

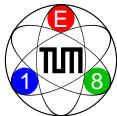
# Meson Spectroscopy at COMPASS

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# Overview

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## 2 COMPASS 2004

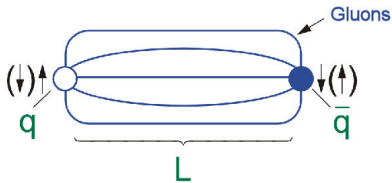
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## 4 Conclusion and Outlook

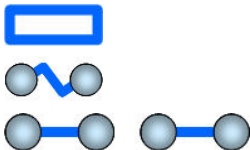
## Quarkmodel and QCD



- $X(I^G J^{PC})$
- LS-Coupling:  
 $J = \ell \oplus s = |\ell - s| \dots \ell + s,$   
 $(s = 0, 1)$
- Isospin and G-Parity conservation:  
 $G = (-1)^{I+\ell+s}$
- Parity:  
 $P = (-1)^{(\ell+1)}$
- Charge conjugation:  
 $C = (-1)^{(\ell+s)}$

## Quarkmodel and QCD

QCD allows states which are forbidden in the quarkmodel

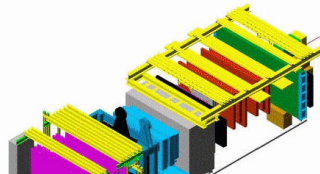


Glueballs:  $gg, ggg$

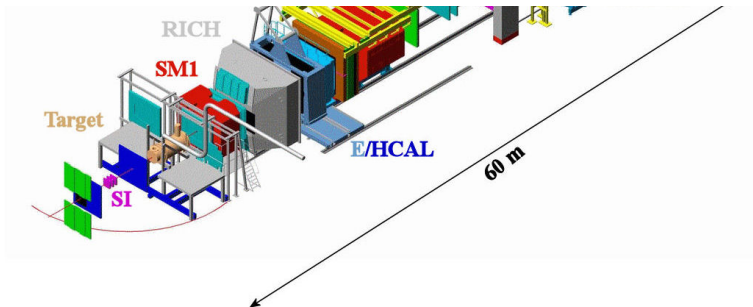
Hybrids:  $qg\bar{q}$

Tetraquarks:  $(q\bar{q})(q\bar{q})$

- Mixing of color neutral configurations with same quantum numbers
- leading  $q\bar{q}$  term vanishes  
 $\Rightarrow$  exotic  $J^{PC} : 0^{--}, 0^{+-}, 1^{-+}, \dots$

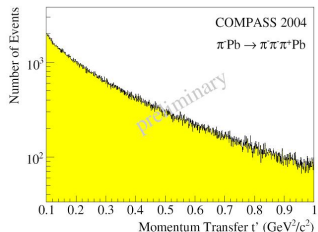
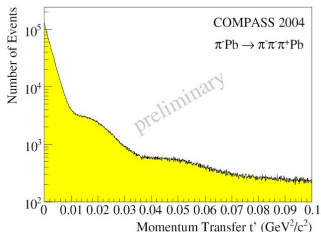
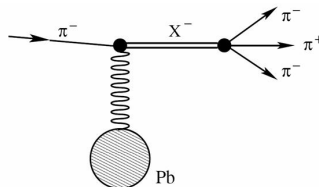


**COMPASS can contribute significantly in the low mass region**

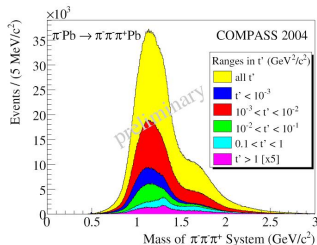


## Diffractive Dissociation into $3\pi$ Final States

- $\pi^- + Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+ + Pb$
- non-elastic but exclusive events
- target stays intact
- only momentum and angular momentum transfer to beam particle



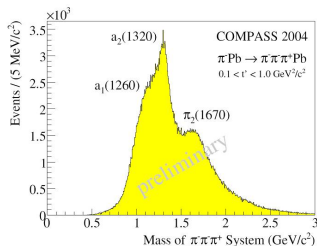
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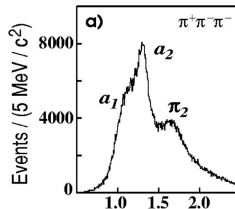
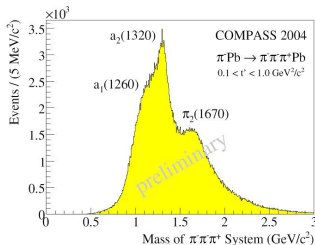


