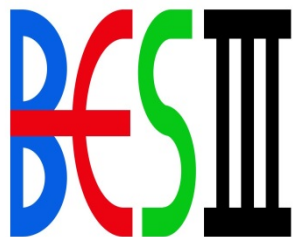


Recent Results on Light Hadron Physics at BESIII



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➤ Introduction

➤ η' meson decays

◆ Hadronic decays: $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)}\pi^{-(0)}\pi^0$, $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)}\pi^{-(0)}\eta$

◆ Radiative decays: $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\pi^+\pi^-$, $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0$

➤ $a_0^0(980)$ - $f_0(980)$ mixing

◆ $a_0^0(980) \rightarrow f_0(980)$: $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi a_0(980) \rightarrow \phi \eta \pi^0$

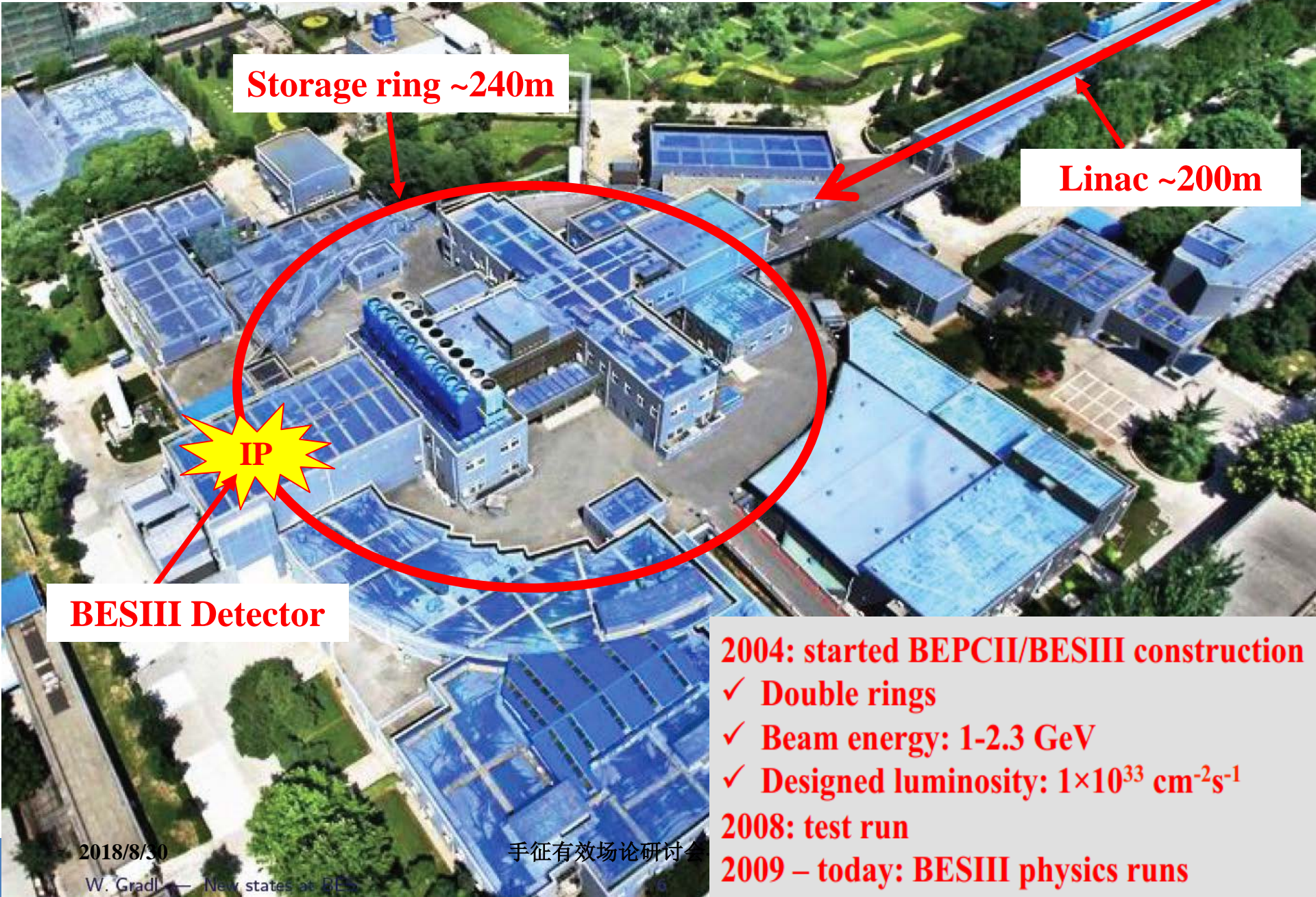
◆ $f_0(980) \rightarrow a_0^0(980)$: $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^0 f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

➤ $\eta(1440)/\eta(1405)/\eta(1475)$

➤ $X(18^{**})$

➤ Summary

Beijing Electron Positron Collider II (BEPC II)



Storage ring ~240m

Linac ~200m

IP

BESIII Detector

2004: started BEPCII/BESIII construction

✓ Double rings

✓ Beam energy: 1-2.3 GeV

✓ Designed luminosity: $1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

2008: test run

2009 – today: BESIII physics runs

BESIII Detector

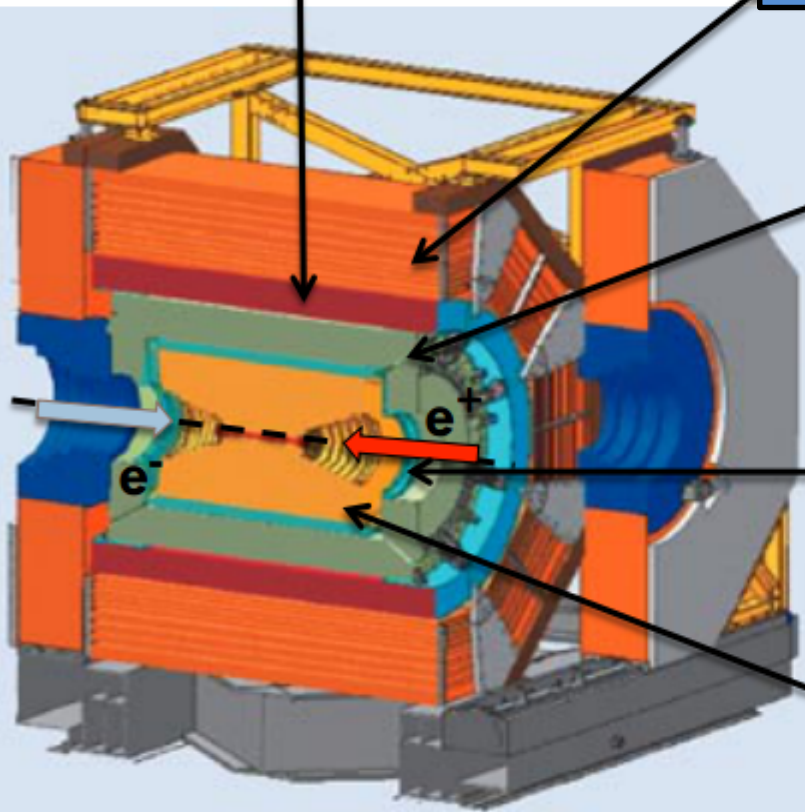
Superconducting solenoid (1T)

RPC Muon Detector
8 layers (end caps) + 9 layers (barrel)
 $\Delta\Omega/4\pi = 93\%$

Electromagnetic CsI(Tl) Calorimeter
 $\sigma_E/E < 2.5\%$ @ 1 GeV (barrel)
 $\sigma_E/E < 5\%$ @ 1 GeV (end caps)
 $\sigma_{xy} = (6 \text{ mm})/E^{1/2}$ @ 1 GeV

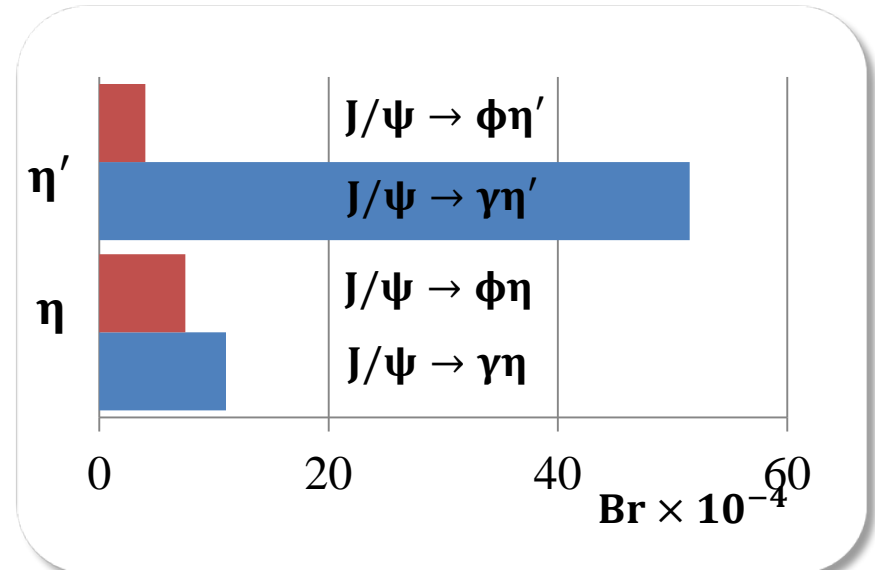
Time of Flight
 $\sigma_t = 90 \text{ ps}$ (barrel)
 $\sigma_t = 120 \text{ ps}$ (end caps)

Drift Chamber
 $\sigma_{r\phi} = 130 \mu\text{m}$ (single wire)
 $\sigma_{pt}/p_t = 0.5\%$ @ 1 GeV



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η, η' from J/ψ decays



◆ High production rate of light mesons in J/ψ decays

◆ η/η' from J/ψ radiative decays

$$\rightarrow 7.2 \times 10^6 \eta'$$

$$\rightarrow 2.4 \times 10^6 \eta$$

◆ η/η' from J/ψ hadronic decays (e.g. $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi \eta$)

$$\rightarrow 3 \times 10^5 \eta'$$

$$\rightarrow 5 \times 10^5 \eta$$

η, η' : a rich physics field

- ◆ test the predictions of ChPT
- ◆ probe physics beyond the SM
- ◆ study transition form factors
- ◆ test fundamental symmetries

η decay mode	physics highlight	η' mode	physics highlight
$\eta \rightarrow \pi^0 2\gamma$	ChPT	$\eta' \rightarrow \pi\pi$	CPV
$\eta \rightarrow \gamma B$	leptophobic dark boson	$\eta' \rightarrow 2\gamma$	chiral anomaly
$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi^0$	$m_u - m_d$	$\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\pi\pi$	box anomaly, form factor
$\eta \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$m_u - m_d, CV$	$\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$m_u - m_d, CV$
$\eta \rightarrow 3\gamma$	CPV	$\eta' \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\pi^0, e^+e^-\pi^0$	CV

Recent results on η/η' decays at BESIII

◆ Hadronic decays

- $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0, \pi^0\pi^0\pi^0$
- $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\eta, \pi^0\pi^0\eta$

◆ Radiative decays

- $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\pi^+\pi^-$
- $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0$

