

LIGHT UNFLAVORED MESONS ($S = C = B = 0$)

For $I = 1$ (π , b , ρ , a): $u\bar{d}$, $(u\bar{u} - d\bar{d})/\sqrt{2}$, $d\bar{u}$;
for $I = 0$ (η , η' , h , h' , ω , ϕ , f , f'): $c_1(u\bar{u} + d\bar{d}) + c_2(s\bar{s})$

π^\pm

$I^G(J^P) = 1^-(0^-)$

Mass $m = 139.57039 \pm 0.00018$ MeV ($S = 1.8$)

Mean life $\tau = (2.6033 \pm 0.0005) \times 10^{-8}$ s ($S = 1.2$)

$c\tau = 7.8045$ m

$\pi^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm \nu \gamma$ form factors ^[a]

$F_V = 0.0254 \pm 0.0017$

$F_A = 0.0119 \pm 0.0001$

F_V slope parameter $a = 0.10 \pm 0.06$

$R = 0.059^{+0.009}_{-0.008}$

π^- modes are charge conjugates of the modes below.

For decay limits to particles which are not established, see the section on Searches for Axions and Other Very Light Bosons.

π^+ DECAY MODES		Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\mu^+ \nu_\mu$	[b]	$(99.98770 \pm 0.00004)\%$		30
$\mu^+ \nu_\mu \gamma$	[c]	$(2.00 \pm 0.25) \times 10^{-4}$		30
$e^+ \nu_e$	[b]	$(1.230 \pm 0.004) \times 10^{-4}$		70
$e^+ \nu_e \gamma$	[c]	$(7.39 \pm 0.05) \times 10^{-7}$		70
$e^+ \nu_e \pi^0$		$(1.036 \pm 0.006) \times 10^{-8}$		4
$e^+ \nu_e e^+ e^-$		$(3.2 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-9}$		70
$\mu^+ \nu_\mu \nu \bar{\nu}$	< 9		$\times 10^{-6}$ 90%	30
$e^+ \nu_e \nu \bar{\nu}$	< 1.6		$\times 10^{-7}$ 90%	70
Lepton Family number (LF) or Lepton number (L) violating modes				
$\mu^+ \bar{\nu}_e$	L	[d] < 1.5	$\times 10^{-3}$ 90%	30
$\mu^+ \nu_e$	LF	[d] < 8.0	$\times 10^{-3}$ 90%	30
$\mu^- e^+ e^+ \nu$	LF	< 1.6	$\times 10^{-6}$ 90%	30

π^0

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 134.9768 \pm 0.0005$ MeV ($S = 1.1$)

$$m_{\pi^\pm} - m_{\pi^0} = 4.5936 \pm 0.0005 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\text{Mean life } \tau = (8.43 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-17} \text{ s } (S = 1.2)$$

$$c\tau = 25.3 \text{ nm}$$

For decay limits to particles which are not established, see the appropriate Search sections (A^0 (axion) and Other Light Boson (X^0) Searches, etc.).

π^0 DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
2γ	$(98.823 \pm 0.034) \%$	S=1.5	67
$e^+ e^- \gamma$	$(1.174 \pm 0.035) \%$	S=1.5	67
γ positronium	$(1.82 \pm 0.29) \times 10^{-9}$		67
$e^+ e^+ e^- e^-$	$(3.34 \pm 0.16) \times 10^{-5}$		67
$e^+ e^-$	$(6.46 \pm 0.33) \times 10^{-8}$		67
4γ	$< 2 \times 10^{-8}$	CL=90%	67
invisible	$< 4.4 \times 10^{-9}$	CL=90%	—
$\nu_e \bar{\nu}_e$	$< 1.7 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	67
$\nu_\mu \bar{\nu}_\mu$	$< 1.6 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	67
$\nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\tau$	$< 2.1 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	67
$\gamma \nu \bar{\nu}$	$< 1.9 \times 10^{-7}$	CL=90%	67
Charge conjugation (C) or Lepton Family number (LF) violating modes			
3γ	$C < 3.1 \times 10^{-8}$	CL=90%	67
$\mu^+ e^-$	$LF < 3.8 \times 10^{-10}$	CL=90%	26
$\mu^- e^+$	$LF < 3.2 \times 10^{-10}$	CL=90%	26
$\mu^+ e^- + \mu^- e^+$	$LF < 3.6 \times 10^{-10}$	CL=90%	26

η

$$I^G(J^P C) = 0^+(0^- +)$$

Mass $m = 547.862 \pm 0.017$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 1.31 \pm 0.05$ keV

C-nonconserving decay parameters

$$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \text{ left-right asymmetry} = (0.09^{+0.11}_{-0.12}) \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \text{ sextant asymmetry} = (0.12^{+0.10}_{-0.11}) \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \text{ quadrant asymmetry} = (-0.09 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\pi^+ \pi^- \gamma \text{ left-right asymmetry} = (0.9 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-2}$$

$$\pi^+ \pi^- \gamma \beta \text{ (D-wave)} = -0.02 \pm 0.07 \quad (S = 1.3)$$

CP-nonconserving decay parameters

$$\pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^- \text{ decay-plane asymmetry } A_\phi = (-0.6 \pm 3.1) \times 10^{-2}$$

Other decay parameters

$$\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0 \text{ Dalitz plot } \alpha = -0.0288 \pm 0.0012 \quad (S = 1.1)$$

$$\text{Parameter } \Lambda \text{ in } \eta \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \gamma \text{ decay} = 0.716 \pm 0.011 \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

η DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
Neutral modes			
neutral modes	$(71.96 \pm 0.30) \%$	S=1.3	—
2γ	$(39.36 \pm 0.18) \%$	S=1.1	274
$3\pi^0$	$(32.57 \pm 0.21) \%$	S=1.2	179
$\pi^0 2\gamma$	$(2.55 \pm 0.22) \times 10^{-4}$		257
$2\pi^0 2\gamma$	$< 1.2 \times 10^{-3}$	CL=90%	238
4γ	$< 2.8 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	274
invisible	$< 1.0 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	—
Charged modes			
charged modes	$(28.04 \pm 0.30) \%$	S=1.3	—
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$(23.02 \pm 0.25) \%$	S=1.2	174
$\pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$	$(4.28 \pm 0.07) \%$	S=1.1	236
$e^+ e^- \gamma$	$(6.9 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-3}$	S=1.2	274
$\mu^+ \mu^- \gamma$	$(3.1 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-4}$		253
$e^+ e^-$	$< 7 \times 10^{-7}$	CL=90%	274
$\mu^+ \mu^-$	$(5.8 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-6}$		253
$2e^+ 2e^-$	$(2.40 \pm 0.22) \times 10^{-5}$		274
$\pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^- (\gamma)$	$(2.68 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-4}$		235
$e^+ e^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	$< 1.6 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	253
$2\mu^+ 2\mu^-$	$< 3.6 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	161
$\mu^+ \mu^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$< 3.6 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	113
$\pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}_e + \text{c.c.}$	$< 1.7 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	256
$\pi^+ \pi^- 2\gamma$	$< 2.1 \times 10^{-3}$		236
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \gamma$	$< 6 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	174
$\pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^- \gamma$	$< 3 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	210
Charge conjugation (C), Parity (P), Charge conjugation \times Parity (CP), or Lepton Family number (LF) violating modes			
$\pi^0 \gamma$	C [e] $< 9 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	257
$\pi^+ \pi^-$	P,CP $< 4.4 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	236
$2\pi^0$	P,CP $< 3.5 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	238
$2\pi^0 \gamma$	C $< 5 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	238
$3\pi^0 \gamma$	C $< 6 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	179
3γ	C $< 1.6 \times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	274
$4\pi^0$	P,CP $< 6.9 \times 10^{-7}$	CL=90%	40
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	C [f] $< 8 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	257
$\pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$	C [f] $< 5 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	210
$\mu^+ e^- + \mu^- e^+$	LF $< 6 \times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	264

f₀(500)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$$

also known as σ ; was $f_0(600)$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

Mass (T-Matrix Pole \sqrt{s}) = (400–550) – i (200–350) MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 400 to 800 MeV

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 100 to 800 MeV

f₀(500) DECAY MODES

$$\text{Fraction } (\Gamma_i/\Gamma)$$

$$p \text{ (MeV/c)}$$

$\pi\pi$

seen

—

$\gamma\gamma$

seen

—

$\rho(770)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (761\text{--}765) - i (71\text{--}74)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 775.26 ± 0.23 MeV

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 149.1 ± 0.8 MeV

$\rho(770)$ DECAY MODES

$$\text{Fraction } (\Gamma_i/\Gamma)$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Scale factor/} & p \\ \text{Confidence level} & \text{(MeV/c)} \end{array}$$

$\pi\pi$

~ 100

%

363

$\rho(770)^{\pm}$ decays

$\pi^\pm\gamma$

$(4.5 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-4}$

S=2.2

375

$\pi^\pm\eta$

$< 6 \times 10^{-3}$

CL=84%

152

$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$

$< 2.0 \times 10^{-3}$

CL=84%

254

$\rho(770)^0$ decays

$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$

$(9.9 \pm 1.6) \times 10^{-3}$

362

$\pi^0\gamma$

$(4.7 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-4}$

S=1.7

376

$\eta\gamma$

$(3.00 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-4}$

194

$\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$

$(4.5 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-5}$

363

$\mu^+\mu^-$

[g] $(4.55 \pm 0.28) \times 10^{-5}$

373

e^+e^-

[g] $(4.72 \pm 0.05) \times 10^{-5}$

388

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$

$(1.01^{+0.54}_{-0.36} \pm 0.34) \times 10^{-4}$

323

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

$(1.8 \pm 0.9) \times 10^{-5}$

251

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$

$(1.6 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-5}$

257

$\pi^0e^+e^-$

$< 1.2 \times 10^{-5}$

CL=90%

376

$\omega(782)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 782.66 \pm 0.13$ MeV (S = 2.0)Full width $\Gamma = 8.68 \pm 0.13$ MeV

$\omega(782)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	(89.2 \pm 0.7) %		327
$\pi^0 \gamma$	(8.35 \pm 0.27) %	S=2.2	380
$\pi^+ \pi^-$	(1.53 \pm 0.11) %	S=1.2	366
neutrals (excluding $\pi^0 \gamma$)	(7 \pm 8) $\times 10^{-3}$	S=1.1	-
$\eta \gamma$	(4.5 \pm 0.4) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.1	200
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	(7.7 \pm 0.6) $\times 10^{-4}$		380
$\pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$	(1.34 \pm 0.18) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.5	349
$e^+ e^-$	(7.38 \pm 0.22) $\times 10^{-5}$	S=1.9	391
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$	< 2 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	262
$\pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$	< 3.6 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	366
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	< 1 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=90%	256
$\pi^0 \pi^0 \gamma$	(6.7 \pm 1.1) $\times 10^{-5}$		367
$\eta \pi^0 \gamma$	< 3.3 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	162
$\mu^+ \mu^-$	(7.4 \pm 1.8) $\times 10^{-5}$		377
3γ	< 1.9 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=95%	391
Charge conjugation (C) violating modes			
$\eta \pi^0$	C < 2.1 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	162
$2\pi^0$	C < 2.2 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	367
$3\pi^0$	C < 2.3 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	330
invisible	< 7 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	-

