

$\pi_2(1670)$

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

### $\pi_2(1670)$ MASS

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<b>1670 ±20</b>		<b>OUR ESTIMATE</b>			This is only an educated guess; the error given is larger than the error on the average of the published values.
<b>1672.1± 3.5</b>		<b>OUR AVERAGE</b>			Error includes scale factor of 1.5. See the ideogram below.
1685 ±10 ±30		<sup>1</sup> BARBERIS 01			450 $p p \rightarrow \rho_f 3\pi^0 p_S$
1687 ± 9 ±15		AMELIN 99	VES		37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
1669 ± 4		BARBERIS 98B			450 $p p \rightarrow \rho_f \rho \pi p_S$
1670 ± 4		BARBERIS 98B			450 $p p \rightarrow \rho_f f_2(1270) \pi p_S$
1730 ±20		<sup>2</sup> AMELIN 95B	VES		36 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- A$
1690 ±14		<sup>3</sup> BERDNIKOV 94	VES		37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^- A$
1710 ±20	700	ANTIPOV 87	SIGM	-	50 $\pi^- \text{Cu} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \pi^- \text{Cu}$
1676 ± 6		<sup>3</sup> EVANGELISTA 81	OMEG	-	12 $\pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
1657 ±14		<sup>3,4</sup> DAUM 80D	SPEC	-	63-94 $\pi p \rightarrow 3\pi X$
1662 ±10	2000	<sup>3</sup> BALTAY 77	HBC	+	15 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow p 3\pi$
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1742 ±31 ±49		ANTREASYAN 90	CBAL		$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$
1624 ±21		<sup>5</sup> BELLINI 85	SPEC		40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1622 ±35		<sup>6</sup> BELLINI 85	SPEC		40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1693 ±28		<sup>7</sup> BELLINI 85	SPEC		40 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^- A$
1710 ±20		<sup>8</sup> DAUM 81B	SPEC	-	63,94 $\pi^- p$
1660 ±10		<sup>3</sup> ASCOLI 73	HBC	-	5-25 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi_2$

<sup>1</sup> From a fit to the invariant mass distribution.

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

<sup>3</sup> From a fit to  $J^P = 2^- S$ -wave  $f_2(1270)\pi$  partial wave.

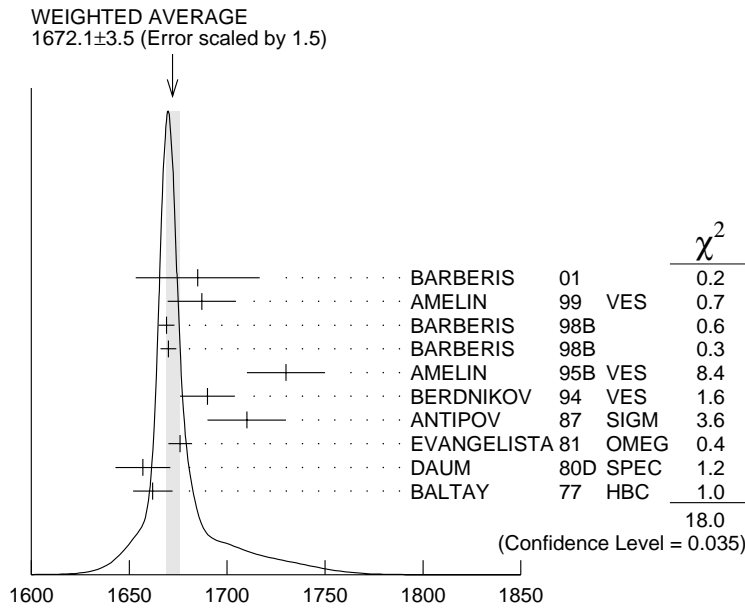
<sup>4</sup> Clear phase rotation seen in  $2^- S, 2^- P, 2^- D$  waves. We quote central value and spread of single-resonance fits to three channels.

<sup>5</sup> From  $f_2(1270)\pi$  decay.

<sup>6</sup> From  $\rho\pi$  decay.

<sup>7</sup> From  $\sigma\pi$  decay.

