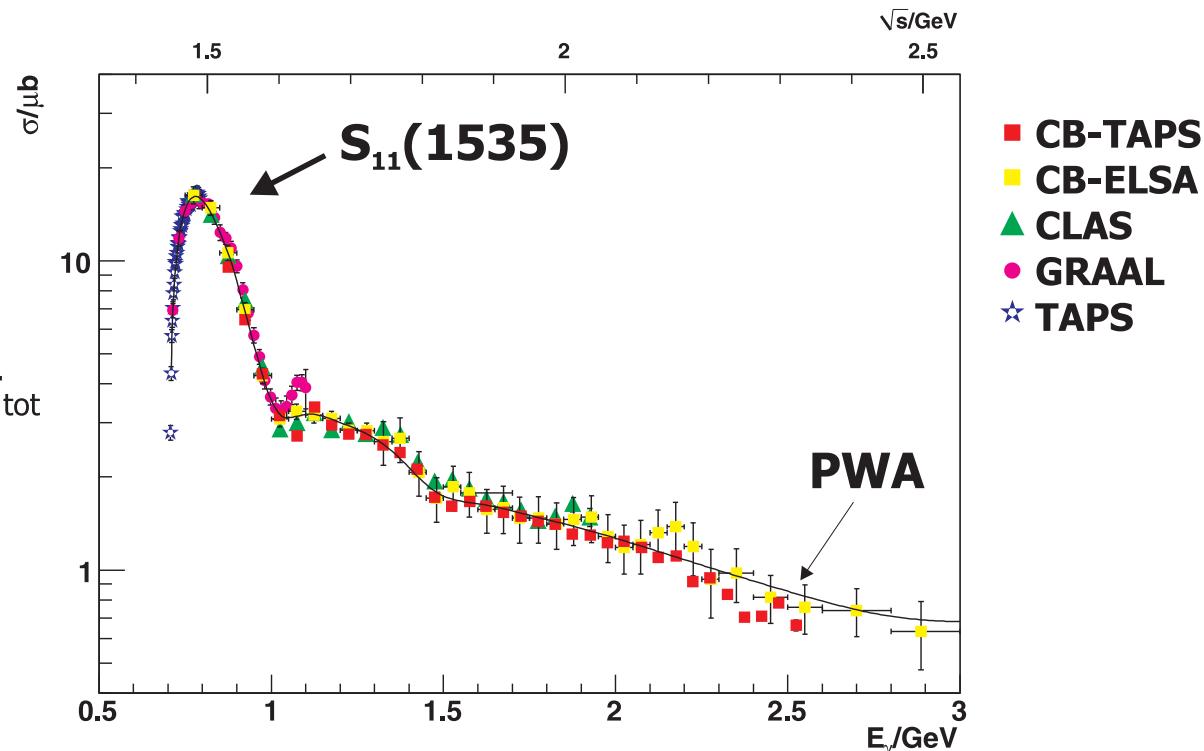


$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0$



$$d\sigma/d\Omega$$

PWA



$S_{11}(1535), D_{13}(1520), S_{11}(1650), F_{15}(1680), P_{13}(1720),$   
 $D_{13}(2080) + \dots + \rho$ -,  $\omega$  -t-channel exchange

+ new  $D_{15}$ :  $m = 2068 \pm 22 \text{ MeV}$ ,

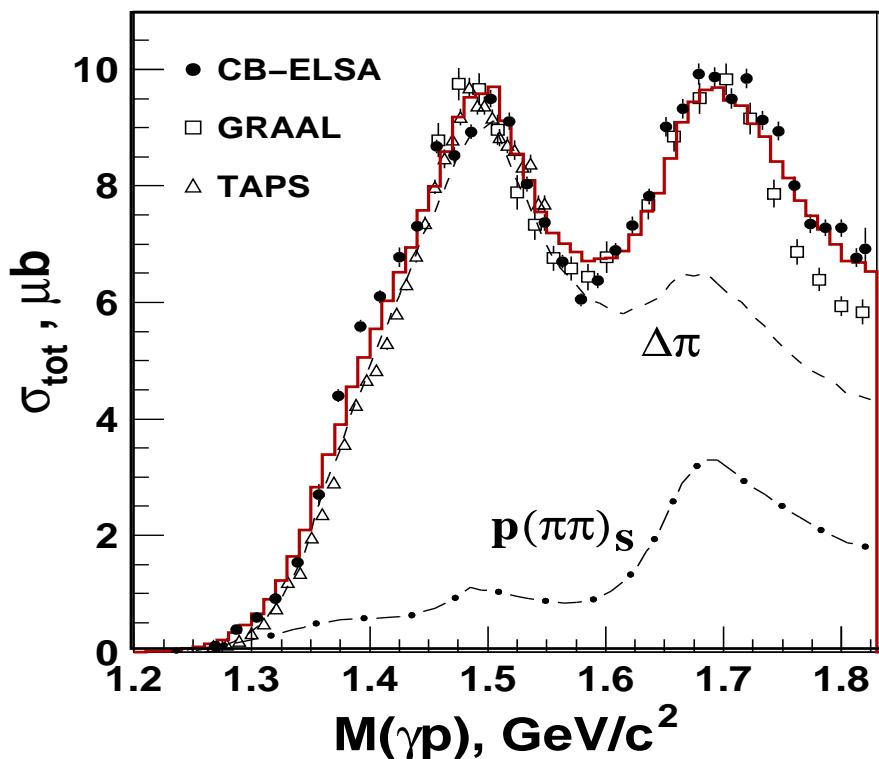
$\Gamma = 295 \pm 40 \text{ MeV}$

(needed: confirmation in polarisation exp.)

↔ No need for a 3rd  $S_{11}$ !

# Multiparticle final states: $\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\pi^0$

U. Thoma et al., PLB 659 (2008) 87



**CB-ELSA Fit** including additional data from:

- single meson photoproduction,
- $\pi^- p \rightarrow n 2\pi^0$  (CBall),
- $P_{11}, S_{11}, P_{33}, D_{33}$  -  $\pi N$ -partial waves

↔ **Event based maximum likelihood fit**

⇒ **Determination of resonance properties:**

$$m, \Gamma_i (\Delta\pi^0, N\sigma, P_{11}\pi, D_{13}\pi, +\dots)$$

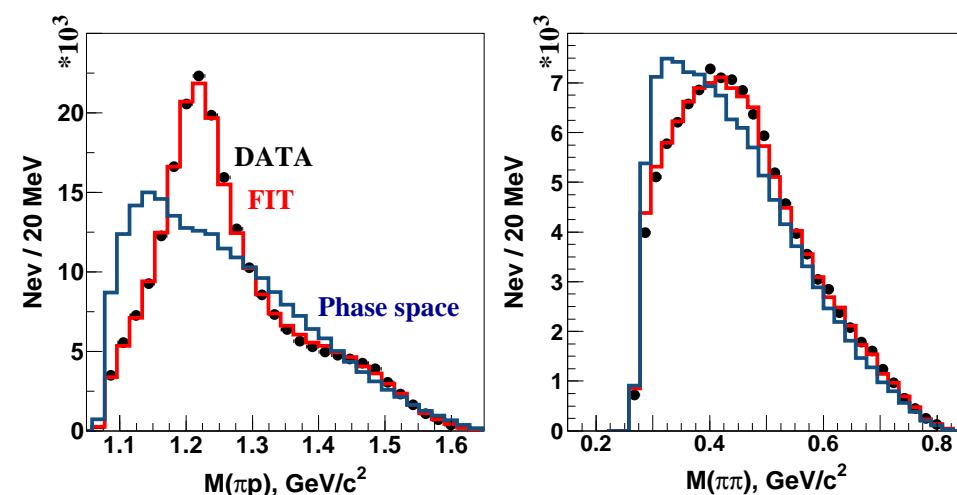
**Results contradicting naive expectation:**

e.g.:  $D_{13}(1520) \rightarrow \Delta\pi$  decay with  $L=0 \approx L=2$

$D_{13}(1700) \rightarrow \Delta\pi$  decay with  $L=0 < L=2$

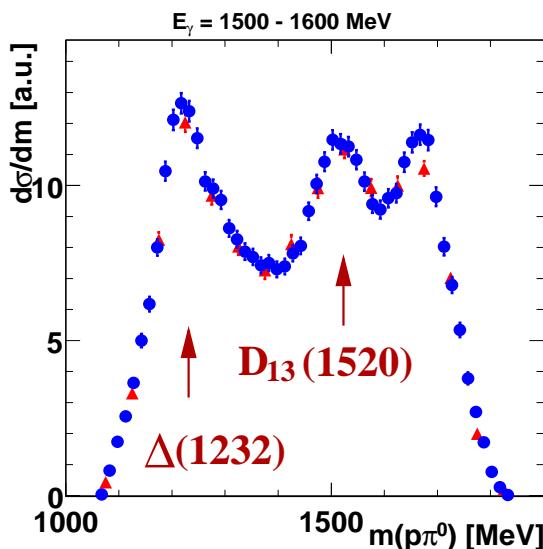
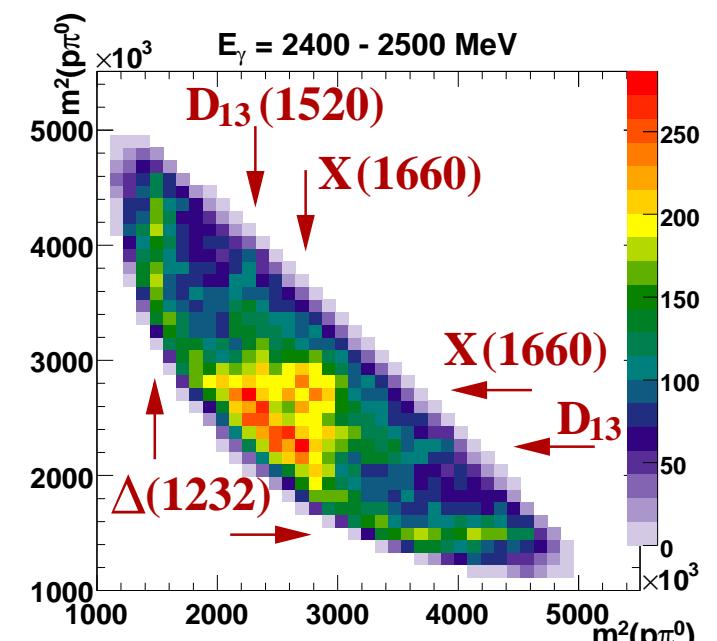
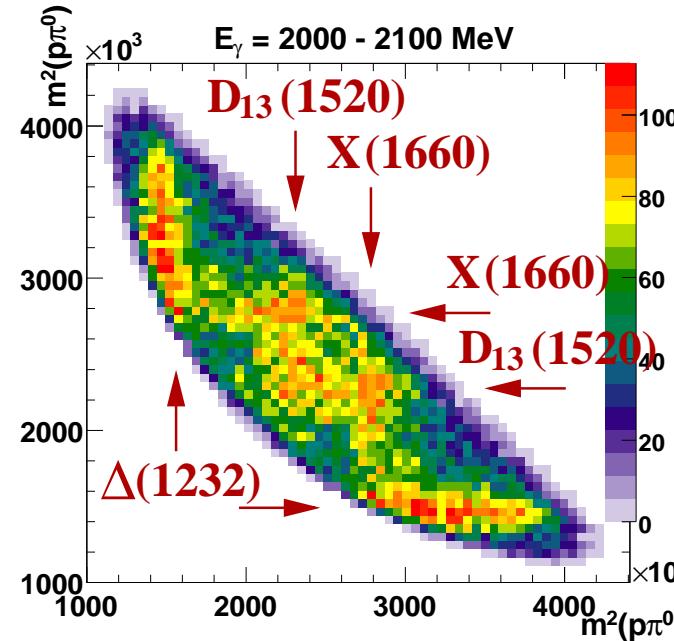
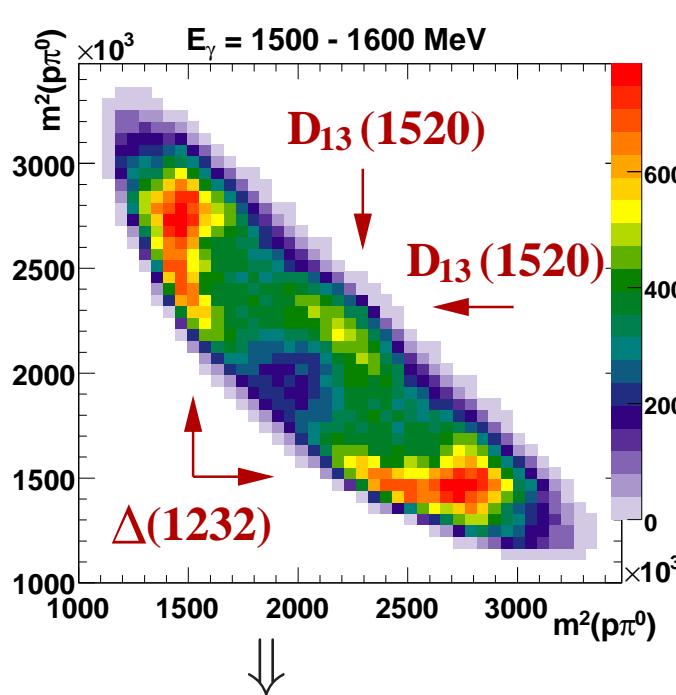
$D_{33}(1700) \rightarrow \Delta\pi$  decay with  $L=0$  or  $L=2$

