

# Lattice results for spectroscopy

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based on work with the Hadron Spectrum Collaboration

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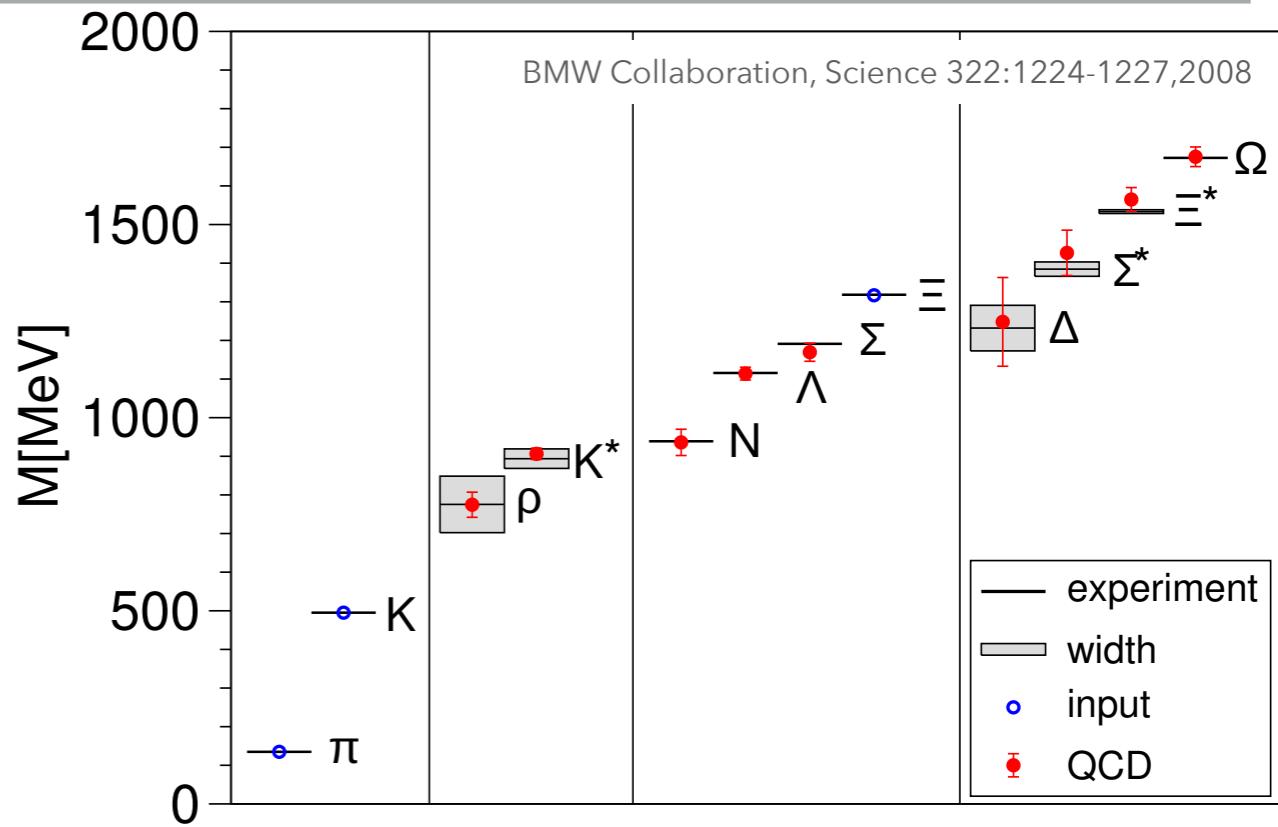


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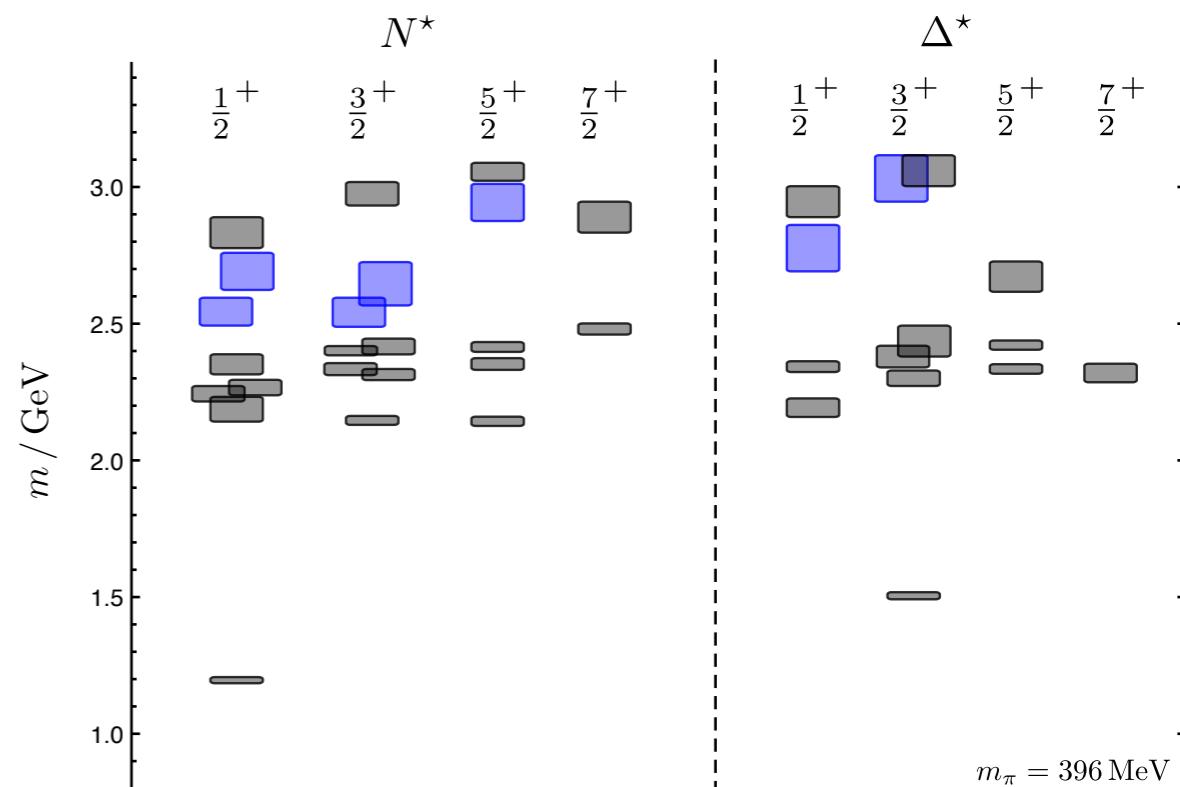
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Stable states (w.r.t. QCD) are generally well understood - calculations at physical masses in many quantum numbers



Highly-excited states

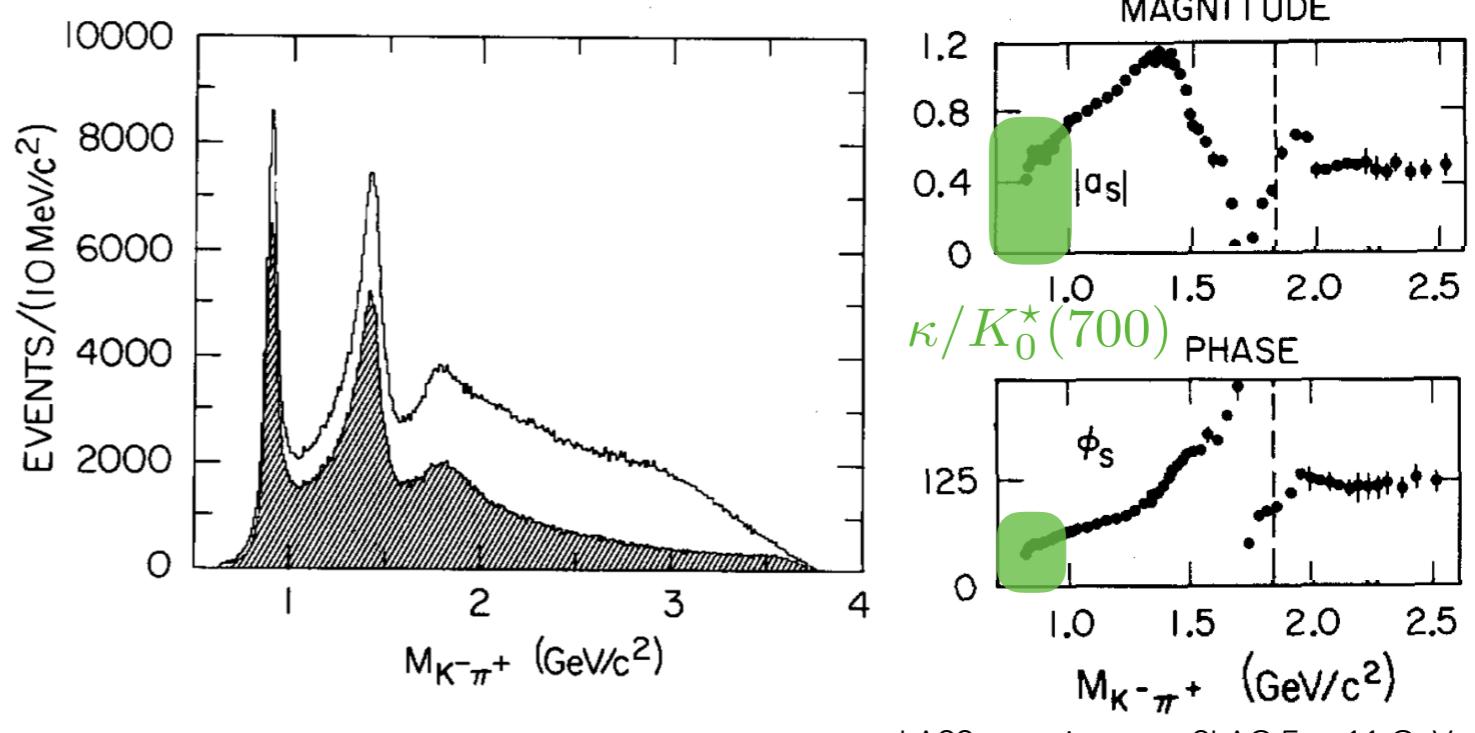
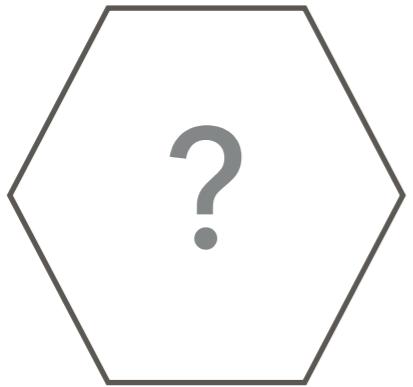
- see talk by Gavin Cheung - today 11:00

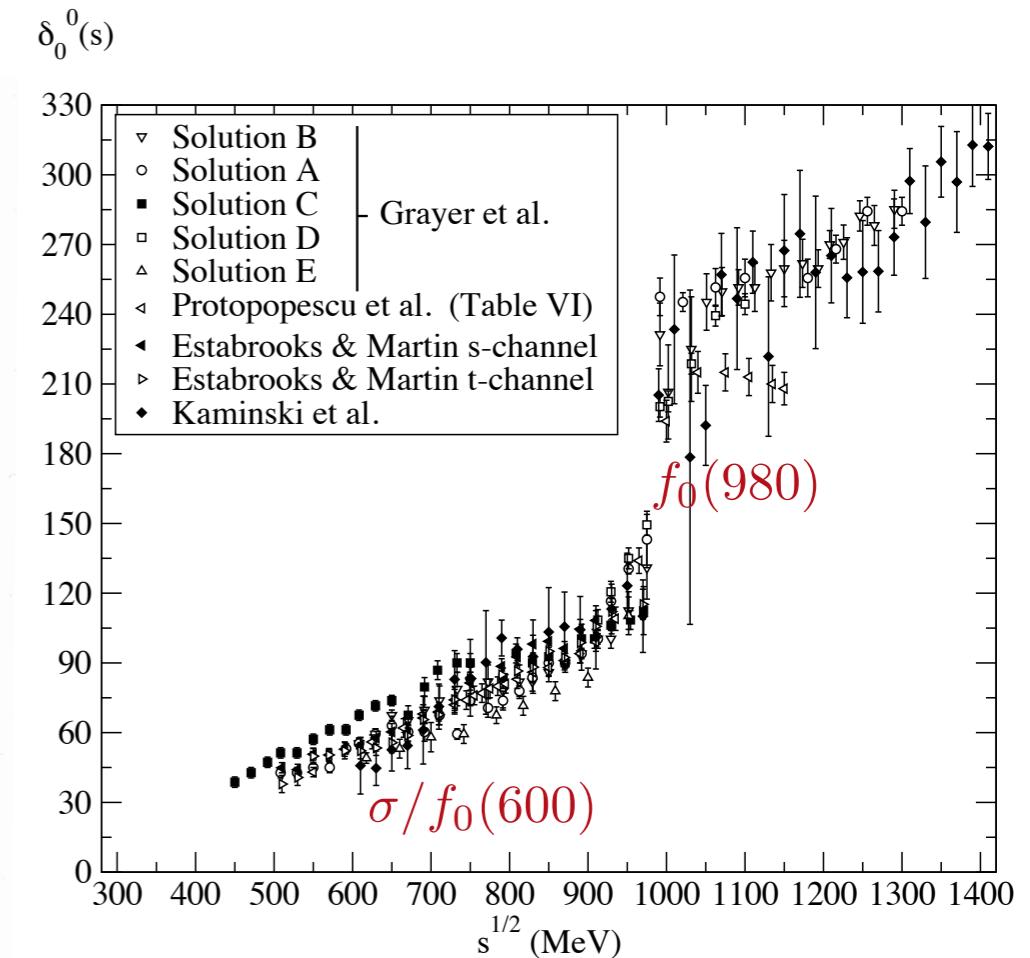
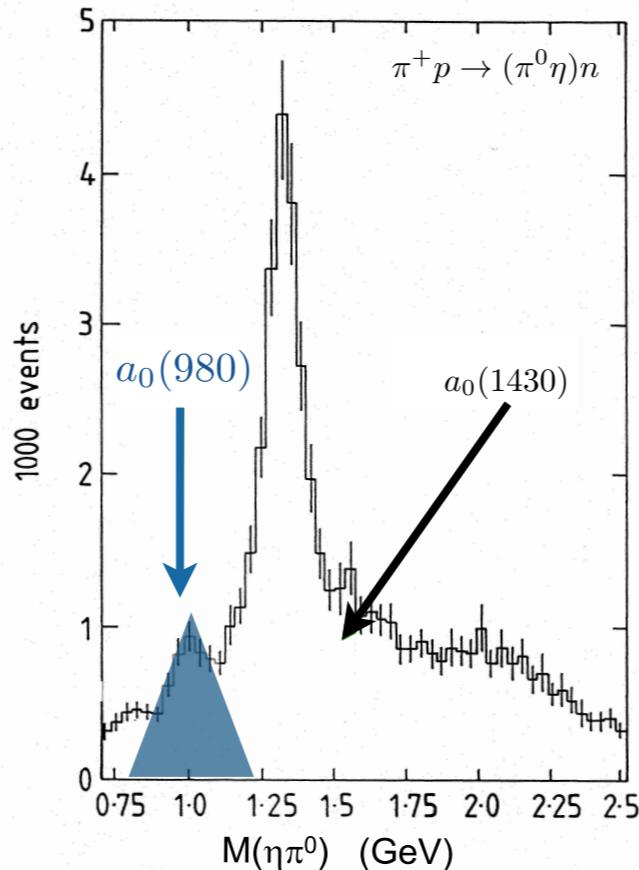


Dudek & Edwards (for the Hadron Spectrum Collaboration)  
Phys. Rev. D85, 054016 (2012)

This talk:

- isoscalar resonances
- extracting complex poles & couplings from scattering amplitudes


 LASS experiment at SLAC  $E_K = 11 \text{ GeV}$ 

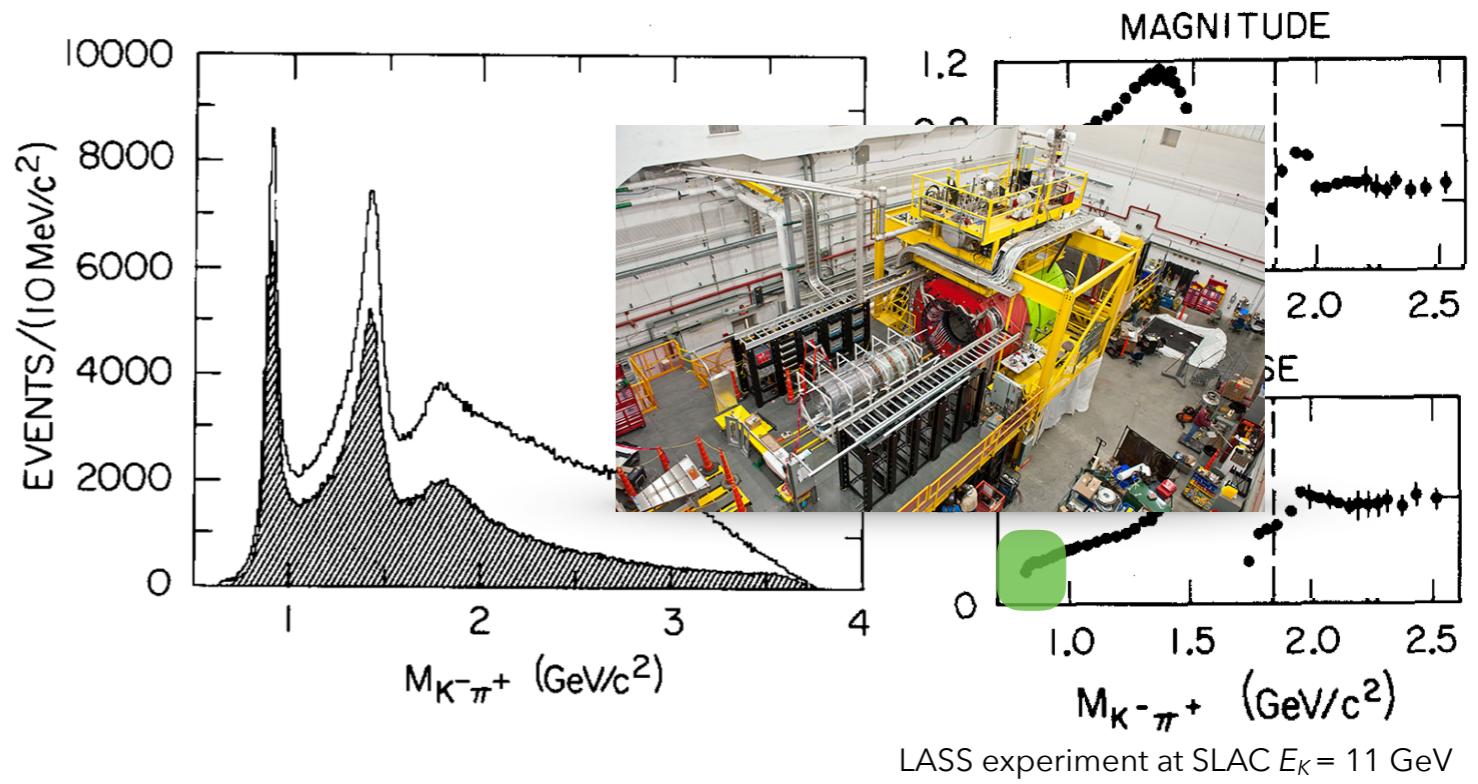
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# How do we understand the scalars?

