

Model Independent Analysis of the $\gamma^*p \rightarrow \Delta$ Transition with Polarized Electron Scattering Data

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The signal for deformation in the $\gamma^* N \rightarrow \Delta$ transition





Spherical \Rightarrow M1 Deformed \Rightarrow M1, E2, C2 Deformation signal $\begin{cases} CMR = Re \left[\frac{S_{1+}^{3/2}}{M_{1+}^{3/2}} \right] \\ EMR = Re \left[\frac{E_{1+}^{3/2}}{M_{1+}^{3/2}} \right] \end{cases}$

Out of Plane Spectroscopy



$$R_T + \epsilon_L R_L = \frac{\sigma_0 + \sigma_{\pi/2} + \sigma_\pi + \sigma_{3\pi/2}}{4K}$$

$$\sigma = \mathcal{J}_{\Omega} \Gamma_{v} \frac{p_{\rm cm}}{k_{\rm cm}} \left(R_{T} + \epsilon_{L} R_{L} + \epsilon R_{TT} \cos 2\phi_{X\gamma} \right)$$

$$- v_{LT}R_{LT}\cos\phi_{X\gamma} - h v'_{LT}R'_{LT}\sin\phi_{X\gamma})$$

$$R_{TT} = \frac{\sigma_0 - \sigma_{\pi/2} + \sigma_\pi - \sigma_{3\pi/2}}{4K\epsilon}$$
$$R_{LT} = \frac{\sigma_\pi - \sigma_0}{2Kv_{LT}}$$

$$R'_{LT} = \frac{\sigma_{3\pi/2} - \sigma_{\pi/2}}{2Khv'_{LT}}$$

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$$R_T + \epsilon_L R_L = \frac{\sigma_{\pi/4} + \sigma_{5\pi/4}}{2K}$$
$$R_{LT} = \frac{\sigma_{3\pi/4} - \sigma_{\pi/4}}{\sqrt{2}Kv_{LT}}$$
$$R'_{LT} = \frac{\sigma_{5\pi/4} - \sigma_{3\pi/4}}{\sqrt{2}Khv'_{LT}}$$

OOPS Spectrometer MIT-Bates Linear Accelerator



A1 Spectrometer MAMI – Mainz, Germany



Proposed and designed by C.N. Papanicolas

alignment precision: 1 mm, 1 mrad

H(e,e'p) π^0 Measurements at the $\Delta(1232)$ Resonance



N.F. Sparveris et al. PRL 94 (2005) 022003

H(e,e'p) π^0 Measurements at the $\Delta(1232)$ Resonance

A1 Collaboration, $Q^2=0.200 (GeV/c)^2$



Model Errors

- Extracted amplitudes and their ratios (EMR, CMR) are characterized by statistical, systematic and model error.
- Model error often dominates.
- So far we have only guestimates, at best!

A Model Independent Analysis Scheme AMIAS

Based on statistical concepts and Monte Carlo techniques

- E. Stiliaris and C.N. Papanicolas: "Multipole Extraction: A Novel, Model Independent Method", AIP Vol. **904** (2007) 257-268.
- C.N. Papanicolas and E. Stiliaris: "A Novel Method of Data Analysis for Hadronic Physics", http://arxiv.org/abs/1205.6505v1, submitted for publication.

Multipole Expansion

$$F_{1} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left| \left[1M_{1} + (W) + E_{1} + (W) \right] P_{1+1}'(z) + \left[(1+1) M_{1-}(W) + E_{1-}(W) \right] P_{1-1}'(z) \right|$$

$$F_{2} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[(1+1) M_{1} + (W) + 1M_{1-}(W) \right] P_{1}'(z),$$

$$F_{3} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\left[(E_{1} + (W) - M_{1} + (W) \right] P_{1+1}'(z) + \left[E_{1-}(W) + M_{1-}(W) \right] P_{1-1}'(z) \right],$$

$$F_{4} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[M_{1} + (W) - E_{1+}(W) - M_{1-}(W) - E_{1-}(W) \right] P_{1}''(z),$$

$$F_{5} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[(1+1) L_{1} + (W) P_{1+1}'(z) - 1L_{1-}(W) P_{1-1}'(z) \right]$$

$$F_{6} (W, z) \approx \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[1 L_{1-}(W) - (1+1) L_{1} + (W) \right] P_{1}'(z).$$

Chew-Goldberger-Low-Nambu (CGLN) Amplitudes

E. Amaldi, S. Fubini and G. Furlan: *Pion-Electroproduction* (1979) Springer Verlag

$E_{L}+, E_{L}-, M_{L}+, M_{L}-, L_{L}+, L_{L} 0 \le L \le Lcut$



F1, F2, F3, F4, F5, F6 (CGLN)



Response Functions: R_T , R_L , R_{TT} , R_{LT} , ...







AMIAS: Sensitivity Analysis



Bates-Mainz Data ($Q^2=0.127$ (GeV/c)², W=1232 MeV)

Extracted Values

Multipole	Extracted Value	Relative Error	MAID-2003	Sato & Lee	DMT
M_{1+}	27.24 ± 0.20	0.73 %	27.464	27.661	27.489
L_{1+}	$0.82 \substack{+0.20 \\ -0.09}$	17.7 %	1.000	0.672	0.986
L_{0+}	2.23 ± 0.41	18.4 %	2.345	1.008	1.994
E_{0+}	3.44 ± 0.70	20.3 %	2.873	2.213	3.206
E_{1+}	$1.16 \substack{+0.32 \\ -0.24}$	24.1 %	1.294	1.288	1.401

Probability Distributions



Correlations



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AMIAS and Lattice QCD

AMIAS has been successfully tested in the determination of hadron excited states in Lattice QCD applied to the nucleon.



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A novel fitting scheme – Nucleon excited states PoS (Lattice 2008) 099

Future Plans: Model Independent Analysis of JLab Data

PHYSICAL REVIEW C 75, 025201 (2007)

Recoil polarization measurements for neutral pion electroproduction at $Q^2 = 1 (\text{GeV}/c)^2$ near the Δ resonance





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