



# Charmonium (Charm) Spectroscopy and Decay

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(results from BESIII, Belle, and LHCb experiments)

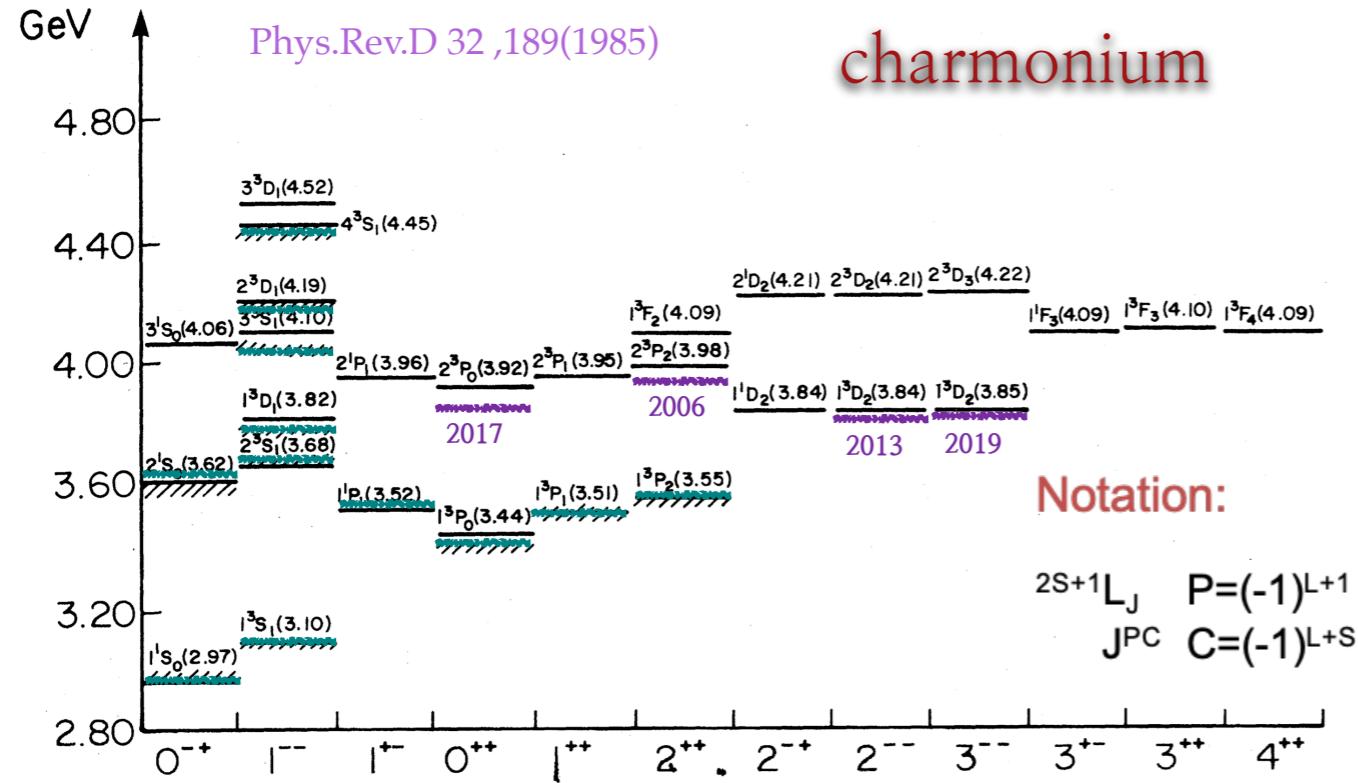
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# Charmonium/Charm Spectroscopy

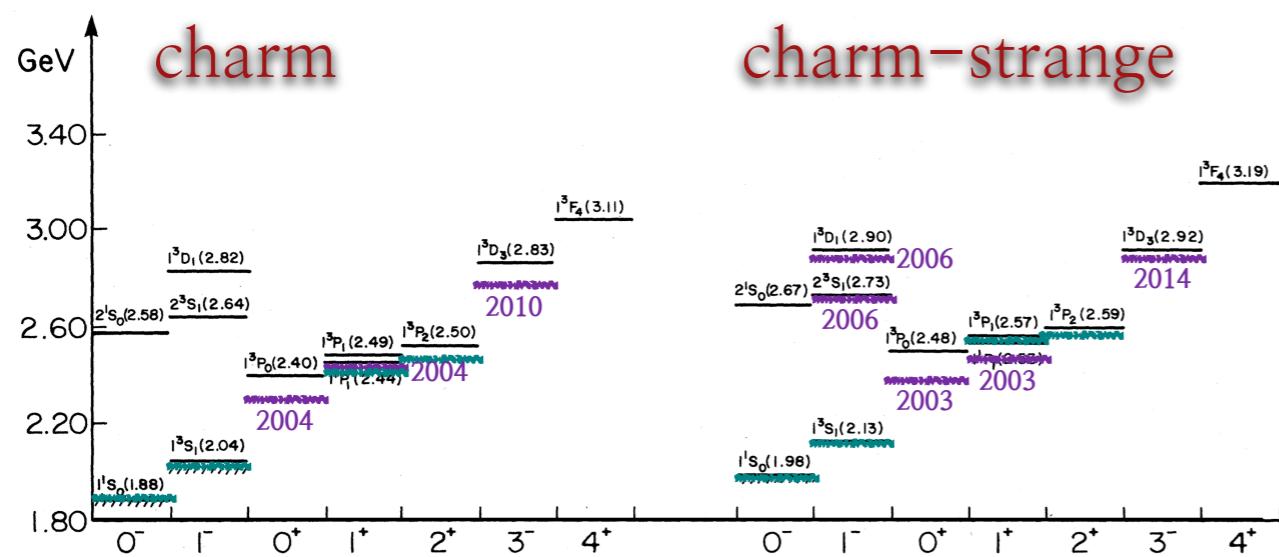
- “confinement” of strong interaction
- Charmonium/Charm states located in the transition region, provide good opportunities to test QCD
  - Various theoretical models make predictions for the properties of charmonium/charm states
  - New states and new decays provide inputs for theory
  - Many new states observed can not fit into conventional hadron picture

# Charmonium/Charm Spectroscopy



## Charmonium Spectroscopy

- Well established below  $2m_D$
- Many excited states not found yet
- Many exotic candidates observed

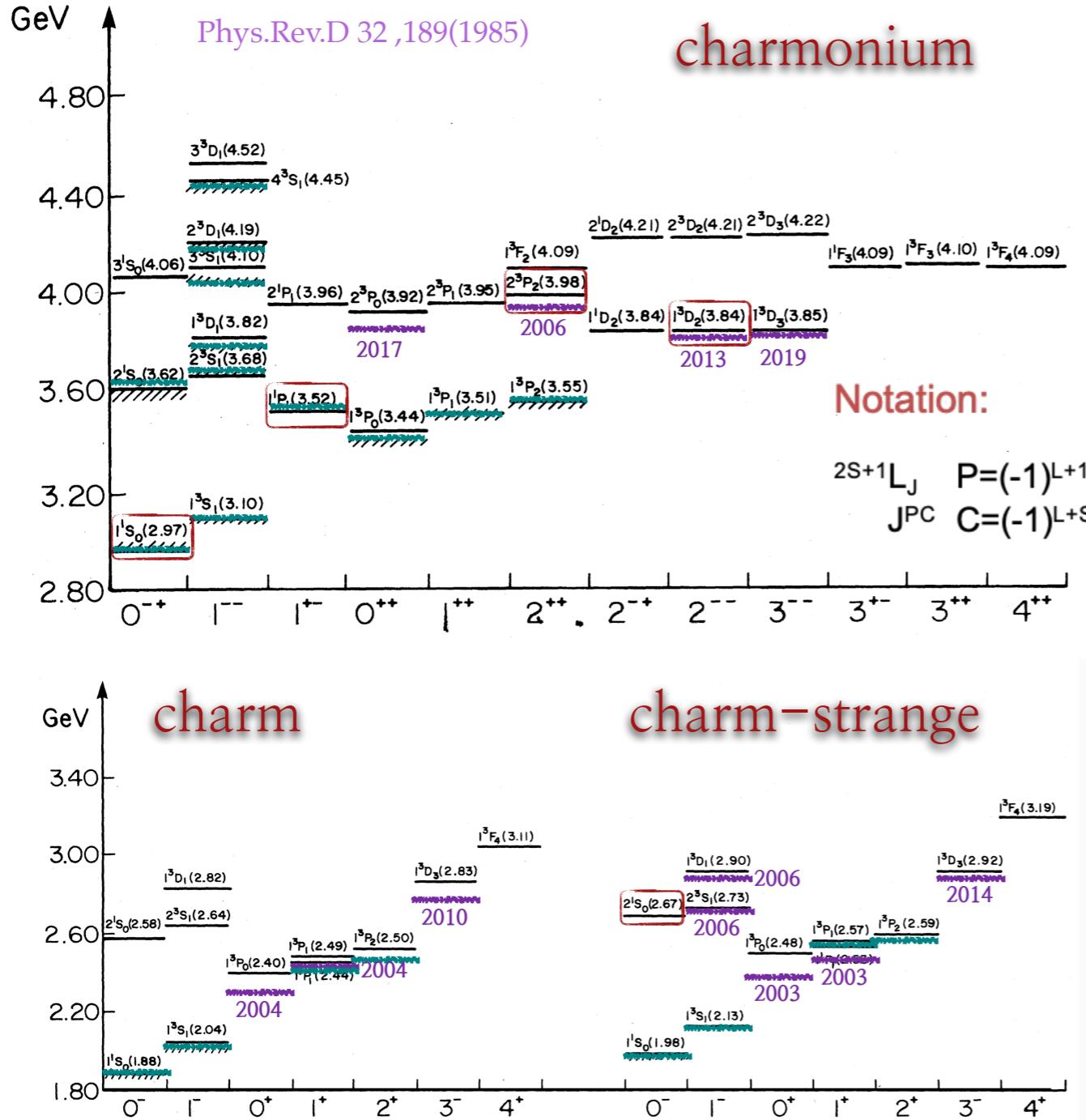


## Charm Spectroscopy

- Excited states from inclusive reaction or B decays
- Much more states from updated theoretical calculation

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# Spectroscopy and Decay



## Selected results in this talk

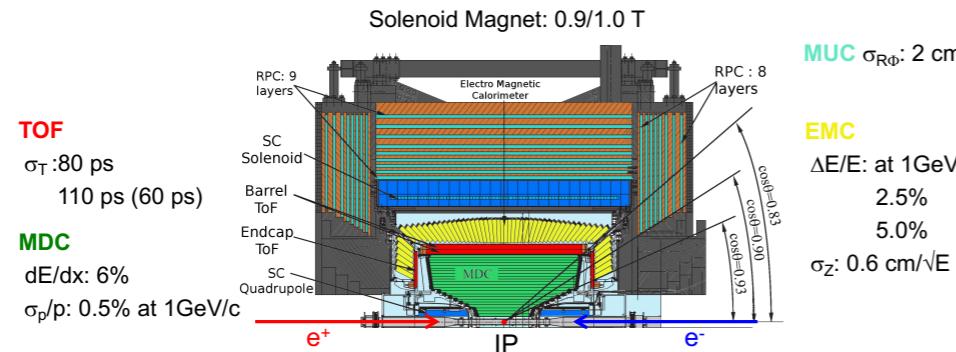
- New decay modes of  $\eta_c$ ,  $h_c$ , and  $\psi_2(3823)$
- Study of  $\psi_2(3823)$  in  $B^+ \rightarrow (J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-)K^+$  decays
- Study of  $\chi_{c0,2}(2P)$  in  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S)$
- Charmonium/charm meson in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+D^-K^+$  decays
- Observation of  $D_{s0}(2590)^+$  in  $B \rightarrow D^-(D^+K^+\pi^-)$  decays
- Absolute Br. measurement of  $D_{sJ}$

# Experiments

## BESIII at BEPCII

$e^+e^-$  collision,  $\sqrt{s} = 2\text{--}5.0 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $L_{\text{peak}} = 1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