 $\eta'(958)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{--})$$

Mass $m = 957.78 \pm 0.06$ MeVFull width $\Gamma = 0.188 \pm 0.006$ MeV

$\eta'(958)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi^+ \pi^- \eta$	(42.5 \pm 0.5) %		232
$\rho^0 \gamma$ (including non-resonant $\pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$)	(29.5 \pm 0.4) %		165
$\pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$	(22.4 \pm 0.5) %		239
$\omega \gamma$	(2.52 \pm 0.07) %		159
$\omega e^+ e^-$	(2.0 \pm 0.4) $\times 10^{-4}$		159
$\gamma \gamma$	(2.307 \pm 0.033) %		479
$3\pi^0$	(2.50 \pm 0.17) $\times 10^{-3}$		430

$\mu^+ \mu^- \gamma$	(1.13 \pm 0.28) $\times 10^{-4}$	467
$\pi^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$	(2.0 \pm 0.4) $\times 10^{-5}$	401
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	(3.61 \pm 0.17) $\times 10^{-3}$	428
$(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$ S-wave	(3.8 \pm 0.5) $\times 10^{-3}$	428
$\pi^\mp \rho^\pm$	(7.4 \pm 2.3) $\times 10^{-4}$	106
$2(\pi^+ \pi^-)$	(8.4 \pm 0.9) $\times 10^{-5}$	372
$\pi^+ \pi^- 2\pi^0$	(1.8 \pm 0.4) $\times 10^{-4}$	376
$2(\pi^+ \pi^-)$ neutrals	< 1 %	95% —
$2(\pi^+ \pi^-)\pi^0$	< 1.8 $\times 10^{-3}$	90% 298
$2(\pi^+ \pi^-)2\pi^0$	< 1 %	95% 197
$3(\pi^+ \pi^-)$	< 3.1 $\times 10^{-5}$	90% 189
$K^\pm \pi^\mp$	< 4 $\times 10^{-5}$	90% 334
$\pi^+ \pi^- e^+ e^-$	(2.42 \pm 0.10) $\times 10^{-3}$	458
$\pi^+ e^- \nu_e + \text{c.c.}$	< 2.1 $\times 10^{-4}$	90% 469
$\gamma e^+ e^-$	(4.91 \pm 0.27) $\times 10^{-4}$	479
$\pi^0 \gamma \gamma$	(3.20 \pm 0.24) $\times 10^{-3}$	469
$\pi^0 \gamma \gamma$ (non resonant)	(6.2 \pm 0.9) $\times 10^{-4}$	—
$\eta \gamma \gamma$	< 1.33 $\times 10^{-4}$	90% 322
$4\pi^0$	< 4.94 $\times 10^{-5}$	90% 380
$e^+ e^-$	< 5.6 $\times 10^{-9}$	90% 479
$e^+ e^- e^+ e^-$	(4.5 \pm 1.1) $\times 10^{-6}$	479
invisible	< 6 $\times 10^{-4}$	90% —

**Charge conjugation (*C*), Parity (*P*),
Lepton family number (*LF*) violating modes**

$\pi^+ \pi^-$	<i>P,CP</i>	< 1.8	$\times 10^{-5}$	90%	458
$\pi^0 \pi^0$	<i>P,CP</i>	< 4	$\times 10^{-4}$	90%	459
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	<i>C</i>	[<i>f</i>] < 1.4	$\times 10^{-3}$	90%	469
$\pi^0 \rho^0$	<i>C</i>	< 4	%	90%	111
$\eta e^+ e^-$	<i>C</i>	[<i>f</i>] < 2.4	$\times 10^{-3}$	90%	322
3γ	<i>C</i>	< 1.0	$\times 10^{-4}$	90%	479
$\mu^+ \mu^- \pi^0$	<i>C</i>	[<i>f</i>] < 6.0	$\times 10^{-5}$	90%	445
$\mu^+ \mu^- \eta$	<i>C</i>	[<i>f</i>] < 1.5	$\times 10^{-5}$	90%	273
$e \mu$	<i>LF</i>	< 4.7	$\times 10^{-4}$	90%	473

 $f_0(980)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

T-matrix pole $\sqrt{s} = (980-1010) - i (20-35)$ MeV [h]Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 990 ± 20 MeV [h]

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 10 to 100 MeV [h]

$f_0(980)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$\pi \pi$	seen	476

$K\bar{K}$	seen	36
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	495

a₀(980)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{++})$$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

T-matrix pole $\sqrt{s} = (960\text{--}1030) - i(20\text{--}70)$ MeV [h]

Mass $m = 980 \pm 20$ MeV [h]

Full width $\Gamma = 50$ to 100 MeV [h]

a₀(980) DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi$	seen	319
$K\bar{K}$	seen	†
$\eta'\pi$	seen	†
$\rho\pi$	not seen	137
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	490

 $\phi(1020)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1019.461 \pm 0.016$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 4.249 \pm 0.013$ MeV ($S = 1.1$)

