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All-charm Tetraquarks at the CMS Experiment

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第十四届“晨光杯”青年优秀论文评选



CMS实验上全粲四夸克态家族自旋宇称的测量

Nature 648 (2025) 58: Determination of the spin and parity of all-charm tetraquarks

王晰宁
晨光杯

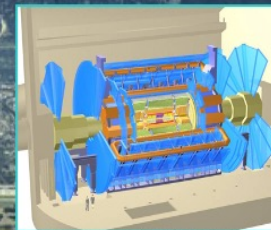
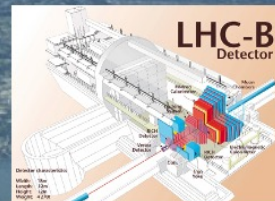
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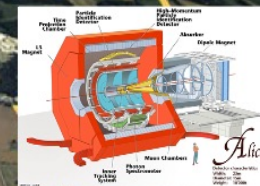
初评得分排名前15位的论文（进入终评） （按姓氏拼音排序）

论文序号	论文题目	论文作者	单位
1	Dispersive determination of nucleon gravitational form factors	曹雄辉	中科院理论所 (2023年博士毕业)
2	Measurement of reactor neutrino oscillation with the first JUNO data	陈志源、Iwan Morton-Blake、孙明霞、王明远、张涵	高能所等 (博士毕业、博士毕业、博士在读、博士在读、博士在读)
3	Baryon Electric Charge Correlation as a Magnetometer of QCD	顾锦彪	华中师范大学 (博士在读)
4	Establishing CP violation in b-baryon decays	韩佳杰	兰州大学 (博士后)
5	First Indication of Solar ^8B Neutrinos via Coherent Elastic Neutrino-Nucleus Scattering with XENONnT	刘可欣	清华大学 (在读博士)
6	Strong and Weak CP Tests in Sequential Decays of Polarized Σ^0 Hyperons	沈宏飞	高能所 (博士后)
7	1. Determination of the spin and parity of all-charm tetraquarks Review 2. Experimental road of the $J/\psi\phi$ mass spectrum, current status, and implications	王晰宁	清华大学 (博士在读)
8	Observation of the antimatter hypernucleus ^4H	吴俊霖	中国科学院大学 (博士后)
9	1. ω Meson from Lattice QCD 2. Emergence of the $\pi\delta(1300)\rho$ Resonance from Lattice QCD	燕浩波	北京大学 (博士在读)
10	Observation of charge-parity symmetry breaking in baryon decays	杨雪婷	北京大学 (博士在读)
11	Direct observation of the Migdal effect induced by neutron bombardment	易涤凡	中科院大学 (博士在读)
12	Precise measurement of matter-antimatter asymmetry with entangled hyperon antihyperon pairs	张景旭	兰州大学 (在读博士)
13	First Indication of Solar ^8B Neutrinos through Coherent Elastic Neutrino-Nucleus Scattering in PandaX-4T	张敏祯	上海交通大学 (博士后)
14	Suppression of Spin Transfer to Λ Hyperon in Deep-Inelastic Scattering	赵晓燕	山东大学 (2026年博士毕业)
15	1. Extracting the femtometer structure of strange baryons using the vacuum polarization effect 2. Observation of the Electromagnetic Radiative Decays of the $\Lambda(1520)$ and $\Lambda(1690)$ to $\gamma\Sigma^0$	郑文静	高能所 (博士后)



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The **Large Hadron Collider (LHC)** at CERN is the world's largest particle collider. It lies in a tunnel 27 kilometres in circumference and as deep as 175 metres beneath the France–Switzerland border near Geneva.



ALICE



LHC 27 km

SPS 7 km

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CERN Meyrin

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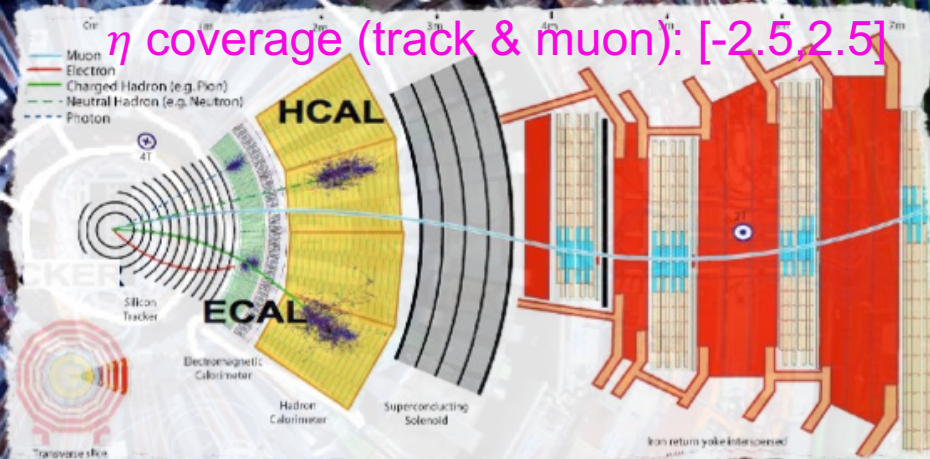
the Compact Muon Solenoid detector

3.8T Superconducting Solenoid

Hermetic ($|\eta| < 5.2$)
Hadron Calorimeter (HCAL)
[scintillators & brass]

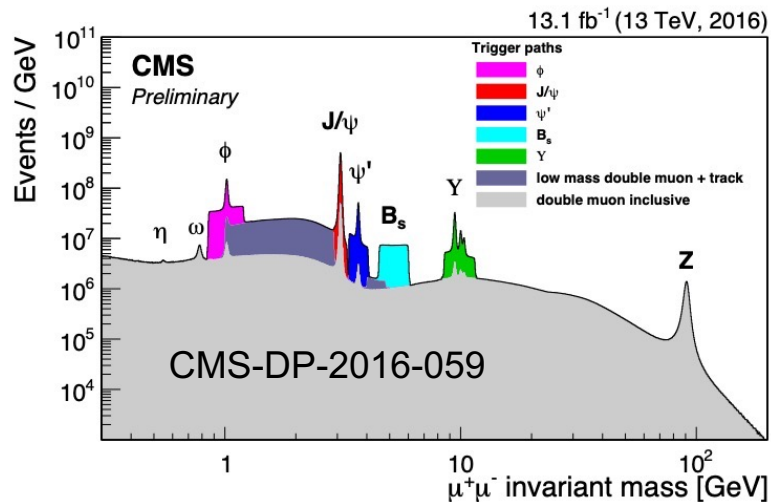
Lead tungstate
E/M Calorimeter (ECAL)

η coverage (track & muon): $[-2.5, 2.5]$



All Silicon Tracker
(Pixels and Microstrips)

Redundant Muon System
(RPCs, Drift Tubes,
Cathode Strip Chambers)

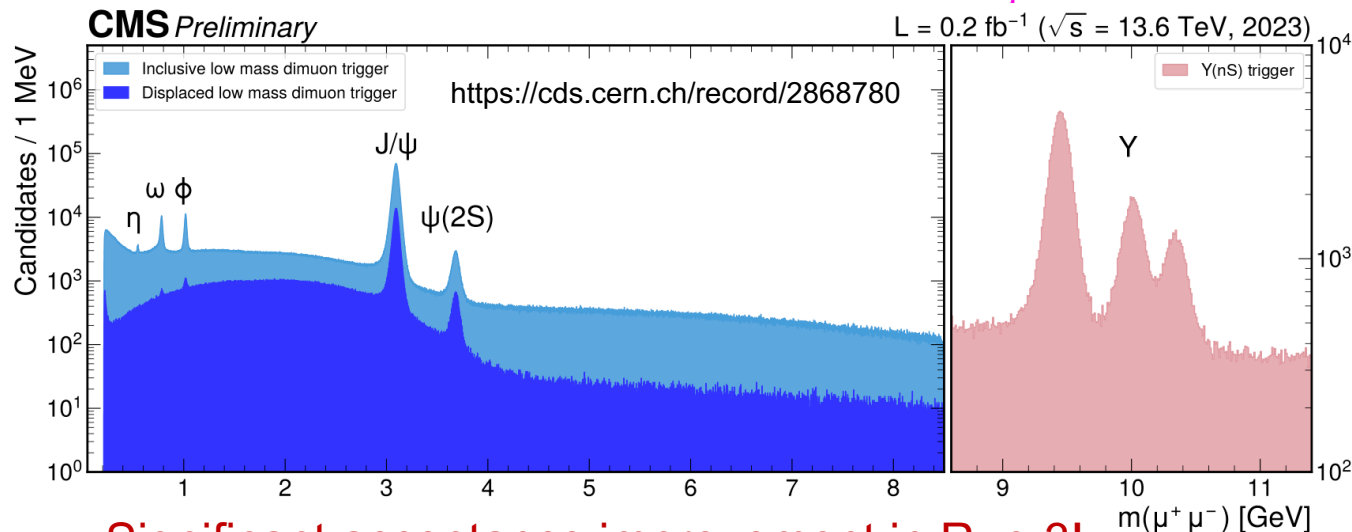


Excellent detector for studies with muons

- Muon system
 - High-purity muon ID, $\Delta m/m \sim 0.6\%$ for J/ψ
- Silicon Tracking detector, $B=3.8T$
 - $\Delta p_T/p_T \sim 1\%$ & excellent vertex resolution

Majority of analyses rely on dimuon triggers

- Special triggers for different analyses
 - μp_T , $(\mu\mu) p_T$, $(\mu\mu)$ mass, $(\mu\mu)$ vertex, and additional μ



Significant acceptance improvement in Run-3!

- First mention of 4c states at 6.2 GeV (1975)
 - Just one year after the discovery of J/ψ

We expect at least three exotic mesons with hidden charm, $c\bar{c}(p\bar{p}-n\bar{n})$ [between 3.7~4.1 GeV], $c\bar{c}\lambda\bar{\lambda}$ [~ 4.1 GeV] and $c\bar{c}c\bar{c}$ [~ 6.2 GeV], to which we refer as the χ_c and χ_b respectively. [We expect the mass of χ_c to be around 3.7~4.1 GeV, the mass of χ_b to be around 6.2 GeV.]

Progress of Theoretical Physics, Vol. 54, No. 2, August 1975

A Possible Model for New Resonances

—Exotics and Hidden Charm—

Yoichi IWASAKI

Research Institute for Fundamental Physics
Kyoto University, Kyoto

(Received January 20, 1975)

- First precise calculation of 4c states (1981): Z. Phys. C 7 (1981) 317

L	S	J^{PC}	Mass (GeV)
1	0	1^{--}	6.55
	1	$0^{+-}, 1^{+-}, 2^{+-}$	
	2	$1^{--}, 2^{--}, 3^{--}$	
2	0	2^{++}	6.78
	1	$1^{+-}, 2^{+-}, 3^{+-}$	
	2	$0^{++}, 1^{++}, 2^{++}, 3^{++}, 4^{++}$	
3	0	3^{--}	6.98
	1	$2^{+-}, 3^{+-}, 4^{+-}$	
	2	$1^{--}, 2^{--}, 3^{--}, 4^{--}, 5^{--}$	

$$\left| (cc)_{\underline{3}}^* - (\bar{c}\bar{c})_{\underline{3}} \right|$$

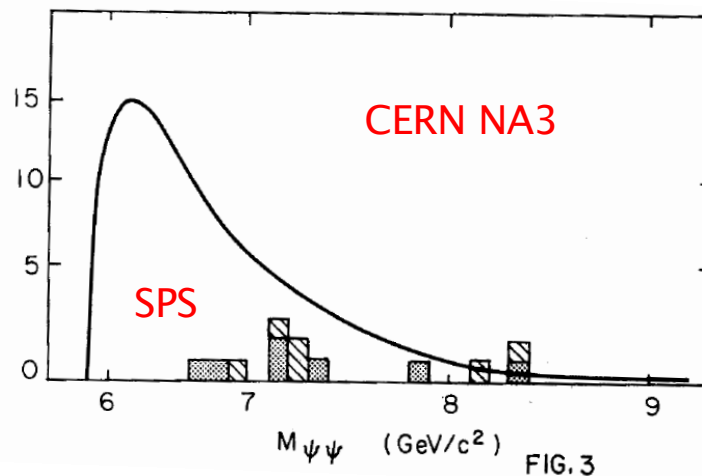
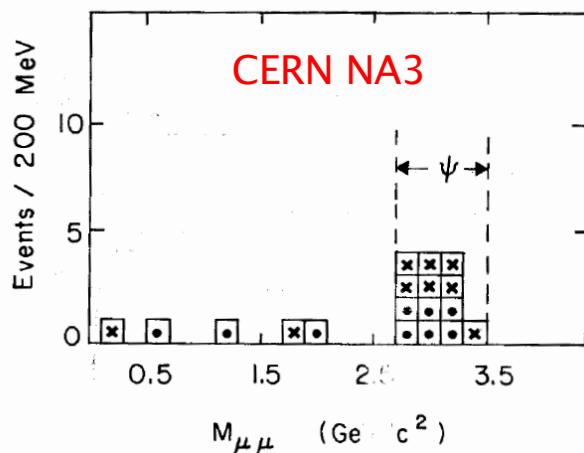
$$(cc)_{\underline{6}} - (\bar{c}\bar{c})_{\underline{6}}^*$$

