

# Experimental review of exotic states discoveries in the last 20 years

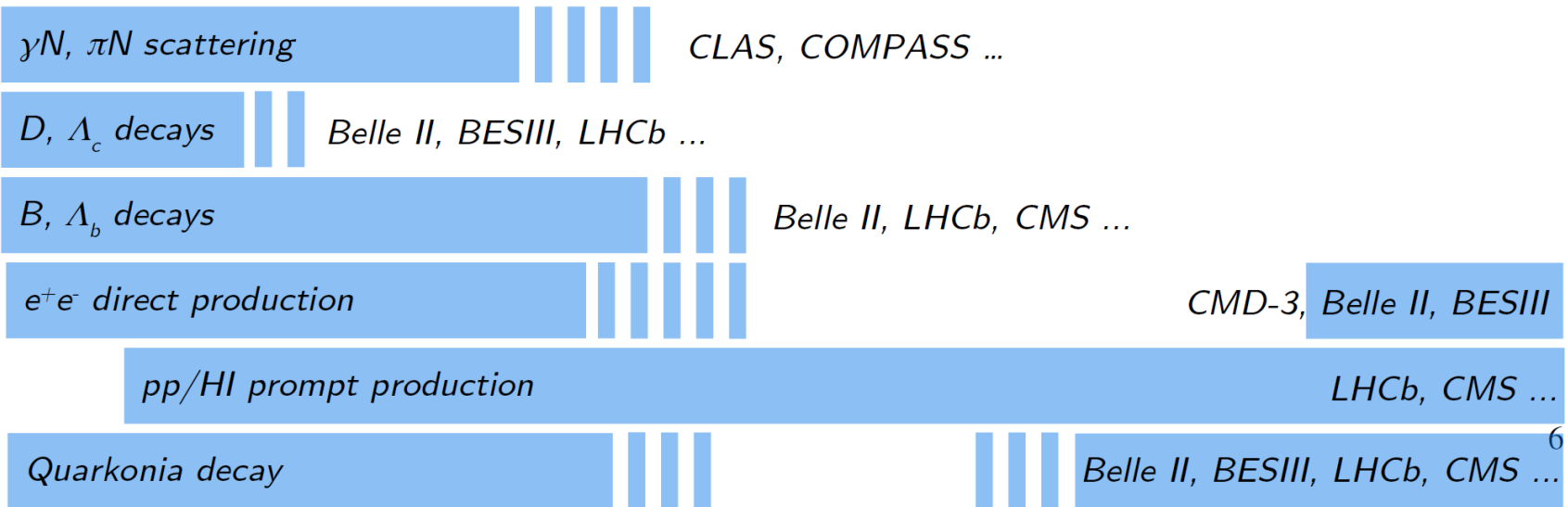
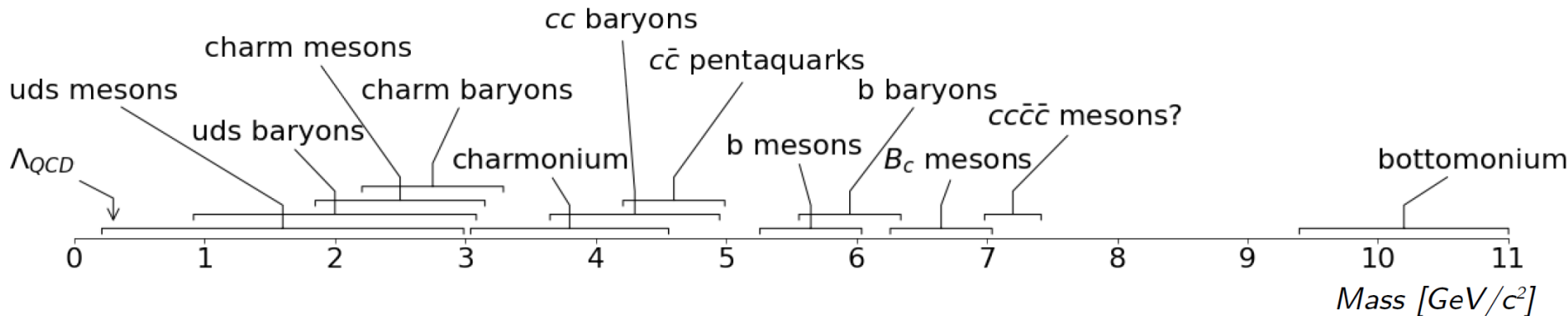
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# There are four interactions !

- It all started with the big bang! → Gravity governed by General Relativity (it was good!)
- Let there be light: and there was light! → Electromagnetic and weak interactions governed by Electroweak theory (it was good!)
- Let there be quarks and gluons! → strong interaction governed by QCD (it was good at short distance only!)
- Yes, let's study the strong interaction at long distance — non-perturbative part of QCD!

# The study of hadron spectrum



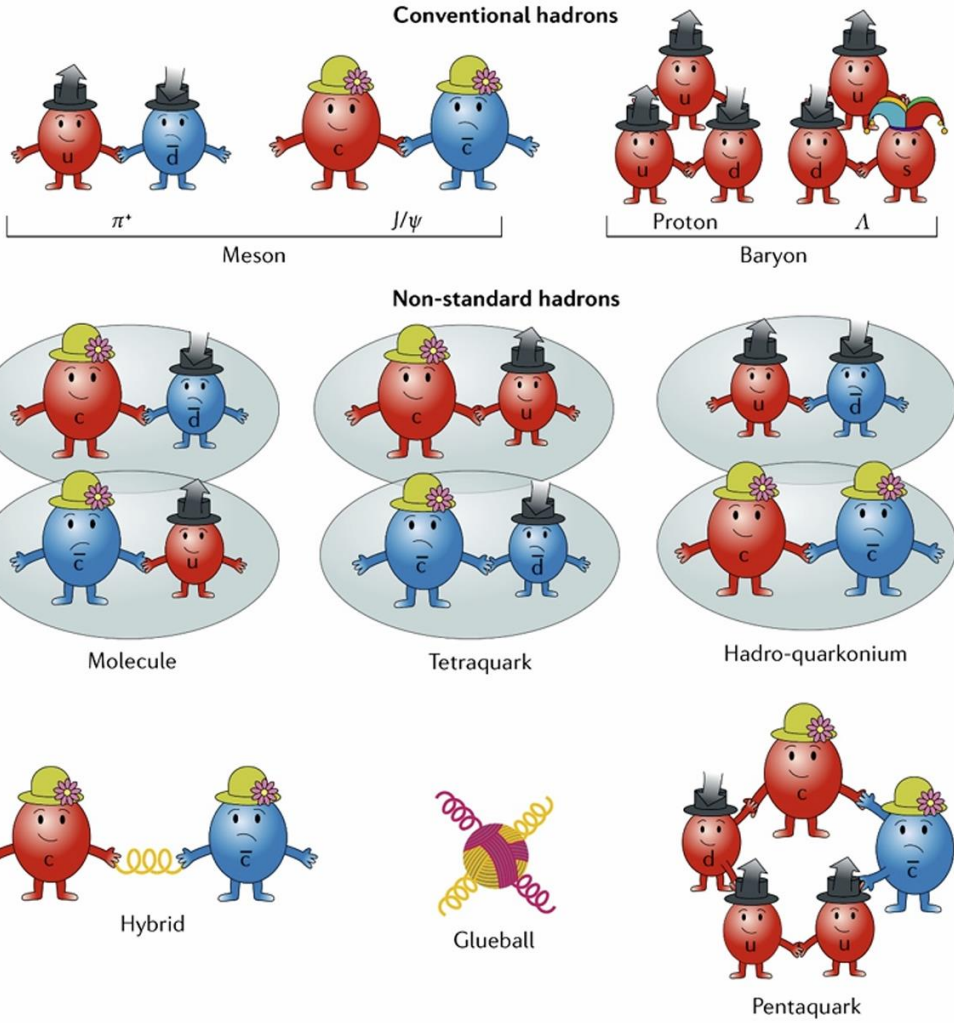
# Exotic States



Due to the limited time, in this talk I just focus on some typical exotic states.

# Hadrons: normal & multiquarks (exotic)

- Quark model: hadrons are composed from 2 (meson) quarks or 3 (baryon) quarks
- QCD does not forbid hadrons with  $N_{\text{quarks}} \neq 2, 3$ 
  - Glueball:  $N_{\text{quarks}} = 0$  (gg, ggg, ...)
  - Hybrid:  $N_{\text{quarks}} = 2$  (or more) + excited gluon
  - Multiquark state:  $N_{\text{quarks}} > 3$
  - Molecule: bound state of more than 2 hadrons
  - ...



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Multiquark states have been discussed since the 1<sup>st</sup> page of the quark model

A SCHEMATIC MODEL OF BARYONS AND MESONS \*

M. GELL-MANN

California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California

Received 4 January 1964



If we assume that the strong interactions of baryons and mesons are correctly described in terms of the broken "eightfold way" <sup>1-3</sup>, we are tempted to look for some fundamental explanation of the situation. A highly promised approach is the purely dynamical "bootstrap" model for all the strongly interacting particles within which one may try to derive isotopic spin and strangeness conservation and broken eightfold symmetry from consistency alone <sup>4</sup>. Of course, with only strong interactions, the orientation of the asymmetry in the unitary space cannot be specified; one hopes that in some way the selection of specific components of the F-spin by electromagnetism and the weak interactions determines the choice of isotopic spin and hypercharge directions.

Even if we consider the scattering amplitudes of strongly interacting particles on the mass shell only and treat the matrix elements of the weak, electromagnetic, and gravitational interactions by means

number  $n_t - n_{\bar{t}}$  would be zero for all known baryons and mesons. The most interesting example of such a model is one in which the triplet has spin  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $z = -\frac{1}{3}$ , so that the four particles  $d^-$ ,  $s^-$ ,  $u^0$  and  $b^0$  exhibit a parallel with the leptons.

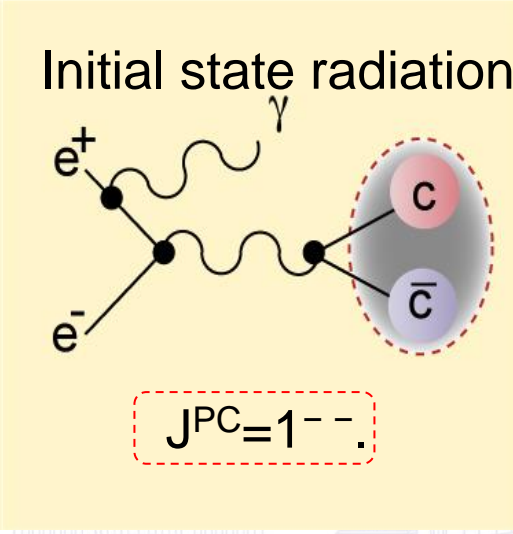
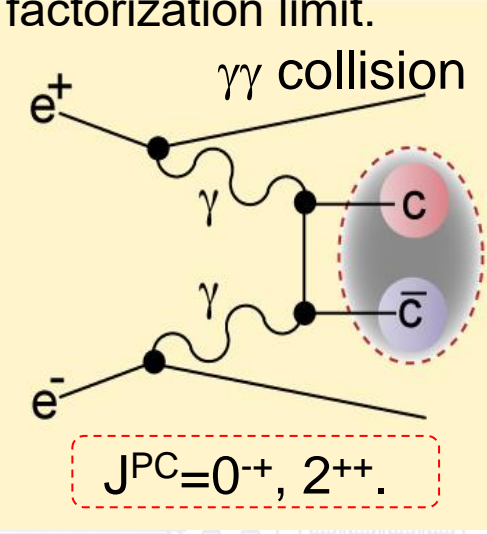
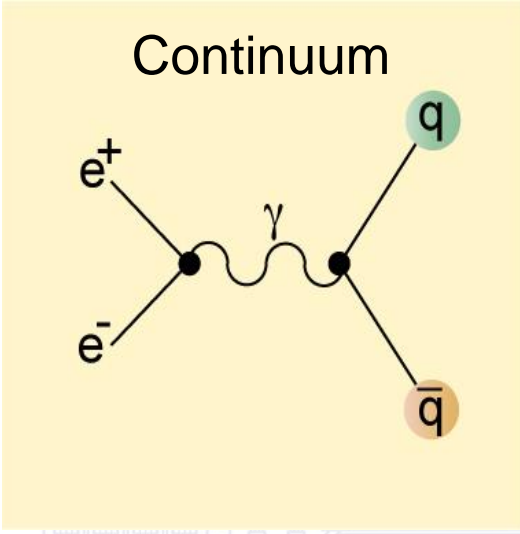
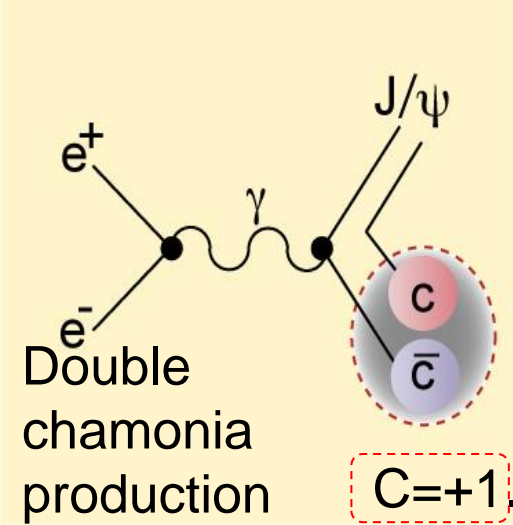
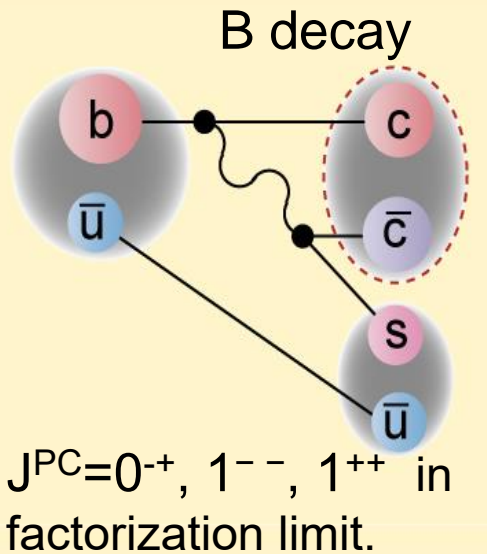
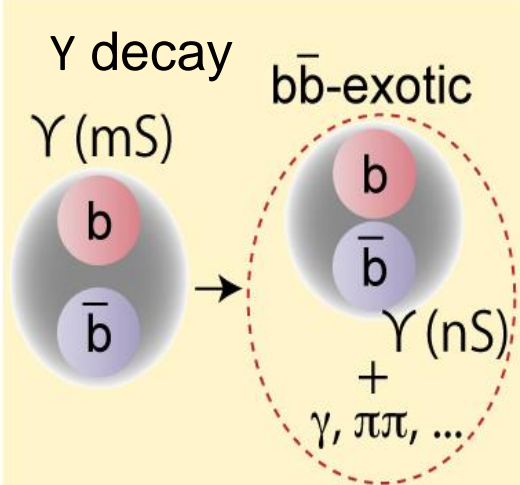
A simpler and more elegant scheme can be constructed if we allow non-integral values for the charges. We can dispense entirely with the basic baryon  $b$  if we assign to the triplet  $t$  the following properties: spin  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $z = -\frac{1}{3}$ , and baryon number  $\frac{1}{3}$ . We then refer to the members  $u^{\frac{2}{3}}$ ,  $d^{-\frac{1}{3}}$ , and  $s^{-\frac{1}{3}}$  of the triplet as "quarks" <sup>6</sup>  $q$  and the members of the anti-triplet as anti-quarks  $\bar{q}$ . Baryons can now be constructed from quarks by using the combinations  $(qqq)$ ,  $(qqq\bar{q})$ , etc., while mesons are made out of  $(q\bar{q})$ ,  $(qq\bar{q}\bar{q})$ , etc. It is assuming that the lowest baryon configuration  $(qqq)$  gives just the representations **1**, **8**, and **10** that have been observed, while the lowest meson configuration  $(q\bar{q})$  similarly gives just **1** and **8**.

Where are they??

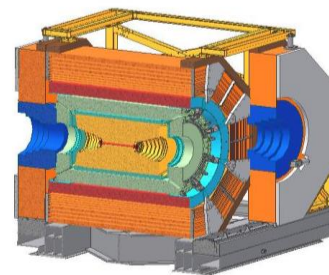
Gell-Mann in his quark model paper has mentioned "exotic states" since 1964. After that, many experiments focused on finding exotic hadrons.

M. Gell-Mann, Phys. Lett. 8, 214 (1964)

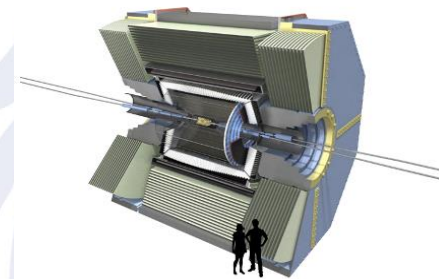
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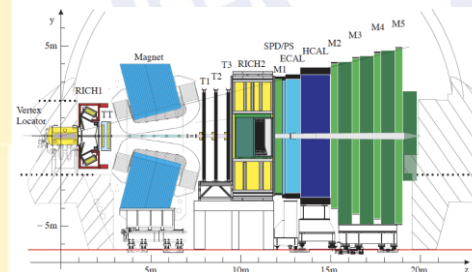
# Main suppliers



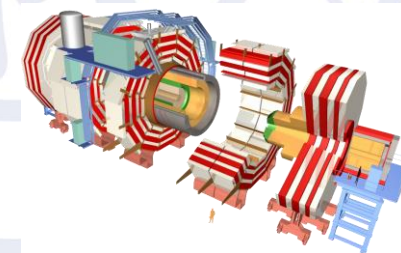
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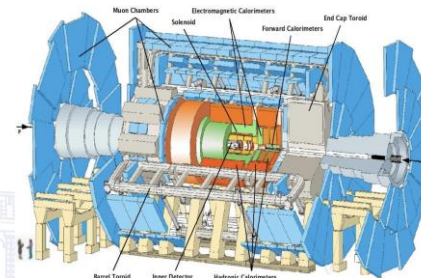
Belle (II)



LHCb



CMS



ATLAS



BaBar

# XYZ states



$$\text{Success} = X + Y + Z$$

- Quarkonium:  $q\bar{q}$ , the simplest system of a hadron.
- Below  $D\bar{D}/B\bar{B}$  thresholds – both charmonium and bottomonium are successful stories of QCD.
- But there are many exotic states observed in the past decades, and they are hard to fit in the two families.

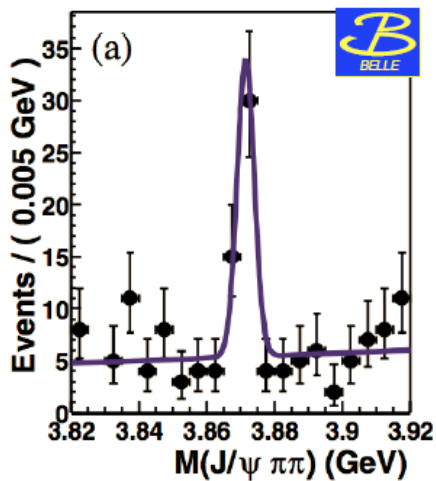
Classification:

- $Q\bar{Q}q\bar{q}$
- $Q\bar{Q}qqq: P_c^+$
- X: Neutral,  $J^{PC} \neq 1^{--}$ ;
- Y: Neutral,  $J^{PC} = 1^{--}$ ;
- Z: Charged

- Study of exotic hadrons can
  - provide **new insights** into internal structure and dynamics of hadrons
  - act as a **unique probe** to non-perturbative behavior of QCD



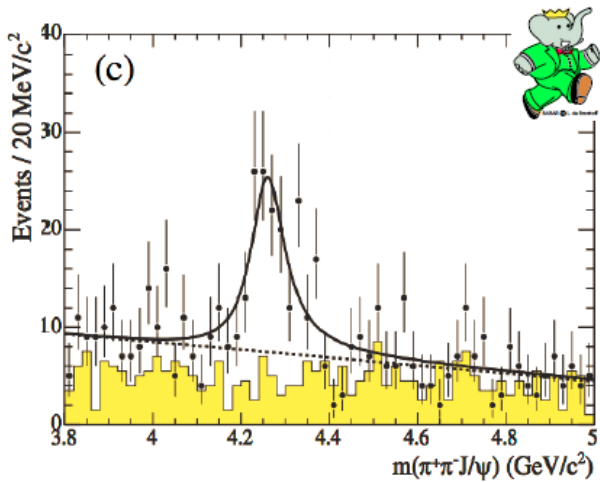
# “X Y Z” – the beginning



$X(3872)$

PRL 91, 262001 (2003)

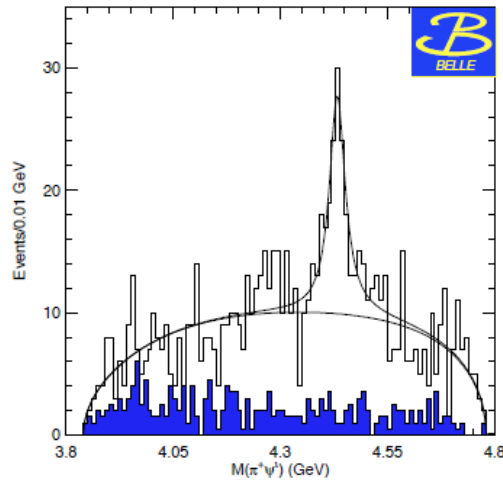
$$B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm [\pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi]$$



$Y(4260)$

PRL 95, 142001 (2005)

$$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma [\pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi]$$



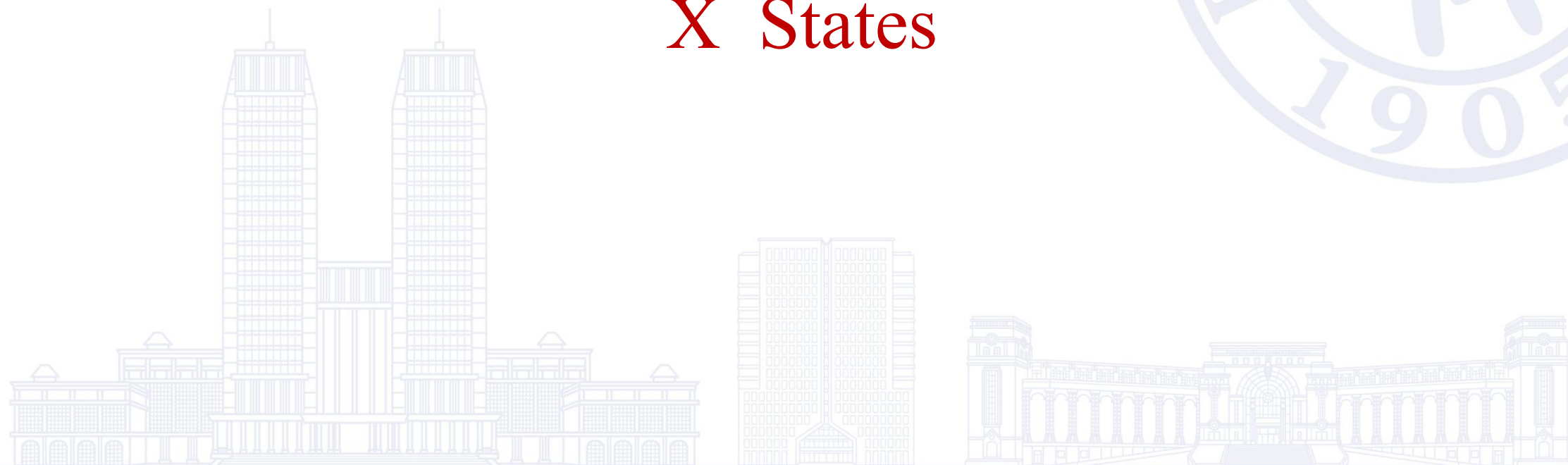
$Z_c(4430)^\pm$

PRL 100, 142001 (2008)

$$B \rightarrow K [\pi^\pm \psi']$$

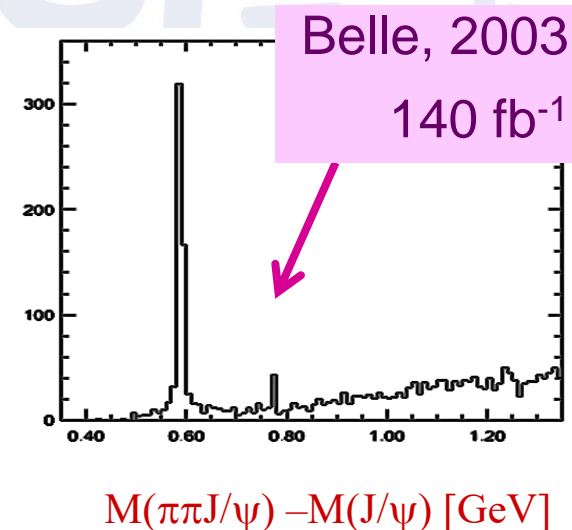


# X States



## What is the X(3872)?

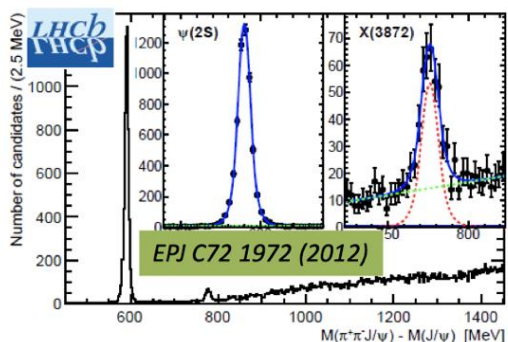
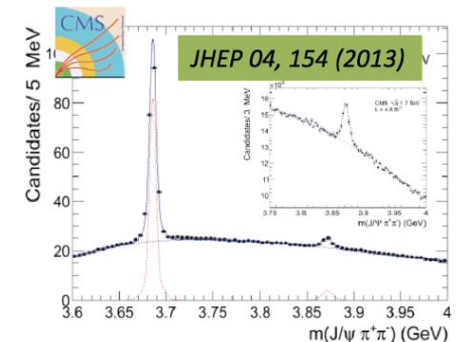
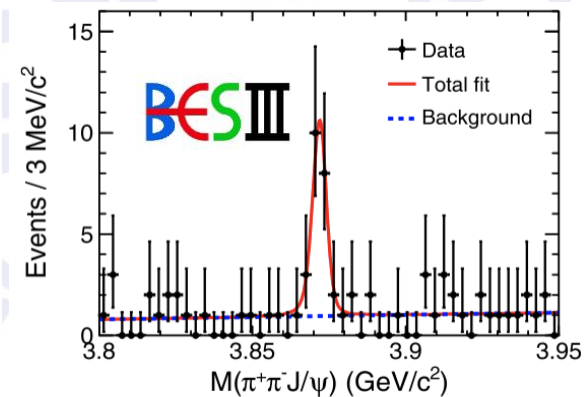
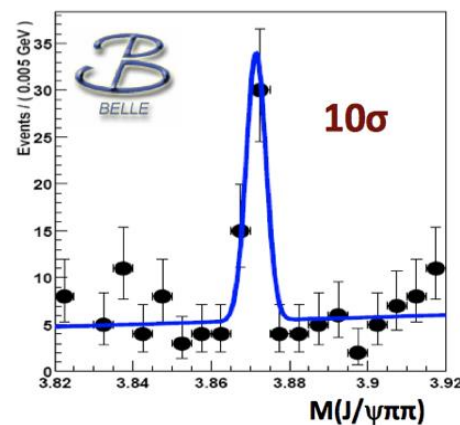
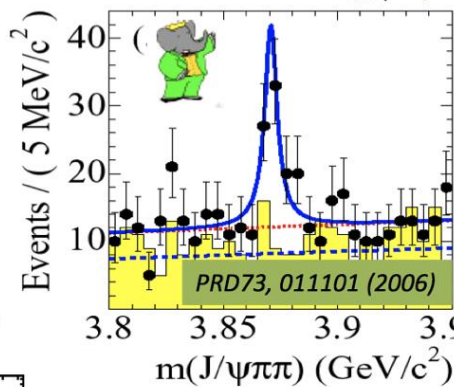
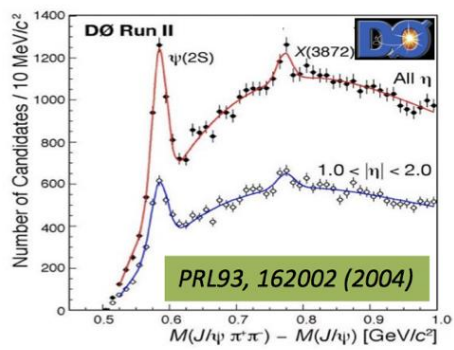
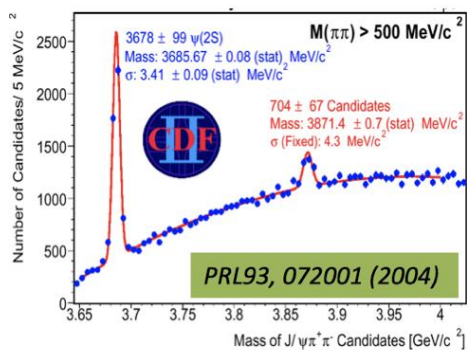
- Mass: Very close to  $D^0\bar{D}^{*0}$  threshold
- Width: Very narrow,  $1.19 \pm 0.21$  MeV [LHCb, PRD102, 092005; JHEP (2008) 123]
- $J^{PC}=1^{++}$
- Production
  - in  $\bar{p}p/pp$  collision – rate similar to charmonia
  - In B decays –  $KX$  similar to  $\bar{c}c$ ,  $K^*X$  smaller than  $\bar{c}c$
  - $Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma + X(3872)$
- Decay BR: open charm  $\sim 50\%$ , charmonium  $\sim O(\%)$
- Nature (very likely exotic)
  - Loosely  $\bar{D}^0\bar{D}^{*0}$  bound state (like deuteron)?
  - Mixture of excited  $\chi_{c1}(2P)$  and  $\bar{D}^0\bar{D}^{*0}$  bound state?



# $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$

The most-cited article at Belle: >2500

First observed by Belle in  $B \rightarrow K J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$  PRL91, 262001 (2003)



$X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma$ : C-even

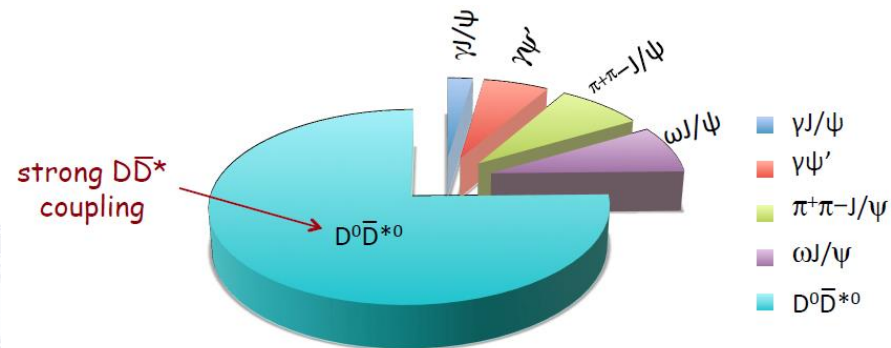
Angular analysis:

Belle 2006:  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$  or  $\geq 2$

CDF 2008:  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$  or  $2^{-+}$

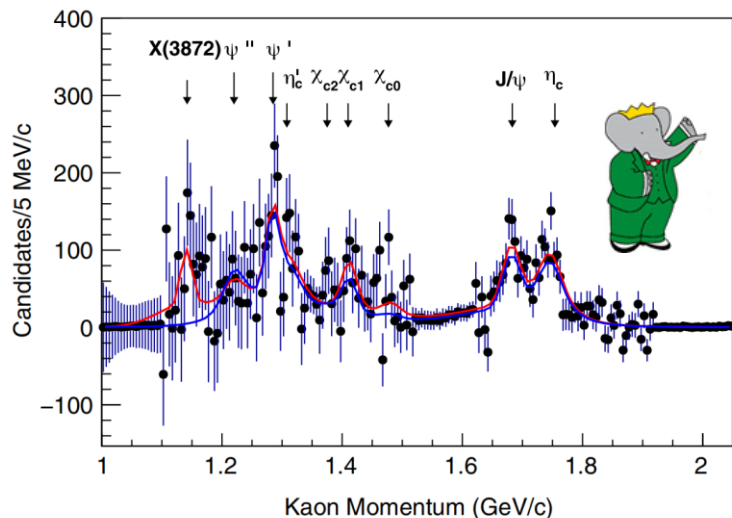
Belle 2011:  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$  or  $2^{-+}$

LHCb 2013:  $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$

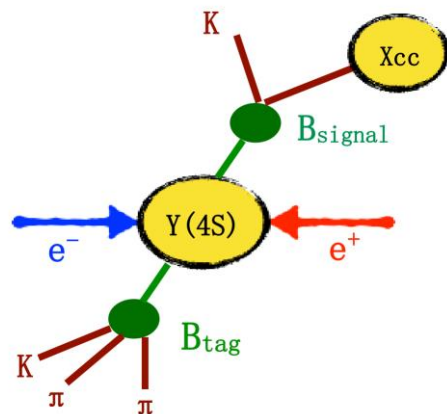


## First determination of $B(B^\pm \rightarrow X(3872)K^\pm)$

- The determination of the  $B(B^\pm \rightarrow X(3872)K^\pm)$  leads to  $B(X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)$ , bringing useful information regarding the complex nature of the  $X(3872)$ .