$\phi(1020)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
K^+K^-	(49.1 \pm 0.5) %	S=1.3	127
$K_L^0 K_S^0$	(33.9 \pm 0.4) %	S=1.2	110
$\rho\pi + \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(15.4 \pm 0.4) %	S=1.2	—
$\eta\gamma$	(1.301 \pm 0.025) %	S=1.2	363
$\pi^0\gamma$	(1.32 \pm 0.05) $\times 10^{-3}$		501
$\ell^+\ell^-$	—		510
e^+e^-	(2.979 \pm 0.033) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.3	510
$\mu^+\mu^-$	(2.85 \pm 0.19) $\times 10^{-4}$		499
ηe^+e^-	(1.08 \pm 0.04) $\times 10^{-4}$		363
$\pi^+\pi^-$	(7.3 \pm 1.3) $\times 10^{-5}$		490
$\omega\pi^0$	(4.7 \pm 0.5) $\times 10^{-5}$		171
$\omega\gamma$	< 5 %	CL=84%	209
$\rho\gamma$	< 1.2 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	215
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	(4.1 \pm 1.3) $\times 10^{-5}$		490
$f_0(980)\gamma$	(3.22 \pm 0.19) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.1	29
$\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$	(1.12 \pm 0.06) $\times 10^{-4}$		492
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	(3.9 \pm 2.8) $\times 10^{-6}$		410
$\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-\pi^0$	< 4.6 $\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	342

$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	$(1.33 \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-5}$	501
$\pi^0 \eta \gamma$	$(7.27 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-5}$	S=1.5
$a_0(980)\gamma$	$(7.6 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-5}$	39
$K^0 \bar{K}^0 \gamma$	$< 1.9 \times 10^{-8}$ CL=90%	110
$\eta'(958)\gamma$	$(6.21 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-5}$	60
$\eta \pi^0 \pi^0 \gamma$	$< 2 \times 10^{-5}$ CL=90%	293
$\mu^+ \mu^- \gamma$	$(1.4 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-5}$	499
$\rho \gamma \gamma$	$< 1.2 \times 10^{-4}$ CL=90%	215
$\eta \pi^+ \pi^-$	$< 1.8 \times 10^{-5}$ CL=90%	288
$\eta \mu^+ \mu^-$	$< 9.4 \times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	321
$\eta U \rightarrow \eta e^+ e^-$	$< 1 \times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	-
invisible	$< 1.7 \times 10^{-4}$ CL=90%	-

Lepton Family number (*LF*) violating modes

$e^\pm \mu^\mp$	<i>LF</i>	$< 2 \times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	504
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$h_1(1170)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{+-})$

Mass $m = 1166 \pm 6$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 375 \pm 35$ MeV

$h_1(1170)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho \pi$	seen	305

$b_1(1235)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{+-})$

Mass $m = 1229.5 \pm 3.2$ MeV (S = 1.6)

Full width $\Gamma = 142 \pm 9$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$b_1(1235)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\omega \pi$	seen		348
$\pi^\pm \gamma$	$(1.6 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-3}$		607
$\eta \rho$	seen		†
$\pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	< 50 %	84%	535
$K^*(892)^\pm K^\mp$	seen		†
$(K\bar{K})^\pm \pi^0$	< 8 %	90%	248
$K_S^0 K_L^0 \pi^\pm$	< 6 %	90%	235
$K_S^0 K_S^0 \pi^\pm$	< 2 %	90%	235
$\phi \pi$	< 1.5 %	84%	147

a₁(1260) [i]

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1209 \pm 4_{-9}^{+12}) - i(288 \pm 6_{-10}^{+45})$ MeVMass (Breit-Wigner) = 1230 ± 40 MeV [h]

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 250 to 600 MeV [h]

a₁(1260) DECAY MODES

	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
3π	seen	577
$(\rho\pi)_{S-\text{wave}}, \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	353
$(\rho\pi)_{D-\text{wave}}, \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	353
$(\rho(1450)\pi)_{S-\text{wave}}, \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	†
$(\rho(1450)\pi)_{D-\text{wave}}, \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	†
$f_0(500)\pi, f_0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	—
$f_0(980)\pi, f_0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	179
$f_0(1370)\pi, f_0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	†
$f_2(1270)\pi, f_2 \rightarrow \pi\pi$	seen	†
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	576
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$	not seen	577
$KK\pi$	seen	250
$K^*(892)K$	seen	†
$\pi\gamma$	seen	608

f₂(1270)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1260\text{--}1283) - i(90\text{--}110)$ MeVMass (Breit-Wigner) = 1275.4 ± 0.8 MeV (S = 1.1)Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 186.6 ± 2.3 MeV (S = 1.5)**f₂(1270) DECAY MODES**

	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	(84.3 $\begin{array}{l} +2.9 \\ -0.9 \end{array}$) %	S=1.2	623
$\pi^+\pi^-2\pi^0$	(7.7 $\begin{array}{l} +1.1 \\ -3.2 \end{array}$) %	S=1.2	563
$K\bar{K}$	(4.6 ± 0.4) %	S=2.7	404
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	(2.8 ± 0.4) %	S=1.2	559
$\eta\eta$	(4.0 ± 0.8) $\times 10^{-3}$	S=2.1	326
$4\pi^0$	(3.0 ± 1.0) $\times 10^{-3}$		565
$\gamma\gamma$	(1.42 ± 0.24) $\times 10^{-5}$	S=1.4	638
$\eta\pi\pi$	< 8 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	478
$K^0 K^- \pi^+ + \text{c.c.}$	< 3.4 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	293
e^+e^-	< 6 $\times 10^{-10}$	CL=90%	638

f₁(1285)