K. T. Chao

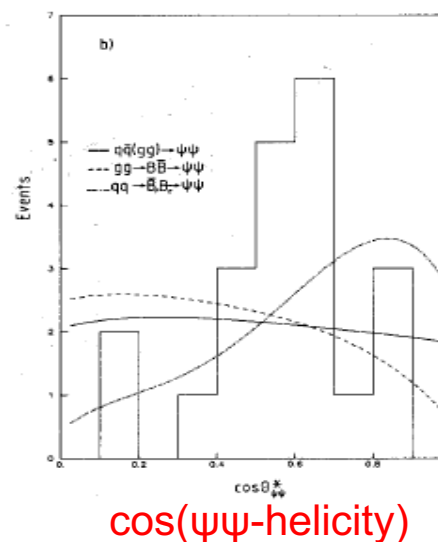
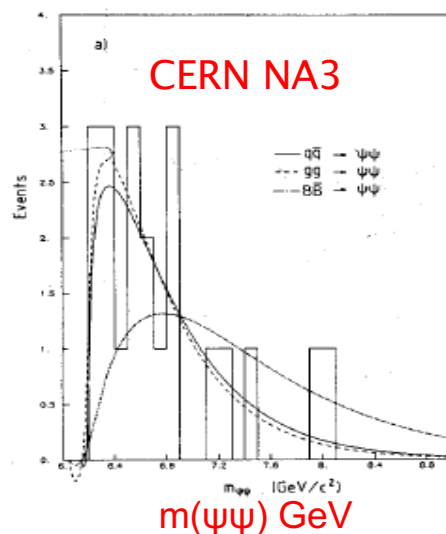
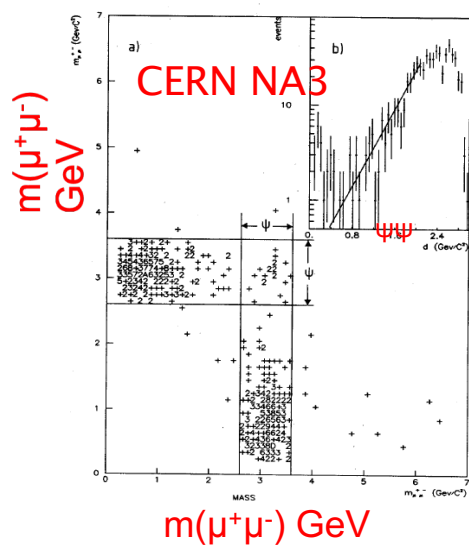
L	S	J^{PC}	Mass (GeV)
1	0	1^{--}	6.82
2	0	2^{++}	7.15
3	0	3^{--}	7.41

- A different (all heavy) exotic system compared to exotics with light quarks

J/ψ J/ψ events - first evidence (1982)



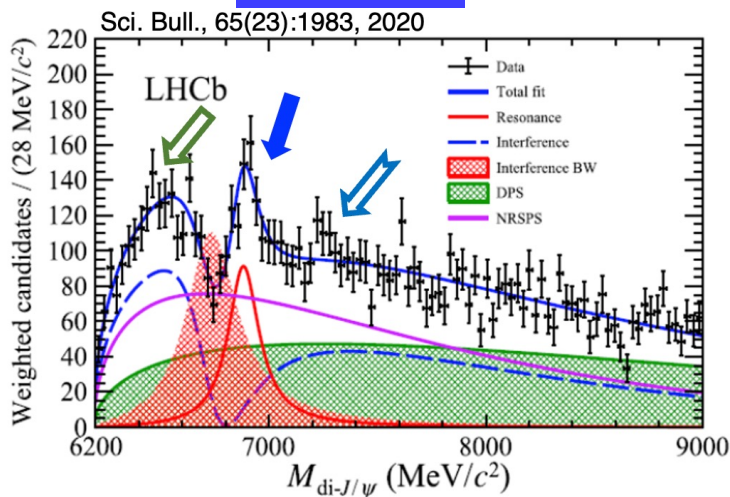
PLB114 (1982) 457



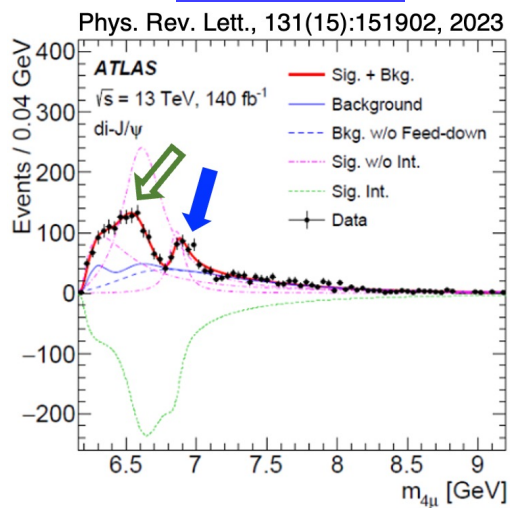
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Was interpreted as 2^{++} 4-quark state

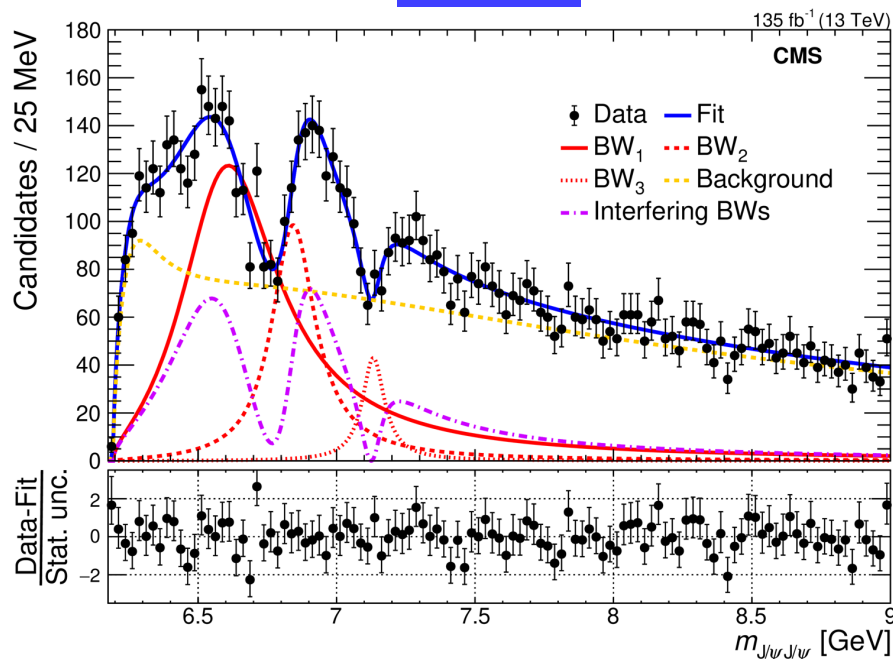
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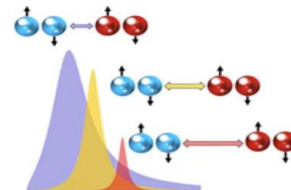


Editors' Suggestion

New Structures in the $J/\psi J/\psi$ Mass Spectrum in Proton-Proton Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV

A. Hayrapetyan et al. (CMS Collaboration)

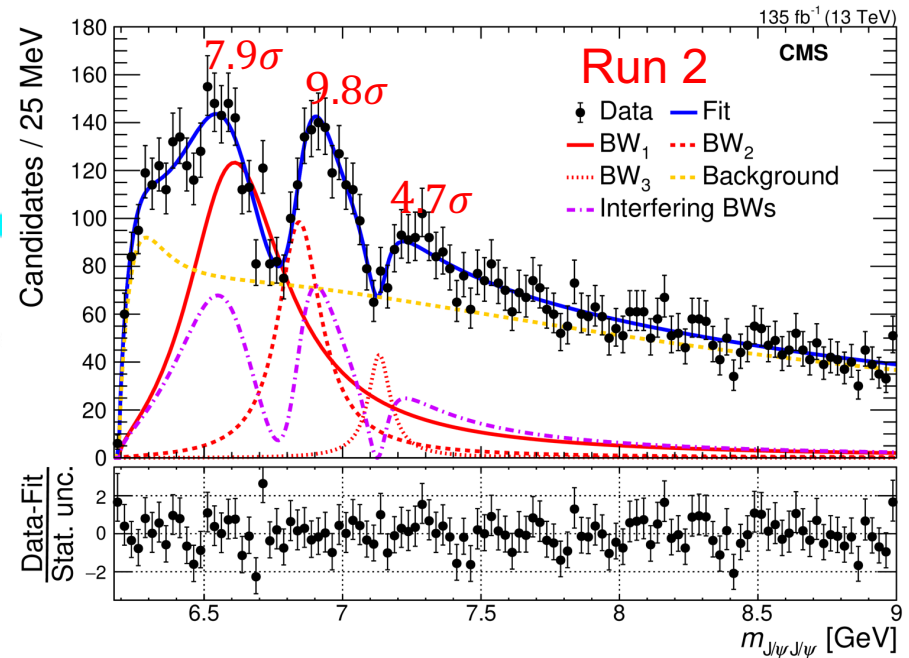
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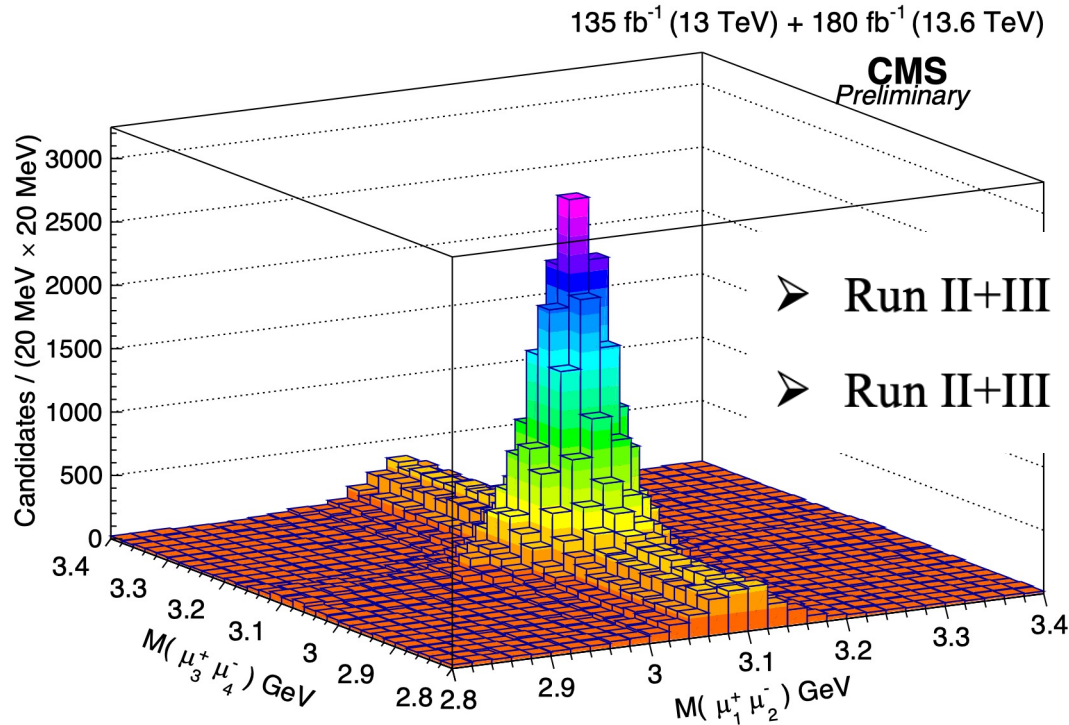
Three structures, $X(6900)$ and two new ones around 6.64 and 7.13 GeV, are seen in the $J/\psi J/\psi$ mass spectrum that are consistent with being part of a family of radial excitations.

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- **X(7100)**: 4.7σ & Interference $< 4\sigma$
- Significance of **ALL** states over 5σ ?
- Significance of **interference** over 5σ ?



