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A SCHEMATIC MODEL OF BARYONS AND MESONS *

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AN SU_3 MODEL FOR STRONG INTERACTION SYMMETRY AND ITS BREAKING
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8419/TH.412
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For more complete account (including role of Petermann; Serber) see:

Llewellyn Smith, C.

From concrete quarks to QCD:
a personal perspective. *EPJ H* **48**, 13 (2023).

[https://doi.org/
10.1140/epjh/s13129-023-00061-4](https://doi.org/10.1140/epjh/s13129-023-00061-4)

$\{3\} \otimes \{3\} \otimes \{3\} =$

$\{10\} \oplus \{8\} \oplus \{8\} \oplus \{1\}$

3/2 -1/2 -1/2 -3/2

$-I_3$

0



1232 MeV

-1



1385 MeV

-2



1530 MeV

-3

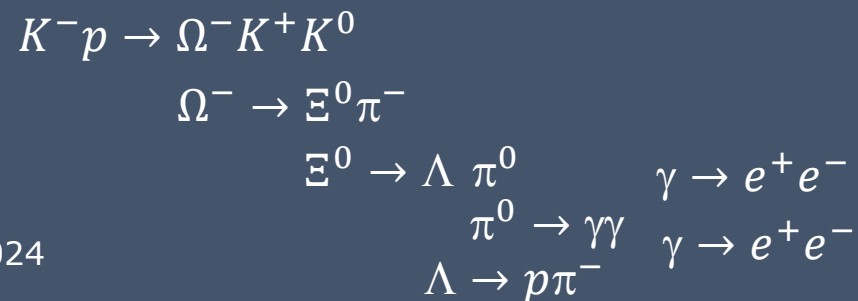
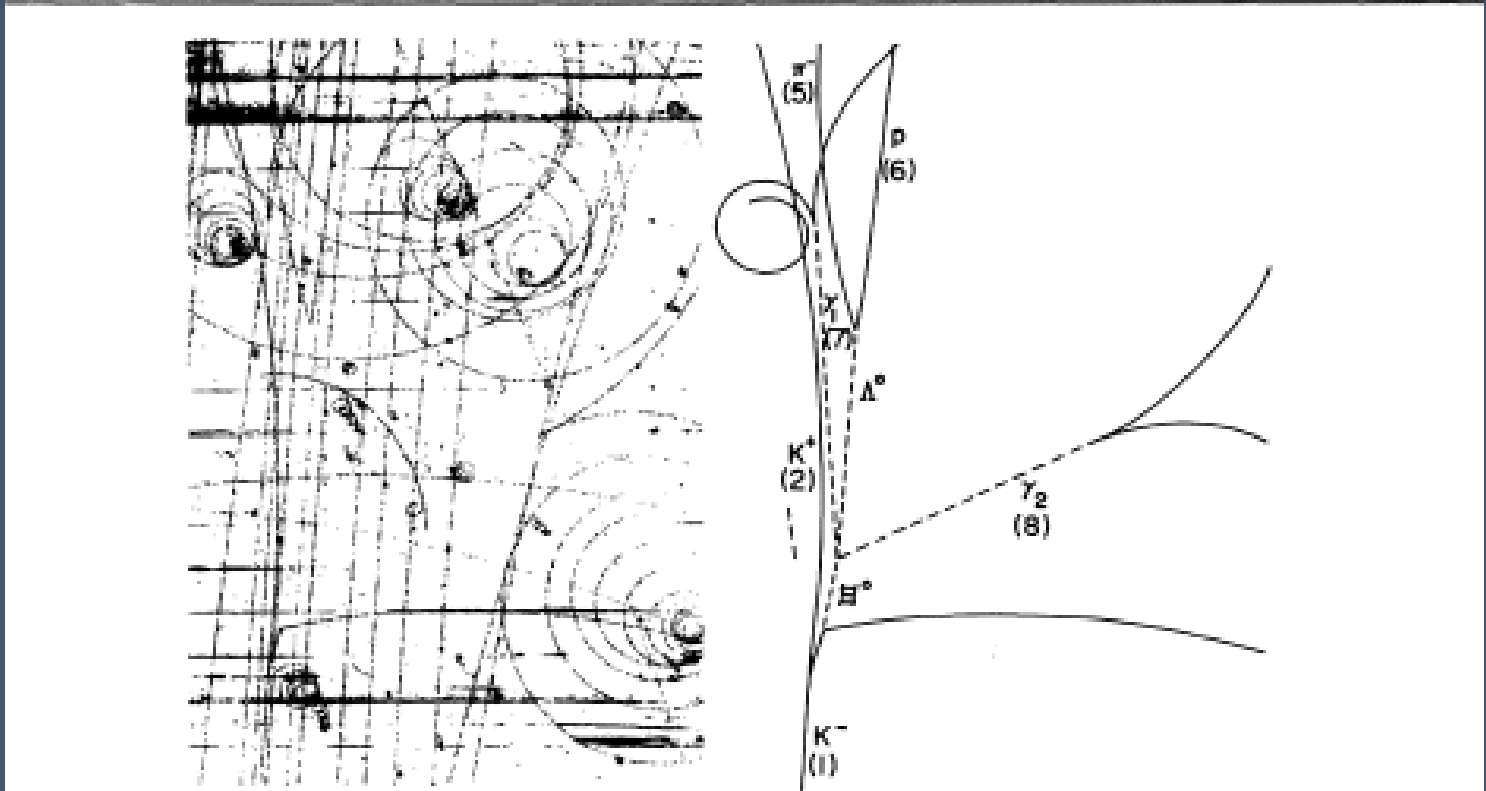


