



# Recent experimental progress on hadron spectroscopy

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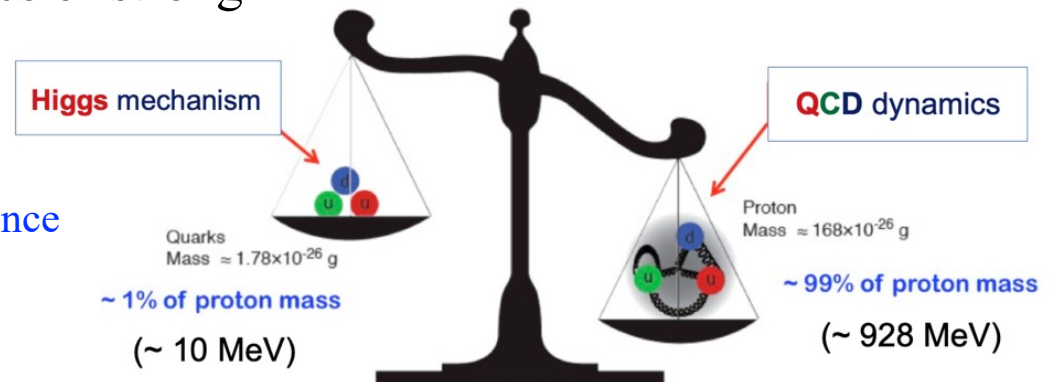
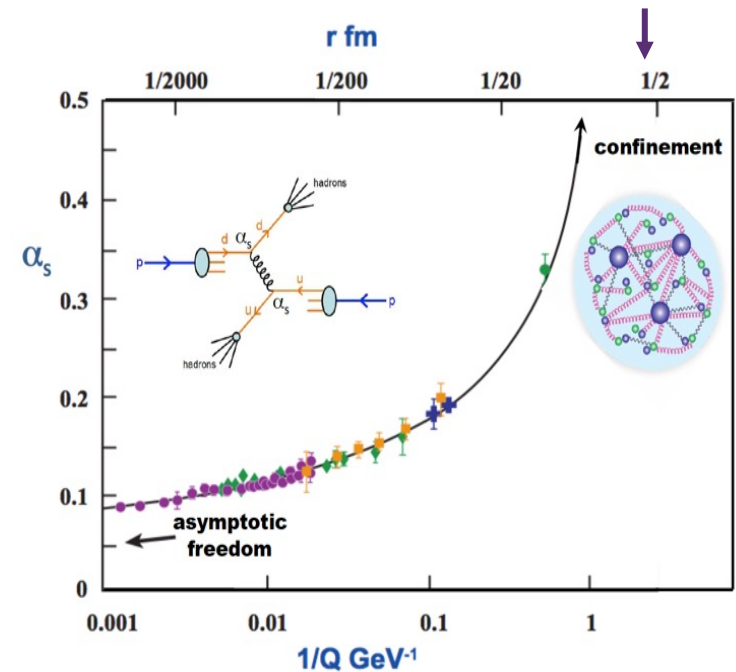
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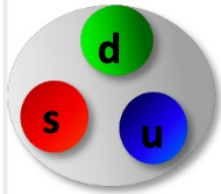
# Introduction

- Quarks and gluons not isolated in nature.
  - Formation of colorless bound states: “**Hadrons**”
  - **1-fm scale** size of hadrons?
- Hadron spectroscopy provides opportunities to study QCD in the non-perturbative region
  - Extensive and precise spectroscopy combined with a thorough theoretical analysis, will add substantially to our knowledge of QCD
- Complex exotic hadrons can reveal new or hidden aspects of the dynamics of strong interactions
  - Predicted in quark model
  - Recent results show strong evidence for their existence

Hadron size



# Different types of hadrons to be explored



Baryons are red-blue-green triplets

$$\Lambda = usd$$

Mesons are color-anticolor pairs

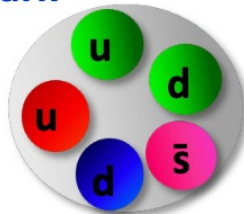


$$\pi = \bar{u}d$$

Other possible combinations of quarks and gluons :

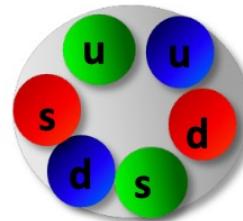
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$S = +1$   
Baryon



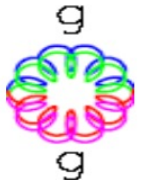
## H di-Baryon

Tightly bound  
6 quark state



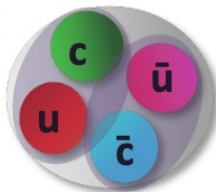
## Glueball

Color-singlet multi-gluon bound state



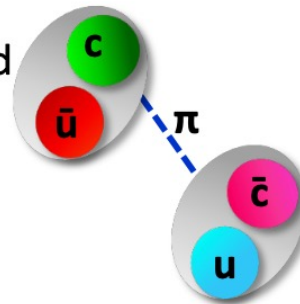
## Tetraquark

Tightly bound  
diquark &  
anti-diquark

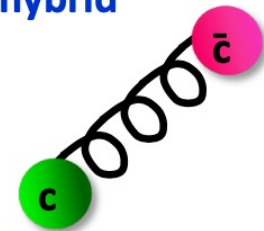


## Molecule

loosely bound  
meson-  
antimeson  
"molecule"



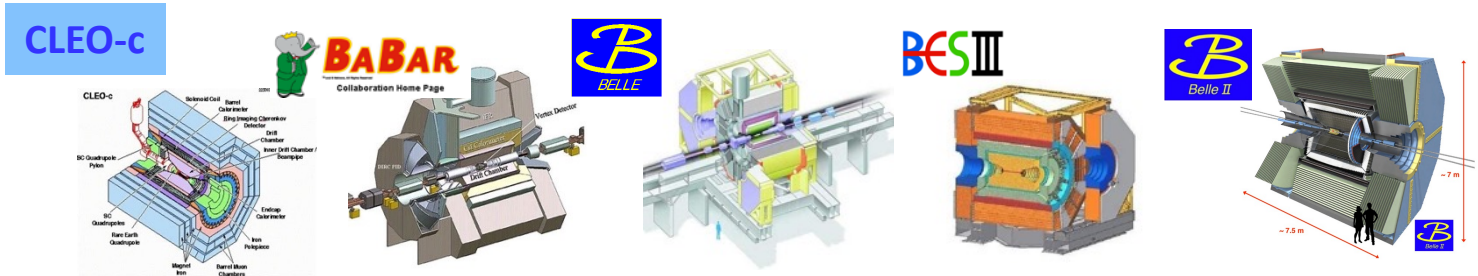
$q\bar{q}$ -gluon hybrid  
mesons



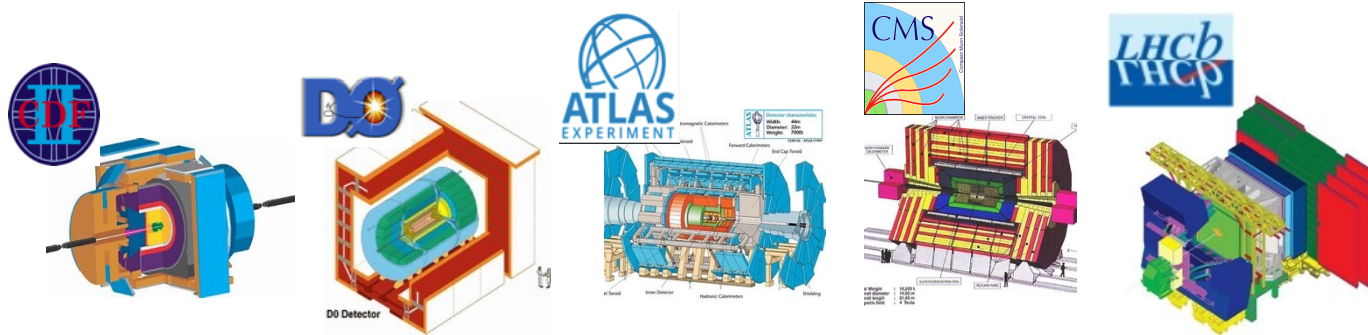
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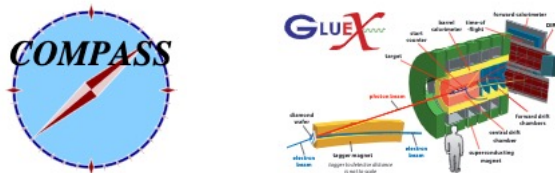
- $e^+e^-$  collider



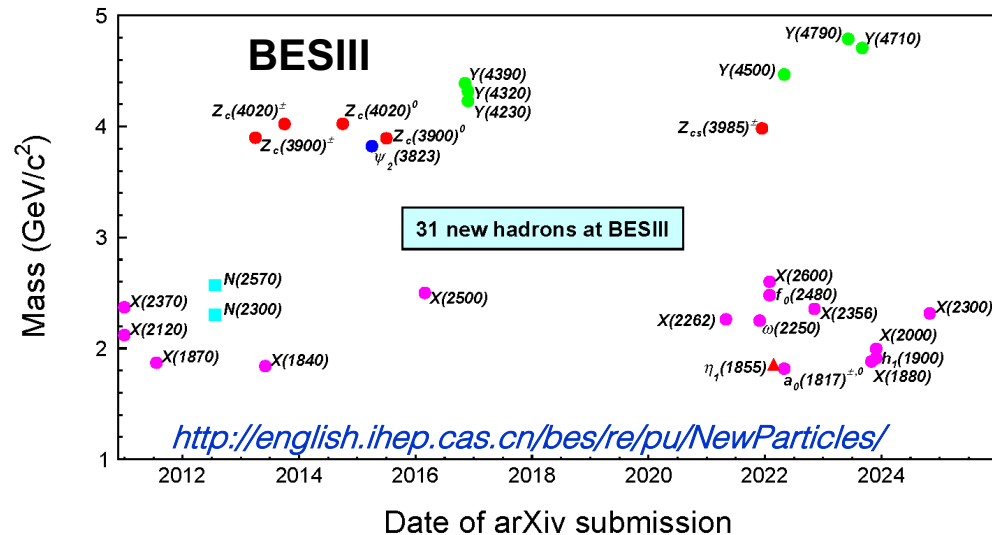
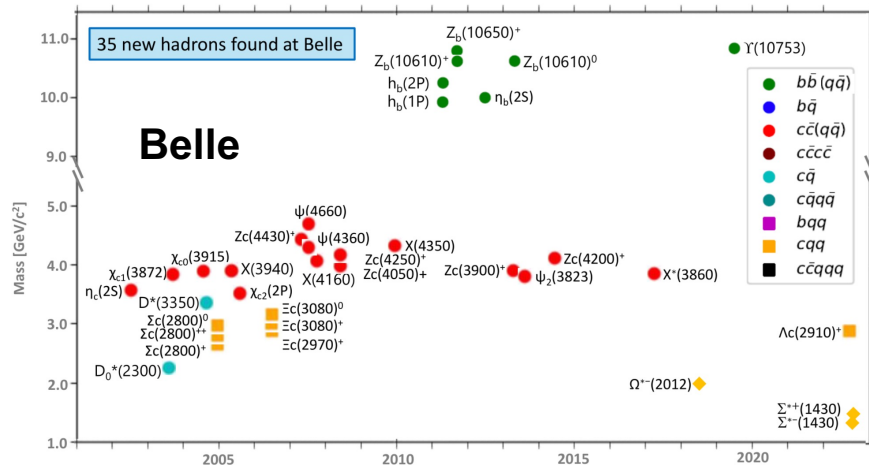
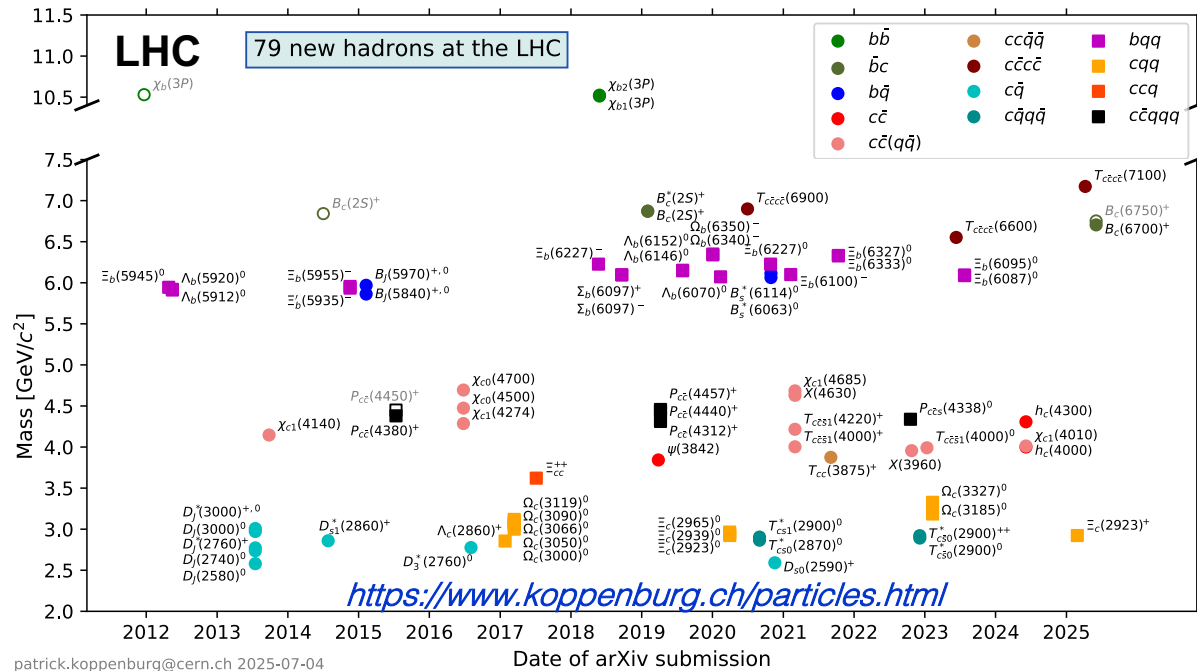
- Hadron collider



- Fixed-target experiments



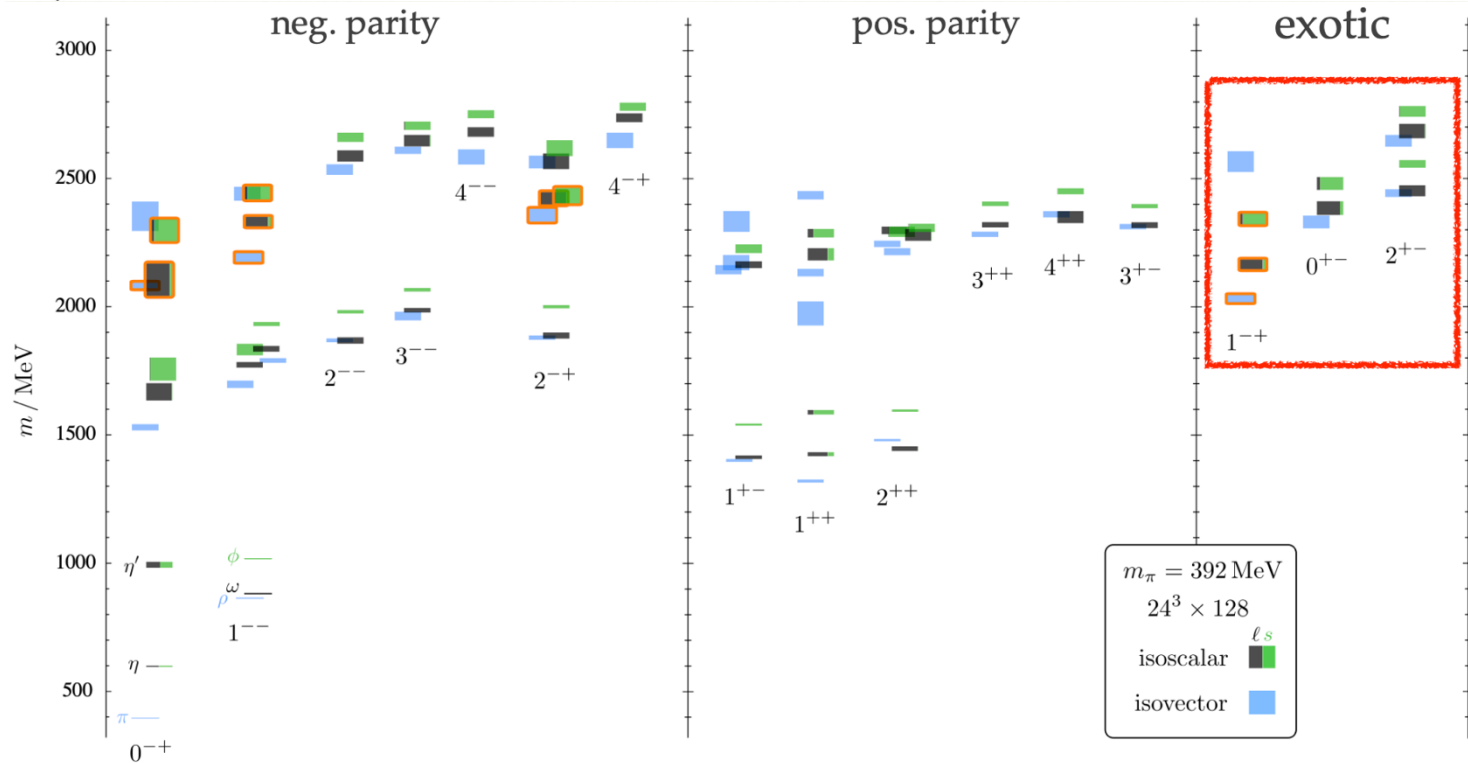
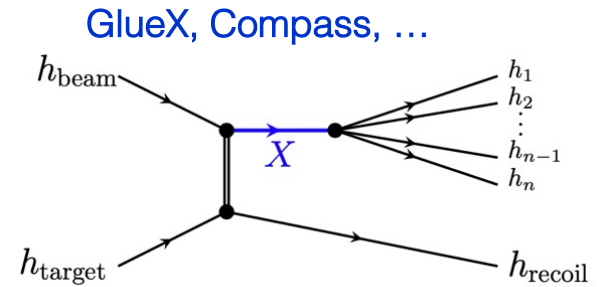
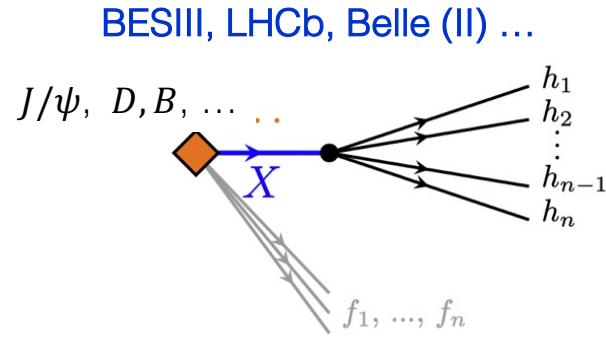
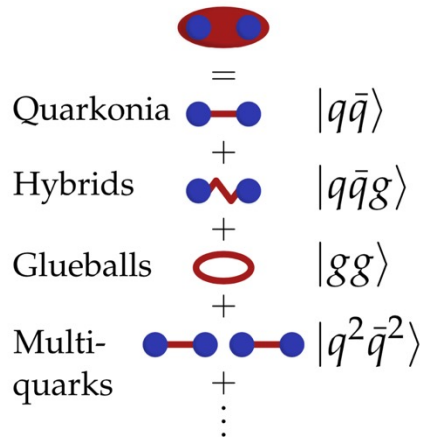
# Discoveries of many new hadrons



