



Recent results with exotic charmonia hadrons at LHCb

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Outline

- Overview of recent LHCb publications for exotic charmonia hadrons
- Selected topics
 - Evidence of P_{CS} candidate in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$ arXiv: 2012.10380
 - Observation of new resonances decaying into $J/\psi \phi$ and $J/\psi K$ arXiv: 2012.10380
- Summary and prospects

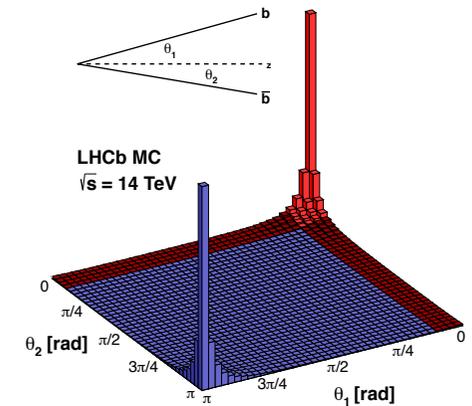
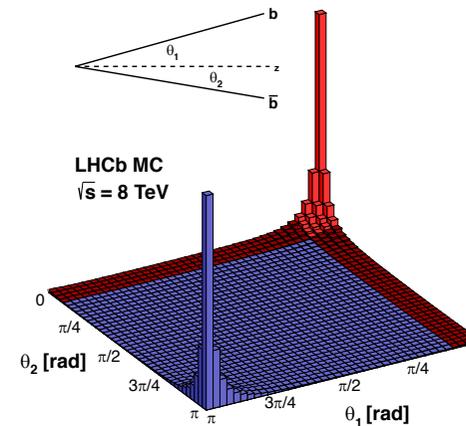
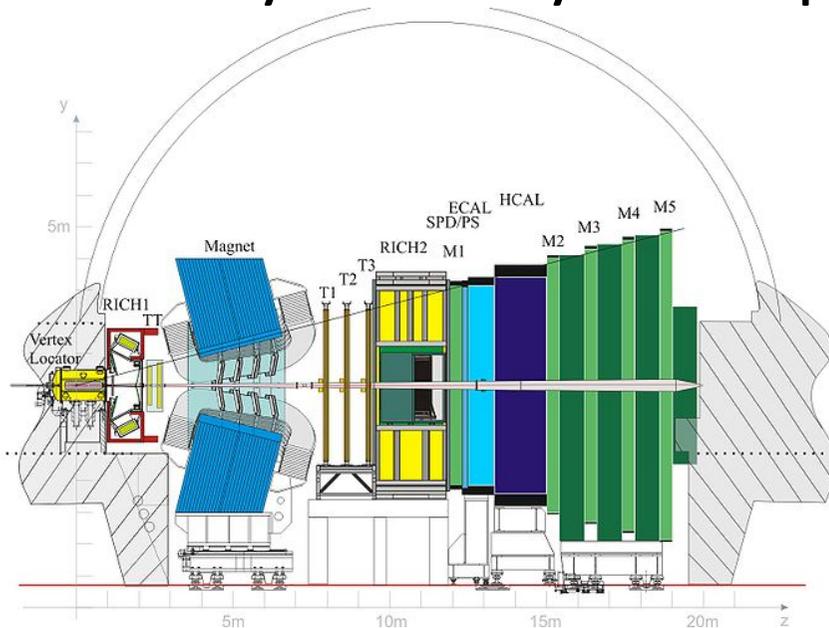
The LHCb detector

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- Single-arm forward spectrometer, designed for the study of heavy flavor physics

$2 < \eta < 5$ range: $\sim 25\%$ $b\bar{b}$ pairs in LHCb acceptance



Excellent vertex, IP and decay-time resolution:

- $\sigma(\text{IP}) \approx 20 \mu\text{m}$ for high- p_T tracks
- $\sigma(\tau) \approx 45 \text{ fs}$ for $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ and $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$ decays

Very good momentum resolution

- $\delta p/p \approx 0.5\% - 1\%$ for $p \in (0, 200) \text{ GeV}$
- $\sigma(m_B) \approx 24 \text{ MeV}$ for two-body decays

Hadron and Muon identification

- $\epsilon_{K \rightarrow K} \approx 95\%$ for $\epsilon_{\pi \rightarrow K} \approx 5\%$ up to 100 GeV
- $\epsilon_{\mu \rightarrow \mu} \approx 97\%$ for $\epsilon_{\pi \rightarrow \mu} \approx 1 - 3\%$

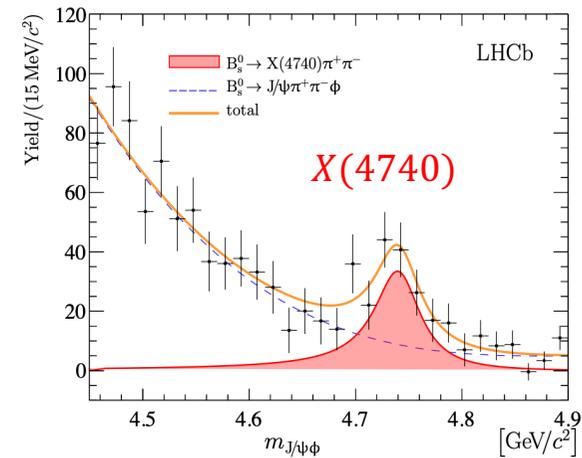
Overview of recent LHCb publications for exotic hadrons

