

$a_2(1320)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{++})$$

$a_2(1320)$ MASS

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID
1318.1 ± 0.6 OUR AVERAGE	Includes data from the 4 datablocks that follow this one. Error includes scale factor of 1.1.

3π MODE

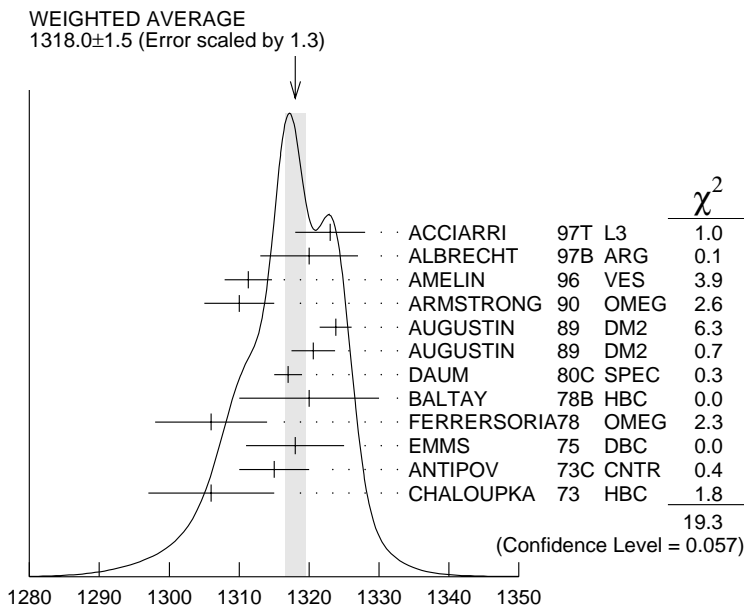
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1318.0 ± 1.5 OUR AVERAGE Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.

1323 ± 4 ± 3		ACCIARRI	97T L3		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
1320 ± 7		ALBRECHT	97B ARG		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
1311.3 ± 1.6 ± 3.0	72400	AMELIN	96 VES		$36 \pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 n$
1310 ± 5		ARMSTRONG	90 OMEG 0		$300.0 p p \rightarrow p p \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
1323.8 ± 2.3	4022	AUGUSTIN	89 DM2 ±		$J/\psi \rightarrow \rho^\pm a_2^\mp$
1320.6 ± 3.1	3562	AUGUSTIN	89 DM2 0		$J/\psi \rightarrow \rho^0 a_2^0$
1317 ± 2	25000	¹ DAUM	80C SPEC -		$63,94 \pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
1320 ± 10	1097	¹ BALTAY	78B HBC +0		$15 \pi^+ p \rightarrow p 4\pi$
1306 ± 8		FERRERSORIA	78 OMEG -		$9 \pi^- p \rightarrow p 3\pi$
1318 ± 7	1600	¹ EMMS	75 DBC 0		$4 \pi^+ n \rightarrow p(3\pi)^0$
1315 ± 5		¹ ANTIPOV	73C CNTR -		$25,40 \pi^- p \rightarrow p \eta \pi^-$
1306 ± 9	1580	CHALOUPKA	73 HBC -		$3.9 \pi^- p$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●					
1305 ± 14		CONDO	93 SHF		$\gamma p \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$
1310 ± 2		¹ EVANGELISTA	81 OMEG -		$12 \pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
1343 ± 11	490	BALTAY	78B HBC 0		$15 \pi^+ p \rightarrow \Delta 3\pi$
1309 ± 5	5000	BINNIE	71 MMS -		$\pi^- p$ near a_2 thresh- old
1299 ± 6	28000	BOWEN	71 MMS -		$5 \pi^- p$
1300 ± 6	24000	BOWEN	71 MMS +		$5 \pi^+ p$
1309 ± 4	17000	BOWEN	71 MMS -		$7 \pi^- p$
1306 ± 4	941	ALSTON-...	70 HBC +		$7.0 \pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$

¹From a fit to $J^P = 2^+ \rho\pi$ partial wave.