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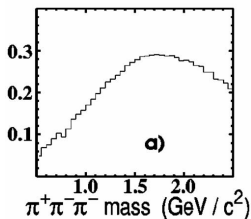
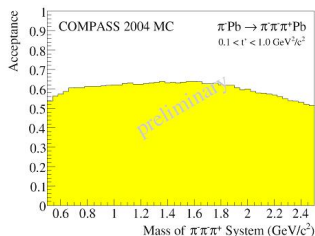
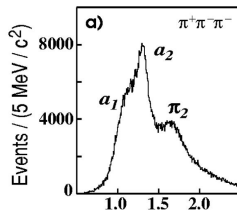
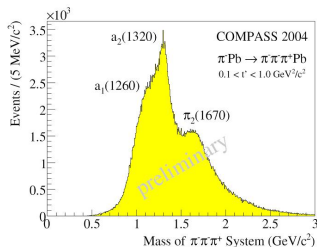
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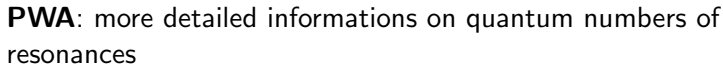
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- $p_\pi = 18 \text{ GeV}/c$
- 250k events

## Invariant Mass of $3\pi$ System



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## PWA Technique

### Illinois/Protvino/Munich Program - BNL/Munich Program

#### ① Mass-Independent PWA

$$\sigma_{indep}(\tau, m, t') =$$

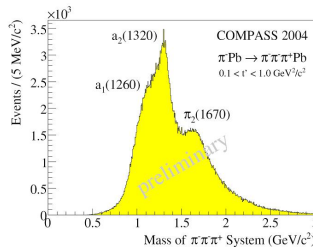
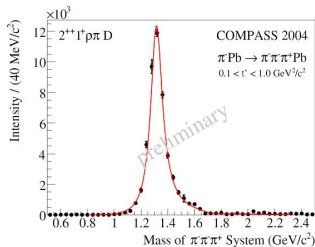
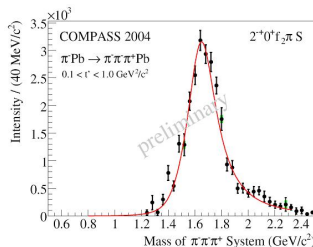
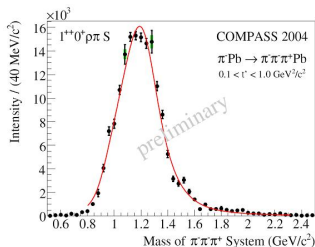
$$\sum_{\epsilon=\pm 1} \sum_{r=1}^{N_r} \left| \sum_i T_{ir}^\epsilon f_i^\epsilon(t') \psi_i^\epsilon(\tau, m) / \sqrt{\int |\psi_i^\epsilon(\tau', m)|^2 d\tau'} \right|^2$$

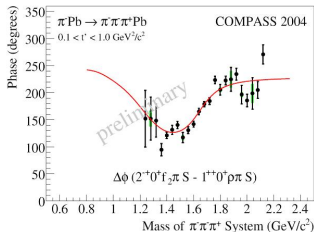
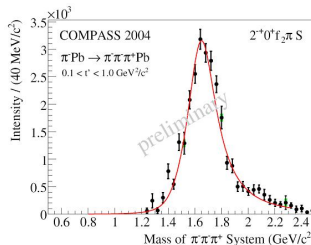
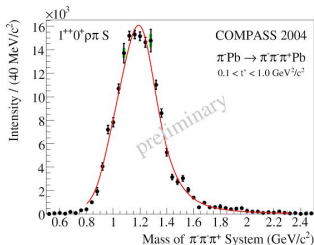
- Production amplitudes  $T_{ir}^\epsilon \rightarrow$  extended maximum likelihood fit
- Decay amplitudes  $\psi_i^\epsilon(\tau, m)$  (Zemach tensors, D functions)
- 41 partial waves  $i = J^{PC} M^\epsilon[Y] L$ 
  - with  $[Y] = (\pi\pi)_S, \rho(770), f_0(980), f_2(1270), \rho_3(1690)$
- Background wave

