



Recent results from Belle

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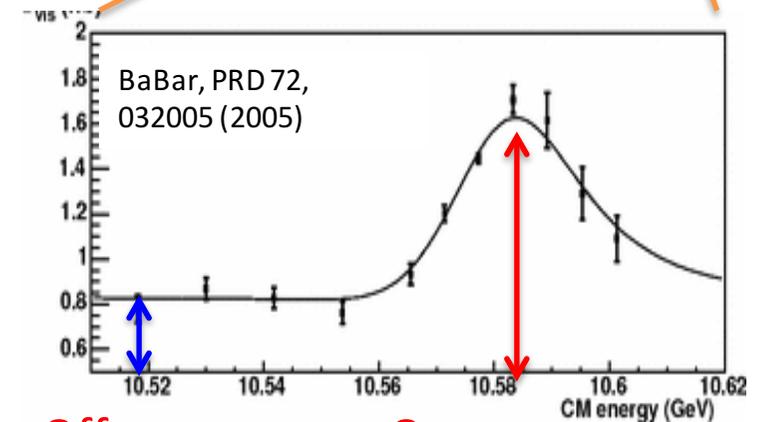
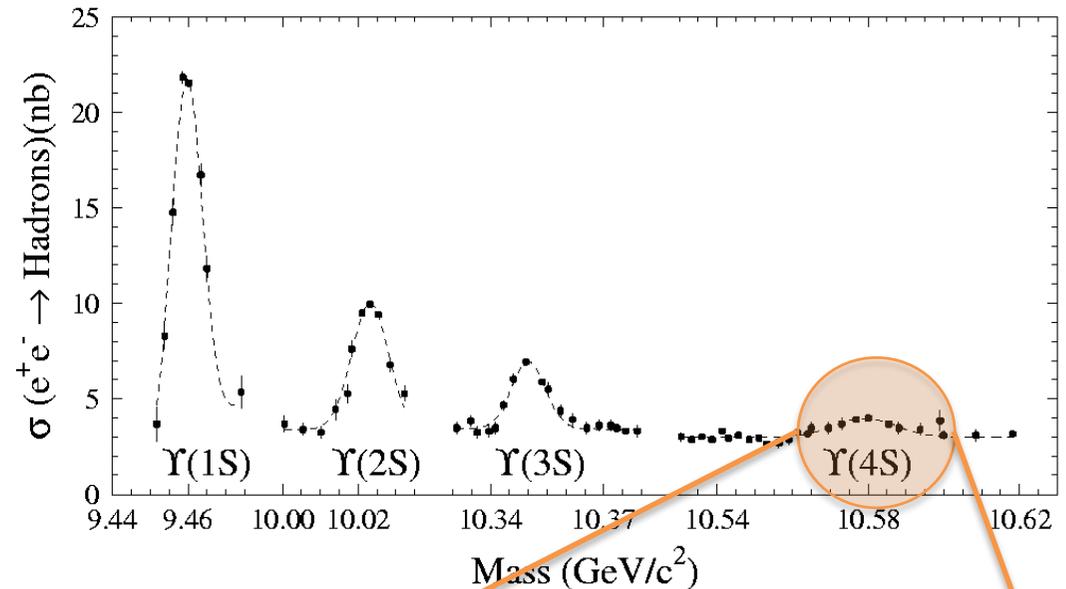


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The B Factories

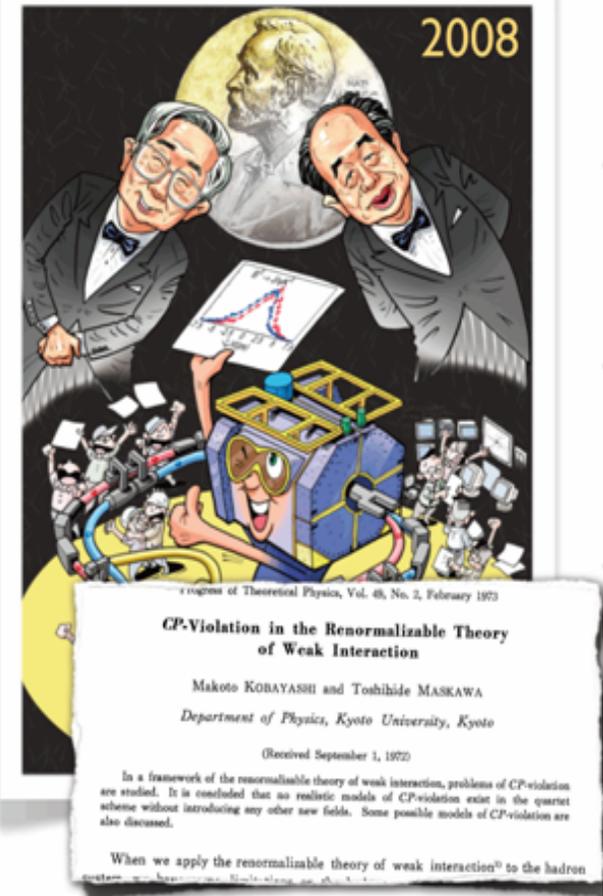
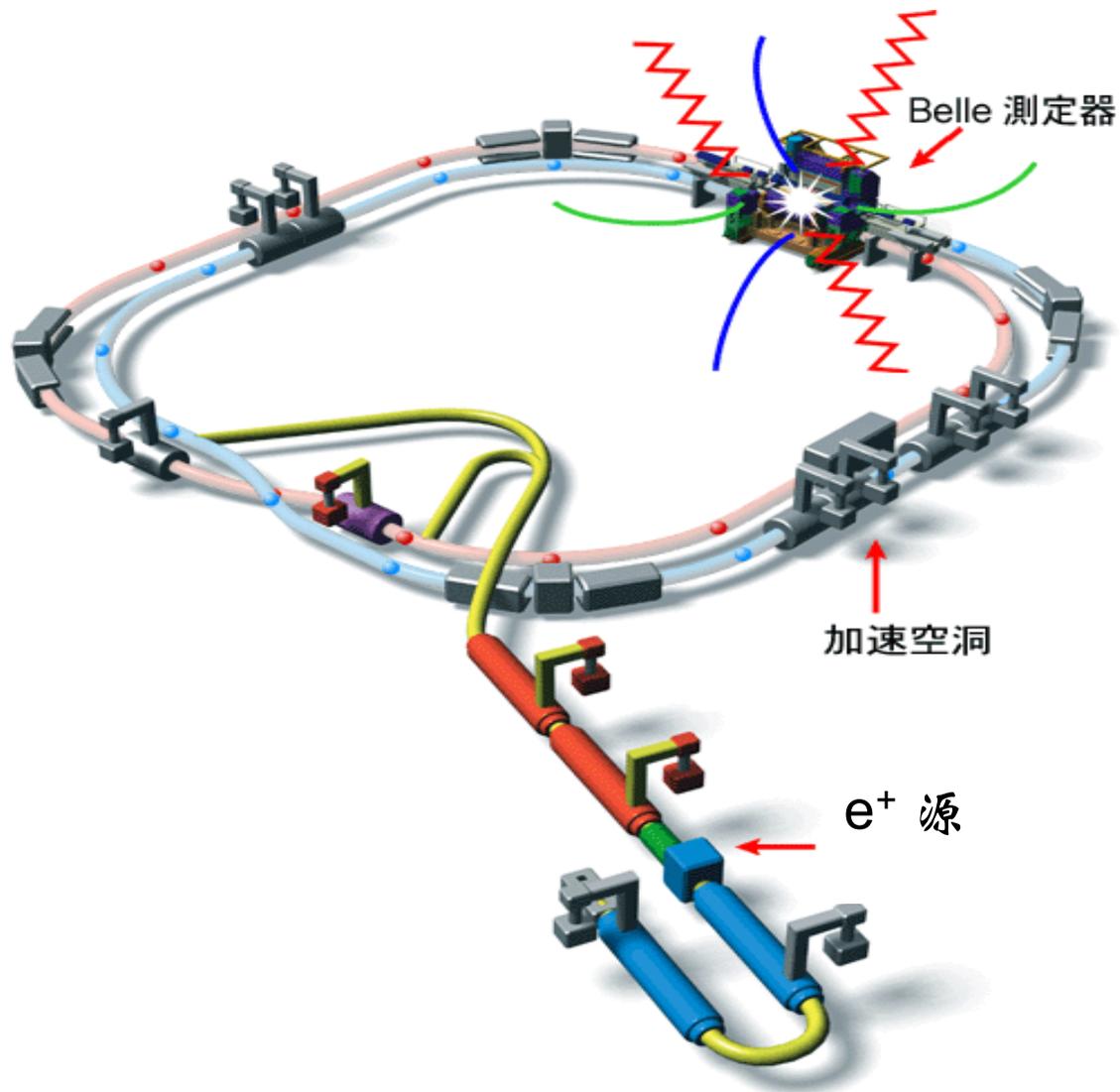
- Belle at KEKB 
- BABAR at PEP-II 
- Very high luminosity:
 - ✓ $\sim 2 \times 10^{34} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$ (Belle) (twice the design value)
- Asymmetric beams:
 - ✓ $8 \text{ GeV } e^- / 3.5 \text{ GeV } e^+$ (Belle)
 - Boosted BB pairs
 - (→ time dep. CPV)



