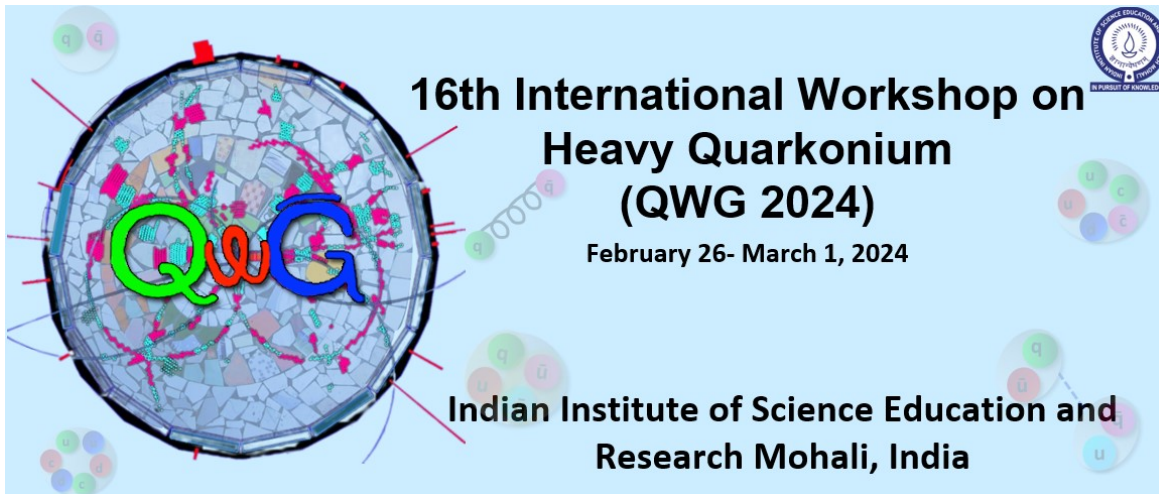


# Recent J/psi decay results from KEDR

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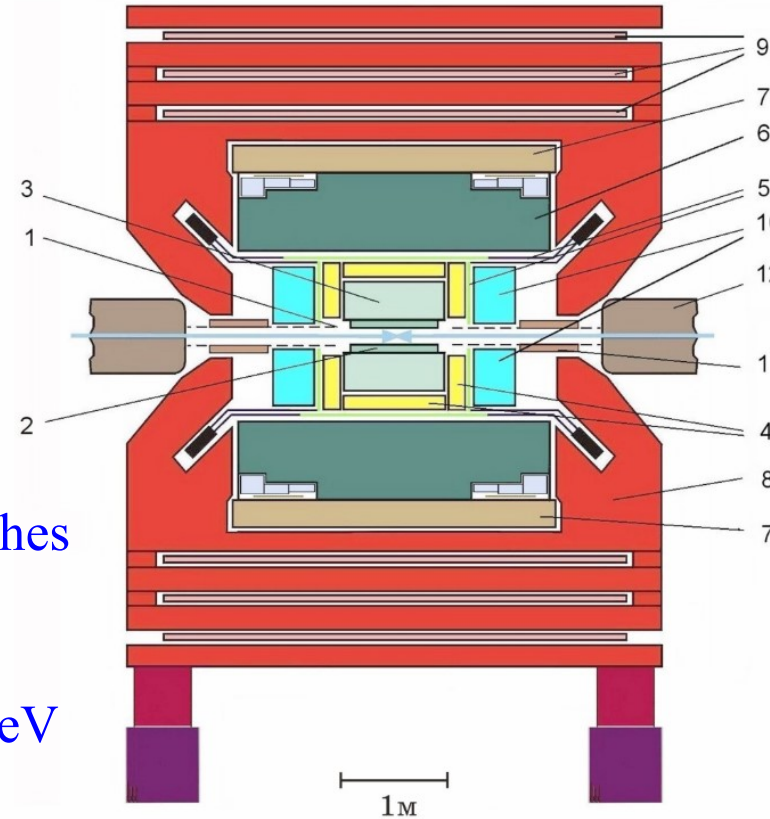
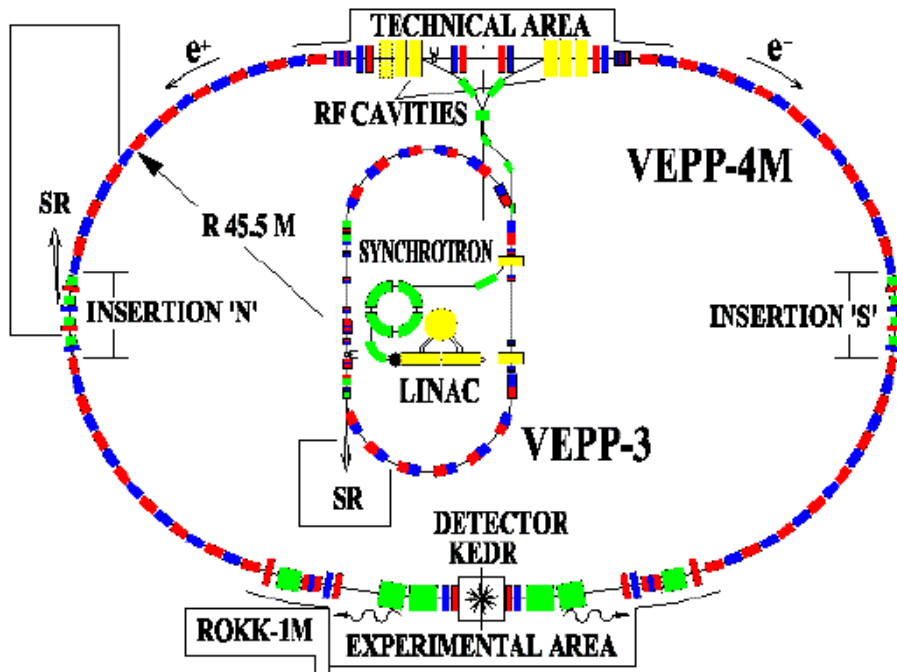
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The poster features a central image of a particle detector cross-section with various colored tracks and vertices. Surrounding this are several circular diagrams containing quark symbols (q, q-bar, u, d, s, c, b) and their combinations. A logo for the Indian Institute of Science Education and Research Mohali is visible in the top right corner.

- $J/\Psi \rightarrow \rho\pi, \rho'\pi$
- $J/\Psi \rightarrow 5\pi, 2K3\pi, 4\pi, 2K2\pi$

# VEPP-4M $e^+e^-$ collider and KEDR detector

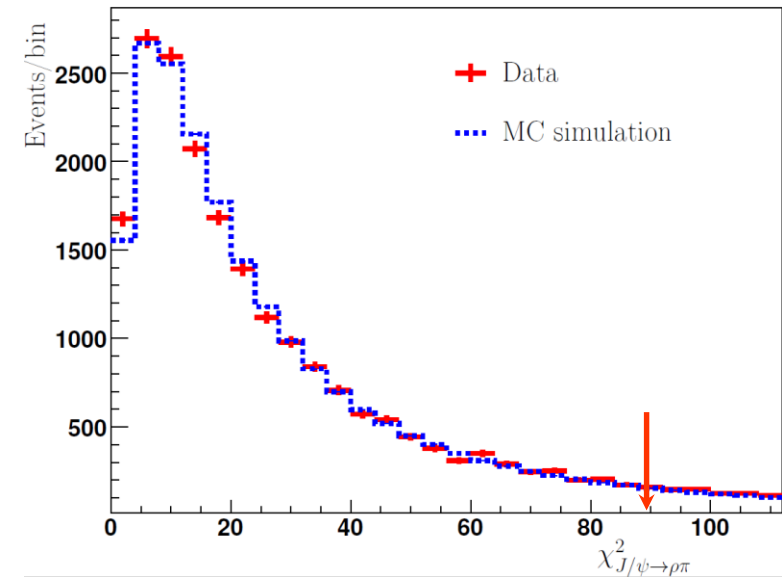


1. Vacuum chamber
2. Vertex detector
3. Drift chamber
4. Threshold aerogel counters
5. ToF-counters
6. Liquid krypton calorimeter
7. Superconducting coil (0.6 T)
8. Magnet yoke
9. Muon tubes
10. CsI-calorimeter
11. Compensation solenoid
12. VEPP-4M quadrupole