Data Taking from 2009,  $\psi(1,2S)/\psi(3770)$  peak; 2.0 – 5.0 GeV scan



## BELLE at KEK

$e^+e^-$  collision

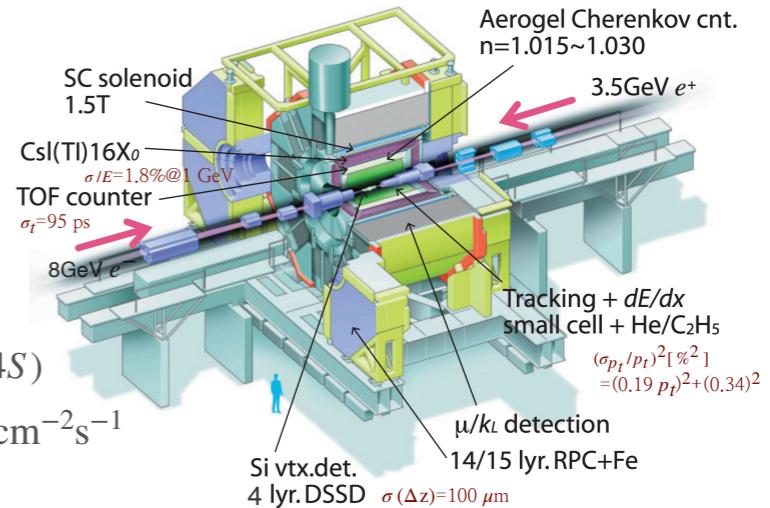
$\Upsilon(nS)$  peak/off peak

Data Taking 1999–2010

$L_{\text{int}} : 980 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

772M  $B\bar{B}$  @  $\Upsilon(4S)$

$L_{\text{peak}} : 2 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$



## LHCb at LHC

$pp$  collision

$L_{\text{int}} : 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 7,8 \text{ TeV}$

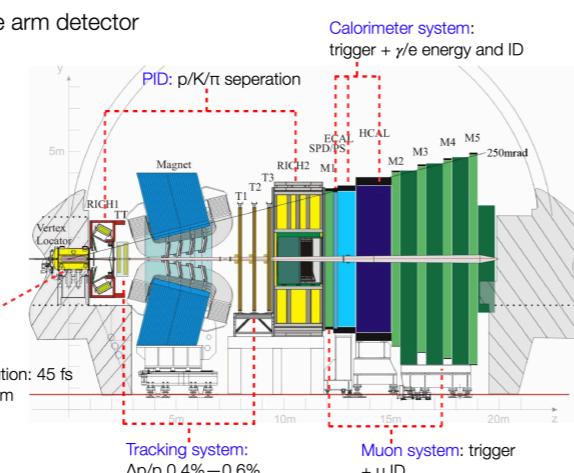
$L_{\text{int}} : 6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

Run2:

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \simeq 144 \mu\text{b}$$

$$L_{\text{peak}} \simeq 4.4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$$

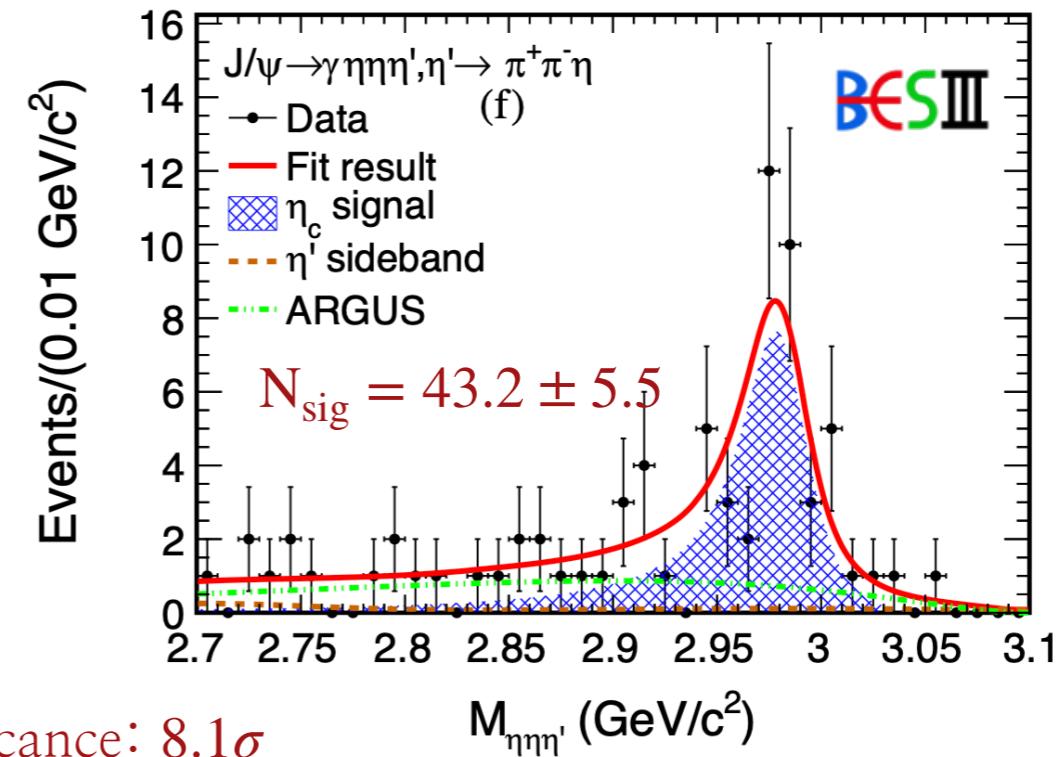
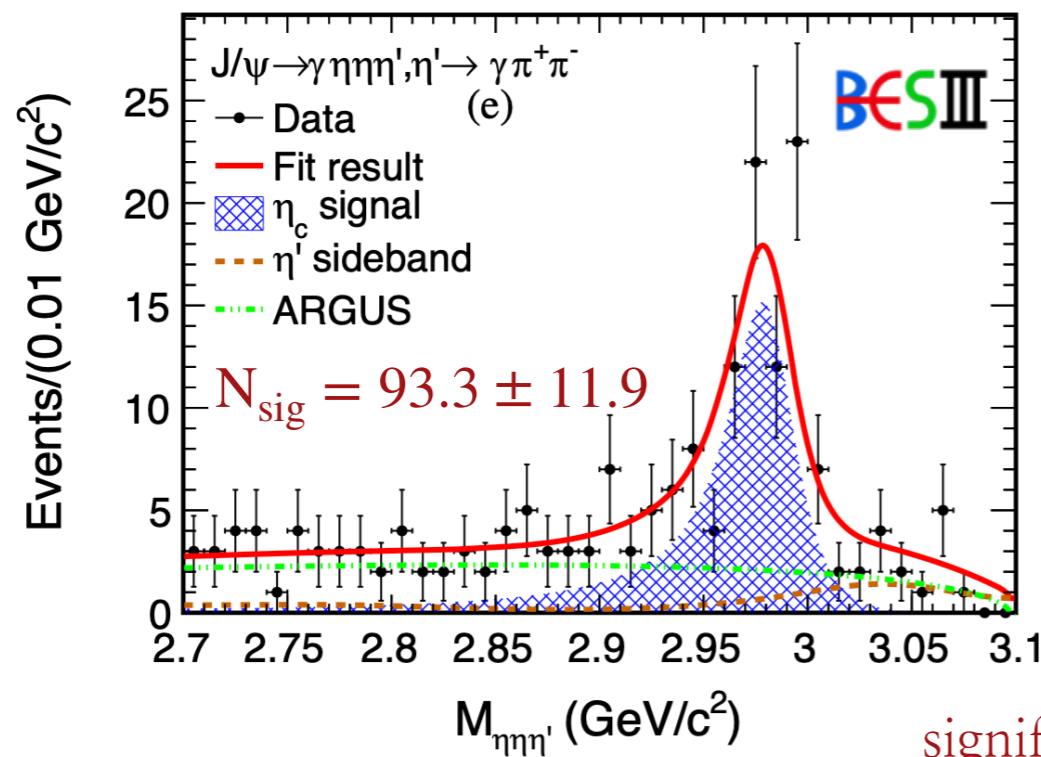
$p\text{Pb}$  collision



# Observation of $\eta_c \rightarrow \eta'\eta\eta$

$1^1S_0$

- $1.31 \times 10^9 J/\psi$  events,  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta'\eta\eta$
- Full reconstruction,  $\eta' \rightarrow \gamma\pi^+\pi^-$  and  $\eta' \rightarrow \eta\pi^+\pi^-$  with  $\eta \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
- Interference with non-resonant contribution ignored
- $B[J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta_c, \eta_c \rightarrow \eta'\eta\eta] = (4.86 \pm 0.62 \pm 0.45) \times 10^{-5}$ , compatible to theoretical prediction ( $2.6 \times 10^{-5}$ ) [Eur. Phys. J. A 54, 139 \(2018\)](#)



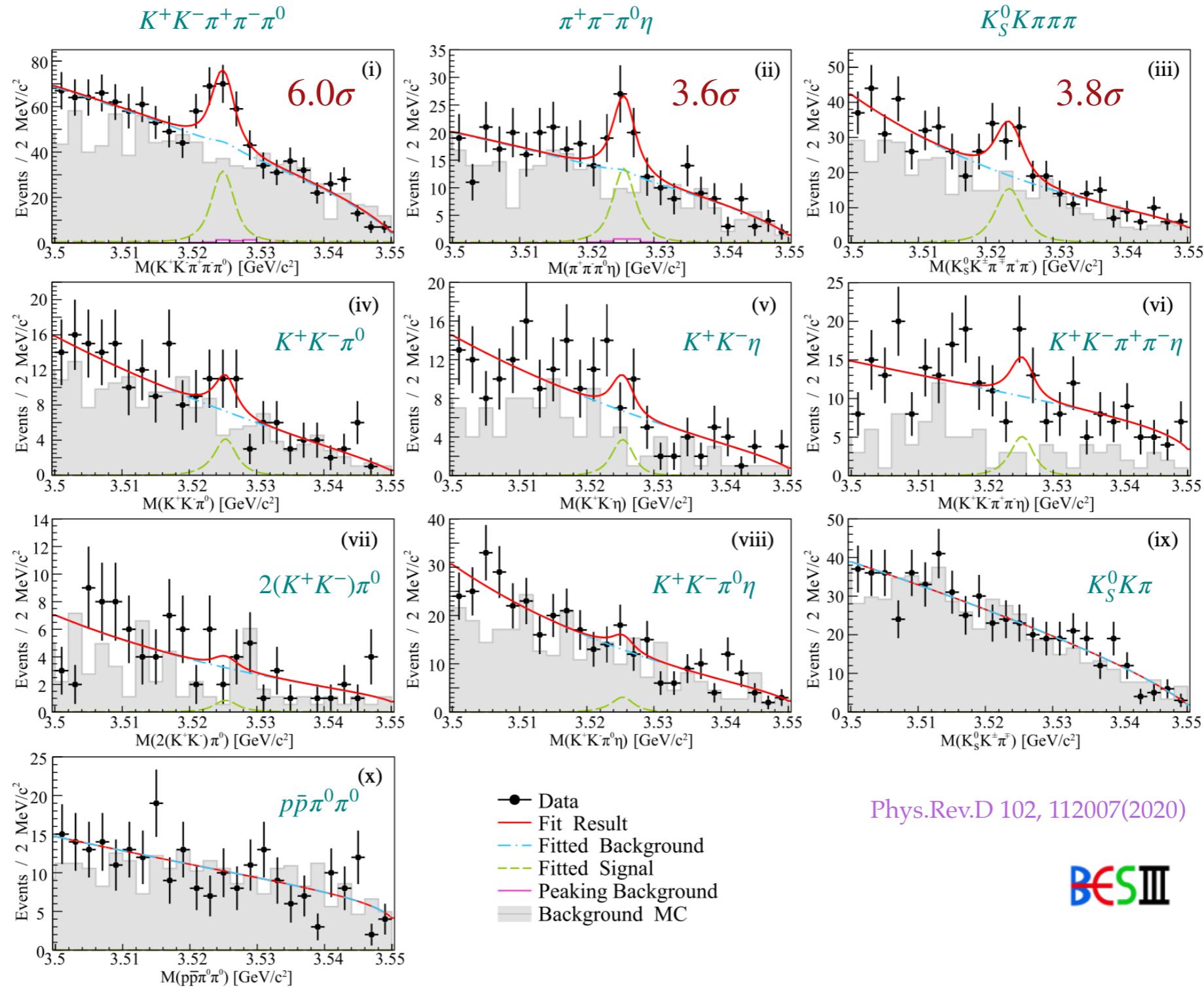
# New Hadronic Decays of $h_c$ $^{1^1P_1}$

- $4.48 \times 10^8 \psi(3686)$  events,  $h_c$  from  $\psi(3686) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$  [ $B = 8.6 \times 10^{-4}$ ],  $3.85 \times 10^5 h_c$  can be produced
- Systematic study of ten hadronic final states of  $h_c$ , mostly with kaons