#### ② Mass-Dependent $\chi^2$ fit to results of step 1

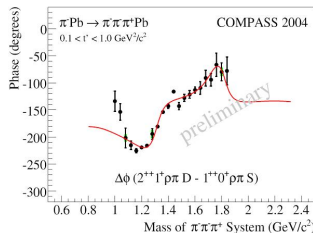
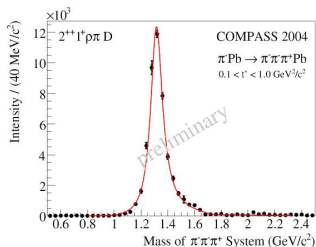
- 6 waves
- Parameterized by Breit-Wigner
- Coherent background for some waves

## Intensities of Major Waves

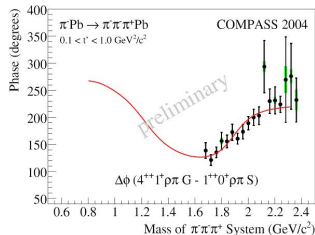
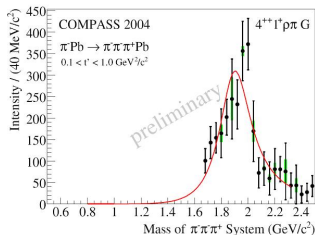


$a_1(1260)$  and  $\pi_2(1670)$ 

- BW for  $a_1(1260)$  + bgr  
 $M = (1255 \pm 6^{+7}_{-17}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = (367 \pm 9^{+28}_{-25}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- BW for  $\pi_2(1670)$   
 $M = (1658 \pm 3^{+24}_{-8}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = (271 \pm 9^{+22}_{-24}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$

$a_2(1320)$ 

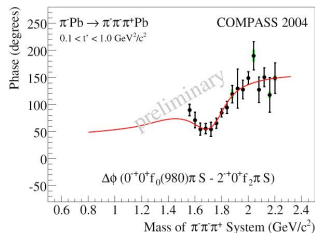
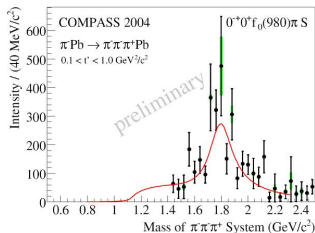
- Two Breit Wigner functions required to describe phase motion
- BW1 for  $a_2(1320)$   
 $M = (1321 \pm 1_{-7}^{+0}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = (110 \pm 2_{-25}^{+2}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- BW2 for  $a_2(1700)$ :  $M = 1732 \text{ MeV}/c^2, \Gamma = 194 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  (fixed PDG values)

$a_4(2040)$ 

- Constant width BW used for  $a_4(2040)$  (branching ratios not known)
- BW parameters
 
$$M = (1885 \pm 13^{+50}_{-2}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = (294 \pm 25^{+46}_{-19}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

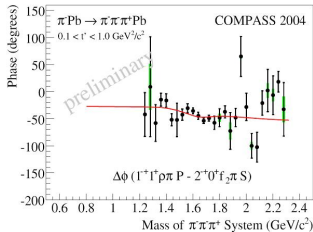
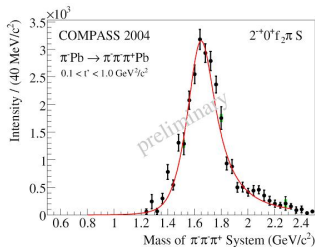
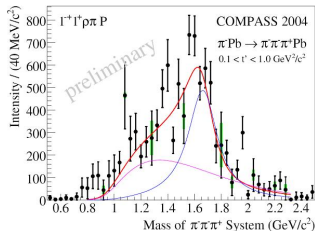


