

D π /K scattering and charm meson resonances from lattice QCD

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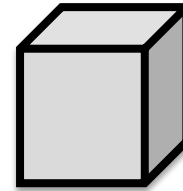
Variational method (generalised eigenvalue problem) $\rightarrow \{E_n\}$

$$C_{ij}(t) v_j^{(n)} = \lambda^{(n)}(t) C_{ij}(t_0) v_j^{(n)} \quad \lambda^{(n)}(t) \sim e^{-E_n(t-t_0)}$$

$$v_i^{(n)} \rightarrow Z_i^{(n)} \equiv \langle 0 | \mathcal{O}_i | n \rangle \quad \Omega^{(n)} \sim \sum_i v_i^{(n)} \mathcal{O}_i$$

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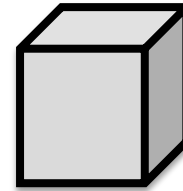
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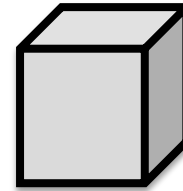
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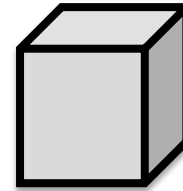
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Under-constrained (each E_{cm} constrains t -matrix at that E_{cm})

\rightarrow Parameterize E_{cm} dep. of t -matrix; fit $\{E_{\text{lattice}}\}$ to $\{E_{\text{param}}\}$

Try different parameterizations, e.g. various K -matrix forms (unitarity) (also Breit Wigner, effective range expansion for elastic scattering).

$$t_{ij}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(2k_i)^{\ell_i}} K_{ij}^{-1} \frac{1}{(2k_j)^{\ell_j}} + I_{ij}$$

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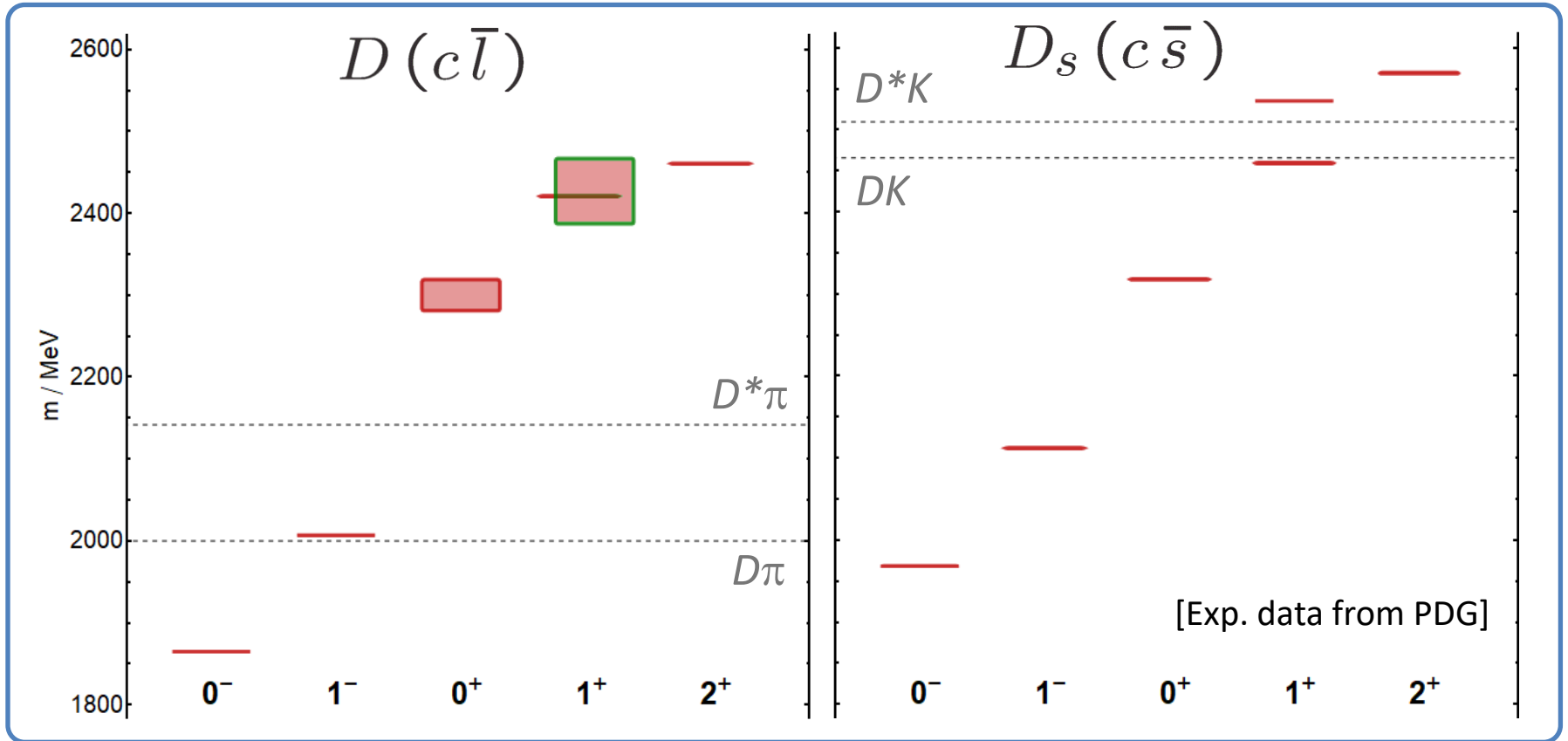
- Large set of E_{cm} in a range of channels:
 - various symmetry channels (irreps), and
 - overall non-zero momentum, different volumes, and/or twisted b.c.s
- Large enough spatial volume ($m_{\pi} L \gtrsim 4$)

This is for 2 hadron scattering – see other talks for >2 hadron scattering

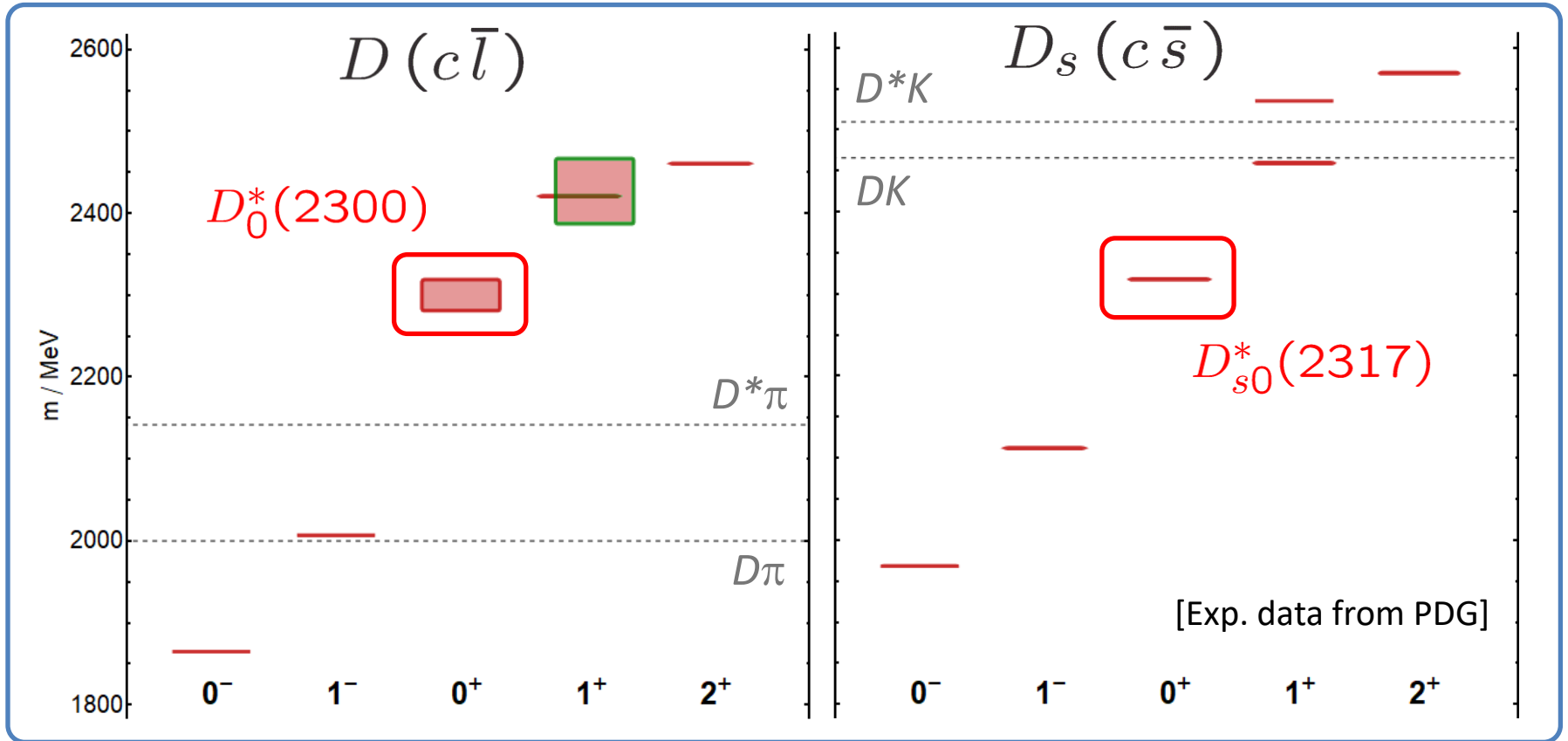
Review in e.g. Briceño, Dudek, Young
[Rev. Mod. Phys. 90, 025001 (2018)]

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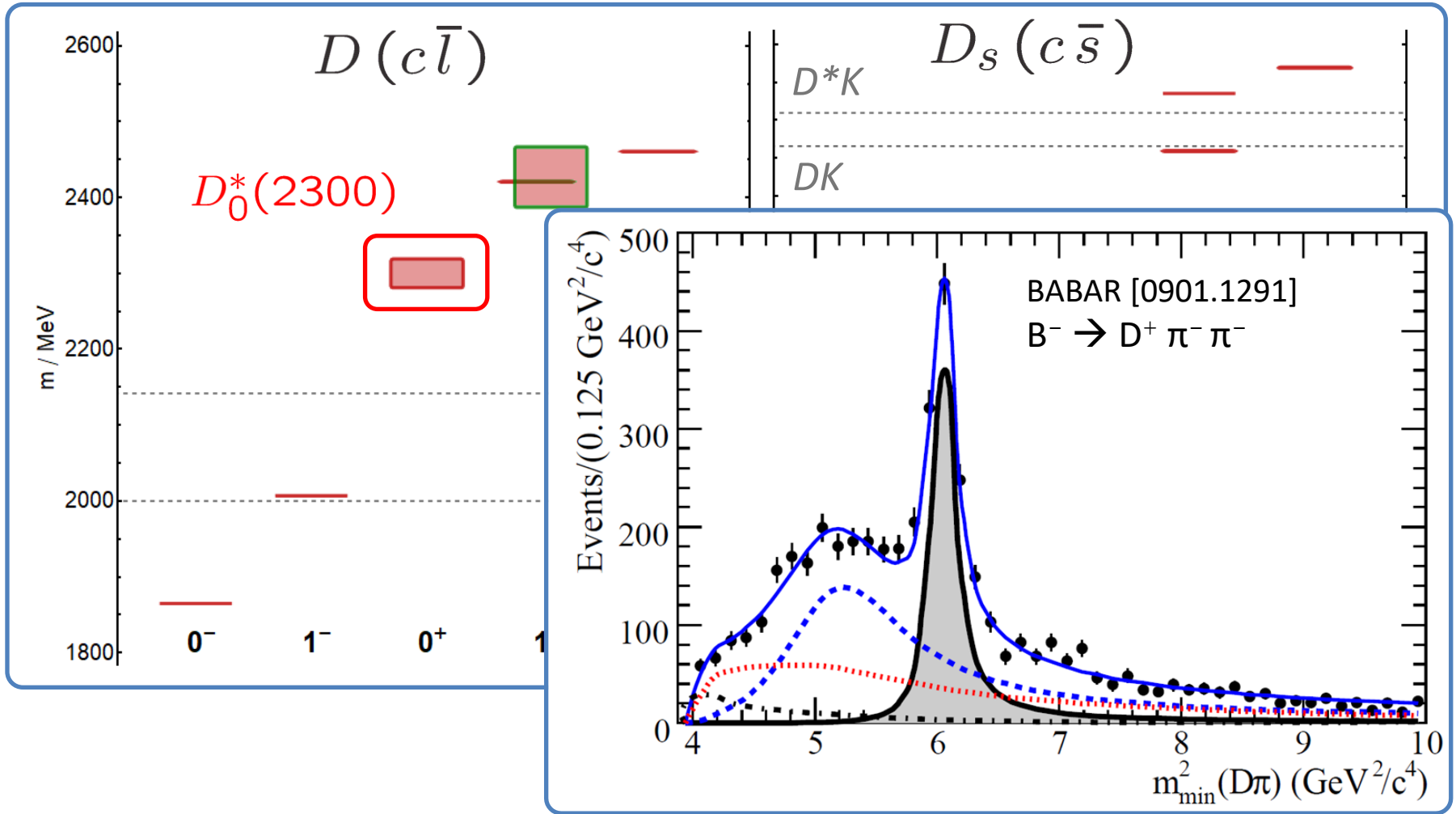
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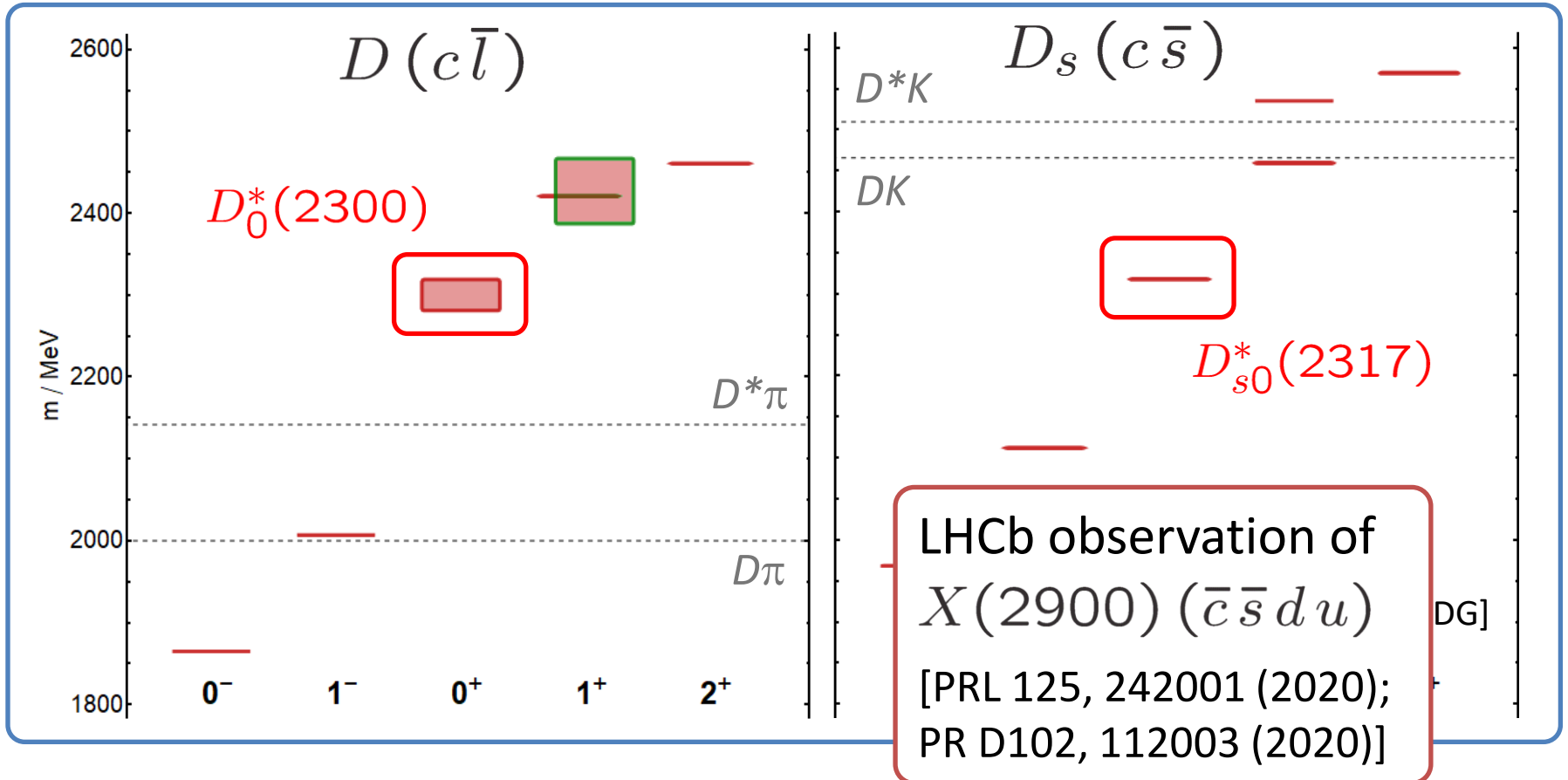
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Other calculations

Some other lattice QCD work on $D K$ and/or $D \pi$ scattering:

- Mohler *et al* [PR D87, 034501 (2013), 1208.4059];
- Liu *et al* [PR D87, 014508 (2013), 1208.4535];
- Mohler *et al* [PRL 111, 222001 (2013), 1308.3175];
- Lang *et al* [PR D90, 034510 (2014), 1403.8103];
- Bali *et al* (RQCD) [PR D96, 074501 (2017), 1706.01247];
- Alexandrou *et al* (ETM) [PR D101 034502 (2020), 1911.08435];
- Gregory *et al* [2106.15391]

Also:

- Martínez Torres *et al* [JHEP 05 (2015) 153, 1412.1706];
- Albaladejo *et al* [PL B767, 465 (2017), 1610.06727];
- Du *et al* [PR D98, 094018 (2018), 1712.07957];
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 $a_s/a_t \approx 3.5$, $a_s \approx 0.12$ fm,
various volumes.

