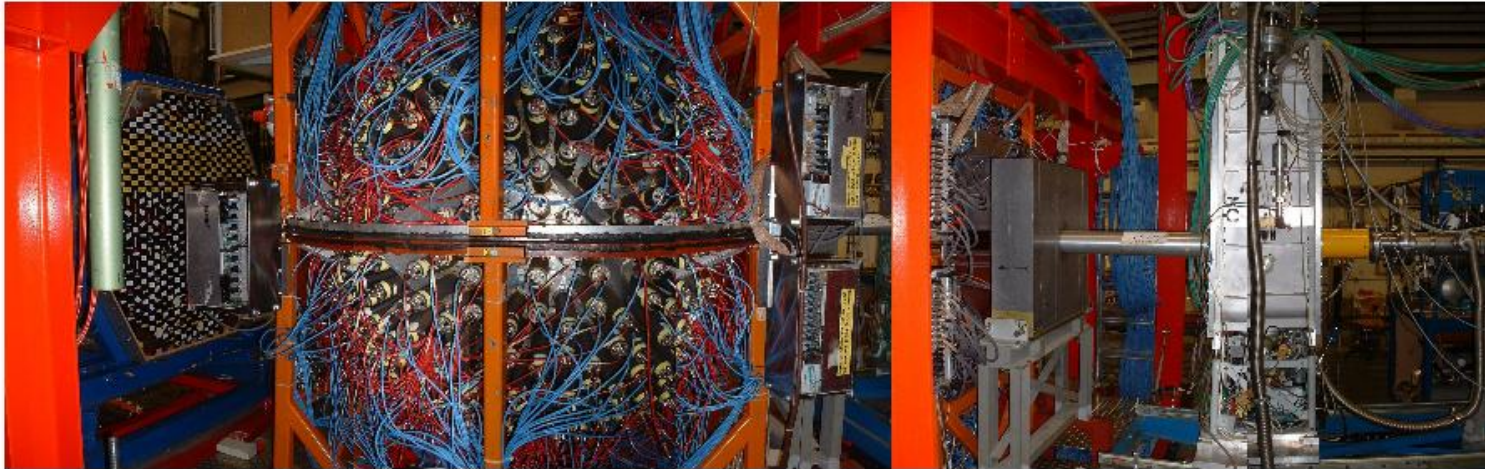




Resonances study at MAMI-C

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Experimental program of A2 collaboration on MAMI-C:

- 1. Mesons rare decays*
- 2. Resonances study*
- 3. Medium modification*

Resonances study:

- 1. Double-polarization experiments – main goal*

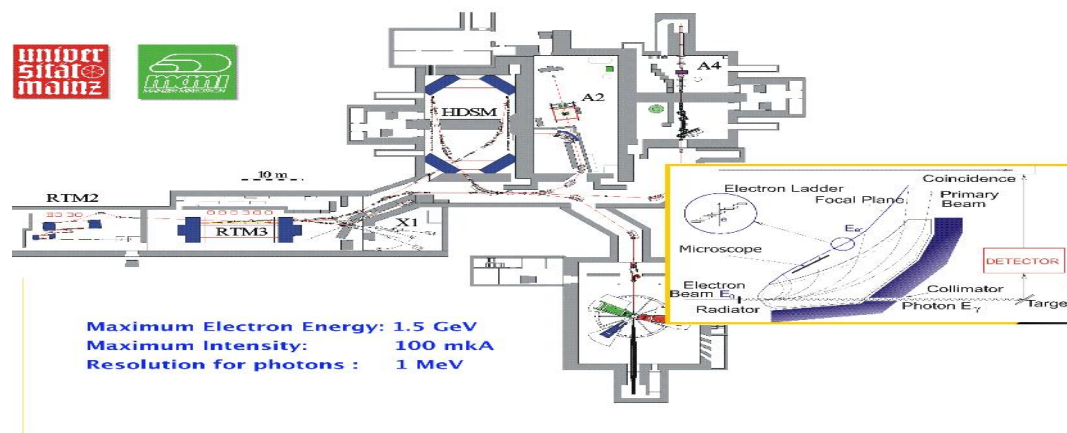
- 2. Study of multy particles final states as resonances filter*
- 3. Deuteron as neutron target*
- 4. Threshold-crossing technique as a new tool for resonances*

The similar programs are in progress at BONN(Crystal Barrel) and JLAB(CLAS)

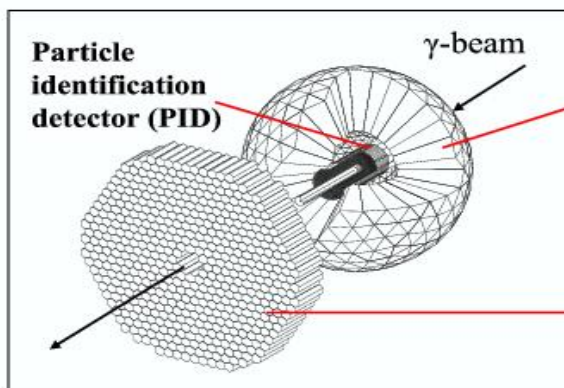
1. Comparison with the most sophisticated experimental sets(ELSA, CLAS)
2. Physics motivation and eperimental advantages
3. Analysis :
 - Bonn-Gatchina
 - Mainz-Tomsk
 - CLAS analysis

What is advantages of A2-collaboration in comparison with the best world experimental set?

The beam energy was increased from 850 to 1500, 1545, 1600 MeV

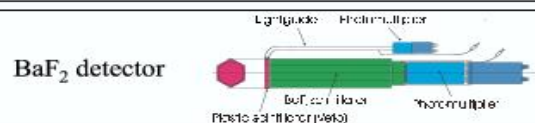


Crystal Ball/TAPS detector



- ❖ Crystal Ball detector:
 - $\gamma(p,p)\eta$ ($\eta \rightarrow 2\gamma$)
 - $\gamma(p,p)\eta$ ($\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0$)
 - Determination of the E_γ and Θ_γ
- ❖ Particle identification detector:
 - Cylinder of 24 plastic detectors
30 x 2 x 0.2 cm
 - Identification of charged particles

- ❖ Forward wall detector TAPS:
 - 510 BaF₂ crystals
 - 510 thin plastic veto detectors



