

$\Delta(1620) 1/2^-$ $I(J^P) = \frac{3}{2}(\frac{1}{2}^-)$ Status: ****

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 $\Delta(1620)$ BREIT-WIGNER MASS

<u>VALUE (MeV)</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
1600 to 1660 (≈ 1630) OUR ESTIMATE			
1600 ± 8	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
1615.2 ± 0.4	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1620 ± 20	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1610 ± 7	HOEHLER	79	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●			
1600 ± 1	SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA Multichannel
1625 ± 10	ANISOVICH	10	DPWA Multichannel
1650 ± 25	THOMA	08	DPWA Multichannel
1614.1 ± 1.1	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1612 ± 2	PENNER	02C	DPWA Multichannel
1617 ± 15	VRANA	00	DPWA Multichannel
1672 ± 5	ARNDT	96	IPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1617	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1669	LI	93	IPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1672 ± 7	MANLEY	92	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \& N\pi\pi$
1620	BARNHAM	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
1712.8 ± 6.0	¹ CHEW	80	BPWA $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$
1786.7 ± 2.0	¹ CHEW	80	BPWA $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$
1580	² LONGACRE	77	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
1600	³ LONGACRE	75	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

 $\Delta(1620)$ BREIT-WIGNER WIDTH

<u>VALUE (MeV)</u>	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
130 to 150 (≈ 140) OUR ESTIMATE			
130 ± 11	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
146.9 ± 1.9	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
140 ± 20	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
139 ± 18	HOEHLER	79	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
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112 ± 2	SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA Multichannel
148 ± 15	ANISOVICH	10	DPWA Multichannel
250 ± 60	THOMA	08	DPWA Multichannel
141.0 ± 6.0	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
202 ± 7	PENNER	02C	DPWA Multichannel
143 ± 42	VRANA	00	DPWA Multichannel
147 ± 8	ARNDT	96	IPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

108	ARNDT	95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
184	LI	93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
154 ± 37	MANLEY	92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ & $N\pi\pi$
120	BARNHAM	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
228.3 ± 18.0	¹ CHEW	80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$ (lower mass)
30.0 ± 6.4	¹ CHEW	80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$ (higher mass)
120	² LONGACRE	77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
150	³ LONGACRE	75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1620)$ POLE POSITION

REAL PART

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1590 to 1610 (≈ 1600) OUR ESTIMATE			
1603 $\pm 7 \pm 2$	⁴ SVARC	14	MLS $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1597 ± 4	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
1595	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1608	⁵ HOEHLER	93	SPED $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1600 ± 15	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●			
1587	SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA Multichannel
1596 ± 7	ANISOVICH	10	DPWA Multichannel
1615 ± 25	THOMA	08	DPWA Multichannel
1594	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
1607	VRANA	00	DPWA Multichannel
1585	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1587	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
1583 or 1583	⁶ LONGACRE	78	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
1575 or 1572	² LONGACRE	77	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

−2×IMAGINARY PART

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
120 to 140 (≈ 130) OUR ESTIMATE			
114 $\pm 12 \pm 4$	⁴ SVARC	14	MLS $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
130 ± 9	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
135	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
116	⁵ HOEHLER	93	SPED $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
120 ± 20	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●			
107	SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA Multichannel
130 ± 10	ANISOVICH	10	DPWA Multichannel
180 ± 35	THOMA	08	DPWA Multichannel
118	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
148	VRANA	00	DPWA Multichannel
104	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
120	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
143 or 149	⁶ LONGACRE	78	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
119 or 128	² LONGACRE	77	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Delta(1620)$ ELASTIC POLE RESIDUE

MODULUS $|r|$

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$17 \pm 2 \pm 1$	⁴ SVARC	14	MLS $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
18 ± 2	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
15	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
19	HOEHLER	93	SPED $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
15 ± 2	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●			
17	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
14	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
15	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

PHASE θ

VALUE (°)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
$-106 \pm 10 \pm 4$	⁴ SVARC	14	MLS $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
-100 ± 5	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel
- 92	ARNDT	06	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
- 95	HOEHLER	93	SPED $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
-110 ± 20	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
● ● ● We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. ● ● ●			
-104	ARNDT	04	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
-121	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
-125	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

$\Delta(1620)$ INELASTIC POLE RESIDUE

The “normalized residue” is the residue divided by $\Gamma_{pole}/2$.

Normalized residue in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1620) \rightarrow \Delta\pi, D$ -wave

MODULUS (%)	PHASE (°)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
38 ± 9	-85 ± 30	ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA Multichannel

$\Delta(1620)$ DECAY MODES

The following branching fractions are our estimates, not fits or averages.