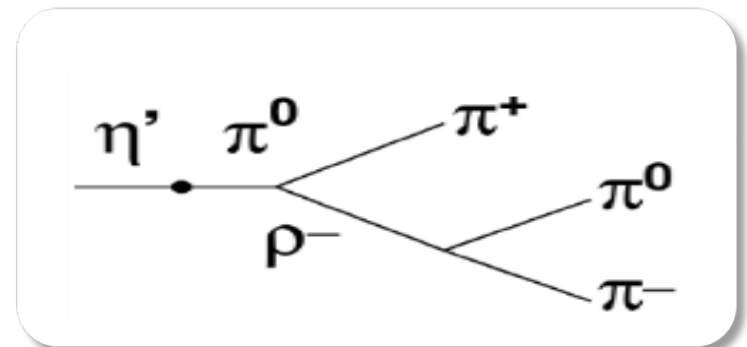
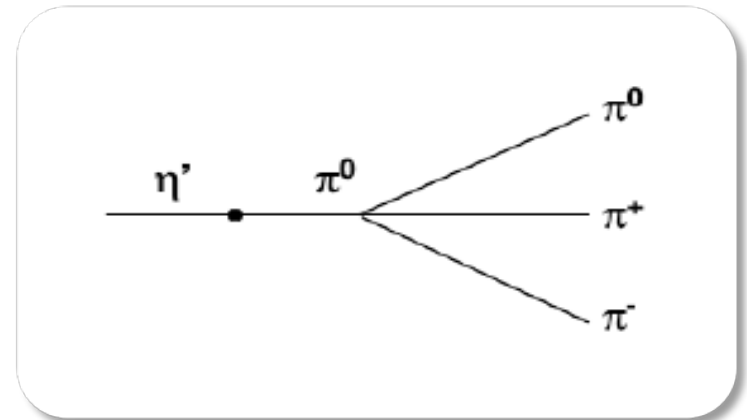
Amplitude Analysis of $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)}\pi^{-(0)}\pi^0$

- ◆ $\eta' \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$ are isospin-violating processes, dominated by strong interaction [Nucl. Phys. B460, 127(1996)]
- ◆ light quark mass difference ($m_d - m_u$)/ m_s can be extracted [PRD 19, 2188(1979)]

$$r_{\pm} = \frac{B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}{B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta)}$$

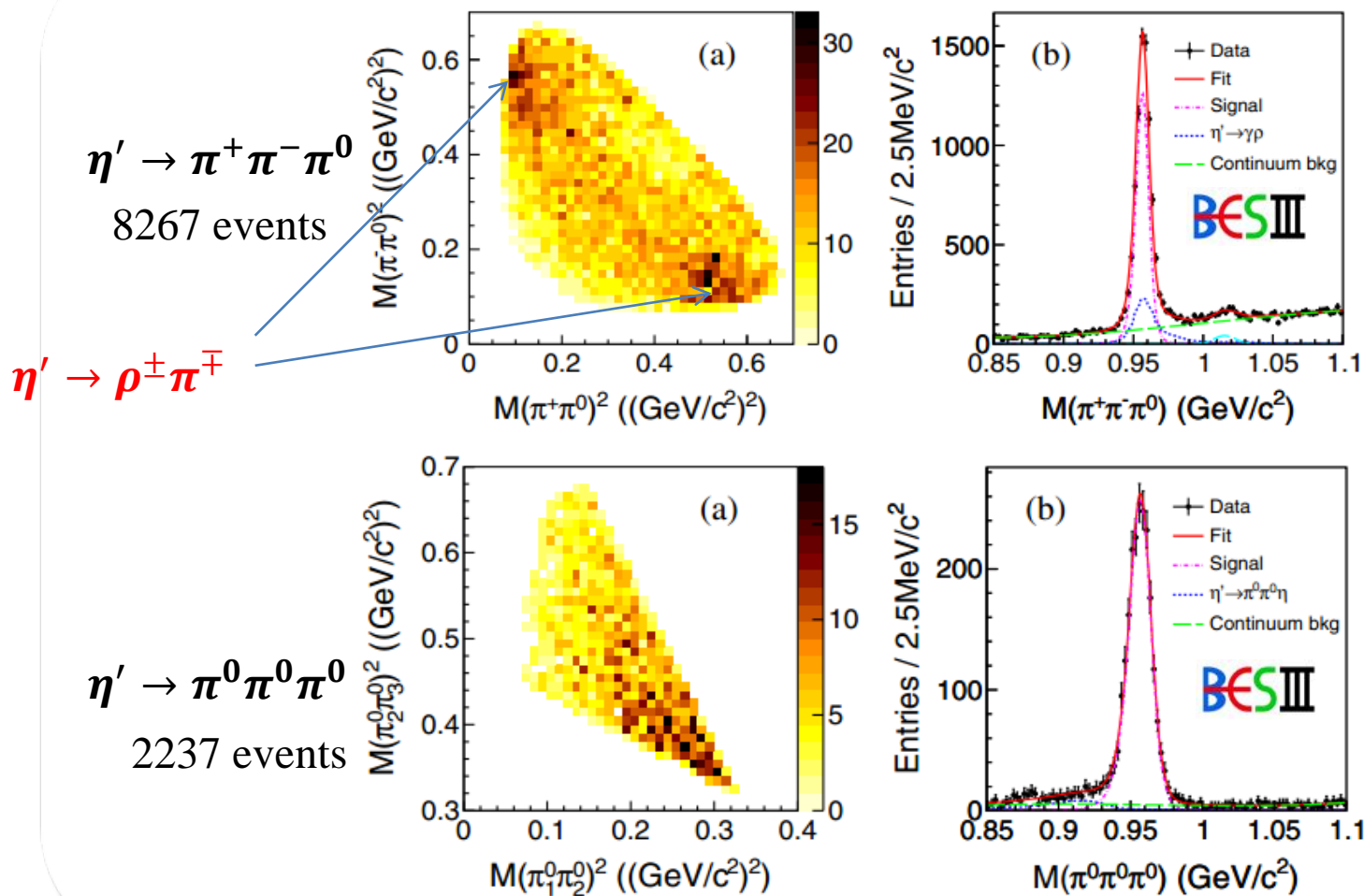
$$r_0 = \frac{B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0)}{B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta)}$$

- ◆ Using ChPT, large P-wave contribution of $\eta' \rightarrow \rho^{\pm}\pi^{\mp}$ is predicted [Eur. Phys. J. A 26, 383(2005)]



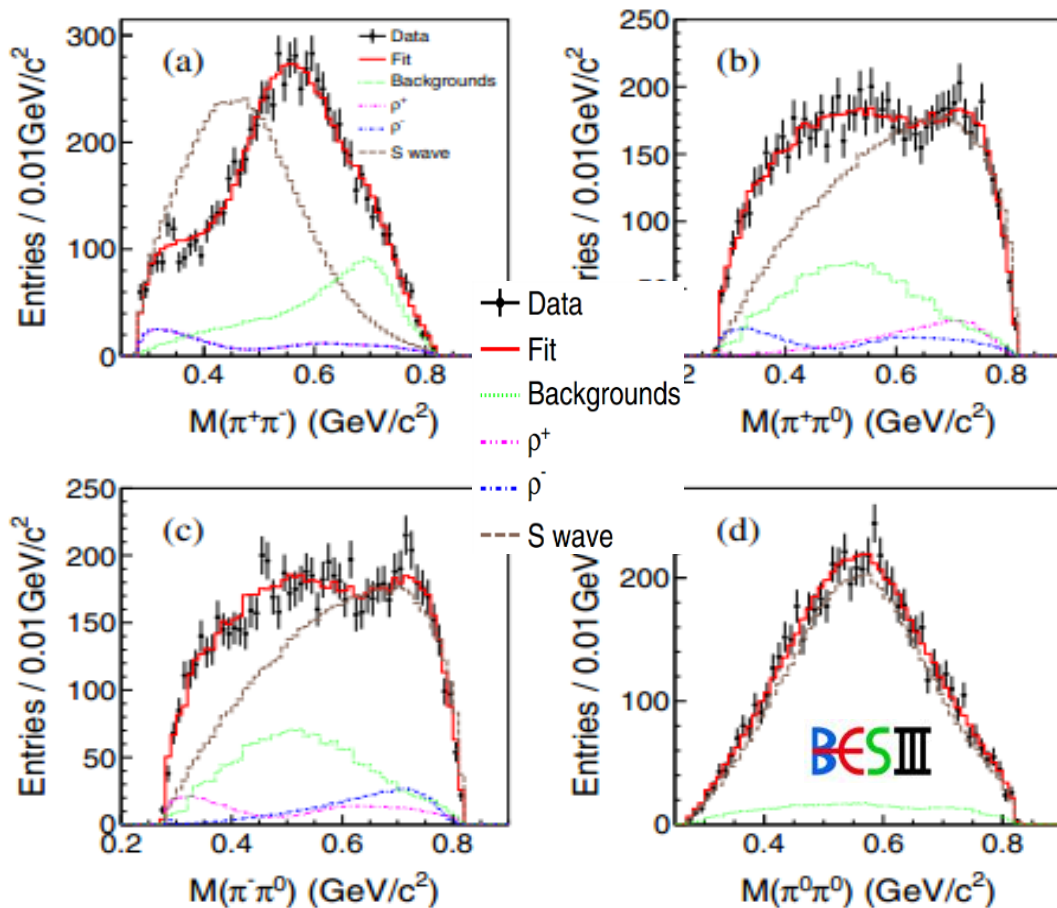
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- ◆ Described by **three components**:
P wave ($\rho^\pm\pi^\mp$), resonant S wave ($\sigma\pi^0$), phase-space S wave ($\pi\pi\pi$)
- ◆ Each component $> 24\sigma$

$$\begin{aligned}
 B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0) &= (35.91 \pm 0.54 \pm 1.74) \times 10^{-4} \\
 B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\pi^0) &= (35.22 \pm 0.82 \pm 2.54) \times 10^{-4} \\
 B(\eta' \rightarrow \rho^\pm\pi^\mp) &= (7.44 \pm 0.06 \pm 1.26 \pm 1.84) \times 10^{-4} \\
 B(\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)_S &= (37.63 \pm 0.77 \pm 2.22 \pm 4.48) \times 10^{-4}
 \end{aligned}$$

- ◆ Obtained decay width ratios:
 $r_\pm = (8.77 \pm 1.19) \times 10^{-3}$
 $r_0 = (15.86 \pm 1.33) \times 10^{-3}$

Matrix Elements for $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)}\pi^{-(0)}\eta$

◆ Remains a subject of effective ChPT

◆ explored by CLEO, VES, GAMS Collaboration but with limited statistics

◆ A cusp due to $\pi^+\pi^-$ mass threshold for the Dalitz plot of $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\eta$

◆ For the charged decay mode

$$X = \frac{\sqrt{3}(T_{\pi^+} - T_{\pi^-})}{Q}, \quad Y = \frac{m_\eta + 2m_\pi}{m_\pi} \frac{T_\eta}{Q} - 1.$$

T_π and T_η are the kinetic energies of π and η in the η' rest frame, $Q = m_{\eta'} - m_\eta - 2m_\pi$

