

# Hadronic Decays of Charm Mesons at BESIII

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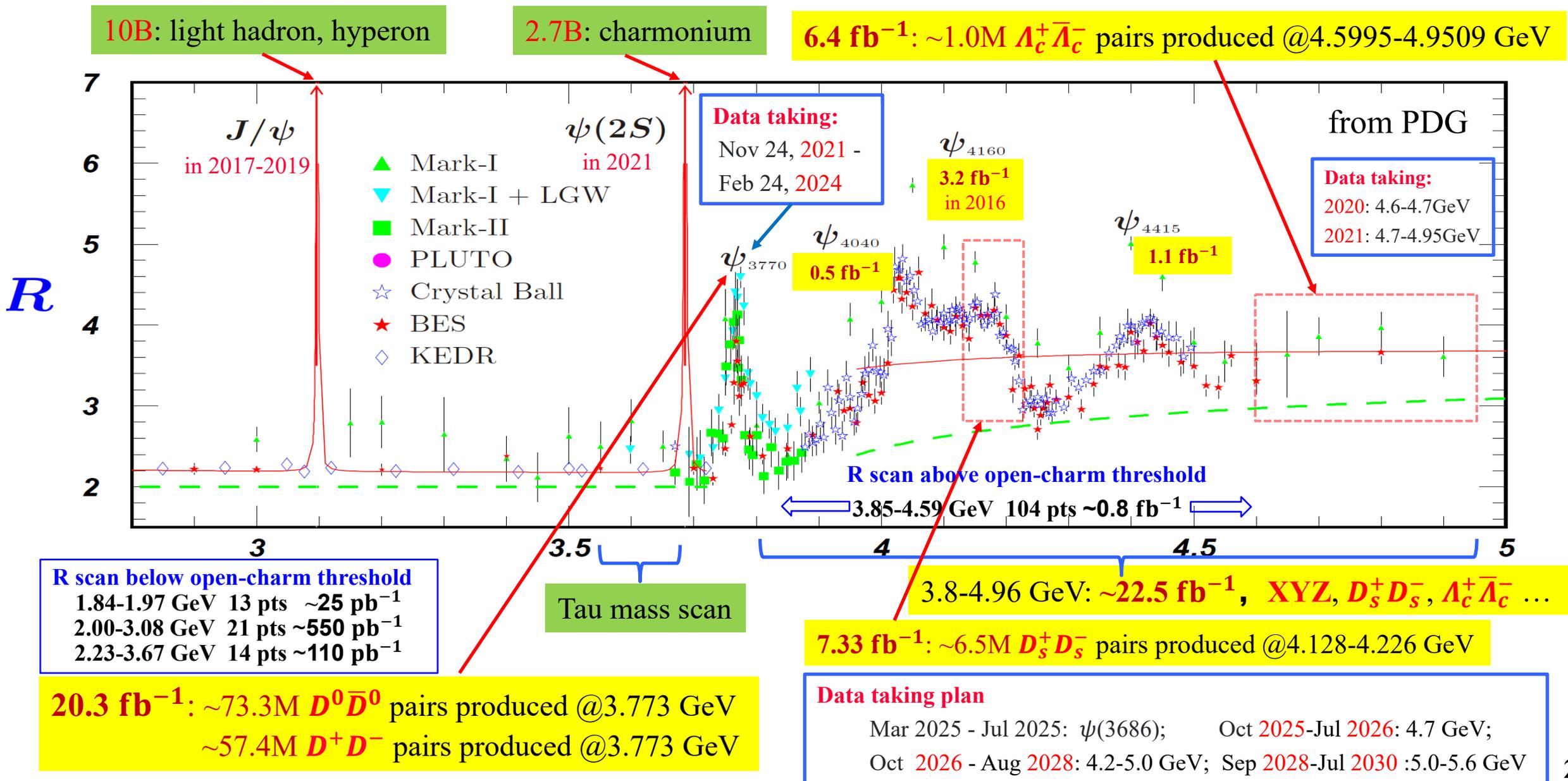
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# Datasets (totally $\sim 50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ from 1.84 – 4.95 GeV)



## Measurements of the BFs

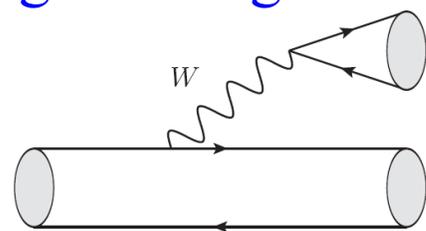
- Are important component of heavy-flavor physics program.
- Probe and calibrate non-perturbative QCD
- Understand SU(3) flavor symmetry and its breaking effect
- Test theoretical calculations of BFs and improve theoretical predictions of  $CP$  violation

## Amplitude analysis of multi-body decays

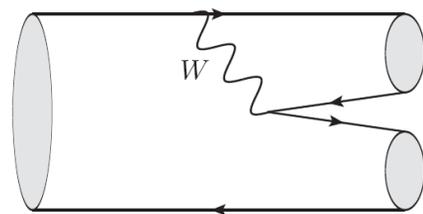
- Information of  $D \rightarrow VP, PP, SP, SV, VV, AP, AV, TP \dots$
- Light hadron spectroscopy

$P$ : pseudo-scalar
$V$ : vector
$S$ : scalar
$A$ : axial-vector
$T$ : tensor

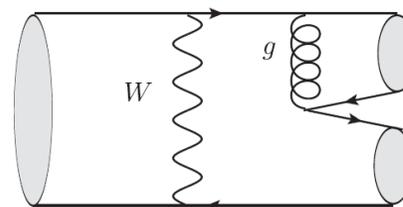
## Topological Diagrammatic for $D/D_s^+$ decays:



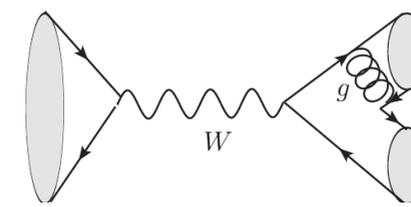
Color-allowed tree  $T$



Color-suppressed tree  $C$



W-exchange  $E$



W-annihilation  $A$

H. -Y. Cheng, *et al.* PRD 85, 034036

Calculation is not reliable, need exp. input

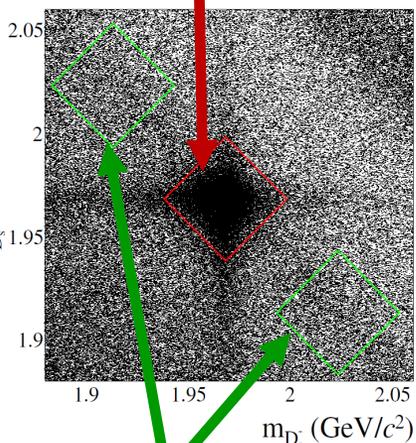
# BF of $D_s^+$ hadronic decays

## BF Measurement of $D_s^+$ hadronic decays

JHEP05(2024)335,  
7.33fb<sup>-1</sup>@4.178 – 4.226GeV

17 Amplitude analyses published

42965 events in  
signal region



14728 events in  
combined sideband

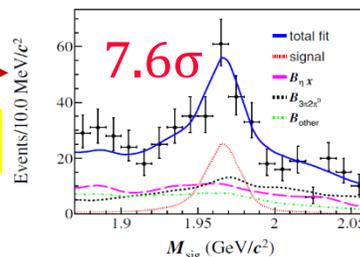
Mode	$\mathcal{B}$ (%)	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}$ (%)
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+$	$1.502 \pm 0.012 \pm 0.009$	$0.29 \pm 0.50 \pm 0.21$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$	$5.49 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.07$	$0.48 \pm 0.26 \pm 0.24$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ \pi^0$	$1.47 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.02$	$-0.85 \pm 1.97 \pm 0.46$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0 \pi^+$	$0.73 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01$	$1.14 \pm 1.58 \pm 0.44$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	$5.50 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.11$	$-0.66 \pm 0.91 \pm 0.33$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.93 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.01$	$2.00 \pm 2.37 \pm 0.70$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	$1.56 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.02$	$-0.24 \pm 1.05 \pm 1.07$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$1.09 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01$	$-0.88 \pm 1.17 \pm 0.38$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta$	$1.69 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.02$	$-0.44 \pm 0.89 \pm 0.19$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta$	$9.10 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.15$	$1.05 \pm 1.45 \pm 0.62$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$	$3.08 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.05$	$2.42 \pm 2.85 \pm 0.78$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta'$	$3.95 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.07$	$-0.59 \pm 0.76 \pm 0.20$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta'$	$6.17 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.14$	$-1.60 \pm 2.57 \pm 0.64$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0$	$0.51 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.01$	$-2.17 \pm 4.65 \pm 1.10$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.620 \pm 0.009 \pm 0.006$	$1.81 \pm 2.01 \pm 0.45$

Agree with PDG with much improved precision

## Observation of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \omega \pi^+ \eta$

PRD 107, 052010 (2023), 7.33fb<sup>-1</sup>@4.178 – 4.226GeV

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \omega \pi^+ \eta) = (0.54 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.04)\%$$



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

Phys. Rev. D **104** (2021) 012016

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+ \pi^0$

Phys. Rev. Lett. **129** (2022) 182001

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

Phys. Rev. D **106** (2022) 112006

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$

Phys. Rev. D **104** (2021) L071101

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta'$

JHEP **04** (2022) 058

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$

JHEP **01** (2022) 052

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

JHEP **08** (2022) 196

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

JHEP **09** (2022) 242

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0 \pi^+$

Phys. Rev. D **105** (2022) L051103

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$

Phys. Rev. D **103** (2021) 092006

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$

Phys. Rev. D **104** (2021) 032011

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

JHEP **07** (2022) 051

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0$

JHEP **06** (2021) 181

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta$

Phys. Rev. Lett. **123** (2019) 112001

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

Phys. Rev. Lett. **134** (2025) 011904

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$

Phys. Rev. Lett. **134** (2025) 201902

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0 \pi^+$

Phys. Rev. Lett. **135** (2025) 161902

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0 \eta$

to be submitted soon

分支比测量和振幅分析为理解  $D_s^+$  介子强子衰变机制提供了完整的实验信息

# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

7.33fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 4.178 – 4.226GeV , PRL 134, 011904 (2025)

1552 candidates with >75% purity

## Observation of $D_s^+ \rightarrow f_0(980)\rho(770)^+$

(Mainly involves  $W$ -external-emission diagram)

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 |_{\text{non-}\eta}) = (2.04 \pm 0.08_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.05_{\text{syst.}})\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+) = (1.56 \pm 0.09_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.04_{\text{syst.}})\%$$

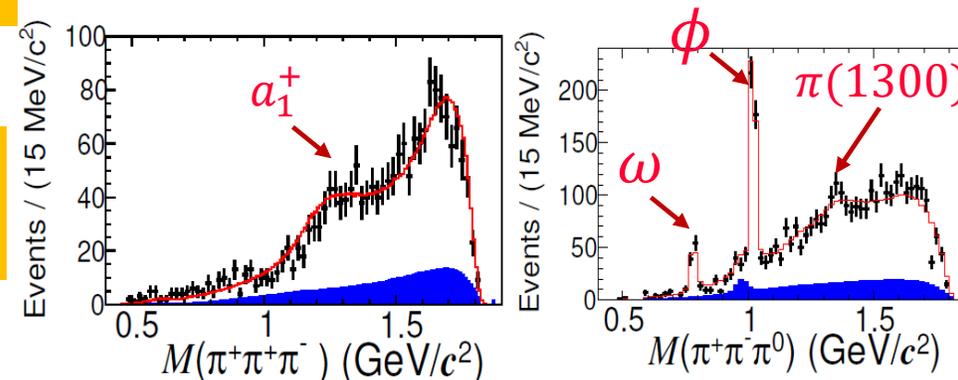
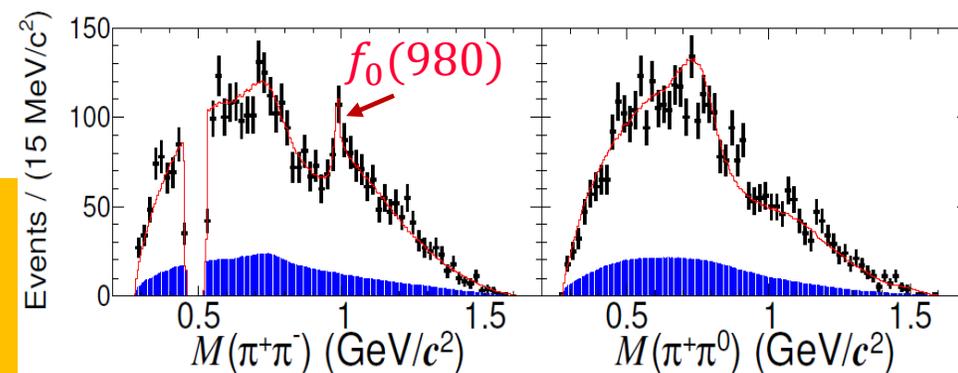
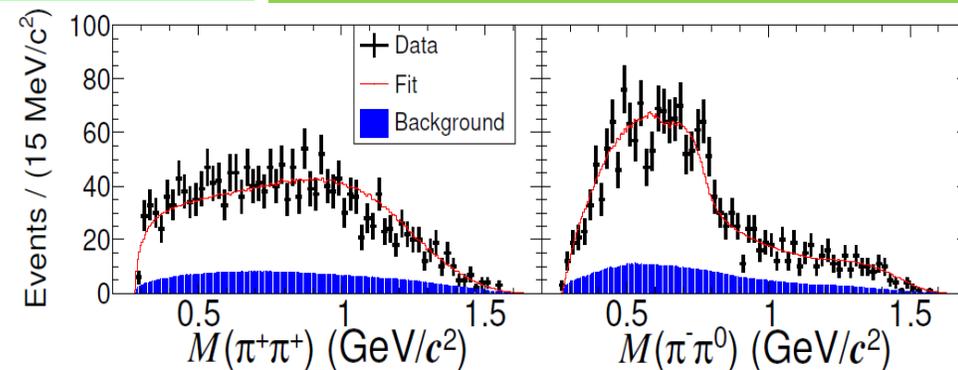
$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow K^+ K^-)} = 0.230 \pm 0.014_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.010_{\text{syst.}}$$

