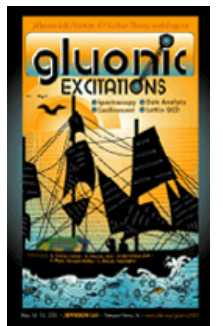


# *Non Exotic Hybrids*

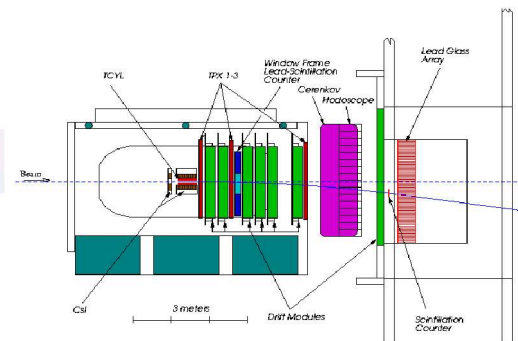
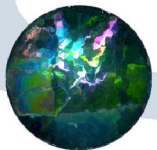
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# Overview



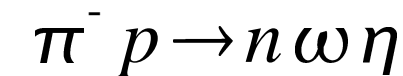
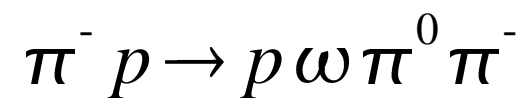
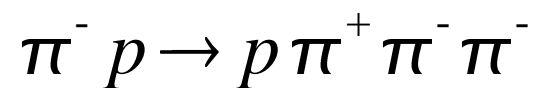
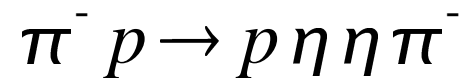
## BNL-E852 Results\*

$\pi$  (1800)

$\pi_2$  (1900)

$a_1$  (2000)

$h_1$  (1595)



18 GeV/c  $\pi^-$  beam



$\pi(1800)$

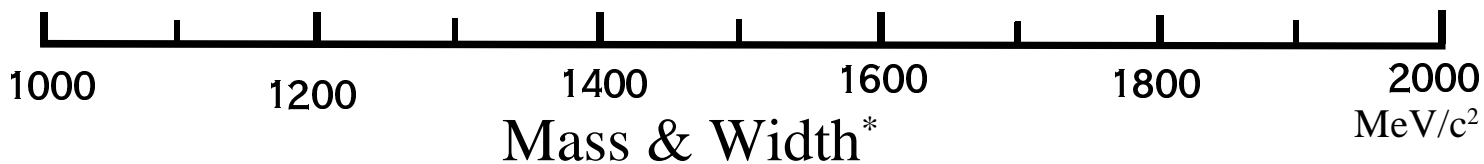
Rather narrow for 2<sup>nd</sup> excitation of  $\pi$

Does not decay to  $\rho\pi$  &  $K^*K$

1<sup>st</sup> radial excitation of the  $\pi$

$\pi(1300)$

$\pi(1800)$

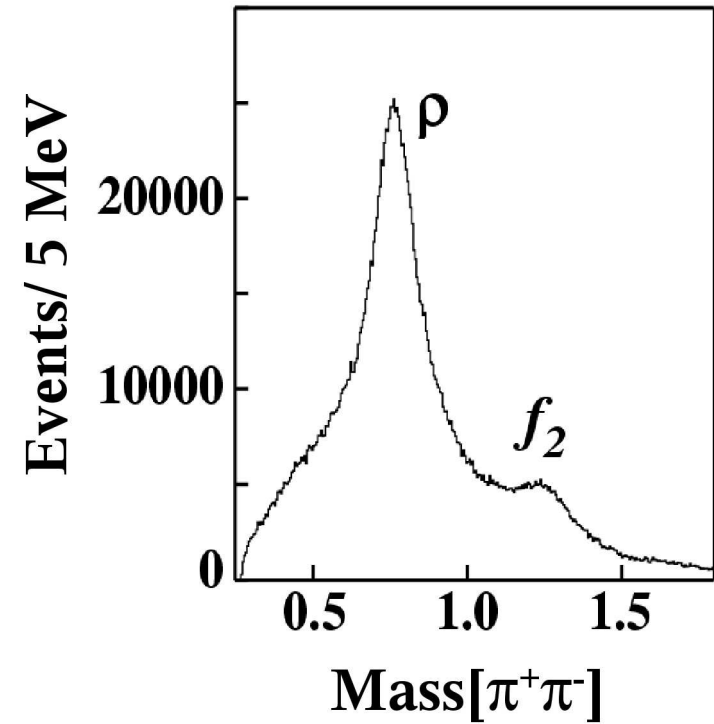
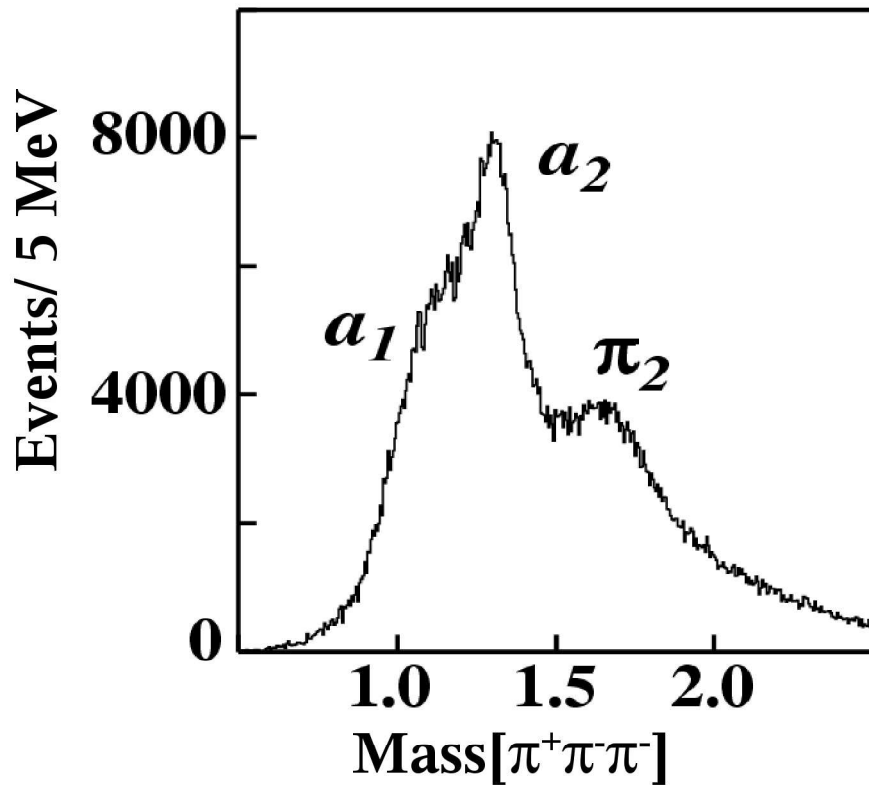
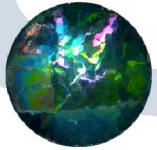


\*PDG mass and width values

**Many<sup>†</sup> have suggested that the  $\pi(1800)$  is a  $0^+$  hybrid meson**

<sup>†</sup>See for example T. Barnes, F. E. Close, P. R. Page, & E. S. Swanson Phys. Rev. D55 4157 (1997)

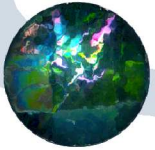
$$\pi(1800) \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \pi^{-} \pi^{-}$$



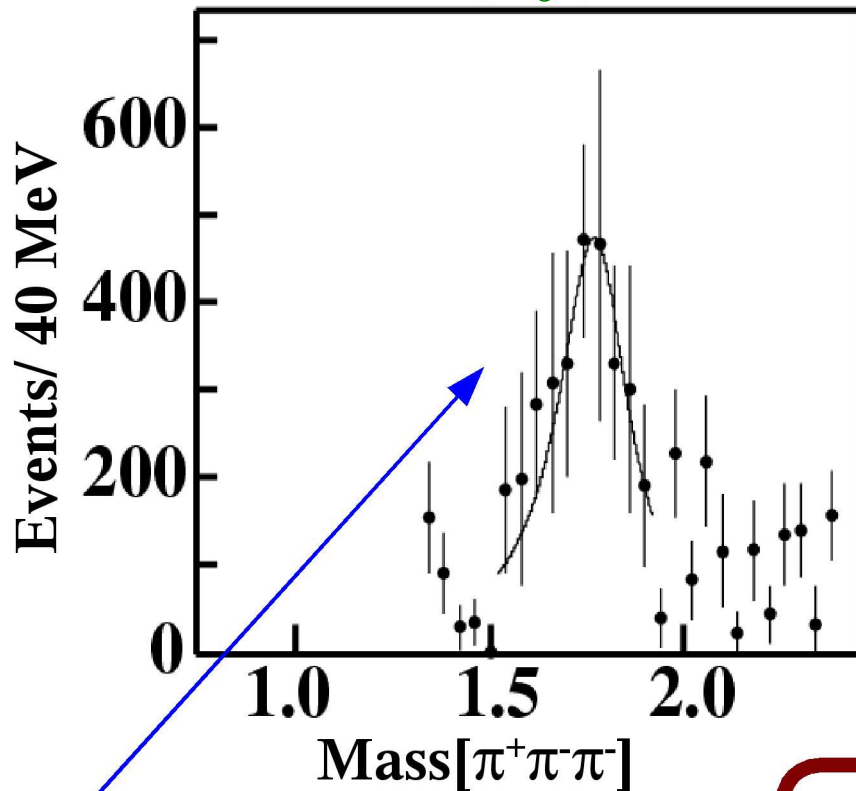
$$\pi(1800) \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \pi^{-} \pi^{-}$$

$$M = 1863 \pm 9 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = 191 \pm 21 \pm 20 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$