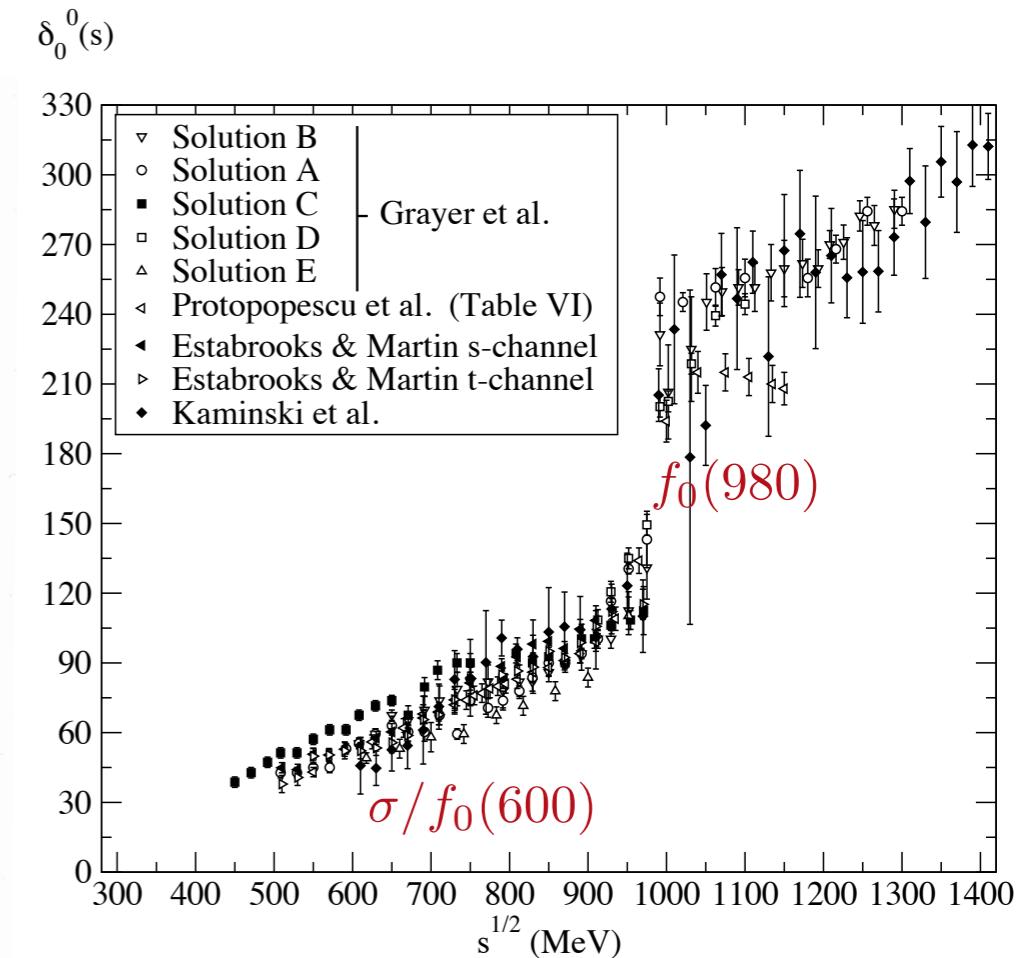
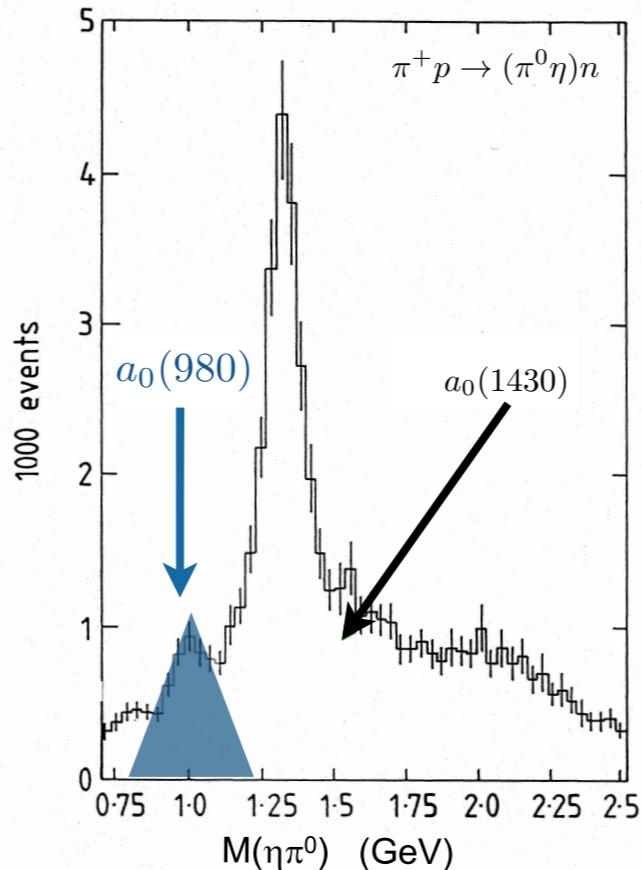
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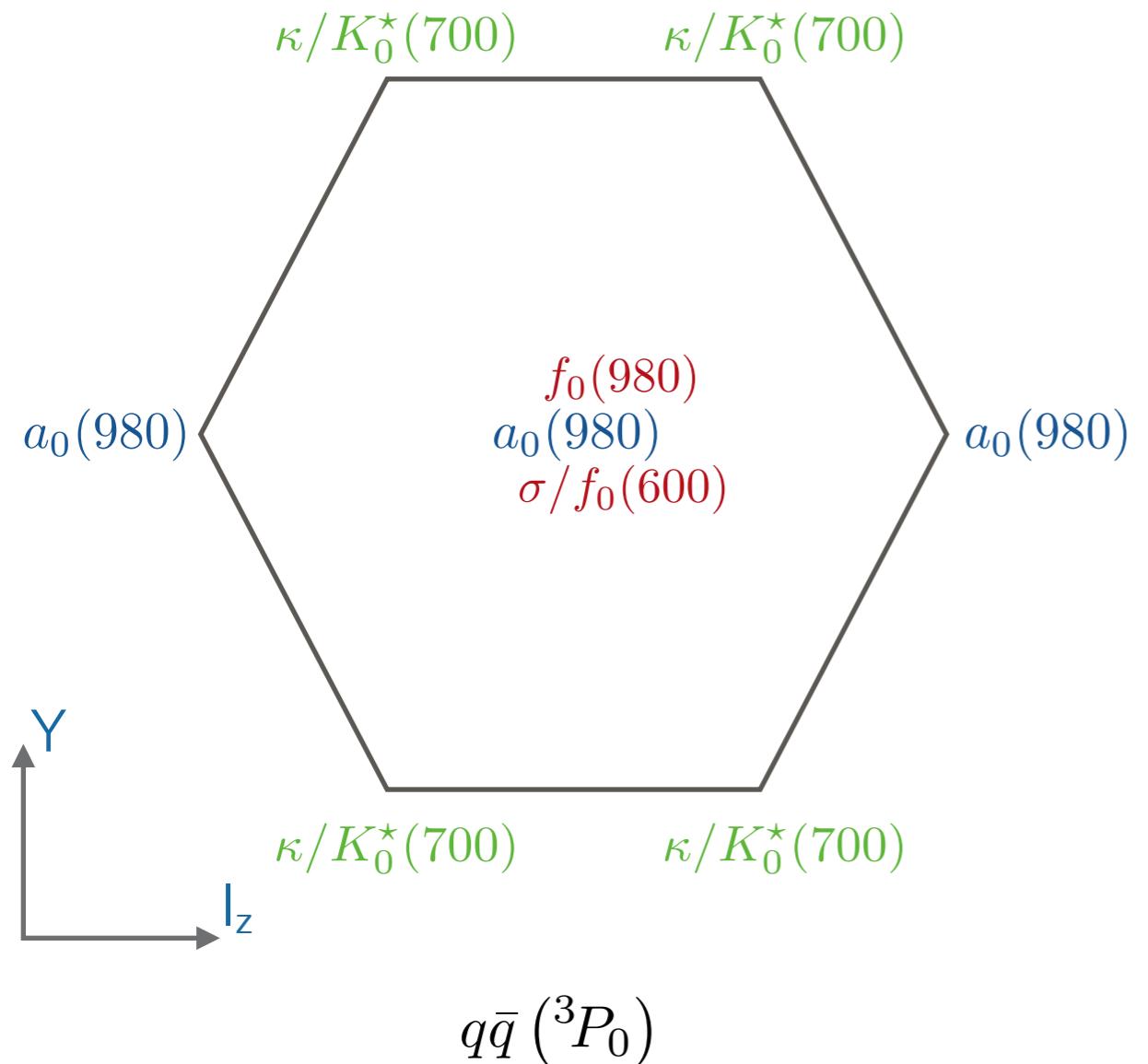
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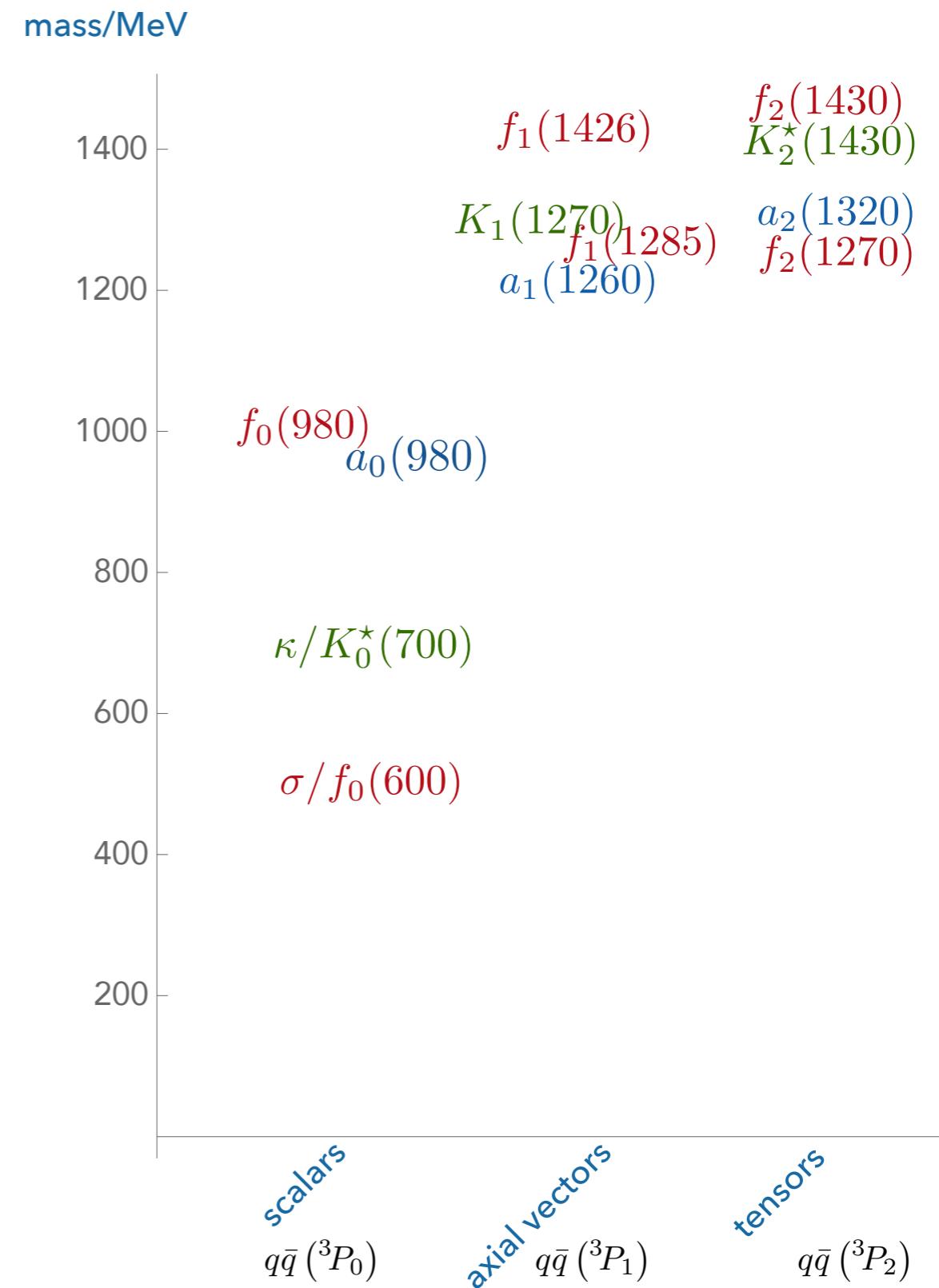
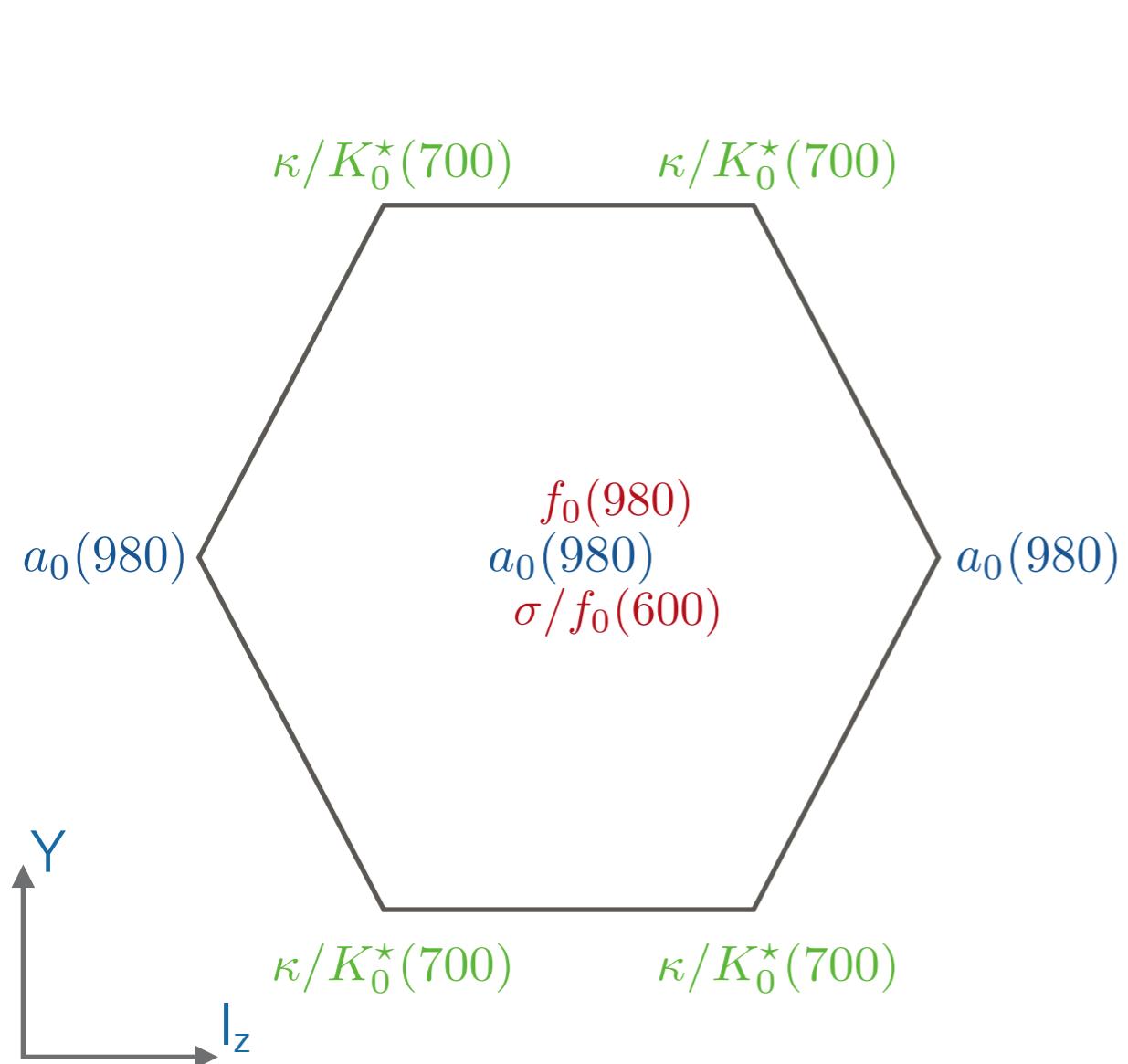
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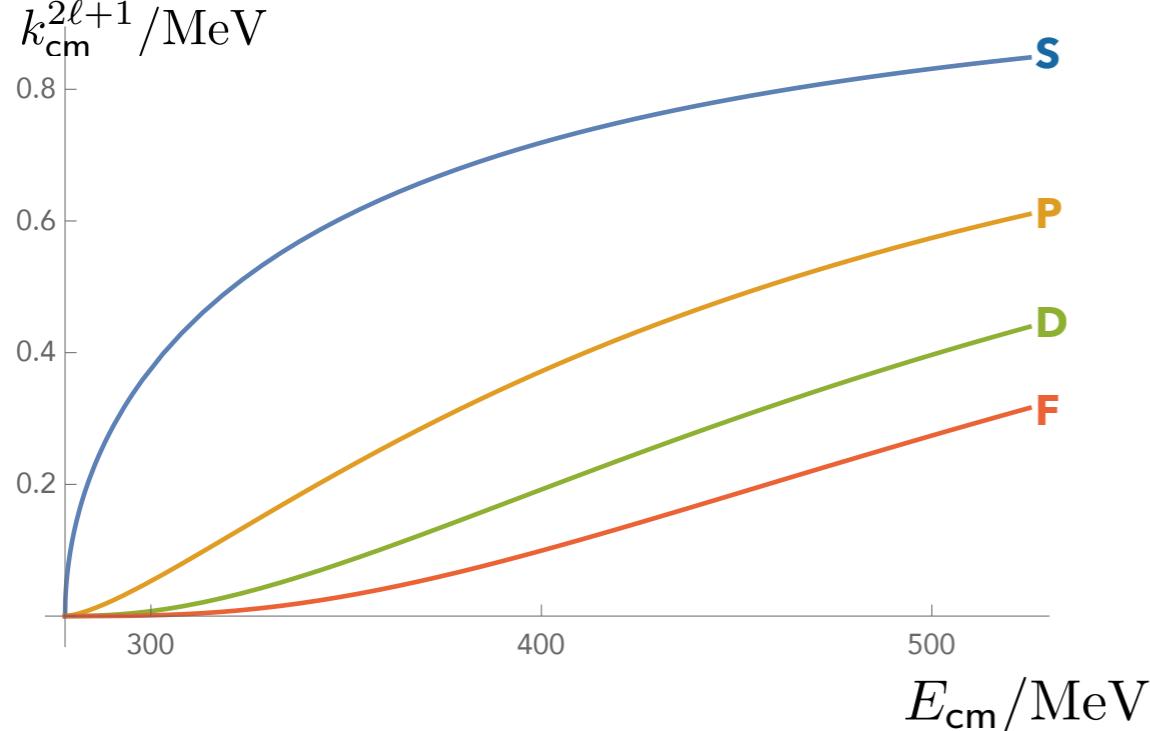
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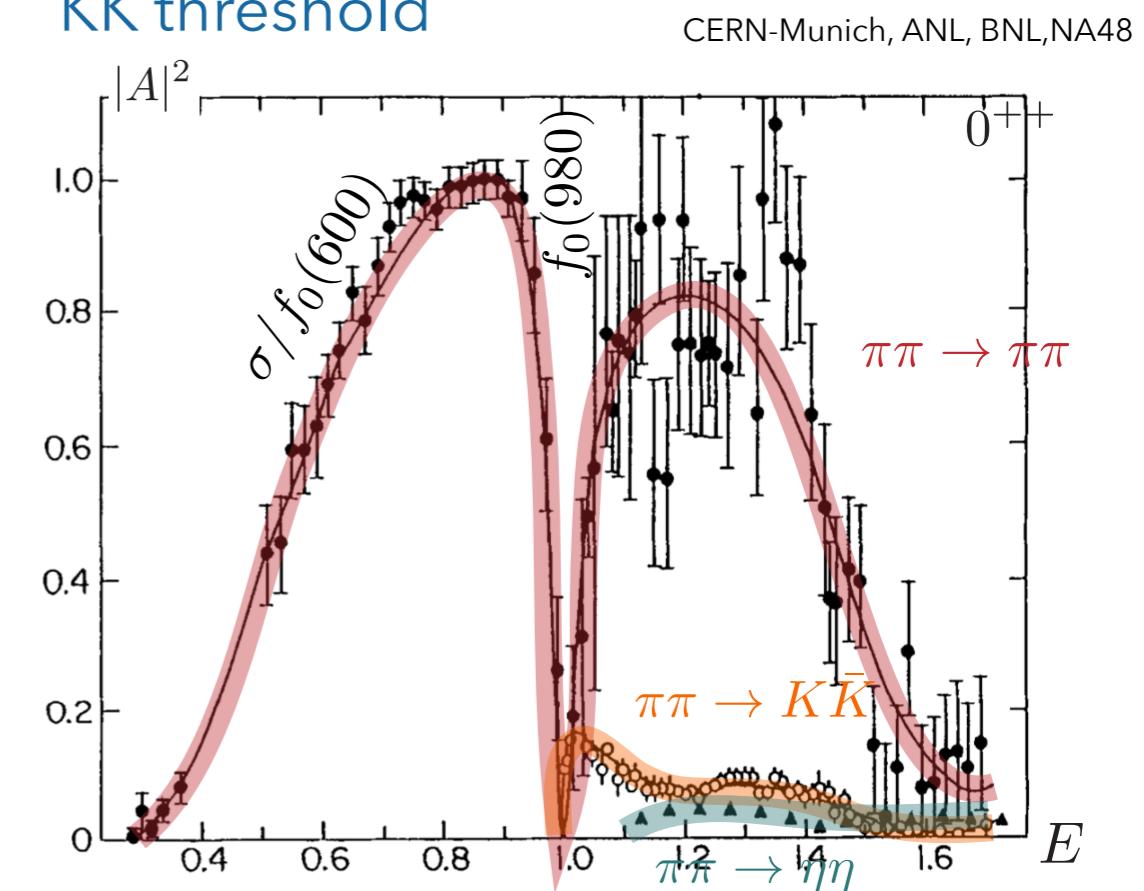




In the scalar sector, amplitudes grow rapidly from threshold:



$\sigma$  and  $\kappa$  are broad (width  $\sim$  mass)  
 $f_0(980)$  and  $a_0(980)$  lie very close to  
 $K\bar{K}$  threshold



Threshold effects are also essential to understand puzzling states:

$$\begin{array}{lll} \Lambda(1405) & \rightarrow & \Sigma\pi \\ & & N\bar{K} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} \Delta_E \sim 70\text{MeV} \\ \Delta_E \sim 30\text{MeV} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} X(3872) & \rightarrow & D\bar{D}^* \\ & \rightarrow & \pi\pi J/\psi \\ & \rightarrow & \pi\pi\pi J/\psi \end{array} \quad \Delta_E \sim 1\text{MeV}$$

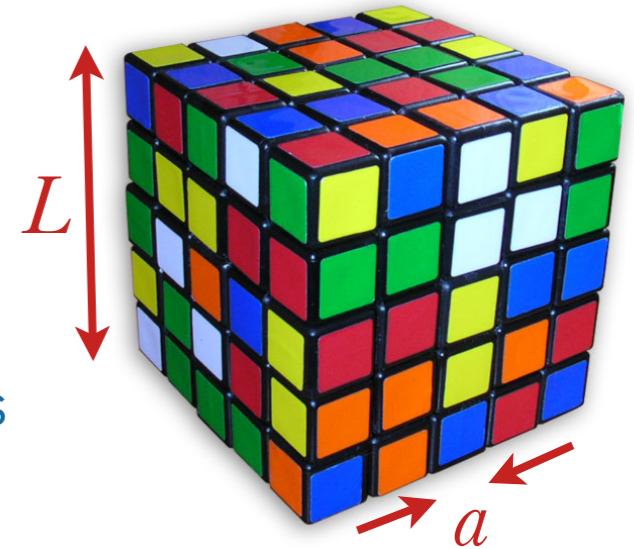
What about state composition?

Lattice QCD provides a first principles method to access these resonances

Work in a finite Euclidean volume  $L$  with a lattice spacing  $a$

Compute matrices of correlation functions with many operators

$$C_{ij} = \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i(t) \mathcal{O}_j^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle$$



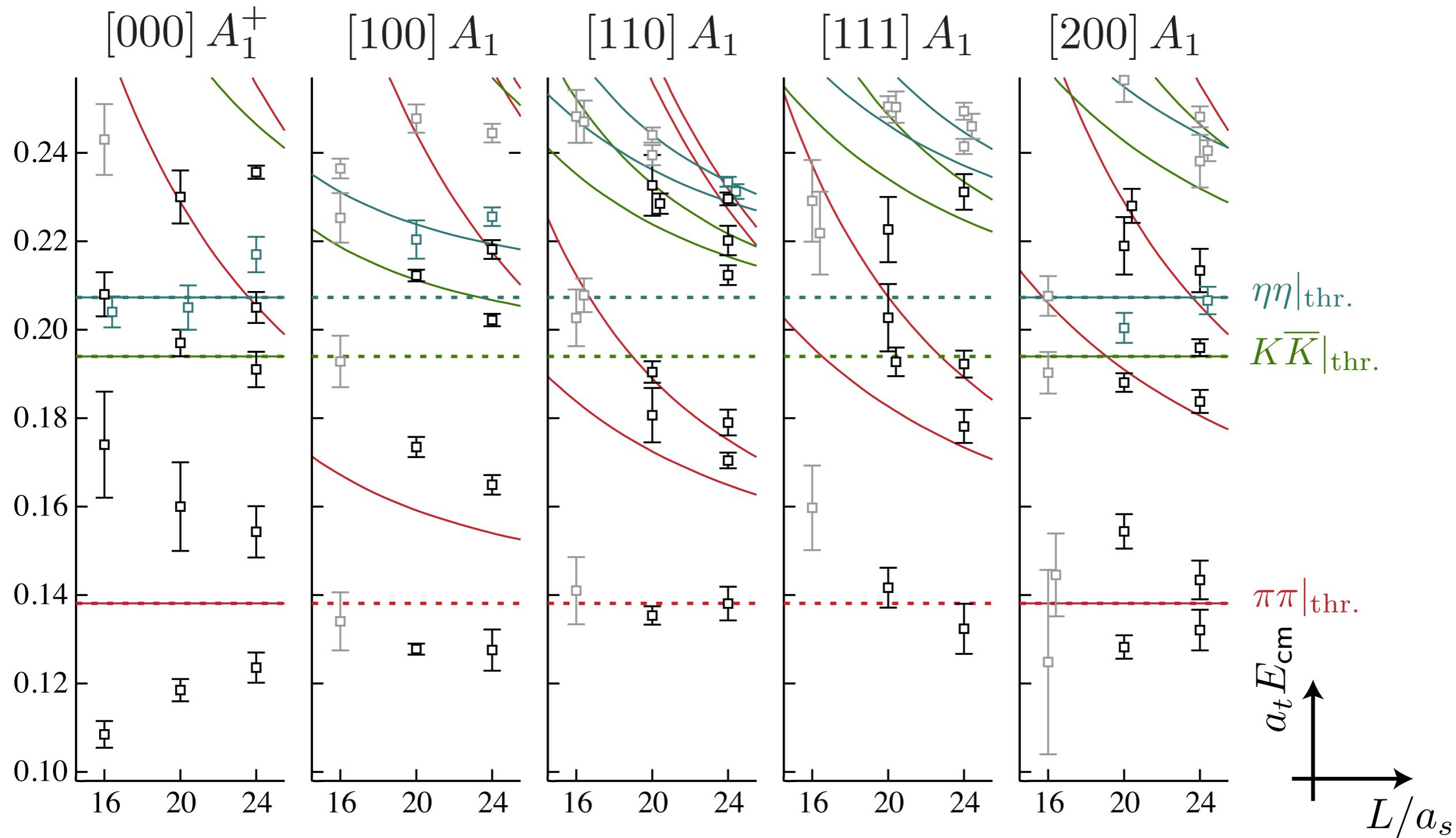
Obtain the finite volume spectrum using a variational method

$$C_{ij}(t)v_j^{\mathfrak{n}} = \lambda(t)_{\mathfrak{n}} C_{ij}(t_0)v_j^{\mathfrak{n}} \quad \rightarrow \quad \lambda_{\mathfrak{n}} \sim \exp(-E_{\mathfrak{n}} t)$$

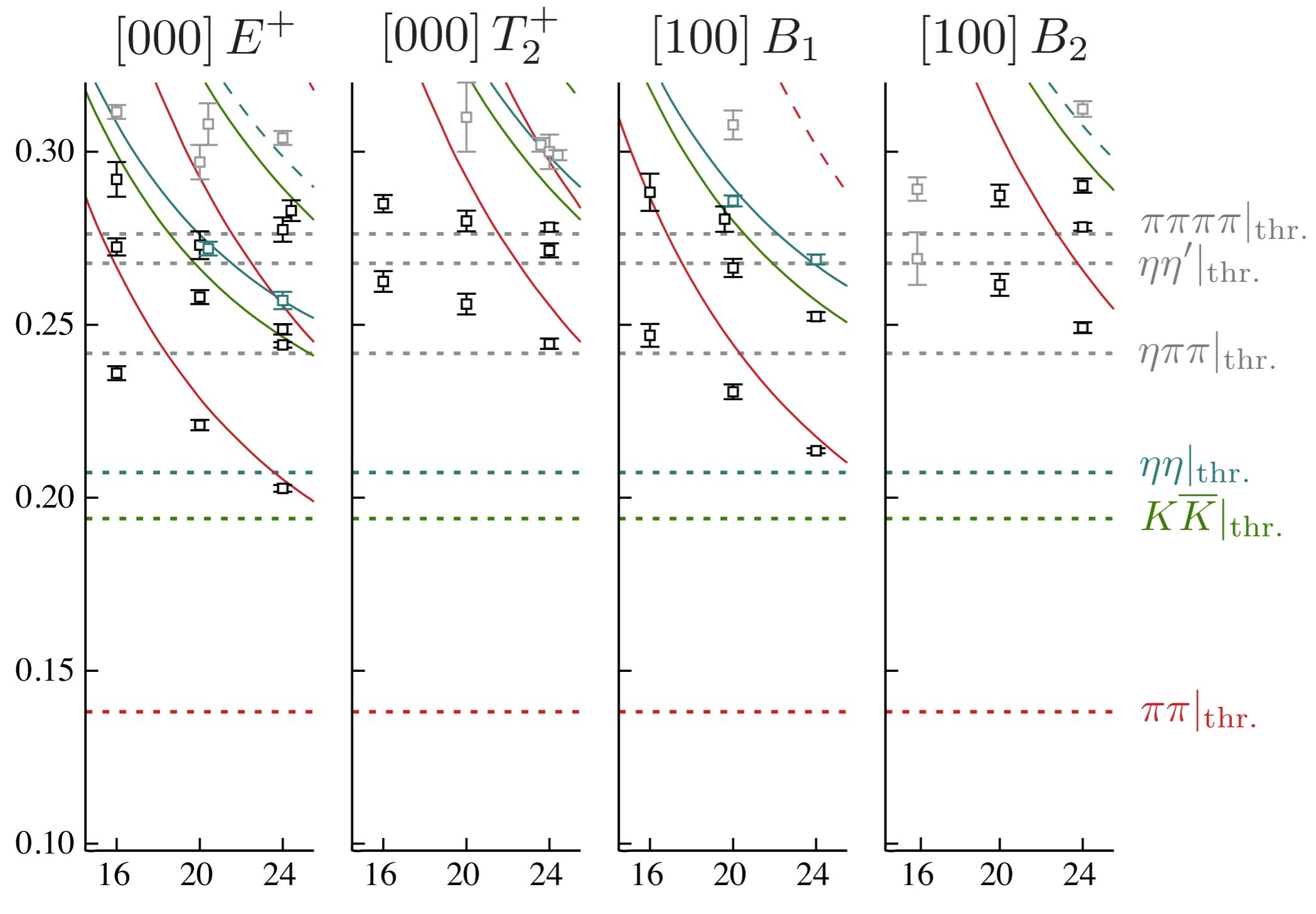
The infinite volume scattering t-matrix is determined from the finite volume spectrum by extensions of Lüscher's method

