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# Production of Exotic Hadrons at CMS

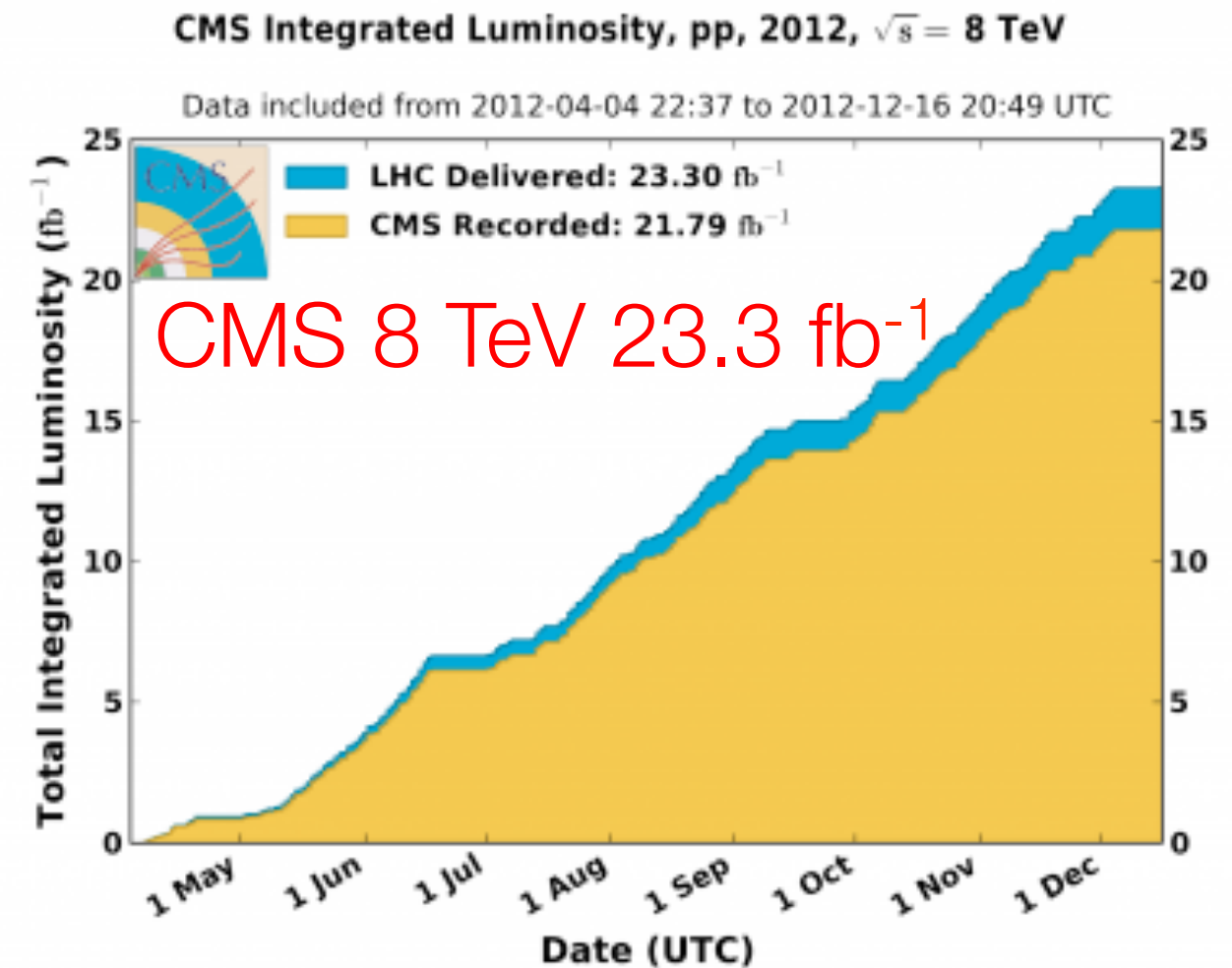
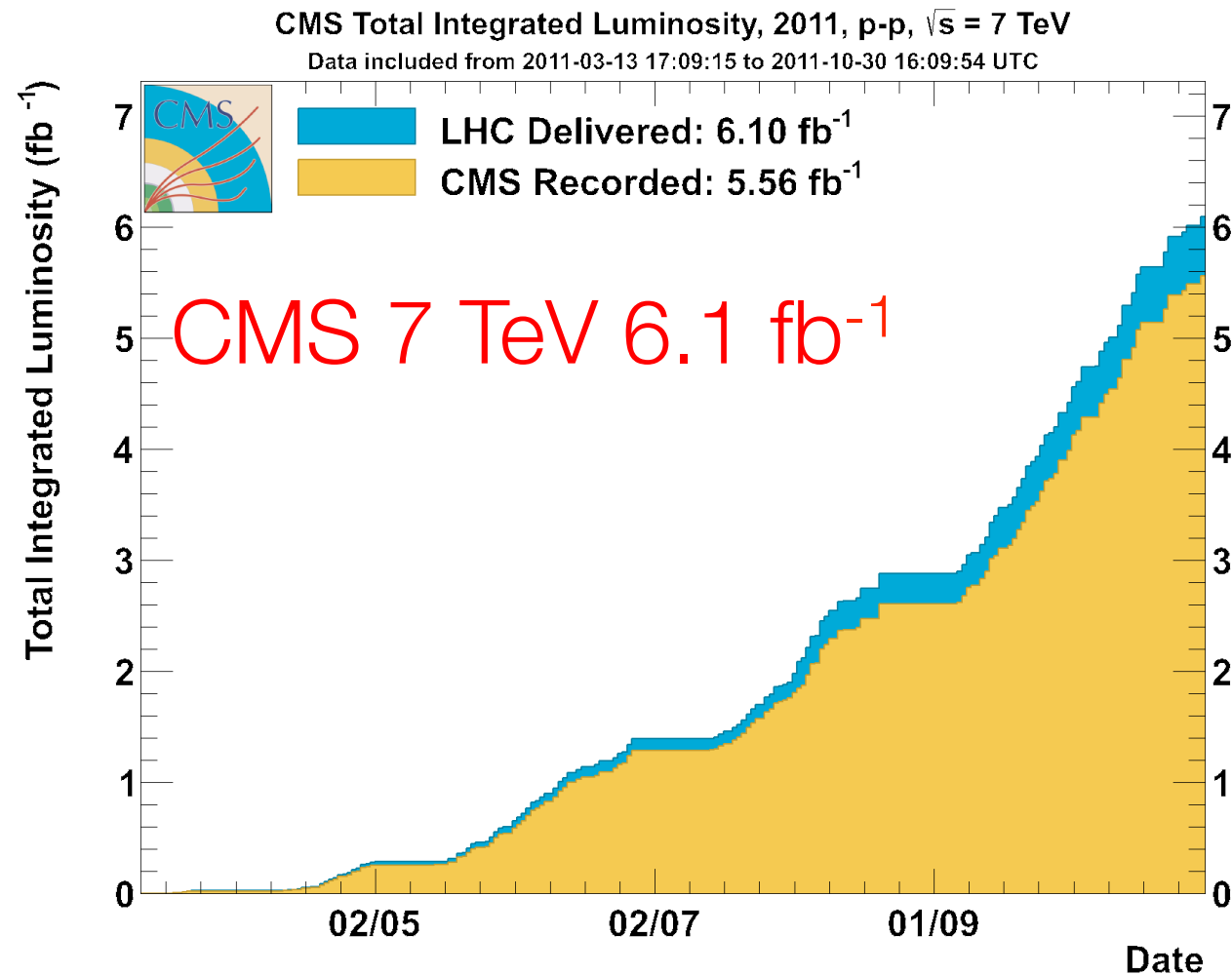
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# CMS & LHC



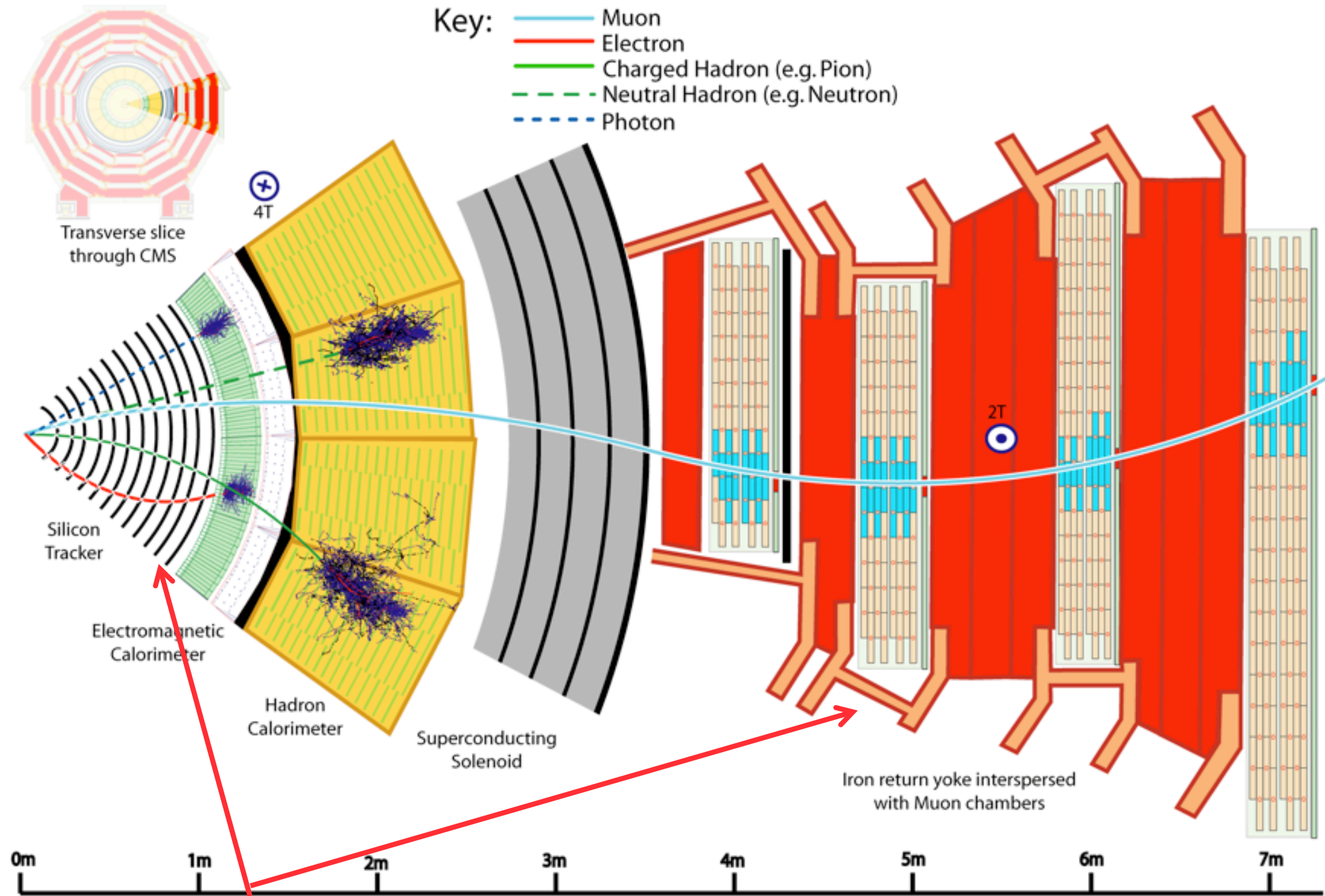
- LHC yields large amounts of data at the world's highest collision energy
- Discovery of the Higgs boson, confirming & completing the Standard Model
- Opportunities to search for new phenomena, i.e., exotic hadrons