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



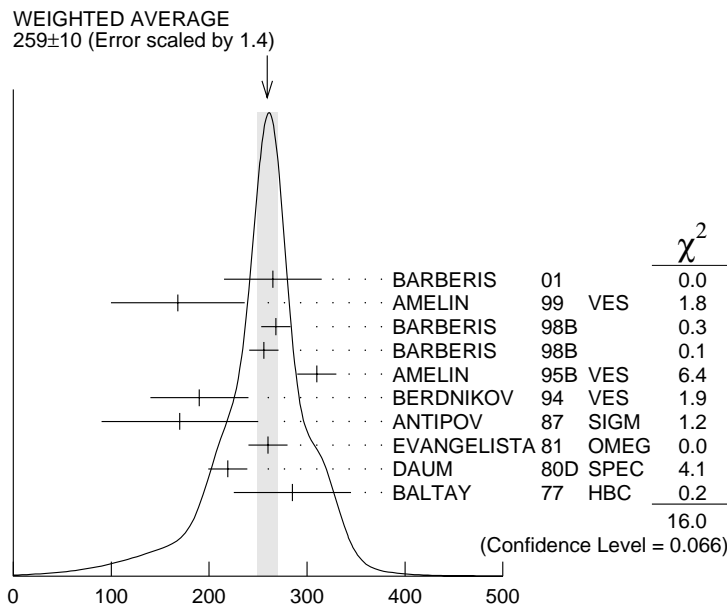
$\pi_2(1670)$  mass (MeV)

### $\pi_2(1670)$ WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<b>259 ± 10 OUR AVERAGE</b>		Error includes scale factor of 1.4. See the ideogram below.			
265 ± 30 ± 40	9	BARBERIS	01		450 $pp \rightarrow p_f 3\pi^0 p_s$
168 ± 43 ± 53		AMELIN	99	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
268 ± 15		BARBERIS	98B		450 $pp \rightarrow p_f \rho \pi p_s$
256 ± 15		BARBERIS	98B		450 $pp \rightarrow p_f f_2(1270) \pi p_s$
310 ± 20	10	AMELIN	95B	VES	36 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- A$
190 ± 50	11	BERDNIKOV	94	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^- A$
170 ± 80	700	ANTIPOV	87	SIGM	- 50 $\pi^- Cu \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \pi^- Cu$
260 ± 20	11	EVANGELISTA	81	OMEG	- 12 $\pi^- p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
219 ± 20	11,12	DAUM	80D	SPEC	- 63-94 $\pi p \rightarrow 3\pi X$
285 ± 60	2000	11 BALTAY	77	HBC	+ 15 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow p 3\pi$
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236 ± 49 ± 36		ANTREASYAN	90	CBAL	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$
304 ± 22	13	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	11 ASCOLI	73 HBC	— 5–25 $\pi^- p \rightarrow p \pi_2$

- <sup>9</sup> From a fit to the invariant mass distribution.
- <sup>10</sup> From a fit to  $J^{PC} = 2^- + f_2(1270)\pi, f_0(1370)\pi$  waves.
- <sup>11</sup> From a fit to  $J^P = 2^- f_2(1270)\pi$  partial wave.
- <sup>12</sup> 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.
- <sup>13</sup> From  $f_2(1270)\pi$  decay.
- <sup>14</sup> From  $\rho\pi$  decay.
- <sup>15</sup> From  $\sigma\pi$  decay.
- <sup>16</sup> From a two-resonance fit to four  $2^- 0^+$  waves. This should not be averaged with all the single resonance fits.



$\pi_2(1670)$  width (MeV)

### $\pi_2(1670)$ DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i/\Gamma$ )	Confidence level
$\Gamma_1$ $3\pi$	$(95.8 \pm 1.4) \%$	
$\Gamma_2$ $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$		
$\Gamma_3$ $\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$		
$\Gamma_4$ $f_2(1270)\pi$	$(56.2 \pm 3.2) \%$	
$\Gamma_5$ $\rho\pi$	$(31 \pm 4) \%$	
$\Gamma_6$ $\sigma\pi$	$(13 \pm 6) \%$	
$\Gamma_7$ $f_0(1370)\pi$	$(8.7 \pm 3.4) \%$	

$\Gamma_8$	$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$			$(4.2 \pm 1.4) \%$
$\Gamma_9$	$\omega\rho$			$(2.7 \pm 1.1) \%$
$\Gamma_{10}$	$\gamma\gamma$			
$\Gamma_{11}$	$\eta\pi$			
$\Gamma_{12}$	$\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$			
$\Gamma_{13}$	$\rho(1450)\pi$	$< 3.6$	$\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%
$\Gamma_{14}$	$b_1(1235)\pi$	$< 1.9$	$\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%

### 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

$\Gamma(\gamma\gamma)$						$\Gamma_{10}$
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	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	

<sup>17</sup> Decaying into  $f_2(1270)\pi$  and  $\rho\pi$ .

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

<sup>19</sup> Incoherent Ansatz.

