# Hadronic effects on exotic hadron production in heavy ion collisions

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- The X(3872) meson
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# Introduction

## - Relativistic heavy ion collisions





# - Observation of the antimatter hypernucleus and the antimatter helium-4 nucleus



B. Abelev et al. [The STAR Collaboration], Science, **328**, 58 (2010) H. Agakachiev et al. [The STAR Collaboration], Nature, **473**, 353 (2011)

## - Search for the H-Dibaryon





Thermal model prediction is  $dN/dy=3.1x10^{-3} \rightarrow$  thermal model would need to be wrong by a factor ~10

Benjamin Donigus, [ALICE Collaboration], Quark Matter 2012 presentation

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# **Production yields**

# - Statistical model

P. Braun-Munzinger, J. Stachel, J. P. Wessels, N. Xu, Phys. Lett. B344, 43 (1995)

 In a chemically and thermally equilibrated system of noninteracting hadrons and resonances, the particle production yield is given by

$$N_{i} = V_{H} \frac{g_{i}}{2\pi^{2}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{p^{2} dp}{\gamma_{i}^{-1} e^{E_{i}/T_{H}} \pm 1} \qquad E_{i} = \sqrt{m_{i}^{2} + p_{i}^{2}}$$
$$\gamma = \gamma_{c}^{n_{c} + n_{\bar{c}}} e^{\left[\mu_{B} n_{B} + \mu_{s} n_{s}\right]}$$

2) The hadronization temperature and the chemical potential are determined from the experimental data

### 3) Particle yields ratio at SPS and RHIC



P. Braun-Munzinger, I. Heppe, and J. Stachel, Phys. Lett. B465, 15 (1999)

P. Braun-Munzinger, D. Magestro, K. Redlich, and J. Stachel, Phys. Lett. B518, 42 (2001)

T=168 MeV and  $\mu_B = 266$  MeV at  $\sqrt{s} = 17.3$  GeV, the SPS T=174 MeV and  $\mu_B = 46$  MeV at  $\sqrt{s} = 130$  GeV, RHIC T=177 MeV and  $\mu_B = 29$  MeV at  $\sqrt{s} = 200$  GeV, RHIC



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#### 4) Particle yields ratio at LHC



A. Andronic, P. Braun-Munzinger, K. Redlich, and J. Stachel, arXiv:1210.7724

5) A scenario for charm quark hadron production

P. Braun-Munzinger and J. Stachel, Phys. Lett. **B490**, 196 (2000)

- i. The charmonia are heavy with their masses much larger than any conceivable temperature : not of thermal origin
- ii. All  $c\bar{c}$  pairs are produced in direct, hard collisions. On the other hand, hadron production <J/ψ>/N<sub>part</sub> 0.4 of charmed mesons and baryons, proceeds through 0.3 a state of chemical equilibrium near or at the 0.2 phase boundary between hadron matter and quarkdirect production 0.1 thermal hadronization gluon plasma -5 thermal charm production x 10

0

50



450

400

350

### - Coalescence model



H. Sato and K. Yazaki, Phys. Lett. B **98**, 153 (1981) Carl B. Dover, Ulrich. Heinz, Ekkard Schnedermann, Jozsef Zimanni, Phys. Rev. C **44**, 1636 (1991)

1) Yields of hadrons with n constituents

$$N^{Coal} = g \int \left[ \prod_{i=1}^{n} \frac{1}{g_i} \frac{p_i \cdot d\sigma_i}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d^3 p_i}{E_i} f(x_i, p_i) \right] f^W(x_1, \dots, x_n : p_1, \dots, p_n)$$

describe the dynamic process of converting constituents to a bound state in the presence of a partonic matter

$$f^{W}(x_{1}, \dots, x_{n} : p_{1}, \dots, p_{n}) = \int \prod_{i=1}^{n} dy_{i} e^{p_{i}y_{i}} \psi^{*}\left(x_{1} + \frac{y_{1}}{2}, \dots, x_{n} + \frac{y_{n}}{2}\right) \psi\left(x_{1} - \frac{y_{1}}{2}, \dots, x_{n} - \frac{y_{n}}{2}\right)$$