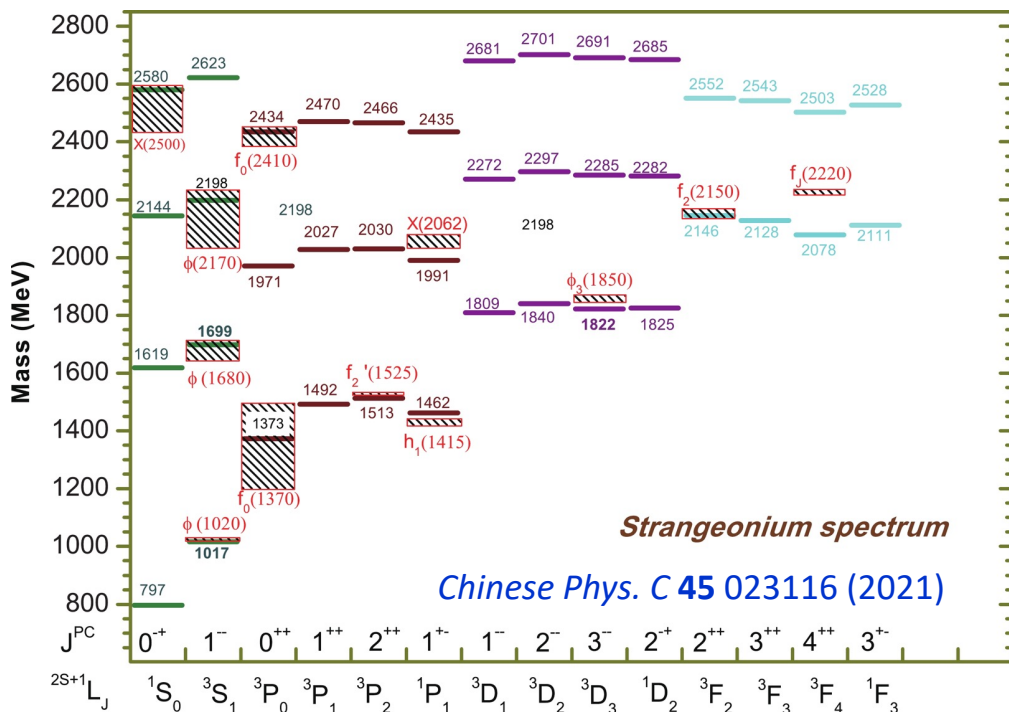


# Light hadrons

# Light hadron spectroscopy



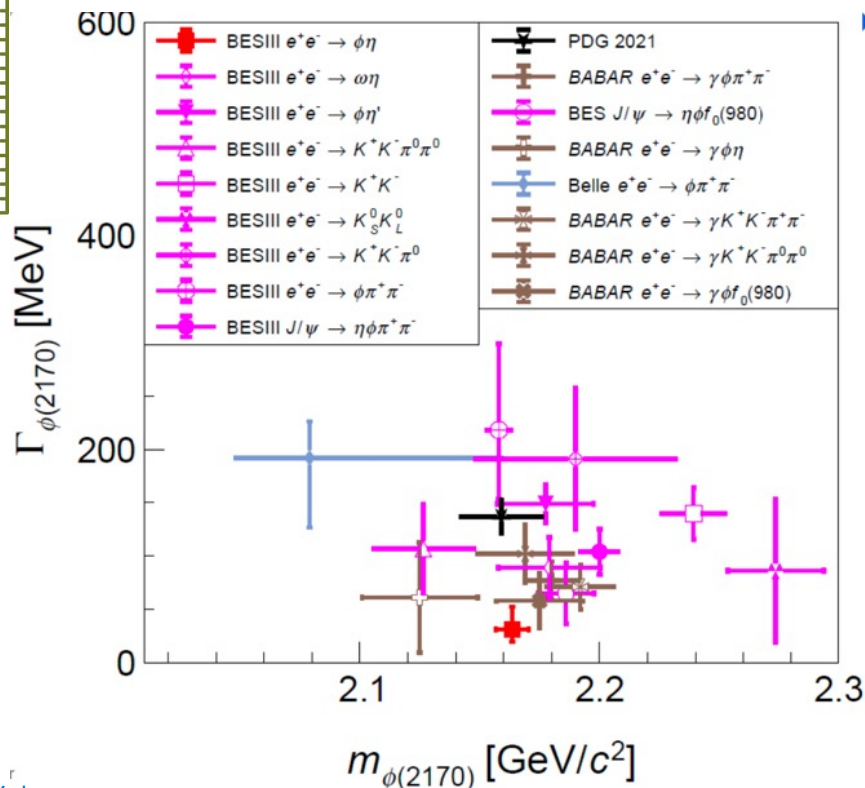
# Strangeonium [ $s\bar{s}$ ] spectroscopy



- $Y(2175)/\phi(2170)$ :  
a strangeonium(-like) state

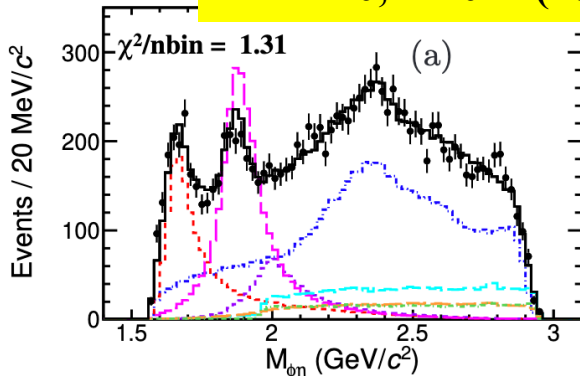
## ➤ Theorists explain $\phi(2170)$ as

- ✓  $s\bar{s}g$  hybrid
- ✓  $2^3D_1$  or  $3^3S_1 s\bar{s}$
- ✓ tetraquark
- ✓ Molecular state  $\Lambda\bar{\Lambda}$
- ✓  $\phi f_0(980)$  resonance with FSI
- ✓ Three body system  $\phi KK$



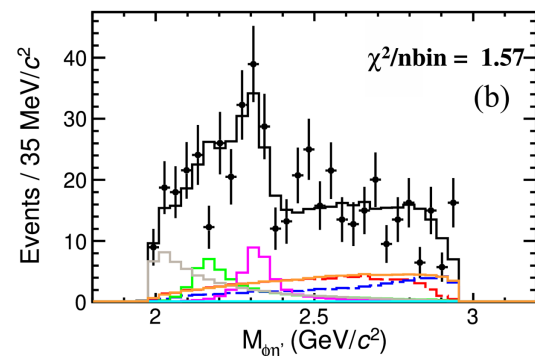
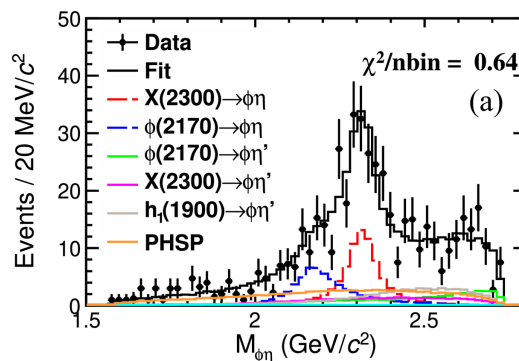
Based on 10B  $J/\psi$  events,  
a PWA fit to  $J/\psi \rightarrow \phi\eta\pi^0$

PRD110, 112014 (2024)



Based on 2.7B  $\psi(3686)$  events,  
a PWA fit to  $\psi(3686) \rightarrow \phi\eta\eta'$

PRL134, 191901 (2025)



| Process                          | M (MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ) | Γ (MeV)             |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| $\phi(1680)\pi^0$                | $1668 \pm 7 \pm 25$     | $147 \pm 14 \pm 35$ |
| $J^{PC} = 1^{--} X(2000)\pi^0$   | $1996 \pm 11 \pm 30$    | $148 \pm 16 \pm 66$ |
| $J^{PC} = 1^{+-} h_1(1900)\pi^0$ | $1911 \pm 6 \pm 14$     | $149 \pm 12 \pm 23$ |
| $\phi a_0(980)_{\text{EM}}$      | —                       | —                   |
| $\phi a_0(980)_{\text{mix}}$     | —                       | —                   |

$h_1(2300)$   $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$  observations!

$M = 2316 \pm 9 \pm 30 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = 89 \pm 15 \pm 26 \text{ MeV}$

- $h_1(1900)$ : candidate for  $h_1(2P)$  strangeonium state
- $X(2000)$ : candidate for  $\phi(3S)$  or for  $\phi(3D)$  strangeonium state
- $h_1(2300)$ : mass lower than the predicted mass of  $h_1(3P)$ . Full strange  $[s\bar{s}s\bar{s}]$  tetraquark candidate?

# Spin-exotic light mesons

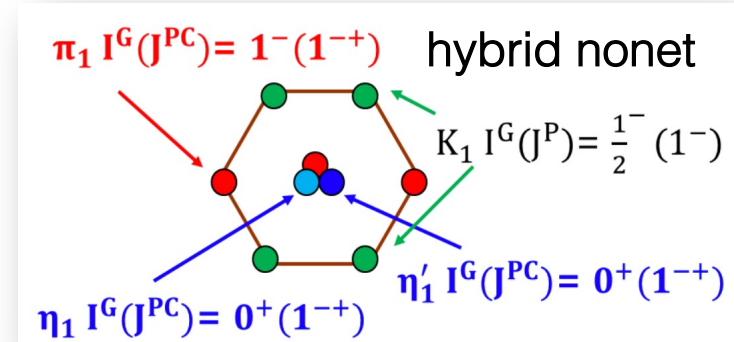
Over three decades, 4 candidates are reported so far.

Three  $1^{-+}$  isovectors

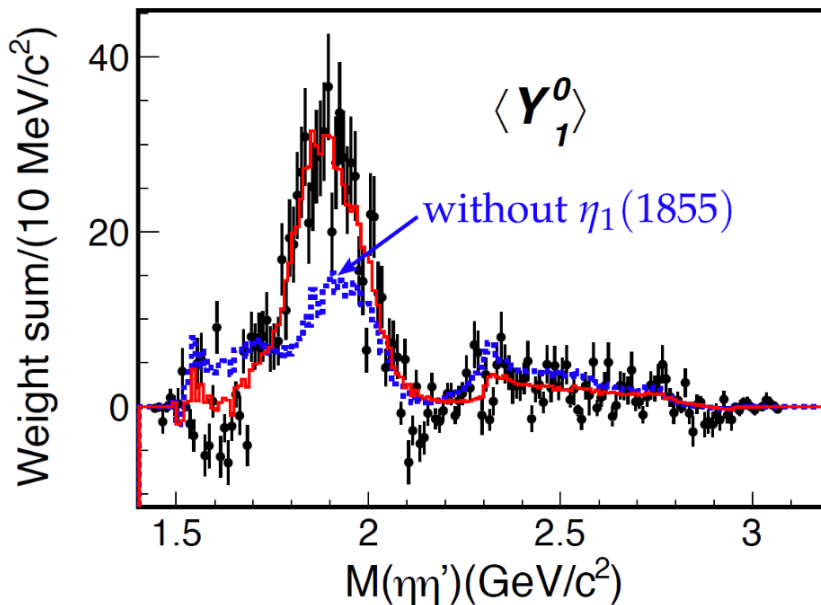
- $\pi_1(1400)$ : seen in  $\eta\pi$
- $\pi_1(1600)$ : seen in  $\rho\pi$ ,  $\eta'\pi$ ,  $b_1\pi$ ,  $f_1\pi$
- $\pi_1(2015)$ : seen in  $b_1\pi$  and  $f_1\pi$

One  $1^{-+}$  isoscalar

- $\eta_1(1855)$ : observed in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta\eta'$



BESIII, PRL129, 192002 (2022); PRD106, 072012 (2022)



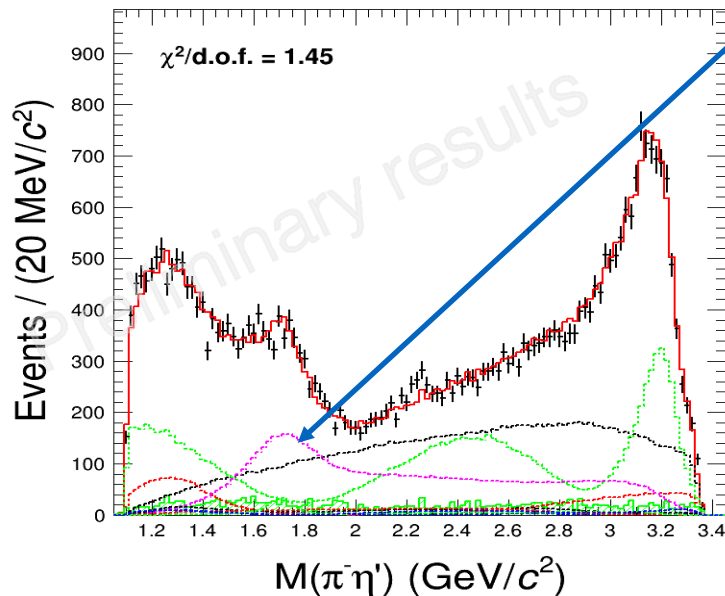
|               | Decay mode | Reaction                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Experiment                                  |
|---------------|------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| $\pi_1(1400)$ | $\eta\pi$  | $\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^- \eta p$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta n$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^- \eta p$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta n$<br>$\bar{p} n \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 \eta$<br>$\bar{p} p \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$ | GAMS<br>KEK<br>E852<br>E852<br>CBAR<br>CBAR |
|               | $\rho\pi$  | $\bar{p} p \rightarrow 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Obelix                                      |
| $\pi_1(1600)$ | $\eta'\pi$ | $\pi^- Be \rightarrow \eta' \pi^- \pi^0 Be$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^- \eta' p$                                                                                                                                                           | VES<br>E852                                 |
|               | $b_1\pi$   | $\pi^- Be \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 Be$<br>$\bar{p} p \rightarrow \omega \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 p$                                                                                               | VES<br>CBAR<br>E852                         |
|               | $\rho\pi$  | $\pi^- Pb \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- X$<br>$\pi^- p \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- p$                                                                                                                                                      | COMPASS<br>E852                             |
|               | $f_1\pi$   | $\pi^- p \rightarrow \rho \eta \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-$<br>$\pi^- A \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- A$                                                                                                                                          | E852<br>VES                                 |
| $\pi_1(2015)$ | $f_1\pi$   | $\pi^- p \rightarrow \omega \pi^- \pi^0 p$                                                                                                                                                                                                   | E852                                        |
|               | $b_1\pi$   | $\pi^- p \rightarrow \rho \eta \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-$                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                             |

Some studies indicated that  $\pi_1(1400)$  and  $\pi_1(1600)$  can be one pole

[EPJC 81, 1056 (2021)] [PRL122, 042002 (2019)]

# Observation of $\pi_1(1600)$ in $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+ \pi^-$

- $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$  process provides an opportunity to search for  $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$  exotics in the  $\eta' \pi$  systems.
- CLEO-c found evidence for an exotic P-wave  $\eta' \pi$  amplitude around 1.6 GeV with  $\sim 4\sigma$  in this process.
- With 2.7B  $\psi(3686)$  events, BESIII performs amplitude analysis of  $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$  via  $\psi(3686) \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{c1}$



| state               | $J^{PC}$ | Decay mode      | Significance  |
|---------------------|----------|-----------------|---------------|
| $\pi_1(1600)$       | $1^{-+}$ | $\pi^\pm \eta'$ | $>> 10\sigma$ |
| $(\pi\pi)_{S-wave}$ | $0^{++}$ | $\pi^\pm \eta'$ | $>> 10\sigma$ |
| $a_0(980)$          | $0^{++}$ | $\pi^\pm \eta'$ | $> 10\sigma$  |
| $f_2(1270)$         | $2^{++}$ | $\pi^+ \pi^-$   | $>> 10\sigma$ |
| $a_2(1320)$         | $2^{++}$ | $\pi^\pm \eta'$ | $> 5\sigma$   |
| $f_2(1950)$         | $2^{++}$ | $\pi^+ \pi^-$   | $> 10\sigma$  |
| $f_0(2200)$         | $0^{++}$ | $\pi^+ \pi^-$   | $> 10\sigma$  |
| $a_0(1710)$         | $0^{++}$ | $\pi^\pm \eta'$ | $> 10\sigma$  |
| $f_2(PHSP)$         | $2^{++}$ | $\pi^+ \pi^-$   | $> 5\sigma$   |

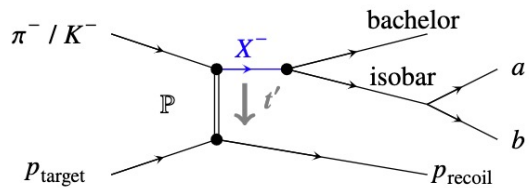
Spin-parity of the  $\pi_1(1600)$  favors  $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$  is favored over  $0^{++}$ ,  $2^{++}$  and  $4^{++}$  assignments with significances larger than  $10\sigma$

$$beam + p \rightarrow \boxed{X^-} + p \rightarrow \boxed{final\ state} + p$$

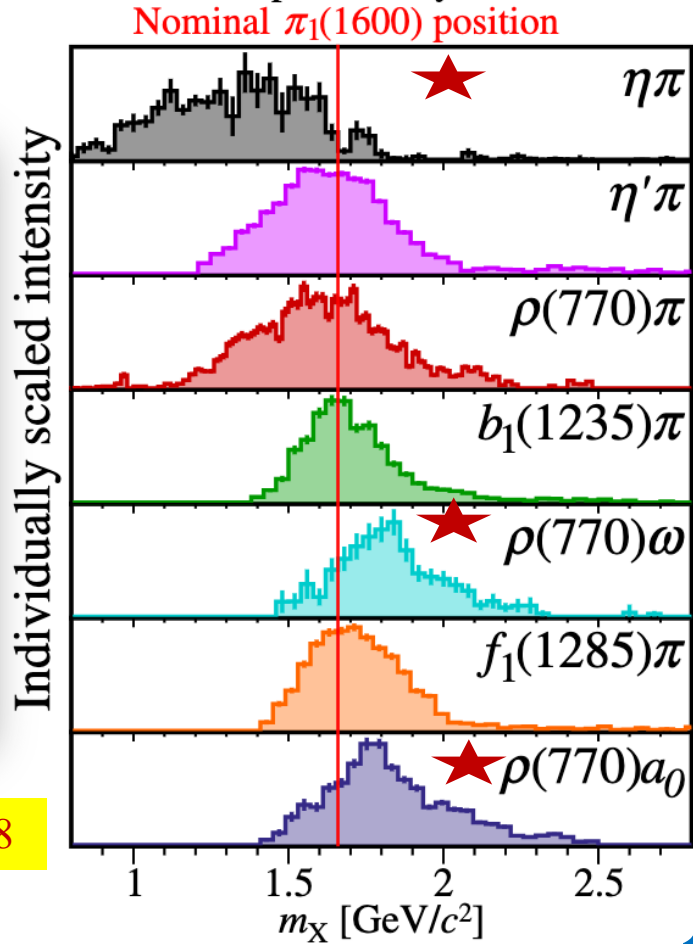
information on  $X^-$  obtained from  
partial wave analysis of the final state hadrons

- 2-body
  - $\boxed{K_s^0 K^-}$ ,  $\eta\pi$ ,  $\eta'\pi$ ,  $f_1(1285)\pi$
  - $K_s^0 \pi^-$ ,  $\Lambda \bar{p}$
- 3-body
  - $\boxed{\pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-}$ ,  $\pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$
  - $\boxed{K^- \pi^+ \pi^-}$
- effective 3-body
  - $\boxed{\omega \pi^- \pi^0}$
- 4-body
  - $\boxed{\eta \pi^+ 2\pi^-}$
- 5-body
  - $\pi^- 2\pi^+ 2\pi^-$

| Resonance     | $m_0$ [MeV/ $c^2$ ]       | $\Gamma_0$ [MeV/ $c^2$ ]   |
|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| $\pi(1800)$   | $1768 \pm 6^{+21}_{-16}$  | $320 \pm 9^{+14}_{-16}$    |
| $a_1(1640)$   | $1660 \pm 20^{+30}_{-50}$ | $370 \pm 30^{+20}_{-50}$   |
| $a_1(1930)$   | $1970 \pm 20^{+30}_{-40}$ | $230 \pm 30^{+140}_{-40}$  |
| $\pi_1(1600)$ | $1723 \pm 6^{+37}_{-14}$  | $336 \pm 10^{+96}_{-33}$   |
| $\pi_2(1670)$ | $1698 \pm 6^{+18}_{-7}$   | $296 \pm 11^{+30}_{-15}$   |
| $\pi_2(1880)$ | $1876 \pm 4^{+4}_{-4}$    | $166 \pm 8^{+8}_{-18}$     |
| $\pi_2''$     | $2142 \pm 12^{+15}_{-21}$ | $304 \pm 21^{+14}_{-34}$   |
| $a_3$         | $2080 \pm 10^{+40}_{-40}$ | $560 \pm 20^{+100}_{-100}$ |
| $a_4(1970)$   | $1973 \pm 3^{+15}_{-8}$   | $311 \pm 8^{+10}_{-46}$    |
| $\pi_4(2250)$ | $2198 \pm 12^{+25}_{-27}$ | $550 \pm 30^{+90}_{-40}$   |
| $a_6(2450)$   | $2558 \pm 31^{+12}_{-73}$ | $600 \pm 90^{+60}_{-170}$  |



Spin-exotic  $J^{PC}=1^+$  waves at COMPASS  
preliminary

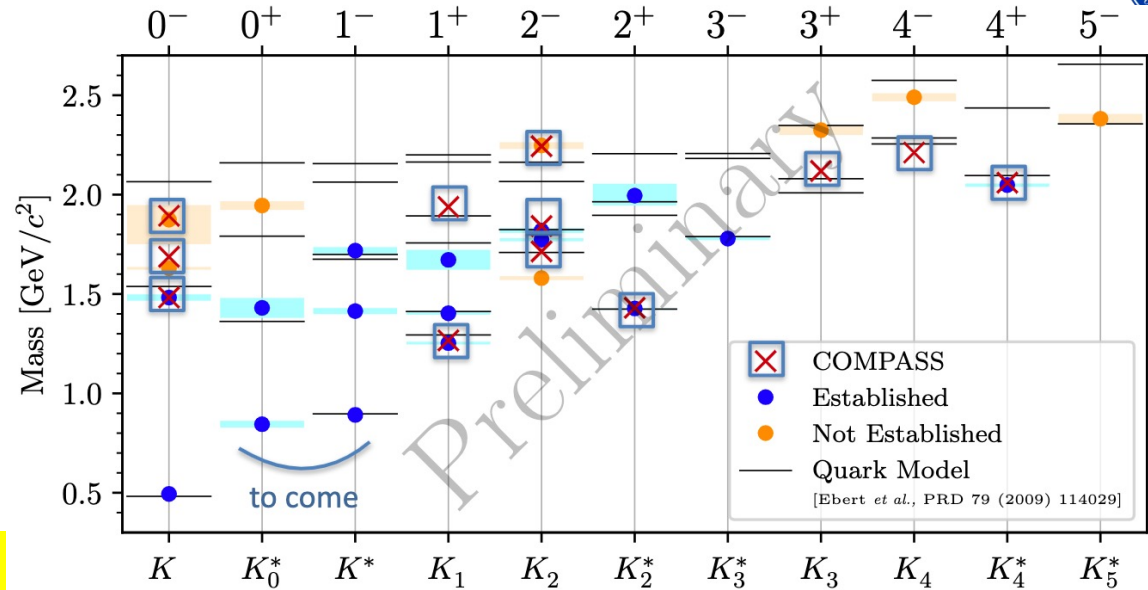


arXiv:2508.18908



# Diffraction scattering of $K$ with nucleon

$$K^- + p \rightarrow K^- \pi^- \pi^+ + p$$



arXiv:2504.09470

| Resonance     | $m_0$ [MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ]    | $\Gamma_0$ [MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ] |
|---------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| $K(1690)$     | $1687 \pm 10^{+2}_{-67}$       | $140 \pm 20^{+50}_{-50}$         |
| $K(1830)$     | $1893 \pm 17^{+13}_{-39}$      | $160 \pm 40^{+60}_{-80}$         |
| $K_1(1270)$   | $1266 \pm 2^{+5}_{-9}$         | $88 \pm 4^{+19}_{-19}$           |
| $K'_1$        | $1940 \pm 10^{+90}_{-60}$      | $430 \pm 20^{+160}_{-190}$       |
| $K_2(1770)$   | $1714 \pm 4^{+10}_{-13}$       | $152 \pm 8^{+78}_{-12}$          |
| $K_2(1820)$   | $1842 \pm 5^{+44}_{-19}$       | $273 \pm 10^{+128}_{-22}$        |
| $K_2(2250)$   | $2244 \pm 10^{+18}_{-54}$      | $260 \pm 20^{+50}_{-70}$         |
| $K_2^*(1430)$ | $1430.9 \pm 1.4^{+3.1}_{-1.5}$ | $111 \pm 3^{+4}_{-16}$           |
| $K_3$         | $2119 \pm 13^{+45}_{-12}$      | $270 \pm 30^{+40}_{-30}$         |
| $K_4$         | $2210 \pm 40^{+80}_{-30}$      | $250 \pm 70^{+50}_{-70}$         |
| $K_4^*(2045)$ | $2060 \pm 5^{+11}_{-3}$        | $189 \pm 10^{+13}_{-21}$         |