# Outline

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- Introduction
- Observation of peaking structures in the  $J/\psi\phi$  mass spectrum
- Search for a new state  $X_b$  decaying to  $Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-$
- $X(3872)$  production cross section
- Summary

# CMS Detector



*Relevant subdetectors*

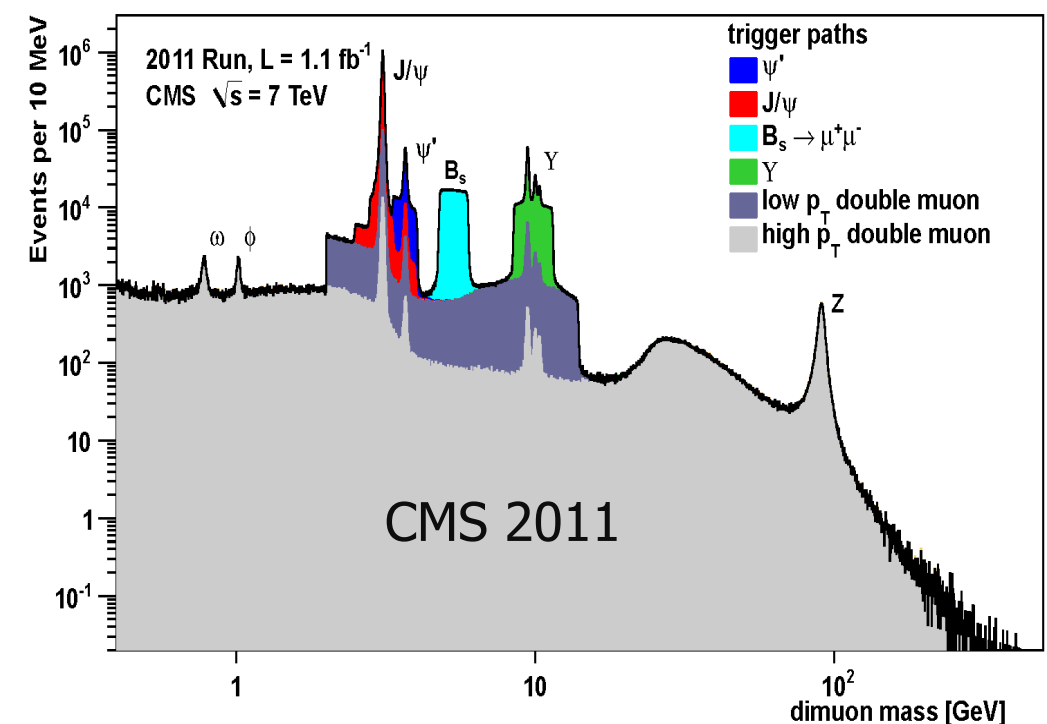
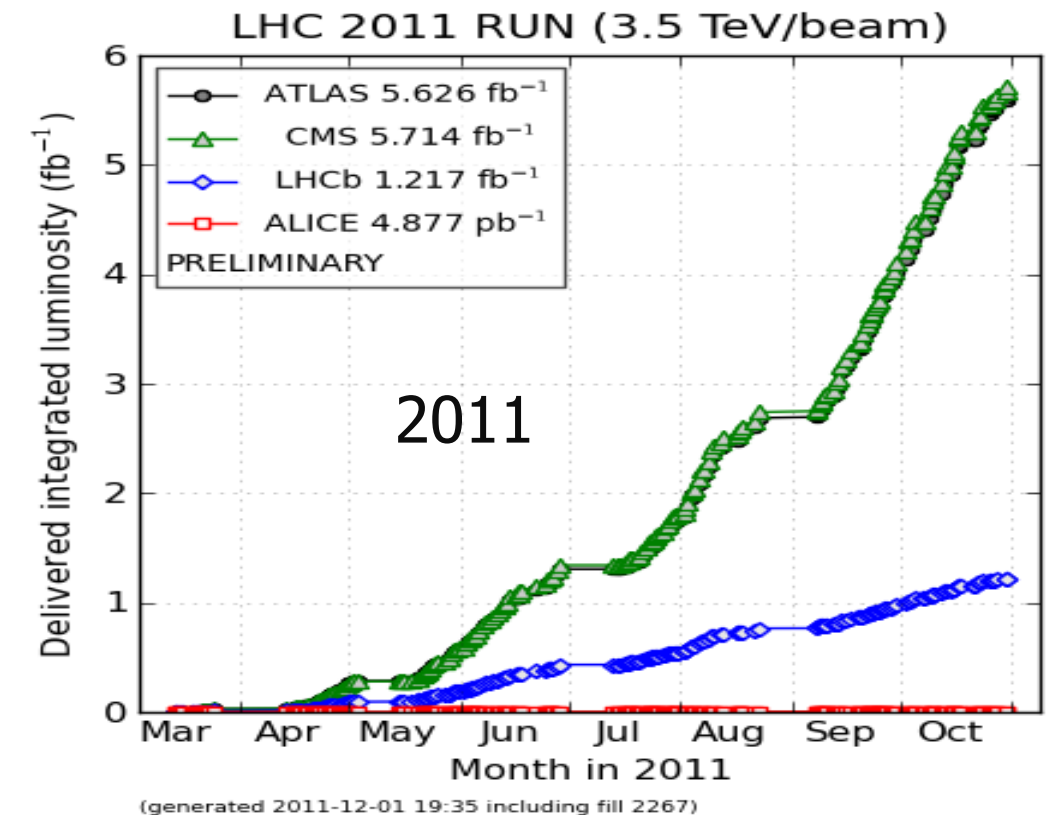
# CMS Detector Performance

## Excellent muon/silicon detectors:

- Muon system
  - High-purity muon identification
  - Good dimuon mass resolution ( $\Delta m/m \sim 0.6\%$  for  $J/\psi$ )
- Silicon Tracking detector
  - excellent track momentum resolution ( $\Delta p_T / p_T \sim 1\%$ )
  - excellent vertex reconstruction and resolution

## LHC luminosity & CMS trigger:

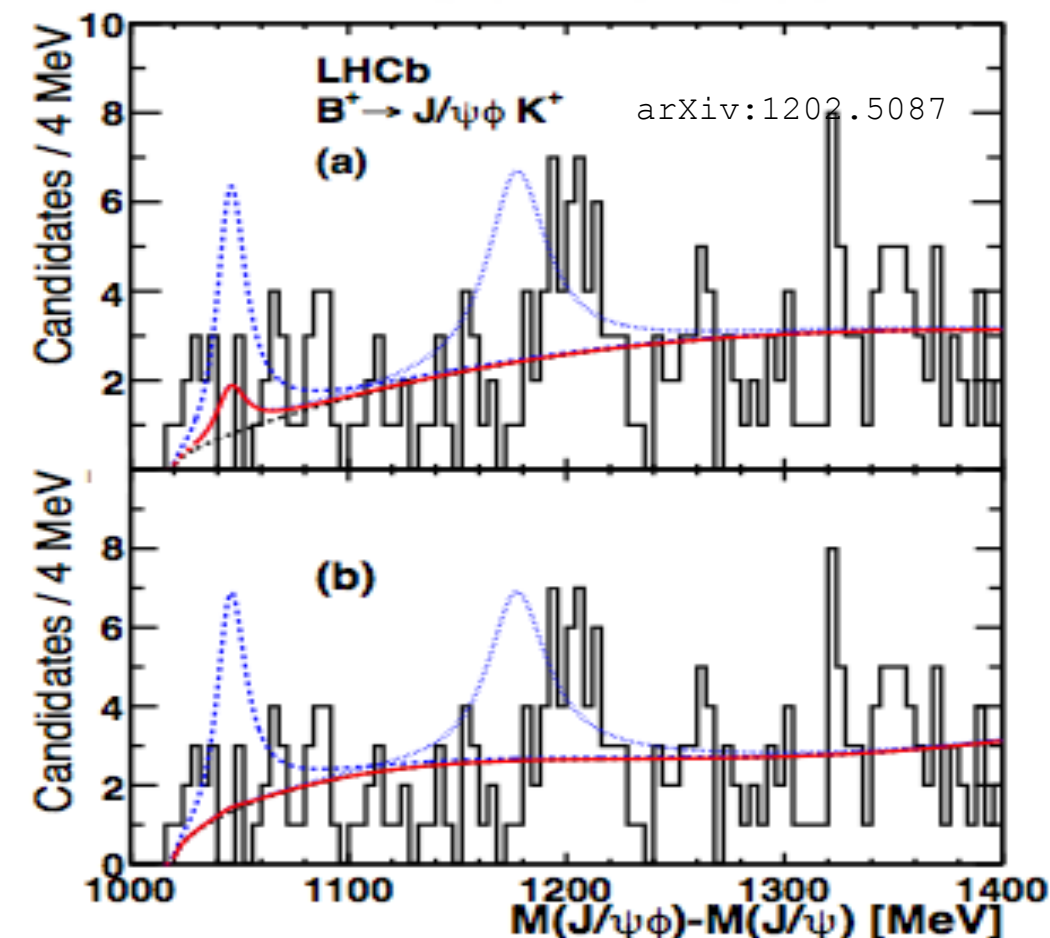
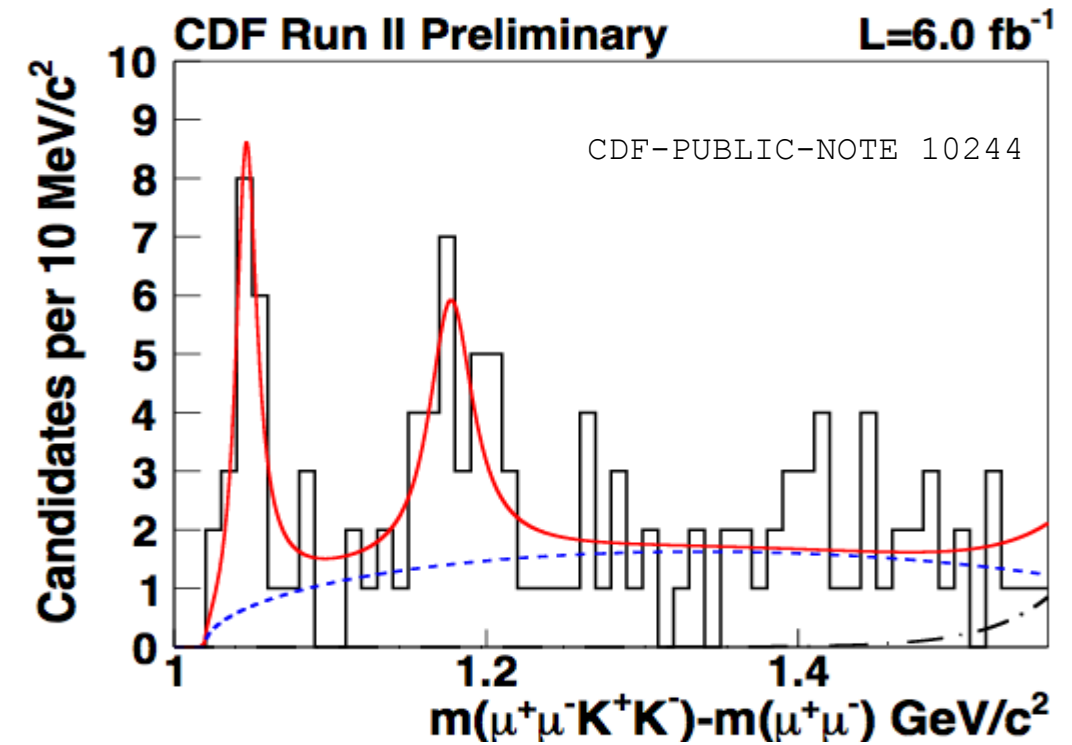
- Collect data at increasing instantaneous luminosity
- Triggers are essential ingredients
  - Special triggers for different analyses
  - Combination of dimuon vertex, minimum dimuon transverse momentum, and displaced dimuon vertex



