Risultati recenti di BESIII

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- The BESIII experiment
- Charmonium spectrum
 - The X, Y, Z states
- Conclusion

Beijing Electron Positron Collider II

BESIII Detector

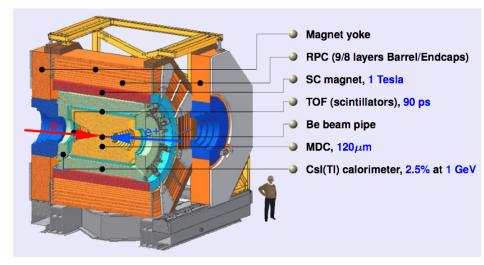
2004: BEPCII/BESIII Construction Double ring Beam energy: 1-2.3 GeV Designed Luminosity 1x10³³cm⁻² s⁻¹ 2008: test run 2009-today: BESIII physics run 2014: Luminosity: 0.85 x 10³³cm⁻² s⁻¹

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The BESIII detector



BESIII physics program

- Hadron spectroscopy
 - search for the new forms of hadrons
 - meson spectroscopy
 - baryon spectroscopy
- Study of the production and decay mechanisms of charmonium states: J/ψ , $\psi(2S)$, $\eta_c(1S)$, $\chi_{c0,1,2}$, $\eta_c(2S)$, $h_c({}^1P_1)$, $\psi(3770)$...
 - calibrate QCD
 - XYZ states
- Precision measurement of R value, hadron form factor
- Charm physics, charmed baryon
- Rare decays, new physics

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0.024 fb ⁻¹	au mass scan at around 3.554 GeV	2011
1.9 fb ⁻¹	Y(4260) at 4.23 GeV and 4.26 GeV	2013
0.5 fb ⁻¹	Y(4360) at 4.36 GeV	2013
0.5 fb ⁻¹	Y(4260) and Y(4360) scan	2013
0.8 fb ⁻¹	R scan, 104 energy points between 3.85 and 4.59 GeV	2014
1.0 fb ⁻¹	at 4.42 GeV	2014
0.1 fb ⁻¹	at 4.47 GeV and 4.53 GeV for line shape	2014
0.04 fb ⁻¹	at 4.575 GeV (around the threshold of Lambda Charm)	2014
0.5 fb ⁻¹	at 4.60 GeV	2014

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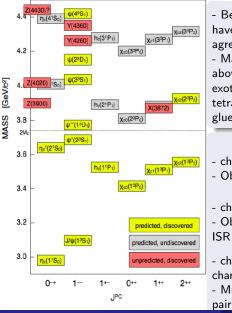
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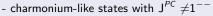


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- Below the $D\bar{D}$ threshold, all expected states have been observed, with properties in good agreement with theory.

- Many unexpected states have been reported above the $D\bar{D}$ threshold (XYZ). Several exotic hypotheses as to their nature: tetraquarks, hadronic molecules, hybrids, glueballs, hadro-quarkonia.

X states:



- Observed in B decays, pp and $p\bar{p}$ collisions

Y states:

- charmonium-like states with $\mathsf{J}^{PC}=\!\!1^{--}$
- Observed in direct e^+e^- annihilation or in ISR

Z states:

- charmonium-like states carrying electric charge
- Must contain at least a $c \bar{c}$ and a light $q \bar{q}$

Exotic charmonium-like states interpretation

Molecular state:

loosely bound state of a pair of mesons. The dominant binding mechanism should be pion exchange. Being weakly bound, mesons tend to decay as if they were free. NA Tornqvist PLB 590, 209 (2004) ES Swanson PLB 598,197 (2004) E Braaten & T Kusunoki PRD 69 074005 (2004) CY Wong PRC 69, 055202 (2004) MB Voloshin PLB 579, 316 (2004) F Close & P Page PLB 578,119 (2004)



Tetraquark:

Bound state of four quarks, i.e. diquark-antidiquark Strong decays proceed via rearrangement processes. L Maiani et al PRD 71,014028 (2005) T-W Chiu & TH Hsieh PRD 73, 111503 (2006) D Ebert et al PLB 634, 214 (2006)

Distinctive features of multi-quark picture with respect to charmonium:

- prediction of many new states
- possible existence of states with non-zero charge, strangeness or both.