Predicted by this scheme
Observed Feb. 1964, Brookhaven

1672 MeV

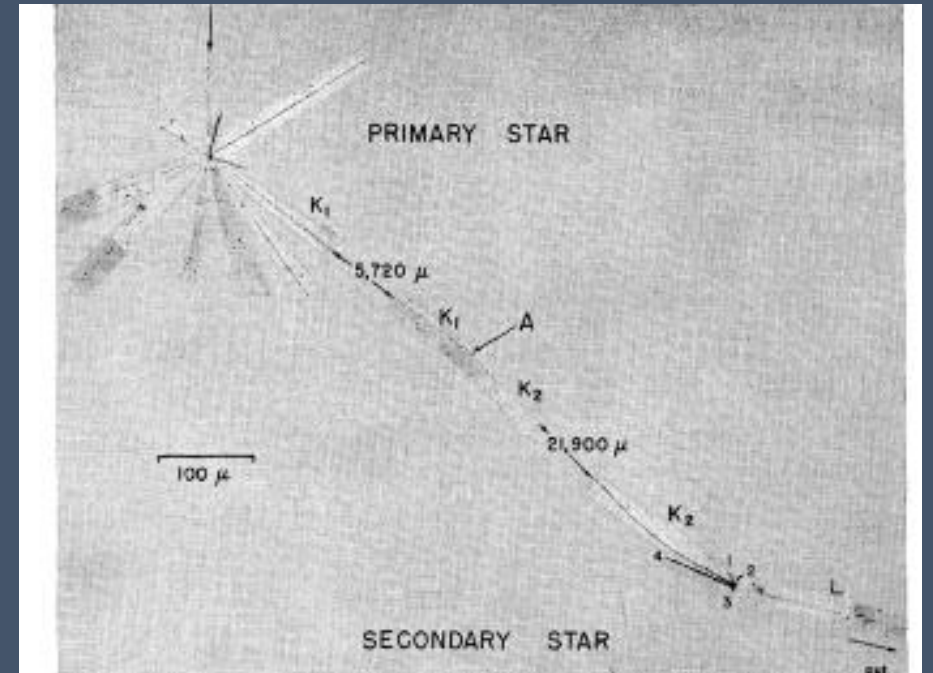
A possible example of the decay of this particle was observed by Y. Eisenberg, Phys. Rev. 196, 541 (1954).

