

Baryon-Spectroscopy

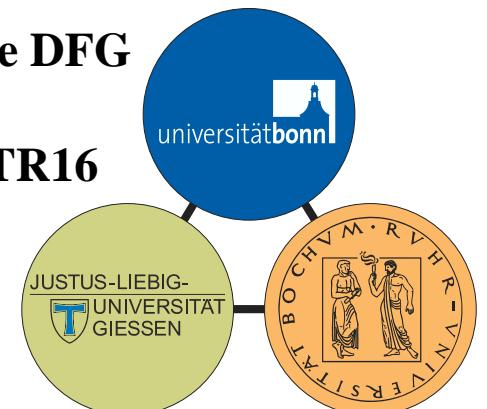
Recent results from the Crystal Barrel/TAPS experiment at ELSA

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- Polarisation observables
- Results
- Current double polarisation experiments
- η - photoproduction at the neutron
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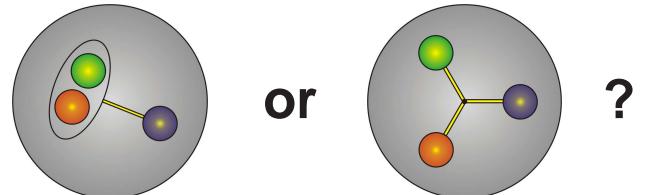
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Baryon spectroscopy

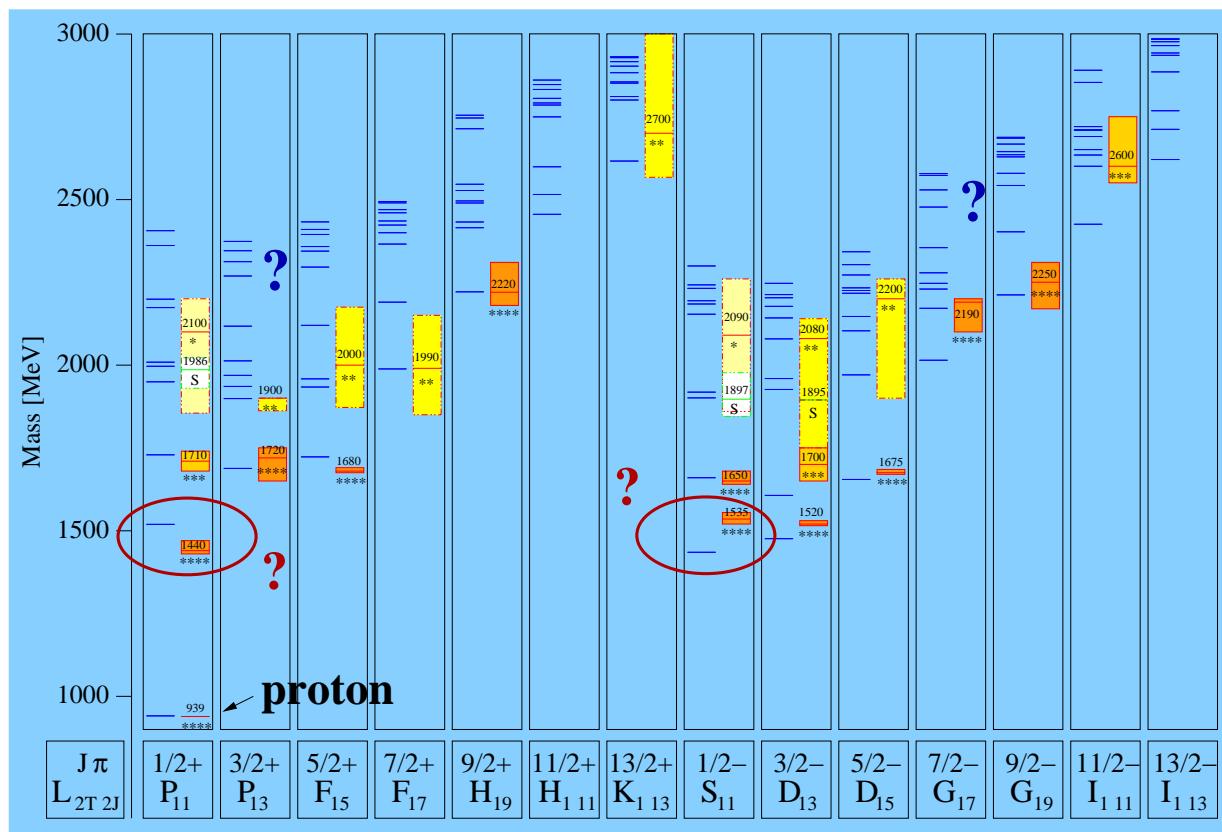
Aim: Good understanding of the spectrum and the properties of baryon resonances \leftrightarrow bound states of strong QCD

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



Symmetric quark models:

→ many more resonances expected than observed yet



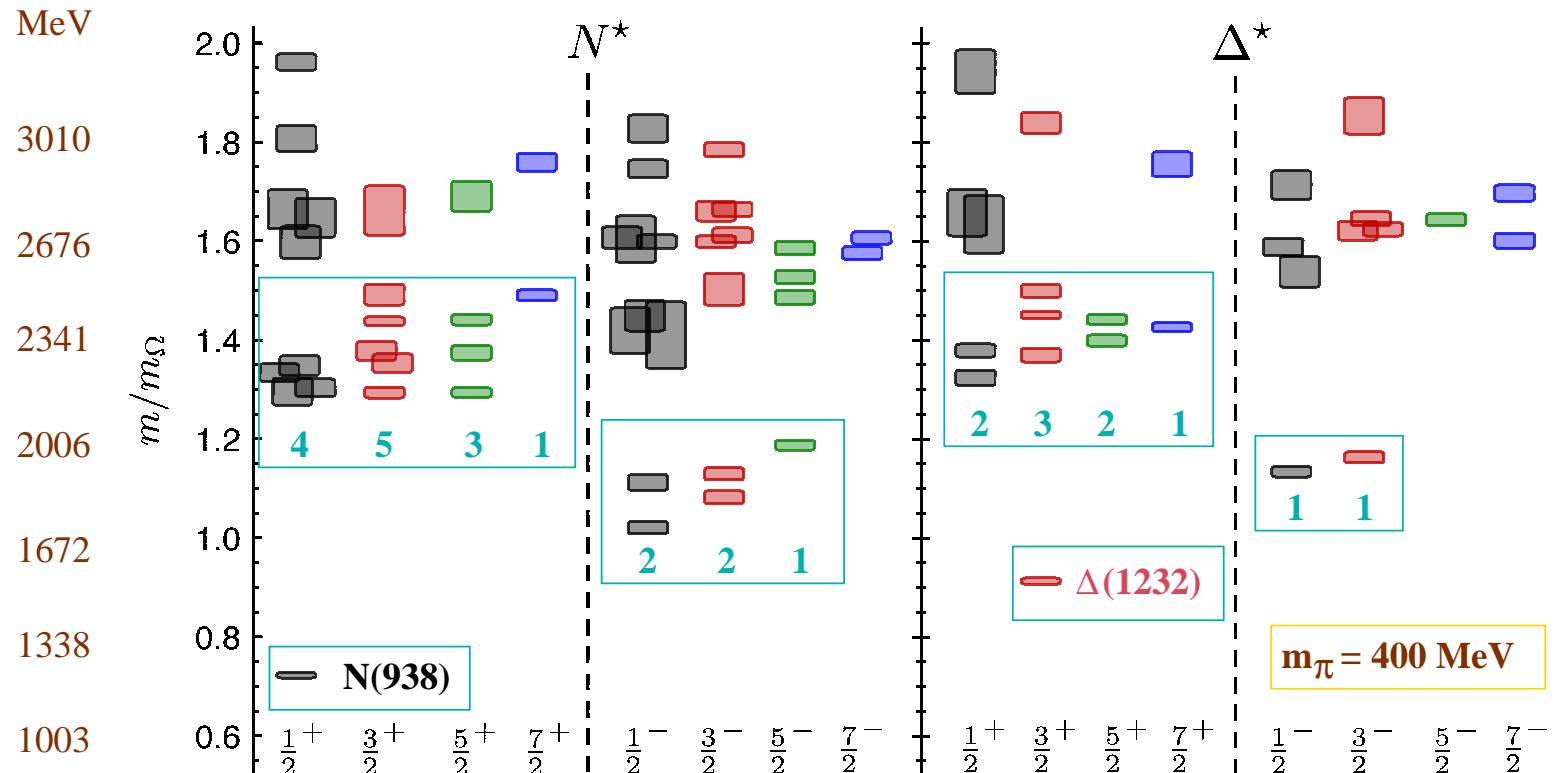
U. Loering, B. Metsch, H. Petry et al.

Constituent quarks
confinement potential
+ residual interaction

non-strange N* -resonances

↔ wrong degrees of freedom ?

Excited baryons from Lattice QCD



R.Edwards et al.,
arXiv:1104.5152 [hep-ph]

Exhibits the broad features expected from $SU(6) \otimes O(3)$ -symmetry

→ Counting of levels consistent with non-rel. quark model

→ no parity doubling

Of course there are also approximations made by lattice QCD (e.g. $m_\pi=400$ MeV)

Baryons may also be: $N^* = \alpha \cdot |qqq\rangle + \beta \cdot |\text{Baryon Meson}\rangle + \dots$

↔ some resonances can be dynamically generated ($\Lambda(1405)$, ...)

