

$N(1535) S_{11}$ $I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}^-)$ Status: ***

Most of the results published before 1975 are now obsolete and have been omitted. They may be found in our 1982 edition, Physics Letters **111B** (1982).

 $N(1535)$ BREIT-WIGNER MASS

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1520 to 1555 (≈ 1535) OUR ESTIMATE			
1534 \pm 7	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ & $N\pi\pi$
1550 \pm 40	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1526 \pm 7	HOEHLER 79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
1549 \pm 2	ABAEV 96	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta n$
1525 \pm 10	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1535	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1542 \pm 6	BATINIC 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$
1537	BATINIC 95B	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$
1544 \pm 13	KRUSCHE 95	DPWA	$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$
1518	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1513	CRAWFORD 80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1511	BARBOUR 78	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1500	BERENDS 77	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
1547 \pm 6	BHANDARI 77	DPWA	Uses $N\eta$ cusp
1520	¹ LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
1510	² LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

 $N(1535)$ BREIT-WIGNER WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
100 to 250 (≈ 150) OUR ESTIMATE			
148.2 \pm 8.1	GREEN 97	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
151 \pm 27	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ & $N\pi\pi$
240 \pm 80	CUTKOSKY 80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
120 \pm 20	HOEHLER 79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
212 \pm 20	³ KRUSCHE 97	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \eta N$
169 \pm 12	ABAEV 96	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta n$
103 \pm 5	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
66	ARNDT 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
150 \pm 15	BATINIC 95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$
145	BATINIC 95B	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$
200 \pm 40	KRUSCHE 95	DPWA	$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$
84	LI 93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

136	CRAWFORD	80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
180	BAKER	79	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow n\eta$
132	BARBOUR	78	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
57	BERENDS	77	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
139 ± 33	BHANDARI	77	DPWA	Uses $N\eta$ cusp
135	¹ LONGACRE	77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
100	² LONGACRE	75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

N(1535) POLE POSITION**REAL PART**

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1495 to 1515 (≈ 1505) OUR ESTIMATE			
1501	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
1487	⁴ HOEHLER	93	SPED $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
1510 ± 50	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
1499	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
1496 or 1499	⁵ LONGACRE	78	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
1519 ± 4	BHANDARI	77	DPWA Uses $N\eta$ cusp
1525 or 1527	¹ LONGACRE	77	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

 $-2 \times$ IMAGINARY PART

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
90 to 250 (≈ 170) OUR ESTIMATE			
124	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
260 ± 80	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
110	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90
103 or 105	⁵ LONGACRE	78	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
140 ± 32	BHANDARI	77	DPWA Uses $N\eta$ cusp
135 or 123	¹ LONGACRE	77	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

N(1535) ELASTIC POLE RESIDUE**MODULUS $|r|$**

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
31	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
120 ± 40	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
23	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

PHASE θ

VALUE ($^{\circ}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-12	ARNDT	95	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi$
$+15 \pm 45$	CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-13	ARNDT	91	DPWA $\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$ Soln SM90

N(1535) DECAY MODES

The following branching fractions are our estimates, not fits or averages.

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
$\Gamma_1 N\pi$	35–55 %
$\Gamma_2 N\eta$	30–55 %
$\Gamma_3 N\pi\pi$	1–10 %
$\Gamma_4 \Delta\pi$	<1 %
$\Gamma_5 \Delta(1232)\pi, D\text{-wave}$	
$\Gamma_6 N\rho$	<4 %
$\Gamma_7 N\rho, S=1/2, S\text{-wave}$	
$\Gamma_8 N\rho, S=3/2, D\text{-wave}$	
$\Gamma_9 N(\pi\pi)^{I=0}_{S\text{-wave}}$	<3 %
$\Gamma_{10} N(1440)\pi$	<7 %
$\Gamma_{11} p\gamma$	0.15–0.35 %
$\Gamma_{12} p\gamma, \text{helicity}=1/2$	0.15–0.35 %
$\Gamma_{13} n\gamma$	0.004–0.29 %
$\Gamma_{14} n\gamma, \text{helicity}=1/2$	0.004–0.29 %

N(1535) BRANCHING RATIOS **$\Gamma(N\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$** **VALUE****0.35 to 0.55 OUR ESTIMATE**0.394 \pm 0.0090.51 \pm 0.050.50 \pm 0.100.38 \pm 0.04

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

0.31

0.34 \pm 0.090.297 \pm 0.026**DOCUMENT ID****TECN****COMMENT**

GREEN	97	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
MANLEY	92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N \& N\pi\pi$
CUTKOSKY	80	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$
HOEHLER	79	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$

 Γ_1/Γ  **$\Gamma(N\eta)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$** **VALUE****+0.30 to 0.55 OUR ESTIMATE**

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

0.568 \pm 0.0110.59 \pm 0.020.63 \pm 0.07**DOCUMENT ID****TECN****COMMENT**

GREEN	97	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N, \eta N$
ABAEV	96	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \eta n$
BATINIC	95	DPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi, N\eta$

 Γ_2/Γ 

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow N(1535) \rightarrow N\eta$	$(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_2)^{1/2} / \Gamma$		
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.44 to +0.50 OUR ESTIMATE			
+0.47 ± 0.02	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
+0.33	BAKER 79	DPWA	$\pi^- p \rightarrow n\eta$
+0.48	FELTESSE 75	DPWA	1488–1745 MeV

Note: Signs of couplings from $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ analyses were changed in the 1986 edition to agree with the baryon-first convention; the overall phase ambiguity is resolved by choosing a negative sign for the $\Delta(1620) S_{31}$ coupling to $\Delta(1232)\pi$.

