$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{3}{2}^{-})$ Status: ***

The measurements of the mass, width, and elasticity published before 1974 are now obsolete and have been omitted. They were last listed in our 1982 edition Physics Letters **111B** (1982).

Λ(1690) MASS

VALUE (MeV)		DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
1685	to 1695 (≈ 1690) OUR ESTI	MATE			
1695.7	7±2.6	KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
1690	± 5	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \rightarrow \overline{K}N$
1692	± 5	ALSTON	78	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \rightarrow \overline{K}N$
1690	± 5	GOPAL	77	DPWA	K N multichannel
1690	± 3	HEPP	76 B	DPWA	$K^- N \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
1689	± 1	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
ullet $ullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $ullet$ $ullet$					
1687	or 1689 1	MARTIN	77	DPWA	K N multichannel
1692	± 4	CARROLL	76	DPWA	lsospin-0 total σ

Л(1690) WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT	
50 to 70 (\approx 60) OUR ESTIMATE					
67.2± 5.6	KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$	
61 ± 5	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \rightarrow \overline{K}N$	
64 ±10	ALSTON	78	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \rightarrow \overline{K}N$	
60 ± 5	GOPAL	77	DPWA	K N multichannel	
82 ± 8	HEPP	76 B	DPWA	$K^- N \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$	
60 ± 4	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$	
ullet $ullet$ $ullet$ We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. $ullet$ $ullet$					
62 or 62 1 38	MARTIN CARROLL	77 76	DPWA DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel Isospin-0 total σ	

A(1690) DECAY MODES

	Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)			
Γ_1	NK	20–30 %			
Γ2	$\Sigma \pi$	20–40 %			
Γ ₃	$\Lambda\pi\pi$	\sim 25 %			
Г ₄	$\Sigma \pi \pi$	\sim 20 %			
Γ ₅	$\Lambda\eta$				
Г ₆	$\Sigma(1385)\pi$, S -wave				
	The above branching fractions are our estimates, not fits or averages.				

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A(1690) BRANCHING RATIOS

The sum of all the quoted branching ratios is more than 1.0. The twobody ratios are from partial-wave analyses, and thus probably are more reliable than the three-body ratios, which are determined from bumps in cross sections. Of the latter, the $\Sigma \pi \pi$ bump looks more significant. (The error given for the $\Lambda \pi \pi$ ratio looks unreasonably small.) Hardly any of the $\Sigma \pi \pi$ decay can be via Σ (1385), for then seven times as much $\Lambda \pi \pi$ decay would be required. See "Sign conventions for resonance couplings" in the Note on Λ and Σ Resonances.

$\Gamma(N\overline{K})/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$				Γ ₁ /Γ
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
0.2 to 0.3 OUR ESTIMATE				
0.23 ± 0.03	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\underline{K} N \rightarrow \underline{K} N$
0.22 ± 0.03	ALSTON	78	DPWA	$K N \rightarrow K N$
• • • We do not use the following of	lata for averages	s, fits	, limits,	etc. • • •
0.24 ± 0.03	GOPAL	77	DPWA	See GOPAL 80
0.28 or 0.26	^I MARTIN	77	DPWA	<u><i>K</i></u> <i>N</i> multichannel
$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\overline{K} \to \Lambda(169)$	90) $\rightarrow \Sigma \pi$			(Г1Г2) ^½ /Г
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
-0.34 ± 0.02	KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
-0.25 ± 0.03	GOPAL	77	DPWA	<u><i>K</i></u> <i>N</i> multichannel
-0.29 ± 0.03	HEPP	76 B	DPWA	$K^- N \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
-0.28 ± 0.03	LONDON	75	HLBC	$\kappa^- ho ightarrow \Sigma^0 \pi^0$
-0.28 ± 0.02	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow \Sigma \pi$
\bullet \bullet \bullet We do not use the following a	lata for averages	s, fits	, limits,	etc. • • •
-0.30 or -0.28	¹ MARTIN	77	DPWA	K N multichannel
$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\overline{K} \to \Lambda(16)$	90) → Λη			(Г ₁ Г ₅) ^½ /Г
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
0.00±0.03	BAXTER	73	DPWA	$K^- p \rightarrow$ neutrals
$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\overline{K} \to \Lambda(169)$	90) → Λππ DOCUMENT ID		<u>TECN</u>	<u>(Г1</u> Г3) ^{1/2} /Г
• • • We do not use the following of	lata for averages	s, fits	, limits,	etc. • • •
0.25±0.02	² BARTLEY	68	HDBC	$K^- p \rightarrow \Lambda \pi \pi$
$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\overline{K} \to \Lambda(169)$	90) → Σππ DOCUMENT ID		TECN	(Γ ₁ Γ ₄) ^{1/2} /Γ
0.21	ARMENTERO	S68 C	HDBC	$K^- N \rightarrow \Sigma \pi \pi$
0.21		0000	HDDC	
$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma_{\text{total}} \text{ in } N\overline{K} \to \Lambda(169)$	$90) \rightarrow \Sigma(138!)$	5)π,	, S-wave	$= (\Gamma_1 \Gamma_6)^{\frac{1}{2}} / \Gamma$
VALUE	DUCUMENT ID		<u>TECN</u>	
$+0.27\pm0.04$	PREVOST	74	DPWA	$\kappa^- N \rightarrow \Sigma(1385) \pi$

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*I***(1690) FOOTNOTES**

 1 The two MARTIN 77 values are from a T-matrix pole and from a Breit-Wigner fit. Another $D_{03}~\Lambda$ at 1966 MeV is also suggested by MARTIN 77, but is very uncertain.

 $^2\,\text{BARTLEY}$ 68 uses only cross-section data. The enhancement is not seen by PRE-VOST 71.

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