Baryon spectroscopy

Symmetric quark models:

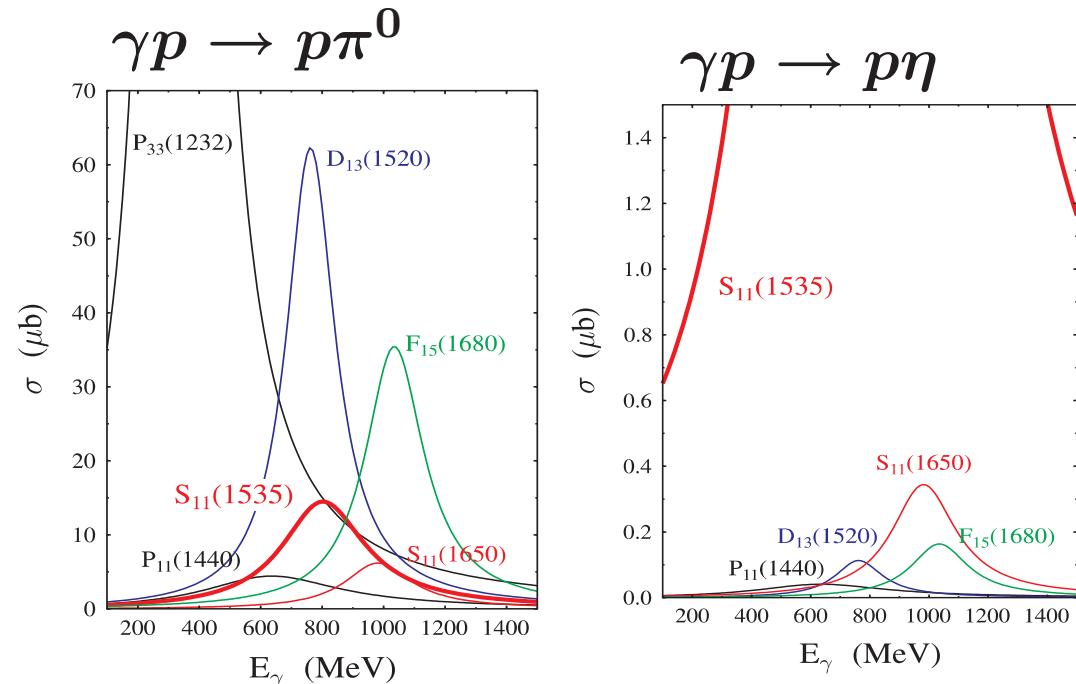
- many more resonances expected than observed yet
 - certain configurations completely missing !
- Certain configurations not realised by strong QCD ? Why ?
- Experimentally not found yet (resonances might decouple from πN)
 - ↔ Photoprod. experiments e.g. $\gamma p \rightarrow N\eta, N\eta', N\omega, \Delta\pi, N\rho, \Delta\eta, \dots$
 - (give access to the inelastic channels: black box in $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ -analyses)

Experimentally:

Broad strongly overlapping resonances

Important:

- Measurement of polarisation observables (unambiguous PWA)
- Investigation of different final states (multi-channel partial wave analysis)



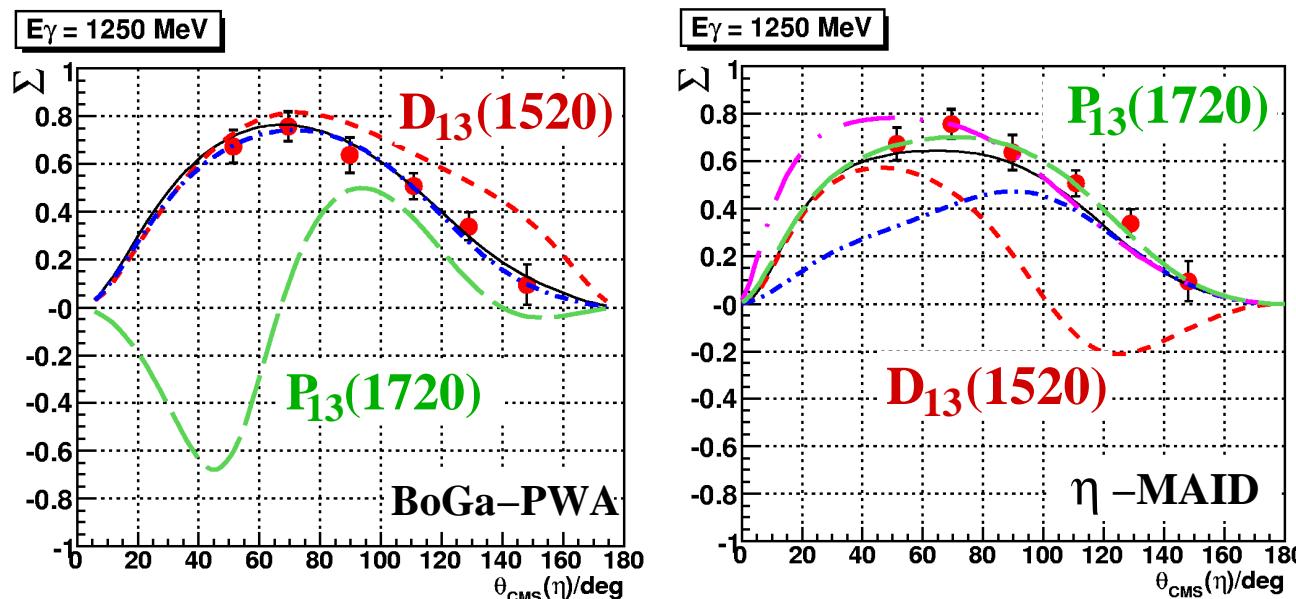
Measurement of polarisation observables

Example : $\gamma p \rightarrow pM$ (M: pseudoscalar meson):

8 well chosen observables need to be measured to determine the contributing amplitudes = basis for an unambiguous PWA

Problem otherwise: e.g. for $\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$:

Two different PWA-solutions: both describing $d\sigma/d\Omega$ and Σ nicely, but:



- quite different resonance contributions ...
- solution not unambiguous
- ⇒ further polarisation observables needed !

CBELSA/TAPS:

D.Elsner et al., EPJ. A33 (2), 147 (2007)

Measurement of polarisation observables

Complete experiment: Measurement of **8** well chosen observables
(e.g. $\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$)

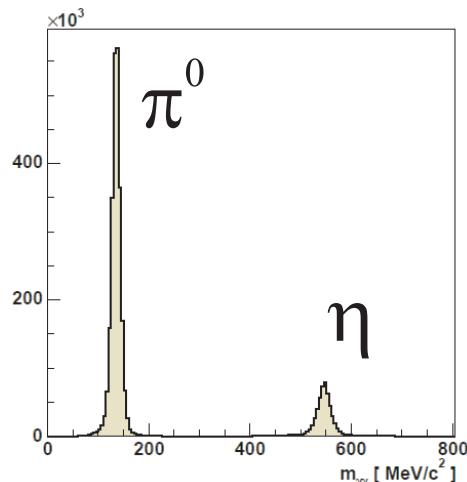
Photon		Target			Recoil			Target–Recoil			
		x	y	z	x'	y'	z'	x'	x'	z'	z'
unpolarized	σ	0	T	0	0	P	0	$T_{x'}$	$-L_{x'}$	$T_{z'}$	$L_{z'}$
linear	$-\Sigma$	H	$(-P)$	$-G$	$O_{x'}$	$(-T)$	$O_{z'}$	$(-L_{z'})$	$(T_{z'})$	$(-L_{x'})$	$(-T_{x'})$
circularly	0	F	0	$-E$	$C_{x'}$	0	$C_{z'}$	0	0	0	0

At ELSA : Double polarisation experiments with polarised beam and polarised target

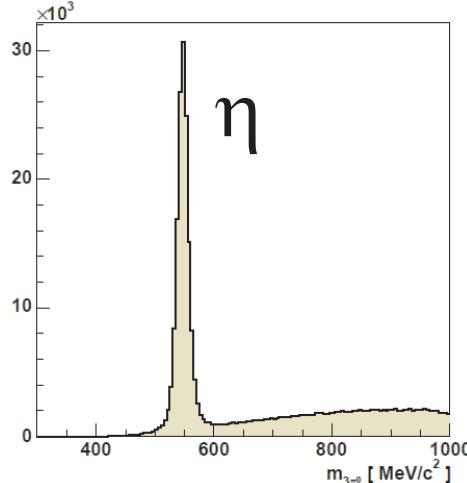
... but first some other results:

CBELSA/TAPS: η - Photoproduction off the proton

$\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

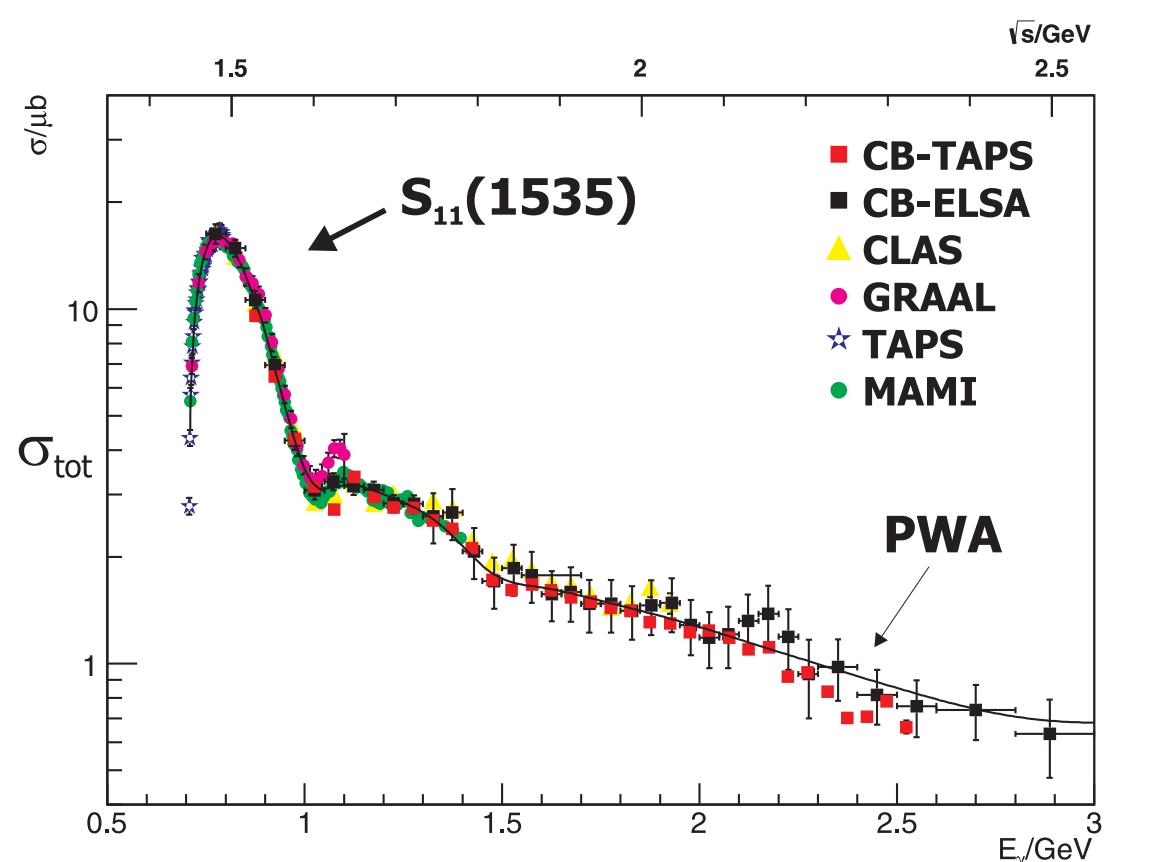


$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0$



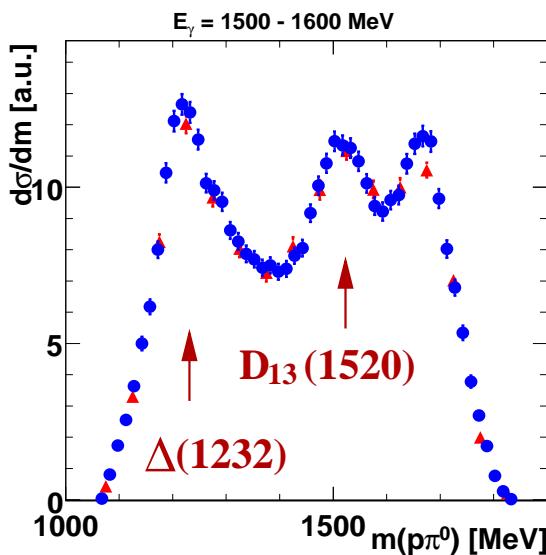
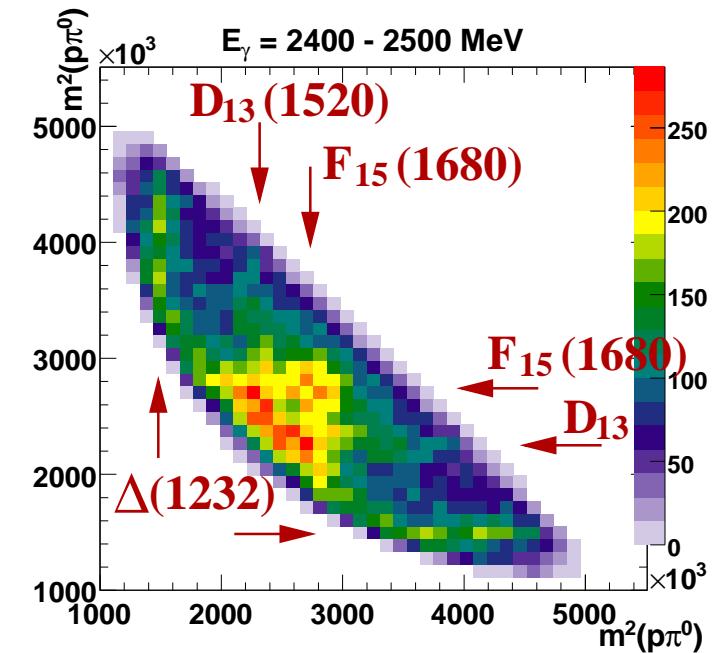
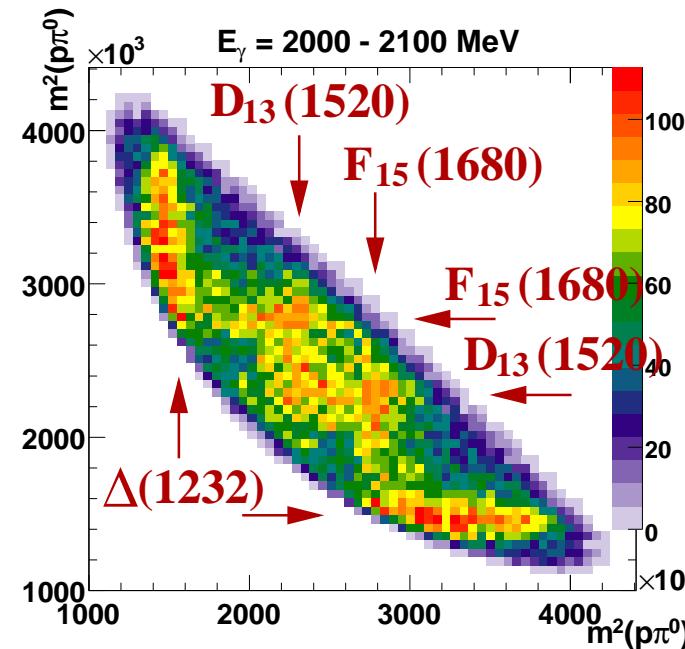
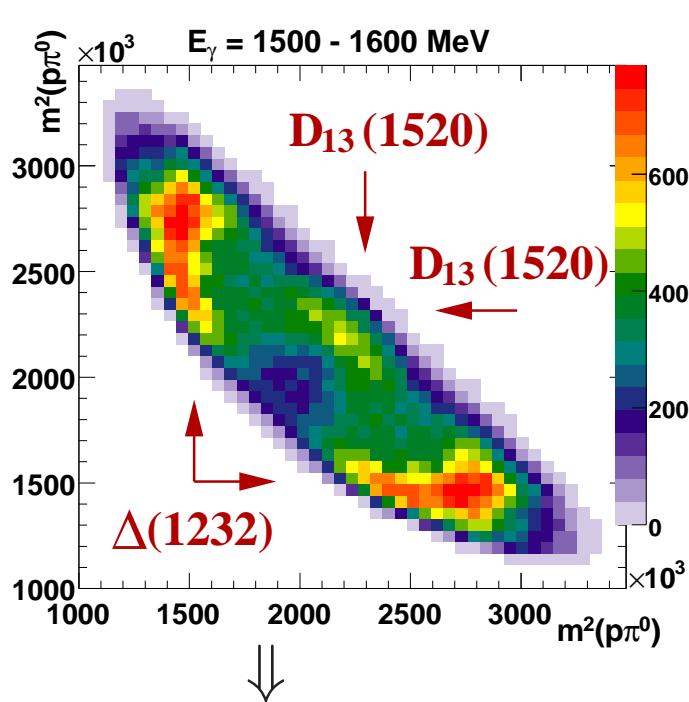
$d\sigma / d\Omega$

PWA

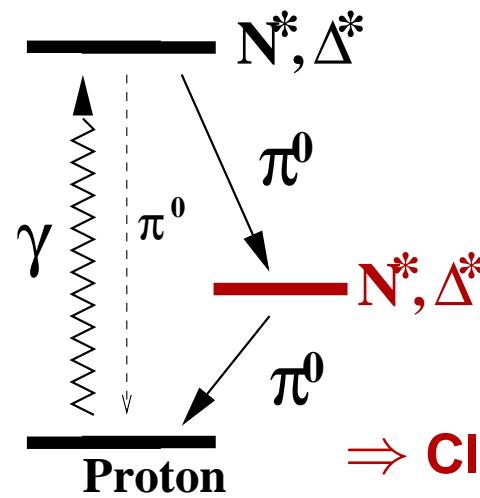


$S_{11}(1535), D_{13}(1520), S_{11}(1650), F_{15}(1680), P_{13}(1720),$
 $D_{13}(2080) + \dots + \rho$ -, ω -t-channel exchange
+ new D_{15} : $m = 2068 \pm 22$ MeV,
 $\Gamma = 295 \pm 40$ MeV
 (needed: confirmation in polarisation exp.)

CBELSA/TAPS: $\gamma p \rightarrow p\pi^0\pi^0$ (V.Sokhoyan, Bonn)



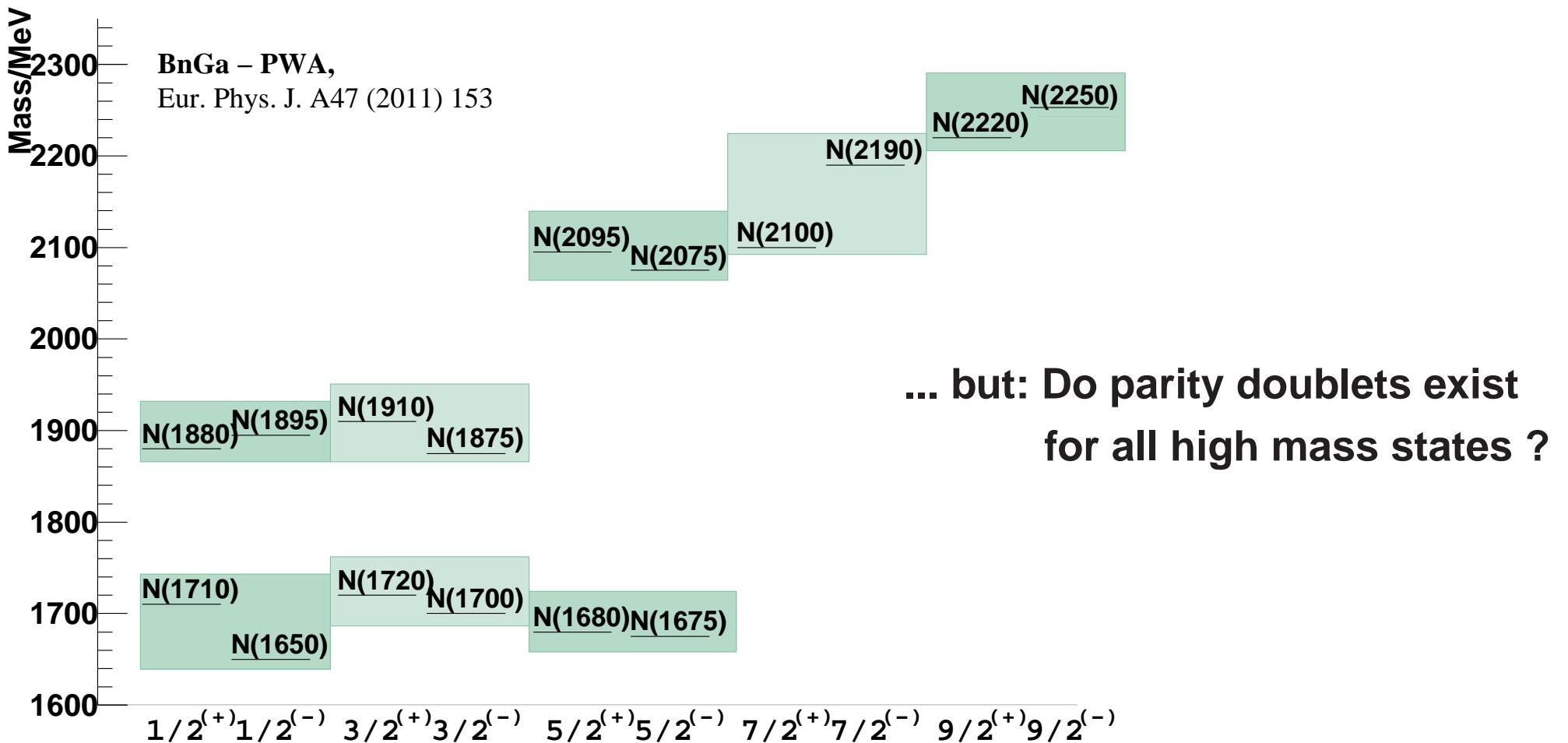
CB-ELSA data
CBELSA/TAPS data



\Rightarrow **Clear observation of baryon cascades !**

Partial Wave Analysis - results

Parity doublets occur:



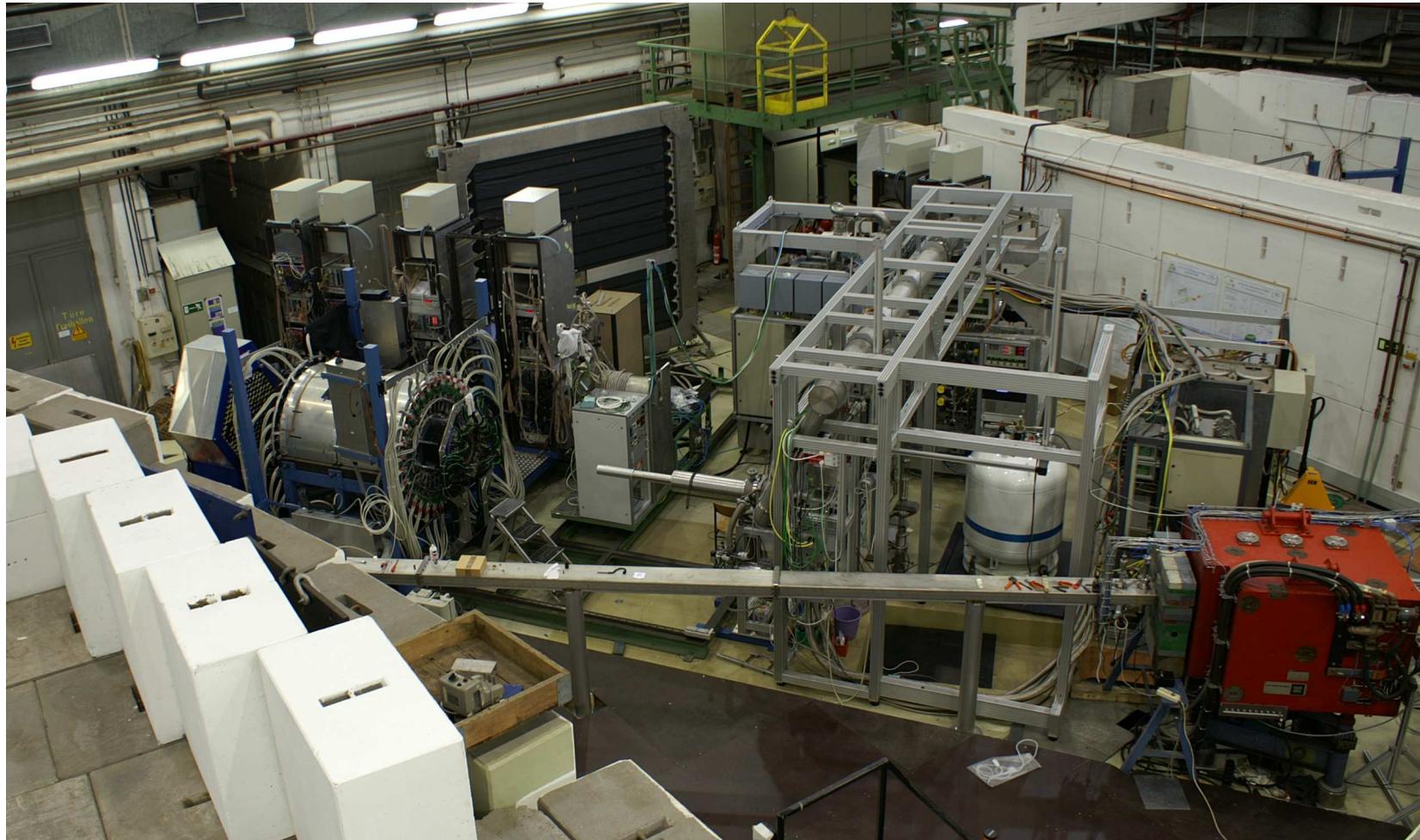
Not expected by:

- present lattice QCD calculations or constituent quark-models

New data taken with polarised target

Double polarisation program at: JLAB, ELSA, MAMI

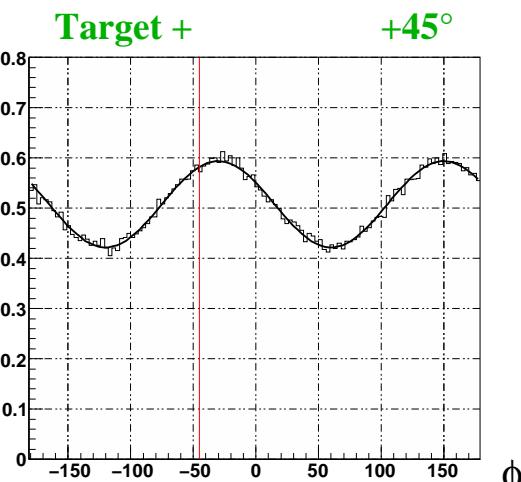
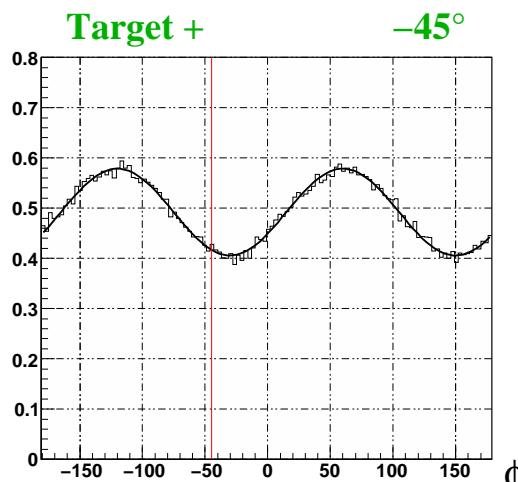
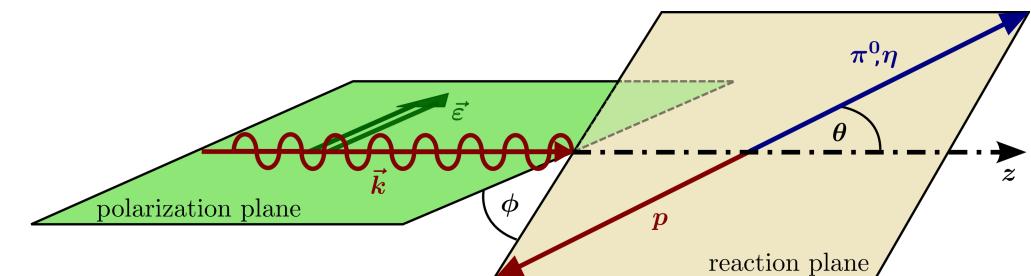
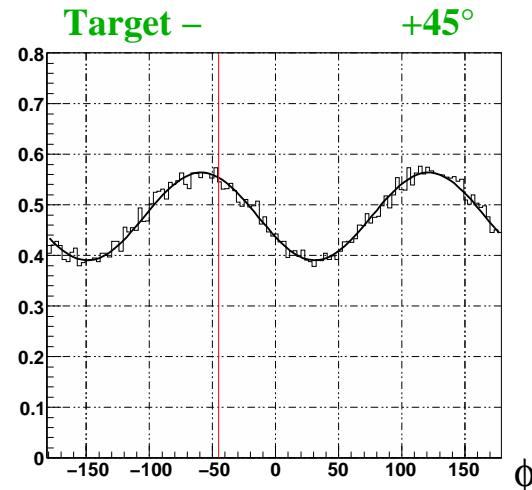
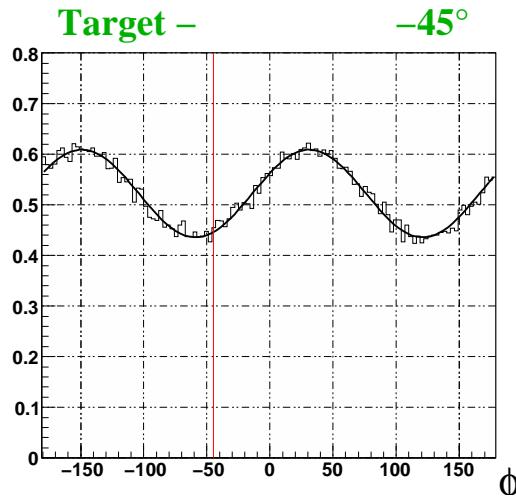
ELSA



an important step forward towards a complete experiment

Linearly polarised photons, longitudinally polarised target

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}(\Phi) = \frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega_0} \cdot \left(1 - P_\gamma^{\text{lin}} \Sigma \cos(2\phi) + P_\gamma^{\text{lin}} P_z G \sin(2\phi) \right)$$

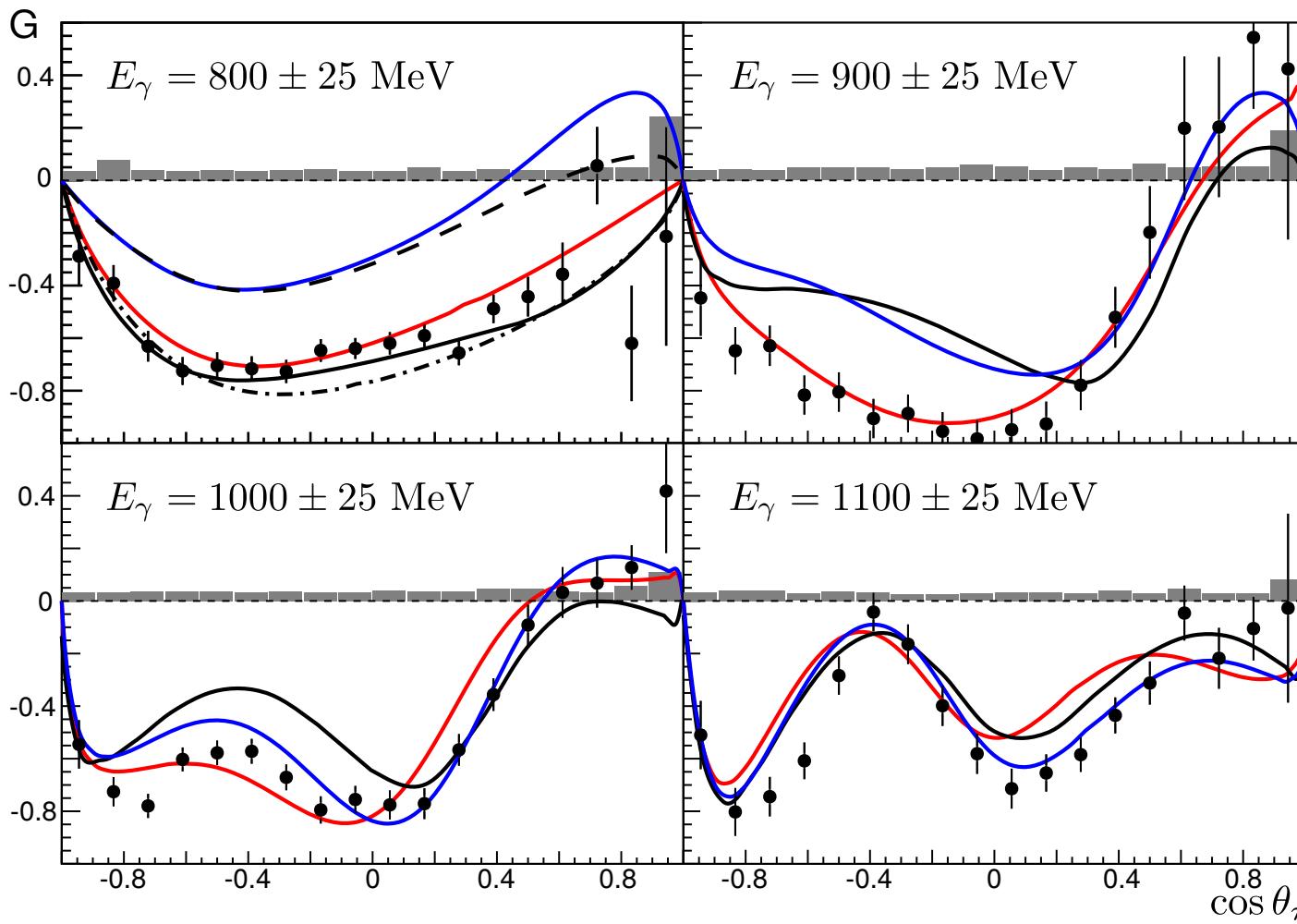


($E_\gamma = 750-1200$ MeV)