→ **Measurement of double polarisation observables necessary**

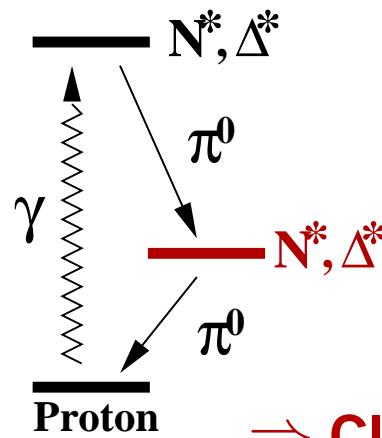


# $\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\pi^0$ - CBELSA/TAPS

(V. Sokhoyan, Bonn)



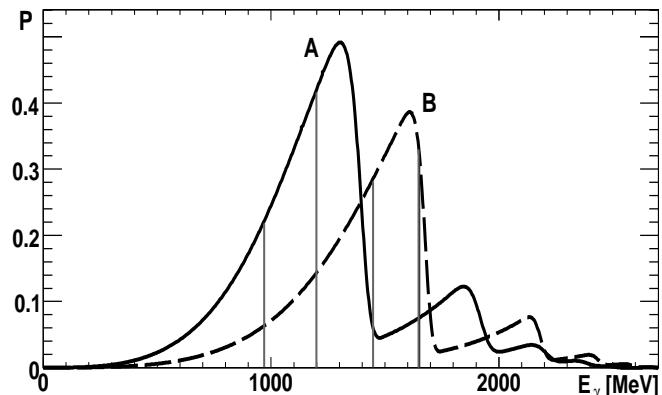
CB-ELSA data  
CBELSA/TAPS data



$\Rightarrow$  Clear observation of  
baryon cascades !

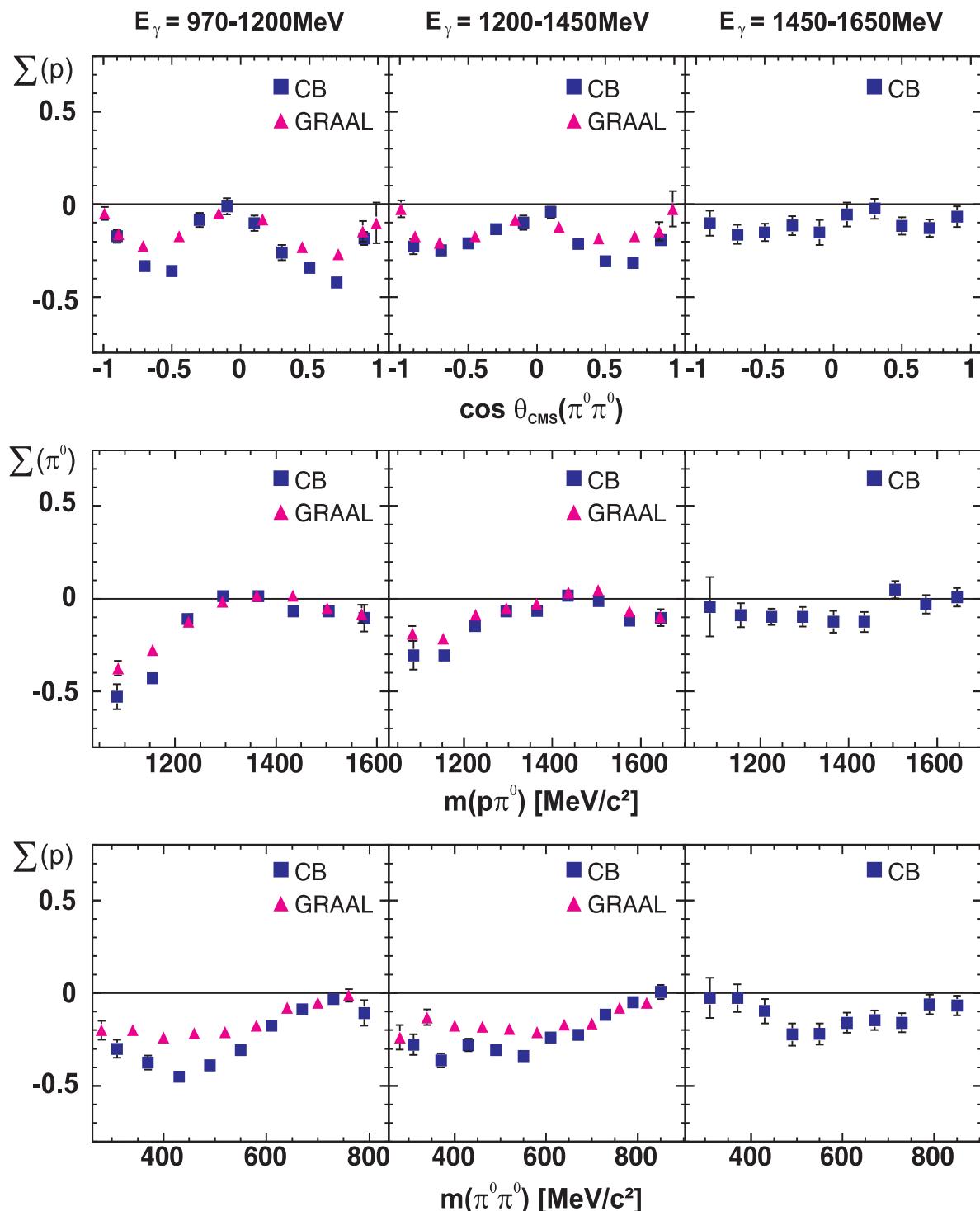
# $\vec{\gamma}p \rightarrow p \pi^0 \pi^0$

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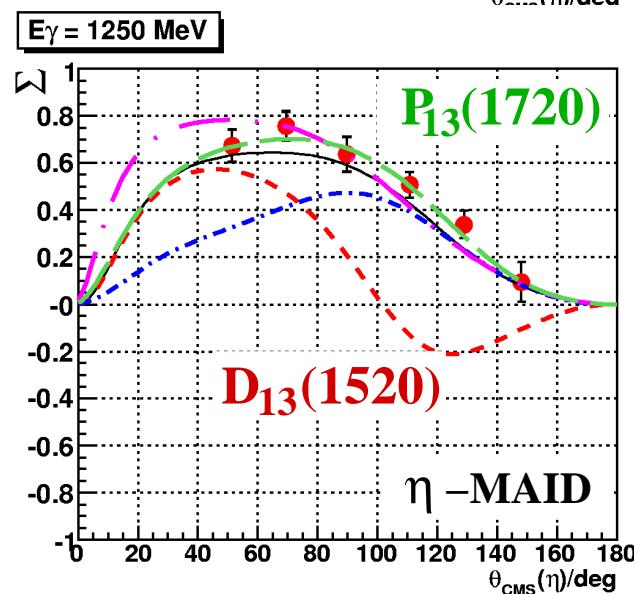
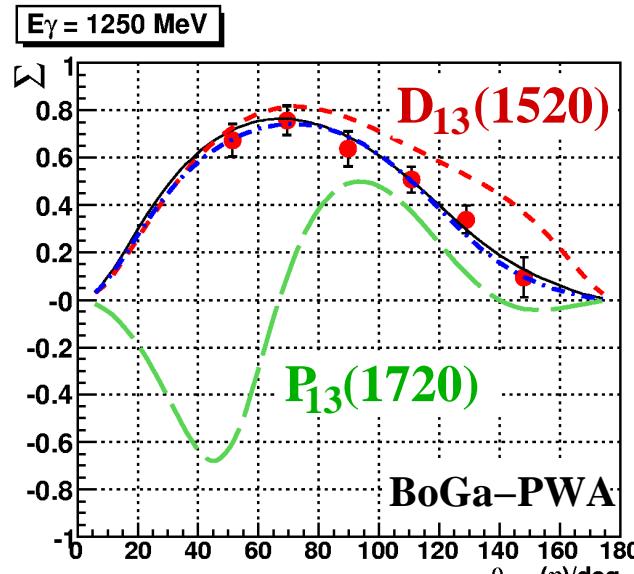
$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_0 (1 - \delta_l (\Sigma \cos 2\phi + I^s \sin 2\phi))$$

↔ Data presently included in the PWA



# Polarisation observables, $\vec{\gamma}p \rightarrow p\eta$

- CB/TAPS beam-asymmetries  $\Leftrightarrow$  provide additional information for the PWA



Single pseudoscalar meson photoproduction

Complete experiment

→ ≥ 8 observables needed

Double pseudoscalar meson photoproduction

→ ≥ 15 observables needed

(Roberts, Oed)

⇒ double polarisation experiments needed !