$a_2(1320)$ mass, 3π mode (MeV)

$K^\pm K_S^0$ MODE

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1318.1± 0.7 OUR AVERAGE

1319 ± 5	4700	^{2,3} CLELAND	82B SPEC	+	50 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ p$
1324 ± 6	5200	^{2,3} CLELAND	82B SPEC	-	50 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- p$
1320 ± 2	4000	CHABAUD	80 SPEC	-	17 $\pi^- A \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- A$
1312 ± 4	11000	CHABAUD	78 SPEC	-	9.8 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
1316 ± 2	4730	CHABAUD	78 SPEC	-	18.8 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
1318 ± 1		^{2,4} MARTIN	78D SPEC	-	10 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- p$
1320 ± 2	2724	MARGULIE	76 SPEC	-	23 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
1313 ± 4	730	FOLEY	72 CNTR	-	20.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
1319 ± 3	1500	⁴ GRAYER	71 ASPK	-	17.2 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$

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1330 ± 11	1000	^{2,3} CLELAND	82B SPEC	+	30 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ p$
1324 ± 5	350	HYAMS	78 ASPK	+	12.7 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K^+ K_S^0 p$

²From a fit to $J^P = 2^+$ partial wave.

³ Number of events evaluated by us.

⁴ Systematic error in mass scale subtracted.

$\eta\pi$ MODE

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1318.0 ± 1.5 OUR AVERAGE

1317 ±1 ±2		THOMPSON	97	MPS		18 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta\pi^- p$
1315 ±5 ±2		⁵ AMSLER	94D	CBAR		0.0 $\bar{p} p \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\eta$
1325.1 ± 5.1		AOYAGI	93	BKEI		$\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta\pi^- p$
1317.7 ± 1.4 ± 2.0		BELADIDZE	93	VES		37 $\pi^- N \rightarrow \eta\pi^- N$
1323 ±8	1000	⁶ KEY	73	OSPK	-	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p\pi^- \eta$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

1324 ±5		ARMSTRONG	93C	E760	0	$\bar{p} p \rightarrow \pi^0\eta\eta \rightarrow 6\gamma$
1336.2 ± 1.7	2561	DELFOSSÉ	81	SPEC	+	$\pi^\pm p \rightarrow p\pi^\pm \eta$
1330.7 ± 2.4	1653	DELFOSSÉ	81	SPEC	-	$\pi^\pm p \rightarrow p\pi^\pm \eta$
1324 ±8	6200	^{6,7} CONFORTO	73	OSPK	-	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p\pi^- \eta$

⁵ The systematic error of 2 MeV corresponds to the spread of solutions.

⁶ Error includes 5 MeV systematic mass-scale error.

⁷ Missing mass with enriched MMS = $\eta\pi^-$, $\eta = 2\gamma$.

$\eta'\pi$ MODE

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1327.0 ± 10.7		BELADIDZE	93	VES		37 $\pi^- N \rightarrow \eta'\pi^- N$
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$a_2(1320)$ WIDTH

3 π MODE

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104.1 ± 2.0 OUR AVERAGE

105 ±10 ±11		ACCIARRI	97T	L3		$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$
120 ±10		ALBRECHT	97B	ARG		$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$
103.0 ± 6.0 ± 3.3	72400	AMELIN	96	VES		36 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0 n$
120 ±10		ARMSTRONG	90	OMEG	0	300.0 $pp \rightarrow p p \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$
107.0 ± 9.7	4022	AUGUSTIN	89	DM2	±	$J/\psi \rightarrow \rho^\pm a_2^\mp$
118.5 ± 12.5	3562	AUGUSTIN	89	DM2	0	$J/\psi \rightarrow \rho^0 a_2^0$
97 ± 5		⁸ EVANGELISTA	81	OMEG	-	12 $\pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
96 ± 9	25000	⁸ DAUM	80C	SPEC	-	63,94 $\pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$