◆ For the neutral decay mode

$$X = \frac{\sqrt{3}|T_{\pi_1^0} - T_{\pi_2^0}|}{Q}.$$

◆ general representation

$$|M(X, Y)|^2 = N(1 + aY + bY^2 + cX + dX^2 + \dots),$$

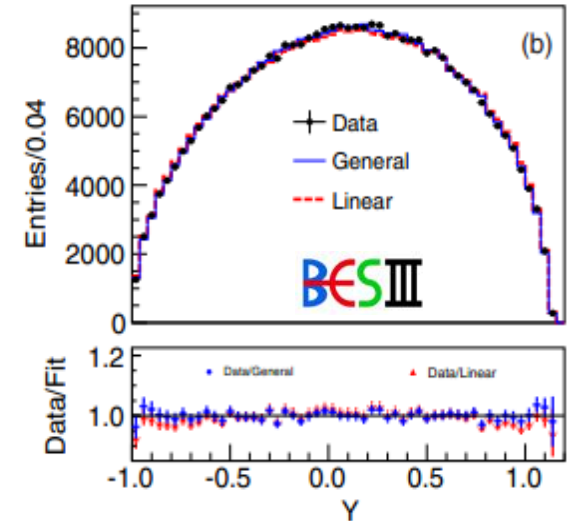
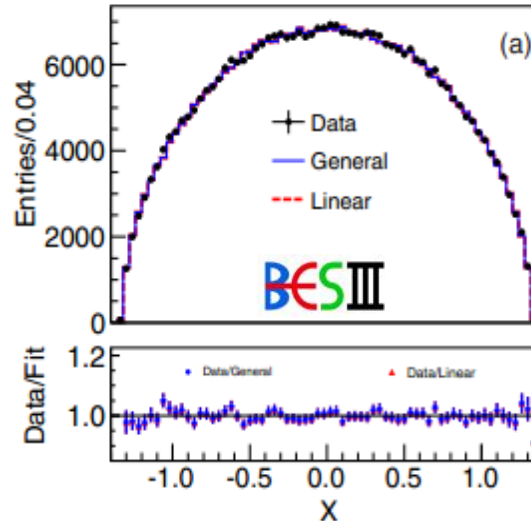
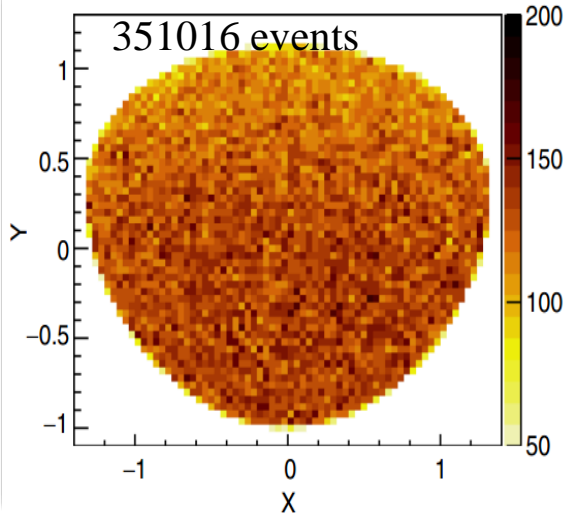
◆ linear representation

$$|M(X, Y)|^2 = N(|1 + \alpha Y|^2 + cX + dX^2 + \dots),$$

Here, a, b, c, d are free parameters
 α is a complex number, $a=2\text{Re}(\alpha)$,
 $b=\text{Re}(\alpha)^2 + \text{Im}(\alpha)^2$

Matrix Elements for $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$

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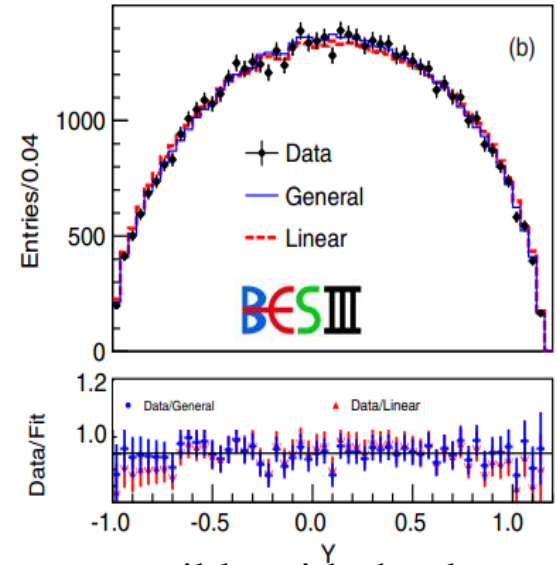
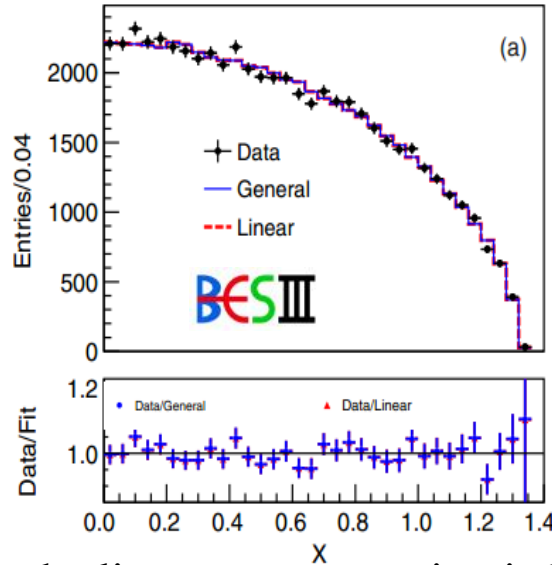
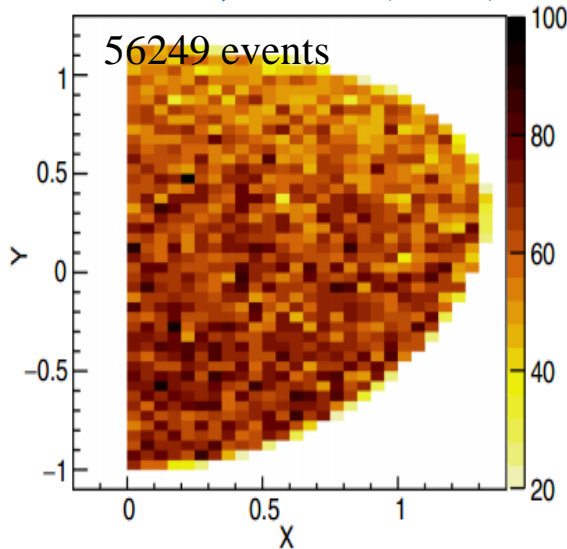


the linear representation is less compatible with the data

Parameter	$\eta' \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$				This work
	EFT [5]	Large N_C [7]	RChT [7]	VES [10]	
a	-0.116(11)	-0.098(48) (fixed)	-0.127(18)	-0.127(18)	-0.056(4)(2)
b	-0.042(34)	-0.050(1)	-0.033(1)	-0.106(32)	-0.049(6)(6)
c	...	...	...	+0.015(18)	0.0027(24)(18)
d	+0.010(19)	-0.092(8)	-0.072(1)	-0.082(19)	-0.063(4)(3)
$\Re(\alpha)$	[5] Eur. Phys. J. A 26, 383(2005)	...	...	-0.072(14)	-0.034(2)(2)
$\Im(\alpha)$	[7] JHEP 05, 094(2011)	...	...	0.000(100)	0.000(19)(1)
c	[10] Phys. Lett. B 651, 22 (2007)	+0.020(19)	0.0027(24)(15)
d				-0.066(34)	-0.053(4)(4)

Matrix Elements for $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$

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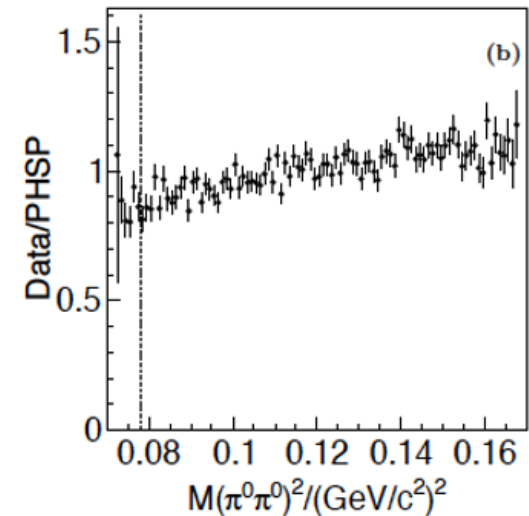
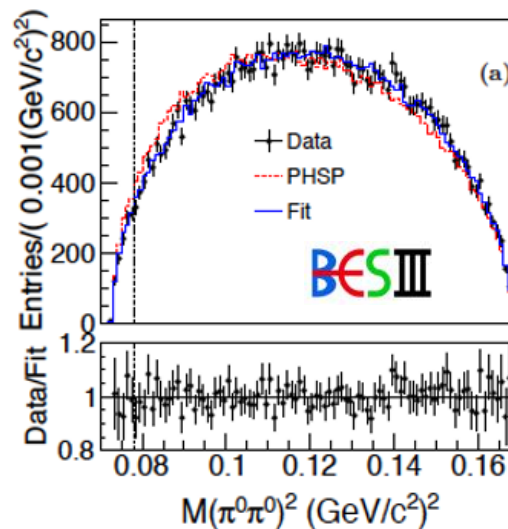
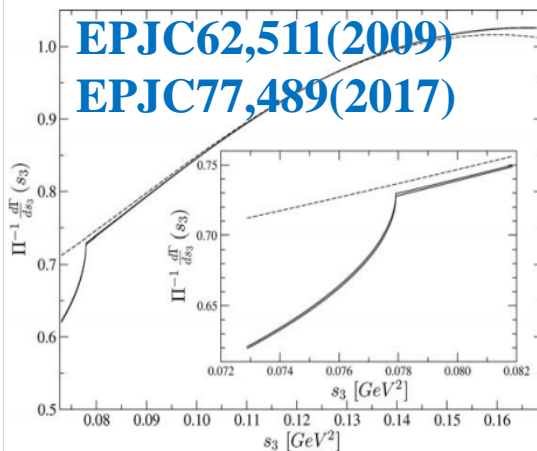
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Parameter	$\eta' \rightarrow \eta \pi^0 \pi^0$		
	EFT [5]	GAMS-4 π [12]	This work
a	-0.127(9)	-0.067(16)	-0.087(9)(6)
b	-0.049(36)	-0.064(29)	-0.073(14)(5)
c	...	...	...
d	+0.011(21)	-0.067(20)	-0.074(9)(4)
$\Re(\alpha)$	[5]Eur. Phys. J. A 26, 383(2005)	-0.042(8)	-0.054(4)(1)
$\Im(\alpha)$	[12] Phys. At. Nucl. 72, 231 (2009)	0.000(70)	0.000(38)(2)
c	...	...	...
d	...	-0.054(19)	-0.061(9)(5)

Matrix Elements for $\eta' \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$

Search for cusp effect

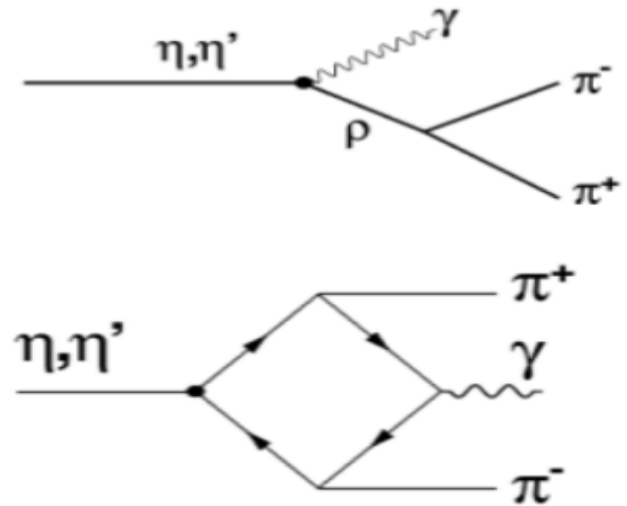
- ◆ FSI: A cusp effect (more than 8%) on $\pi^0 \pi^0$ mass spectrum below the $\pi^+ \pi^-$ mass threshold [EPJC62, 511 (2009)]



- ◆ No evidence of a cusp effect with current statistics

Study of $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\pi^+\pi^-$ Decay Dynamics

- ◆ In VMD model, this process is dominated by $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\rho(770)$
- ◆ The discrepancy attributed to the Wess-Zumino-Witten anomaly in the ChPT, known as the box anomaly [PLB37, 95 (1971), NPB223, 422 (1983)]
- ◆ Recently a model-independent approach based on ChPT are proposed: $A \propto P(s) \cdot F_V(s)$ [PLB 707, 184 (2012)]
- ◆ Studied by several experiments , but no consistent picture due to limited statistics
 - ρ mass shift or not ?
 - box anomaly or not ?



