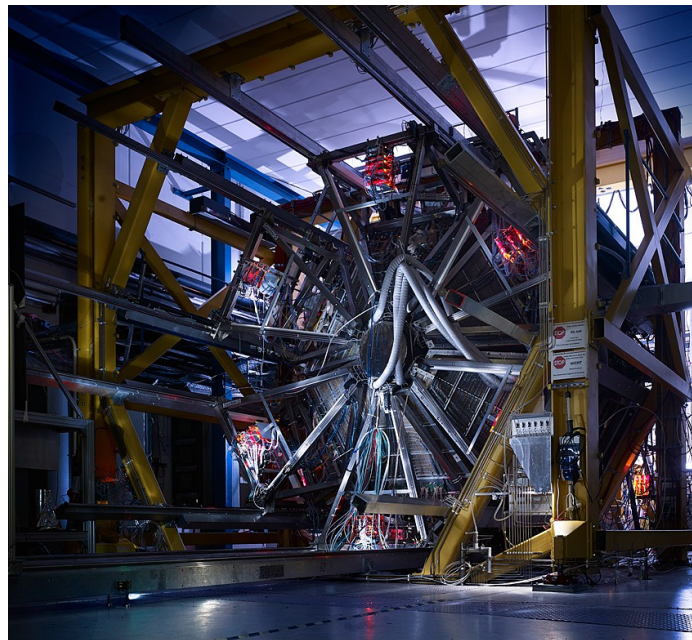
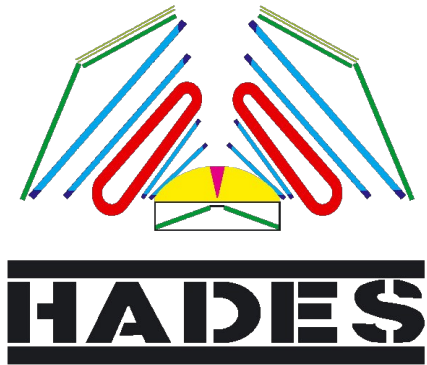
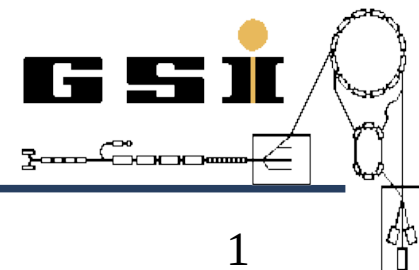


# Hadrons and dileptons production in $pp$ and $pn$ reactions in a few AGeV region with HADES



Izabela Ciepał  
for the HADES Collaboration





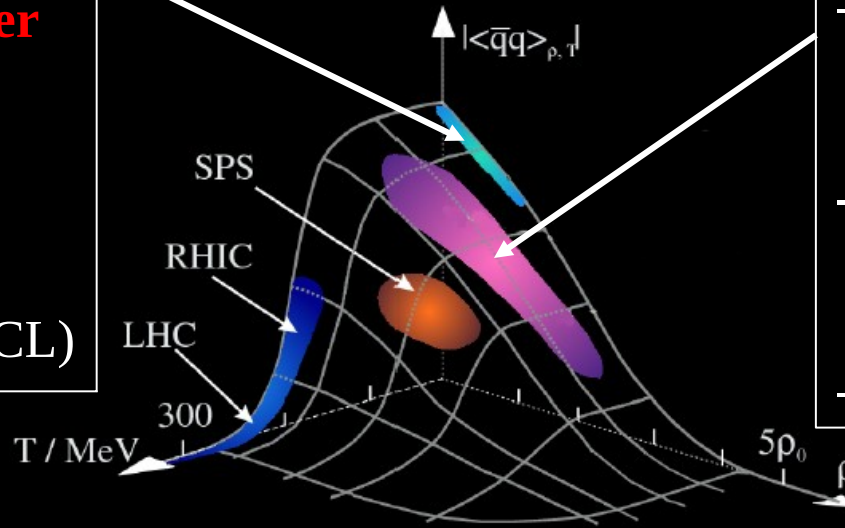
# Outline

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- 1) Motivation of the HADES experiment,
- 2) The HADES detector,
- 3) Electromagnetic structure of baryons,
- 4) Hadron and dilepton production in  $pp$  and  $pn$ ,
- 5) Hyperons studies with HADES,
- 6) Conclusions and outlook.

## p+A

- **cold nuclear matter** at normal nuclear density,
- spallation physics (cascade model validation e.g. INCL)



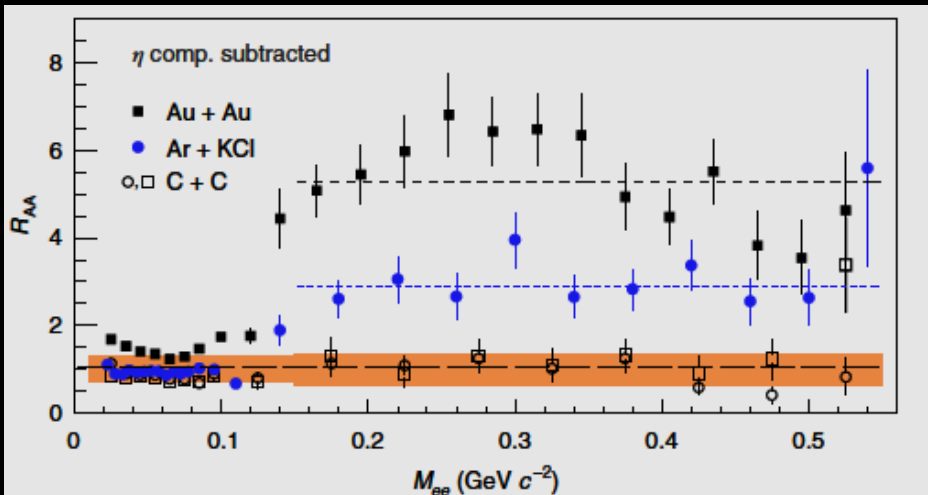
## HI: A+A

- dilepton and strangeness production in **dense and hot nuclear matter**
- in medium hadron properties (chiral symmetry)
- flow, fluctuations

## elementary collisions:

p+p, d(n)+p,  $\pi$ +p

*HADES Nat. Phys. 15, 1040 (2019)*

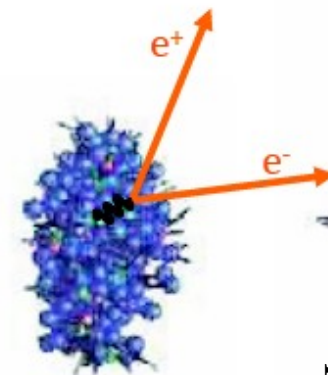


e+e- invariant mass yield normalized to reference NN yield

$$R_{AA} = \frac{1}{\langle A_{\text{part}}^{AA} \rangle} \frac{dN^{AA}}{dM_{ee}} \left( \frac{dN^{NN}}{dM_{ee}} \right)^{-1}$$



# Motivations

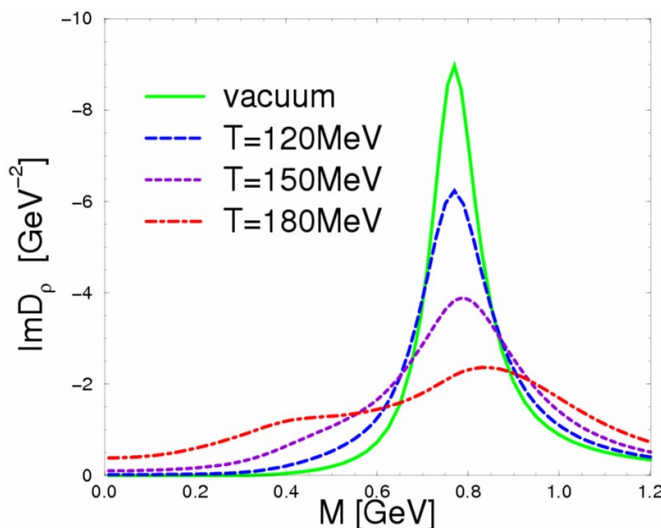
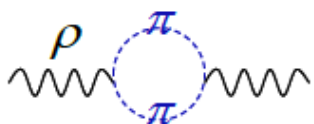


## Elementary collisions: $p+p$ , $d(n)+p$ , $\pi+p$

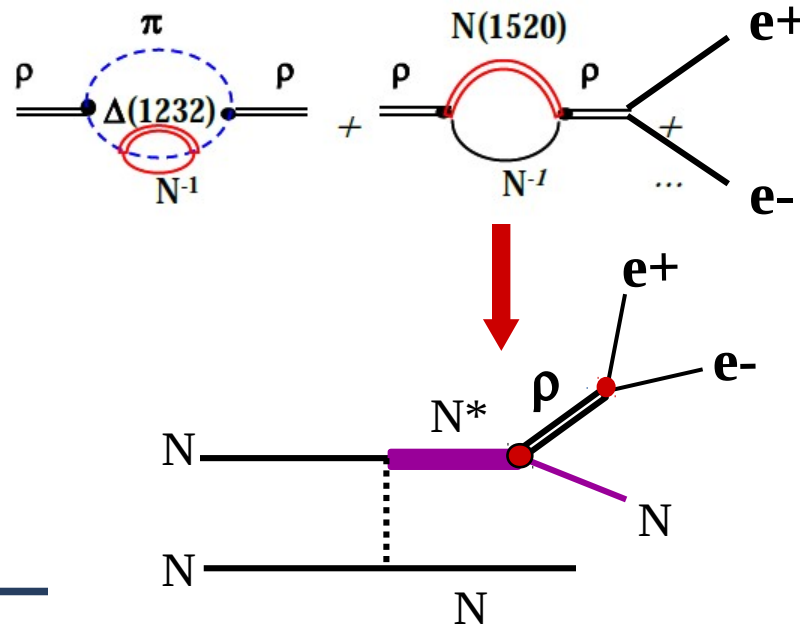
- role of barionic resonances in meson production
- dileptons reference for HI (extraction of excess radiation)
- vector meson-baryon couplings (em. transition FF, baryon structure)

## $\rho$ -meson

Vacuum:



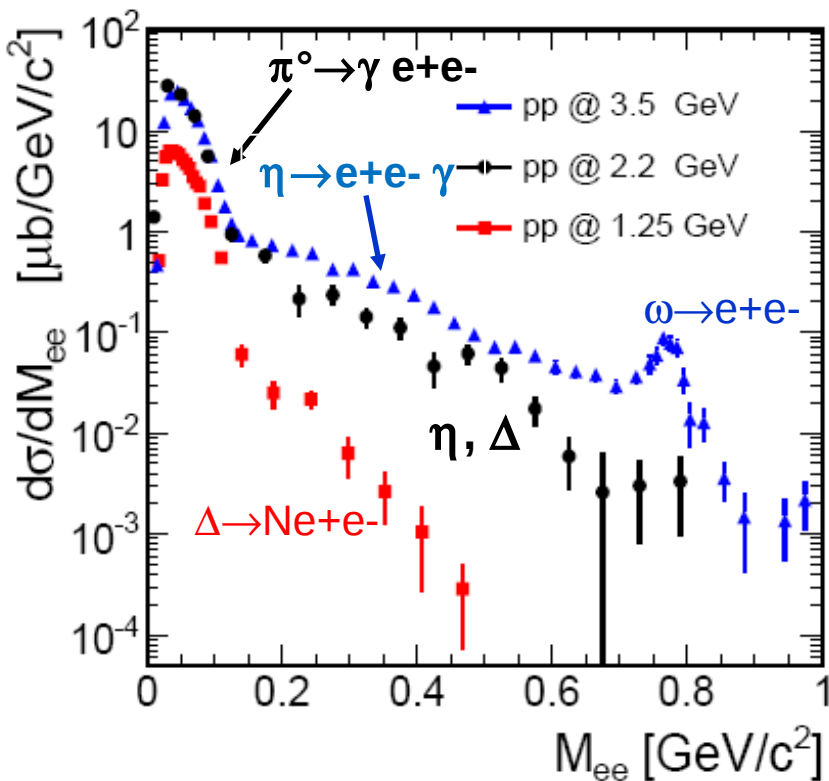
Nuclear matter: additional terms



in-medium **spectral function** depends on  $\rho NN^*$  coupling ( $N(1520)$ ,  $\Delta(1720)$ ,  $N(1910)$ , ....)  
 → studied via  $N^*(\Delta) \rightarrow Ne+e-$  decays