## $K(1690)$ :

- a supernumerary pseudoscalar resonance signal with a mass of about 1.7 GeV
- lying in mass between the two predicted quark-model states
- the first candidate for a crypto-exotic strange meson with  $J^P = 0^-$

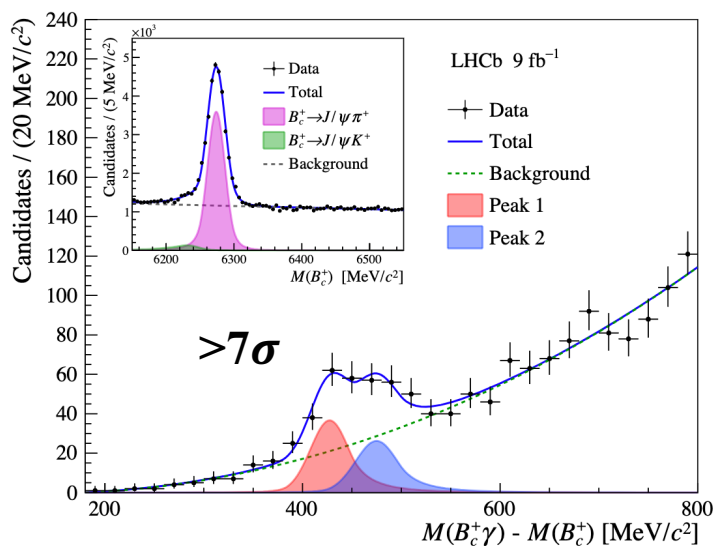


# Heavy mesons

# Observation of the P-wave $B_c^+$ ( $1P$ )

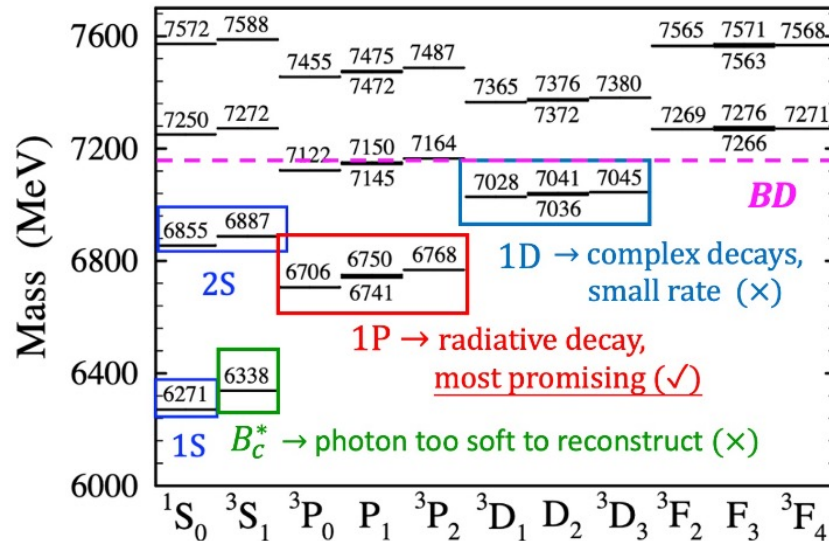
- In 1998, the  $B_c$  meson was discovered at the Tevatron
- Despite its ground state, only the 2S states have been observed at the LHC in 2014 and 2019
- LHCb studies  $B_c^+(1P) \rightarrow \gamma B_c^+$

arXiv:2507.02142; arXiv:2507.02149

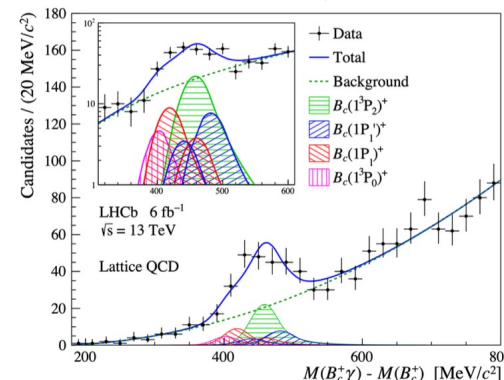


$$M_1 = 6704.8 \pm 5.5 \pm 2.8 \pm 0.3 \text{ MeV}/c^2,$$

$$M_2 = 6752.4 \pm 9.5 \pm 3.1 \pm 0.3 \text{ MeV}/c^2,$$



Theory-constrained six-peak fit



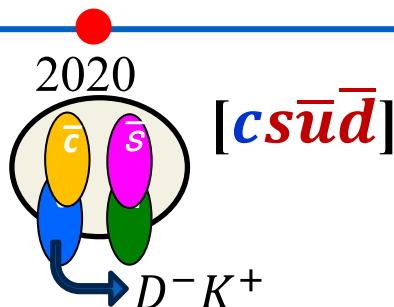
The observed structure is expected to be contributed from multiple  $B_c^+(1P) \rightarrow B_c^{*+} \gamma$  decays, which requires **larger statistics and better resolution to be distinguished.**

# Open-charm tetraquark states

$$B^+ \rightarrow D^+ D^- K^+$$

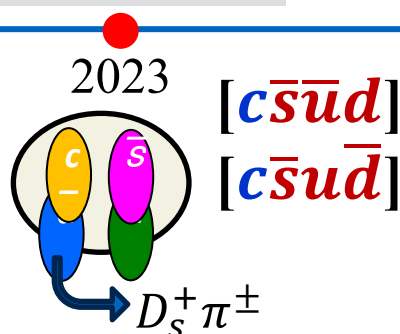
$$\begin{aligned} B^+ &\rightarrow D^- D_s^+ \pi^+ \\ B^0 &\rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D_s^+ \pi^- \end{aligned}$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow D^{*\pm} D^\mp K^+$$



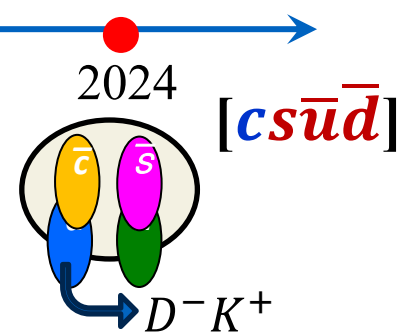
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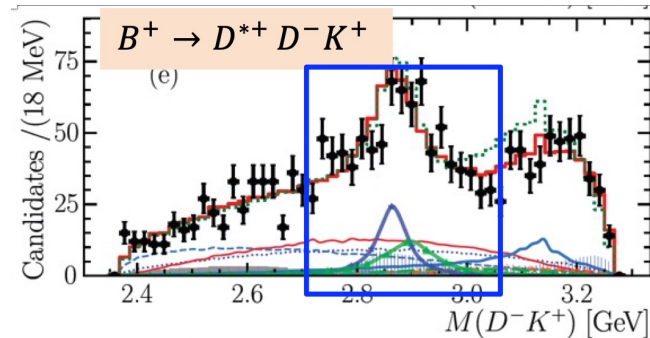
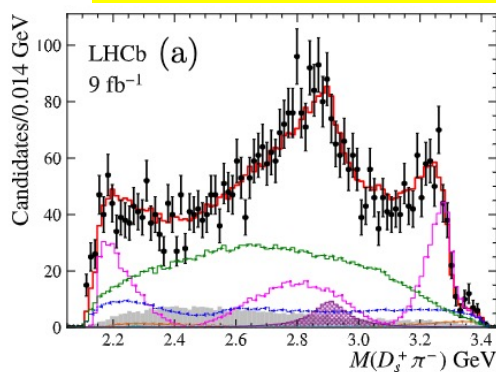
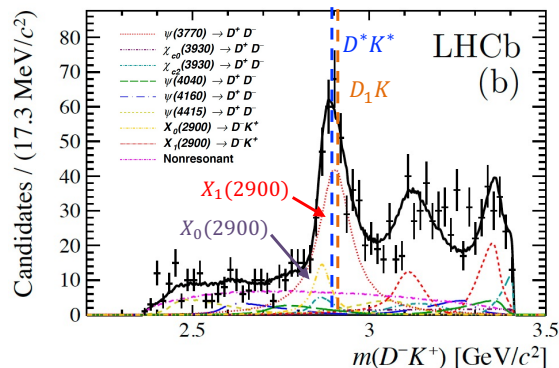


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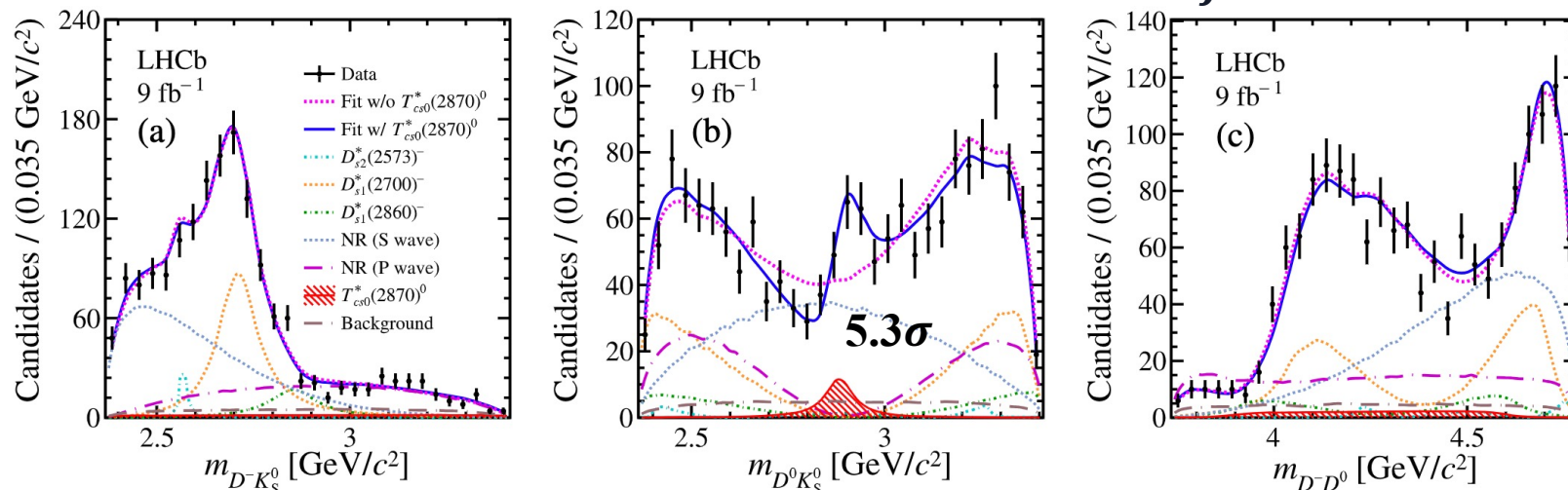


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|                                                          | Mass (GeV)                  | Width (GeV)                 | $J^P$ |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^0$ & $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^{++}$ | $2.908 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.020$ | $0.136 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.020$ | $0^+$ |
| $X_0(2900)/T_{cs0}^*(2870)^0$                            | $2.866 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.002$ | $0.057 \pm 0.012 \pm 0.004$ | $0^+$ |
| $X_1(2900)/T_{cs1}^*(2900)^0$                            | $2.904 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.001$ | $0.110 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.004$ | $1^-$ |

## Amplitude analysis of various components of $D_{sj}^{*-}$ and $T_{cs0}^*$ states



- **Observation** of a resonant  $J^P = 0^+$  structure, named  $T_{cs0}^*(2870)^0$ , in the  $D^0 K_S^0$  system with 5.3 $\sigma$  significance, **no observation** of  $T_{cs1}^*(2900)^0$

- Relative decay width provide precise tests of the **isospin symmetry**

$$R_I(T_{cs}^{*0}) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D^- D^0 \bar{K}^0) \text{FF}(T_{cs}^{*0} \rightarrow D^0 K_S^0)}{\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^-) \text{FF}(T_{cs}^{*0} \rightarrow D^+ K^-)}$$

$$M(T_{cs0}^{*0}) = 2883 \pm 11 \pm 8 \text{ MeV}/c^2,$$

$$\Gamma(T_{cs0}^{*0}) = 87_{-47}^{+22} \pm 17 \text{ MeV},$$

- $R_I(T_{cs0}^*(2870)^0) = 3.3 \pm 1.1 \pm 1.1 \pm 1.1$  and  $R_I(T_{cs1}^*(2900)^0) = 0.15 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.05$   
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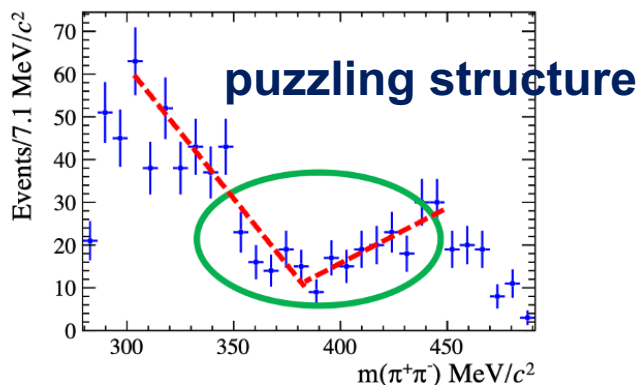
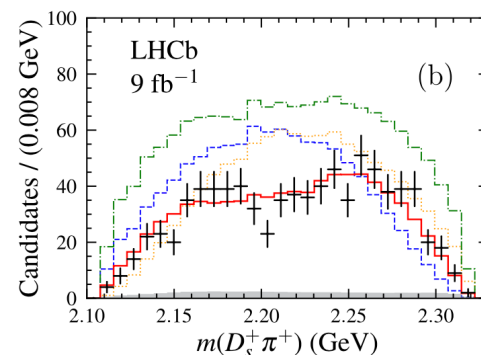
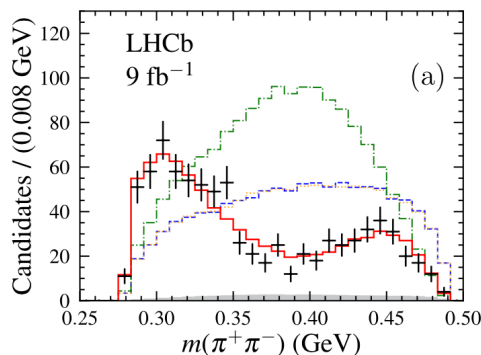
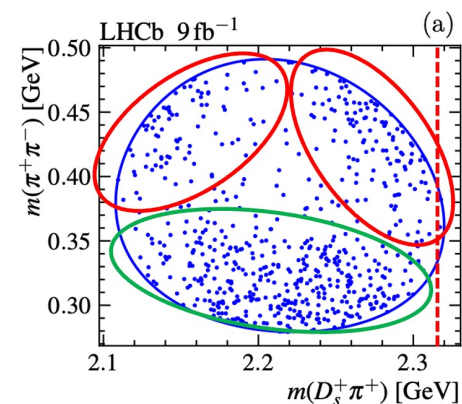
isospin violation indicated for  $T_{cs0}^*(2900)^0$

# $T_{c\bar{s}}^{0/++}$ in $D_{s1}(2460)^+ \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

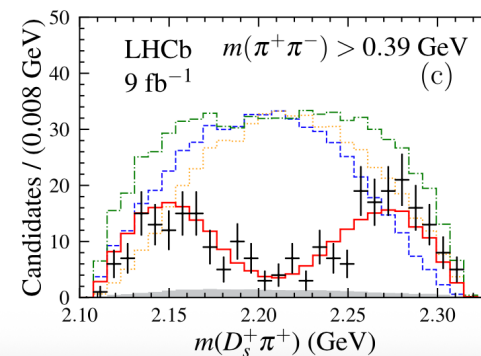
Joint amplitude analysis of the three channels

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$B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D_{s1}(2460)^+, B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)-} D_{s1}(2460)^+ (D_{s1}(2460)^+ \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^+ \pi^-)$



$T_{c\bar{s}}^{++}$   
 $T_{c\bar{s}}^0$   
 $f_0(500)$   
 Background  
 Total fit  
 Data



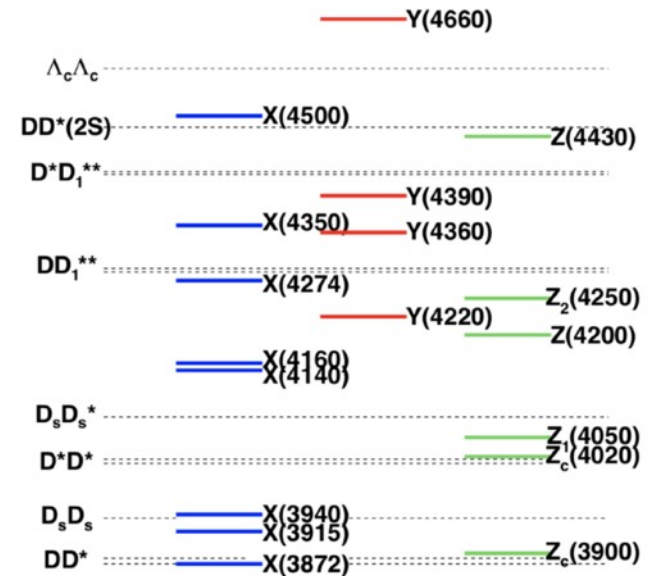
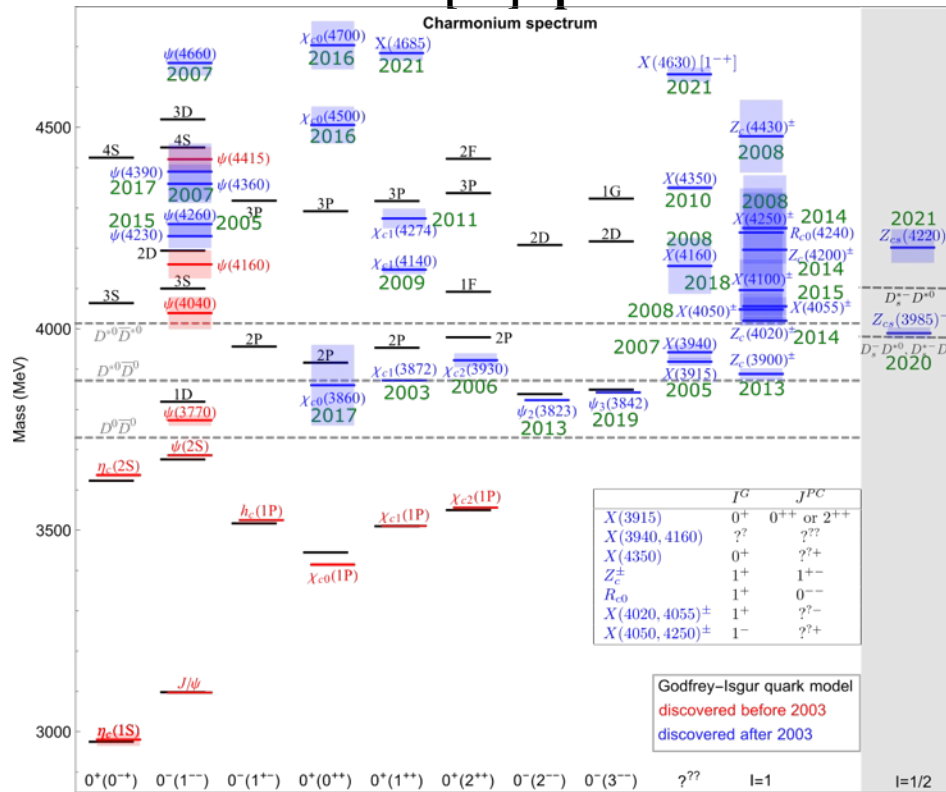
| Resonance                            | Mass (MeV)           | Width (MeV)         | Fractions (%)            |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| $f_0(500)$                           | $474 \pm 30 \pm 18$  | $224 \pm 23 \pm 16$ | $248^{+40}_{-54} \pm 39$ |
| $T_{c\bar{s}}^{++} / T_{c\bar{s}}^0$ | $2327 \pm 13 \pm 13$ | $96 \pm 16 \pm 23$  | $156^{+27}_{-38} \pm 25$ |

$T_{c\bar{s}}^{0/++}$  is observed with significance larger than  $10\sigma$

# Overpopulated charmonium spectrum

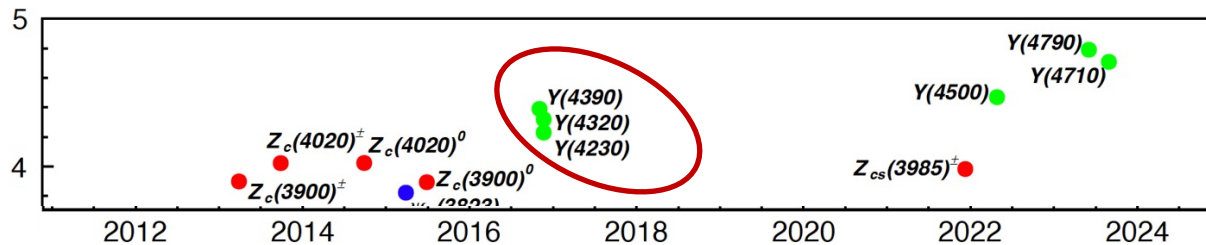
Charmonium-like  $[c\bar{c}]$  spectrum *from F-K. Guo*

arXiv:1511.01589, arXiv:1812.10947



Overpopulated observed **new** charmonium-like states, i.e. “XYZ”:

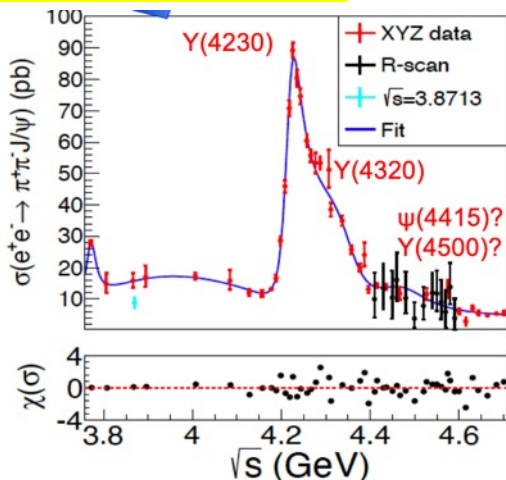
- Most of them are close to the mass thresholds of charmed meson pairs
- Some are not accommodated as conventional meson  
==> candidate of exotic hadron states
- More efforts are needed to pin down their nature



PRD106, 072001 (2022)

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$Y(4260) \rightarrow Y(4230) \text{ \& } Y(4320)$



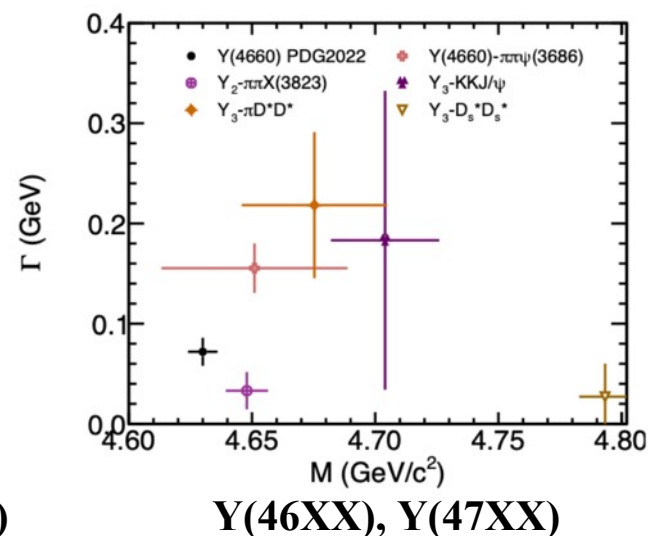
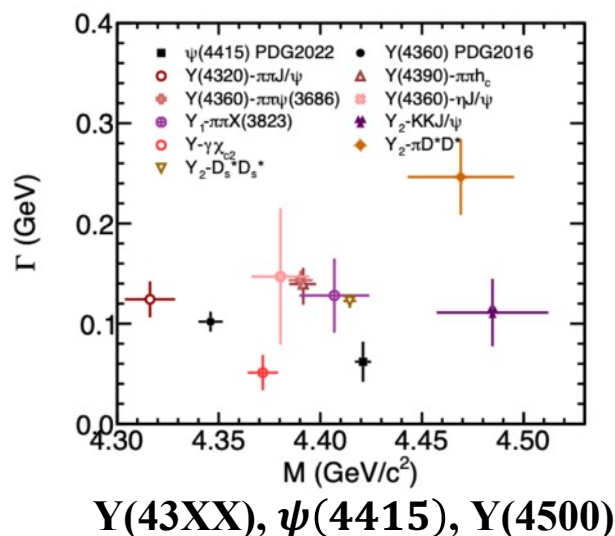
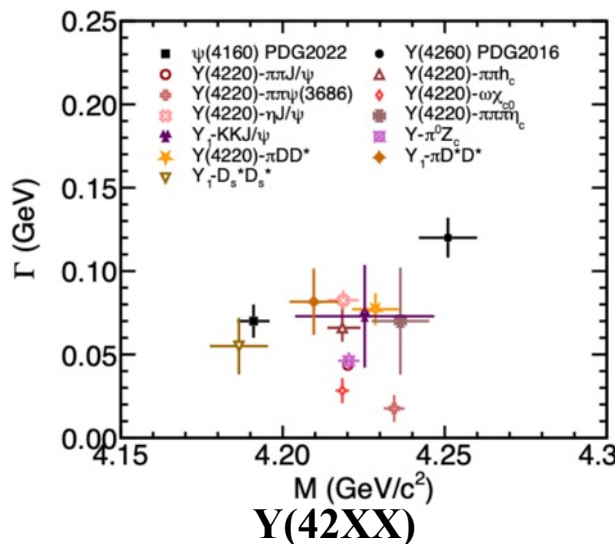
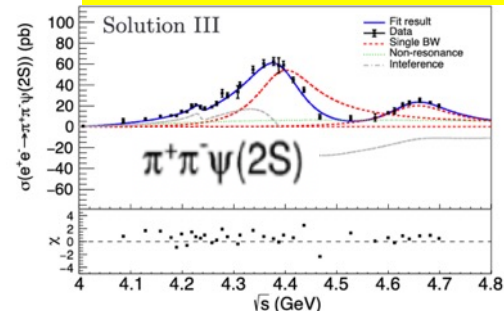
$$M_{Y(4230)} = 4221.4 \pm 1.5 \pm 2.0 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma_{Y(4230)} = 41.8 \pm 2.9 \pm 2.7 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_{Y(4320)} = 4298 \pm 12 \pm 26 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma_{Y(4320)} = 127 \pm 17 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$$

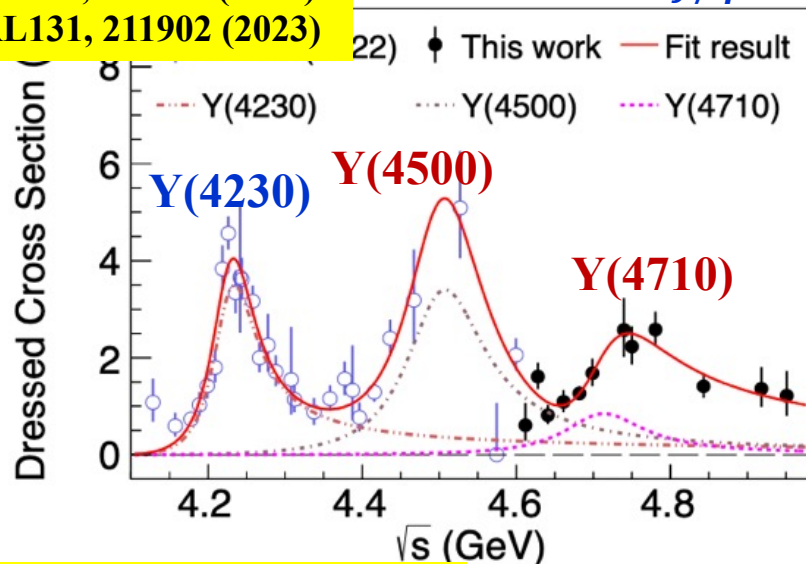
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# Observations of three heavy Y(4500), Y(4710) and Y(4790) states

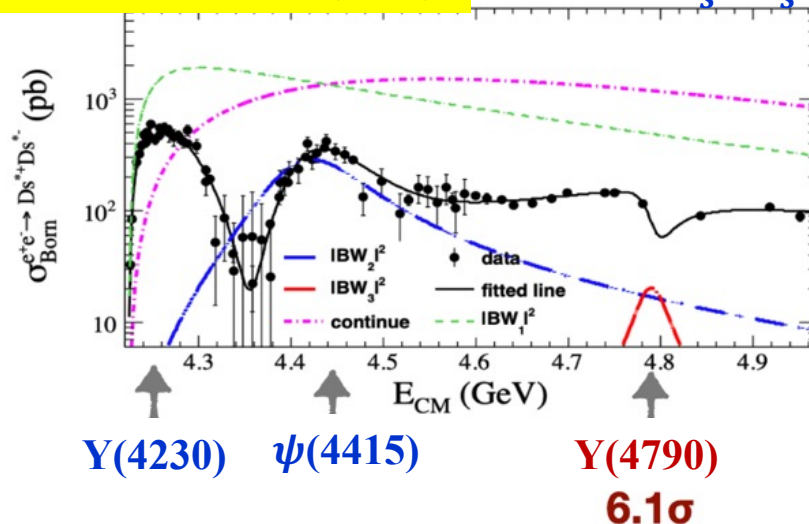
CPC 46, 111002 (2022)  
PRL131, 211902 (2023)

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow K^+K^-J/\psi$$



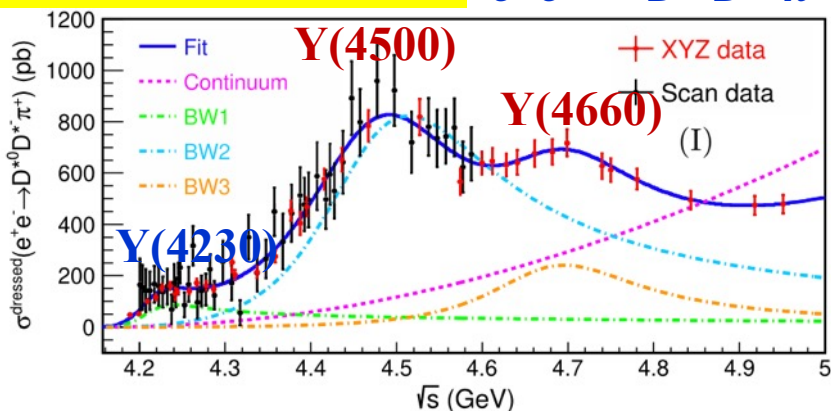
PRL131, 151903 (2023)

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^{*+}D_s^{*-}$$



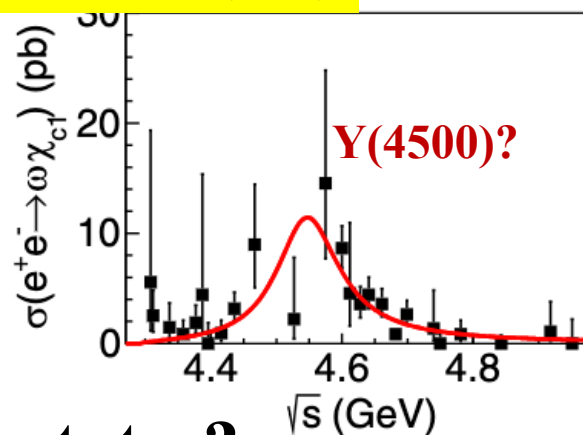
PRL130, 121901 (2023)

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^{*0}D^{*-}\pi^+$$



PRL 132, 161901 (2024)

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c1}$$

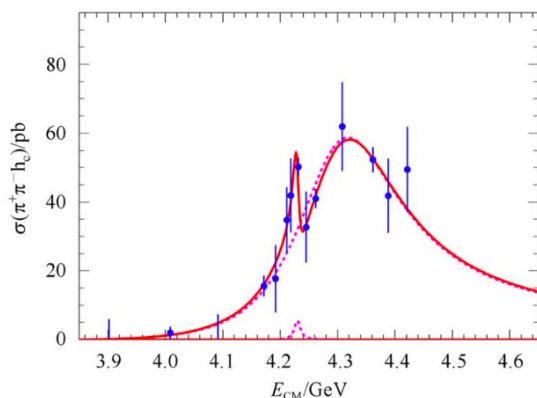


Are they  $[c\bar{c}s\bar{s}]$  states?

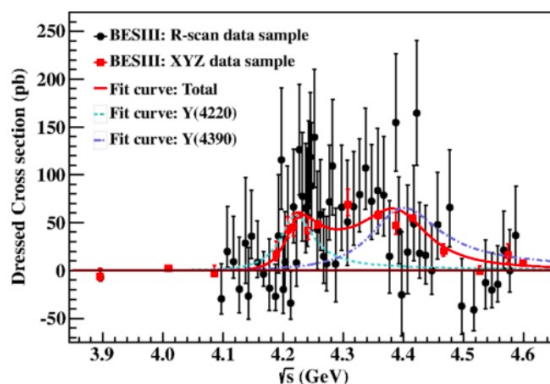
## Improved measurement of $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c)$

PRL135, 071901 (2025)

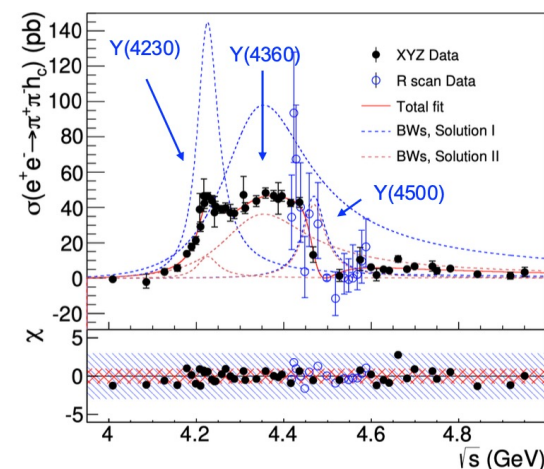
- Initially observed by CLEO-c at  $\sqrt{s}=4.17$  GeV [PRL107, 041803 (2011)]
- Cross sections of  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c$  obtained by BESIII at 3.9-4.6 GeV, found two structures [PRL118, 092002 (2017)]
- New data collected by BESIII between 4.18-4.95 GeV (27 data samples)



PRL107, 041803 (2011) – CLEO-c  
PRL111, 242001 (2013) – BESIII  
CPC 38, 043001 (2014)



PRL118, 092002 (2017) - BESIII



PRL135, 071901 (2025)

Y(4230)

Y(4360)

| Parameter                 | $R_1$                          | $R_2$                             | $R_3$                          |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| $M$ (MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ) | $4223.6^{+3.6+2.6}_{-3.7-2.9}$ | $4327.4^{+20.1+10.7}_{-18.8-9.3}$ | $4467.4^{+7.2+3.2}_{-5.4-2.7}$ |
| $\Gamma$ (MeV)            | $58.5^{+10.8+6.7}_{-11.4-6.5}$ | $244.1^{+34.0+24.2}_{-27.1-18.3}$ | $62.8^{+19.2+9.9}_{-14.4-7.0}$ |

a bit larger width

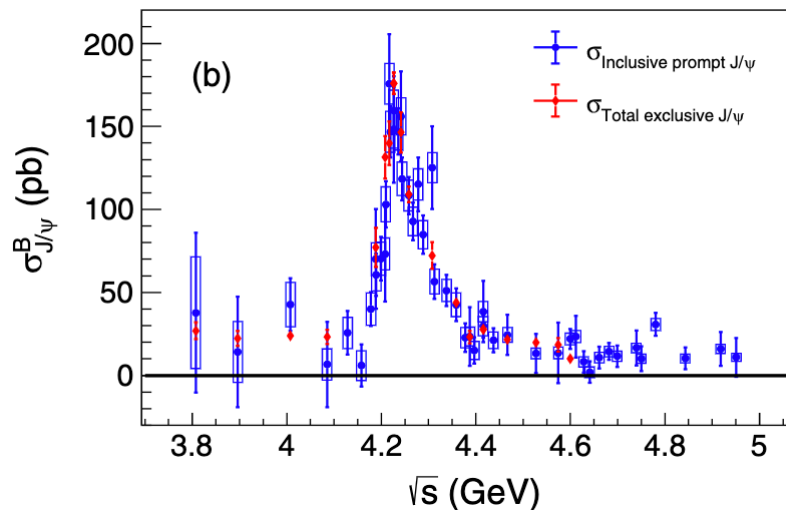
$$\Gamma_{Y(4360)} = 120 \pm 21 \text{ MeV}$$

>5 $\sigma$

Y(4500)

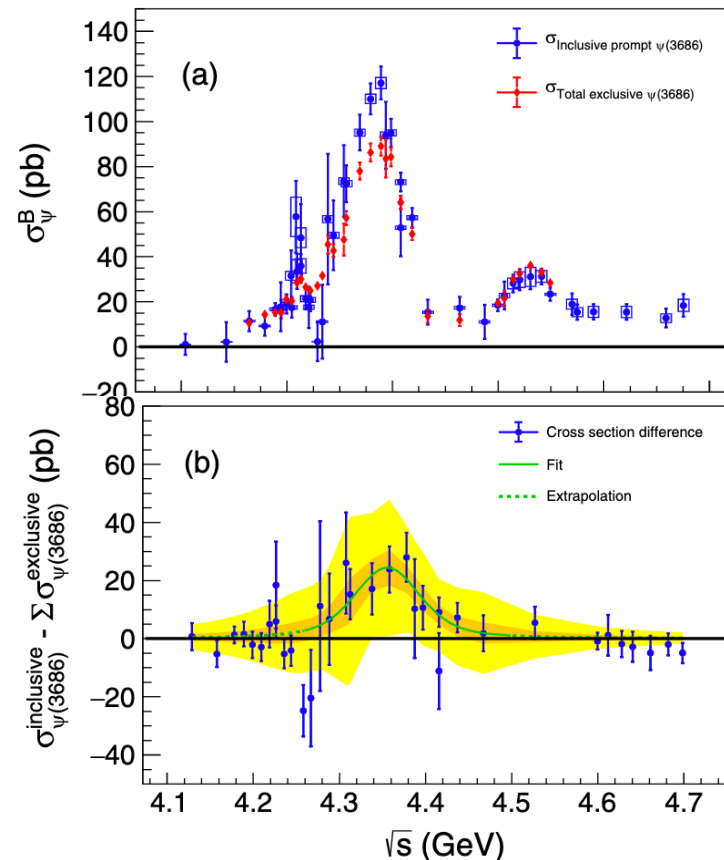
# Inclusive and exclusive $J/\psi$ and $\psi(3686)$ production

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no evidence of hidden decays involving the  $J/\psi$  meson

| $c\bar{c}$ Meson  | Decays into $J/\psi$                             | Decays into $\psi(3686)$ |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ | $\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi, \omega J/\psi, \gamma J/\psi$ | $\gamma\psi(3686)$       |
| $Z_c(3900)$       | $\pi J/\psi$                                     | ...                      |
| $\chi_{c0}(3915)$ | $\omega J/\psi$                                  | ...                      |
| $\psi(4040)$      | $\eta J/\psi$                                    | ...                      |
| $X(4160)$         | $\phi J/\psi$                                    | ...                      |
| $\psi(4230)$      | $\pi\pi J/\psi, KKJ/\psi, \eta J/\psi$           | $\pi^+\pi^-\psi(3686)$   |
| $X(4350)$         | $\phi J/\psi$                                    | ...                      |
| $\psi(4360)$      | $\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi, \eta J/\psi$                  | $\pi^+\pi^-\psi(3686)$   |
| $Y(4500)$         | $K^+K^-J/\psi$                                   | ...                      |
| $\psi(4660)$      | ...                                              | $\pi^+\pi^-\psi(3686)$   |
| $Y(4710)$         | $K^0\bar{K}^0J/\psi$                             | ...                      |

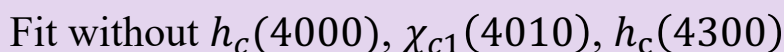


- Missing exclusive processes around the  $Y(4360)$  region
- Excess  $\sim 23\%$  of the  $Y(4360)_{\text{prompt}}$  inclusive cross section

**PRL133, 131902 (2024)**

- $$C\text{-even: } \mathcal{A}_R(D^{*+}D^-) = \mathcal{A}_R(D^{*-}D^+)$$

$$C\text{-odd: } \mathcal{A}_R(D^{*+}D^-) = -\mathcal{A}_R(D^{*-}D^+)$$


$$B^+ \rightarrow D^{*-} D^+ K^+$$
$$B^+ \rightarrow D^{*+} D^- K^+$$

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(d)

 Data  
 Total fit  
 Background

—  $\chi_{c2}(3930)$   
 - - -  $\text{EFF}_{1^{++}}$   
 .....  $\text{NR}_{1^{--}}$

  $\eta_c(3945)$   
  $h_c(4000)$   
  $NR_{0-+}$

  $\psi(4040)$   
  $\chi_{c1}(4010)$   
  $NR_{0--}$

  $T_{\bar{c}s0}^*(2870)^0$   
  $h_c(4300)$   
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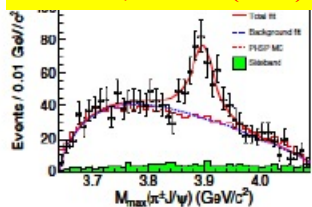
— — — — —  $T_{\bar{c}s1}^*(2900)^0$   
.....  $NR_{1++}$

| This work                                    |                                                 | Known states [6]                     |                                   | $c\bar{c}$ prediction [34]        |
|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| $\eta_c(3945)$                               | $J^{PC} = 0^{-+}$                               | $X(3940)$ [9, 10]                    | $J^{PC} = ?^{??}$                 | $\eta_c(3S)$ $J^{PC} = 0^{-+}$    |
| $m_0 = 3945^{+28}_{-17}{}^{+37}_{-28}$       | $\Gamma_0 = 130^{+92}_{-49}{}^{+101}_{-70}$     | $m_0 = 3942 \pm 9$                   | $\Gamma_0 = 37^{+27}_{-17}$       | $m_0 = 4064$ $\Gamma_0 = 80$      |
| $h_c(4000)$                                  | $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$                               | $T_{c\bar{c}}(4020)^0$ [35]          | $J^{PC} = ?^{? -}$                | $h_c(2P)$ $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$       |
| $m_0 = 4000^{+17}_{-14}{}^{+29}_{-22}$       | $\Gamma_0 = 184^{+71}_{-45}{}^{+97}_{-61}$      | $m_0 = 4025.5^{+2.0}_{-4.7} \pm 3.1$ | $\Gamma_0 = 23.0 \pm 6.0 \pm 1.0$ | $m_0 = 3956$ $\Gamma_0 = 87$      |
| $\chi_{c1}(4010)$                            | $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$                               |                                      |                                   | $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ |
| $m_0 = 4012.5^{+3.6}_{-3.9}{}^{+4.1}_{-3.7}$ | $\Gamma_0 = 62.7^{+7.0}_{-6.4}{}^{+6.4}_{-6.6}$ |                                      |                                   | $m_0 = 3953$ $\Gamma_0 = 165$     |
| $h_c(4300)$                                  | $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$                               |                                      |                                   | $h_c(3P)$ $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$       |
| $m_0 = 4307.3^{+6.4}_{-6.6}{}^{+3.3}_{-4.1}$ | $\Gamma_0 = 58^{+28}_{-16}{}^{+28}_{-25}$       | $\chi_c(4274)$ [36]                  | $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$                 | $m_0 = 4318$ $\Gamma_0 = 75$      |
|                                              |                                                 | $m_0 = 4294 \pm 4^{+6}_{-3}$         | $\Gamma_0 = 53 \pm 5 \pm 5$       | $\chi_{c1}(3P)$ $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ |
|                                              |                                                 |                                      |                                   | $m_0 = 4317$ $\Gamma_0 = 39$      |

