

$K_3^*(1780)$ $I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(3^-)$ **$K_3^*(1780)$ MASS**

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1776 ± 7 OUR AVERAGE		Error includes scale factor of 1.1.			
$1781 \pm 8 \pm 4$		1 ASTON	88	LASS 0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$
$1740 \pm 14 \pm 15$		1 ASTON	87	LASS 0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$
1779 ± 11		2 BALDI	76	SPEC +	$10 K^+ p \rightarrow K^0 \pi^+ p$
1776 ± 26		3 BRANDENB...	76D	ASPK 0	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp N$
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$1720 \pm 10 \pm 15$	6111	4 BIRD	89	LASS —	$11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
1749 ± 10		ASTON	88B	LASS —	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \eta p$
1780 ± 9	300	BAUBILLIER	84B	HBC —	$8.25 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
1790 ± 15		BAUBILLIER	82B	HBC 0	$8.25 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}_S^0 2\pi N$
1784 ± 9	2060	CLELAND	82	SPEC ±	$50 K^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^\pm p$
1786 ± 15		5 ASTON	81D	LASS 0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$
1762 ± 9	190	TOAFF	81	HBC —	$6.5 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
1850 ± 50		ETKIN	80	MPS 0	$6 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$
1812 ± 28		BEUSCH	78	OMEG	$10 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$
1786 ± 8		CHUNG	78	MPS 0	$6 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$

¹ From energy-independent partial-wave analysis.² From a fit to Y_6^2 moment. $J^P = 3^-$ found.³ Confirmed by phase shift analysis of ESTABROOKS 78, yields $J^P = 3^-$.⁴ From a partial wave amplitude analysis.⁵ From a fit to the Y_6^0 moment. **$K_3^*(1780)$ WIDTH**

VALUE (MeV)	EVTS	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
159 ± 21 OUR AVERAGE		Error includes scale factor of 1.3. See the ideogram below.			
$203 \pm 30 \pm 8$		6 ASTON	88	LASS 0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$
$171 \pm 42 \pm 20$		6 ASTON	87	LASS 0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$
135 ± 22		7 BALDI	76	SPEC +	$10 K^+ p \rightarrow K^0 \pi^+ p$

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$187 \pm 31 \pm 20$	6111	⁸ BIRD	89	LASS	—	11 $K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
193^{+51}_{-37}		ASTON	88B	LASS	—	11 $K^- p \rightarrow K^- \eta p$
99 ± 30	300	BAUBILLIER	84B	HBC	—	$8.25 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
~ 130		BAUBILLIER	82B	HBC	0	$8.25 K^- p \rightarrow K_S^0 2\pi N$
191 ± 24	2060	CLELAND	82	SPEC	\pm	$50 K^+ p \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^\pm p$
225 ± 60		⁹ ASTON	81D	LASS	0	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$
~ 80	190	TOAFF	81	HBC	—	$6.5 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
240 ± 50		ETKIN	80	MPS	0	$6 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$
181 ± 44		¹⁰ BEUSCH	78	OMEG		$10 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$
96 ± 31		CHUNG	78	MPS	0	$6 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$
270 ± 70		¹¹ BRANDENB...	76D	ASPK	0	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp N$

⁶ From energy-independent partial-wave analysis.

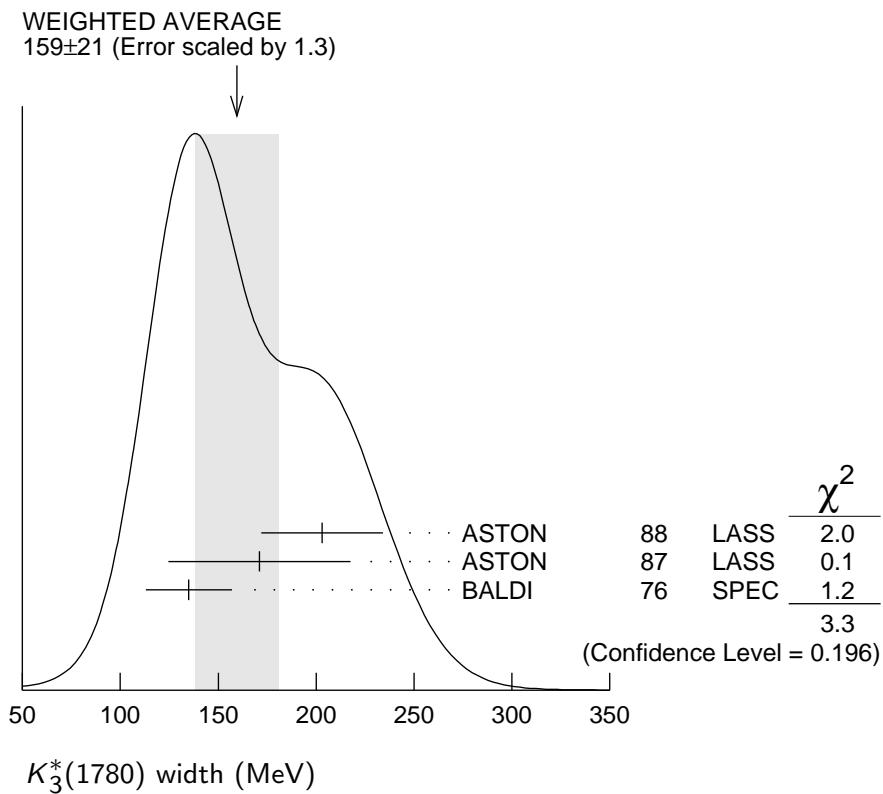
⁷ From a fit to Y_6^2 moment. $J^P = 3^-$ found.

