

Spectroscopy of hadrons with heavy quarks from lattice QCD

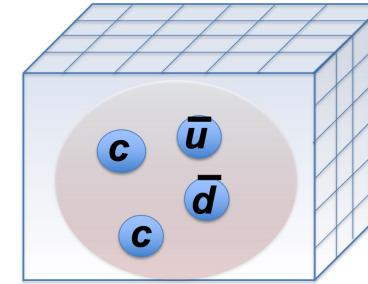
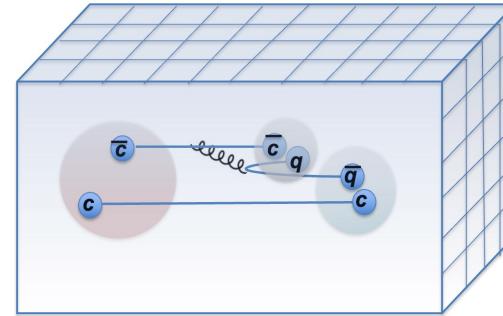
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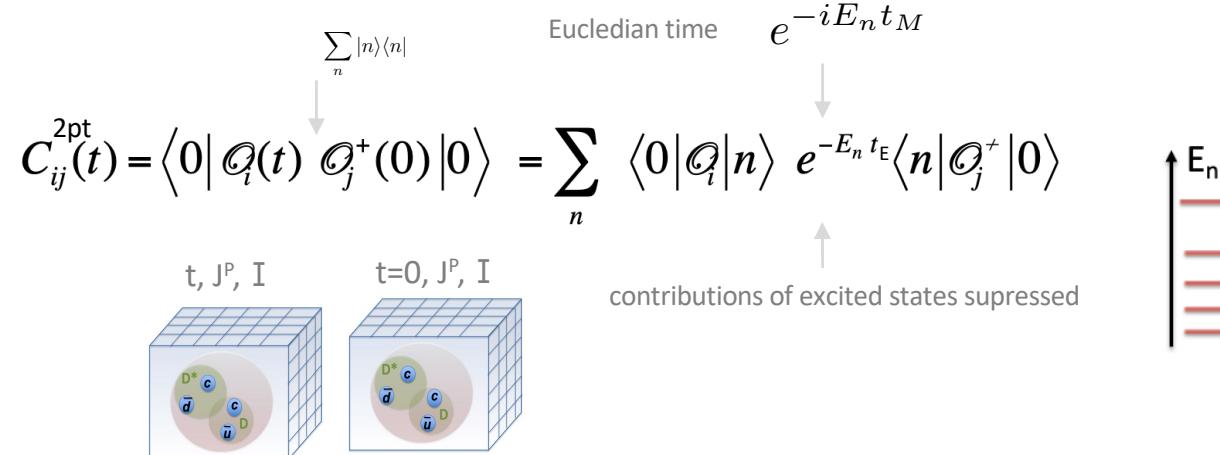


QCD: $\mathcal{L}_{QCD} = \frac{1}{4}G_a^{\mu\nu}G_a^{\mu\nu} + \bar{q}i\gamma_\mu(\partial^\mu + ig_sG_a^\mu T^a)q - m_q\bar{q}q$ $g_s \ll 1$ at hadronic energy scale

Lattice QCD

$$\langle C \rangle = \int D\mathbf{G} D\mathbf{q} D\bar{\mathbf{q}} C e^{-S_{QCD}/\hbar}$$

Main quantity extracted for spectroscopy: eigen-energies E_n

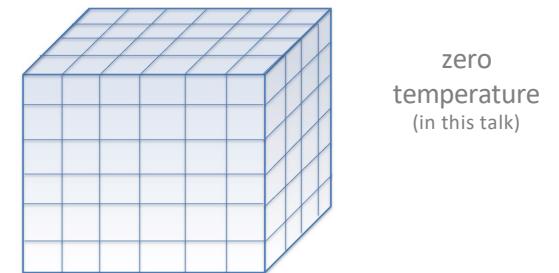


E_n allow to extract masses stable hadrons and decaying resonances (as I'll explain later)

Hadron structure

$$C \rightarrow \langle H|J|H \rangle, \quad \langle 0|J|H \rangle$$

studied mostly for strongly stable hadrons H



often “non-precision” studies:

single a, $m_{u/d} > m_{u/d}^{phy}$, $m_\pi > 140$ MeV

recent reviews:

N. Brambilla et al. 1907.07583, Phys. Rept.

M. Mai, U. Meissner, C. Urbach, 2206.01477

N. Brambilla, 2111.10788

P. Bicudo, 2212.07793

Strongly-stable conventional hadrons : masses, structure

low-lying quarkonia are strongly stable when $\bar{Q}Q$ annihilation is omitted

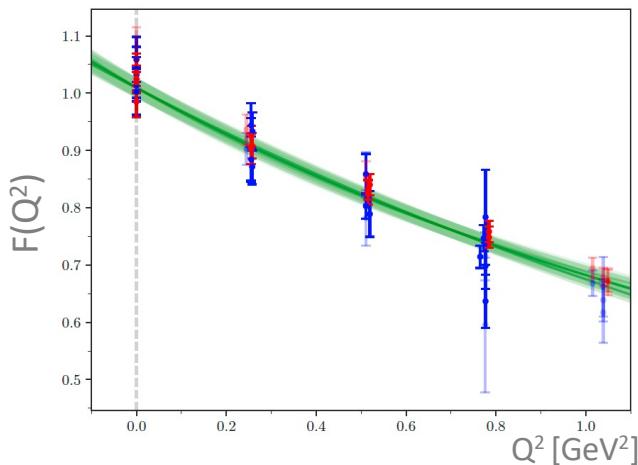
quarkonium spatial profiles:

Knechtli, Peardon et al 2205.11564

$\bar{c}c$

charge distribution

$$\langle \chi_{c0} | J_{em}^\mu(Q) | \chi_{c0} \rangle$$



$$\rho_{el}(\vec{r}) = F.T. F(\vec{Q})$$

$$\langle r^2 \rangle = -6 \frac{dF}{dQ^2} \Big|_{Q^2=0}$$

$$\langle r_{\eta_c}^2 \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}} < \langle r_{\chi_{c0}}^2 \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}} < \langle r_{\eta'_c}^2 \rangle^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

in agreement with expectation from quark model

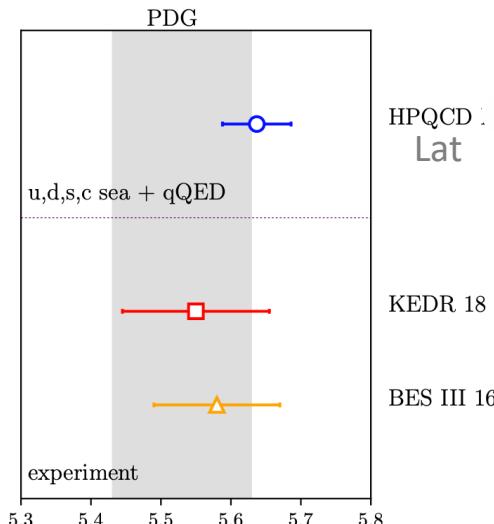
Delaney et al, HadSpec: 2301.08213

agree with well exp

$\bar{c}c$

info on wave function at the origin

$$\langle 0 | \bar{c} \gamma^\mu c | J/\psi \rangle$$



$$\Gamma(J/\psi \rightarrow e^+ e^-) [\text{keV}]$$

+ many other properties of $\bar{c}c$ and $\bar{b}b$

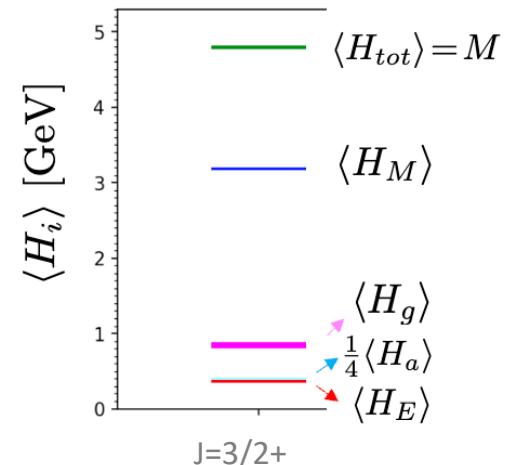
HPQCD: 2204.02137, 2005.01845, 2101.08103