$\pi(1800)$ 

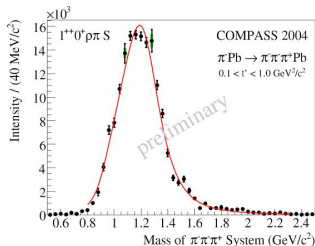
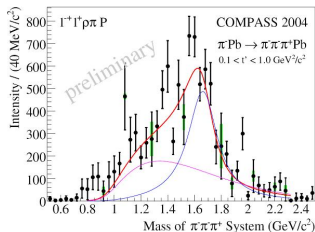
- Constant width BW used for  $\pi(1800)$  and low-mass background
- BW parameters
 
$$M = (1785 \pm 9^{+12}_{-6}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = (208 \pm 22^{+21}_{-37}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

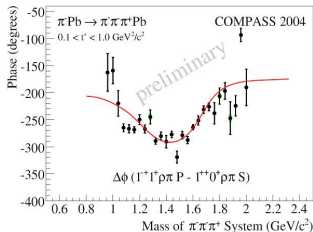
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- BW parameters for  $\pi_1(1600)$   
 $M = (1660 \pm 10_{-64}^{+0}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = (269 \pm 21_{-64}^{+42}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- Leakage negligible:  $< 5\%$

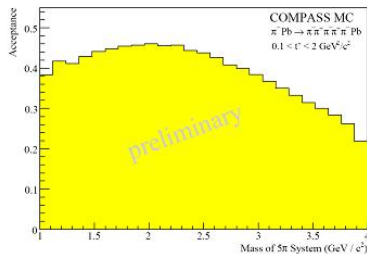
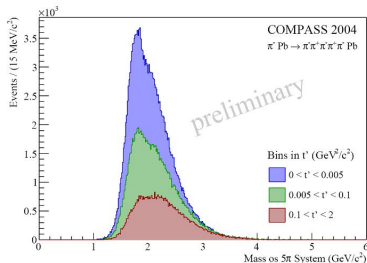


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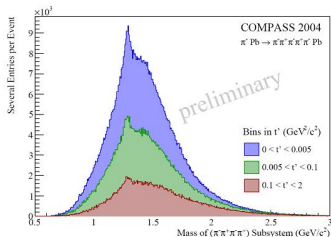
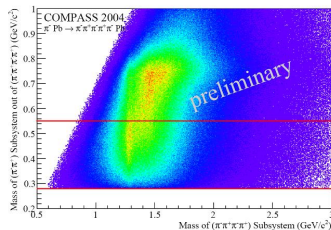
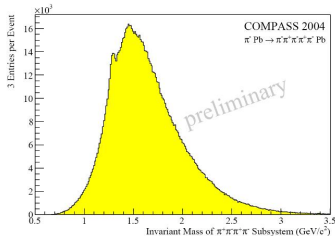
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- $\pi^- Pb \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- Pb$

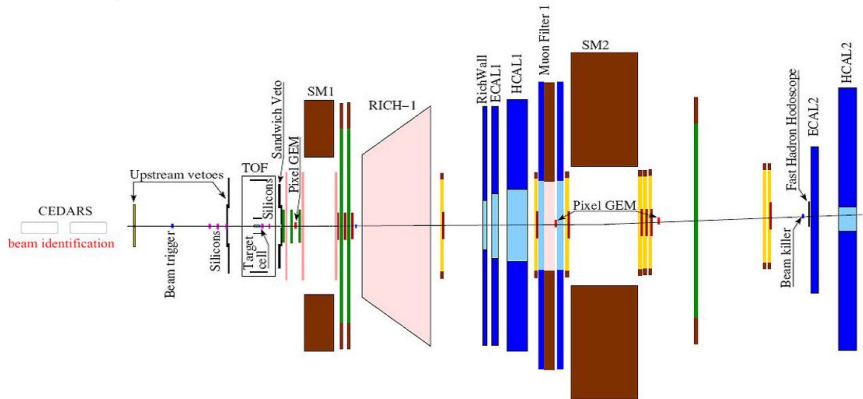


## $4\pi$ Subsystem

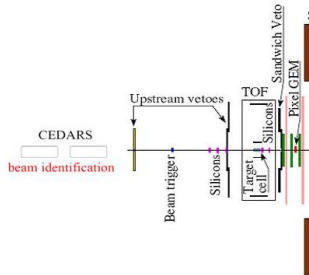


Name	Mass ( $\text{GeV} / c^2$ )	$J^G(J^{PC})$
$f_0$	1370 / 1700	$0^+(0^{++})$
$\eta'$	1403	$0^+(0^{-+})$
$\rho'$	1450	$1^+(1^{--})$
$b_1$	1235 / 1800	$1^+(1^{+-})$
$f_1$	1285 / 1450	$0^+(1^{++})$
$\eta'_2$	1645	$0^+(2^{-+})$
$f_2$	1565	$0^+(2^{++})$
$\rho_3$	1690	$1^+(3^{--})$

