

$\Xi(1820) D_{13}$ $I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{3}{2}^-)$ Status: ***

The clearest evidence is an 8-standard-deviation peak in ΛK^- seen by GAY 76. TEODORO 78 favors $J=3/2$, but cannot make a parity discrimination. BIAGI 87C is consistent with $J=3/2$ and favors negative parity for this J value.

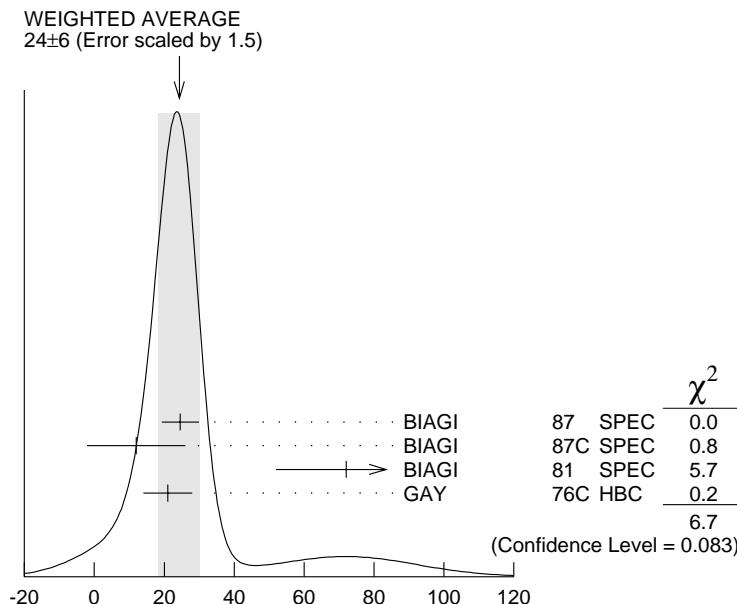
 $\Xi(1820)$ MASS

We only average the measurements that appear to us to be most significant and best determined.

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1823 ± 5 OUR ESTIMATE					
1823.4 ± 1.4 OUR AVERAGE					
1819.4 ± 3.1 ± 2.0	280	1 BIAGI	87 SPEC	0	$\Xi^- Be \rightarrow (\Lambda K^-) X$
1826 ± 3 ± 1	54	BIAGI	87C SPEC	0	$\Xi^- Be \rightarrow (\Lambda \bar{K}^0) X$
1822 ± 6		JENKINS	83 MPS	—	$K^- p \rightarrow K^+ (MM)$
1830 ± 6	300	BIAGI	81 SPEC	—	SPS hyperon beam
1823 ± 2	130	GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •					
1797 ± 19	74	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	0	$K^- p$ 2.87 GeV/c
1829 ± 9	68	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	-0	$\Xi(1530)\pi$
1860 ± 14	39	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	—	$\Sigma^- \bar{K}^0$
1870 ± 9	44	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	0	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0$
1813 ± 4	57	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	—	ΛK^-
1807 ± 27		DIBIANCA	75 DBC	-0	$\Xi\pi\pi, \Xi^*\pi$
1762 ± 8	28	2 BADIER	72 HBC	-0	$\Xi\pi, \Xi\pi\pi, YK$
1838 ± 5	38	2 BADIER	72 HBC	-0	$\Xi\pi, \Xi\pi\pi, YK$
1830 ± 10	25	3 CRENNELL	70B DBC	-0	3.6, 3.9 GeV/c
1826 ± 12		4 CRENNELL	70B DBC	-0	3.6, 3.9 GeV/c
1830 ± 10	40	ALITTI	69 HBC	—	$\Lambda, \Sigma \bar{K}$
1814 ± 4	30	BADIER	65 HBC	0	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0$
1817 ± 7	29	SMITH	65C HBC	-0	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0, \Lambda K^-$
1770		HALSTEINSLID63	FBC	-0	K^- freon 3.5 GeV/c