Charmonium hybrids

States with an excited gluonic degree of freedom Lattice and model predictions for the lowest lying hybrid: m ~4200 MeV P Lacock et al (UKQCD) PLB 401, 308 (1997) SL Zhu PLB 625, 212 (2005) FE Close, PR Page PLB 628, 215 (2005) E Kou, O Pene PLB 631, 164 (2005)

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Conventional charmonium

C Meng & KT Chao PRD 75, 114002 (2007) W Dunwoodie & V Ziegler PRL 100 062006 (2008) O Zhang, C Meng & HQ Zheng arXiv:0901.1553

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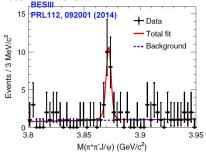
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Observation of $e^+e^- \to \gamma X(3872)$ - PRL 112, 092001(2014)

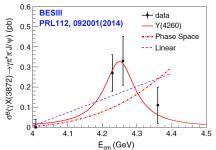
- The X(3872) was discovered by Belle in $J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$, PRL 110,252002(2013). $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ - BESIII: Study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)$, $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$ at center of mass energies from 4.009 to 4.420 GeV.



- Study of the energy dependent cross section - The fit with a Y(4260) resonance gives a better description of the data ($\chi^2/ndf = 0.49/3$ at 90% CL)

- These observations strongly support the existence of the radiative transition process $Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)$

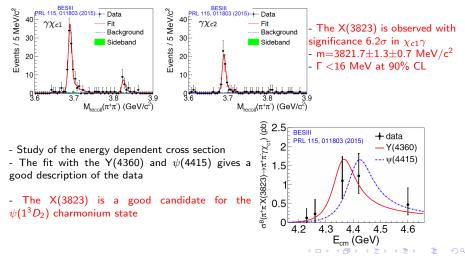
- The X(3872) is observed with significance 6.3σ
- $-m=3871.9\pm0.7\pm0.2 \text{ MeV/c}^2$



Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- X(3823)$ - PRL 115, 011803 (2015)

- The X(3823) was discovered by Belle in $B \rightarrow \chi_{c1}\gamma K$, PRL 111,032001(2013). Mass and width consistent with the missing $\psi(1^3D_2)$ state

- BESIII: Study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- X(3823)$, $X(3823) \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{c1,c2}$ at center of mass energies from 4.19 to 4.6 GeV, with 4.67 fb⁻¹.



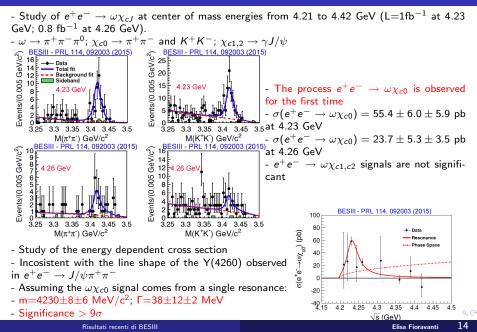
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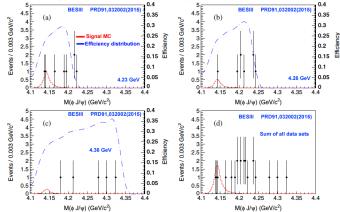
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Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega \chi_{c0}$ - PRL 114, 092003 (2015)



- The Y(4140) was discovered by CDF in $B^+ \rightarrow \phi J/\psi K^+$, PRL102,242002 (2009). Not observed by Belle and LHCb.

- BESIII: Search for Y(4140) decays into $\phi J/\psi$ through the process $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma \phi J/\psi$ with 1094 pb⁻¹ at 4.23 GeV, 827 pb⁻¹ at 4.26 GeV and 545 pb⁻¹ at 4.36 GeV



$$\sigma^B \cdot B = \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma Y(4140)) \cdot B(Y(4140) \rightarrow \phi J/\psi)$$
:
at 4.23 GeV: <0.35 pb at 90% CL
at 4.26 GeV: <0.28 pb at 90% CL
at 4.36 GeV: <0.33 pb at 90% CL

Compared with X(3872) production PRL 112, 092001:

 $\sigma^B \cdot \mathcal{B} = \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)) \cdot \mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi):$ at 4.23 GeV: 0.27 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.02 pb at 4.26 GeV: 0.33 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.02 pb

They are of the same order of magnitude!