BaBar,  $424 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ , PRL 124, 152001 (2020)



Branching fraction	Structure
$B(X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)$ $\sim 50\%$	Tetraquark State [PRD 71, 014028 (2005)]
$B(X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)$ $< 10\%$	Molecular state [PRD 72, 054022 (2005), PRD 69, 054008 (2004)]

- Increase signal efficiency by a factor of 3 by retaining all B tag candidates instead of the best one.
- There is  $3\sigma$  evidence of the decay  $B^\pm \rightarrow X(3872)K^\pm$ , detected for the first time using this recoil technique.
- $B(B^\pm \rightarrow X(3872)K^\pm) = (2.1 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-4}$

## Absolute branching fractions of X(3872) decays

- Globally analyzing the measurements by BESIII, Belle, Babar, LHCb
- The absolute branching fractions of X(3872) are free parameters in the fitting

$$\chi^2(x) = \sum_{i=1}^{25} \frac{(x_i - x)^2}{\sigma_i^2},$$

- Statistical uncertainties are dominant for most measurements.
- Possible correlation between the systematics of different measurements in an experiments is neglected.

C.H.Li, C.Z.Yuan, Phys.Rev. D100 (2019) 094003

Index ( <i>i</i> )	Parameters	Values	Experiments
		$(\times 10^{-6})$	
<i>X</i> (3872) $\rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi$			
1	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$8.61 \pm 0.82 \pm 0.52$	Belle [14]
2		$8.4 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.7$	BaBar [15]
3	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$4.3 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.4$	Belle [14]
4		$3.5 \pm 1.9 \pm 0.4$	BaBar [15]
<i>X</i> (3872) $\rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$			
		$(\times 10^{-6})$	
5	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$1.78^{+0.48}_{-0.44} \pm 0.12$	Belle [22]
6		$2.8 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.1$	BaBar [23]
7	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$1.24^{+0.76}_{-0.61} \pm 0.11$	Belle [22]
8		$2.6 \pm 1.8 \pm 0.2$	BaBar [23]
<i>X</i> (3872) $\rightarrow \gamma\psi(3686)$			
		$(\times 10^{-6})$	
9	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$0.83^{+1.98}_{-1.83} \pm 0.44$	Belle [22]
10		$9.5 \pm 2.7 \pm 0.6$	BaBar [23]
11	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$1.12^{+3.57}_{-2.90} \pm 0.57$	Belle [22]
12		$11.4 \pm 5.5 \pm 1.0$	BaBar [23]
<i>X</i> (3872) $\rightarrow D^{*0}\bar{D}^0 + c.c.$			
		$(\times 10^{-4})$	
13	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$0.77 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.10$	Belle [16]
14		$1.67 \pm 0.36 \pm 0.47$	BaBar [17]
15	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$0.97 \pm 0.46 \pm 0.13$	Belle [16]
16		$2.22 \pm 1.05 \pm 0.42$	BaBar [17]
<i>X</i> (3872) $\rightarrow \omega J/\psi$			
		$(\times 10^{-6})$	
17	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$6 \pm 2 \pm 1$	BaBar [18]
18	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$6 \pm 3 \pm 1$	BaBar [18]
Ratios			
19	$\frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi)}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)}$	$0.79 \pm 0.28$	BESIII [19]
20	$\frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow D^{*0}\bar{D}^0 + c.c.)}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)}$	$14.81 \pm 3.80$	BESIII [19]
21	$\frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \omega J/\psi)}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)}$	$1.6^{+0.4}_{-0.3} \pm 0.2$	BESIII [20]
22	$\frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^0\chi_{c1})}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)}$	$0.88^{+0.33}_{-0.27} \pm 0.10$	BESIII [21]
23	$\frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma\psi(3686))}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi)}$	$2.46 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.29$	LHCb [24]
		$(\times 10^{-4})$	
24	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$2.1 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3$	BaBar [27]
25		$1.2 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.1$	Belle [26]

## Absolute branching fractions of X(3872) decays

Parameter index	Decay mode	Branching fraction
1	$X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$	$(4.1_{-1.1}^{+1.9})\%$
2	$X(3872) \rightarrow D^{*0}\bar{D}^0 + c.c.$	$(52.4_{-14.3}^{+25.3})\%$
3	$X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$	$(1.1_{-0.3}^{+0.6})\%$
4	$X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma\psi(3686)$	$(2.4_{-0.8}^{+1.3})\%$
5	$X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^0\chi_{c1}$	$(3.6_{-1.6}^{+2.2})\%$
6	$X(3872) \rightarrow \omega J/\psi$	$(4.4_{-1.3}^{+2.3})\%$
7	$B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$	$(1.9 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-4}$
8	$B^0 \rightarrow X(3872)K^0$	$(1.1_{-0.4}^{+0.5}) \times 10^{-4}$
	$X(3872) \rightarrow \text{unknown}$	$(31.9_{-31.5}^{+18.1})\%$

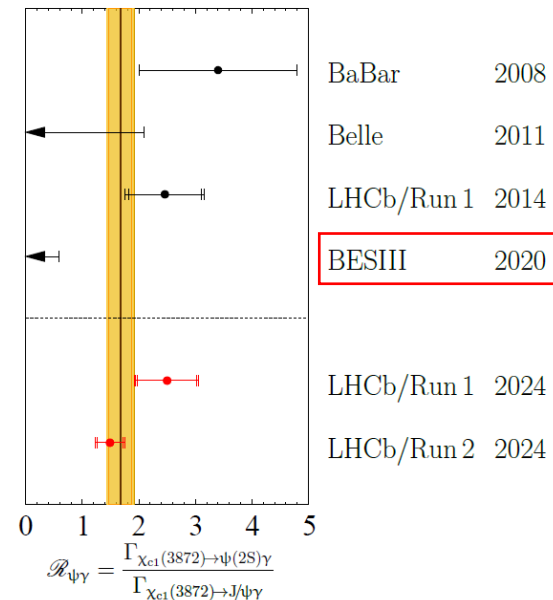
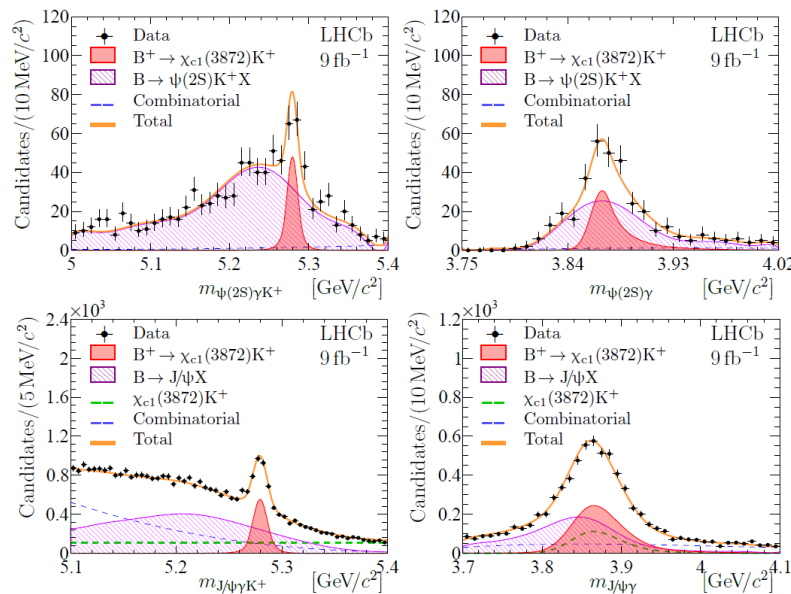
- $X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi \sim (4.1_{-1.1}^{+1.9})\%$
- $X(3872) \rightarrow D^0 D^{*0} \sim (52.4_{-14.3}^{+25.3})\%$
- Unknown decay  $\sim (31.9_{-31.5}^{+18.1})\%$
- Statistical uncertainties are dominant.
- At Belle II, we need improve the measurements related with X(3872) decays.

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# X(3872) radiative decays at LHCb

arXiv:2406.17006

- The ratio of the partial radiative decay widths into  $\psi(2S)\gamma$  and  $J/\psi\gamma$  vary widely depending on the different hypothesis for X(3872)
- Large values of this ratio ( $\geq 1$ ) are expected for a conventional charmonium  $\chi_{c1}(2P)$  state; smaller values for pure  $DD^*$  molecular hypothesis ( $R_{\psi\gamma} \ll 1$ )
- Mixture of a predominantly  $DD^*$  molecular state and a compact component cover a wide range of  $R_{\psi\gamma}$



The significance of the  $X(3872) \rightarrow \psi(2S)\gamma$  signal is  $4.8\sigma$  and  $6.0\sigma$  for the Run 1 and Run 2

$$R_{\psi\gamma}^{\text{Run 1}} = 2.50 \pm 0.52^{+0.20}_{-0.23} \pm 0.06,$$

$$R_{\psi\gamma}^{\text{Run 2}} = 1.49 \pm 0.23^{+0.13}_{-0.12} \pm 0.03,$$

$$R_{\psi\gamma} = 1.67 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.04.$$

A strong argument in favour of a compact component in the X(3872) structure



# Hints before the discovery of $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$

CDF internal, 1994

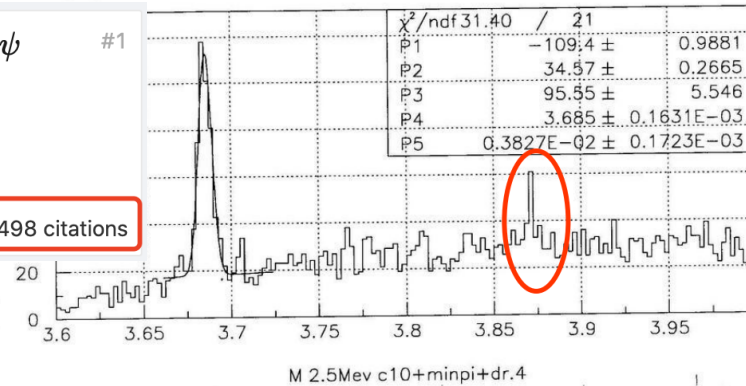
Observation of a narrow charmonium-like state in exclusive  $B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi$  decays

Belle Collaboration • S.K. Choi (Gyeongsang Natl. U.) et al. (Sep, 2003)

Published in: *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 91 (2003) 262001 • e-Print: [hep-ex/0309032](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/0309032) [hep-ex]

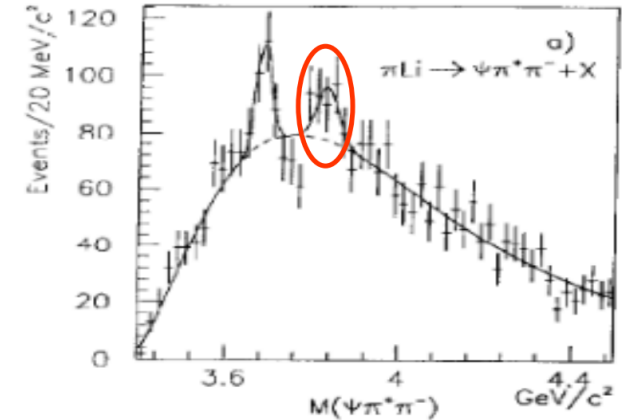
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E705, PRD 50, 4258 (1994)

E705 saw  $\psi(3836) (2^-)$  in 1994,  $3.836 \pm 0.013$  GeV  
PRL 115 011803, PRL 111 032001



2016 W.K.H. Panofsky Prize in Experimental Particle Physics Recipient

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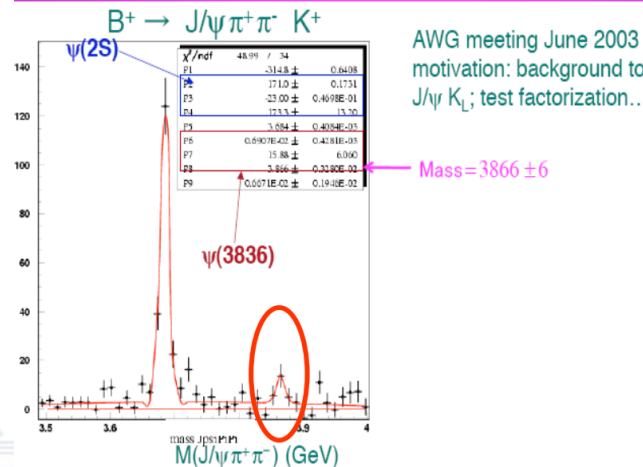
Citation:

"For leadership in the BaBar and Belle Experiments, which established the violation of CP symmetry in B-meson decay, and furthered our understanding of quark mixing and quantum chromodynamics."

Background:

Stephen Lars Olsen received a B.S. from the City College of New York in 1963 and a Ph.D. in physics from the University of Wisconsin in 1970. He is currently an Emeritus Research Fellow at the Center for Underground Physics of the Institute for Basic Science in Korea. His research has concentrated mostly on studies of heavy quarks and their associated hadrons using CLEO at Cornell, AMY and Belle experiments at KEK in Japan, and the BES experiments at IHEP in Beijing. He currently participates in the KIMS dark matter and AMoRE neutrinoless double beta decay searches at the Yangyang Underground Laboratory in Korea. Olsen was an Alfred P. Sloan Fellow (1972-1977), a John Simon Guggenheim Fellow (1986-1987), a Japan Society for the Promotion of Science Fellow (1987-1988). He was awarded the University of Hawaii Regents Medal for Excellence in Research in 2002 and was designated as a University of Wisconsin Distinguished Alumni in 2007. He was elected Fellow of the APS in 1984.

BaBar internal, 2003



AWG meeting June 2003  
motivation: background to  $J/\psi K_L$ ; test factorization...

Mass =  $3866 \pm 6$

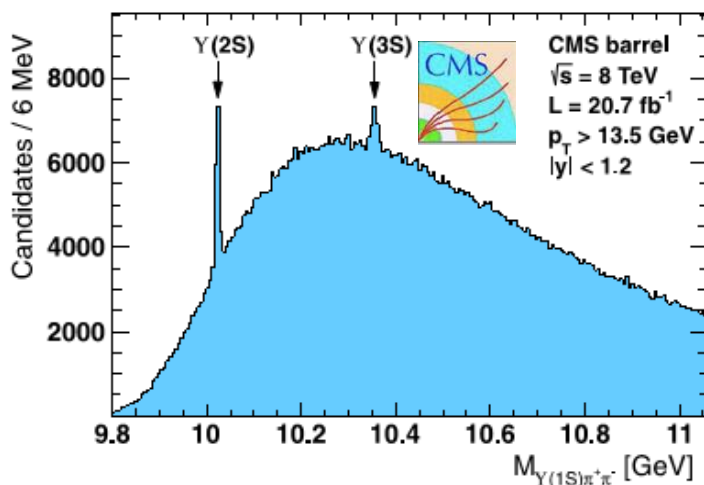
CDF saw a hint in 1994, unpublished  
BaBar saw a hint in 2003, unpublished

Both CDF and Babar spotted hints of  $X(3872)$  before its discovery!

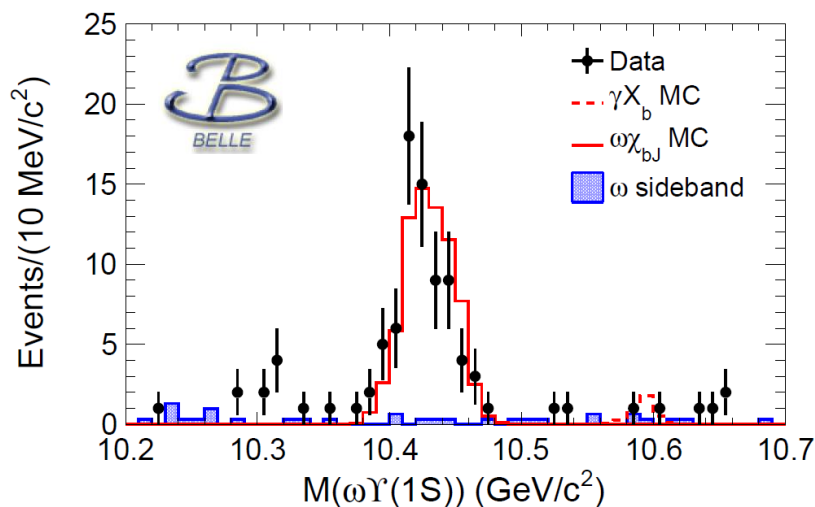
What can we learn from this story?

## Search for $X_b$ in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0Y(1S)$ at 10.867 GeV

- The  $X(3872)$  counterpart in the bottomonium sector  $X_b$ , **NOT observed** decay channel  $\pi^+\pi^-Y(1S)$ .
- As  $X_b$  is above  $\omega Y(1S)$  threshold, this Isospin-conserving process should be **a more promising decay mode**. [PRD88, 054007].



PLB 727, 57 (2013)



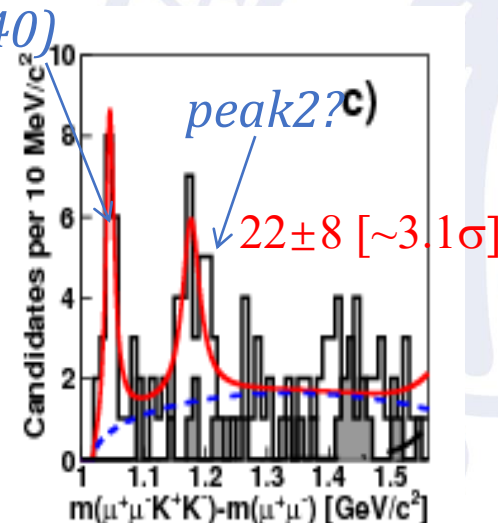
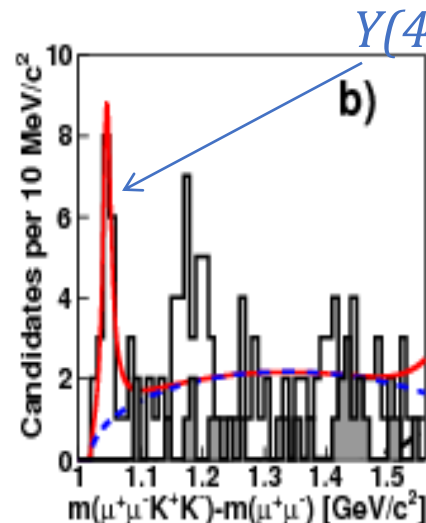
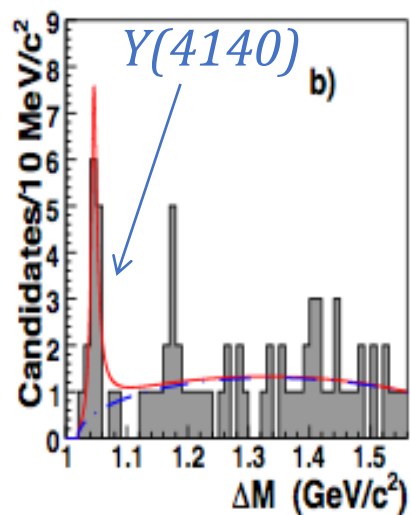
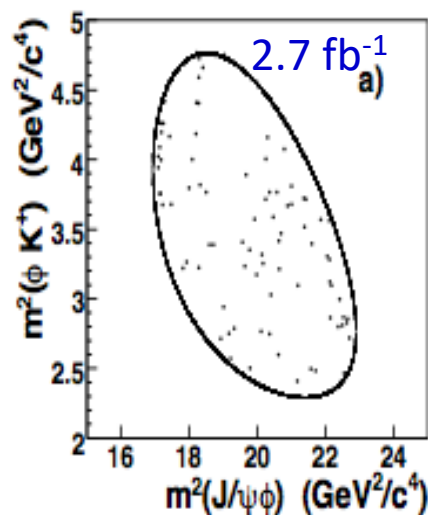
PRL 113, 142001 (2014)

Assuming  $X_b$  is narrow, the upper limit on the product branching fraction was given.

## The history/story of X(4140)/Y(4140)

CDF—PRL102:242002 (2009)

Mod.Phys.Lett. A32 (2017), 1750139



$X(4140)$  (renamed), mass—4.14 GeV, width—15 MeV

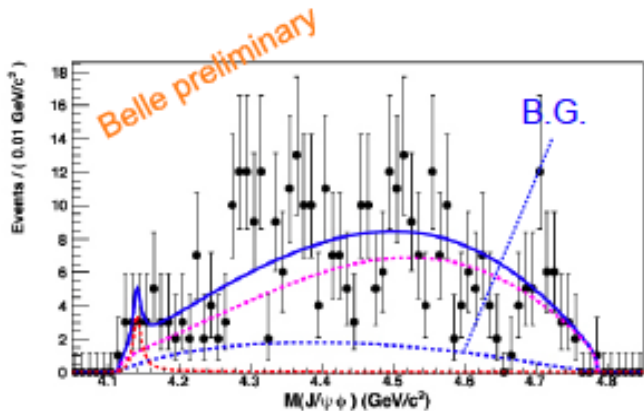
*This is the first unexpected particle discovered by Tevatron!*

Possible second state: mass—4.27 GeV, width—30 MeV

Experienced a long road for confirmation!

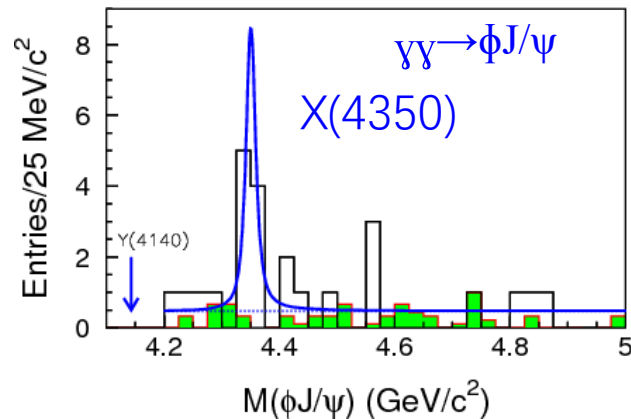
- Necessarily exotic since it is narrow and above the D<sub>s</sub>D<sub>s</sub> threshold
- $[cs\bar{c}\bar{s}]$  tetraquark ?
- Hint of a second structure: X(4274)

## Belle: Confirm or refute? (2009, 2010)



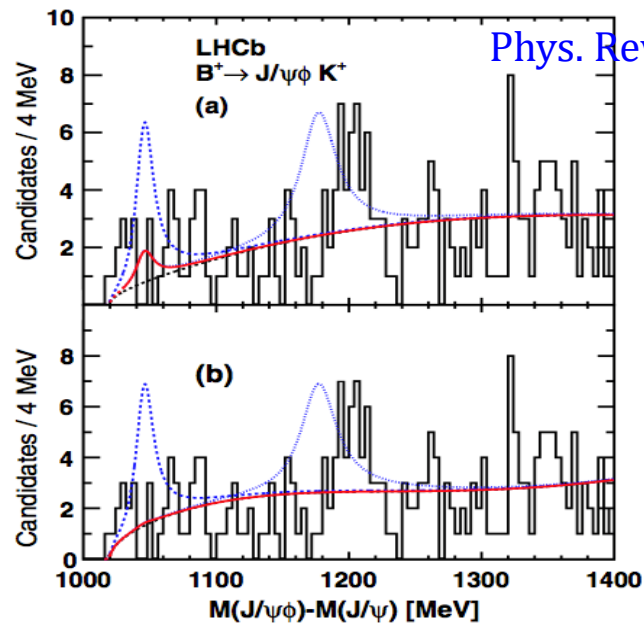
Y(4140):  $7.5^{+4.9}_{-4.4}$  events  
Statistical significance:  $1.9\sigma$   
Signal could not be identified.

Belle, PRL 104 (2010) 112004



- B factories suffer from low  $p_t$  track inefficiency
- Belle cannot confirm or deny the existence of Y(4140)
- Belle spotted another possible new state in the same final state but from a different production: X(4350) needs to be confirmed at Belle II with larger data samples.

## LHCb: contests CDF report (2011)



LHCb confirms neither structure(s) with part of their data taken in 2011

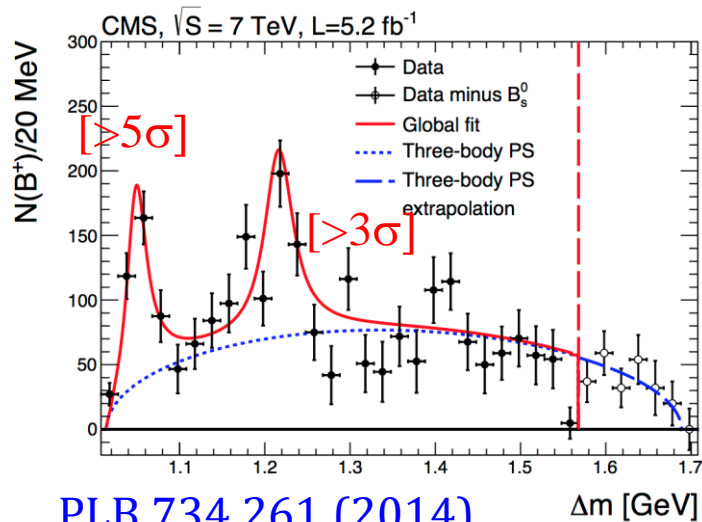


## LHCb Versus CDF: Two Punches In The Face!

By Tommaso Dorigo | July 27th 2011 05:48 AM | 10 comments | [Print](#) | [E-mail](#) | [Track](#)

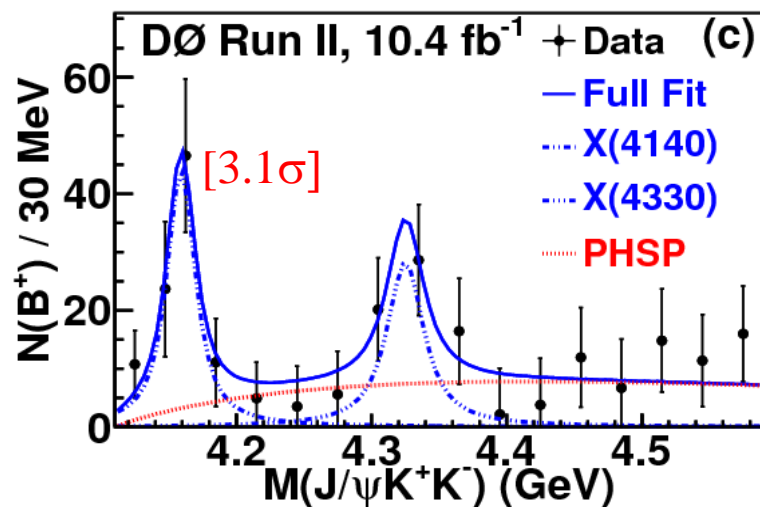
result. Note that, as reported in the figure, if the CDF signal were as estimated by CDF, LHCb would have been able to fit  $39^{+9}_{-6}$  events. The Y(4140) is on very shaky ground at the moment, and the new PDG will likely change its status in the particle zoo... This is punch number 1.

## Result from CMS (2012)



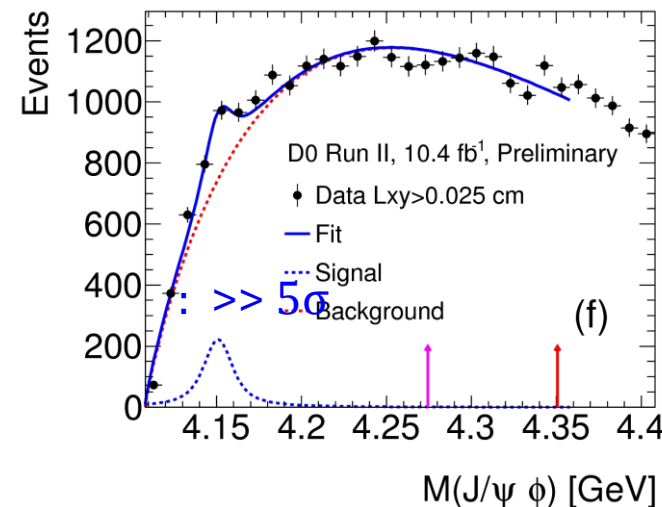
## $Y(4140)$ @ $D0$ (2013)

PRD 89, 012004 (2014)



## $Y(4140)$ @ $D0$ (2015)

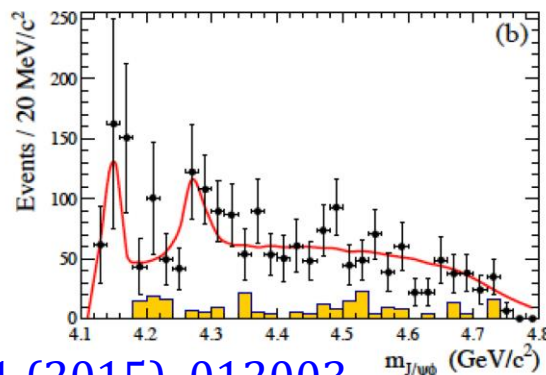
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## $Y(4140)$ @ $BaBar$ (2015)

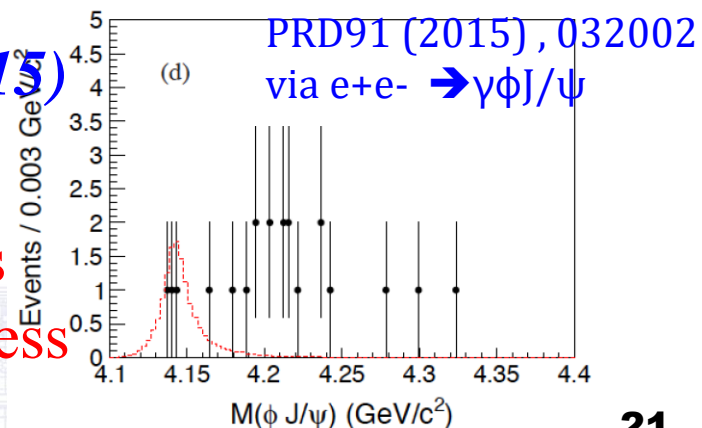
No significance for both structures though there are hints

PRD91 (2015), 012003



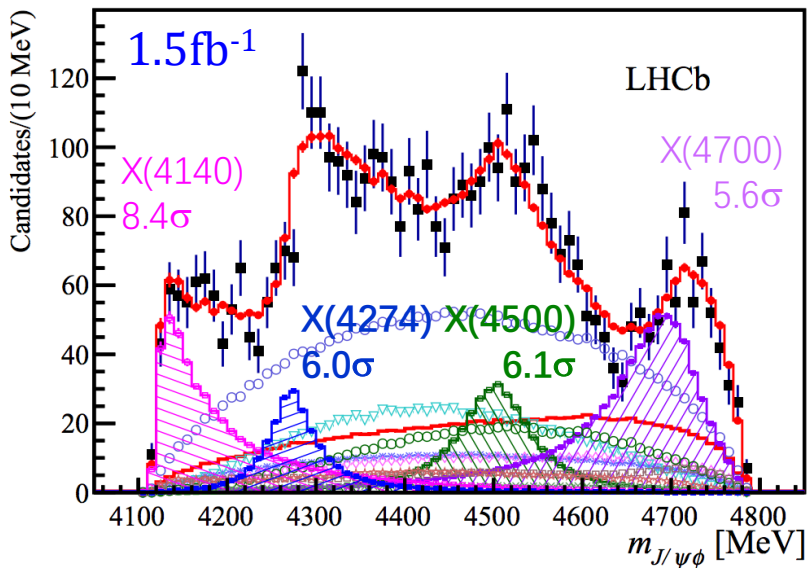
## $Y(4140)$ @ $BES$ (2015)

BES sets limits, cannot compare because it is from a different process



# Results from LHCb (2016)

LHCb, PRL 118 (2017), 022003; PRD 95 (2017), 012002

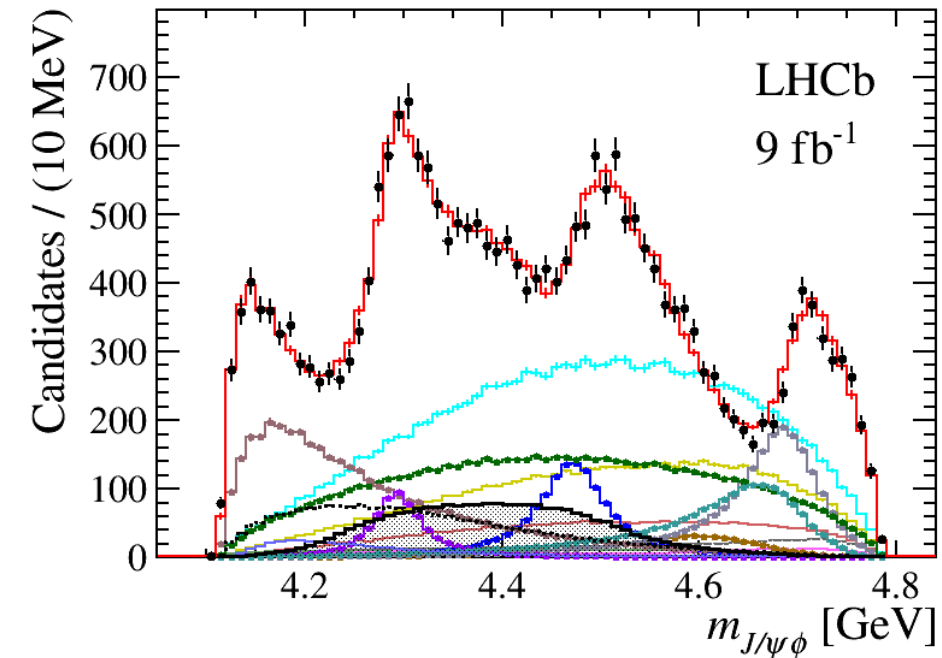


- ▶ No light quark (u,d) components
- ▶ Cannot exchange pion— $J/\psi$  or  $\phi$  has no isospin
- ▶ Cannot exchange photon--pion— $J/\psi$  or  $\phi$  has no charge
- ▶ A case of more general tetra-quark dynamics
- ▶ New important piece to the exotic meson family

- ▶ LHCb re-confirmed both X(4140) and X(4274), **Observed X(4500) and X(4700)**
- ▶ LHCb found two additional resonances in the same mass spectrum
- ▶ **This is 7 years after the first report from CDF**
- ▶ **Waiting for Belle II larger data samples: signals should be more cleaner**

## Updated Results from LHCb (2021)

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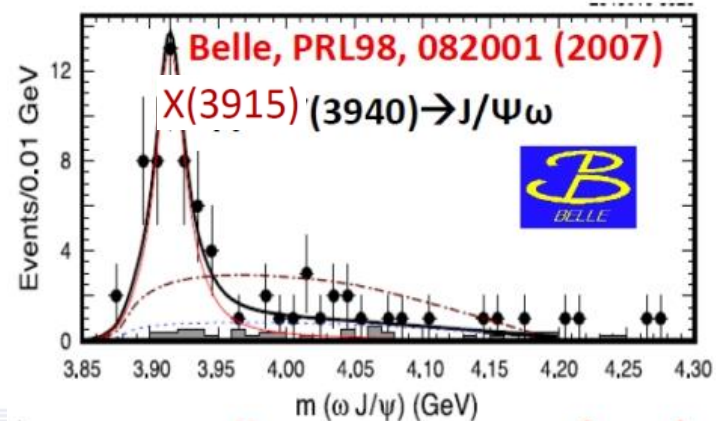
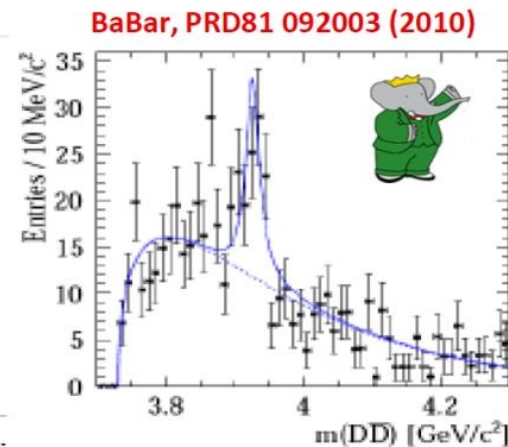
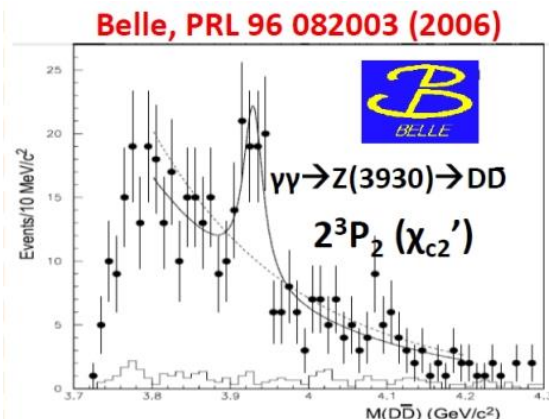
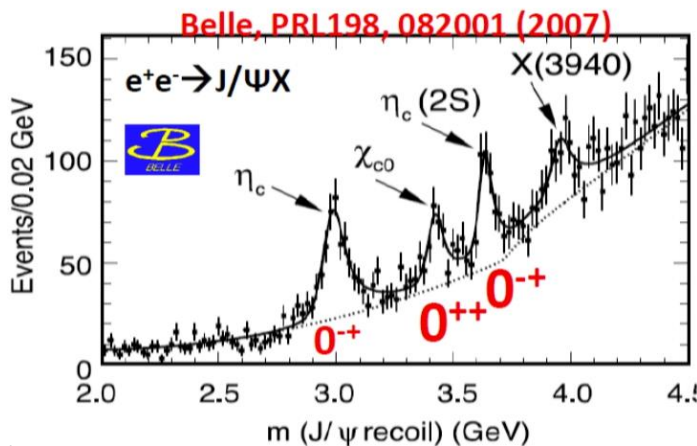


**6D amplitude fit:** Measured mass of  $X(4140)$  is  $4118 \pm 11^{+19}_{-36}$  MeV, **width**  $162 \pm 21^{+24}_{-49}$  MeV, not very narrow; the mass is around the threshold of  $J/\psi\phi$ .

