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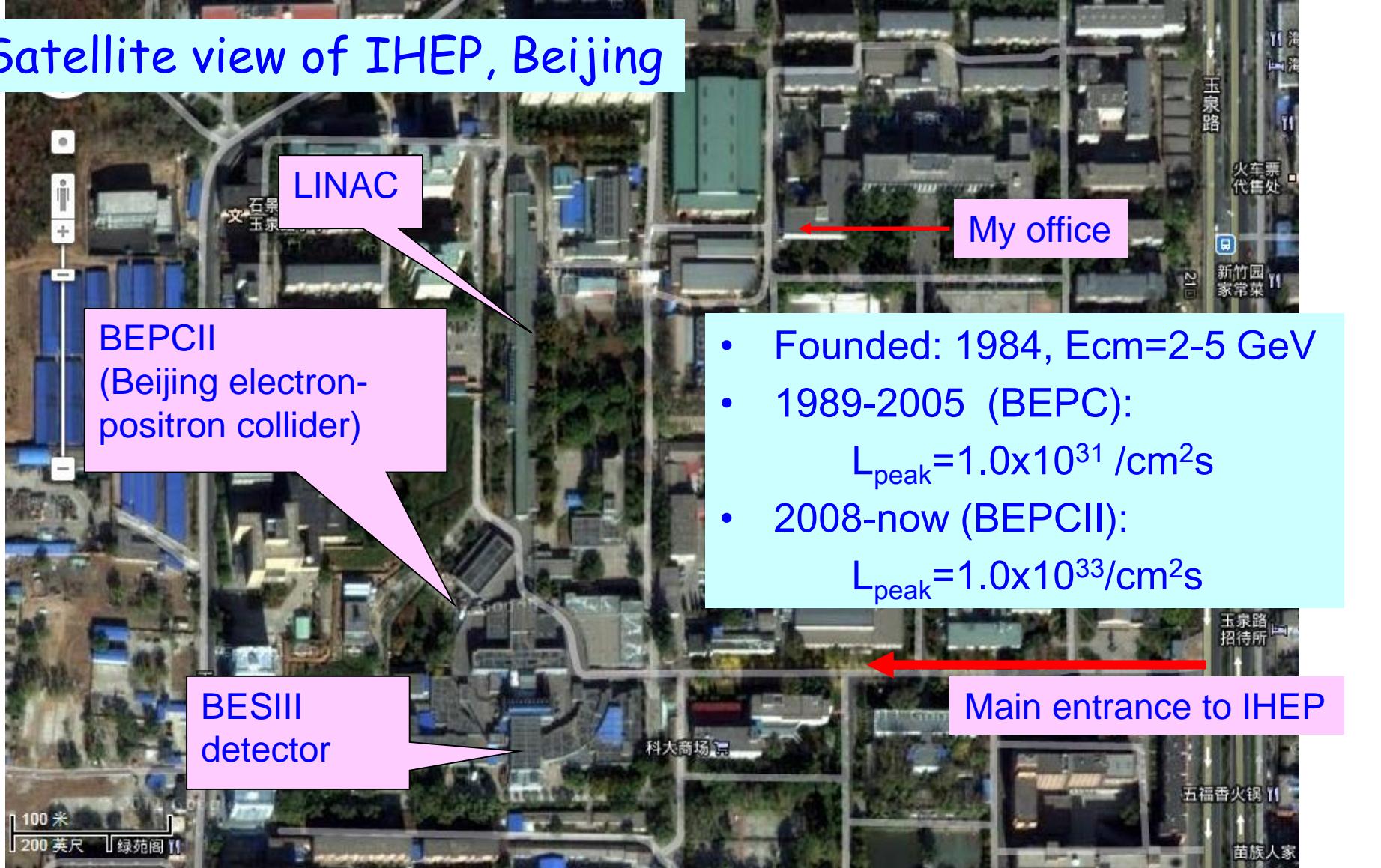


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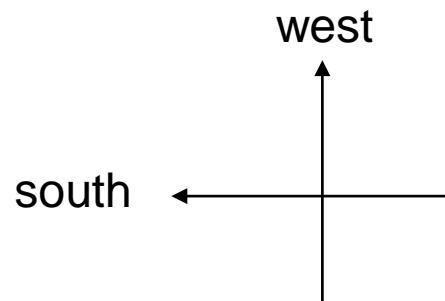
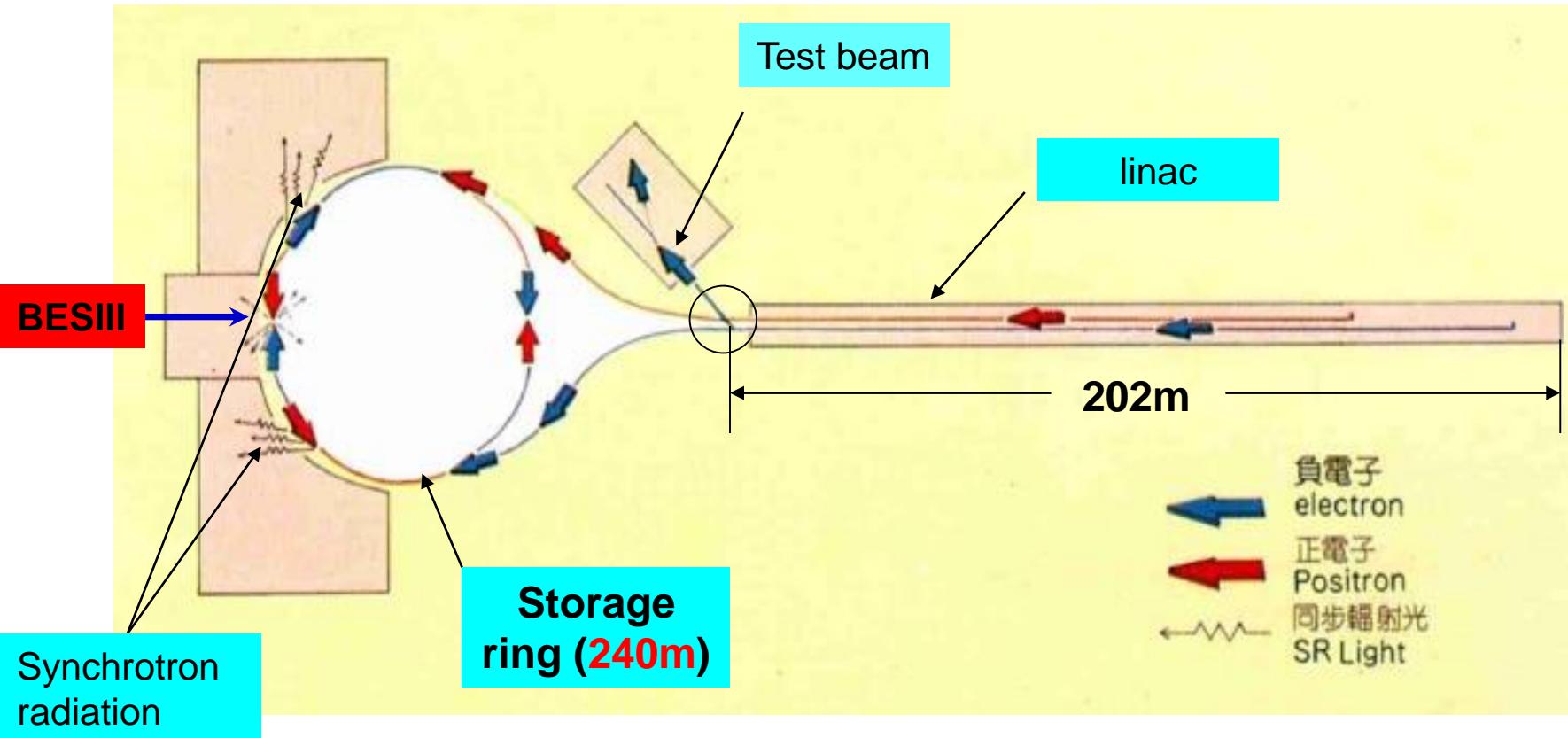
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# Beijing Electron Positron Collider (BEPC)