The dipion mass dependent differential rate :

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dM(\pi^+\pi^-)} = \frac{k_\gamma^3 q_\pi^3(s)}{48\pi^3} |A|^2$$

$$k_\gamma^3 = (m_{\eta'}^2 - s)/2m_{\eta'}$$

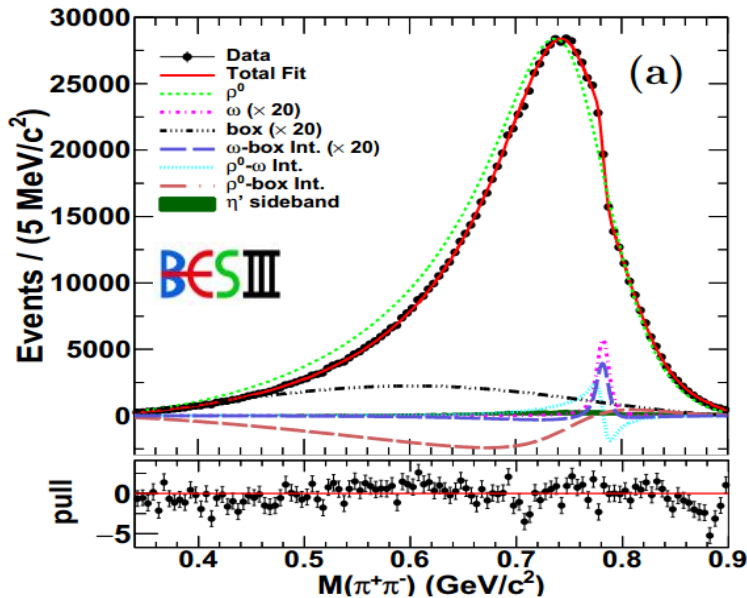
$$q_\pi(s) = \sqrt{s - 4m_\pi^2}/2$$

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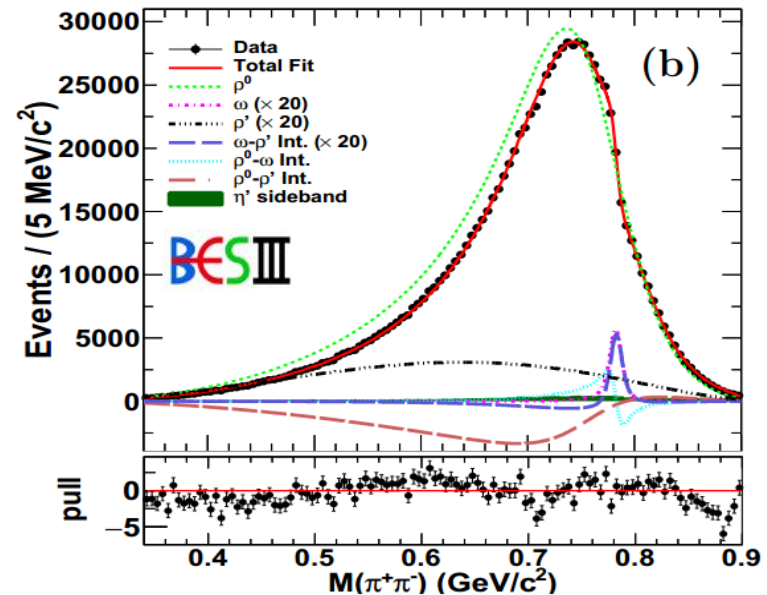
Model dependent fit

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Fit with $\rho(770) - \omega$ - box anomaly



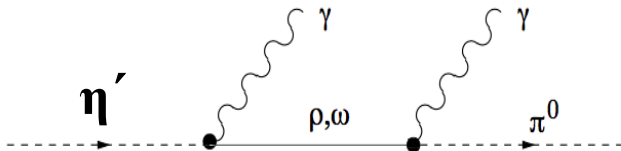
Fit with $\rho(770) - \omega - \rho(1450)$



- ◆ Besides the $\rho(770)$, the ω contribution is needed
- ◆ $\rho(770)$ - ω cannot describe data well
- ◆ Extra contribution of box-anomaly or $\rho(1450)$, or both of them is necessary

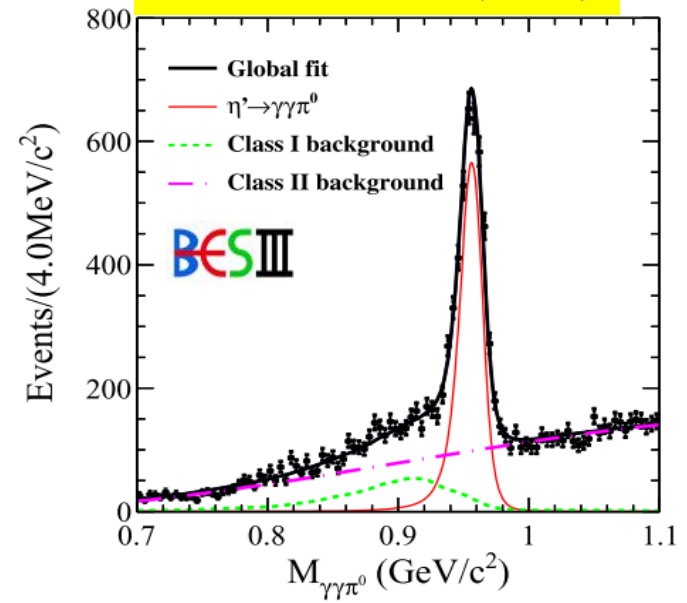
Doubly radiative decay $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0$

- ◆ Test QCD calculations on the transition form factor
- ◆ Test the high order of ChPT
- ◆ VMD contribution is dominant



- ◆ In experiment, only an upper limit of $B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0) < 8 \times 10^{-4}$ at 90% C.L.

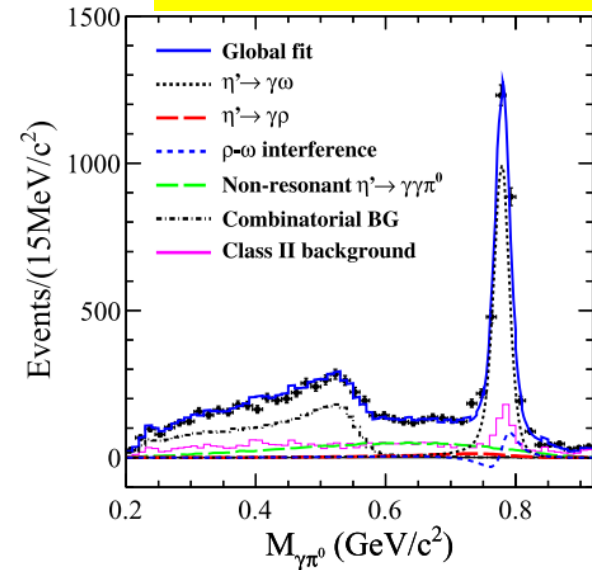
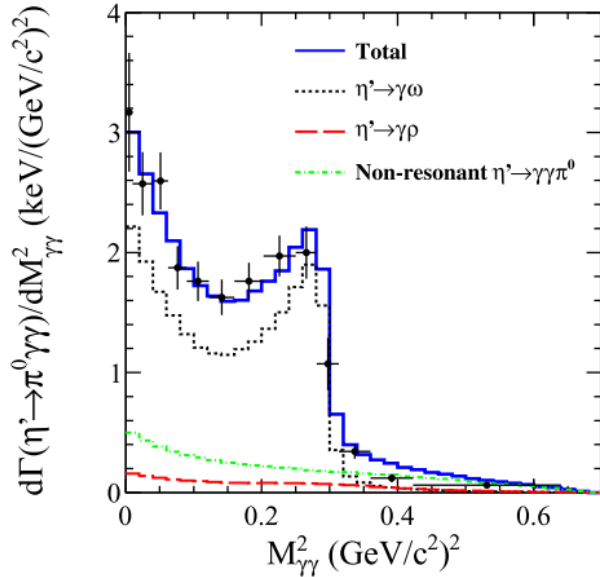
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- ◆ The inclusive $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0$ includes the vector mesons ρ / ω and the non-resonant contribution

Doubly radiative decay $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0$

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This measurement:

$$B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0)_{inc} = (3.20 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\omega) = (23.7 \pm 1.4 \pm 1.8) \times 10^{-4}$$

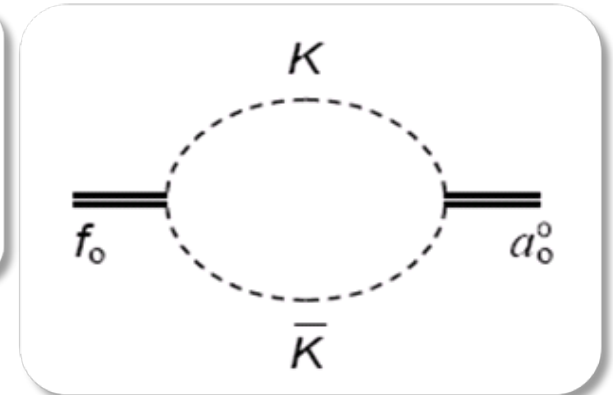
$$B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0)_{NR} = (6.16 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.67) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\text{PDG: } B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0) < 8.0 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\text{Linear } \sigma \text{ model and VMD: } B(\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\pi^0) \sim 6.0 \times 10^{-3}$$

$a_0^0(980)$ - $f_0(980)$ mixing

Meson	$I^G(J^{PC})$	Mass(MeV)	Width(MeV)	Decay
$a_0(980)$	$1^-(0^{++})$	980 ± 20	50~100	$\eta\pi, KK$
$f_0(980)$	$0^+(0^{++})$	990 ± 10	10~100	$\pi\pi, KK$



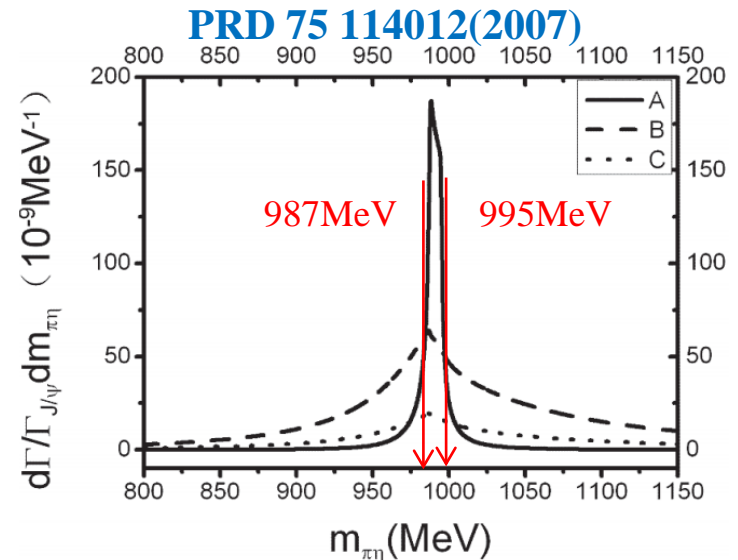
◆ In theory, $a_0^0(980)$ and $f_0(980)$ are explained as $q\bar{q}$ mesons, $K\bar{K}$ molecules, tetraquarks, $q\bar{q}g$ hybrids

◆ In 1970s, the mixing mechanism was firstly proposed [PLB 88, 367 (1979)]

$$m(K^+K^-) \approx 987\text{MeV} \quad m(K^0\bar{K}^0) \approx 995\text{MeV}$$

$$m(K^0\bar{K}^0) - m(K^+K^-) \approx 8\text{MeV}$$

◆ A narrow peak of about 8MeV is predicted



$a_0^0(980)$ - $f_0(980)$ mixing

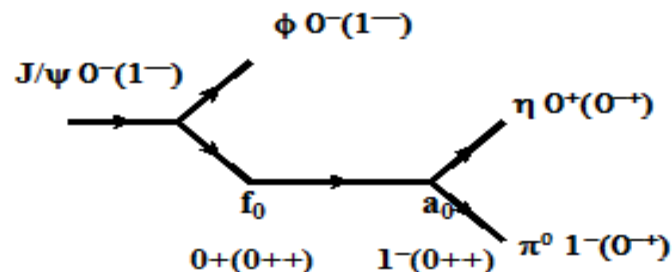
- ◆ Theorist proposed to directly measure $f_0(980) \leftrightarrow a_0^0(980)$ mixing via $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi f_0(980) \rightarrow \phi a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \phi \eta \pi^0$ and $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^0 a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ [Wu, Zhao, Zou, PRD 75 114012(2007), PRD 78 074017(2008)]

$$\xi_{fa} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \phi f_0(980) \rightarrow \phi a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \phi \eta \pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \phi f_0(980) \rightarrow \phi \pi \pi)}$$