In the calculations that follow  $m_\pi=391$  MeV

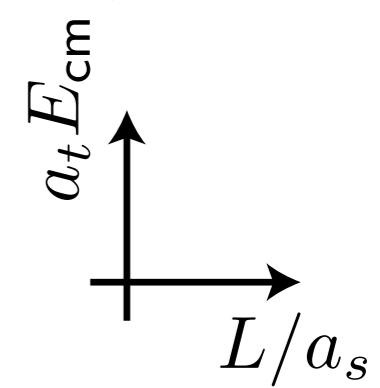
- suppresses some of the difficult many ( $\geq 3$ ) hadron channels

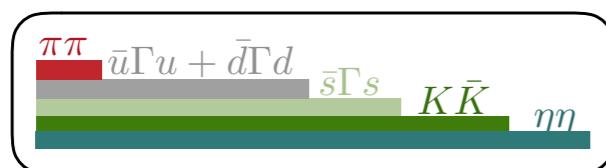
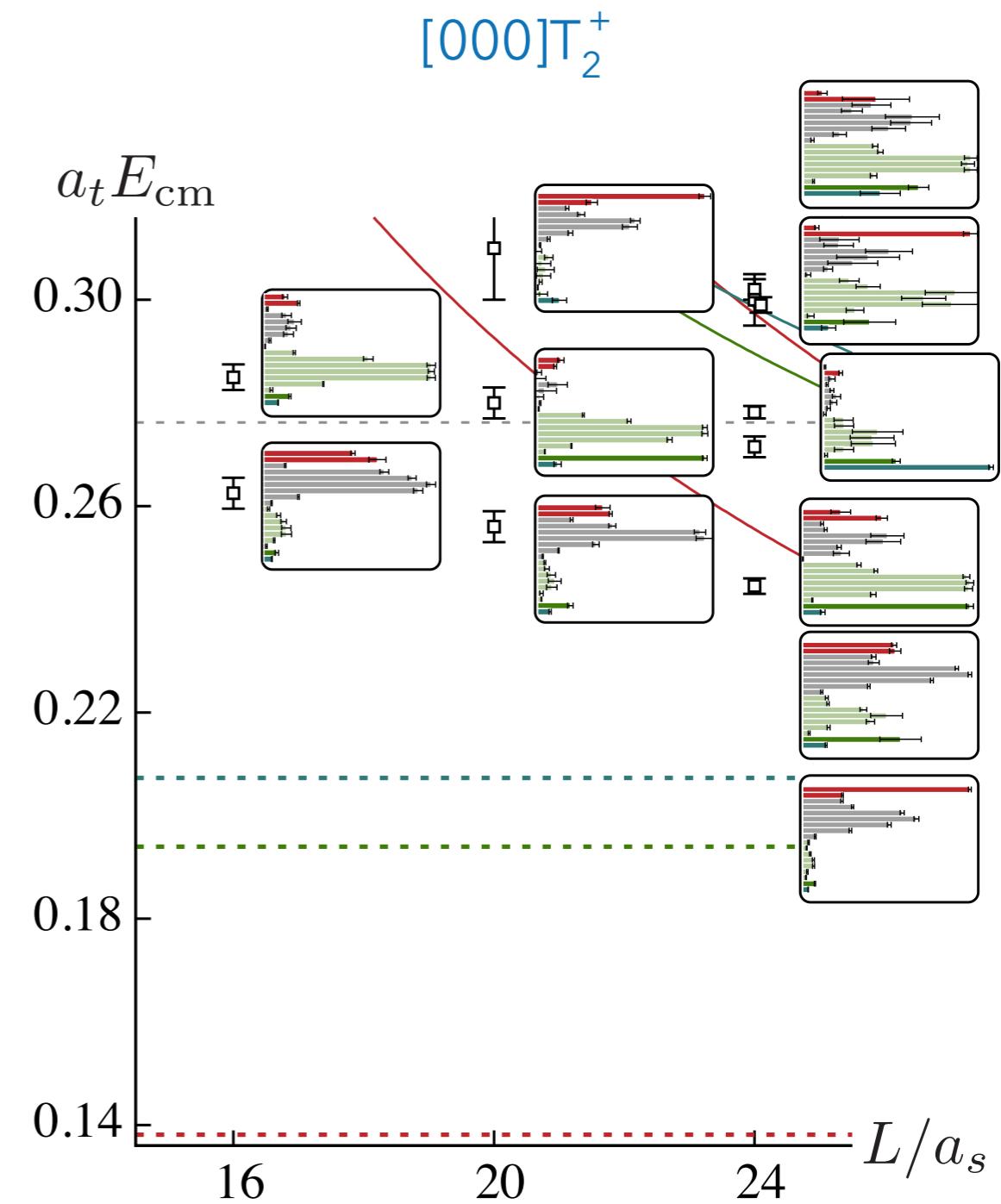
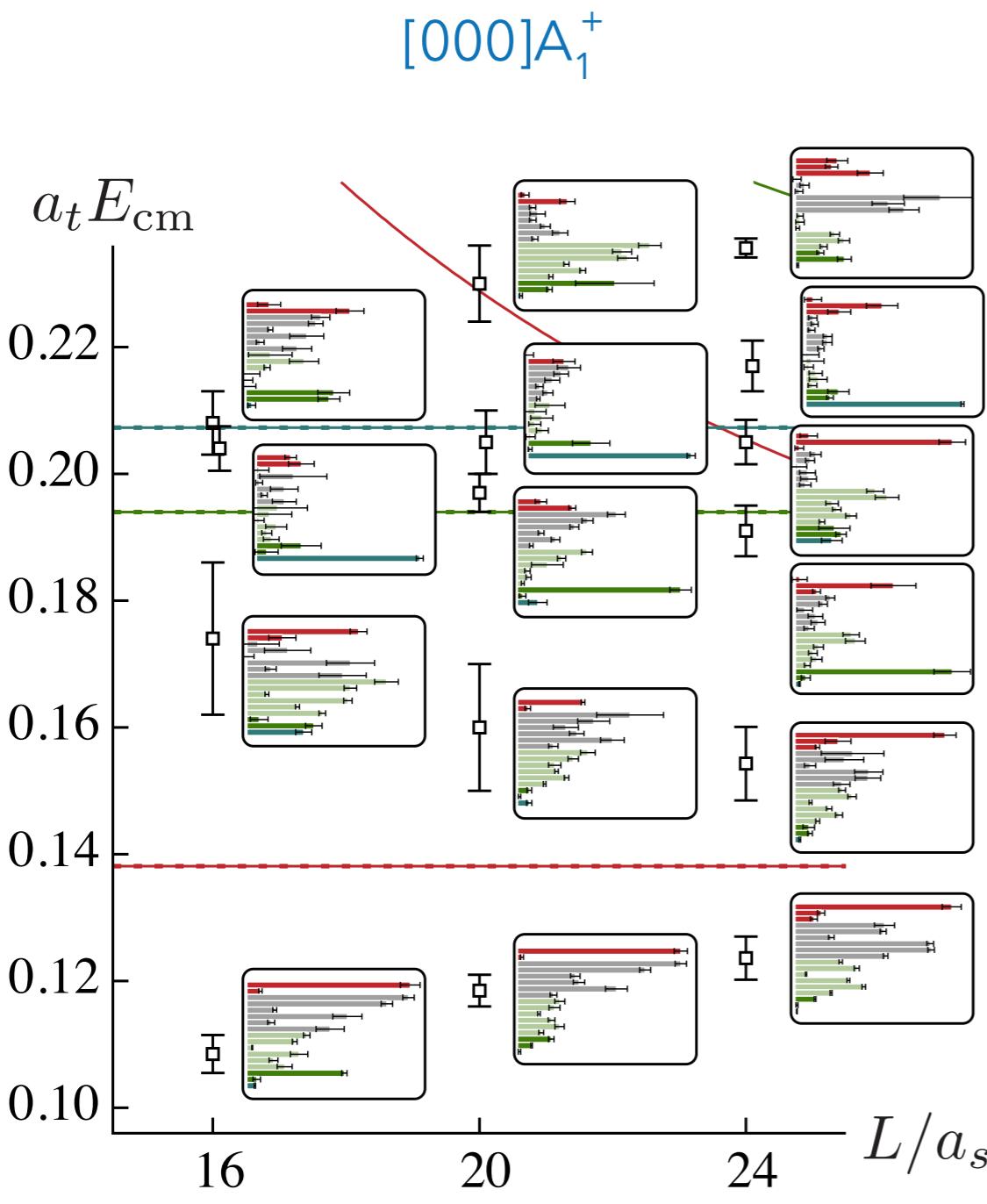


conservatively 57 energy levels  
dominated by S-wave interactions



conservatively 34 energy levels  
dominated by D-wave interactions





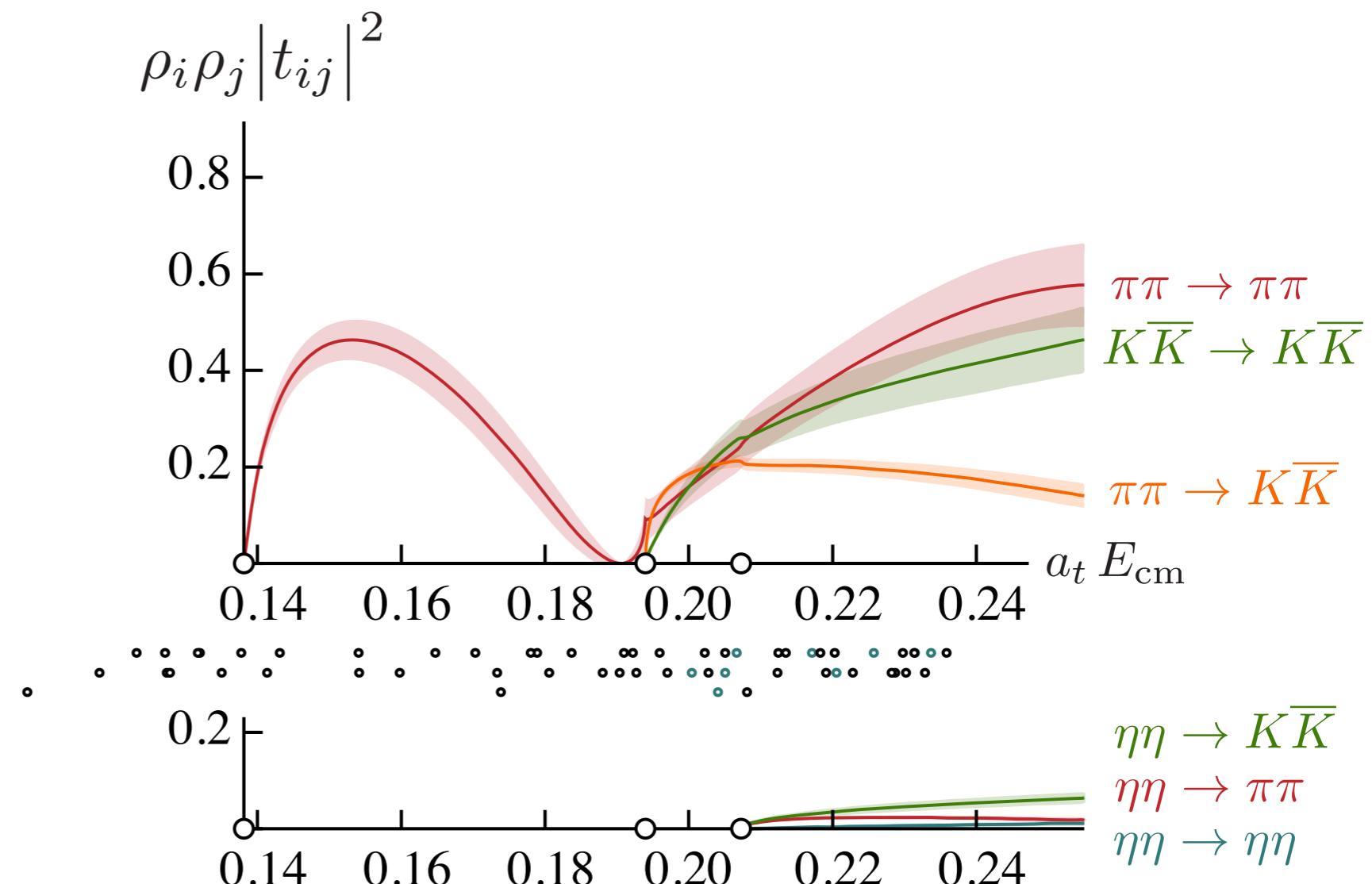
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$$\mathbf{K}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} a + bs & c + ds & e \\ c + ds & f & g \\ e & g & h \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\chi^2/N_{\text{dof}} = \frac{44.0}{57 - 8} = 0.90$$

57 energy levels



Using the coupled-channel extensions of Lüscher's method:

$$\det [\mathbf{1} + i\boldsymbol{\rho}(E) \cdot \mathbf{t}(E) \cdot (\mathbf{1} + i\mathcal{M}(E, L))] = 0$$

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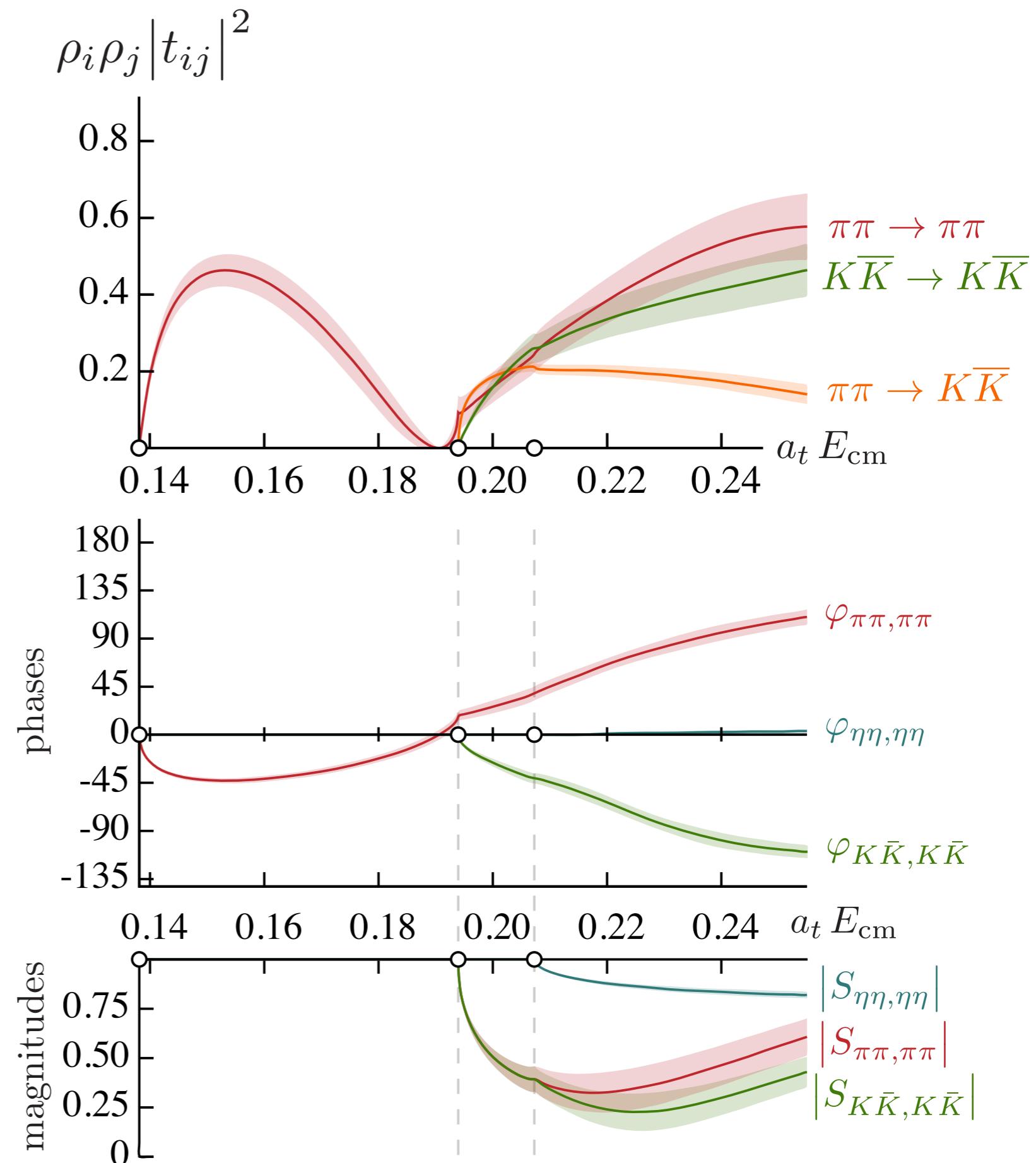
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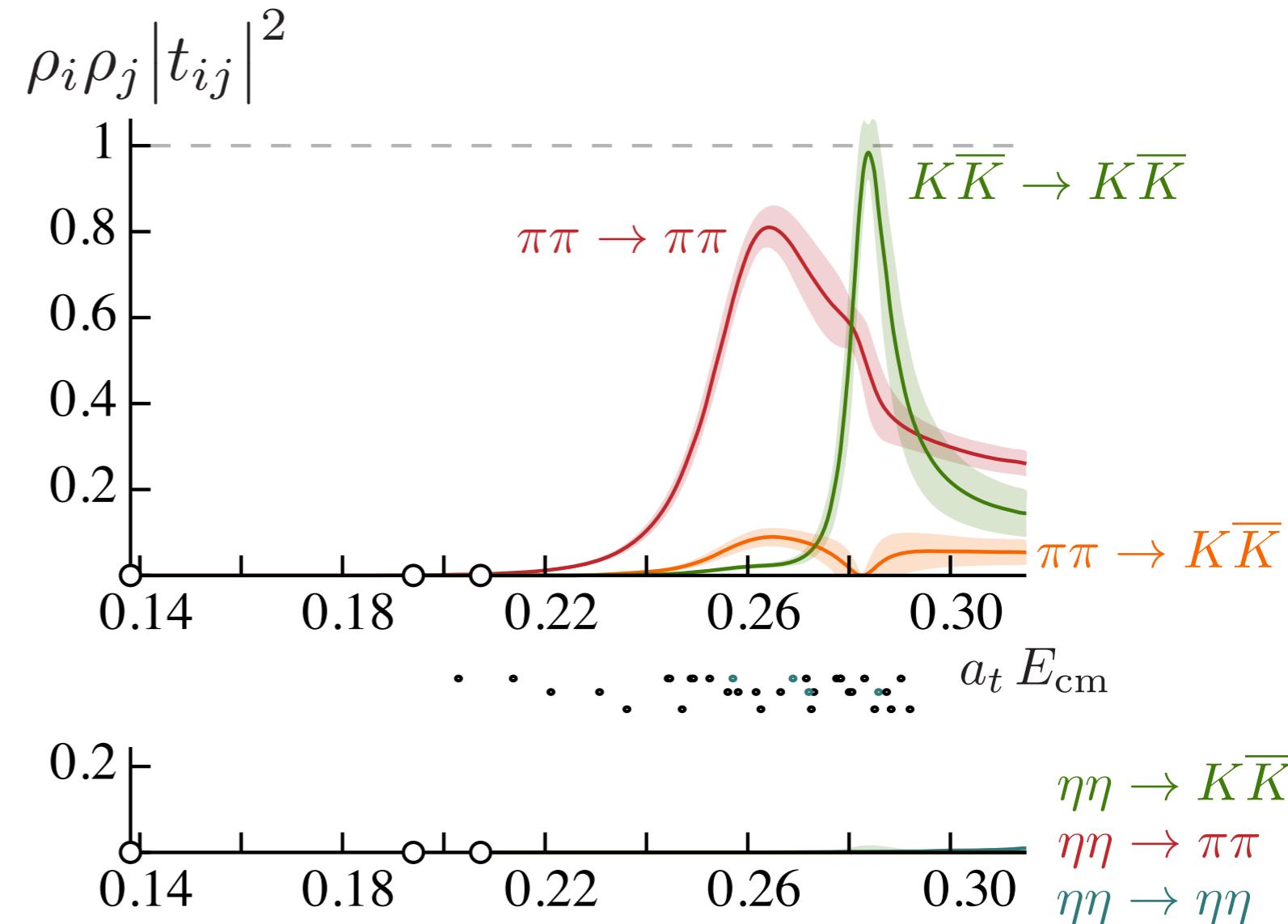
$$K_{ij}(s) = \frac{g_i^{(1)} g_j^{(1)}}{m_1^2 - s} + \frac{g_i^{(2)} g_j^{(2)}}{m_2^2 - s} + \gamma_{ij}$$

$$\gamma_{\eta\eta} \neq 0$$

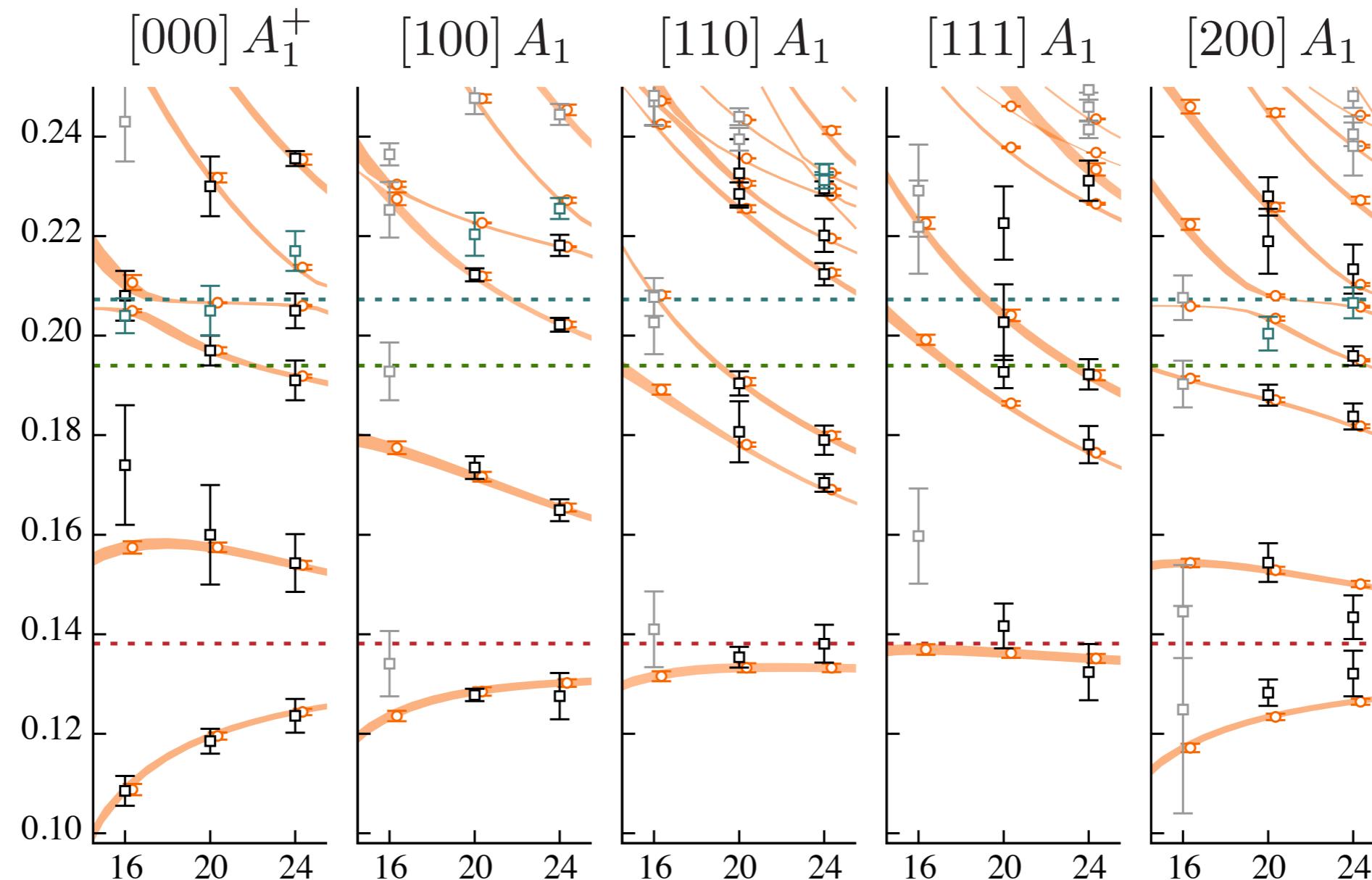
$$\gamma_{ij} = 0 \quad \text{otherwise}$$

