

Angular distributions for the process:

$$\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*(pK^-)J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-)$$

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- **Introduction**
- **Helicity Amplitude**
- **Phenomenological applications**
- **Summary**

Introduction

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- Provide a platform for study of **strong interactions**.

- **Lepton universality**

- FCNC of $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ sensitive to searches of physics of **BSM**; $1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$

$$R_K = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K e^+ e^-)}$$

$$= 0.846_{-0.039-0.012}^{+0.042+0.013}$$

$$< 1$$

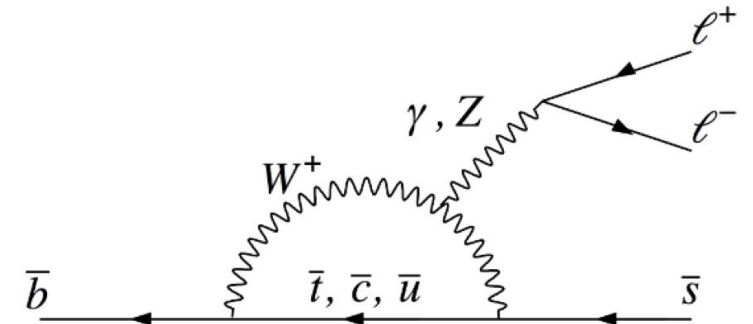
$$R_{K^*} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^* e^+ e^-)}$$

$$= 0.69_{-0.07}^{+0.11} \pm 0.05$$

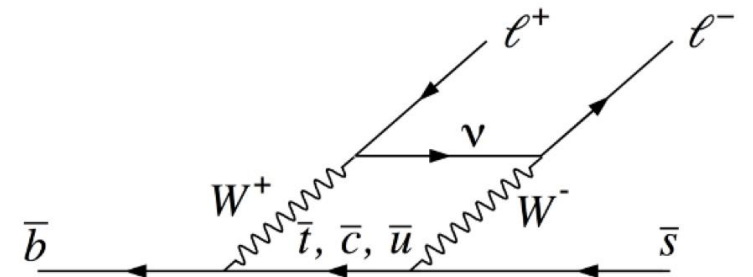
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18, no.3



Penguin diagram



Box diagram

✓ Theoretical

- ✓ Quark Model:
 - Light-Front Quark Model
 - Covariant Quark Model
- ✓ QCD Sum rules(QCDSR)
- ✓ Light-cone Sum rules(LCSR)
- ✓ Lattice QCD (LQCD)

✓ Experimental

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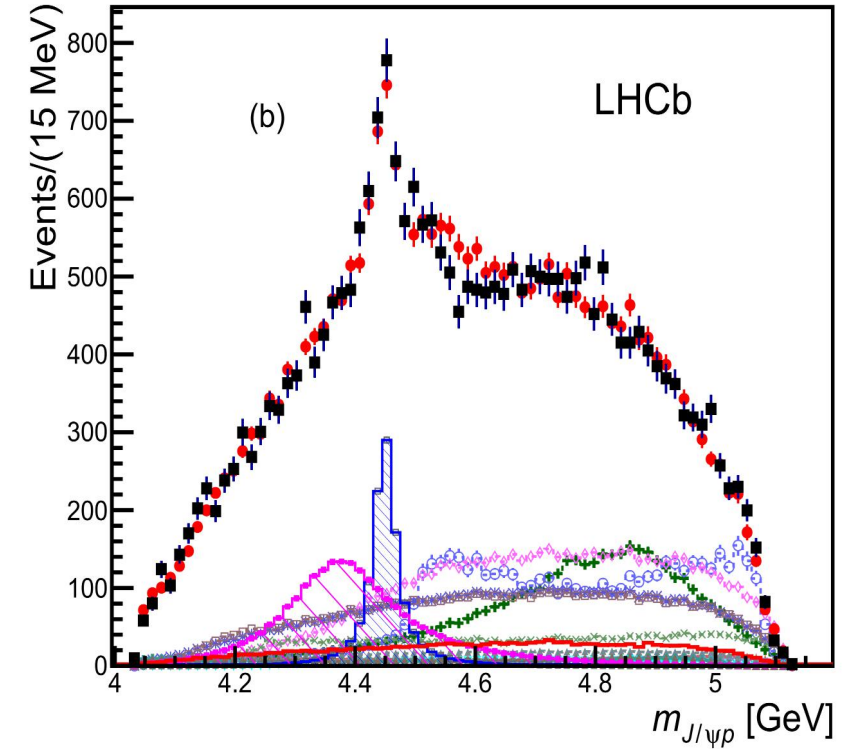
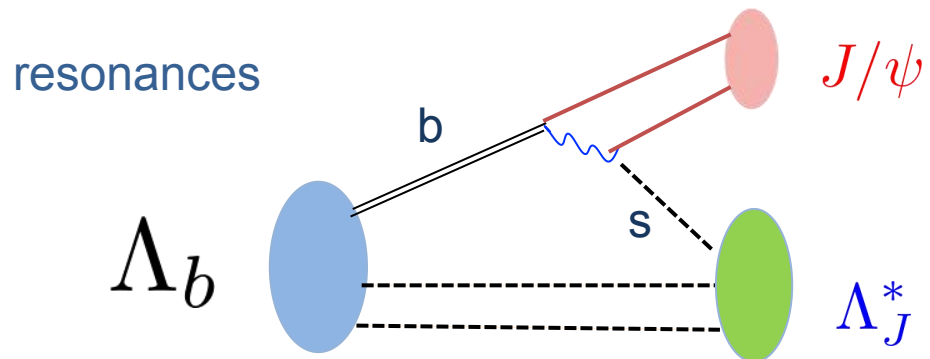
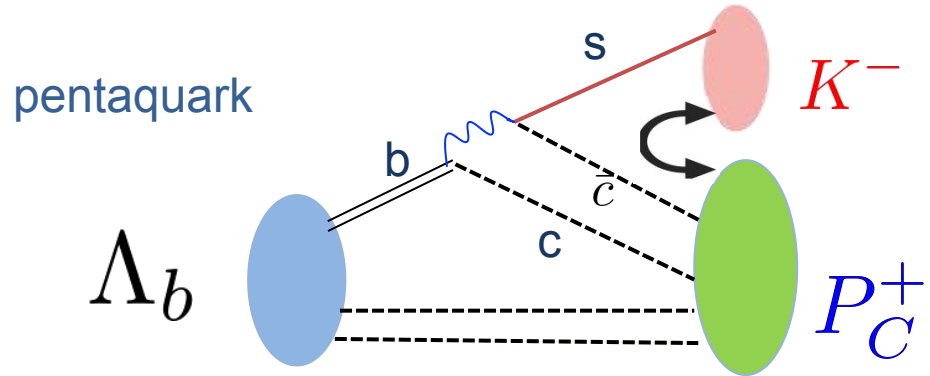
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Introduction:pentaquark