Off-resonance On-resonance

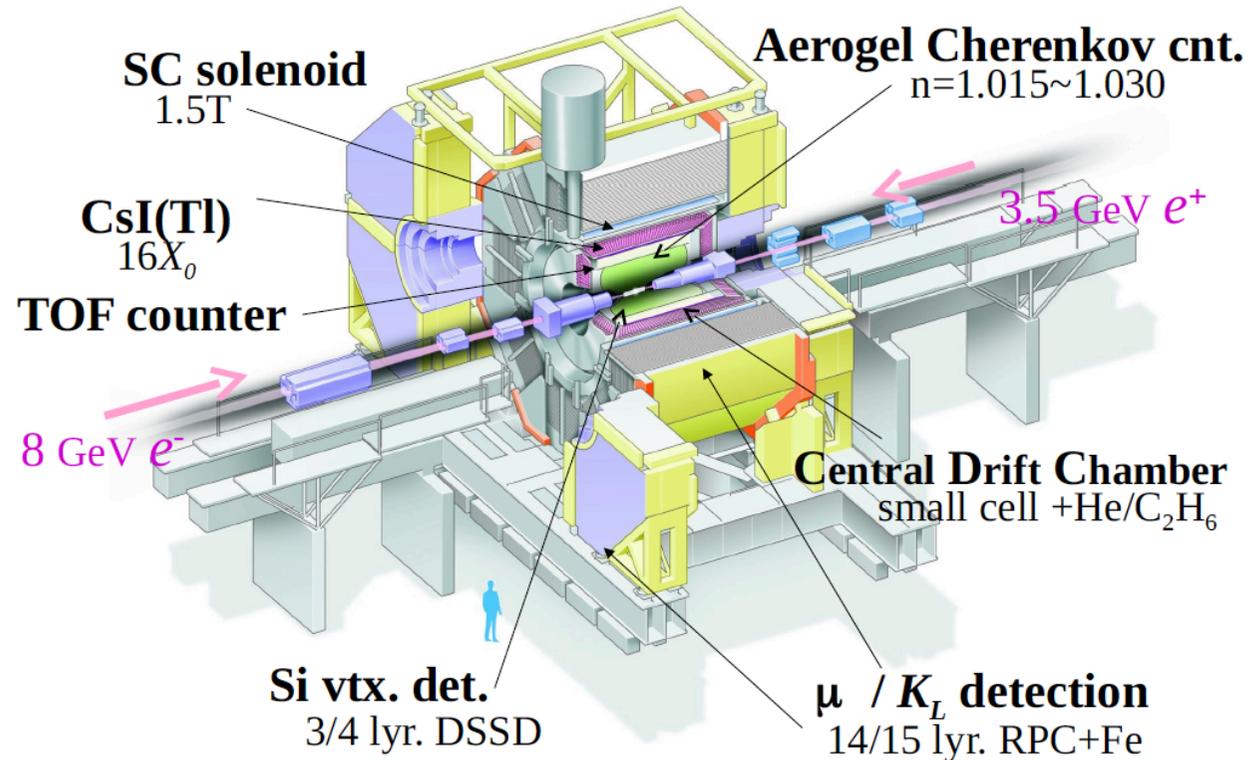


The KEKB accelerator



The Belle experiment

Belle Detector



- Data set on Belle
 - ✓ $\Upsilon(4S)$: 711 fb^{-1} , $772 \times 10^6 B\bar{B}$ pairs.
 - ✓ All energies: 980 fb^{-1} .



Overview of recent Belle results



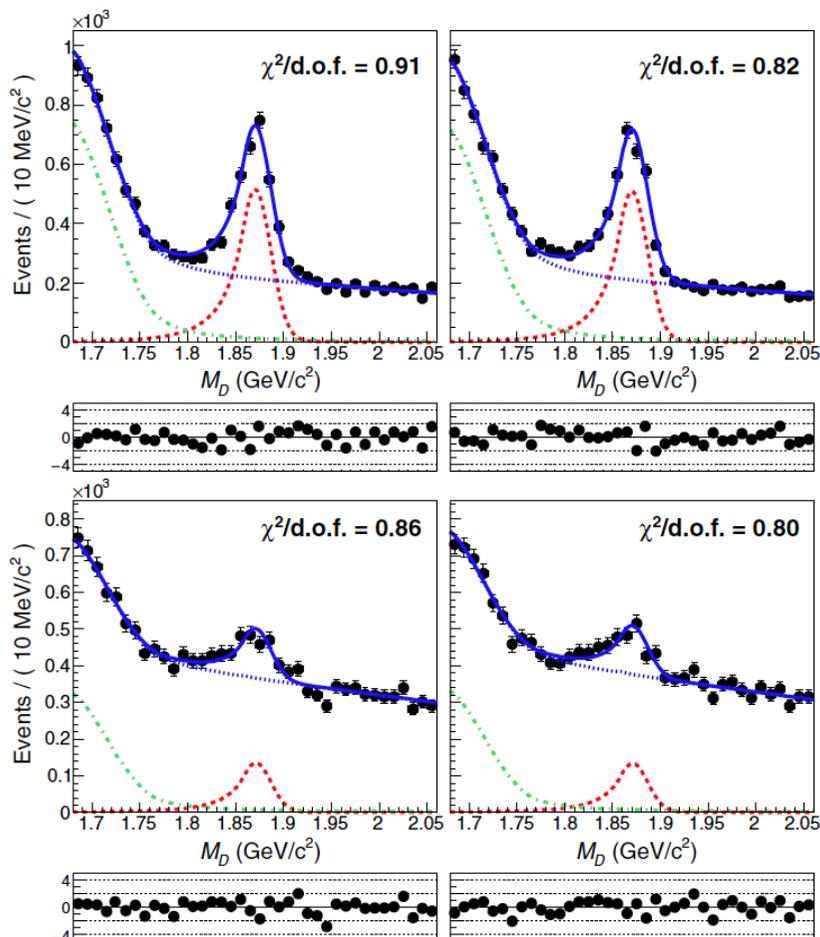
- Belle results from 2018 are included into this talk. There are following categories by physics subject:
 - ✓ CP violation.
 - ✓ Standard model tests.
 - ✓ Spectroscopy.
 - ✓ Transitions between quarkonium states.
 - ✓ Initial state radiation processes.
 - ✓ τ physics.
 - ✓ $\gamma\gamma$ processes.
 - ✓ Branching fraction and cross section measurements.