⇒ Clear effect
from G observed

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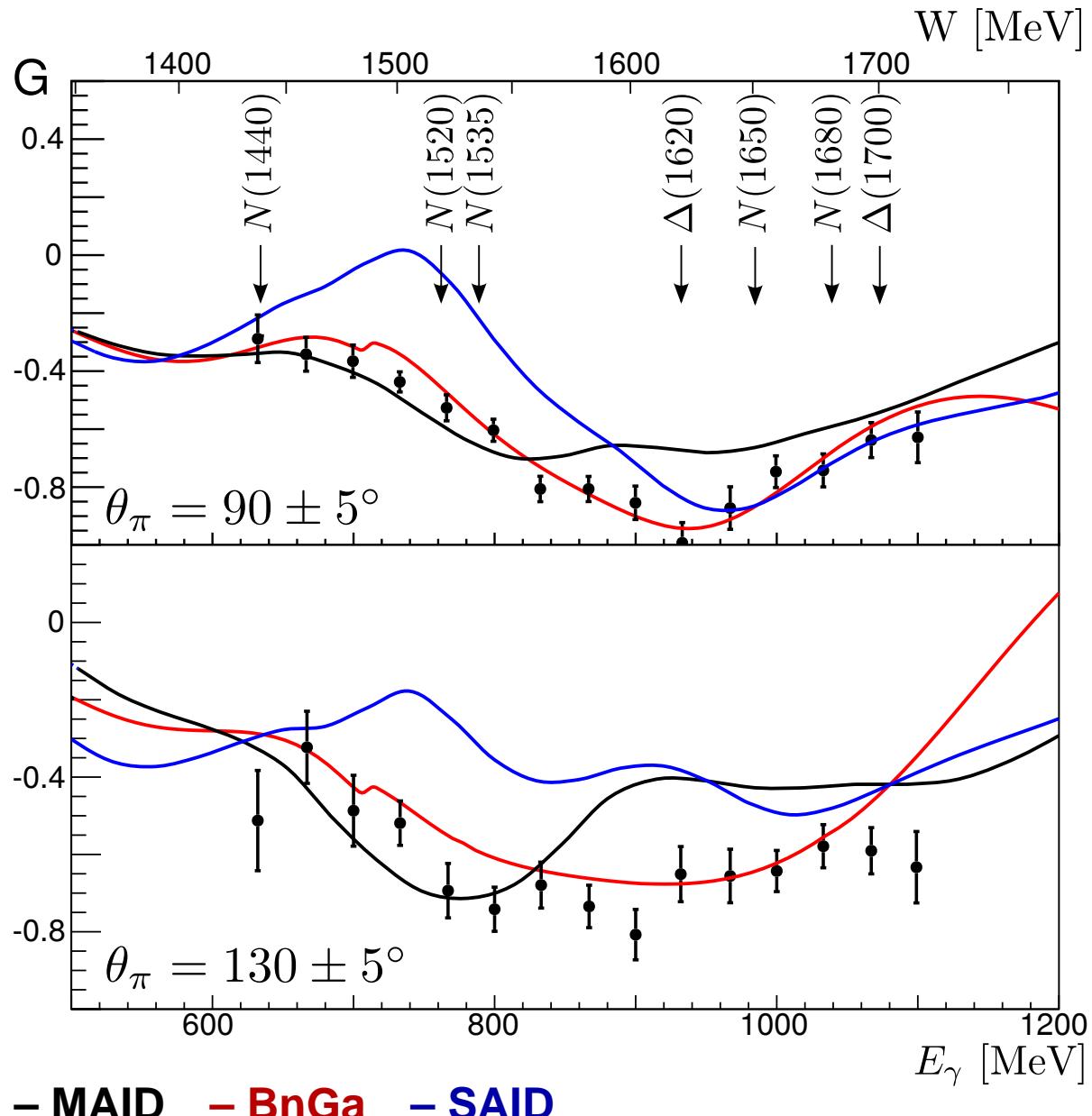
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– MAID – BnGa – SAID

already in the second resonance region:
significant differences !

related to the E_{0+} , E_{2-} -multipoles
 $\leftrightarrow 1/2^-$, $3/2^-$ -partial waves



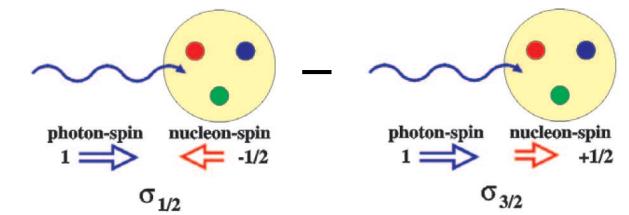
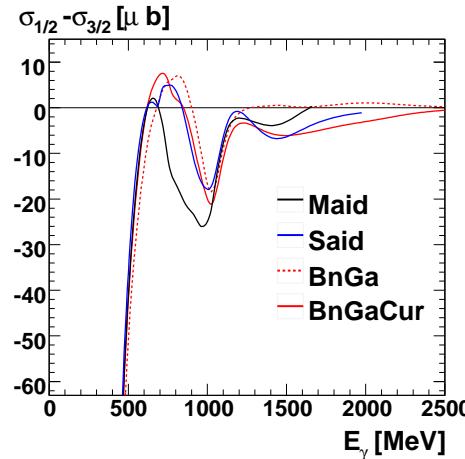
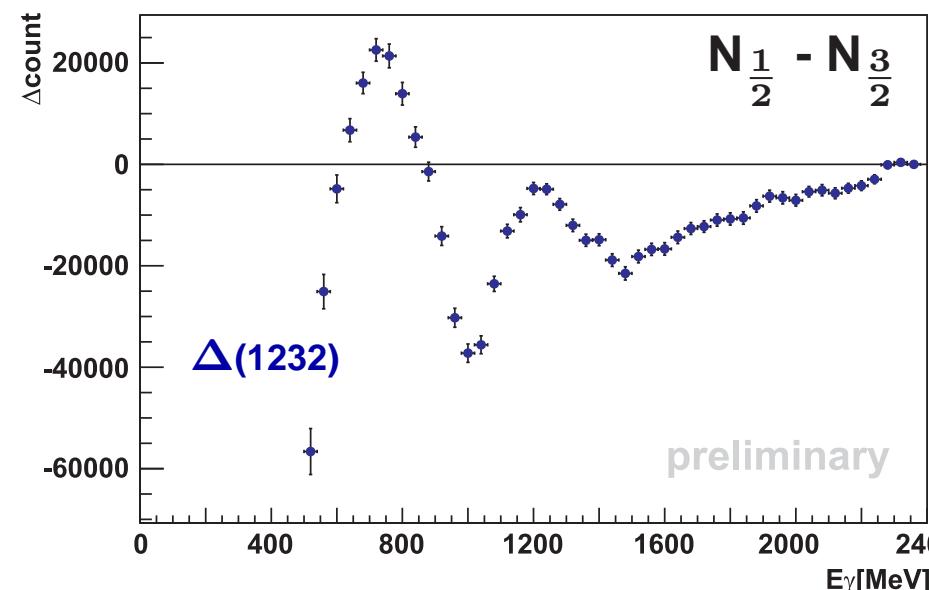
**Linearly polarised photons,
longitudinally polarised target**

already at low
energies:
significant differences !

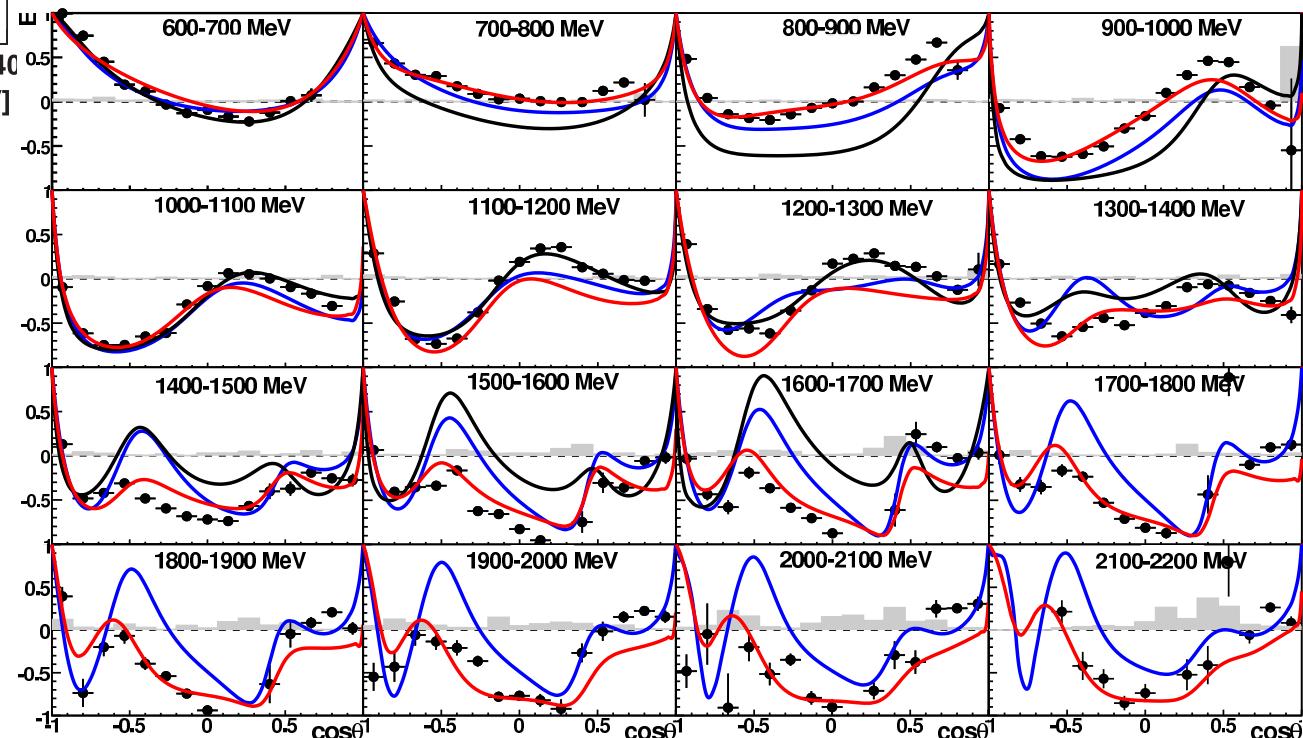
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$$E = \frac{\sigma_{1/2} - \sigma_{3/2}}{\sigma_{1/2} + \sigma_{3/2}}$$