: Wigner function, the coalescence probability function

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### 2) The puzzle in antiproton/pion ratio



- V. Greco, C. M. Ko, and P. Levai, Phys. Rev. Lett. 90, 202302 (2003)
- R. J. Freis. B. Muller, C. Nonaka, and S. Bass, Phys. Rev. Lett. 90, 202303 (2003)
- i. There must be a competition between two particle production mechanisms
- : A fragmentation dominates at large transverse momenta and a coalescence prevails at lower transverse momenta



### ii. Recent results at LHC









Intermediate  $p_T$ : 3-7 GeV/*c*, enhancement of the baryon to meson ratio. Qualitatively comparable to RHIC results but maximum is shifted.

14th August 2012

Results on identified particle spectra from ALICE - M. Ivanov (GSI)

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Marian Ivanov, [ALICE Collaboration] Quark Matter 2012 presentation

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 $p_{\perp}$  [GeV]

### 3) Quark number scaling of the elliptic flow

Denes Molnar and Sergei A. Voloshin, Phys. Rev. Lett 91, 092301 (2003)

$$v_2(p_T) = \left\langle \cos 2\varphi \right\rangle_{p_T} = \frac{\int d\varphi \cos 2\varphi \frac{d^2 N}{dp_T^2}}{\int d\varphi \frac{d^2 N}{dp_T^2}}$$

i. Assumption : partons have elliptical anisotropy

$$\frac{dN_{q}}{p_{T}dp_{T}d\varphi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{dN_{q}}{p_{T}dp_{T}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 + 2v_{2,q}(p_{T})\cos(2\varphi) \end{bmatrix} \stackrel{0.2}{}_{0.15}$$
ii. Coalescence model predicts 0.1  
 $v_{2,h}(p_{T}) \approx nv_{2,q}\left(\frac{1}{n}p_{T}\right)$ 
0.05  
0 1 2 3 4 5 6

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### iii. Recent results



#### PH<sup>\*</sup>ENIX V<sub>2</sub> of identified hadrons in 200 GeV AuAu



- In 0-20% central Au + Au collisions at 200 GeV, the v<sub>2</sub> proton is higher than that of pion still p<sub>T</sub> of 6 GeV/c. While in 20-60% centrality, they approach each other.
- A break of n<sub>q</sub> scaling is observed in 20-60% centrality at KE<sub>T</sub> > 0.7 GeV. But in the 0-20% centrality, this break is still roughly held.
- It indicates the mechanisms for pion and proton production are different at intermediate p<sub>T</sub> for different centralities

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Shengi Huang, [PHENIX Collaboration] Quark Matter 2012 presentation





S. Cho et al. [ExHIC Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. **106**, 212001 (2011) S. Cho et al. [ExHIC Collaboration], Phys. Rev. C **84**, 064910 (2011)

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(ExHIC Collaboration)

1) To estimate the possibility of observing predicted exotics with/without heavy quarks in heavy ion collision experiment

2) To find a possible solution to a problem of identifying hadronic molecular states and/or hadrons with multiquark components

