

Leptonic and semileptonic D decays

Status and prospects at BESIII

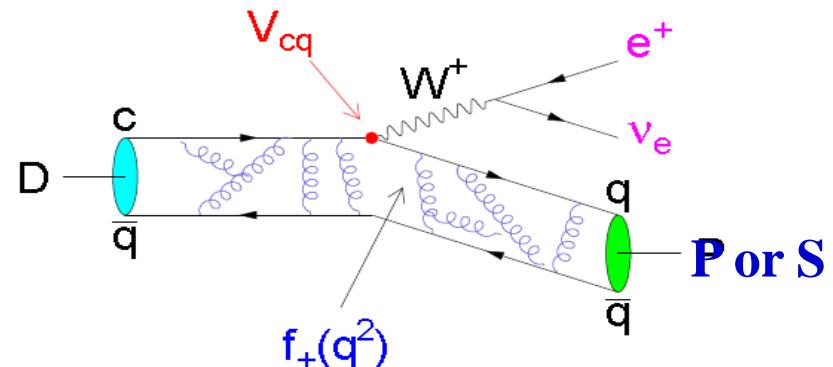
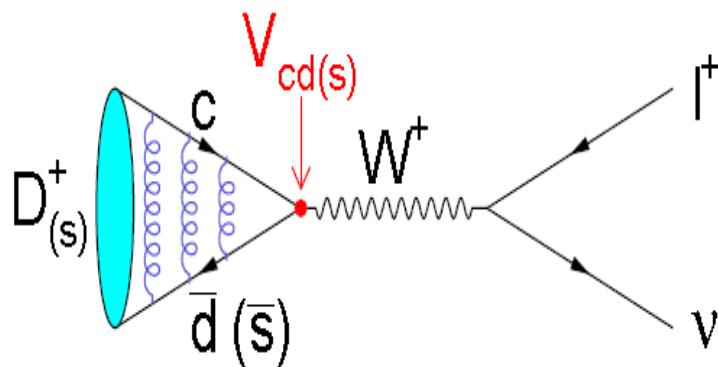
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Main physics goals



$$\Gamma(D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = \frac{G_F^2 f_{D_{(s)}^+}^2}{8\pi} |V_{cd(s)}|^2 m_\ell^2 m_{D_{(s)}^+} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{m_{D_{(s)}^+}^2}\right)^2$$

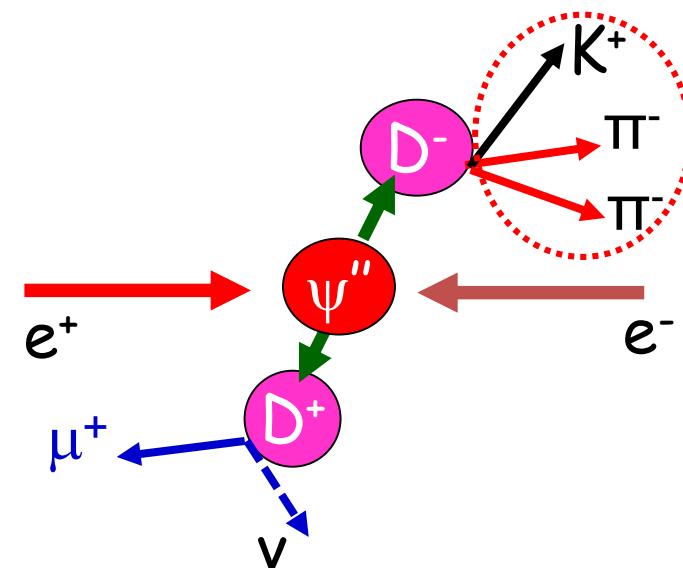
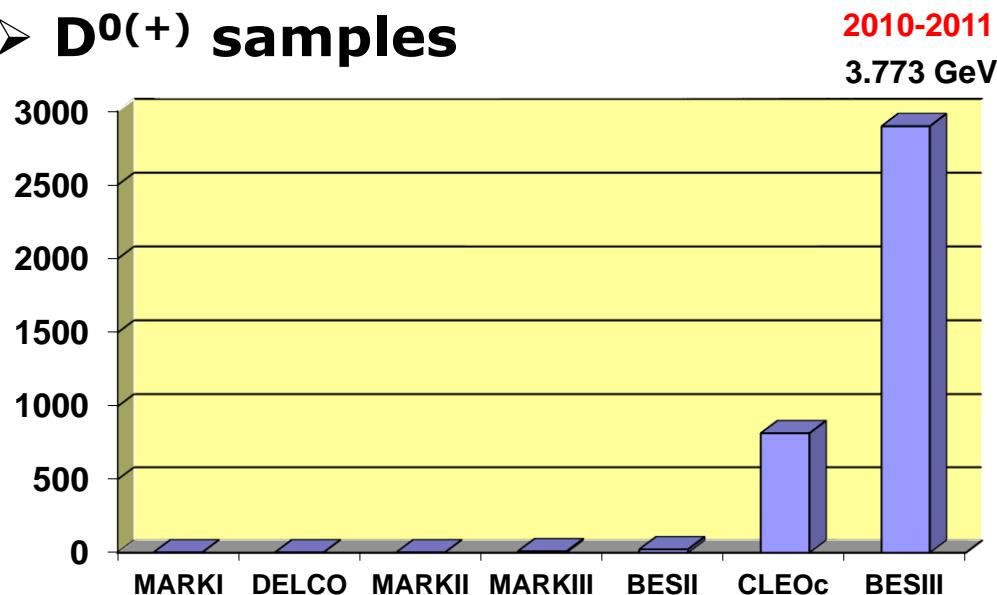
$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = X \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cd(s)}|^2}{24\pi^3} p^3 |f_+(q^2)|^2$$

- 1. $f_{D_{(s)+}}^{\text{K}(\pi)_+}(0)$: better calibrate LQCD**
- 2. $|V_{cs(d)}|$: better test on CKM matrix unitarity**
- 3. Test on lepton flavor universality (LFU)**
- 4. Search for new semileptonic decays**

$$U = \begin{bmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ \boxed{V_{cd}} & \boxed{V_{cs}} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{bmatrix}$$

Samples of $D^0(+)$ and D_s^+ at BESIII

➤ $D^0(+)$ samples



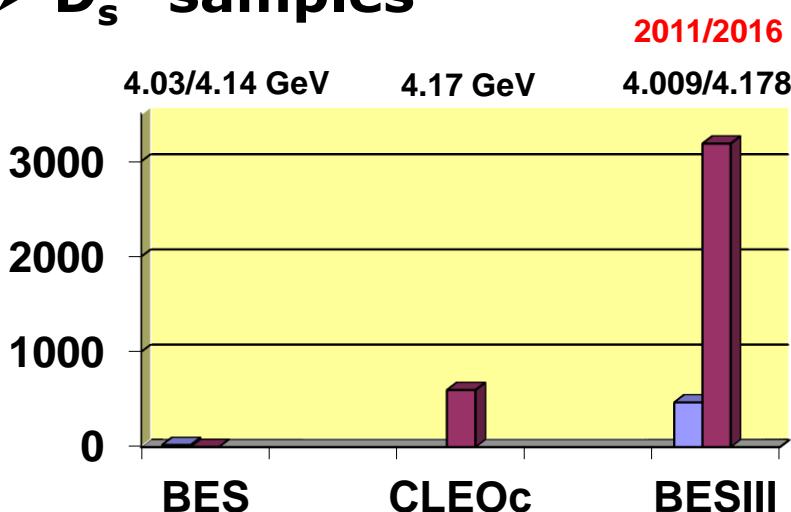
$$N_{\text{ST}}^i = 2 \times N_{D\bar{D}} \times B_{\text{ST}}^i \times \varepsilon_{\text{ST}}^i$$

$$N_{\text{DT}}^i = 2 \times N_{D\bar{D}} \times B_{\text{ST}}^i \times B_{\text{sig}} \times \varepsilon_{\text{ST vs.sig}}^i$$

$$B_{\text{sig}} = \frac{N_{\text{DT}}^{\text{tot}}}{N_{\text{ST}}^{\text{tot}} \times \bar{\varepsilon}_{\text{sig}}}$$

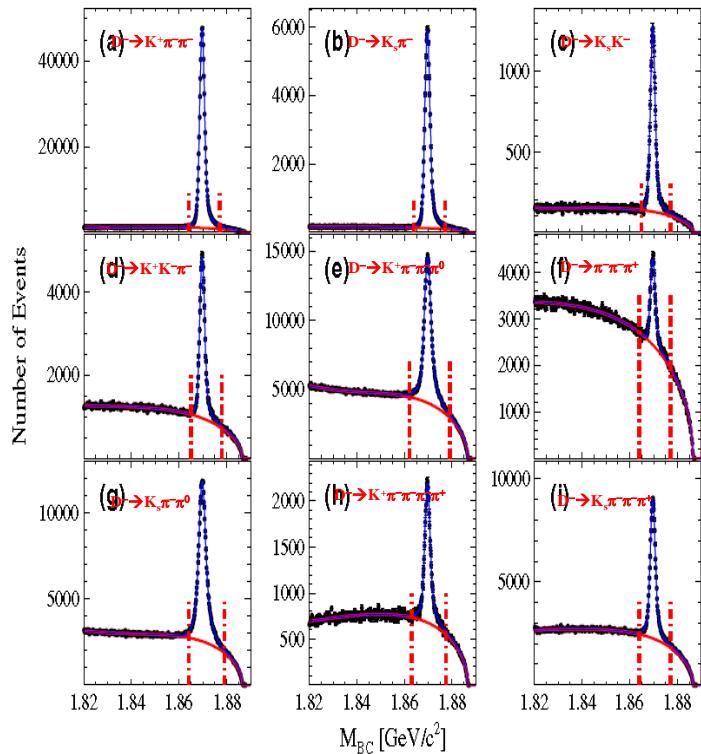
$$\bar{\varepsilon}_{\text{sig}} = \sum_{i=1}^N (N_{\text{ST}}^i \times \varepsilon_{\text{ST vs.sig}}^i / \varepsilon_{\text{ST}}^i) / \sum_{i=1}^N N_{\text{ST}}^i$$

➤ D_s^+ samples



Single tag $D^0(+)$ at BESIII

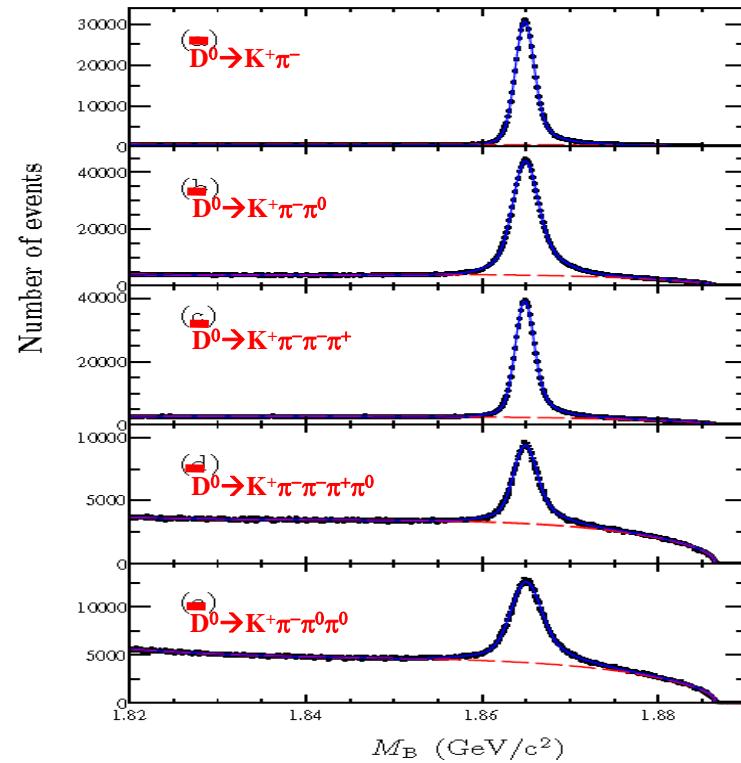
$e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi(3770) \rightarrow D^+D^-$



$$N_{D_{\text{tag}}} = (170.31 \pm 0.34) \times 10^4$$

6 largest tag modes
give 1.5 M D^- tags

$e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi(3770) \rightarrow D^0\bar{D}^0$



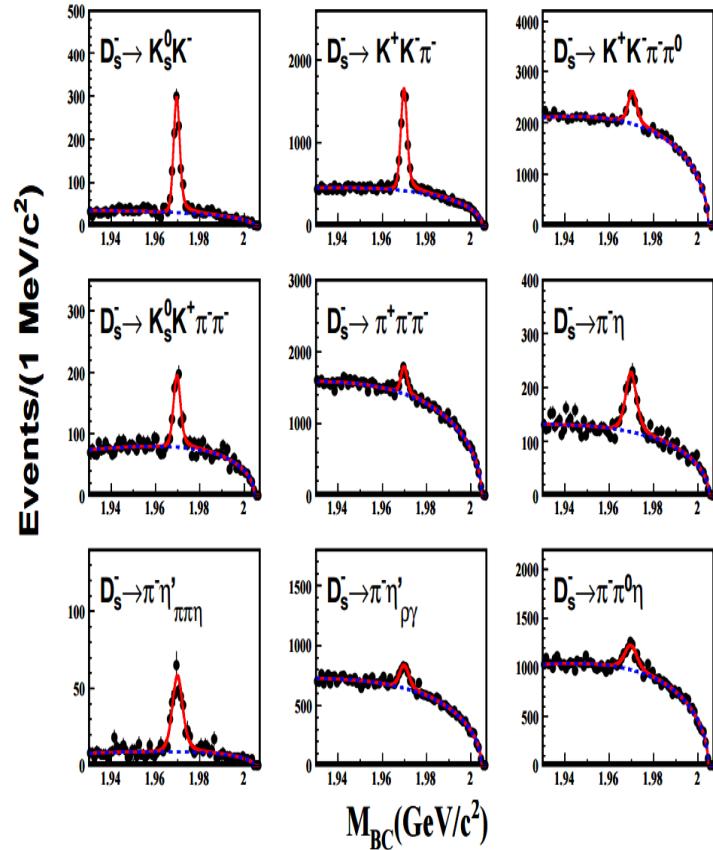
$$N_{\bar{D}^0_{\text{tag}}} = (279.33 \pm 0.37) \times 10^4$$

