# Recent achievement in Regge theory for photoproduction of hadron

Applications of Regge model to photoproduction of  $\pi\Delta$  and scaling with saturation of trajectory

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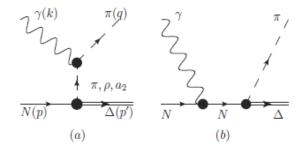
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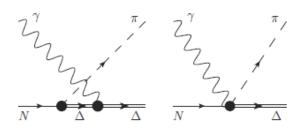
#### Outline

**\*** Features of reaction mechanism of  $\gamma p \to \pi^- \Delta^{++}$  & scaling

- Minimal gauge for  $\pi$  exch. and tensor meson exch. at high E
- EM multipoles of  $\Delta$  in the resonance region
- Scaling by saturation of trajectory at large -t
- Summary and outlook

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$$iM_{u(\Delta)} = -\frac{f_{\pi N\Delta}}{m_{\pi}} \bar{u}_{\nu}(p') e_{\Delta}(g^{\nu\alpha} \not\in -\epsilon^{\nu} \gamma^{\alpha}) \frac{(\not p' - \not k + M_{\Delta})}{u - M_{\Delta}^2} \Pi^{\Delta}_{\alpha\beta}(p' - k) q^{\beta} u(p)$$

▶ Minimal gauge

$$\mathcal{M}_{\pi N \Delta} = \frac{f_{\pi N \Delta}}{m_{\pi}} \bar{u}_{\nu}(p') \left[ q^{\nu} \frac{2p \cdot \epsilon + \not k \not \epsilon}{s - M_N^2} e_N + e_{\Delta} \frac{q_{\mu}}{u - M_{\Delta}^2} \left( 2p' \cdot \epsilon g^{\mu \nu} + \sum_i G_i^{\nu \mu}(p', k, \epsilon) \right) + e_{\pi} \frac{2q \cdot \epsilon}{t - m_{\pi}^2} (q - k)^{\nu} - e_{\pi} \epsilon^{\nu} \right] u(p)$$

 $\mathcal{M} \sim \text{Coulomb charge terms} + \text{transverse terms} \iff \text{Remove transverse terms}$ 

▶ Tensor meson exch.

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•  $\rho$  meson exch.

$$\mathcal{L}_{\rho N\Delta} = i \frac{f_{\rho N\Delta}}{m_{\rho}} \bar{\Delta}_{\nu} \gamma_{\mu} \gamma_{5} N(\partial^{\nu} \rho^{\mu} - \partial^{\mu} \rho^{\nu})$$

• New Lagrangian for tensor meson  $a_2(1320)$  2<sup>++</sup> exch.

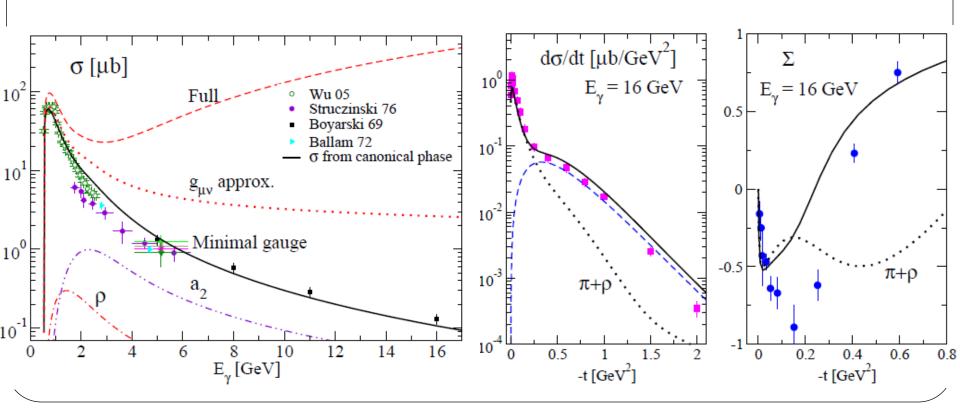
$$\mathcal{L}_{a_2N\Delta} = i \frac{f_{a_2N\Delta}}{m_{a_2}} \bar{\Delta}^{\lambda} \left( g_{\lambda\mu} \overleftrightarrow{\partial_{\nu}} + g_{\lambda\nu} \overleftrightarrow{\partial_{\mu}} \right) \gamma_5 N a_2^{\mu\nu}$$