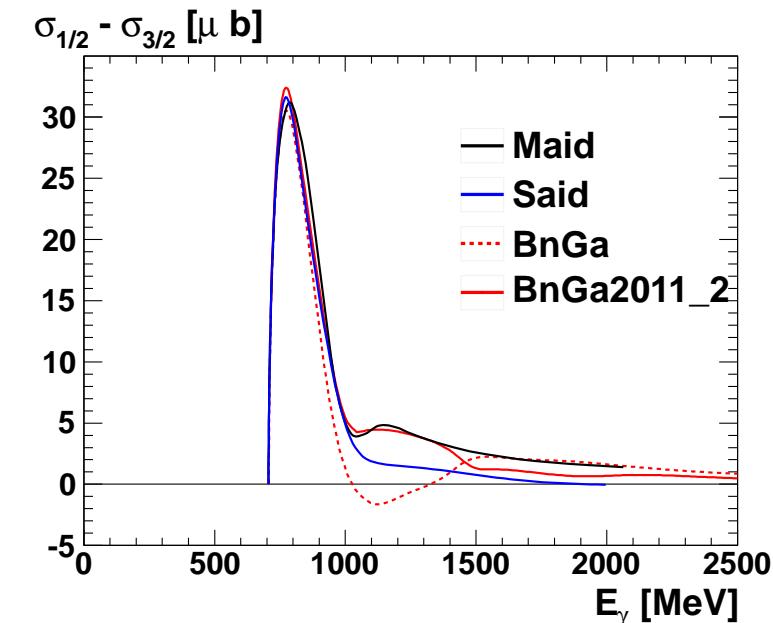
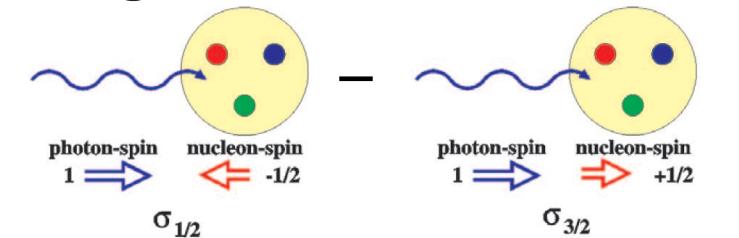
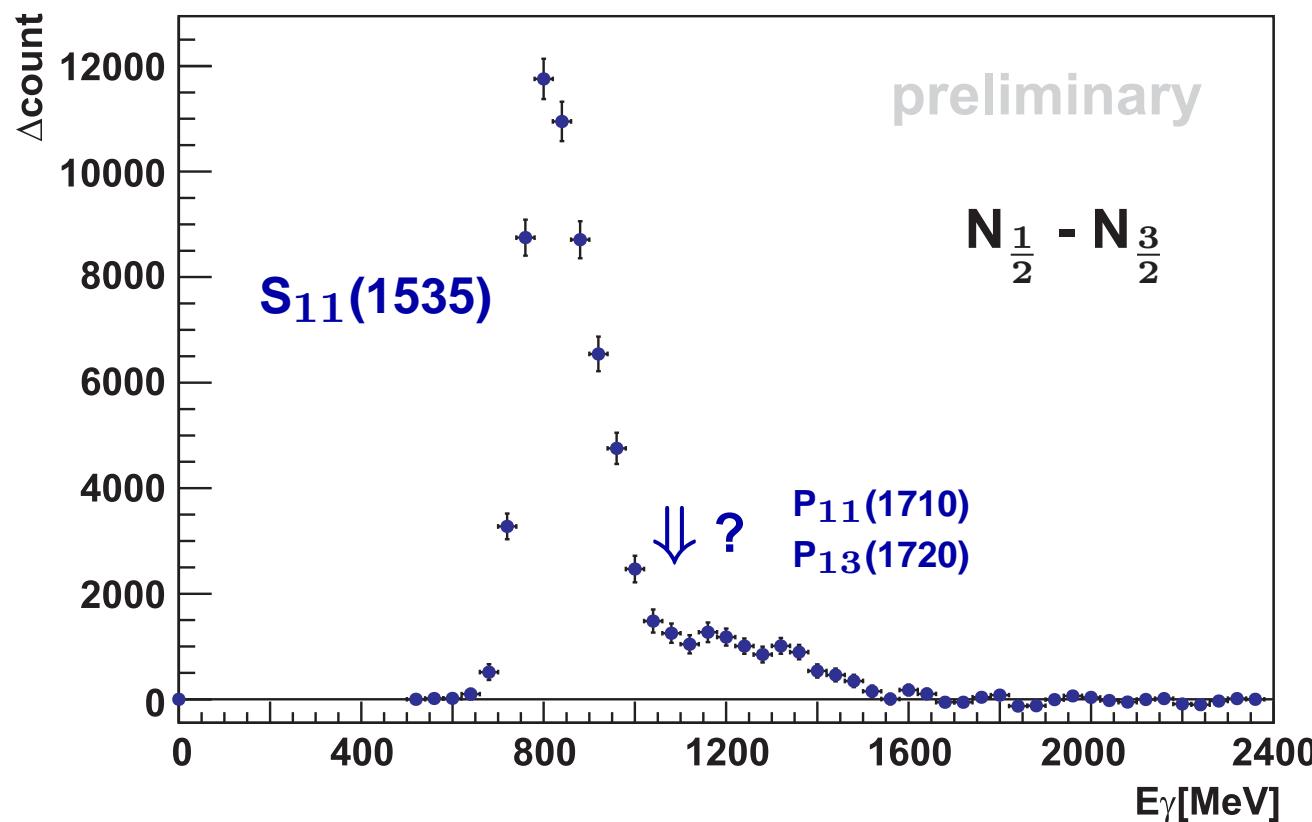
Different PWAs :

- deviations already at lower E_γ
- quite unsatisfactory at higher energies

⇒ New and important information

Circularly polarised photons, longitudinally polarised target

Count rate differences plotted:



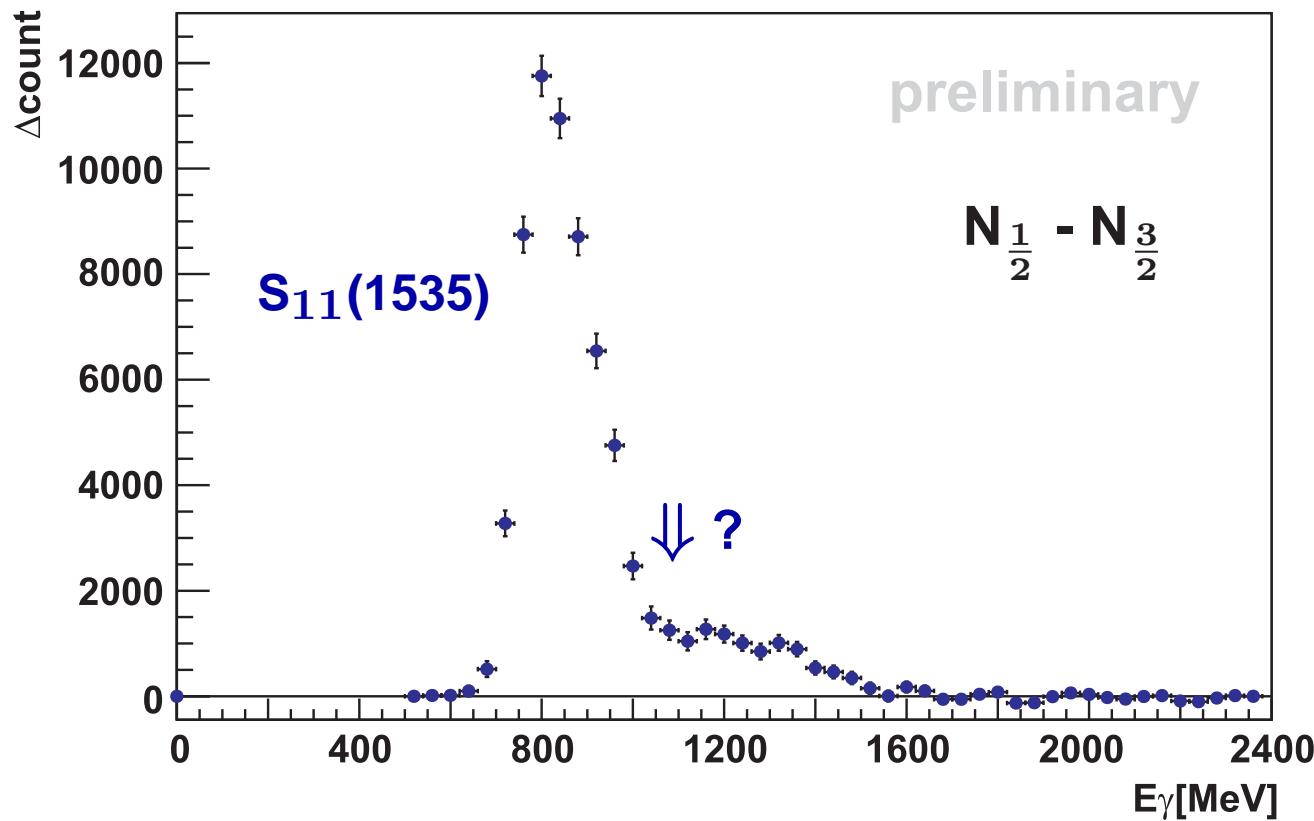
Clear asymmetries observed !