$N_f = 2+1$,
Wilson-clover fermions,
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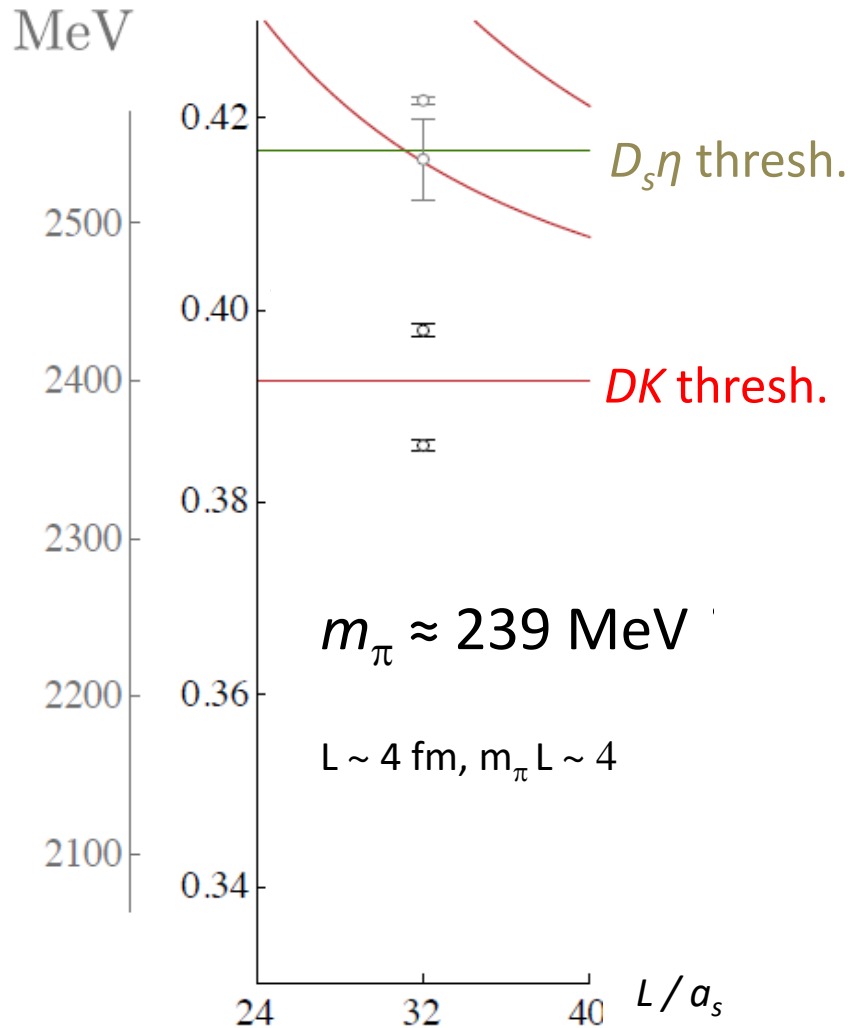
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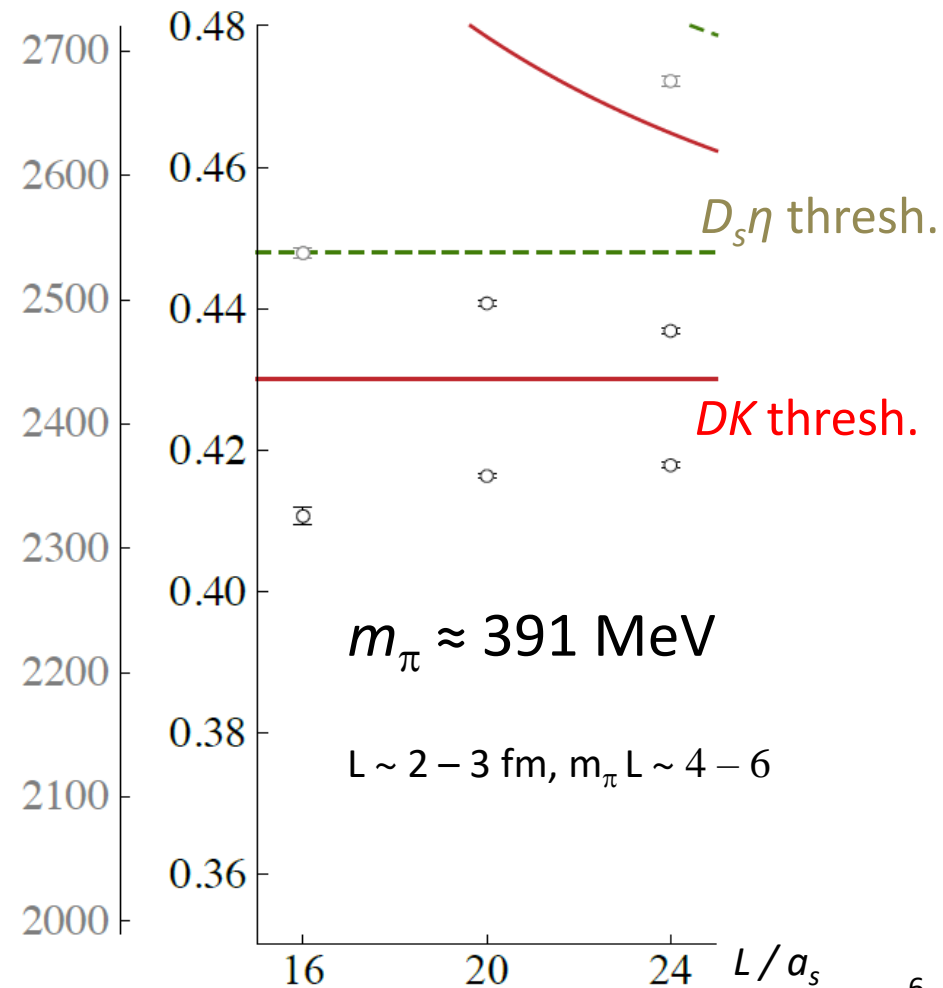
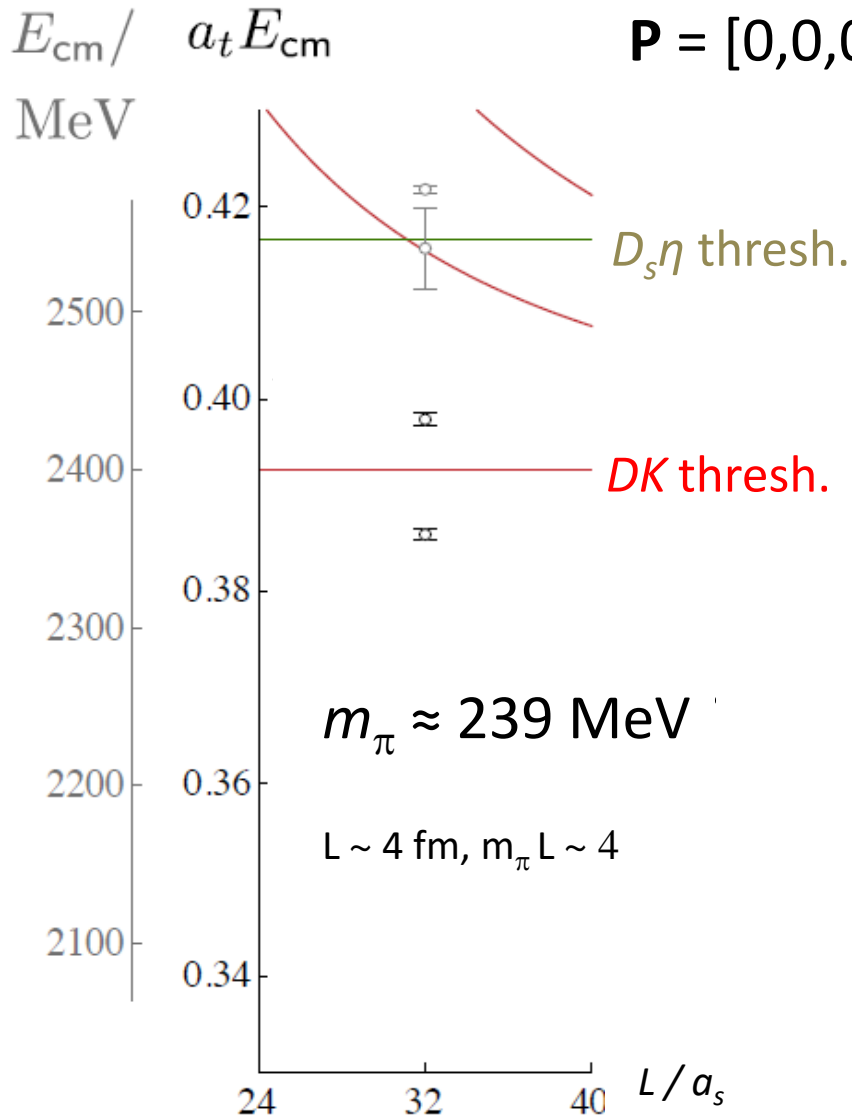
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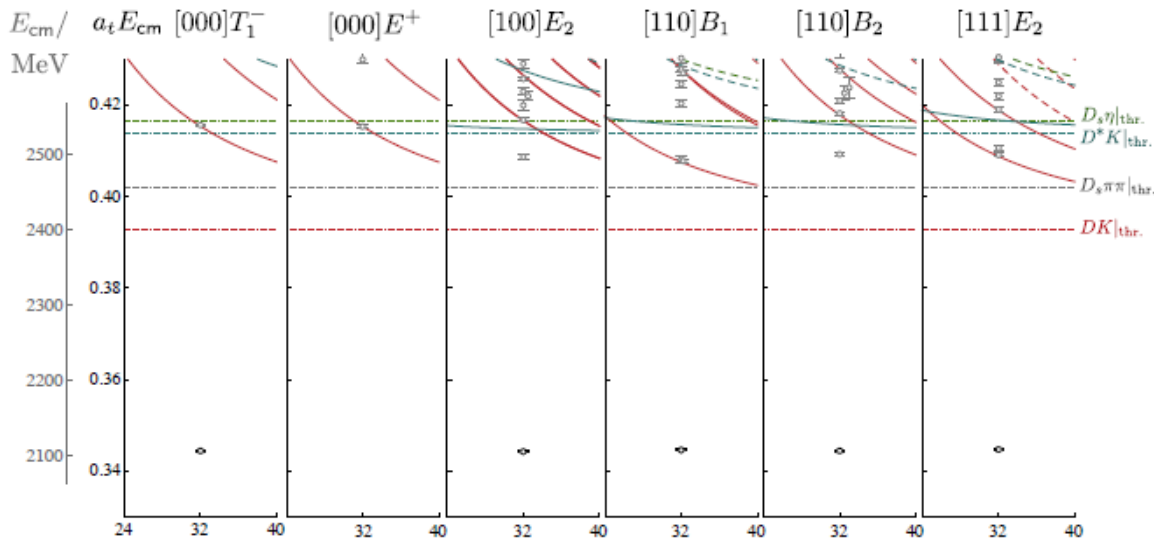
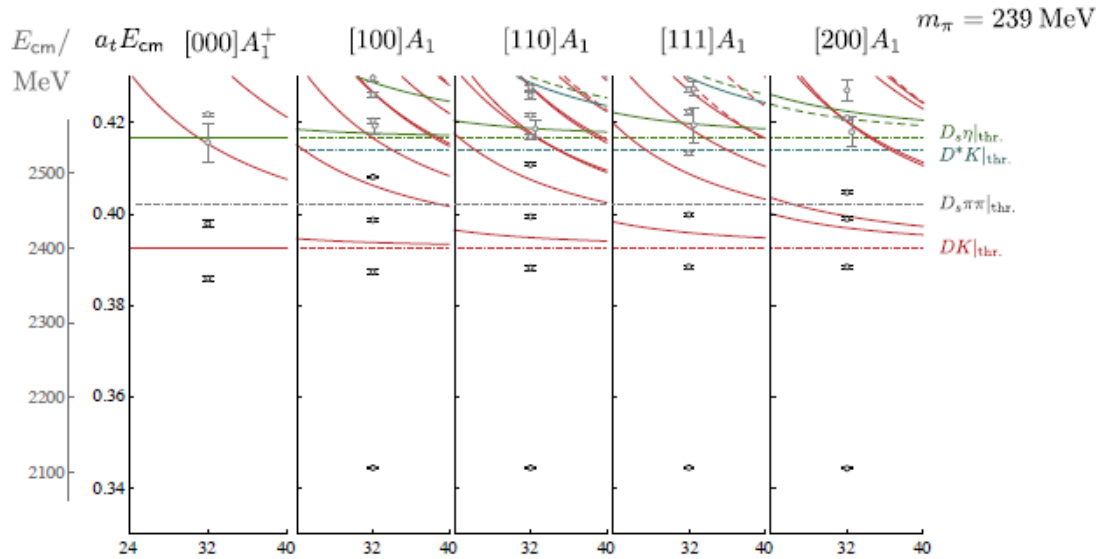