Barnes et al, 1964



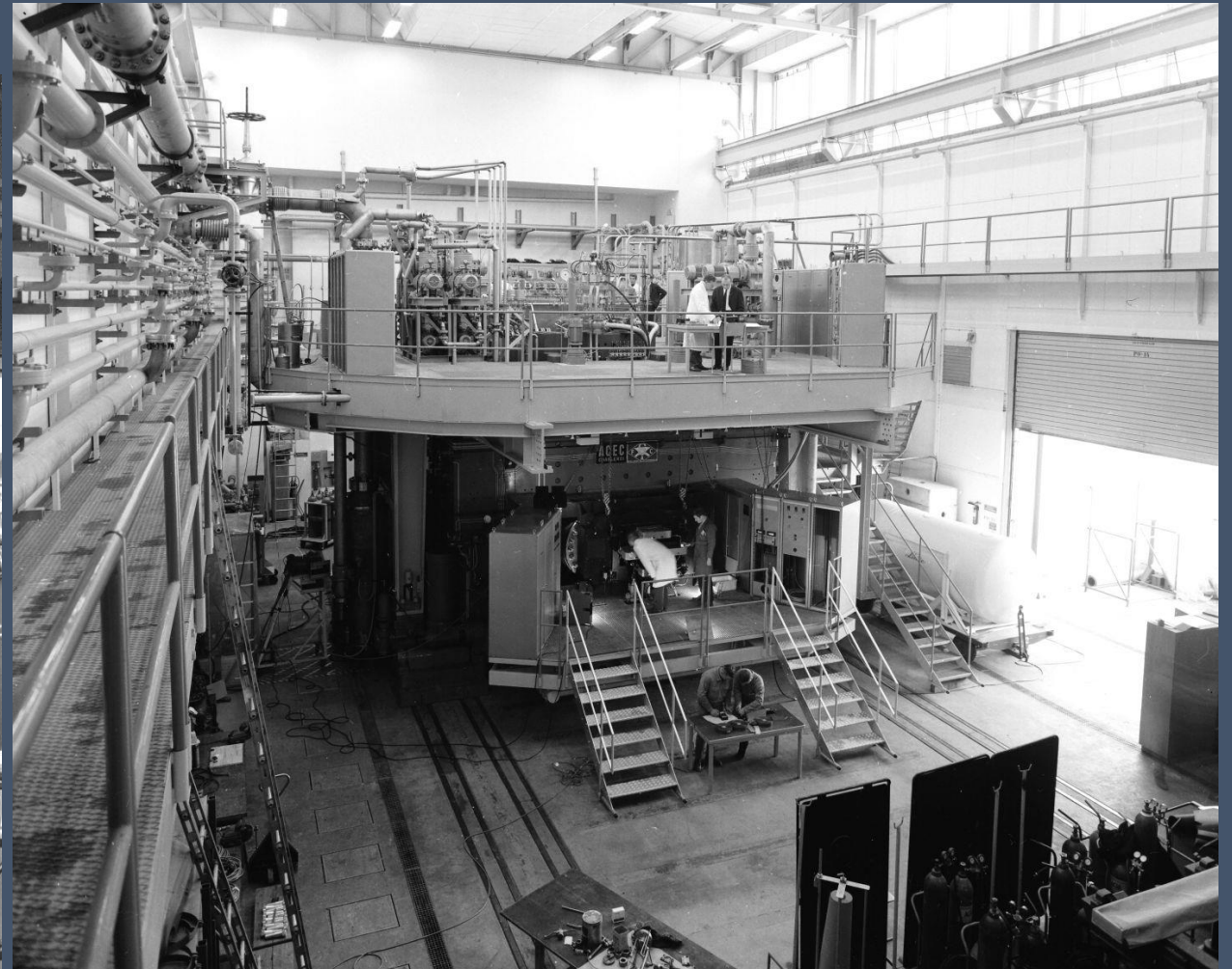
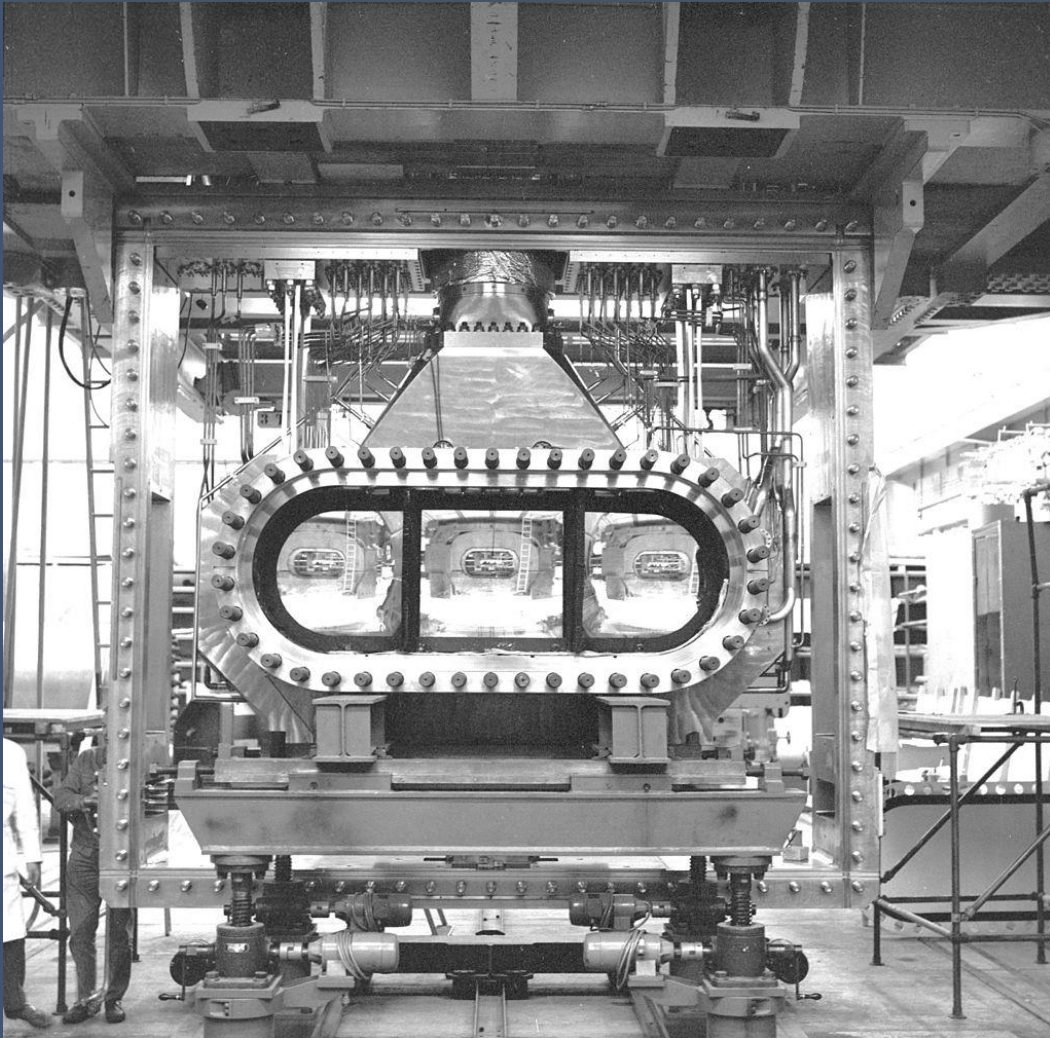
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1967-1974: 3 M pictures 2m CERN HBC; 133 events/microbarn