$$\chi^2/N_{\text{dof}} = \frac{28.9}{34 - 9} = 1.15$$

34 energy levels

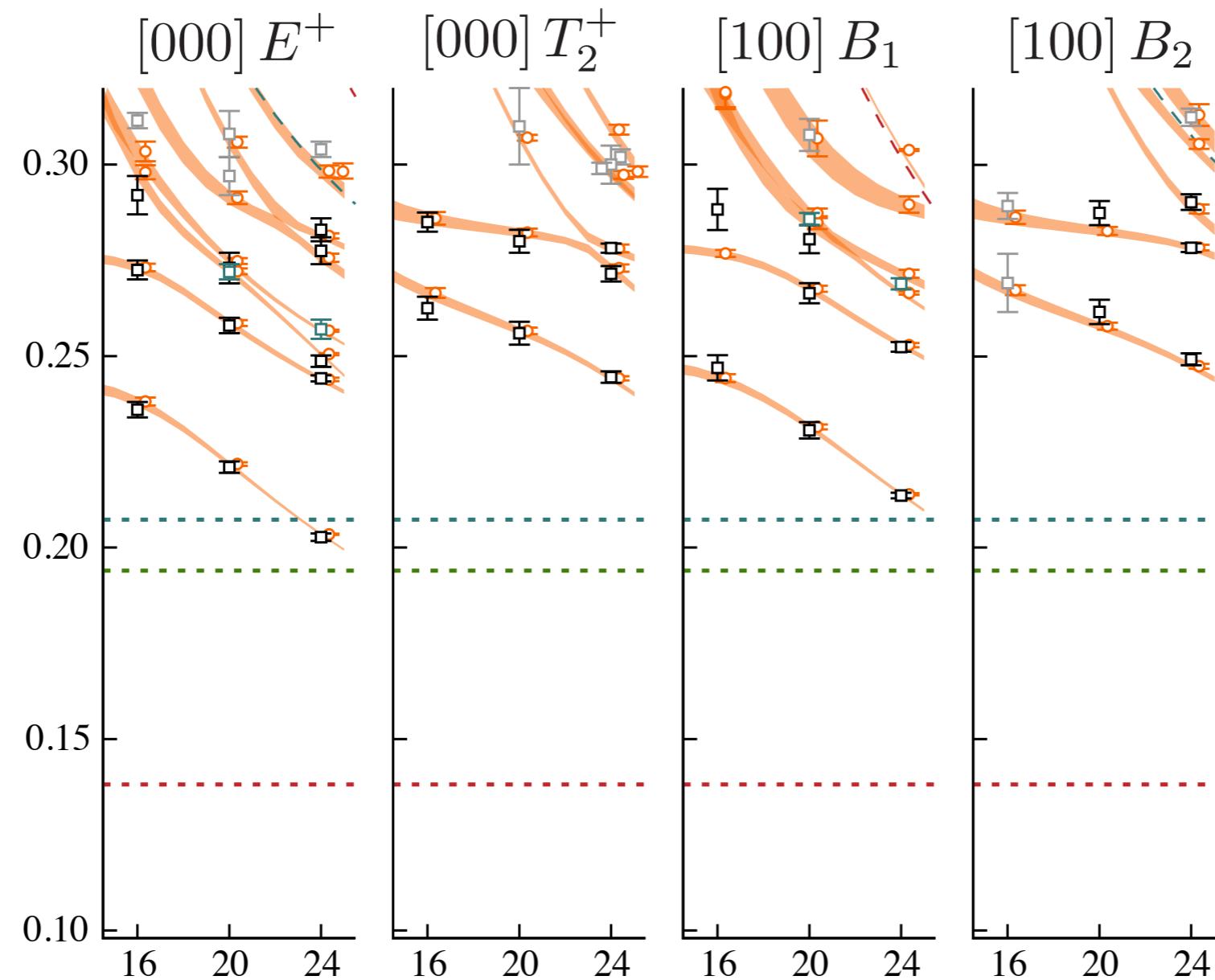


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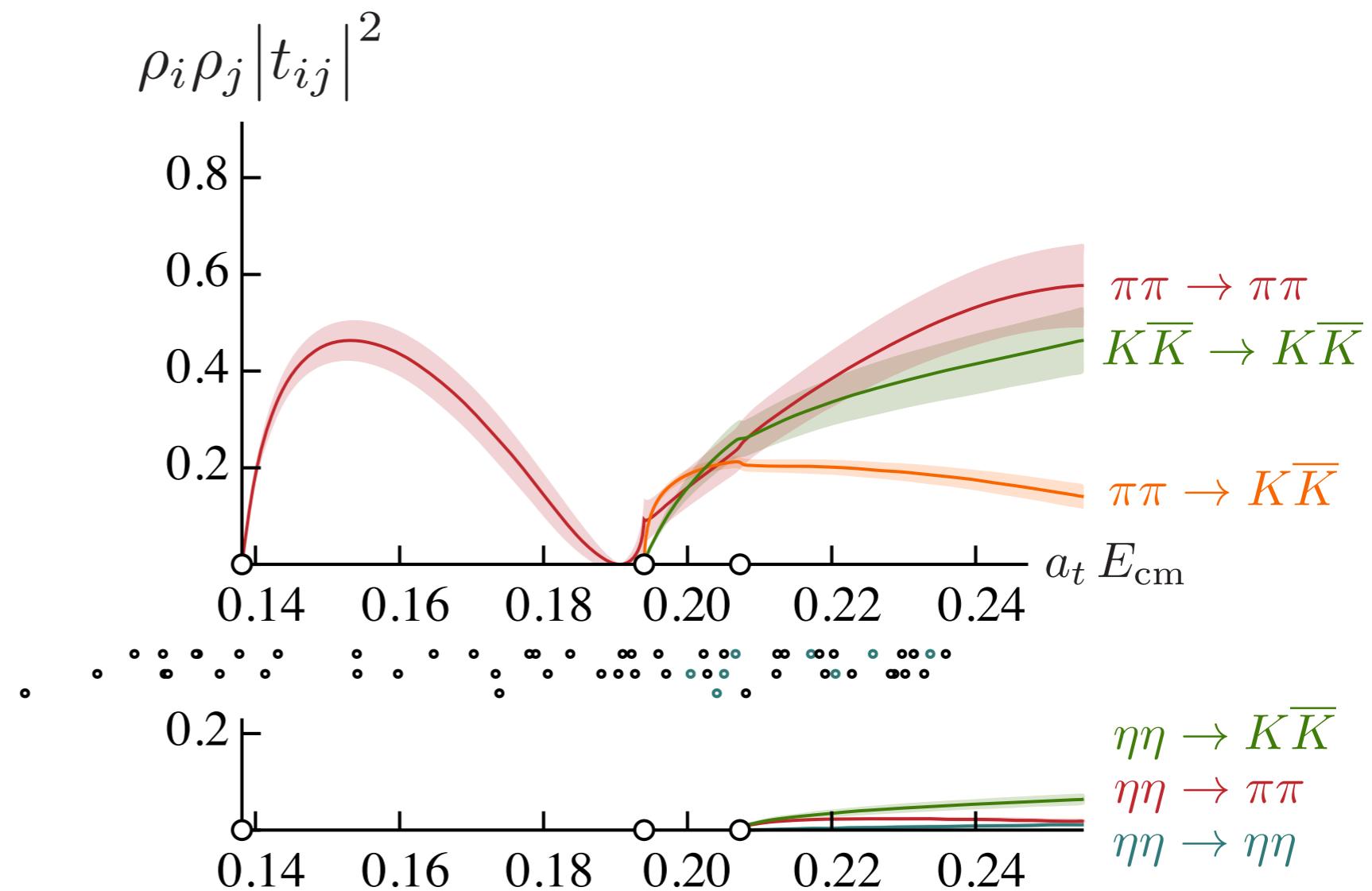
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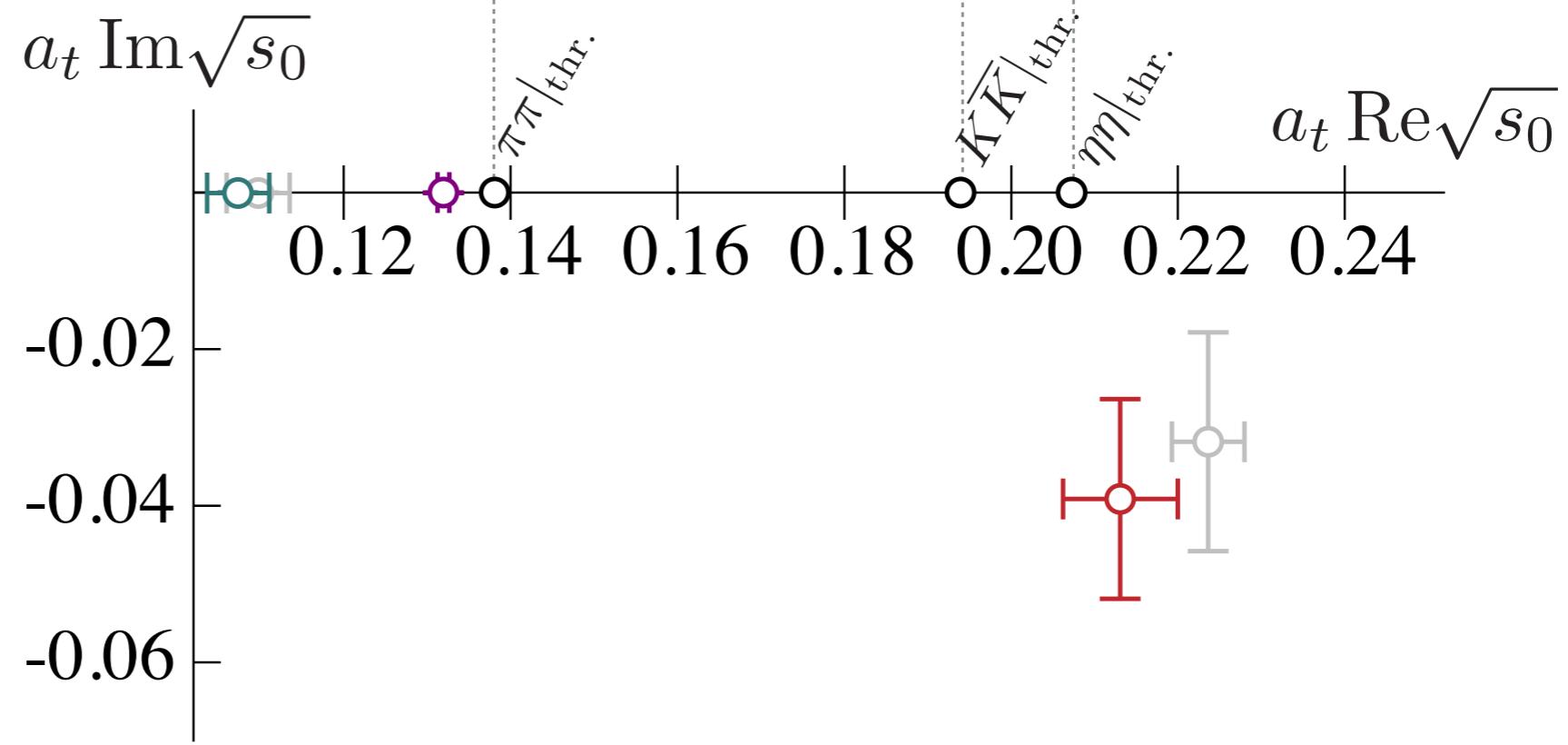
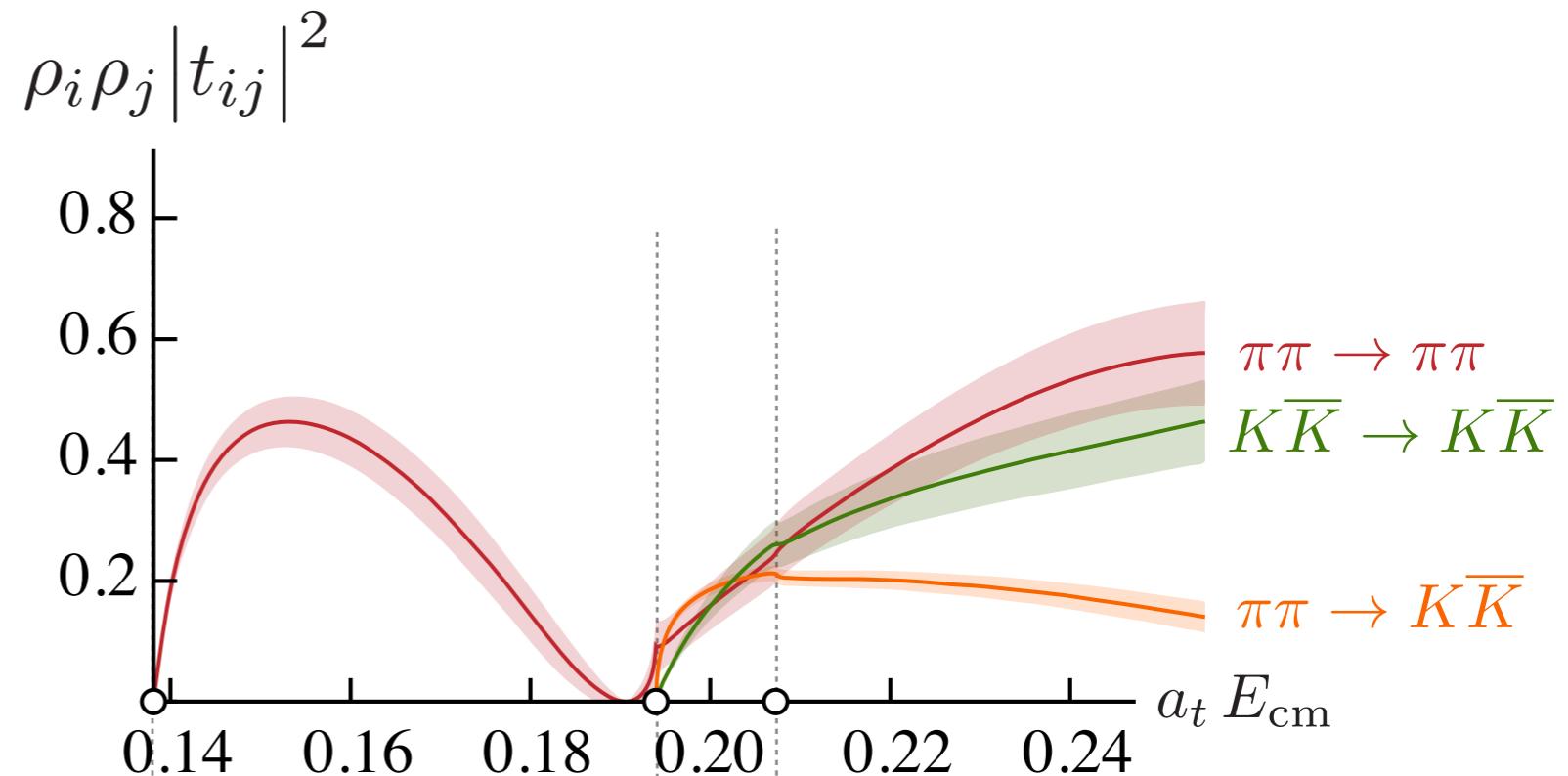
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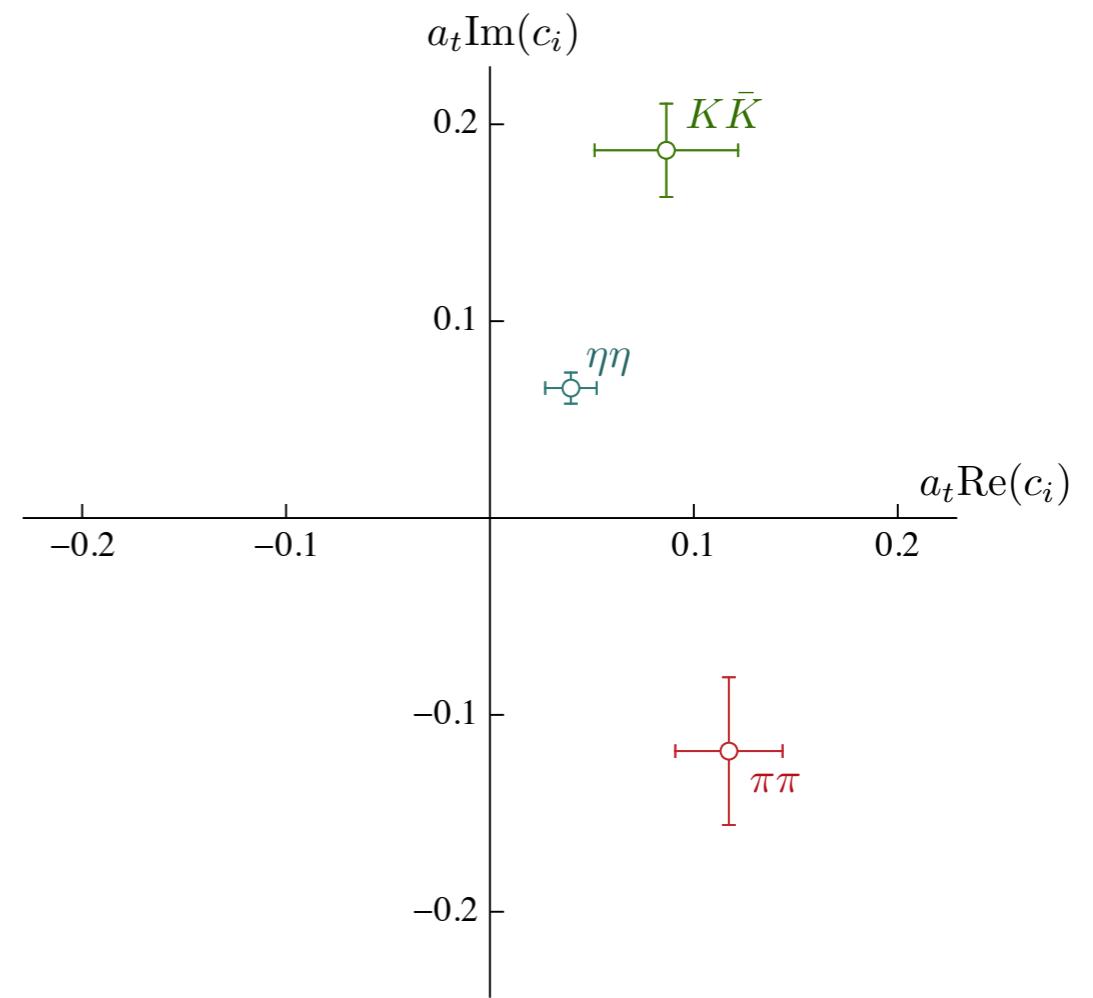
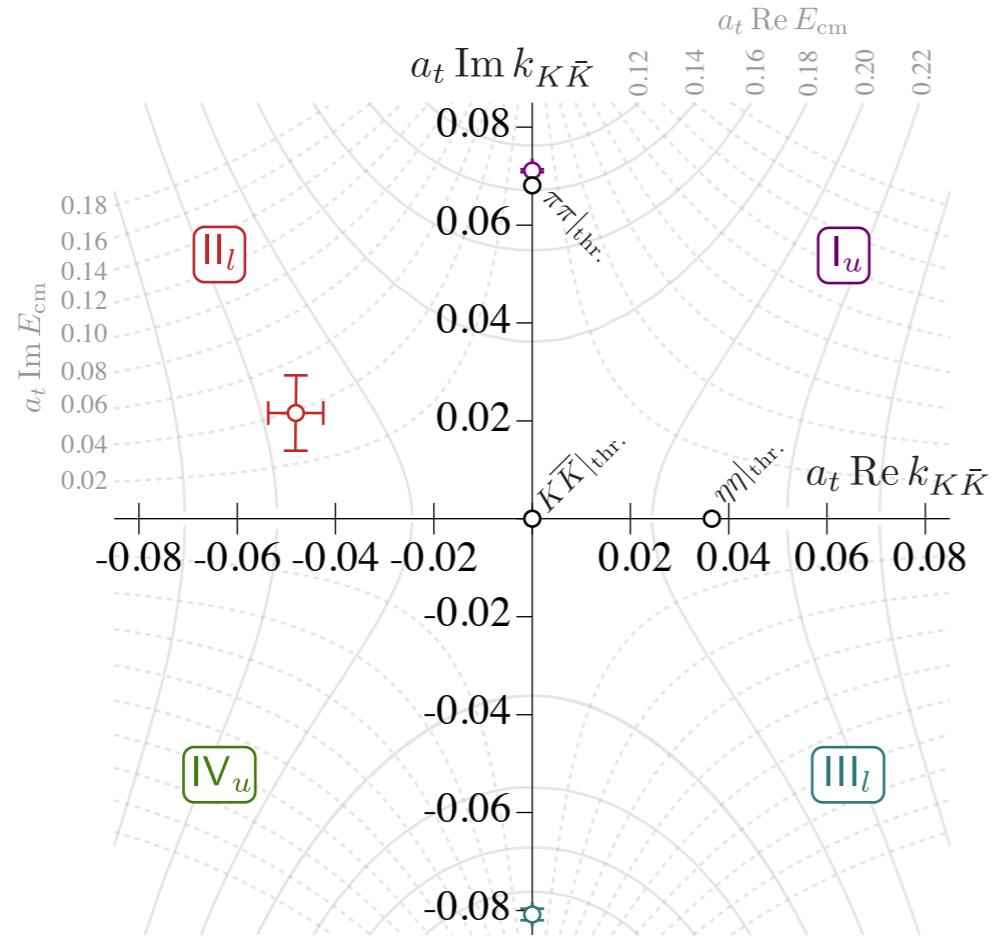
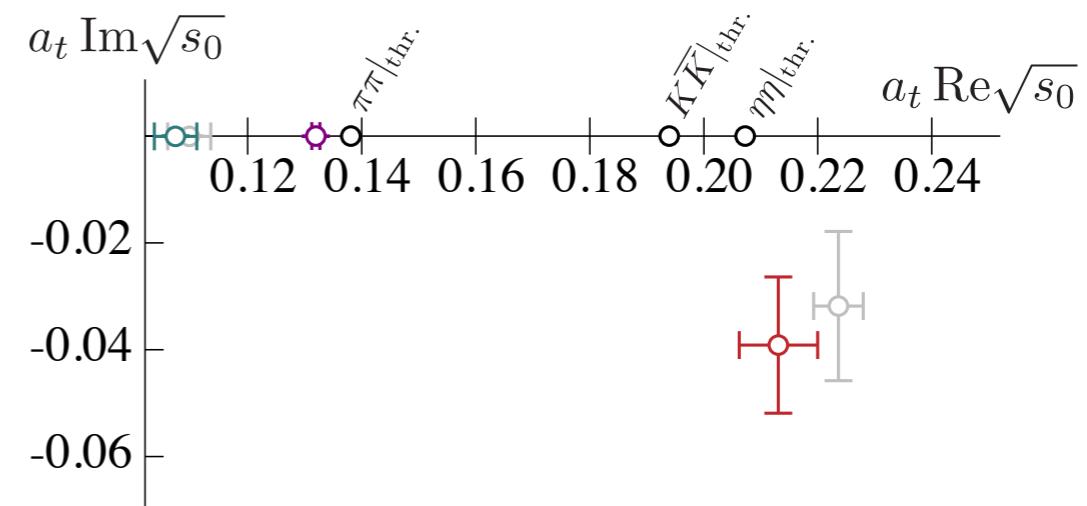
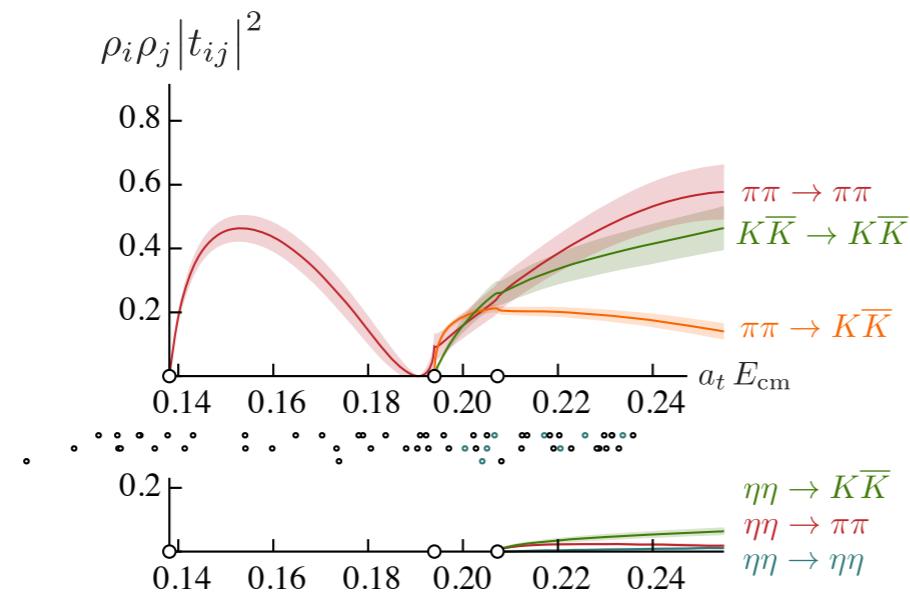
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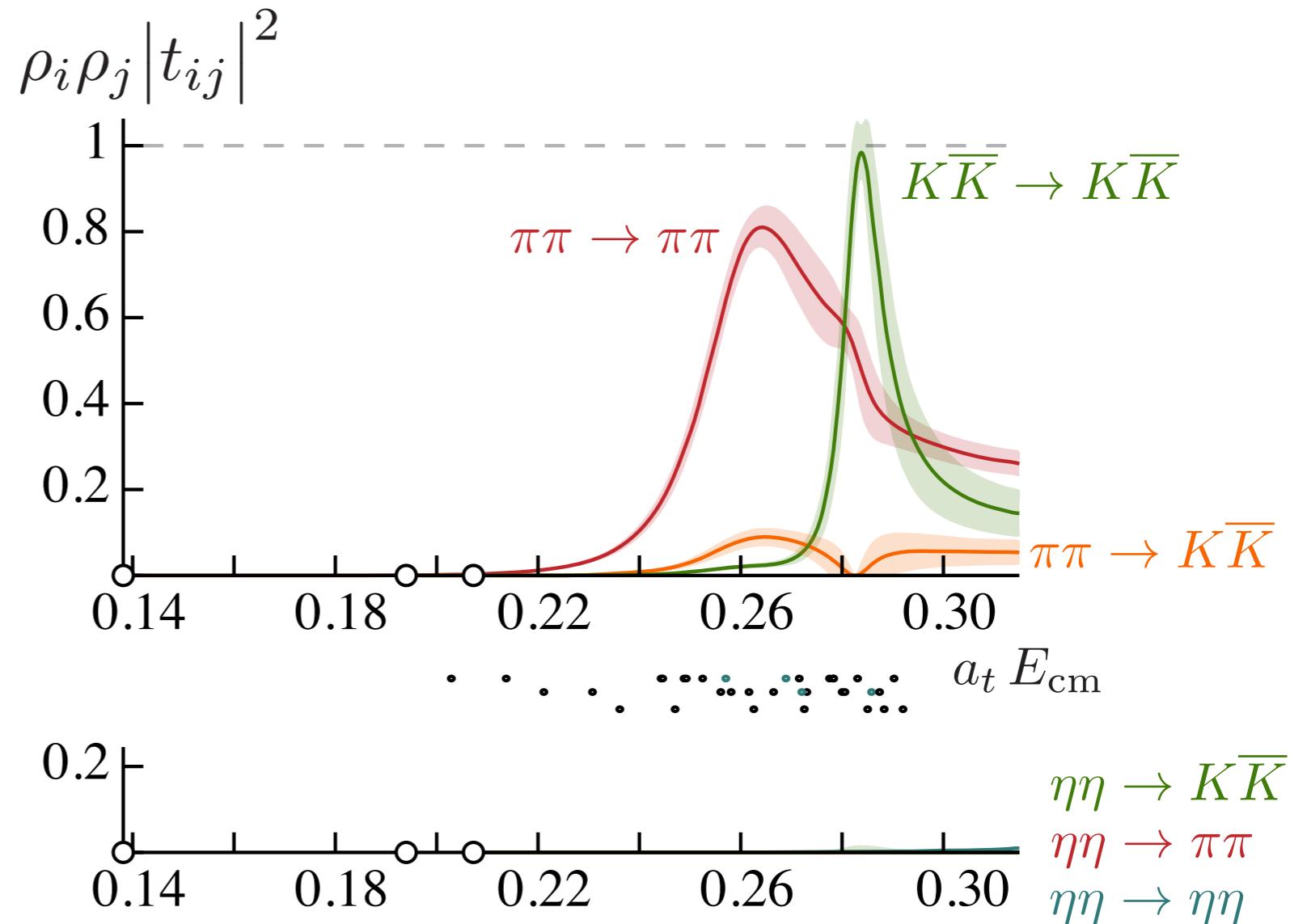


