

# Study of Vector Charmonium(-like) States in Open Charm States

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# BESIII Data Sets

## ■ BEPCII Collider:

- Double ring  $e^+e^-$  collider;
- $2.0 \text{ GeV} < \sqrt{s} < 4.9 \text{ GeV}$ ;
- The peak luminosity is  $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 3.78 \text{ GeV}$ .

## ■ BESIII Detector:

- Helium-based multilayer drift chamber (MDC),
- Plastic scintillator time-of-flight system (TOF),
- CsI(Tl) electromagnetic calorimeter (EMC),
- Superconducting solenoidal magnet providing a 1.0 T magnetic field.
- Octagonal flux-return yoke with resistive plate counter muon identifier modules interleaved with steel.

- **The BESIII Collaboration has about 500 members from 72 institutions in 15 countries.**

## ■ XYZ data:

- $\sim 20 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  data event in open charm region 3.8-4.7 GeV.
- Larger data sets at some special energy points: 4.18 GeV, 4.23 GeV, 4.26 GeV, 4.42 GeV, 4.68 GeV.

## ■ R-scan data in open charm region:

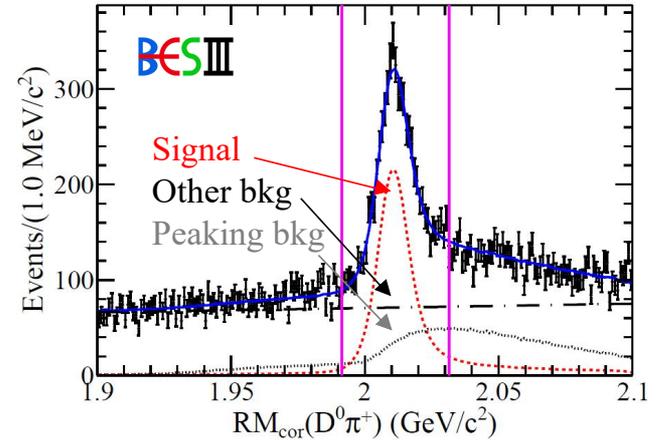
- Energy points with luminosity less than  $20 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ .
- Initially taken for R study, can also help the XYZ study.

Details of BEPCII, BESIII, and data sets could be found from previous talks.

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ D^0 D^{*-}$

- The process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ D^0 D^{*-}$  from 4.05 to 4.60 GeV has been studied.
  - The bachelor  $\pi^+$  and the  $D^0$  (through  $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ ) are reconstructed.
  - The  $D^{*-}$  is inferred from energy-momentum conservation.
- The  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D^* \bar{D}^*$  background events are rejected by vetoing any  $D^0 \pi^+$  candidates satisfying  $M(D^0 \pi^+) < 2.03 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ .

$$RM_{\text{cor}}(D^0 \pi^+) = RM(D^0 \pi^+) + M(K^- \pi^+) - m(D^0)$$



- The only peaking background is from the isospin partner process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ D^- D^{*0}$ . The other backgrounds are described by a first order polynomial function.
- The dressed cross sections are calculated.

$$\sigma_{\text{dress}} = \frac{N^{\text{obs}}}{\mathcal{L} \cdot (1 + \delta) \cdot \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \cdot \epsilon}$$



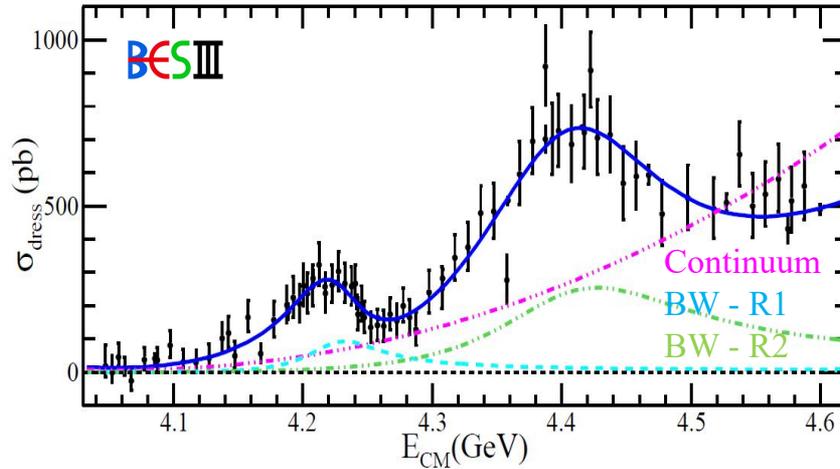
$N^{\text{obs}}$  is the signal yield;  
 $\mathcal{L}$  is the integrated luminosity;  
 $(1+\delta)$  is the ISR correction factor;  
 $\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) = (3.93 \pm 0.04)\%$ ;  
 $\epsilon$  is the detection efficiency.