110	± 15	1097	⁸ BALTAY	78B HBC	+0	15 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow p 4\pi$
112	± 18	1600	⁸ EMMS	75 DBC	0	4 $\pi^+ n \rightarrow p(3\pi)^0$
122	± 14	1200	^{8,9} WAGNER	75 HBC	0	7 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Delta^{++}(3\pi)^0$
115	± 15		⁸ ANTIPOV	73C CNTR	-	25,40 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p\eta\pi^-$
99	± 15	1580	CHALOUPKA	73 HBC	-	3.9 $\pi^- p$
105	± 5	28000	BOWEN	71 MMS	-	5 $\pi^- p$
99	± 5	24000	BOWEN	71 MMS	+	5 $\pi^+ p$
103	± 5	17000	BOWEN	71 MMS	-	7 $\pi^- p$
120	± 40		CONDO	93 SHF		$\gamma p \rightarrow \eta\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$
115	± 14	490	BALTAY	78B HBC	0	15 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \Delta 3\pi$
72	± 16	5000	BINNIE	71 MMS	-	$\pi^- p$ near a_2 threshold
79	± 12	941	ALSTON-...	70 HBC	+	7.0 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

⁸ From a fit to $J^P = 2^+ \rho\pi$ partial wave.

⁹ Width errors enlarged by us to $4\Gamma/\sqrt{N}$; see the note with the $K^*(892)$ mass.

$K^\pm K_S^0$ AND $\eta\pi$ MODES

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID
107 ± 5 OUR ESTIMATE	
110.3 ± 1.7 OUR AVERAGE	Includes data from the 2 datablocks that follow this one.

$K^\pm K_S^0$ MODE

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
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109.8 ± 2.4 OUR AVERAGE

112	± 20	4700	^{10,11} CLELAND	82B SPEC	+	50 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ p$
120	± 25	5200	^{10,11} CLELAND	82B SPEC	-	50 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- p$
106	± 4	4000	CHABAUD	80 SPEC	-	17 $\pi^- A \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- A$
126	± 11	11000	CHABAUD	78 SPEC	-	9.8 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
101	± 8	4730	CHABAUD	78 SPEC	-	18.8 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
113	± 4		^{10,12} MARTIN	78D SPEC	-	10 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- p$
105	± 8	2724	¹² MARGULIE	76 SPEC	-	23 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
113	± 19	730	FOLEY	72 CNTR	-	20.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$
123	± 13	1500	¹² GRAYER	71 ASPK	-	17.2 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^- K_S^0 p$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

121	± 51	1000	^{10,11} CLELAND	82B SPEC	+	30 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ p$
110	± 18	350	HYAMS	78 ASPK	+	12.7 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow K^+ K_S^0 p$

¹⁰ From a fit to $J^P = 2^+$ partial wave.

¹¹ Number of events evaluated by us.

¹² Width errors enlarged by us to $4\Gamma/\sqrt{N}$; see the note with the $K^*(892)$ mass.

$\eta\pi$ MODE

VALUE (MeV)	EVTs	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
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111.0 ± 2.5 OUR AVERAGE

112 ± 3 ± 2		¹³ AMSLER	94D	CBAR	0.0 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$
103 ± 6 ± 3		BELADIDZE	93	VES	37 $\pi^- N \rightarrow \eta \pi^- N$
112.2 ± 5.7	2561	DELFOSSÉ	81	SPEC +	$\pi^\pm p \rightarrow p \pi^\pm \eta$
116.6 ± 7.7	1653	DELFOSSÉ	81	SPEC -	$\pi^\pm p \rightarrow p \pi^\pm \eta$
108 ± 9	1000	KEY	73	OSPK -	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi^- \eta$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

127 ± 2 ± 2		¹⁴ THOMPSON	97	MPS	18 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta \pi^- p$
118 ± 10		ARMSTRONG	93C	E760	0 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta \eta \rightarrow 6\gamma$
104 ± 9	6200	¹⁵ CONFORTO	73	OSPK -	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi^- \eta$

¹³ The systematic error of 2 MeV corresponds to the spread of solutions.

¹⁴ Resolution is not unfolded.

¹⁵ Missing mass with enriched MMS = $\eta \pi^-$, $\eta = 2\gamma$.