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➤ pentaquark production



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Introduction: Main background

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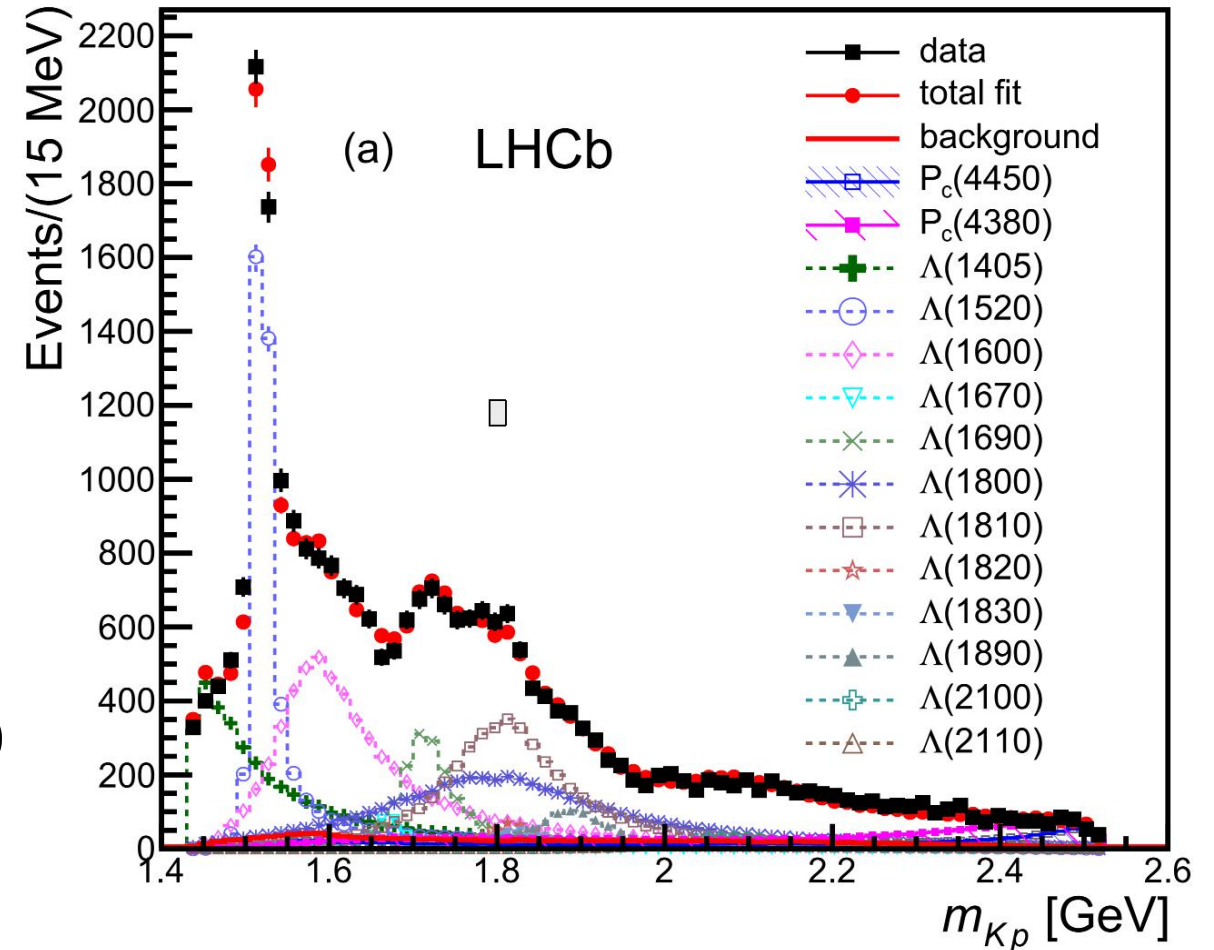