Crystal Barrel/TAPS at ELSA:

Experiments with longitudinally polarised target  
and circularly/linearly polarised beam

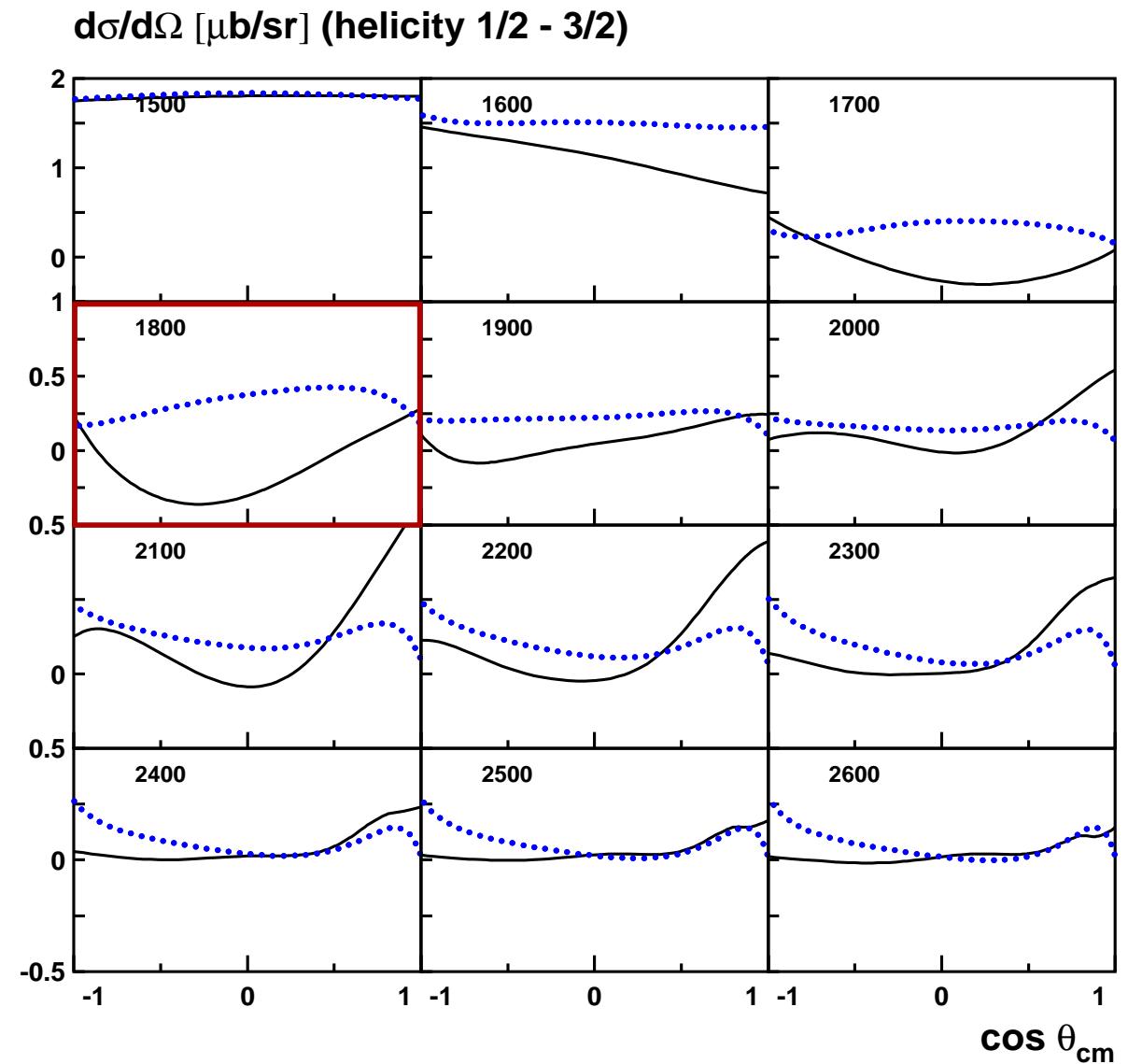
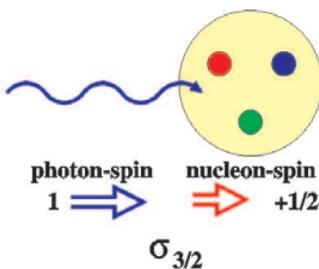
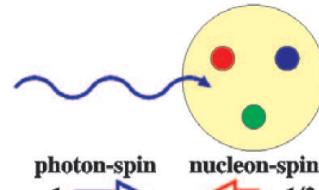
# Circularly polarized beam + longitudinally polarized target

## $\eta$ -photoproduction

Predictions:

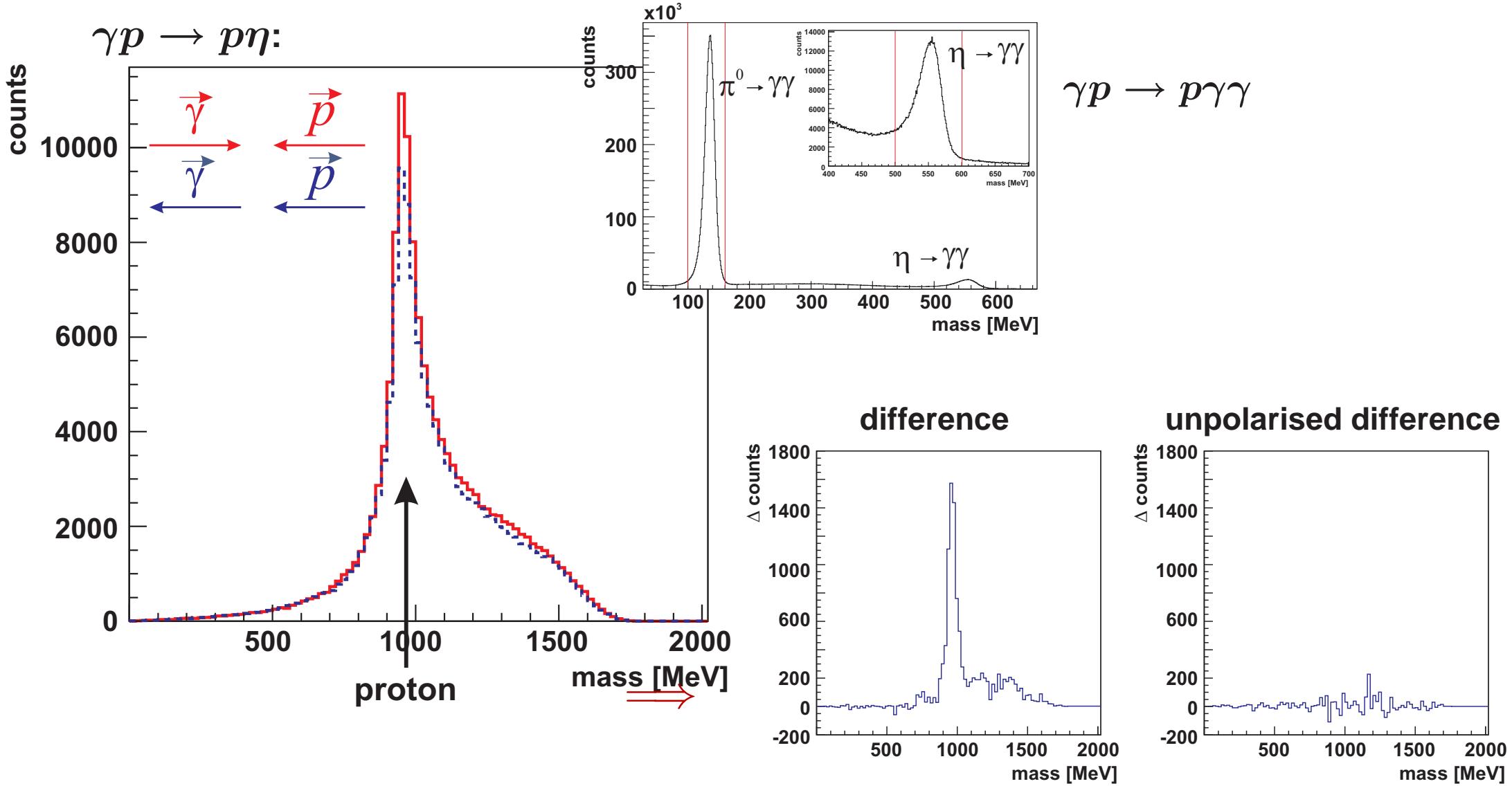
$\eta$ -MAID / BoGa-PWA

$$\frac{d\sigma_{(3/2-1/2)}}{d\Omega} = \frac{d\sigma_{3/2}}{d\Omega} - \frac{d\sigma_{1/2}}{d\Omega}$$



# Double Polarisation Experiments at ELSA

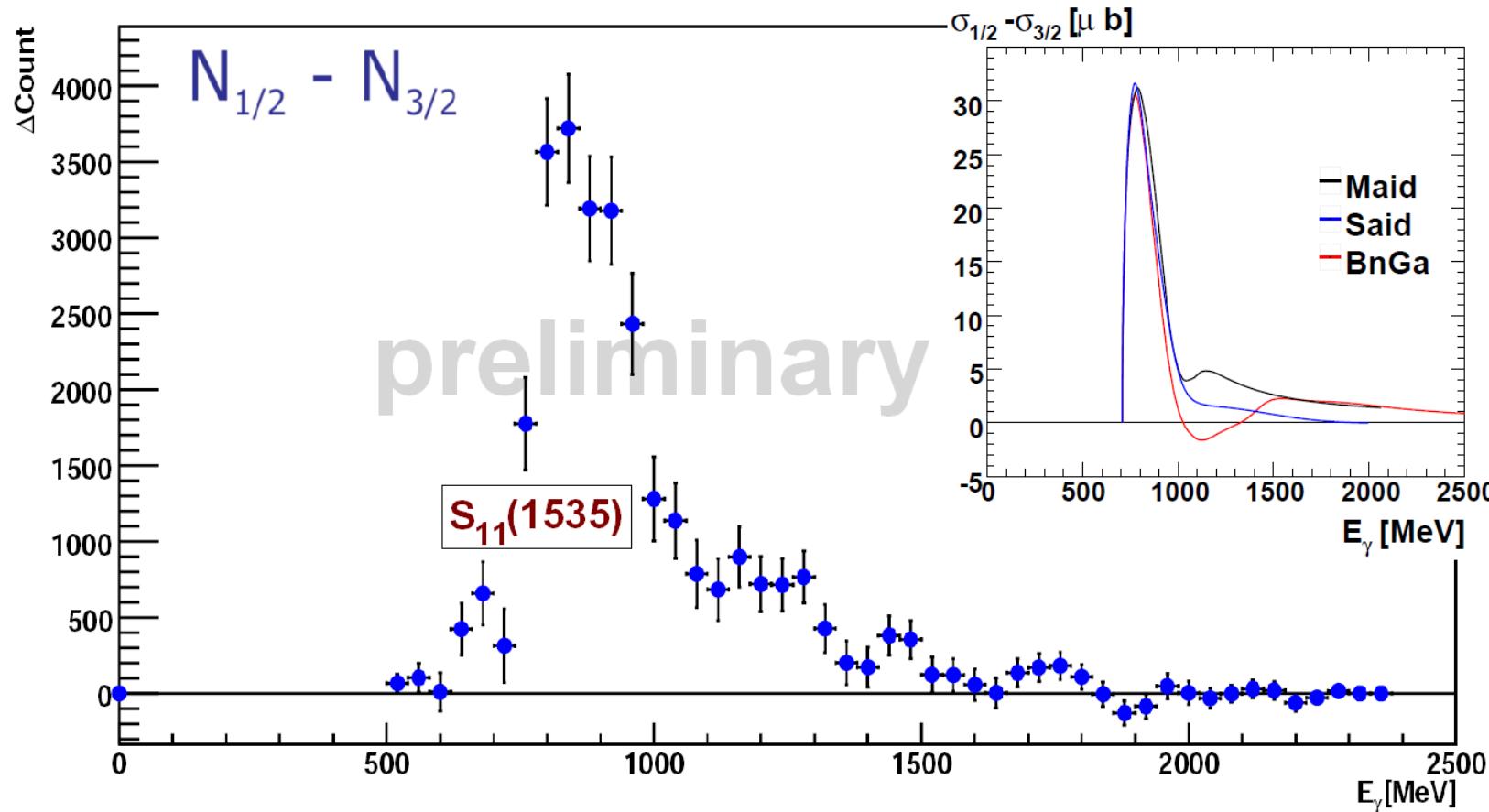
Online spectra: circularly polarised beam, longitudinally polarised target