 $\eta'\pi$ MODE

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
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106 ± 32	BELADIDZE	93 VES	37 $\pi^- N \rightarrow \eta' \pi^- N$
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 $a_2(1320)$ DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level
Γ_1 $\rho\pi$	(70.1 ± 2.7) %	S=1.2
Γ_2 $\eta\pi$	(14.5 ± 1.2) %	
Γ_3 $\omega\pi\pi$	(10.6 ± 3.2) %	S=1.3
Γ_4 $K\bar{K}$	(4.9 ± 0.8) %	
Γ_5 $\eta'(958)\pi$	(5.3 ± 0.9) × 10 ⁻³	
Γ_6 $\pi^\pm\gamma$	(2.8 ± 0.6) × 10 ⁻³	
Γ_7 $\gamma\gamma$	(9.4 ± 0.7) × 10 ⁻⁶	
Γ_8 $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	< 8 %	CL=90%
Γ_9 e^+e^-	< 2.3 × 10 ⁻⁷	CL=90%

CONSTRAINED FIT INFORMATION

An overall fit to 5 branching ratios uses 18 measurements and one constraint to determine 4 parameters. The overall fit has a $\chi^2 = 9.3$ for 15 degrees of freedom.

The following *off-diagonal* array elements are the correlation coefficients $\langle \delta x_i \delta x_j \rangle / (\delta x_i \delta x_j)$, in percent, from the fit to the branching fractions, $x_i \equiv \Gamma_i / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$. The fit constrains the x_i whose labels appear in this array to sum to one.

x_2	10		
x_3	-89	-46	
x_4	-1	-2	-24
	x_1	x_2	x_3

$a_2(1320)$ PARTIAL WIDTHS

$\Gamma(\pi^\pm \gamma)$	VALUE (keV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	Γ_6	
295 ± 60		CIHANGIR	82	SPEC	+	200 $\pi^+ A$	
• • •						We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •	
461 ± 110		MAY	77	SPEC	±	9.7 γA	

$\Gamma(\gamma\gamma)$	VALUE (keV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	Γ_7
1.00 ± 0.06 OUR AVERAGE							
0.98 ± 0.05 ± 0.09			ACCIARRI	97T L3		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
0.96 ± 0.03 ± 0.13			ALBRECHT	97B ARG		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
1.26 ± 0.26 ± 0.18	36		BARU	90 MD1		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
1.00 ± 0.07 ± 0.15	415		BEHREND	90C CELL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
1.03 ± 0.13 ± 0.21			BUTLER	90 MRK2		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
1.01 ± 0.14 ± 0.22	85		OEST	90 JADE		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \eta$	
0.90 ± 0.27 ± 0.15	56	16	ALTHOFF	86 TASS	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- 3\pi$	
1.14 ± 0.20 ± 0.26		17	ANTREASYAN	86 CBAL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \eta$	
1.06 ± 0.18 ± 0.19			BERGER	84C PLUT	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- 3\pi$	
• • •						We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •	
0.81 ± 0.19 ^{+0.42} _{-0.11}	35	16	BEHREND	83B CELL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- 3\pi$	
0.77 ± 0.18 ± 0.27	22	17	EDWARDS	82F CBAL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \eta$	

¹⁶ From $\rho\pi$ decay mode.

¹⁷ From $\eta\pi^0$ decay mode.

$\Gamma(e^+e^-)$					Γ_9
VALUE (eV)	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
<25	90	VOROBYEV	88 ND	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0\eta$	

$a_2(1320) \Gamma(i)\Gamma(\gamma\gamma)/\Gamma(\text{total})$

$\Gamma(K\bar{K}) \times \Gamma(\gamma\gamma)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$				$\Gamma_4\Gamma_7/\Gamma$
VALUE (keV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
$0.126 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.028$	¹⁸ ALBRECHT	90G ARG	$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^- K^+ K^-$	
$0.081 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.027$	¹⁹ ALBRECHT	90G ARG	$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^- K^+ K^-$	

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

¹⁸ Using an incoherent background.

¹⁹ Using a coherent background.

$a_2(1320)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(K\bar{K})/\Gamma(\rho\pi)$						Γ_4/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	
0.070 ± 0.012 OUR FIT		CHABAUD	78 RVUE			
0.078 ± 0.017		CHABAUD	78 RVUE			
0.056 ± 0.014	50	²⁰ CHALOUPKA	73 HBC	-	$3.9 \pi^- p$	
0.097 ± 0.018	113	²⁰ ALSTON-...	71 HBC	+	$7.0 \pi^+ p$	
0.06 ± 0.03		²⁰ ABRAMOVI...	70B HBC	-	$3.93 \pi^- p$	
0.054 ± 0.022		²⁰ CHUNG	68 HBC	-	$3.2 \pi^- p$	

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

²⁰ Included in CHABAUD 78 review.