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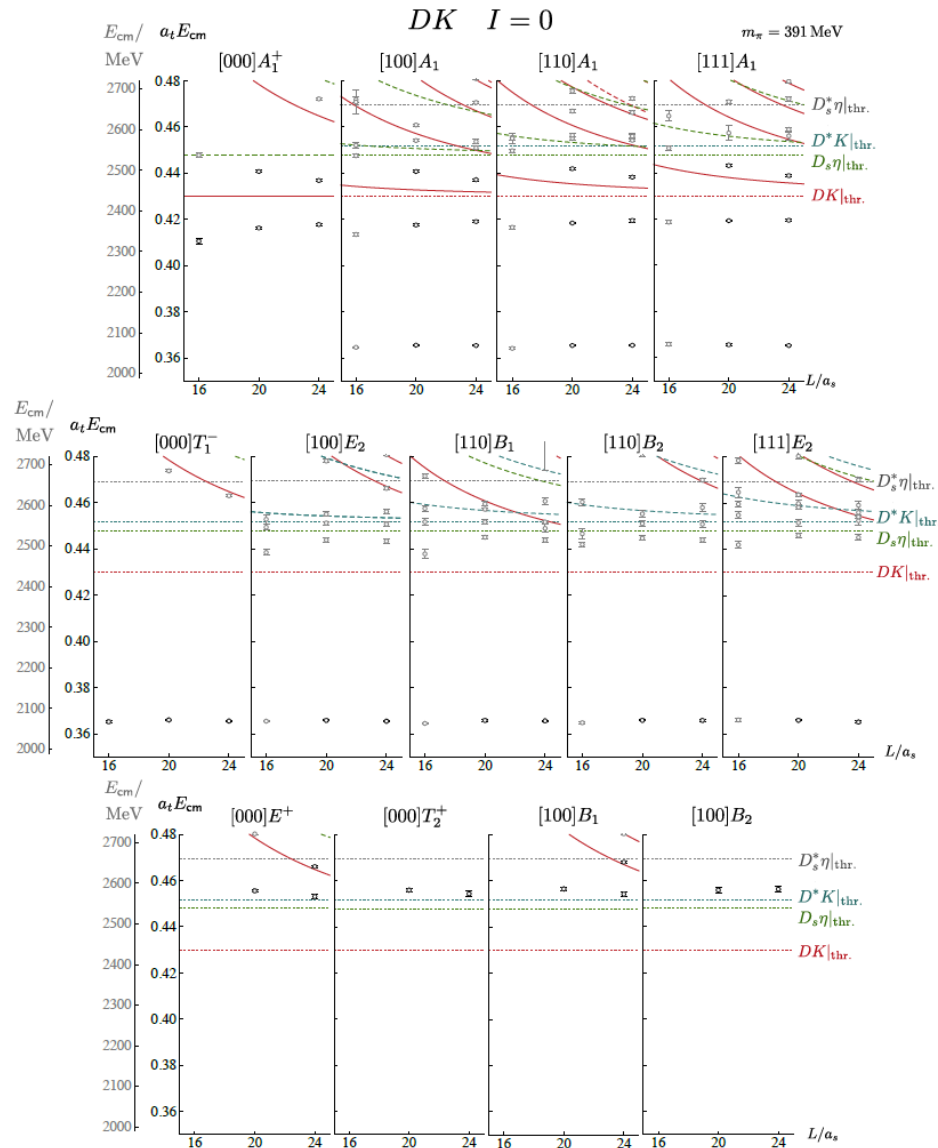
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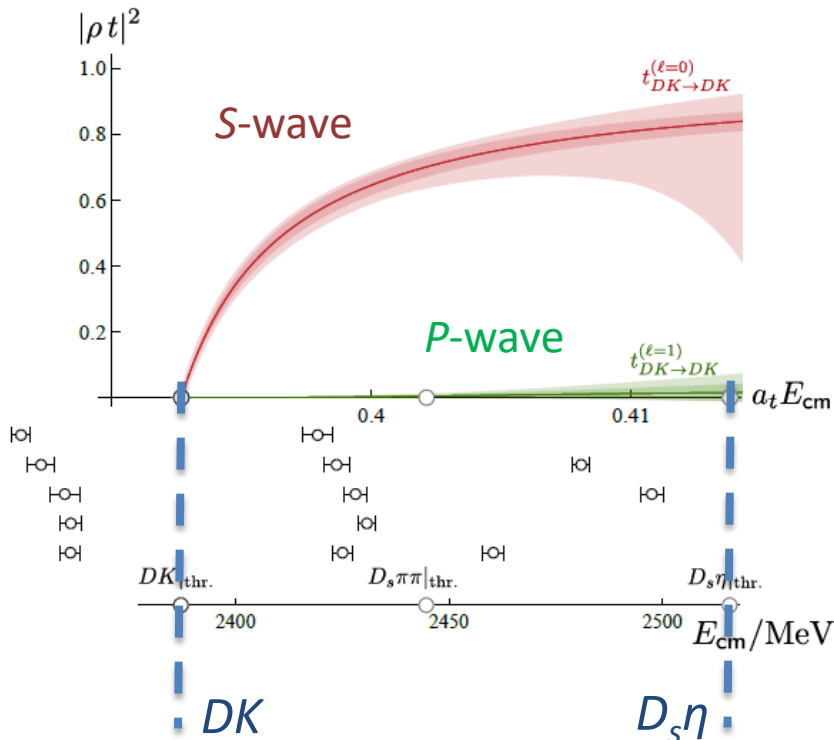
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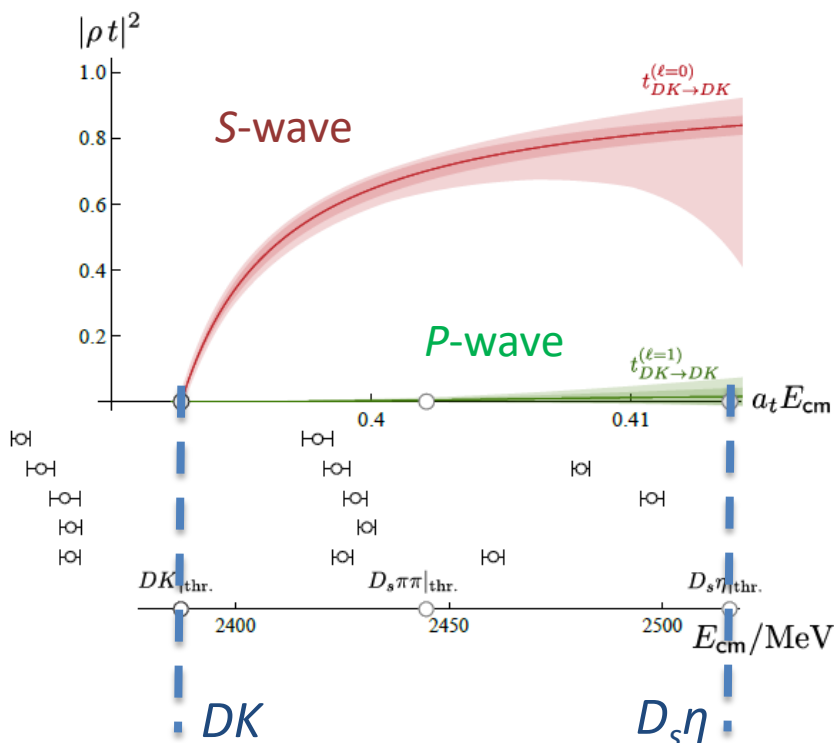
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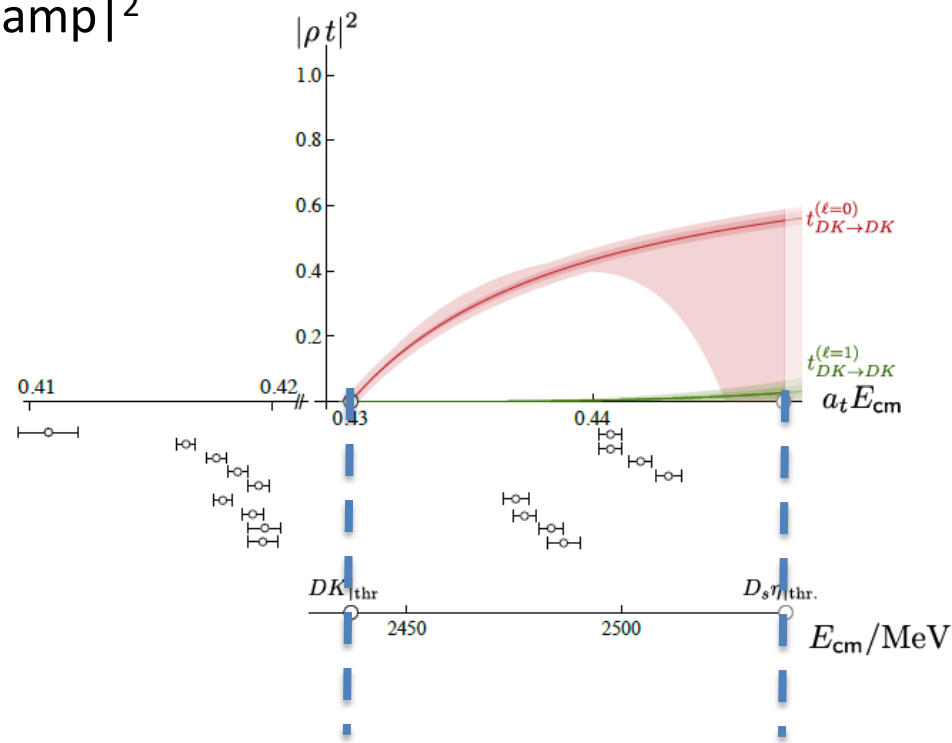
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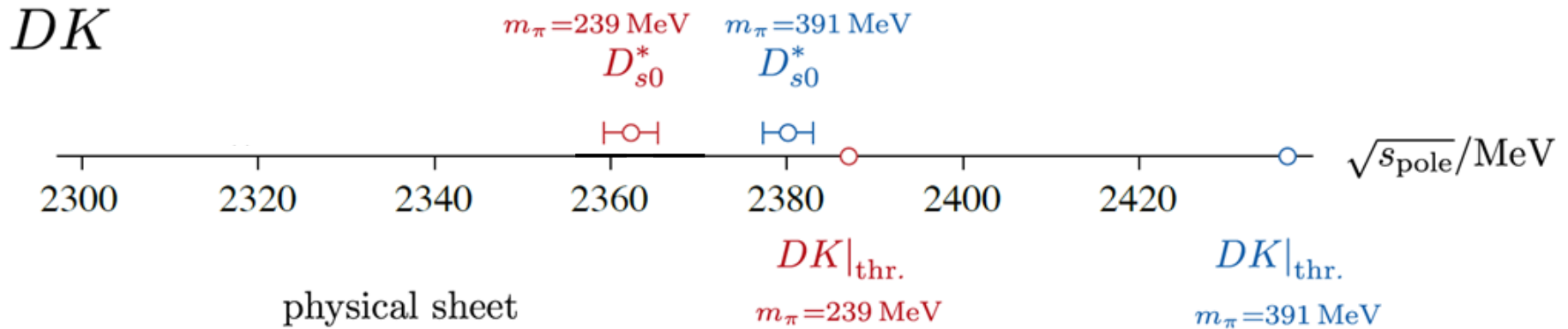
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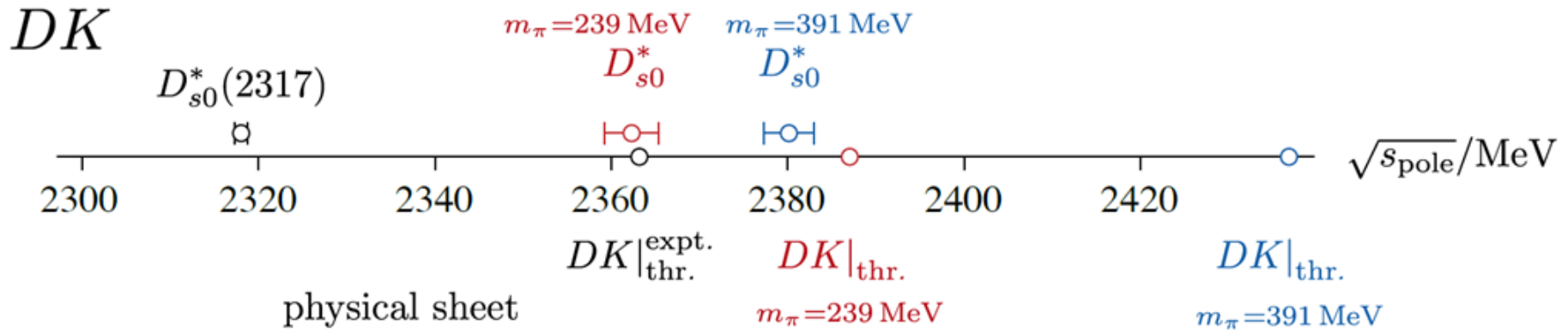
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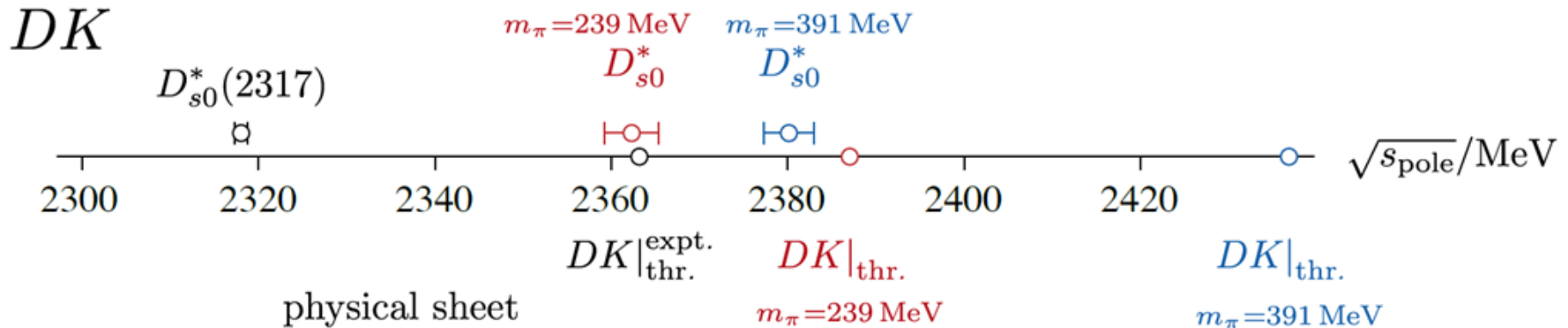
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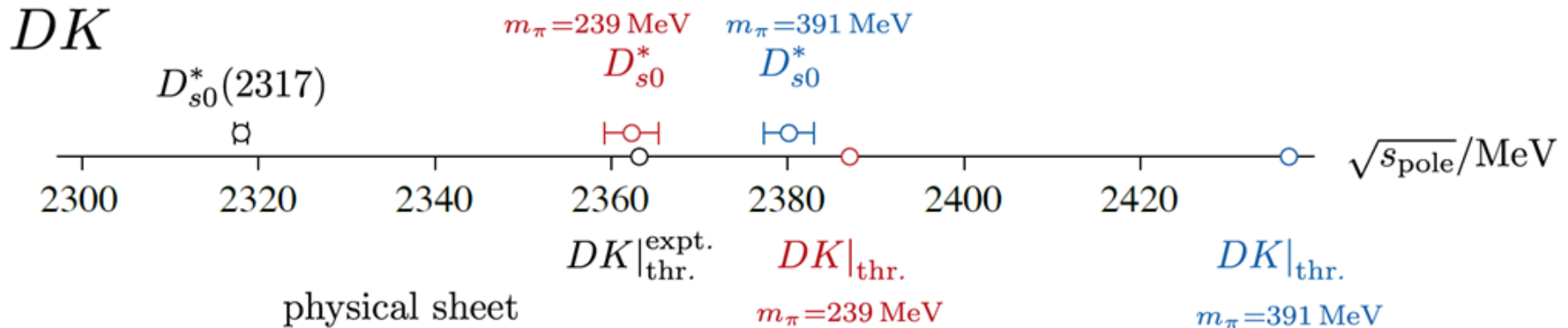
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Also deeply bound state in P -wave, D_S^* , but doesn't strongly influence DK scattering at these energies