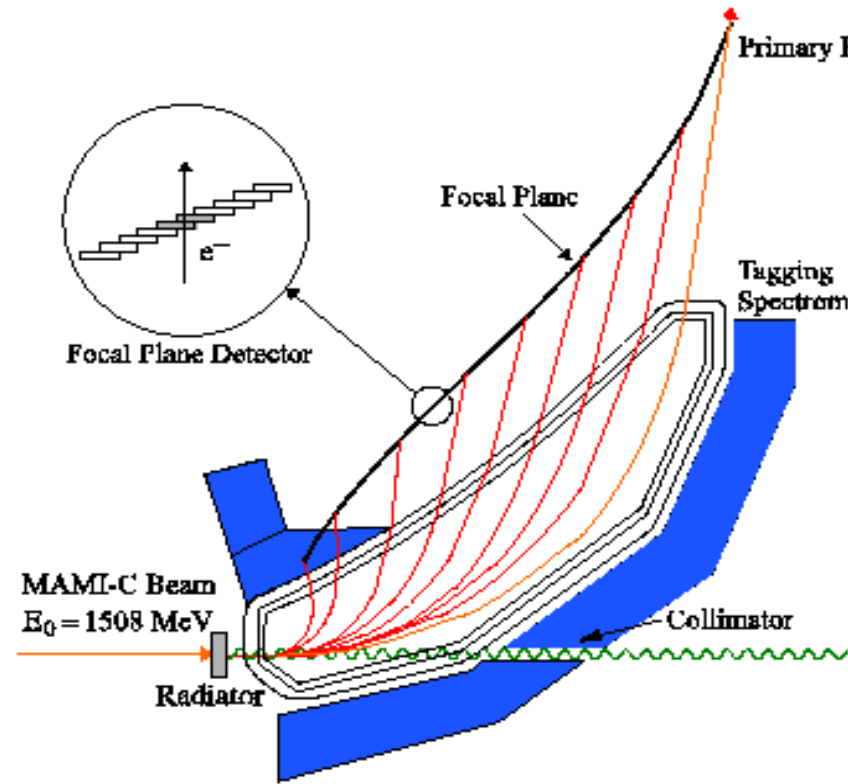
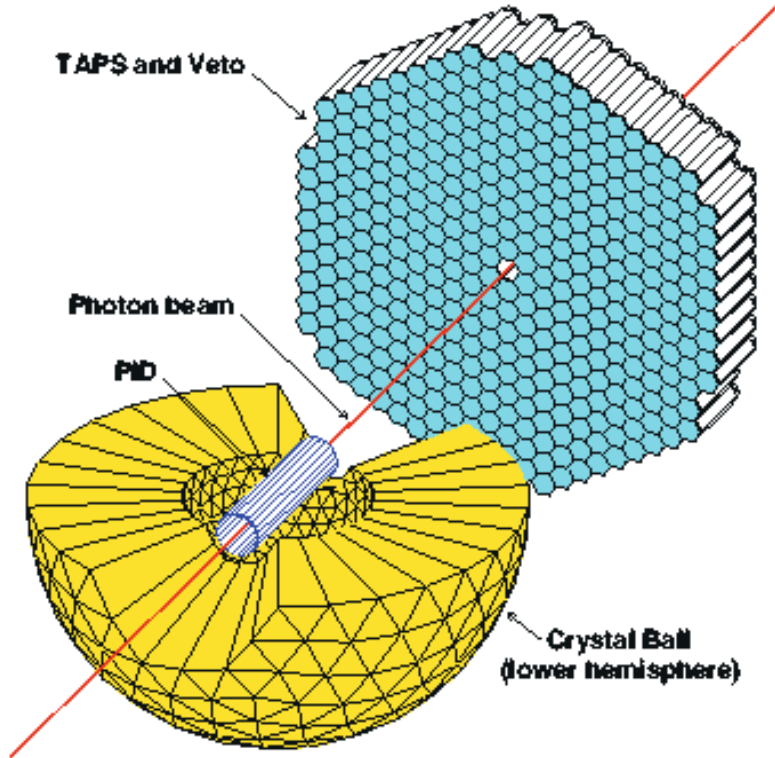
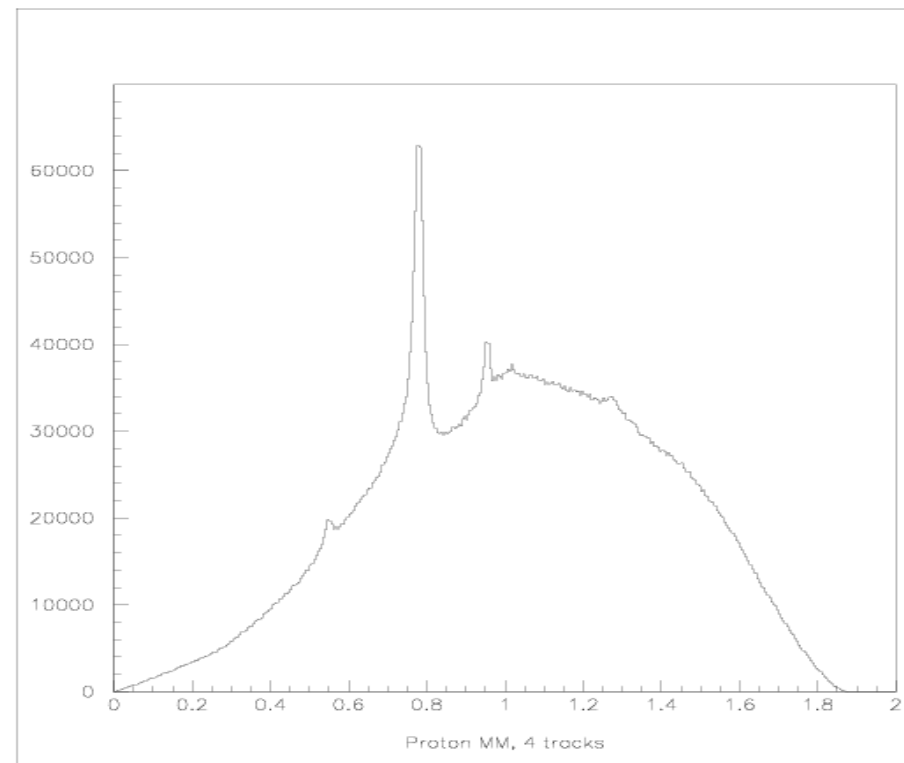
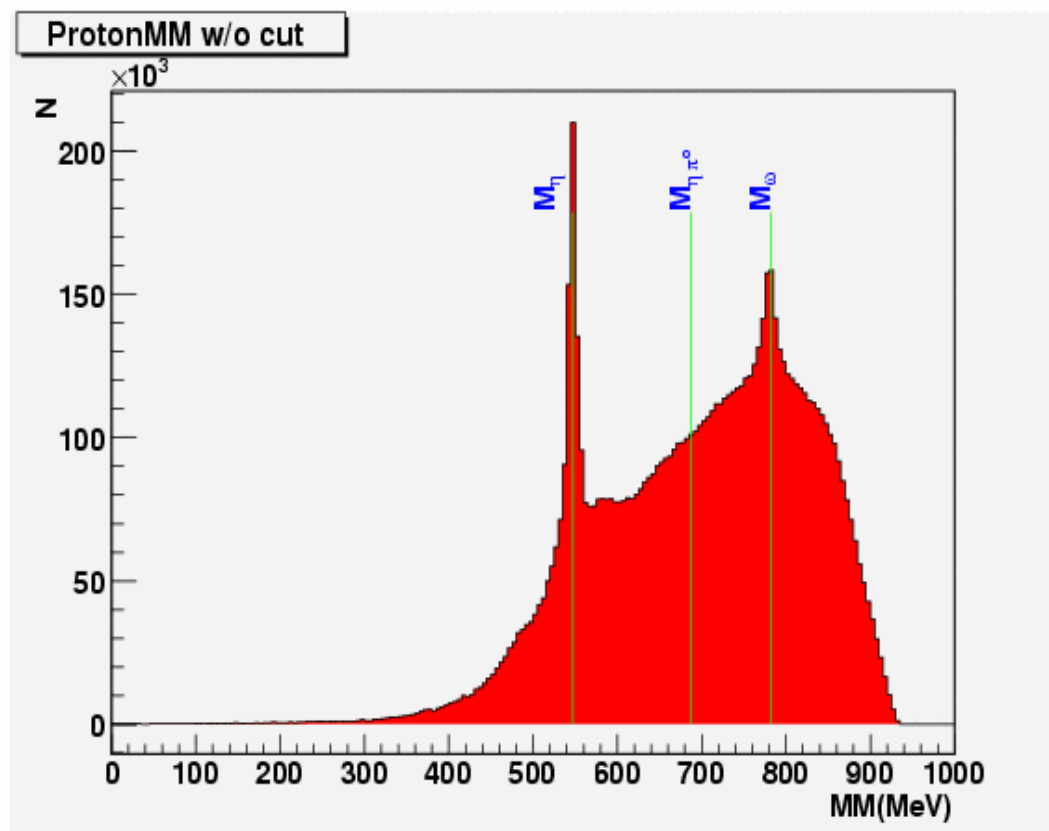


Figure 8: The Glasgow photon tagging spectrometer

Experimental set CB&TAPS and Tagger on MAMI-C:

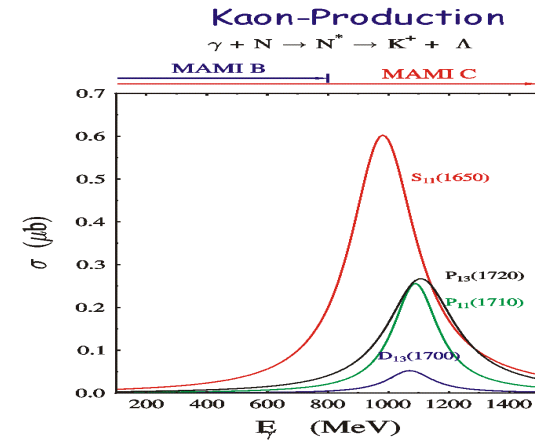
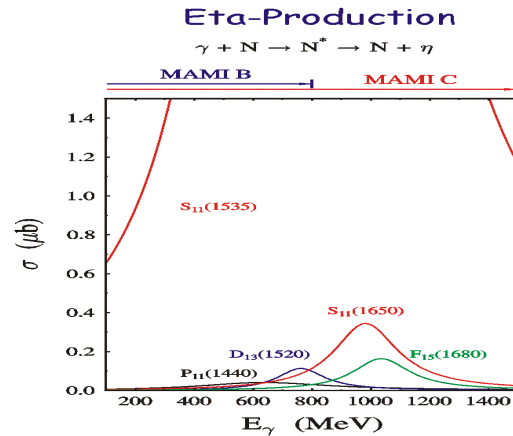
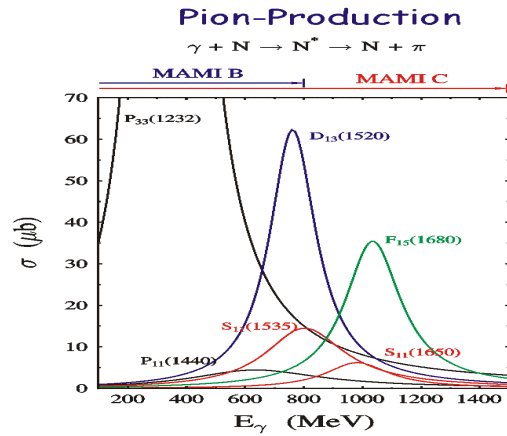
1. Standard resolution of CB&TAPS
2. Full and uniform solid angle.
2. The tagger beam energy resolution 4 MeV for tagger
1 MeV for microscope



The comparison of missing-mass spectra from CB&TAPS and CLAS experimental sets. The CLAS is aimed mainly on study of charged final states using magnetic spectrometr. CB&TAPS is aimed on neutral final states. Nevertheless the missing-mass resolutions for protons is ruther similar.

Physics motivation – resonances study

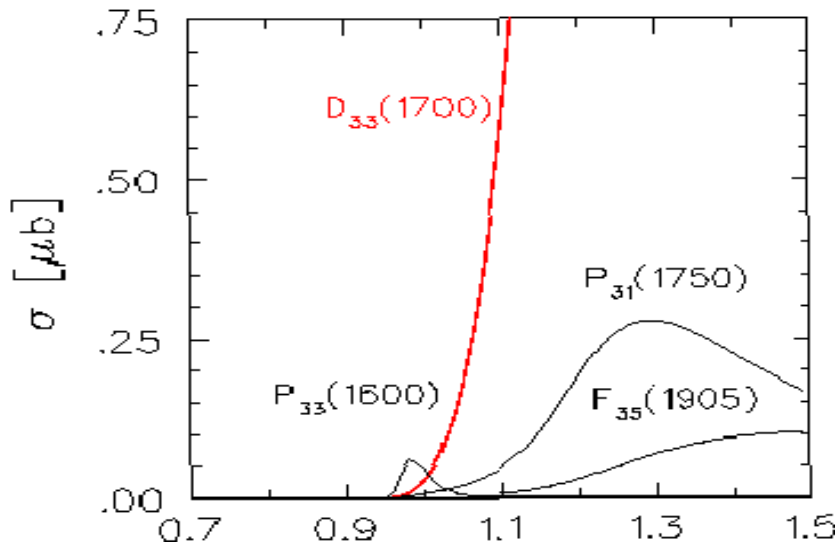
Nucleon Resonances



problem : overlapping resonances
 polarization observable
MAMI C : polarized photons, polarized targets
 and recoil-proton polarimeter

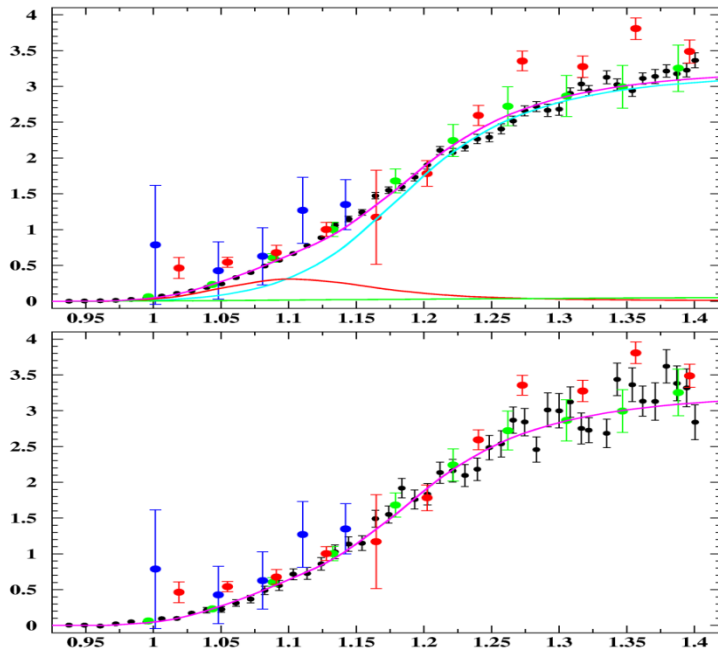
Two-body reaction -filters for well-known resonances. Double spin experiments-main now.