QCD+QED

$c\bar{c}\bar{c}$

mass decomposition

$$\langle \text{baryon} | H_i | \text{baryon} \rangle$$



$$H_{\text{QCD}} = H_E^{(\mu)} + H_M + H_g^{(\mu)} + \frac{1}{4} H_a$$

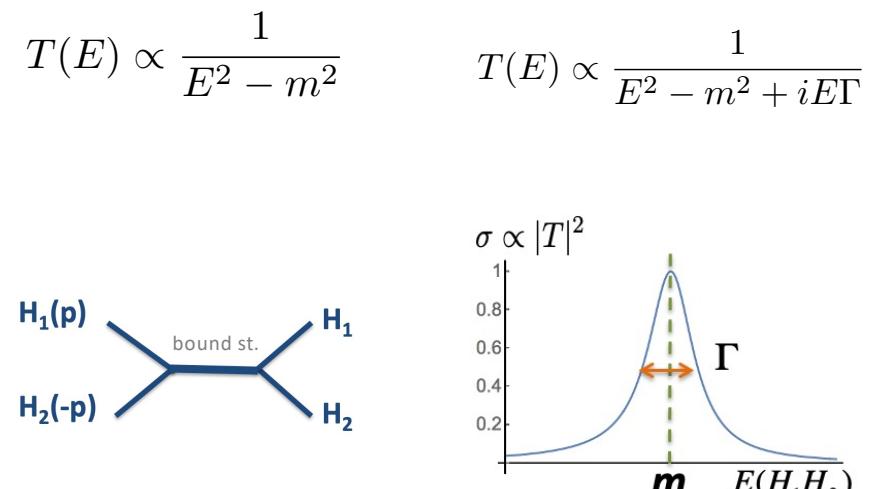
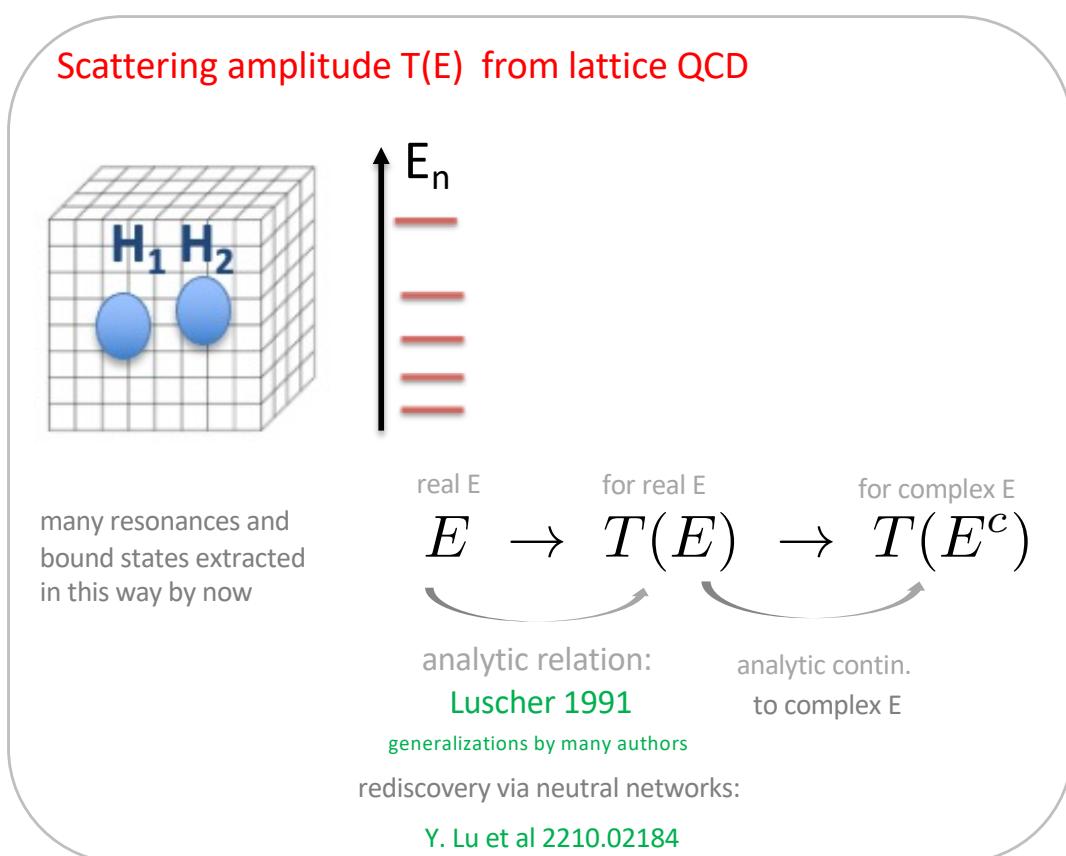
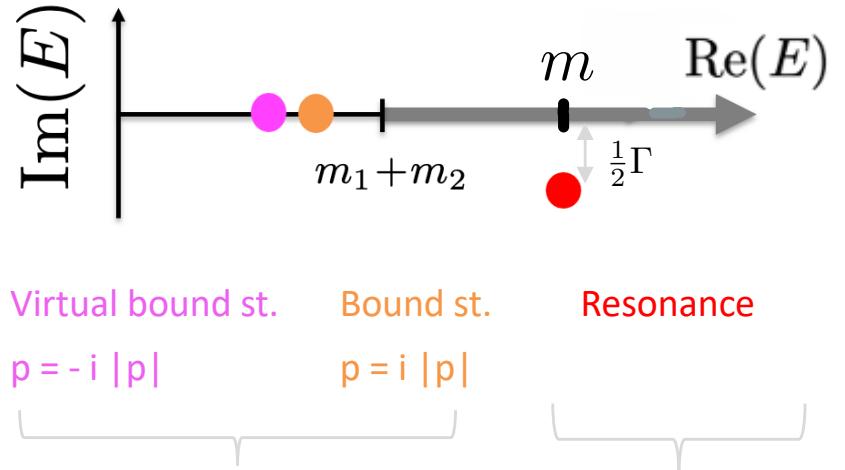
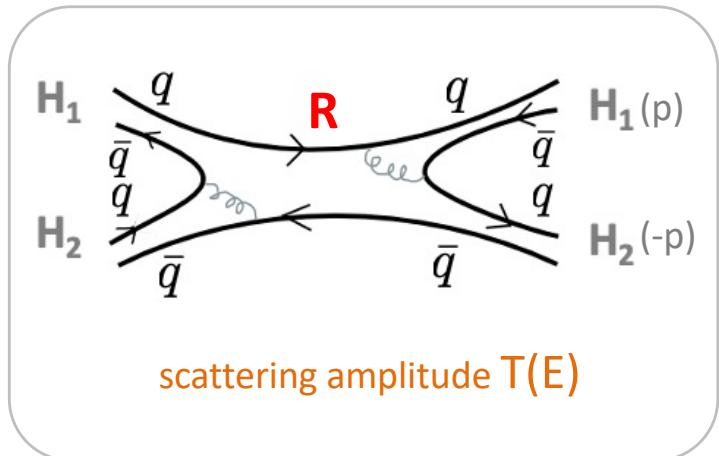
$$H_E^{(\mu)} = \sum_f \int d^3x \bar{\psi}^{(f)} i(\vec{D} \cdot \vec{\gamma}) \psi^{(f)},$$

$$H_M = \sum_f \int d^3x \bar{\psi}^{(f)} m_f \psi^{(f)},$$

$$H_g^{(\mu)} = \int d^3x \frac{1}{2} (E^2 + B^2),$$

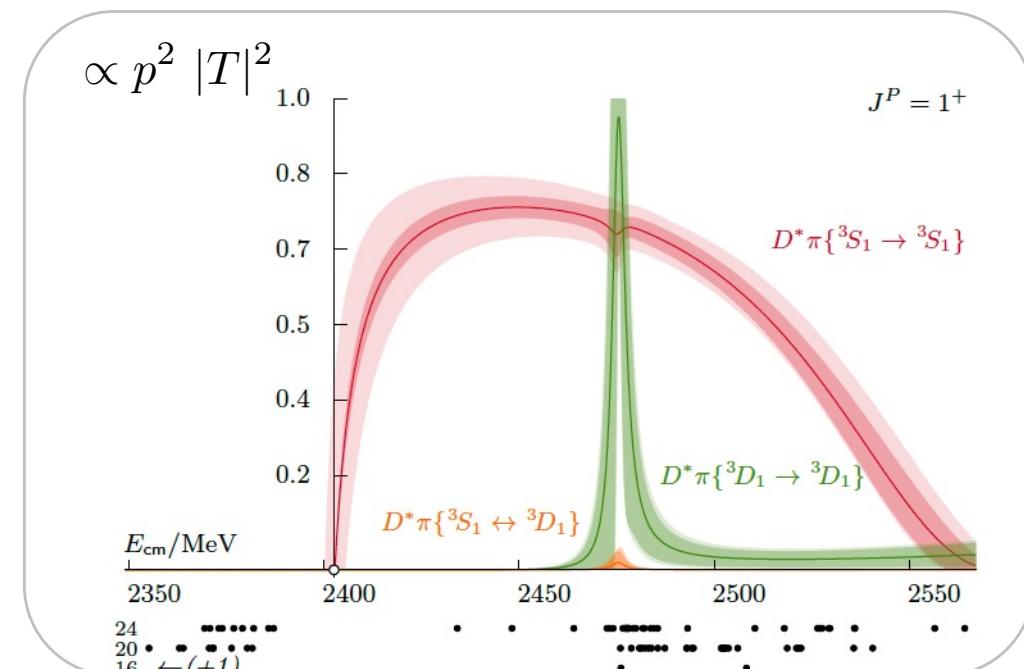
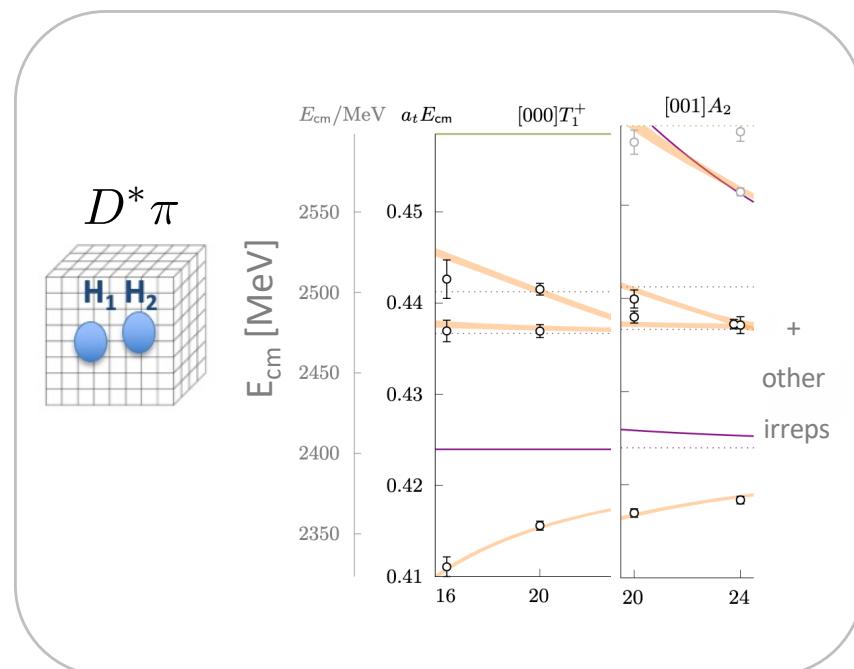
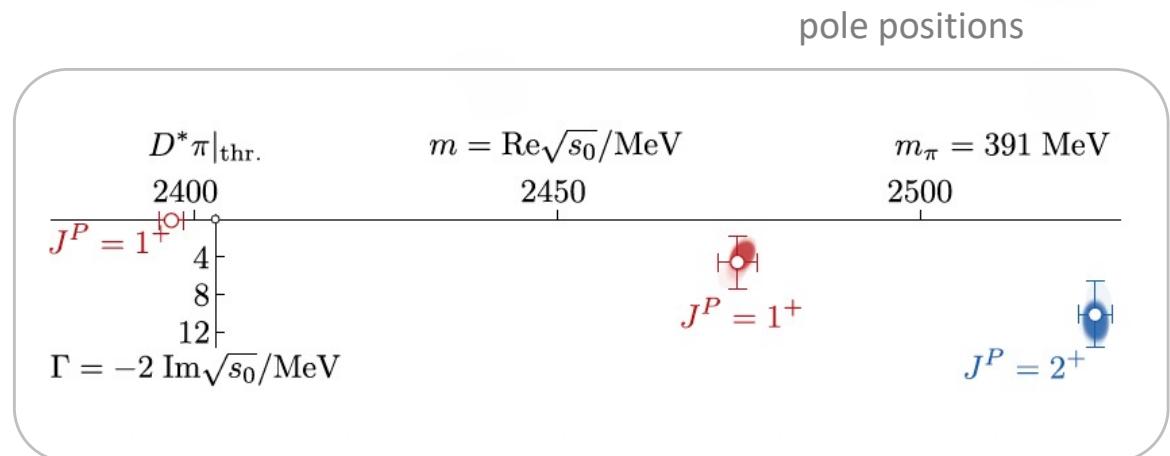
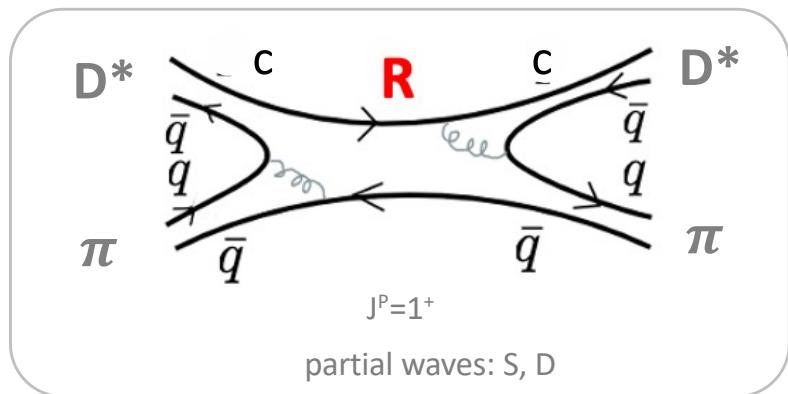
Yin-Bo Li et al, 2211.04713