### $\pi_2(1670)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(3\pi) / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$	$\Gamma_1 / \Gamma = (\Gamma_4 + \Gamma_5 + \Gamma_7) / \Gamma$
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID
<b>0.958 ± 0.014 OUR FIT</b>	

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

$$\Gamma_3/\Gamma_2$$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	COMMENT
<b>0.29±0.03±0.05</b>	20 BARBERIS	01 450 $p p \rightarrow p_f 3\pi^0 p_s$

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

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

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<b>0.29±0.04 OUR FIT</b>				
<b>0.29±0.05</b>	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 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
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$$\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$$

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

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

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<b>0.604±0.035 OUR FIT</b>				

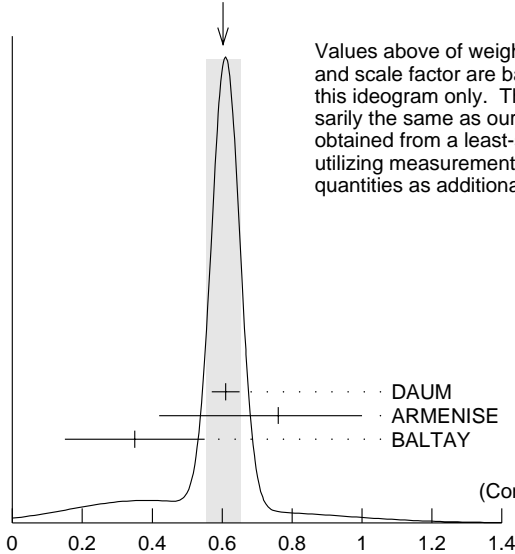
**0.60 ±0.05 OUR AVERAGE** Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.

0.61 ±0.04	21 DAUM	81B	SPEC		63,94 $\pi^- p$
0.76 <sup>+0.24</sup> -0.34	ARMENISE	69	DBC	+	5.1 $\pi^+ d \rightarrow d3\pi$
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 $\pi^+ p \rightarrow 3\pi p$
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WEIGHTED AVERAGE  
0.60±0.05 (Error scaled by 1.3)



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

$\Gamma(\rho\pi)/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$					$\Gamma_5/0.564\Gamma_4$
(With $f_2(1270) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ .)					
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>		<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>1.01±0.05</b>		BARBERIS	98B	450 $p\rho \rightarrow p_f \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 p_S$	
$\Gamma(\eta\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$					$\Gamma_{11}/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$
(All $\eta$ decays.)					
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
<b>&lt;0.09</b>		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 $\pi^- p \rightarrow f_2 \pi^- N$
$\Gamma(\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$					$\Gamma_{12}/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
<b>&lt;0.10</b>		CRENNELL	70	HBC	- 6 $\pi^- p \rightarrow f_2 \pi^- N$
<0.1		BALTAY	68	HBC	+ 7,8.5 $\pi^+ p$
$\Gamma(\rho(1450)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					$\Gamma_{13}/\Gamma$
<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>&lt;0.0036</b>	97.7	AMELIN	99	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
$\Gamma(b_1(1235)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					$\Gamma_{14}/\Gamma$
<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>&lt;0.0019</b>	97.7	AMELIN	99	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
$\Gamma(f_0(1370)\pi)/\Gamma(\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-)$					$0.624\Gamma_7/(0.567\Gamma_4+\frac{1}{2}\Gamma_5+0.624\Gamma_7)$
(With $f_0(1370) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ .)					
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>0.10±0.04 OUR FIT</b>					
<b>0.10±0.05</b>		21 DAUM	81B	SPEC	63,94 $\pi^- p$
$\Gamma(K\bar{K}^*(892)+\text{c.c.})/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$					$\Gamma_8/\Gamma_4$
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
<b>0.075±0.025 OUR FIT</b>					
<b>0.075±0.025</b>		22 ARMSTRONG	82B	OMEG	- 16 $\pi^- p \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^- p$
$\Gamma(\omega\rho)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					$\Gamma_9/\Gamma$
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>0.027±0.004±0.010</b>		23 AMELIN	99	VES	37 $\pi^- A \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 A^*$
$\Gamma(\sigma\pi)/\Gamma(f_2(1270)\pi)$					$\Gamma_6/\Gamma_4$
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
<b>0.24±0.10</b>		24,25 BAKER	99	SPEC	1.94 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow 4\pi^0$

**D-wave/S-wave RATIO FOR  $\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow f_2(1270)\pi$** 

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
<b><math>-0.18 \pm 0.06</math></b>	<sup>24</sup> BAKER	99 SPEC	$1.94 \bar{p}p \rightarrow 4\pi^0$
$0.22 \pm 0.10$	<sup>21</sup> DAUM	81B SPEC	63,94 $\pi^- p$

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<sup>20</sup> Using BARBERIS 98B.

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

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

<sup>23</sup> Normalized to the  $B(\pi_2(1670) \rightarrow f_2 \pi)$ .

<sup>24</sup> Using preliminary CBAR data.

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

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