

$\pi_2(1670)$

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

$\pi_2(1670)$ MASS

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1672.4 ± 3.2 OUR AVERAGE		Error includes scale factor of 1.4. See the ideogram below.			
1749 ±10 ±100	145k	LU	05	E852	18 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 p$
1676 ± 3 ± 8		¹ CHUNG	02	E852	18.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- p$
1685 ±10 ± 30		² BARBERIS	01		450 $p p \rightarrow p_f 3\pi^0 p_S$
1687 ± 9 ± 15		AMELIN	99	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
1669 ± 4		BARBERIS	98B		450 $p p \rightarrow p_f \rho \pi p_S$
1670 ± 4		BARBERIS	98B		450 $p p \rightarrow p_f f_2(1270) \pi p_S$
1730 ±20		³ AMELIN	95B	VES	36 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- A$
1690 ±14		⁴ BERDNIKOV	94	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^- A$
1710 ±20	700	ANTIPOV	87	SIGM	- 50 $\pi^- Cu \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \pi^- Cu$
1676 ± 6		⁴ EVANGELISTA	81	OMEG	- 12 $\pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
1657 ±14		^{4,5} DAUM	80D	SPEC	- 63-94 $\pi p \rightarrow 3\pi X$
1662 ±10	2000	⁴ BALTAY	77	HBC	+ 15 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow p 3\pi$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●					
1742 ±31 ± 49		ANTREASYAN	90	CBAL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$
1624 ±21		¹ BELLINI	85	SPEC	40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1622 ±35		⁶ BELLINI	85	SPEC	40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1693 ±28		⁷ BELLINI	85	SPEC	40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1710 ±20		⁸ DAUM	81B	SPEC	- 63,94 $\pi^- p$
1660 ±10		⁴ ASCOLI	73	HBC	- 5-25 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi_2$

¹ From $f_2(1270)\pi$ decay.

² From a fit to the invariant mass distribution.

³ From a fit to $J^{PC} = 2^-+ f_2(1270)\pi, f_0(1370)\pi$ waves.

⁴ From a fit to $J^P = 2^- S$ -wave $f_2(1270)\pi$ partial wave.

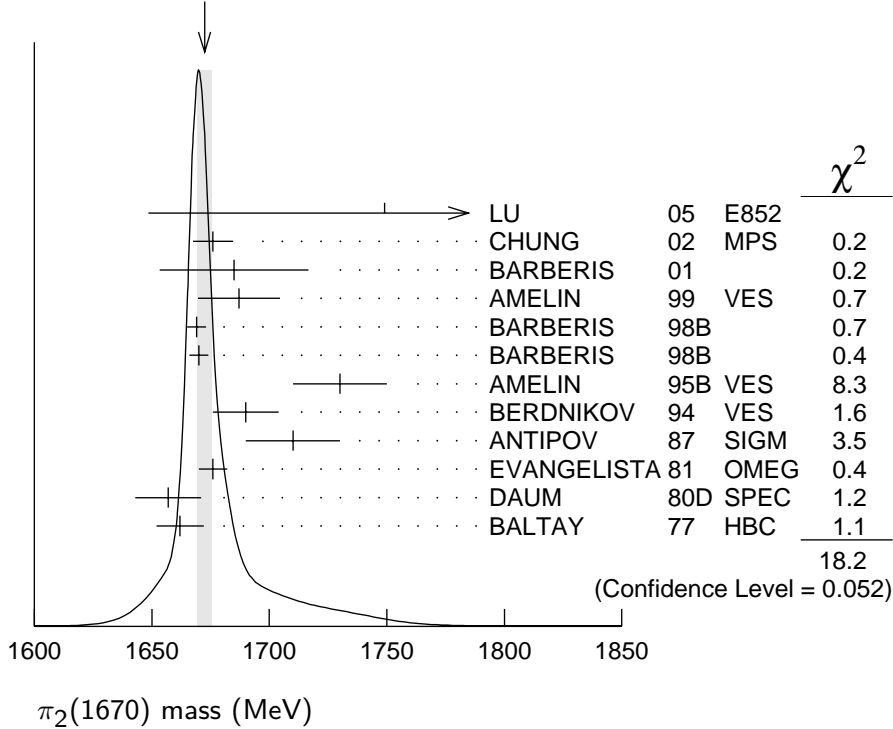
⁵ Clear phase rotation seen in $2^- S, 2^- P, 2^- D$ waves. We quote central value and spread of single-resonance fits to three channels.

⁶ From $\rho\pi$ decay.

⁷ From $\sigma\pi$ decay.

