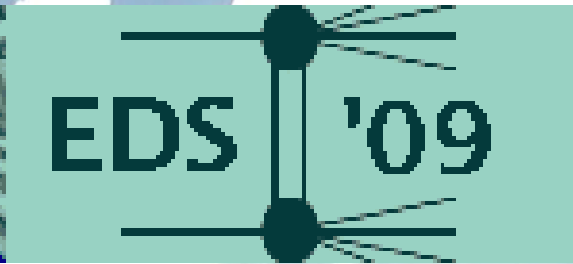


Diffraction and Total pp Cross Sections at LHC



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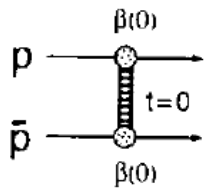
Strategy

- ❑ Froissart bound $\sigma \leq \frac{\pi}{m^2} \cdot \ln^2 s$ (s in GeV²)
- ❑ For $m^2 = m_\pi^2 \rightarrow \pi/m^2 \sim 10^4$ mb – large!
- ❑ If $m^2 = s_0 = (\text{mass})^2$ of a large **SUPERglueBALL**, the bound can be reached at a much lower s-value, s_F ,
 $\rightarrow \sigma(s > s_F) = \sigma(s_F) + \frac{\pi}{s_0} \cdot \ln^2 \frac{s}{s_F}$
- ❑ Determine s_F and s_0 from σ_T^{SD}
- ❑ Show that $\sqrt{s_F} < 1.8$ TeV
- ❑ Show that at $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$ TeV Reggeon contributions are negligible
- ❑ Get cross section at the LHC as

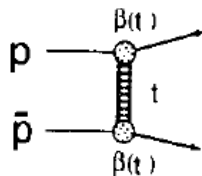
$$\sigma_{14000}^{\text{LHC}} = \sigma_{1800}^{\text{CDF}} + \frac{\pi}{s_0} \cdot \ln^2 \frac{s^{\text{LHC}}}{s^{\text{CDF}}}$$

Standard Regge Theory

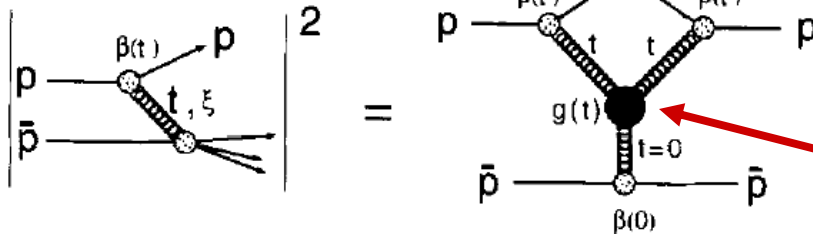
TOTAL CROSS SECTION



ELASTIC SCATTERING



SINGLE DIFFRACTION DISSOCIATION



Parameters:

- ❑ s_0, s_0' and $g(t)$
- ❑ set $s_0' = s_0$ (universal IP)
- ❑ $g(t) \rightarrow g(0) \equiv g_{PPP}$ see KG-PR
- ❑ determine s_0 and g_{PPP} – how?

(KG-95)

$$\sigma_T = \beta_1(0)\beta_2(0) \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{\alpha(0)-1} = \sigma_0^{p\bar{p}} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^\epsilon \quad (1)$$

