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THE POMERON IN EXCLUSIVE VECTOR MESON PRODUCTION

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Table 1: Kinematical Quantities.

neg. momentum transfer squared $\gamma \ p \ {\rm c.m.}$ energy squared momentum transfer proton

$$Q^{2} = -q^{2} = -(k - k')^{2}$$

$$s \equiv W^{2} = (p + q)^{2}$$

$$t = (p - p')^{2}$$

 $\gamma p
ightarrow V p$, where $V =
ho, \omega, arphi, J/\psi, 1$



Experimental data on VM exclusive photoproduction.

Photoproduction of a vector meson



The Amplitude $\gamma p \rightarrow Vp$

$$A(s,t)_{s\to\infty} \approx if(t) \left(-i\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t)} \left[\ln\left(-i\frac{s}{s_0}\right) + g(t)\right]$$

$$s = W^2$$

$$f(t) = (\alpha_P(t) - 1)f_1(t) + (\alpha_P(t) + 1)f_2(t)$$

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$$f(t) = a e^{bt} + ct e^{dt} \ ; g(t) \equiv g \ .$$

The Dipole Pomeron

$$\begin{split} \pmb{\alpha_{I\!P}}(t) &= 1 + \gamma (\sqrt{t_0} - \sqrt{t_0 - t} \) \\ t_0 &= 4m_\pi^2 \ , \gamma = m_\pi / 1 \, GeV^2 \\ \pmb{\alpha_{I\!P}}(0) &= 1 \\ \pmb{\alpha'_{I\!P}}(0) &\simeq 0.25 \, GeV^{-2} \end{split}$$

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The cross section $\gamma^* p \to J/\psi p$

$$\sigma_{tot}^{\gamma^*\,p\,\rightarrow J/\psi\,p} \propto \frac{1}{(1+Q^2/M_{J/\psi}^2)^n} \ , \label{eq:state}$$

 $n\sim 1.75~{\rm ZEUS}$ Eur. Phys. J. C 6, 603 (1999), $n\sim 2.38~{\rm H1}$ Phys. Lett. B483 (2001) 63.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma}{dt} &= 4\pi \left(1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_{J/\psi}^2}\right)^{-\beta} \left[a \ e^{bt} + ct \ e^{dt}\right]^2 \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{2\alpha_P(t) - 2} \times \\ & \left(\left[\ln\left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right) + g \ [1 + Q^2/(Q^2 + M_{J/\psi}^2)]^\gamma\right]^2 + \frac{\pi^2}{4}\right) \end{aligned}$$

 J/ψ and $\phi(1020) \rightarrow$ only the Pomeron exchange.

Parameters for $\gamma p \to J/\psi p$

Photoproduction		
	e^+e^- channel	$\mu^+\mu^-$ channel
	$W < 160 { m ~GeV}$	$W < 160 { m ~GeV}$
$a [{ m GeV}^{-2}]$	$(1.8 \pm 0.1) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(1.83 \pm 0.09) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$b [{ m GeV}^{-2}]$	1.55 ± 0.49	2.25 ± 0.24
$C [{ m GeV}^{-4}]$	$(-0.48 \pm 0.54) \cdot 10^{-3}$	$(-0.97 \pm 0.19) \cdot 10^{-3}$
$d [{ m GeV}^{-2}]$	0.851	0.851
g	-4.23 ± 0.37	-4.25 ± 0.22
$\chi^2/d.o.f.$	1.5	1.0

Table 2: Values of parameters obtained by fitting J/ψ photoproduction data W < 160 GeV.

Photoproduction		
	e^+e^- channel	
	$W < 300 { m ~GeV}$	
a [GeV^{-2}]	$(1.97 \pm 0.13) \cdot 10^{-3}$	
$b [{ m GeV}^{-2}]$	1.40 ± 0.51	
$C [GeV^{-4}]$	$(-0.35 \pm 0.67) \cdot 10^{-3}$	
$d [{ m GeV}^{-2}]$	0.851	
g	-4.58 ± 0.29	
$\chi^2/d.o.f.$	1.2	

Table 3: Values of parameters obtained by fitting J/ψ photoproduction data W < 300 GeV.