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Mode	$X$	$N_{h_c}$	$\epsilon(\%)$	$\mathcal{B}(\psi(3686) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c) \times \mathcal{B}(h_c \rightarrow X)$	$\mathcal{B}(h_c \rightarrow X)$
(i)	$K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$80 \pm 15$	6.5	$(2.8 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-6}$	$(3.3 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-3}$
(ii)	$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \eta$	$35 \pm 9$ $<50.0$	3.3 3.3	$(6.2 \pm 1.6 \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-6}$ $<1.5 \times 10^{-5}$	$(7.2 \pm 1.8 \pm 1.3) \times 10^{-3}$ $<1.8 \times 10^{-2}$
(iii)	$K_S^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp \pi^+ \pi^-$	$41 \pm 13$ $<65.3$	5.5 5.5	$(2.4 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-6}$ $<3.9 \times 10^{-6}$	$(2.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-3}$ $<4.7 \times 10^{-3}$
(iv)	$K^+ K^- \pi^0$	$<20.1$	9.8	$<4.8 \times 10^{-7}$	$<5.8 \times 10^{-4}$
(v)	$K^+ K^- \eta$	$<18.5$	14.3	$<7.5 \times 10^{-7}$	$<9.1 \times 10^{-4}$
(vi)	$K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$	$<24.1$	6.9	$<2.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$<2.5 \times 10^{-3}$
(vii)	$2(K^+ K^-) \pi^0$	$<11.7$	6.7	$<2.1 \times 10^{-7}$	$<2.5 \times 10^{-4}$
(viii)	$K^+ K^- \pi^0 \eta$	$<20.2$	6.3	$<1.8 \times 10^{-6}$	$<2.2 \times 10^{-3}$
(ix)	$K_S^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp$	$<17.4$	14.4	$<4.8 \times 10^{-7}$	$<5.7 \times 10^{-4}$
(x)	$p\bar{p} \pi^0 \pi^0$	$<11.8$	8.7	$<4.4 \times 10^{-7}$	$<5.2 \times 10^{-4}$

# New Hadronic Decays of $h_c$



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BESIII

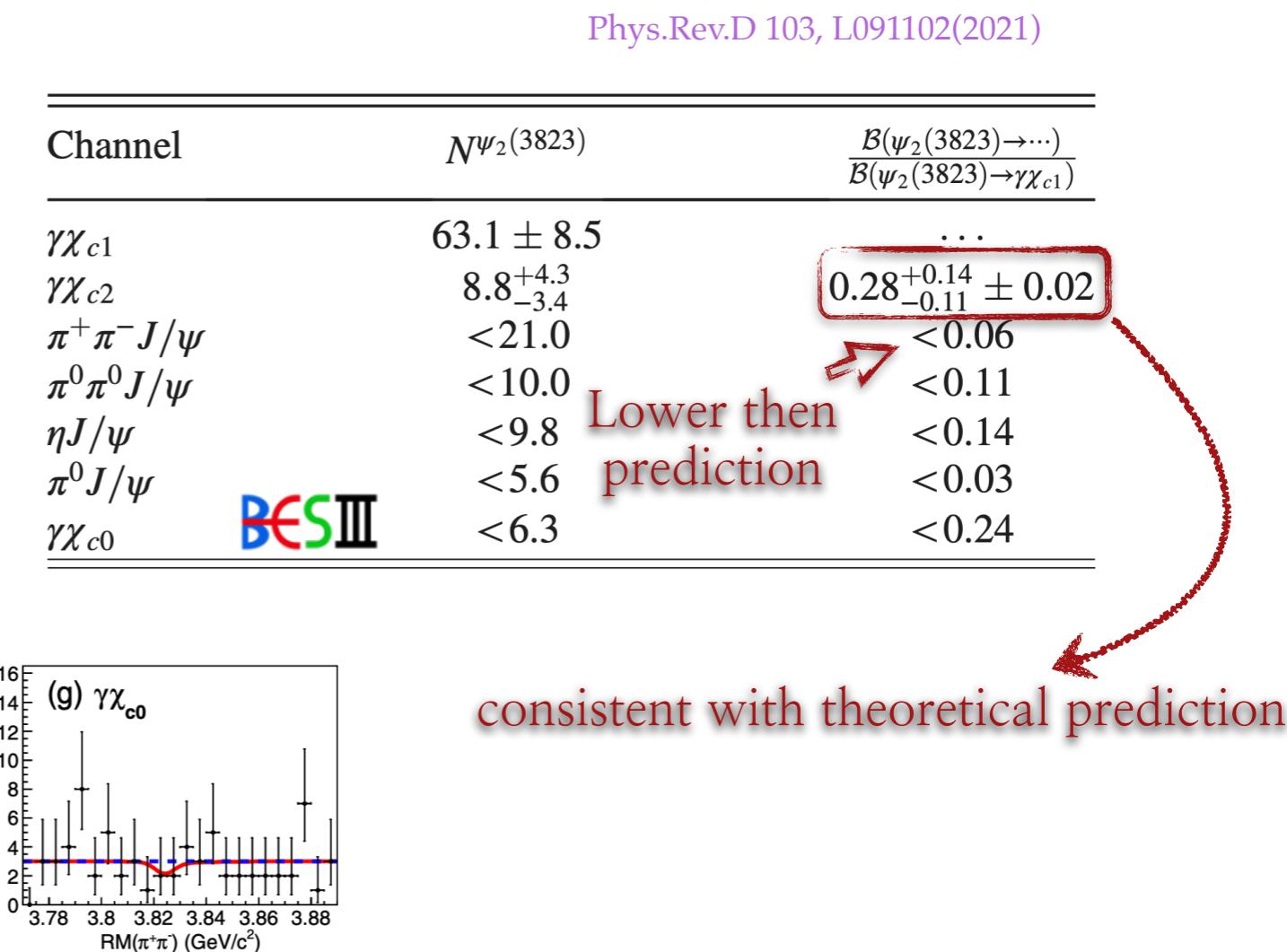
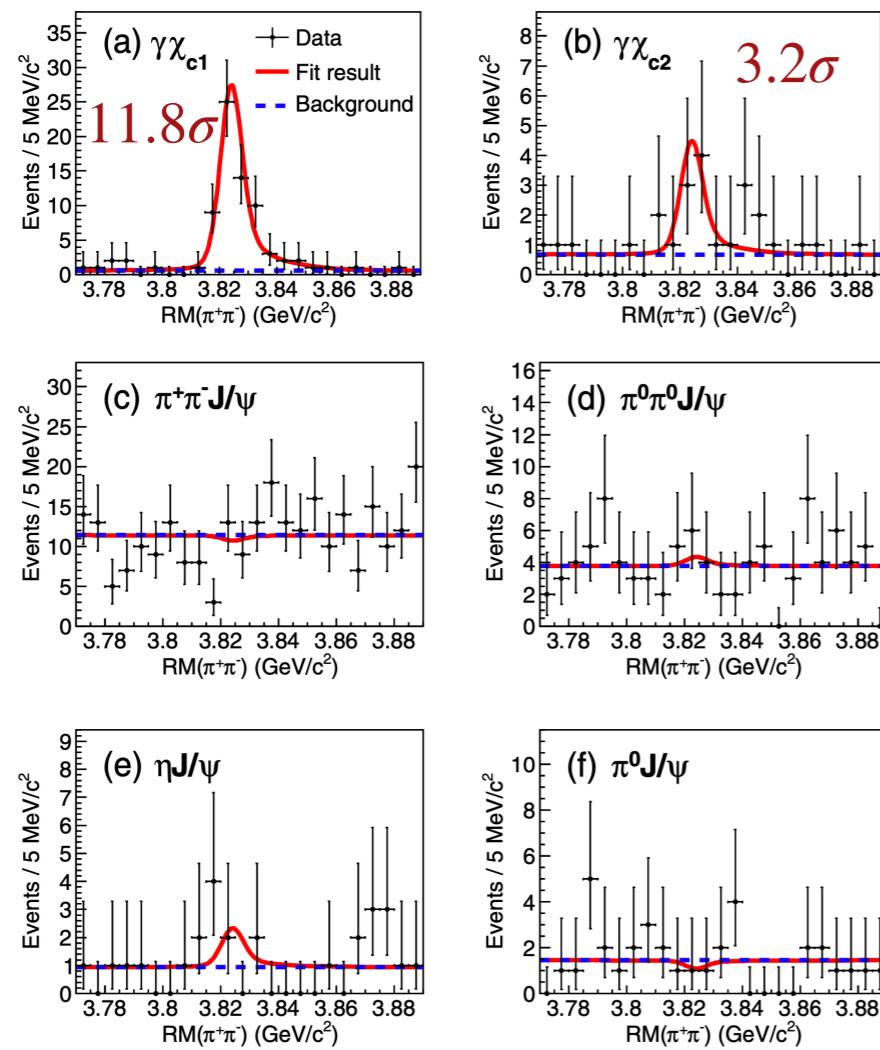
# $\psi_2(3823)$

$1^3D_2$

- Evidence of  $\psi_2(3823)$  from Belle experiment in  $B \rightarrow (\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1})K$ 
  - $772 \times 10^6 B\bar{B}$  events,  $3.8\sigma$  Phys.Rev.Lett. 111, 032001(2013)
  - $M = 3823.1 \pm 1.8 \pm 0.7$  MeV,  $\Gamma_{\text{tot}} < 24$  MeV
- Observed by BESIII experiment in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\psi_2(3823), \psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}$ 
  - Scan data sample at  $\sqrt{s} = 4.23, 4.26, 4.36, 4.42, 4.60$  GeV,  $6.2\sigma$
  - $M = 3821.7 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.7$  MeV,  $\Gamma_{\text{tot}} < 16$  MeV Phys.Rev.Lett. 115, 011803(2015)
- Decays of  $\psi_2(3823)$  to  $\gamma\chi_{c2}, \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi, ggg, \gamma gg$  have been predicted by various theoretical work
  - $\Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}} \sim 200 - 350$  keV,  $\Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c2}} \sim 40 - 90$  keV  
 $\Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c2}} / \Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}} \sim 0.19 - 0.32$  Phys.Rev.D 55, 4001(1997)  
Phys.Rev.Lett. 89, 162002(2002)  
Phys.Rev.D 67, 014027(2003)  
Phys.Rev.D 69, 054008(2004)  
Phys.Rev.D 72, 054026(2005)  
Phys.Rev.D 79, 094004(2009)  
Phys.Rev.D 94, 034005(2016)  
Front.Phys. 11, 111402 (2016)  
arXiv:1501.08269
  - $\Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi} \sim 45 - 200$  keV  
 $\Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi} / \Gamma_{\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}} \sim 0.12 - 0.39$

# New Decay Modes of $\psi_2(3823)$

- 9  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  scan data sample between  $\sqrt{s} = 4.3$  and 4.7 GeV at BESIII experiment
  - $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\psi_2(3823)$ , study of the decays of  $\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c0,1,2}, \pi^{+,0}\pi^{-,0}J/\psi, \eta J/\psi, \pi^0 J/\psi$



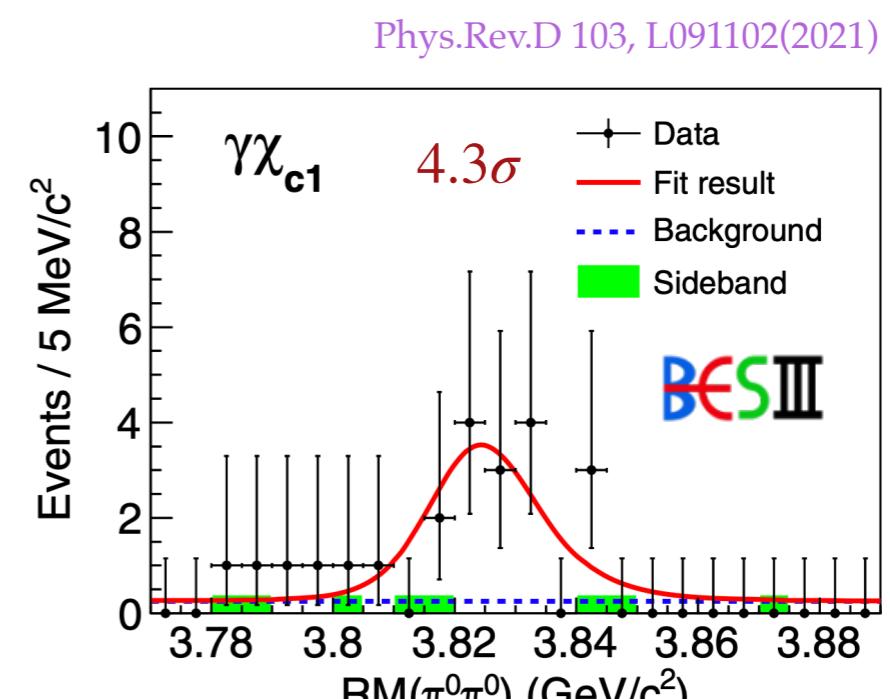
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- Search for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\psi_2(3823)$  with  $\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}$
- $\frac{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\psi_2(3823)]}{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\psi_2(3823)]} = 0.64^{+0.22}_{-0.20} \pm 0.05$