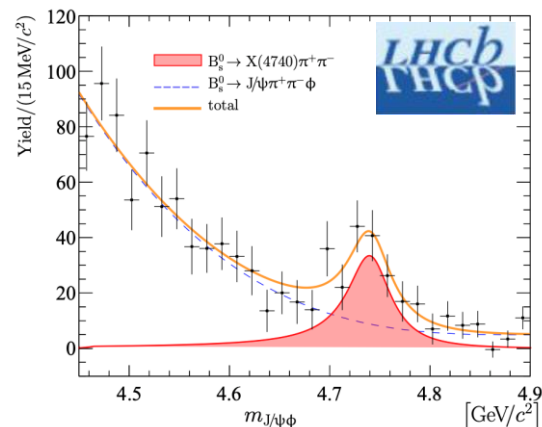
- New states:  $Z_{cs}(4000)$ ,  $X(4685) > 15\sigma$ ;  $Z_{cs}(4220)$ ,  $X(4630) > 5\sigma$   
 $X(4150) < 5\sigma$

Contribution	Significance [ $\times\sigma$ ]	$M_0$ [MeV]	$\Gamma_0$ [MeV]	FF [%]
$X(2^-)$				
$X(4150)$	4.8 (8.7)	$4146 \pm 18 \pm 33$	$135 \pm 28^{+59}_{-30}$	$2.0 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-1.0}$
$X(1^-)$				
$X(4630)$	5.5 (5.7)	$4626 \pm 16^{+18}_{-110}$	$174 \pm 27^{+134}_{-73}$	$2.6 \pm 0.5^{+2.9}_{-1.5}$
All $X(0^+)$	Stat.(Syst. included)			$20 \pm 5^{+14}_{-7}$
$X(4500)$	20 (20)	$4474 \pm 3 \pm 3$	$77 \pm 6^{+10}_{-8}$	$5.6 \pm 0.7^{+2.4}_{-0.6}$
$X(4700)$	17 (18)	$4694 \pm 4^{+16}_{-3}$	$87 \pm 8^{+16}_{-6}$	$8.9 \pm 1.2^{+4.9}_{-1.4}$
$NR_{J/\psi\phi}$	4.8 (5.7)			$28 \pm 8^{+19}_{-11}$
All $X(1^+)$				$26 \pm 3^{+8}_{-10}$
$X(4140)$	13 (16)	$4118 \pm 11^{+19}_{-36}$	$162 \pm 21^{+24}_{-49}$	$17 \pm 3^{+19}_{-6}$
$X(4274)$	18 (18)	$4294 \pm 4^{+3}_{-6}$	$53 \pm 5 \pm 5$	$2.8 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-0.4}$
$X(4685)$	15 (15)	$4684 \pm 7^{+13}_{-16}$	$126 \pm 15^{+37}_{-41}$	$7.2 \pm 1.0^{+4.0}_{-2.0}$
All $Z_{cs}(1^+)$				$25 \pm 5^{+11}_{-12}$
$Z_{cs}(4000)$	15 (16)	$4003 \pm 6^{+4}_{-14}$	$131 \pm 15 \pm 26$	$9.4 \pm 2.1 \pm 3.4$
$Z_{cs}(4220)$	5.9 (8.4)	$4216 \pm 24^{+43}_{-30}$	$233 \pm 52^{+97}_{-73}$	$10 \pm 4^{+10}_{-7}$

## Other productions for charmonium-like states



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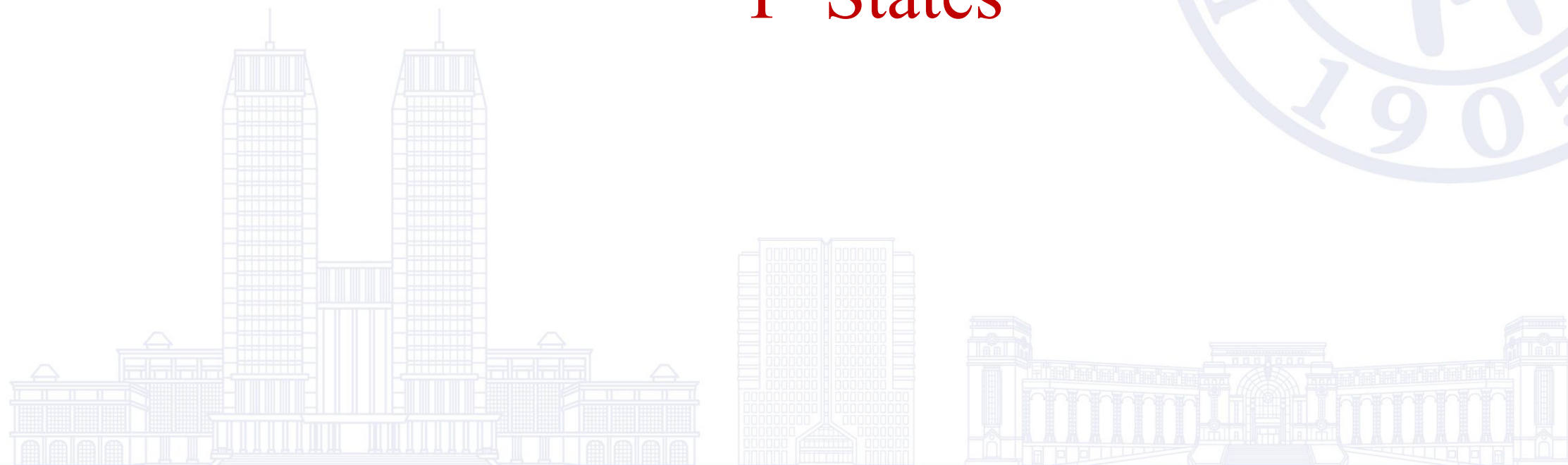
$$m_{X(4740)} = 4741 \pm 6 \pm 6 \text{ MeV}/c^2,$$

$$\Gamma_{X(4740)} = 53 \pm 15 \pm 11 \text{ MeV},$$



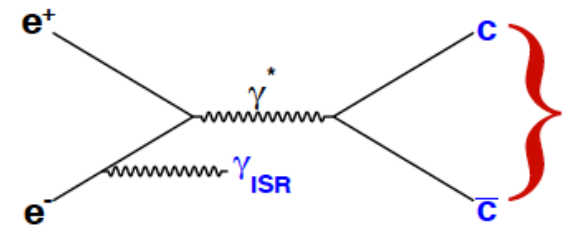


# Y States



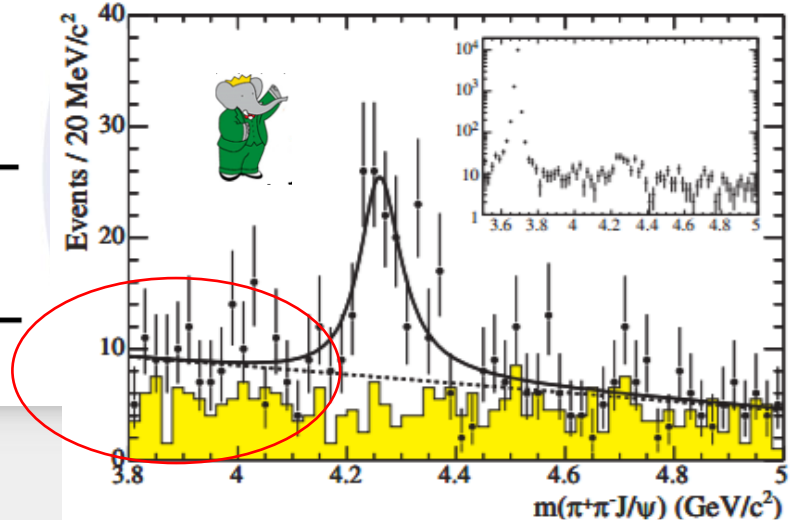
# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$ cross section : $Y(4260)$

BABAR PRL95,142001(2005)



$J^{PC} = 1^{--}$   
 $\psi', \psi'', Y \dots$

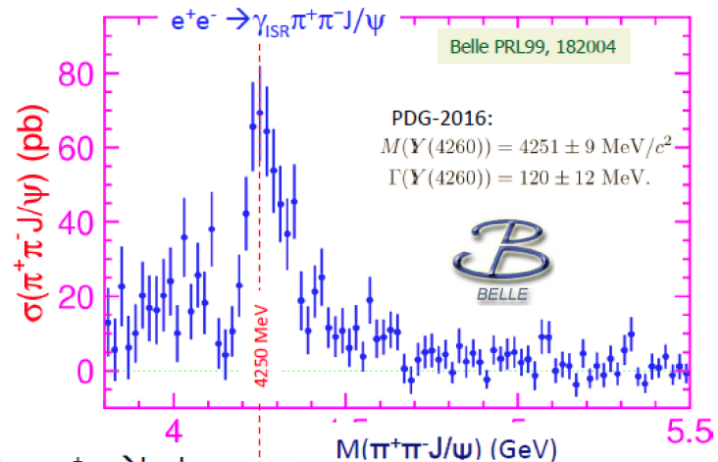
<b>X(4260)</b>	$I^{G(J^{PC})} = ??(1^{--})$
X(4260) MASS	4251 ± 9      AVERAGE
X(4260) WIDTH	120 ± 12      AVERAGE



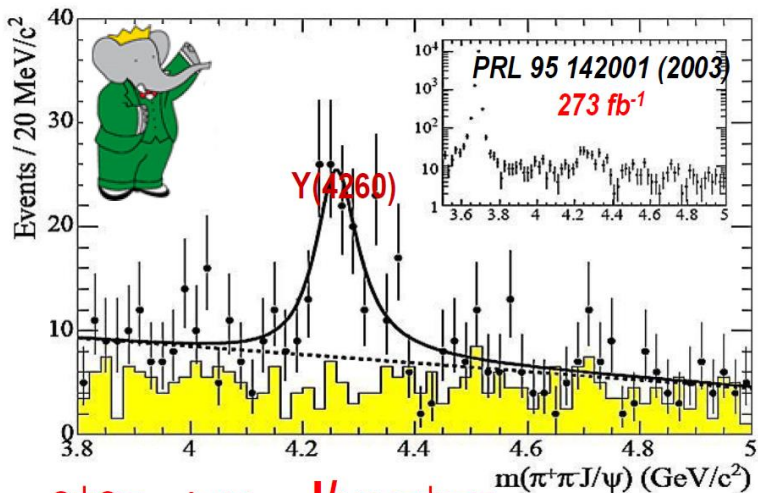
$\psi(4230)$        $I^{G(J^{PC})} = 0^-(1^{--})$

also known as  $Y(4230)$ ; was  $\psi(4260)$

The original  $\psi(4260)$  (also known as  $Y(4260)$ ) was observed by [AUBERT, B 2005I](#) as a peak in the energy dependence of the  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$  cross section and was confirmed by [HE 2006B](#), [YUAN 2007](#), [LEES 2012AC](#), and [LIU 2013B](#) in the same process. A higher-statistics analysis by [ABLIKIM 2017B](#) revealed an asymmetry in the cross section and resulted in a shift of the peak position to a lower mass. The  $\psi(4260)$  was therefore renamed  $\psi(4230)$ . The energy-dependent cross sections for  $e^+e^-$  to other channels also exhibit peaks in the same mass region. The parameters corresponding to those peaks are also listed here, but the number of states in this region remains to be determined. For details see the review on "Spectroscopy of mesons containing two heavy quarks."

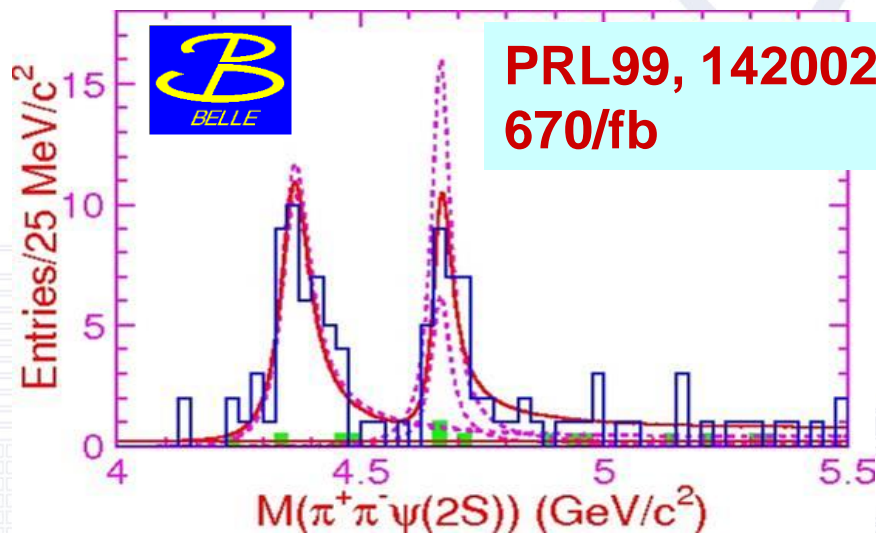
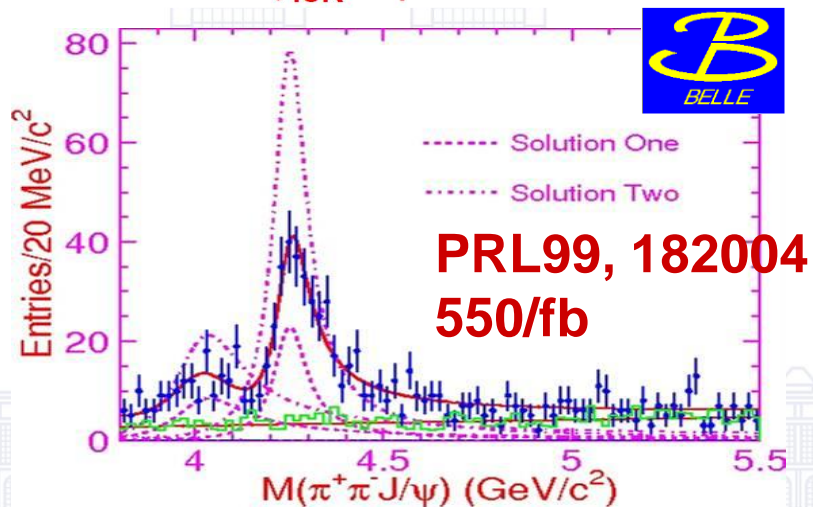
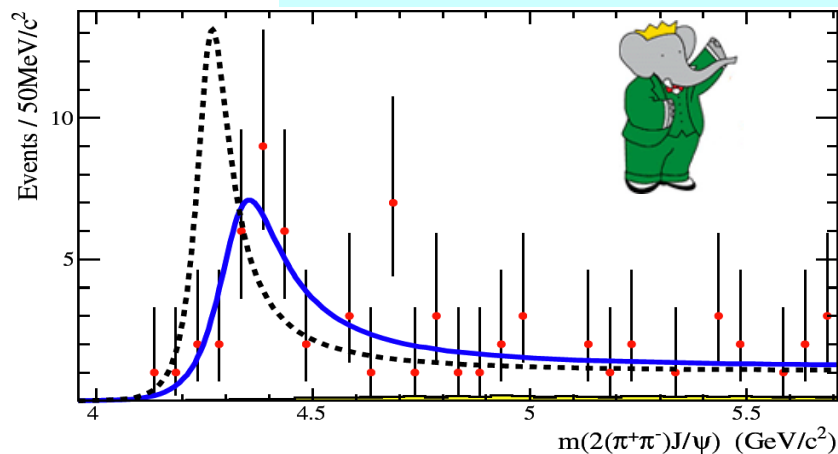


# The Y states



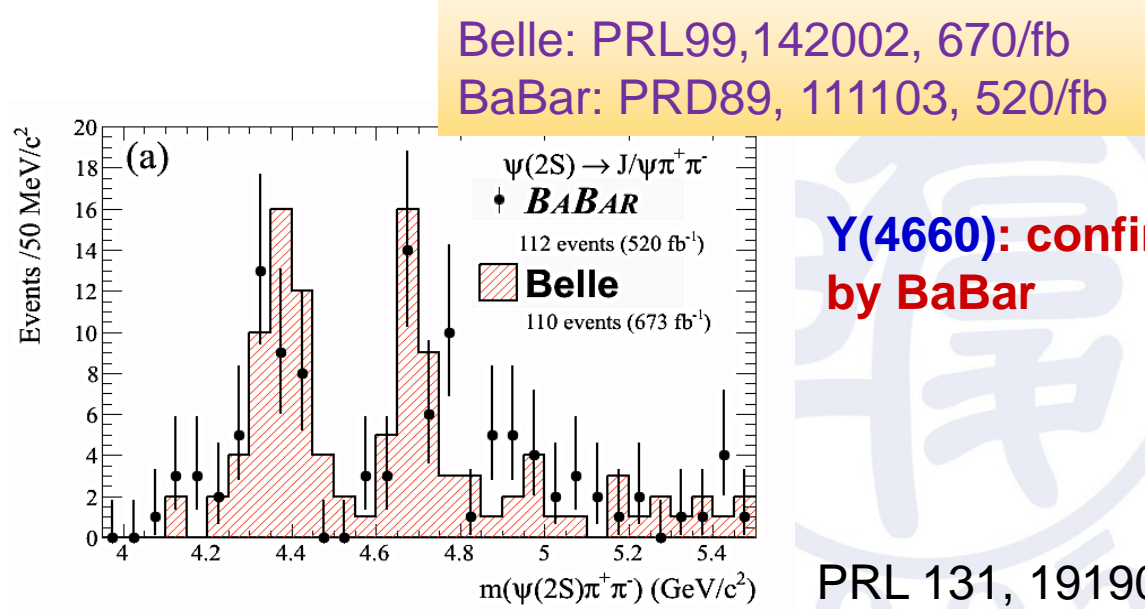
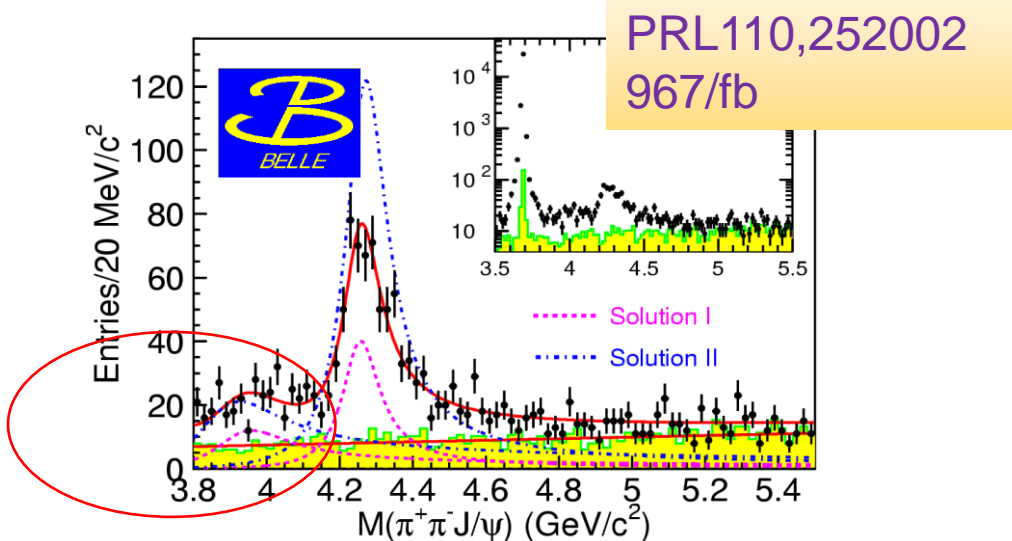
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma_{ISR} J/\psi \pi^+\pi^-$$

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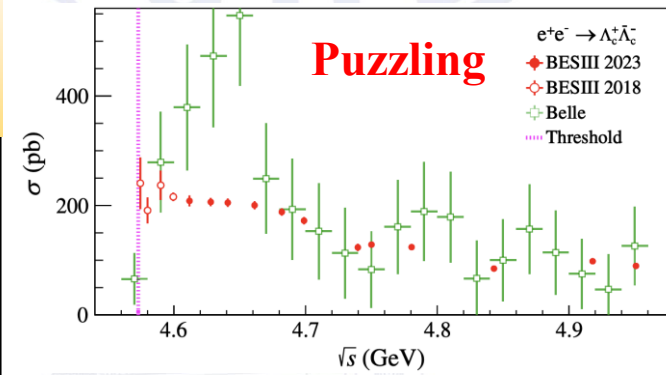
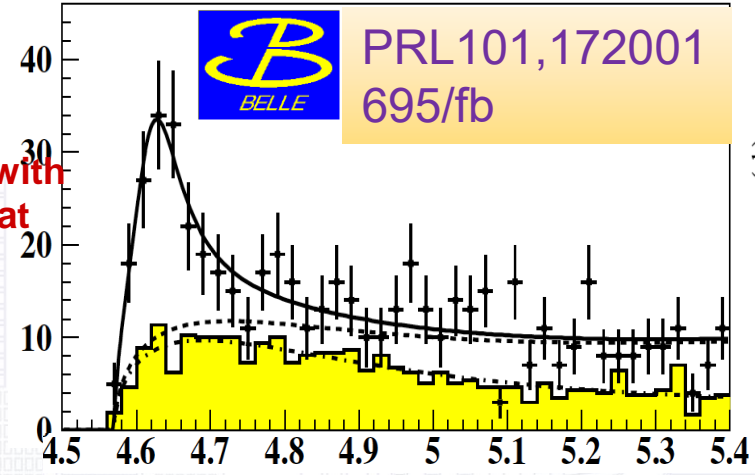
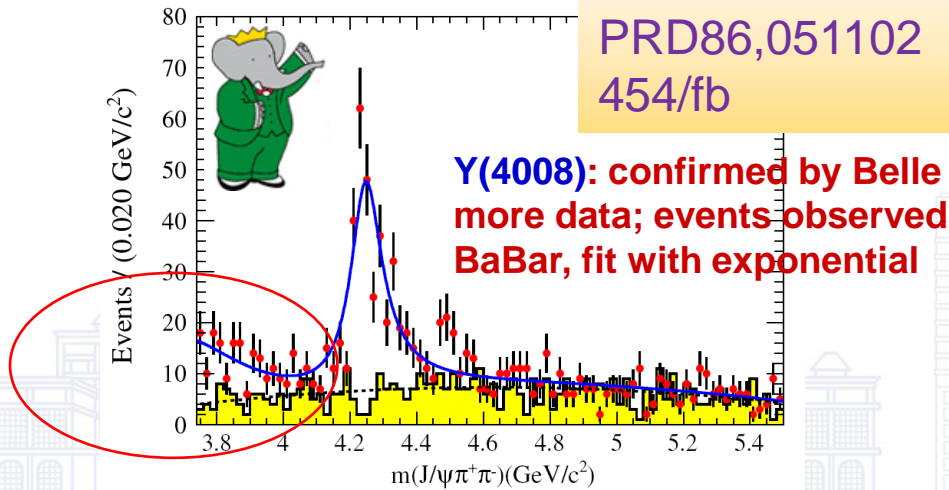
**Y(4008) Y(4260)  
Y(4360) Y(4660)**

# The Y states



**Y(4660): confirmed by BaBar**

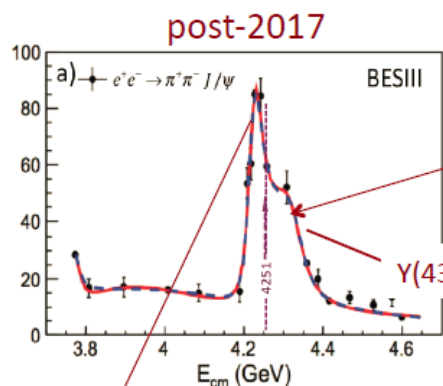
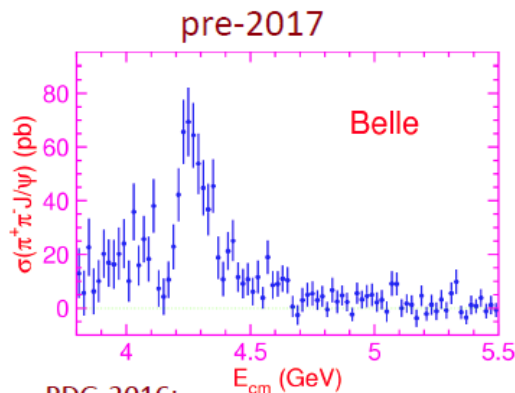
PRL 131, 191901 (2023)



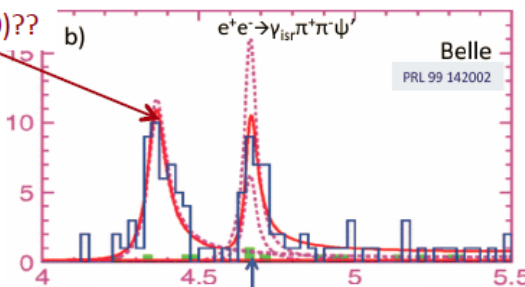
**$M(\Lambda_c^+ \Lambda_c^-)$**

# Y(4260): mass $\rightarrow$ lower & width $\rightarrow$ narrower

PRL118, 092001 (2017)



what is the 2<sup>nd</sup> peak?



