

The elastic π^+A scattering with density effects

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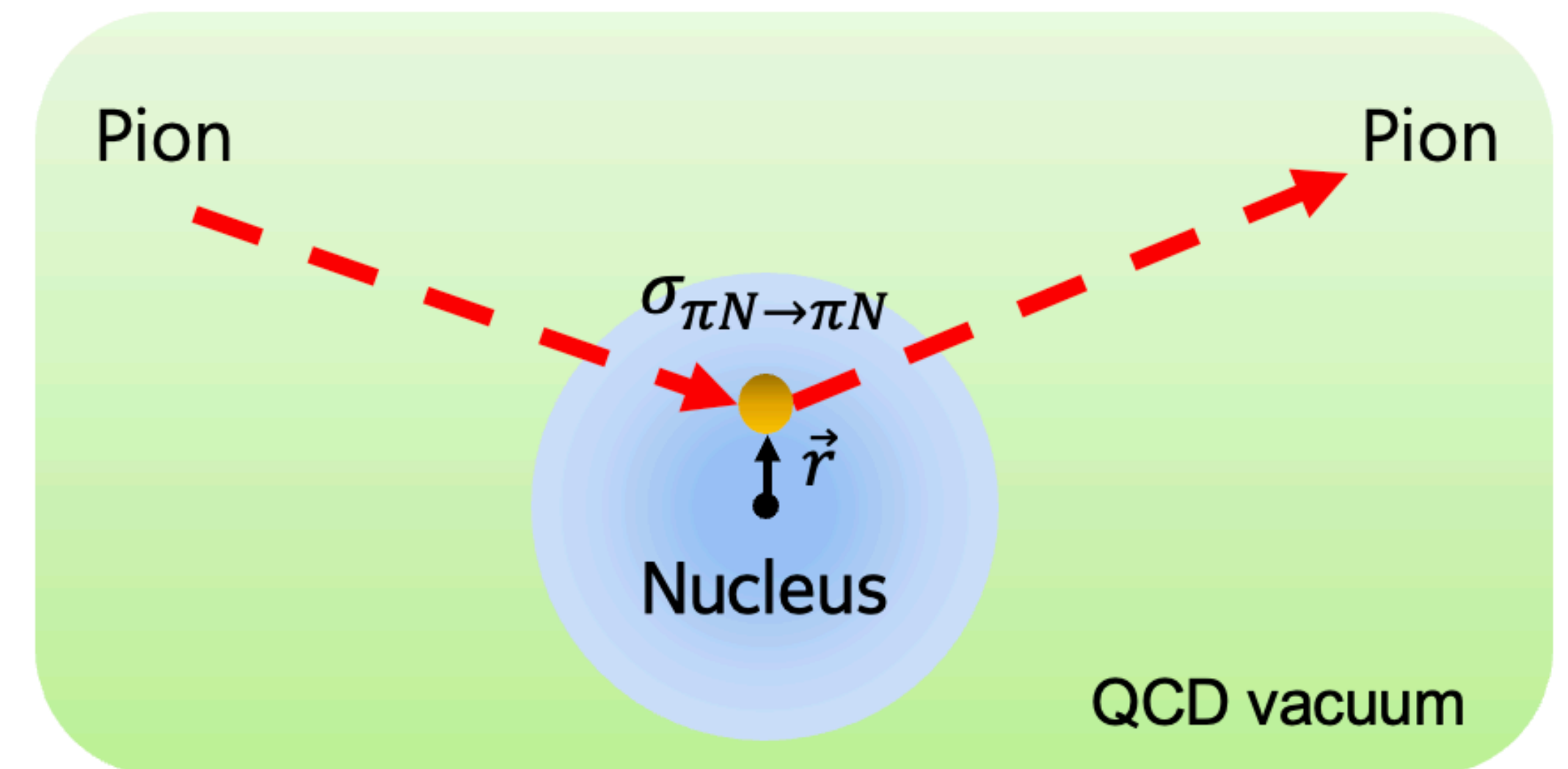
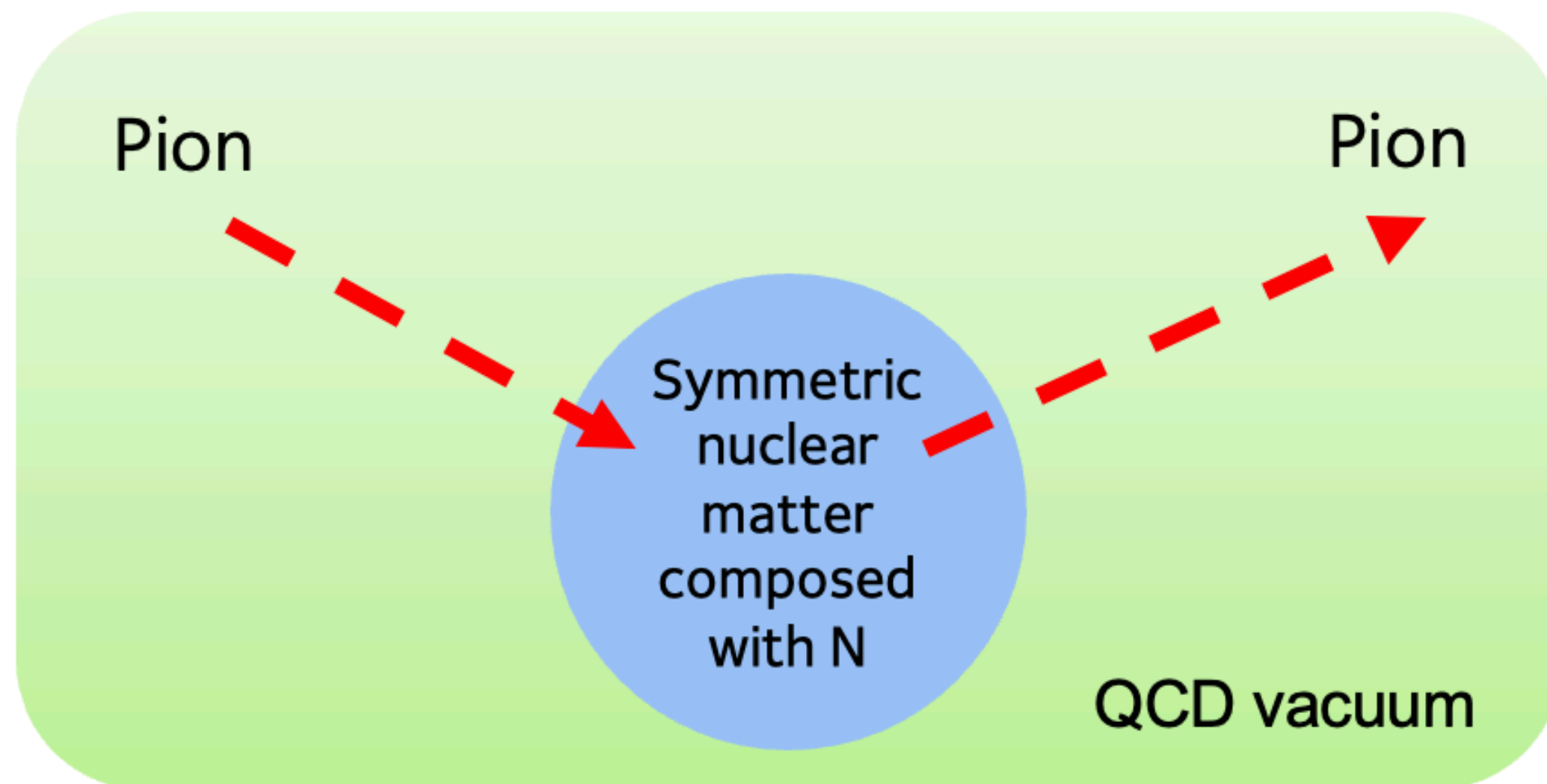
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I. Motivation

We studied about the elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density.

[1] <https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2112.11060>

And our next study is the elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density.