# The new CBELSA/TAPS data $\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow p\eta$

Count rate differences plotted:

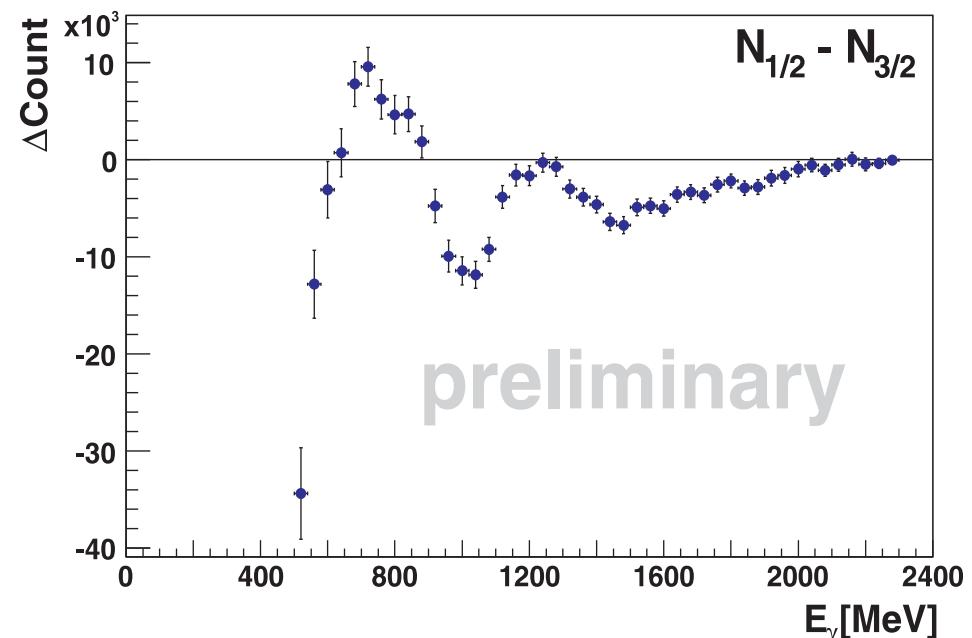
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Clear asymmetries observed !

~ complete angular coverage

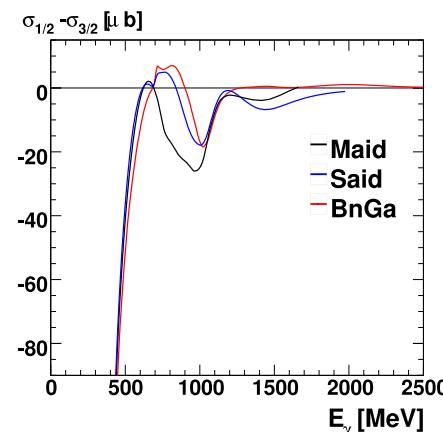
⇒ New and important information for the PWA



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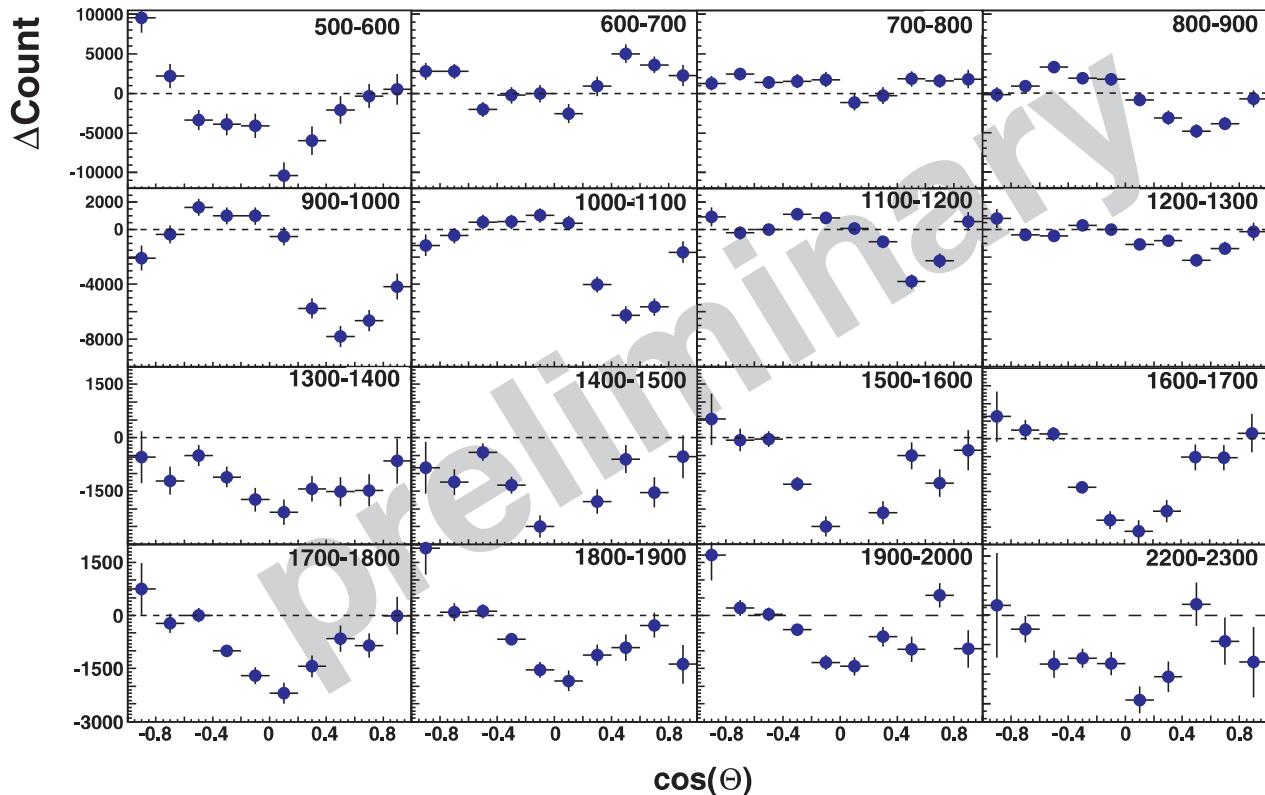
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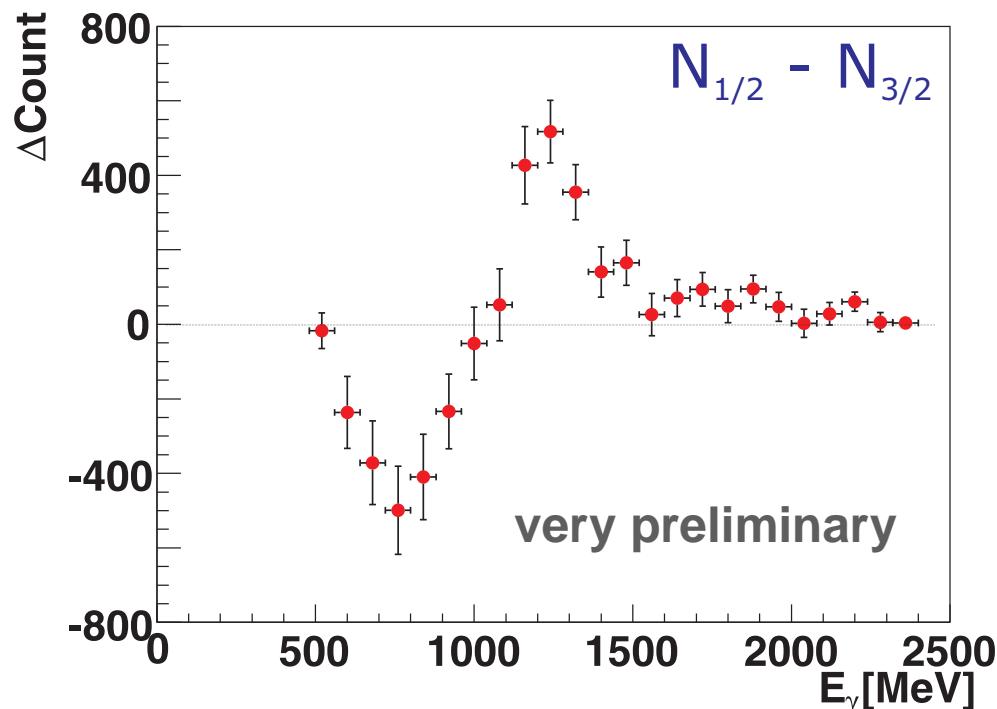
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-  $p2\gamma$ -events shown

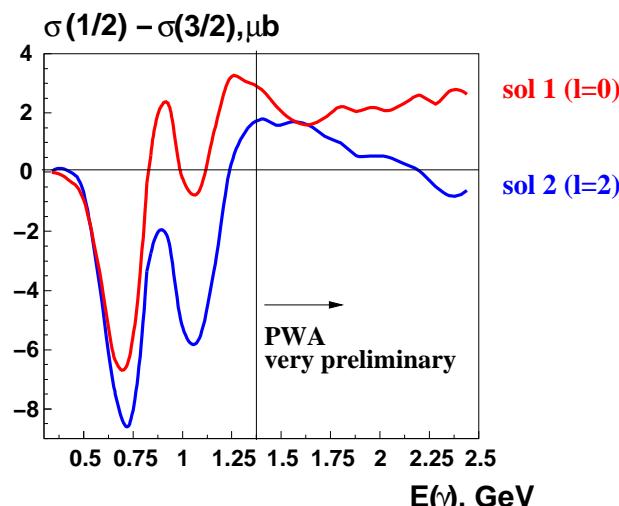
Count rate differences  
( prelim. acceptance  
correction )