⁸ From a two-resonance fit to four 2^-0^+ waves. This should not be averaged with all the single resonance fits.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE
 1672.4 ± 3.2 (Error scaled by 1.4)

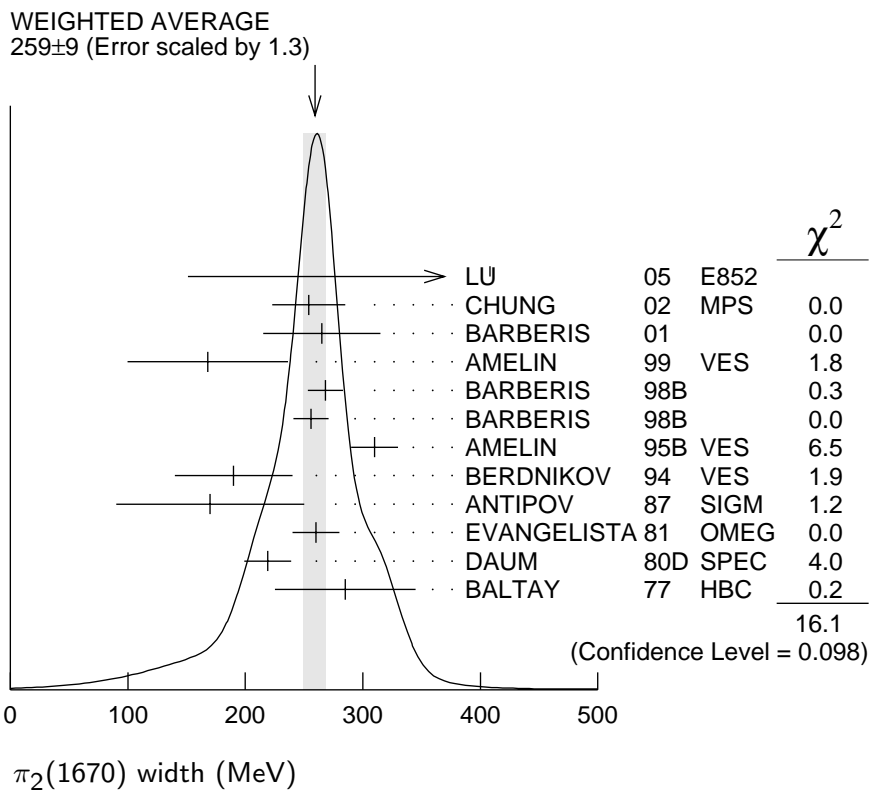


$\pi_2(1670)$ WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT		
259 ± 9	OUR AVERAGE	Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.					
408 ± 60	6 ± 250	145k	LU	05	E852	$18 \pi^- p \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 p$	
254 ± 3	3 ± 31	9	CHUNG	02	E852	$18.3 \pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- p$	
265 ± 30	30 ± 40	10	BARBERIS	01		$450 p p \rightarrow p_f 3 \pi^0 p_S$	
168 ± 43	43 ± 53		AMELIN	99	VES	$37 \pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$	
268 ± 15			BARBERIS	98B		$450 p p \rightarrow p_f \rho \pi p_S$	
256 ± 15			BARBERIS	98B		$450 p p \rightarrow p_f f_2(1270) \pi p_S$	
310 ± 20		11	AMELIN	95B	VES	$36 \pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- A$	
190 ± 50		12	BERDNIKOV	94	VES	$37 \pi^- A \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^- A$	
170 ± 80	700		ANTIPOV	87	SIGM	-	$50 \pi^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \pi^- \text{Cu}$
260 ± 20		12	EVANGELISTA	81	OMEG	-	$12 \pi^- p \rightarrow 3 \pi p$
219 ± 20		12,13	DAUM	80D	SPEC	-	$63-94 \pi p \rightarrow 3 \pi X$
285 ± 60	2000	12	BALTAY	77	HBC	+	$15 \pi^+ p \rightarrow p 3 \pi$
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236 ± 49	49 ± 36		ANTREASYAN	90	CBAL		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$
304 ± 22		9	BELLINI	85	SPEC		$40 \pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
404 ± 108		14	BELLINI	85	SPEC		$40 \pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$

330 ± 90	¹⁵ BELLINI	85 SPEC	40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow$ $\pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
312 ± 50	¹⁶ DAUM	81B SPEC	63,94 $\pi^- p$
270 ± 60	¹² ASCOLI	73 HBC	5-25 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi_2$

- ⁹ From $f_2(1270)\pi$ decay.
- ¹⁰ From a fit to the invariant mass distribution.
- ¹¹ From a fit to $J^{PC} = 2^- + f_2(1270)\pi, f_0(1370)\pi$ waves.
- ¹² From a fit to $J^P = 2^- f_2(1270)\pi$ partial wave.
- ¹³ Clear phase rotation seen in $2^- S, 2^- P, 2^- D$ waves. We quote central value and spread of single-resonance fits to three channels.
- ¹⁴ From $\rho\pi$ decay.
- ¹⁵ From $\sigma\pi$ decay.
- ¹⁶ From a two-resonance fit to four $2^- 0^+$ waves. This should not be averaged with all the single resonance fits.