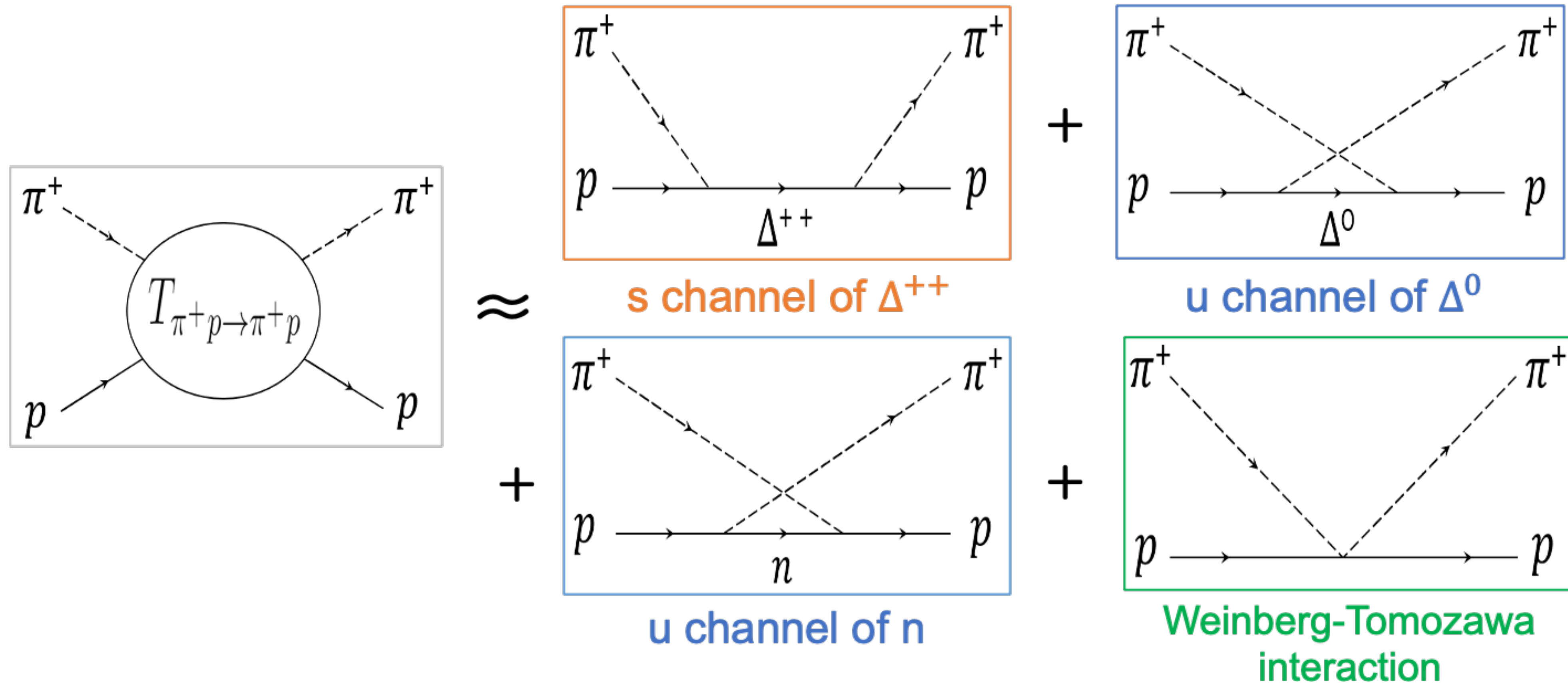


the elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density
Using Quark-Meson Coupling (QMC) Model
(Considered with nuclear matter)

the elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density
Using Eikonal Glauber Model
(Considered with finite nuclei)

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

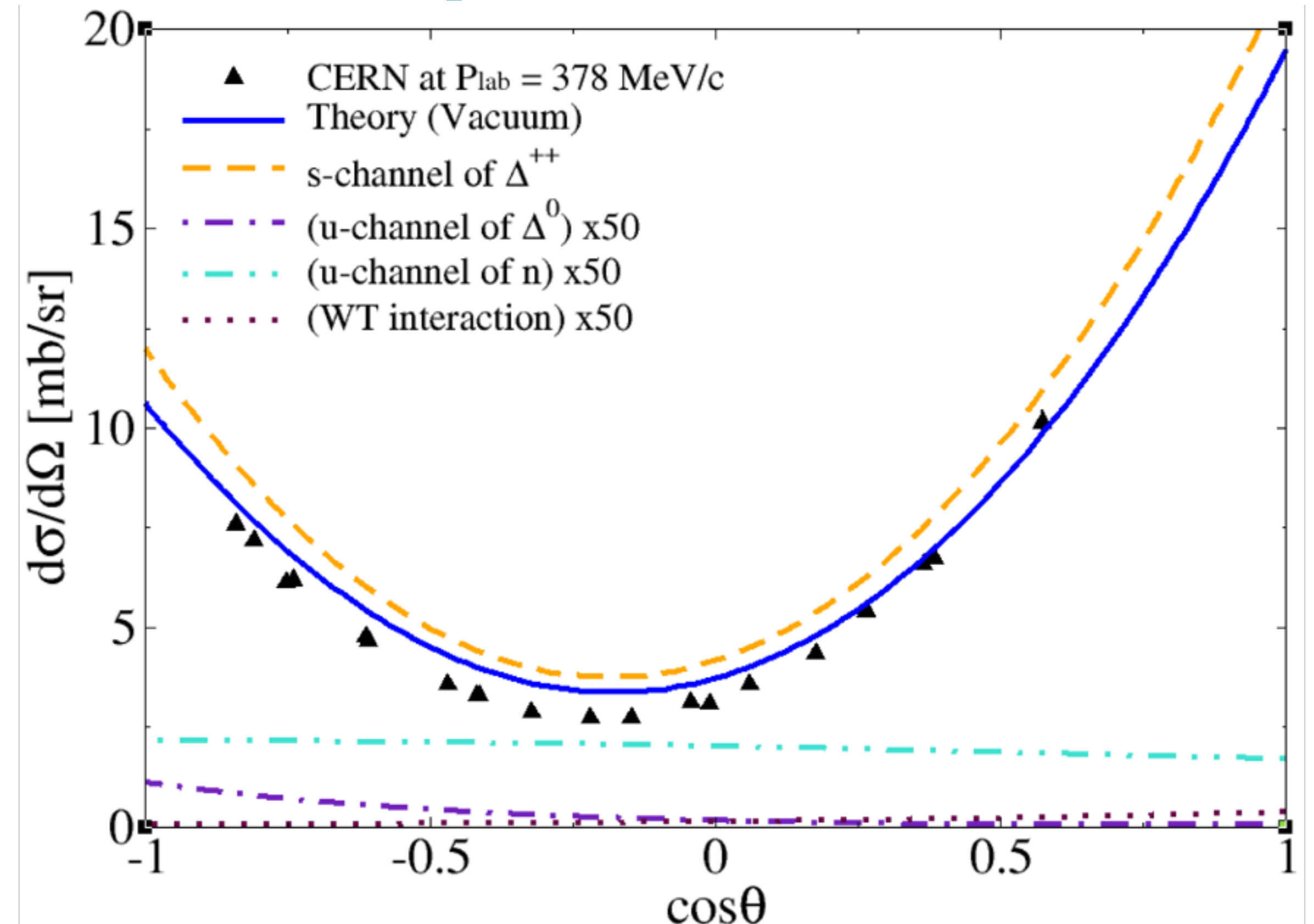
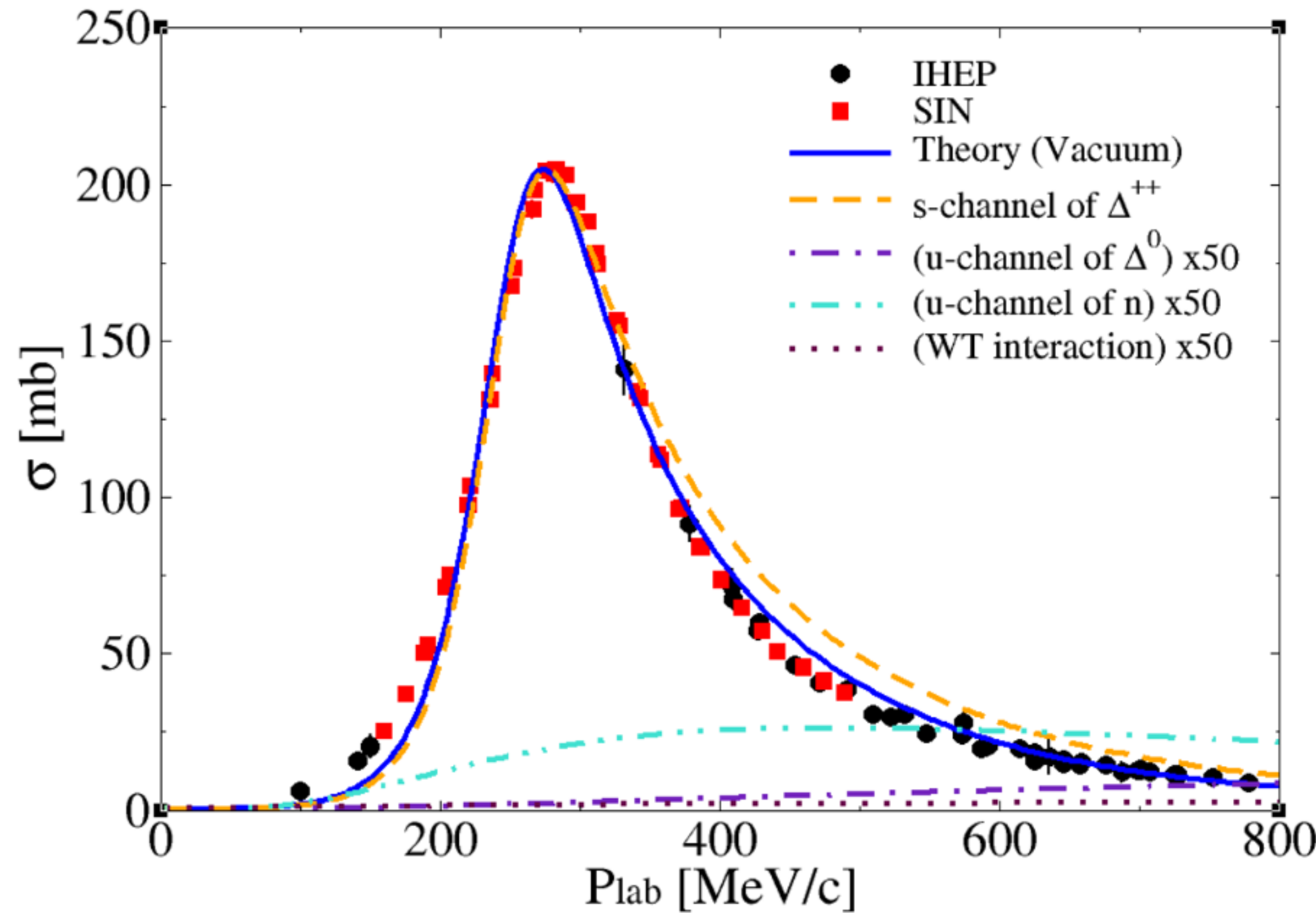
We used the effective Lagrangians for π^+p elastic scattering at tree level for each contributions.