Taking from  $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$   
BESIII, PRD 104, 012016 (2021)

Deviates from PDG  
value  $(0.313 \pm 0.010)$   
by  $>4\sigma$

$W$ -annihilation decay  
 $BF = (1.92 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-3}$   
(PDG)

Component	Phase (rad)	BF ( $10^{-3}$ )
$f_0(1370)\rho^+$	0.0(fixed)	$5.08 \pm 0.80 \pm 0.43$
$f_0(980)\rho^+$	$3.99 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.07$	$2.57 \pm 0.44 \pm 0.20$
$f_2(1270)\rho^+$	$1.11 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.10$	$1.94 \pm 0.36 \pm 0.12$
$(\rho^+ \rho^0)_S$	$1.10 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.10$	$0.71 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.12$
$(\rho(1450)^+ \rho^0)_S$	$0.43 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.17$	$0.94 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.16$
$(\rho^+ \rho(1450)^0)_P$	$4.58 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.09$	$1.75 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.08$
$\phi((\rho\pi) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)\pi^+$	$2.90 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.18$	$5.08 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.10$
$\omega((\rho\pi) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)\pi^+$	$3.22 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.09$	$1.41 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.06$
$a_1^+(\rho^+ \pi^+)_S \pi^0$	$3.78 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.12$	$2.55 \pm 0.34 \pm 0.20$
$a_1^0((\rho\pi)_S \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)\pi^+$	$4.82 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.12$	$1.29 \pm 0.39 \pm 0.24$
$\pi(1300)^0((\rho\pi)_P \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)\pi^+$	$2.22 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.08$	$2.39 \pm 0.48 \pm 0.45$

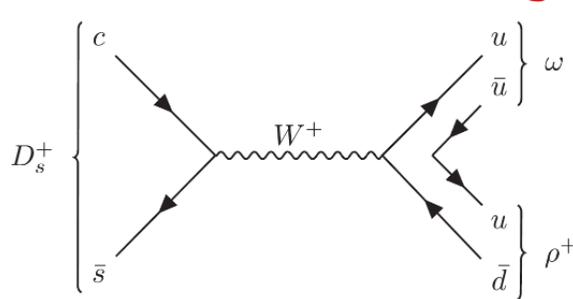


# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$

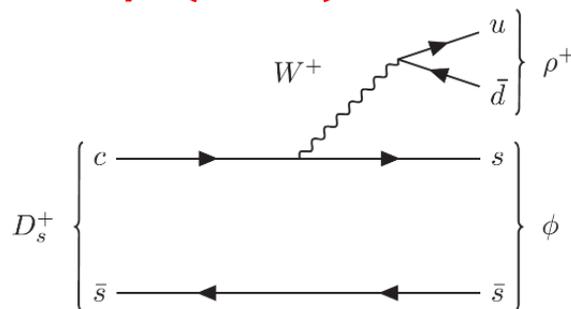
7.33fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 4.178 – 4.226GeV , PRL 134, 201902 (2025)

1888 candidates with >79% purity

## Observation of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \omega \rho(770)^+$



Pure W-annihilation



Pure W-external emission

## Polarization puzzle

Amplitude	BF (%)
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \rho(1450)^+ \pi^0, \rho(1450)^+ \rightarrow \omega \pi^+$	$0.39 \pm 0.04^{+0.03}_{-0.01}$
$D_s^+[S] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0[S] \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^-$	$0.23 \pm 0.02^{+0.01}_{-0.01}$
$D_s^+[P] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0[S] \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^-$	$0.50 \pm 0.04^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^-$	$0.50 \pm 0.04^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$
$D_s^+[S] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0[S] \rightarrow \rho^- \pi^+$	$0.16 \pm 0.02^{+0.01}_{-0.01}$
$D_s^+[P] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0[S] \rightarrow \rho^- \pi^+$	$0.17 \pm 0.01^{+0.01}_{-0.01}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \rho^+, a_1(1260)^0 \rightarrow \rho^- \pi^+$	$0.33 \pm 0.02^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$
$D_s^+[S] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^+ \rho^0, a_1(1260)^+[S] \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^0$	$0.41 \pm 0.05^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$
$D_s^+[P] \rightarrow a_1(1260)^+ \rho^0, a_1(1260)^+[S] \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^0$	$0.31 \pm 0.04^{+0.02}_{-0.02}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow a_1(1260)^+ \rho^0, a_1(1260)^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^0$	$0.73 \pm 0.07^{+0.07}_{-0.07}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow b_1(1235)^+ \pi^0, b_1(1235)^+[S] \rightarrow \omega \pi^+$	$0.53 \pm 0.05^{+0.03}_{-0.03}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow b_1(1235)^0 \pi^+, b_1(1235)^0[S] \rightarrow \omega \pi^0$	$0.72 \pm 0.06^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$

Amplitude	BF (%)
$D_s^+[S] \rightarrow \omega \rho^+$	$0.30 \pm 0.07^{+0.02}_{-0.03}$
$D_s^+[P] \rightarrow \omega \rho^+$	$0.25 \pm 0.04^{+0.04}_{-0.04}$
$D_s^+[D] \rightarrow \omega \rho^+$	$0.52 \pm 0.07^{+0.04}_{-0.07}$

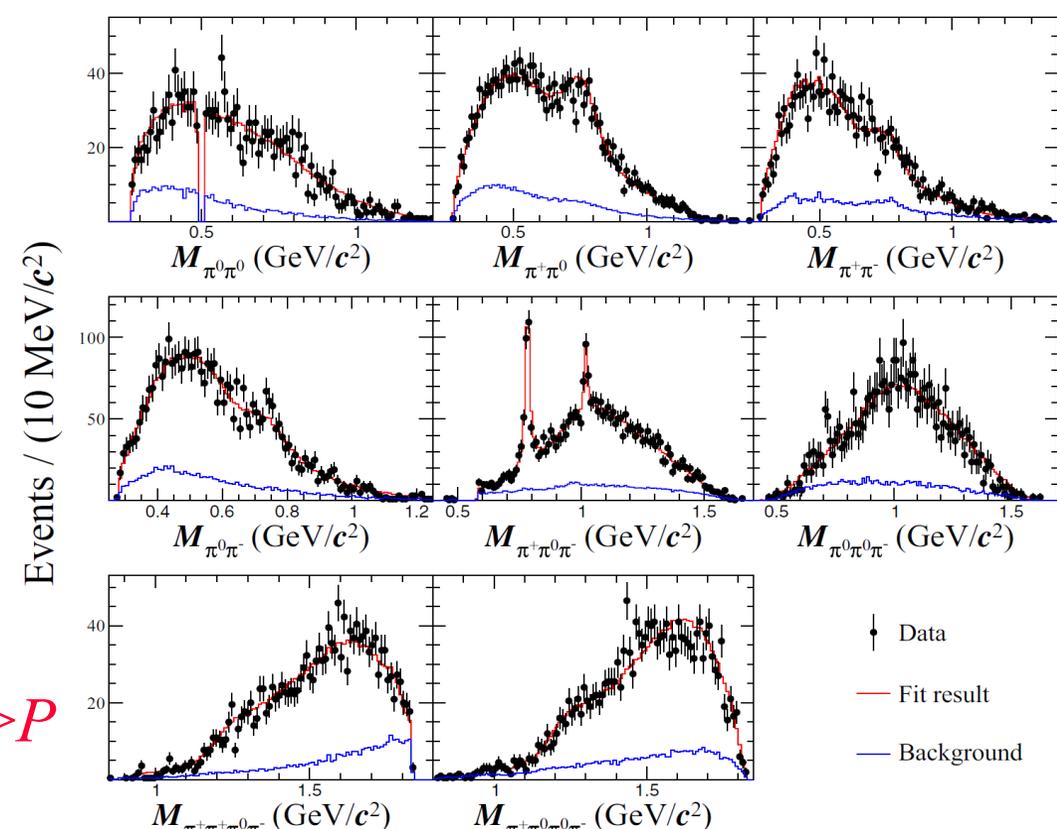
$D > S > P$

Amplitude	BF (%)
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \omega \rho^+$	$0.99 \pm 0.08^{+0.05}_{-0.07}$
$D_s^+[S] \rightarrow \phi \rho^+$	$3.32 \pm 0.29^{+0.19}_{-0.17}$
$D_s^+[P] \rightarrow \phi \rho^+$	$0.63 \pm 0.12^{+0.05}_{-0.06}$

$S > P > D$

Naive prediction: PRL 128,011803

transverse dominates than longitudinal in charm decays



$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow K^+ K^-)} = 0.222 \pm 0.019_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.016_{\text{syst}}$$

Taking from  $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$   
BESIII, PRD 104, 032011 (2021)

Deviates from PDG value ( $0.313 \pm 0.010$ ) by  $>3\sigma$

# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

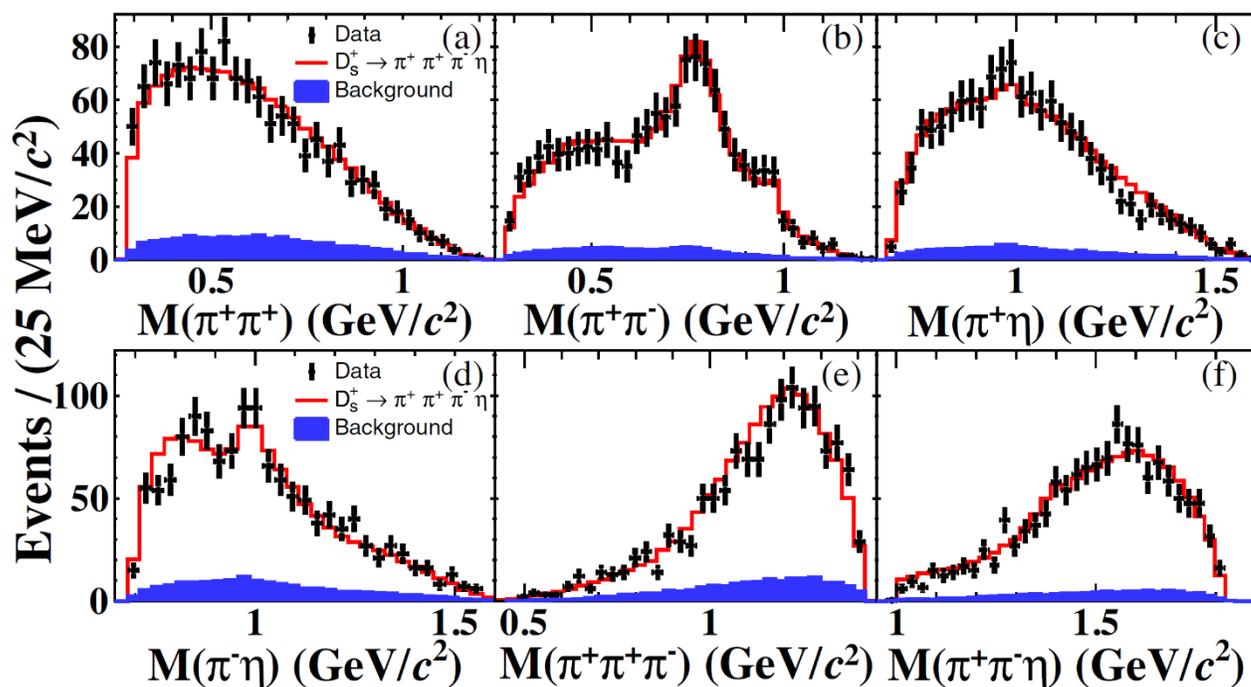
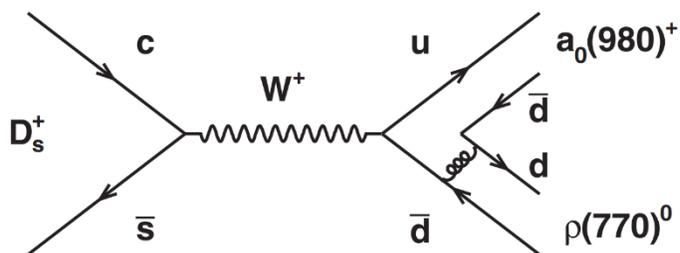
## $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

PRD 104, L071101 (2021)

$6.32 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ E_{\text{cm}} = 4.178 - 4.226 \text{ GeV}$

1306 candidates with >85% purity

Observe W-annihilation decay  $D_s^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \rho(770)^0$