Multy partical final states -additional filter for other poorly stadied resonanses



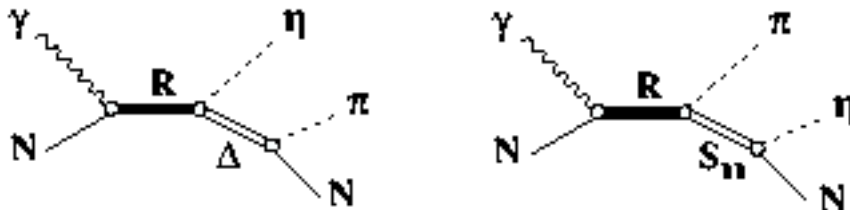
**Reaction $\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0(\gamma) \eta(\gamma) p$
 filter for**

➤ $D_{33}(1700)$



circles:
 blue – Tohoku 06
 red – CB@ELSA 04
 (syst. err. 20% is not included)
 green – GRAAL 08
 black – this work

lines:
 violet – best fit
 light-blue – $\Delta(1700)D_{33}$
 red – $\Delta(1600)P_{33}$
 green – Born terms



Mainz-Tomsk model

Reaction model with two decays channels. The high statistics permits to study reaction mechanism without additional data

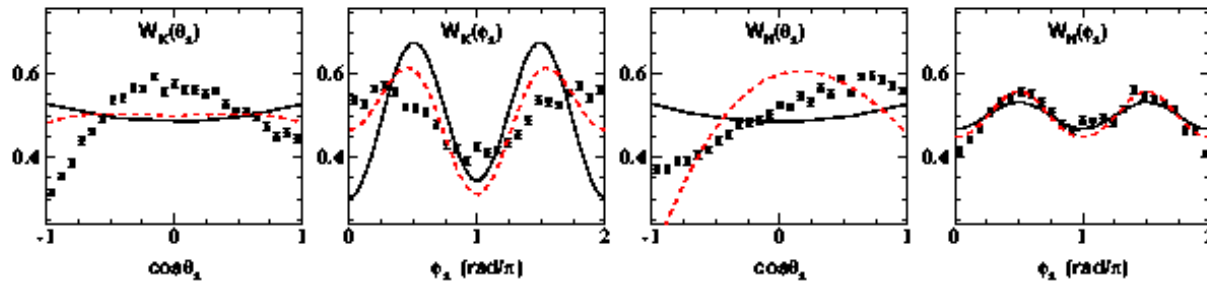
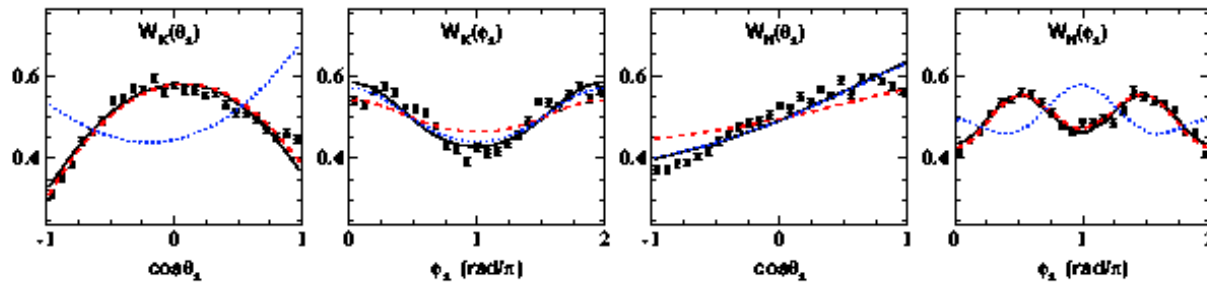


Fig. 10. Angular distributions averaged over the energy bin $E_\gamma = 1.3\text{--}1.4\text{ GeV}$. The curves are calculated with P_{33} (solid curve) and D_{33} (dashed curve) isobars. In both cases, the parameters were chosen to give the best description of $W_K(\theta_x)$ and $W_H(\phi_x)$.



➤ The high statistic permitted to obtain the angle dependences

of reaction cross-section. Fit of the Mainz-Tomsk model to the data gives the following parameters of the $D_{33}(1700)$ resonance:

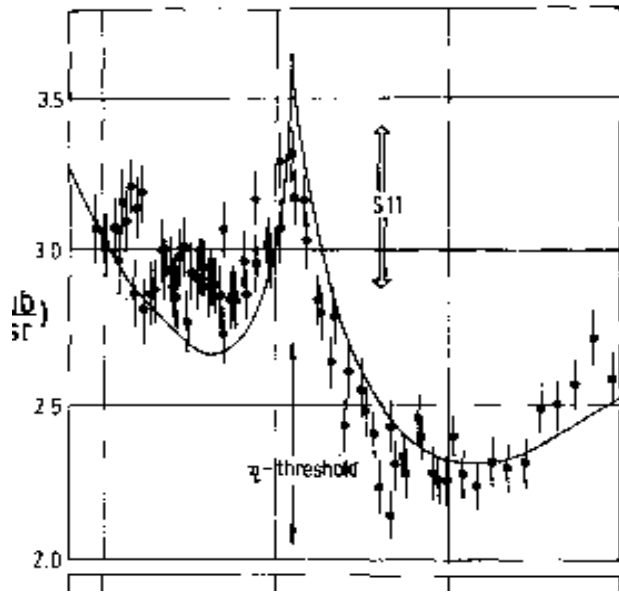
$$A_{3/2} / A_{1/2} = 1.45 \pm 0.04 ,$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{R}(1232)\varepsilon\tau\alpha) / \hat{R}_{\text{total}} = (2.1 \pm 0.2)\% ,$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{R}S_{11}(1535)\pi l) / \hat{R}_{\text{total}} = (0.10 \pm 0.02)\% ;$$

The first results for PDG

Threshold effects (“cusp”)



The “cusp” was observed in pion photoproduction
 The same effect was observed in CB- ELSA data
 The full width of the “cusp” is about 20 MeV

The effect is rather large and should be taken into account in data interpretation.
 What is real width(energy resolution)?

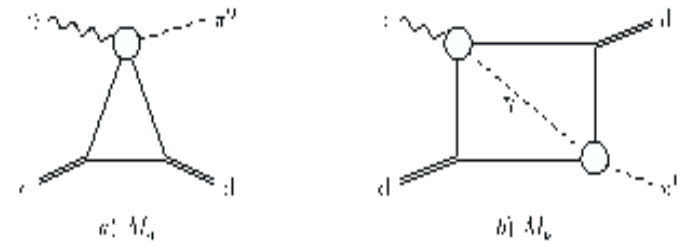
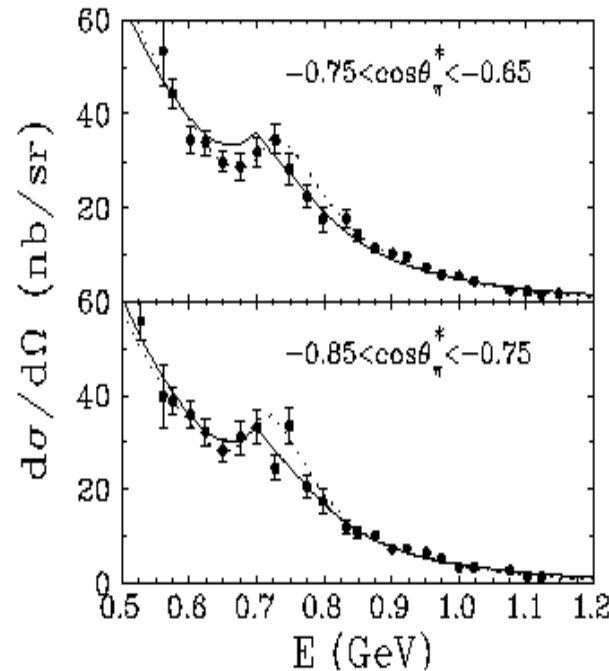
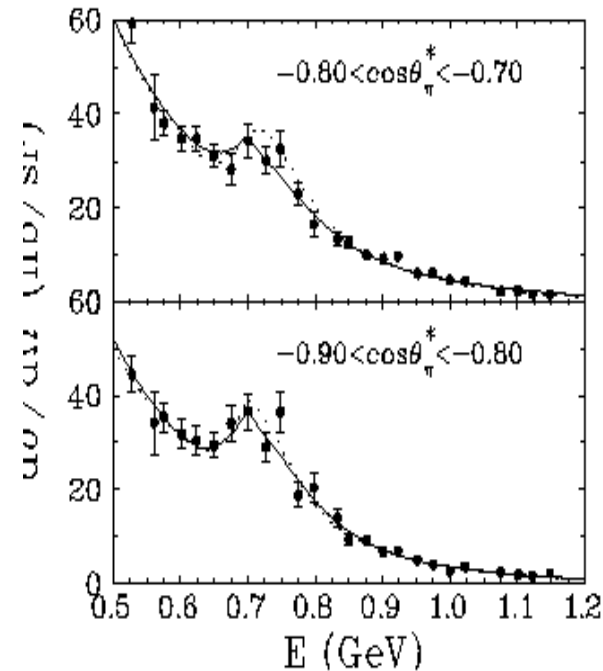
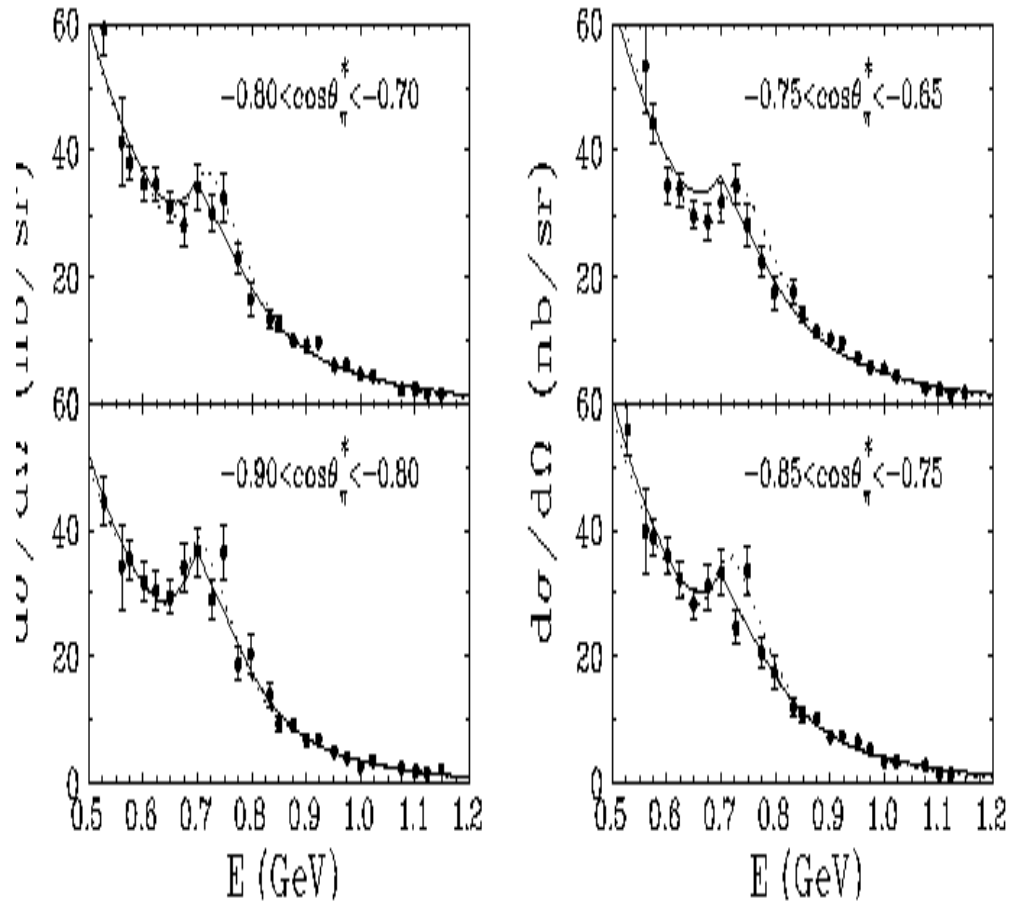
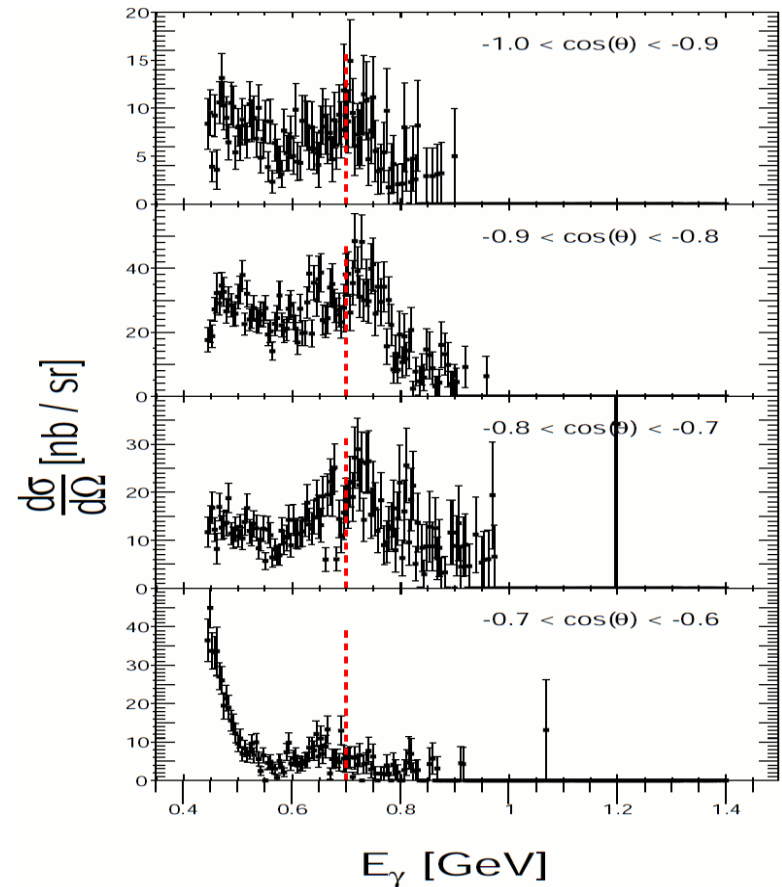