Near a t-matrix pole

$$t_{ij} \sim \frac{c_i c_j}{s_0 - s}$$

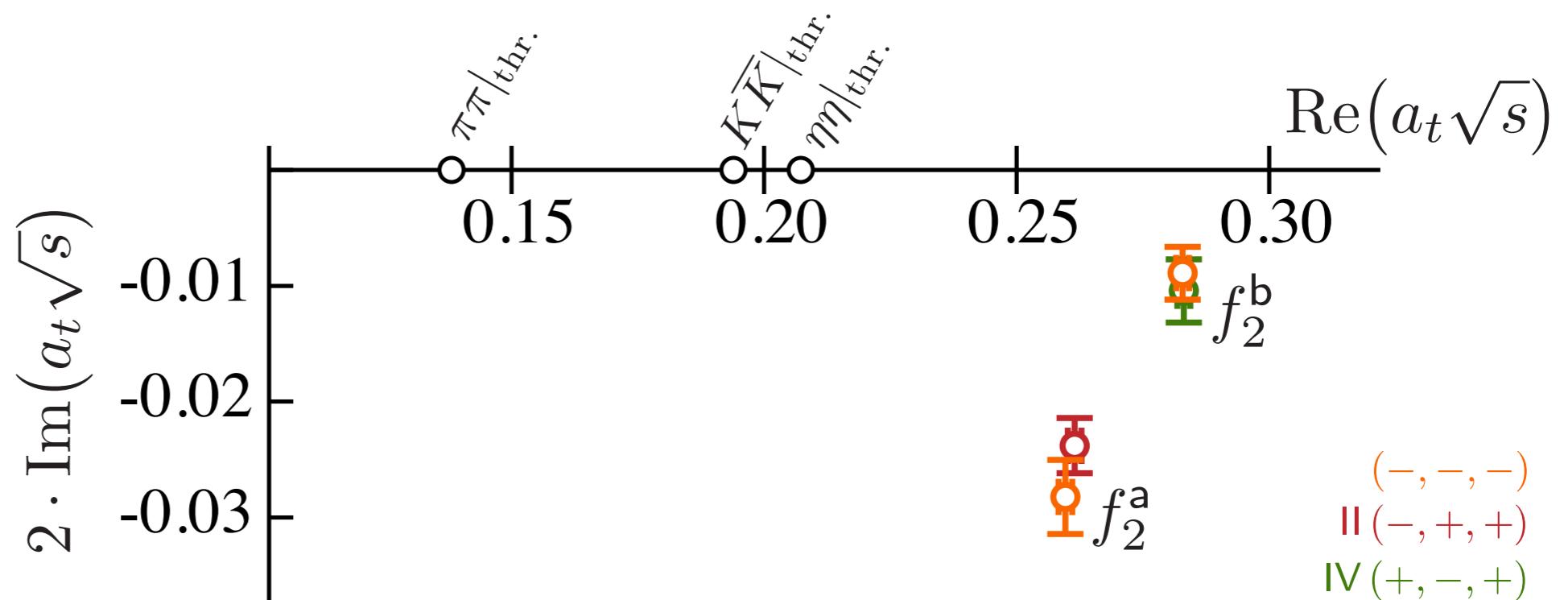
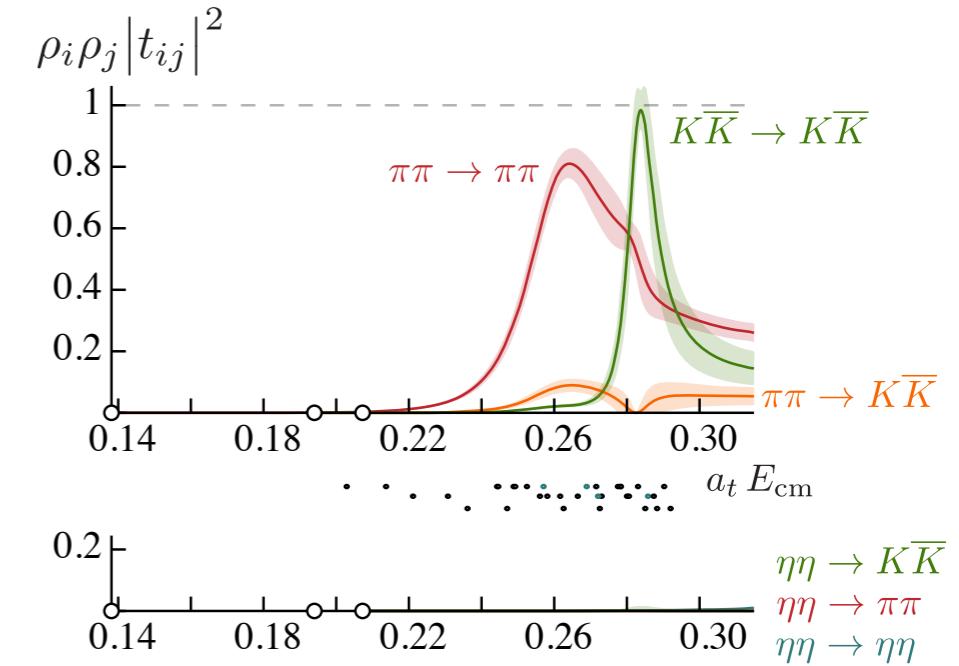


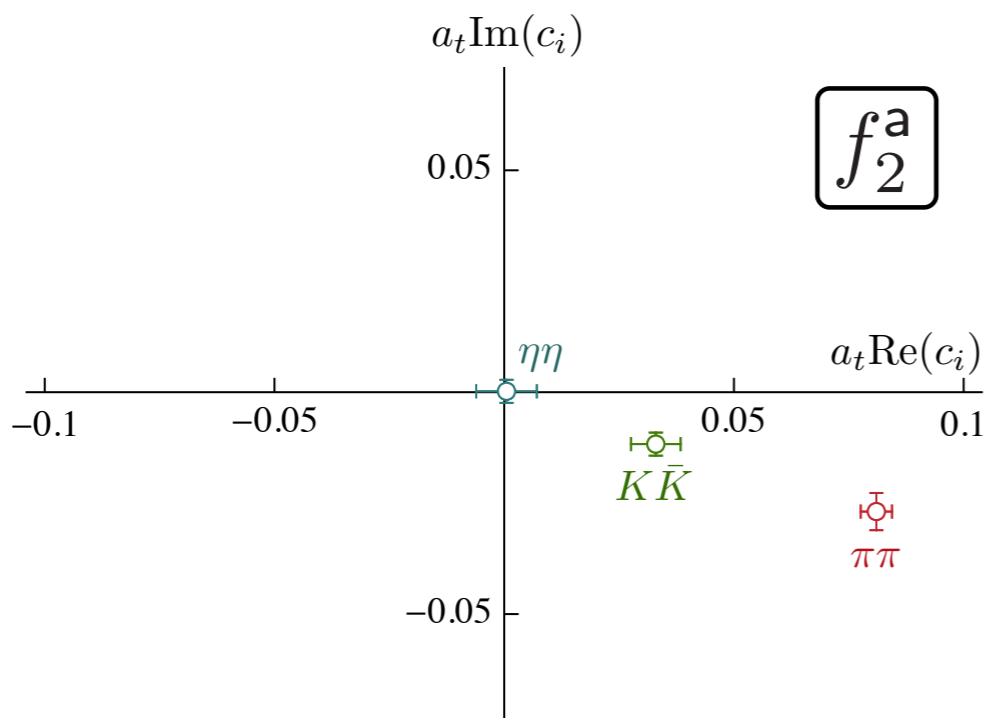
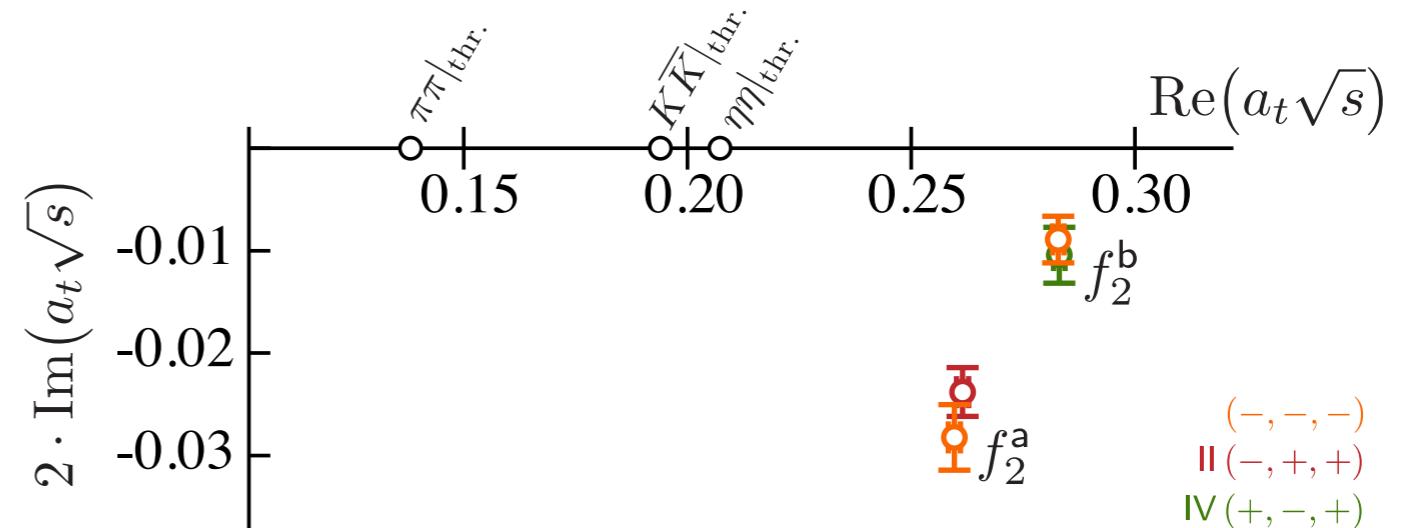
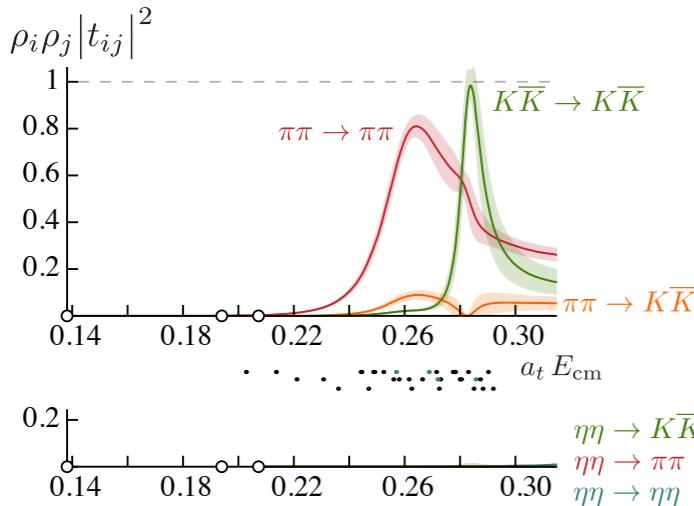




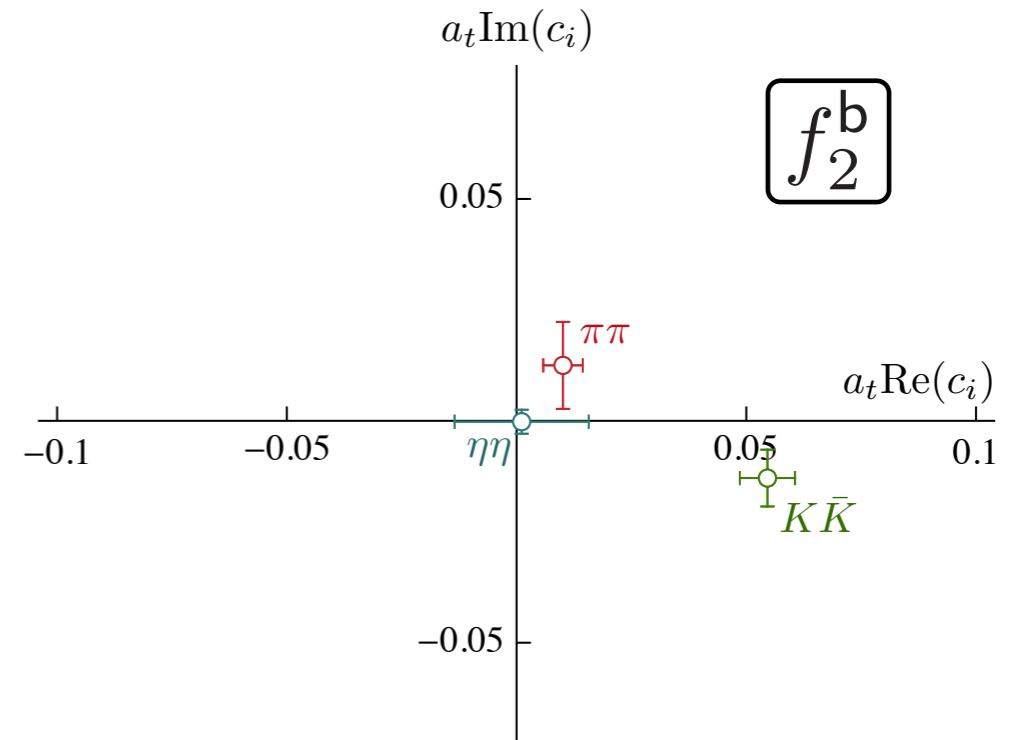
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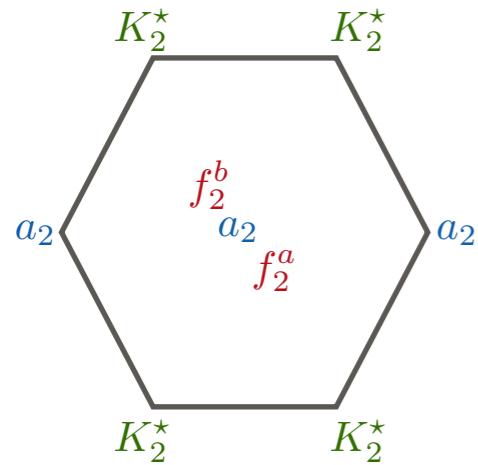




$f_2^a : \sqrt{s_0} = 1470(15) - \frac{i}{2} 160(18) \text{ MeV}$   
 $\text{Br}(f_2^a \rightarrow \pi\pi) \sim 85\%, \quad \text{Br}(f_2^a \rightarrow K\bar{K}) \sim 12\%$

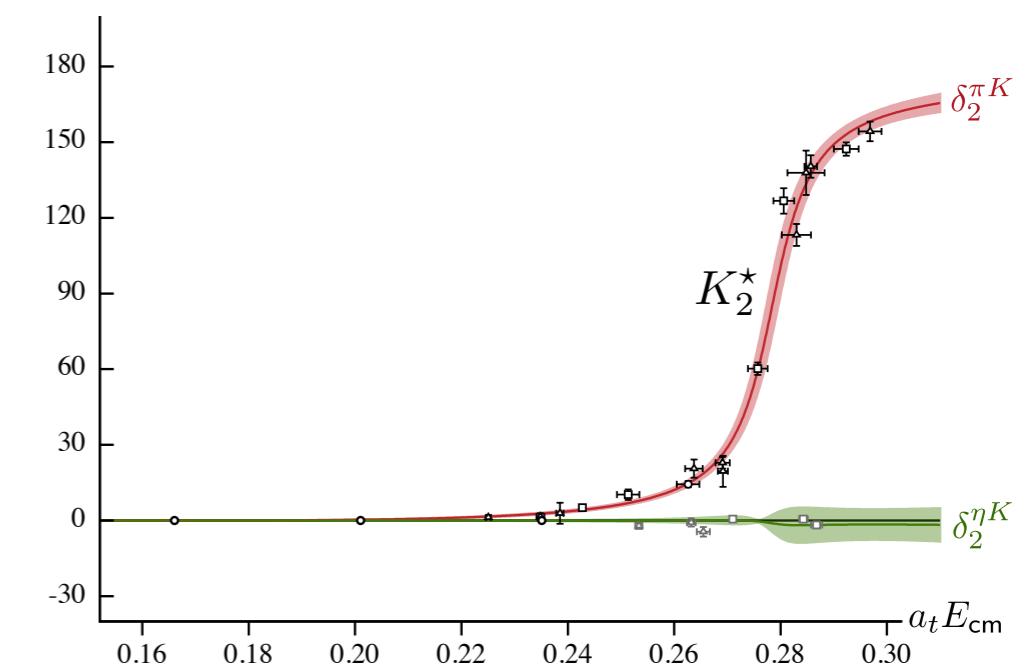
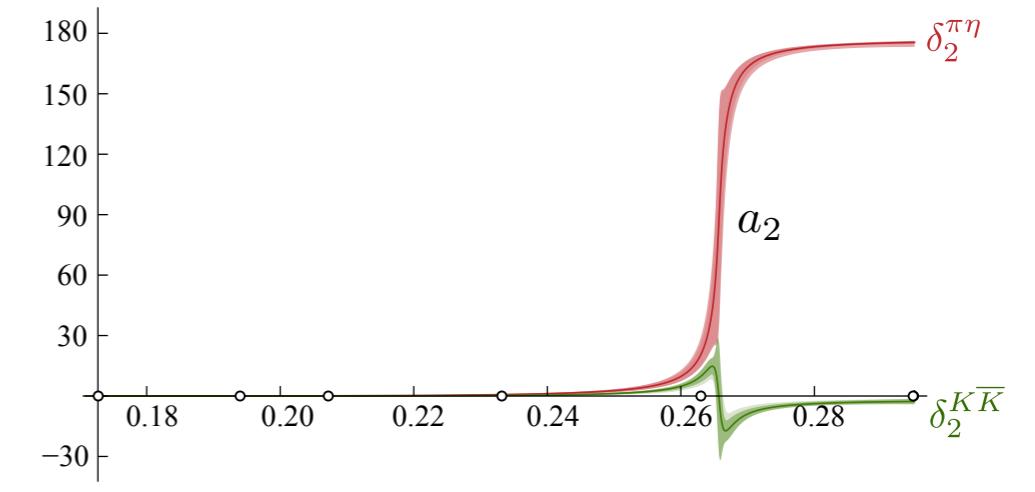
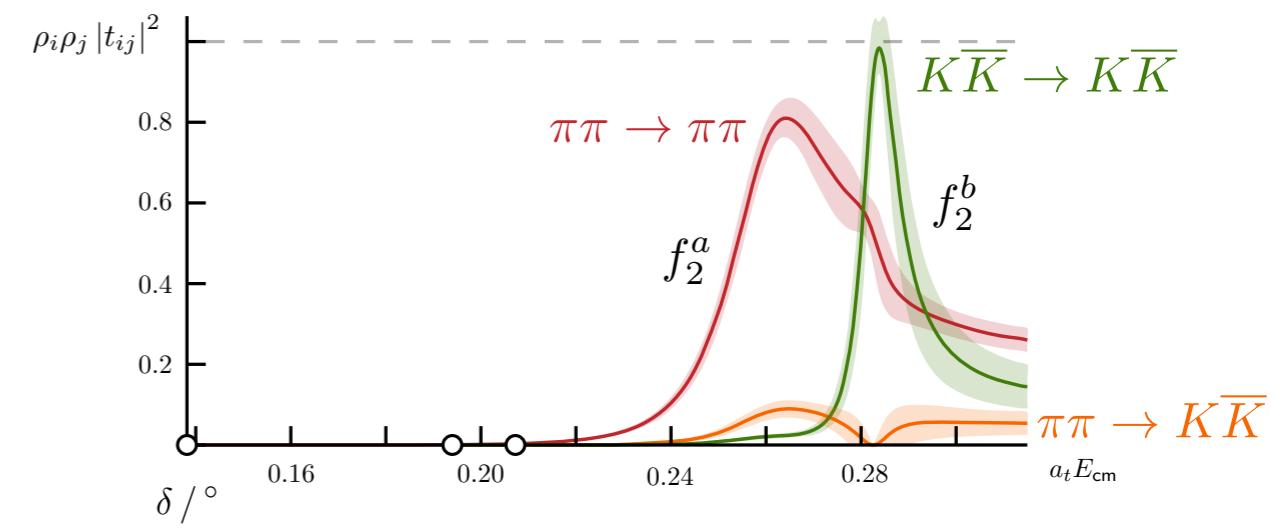
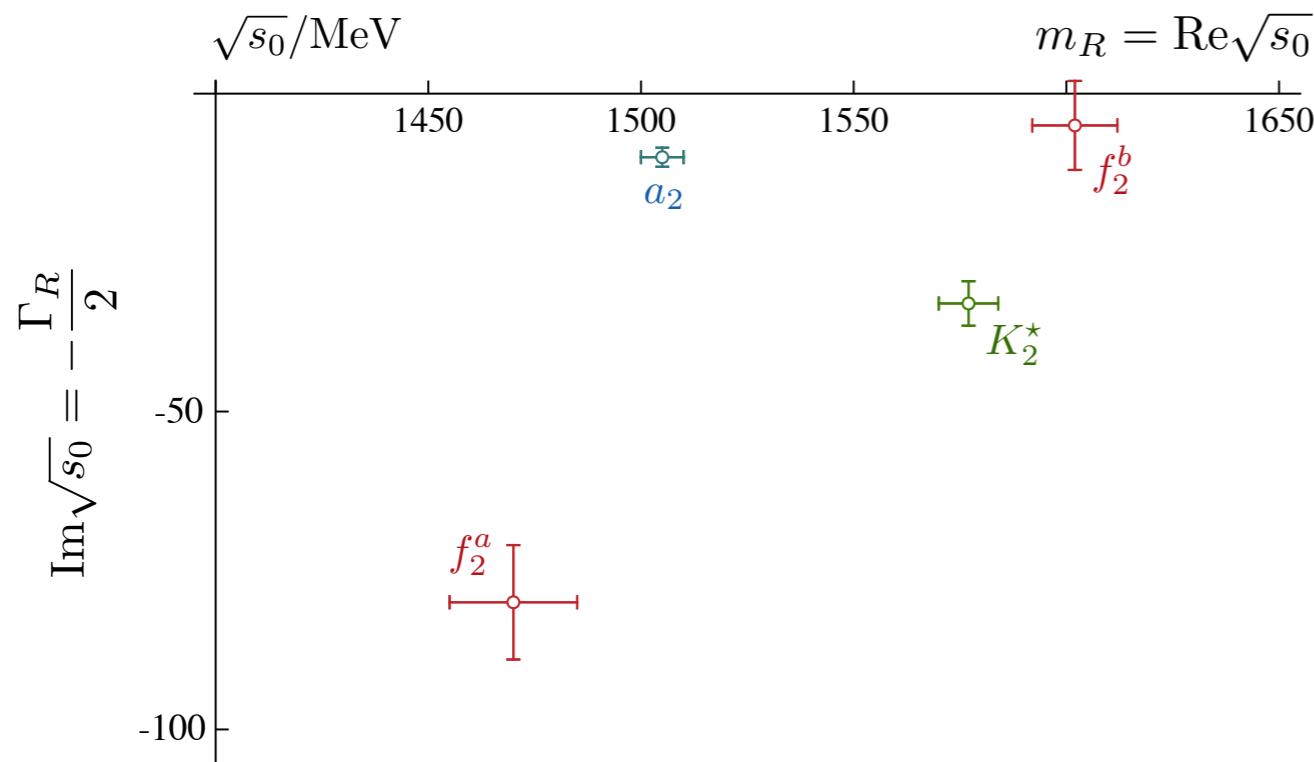