First measurement:

$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-} = (3.12 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.09)\%$$

Dominant process:

$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow a_1(1260)^+ \eta, a_1(1260)^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \pi^+} = (1.73 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.08)\%$$

W-annihilation contribution:

$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \rho^0, a_0(980)^+ \rightarrow \eta \pi^+} = (0.21 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.05)\%$$

Significantly larger than the BFs of most other measured pure W-annihilation decays

# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0 \pi^+$

7.33fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 4.178 – 4.226GeV

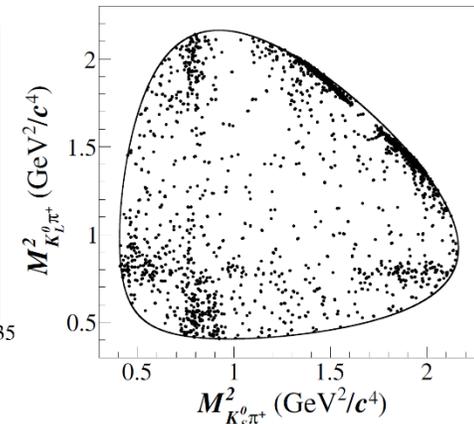
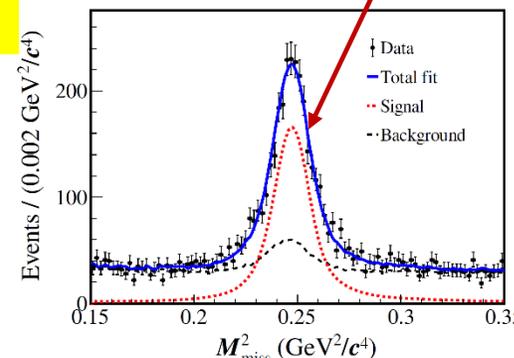
2310 candidates with >78% purity

## Measurement of $\phi \rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0$

PRL 135, 161902 (2025)

$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0 \pi^+} = (1.86 \pm 0.06_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.003_{\text{syst}})\%$$

Amplitude	Phase (rad)	BF (%)
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+$	0.0 (fixed)	$1.31 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.03$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 K^*(892)^+$	$1.10 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.20$	$0.36 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.02$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^*(892)^+$	$-1.93 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.25$	$0.27 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.02$

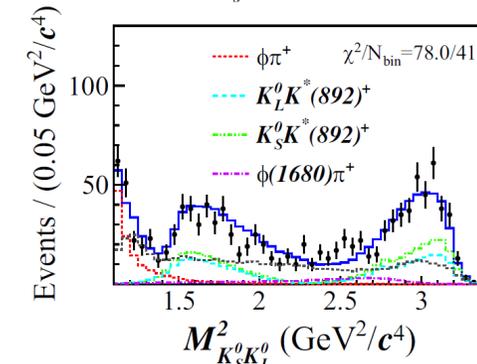
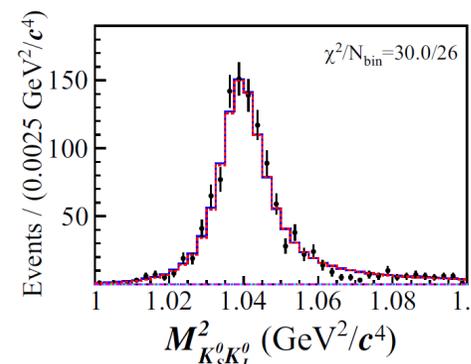


$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow K_S^0 K_L^0)}{\mathcal{B}(\phi(1020) \rightarrow K^+ K^-)} = (0.593 \pm 0.023_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.014_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.016_{\phi\pi})$$

Taking from PDG

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+, \phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-)$$

Deviates from PDG value  $(0.740 \pm 0.031)$  by  $>3\sigma$

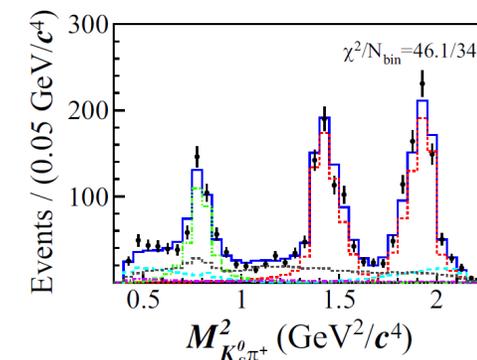
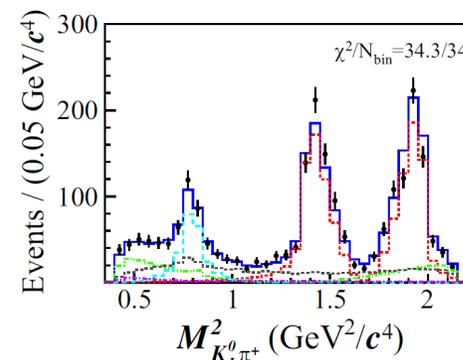


## First observation of $K_S^0 - K_L^0$ asymmetry

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^*(892)^+) - \mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 K^*(892)^+)}{\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^*(892)^+) + \mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 K^*(892)^+)} = (-14.5 \pm 5.1_{\text{stat}} \pm 1.8_{\text{syst}})\%$$

Model	DAT(F4)	DAT(F1')
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 K^{*+}$	$-0.164 \pm 0.032$	$-0.159 \pm 0.028$

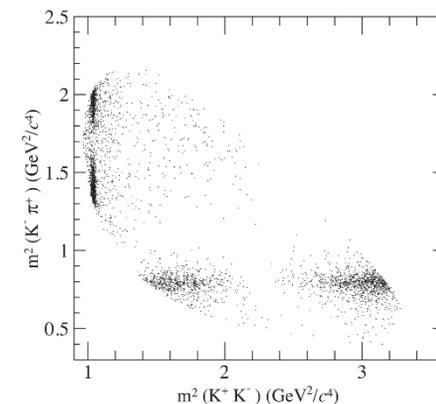
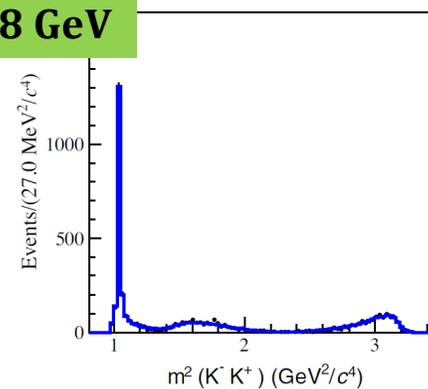
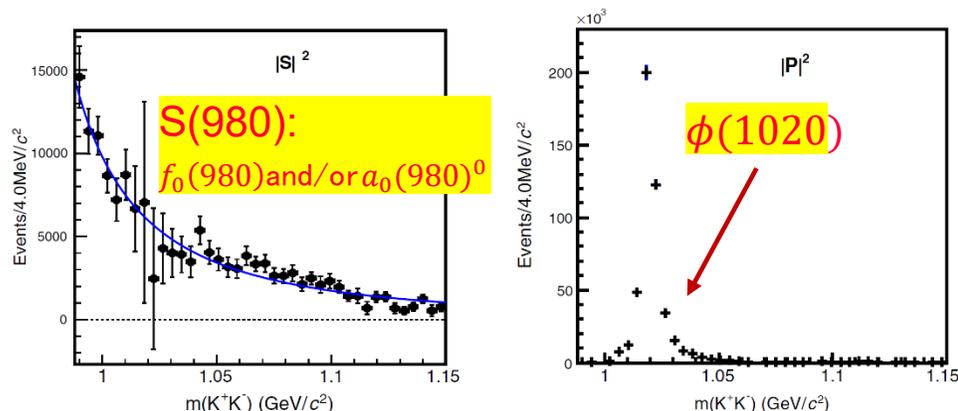
Predictions by H.-Y. Cheng *et al.*, PRD109, 073008 (2024)



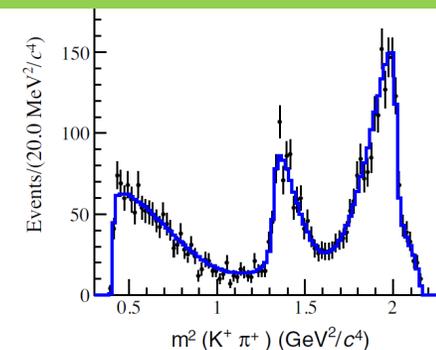
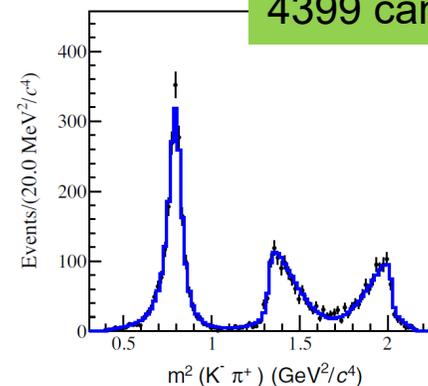
# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$  PRD 104, 012016 (2021)  $3.19\text{fb}^{-1}@E_{\text{cm}} = 4.178\text{ GeV}$

Gold normalization channel, 4399 candidates with 99.6% purity.  
Model-independent PWA to determine the  $KK$   $S$ -wave line shape:



4399 candidates with 99.6% purity



Measured BFs and quoted from PDG:

Process	BF (%)	PDG 2024
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 K^+, \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	$2.64 \pm 0.06_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.07_{\text{sys}}$	$2.58 \pm 0.06$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi(1020)\pi^+, \phi(1020) \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	$2.21 \pm 0.05_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.07_{\text{sys}}$	$2.21 \pm 0.06$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow S(980)\pi^+, S(980) \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	$1.05 \pm 0.04_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.06_{\text{sys}}$	$1.11 \pm 0.19$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_0^*(1430)^0 K^+, \bar{K}_0^*(1430)^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	$0.16 \pm 0.03_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.03_{\text{sys}}$	$0.18 \pm 0.03$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow f_0(1710)\pi^+, f_0(1710) \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	$0.10 \pm 0.02_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.03_{\text{sys}}$	$0.07 \pm 0.03$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow f_0(1370)\pi^+, f_0(1370) \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	$0.07 \pm 0.02_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.01_{\text{sys}}$	$0.07 \pm 0.03$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$ total BF	$5.47 \pm 0.08_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.13_{\text{sys}}$	$5.37 \pm 0.10$

BFs of Intermediate processes:

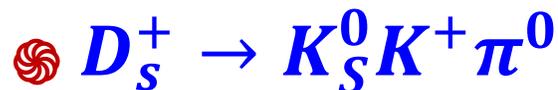
$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 K^+) = (3.94 \pm 0.12)\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi(1020)\pi^+) = (4.60 \pm 0.17)\%$$

Consistent with latest calculations:

Hai-Yang Cheng *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **109**, 114027 (2024)

6.32fb<sup>-1</sup> between 4.178 – 4.226GeV



PRL 129, 182001 (2022)

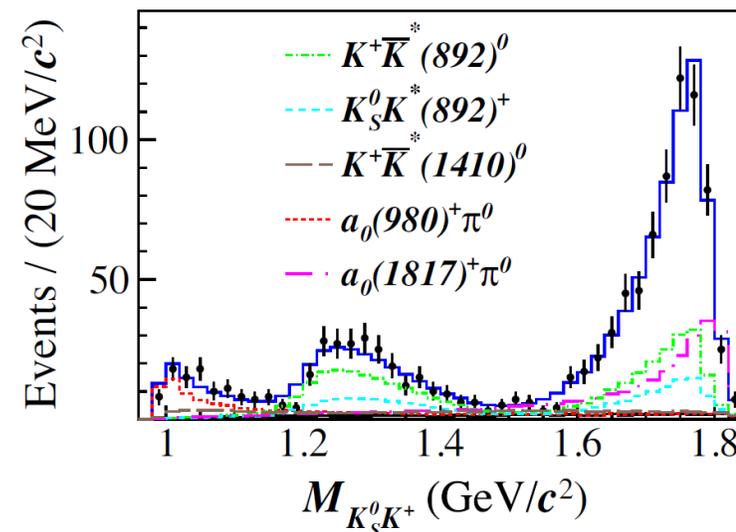
## Observation of $a_0(1817)^+$

$$m(a_0) = (1.817 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.020) \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma(a_0) = (0.097 \pm 0.022 \pm 0.015) \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow a_0(1817)^+ \pi^0, a_0(1817)^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K^+) = (3.44 \pm 0.52 \pm 0.32) \times 10^{-4}$$

→ 结合  $D_s^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0 \pi^+$  的分析,  
支持存在新的  $a_0$  同位旋三重态



PRD 105, L051103 (2022)

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow S(980)\pi^+) < 1.8 \times 10^{-4} \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{相消干涉}$$