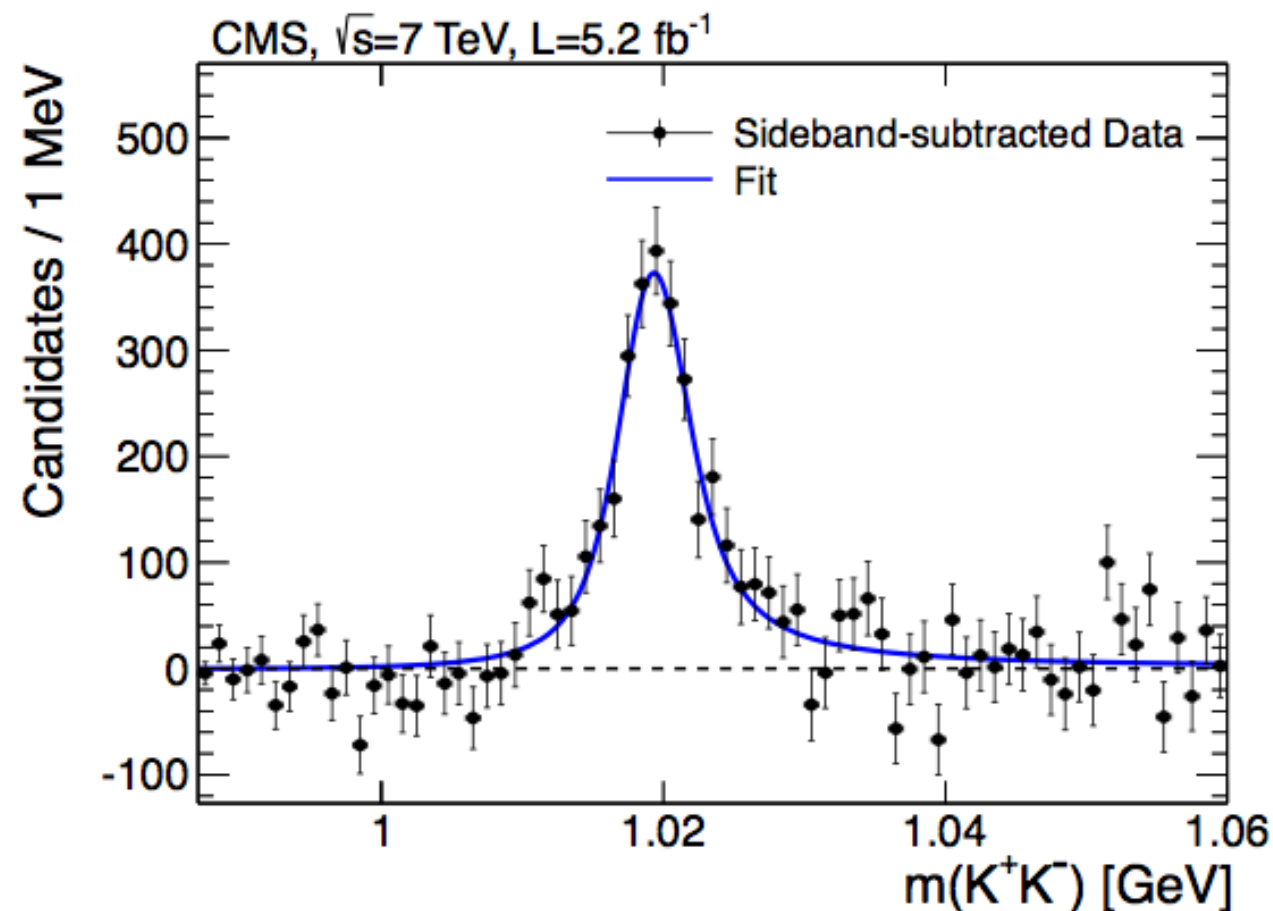
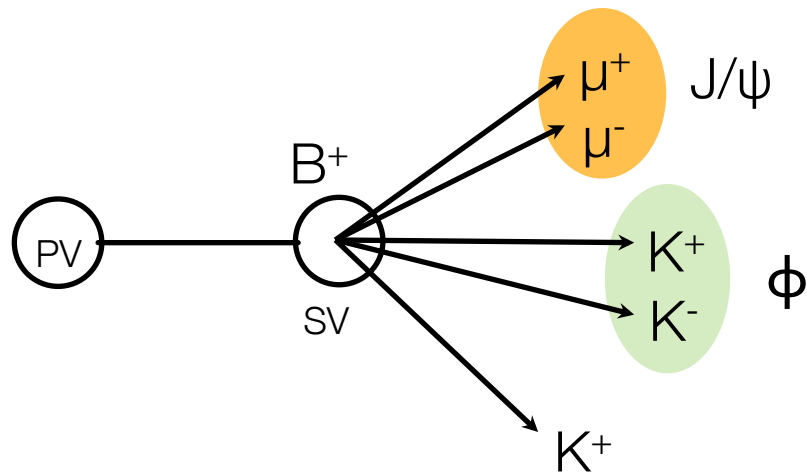


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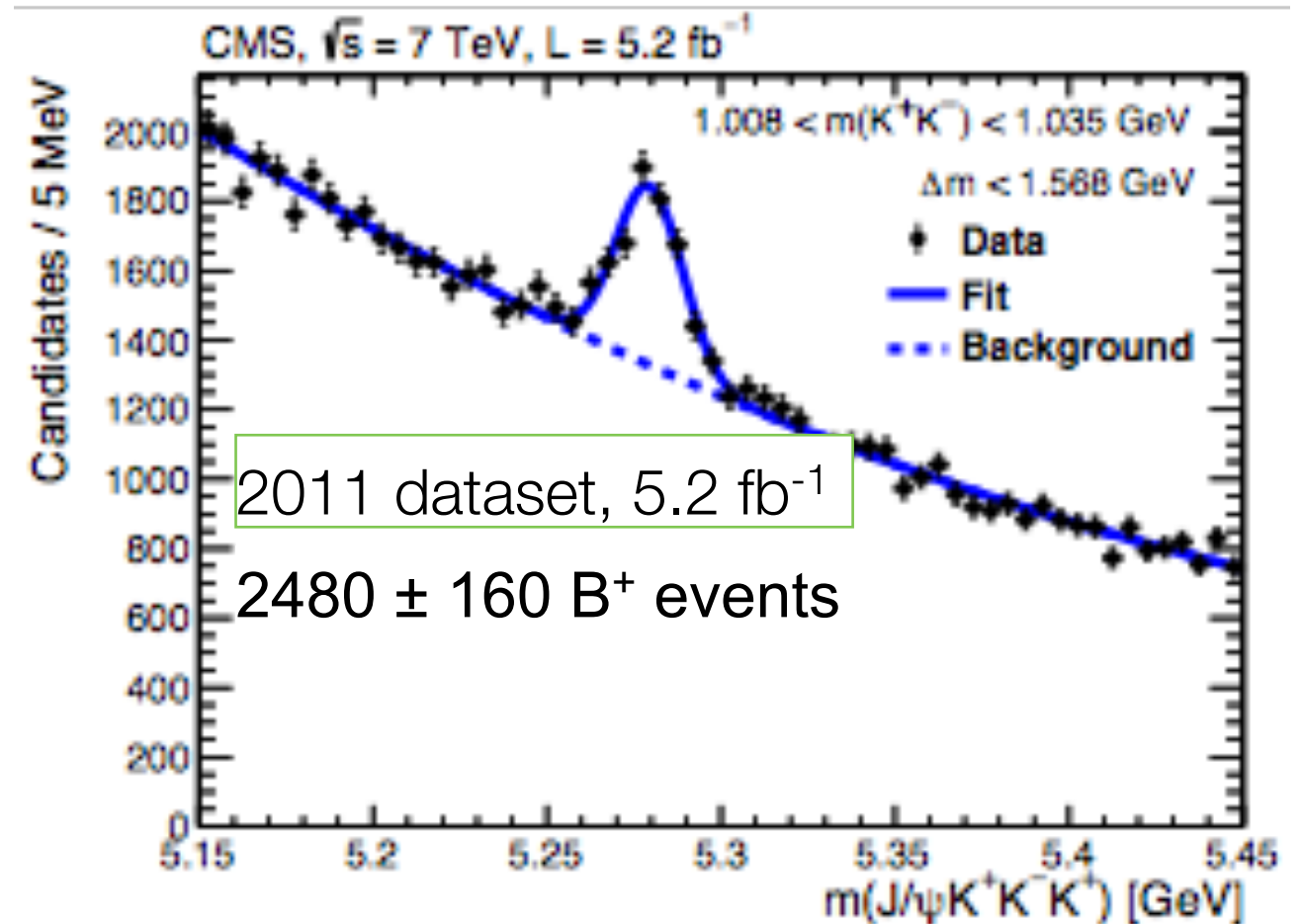
- New X/Y/Z states pose a challenge to the conventional quark model. The origin of these states is not understood.
- CDF reported evidence for a structure Y(4140) with mass  $4143.4^{+2.9}_{-3.0} \pm 1.2_{(\text{syst})}$  MeV and width  $15.3^{+10.4}_{-6.1} \pm 2.5_{(\text{syst})}$  MeV
  - if confirmed, **candidate for an exotic meson**
    - LHCb did not confirm the existence of Y(4140) and put an upper limit on its production
  - An independent check by CMS



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Negligible non- $\phi$  components.