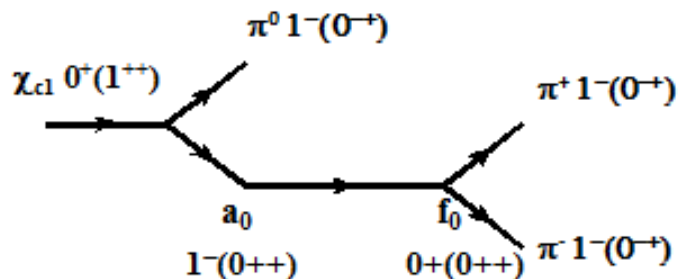
$$\xi_{af} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^0 a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^+ \pi^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^0 a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta)}$$

- ◆ Mixing intensity is sensitive to couplings of $g_{a_0 K^+ K^-}$ and $g_{f_0 K^+ K^-}$
- ◆ Measured at BESIII based on 225M J/ψ and 108M ψ' [PRD83.032003(2011)]
significance $< 5\sigma$
 $\xi_{af} < 1.0\% @ 90\% \text{C. L.}$
 $\xi_{fa} < 1.1\% @ 90\% \text{C. L.}$

$f_0(980) \rightarrow a_0^0(980)$ mixing:



$a_0^0(980) \rightarrow f_0(980)$ mixing:



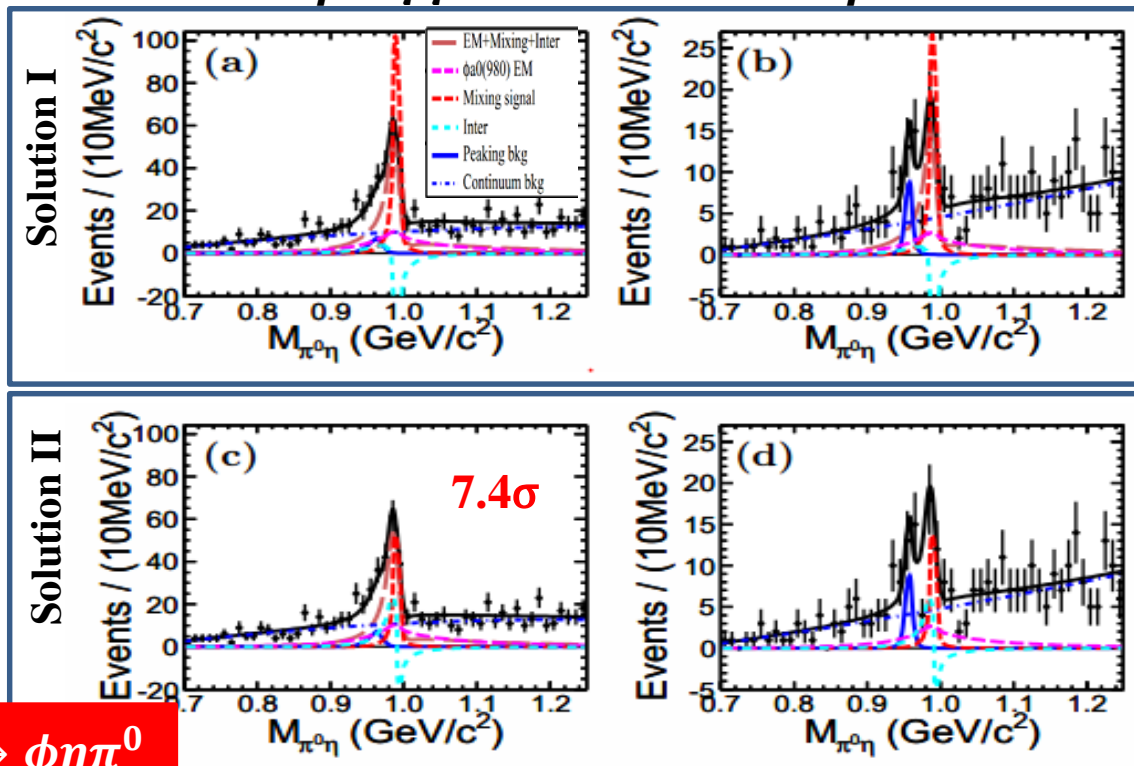
$f_0(980) \rightarrow a_0^0(980)$ mixing

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- ◆ Constructed by $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ and $\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$
- ◆ Interference between EM and mixing signal
- ◆ Two solutions are found
- ◆ Significance of $f_0(980) \rightarrow a_0^0(980)$ is 7.4σ

$\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

$\eta \rightarrow 3\pi$



$J/\psi \rightarrow \phi f_0(980) \rightarrow \phi a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \phi \eta \pi^0$

$f_0(980) \rightarrow a_0^0(980)$

Channel

Solution I

Solution II

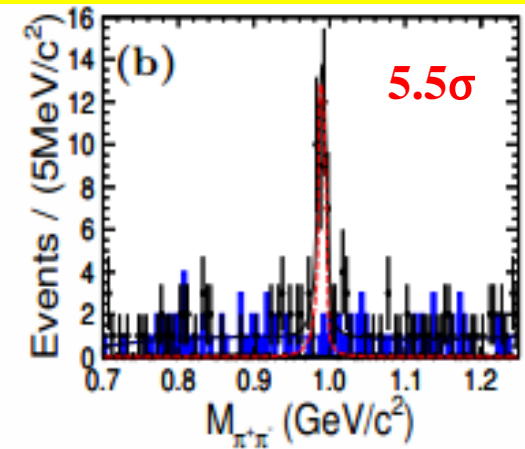
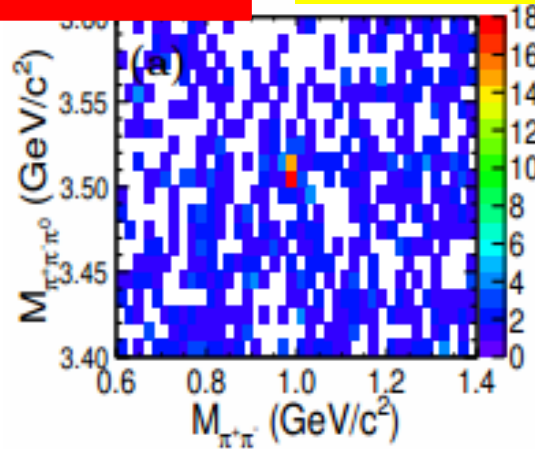
$\mathcal{B}(\text{mixing}) (10^{-6})$	$3.18 \pm 0.51 \pm 0.38 \pm 0.28$	$1.31 \pm 0.41 \pm 0.39 \pm 0.43$
$\mathcal{B}(\text{EM}) (10^{-6})$	$3.25 \pm 1.08 \pm 1.08 \pm 1.12$	$2.62 \pm 1.02 \pm 1.13 \pm 0.48$
$\mathcal{B}(\text{total}) (10^{-6})$	$4.93 \pm 1.01 \pm 0.96 \pm 1.09$	$4.37 \pm 0.97 \pm 0.94 \pm 0.06$
$\xi (\%)$	$0.99 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.09$	$0.41 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.13$

$a_0^0(980) \rightarrow f_0(980)$ mixing

$\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^0 a_0^0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

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- ◆ Very narrow peak of $f_0(980)$
- ◆ EM contribution too weak, can be negligible
- ◆ Interference is negligible
- ◆ Significance of $a_0^0(980) \rightarrow f_0(980)$ is 5.5σ



Channel	$a_0^0(980) \rightarrow f_0(980)$
$\mathcal{B}(\text{mixing}) (10^{-6})$	$0.35 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.06$
$\mathcal{B}(\text{EM}) (10^{-6})$	—
$\mathcal{B}(\text{total}) (10^{-6})$	—
$\xi (\%)$	$0.40 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.07$

Pseudoscalar (0^{-+})-- $\eta(1440)$

➤ First observed in $p\bar{p}$

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✓ $p\bar{p} \rightarrow \eta(1440)\pi^+\pi^-$ ($\eta \rightarrow K\bar{K}\pi$)

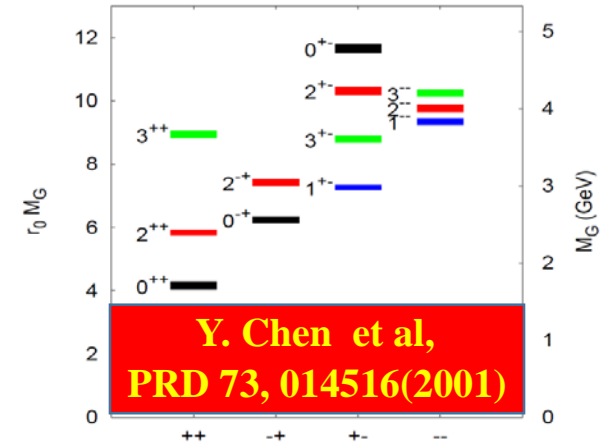
✓ Mass: 1425 ± 7 MeV, Width: 80 ± 10 MeV

➤ $\eta(1405)$ and $\eta(1475)$ observed in different decay modes

✓ π^-p : PRD40(1989)693, PLB516(2001)264

✓ Radiative J/ ψ decay: PRL65(1990)2507, PRD46(1992)1951

✓ $p\bar{p}$ annihilation at rest: PLB361(1995)187, PLB400(1997)226, PLB462(1999)453,
PLB545(2002)261



Pseudoscalar (0^{-+})-- $\eta(1405)/\eta(1475)$

The Structure of $\eta(1440)$

➤ Experiment

- ✓ $\eta(1440)$ split to $\eta(1405)$ and $\eta(1475)$ (from PDG04)
- ✓ $\eta(1405) \rightarrow \eta\pi\pi$, or through $a_0(980)\pi$ (or direct) to $KK\pi$
- ✓ $\eta(1475) \rightarrow K^*(892)K$

➤ Quark-model

- $\eta(1295)$: the first radial excitation of the η'
- $\eta(1475)$: the first radial excitation of the η
- **$\eta(1405)$?**

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- $\eta(1405)$ and $\eta(1475)$ are the same state with a mass shift in different modes
- $\Gamma_{\gamma\rho} : \Gamma_{\gamma\phi} \approx 3.8:1$

Pseudoscalar (0^{-+})-- $\eta(1405)/\eta(1475)$

$\checkmark \eta(1405) \rightarrow \gamma\rho \quad \eta(1475) \rightarrow \gamma\phi$

Table 2
Comparison with other experiments

Decay mode	Mass (MeV/ c^2)	Width (MeV/ c^2)	$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X)B(X \rightarrow \gamma V)$ ($\times 10^{-4}$)	Experiment
$f_1(1285) \rightarrow \gamma\rho^0$	1281.9 ± 0.6	24.0 ± 1.2	0.34 ± 0.09	PDG [1]
	1271 ± 7	31 ± 14	$0.25 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.03$	MarkIII [7]
	$1276.1 \pm 8.1 \pm 8.0$	$40.0 \pm 8.6 \pm 9.3$	$0.38 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.06$	BESII
$\eta(1440) \rightarrow \gamma\rho^0$	1400–1470	50–80	$0.64 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.07$	PDG [1]
	1432 ± 8	90 ± 26	$0.64 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.07$	MarkIII [7]
	<u>$1424 \pm 10 \pm 11$</u>	<u>$101.0 \pm 8.8 \pm 8.8$</u>	<u>$1.07 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.11$</u>	<u>BESII</u>
$\eta(1440) \rightarrow \gamma\phi$			< 0.82 (95% C.L.)	BESII

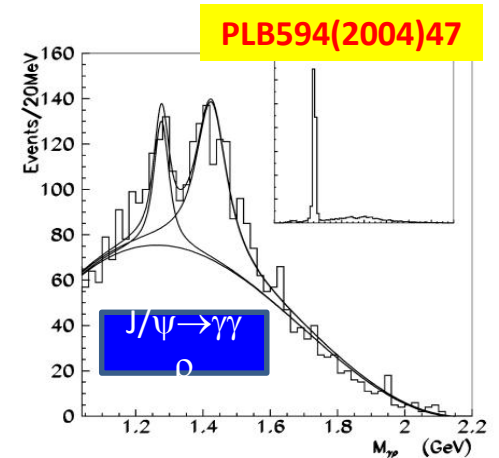


Fig. 2. The $\gamma\rho$ invariant mass distribution. The insert shows the full mass scale where the $\eta(958)$ is clearly observed.