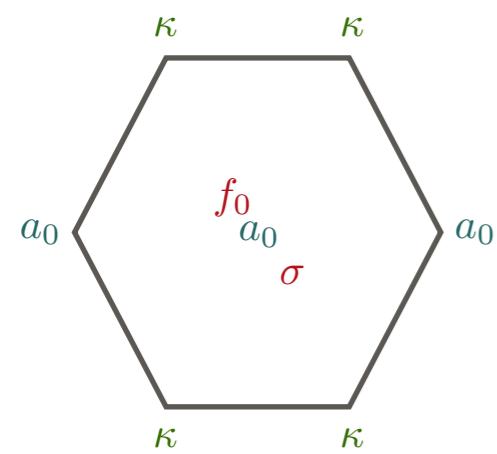
$f_2^b : \sqrt{s_0} = 1602(10) - \frac{i}{2} 54(14) \text{ MeV}$   
 $\text{Br}(f_2^b \rightarrow \pi\pi) \sim 8\%, \quad \text{Br}(f_2^b \rightarrow K\bar{K}) \sim 92\%$



$$t_{ij} \sim \frac{c_i c_j}{s_0 - s}$$

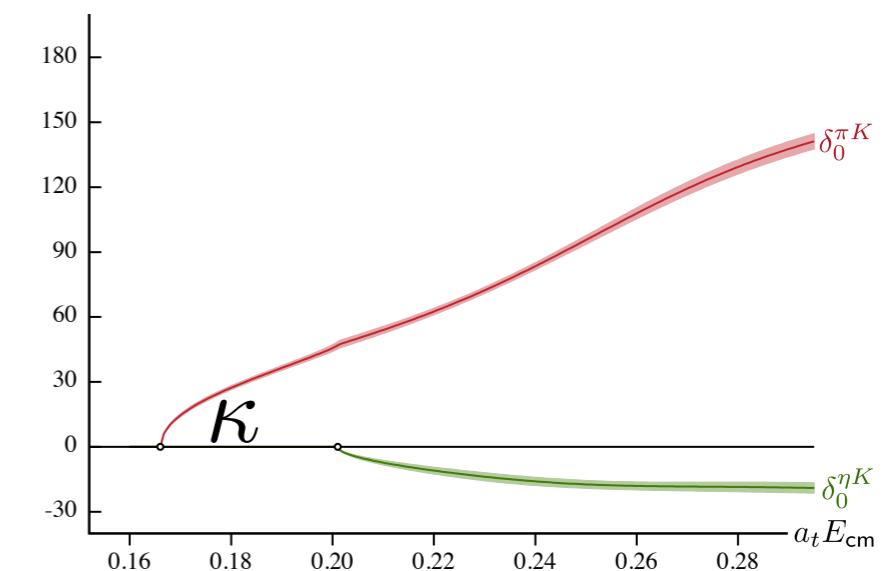
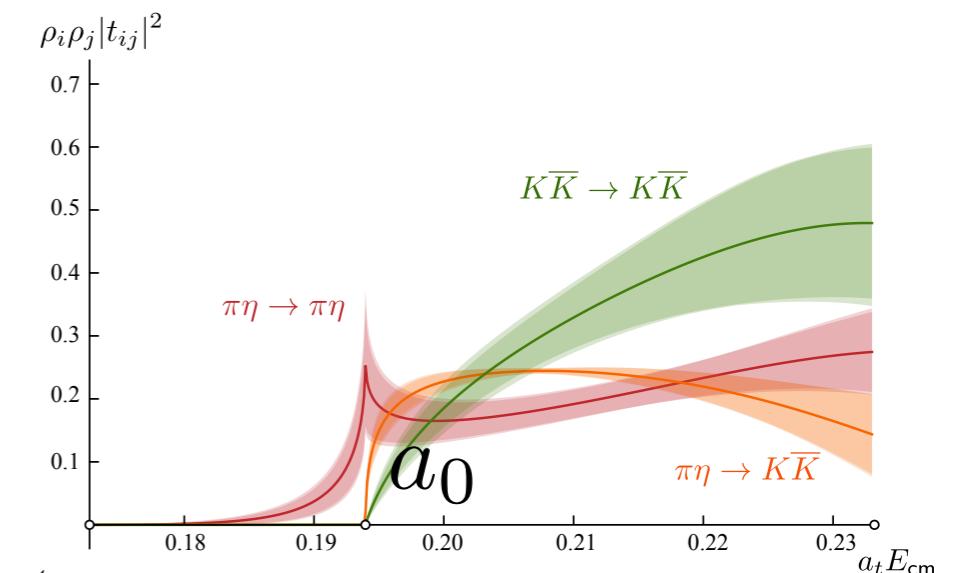
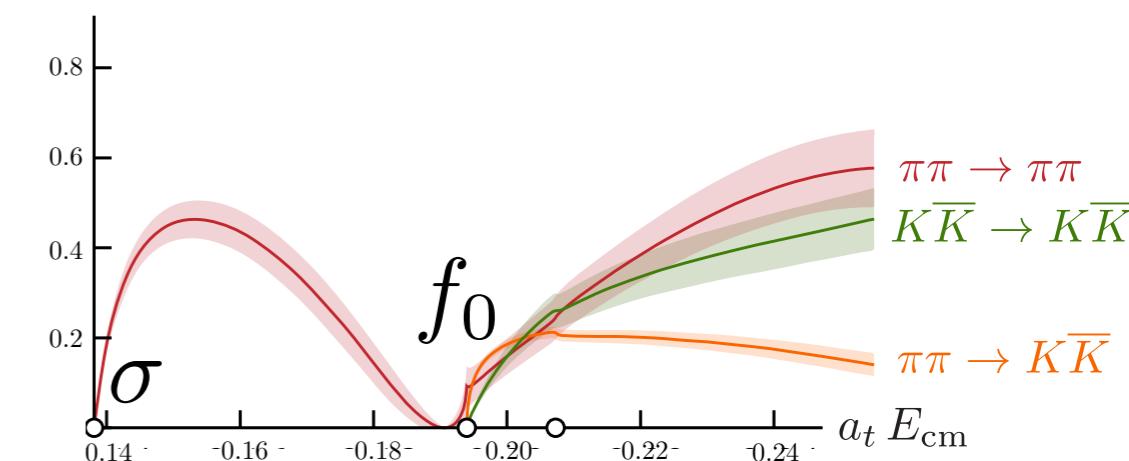
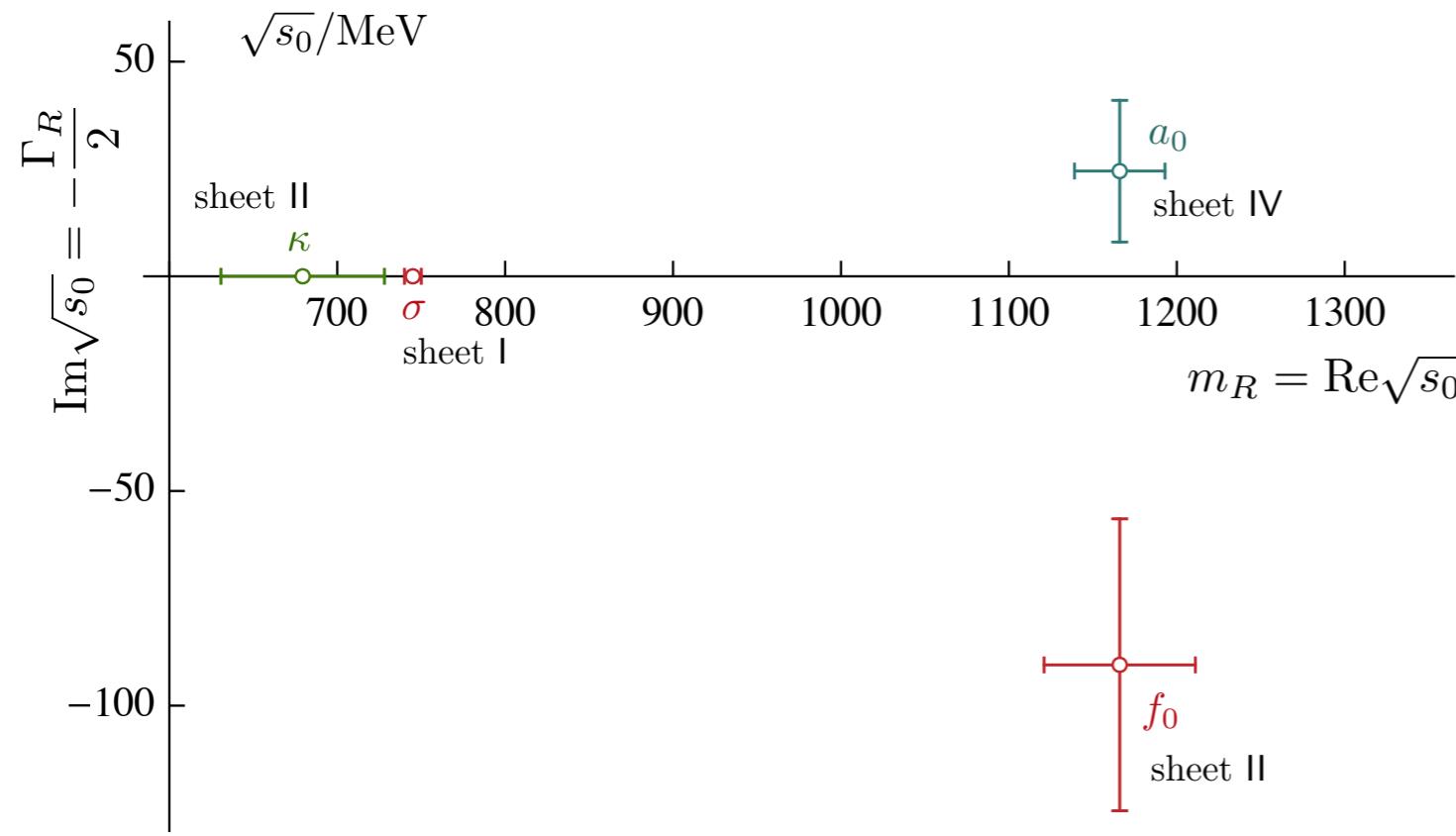
$$\sqrt{s_0} = m_R - i \frac{\Gamma_R}{2}$$





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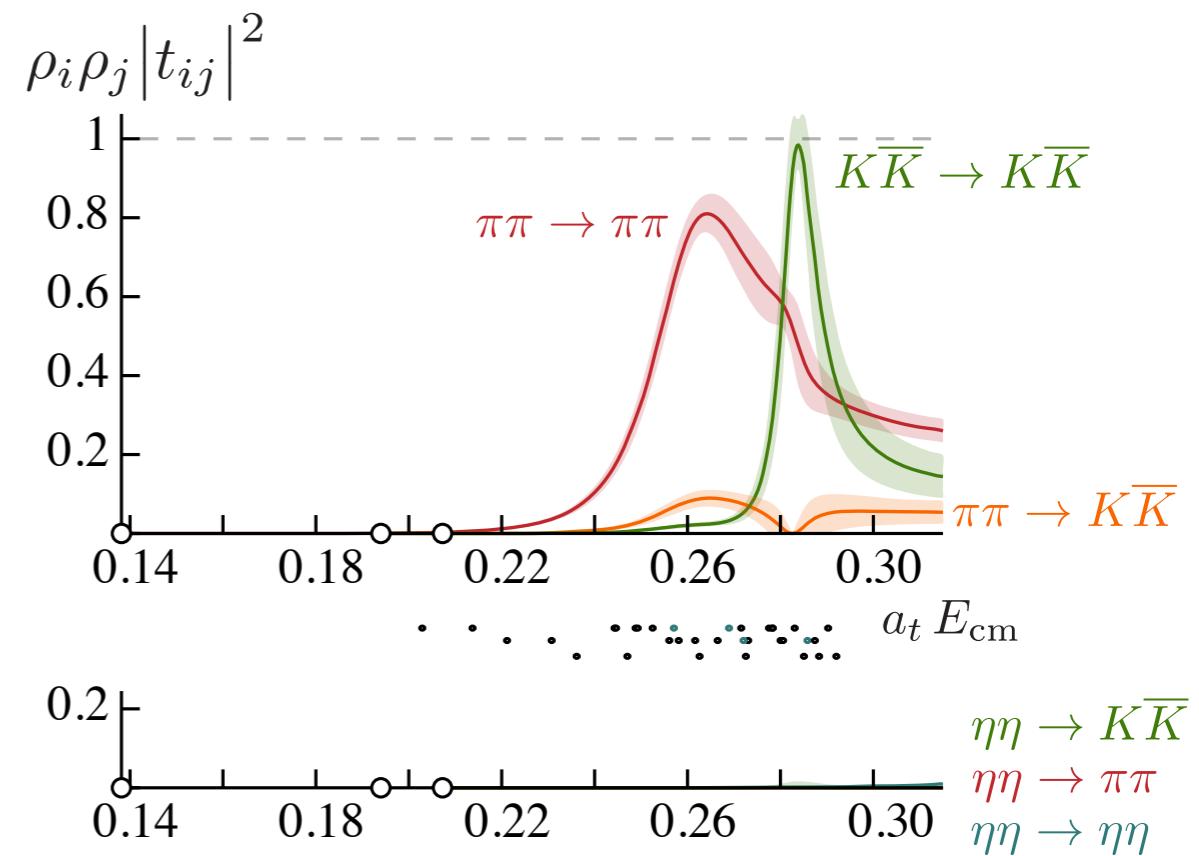
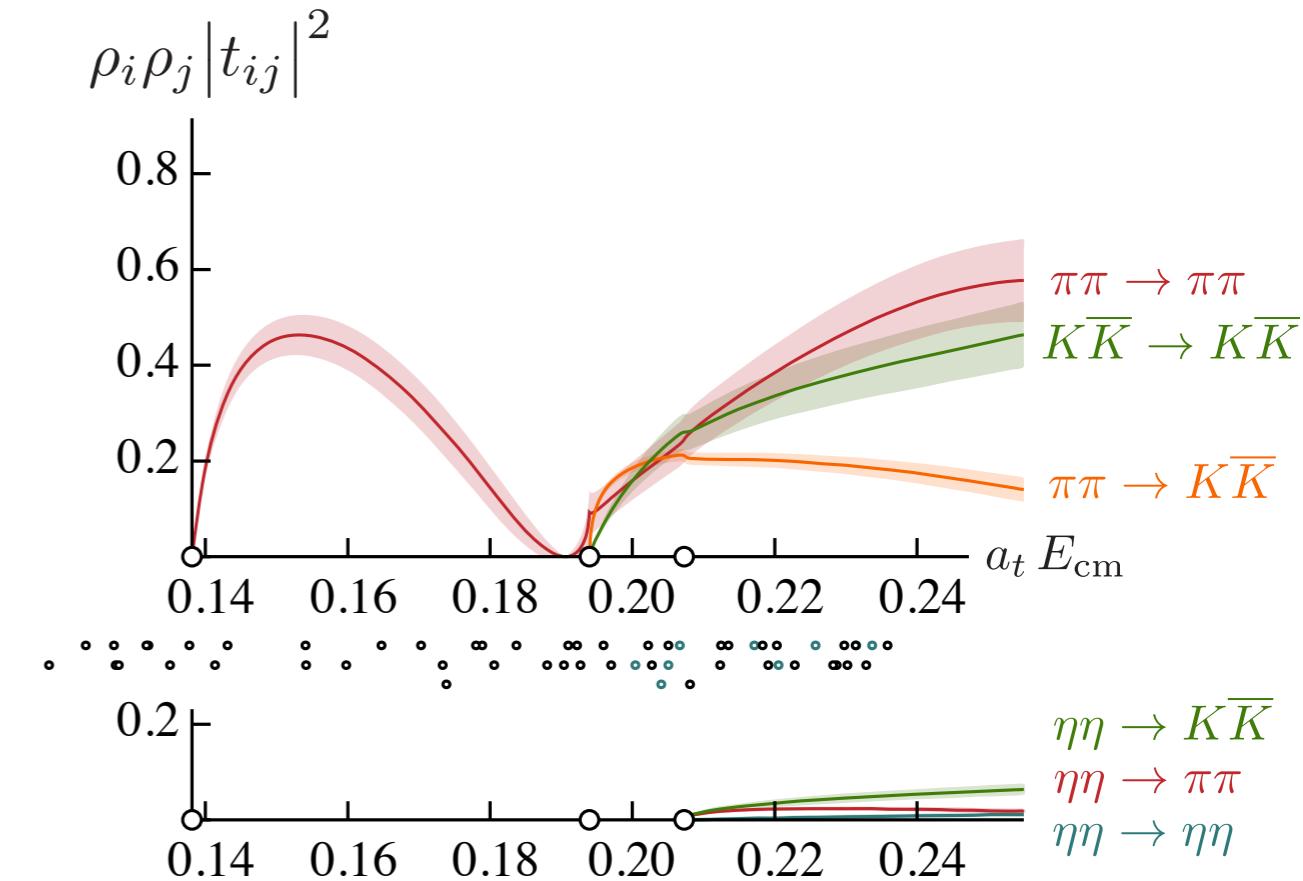


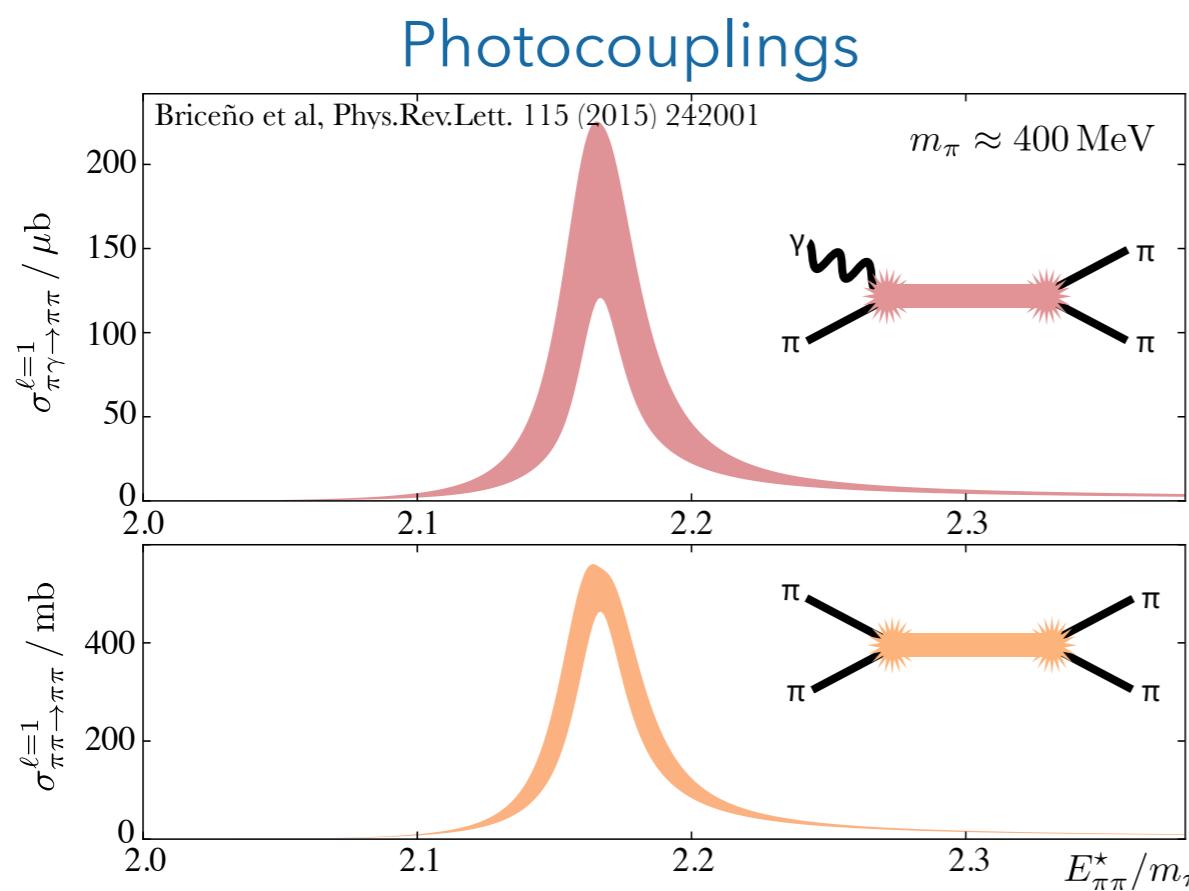
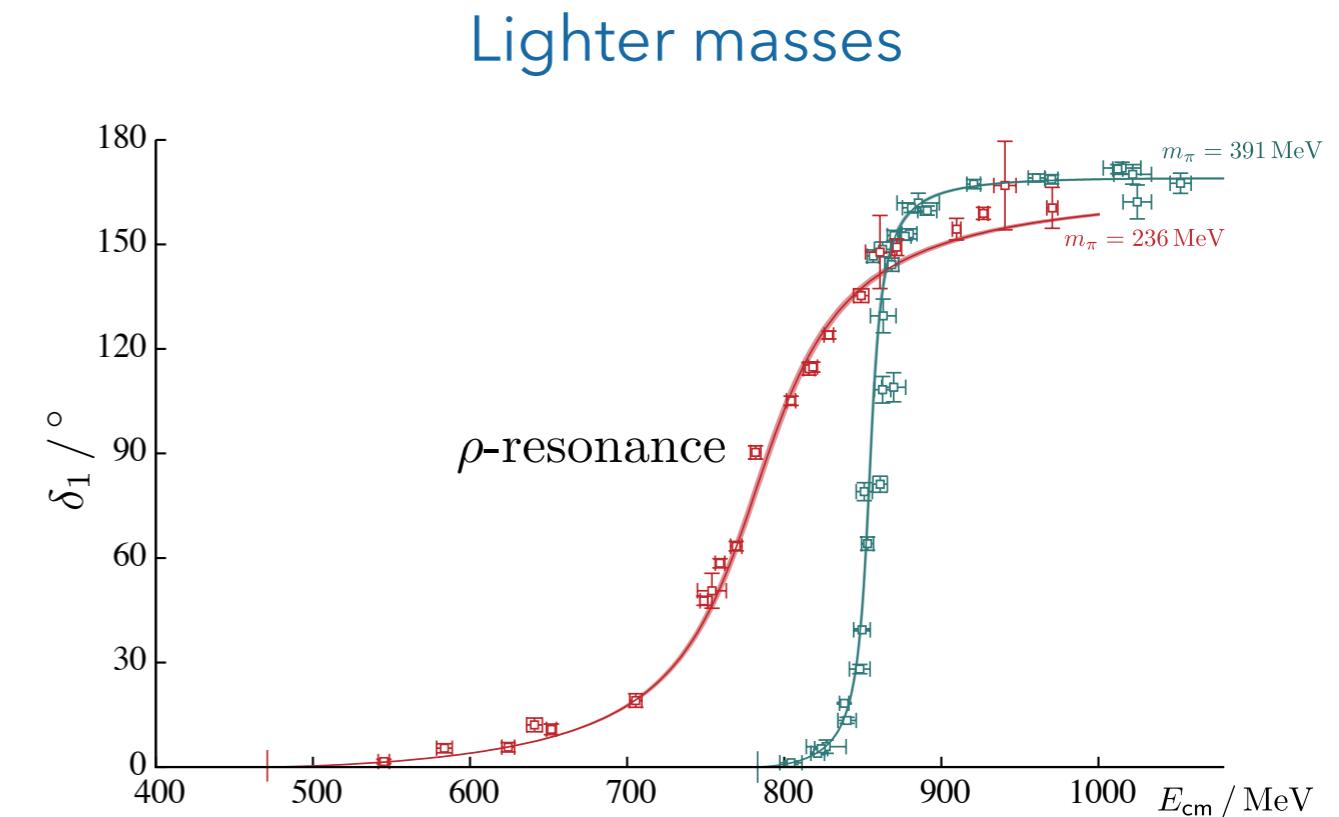
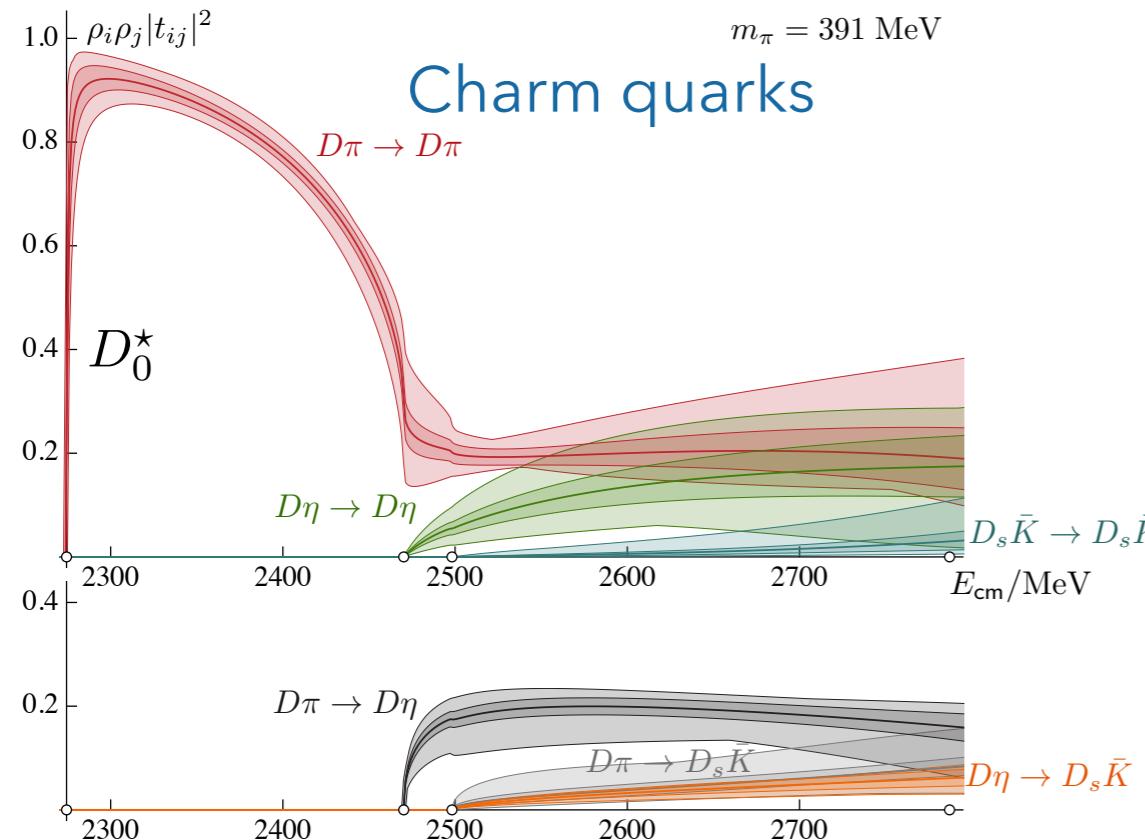
We have extracted S & D wave scattering amplitudes for coupled-channel  $\pi\pi$ ,  $KK$ ,  $\eta\eta$  scattering.