• A $J/\psi\phi$ structure in $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi\pi^+\pi^-$ decays

- Based on 1-D mass-spectrum analysis
- Significance $\sim 5.3\sigma$

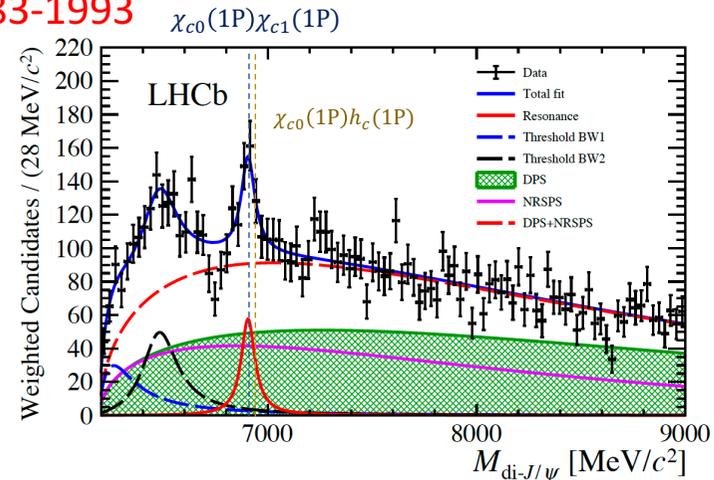
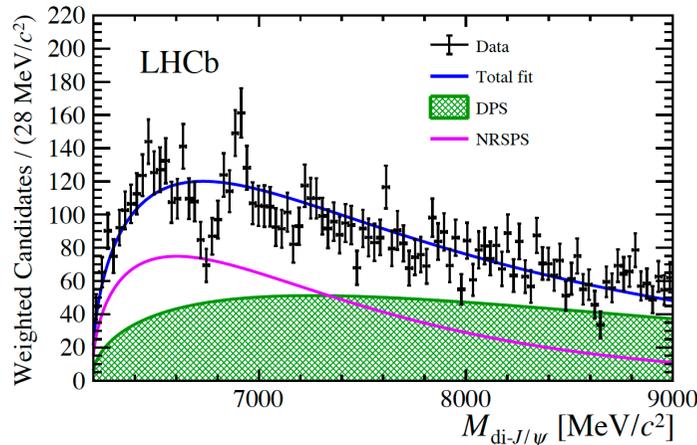
$$m_{X(4740)} = 4741 \pm 6 \pm 6 \text{ MeV}/c^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{X(4740)} = 53 \pm 15 \pm 11 \text{ MeV}.$$



• $X(6900)$ in di- J/ψ system

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• $\chi_{c1}(3872)$

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- Mass measurement $m_{\chi_{c1}(3872)} - m_{\psi(2S)} = 185.49 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.03 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- Line shape study PRD 102 (2020) 092005 $\Gamma_{BW} = 1.39 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.10 \text{ MeV}$
- Multiplicity-dependent production

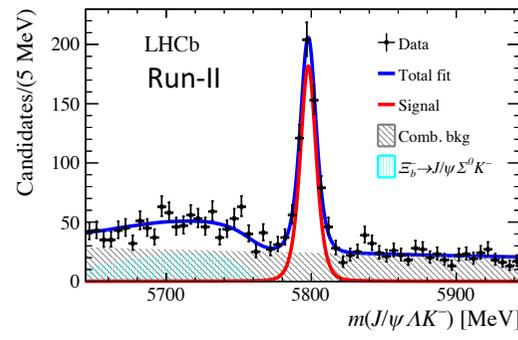
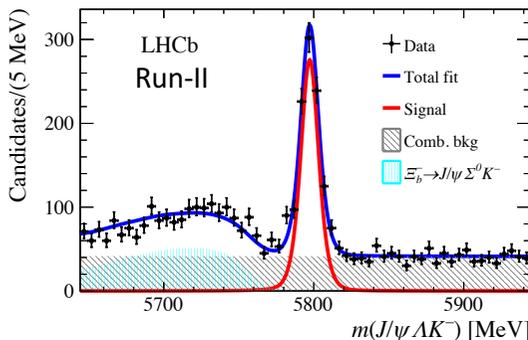
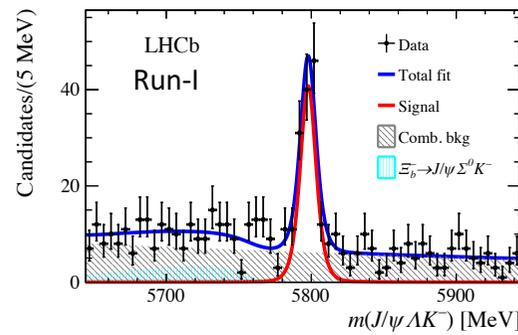
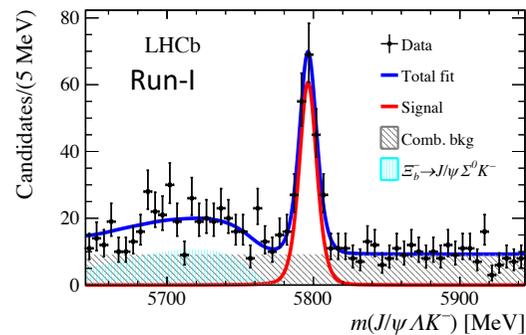
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Evidence of a $J/\psi\Lambda$ resonance in
 $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi\Lambda K^-$ decay