Considering $\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi)=5\%$ arXiv:0910.3138 and $\mathcal{B}(Y(4140) \rightarrow \phi J/\psi)=30\%$ PRD80, 054019 (molecular calculation)

 $\frac{\sigma^B(e^+e^- \to \gamma Y(4140))}{\sigma(e^+e^- \to \gamma X(3872))} \le 0.1 \text{ at } 4.23 \text{ and } 4.26 \text{ GeV}$

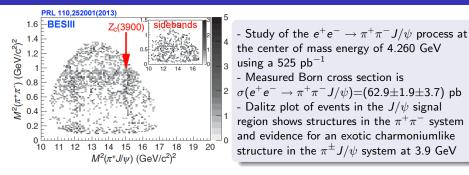
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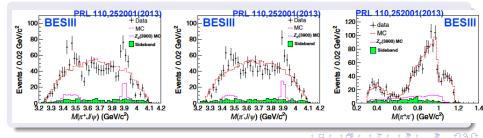
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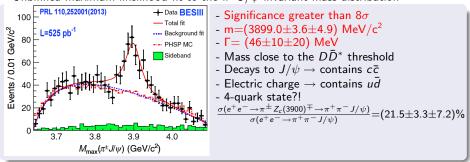
Discovery of the $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$ - PRL 110, 252001 (2013)

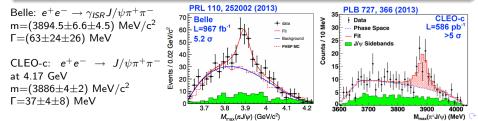




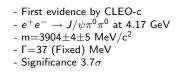
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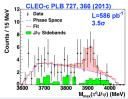
- Choosing the heavier J/ψ combination per events removes reflection at 3.45 GeV/c² - Unbinned maximum likelihood fit to the $\pi^{\pm}J/\psi$ invariant mass distribution

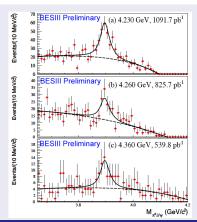




Search for a neutral $Z_c(3900)$ isospin partner - Accepted by PRL







- Observation of the $Z_c(3900)^0$ decaying into $J/\psi\pi^0$ in $e^-e^-\to\pi^0\pi^0J/\psi$ using 2.5 fb^{-1} data sample

- Simultaneous fit to the $J/\psi\pi^0$ invariant mass distributions for the three data samples: \sqrt{s} =4.230 GeV, 4.260 GeV, 4.360 GeV

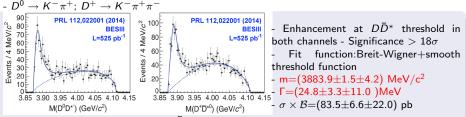
m=3894.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 3.2 MeV/c²; Γ =29.6 \pm 8.2 \pm 8.2 MeV; Significance 10.4 σ

Isospin triplet is established!

Observation of $Z_c(3885)^{\pm}$ in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}(D\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$ using single D tagmethod - PRL 112, 022001 (2014)

- Study of the $e^+e^- o \pi^\pm (Dar D^*)^\mp$ at $\sqrt{s}{=}4.26~{
m GeV}$ using a 525 pb $^{-1}$

- Single D tag method: Reconstruction of the π and one final state D meson; the presence of the \bar{D}^* is inferred from energy-momentum conservation.

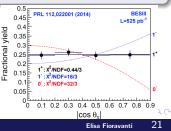


Parameters similar to $Z_c(3900)$. A J^P quantum number determination for the $Z_c(3900)$ needed

Fit to angular distribution favours $J^P = 1^+$ If this is $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$, the ratio of partial decay widths is: $\frac{\Gamma(Z_c(3865) \rightarrow D\bar{D}^*)}{\Gamma(Z_c(3900) \rightarrow \pi J/\psi)} = 6.2 \pm 1.1 \pm 2.7$ This ratio is much smaller than typical values for decays of conventional charmonium states above the open charm threshold:

$$\frac{\Gamma(\psi(3770) \to D\bar{D})}{\Gamma(\psi(3770) \to \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi)} = 482 \pm 84$$

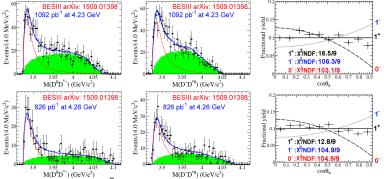
This suggests the influence of very different dynamics in the Y(4260)- $Z_c(3900)$ system



Confirmation of $Z_c(3885)^{\pm}$ in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}(D\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$ using double D tag method - arXiv:1509.01398

- Combined study of the processes $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+D^0D^{*-}$ ($\pi^+D^0\bar{D}^0$ -tag.) and $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+D^-D^{*0}$ ($\pi^+D^-D^0$ -tag.) using 1092 pb⁻¹ at \sqrt{s} =4.23 GeV and 826 pb⁻¹ at \sqrt{s} =4.26 GeV.