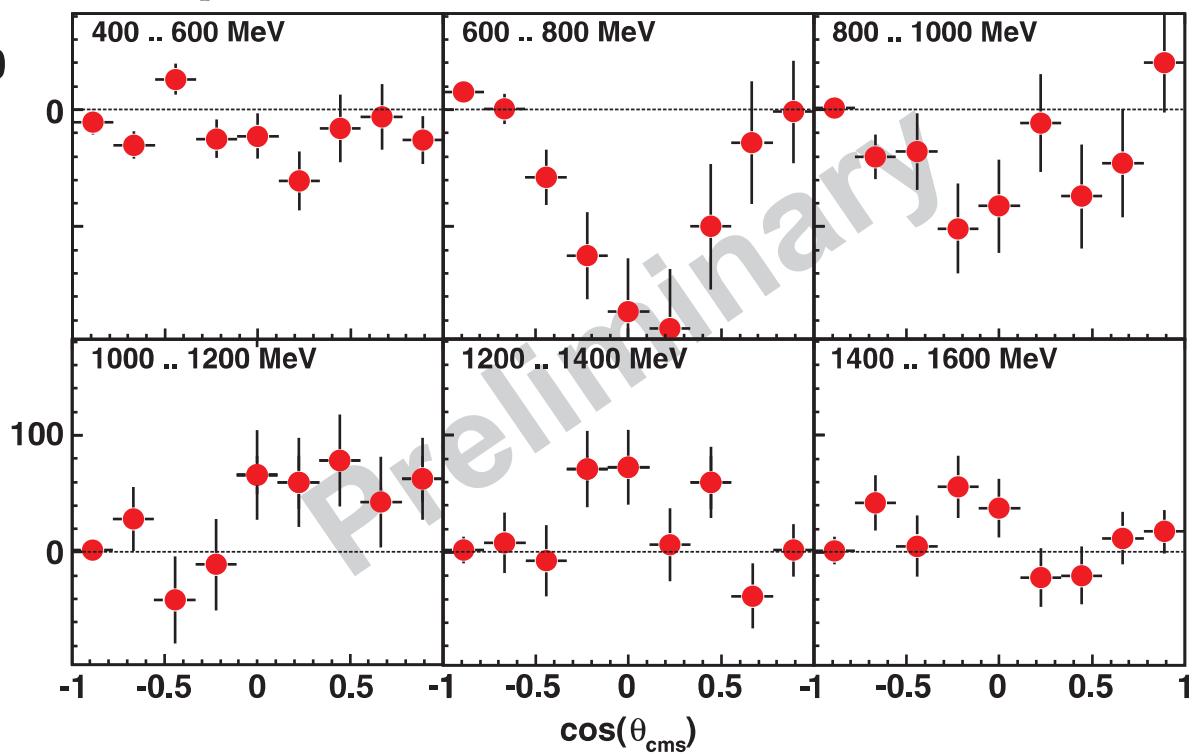


**Count rate differences plotted**

**first look into differential  
distributions (very preliminary)**



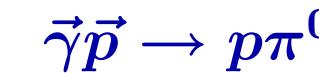
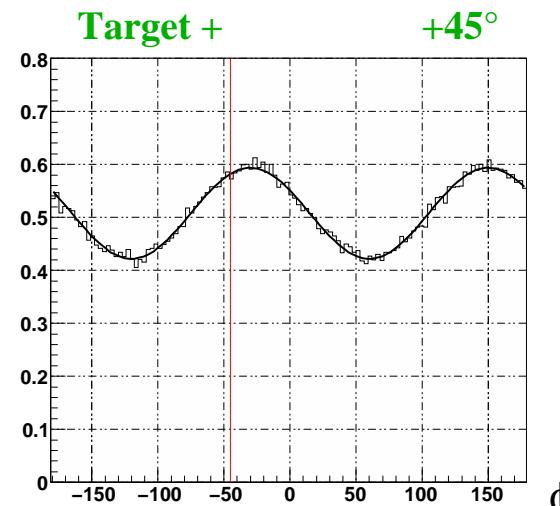
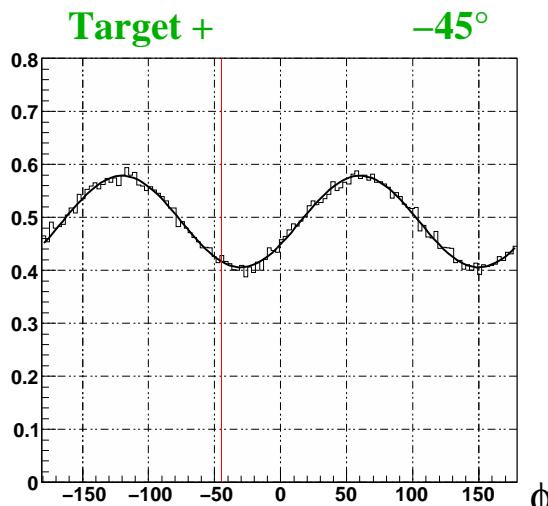
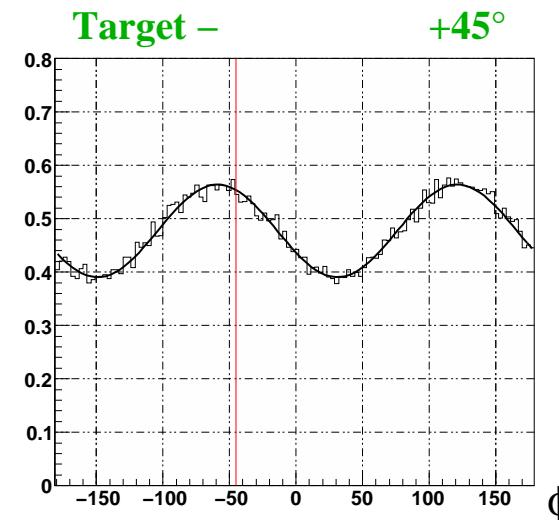
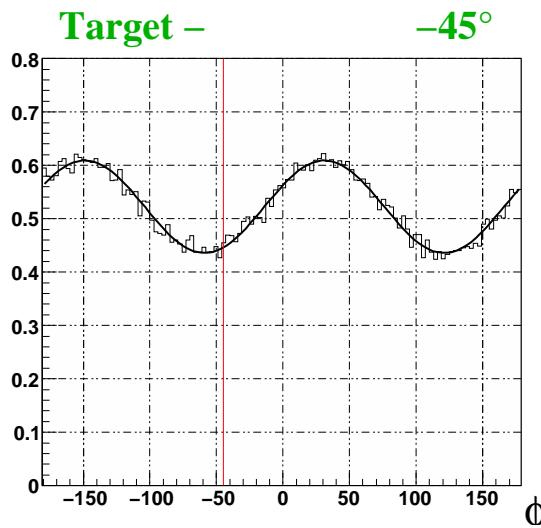
**$\cos \theta_p$ -distributions:**



# Double Polarisation Experiments $\leftrightarrow \mathbf{G}$

First online spectra: linearly polarised beam, longitudinally polarised target

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} = \left( \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega} \right)_0 (1 - \delta_l (\Sigma \cos 2\phi - \Lambda_z G \sin 2\phi))$$



( $E_\gamma = 750-1200$  MeV)

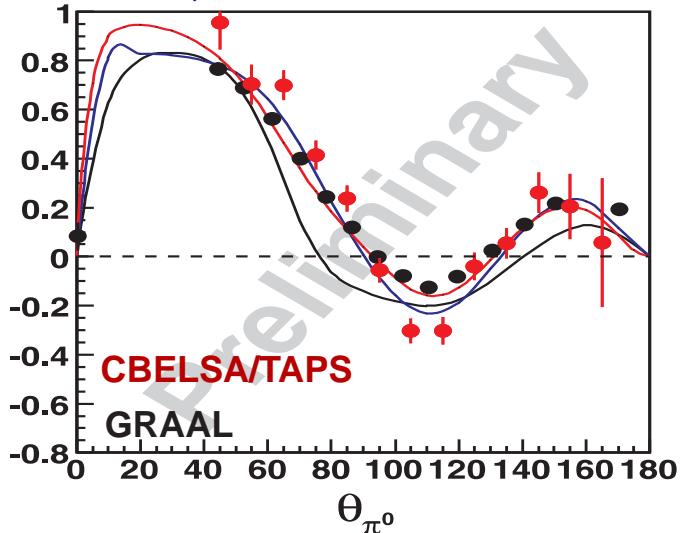
$\Rightarrow$  Clear effect  
from G observed

$$\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow p\pi^0$$

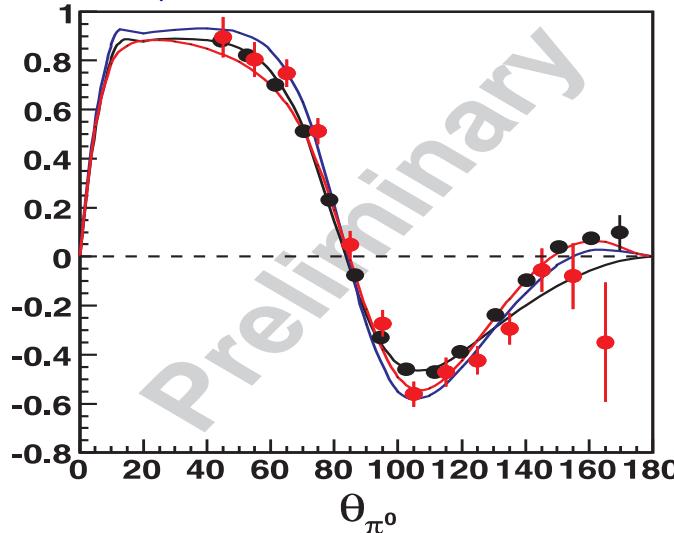
(A.Thiel, Bonn)