⁸ From a partial wave amplitude analysis.

⁹ From a fit to Y_6^0 moment.

¹⁰ Errors enlarged by us to $4\Gamma/\sqrt{N}$; see the note with the $K^*(892)$ mass.

¹¹ ESTABROOKS 78 find that BRANDENBURG 76D data are consistent with 175 MeV width. Not averaged.



$K_3^*(1780)$ DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level
$\Gamma_1 K\rho$	(31 \pm 9) %	
$\Gamma_2 K^*(892)\pi$	(20 \pm 5) %	
$\Gamma_3 K\pi$	(18.8 \pm 1.0) %	
$\Gamma_4 K\eta$	(30 \pm 13) %	
$\Gamma_5 K_2^*(1430)\pi$	< 16 %	95%

CONSTRAINED FIT INFORMATION

An overall fit to 3 branching ratios uses 4 measurements and one constraint to determine 4 parameters. The overall fit has a $\chi^2 = 0.0$ for 1 degrees of freedom.

The following *off-diagonal* array elements are the correlation coefficients $\langle \delta x_i \delta x_j \rangle / (\delta x_i \cdot \delta x_j)$, in percent, from the fit to the branching fractions, $x_i \equiv \Gamma_i / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$. The fit constrains the x_i whose labels appear in this array to sum to one.

x_2	85			
x_3	18	21		
x_4	-98	-94	-27	

$x_1 \quad x_2 \quad x_3$

$K_3^*(1780)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

$\Gamma(K\rho)/\Gamma(K^*(892)\pi)$

Γ_1/Γ_2

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1.52 ± 0.23 OUR FIT				
$1.52 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.10$	ASTON	87	LASS	$0 \quad 11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$

$\Gamma(K^*(892)\pi)/\Gamma(K\pi)$

Γ_2/Γ_3

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1.09 ± 0.26 OUR FIT				
1.09 ± 0.26	ASTON	84B	LASS	$0 \quad 11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 2\pi n$

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

Γ_3/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
0.188 ± 0.010 OUR FIT				
0.188 ± 0.010 OUR AVERAGE				

$0.187 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.008 \quad \text{ASTON} \quad 88 \quad \text{LASS} \quad 0 \quad 11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ n$

$0.19 \pm 0.02 \quad \text{ESTABROOKS 78} \quad \text{ASPK} \quad 0 \quad 13 K^\pm p \rightarrow K\pi N$

$\Gamma(K\eta)/\Gamma(K\pi)$

Γ_4/Γ_3

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
1.6 ± 0.7 OUR FIT				

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0.41 ± 0.050	¹² BIRD	89	LASS	-	$11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^- p$
0.50 ± 0.18	ASTON	88B	LASS	-	$11 K^- p \rightarrow K^- \eta p$

¹² This result supersedes ASTON 88B.

$\Gamma(K_2^*(1430)\pi)/\Gamma(K^*(892)\pi)$

Γ_5/Γ_2

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
<0.78	95	ASTON	87	LASS	$0 \quad 11 K^- p \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^- n$

$K_3^*(1780)$ REFERENCES

BIRD	89	SLAC-332	P.F. Bird	(SLAC)
ASTON	88	NP B296 493	D. Aston <i>et al.</i>	(SLAC, NAGO, CINC, INUS)
ASTON	88B	PL B201 169	D. Aston <i>et al.</i>	(SLAC, NAGO, CINC, INUS) JP
ASTON	87	NP B292 693	D. Aston <i>et al.</i>	(SLAC, NAGO, CINC, INUS)
ASTON	84B	NP B247 261	D. Aston <i>et al.</i>	(SLAC, CARL, OTTA)
BAUBILLIER	84B	ZPHY C26 37	M. Baubillier <i>et al.</i>	(BIRM, CERN, GLAS+)
BAUBILLIER	82B	NP B202 21	M. Baubillier <i>et al.</i>	(BIRM, CERN, GLAS+)
CLELAND	82	NP B208 189	W.E. Cleland <i>et al.</i>	(DURH, GEVA, LAUS+)
ASTON	81D	PL 99B 502	D. Aston <i>et al.</i>	(SLAC, CARL, OTTA) JP
TOAFF	81	PR D23 1500	S. Toaff <i>et al.</i>	(ANL, KANS)
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BEUSCH	78	PL 74B 282	W. Beusch <i>et al.</i>	(CERN, AAC3, ETH) JP
CHUNG	78	PRL 40 355	S.U. Chung <i>et al.</i>	(BNL, BRAN, CUNY+) JP
ESTABROOKS	78	NP B133 490	P.G. Estabrooks <i>et al.</i>	(MCGI, CARL, DURH+) JP
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