- A fit was applied to the dressed cross sections.

$$\sigma_{\text{dress}}(m) = \left| c \cdot \sqrt{P(m)} + e^{i\phi_1} B_1(m) \sqrt{P(m)/P(M_1)} + e^{i\phi_2} B_2(m) \sqrt{P(m)/P(M_2)} \right|^2 \Rightarrow$$

P(m) is the three-body phase-space factor;  
B(m) is the Breit-Wigner (BW) function.



Parameter	Solution I	Solution II	Solution III	Solution IV
$c$ ( $\text{MeV}^{-3/2}$ )	$(6.2 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-4}$			
$M_1$ ( $\text{MeV}/c^2$ )	Parameters of the 1 <sup>st</sup> BW			
$\Gamma_1$ (MeV)	$4228.6 \pm 4.1$			
$M_2$ ( $\text{MeV}/c^2$ )	Parameters of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> BW			
$\Gamma_2$ (MeV)	$77.0 \pm 6.8$			
$\Gamma_1^{\text{el}}$ (eV)	$4404.7 \pm 7.4$	$191.9 \pm 13.0$		
$\Gamma_2^{\text{el}}$ (eV)	$77.4 \pm 10.1$	$8.6 \pm 1.6$	$99.5 \pm 14.6$	$11.1 \pm 2.3$
$\phi_1$ (rad)	$100.4 \pm 13.3$	$64.2 \pm 8.0$	$664.2 \pm 80.0$	$423.0 \pm 47.0$
$\phi_2$ (rad)	$-2.0 \pm 0.1$	$3.0 \pm 0.2$	$-0.9 \pm 0.1$	$-2.2 \pm 0.1$
	$2.1 \pm 0.2$	$2.5 \pm 0.2$	$-2.3 \pm 0.1$	$-1.9 \pm 0.1$

- Fixing the parameters of the second peak to (or include one additional resonance of) Y(4260), Y(4320), Y(4360), or  $\psi(4415)$  would yield wildly varying parameters for  $R_2$ .

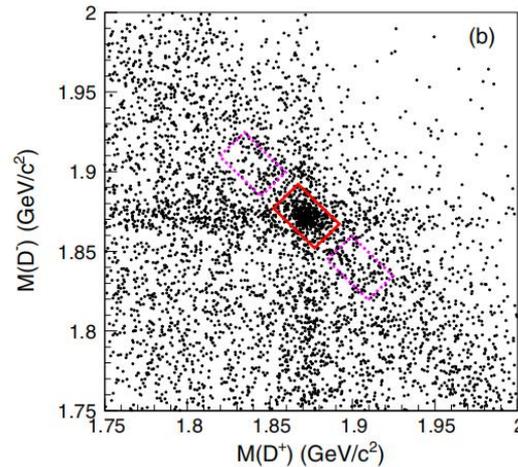
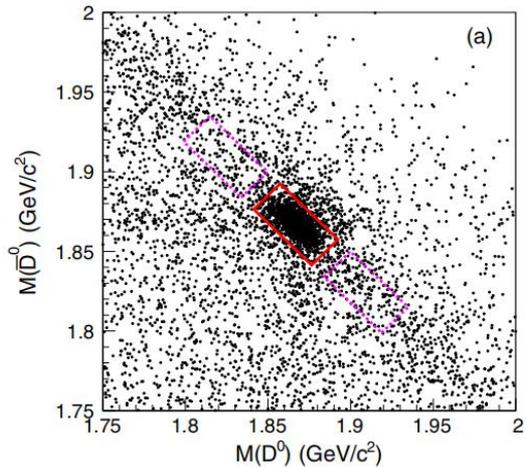
- The mass and width of the  $R_1$  are stable:  $M_1 = (4228.6 \pm 4.1 \pm 6.3) \text{ MeV}/c^2$

$$\Gamma_1 = (77.0 \pm 6.8 \pm 6.3) \text{ MeV}$$

- The statistical significance of the two-resonance model over a one-resonance model is  $10.5\sigma$ .