The $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$ data sample

PRC93 (2016) 065203

- Used to search for predicted $[udsc\bar{c}]$ pentaquark P_{CS}
- Run-I + Run-II data: ~ 1750 signals, purity $\sim 80\%$
 - $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$, $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi^-$

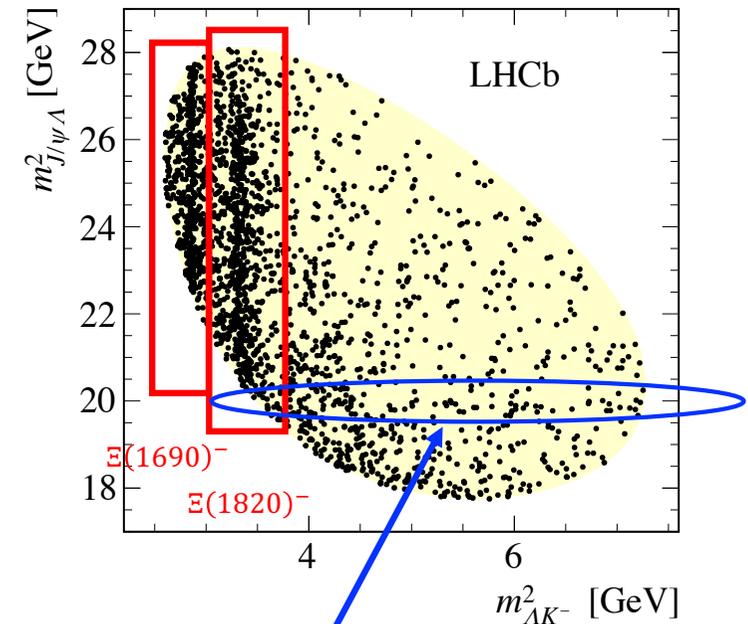


Λ decay in vertex detector

Λ decay outside the vertex detector

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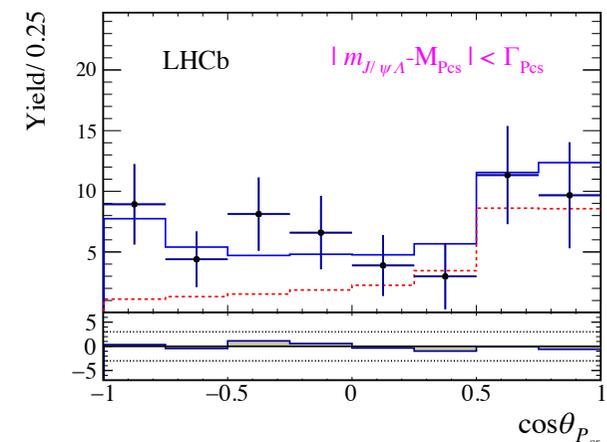
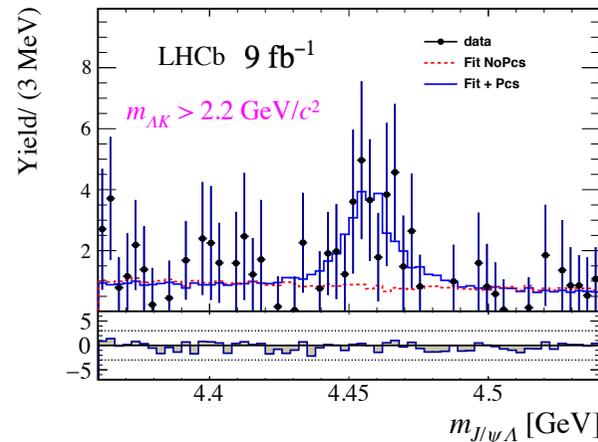
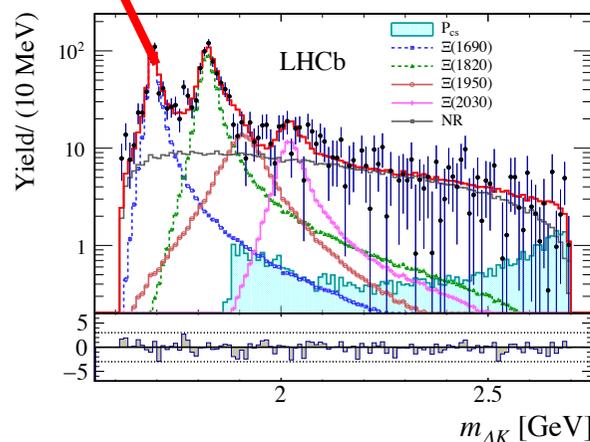
Potential P_{CS} contribution?
Amplitude analysis required.
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Full 6D amplitude analysis

- Adding a P_{CS} improves $2\ln L$ by 43 units, $\sim 4.3\sigma$ significance
 - **3.1 σ significance** when syst. uncertainty considered

Two Ξ^{*-} states

Zooms in to P_{CS} signal region for better visibility



P_{CS} mass 19MeV below the $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold. Statistic not enough for J^P determination.