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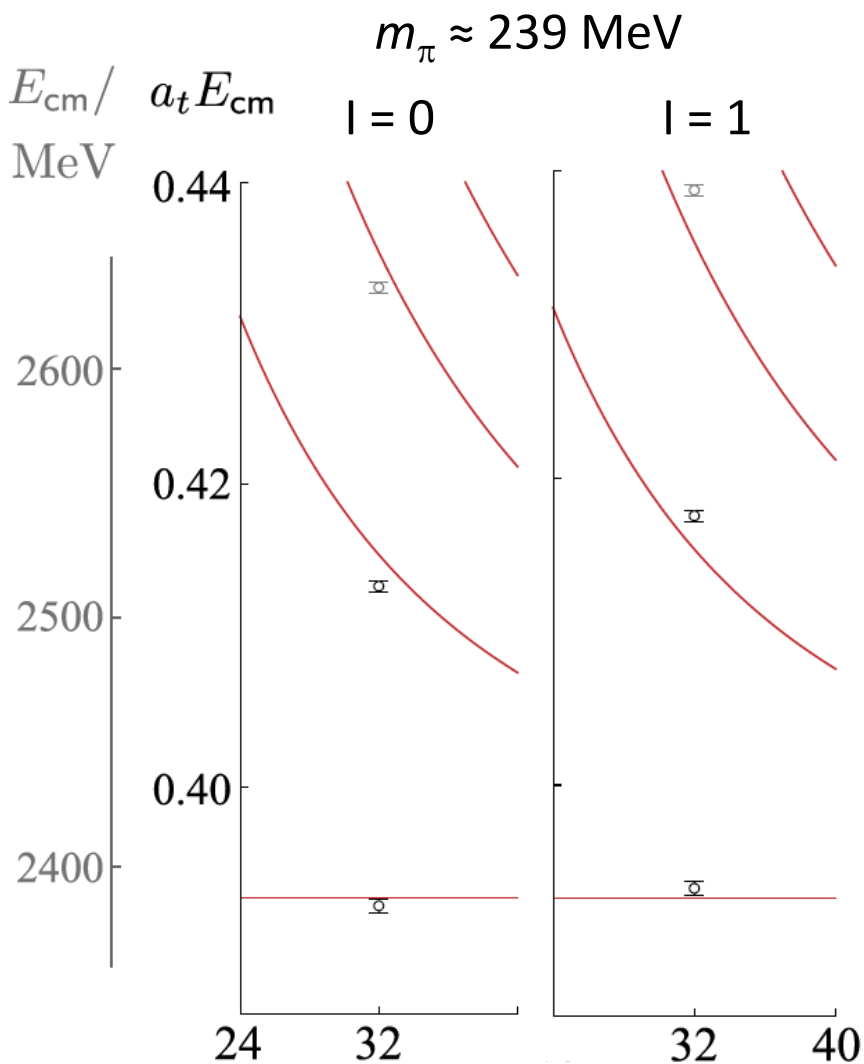
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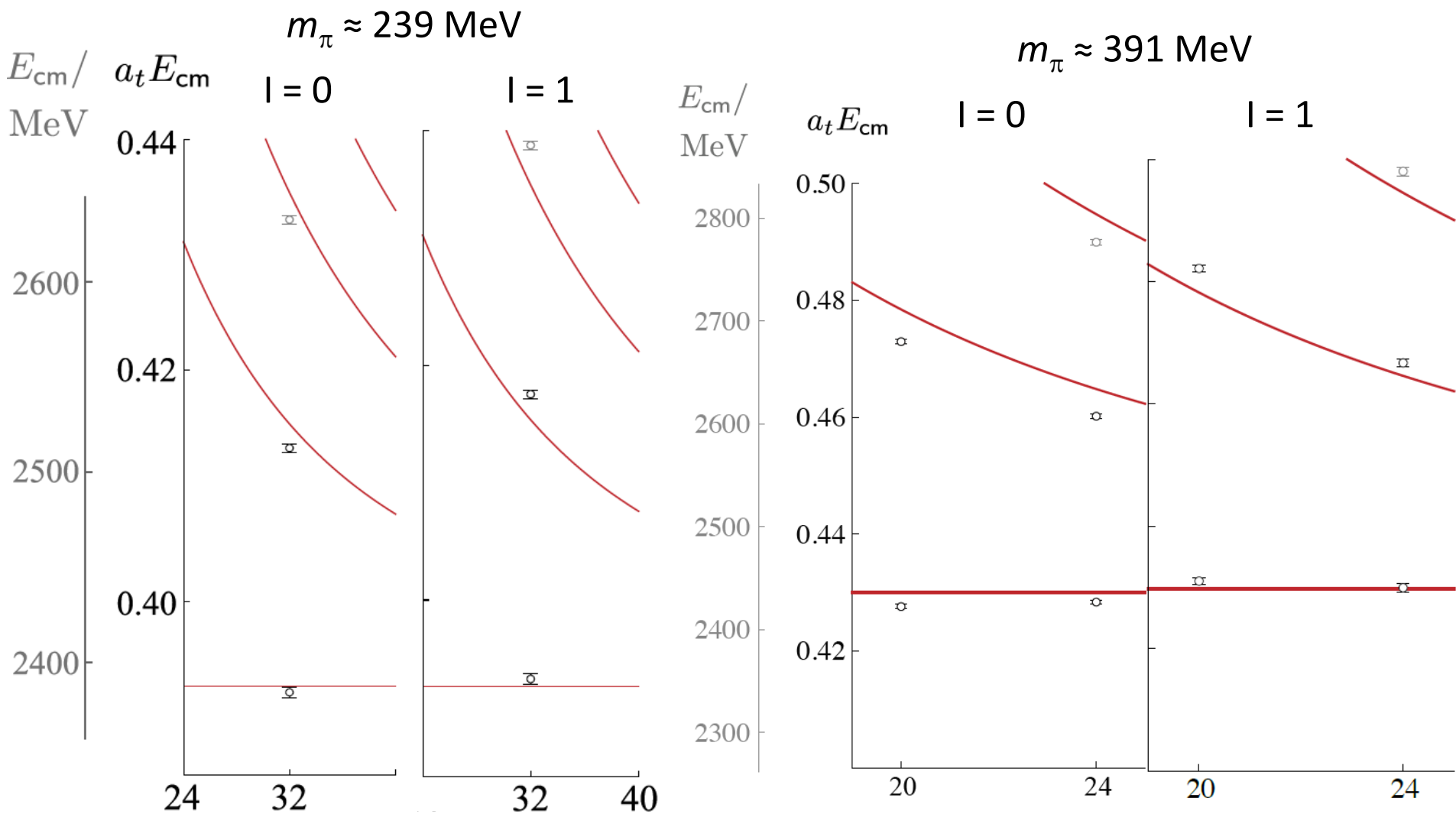
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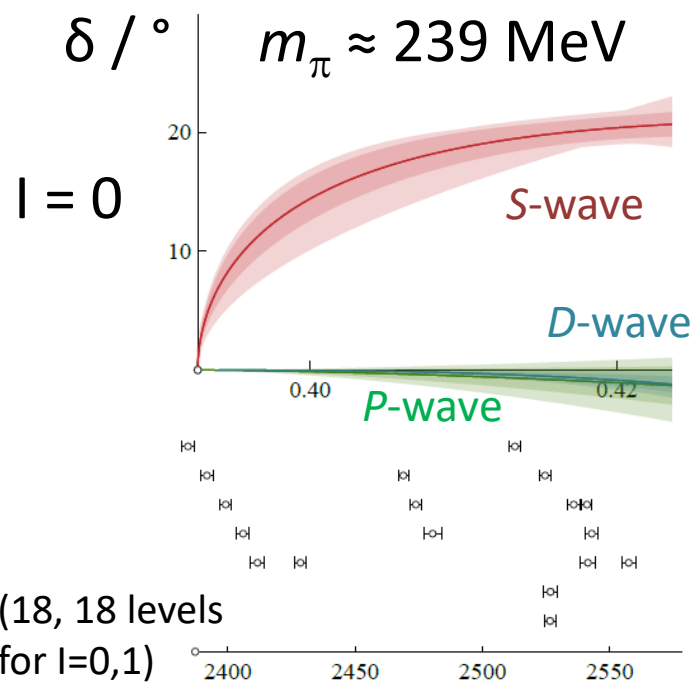
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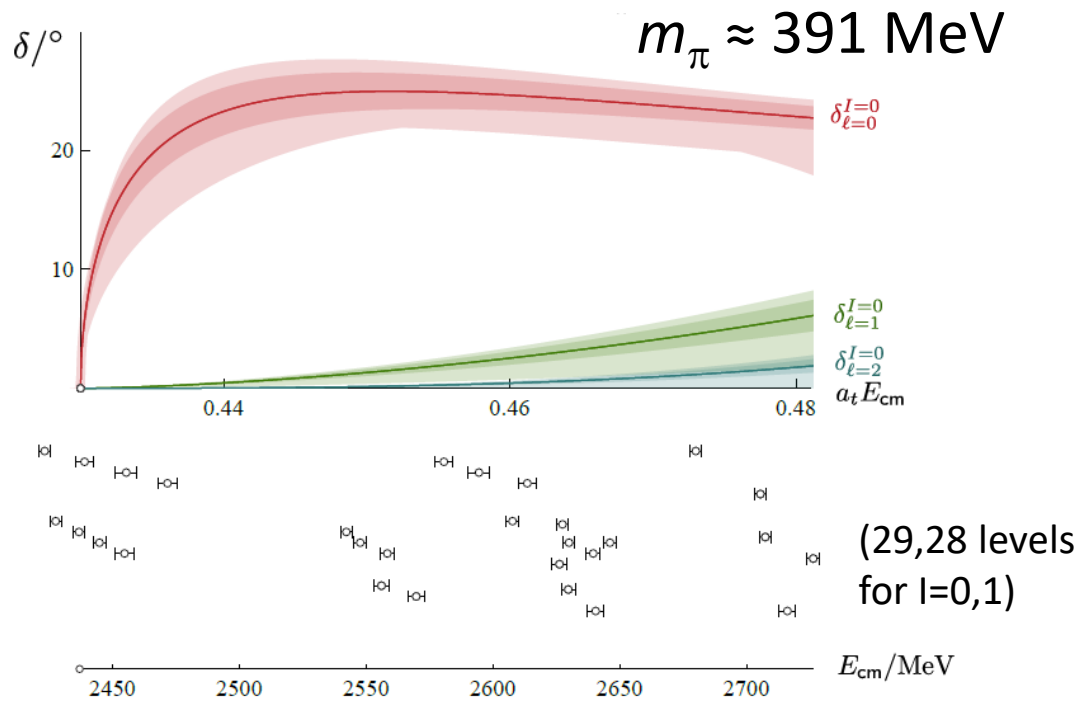


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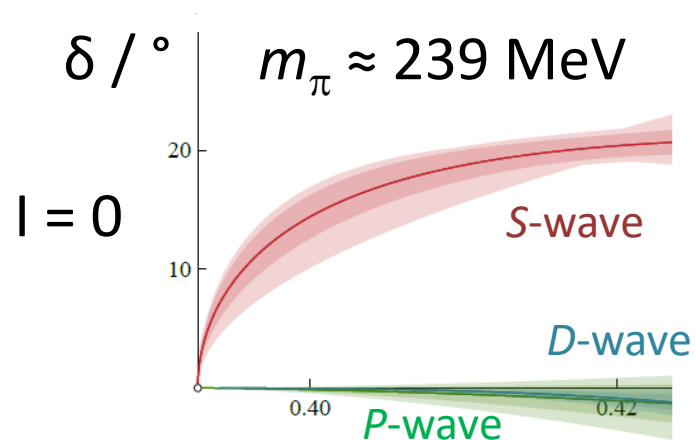
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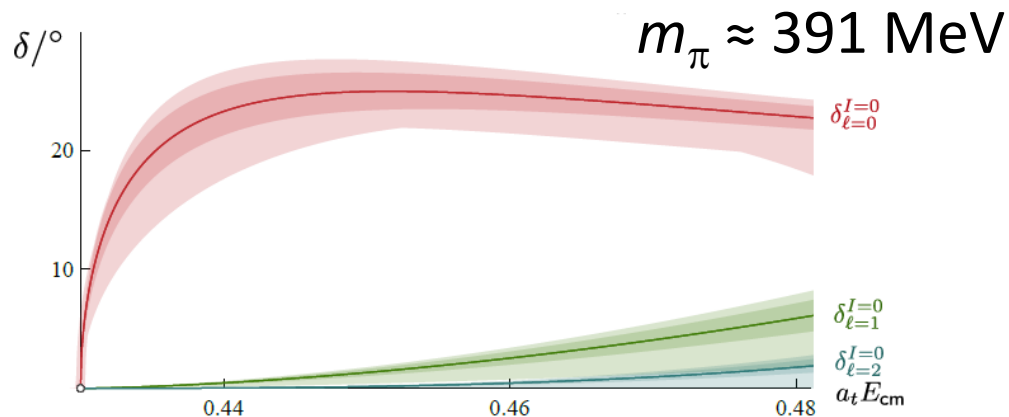
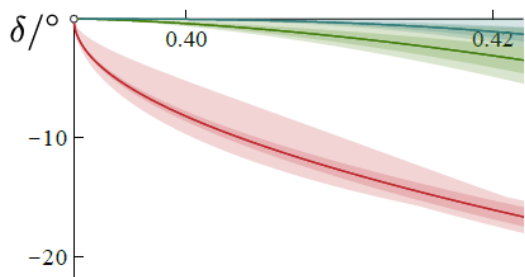
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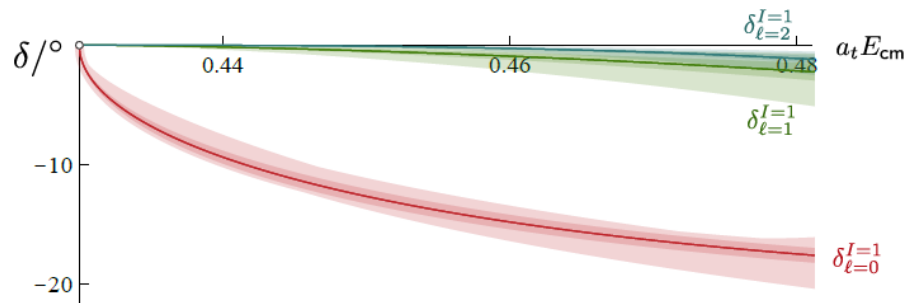
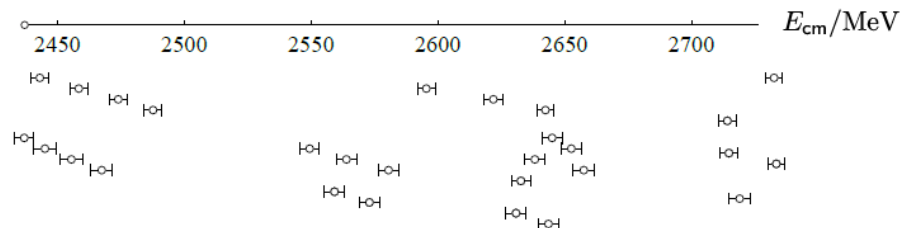


(18, 18 levels
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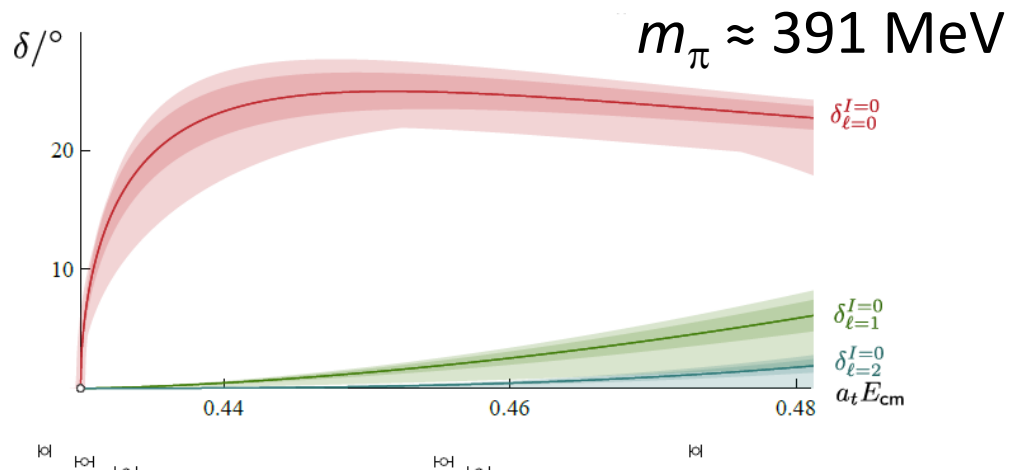
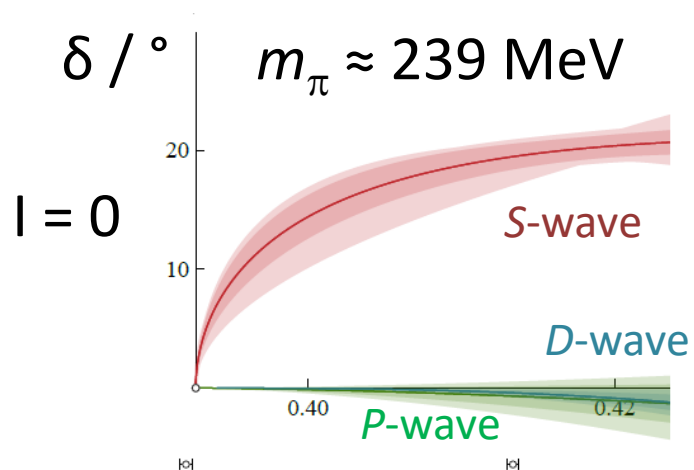
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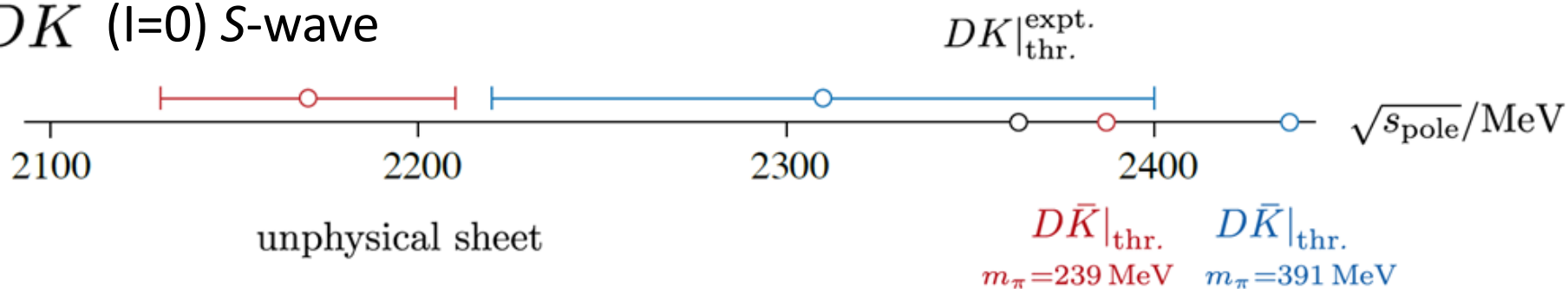
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$D\bar{K}$ ($I=0$) S-wave