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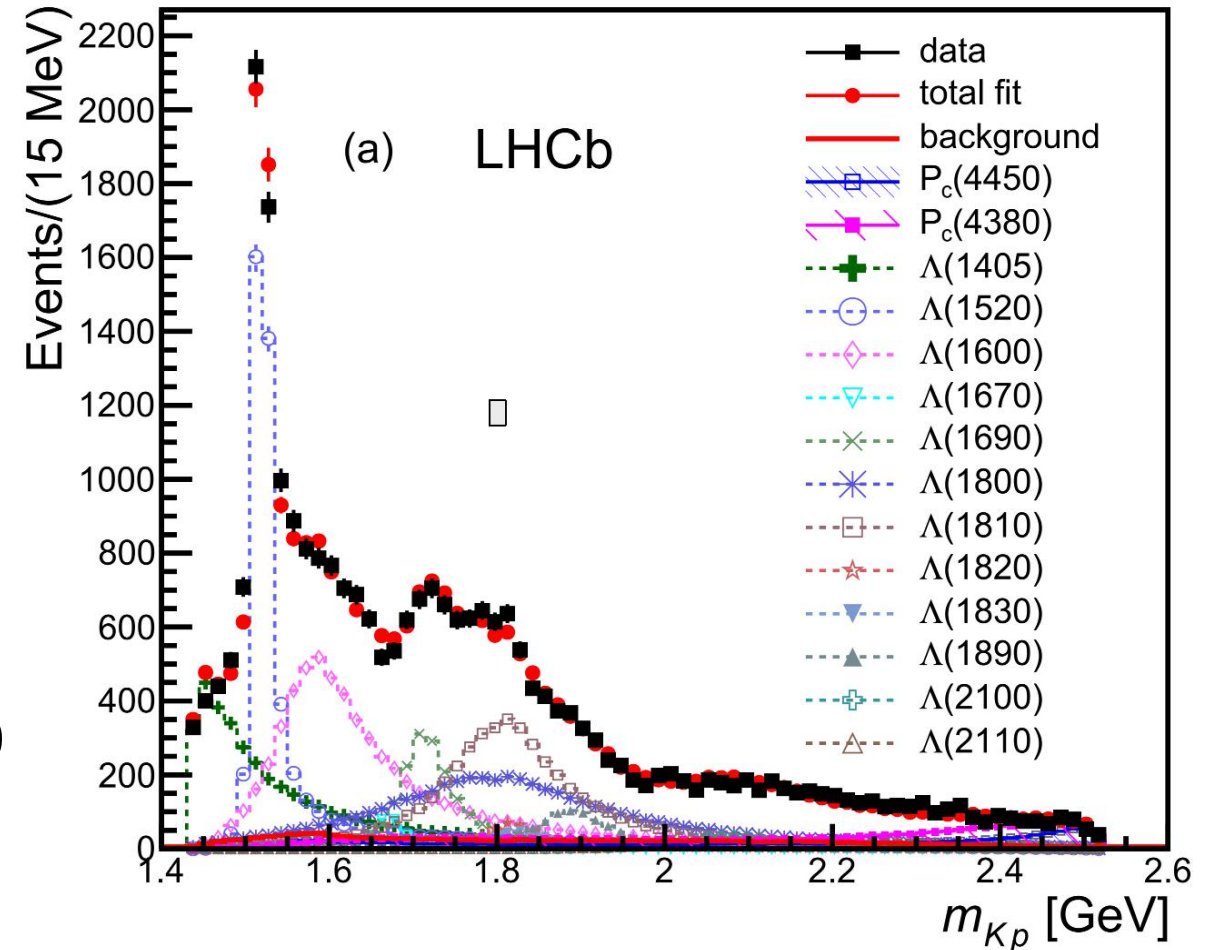
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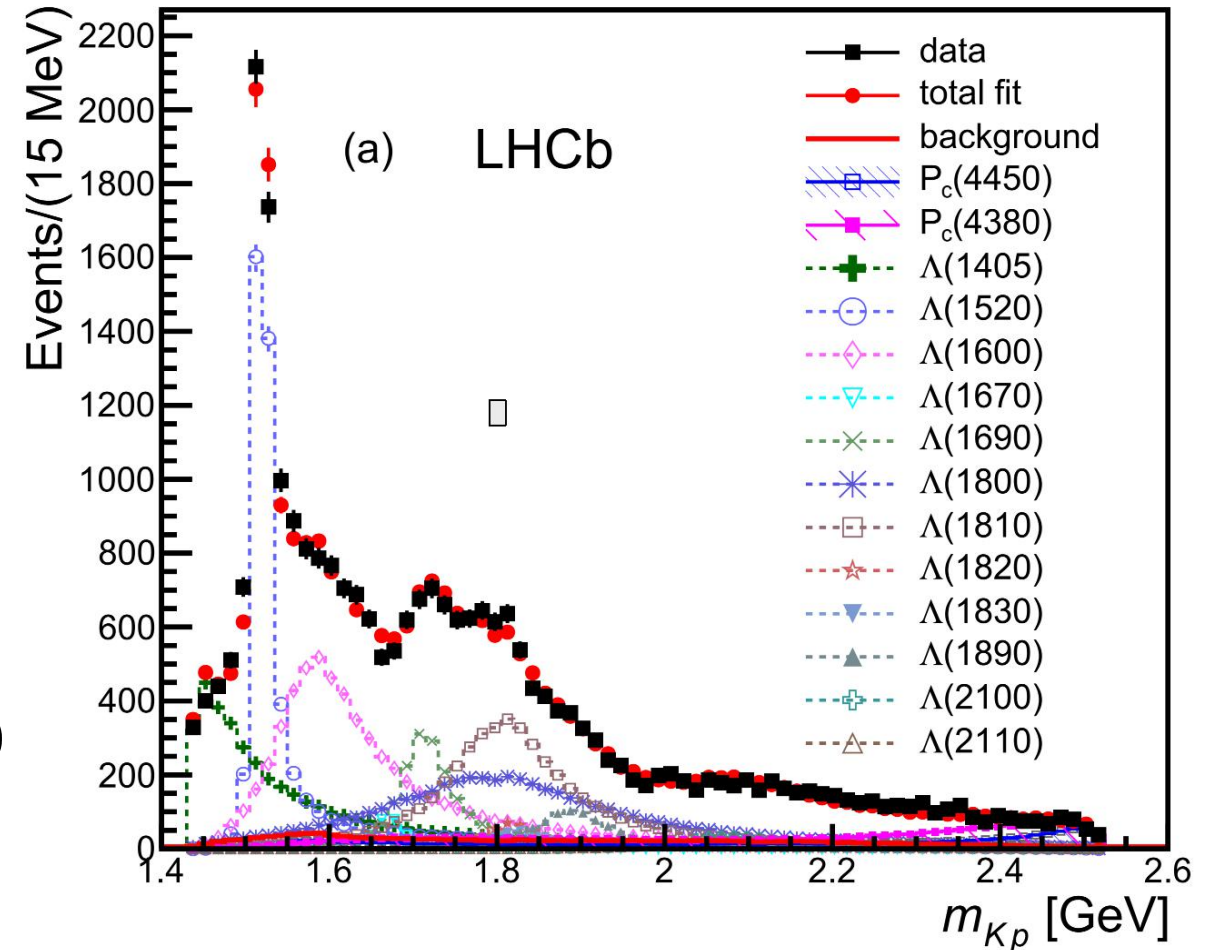
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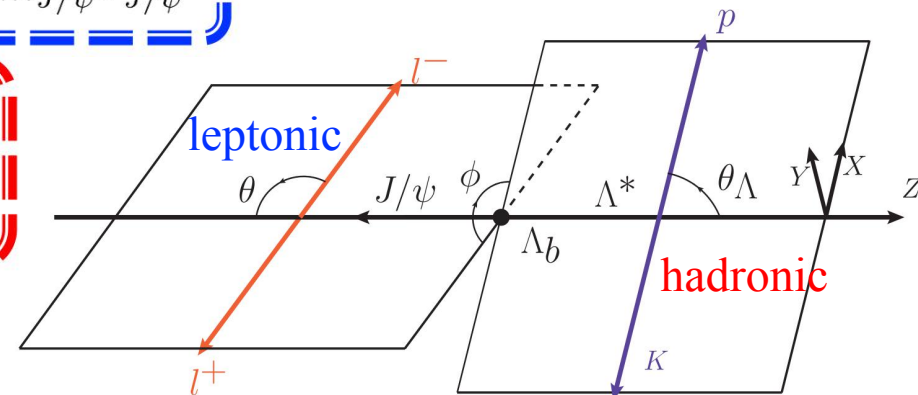
Helicity Amplitude