$$E_\gamma = 966 \pm 16 \text{ MeV}$$

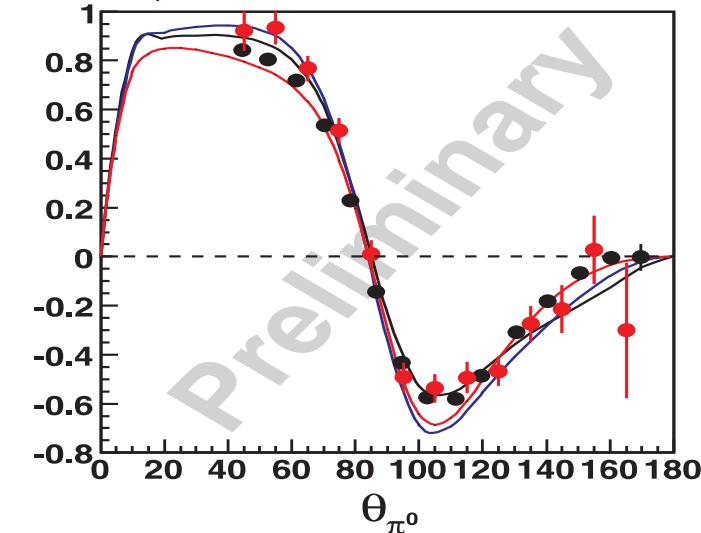
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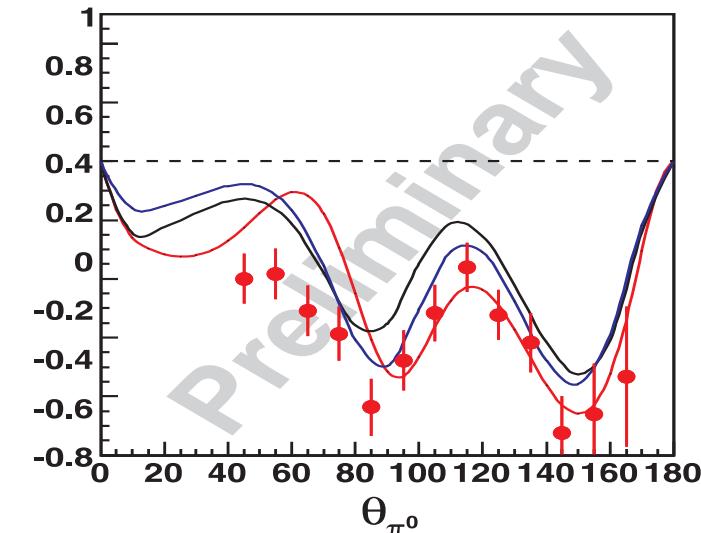
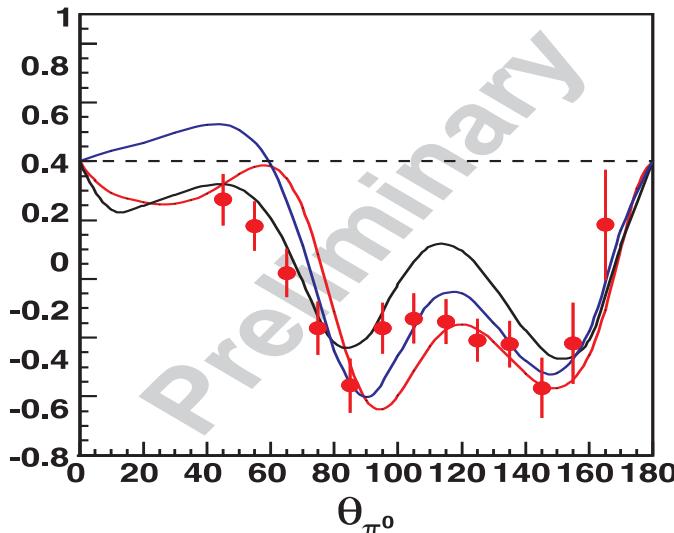
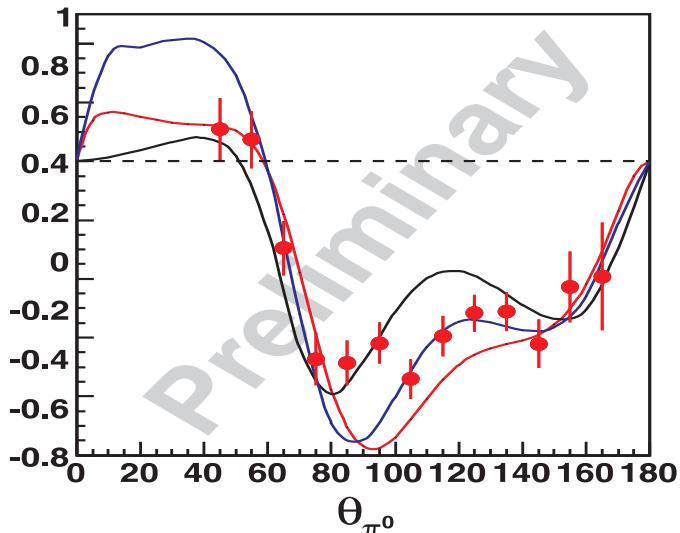
$$E_\gamma = 1033 \pm 16 \text{ MeV}$$



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$G$ :

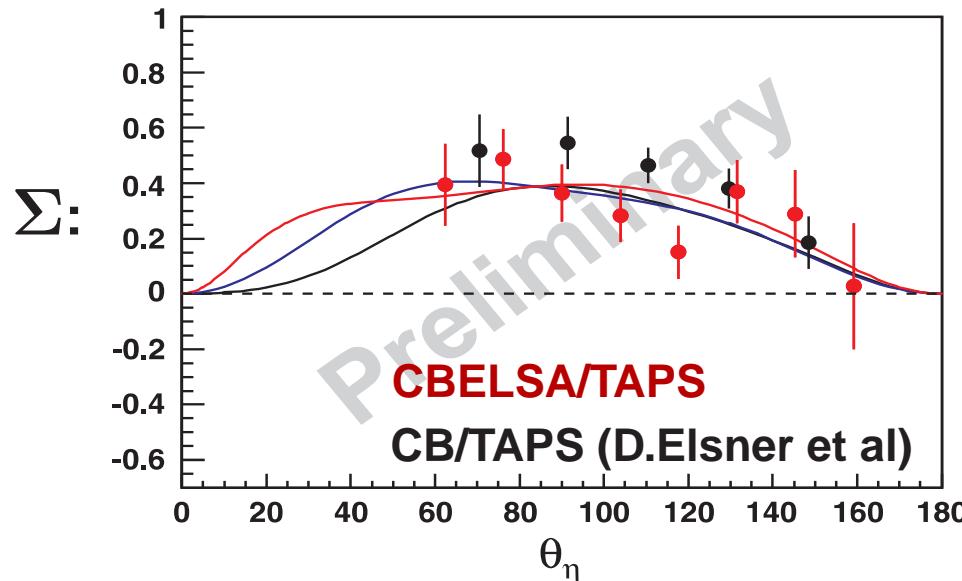


– MAID – BnGa – SAID

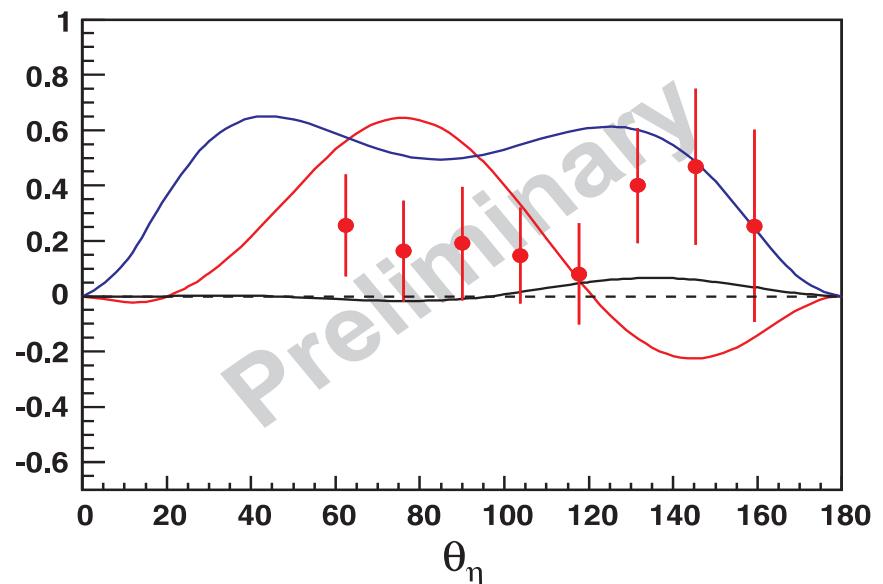
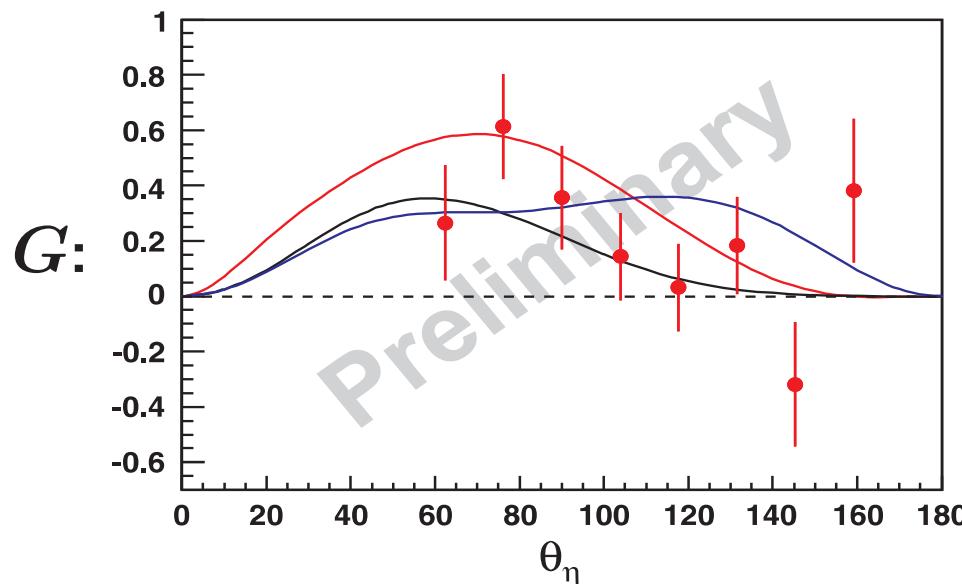
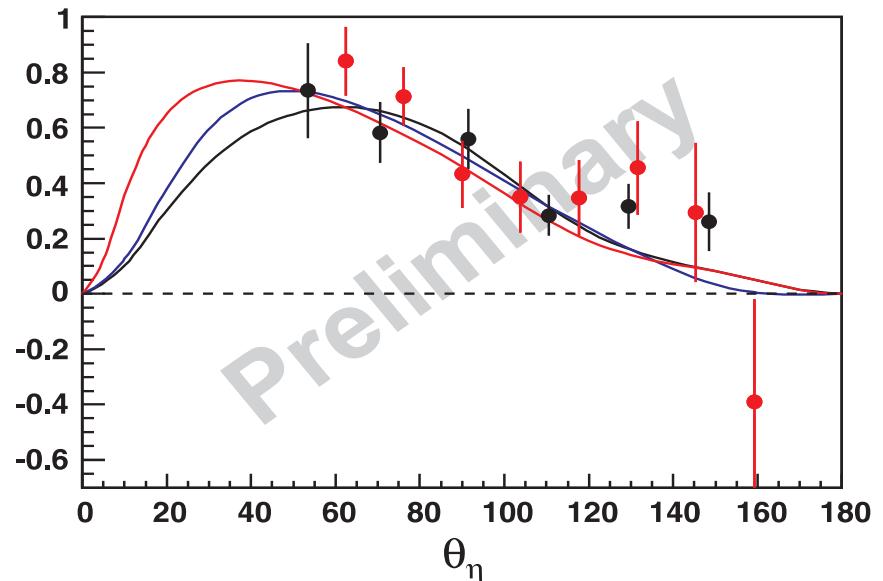
↔ preliminary dilution factor included

$\vec{\gamma} \vec{p} \rightarrow p\eta:$

$E_\gamma = 950 \pm 50$  MeV



$E_\gamma = 1050 \pm 50$  MeV



- MAID    - BnGa    - SAID

$\leftrightarrow$  preliminary dilution factor included

# Summary

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- High quality data has been taken

( $\gamma p, \vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow p\pi^0, p\eta, p\pi^0\pi^0, p\pi^0\eta, \vec{\gamma} p \rightarrow p\omega, \gamma p \rightarrow p\eta', p\pi^0\omega, K^0\Sigma^+, \dots$ )

- Extends the covered angular and energy range,  
→ determination of resonance properties

- Decays via higher mass resonances observed,  
baryon cascades e.g. via  $\Delta(1232)\pi^0, D_{13}(1520)\pi^0, S_{11}(1535)\pi^0, X(1660)\pi^0$

- First double polarisation data has been taken  
(longitudinally polarised target, circulary and linearly pol. beam)
  - ⇒ A step closer towards a complete experiment
    - ↔ transversally polarised target in preparation

- ⇒ Better understanding of the hadron spectrum
- ⇒ Detailed testing ground for quark models,  
models of dynamically generated resonances,  
lattice QCD calculations ...