3 largest tag modes
give 2.3 M D^0 tags

Charge conjugations are included

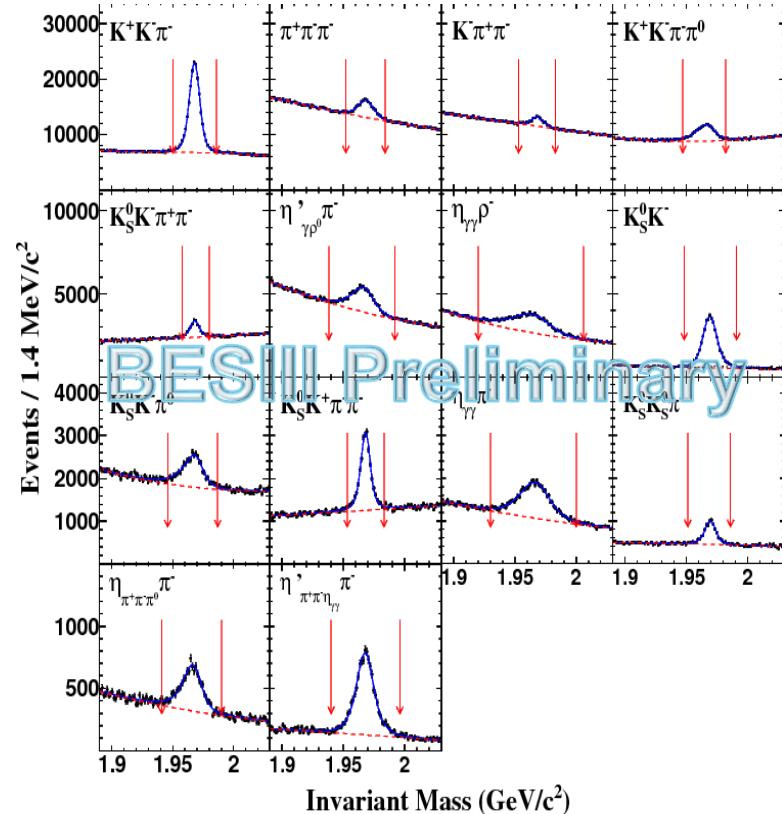
Single tag D_s^+ at BESIII

$e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+D_s^-$ @ 4.009 GeV



$$N_{D_s^{\text{tag}}} = 15127 \pm 312$$

$e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^{*+}D_s^- + \text{c.c.}$ @ 4.178 GeV

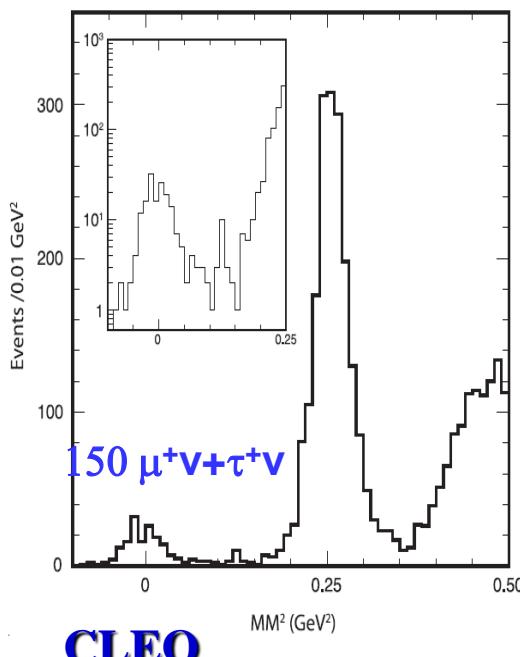


0.39 M ST D_s^- mesons

Measurement of $D^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu$

818 pb^{-1} at $\psi(3770)$
(2004–2008)

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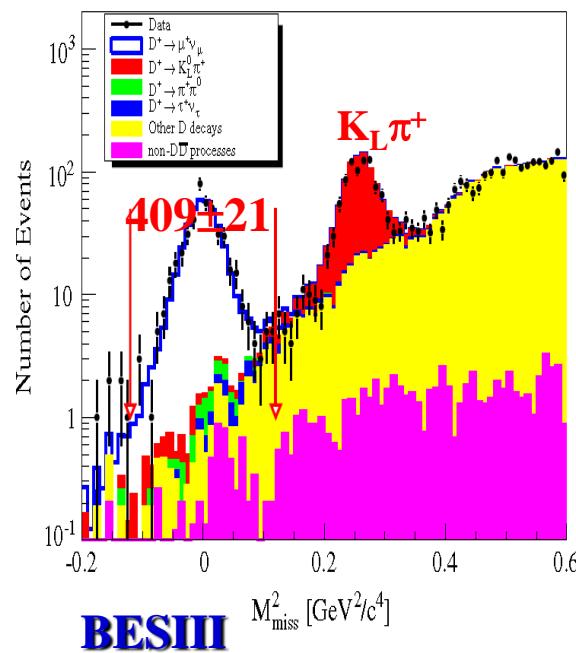


$$B_{D^+ \rightarrow \mu+\nu} = (3.82 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$f_{D^+} = 205.8 \pm 7.5 \pm 2.5 \text{ MeV}$$

2.93 fb^{-1} data@3.773 GeV

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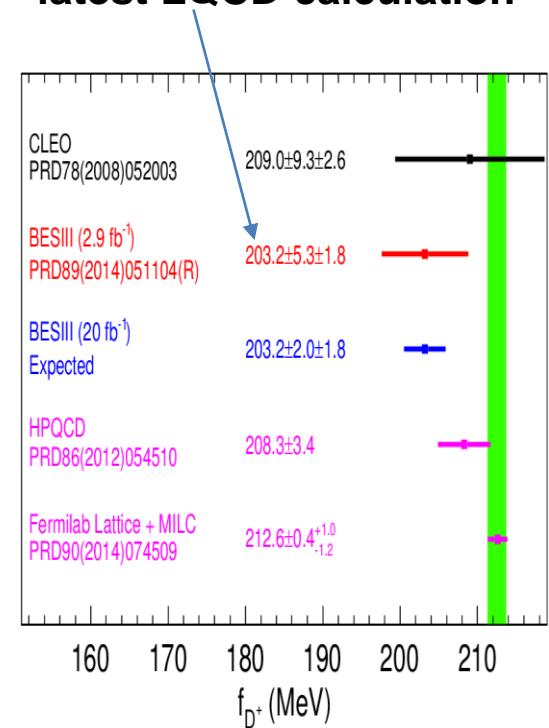


$$B_{D^+ \rightarrow \mu+\nu} = (3.71 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.06) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$f_{D^+} = (203.2 \pm 5.3 \pm 1.8) \text{ MeV}$$

$$|V_{cd}| = 0.2210 \pm 0.0058 \pm 0.0047$$

BESIII result has been re-calculated with the latest LQCD calculation

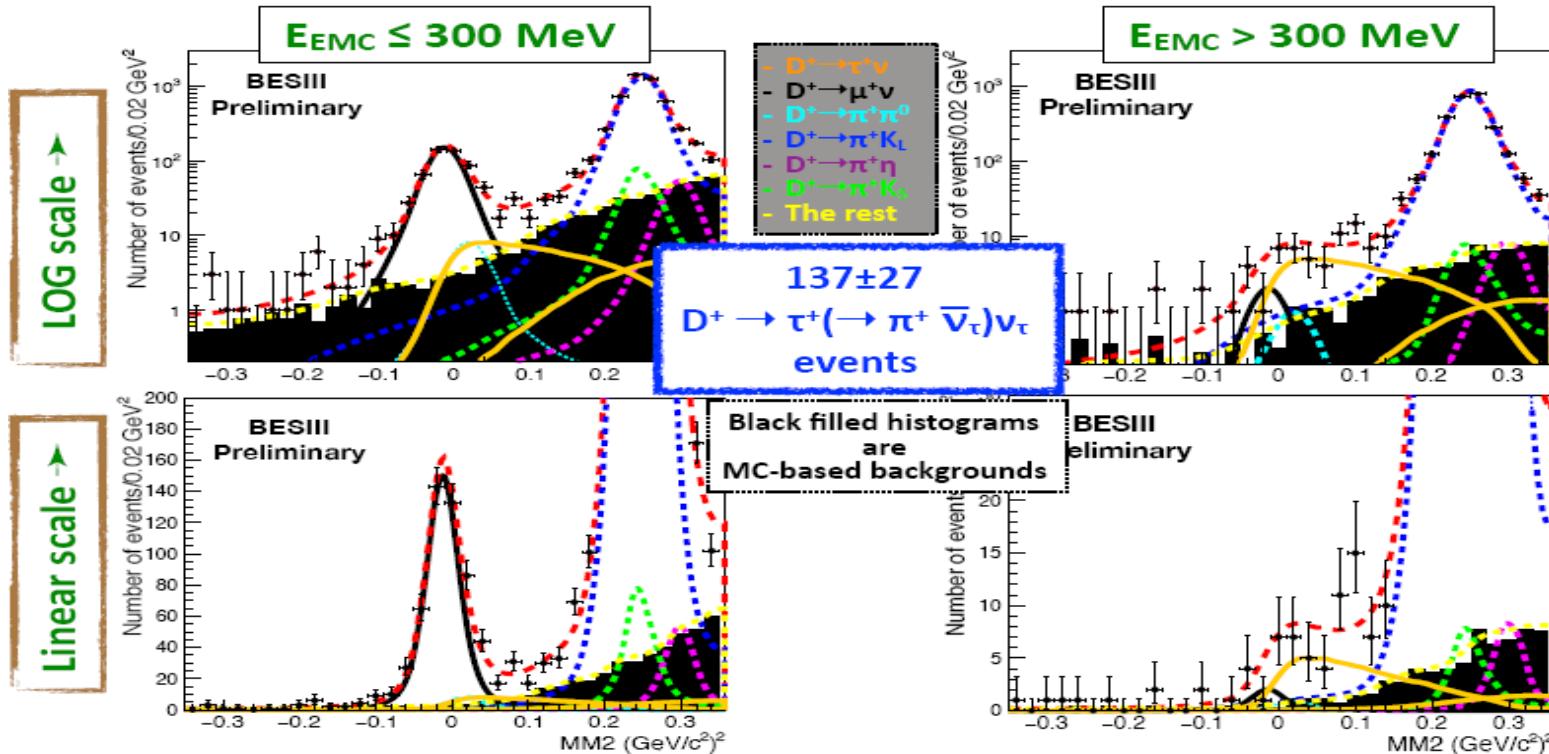


20 fb^{-1} data help to reduce the uncertainty of f_{D^+} to 1%

Search for $D^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$

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Fitting to DATA



4σ

$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu] = (1.20 \pm 0.24_{\text{stat.}}) \times 10^{-3}$$

20 fb⁻¹ data help
to reduce the
uncertainty to 8%

$$R \equiv \frac{\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu)}{\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu)} = \frac{m_{\tau^+}^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_{\tau^+}^2}{M_{D^+}^2}\right)^2}{m_{\mu^+}^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_{\mu^+}^2}{M_{D^+}^2}\right)^2}$$

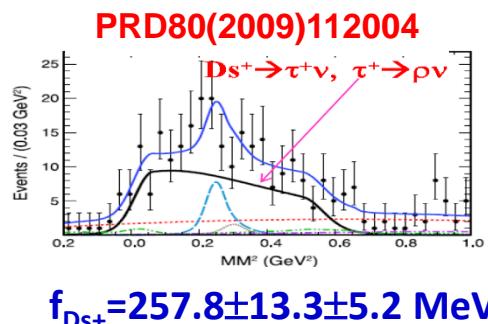
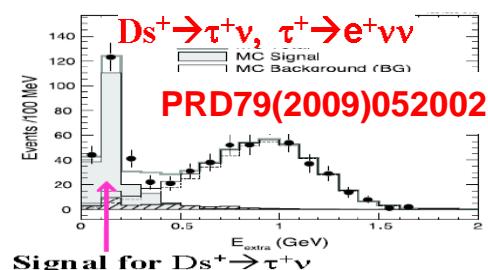
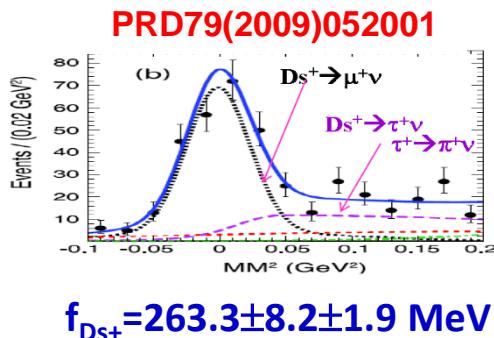
SM prediction: 2.66

BESIII: 3.21 ± 0.64

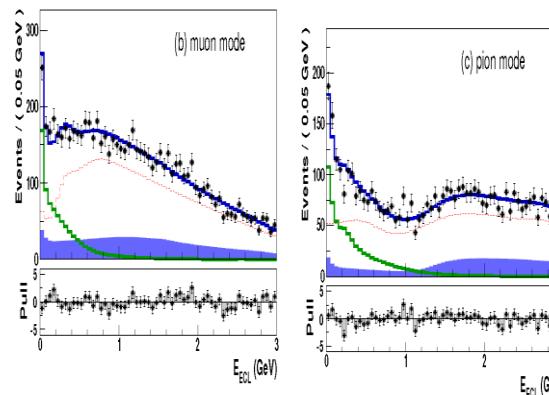
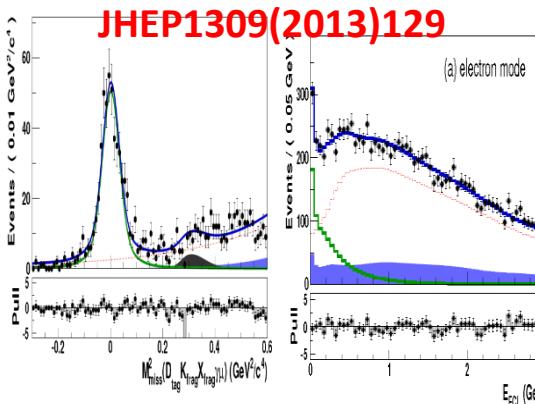
Previous measurements of $D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu$

In the past 30 years, $D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu$ has been studied by WA75, CLEOII, E653, BESI, L3, OPAL, ALPHA, **CLEO-c, BELLE, Babar**

- $D_s^* + D_s^-$, 600 pb $^{-1}$
@ 4.17 GeV [697 l $^+ \nu$]