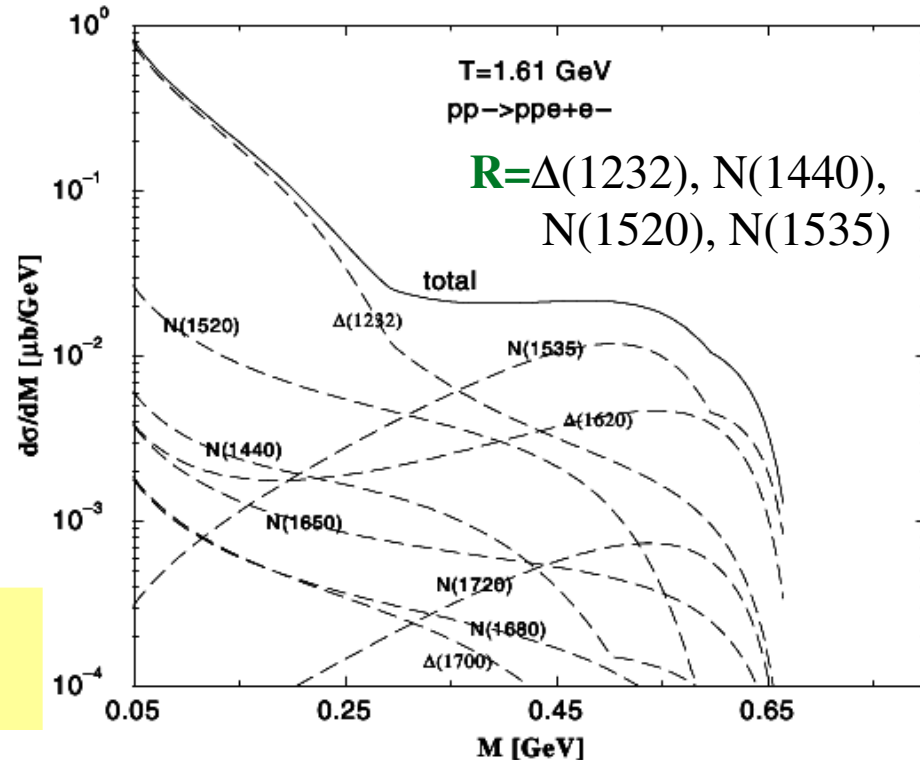
# $e^+e^-$ sources @ SIS18 energies reference for HI



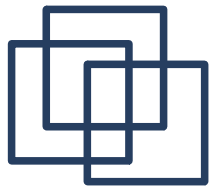
$M_{e^+e^-} < 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  dominated by  $\pi^0$  Dalitz,

$M_{e^+e^-} > 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ :

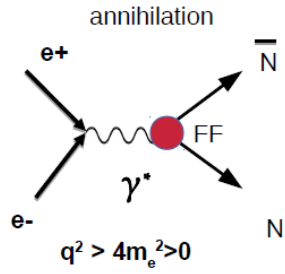
NN bremsstrahlung,  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma e^+e^-$ ,  $\omega \rightarrow e^+e^-$   
 resonances  $R \rightarrow Ne^+e^-$



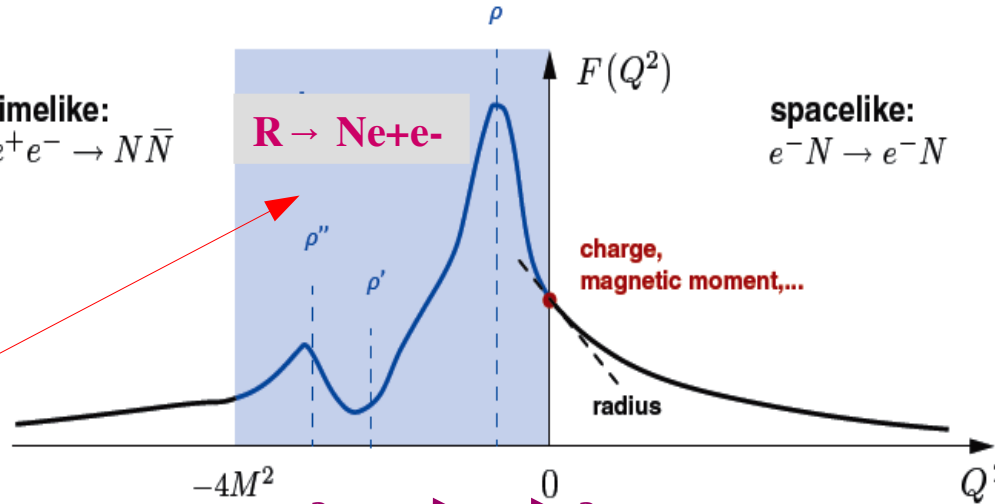
**Cocktail** - fixing important components  
(elementary processes) of hadron decays



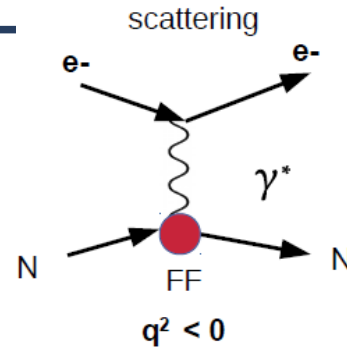
# Electromagnetic structure of baryons



timelike:  
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow N\bar{N}$

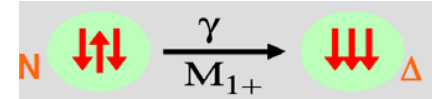


spacelike:  
 $e^-N \rightarrow e^-N$



$$q^2 = (E_B - E_A)^2 - (\vec{p}_B - \vec{p}_A)^2 (= M_{\gamma^*}^2 = M_{e^+e^-}^2)$$

Resonance - Nucleon transitions (timelike)  
em. Transition Form Factors (for  $J \geq 3/2$ ):  
 $G_M(q^2)$ ,  $G_E(q^2)$ ,  $G_C(q^2)$



« Photon point » :  $q^2=0$   
 $G_M(0) \sim 3$ ,  $G_E(0) \sim 0.04$

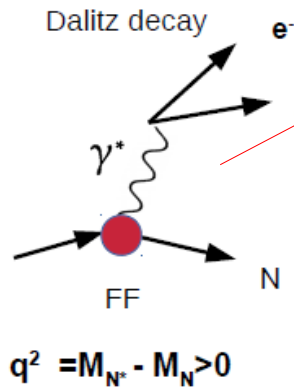
$$\frac{d\Gamma(\Delta \rightarrow Ne^+e^-)}{dq^2} = f(m_\Delta, q^2) \left( |G_M^2(q^2)| + 3|G_E^2(q^2)| + \frac{q^2}{2m_\Delta^2} |G_C^2(q^2)| \right)$$

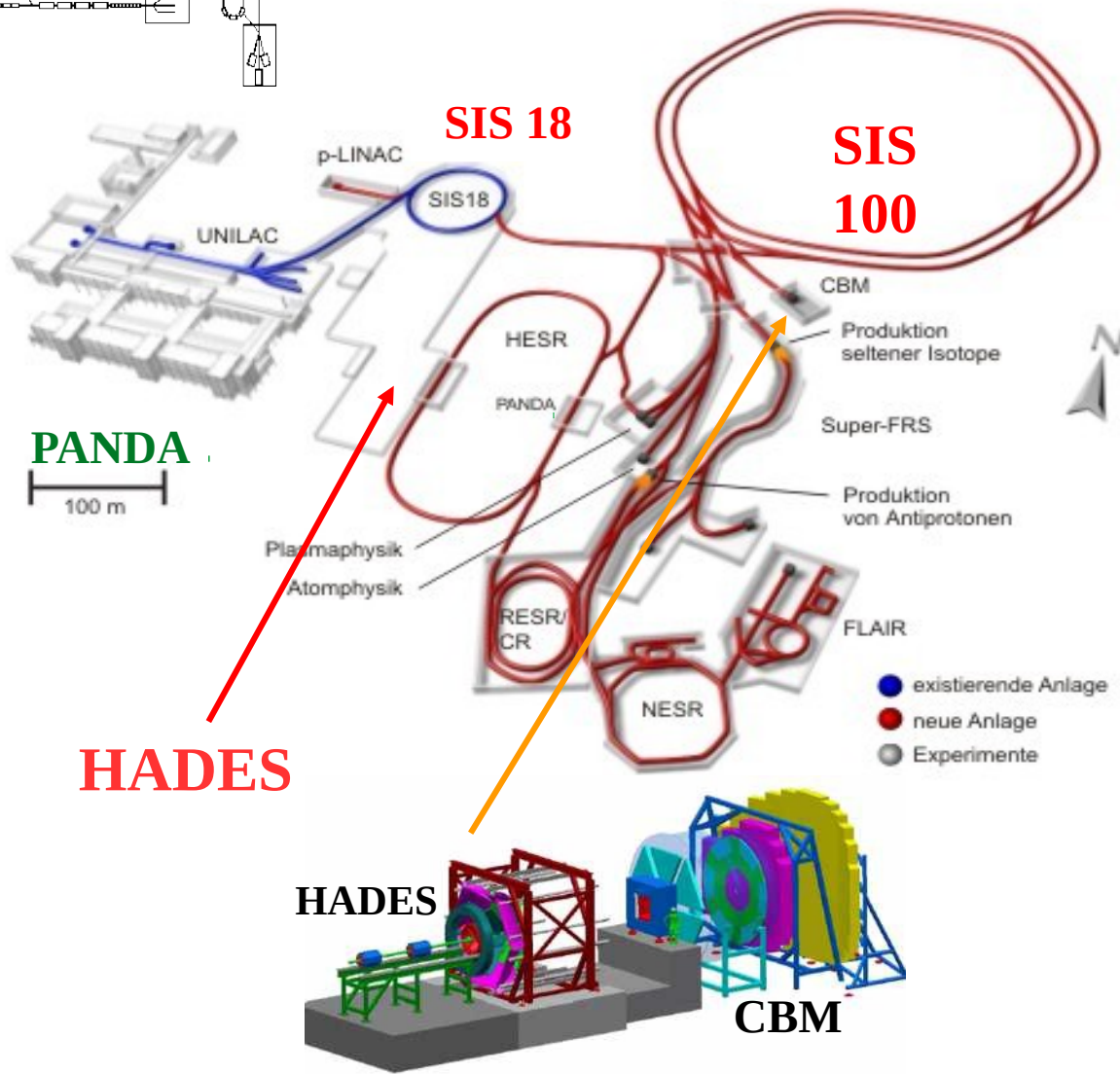
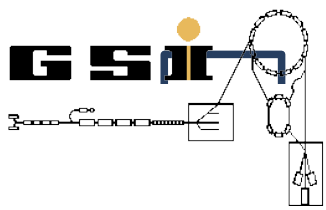
**QED**  
transition  
of point-like  
particles