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow N(1535) \rightarrow \Delta(1232)\pi, D\text{-wave}$	$(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_5)^{1/2} / \Gamma$		
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.04 to +0.06 OUR ESTIMATE			
+0.00 ± 0.04	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
0.00	¹ LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
+0.06	² LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow N(1535) \rightarrow N\rho, S=1/2, S\text{-wave}$	$(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_7)^{1/2} / \Gamma$		
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.14 to -0.06 OUR ESTIMATE			
-0.10 ± 0.03	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
-0.10	¹ LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
-0.09	² LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow N(1535) \rightarrow N(\pi\pi)_{S=0}^{I=0}$	$(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_9)^{1/2} / \Gamma$		
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.03 to +0.13 OUR ESTIMATE			
+0.07 ± 0.04	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$
+0.08	¹ LONGACRE 77	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$
+0.09	² LONGACRE 75	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$

$(\Gamma_i \Gamma_f)^{1/2} / \Gamma_{\text{total}}$ in $N\pi \rightarrow N(1535) \rightarrow N(1440)\pi$	$(\Gamma_1 \Gamma_{10})^{1/2} / \Gamma$		
VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.10 ± 0.05	MANLEY 92	IPWA	$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N & N\pi\pi$

$N(1535)$ PHOTON DECAY AMPLITUDES

$N(1535) \rightarrow p\gamma$, helicity-1/2 amplitude $A_{1/2}$

VALUE ($\text{GeV}^{-1/2}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
+0.090 ± 0.030 OUR ESTIMATE			
0.120 ± 0.011 ± 0.015	³ KRUSCHE 97	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \eta N$
0.060 ± 0.015	ARNDT 96	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.097 ± 0.006	BENMERROU..95	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow N\eta$
0.095 ± 0.011	⁶ BENMERROU..91		$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$
0.053 ± 0.015	CRAWFORD 83	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

0.077 ± 0.021	AWAJI	81	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.083 ± 0.007	ARAI	80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 1)
0.080 ± 0.007	ARAI	80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 2)
0.029 ± 0.007	BRATASHEV...	80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.065 ± 0.016	CRAWFORD	80	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.0704 ± 0.0091	ISHII	80	DPWA	Compton scattering

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

0.110 to 0.140	KRUSCHE	95	DPWA	$\gamma p \rightarrow p\eta$
0.125 ± 0.025	KRUSCHE	95C	IPWA	$\gamma d \rightarrow \eta N(N)$
0.061 ± 0.003	LI	93	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.055	WADA	84	DPWA	Compton scattering
+0.082 ± 0.019	BARBOUR	78	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.046	⁷ NOELLE	78		$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
+0.034	BERENDS	77	IPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
+0.070 ± 0.004	FELLER	76	DPWA	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

$N(1535) \rightarrow n\gamma$, helicity-1/2 amplitude $A_{1/2}$

VALUE (GeV $^{-1/2}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
-0.046 ± 0.027 OUR ESTIMATE			
-0.020 ± 0.035	ARNDT	96	IPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
0.035 ± 0.014	AWAJI	81	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.062 ± 0.003	FUJII	81	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.075 ± 0.019	ARAI	80	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 1)
-0.075 ± 0.018	ARAI	80	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$ (fit 2)
-0.098 ± 0.026	CRAWFORD	80	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.011 ± 0.017	TAKEDA	80	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
-0.100 ± 0.030	KRUSCHE	95C	IPWA $\gamma d \rightarrow \eta N(N)$
-0.046 ± 0.005	LI	93	IPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.112 ± 0.034	BARBOUR	78	DPWA $\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$
-0.048	⁷ NOELLE	78	$\gamma N \rightarrow \pi N$

$N(1535) \rightarrow N\gamma$, ratio $A_{1/2}^n/A_{1/2}^p$

VALUE (GeV $^{-1/2}$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •		
-0.84 ± 0.15	MUKHOPAD...	95B IPWA

$N(1535)$ FOOTNOTES

¹ LONGACRE 77 pole positions are from a search for poles in the unitarized T-matrix; the first (second) value uses, in addition to $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ data, elastic amplitudes from a Saclay (CERN) partial-wave analysis. The other LONGACRE 77 values are from eyeball fits with Breit-Wigner circles to the T-matrix amplitudes.

² From method II of LONGACRE 75: eyeball fits with Breit-Wigner circles to the T-matrix amplitudes.

³ KRUSCHE 97 fits with the mass fixed at 1544 MeV.