## Spectrometer Upgrade 2008

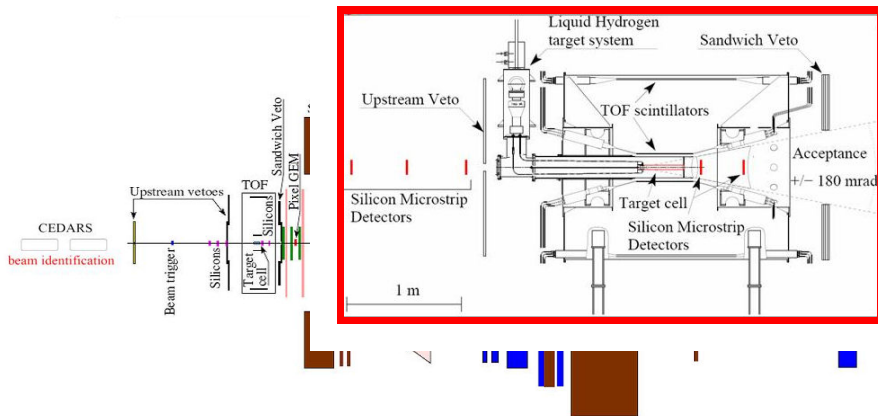


## Spectrometer Upgrade 2008 - Beam Particle Identification

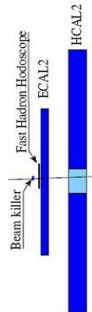
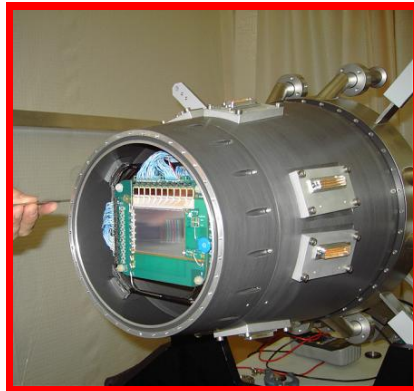
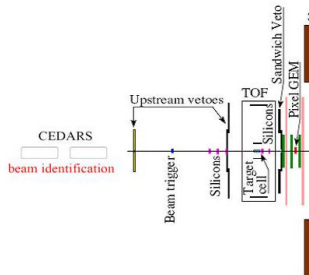




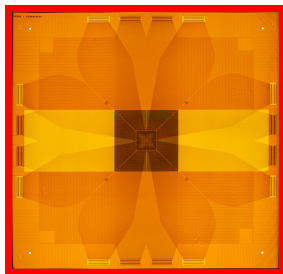
# Spectrometer Upgrade 2008 - Liquid Hydrogen Target - Proton Recoil Detector



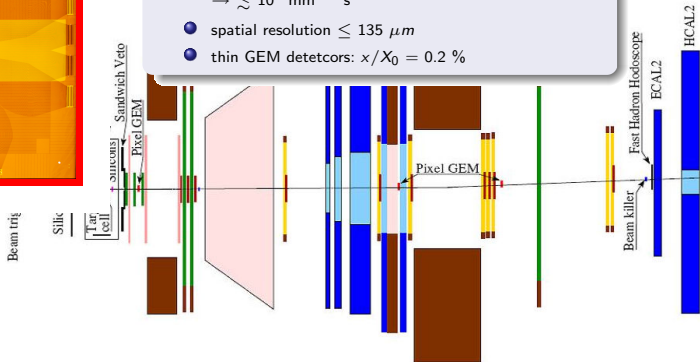
# Spectrometer Upgrade 2008 - Target Region - Silicon Microstrip Detectors