- different  $D^{*\pm} D^{\mp}$  mass distributions due to interference of two  $C$ -parities
- At least three charmonium(-like) states are observed for the first time, which are candidates for  $h_c(2P)$ ,  $\chi_{c1}(2P)$  and  $h_c(3P)$

**Zc(3900)<sup>+</sup>**

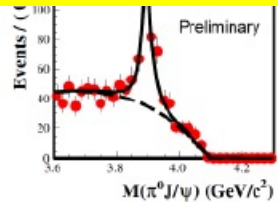
PRL 110, 252001 (2013)



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ J/\psi$$

**Zc(3900)<sup>0</sup>**

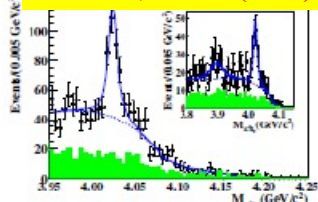
PRL 115, 112003 (2015)



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 J/\psi$$

**Zc(4020)<sup>+</sup>**

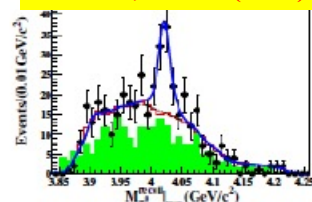
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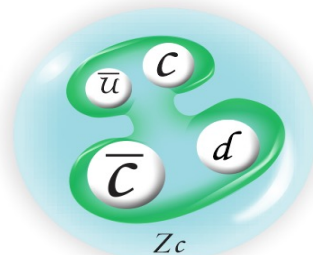
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ h_c$$

**Zc(4020)<sup>0</sup>**

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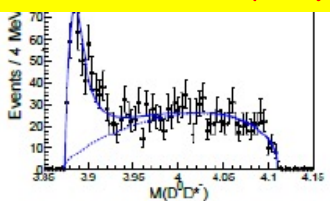


$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c$$



**Zc(3885)<sup>+</sup>**

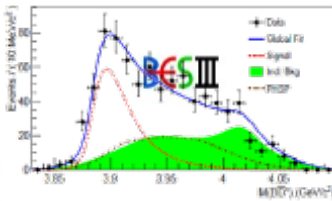
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$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- (D \bar{D}^*)^+$$

**Zc(3885)<sup>0</sup>**

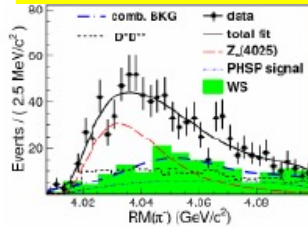
PRL 115, 222002 (2015)



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 (D^* \bar{D})^0$$

**Zc(4025)<sup>+</sup>**

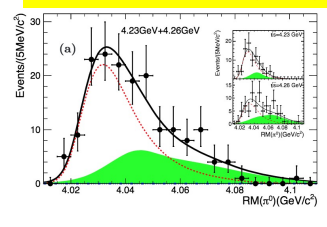
PRL 112, 132001 (2014)



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- (D^* \bar{D}^*)^+$$

**Zc(4025)<sup>0</sup>**

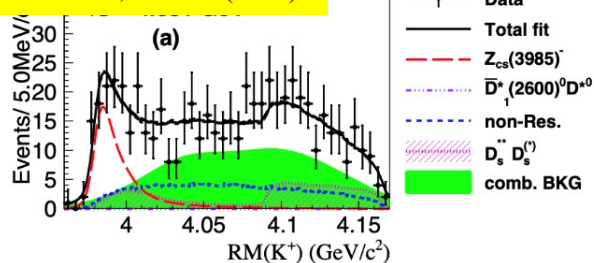
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$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 (D^* \bar{D}^*)^0$$

**Zcs(3985)<sup>-</sup>**

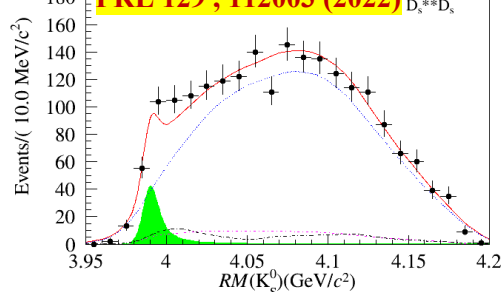
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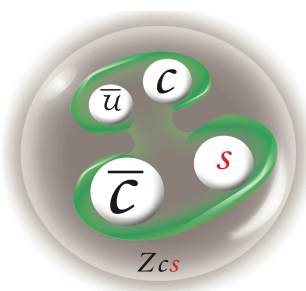
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow K^+ (D^{*0} D_s^- + D^0 D_s^-)$$

**Zcs(3985)<sup>0</sup>**

PRL 129, 112003 (2022)



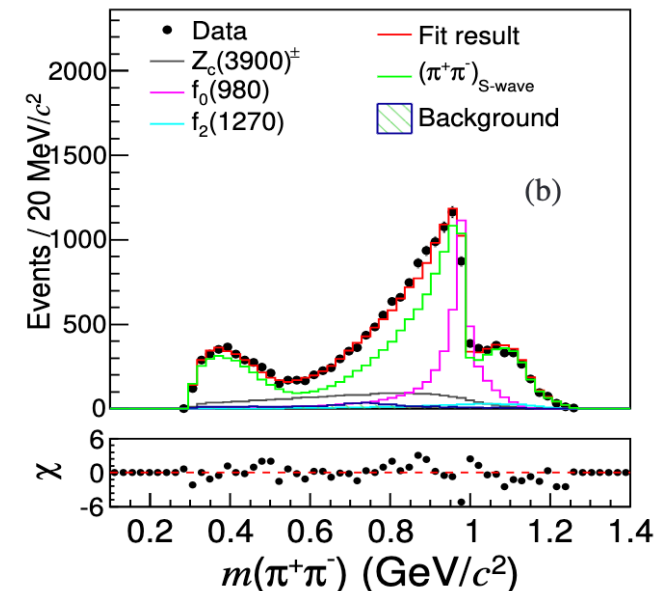
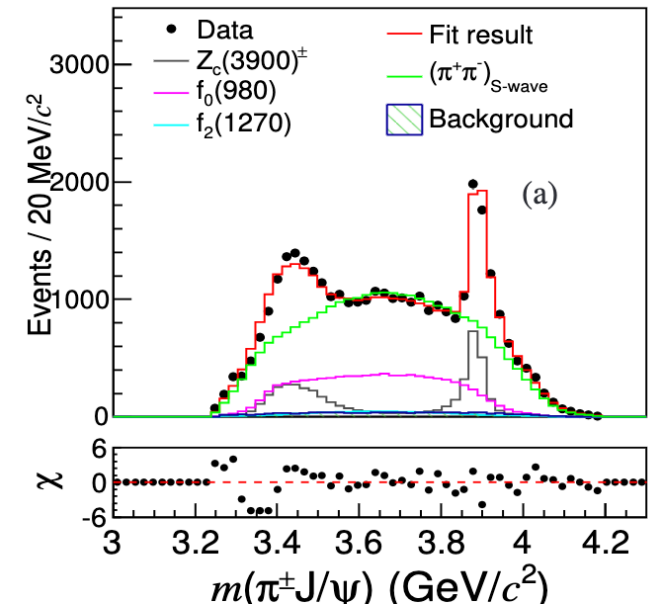
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow K_s^0 (D^{*+} D_s^+ + D^- D_s^+)$$

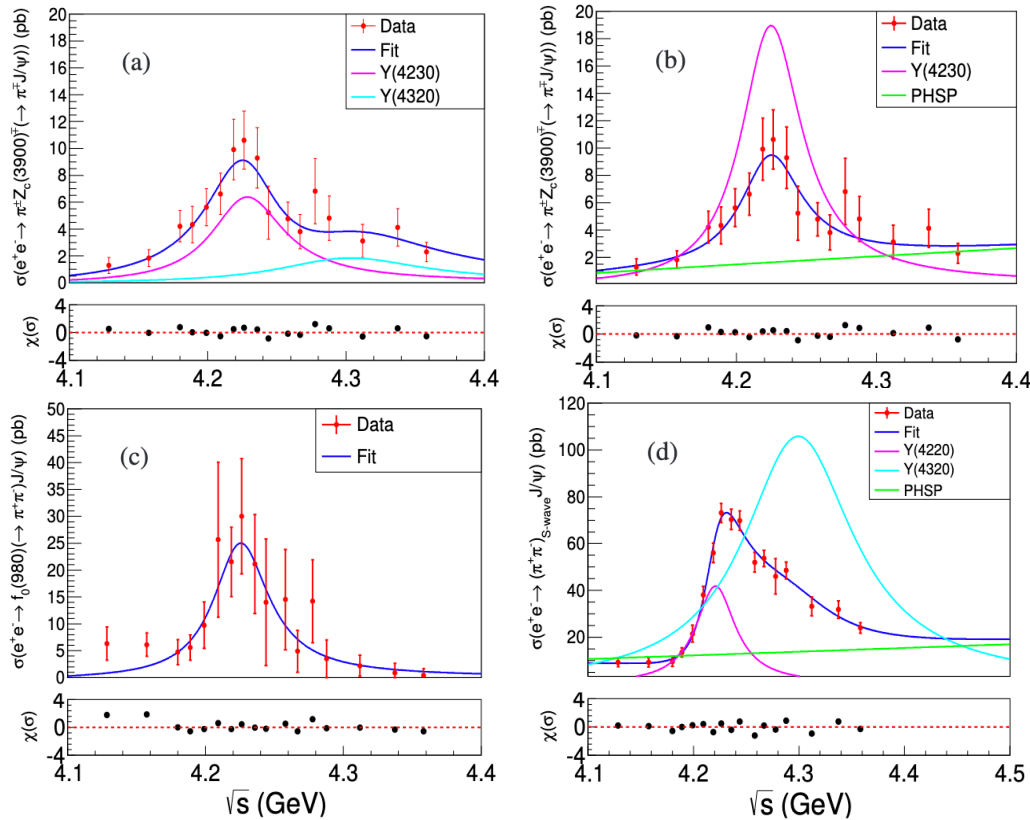


- Based on  $12.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of  $e^+e^-$  collision data between 4.1271 and 4.3583 GeV
- $Z_c(3900)$ : BW model with constant width
- $f_0(980)$  seen at all energy points

| Sample          | $M \text{ (MeV}/c^2\text{)}$ | $\Gamma \text{ (MeV)}$ |
|-----------------|------------------------------|------------------------|
| 4.1567 – 4.1989 | $3883.5 \pm 1.6$             | $38.6 \pm 3.6$         |
| 4.2091 – 4.2357 | $3884.0 \pm 1.0$             | $37.8 \pm 1.6$         |
| 4.2438 – 4.2776 | $3884.9 \pm 1.8$             | $34.2 \pm 3.3$         |
| 4.2866 – 4.3583 | $3890.0 \pm 2.3$             | $36.1 \pm 4.2$         |
| Average         | $3884.6 \pm 0.7 \pm 3.3$     | $37.2 \pm 1.3 \pm 6.6$ |

| State           | Mass (MeV/ $c^2$ )                       | Width (MeV)                             | Decay              | Process                                       |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| $Z_c(3885)^\pm$ | $3883.9 \pm 1.5 \pm 4.2$<br>Single D tag | $24.8 \pm 3.3 \pm 11.0$<br>Single D tag | $(D\bar{D}^*)^\pm$ | $e^+e^- \rightarrow (D\bar{D}^*)^\pm \pi^\mp$ |
|                 | $3881.7 \pm 1.6 \pm 2.1$<br>Double D tag | $26.6 \pm 2.0 \pm 2.3$<br>Double D tag  | $(D\bar{D}^*)^\pm$ | $e^+e^- \rightarrow (D\bar{D}^*)^\pm \pi^\mp$ |
| $Z_c(3885)^0$   | $3885.7^{+4.3}_{-5.7} \pm 8.4$           | $35^{+11}_{-12} \pm 15$                 | $(D\bar{D}^*)^0$   | $e^+e^- \rightarrow (D\bar{D}^*)^0 \pi^0$     |





| Process                                         | Y(4220)                   |                          | Y(4320)      |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
|                                                 | $M$ (MeV/ $c^2$ )         | $\Gamma$ (MeV)           | Significance |
| $\pi^\pm Z_c(3900)^\mp$ (model I)               | $4227.0 \pm 7.0 \pm 6.1$  | $64.4 \pm 17.2 \pm 22.3$ | $2.1\sigma$  |
| $\pi^\pm Z_c(3900)^\mp$ (model II)              | $4223.5 \pm 6.6 \pm 0.6$  | $52.8 \pm 20.2 \pm 0.3$  | $1.9\sigma$  |
| $f_0(980)J/\psi$ (model III)                    | $4224.6 \pm 4.5 \pm 0.6$  | $46.4 \pm 8.0 \pm 0.2$   | $0.3\sigma$  |
| $(\pi^+\pi^-)_{S\text{-wave}}J/\psi$ (model IV) | $4220.6 \pm 3.2 \pm 12.7$ | $45.4 \pm 5.8 \pm 6.3$   | $12.2\sigma$ |
| $Y(4220)^{\text{ave}}$                          | $4225.8 \pm 4.2 \pm 3.1$  | $55.3 \pm 9.5 \pm 11.1$  |              |

# Amplitude analysis of $B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \psi(2S)$

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in preparation

• About  $T_{c\bar{c}1}(4430)^+$

• Discovered by Belle in 2007 in  $B^{+,0} \rightarrow K^{0,-} \pi^+ \psi(2S)$

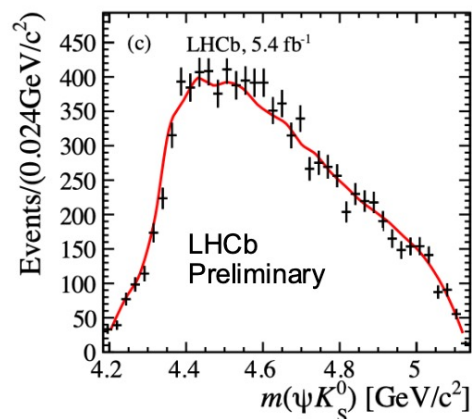
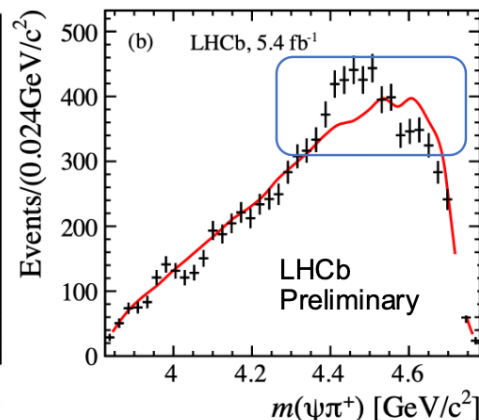
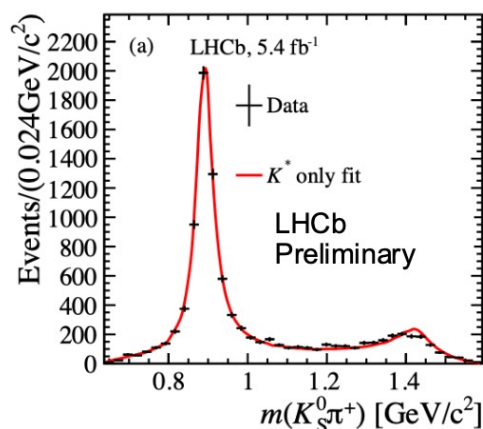
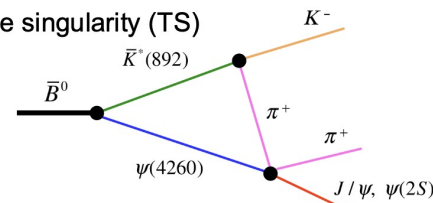
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• Confirmed by LHCb  $J^P = 1^+$  in  $B^0$  decays.

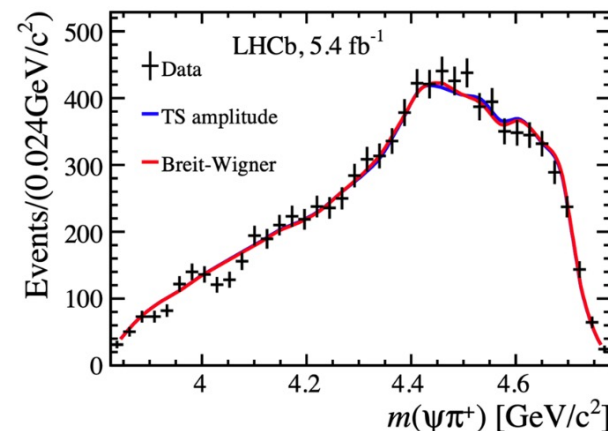
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4-dimensional amplitude analysis based on RUN 2 data

Triangle singularity (TS)



$K^*$  states alone cannot describe the  $\psi(2S)\pi^+$  enhancement around 4.4 GeV in data

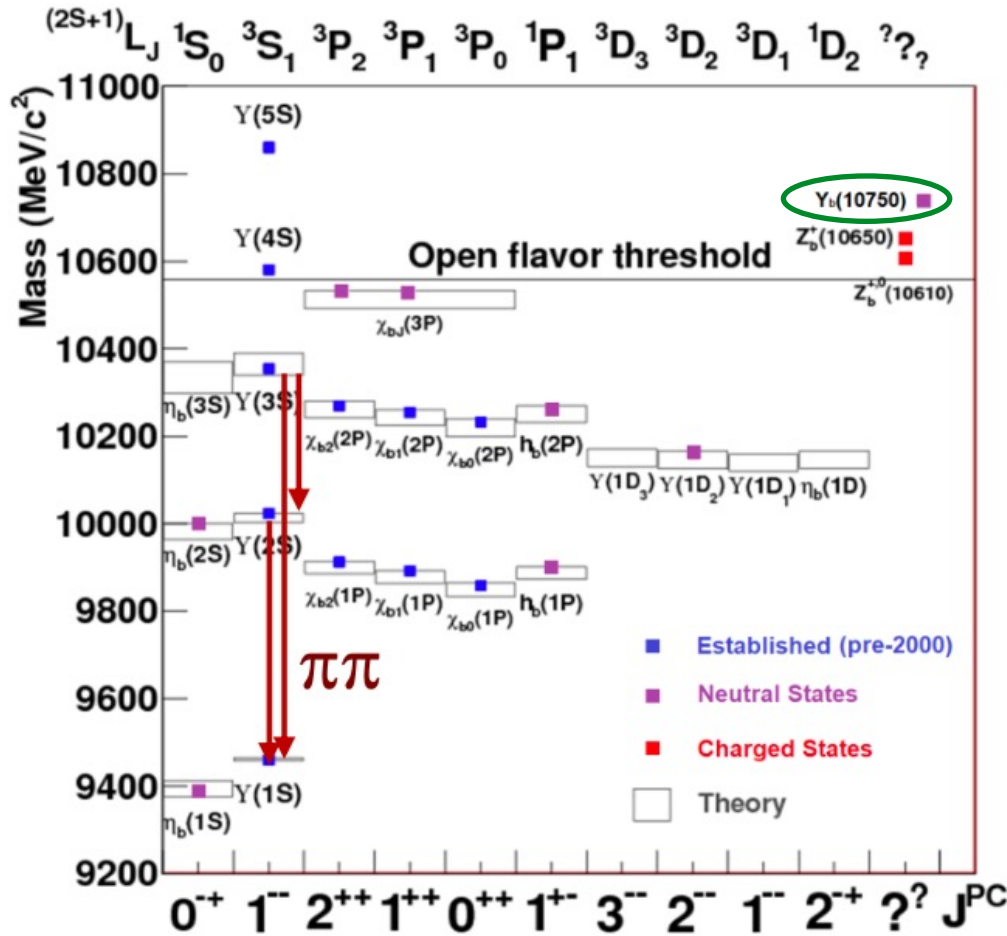


model with a rel. BW state

| $m(\text{GeV}/c^2)$                 | $\Gamma(\text{GeV})$                |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| $4.452 \pm 0.016^{+0.023}_{-0.033}$ | $0.174 \pm 0.019^{+0.075}_{-0.020}$ |