$\psi_3(1^3D_3)$  candidate  
Found by LHCb in 2019

- Search for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\psi_3(3842)$
- Not found in any decay modes



$$N_{\text{sig}} = 15.9^{+5.1}_{-4.4}$$

# $\psi_2(3823)$ from $B \rightarrow \psi_2(3823)K$

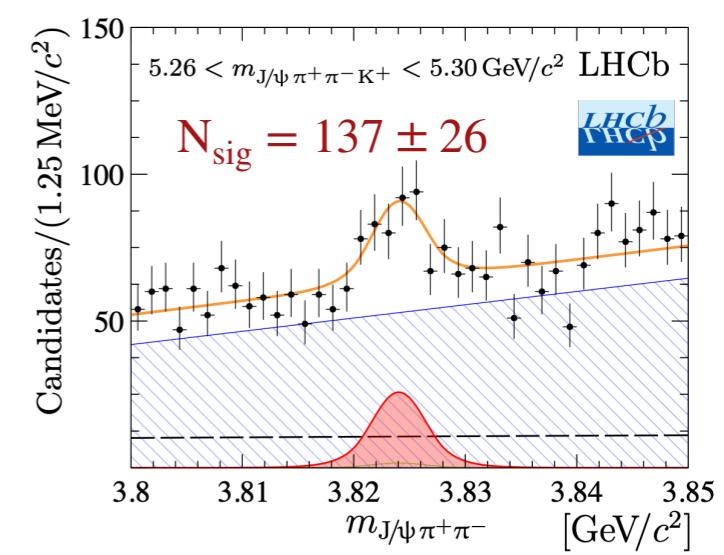
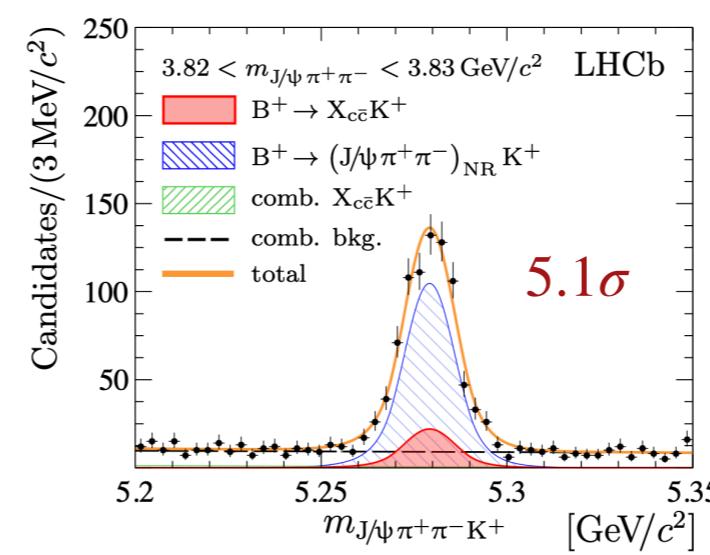
- 9  $\text{fb}^{-1}$   $pp$  collision data,  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-K^+$  with  $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ 
  - Study  $\psi(2S)$ ,  $\psi_2(3823)$ , and  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  at the same time
  - 2D fit to  $m_{J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-K^+}$  and  $m_{J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-}$
  - $M = 3824.08 \pm 0.53 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.01 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Gamma_{\text{tot}} < 5.2 \text{ MeV}$
  - $B[B^+ \rightarrow \psi_2(3823)K^+] \times B[\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-] = (2.82 \pm 0.54 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-7}$
  - Taking  $B[B^+ \rightarrow \psi_2(3823)K^+] \times B[\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}] = (9.7 \pm 2.8 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-6}$  from Belle experiment [Phys.Rev.Lett. 111, 032001\(2013\)](#)

$$\frac{B[\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi]}{B[\psi_2(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}]} = 0.029$$

$$B[B^+ \rightarrow \psi_2(3823)K^+] = (1.24 \pm 0.25) \times 10^{-6}$$

Input/constrain for theoretical estimation  
of  $D_s^{(*)+}\bar{D}^{(*)0}$  rescattering effect in  $B \rightarrow c\bar{c}K$ !

[Phys.Rev.D 94, 034005\(2016\)](#)



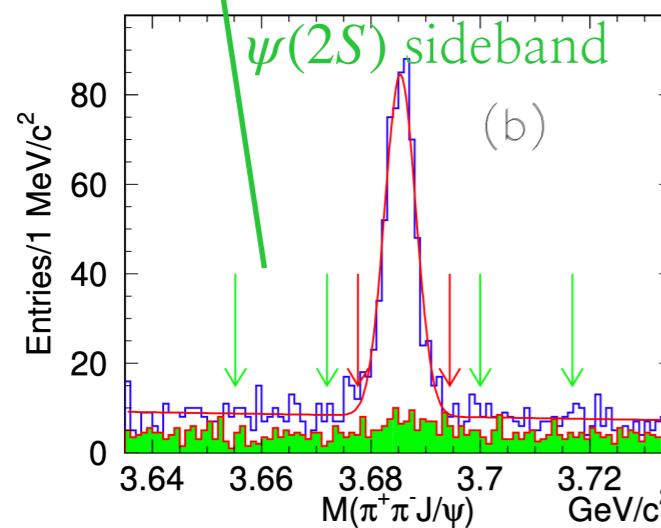
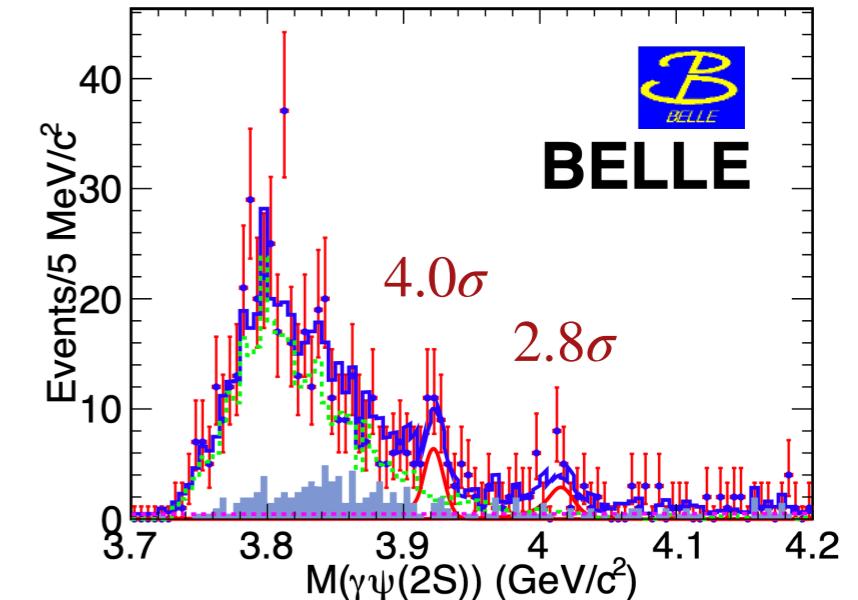
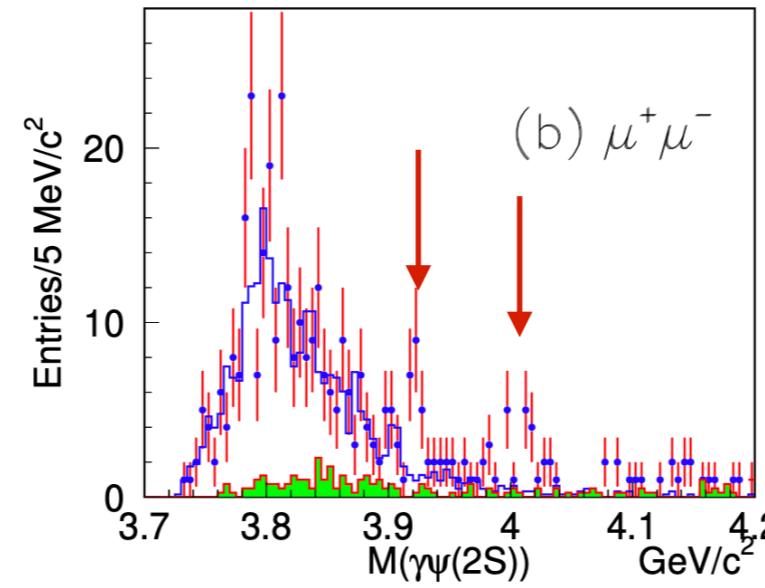
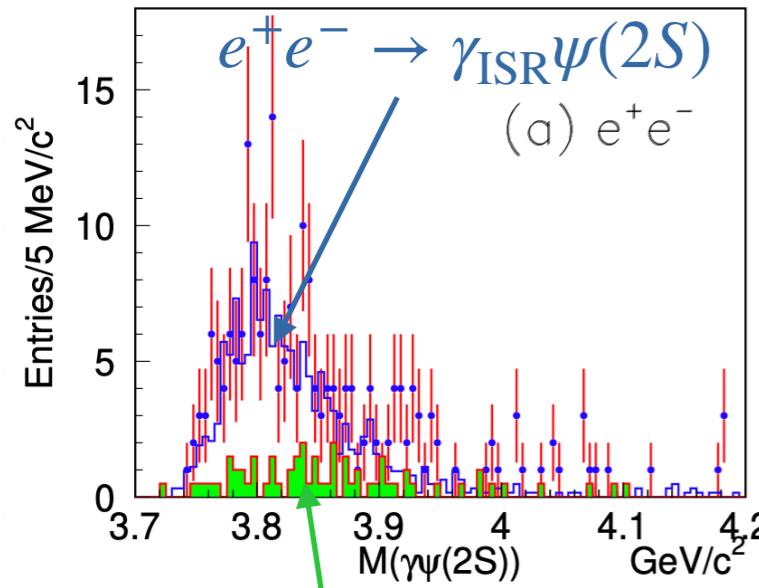
# Study of $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S)$

$2^3P_{0,2}$

- P wave charmonium triplet states around 3.9 GeV
  - $\chi_{c0}(2P)$  candidate:  $\chi_{c0}(3860)$  observed in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi D\bar{D}$
  - $\chi_{c2}(2P)$  candidate:  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$  observed in  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow D\bar{D}$  Prog.Theor.Exp.Phys. 2020, 083C01 (2020)
  - $X(3915)$  observed in  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \omega J/\psi$  and  $B \rightarrow K\omega J/\psi$  ( $0^{++}$  or  $2^{++}$ )
  - $\chi_{c0}(3930)$  and  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$  needed in LHCb's amplitude analysis of  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+D^-K^+$  Phys.Rev.Lett. 102, 112003(2020)
  - Partial width of  $\chi_{c0}(2P) \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S) \approx 135$  keV,  $\chi_{c2}(2P) \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S) \approx 207$  keV Phys.Rev.D 72, 054026(2005)
- 980  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  data sample on the  $\Upsilon(nS)$  resonance at Belle experiment, using  $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S)$  decay with  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi$  and  $J/\psi \rightarrow l^+l^-$  arXiv:2105.06605[hep-ex]