CP violation

CP violation in $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$

PRD 97, 011101



The D mass for
 $p_{D^*}^* > 2.95$ GeV/c (top),
 $2.50 < p_{D^*}^* < 2.95$ GeV/c
 (bottom), D^+ (left), D^- (right)

➤ The raw asymmetry

$$A_{\text{raw}}^{K\pi} = A_{CP}^{K\pi} + A_{FB} + A_{\epsilon}^{\pi^{\pm}},$$

where $A_{CP}^{K\pi}$ is the CP asymmetry of $D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+$

➤ The difference in the raw asymmetries

$$\Delta A_{\text{raw}} \equiv A_{\text{raw}}^{\pi\pi} - A_{\text{raw}}^{K\pi} = A_{CP}^{\pi\pi} - A_{CP}^{K\pi},$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$A_{CP}^{\pi\pi} = A_{CP}^{K\pi} + \Delta A_{\text{raw}}.$$

➤ Measured results:

$$\Delta A_{\text{raw}} = (+2.67 \pm 1.24 \pm 0.20)\%,$$

$$A_{CP}(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0) = (+2.31 \pm 1.24 \pm 0.23)\%.$$

Consistent with SM, null asymmetry! 8

Time-dependent CPV in $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \gamma$

PRD 97, 092003

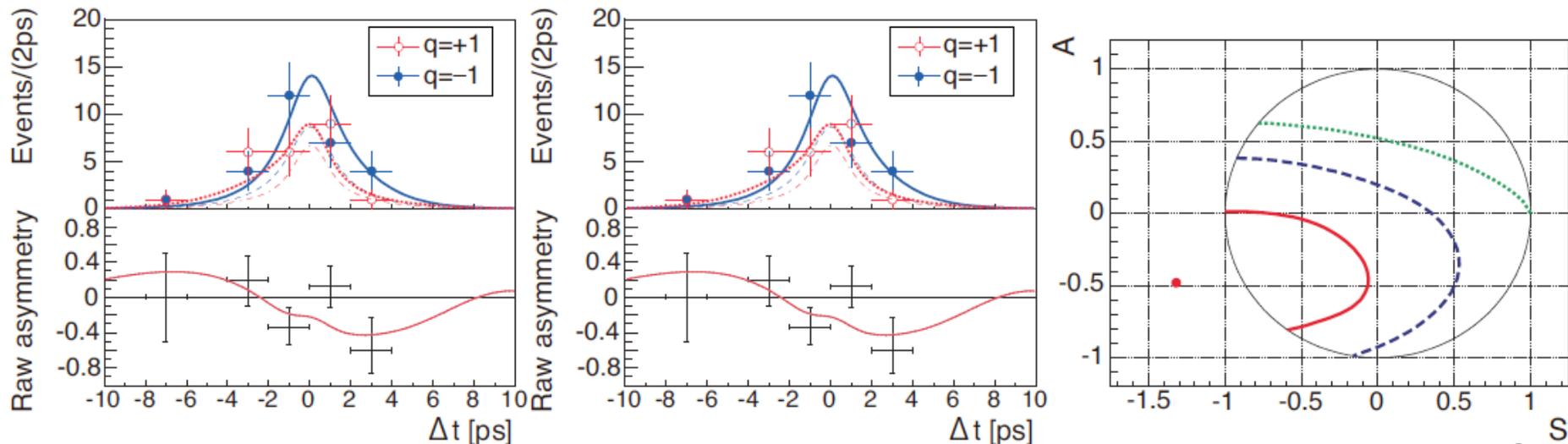
$$\mathcal{P}(\Delta t) = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau_{B^0}}}{4\tau_{B^0}} \{1 + q[\mathcal{S} \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) + \mathcal{A} \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)]\}, \quad (1)$$

\mathcal{S} - mixing-induced, \mathcal{B} - direct CP violation parameters, q - flavor charge.
 Fit to $\mathcal{P}(t)$ modified to incorporate incorrect flavor assignment. Results:
 $\mathcal{S} = -1.32 \pm 0.77 \pm 0.36$, $\mathcal{A} = -0.48 \pm 0.41 \pm 0.07$.

The central point is out of the physical region $\mathcal{S}^2 + \mathcal{A}^2 \leq 1$.

Theoretical prediction (SM):

$\mathcal{S} \sim -(2-3) \times 10^{-2}$ (e.g. PRD **73**, 114022 (2006), PLB **642**, 478 (2006)).





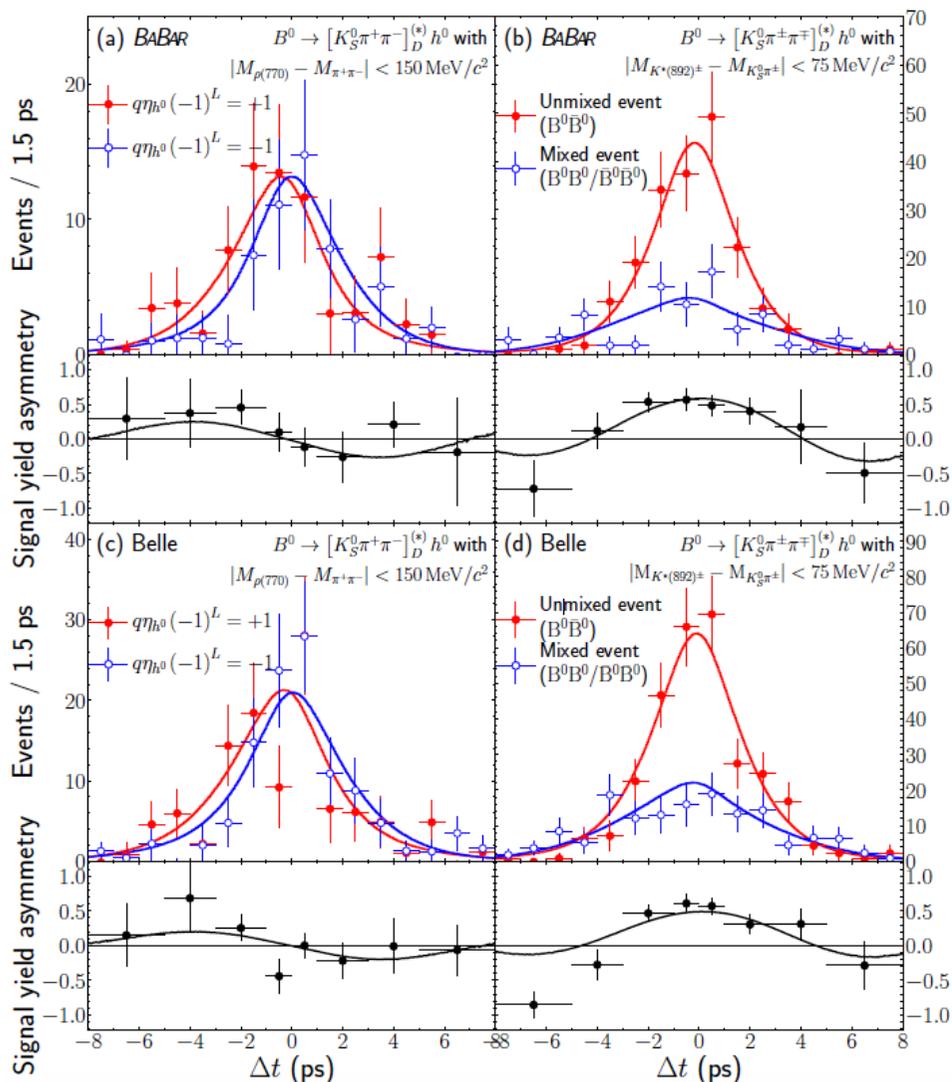
Measurement of $\cos 2\beta$ in $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$



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arXiv:1804.06152;1804.06153

Joint analysis combining Belle and BaBar data ($772 \times 10^6 + 471 \times 10^6 B\bar{B}$)



Decay modes

- ✓ $B^0 \rightarrow D^0 \pi^0, D^0 \eta, D^0 \omega, D^{*0} \pi^0, D^{*0} \eta.$
- ✓ $D^{*0} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^0, D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

Analysis strategy

- ✓ The amplitude of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ is determined by a Dalitz analysis for continuum D mesons
- ✓ A time-dependent Dalitz analysis is performed on $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)}h^0$ (D decay amplitude is fixed, only $\sin 2\beta$ and $\cos 2\beta$ are free).

