

# Modeling new exotic XYZ states at JPAC

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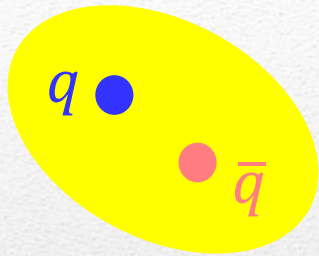
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# Outline

- «Exotic landscape»
- Compact tetraquarks
- Production of exotics at LHC
- Hybridized tetraquarks
- An update on JPAC activities
- Conclusions

# Quarkonium orthodoxy



Heavy quarkonium sector is extremely useful for the understanding of QCD

$$\alpha_s(M_Q) \sim 0.3$$

(perturbative regime)

OZI-rule, QCD multipole

Heavy quark spin flip suppressed by quark mass, approximate heavy quark spin symmetry (HQSS)

## Potential models

(meaningful when  $M_Q \rightarrow \infty$ )

$$V(r) = -\frac{C_F \alpha_s}{r} + \sigma r$$

(Cornell potential)

Solve NR Schrödinger eq. → spectrum

## Effective theories

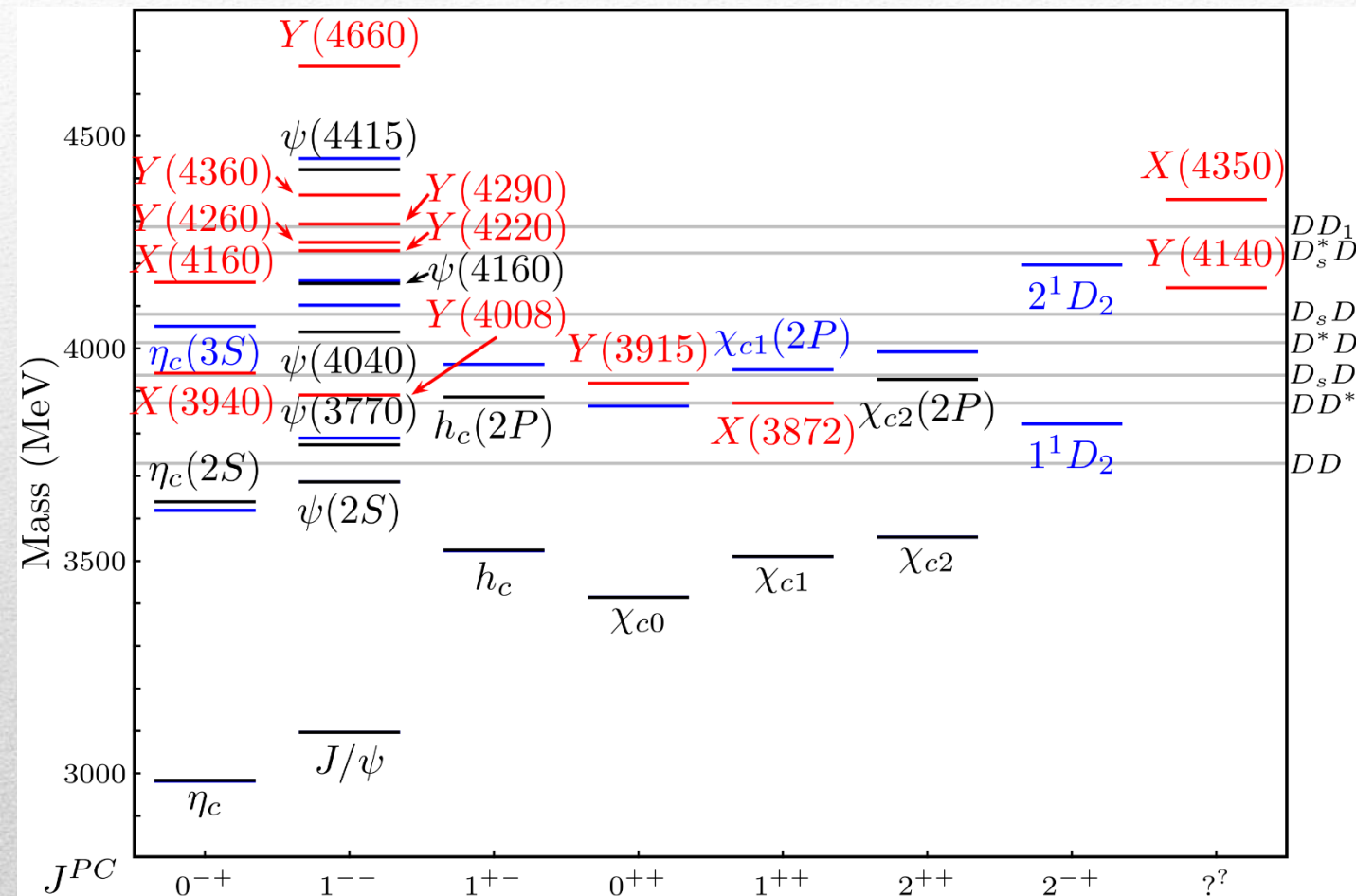
(HQET, NRQCD...)

Integrate out heavy DOF



(spectrum), decay & production rates

# Quarkonium orthodoxy?



A host of **unexpected resonances** have appeared

decaying mostly into charmonium + light

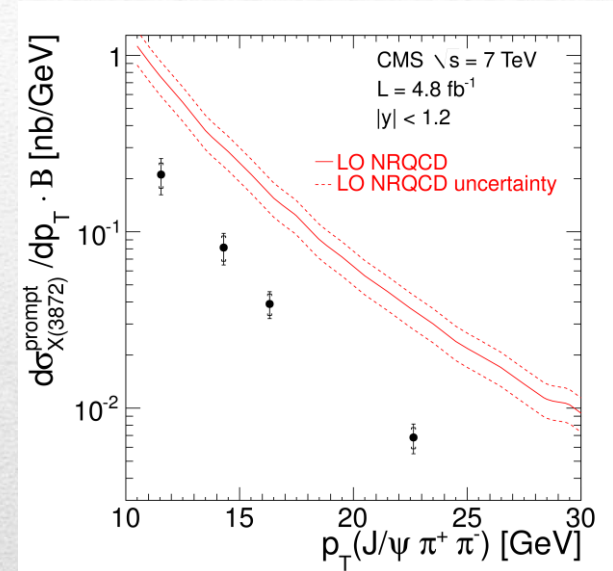
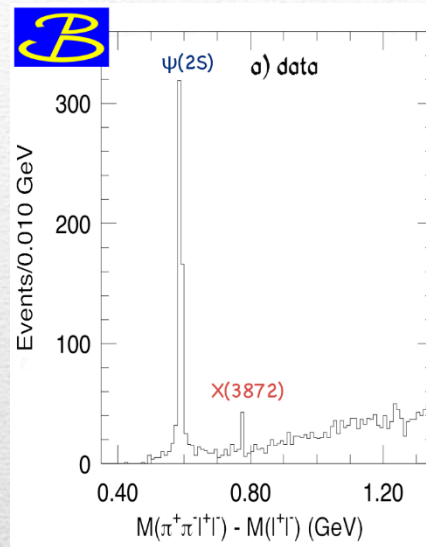
Hardly reconciled with usual charmonium interpretation

# X(3872)

- Discovered in

$$B \rightarrow K X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi$$

- Very close to  $DD^*$  threshold
- Too narrow for an above-threshold charmonium
- Isospin violation too big  
 $\frac{\Gamma(X \rightarrow J/\psi \omega)}{\Gamma(X \rightarrow J/\psi \rho)} \sim 0.8 \pm 0.3$
- Mass prediction not compatible with  $\chi_{c1}(2P)$



Unexpected large prompt production  
at hadron colliders

$$\sigma_B / \sigma_{TOT} = (26.3 \pm 2.3 \pm 1.6)\%$$

$$\sigma_{PR} \times B(X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi) = (1.06 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.15) \text{ nb}$$

CMS, JHEP 1304, 154

$$M = 3871.68 \pm 0.17 \text{ MeV}$$

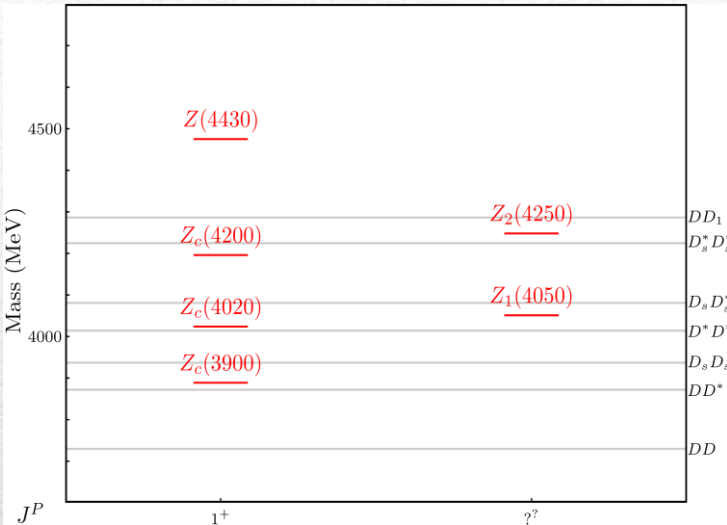
$$M_X - M_{DD^*} = -3 \pm 192 \text{ keV}$$

$$\Gamma < 1.2 \text{ MeV @90\%}, J^{PC} = 1^{++}$$

# Charged Z states...

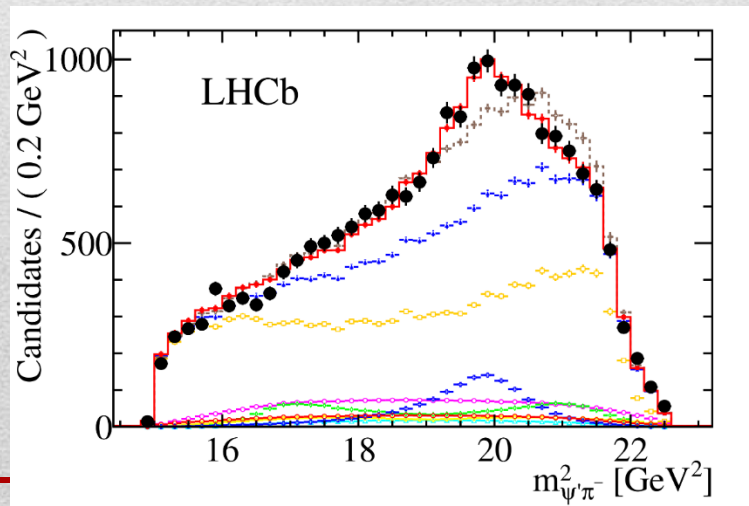
Charged quarkonium-like resonances have been found, **4q needed**

Two states  $J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$  appear slightly above  $D^{(*)}D^*$  thresholds



$e^+e^- \rightarrow Z_c(3900)^+\pi^- \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+\pi^-$  and  $\rightarrow (DD^*)^+\pi^-$   
 $M = 3888.7 \pm 3.4 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 35 \pm 7 \text{ MeV}$   
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow Z'_c(4020)^+\pi^- \rightarrow h_c \pi^+\pi^-$  and  $\rightarrow \bar{D}^{*0}D^{*+}\pi^-$   
 $M = 4023.9 \pm 2.4 \text{ MeV}, \Gamma = 10 \pm 6 \text{ MeV}$   
 Similar system in bottomonium

$Z(4430)^+ \rightarrow \psi(2S) \pi^+$   
 $I^G J^{PC} = 1^+ 1^{+-}$   
 $M = 4475 \pm 7^{+15}_{-25} \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Gamma = 172 \pm 13^{+37}_{-34} \text{ MeV}$   
 Far from open charm thresholds



...Y vectors, pentaquarks...

# Tetraquark

In a constituent quark model, we can think of a **diquark-antidiquark compact state**

$$[cq]_{S=0}[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_{S=1} + h.c.$$

Maiani, Piccinini, Polosa, Riquer PRD71 014028

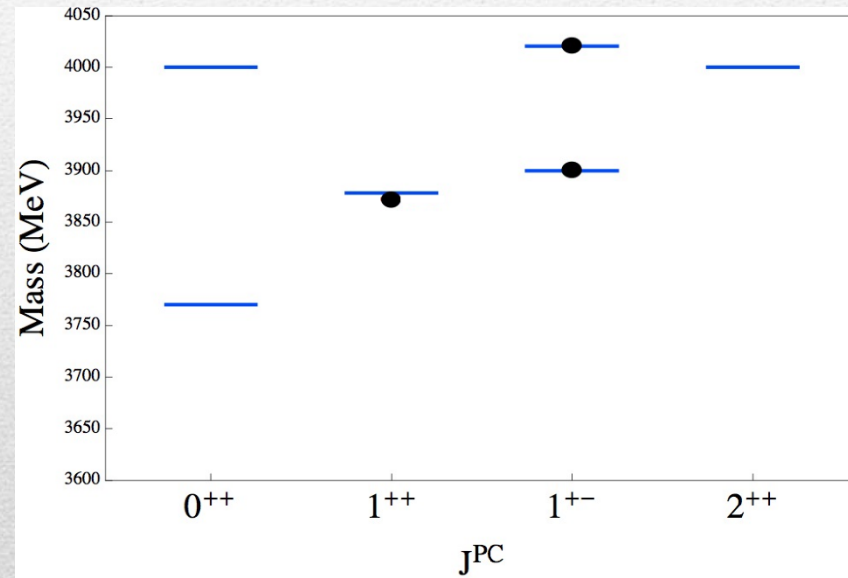
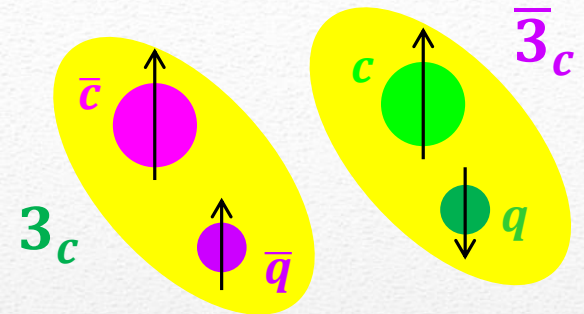
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Spectrum according to **color-spin hamiltonian**  
(all the terms of the Breit-Fermi hamiltonian are absorbed into a constant diquark mass):

$$H = \sum_{dq} m_{dq} + 2 \sum_{i<j} \kappa_{ij} \vec{S}_i \cdot \vec{S}_j \frac{\lambda_i^a}{2} \frac{\lambda_j^a}{2}$$

- Decay pattern mostly driven by **HQSS** ✓
- Fair understanding of existing spectrum ✓
- A full nonet for each level is expected ✗



New ansatz: the diquarks are compact objects spatially separated from each other,  
**only  $\kappa_{cq} \neq 0$**