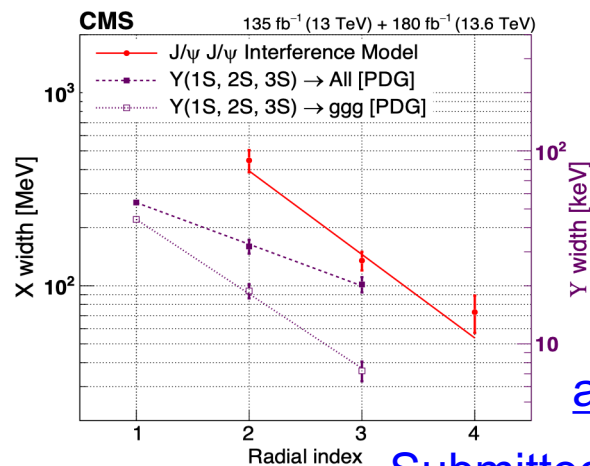
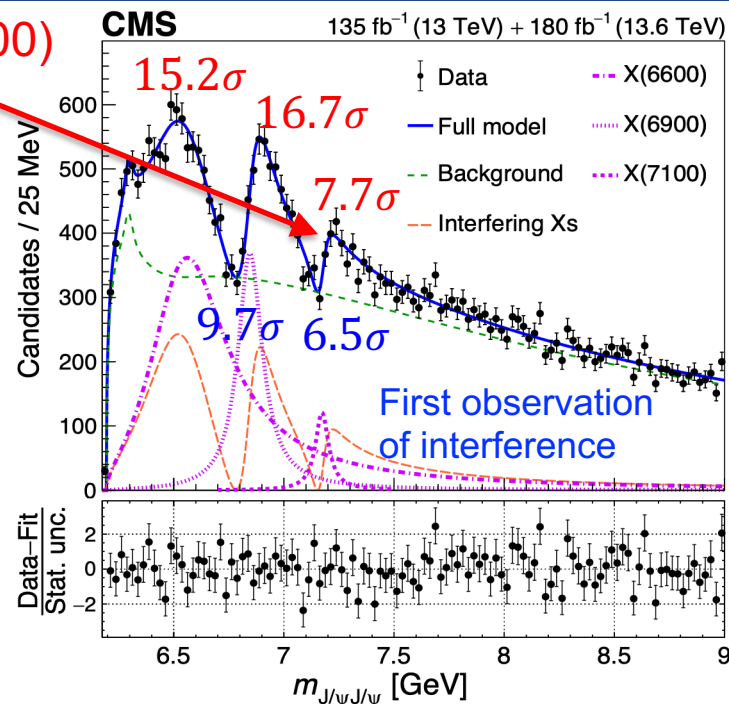
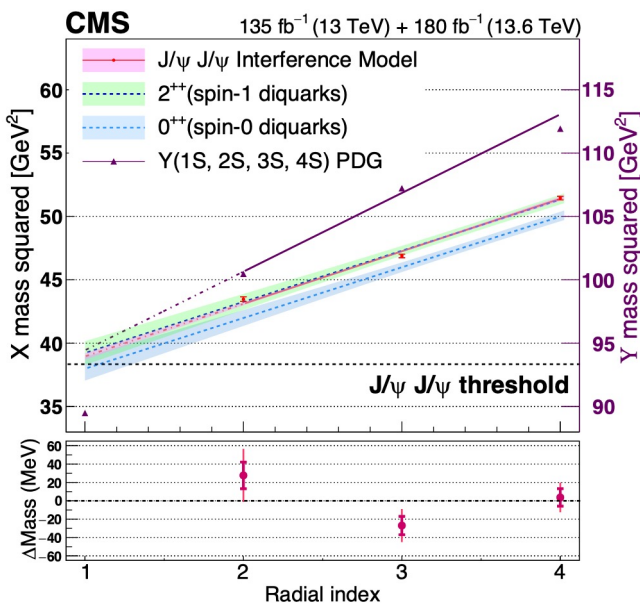
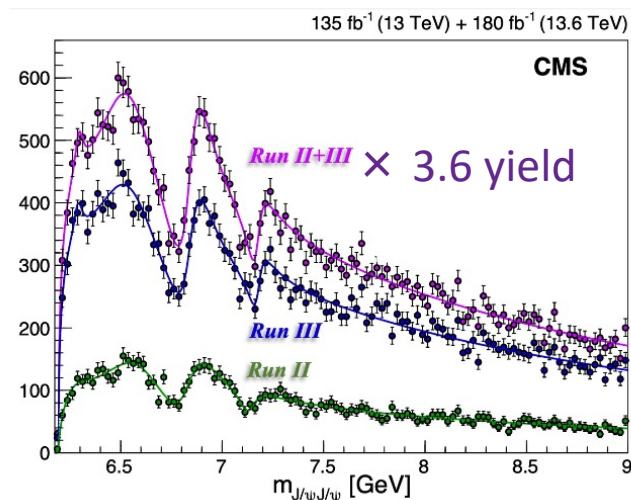
- New data samples [315 fb^{-1}]
 - Run II: 135 fb^{-1} data taken in 2016, 2017 and 2018
 - Run III: 180 fb^{-1} data taken in 2022, 2023 and 2024



- Run II+III **J/ψJ/ψ** yield is **3.6X** of Run II
- Run II+III **Luminosity** is **2.3X** of Run II !

$[6, 15] \text{ GeV}$	$N(J/\psi J/\psi)$	$N(J/\psi \mu \mu)$	$N(\mu \mu J/\psi)$	$N(\mu \mu \mu \mu)$
Run II	12622 ± 165	6451 ± 146	772 ± 52	1295 ± 60
Run III	31802 ± 476	33603 ± 491	4604 ± 166	33187 ± 267
Run II+III	44936 ± 692	39371 ± 698	5374 ± 181	34656 ± 278

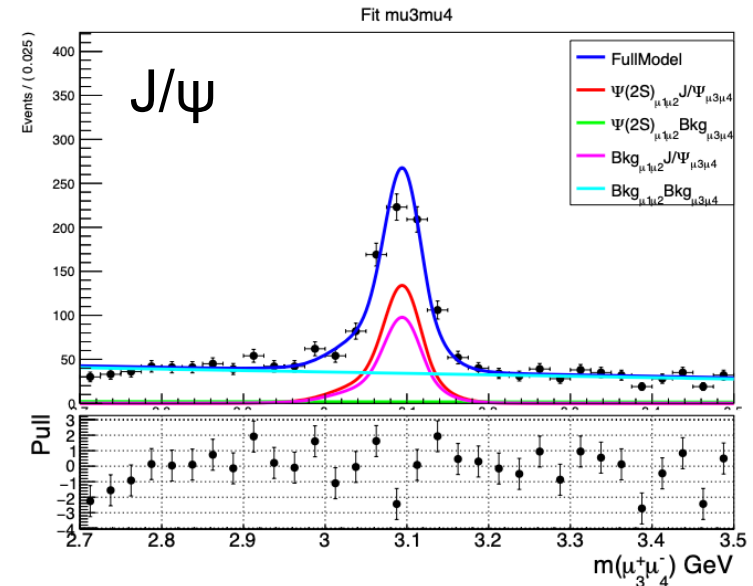
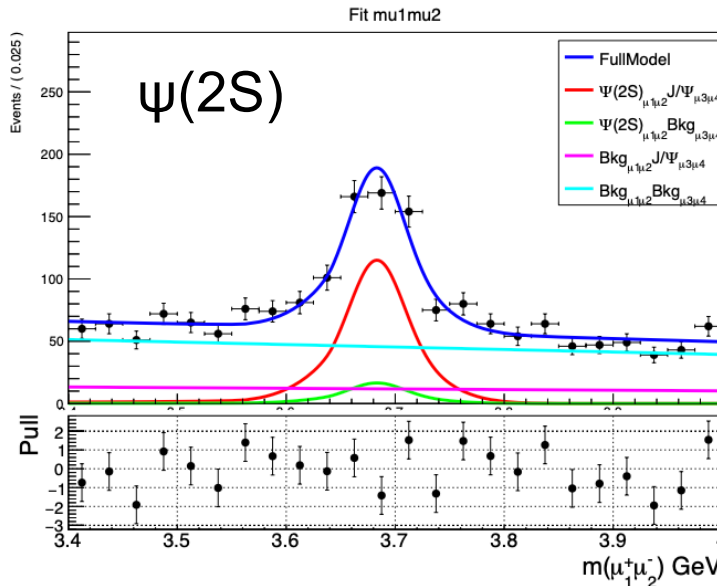
First observation of X(7100)



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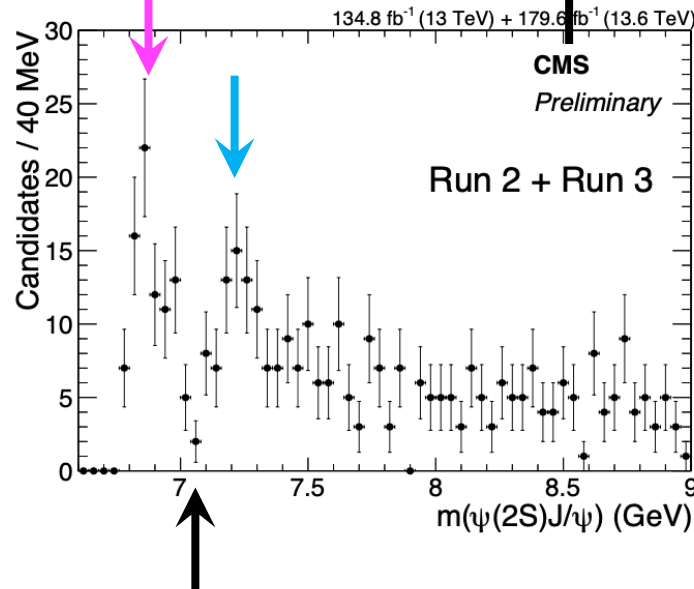
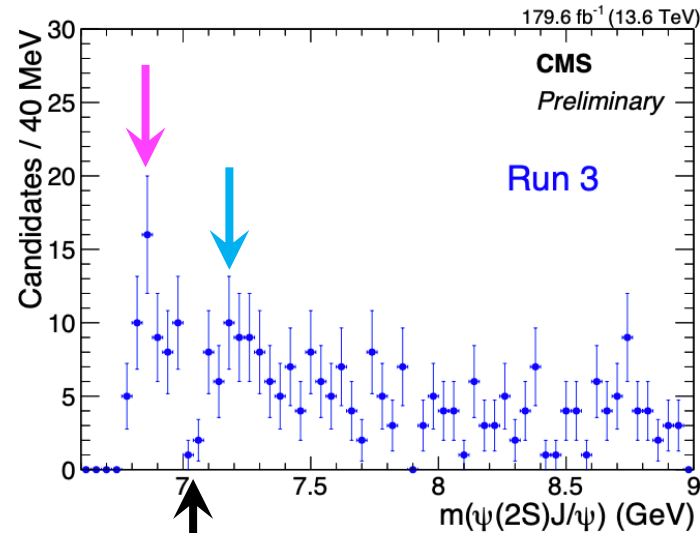
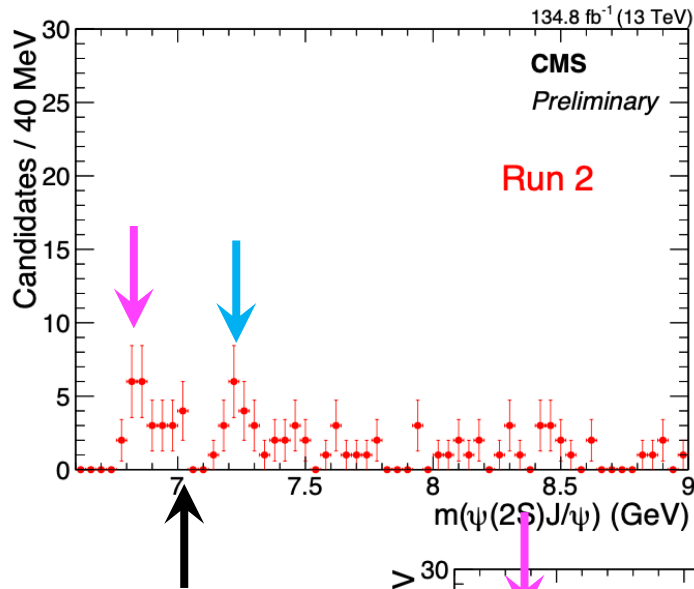
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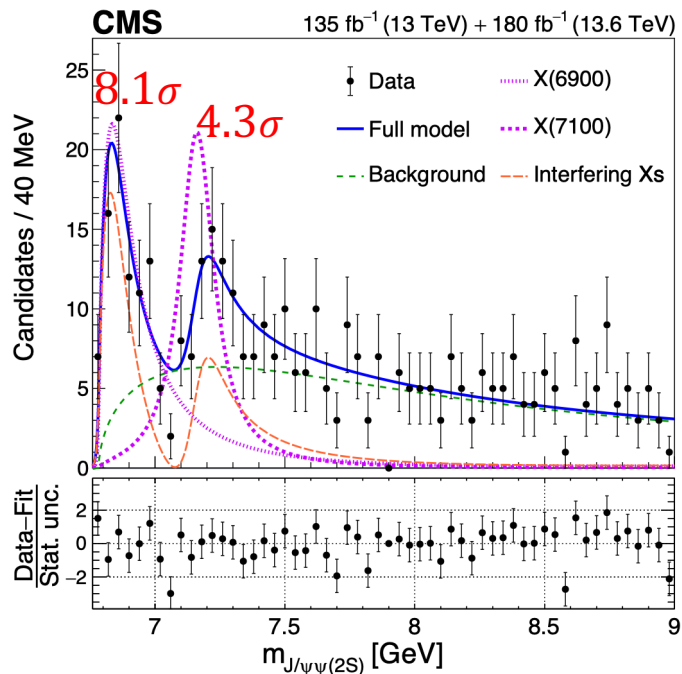
Run2 + Run3 data			
$N(\psi(2S)J/\psi)$	386 ± 26	S	386 ± 26 (vs 109 ± 14 in Run2)
$N(\psi(2S)Bkg_2)$	56 ± 24	B	1427 ± 57 (vs 208 ± 22 in Run2)
$N(Bkg_1 J/\psi)$	282 ± 28		
$N(Bkg_1 Bkg_2)$	1089 ± 43		

3.5 times yield



- X(6900) is obvious
- X(7100) is visible
- Signal dominated by Run3

Observation of $X(6900) \rightarrow \psi(2S)J/\psi$



First observation of
 $X(6900) \rightarrow \psi(2S)J/\psi \rightarrow 4\mu$

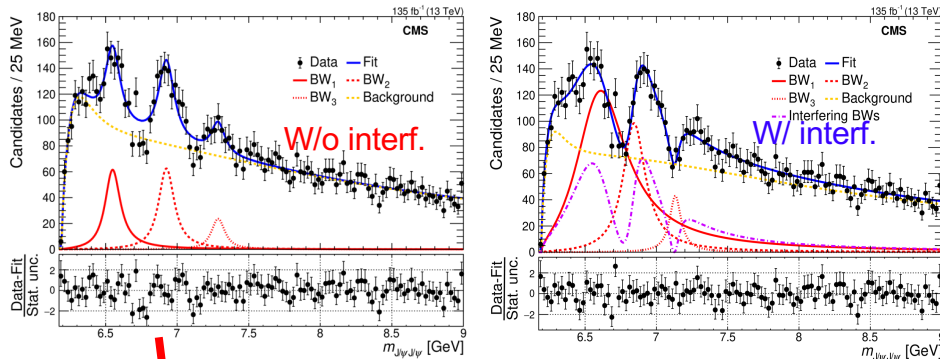
Evidence of $X(7100) \rightarrow \psi(2S)J/\psi$: 4.3σ