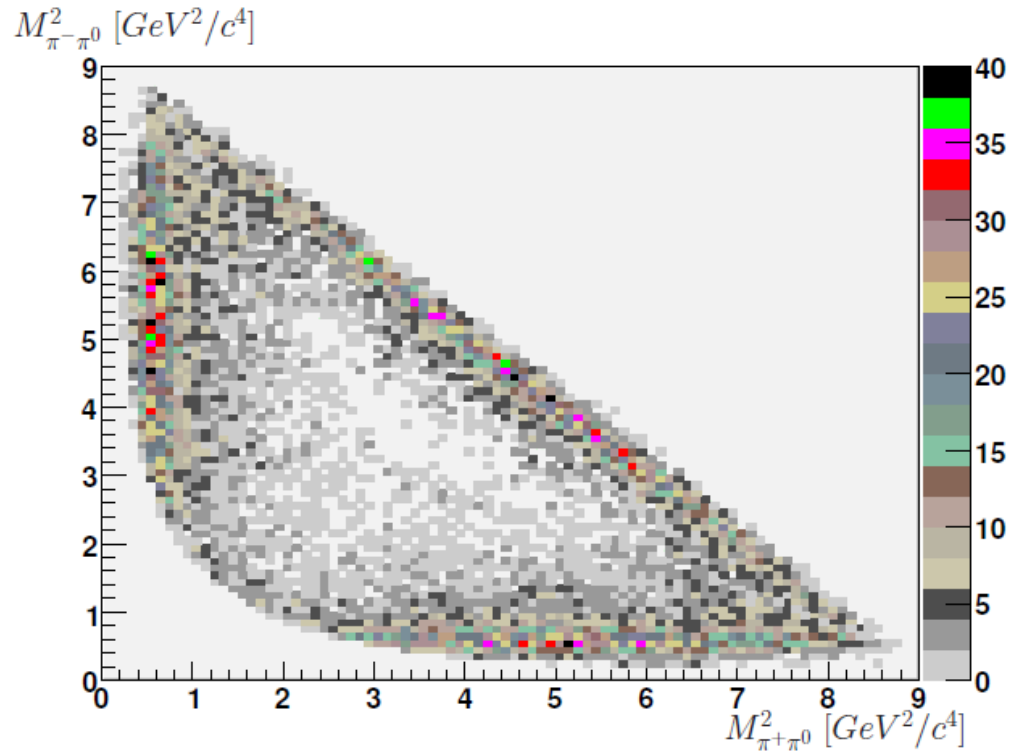
- ❑ Wide energy range  $E_{\text{beam}} = 1 \div 6 \text{ GeV}$ , 2x2 bunches
- ❑ Peak luminosity  $1.5 \times 10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$  at  $J/\psi$
- ❑ Precise beam energy determination :
  - Resonant Depolarization Method,  $\sigma_E \approx 1.5 \text{ keV}$
  - Interpolation for DAQ runs  $\sigma_E \approx 8 \div 30 \text{ keV}$
  - IR-light Compton BackScattering,  $\sigma_E < 100 \text{ keV}$
- ❑ Scattering electron tagging system for two-photon studies

## Selection criteria

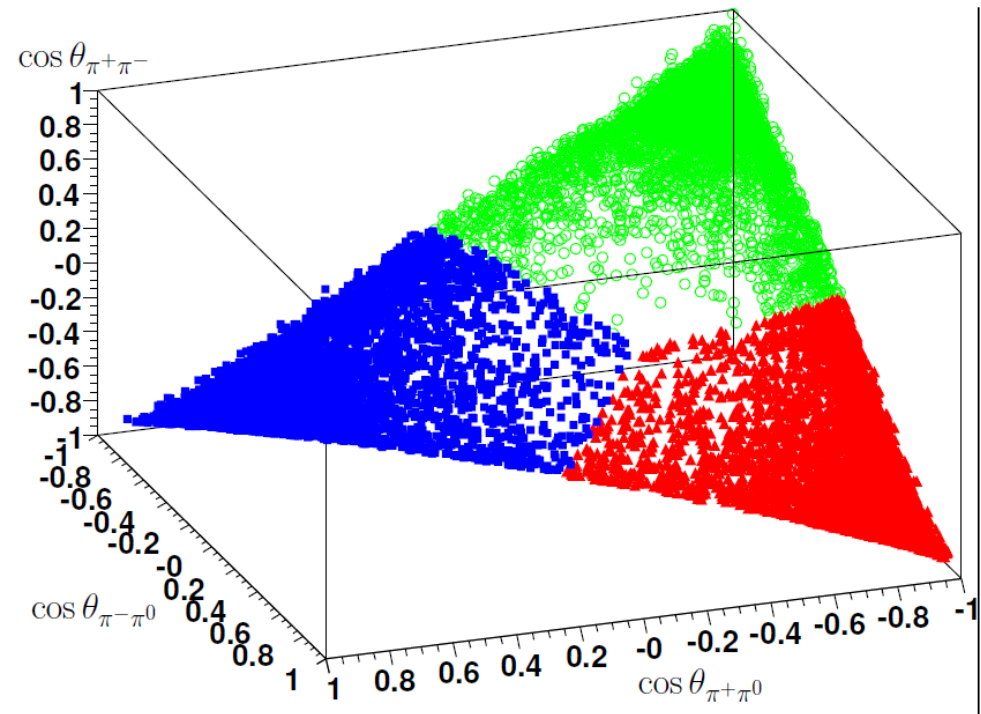
- Two reconstructed tracks are required to have  $d < 3$  cm and  $|z_0| < 17$  cm, where  $d$  is the track impact parameter relative to the beam axis and  $z_0$  is the coordinate of the closest approach point.
- At least one track from interaction region ( $d < 0.75$  cm,  $|z_0| < 13$  cm) or two tracks with  $d < 0.75$  cm were accepted.
- Two clusters in the calorimeter not associated to tracks ("neutral clusters") with energies exceeding  $E_1 = 50$  MeV or one cluster with an energy greater than  $E_2 = 150$  MeV.
- $\chi^2$  ( $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ ) from a kinematic fit must be less than 90 and also satisfy the condition  $\chi^2(\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0) < \chi^2(K^+K^-\pi^0)$ .
- For the suppression of the background induced by the processes  $e^+e^-(\gamma)$ ,  $\mu^+\mu^-(\gamma)$  for events with "merged-  $\pi^0$ " we used the additional criteria. The ratio of Fox-Wolfram moments  $H_2/H_0$  was required to be less than 0.8.
- The ratio of the energy deposited in the calorimeter to the measured momentum of the charged particle  $E/p$  must be less than 0.75.
- The sum  $\cos \theta(\pi^+\pi^-) + \cos \theta(\pi^+\pi^0) + \cos \theta(\pi^-\pi^0)$  was required to be less than  $-1.075$ , this distribution lies in the range of  $[-1.5, -1.]$ .



