

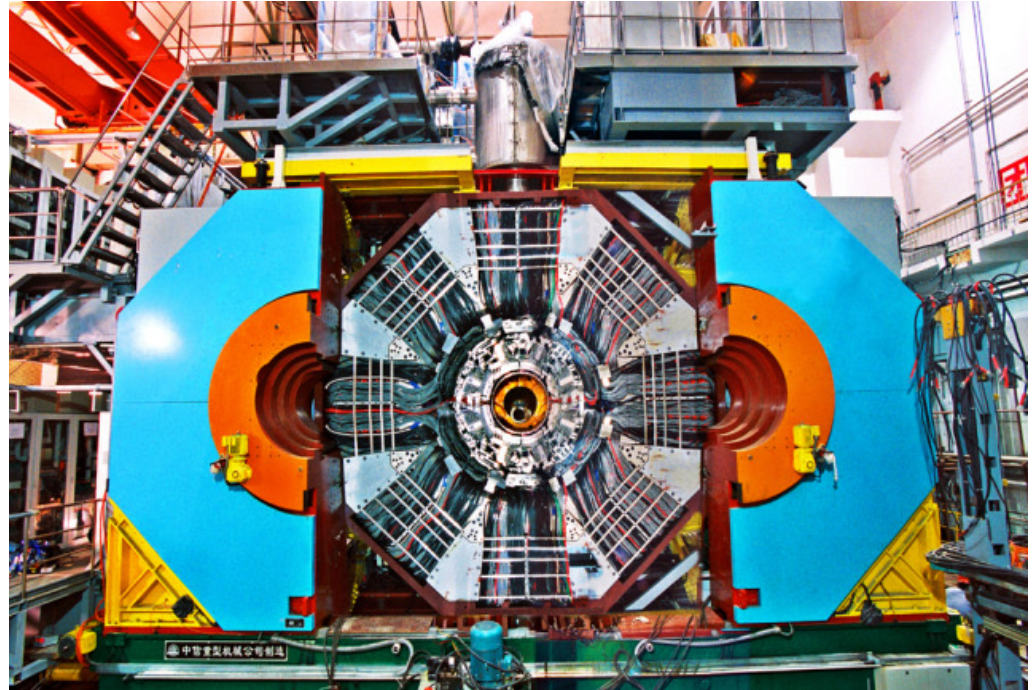
# Charm baryon physics at BESIII

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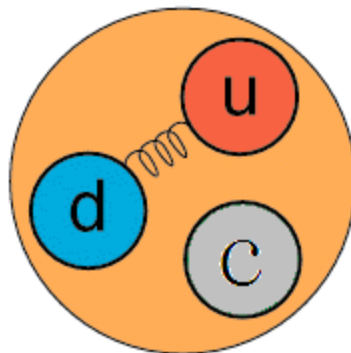
# $\Lambda_c^+$ cornerstone of charmed baryon spectroscopy

## Quark model picture:

a heavy quark ( $c$ ) with a unexcited spin-zero diquark ( $u-d$ )

Heavy Quark Effective Theory

predicts that  $\Lambda_c$  may provide more powerful test on internal dynamics than  $D/D_s$



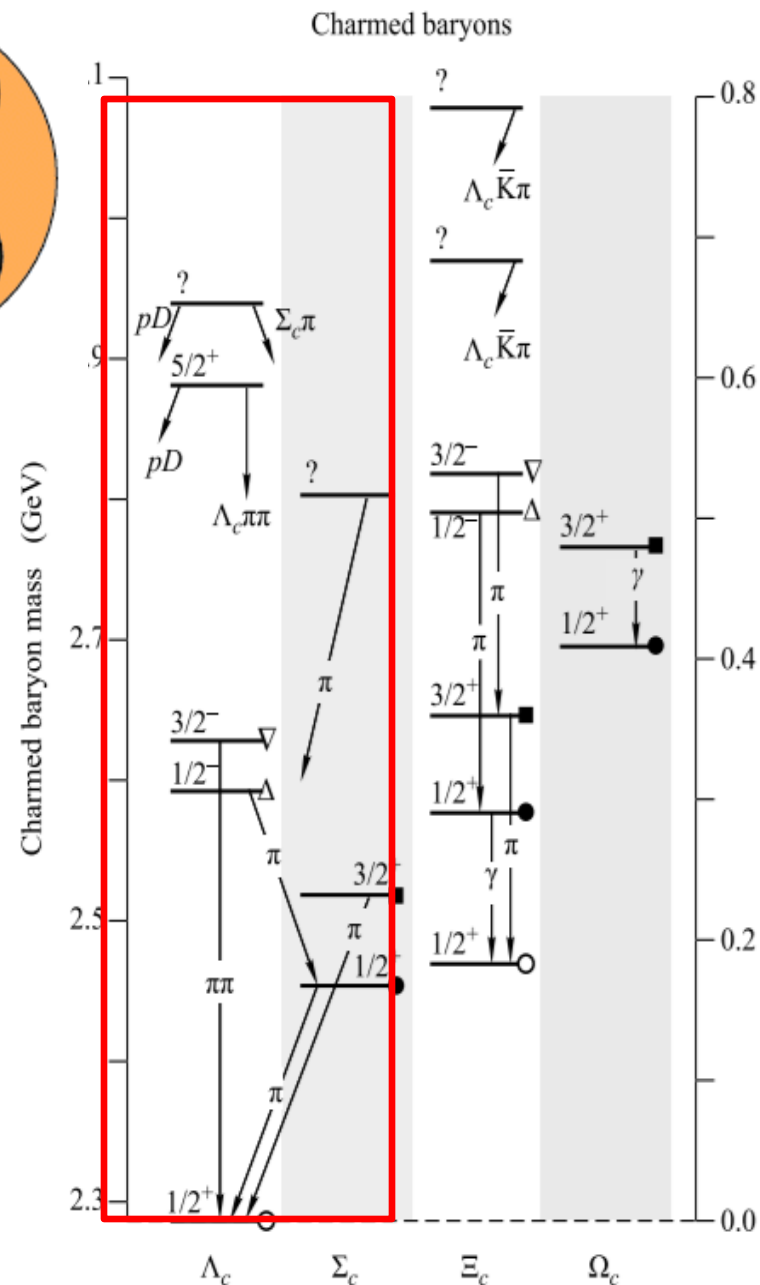
## Cornerstone of charmed baryons:

$\Lambda_c^+$  is the lightest charmed baryon, most of charmed baryons will eventually decay to  $\Lambda_c$

Essential input for study the decays of  $b$ -flavored hadrons involving  $\Lambda_c$  in final state

## Status of $\Lambda_c^+$ measurement [PDG2015]:

- poorly understood compared to charm mesons total  $BF \sim 60\%$ , large uncertainties ( $>20\%$ )
- Relative measurement
- No neutron mode has been observed yet.



# $\Lambda_c^+$ Measurements [PDG2015]

$\Delta B/B$   
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$\Lambda_c^+$ DECAY MODES	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i/\Gamma$ )	Scale factor/ Confidence level	$\Delta B/B$
<b>Hadronic modes with a <math>p</math>: <math>S = -1</math> final states</b>			
$p\bar{K}^0$	( 3.21 ± 0.30 ) %		9.3%
$pK^-\pi^+$	( 6.84 <sup>+0.32</sup> <sub>-0.40</sub> ) %		5.8%
$p\bar{K}^*(892)^0$	[q] ( 2.13 ± 0.30 ) %		14.1%
$\Delta(1232)^{++}K^-$	( 1.18 ± 0.27 ) %		22.9%
$\Lambda(1520)\pi^+$	[q] ( 2.4 ± 0.6 ) %		25.0%
$pK^-\pi^+$ nonresonant	( 3.8 ± 0.4 ) %		10.5%
$p\bar{K}^0\pi^0$	( 4.5 ± 0.6 ) %		13.3%
$p\bar{K}^0\eta$	( 1.7 ± 0.4 ) %		23.5%
$p\bar{K}^0\pi^+\pi^-$	( 3.5 ± 0.4 ) %		11.4%
$pK^-\pi^+\pi^0$	( 4.6 ± 0.8 ) %		13.0%
$pK^*(892)^-\pi^+$	[q] ( 1.5 ± 0.5 ) %		33.3%
$p(K^-\pi^+)_{\text{nonresonant}}\pi^0$	( 5.0 ± 0.9 ) %		18.0%
$\Delta(1232)K^*(892)$	seen		
$pK^-\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$	( 1.5 ± 1.0 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		66.7%
$pK^-\pi^+\pi^0\pi^0$	( 1.1 ± 0.5 ) %		45.4%
<b>Hadronic modes with a <math>p</math>: <math>S = 0</math> final states</b>			
$p\pi^+\pi^-$	( 4.7 ± 2.5 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		45.4%
$p f_0(980)$	[q] ( 3.8 ± 2.5 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		53.2%
$p\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	( 2.5 ± 1.6 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		64.0%
$pK^+K^-$	( 1.1 ± 0.4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		36.4%
$p\phi$	[q] ( 1.12 ± 0.23 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		
$pK^+K^-$ non- $\phi$	( 4.8 ± 1.9 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		
<b>Hadronic modes with a hyperon: <math>S = -1</math> final states</b>			
$\Lambda\pi^+$	( 1.46 ± 0.13 ) %		8.9%
$\Lambda\pi^+\pi^0$	( 5.0 ± 1.3 ) %		26.0%
$\Lambda\rho^+$	< 6 %	CL=95%	
$\Lambda\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$	( 3.59 ± 0.28 ) %		7.8%
$\Sigma(1385)^+\pi^+\pi^-, \Sigma^{*+} \rightarrow$	( 1.0 ± 0.5 ) %		20.0%
$\Lambda\pi^+$			
$\Sigma(1385)^-\pi^+\pi^+, \Sigma^{*-} \rightarrow$	( 7.5 ± 1.4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		18.7%
$\Lambda\pi^-$			
<b>Hadronic modes with a hyperon: <math>S = 0</math> final states</b>			
$\Lambda K^+$	( 6.9 ± 1.4 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		20.3%
$\Lambda K^+\pi^+\pi^-$	< 6 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Sigma^0 K^+$	( 5.7 ± 1.0 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		17.5%
$\Sigma^0 K^+\pi^+\pi^-$	< 2.9 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Sigma^+ K^+\pi^-$	( 2.3 ± 0.7 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		30.4%
$\Sigma^+ K^*(892)^0$	[q] ( 3.8 ± 1.2 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		31.6%
$\Sigma^- K^+\pi^+$	< 1.3 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	CL=90%	
<b>Doubly Cabibbo-suppressed modes</b>			
$pK^+\pi^-$	< 3.1 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
<b>Semileptonic modes</b>			
$\Lambda\ell^+\nu_\ell$	[r] ( 2.8 ± 0.4 ) %		17.2%
$\Lambda e^+\nu_e$	( 2.9 ± 0.5 ) %		22.2%
$\Lambda\mu^+\nu_\mu$	( 2.7 ± 0.6 ) %		

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- ✓ Total branching fraction ~60%.
- ✓ Lots of unknown decay channels
- ✓ Quite large uncertainties (>20%)
- ✓ Most BFs are measured relative to  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$