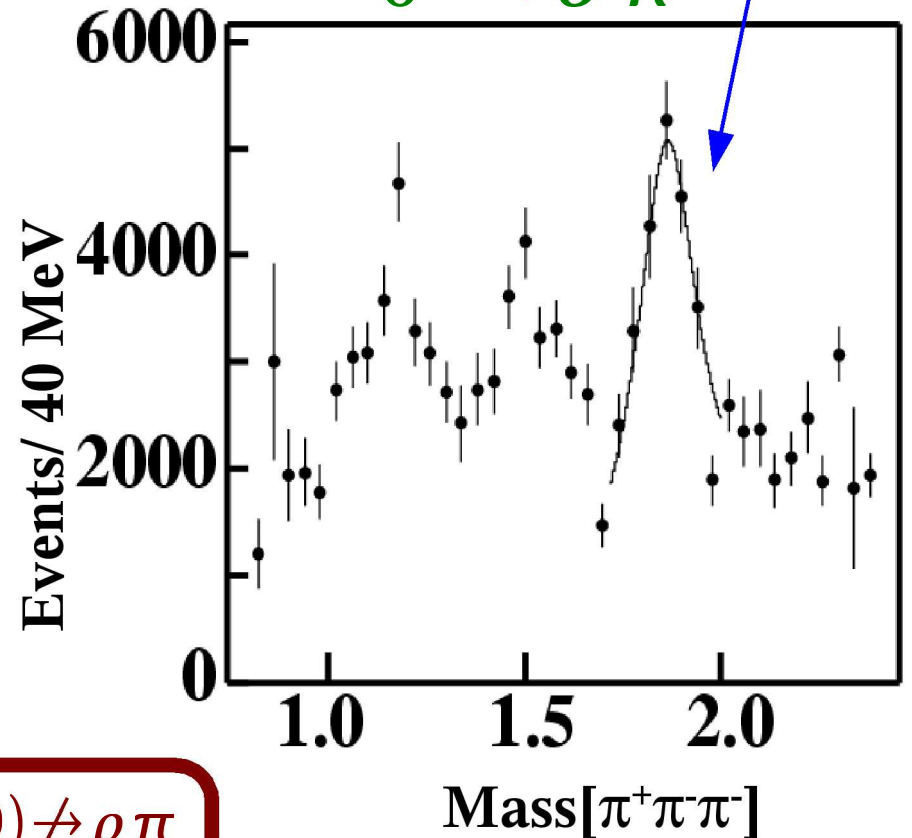
$$0^{-\pm} \rightarrow f_0(980) \pi$$



$$M = 1774 \pm 18 \pm 20 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = 223 \pm 48 \pm 50 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

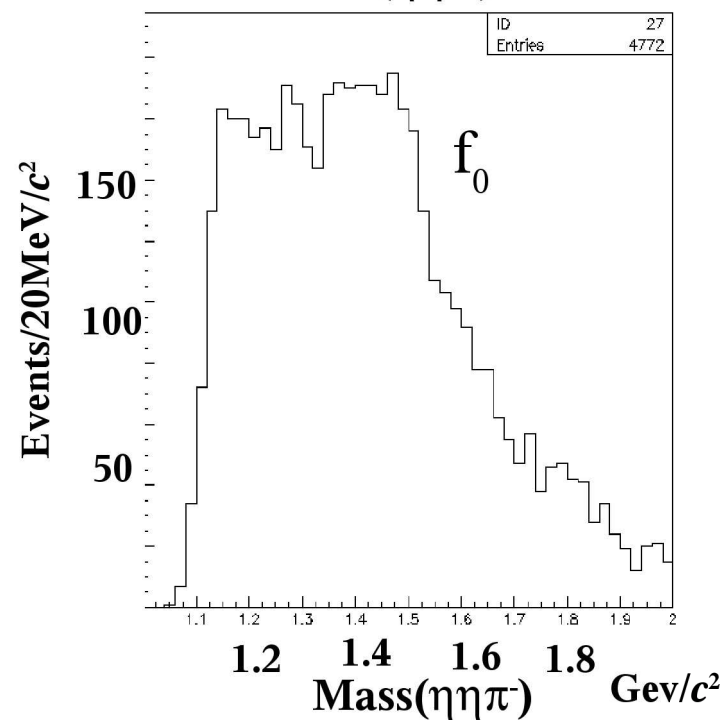
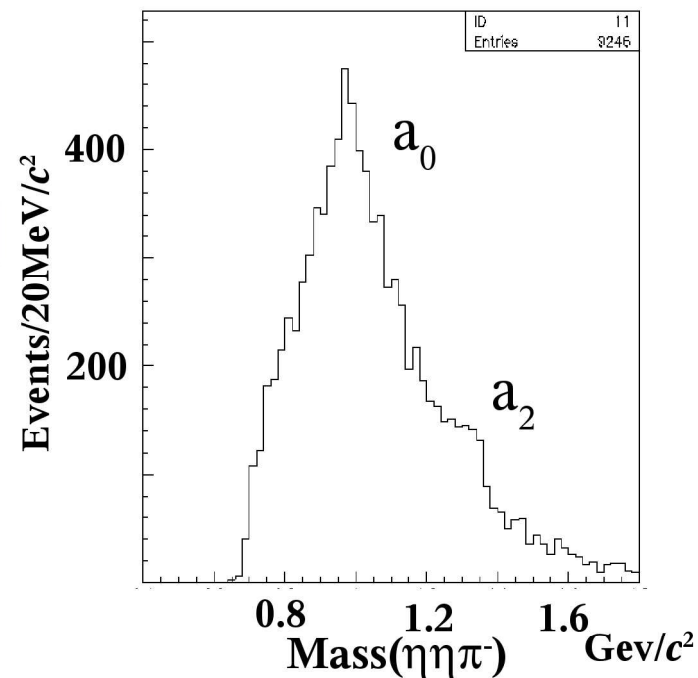
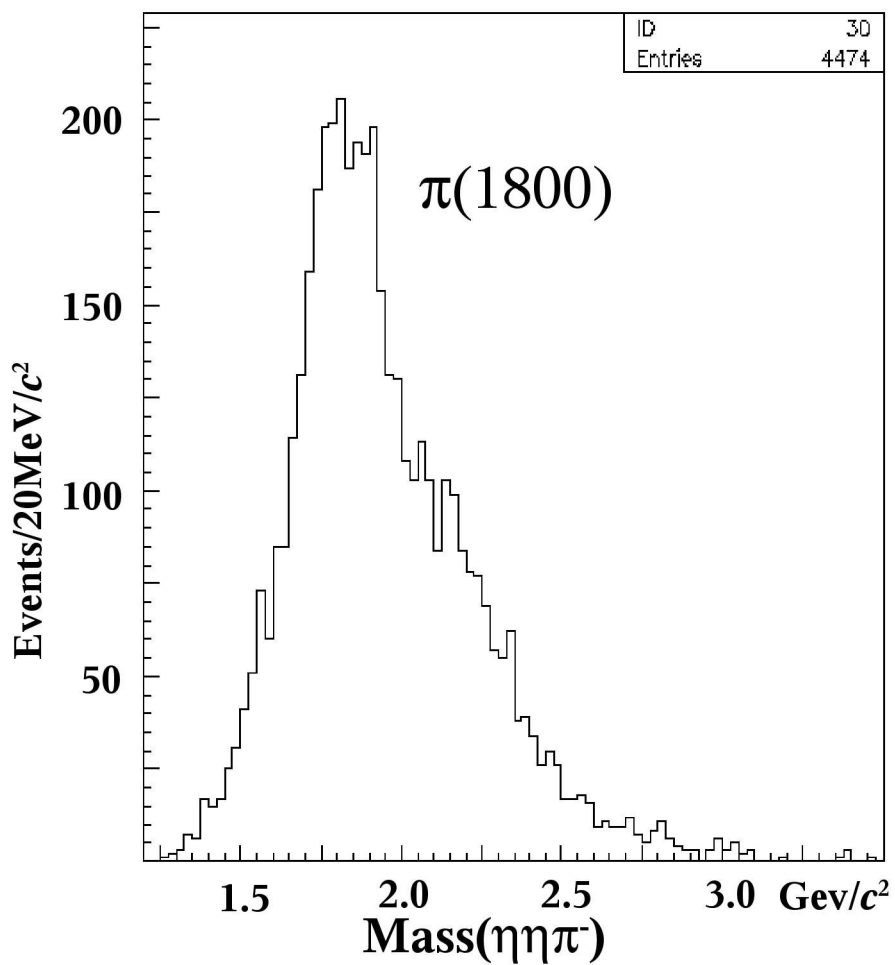
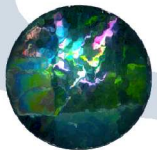
$$0^{-\pm} \rightarrow \sigma \pi$$



