LIGHT UNFLAVORED MESONS ($S = C = B = 0$)

For $I = 1$ (π, b, ρ, a): $u\overline{d}$, $(u\overline{u}-d\overline{d})/\sqrt{2}$, $d\overline{u}$;
for $I = 0$ (η, η', h, h', ω, ϕ, f, f'): $c_1(u\overline{u} + d\overline{d}) + c_2(s\overline{s})$

$\pi^{\pm}$

$I^G(J^P) = 1^-(0^-)$

Mass $m = 139.57039 \pm 0.00018$ MeV (S = 1.8)
Mean life $\tau = (2.6033 \pm 0.0005) \times 10^{-8}$ s (S = 1.2)
$c\tau = 7.8045$ m

$\pi^{\pm} \to \ell^{\pm}\nu\gamma$ form factors [a]

$F_V = 0.0254 \pm 0.0017$
$F_A = 0.0119 \pm 0.0001$
F_V slope parameter $a = 0.10 \pm 0.06$
$R = 0.059^{+0.009}_{-0.008}$

π^- modes are charge conjugates of the modes below.

For decay limits to particles which are not established, see the section on Searches for Axions and Other Very Light Bosons.

π^+ DECAY MODES		Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\mu^+\nu_\mu$	[b]	(99.98770±0.00004) %		30
$\mu^+\nu_\mu\gamma$	[c]	(2.00 ±0.25) $\times 10^{-4}$		30
$e^+\nu_e$	[b]	(1.230 ±0.004) $\times 10^{-4}$		70
$e^+\nu_e\gamma$	[c]	(7.39 ±0.05) $\times 10^{-7}$		70
$e^+\nu_e\pi^0$		(1.036 ±0.006) $\times 10^{-8}$		4
$e^+\nu_e e^+e^-$		(3.2 ±0.5) $\times 10^{-9}$		70
$\mu^+\nu_\mu\nu\overline{\nu}$		$< 9 \times 10^{-6}$	90%	30
$e^+\nu_e\nu\overline{\nu}$		$< 1.6 \times 10^{-7}$	90%	70
Lepton Family number (LF) or Lepton number (L) violating modes				
$\mu^+\overline{\nu}_e$	L	[d] $< 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$	90%	30
$\mu^+\nu_e$	LF	[d] $< 8.0 \times 10^{-3}$	90%	30
$\mu^- e^+ e^+\nu$	LF	$< 1.6 \times 10^{-6}$	90%	30

π^0

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 134.9768 \pm 0.0005$ MeV (S = 1.1)
$m_{\pi^\pm} - m_{\pi^0} = 4.5936 \pm 0.0005$ MeV
Mean life $\tau = (8.43 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-17}$ s (S = 1.2)
$c\tau = 25.3$ nm

For decay limits to particles which are not established, see the appropriate Search sections (A^0 (axion) and Other Light Boson (X^0) Searches, etc.).

π^0 DECAY MODES		Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
2γ		(98.823±0.034) %	S=1.5	67
$e^+e^-\gamma$		(1.174±0.035) %	S=1.5	67
γ positronium		(1.82 ±0.29) $\times 10^{-9}$		67
$e^+e^+e^-e^-$		(3.34 ±0.16) $\times 10^{-5}$		67
e^+e^-		(6.46 ±0.33) $\times 10^{-8}$		67
4γ		< 2	$\times 10^{-8}$ CL=90%	67
$\nu\overline{\nu}$	[e]	< 4.4	$\times 10^{-9}$ CL=90%	67
$\nu_e\overline{\nu}_e$		< 1.7	$\times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	67
$\nu_\mu\overline{\nu}_\mu$		< 1.6	$\times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	67
$\nu_\tau\overline{\nu}_\tau$		< 2.1	$\times 10^{-6}$ CL=90%	67
$\gamma\nu\overline{\nu}$		< 1.9	$\times 10^{-7}$ CL=90%	67
Charge conjugation (C) or Lepton Family number (LF) violating modes				
3γ	C	< 3.1	$\times 10^{-8}$ CL=90%	67
μ^+e^-	LF	< 3.8	$\times 10^{-10}$ CL=90%	26
μ^-e^+	LF	< 3.2	$\times 10^{-10}$ CL=90%	26
$\mu^+e^- + \mu^-e^+$	LF	< 3.6	$\times 10^{-10}$ CL=90%	26

η

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 547.862 \pm 0.017$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 1.31 \pm 0.05$ keV

C-nonconserving decay parameters

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	left-right asymmetry	$= (0.09^{+0.11}_{-0.12}) \times 10^{-2}$
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	sextant asymmetry	$= (0.12^{+0.10}_{-0.11}) \times 10^{-2}$
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	quadrant asymmetry	$= (-0.09 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-2}$
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	left-right asymmetry	$= (0.9 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-2}$
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	β (D-wave)	$= -0.02 \pm 0.07$ (S = 1.3)

CP-nonconserving decay parameters

$\pi^+\pi^-e^+e^-$ decay-plane asymmetry $A_\phi = (-0.6 \pm 3.1) \times 10^{-2}$

Other decay parameters

$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$ Dalitz plot $\alpha = -0.0288 \pm 0.0012$ (S = 1.1)
Parameter Λ in $\eta \to \ell^+\ell^-\gamma$ decay = 0.716 ± 0.011 GeV/c^2

η DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
Neutral modes			
neutral modes	(71.96±0.30) %	S=1.3	–
2γ	(39.36±0.18) %	S=1.1	274
$3\pi^0$	(32.57±0.21) %	S=1.2	179
$\pi^0 2\gamma$	(2.55±0.22) × 10^{-4}		257
$2\pi^0 2\gamma$	< 1.2 × 10^{-3}	CL=90%	238
4γ	< 2.8 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	274
invisible	< 1.0 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	–
Charged modes			
charged modes	(28.04±0.30) %	S=1.3	–
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(23.02±0.25) %	S=1.2	174
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	(4.28±0.07) %	S=1.1	236
$e^+e^-\gamma$	(6.9 ±0.4) × 10^{-3}	S=1.2	274
$\mu^+\mu^-\gamma$	(3.1 ±0.4) × 10^{-4}		253
e^+e^-	< 7 × 10^{-7}	CL=90%	274
$\mu^+\mu^-$	(5.8 ±0.8) × 10^{-6}		253
$2e^+2e^-$	(2.40±0.22) × 10^{-5}		274
$\pi^+\pi^- e^+e^-(\gamma)$	(2.68±0.11) × 10^{-4}		235
$e^+e^-\mu^+\mu^-$	< 1.6 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	253
$2\mu^+2\mu^-$	< 3.6 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	161
$\mu^+\mu^-\pi^+\pi^-$	< 3.6 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	113
$\pi^+ e^-\overline{\nu}_e$ + c.c.	< 1.7 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	256
$\pi^+\pi^- 2\gamma$	< 2.1 × 10^{-3}		236
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\gamma$	< 6 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	174
$\pi^0\mu^+\mu^-\gamma$	< 3 × 10^{-6}	CL=90%	210
Charge conjugation (*C*), Parity (*P*), Charge conjugation × Parity (*CP*), or Lepton Family number (*LF*) violating modes			
$\pi^0\gamma$	*C* [*f*] < 9 × 10^{-5}	CL=90%	257
$\pi^+\pi^-$	*P*,*CP* < 4.4 × 10^{-6}	CL=90%	236
$2\pi^0$	*P*,*CP* < 3.5 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	238
$2\pi^0\gamma$	*C* < 5 × 10^{-4}	CL=90%	238
$3\pi^0\gamma$	*C* < 6 × 10^{-5}	CL=90%	179
3γ	*C* < 1.6 × 10^{-5}	CL=90%	274

$4\pi^0$	*P*,*CP*	<	6.9	$\times 10^{-7}$	CL=90%	40
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	*C*	[*g*] <	8	$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	257
$\pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$	*C*	[*g*] <	5	$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	210
$\mu^+ e^- + \mu^- e^+$	*LF*	<	6	$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	264

$f_0(500)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

also known as σ; was $f_0(600)$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

Mass (T-Matrix Pole $\sqrt{s}$) = (400–550)$-i$(200–350) MeV
Mass (Breit-Wigner) = 400 to 800 MeV
Full width (Breit-Wigner) = 100 to 800 MeV

$f_0(500)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	*p* (MeV/*c*)
$\pi\pi$	seen	–
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	–

$\rho(770)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass m = 775.26 ± 0.23 MeV
Full width Γ = 149.1 ± 0.8 MeV

$\rho(770)$ DECAY MODES		Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	*p* (MeV/*c*)
$\pi\pi$		~ 100 %		363
		$\rho(770)^\pm$ decays		
$\pi^\pm\gamma$		(4.5 ±0.5) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=2.2	375
$\pi^\pm\eta$		< 6 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=84%	152
$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$		< 2.0 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=84%	254
		$\rho(770)^0$ decays		
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$		(9.9 ±1.6) $\times 10^{-3}$		362
$\pi^0\gamma$		(4.7 ±0.8) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.7	376
$\eta\gamma$		(3.00±0.21) $\times 10^{-4}$		194
$\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$		(4.5 ±0.8) $\times 10^{-5}$		363
$\mu^+\mu^-$	[*h*]	(4.55±0.28) $\times 10^{-5}$		373
e^+e^-	[*h*]	(4.72±0.05) $\times 10^{-5}$		388
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$		($1.01^{+0.54}_{-0.36}\pm0.34$) $\times 10^{-4}$		323
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$		(1.8 ±0.9) $\times 10^{-5}$		251
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$		(1.6 ±0.8) $\times 10^{-5}$		257

$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	$<$	1.2	$\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	376

$\omega(782)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 782.66 \pm 0.13$ MeV (S = 2.0)
Full width $\Gamma = 8.68 \pm 0.13$ MeV