Interference: 2.5σ

[arXiv:2602.02252](https://arxiv.org/abs/2602.02252)

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Fit	Sample	Interf.		X(6600)	X(6900)	X(7100)
f_{i23}	$J/\psi\psi(2S)$	BW_2, BW_3	$m :$	—	$6876^{+46+110}_{-29-110}$	7169^{+26+74}_{-52-70}
			$\Gamma :$	—	$253^{+290+120}_{-100-120}$	$154^{+110+140}_{-82-160}$
$f_{JJ} [1]$	$J/\psi J/\psi$	Interference (Run 2+Run 3)	m (MeV)	$6593^{+15}_{-14} \pm 25$	$6847^{+10}_{-10} \pm 15$	$7173^{+9}_{-10} \pm 13$
			Γ (MeV)	$446^{+66}_{-54} \pm 87$	$135^{+16}_{-14} \pm 14$	$73^{+18}_{-15} \pm 10$
		Interference (Run 2 [12])	m (MeV)	6638^{+43+16}_{-38-31}	6847^{+44+48}_{-28-20}	7134^{+48+41}_{-25-15}
			Γ (MeV)	$440^{+230+110}_{-200-240}$	191^{+66+25}_{-49-17}	97^{+40+29}_{-29-26}



1^1P_1	1^{--}	363.9	320.3	-366.7	337.5	-14.4	0	0	-2.6	6553	-	-
1^3P_0	0^{++}	356.7	320.2	-366.7	337.5	-7.2	-56.9	-43.1	-2.6	6460	6398.1	$\eta_c(1S)\chi_{c0}(1P)$
1^3P_1	1^{+-}	356.6	320.3	-366.7	337.5	-7.2	-28.4	21.5	-2.7	6554	6494.1	$\eta_c(1S)\chi_{c1}(1P)$
1^3P_2	2^{++}	356.6	320.2	-366.7	337.5	-7.2	28.4	-2.1	-2.4	6587	6539.6	$\eta_c(1S)\chi_{c2}(1P)$
1^5P_1	1^{--}	342.4	320.4	-366.7	337.5	7.2	-85.3	-30.2	-2.7	6449	6508.8	$\eta_c(1S)h_{c1}(1P)$
1^5P_2	2^{--}	342.2	320.2	-366.7	337.5	7.2	-28.4	30.2	-2.5	657	6607.6	$J/\psi(1S)\chi_{c1}(1P)$
1^5P_3	3^{--}	342.3	320.3	-366.7	337.5	7.2	56.9	-8.6	-2.5	6623	6653.1	$J/\psi(1S)\chi_{c2}(1P)$
2^1P_1	1^{--}	414.7	688.7	-263.4	548.6	-11.2	0	0	-1.6	6925	-	-
2^3P_0	0^{++}	410.0	689.6	-263.4	548.6	-5.6	-46.2	-34.5	-1.7	6851	-	-
2^3P_1	1^{+-}	410.0	689.6	-263.4	548.6	-5.6	-23.1	17.2	-1.6	6926	-	-
2^3P_2	2^{++}	410.0	689.6	-263.4	548.7	-5.6	23.1	-3.4	-1.7	6951	-	-
2^5P_1	1^{--}	398.7	689.5	-263.4	548.6	-5.6	-69.3	-24.2	-1.7	6844	-	-
2^5P_2	2^{--}	398.7	689.5	-263.4	548.6	5.6	-23.1	24.2	-1.5	6944	-	-
2^5P_3	3^{--}	398.8	689.7	-263.4	548.6	5.6	46.2	-6.9	-1.6	6982	-	-
3^1P_1	1^{--}	479.8	982.2	-215.5	727.8	-9.3	0	0	-1.1	7221	-	-
3^3P_0	0^{++}	475.2	982.7	-215.5	727.7	-4.6	-41.9	-31.0	-1.2	7153	-	-
3^3P_1	1^{+-}	475.1	982.6	-215.5	727.7	-4.6	-20.9	15.5	-1.2	7220	-	-
3^3P_2	2^{++}	475.1	982.6	-215.5	727.8	-4.6	20.9	-3.1	-1.0	7243	-	-
3^5P_1	1^{--}	465.9	982.8	-215.5	727.7	4.6	-62.8	-21.7	-1.2	7150	-	-
3^5P_2	2^{--}	465.7	982.6	-215.5	727.8	-4.6	-20.9	21.7	-1.1	7236	-	-
3^5P_3	3^{--}	465.8	982.6	-215.5	727.8	4.6	41.9	-6.2	-1.1	7271	-	-

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P-wave

$$M[\text{BW1}] = 6552 \pm 10 \pm 12 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW2}] = 6927 \pm 9 \pm 5 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW3}] = 7287 \pm 19 \pm 5 \text{ MeV}$$

Table 1. Predictions of the masses (MeV) of S-wave fully heavy $T_{4Q}(nS)$ tetraquarks. Only 0^{++} and 2^{++} are considered for $T_{bc\bar{b}\bar{c}}$. The uncertainty is from the coupling constant $\alpha_s = 0.35 \pm 0.05$.

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$T_{4Q}(nS)$ states	J^P	Mass(n=1)	Mass(n=2)	Mass(n=3)	Mass(n=4)
$T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$	0^{++}	6055^{+69}_{-74}	6555^{+36}_{-37}	6883^{+27}_{-27}	7154^{+22}_{-22}
	2^{++}	6090^{+62}_{-66}	6566^{+34}_{-34}	6890^{+27}_{-27}	7160^{+21}_{-22}
$T'_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$	0^{++}	5984^{+64}_{-67}	6468^{+35}_{-35}	6765^{+26}_{-26}	7066^{+21}_{-22}
$T_{bc\bar{b}\bar{c}}$	0^{++}	12387^{+109}_{-120}	12911^{+45}_{-49}	13400^{+35}_{-36}	13429^{+29}_{-30}
	2^{++}	12401^{+117}_{-106}	12914^{+45}_{-49}	13402^{+35}_{-36}	13430^{+29}_{-29}
$T'_{bc\bar{b}\bar{c}}$	0^{++}	12300^{+106}_{-117}	12816^{+48}_{-50}	13404^{+35}_{-35}	13333^{+29}_{-29}
$T_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}}$	0^{++}	18475^{+151}_{-169}	19073^{+59}_{-63}	19534^{+42}_{-42}	19566^{+33}_{-35}
	2^{++}	18483^{+149}_{-168}	19075^{+59}_{-62}	19554^{+41}_{-43}	19567^{+33}_{-35}
$T'_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}}$	0^{++}	18383^{+149}_{-167}	18976^{+59}_{-62}	19556^{+43}_{-42}	19468^{+34}_{-34}

S-wave

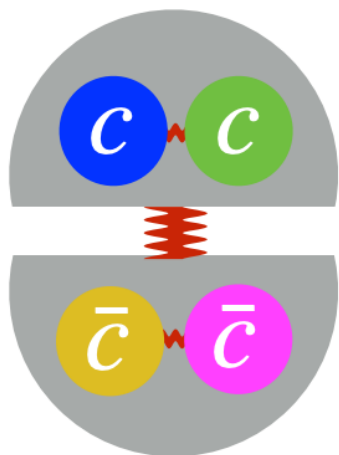
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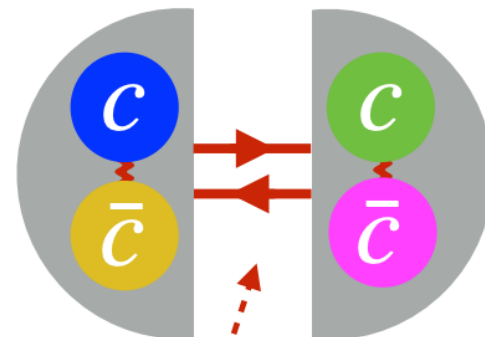
- Radial excited p-wave states (like J/ψ series)?
- Or Radial excited s-wave states?
- Theoretical situation difficulty & confusing
 - Important next step: measure J^{PC} to clarify

Spin Parity Analysis



“Molecule”

a bound state of two mesons connected by residual nuclear force, like proton and neutron in a nucleus



“True” tetraquark

connects
two colored objects
(cc) and ($\bar{c}\bar{c}$)
through direct strong
interactions
like quarks in a proton
or neutron

$$V(r) = g \cdot \frac{e^{-\frac{m_{\eta_c} r}{\hbar}}}{r}$$

note ($c\bar{c}$) mass
× 22 heavier
than π

binding would be **much weaker**
than in a nucleus or light “tetraquarks”
other empirical interactions?

Spin Parity Analysis

- Fundamental study of matter at quark level...

— unique **all-heavy** tetraquark states

- Quantum numbers $J^{PC} = ?$

directly related to structure:

- Tightly-bound **tetraquark**:

(cc) or $(\bar{c}\bar{c})$ identical $\Rightarrow$ color anti-triplet (bg-gb,...) $L = 0$, axial vector $S_{1,2} = 1$

$(cc) + (\bar{c}\bar{c}) \Rightarrow L = 0$ (nS) : $S = 0, 2 \Rightarrow J^P = 0^+, 2^+$ — most likely for a tetraquark

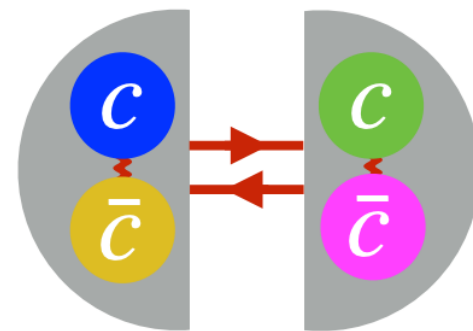
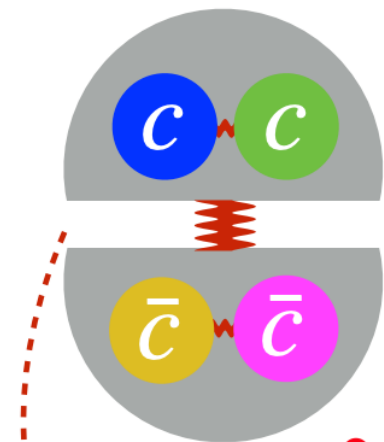
$L = 1$ (nP) : $S = 1 \Rightarrow J^P = 0^-, 1^-, 2^-$ — less likely

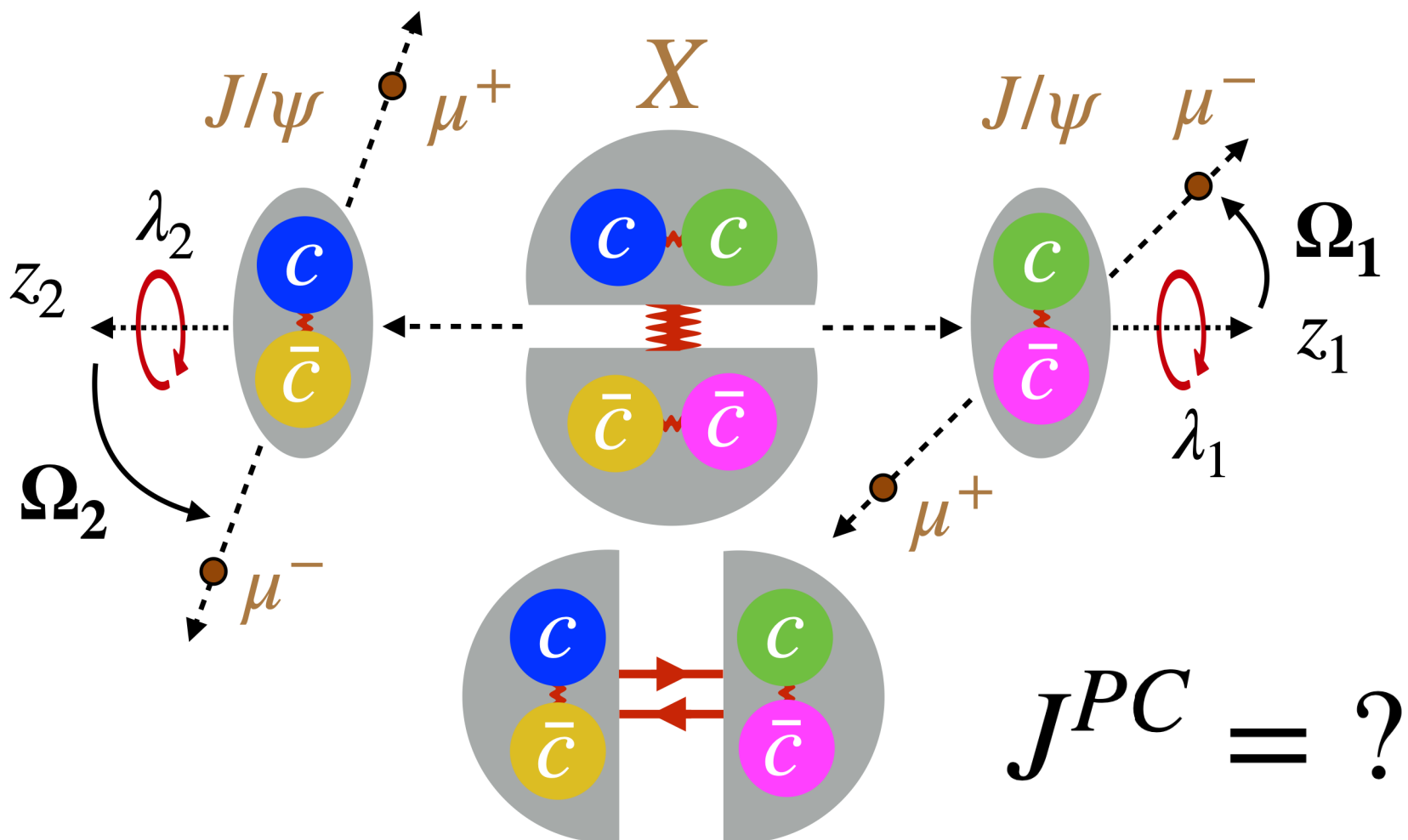
$n = 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$