1978: Ph.D. Thesis Brian



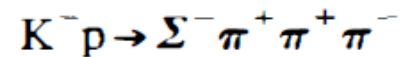
**PARTIAL-WAVE ANALYSIS OF BACKWARDLY PRODUCED
THREE-PION SYSTEMS IN K^-p INTERACTIONS AT 4.2 GeV/c**

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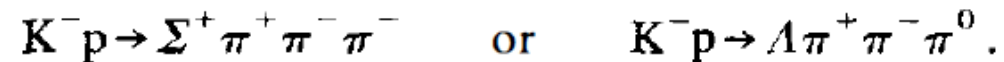
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We report on the results of a partial-wave analysis of the 3π system produced by baryon exchange in the reaction



at 4.2 GeV/c. We confirm the existence of an enhancement in the $1^+S(\rho\pi)$ wave as previously established from a Dalitz plot analysis of the same data. The phase variation of this wave is found to be consistent with that expected for a resonance and thus the enhancement is identified with A_1 production. No clear signal for this state is found in either the reaction



We also find production via baryon exchange of the A_2 in all three reactions and the ω and ω^* (1675) in the third reaction.

Foster:

Cashmore [32] points out that complicated multi-Regge effects may be present in the backward exchange processes; however, the phase variation of the 1^+S wave and the observation of other 1^+S resonances via baryon exchange in our experiment make this seem unlikely. It would also seem implausible that such a multi-Regge

R.HEMINGWAY (Carleton) - I don't agree with the flippancy with which you dismissed the 3π 1^+ data from backward production and τ -decay.

R.J.CASHMORE - I expected somebody not to agree with my evaluation of the backward 1^+ 3π system from K^-p and the τ decay 3π systems. Let me first make the comment that I don't dispute the measurements but I certainly feel the analyses are, in general, of the naive variety.

Generalized isobar model formalism*

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I would say, Brian and Roger, today is the day to finally settle this dispute once and for all!

Ω^- PRODUCED IN $K^- p$ REACTIONS AT 4.2 GeV/c

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Cross section 0.5 +/- 0.1 μb