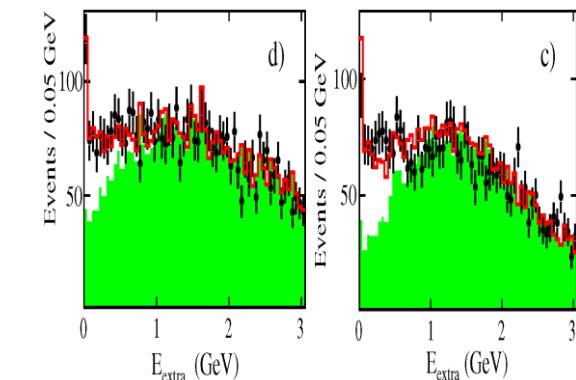
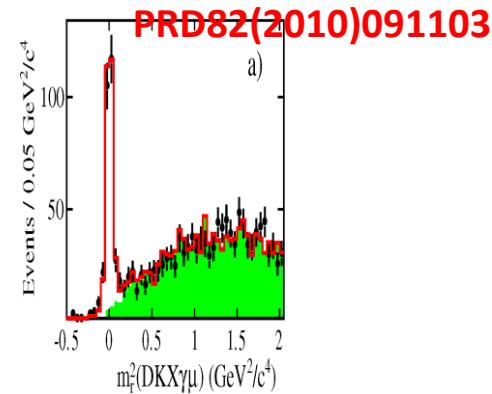
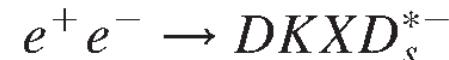


- Belle, 913 fb $^{-1}$ at 10.58 GeV [2698 l $^+ \nu$]



$$f_{D_s^+} = 255.5 \pm 4.2 \pm 5.1$$
 MeV

- Babar, 521 fb $^{-1}$ at 10.58 GeV [1023 l $^+ \nu$]

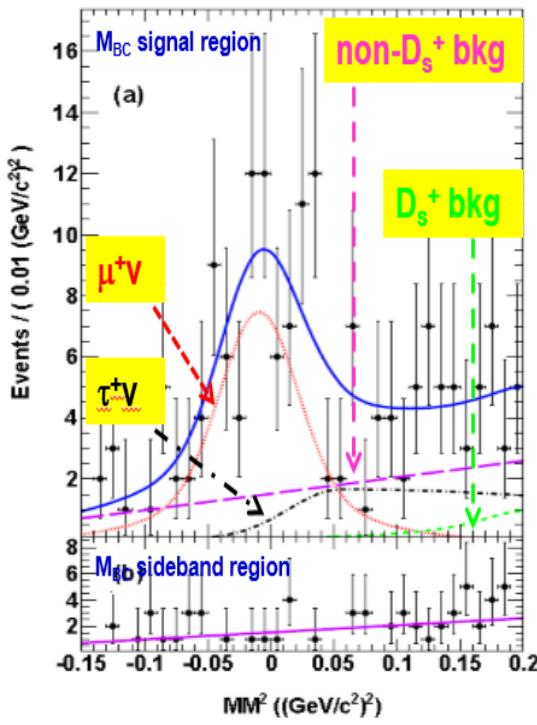


$$f_{D_s^+} = 258.6 \pm 6.4 \pm 7.5$$
 MeV

Measurement of $D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu$

**0.482 fb⁻¹ data
@4.009 GeV**

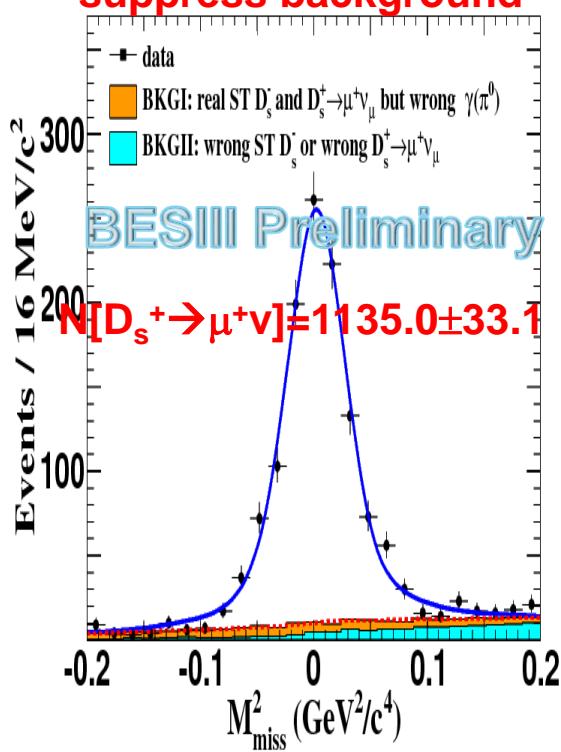
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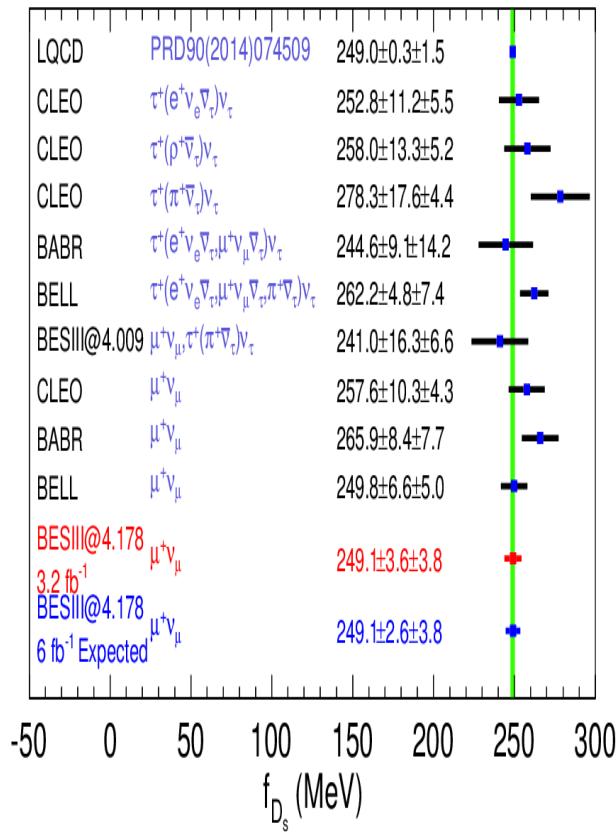
$$f_{D_s^+} = (241.0 \pm 16.3 \pm 6.6) \text{ MeV}$$

**3.19 fb⁻¹ data
@4.178 GeV**

Use μ counter to suppress background



$$f_{D_s^+} |V_{cs}| = 242.5 \pm 3.5 \pm 3.7 \text{ MeV}$$

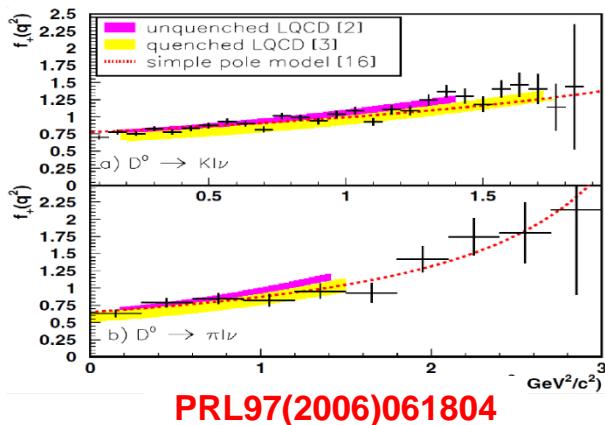


Uncertainty of $f_{D_s^+}$ with $\mu/\tau\nu$ is expected to reach 1.5% with 3.19 fb⁻¹ data

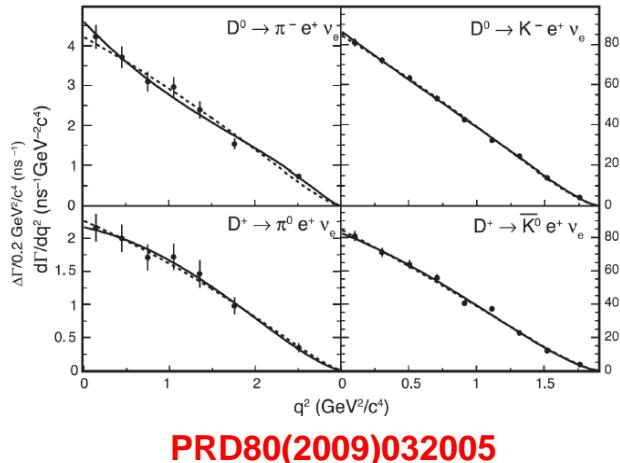
Previous measurements of $D \rightarrow K(\pi)l^+\nu$

In the past 30 years, studies of $D \rightarrow K(\pi)l^+\nu$ were made by MARKIII, E691, CLEO, CLEOII, BESII, FOCUS, **BELLE**, Babar and CLEO-c

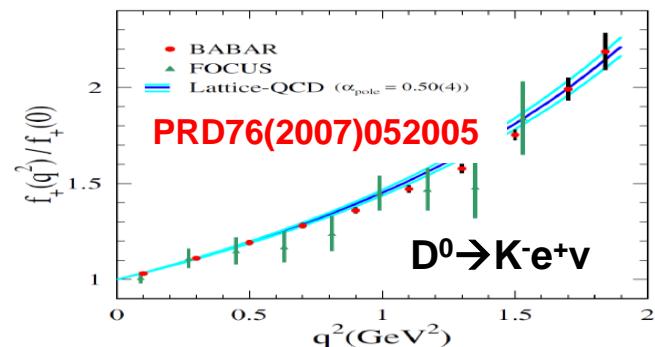
- **BELLE**, 282 fb^{-1} at 10.58 GeV



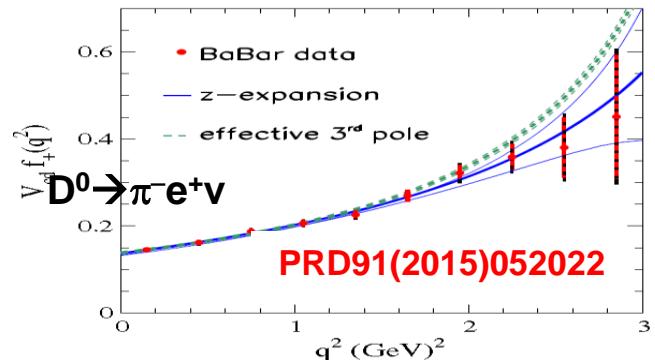
- 2004-2009, CLEO-c, 818 pb^{-1} at ψ''



- **Babar**, 75 fb^{-1} at 10.58 GeV



- **Babar**, 347.2 fb^{-1} at 10.58 GeV

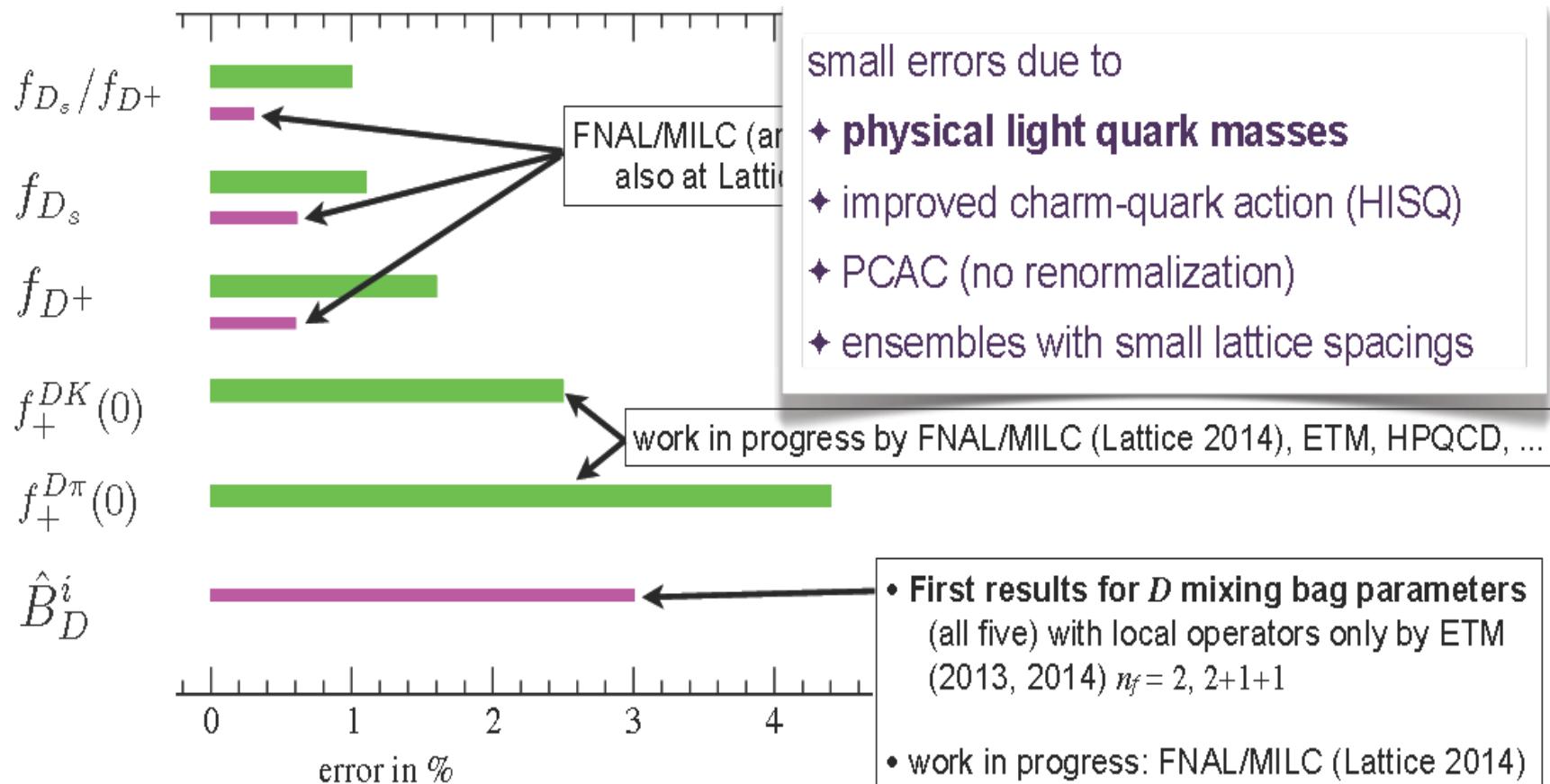


Before 2010, the LQCD calculated $f_+^{D \rightarrow K(\pi)}(0)$ precision is at 10% level, thus limiting $|V_{cs(d)}|$ measurement