$L = 2$ (nD) : $S = 0 \Rightarrow J^P = 2^+$ — unlikely

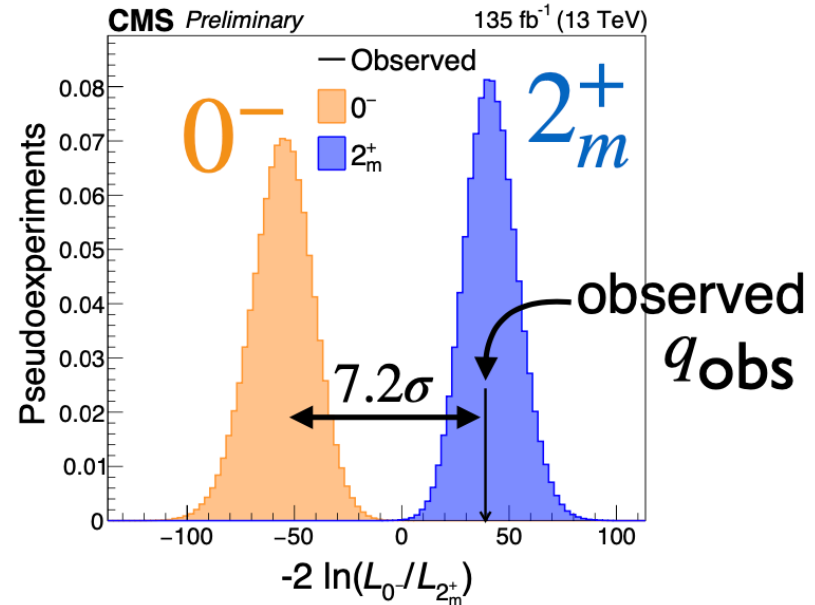
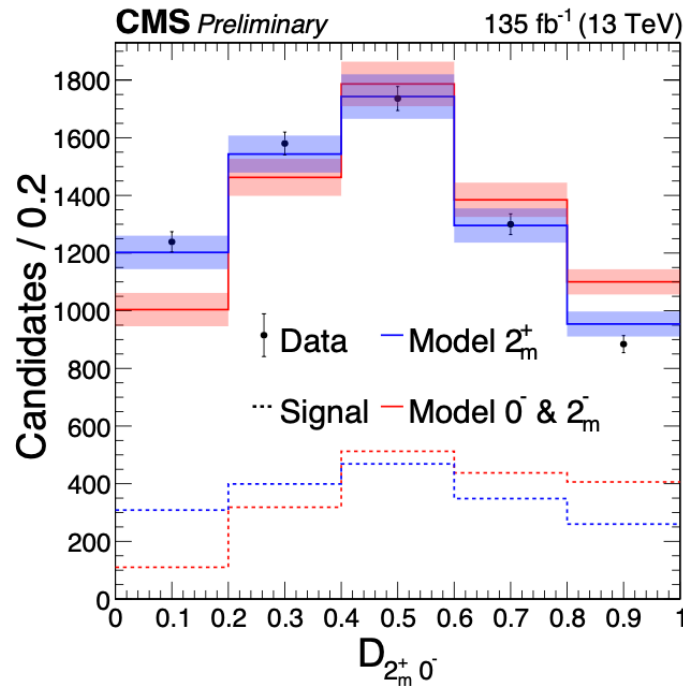
$S = 2 \Rightarrow J^P = 0^+, 1^+, 2^+, 3^+, 4^+ \dots$

- Molecular**: less restrictions (e.g. meson $S_{1,2} = 0, 1$): recall $J^P = 1^+$





- 1D projection of data, optimal for $j = 0^-(2_m^-)$ vs $i = 2_m^+$

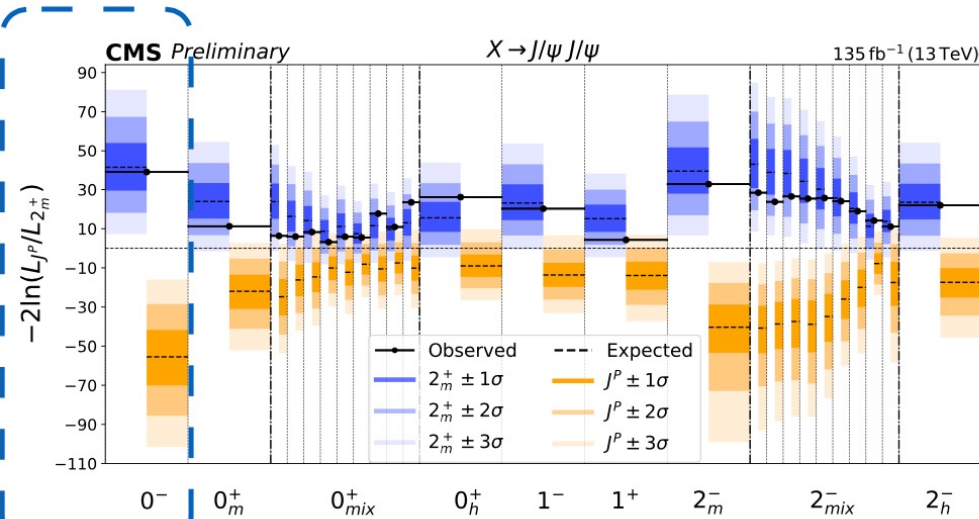
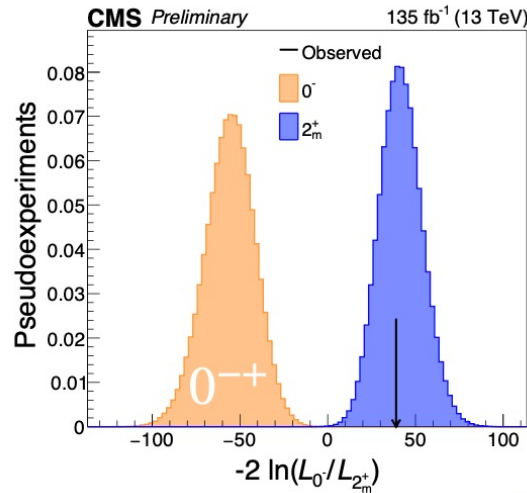


optimal observable

MELA $\mathcal{D}_{ij}(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu}) = \frac{\mathcal{P}_i(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu})}{\mathcal{P}_i(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu}) + \mathcal{P}_j(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu})}$

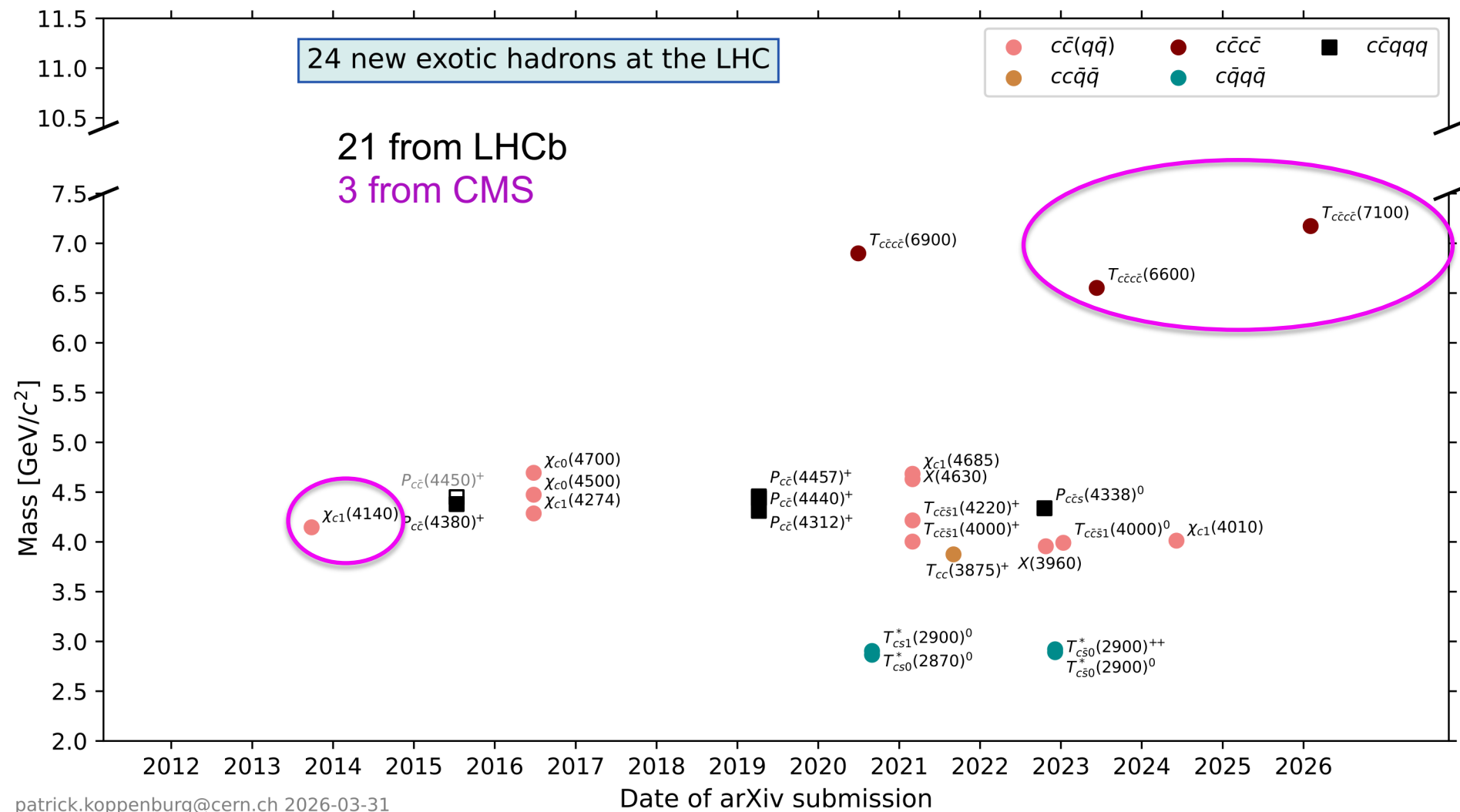
1D projections from 2D
⇒ limited information

	Observed		Expected	
	p-value	Z-score	p-value	Z-score
0^-	2.7×10^{-13}	7.2	6.5×10^{-14}	7.4
2_m^+	4.2×10^{-1}	0.2	0.50	0.0



- Scan mixture of two 0⁺⁺ amplitudes (11 steps)
 - constructive interference most conservative
- Scan mixture of two 2⁻⁺ amplitudes (11 steps)
 - no interference (different spin projections)
- Data are consistent with a 2⁺⁺ model, inconsistent with others

2⁺⁺: rare in nature [Nature 648 \(2025\) 58](#)



<https://www.nikhef.nl/~pkoppenb/particles.html>

- Recent CMS spectroscopy studies
 - Observation of $X(6600)$, $X(6900)$, $X(7100)$
 - First measurement of spin-parity reveals their $J^{PC} = 2^{++}$
 - CMS paints a full picture of the all-charm tetraquark family
- Stay tuned for more results with larger Run 3&4 datasets
 - Cross-section measurement of $X(6600)$, $X(6900)$, $X(7100)$
 - Searching for more decay channels of $4c$ states
 - Searching for $2b2c$, $4b$, $6c$, $4c2b$, ...

Thank you!