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(1^{++})$

Mass $m = 1281.9 \pm 0.5$ MeV (S = 1.8)
 Full width $\Gamma = 22.7 \pm 1.1$ MeV (S = 1.5)

f₁(1285) DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
4π	(32.7 \pm 1.9) %	S=1.2	568
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^+\pi^-$	(21.8 \pm 1.3) %	S=1.2	566
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	(10.9 \pm 0.6) %	S=1.2	563
$\rho^0\pi^+\pi^-$	(10.9 \pm 0.6) %	S=1.2	336
$\rho^0\rho^0$	seen		†
$4\pi^0$	$< 7 \times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	568
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	(35 \pm 15) %		479
$\eta\pi\pi$	(52.2 \pm 2.0) %	S=1.2	482
$a_0(980)\pi$ [ignoring $a_0(980)\rightarrow K\bar{K}$]	(38 \pm 4) %		238
$\eta\pi\pi$ [excluding $a_0(980)\pi$]	(14 \pm 4) %		482
$K\bar{K}\pi$	(9.0 \pm 0.4) %	S=1.1	308
$K\bar{K}^*(892)$	not seen		†
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(3.0 \pm 0.9) $\times 10^{-3}$		603
$\rho^\pm\pi^\mp$	$< 3.1 \times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	390
$\gamma\rho^0$	(6.1 \pm 1.0) %	S=1.7	406
$\phi\gamma$	(7.4 \pm 2.6) $\times 10^{-4}$		236
e^+e^-	$< 9.4 \times 10^{-9}$	CL=90%	641

 $\eta(1295)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{--})$

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Mass $m = 1294 \pm 4$ MeV (S = 1.6)
 Full width $\Gamma = 55 \pm 5$ MeV

$\eta(1295)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	487
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	248
$\eta\pi^0\pi^0$	seen	490
$\eta(\pi\pi)_S$ -wave	seen	—
$\sigma\eta$	seen	—
$K\bar{K}\pi$	seen	320

$\pi(1300)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$$

Mass $m = 1300 \pm 100$ MeV [h]

Full width $\Gamma = 200$ to 600 MeV [h]

$\pi(1300)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	404
$\pi(\pi\pi)_S$ -wave	seen	—

$a_2(1320)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1305\text{--}1321) - i(52\text{--}58)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1318.2 ± 0.6 MeV ($S = 1.2$)

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 107 ± 5 MeV [h]

$a_2(1320)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
3π	(70.1 ± 2.7) %	$S=1.2$	624
$\eta\pi$	(14.5 ± 1.2) %		535
$\omega\pi\pi$	(10.6 ± 3.2) %	$S=1.3$	366
$K\bar{K}$	(4.9 ± 0.8) %		437
$\eta'(958)\pi$	(5.5 ± 0.9) $\times 10^{-3}$		288
$\pi^\pm\gamma$	(2.91 ± 0.27) $\times 10^{-3}$		652
$\gamma\gamma$	(9.4 ± 0.7) $\times 10^{-6}$		659
e^+e^-	< 5 $\times 10^{-9}$	CL=90%	659

$f_0(1370)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1250\text{--}1440) - i(60\text{--}300)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1200 to 1500 MeV

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 200 to 500 MeV

$f_0(1370)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	seen	672
4π	seen	617
$4\pi^0$	seen	617
$2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	seen	612
$\pi^+\pi^- 2\pi^0$	seen	615
$\rho\rho$	seen	†
$2(\pi\pi)_S$ -wave	seen	—

$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen	†
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen	35
$\eta\eta$	seen	411
$K\bar{K}$	seen	475
$K\bar{K}n\pi$	not seen	†
6π	not seen	508
$\omega\omega$	not seen	†
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	685
e^+e^-	not seen	685

 $\pi_1(1400)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1-+)$

Coupled channel analyses favor the existence of only one broad 1^-+ isovector state consistent with $\pi_1(1600)$ in the 1400–1600 MeV region. See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\pi_1(1600)$.

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1405 \pm 4_{-18}^{+15}) - i(314 \pm 14_{-69}^{+18})$ MeV
 Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1354 ± 25 MeV (S = 1.8)
 Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 330 ± 35 MeV

$\pi_1(1400)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi^0$	seen	557
$\eta\pi^-$	seen	556
$\rho(770)\pi$	not seen	442

 $\eta(1405)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0-+)$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\eta(1475)$.

Mass $m = 1408.8 \pm 2.0$ MeV (S = 2.2)
 Full width $\Gamma = 50.1 \pm 2.6$ MeV (S = 1.7)

$\eta(1405)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}\pi$	seen		424
$\eta\pi\pi$	seen		562
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen		345
$\eta(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen		—
$f_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	not seen		—
$f_0(980)\eta$	seen		†
4π	seen		639
$\rho\rho$	<58 %	99.85%	†

$\rho^0 \gamma$	seen	491
$K^*(892) K$	seen	123

$h_1(1415)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{+-})$$

was $h_1(1380)$

Mass $m = 1409^{+9}_{-8}$ MeV (S = 1.9)

Full width $\Gamma = 78 \pm 11$ MeV

$f_1(1420)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(1^{++})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1426.3 \pm 0.9$ MeV (S = 1.1)

Full width $\Gamma = 54.5 \pm 2.6$ MeV

$f_1(1420)$ DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)

p (MeV/c)

$K\bar{K}\pi$	seen	438
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	seen	163
$\eta\pi\pi$	possibly seen	573
$\phi\gamma$	seen	349

$\omega(1420)^{[J]}$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1410 \pm 60$ MeV [h]

Full width $\Gamma = 290 \pm 190$ MeV [h]

$\omega(1420)$ DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)

p (MeV/c)

$\rho\pi$	seen	480
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	437
$b_1(1235)\pi$	seen	112
e^+e^-	seen	705

$a_0(1450)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{++})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1290-1500) - i (30-140)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1439 ± 34 MeV (S = 1.8)

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 258 ± 14 MeV

Branching fractions are given relative to the one **DEFINED AS 1**.