$\omega(782)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(89.2 $\pm$0.7) %		327
$\pi^0\gamma$	(8.35$\pm$0.27) %	S=2.2	380
$\pi^+\pi^-$	($1.53^{+0.11}_{-0.13}$) %	S=1.2	366
neutrals (excluding $\pi^0\gamma$)	(7^{+8}_{-4}) $\times 10^{-3}$	S=1.1	–
$\eta\gamma$	(4.5 $\pm$0.4) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.1	200
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	(7.7 $\pm$0.6) $\times 10^{-4}$		380
$\pi^0\mu^+\mu^-$	(1.34$\pm$0.18) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.5	349
e^+e^-	(7.38$\pm$0.22) $\times 10^{-5}$	S=1.9	391
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0\pi^0$	$<$ 2 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	262
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	$<$ 3.6 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	366
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$<$ 1 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=90%	256
$\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$	(6.7 $\pm$1.1) $\times 10^{-5}$		367
$\eta\pi^0\gamma$	$<$ 3.3 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	162
$\mu^+\mu^-$	(7.4 $\pm$1.8) $\times 10^{-5}$		377
3γ	$<$ 1.9 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=95%	391
Charge conjugation (C) violating modes			
$\eta\pi^0$ C	$<$ 2.1 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	162
$2\pi^0$ C	$<$ 2.2 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	367
$3\pi^0$ C	$<$ 2.3 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	330
invisible	$<$ 7 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	–

$\eta'(958)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 957.78 \pm 0.06$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 0.188 \pm 0.006$ MeV

$\eta'(958)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi^+\pi^-\eta$	(42.5 $\pm$0.5) %		232
$\rho^0\gamma$(including non-resonant $\pi^+\ \pi^-\ \gamma$)	(29.5 $\pm$0.4) %		165
$\pi^0\pi^0\eta$	(22.4 $\pm$0.5) %		239
$\omega\gamma$	(2.52 $\pm$0.07) %		159

$\omega e^+ e^-$	(2.0 ±0.4) × 10^{-4}				159
$\gamma\gamma$	(2.307±0.033) %				479
$3\pi^0$	(2.50 ±0.17) × 10^{-3}				430
$\mu^+\mu^-\gamma$	(1.13 ±0.28) × 10^{-4}				467
$\pi^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-$	(2.0 ±0.4) × 10^{-5}				401
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(3.61 ±0.17) × 10^{-3}				428
($\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$) S-wave	(3.8 ±0.5) × 10^{-3}				428
$\pi^\mp\rho^\pm$	(7.4 ±2.3) × 10^{-4}				106
$\pi^0\rho^0$	< 4		%	90%	111
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	(8.4 ±0.9) × 10^{-5}				372
$\pi^+\pi^-2\pi^0$	(1.8 ±0.4) × 10^{-4}				376
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$ neutrals	< 1		%	95%	–
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	< 1.8		× 10^{-3}	90%	298
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)2\pi^0$	< 1		%	95%	197
$3(\pi^+\pi^-)$	< 3.1		× 10^{-5}	90%	189
$K^\pm\pi^\mp$	< 4		× 10^{-5}	90%	334
$\pi^+\pi^- e^+ e^-$	(2.42 ±0.10) × 10^{-3}				458
$\pi^+ e^-\nu_e$ + c.c.	< 2.1		× 10^{-4}	90%	469
$\gamma e^+ e^-$	(4.91 ±0.27) × 10^{-4}				479
$\pi^0\gamma\gamma$	(3.20 ±0.24) × 10^{-3}				469
$\pi^0\gamma\gamma$(non resonant)	(6.2 ±0.9) × 10^{-4}				–
$\eta\gamma\gamma$	< 1.33		× 10^{-4}	90%	322
$4\pi^0$	< 4.94		× 10^{-5}	90%	380
$e^+ e^-$	< 5.6		× 10^{-9}	90%	479
invisible	< 6		× 10^{-4}	90%	–

Charge conjugation (C), Parity (P), Lepton family number (LF) violating modes

$\pi^+\pi^-$	P,CP		< 1.8	× 10^{-5}	90%	458
$\pi^0\pi^0$	P,CP		< 4	× 10^{-4}	90%	459
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	C	[g]	< 1.4	× 10^{-3}	90%	469
$\eta e^+ e^-$	C	[g]	< 2.4	× 10^{-3}	90%	322
3γ	C		< 1.0	× 10^{-4}	90%	479
$\mu^+\mu^-\pi^0$	C	[g]	< 6.0	× 10^{-5}	90%	445
$\mu^+\mu^-\eta$	C	[g]	< 1.5	× 10^{-5}	90%	273
$e\mu$	LF		< 4.7	× 10^{-4}	90%	473

$f_0(980)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

T-matrix pole $\sqrt{s}$ = (980–1010) − i (20–35) MeV [i]

Mass m = 990 ± 20 MeV [i]

Full width Γ = 10 to 100 MeV [i]

$f_0(980)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	seen	476
$K\overline{K}$	seen	36
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	495

$a_0(980)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{++})$

See the review on "Scalar Mesons below 1 GeV."

T-matrix pole $\sqrt{s}$ = (960–1030) $- i$ (20–70) MeV [i]
Mass $m = 980 \pm 20$ MeV [i]
Full width Γ = 50 to 100 MeV [i]

$a_0(980)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi$	seen	319
$K\overline{K}$	seen	†
$\eta'\pi$	seen	†
$\rho\pi$	not seen	137
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	490

$\phi(1020)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 1019.461 \pm 0.016$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 4.249 \pm 0.013$ MeV (S = 1.1)