# $J/\Psi \rightarrow \rho\pi, \rho'\pi$

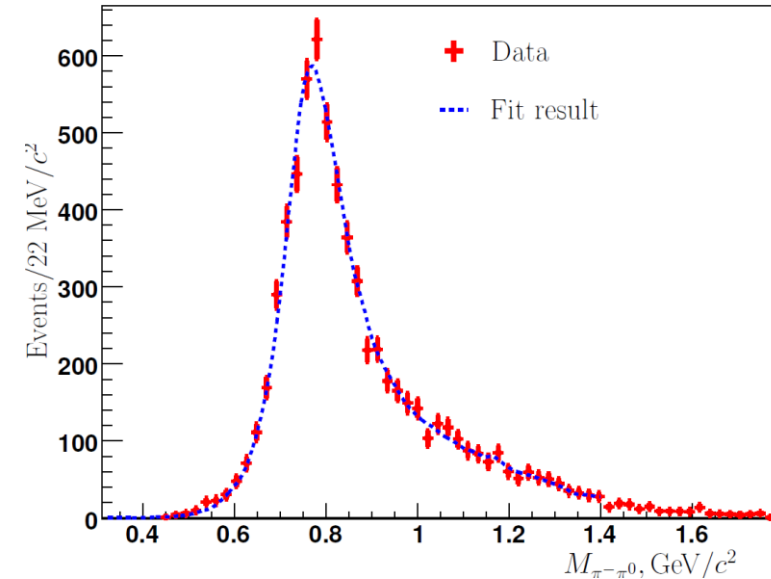
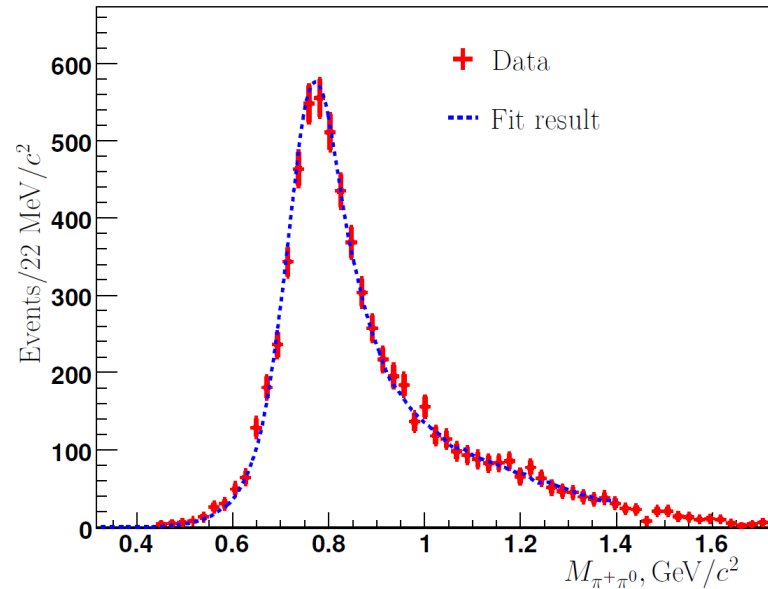
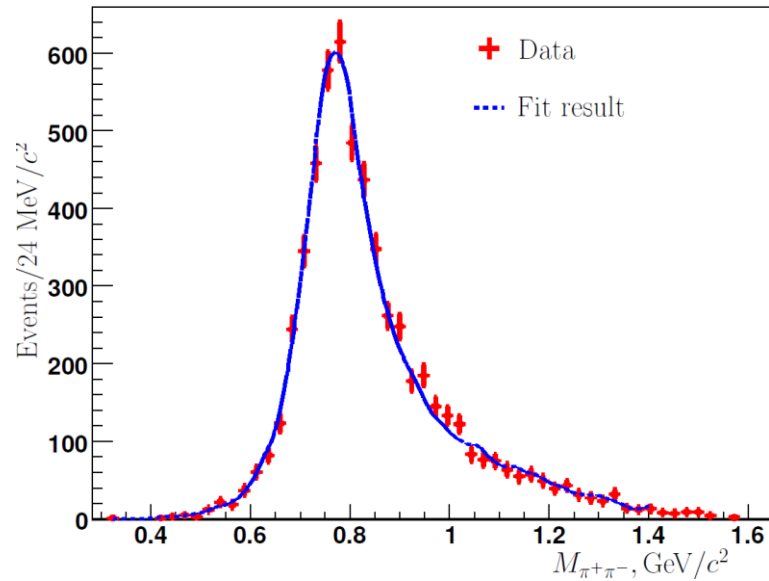


The experimental  $J/\psi \rightarrow 3\pi$  Dalitz plot.



The experimental distribution of events over the cosines  $\cos \theta(\pi^+\pi^0)$ ,  $\cos \theta(\pi^-\pi^0)$ ,  $\cos \theta(\pi^+\pi^-)$ .

# M(3 $\pi$ ) distributions analysis



In our analysis, we perform a binned simultaneous fit of the  $\pi^+\pi^-$ ,  $\pi^0\pi^+$  and  $\pi^0\pi^-$  invariant mass distributions  $\rho(750)$  and  $\rho'(1450)$  are included to the fit

The systematic uncertainty connected to the fit model were checked by inclusion of  $\rho'(1700)\pi$  and  $\omega\pi$  states to the fit

# $J/\Psi \rightarrow \rho\pi, \rho'\pi, -$ Results

$$\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \rho\pi) = (2.072 \pm 0.017 \pm 0.062) \times 10^{-2}$$

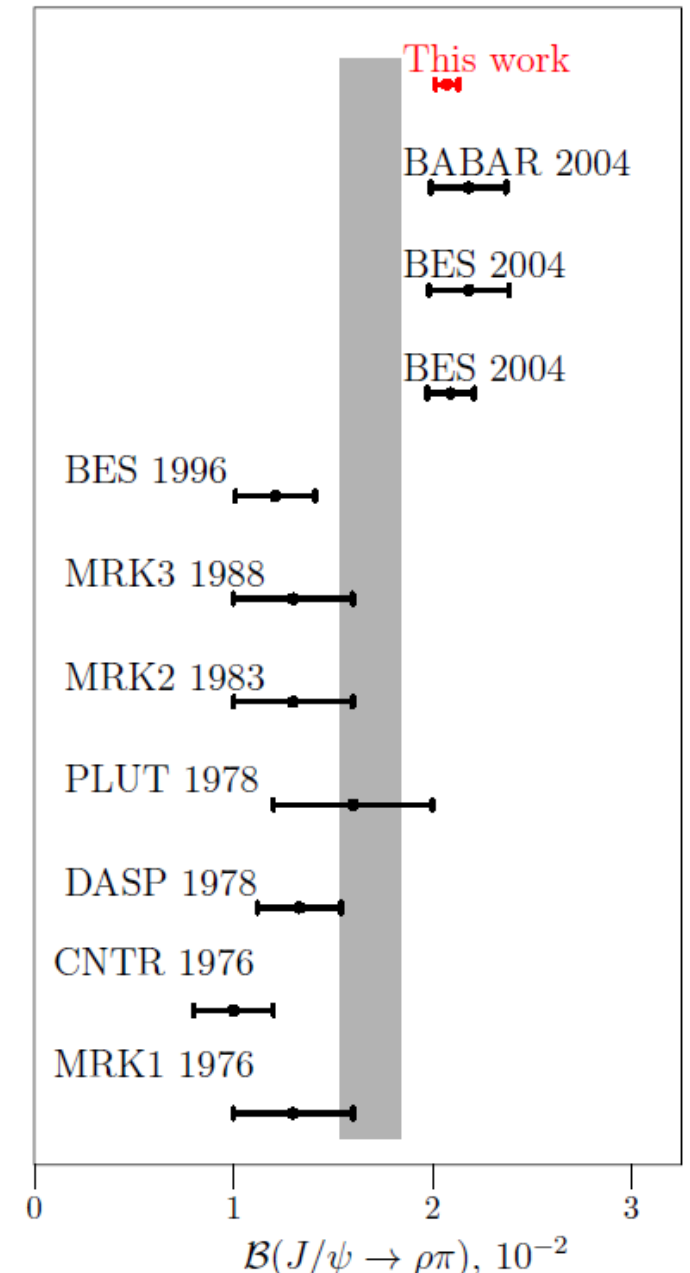
$$\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \rho'(1450)\pi) \times \mathcal{B}(\rho'(1450) \rightarrow \pi\pi) = (2.2 \pm 0.2 \pm 1.1) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0) = (1.878 \pm 0.013 \pm 0.051) \times 10^{-2}$$

Dominant systematic uncertainties in the  $\mathcal{B}(J/\psi \rightarrow \rho\pi)$ .

Source	Uncertainty, %
Fitting model	1.5
Fitting procedure	1.2
Number of $J/\psi$ decays	1.1
Detector response	0.8
Background	0.2
Selected criteria	1.8
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Sum in quadrature	3.0

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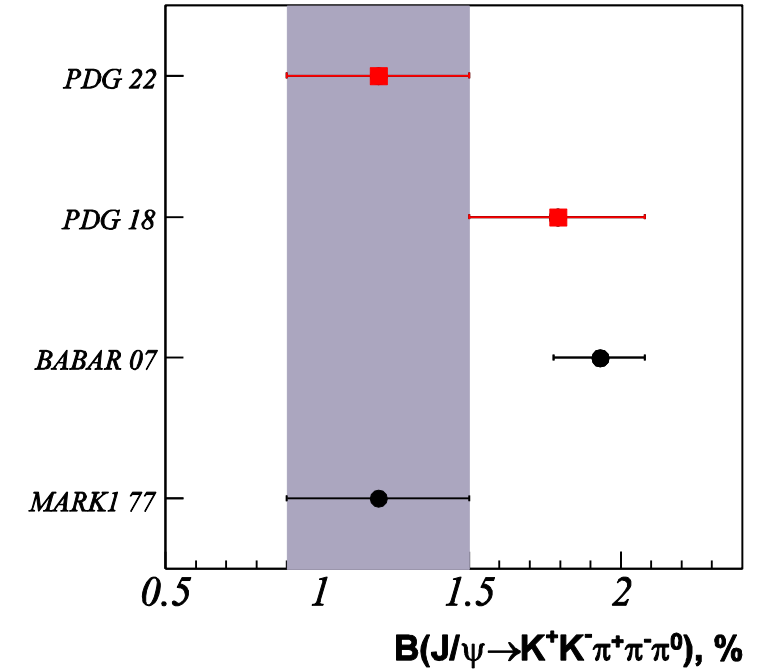
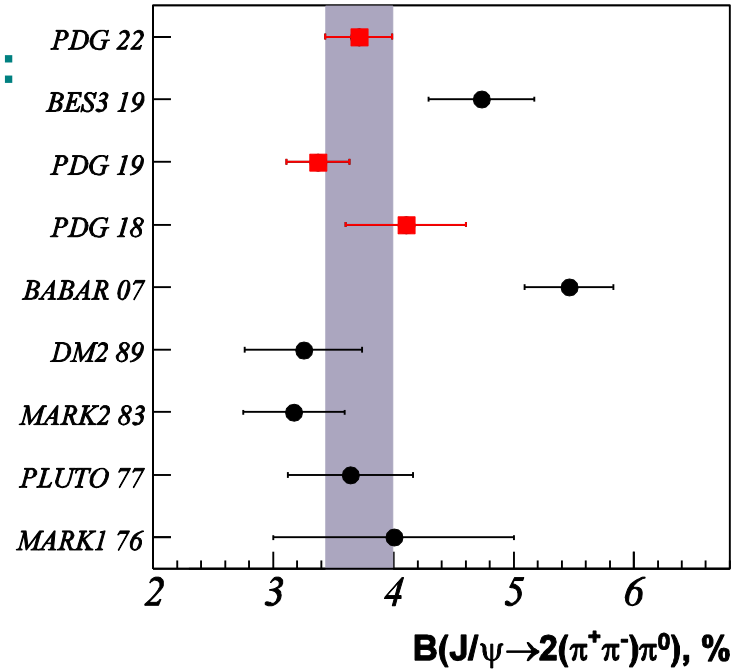