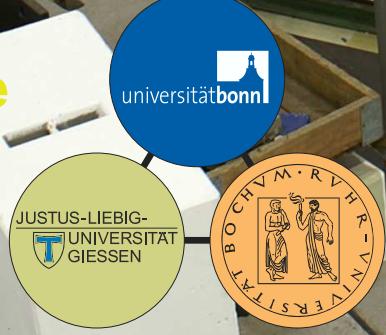
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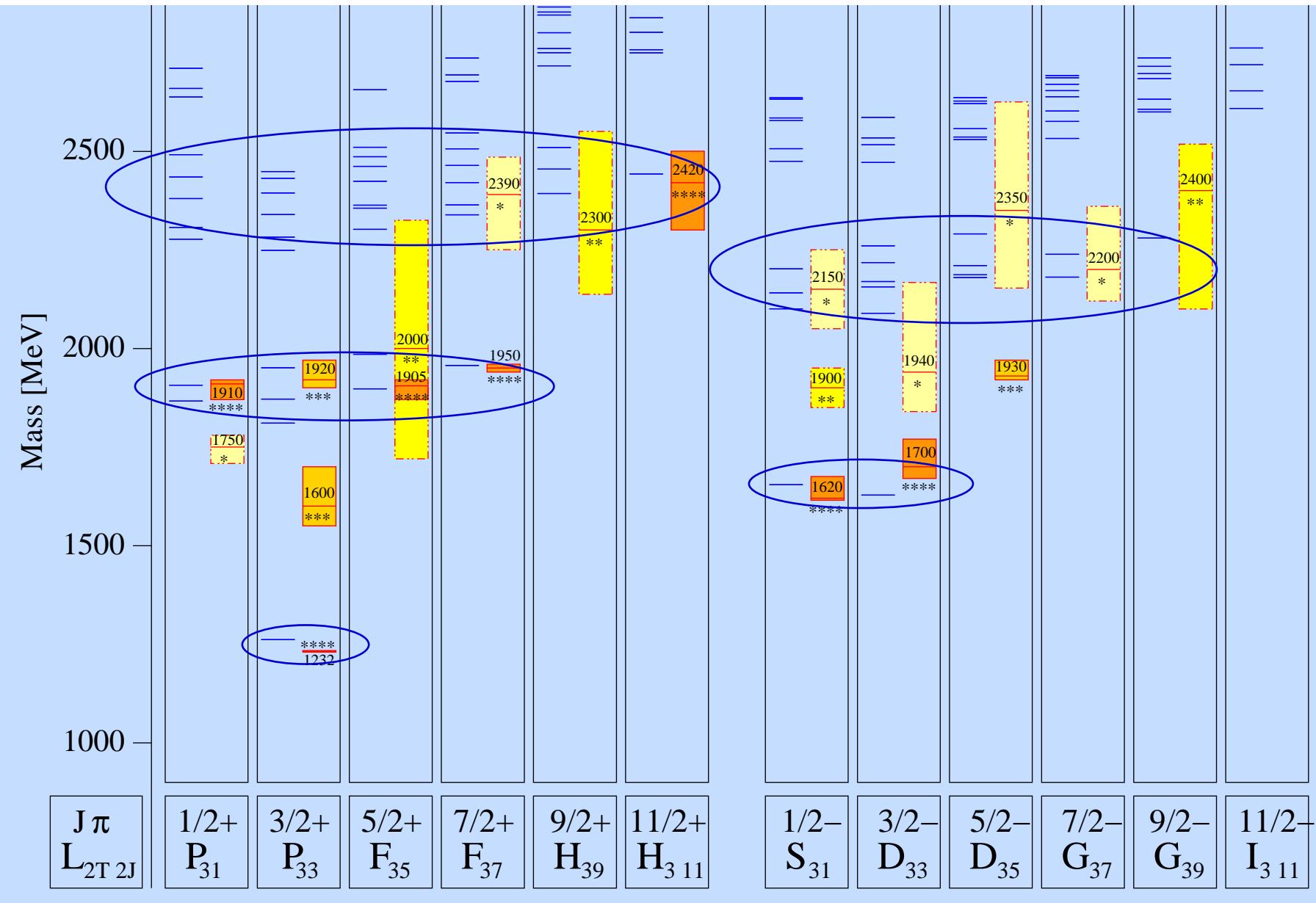


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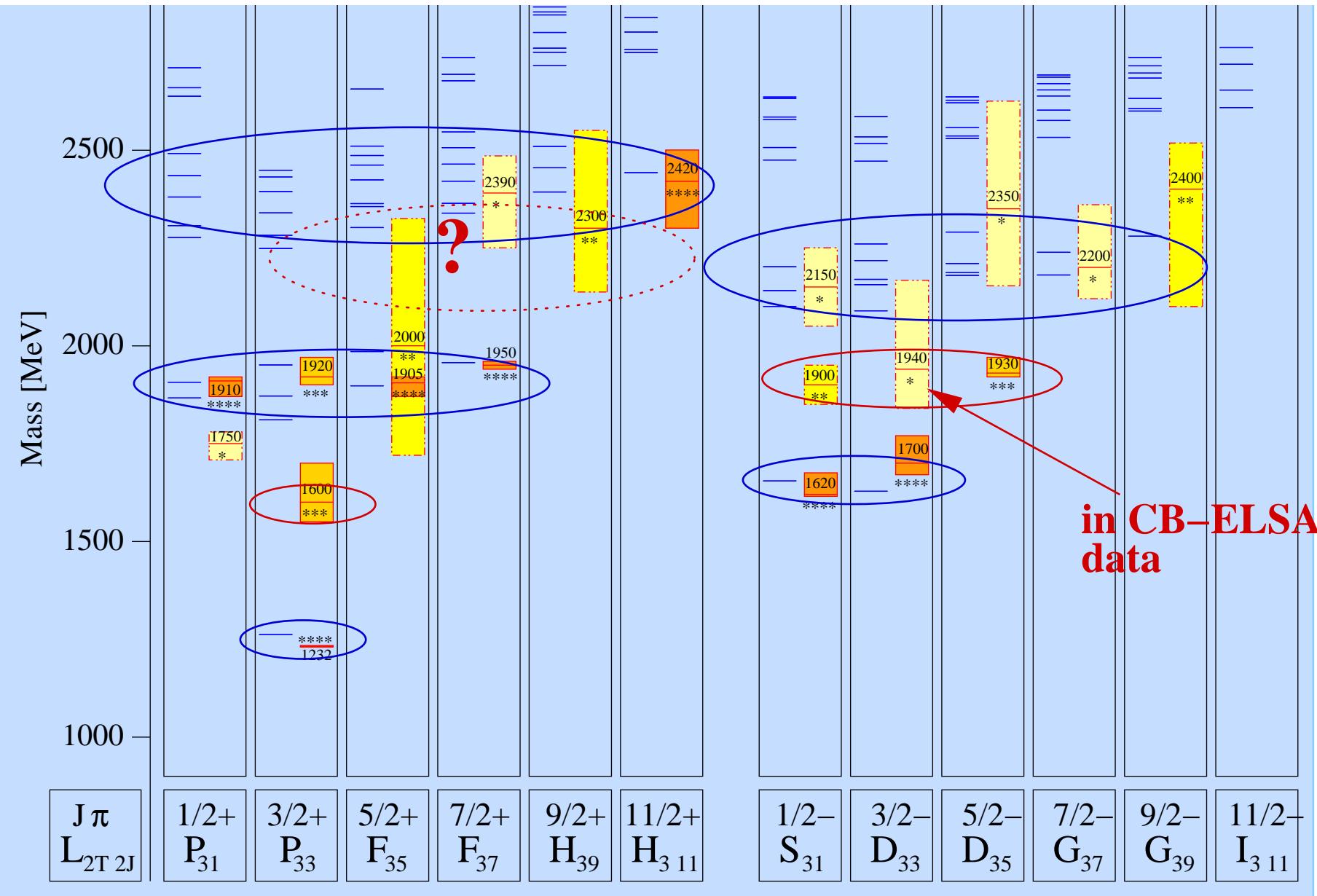
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model  
 $\sim 2n + \ell$

# The $\Delta^*$ - states

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model  
 $\sim 2n + \ell$

data  
 $\sim n + \ell$  ?

↔ Parity  
 doublets ?

↔ Additional experimental information needed !!