$$\frac{f_{a_2N\Delta}}{m_{a_2}} = -3\frac{f_{\rho N\Delta}}{m_{\rho}}$$

#### Convergence & tensor meson dominance

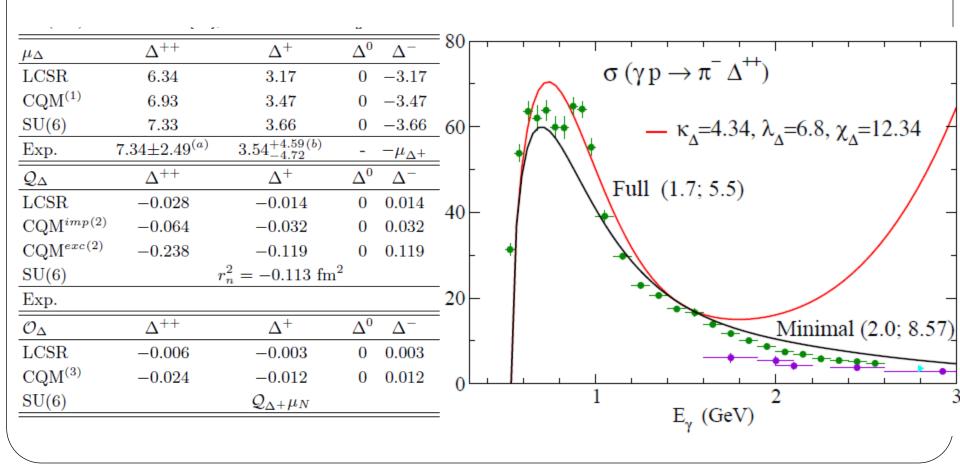
$$\mathcal{M}(\pi^{\mp}\Delta) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \end{array} \right\} \left[ \mp \pi N \Delta + (\rho \mp a_2) \right]$$
 
$$\alpha_{\pi}(t) = 0.7 \left( t - m_{\pi}^2 \right),$$
 
$$\alpha_{\rho}(t) = 0.8 \, t + 0.55 \,,$$
 
$$\alpha_{a_2}(t) = 0.85 \left( t - m_{a_2}^2 \right) + 2$$

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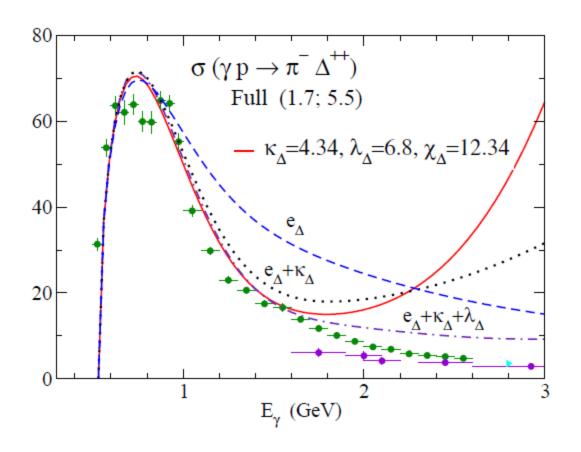


# Photoproduction of $\pi^{-}\Delta^{+}$ at low energy

$$\begin{split} \epsilon_{\mu}\Gamma^{\lambda\mu\sigma}_{\gamma\Delta\Delta}(p',k,p) &= -\bigg\{e_{\Delta}(g^{\lambda\sigma}\rlap/\!\!\!e} - \epsilon^{\lambda}\gamma^{\sigma}) - \frac{e}{4M_{\Delta}}\left(\kappa_{\Delta}\,g^{\lambda\sigma} + \chi_{\Delta}\frac{k^{\lambda}k^{\sigma}}{4M_{\Delta}^{2}}\right)[\rlap/\!\!e},\rlap/\!\!k] \\ &+ \frac{e\lambda_{\Delta}}{4M_{\Delta}^{2}}\bigg[k^{\lambda}k^{\sigma}\rlap/\!\!e} - \frac{1}{2}\rlap/\!\!k(\epsilon^{\lambda}k^{\sigma} + \epsilon^{\sigma}k^{\lambda})\bigg]\bigg\} \end{split}$$