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-D^0\bar{D}^0, \pi^+\pi^-D^+D^-$

- Several intermediate states of the reaction channels  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-D^0\bar{D}^0, \pi^+\pi^-D^+D^-$  from 4.08 to 4.60 GeV are studied.
  - $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\psi(3770)$
  - $e^+e^- \rightarrow \rho^0 X_2(4013)$
  - $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_1(2420)\bar{D}$
- The  $D^0$  mesons are reconstructed in four decay modes:  $K^-\pi^+, K^-\pi^+\pi^0, K^-\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-,$  and  $K^-\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0.$
- The  $D^+$  mesons are reconstructed in five decay modes:  $K^-\pi^+\pi^+, K^-\pi^+\pi^+\pi^0, K_S^0\pi^+, K_S^0\pi^+\pi^0,$  and  $K_S^0\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+.$

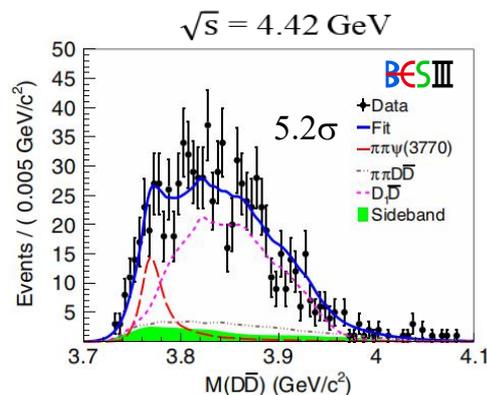
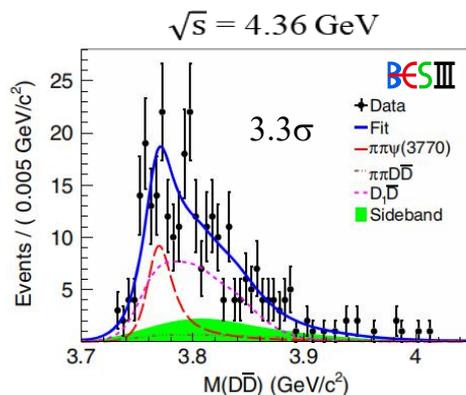
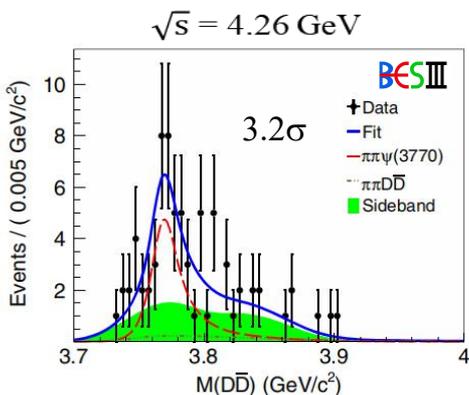


$$\sqrt{s} = 4.42 \text{ GeV}$$

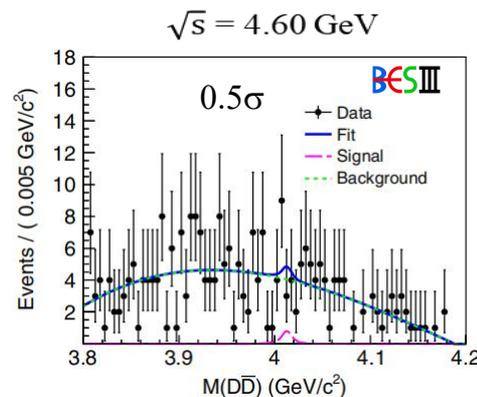
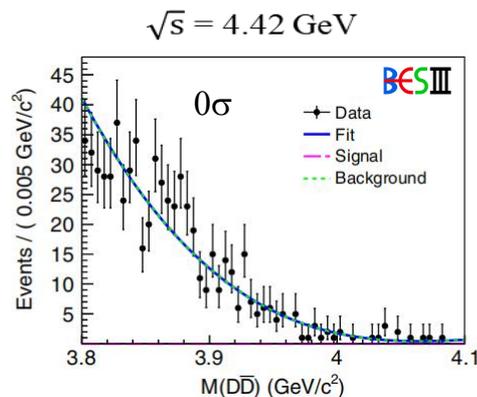
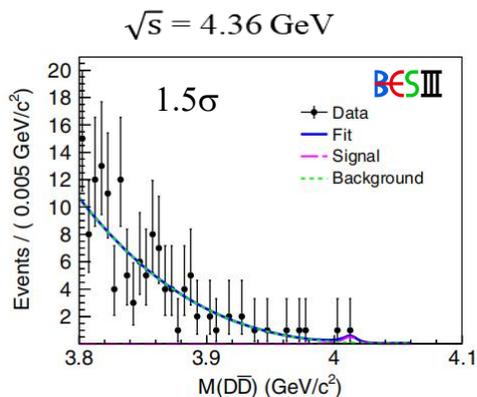
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# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-D^0\bar{D}^0, \pi^+\pi^-D^+D^-$