# $\Lambda_c^+$ Measurements [PDG2022]

衰变分支比测量精度  $\Delta B/B$

$\Lambda_c^+$ DECAY MODES	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i/\Gamma$ )	Confidence	
<b>Hadronic modes with a <math>\rho</math> or <math>n</math>: <math>S = -1</math> final states</b>			
$\rho K_S^0 \pi^+$	( 1.59 ± 0.08 ) %	S=1.1	5.0%
$\rho K_S^0 \pi^+$	( 6.28 ± 0.32 ) %	S=1.4	5.1%
$\rho \bar{K}^*(892)^0$	[r] ( 1.96 ± 0.27 ) %		13.8%
$\Delta(1232)^{++} K^-$	( 1.08 ± 0.25 ) %		23.1%
$\Lambda(1520) \pi^+$	[r] ( 2.2 ± 0.5 ) %		22.7%
$\rho K^- \pi^+$ nonresonant	( 3.5 ± 0.4 ) %		11.5%
$\rho K_S^0 \pi^0$	( 1.97 ± 0.13 ) %	S=1.1	6.6%
$n K_S^0 \pi^+$	( 1.82 ± 0.25 ) %		13.7%
$\rho \bar{K}^0 \eta$	( 8.3 ± 1.8 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		21.7%
$\rho K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	( 1.60 ± 0.12 ) %	S=1.1	7.5%
$\rho K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	( 4.46 ± 0.30 ) %	S=1.5	6.8%
$\rho K^*(892)^- \pi^+$	[r] ( 1.4 ± 0.5 ) %		35.7%
$\rho(K^- \pi^+)_{\text{nonresonant}} \pi^0$	( 4.6 ± 0.8 ) %		17.4%
$\Delta(1232) \bar{K}^*(892)$	seen		
$\rho K^- 2\pi^+ \pi^-$	( 1.4 ± 0.9 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		64.3%
$\rho K^- \pi^+ 2\pi^0$	( 1.0 ± 0.5 ) %		50.0%
<b>Hadronic modes with a <math>\rho</math>: <math>S = 0</math> final states</b>			
$\rho \pi^0$	< 8 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>	CL=90%	8.4%
$\rho \eta$	( 1.42 ± 0.12 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		13.2%
$\rho \omega(782)^0$	( 8.3 ± 1.1 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		6.0%
$\rho \pi^+ \pi^-$	( 4.61 ± 0.28 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		65.7%
$\rho f_0(980)$	[r] ( 3.5 ± 2.3 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		60.8%
$\rho 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$	( 2.3 ± 1.4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		5.6%
$\rho K^+ K^-$	( 1.06 ± 0.06 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		13.2%
$\rho \phi$	[r] ( 1.06 ± 0.14 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		22.6%
$\rho K^+ K^- \text{ non-}\phi$	( 5.3 ± 1.2 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		40.0%
$\rho \phi \pi^0$	( 10 ± 4 ) × 10 <sup>-5</sup>		
$\rho K^+ K^- \pi^0$ nonresonant	< 6.3 × 10 <sup>-5</sup>	CL=90%	
<b>Inclusive modes</b>			
$e^+$ anything	( 3.95 ± 0.35 ) %		8.9%
$p$ anything	( 50 ± 16 ) %		32.0%
$n$ anything	( 50 ± 16 ) %		32.0%
$\Lambda$ anything	( 38.2 ± 2.9 / 2.4 ) %		~7.0%
$K_S^0$ anything	( 9.9 ± 0.7 ) %		7.1%
3prongs	( 24 ± 8 ) %		33.3%

<b>Hadronic modes with a hyperon: <math>S = -1</math> final states</b>			
$\Lambda \pi^+$	( 1.30 ± 0.07 ) %	S=1.1	5.4%
$\Lambda(1670) \pi^+, \Lambda(1670) \rightarrow \eta \Lambda$	( 3.5 ± 0.5 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		14.3%
$\Lambda \pi^+ \pi^0$	( 7.1 ± 0.4 ) %	S=1.1	5.6%
$\Lambda \rho^+$	< 6 %	CL=95%	
$\Lambda \pi^- 2\pi^+$	( 3.64 ± 0.29 ) %	S=1.4	8.0%
$\Sigma(1385)^+ \pi^+ \pi^-, \Sigma^{*+} \rightarrow$	( 1.0 ± 0.5 ) %		50.0%
$\Lambda \pi^+$			
$\Sigma(1385)^- 2\pi^+, \Sigma^{*-} \rightarrow$	( 7.6 ± 1.4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		18.4%
$\Lambda \pi^+ \rho^0$	( 1.5 ± 0.6 ) %		40.0%
$\Sigma(1385)^+ \rho^0, \Sigma^{*+} \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^+$	( 5 ± 4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		80.0%
$\Lambda \pi^- 2\pi^+$ nonresonant	< 1.1 %	CL=90%	
$\Lambda \pi^- \pi^0 2\pi^+$ total	( 2.3 ± 0.8 ) %		34.8%
$\Lambda \pi^+ \eta$	[r] ( 1.84 ± 0.26 ) %		14.1%
$\Sigma(1385)^+ \eta$	[r] ( 9.1 ± 2.0 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		21.9%
$\Lambda \pi^+ \omega$	[r] ( 1.5 ± 0.5 ) %		33.3%
$\Lambda \pi^- \pi^0 2\pi^+, \text{ no } \eta \text{ or } \omega$	< 8 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Lambda K^+ \bar{K}^0$	( 5.7 ± 1.1 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	S=1.9	19.3%
$\Xi(1690)^0 K^+, \Xi^{*0} \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{K}^0$	( 1.6 ± 0.5 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		31.2%
$\Sigma^0 \pi^+$	( 1.29 ± 0.07 ) %	S=1.1	5.4%
$\Sigma^0 \pi^+ \eta$	( 7.5 ± 0.8 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		10.7%
$\Sigma^+ \pi^0$	( 1.25 ± 0.10 ) %		8.0%
$\Sigma^+ \eta$	( 4.4 ± 2.0 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		45.4%
$\Sigma^+ \eta'$	( 1.5 ± 0.6 ) %		40.0%
$\Sigma^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	( 4.50 ± 0.25 ) %	S=1.3	5.6%
$\Sigma^+ \rho^0$	< 1.7 %	CL=95%	
$\Sigma^- 2\pi^+$	( 1.87 ± 0.18 ) %		9.6%
$\Sigma^0 \pi^+ \pi^0$	( 3.5 ± 0.4 ) %		11.4%
$\Sigma^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$	( 1.55 ± 0.15 ) %		9.7%
$\Sigma^0 \pi^- 2\pi^+$	( 1.11 ± 0.30 ) %		27.0%
$\Sigma^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	—		
$\Sigma^+ \omega$	[r] ( 1.70 ± 0.21 ) %		12.4%
$\Sigma^- \pi^0 2\pi^+$	( 2.1 ± 0.4 ) %		19.0%
$\Sigma^+ K^+ K^-$	( 3.5 ± 0.4 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	S=1.1	11.4%
$\Sigma^+ \phi$	[r] ( 3.9 ± 0.6 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	S=1.1	15.4%
$\Xi(1690)^0 K^+, \Xi^{*0} \rightarrow$	( 1.02 ± 0.25 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		24.5%
$\Sigma^+ K^-$			
$\Sigma^+ K^+ K^-$ nonresonant	< 8 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Xi^0 K^+$	( 5.5 ± 0.7 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		12.7%
$\Xi^- K^+ \pi^+$	( 6.2 ± 0.6 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	S=1.1	9.7%
$\Xi(1530)^0 K^+$	( 4.3 ± 0.9 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	S=1.1	20.9%

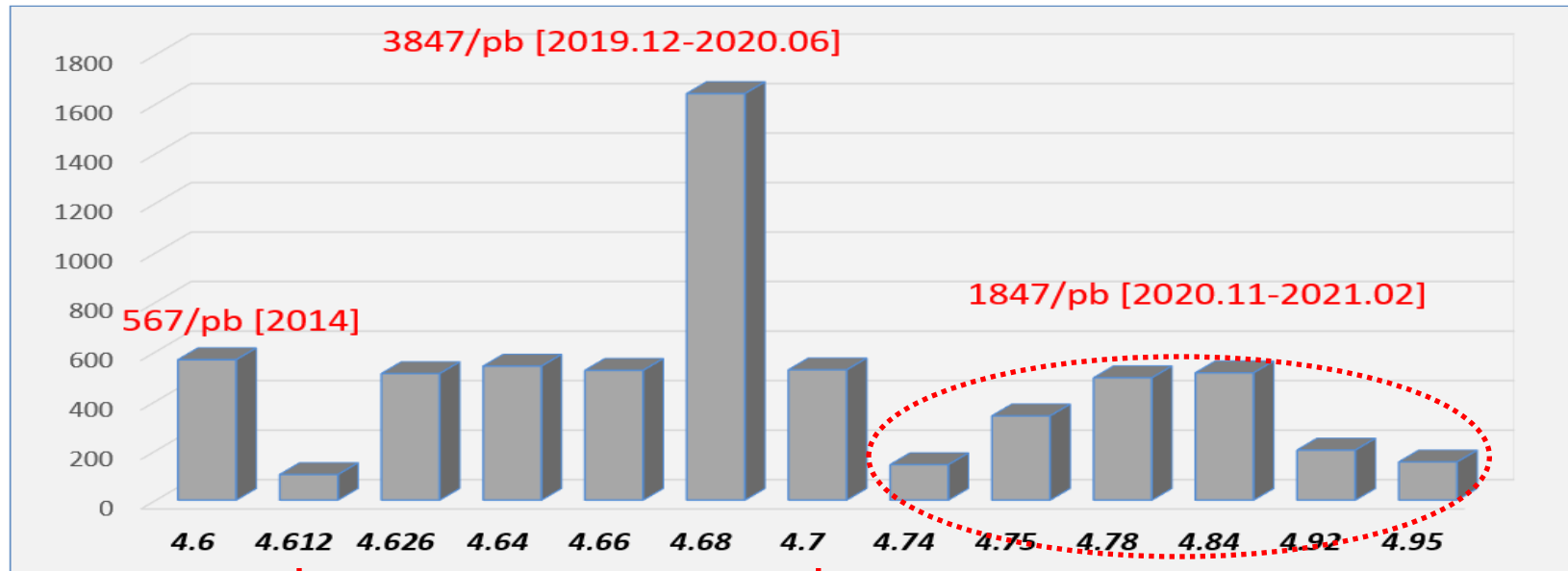
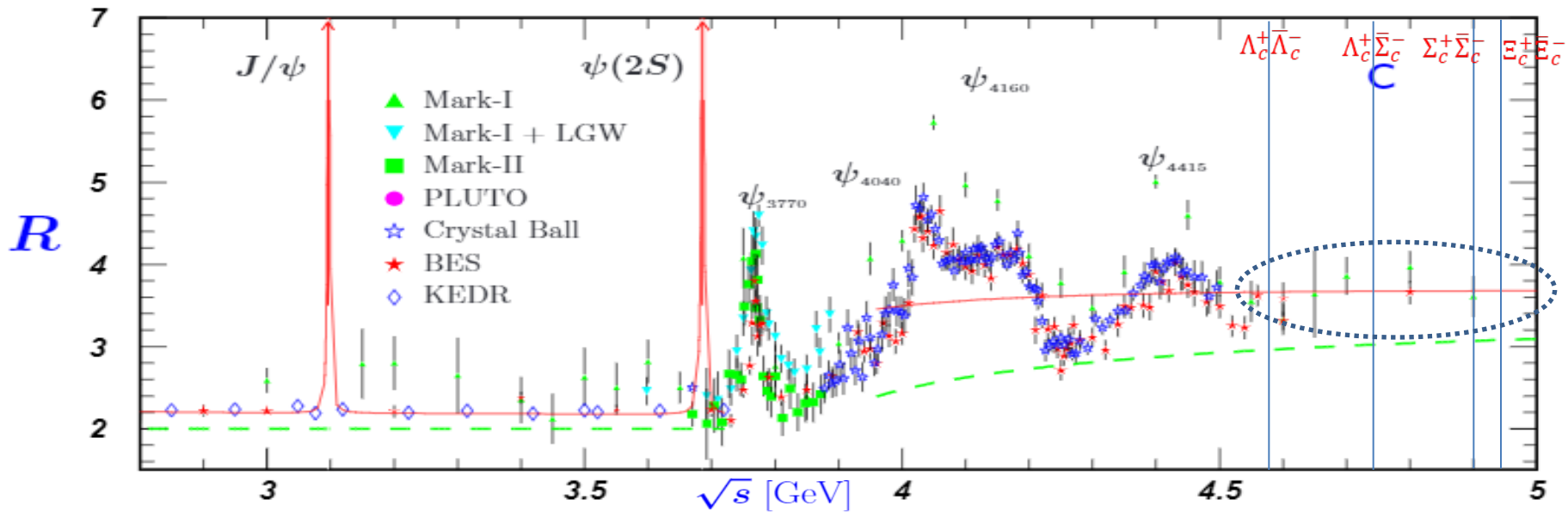
<b>Hadronic modes with a hyperon: <math>S = 0</math> final states</b>			
$\Lambda K^+$	( 6.1 ± 1.2 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		19.7%
$\Lambda K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	< 5 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Sigma^0 K^+$	( 5.2 ± 0.8 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		15.4%
$\Sigma^0 K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	< 2.6 × 10 <sup>-4</sup>	CL=90%	
$\Sigma^+ K^+ \pi^-$	( 2.1 ± 0.6 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		28.6%
$\Sigma^+ K^*(892)^0$	[r] ( 3.5 ± 1.0 ) × 10 <sup>-3</sup>		28.6%
$\Sigma^- K^+ \pi^+$	< 1.2 × 10 <sup>-3</sup>	CL=90%	