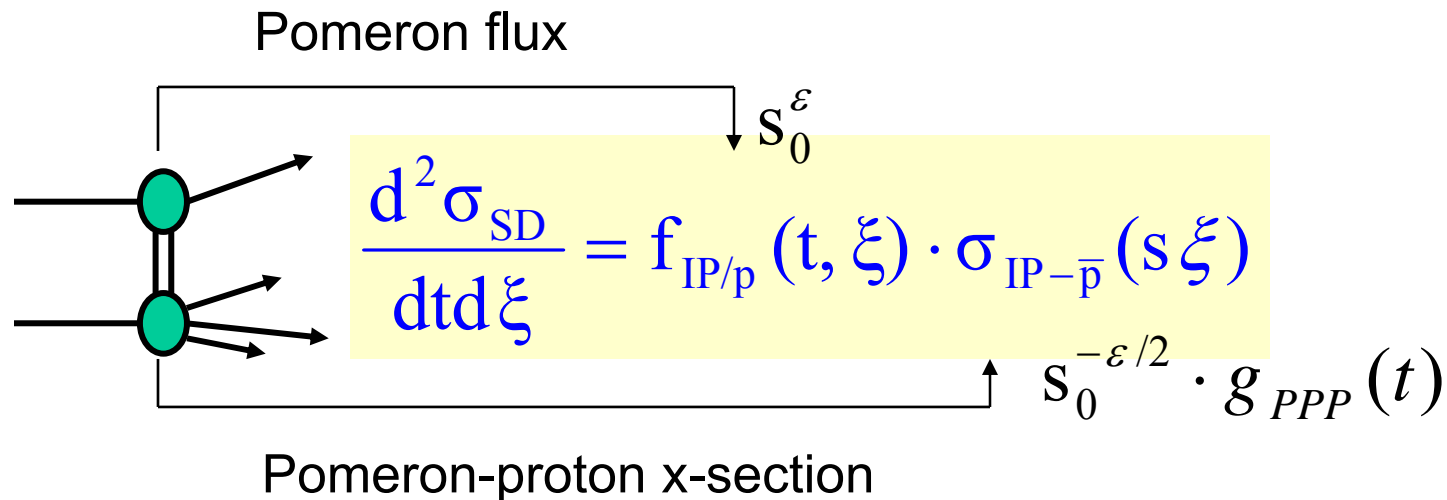
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\sigma_{el}}{dt} &= \frac{\beta_1^2(t)\beta_2^2(t)}{16\pi} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{2[\alpha(t)-1]} \\ &= \frac{\sigma_T^2}{16\pi} \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right)^{2\alpha't} F^4(t) \approx \frac{\sigma_T^2}{16\pi} e^{b_{el}(s)t} \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

$$F^4(t) \approx e^{b_{0,el}t} \Rightarrow b_{el}(s) = b_{0,el} + 2\alpha' \ln \left(\frac{s}{s_0}\right) \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{d^2\sigma_{sd}}{dt d\xi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\beta_1^2(t)}{16\pi} \xi^{1-2\alpha(t)} \left[\beta_2(0) g(t) \left(\frac{s'}{s_0'}\right)^{\alpha(0)-1} \right] \\ &= f_{P/p}(\xi, t) \sigma_T^{p\bar{p}}(s', t) \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

Unitarity and Renormalization

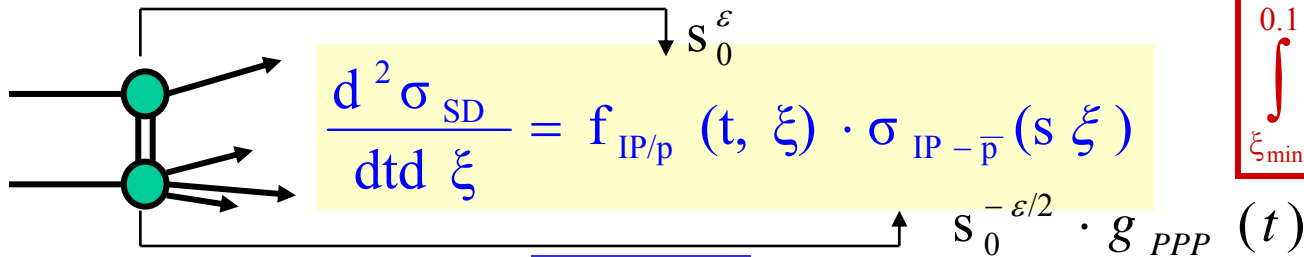


- Two free parameters: s_0 and g_{PPP}
- Obtain product $g_{PPP} \cdot s_0^{\epsilon/2}$ from σ_{SD}
- Renormalized Pomeron flux determines s_0
- Get unique solution for g_{PPP}