Existing spectrum is fitted if  $\kappa_{cq} = 67$  MeV

# Tetraquark: new ansatz

Maiani, Piccinini, Polosa, Riquer PRD89 114010

$J^{PC}$	$cq \bar{c}\bar{q}$	$c\bar{c} q\bar{q}$	Resonance Assig.	Decays
$0^{++}$	$ 0, 0\rangle$	$1/2 0, 0\rangle + \sqrt{3}/2 1, 1\rangle_0$	$X_0(\sim 3770 \text{ MeV})$	$\eta_c, J/\psi + \text{light mesons}$
$0^{++}$	$ 1, 1\rangle_0$	$\sqrt{3}/2 0, 0\rangle - 1/2 1, 1\rangle_0$	$X'_0(\sim 4000 \text{ MeV})$	$\eta_c, J/\psi + \text{light mesons}$
$1^{++}$	$1/\sqrt{2}( 1, 0\rangle +  0, 1\rangle)$	$ 1, 1\rangle_1$	$X_1 = X(3872)$	$J/\psi + \rho/\omega, DD^*$
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$2^{++}$	$ 1, 1\rangle_2$	$ 1, 1\rangle_2$	$X_2(\sim 4000 \text{ MeV})$	$J/\psi + \text{light mesons}$

$$\Delta H = \frac{B_c \vec{L}^2}{2} - 2a \vec{L} \cdot \vec{S}$$

$L = 1$	$P(S_{c\bar{c}} = 1) : P(S_{c\bar{c}} = 0)$	Assignment	Radiative Decay
$Y_1$	3:1	$Y(4008)$	$\gamma + X_0$
$Y_2$	1:0	$Y(4260)$	$\gamma + X$
$Y_3$	1:3	$Y(4290)/Y(4220)$	$\gamma + X'_0$
$Y_4$	1:0	$Y(4630)$	$\gamma + X_2$

actually observed  
BESIII PRL 112,  
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Radial excitations

$$Z(2S) = Z(4430)$$

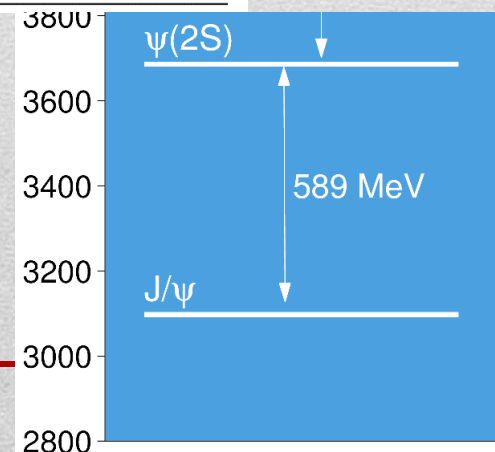
$$Y_1(2P) = Y(4360)$$

$$Y_2(2P) = Y(4660)$$

Decay in  $\psi(2S)$  preferably

$$M_{Z(4430)} - M_{Z_c} = 586^{+17}_{-26} \text{ MeV}$$

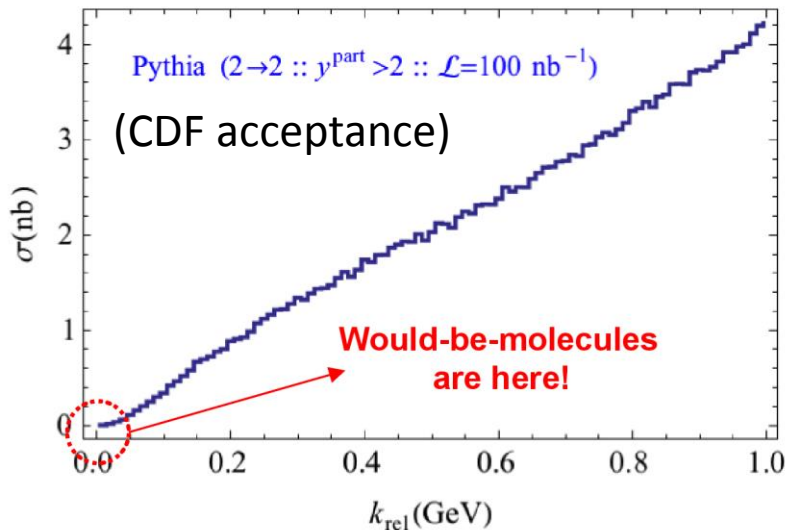
to compare with charmonium





# Prompt production of $X(3872)$

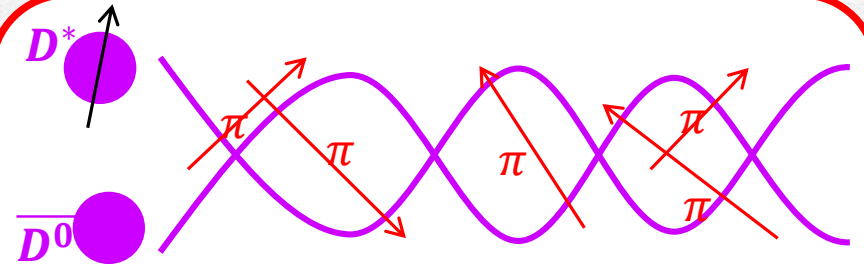
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$$\sigma_{MC}(p\bar{p} \rightarrow DD^* | k < k_{max}) \approx 0.1 \text{ nb}$$

$$\sigma_{exp}(p\bar{p} \rightarrow X(3872)) \approx 30 - 70 \text{ nb!!!}$$

Bignamini *et al.* PRL103 (2009) 162001



A solution can be FSI (rescattering of  $DD^*$ ), which allow  $k_{max}$  to be as large as  $5m_\pi$ ,  
 $\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow DD^* | k < k_{max}) \approx 230 \text{ nb}$

Artoisenet and Braaten, PRD81, 114018

However, the rescattering is flawed by the presence of pions that interfere with  $DD^*$  propagation. Estimating the effect of these pions increases  $\sigma$ , but not enough

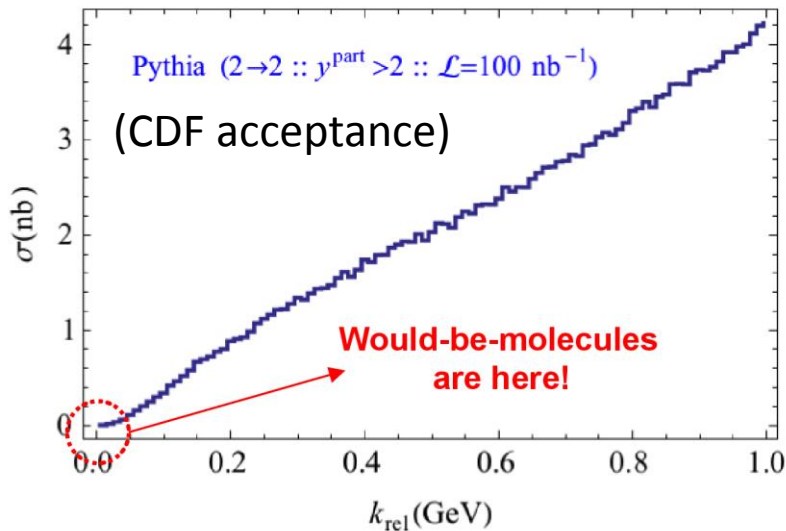
Bignamini *et al.* PLB684, 228-230

Esposito, Piccinini, AP, Polosa, JMP 4, 1569

Guerrieri, Piccinini, AP, Polosa, PRD90, 034003

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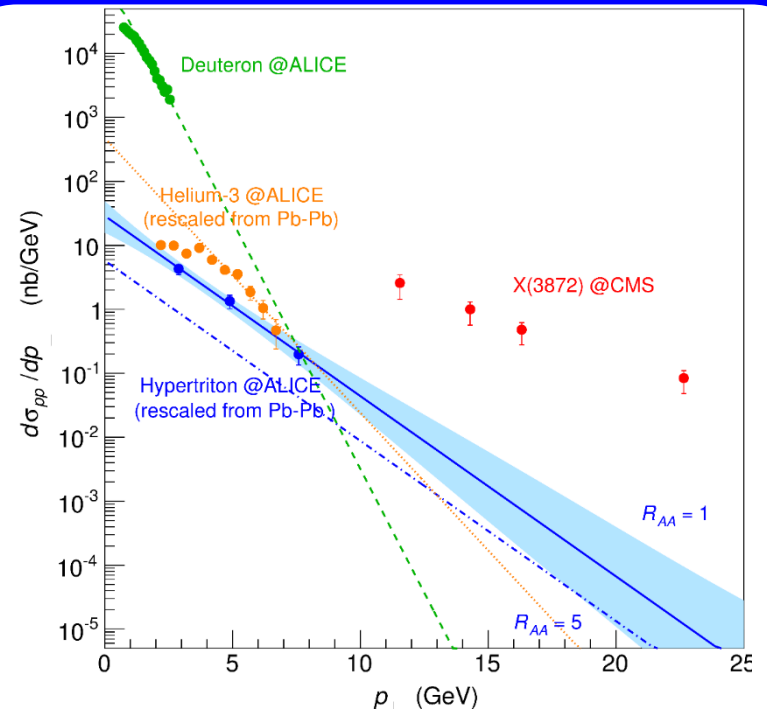
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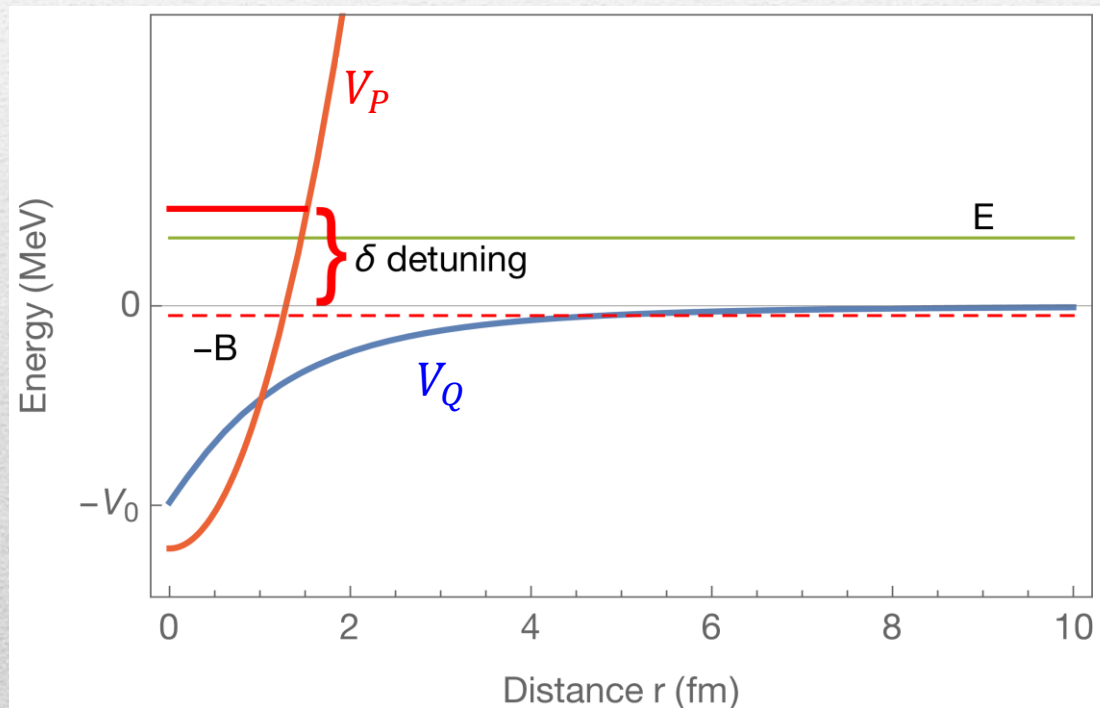
Also, a comparison to light nuclei does not favor the  $X(3872)$  to share the same nature

Esposito, Guerrieri, Maiani,  
Piccinini, AP, Polosa, Riquer, PRD92, 034028

# Hybridized tetraquarks

Esposito, AP, Polosa, PLB758, 292

Feshbach mechanism occurs when two atoms can interact with **two potentials**, resp. with **continuum** ("molecule") and **discrete** ( $4q$ ) spectrum  $\rightarrow$  **hybridization**



Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be orthogonal subspaces of the Hilbert space

$$H = H_{PP} + H_{QQ}$$

We have the (weak) scattering length  $a_P$  in the open channel.

We add an off-diagonal  $H_{QP}$

$$a = a_P - C \sum \frac{|\langle \psi_n | H_{QP} | \psi_P \rangle|^2}{E_n - E + i\epsilon}$$

$$\simeq a_P \left( 1 - \frac{\kappa}{\delta - E + i\epsilon} \right)$$

# Hybridized tetraquarks

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$X(3872)$  should be a  $I = 0$  state, but  $M(1^{++}) < M(D^{+*}D^-)$

$\delta < 0$ , so  $a > 0 \rightarrow$  **Repulsive interaction**

**No charged component, isospin violation!**

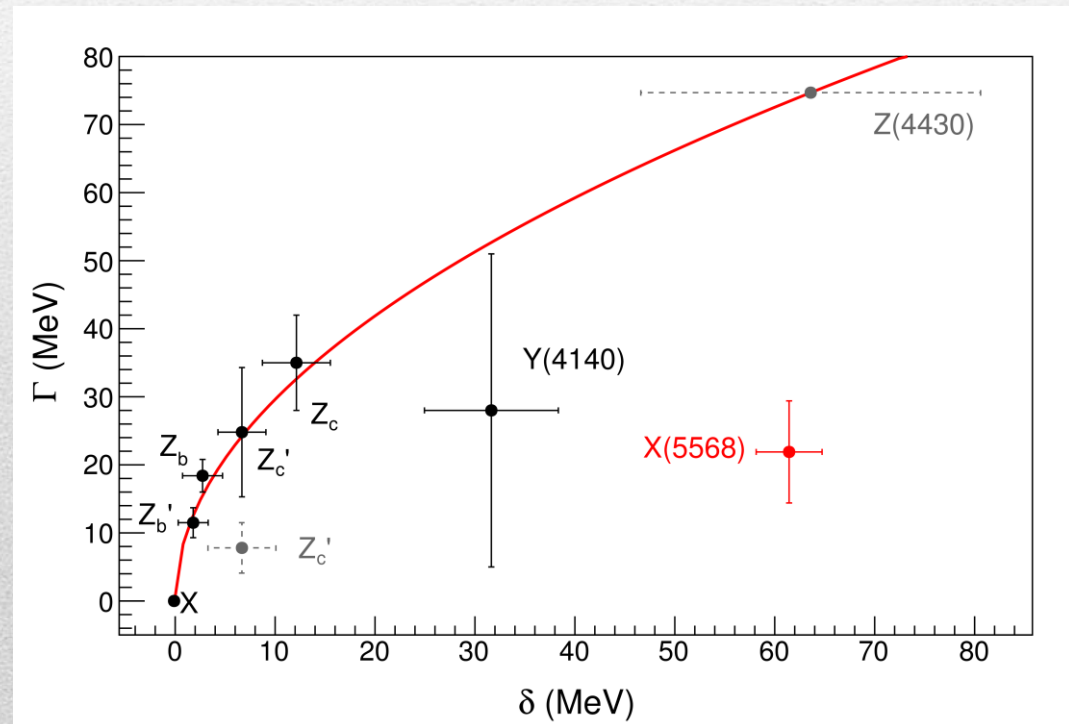
$$d\Gamma = \rho v \sigma_{inel} \sim \delta(E - \delta) |\kappa a_p| \frac{d^3p}{m}$$

$$\Gamma \sim \sqrt{2m} |\kappa a_p| \sqrt{\delta} \equiv A\sqrt{\delta}$$

$E < E_{max}$ , with  $E_{max}$  estimated by diquarkonium potential to be

- $\sim 20$  MeV for charmonium
- $\sim 40$  MeV for bottomonium

**The closest threshold below the state dominates the interaction**



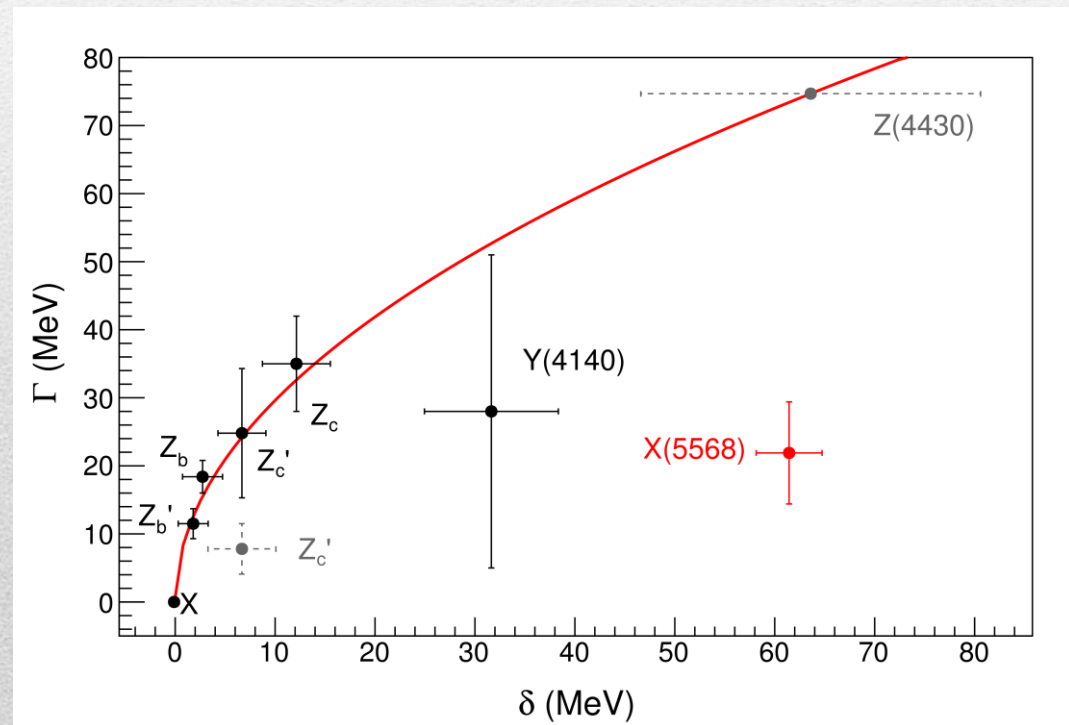
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The model works only if no direct transition between closed channel levels can occur  
This prevents the straightforward generalization to  $L = 1$  and radially excited states  
(like the  $Y$ s or the  $Z(4430)$ )