State	M_0 [MeV]	Γ [MeV]
$P_{cs}(4459)^0$	$4458.8 \pm 2.9^{+4.7}_{-1.1}$	$17.3 \pm 6.5^{+8.0}_{-5.7}$
$\Xi(1690)^-$	$1692.0 \pm 1.3^{+1.2}_{-0.4}$	$25.9 \pm 9.5^{+14.0}_{-13.5}$
$\Xi(1820)^-$	$1822.7 \pm 1.5^{+1.0}_{-0.6}$	$36.0 \pm 4.4^{+7.8}_{-8.2}$

Consistent with PDG,
with improved precision

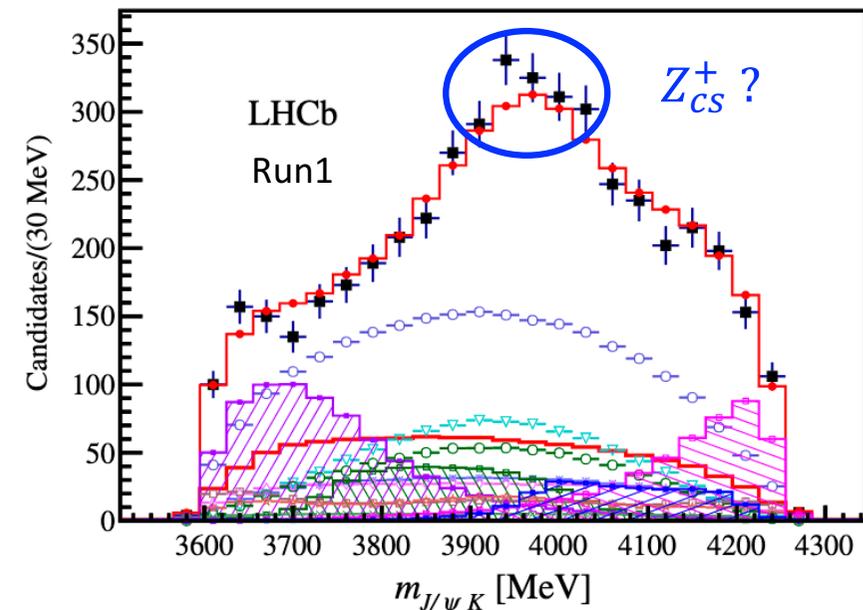
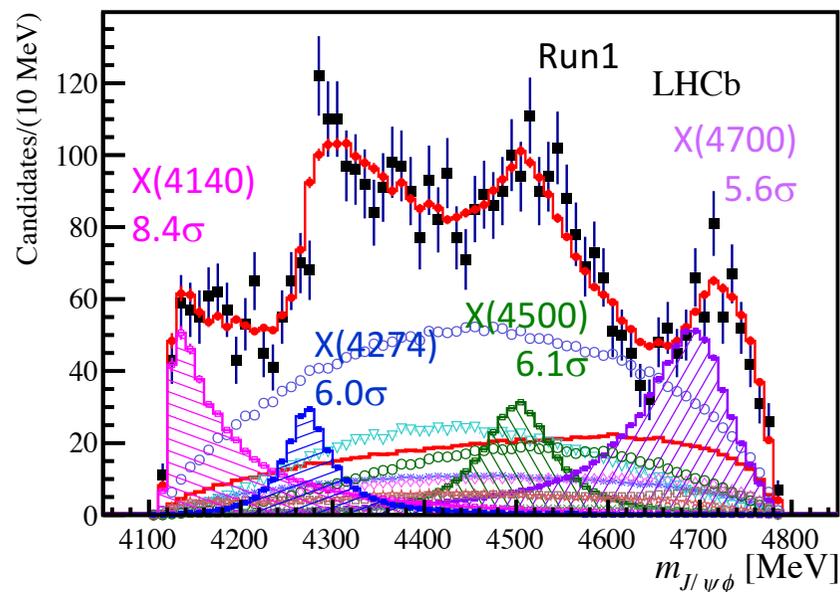
New $X \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ and $Z_{cs}^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$
states in $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$ decays

Previous $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ analysis

- $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ amplitude analysis was performed using LHCb Run1 data
PRL 118 (2017) 022003, PRD 95 (2017) 012002