- The signal of  $\psi(3770)$  could be found from the invariant mass  $M(D\bar{D})$ .

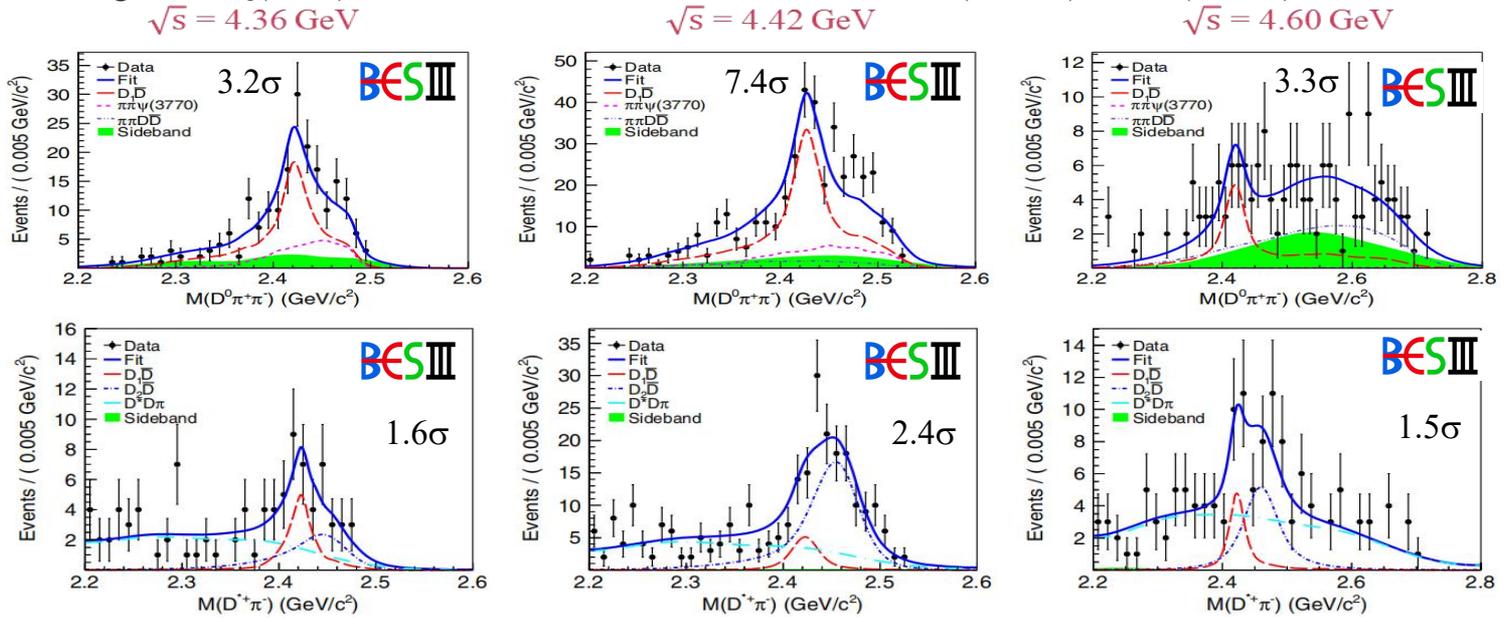


- No obvious  $X_2(4013)$  is found.