<b>Doubly Cabibbo-suppressed modes</b>			
$\rho K^+ \pi^-$	( 1.11 ± 0.18 ) × 10 <sup>-4</sup>		16.2%

<b>Semileptonic modes</b>			
$\Lambda e^+ \nu_e$	( 3.6 ± 0.4 ) %		11.1%
$\Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	( 3.5 ± 0.5 ) %		14.3%

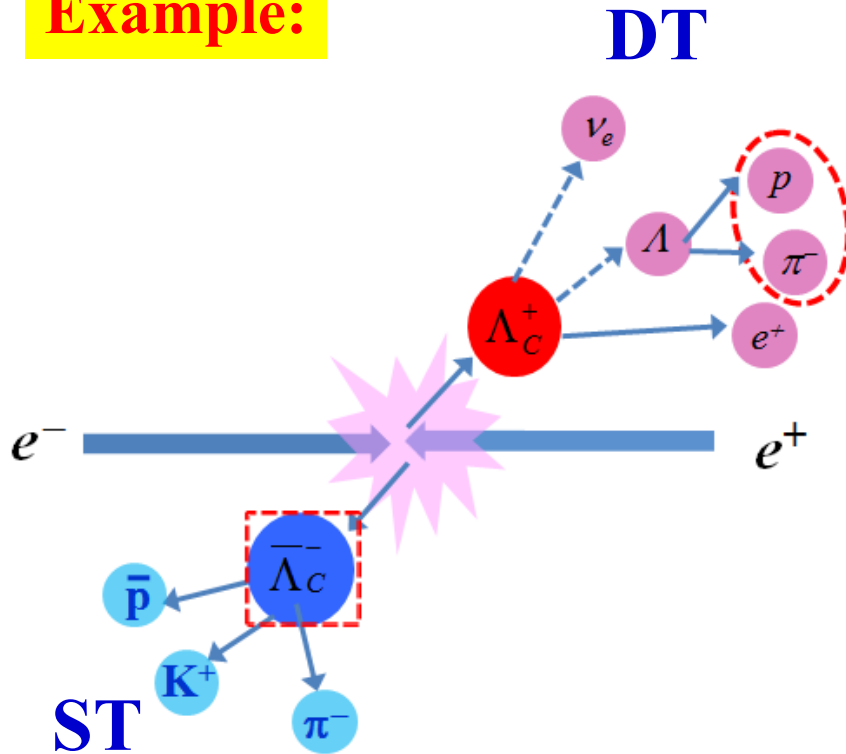
Measurements for  $\Lambda_c^+$  decays are greatly improved, with great efforts from BESIII, LHCb and Belle.

# Data sets for charm baryon studies at BESIII



# DT Technique

**Example:**



✓ Single Tags (ST)

$$M_{\text{BC}} = \sqrt{E_{\text{beam}}^2 - |\vec{p}_{\bar{\Lambda}_c^-}|^2}$$

✓ Double Tags (DT)

$$U_{\text{miss}} = E_{\text{miss}} - c|\vec{p}_{\text{miss}}|$$

✓ Branching Fraction (BF)

$$\mathcal{B}_{\text{SL}} = \frac{N^{\text{semi}}}{N^{\text{tag}} \times \epsilon}$$

**Clean sample of ST charmed baryons can be fully reconstructed by hadronic decays with large BFs. Based on this, one can access to absolute BFs and dynamics in the decays.**

# Reconstruction of $\Lambda_c$ ST baryons

## Fourteen ST modes:

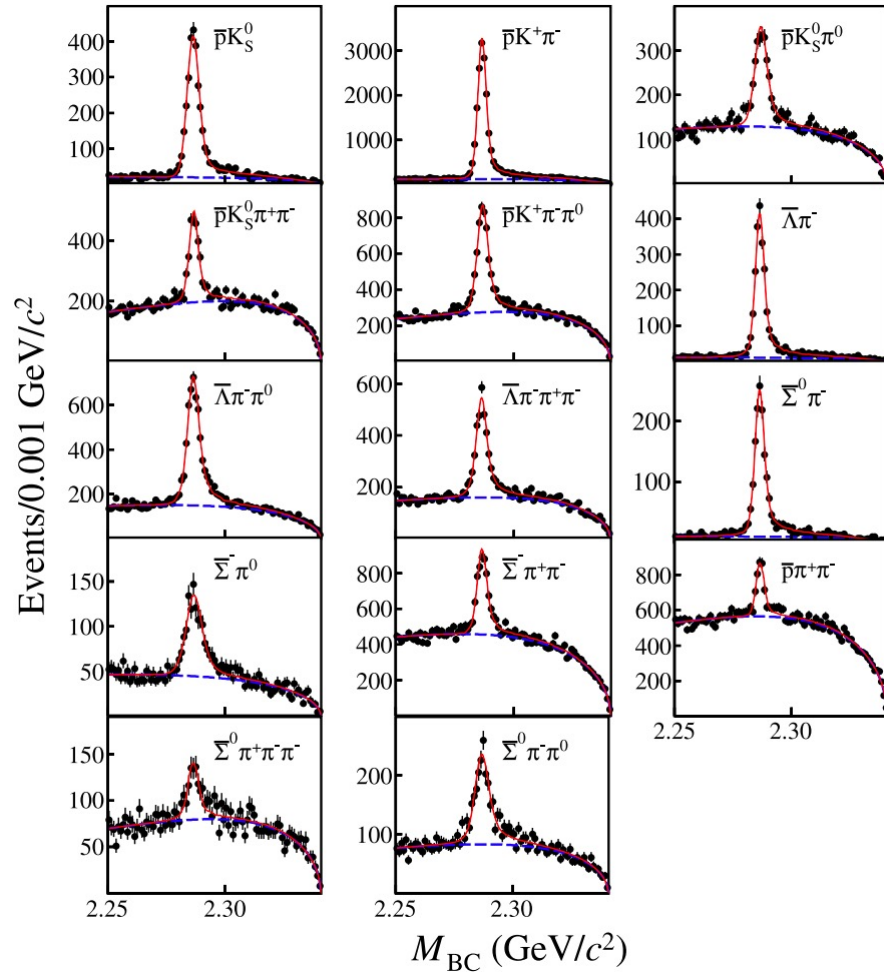
$\bar{\Lambda}_c^- \rightarrow$	Branching fraction	PDG2022
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0$	$(3.18 \pm 0.16)\%$	} ~45%
$\bar{p}K^+\pi^-$	$(6.28 \pm 0.32)\%$	
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0\pi^0$	$(3.94 \pm 0.26)\%$	
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0\pi^+\pi^-$	$(3.20 \pm 0.24)\%$	
$\bar{p}K^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$(4.46 \pm 0.30)\%$	
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-$	$(1.30 \pm 0.07)\%$	
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-\pi^0$	$(7.10 \pm 0.40)\%$	
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$(3.64 \pm 0.29)\%$	
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^-$	$(1.29 \pm 0.07)\%$	
$\bar{\Sigma}^-\pi^0$	$(1.25 \pm 0.10)\%$	
$\bar{\Sigma}^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$(4.50 \pm 0.25)\%$	
$\bar{p}^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$(0.46 \pm 0.03)\%$	
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	$(1.11 \pm 0.30)\%$	
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^-\pi^0$	$(3.50 \pm 0.40)\%$	

Currently, the total measured BF's for  $\Lambda_c$  decays is roughly 70%.



# Reconstruction of $\Lambda_c$ ST baryons

- The  $M_{BC}$  distributions at  $\sqrt{s} = 4.68$  GeV.



Mode	$\Delta E$ (GeV)	$N_{ST}$
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0$	$[-0.031, 0.033]$	$7688 \pm 98$
$\bar{p}K^+\pi^-$	$[-0.030, 0.039]$	$45842 \pm 235$
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0\pi^0$	$[-0.049, 0.052]$	$4448 \pm 109$
$\bar{p}\bar{K}^0\pi^+\pi^-$	$[-0.048, 0.049]$	$4962 \pm 110$
$\bar{p}K^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$[-0.043, 0.051]$	$10670 \pm 161$
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-$	$[-0.031, 0.034]$	$6089 \pm 82$
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-\pi^0$	$[-0.044, 0.057]$	$11933 \pm 143$
$\bar{\Lambda}\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$[-0.043, 0.045]$	$7163 \pm 122$
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^-$	$[-0.032, 0.040]$	$3883 \pm 69$
$\bar{\Sigma}^-\pi^0$	$[-0.050, 0.060]$	$2289 \pm 70$
$\bar{\Sigma}^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$[-0.043, 0.052]$	$8206 \pm 161$
$\bar{p}^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$[-0.040, 0.040]$	$4199 \pm 139$
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	$[-0.030, 0.030]$	$1290 \pm 64$
$\bar{\Sigma}^0\pi^-\pi^0$	$[-0.030, 0.032]$	$3606 \pm 90$

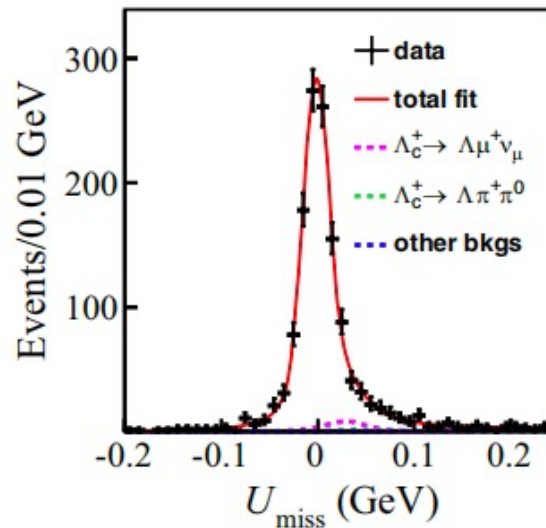
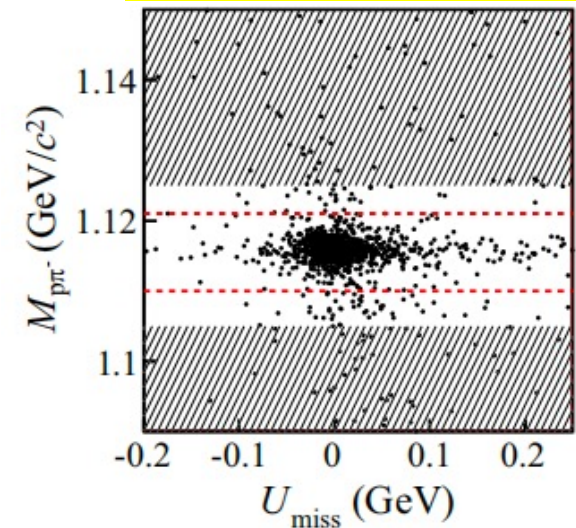
**Totally,  $122\ 268 \pm 474$  ST events are reconstructed with 14 ST modes.**

# Study of $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$

- The measurement is done with 4.4/fb data from  $\sqrt{s} = 4.6 - 4.7$  GeV.
- The precision of the BF is improved by threefold, providing necessary inputs for testing various theoretical models.
- The first determination of form factors in  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$  decays.