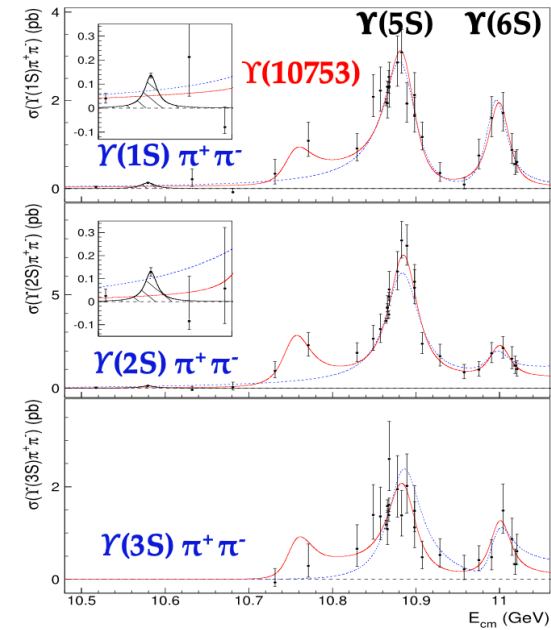
- $J^P = 1^+$  is determined unambiguously
- consistent with previous measurements

# Bottomium(-like) [ $b\bar{b}$ ] states



Belle, JHEP10, 220 (2019)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow Y(nS) \pi^+ \pi^-$  cross sections

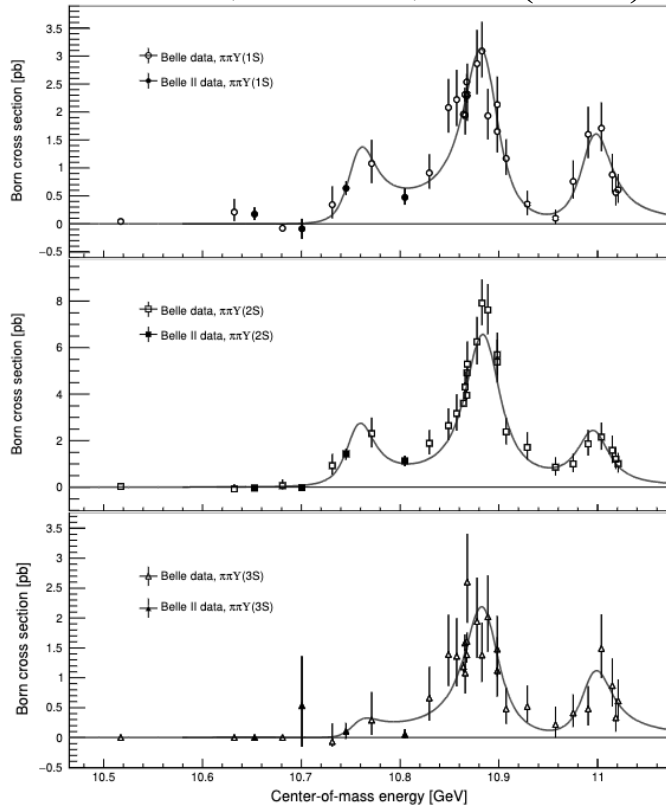


$Y(10753)$  property has Very high partial widths of hadronic transitions

- D-wave state with S-D mixing enhanced due to hadron loops
- exotic state: hybrid, tetraquark

# Further investigation on the $\Upsilon(10753)$

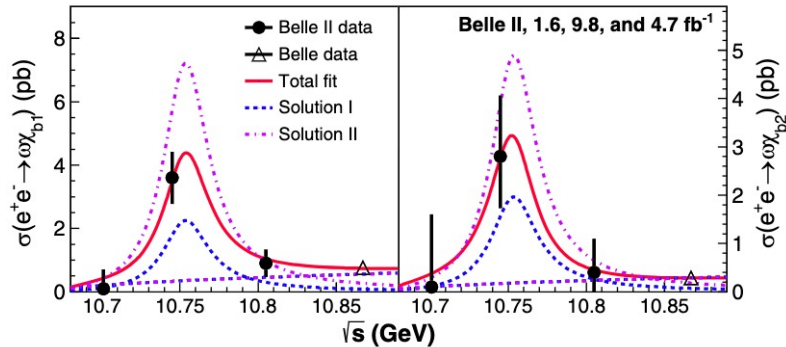
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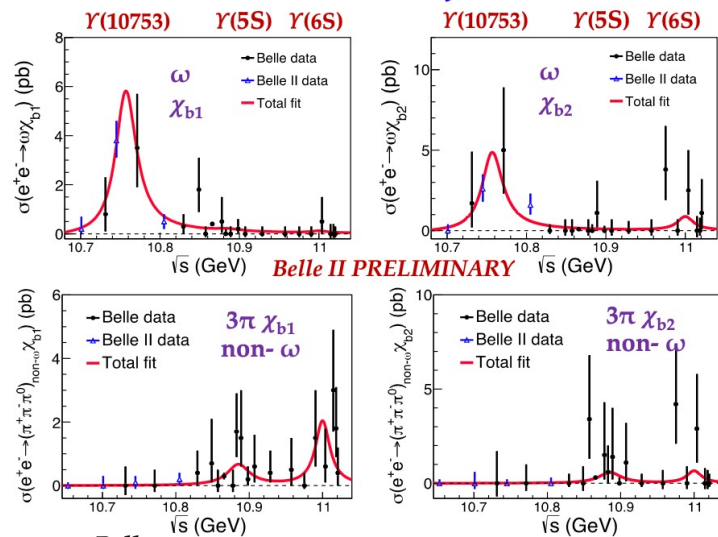
**Excellent confirmation**

- $M = (10756.6 \pm 2.7 \pm 0.9) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- $\Gamma = (29.0 \pm 8.8 \pm 1.2) \text{ MeV}$

Belle II, PRL130, 091902 (2023)



observation of  $\Upsilon(10753) \rightarrow \omega\chi_{b1,2}$



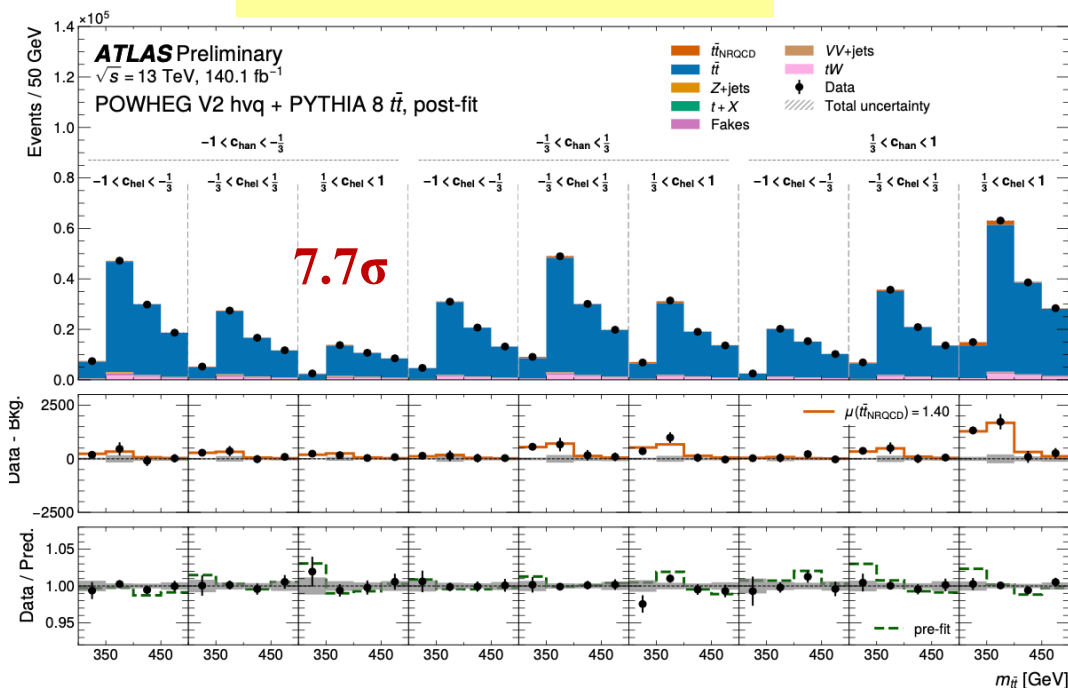
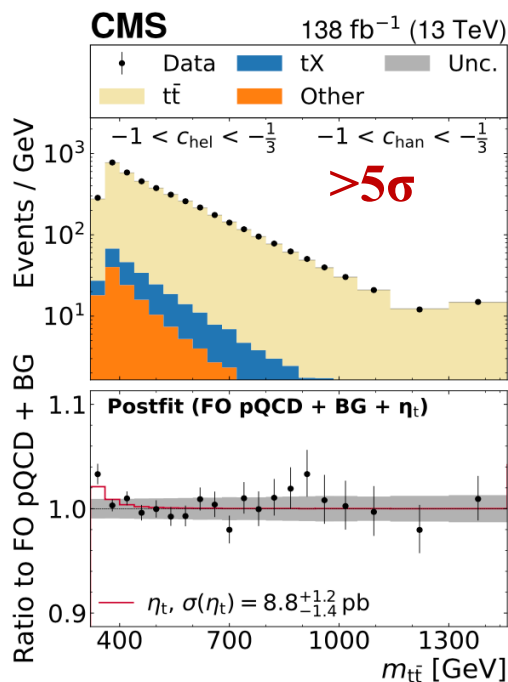
Different resonances display different preferences for  $\omega$  vs.  $3\pi$  (non- $\omega$ ) decays!

# Toponium [ $t\bar{t}$ ] state?

- $t\bar{t}$  pairs do not form stable bound states given the short lifetime of the top quark
- Non-Relativistic QCD predicts the formation at threshold ( $m_{t\bar{t}} \sim 345$  GeV) of **quasi-bound-state (Toponium)**: spin-singlet-color-singlet  $^1S_0^{[1]} \eta_t$
- Experimentally extremely challenging: small effect (1% of total xs) and very large experimental resolution

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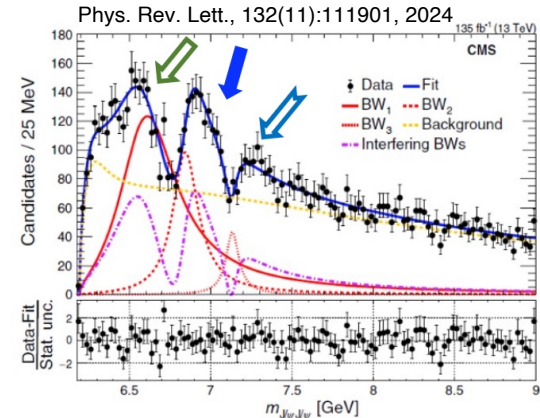
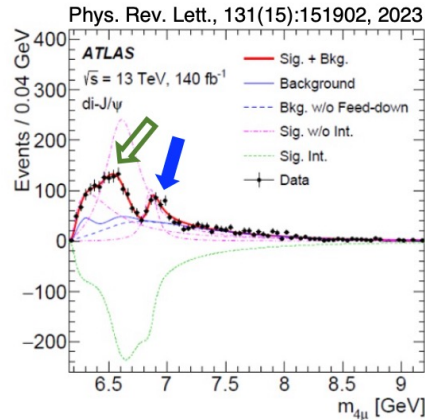
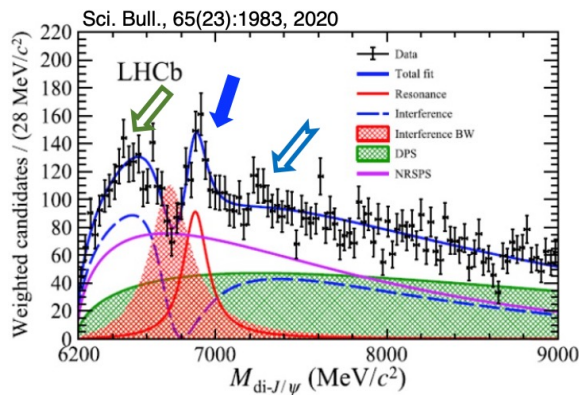
CMS, arXiv:2503.22382;  
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Data are consistent with a color-singlet  
 $^1S_0^{[1]} t\bar{t}$  quasi-bound state  $\eta_t$

# Study on fully heavy tetraquark state

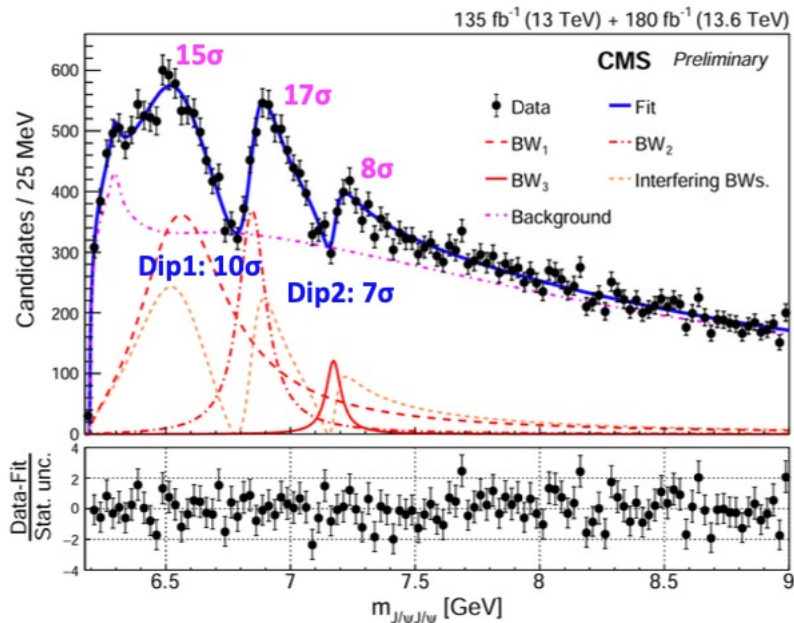
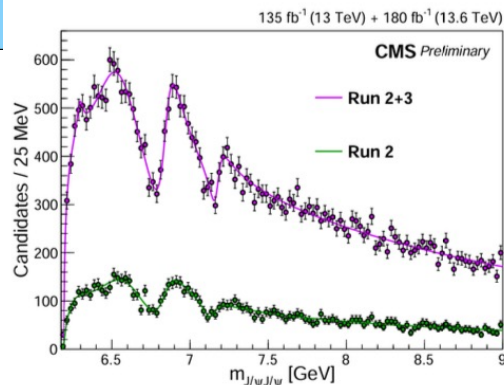
- ❖ Existence of  $T_{Q_1 Q_2 \bar{Q}_3 \bar{Q}_4}$  states ( $Q_i = c$  or  $b$ ) is expected by many QCD models
- ❖  $T_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}}$  was searched for at LHCb and CMS, but not observed  
[LHCb, JHEP 10, 086 (2018); CMS, PLB808, 135578(2020)]
- ❖  $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$  states predicted to have  $M \in [5.8, 7.4]$  GeV/ $c$ , away from known quarkonia and quarkonium-like exotic states
- ❖ LHCb observation of the first fully charmed tetraquark state X(6900) [ $cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$ ] in  $J/\psi + J/\psi$  final states [LHCb, Sci. Bull. 23, 1983 (2020)]



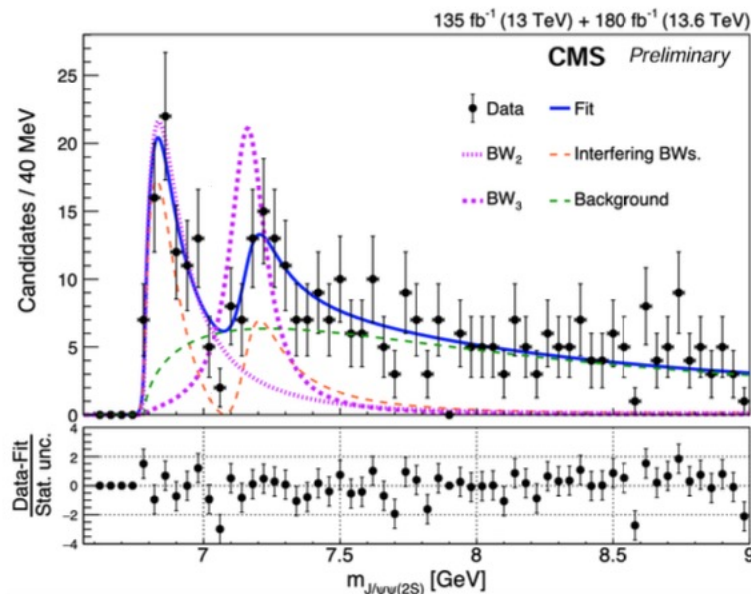
- ❖ ATLAS and CMS both confirmed the X(6900) state in  $J/\psi + J/\psi$  final states
- ❖ CMS observed a new structure X(6600) and find an evidence of the X(7100)
- ❖ LHCb, ATLAS and CMS all see a broad enhancement at the low mass region

# Fully charmed tetraquark [ $cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$ ] with run 2+3 data

BPH-24-003



| Parameter             | Run 2 [12]<br>[Interf.]                     | Run 2 + 3<br>[Interf.]                  |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| $m(\text{BW}_1)$      | 6638 <sup>+43+16</sup> <sub>-38-31</sub>    | 6593 <sup>+15</sup> <sub>-14</sub> ± 25 |
| $\Gamma(\text{BW}_1)$ | 440 <sup>+230+110</sup> <sub>-200-240</sub> | 446 <sup>+66</sup> <sub>-54</sub> ± 87  |
| $m(\text{BW}_2)$      | 6847 <sup>+44+48</sup> <sub>-28-20</sub>    | 6847 <sup>+10</sup> <sub>-10</sub> ± 15 |
| $\Gamma(\text{BW}_2)$ | 191 <sup>+66+25</sup> <sub>-49-17</sub>     | 135 <sup>+16</sup> <sub>-14</sub> ± 14  |
| $m(\text{BW}_3)$      | 7134 <sup>+48+41</sup> <sub>-25-15</sub>    | 7173 <sup>+9</sup> <sub>-10</sub> ± 13  |
| $\Gamma(\text{BW}_3)$ | 97 <sup>+40+29</sup> <sub>-29-26</sub>      | 73 <sup>+18</sup> <sub>-15</sub> ± 10   |

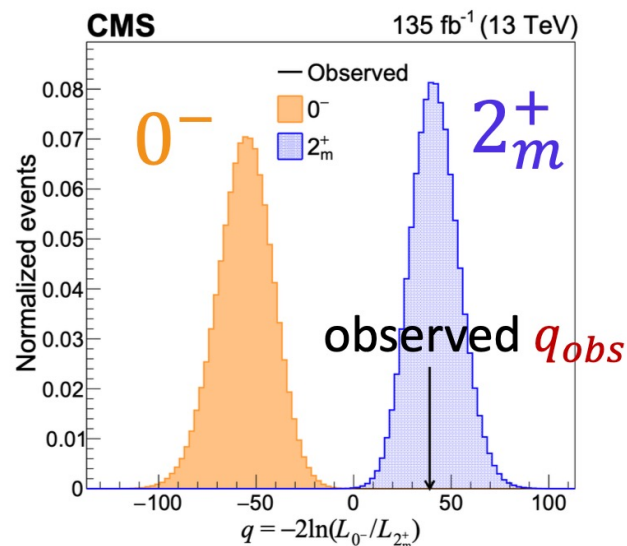
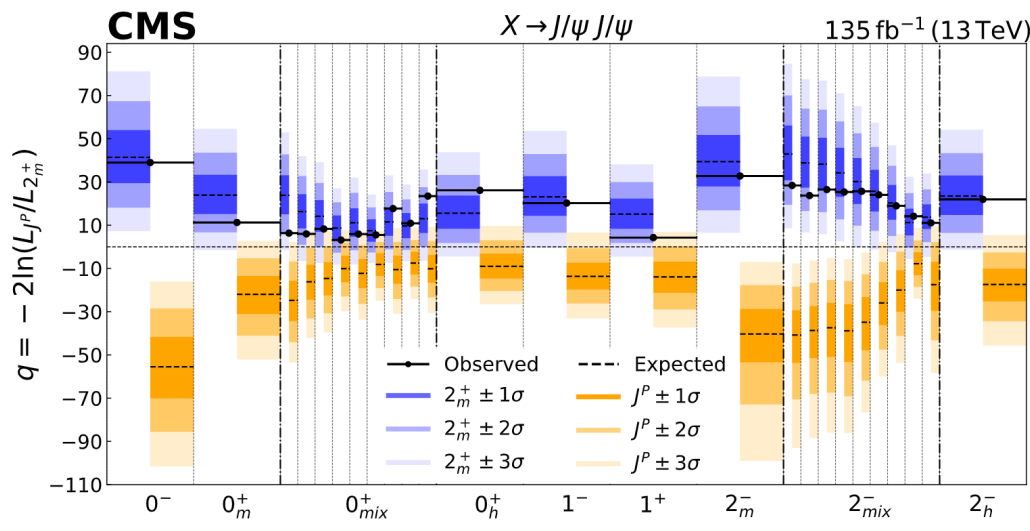
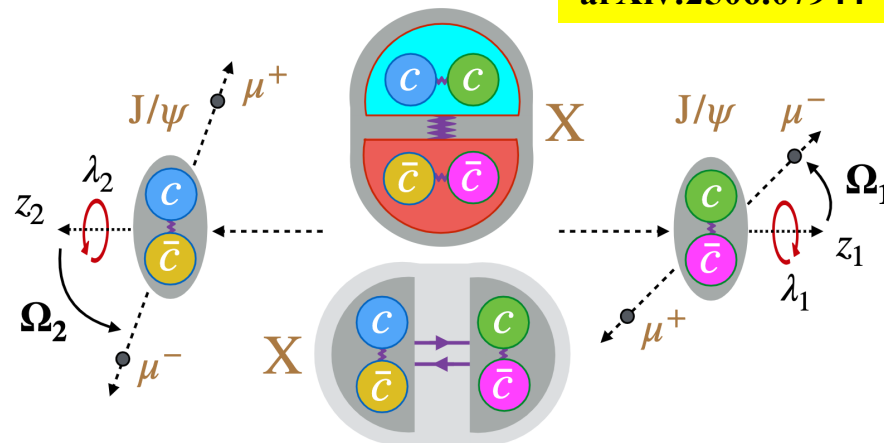
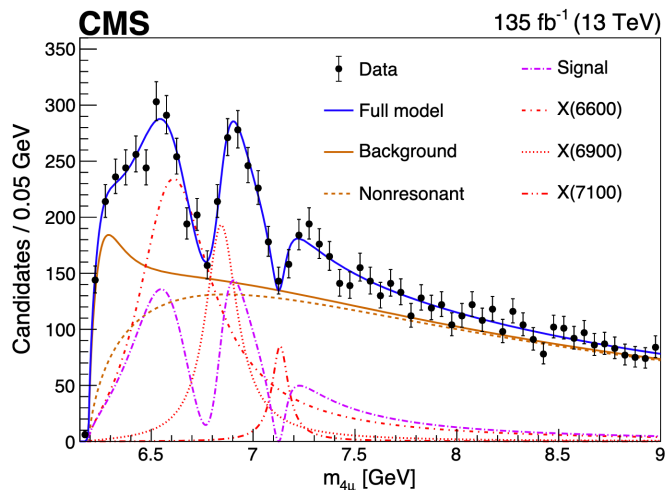