Four exotic $J/\psi \phi$ structures were observed

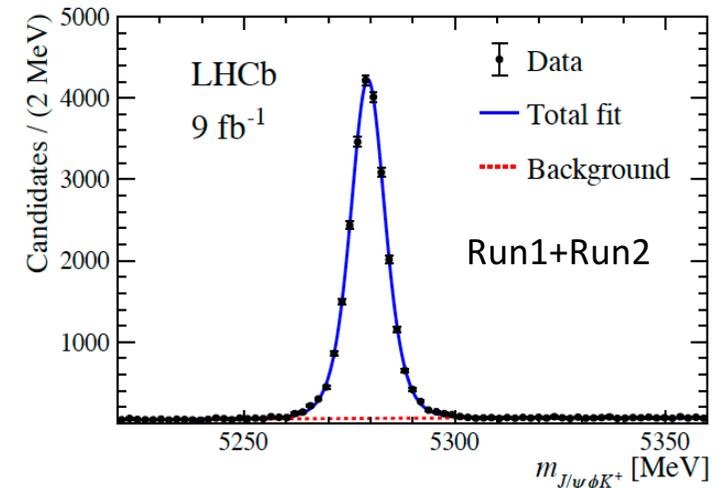
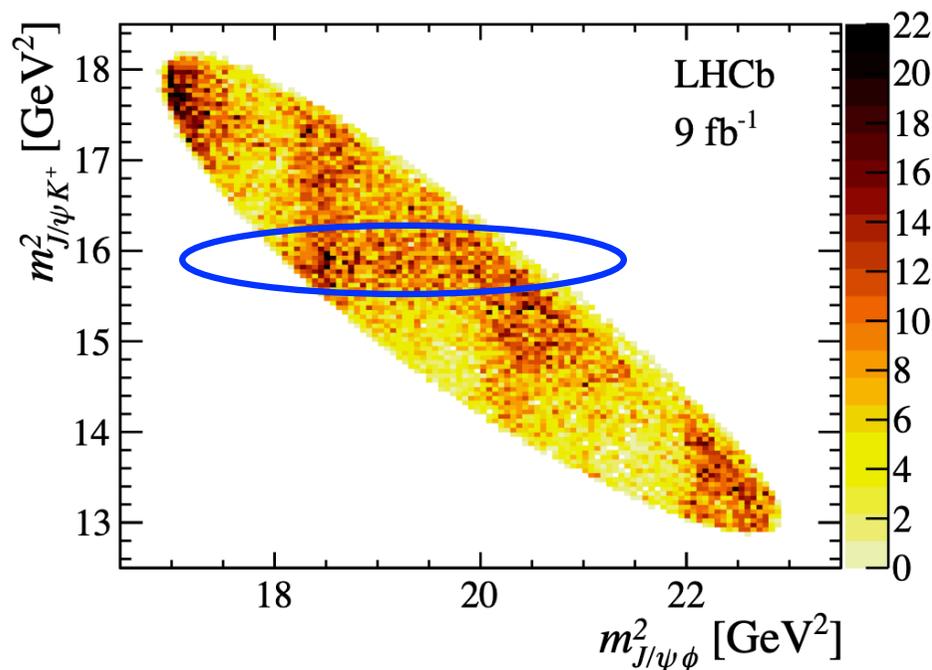
Hint to a $J/\psi K$ structure



- Investigate potential Z_{CS} contribution with larger data sample

Updated $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$ sample

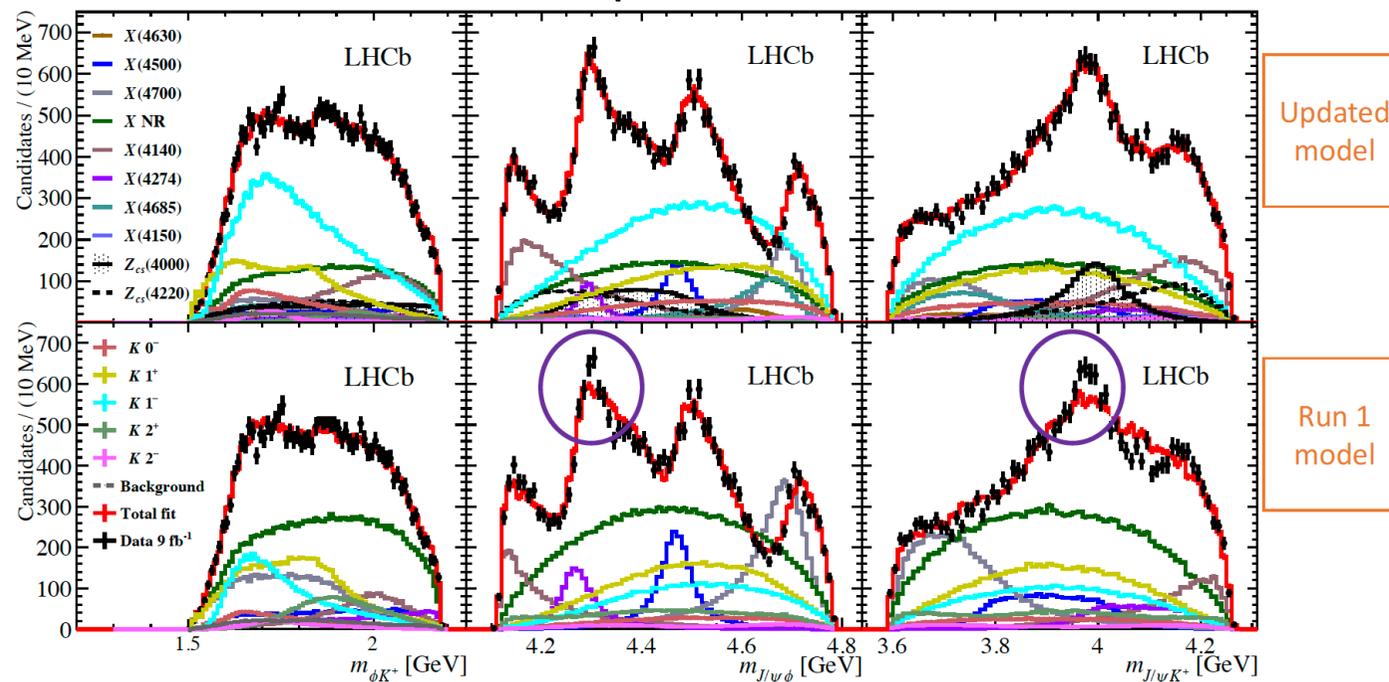
- Run1+Run2 data & improved event selections
 - 6× more B^+ signal yields (~ 24 k)
 - Much smaller BKG fraction ($\sim 4\%$)