Largest  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$  sample to date.

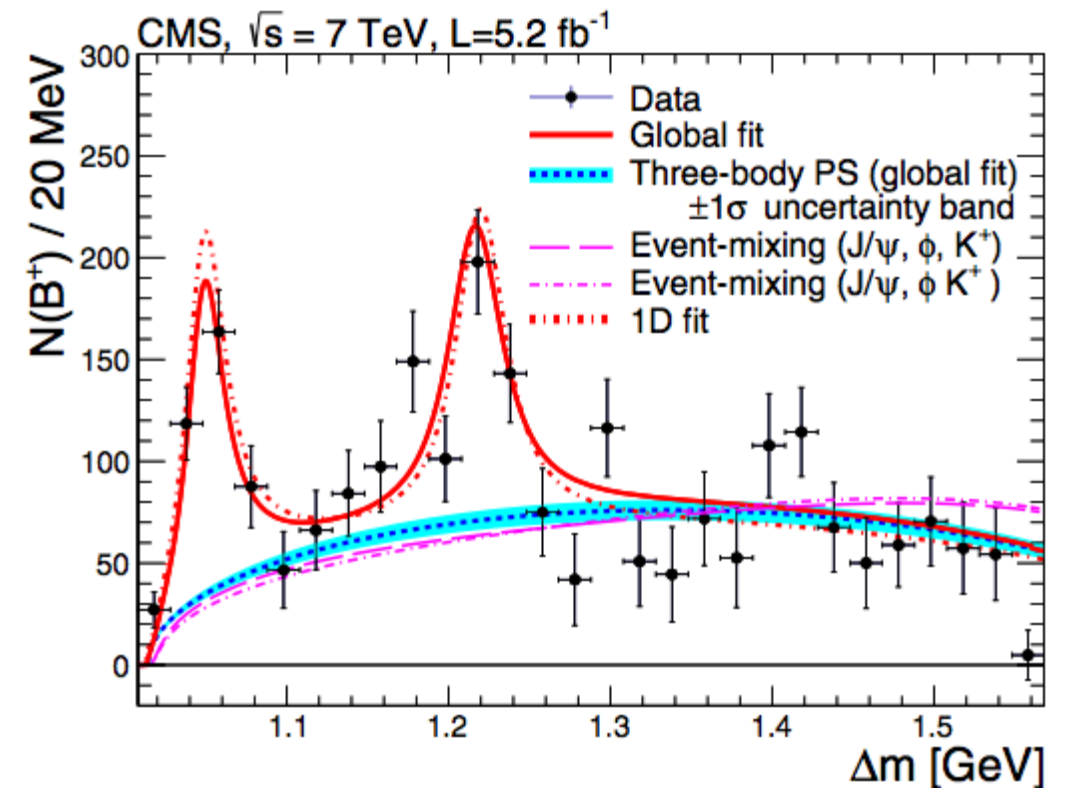
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Investigating the  $\Delta m = m(\mu^+\mu^-K^+K^-) - m(\mu^+\mu^-)$

- exclude  $\Delta m > 1.568$  GeV region to avoid bkg from  $B_s \rightarrow \psi(2S)\phi \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-\phi$  decays

$\Delta m$  spectrum obtained by:

- dividing the dataset in 20MeV  $\Delta m$  bins
- extracting the number of B signal in each  $\Delta m$  bin by fitting the  $J/\psi\phi K$  spectrum



arXiv:1309.6920,  
[PLB 734 \(2014\) 261](#)

Yield	Mass (MeV)	$\Gamma$ (MeV)
$310 \pm 70$	$4148.0 \pm 2.4(\text{stat}) \pm 6.3(\text{syst})$	$28^{+15}_{-11}(\text{stat}) \pm 19(\text{syst})$
$418 \pm 170$	$4313.8 \pm 5.3(\text{stat}) \pm 7.3(\text{syst})$	$38^{+30}_{-15}(\text{stat}) \pm 16(\text{syst})$

CMS confirmed  $Y(4140)$  with a significance  $>5$  standard deviations, and saw evidence for a second structure in the same mass spectrum

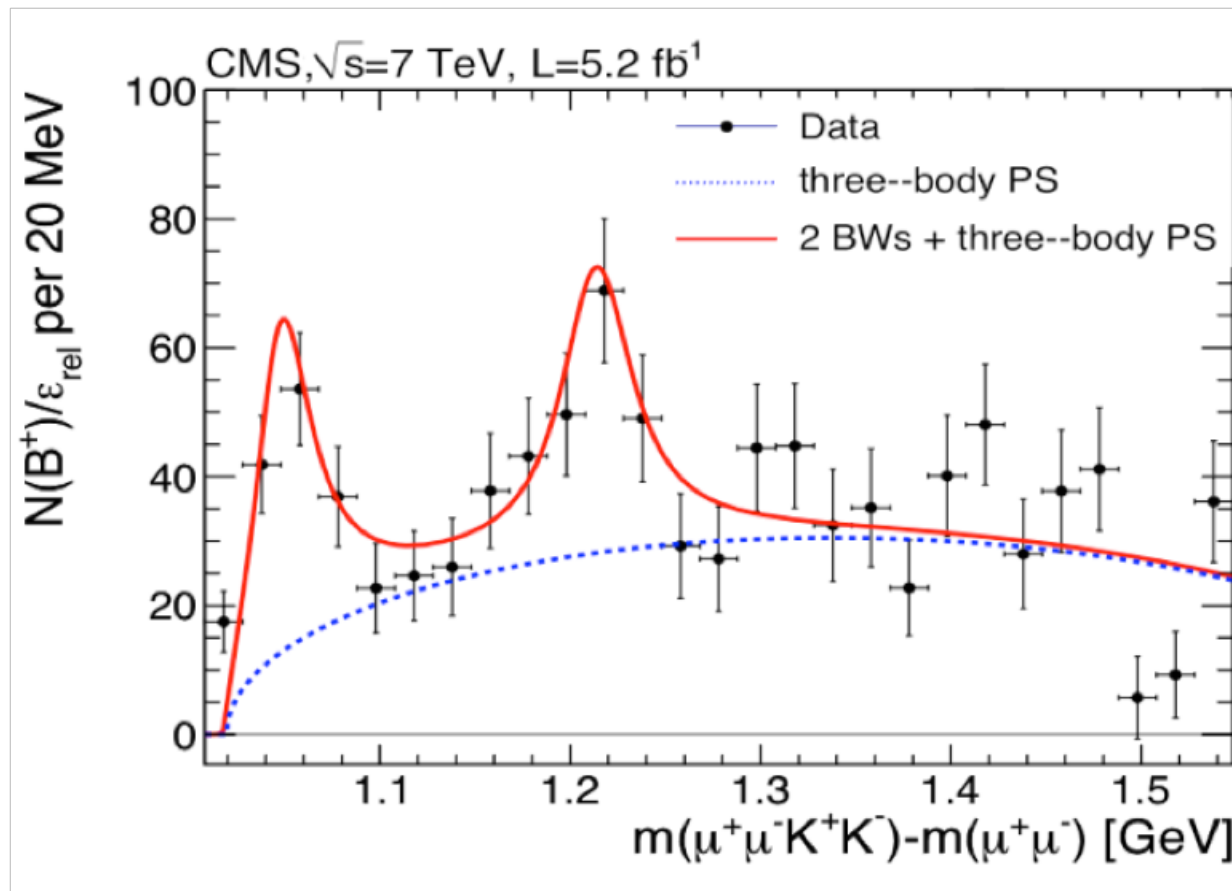
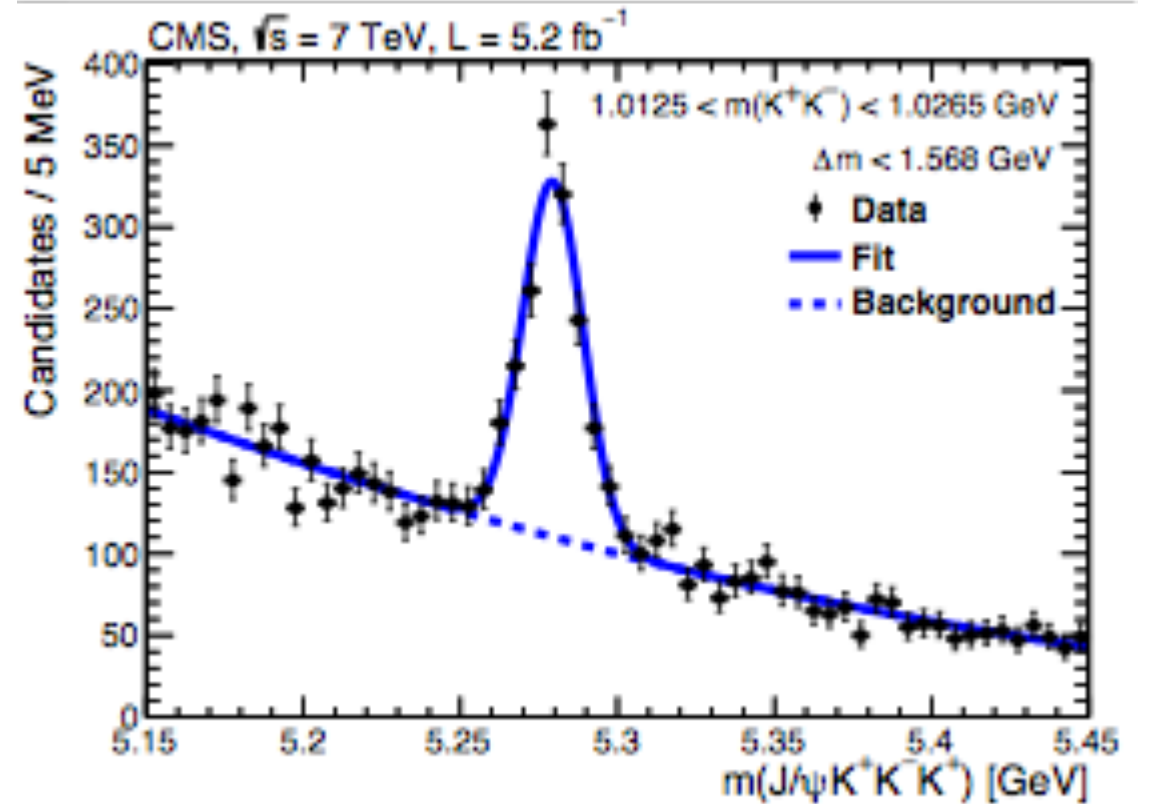
Later D0 also confirmed  $Y(4140)$  with a significance of  $3\sigma$