**Form-Factors**  
(various models)

**Dalitz decays, appearance  
of intermediate vector  
mesons!**

$\rho/\omega/\phi$   $J^{PC} = 1^- (= \gamma!)$



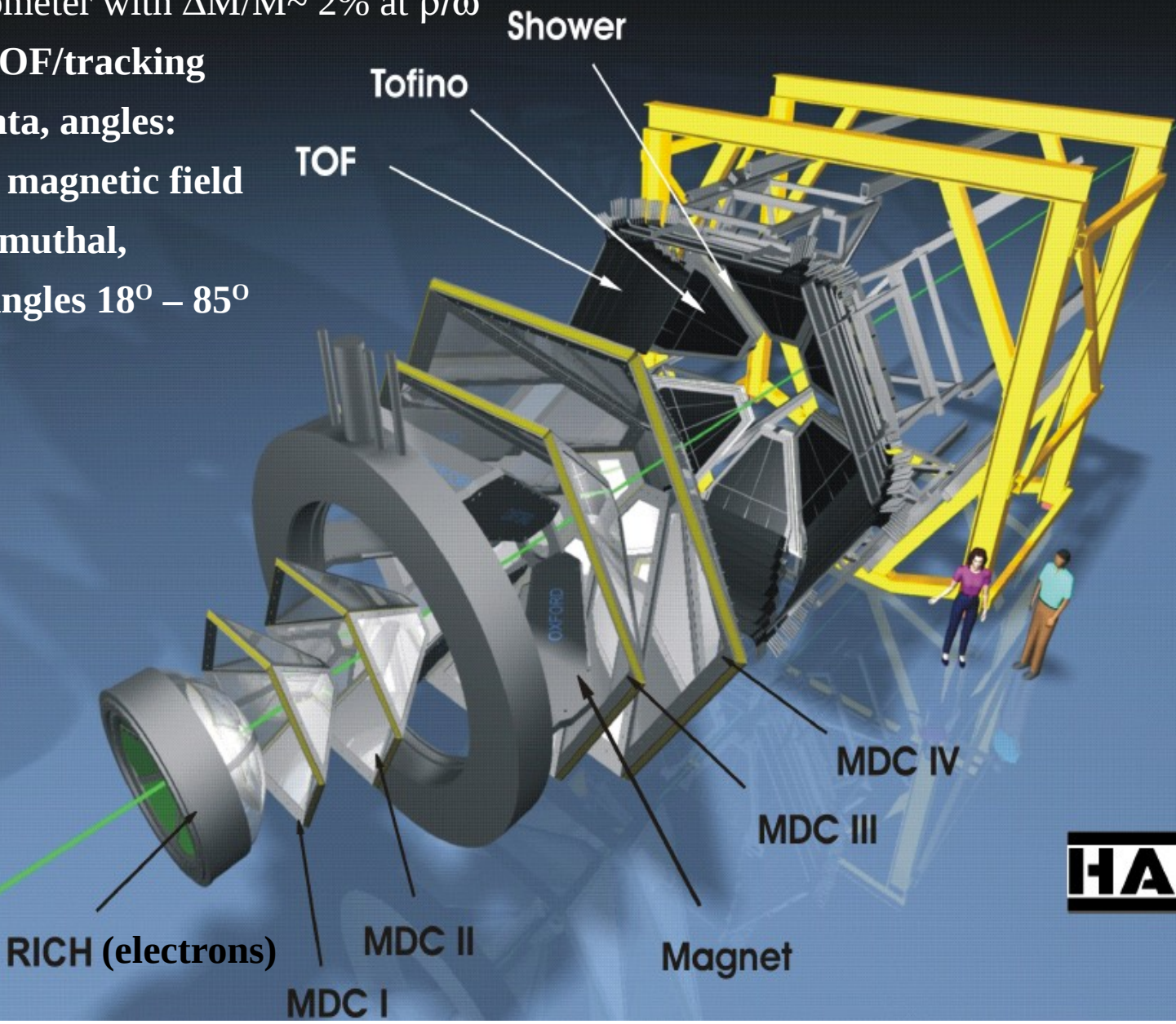


**SIS 18**  
**18Tm (1.8 T magnets)**  
**U<sup>73+</sup>**: 1.0 GeV/u, 10<sup>9</sup> ions/s  
**Ni<sup>26+</sup>**: 2.0 GeV/u, 10<sup>10</sup>  
**Protons**: 4.5 GeV, 2.8x10<sup>13</sup>/s  
**Secondary beams**  
**Pions**: 0.5-2 GeV/c

**SIS 100**  
**2T (4T/s) magnets**  
**Au**: up to 8-10 GeV/u  
 10<sup>12</sup> ions/s  
**Protons**: up to 30 GeV  
 2.8x10<sup>13</sup> ions/s  
**Secondary beams**  
 Radioactive beams 1.5 GeV/u  
**Anty-protons 30 GeV**

**HADES** - first detector of FAIR Phase0 (2018-2021)

- ✓ Spectrometer with  $\Delta M/M \sim 2\%$  at  $\rho/\omega$
- ✓ PID: TOF/tracking
- ✓ momenta, angles:  
MDC+ magnetic field
- ✓ full azimuthal,
- ✓ polar angles  $18^\circ - 85^\circ$



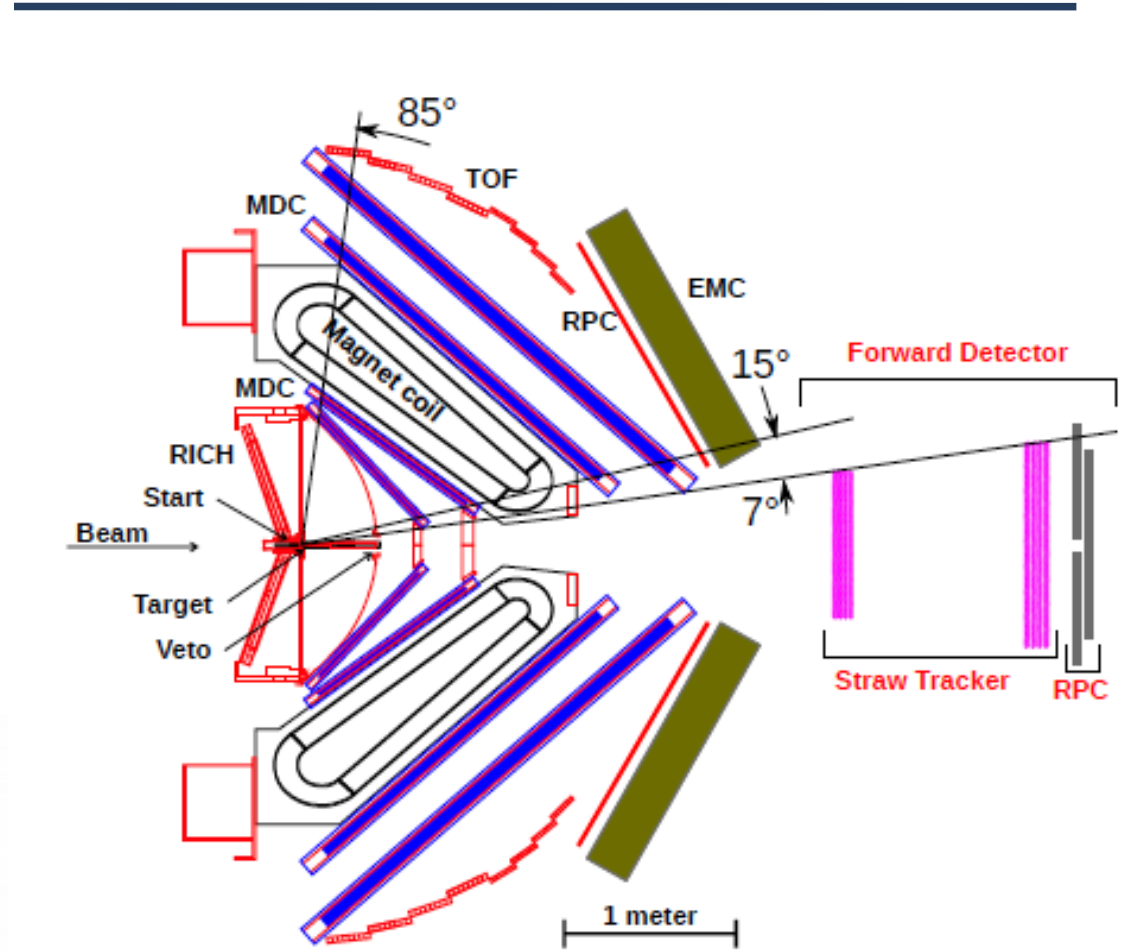
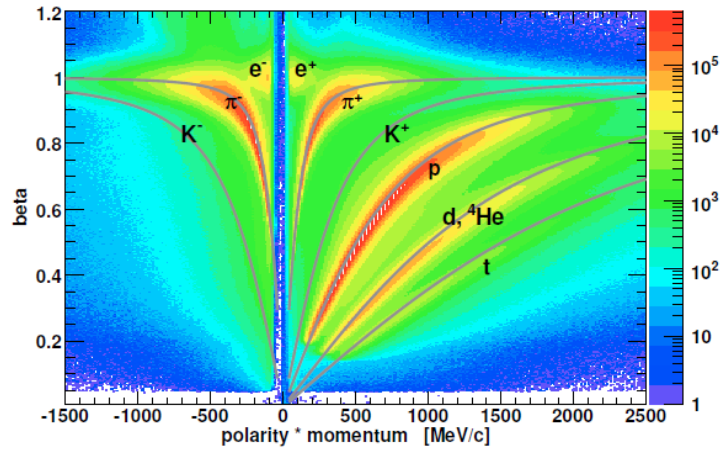
**HADES**





# HADES Detector

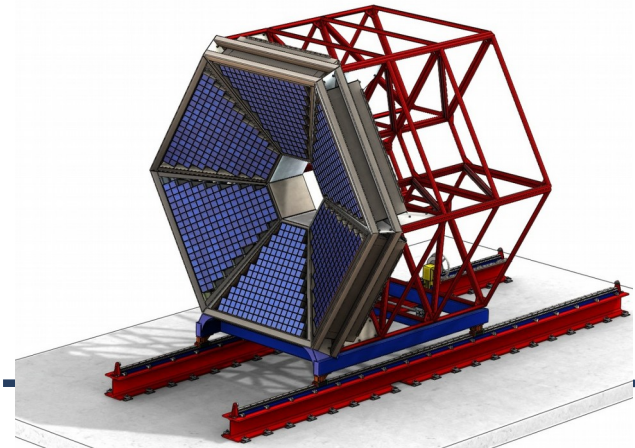
## High Acceptance Di-Electron Spectrometer

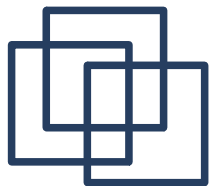


### Photon decays:

$\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ,  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$   
 $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ,  $\omega \rightarrow \pi^0\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\gamma$   
 + Dalitz decays

### ECAL (lead glass)



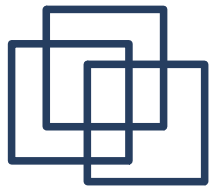


# HADES experimental program

## - elementary pp and pn collisions

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p+p @1.25 GeV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- inclusive e+e-, <math>\pi^0</math>, <math>\eta</math></li><li>- exclusive ppe+e-, ppe+e-<math>\gamma</math>, np<math>\pi^+</math>, pp<math>\pi^0</math>, <math>\Delta^+</math></li></ul>
d(n)+p @1.25 AGeV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- inclusive e+e-</li><li>- exclusive npe+e-, np<math>\pi^+\pi^-</math> (<math>\Delta\Delta</math> t-channel )</li></ul>
p+p @2.2 GeV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- inclusive e+e-, <math>\pi^0</math>, <math>\eta</math></li><li>- exclusive ppe+e-, np<math>\pi^+</math>, pp<math>\pi^0</math></li></ul>
p+p @3.5 GeV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- inclusive e+e-, <math>\pi^0</math>, <math>\eta</math>, <math>\rho</math>, <math>\omega</math></li><li>- exclusive ppe+e-, np<math>\pi^+</math>, pp<math>\pi^0</math></li><li>- <b>hyperons:</b> pK<math>^+\Lambda</math>, <math>\Sigma^{+/-}\pi^{-/+}</math> pK<math>^+</math>, <math>\Sigma^+K^+</math> n, <math>\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow \Sigma^{+/-}\pi^{-/+}</math>, <math>\Lambda p\pi^+K^0</math>, <math>\Sigma^0 p\pi^+K^0</math> (<math>\Delta^{++}</math>)</li></ul>



# Baryon resonances in $pp$ @ 1.25 GeV ( $\pi^+$ , $\pi^0$ )

HADES : *Eur. Phys. J. A*51 (2015) 137

→ cross sections for resonance production ( $\Delta^+$ ,  $\Delta^{++}$ ,  $N(1440)$ ) and angular distributions

## Teis resonance model

*S. Teis et al., Z. Phys. A* 356, 421 (1997)

→ quite good description of the HADES data but no info on production mechanisms

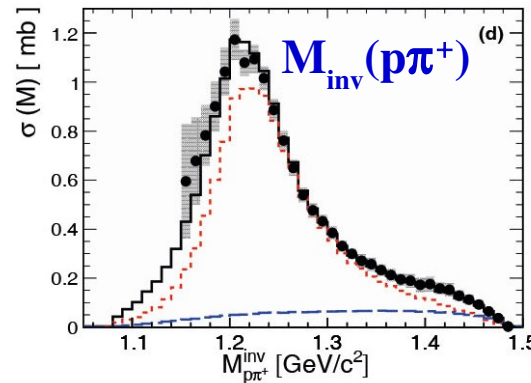
## Partial Wave Analysis (PWA) Bonn-Gatchina

*K.N. Ermakov et al., Eur. Phys. J. A* 47, 159 (2011)