- Clear structures in Dalitz-plot
 - Four clear $J/\psi\phi$ bands observed in Run1
 - Clear $J/\psi K^+$ bands: Z_{CS}^+ candidate
 - Confirmed using full amplitude analysis

6D amplitude analysis

- Run1 model + extended K^* components cannot well fit the data. Need new exotics
 - $1^+ Z_{CS}, 1^+ X$ gives the largest improvement
 - Additional $1^\pm Z_{CS}, 1^- X, 2^- X$ also significantly improves fit quality
 - Above states considered in updated model



Amplitude fit result

Contribution	Significance [$\times\sigma$]	BW mass, width		FF [%]	Fit fraction
		M_0 [MeV]	Γ_0 [MeV]		
$X(2^-)$					
$X(4150)$	4.8 (8.7)	$4146 \pm 18 \pm 33$	$135 \pm 28^{+59}_{-30}$	$2.0 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-1.0}$	
$X(1^-)$					
$X(4630)$	5.5 (5.7)	$4626 \pm 16^{+18}_{-110}$	$174 \pm 27^{+134}_{-73}$	$2.6 \pm 0.5^{+2.9}_{-1.5}$	
All $X(0^+)$				$20 \pm 5^{+14}_{-7}$	
$X(4500)$	20 (20)	$4474 \pm 3 \pm 3$	$77 \pm 6^{+10}_{-8}$	$5.6 \pm 0.7^{+2.4}_{-0.6}$	
$X(4700)$	17 (18)	$4694 \pm 4^{+16}_{-3}$	$87 \pm 8^{+16}_{-6}$	$8.9 \pm 1.2^{+4.9}_{-1.4}$	
$NR_{J/\psi\phi}$	4.8 (5.7)			$28 \pm 8^{+19}_{-11}$	
All $X(1^+)$				$26 \pm 3^{+8}_{-10}$	
$X(4140)$	13 (16)	$4118 \pm 11^{+19}_{-36}$	$162 \pm 21^{+24}_{-49}$	$17 \pm 3^{+19}_{-6}$	
$X(4274)$	18 (18)	$4294 \pm 4^{+3}_{-6}$	$53 \pm 5 \pm 5$	$2.8 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-0.4}$	
$X(4685)$	15 (15)	$4684 \pm 7^{+13}_{-16}$	$126 \pm 15^{+37}_{-41}$	$7.2 \pm 1.0^{+4.0}_{-2.0}$	
All $Z_{cs}(1^+)$				$25 \pm 5^{+11}_{-12}$	
$Z_{cs}(4000)$	15 (16)	$4003 \pm 6^{+4}_{-14}$	$131 \pm 15 \pm 26$	$9.4 \pm 2.1 \pm 3.4$	$J^P = 1^+$ confirmed
$Z_{cs}(4220)$	5.9 (8.4)	$4216 \pm 24^{+43}_{-30}$	$233 \pm 52^{+97}_{-73}$	$10 \pm 4^{+10}_{-7}$	$J^P = 1^\pm$ preferred

- Two $Z_{cs}^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$ states observed. Both significance $> 5\sigma$
- $X(4630), X(4685)$ states observed. Both significance $> 5\sigma$
- X states observed in Run1 analysis are confirmed

Compare to Z_{CS} in BESIII

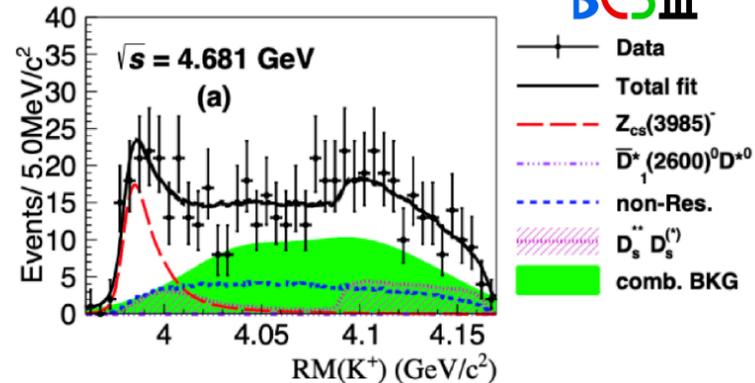
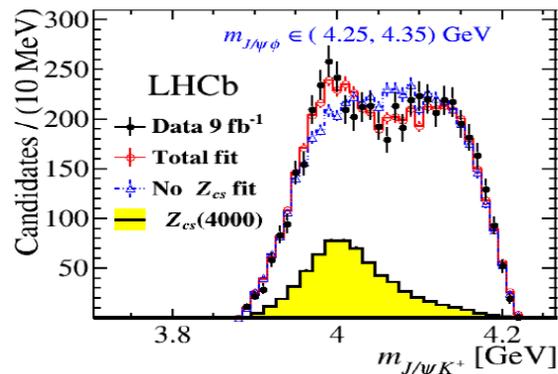
- BESIII experiment recently reported 5.3σ observation of a very narrow Z_{CS}^\pm in $D_s^- D^* + DD_s^{*-}$ mass distributions
- Their masses are close, but $Z_{CS}(4000)^\pm$ is $\sim 10\times$ broader
- No evidence $Z_{CS}(4000)^\pm$ is the same as $Z_{CS}(3985)^\pm$ seen by BESIII