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$$i\mathcal{M}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*(pK)J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-)) = \sum_{\Lambda_J^*} \sum_{s_{\Lambda_J^*} s_{J/\psi}} \left[i\mathcal{M}(J/\psi \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-) \frac{i}{q^2 - m_{J/\psi}^2 + im_{J/\psi}\Gamma_{J/\psi}} \right]$$

$$\left[\frac{i\mathcal{M}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*J/\psi)}{p_{\Lambda_J^*}^2 - m_{\Lambda_J^*}^2 + im_{\Lambda_J^*}\Gamma_{\Lambda_J^*}} i\mathcal{M}(\Lambda_J^* \rightarrow pK) \right]$$

hadron I
hadron II



$$i\mathcal{M}(J/\psi \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-) =$$

$$\langle \ell^+(s_+)\ell^-(s_-) | -igF^{\mu\nu}F'_{\mu\nu} | J/\psi(s_{J/\psi}) \rangle$$

$$= 2ieg \times \bar{u}(s_-)\gamma^\mu v(s_+)\epsilon_\mu(s_{J/\psi})$$

$$= 2ieg \times L_{s_-,s_+}^{s_{J/\psi}}(\theta, \phi),$$

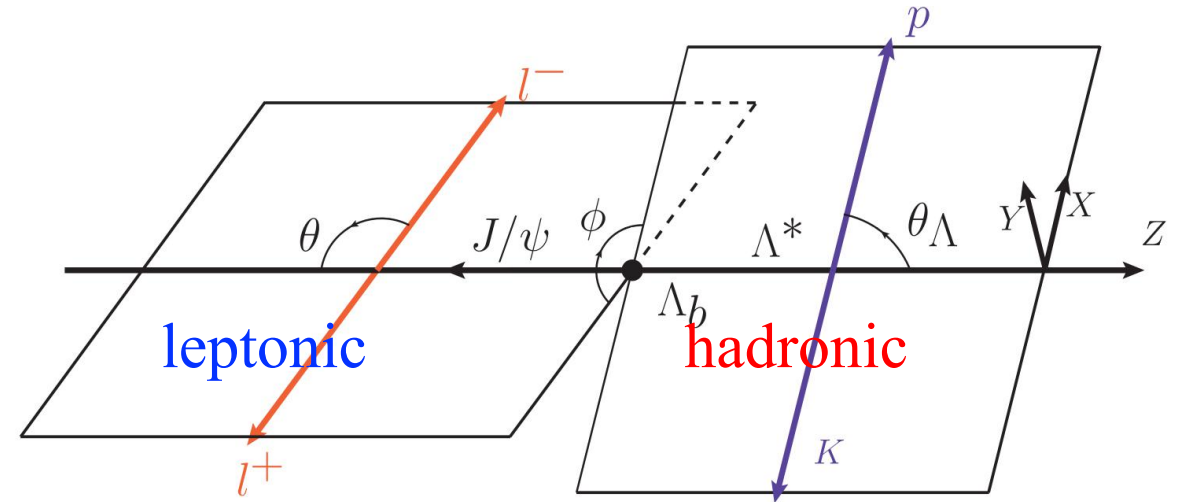
coupling constant

$$g^2 = \frac{3\Gamma(J/\psi \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-)m_{J/\psi}^2}{4\alpha_{em}(m_{J/\psi}^2 + 2m_\ell^2)\sqrt{m_{J/\psi}^2 - 4m_\ell^2}}.$$

$$i\mathcal{M}(\Lambda_J^* \rightarrow pK) = \mathcal{A}_J \times (D_{s_{\Lambda_J^*}, s_p}^{J_{\Lambda_J^*}}(\phi_\Lambda, \theta_\Lambda))^*$$

$$\mathcal{A}_J = \sqrt{\Gamma(\Lambda_J^* \rightarrow pK)16\pi m_{\Lambda_J^*}^2/|\vec{p}_p|}, \quad J = 1520$$

$$\mathcal{A}_J = \sqrt{\Gamma(\Lambda_J^* \rightarrow pK)8\pi m_{\Lambda_J^*}^2/|\vec{p}_p|}, \quad J = 1600, 1800$$



$$\mathcal{M}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^* J/\psi) = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cb} V_{cs}^* a_2 f_{J/\psi} m_{J/\psi} \langle \Lambda_J^* | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) b | \Lambda_b \rangle \epsilon_\mu^*(s_{J/\psi}),$$

$$a_2 = C_1 + C_2/N_c, ,$$

$$C_1(m_b) = -0.248 \text{ and } C_2(m_b) = 1.107$$

➤ Spin-1/2 baryon

$$\langle \Lambda_J^*(p', s') | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu b | \Lambda_b(p, s) \rangle =$$

$$\bar{u}(p', s') \left(\gamma_\mu f_1^p + \frac{p_{\Lambda_b}^\mu}{m_{\Lambda_b}} f_2^p + \frac{p_{\Lambda_J^*}^\mu}{m_{\Lambda_J^*}} f_3^p \right) u(p, s)$$

vector

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axial-vector

➤ MCN model

$$f(M_{pK}^2) = (a_0 + a_2 p_\Lambda^2 + a_4 p_\Lambda^4) \exp \left(- \frac{6m_q^2 p_\Lambda^2}{2\tilde{m}_\Lambda^2 (\alpha_{\Lambda_b}^2 + \alpha_{\Lambda^*}^2)} \right)$$

Λ_{1600}^*			
form factor	a_0	a_2	a_4
f_1^+	0.467	0.615	0.0568
f_2^+	-0.381	-0.2815	-0.0399
f_3^+	0.0501	-0.0295	-0.00163
g_1^+	0.114	0.300	0.0206
g_2^+	-0.394	-0.307	-0.0445
g_3^+	-0.0433	0.0478	0.00566
$\alpha_{\Lambda^*(1600)} = 0.387$			