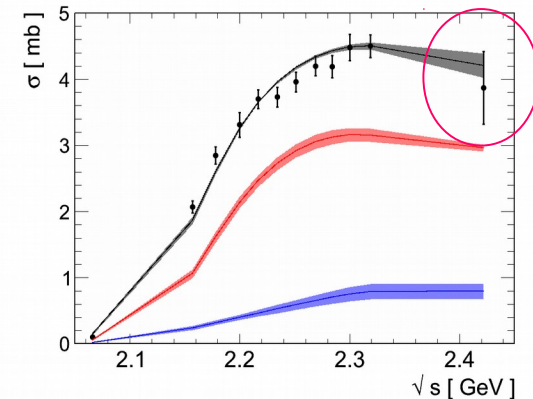
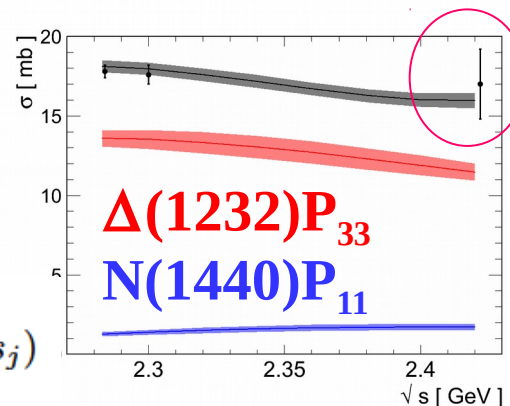
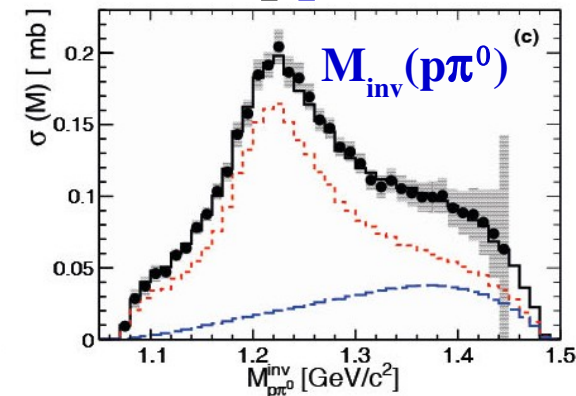
→ database W: 2066-2422  
13  $pp\pi^0$  and 3  $pn\pi^+$

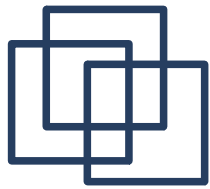
$$A = \sum_{\alpha} A_{tr}^{\alpha}(s) Q_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_J}^{in}(SLJ) A_{2b}(j, S_2 L_2 J_2)(s_j) \times Q_{\mu_1 \dots \mu_J}^{fin}(j, S_2 L_2 J_2 S' L' J).$$

$pn\pi^+$

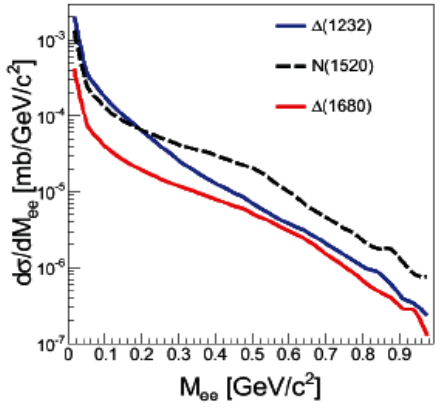
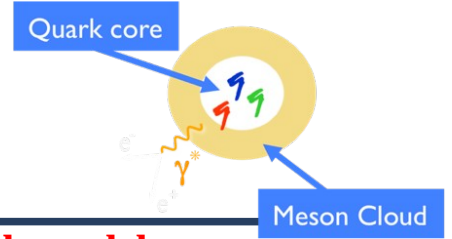


$pp\pi^0$



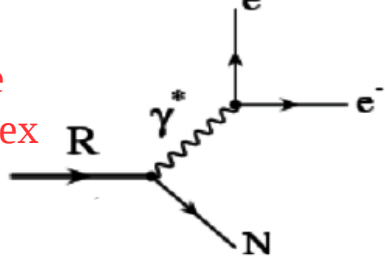


# Baryon internal structure in $e+e-$

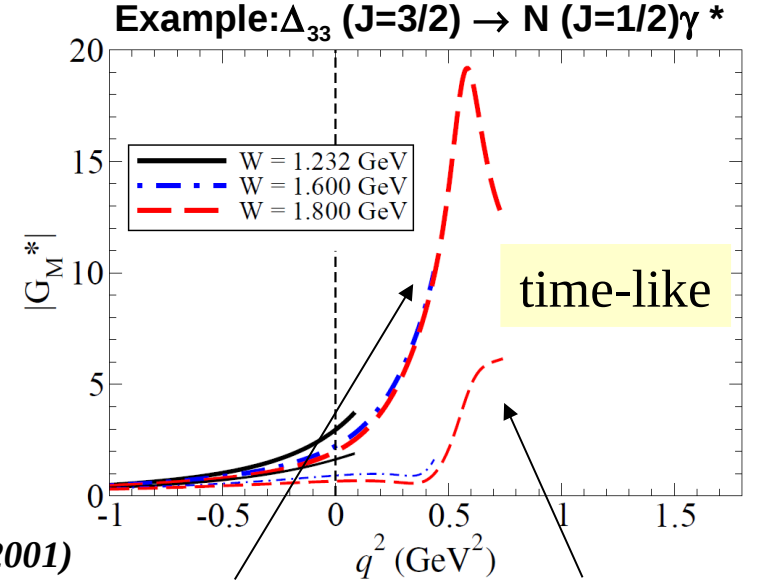


*F. Dohrmann et al., Eur. Phys. J. A 45, 401 (2010)*  
*M. Zétényi, Gy. Wolf, Heavy Ion Phys. 17, 27 (2003)*

**QED:**  
 point-like  
 R- $\gamma^*$  vertex



**Covariant quark model**  
**+VMD (R&P):**

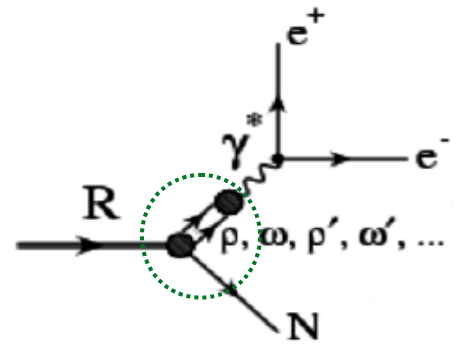
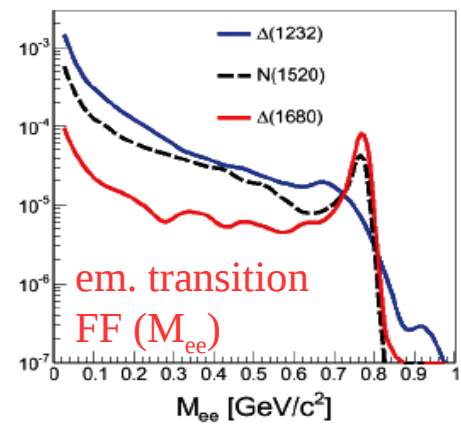


**(Extended) Vector Meson Dominance:**

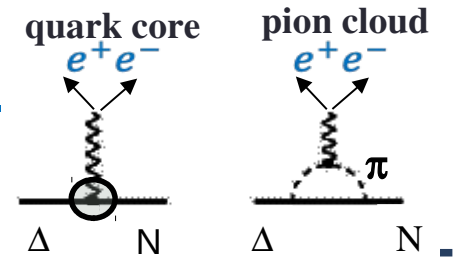
$$d\Gamma(N \rightarrow e+e-) = \text{QED}_{\text{point-like}} \times F(Q^2)_{\text{QCD}}$$

**(I&W)** Iachello, Wan, *Int. J. Mod. Phys. A20, 1846 (2005)*  
**(QED)** M. I. Krivoruchenko, A. Faessler, *Phys. Rev. D 65, 017502, (2001)*  
 M. I. Krivoruchenko et al., *Ann. Phys. 296, 299 (2002)*

„quark core” + “pion cloud”  
 „bare quark core” - lattice-QCD



$\Delta \rightarrow pe+e-$



G. Ramalho, T. Peña, *Phys. Rev. D 93, 033004 (2016)*



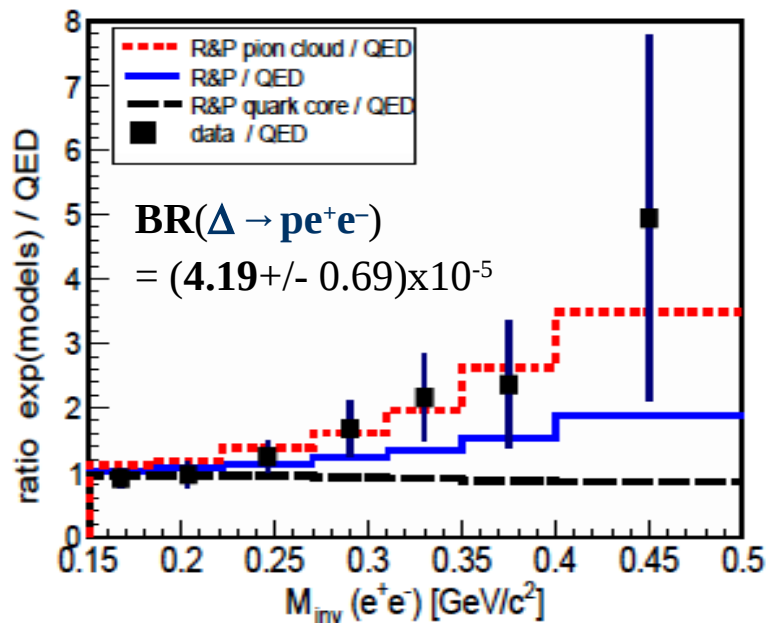
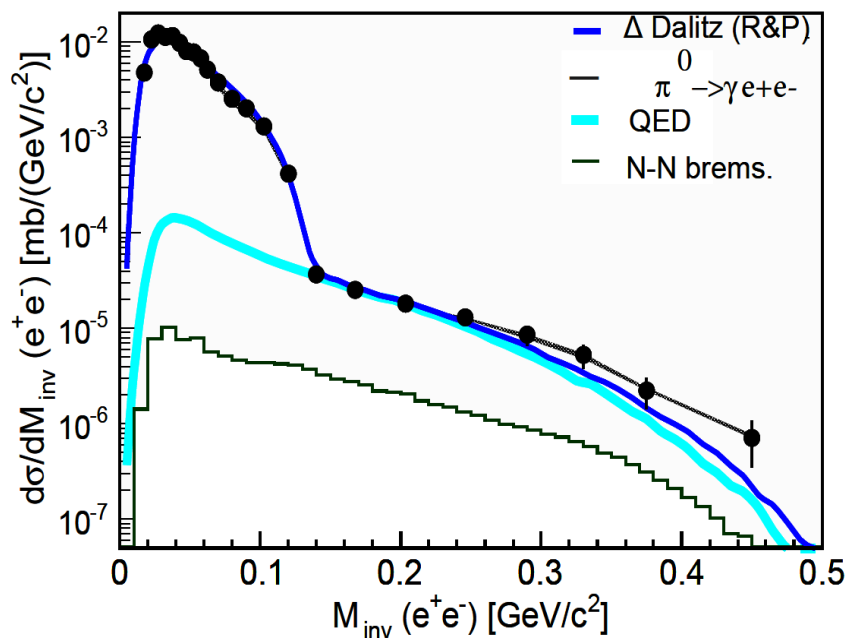
# e+e- pairs from pp @ 1.25GeV

HADES: *Phys. Rev. C* 95, 065205 (2017)

- Beam energy below  $\eta$  threshold **to favor  $\Delta$**
- Hadronic decay channel fixed from one pion data and Bonn-Gatchina PWA

$\Delta^+(1232) \rightarrow pe^+e^-$  Dalitz decay  
 pp  $\rightarrow$  ppe+e- (bremsstrahlung)

First detailed study of a timelike em.  $\Delta$  tFF



Effective  
Form Factor

$$\frac{d\Gamma(\Delta \rightarrow Ne^+e^-)}{dq^2} = f(m_\Delta, q^2) \left( |G_M^2(q^2)| + 3|G_E^2(q^2)| + \frac{q^2}{2m_\Delta^2} |G_C^2(q^2)| \right)$$



# np → npπ<sup>+</sup>π<sup>-</sup> @ 1.25

HADES: PLB750, 184 (2015)

Double-π production in NN:

- simultaneous excitation of the two baryons and their subsequent decays
- important for inclusive spectra of e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> (np & pp & HI)
- N\*(1440) → Δπ, N\*(1440) → Nσ, N\*(1440) → Nρ, ΔΔ

## Effective Lagrangian models

### 1) „modified” Valencia model

L. Alvarez-Ruso, E. Oset et al.

Nucl. Phys. A 633, 519 (1998)

N\* → Nσ → Nππ, N\* → Δπ → Nππ, ΔΔ

+ non-resonant component+interferences

→ **modifications:**

PLB 679, 30 (2009), PLB695, 115 (2011)