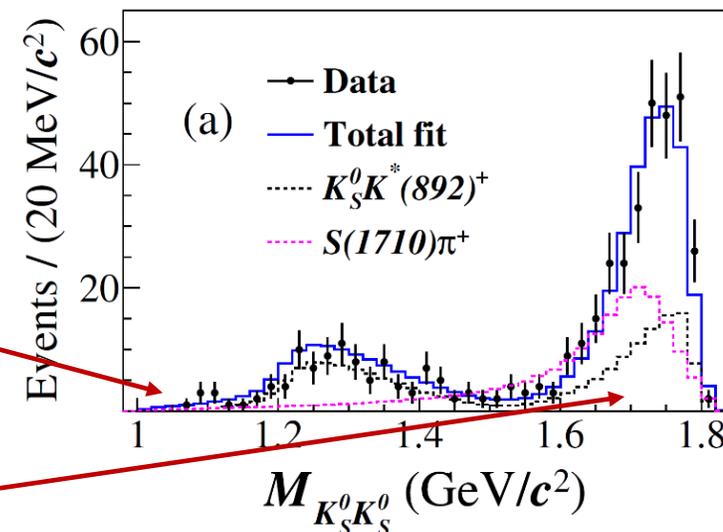
@ 90% CL

$f_0(980)$ 和 $a_0(980)$   
相消干涉

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow S(1710)\pi^+) = (0.31 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.01)\%$$

比预期值大1个量级 →

$f_0(1710)$ 和 $a_0(1710)$   
相加干涉



$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+$ , PRD 104, 012016 (2021)

# Amplitude analysis of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta$

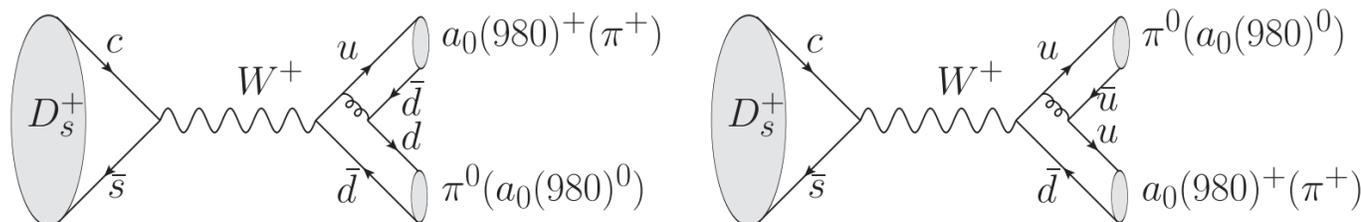
$D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta$

PRL 123, 112001 (2019)

$3.19\text{fb}^{-1}$  @  $E_{\text{cm}} = 4.178\text{ GeV}$

1239 candidates with 97.7% purity

Observe **W-annihilation decay**:



$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^{+(0)} \pi^{0(+)}), a_0(980)^{+(0)} \rightarrow \pi^{+(0)} \eta) \\ = (1.46 \pm 0.15_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.23_{\text{sys}})\%$$

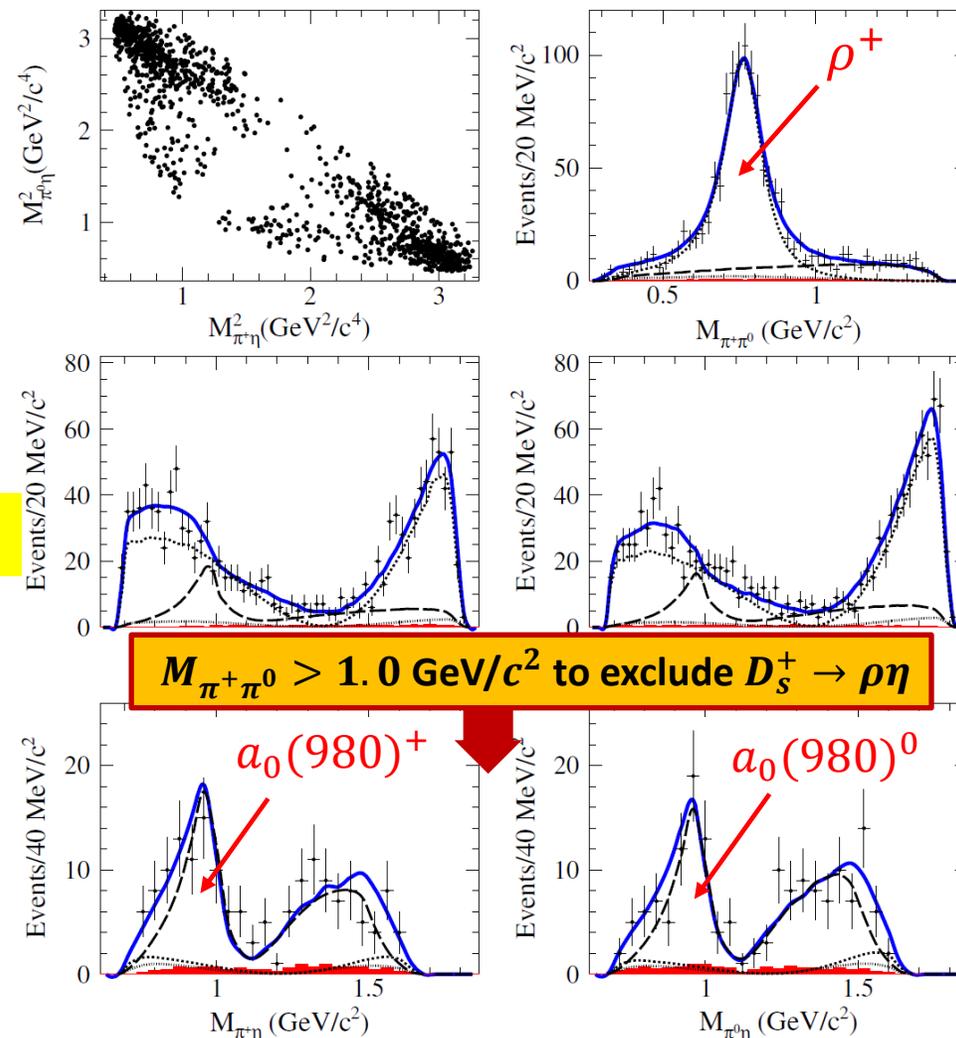
Significantly larger than other W-annihilation decays by one order

BF measurement:

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta) = (9.50 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.41)\%$$

Dominant process:

$$\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \eta) = (7.44 \pm 0.48 \pm 0.44)\%$$



# Amplitude analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$ , $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta$

## Observation of $D \rightarrow a_0(980)\pi$

7.9 fb<sup>-1</sup> @  $E_{\text{cm}} = 3.773\text{GeV}$ ,  
PRD 110, L111102 (2024)

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta) = (1.24 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.03)\%$$

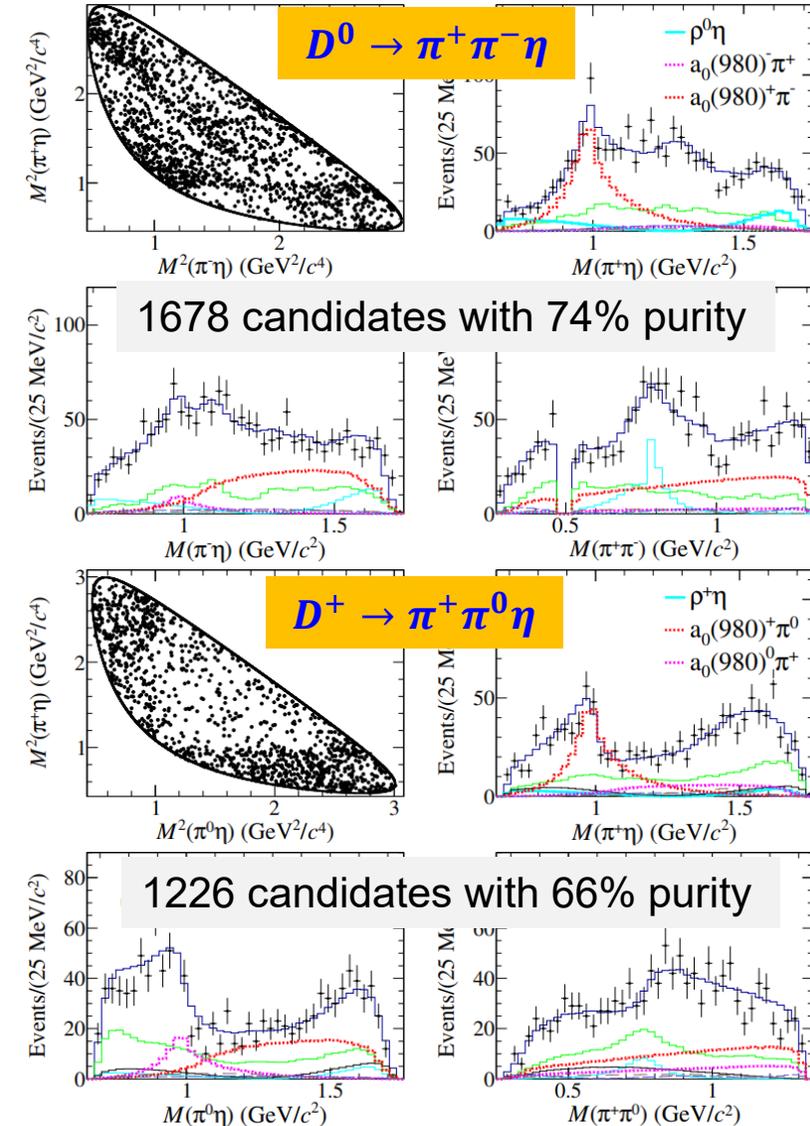
$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \eta) = (2.18 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.03)\%$$

Amplitude	Phase (in unit rad)	BF ( $\times 10^{-3}$ )
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \eta$	0 (fixed)	$0.19 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.01$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)^- \pi^+$	$0.06 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.12$	$0.07 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.01$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \pi^-$	$-1.06 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.10$	$0.55 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.07$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_2(1320)^+ \pi^-$	$-1.16 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.23$	$0.03 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_2(1700)^+ \pi^-$	$0.08 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.23$	$0.07 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.03$
$D^0 \rightarrow (\pi^+ \pi^-)_{S\text{-wave}} \eta$	$-0.92 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.14$	$0.05 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.03$
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \eta$	$-4.03 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.13$	$0.20 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.05$
$D^+ \rightarrow (\pi^+ \pi^0)_V \eta$	$-0.64 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.19$	$0.34 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.11$
$D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \pi^0$	0 (fixed)	$0.95 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.05$
$D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^0 \pi^+$	$2.44 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.10$	$0.37 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.04$
$D^+ \rightarrow a_2(1700)^+ \pi^0$	$0.92 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.14$	$0.09 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.02$
$D^+ \rightarrow a_0(1450)^+ \pi^0$	$0.63 \pm 0.41 \pm 0.30$	$0.15 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.02$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \pi^-) / \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)^- \pi^+) = 7.5_{-0.8}^{+2.5}_{\text{stat.}} \pm 1.7_{\text{syst.}}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \pi^0) / \mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^0 \pi^+) = 2.6 \pm 0.6_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.3_{\text{syst.}}$$

→ Disagrees with theoretical predictions by orders of magnitude



# Amplitude analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta \eta$

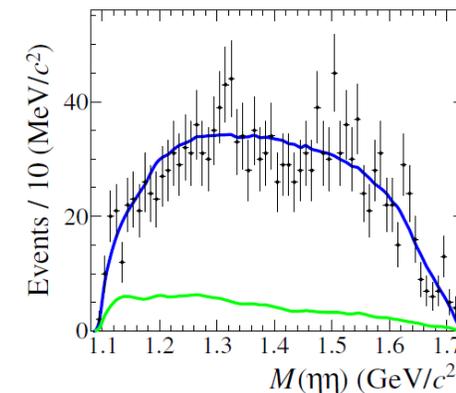
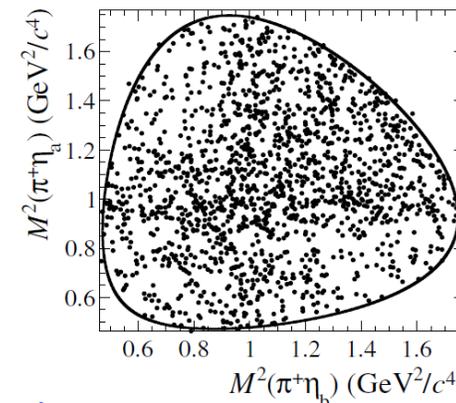
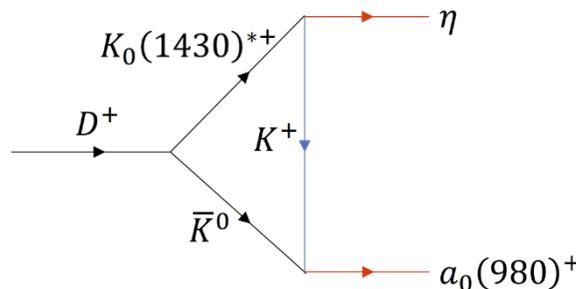
arXiv: 2505.12086

BESIII

20.3fb<sup>-1</sup> @3.773GeV

1624 candidates with 85% purity

First observation of an altered  $a_0(980)$  line-shape due to triangle loop rescattering



**Fit1:**  $P_{a_0(980)}$  three-channel coupled Flatte formulae, the fitted pole position is inconsistent with previous measurement.