PDG-2016:

$$M(Y(4260)) = 4251 \pm 9 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \xrightarrow{-31 \text{ MeV}} M_1 = 4220 \pm 4 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma(Y(4260)) = 120 \pm 12 \text{ MeV} \xrightarrow{\times 1/3} \Gamma_1 = 44 \pm 5 \text{ MeV}$$

Y(4220) decay modes:

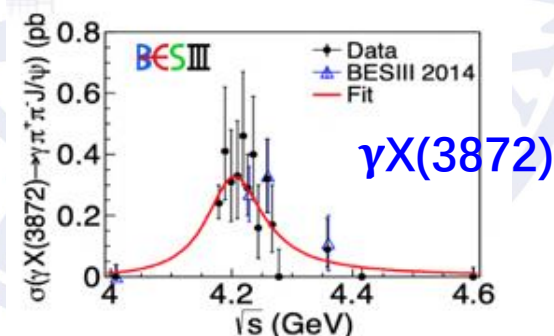
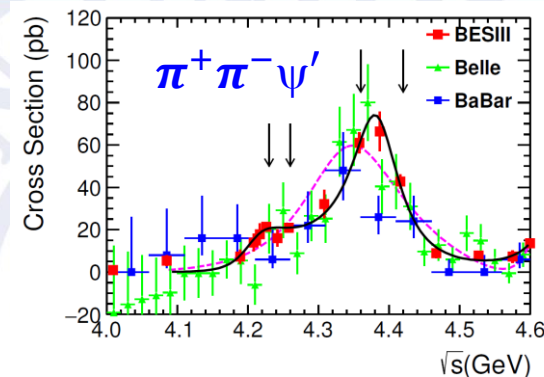
- $\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi$ 
  - $\pi Z_c(3900)$
  - $f_0(980)J/\psi$
- $\pi^+\pi^-h_c$
- $\omega\chi_{c0}$
- $\eta J/\psi$
- $\gamma X(3872)$
- $\pi D\bar{D}^*$

$$M_2 = 4320 \pm 13 \text{ MeV}/c^2 \xrightarrow{\delta M \approx -1.8\sigma} M(Y(4360)) = 4346 \pm 6 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

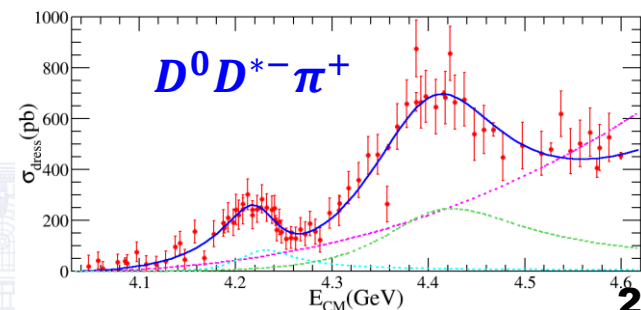
$$\Gamma_2 = 101_{-22}^{+27} \text{ MeV} \xrightarrow{\text{spot on}} \Gamma(Y(4360)) = 102 \pm 12 \text{ MeV}$$

Y(4320) decay modes:

- $\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi$
- $\pi^+\pi^-\psi'$



PRL 122, 232002 (2019)



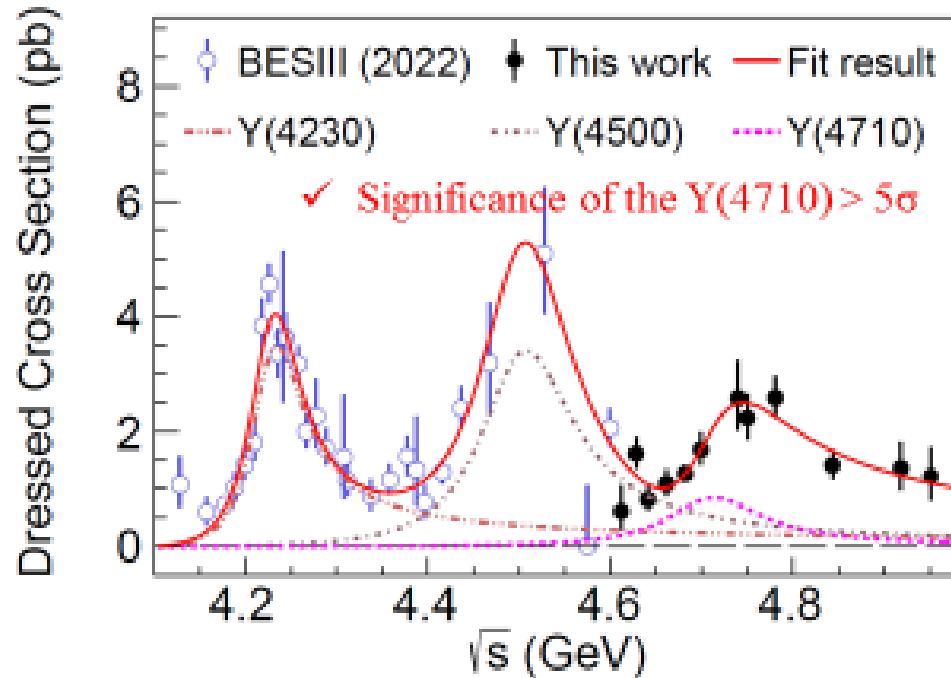
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An even higher mass vector state  $Y(4710)$  in  $KKJ/\psi$

PRL131, 211902 (2023)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow K^+K^-J/\psi$

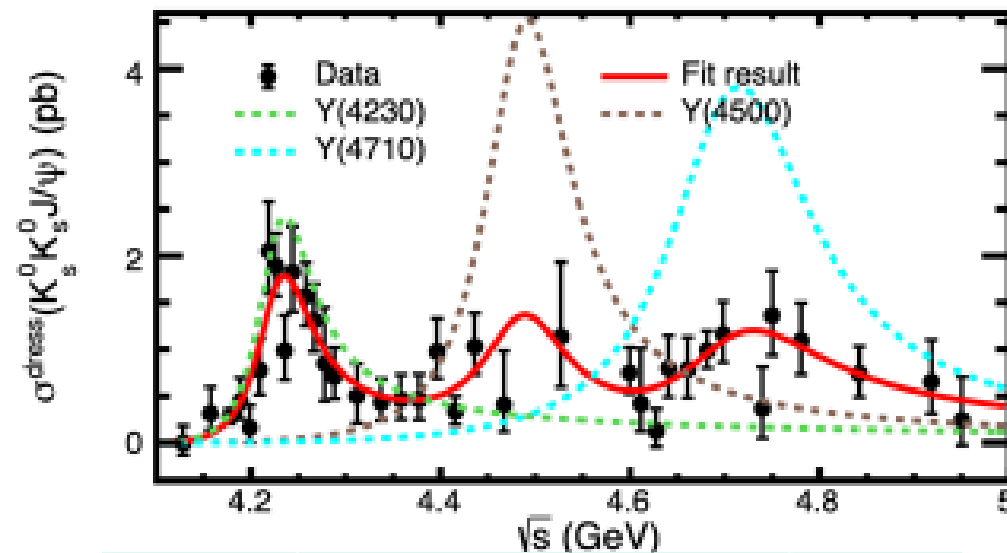
$5.85 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ,  $E_{\text{cm}}=4.61\text{-}4.95 \text{ GeV}$



resonance	mass (MeV)	width (MeV)	note
Y(4230)	$4226 \pm 2$	$70 \pm 4$	Stat. only
Y(4500)	$4499 \pm 8$	$124 \pm 20$	Stat. only
Y(4710)	$4708^{+17}_{-15} \pm 21$	$126^{+27}_{-23} \pm 30$	$> 5\sigma$

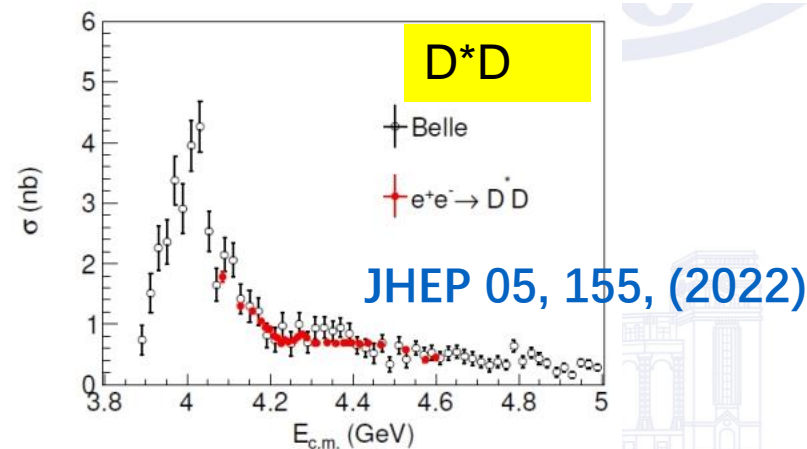
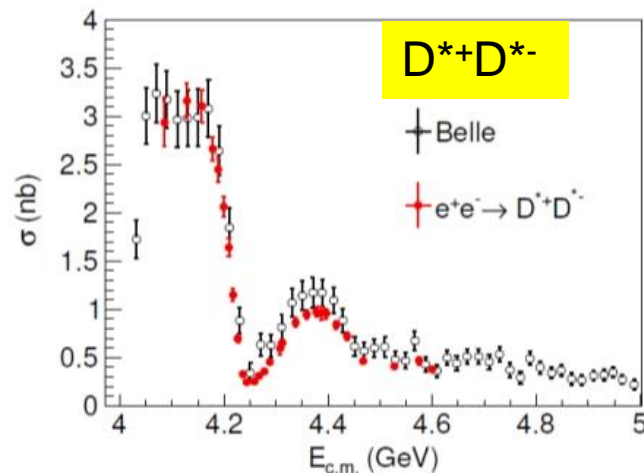
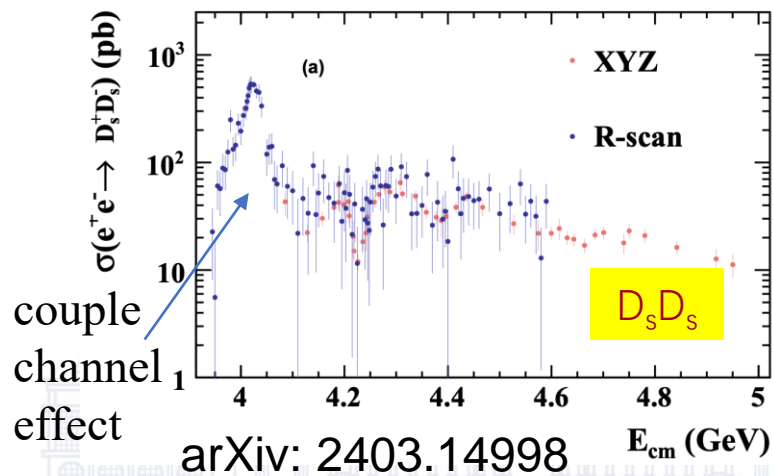
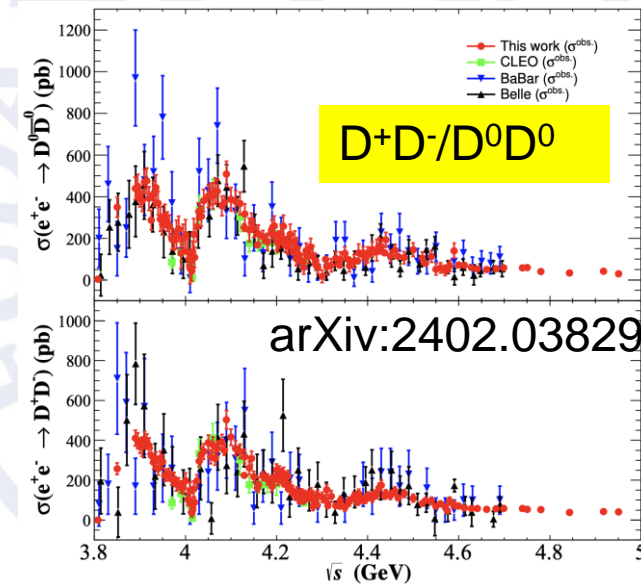
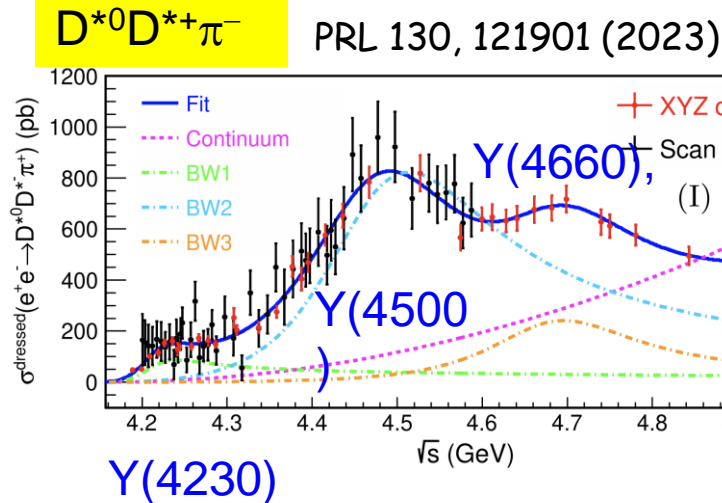
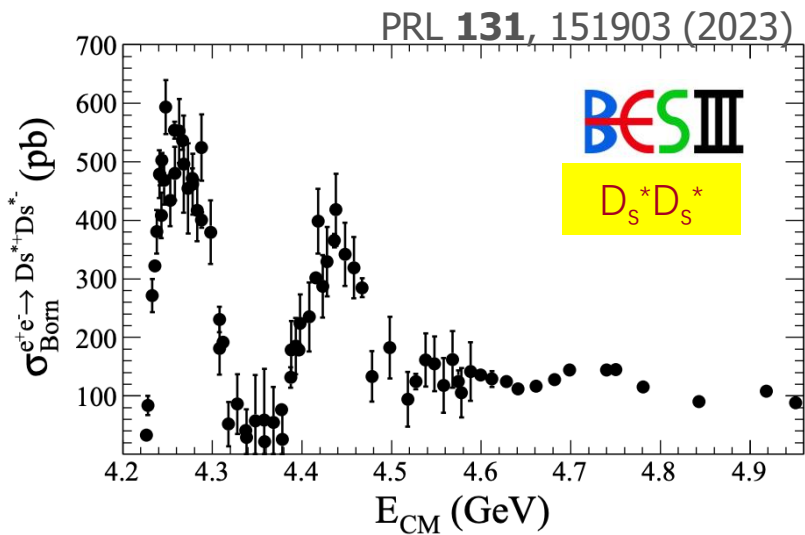
PRD107, 092005 (2023)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0 J/\psi$

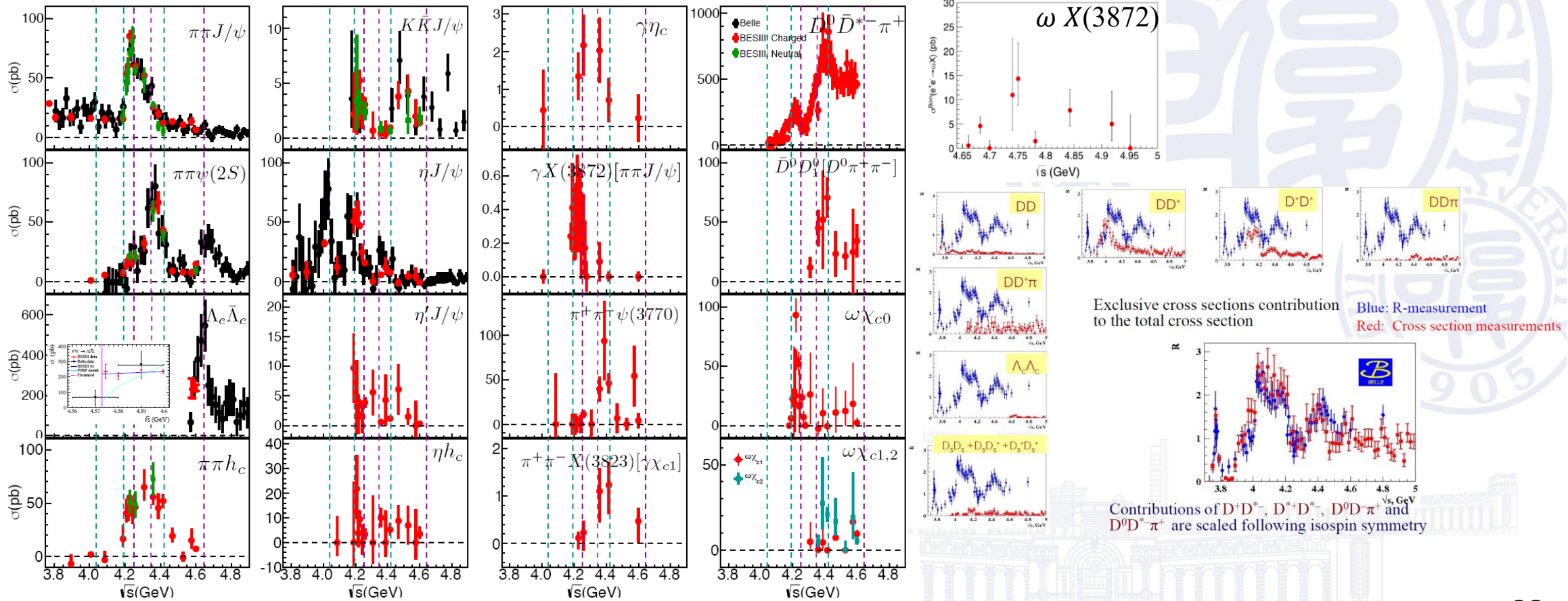


resonance	mass (MeV)	width (MeV)	note
Y(4230)	$4227 \pm 7 \pm 22$	$72 \pm 16 \pm 33$	
Y(4500)	Fixed	Fixed	$1.4\sigma$
Y(4710)	$4704 \pm 52 \pm 70$	$183 \pm 114 \pm 96$	$4.0\sigma$

5S vector charmonium states?

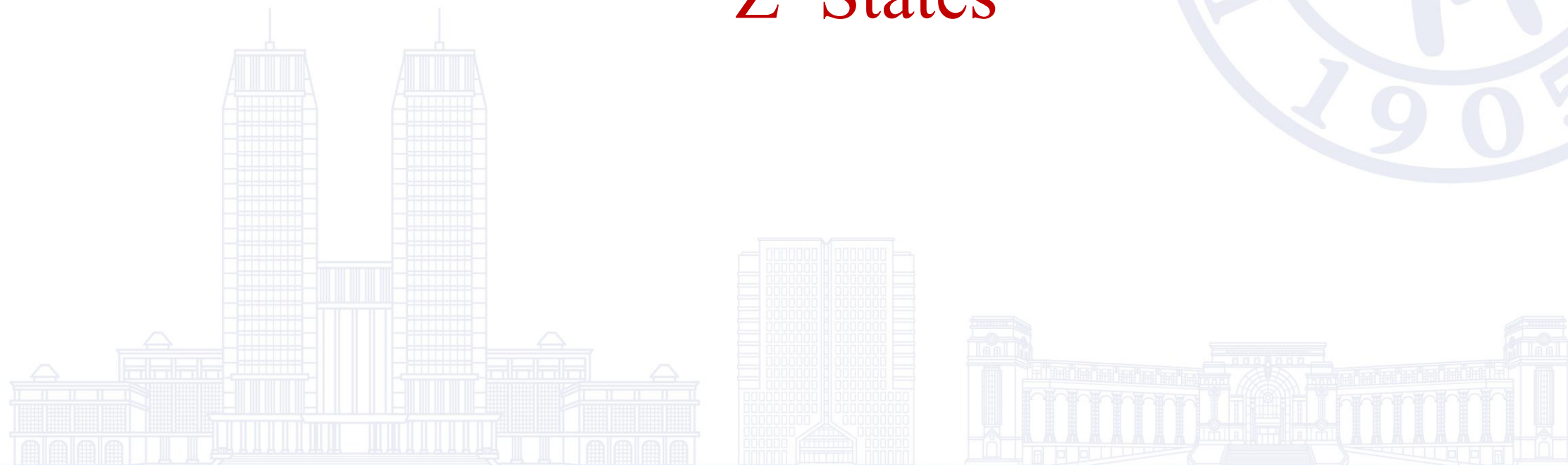


After we have measured all the  $e^+e^-$  annihilation cross sections, what do we do to get the resonant parameters of the vector charmonium(-like) states?





# Z States



# The $Z(4430)^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \psi'$

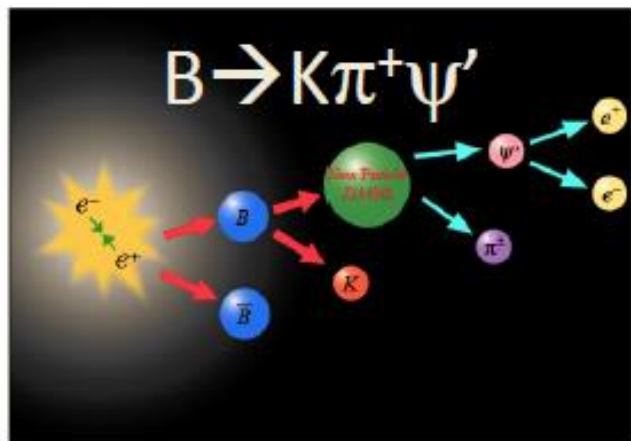
“smoking gun” evidence for a 4-quark meson



- decays to  $\psi'$   $\rightarrow$  must contain  $c\bar{c}$  pair
- electrically charged  $\rightarrow$  must contain  $u\bar{d}$  pair

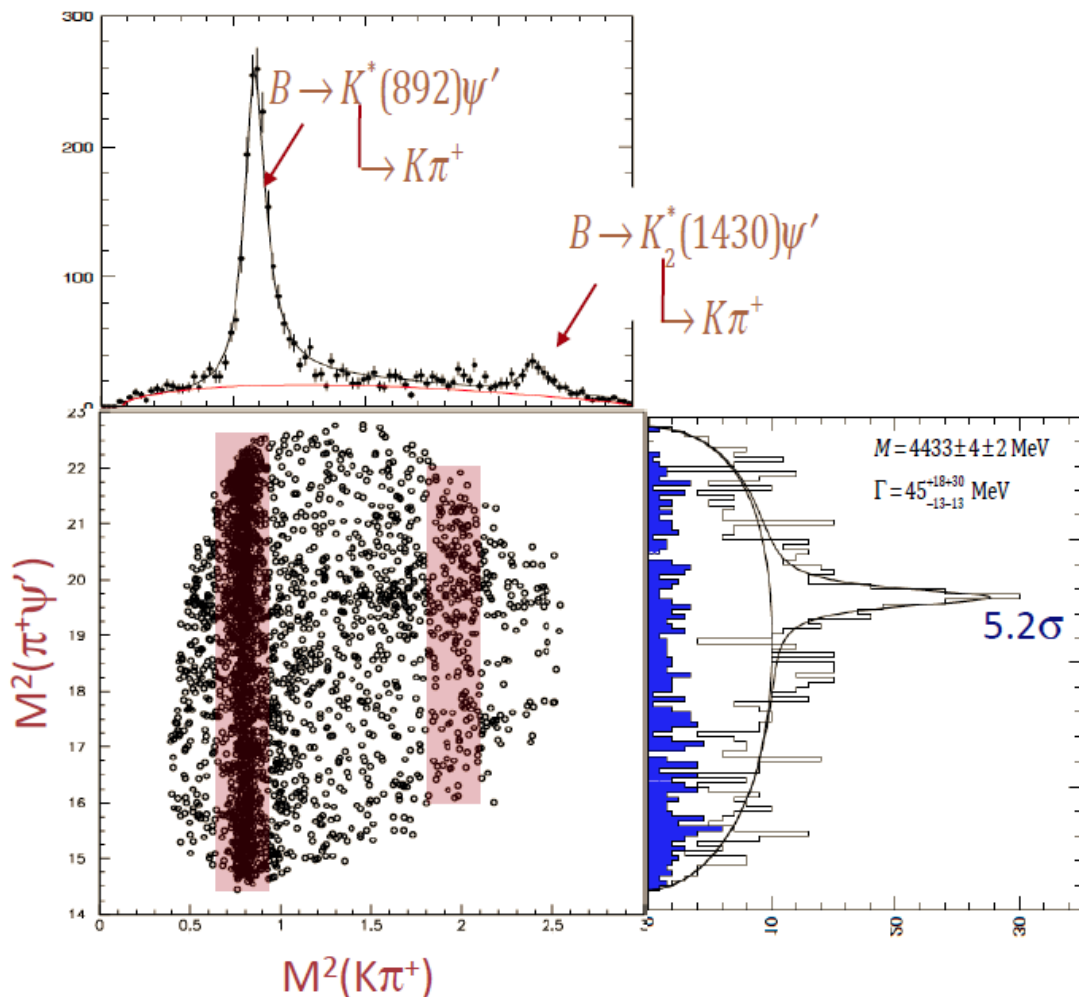
New type of elementary particle  
**Z(4430)**

quarks	charm <b>c</b>	anti charm <b>c̄</b>	up <b>u</b>	anti down <b>d̄</b>	
electric charge	$\frac{2}{3}$	$-\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$=1$

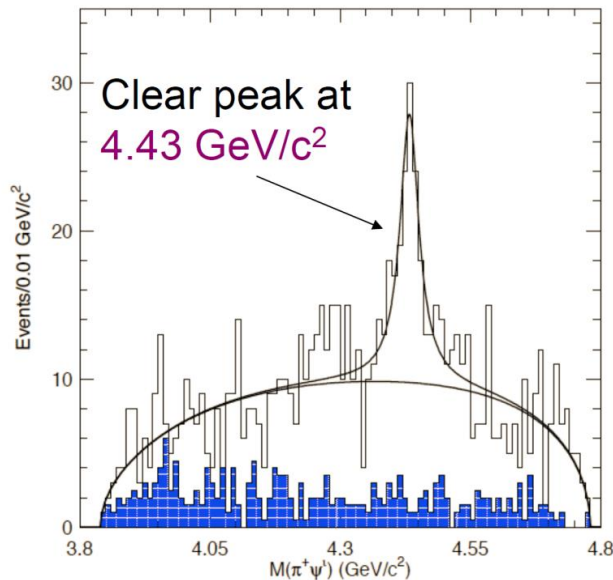


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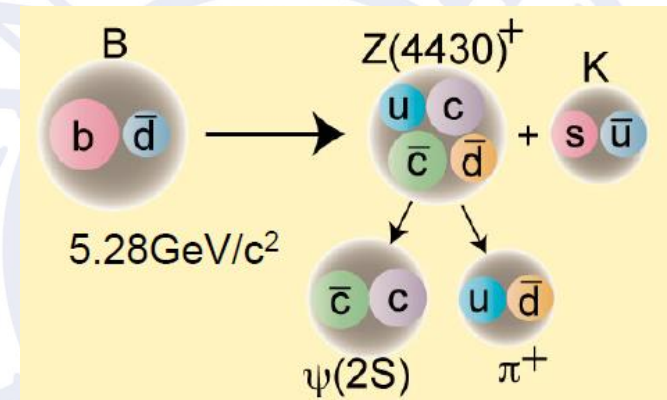
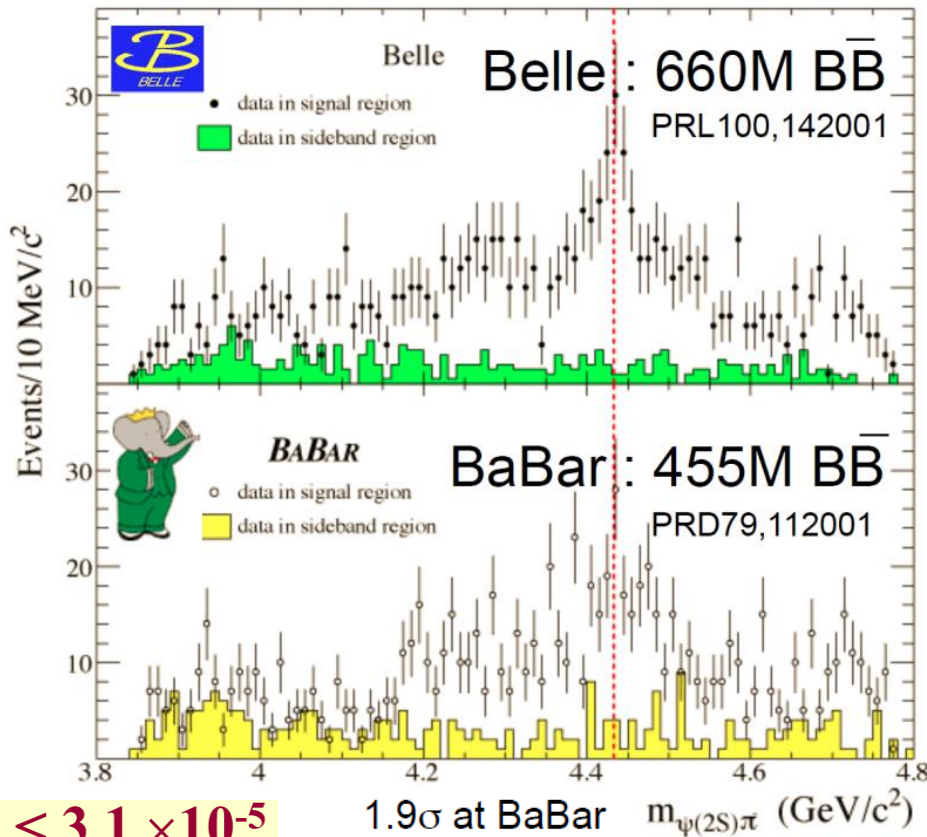
S-K Choi et al Belle: PRL 100 142001



# $Z_c(4430)^\pm$ exist or not ?



PRL 100, 142001 (2008)



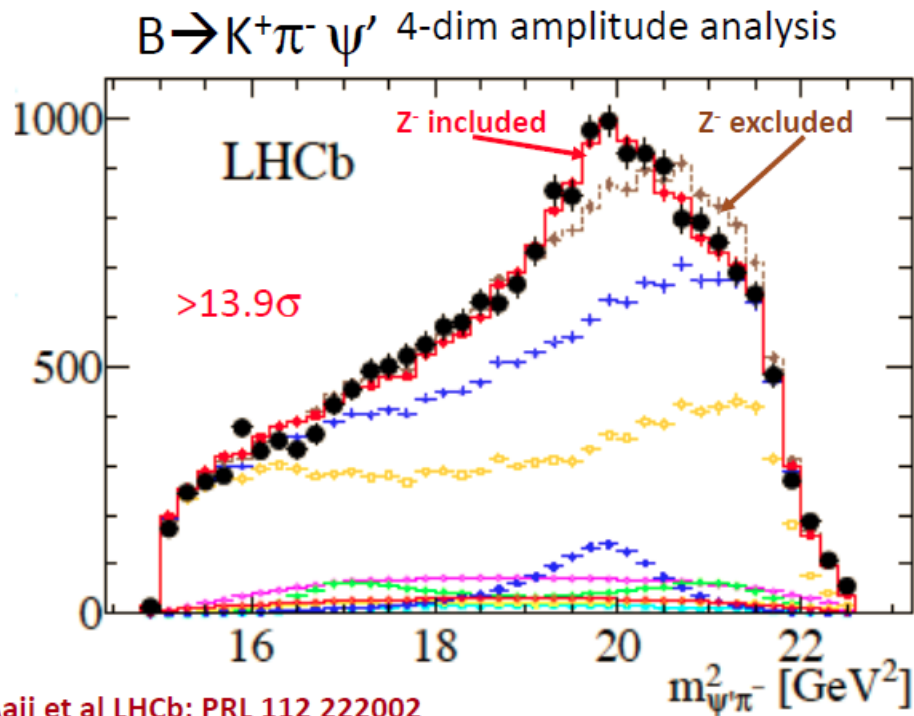
“For the fit ... equivalent to the Belle analysis...we obtain mass & width values that are consistent with theirs,... but only  $\sim 1.9\sigma$  from zero; fixing mass and width increases this to only  $\sim 3.1\sigma$ .”