$$\pi(1800) \not\rightarrow \rho \pi$$

$$\frac{BR[\pi(1800) \rightarrow f_0(980) \pi, f_0 \rightarrow \pi \pi]}{BR[\pi(1800) \rightarrow \sigma \pi, \sigma \rightarrow \pi \pi]} = 0.44 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.38$$

$$\pi(1800) \rightarrow \eta\eta\pi^-$$

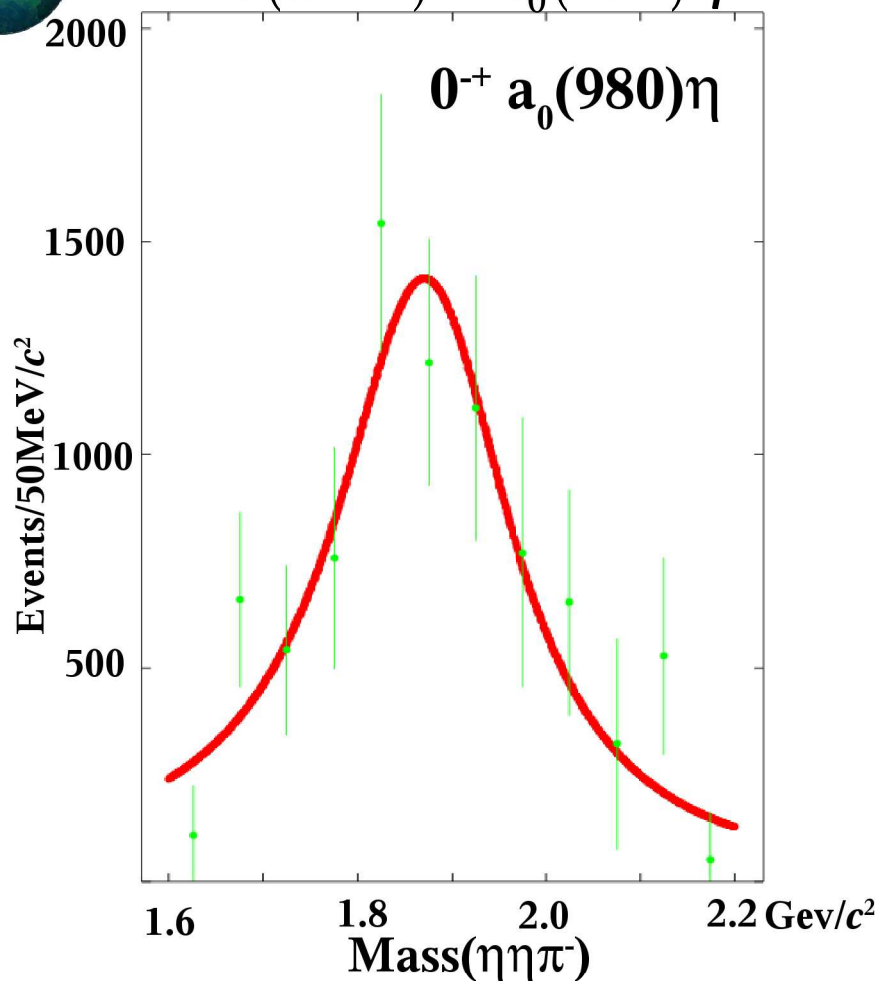


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# $\pi(1800) \rightarrow \eta\eta\pi^-$