# $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0, K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0, 2(\pi^+\pi^-), K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$ - decays

## $J/\psi(1S)$ decay modes (PDG 2022) :

Decays into stable hadrons

$2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$(3.71 \pm 0.28)\%$
$3(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$(2.9 \pm 0.6)\%$
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$(1.9 \pm 0.9)\%$
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$(2.10 \pm 0.08)\%$
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0 K^+K^-$	$(1.20 \pm 0.30)\%$
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)3\pi^0$	$(6.2 \pm 0.9)\%$



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# KEDR data and selections

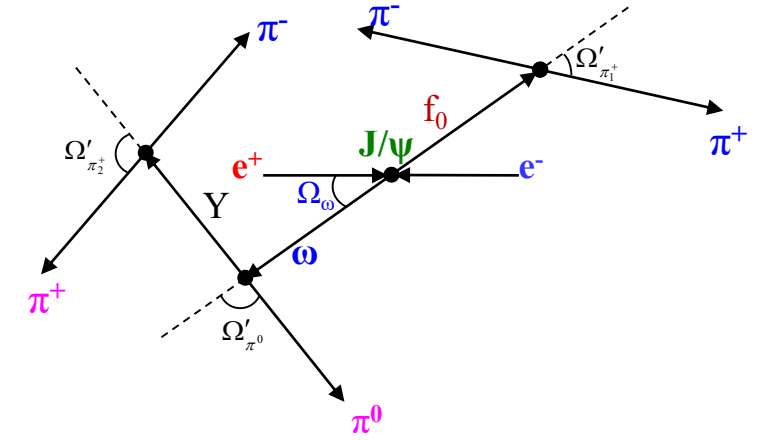
- Integrated luminosity at  $E_{\text{beam}}=1561.4$  MeV ( $J/\psi$  peak)  $L = 1.32 \pm 0.07$  pb<sup>-1</sup> and at  $E_{\text{beam}}=1550.5$  MeV (continuum)  $L = 82.3 \pm 4.1$  nb<sup>-1</sup> is collected
- Measured beam energy spread was used for calculation of the number of  $J/\psi$  produced :  $N_{\psi} = 5.1 \pm 0.3$  M
- For selection of the  $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$ ,  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ ,  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)$  or  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$  final states corresponding number of  $\pi^\pm$  and  $K^\pm$  originated from IP as well as  $\pi^0$  should be reconstructed. Any number of additional photons were allowed.
  - The  $\pi^\pm$  and  $K^\pm$  identification for the track momentum of  $P < 0.6$  GeV was performed by the barrel part of the time-of-flight system of scintillation counters (ToF) while at  $P > 0.6$  GeV a system of threshold Cherenkov counters (ATC) was used.
  - A cluster in liquid krypton (LKr) or CsI calorimeter with energy  $E_{cl} > 50$  MeV was considered a photon if it was not associated with reconstructed tracks in drift chamber.
  - A combination of two photons with a mass closer to the mass of  $\pi^0$  or  $\eta$  than double the mass resolution was considered as a  $\pi^0$  or  $\eta$  candidate.
- Kinematic fit:
  - $(4+n_1\pi^0+n_2\eta)C$  – fit : constrains on E, P,  $M(\pi^0)$ ,  $M(\eta)$
  - For signal events the condition  $\chi^2 < 50$  for  $5\pi$ ,  $2K3\pi$  and  $\chi^2 < 40$  for  $4\pi$ ,  $2K2\pi$  were applied

	$2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$
□ Selection efficiencies (MC), %:	8.47±0.13	2.88±0.05	17.7±0.20	7.18±0.15
□ Number of signal events selected:	22995	2616	2654	2671



# Measurement of $J/\psi \rightarrow 5\pi, 2K3\pi, 4\pi, 2K2\pi$

$$B_i / B_{mh} = \frac{N_i^{peak} - N_i^{cont} \cdot L/L_{cont}}{N_{mh}^{peak} - N_{mh}^{cont} \cdot L/L_{cont}} \frac{\epsilon_{mh}^{MC}}{\epsilon_i^{MC}} \frac{R_i^{MC}}{R_i^{exp}}$$



example:

$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega f_0 \rightarrow 2(\pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^0$  decay

## Angular and momentum distributions in $J/\psi$ decays:

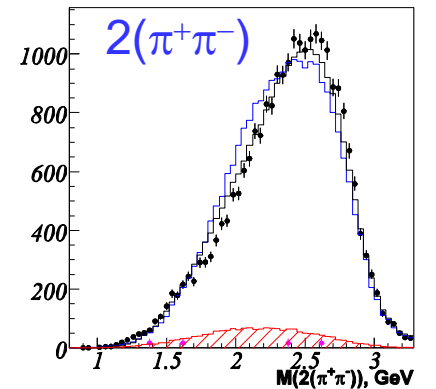
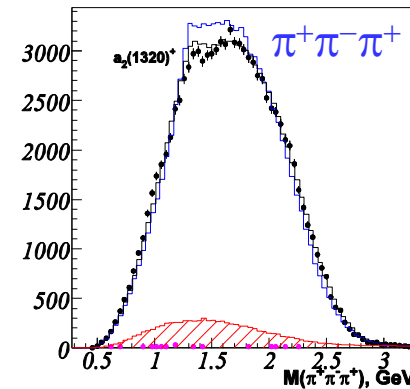
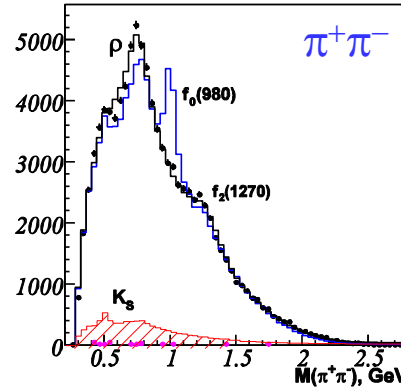
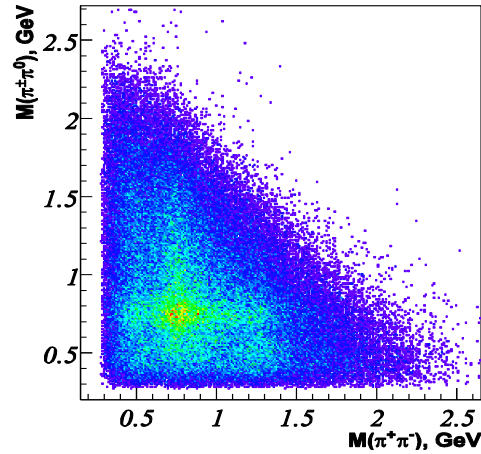
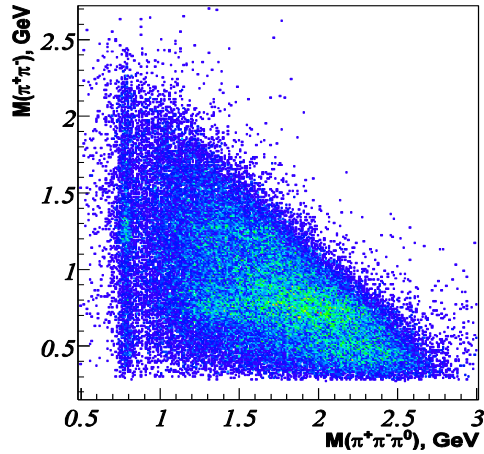
- **LundCharm** generator (based on Jetset 7.4), J.C. Chen et al., PRD V62, 034003
- **KsGenHamp** generator (helicity formalism), J.D. Richman, CALT-68-1148

- $B_i$  – branching fraction of  $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$  decay,
- $B_{mh} = (87.7 \pm 0.5)\%$  – branching fraction of  $J/\psi$  multihadron decays (PDG),
- $N_i^{peak}$  – number of selected signal events in  $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$  channel
- $N_i^{cont}$  – number of selected signal events in continuum
- $N_{mh}^{peak} = 4618k$  – number of selected multihadron events at the  $J/\psi$  peak,
- $N_{mh}^{cont} = 32.3k$  – number of selected multihadron events in the continuum,
- $L = 1.315 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  – integrated luminosity at the  $J/\psi$  peak,
- $L^{cont} = 82.3 \text{ nb}^{-1}$  – integrated luminosity in the continuum,
- $\epsilon_{mh}^{MC} = 0.938$  – selection efficiency of  $J/\psi$  multihadron decays (MC),
- $\epsilon_i^{MC}$  – selection efficiency of  $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$  decays (MC),
- $R_i^{exp}$  – fractions of signal events in candidate events for  $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$  decays,
- $R_i^{MC}$  – fractions of signal events in candidate events for  $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$  decays (MC).