In this picture, a  $[bu][\bar{s}\bar{d}]$  state with resonance parameters of the  $X(5568)$  observed by D0 is not likely

Also, one has to ensure the orthogonality between the two Hilbert subspaces  $P$  and  $Q$ .  
This might affect the estimate for the  $Y(4140)$



# Production & Feshbach?

Going back to  $pp(\bar{p})$  collisions, we can imagine hadronization to produce a state

$$|\psi\rangle = \alpha|[qQ][\bar{q}\bar{Q}]\rangle_c + \beta|(\bar{q}q)(\bar{Q}Q)\rangle_o + \gamma|(\bar{q}Q)(\bar{Q}q)\rangle_o$$

If  $\beta, \gamma \gg \alpha$ , an initial tetraquark state is not likely to be produced  
The open channel mesons fly apart  
(see MC simulations)



If Feshbach mechanism is at work, an open state can resonate in a closed one

No prompt production without Feshbach resonances!

Note that only the  $X(3872)$  has been observed promptly so far...

# An update of JPAC activities

The [Joint Physics Analysis Center](#) was created in 2013 to support the extraction of physics results from analysis of experimental data

- This is achieved through work on [theoretical, phenomenological and data analysis tools](#).
- JPAC aims to facilitate close [collaboration](#) between [theorists, phenomenologists, and experimentalists](#) worldwide.
- $O(10)$  ongoing analyses

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# Interactive tools

- Completed projects are fully documented on interactive portals
- These include description on physics, conventions, formalism, etc.
- The web pages contain source codes with detailed explanation how to use them. Users can run codes online, change parameters, display results.

<http://www.indiana.edu/~jpac/>

$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$	V. Mathieu <i>et al.</i> , PRD92, 074004
$\gamma p \rightarrow \pi^0 p$	V. Mathieu <i>et al.</i> , PRD92, 074013
$\eta \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	P. Guo <i>et al.</i> , PRD92, 054016
$\omega, \phi \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	I. Danilkin <i>et al.</i> , PRD91, 094029
$\gamma p \rightarrow K^+ K^- p$	M. Shi <i>et al.</i> , PRD91, 034007
$K N \rightarrow K N$	C. Fernandez-R. <i>et al.</i> , PRD93, 034029

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$$\pi N \rightarrow \pi N$$

### Formalism

The pion-nucleon scattering is a function of 2 variables. The first is the beam momentum in the laboratory frame  $p_{\text{lab}}$  (in GeV) or the total energy squared  $s = W^2$  (in  $\text{GeV}^2$ ). The second is the cosine of



### Resources

- Publications: [Mat15a] and [Wor12a]
- SAID partial waves: compressed zip file
- C/C++: C/C++ file
- Input file: param.txt
- Output files: output0.txt, output1.txt, SigTot.txt, Observables0.txt, Observables1.txt
- Contact person: Vincent Mathieu
- Last update: June 2016

The SAID partial waves are in the format provided online on the SAID webpage :

$p_{\text{lab}} \quad \delta \quad \epsilon(\delta) \quad 1 - \eta^2 \quad \epsilon(1 - \eta^2) \quad \text{Re PW} \quad \text{Im PW} \quad \text{SGT} \quad \text{SGR}$

$\delta$  and  $\eta$  are the phase-shift and the inelasticity.  $\epsilon(x)$  is the error on  $x$ . SGT is the total cross section and SGR is the total reaction cross section.

Format of the input and output files: [show/hide]  
Description of the C/C++ code: [show/hide]

### Simulation

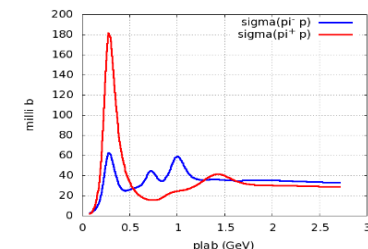
Range of the running variable:

$s$ in $\text{GeV}^2$ (min max step)	1,2	:	6	:	0,01
$p_{\text{lab}}$ in GeV (min max step)	0,1	:	4	:	0,01
$\nu$ in GeV (min max step)	0,3	:	4	:	0,01
$t$ in $\text{GeV}^2$ (min max step)	-1	:	0	:	0,01

The fixed variable:

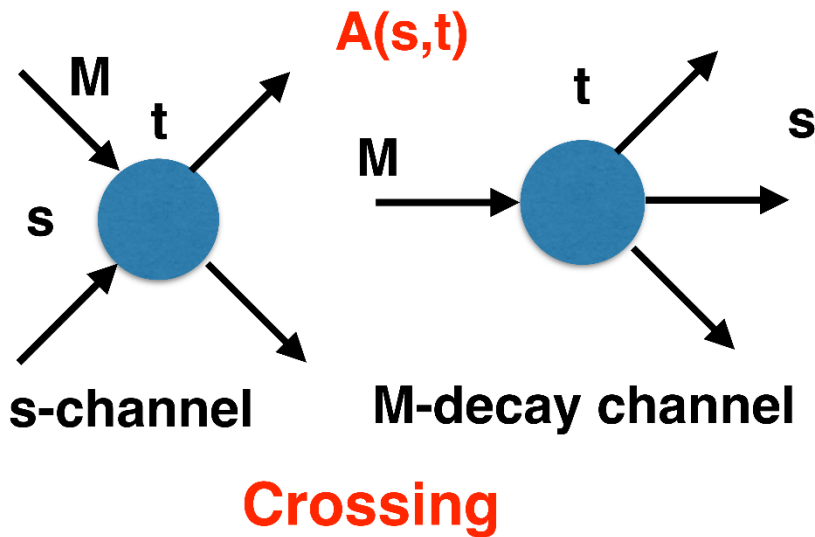
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$p_{\text{lab}}$ in GeV	5
Start reset	

### Results





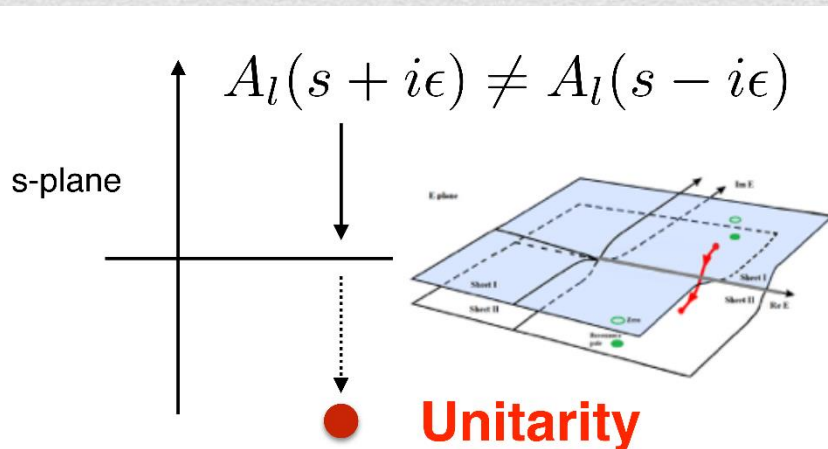
# S-Matrix principles



$$A(s, t) = \sum_l A_l(s) P_l(z_s)$$

**Analyticity**

$$A_l(s) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} A_l(s + i\epsilon)$$



These are constraints the amplitudes have to satisfy, but do not fix the dynamics

**Resonances (QCD states) are poles in the unphysical Riemann sheets**

At high energies, other constraints from Regge theory (exchanges of towers of particles of any spin)

# An example: pentaquark photoproduction

We propose to search the  $P_c(4450)$  state in **photoproduction** at the forthcoming CLAS12 experiment

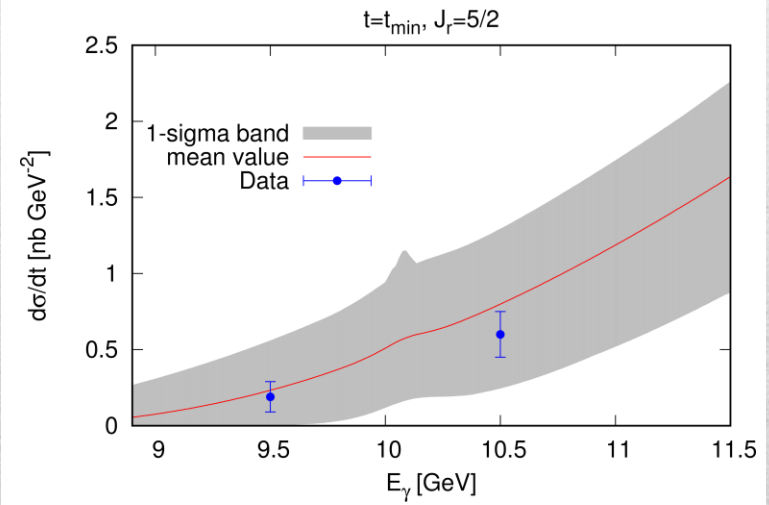
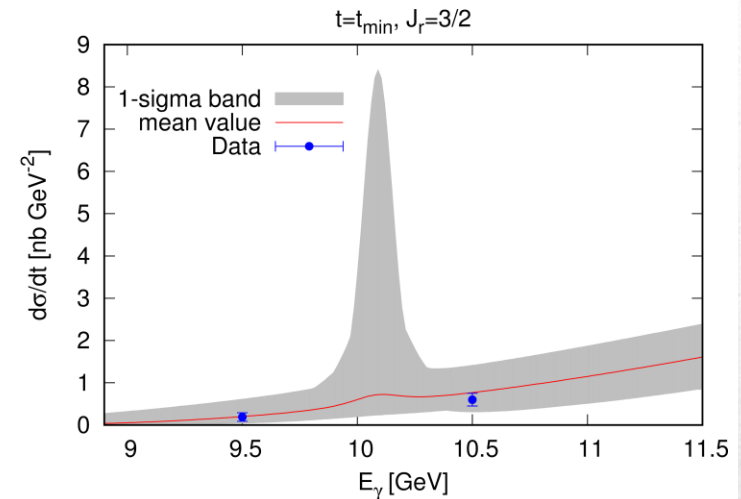
We use the (few) existing data and **VMD + phenomenological parametrization of bkg** to estimate the cross section

Constraints on  $B(P_c \rightarrow J/\psi p)$  can be drawn

$$J^P = (3/2)^-$$

$\sigma_s$ (MeV)	0	60	120
$A$	$0.156^{+0.029}_{-0.020}$	$0.157^{+0.039}_{-0.021}$	$0.157^{+0.037}_{-0.022}$
$\alpha_0$	$1.151^{+0.018}_{-0.020}$	$1.150^{+0.018}_{-0.026}$	$1.150^{+0.015}_{-0.023}$
$\alpha'$ (GeV $^{-2}$ )	$0.112^{+0.033}_{-0.054}$	$0.111^{+0.037}_{-0.064}$	$0.111^{+0.038}_{-0.054}$
$s_t$ (GeV $^2$ )	$16.8^{+1.7}_{-0.9}$	$16.9^{+2.0}_{-1.6}$	$16.9^{+2.0}_{-1.1}$
$b_0$ (GeV $^{-2}$ )	$1.01^{+0.47}_{-0.29}$	$1.02^{+0.61}_{-0.32}$	$1.03^{+0.49}_{-0.31}$
$B_{\psi p}$	$\leq 29\%$	$\leq 30\%$	$\leq 22\%$

A. Blin, AP, V. Mokeev *et al.*, in preparation

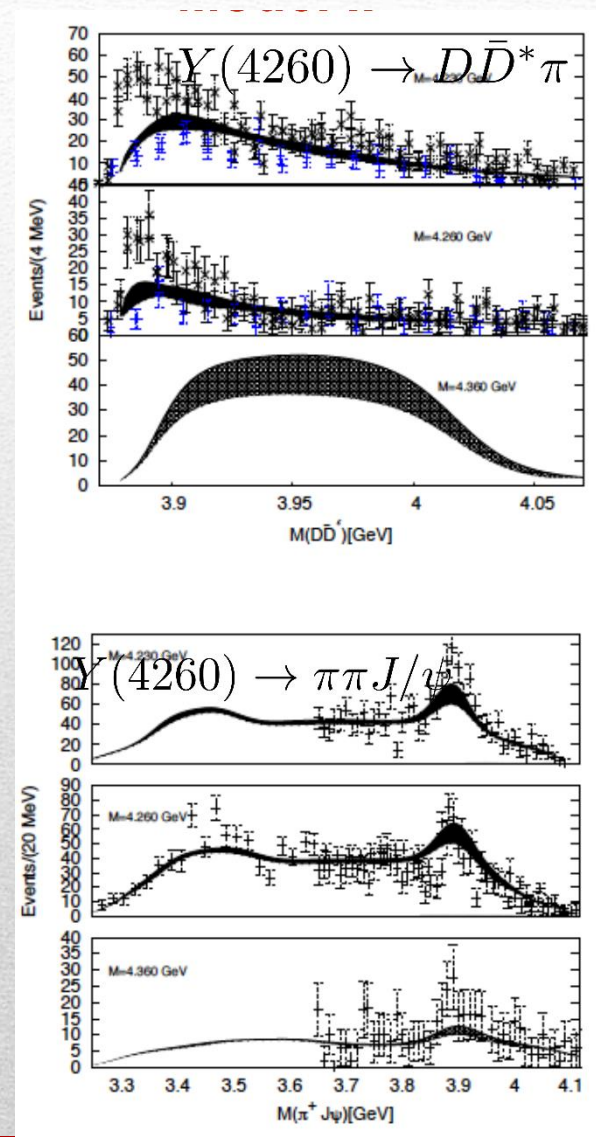


# An example: $Z_c(3900)$

The  $Z_c(3900)$  has been observed to decay into  $J/\psi \pi$  and  $(\bar{D}D^*)^+$

A proper coupled channel analysis can confirm the presence of the pole, and provide a better estimate of mass and width