$$\mathcal{M}_{\pi^+p} \approx \mathcal{M}_s^{\Delta^{++}} + \mathcal{M}_u^{\Delta^0} + \mathcal{M}_u^n + \mathcal{M}_{WT}$$

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

○ The TCS & DCS as a function of $\cos\theta$ of the elastic π^+p scattering in vacuum



Delta mass (M_{Δ}) : 1215.5 MeV
Delta decay width (Γ_{Δ}^0) : 94.0 MeV

Delta Breit-Wigner mass (M_{Δ}^0) : 1232 MeV
Delta Breit-Wigner width (Γ_{Δ}^0) : 117 MeV

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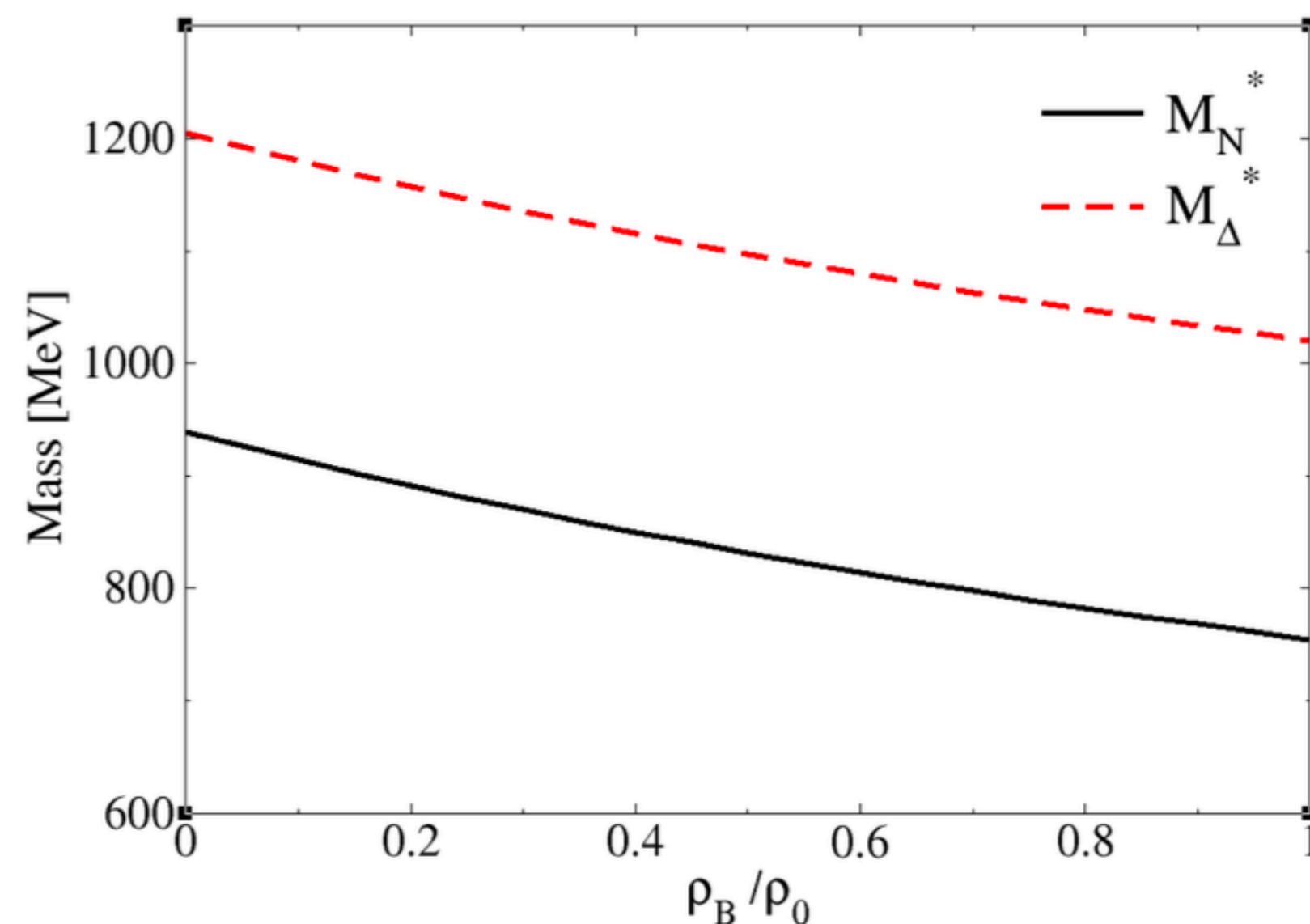
At finite density, hadron structure properties change (mass, decay width..) so we apply the Quark-meson coupling (QMC) model to include medium effect.

○ Quark-Meson Coupling (QMC) Model

σ : The scalar mean field

$$M_{\Delta}^* = M_{\Delta} - g_{\sigma}\sigma, \quad M_N^* = M_N - g_{\sigma}\sigma$$

Effective baryon masses are calculated by Dr. Parada.
(We fixed the pion mass & coupling constant in this work)



Nucleon and Δ baryon masses **decrease** as the baryon density increases.

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

○ In-medium Δ decay width Γ_{Δ}^*

$q(m, m_1, m_2)$: The c.m. momentum

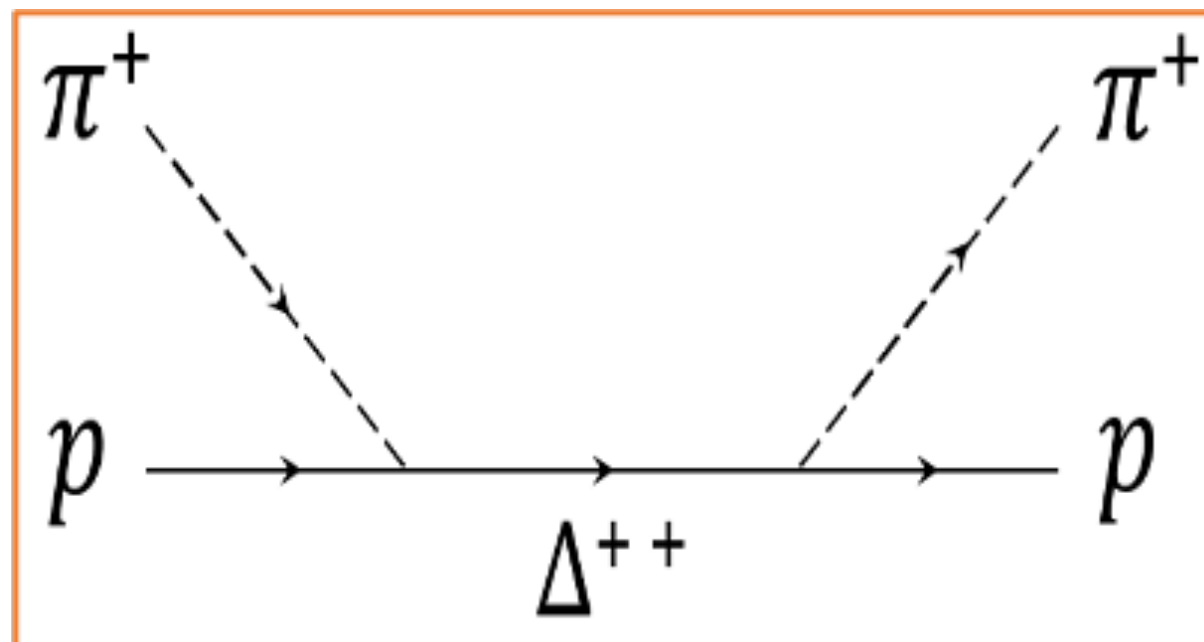
$$\Gamma_{\Delta}^*(\sqrt{s^*}) = \Gamma_{sp} \left(\frac{\rho_B}{\rho_0} \right) + \Gamma_{\Delta}^0 \left[\frac{q(\sqrt{s^*}, m_N^*, m_{\pi})}{q(m_{\Delta}, m_N, m_{\pi})} \right]^3 \frac{m_{\Delta}^*}{\sqrt{s^*}} \frac{\beta_0^2 + q^2(m_{\Delta}^*, m_N^*, m_{\pi})}{\beta_0^2 + q^2(\sqrt{s^*}, m_N^*, m_{\pi})}$$

[2] A. B. Larionov and U. Mosel, The $NN \rightarrow N\Delta$ cross-section in nuclear matter, Nucl. Phys. A728, 135-164 (2003)

< $\Delta(1232)$ resonance contribution >

$$\mathcal{L}_{\pi N \Delta} = \frac{f_{\pi N \Delta}}{M_{\pi}} \bar{\Delta}^{\mu} S^{\dagger} \partial_{\mu} \pi N + h.c.$$