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$N^{DT} = 1253 \pm 39$



Comparisons between measurement and theoretical predictions.

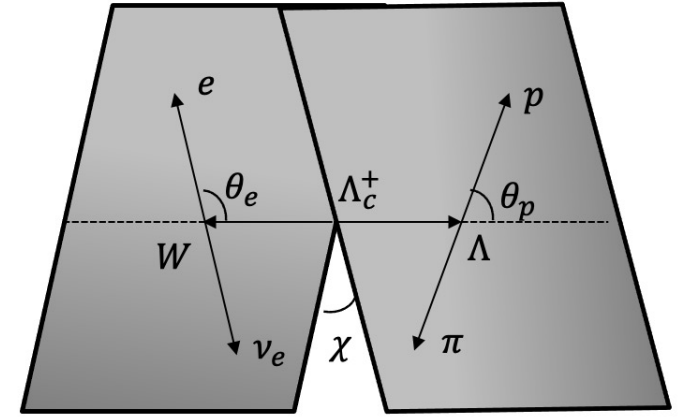
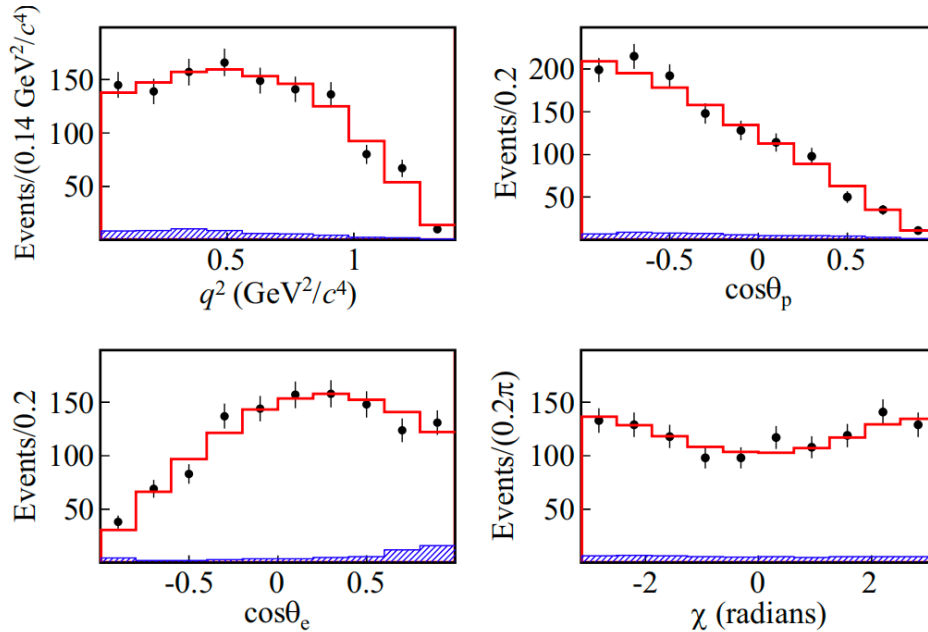
	$B(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e)$ (%)
Constituent quark model (HONR) [9]	4.25 ×
Light-front approach [10]	1.63 ×
Covariant quark model [11]	2.78 ×
Relativistic quark model [12]	3.25 ×
Non-relativistic quark model [13]	3.84
Light-cone sum rule [14]	$3.0 \pm 0.3$
Lattice QCD [15]	$3.80 \pm 0.22$
$SU(3)$ [16]	$3.6 \pm 0.4$
Light-front constituent quark model [17]	$3.36 \pm 0.87$
MIT bag model [17]	3.48
Light-front quark model [18]	$4.04 \pm 0.75$
This Letter	$3.56 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.07$

$$B[\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e] = (3.56 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.07)\%$$

# Study of the kinematics in $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$ decay:

$$\frac{d^4\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_e d\cos\theta_p d\chi} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{2(2\pi)^4} \cdot \frac{Pq^2}{24M_{\Lambda_c}^2} \left\{ \frac{3}{8} (1 - \cos\theta_e)^2 |H_{\frac{1}{2}1}|^2 (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) + \frac{3}{8} (1 + \cos\theta_e)^2 |H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1}|^2 (1 - \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) \right. \\ \left. + \frac{3}{4} \sin^2\theta_e [|H_{\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 (1 - \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p)] + \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}} \alpha_\Lambda \cos\chi \sin\theta_e \sin\theta_p \right. \\ \left. \times [(1 - \cos\theta_e) H_{-\frac{1}{2}0} H_{\frac{1}{2}1} + (1 + \cos\theta_e) H_{\frac{1}{2}0} H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1}] \right\}$$

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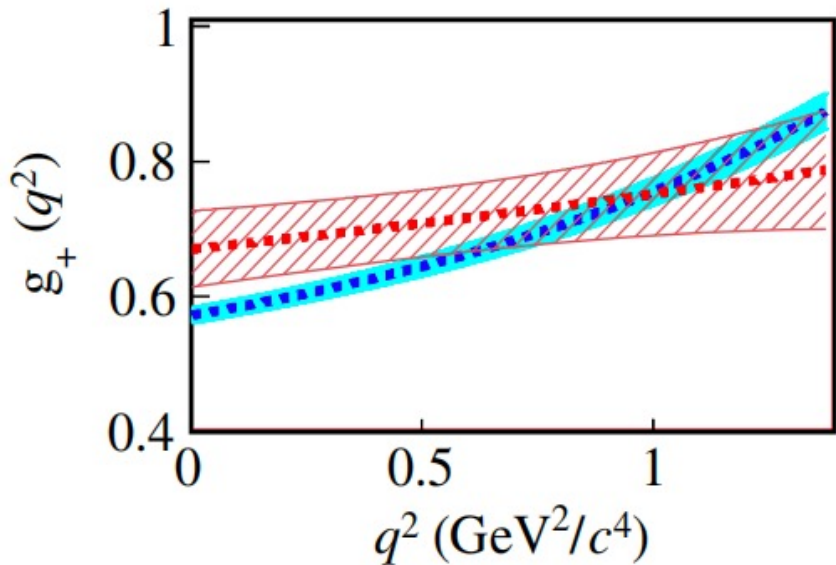
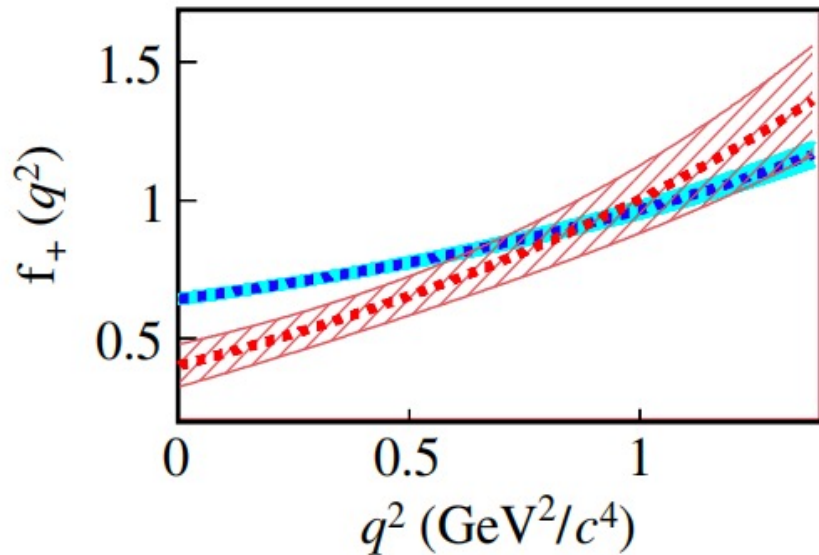
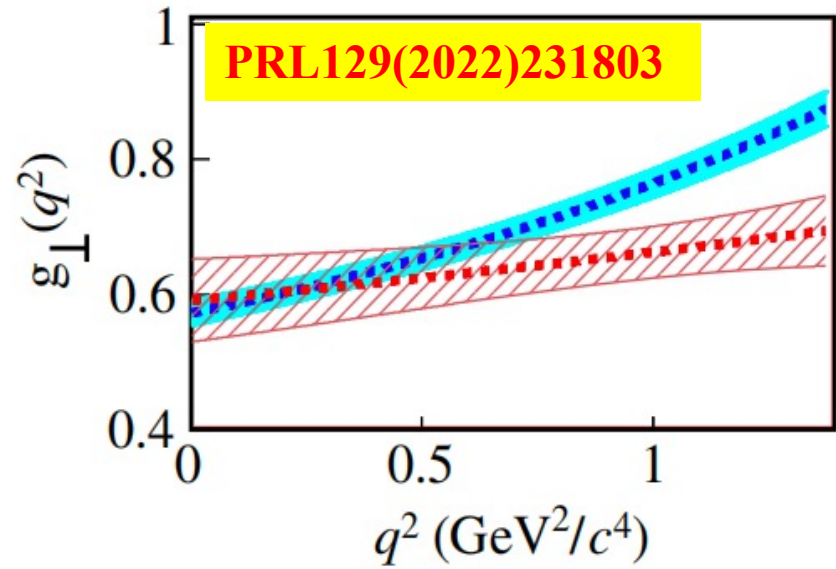
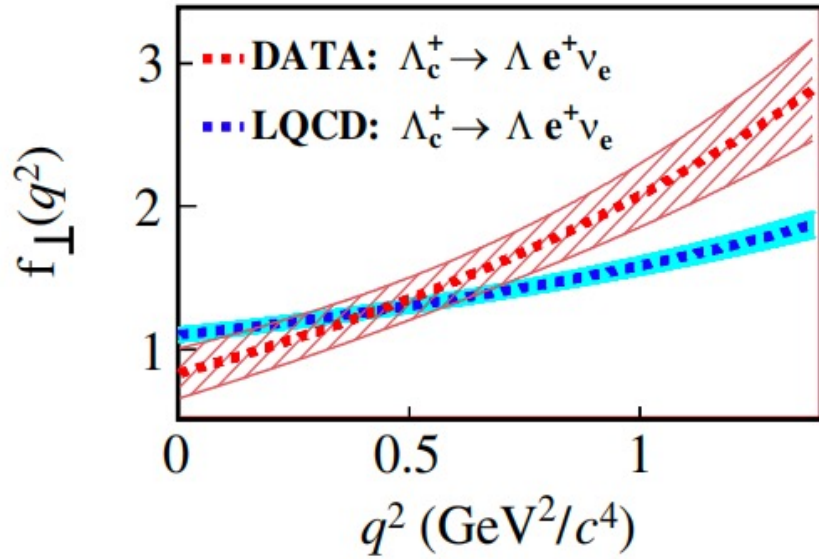
Parameters	$\alpha_1^{q_+}$	$\alpha_1^{q_-}$	$r_{f_+}$	$r_{f_\perp}$	$r_{g_+}$
Values	$1.43 \pm 2.09 \pm 0.16$	$-8.15 \pm 1.58 \pm 0.05$	$1.75 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.01$	$3.62 \pm 0.65 \pm 0.02$	$1.13 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.01$
Coefficients	$\alpha_0^{q_+}$	$\alpha_0^{q_-}$	$r_{f_+}$	$r_{f_\perp}$	$r_{g_+}$
$\alpha_0^{q_+}$	-0.64	0.60	-0.66	-0.83	-0.40
$\alpha_0^{q_-}$		-0.63	0.62	0.53	-0.33
$\alpha_1^{q_+}$			-0.79	-0.67	-0.07
$r_{f_+}$				0.57	-0.09
$r_{f_\perp}$					0.39

$$H_{\frac{1}{2}1}^V = \sqrt{2Q_-} f_\perp(q^2), \quad H_{\frac{1}{2}1}^A = \sqrt{2Q_+} g_\perp(q^2),$$