DIFFERENTIAL CROSS SECTIONS



Differential cross section of exclusive J/ψ photoproduction for $35 \le W \le 80$ GeV. The dashed line corresponds to $J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-$ channel fit (Column 2 of Table 2). The dotted line corresponds to $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ channel fit (Column 3 of Table 2). The solid line corresponds to $J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-$ channel fit (Column 4 of Table 2).

DIFFERENTIAL CROSS SECTIONS



Differential cross section of exclusive J/ψ photoproduction for $100 \le W \le 140 \text{ GeV}$.

DIFFERENTIAL CROSS SECTIONS



Differential cross section of exclusive J/ψ photoproduction for $147 \le W \le 260 \text{ GeV}$.

ELASTIC CROSS SECTION



Elastic cross section of exclusive J/ψ meson photoproduction.

THE SLOPE



The slope of differential cross section of exclusive J/ψ photoproduction.

$$B(W) = \frac{d}{dt} (\ln \frac{d\sigma}{dt})$$

by virtual photons $(Q^2 > 0)$.

 $\gamma \neq 0$: $\beta = 1.94 \pm 0.42$, $\gamma = 0.69 \pm 0.24$ and $\chi^2/{
m d.o.f.} = 0.81.$

 $\gamma = 0: \beta = 2.86 \pm 0.09$ and $\chi^2/d.o.f. = 1.07$.



Cross section of exclusive J/ψ electroproduction as a function of W.

ELASTIC CROSS SECTION



Cross section of exclusive J/ψ electroproduction as a function of Q^2 .

Photoproduction of $\phi(1020)$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} a = & (0.46 \pm 0.12) \cdot 10^{-2} \ [{\rm GeV}^{-2}], \\ b = & 2.26 \pm 0.12 \ [{\rm GeV}^{-2}], \\ c = & 0.0 \pm 0.68 \cdot 10^{-2} \ [{\rm GeV}^{-4}], \\ d = & 0.851 \ [{\rm GeV}^{-2}], \\ g = & -0.08 \pm 1.5. \end{array}$$

Table 4: Values of parameters obtained by fitting $\phi(1020)$ photoproduction data.



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Electroproduction of $\phi(1020)$

$$\beta = 2.12 \pm 0.03,$$

 $\chi^2/d.o.f. = 0.3$

Table 5: Values of parameters obtained by fitting $\phi(1020)$ electroproduction data.



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Table 6: Values of parameters obtained by fitting $p\bar{p}$ data at energies $\sqrt{s} = 546$ GeV and 1.8 TeV.



Differential cross section of elastic $\bar{p}p$ scattering at the energies $\sqrt{s} = 546$ GeV and 1.8 TeV.

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IOTAL AND ELASTIC CROSS SECTIONS



Elastic and total cross sections of $\bar{p}p$ scattering.

RATIO ρ =RE(A)/IIVI(A)



Ratio of real to imaginary part of the $\bar{p}p$ scattering amplitude.

THE SLOPE



The slope of differential cross section of $\bar{p}p$ scattering.

$$B(W) = \frac{d}{dt} (\ln \frac{d\sigma}{dt})$$

CONCLUSIONS

- The main properties of the model:
 - → The trajectory $\alpha_{I\!\!P}(t) = 1 + \gamma \left(\sqrt{4m_\pi^2} \sqrt{4m_\pi^2 t}\right)$
 - ➡ The Pomeron intercept is equal to one
 - The Pomeron is a double pole in the complex j-plane
- ⇒ The aim was to study the Pomeron exchange in reactions where non leading contributions are absent or negligible. We have chosen J/ψ and φ(1020) photoproduction and electroproduction as Pomeron filters.
- To demonstrate the universality of the chosen trajectory we applied the model to pp scattering at sufficiently high energies where only the Pomeron contributes. The good agreement with the experimental data is an argument in favor of the chosen Pomeron trajectory.