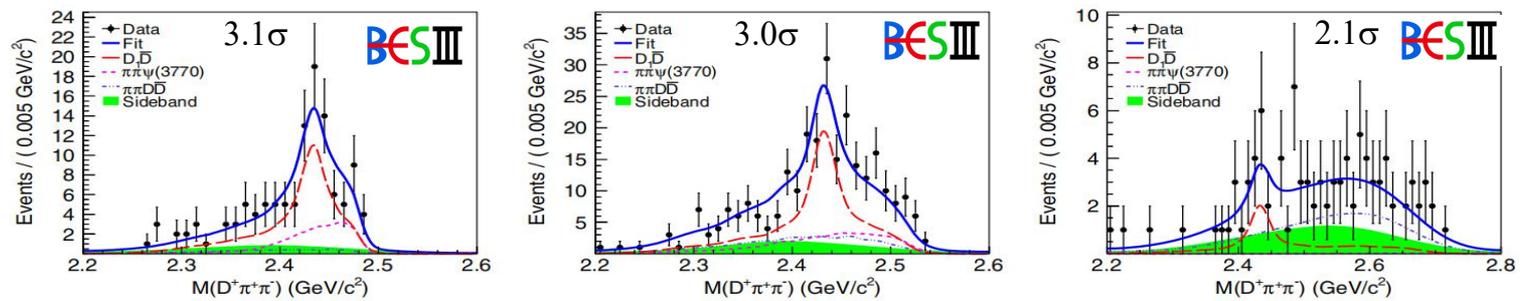


# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- D^0 \bar{D}^0, \pi^+\pi^- D^+ D^-$

■ The signal of  $D_1(2420)^0$  could be found from the invariant mass  $M(D^0\pi^+\pi^-)$  and  $M(D^{*+}\pi^-)$ .

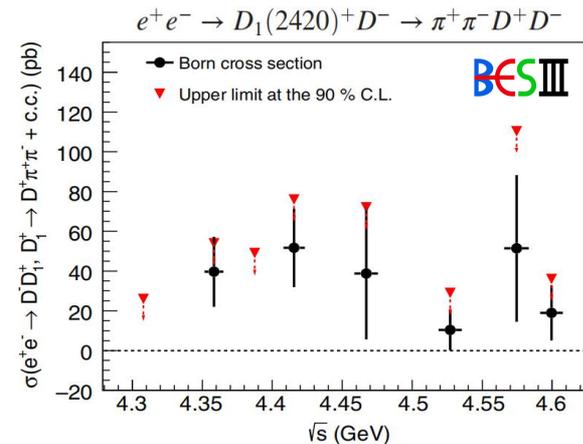
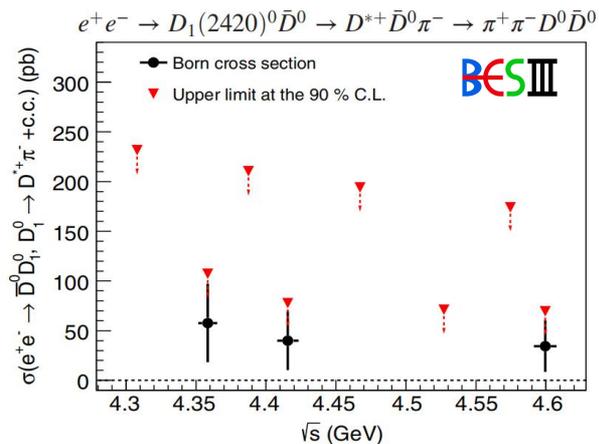
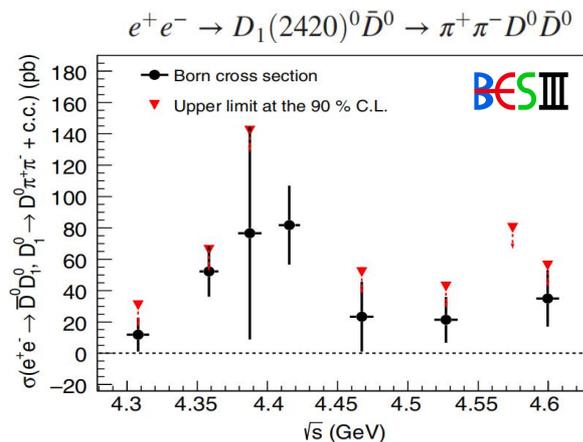
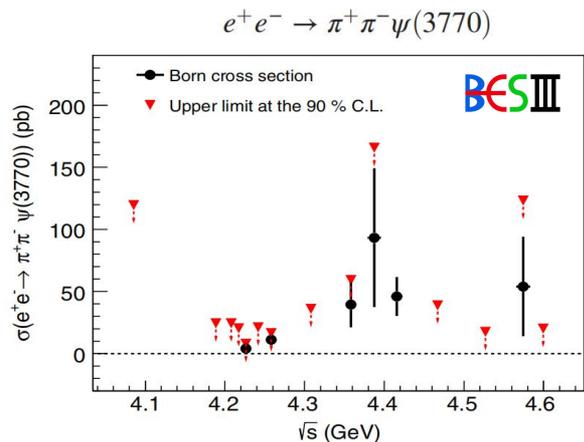


■ The signal of  $D_1(2420)^+$  could be found from the invariant mass  $M(D^+\pi^+\pi^-)$ .