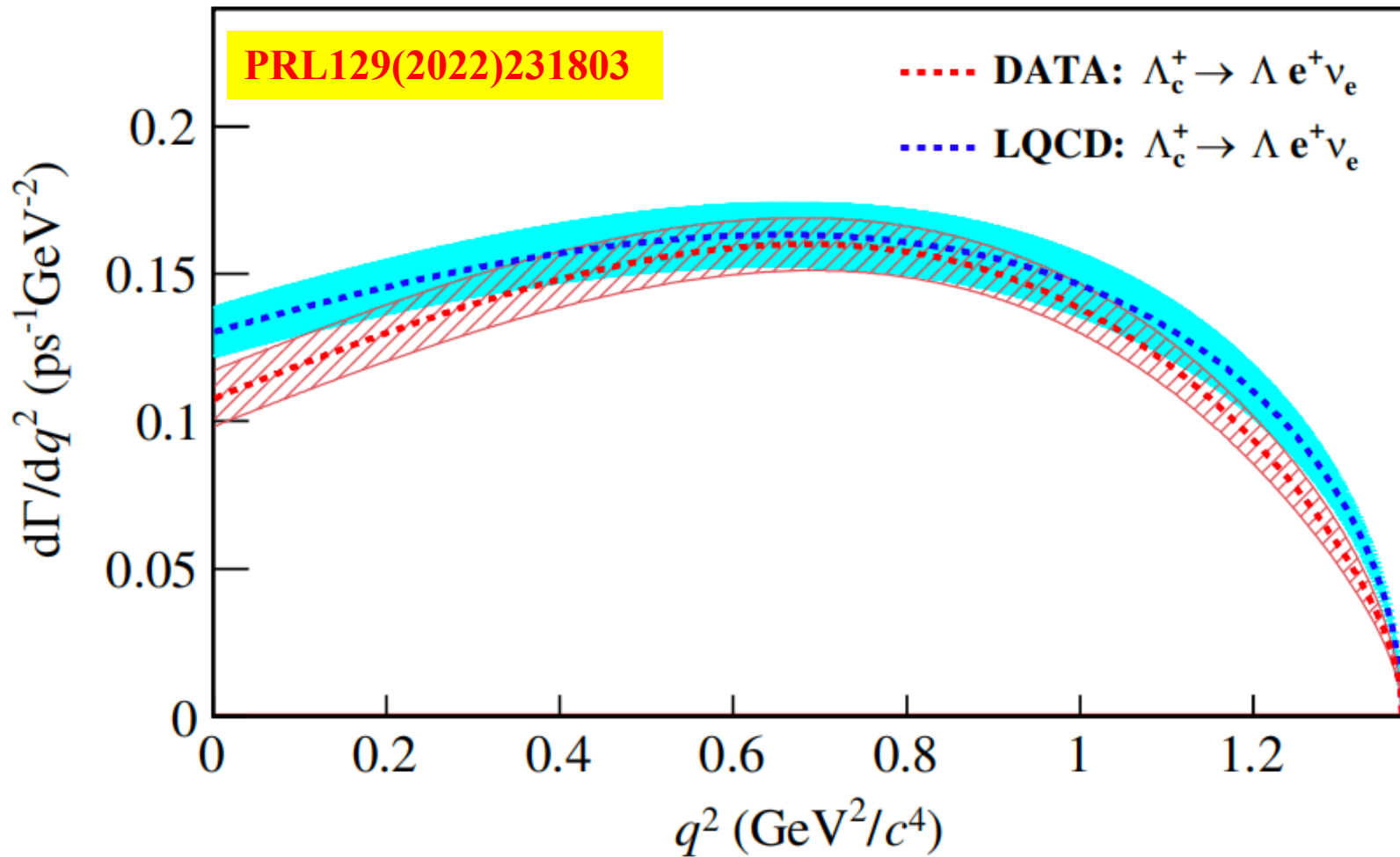
□ Helicity amplitude:  $H_{\frac{1}{2}0}^V = \sqrt{Q_-/q^2} f_+(q^2) (M_{\Lambda_c} + M_\Lambda),$

$$H_{\frac{1}{2}0}^A = \sqrt{Q_+/q^2} g_+(q^2) (M_{\Lambda_c} - M_\Lambda),$$

# Comparisons between data and LQCD prediction

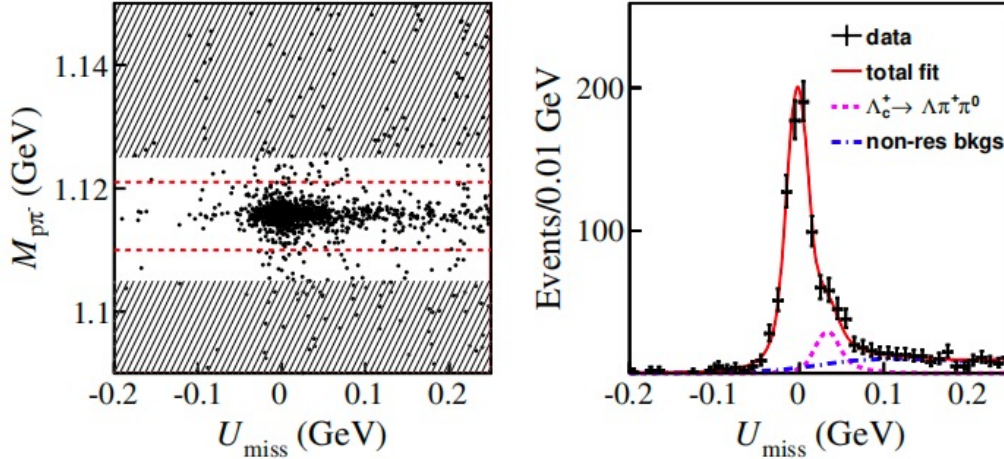


## Comparisons between data and LQCD prediction



# Study of $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

- The precision of the BF is improved by threefold, providing necessary inputs for testing various theoretical models. arXiv: 2306.02624



$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu) = (3.48 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.10)\%$$

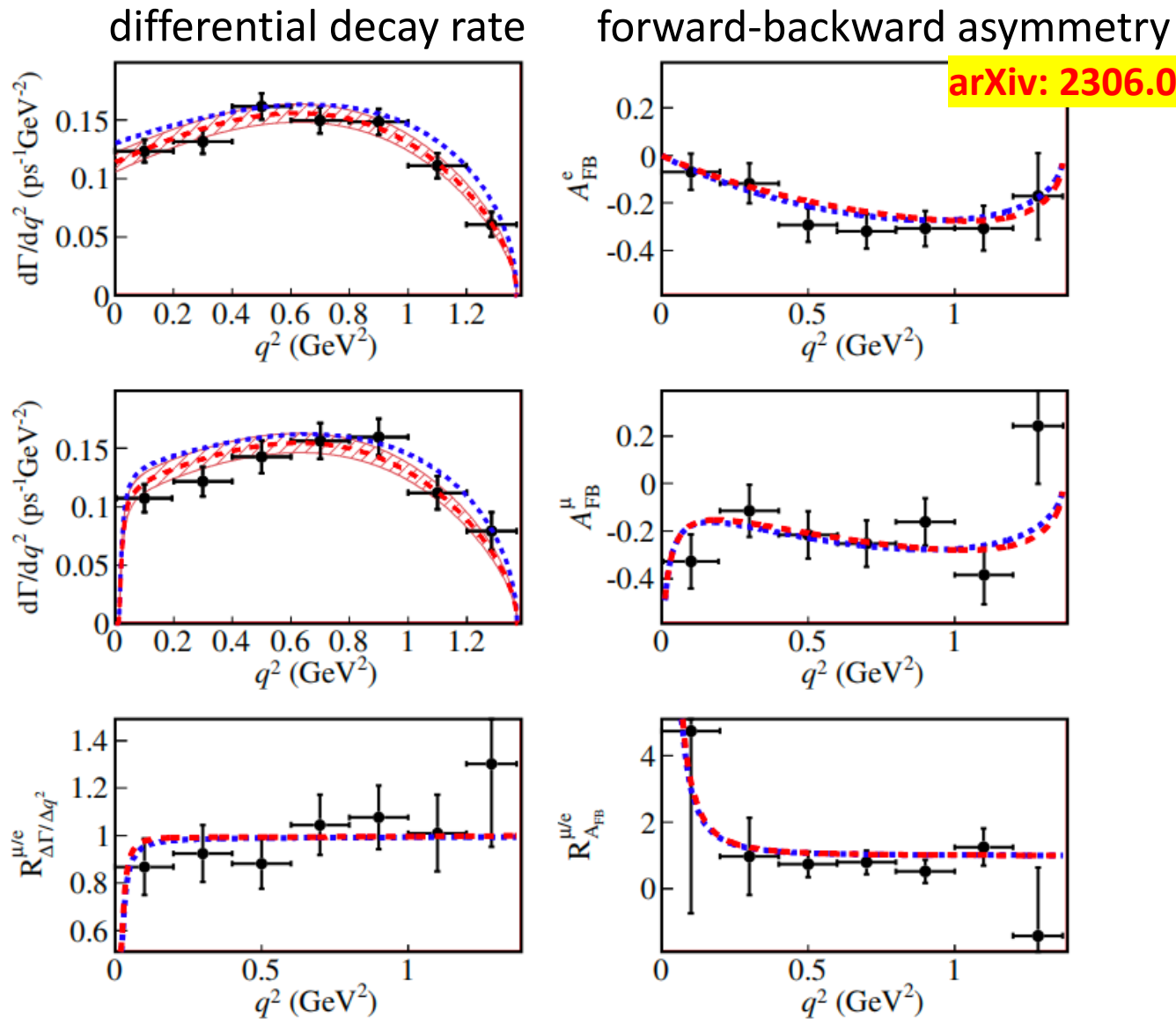
	$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu)$ [%]
Covariant quark model [20]	2.69
Relativistic quark model [21]	3.14
Constituent quark model (HONR) [47]	4.25
Non-relativistic quark model [48]	3.72
Lattice QCD [30]	$3.69 \pm 0.22$
Light-cone sum rule [49]	$3.0 \pm 0.3$
$SU(3)$ [25]	$3.5 \pm 0.5$
Light-front constituent quark model [27]	$3.21 \pm 0.85$
MIT bag model [27]	3.38
Light-front quark model [22]	$3.90 \pm 0.73$
This work	$3.48 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.10$

- The differential decay rate and forward-backward asymmetry in the lepton system are measured for the first time, to provide data for the test of the LFU using the charmed baryon SL decays.

$$\Delta\Gamma_i = \int_i \frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} dq^2 = \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{bins}}} (\epsilon^{-1})_{ij} N_{\text{DT}}^j / (\tau_{\Lambda_c} \times N^{\text{ST}})$$

$$A_{\text{FB}}^\ell(q^2) = \frac{\int_0^1 \frac{d^2\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_\ell} d\cos\theta_\ell - \int_{-1}^0 \frac{d^2\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_\ell} d\cos\theta_\ell}{\int_0^1 \frac{d^2\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_\ell} d\cos\theta_\ell + \int_{-1}^0 \frac{d^2\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_\ell} d\cos\theta_\ell}$$

# Test of LFU with $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$



- No clear evidence for the LFU is found in current data size.