Suggestion of a **virtual bound-state pole (exotic flavour)**

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$\delta_{\ell=0}^{I=1}$

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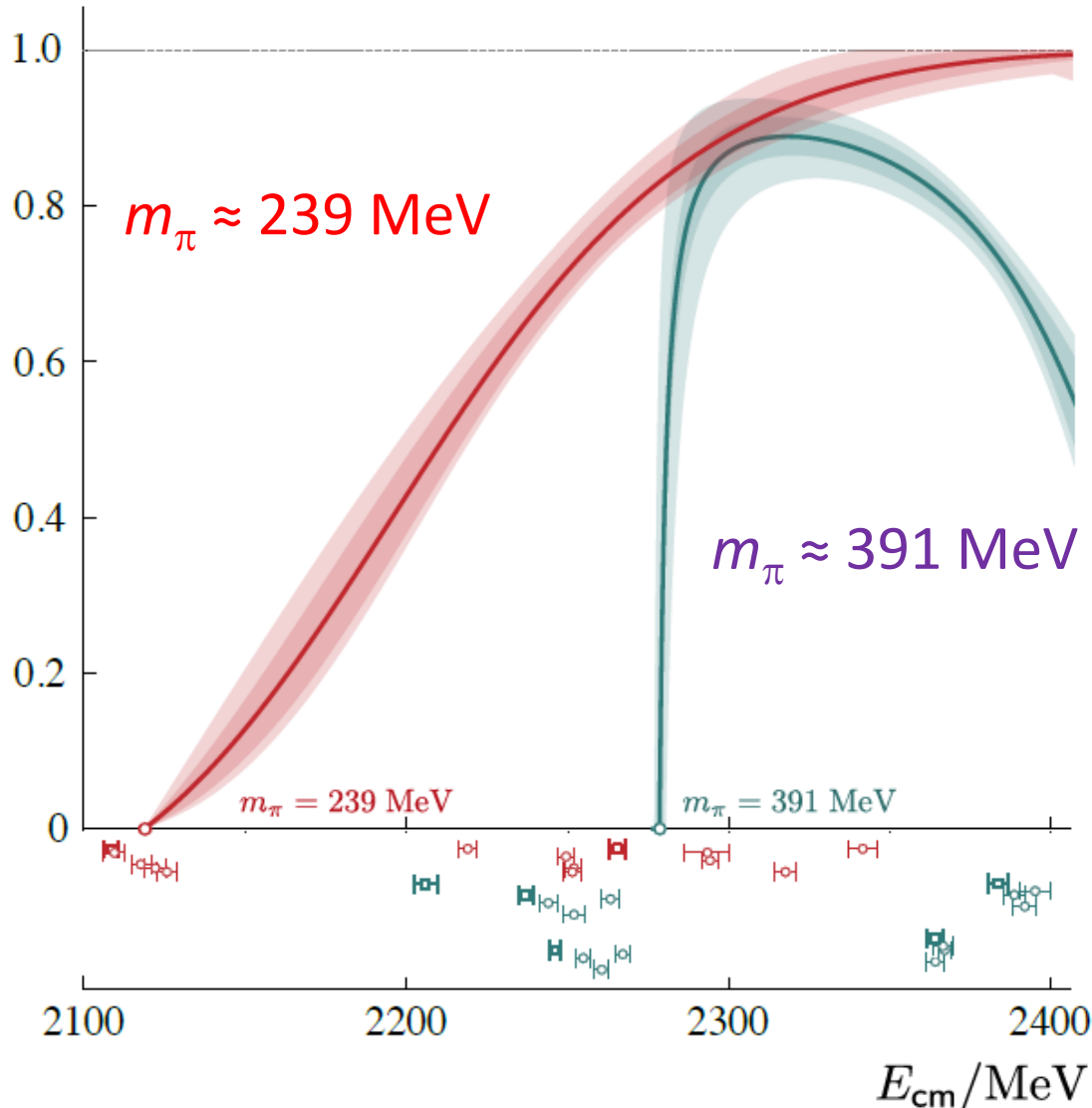
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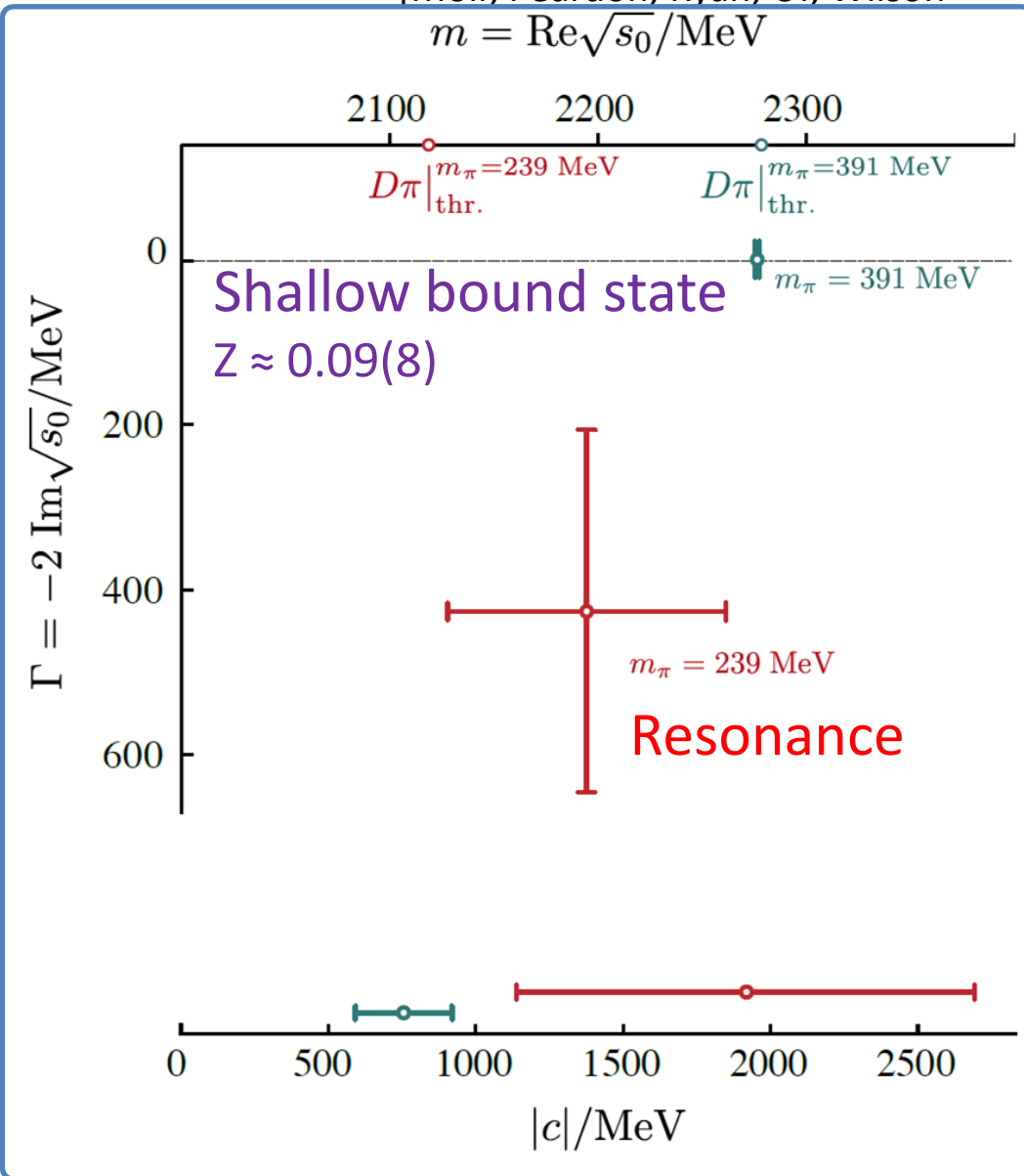
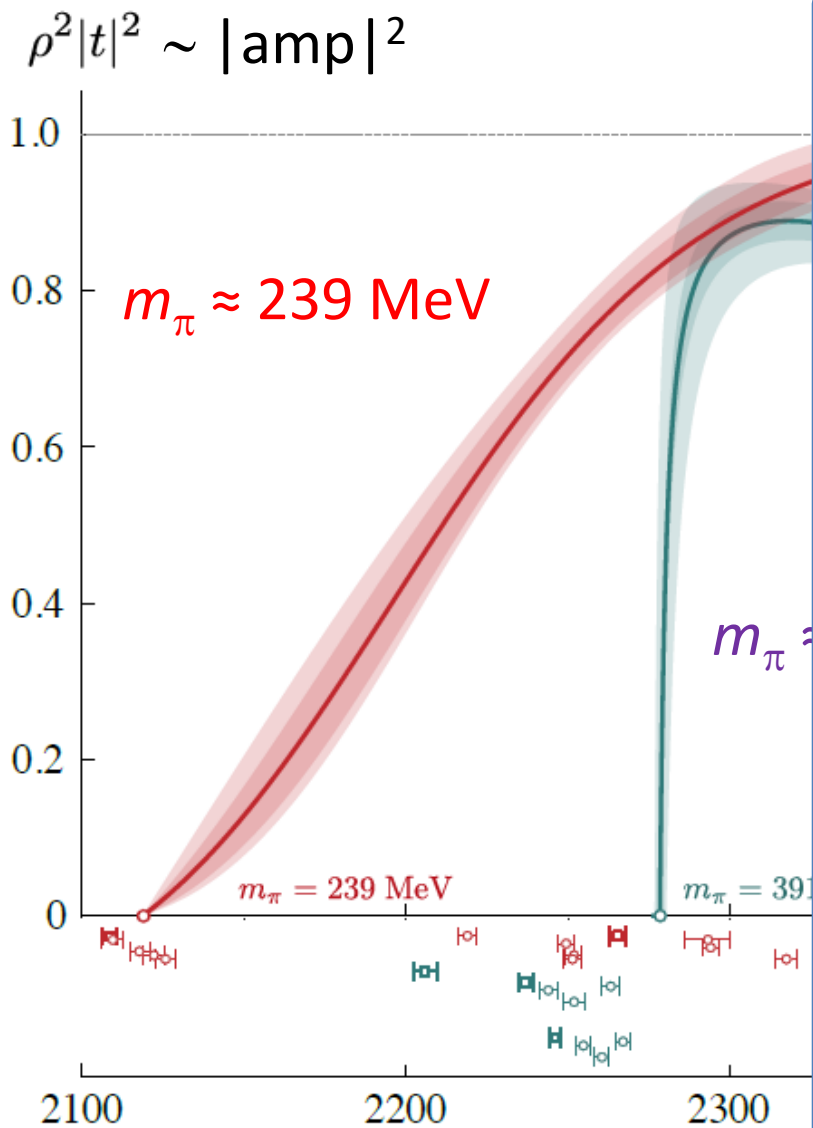
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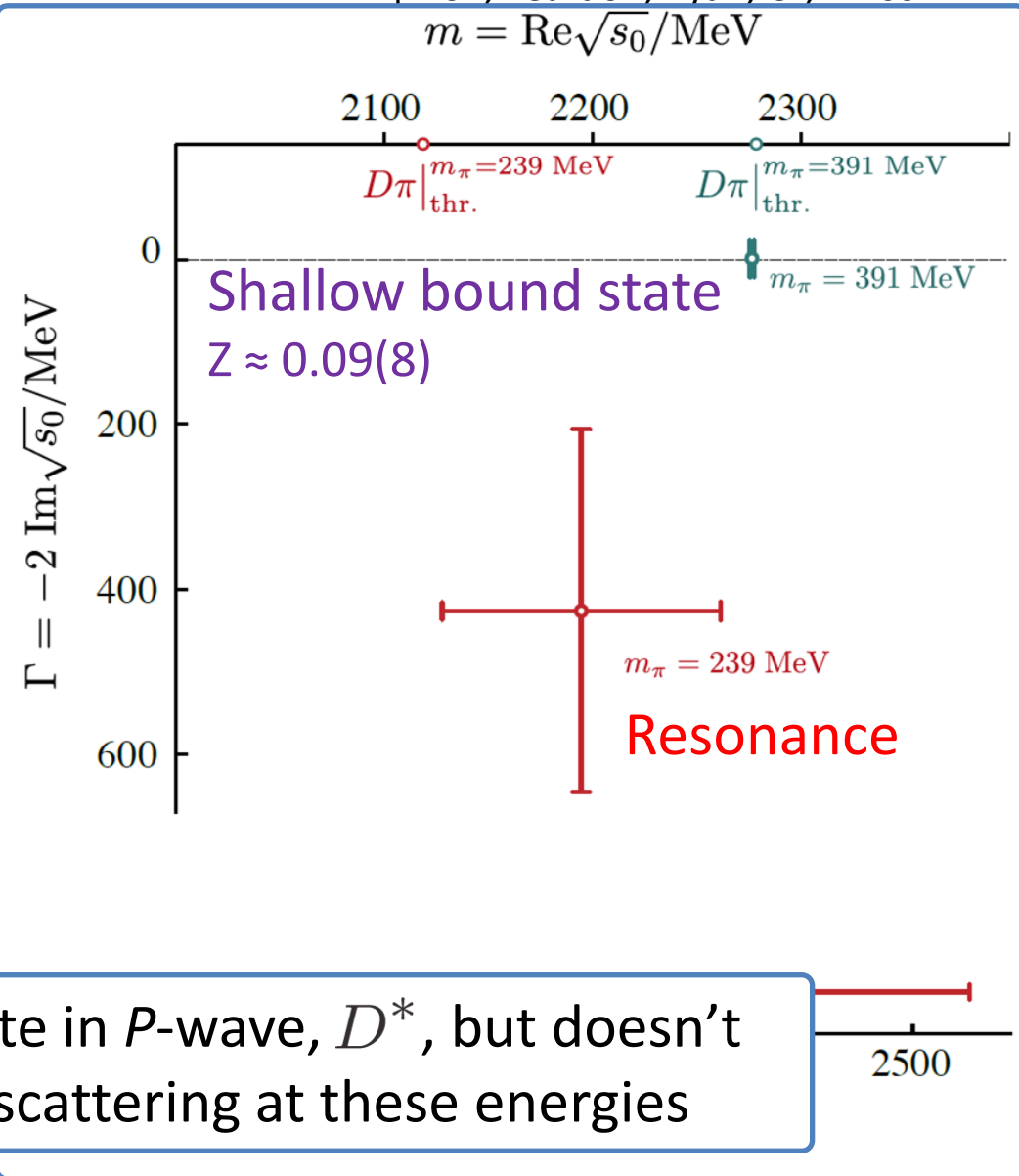
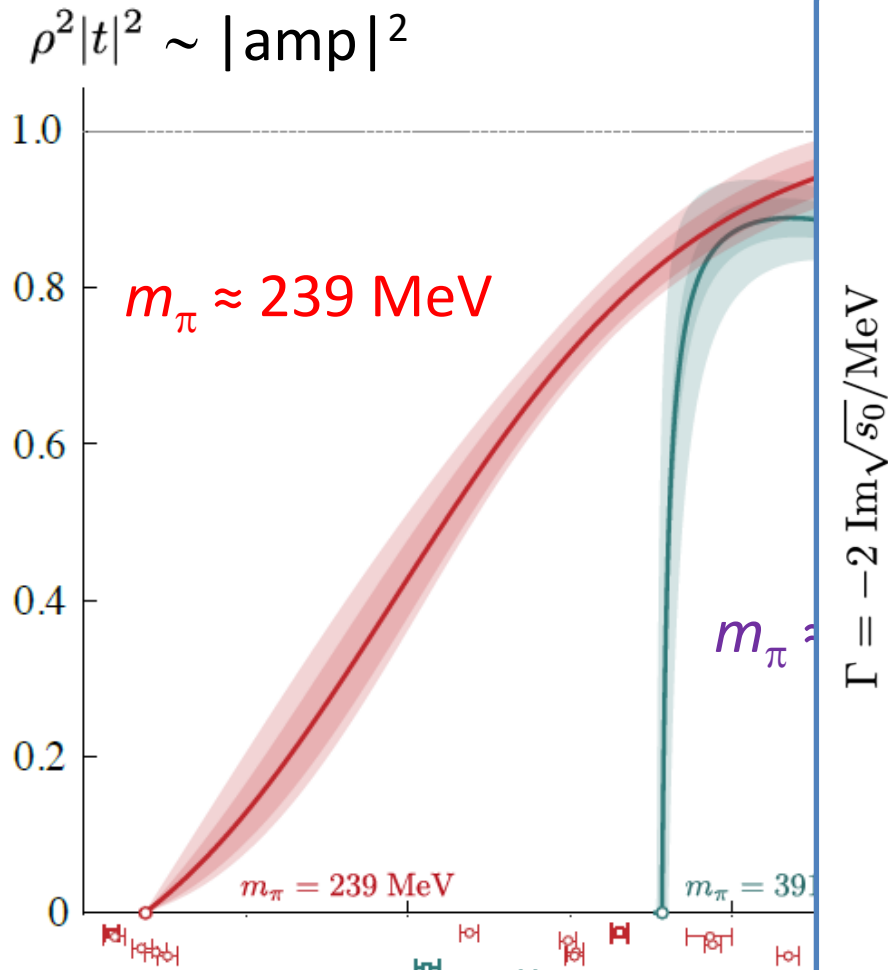


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$$m = \text{Re}\sqrt{s_0}/\text{MeV}$$



Also deeply bound state in P -wave, D^* , but doesn't strongly influence $D\pi$ scattering at these energies