$BF(B^0 \rightarrow Z^+ K) \times BF(Z^+ \rightarrow \psi(2S)\pi^+) < 3.1 \times 10^{-5}$

Belle PRL:  $(4.1 \pm 1.0 \pm 1.4) \times 10^{-5}$

Phys. Rev. D 79 (2009) 112001

# LHCb 4-dim analysis of $B \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \psi'$



R. Aaij et al LHCb: PRL 112 222002

$$J^P = 1^+$$

$$M = 4475 \pm 7_{-25}^{+15} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 172 \pm 13_{-34}^{+37} \text{ MeV}$$

Good agreement with Belle,  
(with smaller errors)

$$Bf(B^0 \rightarrow Z(4430)^- K^+) \times Bf(Z(4430)^- \rightarrow \pi^- \psi') \approx (3.4_{-2.3}^{-1.1}) \times 10^{-5}$$

• PRL 112 (2014) 222002



# Belle observed Two $Z^\pm \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^\pm$

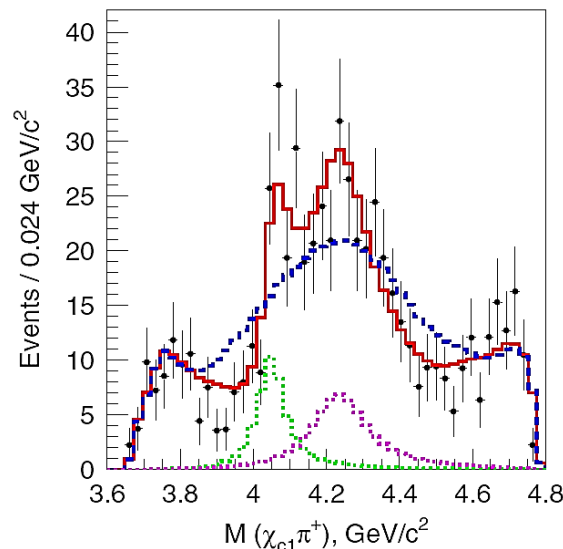
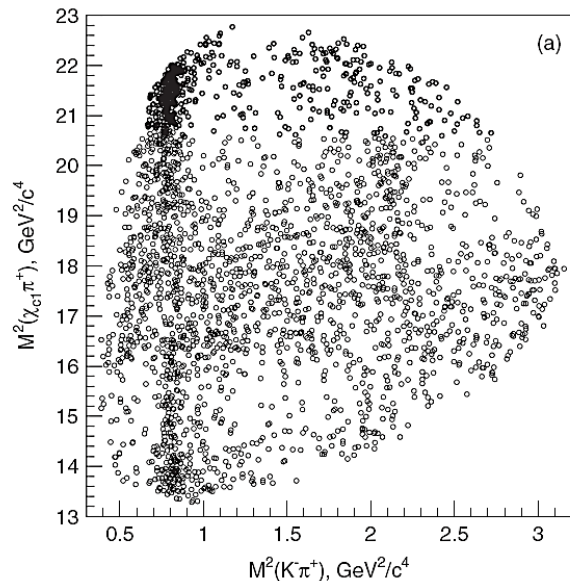
- Dalitz-plot analysis of  $\underline{B}^0 \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^+ K^-$   $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma$  with 657M  $\underline{B}\bar{B}$
- Dalitz plot models: known  $K^* \rightarrow K\pi$  only

$K^*$ 's + one  $Z \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^\pm$

$K^*$ 's + two  $Z^\pm$  states  $\Rightarrow$  favored by data

Significance:  $5.7\sigma$

PRD 78, 072004 (2008)



— fit for model with  $K^*$ 's  
 — fit for double Z model  
 —  $Z_1$  contribution  
 —  $Z_2$  contribution

$M(\chi_{c1} \pi^+)$   
 for  $1 < M^2(K^- \pi^+) < 1.75 \text{ GeV}^2$

$$M_{Z_1} = 4051 \pm 14^{+20}_{-41} \text{ MeV}$$

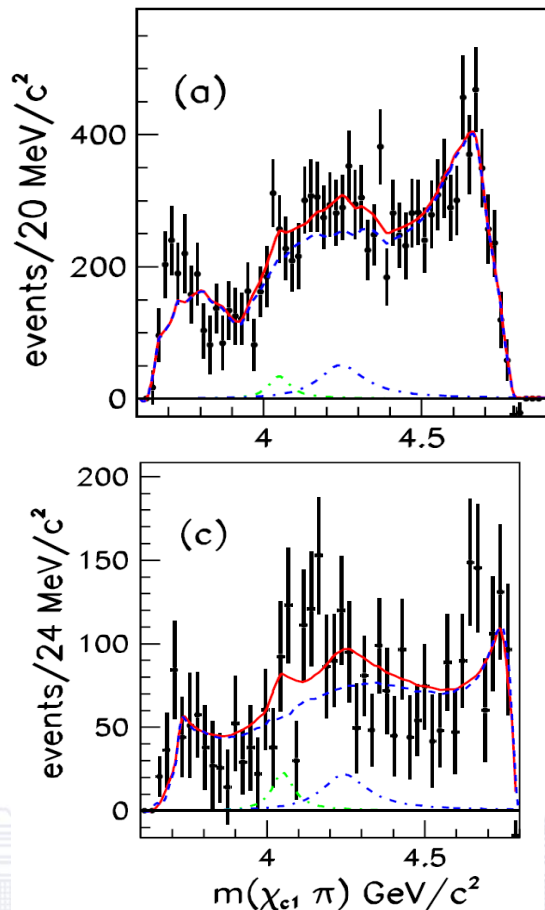
$$\Gamma_{Z_1} = 82^{+21}_{-17} {}^{+47}_{-22} \text{ MeV}$$

$$M_{Z_2} = 4248^{+44}_{-29} {}^{+180}_{-35} \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_{Z_2} = 177^{+54}_{-39} {}^{+316}_{-61} \text{ MeV}$$

# BaBar doesn't see significant $Z^\pm \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^\pm$

PRD85, 052003 (2012)



for  $1 < M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 1.75 \text{ GeV}^2$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow Z_1(4050)^+ K^-) \times \mathcal{B}(Z_1(4050)^+ \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^+) < 1.8 \times 10^{-5},$$

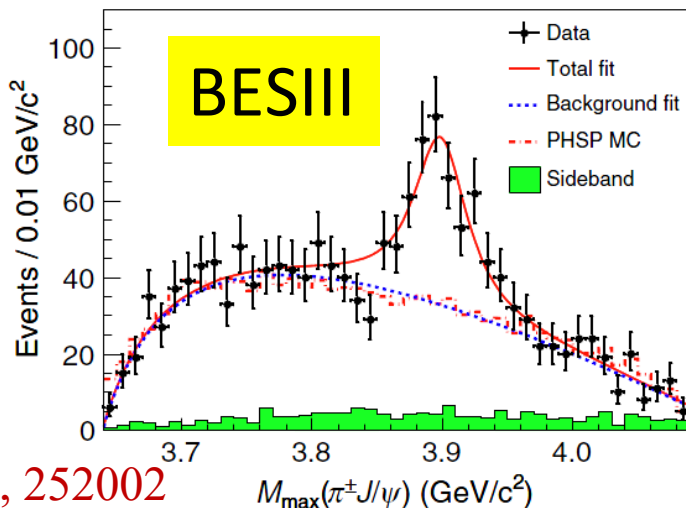
$$\text{Belle: } (3.0^{+1.5}_{-0.8} {}^{+3.7}_{-1.6}) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow Z_2(4250)^+ K^-) \times \mathcal{B}(Z_2(4250)^+ \rightarrow \chi_{c1} \pi^+) < 4.0 \times 10^{-5},$$

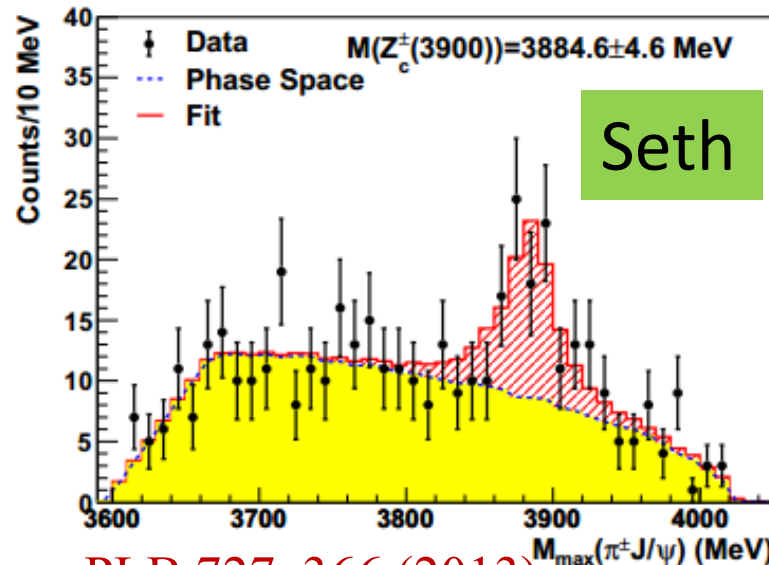
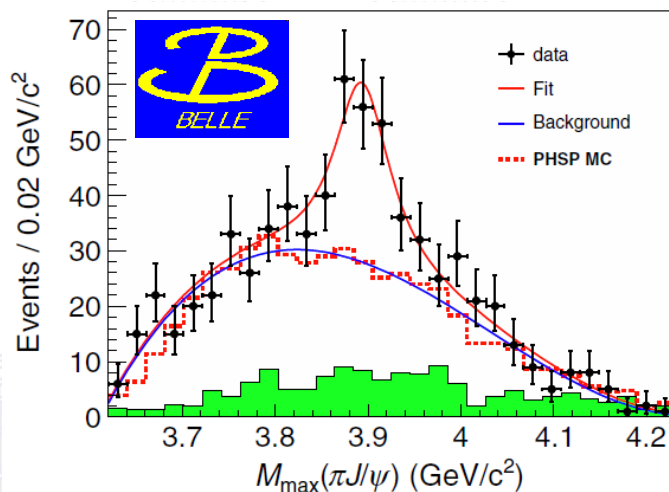
$$\text{Belle: } (4.0^{+2.3}_{-0.9} {}^{+19.7}_{-0.5}) \times 10^{-5}$$

“We find that it is possible to obtain a good description of our data without the need for additional resonances in the  $\chi_{c1} \pi$  system.”

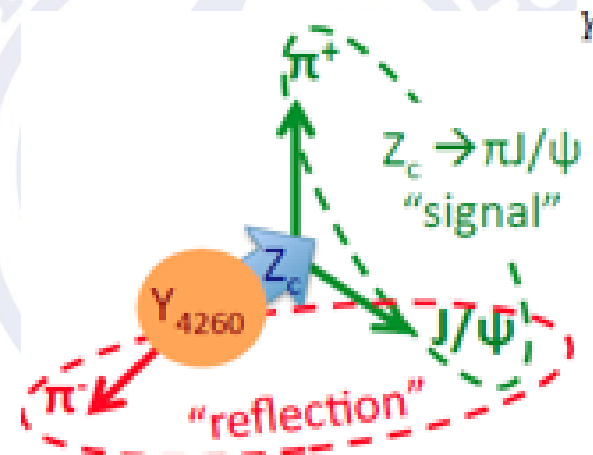
# PRL 110, 252001 $Z_c(3900)^\pm$ in BESIII + Belle + CLEO's data (2013)



# PRL 110, 252002 (2013)



PLB 727, 366 (2013)



BESIII: 2013.3.24  
Belle: 3.30  
CLEOc: 4.10  
 $Z_c$  established!

$$M(Z_c(4430)) - M(Z_c(3900)) = 589 \pm 30 \text{ MeV}$$

$$M(\psi') - M(J/\psi) = 589 \text{ MeV}$$

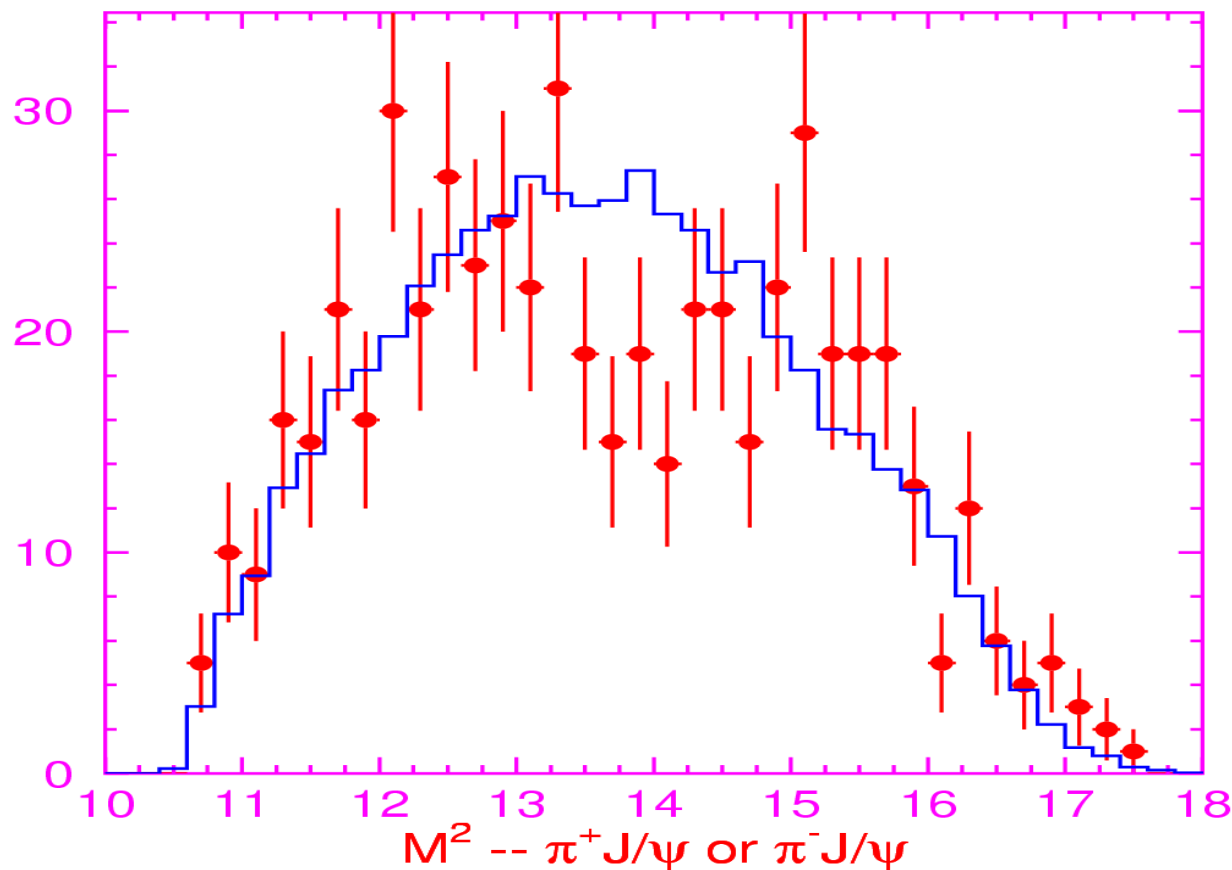
Question:  $Z_c$  has been confirmed. How about  $Z_s$ ? How to search for it?



# $M(\pi\pi J/\psi) \in [4.2, 4.4] \text{ GeV}$ via ISR

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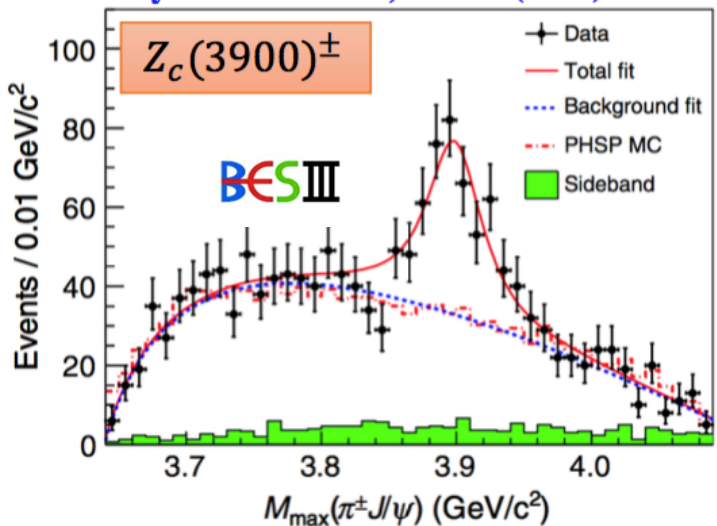
548/fb at 10.58 GeV  
Peaks at 12 & 15 GeV<sup>2</sup>?  
Shown at QWG'2011





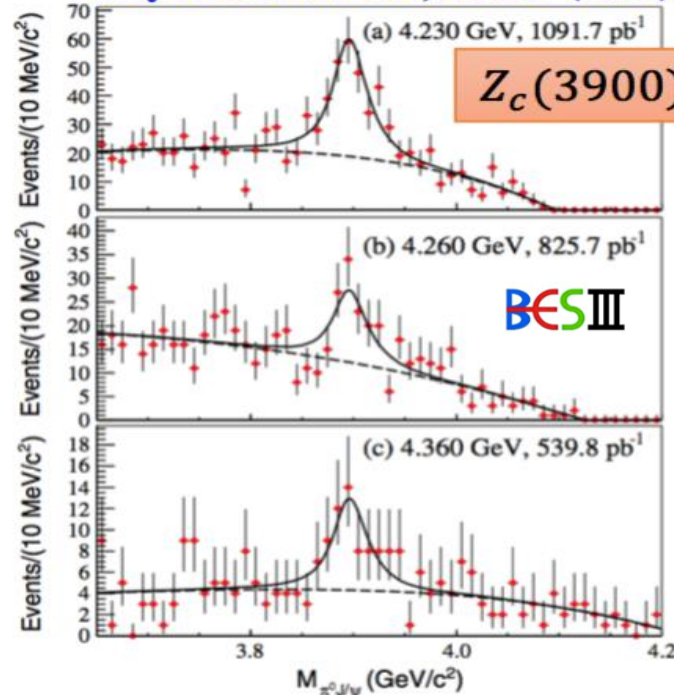
## $Z_c(3900)$ State ( $I=1$ )

Phys. Rev. Lett 110, 252001 (2013)



- Charged charmonium-like structure ( $>10\sigma$ )
- Decay to  $J/\psi$  ( $c\bar{c}$ ) and electric charge ( $u\bar{d}$  or  $d\bar{u}$ )
- $M = 3899.0 \pm 3.6 \pm 4.9 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ,  $\Gamma = 46 \pm 10 \pm 20 \text{ MeV}$
- $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi) = 62.9 \pm 1.9 \pm 3.7 \text{ pb}$  at 4.26 GeV
- $\frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^\mp Z_c(3900)^\pm \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)} = 21.5 \pm 3.3 \pm 7.5 \%$
- The first  $Z_c$  state observed by more than one experiment (Belle and CLEO-c)!

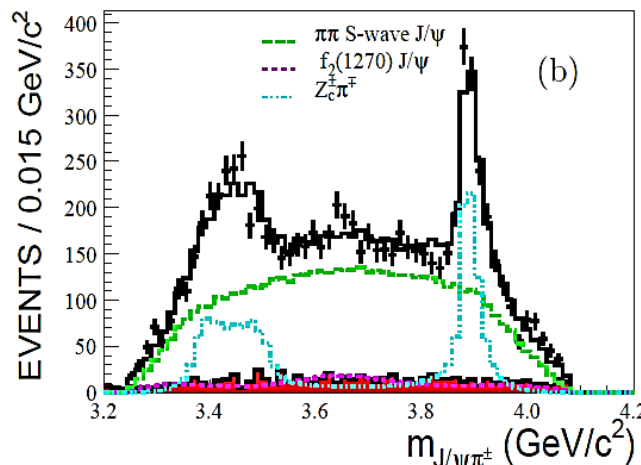
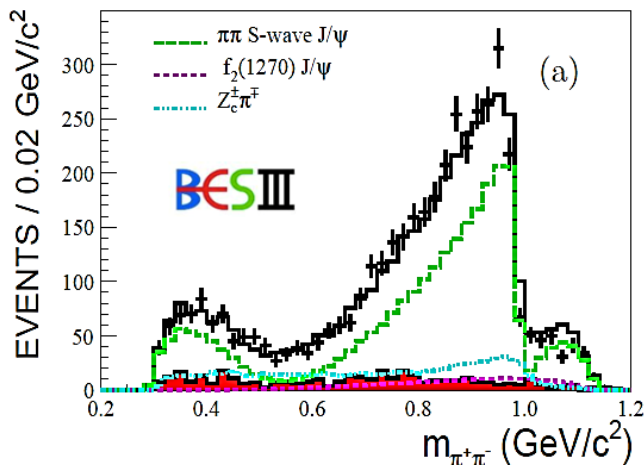
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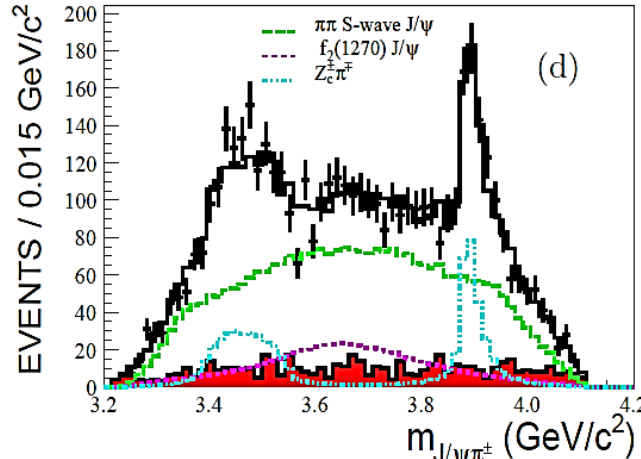
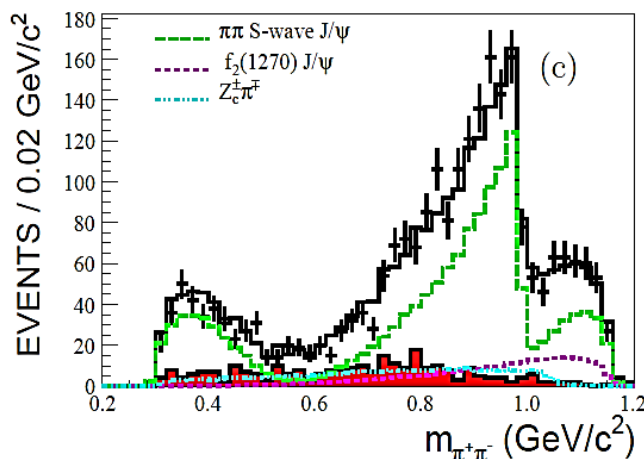
- Neutral charmonium-like structure ( $10.4\sigma$ )
- Using 3 data samples ( $\sim 2.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- Evidence with  $3.7\sigma$  by using CLEO-c data
- $M = 3894.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 3.2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ,  $\Gamma = 29.6 \pm 8.2 \pm 8.2 \text{ MeV}$
- An iso-spin triplet is established!

# Spin and parity measurement of $Z_c(3900)$

4.23 GeV  
1092/pb



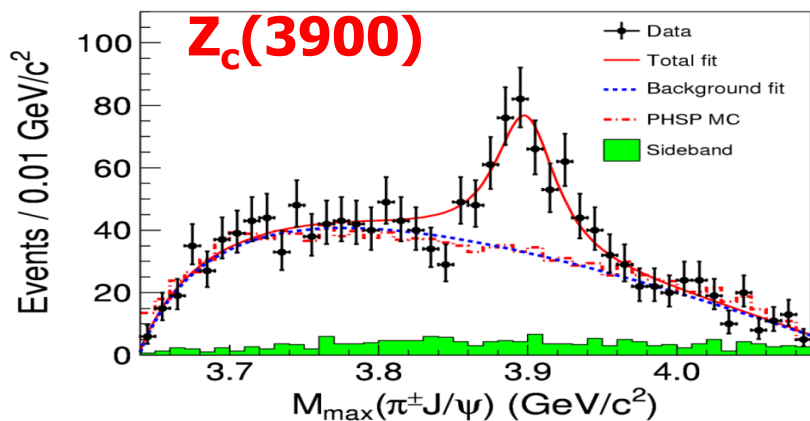
4.26 GeV  
826/pb



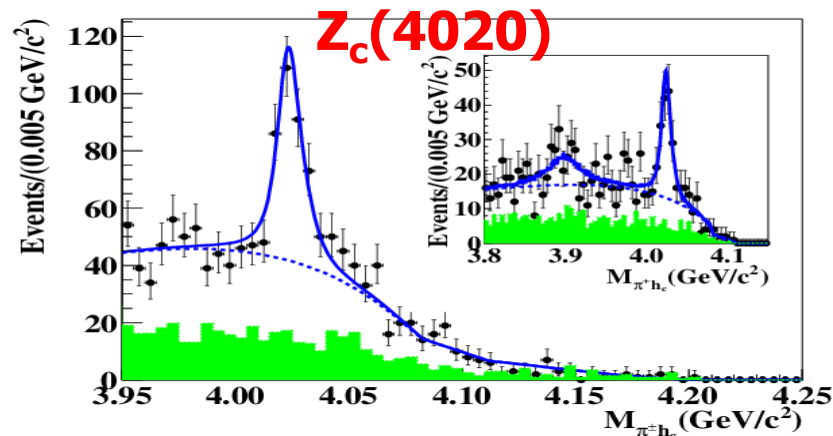
- ✓ simultaneous fit of two data sets
- ✓ Isoobar model:  
 $\sigma, f_0, f_0(1370), f_2(1270), Z_c^\pm$
- ✓  $Z_c^\pm$  as  $1^+$  state

Phys.Rev.Lett.119, 072001 (2017)

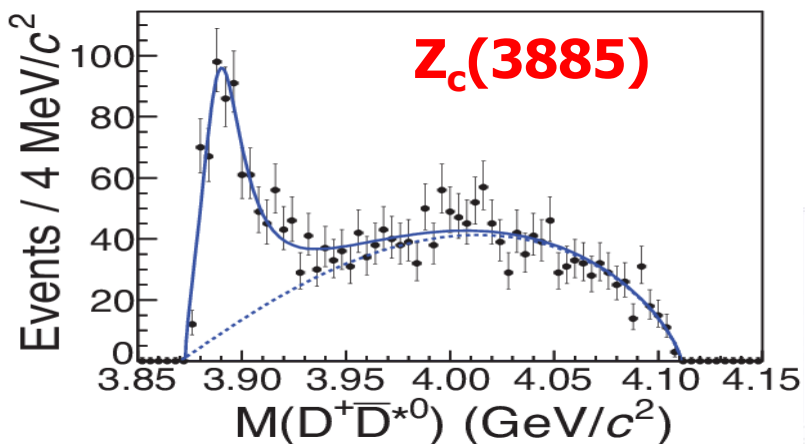
# Open the $Z_c$ door !



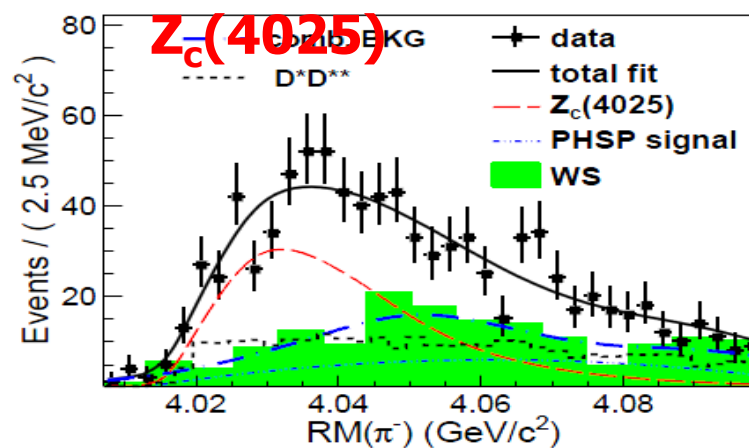
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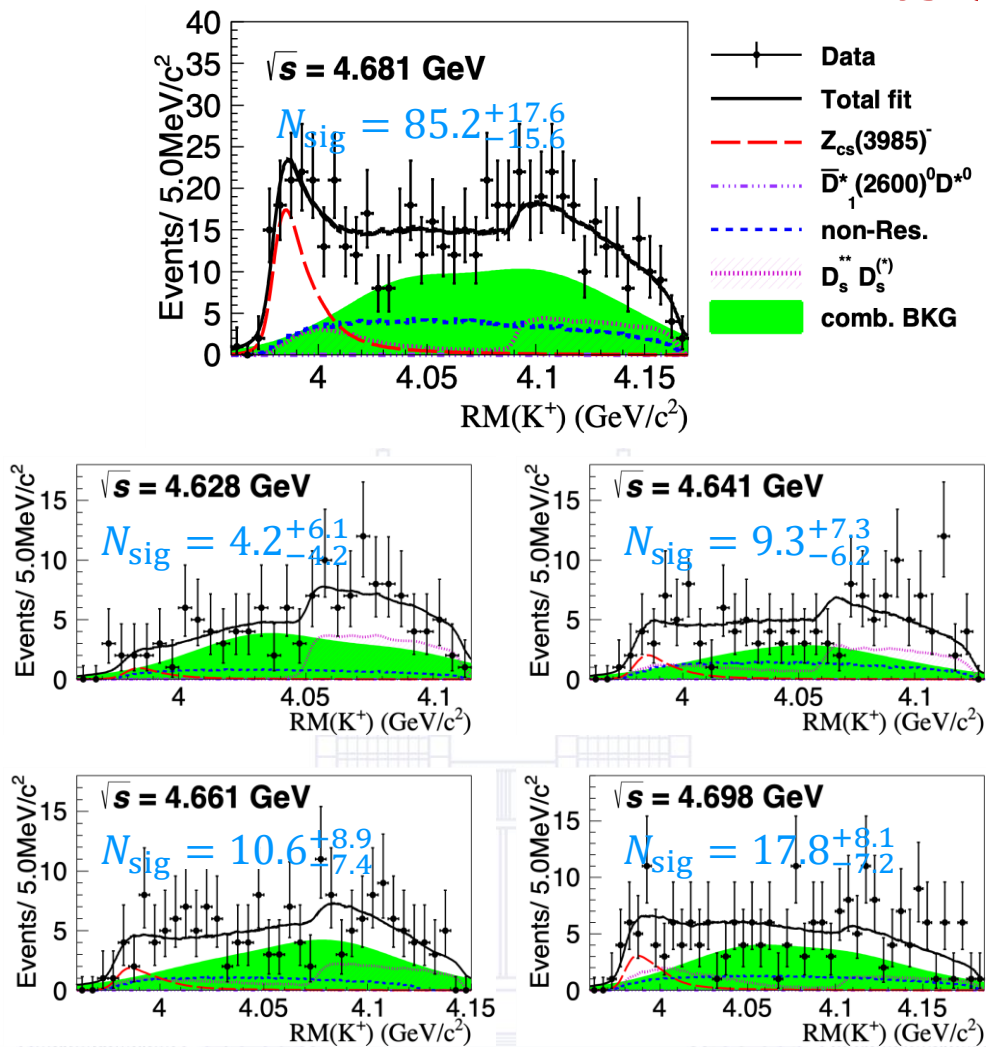
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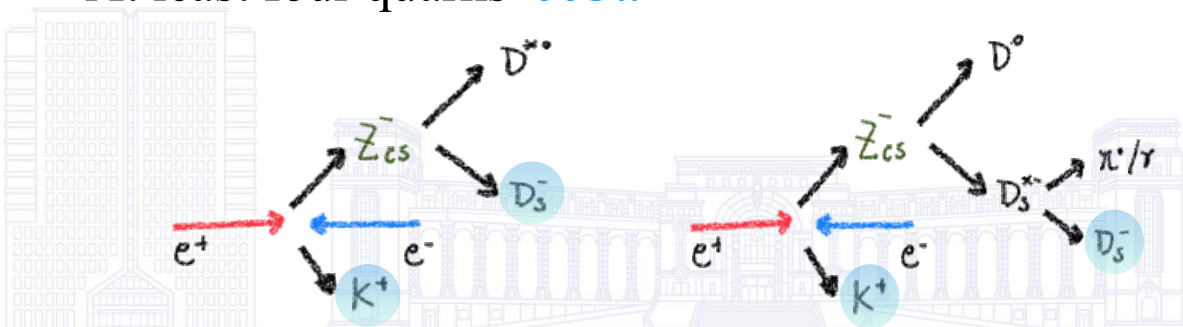
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# Observation of $Z_{cs}$ (3985)—first $Z_c$ with a strange quark

PRL 126, 102001 (2021)

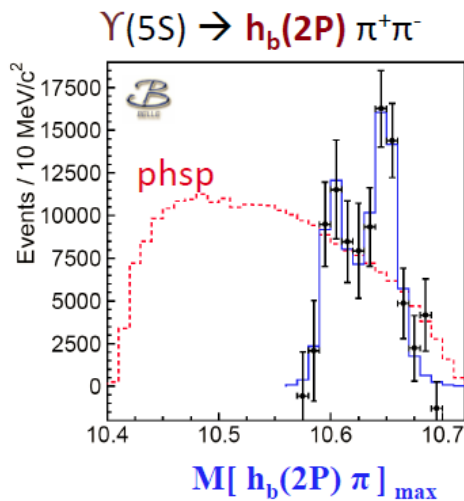
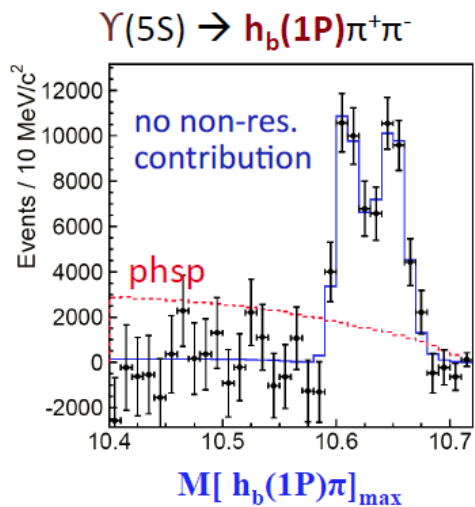


- $e^+e^- \rightarrow K^+(D_s^- D^{*0} + D_s^{*-} D^0)$ 
  - $3.7\text{fb}^{-1}$  data at 4628, 4640, 4660, 4680, and 4700
- Assume  $J^P=1^+$
- Simultaneous fit to five data samples
- Pole position:
 
$$m = 3982.5^{+1.8}_{-2.6} \pm 2.1\text{MeV}/c^2 \quad \Gamma = 12.8^{+5.3}_{-4.4} \pm 3.0\text{MeV}$$
- Significance:  $5.3\sigma$
- At least four quarks  $c\bar{c}s\bar{u}$





# Resonant structure of $\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow (b\bar{b})\pi^+\pi^-$

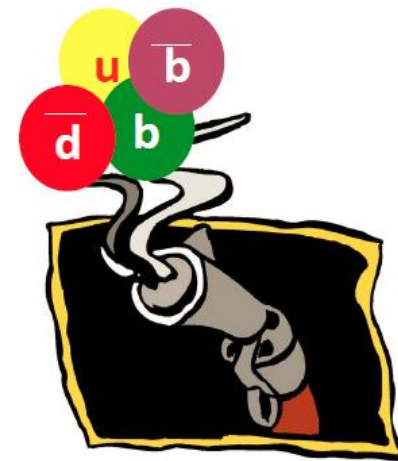


decays to  $\Upsilon(nS)$  &  $h_b(nP)$   $\rightarrow$  must contain  $b\bar{b}$  pair

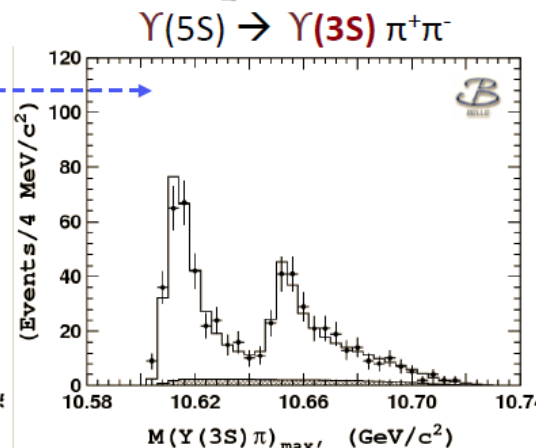
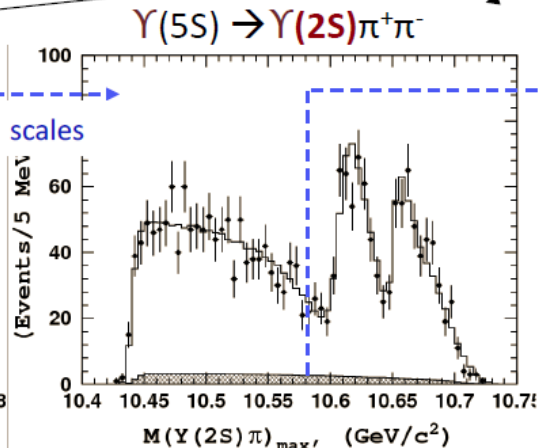
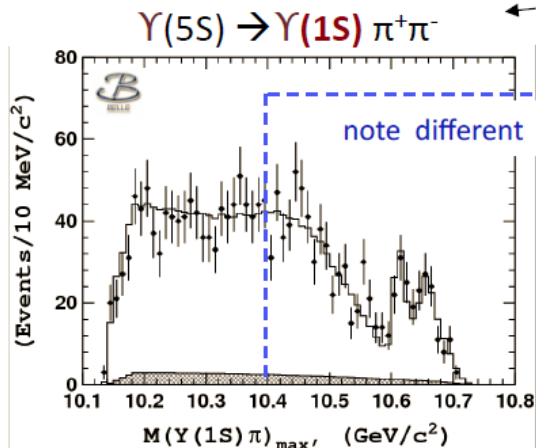
electrically charged  $\rightarrow$  must contain  $u\bar{d}$  pair

Belle: PRL108, 232001 (2012)