- Double tag method: reconstruction of the bachelor π and $D\bar{D}$ pair: this allows to use more D decays modes and effectively suppresses background.

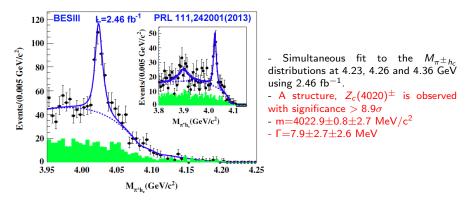


- Simultaneous fit to the $M(D\bar{D}^*)$ distributions for the two processes.

- m=3881.7 \pm 1.6 \pm 2.1 MeV/c²; Γ =26.6 \pm 2.0 \pm 2.3 MeV; Significance > 10 σ
- The angular distribution is consistent with $J^P = 1^+$.
- The measured mass, width and quantum numbers are consistent with single D tag results.

Observation of $Z_c(4020)^{\pm}$ in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c$ - PRL 111, 242001(2013)

-Study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c$ at center of mass energies from 3.90 to 4.42 GeV. - $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$; η_c reconstructed in 16 hadronic decay modes



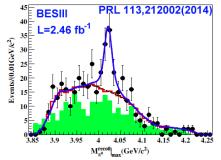
 $\begin{array}{l} -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^\pm Z_c(4020)^\mp \to \pi^+\pi^-h_c) = 8.7 \pm 1.9 \pm 2.8 \pm 1.4 \text{ pb at } 4.23 \text{ GeV} \\ -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^\pm Z_c(4020)^\mp \to \pi^+\pi^-h_c) = 7.4 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.1 \pm 1.2 \text{ pb at } 4.26 \text{ GeV} \\ -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^\pm Z_c(4020)^\mp \to \pi^+\pi^-h_c) = 10.3 \pm 2.3 \pm 3.1 \pm 1.6 \text{ pb at } 4.36 \text{ GeV} \end{array}$

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Observation of $Z_c(4020)^0$ in $e^+e^- \to \pi^0\pi^0h_c$ - PRL 113, 212002(2014)

-Study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0h_c$ at center of mass energies of 4.23, 4.26 and 4.36 GeV using 2.46 fb⁻¹.

- $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$; η_c reconstructed in 16 hadronic decay modes



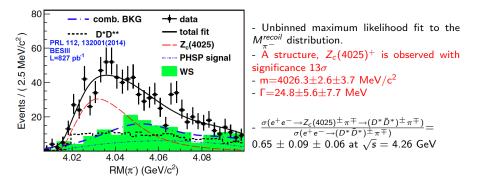
- Simultaneous fit to the $M_{\pi^0}^{recoil}$ distributions.
- A structure, $Z_c(4020)^0$ is observed with significance $>5\sigma$
- m=4023.9 \pm 2.2 \pm 3.8 MeV/c²
- Width is fixed to be the same as its charged partner
- Another isospin triplet is established!

 $\begin{array}{l} -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^0 Z_c(4020)^0 \to \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c) = 6.5 \pm 2.2 \pm 0.7 \pm 1.0 \text{ pb at } 4.23 \text{ GeV} \\ -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^0 Z_c(4020)^0 \to \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c) = 8.5 \pm 2.9 \pm 1.1 \pm 1.3 \text{ pb at } 4.26 \text{ GeV} \\ -\sigma(e^+e^- \to \pi^0 Z_c(4020)^0 \to \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c) = 9.9 \pm 4.1 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.5 \text{ pb at } 4.36 \text{ GeV} \end{array}$

The combined ratio $\mathcal{R}_{\pi Z_c(4020)} = \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 Z_c(4020)^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c)}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} Z_c(4020)^{\mp} \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- h_c} = 0.99 \pm 0.31$ with is well within 1σ of the expectation of isospin symmetry 1.0

Observation of $Z_c(4025)^{\pm}$ in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}(D^*\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$ - PRL112,132001(2014)

-Study of $e^+e^- \to \pi^{\pm}(D^*\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$ at 4.26 GeV using 827 pb⁻¹. - Only the bachelor π^- , the D^+ decaying from $D^{*+} \to D^+\pi^0$ and at least one soft π^0 from $D^{*+} \to D^+\pi^0$ or $\bar{D}^{*0} \to \bar{D}^0\pi^0$ decay are reconstructed.