Resonances $R \rightarrow H_1 H_2$, bound states near threshold



Example: Charmed mesons in $D^*\pi$ scattering

N. Lang & D. Wilson, HadSpec, 2205.05026, PRL : $m_\pi \approx 391$ MeV



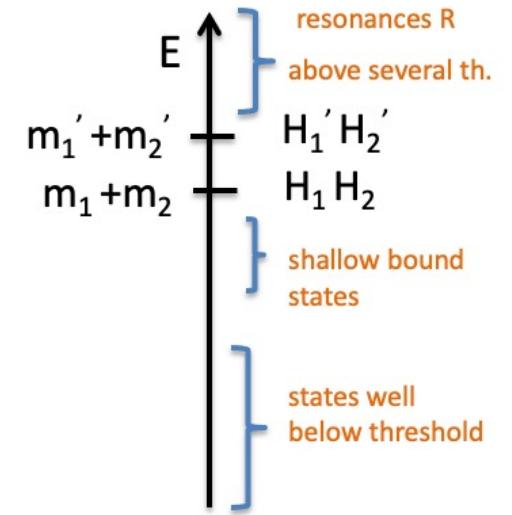
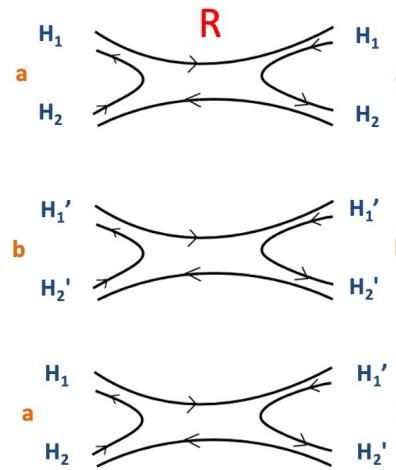
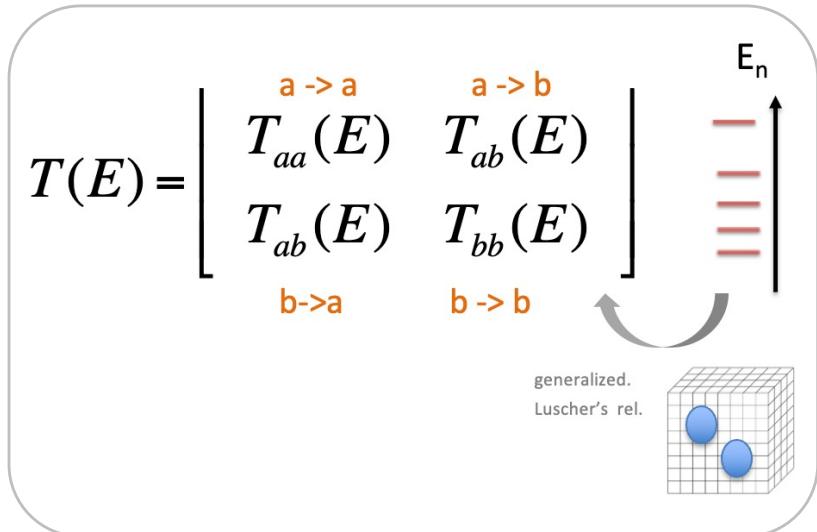
physics interpretation:
later in the slides

Current challenges and endeavours

Resonances from coupled-channel scattering

$$R \rightarrow H_1 H_2, H'_1 H'_2, \dots$$

channel a : $H_1 H_2$
channel b : $H'_1 H'_2$



Status:

many studies in light sector (mostly HadSpec): [reviewed by D. Wilson @ Hadron 2021](#)

heavy sector: charmed mesons: [HadSpec 2016, 607.07093](#)

charmonium-like mesons: [SP et al, 2011.02541](#)

Zc: [HALQCD method, 1602.03465, PRL](#)

$H_1 H_2 H_3$ scattering , $R \rightarrow H_1 H_2 H_3$

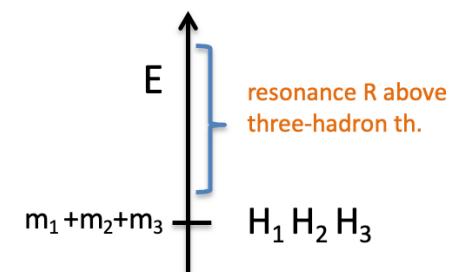
$\pi\pi\pi, KK\pi, \dots$

all in light sector

$a1 \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$

no other resonance for now

[reviewed by Fernando Ramirez Lopez @ Hadron 2021](#)



journey to various hadron sectors

(with heavy quarks)

exciting experimental discoveries by:

LHCb, Belle, BesIII, Babar, ...

most of discovered exotic hadrons contain heavy quarks:

(these are more likely to be quasi-bound due to small kinetic energy of Q)

$Q=c,b$ $q=u,d,s$

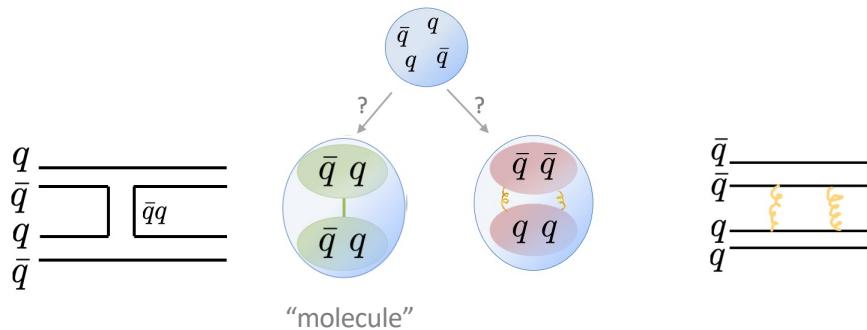
$\bar{c}c$, $\bar{c}c \bar{q}q$
 $\bar{b}b$, $\bar{b}b \bar{q}q$

QQ $\bar{q}\bar{q}$

$\bar{Q}q$, $\bar{Q}q \bar{q}q$

dibaryons

possible
binding mechanisms



How challenging is a given state for ab-initio study? General rule:

more strong decay channels -> more challenging

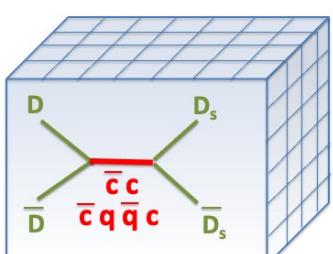
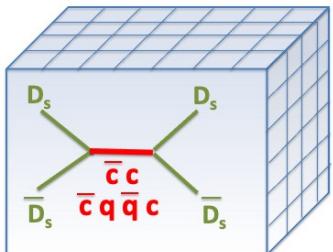
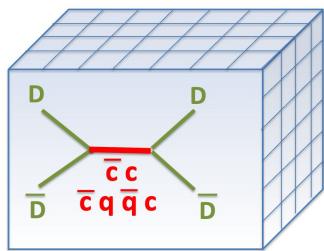
charmonium(like) sector

$\bar{c}c$, $\bar{c}q\bar{q}c$, $\bar{c}cqq\bar{q}$

Charmonium(like) resonances and bound states

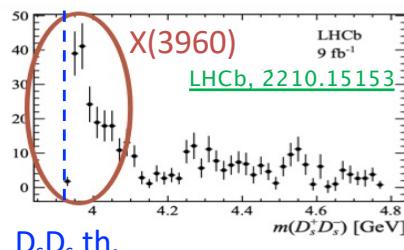
$$\frac{|c_{D\bar{D}}^2|}{|c_{D_s\bar{D}_s}^2|} = 0.02^{+0.02}_{-0.01}$$

$$T_{ij}(E_{cm}) \sim \frac{c_i c_j}{E_{cm}^2 - m^2}$$



$\bar{D}D - \bar{D}_s D_s$

$D_s D_s$ th.

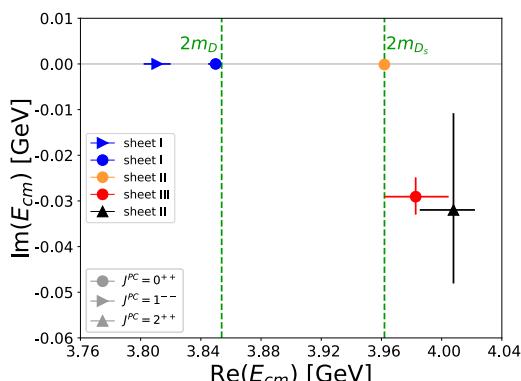


$\bar{D}D$

predicted in models [Oset et al, 0612179 PRD, Guo et al 2101.01021]

seen in re-analysis of exp. [Danilkin et al 2111.15033, Ji, F.K. Guo et al., 2212.00613]

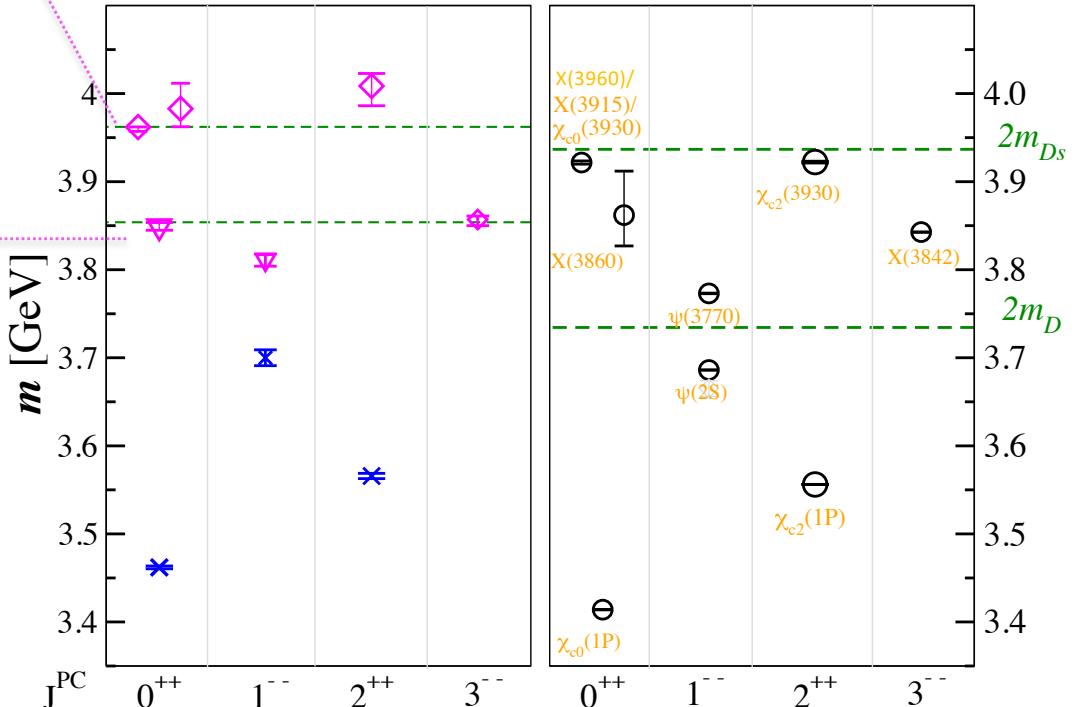
+ expected conventional charmonia



$m_\pi \simeq 280$ MeV

Lat

Exp



S.P. , Collins, Padmanath,
Mohler, Piemonte
2011.02541 JHEP,
1905.03506 PRD

CLS ensembles

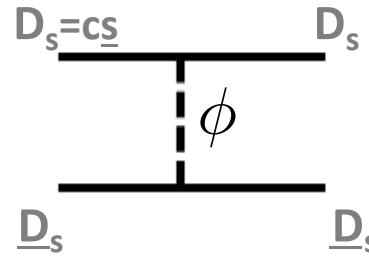
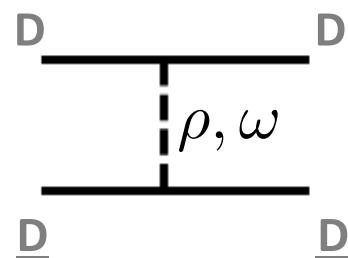
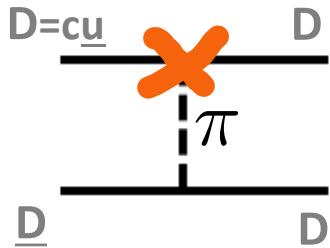
Likely interpretation of some near-threshold states: “molecules” attracted by V exchange

a number of pheno studies
 Oset et al, 0612179 PRD,
 Wu, Molina, Oset, Zou, 1007.0573, PRL
 Guo et al, 2101.01021,...