$\phi(1020)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
K^+K^-	(49.1 ±0.5) %	S=1.3	127
$K^0_L K^0_S$	(33.9 ±0.4) %	S=1.2	110
$\rho\pi + \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(15.4 ±0.4) %	S=1.2	–
$\eta\gamma$	(1.301±0.025) %	S=1.2	363
$\pi^0\gamma$	(1.32 ±0.05) $\times 10^{-3}$		501
$\ell^+\ell^-$	—		510
e^+e^-	(2.979±0.033) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.3	510
$\mu^+\mu^-$	(2.85 ±0.19) $\times 10^{-4}$		499
ηe^+e^-	(1.08 ±0.04) $\times 10^{-4}$		363
$\pi^+\pi^-$	(7.3 ±1.3) $\times 10^{-5}$		490
$\omega\pi^0$	(4.7 ±0.5) $\times 10^{-5}$		171
$\omega\gamma$	$<$ 5 %	CL=84%	209
$\rho\gamma$	$<$ 1.2 $\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	215
$\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$	(4.1 ±1.3) $\times 10^{-5}$		490
$f_0(980)\gamma$	(3.22 ±0.19) $\times 10^{-4}$	S=1.1	29

$\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$	(1.12	± 0.06)	$\times 10^{-4}$		492
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	(3.9	$^{+2.8}_{-2.2}$)	$\times 10^{-6}$		410
$\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-\pi^0$	$<$ 4.6		$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	342
$\pi^0 e^+ e^-$	(1.33	$^{+0.07}_{-0.10}$)	$\times 10^{-5}$		501
$\pi^0\eta\gamma$	(7.27	± 0.30)	$\times 10^{-5}$	S=1.5	346
$a_0(980)\gamma$	(7.6	± 0.6)	$\times 10^{-5}$		39
$K^0\overline{K}^0\gamma$	$<$ 1.9		$\times 10^{-8}$	CL=90%	110
$\eta'(958)\gamma$	(6.21	± 0.21)	$\times 10^{-5}$		60
$\eta\pi^0\pi^0\gamma$	$<$ 2		$\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	293
$\mu^+\mu^-\gamma$	(1.4	± 0.5)	$\times 10^{-5}$		499
$\rho\gamma\gamma$	$<$ 1.2		$\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	215
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	$<$ 1.8		$\times 10^{-5}$	CL=90%	288
$\eta\mu^+\mu^-$	$<$ 9.4		$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	321
$\eta U \to \eta e^+ e^-$	$<$ 1		$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	–
invisible	$<$ 1.7		$\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	–

Lepton Family number (LF) violating modes

$e^\pm\mu^\mp$	*LF*	$<$ 2	$\times 10^{-6}$	CL=90%	504

$h_1(1170)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{+-})$

Mass $m = 1166 \pm 6$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 375 \pm 35$ MeV

$h_1(1170)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	305

$b_1(1235)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{+-})$

Mass $m = 1229.5 \pm 3.2$ MeV (S = 1.6)
Full width $\Gamma = 142 \pm 9$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$b_1(1235)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\omega\pi$	seen		348
[D/S amplitude ratio $= 0.277 \pm 0.027$]			
$\pi^\pm\gamma$	(1.6$\pm$0.4) $\times 10^{-3}$		607
$\eta\rho$	seen		†
$\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$<$ 50 %	84%	535
$K^*(892)^\pm K^\mp$	seen		†
$(K\overline{K})^\pm\pi^0$	$<$ 8 %	90%	248
$K^0_S K^0_L \pi^\pm$	$<$ 6 %	90%	235

$K^0_S K^0_S \pi^\pm$	$<$ 2	%	90%	235
$\phi\pi$	$<$ 1.5	%	84%	147

$a_1(1260)$ [j]

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1^{++})$

Mass $m = 1230 \pm 40$ MeV [i]
Full width $\Gamma = 250$ to 600 MeV [i]

$a_1(1260)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
3π	seen	577
$(\rho\pi)_{S-\text{wave}}$, $\rho \to \pi\pi$	seen	353
$(\rho\pi)_{D-\text{wave}}$, $\rho \to \pi\pi$	seen	353
$(\rho(1450)\pi)_{S-\text{wave}}$, $\rho \to \pi\pi$	seen	†
$(\rho(1450)\pi)_{D-\text{wave}}$, $\rho \to \pi\pi$	seen	†
$f_0(500)\pi$, $f_0 \to \pi\pi$	seen	–
$f_0(980)\pi$, $f_0 \to \pi\pi$	not seen	179
$f_0(1370)\pi$, $f_0 \to \pi\pi$	seen	†
$f_2(1270)\pi$, $f_2 \to \pi\pi$	seen	†
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	576
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$	not seen	577
$K K \pi$	seen	250
$K^*(892) K$	seen	†
$\pi\gamma$	seen	608

$f_2(1270)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 1275.5 \pm 0.8$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 186.7^{+2.2}_{-2.5}$ MeV (S = 1.4)

$f_2(1270)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	$(84.2\ ^{+2.9}_{-0.9})$ %	S=1.1	623
$\pi^+\pi^- 2\pi^0$	$(\ 7.7\ ^{+1.1}_{-3.2})$ %	S=1.2	563
$K\overline{K}$	$(\ 4.6\ ^{+0.5}_{-0.4})$ %	S=2.7	404
$2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	$(\ 2.8\ \pm 0.4\ )$ %	S=1.2	560
$\eta\eta$	$(\ 4.0\ \pm 0.8\ ) \times 10^{-3}$	S=2.1	326
$4\pi^0$	$(\ 3.0\ \pm 1.0\ ) \times 10^{-3}$		565
$\gamma\gamma$	$(\ 1.42 \pm 0.24) \times 10^{-5}$	S=1.4	638
$\eta\pi\pi$	$<$ 8 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	478
$K^0 K^- \pi^+ +$ c.c.	$<$ 3.4 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	293
$e^+ e^-$	$<$ 6 $\times 10^{-10}$	CL=90%	638