A. Szczepaniak *et al.*, in preparation



# Conclusions & prospects

The study of **exotic heavy quark sector** is a **challenging task**

Experiments are very prolific! **Constant feedback on predictions**

- Study of spectra and decay patterns will improve our understanding, **new data** expected by BESIII, LHCb, Belle II, JLab
- **Nuclei observation at hadron colliders** can give an unexpected help in testing some phenomenological hypotheses for the XYZ states
- Feshbach mechanism might be effective in **reducing the number of states** predicted by the tetraquark picture
- More **detailed amplitude analyses** will be needed to distinguish actual resonances from other (kinematical) singularities
- The JPAC aims in improving the interplay between theorists and experimentalists, providing more sophisticated tools to give a better understanding of hadron spectroscopy

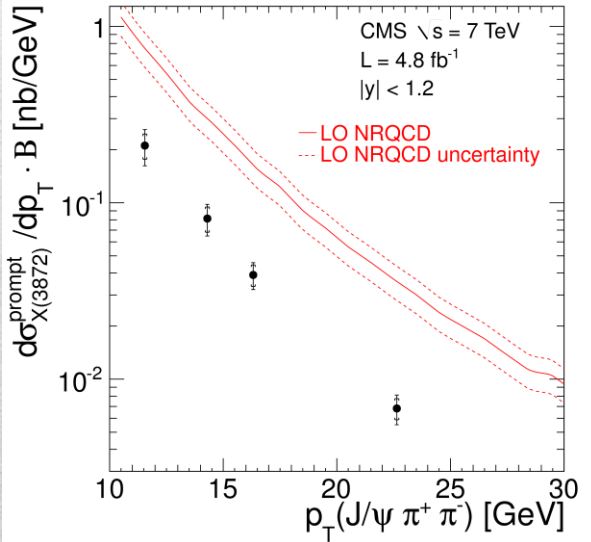
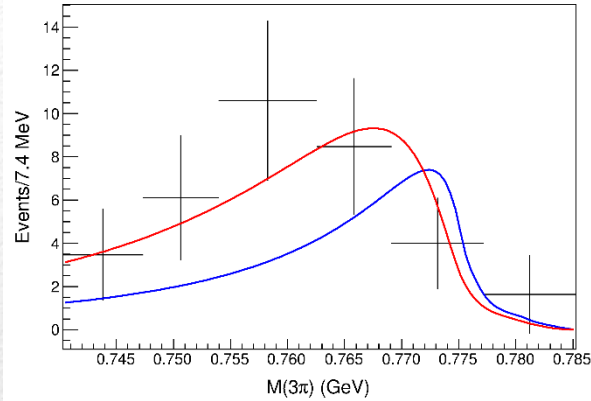
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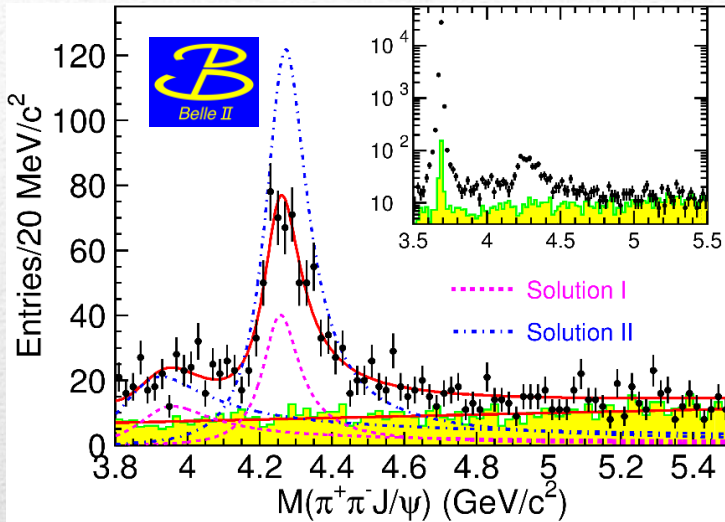
# X(3872)



$B$ decay mode	$X$ decay mode	product branching fraction ( $\times 10^5$ )		$B_{fit}$	$R_{fit}$
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$	<b><math>0.86 \pm 0.08</math></b>	(BABAR <sup>[26]</sup> Belle <sup>[25]</sup> )	$0.081^{+0.019}_{-0.031}$	1
		$0.84 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.07$	BABAR <sup>[26]</sup>		
		$0.86 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.05$	Belle <sup>[25]</sup>		
$K^0 X$	$X \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$	<b><math>0.41 \pm 0.11</math></b>	(BABAR <sup>[26]</sup> Belle <sup>[25]</sup> )		
		$0.35 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.04$	BABAR <sup>[26]</sup>		
		$0.43 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.04$	Belle <sup>[25]</sup>		
$(K^+\pi^-)_{NR} X$	$X \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$	$0.81 \pm 0.20^{+0.11}_{-0.14}$	Belle <sup>[106]</sup>		
$K^{*0} X$	$X \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$	$< 0.34$ , 90% C.L.	Belle <sup>[106]</sup>		
$KX$	$X \rightarrow \omega J/\psi$	$R = 0.8 \pm 0.3$	BABAR <sup>[33]</sup>	$0.061^{+0.024}_{-0.036}$	$0.77^{+0.28}_{-0.32}$
$K^+ X$		$0.6 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.1$	BABAR <sup>[33]</sup>		
$K^0 X$		$0.6 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.1$	BABAR <sup>[33]</sup>		
$KX$	$X \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi^0 J/\psi$	$R = 1.0 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.3$	Belle <sup>[32]</sup>		
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow D^{*0} \bar{D}^0$	<b><math>8.5 \pm 2.6</math></b>	(BABAR <sup>[38]</sup> Belle <sup>[37]</sup> )	$0.614^{+0.166}_{-0.074}$	$8.2^{+2.3}_{-2.8}$
		$16.7 \pm 3.6 \pm 4.7$	BABAR <sup>[38]</sup>		
		$7.7 \pm 1.6 \pm 1.0$	Belle <sup>[37]</sup>		
		<b><math>12 \pm 4</math></b>	(BABAR <sup>[38]</sup> Belle <sup>[37]</sup> )		
		$22 \pm 10 \pm 4$	BABAR <sup>[38]</sup>		
$K^0 X$	$X \rightarrow D^{*0} \bar{D}^0$	$9.7 \pm 4.6 \pm 1.3$	Belle <sup>[37]</sup>		
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$	<b><math>0.202 \pm 0.038</math></b>	(BABAR <sup>[35]</sup> Belle <sup>[34]</sup> )	$0.019^{+0.005}_{-0.009}$	$0.24^{+0.05}_{-0.06}$
$K^+ X$		$0.28 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.01$	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup>		
		$0.178^{+0.048}_{-0.044} \pm 0.012$	Belle <sup>[34]</sup>		
$K^0 X$		$0.26 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.02$	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup>		
		$0.124^{+0.076}_{-0.061} \pm 0.011$	Belle <sup>[34]</sup>		
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow \gamma\psi(2S)$	<b><math>0.44 \pm 0.12</math></b>	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup>	$0.04^{+0.015}_{-0.020}$	$0.51^{+0.13}_{-0.17}$
		$0.95 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.06$	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup>		
		$0.083^{+0.198}_{-0.183} \pm 0.044$	Belle <sup>[34]</sup>		
		$R' = 2.46 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.29$	LHCb <sup>[36]</sup>		
$K^0 X$		$1.14 \pm 0.55 \pm 0.10$	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup>		
		$0.112^{+0.357}_{-0.290} \pm 0.057$	Belle <sup>[34]</sup>		
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}$	$< 9.6 \times 10^{-3}$	Belle <sup>[23]</sup>	$< 1.0 \times 10^{-3}$	$< 0.014$
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c2}$	$< 0.016$	Belle <sup>[23]</sup>	$< 1.7 \times 10^{-3}$	$< 0.024$
$KX$	$X \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$< 4.5 \times 10^{-3}$	Belle <sup>[111]</sup>	$< 4.7 \times 10^{-4}$	$< 6.6 \times 10^{-3}$
$KX$	$X \rightarrow \eta J/\psi$	$< 1.05$	BABAR <sup>[112]</sup>	$< 0.11$	$< 1.55$
$K^+ X$	$X \rightarrow p\bar{p}$	$< 9.6 \times 10^{-4}$	LHCb <sup>[110]</sup>	$< 1.6 \times 10^{-4}$	$< 2.2 \times 10^{-3}$

# Vector $Y$ states

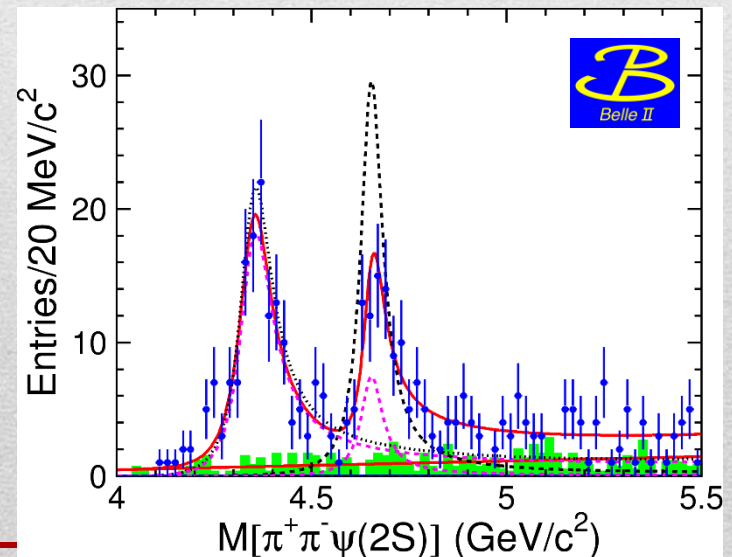
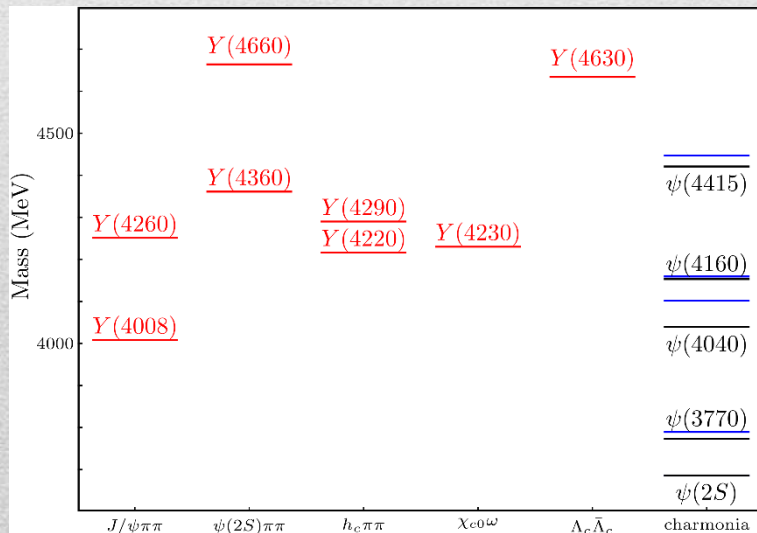
Lots of unexpected  $J^{PC} = 1^{--}$  states found in ISR analyses (and nowhere else!)



Seen in few final states,  
mostly  $J/\psi \pi\pi$  and  $\psi(2S) \pi\pi$

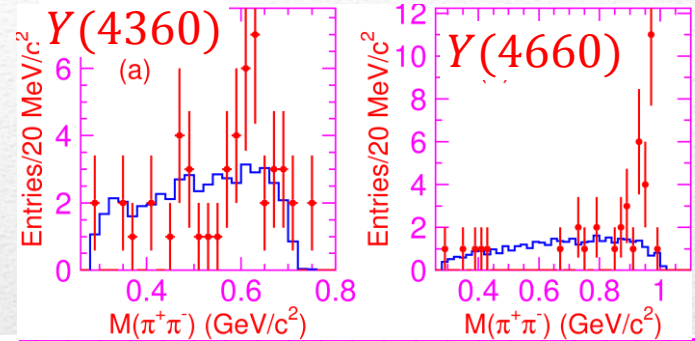
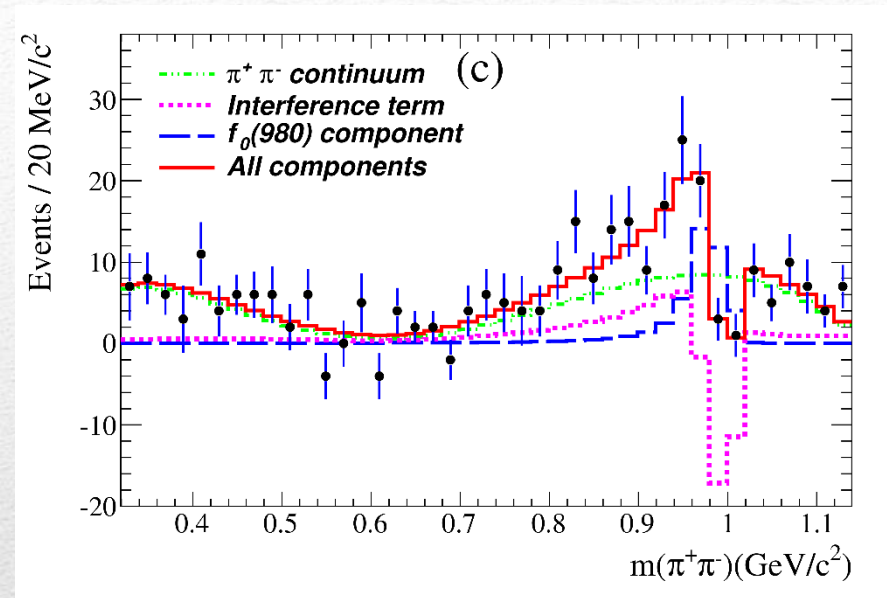
Not seen decaying into open charm pairs,  
to compare with

$$\frac{B(\psi(3770) \rightarrow D\bar{D})}{B(\psi(3770) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi\pi)} > 480$$

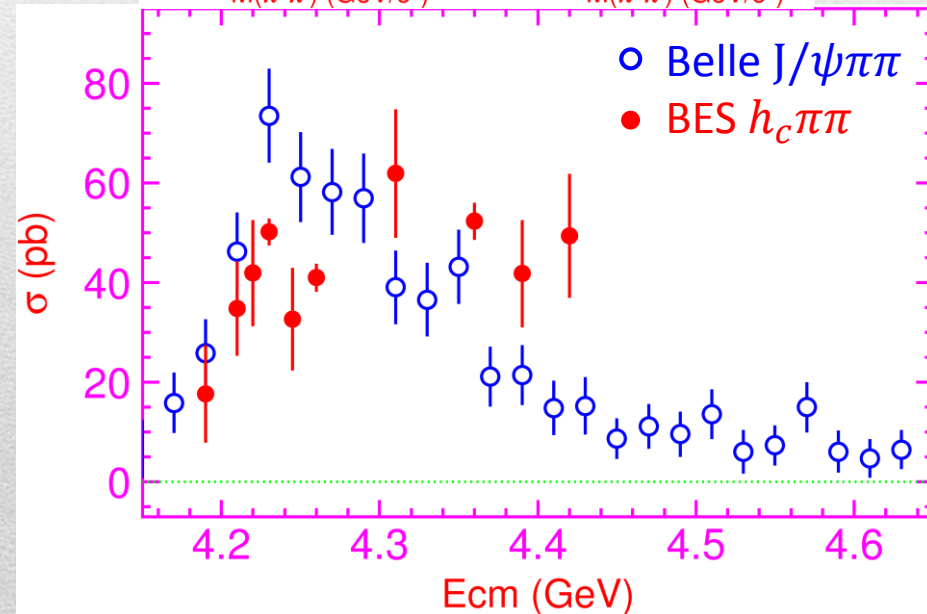


# Vector $Y$ states

A component  $Y(4260) \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(980)$  might explain why  $Y(4260) \rightarrow \psi(2S)\pi\pi$

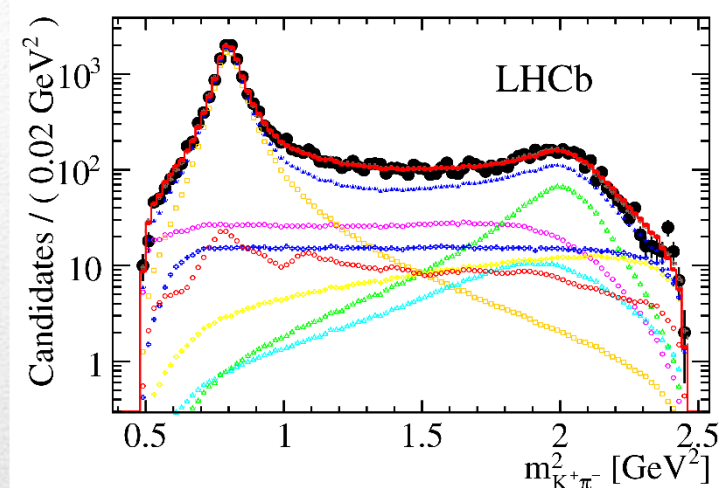
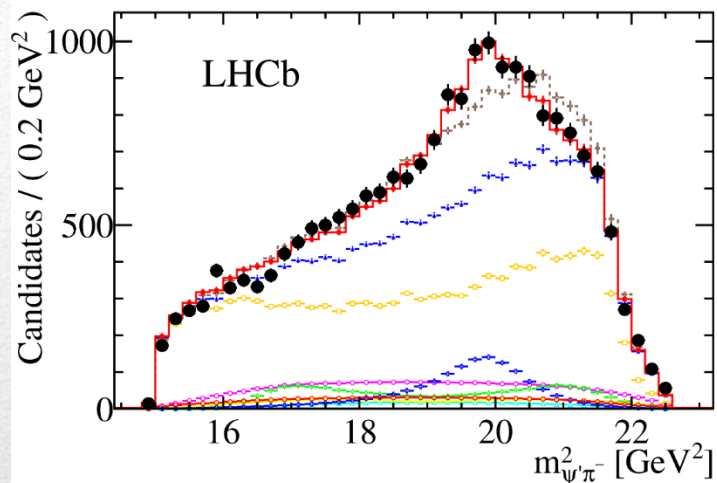


The lineshape in  $h_c \pi\pi$  looks pretty different  
Different states contributing?