CMS DETECTOR

Total weight : 14,000 tonnes
Overall diameter : 15.0 m
Overall length : 28.7 m
Magnetic field : 3.8 T

STEEL RETURN YOKE
12,500 tonnes

SILICON TRACKERS
Pixel ($100 \times 150 \mu\text{m}$) $\sim 16\text{m}^2 \sim 66\text{M}$ channels
Microstrips ($80 \times 180 \mu\text{m}$) $\sim 200\text{m}^2 \sim 9.6\text{M}$ channels

SUPERCONDUCTING SOLENOID
Niobium titanium coil carrying $\sim 18,000\text{A}$

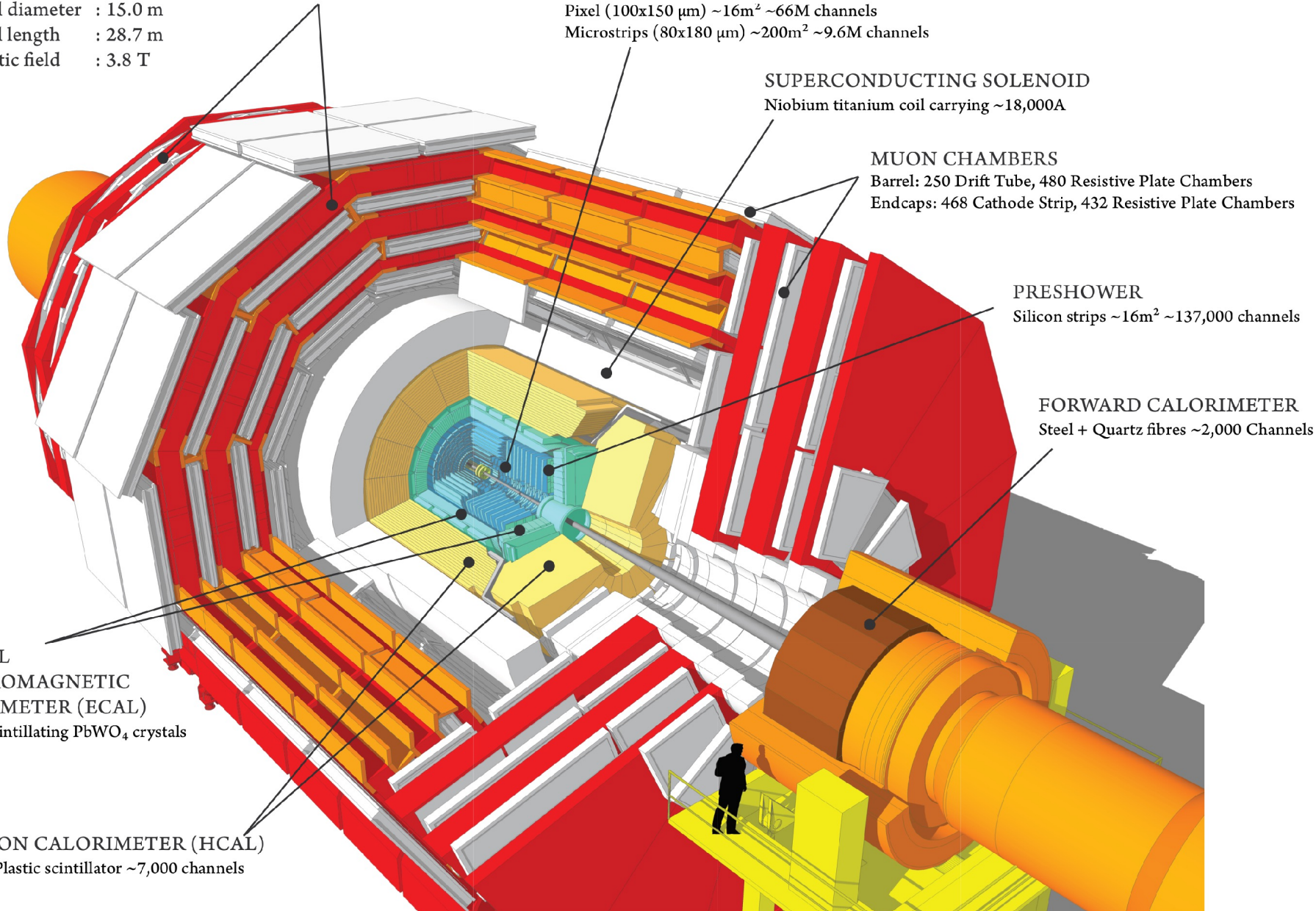
MUON CHAMBERS
Barrel: 250 Drift Tube, 480 Resistive Plate Chambers
Endcaps: 468 Cathode Strip, 432 Resistive Plate Chambers

PRESHOWER
Silicon strips $\sim 16\text{m}^2 \sim 137,000$ channels

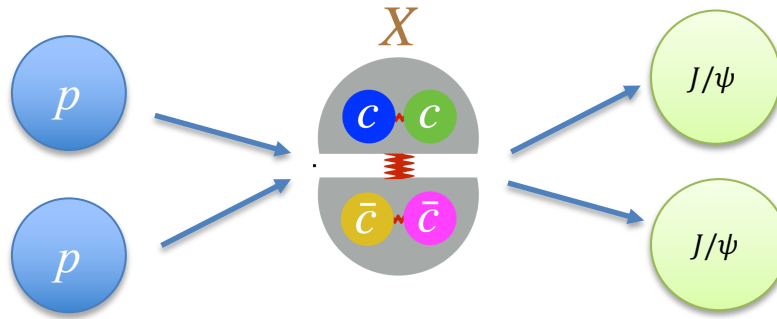
FORWARD CALORIMETER
Steel + Quartz fibres $\sim 2,000$ Channels

CRYSTAL
ELECTROMAGNETIC
CALORIMETER (ECAL)
 $\sim 76,000$ scintillating PbWO_4 crystals

HADRON CALORIMETER (HCAL)
Brass + Plastic scintillator $\sim 7,000$ channels

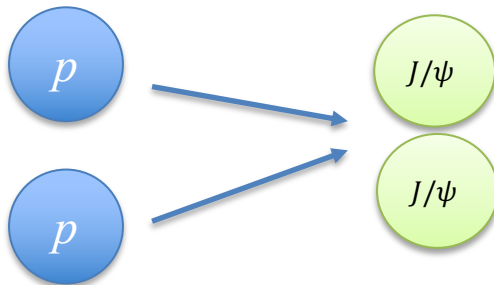


- Signal: $pp \rightarrow X \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$

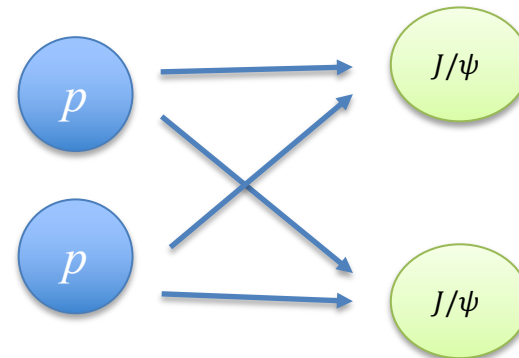


- Background: $pp \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$

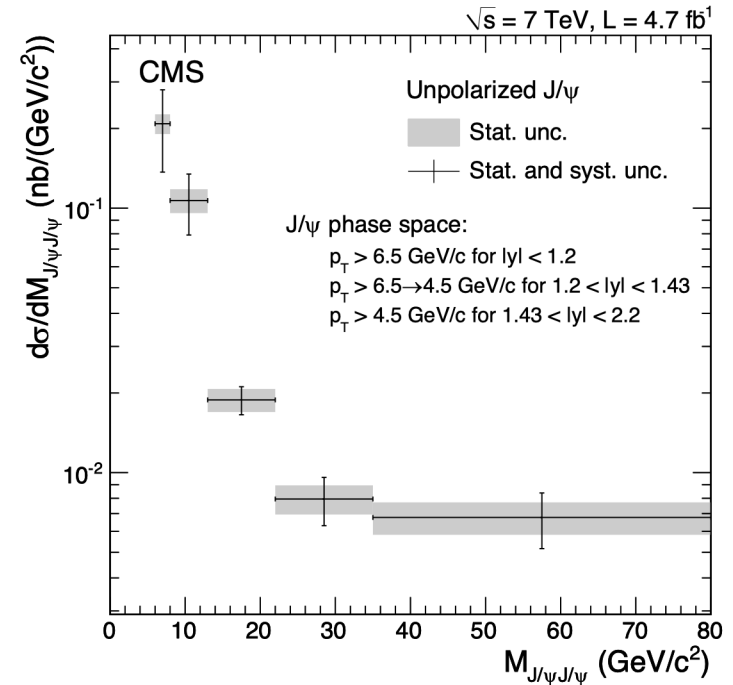
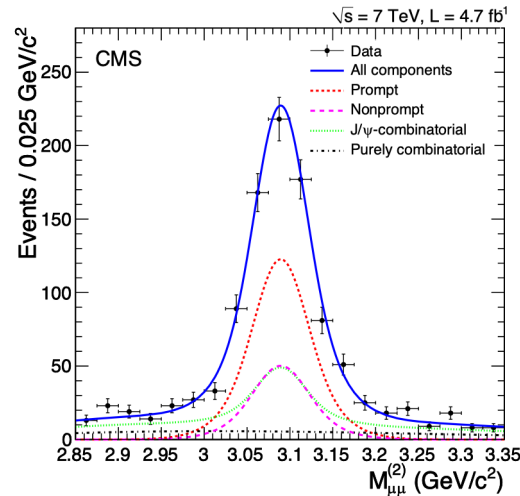
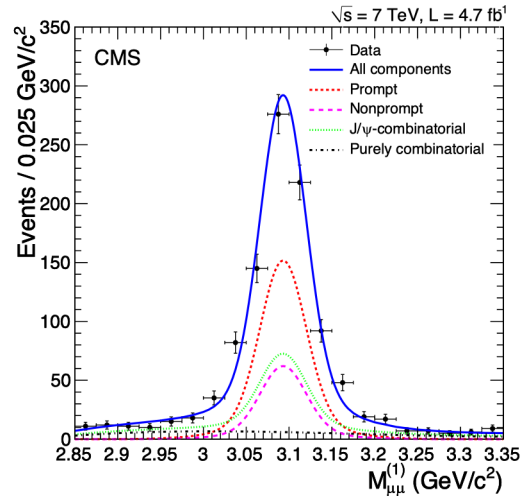
Single Parton Scattering (SPS)



Double Parton Scattering (DPS)



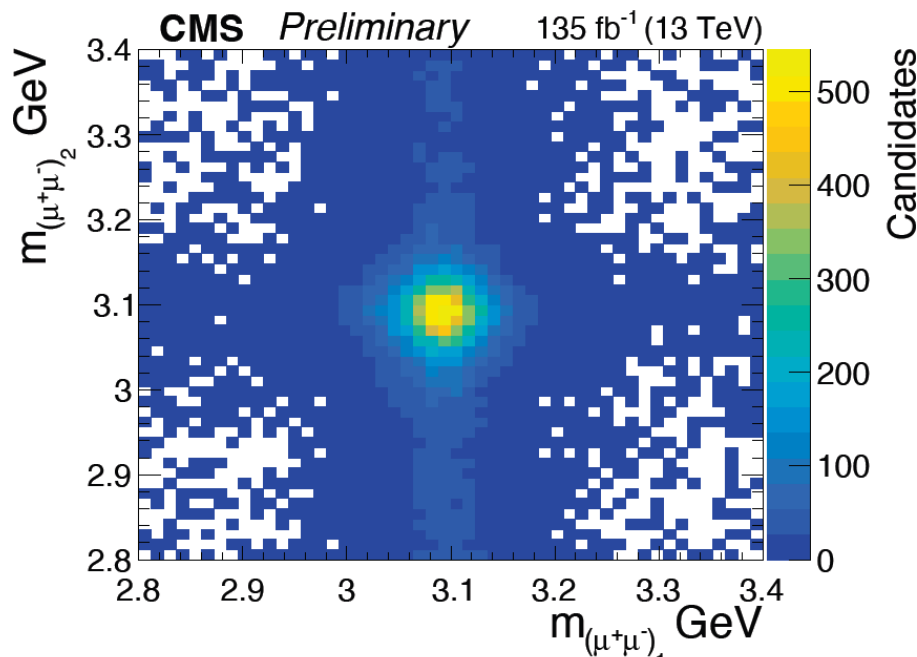
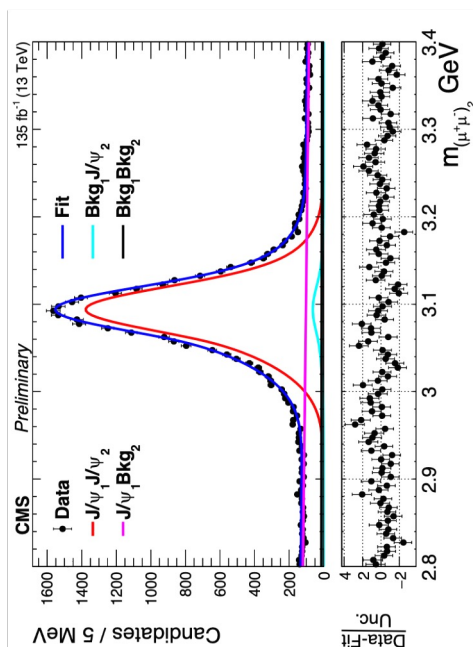
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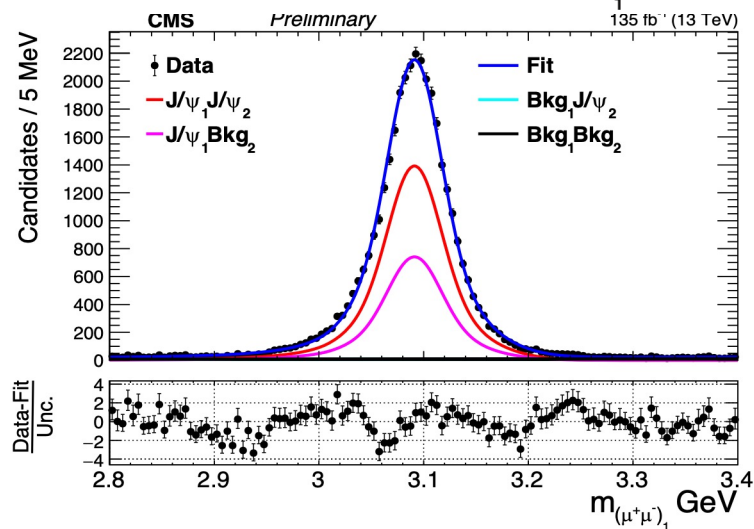
Total cross section, assuming unpolarized prompt J/ψJ/ψ pair production 1.49 ± 0.07 (stat.) ± 0.13 (syst.) nb