$\Gamma(\eta\pi)/[\Gamma(\rho\pi) + \Gamma(\eta\pi) + \Gamma(K\bar{K})]$						$\Gamma_2/(\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_4)$
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	
0.162 ± 0.012 OUR FIT						
0.140 ± 0.028 OUR AVERAGE						
0.13 ± 0.04		ESPIGAT	72 HBC	\pm	$0.0 \bar{p}p$	
0.15 ± 0.04	34	BARNHAM	71 HBC	+	$3.7 \pi^+ p$	

$\Gamma(\eta\pi)/\Gamma(\rho\pi)$						Γ_2/Γ_1
VALUE	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	
0.207 ± 0.018 OUR FIT						
0.213 ± 0.020 OUR AVERAGE						
0.18 ± 0.05		FORINO	76 HBC		$11 \pi^- p$	
0.22 ± 0.05	52	ANTIPOV	73 CNTR	-	$40 \pi^- p$	
0.211 ± 0.044	149	CHALOUPKA	73 HBC	-	$3.9 \pi^- p$	
0.246 ± 0.042	167	ALSTON-...	71 HBC	+	$7.0 \pi^+ p$	
0.25 ± 0.09	15	BOECKMANN	70 HBC	+	$5.0 \pi^+ p$	
0.23 ± 0.08	22	ASCOLI	68 HBC	-	$5 \pi^- p$	
0.12 ± 0.08		CHUNG	68 HBC	-	$3.2 \pi^- p$	
0.22 ± 0.09		CONTE	67 HBC	-	$11.0 \pi^- p$	

$\Gamma(\eta'(958)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}} \qquad \Gamma_5/\Gamma$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
<0.006	95	ALDE	92B	GAM2	38,100 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta' \pi^0 n$	
<0.02	97	BARNHAM	71	HBC	+	3.7 $\pi^+ p$
0.004 ± 0.004		BOESEBECK	68	HBC	+	8 $\pi^+ p$

 $\Gamma(\eta'(958)\pi)/\Gamma(\rho\pi) \qquad \Gamma_5/\Gamma_1$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
<0.011	90	EISENSTEIN	73	HBC	-	5 $\pi^- p$
<0.04		ALSTON-...	71	HBC	+	7.0 $\pi^+ p$
0.04 $^{+0.03}_{-0.04}$		BOECKMANN	70	HBC	0	5.0 $\pi^+ p$

 $\Gamma(K\bar{K})/[\Gamma(\rho\pi) + \Gamma(\eta\pi) + \Gamma(K\bar{K})] \qquad \Gamma_4/(\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2 + \Gamma_4)$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
0.054 ± 0.009 OUR FIT						
0.048 ± 0.012 OUR AVERAGE						
0.05 ± 0.02		TOET	73	HBC	+	5 $\pi^+ p$
0.09 ± 0.04		TOET	73	HBC	0	5 $\pi^+ p$
0.03 ± 0.02	8	DAMERI	72	HBC	-	11 $\pi^- p$
0.06 ± 0.03	17	BARNHAM	71	HBC	+	3.7 $\pi^+ p$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •						
0.020 ± 0.004		²¹ ESPIGAT	72	HBC	±	0.0 $\bar{p} p$

²¹ Not averaged because of discrepancy between masses from $K\bar{K}$ and $\rho\pi$ modes.

 $\Gamma(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-)/\Gamma(\rho\pi) \qquad \Gamma_8/\Gamma_1$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<0.12	90	ABRAMOVI...	70B	HBC	-	3.93 $\pi^- p$

 $\Gamma(\pi^\pm \gamma)/\Gamma_{\text{total}} \qquad \Gamma_6/\Gamma$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
0.005 $^{+0.005}_{-0.003}$	²² EISENBERG	72	HBC	4.3,5.25,7.5 γp

²² Pion-exchange model used in this estimation.