To consider the rescattering process  $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_0^*(1430)^0 K^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \eta$

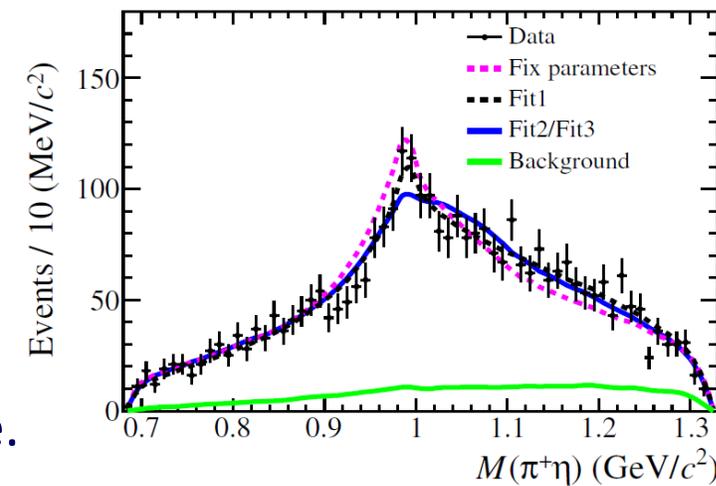
we perform Fit2 and Fit3

**Fit2:**  $(1 + |C| e^{i\phi_C} A_{\text{loop}}) P_{a_0(980)}$

**Fit3:**  $(1 + |C| A_{\text{loop}}) P_{a_0(980)}$  with  $\phi_C$  fixed to zero.

$$|C| = 0.113 \pm 0.015_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.048_{\text{syst.}}$$

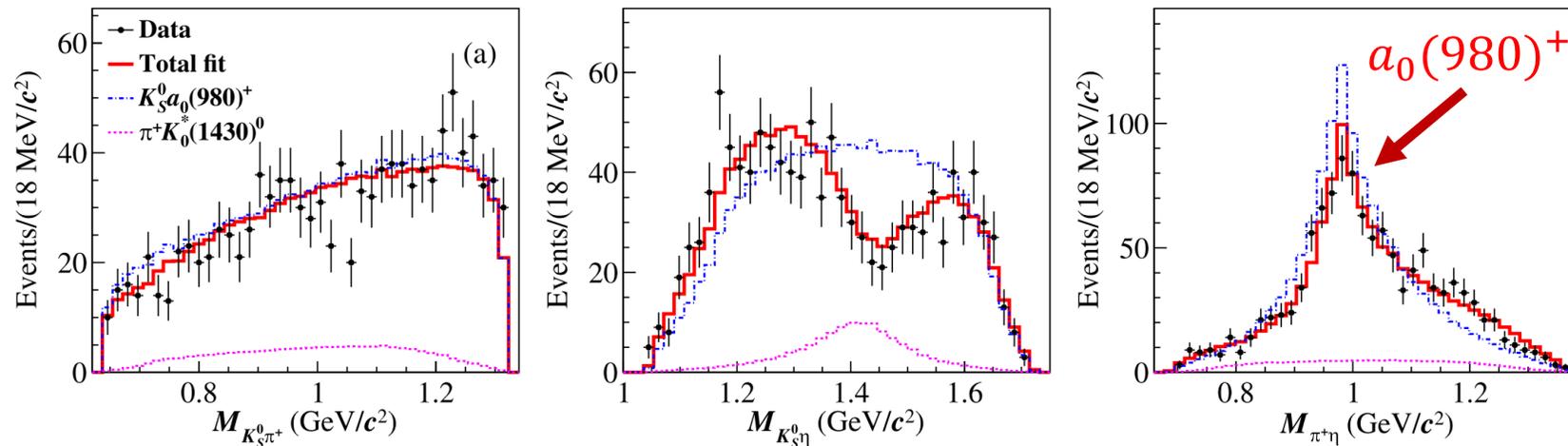
Fit2 and Fit3 give good descriptions of the altered  $a_0(980)$  line-shape.



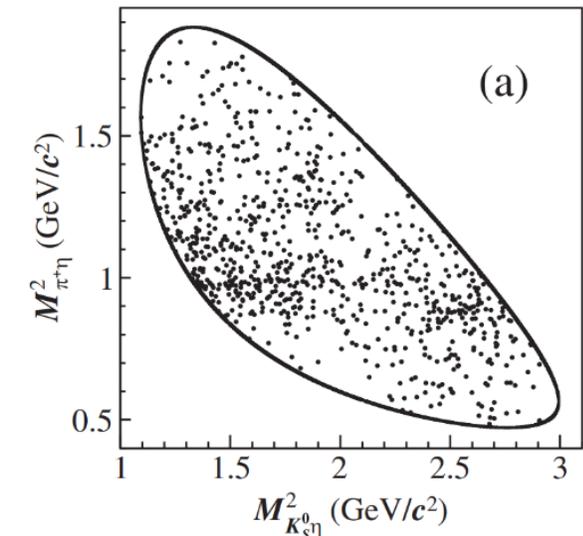
**BF measurement**

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta \eta) \\ \mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^+ \eta) \mathcal{B}(a_0(980)^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta) \end{array} \right\} = (3.67 \pm 0.12_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.06_{\text{syst.}}) \times 10^{-3}$$

## Observation of $W$ -annihilation-free decay $D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)^+$



1113 candidates with 98% purity

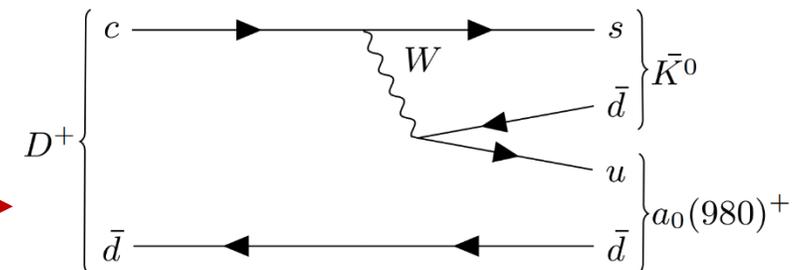


$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)^+, a_0(980)^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \eta) = (1.33 \pm 0.05_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.04_{\text{syst}})\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_0^*(1430)^0 \pi^+, \bar{K}_0^*(1430)^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta) = (0.14 \pm 0.02_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.02_{\text{syst}})\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \eta) = (1.27 \pm 0.04_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.03_{\text{syst}})\%$$

Provide sensitive constraints in the extraction of contributions from internal  $W$ -emission diagrams  $\rightarrow$



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

## $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ Golden tag mode

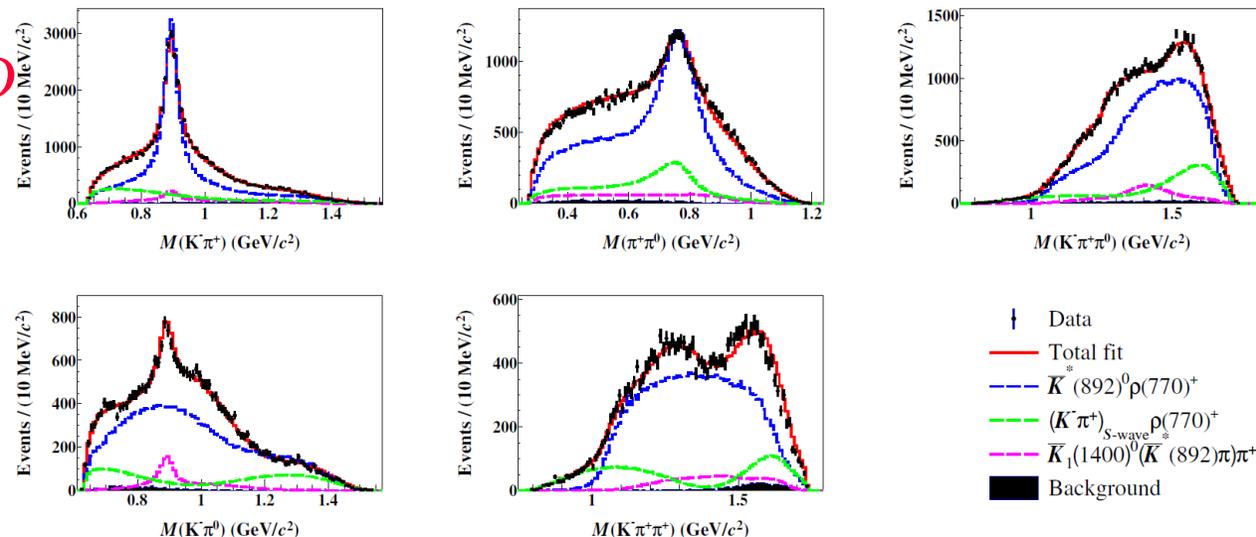
7.9fb<sup>-1</sup> @3.773GeV, JHEP05(2025)195

Amplitude	Phase (rad)	FFs (%)
$D^+[S] \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rho(770)^+$	0.0(fixed)	66.5 ± 1.1 ± 3.0
$D^+[P] \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rho(770)^+$	1.45 ± 0.04 ± 0.08	1.9 ± 0.2 ± 0.2
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rho(770)^+$	—	68.4 ± 1.1 ± 2.6
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1270)^0 [S] \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}_1(1270)^0 \rightarrow K^- \rho(770)^+$	-0.09 ± 0.03 ± 0.03	3.8 ± 0.3 ± 0.3
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1400)^0 [S] \pi^+$	0.40 ± 0.02 ± 0.04	7.5 ± 0.2 ± 0.3
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1400)^0 [D] \pi^+$	-2.42 ± 0.04 ± 0.04	0.5 ± 0.1 ± 0.1
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1400)^0 \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}_1(1400)^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892) \pi$	—	7.3 ± 0.2 ± 0.3
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}(1460)^0 \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}(1460)^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892) \pi$	0.41 ± 0.04 ± 0.07	5.1 ± 0.2 ± 0.3
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(1680)^0 \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}^*(1680)^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892) \pi$	1.13 ± 0.04 ± 0.09	3.8 ± 0.4 ± 0.8
$D^+ \rightarrow (K^- \pi^+)_{S\text{-wave}} \rho(770)^+$	2.90 ± 0.02 ± 0.04	18.3 ± 0.7 ± 0.7
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}(1460)^0 \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}(1460)^0 \rightarrow K^- [\pi^+ \pi^0]^{L=1} \pi$	-1.29 ± 0.08 ± 0.06	8.6 ± 0.8 ± 0.5
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}(1460)^0 \pi^+$ , $\bar{K}(1460)^0 \rightarrow [K^- \pi]^L=1 \pi$	-2.31 ± 0.07 ± 0.06	3.4 ± 0.5 ± 0.3

$S > P > D$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0) = (6.35 \pm 0.04_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.07_{\text{syst.}}) \%$$

Decay channel and Collaboration	$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rho(770)^+) (\times 10^{-2})$
$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0$ , current analysis	6.52 ± 0.11 ± 0.26
$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0$ , MARK-III [4]	7.2 ± 1.8 ± 2.1
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$ , BESIII [21]	5.82 ± 0.49 ± 0.29



## $D \rightarrow K 3\pi$ 7个四体衰变振幅分析研究现状

$$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$$

BESIII PRD95, 072010 (2017); LHCb EPJC 78, 443 (2018)

$$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$$

在研: memo审核阶段

$$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$$

BESIII PRD99, 092008 (2019)

$$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$$

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$$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$$

BESIII PRD100, 072008(2019)

$$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^0$$

BESIII JHEP05 (2025) 195

$$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$$

BESIII JHEP 09 (2023) 077

# Amplitude analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-, \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$

$$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-, \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$$

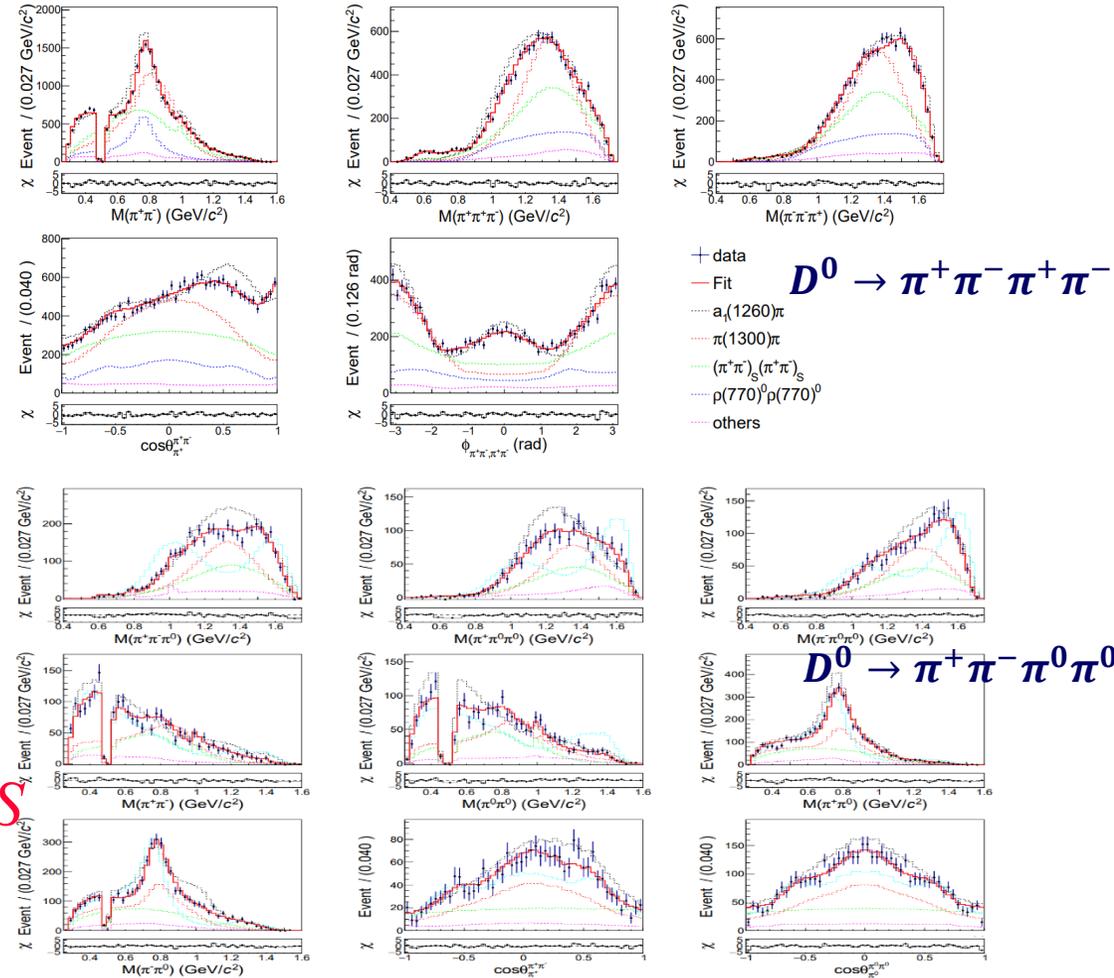
CPC 48, 083001 (2024)