$f_1(1285)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(1^{++})$

Mass $m = 1281.9 \pm 0.5$ MeV (S = 1.8)
Full width $\Gamma = 22.7 \pm 1.1$ MeV (S = 1.5)

$f_1(1285)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
4π	(32.7± 1.9) %	S=1.2	568
$\pi^0\pi^0\pi^+\pi^-$	(21.8± 1.3) %	S=1.2	566
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	(10.9± 0.6) %	S=1.2	563
$\rho^0\pi^+\pi^-$	(10.9± 0.6) %	S=1.2	336
$\rho^0\rho^0$	seen		†
$4\pi^0$	< 7 $\times 10^{-4}$	CL=90%	568
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	(35 ±15) %		479
$\eta\pi\pi$	(52.2± 2.0) %	S=1.2	482
$a_0(980)\pi$ [ignoring $a_0(980) \to K\overline{K}$]	(38 ± 4) %		238
$\eta\pi\pi$ [excluding $a_0(980)\pi$]	(14 ± 4) %		482
$K\overline{K}\pi$	(9.0± 0.4) %	S=1.1	308
$K\overline{K}^*(892)$	not seen		†
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(3.0± 0.9) $\times 10^{-3}$		603
$\rho^\pm\pi^\mp$	< 3.1 $\times 10^{-3}$	CL=95%	390
$\gamma\rho^0$	(6.1± 1.0) %	S=1.7	406
$\phi\gamma$	(7.4± 2.6) $\times 10^{-4}$		236
e^+e^-	< 9.4 $\times 10^{-9}$	CL=90%	641

$\eta(1295)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{-+})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."
Mass $m = 1294 \pm 4$ MeV (S = 1.6)
Full width $\Gamma = 55 \pm 5$ MeV

$\eta(1295)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	487
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	248
$\eta\pi^0\pi^0$	seen	490
$\eta(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen	–

$\pi(1300)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1300 \pm 100$ MeV [i]
Full width $\Gamma = 200$ to 600 MeV [i]

$\pi(1300)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	404
$\pi(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen	–

$a_2(1320)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 1318.2 \pm 0.6$ MeV (S = 1.2)
Full width $\Gamma = 107 \pm 5$ MeV [i]

$a_2(1320)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor/ Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
3π	(70.1 ±2.7) %	S=1.2	624
$\eta\pi$	(14.5 ±1.2) %		535
$\omega\pi\pi$	(10.6 ±3.2) %	S=1.3	366
$K\overline{K}$	(4.9 ±0.8) %		437
$\eta'(958)\pi$	(5.5 ±0.9) $\times 10^{-3}$		288
$\pi^{\pm}\gamma$	(2.91±0.27) $\times 10^{-3}$		652
$\gamma\gamma$	(9.4 ±0.7) $\times 10^{-6}$		659
e^+e^-	< 5 $\times 10^{-9}$	CL=90%	659

$f_0(1370)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."
Mass $m = 1200$ to 1500 MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 200$ to 500 MeV

$f_0(1370)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	seen	672
4π	seen	617
$4\pi^0$	seen	617
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	seen	612
$\pi^+\pi^-2\pi^0$	seen	615
$\rho\rho$	seen	†
$2(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen	–
$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen	†
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen	35
$\eta\eta$	seen	411
$K\overline{K}$	seen	475
$K\overline{K}n\pi$	not seen	†
6π	not seen	508
$\omega\omega$	not seen	†

$\gamma\gamma$	seen	685
e^+e^-	not seen	685

$\pi_1(1400)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1^{-+})$

Coupled channel analyses favor the existence of only one broad 1^{-+} isovector state consistent with $\pi_1(1600)$ in the 1400–1600 MeV region. See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\pi_1(1600)$.

Mass $m = 1354 \pm 25$ MeV (S = 1.8)
Full width $\Gamma = 330 \pm 35$ MeV

$\pi_1(1400)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi^0$	seen	557
$\eta\pi^-$	seen	556
$\rho(770)\pi$	not seen	442

$\eta(1405)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{-+})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\eta(1475)$.

Mass $m = 1408.8 \pm 2.0$ MeV (S = 2.2)
Full width $\Gamma = 50.1 \pm 2.6$ MeV (S = 1.7)

$\eta(1405)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}\pi$	seen		424
$\eta\pi\pi$	seen		562
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen		345
$\eta(\pi\pi)_S$-wave	seen		–
$f_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	not seen		–
$f_0(980)\eta$	seen		†
4π	seen		639
$\rho\rho$	<58 %	99.85%	†
$\rho^0\gamma$	seen		491
$K^*(892)K$	seen		123

$h_1(1415)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{+-})$

was $h_1(1380)$

Mass $m = 1416 \pm 8$ MeV (S = 1.5)
Full width $\Gamma = 90 \pm 15$ MeV

$f_1(1420)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(1^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1426.3 \pm 0.9$ MeV (S = 1.1)

Full width $\Gamma = 54.5 \pm 2.6$ MeV

$f_1(1420)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}\pi$	seen	438
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	seen	163
$\eta\pi\pi$	possibly seen	573
$\phi\gamma$	seen	349

$\omega(1420)$ [k] $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 1410 \pm 60$ MeV [i]

Full width $\Gamma = 290 \pm 190$ MeV [i]

$\omega(1420)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	480
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	437
$b_1(1235)\pi$	seen	112
e^+e^-	seen	705

$a_0(1450)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1474 \pm 19$ MeV

Full width $\Gamma = 265 \pm 13$ MeV

Branching fractions are given relative to the one **DEFINED AS 1**.