Results:

- ✓ $\sin 2\beta = 0.80 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.03,$
- ✓ $\cos 2\beta = 0.91 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.07.$
- ✓ 4th uncertainties: $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ amplitude mode
- ✓ $\beta = (22.5 \pm 4.4 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.6)^\circ$, the second minimum ($\beta' = \frac{\pi}{2} - \beta$) is excluded by 7.3σ level



Standard model tests



Search for $B^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$ Decays

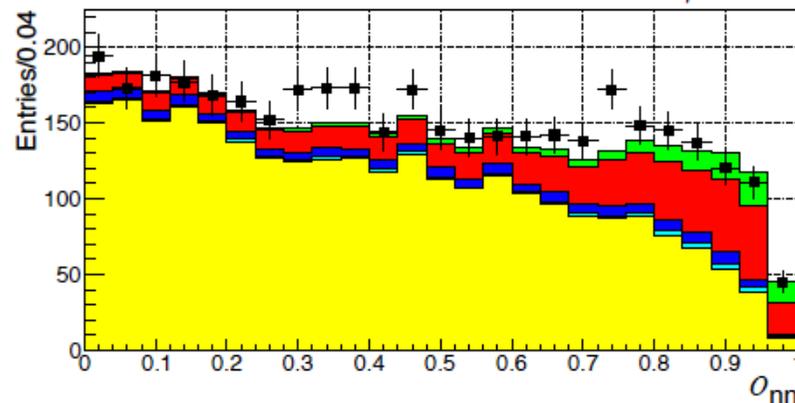
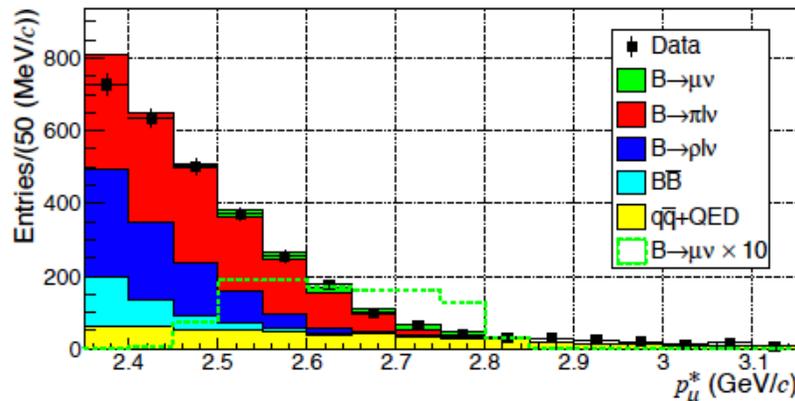


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SM expectation:

$$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell) = \frac{G_F^2 m_B m_\ell^2}{8\pi} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{m_B^2}\right)^2 f_B^2 |V_{ub}|^2 \tau_B$$

$f_B = 0.186 \pm 0.004$ (from lattice) is the B decay constant.



The SM prediction:

$$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu) = (3.80 \pm 0.31) \times 10^{-7}.$$

Initial selection uses accompanying B meson candidate ($M_{bc} > 5.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$, $-3 < \Delta E < 2 \text{ GeV}$).

Number of signal events is determined by fitting the distribution of neural network output and muon momentum. Result:
 $\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu) = (6.46 \pm 2.22 \pm 1.60) \times 10^{-7}$
Significance: 2.4σ .



τ polarization in $B^- \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$



Measured parameters:

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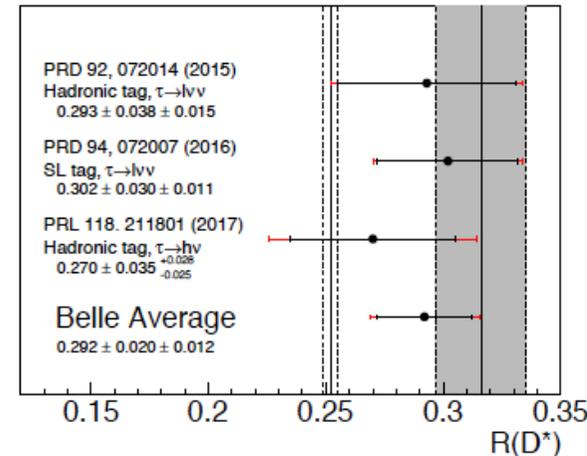
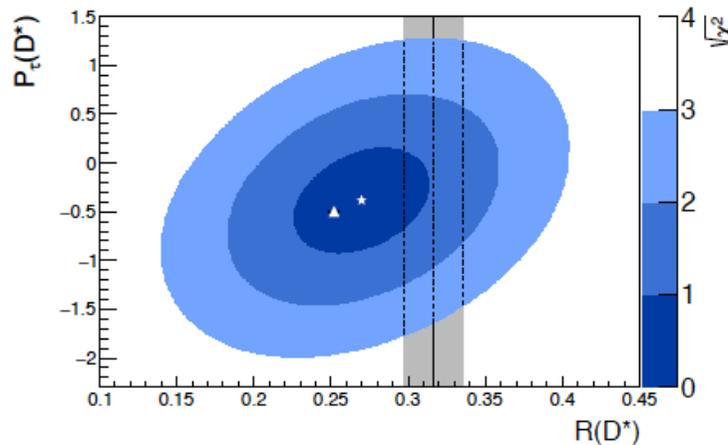
- $R(D^*) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)}$

For Belle and Babar, $\ell = e + \mu$; for LHCb, $\ell = \tau$.

- $P_\tau(D^*) = \frac{\Gamma^+ - \Gamma^-}{\Gamma^+ + \Gamma^-}$,

where Γ^+ , Γ^- - decay width with $\lambda_\tau = +1/2$ and $-1/2$.

Results: $R(D^*) = 0.270 \pm 0.035^{+0.028}_{-0.025}$, $P_\tau(D^*) = -0.38 \pm 0.51^{+0.21}_{-0.16}$.



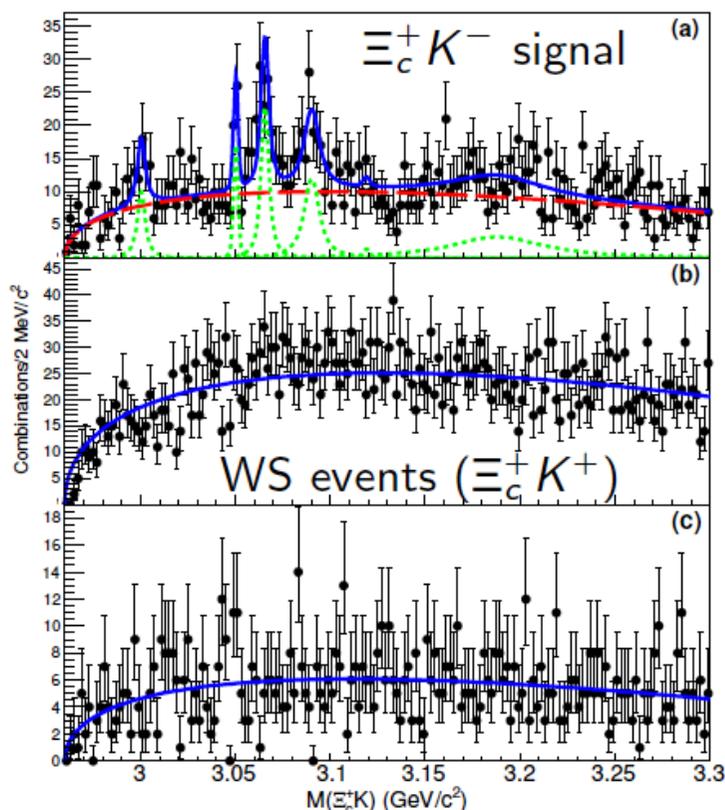
Average of 3 Belle measurements: $R(D^*) = 0.292 \pm 0.020 \pm 0.012$.