- All states and dips are above 5σ
- Interferences are necessary

- Significance of  $X(6900) = 7.9\sigma$
- Significance of  $X(7100) = 4.0\sigma$

# Spin analysis of $X[cc\bar{c}\bar{c}]$ states

arXiv:2506.07944



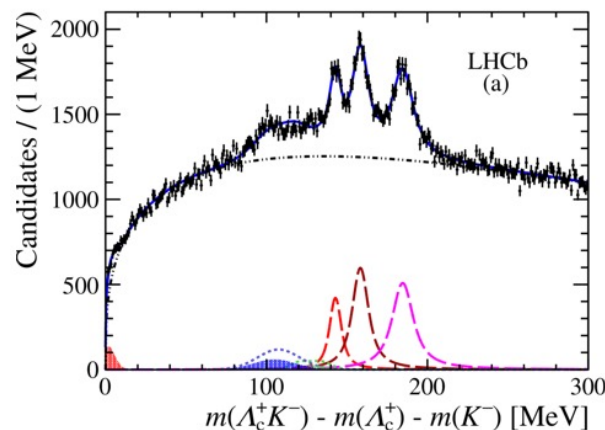
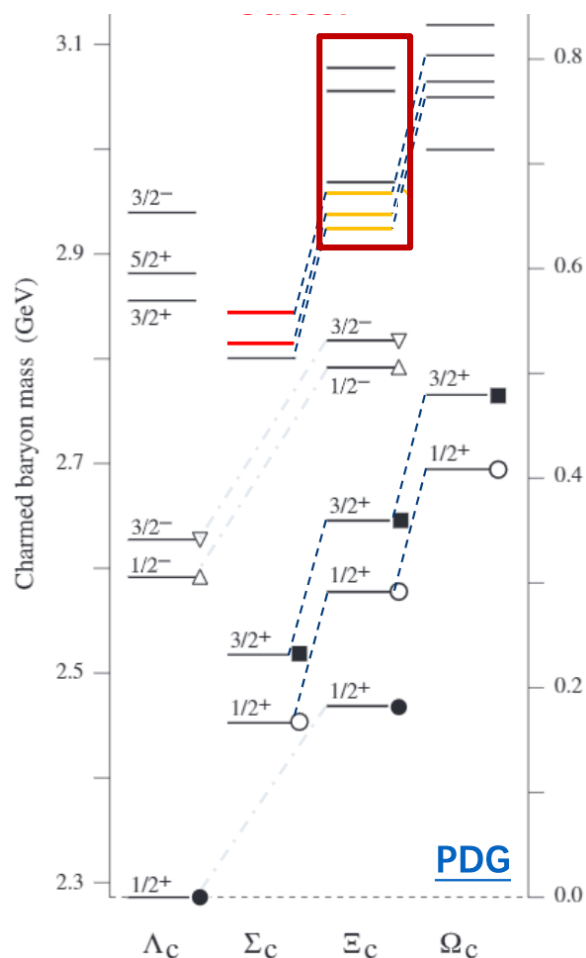
$J^{PC} = 2^{++}$  interpretation is preferred for the fully charmed tetraquark states  $X(6600)$ ,  $X(6900)$ , and  $X(7100)$ .



# Heavy baryons

# Observation of new $\Xi_c$ baryons

- Three excited  $\Xi_c^0$  are observed in decaying into  $\Lambda_c^+ K^-$

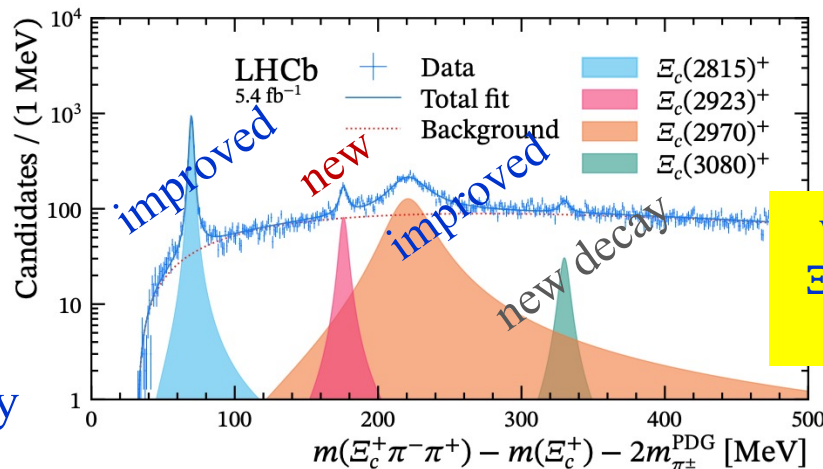


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- $\Xi_c(2923)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-$
- $\Xi_c(2939)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-$
- $\Xi_c(2965)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-$
- $\Xi_c(2923)^+ \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+$
- $\Xi_c(3055)^+ \rightarrow \Sigma_c^{++}(\rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^+) K^-$
- $\Xi_c(3055)^0 \rightarrow \Sigma_c^+(\rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^0) K^-$
- $\Xi_c(3080)^+ \rightarrow \Sigma_c^{++}(\rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^+) K^-$
- $\Xi_c(3080)^0 \rightarrow \Sigma_c^+(\rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^0) K^-$
- Background

- Four excited  $\Xi_c^+$  are observed in decaying into  $\Xi_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

arXiv:2502.18987



wider width of  $\Xi_c(2970)^+$  than  $\Xi_c(2965)^0$

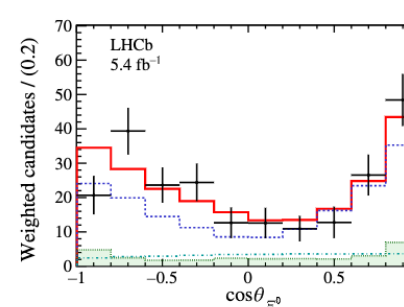
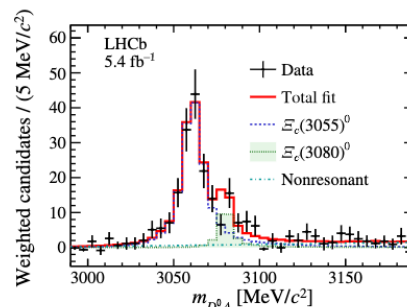
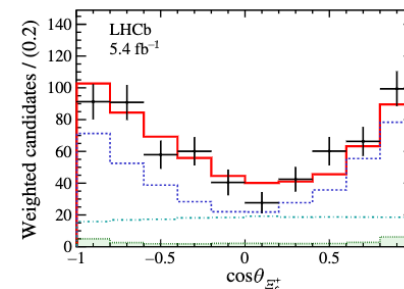
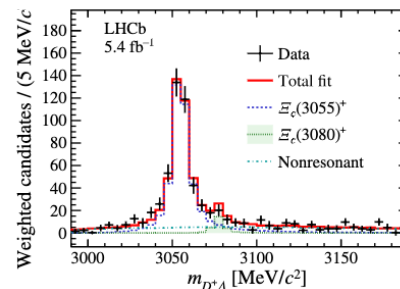
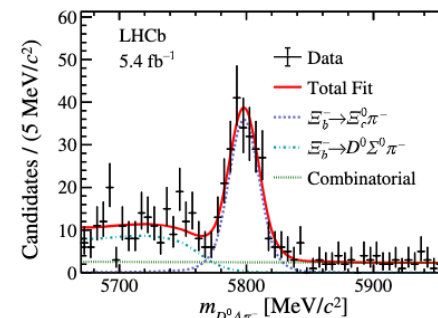
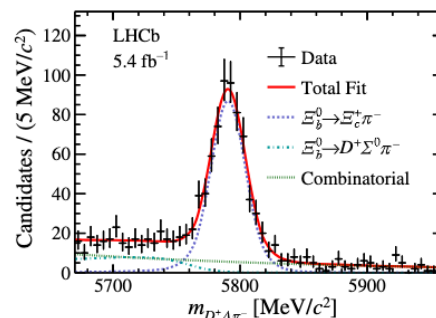
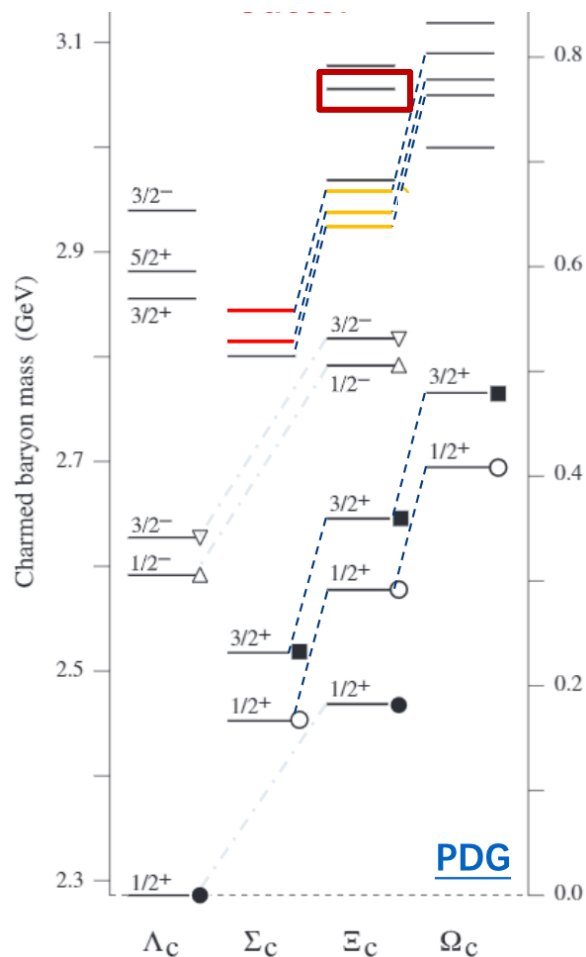
Expecting a rich spectrum of charmed baryon states; yet many states not observed yet

# Spin-parity of the $\Xi_c(3055)$

Amplitude analysis of the cascade weak decay of

$$\Xi_b^{0(-)} \rightarrow \Xi_c(3055)^{+(0)} (\rightarrow D^{+(0)} \Lambda) \pi^-$$

PRL 134.081901 (2025)



Expecting a rich spectrum of charmed baryon states; yet many states not observed yet

$J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+$  hypothesis favored over others:  
6.5(3.5) $\sigma$  for charged (neutral)  $\Xi_c(3055)$

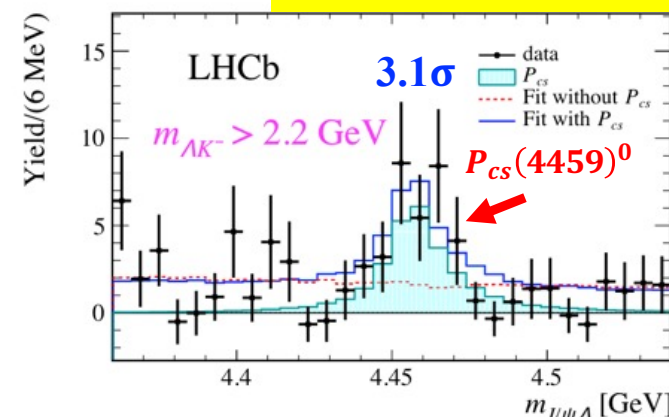
# Observation of the hidden-charm strange pentaquark [ $c\bar{c}uds$ ]

- LHCb found evidence for [ $c\bar{c}uds$ ] pentaquark candidate with strangeness:

$P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0$  in  $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$  decays, near threshold of  $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} m(P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0) &= 4458.8 \pm 2.9^{+4.7}_{-1.1} \text{ MeV} \\ \Gamma(P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0) &= 17.3 \pm 6.5^{+8.0}_{-5.7} \text{ MeV} \end{aligned}$$

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- $P_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$  observed in  $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p}$  ( $>10\sigma$ )

- $J^P = \frac{1}{2}^-$  preferred and close to  $\Xi_c^+ D^-$  threshold

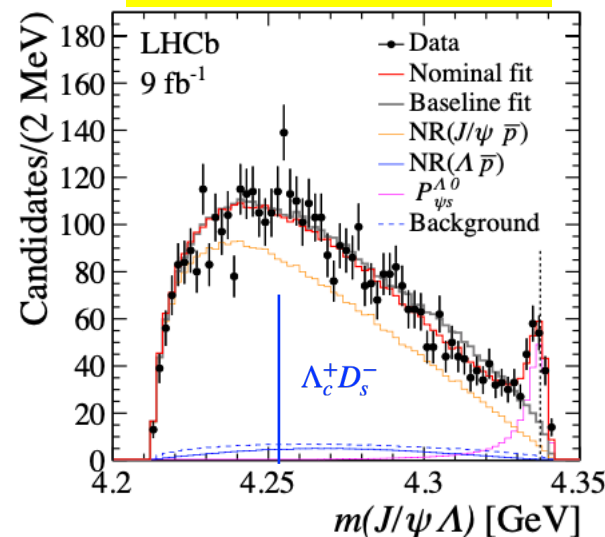
➤ 0.8 MeV above  $\Xi_c^+ D^-$ ;

➤ 2.9 MeV above  $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^0$

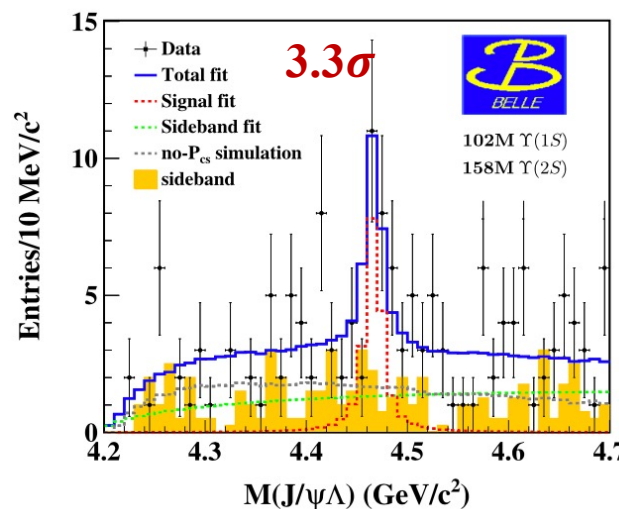
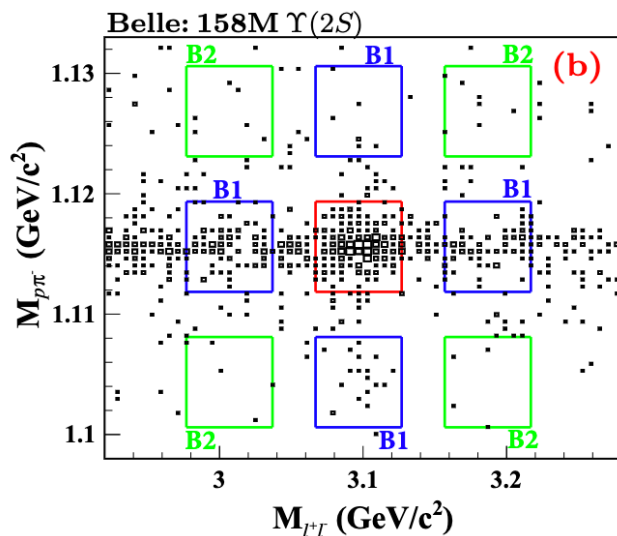
$$M_{P_{cs}} = 4338.2 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.4 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_{P_{cs}} = 7.0 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.3 \text{ MeV}$$

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Belle reports evidence for  $P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$  in inclusive  $\Upsilon(1S, 2S)$  decays



mass:  $4471.7 \pm 4.8 \pm 0.6$  MeV

width:  $22 \pm 13 \pm 3$  MeV

significance is  $3.3\sigma$  including systematics.

consistent with LHCb results

| Mode                                                                                      | $\mathcal{B}(\times 10^{-6})$ |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| $\Upsilon(1S) \rightarrow P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0 / \bar{P}_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0 + anything$ | $3.5 \pm 2.0 \pm 0.2$         |
| $\Upsilon(2S) \rightarrow P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0 / \bar{P}_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0 + anything$ | $2.9 \pm 1.7 \pm 0.4$         |
| $\Upsilon(1S) \rightarrow P_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0 / \bar{P}_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0 + anything$ | $< 1.8$                       |
| $\Upsilon(2S) \rightarrow P_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0 / \bar{P}_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0 + anything$ | $< 1.6$                       |

No evidence for  $P_{c\bar{c}s}(4338)^0$



# Summary

- An exciting period of finding new hadrons, among which most of them are candidates of exotic hadrons
- **Light hadrons:** high statistics data is crucial to identify exotic feature of different known states
  - strangeness(-like) states: axial-vector states  $h_1(1900)$  and  $h_1(2300)$
  - $1^{-+}$  spin-exotic state  $\pi_1(1600)$  observed in charmonium decays
- **Heavy hadrons:**
  - observation of the P-wave  $B_c^+(1P)$  states and the charged  $\Xi_c(2923)^+$
  - $T_{c\bar{s}}^{0/++}$  observed  $D_{s1}(2460)^+ \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$
  - better understanding of quarkonium(-like) states:  $h_c(4000)$ ,  $\chi_{c1}(4010)$  and  $h_c(4300)$ ;  $Y(4500)$ ,  $Y(4710)$  and  $Y(4790)$ ;  $Y(10753)$ ;  $[Q\bar{Q}]$  or  $[Q\bar{Q} q\bar{q}]$ ?  
Observation of toponium  $\eta_t$ ?
  - advances in fully charmed tetraquark:  $X(6600)$ ,  $X(6900)$  and  $X(7100)$  [ $c\bar{c}c\bar{c}$ ]
- More results based on higher statistics data can be expected regarding to the upcoming  $3\times\mathcal{L}$  upgraded BEPCII-U, ongoing LHC RUN3 and Belle II.



Thank you!

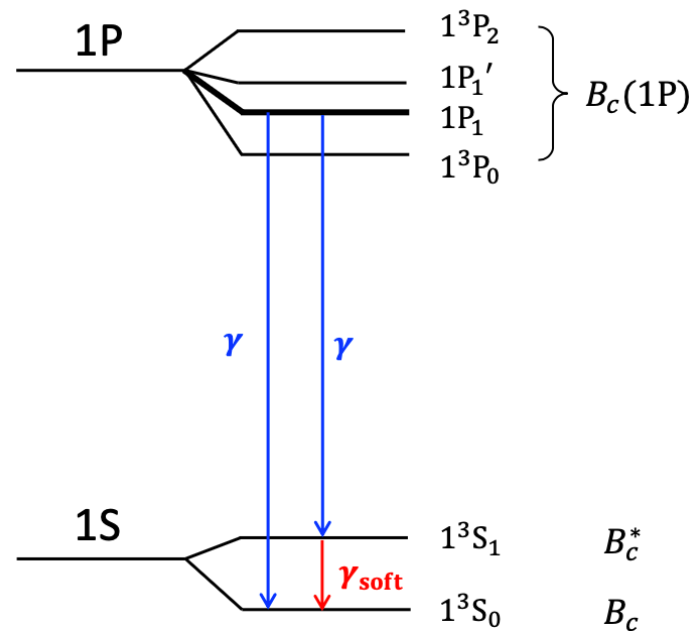
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# Backup

◎ Recall that the  $1P_1', 1P_1$  are mixtures of  $1^1P_1, 1^3P_1$  states

| States | $1^3P_0$                                  | $1P_1$                                    | $1P_1'$                                   | $1^3P_2$                                  |
|--------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| Decays | $B_c^{*+}(\rightarrow B_c^+\gamma)\gamma$ | $B_c^+\gamma$                             | $B_c^+\gamma$                             | $B_c^{*+}(\rightarrow B_c^+\gamma)\gamma$ |
|        |                                           | $B_c^{*+}(\rightarrow B_c^+\gamma)\gamma$ | $B_c^{*+}(\rightarrow B_c^+\gamma)\gamma$ |                                           |
| #peaks | 1                                         | 2                                         | 2                                         | 1                                         |



◎ The value  $\delta M = M(B_c^*) - M(B_c)$  is unknown since  $B_c^*$  has not been observed yet

# Open flavor tetraquark

- D0 claimed evidence for the X(5568) in decaying to  $B_s \pi^+$ , interpreted as tetraquark state [ $b\bar{s}ud$ ], but not seen in other experiments
- **Observation of the open flavor tetraquark states  $X_0(2900)$  and  $X_1(2900)$  [ $b\bar{s}u\bar{d}$ ] in  $B^+ \rightarrow D^+ D^- K^+$**
- The  $D_{s0}^*(2317)^+$  ( $D_s^+ \pi^0$ ) state was observed in 2003.
- It is argued to contain some **tetraquark component** in several theoretical descriptions, whose  $I = 1$  partners can exist in the  $D_s^+ \pi^\pm$  final states.
- Cheng & Hou: It would be astonishing if a doubly charged resonance is found. [PLB 566, 193 (2003)]

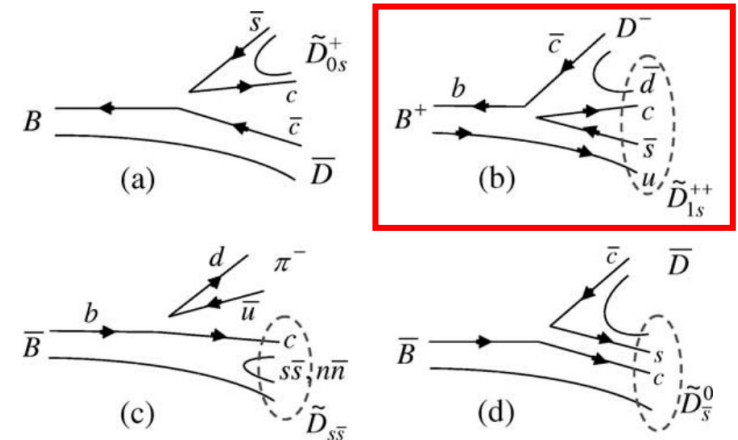
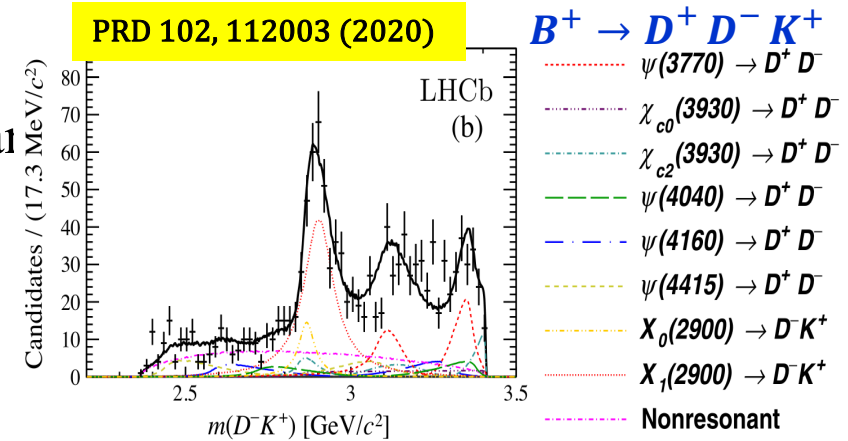


Fig. 2. Diagrams for (a)  $B \rightarrow \tilde{D} \tilde{D}_{0s}^+$ , (b)  $B^+ \rightarrow D^- \tilde{D}_{1s}^{++}$  ( $B \rightarrow \tilde{D} \tilde{D}_{1s}^+$ ), (c)  $\bar{B} \rightarrow \pi^- \tilde{D}_{s\bar{s}}, \pi^- \tilde{D}$ , (d)  $B \rightarrow D \tilde{D}_{\bar{s}}^0$ .

