

$K_1(1270)$

$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(1^+)$

$K_1(1270)$ MASS

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID
1273±7 OUR AVERAGE	Includes data from the 2 datablocks that follow this one.

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1275±10	700	GAVILLET	78	HBC	+	$4.2 K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^- (K\pi\pi)^+$
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1270±10	DAUM	81C CNTR	—	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$
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~ 1276	¹ TORNQVIST	82B RVUE			
~ 1300	VERGEEST	79 HBC	—	$4.2 K^- p \rightarrow (\bar{K}\pi\pi)^- p$	
1289 ± 25	² CARNEGIE	77 ASPK	±	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$	
~ 1300	BRANDENB...	76 ASPK	±	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$	
~ 1270	OTTER	76 HBC	—	$10, 14, 16 K^- p \rightarrow (\bar{K}\pi\pi)^- p$	
1260	DAVIS	72 HBC	+	$12 K^+ p$	
1234 ± 12	FIRESTONE	72B DBC	+	$12 K^+ d$	

¹ From a unitarized quark-model calculation.

² From a model-dependent fit with Gaussian background to BRANDENBURG 76 data.

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1294 ± 10	310	RODEBACK	81 HBC	4	$\pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$
1300	40	CRENNELL	72 HBC	0	$4.5 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$
1242^{+9}_{-10}	³ ASTIER	69 HBC	0	$\bar{p}p$	
1300	45	CRENNELL	67 HBC	0	$6 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$

³ This was called the C meson.

$K_1(1270)$ WIDTH

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID
90±20 OUR ESTIMATE	This is only an educated guess; the error given is larger than the error on the average of the published values.
87± 7 OUR AVERAGE	Includes data from the 2 datablocks that follow this one.

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75±15	700	GAVILLET	78	HBC	+	$4.2 K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^- K\pi\pi$
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90± 8	DAUM	81C CNTR	—	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$
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~ 150	VERGEEST	79	HBC	—	$4.2 K^- p \rightarrow (\bar{K}\pi\pi)^- p$
150 ± 71	⁴ CARNEGIE	77	ASPK	±	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$
~ 200	BRANDENB...	76	ASPK	±	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$
120	DAVIS	72	HBC	+	$12 K^+ p$
188±21	FIRESTONE	72B	DBC	+	$12 K^+ d$

⁴ From a model-dependent fit with Gaussian background to BRANDENBURG 76 data.

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66±15	310	RODEBACK	81	HBC	$4 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$
60	40	CRENNELL	72	HBC	$0 4.5 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$
127^{+7}_{-25}		ASTIER	69	HBC	$0 \bar{p}p$
60	45	CRENNELL	67	HBC	$0 6 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$

$K_1(1270)$ DECAY MODES

Mode	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)
$\Gamma_1 K\rho$	(42 ± 6) %
$\Gamma_2 K_0^*(1430)\pi$	(28 ± 4) %
$\Gamma_3 K^*(892)\pi$	(16 ± 5) %
$\Gamma_4 K\omega$	(11.0 ± 2.0) %
$\Gamma_5 Kf_0(1370)$	(3.0 ± 2.0) %

$K_1(1270)$ PARTIAL WIDTHS

Γ($K\rho$)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
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Γ_1

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57±5	MAZZUCATO	79	HBC	+	$4.2 K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^- (K\pi\pi)^+$
75±6	CARNEGIE	77B	ASPK	±	$13 K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$

$\Gamma(K_0^*(1430)\pi)$

Γ_2

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
26±6	CARNEGIE	77B ASPK	±	13 $K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$

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

Γ_3

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
14±11	MAZZUCATO	79 HBC	+	4.2 $K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^- (K\pi\pi)^+$
2±2	CARNEGIE	77B ASPK	±	13 $K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$

$\Gamma(\Lambda\omega)$

Γ_4

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
4±4	MAZZUCATO	79 HBC	+	4.2 $K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^- (K\pi\pi)^+$
24±3	CARNEGIE	77B ASPK	±	13 $K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$

$\Gamma(K f_0(1370))$

Γ_5

VALUE (MeV)	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	CHG	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
22±5	CARNEGIE	77B ASPK	±	13 $K^\pm p \rightarrow (K\pi\pi)^\pm p$

$K_1(1270)$ BRANCHING RATIOS

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

Γ_1/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.42±0.06	5 DAUM	81C CNTR	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •			
dominant	RODEBACK	81 HBC	$4 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$

$\Gamma(K_0^*(1430)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Γ_2/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.28±0.04	5 DAUM	81C CNTR	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$

$\Gamma(K^*(892)\pi)/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Γ_3/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.16±0.05	5 DAUM	81C CNTR	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$

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

Γ_4/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.11 ± 0.02	5 DAUM	81C CNTR	$63 K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$

$\Gamma(K\omega)/\Gamma(K\rho)$

Γ_4/Γ_1

VALUE	CL%	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
• • • We do not use the following data for averages, fits, limits, etc. • • •				
<0.30	95	RODEBACK	81 HBC	$4 \pi^- p \rightarrow \Lambda K 2\pi$

$\Gamma(K f_0(1370))/\Gamma_{\text{total}}$

Γ_5/Γ

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
0.03 ±0.02	⁵ DAUM	81C CNTR	63 $K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$

D-wave/S-wave RATIO FOR $K_1(1270) \rightarrow K^*(892)\pi$

VALUE	DOCUMENT ID	TECN	COMMENT
1.0±0.7	⁵ DAUM	81C CNTR	63 $K^- p \rightarrow K^- 2\pi p$

⁵ Average from low and high t data.

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