It is 1.7σ larger than SM prediction (0.252 ± 0.003).

New world average is 3.5σ larger.



Spectroscopy



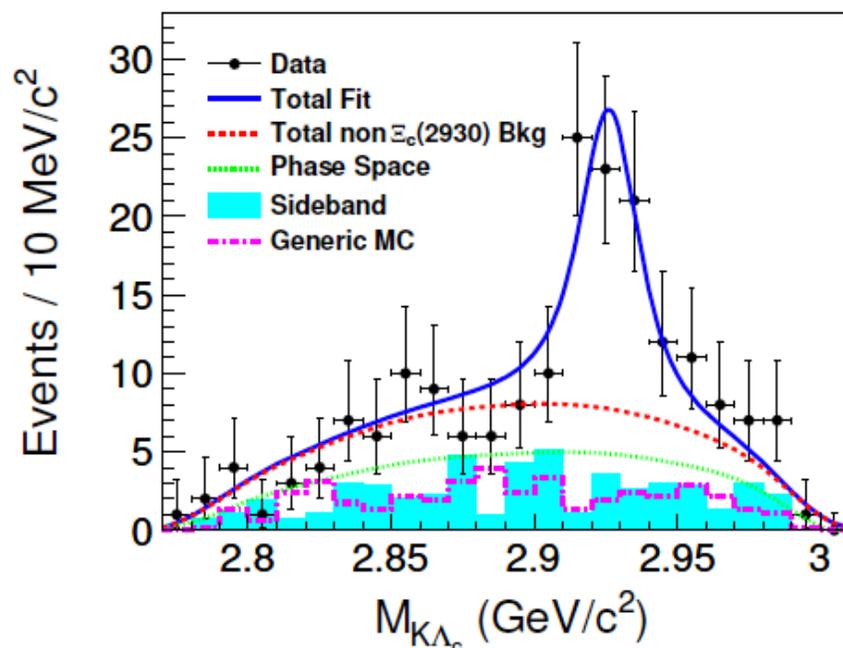
(c): Ξ_c^+ sidebands ($\Xi_c^+ K^-$)

- LHCb observed 5 new narrow Ω_c states in PRL **118**, 182001 (2017).
- Belle searched for continuum production of these states in the same $\Xi_c^+ K^-$ decay mode.
- 4 of 5 states are observed, 2 of them with significance of $> 5\sigma$.
- $\Omega_c(3188)$ is a possible wide state at higher mass (same LHCb analysis).

PRD 97,051102(R)

Confirmed states:

State	$\Omega_c(3000)$	$\Omega_c(3050)$	$\Omega_c(3066)$	$\Omega_c(3090)$
Yield	37.7 ± 11.0	28.2 ± 7.7	81.7 ± 13.9	86.6 ± 17.4
Significance	3.9σ	4.6σ	7.2σ	5.7σ
LHCb Mass	$3000.4 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.1$	$3050.2 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.1$	$3065.5 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.3$	$3090.2 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.5$
Belle Mass	$3000.7 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.2$	$3050.2 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2$	$3064.9 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.2$	$3089.3 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.2$



- The $\Xi_c(2930)^0$ has previously been reported by BaBar in PRD **77**, 031101 (2008) in the same process, but the significance has not been specified \implies its status is unclear.
- Unbinned simultaneous extended maximum likelihood fit to the signal and Λ_c sidebands. The fit is 1-dimensional ($\Lambda_c^+ K^-$).

The $\Xi_c(2930)^0$ is observed with 5.1σ global significance.

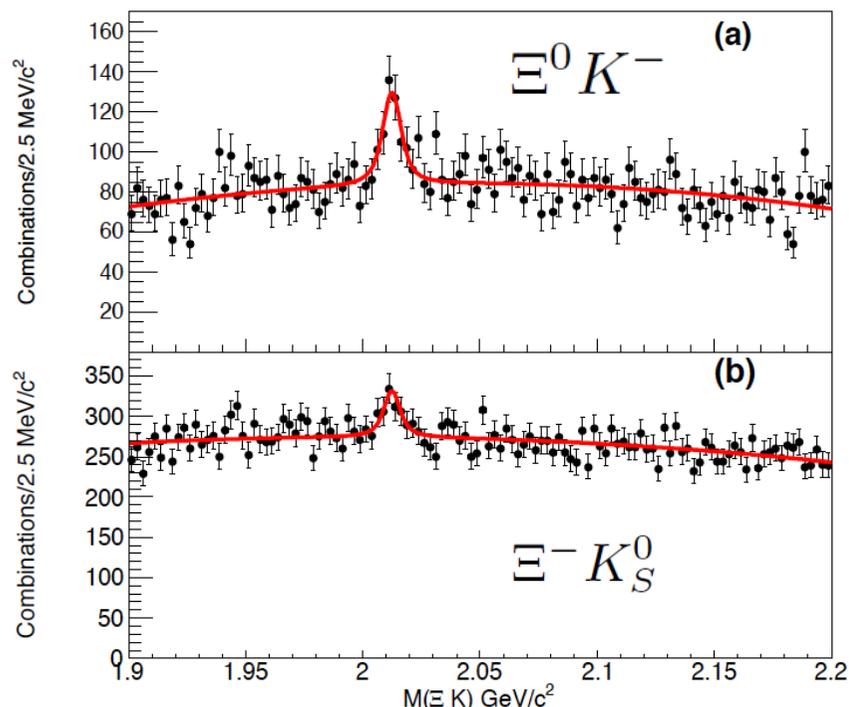
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Parameters: $M = 2928.9 \pm 3.0_{-12.0}^{+0.9}$ MeV/ c^2 , $\Gamma = (19.5 \pm 8.4_{-7.9}^{+5.9})$ MeV.

$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \bar{\Lambda}_c^- K^-) = (4.80 \pm 0.43 \pm 0.60) \times 10^{-4}$

$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow \Xi_c(2930)^0 \bar{\Lambda}_c^-) \times \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c(2930)^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^-) = (1.73 \pm 0.45 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-4}$

$\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow Y(4660) K^-) \times \mathcal{B}(Y(4660) \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \bar{\Lambda}_c^-) < 1.2 \times 10^{-4}$ (90% C.L.)



- New resonance is observed
- It is found primarily in the decay of the narrow resonances $\Upsilon(1S)$, $\Upsilon(2S)$, and $\Upsilon(3S)$
- No isospin asymmetry is observed

Data	Mode	Mass (MeV/c ²)	Yield	Γ (MeV)	χ^2 /d.o.f.	n_σ
$\Upsilon(1S, 2S, 3S)$	$\Xi^0 K^-$, $\Xi^- K_S^0$ (simultaneous)	2012.4 ± 0.7	242 ± 48 , 279 ± 71	$6.4_{-2.0}^{+2.5}$	227/230	8.3
$\Upsilon(1S, 2S, 3S)$	$\Xi^0 K^-$	2012.6 ± 0.8	239 ± 53	6.1 ± 2.6	115/114	6.9
$\Upsilon(1S, 2S, 3S)$	$\Xi^- K_S^0$	2012.0 ± 1.1	286 ± 87	6.8 ± 3.3	101/114	4.4
Other	$\Xi^0 K^-$	2012.4 (Fixed)	209 ± 63	6.4 (Fixed)	102/116	3.4
Other	$\Xi^- K_S^0$	2012.4 (Fixed)	153 ± 89	6.4 (Fixed)	133/116	1.7