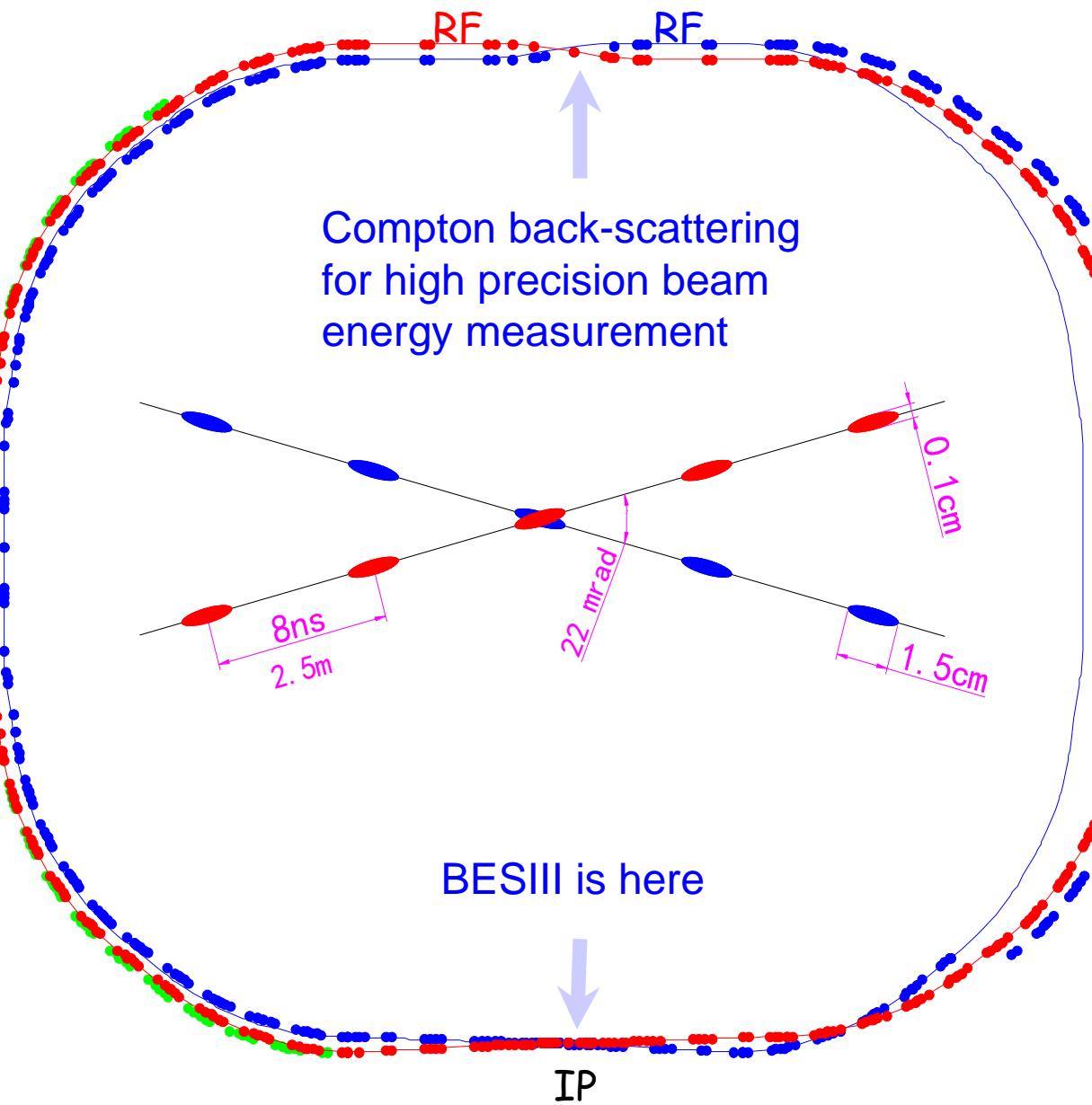
Satellite view of IHEP, Beijing



# BEPCII sketch

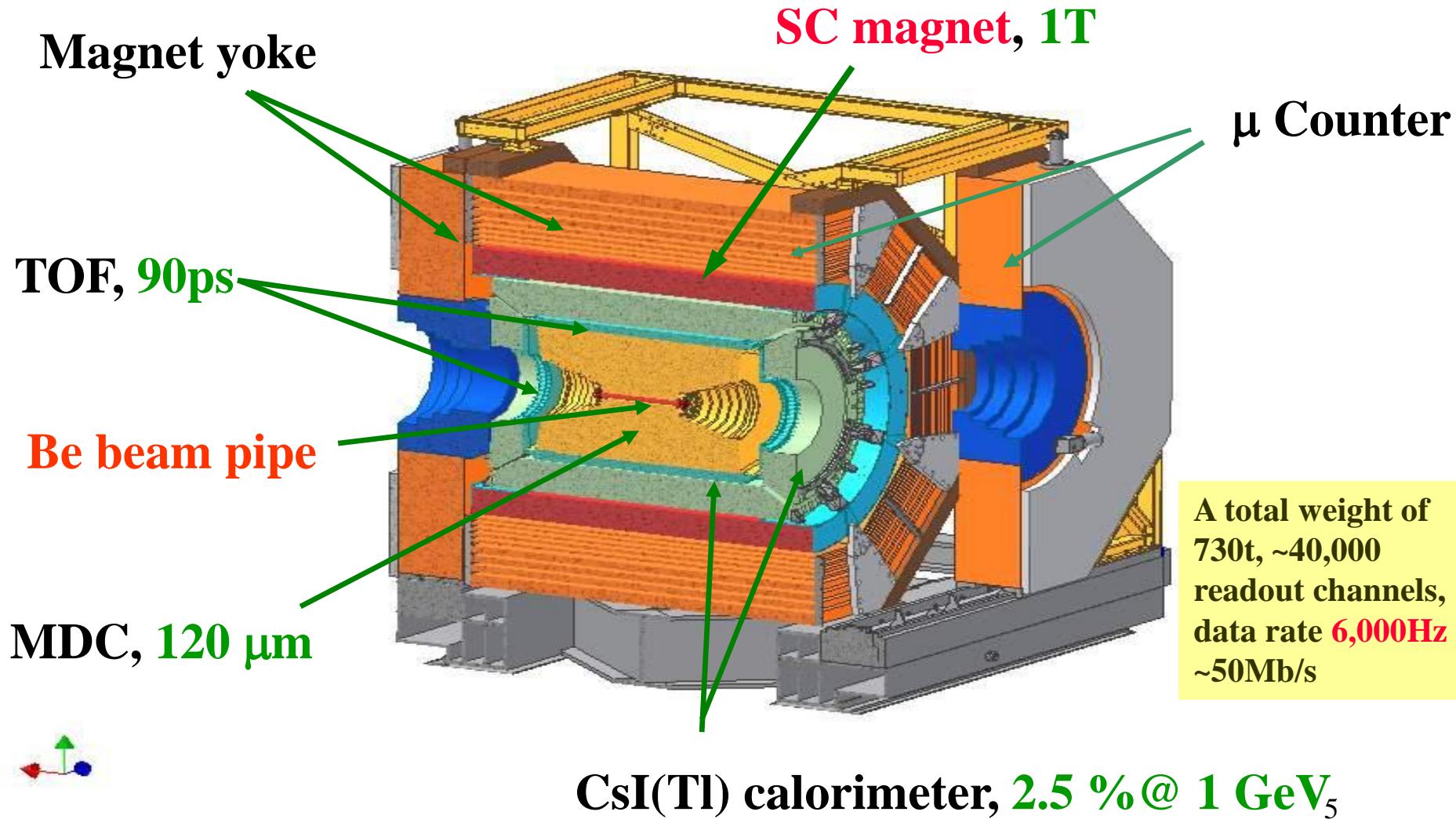


# BEPC II: a double-ring machine

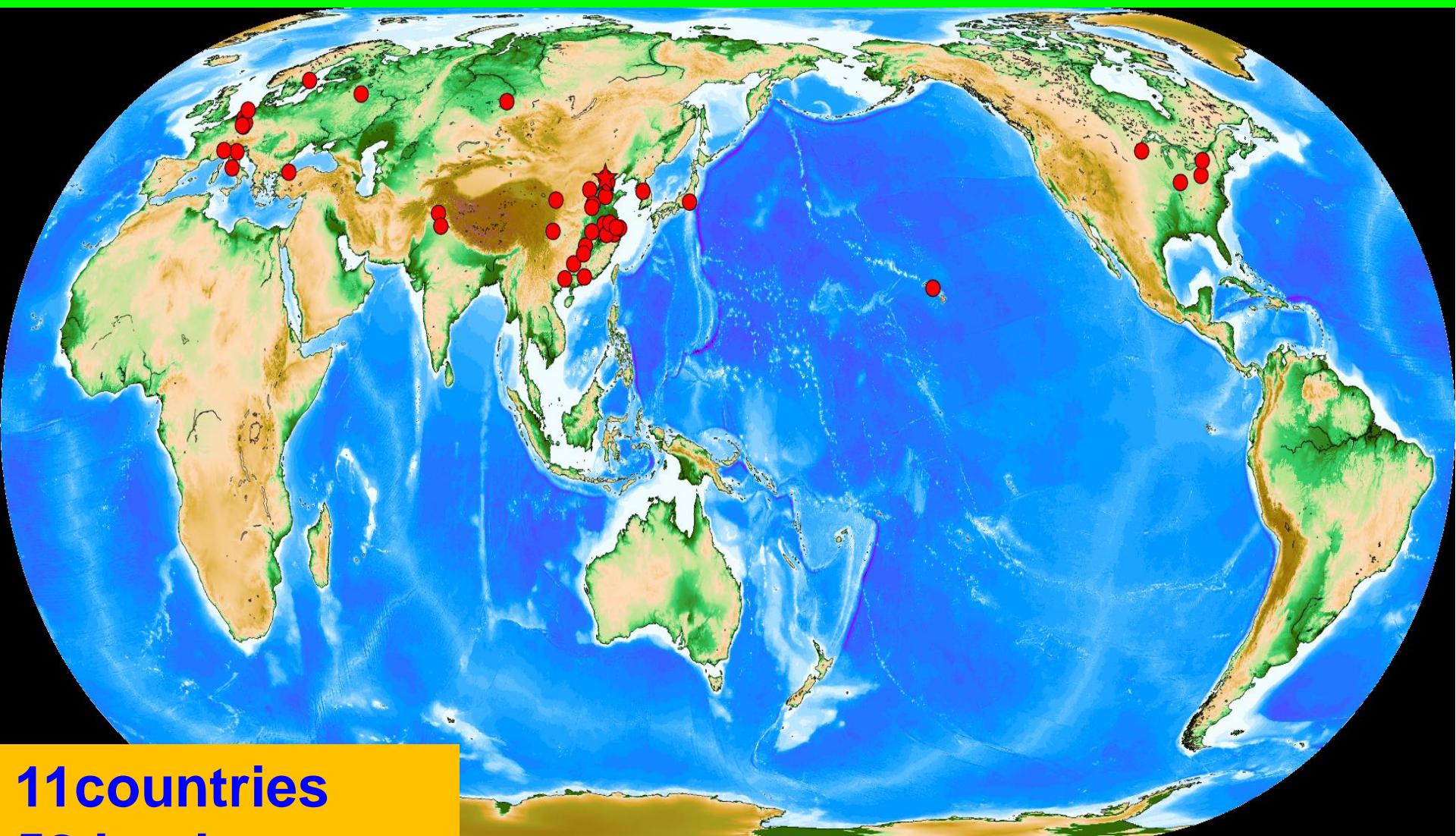


Beam energy:  
1-2.3 GeV  
Luminosity:  
 $1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$   
**(reached the designed target this year!)**  
Optimum energy:  
1.89 GeV  
Energy spread:  
 $5.16 \times 10^{-4}$   
No. of bunches:  
93  
Bunch length:  
1.5 cm  
Total current:  
0.91 A  
SR mode:  
0.25A @  $2.5^4 \text{ GeV}$

# The BESIII Detector



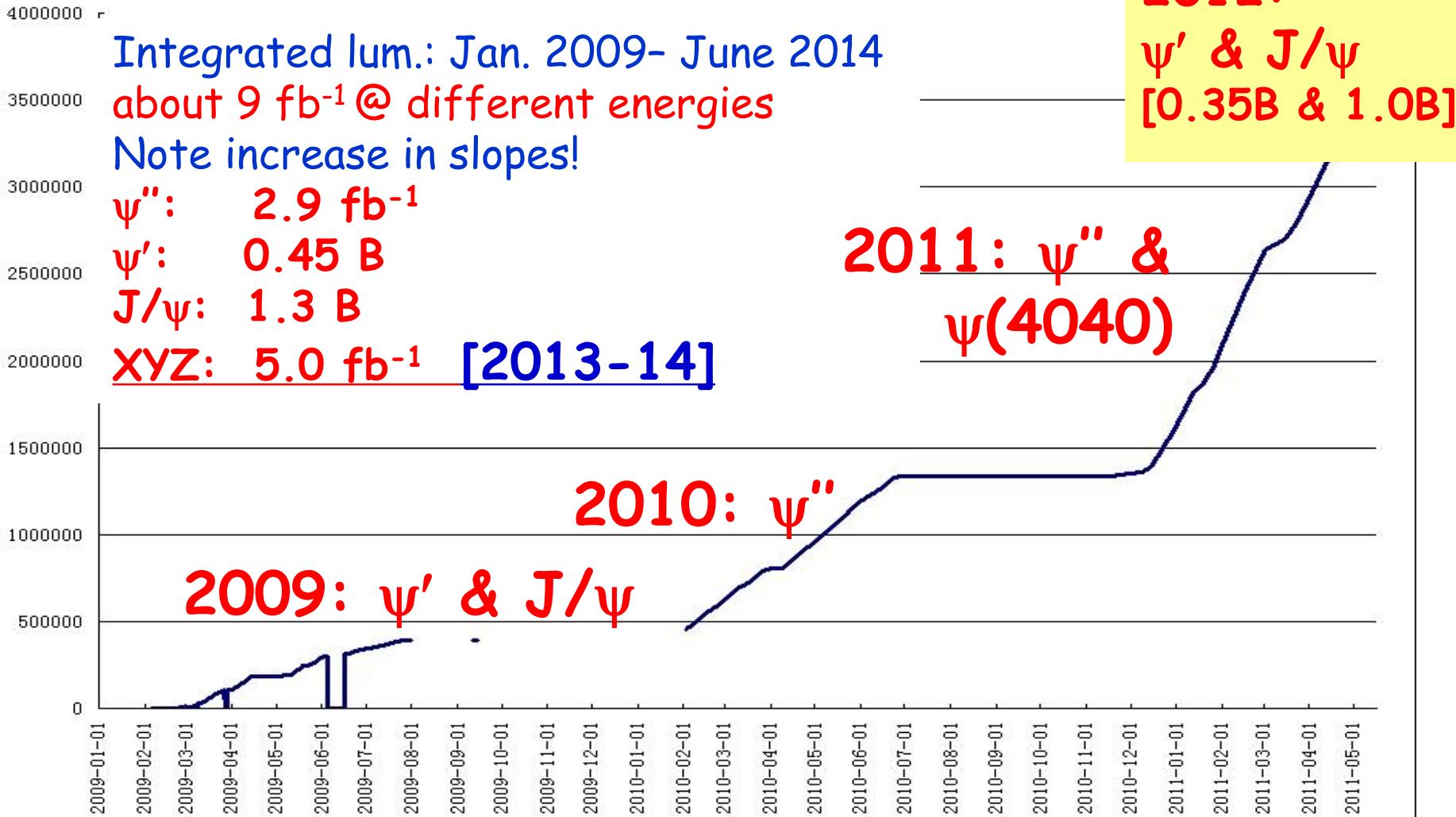
# The BESIII Collaboration



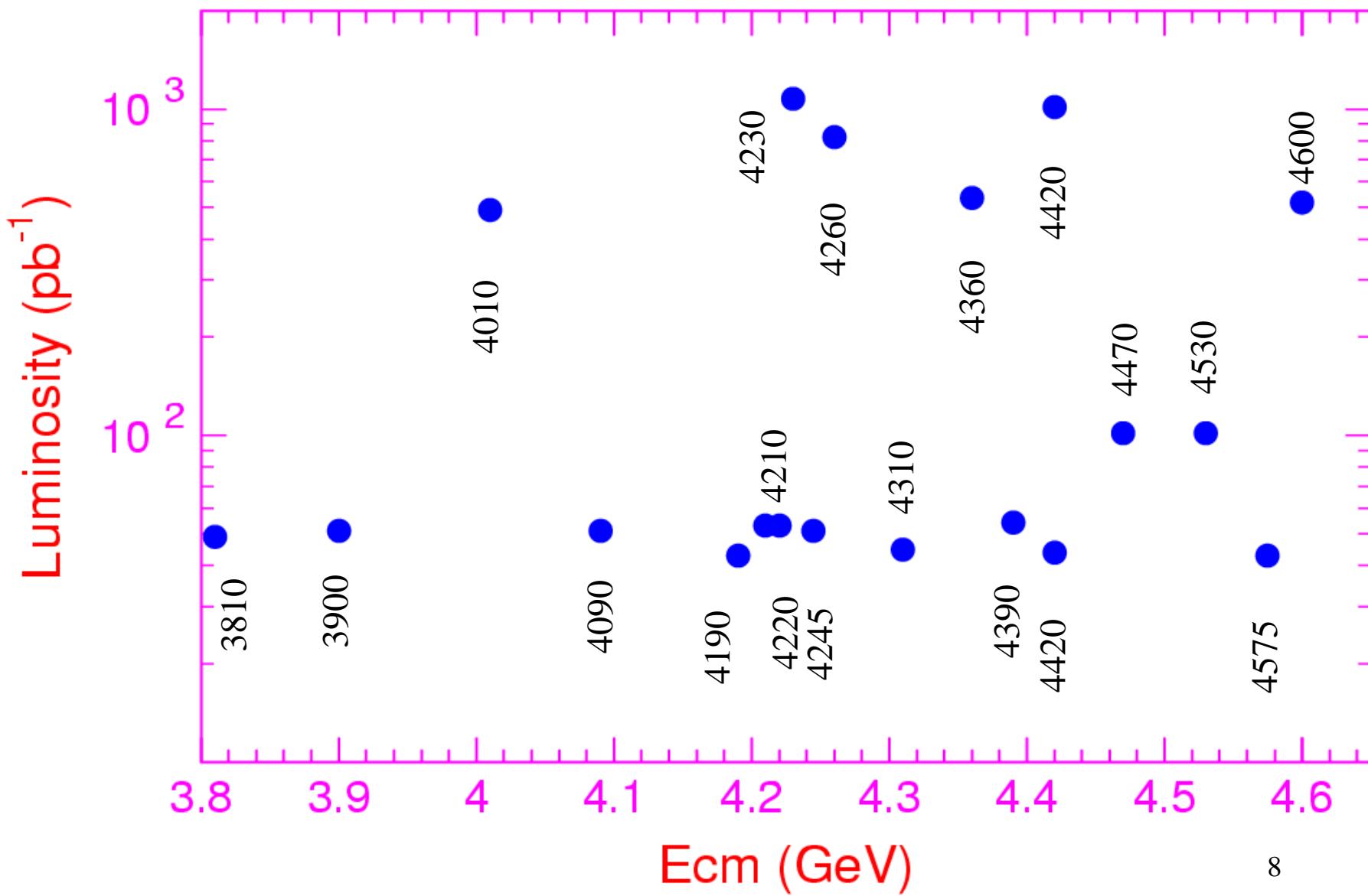
**11 countries**  
**58 institutes**  
**~450 members**

# BESIII data samples

Note that luminosity is lower at  $J/\psi$ ,  
and machine is optimal near  $\psi''$  peak



# BESIII data samples for XYZ study (5/fb)



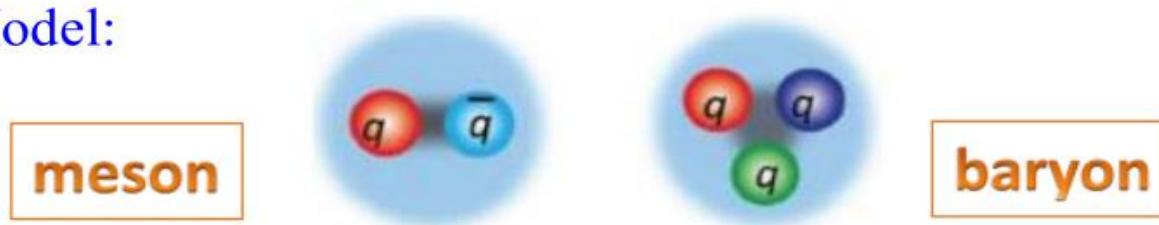
# Outline

- Exotic states
- The X states
- The Y states
- The  $Z_c$  states
- Summary

# What's exotic state?

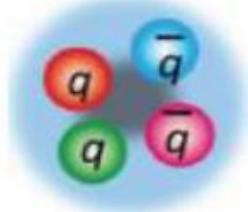
- Conventional hadrons consist of 2 or 3 quarks:

Naive Quark Model:

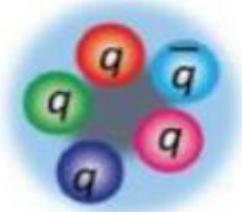


- QCD predicts the exotic state:

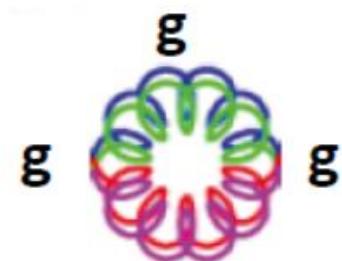
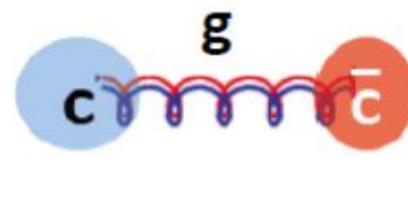
Multi-quark states: ( $N \geq 4$ )



Hybrids:  $q\bar{q}g$ ,  $qqqg\dots$

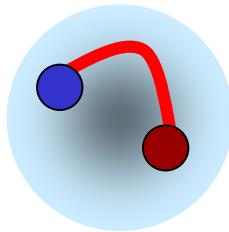


Glueballs:  $gg$ ,  $ggg\dots$



# Multi-faces of QCD: Exotic hadrons

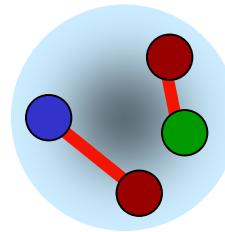
Hybrid



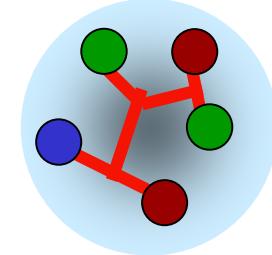
Glueball



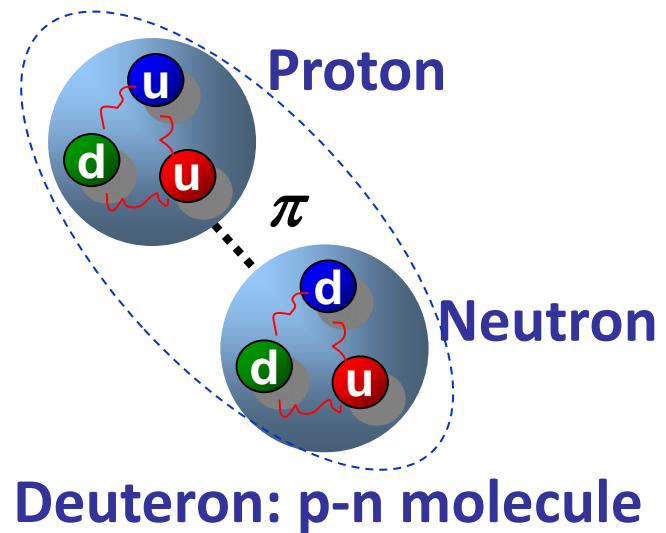
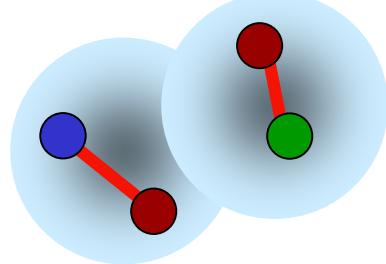
Tetraquark