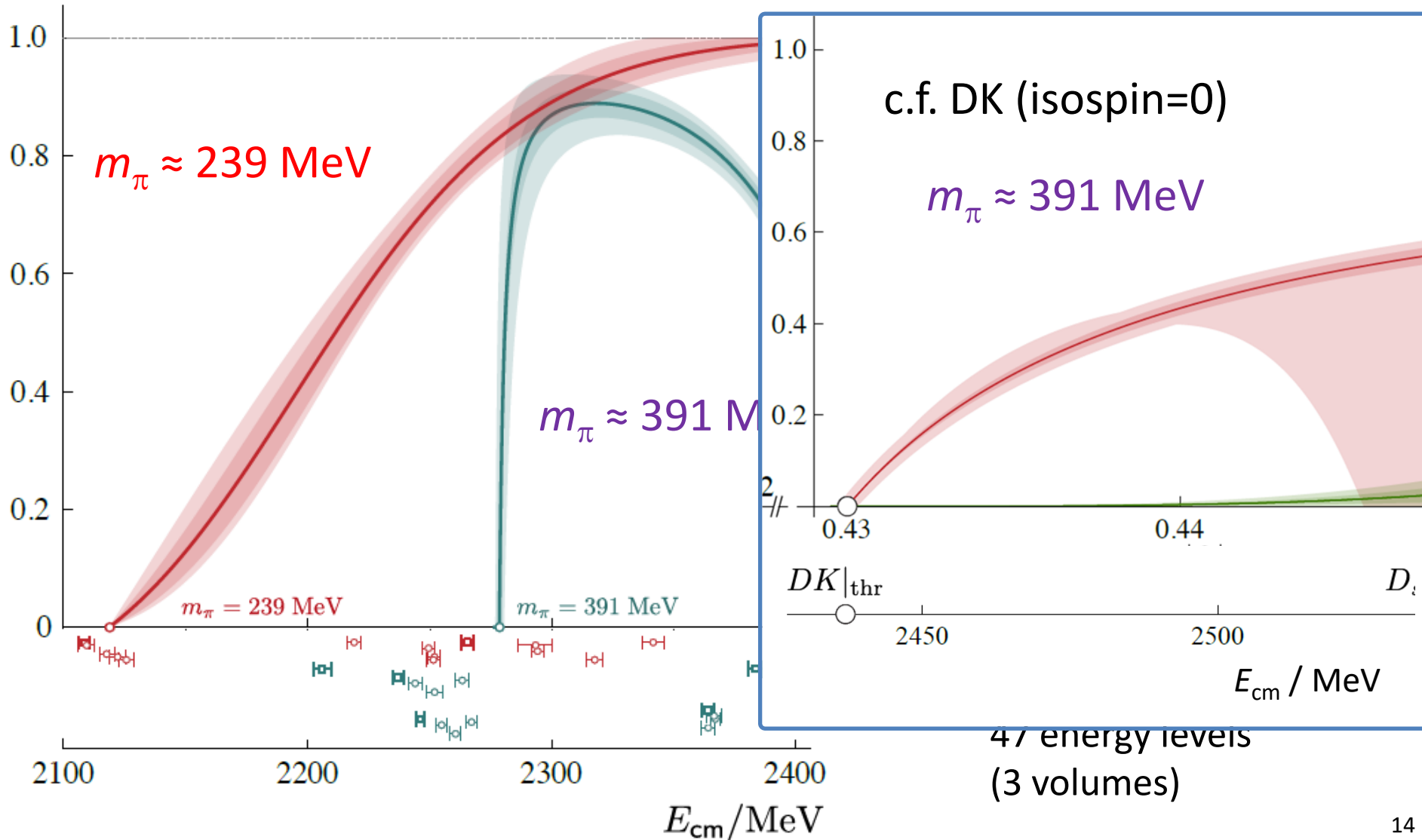
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$D\pi$ (isospin=1/2) – S-wave

[Gayer, Lang, Ryan, Tims, CT, Wilson
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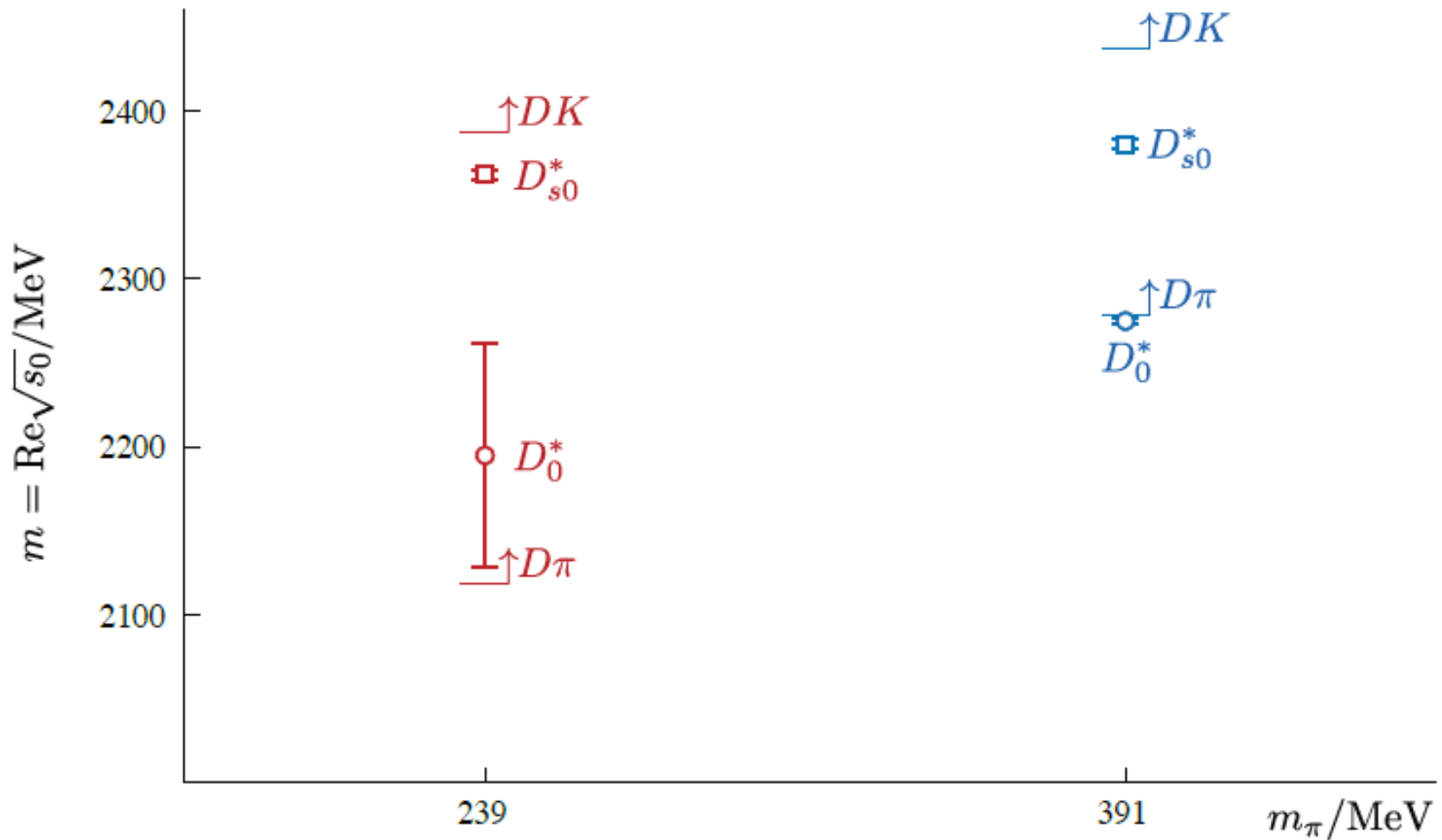
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$$\rho^2 |t|^2 \sim |\text{amp}|^2$$



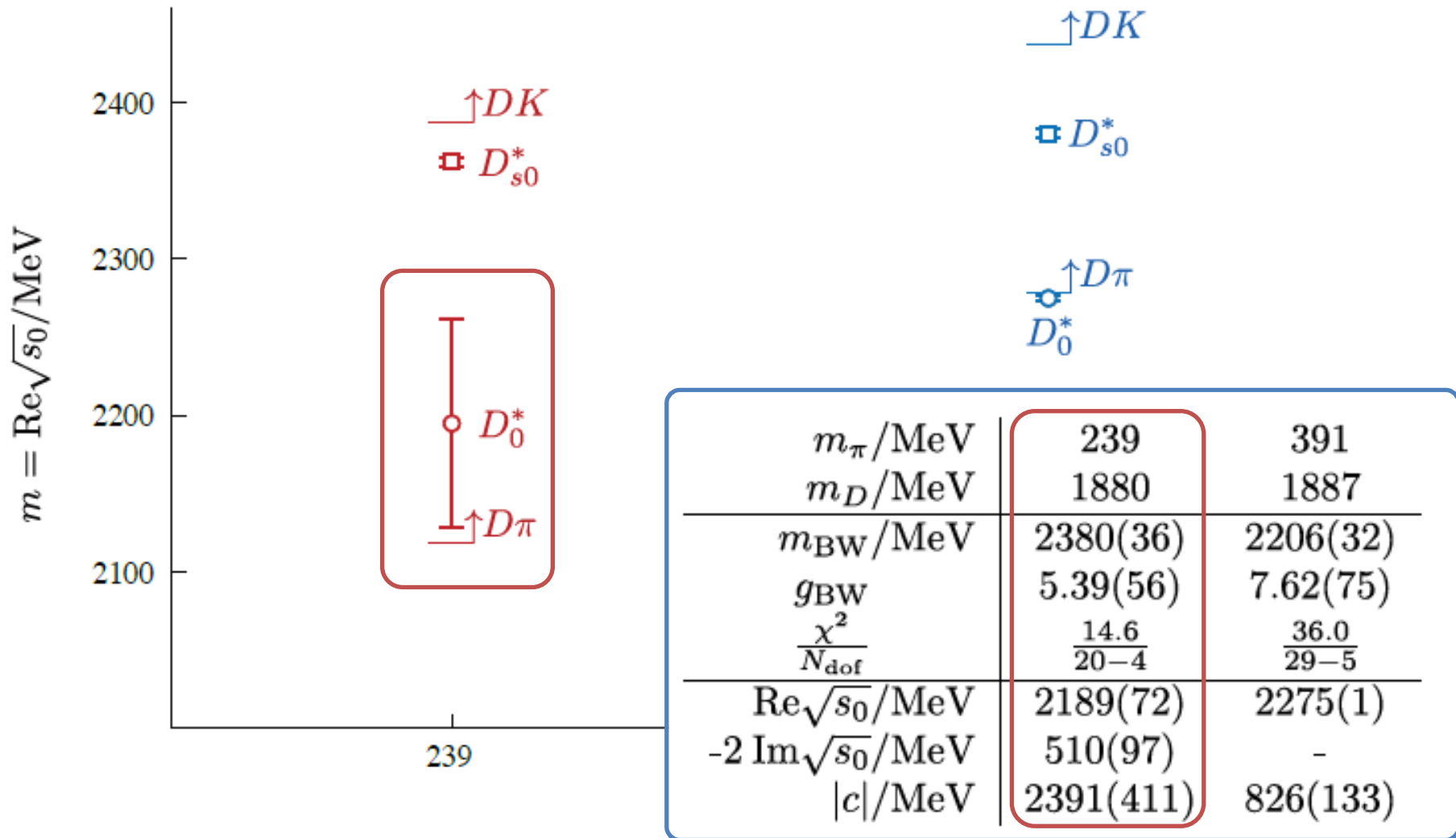
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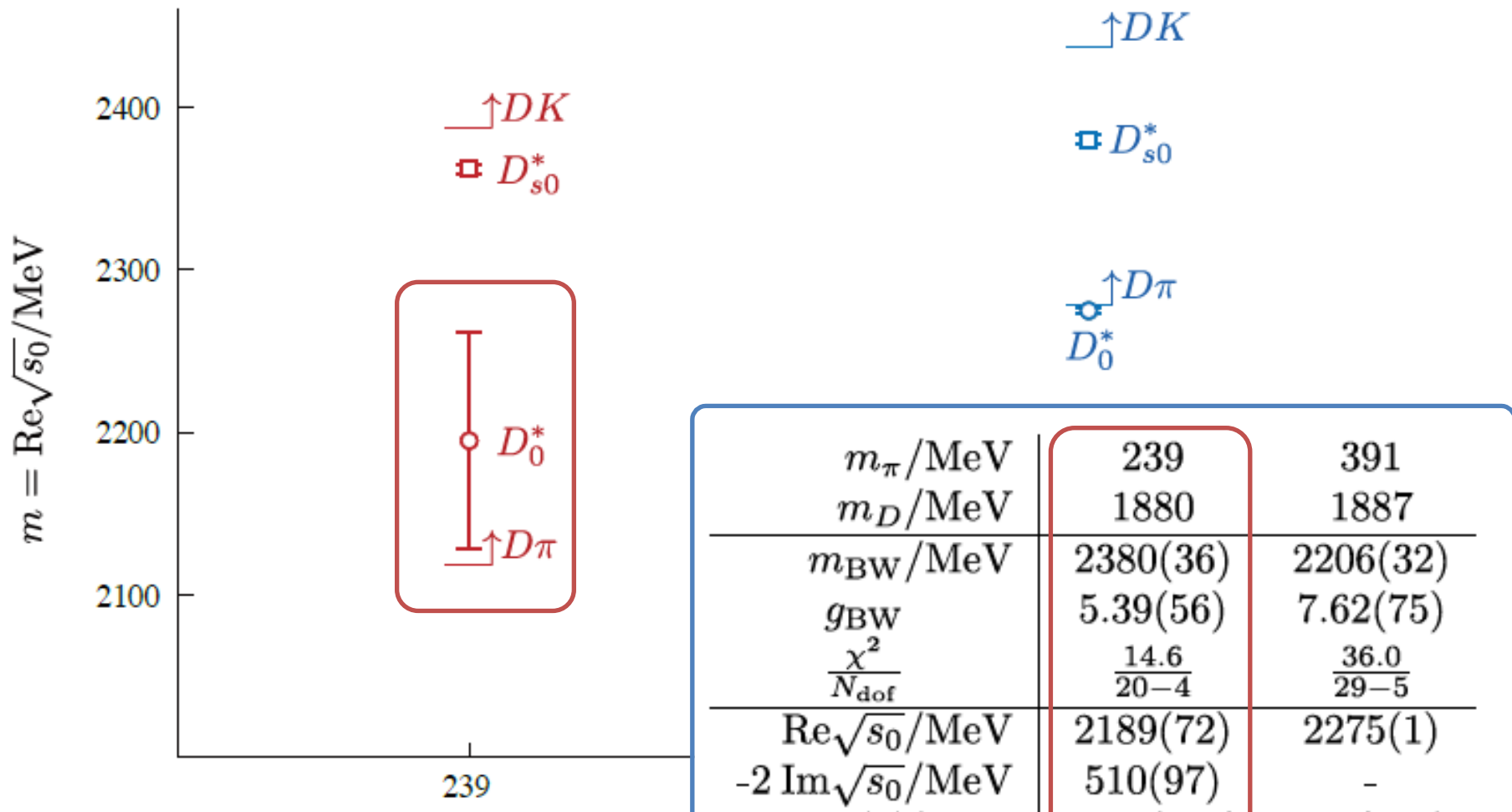
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D_0^* pole position may be lower than currently reported exp. mass.
(See also Du *et al*, PRL 126, 192001 (2021), 2012.04599)

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S-wave results [broken SU(3)] suggest:

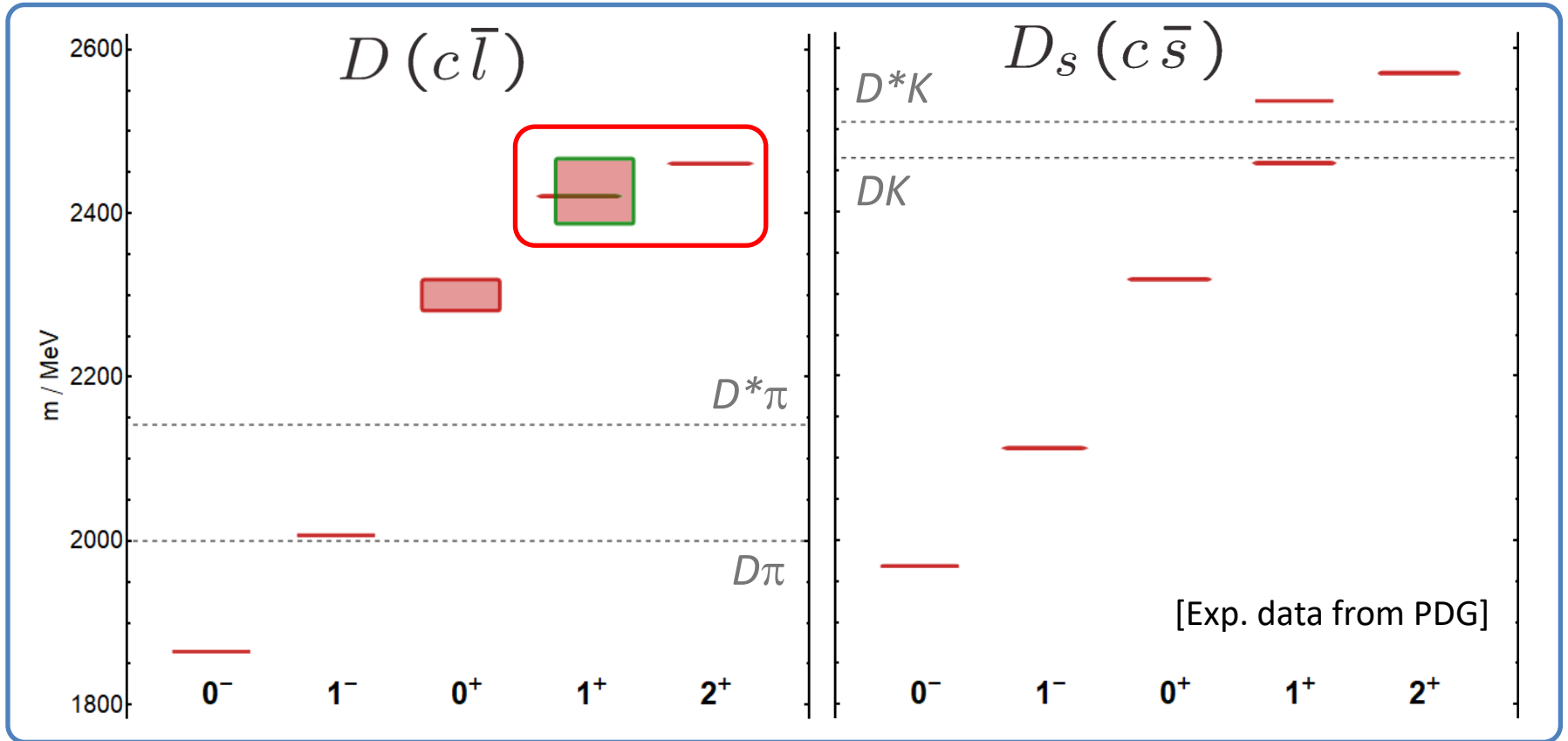
$\bar{\mathbf{3}}$ resonance/bound state