⁴ See HOEHLER 93 for a detailed discussion of the evidence for and the pole parameters of N and Δ resonances as determined from Argand diagrams of πN elastic partial-wave amplitudes and from plots of the speeds with which the amplitudes traverse the diagrams.

⁵ LONGACRE 78 values are from a search for poles in the unitarized T-matrix. The first (second) value uses, in addition to $\pi N \rightarrow N\pi\pi$ data, elastic amplitudes from a Saclay (CERN) partial-wave analysis.

⁶ BENMERROUCHE 91 uses an effective Lagrangian approach to analyze η photoproduction data.

⁷ Converted to our conventions using $M = 1548$ MeV, $\Gamma = 73$ MeV from NOELLE 78.

N(1535) REFERENCES

For early references, see Physics Letters **111B** 70 (1982).

GREEN	97	PR C55 R2167	+Wycech	(HELS, WINR)
KRUSCHE	97	PL B397 171	+Mukhopadhyay, Zhang+	(GIES, RPI, SASK)
ABAEV	96	PR C53 385	+Nefkens	(UCLA)
ARNDT	96	PR C53 430	+Strakovsky, Workman	(VPI)
ARNDT	95	PR C52 2120	+Strakovsky, Workman, Pavan	(VPI, BRCO)
BATINIC	95	PR C51 2310	+Slaus, Svarc, Nefkens	(BOSK, UCLA)
BATINIC	95B	PR C52 2188	+Slaus, Svarc	(BOSK)
BENMERROU...	95	PR D51 3237	Benmerrouche, Mukhopadhyay, Zhang	(RPI, SASK)
KRUSCHE	95	PRL 74 3736	+Ahrens, Anton+	(GIES, MANZ, GLAS, BONN, DARM)
KRUSCHE	95C	PL B358 40	+Ahrens+	(GIES, MANZ, GLAS, BONN, DARM)
MUKHOPAD...	95B	PL B364 1	Mukhopadhyay, Zhang, Benmerrouche	(RPI, SASK)
HOEHLER	93	πN Newsletter 9 1	+Arndt, Roper, Workman	(KARL)
LI	93	PR C47 2759	+Saleski	(VPI)
MANLEY	92	PR D45 4002	Manley, Arndt, Goradia, Teplitz	(KENT) IJP
Also	84	PR D30 904	+Li, Roper, Workman, Ford	(VPI)
ARNDT	91	PR D43 2131	Benmerrouche, Mukhopadhyay	(RPI)
BENMERROU...	91	PRL 67 1070	+Egawa, Imanishi, Ishii, Kato, Ukai+	(INUS)
WADA	84	NP B247 313	+Morton	(GLAS)
CRAWFORD	83	NP B211 1	Roos, Porter, Aguilar-Benitez+	(HELS, CIT, CERN)
PDG	82	PL 111B	+Kajikawa	(NAGO)
AWAJI	81	Bonn Conf. 352	Fujii, Hayashii, Iwata, Kajikawa+	(NAGO)
Also	82	NP B197 365	+Hayashii, Iwata, Kajikawa+	(NAGO, OSAK)
FUJII	81	NP B187 53	Arai, Fujii	(INUS)
ARAI	80	Toronto Conf. 93	Bratashevskij, Gorbenko, Derebchinskij+	(KFTI)
Also	82	NP B194 251	+Forsyth, Babcock, Kelly, Hendrick	(CMU, LBL) IJP
BRATASHEV...	80	NP B166 525	Cutkosky, Forsyth, Hendrick, Kelly	(CMU, LBL) IJP
CRAWFORD	80	Toronto Conf. 107	+Egawa, Kato, Miyachi+	(KYOT, INUS)
CUTKOSKY	80	Toronto Conf. 19	+Arai, Fujii, Ikeda, Iwasaki+	(TOKY, INUS)
Also	79	PR D20 2839	+Brown, Clark, Davies, Depagter, Evans+	(RHEL) IJP
ISHII	80	NP B165 189	+Kaiser, Koch, Pietarinen	(KARLT) IJP
TAKEDA	80	NP B168 17	Koch	(KARLT) IJP
BAKER	79	NP B156 93	+Crawford, Parsons	(GLAS)
HOEHLER	79	PDAT 12-1	+Lasinski, Rosenfeld, Smadja+	(LBL, SLAC)
Also	80	Toronto Conf. 3	+Donnachie	(NAGO)
BARBOUR	78	NP B141 253	+Chao	(LEID, MCHS) IJP
LONGACRE	78	PR D17 1795	+Dolbeau	(CMU) IJP
NOELLE	78	PTP 60 778	Dolbeau, Triantis, Neveu, Cadet	(SACL) IJP
BERENDS	77	NP B136 317	+Fukushima, Horikawa, Kajikawa+	(SACL) IJP
BHANDARI	77	PR D15 192	+Ayed, Bareyre, Borgeaud, David+	(NAGO, OSAK) IJP
LONGACRE	77	NP B122 493	+Rosenfeld, Lasinski, Smadja+	(SACL) IJP
Also	76	NP B108 365		(LBL, SLAC) IJP
FELLER	76	NP B104 219		
FELTESSE	75	NP B93 242		
LONGACRE	75	PL 55B 415		