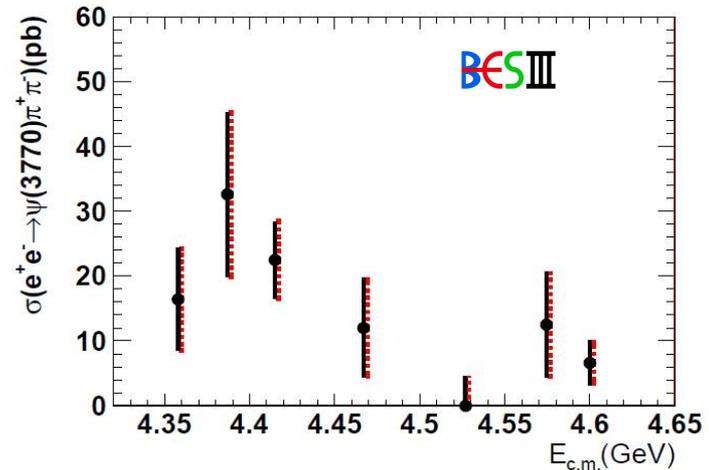
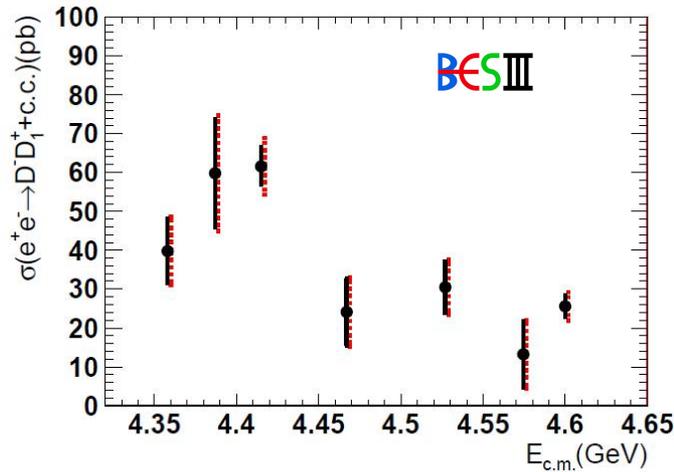
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- Cross sections are calculated.



# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-D^+D^-$

- The process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-D^+D^-$  from 4.36 to 4.60 GeV has been studied through partial reconstruction method, too.
- The bachelor  $\pi^+\pi^-$  and the  $D^+$  (through  $D^+ \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^+$ ) are reconstructed. The missing  $D^-$  is found from the recoil-mass distribution.
- The measured cross sections are consistent with the full reconstruction method.