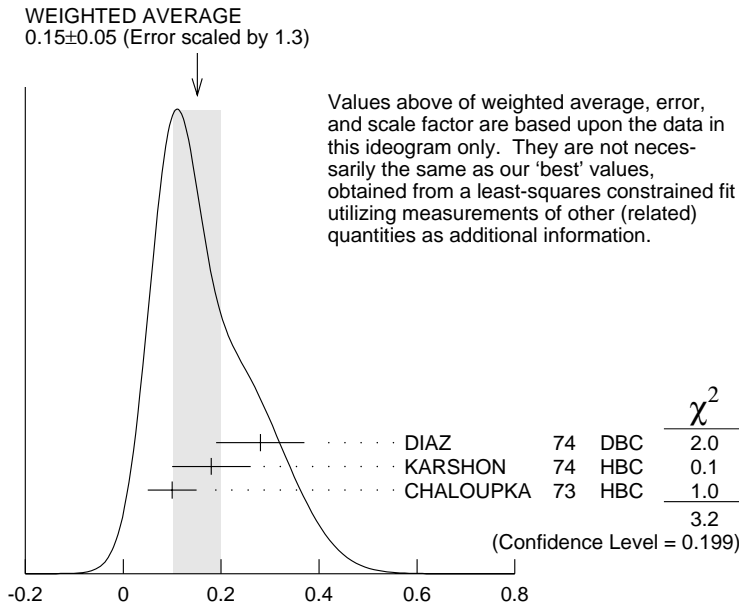
 $\Gamma(\omega\pi\pi)/\Gamma(\rho\pi) \qquad \Gamma_3/\Gamma_1$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>EVTS</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
0.15 ± 0.05 OUR FIT Error includes scale factor of 1.3.						
0.15 ± 0.05 OUR AVERAGE Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.						
0.28 ± 0.09	60	DIAZ	74	DBC	0	6 $\pi^+ n$
0.18 ± 0.08		²³ KARSHON	74	HBC		Avg. of above two
0.10 ± 0.05	279	CHALOUPIKA	73	HBC	-	3.9 $\pi^- p$

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

0.29±0.08	140	²³ KARSHON	74	HBC	0	4.9 $\pi^+ p$
0.10±0.04	60	²³ KARSHON	74	HBC	+	4.9 $\pi^+ p$
0.19±0.08		DEFOIX	73	HBC	0	0.7 $\bar{p} p$

²³KARSHON 74 suggest an additional $I = 0$ state strongly coupled to $\omega\pi\pi$ which could explain discrepancies in branching ratios and masses. We use a central value and a systematic spread.



$$\Gamma(\omega\pi\pi)/\Gamma(\rho\pi)$$

$$\Gamma(\eta'(958)\pi)/\Gamma(\eta\pi)$$

$$\Gamma_5/\Gamma_2$$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.037±0.006 OUR AVERAGE			
0.032±0.009	ABELE	97C CBAR	0.0 $\bar{p} p \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta'$
0.047±0.010±0.004	²⁴ BELADIDZE	93 VES	37 $\pi^- N \rightarrow a_2^- N$
0.034±0.008±0.005	BELADIDZE	92 VES	36 $\pi^- C \rightarrow a_2^- C$

²⁴ Using $B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta) = 0.441$, $B(\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) = 0.389$ and $B(\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) = 0.236$.

