# Brief comparison between ongoing dynamical coupledchannels analyses for N\* extraction

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# The issue: Facts

- Baryons have structure
- For already a **long time** we have been bombarding nucleons in an effort to understand what is going on inside
- **The overall picture is agreed**, since ~ 2 decades and with hand waving, i.e. quark model, arguments
- Precision (systematic) learning is tough



# The issue: brief theory facts

- QCD does not provide quantitative predictions of how baryon structure actually is. **Meson production calculations still far ahead**. Computationally very challenging.
- Quantitative predictions from quark models are not seen in experiments. Moreover most QM do not bear the "theory" blessings: Lorentz covariance, gauge invariance, chiral symmetry, unitarity, ...
- Chiral Unitary approaches are used extensively to correlate pieces of data. Elegant, but not directly useful to learn about N\* from the data measured in the labs.



Exciting the substructure we can **learn about the forces which keep the quarks together**, e.g. using the **quark model picture** some of the predicted states are:





# The $\Delta$ (1232) and others



• The region

FIG. 1. Total cross sections of negative pions in hydrogen (sides of the rectangle represent the error) and positive pions in hydrogen (arms of the cross represent the error). The cross-hatched rectangle is the Columbia result. The black square is the Brookhaven result and does not include the charge exchange contribution.



# Some questions on N\*s



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# The data

The N can be probed at W<2 GeV:

•  $\pi N$ ,  $\pi \pi N$ ,  $\eta N$ , production:

(OLD) Hadronic production:  $\pi N \rightarrow$ 

(RECENT) Photoproduction:  $\gamma N \rightarrow$ 

(RECENT) Electroproduction:  $\gamma^*N \rightarrow$ 



# **Electroproduction of mesons**



Main theorertical elements:

- 1. Strong-strong interactions
- 2. Hadronic structure of Resonances
- 3. Electromagnetic structure of Resonances



# **Schematic view**



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# Desirable theoretical properties for reaction models



1. Unitarity contraint built in



# Multi step (unitarity)



→Unitarity: Coupled-channels, correlates large amounts of data, e.g. strong and electromagnetic production

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- 1. Unitarity and analyticity
- 2. Gauge invariance (when dealing with electromagnetic forces)
  - Only fully respected in simplified models (up to now), important efforts by Juelich/Georgia



- 1. Unitarity and analyticity
- 2. Gauge invariance (when dealing with electromagnetic forces)
- 3. Covariance

### 3. Covariant three-dimensional reduction

The present formalism is a fully covariant approach. To calculate any reaction amplitude in a full four-dimensional framework is a daunting numerical task. Therefore, in the present work, we approximate the full meson-baryon two-body propagator  $G_0$  by the Kadyshevsky propagator [82], as speci-

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  - Electromagnetic
  - Strong interactions



# **Basic properties** | Consistency



e.g: γ**p →**ηN

## Key points:

- Couplings of mesons to baryons
- Electromagnetic vertices



- Coupling of resonances to MB
- Electromagnetic structure of resonances



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  - Electromagnetic
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- 5. Simultaneous **description** of:
  - Hadroproduction observables  $(\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N, KY, \pi \pi N, ...)$
  - Electroproduction observables ( $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ ,  $\eta N$ , KY,  $\omega N$ ,  $\pi \pi N$ , ...)



# Sample DCC

Non-resonant + resonant



Dressed resonant vertex

Resonance self energies

Non-resonant amplitude (resummation)



# Sample DCC (EBAC)

✓ Partial wave amplitude of  $a \rightarrow b$  reaction:

$$T_{a,b}(p_a, p_b; E) = V_{a,b}(p_a, p_b; E) + \sum_c \int_0^\infty q^2 dq V_{a,c}(p_a, q; E) \, G_c(q; E) \, T_{c,b}(q, p_b; E)$$

 R (iii) Another class of approaches used to analyze pionand photon-induced reactions are K-matrix models. Dynamical coupled-channels approaches require a price for what is delivered: one has to solve coupled integral equations. The technical effort can be reduced by approxi-Huang, Doring, Haberzettl, Haidenbauer, Hanhart, Krewald, Meißner, Nakayama PRC (2012)

> 2-body v potential (no ππN cut)

2-body Z potential (with ππN cut)



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A. Matsuyama, T. Sato, T.-S.H. Lee, Phys. Rep. 2007

# **Concluding remarks**

### **EBAC**

- First group to aim at a(n ambitious) global dynamical coupled-channels analysis of strong and electromagnetic production of mesons in the N\* region
- ✓ Further details, see Sato's talk.

### Juelich model

- Solid strong interaction model
- Important recent effort set in preserving covariance, gauge invariance and on the analytic extension of the amplitudes
- **Recent** step forward: photoproduction

### **Other models**

- Avoid solving the integral equations
- ✓ Do not aim at describing strong and electromagnetic together



# **Concluding remarks**

In addition to the statistical errors, there are systematic uncertainties inherent in all phenomenological effective Lagrangian approaches that stem from the implementation (or violation) of Lorentz covariance, unitarity, analyticity, and (for photoprocesses) gauge invariance, from the truncation of reaction channels and from how many intermediate resonances are taken into account. For the present approach, we expect

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### **But what about N\*?**

- ...what have they learned about N\* from describing photo and electroproduction data? Any static property has been refined thanks to this data with DCC models?
- ✓ Can these models build their "PDG" with no other input than the real data?