$a_0(1450)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\eta$	0.093 ± 0.020	627
$\pi\eta'(958)$	0.033 ± 0.017	410
$K\overline{K}$	0.082 ± 0.028	547
$\omega\pi\pi$	**DEFINED AS 1**	484
$a_0(980)\pi\pi$	seen	342
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	737

$\rho(1450)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1465 \pm 25$ MeV [i]

Full width $\Gamma = 400 \pm 60$ MeV [i]

$\rho(1450)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	seen	720
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	719
4π	seen	669
e^+e^-	seen	732
$\eta\rho$	seen	311
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen	55
$K\overline{K}$	seen	541
K^+K^-	seen	541
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	possibly seen	229
$\eta\gamma$	seen	630
$f_0(500)\gamma$	not seen	–
$f_0(980)\gamma$	not seen	398
$f_0(1370)\gamma$	not seen	92
$f_2(1270)\gamma$	not seen	177

$\eta(1475)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{-+})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances." See also $\eta(1405)$.

Mass $m = 1475 \pm 4$ MeV (S = 1.4)

Full width $\Gamma = 90 \pm 9$ MeV (S = 1.6)

$\eta(1475)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}\pi$	seen	477
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	seen	244
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	396
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	738
$K^0_S K^0_S \eta$	possibly seen	†
$\gamma\phi(1020)$	possibly seen	385

$f_0(1500)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."

Mass $m = 1506 \pm 6$ MeV (S = 1.4)

Full width $\Gamma = 112 \pm 9$ MeV

$f_0(1500)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi$	(34.5±2.2) %	1.2	741
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen		740
$2\pi^0$	seen		741
4π	(48.9±3.3) %	1.2	692
$4\pi^0$	seen		692
$2\pi^+2\pi^-$	seen		687
$2(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	seen		–
$\rho\rho$	seen		†
$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen		145
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen		219
$\eta\eta$	(6.0±0.9) %	1.1	517
$\eta\eta'(958)$	(2.2±0.8) %	1.4	20
$K\overline{K}$	(8.5±1.0) %	1.1	569
$\gamma\gamma$	not seen		753

$f_2'(1525)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 1517.4 \pm 2.5$ MeV (S = 2.8)

Full width $\Gamma = 86 \pm 5$ MeV (S = 2.2)

$f_2'(1525)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}$	(87.6±2.2) %	1.1	576
$\eta\eta$	(11.6±2.2) %	1.1	525
$\pi\pi$	$(8.3\pm1.6)\times10^{-3}$		747
$\gamma\gamma$	$(9.5\pm1.1)\times10^{-7}$	1.1	759

$\pi_1(1600)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1^{-+})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances" and a note in PDG 06, Journal of Physics **G33** 1 (2006). See also $\pi_1(1400)$.

Mass $m = 1661^{+15}_{-11}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

Full width $\Gamma = 240 \pm 50$ MeV (S = 1.7)

$\pi_1(1600)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi\pi$	seen	803
$\rho^0\pi^-$	seen	641
$f_2(1270)\pi^-$	not seen	318
$b_1(1235)\pi$	seen	357
$\eta'(958)\pi^-$	seen	543
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	314

$a_1(1640)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(1^{++})$

Mass $m = 1655 \pm 16$ MeV (S = 1.2)
Full width $\Gamma = 254 \pm 40$ MeV (S = 1.8)

$a_1(1640)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi\pi\pi$	seen	800
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	314
$\sigma\pi$	seen	–
$\rho\pi_{S-wave}$	seen	638
$\rho\pi_{D-wave}$	seen	638
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	607
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	309
$a_1(1260)\eta$	not seen	†

$\eta_2(1645)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1617 \pm 5$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 181 \pm 11$ MeV

$\eta_2(1645)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	242
$K\overline{K}\pi$	seen	580
$K^*\overline{K}$	seen	404
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	685
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	499
$f_2(1270)\eta$	not seen	†

$\omega(1650)$ [l]

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 1670 \pm 30$ MeV [i]
Full width $\Gamma = 315 \pm 35$ MeV [i]

$\omega(1650)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	647
$\rho(1450)\pi$	seen	145
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	617
$\omega\eta$	seen	500
e^+e^-	seen	835
$\pi^0\gamma$	not seen	830

$\omega_3(1670)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(3^{--})$

Mass $m = 1667 \pm 4$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 168 \pm 10$ MeV

$\omega_3(1670)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\rho\pi$	seen	645
$\omega\pi\pi$	seen	615
$b_1(1235)\pi$	possibly seen	361