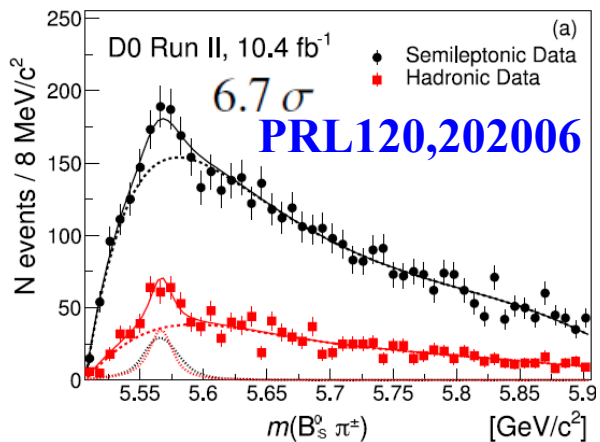
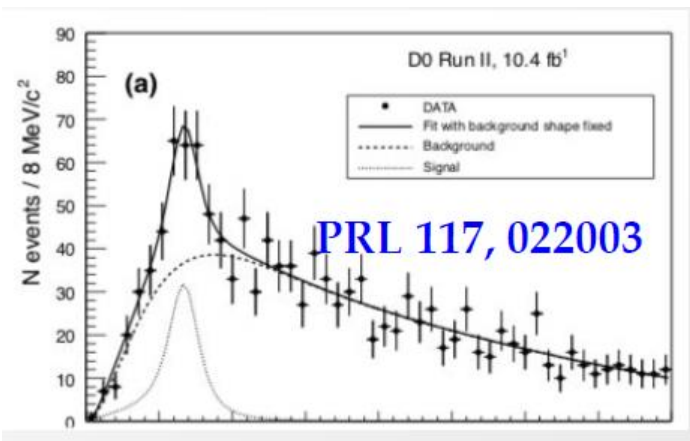
$Z_b(10610)$  and  $Z_b(10650)$   
should be multiquark states



Dalitz plot analysis

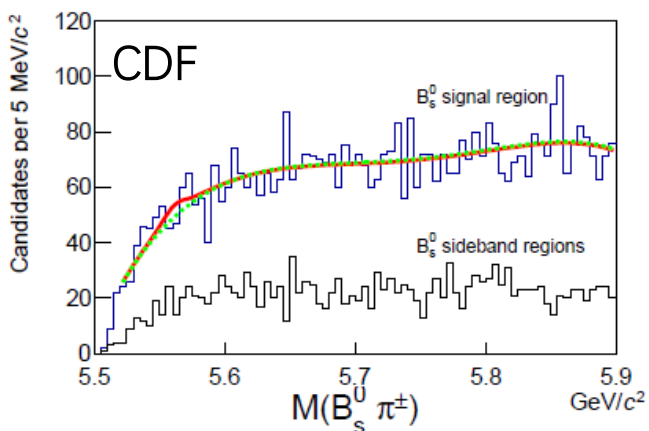


# X(5568) – puzzle ?

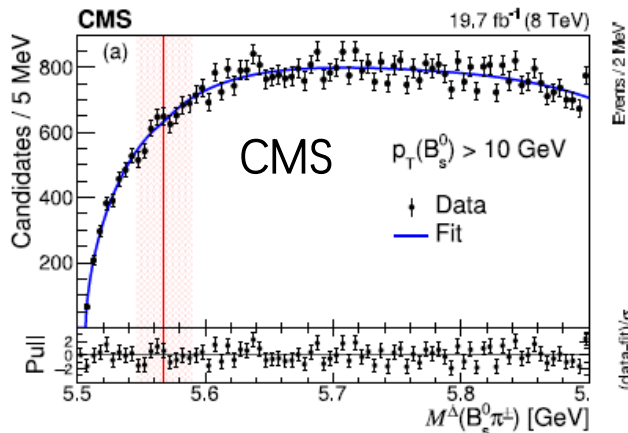


- Possible tetraquark candidate of four different quarks
- Seen by D0 with **4.8 σ** significance  
 $m = 5567.8 \pm 2.9 \text{ (stat)}_{-1.9}^{+0.9} \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma = 21.9 \pm 6.4 \text{ (stat)}_{-2.5}^{+5.0} \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$

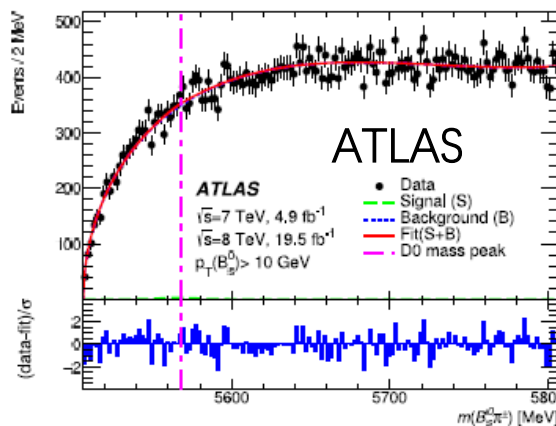
If confirmed, would be unique with 4 different flavors



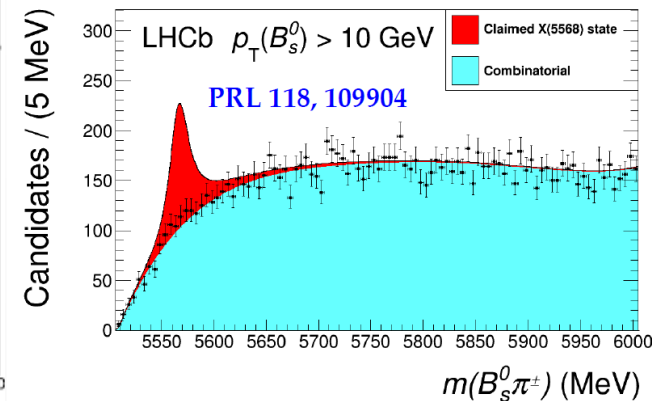
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PRL 120, 202005



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# Pc States

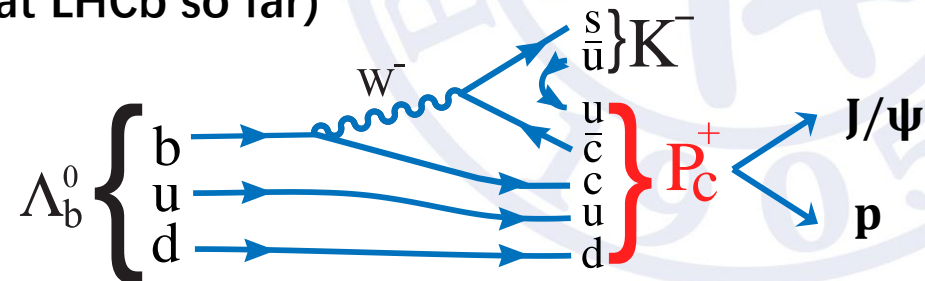
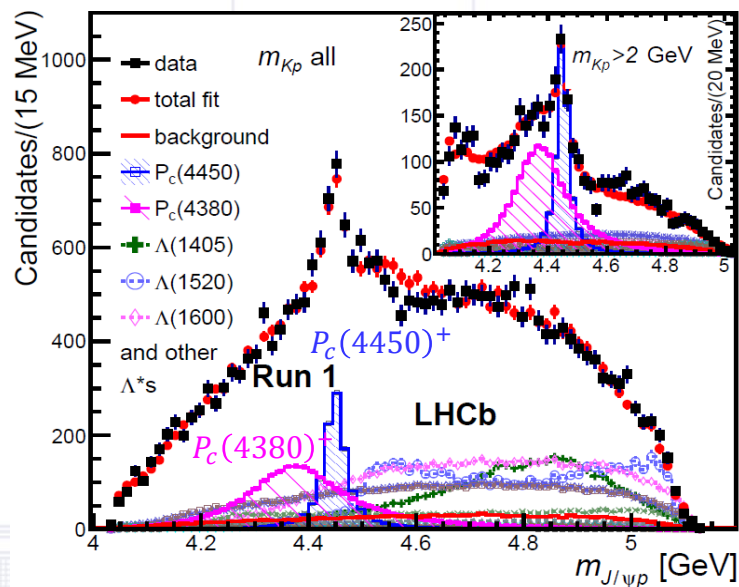


# Open the pentaquark door: LHCb observation in 2015

- Two  $J/\psi p$  resonant structures are revealed by a full 6D amplitude analysis
  - $P_c(4450)^+$  ← the prominent peak
  - $P_c(4380)^+$  ← required to obtain a good fit to the data
  - Consistent with **pentaquarks** with minimal quark content of  $uudc\bar{c}$

26k  $\Lambda_b$  signals

PRL 115 (2015) 072001 (most cited paper at LHCb so far)



	$P_c(4380)^\pm$	$P_c(4450)^\pm$
Mass (MeV)	$4380 \pm 8 \pm 29$	$4449.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.5$
Width (MeV)	$205 \pm 18 \pm 86$	$39 \pm 5 \pm 19$
Fit Fraction (%)	$8.4 \pm 0.7 \pm 4.2$	$4.1 \pm 0.5 \pm 1.1$

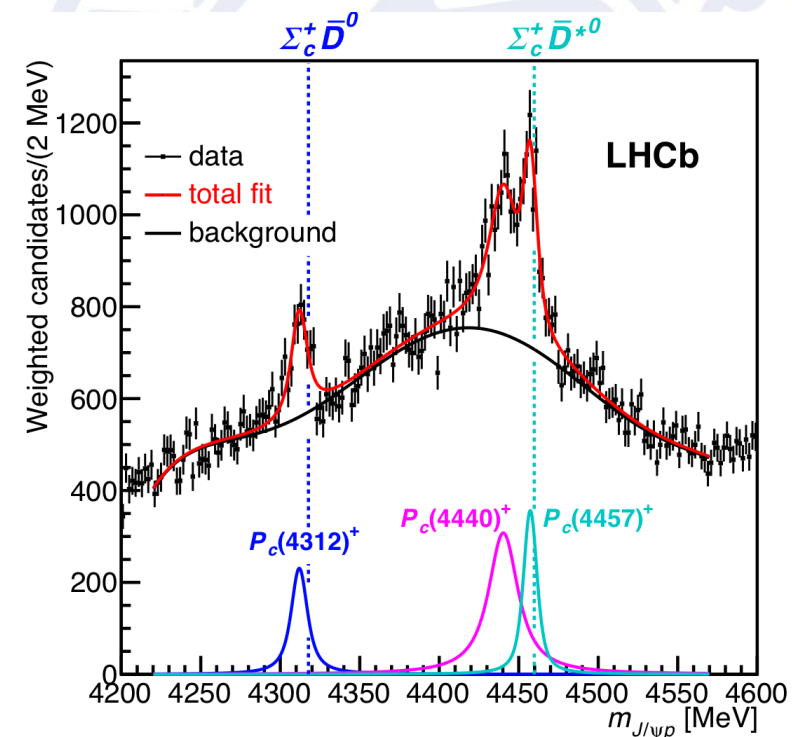


# Fine structures from update in 2019

 246k  $\Lambda_b$  signals

PRL 122 (2019) 222001

- Run1+Run2, x10  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$  yield
  - Inclusion of Run 2 data (x 5)
  - Improved data selection (x 2)
- $P_c(4312)^+$  is observed
- $P_c(4450)^+$  peak structure is an overlap of two narrower states,  $P_c(4440)^+$  and  $P_c(4457)^+$
- Their near-threshold masses **favor** the predicted “molecular” pentaquarks with meson-baryon substructure, but **other hypotheses are not ruled out**



1D  $m_{J/\psi p}$  is fitted, ongoing amplitude analysis is in advanced stage

State	$M$ [MeV]	$\Gamma$ [MeV]	(95% CL)	$\mathcal{R}$ [%]
$P_c(4312)^+$	$4311.9 \pm 0.7^{+6.8}_{-0.6}$	$9.8 \pm 2.7^{+3.7}_{-4.5}$	(< 27)	$0.30 \pm 0.07^{+0.34}_{-0.09}$
$P_c(4440)^+$	$4440.3 \pm 1.3^{+4.1}_{-4.7}$	$20.6 \pm 4.9^{+8.7}_{-10.1}$	(< 49)	$1.11 \pm 0.33^{+0.22}_{-0.10}$
$P_c(4457)^+$	$4457.3 \pm 0.6^{+4.1}_{-1.7}$	$6.4 \pm 2.0^{+5.7}_{-1.9}$	(< 20)	$0.53 \pm 0.16^{+0.15}_{-0.13}$

# Search for pentaquarks via open charm

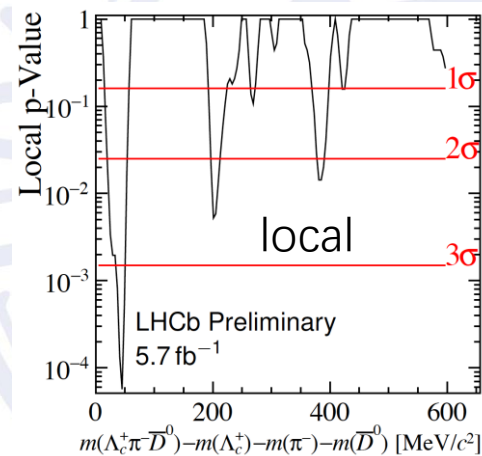
- Prompt production with 32 final states
  - $\Lambda_c^+ \bar{D}, \Lambda_c^+ \bar{D}^*, \Lambda_c^+ \pi \bar{D}, \Sigma_c^{(*)} \bar{D}^{(*)}$  and  $\Lambda_c^+ D, \Lambda_c^+ D^*, \Lambda_c^+ \pi D, \Sigma_c^{(*)} D^{(*)}$
- Scan to search for pentaquarks with narrow width (0-15 MeV)
- No significant narrow peak is found for all the modes
- Upper limits are set on the production rates related to  $\Lambda_c^+$

$$R = \frac{N_{P_c}}{N_{\Lambda_c^+}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\Lambda_c^+}}{\epsilon_{P_c}} \rightarrow \frac{\sigma(P_c) \times B(P_c \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ D(\pi)) \times B(D)}{\sigma(\Lambda_c^+)}$$

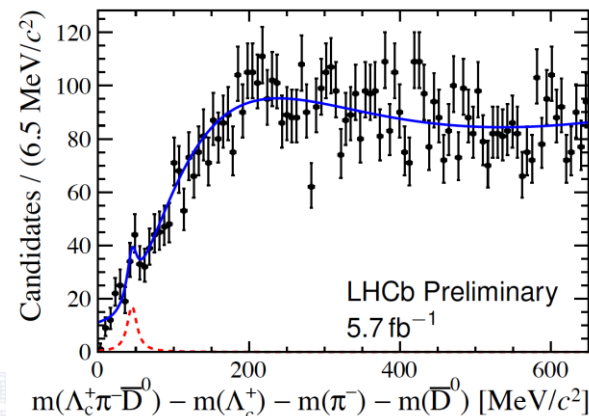
Decay Mode	Significance ( $\sigma$ )		Corresponding Mass (MeV/c <sup>2</sup> )	Signal Yield	Upper Limit ( $\times 10^{-3}$ )	
	Local	Global			90% CL	95% CL
$\Lambda_c^+ \bar{D}^0$	2.85	1.01	349	46.8 ± 23.4	1.16	1.21
$\Lambda_c^+ D^{*-}$	2.32	0.00	365	15.0 ± 10.3	2.16	2.39
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ D^-$	2.82	0.99	225	68.6 ± 13.3	1.95	2.40
$\Sigma_c^0 \bar{D}^0$	1.90	0.00	65	4.7 ± 4.2	1.02	1.15
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^- \bar{D}^0$	3.86	2.56	45	60.1 ± 25.9	1.40	1.70
$\Sigma_c^0 D^-$	2.03	0.00	261	7.0 ± 2.6	0.71	0.89
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^- D^-$	3.67	2.35	249	82.8 ± 14.3	2.23	2.67
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^- D^{*-}$	2.31	0.00	409	23.6 ± 23.0	2.79	3.28
$\Sigma_c^{*++} D^{*-}$	1.74	0.00	453	3.3 ± 2.4	1.24	1.43
$\Sigma_c^{*0} D^-$	1.86	0.00	109	10.7 ± 29.1	1.32	1.59
$\Lambda_c^+ D^+$	2.52	0.59	169	14.9 ± 9.6	1.34	1.50
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ D^0$	3.21	1.72	45	24.8 ± 39.3	0.98	1.18
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ D^{*+}$	3.37	1.99	165	13.8 ± 3.5	0.97	1.22
$\Lambda_c^+ \pi^- D^{*+}$	2.70	0.58	73	5.8 ± 71.3	1.70	1.94
$\Sigma_c^{*++} D^0$	2.11	0.00	113	3.9 ± 2.8	0.87	0.99
$\Sigma_c^{*0} D^+$	2.18	0.00	69	4.7 ± 4.6	1.13	1.32

Largest significance

[LHCb-PAPER-2023-018]

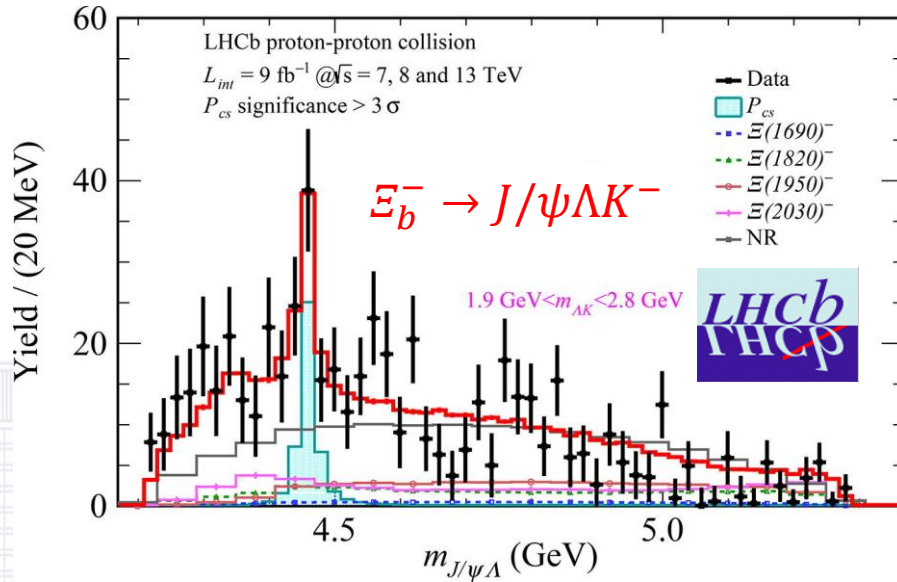


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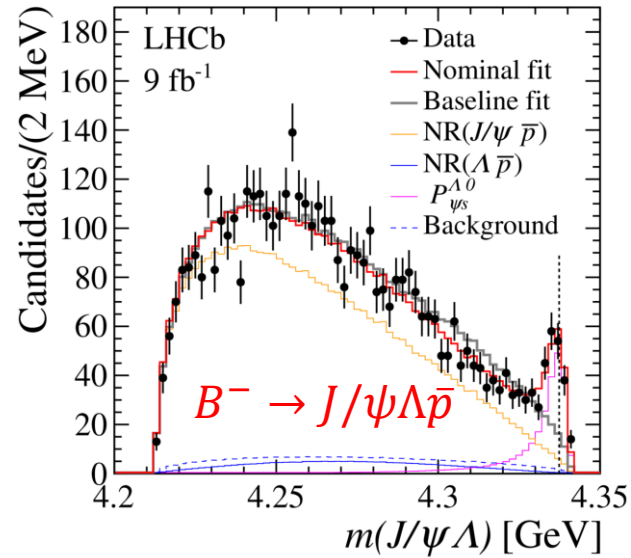


$c\bar{c}udd : M \sim 4335.87 \text{ MeV}$

# Evidence of $P_{cs}$



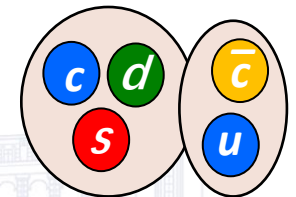
[Science Bulletin 66 (2021) 1278]



[PRL 131 (2023) 031901]

- more  $P_{cs}$ ?
- Open-charm pentaquarks?

State	$M_0$ [MeV]	$\Gamma$ [MeV]	FF (%)	Threshold
$P_{cs}(4459)^0$	$4458.8 \pm 2.9^{+4.7}_{-1.1}$	$17.3 \pm 6.5^{+8.0}_{-5.7}$	$2.7^{+1.9+0.7}_{-0.6-1.3}$	$\Xi_c \bar{D}^*$
$P_{cs}(4338)^0$	$4338.2 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.4$	$7.0 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.3$	$12.5 \pm 0.7 \pm 1.9$	$\Xi_c \bar{D}$

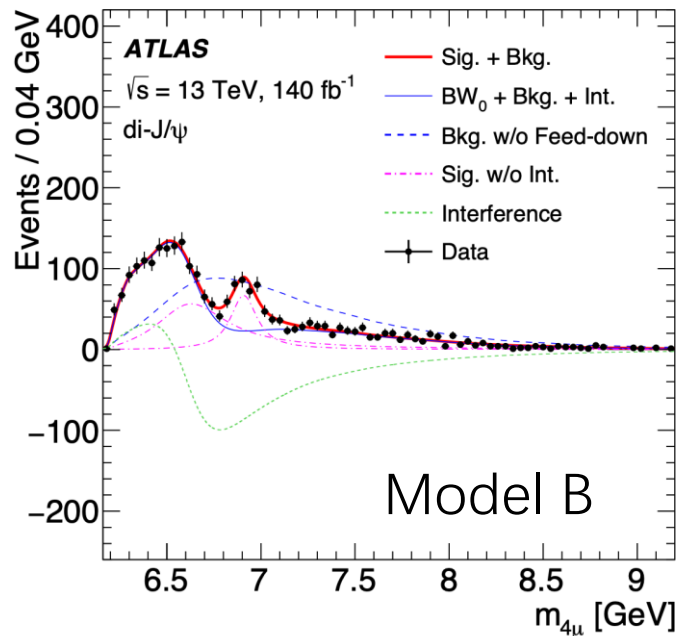
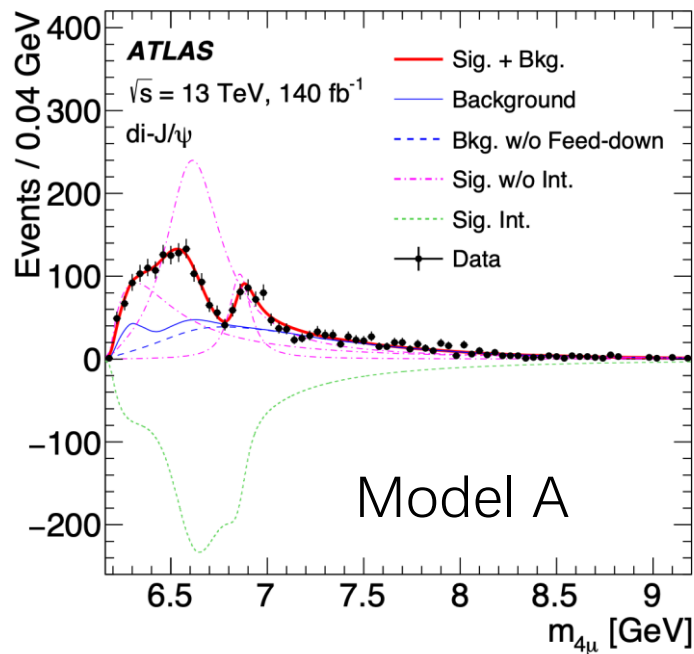


# di- $J/\psi$ States



## X(4c) states at ATLAS

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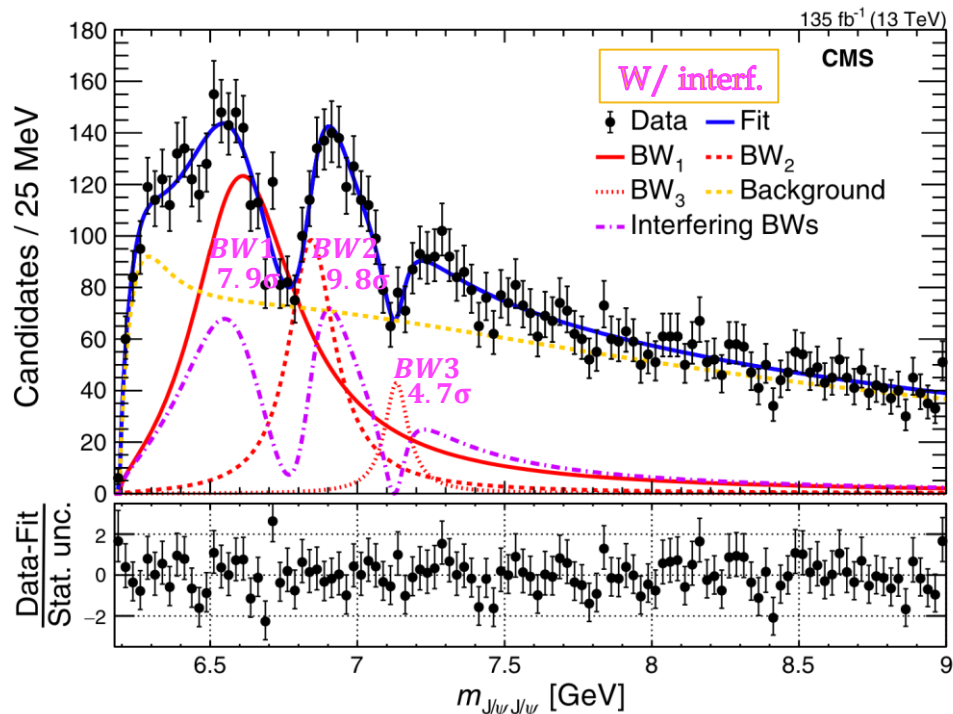
di- $J/\psi$	model A	model B
$m_0$	$6.41 \pm 0.08^{+0.08}_{-0.03}$	$6.65 \pm 0.02^{+0.03}_{-0.02}$
$\Gamma_0$	$0.59 \pm 0.35^{+0.12}_{-0.20}$	$0.44 \pm 0.05^{+0.06}_{-0.05}$
$m_1$	$6.63 \pm 0.05^{+0.08}_{-0.01}$	—
$\Gamma_1$	$0.35 \pm 0.11^{+0.11}_{-0.04}$	—
$m_2$	$6.86 \pm 0.03^{+0.01}_{-0.02}$	$6.91 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01$
$\Gamma_2$	$0.11 \pm 0.05^{+0.02}_{-0.01}$	$0.15 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.01$
$\Delta s/s$	$\pm 5.1\%^{+8.1\%}_{-8.9\%}$	—

X(6900) > 5 $\sigma$

- In the di- $J/\psi$  channel, two signal models are tested:
  - Model A:** three interfering signal peaks; **Model B:** two signal peaks
- The peak around **6.9 GeV** is consistent with the LHCb observed X(6900) ([arXiv:2006.16957](#)), with significance far above 5 $\sigma$

## X(4c) structures in di-Jpsi channel at CMS

[Phys. Rev. Lett. 132 \(2024\) 111901](#)



### Interference model:

- Signal: interference between BW1, BW2, BW3
- Background: BW0 + NRSPS + NRDPS

	BW <sub>1</sub>	BW <sub>2</sub>	BW <sub>3</sub>
$m$ (MeV)	$6638^{+43+16}_{-38-31}$	$6847^{+44+48}_{-28-20}$	$7134^{+48+41}_{-25-15}$
$\Gamma$ (MeV)	$440^{+230+110}_{-200-240}$	$191^{+66+25}_{-49-17}$	$97^{+40+29}_{-29-26}$

CMS found 3 significant  $J/\psi J/\psi$  structures using Run II data

- BW2 consistent with X(6900) reported by LHCb [Sci. Bull. 65, 1983 (2020)]
- Two new structures named as X(6600) [ $>5\sigma$ ], X(7300) [ $4.7\sigma$ ]

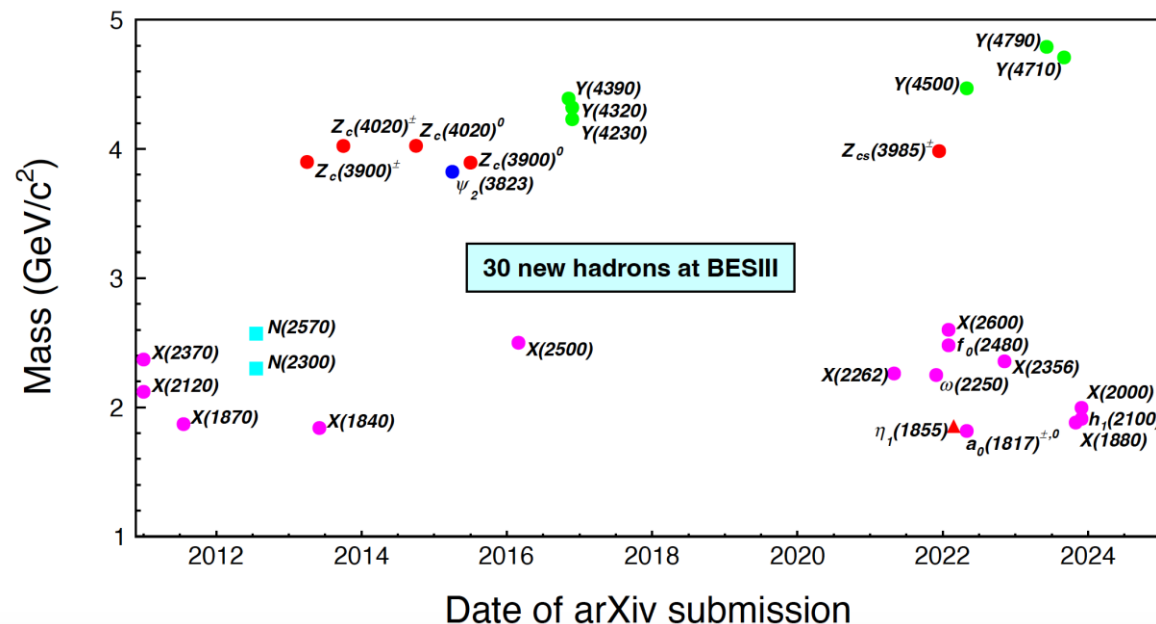
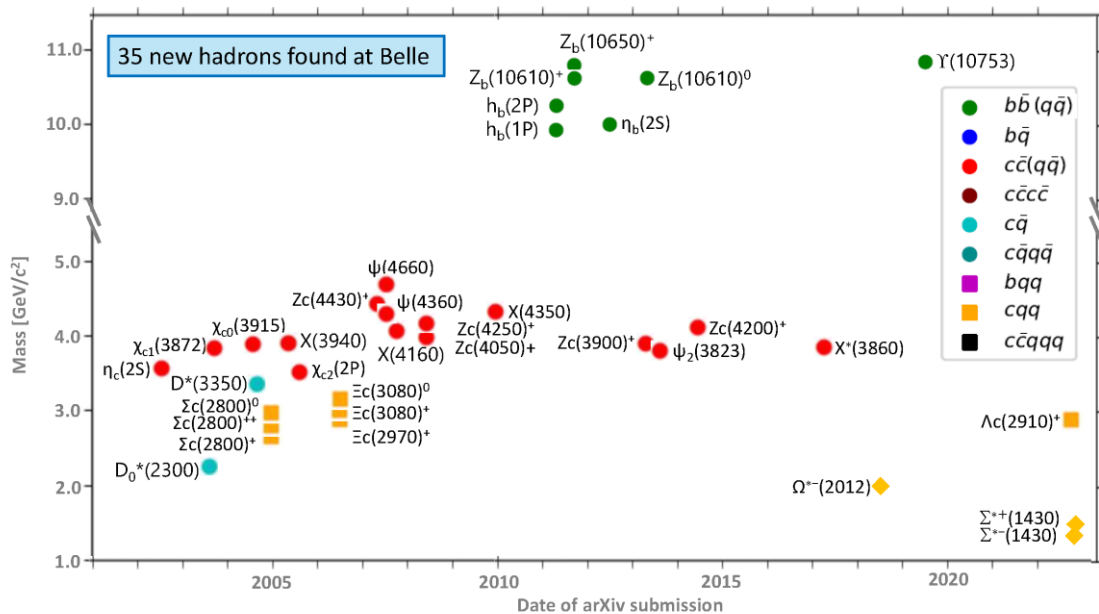
A family of structures which are candidates for all-charm tetra-quarks

Update using RUN3 data and  $J^{PC}$  determination are on the way.