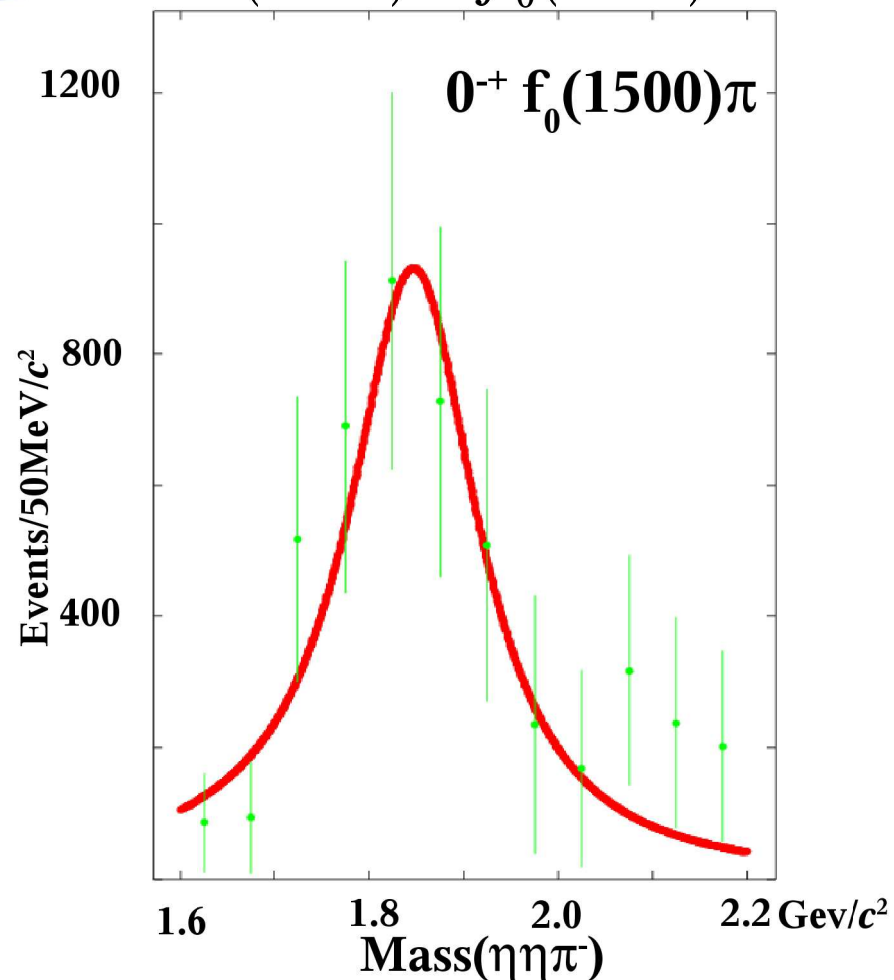


$\pi(1800) \rightarrow a_0(980)\eta$



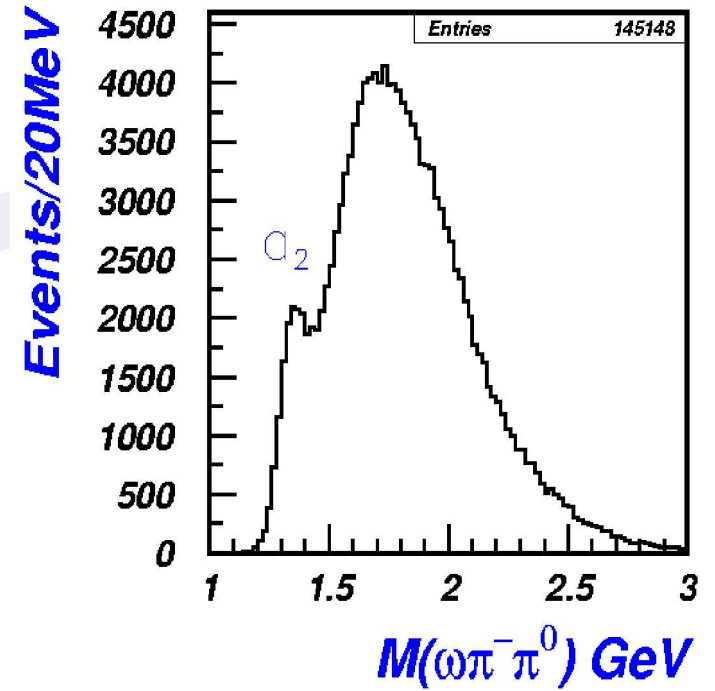
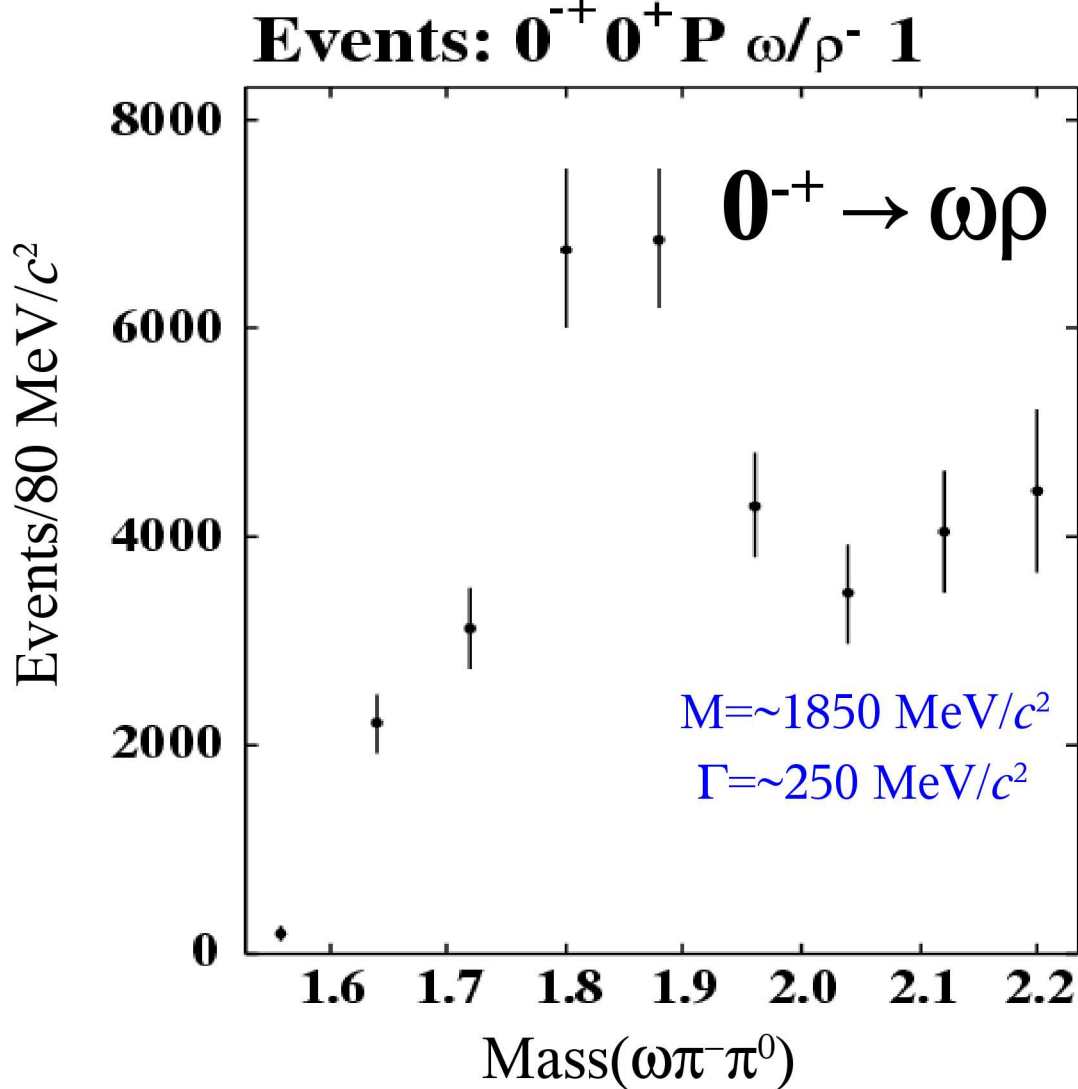
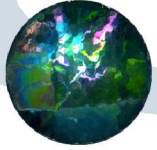
$$M = 1884 \pm 19 (stat) \pm ? (sys) MeV/c^2$$
$$\Gamma = 222 \pm 39 (stat) \pm ? (sys) MeV/c^2$$

$\pi(1800) \rightarrow f_0(1500)\pi$



$$M = 1862 \pm 24 (stat) \pm ? (sys) MeV/c^2$$
$$\Gamma = 166 \pm 46 (stat) \pm ? (sys) MeV/c^2$$

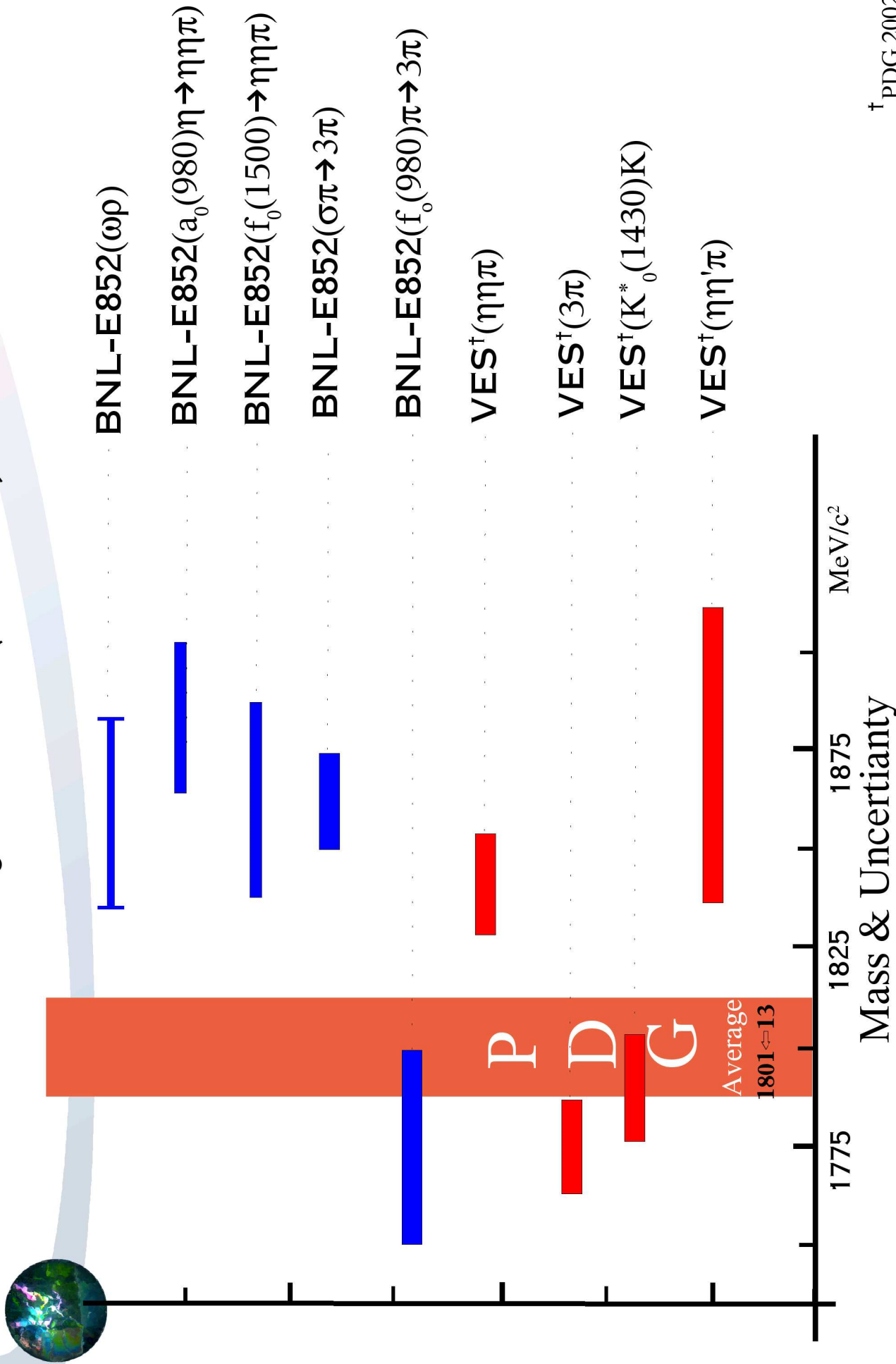
$$\pi(1800) \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0$$



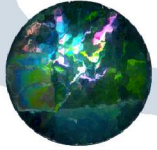
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# The Mass of the $\pi(1800)$



# Is the $\pi(1800)$ a Hybrid?



Hybrid  $\rightarrow q \bar{q} (L=1) + q \bar{q} (L=0)$

$\pi(1800) \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi$	✓ ?
$\rightarrow \sigma \pi [f_0(1370)\pi]$	✓ ?
$\rightarrow f_0(1500)\pi$	✓ ?
$\rightarrow a_0(980)\eta$	✓ ?
$\rightarrow \omega \rho$	✗
$\rightarrow \eta \eta' \pi$	
$\rightarrow K_0^*(1430)K$	✓