$\pi_2(1670)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1670.6^{+2.9}_{-1.2}$ MeV (S = 1.3)
Full width $\Gamma = 258^{+8}_{-9}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\pi_2(1670)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	p (MeV/c)
3π	(95.8±1.4) %		808
$f_2(1270)\pi$	(56.3±3.2) %		327
$\rho\pi$	(31 ±4) %		647
$\sigma\pi$	(10 ±4) %		–
$\pi(\pi\pi)_{S\text{-wave}}$	(8.7±3.4) %		–
$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-$	(53 ±4) %		806
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	(4.2±1.4) %		453
$\omega\rho$	(2.7±1.1) %		302
$\pi^\pm\gamma$	(7.0±1.2) $\times 10^{-4}$		829
$\gamma\gamma$	$<$ 2.8 $\times 10^{-7}$	90%	835
$\eta\pi$	$<$ 5 %		739
$\pi^\pm 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	$<$ 5 %		735
$\rho(1450)\pi$	$<$ 3.6 $\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%	145
$b_1(1235)\pi$	$<$ 1.9 $\times 10^{-3}$	97.7%	364
$f_1(1285)\pi$	possibly seen		322
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen		291

$\phi(1680)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 1680 \pm 20$ MeV [i]
Full width $\Gamma = 150 \pm 50$ MeV [i]

$\phi(1680)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	seen	462
$K^0_S K\pi$	seen	621
$K\overline{K}$	seen	680
e^+e^-	seen	840
$\omega\pi\pi$	not seen	623
$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	544
$\eta\phi$	seen	290
$\eta\gamma$	seen	751

$\rho_3(1690)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(3^{--})$

Mass $m = 1688.8 \pm 2.1$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 161 \pm 10$ MeV (S = 1.5)

$\rho_3(1690)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Scale factor	p (MeV/c)
4π	(71.1 ± 1.9) %		790
$\pi^\pm\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	(67 ±22) %		787
$\omega\pi$	(16 ± 6) %		655
$\pi\pi$	(23.6 ± 1.3) %		834
$K\overline{K}\pi$	(3.8 ± 1.2) %		629
$K\overline{K}$	(1.58± 0.26) %	1.2	685
$\eta\pi^+\pi^-$	seen		727
$\rho(770)\eta$	seen		520
$\pi\pi\rho$	seen		633
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen		307
$\rho\rho$	seen		335

$\rho(1700)$ $I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^+(1^{--})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."
Mass $m = 1720 \pm 20$ MeV [i] ($\eta\rho^0$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ modes)
Full width $\Gamma = 250 \pm 100$ MeV [i] ($\eta\rho^0$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ modes)

$\rho(1700)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	seen	803
$\rho\pi\pi$	seen	653
$\rho^0\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	651
$\rho^\pm\pi^\mp\pi^0$	seen	652
$a_1(1260)\pi$	seen	404
$h_1(1170)\pi$	seen	450
$\pi(1300)\pi$	seen	349
$\rho\rho$	seen	372
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	849
$\pi\pi$	seen	849
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	seen	496
$\eta\rho$	seen	545
$a_2(1320)\pi$	not seen	334
$K\overline{K}$	seen	704
e^+e^-	seen	860
$\pi^0\omega$	seen	674
$\pi^0\gamma$	not seen	855

$a_2(1700)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 1698 \pm 40$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 265 \pm 60$ MeV

$a_2(1700)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi$	(3.6 $\pm$1.1) %	754
$\gamma\gamma$	$(1.13\pm0.30)\times10^{-6}$	849
$\rho\pi$	seen	664
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	350
$K\overline{K}$	(1.9 $\pm$1.2) %	691
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	634
$\omega\rho$	seen	338

$f_0(1710)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(0^{++})$

See the review on "Spectroscopy of Light Meson Resonances."
Mass $m = 1704 \pm 12$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 123 \pm 18$ MeV

$f_0(1710)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}$	seen	694
$\eta\eta$	seen	652
$\pi\pi$	seen	841
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	852
$\omega\omega$	seen	337

$\pi(1800)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(0^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1810^{+\ 9}_{-11}$ MeV (S = 2.2)
Full width $\Gamma = 215^{+7}_{-8}$ MeV

$\pi(1800)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	seen	878
$f_0(500)\pi^-$	seen	–
$f_0(980)\pi^-$	seen	624
$f_0(1370)\pi^-$	seen	366
$f_0(1500)\pi^-$	not seen	247
$\rho\pi^-$	not seen	731
$\eta\eta\pi^-$	seen	660
$a_0(980)\eta$	seen	471
$a_2(1320)\eta$	not seen	†
$f_2(1270)\pi$	not seen	441
$f_0(1370)\pi^-$	not seen	366
$f_0(1500)\pi^-$	seen	247
$\eta\eta'(958)\pi^-$	seen	373
$K_0^*(1430)K^-$	seen	†
$K^*(892)K^-$	not seen	568

$\phi_3(1850)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(3^{--})$

Mass $m = 1854 \pm 7$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 87^{+28}_{-23}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\phi_3(1850)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}$	seen	785
$K\overline{K}^*(892)+$ c.c.	seen	602

$\eta_2(1870)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1842 \pm 8$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 225 \pm 14$ MeV