[3] A. M. Gasparyan, J. Haidenbauer, C. Hanhart, and J. Speth, Phys. Rev. C 68, 045207



s channel of Δ^{++}

$$\therefore \mathcal{M}_s^{\Delta^{++}} = i \frac{f_{\pi N \Delta}^2}{M_{\pi}^2} \bar{u}(p') \underline{k'_{\mu}} G^{\mu\nu}(p+k) \underline{k_{\nu}} u(p)$$

$$G^{\mu\nu}(q) = i \frac{(q + M_{\Delta})}{q^2 - M_{\Delta}^2 + iM_{\Delta}\Gamma_{\Delta}} \times \left[-g^{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3}\gamma^{\mu}\gamma^{\nu} + \frac{2q^{\mu}q^{\nu}}{3M_{\Delta}^2} - \frac{q^{\mu}\gamma^{\nu} - q^{\nu}\gamma^{\mu}}{3M_{\Delta}} \right]$$

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

○ The π^+p total cross-section at finite baryon density

[4] Snigdha Ghosh, Sourav Sarkar, and Sukanya Mitra
Phys. Rev. D 95, 056010

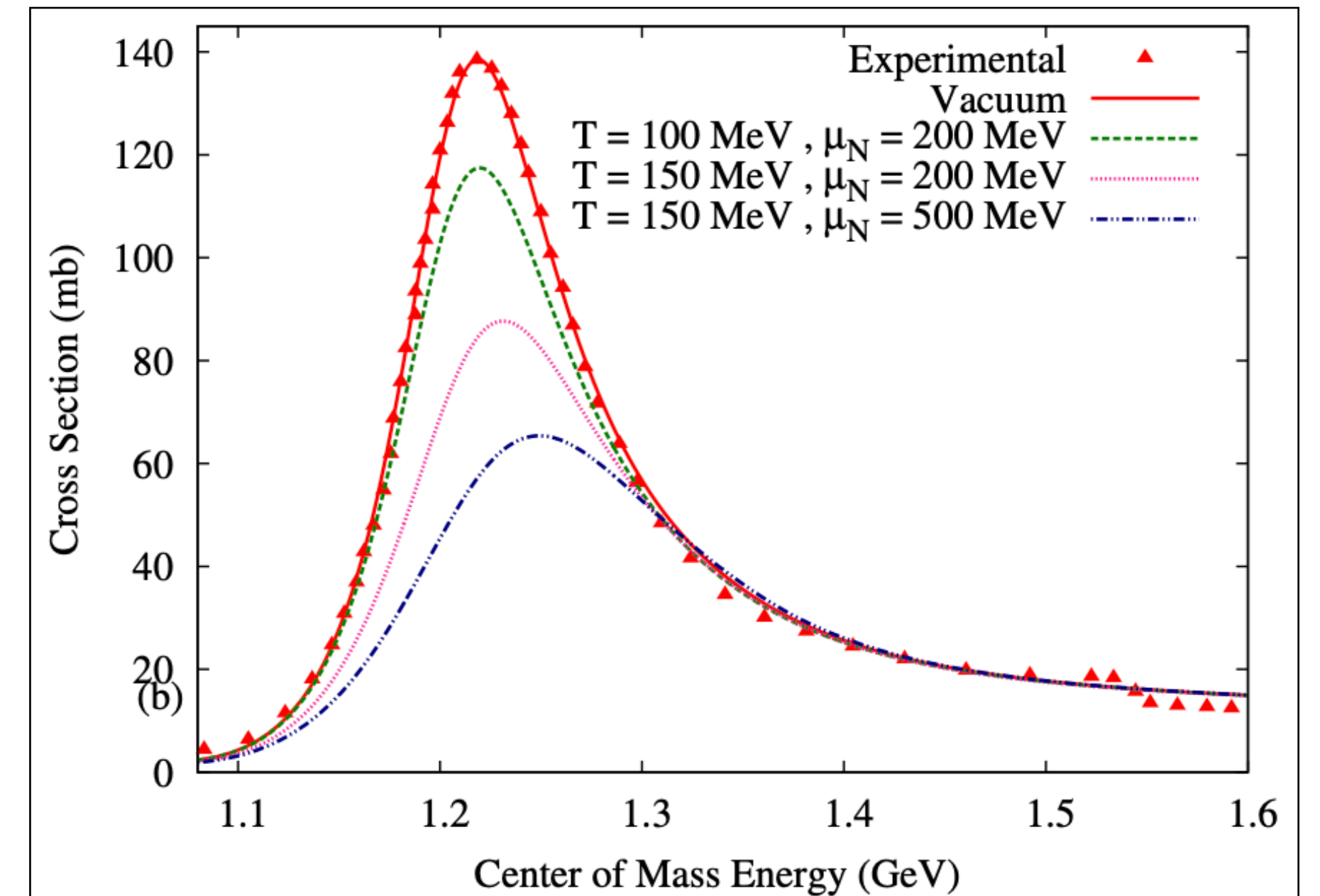
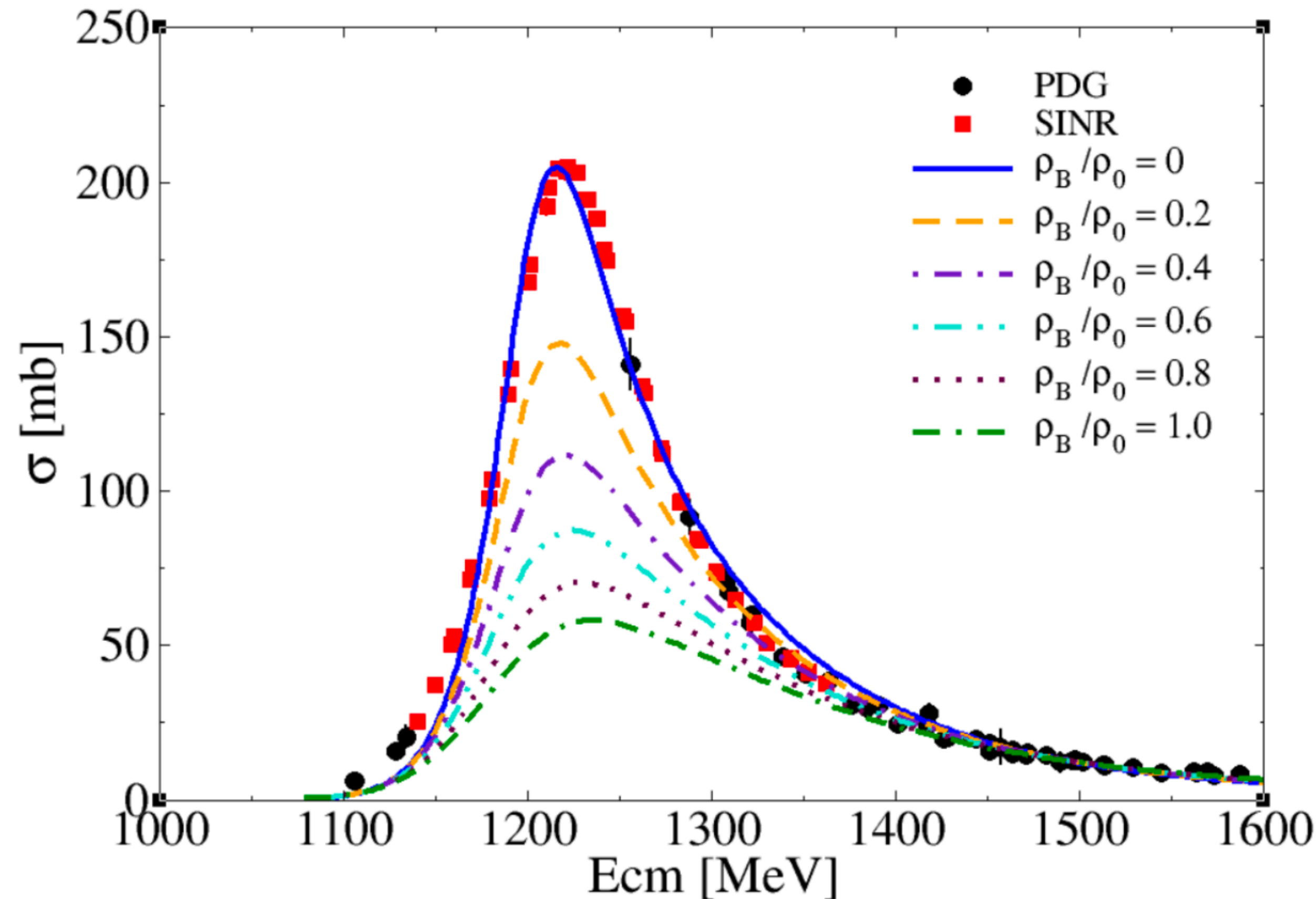
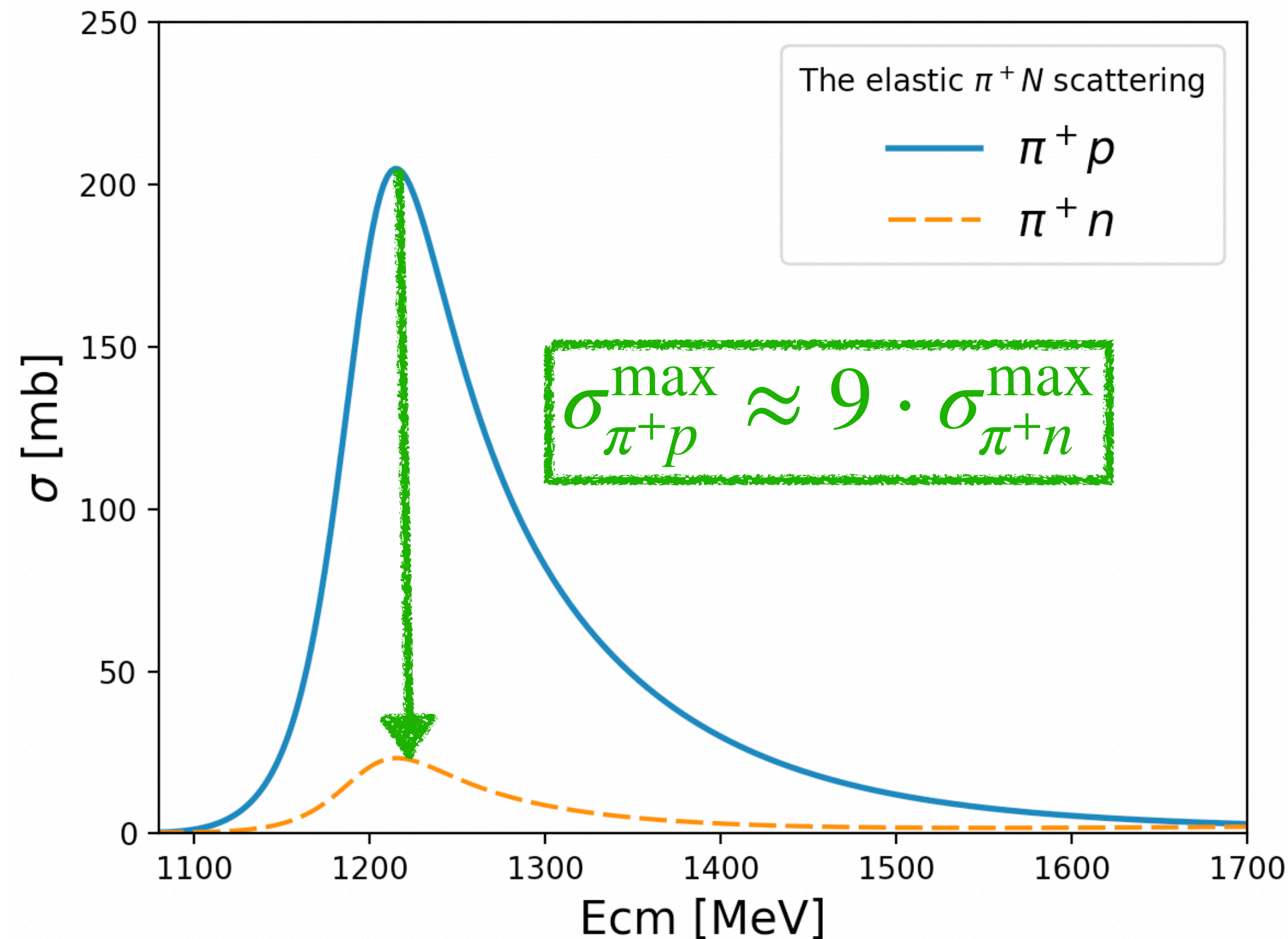
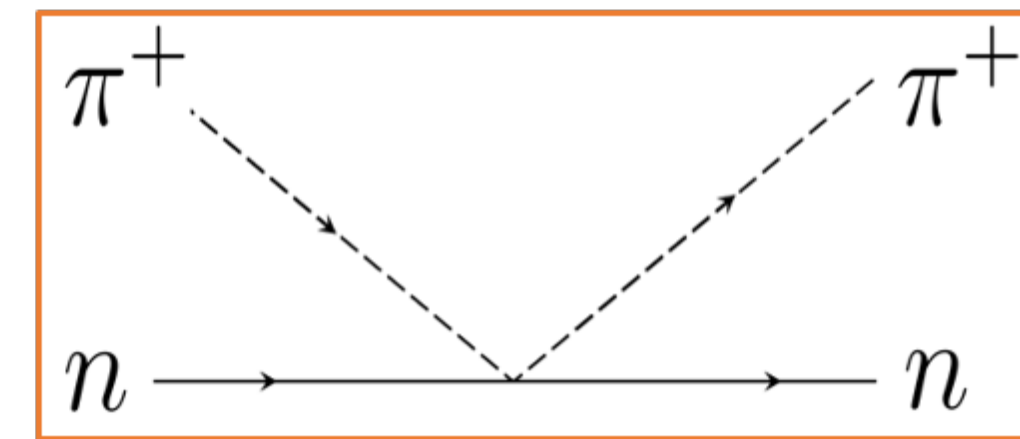
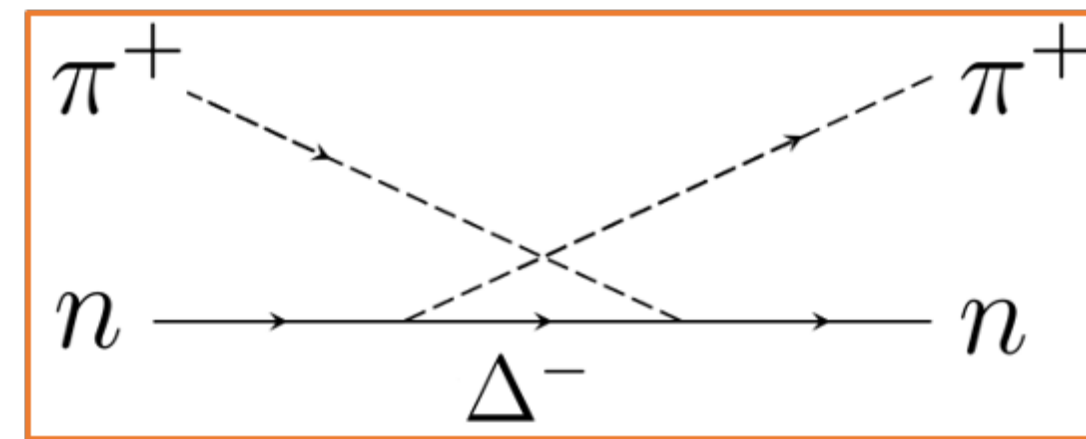
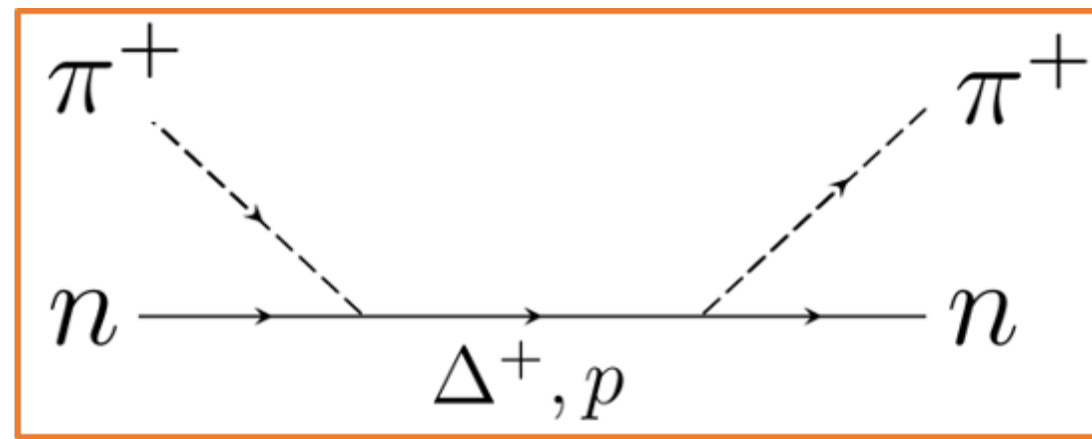