Search for $\Upsilon(1S, 2S) \rightarrow Z_c^+ Z_c^{(\prime)-}$ and $e^+ e^- \rightarrow Z_c^+ Z_c^{(\prime)-}$

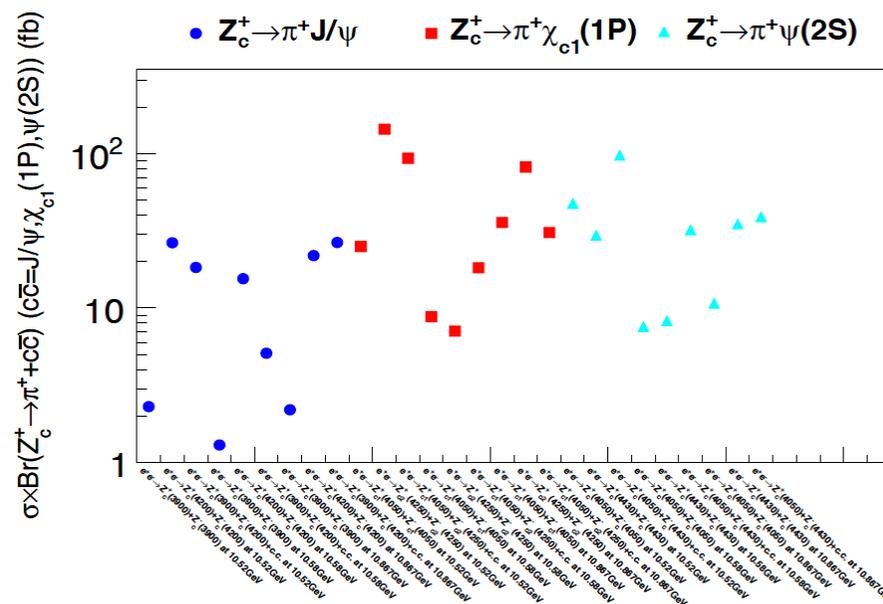
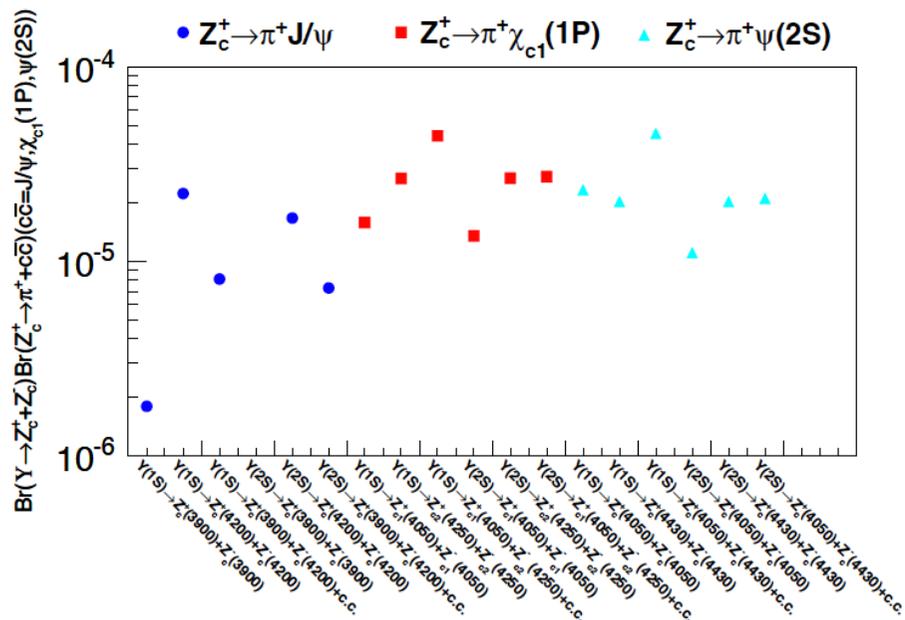


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- No clear signals are observed in the studied modes
- The 90% C.L. upper limits on the branching fractions are determined
- The reported upper limits are not in contradiction with the naive expectation.

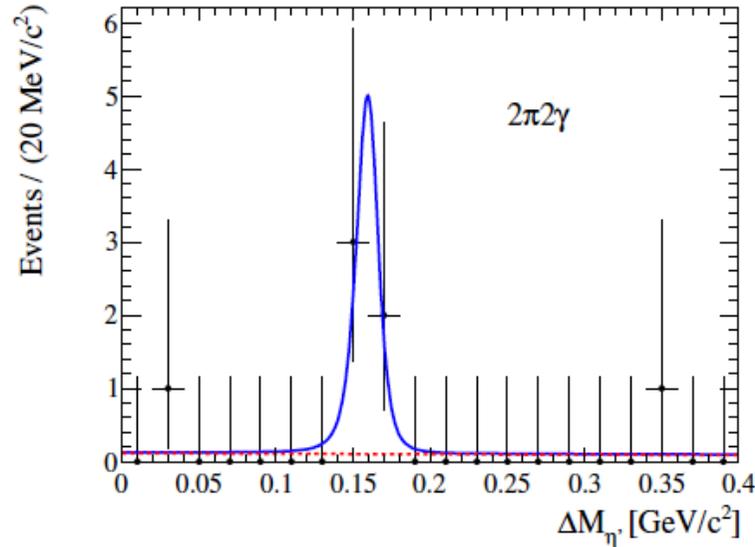
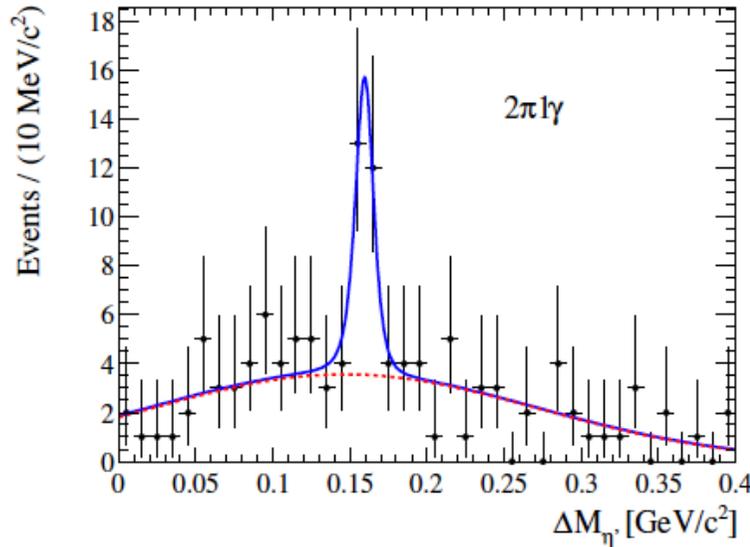
$$\mathcal{B}(\Upsilon(1S, 2S) \rightarrow Z_c^+ Z_c^{(\prime)-}) \times \mathcal{B}(Z_c^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ + c\bar{c}) \quad (c\bar{c} = J/\psi, \chi_{c1}(1P), \psi(2S))$$

$$\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow Z_c^+ Z_c^{(\prime)-}) \times \mathcal{B}(Z_c^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ + c\bar{c}) \quad (c\bar{c} = J/\psi, \chi_{c1}(1P), \psi(2S))$$





Transitions between quarkonium states



Reconstruction: $\eta' \rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma, \pi^+ \pi^- \eta (\rightarrow \gamma \gamma); \Upsilon(1S) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$.

η : full reconstruction (left figure) or 1 photon only (right figure).

Background PDF: linear (full reconstruction), Gaussian (partial reconstruction).