T. Skorotko et al. EPJ A35,317 (2008)

pp → ppπ<sup>0</sup>π<sup>0</sup>

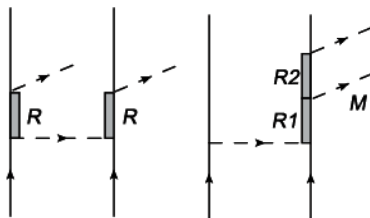
### 2) Cao model

no interferences, good description of  
pp → nn2π<sup>+</sup>, but overestimates pp → pp2π<sup>0</sup>

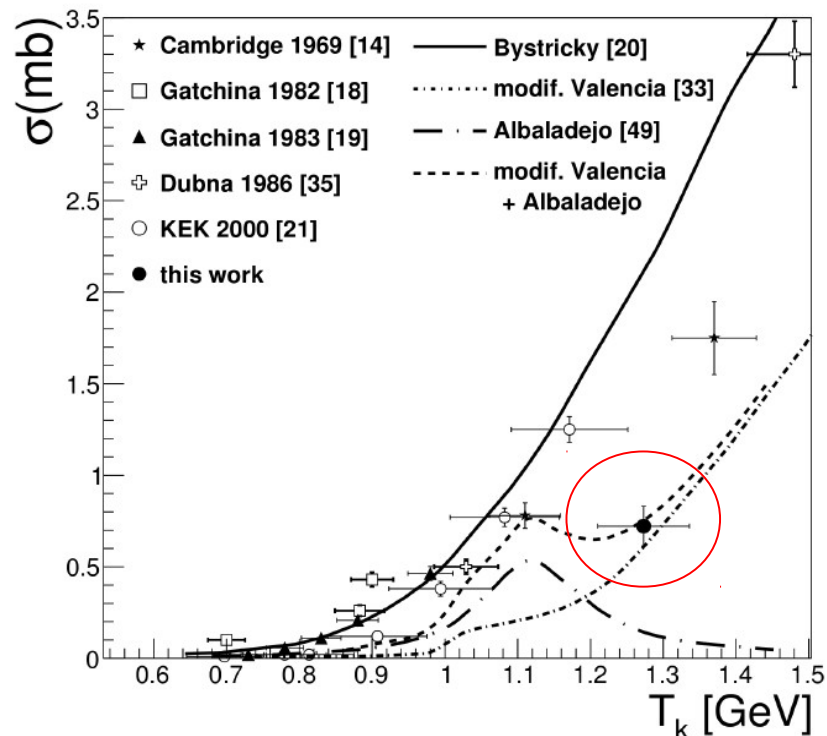
### 3) OPER model

A. Jerusalimov: arXiv:1203.3330 [nucl-th]

→ one pion and one boson exchanges



σ<sub>OPER</sub>, σ<sub>Cao</sub> 2x higher than data  
σ<sub>Valencia</sub> 30% lower than data





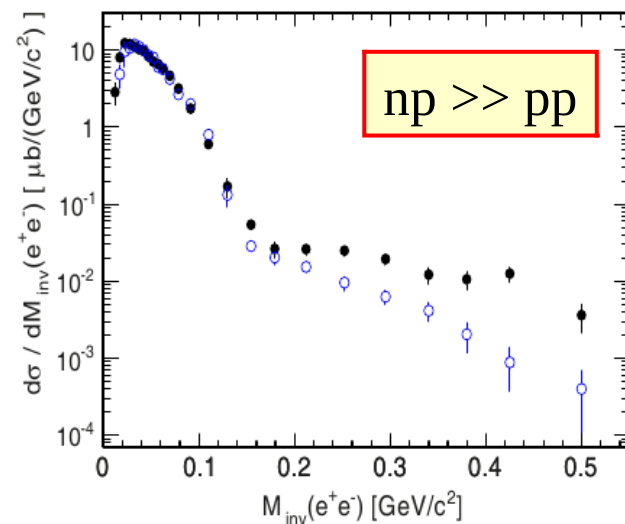
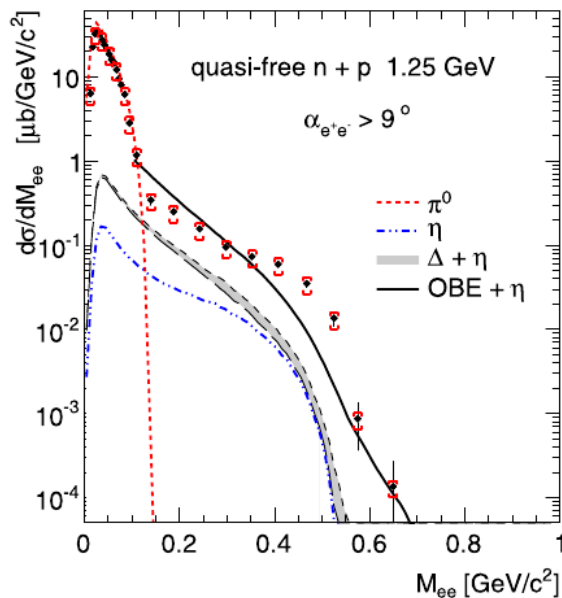
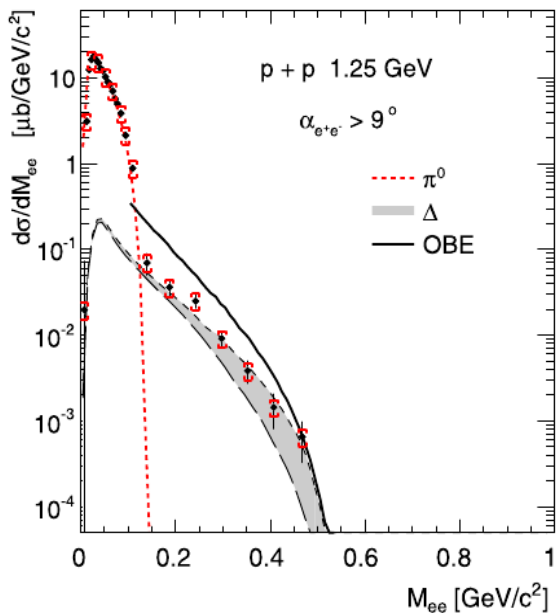
# $e^+e^-$ pairs from $pp$ and $np$ reactions @ 1.25 GeV (inclusive)

HADES, PLB 690, 118 (2010)

Strong isospin effect !

OBE = **O**ne **B**oson **E**xchange  
*L.P. Kaptari, B. Kämpfer, NPA 764 (2006) 338*

$\Delta$  Dalitz decay (gray band)– Iachello, Wan and Krivoruchenko



**p+p data:** very good agreement with  $\Delta^+$  only (OBE), bremsstrahlung is suppressed

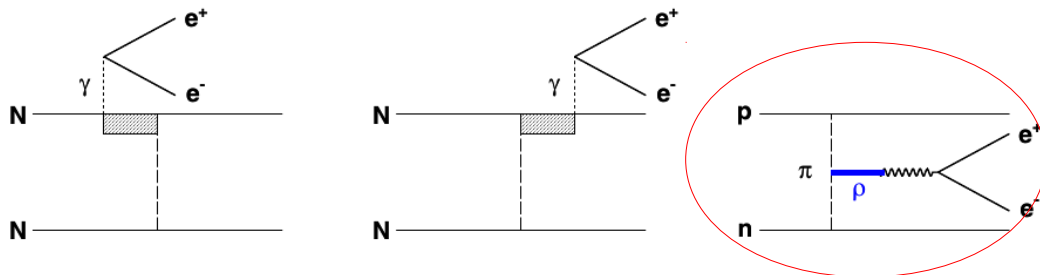
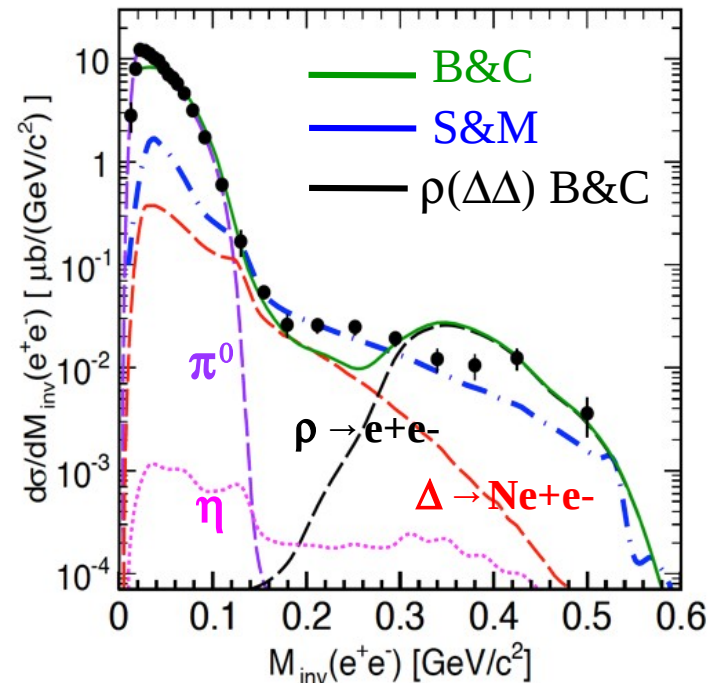
**n+p data:** data cannot (yet) be described well by OBE calculations



# e+e- pairs from np reactions @ 1.25GeV

HADES: *Eur. Phys. J. A* 53, 149 (2017)

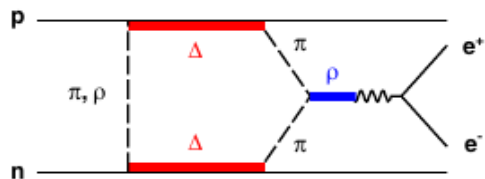
**Shyam & Mosel** *R. Shyam, U. Mosel, PRC* 82, 062201 (2010)



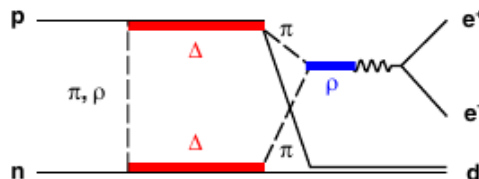
- pion e-m Form Factor – enhances e+e- yield
- production of ρ-like state via the charged current

**Bashkanov&Clement**  $\pi+\pi \rightarrow \rho$

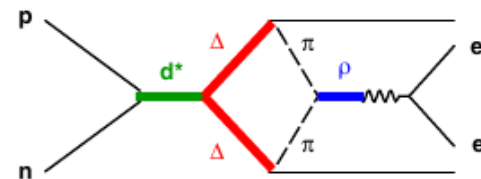
*M. Bashkanov, H. Clement, Eur. Phys. J* A50, 107 (2014)