2.93 fb<sup>-1</sup> @3.773 GeV

Component	Branching fraction (%)	
	$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_1(1260)^+ \pi^-$	$0.566 \pm 0.024 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.110$	$0.546 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.069$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_1(1260)^- \pi^+$	$0.071 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.017$	$0.068 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.021$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_1(1260)^0 \pi^0$	-	$0.313 \pm 0.031 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.082$
$D^0 \rightarrow a_1(1640)^+ \pi^-$	$0.012 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.006$	$0.010 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.007$
$D^0 \rightarrow h_1(1170)^0 \pi^0$	-	$0.012 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.010$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi(1300)^+ \pi^-$	$0.222 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.031$	$0.148 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.025$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi(1300)^- \pi^+$	$0.162 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.028$	$0.108 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.021$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi(1300)^0 \pi^0$	-	$0.221 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.033$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi_2(1670)^0 \pi^0$	-	$0.010 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.004$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(770)^0$	$0.193 \pm 0.013 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.022$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(770)^0 [S]$	$0.012 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.003$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(770)^0 [P]$	$0.067 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.006$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(770)^0 [D]$	$0.159 \pm 0.015 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.017$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(1450)^0$	$0.017 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.008$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(1450)^0 [P]$	$0.007 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.003$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^0 \rho(1450)^0 [D]$	$0.010 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.008$	-
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \rho(770)^-$	-	$0.864 \pm 0.040 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.075$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \rho(770)^- [S]$	-	$0.124 \pm 0.019 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.033$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \rho(770)^- [P]$	-	$0.186 \pm 0.013 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.019$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \rho(770)^- [D]$	-	$0.342 \pm 0.029 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.024$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \rho(1450)^- [D]$	-	$0.016 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.000 \pm 0.016$

$D > P > S$

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	Branching fractions	PDG
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(0.688 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.010)\%$	$(0.756 \pm 0.020)\%$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0 (\text{non-}\eta)$	$(0.951 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.021)\%$	$(1.005 \pm 0.090)\%$

$CP$ -even fractions	$F_+^{\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-}$	$F_+^{\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0 (\text{non-}\eta)}$
		$(75.2 \pm 1.1_{\text{stat.}} \pm 1.5_{\text{sys.}})\%$

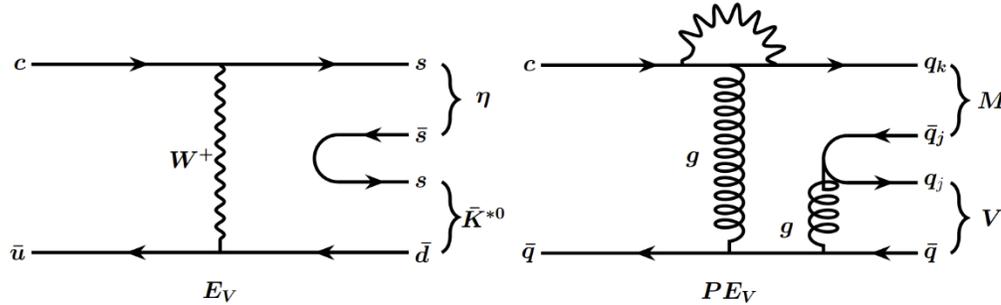
# Amplitude analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \eta$

## $D^0 \rightarrow \eta \bar{K}^*(892)^0$

20.3fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 3.773GeV, arXiv:2512.23389

6070 candidates with 94.6% ± 0.5% purity

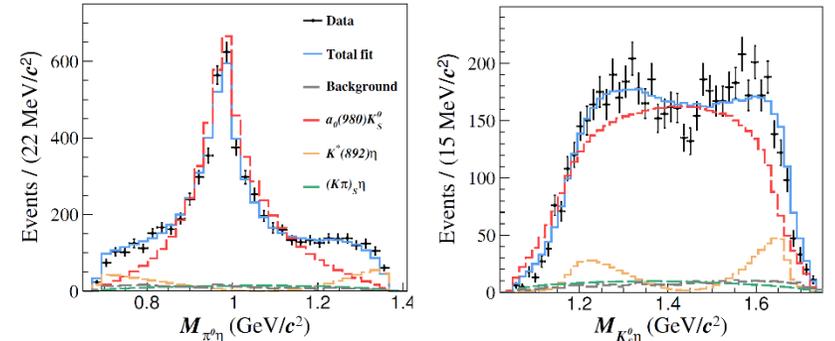
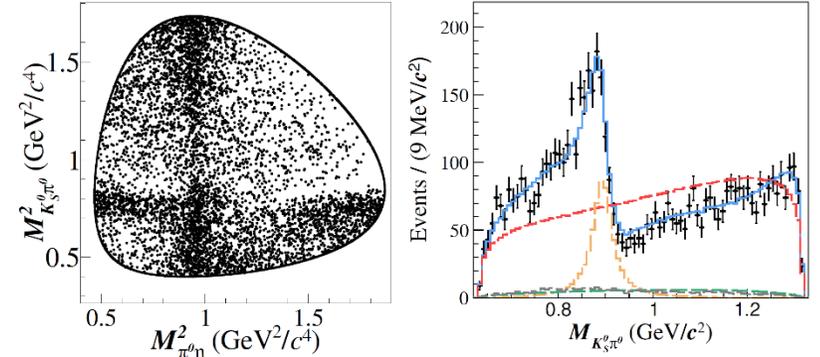
Impacts predictions from the topological diagram approach, affecting CP violation and DCS branching fraction estimates.



The BF determines the magnitude of  $E_V$

$E_V$  determines the magnitude of the penguin diagram  $PE_V$

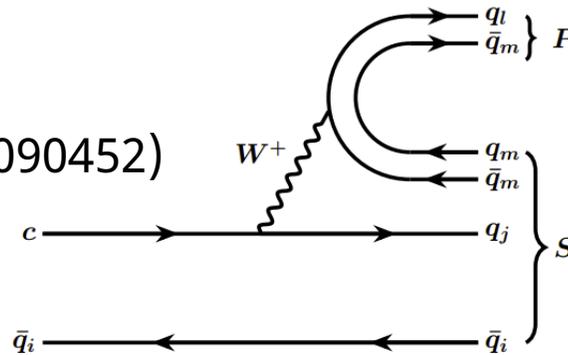
$PE_V$  affects predictions for DCS decays and CP violation calculations.



## $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)^0$

→ Consistent with prediction (PRD 110, 090452) assuming  $a_0(980)^0$  tetraquark state.

→ Helps determine the T-like diagram contribution under the tetraquark scenario.



$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)^0, a_0(980)^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta) = (9.88 \pm 0.37_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.42_{\text{syst.}}) \times 10^{-3}$$

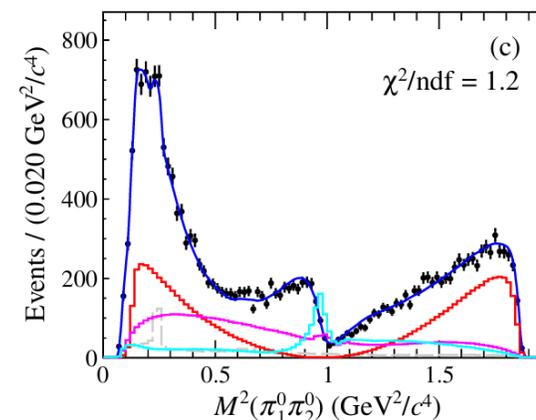
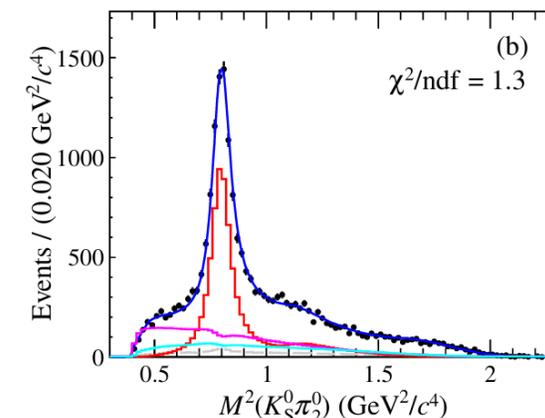
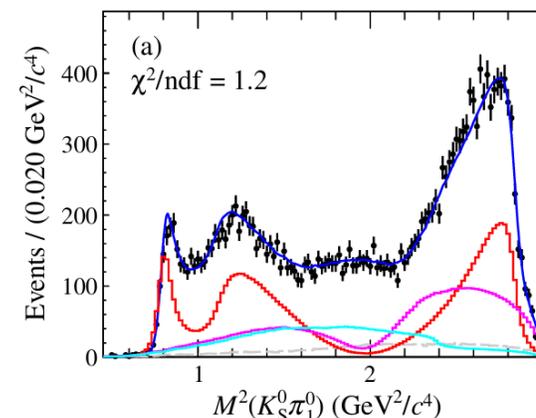
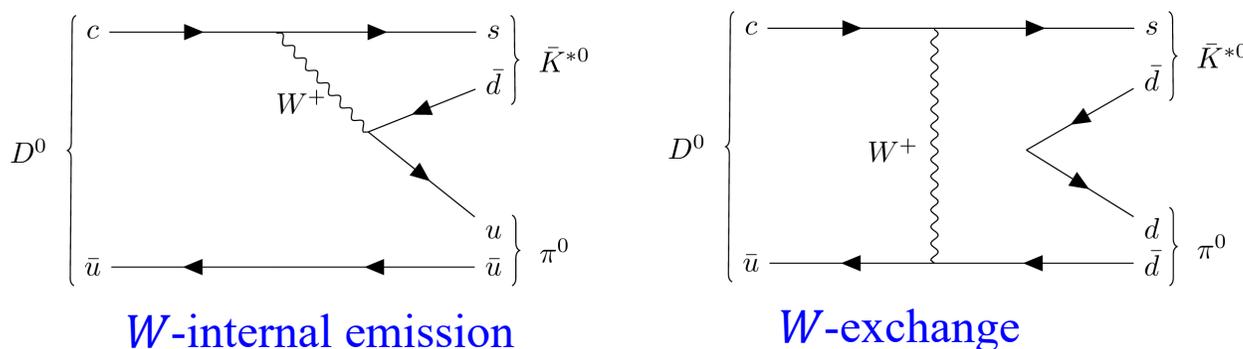
Amplitude	BF ( $10^{-3}$ )
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)^0, a_0(980)^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta$	$9.88 \pm 0.37 \pm 0.42$
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_2(1320)^0, a_2(1320)^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta$	$0.08 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.11$
$D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \eta, \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$	$1.22 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.11$
$D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(1410)^0 \eta, \bar{K}^*(1410)^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$	$0.56 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.16$
$D^0 \rightarrow (K_S^0 \pi^0)_{S\text{-wave}} \eta$	$0.64 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.10$
$D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(1680)^0 \pi^0, \bar{K}^*(1680)^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta$	$0.19 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.05$
$D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}_2^*(1980)^0 \pi^0, \bar{K}_2^*(1980)^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta$	$0.45 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.16$

# Amplitude analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$

20.3fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 3.773GeV, [arxiv:2510.25111](https://arxiv.org/abs/2510.25111)

19117 candidates with >93% purity

## ⊗ Dominant contribution $D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)^0 \pi^0$



† Data  
 — Fit result  
 - - - Background  
 —  $\bar{K}^*(892)^0 \pi^0$   
 —  $(K_S^0 \pi^0)_{S\text{-wave}} \pi^0$   
 —  $K_S^0 (\pi^0 \pi^0)_{S\text{-wave}}$

Amplitude	$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} \pi^0)$ (%)
TDA	$3.61 \pm 0.18$
FAT [mix]	3.25
pole	$2.9 \pm 1.0$
CLEO [from $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$ ]	$2.74 \pm 0.23(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.41(\text{syst.})$
CLEO [from $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$ ]	$4.16 \pm 0.37(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.33(\text{syst.})$
This work	$2.46 \pm 0.06(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.04(\text{syst.})$