# Charged Z states: Z(4430)



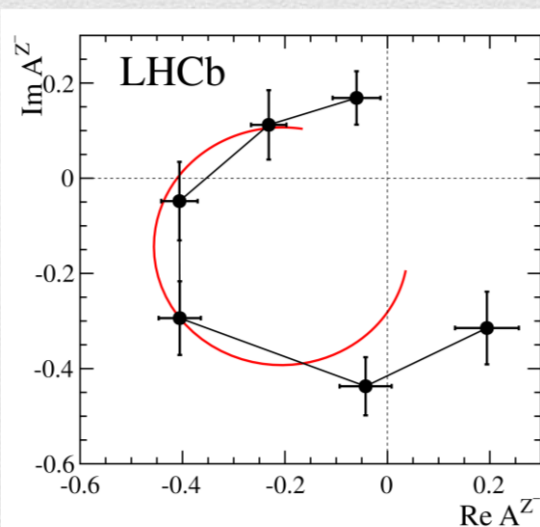
$$Z(4430)^+ \rightarrow \psi(2S) \pi^+$$

$$I^G J^{PC} = 1^+ 1^{+-}$$

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

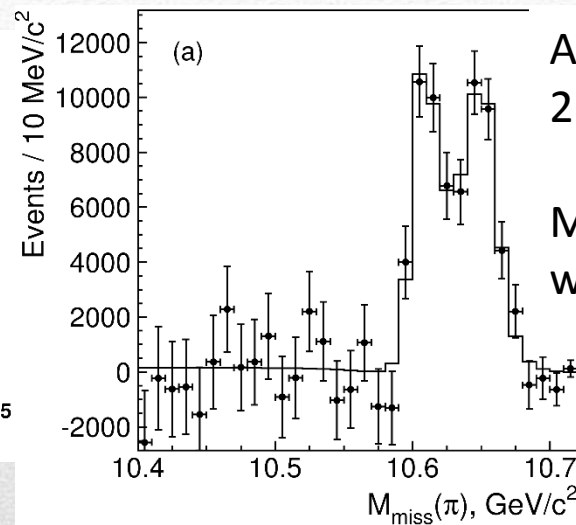
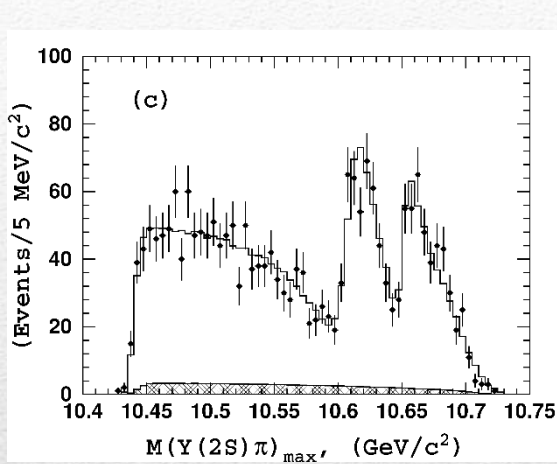
$$\Gamma = 172 \pm 13_{-34}^{+37} \text{ MeV}$$

Far from open charm thresholds



If the amplitude is a free complex number, in each bin of  $m_{\psi\pi^-}^2$ , the resonant behaviour appears as well

# Charged $Z$ states: $Z_b(106010)$ , $Z'_b(10650)$



Anomalous dipion width in  $\Upsilon(5S)$ ,  
2 orders of magnitude larger than  $\Upsilon(nS)$

Moreover, observed  $\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow h_b(nP)\pi\pi$   
which violates HQSS

2 twin resonances!

$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow Z_b(10610)^+\pi^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(nS)\pi^+\pi^-$ ,  $h_b(nP)\pi^+\pi^-$   
and  $\rightarrow (BB^*)^+\pi^-$

$M = 10607.2 \pm 2.0$  MeV,  $\Gamma = 18.4 \pm 2.4$  MeV

$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow Z'_b(10650)^+\pi^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(nS)\pi^+\pi^-$ ,  $h_b(nP)\pi^+\pi^-$   
and  $\rightarrow \bar{B}^{*0}B^{*+}\pi^-$

$M = 10652.2 \pm 1.5$  MeV,  $\Gamma = 11.5 \pm 2.2$  MeV

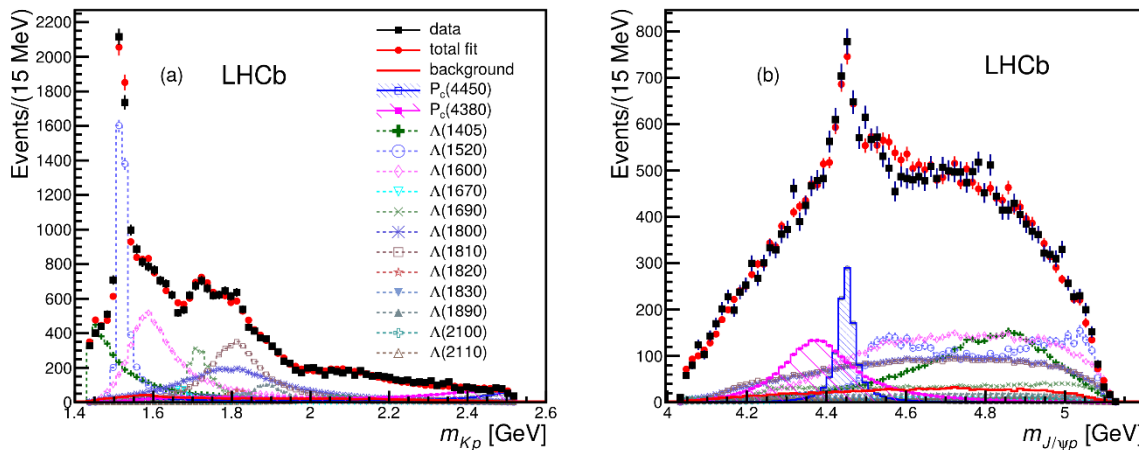
State	$M$ (MeV)	$\Gamma$ (MeV)	$J^{PC}$	Process (mode)	Experiment ( $\#\sigma$ )
$X(3823)$	$3823.1 \pm 1.9$	$< 24$	$?^{? -}$	$B \rightarrow K(\chi_{c1}\gamma)$	Belle <sup>[23]</sup> (4.0)
$X(3872)$	$3871.68 \pm 0.17$	$< 1.2$	$1^{++}$	$B \rightarrow K(\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[24,25]</sup> (>10), BABAR <sup>[26]</sup> (8.6)
				$p\bar{p} \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi) \dots$	CDF <sup>[27,28]</sup> (11.6), D0 <sup>[29]</sup> (5.2)
				$pp \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi) \dots$	LHCb <sup>[30,31]</sup> (np)
				$B \rightarrow K(\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[32]</sup> (4.3), BABAR <sup>[33]</sup> (4.0)
				$B \rightarrow K(\gamma J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[34]</sup> (5.5), BABAR <sup>[35]</sup> (3.5)
					LHCb <sup>[36]</sup> (>10)
				$B \rightarrow K(\gamma\psi(2S))$	BABAR <sup>[35]</sup> (3.6), Belle <sup>[34]</sup> (0.2)
					LHCb <sup>[36]</sup> (4.4)
				$B \rightarrow K(D\bar{D}^*)$	Belle <sup>[37]</sup> (6.4), BABAR <sup>[38]</sup> (4.9)
$Z_c(3900)^+$	$3888.7 \pm 3.4$	$35 \pm 7$	$1^{+-}$	$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^-(D\bar{D}^*)^+$	BES III <sup>[39]</sup> (np)
				$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^-(\pi^+J/\psi)$	BES III <sup>[40]</sup> (8), Belle <sup>[41]</sup> (5.2)
					CLEO data <sup>[42]</sup> (>5)
$Z_c(4020)^+$	$4023.9 \pm 2.4$	$10 \pm 6$	$1^{+-}$	$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^-(\pi^+h_c)$	BES III <sup>[43]</sup> (8.9)
				$Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^-(D^*\bar{D}^*)^+$	BES III <sup>[44]</sup> (10)
$Y(3915)$	$3918.4 \pm 1.9$	$20 \pm 5$	$0^{++}$	$B \rightarrow K(\omega J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[45]</sup> (8), BABAR <sup>[33,46]</sup> (19)
				$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-(\omega J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[47]</sup> (7.7), BABAR <sup>[48]</sup> (7.6)
$Z(3930)$	$3927.2 \pm 2.6$	$24 \pm 6$	$2^{++}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-(D\bar{D})$	Belle <sup>[49]</sup> (5.3), BABAR <sup>[50]</sup> (5.8)
$X(3940)$	$3942_{-8}^{+9}$	$37_{-17}^{+27}$	$?^{?+}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi(D\bar{D}^*)$	Belle <sup>[51,52]</sup> (6)
$Y(4008)$	$3891 \pm 42$	$255 \pm 42$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[41,53]</sup> (7.4)
$Z(4050)^+$	$4051_{-43}^{+24}$	$82_{-55}^{+51}$	$?^{?+}$	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^-(\pi^+\chi_{c1})$	Belle <sup>[54]</sup> (5.0), BABAR <sup>[55]</sup> (1.1)
$Y(4140)$	$4145.6 \pm 3.6$	$14.3 \pm 5.9$	$?^{?+}$	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+(\phi J/\psi)$	CDF <sup>[56,57]</sup> (5.0), Belle <sup>[58]</sup> (1.9), LHCb <sup>[59]</sup> (1.4), CMS <sup>[60]</sup> (>5)
					D0 <sup>[61]</sup> (3.1)
$X(4160)$	$4156_{-25}^{+29}$	$139_{-65}^{+113}$	$?^{?+}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi(D^*\bar{D}^*)$	Belle <sup>[52]</sup> (5.5)
$Z(4200)^+$	$4196_{-30}^{+35}$	$370_{-110}^{+99}$	$1^{+-}$	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^-(\pi^+J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[62]</sup> (7.2)

State	$M$ (MeV)	$\Gamma$ (MeV)	$J^{PC}$	Process (mode)	Experiment ( $\#\sigma$ )
$Y(4220)$	$4196_{-30}^{+35}$	$39 \pm 32$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-h_c)$	BES III data <sup>[63,64]</sup> (4.5)
$Y(4230)$	$4230 \pm 8$	$38 \pm 12$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\chi_{c0}\omega)$	BES III <sup>[65]</sup> (>9)
$Z(4250)^+$	$4248_{-45}^{+185}$	$177_{-72}^{+321}$	$?^{?+}$	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^-(\pi^+\chi_{c1})$	Belle <sup>[54]</sup> (5.0), BABAR <sup>[55]</sup> (2.0)
$Y(4260)$	$4250 \pm 9$	$108 \pm 12$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi\pi J/\psi)$	BABAR <sup>[66,67]</sup> (8), CLEC <sup>[68,69]</sup> (11)
					Belle <sup>[41,53]</sup> (15), BES III <sup>[40]</sup> (np)
				$e^+e^- \rightarrow (f_0(980)J/\psi)$	BABAR <sup>[67]</sup> (np), Belle <sup>[41]</sup> (np)
				$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^-Z_c(3900)^+)$	BES III <sup>[40]</sup> (8), Belle <sup>[41]</sup> (5.2)
				$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\gamma X(3872))$	BES II <sup>[70]</sup> (5.3)
$Y(4290)$	$4293 \pm 9$	$222 \pm 67$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^-h_c)$	BES III data <sup>[63,64]</sup> (np)
$X(4350)$	$4350.6_{-5.1}^{+4.6}$	$13_{-10}^{+18}$	$0/2^{?+}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-(\phi J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[58]</sup> (3.2)
$Y(4360)$	$4354 \pm 11$	$78 \pm 16$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^- \psi(2S))$	Belle <sup>[71]</sup> (8), BABAR <sup>[72]</sup> (np)
$Z(4430)^+$	$4478 \pm 17$	$180 \pm 31$	$1^{+-}$	$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^-(\pi^+\psi(2S))$	Belle <sup>[73,74]</sup> (6.4), BABAR <sup>[75]</sup> (2.4)
					LHCb <sup>[76]</sup> (13.9)
				$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow K^-(\pi^+J/\psi)$	Belle <sup>[62]</sup> (4.0)
$Y(4630)$	$4634_{-11}^{+9}$	$92_{-32}^{+41}$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+\bar{\Lambda}_c^-)$	Belle <sup>[77]</sup> (8.2)
$Y(4660)$	$4665 \pm 10$	$53 \pm 14$	$1^{--}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow (\pi^+\pi^- \psi(2S))$	Belle <sup>[71]</sup> (5.8), BABAR <sup>[72]</sup> (5)
$Z_b(10610)^+$	$10607.2 \pm 2.0$	$18.4 \pm 2.4$	$1^{+-}$	$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi(\pi\Upsilon(nS))$	Belle <sup>[78,79]</sup> (>10)
				$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi^-(\pi^+h_b(nP))$	Belle <sup>[78]</sup> (16)
				$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi^-(B\bar{B}^*)^+$	Belle <sup>[80]</sup> (8)
$Z_b(10650)^+$	$10652.2 \pm 1.5$	$11.5 \pm 2.2$	$1^{+-}$	$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi^-(\pi^+\Upsilon(nS))$	Belle <sup>[78]</sup> (>10)
				$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi^-(\pi^+h_b(nP))$	Belle <sup>[78]</sup> (16)
				$\Upsilon(5S) \rightarrow \pi^-(B^*\bar{B}^*)^+$	Belle <sup>[80]</sup> (6.8)