$\Delta\Delta \rightarrow np$   
t-channel



$\Delta\Delta \rightarrow d$   
t-channel



$d^*$  produced in s-channel

$d^*$ :  $M \sim 2380$  MeV  
 $\Gamma \sim 70$  MeV

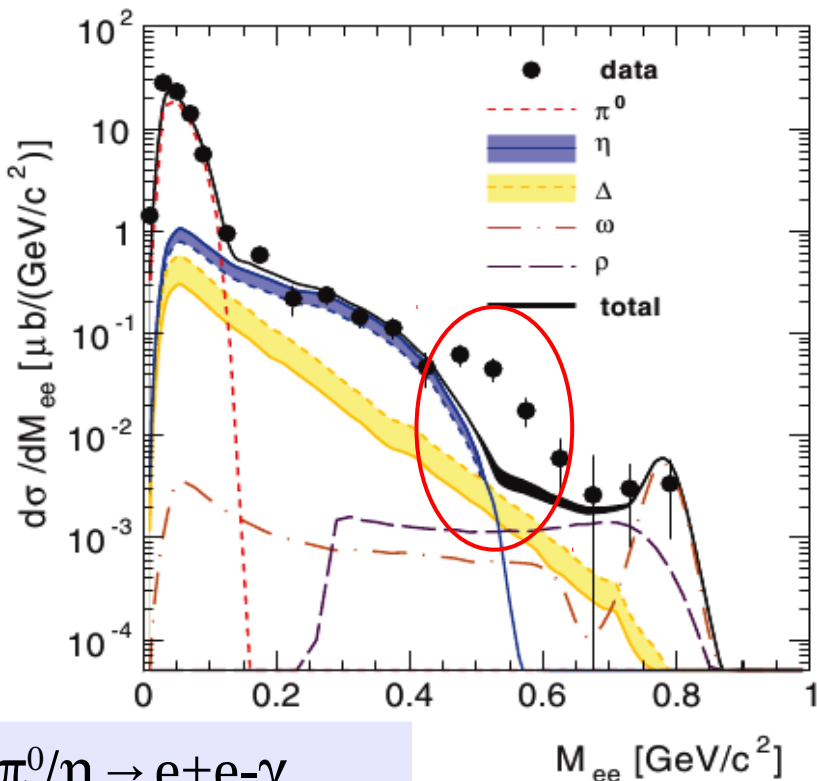




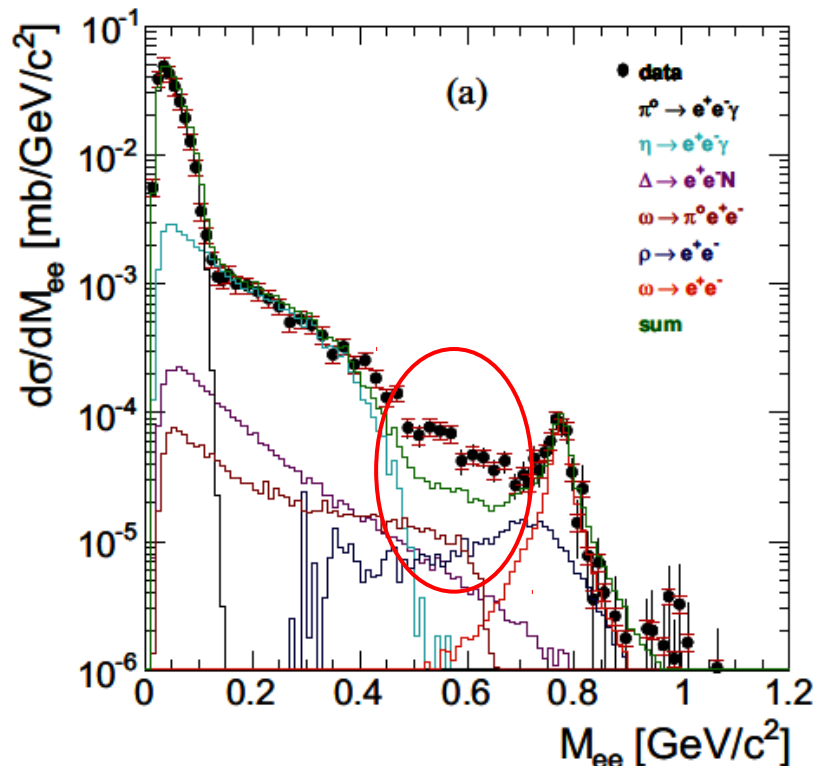
# pp → e+e-X pp @ 2.2 & 3.5 GeV

e+e- pair cocktail fixed to known π / Δ / η / ω / ρ cross sections

HADES: PRC85, 054005 (2012)



HADES: Eur. Phys. J. A 48, 64 (2012)



$\pi^0/\eta \rightarrow e+e-\gamma$

$\omega \rightarrow \pi^0 e+e-$

$\rho^0/\omega \rightarrow e+e-$

$\Delta(1232) \rightarrow Ne+e-$

→ Δ form factor fixed at the photon point  
 → additional sources of e+e- needed:  
 N\*(1440), N\*(1520), N\*(1535)....

# $p+p \rightarrow ppe^+e^-$ @ 3.5 GeV

HADES: *Eur. Phys. J A*50 (2014) 82

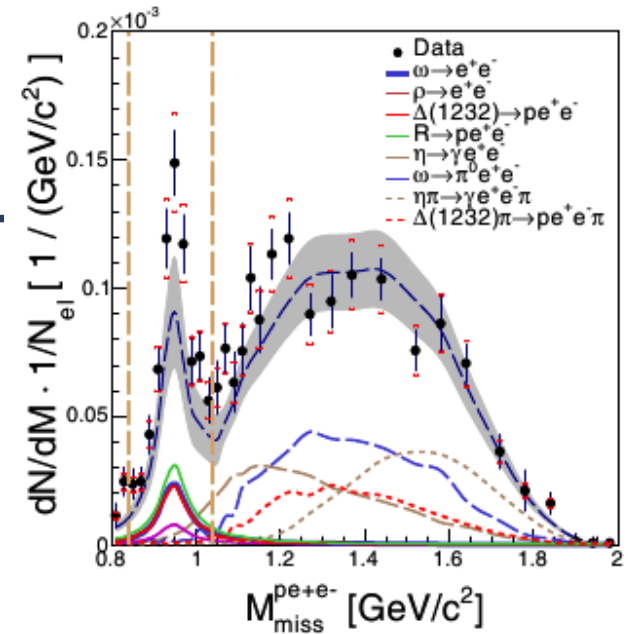
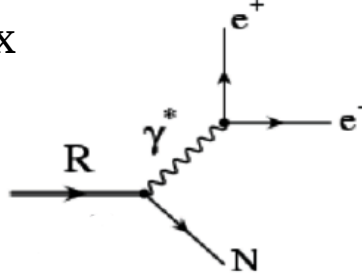
“QED point-like”  $R\text{-}\gamma^*$  vertex

*M. Zetenyi et al.*

*PRC* 67, 044002 (2003)

*M. I. Krivoruchenko et al.*

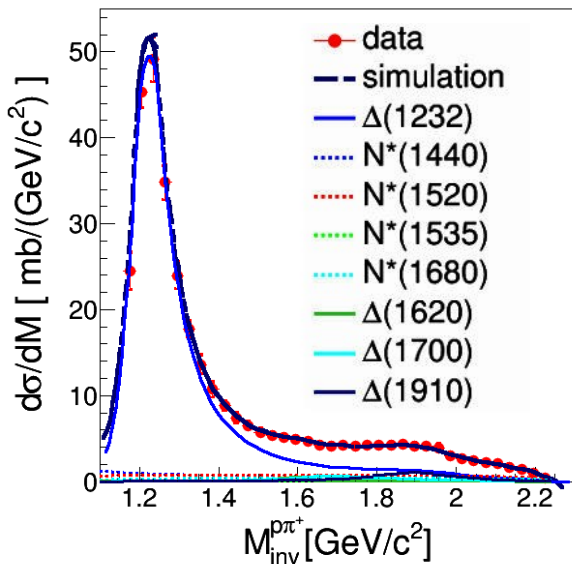
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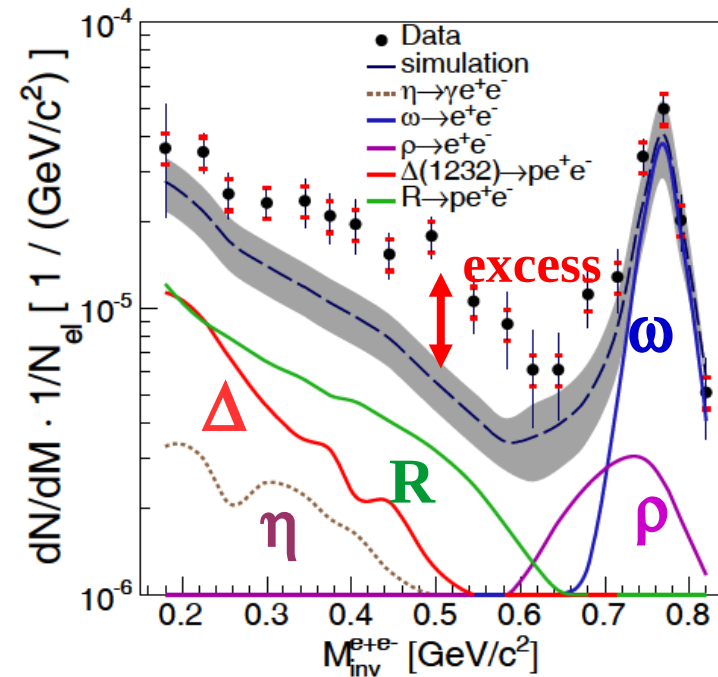
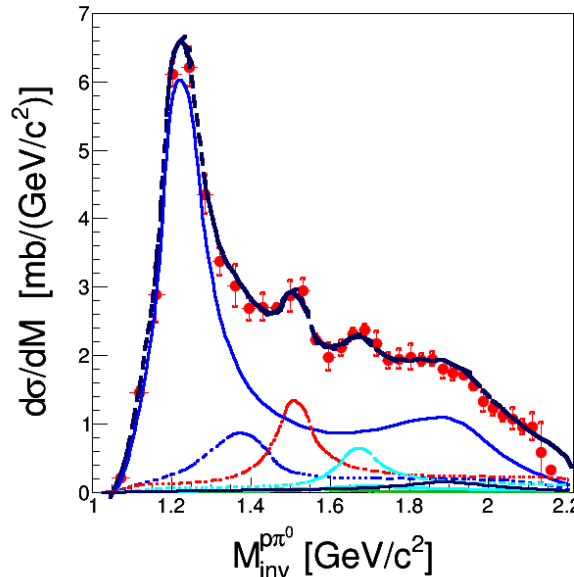
simulation - resonance model

*Z. Teis et al., Z. Phys. A*356 (1997) 421

$n p \pi^+$



$p p \pi^0$





# $p+p \rightarrow ppe^+e^-$ @ 3.5 GeV

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## GiBUU includes

*J. Weil, H. van Hees, U. Mosel, Eur. Phys. J. A* 48, 111 (2012)

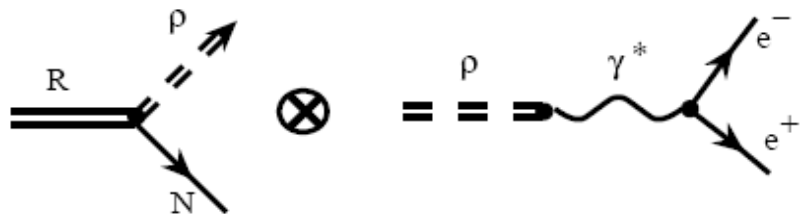
## Vector Dominance Model (VDM)

- off-shell  $\rho$  coupling to resonances

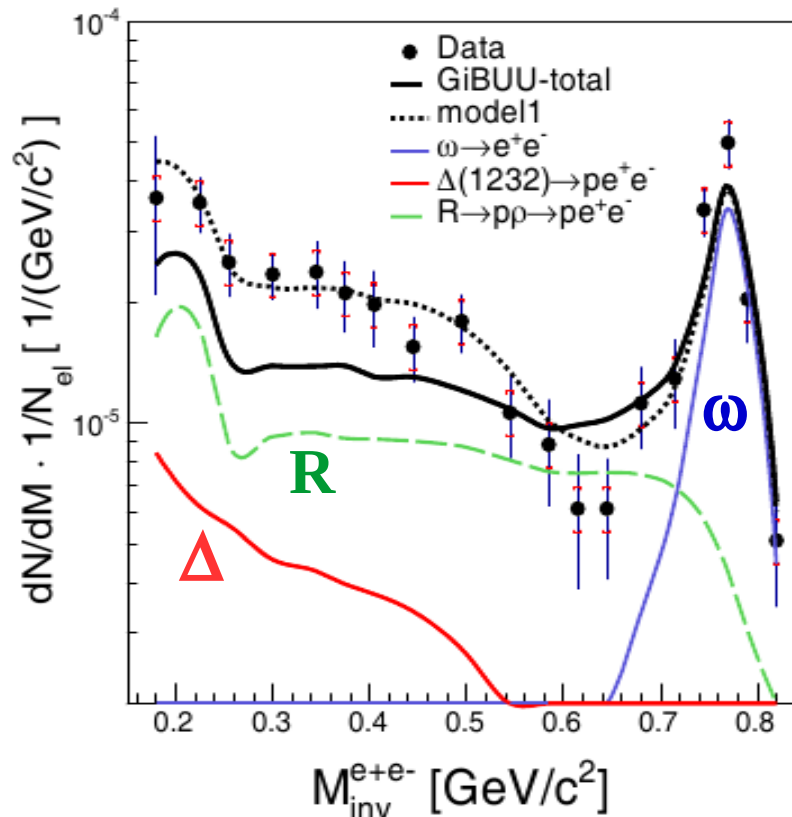
$$R \rightarrow p\rho \rightarrow pe^+e^-$$

## Resonance model + strict VDM with $\rho$ dominance

*M. I. Krivoruchenko et al. Ann. Phys.* 296, 299 (2002)



**R = N\*(1520) – 38 %**  
**N\*(1720) – 22 %**  
 **$\Delta(1620)$  – 15 %**  
 **$\Delta(1905)$  – 7 %**



*model1* = GiBUU, but with modified cross sections (HADES simul. ):  
 higher for N(1520),  
 smaller for N(1440), N(1535)