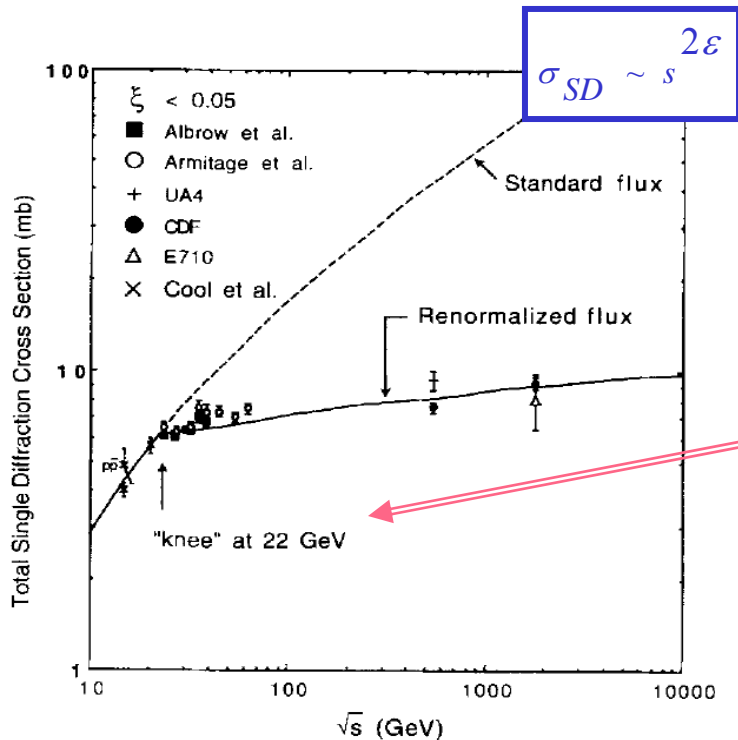
Single Diffraction

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Pomeron flux



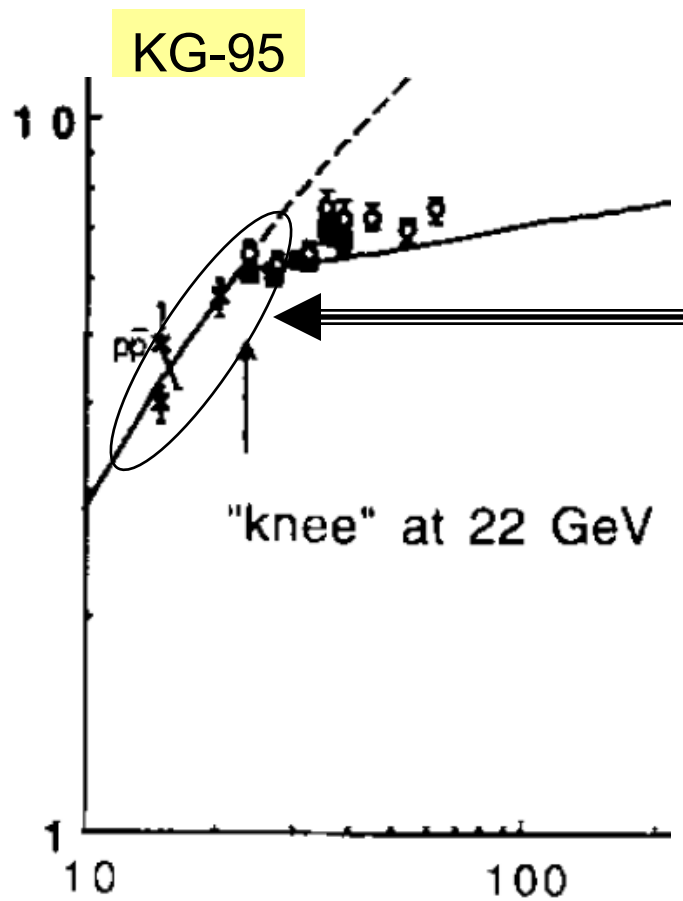
$$\int_{\xi_{\min}}^{0.1} \int_{t=-\infty}^0 f_{IP/p}(t, \xi) d\xi dt \Rightarrow 1$$