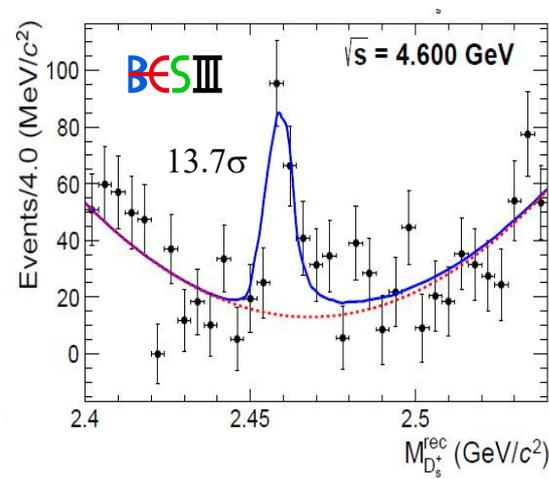
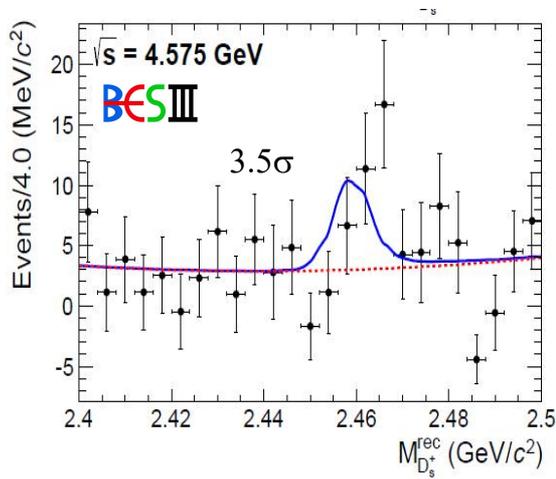
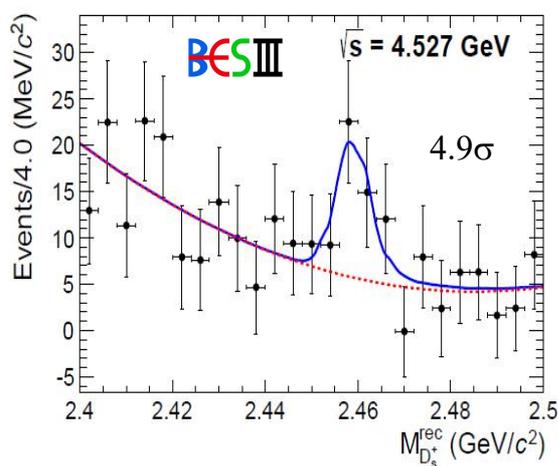


The (black) solid lines are the sum of statistical uncertainties and independent systematic uncertainties in quadrature, the (red) dot lines are total uncertainties.

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-, D_s^{*+} D_{s1}(2460)^-$

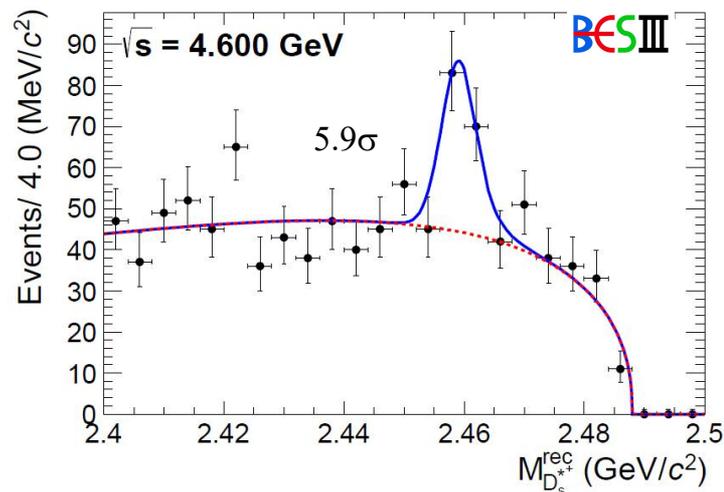
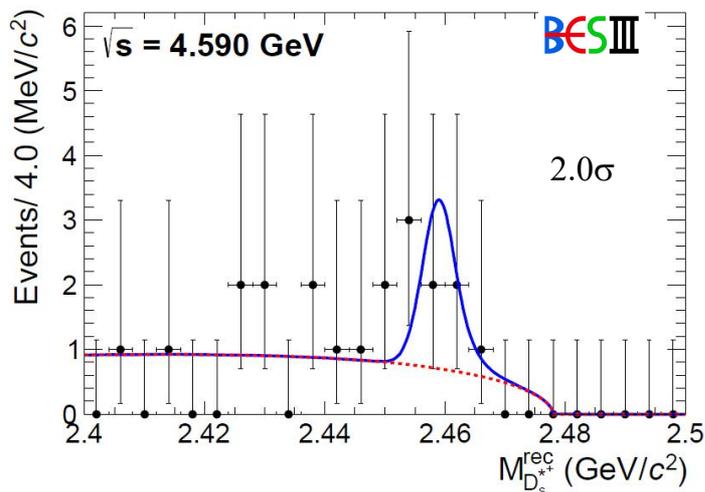
■ The process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-$  from 4.467 to 4.600 GeV has been studied.

- The  $D_s^+$  candidates are reconstructed via  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+$ ,  $\phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-$  and  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} K^+$ ,  $\bar{K}^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ .
- The missing  $D_{s1}(2460)^-$  is found from the recoil-mass distribution.
- The dominant backgrounds are  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^{*+} D_s^{*-}$  (lower mass region), and  $D_s^+ \bar{D}^{(*)0} K^-$ ,  $D_s^+ D^{(*)-} \bar{K}^0$  (higher mass region).