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# Pentaquarks... and so on

LHCb, PRL 115, 072001



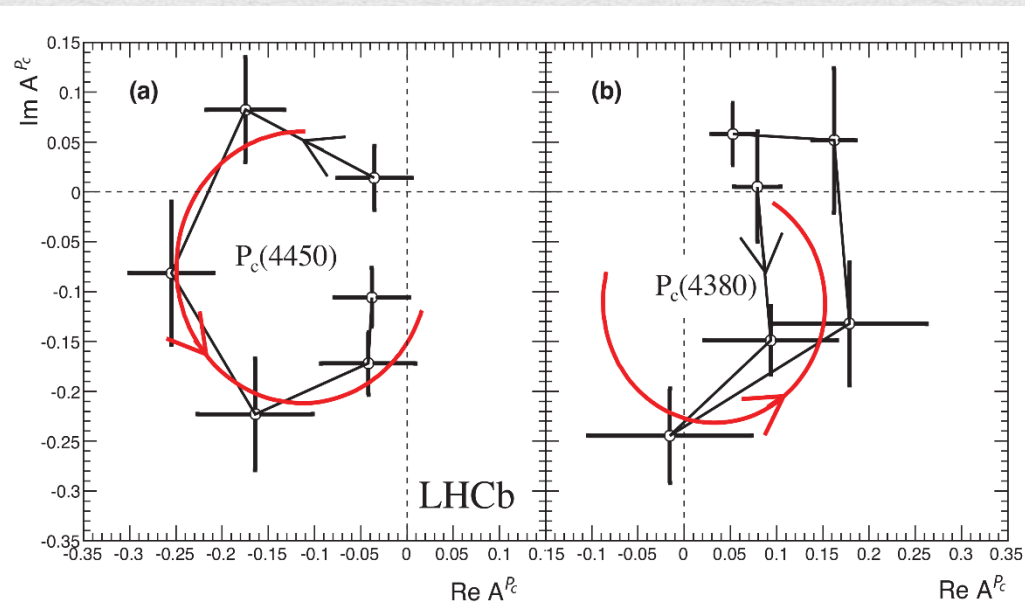
Two states seen in  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow (J/\psi p) K^-$

$M_1 = 4380 \pm 8 \pm 29 \text{ MeV}$

$\Gamma_1 = 205 \pm 18 \pm 86 \text{ MeV}$

$M_2 = 4449.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.5 \text{ MeV}$

$\Gamma_2 = 39 \pm 5 \pm 19 \text{ MeV}$



Quantum numbers

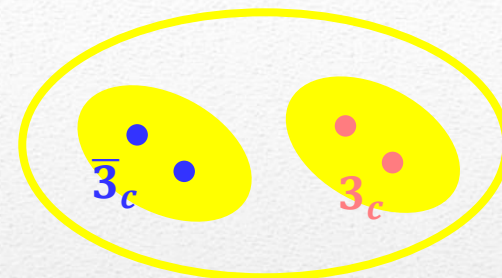
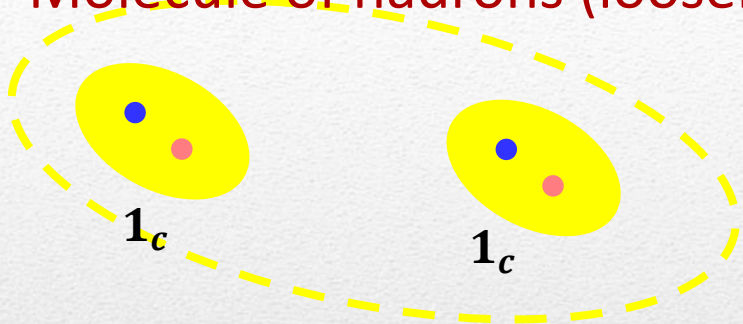
$$J^P = \left( \frac{3^-}{2}, \frac{5^+}{2} \right) \text{ or } \left( \frac{3^+}{2}, \frac{5^-}{2} \right) \text{ or } \left( \frac{5^+}{2}, \frac{3^-}{2} \right)$$

Opposite parities needed for the interference to correctly describe angular distributions

No obvious threshold nearby

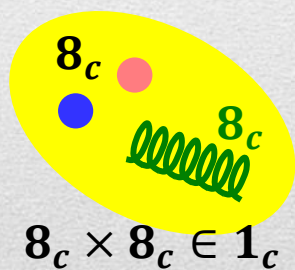
# Proposed models

Molecule of hadrons (loosely bound)



$$3_c \times \bar{3}_c \in 1_c$$

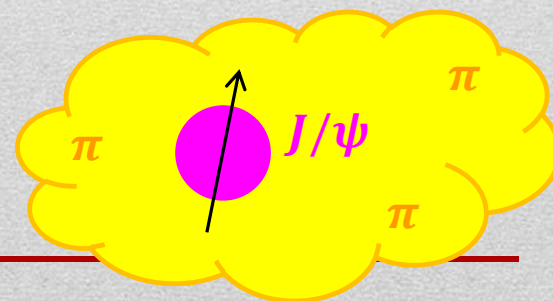
Diquark-antidiquark  
(tetraquark)



Glueball, Hybrids  
(with valence gluons),  
Born-Oppenheimer 4q

$$8_c \times 8_c \in 1_c$$

Hadrocharmonium  
(Van der Waals forces)



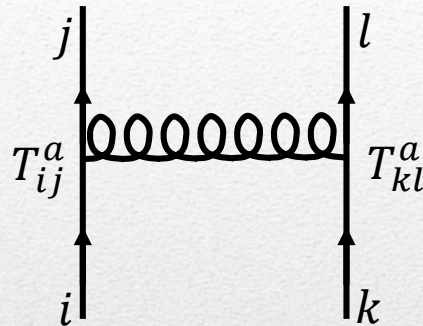
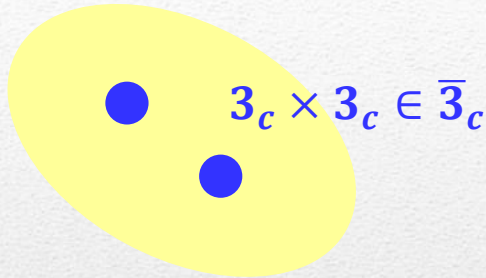
$$1_c \times 1_c \in 1_c$$



Cusp (kinematical effect)

# Diquarks

Attraction and repulsion in 1-gluon exchange approximation is given by



$$R = \frac{1}{2} (C_2(R_{12}) - C_2(R_1) - C_2(R_2))$$

$$R_1 = -\frac{4}{3}, R_8 = +\frac{1}{6}$$

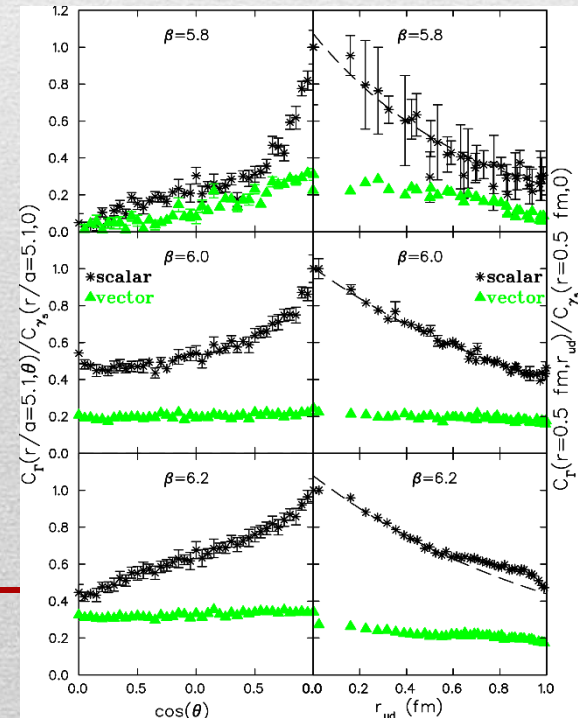
$$R_3 = -\frac{2}{3}, R_6 = +\frac{1}{3}$$

The singlet  $1_c$  is an attractive combination

A diquark in  $\bar{3}_c$  is an attractive combination

A diquark is colored, so it can stay into hadrons but cannot be an asymptotic state

Evidence (?) of diquarks in lattice QCD,  
Alexandrou, de Forcrand, Lucini, PRL 97, 222002

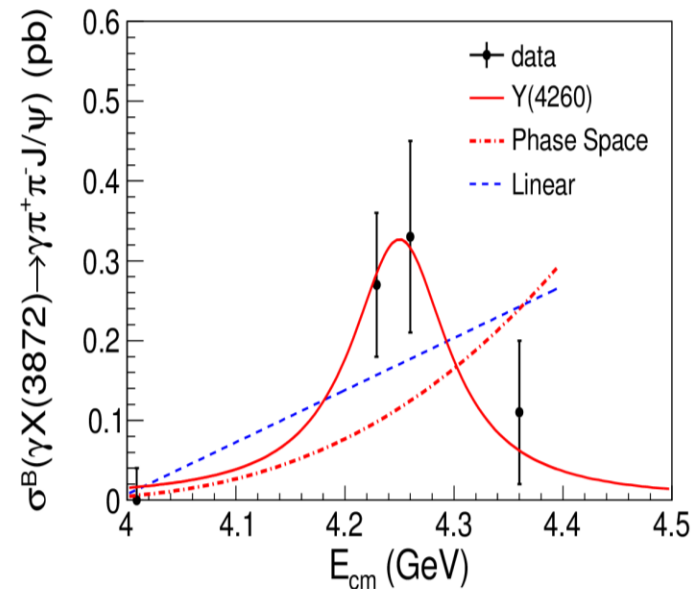
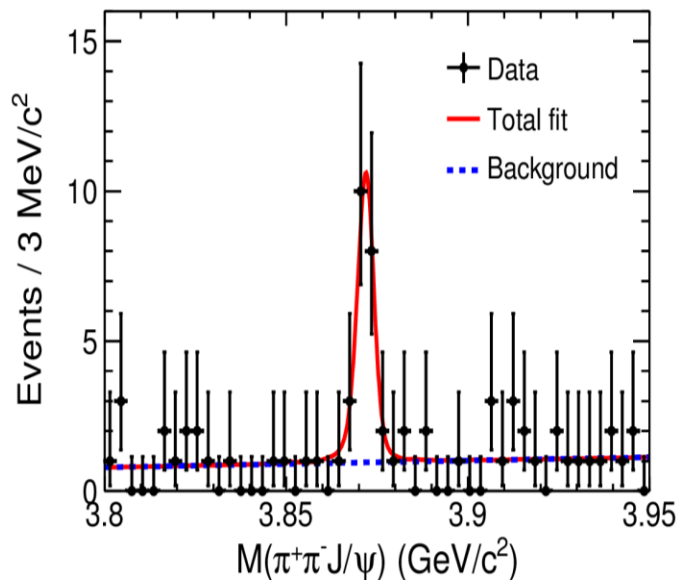


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BESIII:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow Y(4260) \rightarrow X(3872)\gamma$



With  $\mathcal{B}[X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi] = 5\%$

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}[Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)]}{\mathcal{B}[Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi]} = 0.1$$

Strong indication that  $Y(4260)$  and  $X(3872)$  share a similar structure

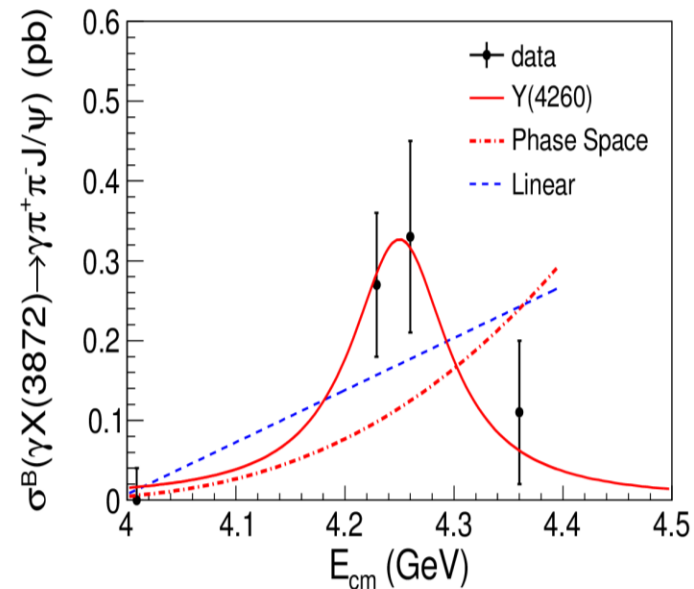
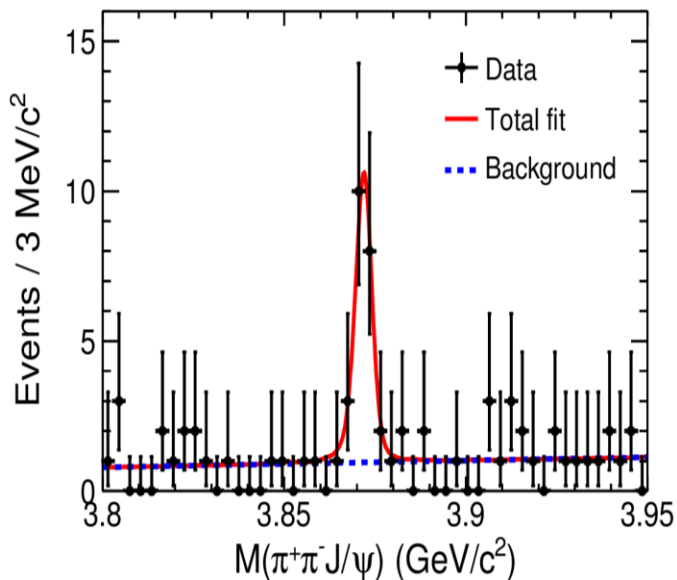
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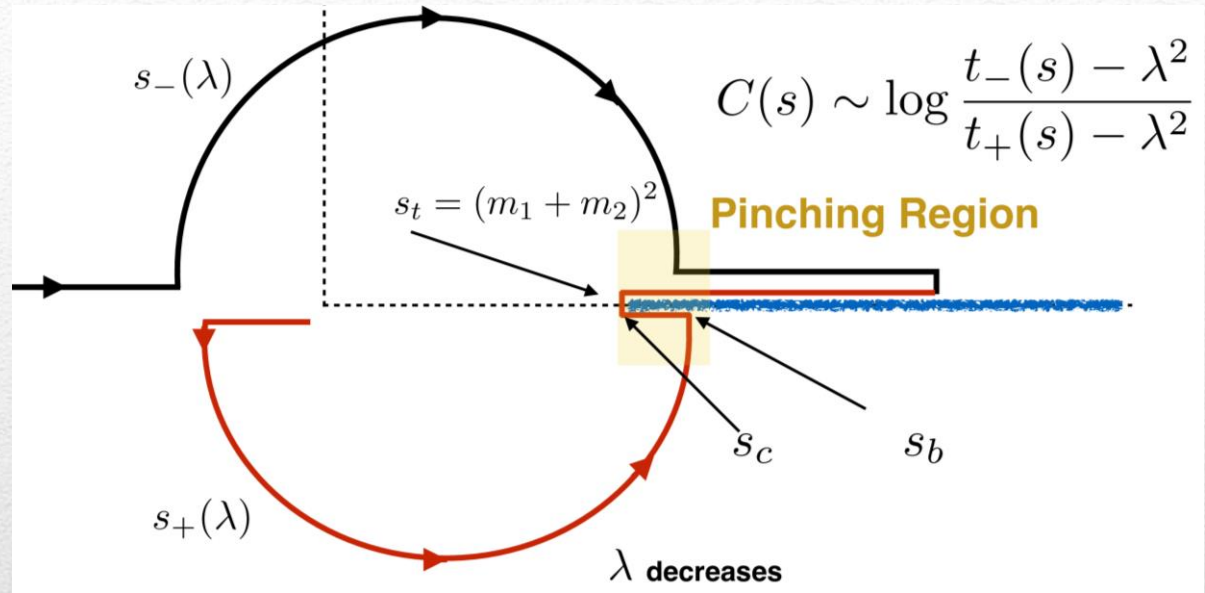
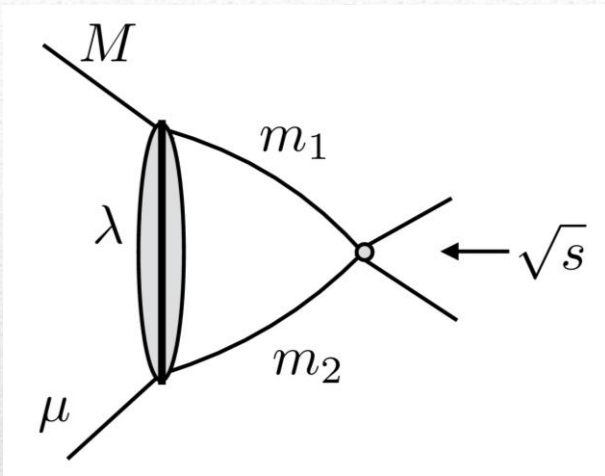
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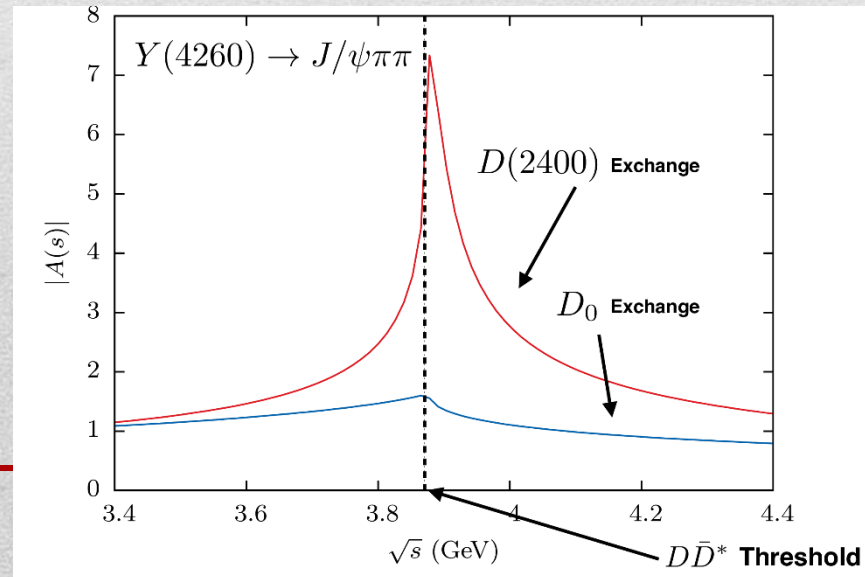
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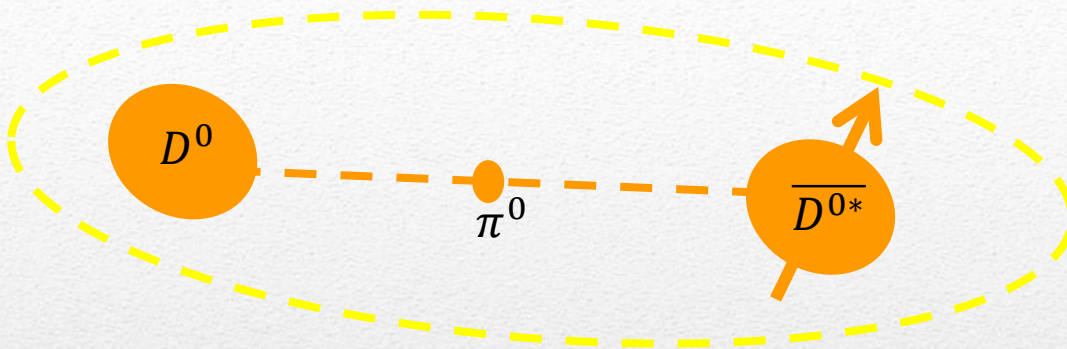
# Triangle singularity (cusps)