Fig. 1. Feynman diagrams for the $\gamma d \rightarrow \pi^0 d$ reaction considered in [24]: (a) single-scattering amplitude M_a ; (b) double-scattering amplitude M_b . It was shown in [24] that (b) dominates over (a) at backward angles for $E_\gamma \sim 700$ MeV.

CLAS results



A2 results



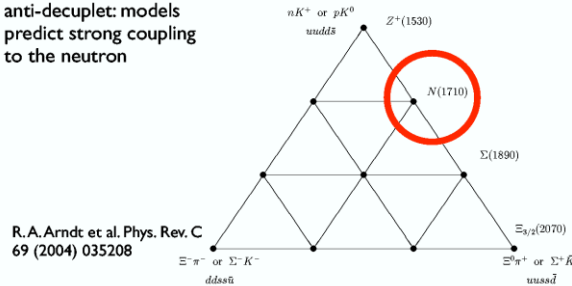
Comparison of CLAS results and preliminary A2 results. The A2 result is much more clear. The threshold effects really exist and rather large. To observe these effects the beam energy resolution must be less than 5 MeV. The threshold effects should be included into analysis.

Missing resonances

Theoretical predictions for the neutron (2)

New narrow nucleon resonance $P_{11}(1680)$?

non-strange member of the anti-decuplet: models predict strong coupling to the neutron

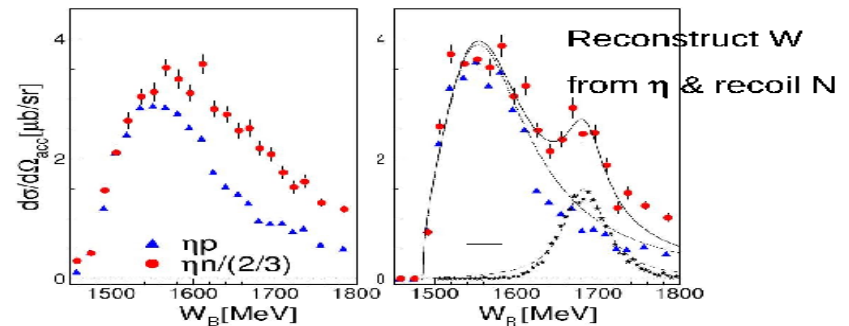
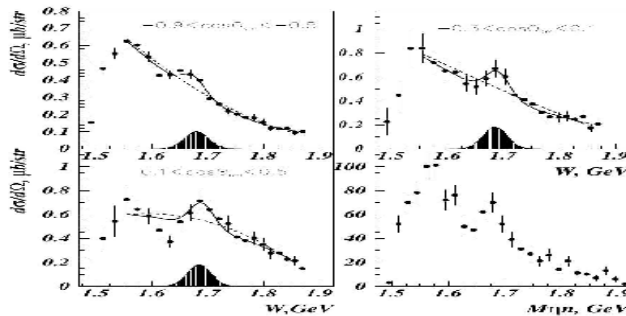


Pentaquark problem – looking for non-strange antidecuplet member - resonance R(1680): BONN, MAINZ, PNPI-ITEP

What is seen for $d(\gamma, n\eta)$?

V.Kuznetsov et al., arXiv:0807.2316 [hep-ex]

I. Jaegle et al., Phys.Rev.Lett.100:252002,2008.



Kuznetsov background subtracted “peak” has width $\sigma \sim 20$ MeV

Integrated Strength of background subtracted structure $\sim 10 \mu\text{b/sr}$ away from backward angles.

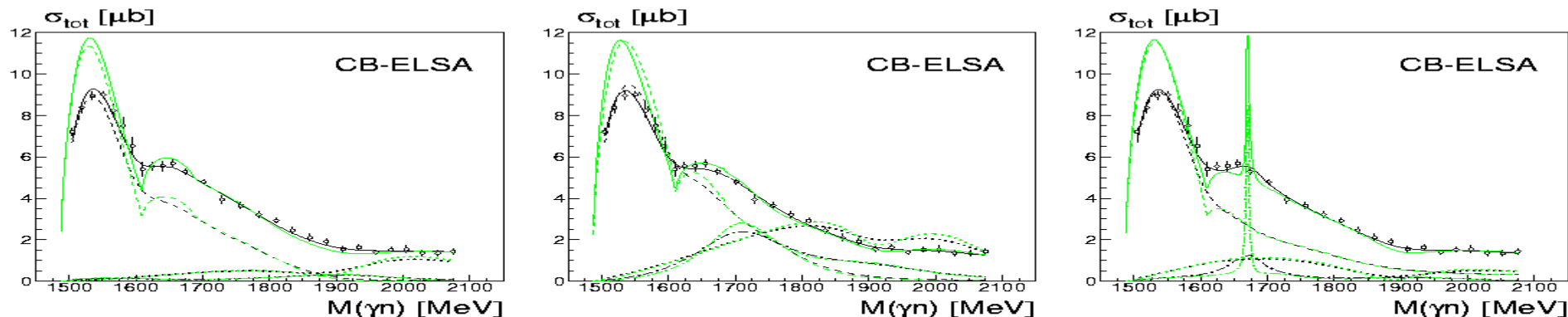
S_{11} background $\sim 0.5 \mu\text{b/sr}$ in bump region.

If the bump is intrinsically narrow $\sigma \sim 1$ MeV then with suitably high E_γ resolution, then one should “easily see” a structure with a factor 20 lower cross section.

MAMI has much higher intensity than GRAAL or ELSA...aim to determine $p(\gamma, p\eta)$ upper limit $< 0.1 \mu\text{b/sr}$ (still needs to be quantified)

Bonn-Gatchina model analysis

- basis: coupled channel isobar analysis with background terms



- different scenarios to reproduce 'bump' structure:
 - left: interference in S_{11} -sector: adjusting phases etc.
 - middle: introduction of conventional (broad) P_{11} resonance
 - right: introduction of very narrow P_{11} resonance

B. Krusche, Crystal Ball Collaboration meeting March 2009



Differing Pictures of $W \sim 1680$ MeV Structure

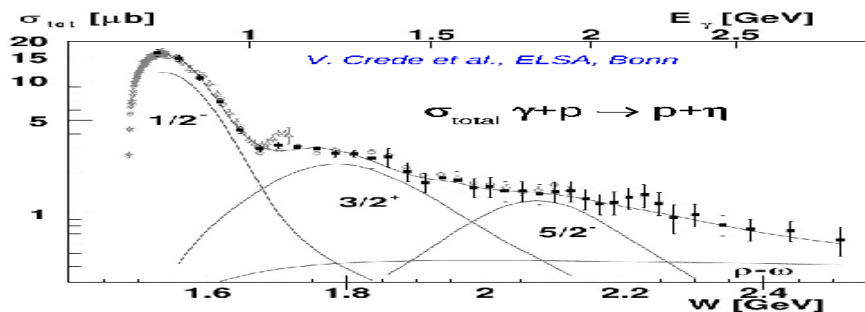
Explanations of the ~ 1680 MeV bump observed in $d(\gamma, n \eta)$.