Progress in LQCD calculations

Taking from Aida X. El-Khadra's talk at Beauty2014

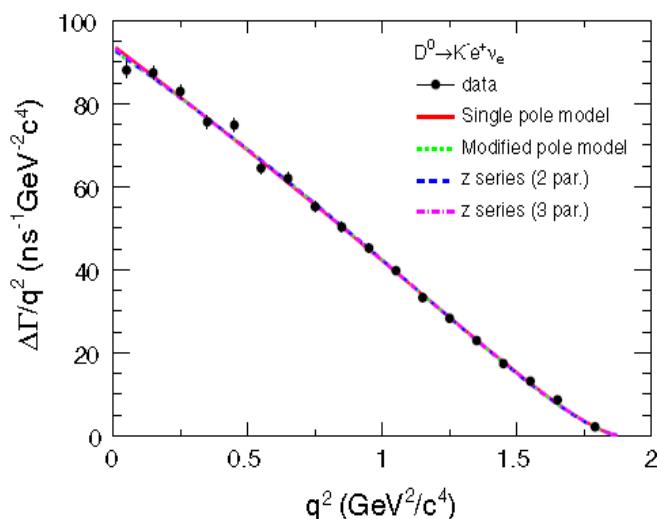
errors (in %) comparison: **FLAG-2 averages** vs. **new results**



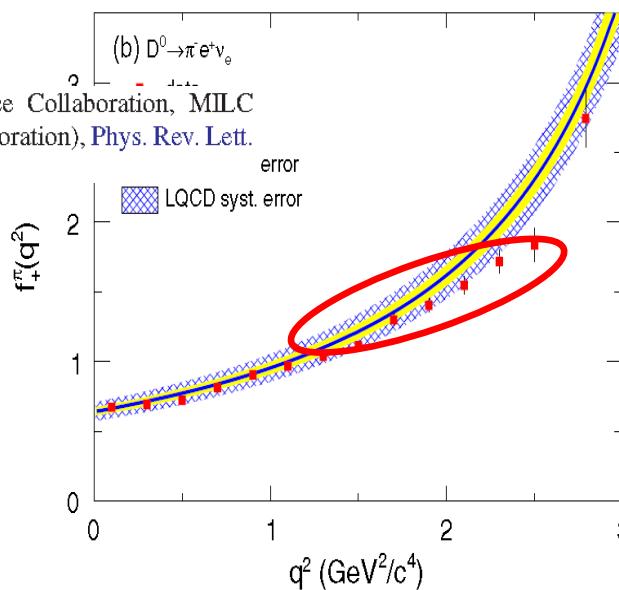
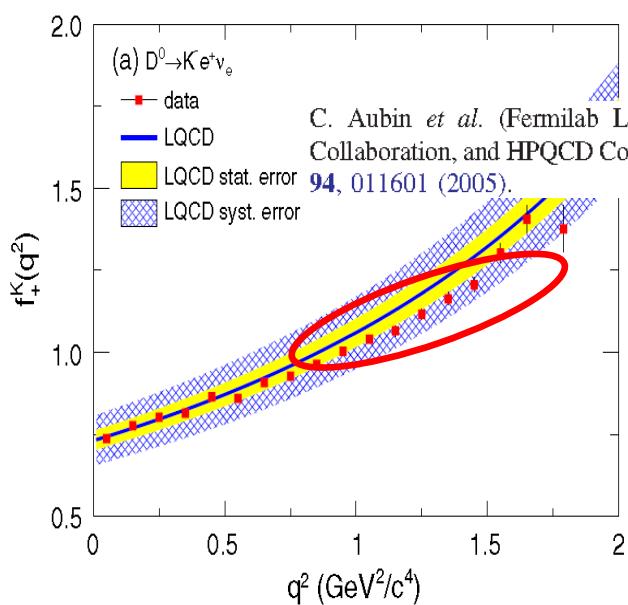
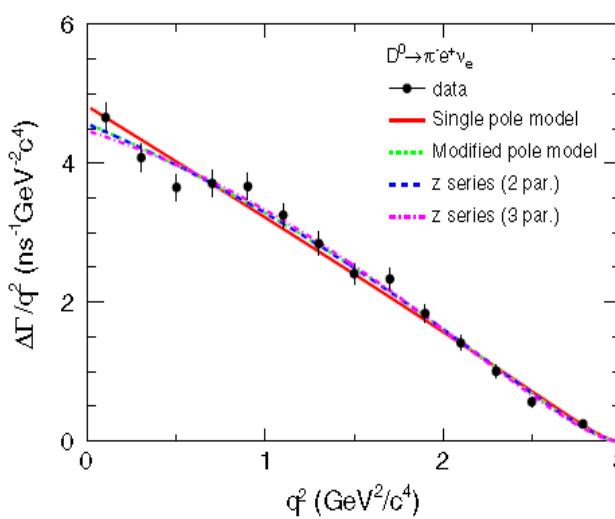
Analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K(\pi)^- e^+ \nu_e$

PRD92(2015)072012

$$B_{D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu_e} = (3.505 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.033)\%$$



$$B_{D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu_e} = (0.2950 \pm 0.0041 \pm 0.0026)\%$$



Different parameterizations of form factor

– Single pole

$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{f_+(0)}{1 - \frac{q^2}{M_{\text{pole}}^2}}$$

– Modified pole

$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{f_+(0)}{(1 - \frac{q^2}{M_{\text{pole}}^2})(1 - \alpha \frac{q^2}{M_{\text{pole}}^2})}$$

– ISGW2

$$f_+(q^2) = f_+(q_{\max}^2) \left(1 + \frac{r_{\text{ISGW2}}^2}{12} (q_{\max}^2 - q^2) \right)^{-2}$$

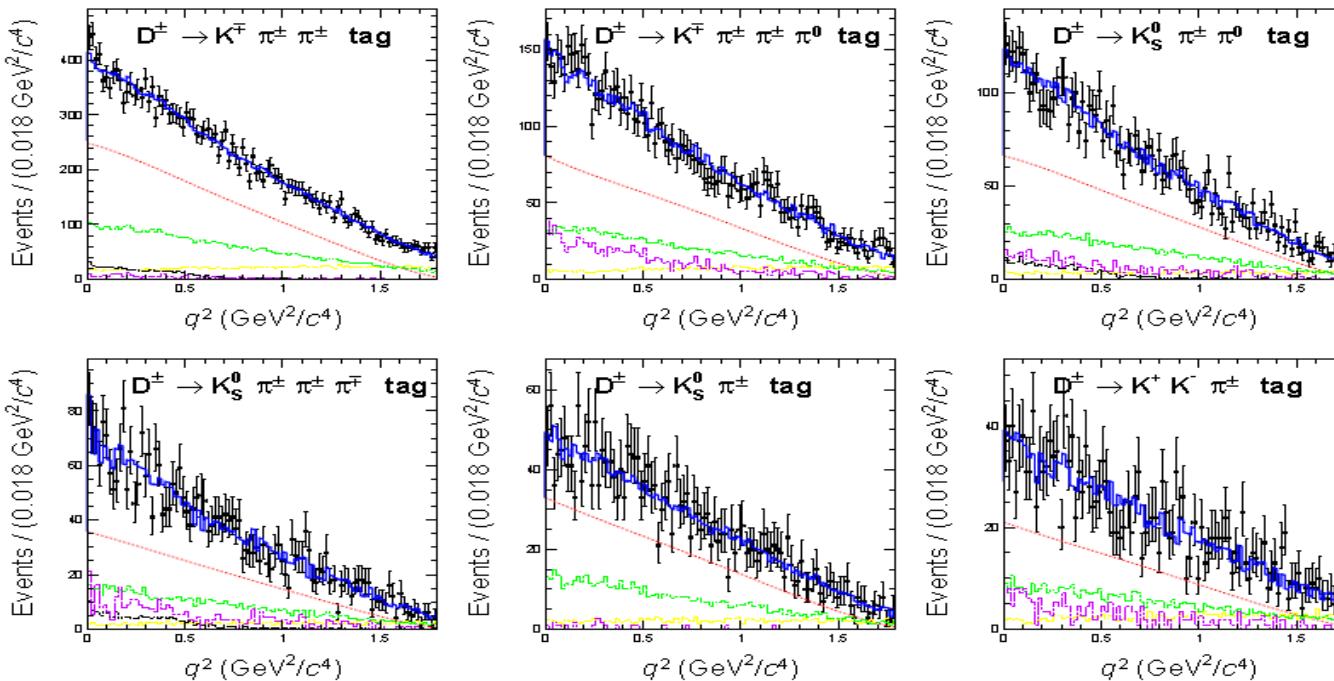
– Series expansion

$$f_+(t) = \frac{1}{P(t)\Phi(t, t_0)} a_0(t_0) \left(1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} r_k(t_0) [z(t, t_0)]^k \right)$$

Analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow K_L e^+ \nu$

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Simultaneous fit to event density $I(q^2)$ with 2-par. series Form Factor



$$\overline{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K_L e^+ \nu) = (4.482 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.103)\%$$

$$A_{CP} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 e^+ \nu_e) - \mathcal{B}(D^- \rightarrow K_L^0 e^- \bar{\nu}_e)}{\mathcal{B}(D^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 e^+ \nu_e) + \mathcal{B}(D^- \rightarrow K_L^0 e^- \bar{\nu}_e)}$$

$$A_{CP}^{D^+ \rightarrow K_L e^+ \nu} = (-0.59 \pm 0.60 \pm 1.50)\%$$

$D^+ \rightarrow K_L e^+ \nu$ is measured for the first time

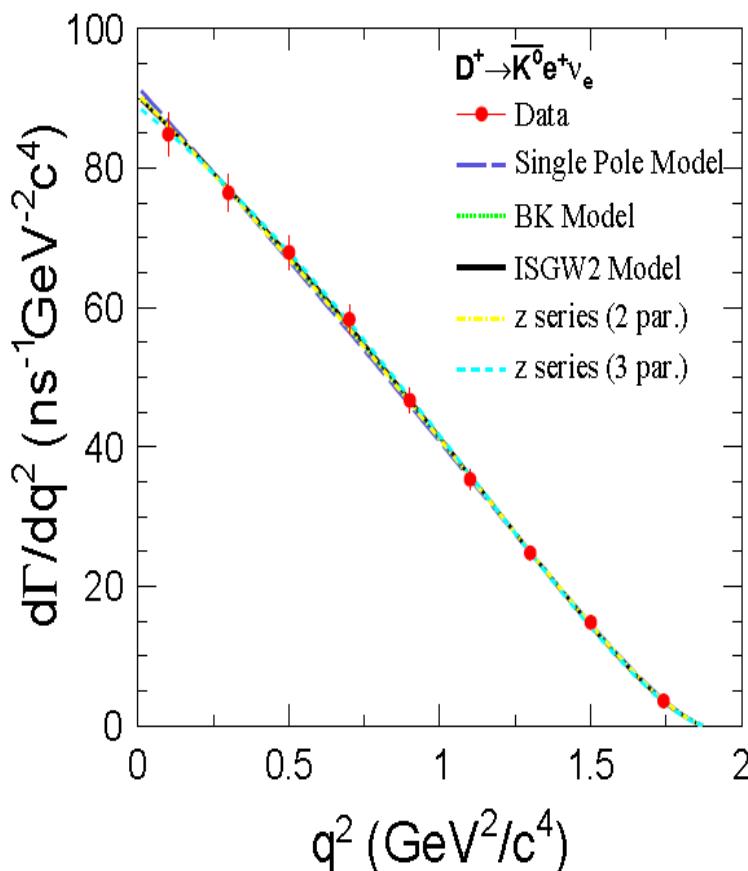
$$f_K^+(0)|V_{cs}| = 0.728 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.011$$

Analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu_e$

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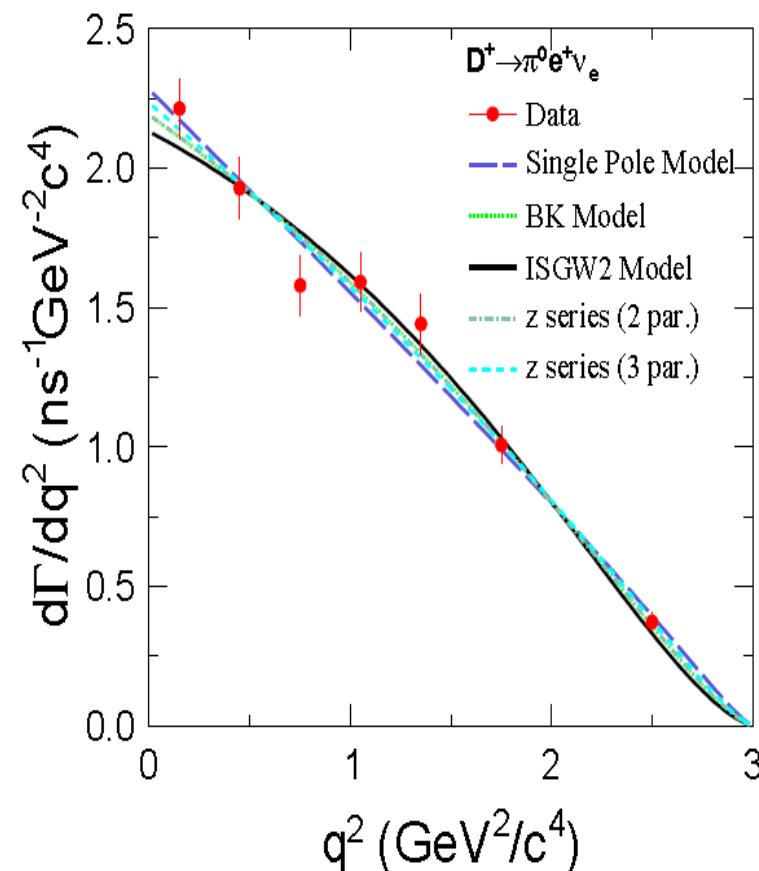
$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu_e] = (8.604 \pm 0.056 \pm 0.151)\%$$

$$I_K \equiv \frac{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu_e)}{\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu_e)} = 1.03 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.02$$