# Crosscheck with cleaner $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K$ sample

## Additional requirements:

- kaon  $p_T > 1.5$  GeV
- $B^+$  vertex CL  $> 10\%$
- $B^+$  vertex detachment:  $> 7\sigma$  from beamspot
- $m(K^+K^-)$  within 7 MeV of  $\phi$  mass



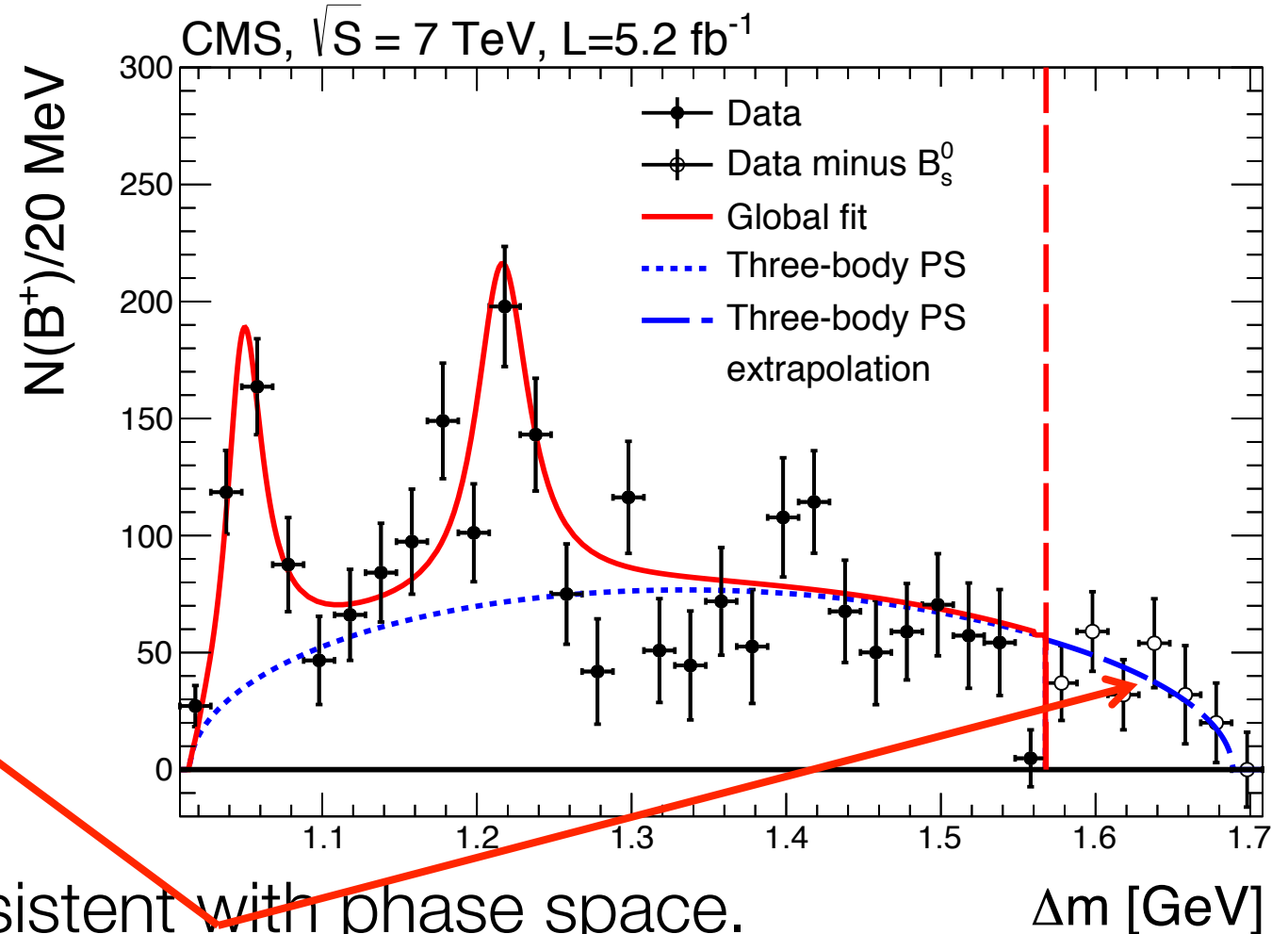
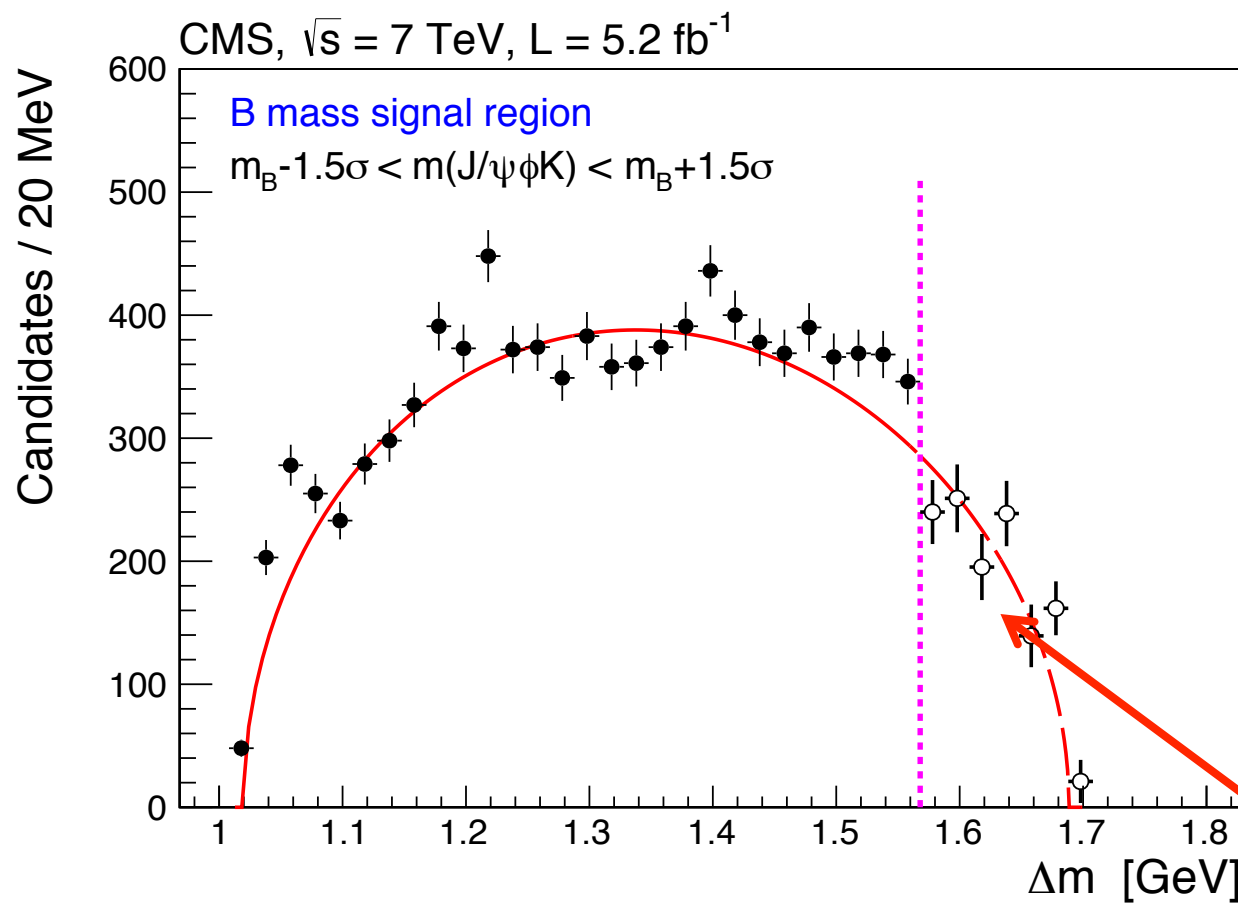
**Solid structures appear in the clean B sample.**

**40% of the default B signal, 10 x less background**

# Further investigation of the whole $\Delta m$ region

The  $\Delta m$  spectrum after subtracting  $B_s^0$  contribution but including non-B events, within  $1.5\sigma$  ( $\sigma = 9.3\text{MeV}$ ) of the  $B$  mass.

The extension of the  $\Delta m$  spectrum, after subtracting non-B background, to the full phase space.



The events in the cutoff region are consistent with phase space.