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
Γ_1 $N\pi$	20–30 %
Γ_2 $N\pi\pi$	70–80 %
Γ_3 $\Delta\pi$	30–60 %
Γ_4 $\Delta(1232)\pi, D$ -wave	
Γ_5 $N\rho$	7–25 %
Γ_6 $N\rho, S=1/2, S$ -wave	
Γ_7 $N\rho, S=3/2, D$ -wave	
Γ_8 $N(1440)\pi$	
Γ_9 $N\gamma$	0.03–0.10 %
Γ_{10} $N\gamma, \text{helicity}=1/2$	0.03–0.10 %

$\Delta(1620)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(N\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					Γ_1/Γ
<u>VALUE (%)</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
20 to 30 OUR ESTIMATE					
28 ± 3		ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA	Multichannel
31.5 ± 0.1		ARNDT	06	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
25 ± 3		CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
35 ± 6		HOEHLER	79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
33 ± 2		SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA	Multichannel
23 ± 5		ANISOVICH	10	DPWA	Multichannel
22 ± 12		THOMA	08	DPWA	Multichannel
31.0 ± 0.4		ARNDT	04	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
34 ± 1		PENNER	02C	DPWA	Multichannel
45 ± 5		VRANA	00	DPWA	Multichannel
29		ARNDT	95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
9 ± 2		MANLEY	92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \ \& \ N\pi\pi$
60		¹ CHEW	80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$ (lower mass)
36		¹ CHEW	80	BPWA	$\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ p$ (higher mass)

Note: Signs of couplings from $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ analyses were changed in the 1986 edition to agree with the baryon-first convention; the overall phase ambiguity is resolved by choosing a negative sign for the $\Delta(1620) S_{31}$ coupling to $\Delta(1232)\pi$.

$(\Gamma_i\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1620) \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\pi$, <i>D-wave</i>					$(\Gamma_1\Gamma_4)^{1/2}/\Gamma$
<u>VALUE</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
−0.36 to −0.28 OUR ESTIMATE					
−0.33 ± 0.06		BARNHAM	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
−0.39		^{2,7} LONGACRE	77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
−0.40		³ LONGACRE	75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
−0.24 ± 0.03		MANLEY	92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \ \& \ N\pi\pi$

$\Gamma(\Delta(1232)\pi, D\text{-wave})/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$					Γ_4/Γ
<u>VALUE (%)</u>		<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>	
60 ± 17		ANISOVICH	12A	DPWA	Multichannel
39 ± 2		VRANA	00	DPWA	Multichannel
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
32 ± 2		SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA	Multichannel
48 ± 25		THOMA	08	DPWA	Multichannel

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1620) \rightarrow N\rho, S=1/2, S\text{-wave}$ $(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_6)^{1/2} / \Gamma$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.12 to +0.22 OUR ESTIMATE			
+0.40 ± 0.10	BARNHAM 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
+0.08	^{2,7} LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
+0.28	³ LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
+0.15 ± 0.02	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \& N\pi\pi$

$\Gamma(N\rho, S=1/2, S\text{-wave}) / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ Γ_6 / Γ

VALUE (%)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
14 ± 3	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
26 ± 2	SHRESTHA 12A	DPWA	Multichannel

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1620) \rightarrow N\rho, S=3/2, D\text{-wave}$ $(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_7)^{1/2} / \Gamma$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.15 to -0.03 OUR ESTIMATE			
-0.13	^{2,7} LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-0.03 ± 0.01	SHRESTHA 12A	DPWA	Multichannel
-0.06 ± 0.02	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \& N\pi\pi$

$\Gamma(N\rho, S=3/2, D\text{-wave}) / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ Γ_7 / Γ

VALUE (%)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
2 ± 1	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow \Delta(1620) \rightarrow N(1440)\pi$ $(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_8)^{1/2} / \Gamma$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.11 ± 0.05	BARNHAM 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$\Gamma(N(1440)\pi) / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ Γ_8 / Γ

VALUE (%)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0 ± 1	VRANA 00	DPWA	Multichannel
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
9 ± 1	SHRESTHA 12A	DPWA	Multichannel
19 ± 12	THOMA 08	DPWA	Multichannel

$\Delta(1620)$ PHOTON DECAY AMPLITUDES

Papers on γN amplitudes predating 1981 may be found in our 2006 edition, *Journal of Physics* **G33** 1 (2006).

$\Delta(1620) \rightarrow N\gamma$, helicity-1/2 amplitude $A_{1/2}$

VALUE (GeV ^{-1/2})	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.040 ± 0.015 OUR ESTIMATE			
0.052 ± 0.005	ANISOVICH 12A	DPWA	Multichannel
0.029 ± 0.003	WORKMAN 12A	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow N\pi$
0.050 ± 0.002	DUGGER 07	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.035 ± 0.010	CRAWFORD 83	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.010 ± 0.015	AWAJI 81	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

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

−0.003±0.003	SHRESTHA	12A	DPWA	Multichannel
0.063±0.012	ANISOVICH	10	DPWA	Multichannel
0.066	DRECHSEL	07	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
−0.050	PENNER	02D	DPWA	Multichannel
0.035±0.020	ARNDT	96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.042±0.003	LI	93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.066	WADA	84	DPWA	Compton scattering