- Fix $Z_{CS}(4000)^\pm$ to BESIII's result; $2\ln L$ is worse by 160

- Adding on top of the default model almost doesn't improve the fit likelihood

[arXiv:2103.01803]

[Phys. Rev. Lett. 126 (2021) 102001]



$$m(Z_{CS}(4000)^+) = (4003 \pm 6_{-14}^{+4}) \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma(Z_{CS}(4000)^+) = (131 \pm 15 \pm 26) \text{ MeV}$$

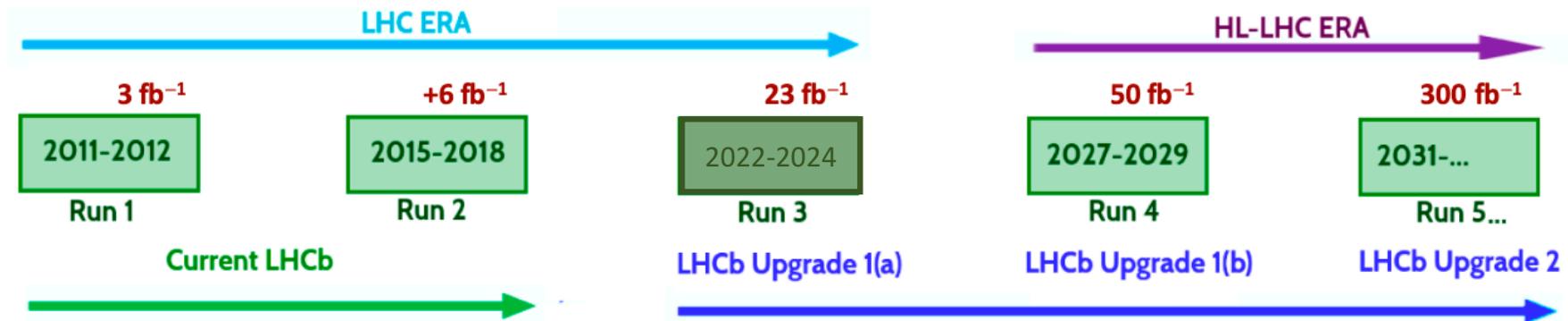
$$m(Z_{CS}(3985)^\pm) = (3985.2_{-2.0}^{+2.1} \pm 1.7) \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma(Z_{CS}(3985)^\pm) = (13.8_{-5.2}^{+8.1} \pm 4.9) \text{ MeV}$$

Conclusions

- Many nice results about exotic charmonia hadrons obtained by LHCb
 - Evidence of $P_{cs}(4459)^0$ in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$
 - Mass peak at 19 MeV below the $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold
 - Sensitivity limited by statistics. Stay tuned with Run3 data. (J^P measurement, potential two-peak structure...)
 - New exotic structures observed in $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ decays
 - Two Z_{cs} states with a minimal quark content of $c\bar{c}u\bar{s}$
 - $Z_{cs}(4000)^+$ with significance $> 15\sigma$, $J^P = 1^+$
 - Broader $Z_{cs}(4220)^+$ with significance $> 5\sigma$
 - Two new X states observed
 - 4 X states observed in $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ Run1 analysis confirmed, with improved precision of mass, width and J^P determinations

Prospects



- LHCb is boosting the data collection to a new level
 - 7x data by 2029 than current (14x for hadronic decays)
 - Half of these by 2024
 - Another 6x increase from Upgrade II

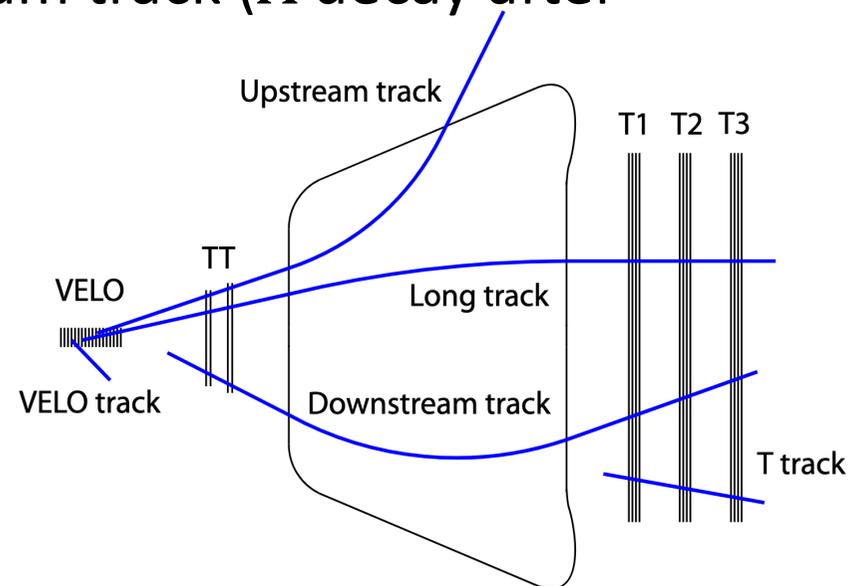
Decay mode	LHCb		
	23 fb ⁻¹	50 fb ⁻¹	300 fb ⁻¹
$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)(\rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-) K^+$	14k	30k	180k
$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)(\rightarrow \psi(2S)\gamma) K^+$	500	1k	7k
$B^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S) K^- \pi^+$	340k	700k	4M
$B_c^+ \rightarrow D_s^+ D^0 \bar{D}^0$	10	20	100
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$	680k	1.4M	8M
$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$	4k	10k	55k
$\Xi_{cc}^{++} \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	7k	15k	90k
$\Xi_{bc}^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi_c^+$	50	100	600