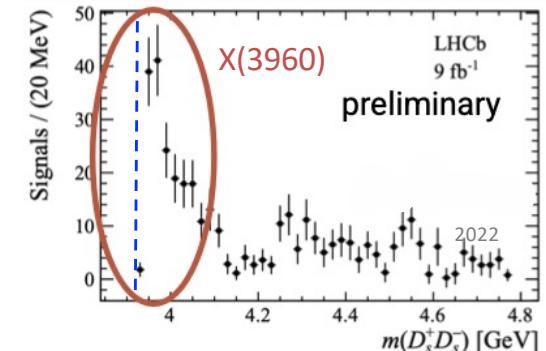
$\bar{c}q\bar{q}c$

$I=0$
 $J^P=0^+$

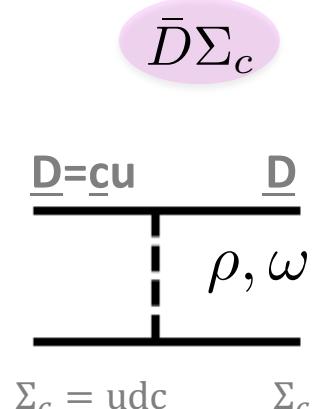
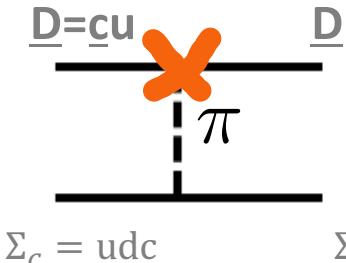
now support also from lattice



$D_s D_s$ th.

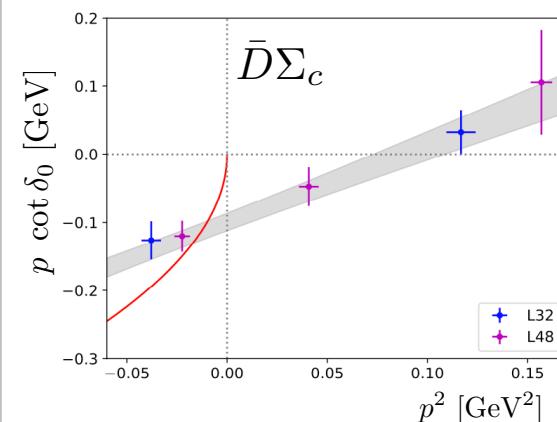


$c\bar{c}uud$



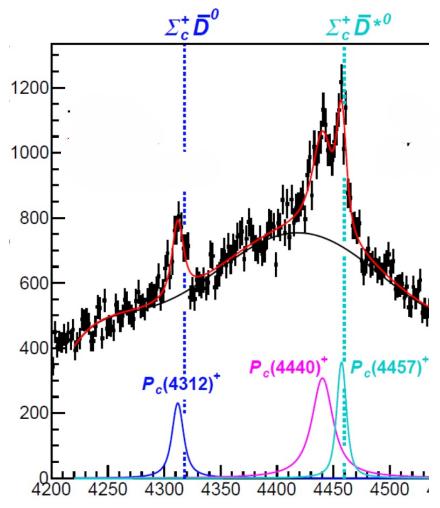
$\bar{D}\Sigma_c$, $\bar{D}^*\Sigma_c$ s-wave scattering from lat.

H. Xiang et al., 2210.08555 $m_\pi \approx 294$ MeV
 caution: coupling to charmonium+proton neglected



$$\begin{aligned} \bar{D} \Sigma_c : m_{P_c} - (m_D + m_{\Sigma_c}) &= -6 \text{ (3) MeV} \\ \bar{D}^* \Sigma_c : m'_{P_c} - (m_{D^*} + m_{\Sigma_c}) &= -7 \text{ (3) MeV} \end{aligned} \quad J^P=1/2^-$$

LHCb 2019



Doubly heavy tetraquarks

$QQ'\bar{q}\bar{q}'$

$Q=c,b$ $q=u,d,s$

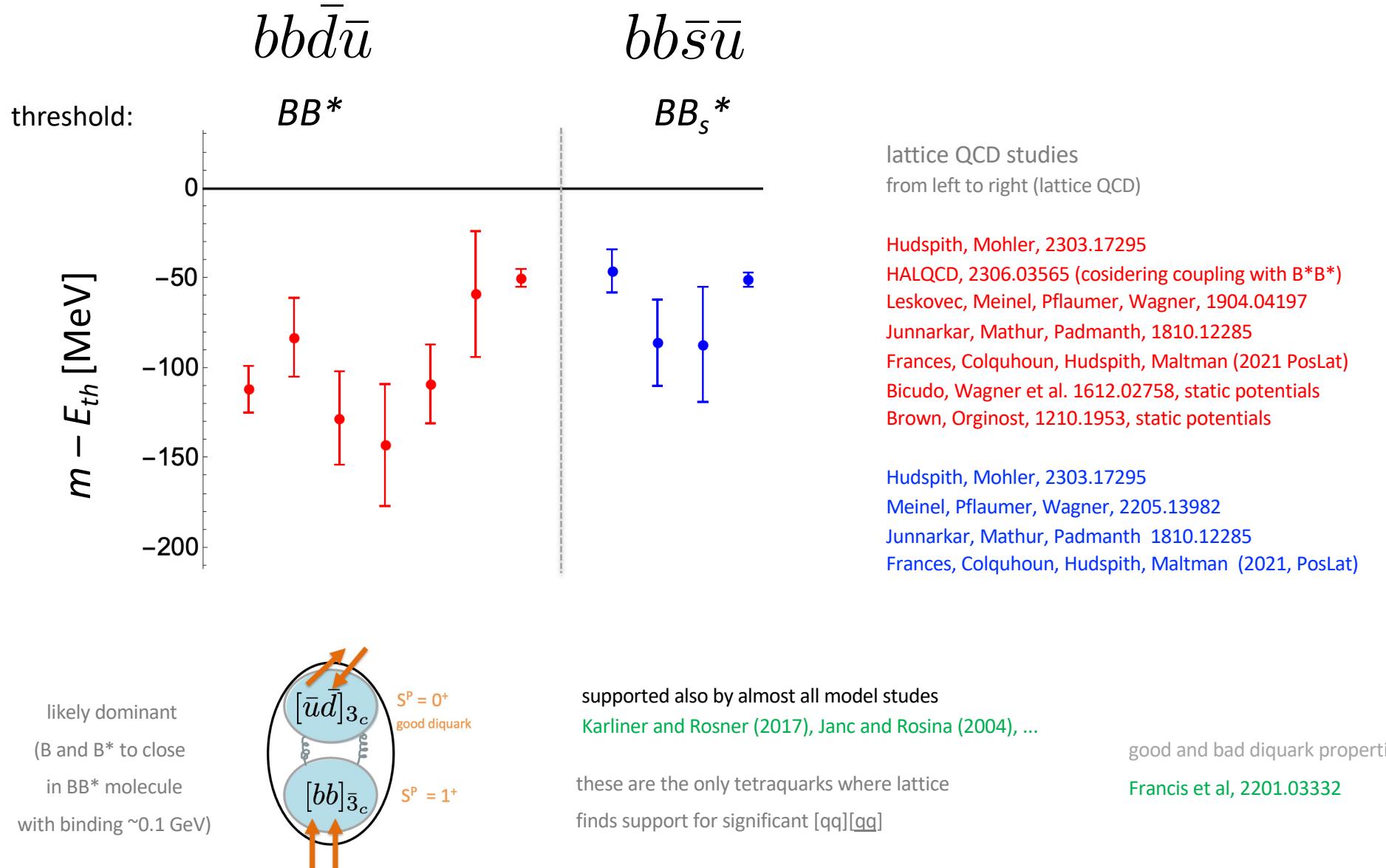
Doubly bottom tetraquarks

not found in exp, difficult to find

$bb\bar{d}\bar{u}$

$bb\bar{s}\bar{u}$

$I=0, J^P=1^+$



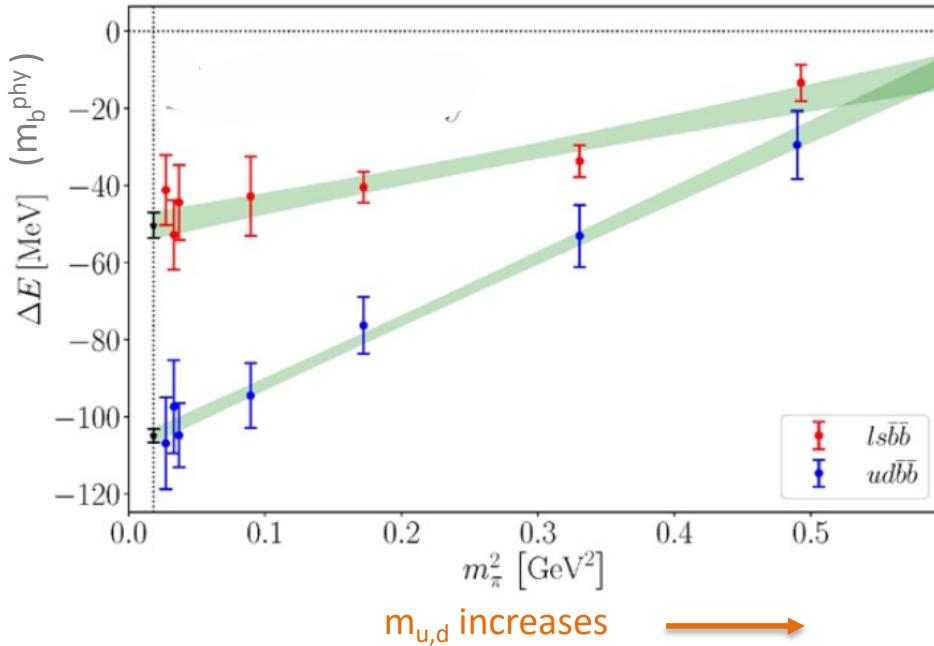
Doubly bottom tetraquarks

$b\bar{b}\bar{d}\bar{u}$

$b\bar{b}\bar{s}\bar{u}$

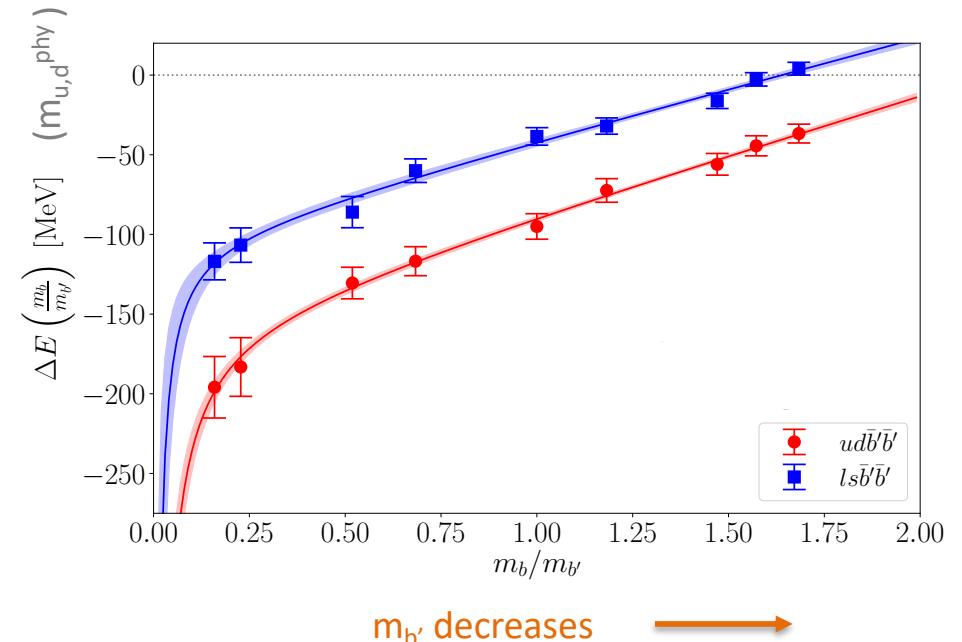
$I=0, J^P=1^+$

lattice: dependence on m_b and $m_{u,d}$



$m_{u,d}$ increases

Colquhoun, Francis, Hudspith, Maltman, Lewis
1810.10550, PoS LATTICE2021 (2022) 144