Pentaquark

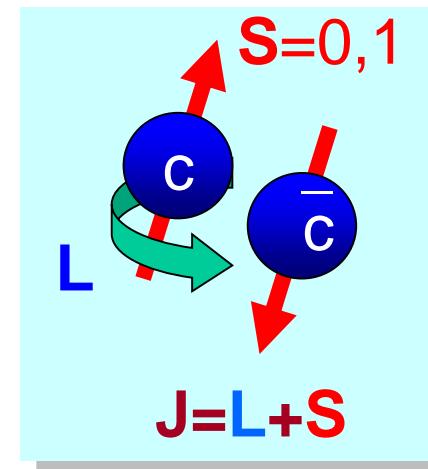
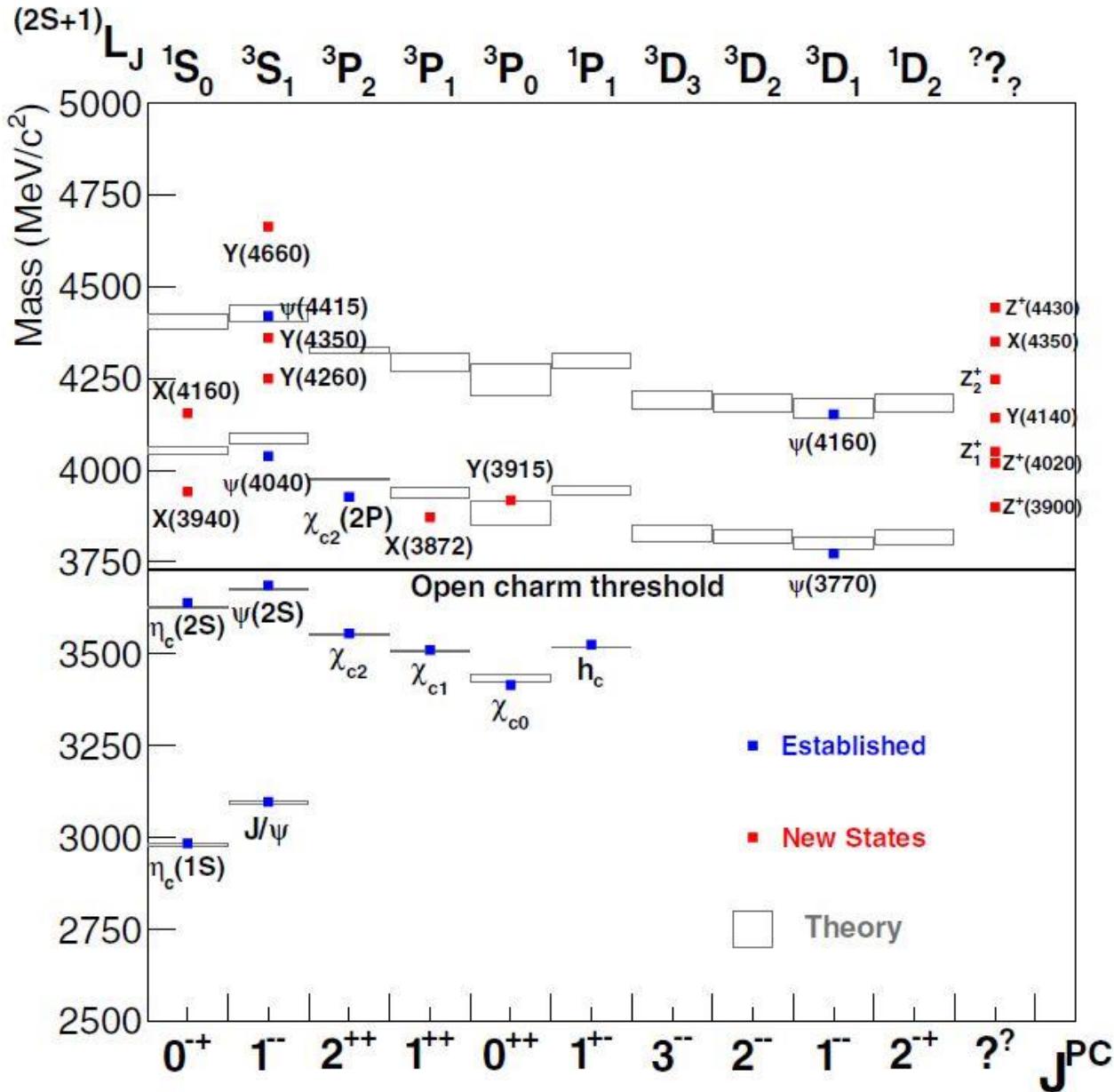


Hadronic molecule



**Evidence for QCD exotic states is a missing piece of knowledge about the Nature of strong QCD.**

# Charmonium Spectrum

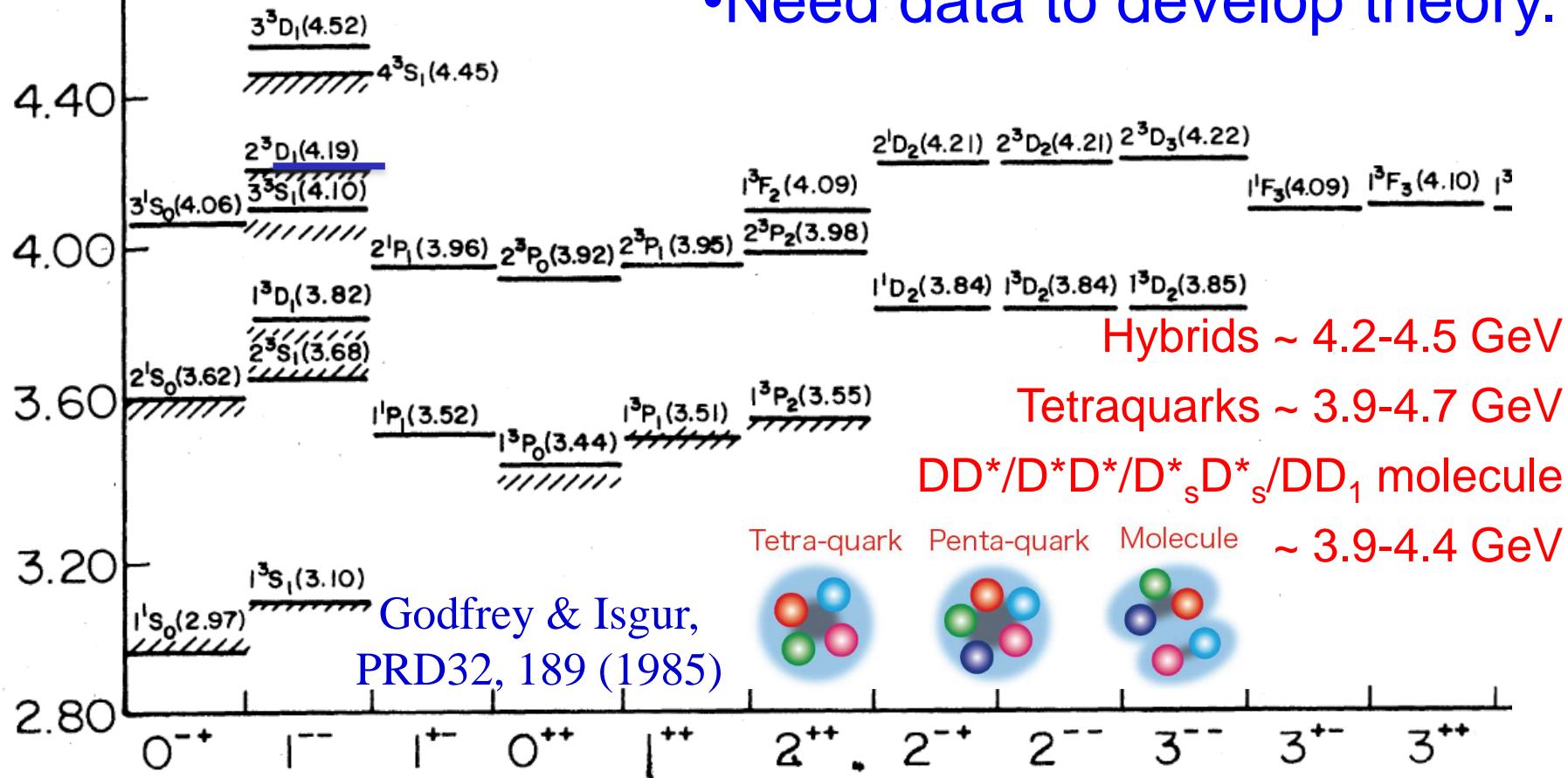


New charmonium-like states, i.e.  
“XYZ” states, are observed in experiment

GeV

All these happen in 4.0-4.7 GeV

•Need data to develop theory.

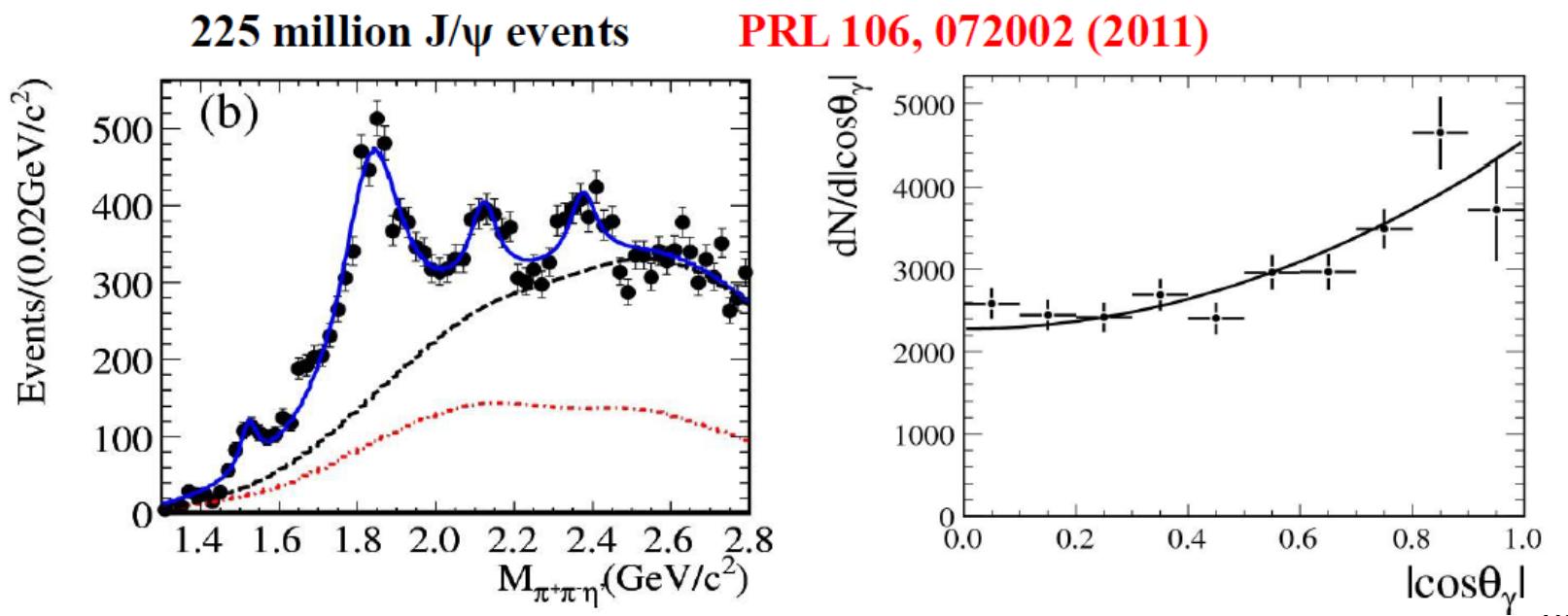


QCD just require hadrons to be colorless, and allow exotics.  
Such exotic states exist ?

# The X states

# X(1835) review

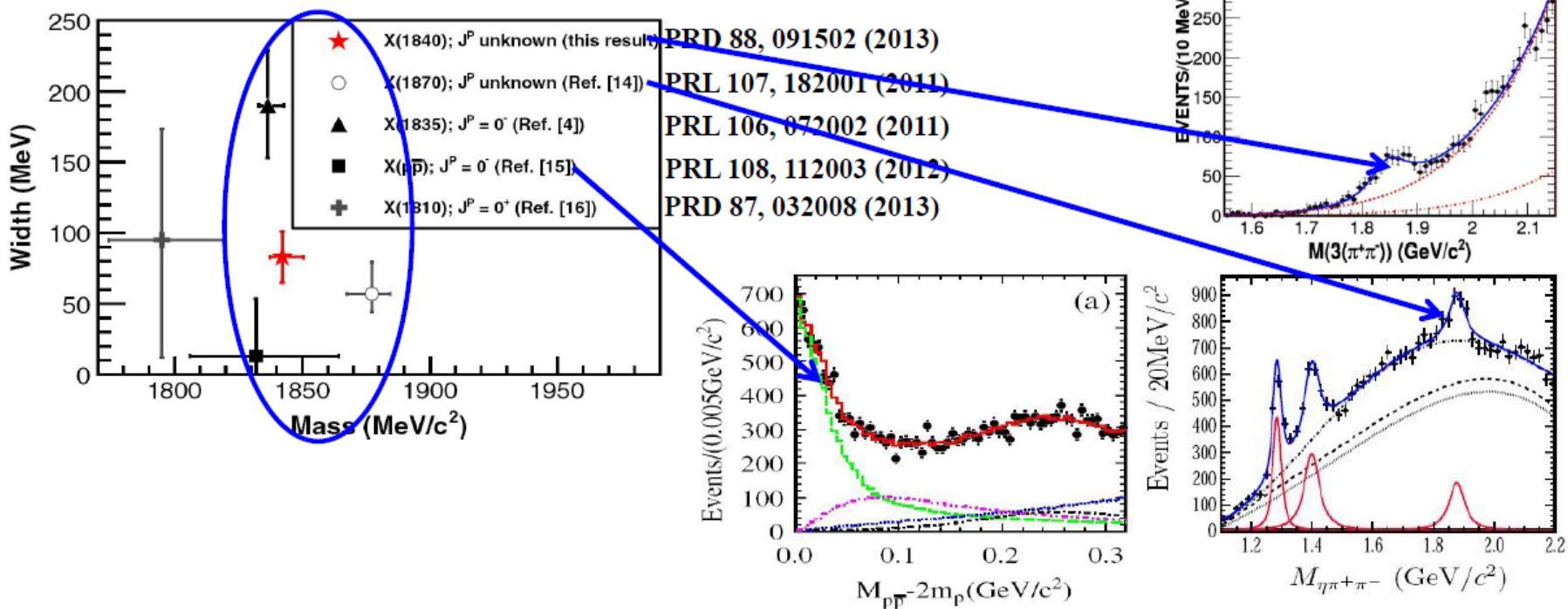
- ◆ Observed in  $\mathbf{J}/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta' \pi^+ \pi^-$  at BESII in 2005
- ◆ Nature unclear, interpretations include  $p\bar{p}$  bound state, excited  $\eta'$ , glueball
- ◆ Confirmed in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta' \pi^+ \pi^-$  at BESIII
- ◆ Angular distribution consists with pseudoscalar, but other spin-parity assignments not excluded



# X(1835) review

- ◆ Simulated by  $p\bar{p}$  threshold enhancement  $X(p\bar{p})$  in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$
- ◆ Results in the observations of  $X(1870)$  in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \omega(\eta\pi^+\pi^-)$  and  $X(1840)$  in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma 3(\pi^+\pi^-)$
- ◆ Are these states observed around  $1.8 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  from the same origin?
- ◆ Further investigations on different production and decay mechanisms, precise physical parameters measurement are necessary

Possible channels:  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma / \omega / \phi + \eta^{(*)}\pi\pi / K\bar{K}\eta / K\bar{K}\pi$