$\mathbf{6}$ virtual bound state

$\bar{\mathbf{15}}$ weak repulsion

[See also PR D87, 014508 (2013) (1208.4535); PL B767, 465 (2017) (1610.06727); PR D98, 094018 (2018) (1712.07957); PR D98 014510 (2018) (1801.10122); EPJ C79, 13 (2019) (1811.05585); arXiv:2106.15391]

Charm (D) and charm-strange (D_s) mesons



Scattering involving non-zero spin hadrons [see also Woss, CT, Dudek, Edwards, Wilson, arXiv:1802.05580 (JHEP)]

$J = \ell \otimes S$ and different partial waves with the same J^P can mix dynamically,

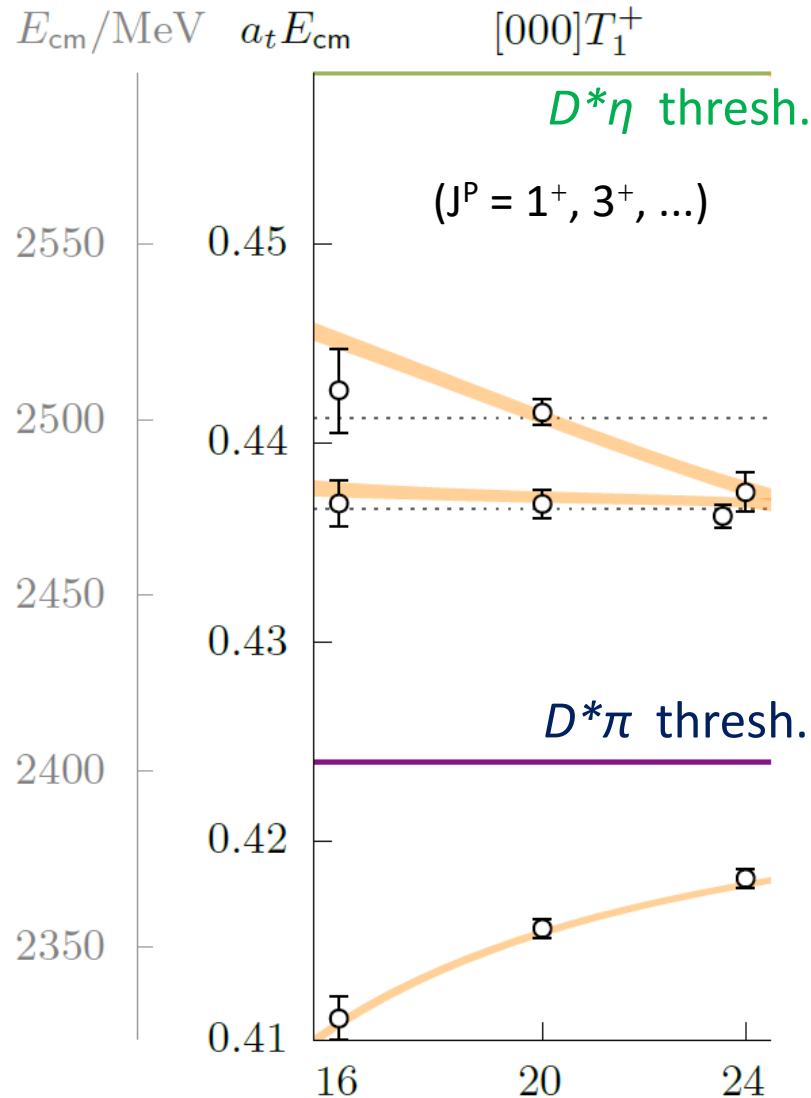
$$\text{e.g. } J^P = 1^+ \ ({}^{2S+1}\ell_J = {}^3S_1, {}^3D_1) \quad \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} t({}^3S_1 | {}^3S_1) & t({}^3S_1 | {}^3D_1) \\ t({}^3S_1 | {}^3D_1) & t({}^3D_1 | {}^3D_1) \end{bmatrix}$$

Finite-volume lattice QCD: reduced sym \rightarrow additional ‘mixing’

$D^* \pi$ (isospin=1/2)

$$m_\pi \approx 391 \text{ MeV}$$

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Use many different fermion-bilinear

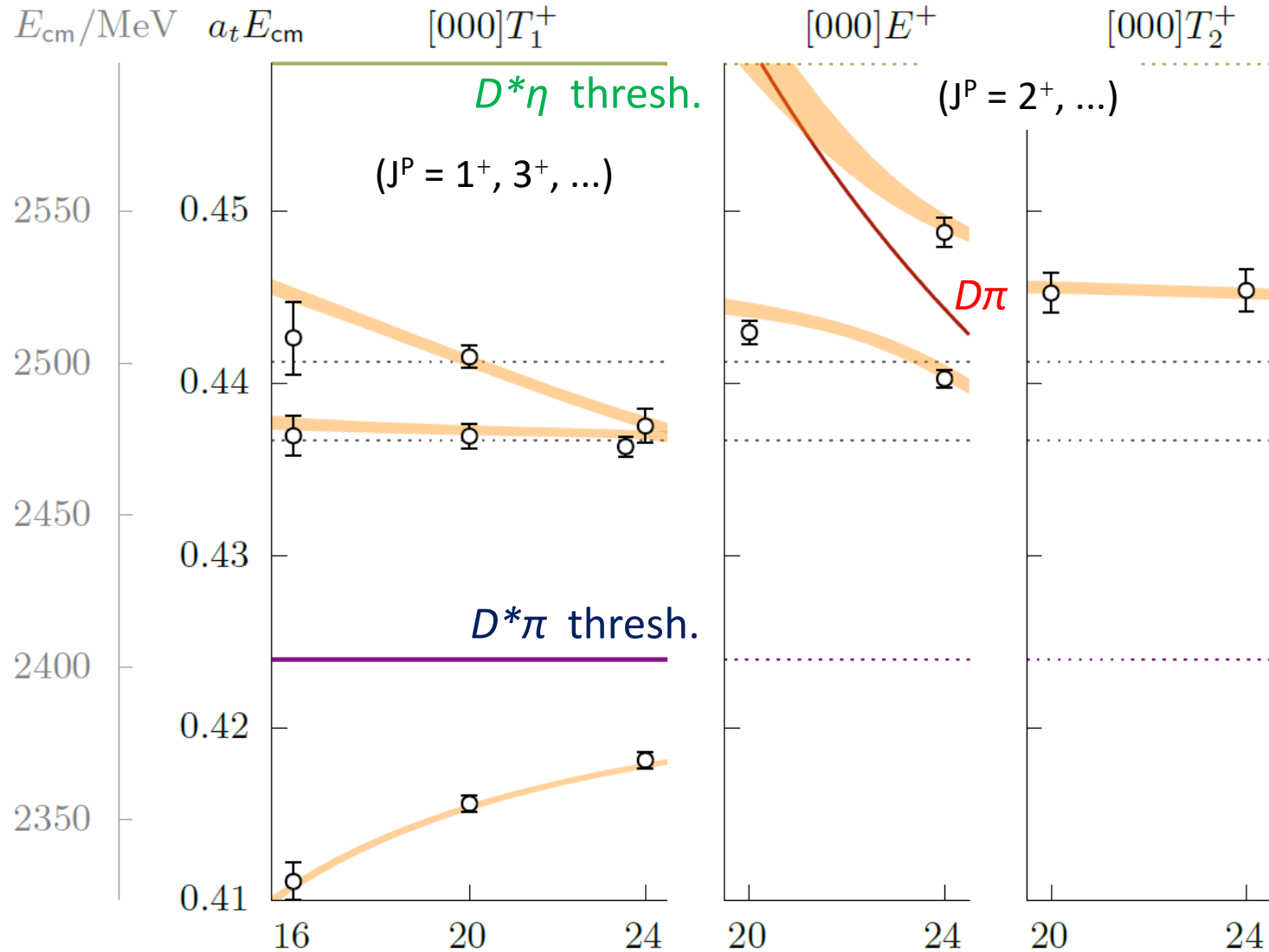
$$\sim \bar{\psi} \Gamma D \dots \psi$$

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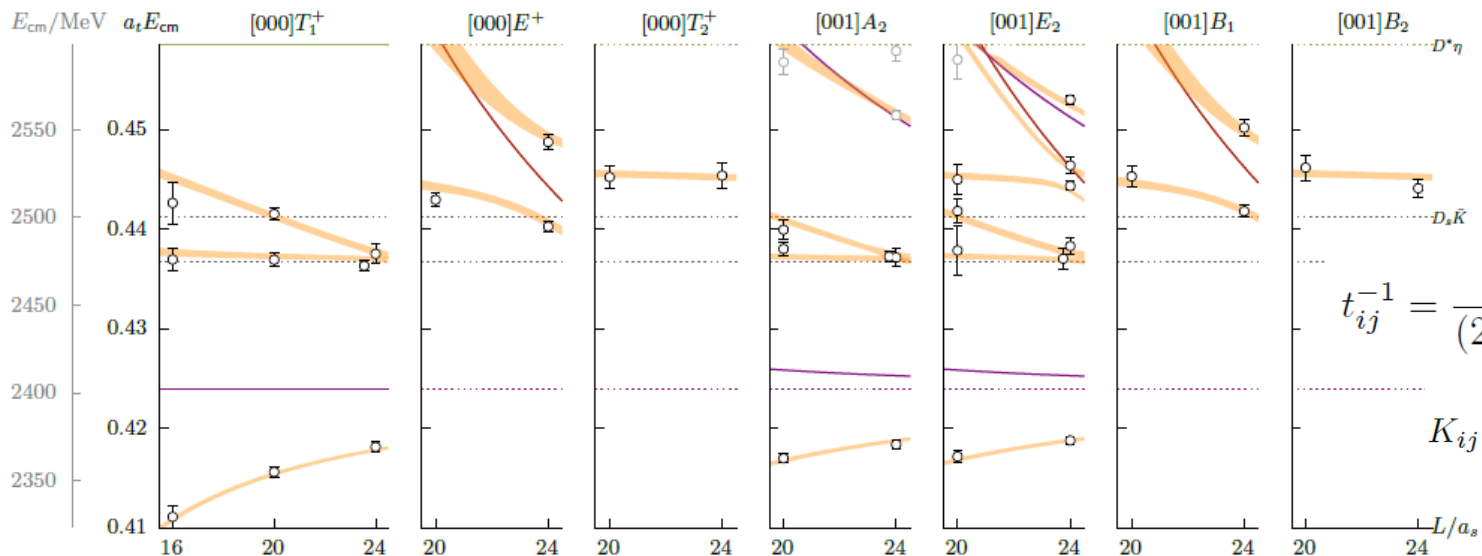
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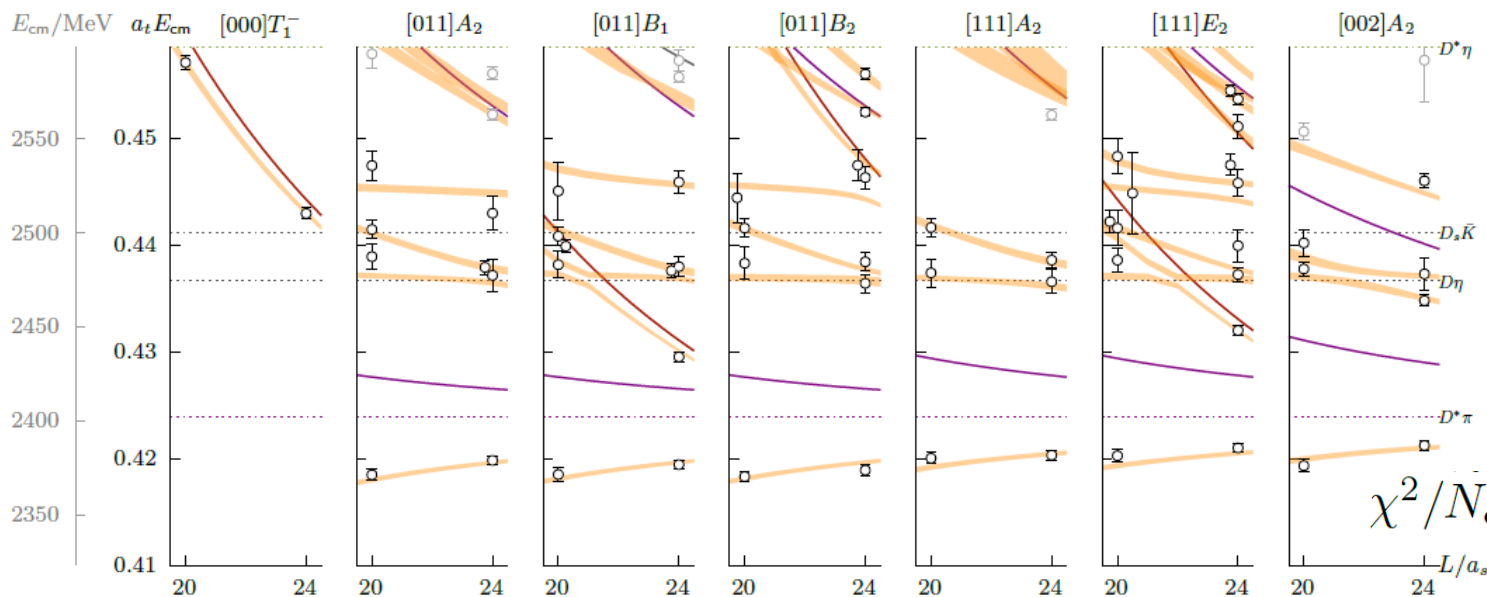
(94 energy levels to constrain $J^P = 1^+, 2^+, 0^-, 1^-, 2^-$)

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$$t_{ij}^{-1} = \frac{1}{(2k_i)^{\ell_i}} K_{ij}^{-1} \frac{1}{(2k_j)^{\ell_j}} + I_{ij}$$