L. Mott and W. Roberts, Int. J. Mod. Phys. A 27, 1250016 (2012)

➤ Spin-3/2 baryon:Helicity-base

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Lambda_{1520}^*(p', s') | \bar{s} \gamma^\mu b | \Lambda_b(p, s) \rangle = & \\ & \bar{u}_\lambda(p', s') \left(f_0^{3/2} \frac{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}}{s_{p+}} \frac{(m_{\Lambda_b} - m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}) p^\lambda q^\mu}{q^2} \right. \\ & + f_+^{3/2} \frac{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}}{s_{p-}} \frac{(m_{\Lambda_b} + m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}) p^\lambda (q^2 (p^\mu + p'^\mu) - q^\mu (m_{\Lambda_b}^2 - m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}^2))}{q^2 s_{p+}} \\ & + f_\perp^{3/2} \frac{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}}{s_{p-}} \left(p^\lambda \gamma^\mu - \frac{2 p^\lambda (m_{\Lambda_b} p'^\mu + m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*} p^\mu)}{s_{p+}} \right) \\ & \left. + f_{\perp'}^{3/2} \frac{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}}{s_{p-}} \left(p^\lambda \gamma^\mu - \frac{2 p^\lambda p'^\mu}{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}} + \frac{2 p^\lambda (m_{\Lambda_b} p'^\mu + m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*} p^\mu)}{s_{p+}} + \frac{s_{p-} g^{\lambda\mu}}{m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}} \right) \right) u(p, s) \end{aligned}$$

vector

➤ LQCD

$$f(M_{pK}^2) = F + A(\omega - 1)$$

Lattic QCD		
form factor	F	A
$f_0^{3/2}$	3.54(29)	-14.7(3.3)
$f_+^{3/2}$	0.0432(64)	1.63(19)
$f_\perp^{3/2}$	-0.068(18)	2.49(35)
$f_{\perp'}^{3/2}$	0.0461(18)	-0.161(27)
$g_0^{3/2}$	0.0024(38)	1.58(17)
$g_+^{3/2}$	2.95(25)	-12.2(2.9)
$g_\perp^{3/2}$	2.92(24)	-11.8(2.8)
$g_{\perp'}^{3/2}$	-0.037(14)	0.09(25)

S. Meinel and G. Rendon, Phys. Rev. D
105, no.5, 054511 (2022)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d\Gamma(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*(pK)J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-))}{d\cos\theta d\cos\theta_\Lambda d\phi dM_{pK}^2} &= \frac{3\sqrt{\lambda}|\vec{p}_p|}{16384\pi^4 m_{\Lambda_b}^3 m_{\Lambda_J^*} (m_{J/\psi}^2 + 2m_\ell^2)} \\
 &\times \frac{1}{2} \sum_{s_{\Lambda_b}, s_p, s_+, s_-} \mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-) \underbrace{|L_{s_-, s_+}^{s_{J/\psi}}(\phi, \theta)|^2}_{\text{leptonic}} \underbrace{|\mathcal{A}_{s_p, s_{J/\psi}}^{s_{\Lambda_b}}(\theta_\Lambda)|^2}_{\text{hadronic}} \\
 &= \mathcal{P} \left(L_{11} + \cos\theta_\Lambda L_{12} + \cos 2\theta_\Lambda L_{13} + \cos 2\phi (L_{21} + \cos 2\theta_\Lambda L_{22}) \right. \\
 &\quad + \cos 2\theta (L_{31} + \cos\theta_\Lambda L_{32} + \cos 2\theta_\Lambda L_{33}) + \sin 2\theta \cos\phi (\sin\theta_\Lambda L_{41} + \sin 2\theta_\Lambda L_{42}) \\
 &\quad \left. + \cos 2\phi \cos 2\theta (L_{51} + \cos 2\theta_\Lambda L_{52}) + \sin 2\theta \sin\phi (\sin\theta_\Lambda L_{61} + \sin 2\theta_\Lambda L_{62}) \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$L_{11} = \frac{1}{16} (9 |H_{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}}|^2 + 16 |H_{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}}|^2 + 10 |H_{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}}|^2 + 15 |H_{\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}}|^2 + 24 |H_{\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}}|^2) + \dots$$

$$L_{21} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{8} (4\hat{m}_\ell^2 - 1) \mathcal{R}_e(H_{\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}} H_{\frac{1}{2}, -\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{3}{2}*}) + \dots$$

➤ differential decay width:

$$d\Gamma(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*(pK)J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-))/dM_{pK}^2 = \mathcal{P} \frac{8\pi}{9} \left(9L_{11} - 3L_{13} - 3L_{31} + L_{33} \right)$$

Lattice QCD:

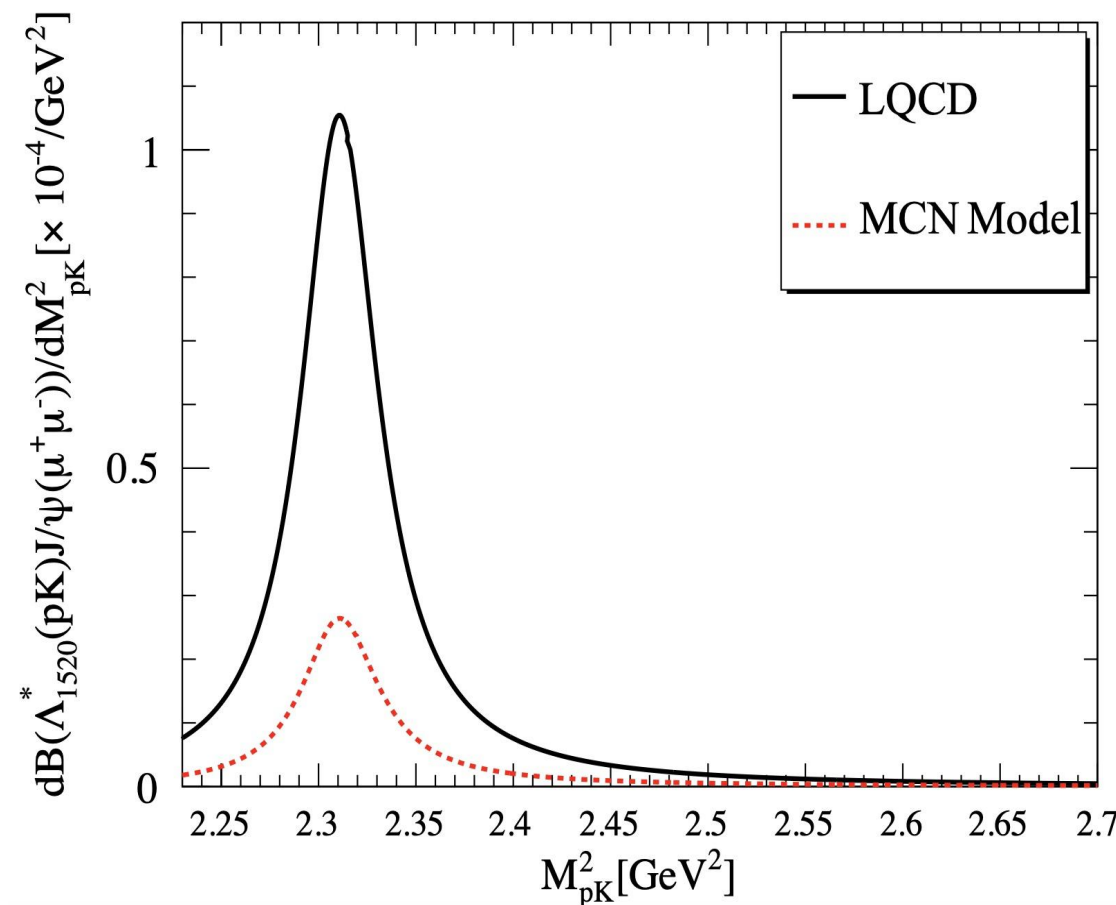
$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_{1520}^*(pK)J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)) = (7.22 \pm 2.53) \times 10^{-6}$$

MCN model:

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_{1520}^*(pK)J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)) = 1.904 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_{1600}^*(pK)J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)) = 1.11 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_{1800}^*(pK)J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)) = 3.87 \times 10^{-6}$$



$$A_{FB}^{\Lambda} = \frac{\left[\int_0^1 - \int_{-1}^0 \right] d \cos \theta_{\Lambda} \frac{d^2 \Gamma}{dM_{pK}^2 d \cos \theta_{\Lambda}}}{\left[\int_0^1 + \int_{-1}^0 \right] d \cos \theta_{\Lambda} \frac{d^2 \Gamma}{dM_{pK}^2 d \cos \theta_{\Lambda}}}$$

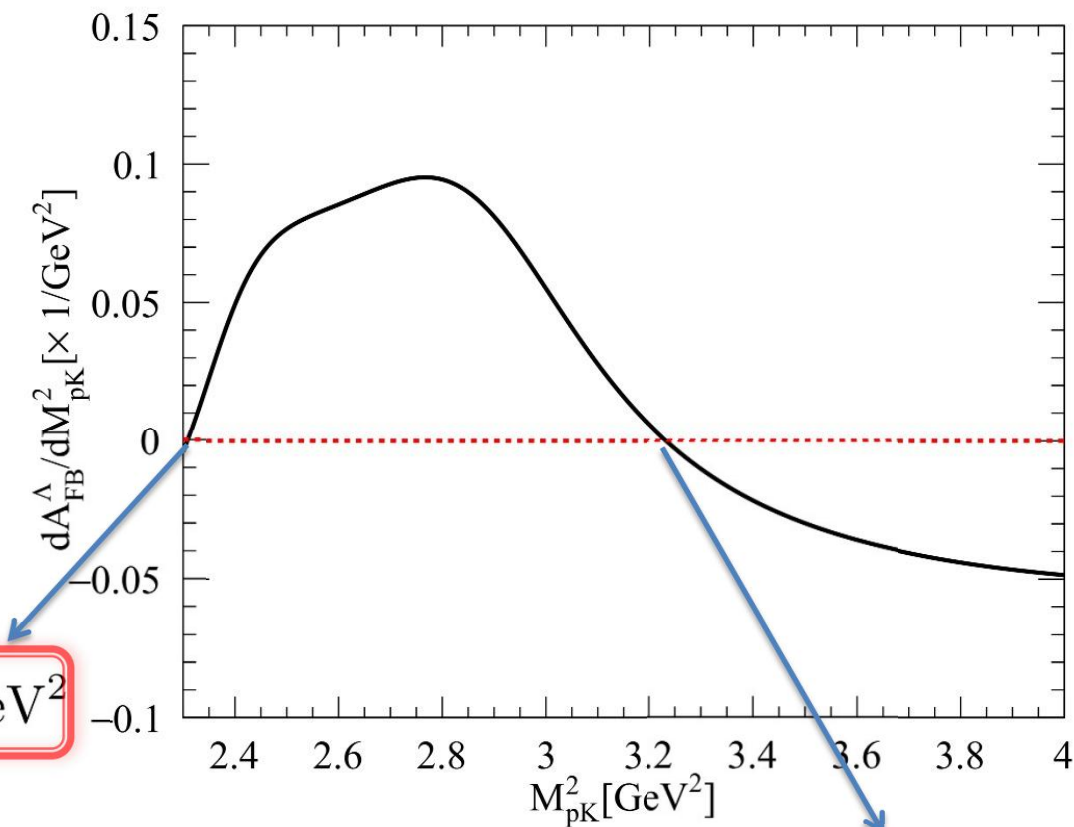
$$\frac{dA_{FB}^{\Lambda}}{dM_{pK}^2} \propto \sum_{s_{\Lambda_b}, s_{\Lambda_J^*} = \pm \frac{1}{2}} (2\hat{m}_{\ell}^2 + 1) \mathcal{R}_e \left(H_{s_{\Lambda_b}, s_{\Lambda_J^*}}^{\frac{3}{2}} H_{s_{\Lambda_b}, s_{\Lambda_J^*}}^{\frac{1}{2}*} \right)$$

neglect Λ_{1600}^* contribution

$$\frac{dA_{FB}^{\Lambda}}{dM_{pK}^2} \propto \mathcal{R}_e(L_{\Lambda_{1520}^*} L_{\Lambda_{1800}^*})$$