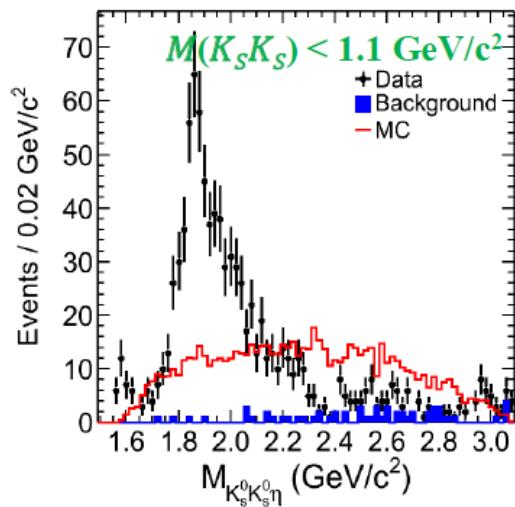
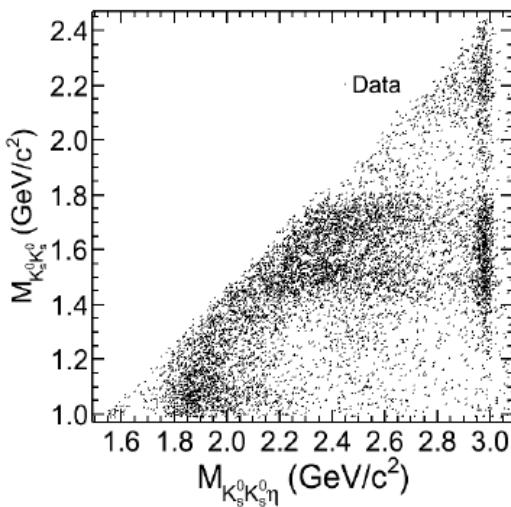
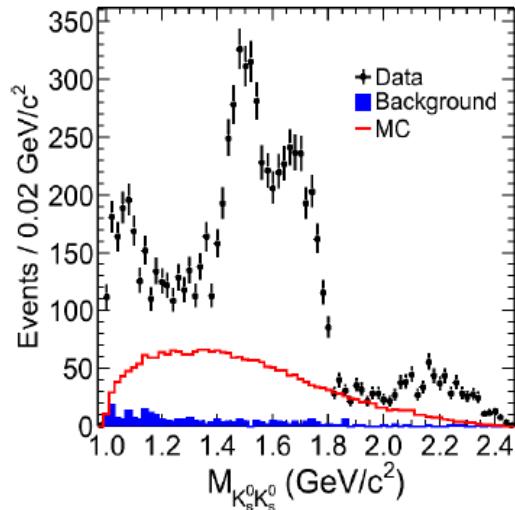
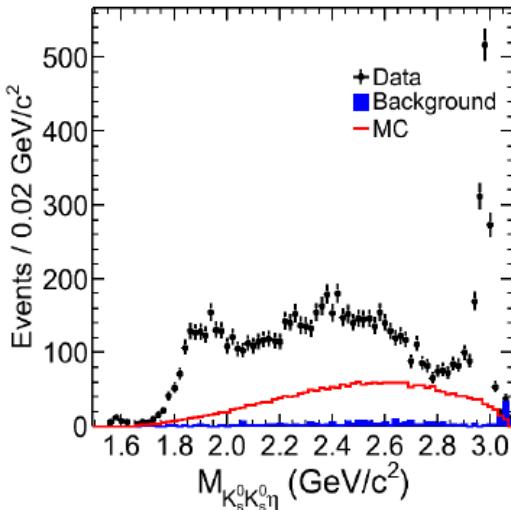


# Observation of X(1835) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma K_s K_s \eta$

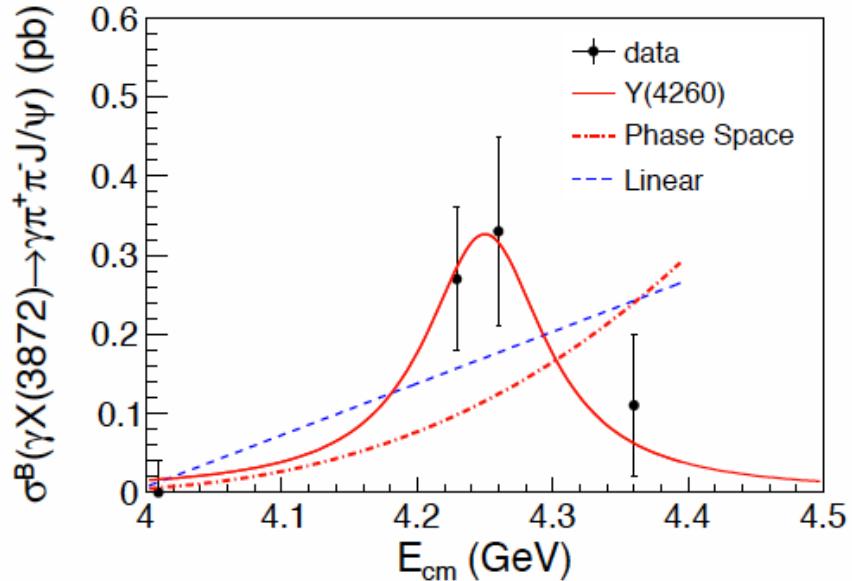
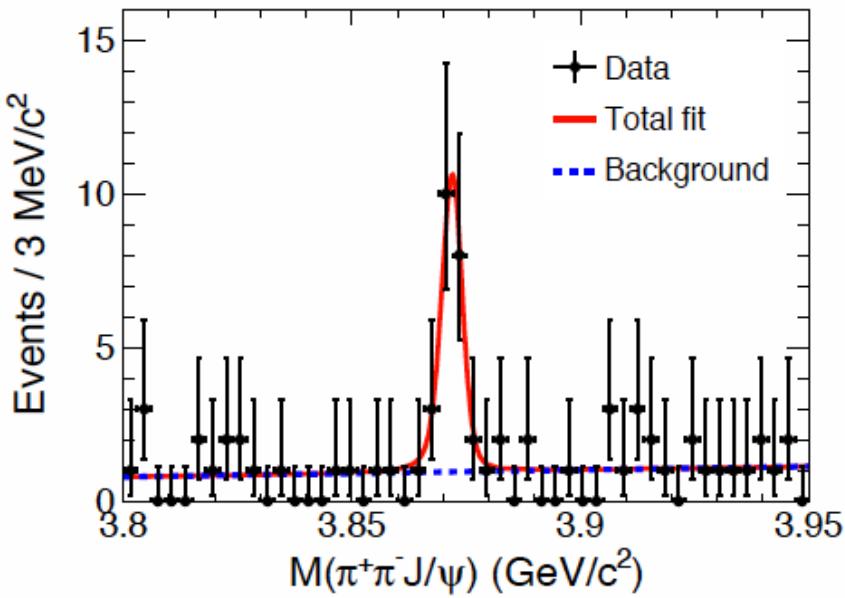
- Why this channel?
  - Unlike  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma K^+ K^- \eta$ , no background from two potential but forbidden channels of  $J/\psi \rightarrow K_s K_s \eta$  and  $J/\psi \rightarrow K_s K_s \eta \pi^0$
- Clear structure on mass spectrum of  $K_s K_s \eta$  around  $1.85 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- Strong correlation with the enhancement near  $K_s K_s$  mass threshold (interpreted as  $f_0(980)$ )
- Structure is enhanced for  $M(K_s K_s) < 1.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

1.3 billion  $J/\psi$  events

PRL 115, 091803 (2015)



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

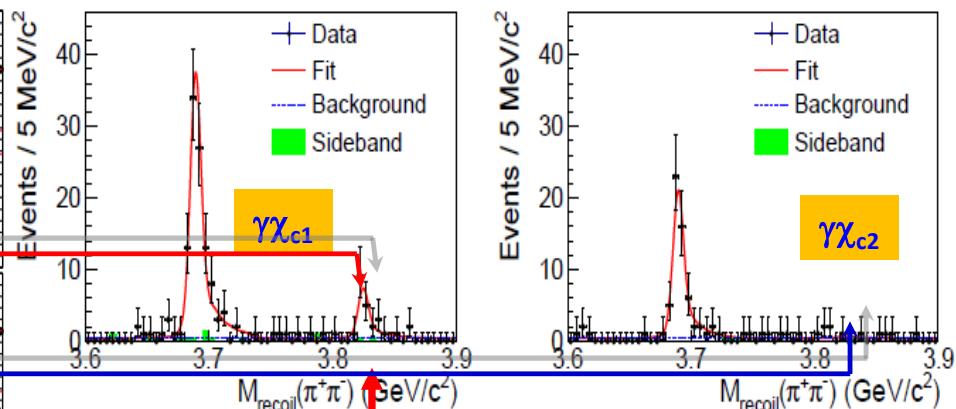
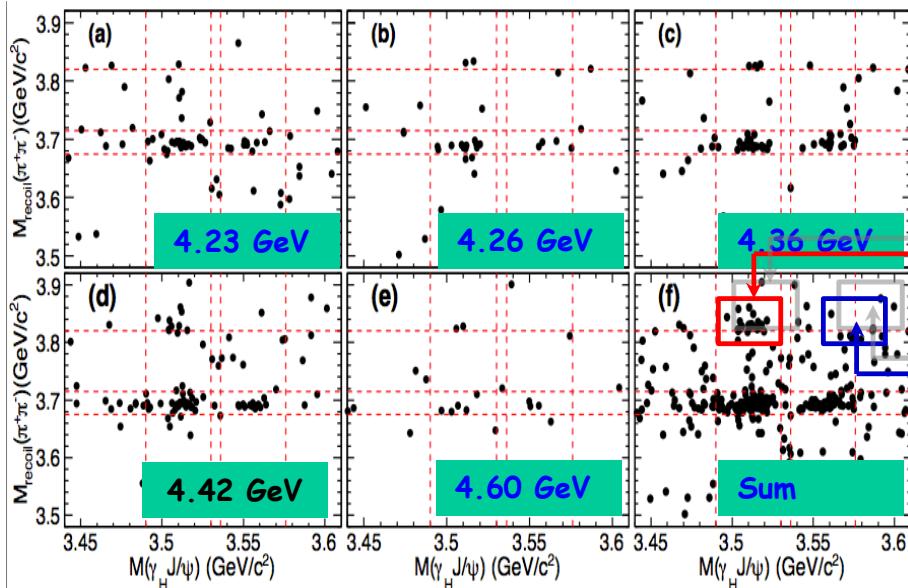


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- $M = (3871.9 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.2)$  MeV,  $\Gamma < 2.4$  MeV, Significance:  $6.3\sigma$
- production in  $Y(4260)$  decay suggestive, but not conclusive

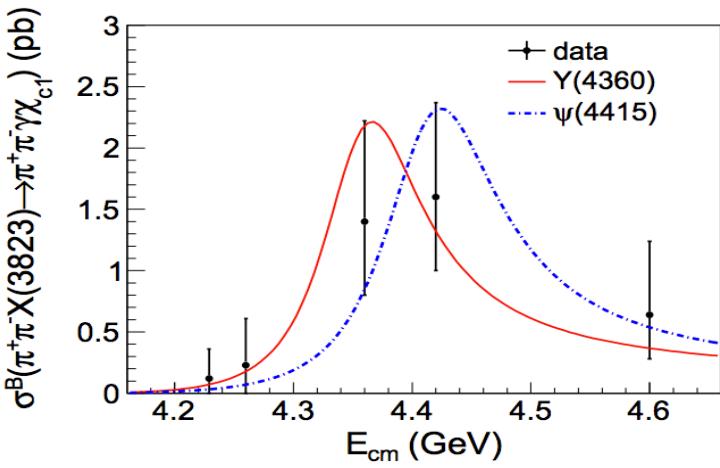
$$\frac{\mathcal{B}[Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)]}{\mathcal{B}(Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi)} = 0.1$$

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- X(3823) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\gamma\chi_{c1}$



Fit:  $M = 3821.7 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.7 \text{ MeV}$ ;  
Significance:  $6.7\sigma$ , observation

Phys. Rev. Lett. 91, 112015 (2015)



- Whether from  $\Upsilon(4360)$  or  $\psi(4415)$  decay
- Favor the  $\Upsilon(4360)$  ? [M. B. Voloshin, PRD 91, 114029 (2015)]
- $\Upsilon(4360) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- X(3823)$ ? New decay model of  $\Upsilon(4360)$ ?

# Good candidate for $\psi(1^3D_2)$

- Mass: D-wave  $\sim 3.810\text{-}3.840$  GeV by potential model.
- $X(3823)$  mass agree with  $\psi(1^3D_2)$  prediction.
- Width: narrow
- $X(3823)$  should be narrow ( $< 16$  MeV @ 90% C.L.).
- Production ratio:
- $R = B[X(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c2}] / B[X(3823) \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}] < 0.43$  @ 90% C.L.
- Agree with prediction  $R \sim 0.2$ .
- Exclusions:  $1^1D_2 \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}$  forbidden;  $1^3D_3 \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}$  amplitude=0.

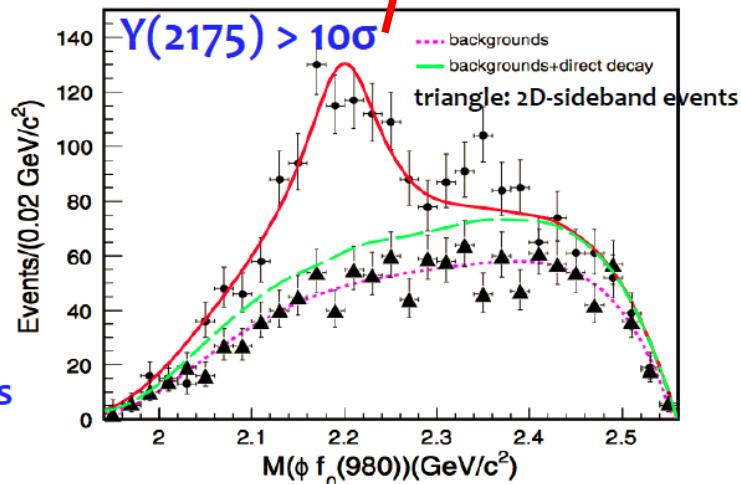
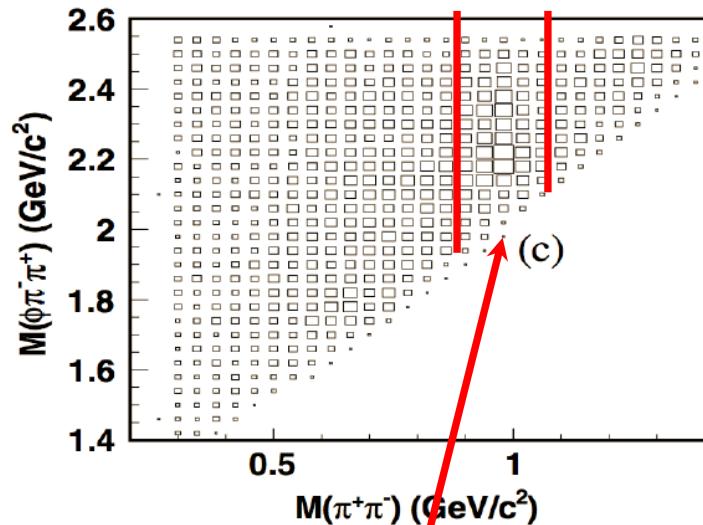
# The Y states (vectors)

# Study of $J/\psi \rightarrow \eta\phi\pi^+\pi^-$

PRD 91, 052017 (2015)

based on 0.225 billion  $J/\psi$  events

- $\Upsilon(2175)$  was observed by BABAR, then confirmed by BESII, BELLE and BABAR;
- Different interpretations have been proposed:  
 $s\bar{s}$ -gluon hybrid? excited  $\phi$  state?  
tetraquark state?  $\Lambda\bar{\Lambda}$  bound state?  
an ordinary  $\phi f_0(980)$  resonance produced by FSI?
- Confirmation and study of the  $\Upsilon(2175)$  with a large data sample is necessary for clarifying its nature.