~ complete angular coverage

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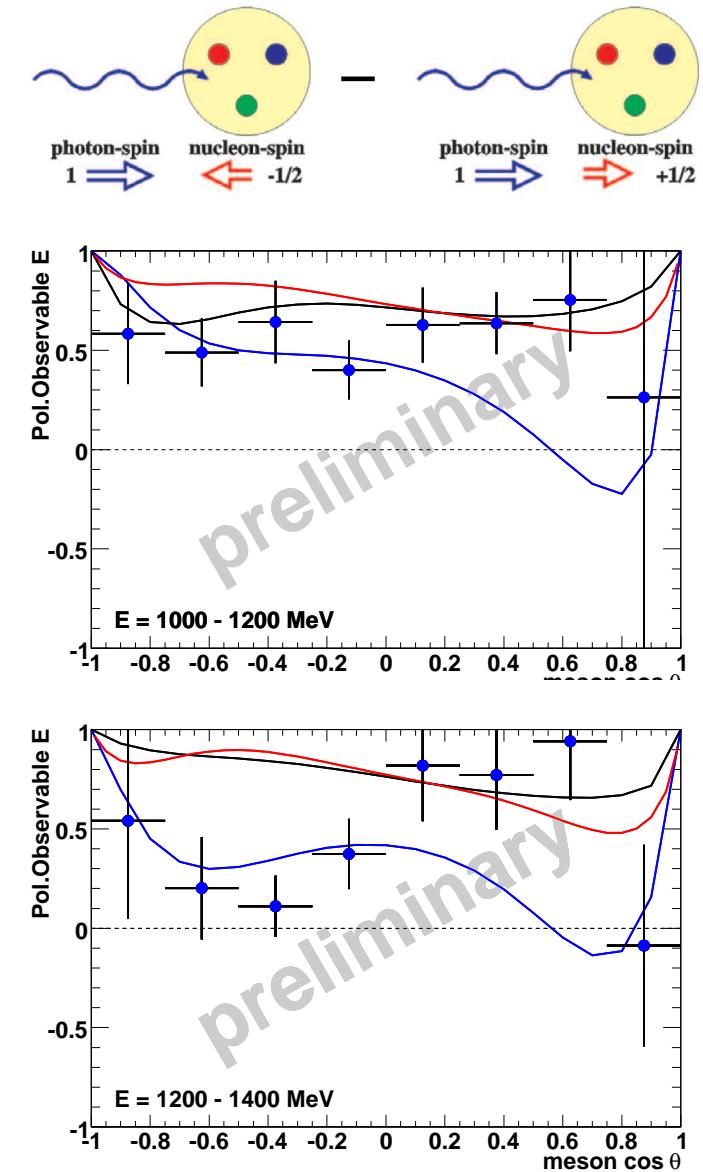
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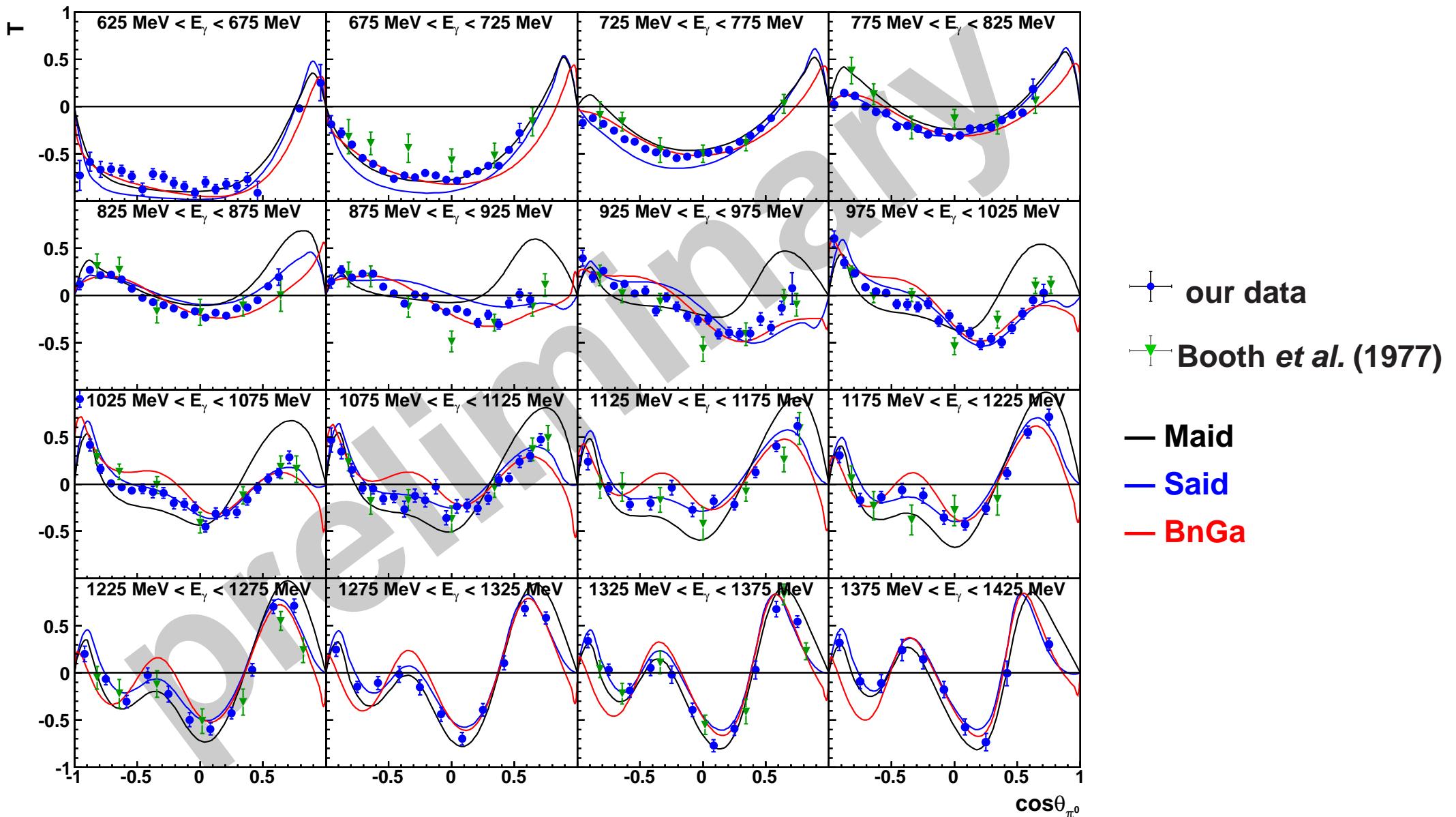
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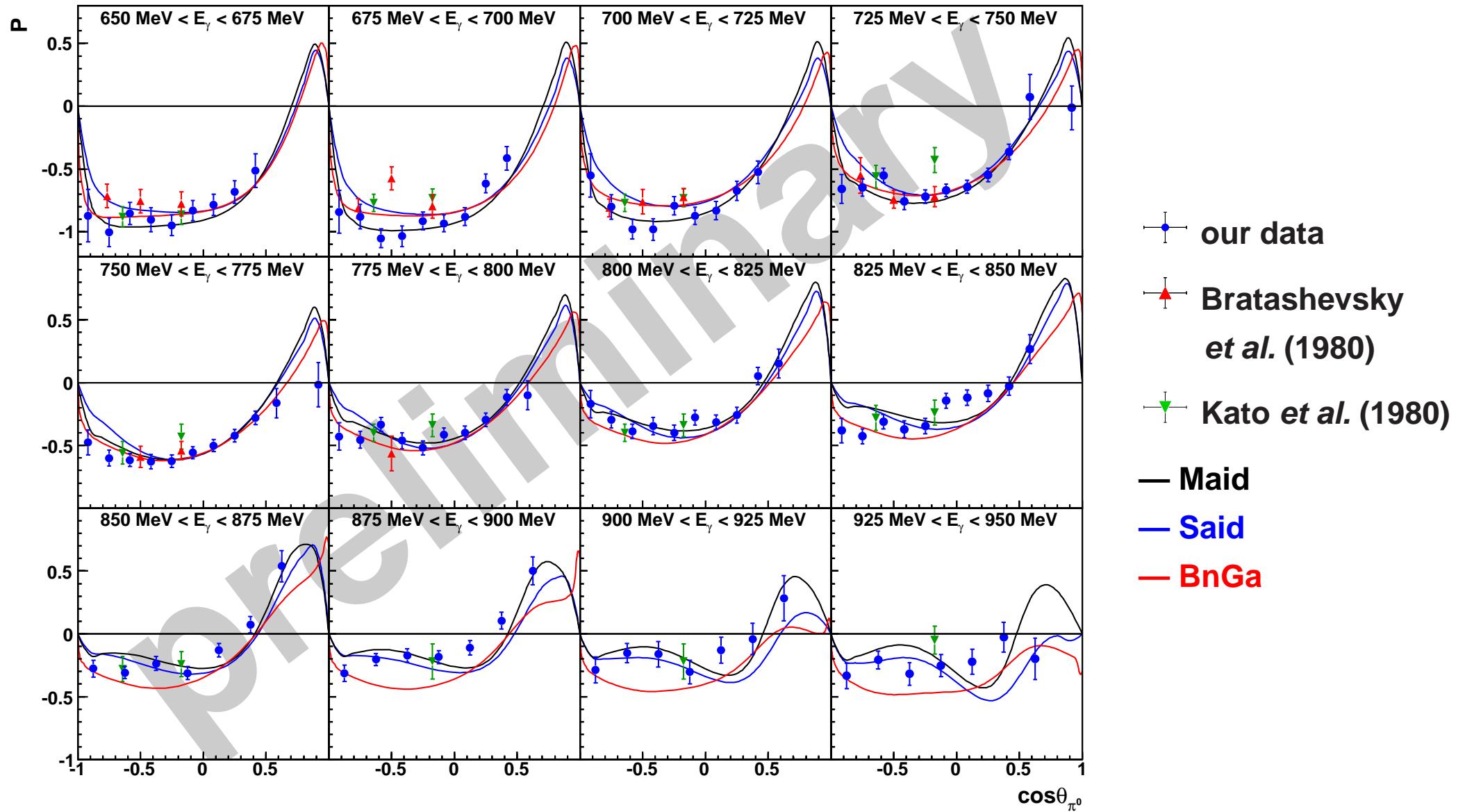
Transversally polarised target