FIG. 8. The π -N elastic scattering cross section with medium effects.

The effective baryon mass m_B^* & in-medium delta decay width Γ_Δ^*
make **the total cross section decreased** in nuclear medium.

III. Elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density

○ The total cross-section of the elastic π^+n scattering



○ Isospin factor of π^+n channel

- s channel of Δ^+ : 1/3
- s channel of p : 2/3
- u channel of Δ^- : 1

III. Elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density

From the Glauber model, total cross section of the elastic π^+A scattering is given by

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The Wood-Saxon density profile

Nucleus	A	Z	r_A [fm]	d [fm]	ρ_0^A [fm ⁻³]	c
He	4	2	1.01	0.327	0.2381	0.445
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Au	197	79	6.38	0.535	0.1772	0
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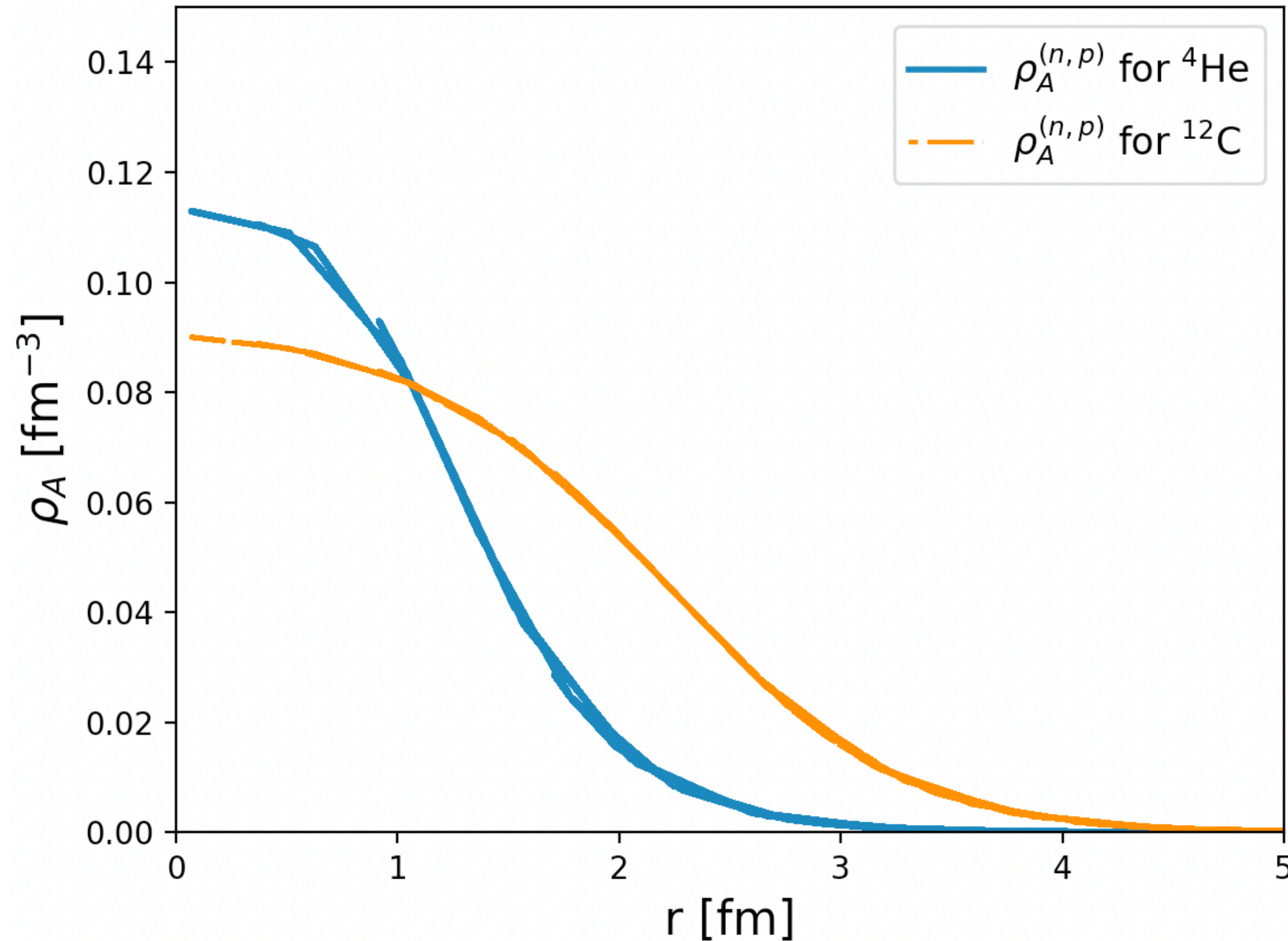
And $\rho_A^{(n,p)}(r)$ is normalized with the atomic mass number A by

$$A = \sum_{N=n,p} \int dz d^2\mathbf{b} \rho_A^{(n,p)}(\sqrt{|\mathbf{b}|^2 + z^2}) = \sum_{N=n,p} 2\pi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dz \int_0^{\infty} b db \rho_A^{(n,p)}(\sqrt{|\mathbf{b}|^2 + z^2})$$

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III. Elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density

○ Nuclear density distribution ρ_A as a function of r



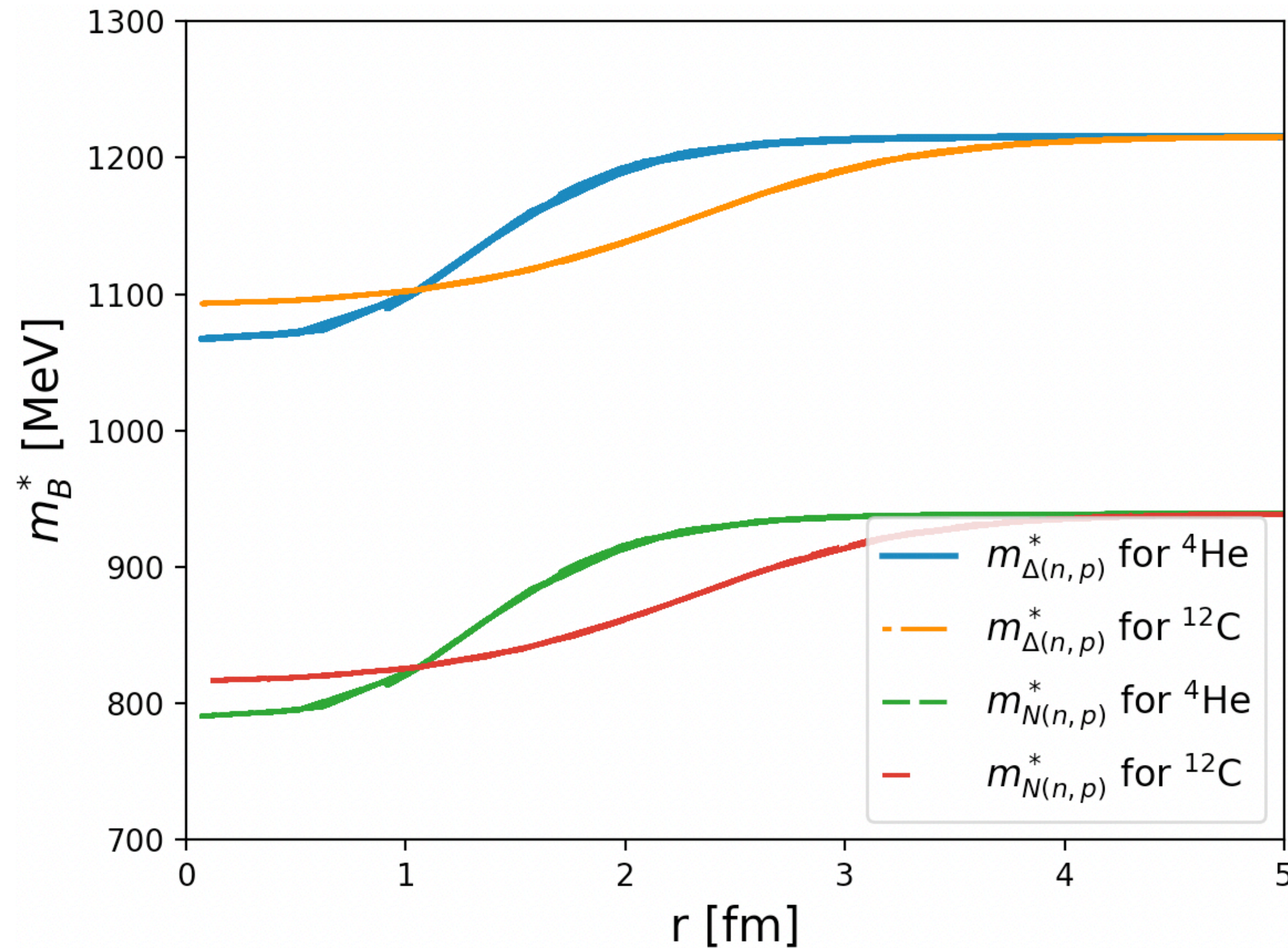
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III. Elastic $\pi^+ A$ scattering at finite baryon density

○ Effective baryon mass m_B^* as a function of r



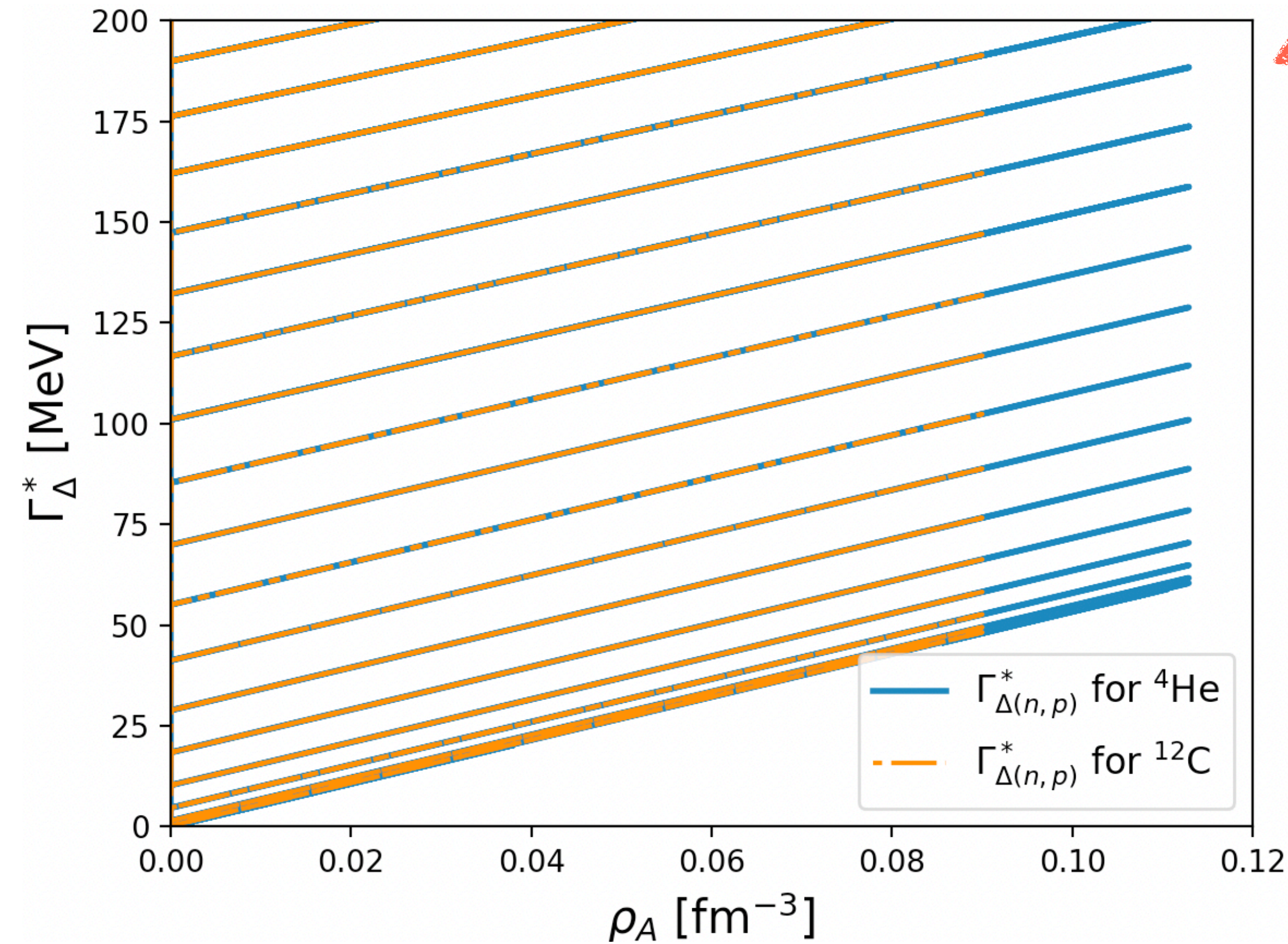
$$m_B^* = m_B + C_1 \rho_A^{(n,p)} + C_2 (\rho_A^{(n,p)})^2 \quad (B = \Delta, N)$$