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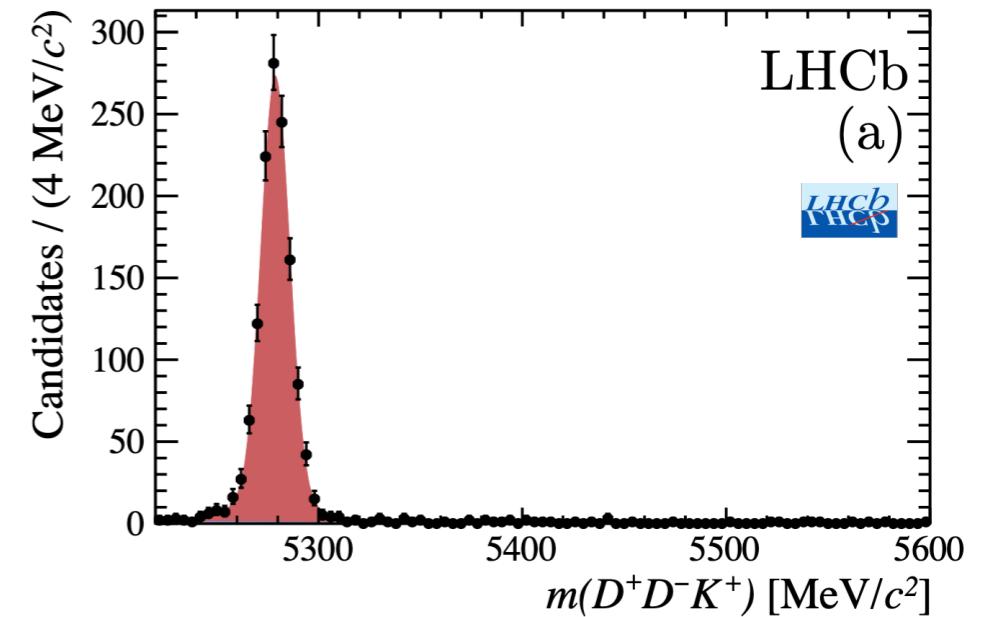
- $M_1 = 3921.3 \pm 2.4 \pm 1.6$  MeV,  $\Gamma_1 = 0.0 \pm 5.3 \pm 2.0$  MeV,  $N_1 = 30.3 \pm 8.6$ , cannot distinguish between  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$ ,  $X(3915)$ , or combination of two
- $M_2 = 4014.4 \pm 4.1 \pm 0.5$  MeV,  $\Gamma_2 = 6 \pm 16 \pm 6$  ( $< 39.3$ ) MeV,  $N_2 = 18.2 \pm 9.3$   
close to  $D^*\bar{D}^*$  threshold,  $X_2(4013)$ ?  
mass close to  $\chi_{c2}(2P)$  predicted by potential model (GI)

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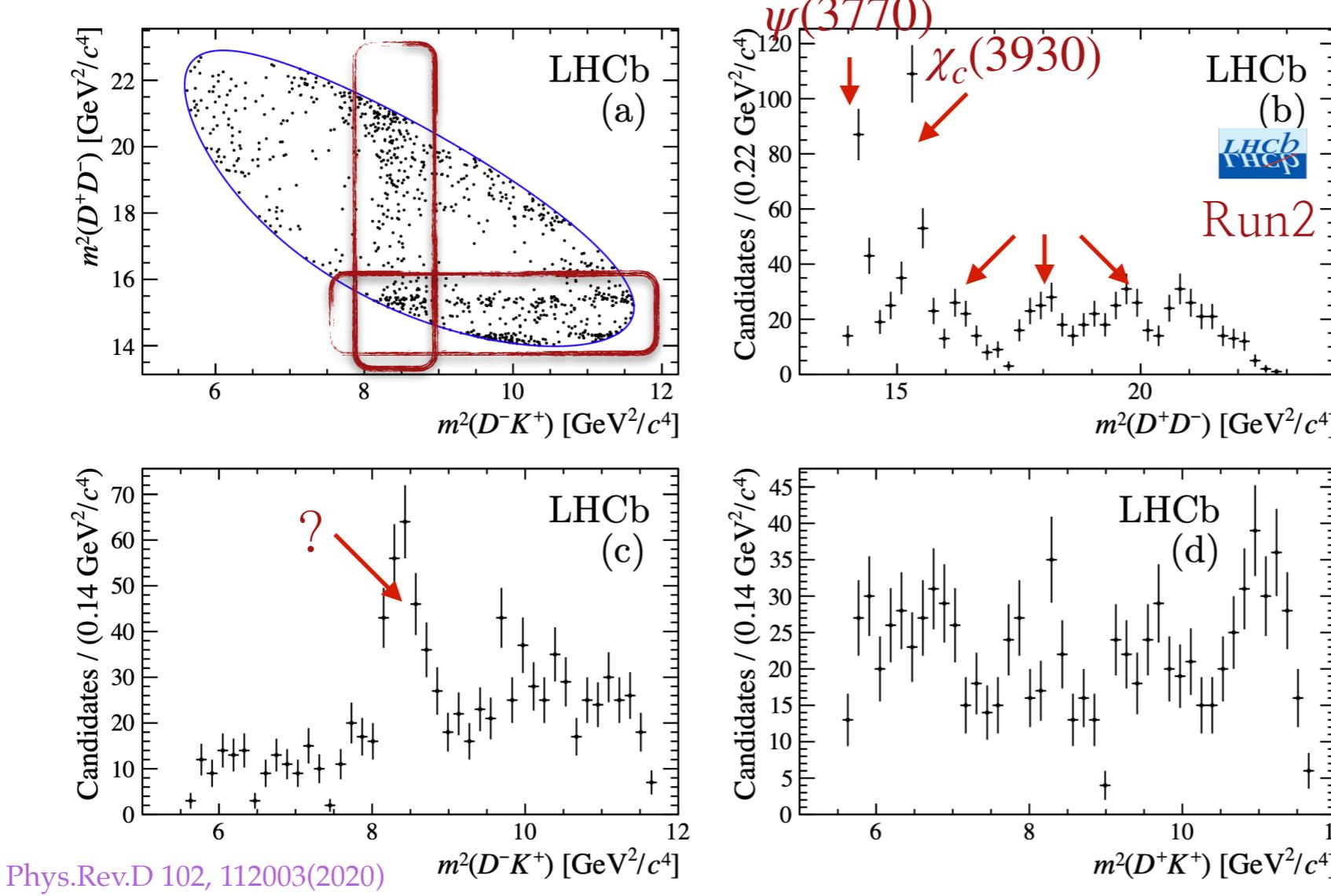
# Charmonium/Charm Meson in $B^+ \rightarrow D^+D^-K^+$ Decays

- $B^+ \rightarrow D^{(*)+}D^{(*)-}K^+$  decays offers unique opportunities to study charmonium states
  - Constrained environment of  $B$  meson decays
  - Low background level
  - Exotic hadrons in intermediate states, many in  $c\bar{c}$ , none in  $c\bar{q}$  yet
- Could be used to aid characterization of the  $c\bar{c}$  contribution in  $B^+ \rightarrow K^+\mu^+\mu^-$  decays
- 9  $\text{fb}^{-1}$   $pp$  collision data, with  $D^+ \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^+$ 
  - 1374 candidates, 1260 have a value of  $|m(D^+D^-K^+) - M_{B^+}| < 20 \text{ MeV}$
  - Purity > 99.5 %

Phys.Rev.D 102, 112003(2020)  
Phys.Rev.Lett. 125, 242001(2020)



# Charmonium/charm Meson in $B^+ \rightarrow D^+D^-K^+$ Decays



Rich structures in  $D\bar{D}$

$0^{++}: \chi_{c0}(3860)$

$X(3915)$  [could be  $2^{++}$ ]

$1^{--}: \psi(3770), \psi(4040)$

$\psi(4160), \psi(4415)$

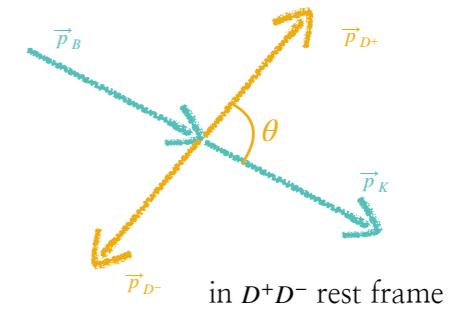
$\psi(4220), \dots$

$2^{++}: \chi_{c2}(3930)$

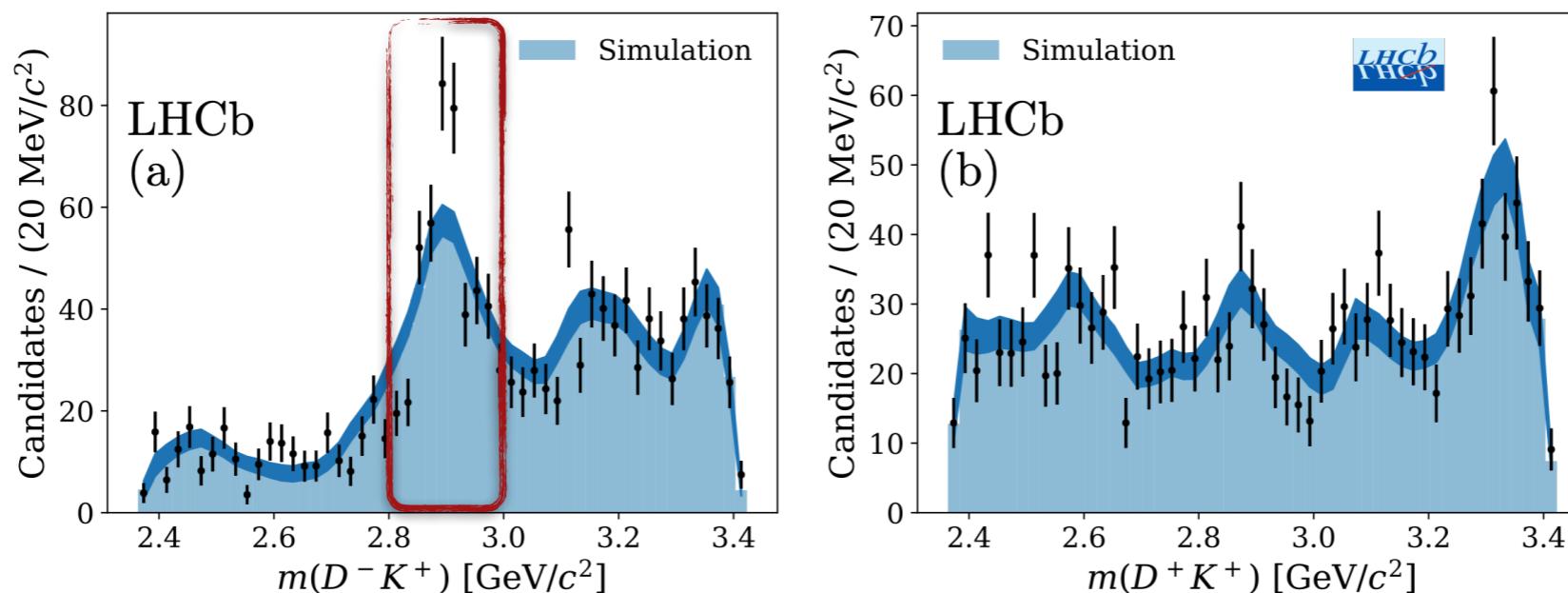
$3^{--}: X(3842)$

# Model-independent Study

- In slides of the  $D^+D^-$  invariant mass, decomposing the  $h(D^+D^-)$  in terms of Legendre polynomials [ $h(D^+D^-)$ : cosine of the  $D^+D^-$  helicity angle ( $\cos\theta$ )]
  - Construct full probability distribution, test significance of deviation between the truncated Legendre polynomial description and the date [Project in  $m(DK)$ ]
- Moments up to order 4 ( $D^+D^-$  resonances up to spin-2),  $3.9\sigma$
- Moments up to 6,  $3.7\sigma$
- Structures in  $D^-K^+$  around 2.9 GeV cannot be explained by  $D^+D^-$  reflection