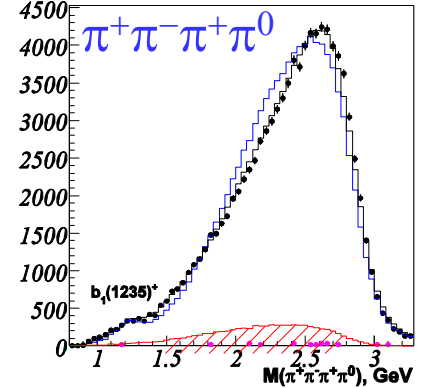
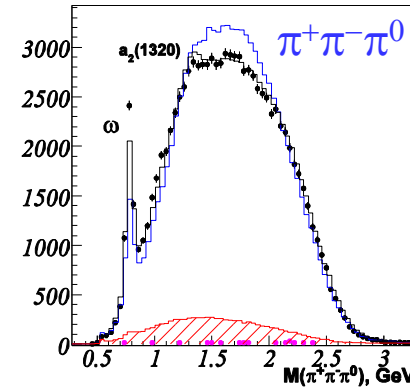
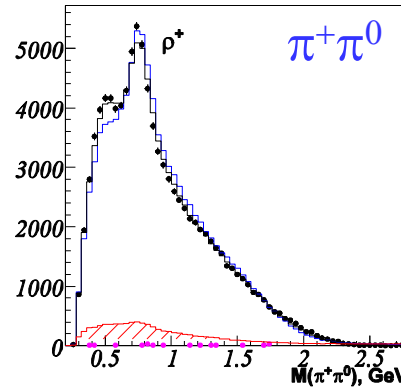
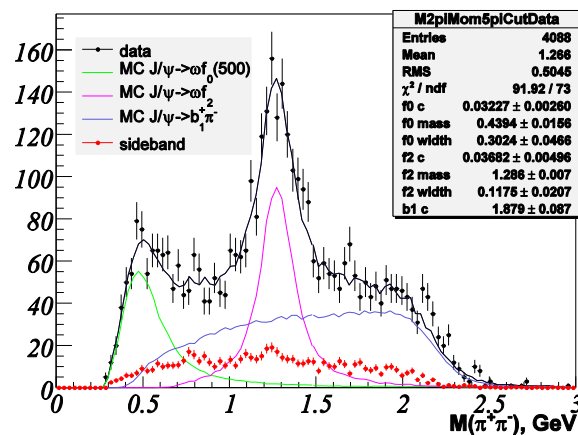
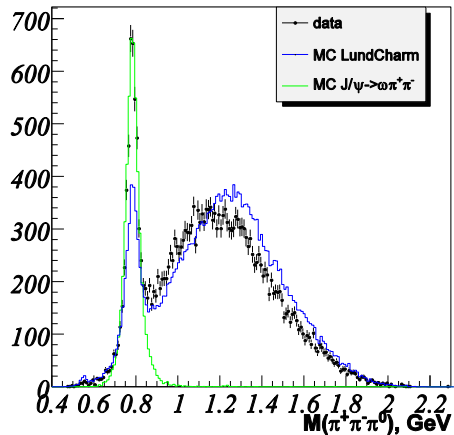
$$d\Gamma = \frac{(2\pi)^4}{2M_\psi} \frac{1}{2} \sum_{\lambda=\pm 1} |M_{fi}^\lambda|^2 d\Phi$$

$$d\Phi \propto \prod_i p'_i d\Omega'_i \prod_k dm_k \quad M_{fi}^\lambda = \sum_{\lambda_k} \prod_i \left( \frac{2J_i + 1}{4\pi} \right)^{1/2} D_{\lambda_i, \lambda_{i_1} - \lambda_{i_2}}^{J_i^*}(\Omega'_i) A_{\lambda_{i_1} \lambda_{i_2}}^i \quad A_{\lambda_1, \lambda_2} = \eta_0 \eta_1 \eta_2 (-1)^{J - S_1 - S_2} A_{-\lambda_1, -\lambda_2}$$

# $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi)\pi^0$ decay



Experimental mass distributions for selected  $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi)\pi^0$  events

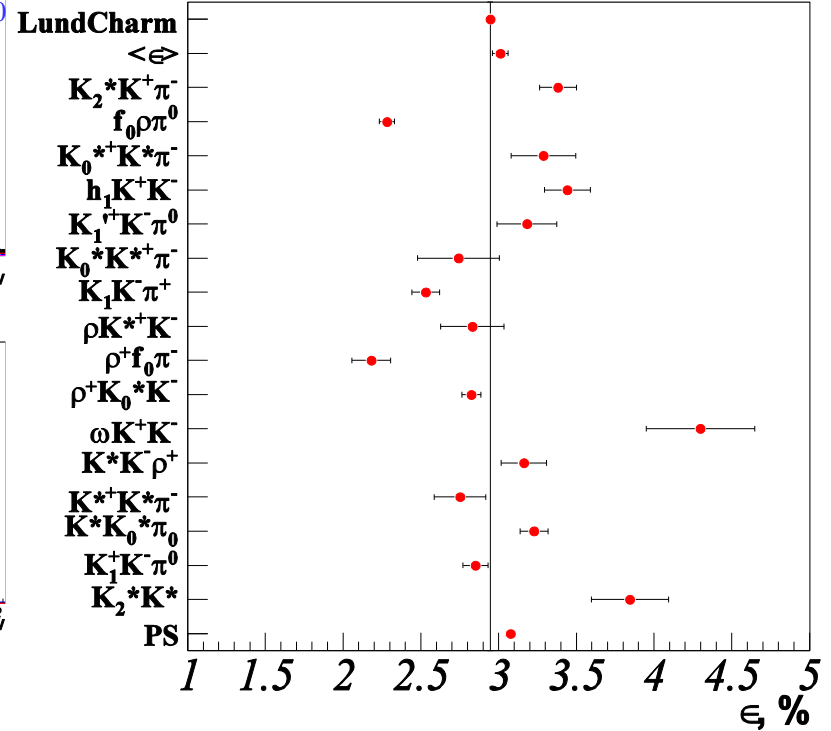
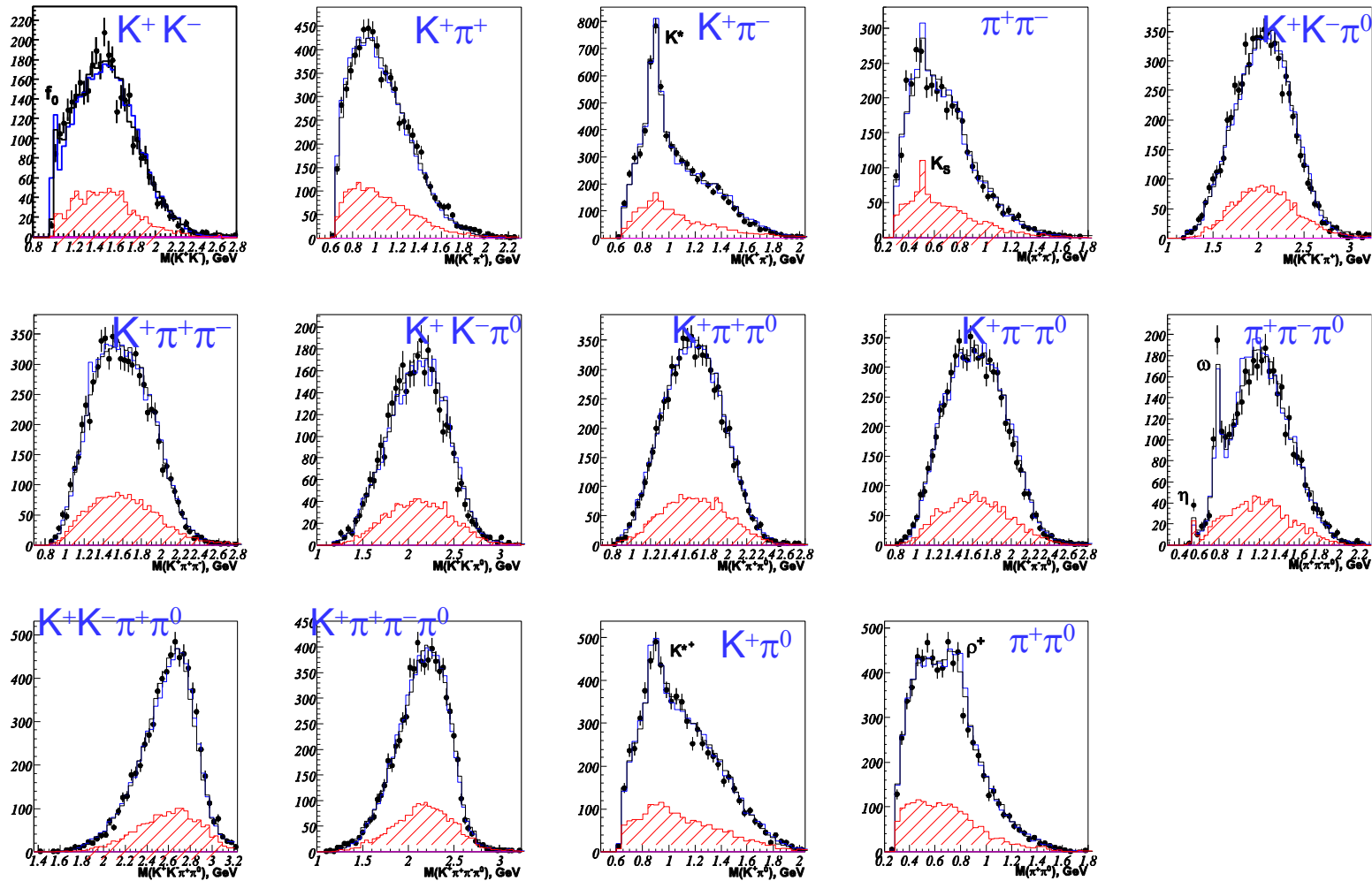