# XYZ Summary





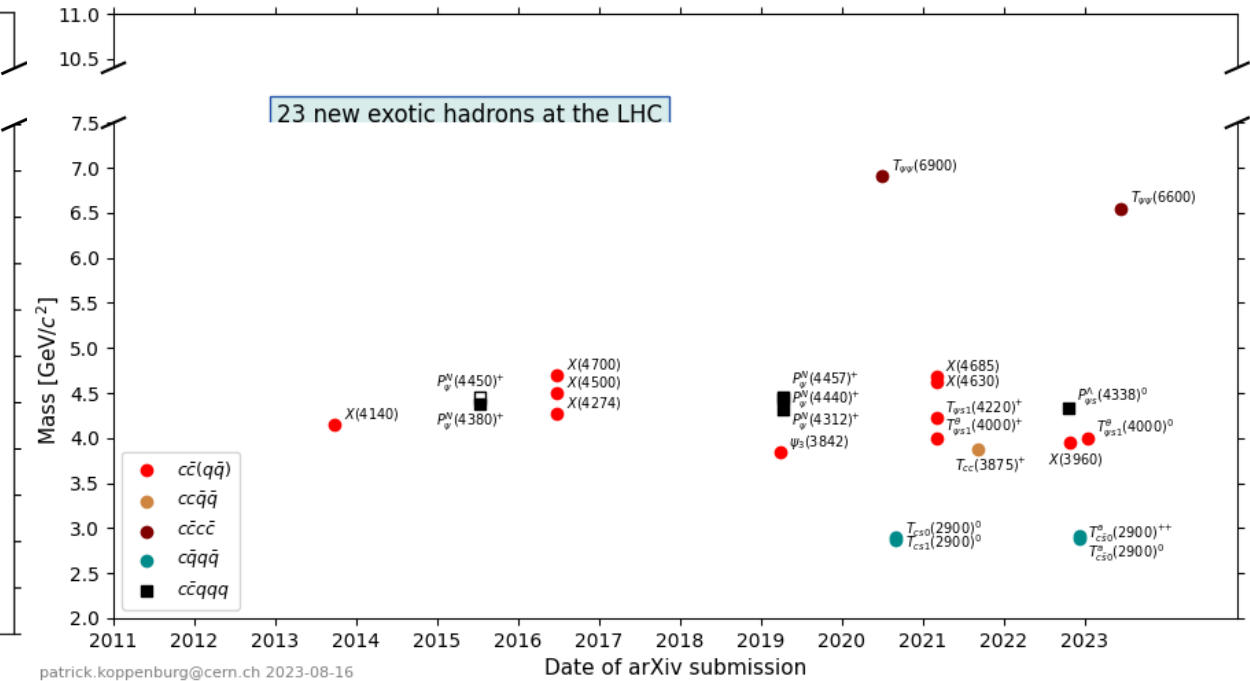
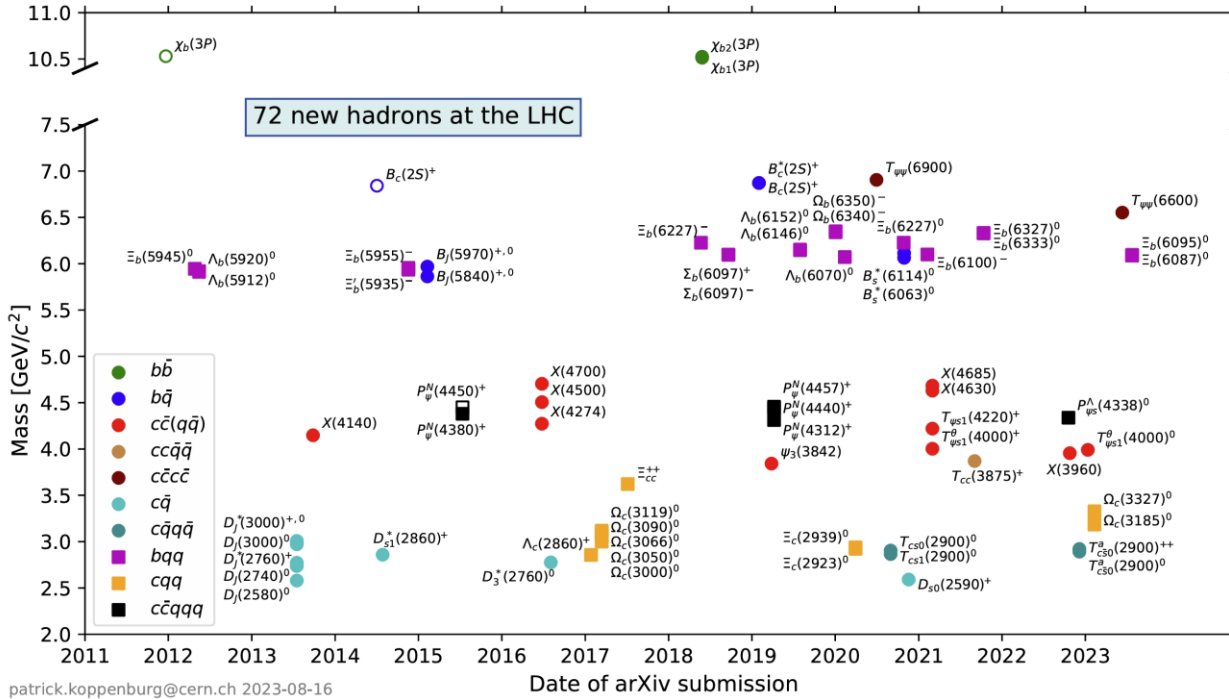
<https://qwg.ph.nat.tum.de/exoticshub/>

Belle: 35 new hadrons; 10 of these are "exotic".

BESIII: 30 new hadrons; 12 of these are "exotic".



# 72 new hadrons were found at LHC. 23 of these are "exotic"



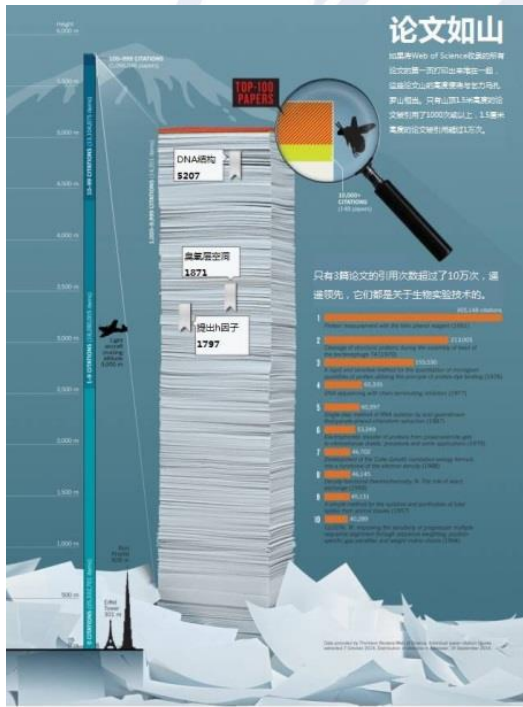
Particle "Zoo" again!



Too many models !

- Theory 1: screened potential
- Theory 2: hybrids with excited gluons
- Theory 3: tetraquark states
- Theory 4: meson molecules
- Theory 5: cusps effect
- Theory 6: final state interaction
- Theory 7: coupled-channel effect
- Theory 8: mixing of normal quarkonium and exotics
- Theory 9: mixture of all these effects
- Theories ...

We need clear features to identify exotic hadronic states !



## We found more questions to answer, works to do

- In the Experiments sector

- Search for flavor analog exotic states ( $Z_s, X_b, \dots$ )
- Confirm marginal states ( $X(3940), Y(4008), Z_1(4050), X(4160), Z_2(4250), X(4350)\dots$ )
- Search for missing charmonium/bottomonium states ( $\eta_{c2}, h_c(2P) \dots$ )
- Are there excited  $Z_c$  states and  $Z_{cs}$  states [ $D^*D_s$  or  $DD_s^*$ ]?
- Search for flavor analogs of the  $P_{cs}$  ( $P_s, \dots$ )
- Search for quantum number partners of XYZ states
- Precise measurements of relative strength to different final states
- Check more di-charmonium systems or di-bottomonium systems
- Correlation between charm production & charmonium transitions?
- Make experimental results more accessible for subsequent interpretation (publish Dalitz plot in text format, supply also efficiency curve ...)
- Publish upper limits for negative searches
- .....

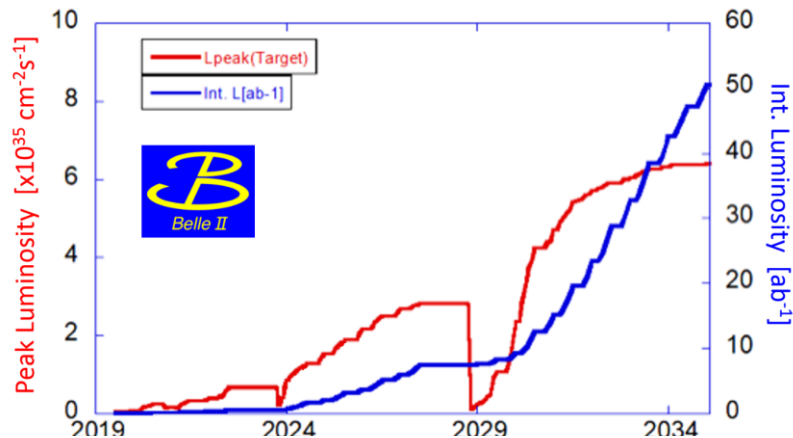
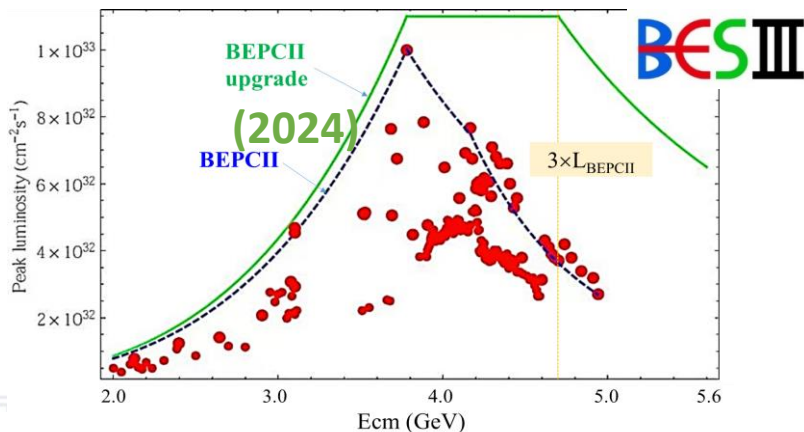
# We found more questions to answer, works to do

- In the Theory sector

- Study exclusive  $e^+e^-$  cross sections using better coupled-channel formalism
- Give differences in key physical quantities to distinguish between different interpretations (molecule, hybrid, tetraquark state, ...)
- Improve parameterizations of the data (when appropriate and beneficial, experimentalists and theorists directly work together)
- theorists, when possible, publish complete functional forms
- .....



# More data, more surprises, more opportunities

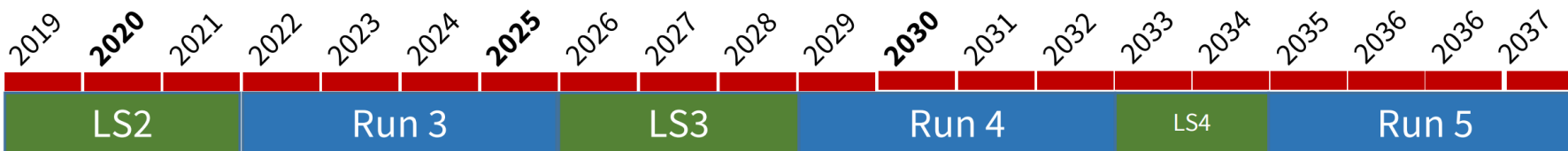


LHC



**LHC:**  $L = 2-3 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$   
~80 interactions per bunch crossing

**HL-LHC, Phase II Upgrade:**  $L = 7.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$   
~200 interactions per bunch crossing



**Upgrade I:**  $L = 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$   
~5 interactions per bunch crossing  
~50 fb<sup>-1</sup> (Run 3 and 4)

**Upgrade II:**  $L = 1.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$   
~50 interactions per bunch crossing  
~300 fb<sup>-1</sup> (Run 5...)

## XYZ particles: review articles, books, & web pages

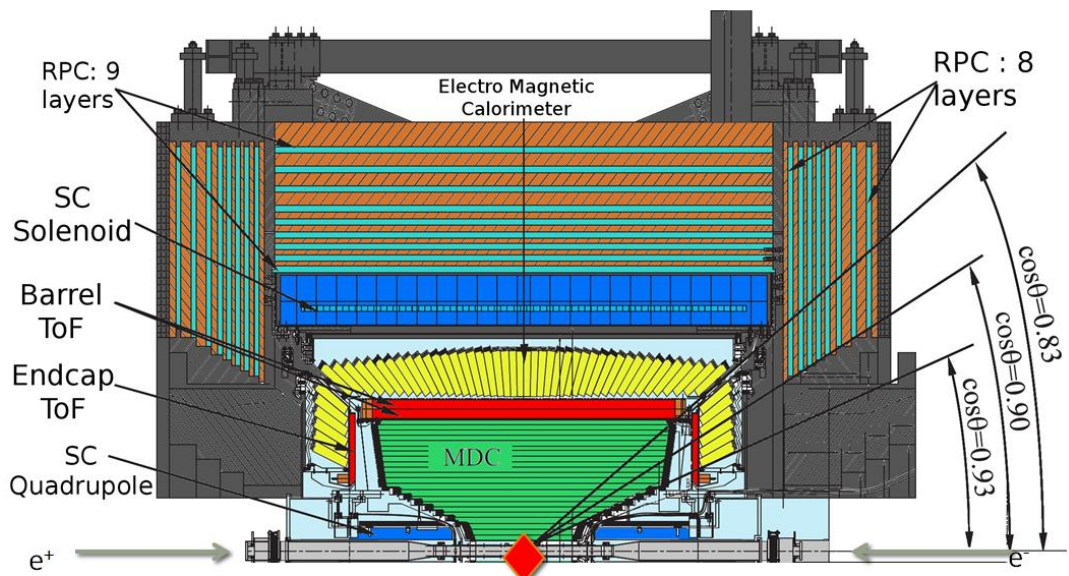
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The future development is promising !



✧ Welcome to join the study of hadrons !

# BESIII

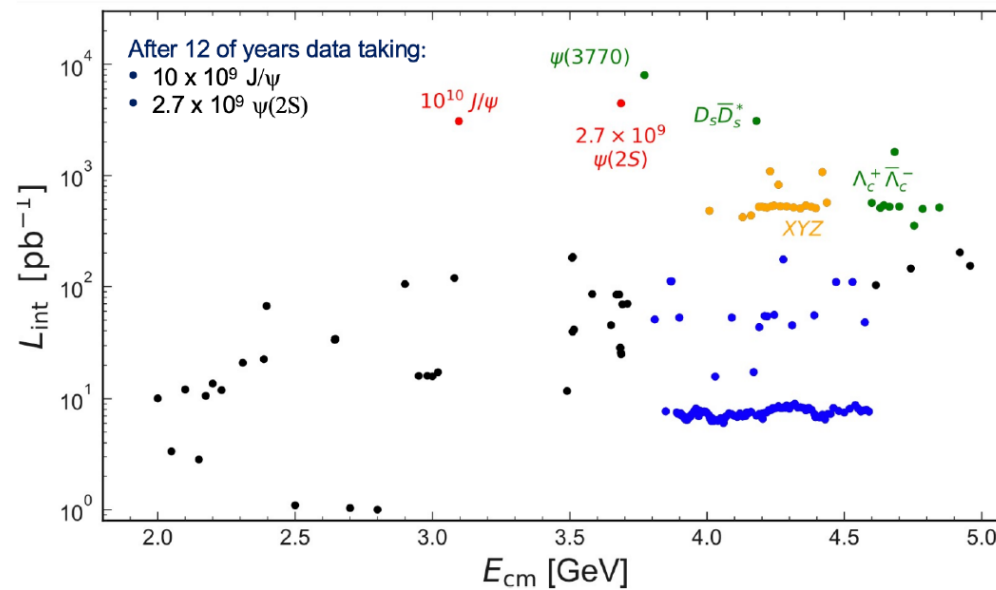


$10 \times 10^9 J/\psi$  events  
 $2.7 \times 10^9 \psi(3686)$  events  
 $16 \text{ fb}^{-1} \psi(3770)$  events

World largest  $J/\psi$ ,  $\psi(3686)$ , and  $\psi(3770)$  data samples on resonance

$\sqrt{s} = 2 \sim 4.95 \text{ GeV}$

Peak luminosity:  $1.02 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$



BESIII has collected rich datasets in the XYZ region  $\sqrt{s} > 3.8 \text{ GeV}$  with integrated luminosity of around  $22 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .



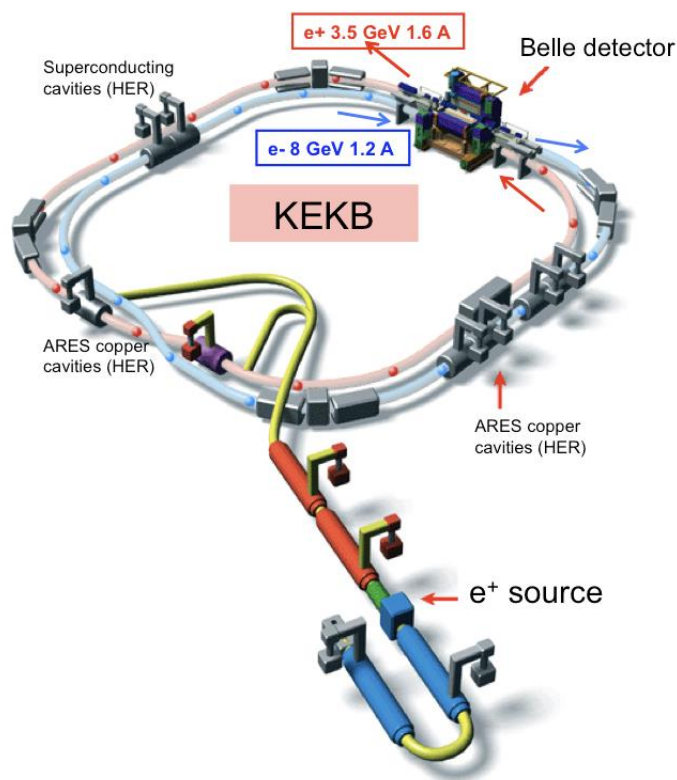
# KEKB and Belle

Peak luminosity:  $2.11 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

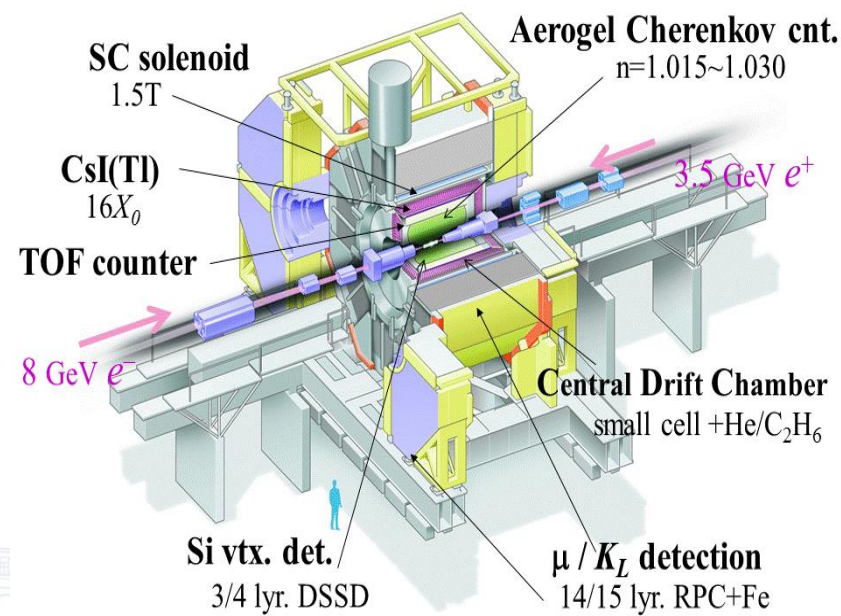
Integrated luminosity ( $\sim 980 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  in total):

$\Upsilon(5S)$ :  $121 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ,  $\Upsilon(4S)$ :  $711 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ,  $\Upsilon(3S)$ :  $3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ,

$\Upsilon(2S)$ :  $25 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ,  $\Upsilon(1S)$ :  $6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ , continuum:  $90 \text{ fb}^{-1}$



## Belle Detector

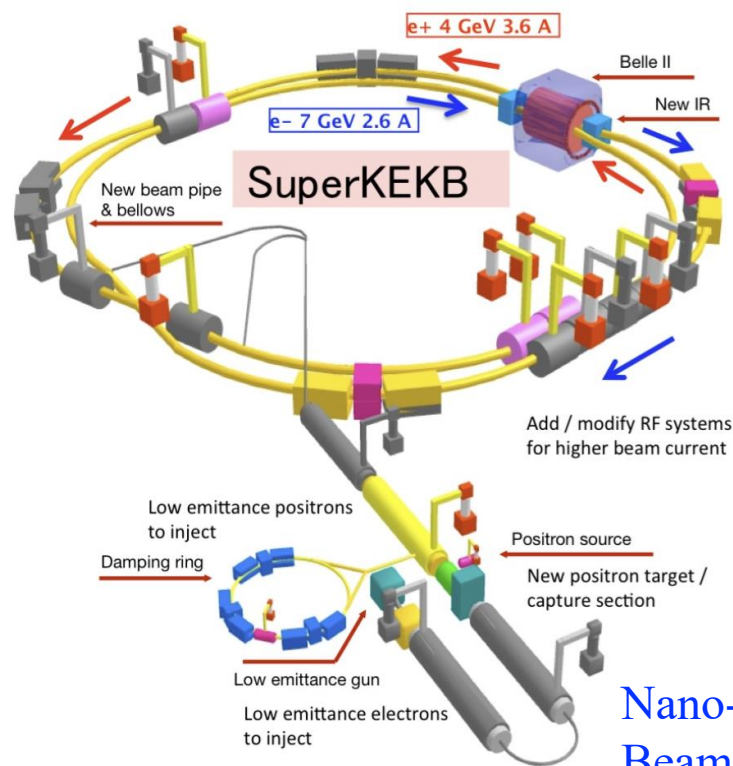


$\sqrt{s} \sim 10.6 \text{ GeV}$

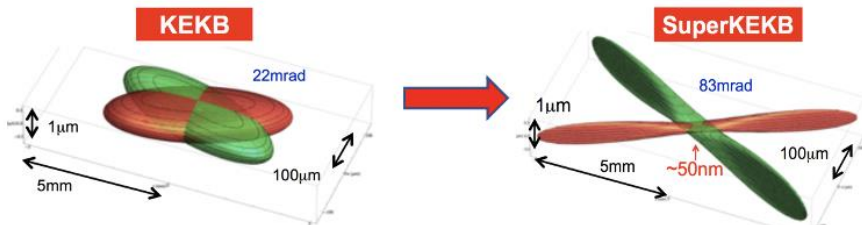
# SuperKEKB and Belle II

- Achieved peak luminosity:  $4.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- Integrated luminosity: 435/fb

$$\sqrt{s} \sim 10.58 \text{ GeV}$$



Nano-beam design:  
Beam squeezing:  $\times 20$  smaller  
Target luminosity:  $\text{KEKB} \times 40$



## The Belle II Detector

A multipurpose HEP spectrometer with vertexing, PID, neutrals, electrons, muons and hermeticity.

**KLong and muon detector:**  
Resistive Plate Chambers (barrel outer layers)  
Scintillator + WLSF + SiPM's (end-caps, inner 2 barrel layers)

**EM Calorimeter:**  
CsI(Tl), waveform sampling (barrel+ endcap)

**Particle Identification**  
TOP detector system (barrel)  
Prox. focusing Aerogel RICH (fwd)

**Vertex Detector**  
2 layers DEPFET + 4 layers DSSD

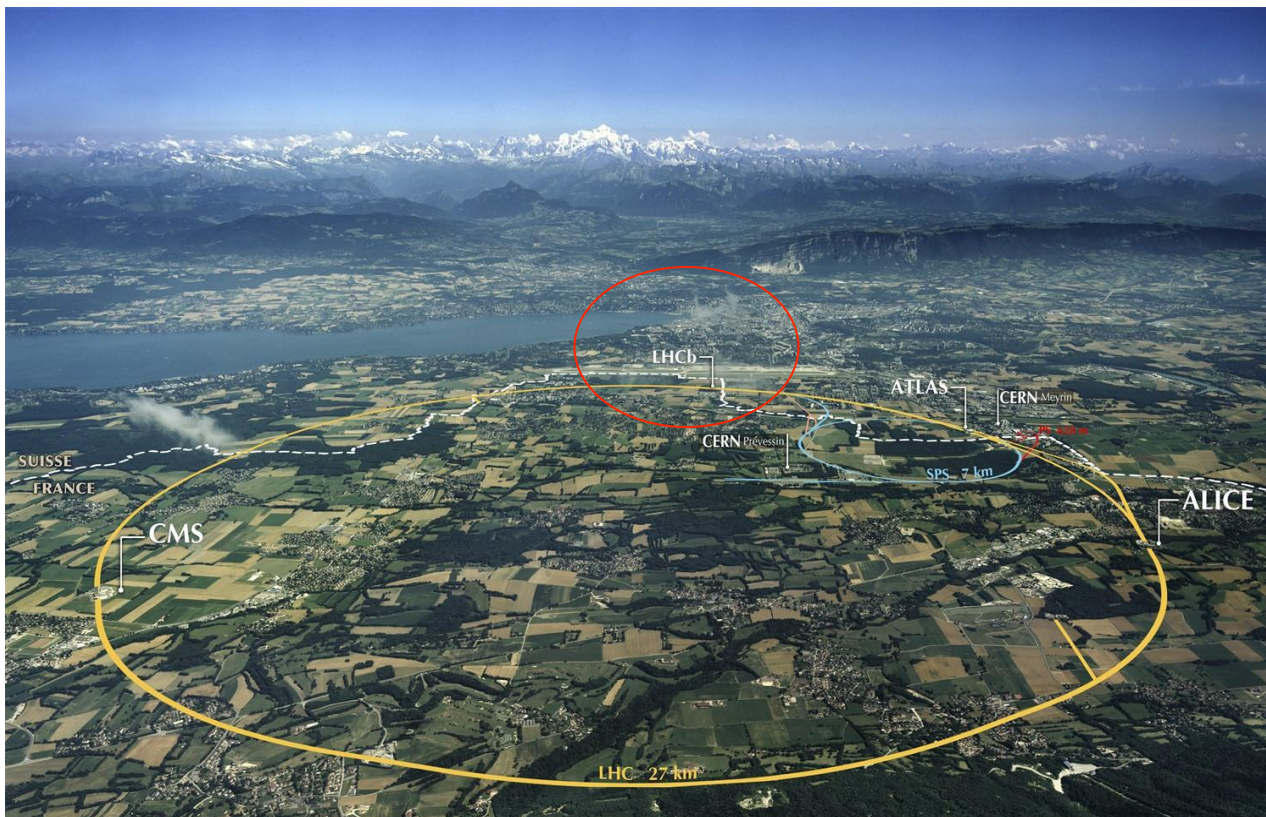
**Central Drift Chamber**  
He(50%):C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>6</sub>(50%), small cells, long lever arm, fast electronics (Core element), dE/dx

electrons (7 GeV)

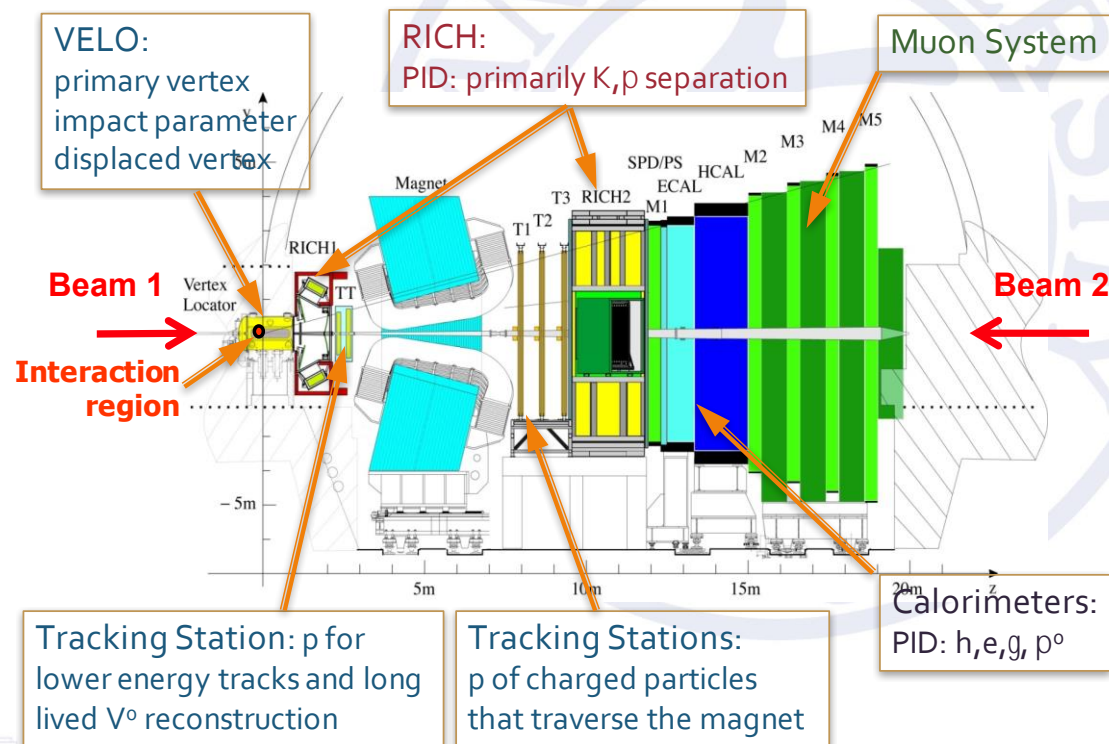
positrons (4 GeV)

Beryllium beam pipe  
2cm diameter

# The LHC as a Beauty and Charm factory



Proton-Proton Collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV  
 $\sim 20\,000$   $b\bar{b}$  pairs per second, x 20 of  $c\bar{c}$  pairs

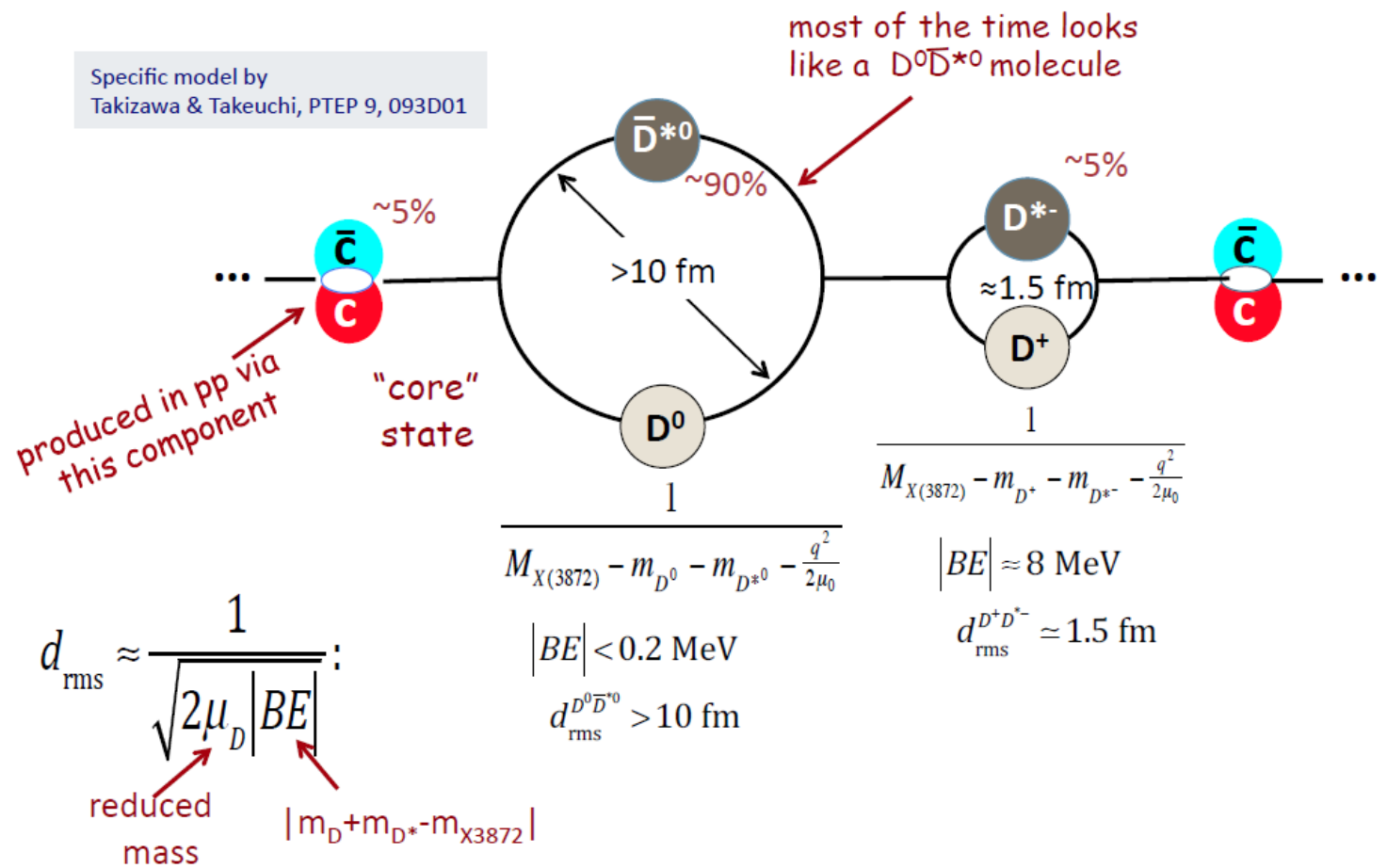


High B-baryon production fraction

$$\begin{array}{cccc}
 B^+ & B^0 & B_s^0 & \Lambda_b^0 \\
 (u\bar{b}) & (d\bar{b}) & (s\bar{b}) & (ud\bar{b}) \\
 4 & : & 4 & : & 1 & : & 2
 \end{array}$$

# Probably a mixture of $D\bar{D}^*$ & a $c\bar{c}$ "core"

Specific model by Takizawa & Takeuchi, PTEP 9, 093D01



# What is the $Y(4260)$ ?

The  $Y(4260)$  mass is lower and width narrower than previously thought

“ $Y(4260)$ ”  $\rightarrow$   $Y(4220)$ ?