#### EM multipoles of $\Delta$ in the resonance region



• Role of  $\mu_{\Delta} = e(2 + \kappa_{\Delta})/2M_{\Delta}$ 

#### Photoproduction at large -t

Brodsky and Farrar, Phys. Rev. Lett. 31, 1153 (1973)

Constituents counting rule (CCR)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt} = f(t/s)s^{2\alpha(t)-2} \Rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{dt} \propto s^{2-n}$$

$$n = (1+3) + (2+3) = 9$$

- ►  $s^7 \frac{d\sigma}{dt} \sim \text{independent of energy} \Rightarrow \text{scaling}$
- Phenomena in scaled region

Q. Zhao and F. E. Close, Phys. Rev. Lett. 91, 022004 (2003)

Oscillatory behavior of scaled cross section

H. W. Huang, R. Jakob, P. Kroll et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 33, 91 (2004)

▶ Predictions of pQCD calculation:

handbag diagram of  $\gamma q \to \pi q$  factorized nucleon GPDs

#### Scaling & trajectory saturated at large -t

Blankenbecler et al., Phys Rev. D 8, 4117 (1973)
P. D. B. Collins et al., Z. Phys. C 22, 277 (1984)
M. N. Sergeenko, Z. Phys. C 64, 315 (1994)
GLV, Nucl. Phys. A 627, 645 (1997)

 $F(t) = \left(1 - \frac{t}{\Lambda^2}\right)^{-1}$ 

► Interquark potential

$$V(r) = \underbrace{-\frac{4\alpha_s}{3}\frac{1}{r}}_{sat.} + \underbrace{\kappa r}_{linear} + V_0$$

► Saturation of trajectory for power law scaling

$$\alpha(t) \to -1 \ \Rightarrow \ \frac{d\sigma}{dt} \sim s^{2\alpha(t)-2} \sim s^{-4} \qquad \qquad s^7 \frac{d\sigma}{dt} \sim s^3 \ \Rightarrow \ \ {\rm Form \ factor}$$

▶ Trajectory  $\alpha^*(t)$  saturated at  $t = t_0$ 

$$\alpha(t) = \alpha_0 + \alpha' t \quad \Rightarrow \quad \alpha^*(t) = c_1 + c_2 \sqrt{t_1 - t} \qquad (t_1 > t_0)$$

▶ Determination of  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  from continuity and differentiability at  $t = t_0$ 

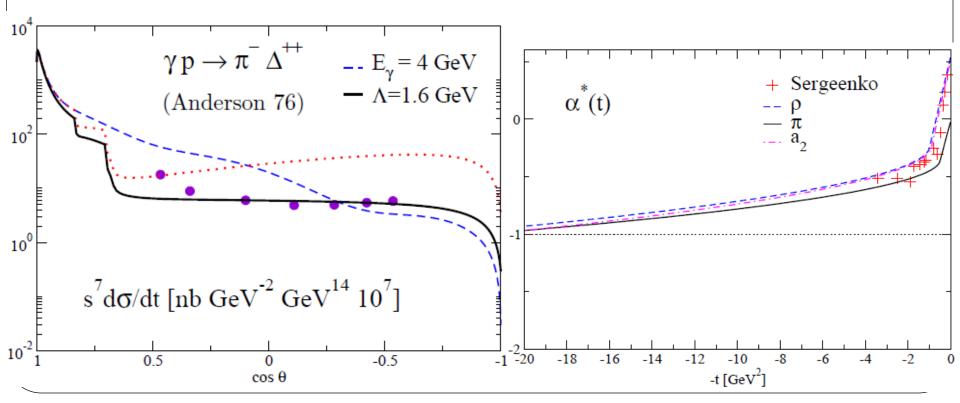
$$\alpha(t_0) = \alpha^*(t_0), \qquad d\alpha/dt(t_0) = d\alpha^*/dt(t_0)$$

### Scaling of cross sections @ SLAC

R. L. Anderson et al., Phys. Rev. D 14, 679 (1976)

- ▶ Saturation  $\alpha(t) \rightarrow -1$
- ▶ Form Factor for  $N\Delta$  Transition?