## ⊗ Precise BF measurement of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \pi^0$

$$\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0 \pi^0) = (1.026 \pm 0.008_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.009_{\text{syst.}})\%$$

consistent with PDG value  $(0.91 \pm 0.11)\%$   
 with precision improved by a factor of 10

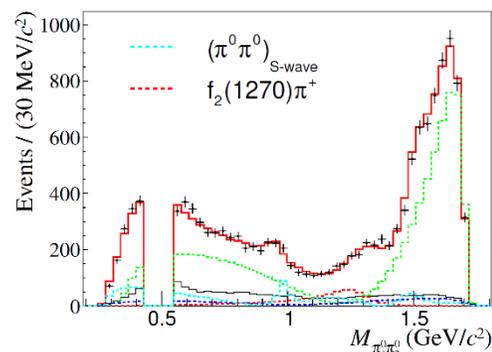
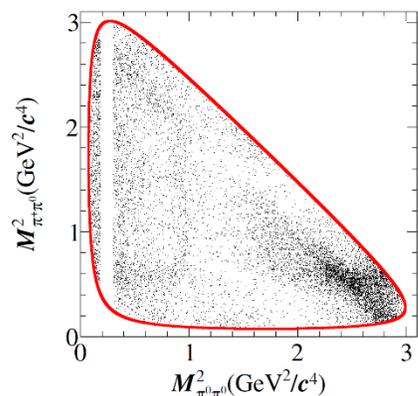
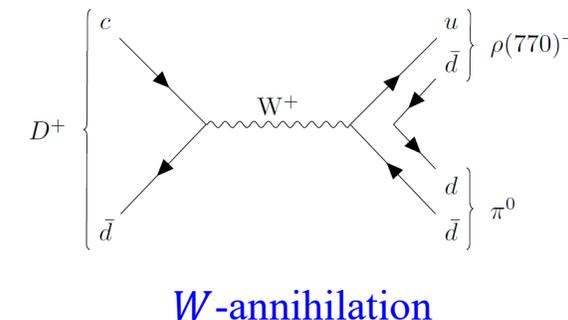
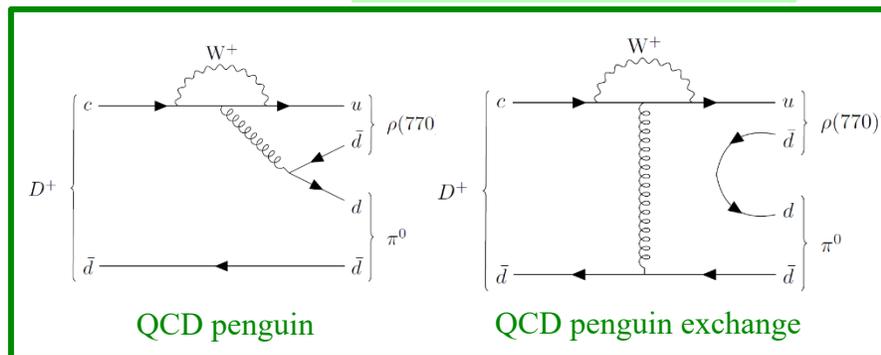
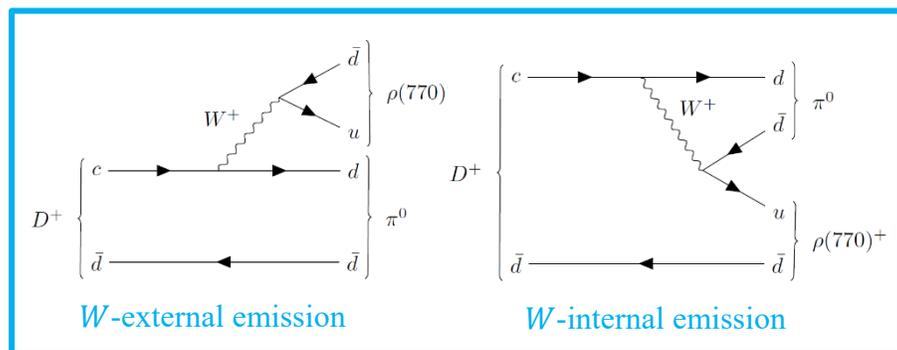
# Amplitude analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$

First observation of  $D^+ \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \pi^0$

20.3fb<sup>-1</sup> @ 3.773GeV,

13498 candidates with >87% purity

arxiv:2512.12397



$$\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow \rho(770)^+ \pi^0) = (3.08 \pm 0.10_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.05_{\text{syst.}})\%$$

## CP asymmetry

Decay mode	$D^+$ (%)	$D^-$ (%)	$\mathcal{A}_{\text{FF}}$ (%)
$D^{+(-)} \rightarrow \rho(770)^{+(-)} \pi^0$	$64.3 \pm 2.3 \pm 0.9$	$63.2 \pm 2.1 \pm 0.6$	$0.9 \pm 1.8 \pm 0.6$
$D^{+(-)} \rightarrow \rho(1450)^{+(-)} \pi^0$	$4.9 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.8$	$5.6 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.8$	$-7.2 \pm 6.8 \pm 6.8$
$D^{+(-)} \rightarrow f_2(1270)\pi^{+(-)}$	$4.3 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2$	$4.7 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2$	$-5.0 \pm 5.7 \pm 2.7$
$D^{+(-)} \rightarrow (\pi^0 \pi^0)_{S\text{-wave}} \pi^{+(-)}$	$11.6 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.5$	$11.4 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.5$	$0.8 \pm 1.8 \pm 1.1$

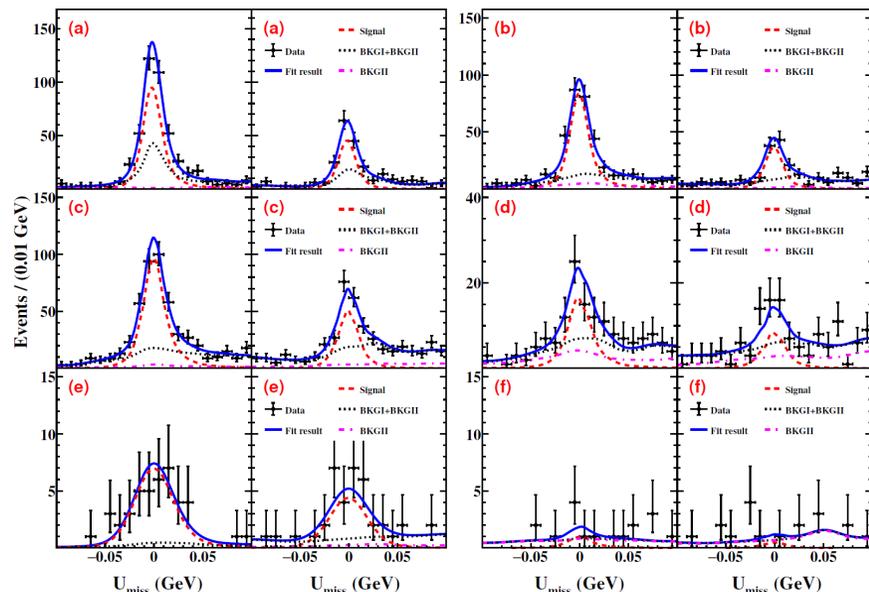
$$A_{\text{CP}} = (-1.4 \pm 1.0_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.6_{\text{syst.}})\%$$

No evidence for **CP violation** is observed!

# Doubly Cabibbo-suppressed Decays

$$R = \mathcal{B}(DCS)/\mathcal{B}(CF) \sim (0.5 - 2.0) \tan^4 \theta_C$$

JHEP06(2025)220,  $20.3\text{fb}^{-1}$  @ 3.773GeV

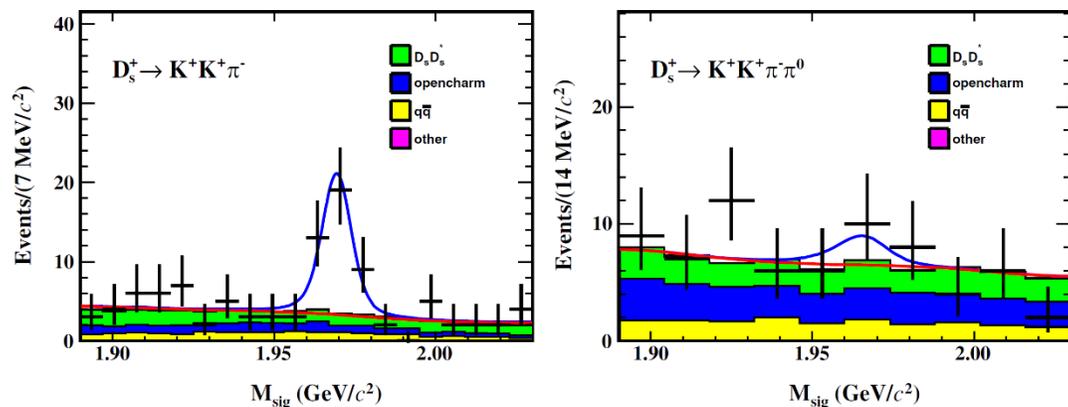


Signal decay	$\mathcal{B}_{\text{DCS}}^{\text{This work}} (\times 10^{-4})$	$\mathcal{B}_{\text{DCS}}^{\text{PDG}} (\times 10^{-4})$	$\mathcal{B}_{\text{DCS}}^{\text{This work}}/\mathcal{B}_{\text{CF}} (\%)$	$\times \tan^4 \theta_C$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$	$1.30 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.04$	$1.50 \pm 0.07$	$0.328 \pm 0.027$	$1.14 \pm 0.09$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$	$2.38 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.12$	$2.65 \pm 0.06$	$0.289 \pm 0.028$	$1.00 \pm 0.10$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$3.06 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.10$	$3.06 \pm 0.16$	$0.212 \pm 0.021$	$0.74 \pm 0.07$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \pi^0$	$1.40 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.09$	$< 3.6$	$0.158 \pm 0.036$	$0.55 \pm 0.12$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \eta$	$1.04 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.08$	—	$0.555 \pm 0.092$	$1.93 \pm 0.32$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0 \eta$	$< 0.7$	—	$< 1.78$	$< 6.19$
$D^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$4.50 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.35$	$4.91 \pm 0.09$	$0.480 \pm 0.019$	$1.67 \pm 0.07$
$D^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \eta$	$1.56 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.04$	—	—	—
$D^+ \rightarrow K^+ (\pi^+ \pi^- \eta)_{\text{non-}\eta'}$	$0.67 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.02$	—	$5.0 \pm 1.4$	$17.3 \pm 4.8$
$D^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ K^-$	$0.51 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.01$	$0.614 \pm 0.011$	—	—
$D^+ \rightarrow K^+ \eta \eta$	$0.59 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.02$	—	—	—

PRD 109, 032011 (2024),  $7.33\text{fb}^{-1}$  @ 4.178 – 4.226GeV

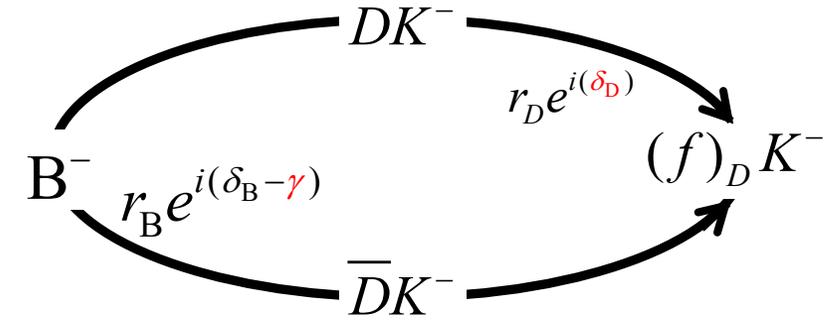
$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \pi^-} = (1.24_{-0.26}^{+0.28} (\text{stat}) \pm 0.06 (\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\mathcal{B}_{D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \pi^- \pi^0} < 1.7 \times 10^{-4}$$



DCS decay	$\mathcal{B}_{\text{DCS}}^{\text{this work}}/\mathcal{B}_{\text{CF}}^{\text{PDG}} (\times 10^{-3})$	$\times \tan^4 \theta_C$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \pi^-$	$2.31_{-0.48}^{+0.52}$	$0.80_{-0.16}^{+0.18}$
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$< 3.09$	$< 1.07$

☉ **CKM angle  $\gamma$  can be determined directly in  $B^\pm \rightarrow DK^\pm$  (golden mode) decay**



→ **Phase-space integrated decay rate:**

$$\Gamma(B^{\mp} \rightarrow DK^{\mp}) \propto (r_D^f)^2 + r_B^2 + 2r_B r_D^f R_D^f \cos(\delta_B \mp \gamma - \delta_D^f)$$

Magnitude ratio between  $D^0 \rightarrow f$  and  $\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow f$  amplitudes

Coherence factor

Strong-phase difference between  $D^0 \rightarrow f$  and  $\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow f$  amplitudes

May limit precision to  $\gamma$

☉ **Extract  $\gamma$  using different  $D$  decays:**

→ Self-conjugate decays (e.g.  $K_S^0 h^+ h^-$ ): "GGSZ" →  $c_i, s_i$  (amplitude-weighted  $\cos[\sin]\Delta\delta_D$  in phase-space  $i$ )  
 [PRD 68 (2003) 054018; PRD 67 (2003) 071301]

