

Ω BARYONS

$(S = -3, I = 0)$

$$\Omega^- = sss$$

Ω^-

$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{3}{2}^+)$$

$J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+$ is the quark-model prediction; and $J = 3/2$ is fairly well established.

Mass $m = 1672.45 \pm 0.29$ MeV

$$(m_{\Omega^-} - m_{\bar{\Omega}^+}) / m_{\Omega^-} = (-1 \pm 8) \times 10^{-5}$$

Mean life $\tau = (0.821 \pm 0.011) \times 10^{-10}$ s

$$c\tau = 2.461 \text{ cm}$$

$$(\tau_{\Omega^-} - \tau_{\bar{\Omega}^+}) / \tau_{\Omega^-} = 0.00 \pm 0.05$$

Magnetic moment $\mu = -2.02 \pm 0.05 \mu_N$

Decay parameters

$$\Lambda K^- \quad \alpha = 0.0180 \pm 0.0024$$

$$\Lambda K^-, \bar{\Lambda} K^+ \quad (\alpha + \bar{\alpha}) / (\alpha - \bar{\alpha}) = -0.02 \pm 0.13$$

$$\Xi^0 \pi^- \quad \alpha = 0.09 \pm 0.14$$

$$\Xi^- \pi^0 \quad \alpha = 0.05 \pm 0.21$$

Ω^- DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
ΛK^-	$(67.8 \pm 0.7) \%$		211
$\Xi^0 \pi^-$	$(23.6 \pm 0.7) \%$		294
$\Xi^- \pi^0$	$(8.6 \pm 0.4) \%$		289
$\Xi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(3.7^{+0.7}_{-0.6}) \times 10^{-4}$		189
$\Xi(1530)^0 \pi^-$	$< 7 \times 10^{-5}$	90%	17
$\Xi^0 e^- \bar{\nu}_e$	$(5.6 \pm 2.8) \times 10^{-3}$		319
$\Xi^- \gamma$	$< 4.6 \times 10^{-4}$	90%	314
$\Delta S = 2$ forbidden (S_2) modes			
$\Lambda \pi^-$	$S_2 \quad < 2.9 \times 10^{-6}$	90%	449

$\Omega(2250)^-$

$$I(J^P) = 0(?^?)$$

Mass $m = 2252 \pm 9$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 55 \pm 18$ MeV

$\Omega(2250)^-$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\Xi^- \pi^+ K^-$	seen	532
$\Xi(1530)^0 K^-$	seen	437