$M(\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$  distribution for selected  $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi)\pi^0$  events (combination with mass closest to  $\omega$  mass)

$M(\pi^+\pi)$  distribution for selected  $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega\pi^+\pi^- \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi)\pi^0$  events

Mass distributions for  $2(\pi^+\pi)\pi^0$  selected signal events:  
 + data, — MC with LundCharm generator, — MC with KsGenHamp generator, — background (non- $J/\psi \rightarrow 5\pi$  decays, LundCharm generator), + continuum events

# $J/\psi \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ decay

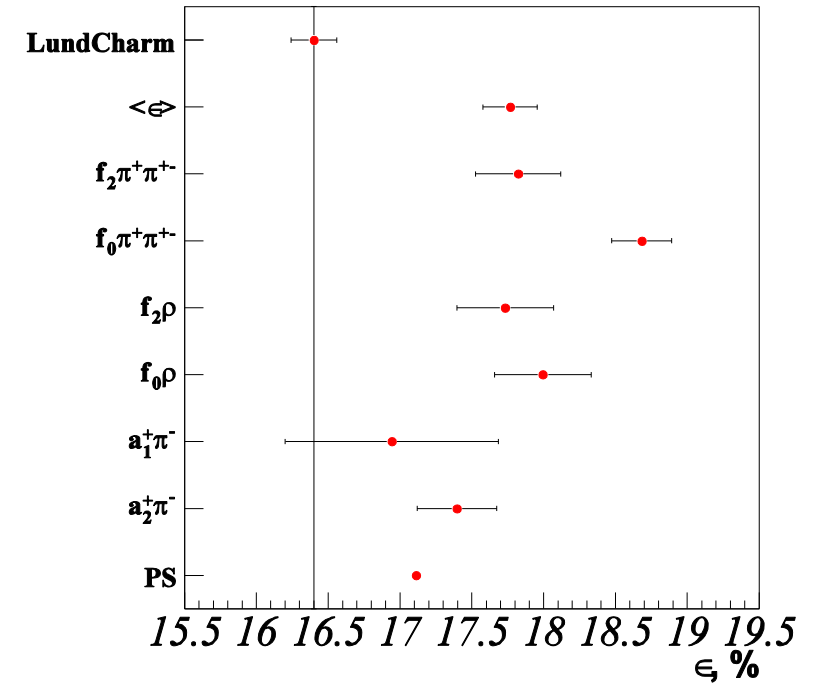
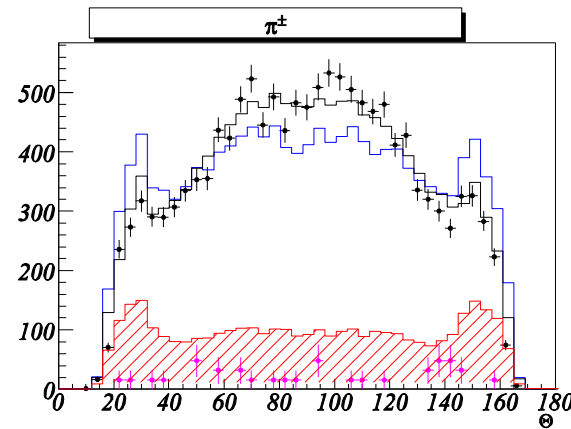
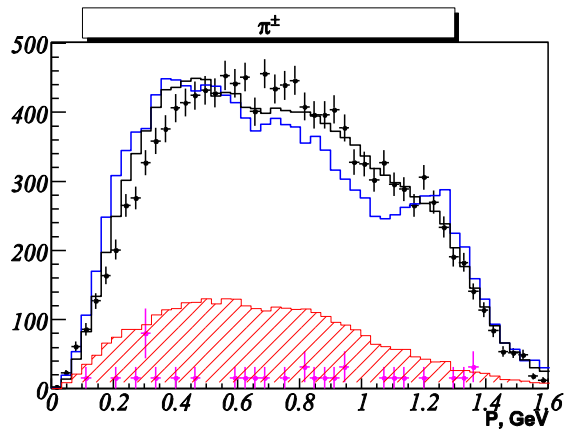
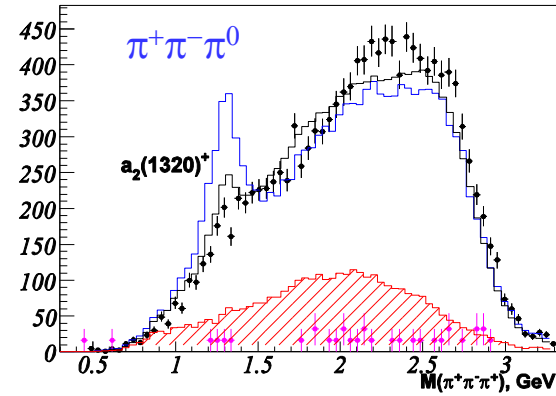
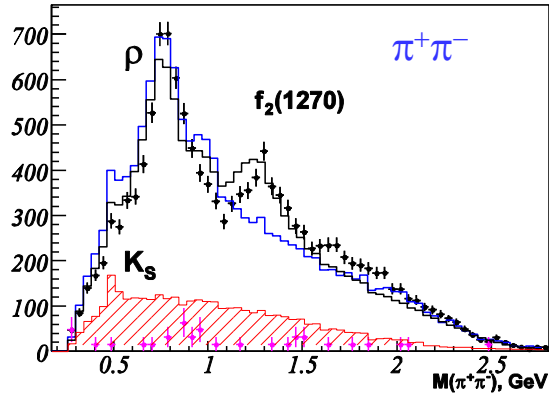


Selection efficiencies for  $J/\psi \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$  decays, MC with LundCharm and KsGenHamp generators

Mass distributions for  $K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$  selected signal events:  $\times$  data,  $-$  MC with LundCharm generator,  $-$  MC with KsGenHamp generator,  $-$  background (non- $J/\psi \rightarrow 2K3\pi$  decays, LundCharm generator),  $+$  continuum events