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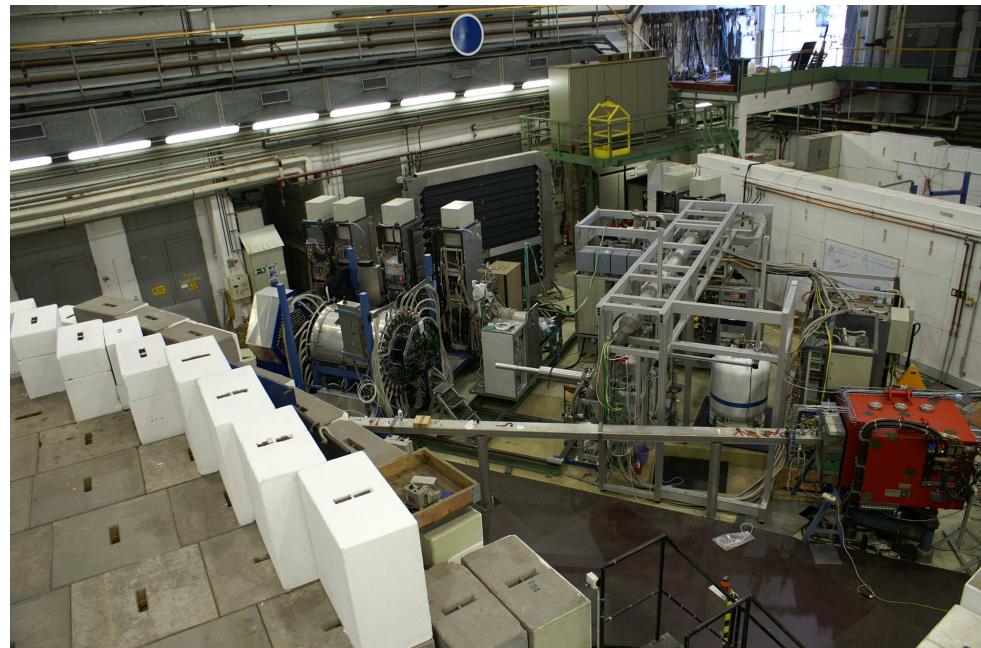
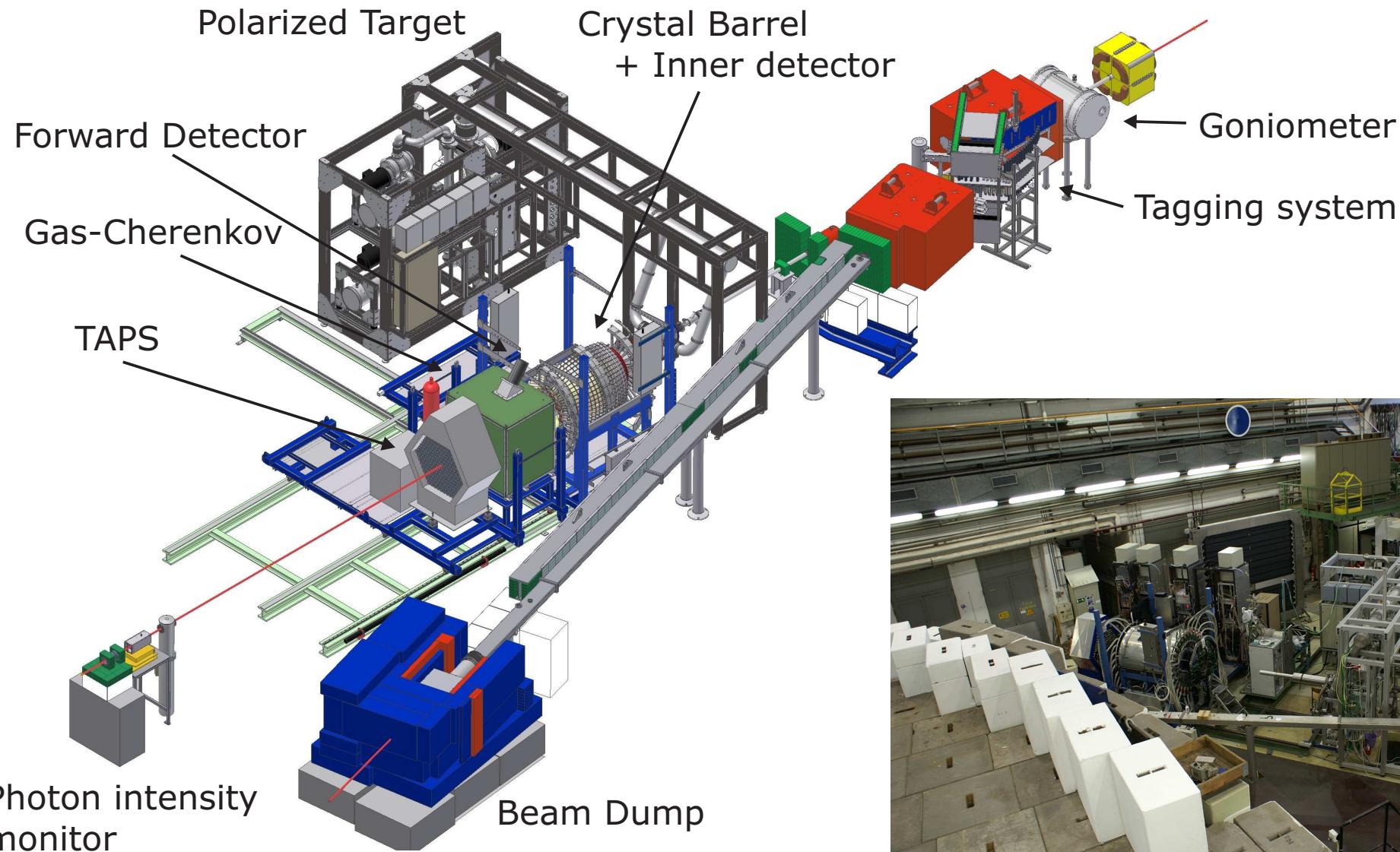
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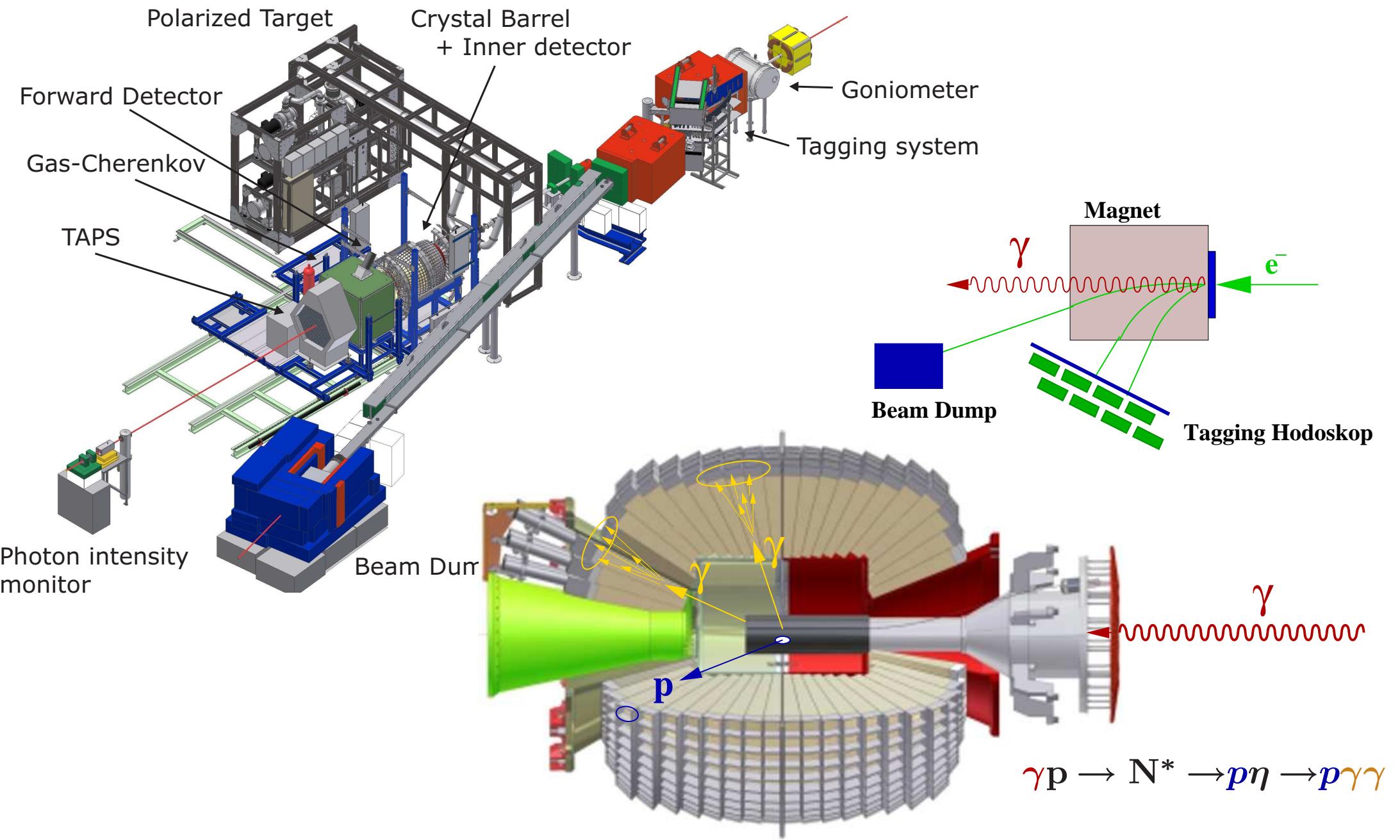
# Double Polarisation Experiments at ELSA

Experiments with:

- linear or circular polarised beam
- longitudinal polarised target (frozen spin butanol)



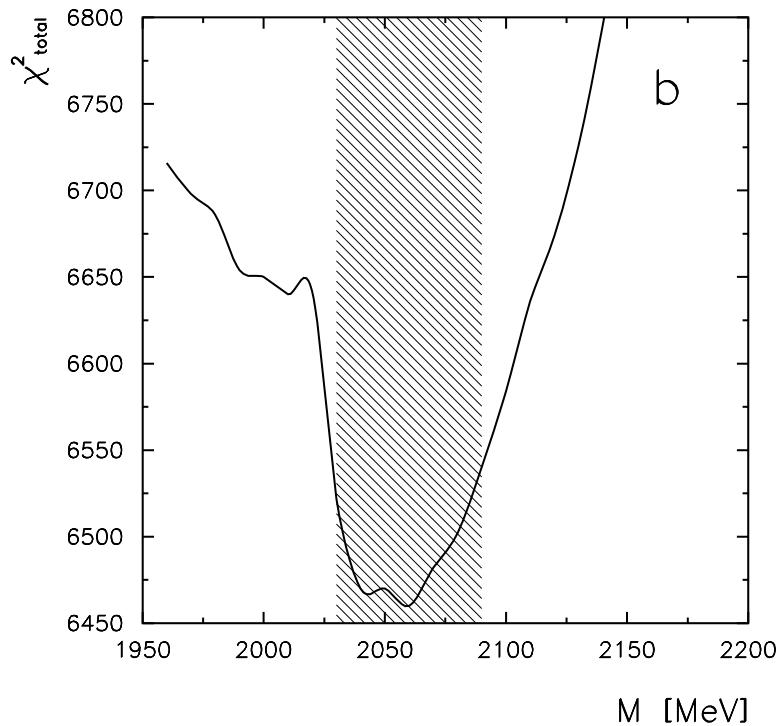
# The Crystal Barrel Experiment at ELSA



# New D<sub>15</sub> -state

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- D<sub>15</sub>(2060 ± 30, 340 ± 50):



N(2200) D<sub>15</sub>

$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{5}{2}^-)$  Status: \*\*

OMITTED FROM SUMMARY TABLE

The mass is not well determined. A few early results have been omitted.

## N(2200) BREIT-WIGNER MASS

VALUE (MeV)  
≈ 2200 OUR ESTIMATE

1900

2180 ± 80

1920

2228 ± 30

2240 ± 65

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COMMENT

BELL	83	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K^0$
CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
SAXON	80	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K^0$
HOEHLER	79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
BATINIC	95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

varies strongly !

## N(2200) BREIT-WIGNER WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)

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130	BELL	83	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K^0$
400 ± 100	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
220	SAXON	80	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K^0$
310 ± 50	HOEHLER	79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
761 ± 139	BATINIC	95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$

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↔ Results vary strongly!