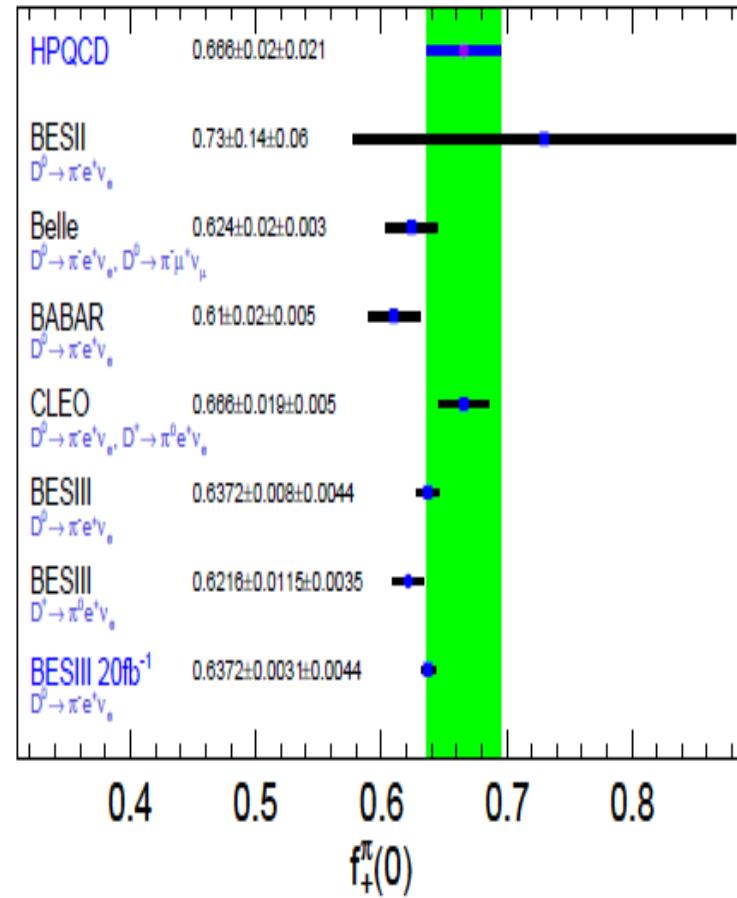
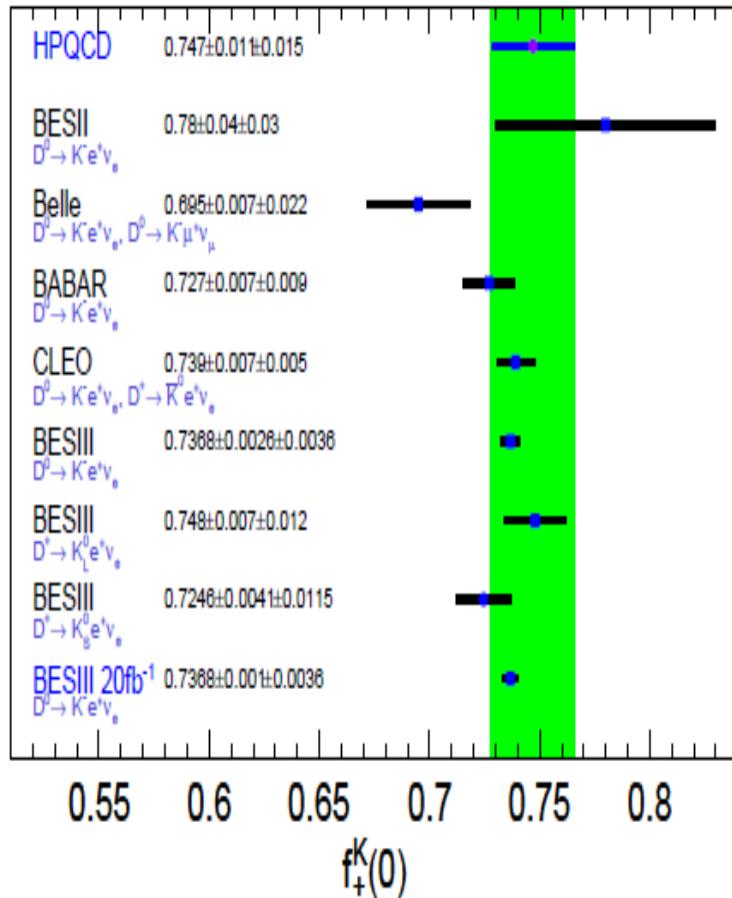


$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ \nu_e] = (3.631 \pm 0.075 \pm 0.051) \times 10^{-3}$$

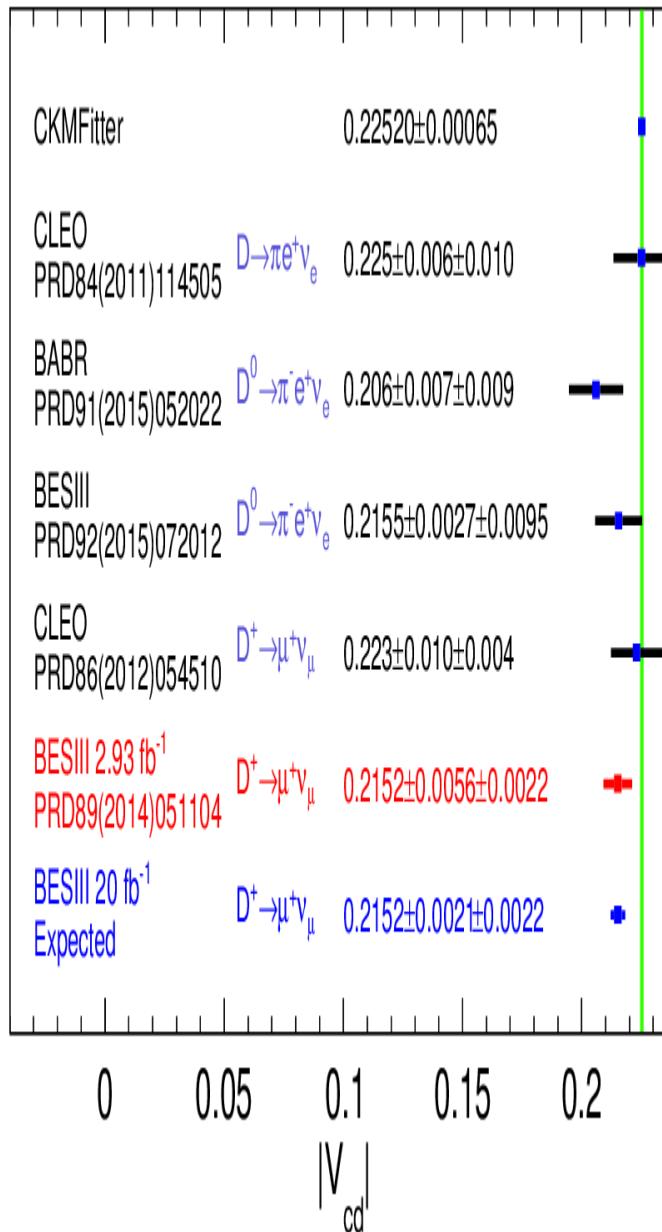
$$I_\pi \equiv \frac{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu_e)}{2\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ \nu_e)} = 1.03 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.02$$



Comparisons of $f_D^D \rightarrow K(\pi)_+(0)$



Measurements of $|V_{cs(d)}|$



CLEO
PRD84(2011)114505 $D \rightarrow \pi e^+ \bar{\nu}_e$ $0.225 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.010$

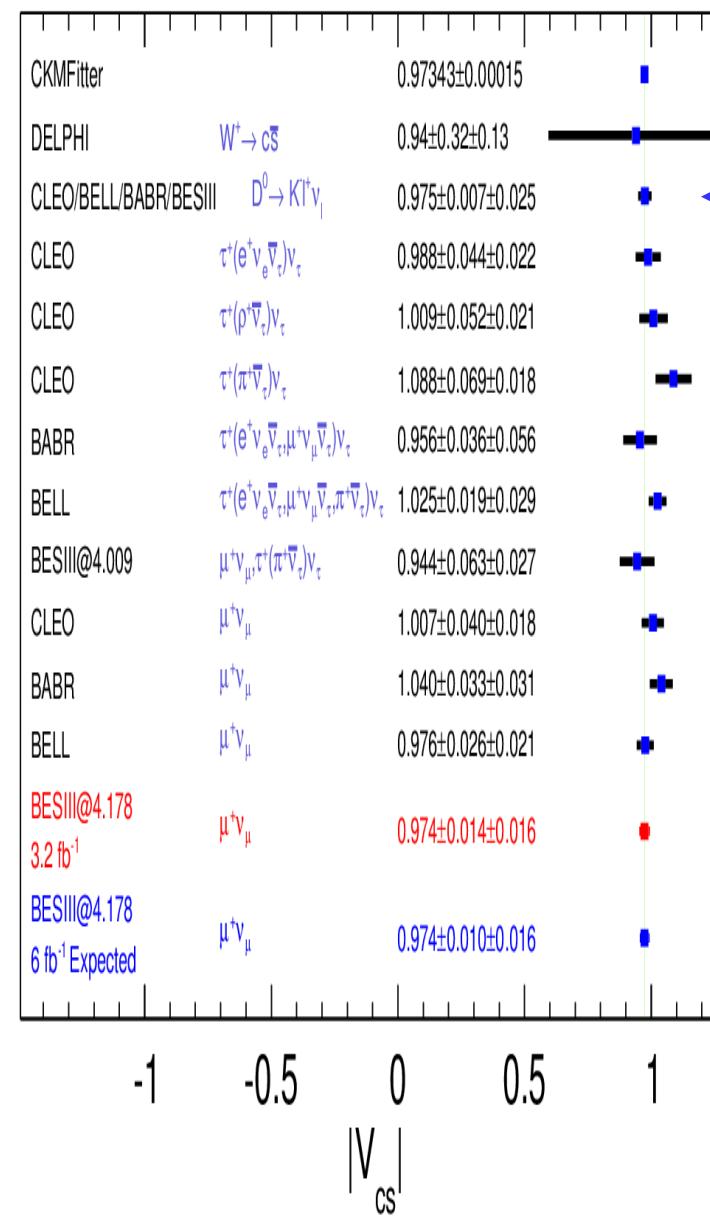
BABR
PRD91(2015)052022 $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \bar{\nu}_e$ $0.206 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.009$

BESIII
PRD92(2015)072012 $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \bar{\nu}_e$ $0.2155 \pm 0.0027 \pm 0.0095$

CLEO
PRD86(2012)054510 $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \bar{\nu}_\mu$ $0.223 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.004$

BESIII 2.93 fb⁻¹
PRD89(2014)051104 $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \bar{\nu}_\mu$ $0.2152 \pm 0.0056 \pm 0.0022$

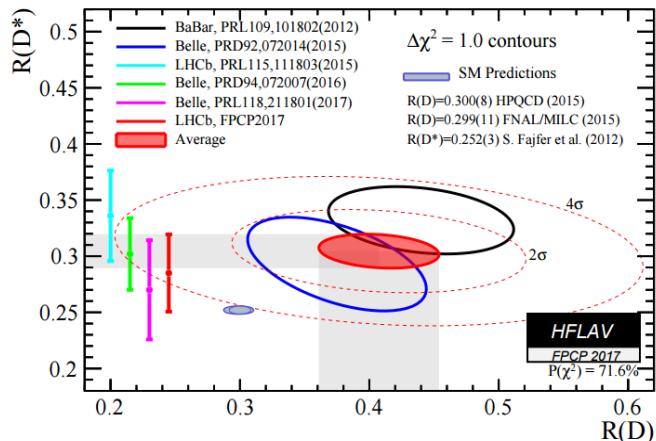
BESIII 20 fb⁻¹
Expected $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \bar{\nu}_\mu$ $0.2152 \pm 0.0021 \pm 0.0022$



Test of LFU in $D^0(+) \rightarrow \pi l^+ \nu$ decays

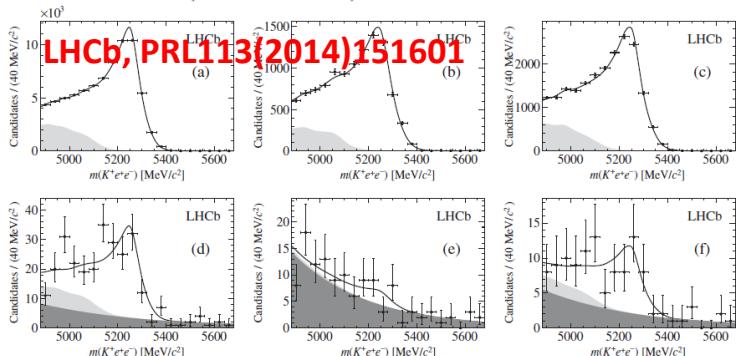
Evidence of LFV at 4σ in

$$R(D^{(*)}) = \frac{B(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu)}{B(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} l \nu)}$$



Evidence of LFV at 2.6σ in FCNC decays $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \nu / K^+ e^+ e^-$

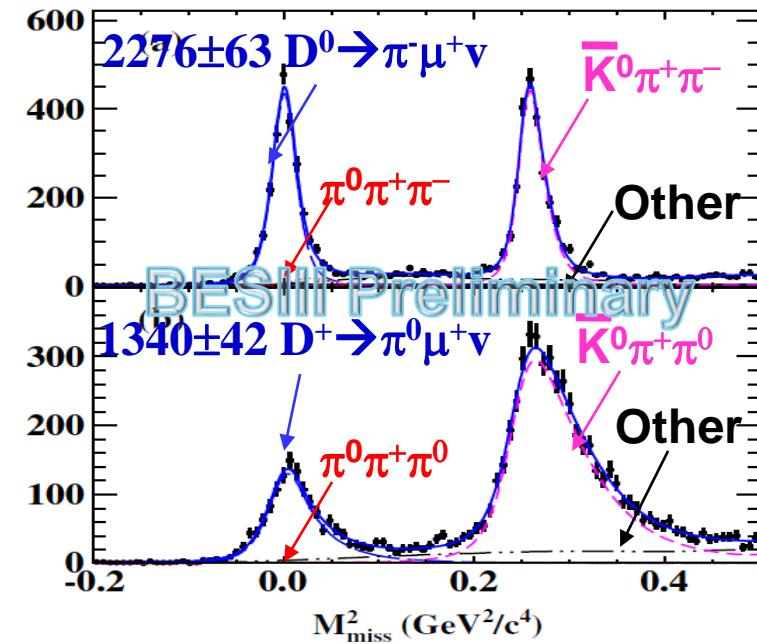
$$R_K = \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K} \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\Gamma(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{K} e^+ e^-)} = 0.745^{+0.090}_{-0.074} \pm 0.036$$



$$R_{LU}^{0(+)} = \frac{B(D^{0(+)} \rightarrow \pi^{-(0)} \mu^+ \nu)}{B(D^{0(+)} \rightarrow \pi^{-(0)} e^+ \nu)} \sim 0.97$$