Antidecuplet States
 D. Diakonov et al., *Z. Phys. A359:305,1997*
 M.V. Polyakov & A. Rathke, *Eur. J. Phys. A18:691,2003*
 Baryon spectrum expressed as rotational excitations of a soliton. Expect strength in neutron photoproduction with analogous proton channels relatively suppressed

Alternative "Non-Exotic"
 W.-T. Chiang et al., *NPA700:429,2002*
 Eta-MAID...large D_{15} contribution (assuming a 17% $N\eta$ decay branching ratio)
 V. Shklyar et al, *Phys.Lett. B650:172,2007*
 Coupled-channels effects of $S_{11}(1535)$, $S_{11}(1650)$, $P_{11}(1710)$

So far no confirmed structure in $p(\gamma, p \eta)$.
 Structure in the Legendre coefficients?
 Structure in Σ ?
 If there is a narrow structure it will not be smeared by Fermi motion.
 Free-particle partial-wave analysis more straightforward.

So far the experimental evidence for narrow states is "not overwhelming" with several significant NULL results.
 Spring-8 still "see" a 1540 MeV " Θ^{++} " bump

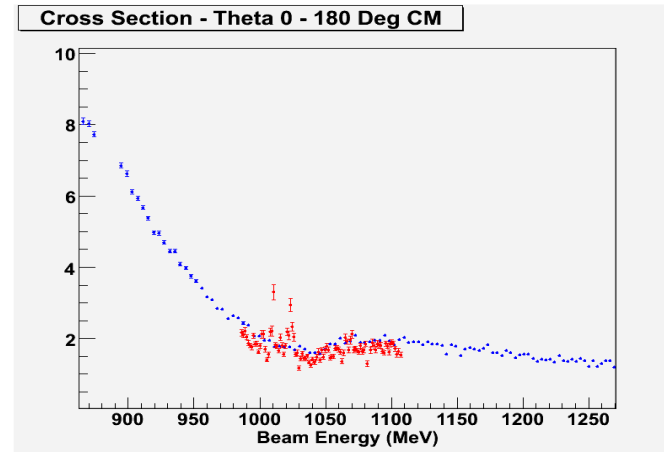
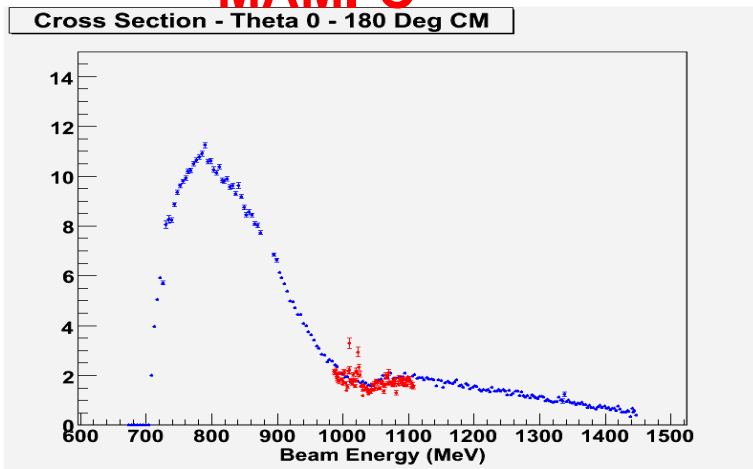


At Mainz

- The excitation function (and with sufficient statistics the $d\sigma/d\Omega$) can be measured to a tagged-photon energy resolution of ~ 1 MeV.
- π , multi- π , η , $\kappa\Lambda$channels can be measured simultaneously and compared.
- Σ asymmetry @ ~ 1.05 GeV is possible...energy bins?
- Circular single spin asymmetry possible for multi-meson final states.

$H(\gamma, \eta p)$ @MAMI-C, J.R.M. Annand, Mainz, March 2009

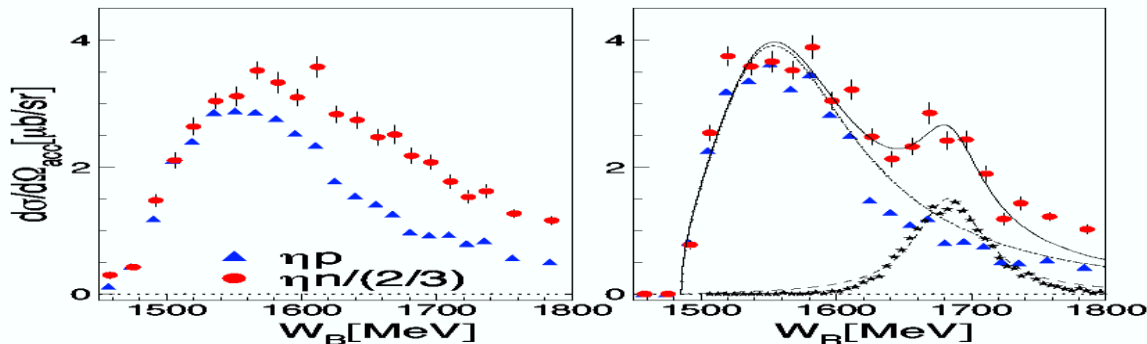
The preliminary result of looking for R(1680) on MAMI-C



Results on proton with microscope

Width of the structure

How narrow could this structure be?



I. Jaegle et al., 2008
CB-ELSA/TAPS

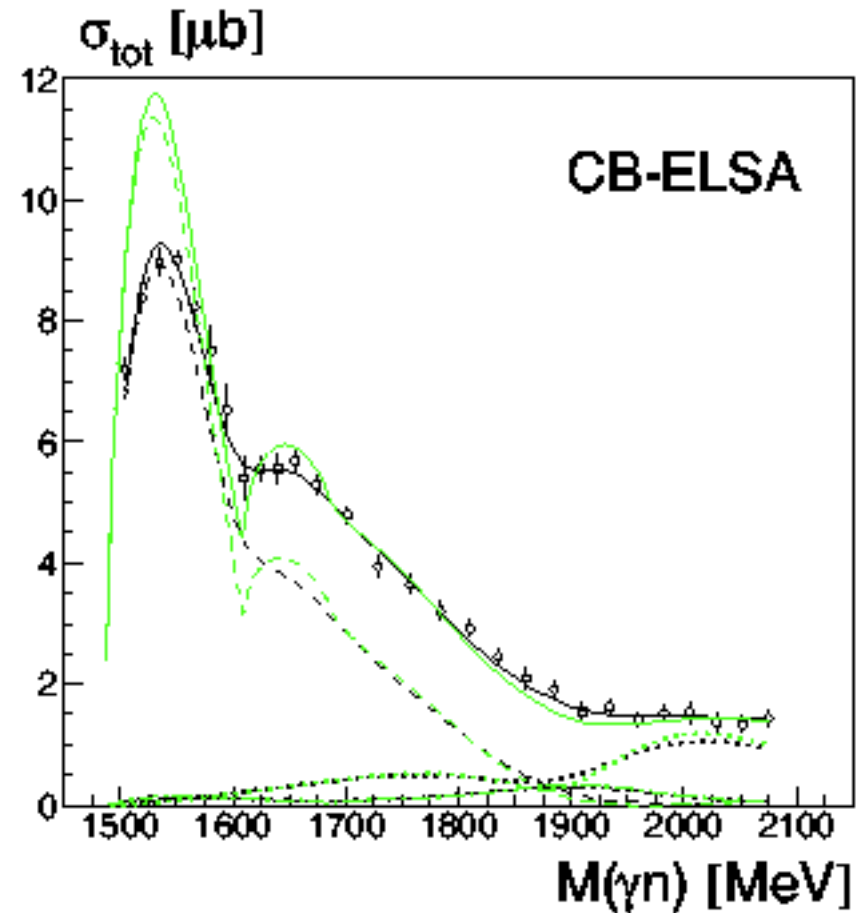
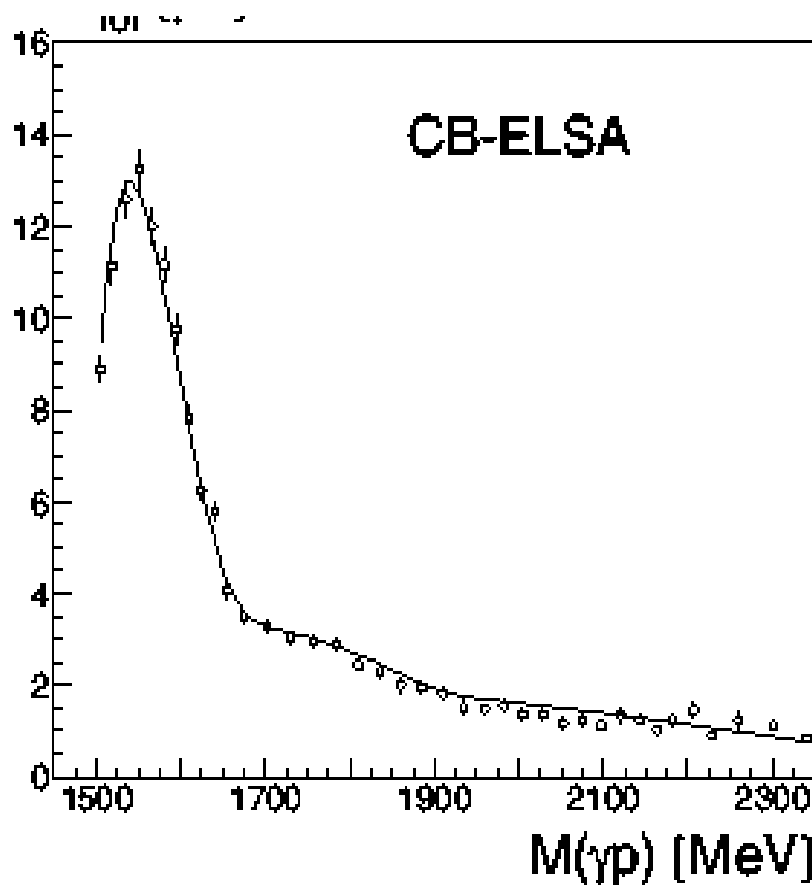
- TOF method used

$$\Gamma < 60 \pm 20 \text{ MeV}$$

- width is of the same order as the exp. resolution.
- with is strongly dependent of fit/background estimation

Results on neutron

Deuteron as neutron target



The total cross-section of eta-meson photoproduction on proton and neutron from deuteron target in comparison with PWA Bonn-Gatchin group.