Renormalization

- ❑ $\int_{\xi_{\min} \approx 1/s}^{\xi} \int_{t=-\infty}^0 f_{IP/p}(t, \xi) d\xi dt \approx C \cdot s^{2\epsilon} \cdot s_0^\epsilon \Rightarrow 1$
- ❑ Flux integral depends on s and s_0
- ❑ "knee" \sqrt{s} -position determines s -value where flux becomes unity \rightarrow get s_0
- ❑ get error in s_0 from error in \sqrt{s} -knee
 $\delta s_0 / s_0 = -2 \delta s / s = -4 (\delta \sqrt{s}) / \sqrt{s}$

The value of s_0 - a bird's-eye view



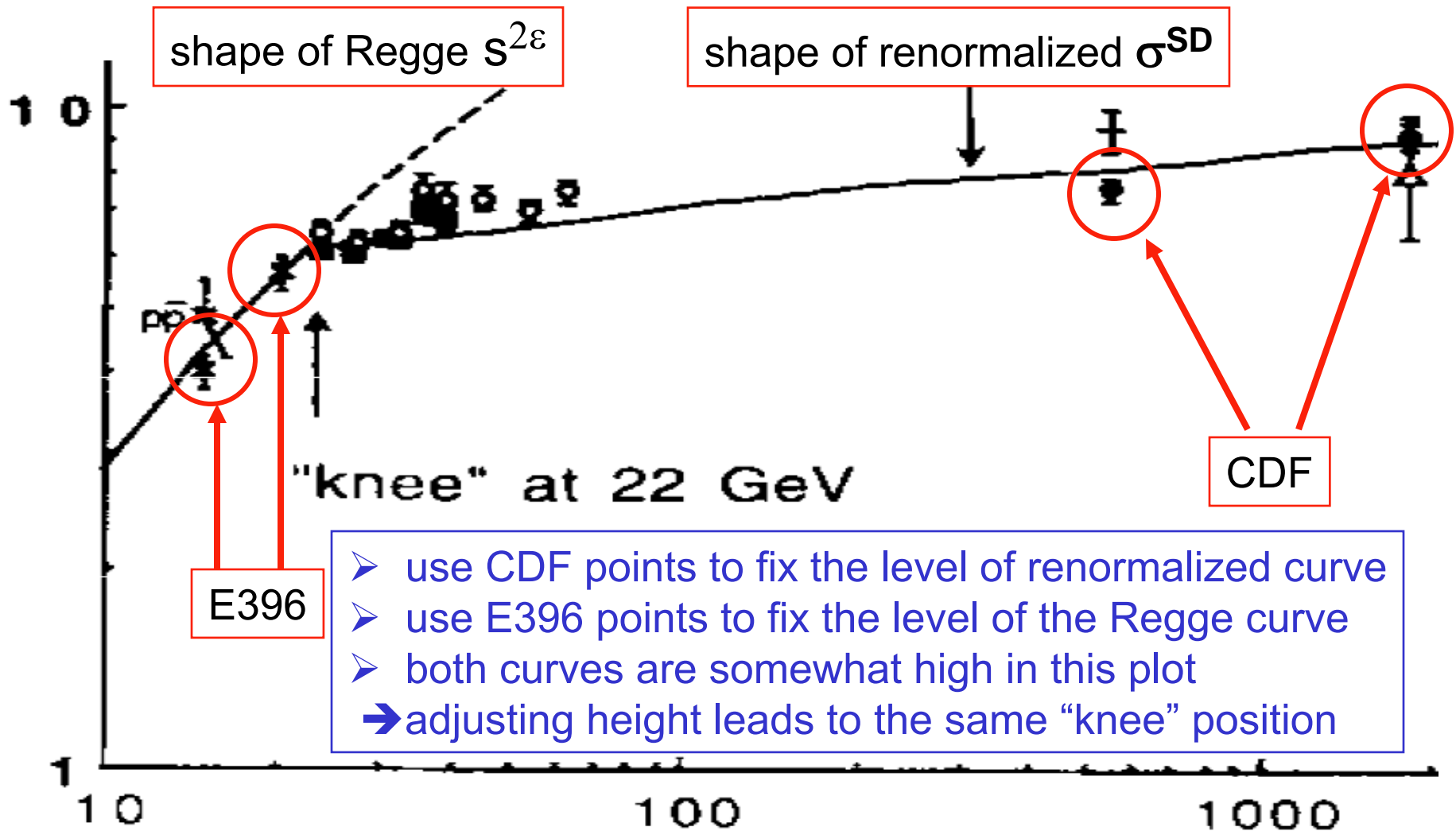
			\sqrt{s} (GeV)	
⊠	Cool [KG]	FNAL	14	20
■	Albrow	ISR	23.3	26.9
○	Armitage	ISR	23.3	27.4