We find analogues of  $f_0$  and  $f_2$  resonances and are able to extract pole positions and residues - giving the coupling to each channel.

The  $\sigma$  appears as a bound state which strongly influences  $\pi\pi$  channel, and the  $f_0$  as a dip around  $KK$  threshold, similar to experiment.

The D-wave features two narrow  $f_2$  resonances, one that couples mostly to  $\pi\pi$  and the other to  $KK$ .

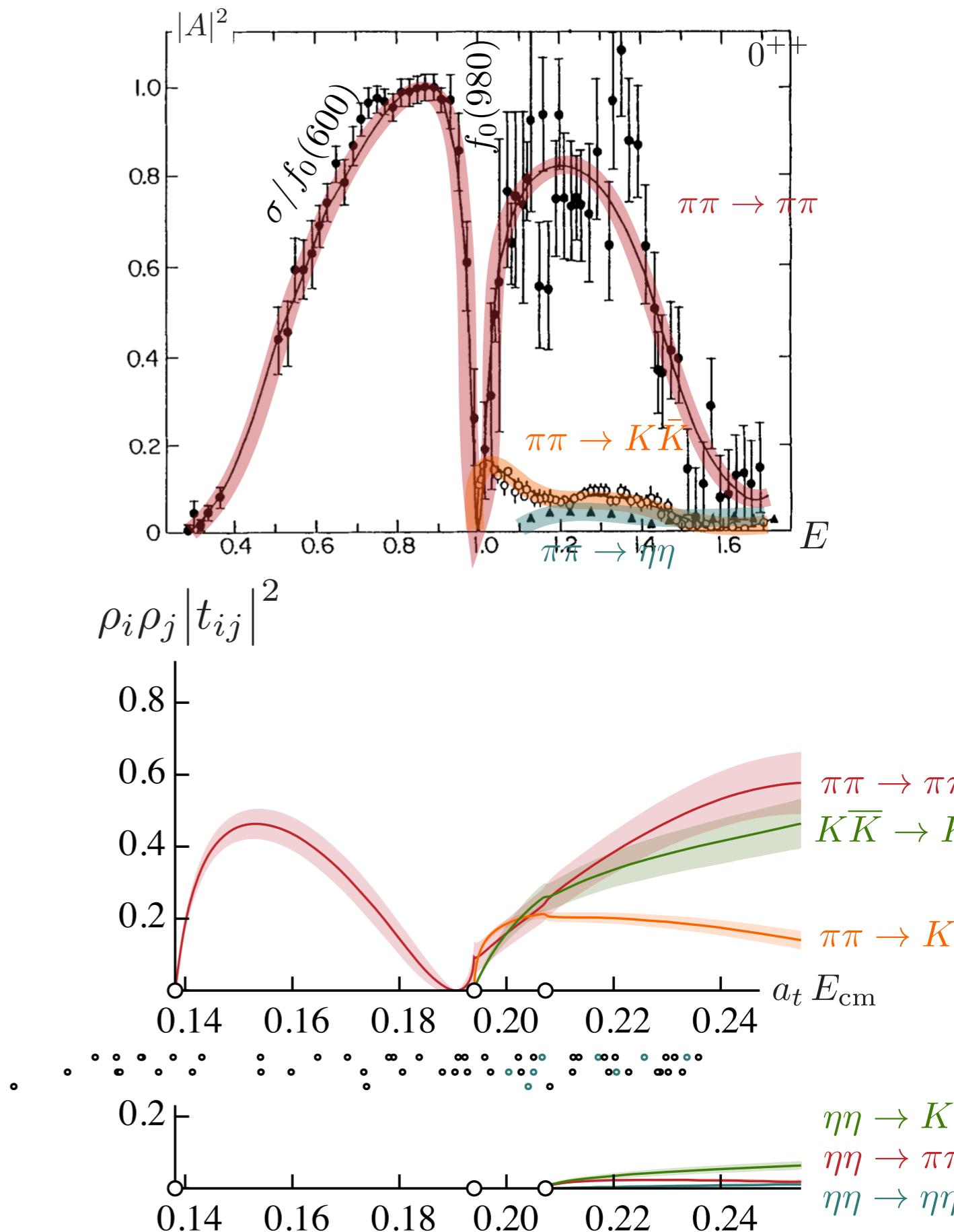




Many exciting possibilities and interesting challenges to overcome

- higher resonances
- charmonium
- many coupled-channels
- three-body formalism

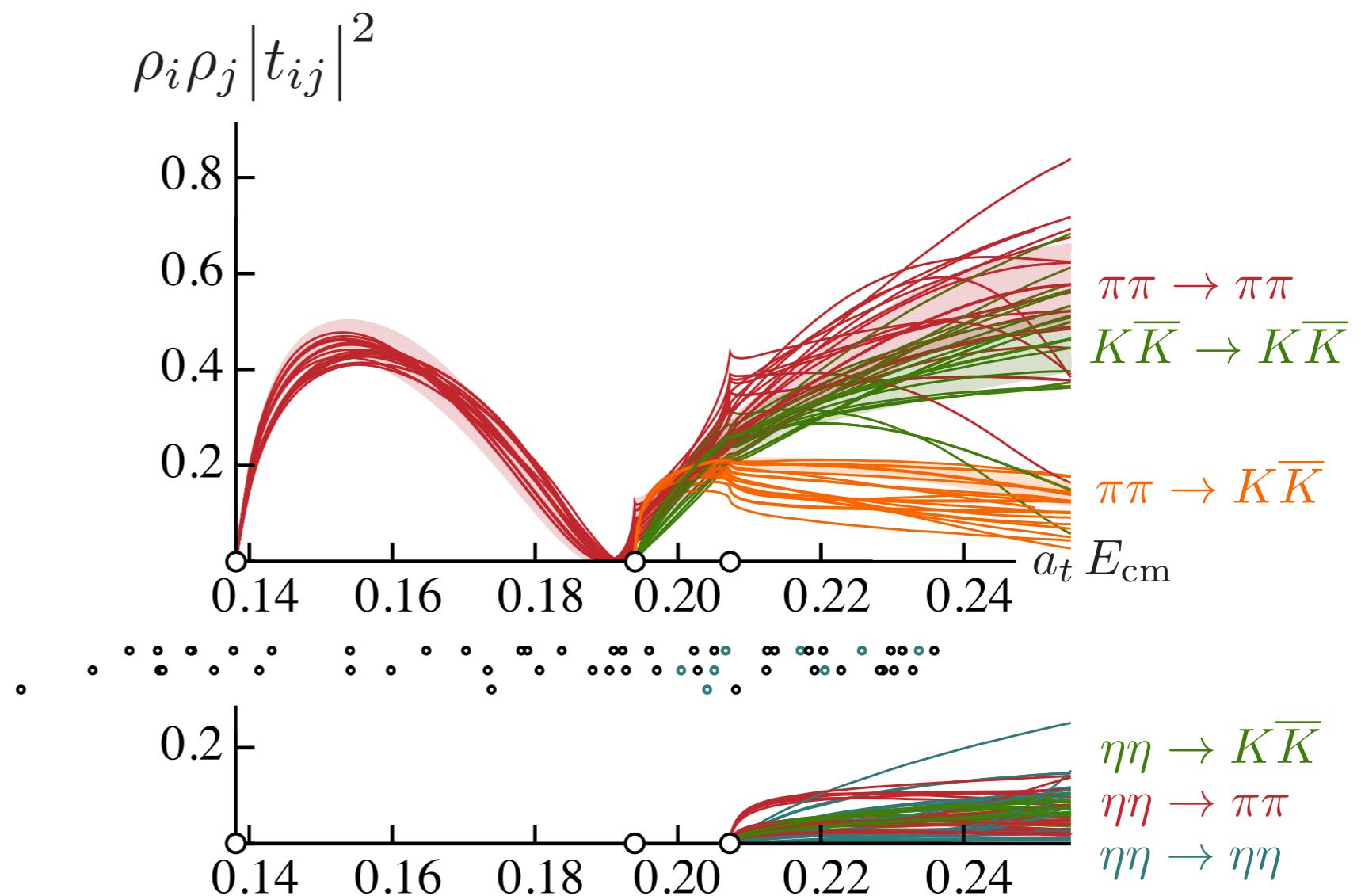
CERN-Munich, ANL, BNL



20 amplitudes

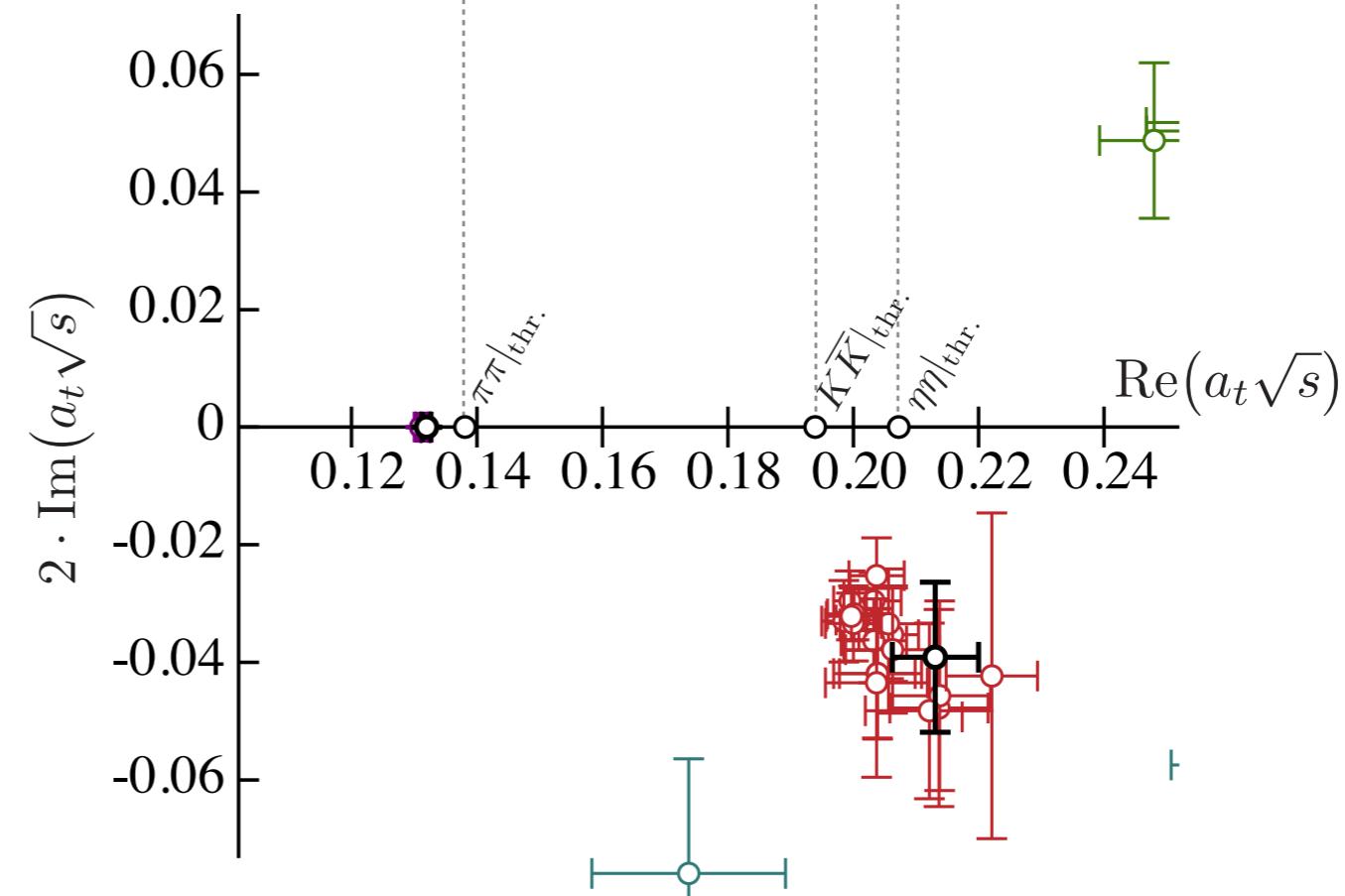
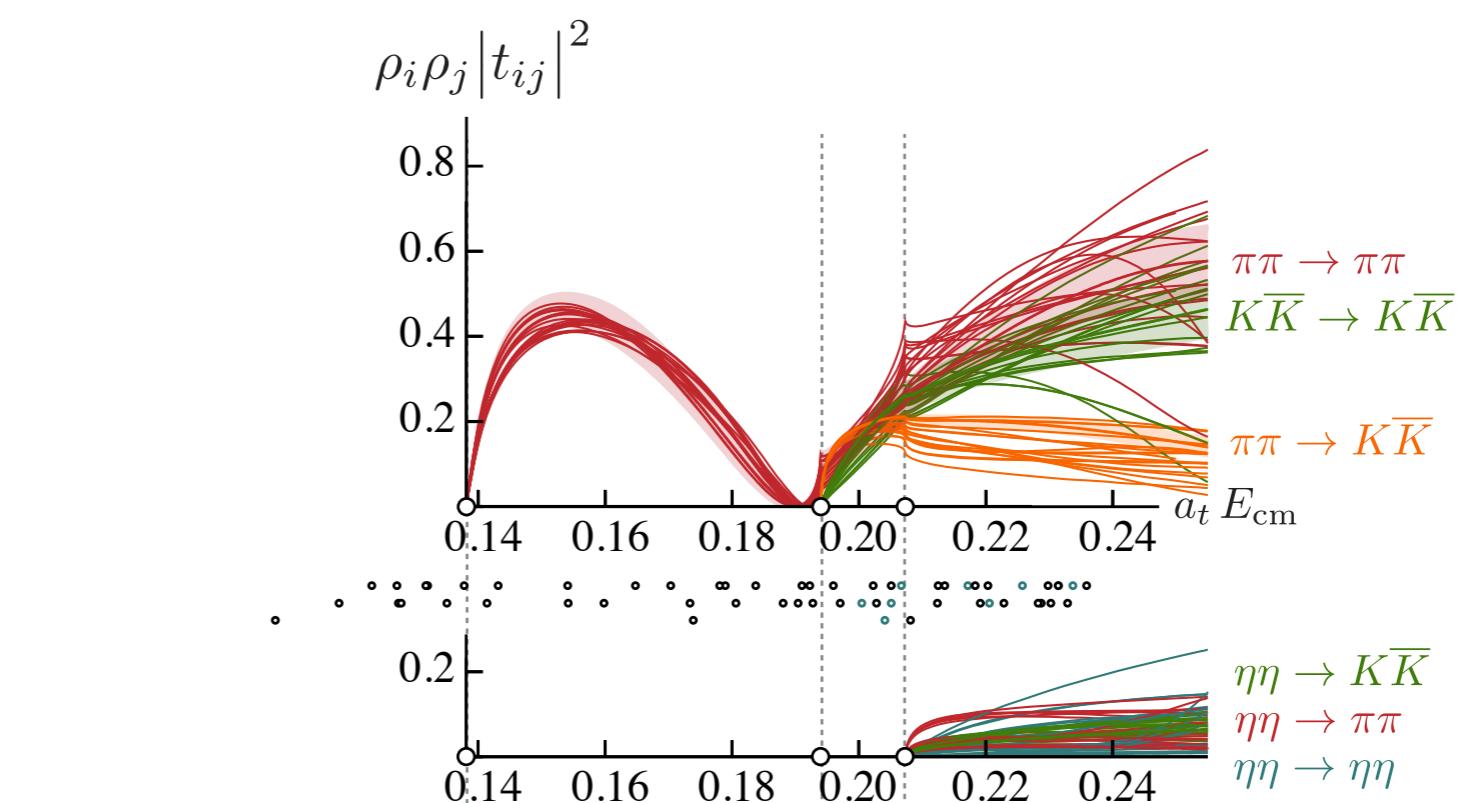
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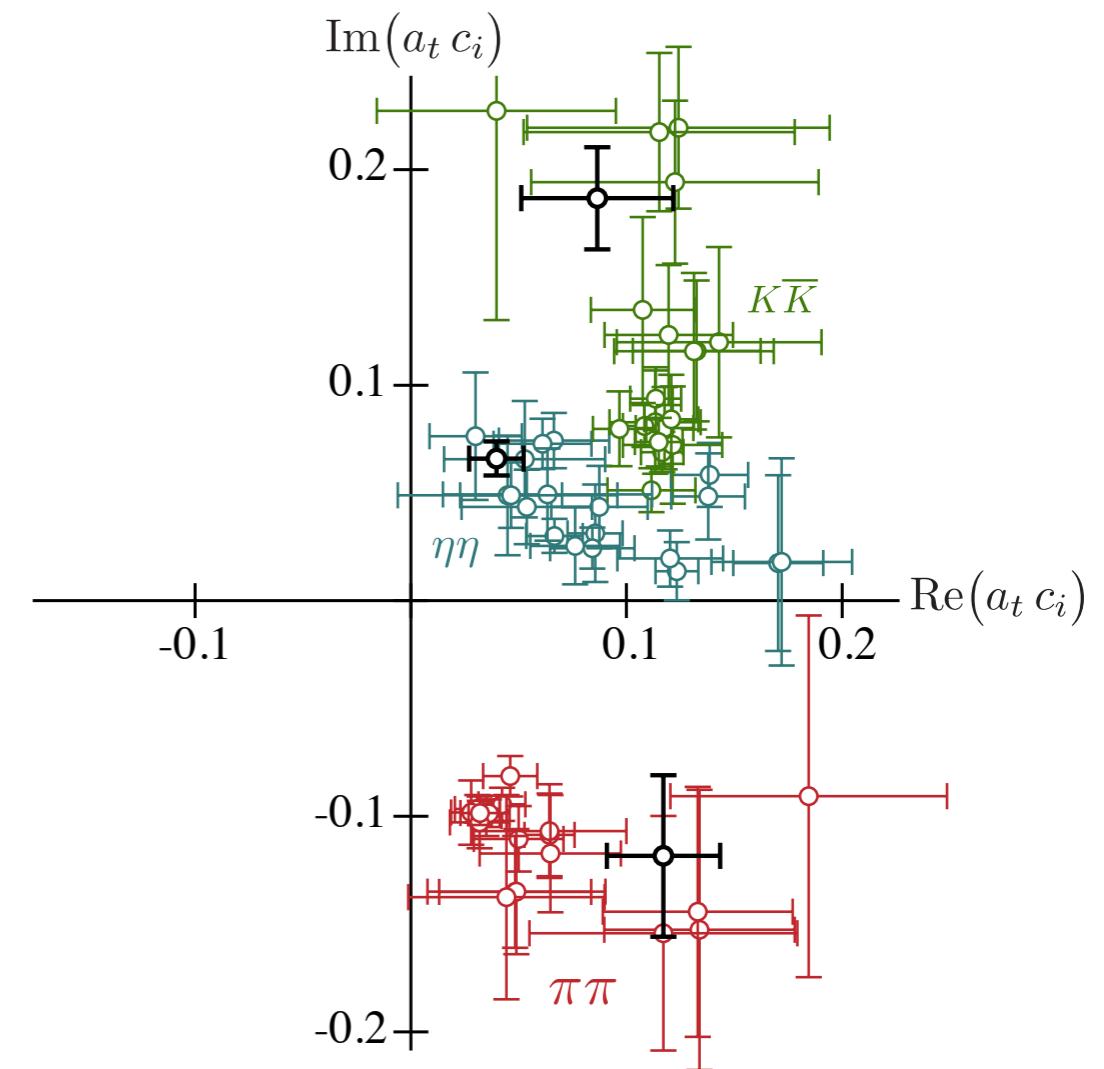
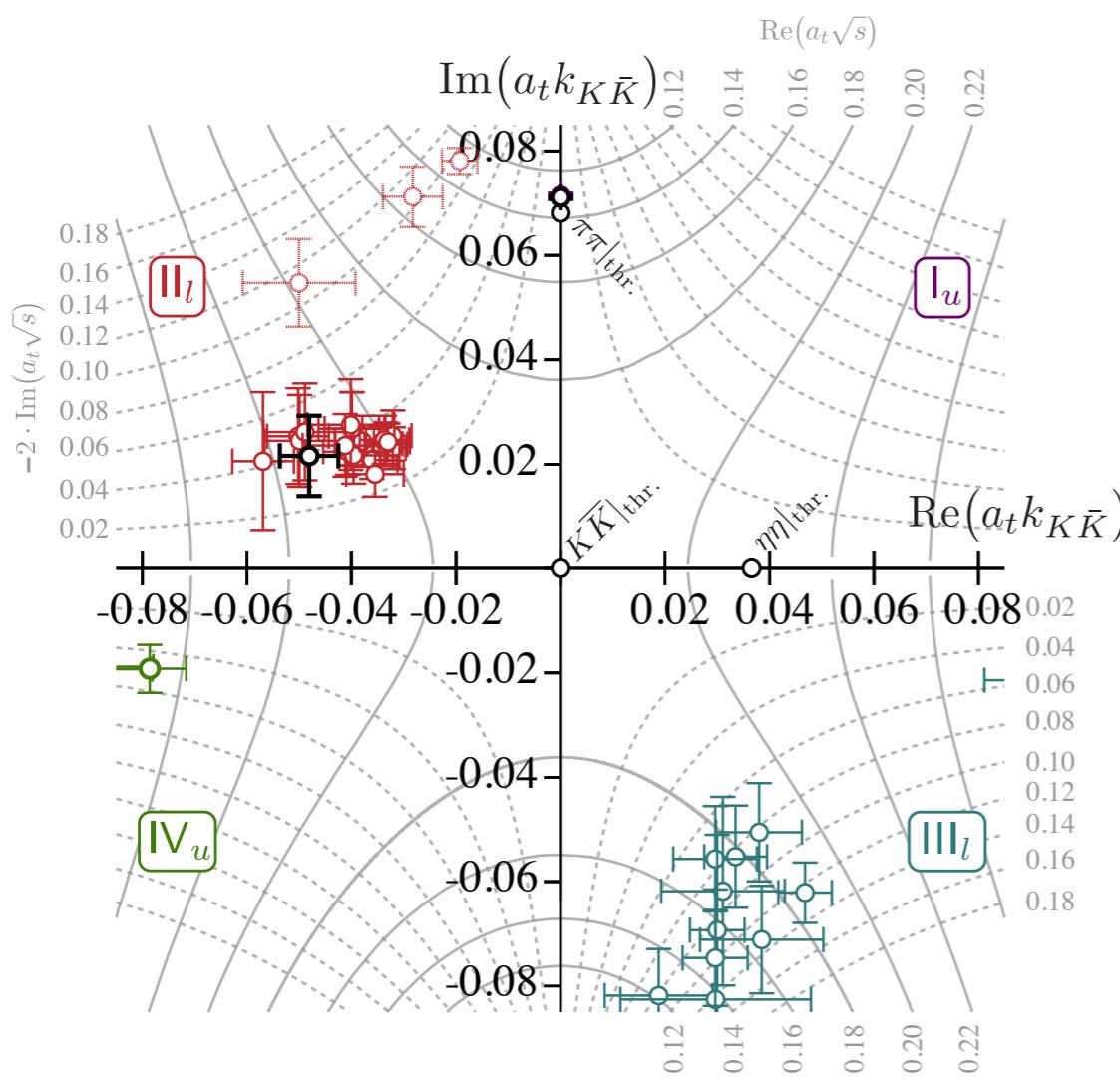
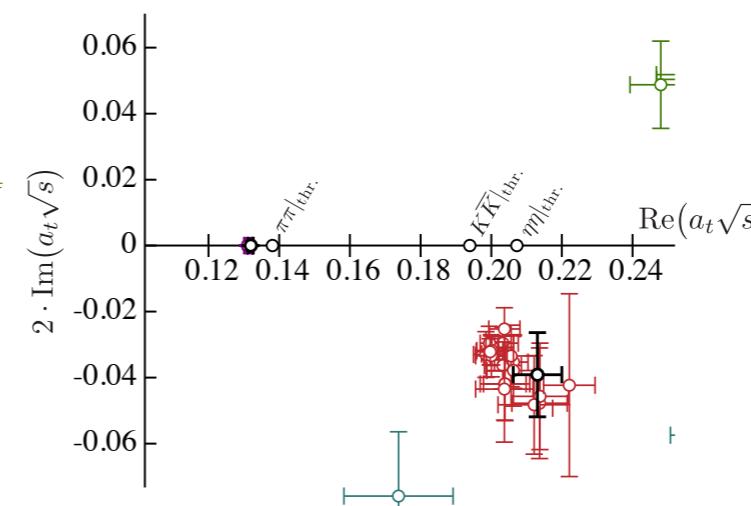
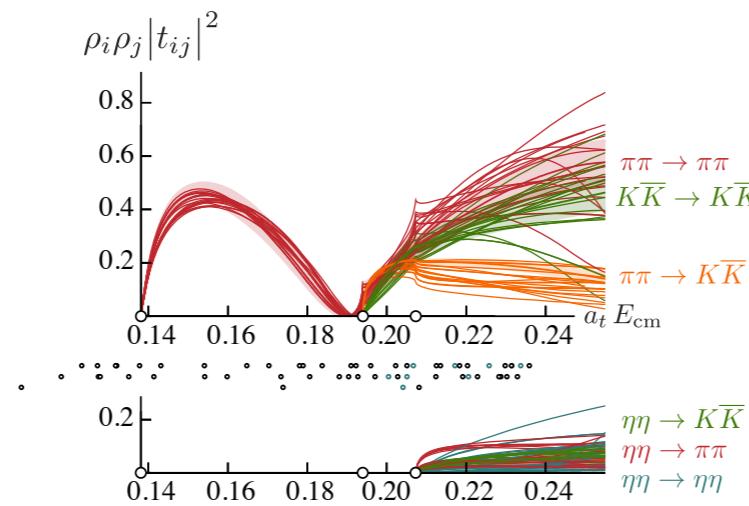
57 energy levels