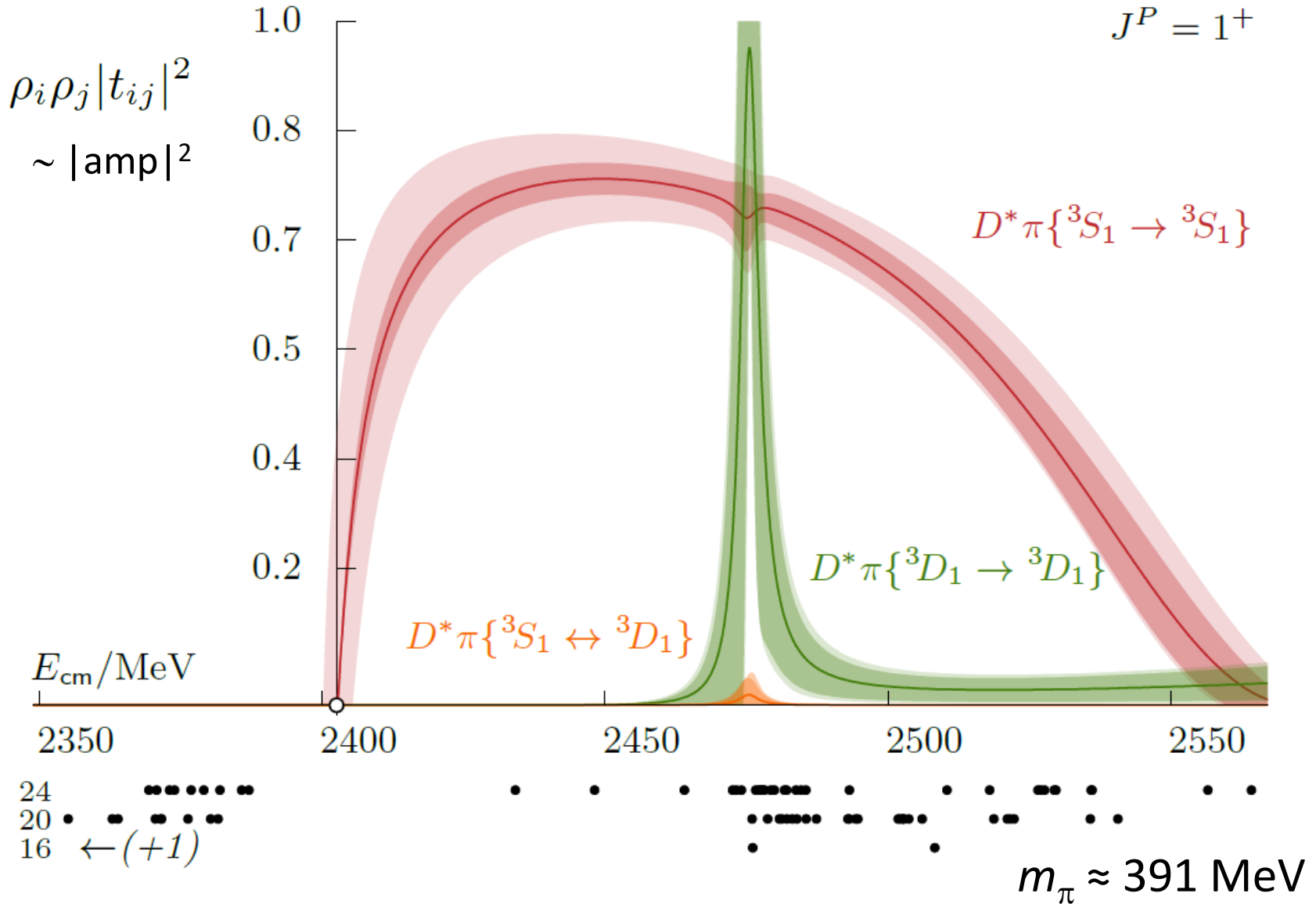
$$K_{ij} = \sum_{p=1}^2 \frac{g_{p,i} g_{p,j}}{m_p^2 - s} + \gamma_{ij}$$



$$\chi^2 / \dot{N}_{\text{dof}} = \frac{95.0}{94-15} = 1.20$$

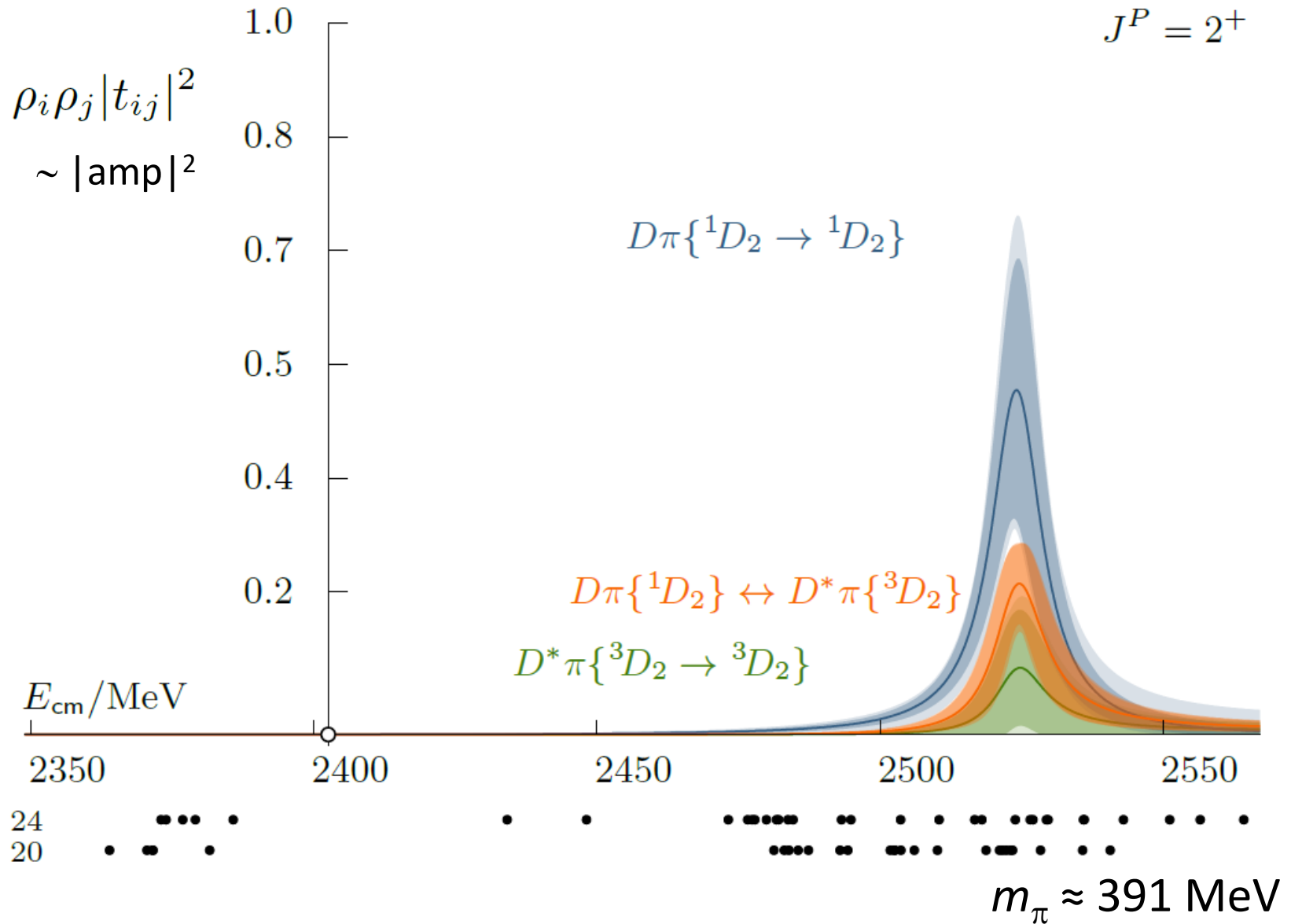
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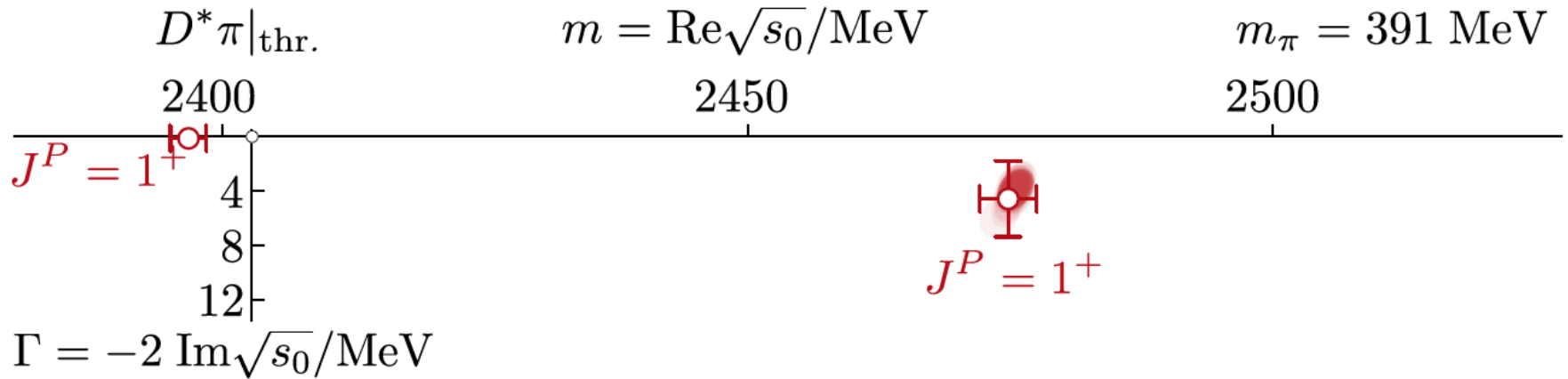
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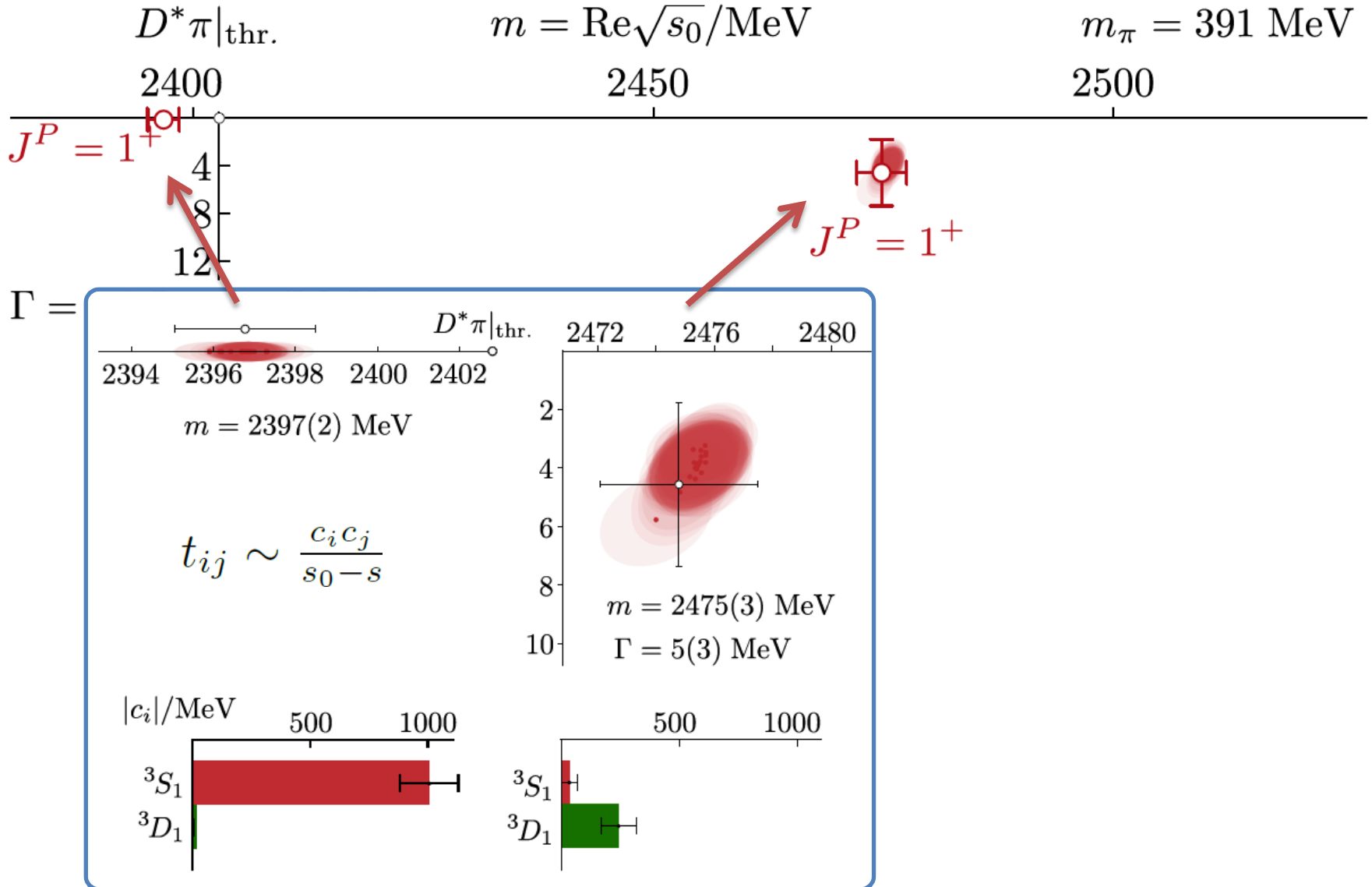
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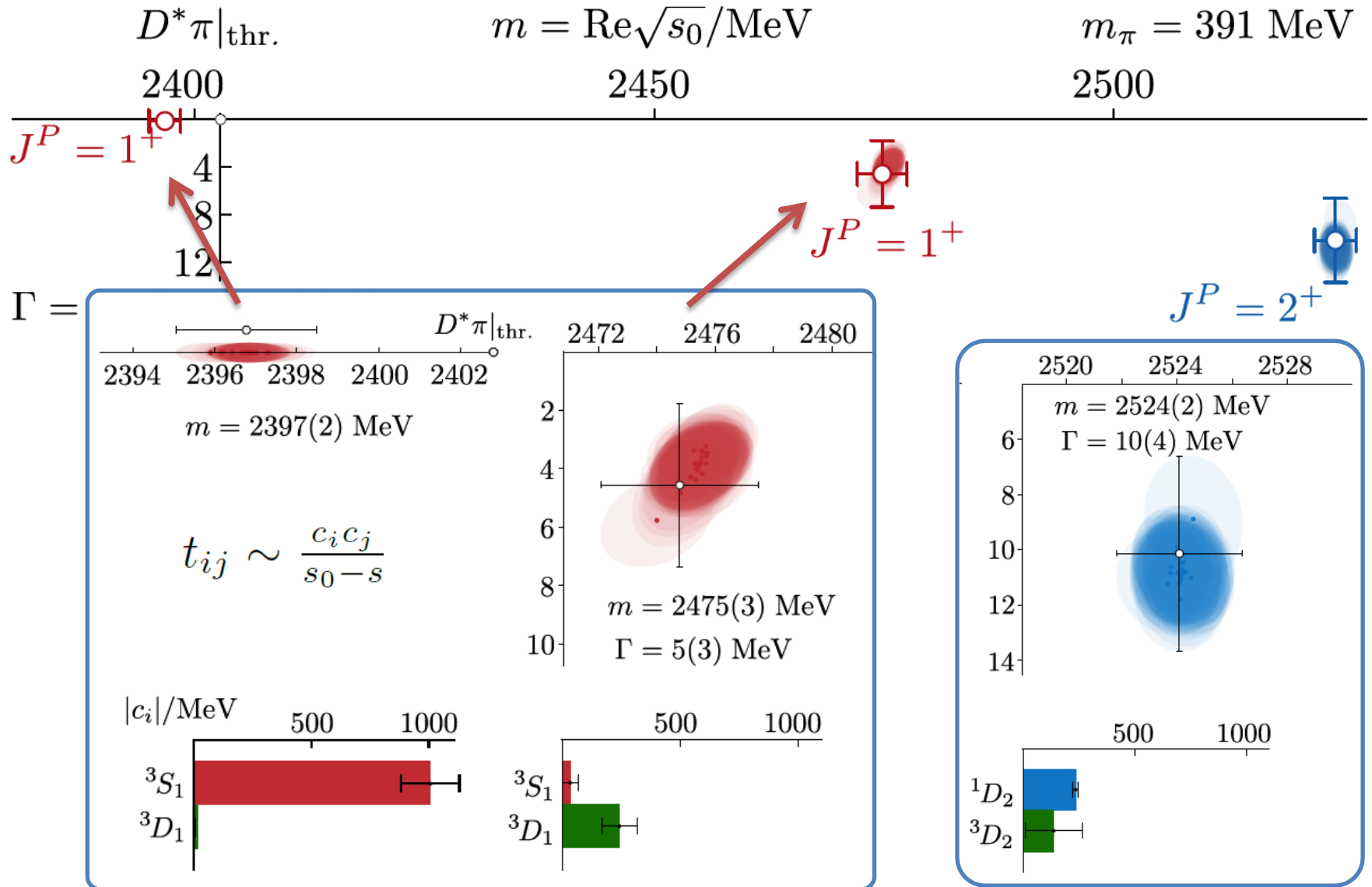
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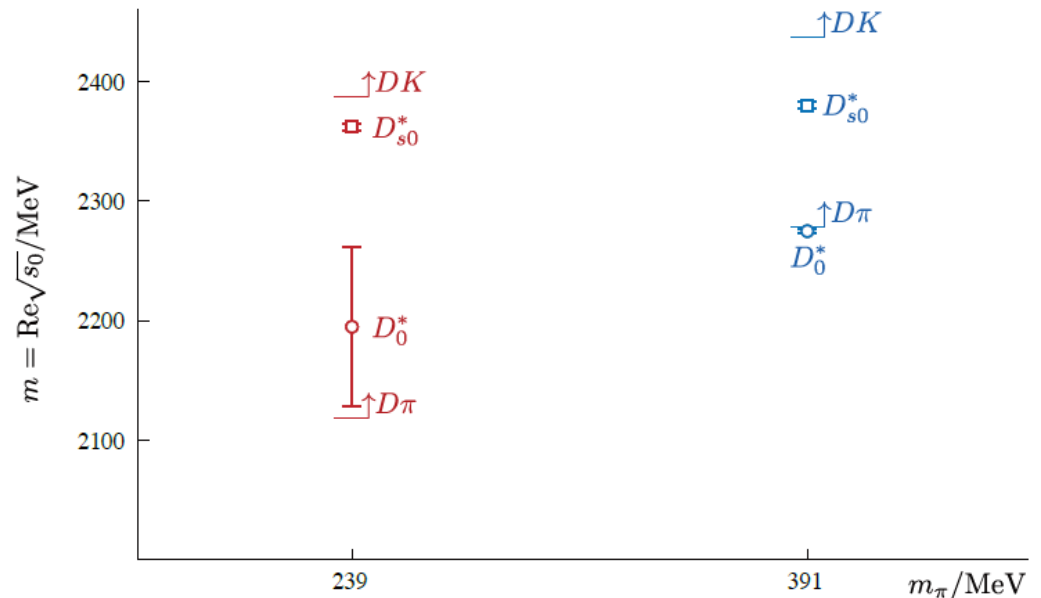
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