$$\frac{dA_{FB}^{\Lambda}}{dM_{pK}^2} \propto \underline{(M_{pK}^2 - m_{\Lambda_{1520}^*}^2)(M_{pK}^2 - m_{\Lambda_{1800}^*}^2)} = 0$$



$$s_0^1 = 2.307 \text{ GeV}^2$$

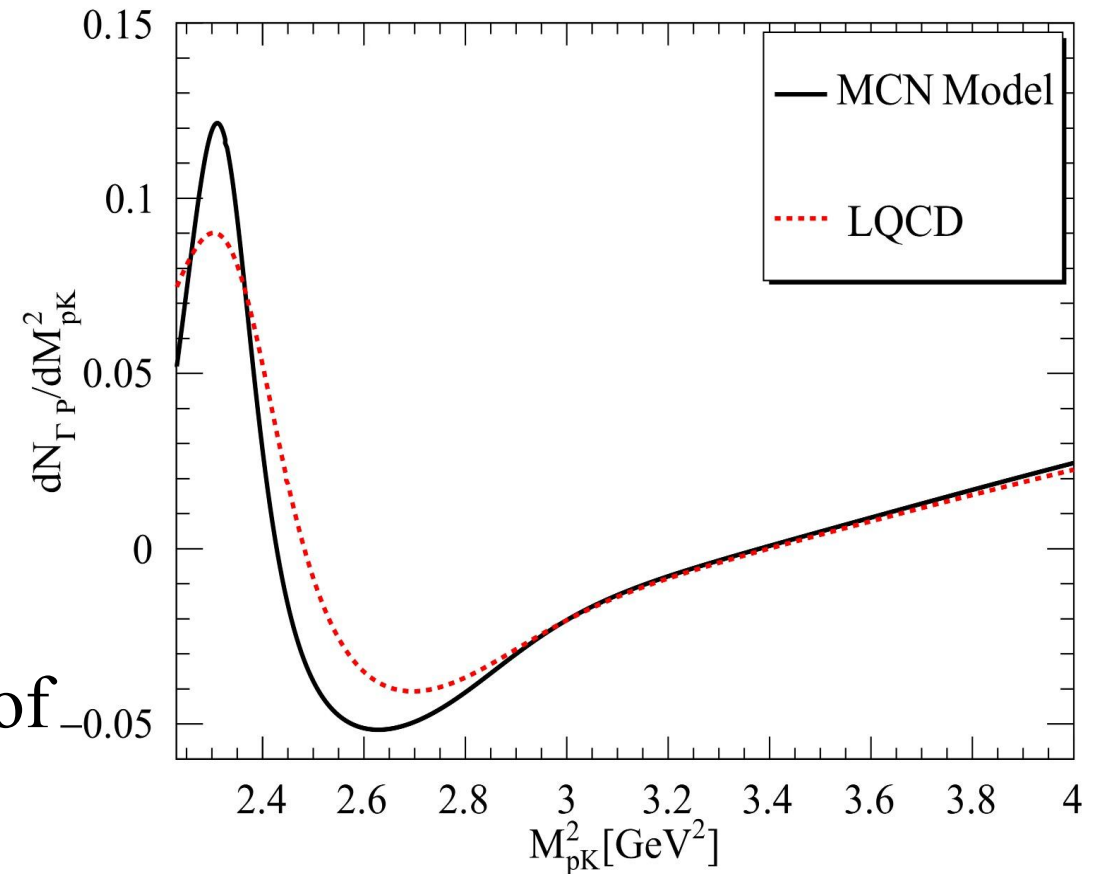
$$s_0^2 = 3.231 \text{ GeV}^2$$

- normalized **polarised** decay width

$$\frac{dN_{\Gamma_P}}{dM_{pK}^2} = \frac{\frac{d\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}{dM_{pK}^2} - \frac{d\Gamma(-\frac{1}{2})}{dM_{pK}^2}}{\frac{d\Gamma(\frac{1}{2})}{dM_{pK}^2} + \frac{d\Gamma(-\frac{1}{2})}{dM_{pK}^2}}$$