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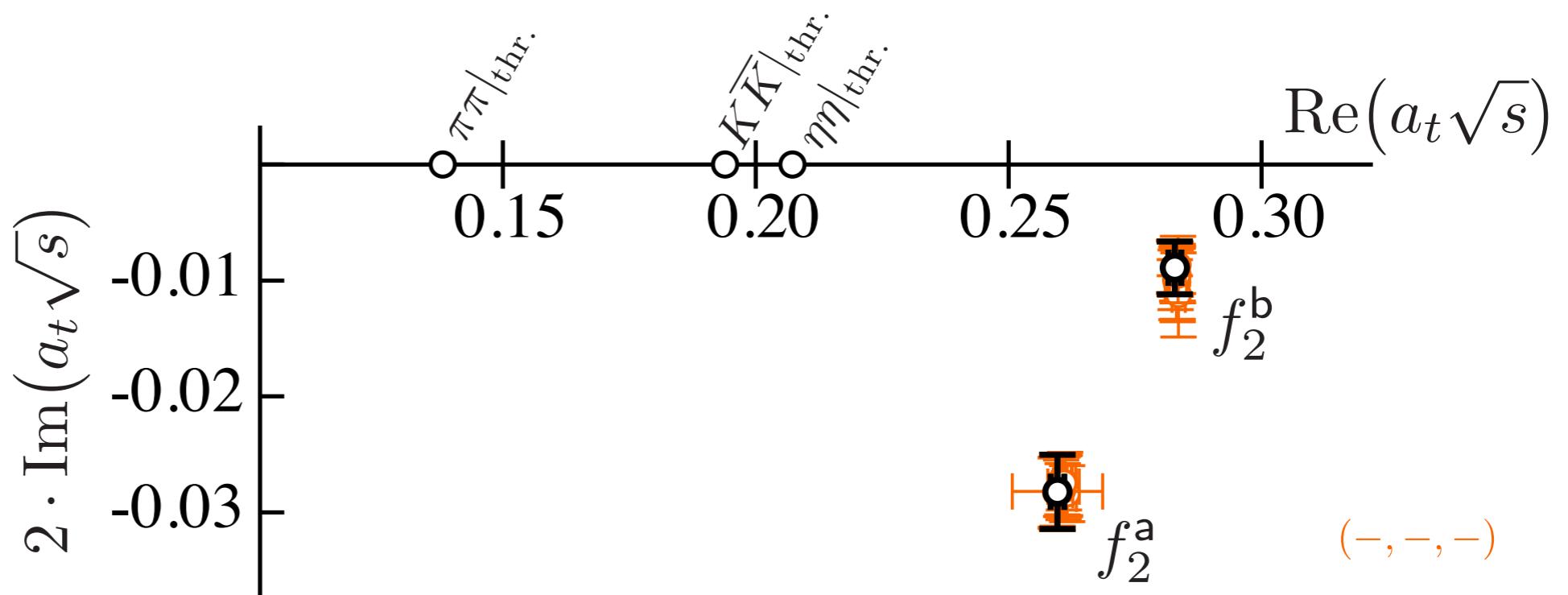
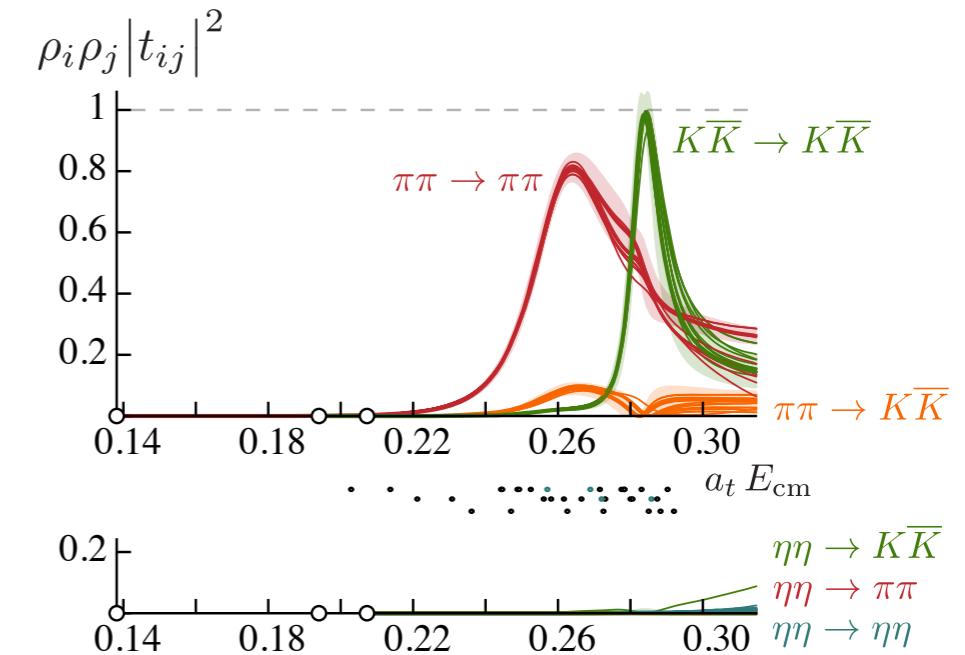
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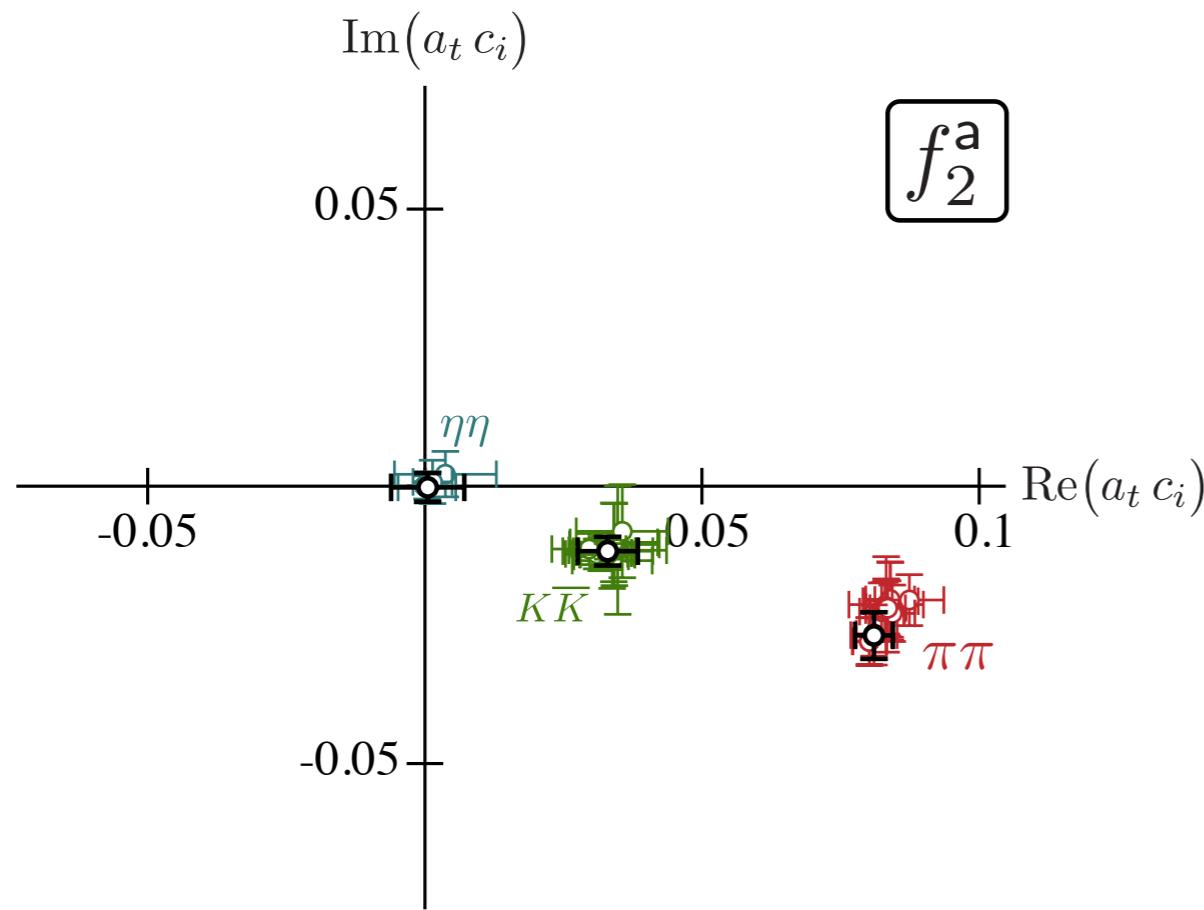
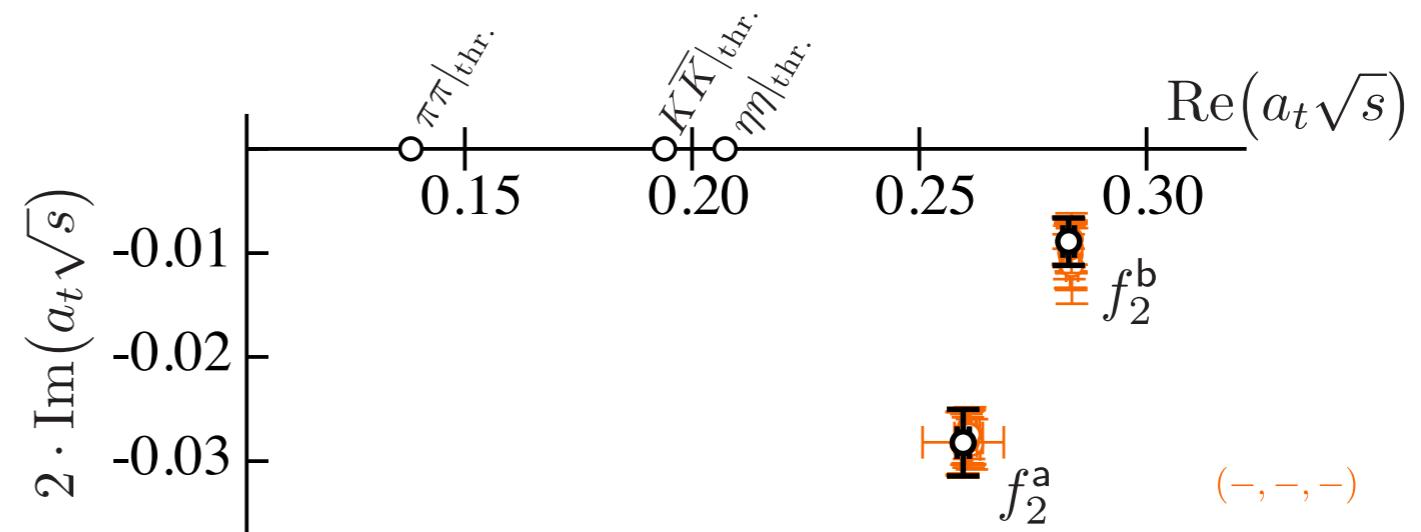
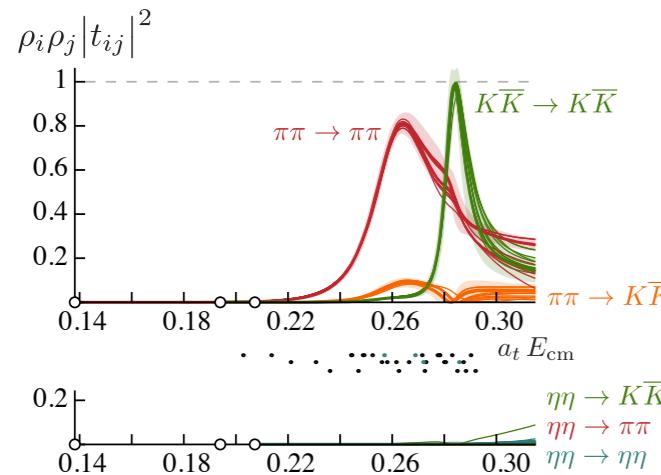




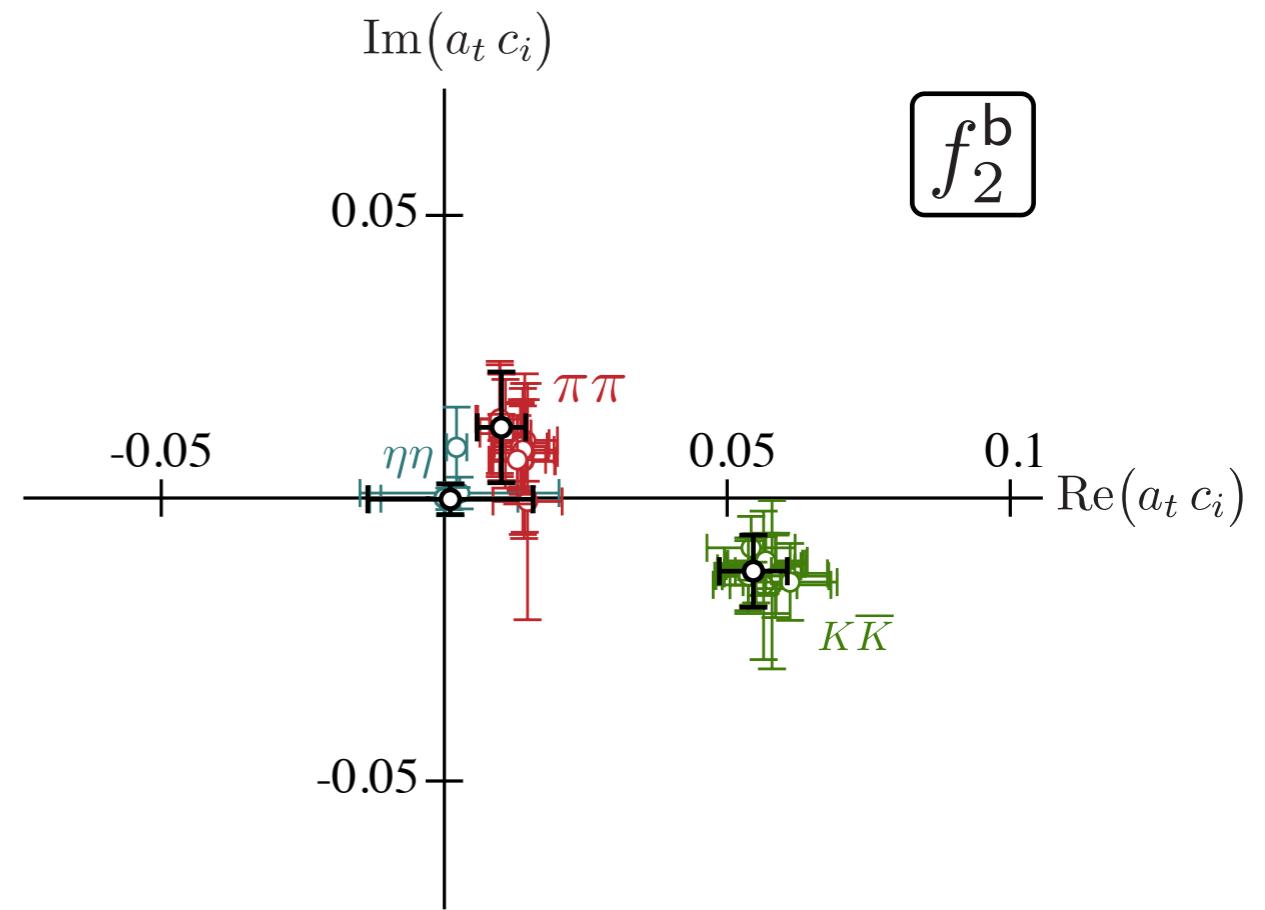
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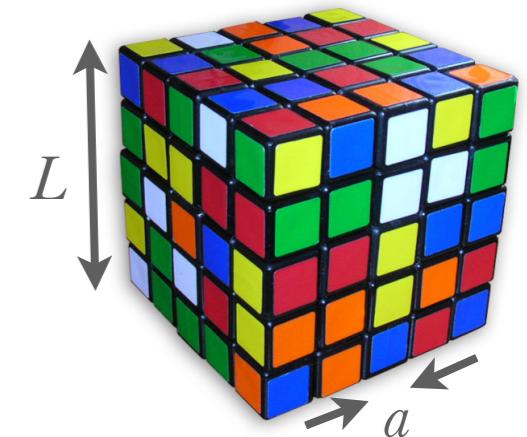
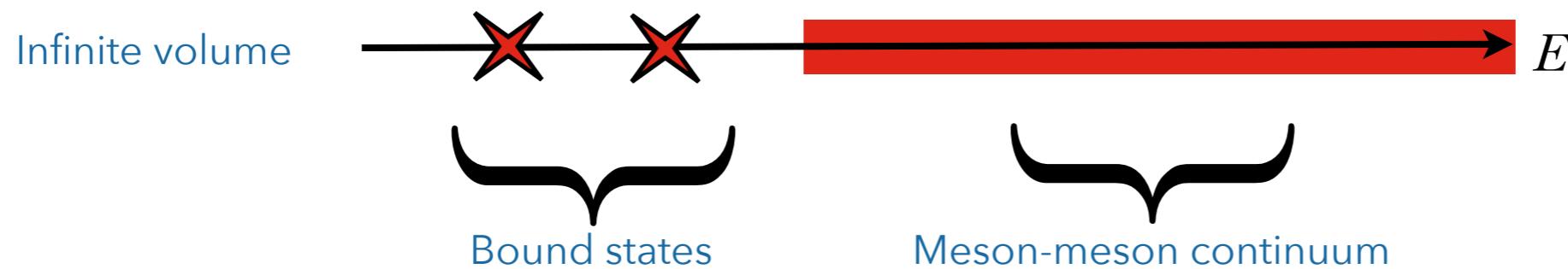


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$f_2^b : \sqrt{s_0} = 1602(10) - \frac{i}{2} 54(14) \text{ MeV}$   
 $\text{Br}(f_2^b \rightarrow \pi\pi) \sim 8\%, \quad \text{Br}(f_2^b \rightarrow K\bar{K}) \sim 92\%$

excited states seen as resonant enhancements  
in the scattering of lighter stable particles



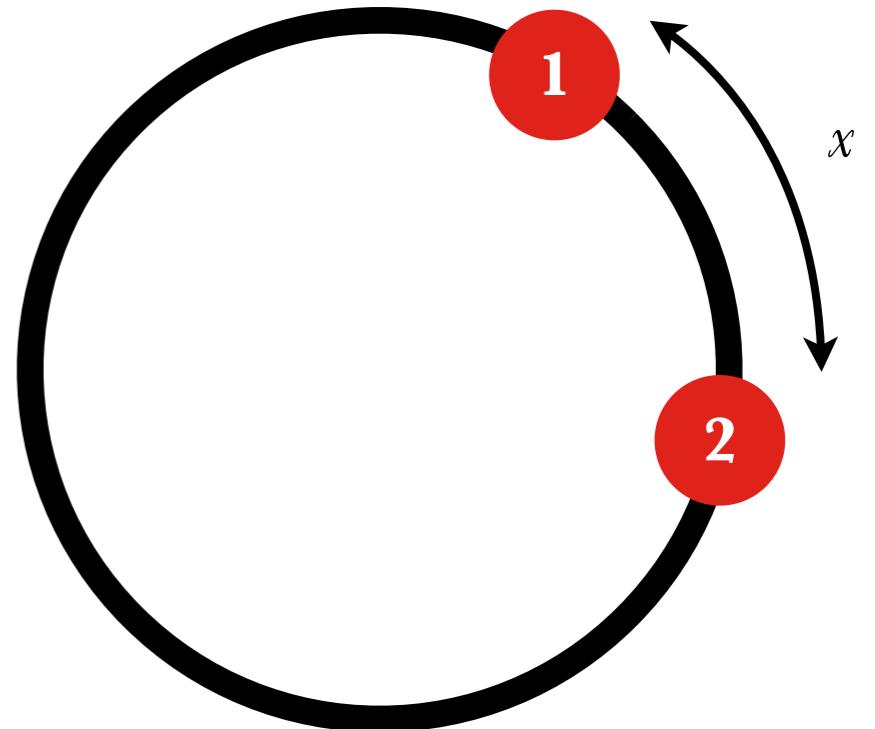


Infinite volume phase shifts from a finite volume

$$\psi(0) = \psi(L), \quad \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial x} \Big|_{x=0} = \frac{\partial\psi}{\partial x} \Big|_{x=L}$$

$$\sin \left( \frac{pL}{2} + \delta(p) \right) = 0$$

$$p = \frac{2\pi n}{L} - \frac{2}{L}\delta(p)$$



Phase shifts via the Lüscher method:

$$\tan \delta_1 = \frac{\pi^{3/2} q}{\mathcal{Z}_{00}(1; q^2)}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}_{00}(1; q^2) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{Z}^3} \frac{1}{|\vec{n}|^2 - q^2}$$

Multiple channels:

$$\det [1 + i\rho(E) \cdot \mathbf{t}(E) \cdot (1 + i\mathcal{M}(E, L))] = 0$$

$$\mathbf{t} = \begin{pmatrix} \pi\pi \rightarrow \pi\pi & \pi\pi \rightarrow K\bar{K} \\ K\bar{K} \rightarrow \pi\pi & K\bar{K} \rightarrow K\bar{K} \end{pmatrix}$$

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determinant condition:

- several unknowns at each value of energy
- energy levels typically do not coincide
- underconstrained problem for a single energy

one solution: use energy dependent parameterizations

- Constrained problem when #(energy levels) > #(parameters)
- Essential amplitudes respect unitarity of the S-matrix

$$\mathbf{S}^\dagger \mathbf{S} = 1 \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{Im } \mathbf{t}^{-1} = -\rho \quad \rho_{ij} = \delta_{ij} \frac{2k_i}{E_{\text{cm}}}$$

K-matrix approach:

$$\mathbf{t}^{-1} = \mathbf{K}^{-1} - i\rho$$

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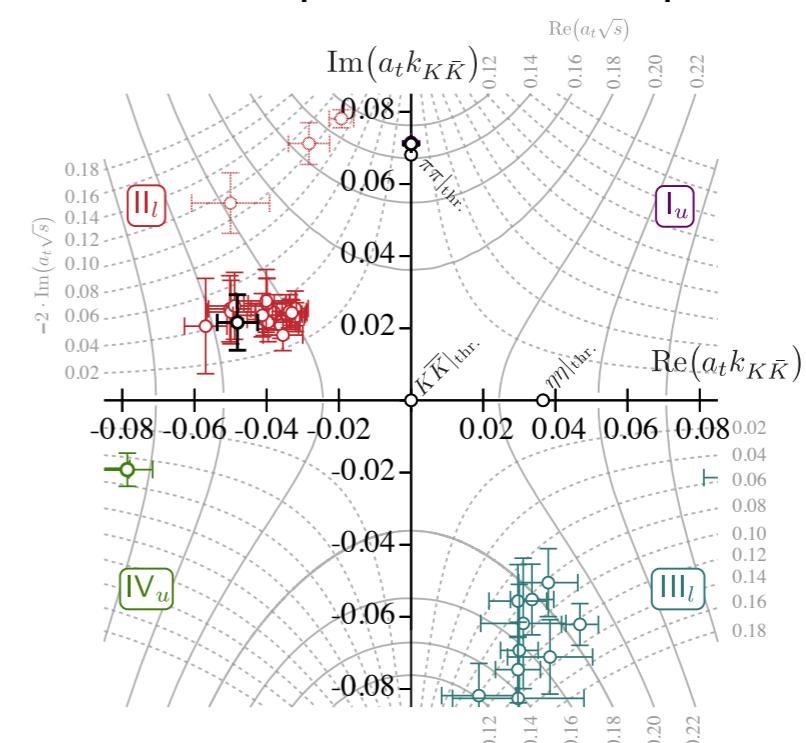
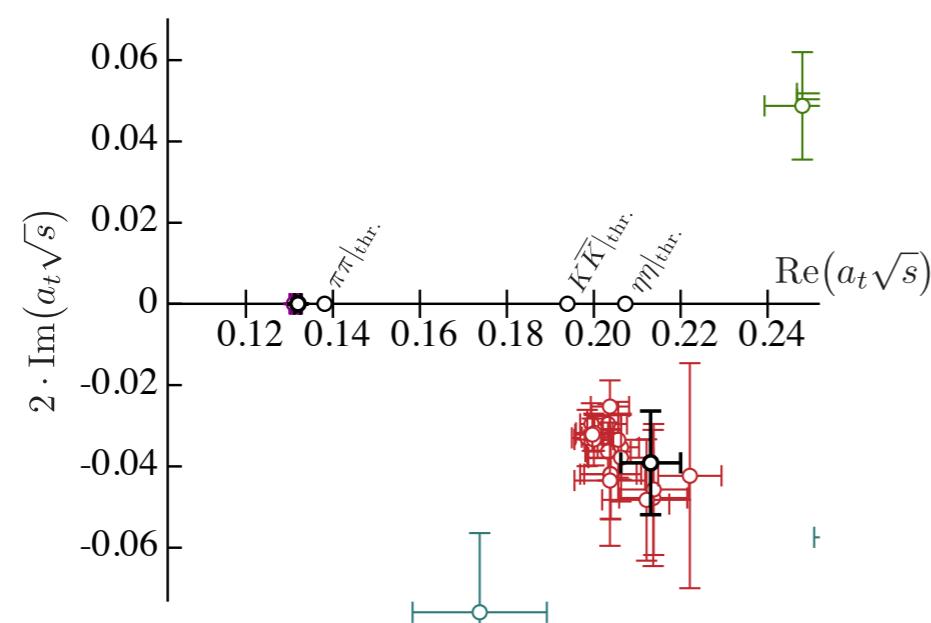
$Z = 1 \sim \text{compact}$

$Z = 0 \sim \text{molecule}$

$Z \sim 0.3(1)$

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