$\pi_2(1670)$ DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level
Γ_1 3π	(95.8 ± 1.4) %	
Γ_2 $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$		
Γ_3 $\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$		
Γ_4 $f_2(1270)\pi$	(56.2 ± 3.2) %	
Γ_5 $\rho\pi$	(31 ± 4) %	
Γ_6 $\sigma\pi$	(10.9 ± 3.4) %	
Γ_7 $(\pi\pi)_S$ -wave	(8.7 ± 3.4) %	

Γ_8	$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$		$(4.2 \pm 1.4) \%$	
Γ_9	$\omega\rho$		$(2.7 \pm 1.1) \%$	
Γ_{10}	$\gamma\gamma$			
Γ_{11}	$\eta\pi$			
Γ_{12}	$\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$			
Γ_{13}	$\rho(1450)\pi$	< 3.6	$\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%
Γ_{14}	$b_1(1235)\pi$	< 1.9	$\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%
Γ_{15}	$\eta 3\pi$			
Γ_{16}	$f_1(1285)\pi$		possibly seen	
Γ_{17}	$a_2(1320)\pi$		not seen	

CONSTRAINED FIT INFORMATION

An overall fit to 4 branching ratios uses 6 measurements and one constraint to determine 4 parameters. The overall fit has a $\chi^2 = 1.9$ for 3 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_5	-53		
x_7	-29	-59	
x_8	-8	-21	-9
	x_4	x_5	x_7

$\pi_2(1670)$ PARTIAL WIDTHS

$\Gamma(\gamma\gamma)$						Γ_{10}
VALUE (keV)	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT	
< 0.072	90	17 ACCIARRI	97T L3		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
< 0.19	90	17 ALBRECHT	97B ARG		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
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$1.41 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.28$		ANTREASYAN 90	CBAL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$	
$0.8 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.12$		18 BEHREND	90C CELL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	
$1.3 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.2$		19 BEHREND	90C CELL	0	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	

¹⁷ Decaying into $f_2(1270)\pi$ and $\rho\pi$.

¹⁸ Constructive interference between $f_2(1270)\pi, \rho\pi$ and background.

¹⁹ Incoherent Ansatz.

$\pi_2(1670)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$$\Gamma(3\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$$

VALUE
0.958±0.014 OUR FIT

DOCUMENT ID

$$\Gamma_1/\Gamma = (\Gamma_4 + \Gamma_5 + \Gamma_7)/\Gamma$$

$$\Gamma(\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0)/\Gamma(\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$$

VALUE
0.29±0.03±0.05

DOCUMENT ID COMMENT
20 BARBERIS 01 450 $p p \rightarrow p_f 3\pi^0 p_s$

$$\Gamma_3/\Gamma_2$$

$$\Gamma(\rho\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$$

VALUE
0.29±0.04 OUR FIT

DOCUMENT ID TECN CHG COMMENT

$$\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5/(0.567\Gamma_4 + \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5 + 0.624\Gamma_7)$$

0.29±0.05 21 DAUM 81B SPEC 63,94 $\pi^- p$

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

<0.3 BARTSCH 68 HBC + 8 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$

$$\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$$

(With $f_2(1270) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$.)

$$0.567\Gamma_4/(0.567\Gamma_4 + \frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5 + 0.624\Gamma_7)$$

VALUE
0.604±0.035 OUR FIT

DOCUMENT ID TECN CHG COMMENT

0.60 ±0.05 OUR AVERAGE Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.

0.61 ±0.04 21 DAUM 81B SPEC 63,94 $\pi^- p$

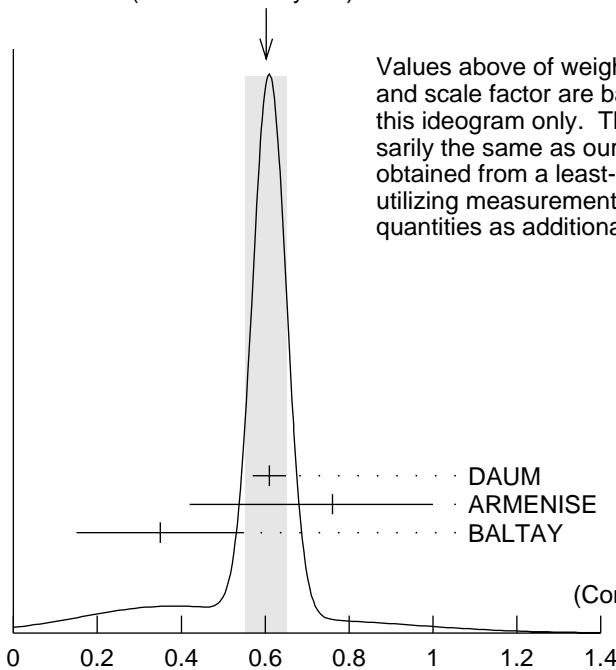
0.76 $\begin{matrix} +0.24 \\ -0.34 \end{matrix}$ ARMENISE 69 DBC + 5.1 $\pi^+ d \rightarrow d 3\pi$