→ error in knee position: ± 1 GeV

"knee" @ 22 ± 1 GeV → $s_0 = 1 \pm 0.2$ GeV

→ triple-Pomeron coupling:
 $g_{PPP}(t) = 0.69 \text{ mb}^{1/2} = 1.1 \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ **KG-95**

The value of s_0 - limited edition



The SUPERBALL cross-section

- ❑ Froissart bound

$$\sigma \leq \frac{\pi}{m^2} \cdot \ln^2 s$$

- ❑ Valid above “knee” at $\sqrt{s} = 22$ GeV and therefore at $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$ TeV
- ❑ Use superball mass

$$\rightarrow m^2 = s_0 = (1 \pm 0.2) \text{ GeV}^2$$

- ❑ At $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$ TeV Reggeon contributions are negligible (see global fit)

$$\sigma_{14000}^{\text{LHC}} = \sigma_{1800}^{\text{CDF}} + \frac{\pi}{s_0} \cdot \ln^2 \frac{s^{\text{LHC}}}{s^{\text{CDF}}} = (80.03 \pm 2.24) + (33 \pm 6) = 113 \pm 6 \text{ mb}$$

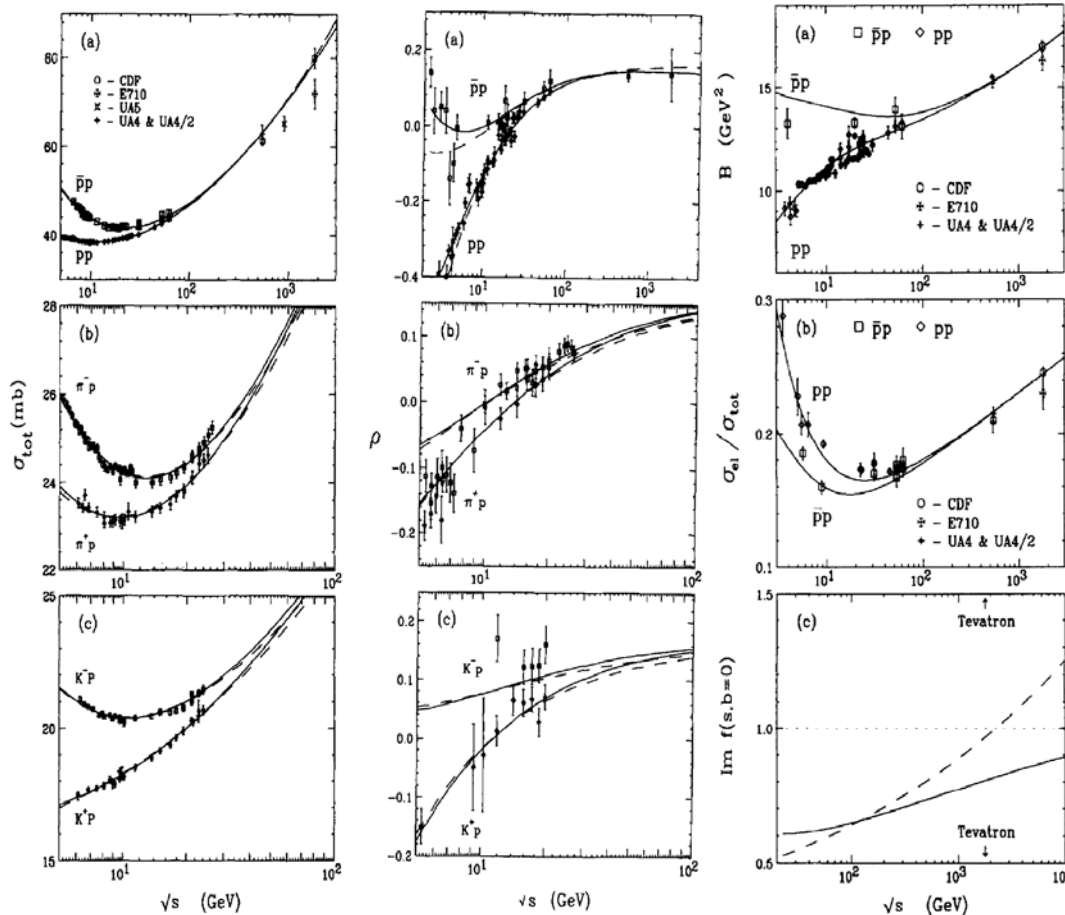
→ compatible with CGM-96 global fit result of 114 ± 5 mb (see next slides)