$m_{b'}$ decreases

Other $QQ'\bar{q}\bar{q}'$ and J^P : $bc\bar{q}\bar{q}', cc\bar{q}\bar{q}'$

Theoretically expected near or above threshold

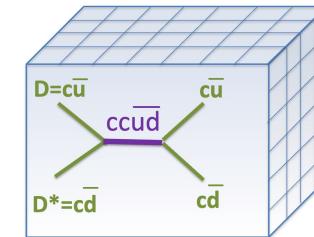
States near or above threshold have to be identified as poles in scattering $T(E)$: more challenging

Doubly charm tetraquark

dependence on $m_{u/d}$

$cc\bar{d}\bar{u}$

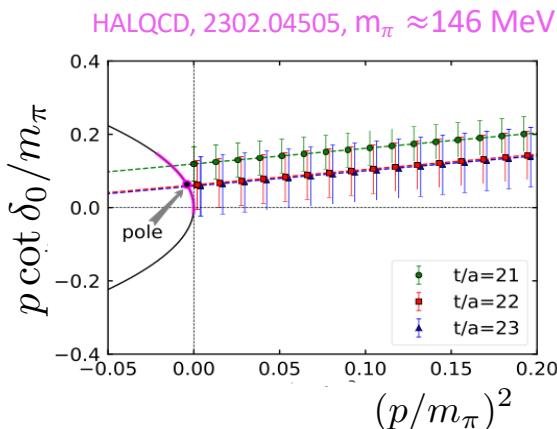
$I=0, J^P=1+$



D^* is stable
at these m_π

$$T(E) \propto \frac{1}{E^2 - m^2} \quad \text{for } E \sim m$$

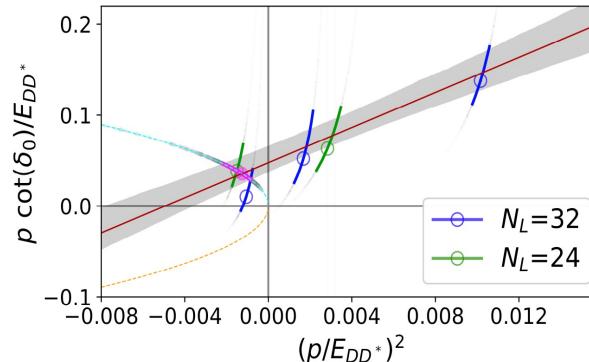
LHCb



-0.36(4) MeV -0.045(77) MeV

bound st.

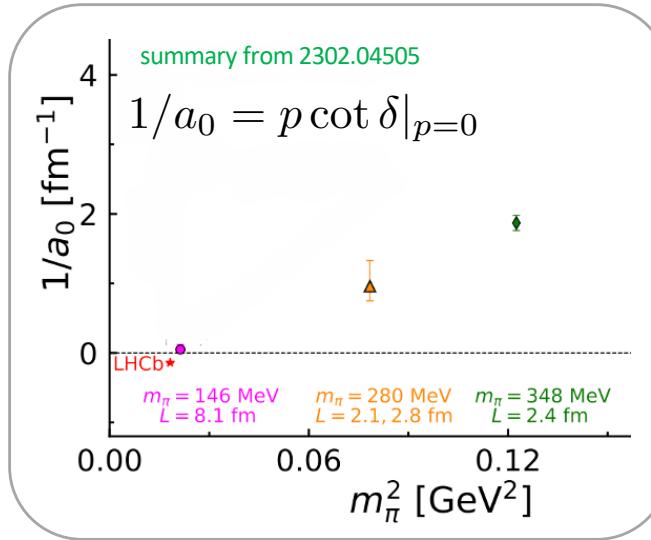
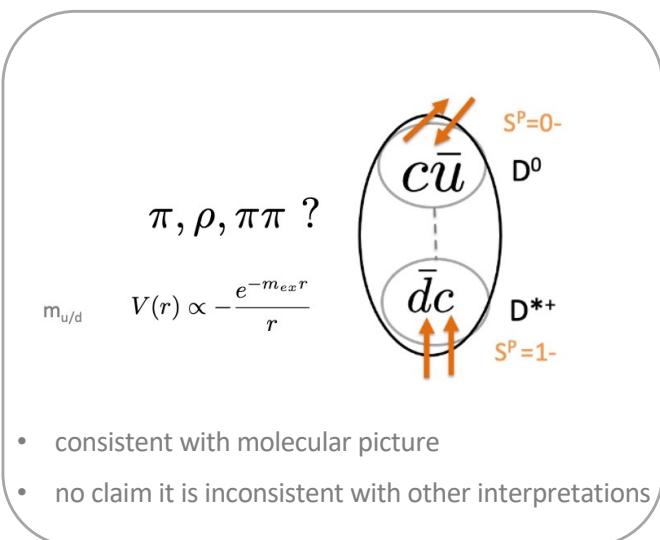
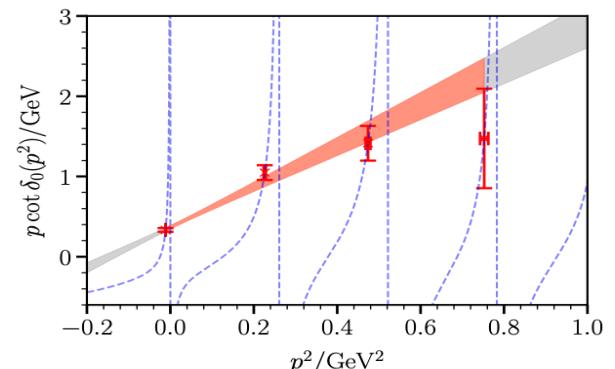
Padmanath, SP: 2202.10110, PRL, $m_\pi \approx 280$ MeV



-9.9(^{+3.6}/_{-7.2}) MeV : binding energy δm

virtual bound st. pole

CLQCD 2206.06185, PLB, $m_\pi \approx 348$ MeV



$$\frac{D \propto q^\mu D^*}{\pi(q)} \quad \frac{\pi(q)}{D^*} \quad \frac{D^*}{D}$$

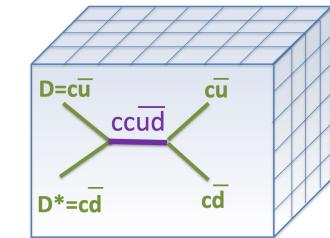
Disclaimer:

- the extraction of pole omits possible effect from the left hand cut
- investigated by Du, F.K. Guo, Nefediev et al. 2303.09441
- under ongoing investigation, keep tuned

Doubly charm tetraquark

$cc\bar{d}\bar{u}$

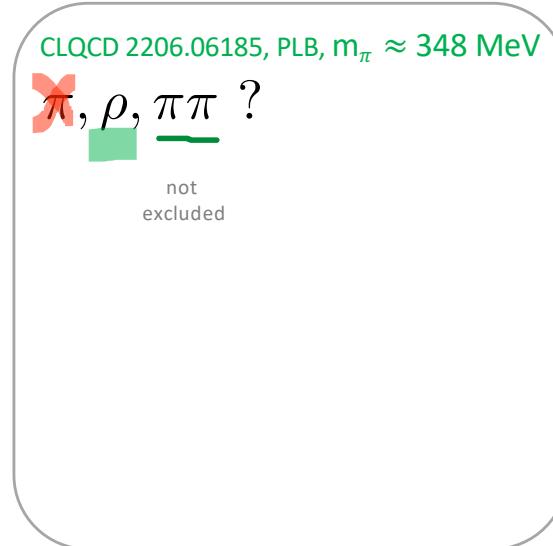
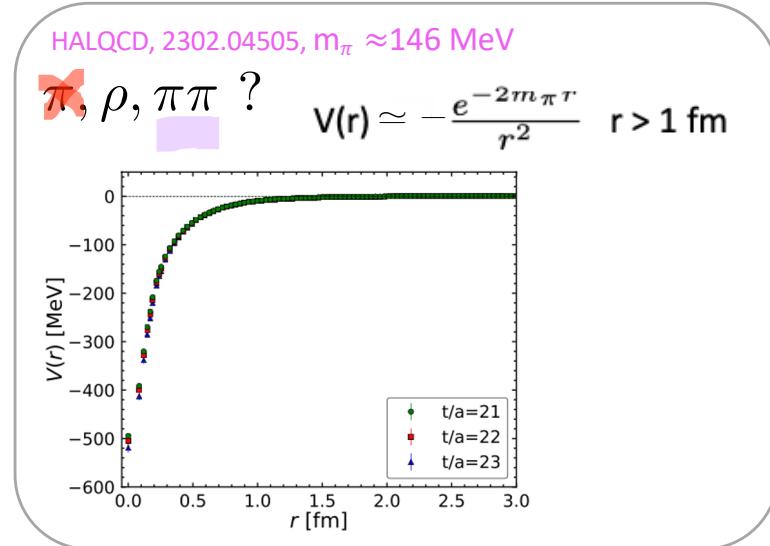
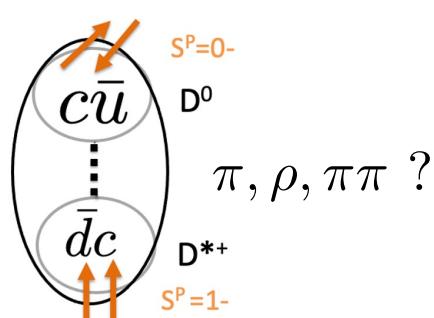
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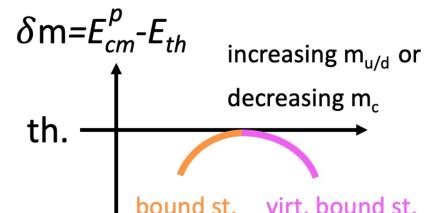
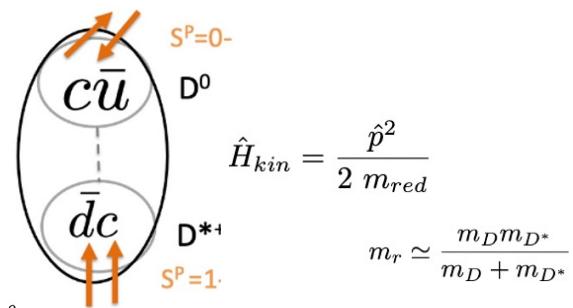
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dependence on $m_{u/d}$

Exchange of which particles drives the attraction within molecular picture?



dependence on m_c



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- trend verified for two charm quark masses

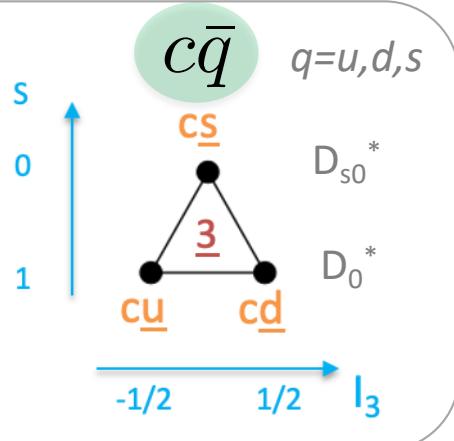
Heavy-light mesons

$Q\bar{q}$, $Q\bar{q} q\bar{q}$

Scalar heavy-light mesons

$J^P = 0^+$

Conventional
quark model



New paradigm

Lutz et al, 2003 PLB, 2209.10601

Du et al, 1712.07957, PRD

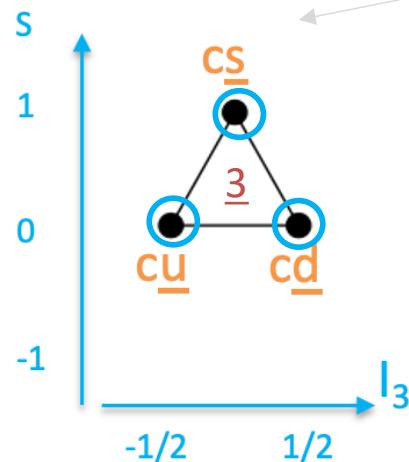
Albaladejo et al, 1610.06727,
Hanhart, Guo et al, 2212.07856,.....