0.35 ±0.20 BALTAY 68 HBC + 7-8.5 $\pi^+ p$

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

0.59 BARTSCH 68 HBC + 8 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$

WEIGHTED AVERAGE
0.60±0.05 (Error scaled by 1.3)



Values above of weighted average, error, and scale factor are based upon the data in this ideogram only. They are not necessarily the same as our 'best' values, obtained from a least-squares constrained fit utilizing measurements of other (related) quantities as additional information.

$$\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$$

$\Gamma(\rho\pi)/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$ $\Gamma_5/0.564\Gamma_4$

(With $f_2(1270) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$.)

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.97±0.09 OUR AVERAGE	Error includes scale factor of 1.9.			
0.76±0.07±0.10	CHUNG	02 E852		18.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^- p$
1.01±0.05	BARBERIS	98B		450 $p p \rightarrow p_f \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0 p_s$

$\Gamma(\eta\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$ $\Gamma_{11}/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$

(All η decays.)

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<0.09	BALTAY	68 HBC	+	7-8.5 $\pi^+ p$
••• We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. •••				
<0.10	CRENNELL	70 HBC	-	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow f_2\pi^- N$

$\Gamma(\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$ $\Gamma_{12}/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<0.10	CRENNELL	70 HBC	-	6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow f_2\pi^- N$
<0.1	BALTAY	68 HBC	+	7,8.5 $\pi^+ p$

$\Gamma(\rho(1450)\pi)/\Gamma_{total}$ Γ_{13}/Γ

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
<0.0036	97.7	AMELIN	99 VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega\pi^-\pi^0 A^*$

$\Gamma(b_1(1235)\pi)/\Gamma_{total}$ Γ_{14}/Γ

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
<0.0019	97.7	AMELIN	99 VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega\pi^-\pi^0 A^*$

$\Gamma((\pi\pi)_{S-wave})/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$ $0.624\Gamma_7/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$

(With $(\pi\pi)_{S-wave} \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$.)

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.10±0.04 OUR FIT			
0.10±0.05	²¹ DAUM	81B SPEC	63,94 $\pi^- p$

$\Gamma(K\bar{K}^*(892)+c.c.)/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$ Γ_8/Γ_4

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.075±0.025 OUR FIT				
0.075±0.025	²² ARMSTRONG	82B OMEG	-	16 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^- p$

$\Gamma(\omega\rho)/\Gamma_{total}$ Γ_9/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.027±0.004±0.010	²³ AMELIN	99 VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega\pi^-\pi^0 A^*$

$\Gamma(\sigma\pi)/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$ Γ_6/Γ_4

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.19±0.06 OUR AVERAGE			
0.17±0.02±0.07	CHUNG	02 E852	18.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^- p$
0.24±0.10	^{24,25} BAKER	99 SPEC	1.94 $\bar{p} p \rightarrow 4\pi^0$

$\Gamma(f_1(1285)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					Γ_{16}/Γ
VALUE	EVTs	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
possibly seen	69k	KUHN	04 E852	18 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta\pi^+\pi^-\pi^- p$	

$\Gamma(a_2(1320)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					Γ_{17}/Γ
VALUE	EVTs	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
not seen	69k	KUHN	04 E852	18 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta\pi^+\pi^-\pi^- p$	

D-wave/S-wave RATIO FOR $\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow f_2(1270)\pi$				
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
-0.18 ± 0.06	²⁴ BAKER	99 SPEC	1.94 $\bar{p} p \rightarrow 4\pi^0$	
0.22 ± 0.10	²¹ DAUM	81B SPEC	63,94 $\pi^- p$	

F-wave/P-wave RATIO FOR $\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow \rho\pi$				
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT	
$-0.72 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.14$	CHUNG	02 E852	18.3 $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^- p$	

²⁰ Using BARBERIS 98B.

²¹ From a two-resonance fit to four $2^- 0^+$ waves.

²² From a partial-wave analysis of $K^+ K^- \pi^-$ system.

²³ Normalized to the $B(\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow f_2\pi)$.

²⁴ Using preliminary CBAR data.

²⁵ With the $\sigma\pi$ in $L=2$ and the $f_2(1270)\pi$ in $L=0$.

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