→ CF and DCS decays (e.g.  $K\pi, K\pi\pi^0, K\pi\pi\pi$ ): "ADS" →  $\delta_D^f, R_D^f$   
 [PRL 78 (1997) 3257; PRD 63 (2001) 036005]

→ (Quasi-)CP eigenstates (e.g.  $h^+ h^-$ ): "GLW" → CP fraction  $F_+$ ; ...  
 [PLB 265 (1991) 172; PLB 253 (1991) 483]

☉  $D$  strong-phase parameters provide the **crucial inputs** for  $\gamma$  measurement

Studies of quantum correlations in

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma^* \rightarrow XD\bar{D}$$

→ Quantum correlated C-odd  $D^0\bar{D}^0$  pairs used at  $\psi(3770)$  for  $D$ -decay strong phase measurements

First observation of quantum correlations in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow XD\bar{D}$  and C-even constrained  $D\bar{D}$  pairs

$$\hat{C} |D\bar{D}\rangle = \kappa C_{\text{exp}} |D\bar{D}\rangle - (1 - \kappa) C_{\text{exp}} |D\bar{D}\rangle$$

Production mechanism	$\kappa$
$D\bar{D}$	$1.015 \pm 0.066$
$D^*\bar{D} \rightarrow \gamma D\bar{D}$	$1.044 \pm 0.044$
$D^*\bar{D} \rightarrow \pi^0 D\bar{D}$	$1.028 \pm 0.024$
$D^*\bar{D}^* \rightarrow \gamma\pi^0 D\bar{D}$	$1.027 \pm 0.017$
$D^*\bar{D}^* \rightarrow \gamma\gamma/\pi^0\pi^0 D\bar{D}$	$0.963 \pm 0.060$

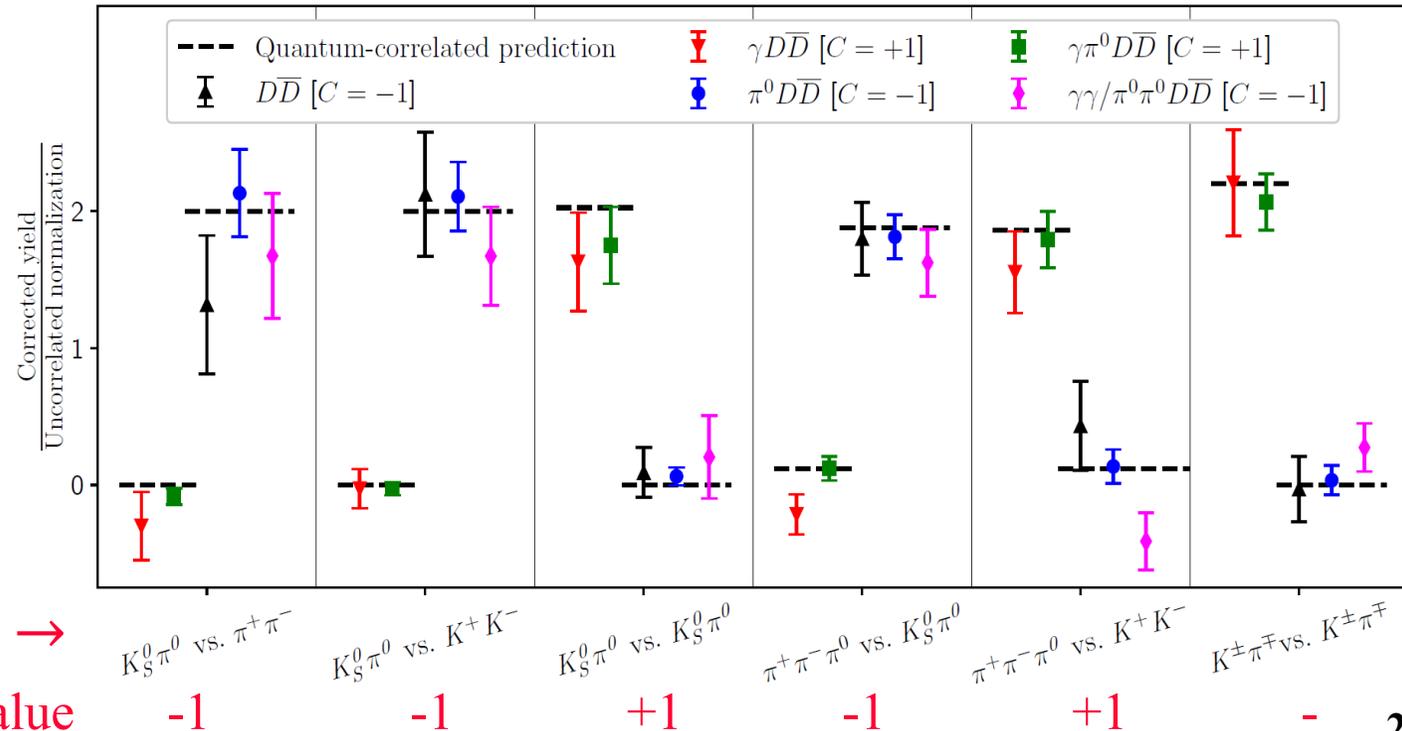
$\kappa=1$ : coherent  
 $\kappa=0.5$ : incoherent

$D\bar{D} \rightarrow$   
CP eigenvalue

$$C_\gamma = -1$$

$$C_{\pi^0} = +1$$

Production mechanism	$C$
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D\bar{D}$	-1
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^*\bar{D} \rightarrow D\bar{D} \gamma$	+1
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^*\bar{D} \rightarrow D\bar{D} \pi^0$	-1
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^*\bar{D}^* \rightarrow D\bar{D} \gamma\gamma$	-1
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^*\bar{D}^* \rightarrow D\bar{D} \pi^0\gamma$	+1
$e^+e^- \rightarrow D^*\bar{D}^* \rightarrow D\bar{D} \pi^0\pi^0$	-1



☯  $\delta_{K\pi}$  is the strong-phase difference between  $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$  and  $\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$  decays

$$r_{K\pi}^D e^{-i\delta_{K\pi}^D} = \frac{A(\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)}{A(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)}, \quad r_{K\pi}^D \text{ is the magnitude of the ratio}$$

→ is an key input for measurements of the charm mixing parameters and CKM angle  $\gamma$

☯ Use the quantum correlated pairs to measure  $\delta_{K\pi}$

→  $CP$  tags ( $K^+ K^-$ ,  $\pi^+ \pi^-$ ,  $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ ,  $K_S^0 \pi^0$ )  
( $r_{K\pi} \cos \delta_{K\pi}$ )

→  $K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$  tags ( $r_{K\pi} \cos \delta_{K\pi}$  and  $r_{K\pi} \sin \delta_{K\pi}$ )

Source	Observable	Value
$D \rightarrow CP$	$r_{K\pi}^D \cos \delta_{K\pi}^D$	$-0.070 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.0015$
$D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	$r_{K\pi}^D \cos \delta_{K\pi}^D$	$-0.044 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.0018$
$D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	$r_{K\pi}^D \sin \delta_{K\pi}^D$	$-0.022 \pm 0.017 \pm 0.0031$

☯ Extract  $\delta_{K\pi}$

$$\delta_{K\pi}^D = \left(192.8_{-12.4-2.4}^{+11.0+1.9}\right)^\circ \quad \text{agree with global average} \quad \delta_{K\pi}^D = (190.2 \pm 2.8)^\circ$$

[LHCb, CERN-LHCb-CONF-2024-004]

☯ **BESIII combination** (combined fit with BESIII measurement using 2.93 fb<sup>-1</sup>  $\psi(3770)$  data)

$$\delta_{K\pi}^D = \left(189.2_{-7.4-3.8}^{+6.9+3.4}\right)^\circ \quad \delta_{K\pi}^D = \left(187.6_{-9.7-6.4}^{+8.9+5.4}\right)^\circ$$

[BESIII, EPJC 82,1009(2022)]

# Strong-phase measurement of $D \rightarrow K_{S/L}^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

7.93 fb<sup>-1</sup> @3.773 GeV, JHEP 06(2025)086

Measurement of  $D \rightarrow K_{S/L}^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$  strong phase parameters:

$c_i[s_i] \equiv$  amplitude-weighted  $\cos[\sin]\Delta\delta_D$  in phase-space  $i$

→ is an key input for direct measurement of CKM angle  $\gamma$

Impact on the  $\gamma$  measurement

Model-predicted  $c'_i(s'_i) - c_i(s_i)$   
between  $K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$  and  $K_L^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

→ Uncertainty:  $0.9^\circ$  with constraints

→ Uncertainty:  $1.5^\circ$  without constraints

with optimal binning

Statistical uncertainty of current  $\gamma$  measurement:  $5.1^\circ$  [LHCb, JHEP02(2021)169]

Expected  $\gamma$  precision

Belle II [PTEP 2019, 123C01 (2019)]:

$1.5^\circ$  with 50 ab<sup>-1</sup>

LHCb [LHCb-PUB-2016-025 (2016)]:

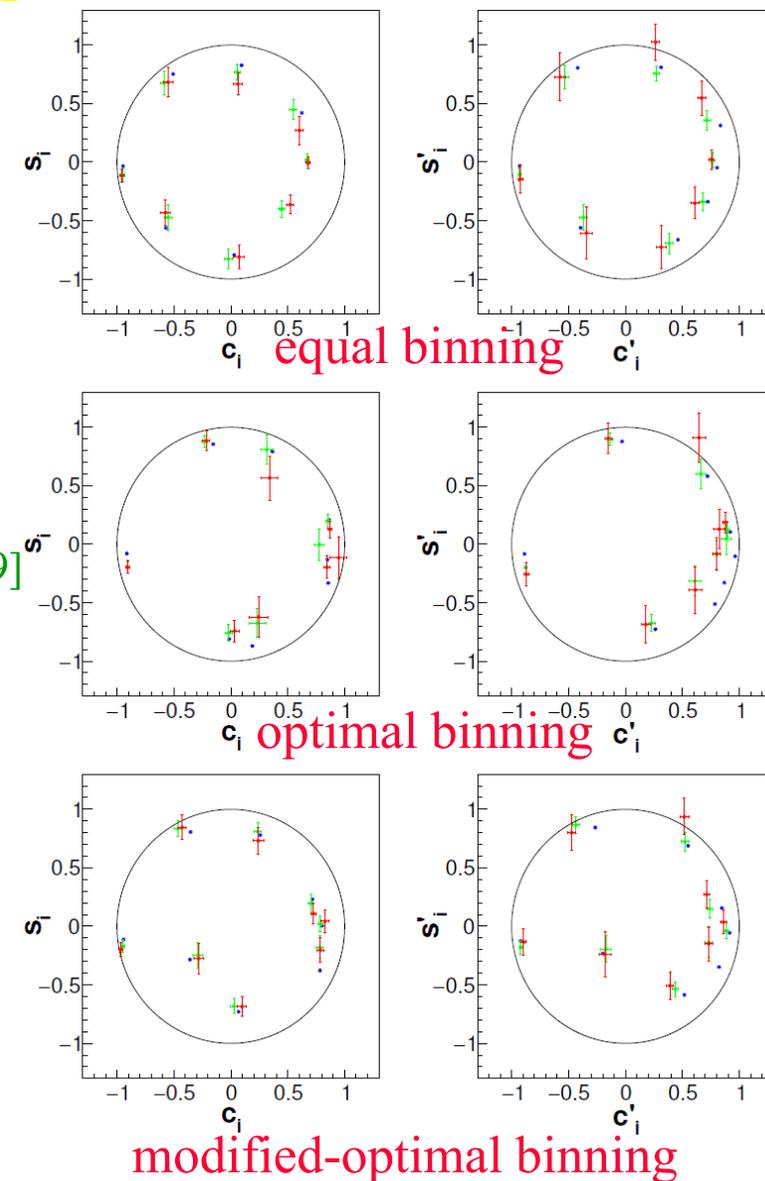
$< 1^\circ$  with 50 fb<sup>-1</sup>, phase-1 upgrade (2030),

$< 0.4^\circ$  with 300 fb<sup>-1</sup>, phase-2 upgrade (>2035)

Uncertainties due to strong-phases  
in  $D \rightarrow K_S^0 h^+ h^-$  decays with 20fb<sup>-1</sup> data

→  $0.5^\circ$

BESIII white paper



- ☉ BESIII made **significant contributions** to charmed flavor physics and hadron physics.
- ☉ Charm hadronic decays are key labs to understand non-perturbative QCD;  
study the properties of light hadron ( $a_0(980)$ ,  $f_0(980)$ ,  $f_0(500)$ ...);  
and provide crucial inputs to model-independent determination of  $\gamma$  and charm mixing/CPV  
Strong-phase measurement:  $0.9^\circ$  on  $\gamma$  ( $<0.5^\circ$  with  $20\text{fb}^{-1}$ )
- ☉ BESIII's Future prospects
  - More interesting results are coming using  $20.3\text{fb}^{-1}\psi(3770)$  data.
  - BEPCII-U will extend the lifetime of BESIII (**will continue to run till ~2030**).  
3× luminosity above 4 GeV & max energy to 5.6 GeV