Beveren, Rupp; Dmitrasinovic

$D_{s0}(2317)$: 70-100% 2.3 GeV
DK molecule

lat: 2.1-2.2 GeV (pole)

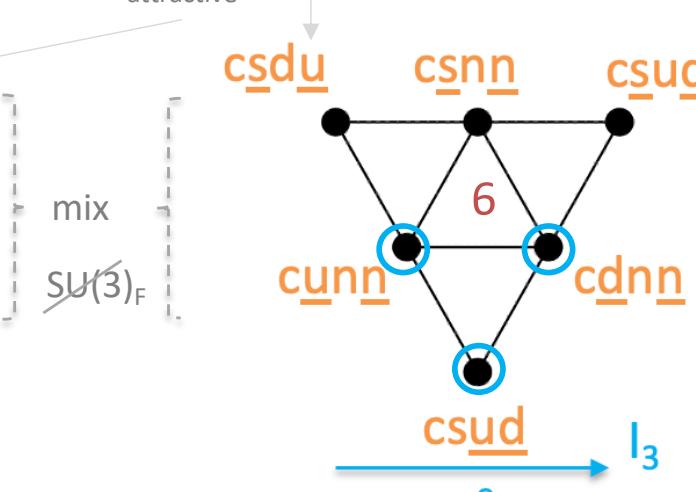
PDG: 2.3 GeV (BW)



$$c\bar{q} + c\bar{q} q\bar{q} \quad q=u,d,s \quad n=u,d$$

$$\underline{3} \otimes 8 = \underline{3} \oplus \underline{6} \oplus \underline{15} \quad SU(3)_F$$

most attractive attractive repulsive



mixes with 15

2.4-2.5 GeV
reanalysis of lat 1607.07093
by Albaladejo 1610.06727;
Hanhart et al. 2212.07856

virtual bound state
predicted UChPT 1610.06727
lat HadSpec 2008.06432
partner of X(2900)
[LHCb 2009.00025] ?

Scattering on the lattice

~~SU(3)_F~~

S=1 Mohler et al, 1308.3175, PRL

Lang et al, 1403.8103, PRD

RQCD, 1706.01247, PRD

HadSpec 2008.06432, JHEP

S=0 Mohler et al. 1208.4059, PRD

HadSpec, 1607.07093, JHEP

HadSpec 2102.04973, JHEP

S=-1 HadSpec, 2008.06432, JHEP

SU(3)_F: Gregory et al, 2106.15391

attraction in 6, repulsion in 15

Charm-light: $J^P=1^+$

$c\bar{u}$, $c\bar{q}q\bar{u}$

Bottom-strange: $J^P=0^+, 1^+$

predictions for missing states

PDG:

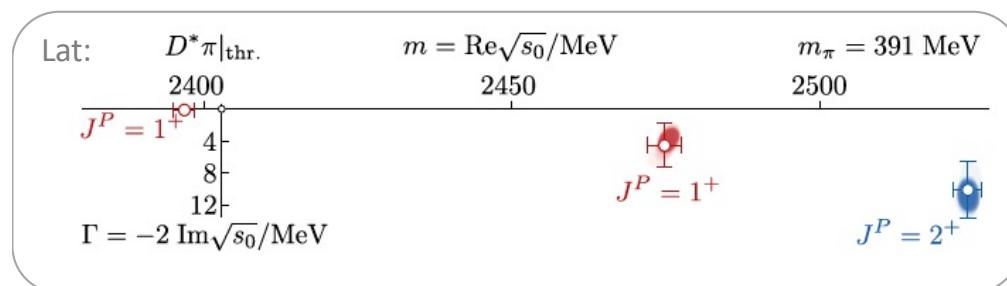
$D_1(2430)$

$m \approx 2412 \text{ MeV}$

$\Gamma \approx 315 \text{ MeV}$

$D_1(2420)$

$\Gamma \approx 30 \text{ MeV}$

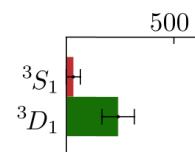
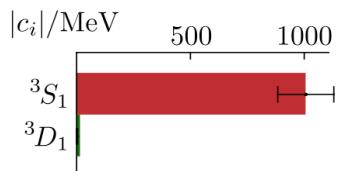


$D_1 \rightarrow D^*\pi$

S-wave

$D_1 \rightarrow D^*\pi$

D-wave

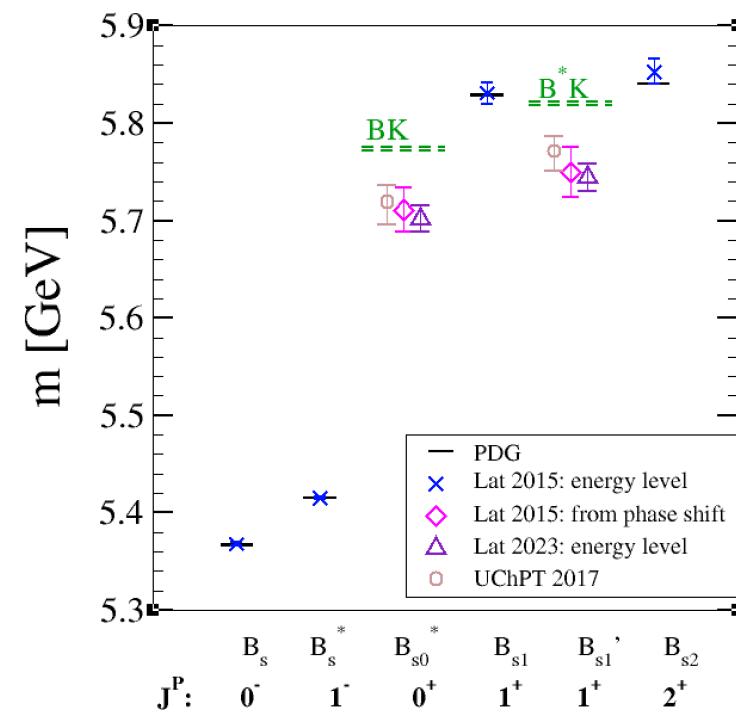


$$T_{ij}(E_{cm}) \sim \frac{c_i c_j}{E_{cm}^2 - m^2}$$

HQET expectations confirmed

HQET: Isgur & Wise, PRL 1991,

Lat: N. Lang & D. Wilson, HadSpec, 2205.05026, PRL



Lat 2015: Lang, Mohler, SP, Woloshyn, 1501.01646

Lat 2023: Hudspith, Mohler, 2303.17295

UChPT 2017: Du et al, 1712.07957

quark model ($b\bar{s}$ + BK): Yang et al, 2207.07320

quark model ($b\bar{s}$): B_s0 and B_s1 at or above threshold

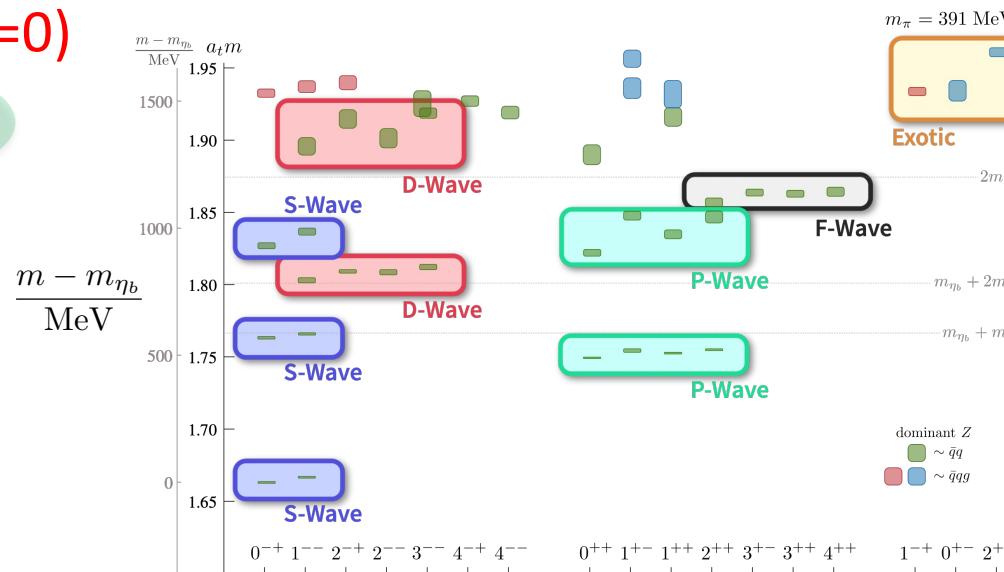
bottomonium(like) sector



Bottomonia (I=0)

$\bar{b} b$ $\bar{b} G b$

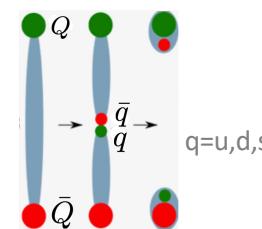
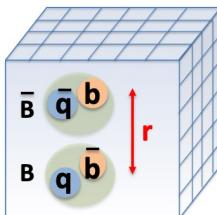
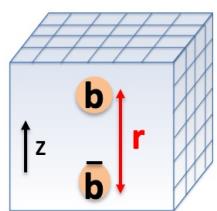
non-static b quarks