Global fit to $p^\pm p$, π^\pm , $K^\pm p$ x-sections

CMG-96 →

A new determination of the soft pomeron intercept

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Use standard Regge theory

INPUT

$$\alpha_{f/a} = 0.68 + 0.82 t$$

$$\alpha_{\omega/\rho} = 0.46 + 0.92 t$$

$$\alpha'_{\mathbf{P}} = 0.25 \text{ GeV}^{-2}$$

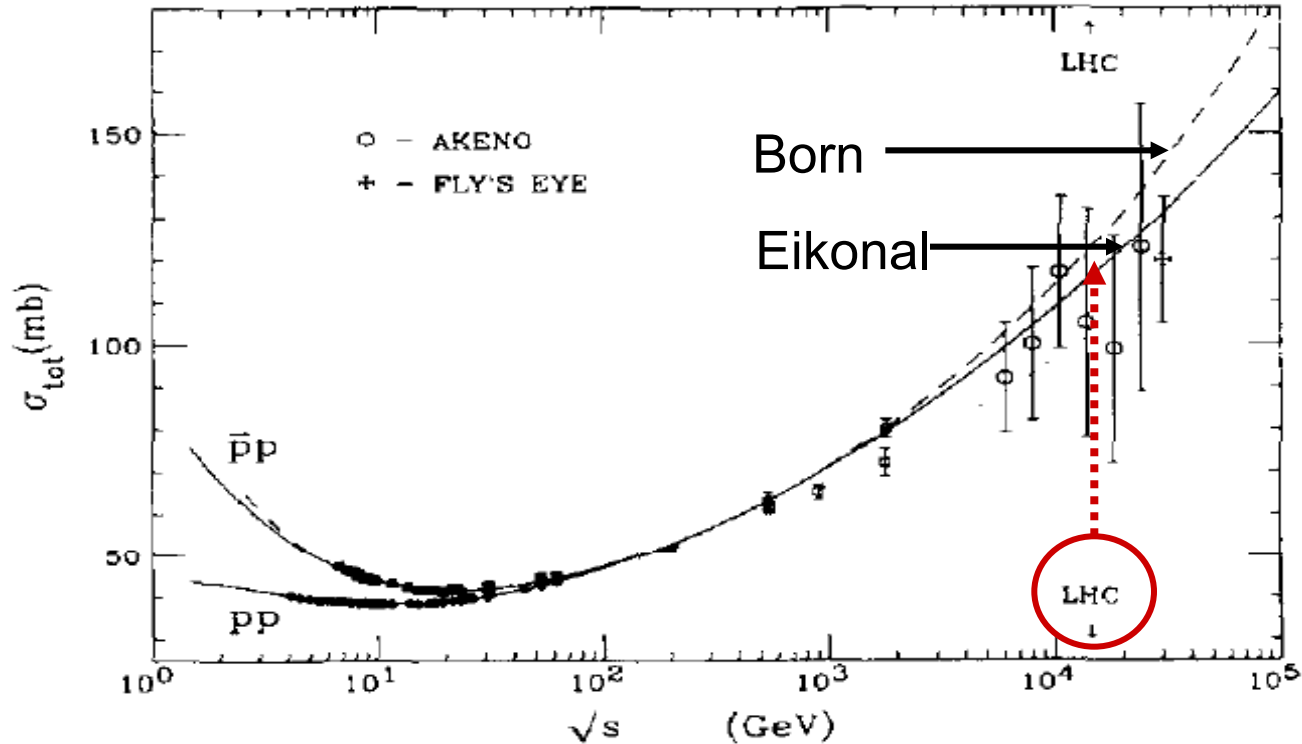
RESULTS

$$\alpha_{0,\mathbf{P}}^{\text{Born}} = 1.104 \pm 0.002, \quad \alpha_{0,\mathbf{P}}^{\text{Eik}} = 1.122 \pm 0.002$$

$$\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{p^\pm p} = 16.79 s^{0.104} + 60.81 s^{-0.32} \mp 31.68 s^{-0.54}$$

negligible

σ^T at LHC from global fit



✦ σ @ LHC $\sqrt{s}=14$ TeV: 122 ± 5 mb Born, 114 ± 5 mb eikonal
 → error estimated from the error in ε given in CMG-96

Compare with **SUPERBALL** $\sigma(14 \text{ TeV}) = 113 \pm 6$ mb

caveat: $s_0=1 \text{ GeV}^2$ was used in global fit!

Extra: the ratio of α'/ε

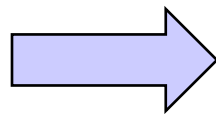
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$$\frac{d^2\sigma(s, M^2, t)}{dM^2 dt} = \left[\frac{\sigma_0^{pp}}{16\pi} \sigma_0^{pp} \right] \frac{s^{2\varepsilon}}{N(s)} \frac{1}{(M^2)^{1+\varepsilon}} e^{bt} \xrightarrow{s \rightarrow \infty} \left[2\alpha' e^{\frac{\varepsilon b_0}{2\alpha'}} \sigma_0^{pp} \right] \underbrace{\frac{\ln s^{2\varepsilon}}{(M^2)^{1+\varepsilon}} e^{bt}}_{b = b_0 + 2\alpha' \ln \frac{s}{M^2}}$$

The key!