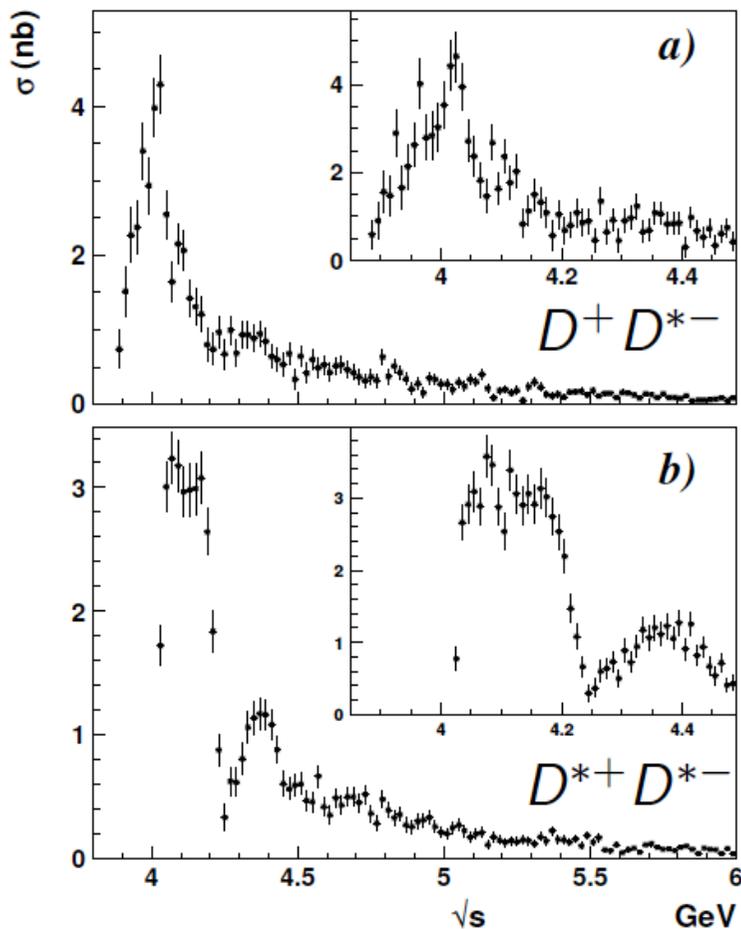
Significance (combined by simultaneous fit): 5.7σ (with systematic uncertainty).

Branching: $\mathcal{B}(\Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow \eta' \Upsilon(1S)) = (3.43 \pm 0.88 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-5}$.



Initial state radiation processes

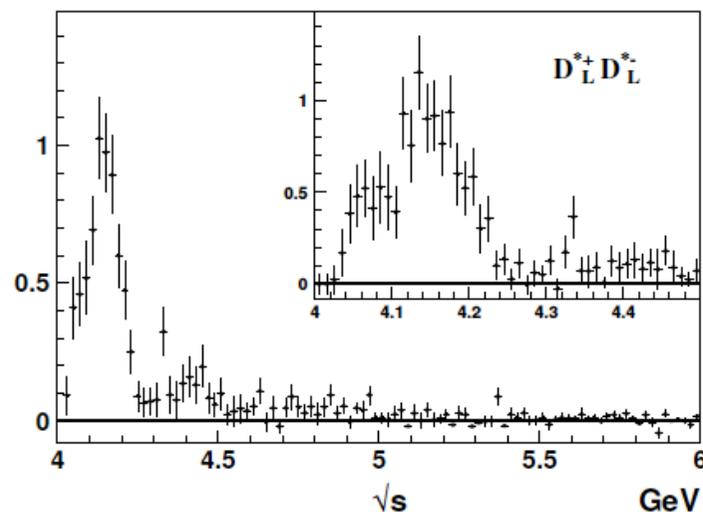
Cross sections:



Partial reconstruction: D^0 from D^{*+} is not reconstructed.

Distributions of the D^* helicity angles measured (for each mass bin):

- $D^{*+}D^{*-}$: no parameters.
- $D^{*+}D^{*-}$: distribution depends on 3 cross sections $\sigma_{LL}, \sigma_{TL}, \sigma_{TT}$ (L : longitudinal, $\lambda = 0$; T : transverse, $\lambda = \pm 1$). Example result:



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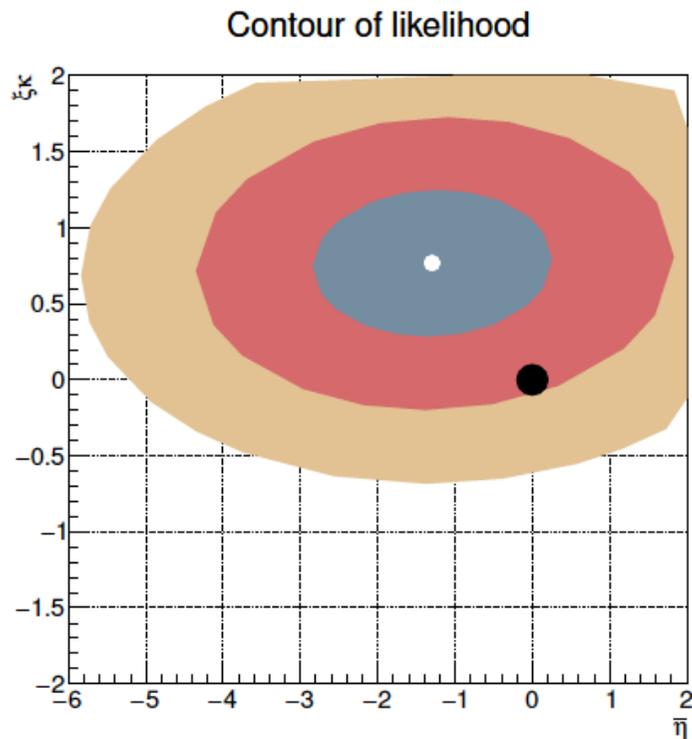


τ physics

$$\bar{\eta} = |g_{RL}^V|^2 + |g_{LR}^V|^2 + \frac{1}{8} \left(|g_{RL}^S + 2g_{RL}^T|^2 + |g_{LR}^S + 2g_{LR}^T|^2 \right) + 2 \left(|g_{RL}^T|^2 + |g_{LR}^T|^2 \right),$$

$$\xi\kappa = |g_{RL}^V|^2 - |g_{LR}^V|^2 + \frac{1}{8} \left(|g_{RL}^S + 2g_{RL}^T|^2 - |g_{LR}^S + 2g_{LR}^T|^2 \right) + 2 \left(|g_{RL}^T|^2 - |g_{LR}^T|^2 \right).$$

In SM: $g_{LL}^V = 1$, other couplings = 0 $\implies \bar{\eta} = \xi\kappa = 0$.



The parameters $\bar{\eta}$ and $\xi\kappa$ are extracted by simultaneous fit to differential cross sections of $\tau^- \rightarrow \ell^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\ell \gamma$. Results:

$$\bar{\eta} = -1.3 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.8,$$

$$\xi\kappa = 0.5 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2.$$

Branching fractions with $E_\gamma > 10$ MeV:

$$\mathcal{B}(\tau^- \rightarrow e^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_e \gamma) = (1.79 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-2},$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \nu_\tau \bar{\nu}_\mu \gamma) = (3.63 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-3}.$$

Ratio: $4.95 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.20$ (prediction: 4.605).