Hybrid  $\nrightarrow q \bar{q} (L=0) + q \bar{q} (L=0)$

$\pi(1800) \nrightarrow \rho \pi$	✓
$\nrightarrow K^* K$	✓

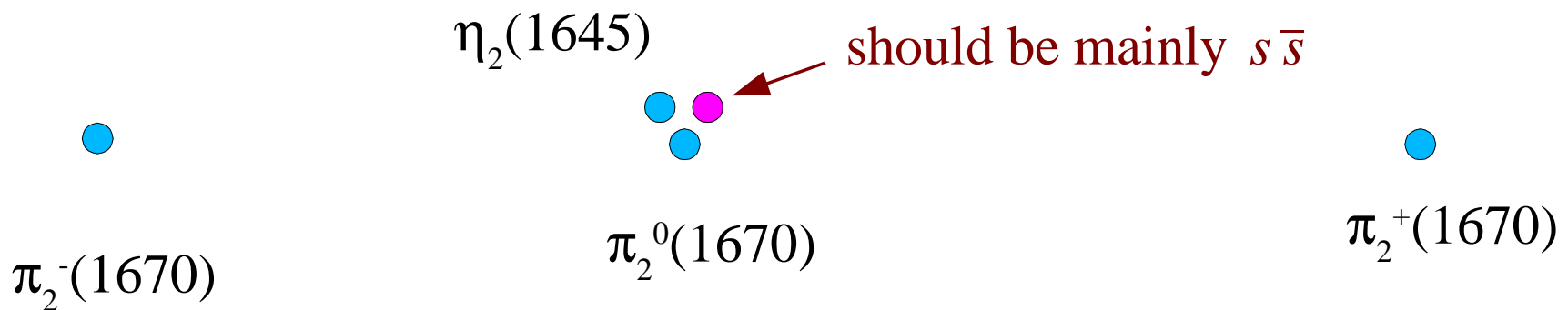


$\pi_2(1900)$

Recently, a  $\pi_2(1900)^\dagger$  state has been observed

<sup>†</sup> Anisovich et al., Phys. Lett. B500 222 (2001)

$M=1880\pm 20 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma=255\pm 45 \text{ MeV}/c^2$



$\eta_2(1870)$  has been reported  
in  $\gamma\gamma$  interactions,  $p\bar{p}$  interactions,  
& central production

However,

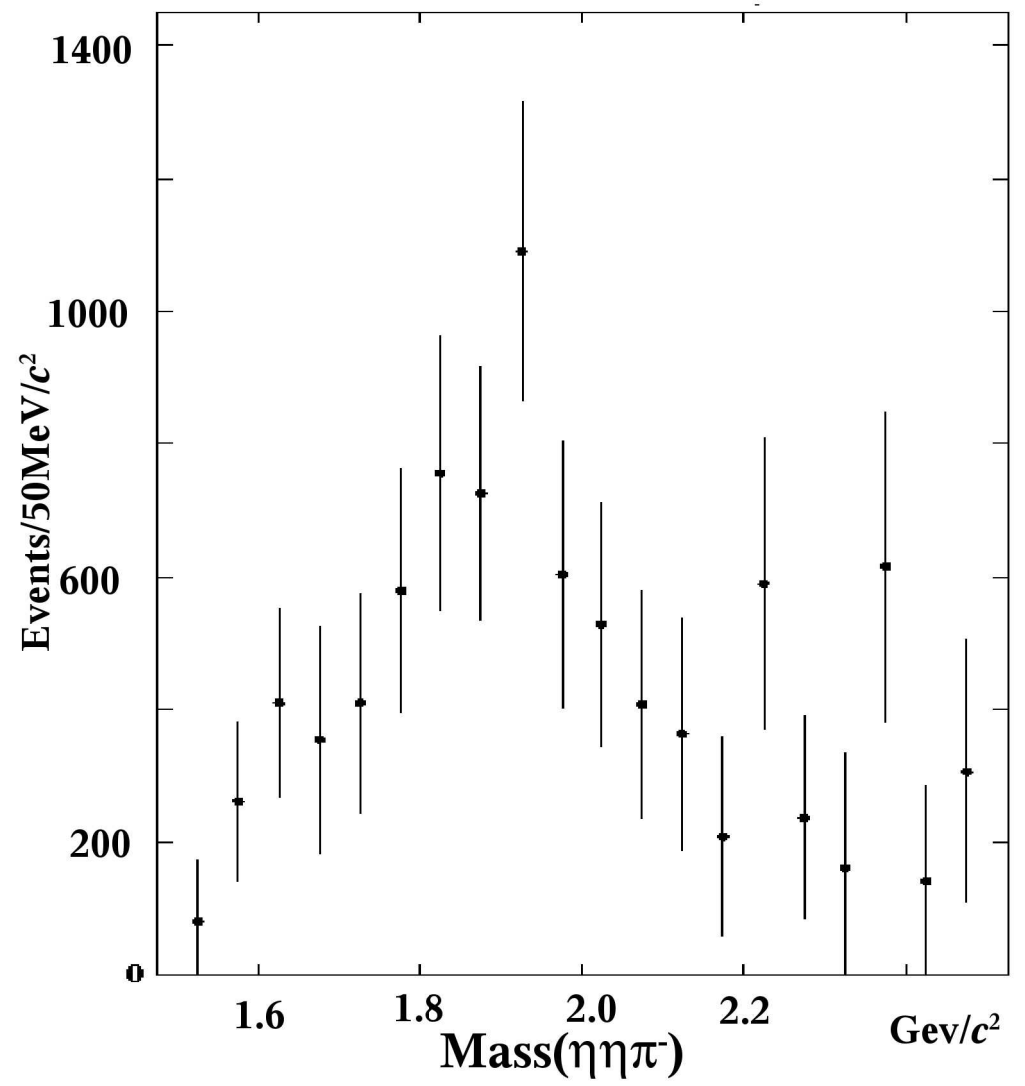
$\eta_2(1870) \rightarrow a_2(1320)\pi$   
 $\rightarrow f_2(1270)\pi$