Bugg, PLB598, 8-14  
 Szczepaniak, PLB747, 410-416  
 Szczepaniak, 1510.01789



# Molecule



Tornqvist, Z.Phys. C61, 525  
 Braaten and Kusunoki, PRD69 074005  
 Swanson, Phys.Rept. 429 243-305

$$\begin{aligned}
 X(3872) &\sim \bar{D}^0 D^{*0} \\
 Z_c(3900) &\sim \bar{D}^0 D^{*+} \\
 Z'_c(4020) &\sim \bar{D}^{*0} D^{*+} \\
 Y(4260) &\sim \bar{D} D_1
 \end{aligned}$$

A **deuteron-like meson pair**, the interaction is mediated by the exchange of light mesons

- Some model-independent relations (**Weinberg's theorem**) ✓
- Good description of **decay patterns** (mostly to constituents) and X(3872) **isospin violation** ✓
- States appear **close to thresholds** ✓ (but **Z(4430)** ✗)
- Lifetime of constituents has to be  $\gg 1/m_\pi$ , (but why  $\Gamma_Y \gg \Gamma_{D_{-1}}$ ?)
- Binding energy varies from  $-70$  to  $-0.1$  MeV, or even **positive** (repulsive interaction) ✗
- **Unclear spectrum** (a state for each threshold?) – **depends on potential models** ✗

$$V_\pi(r) = \frac{g_{\pi N}^2}{3} (\vec{\tau}_1 \cdot \vec{\tau}_2) \left\{ [3(\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \hat{r})(\vec{\sigma}_2 \cdot \hat{r}) - (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{\sigma}_2)] \left( 1 + \frac{3}{(m_\pi r)^2} + \frac{3}{m_\pi r} \right) + (\vec{\sigma}_1 \cdot \vec{\sigma}_2) \right\} \frac{e^{-m_\pi r}}{r}$$

Needs regularization, cutoff dependence

# Weinberg theorem

Resonant scattering amplitude

$$f(ab \rightarrow c \rightarrow ab) = -\frac{1}{8\pi E_{CM}} g^2 \frac{1}{(p_a + p_b)^2 - m_c^2}$$

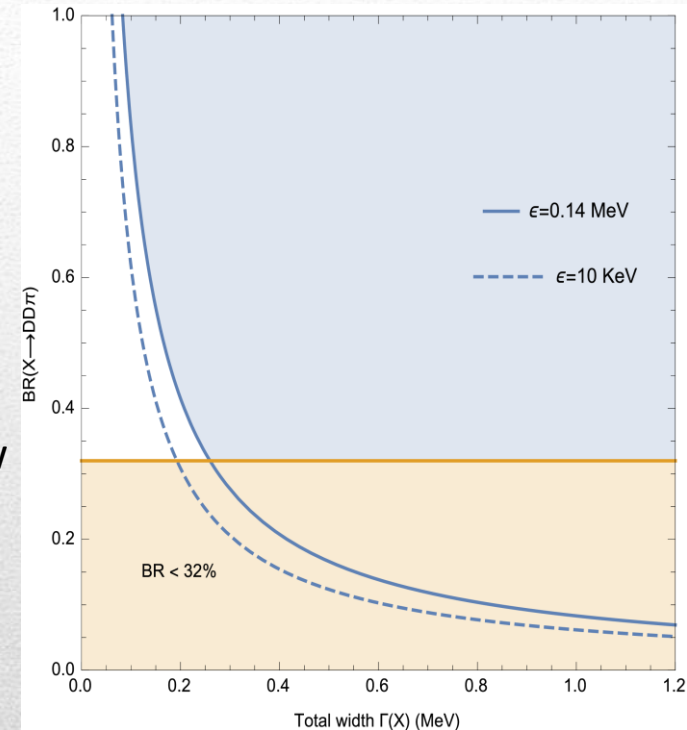
with  $m_c = m_a + m_b - B$ , and  $B, T \ll m_{a,b}$

$$f(ab \rightarrow c \rightarrow ab) = -\frac{1}{16\pi(m_a + m_b)^2} g^2 \frac{1}{B + T}$$

This has to be compared with the potential scattering for slow particles ( $kR \ll 1$ , being  $R \sim 1/m_\pi$  the range of interaction) in an attractive potential  $U$  with a superficial level at  $-B$

$$f(ab \rightarrow ab) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\mu}} \frac{\sqrt{B} - i\sqrt{T}}{B + T}$$

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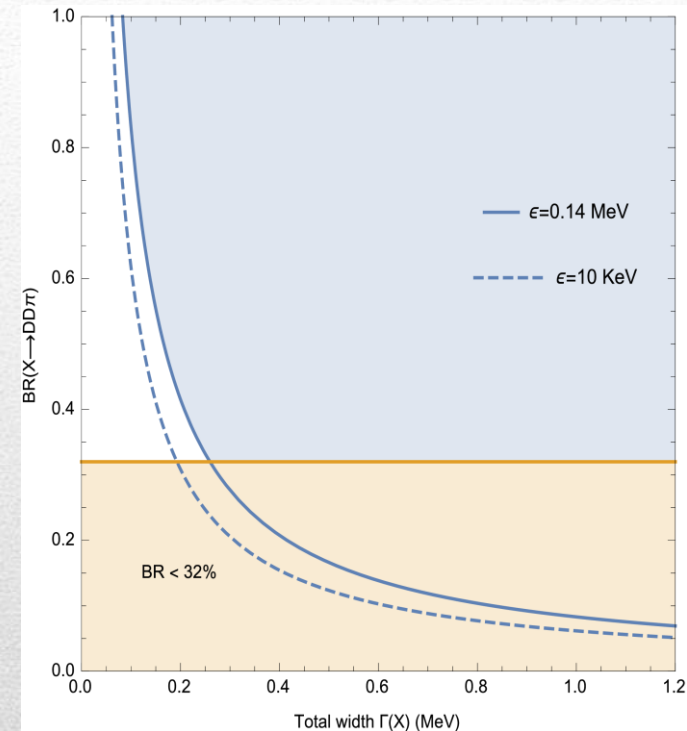
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This has to be fulfilled by **EVERY molecular state**, but:

- $X(3872)$ ,  $B = 0$ ,  $g \neq 0$
- $Z_s$ ,  $B < 0$ , repulsive interaction!
- $Y(4260)$ ,  $kR \sim 1.4$



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# Estimating $k_{max}$

The binding energy is  $E_B \approx -0.16 \pm 0.31$  MeV (PDG): **very small!**

In a simple square well model this corresponds to:

$$\sqrt{\langle k^2 \rangle} \approx 50 \text{ MeV}, \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} \approx 10 \text{ fm}$$

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{binding energy reported by NU, PRD91, 011102} \\ E_B \approx -0.003 \pm 0.192 \text{ MeV: } \sqrt{\langle k^2 \rangle} \approx 20 \text{ MeV}, \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} \approx 60 \text{ fm} \end{array} \right)$$

to compare with deuteron:  $E_B = -2.2$  MeV

$$\sqrt{\langle k^2 \rangle} \approx 80 \text{ MeV}, \sqrt{\langle r^2 \rangle} \approx 4 \text{ fm}$$

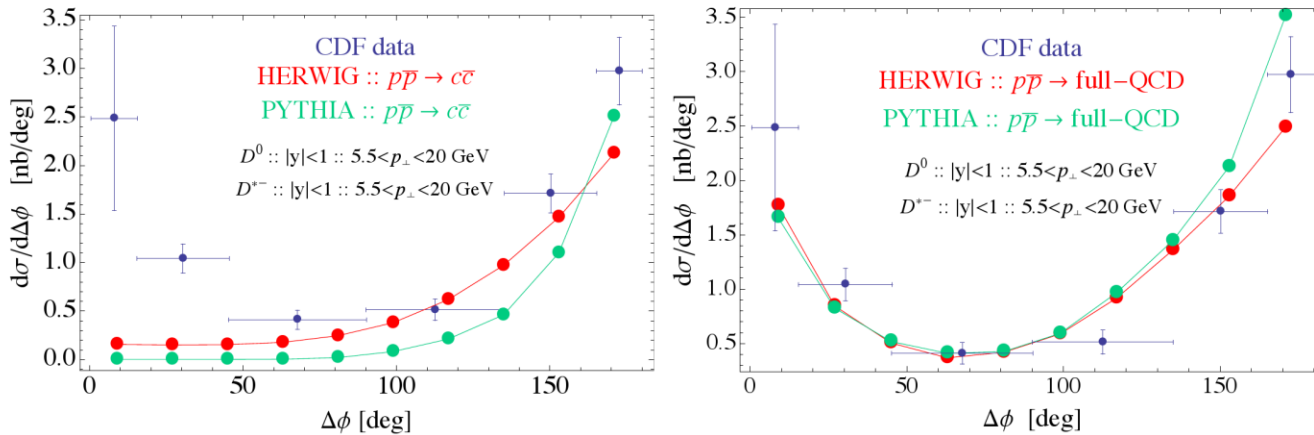
We assume  $k_{max} \sim \sqrt{\langle k^2 \rangle} \approx 50$  MeV, some other choices are commented later

# Tuning of MC

## Monte Carlo simulations

A. Esposito

- We compare the  $D^0 D^{*-}$  pairs produced as a function of relative azimuthal angle with the results from CDF:



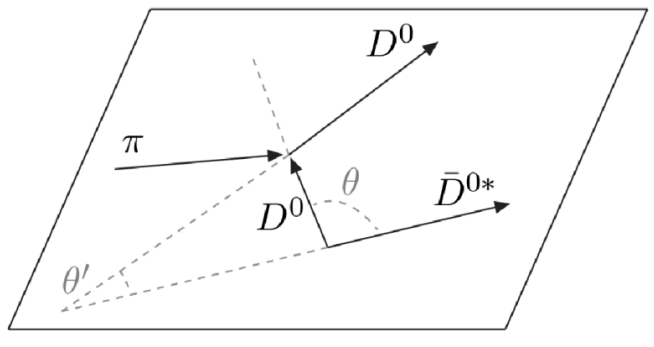
*The c-cbar run underestimate the low angles (low- $k_{\perp}$ ) region!*

Such distributions of charm mesons are available at Tevatron  
No distribution has been published (yet) at LHC

# A new mechanism?

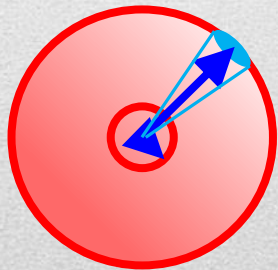
In a more **billiard-like** point of view, the comoving pions can **elastically interact** with  $D(D^*)$ , and **slow down** the  $DD^*$  pairs

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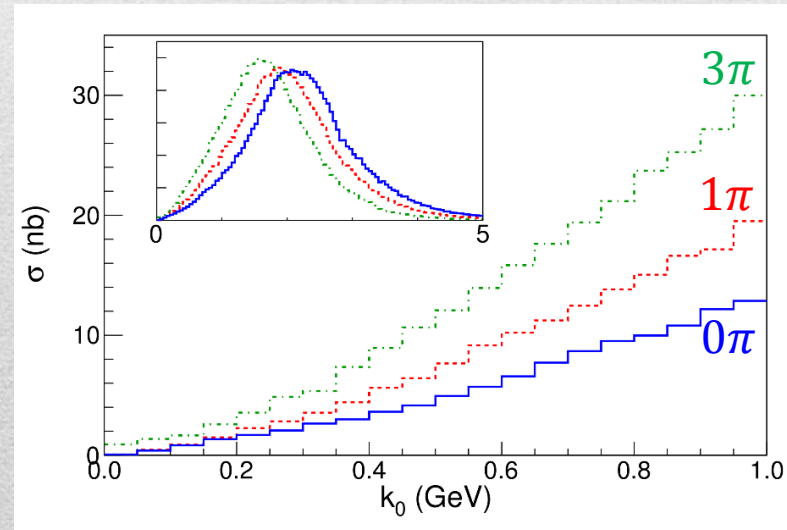
The mechanism also implies:  $D$  mesons actually **“pushed”** **inside** the potential well (the **classical 3-body problem!**)