$a_0(1450)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\eta$	0.093 ± 0.020	607
$\pi\eta'(958)$	0.033 ± 0.017	384
$K\bar{K}$	0.082 ± 0.028	523
$\omega\pi\pi$	DEFINED AS 1	458
$a_0(980)\pi\pi$	seen	310
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	719

$\rho(1450)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1465 \pm 25$ MeV [h]

Full width $\Gamma = 400 \pm 60$ MeV [h]

$\rho(1450)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	seen	720
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	719
4π	seen	669
e^+e^-	seen	732
$\eta\rho$	seen	311
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen	55
$K\bar{K}$	seen	541
K^+K^-	seen	541
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	possibly seen	229
$\pi^0\gamma$	seen	726
$\eta\gamma$	seen	630
$f_0(500)\gamma$	not seen	—
$f_0(980)\gamma$	not seen	398
$f_0(1370)\gamma$	not seen	92
$f_2(1270)\gamma$	not seen	177

$\eta(1475)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{--})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\eta(1405)$.

Mass $m = 1475 \pm 4$ MeV ($S = 1.4$)

Full width $\Gamma = 90 \pm 9$ MeV ($S = 1.6$)

$\eta(1475)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}\pi$	seen	477
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	seen	244
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	396
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	738
$K_S^0 K_S^0 \eta$	possibly seen	†
$\gamma\phi(1020)$	possibly seen	385

$f_0(1500)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1430\text{--}1530) - i(40\text{--}90)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1522 ± 25 MeV

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 108 ± 33 MeV

$f_0(1500)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	(34.5 ± 2.2) %	1.2	749
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen		748
$2\pi^0$	seen		749
4π	(48.9 ± 3.3) %	1.2	700
$4\pi^0$	seen		700
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	seen		696
$2(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen		—
$\rho\rho$	seen		†
$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen		163
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen		234
$\eta\eta$	(6.0 ± 0.9) %	1.1	528
$\eta\eta'(958)$	(2.2 ± 0.8) %	1.4	107
$K\bar{K}$	(8.5 ± 1.0) %	1.1	579
$\gamma\gamma$	not seen		761

$f'_2(1525)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

Mass $m = 1517.4 \pm 2.5$ MeV ($S = 2.8$)

Full width $\Gamma = 86 \pm 5$ MeV ($S = 2.2$)

$f'_2(1525)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor	p (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}$	(87.6 ± 2.2) %	1.1	576
$\eta\eta$	(11.6 ± 2.2) %	1.1	525

$\pi\pi$	$(8.3 \pm 1.6) \times 10^{-3}$	747
$\gamma\gamma$	$(9.5 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-7}$	1.1

 $\pi_1(1600)$

$J^{PC} = 1^-(1^-+)$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances" and a note in PDG 06, Journal of Physics **G33** 1 (2006). See also $\pi_1(1400)$.

Mass (T-Matrix Pole \sqrt{s}) = $(1480-1680) - i (150-300)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1661_{-11}^{+15} MeV ($S = 1.2$)

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 240 ± 50 MeV ($S = 1.7$)

$\pi_1(1600)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi\pi$	seen	803
$\rho^0\pi^-$	seen	641
$f_2(1270)\pi^-$	not seen	318
$b_1(1235)\pi$	seen	357
$\eta'(958)\pi^-$	seen	543
$\eta\pi$	seen	734
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	314

 $a_1(1640)$

$J^{PC} = 1^-(1^{++})$

Mass $m = 1655 \pm 16$ MeV ($S = 1.2$)

Full width $\Gamma = 254 \pm 40$ MeV ($S = 1.8$)

$a_1(1640)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi\pi$	seen	800
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	314
$\sigma\pi$	seen	—
$\rho\pi$ <i>S-wave</i>	seen	638
$\rho\pi$ <i>D-wave</i>	seen	638
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	607
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	309
$a_1(1260)\eta$	not seen	†

 $\eta_2(1645)$

$J^{PC} = 0^+(2^-+)$

Mass $m = 1617 \pm 5$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 181 \pm 11$ MeV

$\eta_2(1645)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	242
$K\bar{K}\pi$	seen	580
$K^*\bar{K}$	seen	404
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	685
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	499
$f_2(1270)\eta$	not seen	†

$\omega(1650)$ $[k]$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1670 \pm 30$ MeV $[h]$

Full width $\Gamma = 315 \pm 35$ MeV $[h]$

$\omega(1650)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	647
$\rho(1450)\pi$	seen	145
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	617
$\omega\eta$	seen	500
e^+e^-	seen	835
$\pi^0\gamma$	not seen	830

$\omega_3(1670)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(3^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1667 \pm 4$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 168 \pm 10$ MeV

$\omega_3(1670)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	645
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	615
$b_1(1235)\pi$	possibly seen	361