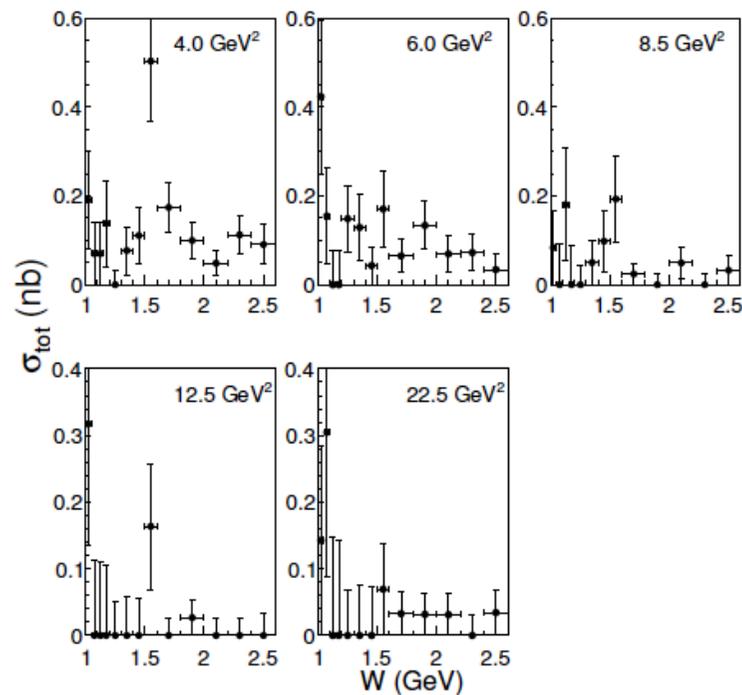


$\gamma\gamma$ processes

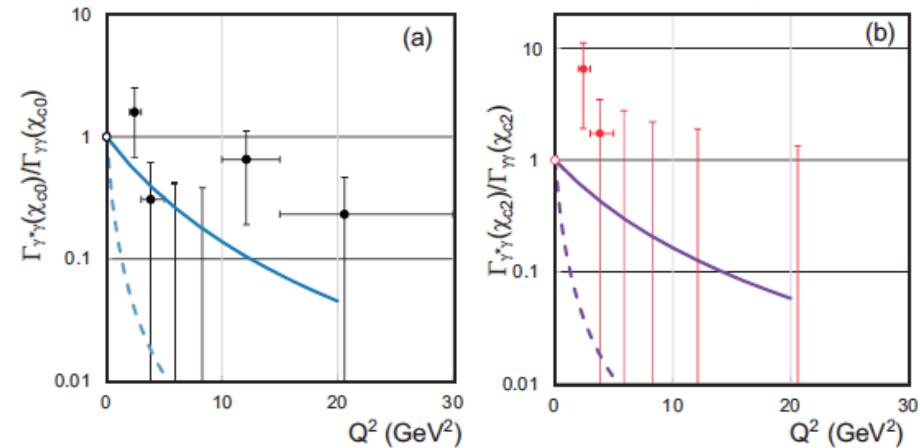
$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow K_S^0 K_S^0$

Process: $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-K_S^0K_S^0$, one of the final-state e^\pm is detected, the other one is not. The cross sections depend on $Q^2 = -m_{\gamma^*}^2$.

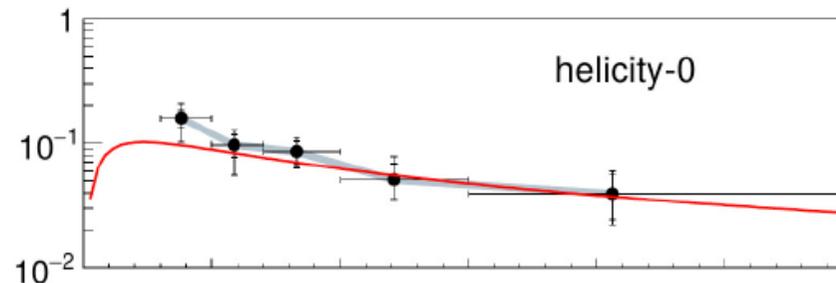
Total cross sections in bins of Q^2 (bin center is specified on the histograms).



Differential cross sections for χ_{c0} and χ_{c2} .



Also, transition form factor of the $f_2'(1525)$ is measured for all helicity components (0, 1, 2).



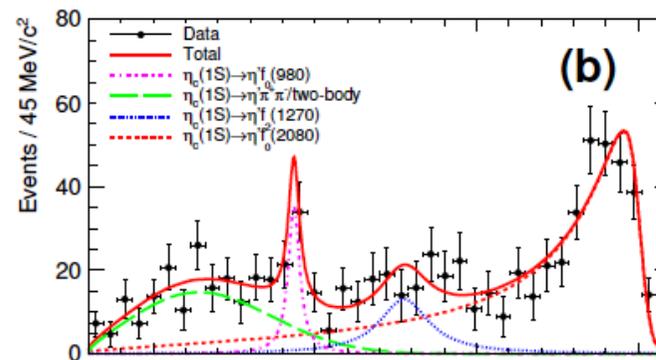
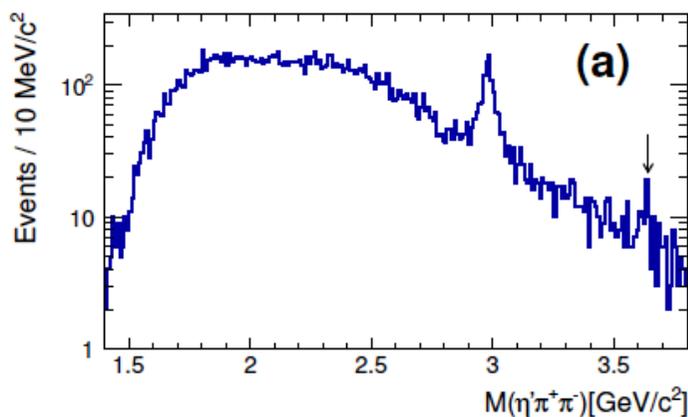


$$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \eta_c(1S, 2S) \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+ \pi^-$$



Reconstruction: no e^\pm tagging, selection by low p_t .

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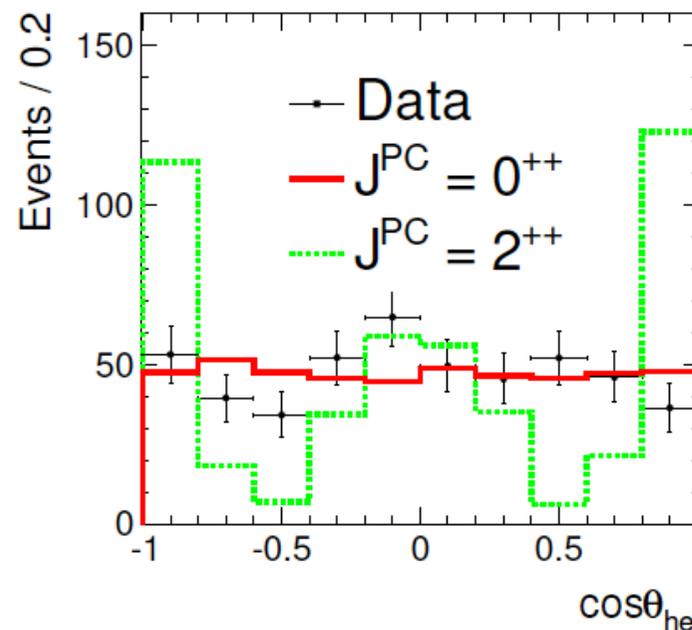


Observed:

- $\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow \eta' \pi^+ \pi^-$ (5.5σ).
- $\eta_c(1D) \rightarrow \eta' f_0(2080)$ (20σ).

Measured:

- $f_0(2080)$: $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$
(exclusion of 2^{++} : 11σ).
- Parameters of η_c , $\eta_c(2S)$, $f_0(2080)$.





Branching fraction and cross section measurements



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Branching fractions:

- ✓ $B^+ \rightarrow X_{c\bar{c}}K^+$, and $B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^{(*)0}\pi^+$: PRD 97, 012005 (2018)
- ✓ Ω_c^0 hadronic decays: PRD 97, 032001 (2018)
- ✓ $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+\pi^+\pi^-$, $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^+\pi^0\pi^0$, $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Sigma^0\pi^+\pi^0$:
arXiv:1802.03421
- ✓ $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi l\nu$: arXiv: 1803.06444

Cross sections:

- ✓ $e^+e^- \rightarrow$ hyperons, charmed baryons: PRD 97, 072005 (2018)
- ✓ $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta Y_J, \eta h_b$: arXiv: 1803.03225



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