Thank you for your attention !
Any questions or comments ?

Back up

Λ reconstruction in LHCb

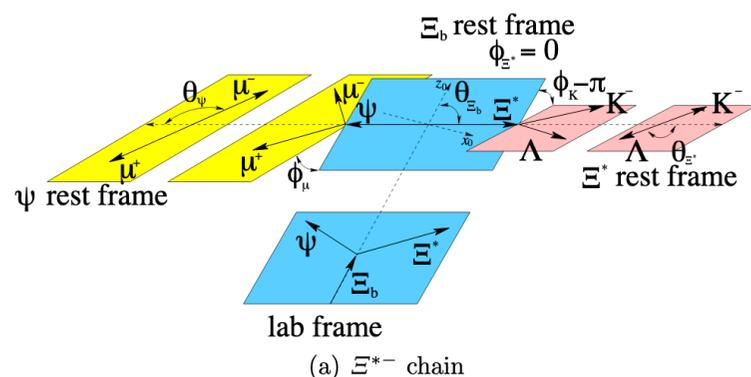
- The decay time of Λ is relatively large
- Large fraction of Λ particles decay after VELO
- Two methods for $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi$ reconstruction
 - Long track + Long track (Λ decay in Velo)
 - Downstream track + Downstream track (Λ decay after VELO)



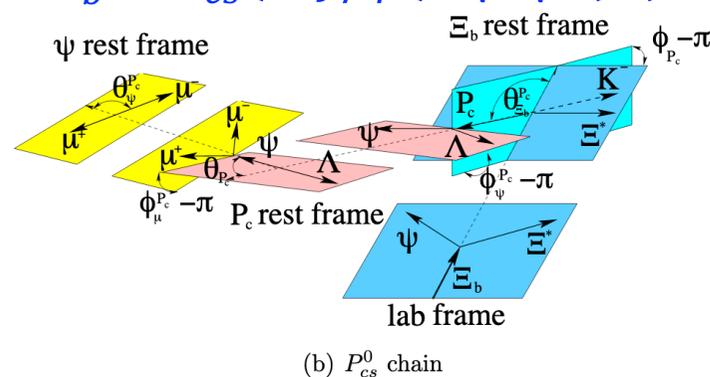
Full 6D amplitude analysis

- Two decay chains considered

$$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Xi^{*-} (\rightarrow K^- \Lambda) J/\psi (\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$$



$$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow P_{cs} (\rightarrow J/\psi (\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) \Lambda) K^-$$



- Fit the 6D kinematic distribution (1 mass + 5 angles), with sFit for background subtraction
 - Angular term: helicity formalism
 - Mass dependency: BW amplitude
 - A novel technique for final-state alignment between different chains

arXiv: 2012.03699, to be published at Chinese Physics C

6D amplitude analysis

- All B^+ candidates in signal regions used as input
- Three decay chains with K^* , X or Z_{cS} resonances
- 6 individual kinematic variables: 1 mass & 5 angles
 - Helicity formalism for angular-dependent amplitude
 - Several line shapes tested for mass term: Relativistic BW, single-channel K-Matrix, Flatté function
- Incoherent background considered in the fit model (cFit)

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\ln L(\vec{\omega}) &= -\sum_i \ln [(1 - \beta) \mathcal{P}_{\text{sig}}(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i | \vec{\omega}) + \beta \mathcal{P}_{\text{bkg}}(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i)] \\
 &= -\sum_i \ln \left[(1 - \beta) \frac{|\mathcal{M}(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i | \vec{\omega})|^2 \Phi(m_{\phi K i}) \epsilon(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i)}{I(\vec{\omega})} + \beta \frac{\mathcal{P}_{\text{bkg}}^u(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i)}{I_{\text{bkg}}} \right] \\
 &= -\sum_i \ln \left[|\mathcal{M}(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i | \vec{\omega})|^2 + \frac{\beta I(\vec{\omega})}{(1 - \beta) I_{\text{bkg}}} \frac{\mathcal{P}_{\text{bkg}}^u(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i)}{\Phi(m_{\phi K i}) \epsilon(m_{\phi K i}, \Omega_i)} \right] + N \ln I(\vec{\omega}) .
 \end{aligned}$$

More discussions about $Z_{cs}(4000)^+$

- Argand diagram gives further evidence of resonant character
 - The magnitude & phase obtained from line-shape independent fit (Black dots) is consistent with a **BRW behavior (Red curve)**
- $Z_{cs}(4000)^+$ contribution visible in different $m(J/\psi\phi)$ slices