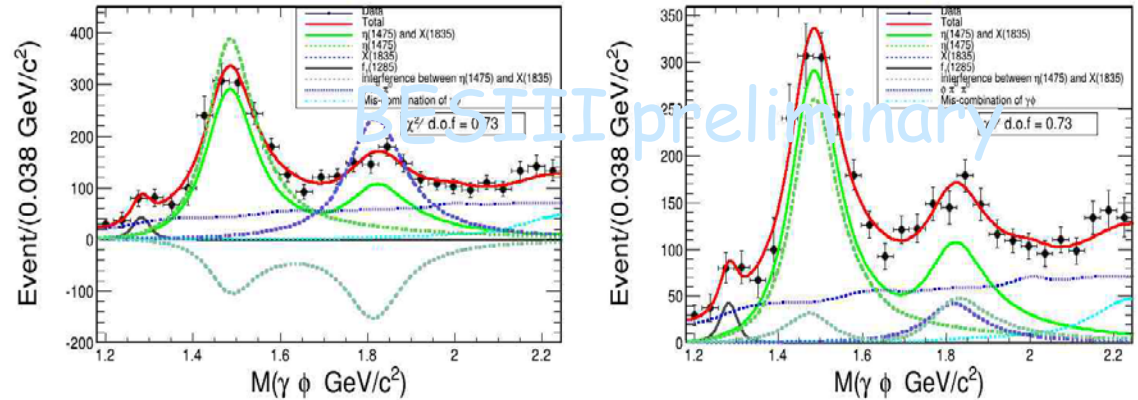
Pseudoscalar (0^{-+})-- $\eta(1405)/\eta(1475)$

$\checkmark \eta(1475) \rightarrow \gamma\phi$

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$$\Gamma_{\gamma\rho} : \Gamma_{\gamma\phi} \approx 11.1 \pm 3.5$$

$$7.5 \pm 2.5$$



	Resonance	Mass (MeV/c ²)	Γ (MeV/c ²)	B.F.($\times 10^{-6}$)
Destructive interference	$f_1(1285)$	PDG	PDG	$0.30 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.17$
	$\eta(1405/1475)$	$1479 \pm 11 \pm 21$	$133 \pm 35 \pm 20$	$11.8 \pm 2.2 \pm 1.9$
	X(1835)	$1812 \pm 59 \pm 42$	$161 \pm 47 \pm 24$	$9.0 \pm 2.6 \pm 2.2$
Constructive interference	$f_1(1285)$	PDG	PDG	$0.29 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.17$
	$\eta(1405/1475)$	$1479 \pm 11 \pm 16$	$132 \pm 36 \pm 31$	$7.9 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.9$
	X(1835)	$1813 \pm 61 \pm 45$	$160 \pm 81 \pm 43$	$1.6 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.3$

BES2: $J/\psi \rightarrow (\omega, \phi) K \bar{K} \pi$

TABLE V. The mass, width, and branching fractions of J/ψ decays into $\{\omega, \phi\}X(1440)$.

$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X(1440)$ ($X \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ \pi^- + \text{c.c.}$) $M = 1437.6 \pm 3.2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ $\Gamma = 48.9 \pm 9.0 \text{ MeV}/c^2$	$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X(1440)$ ($X \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^0$) $M = 1445.9 \pm 5.7 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ $\Gamma = 34.2 \pm 18.5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X(1440) \rightarrow \omega K_S^0 K^+ \pi^- + \text{c.c.}) = (4.86 \pm 0.69 \pm 0.81) \times 10^{-4}$	
$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X(1440) \rightarrow \omega K^+ K^- \pi^0) = (1.92 \pm 0.57 \pm 0.38) \times 10^{-4}$	
$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \phi X(1440) \rightarrow \phi K_S^0 K^+ \pi^- + \text{c.c.}) < 1.93 \times 10^{-5}$ (90% C.L.)	
$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \phi X(1440) \rightarrow \phi K^+ K^- \pi^0) < 1.71 \times 10^{-5}$ (90% C.L.)	

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BESIII: $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega \eta \pi \pi$

TABLE I. Summary of measurements of the mass, width, and the product branching fraction of $\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X) \times \mathcal{B}(X \rightarrow a_0^\pm(980)\pi^\mp) \times \mathcal{B}(a_0^\pm(980) \rightarrow \eta\pi^\pm)$ where X represents $f_1(1285)$, $\eta(1405)$ and $X(1870)$. Here the first errors are statistical and the second ones are systematic.

Resonance	Mass (MeV/ c^2)	Width (MeV/ c^2)	$\mathcal{B}(10^{-4})$
$f_1(1285)$	$1285.1 \pm 1.0_{-0.3}^{+1.6}$	$22.0 \pm 3.1_{-1.5}^{+2.0}$	$1.25 \pm 0.10_{-0.20}^{+0.19}$
$\eta(1405)$	$1399.8 \pm 2.2_{-0.1}^{+2.8}$	$52.8 \pm 7.6_{-7.6}^{+0.1}$	$1.89 \pm 0.21_{-0.23}^{+0.21}$
$X(1870)$	$1877.3 \pm 6.3_{-7.4}^{+3.4}$	$57 \pm 12_{-4}^{+19}$	$1.50 \pm 0.26_{-0.36}^{+0.72}$

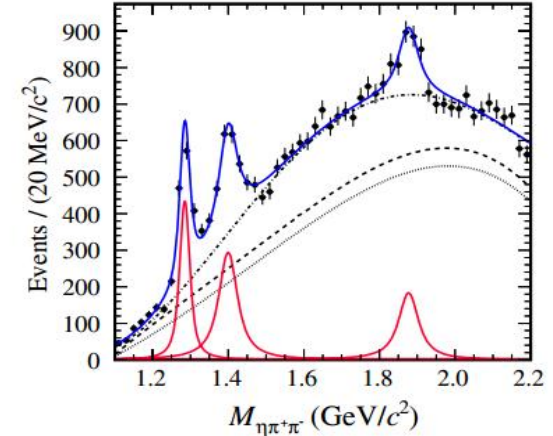


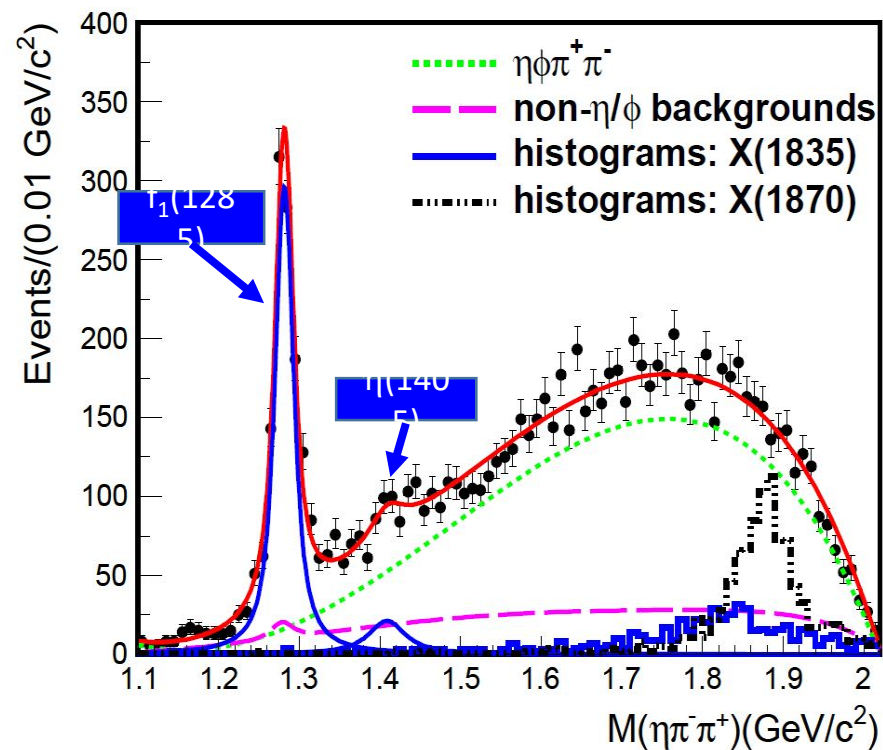
FIG. 4 (color online). Results of the fit to the $M(\eta\pi^+\pi^-)$ mass distribution for events with either the $\eta\pi^+$ or $\eta\pi^-$ in the $a_0(980)$ mass window. The dotted curve shows the contribution of non- ω and/or non- $a_0(980)$ background, the dashed line also includes the contribution from $J/\psi \rightarrow b_1(1235)a_0(980)$, and the dot-dashed curve indicates the total background with the non-resonant $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega a_0^\pm(980)\pi^\mp$ included. $\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.}$ is 1.27 for this fit.

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Decay mode	Branching fraction \mathcal{B}
$J/\psi \rightarrow \eta Y(2175), Y(2175) \rightarrow \phi f_0(980), f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(1.20 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.37) \times 10^{-4}$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \phi f_1(1285), f_1(1285) \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(1.20 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-4}$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \phi \eta(1405), \eta(1405) \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(2.01 \pm 0.58 \pm 0.82) (< 4.45) \times 10^{-5}$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \phi X(1835), X(1835) \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$	$< 2.80 \times 10^{-4}$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \phi X(1870), X(1870) \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$	$< 6.13 \times 10^{-5}$

BESIII: $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi \eta \pi \pi$

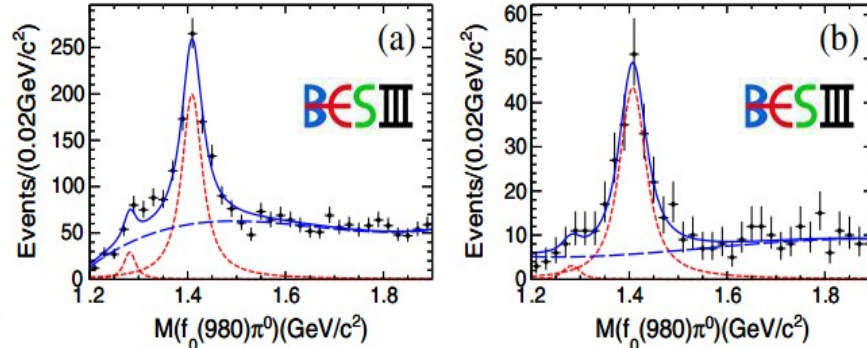
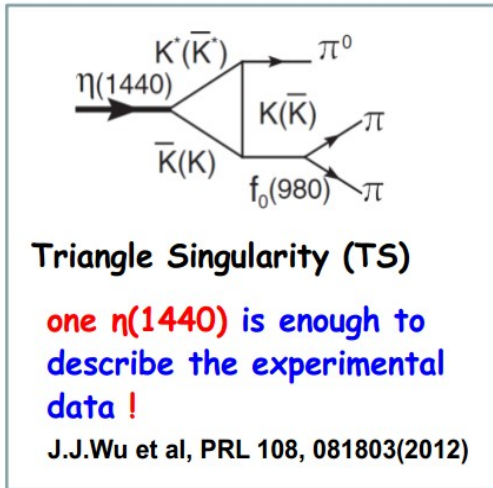
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$\eta(1405)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma 3\pi$

PRL 108, 182001 (2012)

- $\eta(1440)$
 - $\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0 \pi$
 - $\eta(1475) \rightarrow K^* \bar{K}$
- One or two resonances?