$\pi_2(1900)$



$2^{-+} 0^{+} a_2(1320) \eta$

$\pi^{-} p \rightarrow p \eta \eta \pi^{-}$

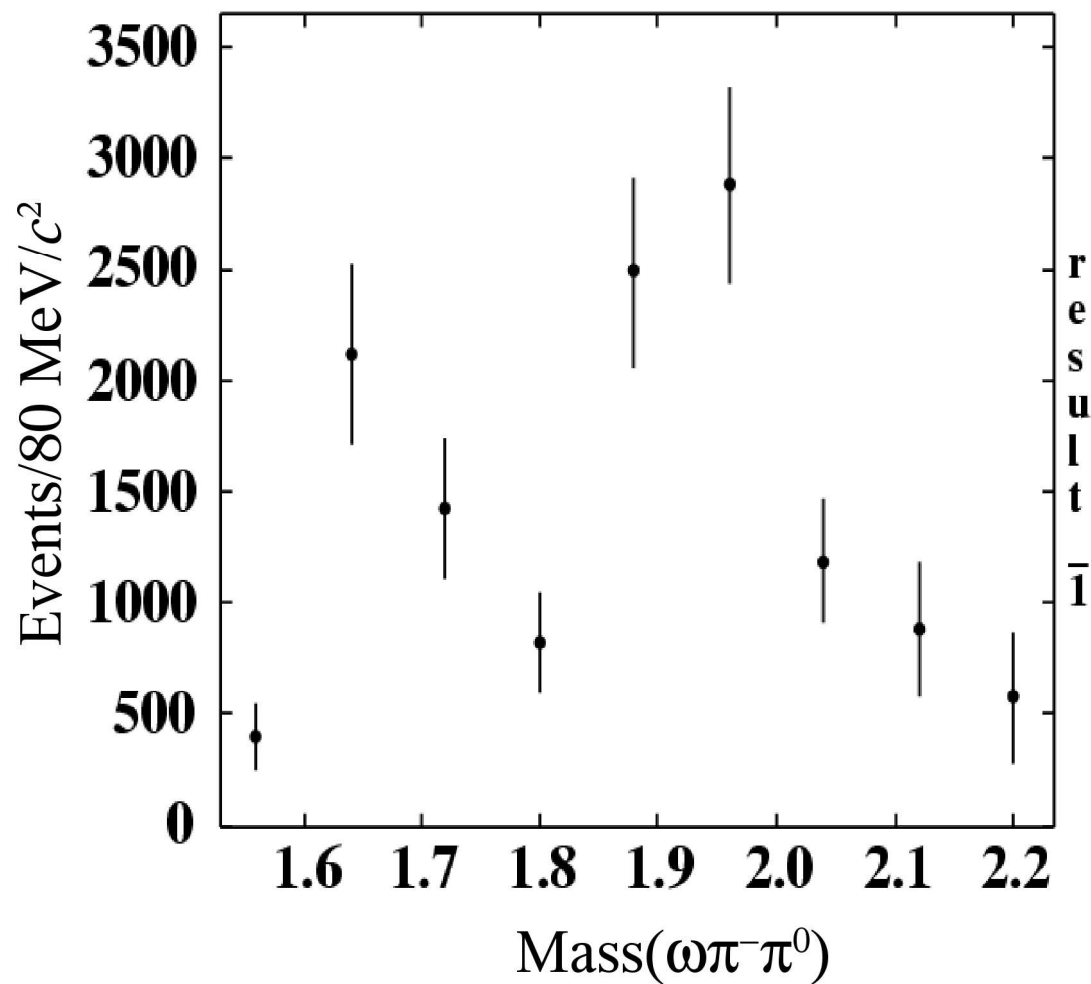



$$2^{-+} \rightarrow \omega \pi^{-} \pi^{0}$$

$$\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow \omega \rho$$

$$\pi_2(1900) \rightarrow \omega \rho$$

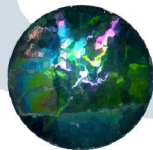
Events:  $2^{-+} 0^{+} P \omega/\rho^{-} 1$



$$\pi_2(1900) \rightarrow \eta \pi^- \pi^- \pi^0$$

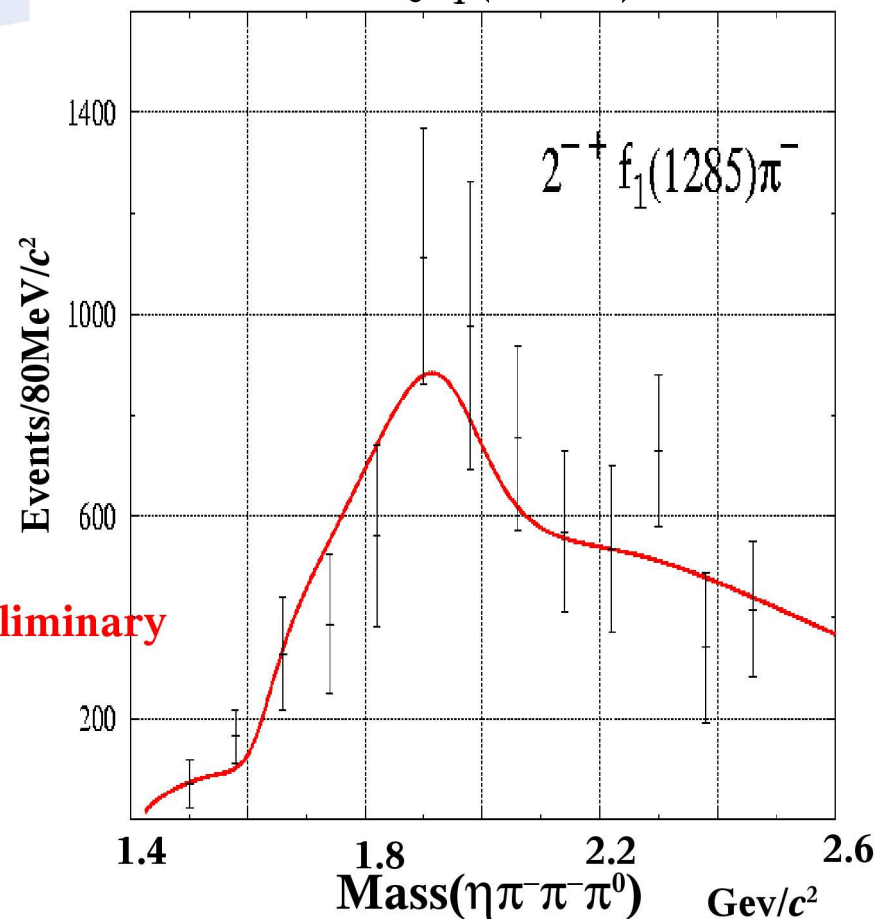
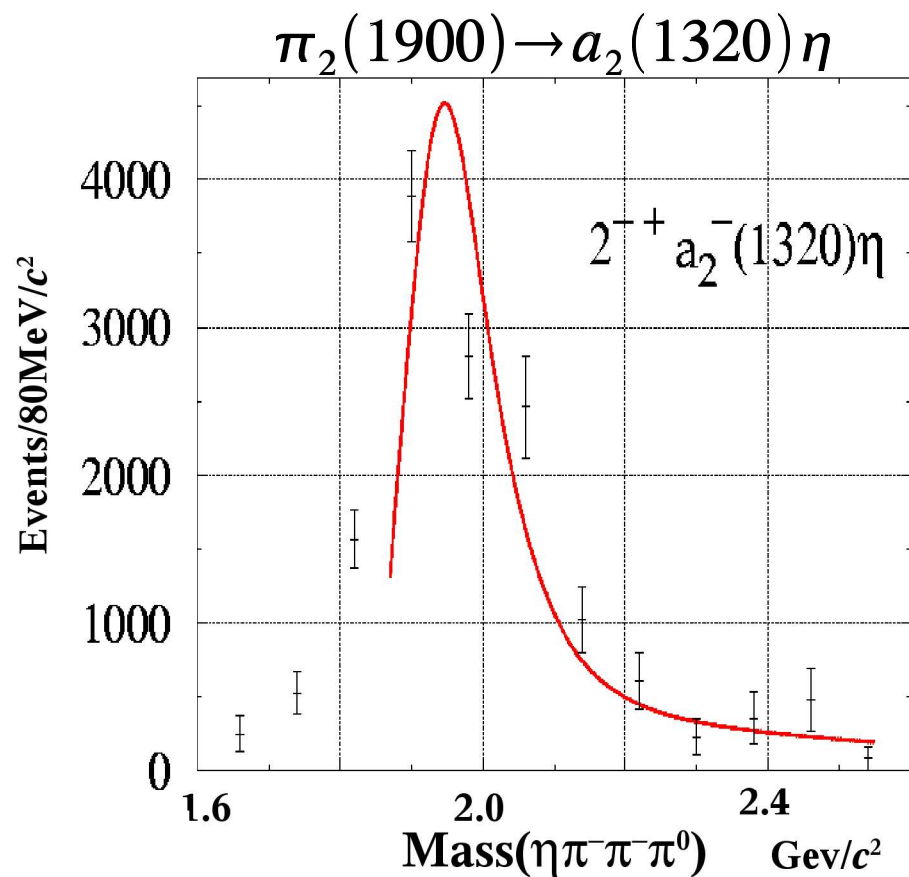
$$M \sim 2000 \pm 100 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma \sim 300 \pm 150 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$



$$R = \frac{BR[\pi_2(1900) \rightarrow a_2(1320)\eta]}{BR[\pi_2(1900) \rightarrow f_1(1285)\pi]} \sim 38$$

$$2^{++} \rightarrow f_1(1285)\pi$$



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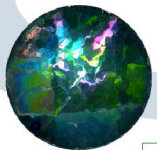
Flux Tube Model Prediction