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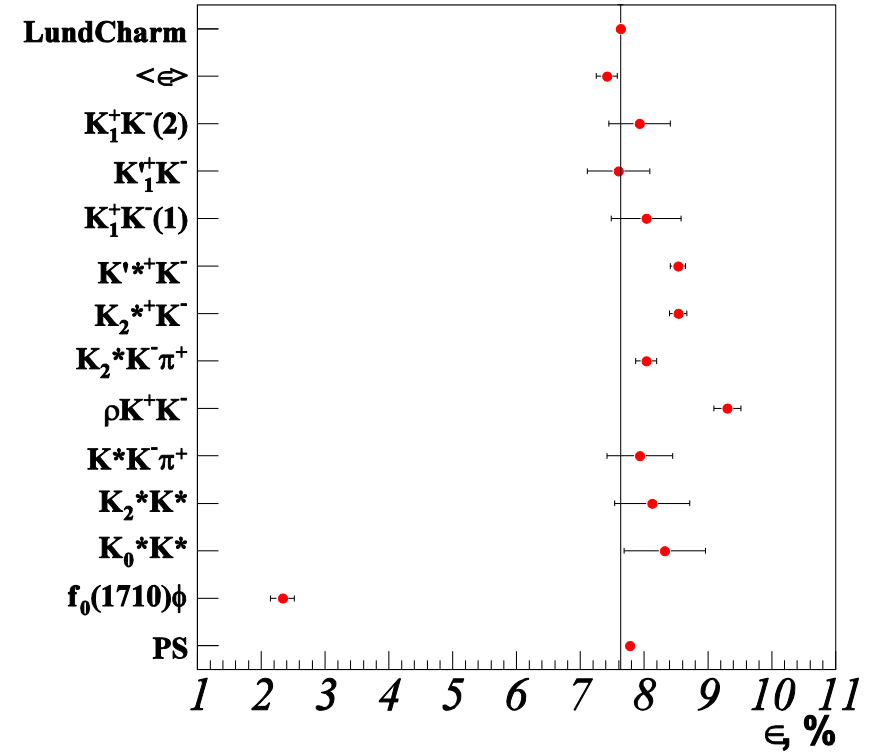
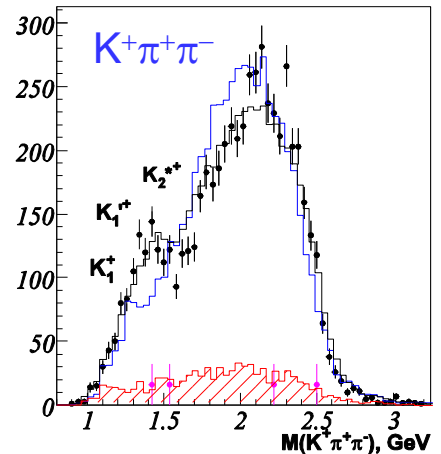
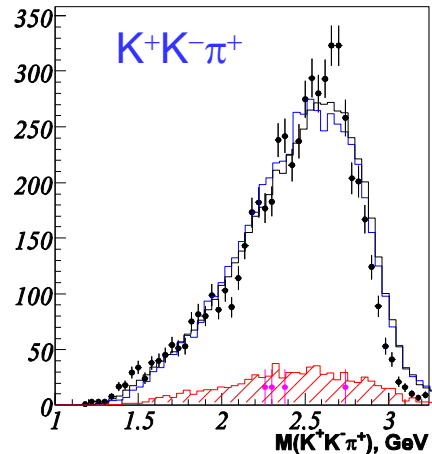
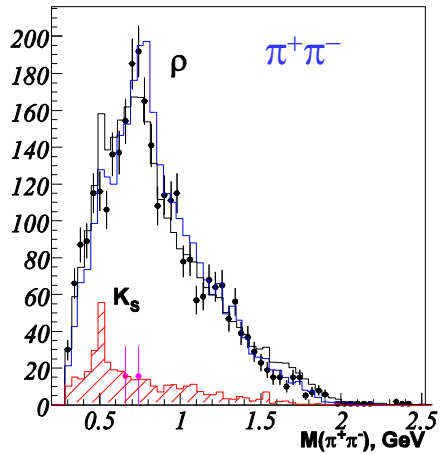
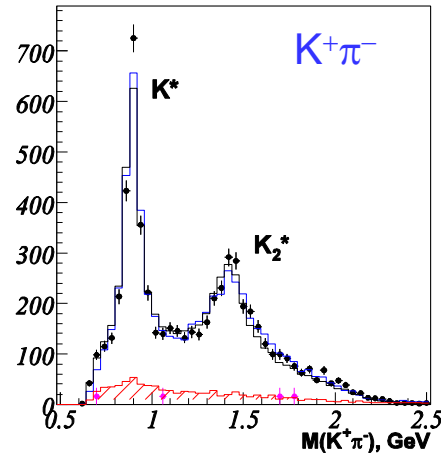
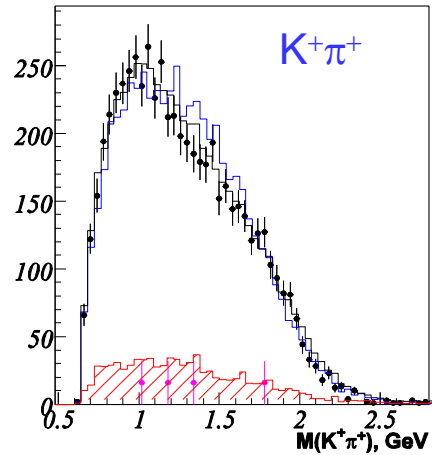
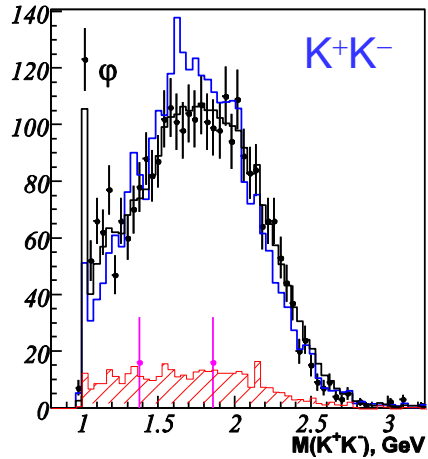
# $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)$ decay



Selection efficiencies for  $J/\psi \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)$  decays, MC with LundCharm and KsGenHamp generators

Mass, momentum and polar angle distributions for  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)$  selected signal events:  $\dagger$  data,  $-$  MC with LundCharm generator,  $-$  MC with KsGenHamp generator,  $-$  background (non- $J/\psi \rightarrow 4\pi$  decays, LundCharm generator),  $\dagger$  continuum events

# $J/\psi \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ decay



Selection efficiencies for  
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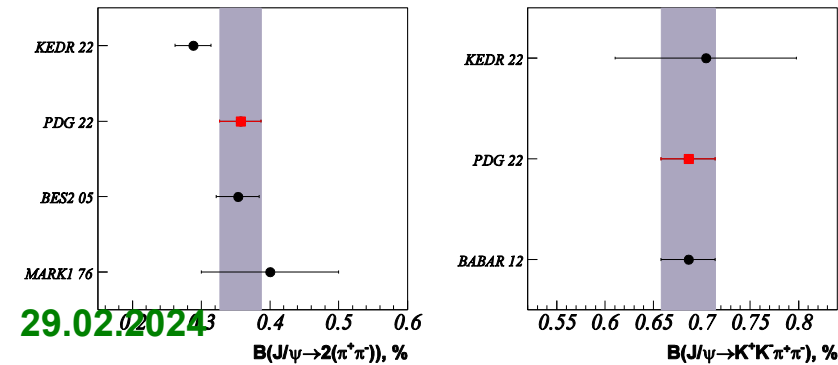
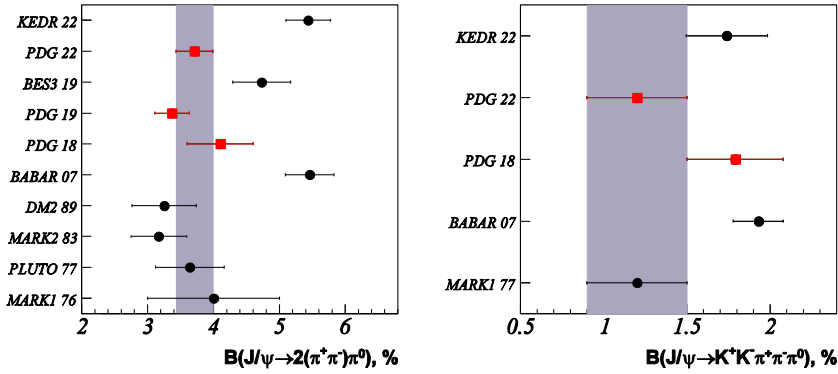
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# Systematic uncertainties and results