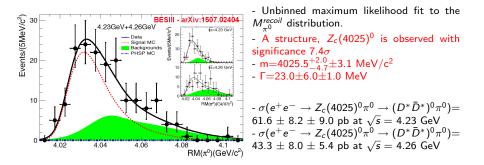


To validate the establishment of $Z_c(4025)$ a rigorous spin analysis is required based on a larger data sample.

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Observation of $Z_c(4025)^0$ in $e^+e^- \to \pi^0 (D^*\bar{D}^*)^0$ - arXiv:1507.02404

-Study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 (D^*\bar{D}^*)^0$ at 4.26 GeV using 1092 pb⁻¹ at \sqrt{s} =4.23 GeV and 826 pb⁻¹ at \sqrt{s} =4.26 GeV.



 $\begin{array}{l} \frac{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Z_c(4025)^0\pi^0 \rightarrow (D^*\bar{D}^*)^0\pi^0)}{\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Z_c(4025)^+\pi^- \rightarrow (D^*\bar{D}^*)^+\pi^-)} \mbox{ compatible with unit at } \sqrt{s} = 4.26 \mbox{ GeV, which is expected from isospin symmetry} \\ \mbox{ In addition the } Z_c(4025)^0 \mbox{ has mass and width very close to those of the } Z_c(4025)^{\pm}. \\ \mbox{ Therefore the observed } Z_c(4025)^0 \mbox{ state is a good candidate to be the isospin partner of } Z_c(4025)^{\pm}. \end{array}$

State	$\begin{array}{c} Process \\ e^+ e^- \to \end{array}$	Decay Mode	Mass (MeV)	Width (MeV)	Ref
$Z_{c}(3900)^{\pm}$	$\pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$	$J/\psi \pi^{\pm}$	$3899.0 {\pm} 3.6 {\pm} 4.9$	$46{\pm}10{\pm}20$	PRL110,252001(2013)
$Z_c(3900)^0$	$\pi^0 \pi^0 J/\psi$	$J/\psi\pi^0$	$3894.8 {\pm} 2.3 {\pm} 3.2$	$29.6 {\pm} 8.2 {\pm} 8.2$	Preliminary
$Z_c(3885)^{\pm}$	$\pi^{\pm}(D\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$	$D^0 D^{*-} \ D^+ \bar{D}^{*0}$	3883.9±1.5±4.2	24.8±3.3±11.0	PRL112,022001(2014) Single D tag
$Z_c(3885)^{\pm}$	$\pi^{\pm}(D\bar{D}^*)^{\mp}$	$D^0 D^{*-} D^- \bar{D}^{*0}$	$3881.7{\pm}1.6{\pm}2.1$	26.6±2.0±2.3	arXiv:1509.01398 Double D tag
$Z_{c}(4020)^{\pm}$	$\pi^+\pi^-h_c$	$h_c \pi^{\pm}$	$4022.9{\pm}0.8{\pm}2.7$	$7.9{\pm}2.7{\pm}2.6$	PRL111,242001(2013)
$Z_c(4020)^0$	$\pi^0 \pi^0 h_c$	$h_c \pi^0$	$4023.9{\pm}2.2{\pm}3.8$	Fixed	PRL113,212002(2014)
$Z_c(4025)^{\pm}$	$\pi^{\mp}(D^*\bar{D}^*)^{\pm}$	D*+D*0 D*-D*0	4026.3±2.6±3.7	24.8±5.6±7.7	PRL112,132001(2014)
$Z_c(4025)^0$	$\pi^0 (D^* \bar D^*)^0$	D* ⁰ D ^{*0} D* ⁺ D* ⁻	$4025.5^{+2.0}_{-4.7}{\pm}3.1$	23.0±6.0±1.0	arXiv:1507.02404

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- Quarkonium spectroscopy is a very interesting field, many new exotic states have been discovered in recent years;
- Still many missing pieces need to be found to have the full picture;
- In 2012, BESIII has started a dedicated program toward understanding X, Y, Z states.

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