### - Exotic hadrons discussed



Particle	m (MeV)	8	Ι	$J^{P}$	2q/3q/6q	4q/5q/8q	Mol.	$\omega_{\mathrm{Mol.}}$ (MeV)	Decay mode
Mesons									
$f_0(980)$	980	1	0	$0^{+}$	$q\bar{q}, s\bar{s}(L=1)$	$q\bar{q}s\bar{s}$	ĒΚ	67.8(B)	$\pi\pi$ (Strong decay)
$a_0(980)$	980	3	1	$0^{+}$	$q\bar{q}(L=1)$	$q\bar{q}s\bar{s}$	$\bar{K}K$	67.8(B)	$\eta\pi$ (Strong decay)
K(1460)	1460	2	1/2	0-	$q\bar{s}$	$q\bar{q}q\bar{s}$	$\bar{K}KK$	69.0(R)	$K\pi\pi$ (Strong decay)
$D_s(2317)$	2317	1	0	$0^{+}$	$c\bar{s}(L=1)$	$q\bar{q}c\bar{s}$	DK	273(B)	$D_s\pi$ (Strong decay)
$T_{cc}^{1 a}$	3797	3	0	1+	_	$qq\bar{c}\bar{c}$	$\bar{D}\bar{D}^*$	476(B)	$K^{+}\pi^{-} + K^{+}\pi^{-} + \pi^{-}$
X(3872)	3872	3	0	$1^+, 2^{-c}$	$c\bar{c}(L=2)$	$q\bar{q}c\bar{c}$	$\bar{D}D^*$	3.6(B)	$J/\psi\pi\pi$ (Strong decay)
$Z^{+}(4430)^{b}$	4430	3	1	0 <sup>-c</sup>	—	$q\bar{q}c\bar{c}(L=1)$	$D_1 \bar{D}^*$	13.5(B)	$J/\psi\pi$ (Strong decay)
$T_{cb}^{0 a}$	7123	1	0	$0^{+}$	—	$qq\bar{c}\bar{b}$	$\bar{D}B$	128(B)	$K^+\pi^- + K^+\pi^-$
Baryons									
Λ(1405)	1405	2	0	$1/2^{-}$	qqs(L=1)	$qqqsar{q}$	$\bar{K}N$	20.5(R)-174(B)	$\pi \Sigma$ (Strong decay)
Θ <sup>+</sup> (1530) <sup>b</sup>	1530	2	0	$1/2^{+c}$	—	$qqqq\bar{s}(L=1)$	_	—	KN (Strong decay)
$\bar{K}KN^{a}$	1920	4	1/2	$1/2^{+}$	_	$qqqs\bar{s}(L=1)$	$\bar{K}KN$	42(R)	$K\pi\Sigma, \pi\eta N$ (Strong decay)
$ar{D}N^{ extsf{a}}$	2790	2	0	$1/2^{-}$	_	$qqqq\bar{c}$	$\bar{D}N$	6.48(R)	$K^+\pi^-\pi^- + p$
$ar{D}^*N^{\mathrm{a}}$	2919	4	0	$3/2^{-}$	—	$qqqq\bar{c}(L=2)$	$\bar{D}^*N$	6.48(R)	$\overline{D} + N$ (Strong decay)
$\Theta_{cs}^{\mathbf{a}}$	2980	4	1/2	$1/2^{+}$	—	$qqqs\bar{c}(L=1)$	_	—	$\Lambda + K^+\pi^-$
$BN^{a}$	6200	2	0	$1/2^{-}$	_	$qqqq\bar{b}$	BN	25.4(R)	$K^{+}\pi^{-}\pi^{-} + \pi^{+} + p$
$B^*N^a$	6226	4	0	$3/2^{-}$	_	$qqqq\bar{b}(L=2)$	$B^*N$	25.4(R)	B + N (Strong decay)
Dibaryons									
$H^{a}$	2245	1	0	$0^{+}$	qqqqss	_	$\Xi N$	73.2(B)	$\Lambda\Lambda$ (Strong decay)
$\bar{K}NN^{b}$	2352	2	1/2	0 <sup>-c</sup>	qqqqqs(L=1)	qqqqqq sq	$\bar{K}NN$	20.5(T)-174(T)	$\Lambda N$ (Strong decay)
$\Omega\Omega^{a}$	3228	1	0	$0^{+}$	\$\$\$\$\$\$	_	$\Omega\Omega$	98.8(R)	$\Lambda K^- + \Lambda K^-$
$H_c^{++a}$	3377	3	1	$0^{+}$	qqqqsc	_	$\Xi_c N$	187(B)	$\Lambda K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ + p$
$\bar{D}NN^{a}$	3734	2	1/2	0-	_	$qqqqqqq\bar{c}$	$\bar{D}NN$	6.48(T)	$K^{+}\pi^{-} + d, K^{+}\pi^{-}\pi^{-} + p + p$
BNN <sup>a</sup>	7147	2	1/2	0-	—	qqqqqqqb	BNN	25.4(T)	$K^+\pi^- + d, K^+\pi^- + p + p$

<sup>a</sup>Particles that are newly predicted by theoretical models.