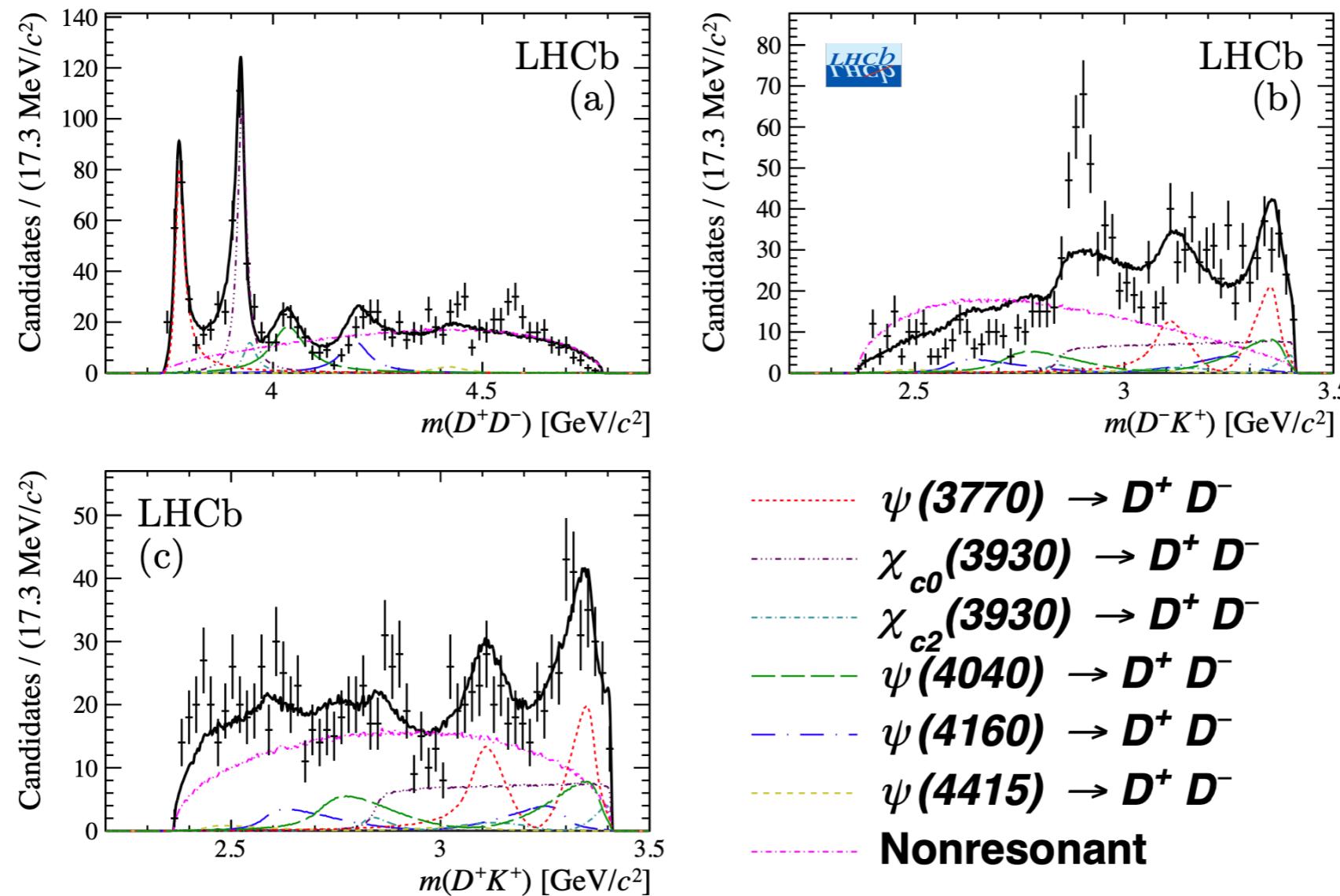
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# Amplitude Analysis

- Fit with only  $D^+D^-$  resonances, significant discrepancy in  $D^-K^+$  around 2.9 GeV

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# Amplitude Analysis

- $X_0(2900)$ :

$$M = 2866 \pm 7 \pm 2 \text{ MeV}$$

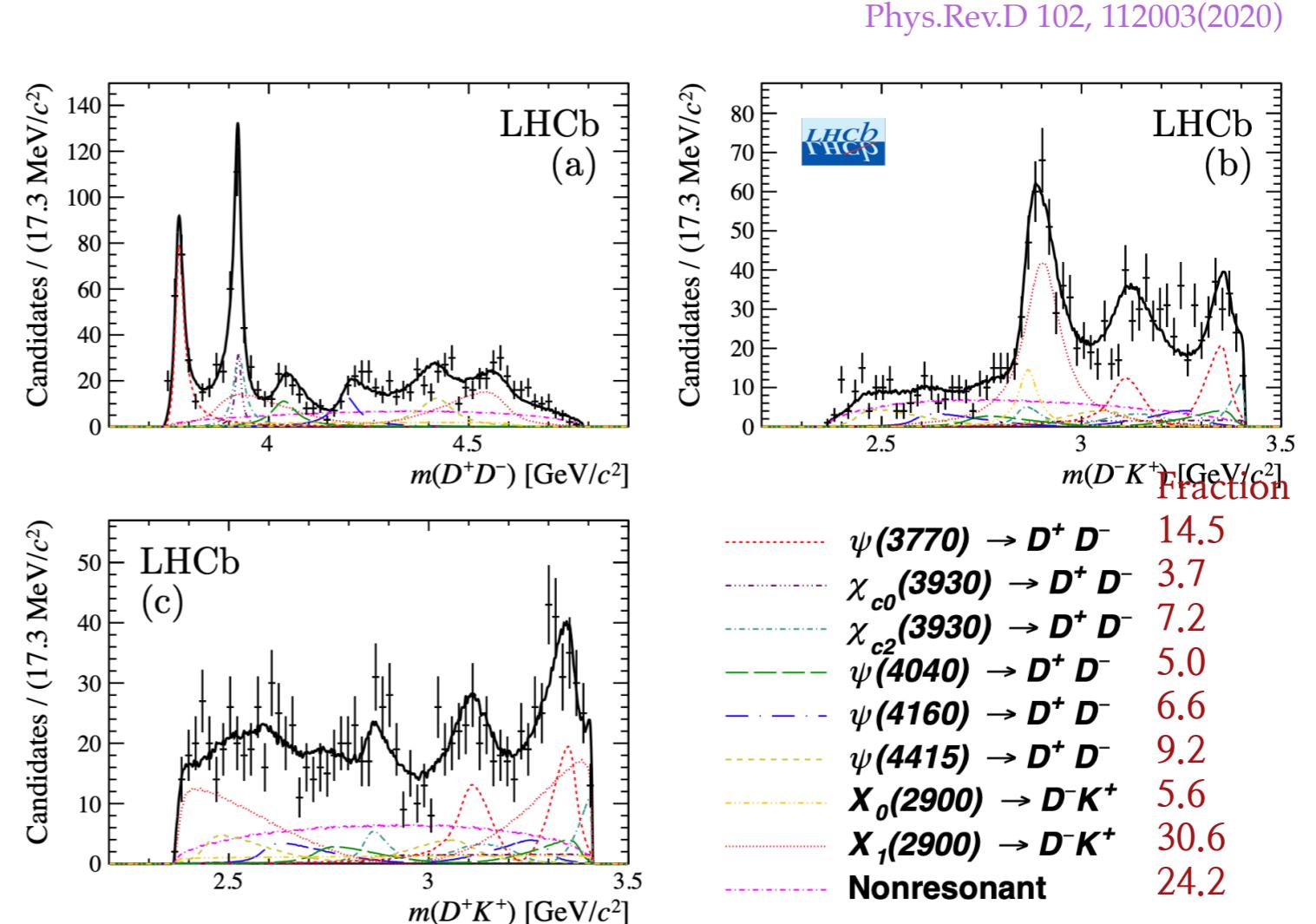
$$\Gamma = 57 \pm 12 \pm 4 \text{ MeV}$$

- $X_1(2900)$ :

$$M = 2904 \pm 5 \pm 1 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 110 \pm 11 \pm 4 \text{ MeV}$$

- Other models are tested:  
one resonance (spin-0,1,2)  
two resonances (spin-1+2)



- Other hadronic effects (e.g. rescattering effect) cannot be ruled out
- If explained as resonance, exotic hadrons, more investigation needed!

# Amplitude Analysis

$2^3P_{0,2}$

- $\chi_{c0}(3930)$ :  
 $M_0 = 3923.8 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.4$  MeV,  $\Gamma_0 = 17.4 \pm 5.1 \pm 0.8$  MeV
- $\chi_{c2}(3930)$ :  
 $M_2 = 3926.8 \pm 2.4 \pm 0.8$  MeV,  $\Gamma_0 = 34.2 \pm 6.6 \pm 1.1$  MeV
- No evidence of  $\chi_{c0}(3860)$

$X(3915)$  :

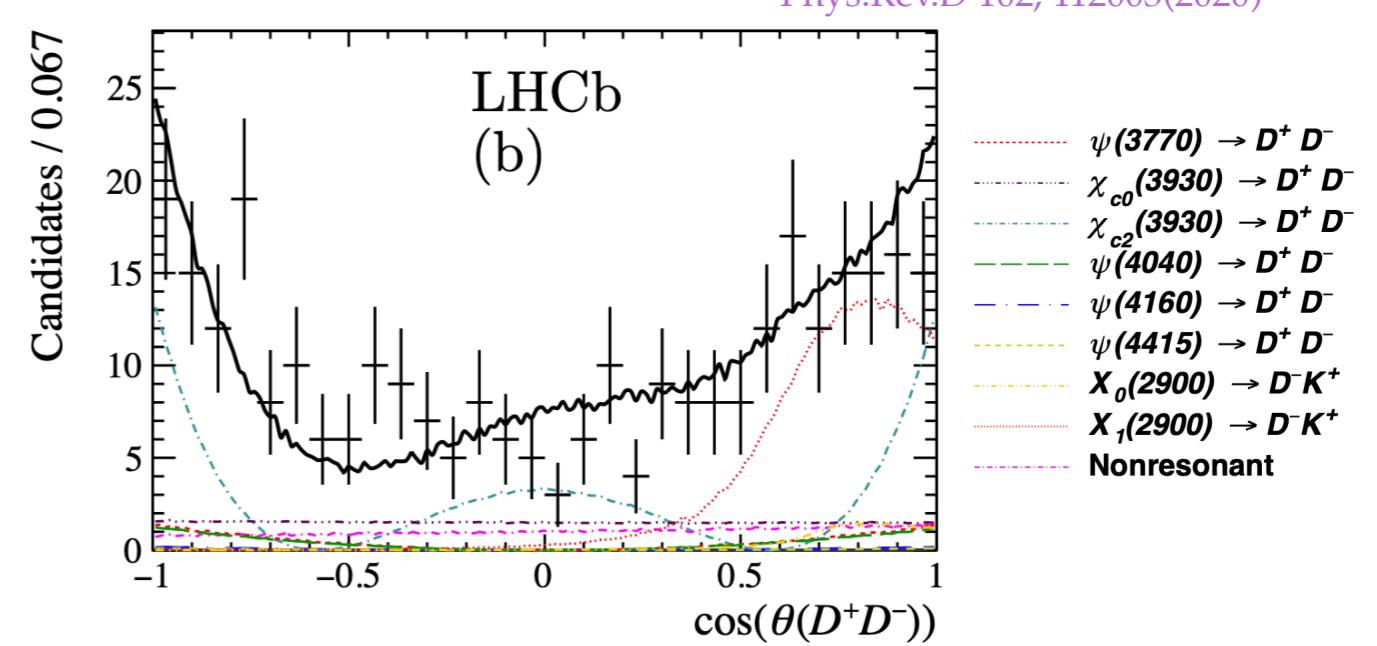
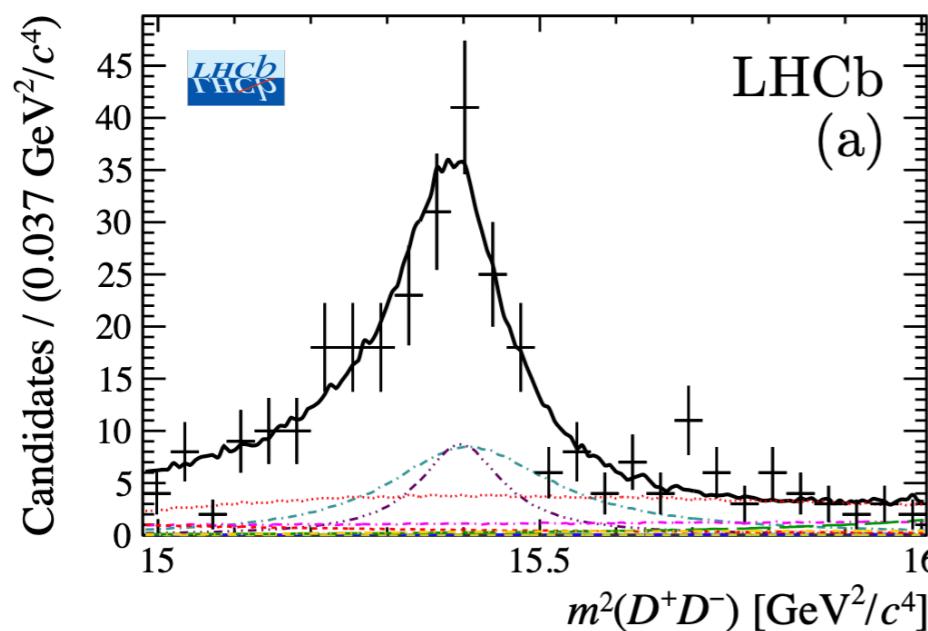
$$M = 3921.7 \pm 1.8 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 18.8 \pm 3.5 \text{ MeV}$$

$\chi_{c2}(3930)$  :

$$M = 3922.5 \pm 1.0 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 35.2 \pm 2.2 \text{ MeV}$$