$$R = 23$$

P. Page *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D59, 34016 (1999)

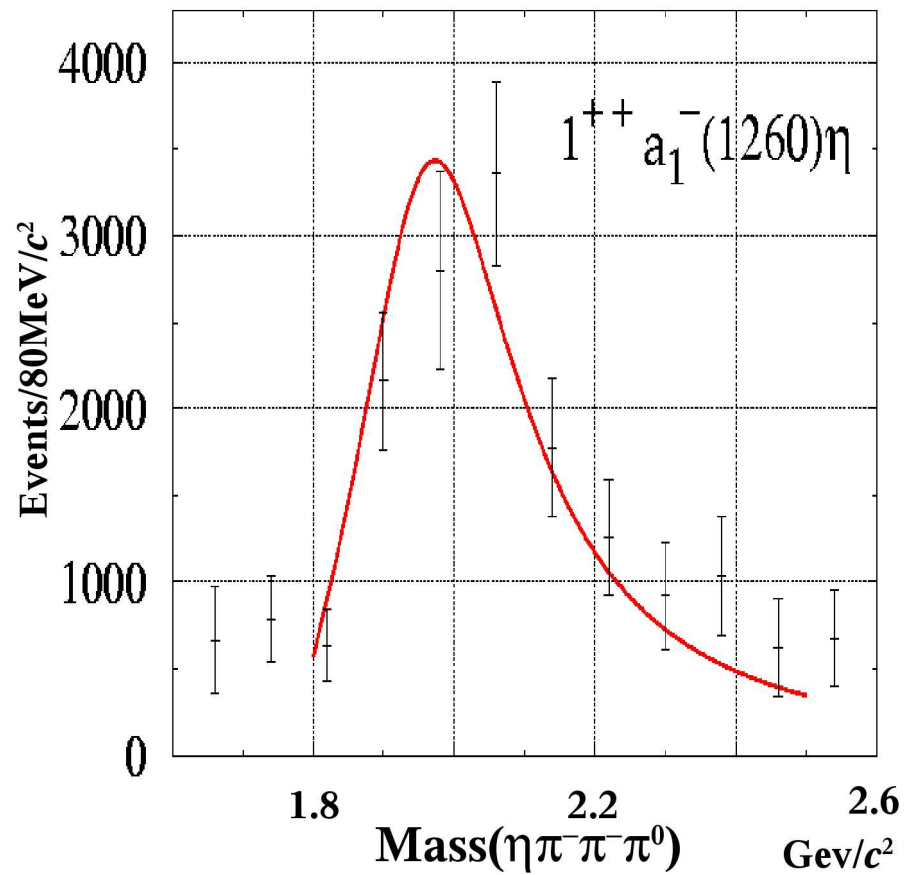
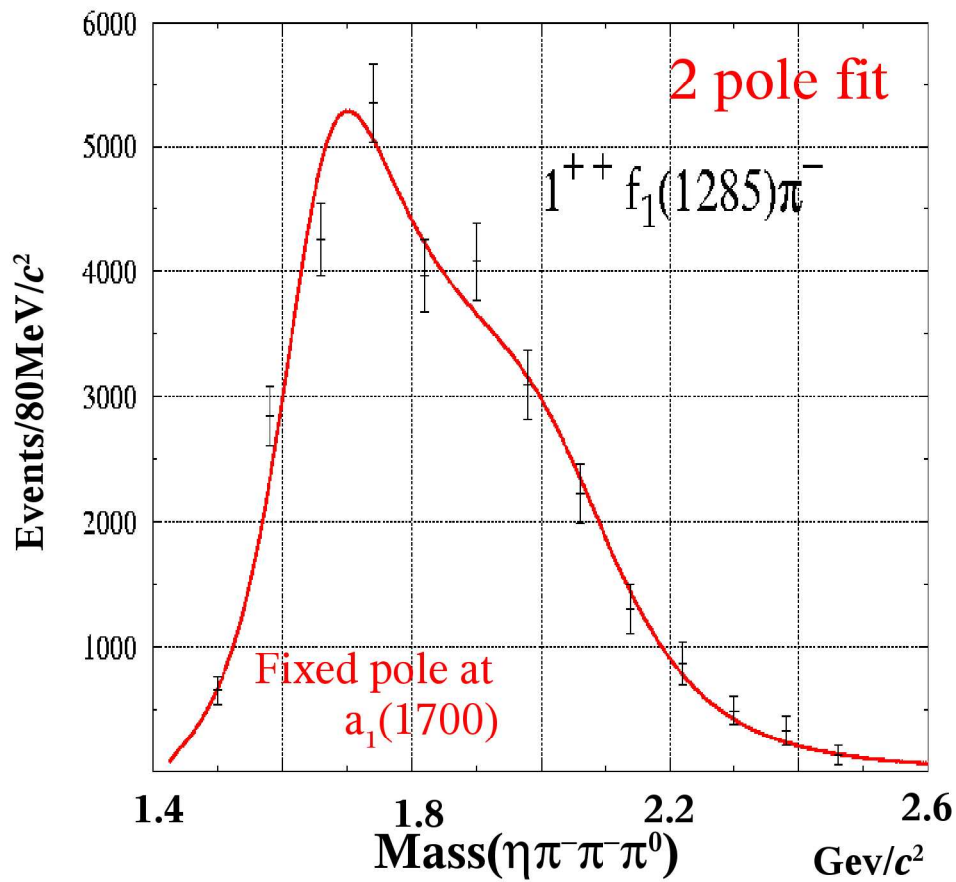
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# $a_1(2000) \rightarrow \eta \pi^- \pi^- \pi^0$



$M \sim 2000 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma \sim 450 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

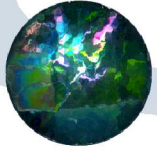
$$R = \frac{BR[a_1(2000) \rightarrow f_1(1285)\pi^-]}{BR[a_1(2000) \rightarrow a_1(1260)\eta]} \simeq 2$$