If it is a  $D\bar{D}_1(2420)$  molecule:

B.E.  $\approx 66$  MeV  $\leftarrow$  too large??

“affinity” to  $D\bar{D}_1(2420)$  should be high

If it is a  $c\bar{c}$ -gluon hybrid:

its mass is  $\sim 65$  MeV below current ( $m_\pi \approx 400$  MeV) LQCD predictions  $\leftarrow$  not so bad?

“affinity” to  $D\bar{D}_0(2400)$  should be high

If it is a QCD diquark–diantiquark tetraquark: Maiani et al. PRD89,114010

it should have Isospin- &  $SU_f(3)$ -multiplet partner states  $\leftarrow$  not seen

If it is hadrocharmonium:

decays to non- $J/\psi(h_c)$  charmonium states should be suppressed  $\leftarrow$  they aren't

BESIII is well suited to further investigate this intriguing puzzle  $\leftarrow$  a “ $Y(4260)$ ” factory

2012 LQCD calc. ( $m_\pi \approx 400$  MeV):

“Lowest  $1^- c\bar{c}$ -gluon hybrid:  $M=4285 \pm 14$  MeV”

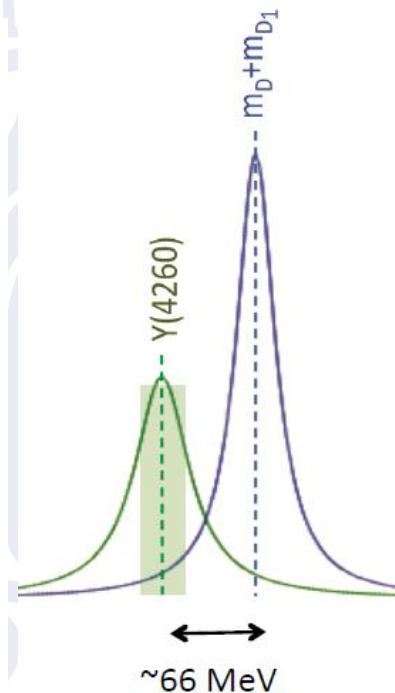
pre-2017: too high by  $\sim 35$  MeV

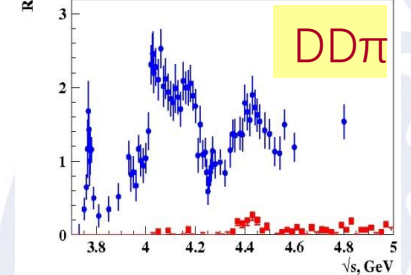
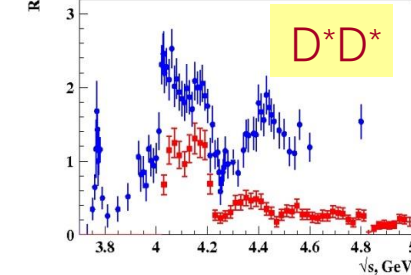
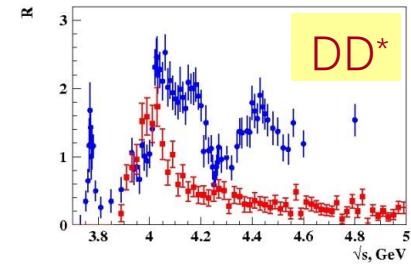
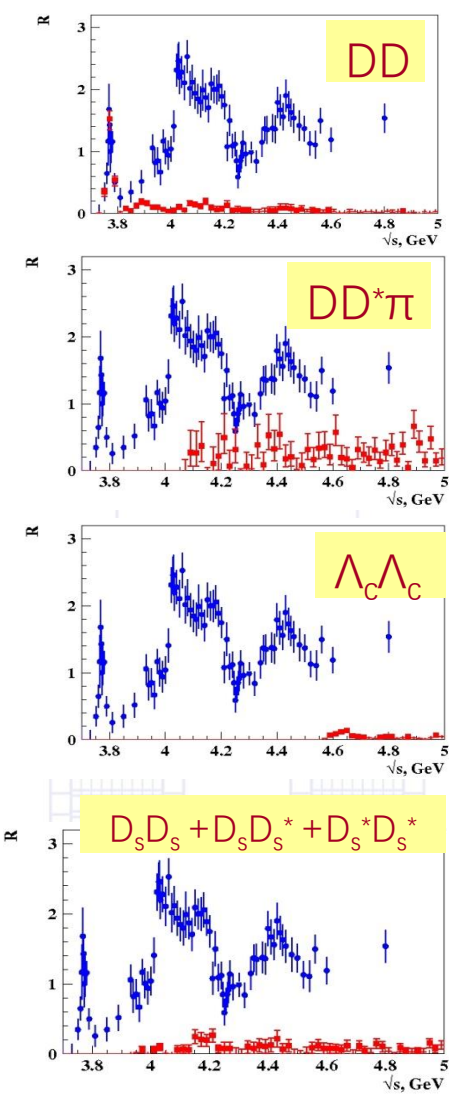
post-2017: too high by  $\sim 65$  MeV

Had. Spectr. Collab. JHEP07, 126

Dubynskiy & Voloshin, PLB 666, 344

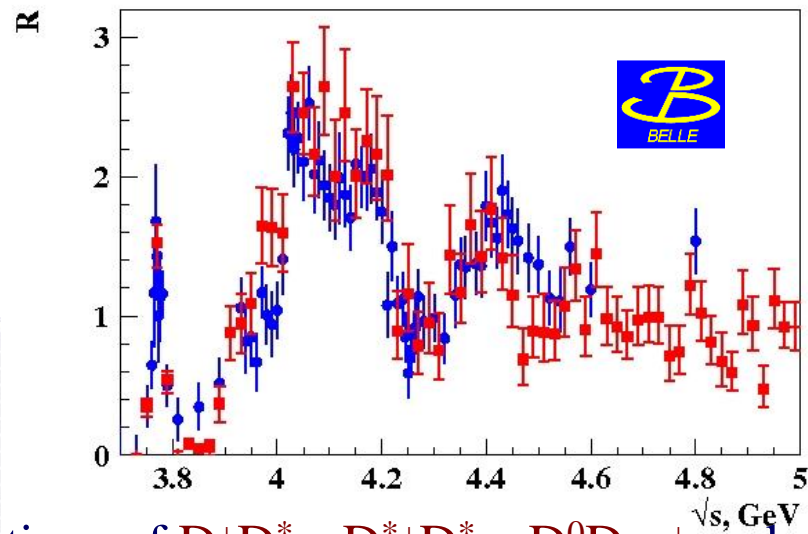
Li & Voloshin, Mod. Phys. Lett. A29, 1450060





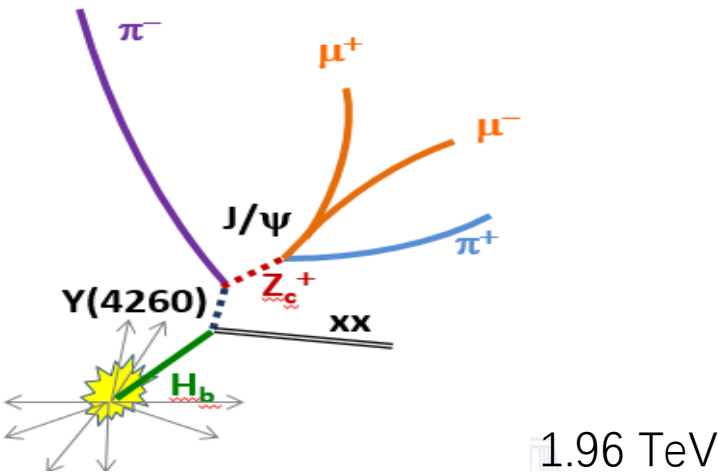
Exclusive cross sections contribution to the total cross section

Blue: R-measurement  
Red: Cross section measurements

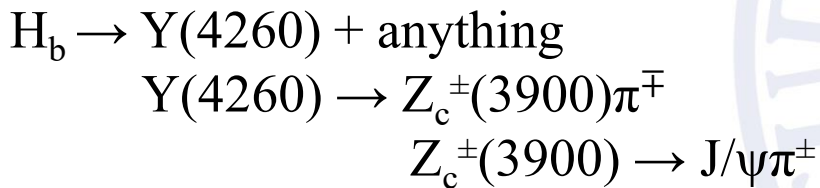


Contributions of  $D^+D^{*-}$ ,  $D^{*+}D^{*-}$ ,  $D^0D^-\pi^+$  and  $D^0D^{*-}\pi^+$  are scaled following isospin symmetry

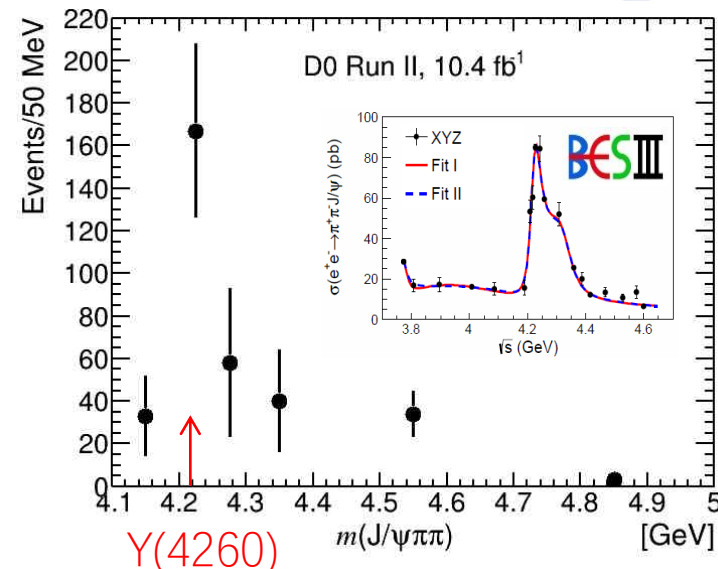
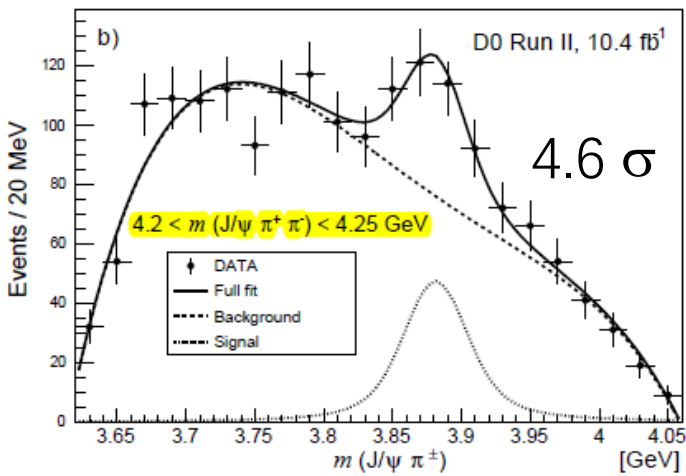
# Production of $Z_c^\pm(3900)$ in b-hadron Decays



- Search for the  $Z_c^+(3900)$  production in  $H_b$  decays via the following decays: Phys. Rev. D98 (2018) 052010



where  $H_b$  is any b-flavored hadron



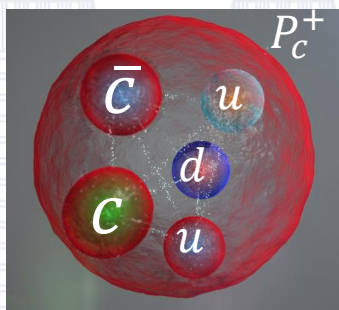
$M = 3895.0 \pm 5.2 \text{ (stat)}^{+4.0}_{-2.7} \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}$

# Lots of open questions

- To interpret the nature of  $P_c$ , more studies are needed
  - Inner structures?
  - More states, SU(3) partners?
  - $J^P$ , mode decay modes, production mechanism ...?

Tightly-bound pentaquark?

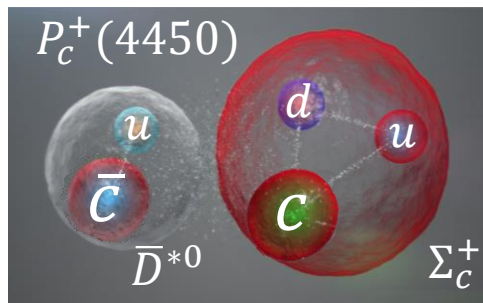
$$M_{P_c^+} = M_{J/\psi} + M_p + \sim 400 \text{ MeV}$$



Maiani, Polosa, Riquer, PLB 749 (2015) 289  
Lebed, PLB 749 (2015) 454  
Anisovich, Matveev, Nyiri, Sarantsev PLB 749 (2015) 454 and others

Loosely-bound pentaquark?

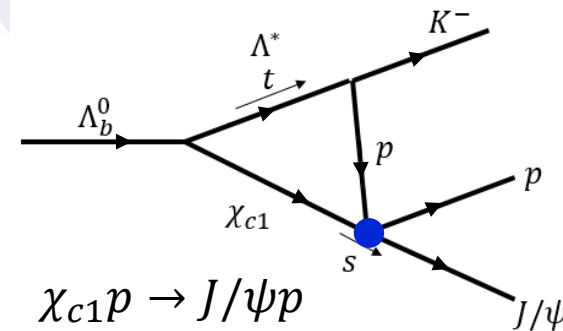
$$M_{P_c^+} = M_{D^{*0}} + M_{\Sigma_c^+} - \sim \text{few MeV}$$



Wu, Molina, Oset, Zou, PRL 105 (2010) 232001  
Wang, Huang, Zhang, Zou, PRC 84 (2011) 015203  
Karlner, Rosner, PRL 115 (2015) 122001 and others

Kinematical effect: triangle diagram?

$$P_c(4450)^+ = \chi_{c1} p \text{ threshold?}$$



Guo, Meissner, Wang, Yang, PRD 92 (2015) 071502  
Liu, Wang, Zhao, PLB 757 (2016) 231  
Mikhasenko, arXiv:1507.06552  
Szczepaniak, PLB 757 (2016) 61 and others



# 1<sup>st</sup> observation of $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \eta_c p K^-$

- $\eta_c p$  final state is very sensitive to  $1/2^- P_c$ , where  $\eta_c p$  is in S-wave

- If  $P_c(4312)^+$  is  $\Sigma_c \bar{D}$  molecule, predicted  $\frac{\mathcal{B}(P_c(4312)^+ \rightarrow \eta_c p)}{\mathcal{B}(P_c(4312)^+ \rightarrow J/\psi p)} \sim 3$

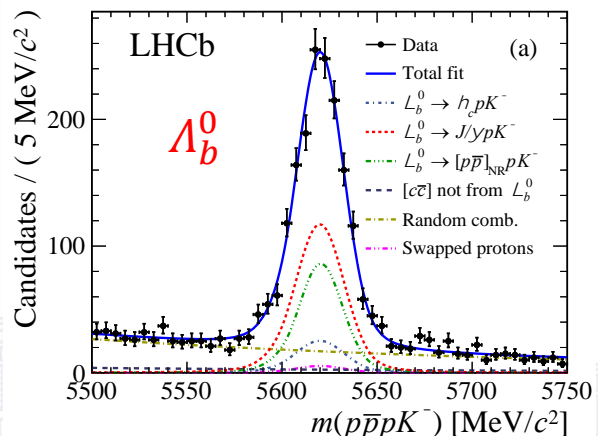
[PRD 102 (2020) 112012]

- LHCb run2 data ( $5.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) using  $\eta_c \rightarrow p \bar{p}$
- Fit 2D mass spectrum to confirm the existence

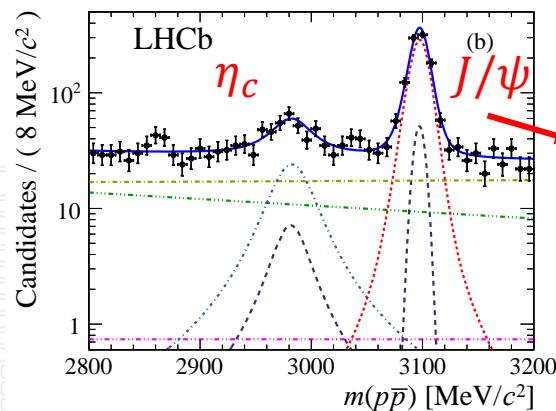
$P_c(4312)^+$  production fraction in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \eta_c p K^-$  is  $\sim 3\%$  (predicted)

- Obtain

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \eta_c p K^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-)} = 0.333 \pm 0.050 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.019 \text{ (syst.)} \pm 0.032 \text{ (}\mathcal{B}\text{)}$$



$\sim 170 \Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \eta_c p K^-$  signals



$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$  used as reference mode for branching fraction measurement

# Search for $P_c^+$ in $\eta_c p$ system

[PRD 102 (2020) 112012]

- Check background-subtracted  $\eta_c p$  mass spectrum

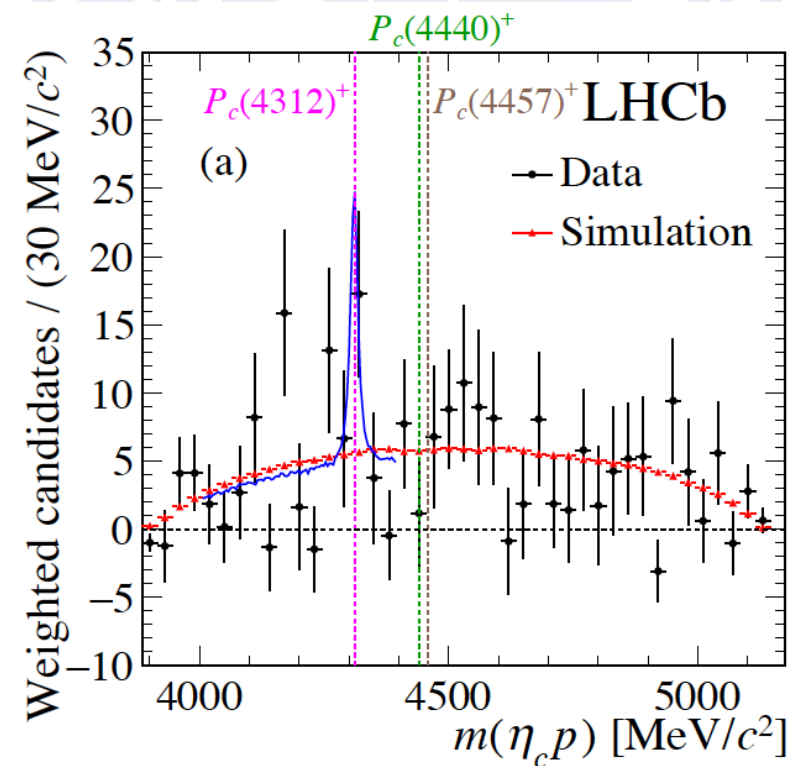
No significant  $P_c(4312)^+$  contribution ( $\sim 2\sigma$ )

$P_c^+$  production fraction obtained

$$R(P_c(4312)^+) < 24\% \text{ @ } 95\% \text{ C.L.}$$

much larger than the predicted value 3%  
(no conclusion yet)

- Need run3+4 data, amplitude fit can be performed



# Search for P<sub>s</sub> states at Belle

Belle: arXiv: 1707.00089, PRD (in press) 915 fb<sup>-1</sup> data

PRD96, 051102(R) (2017); 915fb<sup>-1</sup>

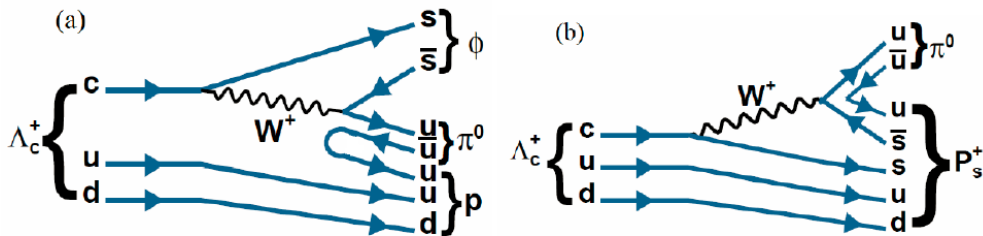
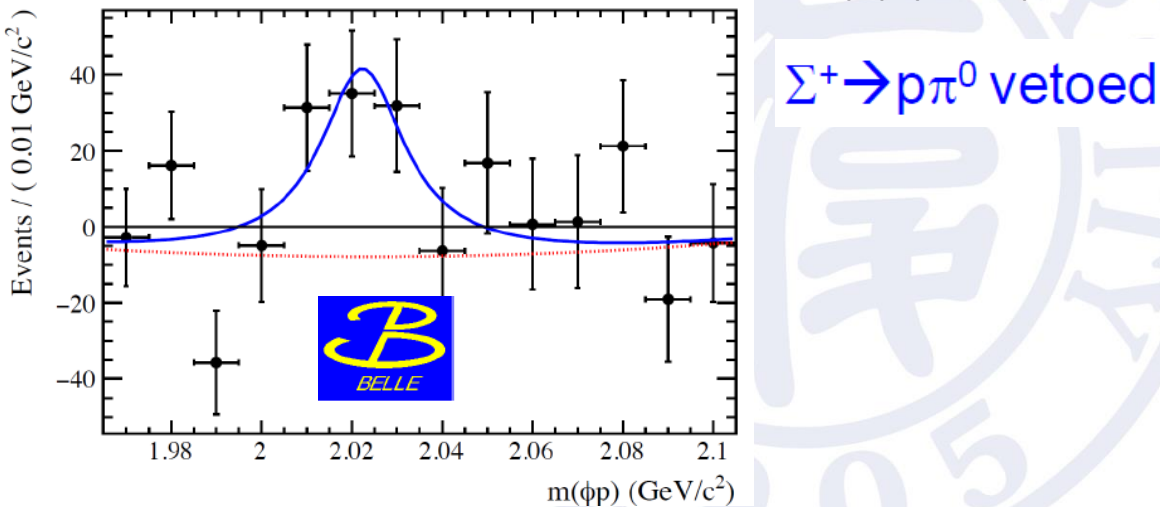


FIG. 1. Feynman diagram for the decay (a)  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \phi p \pi^0$  and (b)  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow P_s^+ \pi^0$ .

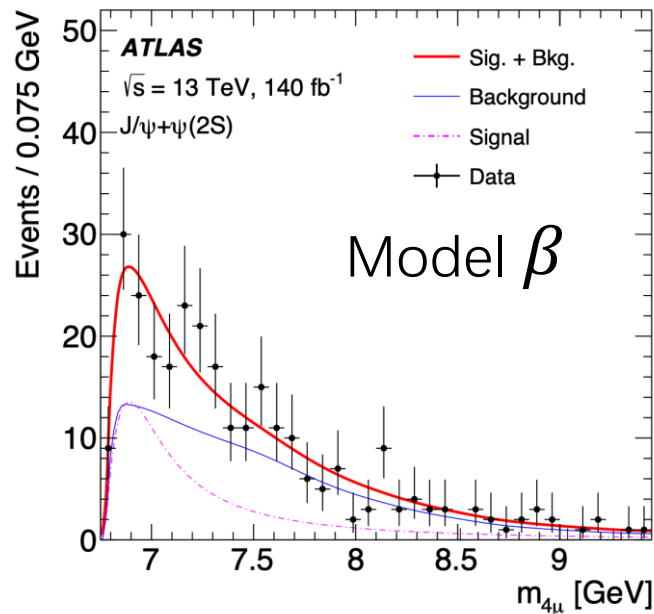
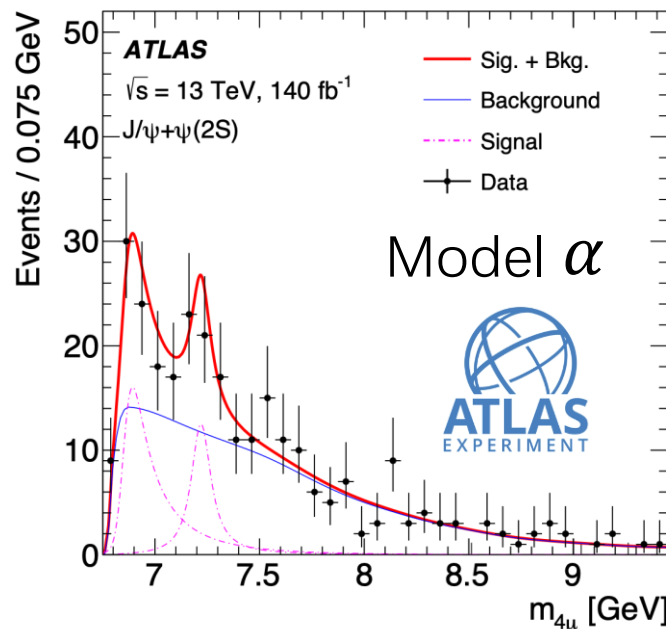


- **No significant P<sub>s</sub> signal**
- **Best fit yields a peak at  $M=(2025 \pm 5)$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup> and  $\Gamma=(22 \pm 12)$  MeV**

Number of candidate  $\Lambda_c \rightarrow P_s \pi^0 \rightarrow \phi p \pi^0$  events:  $77.6 \pm 28.1$

$B(\Lambda_c \rightarrow P_s \pi^0) \times B(P_s \rightarrow \phi p) < 8.3 \times 10^{-5}$  @90% C.L.

## X(4c) states at ATLAS

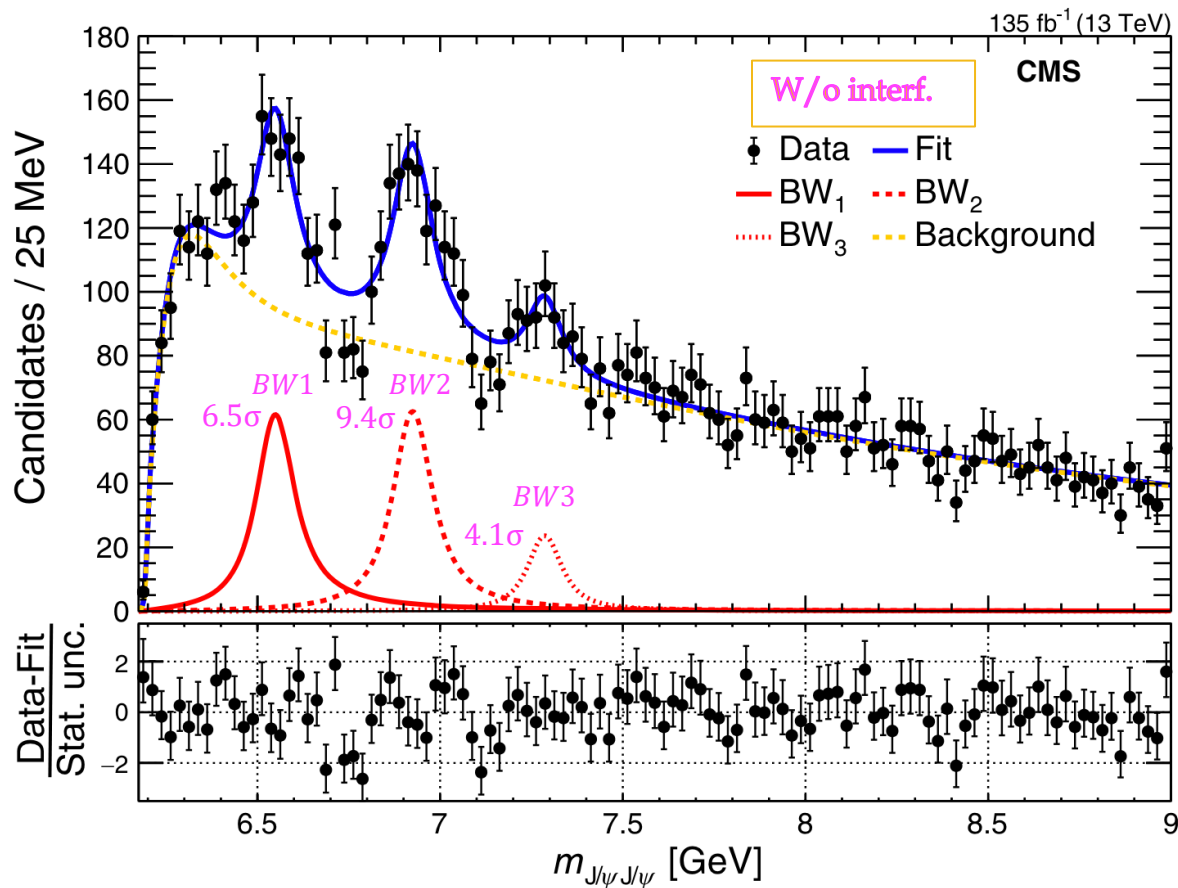


$J/\psi + \psi(2S)$	model $\alpha$	model $\beta$
$m_3$	$7.22 \pm 0.03^{+0.01}_{-0.04}$	$6.96 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.03$
$\Gamma_3$	$0.09 \pm 0.06^{+0.06}_{-0.05}$	$0.51 \pm 0.17^{+0.11}_{-0.10}$
$\Delta s/s$	$\pm 21\%^{+25\%}_{-15\%}$	$\pm 20\% \pm 12\%$

- In the  $J/\psi + \psi(2S)$  channel, also two signal models are tested:
  - Model  $\alpha$** : the same peaks observed in the di- $J/\psi$  channel also decaying into  $J/\psi + \psi(2S)$  plus a standalone peak.
  - Model  $\beta$** : only one signal peak

- The signal significance is  $4.7\sigma$  ( $4.3\sigma$ ) for model  $\alpha$  ( $\beta$ ). The significance of the **2nd peak** (7.2 GeV) reaches  $3.0\sigma$ , also hinted by LHCb and CMS ([arXiv:2306.07164](https://arxiv.org/abs/2306.07164)) in the di- $J/\psi$  spectrum

# X(4c) structures in di-Jpsi channel at CMS



▪ **No interference model:** [Phys. Rev. Lett. 132 \(2024\) 111901](#)

- Signal: BW1, BW2, BW3
- Background: BW0 + NRSPS + NRDPS

	BW <sub>1</sub>	BW <sub>2</sub>	BW <sub>3</sub>
$m$ (MeV)	$6552 \pm 10 \pm 12$	$6927 \pm 9 \pm 4$	$7287^{+20}_{-18} \pm 5$
$\Gamma$ (MeV)	$124^{+32}_{-26} \pm 33$	$122^{+24}_{-21} \pm 18$	$95^{+59}_{-40} \pm 19$
$N$	$470^{+120}_{-110}$	$492^{+78}_{-73}$	$156^{+64}_{-51}$

- BW2 [X(6900)] (9.4σ) - confirmation
- Observation of BW1 (6.5σ)
- Evidence for BW3 (4.1σ)

## Comparison with some theoretical calculations

arXiv:2108.04017 [hep-ph]

*P-wave*

*Ground state*

$N^{2S+1}L_J$	$J^{PC}$	$\langle K.E. \rangle$	$E^{(0)}$	$\langle V_C^{(0)} \rangle$	$\langle V_L^{(0)} \rangle$	$\langle V_{SS}^{(1)} \rangle$	$\langle V_{LS}^{(1)} \rangle$	$\langle V_T^{(1)} \rangle$	$V^{(1)}(r)$	$M_f$
$1^3P_1$	$1^{-+}$	356.6	320.3	-366.7	337.5	-7.2	-28.4	21.5	-2.7	6554
$2^3P_1$	$1^{-+}$	410.0	689.6	-263.4	548.6	-5.6	-23.1	17.2	-1.6	6926
$3^3P_1$	$1^{-+}$	475.1	982.6	-215.5	727.7	-4.6	-20.9	15.5	-1.2	7220

$$M[\text{BW1}] = 6552_{-10-12}^{+10+12} \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW2}] = 6927_{-9-4}^{+9+4} \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW3}] = 7287_{-18-5}^{+20+5} \text{ MeV}$$

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*S-wave*

CMS: Interference fit results

$T_{4Q}(nS)$ states	$J^P$	Mass(n=1)	Mass(n=2)	Mass(n=3)	Mass(n=4)
$T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$	$0^{++}$	$6055_{-74}^{+69}$	$6555_{-37}^{+36}$	$6883_{-27}^{+27}$	$7154_{-22}^{+22}$
	$2^{++}$	$6090_{-66}^{+62}$	$6566_{-35}^{+34}$	$6890_{-26}^{+27}$	$7160_{-22}^{+21}$

$$M[\text{BW1}] = 6638_{-38-31}^{+43+16} \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW2}] = 6847_{-28-20}^{+44+48} \text{ MeV}$$

$$M[\text{BW3}] = 7134_{-25-15}^{+48+41} \text{ MeV}$$

*Ground states*  
*Missing n=1*

- Radial excited states?
- measure  $J^{PC}$  to clarify
- PRD 109, 054034 (2024) new theoretical result

CMS: Non-interference fit results