<sup>b</sup>Particles that are not yet established.

<sup>c</sup>Undetermined quantum numbers of existing particles.



# - Estimated exotic hadron yields

	RHIC				LHC			
	2q/3q/6q	4q/5q/8q	Mol.	Stat.	2q/3q/6q	4q/5q/8q	Mol.	Stat.
Mesons								
$f_0(980)$	$3.8, 0.73(s\bar{s})$	0.10	13	5.6	$10, 2.0 (s\bar{s})$	0.28	36	15
$a_0(980)$	11	0.31	40	17	31	0.83	$1.1 \times 10^{2}$	46
K(1460)	_	0.59	3.6	1.3	_	1.6	9.3	3.2
$D_s(2317)$	$1.3 \times 10^{-2}$	$2.1 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.6  imes 10^{-2}$	$5.6 \times 10^{-2}$	$8.7  imes 10^{-2}$	$1.4 \times 10^{-2}$	0.10	0.35
$T_{cc}^{1 a}$	_	$4.0  imes 10^{-5}$	$2.4 \times 10^{-5}$	$4.3  imes 10^{-4}$	_	$6.6  imes 10^{-4}$	$4.1 \times 10^{-4}$	$7.1  imes 10^{-3}$
X(3872)	$1.0  imes 10^{-4}$	$4.0 \times 10^{-5}$	$7.8  imes 10^{-4}$	$2.9  imes 10^{-4}$	$1.7 \times 10^{-3}$	$6.6  imes 10^{-4}$	$1.3 \times 10^{-2}$	$4.7 \times 10^{-3}$
$Z^{+}(4430)^{b}$	_	$1.3 \times 10^{-5}$	$2.0  imes 10^{-5}$	$1.4 \times 10^{-5}$	_	$2.1  imes 10^{-4}$	$3.4 \times 10^{-4}$	$2.4  imes 10^{-4}$
$T_{cb}^{0 a}$		$6.1 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.8  imes 10^{-7}$	$6.9 \times 10^{-7}$		$6.1  imes 10^{-6}$	$1.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$6.8  imes 10^{-5}$
Baryons								
Λ(1405)	0.81	0.11	1.8-8.3	1.7	2.2	0.29	4.7-21	4.2
$\Theta^{+b}$	_	$2.9  imes 10^{-2}$		1.0		$7.8  imes 10^{-2}$	_	2.3
$\bar{K}KN^{a}$	_	$1.9 \times 10^{-2}$	1.7	0.28		$5.2 \times 10^{-2}$	4.2	0.67
$ar{D}N^{ extsf{a}}$	_	$2.9 \times 10^{-3}$	$4.6 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.0  imes 10^{-2}$		$2.0  imes 10^{-2}$	0.28	$6.1  imes 10^{-2}$
$ar{D}^*N^{\mathrm{a}}$		$7.1  imes 10^{-4}$	$4.5 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.0  imes 10^{-2}$		$4.7 \times 10^{-3}$	0.27	$6.2  imes 10^{-2}$
$\Theta_{cs}^{\mathbf{a}}$	—	$5.9  imes 10^{-4}$	_	$7.2 \times 10^{-3}$	_	$3.9 \times 10^{-3}$	_	$4.5  imes 10^{-2}$
$BN^{a}$	—	$1.9 \times 10^{-5}$	$8.0 imes10^{-5}$	$3.9 \times 10^{-5}$	_	$7.7  imes 10^{-4}$	$2.8 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.4 \times 10^{-3}$
$B^*N^a$	_	$5.3 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.2  imes 10^{-4}$	$6.6  imes 10^{-5}$		$2.1  imes 10^{-4}$	$4.4 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.4  imes 10^{-3}$
Dibaryons								
H <sup>a</sup>	$3.0 \times 10^{-3}$	—	$1.6  imes 10^{-2}$	$1.3  imes 10^{-2}$	$8.2  imes 10^{-3}$	_	$3.8 \times 10^{-2}$	$3.2  imes 10^{-2}$
$\bar{K}NN^{b}$	$5.0  imes 10^{-3}$	$5.1  imes 10^{-4}$	0.011-0.24	$1.6  imes 10^{-2}$	$1.3  imes 10^{-2}$	$1.4  imes 10^{-3}$	0.026 - 0.54	$3.7  imes 10^{-2}$

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Production Yields of hadrons strongly depend on their structure!!