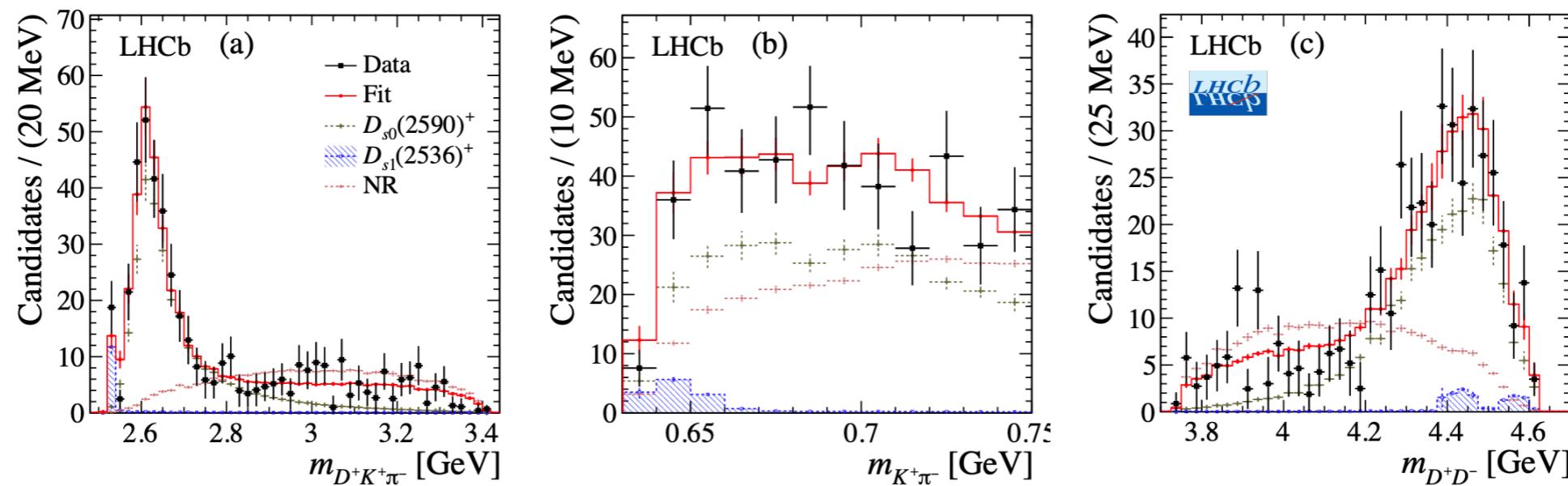
worse fit quality if include only one

# Observation of $D_{s0}(2590)^+$

$2^1S_0$

- Limited experiment information for radial excited charm–strange meson
- $2^1S_0$  state is expected to be lightest, mass around 2.6 GeV
- $D_s$  resonance decaying to  $DK\pi$  final state has not been explored
- 5.4  $\text{fb}^{-1}$   $pp$  collision at  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ , using  $B^0 \rightarrow D^-D^+K^+\pi^-$  decays with  $D^\pm \rightarrow K^\mp\pi^\pm\pi^\pm$  final state,  $K^+\pi^-$  restrict to be  $< 0.75 \text{ GeV}$

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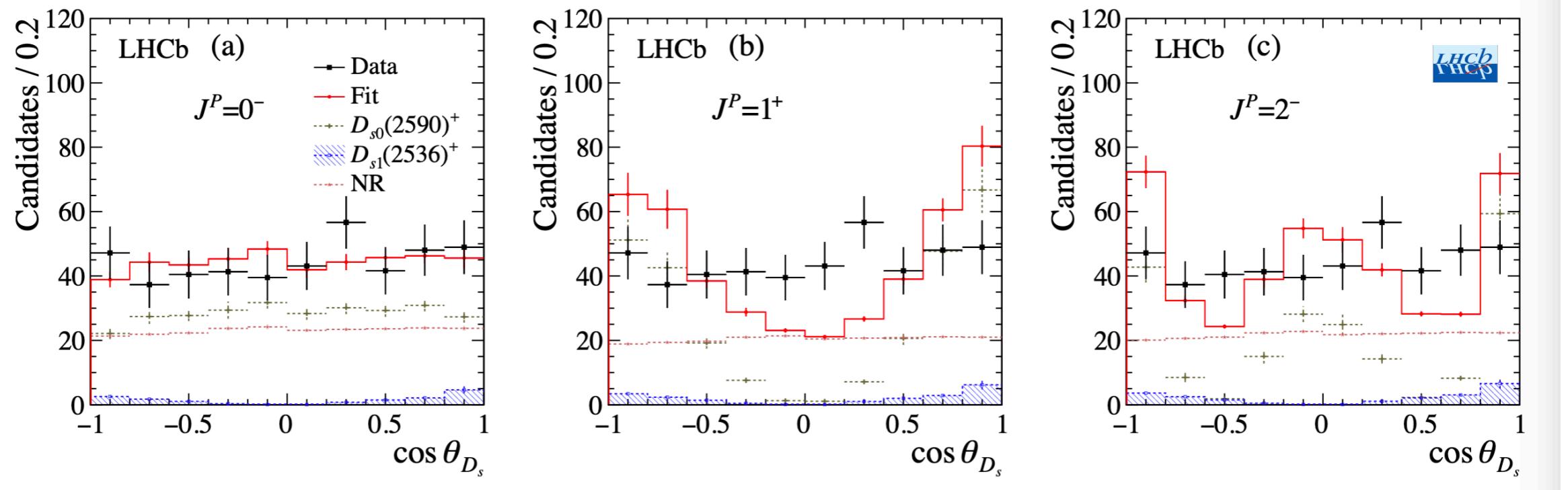


- $M = 2591 \pm 6 \pm 7 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Gamma = 89 \pm 16 \pm 12 \text{ MeV}$  (pole mass)

# Observation of $D_{s0}(2590)^+$ $2^1S_0$

- $J^P = 0^-$ , strong candidate for  $D_s(2^1S_0)^+$  state
- $1^+$  and  $2^-$  rejected with more than 10 standard deviations

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# Absolute Br. Measurement of $D_{s0}^*(2317)$

- $D_{s0}^*(2317)$  observed by BaBar experiment via its decay to  $\pi^0 D_s^-$ ,  $J^P = 0^+$   
Phys.Rev.Lett. 90, 242001 (2003)

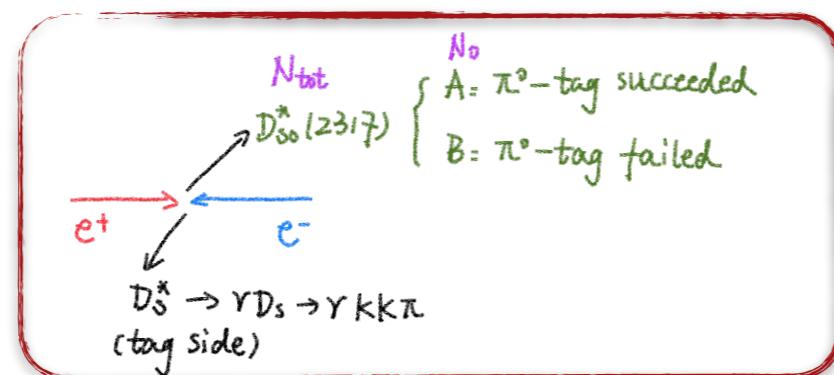
- A  $\bar{c}s$  meson,  $DK$  molecule,  $\bar{c}sq\bar{q}$  tetra quark, or mixture

- Partial decay width is a key quantity to identify its nature

- Pure  $\bar{c}s$  meson: few to few tens keV; Molecule: hundred keV or larger

- 567 pb $^{-1}$  data at  $\sqrt{s} = 4.6$  GeV, using  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^* D_{s0}^0(2317)$  process with  $D_s^* \rightarrow \gamma D_s$ ,

$$D_s \rightarrow KK\pi$$

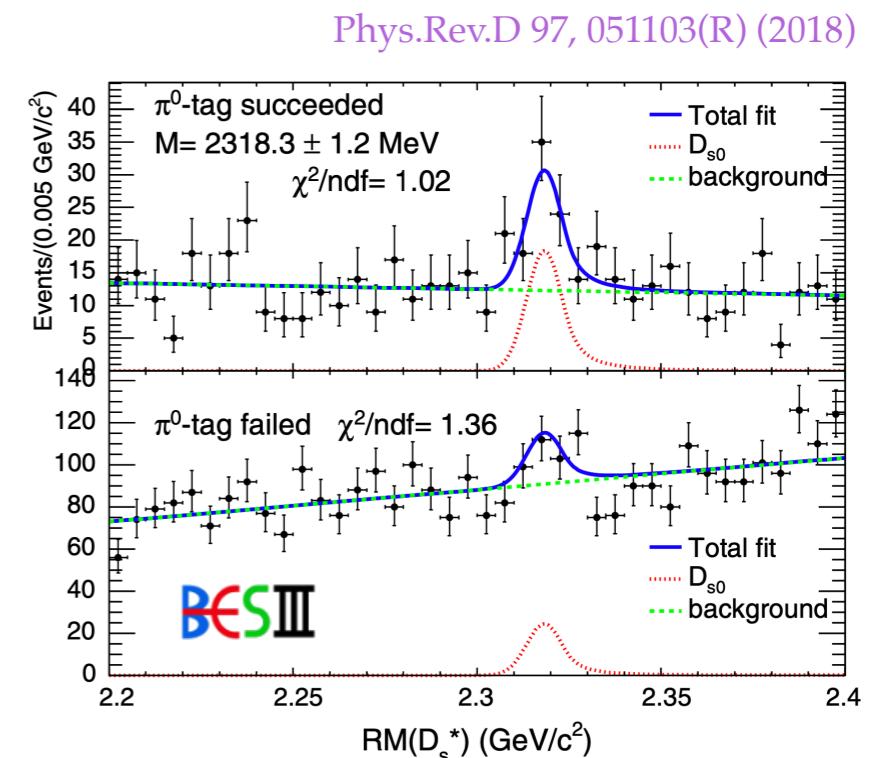


$$N_0 = \frac{N_{\text{tot}}}{\epsilon_{\text{tot}}} \cdot B \cdot \epsilon_{\text{sig}} + \frac{N_{\text{tot}}}{\epsilon_{\text{tot}}} \cdot (1 - B) \cdot \epsilon_{\text{bkg}}, \quad B = \frac{N_0 - N_{\text{tot}}/\epsilon_{\text{tot}} \cdot \epsilon_{\text{bkg}}}{N_{\text{tot}}/\epsilon_{\text{tot}} \cdot (\epsilon_{\text{sig}} - \epsilon_{\text{bkg}})}$$

$$N_{\text{tot}} = 115 \pm 21, \quad N_0 = 46.8 \pm 9.4(49.3), \quad B = 1.00^{+0.00+0.00}_{-0.14-0.14}$$

$$M = 2318.3 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.2 \text{ MeV}$$

- Similar method can be used for  $D_{s1}(2536)$ ,  $D_{s2}^*(2573)$ , with data sample above 4.6 GeV



# Summary and Perspectives

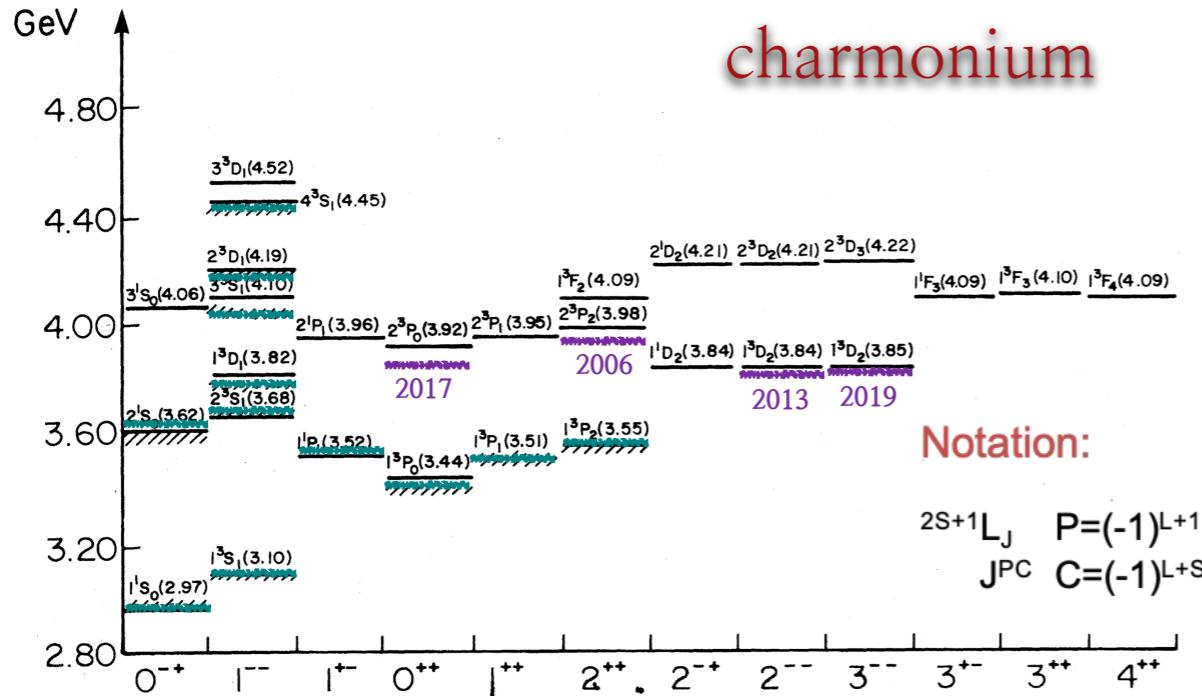
- Knowledge of charmonium and charm spectroscopy is improving, selected results from 2020–2021 are presented
- Charmonium states below open-charm threshold well established, while knowledge of their decay behavior need further improvement
- Excited states largely unknown
  - Precise measurement from experiment, need large data sample
    - **BESIII**: 10 billion  $J/\psi$ , 3 billion  $\psi(2S)$  [on going],  $20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   $\psi(3770)$  [on plan],  $> 20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  from 3.8 to 5.0 GeV; An upgrade of BEPCII under discussion
    - **Belle II**: smooth data taking,  $> 170 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  accumulated, aim is  $50 \text{ ab}^{-1}$
    - **LHCb**: Run3 from next year, 7x more data by 2029, half of these by 2023
  - Better description of data, development of theoretical models
  - Looking forward to new excited results!