$\Xi(1820)$ WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
24 +15 -10	OUR ESTIMATE				
24 ± 6	OUR AVERAGE	Error includes scale factor of 1.5. See the ideogram below.			
24.6 ± 5.3	280	1 BIAGI	87 SPEC	0	$\Xi^- \text{Be} \rightarrow (\Lambda K^-) X$
12 ± 14 ± 1.7	54	BIAGI	87C SPEC	0	$\Xi^- \text{Be} \rightarrow (\Lambda \bar{K}^0) X$
72 ± 20	300	BIAGI	81 SPEC	—	SPS hyperon beam
21 ± 7	130	GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c
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99 ± 57	74	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	0	$K^- p$ 2.87 GeV/c
52 ± 34	68	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	-0	$\Xi(1530)\pi$
72 ± 17	39	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	—	$\Sigma^- \bar{K}^0$
44 ± 11	44	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	0	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0$
26 ± 11	57	BRIEFEL	77 HBC	—	ΛK^-
85 ± 58		DIBIANCA	75 DBC	-0	$\Xi \pi\pi, \Xi^* \pi$
51 ± 13		2 BADIER	72 HBC	-0	Lower mass
58 ± 13		2 BADIER	72 HBC	-0	Higher mass
103 ± 38 — 24		3 CRENNELL	70B DBC	-0	3.6, 3.9 GeV/c
48 ± 36 — 19		4 CRENNELL	70B DBC	-0	3.6, 3.9 GeV/c
55 ± 40 — 20		ALITTI	69 HBC	—	$\Lambda, \Sigma \bar{K}$
12 ± 4		BADIER	65 HBC	0	$\Lambda \bar{K}^0$
30 ± 7		SMITH	65B HBC	-0	$\Lambda \bar{K}$
< 80		HALSTEINSLID63	FBC	-0	K^- freon 3.5 GeV/c

 $\Xi(1820)$ width (MeV) **$\Xi(1820)$ DECAY MODES**

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
$\Gamma_1 \Lambda\bar{K}$	large
$\Gamma_2 \Sigma\bar{K}$	small
$\Gamma_3 \Xi\pi$	small
$\Gamma_4 \Xi(1530)\pi$	small
$\Gamma_5 \Xi\pi\pi$ (not $\Xi(1530)\pi$)	

 $\Xi(1820)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

The dominant modes seem to be $\Lambda\bar{K}$ and (perhaps) $\Xi(1530)\pi$, but the branching fractions are very poorly determined.

$\Gamma(\Lambda\bar{K})/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$	Γ_1/Γ
<u>VALUE</u> 0.30±0.15	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u> ALITTI <u>TECN</u> HBC <u>CHG</u> — <u>COMMENT</u> $K^- p$ 3.9–5 GeV/c

$\Gamma(\Xi\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$	Γ_3/Γ
<u>VALUE</u> 0.10±0.10	<u>DOCUMENT ID</u> ALITTI <u>TECN</u> HBC <u>CHG</u> — <u>COMMENT</u> $K^- p$ 3.9–5 GeV/c

$\Gamma(\Xi\pi)/\Gamma(\Lambda\bar{K})$

<u>VALUE</u>	<u>CL%</u>
<0.36	95
0.20±0.20	

 Γ_3/Γ_1

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c
BADIER	65 HBC	0	$K^- p$ 3 GeV/c

 $\Gamma(\Xi\pi)/\Gamma(\Xi(1530)\pi)$

<u>VALUE</u>
1.5^{+0.6}_{-0.4}

 Γ_3/Γ_4

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
APSELL	70 HBC	0	$K^- p$ 2.87 GeV/c

 $\Gamma(\Sigma\bar{K})/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

<u>VALUE</u>
0.30±0.15

 Γ_2/Γ

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
ALITTI	69 HBC	—	$K^- p$ 3.9–5 GeV/c

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<0.02

TRIPP 67 RVUE Use SMITH 65C

 $\Gamma(\Sigma\bar{K})/\Gamma(\Lambda\bar{K})$

<u>VALUE</u>
0.24±0.10

 Γ_2/Γ_1

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c

 $\Gamma(\Xi(1530)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

<u>VALUE</u>
0.30±0.15

 Γ_4/Γ

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
ALITTI	69 HBC	—	$K^- p$ 3.9–5 GeV/c

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seen

ASTON 85B LASS $K^- p$ 11 GeV/c

not seen

⁵ HASSALL 81 HBC $K^- p$ 6.5 GeV/c

<0.25

⁶ DAUBER 69 HBC $K^- p$ 2.7 GeV/c

 $\Gamma(\Xi(1530)\pi)/\Gamma(\Lambda\bar{K})$

<u>VALUE</u>
0.38±0.27 OUR AVERAGE
Error includes scale factor of 2.3.
1.0 ± 0.3

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c
SMITH	65C HBC	—0	$K^- p$ 2.45–2.7 GeV/c

 Γ_4/Γ_1
 $\Gamma(\Xi\pi\pi(\text{not } \Xi(1530)\pi))/\Gamma(\Lambda\bar{K})$

<u>VALUE</u>
0.30±0.20

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
BIAGI	87 SPEC	—	Ξ^- Be 116 GeV