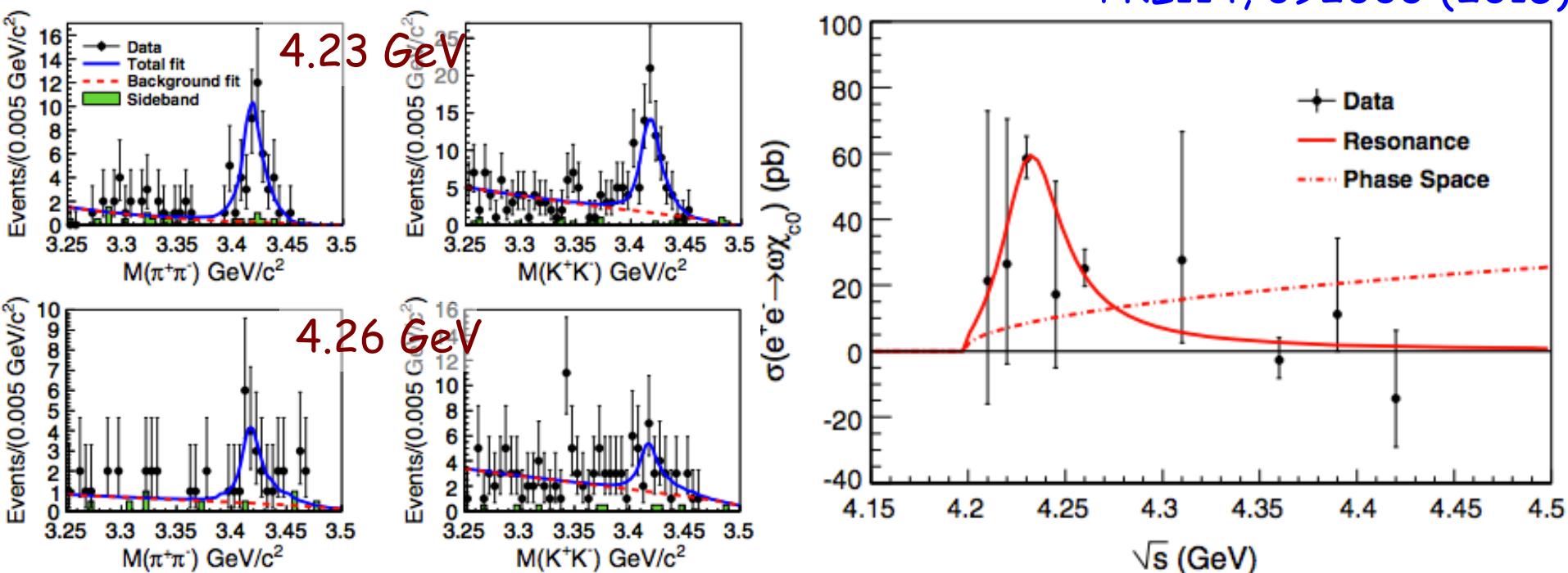
**Product branching fraction of**  
 $J/\psi \rightarrow \eta \Upsilon(2175)$ ,  $\Upsilon(2175) \rightarrow \phi f_0(980)$ ,  $f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi\pi$  is measured to be:  $(1.20 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.37) \times 10^{-4}$

**Mass and width are in agreement with previous measurements**

Collaboration	Process	$M$ ( $\text{MeV}/c^2$ )	$\Gamma$ ( $\text{MeV}$ )
BABAR [2]	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi f_0$ (ISR)	$2175 \pm 10 \pm 15$	$58 \pm 16 \pm 20$
BESII [3]	$J/\psi \rightarrow \eta\phi f_0(980)$	$2186 \pm 10 \pm 6$	$65 \pm 23 \pm 17$
BELLE [4]	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi f_0$ (ISR)	$2079 \pm 13^{+79}_{-28}$	$192 \pm 23^{+25}_{-61}$
BABAR (updated) [5]	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi f_0$ (ISR)	$2172 \pm 10 \pm 8$	$96 \pm 19 \pm 12$
BESIII	$J/\psi \rightarrow \eta\phi f_0(980)$	$2200 \pm 6 \pm 5$	$104 \pm 15 \pm 15$

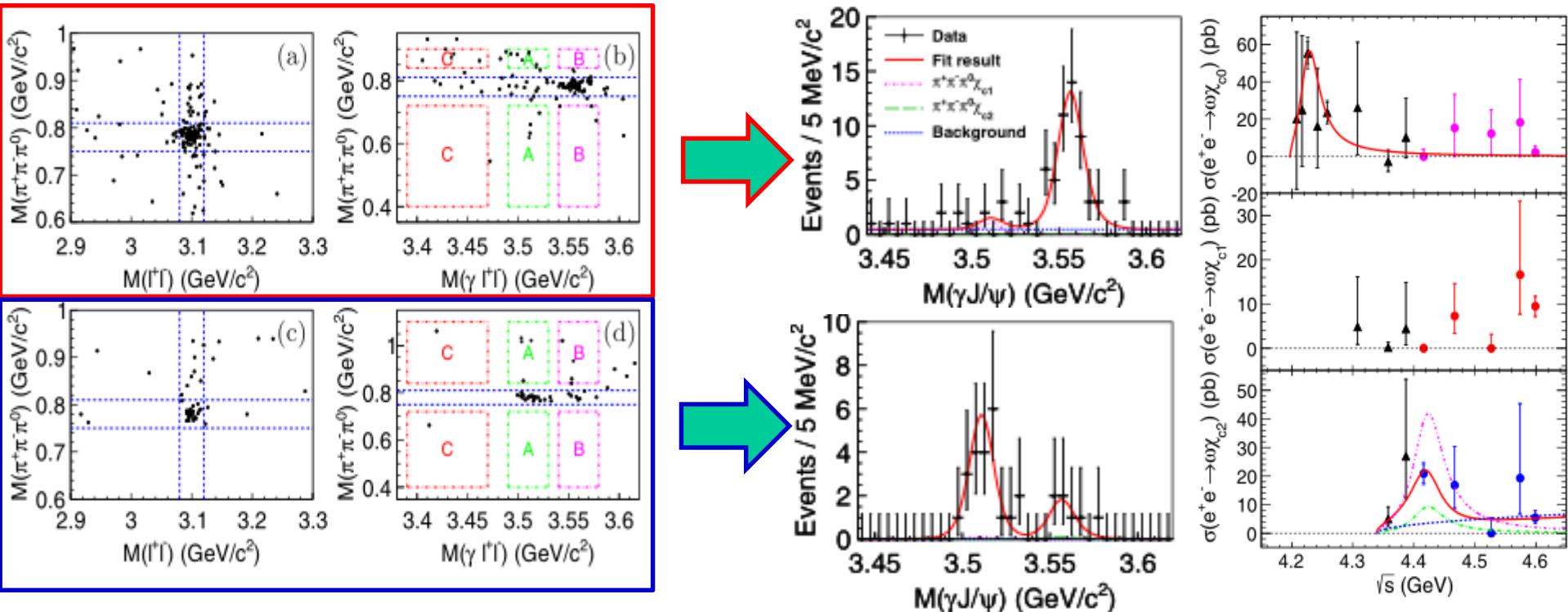
# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c0}$ [Y(4230)?]

PRL114, 092003 (2015)



- Using scan data over 4.21 and 4.42 GeV,  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c0}$  are significant @  $E_{cm}=4.23$  & 4.26 GeV.
- Cross section peak near 4.23 GeV, fit with BW yields Mass= $(4230 \pm 8 \pm 6)$  MeV, Width= $(38 \pm 12 \pm 2)$  MeV.
- A new structure? Tetraquark [PRD 91, 117501 (2015)]?  
Threshold effect?

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c1,2}$ ( $\sqrt{s}=4.42, 4.6$ GeV)



- Clear  $\chi_{c2}, \chi_{c1}$  are observed at  $\sqrt{s}=4.42, 4.6$  GeV, respectively
- The Born cross section have been measured for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c1,2}$
- $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c2})$  is fitted with the coherent sum of the  $\psi(4415)$  BW function and a phase-space term. Two solutions are obtained: ..... constructive, --- destructive

# No significant $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma Y(4140)$

Upper limit at the 90% C.L. for  $\sigma^B \cdot \mathcal{B} = \sigma^B(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma Y(4140)) \cdot \mathcal{B}(Y(4140) \rightarrow \phi J/\psi)$

(GeV)	Luminosity (pb <sup>-1</sup> )	N <sup>obs</sup>	cross section (pb)
4.23	1094	0.840	<0.35
4.26	827	0.847	<0.28
4.36	545	0.944	<0.33

Systematic uncertainty is considered.

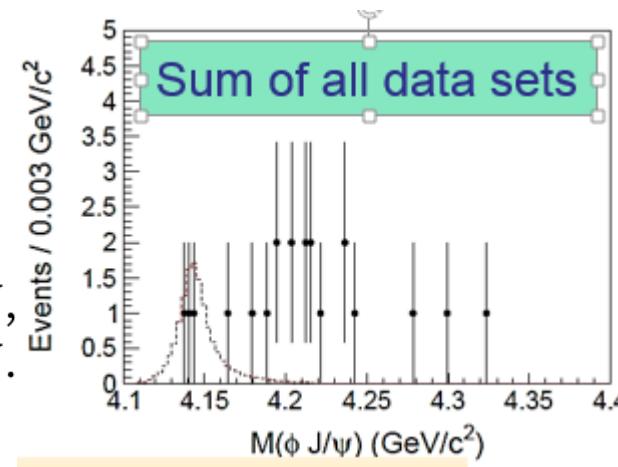
Compared with  $X(3872)$  production. PRL 112, 092001

$$\begin{aligned} & \sigma^B(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)) \cdot \mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi) \\ &= 0.27 \pm 0.09(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{syst}) \text{ pb at } \sqrt{s} = 4.23 \text{ GeV}, \\ &= 0.33 \pm 0.12(\text{stat}) \pm 0.02(\text{syst}) \text{ pb at } \sqrt{s} = 4.26 \text{ GeV}. \end{aligned}$$

Take  $\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-J/\psi) = 5\%$ . arXiv: 0910.3138

And  $\mathcal{B}(Y(4140) \rightarrow \phi J/\psi) = 30\%$ , molecular calculation, PRD 80, 054019.

$$\frac{\sigma^B(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma Y(4140))}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X(3872))} \leq 0.1 \text{ at } \sqrt{s} = 4.23 \text{ and } 4.26 \text{ GeV.}$$



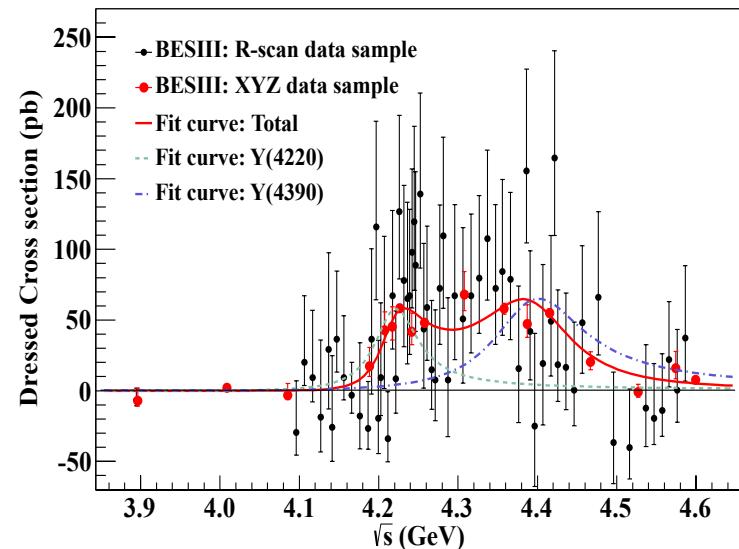
# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- h_c$ line-shape

$$\sigma(m) = \left| B_1(m) \sqrt{\frac{P(m)}{P(M_1)}} + e^{i\phi} B_2(m) \sqrt{\frac{P(m)}{P(M_2)}} \right|^2$$