The isospin violated decay $\eta(1405) \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi^0$ is observed for the first time with a significance $>10\sigma$.

Resonance	$M(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	$\Gamma(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	Branching ratios
$\eta(1405)(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)$	1409.0 ± 1.7	48.3 ± 5.2	$(1.50 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-5}$
$\eta(1405)(\pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0)$	1407.0 ± 3.5	55.0 ± 11.0	$(7.10 \pm 0.82 \pm 0.72) \times 10^{-6}$

Measured results of $\eta(1440)$ at BES2/BESIII

BES2 BESIII

	$\eta\pi\pi$	$K\bar{K}\pi$	3π	γV
γ	$\eta(1405)$ $(2.6 \pm 0.7) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$\eta(1440)$	$\eta(1405)$ $3\pi (1.50 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.11) \cdot 10^{-5}$ $3\pi^0 (7.10 \pm 0.82 \pm 0.72) \cdot 10^{-6}$	$\eta(1405) \rightarrow \gamma\rho$ $(1.07 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.11) \cdot 10^{-4}$ $\eta(1475) \rightarrow \gamma\phi$ $(7.9 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.9 /$ $11.8 \pm 2.2 \pm 1.9) \cdot 10^{-6}$
ω	$\eta(1405)$ $(1.89 \pm 0.21 \pm_{0.23}^{0.21}) \cdot 10^{-4}$	$\eta(1440)$ $K_S K\pi: (4.86 \pm 0.69 \pm 0.81) \cdot 10^{-4}$ $K^+ K^- \pi^0: (1.92 \pm 0.57 \pm 0.38) \cdot 10^{-4}$		
ϕ	$\eta(1405)$ $(2.01 \pm 0.58 \pm 0.82) \cdot 10^{-5}$ $(< 4.45 \cdot 10^{-5} @90\%CL)$	$\eta(1440)$ $K_S K\pi < 1.93 \cdot 10^{-5} @90\%CL$ $K^+ K^- \pi^0 < 1.71 \cdot 10^{-5} @90\%CL$		
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Status of X(18??) at BESIII

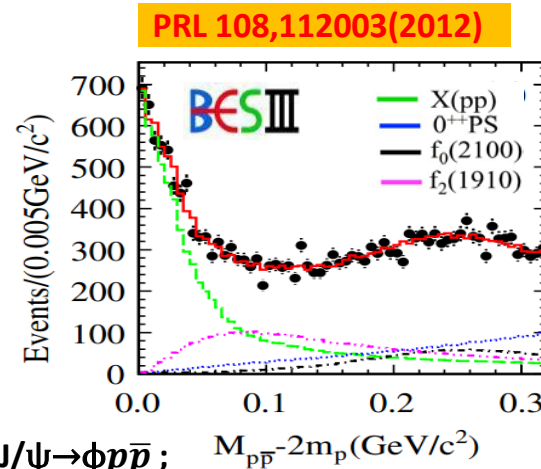
- $X(p\bar{p})$: $J^P = 0^-$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$, PRL108,112003
- X(1835): $J^P = 0^-$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$, PRL106, 072002
- X(1840): J^P unknown, $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma 3(\pi^+ \pi^-)$, PRD88,091502
- X(1870): J^P unknown, $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$, PRL107, 182001
- X(1810): $J^P = 0^+$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \omega \varphi$, PRD 87, 032008

X(18??) near proton-antiproton threshold :

- X(1840) is in agreement with X(1835) and X($p\bar{p}$), while its width is significantly different
- Are they the same particles?
- More studies are needed

$X(p\bar{p})/X(1860)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$

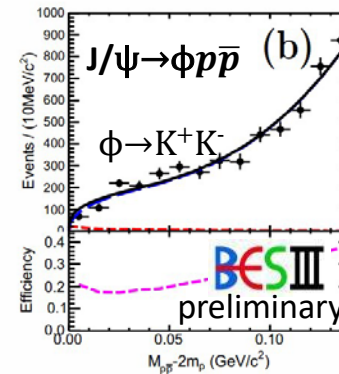
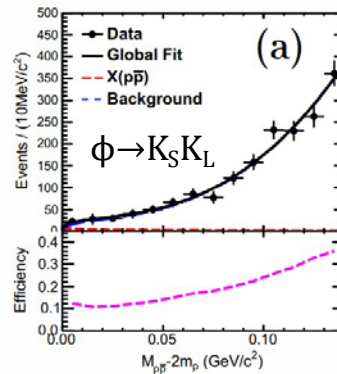
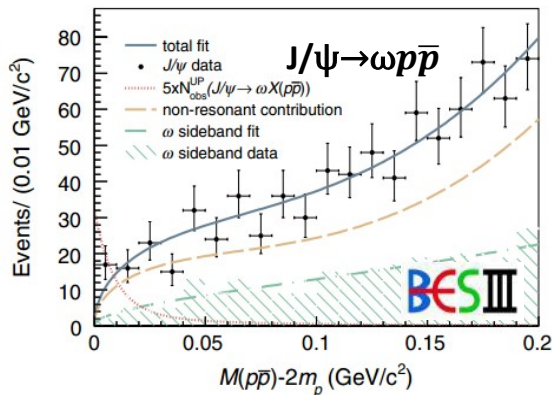
- Strong enhancement first observed at BESII [PRL 91,022001(2003)] and confirmed by CLEO-c [PRD82,092002(2012)];
- PWA was firstly performed at BESIII;
- **Significance of the $X(p\bar{p})$ component $> 30\sigma$, $> 5\sigma$ for the other components;**
- **The 0^+ assignment is better than other J^{PC} ;**
- $M = 1832 \pm_{-5}^{+19}(\text{stat}) \pm_{-17}^{+18}(\text{syst}) \pm 19(\text{mode}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$;
- $\Gamma < 76 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ (90% C.L.);



No similar structure was observed in $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega p\bar{p}$ or $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi p\bar{p}$;

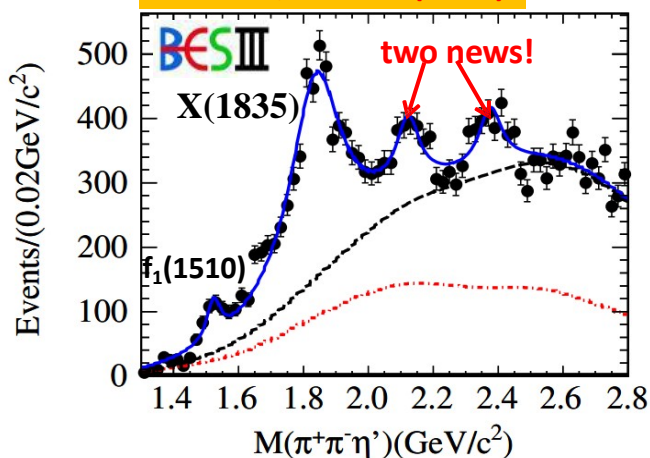
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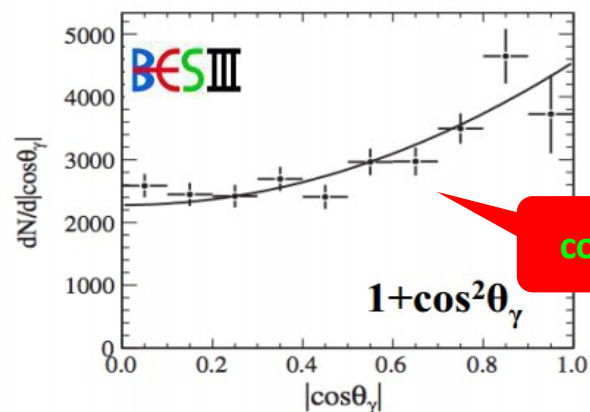
Confirm X(1835) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$

PRL 106, 072002 (2011)



Resonance	$M(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	$\Gamma(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	N_{event}	
$f_1(1510)$	1522.7 ± 5.0	48 ± 11	230 ± 37	$>5.7\sigma$
<u>X(1835)</u>	<u>1836.5 ± 3.0</u>	<u>190.1 ± 9.0</u>	<u>4265 ± 131</u>	<u>$>20\sigma$</u>
X(2120)	2122.4 ± 6.7	83 ± 16	647 ± 103	$>7.2\sigma$
X(2370)	2376.3 ± 8.7	83 ± 17	565 ± 105	$>6.4\sigma$

- X(1835) was first observed at BES, and then confirmed at BESII [PRL95,262001(2005)];
- the angular distribution of the radiative photon is consistent with expectations for pseudoscalar;
- Many interpretation: pp bound state? Glueballs? Radial excitation of the η' meson?,...
- **Needed higher statistic**



$\eta'\pi^+\pi^-$ line shape near the $p\bar{p}$ mass threshold

- A significant distortion of the $\eta'\pi^+\pi^-$ line shape near the $p\bar{p}$ mass threshold is observed in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta'\pi^+\pi^-$
 - Simple Breit-Wigner function fails in describing the line shape near the $p\bar{p}$ mass threshold
- Two models have been used
 - MODEL I: threshold structure due to the opening of the $p\bar{p}$ decay mode
 - Using the Flatté formula
 - **Strong $X(1835) \rightarrow p\bar{p}$ coupling, with significance larger than 7σ**
 - $M_{\text{pole}} = 1909.5^{+15.9+9.4}_{-15.9-27.5} \text{ MeV}/c^2$
 - $\Gamma_{\text{pole}} = 273.5^{+21.4+6.1}_{-21.4-64.0} \text{ MeV}/c^2$
 - MODEL II: interference between two resonances
 - Using coherent sum of two Breit-Wigner amplitudes
 - **A narrow resonance below the $p\bar{p}$ mass threshold, with significance larger than 7σ**
 - $M = 1870.2^{+2.2+2.3}_{-2.3-0.7} \text{ MeV}/c^2$
 - $\Gamma = 13.0^{+7.1+2.1}_{-5.5-3.8} \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- Both models fit the data well with almost equally good quality
 - Cannot distinguish them with current data
 - **Suggest the existence of a state, either a broad state with strong couplings to $p\bar{p}$, or a narrow state just below the $p\bar{p}$ mass threshold**
 - **Support the existence of a $p\bar{p}$ molecule-like state or bound state**

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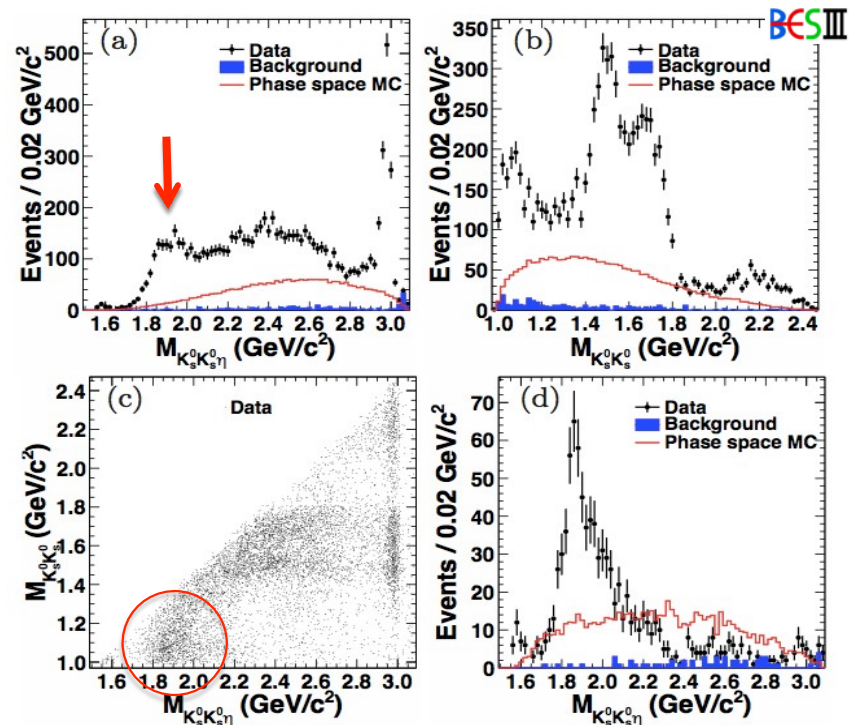
$X(1835)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma K_S^0 K_S^0 \eta$ provides a clear environment