$$C_1 = -1543.08, \quad C_2 = 2036.14$$

(C_1, C_2 are parameterized by the QMC model)

III. Elastic π^+A scattering at finite baryon density

○ In-medium Δ decay width Γ_{Δ}^* as a function of ρ_A



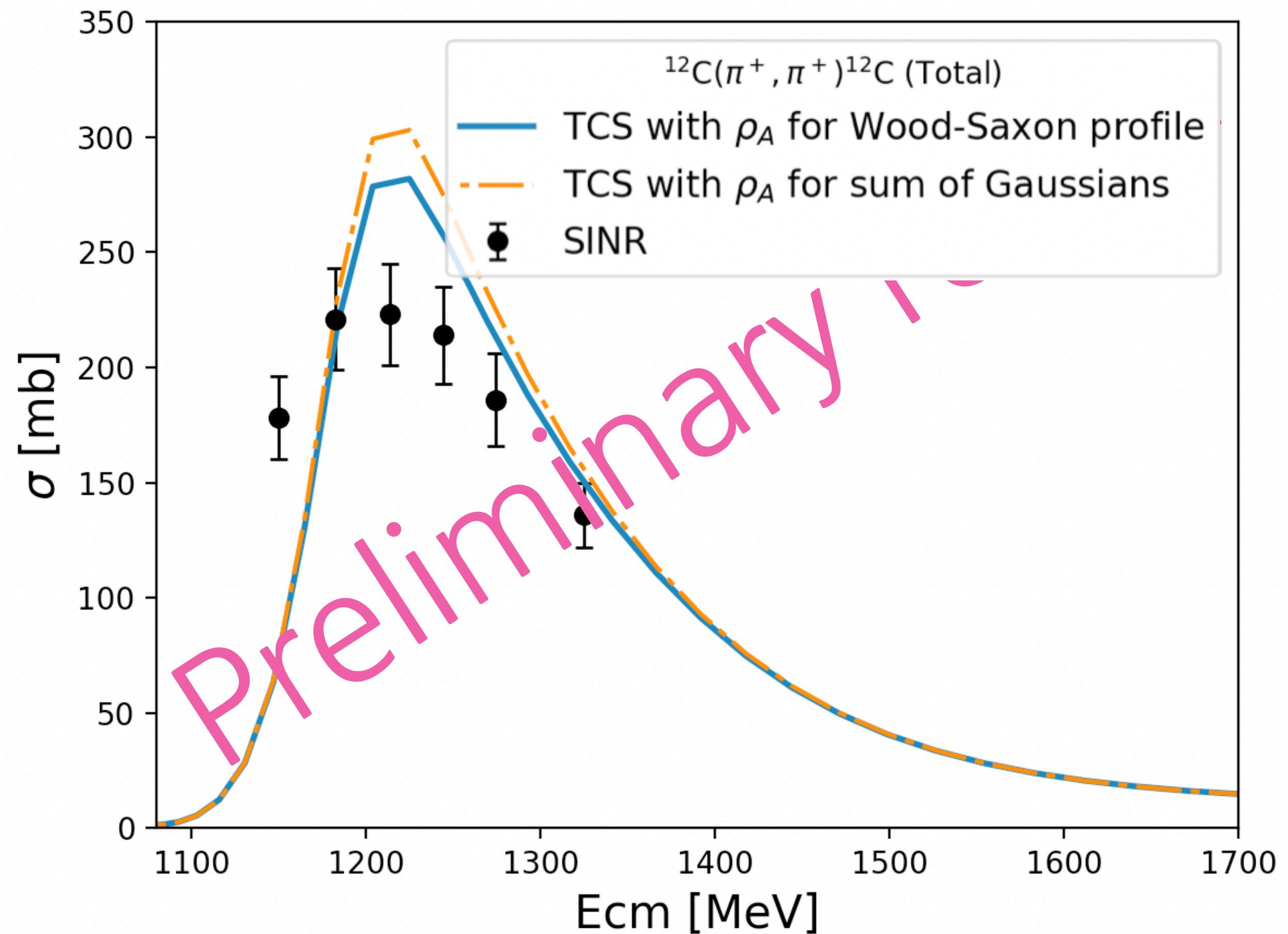
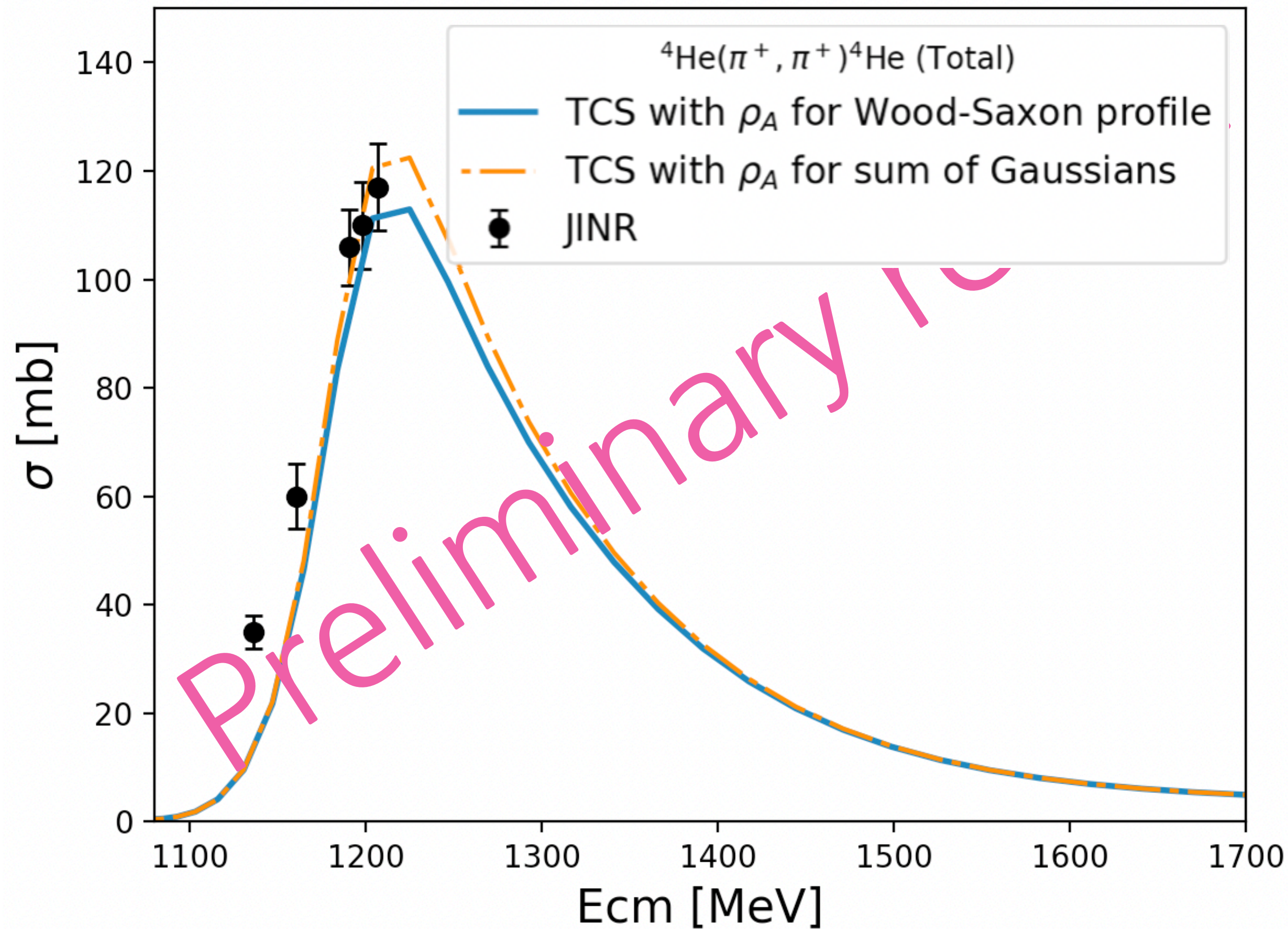
Γ_{Δ}^* increases as $\sqrt{s^*}$ increases.