$\pi_2(1670)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{-+})$$

Mass $m = 1670.6^{+2.9}_{-1.2}$ MeV (S = 1.3)

Full width $\Gamma = 258^{+8}_{-9}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\pi_2(1670)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level (MeV/c)
3π	$(95.8 \pm 1.4) \%$	808
$f_2(1270)\pi$	$(56.3 \pm 3.2) \%$	327

$\rho\pi$	(31 ± 4) %	647
$\sigma\pi$	(10 ± 4) %	—
$\pi(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	(8.7 \pm 3.4) %	—
$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-$	(53 ± 4) %	806
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	(4.2 \pm 1.4) %	453
$\omega\rho$	(2.7 \pm 1.1) %	302
$\pi^\pm\gamma$	(7.0 \pm 1.2) $\times 10^{-4}$	829
$\gamma\gamma$	< 2.8 $\times 10^{-7}$	90%
$\eta\pi$	< 5 %	835
$\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	< 5 %	739
$\rho(1450)\pi$	< 3.6 $\times 10^{-3}$	735
$b_1(1235)\pi$	< 1.9 $\times 10^{-3}$	97.7% 145
$f_1(1285)\pi$	possibly seen	364
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen	322
		291

 $\phi(1680)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1680 \pm 20$ MeV [h]Full width $\Gamma = 150 \pm 50$ MeV [h]

$\phi(1680)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	seen	462
$K_S^0 K\pi$	seen	621
$K\bar{K}$	seen	680
$e^+ e^-$	seen	840
$\omega\pi\pi$	not seen	623
$K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	seen	544
$\eta\phi$	seen	290
$\eta\gamma$	seen	751
$f'_2(1525)\gamma$	not seen	155

 $\rho_3(1690)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(3^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1688.8 \pm 2.1$ MeVFull width $\Gamma = 161 \pm 10$ MeV (S = 1.5)

$\rho_3(1690)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor p (MeV/c)
4π	(71.1 \pm 1.9) %	790
$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(67 \pm 22) %	787
$\omega\pi$	(16 \pm 6) %	655
$\pi\pi$	(23.6 \pm 1.3) %	834
$K\bar{K}\pi$	(3.8 \pm 1.2) %	629

$K\bar{K}$	(1.58 ± 0.26) %	1.2	685
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen		727
$\rho(770)\eta$	seen		520
$\pi\pi\rho$	seen		633
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen		307
$\rho\rho$	seen		335

 $\rho(1700)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$$

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Mass $m = 1720 \pm 20$ MeV [h] ($\eta\rho^0$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ modes)

Full width $\Gamma = 250 \pm 100$ MeV [h] ($\eta\rho^0$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ modes)

$\rho(1700)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	seen	803
$\rho\pi\pi$	seen	653
$\rho^0\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	651
$\rho^\pm\pi^\mp\pi^0$	seen	652
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen	404
$h_1(1170)\pi$	seen	450
$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen	349
$\rho\rho$	seen	372
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	849
$\pi\pi$	seen	849
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	seen	496
$\eta\rho$	seen	545
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen	334
$K\bar{K}$	seen	704
e^+e^-	seen	860
$\pi^0\omega$	seen	674
$\pi^0\gamma$	not seen	855
$f_0(1500)\gamma$	not seen	187

 $a_2(1700)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1630-1780) - i(60-250)$ MeV

Mass $m = 1706 \pm 14$ MeV ($S = 1.2$)

Full width $\Gamma = 378^{+60}_{-50}$ MeV ($S = 3.9$)

$a_2(1700)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi$	(2.5 ± 0.6) %	758
$\eta'\pi$	seen	574

$\gamma\gamma$	$(7.9 \pm 1.7) \times 10^{-7}$	853
$\rho\pi$	seen	669
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	357
$K\bar{K}$	$(1.3 \pm 0.8) \%$	695
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	639
$\omega\rho$	seen	347

f₀(1710)

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

T-matrix pole $\sqrt{s} = (1680-1820) - i(50-180)$ MeVMass (Breit-Wigner) = 1733^{+8}_{-7} MeV (S = 1.5)Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 150^{+12}_{-10} MeV (S = 1.3)

f₀(1710) DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}$	seen	712
$\eta\eta$	seen	671
$\pi\pi$	seen	856
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	866
$\omega\omega$	seen	372

 $\pi(1800)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1810^{+9}_{-11}$ MeV (S = 2.2)Full width $\Gamma = 215^{+7}_{-8}$ MeV

$\pi(1800)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	<i>p</i> (MeV/c)
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	seen	878
$f_0(500)\pi^-$	seen	—
$f_0(980)\pi^-$	seen	624
$f_0(1370)\pi^-$	seen	366
$f_0(1500)\pi^-$	not seen	232
$\rho\pi^-$	not seen	731
$\eta\eta\pi^-$	seen	660
$a_0(980)\eta$	seen	471
$a_2(1320)\eta$	not seen	†
$f_2(1270)\pi$	not seen	441
$f_0(1370)\pi^-$	not seen	366
$f_0(1500)\pi^-$	seen	232
$\eta\eta'(958)\pi^-$	seen	373

$K_0^*(1430)K^-$	seen	\dagger
$K^*(892)K^-$	not seen	568

$\phi_3(1850)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(3^{--})$$

Mass $m = 1854 \pm 7$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 87^{+28}_{-23}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\phi_3(1850)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}$	seen	785
$K\bar{K}^*(892) + \text{c.c.}$	seen	602

$\eta_2(1870)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

Mass $m = 1842 \pm 8$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 225 \pm 14$ MeV