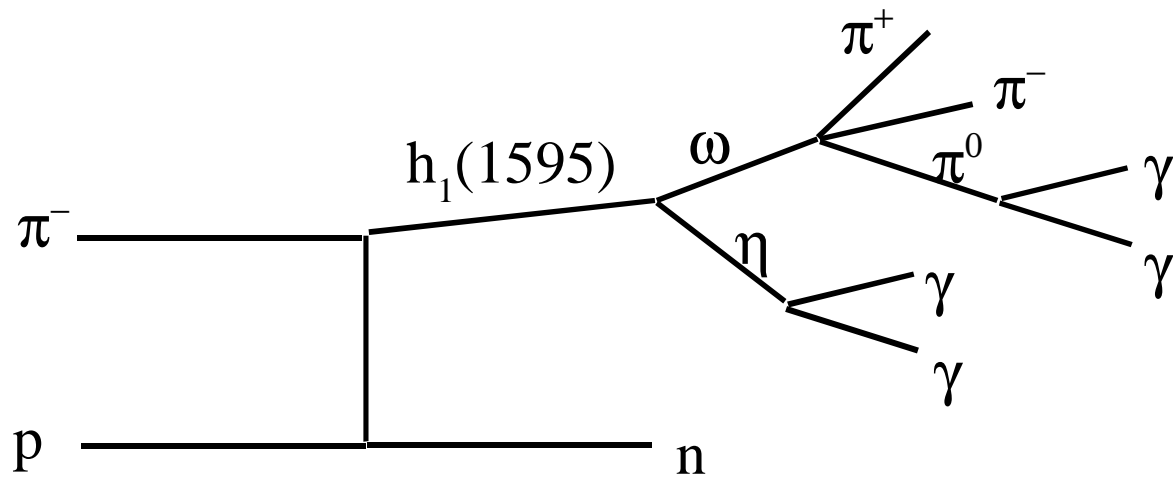
**Flux Tube Model Prediction**

$R = 3$

P. Page *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D59, 34016 (1999)

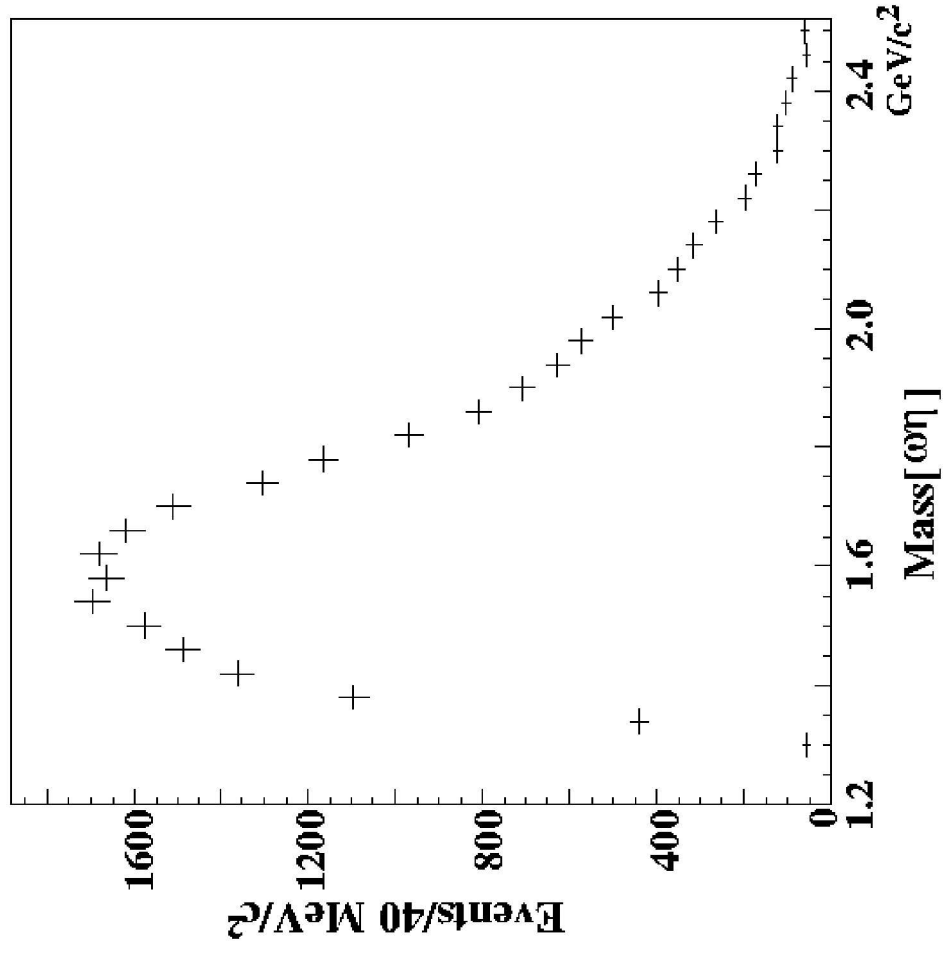
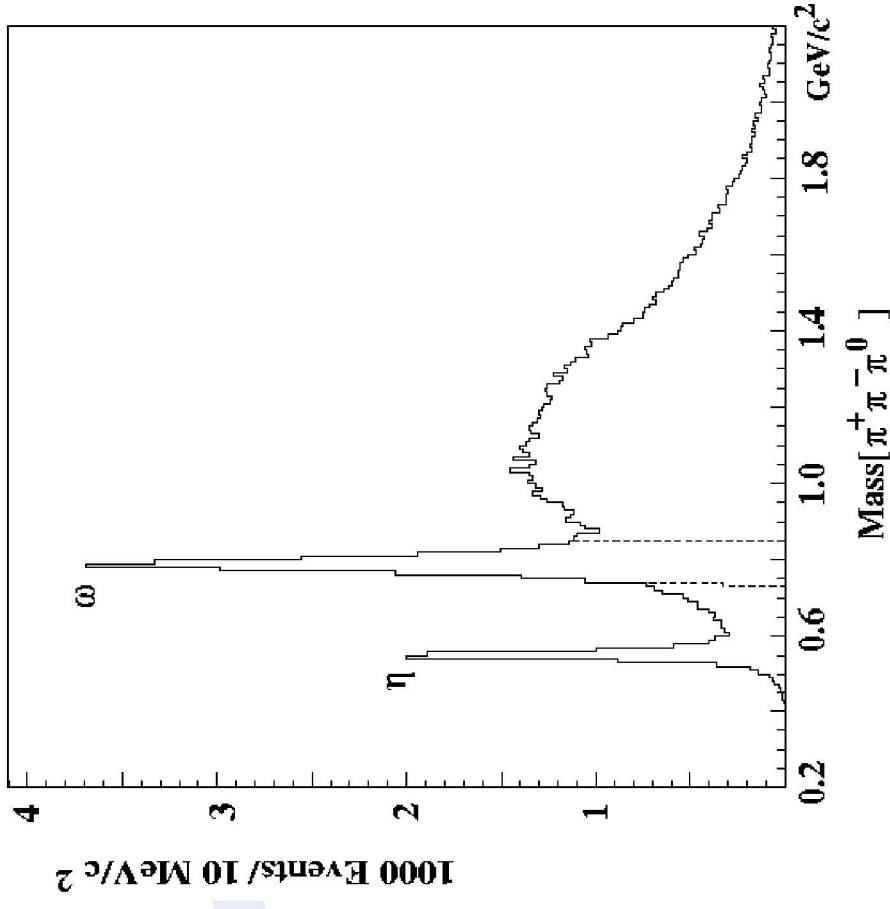
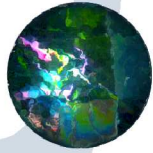


# Observation of a New $J^{PC}=1^{+-}$ Isoscalar State in the Reaction $\pi^- p \rightarrow \omega \eta n$ at 18 GeV/c

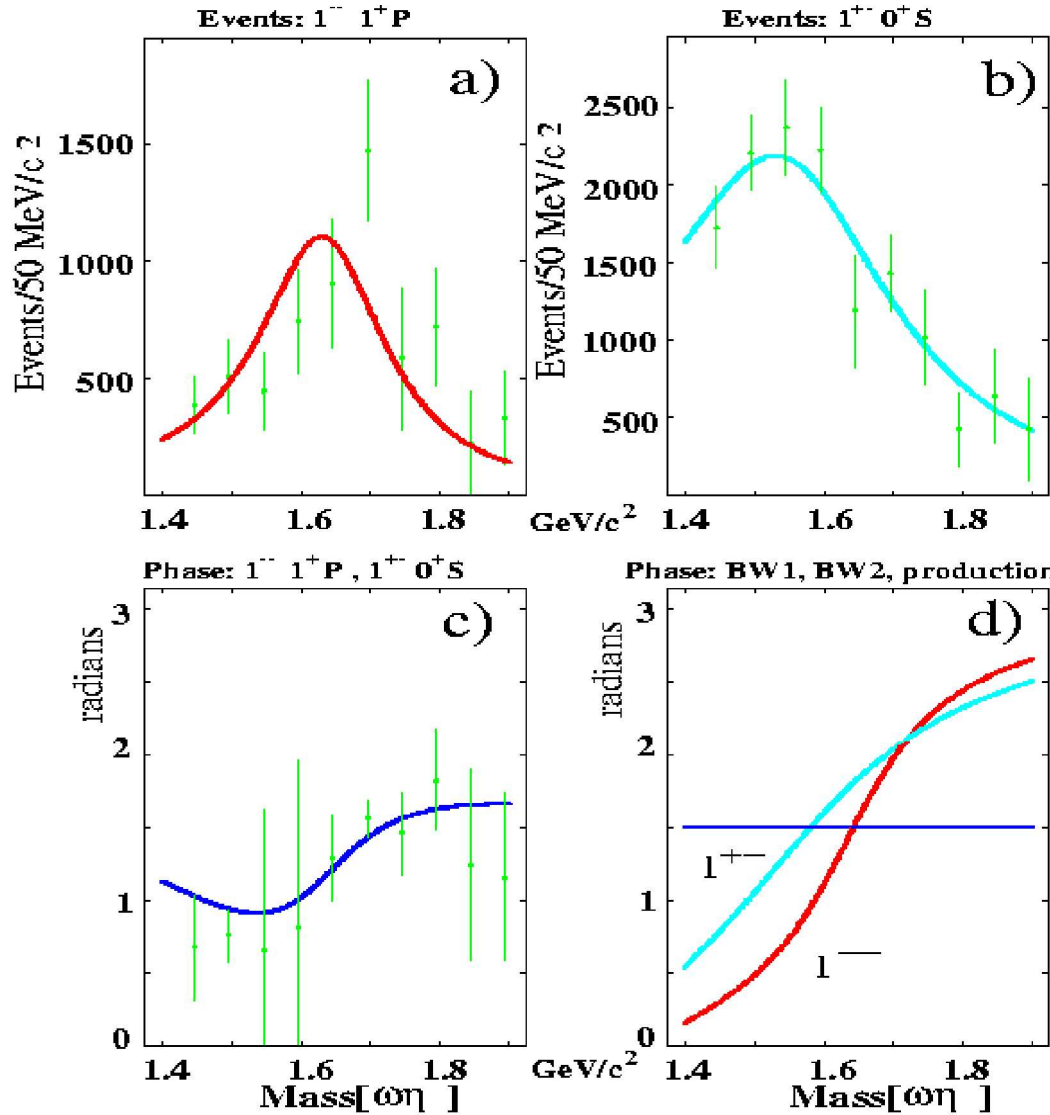
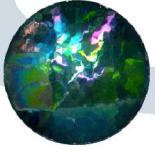




# $h_1(1595)$



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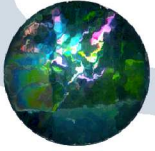
$$J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$$

$$Mass = 1594 (\pm 15)_{(-60)}^{(+10)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = 384 (\pm 60)_{(-100)}^{(+70)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\chi^2/DoF = 1.28$$

$h_1(1595)$



## *Single Resonance Interpretations*

- $2^1P_1$   $h_1$  Radial Excitation

- Godfrey-Isgur predict a mass of 1780 MeV/c<sup>2</sup> but ...
- Barnes *et. al.* predict  $2^1P_1$   $h_1$  to decay equally via S and D Waves

- $h_1$  Gluonic Excitation

- Flux-tube predicts hybrid near 1900-2000 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
- Exotics have been reported at masses lower than Flux-tube predictions

- $h_1$  Gluonic-Radial Mixture

# Summary



$\pi(1800)$

- + more likely  $\pi(1850)$
- + cannot rule out 2 possible states
- + does not look like  $q\bar{q}$

$\pi_2(1900)$

- + confirmation at hand
- + signal in:  $\eta\eta\pi$ ,  $\eta\pi\pi\pi$ , &  $\omega\pi\pi$
- + hybrid partner to  $\eta_2(1880)$

$a_1(2000)$

- + observed in  $f_1\pi$  and  $a_1(1260)\eta$
- + consistent with flux-tube hybrid predictions
  - both decay products & ratio

$h_1(1595)$

- + inconsistent with  $q\bar{q}$  expectations