**The absence of strong activity in the high-  $\Delta m$  region reinforces our conclusion that the near-threshold narrow structure is not due to a reflection of other resonances.**

**Demands an explanation**

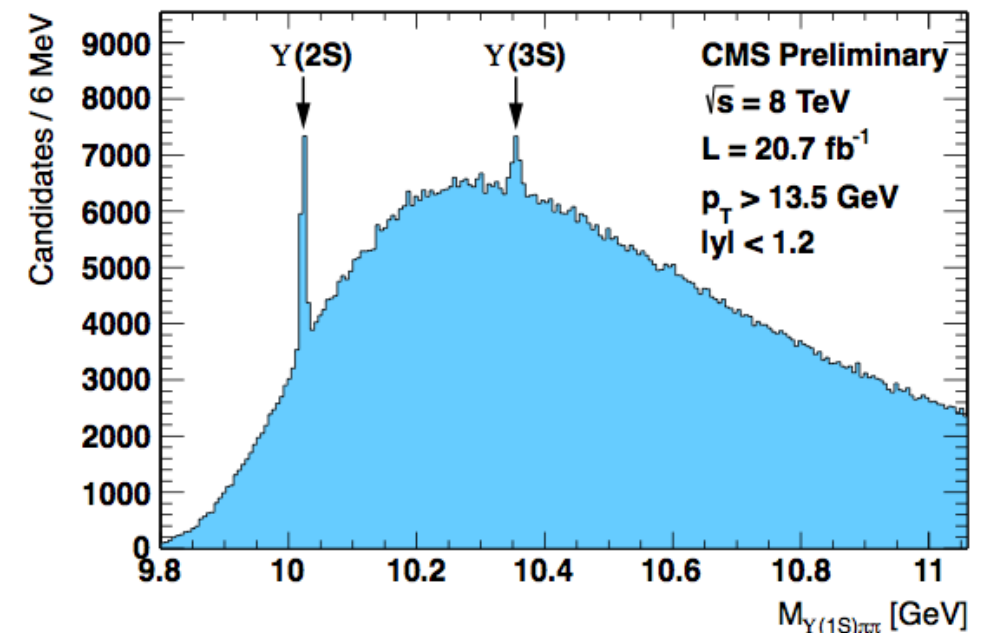
# Search for new bottomonium state decaying to $Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-$

- Exotic resonance  $X(3872)$  discovered in the final state  $J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$
- A **bottomonium counterpart  $X_b$**  may exist and decays into  $Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-$ 
  - Mass close to the  $BB$  or  $BB^*$  threshold, 10.562 and 10.604 GeV
  - Similar to  $X(3872)$ , narrow width and sizable branching ratio into  $Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-$
  - Look for a peak in the  $Y(1S)(\mu^+\mu^-)\pi^+\pi^-$  invariant mass spectrum
  - **Measure  $R = \frac{\sigma_{X_b} \times BR(X_b \rightarrow Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-)}{\sigma_{Y(2S)} \times BR(Y(2S) \rightarrow Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-)}$  as a function of  $X_b$  mass—[10,11] GeV**
  - kinematic region:  $p_T(Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-) > 13.5$  GeV and  $|y(Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-)| < 2.0$

# $X_b$ candidate reconstruction

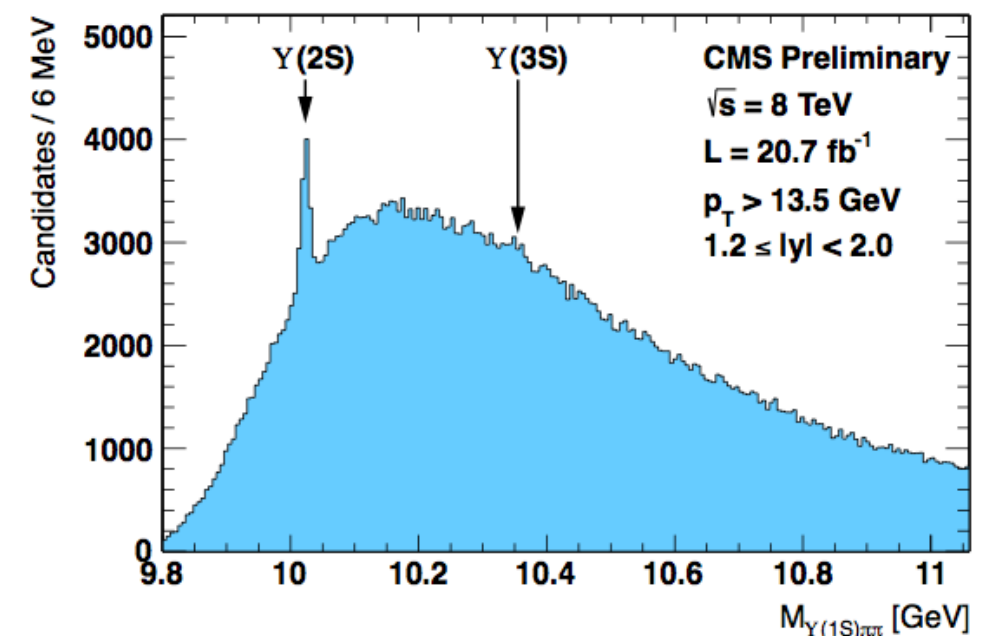
- $X_b$  candidates reconstructed by associating the  $Y(1S)$  to 2 pion tracks
  - Optimized by maximizing the expected signal significance near the  $Y(2S)$  mass

- Expected significance  $> 5\sigma$  if  $X_b \text{ BR} * \text{cross-section} > 6.56\%$  of the corresponding  $Y(2S) \rightarrow Y(1S)\pi^+\pi^-$  value (analogous to  $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$ , see CMS results in [JHEP 04 \(2013\) 154](#))



- Separate “barrel” and “endcaps” events to exploit better mass resolution and lower background in the barrel region

- No structure** apart from  $Y(2S)$  and  $Y(3S)$





# $X_b$ search: mass scan

- Explore 10.06-10.31 and 10.40-10.99 GeV mass regions
- Shift  $X_b$  expected mass in **10 MeV intervals** and evaluate signal significance
  - $X_b$  signal modeled with a Gaussian function
    - Fix signal width to value from the simulation (3.8 to 16.4 MeV)
  - background parametrized with a 3<sup>rd</sup> order polynomial
  - for each mass point, evaluate

$$R = \frac{N_{X_b}^{\text{obs}}}{N_{Y(2S)}^{\text{obs}}} \frac{\epsilon_{Y(2S)}}{\epsilon_{X_b}}$$

observed yields of  $X_b$   
and  $Y(2S)$  candidates

overall efficiencies estimated  
from simulation

## Assumptions:

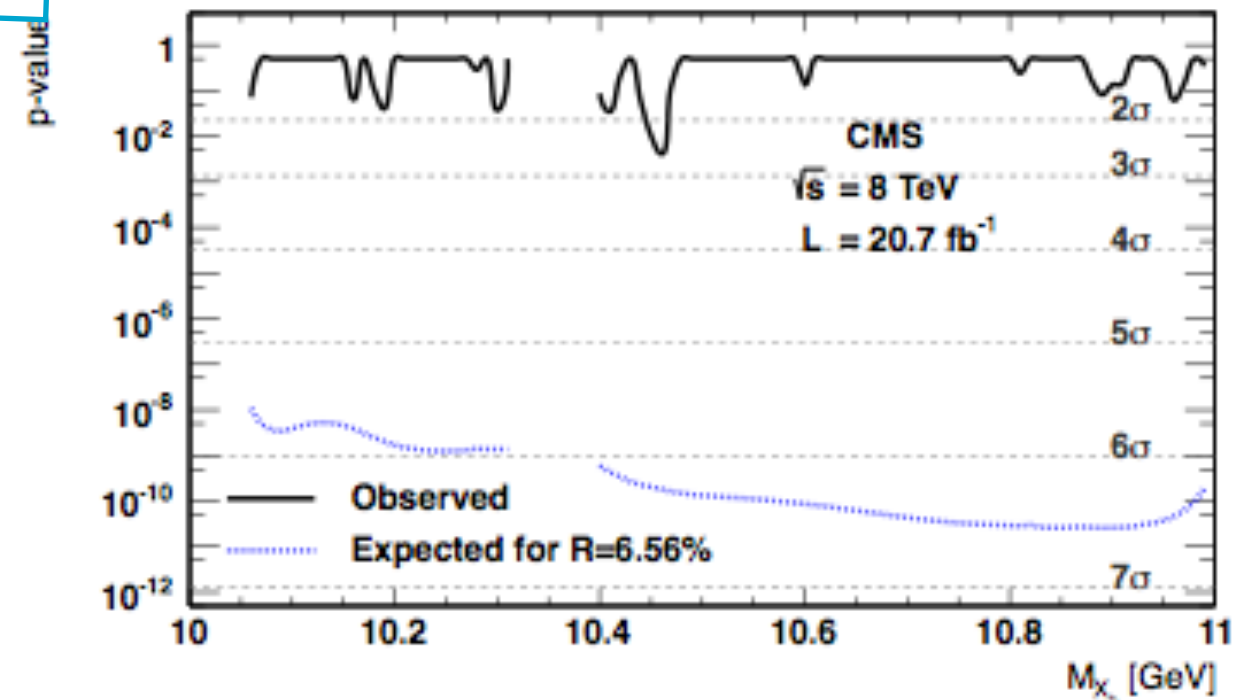
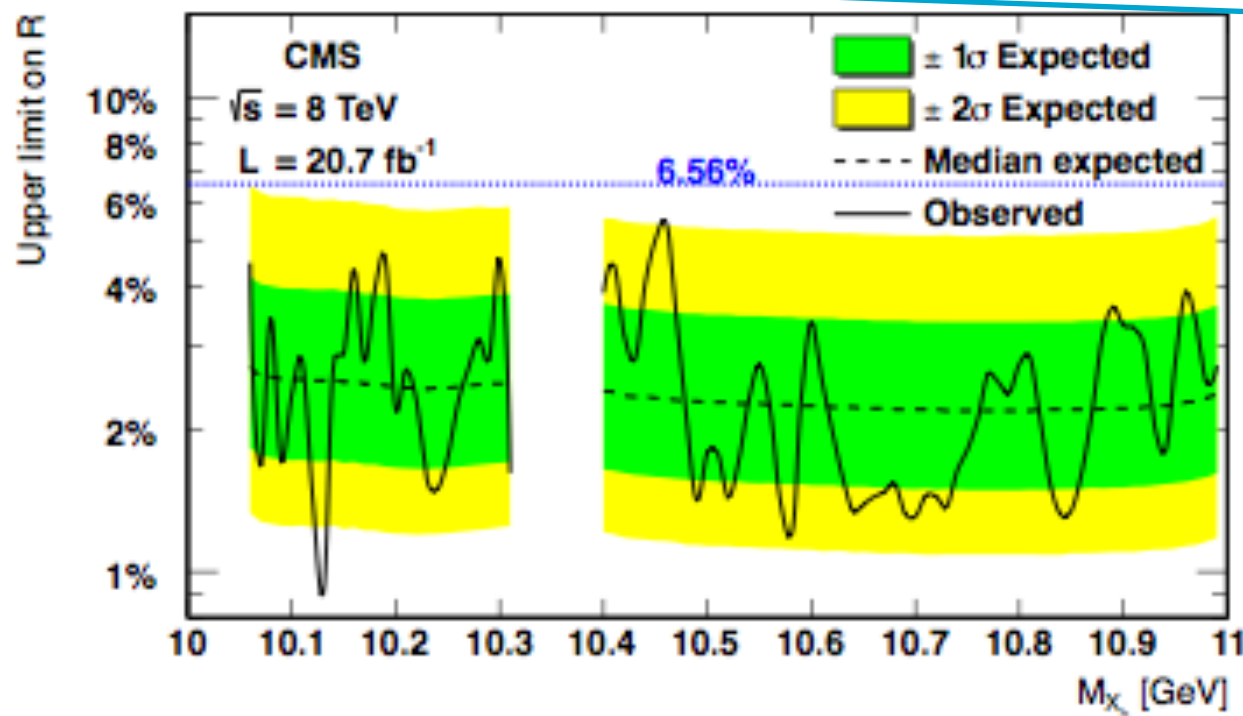
- same production mechanism for  $Y(2S)$  and  $X_b$
- both produced unpolarized
- same dipion mass distribution for  $X_b$  and  $Y(2S)$