Deuteron as neutron target

Fermi motion and FSI problem

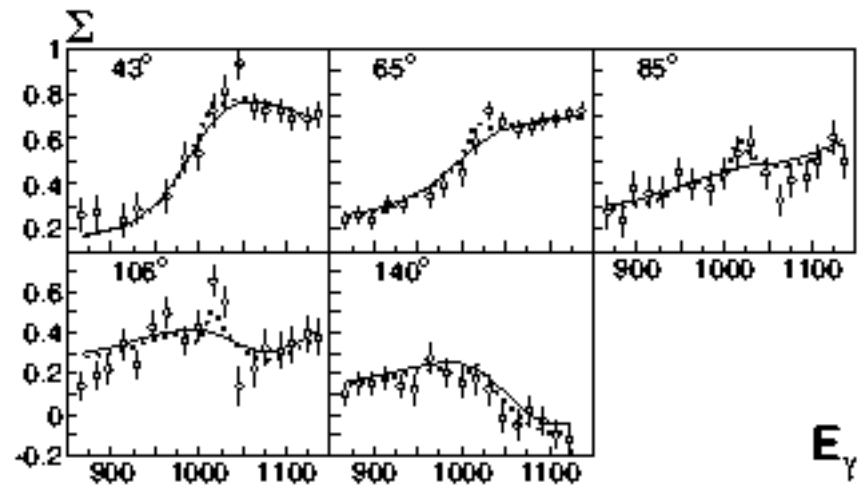
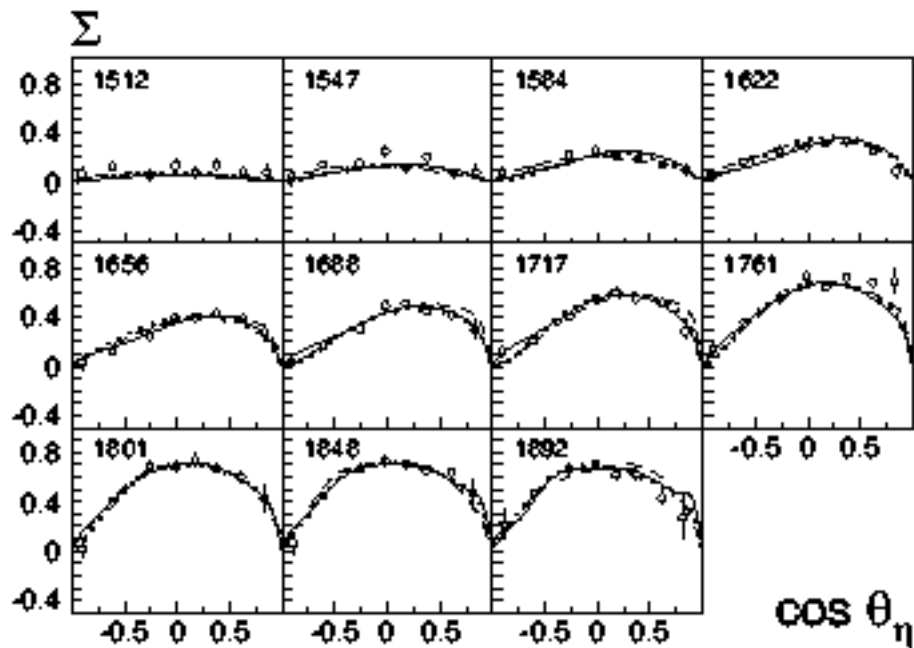
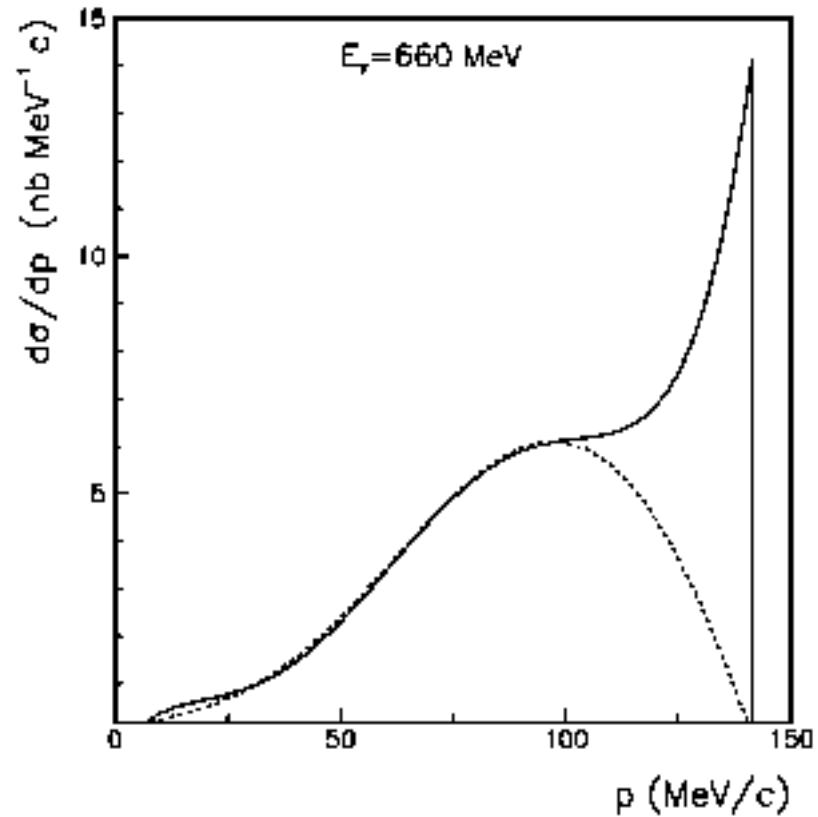
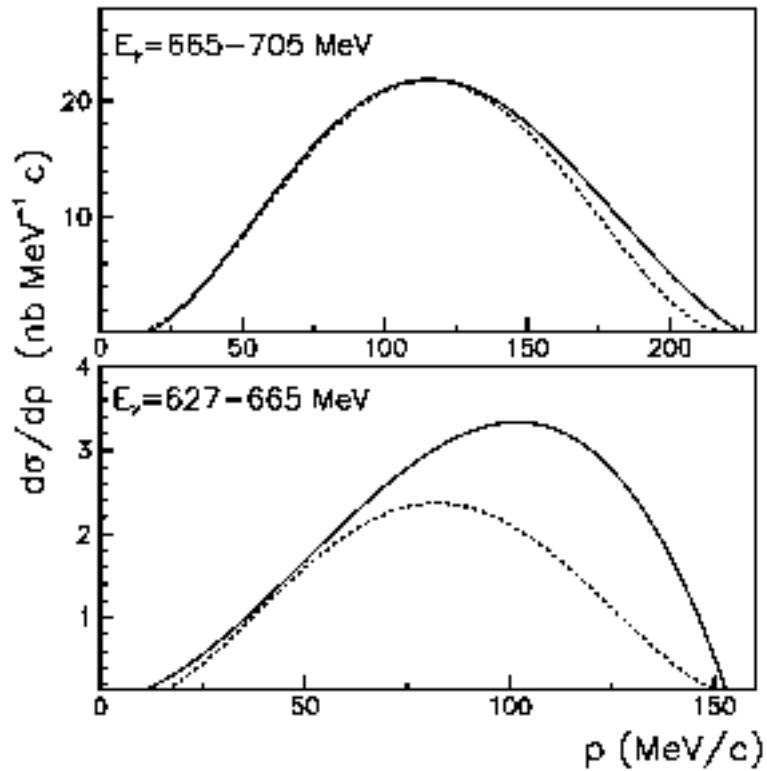


Fig. 12. Beam asymmetry for the reaction $\gamma p \rightarrow \eta p$ [17]. The PWA description is shown as solid line (solution 1) and dotted line (solution 3).

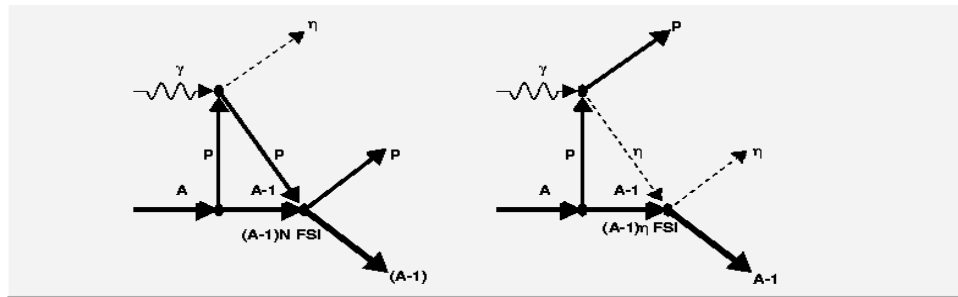
**Bonn-Gatchina analysis of existing experimental data:
Fermi motion should be included, effect of FSI small**