B^{PDG16}: $R_{LU}^0 = 0.82 \pm 0.08$ ($\sim 2.0\sigma$)

$$B(D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu) = (0.237 \pm 0.024)\%$$



$$B[D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu] = (0.267 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.007)\%$$

$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \nu] = (0.342 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.010)\%$$

$$R_{LU}^0 = 0.918 \pm 0.036$$

$$R_{LU}^+ = 0.921 \pm 0.045$$

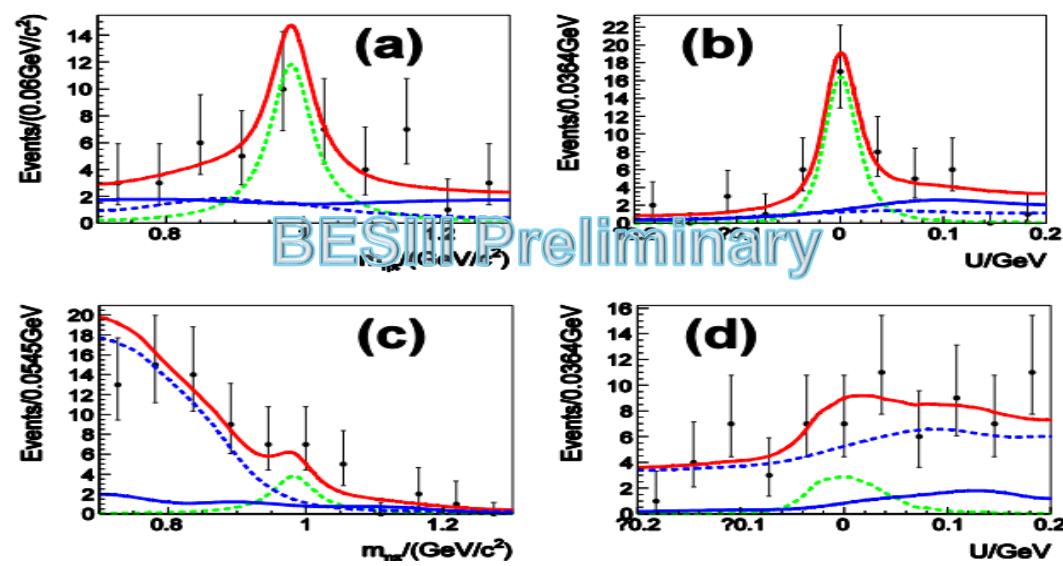
Observation of D \rightarrow Se $^+$ v

- Explore the nontrivial internal structure of light hadron mesons, traditional q \bar{q} states, tetra quark system.
- With chiral unitarity approach in the coupled channels, BF is predicted to be order of $5(6)\times 10^{-5}$ for D $^0(+)$ decays
- Improve understanding of classification of light scalar mesons

$$R \equiv \frac{B(D^+ \rightarrow f_0 l^+ \nu) + B(D^+ \rightarrow \sigma l^+ \nu)}{B(D^+ \rightarrow a_0 l^+ \nu)}$$

R=1(3) if traditional q \bar{q}
(tetra quark) system

- $B(D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)^- e^+ \nu_e) \times B(a_0(980)^- \rightarrow \eta\pi^-)$
 $= (1.12^{+0.31}_{-0.28}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.10(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$
- $B(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^0 e^+ \nu_e) \times B(a_0(980)^0 \rightarrow \eta\pi^0)$
 $= (1.47^{+0.73}_{-0.59}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.14(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$



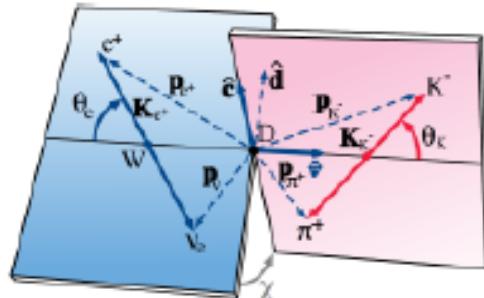
5.9 σ

• $B(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980)^0 e^+ \nu_e) \times B(a_0(980)^0 \rightarrow \eta\pi^0)$

$< 2.7 \times 10^{-4}$ @ 90% C.L.

3.0 σ

Form factors of D \rightarrow Ve $^+$ v



- $m^2 = (p_{\pi^+} + p_{K^-})^2$
- $\cos(\theta_K) = \frac{\hat{\nu} \cdot \mathbf{K}_{K^-}}{|\mathbf{K}_{K^-}|}$
- $\cos(\chi) = \hat{c} \cdot \hat{d}$
- $q^2 = (p_{e^+} + p_{\nu_e})^2$
- $\cos(\theta_e) = -\frac{\hat{\nu} \cdot \mathbf{K}_{e^+}}{|\mathbf{K}_{e^+}|}$
- $\sin(\chi) = (\hat{c} \times \hat{\nu}) \cdot \hat{d}$

Decay rate depend on 5 variables and 3 form factors

$$d^5\Gamma = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{(4\pi)^6 m_D^2} X \beta \mathcal{I}(m^2, q^2, \theta_K, \theta_e, \chi) dm^2 dq^2 d\cos(\theta_K) d\cos(\theta_e) d\chi$$

- $X = p_{K\pi} m_D$, $p_{K\pi}$ is the momentum of the $K\pi$ system in the D rest frame
- $\beta = 2p^*/m$, p^* is the breakup momentum of the $K\pi$ system in its rest frame
- \mathcal{I} can be expressed in terms of helicity amplitudes $H_{0,\pm}$:

$$H_0(q^2) = \frac{1}{2m_q} \left[(m_D^2 - m^2 - q^2)(m_D + m) A_1(q^2) - 4 \frac{m_D^2 p_{K\pi}^2}{m_D + m} A_2(q^2) \right]$$

$$H_{\pm}(q^2) = (m_D + m) A_1(q^2) \mp \frac{2m_D p_{K\pi}}{m_D + m} V(q^2)$$

- Vector form factor: $V(q^2) = \frac{V(0)}{1 - q^2/m_V^2}$; or: FF ratio $r_V = V(0)/A_1(0)$

- Axial-vector form factor: $A_1(q^2) = \frac{A_1(0)}{1 - q^2/m_A^2}$, $A_2(q^2) = \frac{A_2(0)}{1 - q^2/m_A^2}$; or: FF ratio $r_2 = A_2(0)/A_1(0)$

PWA of $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ e^+ \nu_e$

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Fractions with $>5\sigma$ significance

$$f(D^+ \rightarrow (K^-\pi^+)_{K^{*0}(892)} e^+ \nu_e) = (93.93 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.18)\%$$

$$f(D^+ \rightarrow (K^-\pi^+)_{S-wave} e^+ \nu_e) = (6.05 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.18)\%$$

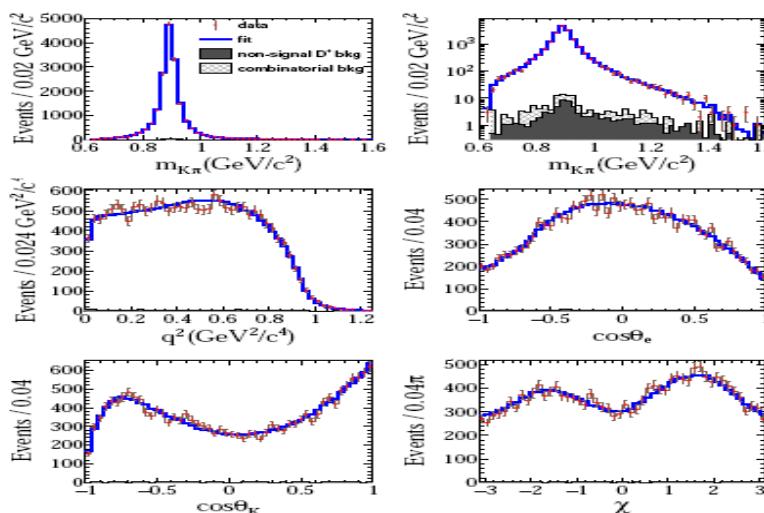
Properties of different $K\pi$ (non-) resonant amplitudes

$$m_{K^{*0}(892)} = (894.60 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.08) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

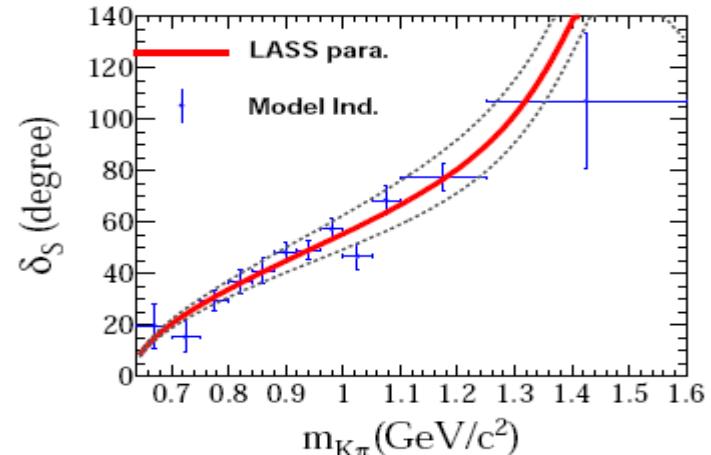
$$\Gamma_{K^{*0}(892)} = (46.42 \pm 0.56 \pm 0.15) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$r_{BW} = (3.07 \pm 0.26 \pm 0.11) (\text{GeV}/c)^{-1}$$

q^2 dependent form factors in $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^*(892)e^+\nu_e$



Model independent S-wave phase measurement



$$V(q^2) = \frac{V(0)}{1-q^2/m_V^2}, \quad A_{1,2}(q^2) = \frac{A_{1,2}(0)}{1-q^2/m_A^2}$$

$M_{V/A}$ is expected to $M_{D^*(1-/+)}$

$$m_V = (1.81^{+0.25}_{-0.17} \pm 0.02) \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

$$m_A = (2.61^{+0.22}_{-0.17} \pm 0.03) \text{ GeV}/c^2$$

$$A_1(0) = 0.573 \pm 0.011 \pm 0.020$$

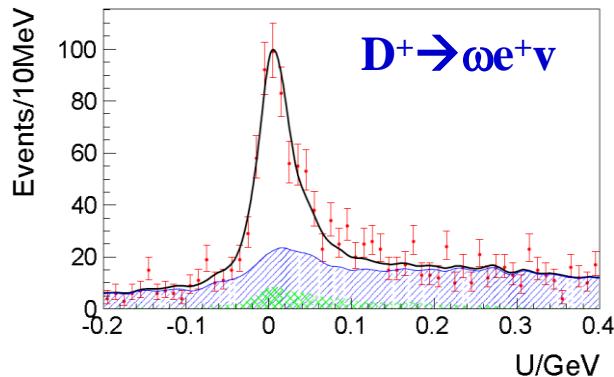
$$r_V = V(0)/A_1(0) = 1.411 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.007$$

$$r_2 = A_2(0)/A_1(0) = 0.788 \pm 0.042 \pm 0.008$$

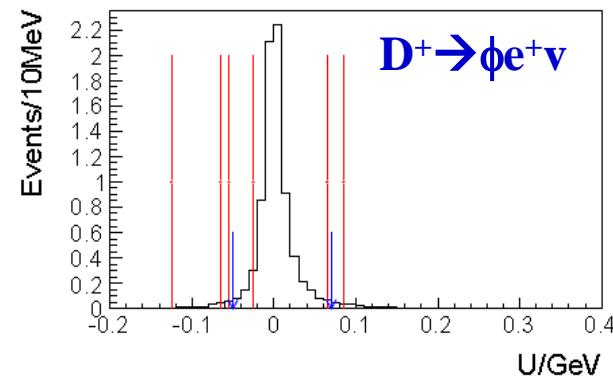
Model independent form factors

Study of $D^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \bar{\nu}$ and search for $D^+ \rightarrow \phi e^+ \bar{\nu}$

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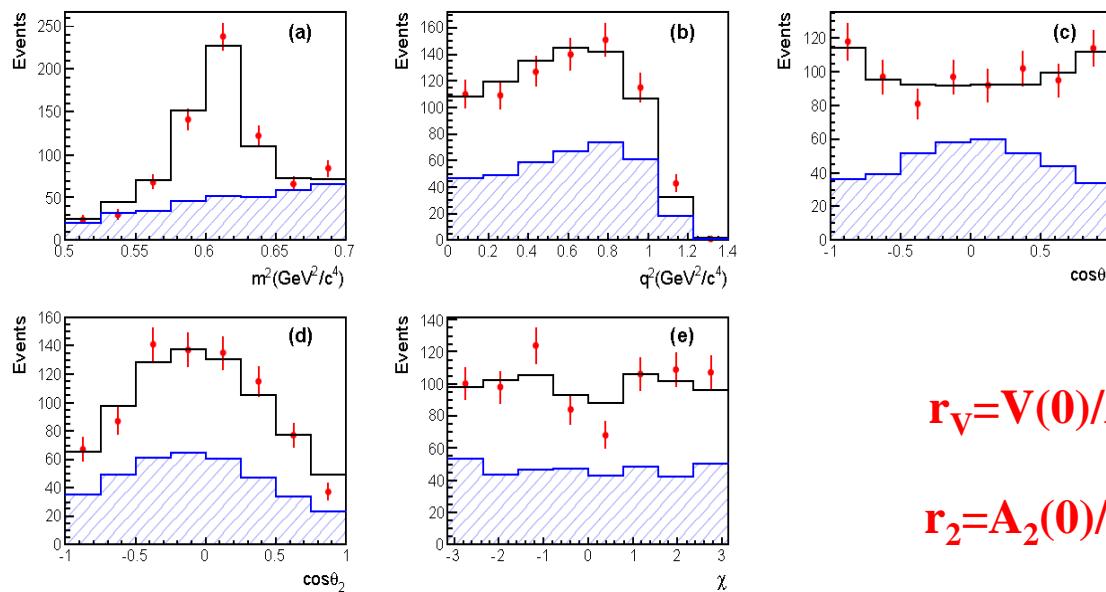