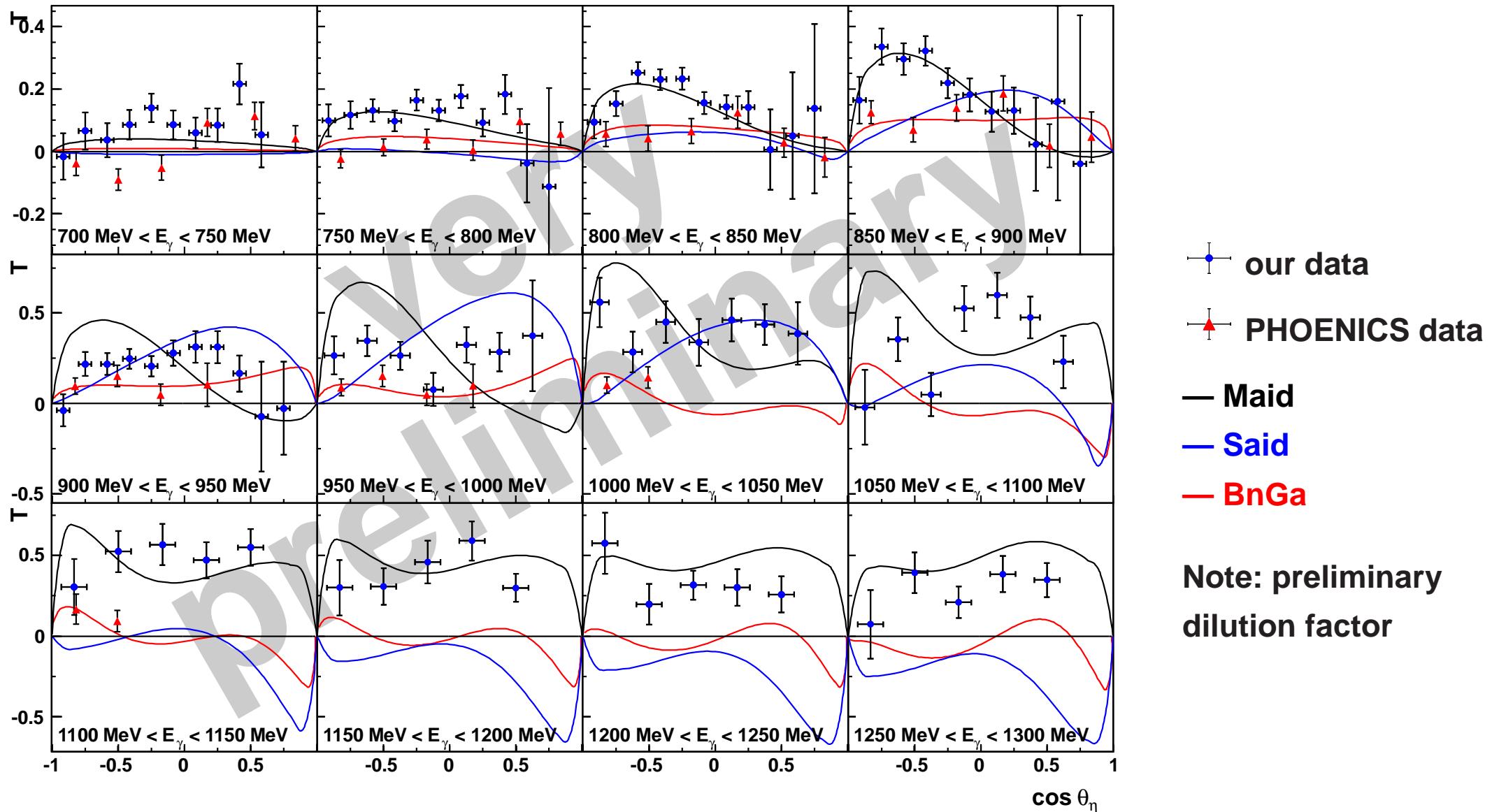
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Linearly pol. photons, transversally polarised target

⇒ Measurement of the recoil polarisation



Transversally polarised target



Strong deviations between PWAs and pol. obs. also for P and H

η - Photoproduction off the neutron

(I.Jaegle, Basel)

↔ Use kinematics to calculate neutron momentum:

$n\eta$ -invariant mass can be calculated
(no Fermi-motion)

phenomenological fit of total cross section
data (Breit-Wigner-resonances only)

Narrow structure: mass ≈ 1670 MeV,
width ≤ 50 MeV

- role of the $D_{15}(1675)$?, narrow $P_{11}(1670)$?
- explainable by S_{11} -states + $P_{11}(1710)$?
- interference of $S_{11}(1535)/S_{11}(1650)$ + background ?

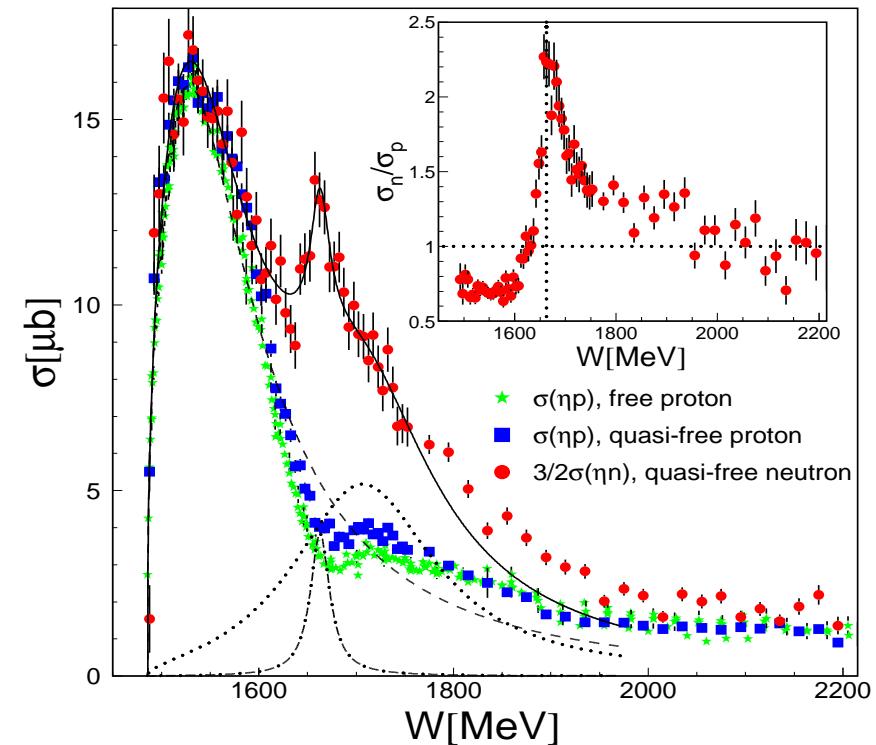
Challenge for the PWA

↔ conventional interpretation possible
or narrow state needed ?

For a final interpretation:

Additional information needed ↔ polarisation observables

⇒ interpretation of the origin of the observed structure



also observed by GRAAL,
Tohoku-LNS, MAMI-C

First double polarisation data (E) presently analysed (↔ quantum numbers)

Summary

- Our experimental knowledge of the spectrum and the properties of baryons is steadily increasing !
 - ↔ Important contributions from photo-(electro-) production experiments (single and double polarisation experiments)
 - allow in contrast to $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ the measurement of inelastic channels !

Experiment: - no alternating pattern of positive and negative parity states

- parity doublets observed (not for all states (?))
- Baryons fall on Regge-trajectories, Why ?

⇒ Quark models/first lattice calculations do not provide the expected systematics in the spectrum

- some states can be generated dynamically from their decays

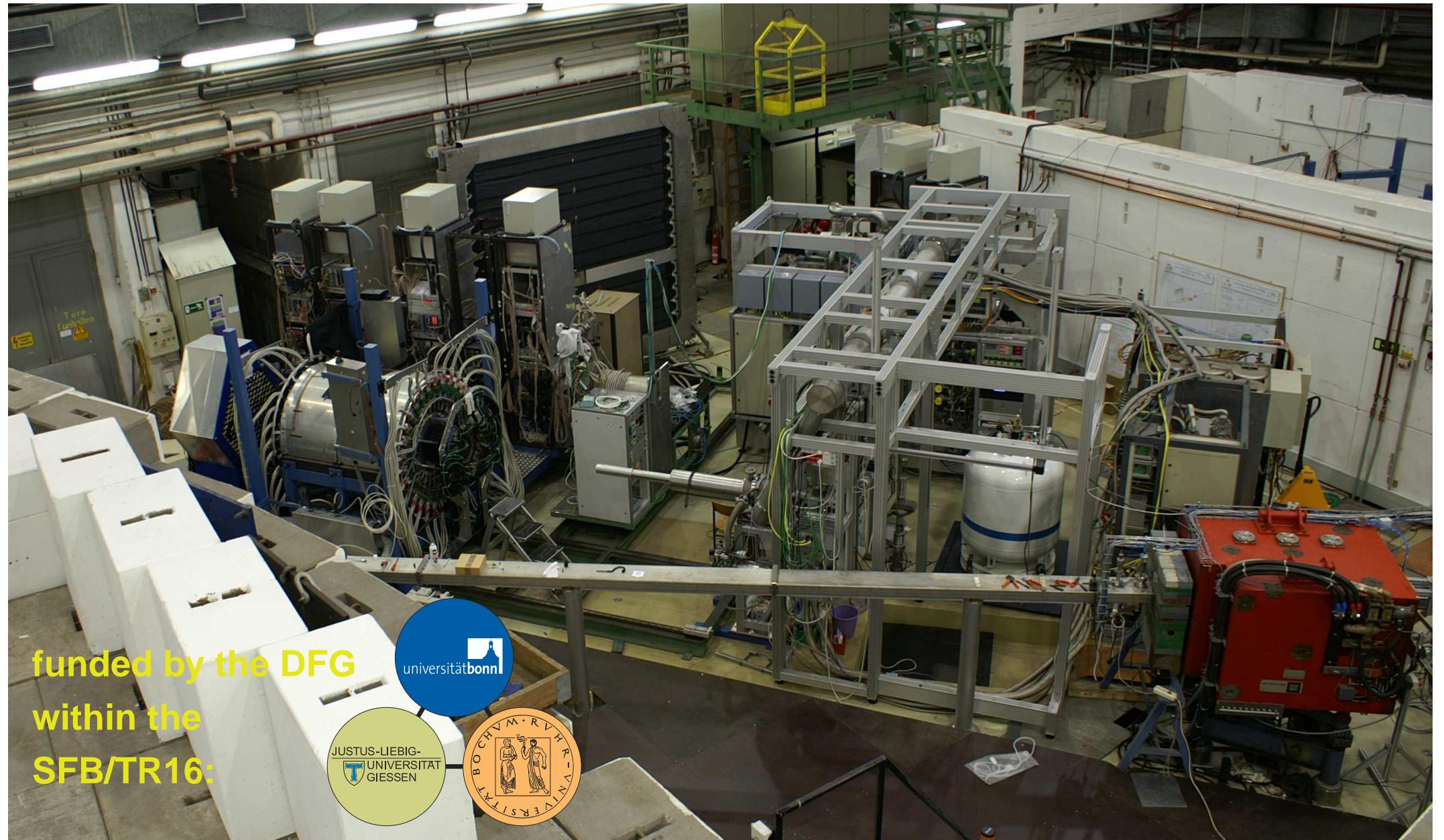
narrow structure in η -photoproduction off the neutron observed

New experimental information from the double polarisation experiments

⇒ provide a more complete picture of the baryon spectrum !

= Detailed testing ground for models (e.g. dynamically generated resonances) and lattice QCD.

Thank you for your attention!



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