Effect of FSI in eta-meson photoproduction on deuteron

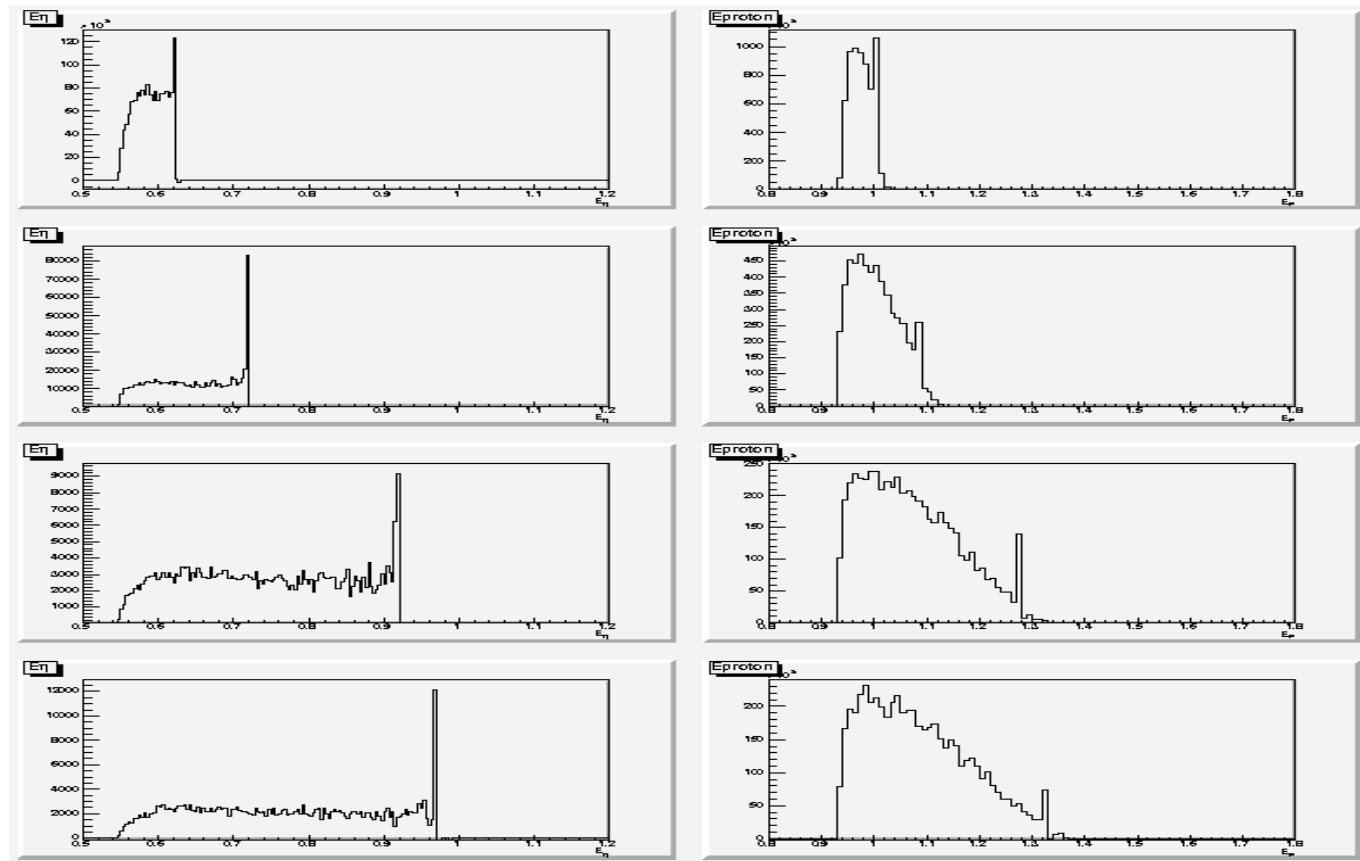


1. Strong influence of NN FSI
2. Good beam resolution is needed to observe effect
3. Quasi-free production is not seen?

Simulation of FSI



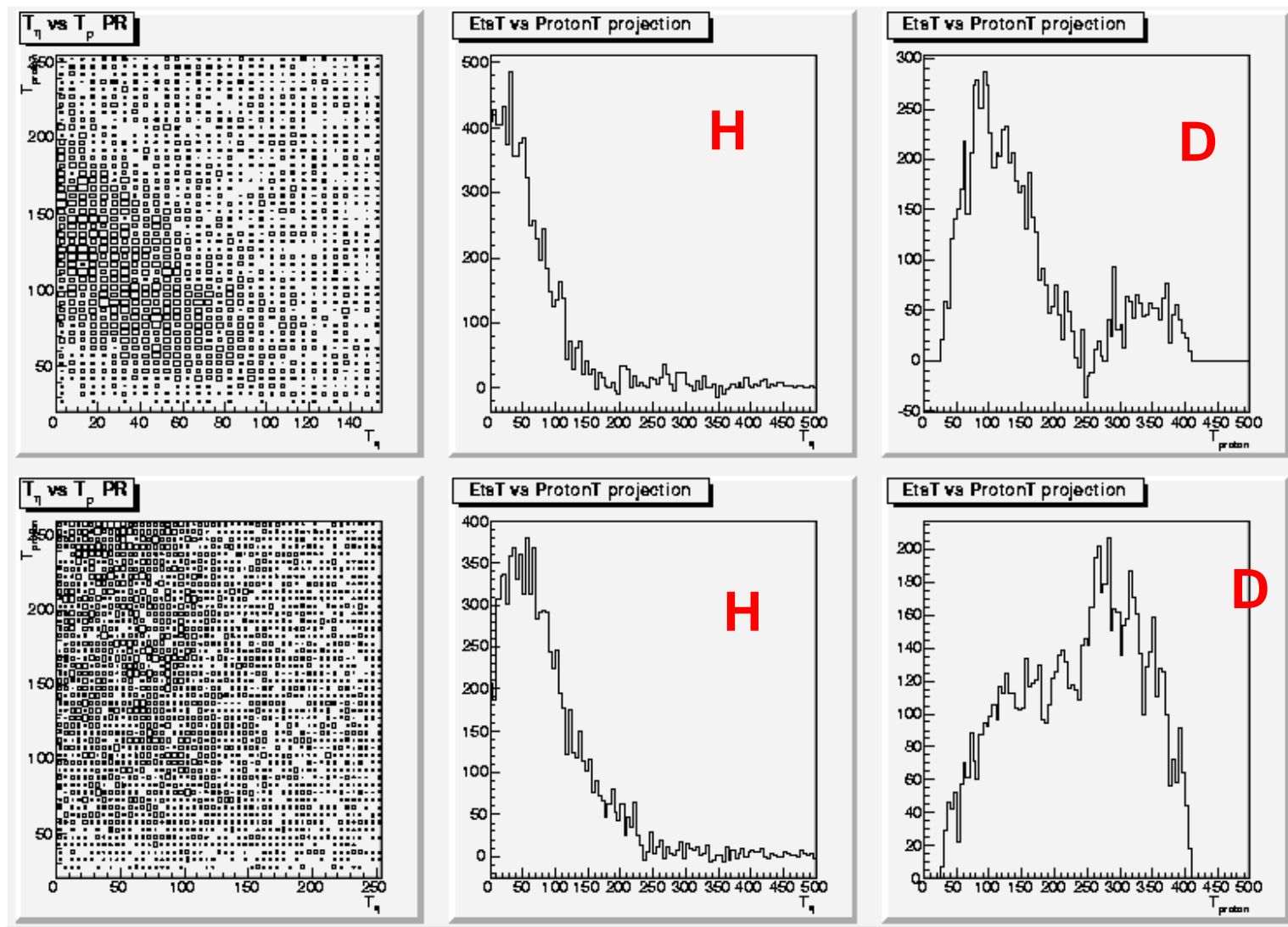
Reaction mechanism with FSI



Meson spectrum

Proton spectrum

The preliminary results from CB&TAPS on MAMI-C



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The energy spectra of protons (top) and mesons (bottom) from deuterium target
The spectra demonstrate not only Fermi smearing but some enhancement due to

Conclusion:

The main aim of A2 collaboration now – double-spin experiments for resonances study. The experiments must be carefully planned.

There are some indications on interesting physics problems which should be taken into account in experiments planning:

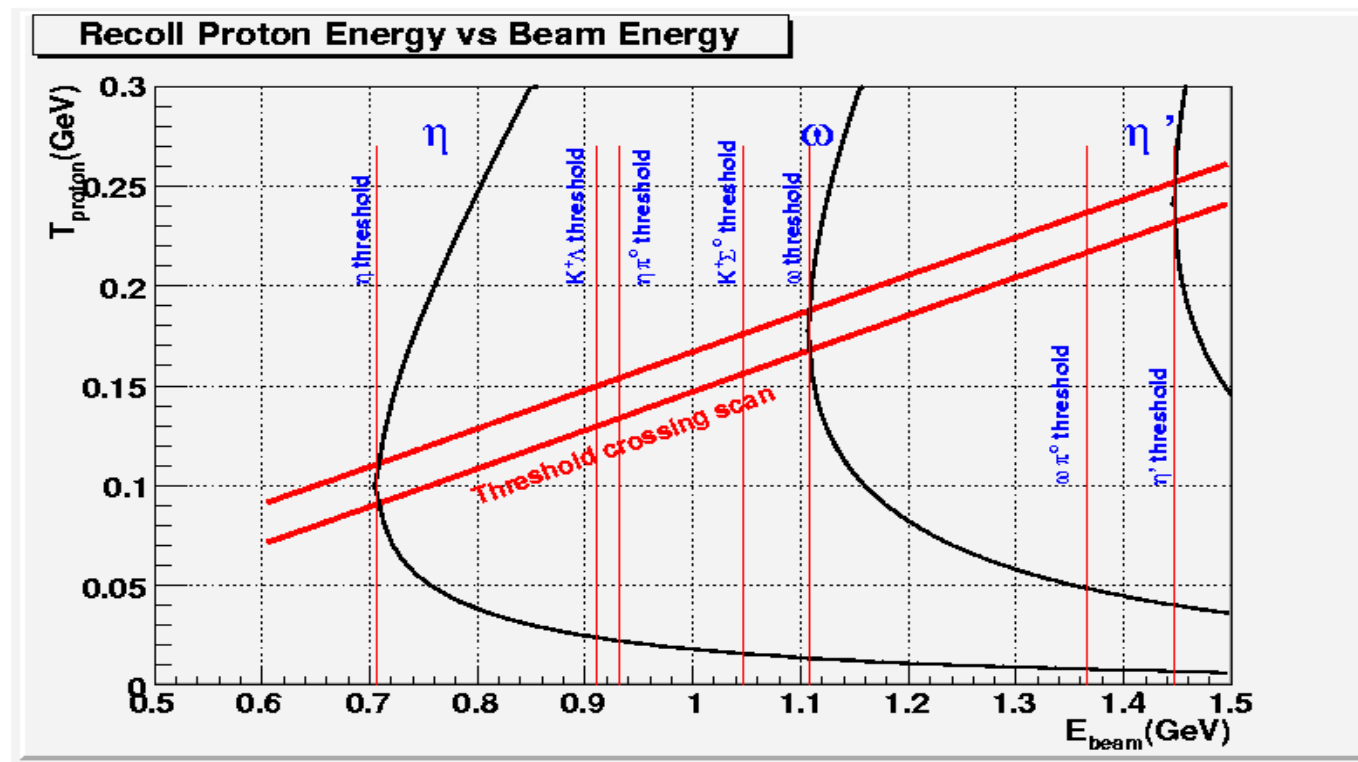
R(1680), FSI in deuteron, threshold effects.

All obtained experimental results are restricted by experimental resolution or by Fermi motion.

How to improve results? Statistics and resolution? Impossible to expect a serious improvement in resolution or statistics. How can we use the main advantage of CB&TAPS experimental set – good beam energy resolution?