BESIII: PRL115, 091803(2015)

- $K_S^0 K_S^0 \eta$ and $\pi^0 K_S^0 K_S^0 \eta$ bkg are forbidden by exchange symmetry and CP conservation

- 1.3×10^9 J/ψ events
- (a) Structure around $1.85 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- (b) Strong enhancement near the $K_S^0 K_S^0$ threshold interpreted as the $f_0(980)$
- (c) Strong correlation between the $f_0(980)$ and the structure near $1.85 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- (d) $M(K_S^0 K_S^0) < 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ the structure near $1.85 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ became more pronounced

PWA of events with
 $M(K_S^0 K_S^0) < 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ and
 $M(K_S^0 K_S^0 \eta) < 2.8 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

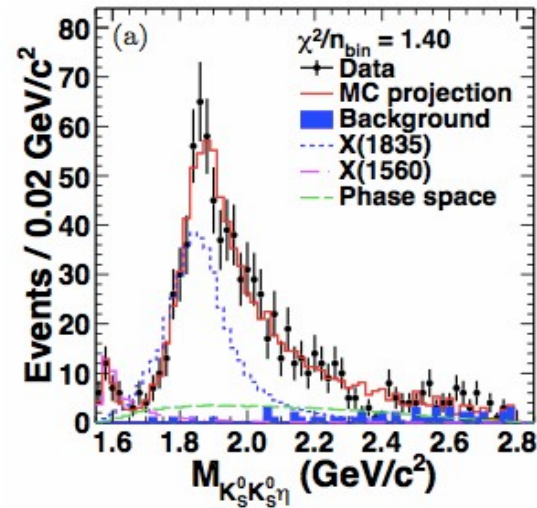


$X(1835)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma K_S K_S \eta$

BESIII: PRL115,091803

Final fit results: the data can be best described with three components:
 $X(1835) \rightarrow f_0(980) \eta$, $X(1560) \rightarrow f_0(980) \eta$, and a non-resonant $f_0(1500) \eta$
 component

- ✓ Mass/Width consistent with the $X(1835)$ in
 $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta' \pi \pi$
- ✓ Mass/spin consistent with those of the $X(p\bar{p})$
- ✓ Width is larger than the width of the $X(p\bar{p})$



$$M = 1844 \pm 9 \text{ (stat)} \pm_{25}^{16} \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

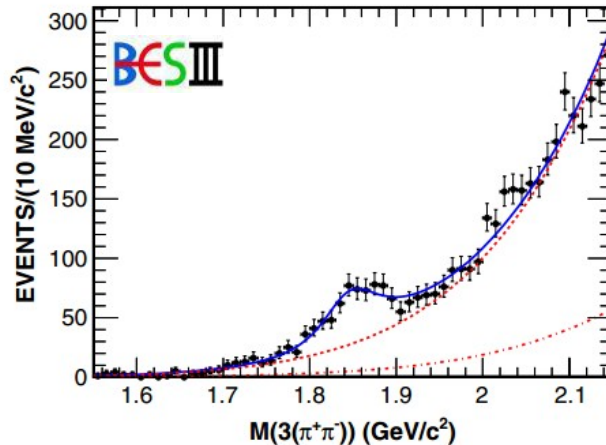
($>12.9\sigma$)

$$\Gamma = 192 \pm_{17}^{20} \text{ (stat)} \pm_{43}^{62} \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}$$

$$BR = (3.3 \pm_{0.30}^{0.32} \text{ (stat)} \pm_{1.29}^{1.96} \text{ (syst)}) \times 10^{-5}$$

X(1840) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma 3(\pi^+\pi^-)$

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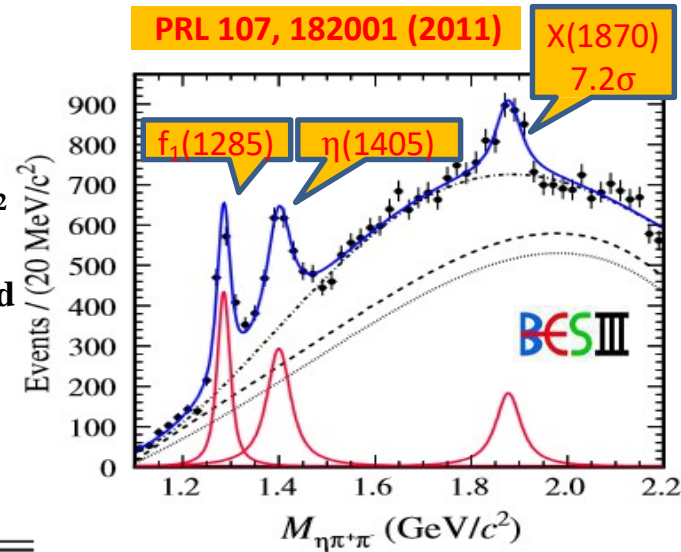
- A structure at $1.84 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ is observed in the mass spectrum $3(\pi^+\pi^-)$ with a significance of 7.6σ ;
- $M=1842.2 \pm 4.2^{+7.1}_{-2.6} \text{ MeV}/c^2$;
 $\Gamma=83 \pm 14 \pm 11 \text{ MeV}/c^2$;

$$B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X(1840)) \times B(X(1840) \rightarrow 3(\pi^+\pi^-)) = (2.44 \pm 0.36^{+0.60}_{-0.74}) \times 10^{-5}$$

- ✓ The mass is consistent with that of X(1835), but the width is significantly different from either of them, and much smaller than $\Gamma_{X(1835)} = 190.1 \pm 9.0^{+38}_{-36} \text{ MeV}/c^2$;
- ✓ We cannot determine whether X(1840) is a new state a new decay modes of existing X(1835)?

X(1870) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega \eta \pi^+ \pi^-$

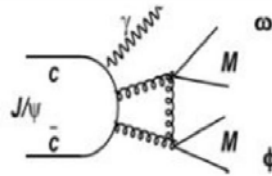
- First observation of $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega X(1870)$ and $X(1870) \rightarrow a_0(980) \pi^+ \pi^-$ with the significance 7.2σ ;
- $M = 1877.3 \pm 6.3(\text{stat}) \pm 7.4(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- $\Gamma = 57 \pm 12(\text{stat}) \pm 4^{19}(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$;
- $f_1(1285)$ and $\eta(1405)$ are also observed with significances $>10\sigma$;
- the product branching fractions for $X(1870)$, $f_1(1285)$ and $\eta(1405)$ are measured for the first time.



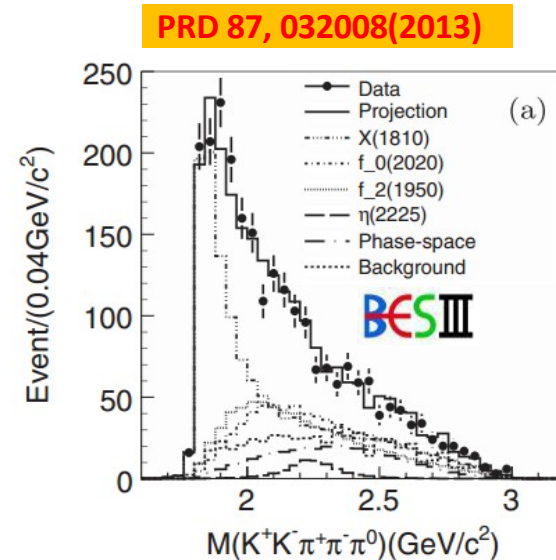
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Whether the resonant structure of X(1870) is due to the X(1835), the $\eta_2(1870)$, an interference of both, or a new resonance still needs further study!

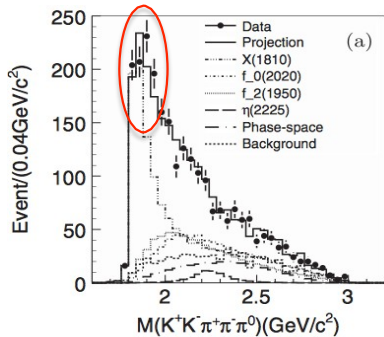
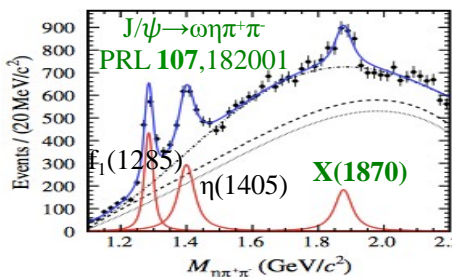
X(1810) in PWA of $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \omega \phi$



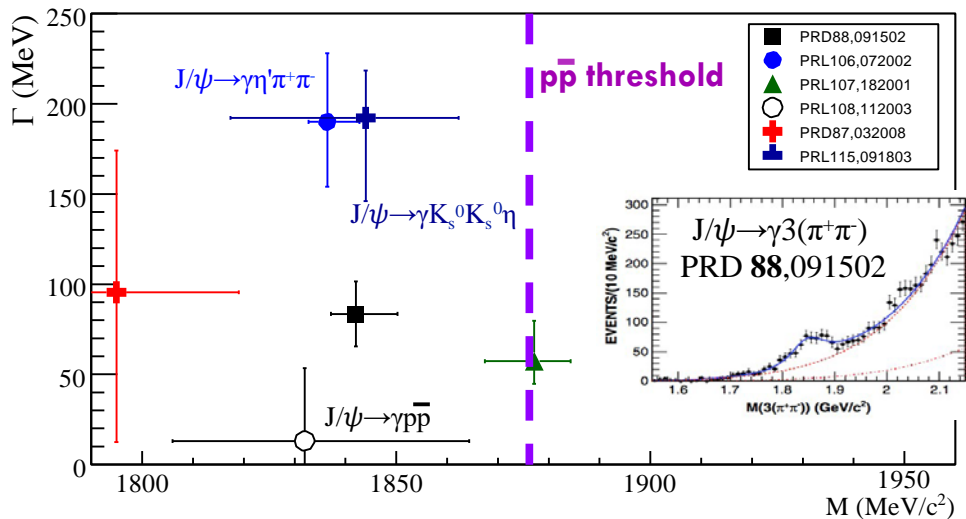
- $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \omega \phi$ is Double OZI suppressed;
- The X(1810) is first observed by PWA at BESII [PRL 96, 162002 (2006)];
- Observed and confirmed at BESIII with the significance $>30\sigma$;
- the J^{PC} of the X(1810) is 0^{++} ;
- The enhancement is not compatible with either the X(1835) or the X(pp) due to the different masses and spin-parity.



Resonance	J^{PC}	$M(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	$\Gamma(\text{MeV}/c^2)$	Events	ΔS	Δndf	Significance
X(1810)	0^{++}	1795 ± 7	95 ± 10	1319 ± 52	783	4	$>30\sigma$
$f_2(1950)$	2^{++}	1944	472	665 ± 40	211	2	20.4σ
$f_0(2020)$	0^{++}	1992	442	715 ± 45	100	2	13.9σ
$\eta(2225)$	0^{-+}	2226	185	70 ± 30	23	2	6.4σ
Coherent nonresonant component	0^{-+}	319 ± 24	45	2	9.1σ



$J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \omega \phi$ PRD
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>30 σ



X states near proton-antiproton threshold

More studies are needed

Summary

- $J/\psi(\psi')$ decay is a unique place to study light mesons
- BESIII: 1.3 billion + 4.6 billion + 4 billion J/ψ events
 - ◆ A sample of 4.6 billion J/ψ events was taken in 2018
 - ◆ So large data sample allows to study light mesons with the unprecedented statistics
 - ◆ More interesting results are expected

Thanks