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ABELE	97C	PL B404 179	A. Abele, Adomeit, Amsler+	(Crystal Barrel Collab.)
ACCIARRI	97T	PL B413 147	M. Acciarri+	
ALBRECHT	97B	ZPHY C74 469	+Hamacher, Hofmann+	(ARGUS Collab.)
THOMPSON	97	PRL 79 1630	+Adams+	(E852 Collab.)
AMELIN	96	ZPHY C70 71	+Berdnikov, Bityukov+	(SERP, TBIL)
AMSLER	94D	PL B333 277	+Anisovich, Spanier+	(Crystal Barrel Collab.)
AOYAGI	93	PL B314 246	+Fukui, Hasegawa+	(BKEI Collab.)
ARMSTRONG	93C	PL B307 394	+Bettoni+	(FNAL, FERR, GENO, UCI, NWES+)
BELADIDZE	93	PL 313 276	+Berdnikov, Bityukov+	(VES Collab.)
CONDO	93	PR D48 3045	+Handler, Bugg+	(SLAC Hybrid Collab.)
ALDE	92B	ZPHY C54 549	+Binon+	(SERP, BELG, LANL, LAPP, PISA, KEK)
BELADIDZE	92	ZPHY C54 235	+Bityukov, Borisov+	(VES Collab.)
ALBRECHT	90G	ZPHY C48 183	+Ehrlichmann, Harder+	(ARGUS Collab.)
ARMSTRONG	90	ZPHY C48 213	+Benayoun, Beusch	(WA76 Collab.)
BARU	90	ZPHY C48 581	+Blinov, Blinov+	(MD-1 Collab.)
BEHREND	90C	ZPHY C46 583	+Criegee+	(CELLO Collab.)
BUTLER	90	PR D42 1368	+Boyer+	(Mark II Collab.)
OEST	90	ZPHY C47 343	+Olsson+	(JADE Collab.)
AUGUSTIN	89	NP B320 1	+Cosme	(DM2 Collab.)
VOROBYEV	88	SJNP 48 273	+Golubev, Dolinsky, Druzhinin+	(NOVO)
		Translated from YAF 48 436.		
ALTHOFF	86	ZPHY C31 537	+Boch, Foster, Bernardi+	(TASSO Collab.)
ANTREASYAN	86	PR D33 1847	+Aschman, Besset, Bienlein+	(Crystal Ball Collab.)
BERGER	84C	PL 149B 427	+Klovning, Burger+	(PLUTO Collab.)
BEHREND	83B	PL 125B 518	+D'Agostini+	(CELLO Collab.)
CHANGIR	82	PL 117B 123	+Berg, Biel, Chandlee+	(FNAL, MINN, ROCH)
CLELAND	82B	NP B208 228	+Delfosse, Dorsaz, Gloor	(DURH, GEVA, LAUS, PITT)
EDWARDS	82F	PL 110B 82	+Partridge, Peck+	(CIT, HARV, PRIN, STAN, SLAC)
DELFOSSÉ	81	NP B183 349	+Guisan, Martin, Muhlemann, Weill+	(GEVA, LAUS)
EVANGELISTA	81	NP B178 197	+	(BARI, BONN, CERN, DARE, LIVP+)
CHABAUD	80	NP B175 189	+Hyams, Papadopoulou+	(CERN, MPIM, AMST)
DAUM	80C	PL 89B 276	+Hertzberger+	(AMST, CERN, CRAC, MPIM, OXF+)
BALTAY	78B	PR D17 62	+Cautis, Cohen, Csorna+	(COLU, BING)
CHABAUD	78	NP B145 349	+Hyams, Jones, Weilhammer, Blum+	(CERN, MPIM)
FERRERSORIA	78	PL 74B 287	+Treille+	(ORSAY, CERN, CDEF, EPOL)
HYAMS	78	NP B146 303	+Jones, Weilhammer, Blum+	(CERN, MPIM, ATEN)
MARTIN	78D	PL 74B 417	+Ozmutlu, Baldi, Bohringer, Dorsaz+	(DURH, GEVA) JP
MAY	77	PR D16 1983	+Abramson, Andrews, Busnello+	(ROCH, CORN)
FORINO	76	NC 35A 465	+Gessaroli+	(BGNA, FIRZ, GENO, MILA, OXF, PAVI)
MARGULIE	76	PR D14 667	+Kramer, Foley, Love, Lindenbaum+	(BNL, CUNY)
EMMS	75	PL 58B 117	+Jones, Kinson, Stacey, Bell+	(BIRM, DURH, RHEL) JP
WAGNER	75	PL 58B 201	+Tabak, Chew	(LBL) JP
DIAZ	74	PRL 32 260	+Dibianca, Fickinger, Anderson+	(CASE, CMU)
KARSHON	74	PRL 32 852	+Mikenberg, Pitluck, Eisenberg, Ronat+	(REHO)
ANTIPOV	73	NP B63 175	+Ascoli, Busnello, Focacci+	(CERN, SERP) JP
ANTIPOV	73C	NP B63 153	+Ascoli, Busnello, Focacci+	(CERN, SERP) JP
CHALOUPKA	73	PL 44B 211	+Dobrzynski, Ferrando, Losty+	(CERN)
CONFORTO	73	PL 45B 154	+Mobley, Key+	(EFI, FNAL, TNTO, WISC)
DEFOIX	73	PL 43B 141	+Dobrzynski, Espigat, Nascimento+	(CDEF)
EISENSTEIN	73	PR D7 278	+Schultz, Ascoli, Ioffredo+	(ILL)
KEY	73	PRL 30 503	+Conforto, Mobley+	(TNTO, EFI, FNAL, WISC)
TOET	73	NP B63 248	+Thuan, Major+	(NIJM, BONN, DURH, TORI)
DAMERI	72	NC 9A 1	+Borzatta, Goussu+	(GENO, MILA, SACL)
EISENBERG	72	PR D5 15	+Ballam, Dagan+	(REHO, SLAC, TELA)
ESPIGAT	72	NP B36 93	+Ghesquiere, Lillestol, Montanet	(CERN, CDEF)
FOLEY	72	PR D6 747	+Love, Ozaki, Platner, Lindenbaum+	(BNL, CUNY)
ALSTON-...	71	PL 34B 156	Alston-Garnjost, Barbaro, Buhl, Derenzo+	(LRL)
BARNHAM	71	PRL 26 1494	+Abrams, Butler, Coyne, Goldhaber, Hall+	(LBL)
BINNIE	71	PL 36B 257	+Camilleri, Duane, Faruqi, Burton+	(LOIC, SHMP)
BOWEN	71	PRL 26 1663	+Earles, Faissler, Blieden+	(NEAS, STON)
GRAYER	71	PL 34B 333	+Hyams, Jones, Schlein, Blum+	(CERN, MPIM)
ABRAMOVI...	70B	NP B23 466	Abramovich, Blumenfeld, Bruyant+	(CERN) JP
ALSTON-...	70	PL 33B 607	Alston-Garnjost, Barbaro, Buhl, Derenzo+	(LRL)
BOECKMANN	70	NP B16 221	+Major+	(BONN, DURH, NIJM, EPOL, TORI)
ASCOLI	68	PRL 20 1321	+Crawley, Mortara, Shapiro, Bridges+	(ILL) JP
BOESEBECK	68	NP B4 501	+Deutschmann+	(AACH, BERL, CERN)
CHUNG	68	PR 165 1491	+Dahl, Kirz, Miller	(LRL)
CONTE	67	NC 51A 175	+Tomasini, Cords+	(GENO, HAMB, MILA, SACL)