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# Hadronic interactions

- J/ψ suppression and Debye screening T. Matsui and H. Satz, Phys. Lett. **B178** 416 (1986)
- 1) At  $T > T_c$  color charges are Debye screened in QGP Compared to the Bohr radius  $r_B$ , the Debye screening prevents the formation of the bound states when  $r_B > \lambda_D$   $\lambda_D = \frac{1}{gT\sqrt{\frac{N_c}{3} + \frac{N_f}{6}}}$

### 2) Possibilities of $J/\psi$ absorption by hadronic interactions

Next we will address the question of alternative suppression mechanisms. It is possible that not only plasma formation, but also some type of nuclear absorption would prevent the  $J/\psi$  signal from appearing in nuclear collisions?

 $J/\psi$ -nucleon cross section is only about 1-3 mb, compared to the 40 mb for pp interactions. Incidentaly, this much reduced strong interaction of the  $J/\psi$  has led to some models [13] proposing the use of  $J/\psi$ 's as primordial plasma signal. Our considerations, on the contrary, exclude primordial  $J/\psi$  formation in a deconfining medium.



# - Time evolution of quark-gluon plasma



J. D. Bjorken, Phys. Rev. D 27, 140 (1983)

- 1) Collision
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- Dynamics of relativistic heavy ion collisions

$$T(\tau) = T_{C} - (T_{H} - T_{F}) \left(\frac{\tau - \tau_{H}}{\tau_{F} - \tau_{H}}\right)^{4/5}$$
$$V(\tau) = \pi \left[ R_{C} + v_{C} (\tau - \tau_{C}) + a / 2(\tau - \tau_{C})^{2} \right]^{2} \tau C$$

L. W. Chen, C. M. Ko, W. Liu, and M. Nielson, Phys. Rev. C 76, 014906 (2007)



# - Hadronic interactions



1) A perturbative approach at the quark level

- D. Kharzeev and H. Satz, Phys. Lett. B 334, 155 (1994)
- 2) A meson exchange model with an effective Lagrangian

Sergei G. Matinyan and Berndt Muller, Phys. Rev. C 58, 2994 (1998)
Kelvin L. Haglin, Phys. Rev. C 61, 031902(R) (2000)
Ziwei Lin and C. M. Ko, Phys. Rev. C 62, 034903 (2000)
L. W. Chen, C. M. Ko, W. Liu, and M. Nielsen, Phys. Rev. C 76, 014906 (2007)





#### i. The interaction Lagrangians from the pseudoscalar and vect YONSEI mesons free Lagrangians

$$\mathcal{L}_0 = \mathrm{Tr}(\partial_{\mu} P^{\dagger} \partial^{\mu} P) - \frac{1}{2} \mathrm{Tr}(F^{\dagger}_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu}),$$