$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \bar{\nu}] = (1.63 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-3}$$



$$B[D^+ \rightarrow \phi e^+ \bar{\nu}] < 1.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ at } 90\% \text{ C.L.}$$

Better precision or sensitivity

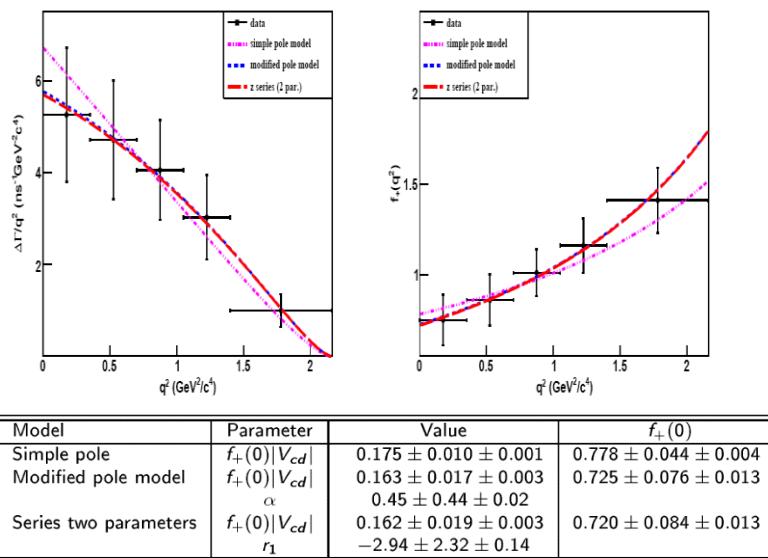
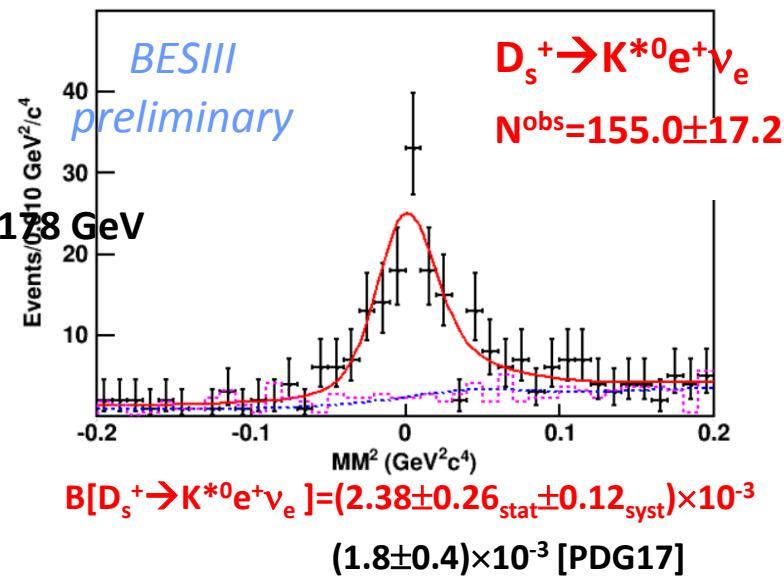
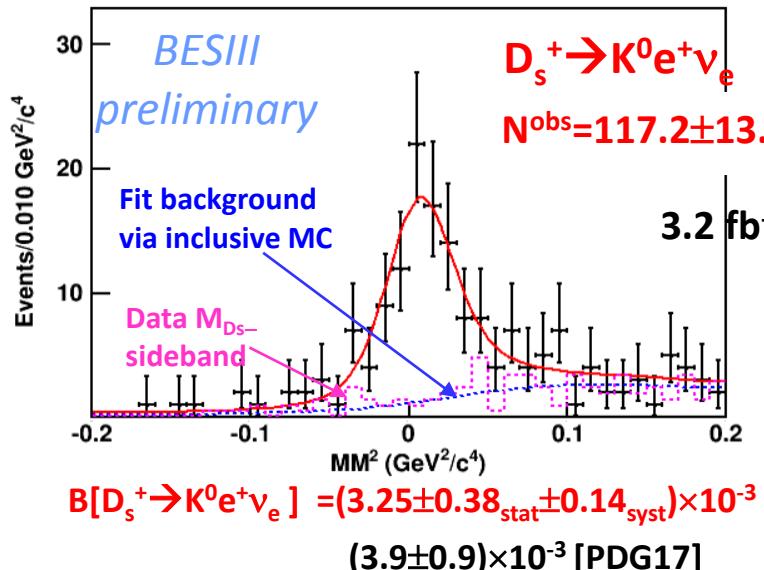


Amplitude analysis of
 $D^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \bar{\nu}$ is performed
for the first time

$$r_V = V(0)/A_1(0) = 1.24 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.06$$

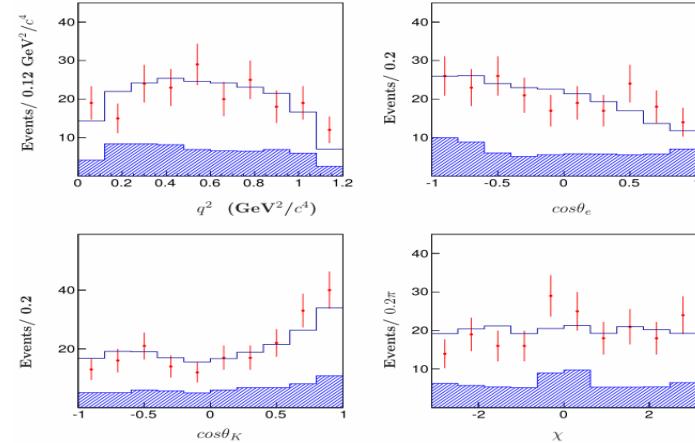
$$r_2 = A_2(0)/A_1(0) = 1.06 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.05$$

Studies of $D_s^+ \rightarrow K^{(*)0} e^+ \nu_e$ at 4.178 GeV



Taking $|V_{CKM}^{\text{fitter}}|_{cd}$ as input

Four dimensional un-binned likelihood fit is performed. K^* parameters are fixed



$$r_V = 1.67 \pm 0.34 \pm 0.16$$

$$r_2 = 0.77 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.07$$

Summary

- With $\sim 3/3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ data taken at 3.773/4.178 GeV by BESIII, the leptonic decay of $D_{(s)}^+ \rightarrow l^+ \bar{\nu}$ and some semi-leptonic D decays, and improved measurements of $|V_{cs(d)}|$, decay constants, form factors have been obtained
- More results are expected in the near future

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \bar{\nu}$, $f_{D_s^+}$ and $|V_{cs}|$

$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)} e^+ \bar{\nu}$, form factors and $|V_{cs}|$

$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^- / \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ \bar{\nu}$, form factors

.....

$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \bar{\nu}$, $f_K^+(q^2)$ and $|V_{cs}|$

$D \rightarrow K_1(1270) e^+ \bar{\nu}$

$D_{(s)}^{0(+)} \rightarrow X e^+ \bar{\nu}$

All Cabibbo-suppressed $D^{0(+)}$ decays and D_s^+ decays are restricted by the limited data

Prospects at BESIII

- With $20/6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ data taken at $3.773/4.178 \text{ GeV}$, some elementary constants can be further improved

| | Systematic error | Statistical error | Expected with $\sim 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ $20/6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ |
|--|------------------|-------------------|---|
| $\Delta f_{D+}/f_{D+}$ | 0.9% | 2.6% | 0.5% |
| $\Delta f_{D_{s+}}/f_{D_{s+}}$ | 1.5% | 1.5% | $\sim 1\%$ |
| $\Delta f_{D \rightarrow K}/f_{D \rightarrow K}$ | 0.5% | 0.4% | 0.15% |
| $\Delta f_{D \rightarrow \pi}/f_{D \rightarrow \pi}$ | 0.7% | 1.3% | 0.5% |
| $ V_{cs} ^{D_{s+} \rightarrow l + v}$ | 1.5% | 1.5% | $\sim 1\%$ |
| $ V_{cs} ^{D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ v}$ | 2.5% (2.4% LQCD) | 0.4% | 0.15% |
| $ V_{cd} ^{D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ v}$ | 0.9% | 2.6% | $\sim 1\%$ |
| $ V_{cd} ^{D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ v}$ | 4.5% (4.4% LQCD) | 1.3% | 0.5% |

Only $D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ v$ is considered. The contribution of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ v$ will be comparable or slightly better than $D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ v$

Once LQCD uncertainties reach $<1\%$ level, the $|V_{cs(d)}|$ will be much improved

- More or improved measurements of form factors of semileptonic decays, containing scalar or axial-vector meson, which are now statistically limited

Thank you!

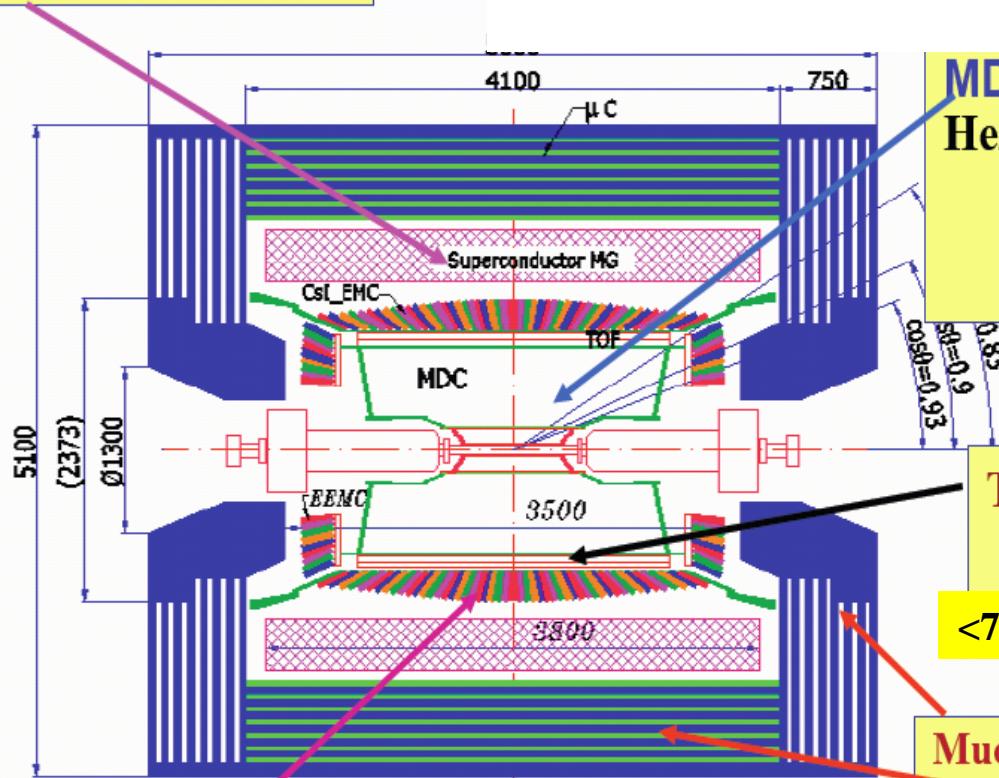
BEPCII collider



BESIII detector

Magnet: 1 T Super conducting

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MDC: small cell & Gas:
He/C₃H₈ (60/40), 43 layers
 $\sigma_{xy} = 130 \mu\text{m}$
 $\sigma_p/p = 0.5\% @1\text{GeV}$
 $dE/dx = 6\%$

TOF:
 $\sigma_T = 100 \text{ ps } \text{Barrel}$
 $<70 \text{ ps endcap updated in 2015}$

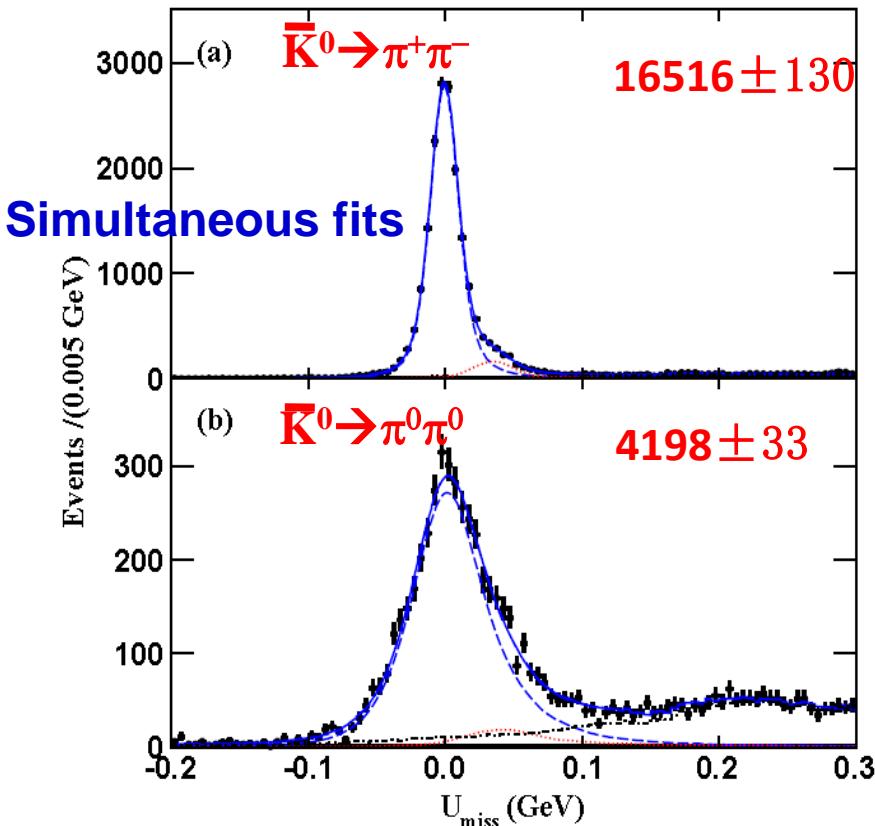
Muon ID: 9 layers RPC
8 layers for endcap

EMC: CsI crystal, 28 cm
 $\Delta E/E = 2.5\% @1 \text{ GeV}$
 $\sigma z = 0.6 \text{ cm}/\sqrt{E}$