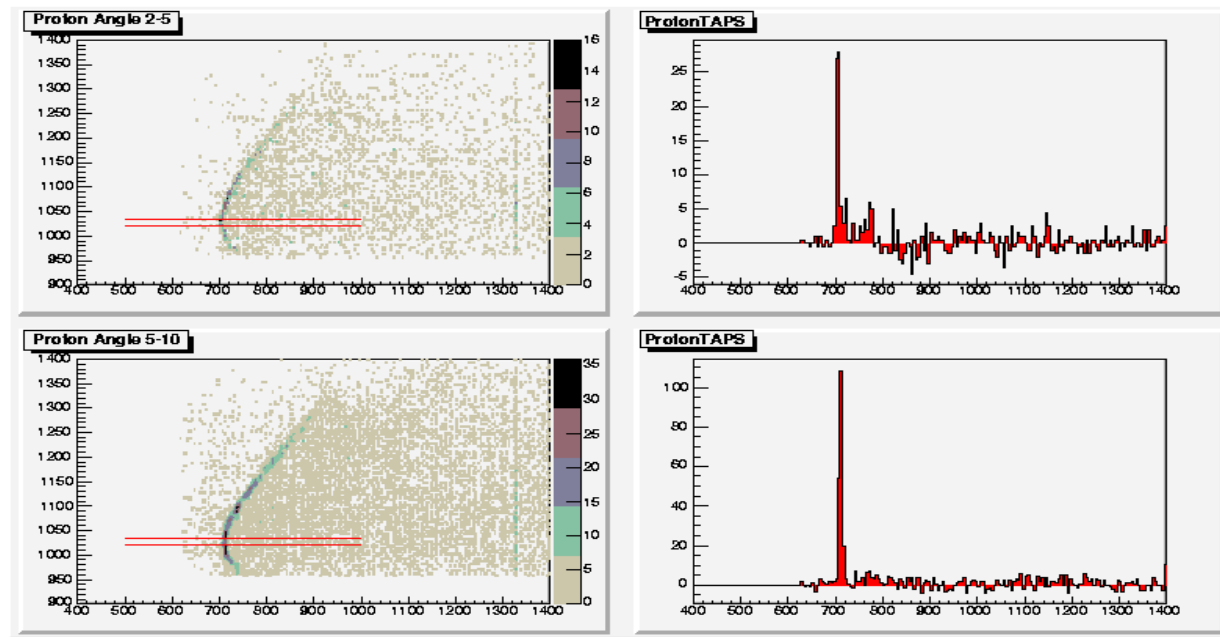
New method (“**threshold-crossing**”) for resonances study for CB&TAPS experimental set are developed.

Threshold-crossing technique



1. The resolution is mainly determined by beam energy resolution
2. The MAX Jacobian peak is a best ratio signal/background
3. The method permits to study narrow resonances
4. The "low" branch is suitable for resonances search for at high energy like ELSA or CLAS experiments (poor beam energy and good recoil proton resolution)

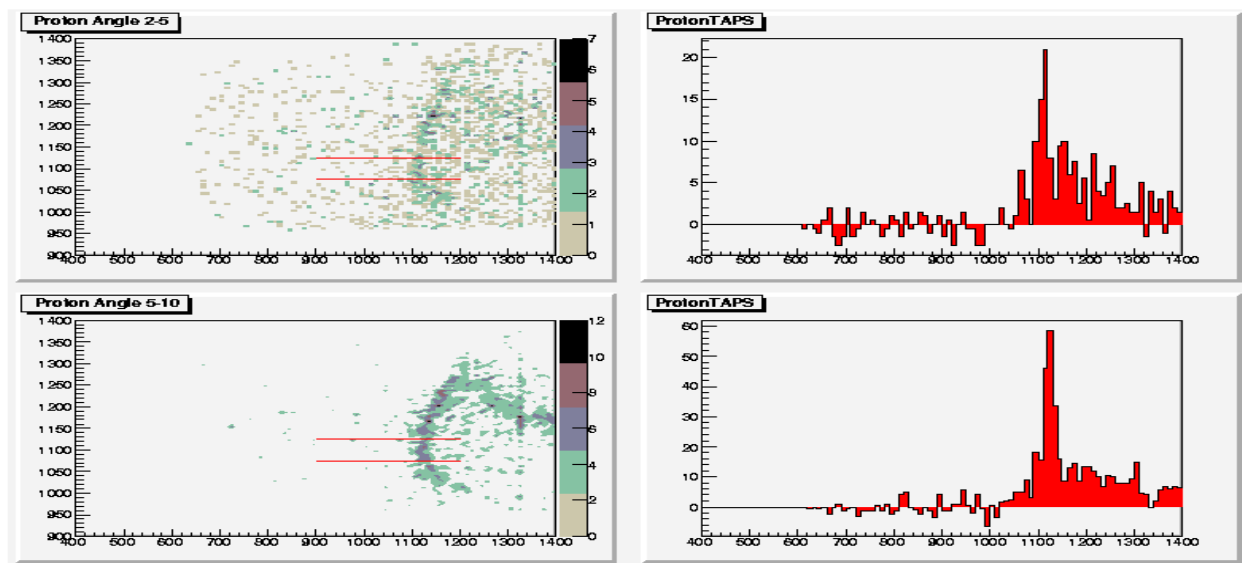
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The results of TC scan:

eta-meson scan 3-6 deg

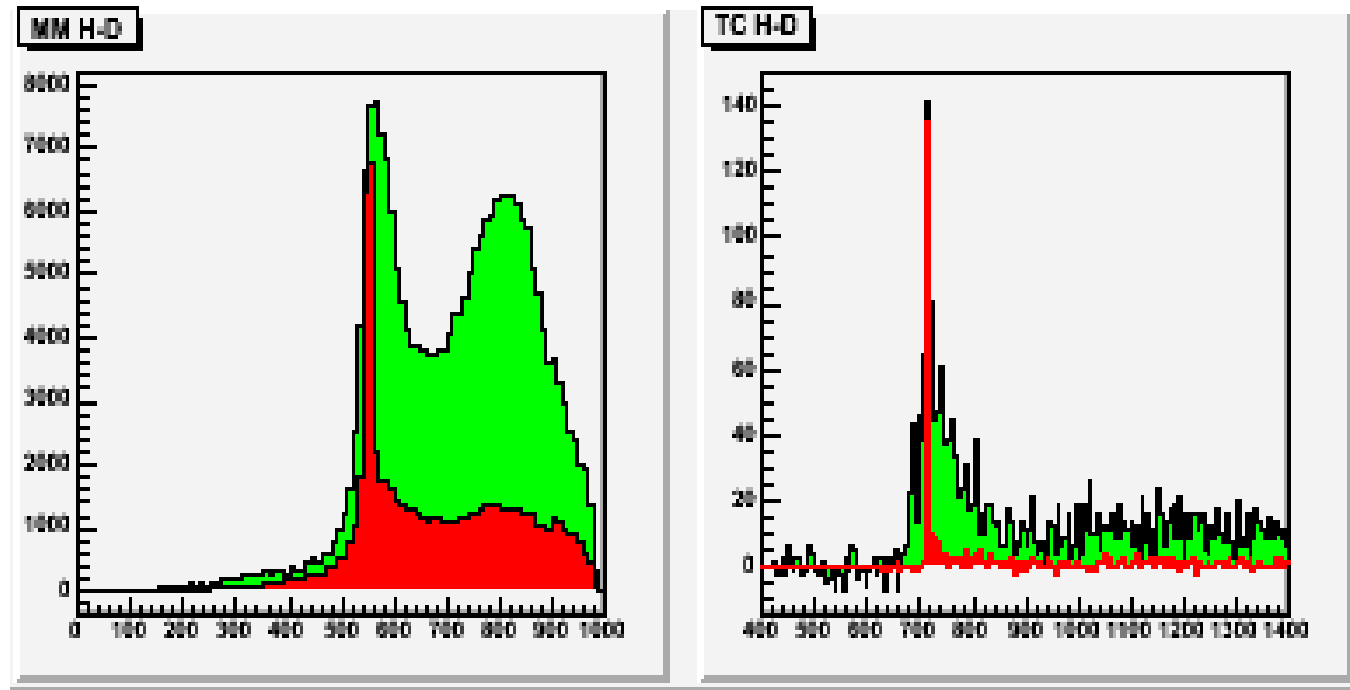
eta-meson scan 6-9 deg



omega-meson scan 3-6 deg

omega-meson scan 6-9 deg

The obtained width of omega-meson is in agreement with PDG



Comparison of MM and TC methods for hydrogen and deuterium target

Hydrogen target - red

Deuterium target green

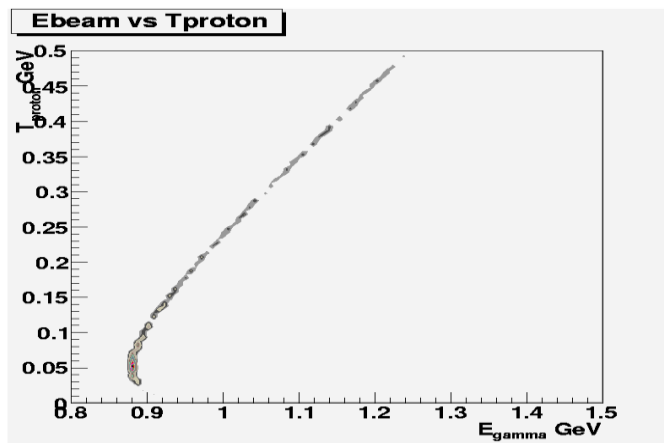
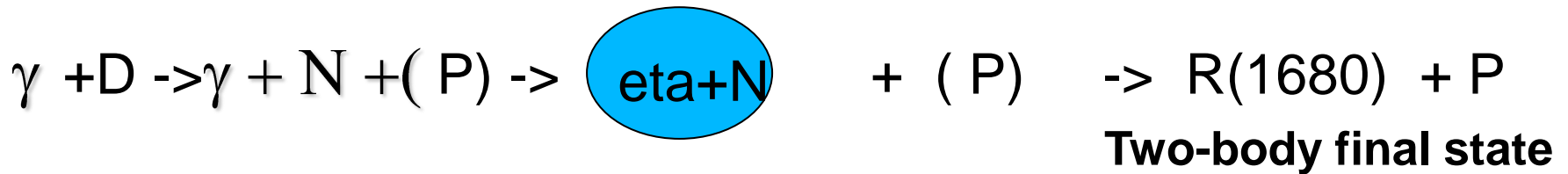
The advantages of TC method :

- Better resolution (ratio width of hydrogen and deuterium peaks)

- Better ratio peaks/background

Microscope should improve TC method

Pentaquark problem still exist. Experiments are planned in MAINZ and PNPI-IHEP. The TC method may be applied for looking for R(1680)(eta-neutron system) on deuteron target in reaction:



Kinematics of R(1680) production



Kinematics of recoil proton

Experiment **EPECUR** in ITEP(ITEP-PNPI collaboration on pion beam

1. two charged states
2. deuteron target

The TC method may be applied for pentaquark search for on D-target. The experimental set must be added by proton detectors.

Conclusion:

The new experimental data with high statistics permit to study in details reaction mechanism with a multy-particle final states.

The high beam energy resolution permits to find new unobservable effects in exita functions.

There are some indications on interesting physics problems - pentaquark, neutron target, FSI in deuteron.

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New method(“threshold-crossing”) for resonances study for CB&TAPS experimen are developed. The new experimental data with high beam energy resolution are n to confirm the sensivity of TC technique(microscope should be included).

~~The main aim of A2 collaboration now is a double polarization experimen for resonances study. All item mentioned above should be taken into accout in planning of double-polarization experiments~~

Thank you