	$N_i^{\text{sig}}$	$\epsilon_i$ (MC KsGenHam p), %	$B_i$ , % (this work)
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	22995	$8.31 \pm 0.32$	$5.44 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.33$
$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	2616	$3.05 \pm 0.10$	$1.74 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.23$
$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	2654	$17.7 \pm 0.19$	$0.288 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.022$
$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	2671	$7.42 \pm 0.40$	$0.704 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.090$

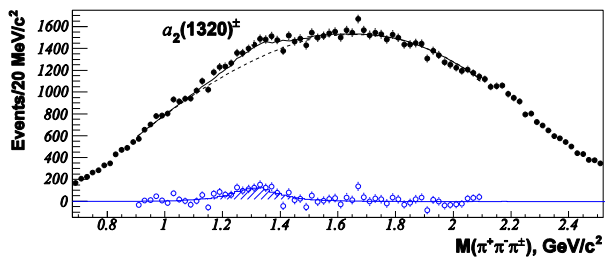
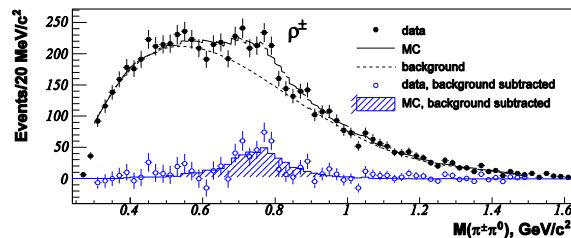
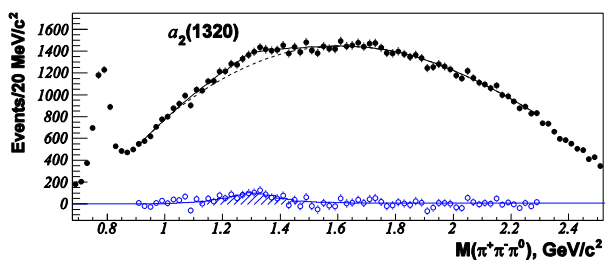
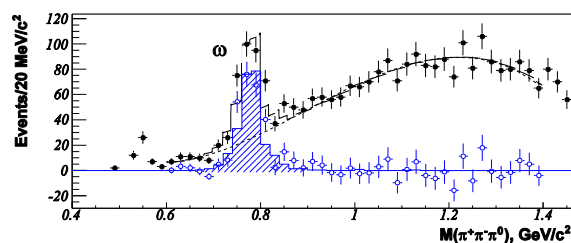
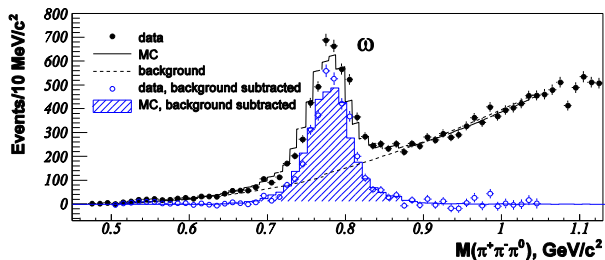
## Systematic uncertainties (percent) of measured branching fraction of the $J/\psi \rightarrow X_i$ decay:

	$2(\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)$	$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$2(\pi^+\pi^-)$	$K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$
$\chi^2$ distributions of the kinematic fits	1.0	3.9	3.6	2.9
track registration efficiency	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
$\pi^0$ registration efficiency	1.5	1.5	-	-
fake $\pi$	1.9	3.5	2.8	<1
$\pi \rightarrow K$ misidentification	2.1	1.1	2.1	1.1
$K \rightarrow \pi$ misidentification	<1	11	<1	10
fitting procedure (range, bin width)	<1	2.6	4.0	2.9
threshold on $\chi^2$ of the kinematic fit	<1	<1	<1	<1
trigger + selection cuts	<1	<1	<1	<1
nonresonant background subtraction	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
interference with the continuum	1.9	<1	3.3	1.5
helicity amplitudes of decay	1.6	1.9	1.1	2.2
modes branching fractions of decay modes	2.0	2.9	<1	4.9
interference between decay mode amplitudes	<1	<1	<1	<1
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>

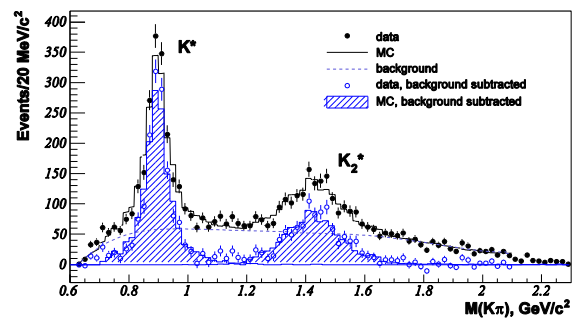


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# Decays of $J/\psi$ involving intermediate resonances



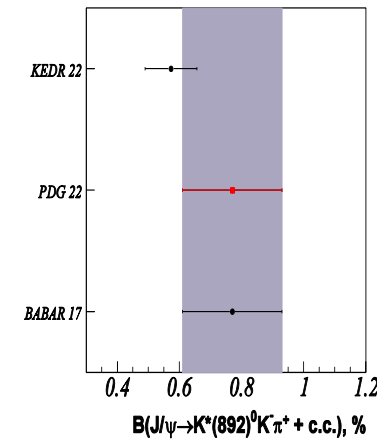
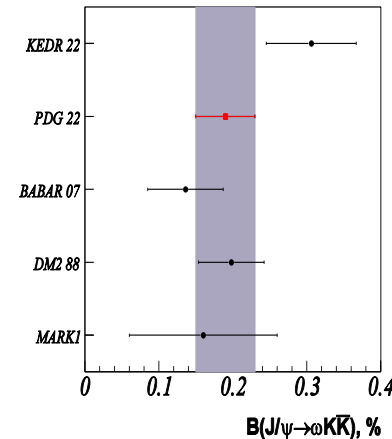
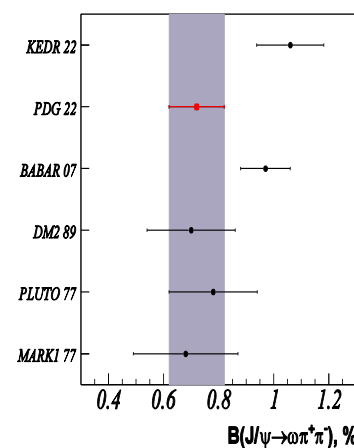
$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$  and  $\pi^\pm\pi^0$  mass distributions for  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$  signal events



$K^+\pi^-$  and  $K^-\pi^+$  mass distributions for  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$  signal events

Decay	$\epsilon_R^{MC}, \%$	$N_R^{peak}$	$B_R, \%$ (this work)
$J/\psi \rightarrow a_2(1320)^0 \pi^+\pi^- \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$9.12 \pm 0.29$	$1317 \pm 36 \pm 265$	$0.284 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.060$
$J/\psi \rightarrow a_2(1320)^+ \pi^-\pi^0 + \text{c.c.} \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$8.71 \pm 0.56$	$1628 \pm 40 \pm 247$	$0.367 \pm 0.009 \pm 0.073$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega \pi^+\pi^- \rightarrow 2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$	$7.34 \pm 0.27$	$3531 \pm 59 \pm 212$	$0.946 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.108$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega \pi^+\pi^-$			$1.06 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.12$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega K^+K^- \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$4.11 \pm 0.42$	$276 \pm 17 \pm 17$	$0.136 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.026$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \omega K^+K^-$			$0.153 \pm 0.009 \pm 0.029$
$J/\psi \rightarrow \rho^+ K^+K^-\pi + \text{c.c.} \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$	$2.79 \pm 0.063$	$485 \pm 22 \pm 94$	$0.353 \pm 0.016 \pm 0.081$
$J/\psi \rightarrow K^*(892)^0 K^-\pi^+ + \text{c.c.} \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$8.00 \pm 0.39$	$1559 \pm 39 \pm 17$	$0.381 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.054$
$J/\psi \rightarrow K^*(892)^0 K^-\pi^+ + \text{c.c.}$			$0.573 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.082$
$J/\psi \rightarrow K_2^*(1430)^0 K^-\pi^+ + \text{c.c.} \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$8.06 \pm 0.23$	$1094 \pm 33 \pm 90$	$0.265 \pm 0.080 \pm 0.044$

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$  and  $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^\pm$  mass distributions for  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$  signal events (all combinations per event are shown)



# Conclusion

Branching fractions of the  $J/\Psi \rightarrow \rho\pi$ ,  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$ ,  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)\pi^0$ ,  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ ,  $2(\pi^+\pi^-)$ ,  $K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$  decays were measured with high precision by the KEDR collaboration at VEPP-4M  $e^+e^-$  collider