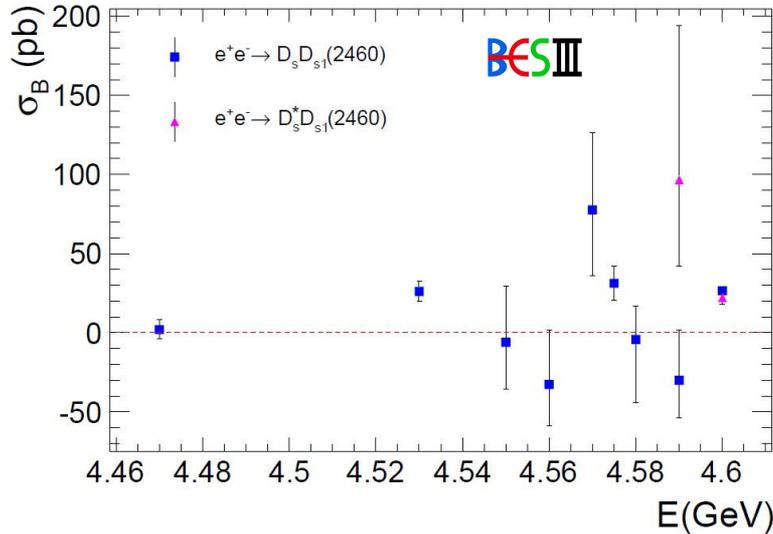
# $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-, D_s^{*+} D_{s1}(2460)^-$

- The process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-$  at 4.590 GeV and 4.600 GeV has been studied.
  - The  $D_s^{*+}$  is reconstructed through  $D_s^{*+} \rightarrow \gamma D_s^+$ .
  - The  $D_s^+$  candidates are reconstructed via  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \phi \pi^+$ ,  $\phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-$  and  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0} K^+$ ,  $\bar{K}^{*0} \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ .
  - The missing  $D_{s1}(2460)^-$  is found from the recoil-mass distribution.

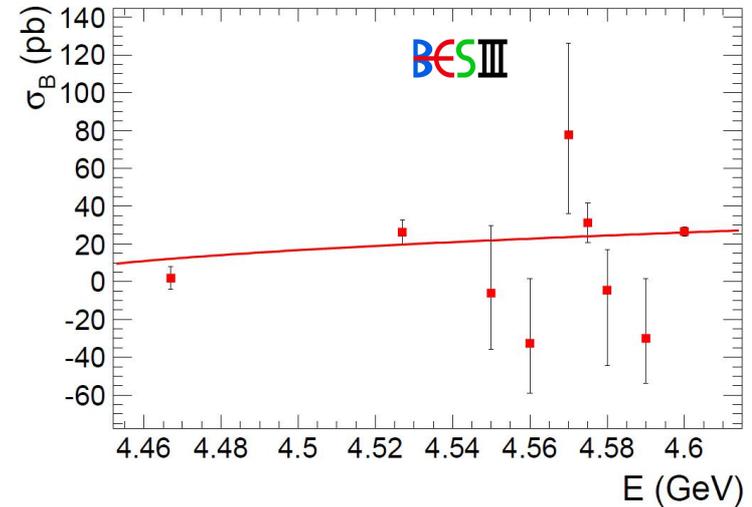


# $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-, D_s^{*+} D_{s1}(2460)^-$

- No obvious charmonium or charmonium-like structure is seen in the measured cross sections.
- Within the statistical uncertainty of the measurement, the cross section of  $e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s^+ D_{s1}(2460)^-$  could be described by the theoretical prediction.



$$\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s D_{s1}(2460)] \propto \sqrt{E_{cm} - E_0}$$



# Summary

- With data samples collected by the BESIII detector, we studied vector charmonium(-like) states in some open charm states.



- A structure is observed:  $M_1 = (4228.6 \pm 4.1 \pm 6.3) \text{ MeV}/c^2$ ,  $\Gamma_1 = (77.0 \pm 6.8 \pm 6.3) \text{ MeV}$ .



- There are enhancements between 4.36 and 4.42 GeV.



- No obvious structure is seen.

- More results from open charm final states study are coming soon.

Thank you !