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JENNI	83	PR D27 1031	+Burke, Telnov, Abrams, Blocker+	(SLAC, LBL)
BEHREND	82C	PL 114B 378	+Chen, Fenner, Field+	(CELLO Collab.)
ADERHOLZ	65	PR 138B 897	(AACH3, BERL, BIRM, BONN, HAMB, LOIC, MPIM)	
ALITTI	65	PL 15 69	+Baton, Deler, Crussard+	(SACL, BGNA) JP
CHUNG	65	PRL 15 325	+Dahl, Hardy, Hess, Jacobs, Kirz	(LRL)
FORINO	65B	PL 19 68	+Gessaroli+	(BGNA, BARI, FIRZ, ORSAY, SACL)
LEFEBVRES	65	PL 19 434	+Levrat+	(CERN Missing Mass Spect. Collab.)
SEIDLITZ	65	PRL 15 217	+Dahl, Miller	(LRL)
ADERHOLZ	64	PL 10 226	+	(AACH3, BERL, BIRM, BONN, DESY, HAMB+)
CHUNG	64	PRL 12 621	+Dahl, Hardy, Hess, Kalbfleisch, Kirz	(LRL)
GOLDHABER	64	PRL 12 336	+Brown, Kadyk, Shen+	(LRL, UCB)
LANDER	64	PRL 13 346A	+Abolins, Carmony, Hendricks, Xuong+	(UCSD)