# Observation of $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-e^+\nu_e$

□ The new observed SL decay mode:

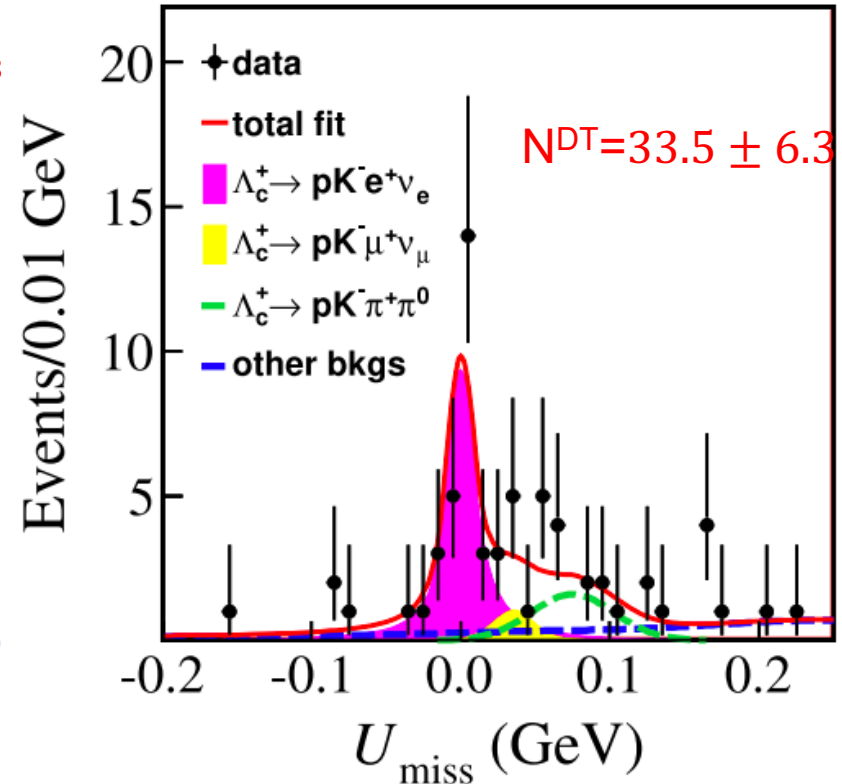
$$BF(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-e^+\nu_e) = (0.88 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-3}$$

Significance:  $8.2\sigma$

□ This work provide a clear confirmation that the SL  $\Lambda_c^+$  decays are not saturated by the  $\Lambda\ell^+\nu_\ell$  final state.

□ Study of  $pK^-$  mass spectrum can be used to understand the nature of excited  $\Lambda^*$  states.

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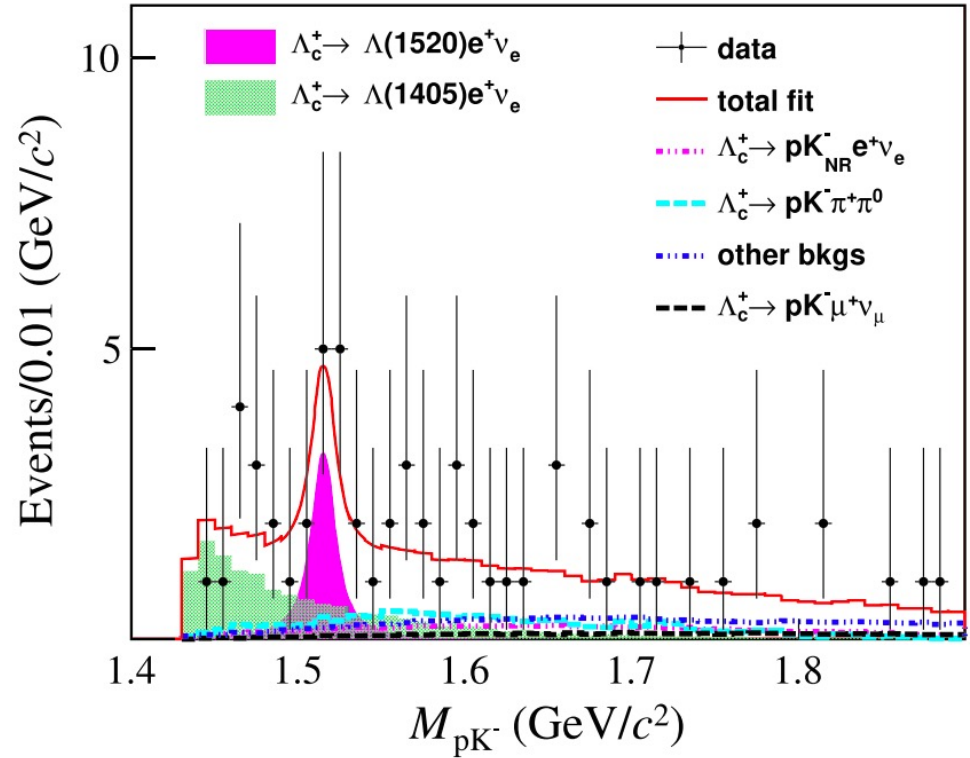
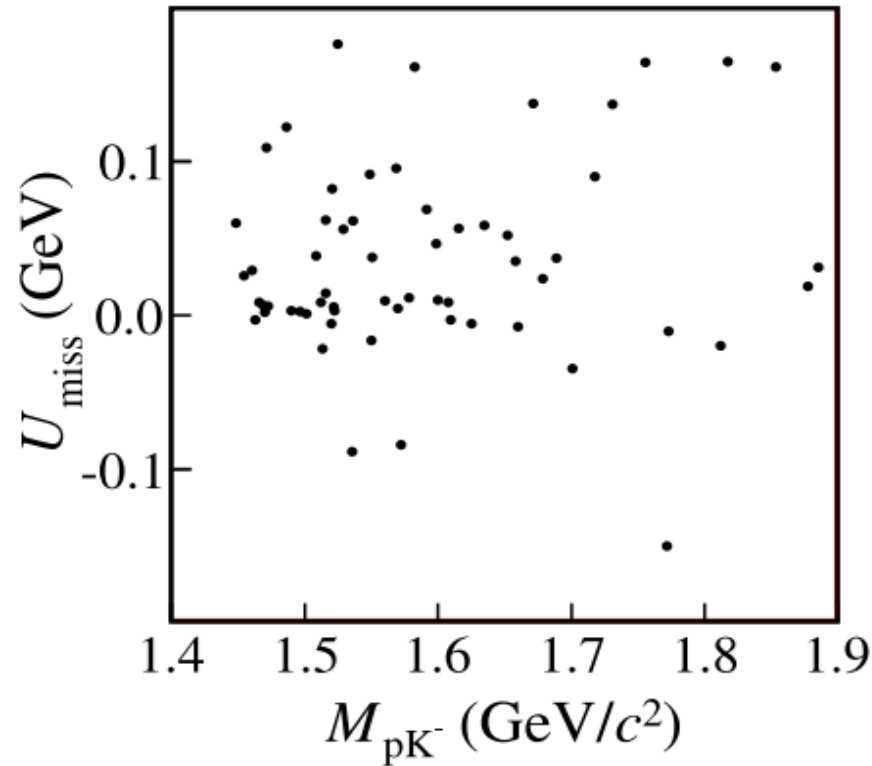


	$B(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)e^+\nu_e)$	$B(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda(1405)e^+\nu_e)$
Constituent quark model [8]	1.01	3.04
Molecular state [9]	...	0.02
Nonrelativistic quark model [10]	0.60	2.43
Lattice QCD [12,13]	$0.512 \pm 0.082$	...
Measurement	$1.02 \pm 0.52 \pm 0.11$	$\frac{0.42 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.04}{B(\Lambda(1405) \rightarrow pK^-)}$



# Evidence of $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda^*(\rightarrow pK^-)e^+\nu_e$

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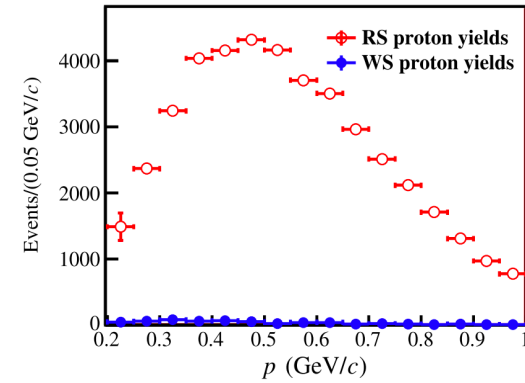
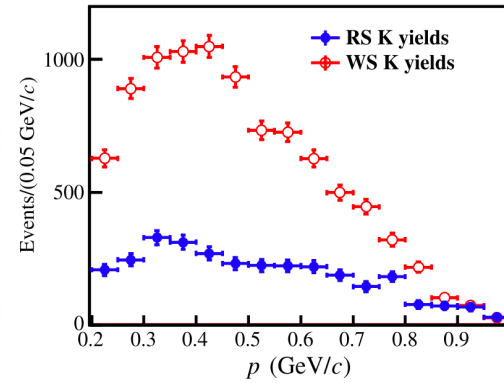
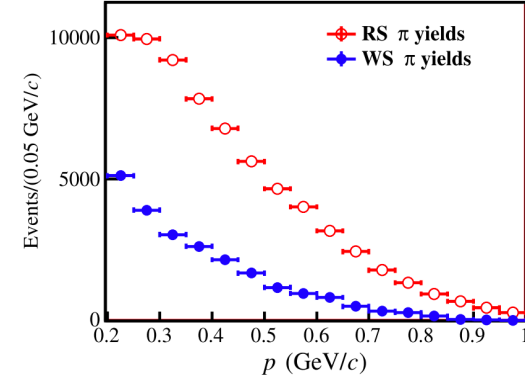
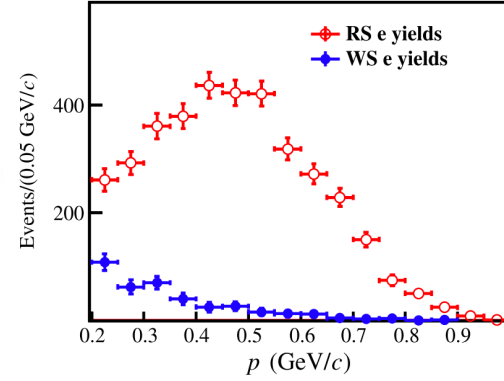
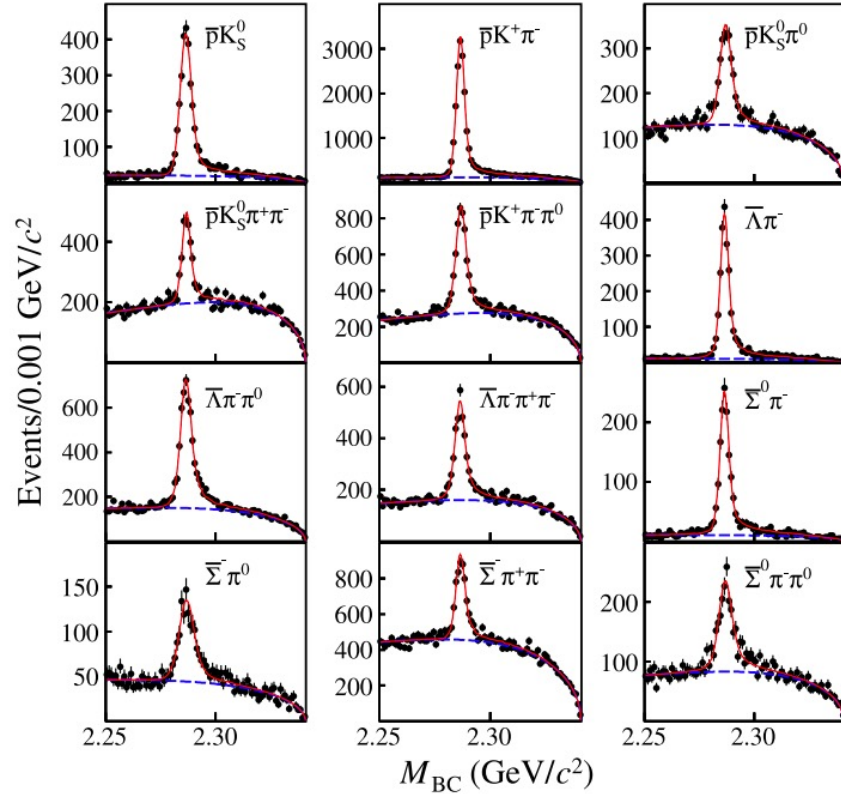
$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)[\rightarrow pK^-]e^+\nu_e) = (0.23 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.02) \times 10^{-3} \quad \text{Significance: } 3.3\sigma$$