- $s=1/2$ is larger than $s=-1/2$ in **low range**

- mainly contributed by the **interference** of **vector and axial-vector**

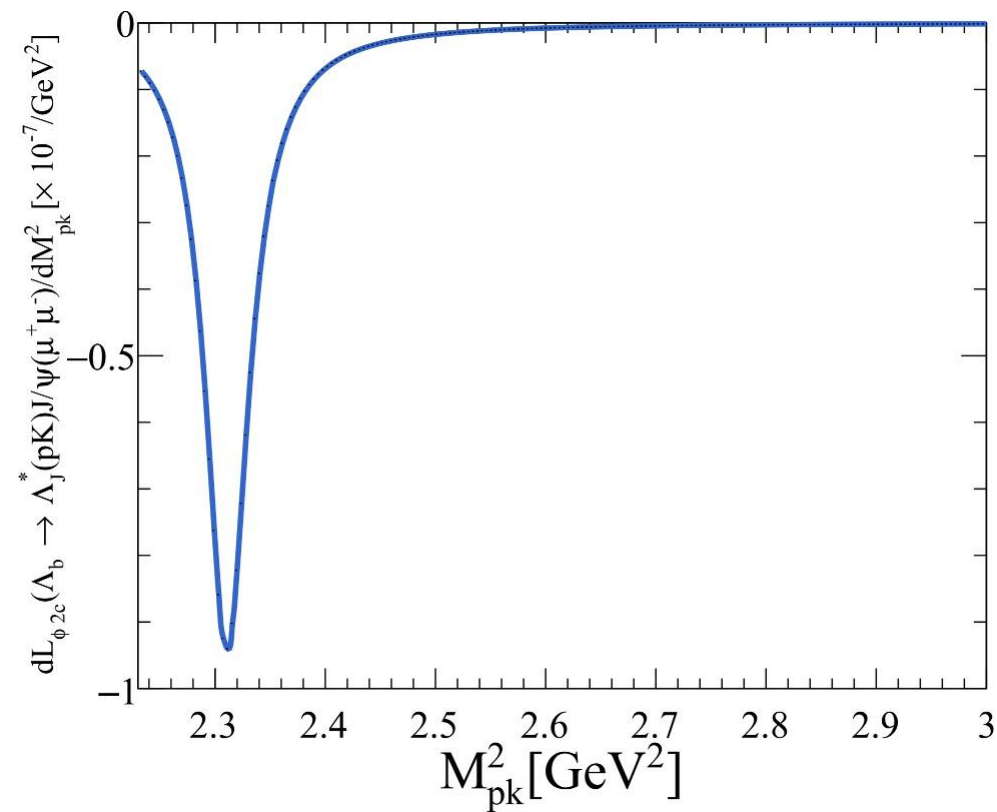
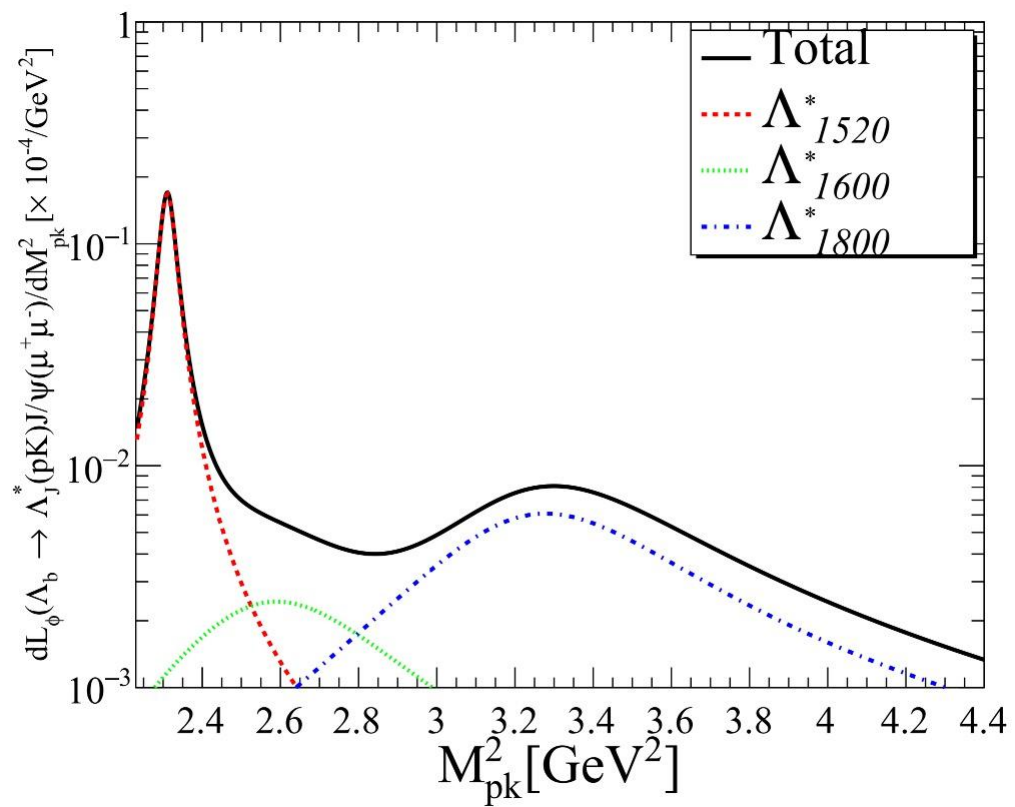


polarized decay width is important observable for study hadron matrix element

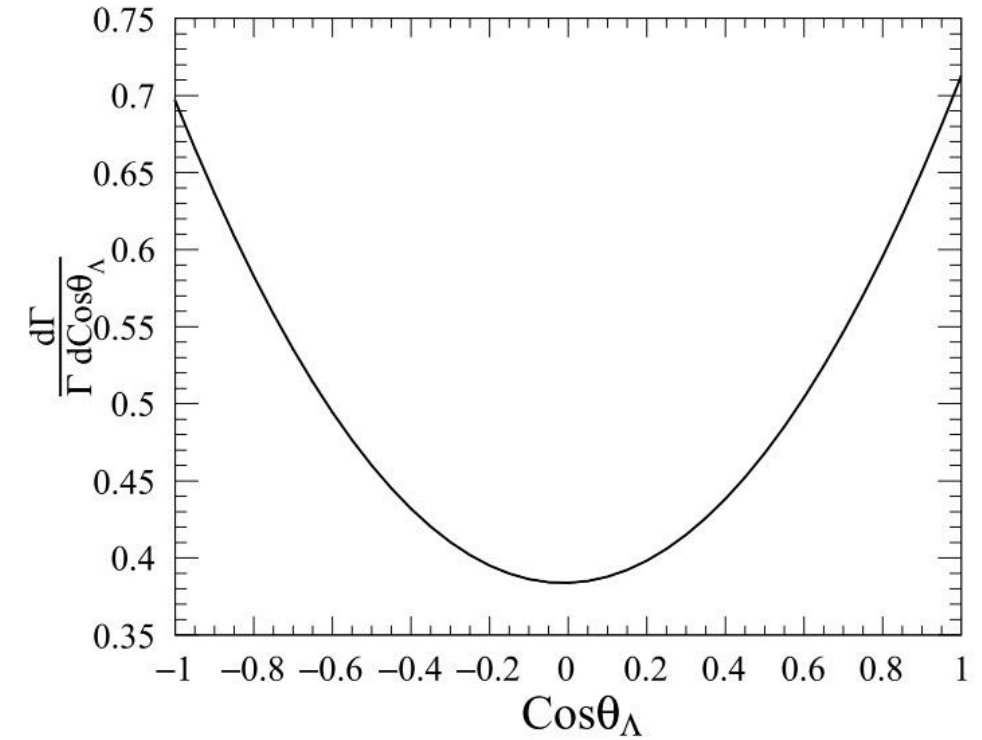
- We have derived the angular distribution with three resonances;
- Obtain phenomenological results: partial decay width, forward-backward asymmetry, polarisation;
- Serve as a calibration for the study of $b \rightarrow s\bar{\mu}\mu$ decay in Λ_b decays.

Thanks!

Backup



$$\frac{d\Gamma(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_J^*(pK)J/\psi(\ell^+\ell^-))}{\Gamma dM_{pK}^2 d\cos\theta_\Lambda} = \left(L_\Lambda + L_{\Lambda c} \cos\theta_\Lambda + L_{\Lambda 2c} \cos 2\theta_\Lambda \right) / \Gamma$$



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