$\eta_2(1870)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi\pi$	seen	816
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	434
$f_2(1270)\eta$	seen	119
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	651
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	921

$\pi_2(1880)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{-+})$$

Mass $m = 1874^{+26}_{-5}$ MeV (S = 1.6)

Full width $\Gamma = 237^{+33}_{-30}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\pi_2(1880)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\eta\pi^-$	seen	702
$a_0(980)\eta$	seen	528
$a_2(1320)\eta$	seen	76
$f_0(1500)\pi$	seen	294
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	485
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	744

f₂(1950)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1830\text{--}2020) - i(110\text{--}220)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 1936 ± 12 MeV ($S = 1.3$)

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 464 ± 24 MeV

f₂(1950) DECAY MODES

	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K^*(892)\bar{K}^*(892)$	seen	377
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	958
$\pi^0\pi^0$	seen	959
4π	seen	921
$\eta\eta$	seen	798
$K\bar{K}$	seen	833
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	968
$p\bar{p}$	seen	238

a₄(1970)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(4^{++})$$

was $a_4(2040)$

Mass $m = 1967 \pm 16$ MeV ($S = 2.1$)

Full width $\Gamma = 324^{+15}_{-18}$ MeV

a₄(1970) DECAY MODES

	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\bar{K}$	seen	851
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	959
$\rho\pi$	seen	825
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	559
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	801
$\omega\rho$	seen	601
$\eta\pi$	seen	902
$\eta'(958)\pi$	seen	743

f₂(2010)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

Mass $m = 2011^{+60}_{-80}$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 202 \pm 60$ MeV

f₂(2010) DECAY MODES

	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	†
$K\bar{K}$	seen	876

f₀(2020)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$$

T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s} = (1870\text{--}2080) - i(120\text{--}240)$ MeV

Mass (Breit-Wigner) = $1982^{+54.1}_{-3.0}$ MeV

Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 436 ± 50 MeV

f₀(2020) DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)

p (MeV/c)

$\rho\pi\pi$	seen	814
$\pi^0\pi^0$	seen	982
$\rho\rho$	seen	617
$\omega\omega$	seen	608
$\eta\eta$	seen	826
$\eta'\eta'$	seen	254

f₄(2050)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(4^{++})$$

Mass $m = 2018 \pm 11$ MeV ($S = 2.1$)

Full width $\Gamma = 237 \pm 18$ MeV ($S = 1.9$)

f₄(2050) DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)

p (MeV/c)

$\omega\omega$	seen	637
$\pi\pi$	$(17.0 \pm 1.5)\%$	1000
$K\bar{K}$	$(6.8^{+3.4}_{-1.8}) \times 10^{-3}$	880
$\eta\eta$	$(2.1 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-3}$	848
$4\pi^0$	$< 1.2\%$	964
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	1009
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	567

$\phi(2170)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$$

Mass $m = 2163 \pm 7$ MeV ^[h] ($S = 1.1$)

Full width $\Gamma = 103^{+28}_{-21}$ MeV ^[h] ($S = 2.2$)

$\phi(2170)$ DECAY MODES

Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)

p (MeV/c)

e^+e^-	seen	1082
$\phi\eta$	seen	727
$\omega\eta$	seen	848
$\phi\eta'$	seen	438

$\phi f_0(980)$	seen	400
$K^+ K^- f_0(980) \rightarrow$	seen	—
$K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$		
$K^+ K^- f_0(980) \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^0 \pi^0$	seen	—
$K^{*0} K^\pm \pi^\mp$	not seen	762
$K^*(892)^0 \bar{K}^*(892)^0$	not seen	612

$f_2(2300)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

Mass $m = 2297 \pm 28$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 149 \pm 40$ MeV

$f_2(2300)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	529
$K\bar{K}$	seen	1037
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	1149
$\Lambda\bar{\Lambda}$	seen	273

$f_2(2340)$

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$$

Mass $m = 2346^{+21}_{-10}$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 331^{+27}_{-18}$ MeV

$f_2(2340)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	580
$\eta\eta$	seen	1037
$\eta'\eta'$	seen	677

NOTES

- [a] See the review on “Form Factors for Radiative Pion and Kaon Decays” for definitions and details.
- [b] Measurements of $\Gamma(e^+\nu_e)/\Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu)$ always include decays with γ 's, and measurements of $\Gamma(e^+\nu_e\gamma)$ and $\Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu\gamma)$ never include low-energy γ 's. Therefore, since no clean separation is possible, we consider the modes with γ 's to be subreactions of the modes without them, and let $[\Gamma(e^+\nu_e) + \Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu)]/\Gamma_{\text{total}} = 100\%$.
- [c] See the π^\pm Particle Listings for the energy limits used in this measurement; low-energy γ 's are not included.
- [d] Derived from an analysis of neutrino-oscillation experiments.
- [e] Forbidden by angular momentum conservation.
- [f] C parity forbids this to occur as a single-photon process.
- [g] The $\omega\rho$ interference is then due to $\omega\rho$ mixing only, and is expected to be small. If $e\mu$ universality holds, $\Gamma(\rho^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-) = \Gamma(\rho^0 \rightarrow e^+e^-) \times 0.99785$.
- [h] Our estimate. See the Particle Listings for details.
- [i] See the “Note on $a_1(1260)$ ” in the $a_1(1260)$ Particle Listings in PDG 06, Journal of Physics **G33** 1 (2006).
- [j] See also the $\omega(1650)$.
- [k] See also the $\omega(1420)$.