$B_i(m)$ : constant width Breit-Wigner function

$P(m)$ : 3-body phase space factor

$f$ : relative phase between two resonances

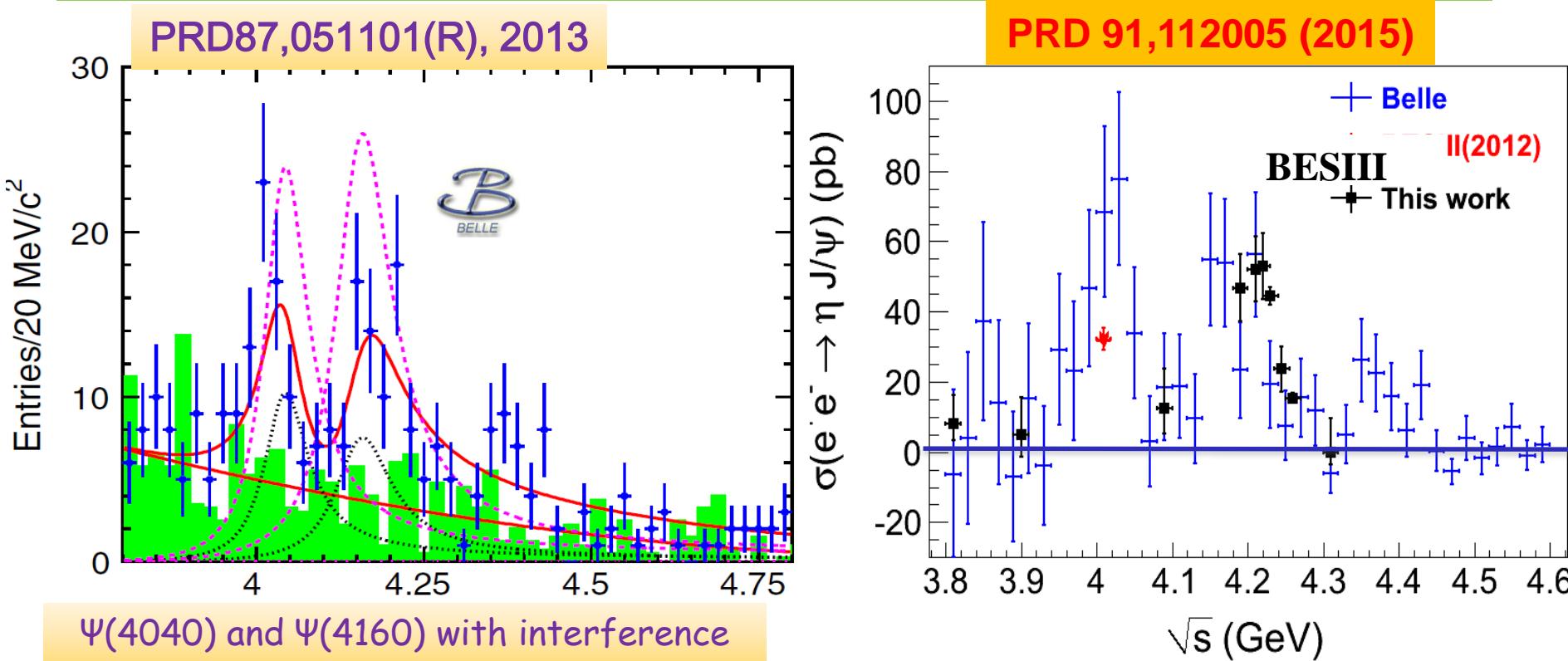


**significance of two structures  
assumption over one structure**

**> 10.0 $\sigma$**

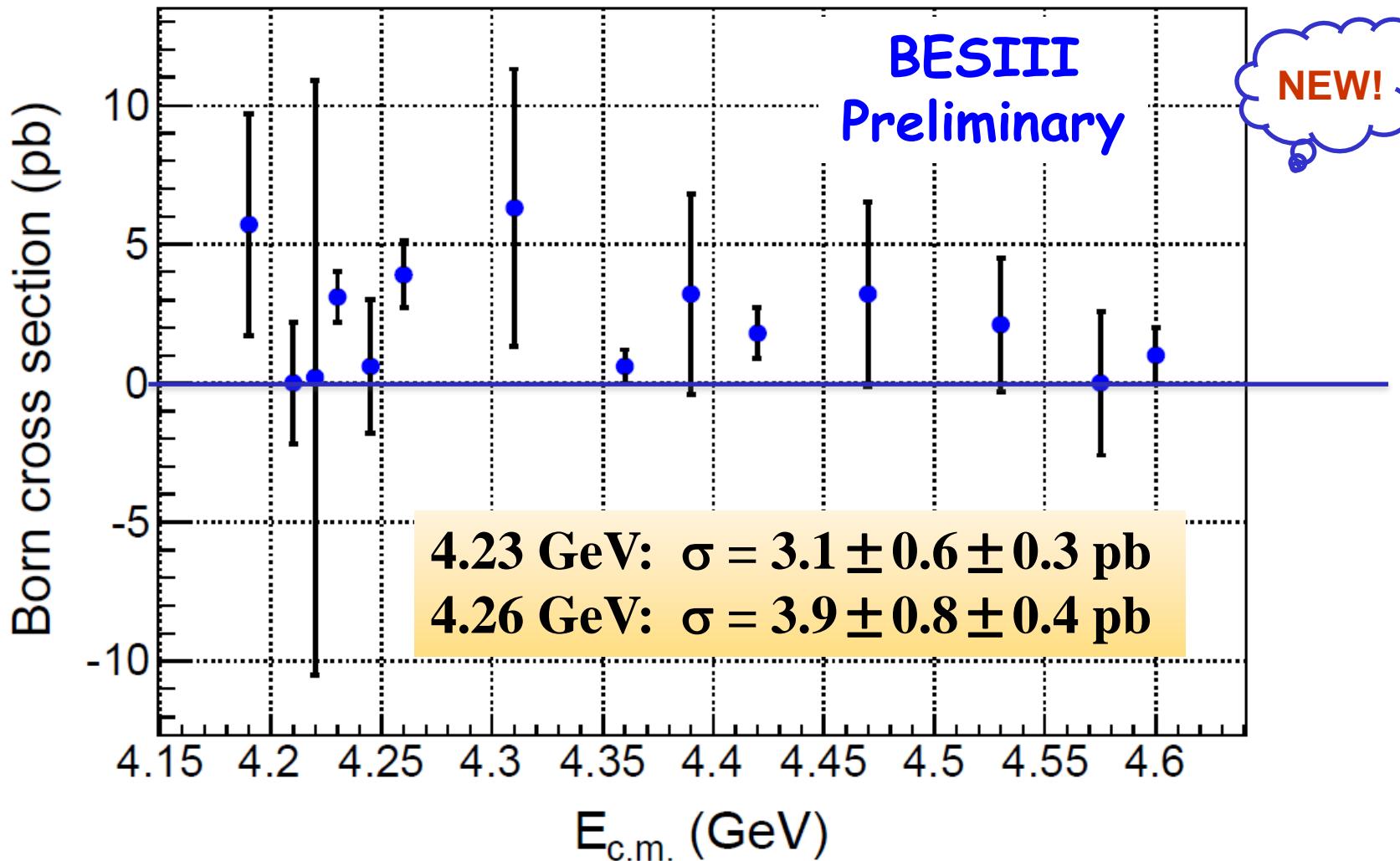
	M (MeV)	$\Gamma_{\text{tot}}$ (MeV)	$\Gamma_{ee} \cdot \text{Br}$ (eV)	$\phi$ (rad)
Y(4220)	$4218.4 \pm 4.0 \pm 0.9$	$66.0 \pm 9.0 \pm 0.4$	$4.6 \pm 4.1 \pm 0.8$	--
Y(4390)	$4391.6 \pm 6.3 \pm 1.0$	$139.5 \pm 16.1 \pm 0.6$	$11.8 \pm 9.7 \pm 1.9$	$3.1 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.2$

# Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta J/\psi$



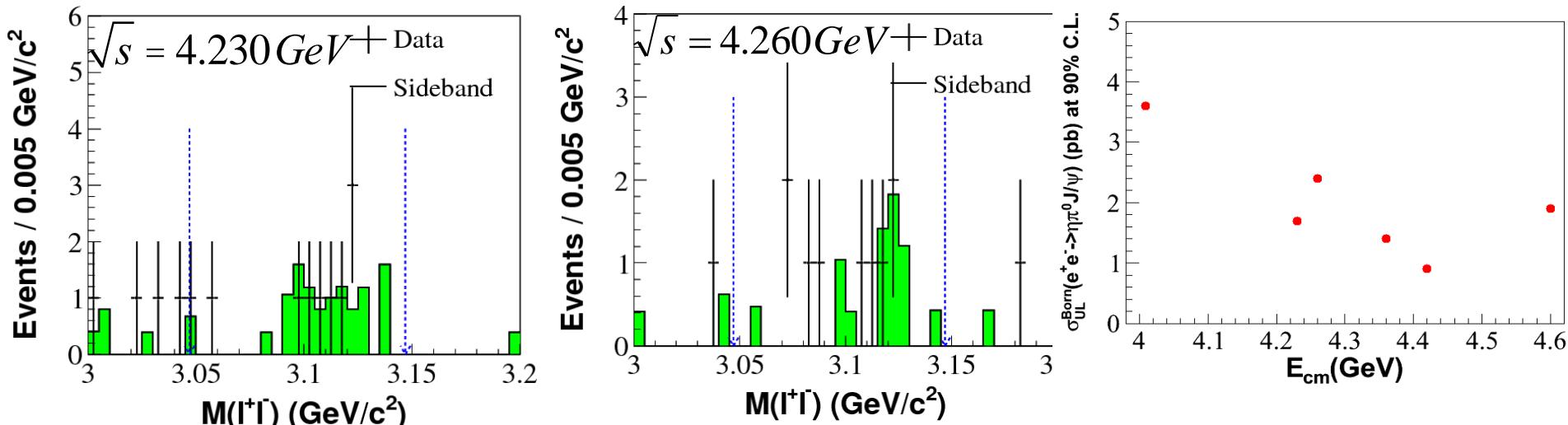
- Agree with previous results with improved precision
- The cross section peaks around 4.2 GeV
- Analysis of high energy points underway at BESIII

# Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta' J/\psi$



- First observation, cannot tell the line shape due to statistics

# Isospin violation $Y(4260) \rightarrow \pi^0 \eta J/\psi$

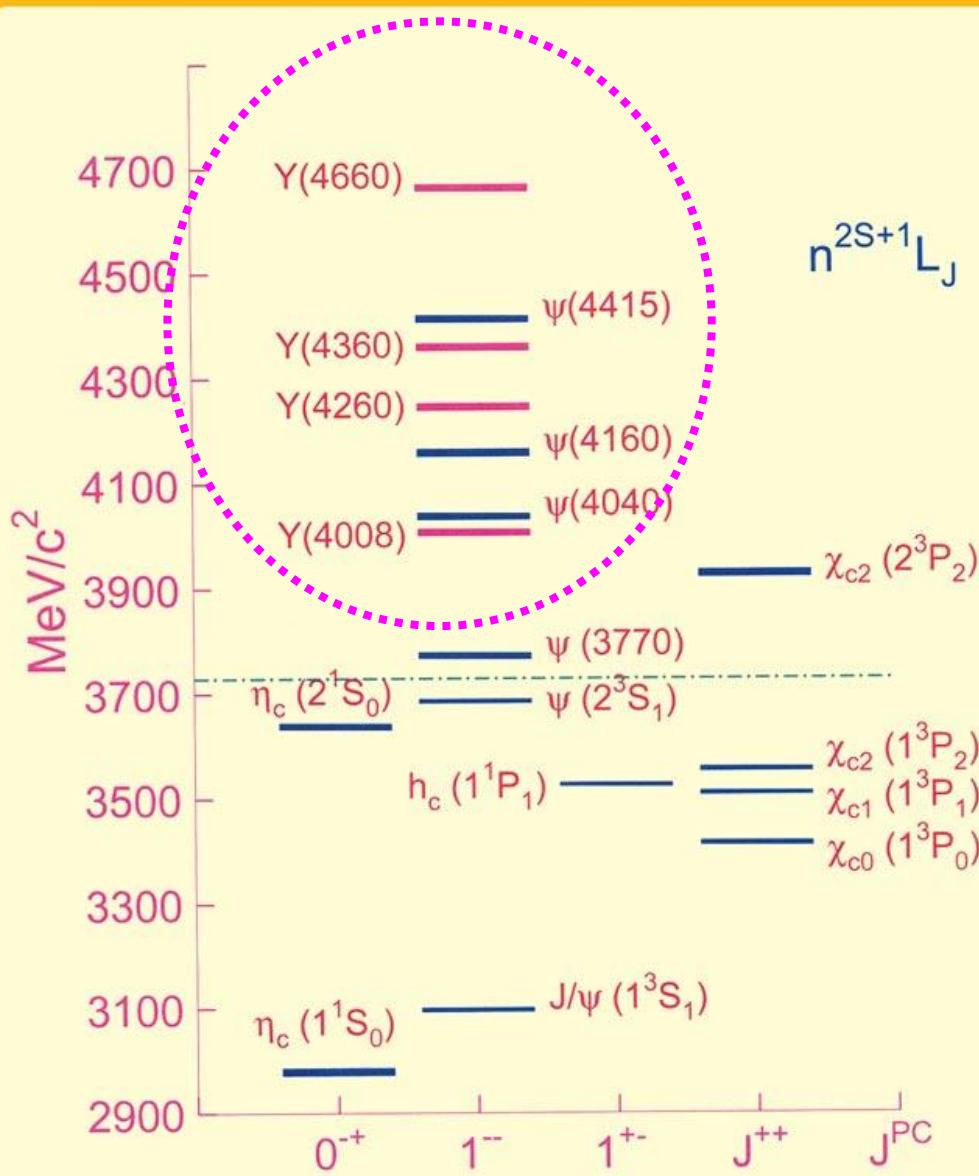


No significant signal observed with current BESIII data !  
Can not provide effective constraint to models...

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$\sqrt{s}$ (GeV)	$\mathcal{L}$ ( $\text{pb}^{-1}$ )	$(1+\delta^r)$	$(1+\delta^v)$	$(\epsilon^{ee} Br^{ee} + \epsilon^{\mu\mu} Br^{\mu\mu})$ (%)	$N^{obs}$	$N^{bkg}$	$N^{up}$	$\sigma_{UL}^{\text{Born}}$ (pb)
4.009	482	0.838	1.044	$2.1 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	5	1	598.1	3.6
4.230	1007	0.844	1.056	$2.2 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	12	11	592.9	1.7
4.260	804	0.847	1.054	$2.2 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	12	8	654.1	2.4
4.360	523	0.942	1.051	$2.2 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	5	4	283.2	1.4
4.420	1023	0.951	1.053	$2.3 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	5	6	342.7	0.9
4.600	567	0.965	1.055	$2.4 \pm 0.1(\text{sys.})$	6	3	418.4	1.9

# What are the Y states?



- Between 4 and 4.7 GeV, at most 5 states expected (3S, 2D, 4S, 3D, 5S), 7 observed
- Hybrids are expected in this mass region
- Molecular states?
- Cannot rule out threshold effect/FSI/...
- The Ys are all narrow and similar
- $\pi^+\pi^-h_c$ ,  $\omega\chi_c$ , ... add complexity

# The Z<sub>c</sub> states

# Discovery of $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$

$Z_c(3900)^{+}$ :

$$m = (3899.0 \pm 3.6 \pm 4.9) \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\Gamma = (46 \pm 10 \pm 20) \text{ MeV}$$

Mass close to  $D\bar{D}^*$  threshold

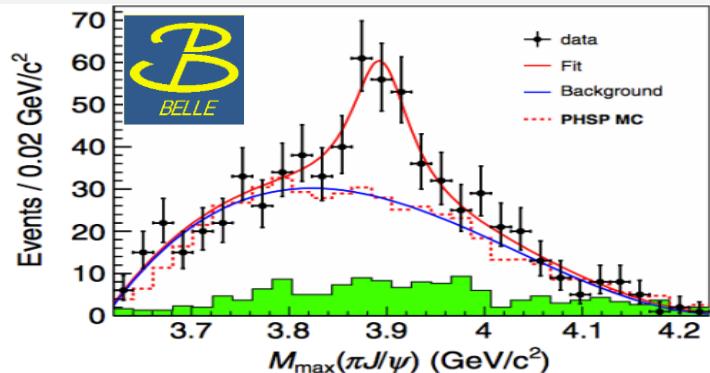
Decays to  $J/\psi \rightarrow$  contains  $c\bar{c}$

Electric charge  $\rightarrow$  contains  $u\bar{d}$

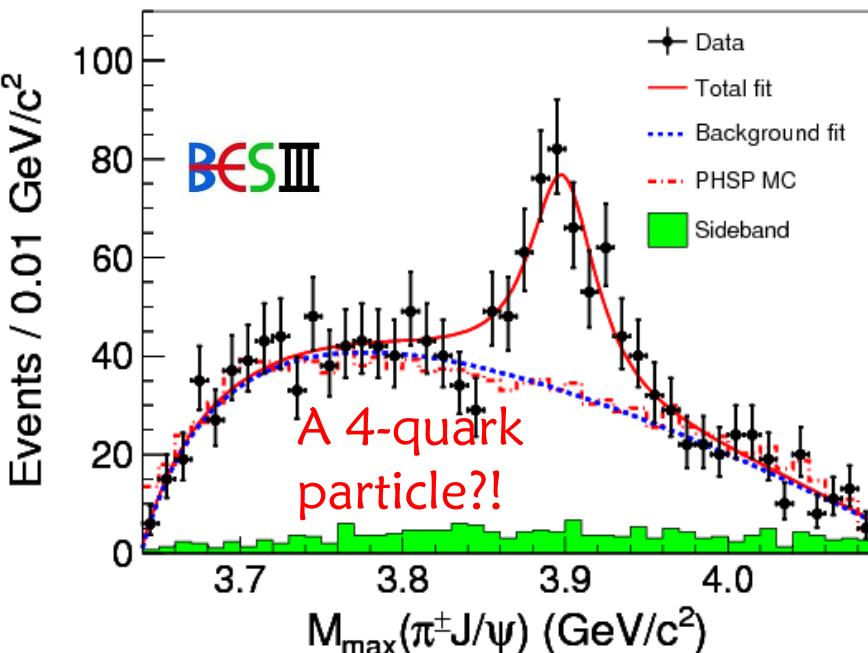
$$\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi] = 62.9 \pm 1.9 \pm 3.7 \text{ pb at } 4.26 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\frac{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^\pm Z_c(3900)^\mp \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi]}{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi]} = (21.5 \pm 3.3 \pm 7.5)\% \text{ at } 4.26 \text{ GeV}$$

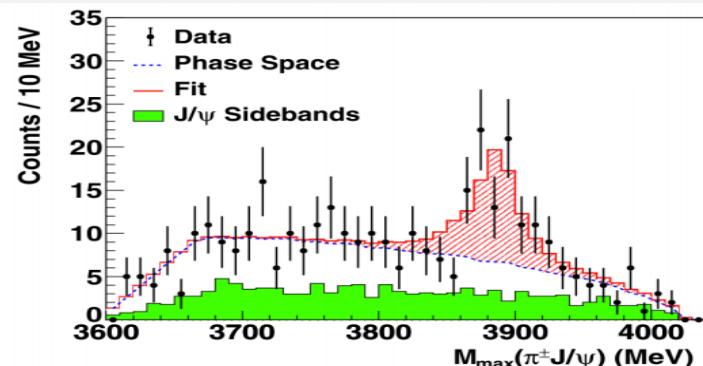
Belle with ISR data (PRL 110, 252002)



BESIII: PRL 110, 252001 (2013)