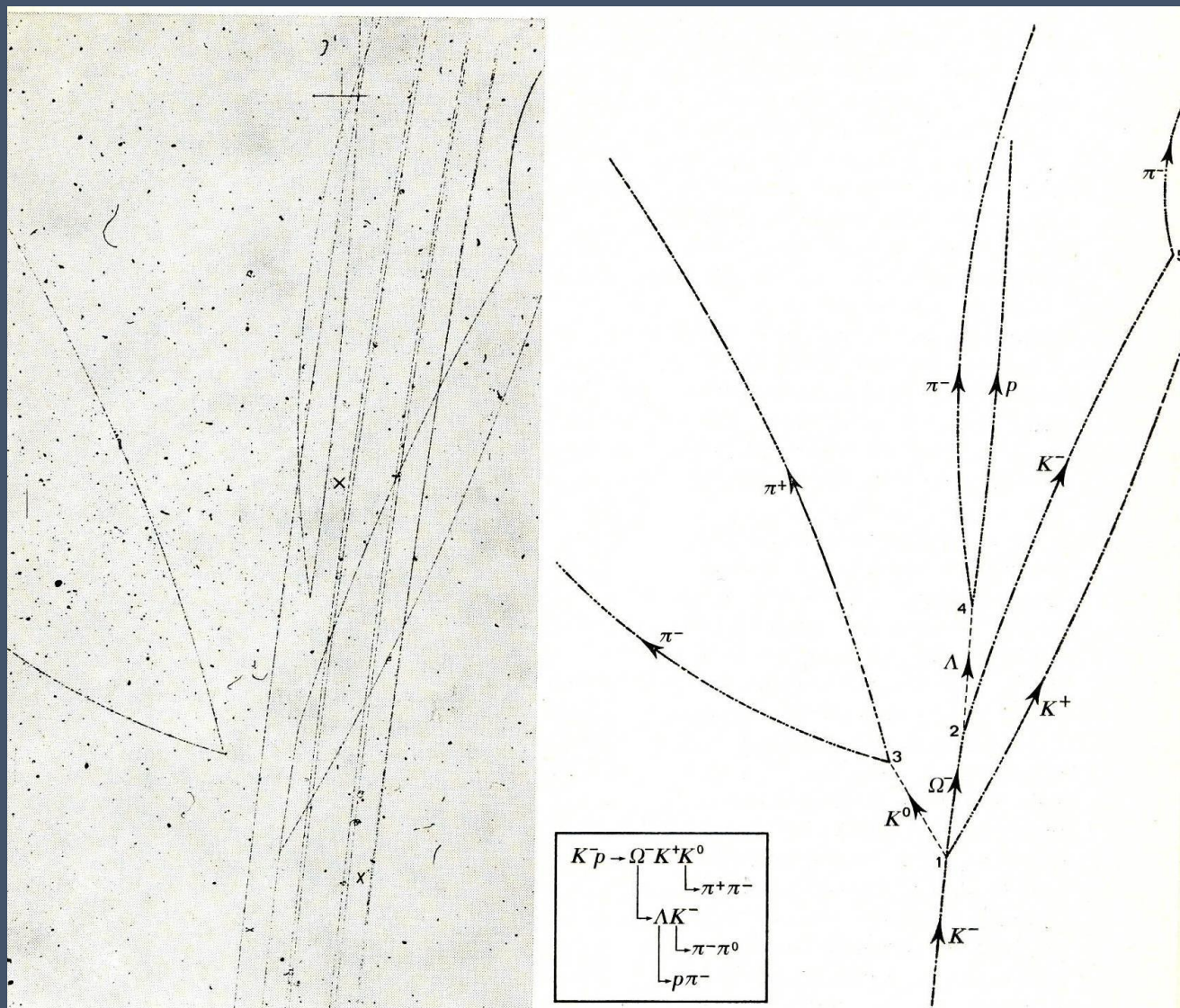
PDG: $0.821 \pm 0.011 \times 10^{-10}$ sec

1672.43 ± 0.32 MeV/c²

Forty Ω^- events have been observed in a large (133 events/ μb) experiment at 4.2 GeV/c incident K^- momentum. Thirty nine of the events come from the three-body reaction $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^- K^+ K^0$. The Ω^- is mainly produced in the forward hemisphere (direction of the incident K^-). The lifetime is measured to be $\tau = (0.75_{-0.11}^{+0.14}) \times 10^{-10}$ sec., substantially less than the Particle Data Group value of $(1.3_{-0.2}^{+0.3}) \times 10^{-10}$ sec. The

mass 1671.7 ± 0.6 MeV/c²

One of 40 Ω -minus events observed in X42



Scanning X42 film (Nijmegen)



The 4.2 GeV/c K-p experiment was an inspiring start of an exciting journey to new territories.

- 1954 Local gauge invariance (Yang-Mills)
- 1964 Quarks
- 1964 Spontaneous symmetry breaking
- 1968 Invention Multiwire Proportional Chambers
- 1969 Electroweak unification
- 1969 Deep inelastic scattering
- 1971 Renormalisation massive gauge fields
- 1973 QCD
- 1973 Neutral currents
- 1974 Discovery charm (beauty 1977, top 1995)
- 1974 – 1977 Tau-lepton
- 1983 Discovery W, Z bosons
- 1988 Nobel Prize mu neutrino (1962)
- 2000 Tau neutrino
- 2012 Discovery Higgs boson



Future Accelerators

Novel Acceleration Technologies

75 new hadrons at the LHC