$\Delta(1620)$ FOOTNOTES

- ¹ CHEW 80 reports two S_{31} resonances at somewhat higher masses than other analyses. Problems with this analysis are discussed in section 2.1.11 of HOEHLER 83.
- ² LONGACRE 77 pole positions are from a search for poles in the unitarized T-matrix; the first (second) value uses, in addition to $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ data, elastic amplitudes from a Saclay (CERN) partial-wave analysis. The other LONGACRE 77 values are from eyeball fits with Breit-Wigner circles to the T-matrix amplitudes.
- ³ From method II of LONGACRE 75: eyeball fits with Breit-Wigner circles to the T-matrix amplitudes.
- ⁴ Fit to the amplitudes of HOEHLER 79.
- ⁵ See HOEHLER 93 for a detailed discussion of the evidence for and the pole parameters of N and Δ resonances as determined from Argand diagrams of πN elastic partial-wave amplitudes and from plots of the speeds with which the amplitudes traverse the diagrams.
- ⁶ LONGACRE 78 values are from a search for poles in the unitarized T-matrix. The first (second) value uses, in addition to $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ data, elastic amplitudes from a Saclay (CERN) partial-wave analysis.
- ⁷ LONGACRE 77 considers this coupling to be well determined.

$\Delta(1620)$ REFERENCES

For early references, see *Physics Letters* **111B** 1 (1982).

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ANISOVICH	12A	EPJ A48 15	A.V. Anisovich <i>et al.</i>	(BONN, PNPI)
SHRESTHA	12A	PR C86 055203	M. Shrestha, D.M. Manley	(KSU)
WORKMAN	12A	PR C86 015202	R. Workman <i>et al.</i>	(GWU)
ANISOVICH	10	EPJ A44 203	A.V. Anisovich <i>et al.</i>	(BONN, PNPI)
THOMA	08	PL B659 87	U. Thoma <i>et al.</i>	(CB-ELSA Collab.)
DRECHSEL	07	EPJ A34 69	D. Drechsel, S.S. Kamalov, L. Tiator	(MAINZ, JINR)
DUGGER	07	PR C76 025211	M. Dugger <i>et al.</i>	(Jefferson Lab CLAS Collab.)
ARNDT	06	PR C74 045205	R.A. Arndt <i>et al.</i>	(GWU)
PDG	06	JP G33 1	W.-M. Yao <i>et al.</i>	(PDG Collab.)
ARNDT	04	PR C69 035213	R.A. Arndt <i>et al.</i>	(GWU, TRIU)
PENNER	02C	PR C66 055211	G. Penner, U. Mosel	(GIES)
PENNER	02D	PR C66 055212	G. Penner, U. Mosel	(GIES)
VRANA	00	PRPL 328 181	T.P. Vrana, S.A. Dytman,, T.-S.H. Lee	(PITT+)
ARNDT	96	PR C53 430	R.A. Arndt, I.I. Strakovsky, R.L. Workman	(VPI)
ARNDT	95	PR C52 2120	R.A. Arndt <i>et al.</i>	(VPI, BRCO)
HOEHLER	93	πN Newsletter 9 1	G. Hohler	(KARL)
LI	93	PR C47 2759	Z.J. Li <i>et al.</i>	(VPI)
MANLEY	92	PR D45 4002	D.M. Manley, E.M. Saleski	(KSA) IJP
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ARNDT	91	PR D43 2131	R.A. Arndt <i>et al.</i>	(VPI, TELE) IJP
WADA	84	NP B247 313	Y. Wada <i>et al.</i>	(INUS)
CRAWFORD	83	NP B211 1	R.L. Crawford, W.T. Morton	(GLAS)
HOEHLER	83	Landolt-Boernstein 1/9B2	G. Hohler	(KARLT)
PDG	82	PL 111B 1	M. Roos <i>et al.</i>	(HELS, CIT, CERN)
AWAJI	81	Bonn Conf. 352	N. Awaji, R. Kajikawa	(NAGO)
Also		NP B197 365	K. Fujii <i>et al.</i>	(NAGO)

BARNHAM	80	NP B168 243	K.W.J. Barnham <i>et al.</i>	(LOIC)
CHEW	80	Toronto Conf. 123	D.M. Chew	(LBL) IJP
CUTKOSKY	80	Toronto Conf. 19	R.E. Cutkosky <i>et al.</i>	(CMU, LBL) IJP
Also		PR D20 2839	R.E. Cutkosky <i>et al.</i>	(CMU, LBL) IJP
HOEHLER	79	PDAT 12-1	G. Hohler <i>et al.</i>	(KARLT) IJP
Also		Toronto Conf. 3	R. Koch	(KARLT) IJP
LONGACRE	78	PR D17 1795	R.S. Longacre <i>et al.</i>	(LBL, SLAC)
LONGACRE	77	NP B122 493	R.S. Longacre, J. Dolbeau	(SACL) IJP
Also		NP B108 365	J. Dolbeau <i>et al.</i>	(SACL) IJP
LONGACRE	75	PL 55B 415	R.S. Longacre <i>et al.</i>	(LBL, SLAC) IJP