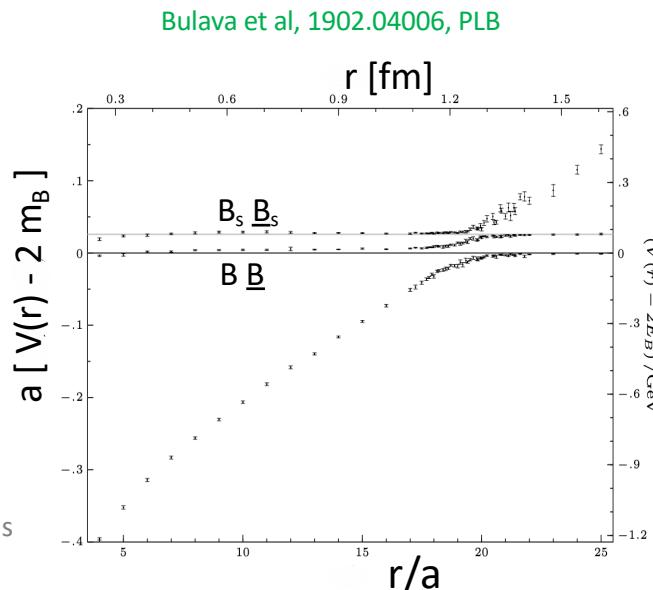
relativistic b quarks
Ryan & Wilson (HadSpec)
2008.02656, JHEP

omitting effects from
strong decays and thresholds

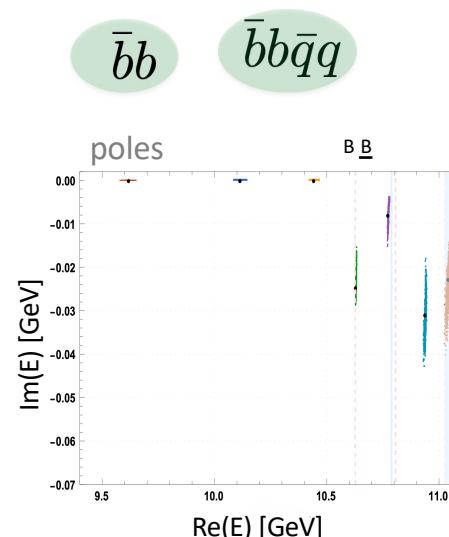
static potentials



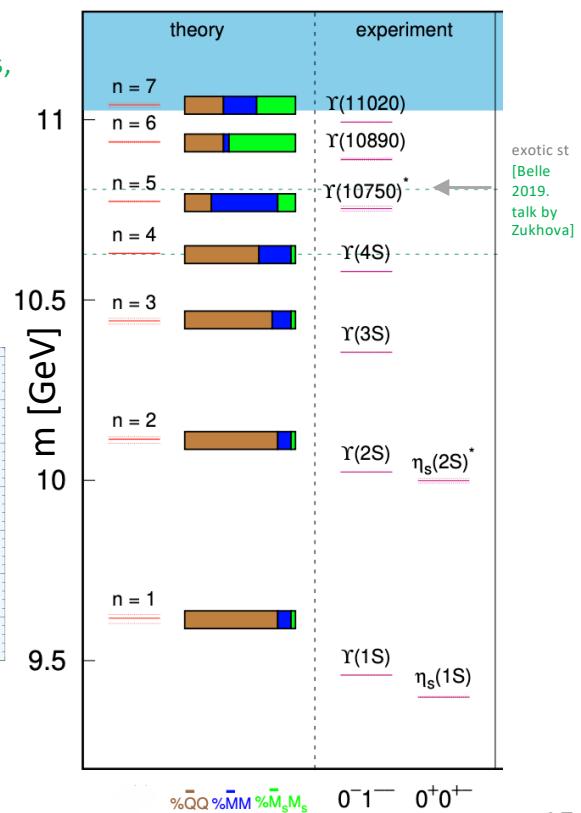
string breaking
SESAM, Bali et al, 2005, 0505012



Bicudo, Cardoso, Mueller, Wagner, 2205.11475,
 $\sim J=0$: here; $\sim J=1,2,3$ in the paper;
 $\sim J$ =total ang. mom. without heavy quark spins



see also: Castella, 2207.09365, 2207.09365



Bottomonium-like states

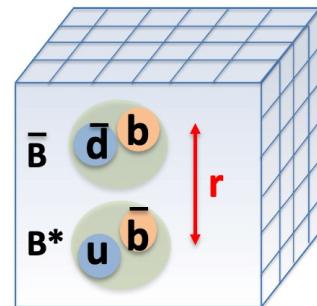
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$$I=1, J^P=1^+$$

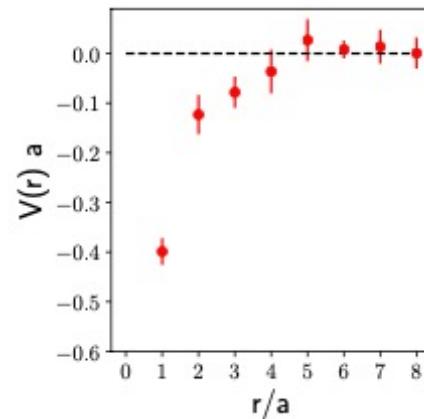
$\bar{b} b \bar{d} u$

$$\bar{b} b \bar{d} u \rightarrow B \bar{B}^*$$

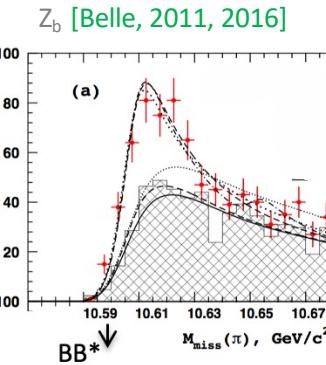
$$\Upsilon_\pi$$



Peters, Wagner, Bicudo
SP, Bahtiyar, Petkovic, Sadl 2019, 2020



bound state just below $\underline{B}\bar{B}$ * th.
likely related to



Brambilla, 2111.10788;
Soto & Castella, 2005.00552

static potentials

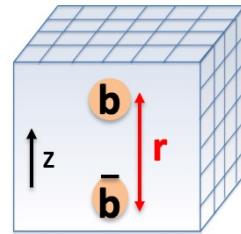
$$I=0, \text{ varius } J^P$$

$\bar{b} b$

$\bar{b} G b$

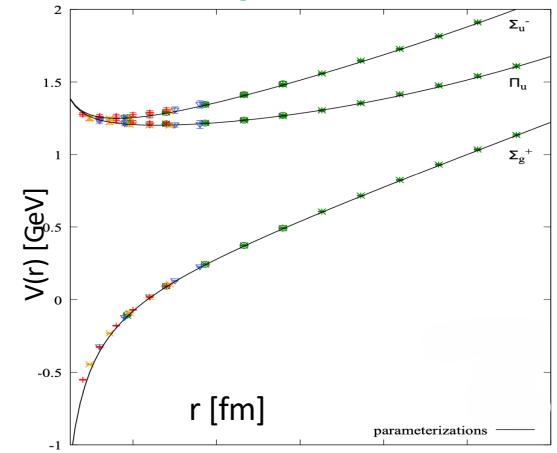
omit strong decays

quenched



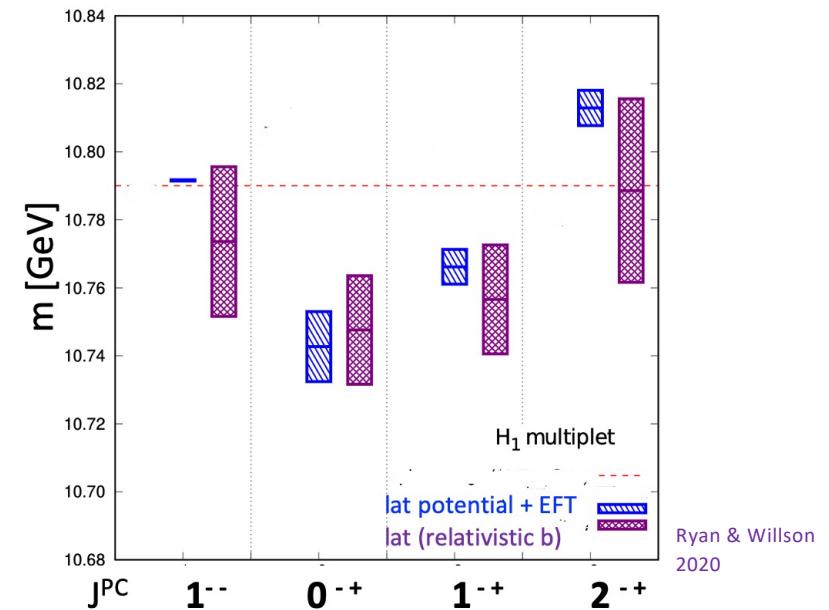
Juge, Kuti, Morningstar, 1997, 1998

Schlosser & Wagner, 2111.00741



$\bar{b} G b$

Segovia, Tarrus; Brambilla @ MITP 2022
(with 1/mb spin effects)



see also: Brambilla et al, 1805.07713, 1908.11699, 2212.09187

Di-baryons with heavy quarks

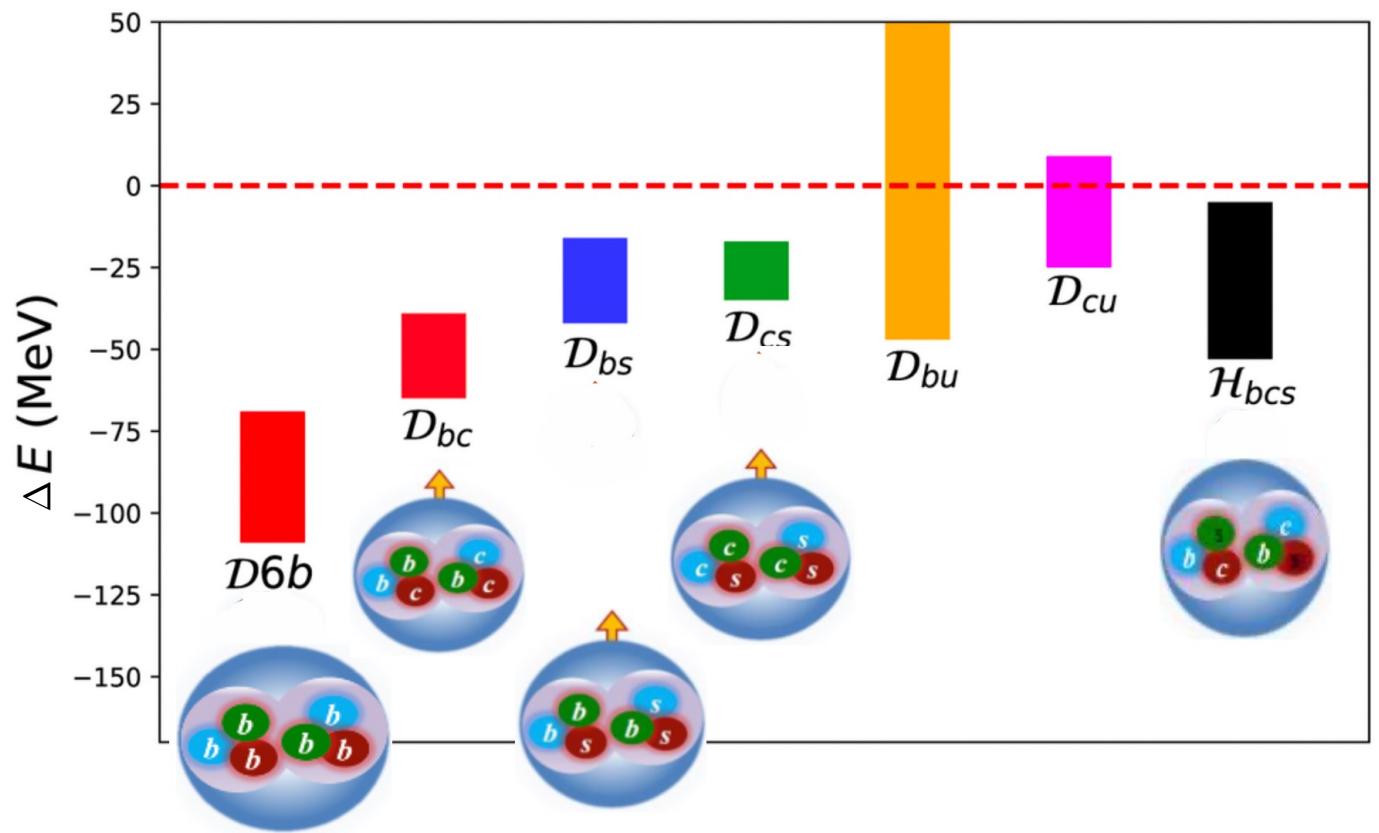
Junnarkar Mathur
1906.06054, PRL

Mathur, Padmanath, Chakraborty
2205.02862

Junnarkar, Mathur, 2206.02942, PRL

binding energy

$$\Delta E = m - m_{B1} - m_{B2}$$



Looking ahead

now: Evolution in Euclidian time

$$t_E = -i t_M$$

$$C(t_E) = \sum_n A_n e^{-E_n t_E}$$

drawbacks:

- contribution of excited En suppressed
- all En below the energy of interest must be extracted

quantum computers: evolution in real Minkowski time

not ready to render conclusions concerning QCD yet, hopefully it will some day

$$C(t_M) = \sum_n B_n e^{-i E_n t_M}$$

[Y. Atas et al, 2207.03473](#)

Simulating one-dimensional quantum chromodynamics on a quantum computer:
Real-time evolutions of tetra- and pentaquarks

Example: mixing of states with one flavor q (with rather heavy mass)

$$\bar{q}\bar{q}\bar{q} \; qqq = |\bar{B}B\rangle = \left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle$$

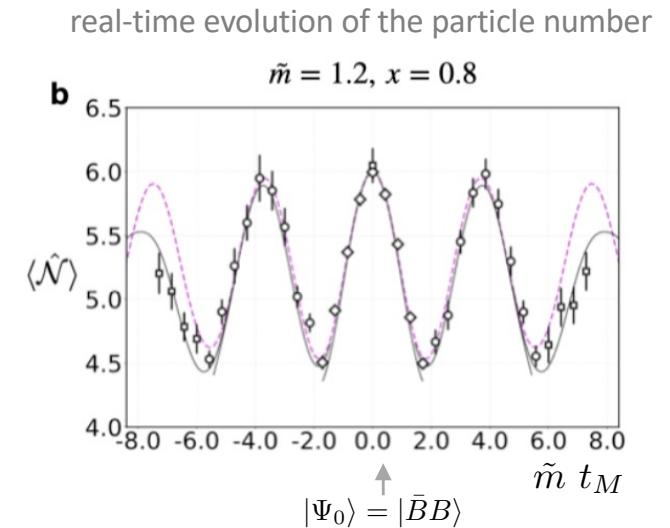
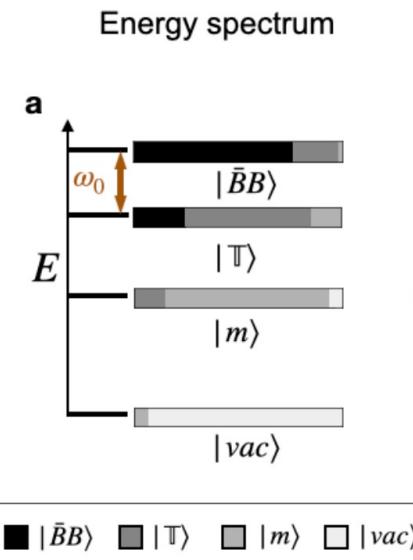
$$[\bar{q}\bar{q}] \; [qq] = |\bar{T}T\rangle = \left(\left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle \right) / \sqrt{3}$$

Antidiquark-diquark superposition

$$\bar{q}q = |m\rangle = \left(\left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle + \left| \begin{array}{c} \bar{q} \\ q \\ q \\ q \end{array} \right\rangle \right) / \sqrt{3}$$

Antiquark-quark superposition

$$|vac\rangle = \left| \begin{array}{c} \circ \\ \circ \\ \circ \\ \circ \end{array} \right\rangle$$



$$\langle \hat{N}(t) \rangle = \langle \Psi_0 | e^{it\hat{H}^{(3)}} \hat{H}_m^{(3)} e^{-it\hat{H}^{(3)}} | \Psi_0 \rangle$$

$$t = t_M$$

$\bar{B}B \leftrightarrow T$ mixing

Conclusions

Compliments to experimental colleagues for great results

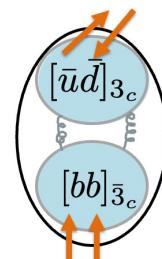
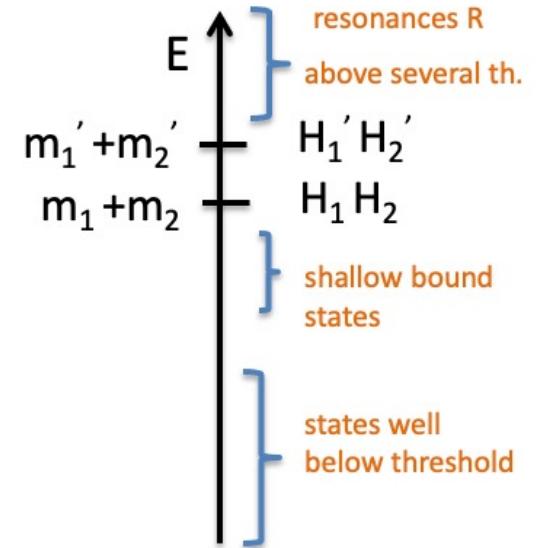
Status on hadrons from Lattice :

- hadrons that are not resolved (yet)
strongly decay via many decay channels: $Z_c(4430)$, $X(6900)$, ...
- available: valuable results on conventional and exotic hadrons
strongly stable ; strongly decaying to 1,2,3 channels

support for specific binding mechanisms

one picture can not explain all exotic hadrons

for each exotic hadron there is at least one viable picture



certain charmonium-like states

A direction that might lead to a valuable insight into dynamics of hadrons:

identify and inspect states that can be rigorously studied by theory and well explored by experiments
quark-mass dependence of these states in theory ... could lead to further clues about their nature

backup

Conventional hadrons



Exotic hadrons

minimal quark content

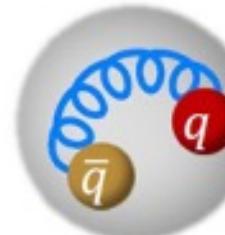
tetraquark



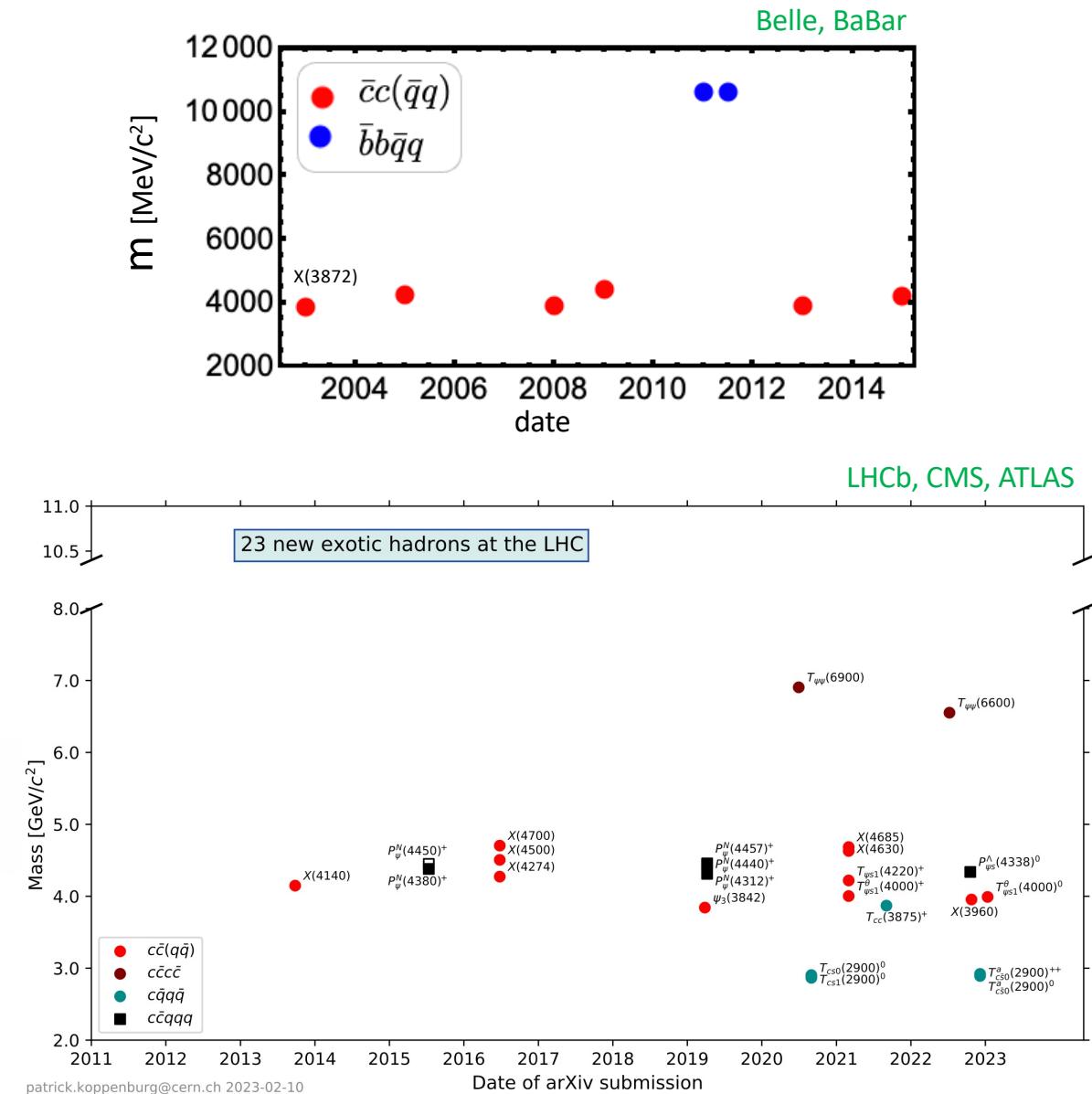
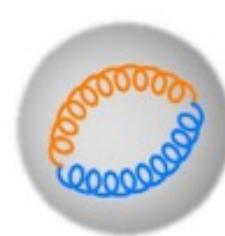
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hybrid meson



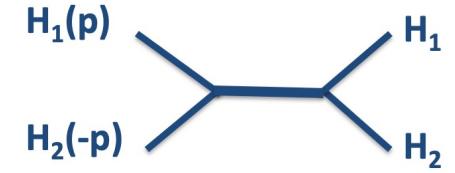
glueball



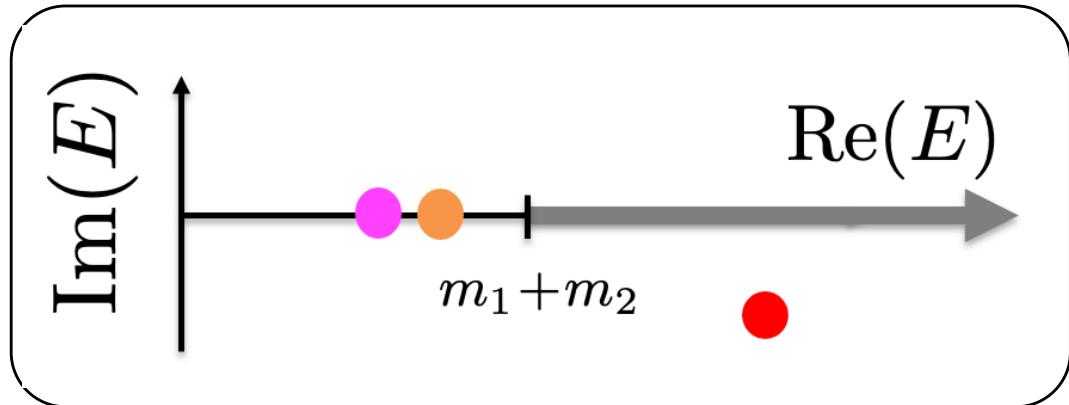
Definitions: bound state, virtual bound state & resonance

$$T(E) \propto \frac{1}{E^2 - m^2}$$

$$T(E) \propto \frac{1}{E^2 - m^2 + iE\Gamma}$$



Poles of $T(E)$, $E=E_{cm}$



Virtual bound st.

$$p = -i|p|$$

Bound st.

$$p = i|p|$$

Resonance

$$E = \sqrt{m_1^2 + p^2} + \sqrt{m_2^2 + (-p)^2} < m_1 + m_2$$