$\Sigma(1660)\ 1/2^+$

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Σ(1660) MASS

VALUE (MeV)	*DOCUMENT ID*		*TECN*	*COMMENT*
1630 to 1690 (≈ 1660) OUR ESTIMATE				
1633 ± 3	GAO	12	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
1665.1±11.2	[1] KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Sigma\pi$
1670 ±10	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
1679 ±10	ALSTON-...	78	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
1676 ±15	GOPAL	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
1668 ±25	VANHORN	75	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Lambda\pi^0$
1670 ±20	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Sigma\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
1565 or 1597	[2] MARTIN	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
1660 ±30	[3] BAILLON	75	IPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
1671 ± 2	[4] PONTE	75	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Lambda\pi^0$

Σ(1660) WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	*DOCUMENT ID*		*TECN*	*COMMENT*
40 to 200 (≈ 100) OUR ESTIMATE				
$121\ ^{+\ 4}_{-\ 7}$	GAO	12	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
81.5± 22.2	[1] KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Sigma\pi$
152 ± 20	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
38 ± 10	ALSTON-...	78	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
120 ± 20	GOPAL	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
$230\ ^{+165}_{-\ 60}$	VANHORN	75	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Lambda\pi^0$
250 ±110	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Sigma\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
202 or 217	[2] MARTIN	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
80 ± 40	[3] BAILLON	75	IPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
81 ± 10	[4] PONTE	75	DPWA	$K^- p \to \Lambda\pi^0$

Σ(1660) DECAY MODES

	Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
Γ_1	$N\overline{K}$	10–30 %
Γ_2	$\Lambda\pi$	seen
Γ_3	$\Sigma\pi$	seen

Σ(1660) BRANCHING RATIOS

See "Sign conventions for resonance couplings" in the Note on Λ and Σ Resonances.

$\Gamma(N\overline{K})/\Gamma_{total}$ Γ_1/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
0.1 to 0.3 OUR ESTIMATE				
0.12±0.03	GOPAL	80	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
0.10±0.05	ALSTON-...	78	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \overline{K}N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
<0.04	GOPAL	77	DPWA	See GOPAL 80
0.27 or 0.29	[2] MARTIN	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel

$(\Gamma_i\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{total}$ in $N\overline{K} \to \Sigma(1660) \to \Lambda\pi$ $(\Gamma_1\Gamma_2)^{1/2}/\Gamma$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
$-0.064^{+0.005}_{-0.003}$	GAO	12	DPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
< 0.04	GOPAL	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
$0.12^{+0.12}_{-0.04}$	VANHORN	75	DPWA	$K^-p \to \Lambda\pi^0$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
−0.10 or −0.11	[2] MARTIN	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
−0.04 ±0.02	[3] BAILLON	75	IPWA	$\overline{K}N \to \Lambda\pi$
+0.16 ±0.01	[4] PONTE	75	DPWA	$K^-p \to \Lambda\pi^0$

$(\Gamma_i\Gamma_f)^{1/2}/\Gamma_{total}$ in $N\overline{K} \to \Sigma(1660) \to \Sigma\pi$ $(\Gamma_1\Gamma_3)^{1/2}/\Gamma$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID		TECN	COMMENT
−0.13±0.04	[1] KOISO	85	DPWA	$K^-p \to \Sigma\pi$
−0.16±0.03	GOPAL	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
−0.11±0.01	KANE	74	DPWA	$K^-p \to \Sigma\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
−0.34 or −0.37	[2] MARTIN	77	DPWA	$\overline{K}N$ multichannel
not seen	HEPP	76B	DPWA	$K^-N \to \Sigma\pi$

Σ(1660) FOOTNOTES

[1] The evidence of KOISO 85 is weak.
[2] The two MARTIN 77 values are from a T-matrix pole and from a Breit-Wigner fit.
[3] From solution 1 of BAILLON 75; not present in solution 2.
[4] From solution 2 of PONTE 75; not present in solution 1.

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