# $X_b$ Limit

- Local p-values calculated using asymptotic approach and combining results of fits to the barrel and endcap regions
- Systematic uncertainties implemented as nuisance parameters

first upper limits on  $X_b$  production at a hadron collider

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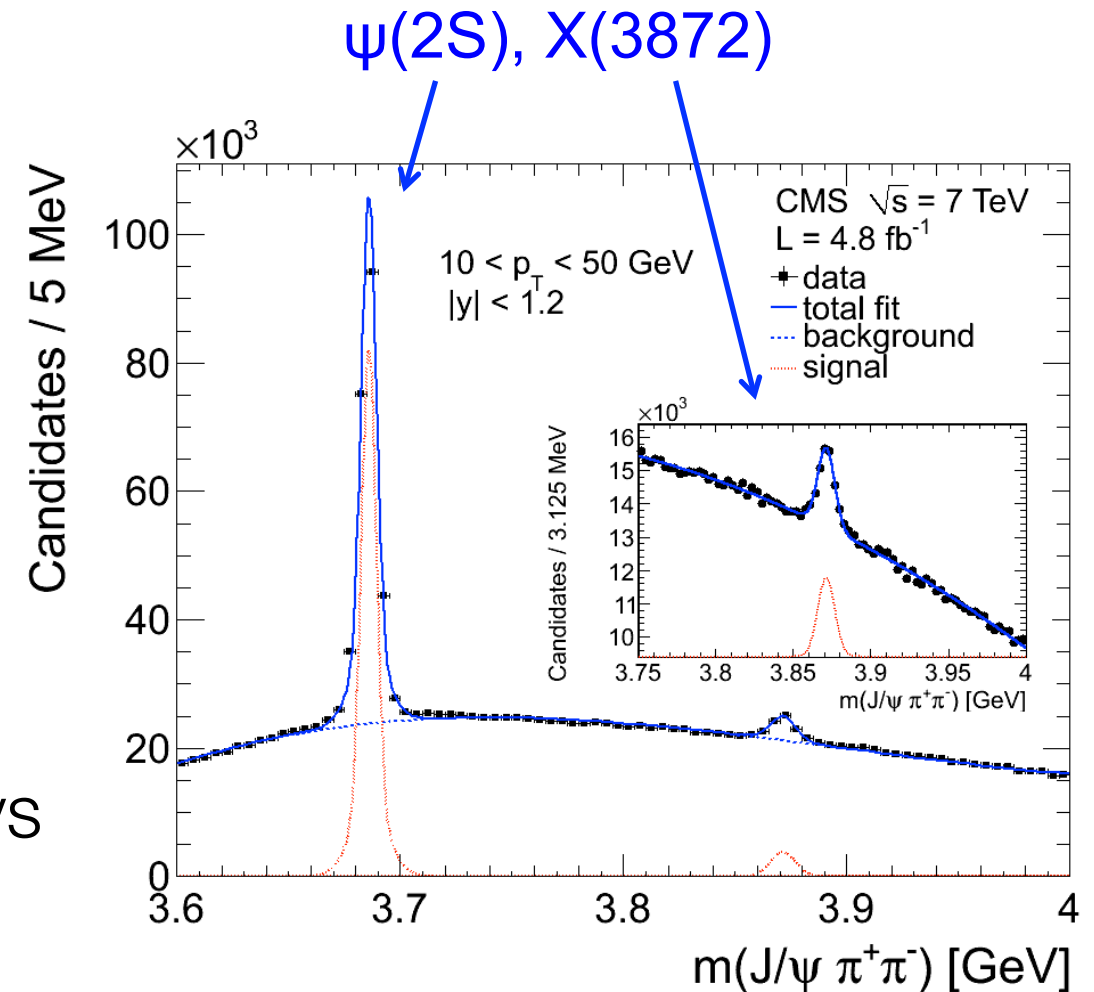
No significant excess is observed

95% CL upper limit on the cross-sections\*branching fractions ratio: 0.9 - 5.4 %

# X(3872) cross section

- The X(3872) was discovered in 2003 by Belle
  - Later it was confirmed by CDF, D0, Babar
  - Its nature is uncertain → exotic candidate
- Previous analyses prefer  $J^{PC}=1^{++}$  or  $2^{-+}$ 
  - CMS measurement assumed  $1^{++}$
  - LHCb measured its  $J^{PC}$  as  $1^{++}$ , [PRL 110, 222001 \(2013\)](#)
- It is produced both promptly and from B decays at LHC
  - CMS measures both prompt and non-prompt cross section

[CMS JHEP 04 \(2013\) 154](#)

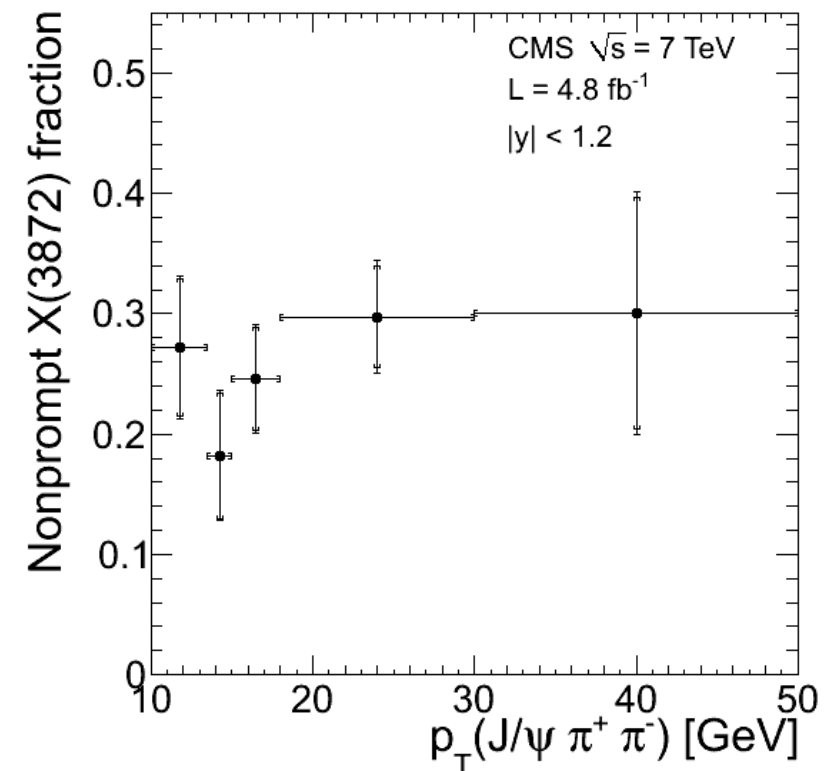
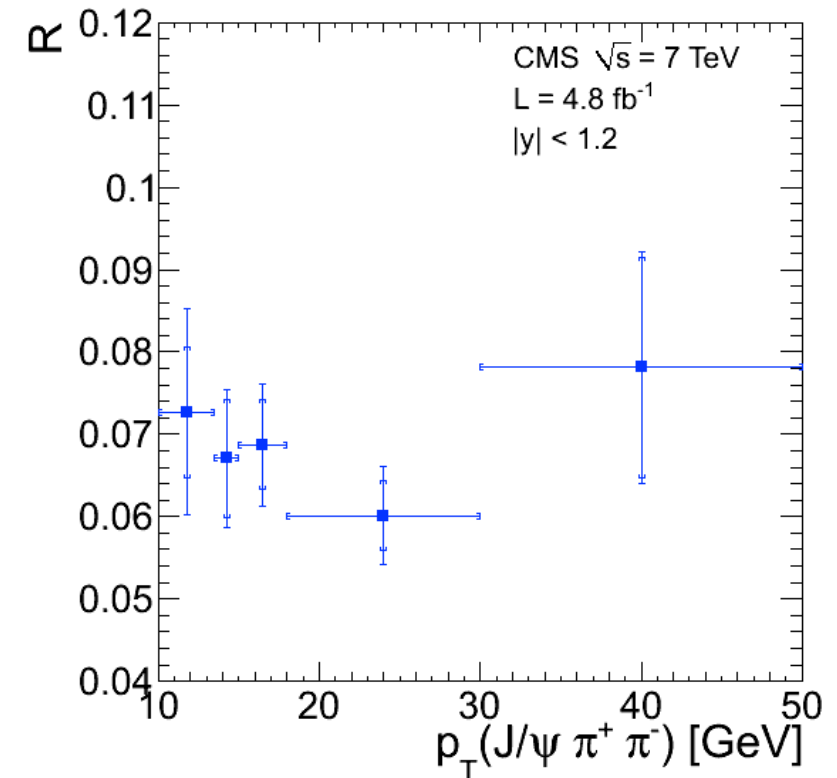


# X(3872) cross section

- $R=X(3872)/\psi(2S)$  cross section ratio
  - X(3872) and  $\psi(2S)$  are assumed unpolarized
  - Variation up to 90% due to polarization
- Non-prompt fraction (B decays)
  - Separated based on  $L_{xy}$