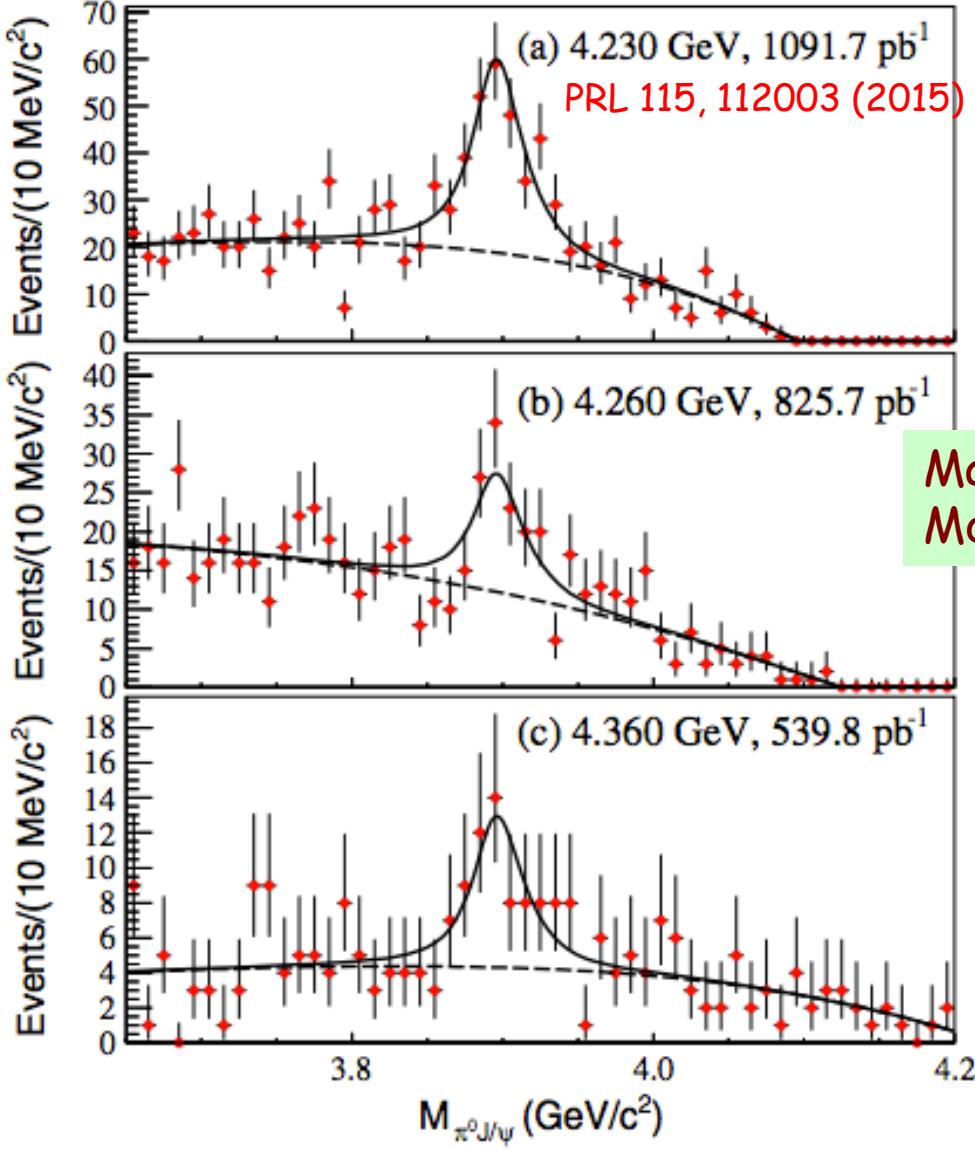


CLEOc data at 4.17 GeV (PLB 727, 366)



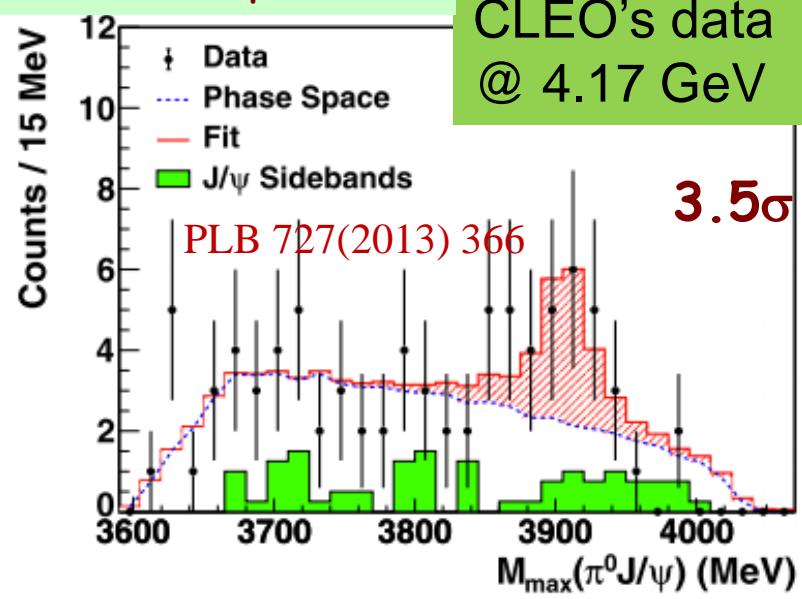
# Neutral isospin partner: $Z_c(3900)^0$

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



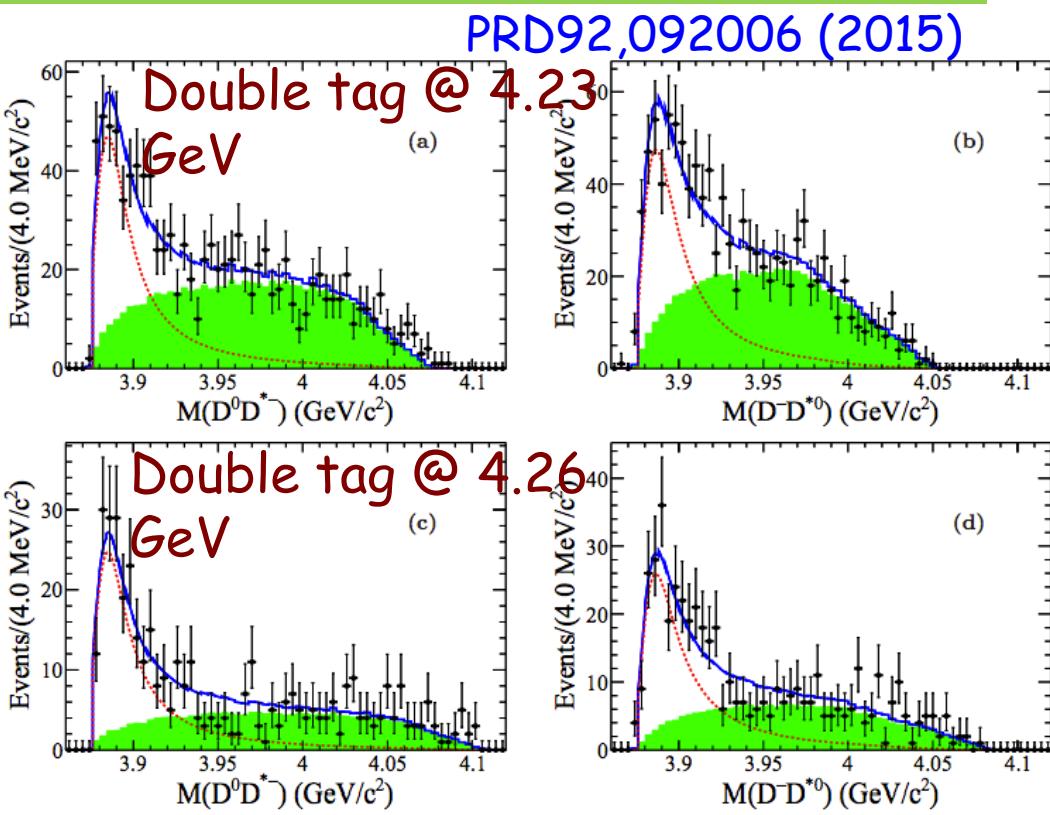
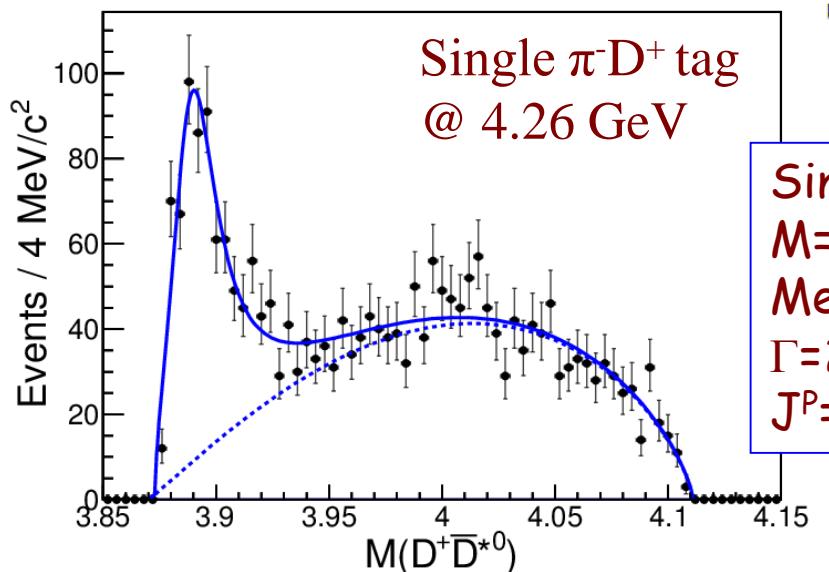
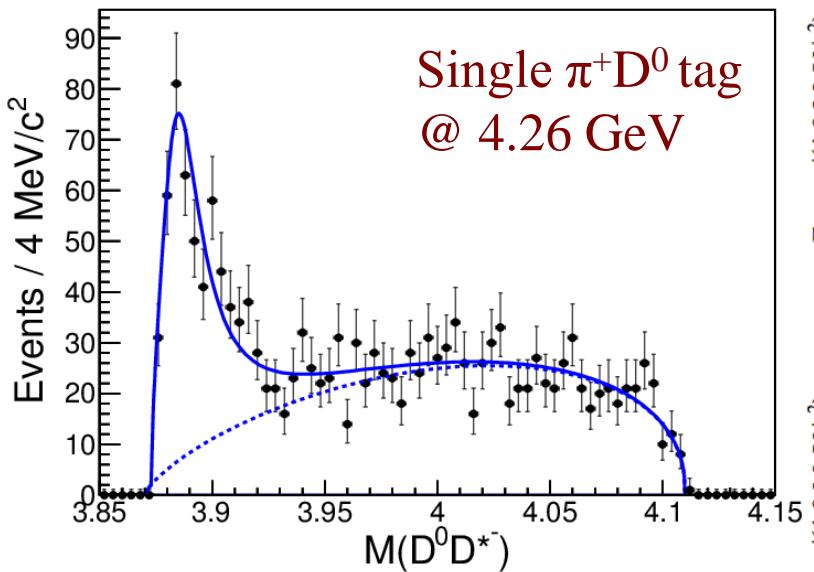
A neutral structure on  $\pi^0 J/\psi$  invariant mass is observed !  
 An iso-spin triplet is established !  
 $M = 3894.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 3.2 \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Gamma = 29.6 \pm 8.2 \pm 8.2 \text{ MeV}$   
 Significance =  $10.4\sigma$

Mass near DD\* threshold  
 Molecules? Tetraquark?



# $e^+e^- \rightarrow (D\bar{D}^*)^+\pi^- + c.c.$

PRL 112, 022001 (2014)

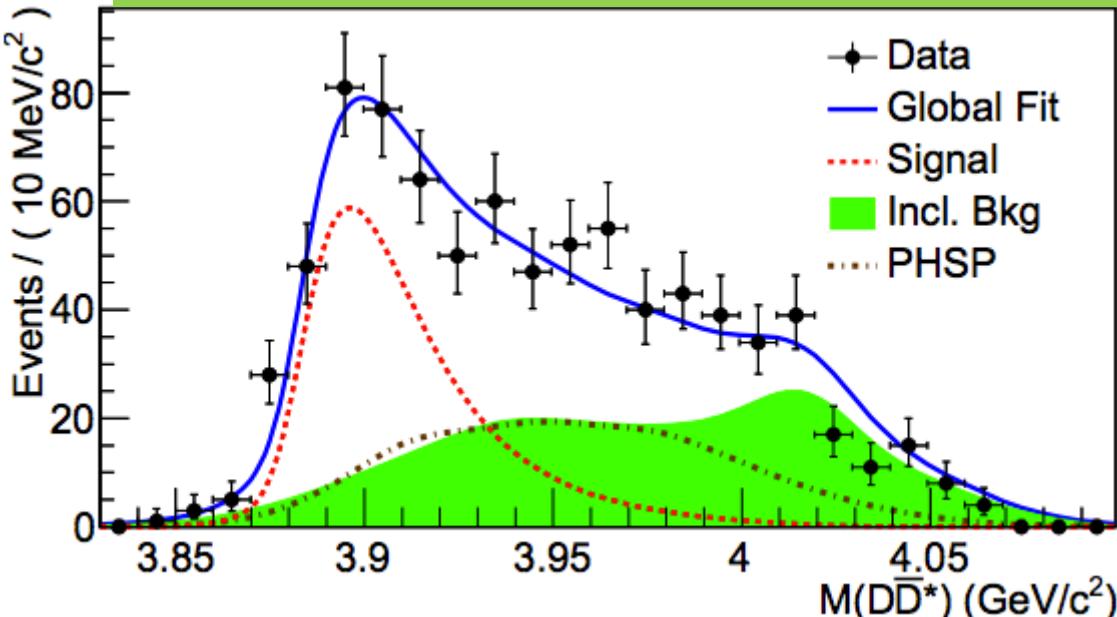


Single tag  
 $M=3883.9 \pm 1.5 \pm 4.2$   
MeV  
 $\Gamma=24.8 \pm 3.3 \pm 11.0$  MeV  
 $J^P=1^+$

Double tag  
 $M=3881.7 \pm 1.6 \pm 2.1$   
MeV  
 $\Gamma=26.6 \pm 2.0 \pm 2.3$  MeV  
 $J^P=1^+$

Good agreement between ST & DT method  
 $Z_c(3900)$  vs.  $Z_c(3885) \rightarrow$  Same resonance ?!

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow (DD^*)^0\pi^0 + c.c.$



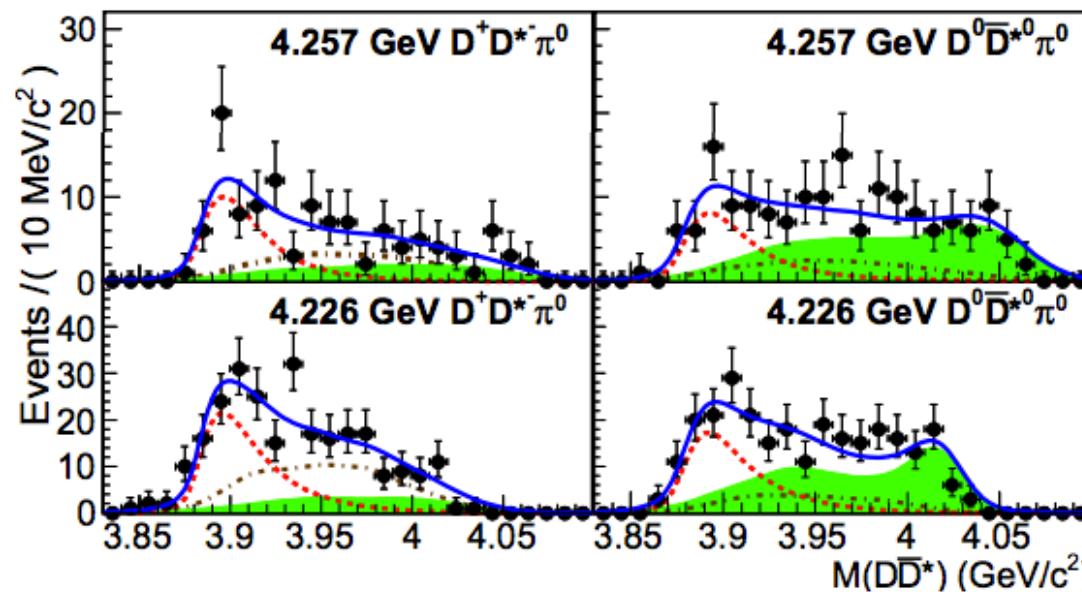
PRL 115, 222002 (2015)

Partial reconstruction method - Single tag

$$M = 3885.7^{+4.3}_{-5.7} \pm 8.4 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma = 35^{+11}_{-12} \pm 15 \text{ MeV}$$