$$\begin{split} \mathcal{L}_{\pi D D^*} &= ig_{\pi D D^*} D^{*\mu} \vec{\tau} \cdot (\overline{D} \partial_{\mu} \vec{\pi} - \partial_{\mu} \overline{D} \vec{\pi}) + \text{H.c.}, \quad \mathcal{L}_{\rho D D} &= ig_{\rho D D} (D \vec{\tau} \partial_{\mu} \overline{D} - \partial_{\mu} D \vec{\tau} \overline{D}) \cdot \vec{\rho}^{\mu}, \\ \mathcal{L}_{\psi D D} &= ig_{\psi D D} \psi^{\mu} (D \partial_{\mu} \overline{D} - \partial_{\mu} D \overline{D}), \qquad \mathcal{L}_{\rho D^* D^*} &= ig_{\rho D^* D^*} [(\partial_{\mu} D^{*\nu} \vec{\tau} \overline{D}_{\nu}^* - D^{*\nu} \vec{\tau} \partial_{\mu} \overline{D}_{\nu}^*) \cdot \vec{\rho}^{\mu} \\ \mathcal{L}_{\psi D^* D^*} &= ig_{\psi D^* D^*} [\psi^{\mu} (\partial_{\mu} D^{*\nu} \overline{D}_{\nu}^* - D^{*\nu} \partial_{\mu} \overline{D}_{\nu}^*) \qquad + (D^{*\nu} \vec{\tau} \cdot \partial_{\mu} \vec{\rho}_{\nu} - \partial_{\mu} D^{*\nu} \vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{\rho}_{\nu}) \overline{D}^{*\mu} \\ &+ (\partial_{\mu} \psi^{\nu} D_{\nu}^* - \psi^{\nu} \partial_{\mu} D_{\nu}^*) \overline{D}^{*\mu} \qquad + D^{*\mu} (\vec{\tau} \cdot \vec{\rho}^{\nu} \partial_{\mu} \overline{D}_{\nu}^* - \vec{\tau} \cdot \partial_{\mu} \vec{\rho}^{\nu} \overline{D}_{\nu}^*)], \end{split}$$



# The X(3872) meson

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J. Beringer et al. (PDG), Phys. Rev. D **86**, 010001 (2012) X(3872)

$$I^{G}(J^{PC}) = 0^{?}(?^{?+})$$

Quantum numbers not established.

 $\begin{array}{l} {\sf Mass} \ m = 3871.68 \pm 0.17 \ {\sf MeV} \\ m_{X(3872)} \ - \ m_{J/\psi} = 775 \pm 4 \ {\sf MeV} \\ m_{X(3872)} \ - \ m_{\psi(2S)} \\ {\sf Full \ width} \ {\sf \Gamma} \ < \ 1.2 \ {\sf MeV}, \ {\sf CL} = 90\% \end{array}$ 

1) Discovered by Belle collaboration (2003)

2) Hadronic molecules, multi-quark, and hybrid states

$$\rightarrow \overline{D}D^*, D\overline{D}^*, q\overline{q}c\overline{c}, c\overline{c}$$

Only  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}, 2^{-+}$  states are allowed :  $\begin{array}{c} X_1(3872) \\ X_2(3872) \end{array}$ 

A. Abulencia et al, [CDF Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. 98, 132002 (2007)



- The production yield of the X(3872) meson xo

		RHIC				
	2q/3q/6q	4q/5q/8q	Mol.	Stat.		
X(3872)	$1.0  imes 10^{-4}$	$4.0  imes 10^{-5}$	$7.8  imes 10^{-4}$	$2.9  imes 10^{-4}$		

- Hadronic effects on the X(3872) meson
  1) The absorption of X(3872) by pions and rho mesons
  - $X\pi \to D^*\bar{D^*}, \ X\pi \to D\bar{D}, \ X\rho \to D\bar{D^*}, \ X\rho \to \bar{D}D^*, \ X\rho \to \bar{D}D, \ X\rho \to \bar{D^*}D^*$



### 2) The interaction Lagrangians for X(3872)



$$\mathcal{L}_{X_1D^*D} = g_{X_1D*D}X_1^{\mu}\bar{D}_{\mu}^*D,$$
  

$$\mathcal{L}_{X_1\psi\rho} = ig_{X_1\psi\rho}\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\psi_{\nu}\rho_{\rho}\partial_{\sigma}X_{1\mu},$$
  

$$\mathcal{L}_{X_2D^*D} = -ig_{X_2D^*D}X_2^{\mu\nu}\bar{D}_{\mu}^*\partial_{\nu}D,$$
  

$$\mathcal{L}_{X_2\psi\rho} = -g_{X_2\psi\rho}\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}X_{\mu\alpha}(\partial_{\nu}\psi^{\alpha}\partial_{\rho}\rho_{\sigma} - \partial_{\nu}\psi^{\alpha}\partial_{\rho}\rho_{\sigma})$$
  

$$+ g'_{X_2\psi\rho}\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}\partial_{\nu}X_{\mu\alpha}(\partial^{\alpha}\psi_{\rho}\rho_{\sigma} - \psi_{\rho}\partial^{\alpha}\rho_{\sigma}).$$