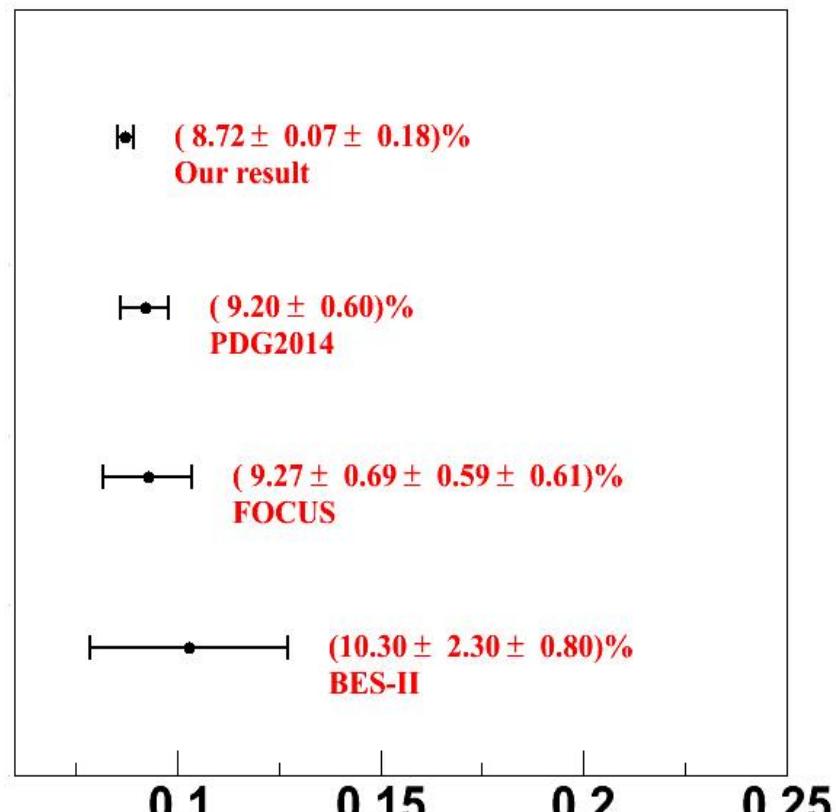
Data Acquisition:
Event rate = 4 kHz
Total data volume $\sim 50 \text{ MB/s}$

Improved BF for $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \mu^+ \nu$

With 6 dominant D^- single tag



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Taking $B[D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu]$ and $B[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu]$ from the PDG as input

$$\frac{\Gamma[D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu]}{\Gamma[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \mu^+ \nu]} = 0.963 \pm 0.044$$

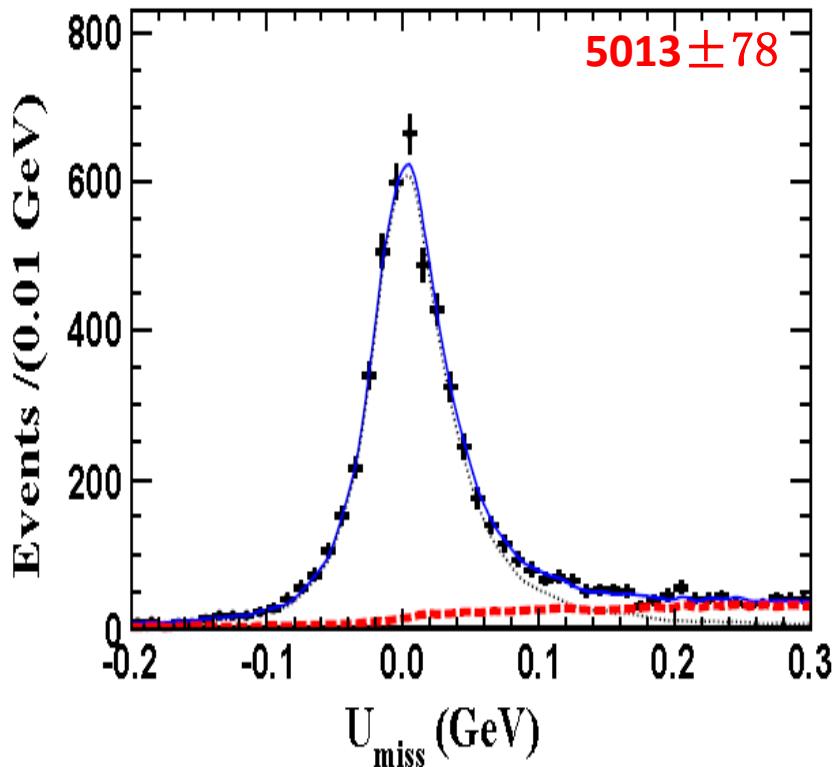
$$\frac{\Gamma[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \mu^+ \nu]}{\Gamma[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu]} = 0.988 \pm 0.033$$

Support isospin conservation in these two decays within errors

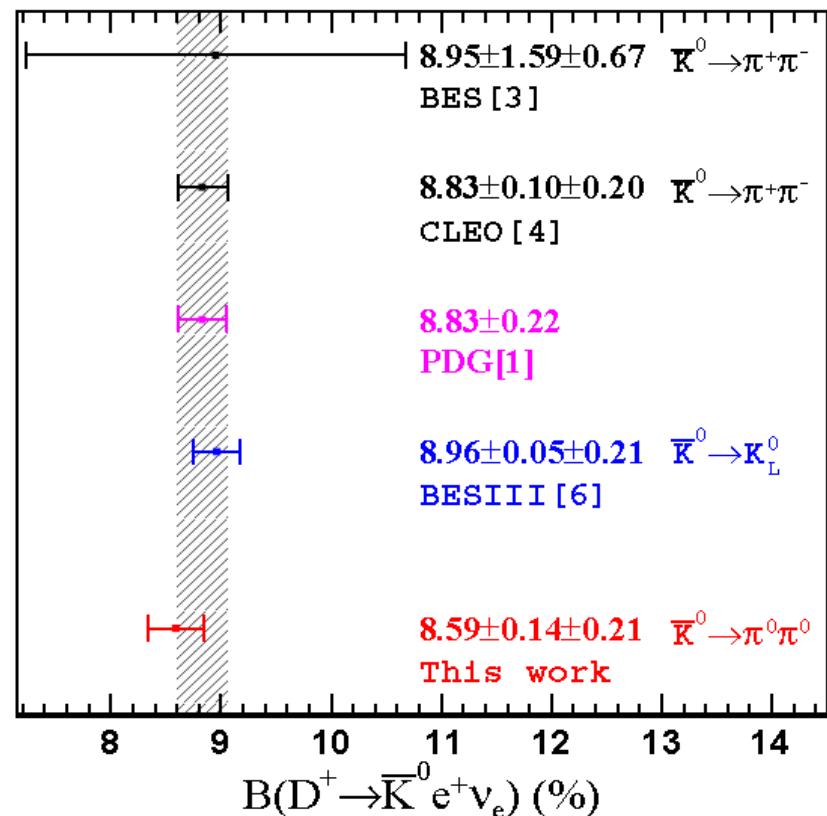
Consistent with theory prediction 0.97 within error

Absolute BF for $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu$ via $\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$

With 6 dominant D^- single tag



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Taking τ_{D^+} , τ_{D0} , $B[D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu]$ and $B[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu]$ from the PDG as input

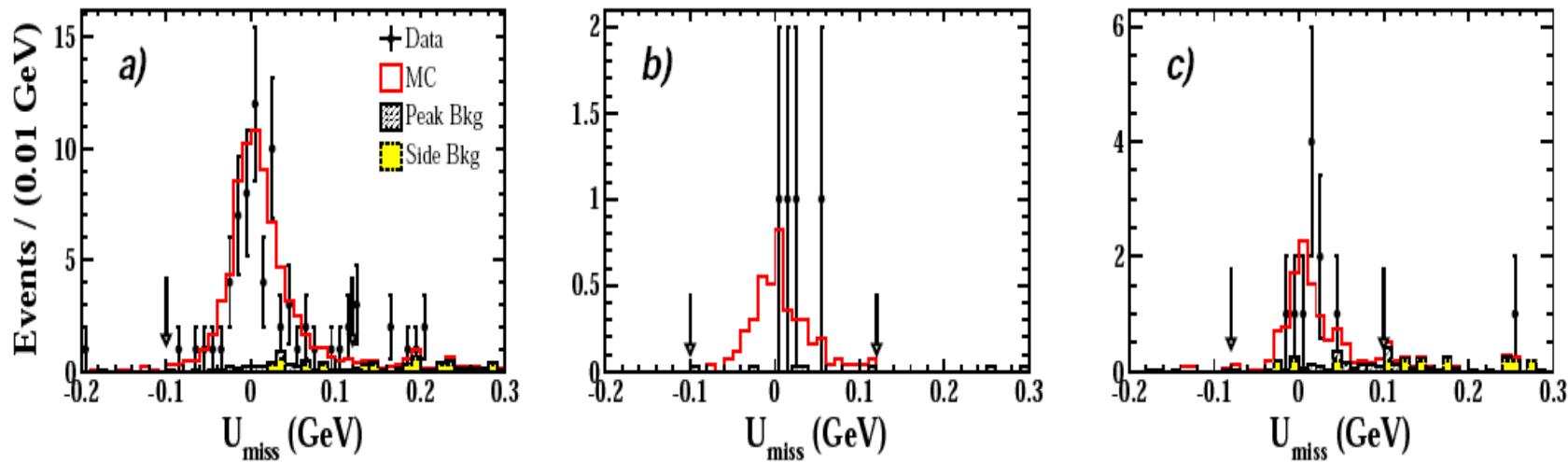
$$\frac{\Gamma[D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu]}{\bar{\Gamma}[D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu]} = 0.969 \pm 0.025$$

Agrees with isospin conservation within 1.2σ

Measurements of BFs of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta(\eta') e^+ \nu$

- Benefit the understanding of the source of difference of inclusive decay rates of $D^0(+)$ and D_s^+
- Complementary information to understand $\eta - \eta'$ mixing

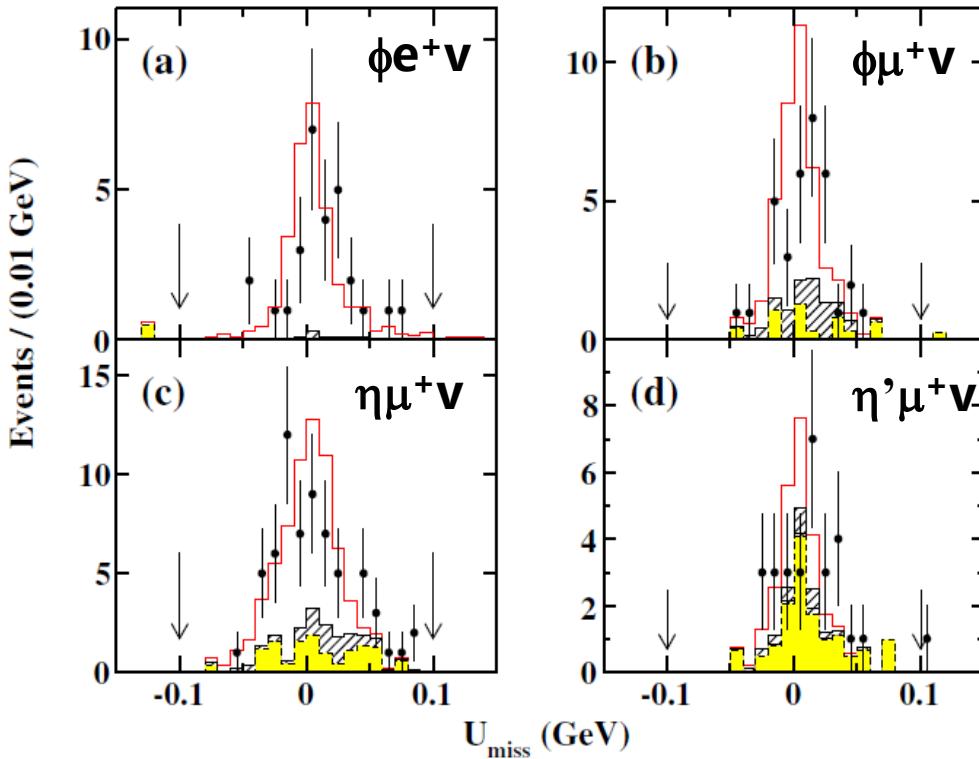
482 pb⁻¹ data@4.009 GeV, PRD94(2016)112003



| | BESIII | CLEOII 95 | = CLEOc09 = | = CLEOc15 = | PDG [4] |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| $B(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta e^+ \nu_e)[\%]$ | $2.30 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.08$ | — | $2.48 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.13$ | $2.28 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.20$ | 2.67 ± 0.29 |
| $B(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' e^+ \nu_e)[\%]$ | $0.93 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.05$ | — | $0.91 \pm 0.33 \pm 0.05$ | $0.68 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.06$ | 0.99 ± 0.23 |
| $\frac{B(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' e^+ \nu_e)}{B(D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta e^+ \nu_e)}$ | $0.40 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.02$ | $0.35 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.07$ | — | — | — |

Measurements of BFs of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi/\eta/\eta' \mu^+ \nu$

482 pb⁻¹ data@4.009 GeV, PRD97(2018)012006



The ratios of BFs

$$\frac{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \nu]}{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi e^+ \nu]} = 0.86 \pm 0.29$$

$$\frac{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \mu^+ \nu]}{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta e^+ \nu]} = 1.05 \pm 0.24$$

$$\frac{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' \mu^+ \nu]}{\Gamma[D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' e^+ \nu]} = 1.14 \pm 0.68$$

| μ^+ mode | $\mathcal{B}_{\text{BESIII}} (\%)$ | $\mathcal{B}_{\text{PDG}} (\%)$ | e^+ mode | $\mathcal{B}_{\text{BESIII}} (\%)$ | $\mathcal{B}_{\text{PDG}} (\%)$ |
|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ | $1.94 \pm 0.53 \pm 0.09$ | ... | $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi e^+ \nu_e$ | $2.26 \pm 0.45 \pm 0.09$ | 2.39 ± 0.23 |
| $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ | $2.42 \pm 0.46 \pm 0.11$ | ... | $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta e^+ \nu_e$ | $2.30 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.08$ [8] | 2.28 ± 0.24 |
| $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ | $1.06 \pm 0.54 \pm 0.07$ | ... | $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta' e^+ \nu_e$ | $0.93 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.05$ [8] | 0.68 ± 0.16 |

BFs of semi-muonic decays are measured for the first time