$X(3872)$  is a **real, negative energy bound state** (stable)  
It also explains a small width  $\Gamma_X \sim \Gamma_{D^*} \sim 100$  keV



By comparing hadronization times of heavy and light mesons, we estimate up to  $\sim 3$  collisions can occur before the heavy pair to fly apart


We get  $\sigma(p\bar{p} \rightarrow X(3872)) \sim 5$  nb, **still not sufficient** to explain all the experimental cross section

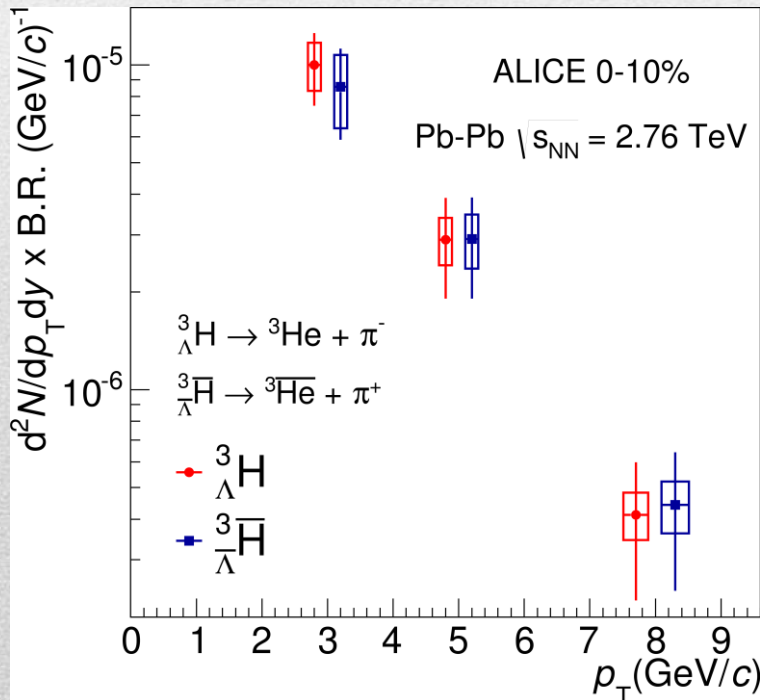



# Light nuclei at ALICE

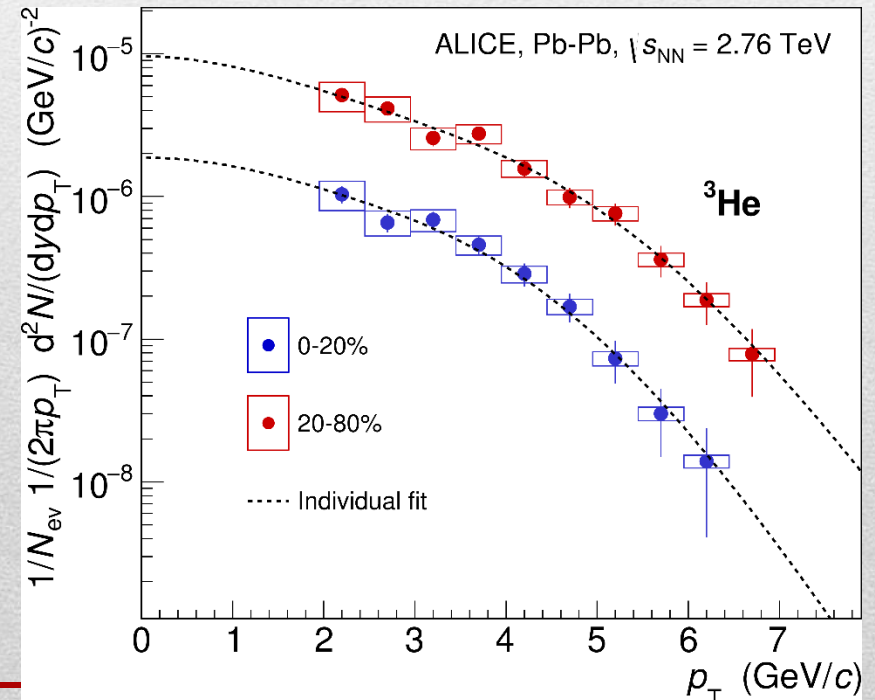
Recently, ALICE published data on production of light nuclei in Pb-Pb and  $pp$  collisions

These might provide a benchmark for  $X(3872)$  production


 Hypertriton  
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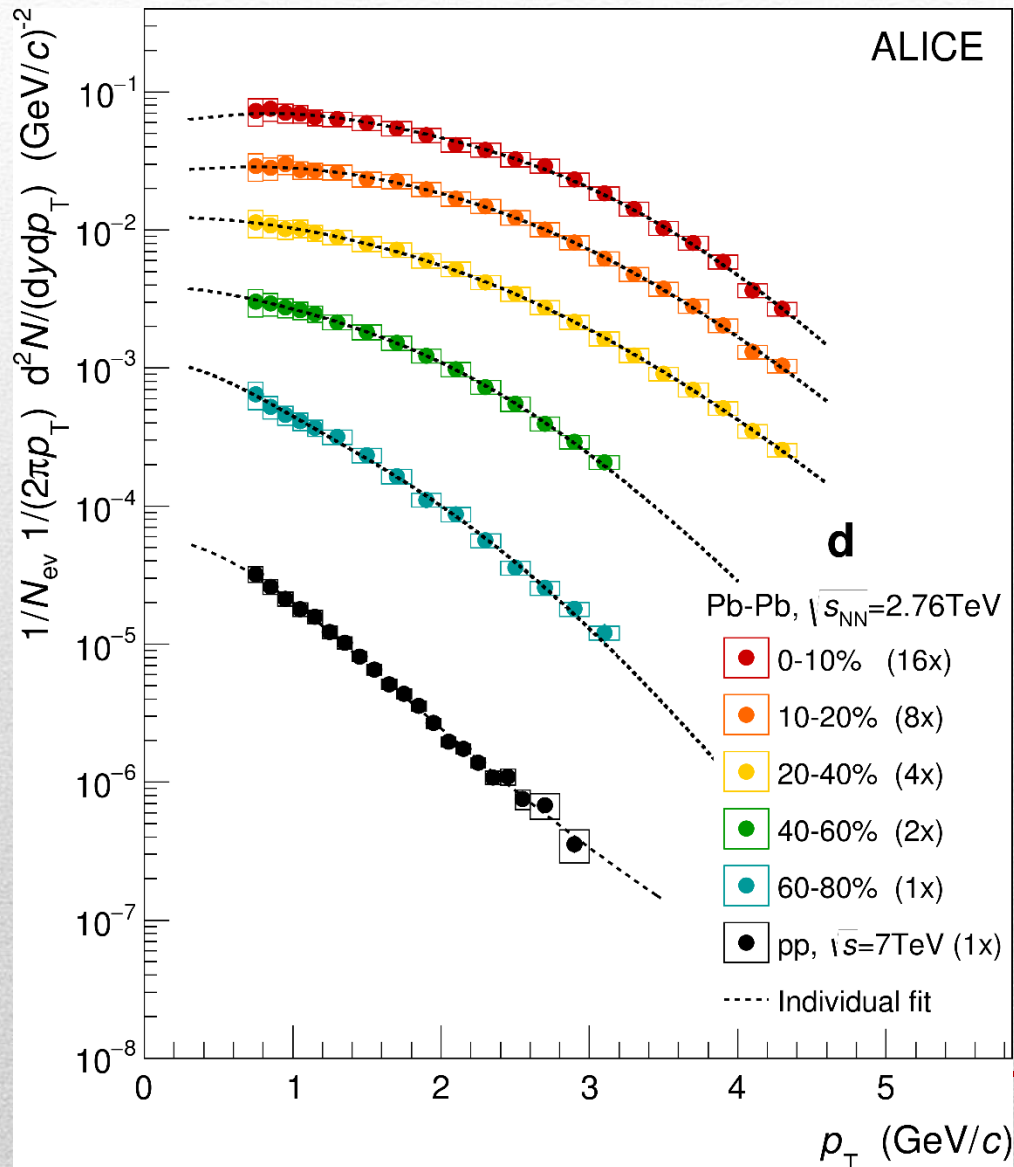



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# Light nuclei at ALICE



Deuteron

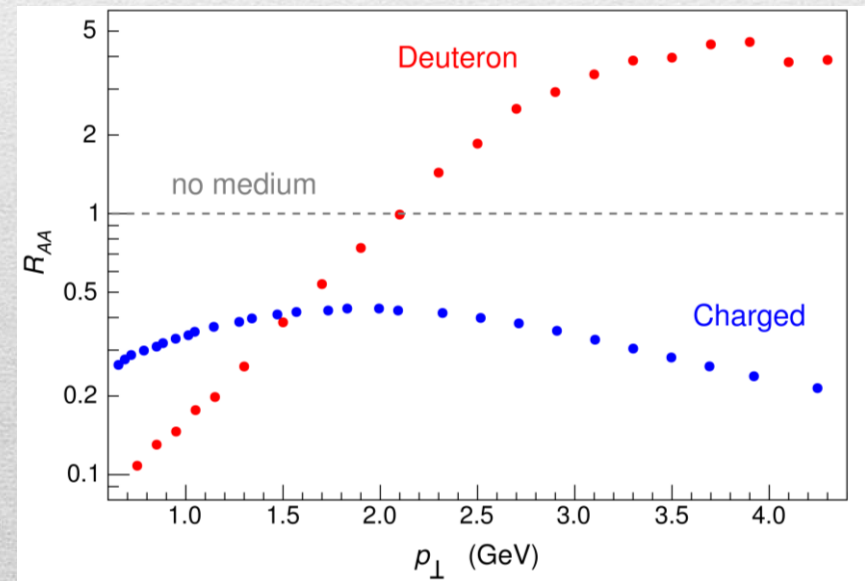
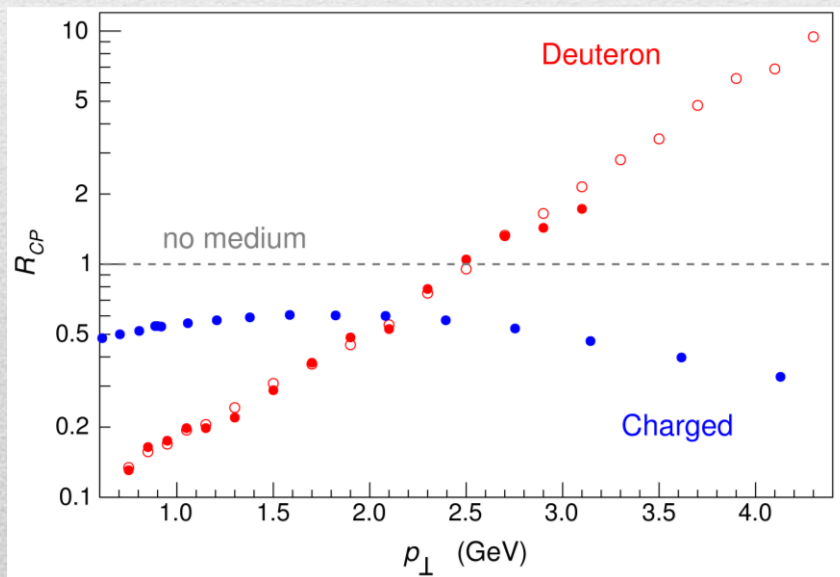
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We can use deuteron data to extract the values of the nuclear modification factors (caveat: for RAA data have different  $\sqrt{s}$ )

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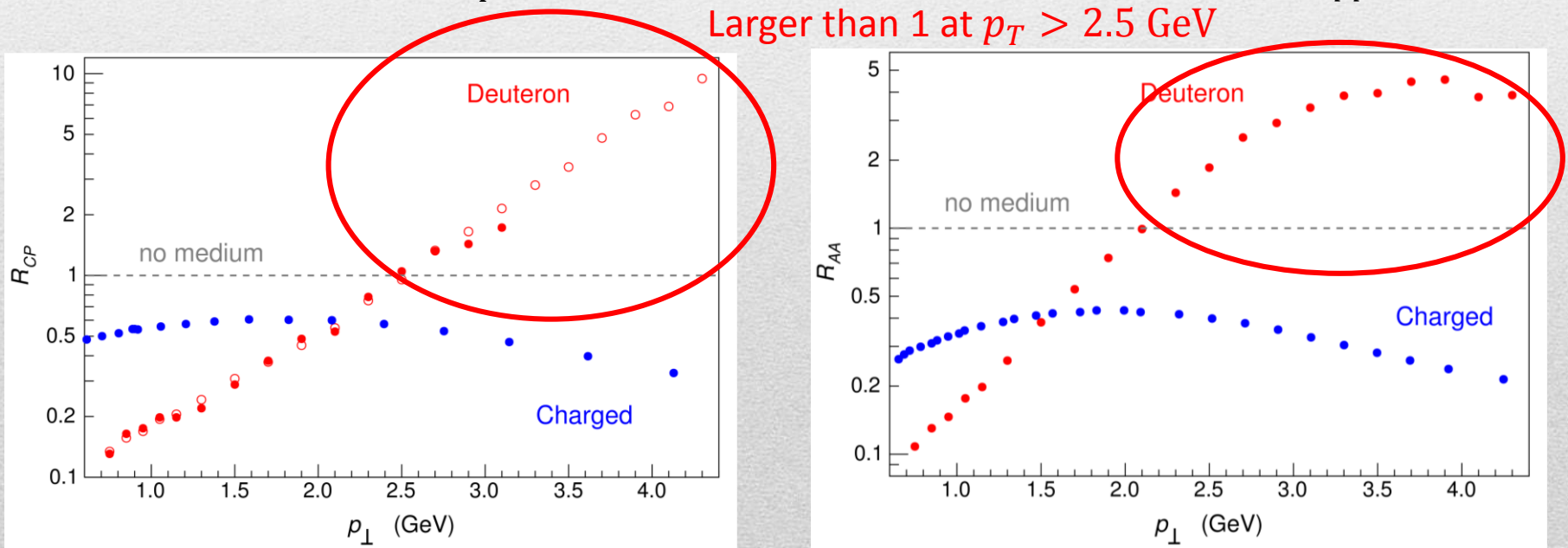


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Constant RAA → same shape in Pb-Pb and pp

$$\left( \frac{d\sigma \left( {}^3_{\Lambda}\text{H} \right)}{dp_{\perp}} \right)_{pp} = \frac{\Delta y}{\mathcal{B}({}^3\text{He } \pi)} \times \frac{\sigma_{pp}^{\text{inel}}}{N_{\text{coll}}} \left( \frac{1}{N_{\text{evt}}} \frac{d^2 N({}^3\text{He } \pi)}{dp_{\perp} dy} \right)_{\text{Pb-Pb}}$$

We **extrapolate** this data at higher  $p_T$  either by assuming an **exponential law**, or with a **blast-wave** function, which describes the emission of particles in an expanding medium

The blast-wave function is

$$\frac{dN}{dp_{\perp}} \propto p_{\perp} \int_0^R r dr m_{\perp} I_0 \left( \frac{p_{\perp} \sinh \rho}{T_{\text{kin}}} \right) K_1 \left( \frac{m_{\perp} \cosh \rho}{T_{\text{kin}}} \right),$$

where  $m_{\perp}$  is the transverse mass,  $R$  is the radius of the fireball,  $I_0$  and  $K_1$  are the Bessel functions,  $\rho = \tanh^{-1} \left( \frac{(n+2)\langle\beta\rangle}{2} (r/R)^n \right)$ , and  $\langle\beta\rangle$  the averaged speed of the particles in the medium.

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The  $X(3872)$  is way larger than the extrapolated cross section