## Spectrometer Upgrade 2008 - PixelGEM Detectors



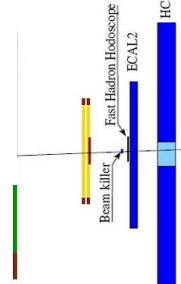
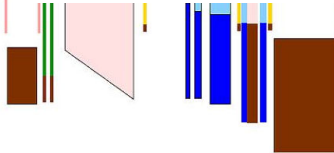
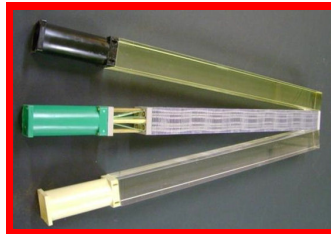
- stable operation in high intensity muon/hadron beam  
→  $4 \cdot 10^7 \text{ s}^{-1}$
- Pixel readout allows tracking in a high rate beam  
→  $\sim 10^5 \text{ mm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- spatial resolution  $\leq 135 \mu\text{m}$
- thin GEM detectors:  $x/X_0 = 0.2 \%$



## Spectrometer Upgrade 2008 - Electromagnetic Calorimeter

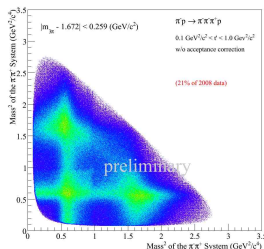
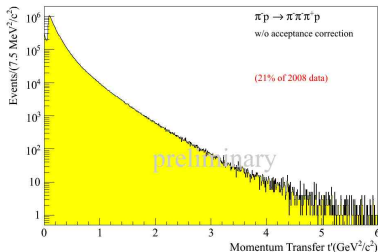
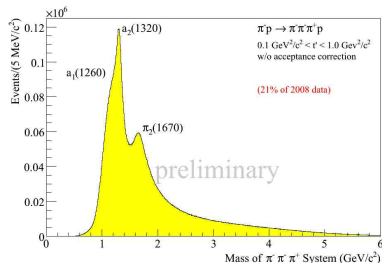


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Sandwich Veto
   
Pixel GEM
   
HCAL2



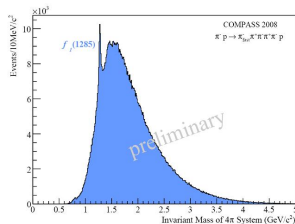
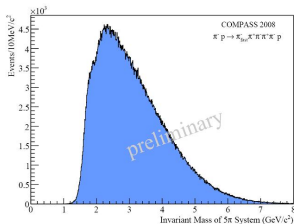
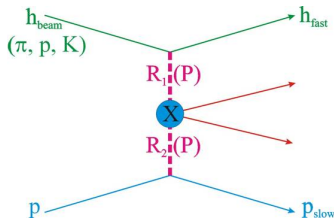
## Diffractive Dissociation into $3\pi$ Final States

- 190 GeV/c hadron beam  
→ 96% $\pi^-$ , 3.5% $K^-$ , 0.5% $\bar{p}$
- 40cm liquid hydrogen target
- 170000  $\pi_1(1600)$  events  
expected



## Central Production in COMPASS

- non-elastic but exclusive events
- target stays intact
- $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi_{fast}^- \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ p$

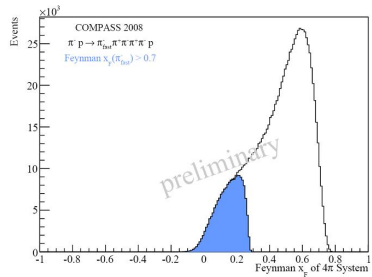
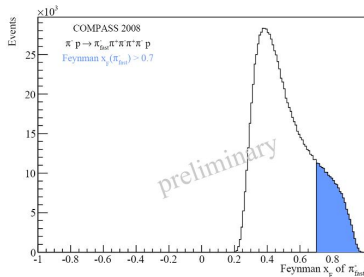


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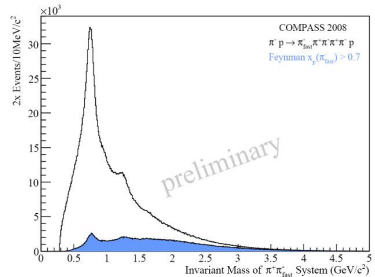
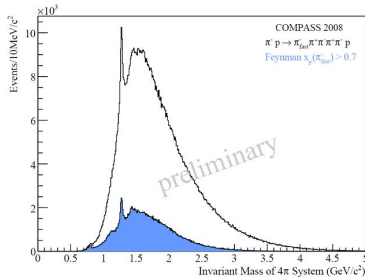
Selection of centrally produced events:

$\Rightarrow$  Cut on Feynman  $x_F$  of  $\pi_{fast}^-$

$$x_F = \frac{p_L}{p_L^{max}} \stackrel{CMS}{=} \frac{2p_{L,CMS}}{\sqrt{s}}$$



## Invariant Mass of Subsystems

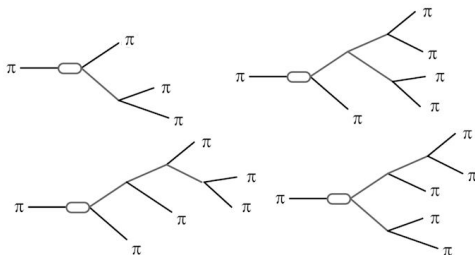




- Pilot Run 2004
  - significant amount of data in few days of data taking
  - **strong signal in exotic wave  $1^{-+}$  at 1.7 GeV/c**
- COMPASS 2008/2009
  - spectrometer upgrade:
    - CEDARS, liquid hydrogen target, RPD, additional Silicons, PixelGEMs, ECALs
  - Diffractive reactions: 10x BNL E852 statistics
  - Central reactions: 10x WA102 statistics
  - analysis on charged, neutral and kaonic final states
- two independent PWA programs

# Backup

## Interesting Candidate



$\pi_1(1600) \ 1^- 1^{++}$

- $(2\pi)^0 \pi^-$ :  
 $\rho\pi^-$ ,  $f_2(1270)\pi^-$
- $(4\pi)^0 \pi^-$ :  
 $b_1(1235)\pi^-$ ,  
 $f_1(1285)\pi^-$
- $\eta'(958)\pi^-$

**COMPASS has access to all of these decay modes**

# Wave Set of 2004 $3\pi$ PWA

$J^{PC}M^\epsilon$	$L$	Isobar $\pi$	Thresh. [GeV]
$0^-+0^+$	$S$	$f_0\pi$	1.40
$0^-+0^+$	$S$	$(\pi\pi)_S\pi$	-
$0^-+0^+$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^-+1^+$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^{++}0^+$	$S$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^{++}0^+$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$1^{++}0^+$	$P$	$(\pi\pi)_S\pi$	0.84
$1^{++}0^+$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	1.30
$1^{++}1^+$	$S$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^{++}1^+$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.40
$1^{++}1^+$	$P$	$(\pi\pi)_S\pi$	1.40
$1^{++}1^+$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	1.40
$2^-+0^+$	$S$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$2^-+0^+$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	0.80
$2^-+0^+$	$D$	$f_2\pi$	1.50
$2^-+0^+$	$D$	$(\pi\pi)_S\pi$	0.80
$2^-+0^+$	$F$	$\rho\pi$	1.20
$2^-+1^+$	$S$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$2^-+1^+$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	0.80
$2^-+1^+$	$D$	$f_2\pi$	1.50
$2^-+1^+$	$D$	$(\pi\pi)_S\pi$	1.20
$2^-+1^+$	$F$	$\rho\pi$	1.20

$J^{PC}M^\epsilon$	$L$	Isobar $\pi$	Thresh. [GeV]
$2^{++}1^+$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.50
$2^{++}1^+$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	-
$3^{++}0^+$	$S$	$\rho_3\pi$	1.50
$3^{++}0^+$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$3^{++}0^+$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	1.50
$3^{++}1^+$	$S$	$\rho_3\pi$	1.50
$3^{++}1^+$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$3^{++}1^+$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	1.50
$4^-+0^+$	$F$	$\rho\pi$	1.20
$4^-+1^+$	$F$	$\rho\pi$	1.20
$4^{++}1^+$	$F$	$f_2\pi$	1.60
$4^{++}1^+$	$G$	$\rho\pi$	1.64
$1^-+0^-$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^-+1^-$	$P$	$\rho\pi$	-
$1^{++}1^-$	$S$	$\rho\pi$	-
$2^-+1^-$	$S$	$f_2\pi$	1.20
$2^{++}0^-$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.30
$2^{++}0^-$	$D$	$\rho\pi$	-
$2^{++}1^-$	$P$	$f_2\pi$	1.30
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