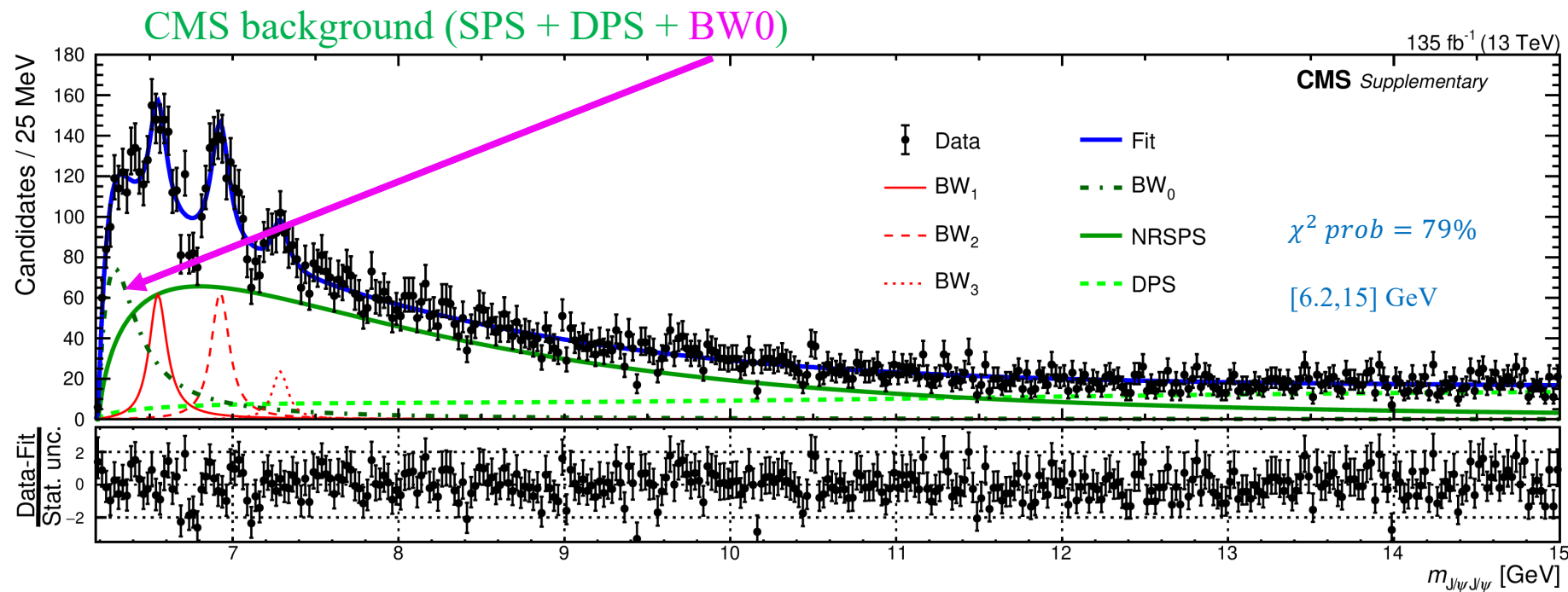
Different assumptions about the J/ψJ/ψ polarization imply modifications to the cross section ranging from -31% to +27%.

$J/\psi J/\psi$ candidates at 13 TeV

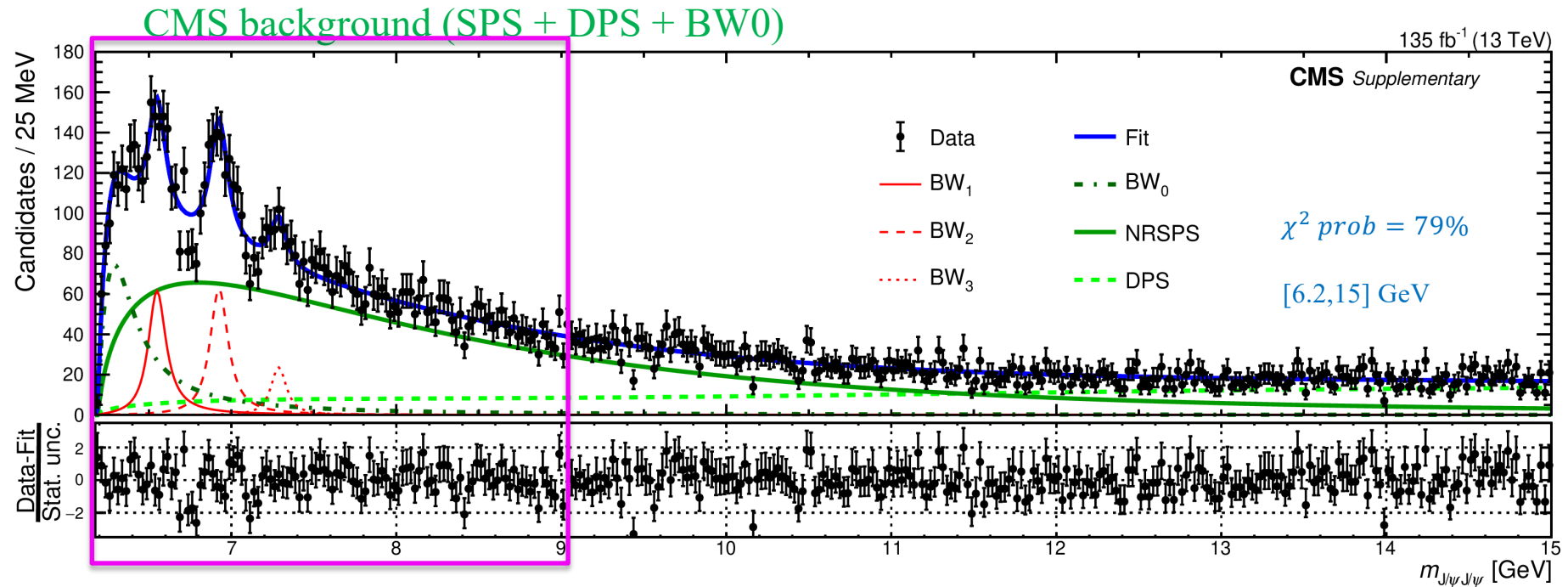


- CMS data: 135 fb^{-1} , taken in 2016, 2017 and 2018 LHC runs
- J/ψ mass and vertex related cuts removed
- Clean J/ψ signals are seen





- Most significant structure is a BW at threshold, **BW0**--what is its meaning?
- **Treat BW0 as part of background** due to:
 - BW0 parameters very sensitive to SPS and DPS model assumptions
 - A region populated by feed-down from possible higher mass states
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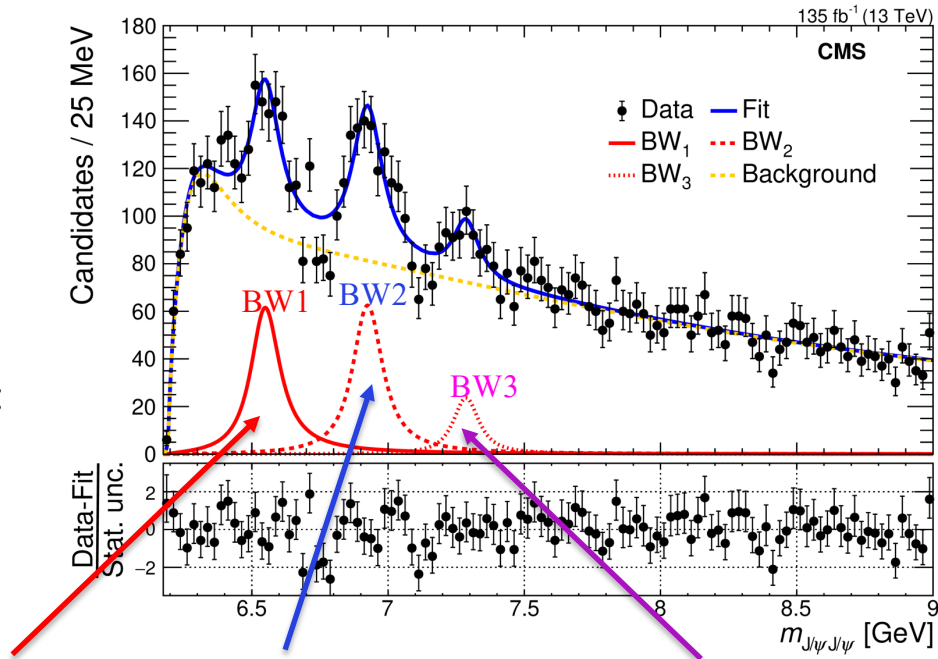
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- **SPS+DPS+BW0 as our background**

First observation of X(6600)

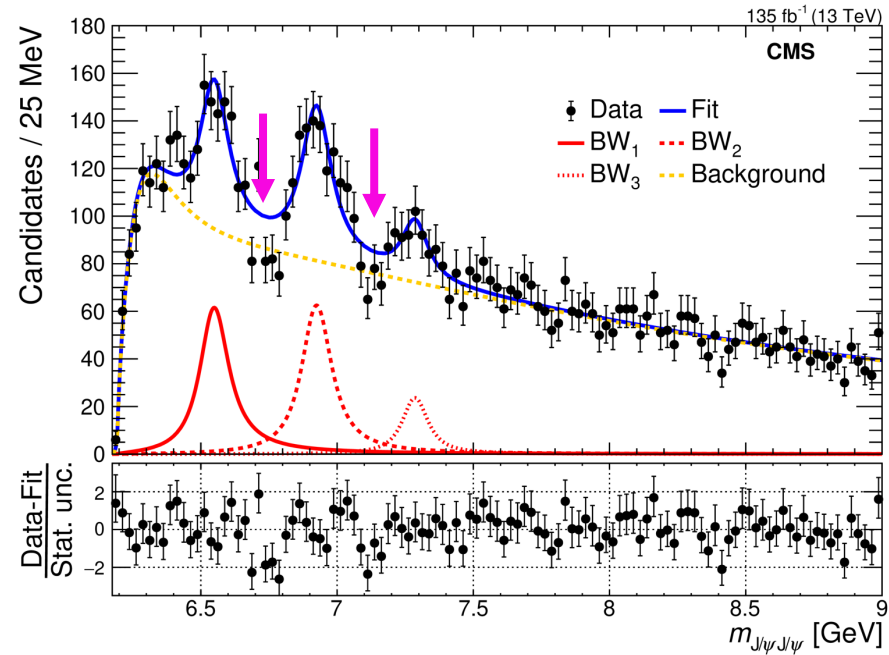
χ^2 Prob. = 1%

[6.2, 7.8] GeV

Statistical significance based on:
 $2 \ln(L/L_{\max})$



	X(6600) (MeV)	X(6900) (MeV)	BW3 (MeV)
m	$6552 \pm 10 \pm 12$	$6927 \pm 9 \pm 4$	$7287^{+20}_{-18} \pm 5$
Γ	$124^{+32}_{-26} \pm 33$	$122^{+24}_{-21} \pm 18$	$95^{+59}_{-40} \pm 19$
N	470^{+120}_{-110}	492^{+78}_{-73}	156^{+64}_{-51}
$\sigma(\text{stat.})$	6.5	9.4	4.1
$\sigma(\text{stat.} + \text{syst.})$	5.7	9.4	4.1
	First Observation	Confirmation of X(6900) from LHCb	Evidence



➤ Possibility #1:

- Multiple fine structures to reproduce the dips?
- No enough statistics to test

➤ Possibility #2:

- Interference among structures?

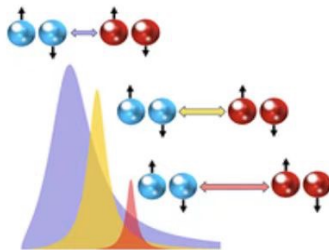
- More secrets to dig out
- We explored possibility #2 in detail

Editors' Suggestion

New Structures in the $J/\psi J/\psi$ Mass Spectrum in Proton-Proton Collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV

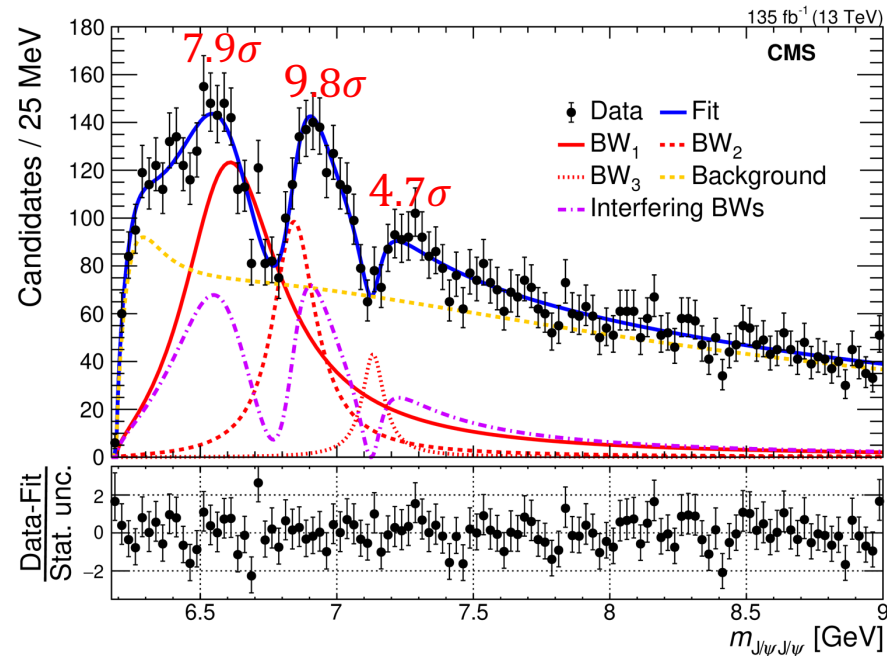
A. Hayrapetyan *et al.* (CMS Collaboration)

Phys. Rev. Lett. **132**, 111901 (2024) – Published 15 March 2024



Three structures, $X(6900)$ and two new ones around 6.64 and 7.13 GeV, are seen in the $J/\psi J/\psi$ mass spectrum that are consistent with being part of a family of radial excitations.