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

<0.14

⁷ BADER 65 HBC 0 1 st. dev. limit

>0.1

SMITH 65C HBC —0 $K^- p$ 2.45–2.7 GeV/c

 Γ_5/Γ_1
 $\Gamma(\Xi\pi\pi(\text{not } \Xi(1530)\pi))/\Gamma(\Xi(1530)\pi)$

<u>VALUE</u>
consistent with zero

<u>DOCUMENT ID</u>	<u>TECN</u>	<u>CHG</u>	<u>COMMENT</u>
GAY	76C HBC	—	$K^- p$ 4.2 GeV/c

• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •

0.3±0.5

⁸ APSELL 70 HBC 0 $K^- p$ 2.87 GeV/c

 Γ_5/Γ_4

$\Xi(1820)$ FOOTNOTES

- ¹ BIAGI 87 also sees weak signals in the $\Xi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ channel at 1782.6 ± 1.4 MeV ($\Gamma = 6.0 \pm 1.5$ MeV) and 1831.9 ± 2.8 MeV ($\Gamma = 9.6 \pm 9.9$ MeV).
- ² BADER 72 adds all channels and divides the peak into lower and higher mass regions. The data can also be fitted with a single Breit-Wigner of mass 1800 MeV and width 150 MeV.
- ³ From a fit to inclusive $\Xi\pi$, $\Xi\pi\pi$, and ΛK^- spectra.
- ⁴ From a fit to inclusive $\Xi\pi$ and $\Xi\pi\pi$ spectra only.
- ⁵ Including $\Xi\pi\pi$.
- ⁶ DAUBER 69 uses in part the same data as SMITH 65C.
- ⁷ For the decay mode $\Xi^- \pi^+ \pi^0$ only. This limit includes $\Xi(1530)\pi$.
- ⁸ Or less. Upper limit for the 3-body decay.

 $\Xi(1820)$ REFERENCES

BIAGI	87	ZPHY C34 15	+ (BRIS, CERN, GEVA, HEIDP, LAUS, LOQM, RAL)
BIAGI	87C	ZPHY C34 175	+ (BRIS, CERN, GEVA, HEIDP, LAUS, LOQM, RAL) JP
ASTON	85B	PR D32 2270	+Carnegie+ (SLAC, CARL, CNRC, CINC)
JENKINS	83	PRL 51 951	+Albright, Diamond+ (FSU, BRAN, LBL, CINC, MASD)
BIAGI	81	ZPHY C9 305	+ (BRIS, CAVE, GEVA, HEIDP, LAUS, LOQM, RHEL)
HASSALL	81	NP B189 397	+Ansorge, Carter, Neale+ (CAVE, MSU)
TEODORO	78	PL 77B 451	+Diaz, Dionisi, Blokzijl+ (AMST, CERN, NIJM, OXF) JP
BRIEFEL	77	PR D16 2706	+Gourevitch, Chang+ (BRAN, UMD, SYRA, TUFTS)
Also	69	PRL 23 884	Apsell+ (BRAN, UMD, SYRA, TUFTS)
GAY	76	NC 31A 593	+Jeanneret, Bogdanski+ (NEUC, LAUS, LIVP, CURIN)
GAY	76C	PL 62B 477	+Armenteros, Berge+ (AMST, CERN, NIJM) IJ
DIBIANCA	75	NP B98 137	+Endorf (CMU)
BADER	72	NP B37 429	+Barrelet, Charlton, Videau (EPOL)
APSELL	70	PRL 24 777	+ (BRAN, UMD, SYRA, TUFTS) I
CRENNELL	70B	PR D1 847	+Karshon, Lai, O'Neill, Scarr, Schumann (BNL)
ALITTI	69	PRL 22 79	+Barnes, Flaminio, Metzger+ (BNL, SYRA) I
DAUBER	69	PR 179 1262	+Berge, Hubbard, Merrill, Miller (LRL)
TRIPP	67	NP B3 10	+Leith+ (LRL, SLAC, CERN, HEID, SACL)
BADER	65	PL 16 171	+Demoulin, Goldberg+ (EPOL, SACL, AMST) I
SMITH	65B	Athens Conf. 251	+Lindsey (LRL)
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SCHMIDT	73	Purdue Conf. 363	(BRAN)
MERRILL	68	PR 167 1202	+Shafer (LRL)
SMITH	64	PRL 13 61	+Lindsey, Murray, Button-Shafer+ (LRL) IJP