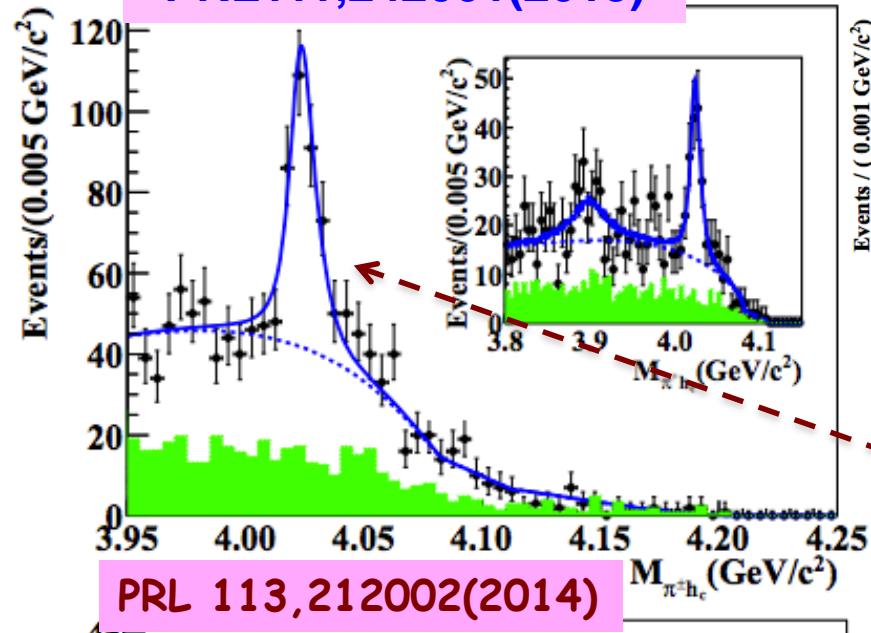
Significance:  $> 10\sigma$



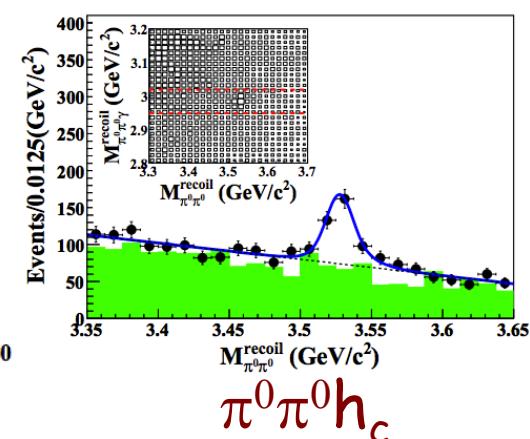
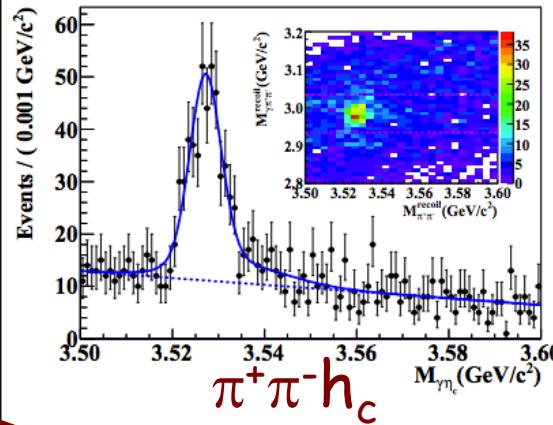
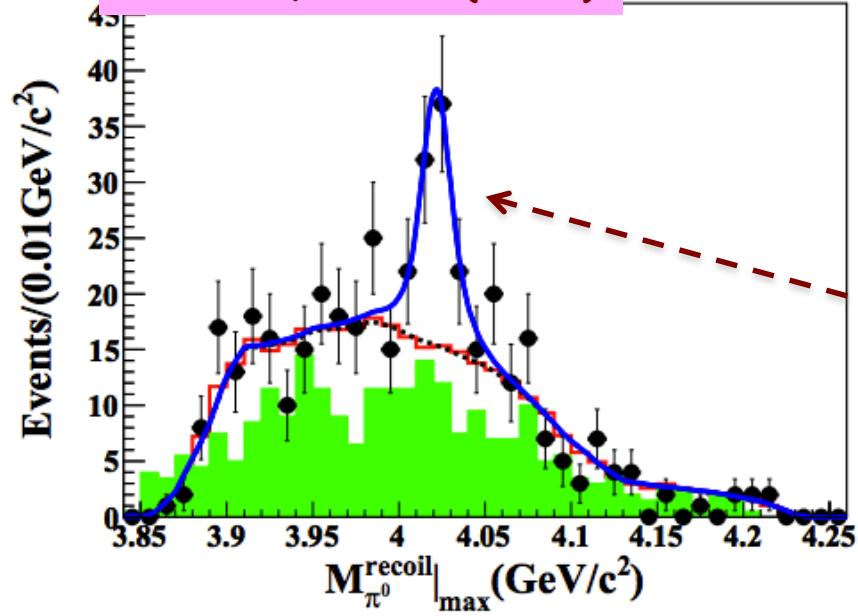
- Good agreement between neutral state and charged state
- An iso-spin triplet established in  $DD^*$  channel
- Might be same as  $Z_c(3900)$
- Molecule state? Tetraquark?

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- h_c$ & $\pi^0\pi^0 h_c$

PRL111,242001(2013)



PRL 113, 212002(2014)



Charged  $Z_c(4020)^{\pm}$

Mass =  $(4022.9 \pm 0.8 \pm 2.7)$  MeV

Width =  $(7.9 \pm 2.7 \pm 2.6)$  MeV

Significance:  $>8.9\sigma$

Neutral  $Z_c(4020)^0$

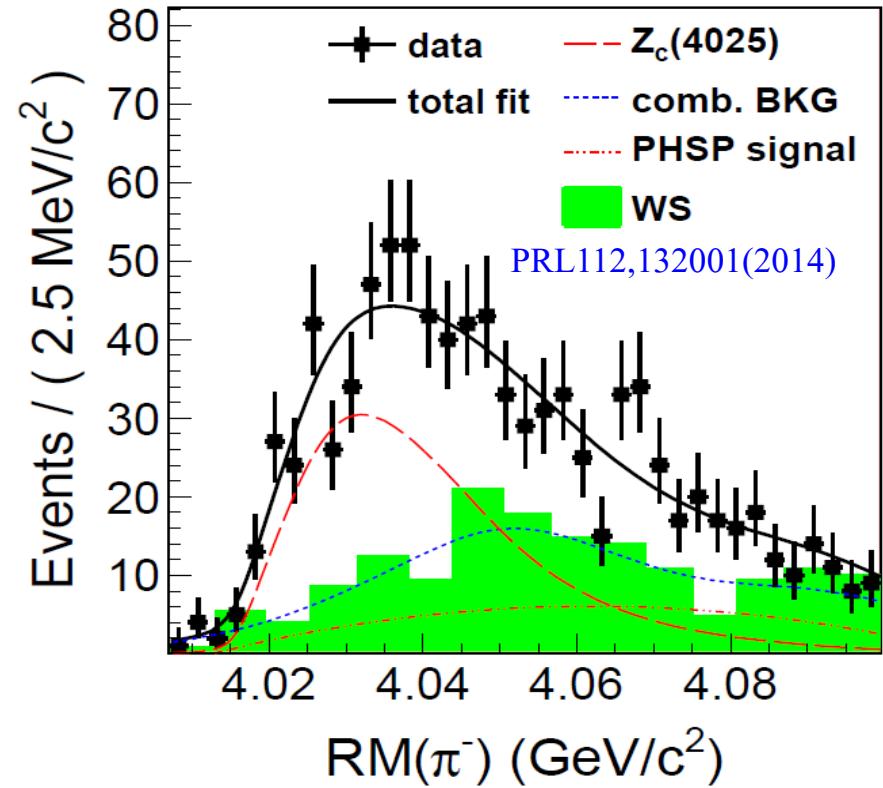
Mass =  $(4023.9 \pm 2.2 \pm 3.8)$  MeV

Width: fixed to charged partner

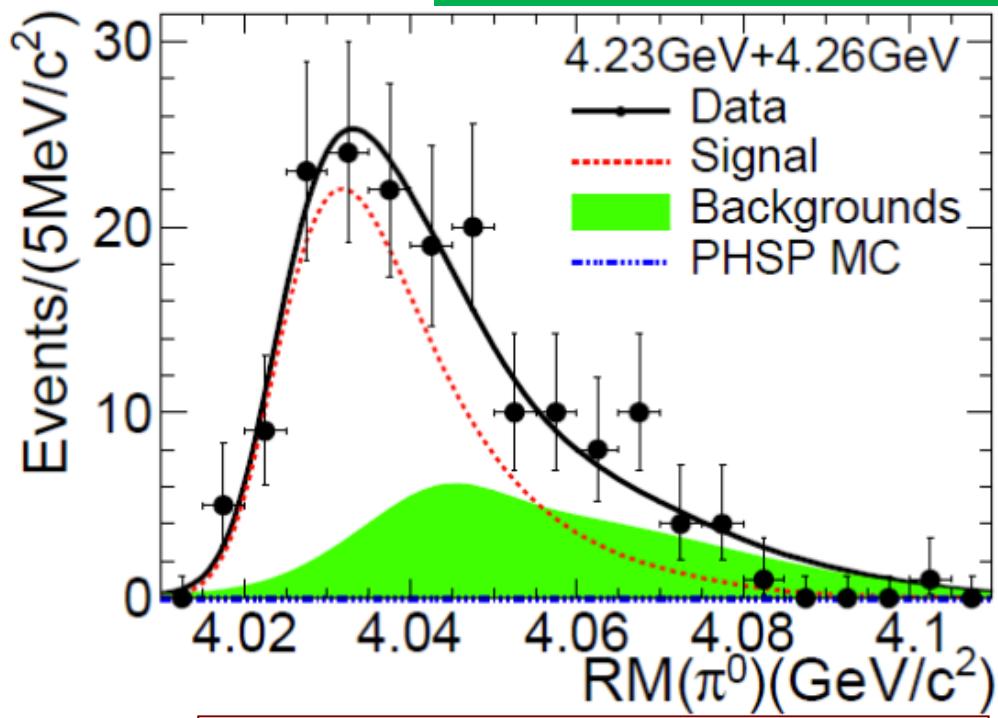
Significance:  $5\sigma$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^-(D^*D^*)^+/\pi^0(D^*D^*)^0 + \text{c.c.}$$

PRL 115, 182002 (2015)



Charged  $Z_c(4025)$ :  
 $M = (4026.3 \pm 2.6 \pm 3.7) \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Gamma = (24.8 \pm 5.6 \pm 7.7) \text{ MeV}$   
Significance:  $>10\sigma$



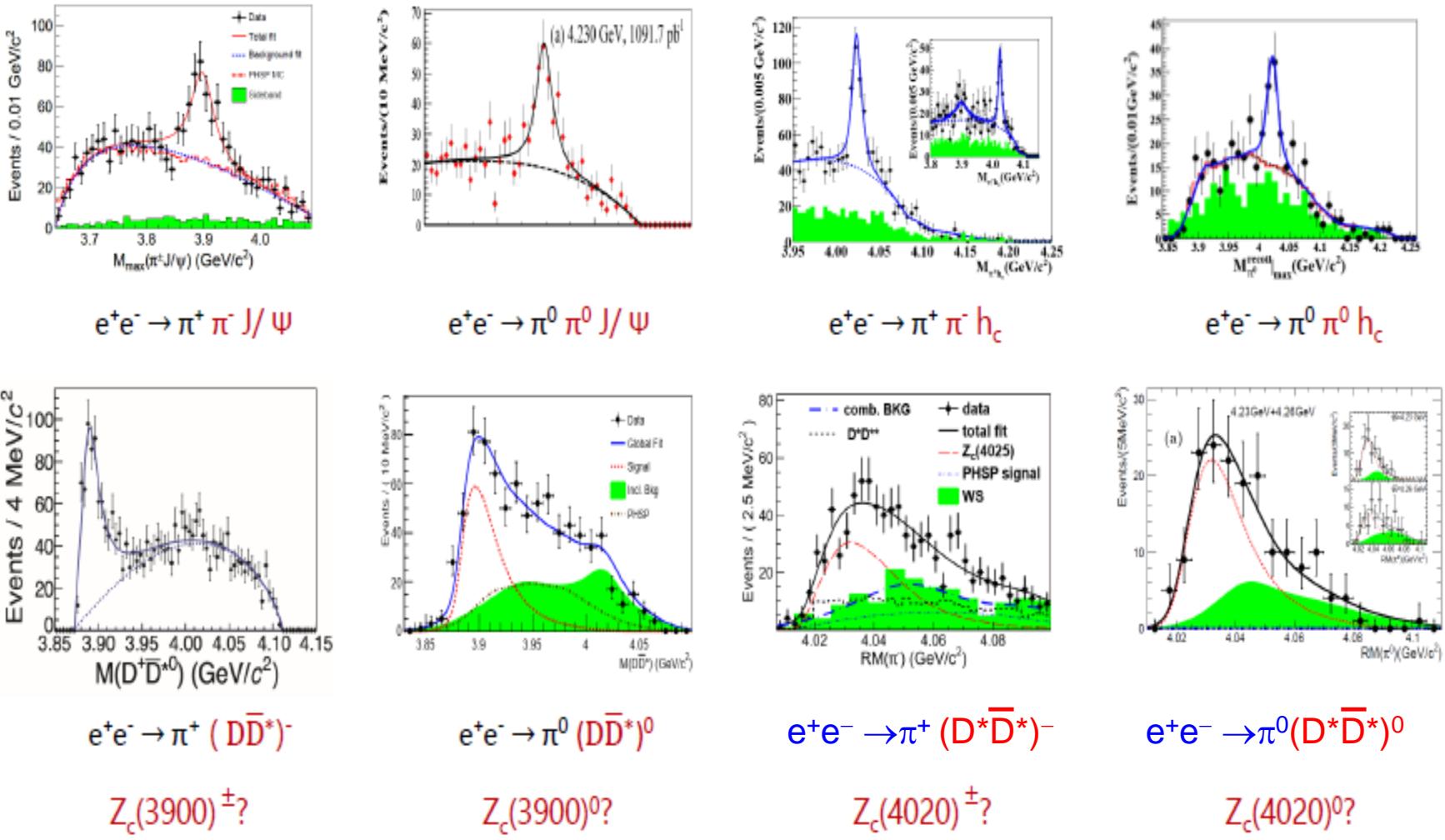
Agrees !

Neutral  $Z_c(4025)^0$ :  
 $M = (4025.5^{+2.0}_{-4.7} \pm 3.1) \text{ MeV}$   
 $\Gamma = (23.0 \pm 6.0 \pm 1.0) \text{ MeV}$   
Significance:  $>5.9\sigma$

New isospin triplet?

$Z_c(4025)$  and  $Z_c(4020)$  have similar mass, but different width.

# Summary $Z_c$ states at BESIII

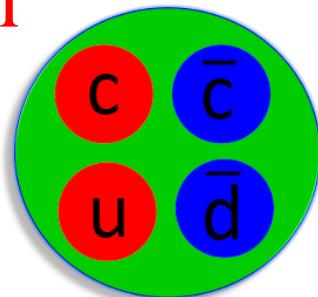


# What's the nature of these Z states?

- At least 4 quarks, not a conventional meson
- Tetraquark state? →

Phys. Rev. D87,125018(2013); Phys. Rev. D88, 074506(2013);

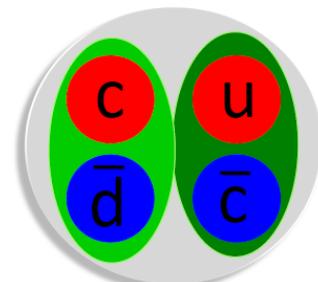
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- $D^{(*)} \bar{D}^{(*)}$  molecule state? →

Phys. Rev. Lett. 111, 132003 (2013); Phys. Rev. D 89, 094026 (2014)

Phys. Rev. D 89, 074029 (2014); Phys. Rev. D 88, 074506 (2013); etc



- FSI?
- Cusp?
- ...

# We found more questions to answer

- In the X sector
  - Where the X(3872) & X(3823) come from? Resonance decays or continuum production?
  - May other X states be produced and where?
- In the Y/ $\psi$  sector
  - Is the Y(4260) a single resonance?
  - What is hidden behind  $\pi\pi h_c$ ? Large coupling to spin-singlet, is a hybrid state observed?
  - Correlation between charm production & charmonium transitions?
  - May we observe the charmonium  $3^3D_1$  state at  $\sim 4.5$  GeV?
- In the Z sector
  - Are the  $Z_c$  and  $Z_c'$  from resonance decays or continuum prod.?
  - Are there excited  $Z_c$  states and  $Z_{cs}$  states [ $D^*D_s$  or  $DD_s^*$ ]?

# Summary

- BESIII produces significant XYZ results...
- X & Y states are difficult to distinguish from normal meson, charged  $Z_c$  states provide solid evidence.
- Many neutral  $Z_c$  partners are observed, the corresponding isospin triplets are established.
- Quark composition for  $Z_c$  is still puzzling.
- More results are coming, we would finally understand them.

Thank you (谢谢)!