$$\sigma_{sd} \xrightarrow{s \rightarrow \infty} \sigma_0^{pp} e^{\frac{\varepsilon}{2\alpha'} b_0} s^\varepsilon \frac{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\ln s^\varepsilon)^n}{n n!}}{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(\ln s^{2\varepsilon})^n}{n n!}} = 2\sigma_0^{pp} e^{\frac{\varepsilon}{2\alpha'} b_0} \Rightarrow \sigma_0^{pp}$$

$$\sigma_0^{pp} = K \sigma_0^{pp}$$



$$2\kappa \exp\left(\frac{\varepsilon b_o^{sd}}{2\alpha'}\right) = 1$$

$$b_o^{sd} = \frac{R_p^2}{2} = \frac{1}{2m_\pi^2}$$

$$\frac{\alpha'}{\varepsilon} = -\frac{1/4m_\pi^2}{4 \ln(2\kappa)} = 3.12 \pm 0.4 \left(\frac{GeV}{c}\right)^{-2} \xRightarrow{\varepsilon = 0.08} \alpha' = 0.25 \pm 0.03 \left(\frac{GeV}{c}\right)^{-2}$$

SUMMARY

- Froissart bound

$$\sigma \leq \frac{\pi}{m^2} \cdot \ln^2 s$$

- Valid above the “knee” at $\sqrt{s} = 22$ GeV in σ_T^{SD} vs. \sqrt{s} and therefore valid at $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$ TeV of the CDF measurement

- Use superball mass s_0 (saturated dressed proton mass) in the Froissart- Martin formula, where s_0 is determined from setting the integral of the Pomeron flux to unity at $\sqrt{s} = 22$ GeV

$$\rightarrow m^2 = s_0 = (1 \pm 0.2) \text{ GeV}^2$$

- At $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$ TeV Reggeon contributions are negligible (see global fit)

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thank you

DISCUSSION

ANY QUESTIONS?