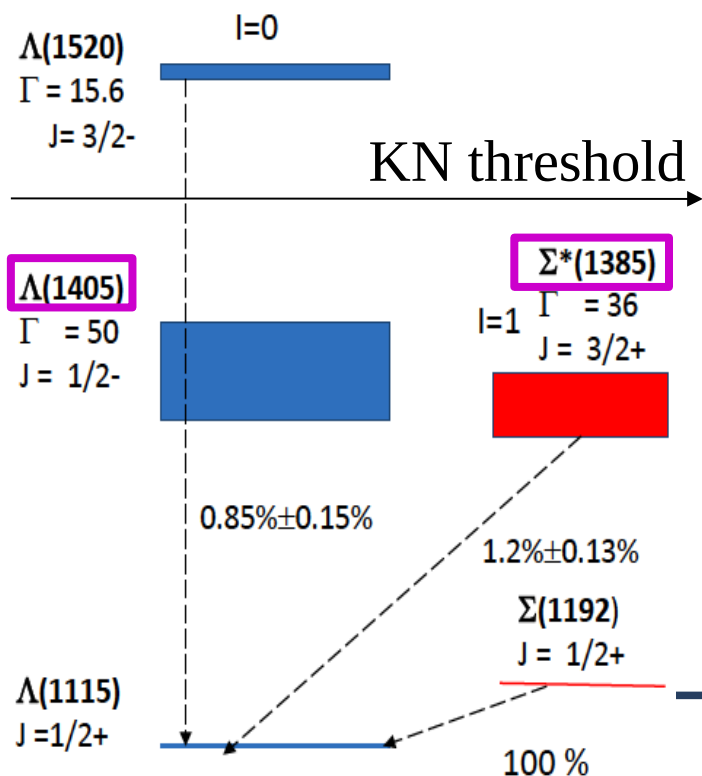


# Strangeness studies with HADES

## pp @ 3.5 GeV/c

### Main interest:

- Kaon-nucleon potential (ChPT)
- Strange-baryons interactions with matter:
  - Equation Of State (EOS)
  - Neutron Stars compositions
- **Structure of strange baryons ( $\Lambda$ ,  $\Sigma$ )** – upcoming measurements @SIS (2021 accepted proposal)



$\Sigma(1385)^+$

HADES: PRC 85, 035203 (2012)

$\Lambda(1405)$

HADES: PRC 87, 025201 (2013)

$\Lambda(1520)$

(upcoming paper in EPJ)

e-m hyperon decays

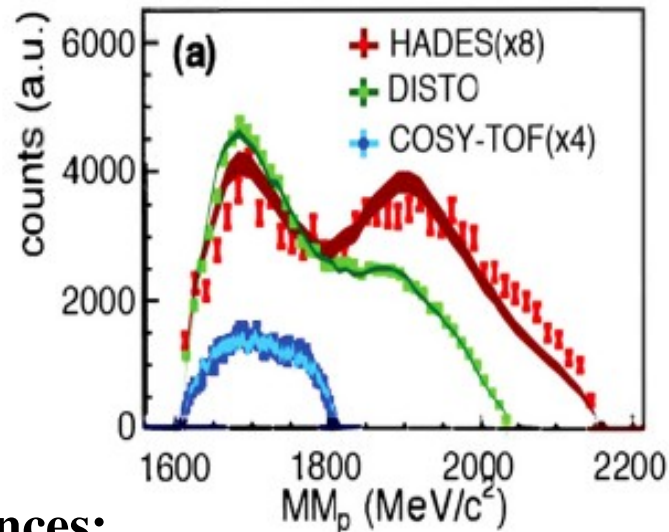


# Role of $N^*$ in strangeness production

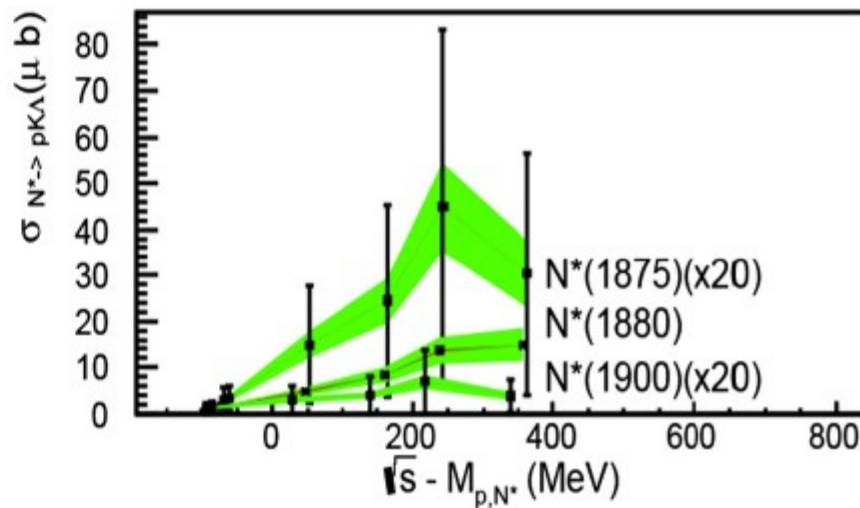
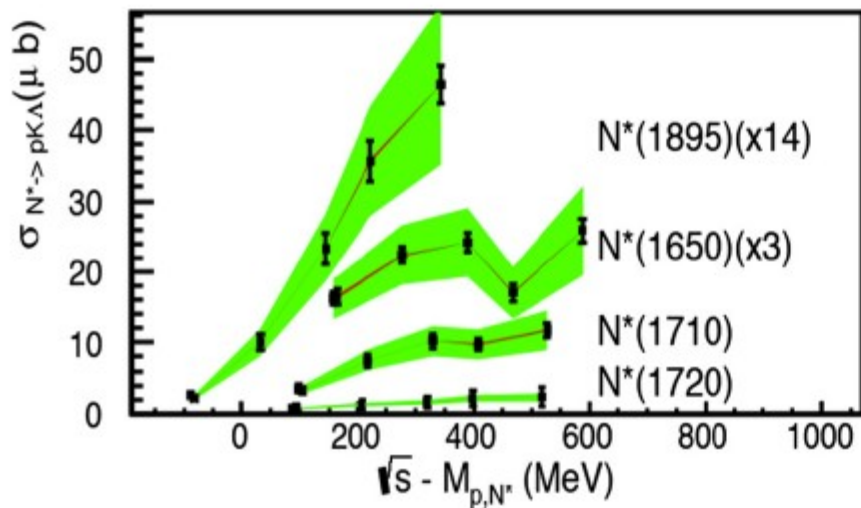
## $pp \rightarrow pK^+ \Lambda$

*R. Munzer et al., PLB 785, 574 (2018)*

- combined PWA of 7 data samples with exclusively reconstructed  $p+p \rightarrow pK^+$
- events measured by the COSY-TOF, DISTO, FOPI and HADES (2.14-3.5 GeV)
- $N^*$  coupling to  $\Lambda$ - $K^+$  channel and  $p$ - $\Lambda$  FSI



**production amplitude of the  $N^*$  resonances:**



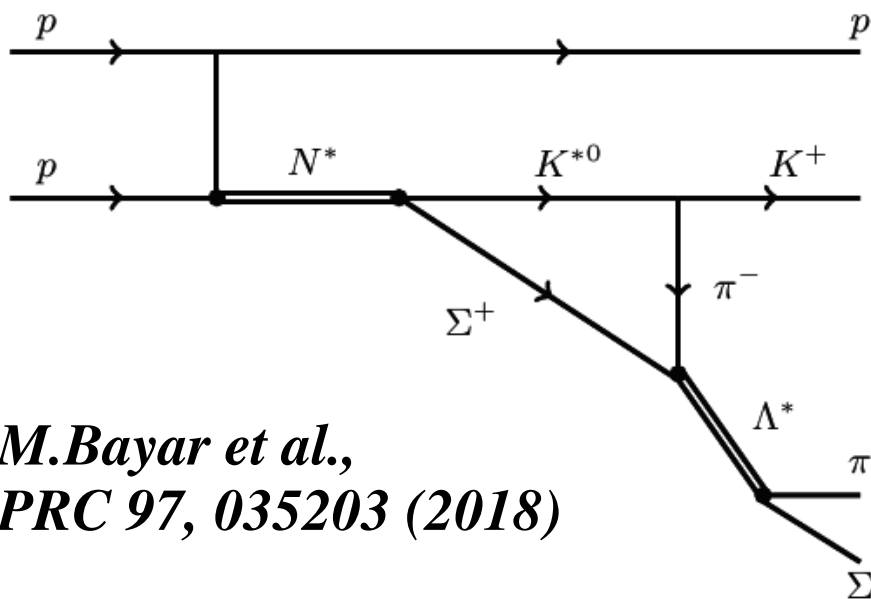
excess energy =  $\sqrt{s} - M_{p,K^+, \Lambda}$



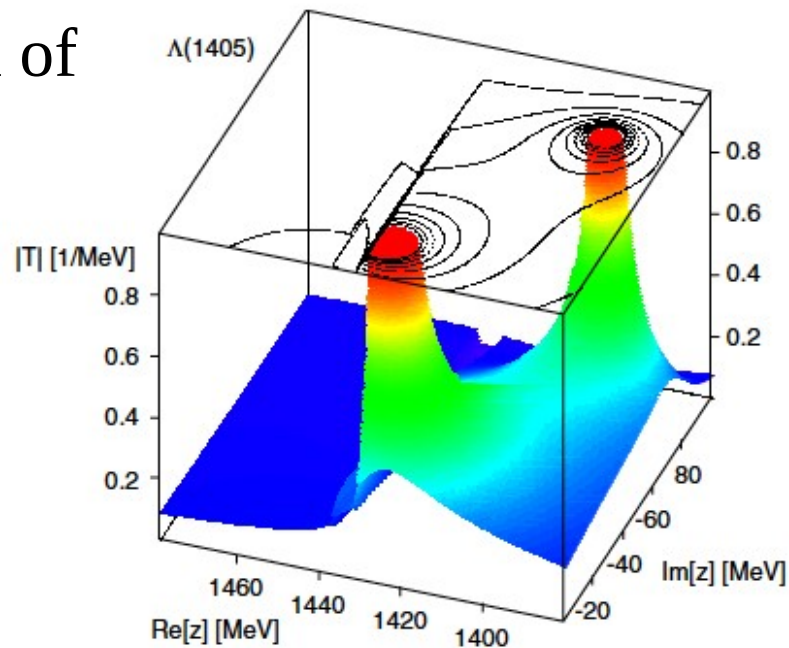
# $\Lambda(1405)$ mass – theory

In the chiral unitarity approach:

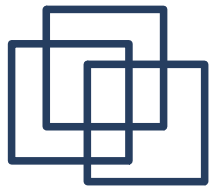
- $\Lambda(1405)$  in ChPT is a superposition of
  - quasi-bound KN state
  - two-pole resonance  $\Sigma\pi$ -KN
- triangle singularity in  $pK^+\pi\Sigma$  ?