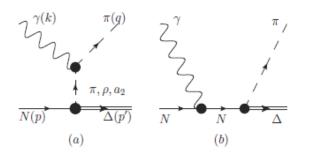
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 : Simple monopole-type

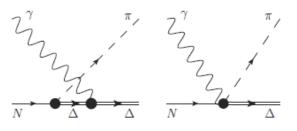


# Summary and Outlook

- We have studied photoproduction of  $\gamma p \to \pi^- \Delta^{++}$  in the Reggeized model.
- Good convergence of cross section at high energies is obtained based on the minimal gauge for  $\pi$  exch, and role of tensor meson  $a_2$  is found to be crucial there.
- Scaling of differential cross section is well accounted for by a saturation of trajectory at large angle.
- Regge model is powerful to describe hadron reactions up to high energy and wide angle and applicable to analyze data from 12 GeV-upgrade at Jefferson Lab.

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Minimal gauge

P. Stichel and M. Scholz, Nuovo Cimento 34, 1381 (1964)

 $\mathcal{M} \sim \text{Lowest order in } e \text{ and } f_{\pi N\Delta}$ 

 $\sim$  Charge coupling to photon  $\Longleftrightarrow$  Remove transverse terms

$$\sim T_{I=1, I_{\gamma}=1}$$

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• Ward identity for charge coupling at  $\gamma\Delta\Delta$  vertex

$$k_{\mu} \Gamma^{\mu\nu\alpha}_{\gamma\Delta\Delta}(p,k) = (D^{\nu\alpha})^{-1} (p+k) - (D^{\nu\alpha})^{-1} (p)$$

$$\epsilon_{\mu} \Gamma^{\mu\nu\alpha}_{\gamma\Delta\Delta} = e_{\Delta} \bar{u}_{\nu}(p') \left( g^{\nu\alpha} \not\in \underbrace{-\epsilon^{\nu} \gamma^{\alpha}}_{\Downarrow} \underbrace{-\gamma^{\nu} \epsilon^{\alpha} + \gamma^{\nu} \not\in \gamma^{\alpha}}_{=0} \right) u(p)$$

• Minimal gauge ⇒ removal of transverse components

$$\begin{split} iM_{u(\Delta)} &= e_{\Delta} \frac{f_{\pi N \Delta}}{m_{\pi}} \bar{u}^{\nu}(p') \bigg[ q_{\nu} \underbrace{\left( 2\epsilon \cdot p' - \not \in \not k \right) + \frac{2}{3} (k_{\nu} \not \in -\epsilon_{\nu} \not k) \not q} \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{3M_{\Delta}} (k_{\nu} \not \in -\epsilon_{\nu} \not k) \left( p' - k \right) \cdot q \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{3M_{\Delta}} \underbrace{\left( 2k_{\nu} \not p' \cdot \epsilon - 2\epsilon_{\nu} \not p' \cdot k - k_{\nu} \not \in \not k \right) \not q} \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{3M_{\Delta}^2} \underbrace{\left( 2k_{\nu} \not p' \cdot \epsilon - 2\epsilon_{\nu} \not p' \cdot k - k_{\nu} \not \in \not k \right) \not q} \\ &\quad + \frac{2}{3M_{\Delta}^2} \underbrace{\left( 2k_{\nu} \not p' \cdot \epsilon - 2\epsilon_{\nu} \not p' \cdot k - k_{\nu} \not \in \not k \right) \left( p' - k \right) \cdot q} \bigg] u(p) \times \frac{1}{u - M_{\Delta}^2} \end{split}$$

• Tensor meson  $a_2(1320)2^{++}$ 

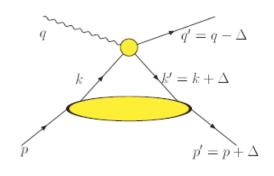
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#### Scheme for Extension of Regge model

$$M = M_{N*} + M_{Regge} - \langle M_{N*} \rangle$$

$$\sqrt{s} \sim \text{low} \rightarrow \text{Resonances}$$

$$s \gg 4M^{2}, -t \sim small$$



$$\begin{array}{c} \textit{M}_{hard}(\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N) \propto \textit{GPD} \times \textit{M}(\gamma q \rightarrow \pi q) \\ \propto \textit{FF} \times \textit{M}_{Regge}(\textit{saturation}) \end{array}$$

-t~large  $\rightarrow$  saturation

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