[Show Abstract](#) +



- Fit with interf. among BW1, BW2, and BW3 describes data well
- Measured mass and width in the interference fit

		X(6600)	X(6900)	X(7100)
Interference	m [MeV]	6638^{+43+16}_{-38-31}	6847^{+44+48}_{-28-20}	7134^{+48+41}_{-25-15}
	Γ [MeV]	$440^{+230+110}_{-200-240}$	191^{+66+25}_{-49-17}	97^{+40+29}_{-29-26}

(1) $m_{4\mu}$ spectrum $X \rightarrow 4\mu$ — [arXiv:2306.07164](https://arxiv.org/abs/2306.07164)

(2) p_T and p_Z of $X \rightarrow 4\mu$ — match to data

(3) polarization J_z or $J_{z'}$ of X — unpolarized

for $J = 0$ exact

for $J = 1, 2, \dots$ depends on production mechanism

— vary J_z or $J_{z'}$ systematics or test

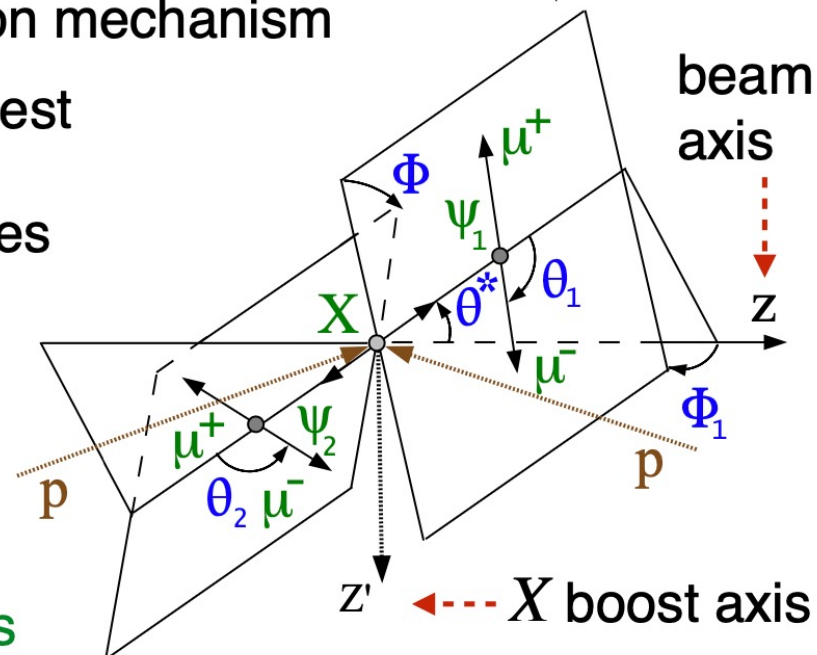
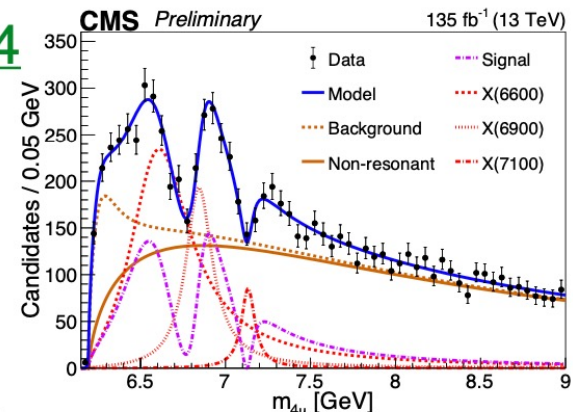
(4) Φ_1, θ^* or Φ'_1, θ'^* production angles

flat for unpolarized — test in data

non-flat for polarized

do not use in the primary analysis

(5) Φ, θ_1, θ_2 decay angles — analysis

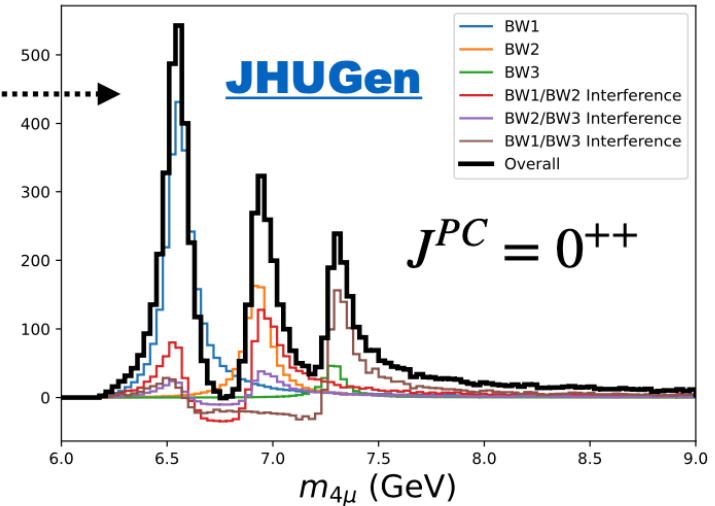


- Full model possible, but very complex

$$\mathcal{P}(\Phi, \theta_1, \theta_2; m_{4\mu})$$

- (1) Same properties of **3 resonances**:

$$\mathcal{P}(m_{4\mu}, \vec{\Omega}) = \underbrace{\mathcal{P}(m_{4\mu})}_{\text{empirical}} \cdot \underbrace{T(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu})}_{\text{angular}}$$



- (2) Pairwise tests of J_X^P hypotheses i and j :

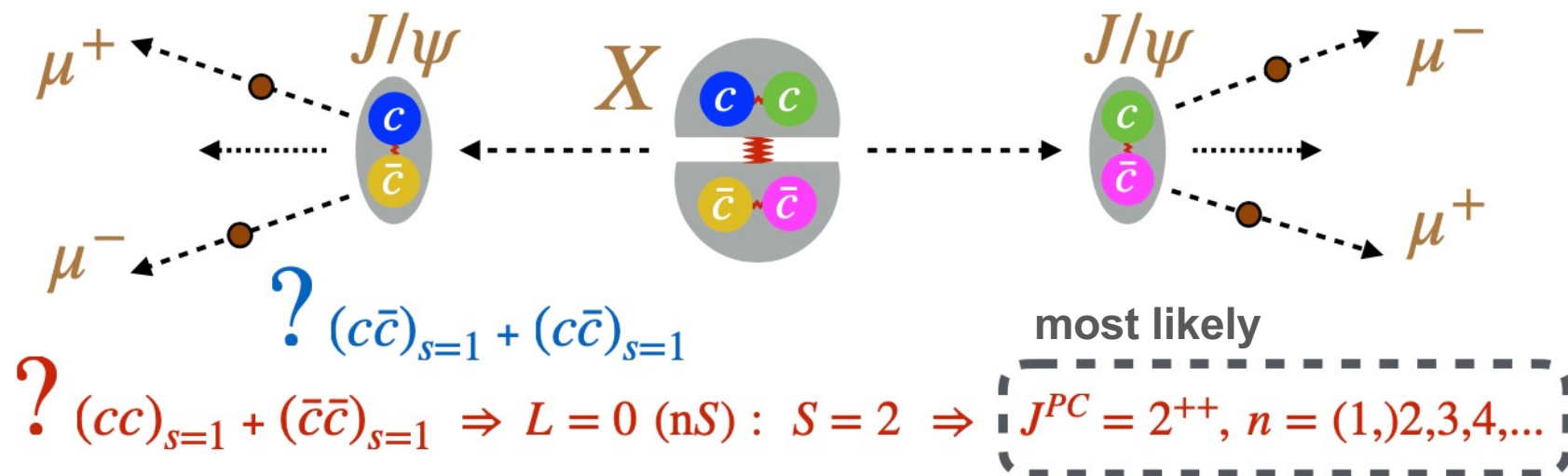
[arXiv:1208.4018](https://arxiv.org/abs/1208.4018)

$$\text{MELA} \quad \mathcal{D}_{ij}(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu}) = \frac{\mathcal{P}_i(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu})}{\mathcal{P}_i(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu}) + \mathcal{P}_j(\vec{\Omega} | m_{4\mu})}$$

1 optimal observable $\Leftarrow$ Higgs boson discovery and spin-parity

- Final 2D model:

$$\mathcal{P}_{ijk}(m_{4\mu}, \mathcal{D}_{ij}) = \mathcal{P}_k(m_{4\mu}) \cdot T_{ijk}(\mathcal{D}_{ij} | m_{4\mu})$$



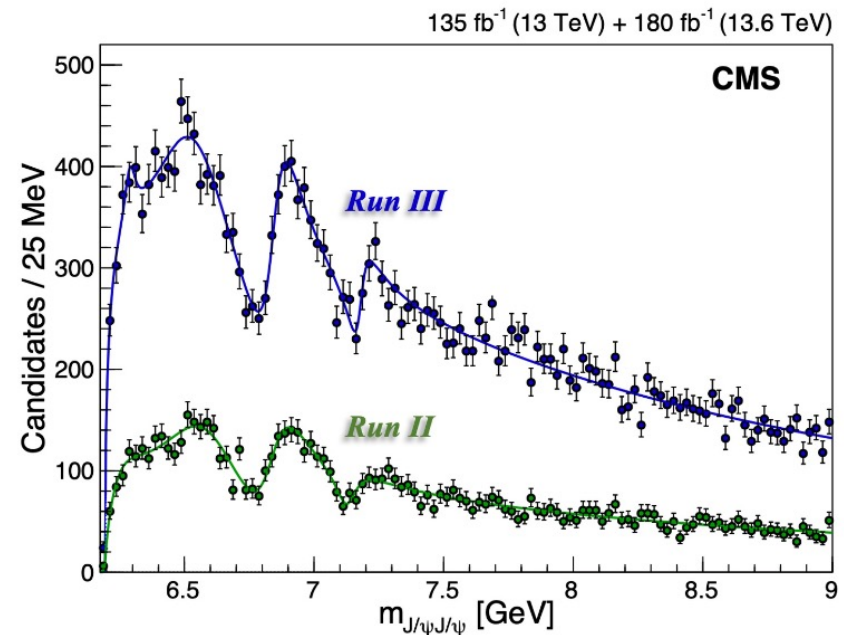
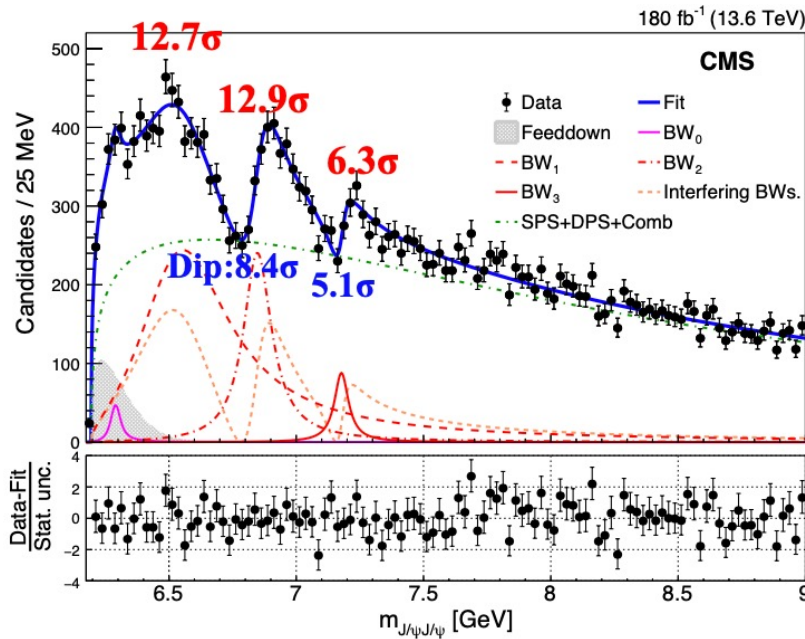
- J^{PC} analysis of **exotic hadron decays** at LHC (production-independent)
 - consistent picture: set of **3 exotic tetraquark resonances** with the same J^{PC}
 - $PC = ++$ very certain $n = (1,2,3,4)$
 - $J \neq 1$ at $> 99\%$ CL
 - $J \neq 0$ at $> 95\%$ CL
 - $J > 2$ possible, but highly unlikely, require $L \geq 2$
 - $J = 2$ consistent, rare in nature, naively expected $J = 0$

Chi2/nbins

[6, 15]: 363.20/353

[6, 9]: 117.33/113

[6.2, 7.8]: 56.66/64



	BW1	BW2	BW3	Interf BW1-BW2	Interf BW2-BW3	Interf BW1-BW2-BW3
Significance (σ)	12.7	12.9	6.3	8.4	5.1	8.4

First observation of interference

	BW1 (MeV)	BW2 (MeV)	BW3 (MeV)
m	6588 ± 19	6849 ± 12	7179 ± 10
Γ	454 ± 74	136 ± 18	67 ± 18