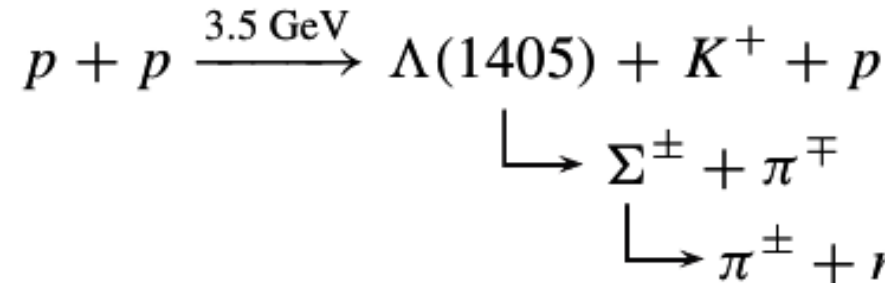
*M. Bayar et al.,  
PRC 97, 035203 (2018)*



*T. Hyodo, D. Jido  
Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys., 67, 55 (2012)*



# $\Lambda(1405)$ and $\Lambda(1520)$ pp @ 3.5 GeV/c

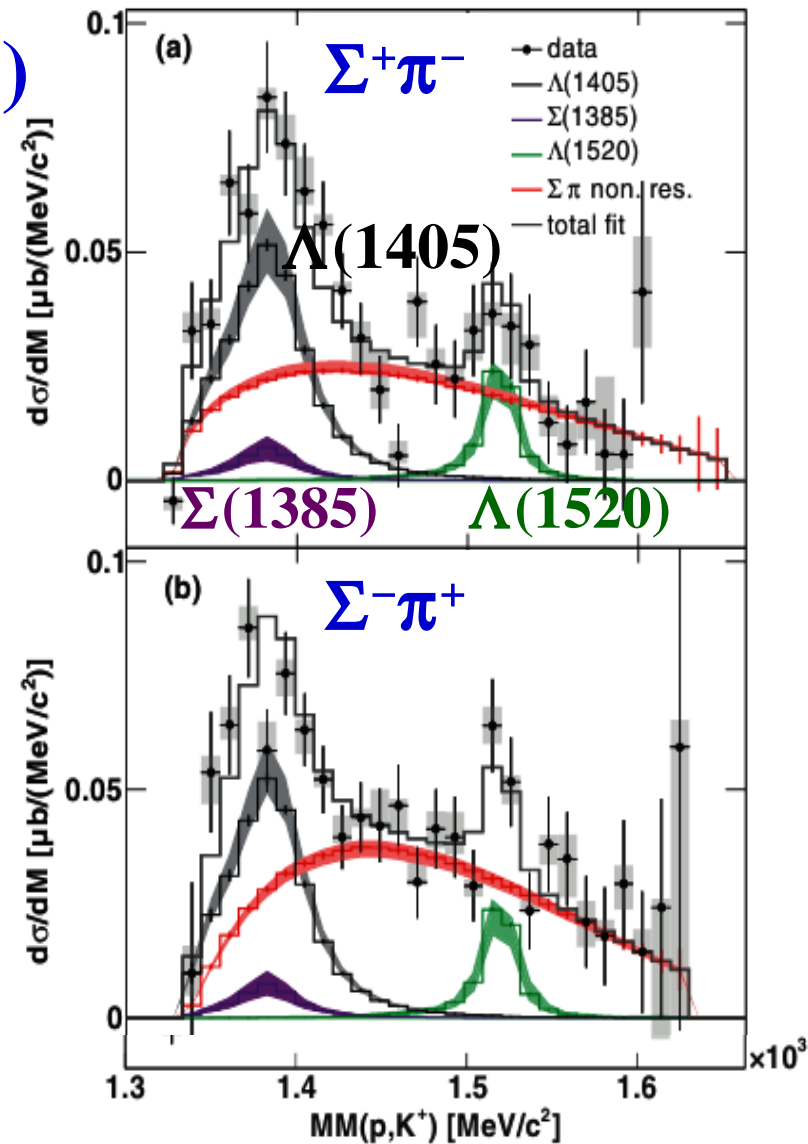


$$\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Lambda(1405)pK^+} = \underline{9.2 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.7_{-1.0}^{+3.3} \mu\text{b.}}$$

$$\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)pK^+} = 5.6 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.4_{-1.6}^{+1.1} \mu\text{b.}$$

$$\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Sigma^+\pi^-pK^+} = 5.4 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.4_{-2.1}^{+1.0} \mu\text{b.}$$

$$\sigma_{pp \rightarrow \Delta^{++}\Sigma^-K^+} = 7.7 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.5_{-0.9}^{+0.3} \mu\text{b.}$$



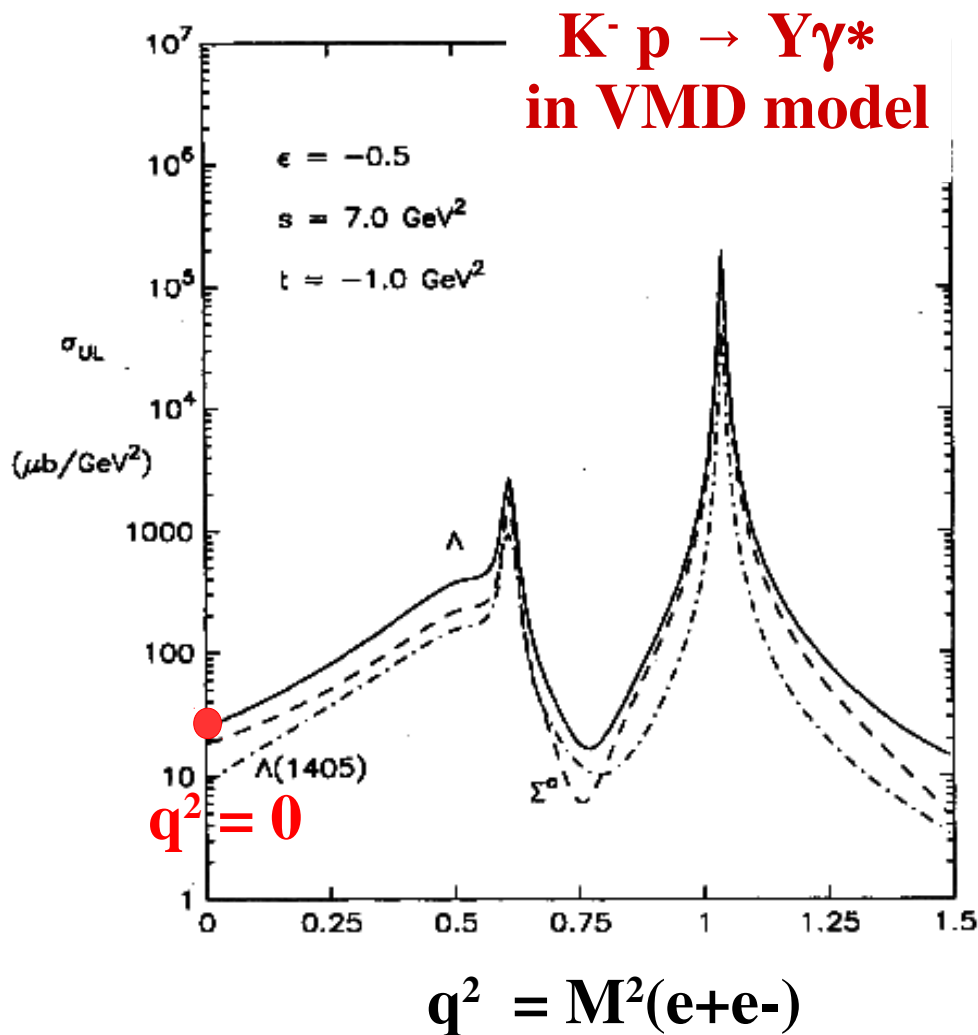
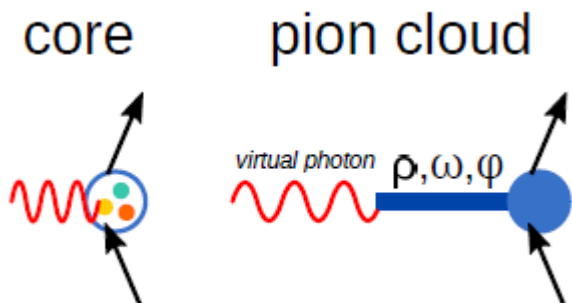
- the contribution of  $\Sigma\pi$  is dominant (lower position of  $\Lambda$  peak)
- the measured cross sec. for  $\Lambda(1405)$  is consistent with the ANKE data
- angular distributions (CM frame) of  $\Lambda(1405)$  and  $\Lambda(1520)$  are isotropic



# Hyperon Dalitz decays pp @ 4.5 GeV/c

**VMD:**  
huge enhancement predicted

*R. Williams et. al. PRC48, 1381 (1993)*







# Hyperons Dalitz decay

## pp @ 4.5 GeV/c

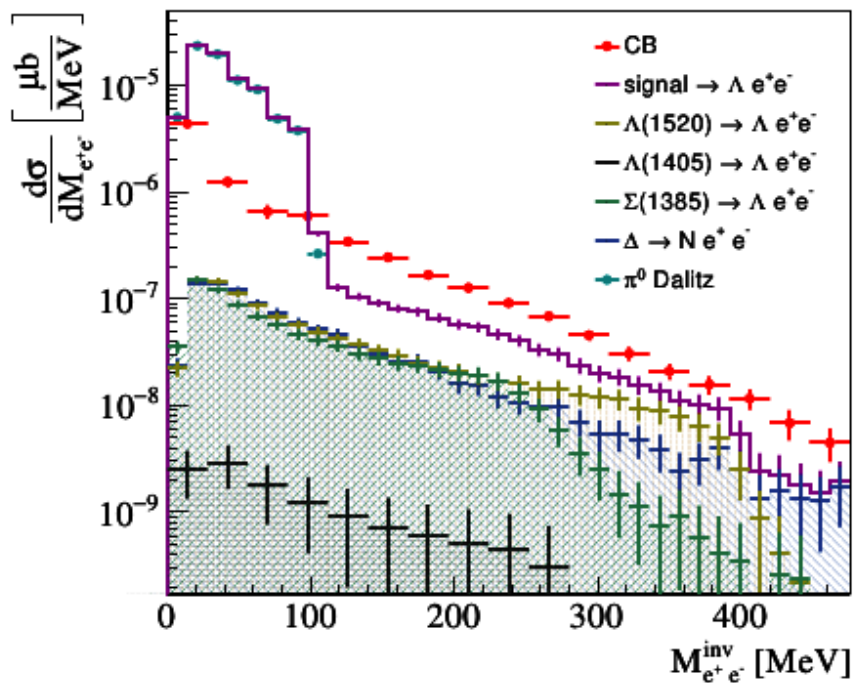
Feasibility study at 4.5 GeV/c – benchmark simulations:

$$pK^+ \Lambda(1520)[\Lambda e^+ e^-] \quad \sigma=69.6 \mu\text{b}, \text{BR}=8.4*10^{-5}$$

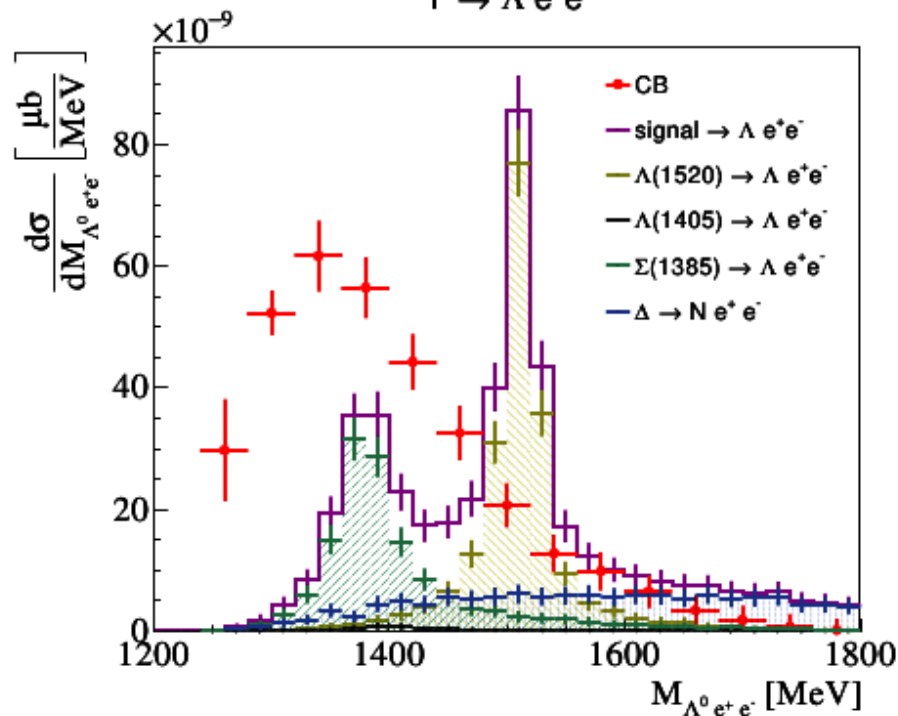
$$pK^+ \Lambda(1405)[\Lambda e^+ e^-] \quad \sigma=32.2 \mu\text{b}, \text{BR}=5.3*10^{-6}$$

$$pK^+ \Sigma(1385)[\Lambda e^+ e^-] \quad \sigma=56.2 \mu\text{b}, \text{BR}=1.1*10^{-4}$$

$\Upsilon \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ e^-$



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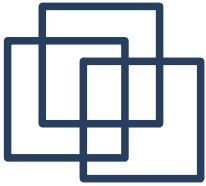




## Summary and outlook

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- Elementary collisions are very crucial for understanding hadron properties, also in dense nuclear matter,
- Hadronic channels have been studied:  
single and double pion production to obtain production cross sections for resonances,
- Results have been compared to various phenomenological models,
- Dileptons production (cocktail based on known sources):
  - reference for HI collisions
  - studies of em structure of baryons – em tFF via Dalitz decays
  - spectra of decaying resonances
- Studies of strangeness production and em structure of hiperons
- 2021 – accepted proposal at SIS18 to measure pp@ 4.5 GeV



**Thank You  
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