$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda(1405)[\rightarrow pK^-]e^+\nu_e) = (0.42 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.04) \times 10^{-3} \quad \text{Significance: } 3.2\sigma$$

# Inclusive SL decay $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow e^+ X$

12 STs are used in this analysis

DT yields: *Phys. Rev. D 107, 052005 (2023)*



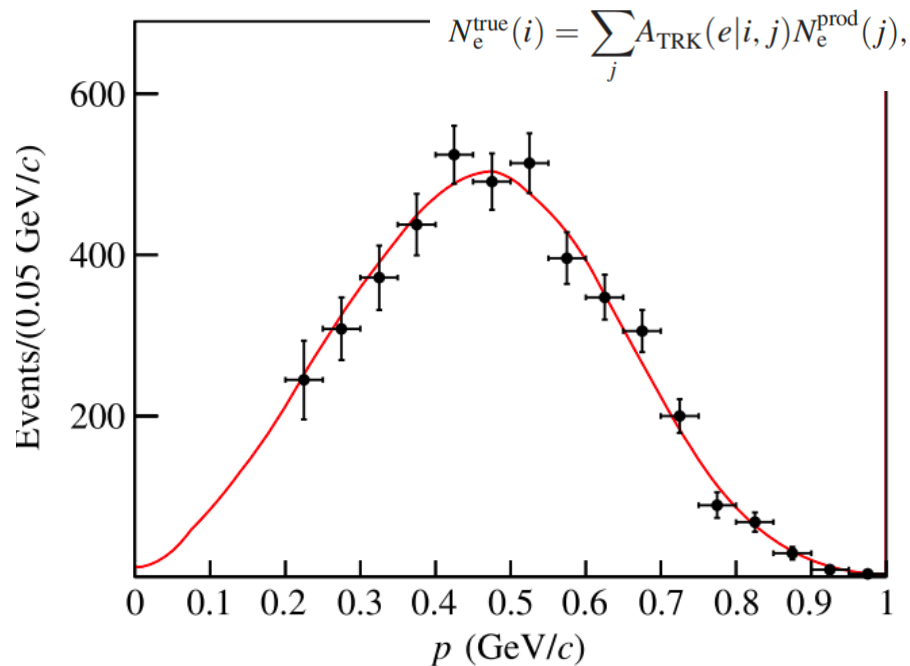
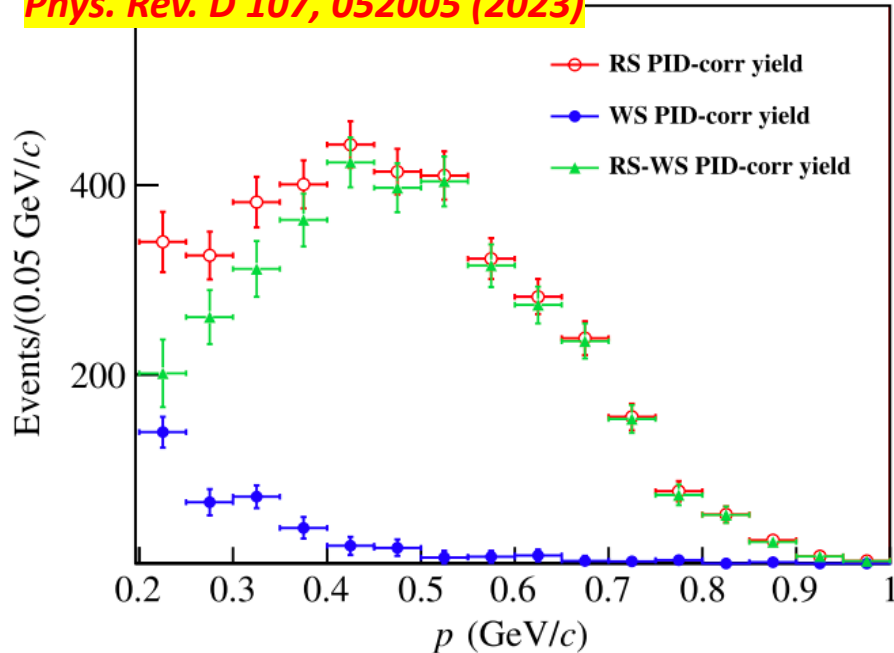
$$N^{\text{ST}} = 115437 \pm 446$$

✓ Unfolding method to obtain true signal yields. The matrix can be obtained using selected control samples.

$$\begin{bmatrix} N_e^{\text{obs}} \\ N_\pi^{\text{obs}} \\ N_K^{\text{obs}} \\ N_p^{\text{obs}} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{e \rightarrow e} & P_{\pi \rightarrow e} & P_{K \rightarrow e} & P_{p \rightarrow e} \\ P_{e \rightarrow \pi} & P_{\pi \rightarrow \pi} & P_{K \rightarrow \pi} & P_{p \rightarrow \pi} \\ P_{e \rightarrow K} & P_{\pi \rightarrow K} & P_{K \rightarrow K} & P_{p \rightarrow K} \\ P_{e \rightarrow p} & P_{\pi \rightarrow p} & P_{K \rightarrow p} & P_{p \rightarrow p} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} N_e^{\text{true}} \\ N_\pi^{\text{true}} \\ N_K^{\text{true}} \\ N_p^{\text{true}} \end{bmatrix}$$

# Inclusive SL decay $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow e^+ X$

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Correction (see text)	RS yields	WS yields
Observed yields	$3706 \pm 71$	$394 \pm 31$
PID unfolding yields	$3865 \pm 80$	$376 \pm 33$
WS subtraction	$3489 \pm 87$	
Tracking unfolding yields	$4333 \pm 107$	
Extrapolation	$4692 \pm 117$	

$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow X e^+ \nu_e) = (4.06 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.09)\%$$

The precision is improved by threefold.

$$\frac{\Gamma(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow X e^+ \nu_e)}{\Gamma(D_s^+ \rightarrow X e^+ \nu_e)} = 1.28 \pm 0.05$$

$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow X e^+ \nu_e) = (4.06 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.09)\%$$

$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e) = (3.56 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.07)\%$$

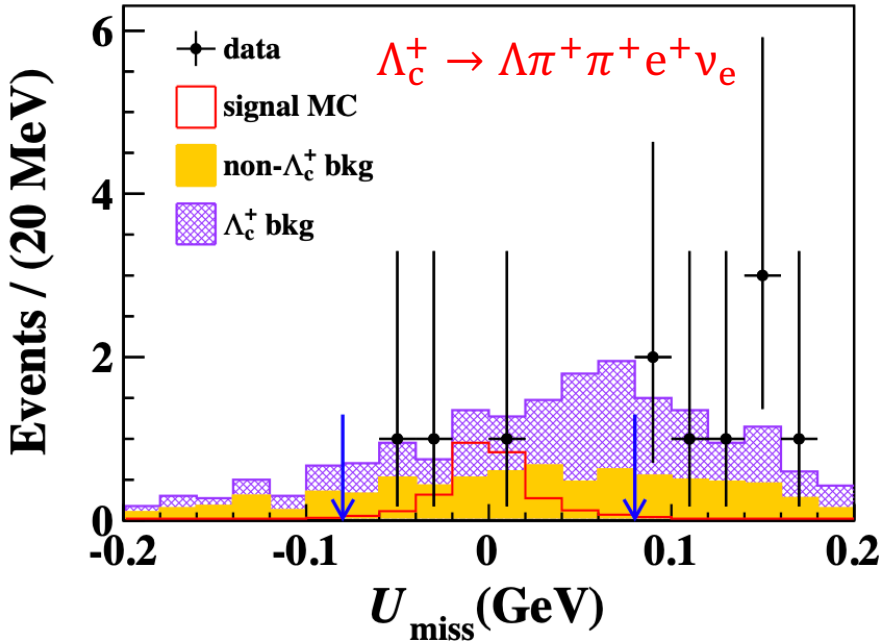
$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- e^+ \nu_e) = (0.88 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-3}$$

} Unknown decay: 0.5%

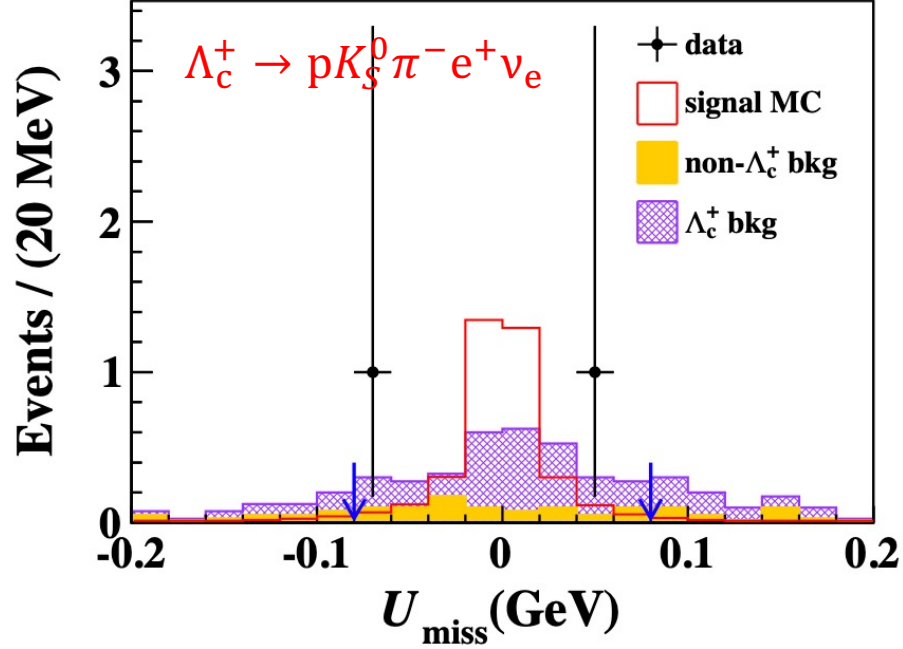
# Search for $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^-e^+\nu_e$ and $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK_S^0\pi^-e^+\nu_e$

Searches for SL decay modes using 4.5/fb data

arXiv: 2302.07529



$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^-e^+\nu_e) < 3.9 \times 10^{-4}$$



$$\text{BF}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK_S^0\pi^-e^+\nu_e) < 3.3 \times 10^{-4}$$

Decay mode	$N^{\text{obs}}$	$\epsilon^{\text{sig}}$ (%)	$N_{\text{bkg1}}^{\text{SB}}$	$N_{\text{bkg2}}^{\text{MC}} \pm \sigma_{\text{bkg2}}^{\text{MC}}$	$N^{\text{DT}}$
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^-e^+\nu_e$	3	$9.69 \pm 0.03$	9	$4.8 \pm 0.4$	2.9
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK_S^0\pi^-e^+\nu_e$	2	$13.58 \pm 0.02$	0	$2.2 \pm 0.3$	3.8

The BFs are set at 90% C.L. for the two decays.