#### 3) Spin 2 particle polarization

$$\sum_{\text{pol}} \pi_{\mu\nu}(k) \pi^*_{\alpha\beta}(k) = \frac{1}{2} \left( g_{\mu\alpha} g_{\nu\beta} + g_{\mu\beta} g_{\nu\alpha} - g_{\mu\nu} g_{\alpha\beta} \right) - \frac{1}{2m^2} \left( g_{\mu\alpha} k_{\nu} k_{\beta} + g_{\nu\beta} k_{\mu} k_{\alpha} + g_{\mu\beta} k_{\nu} k_{\alpha} + g_{\nu\alpha} k_{\mu} k_{\beta} \right) \\ + \frac{1}{6} \left( g_{\mu\nu} + \frac{2}{m^2} k_{\mu} k_{\nu} \right) \left( g_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{2}{m^2} k_{\alpha} k_{\beta} \right),$$

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## Cross sections for different X(3872) meson quantum numbers

Sungtae Cho and Su Houng Lee, to appear (2012)





# Thermally averaged cross section of the X(3872) meson abundances

$$\left\langle \sigma_{ih \to jk} v_{ih} \right\rangle = \frac{\int d^3 p_i d^3 p_h f_i(p_i) f_j(p_j) \sigma_{ih \to jk} v_{ih}}{\int d^3 p_i d^3 p_h f_i(p_i) f_j(p_j)}$$



![](_page_29_Picture_0.jpeg)

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### - The coupling constants of X(3872)

Coupling	$J^{PC} = 1^{++}$	$J^{PC} = 2^{-+}$			
$g_{(J)DD*}$ $g_{(J) ho\psi}$	$(3.5 \pm 0.7) \text{ GeV} \\ 0.14 \pm 0.03$	$(-0.29 \pm 0.08) \text{ GeV}^{-1}$	$\pm 36$ (0.28 $\pm 0.09$ ) GeV <sup>-1</sup>		

F. Brazzi, B. Grinstein, F. Piccinini, A. D. Polosa, and C. Sabelli, Phys. Rev. D 84, 014003 (2011)

1) The decay of the spin-2 X(3872) meson to  $\overline{D}^0 D^{*0}$  is disfavored because of the angular momentum suppression associated with the small energy relative to  $\overline{D}^0 D^{*0}$  threshold

G. Gokhroo et al. [Belle Collaboration], Phys. Rev. Lett. 97, 162002 (2006) B. Aubert et al. [Babar Collaboration], Phys. Rev. D 77, 011102 (2008)

2) The phase space should be same for both cases

$$\mathcal{L}_{X_1D^*D} = g_{X_1D*D}X_1^{\mu}\bar{D}_{\mu}^*D, \qquad \mathcal{L}_{X_2D*D} = -ig_{X_2D*D}X_2^{\mu\nu}\bar{D}_{\mu}^*\partial_{\nu}D,$$

$$\frac{1}{3}\sum_{polarizations} |g_{1DD*}\lambda^{\mu}(k)\epsilon_{\mu}^*(q)|^2 = \frac{1}{5}\sum_{polarizations} |g_{2DD*}\pi^{\mu\nu}(k)\epsilon_{\mu}^*(q)p_{\nu}|^2$$
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# Conclusions

 Hadronic effects on exotic hadron production in heavy ion collisions

- 1) Relativistic heavy ion collisions provide us a perfect environment to explore the production of various particles
- 2) The statistical model & the coalescence model
- 3) The yield of a hadron in relativistic heavy ion collision is strongly dependent on its structure
- 4) Thermal yields decrease or remain almost unchanged while the the production yields from coalescence increases during the hadronic stage of heavy ion collisions
- 5) Studying both the initial abundances of exotic hadrons at hadronization and their absorption by hadrons during the hadronic stage provide a chance to infer their structure and production mechanism in heavy ion collisions