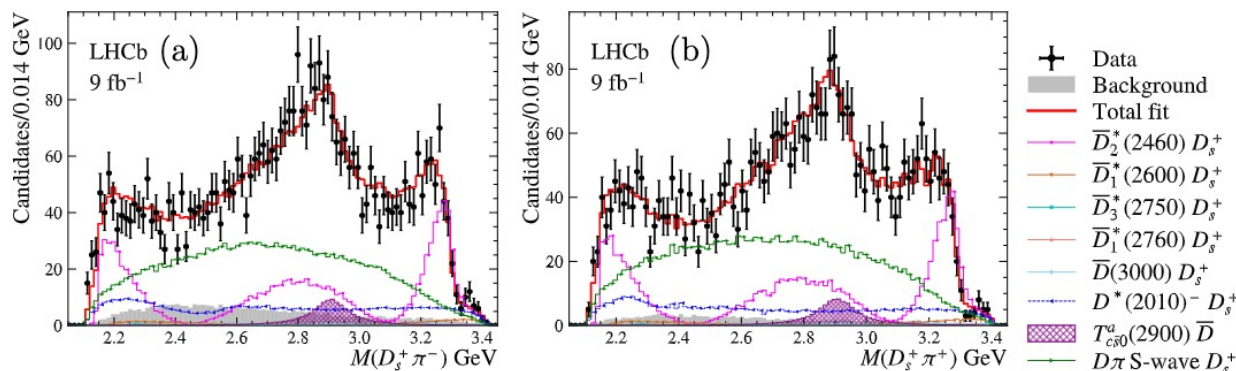
# Observation of a doubly charged tetraquark $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^{++}$ [ $c\bar{s}u\bar{d}$ ] and its neutral partner $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^0$ [ $c\bar{s}u\bar{d}$ ]

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- First simultaneous amplitude analysis of  $B^+ \rightarrow D^- D_s^+ \pi^+$  &  $B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D_s^+ \pi^-$  with RUN 1+2 9 fb<sup>-1</sup> data

- $D_s \pi$  mass spectra well described by adding  $J^P = 0^+$  ( $> 7.5 \sigma$ )

$$T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900) > 9 \sigma$$



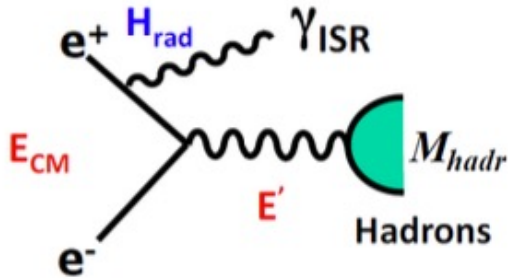
|                                                          | Mass (GeV)                  | Width (GeV)                 | $J^P$ |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^0$ & $T_{c\bar{s}0}^*(2900)^{++}$ | $2.908 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.020$ | $0.136 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.020$ | $0^+$ |
| $X_0(2900)/T_{cs0}^*(2870)$                              | $2.866 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.002$ | $0.057 \pm 0.012 \pm 0.004$ | $0^+$ |
| $X_1(2900)/T_{cs1}^*(2900)$                              | $2.904 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.001$ | $0.110 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.004$ | $1^-$ |

- $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)$  v.s.  $X_0(2900)$ 
  - ✓ Similar mass, but width and flavor contents are different.

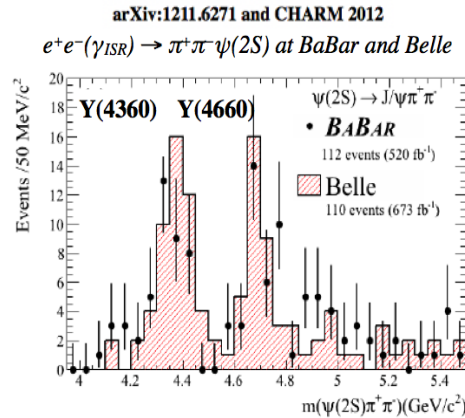
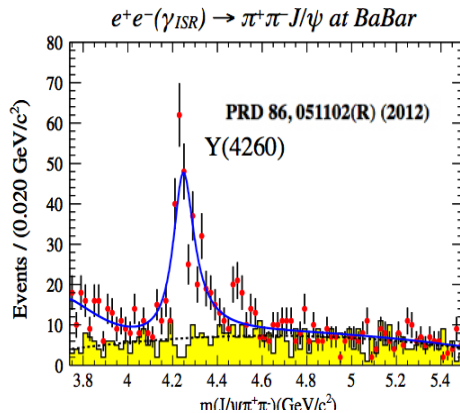
See parallel talk by Raul Rabadan

- no isospin relation:** [ $c\bar{s}u\bar{d}$ ] v.s. [ $csu\bar{d}$ ]
- U-spin relation:** [ $c\bar{s}u\bar{d}$ ] v.s. [ $c\bar{d}u\bar{s}$ ]
- $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)$  mass and width larger than  $T_{cs0}(2900)$

# The Y states

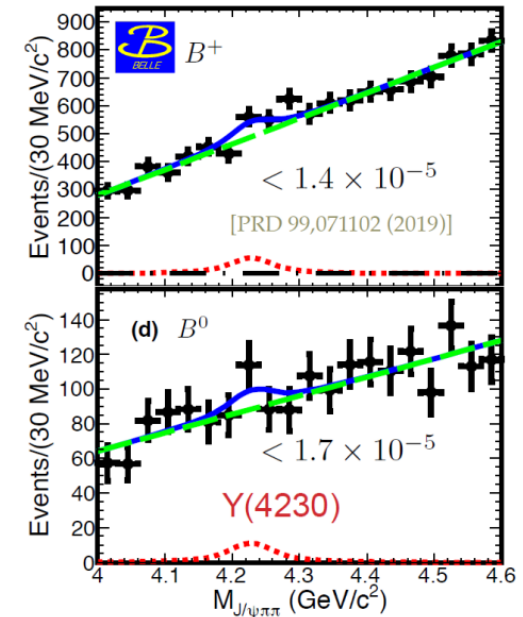


**Y states:** charmonium-like states with  $J^{PC}=1^{--}$ ;  
Observed in direct  $e^+e^-$  annihilation or initial  
state radiation (ISR).

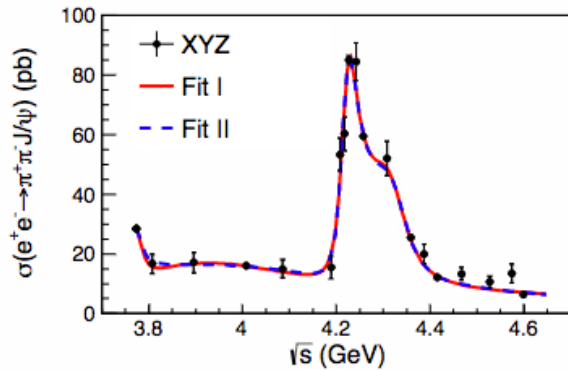


- While not seen yet in B decays

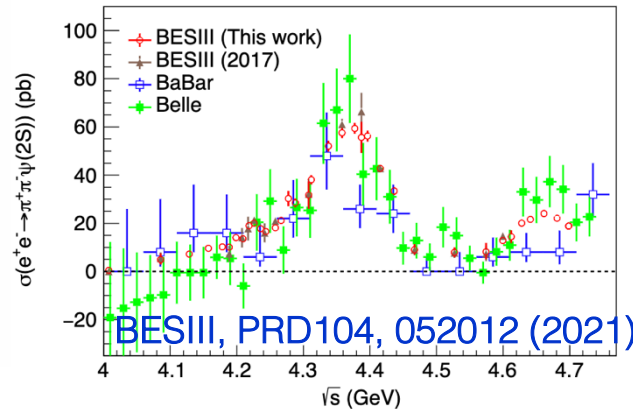
$$B^{\pm,0} \rightarrow K^{\pm,0} \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi$$



- Improved knowledges from BESIII



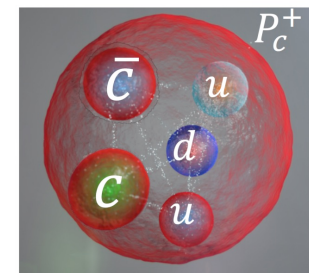
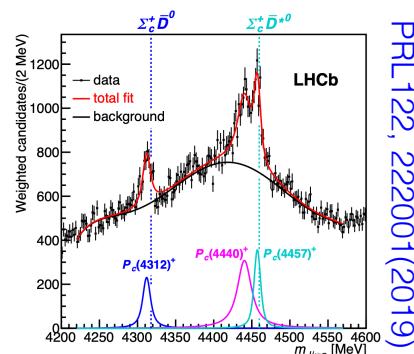
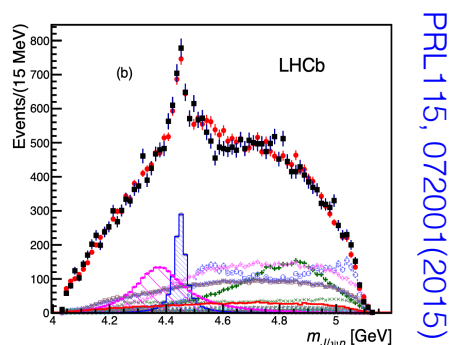
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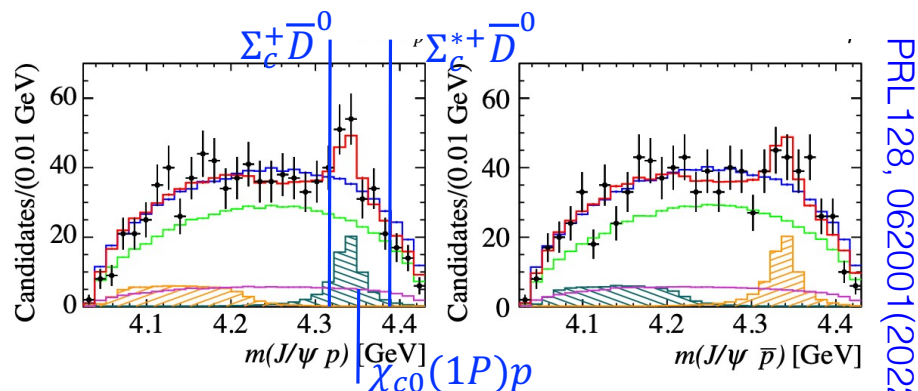
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# Pentaquark states at LHCb

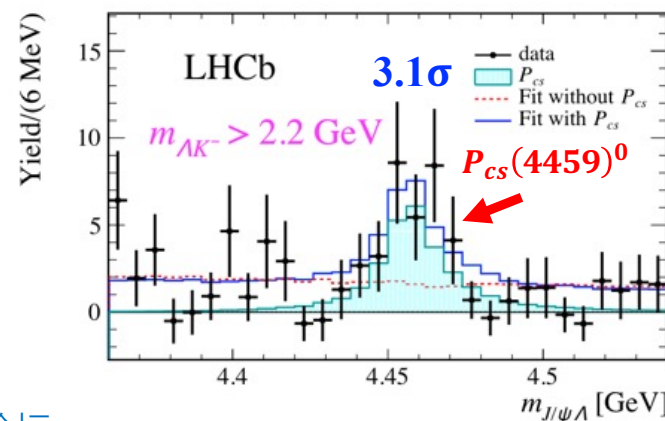
- Observation of  $[c\bar{c}uud]$  pentaquarks:  $P_{c\bar{c}}(4312)^+$ ,  $P_{c\bar{c}}(4440)^+$ ,  $P_{c\bar{c}}(4457)^+$  in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$  decays; near thresholds of  $\Sigma_c^+ \bar{D}^0$ ,  $\Sigma_c^+ \bar{D}^{*0}$ ,  $J^P$  not determined



- Evidence of  $[c\bar{c}uud]$  pentaquark:  $P_{c\bar{c}}(4337)^+$  in  $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p \bar{p}$  decays

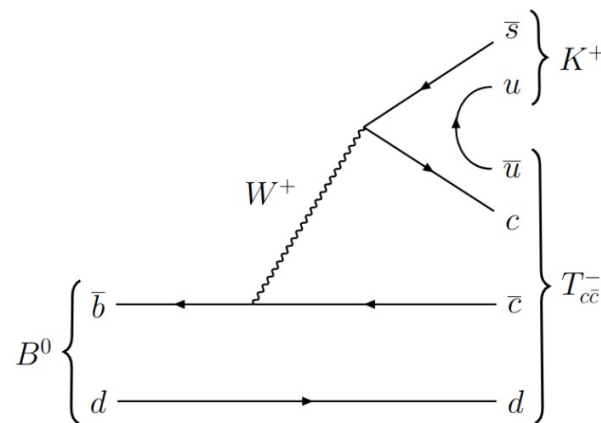
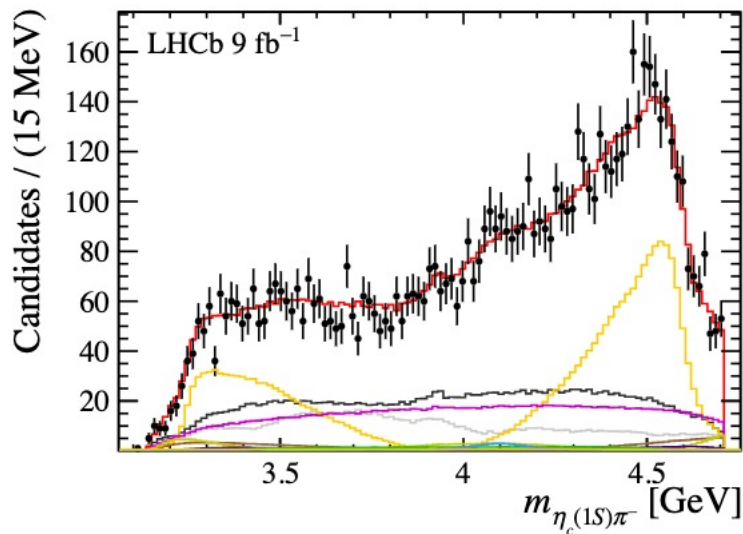
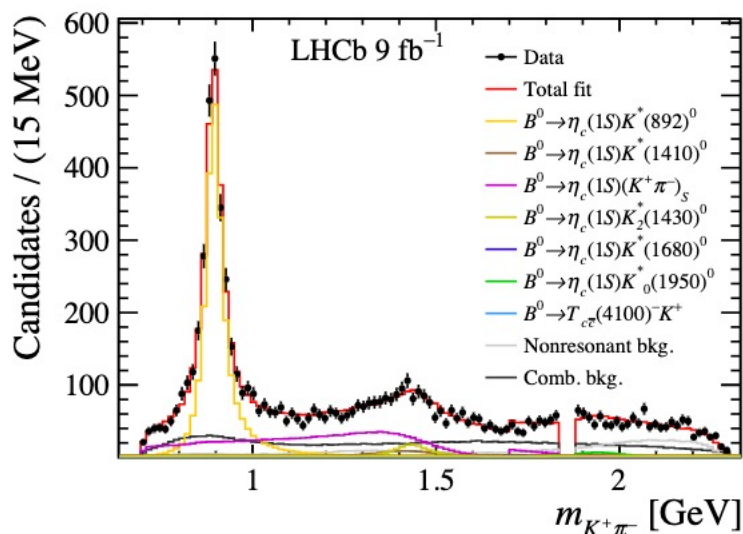


- Evidence for  $[c\bar{c}uds]$  pentaquark candidate with strangeness:  $P_{c\bar{c}s}(4459)^0$  in  $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$  decays, near threshold of  $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$



# Amplitude analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \eta_c$

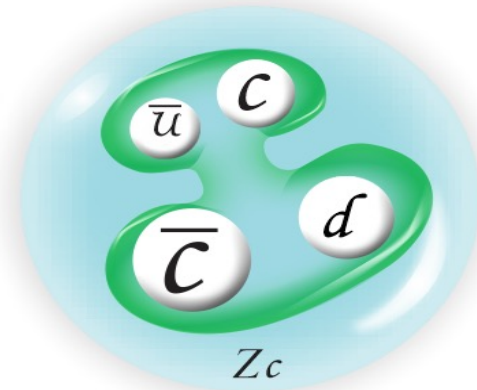
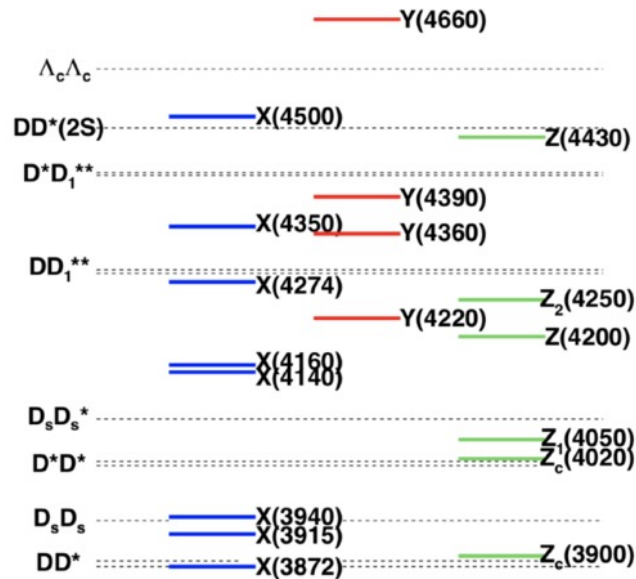
arXiv:2505.13222



# The $Z_c$ states [ $c\bar{c}u\bar{d}$ ]

from S. L. Olsen, arXiv:1511.01589, arXiv:1812.10947

|               |                     |                    |                 |                                                                                              |                                             |
|---------------|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| $Z_c^+(3900)$ | $3890 \pm 3$        | $33 \pm 10$        | $1^{+-}$        | $Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^- + (J/\psi \pi^+)$<br>$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^- + (D\bar{D}^*)^+$ | BESIII [49], Belle [50]<br>BESIII [69]      |
| $Z_c^+(4020)$ | $4024 \pm 2$        | $10 \pm 3$         | $1(?)^{+(?) -}$ | $Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^- + (h_c \pi^+)$<br>$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^- + (D^* \bar{D}^*)^+$ | BESIII [51]<br>BESIII [52]                  |
| $Z_1^+(4050)$ | $4051_{-43}^{+24}$  | $82_{-55}^{+51}$   | $?^{?+}$        | $B \rightarrow K + (\chi_{c1} \pi^+)$                                                        | Belle [53], BaBar [66]                      |
| $Z^+(4200)$   | $4196_{-32}^{+35}$  | $370_{-149}^{+99}$ | $1^{+-}$        | $B \rightarrow K + (J/\psi \pi^+)$                                                           | Belle [62]                                  |
| $Z_2^+(4250)$ | $4248_{-45}^{+185}$ | $177_{-72}^{+321}$ | $?^{?+}$        | $B \rightarrow K + (\chi_{c1} \pi^+)$                                                        | Belle [53], BaBar [66]                      |
| $Z^+(4430)$   | $4477 \pm 20$       | $181 \pm 31$       | $1^{+-}$        | $B \rightarrow K + (\psi' \pi^+)$<br>$B \rightarrow K + (J\psi \pi^+)$                       | Belle [54, 56, 57], LHCb [58]<br>Belle [62] |



Most of them are close to the mass thresholds of charmed meson pairs