$$\Gamma_{\Delta}^* = \Gamma_{\text{sp}} \left(\frac{\rho_A}{\rho_0} \right) + \Gamma_{\Delta}^0 \left[\frac{q(m_N^*, m_{\pi}, \sqrt{s^*})}{q(m_N^*, m_{\pi}, m_{\Delta}^*)} \right]^3 \frac{m_{\Delta}^*}{\sqrt{s^*}} \frac{\beta_0^2 + q^2(m_N^*, m_{\pi}, m_{\Delta}^*)}{\beta_0^2 + q^2(m_N^*, m_{\pi}, \sqrt{s^*})}$$

IV. Preliminary Results

Sum of Gaussians : Model-independent analysis by means of an expansion for ρ_A
 $\rho(r) = \sum_i A_i \{ \exp(-[(r - R_i)/\gamma]^2) + \exp(-[(r + R_i)/\gamma]^2) \}$ with $A_i = ZeQ_i/[2\pi^{3/2}\gamma^3(1 + 2R_i^2/\gamma^2)]$.
 [4] ATOMIC DATA AND NUCLEAR DATA TABLES 36, 495-536 (1987)

○ The TCS of the elastic π^+A scattering for ^4He , ^{12}C



Summary

- I. We studied about the elastic $\pi^+ p$ scattering at finite baryon density in symmetric nuclear matter using QMC model.
- II. The elastic $\pi^+ A$ scattering at finite baryon density has been investigated using Glauber model with $\tilde{\sigma}_{\pi^+ N}(\sqrt{s}, \rho_A)$ which is the result of previous study.
- III. We are planning to consider in-medium coupling constant such as $f_{\pi N \Delta}^*$ using QMC model and improve our preliminary results.

Thank you for your attention!

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

○ In-medium Δ decay width Γ_{Δ}^*

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Γ_{sp} = Δ -spreading width (=80MeV)

β_0 = cut-off parameter (=200MeV/c)

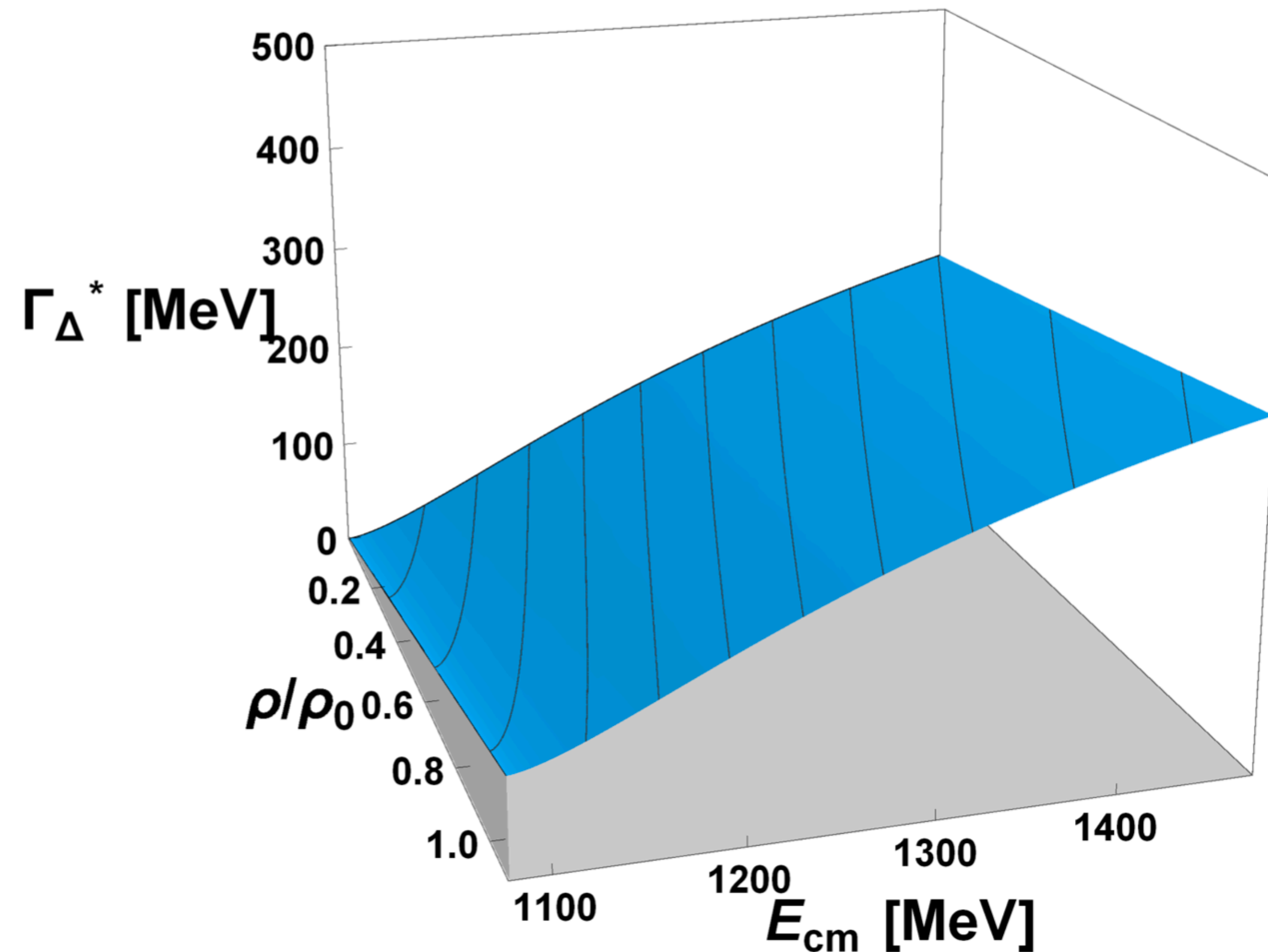
ρ_B = baryon density

ρ_0 = nuclear saturation density (=0.15fm⁻³)

$q(m, m_1, m_2) = \sqrt{\frac{(m^2 + m_1^2 - m_2^2)^2}{4m^2} - m_1^2}$: the c.m. momentum of outgoing particles with masses m_1 and m_2 from the decay of a particle with mass m .

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

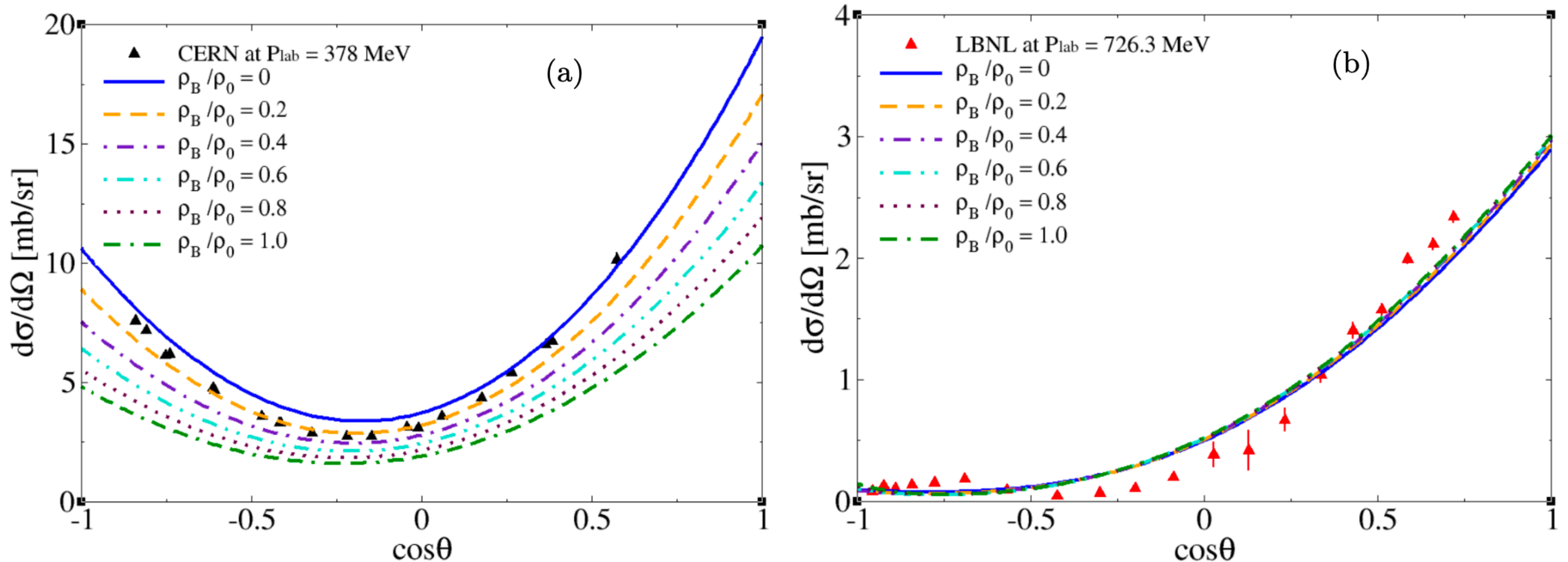
○ In-medium Δ decay width Γ_{Δ}^*



The in-medium Δ decay width **increases** as the baryon density increases.

II. Elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density

○ The differential cross-section of elastic π^+p scattering at finite baryon density



The differential cross-section of elastic π^+p scattering decreases as the baryon density increases.

(But in high P_{lab} region, the DCS increases a bit.)