Thank you for your attention!



# Charmonium/Charm Spectroscopy

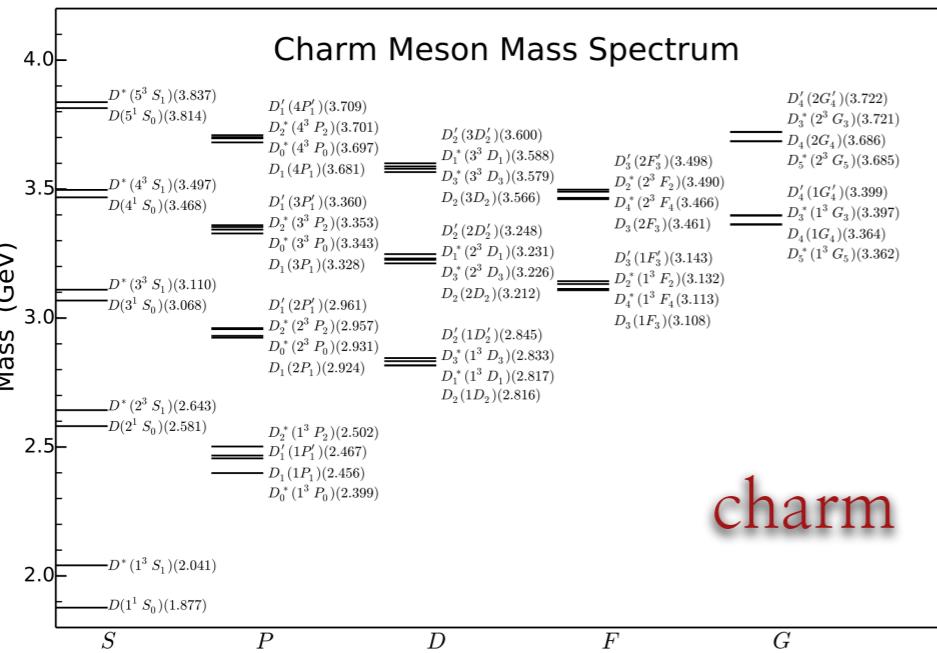
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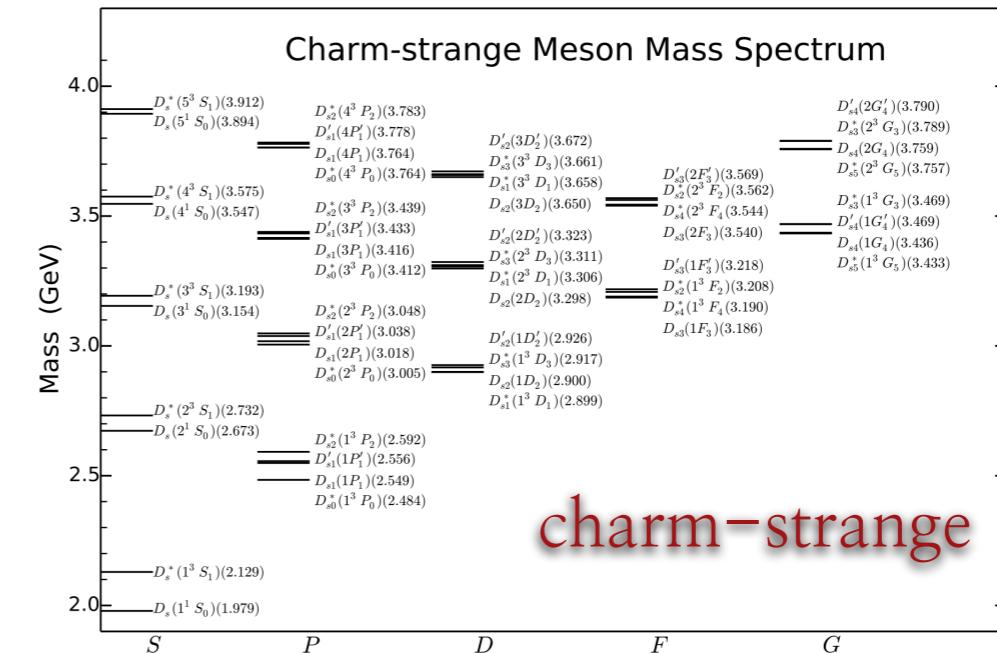
## Charmonium Spectroscopy

- Well established below  $2m_D$
- Many excited states not found yet
- Many exotic candidates observed

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charm



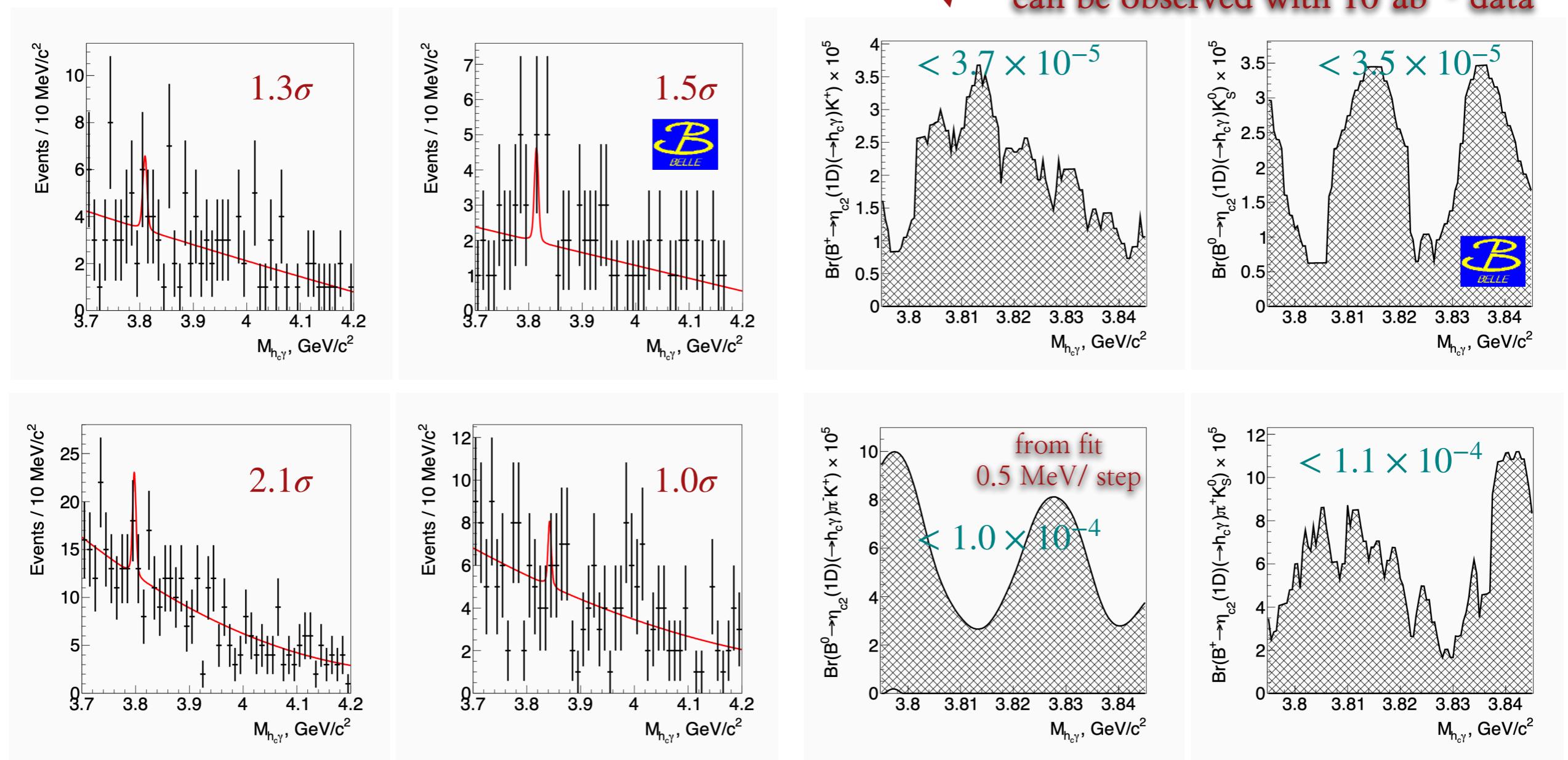
charm-strange

# Search for $\eta_{c2}(1D)$ in B Decays

- $\eta_{c2}(1D)$  not observed yet, theoretical prediction of its properties
  - The mass very close to  $\psi_2(1D)$  ( $\sim 3823$  MeV) arXiv:hep-ph/0412158
  - $M_{\eta_{c2}(1D)}$  calculated from hyperfine splitting:  
$$\approx (3M_{\psi(3770)} + 5M_{\psi_2(1D)} + 7M_{\psi_3(1D)})/15 \approx 3822$$
 MeV
  - Cannot decay to  $D\bar{D}^{(*)}$ , expected to be narrow
  - Decay dominantly via an E1 transition to  $\gamma h_c$  ( $\sim 50\%$ )  
Phys.Rev.Lett. 89, 162002(2002)  
Phys.Rev.D 80, 014001(2009)
- 711  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  data sample on the  $\Upsilon(4S)$  resonance at Belle experiment, using  $B^{+,0} \rightarrow \eta_{c2}(1D)K^{+,0}$ ,  $B^{+,0} \rightarrow \eta_{c2}(1D)\pi^{+,-}K^{0,+}$  decays with  $\eta_{c2}(1D) \rightarrow \gamma h_c$ 
  - Ten decay modes of  $h_c \rightarrow \gamma\eta_c$ ,  $\eta_c \rightarrow X_i$  JHEP 05 (2020) 034
  - $\eta_{c2}(1D)$  signal searched in range between 3795 and 3845 MeV

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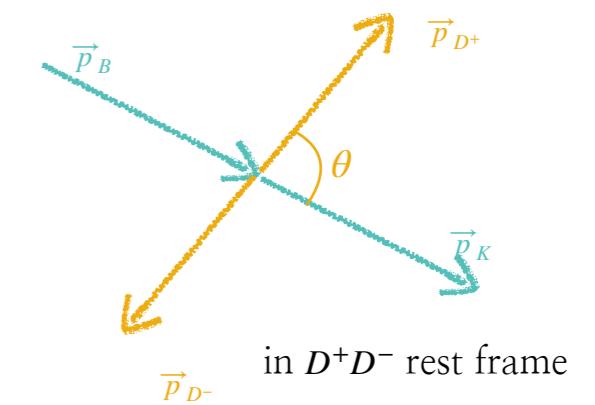


# Model-independent Study

- In slides of the  $D^+D^-$  invariant mass, decomposing the  $h(D^+D^-)$  in terms of Legendre polynomials
  - $h(D^+D^-)$ : cosine of the  $D^+D^-$  helicity angle ( $\cos\theta$ )
  - For each  $D^+D^-$  bin, the  $k$ -th unnormalised momentum
$$\langle Y_k^j \rangle = \sum_{l=1}^{N_j^{\text{data}}} w_l P_k(h_l(D^+D^-))$$

$w_l$ : weight for background subtraction and detection efficiency

$$k_{\max} = 2J_{\max}$$
  - Construct full probability distribution, test significance of deviation between the truncated Legendre polynomial description and the date [Project in  $m(DK)$ ]



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