$$l_{xy}^{X(3872)} = \frac{L_{xy}^{X(3872)} \cdot m_{X(3872)}}{p_T}$$

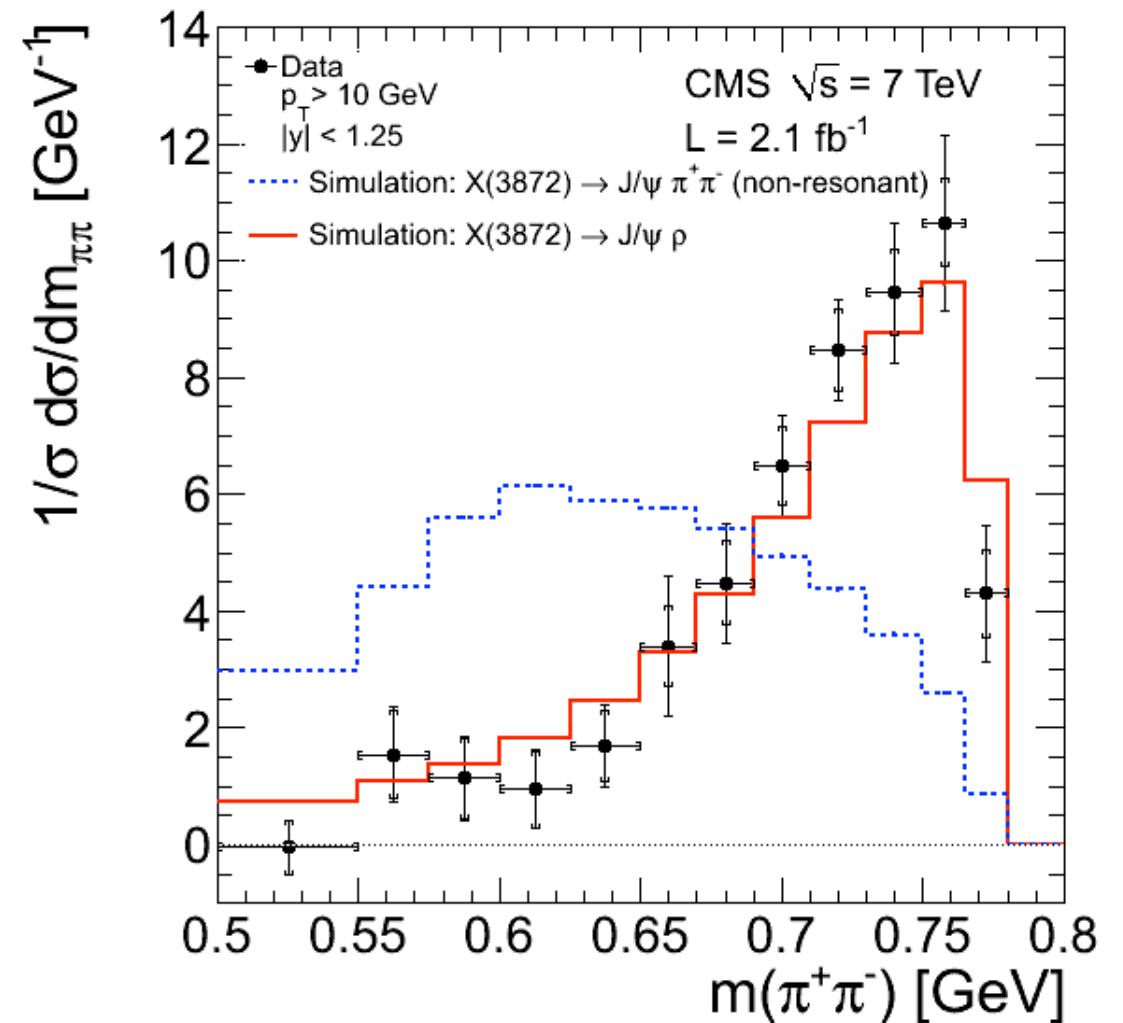
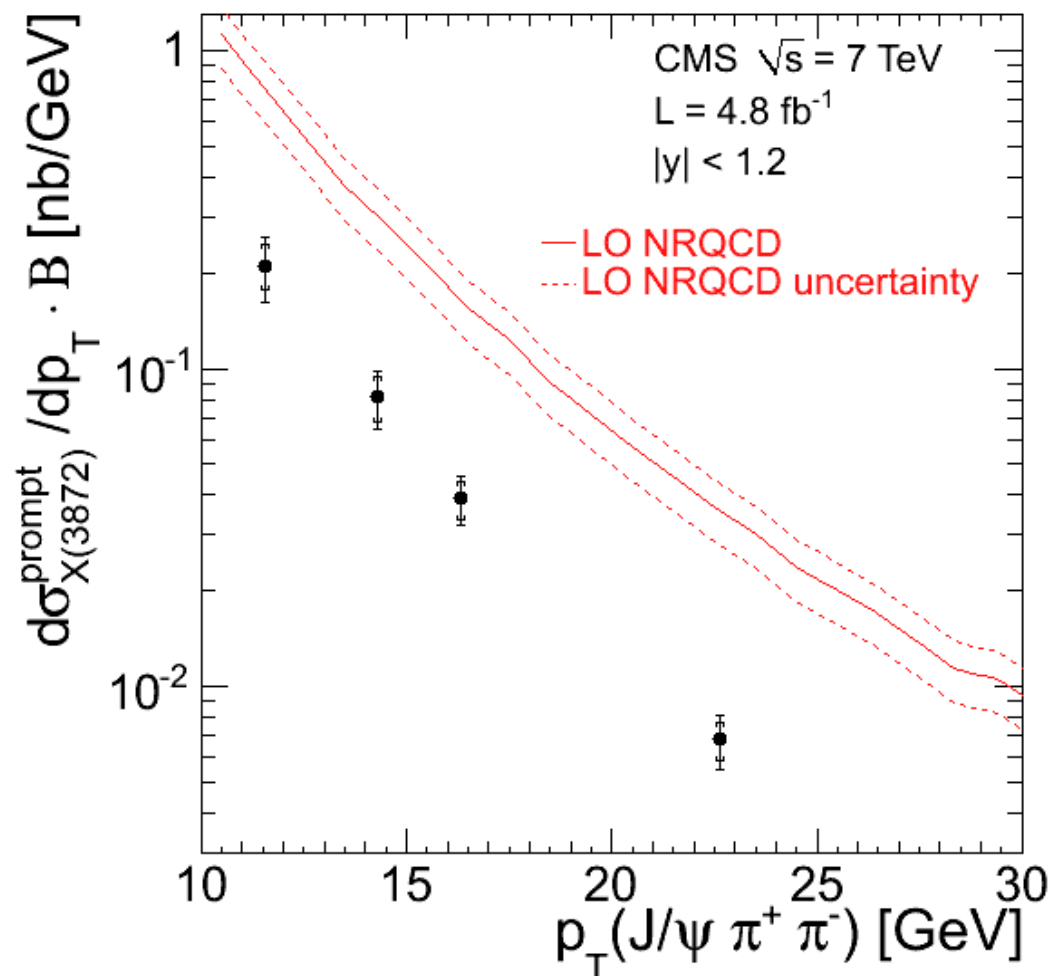
- Non-prompt events ( $l_{xy} > 100 \mu\text{m}$ )
- Contribution from prompt  $< 0.1\%$
- Cross-checked by 2D fit to the mass and  $l_{xy}$





# X(3872) cross section

- Prompt cross section compared to NRQCD
- NRQCD: Artoisenet and Braaten, [Phys Rev D81 114018](#), normalized to Tevatron data and modified by the authors for CMS phase space
- Compared to simulations with and w/o intermediate  $\rho^0$  in the  $J/\psi \pi^+\pi^-$  decay



NRQCD predictions significantly exceed the measured value, while  $p_T$  dependence is reasonably well described

The intermediate  $\rho^0$  decay gives better agreement with data

# Summary

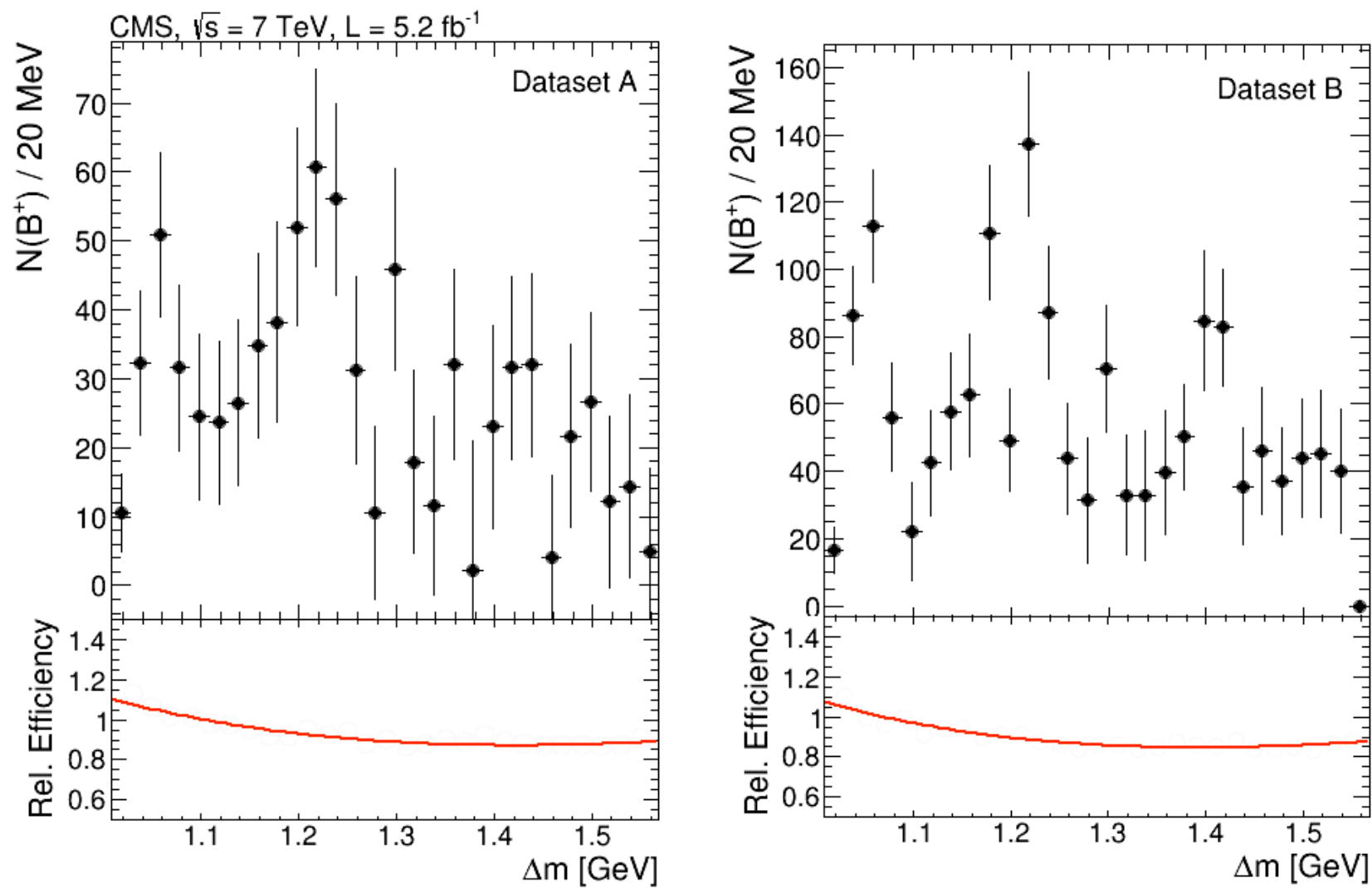
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- Thanks to the excellent performance of LHC and CMS
- Important measurements of exotic quarkonia made by CMS
- Demonstrated CMS can/will play important role in exotic states studies

Stay tuned!

All CMS B-Physics results are available at  
<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsBPH>

Backup



The  $\Delta m$  spectrums for datasetA (left, dimuon  $p_T > 7 \text{ GeV}$ ), datasetB(right, dimuon  $p_T > 7 \text{ GeV}$  and each muon  $p_T > 4 \text{ GeV}$ ) with corresponding relative efficiency curves