$\eta_2(1870)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\pi\pi$	seen	816
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	434
$f_2(1270)\eta$	seen	119
$a_0(980)\pi$	seen	651
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	921

$\pi_2(1880)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(2^{-+})$

Mass $m = 1874^{+26}_{-5}$ MeV (S = 1.6)
Full width $\Gamma = 237^{+33}_{-30}$ MeV (S = 1.2)

$\pi_2(1880)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\eta\eta\pi^-$	seen	702
$a_0(980)\eta$	seen	528
$a_2(1320)\eta$	seen	76
$f_0(1500)\pi$	seen	308
$f_1(1285)\pi$	seen	485
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	744

$f_2(1950)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 1936 \pm 12$ MeV (S = 1.3)
Full width $\Gamma = 464 \pm 24$ MeV

$f_2(1950)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K^*(892)\overline{K}^*(892)$	seen	377
$\pi^+\pi^-$	seen	958
$\pi^0\pi^0$	seen	959
4π	seen	921
$\eta\eta$	seen	798
$K\overline{K}$	seen	833
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	968
$p\overline{p}$	seen	238

$a_4(1970)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 1^-(4^{++})$

was $a_4(2040)$

Mass $m = 1967 \pm 16$ MeV (S = 2.1)
Full width $\Gamma = 324^{+15}_{-18}$ MeV

$a_4(1970)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$K\overline{K}$	seen	851
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	959
$\rho\pi$	seen	825
$f_2(1270)\pi$	seen	559
$\omega\pi^-\pi^0$	seen	801
$\omega\rho$	seen	601
$\eta\pi$	seen	902
$\eta'(958)\pi$	seen	743

$f_2(2010)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 2011^{+60}_{-80}$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 202 \pm 60$ MeV

$f_2(2010)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	†
$K\overline{K}$	seen	876

$f_4(2050)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(4^{++})$

Mass $m = 2018 \pm 11$ MeV (S = 2.1)
Full width $\Gamma = 237 \pm 18$ MeV (S = 1.9)

$f_4(2050)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\omega\omega$	seen	637
$\pi\pi$	(17.0 ± 1.5) %	1000
$K\overline{K}$	$(\ 6.8^{+3.4}_{-1.8}) \times 10^{-3}$	880
$\eta\eta$	$(\ 2.1\pm0.8) \times 10^{-3}$	848
$4\pi^0$	$<\ 1.2$ %	964
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	1009
$a_2(1320)\pi$	seen	567

$\phi(2170)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^-(1^{--})$

Mass $m = 2162 \pm 7$ MeV [i] (S = 1.1)
Full width $\Gamma = 100^{+31}_{-23}$ MeV [i] (S = 2.5)

$\phi(2170)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$e^+ e^-$	seen	1081
$\phi f_0(980)$	seen	399
$K^+ K^- f_0(980) \to K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	seen	–
$K^+ K^- f_0(980) \to K^+ K^- \pi^0 \pi^0$	seen	–
$K^{*0} K^\pm \pi^\mp$	not seen	761
$K^*(892)^0 \overline{K}^*(892)^0$	not seen	612

$f_2(2300)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 2297 \pm 28$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 149 \pm 40$ MeV

$f_2(2300)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	529
$K\overline{K}$	seen	1037
$\gamma\gamma$	seen	1149
$\Lambda\overline{\Lambda}$	seen	273

$f_2(2340)$

$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(2^{++})$

Mass $m = 2345^{+50}_{-40}$ MeV
Full width $\Gamma = 322^{+70}_{-60}$ MeV

$f_2(2340)$ DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	p (MeV/c)
$\phi\phi$	seen	580
$\eta\eta$	seen	1037

NOTES

[*a*] See the review on "Form Factors for Radiative Pion and Kaon Decays" for definitions and details.

[*b*] Measurements of $\Gamma(e^+\nu_e)/\Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu)$ always include decays with γ's, and measurements of $\Gamma(e^+\nu_e\gamma)$ and $\Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu\gamma)$ never include low-energy γ's. Therefore, since no clean separation is possible, we consider the modes with γ's to be subreactions of the modes without them, and let $[\Gamma(e^+\nu_e) + \Gamma(\mu^+\nu_\mu)]/\Gamma_{\rm total} = 100\%$.

[*c*] See the $\pi^\pm$ Particle Listings for the energy limits used in this measurement; low-energy γ's are not included.

[*d*] Derived from an analysis of neutrino-oscillation experiments.

[*e*] Astrophysical and cosmological arguments give limits of order 10^{-13}, but they are model dependent and for the summary value we use the best laboratory limit, which includes any final state of invisible particles.

[*f*] Forbidden by angular momentum conservation.

[*g*] *C* parity forbids this to occur as a single-photon process.

[*h*] The $\omega\rho$ interference is then due to $\omega\rho$ mixing only, and is expected to be small. If $e\mu$ universality holds, $\Gamma(\rho^0 \to \mu^+\mu^-) = \Gamma(\rho^0 \to e^+e^-) \times 0.99785$.

[*i*] Our estimate. See the Particle Listings for details.

[*j*] See the "Note on $a_1(1260)$" in the $a_1(1260)$ Particle Listings in PDG 06, Journal of Physics **G33** 1 (2006).

[*k*] See also the $\omega(1650)$.

[*l*] See also the $\omega(1420)$.