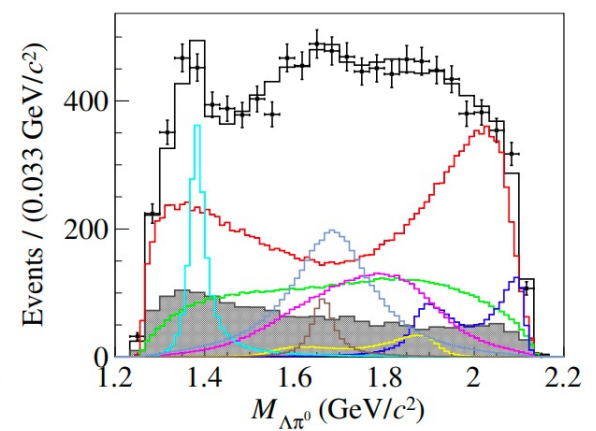
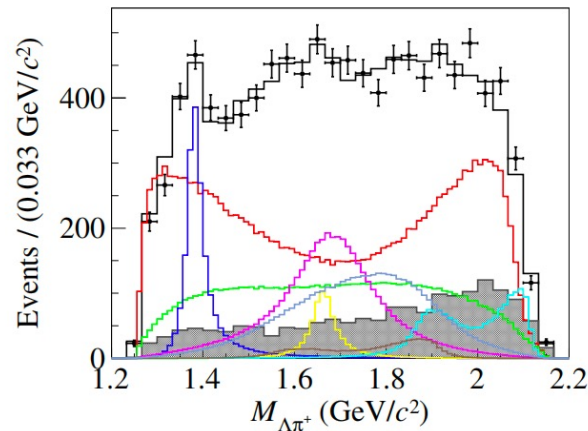
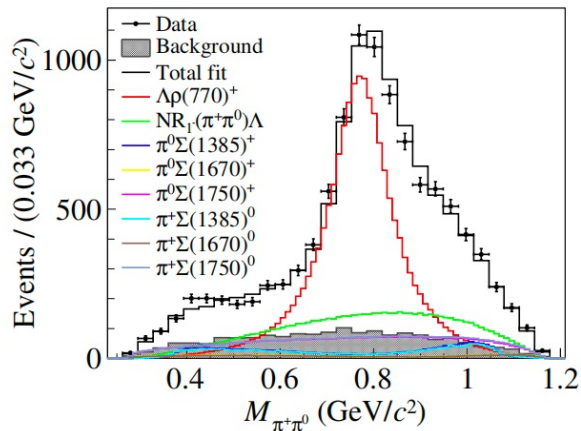
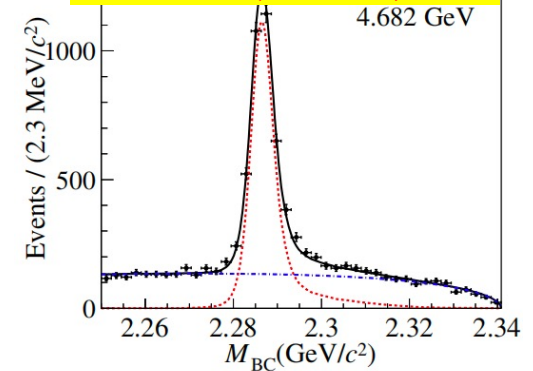
Upper limits at 90% C.L.

# Amplitude analysis of $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^+ \pi^0$

- First amplitude analysis of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^+ \pi^0$ . The analysis will provide important inputs to improve the theoretical calculations for decays of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \rho(770)^+$  and  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385) \pi$ .
- The single tag method is applied to select  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^+ \pi^0$  events.
- The signal region is defined within  $2.282 < M_{BC} < 2.292$  GeV/c<sup>2</sup>. The signal purity is ~80%. JHEP12(2022)033

$$M_{BC} = \sqrt{E_{beam}^2 - |\vec{p}_{ST}|^2}$$

- Projections of the fit results:



■ Numerical results of the BFs and decay asymmetry parameters.

	Result
$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\rho(770)^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^0)}$	$(57.2 \pm 4.2 \pm 4.9)\%$
$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^+\pi^0) \cdot \mathcal{B}(\Sigma(1385)^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^0)}$	$(7.18 \pm 0.60 \pm 0.64)\%$
$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^0\pi^+) \cdot \mathcal{B}(\Sigma(1385)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^0)}$	$(7.92 \pm 0.72 \pm 0.80)\%$
$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\rho(770)^+)$	$(4.06 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.35 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-2}$
$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^+\pi^0)$	$(5.86 \pm 0.49 \pm 0.52 \pm 0.35) \times 10^{-3}$
$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^0\pi^+)$	$(6.47 \pm 0.59 \pm 0.66 \pm 0.38) \times 10^{-3}$
$\alpha_{\Lambda\rho(770)^+}$	$-0.763 \pm 0.053 \pm 0.045$
$\alpha_{\Sigma(1385)^+\pi^0}$	$-0.917 \pm 0.069 \pm 0.056$
$\alpha_{\Sigma(1385)^0\pi^+}$	$-0.789 \pm 0.098 \pm 0.056$

$$\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\pi^+\pi^0) = (7.1 \pm 0.4)\%$$

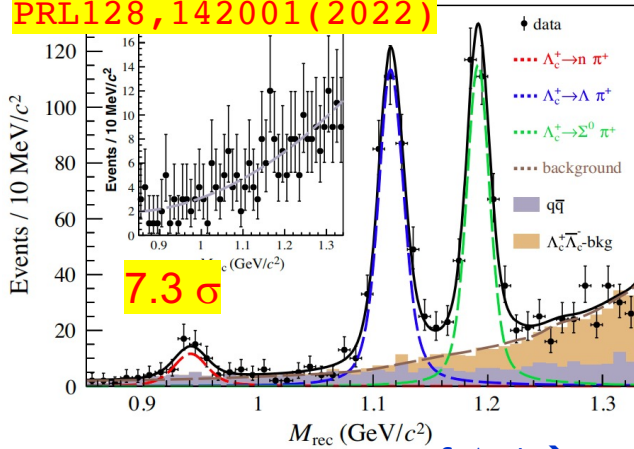
■ The comparisons among measurements, theoretical calculations.

	Theoretical calculation		This work	PDG
$10^2 \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda\rho(770)^+)$	$4.81 \pm 0.58$ [13]	$4.0$ [14, 15]	$4.06 \pm 0.52$	$< 6$
$10^3 \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^+\pi^0)$	$2.8 \pm 0.4$ [16]	$2.2 \pm 0.4$ [17]	$5.86 \pm 0.80$	—
$10^3 \times \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma(1385)^0\pi^+)$	$2.8 \pm 0.4$ [16]	$2.2 \pm 0.4$ [17]	$6.47 \pm 0.96$	—
$\alpha_{\Lambda\rho(770)^+}$	$-0.27 \pm 0.04$ [13]	$-0.32$ [14, 15]	$-0.763 \pm 0.070$	—
$\alpha_{\Sigma(1385)^+\pi^0}$	$-0.91^{+0.45}_{-0.10}$ [17]		$-0.917 \pm 0.089$	—
$\alpha_{\Sigma(1385)^0\pi^+}$	$-0.91^{+0.45}_{-0.10}$ [17]		$-0.79 \pm 0.11$	—

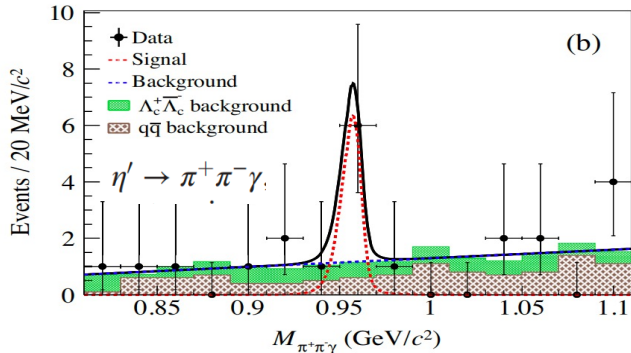
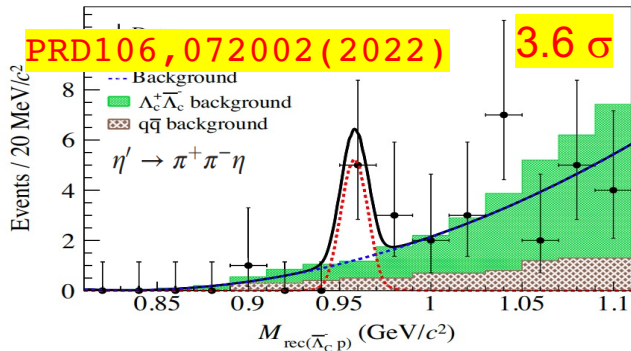
# Study of singly cabibbo-suppressed decays

- Observation of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\pi^+$

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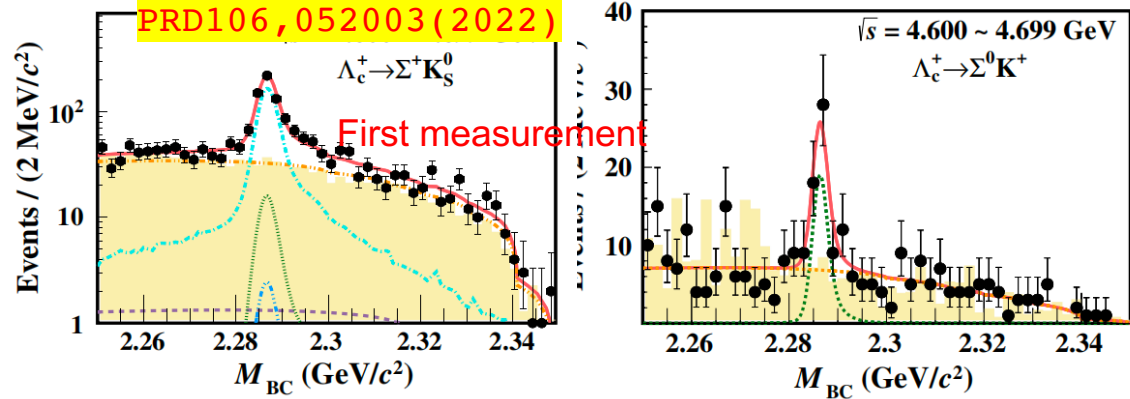


- Measurement of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \rho\eta'$



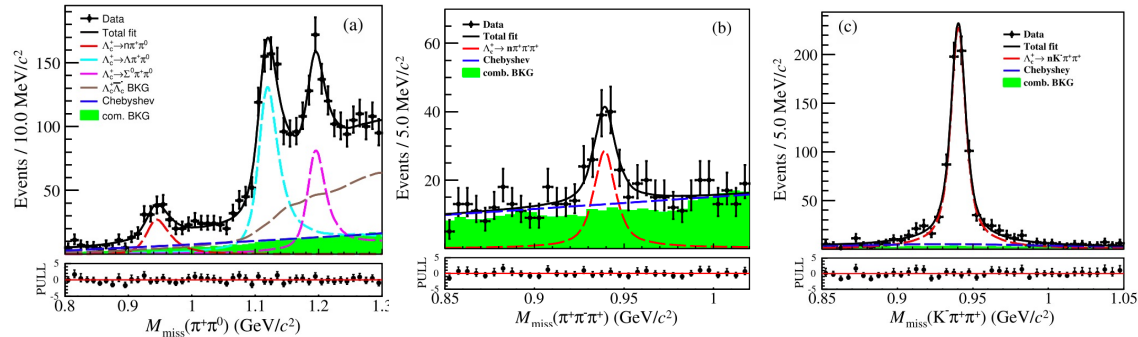
- Measurement of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^0 K^+$  and  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K^0$

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- Measurements of  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\pi^+\pi^0$ ,  $n\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$  and  $nK^-\pi^+\pi^+$

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BESIII results:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\pi^+) = (6.6 \pm 1.2_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.4_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-4} \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\eta') = (5.62^{+2.46}_{-2.04} \pm 0.26) \times 10^{-4} \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^0 K^+) = (4.7 \pm 0.9_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.3_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-4} \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+ K_S^0) = (4.8 \pm 1.4_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.4_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-4} \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\pi^+\pi^0) = (0.64 \pm 0.09_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.02_{\text{syst}})\% \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow n\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+) = (0.45 \pm 0.07_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.03_{\text{syst}})\% \\ \mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow nK^-\pi^+\pi^+) = (1.90 \pm 0.08_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.09_{\text{syst}})\% \end{array} \right.$$

# Summary

- Recent results on  $\Lambda_c^+$  SL and hadronic decays at BESIII are reported.
- These measurements provide important inputs for understanding the decay property of charmed baryon.
- More works will be reported in the future.

**THANKS!**