

# Exotic and Charmonium(-like) states at BESIII

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# What's exotic states?

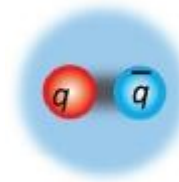
## ■ Quark Model

- 2 quarks( $q\bar{q}$ ) -- **meson**
- 3 quarks( $qqq$ ) -- **baryon**

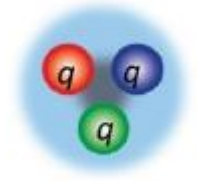
## ■ QCD predicts the exotic states

- **Glueball**:  $N_{\text{quarks}} = 0$  ( $gg, ggg, \dots$ )
- **Hybrid**:  $N_{\text{quarks}} \geq 2$  ( $q\bar{q}g, qq\bar{q}g, \dots$ )
- **Molecule**: bound state of more than 2 hadrons
- **Mutiquark state**:  $N_{\text{quarks}} \geq 4$
- ...

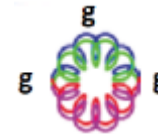
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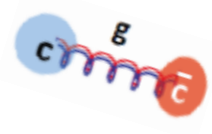
baryon



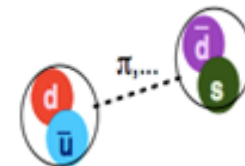
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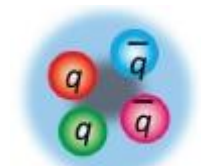
Hybrid



Molecule



Mutiquark



# BEPCII and BESIII

First physics run starts from 2009!

Linac

BESIII

Double ring:

**Symmetric collider**

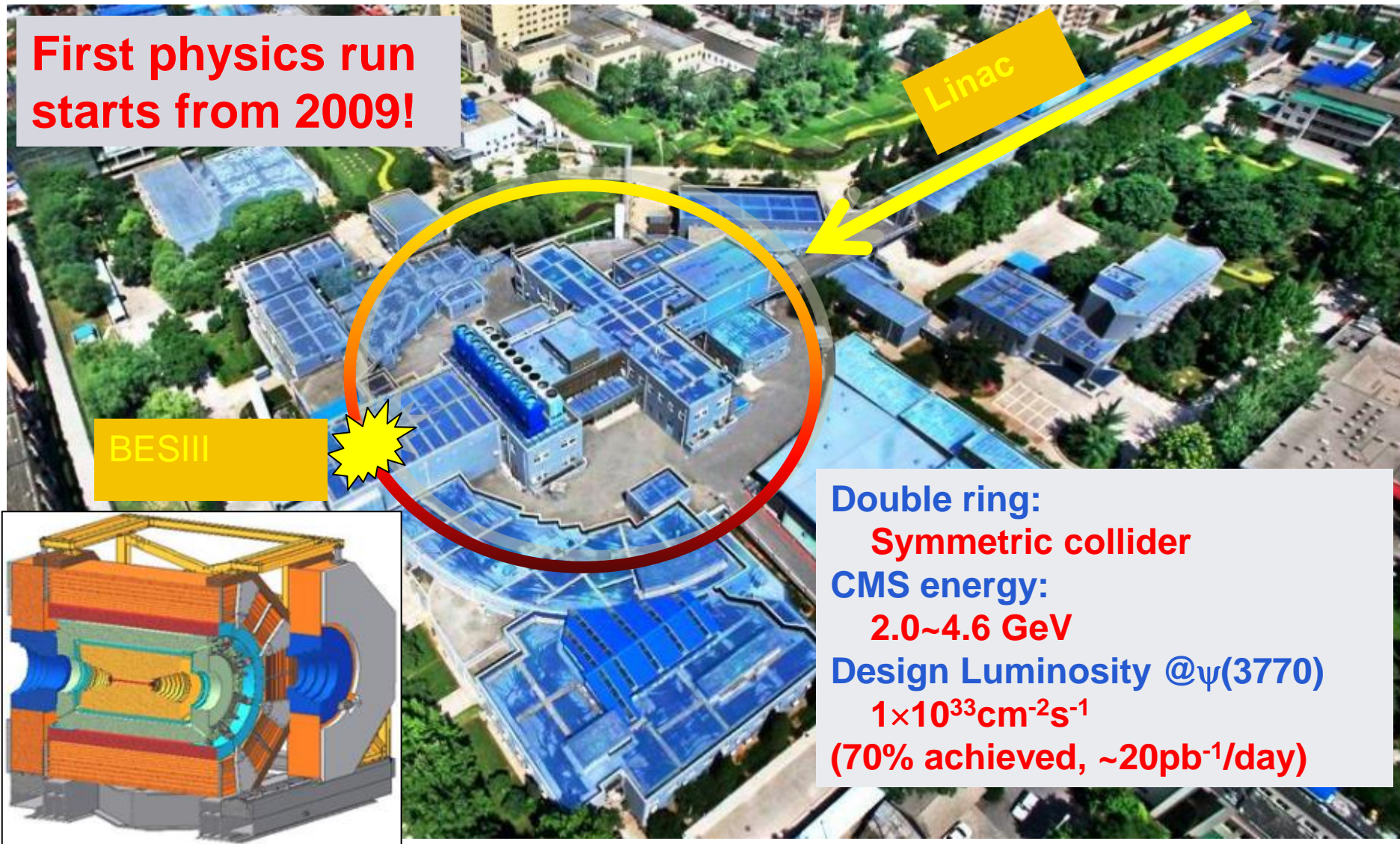
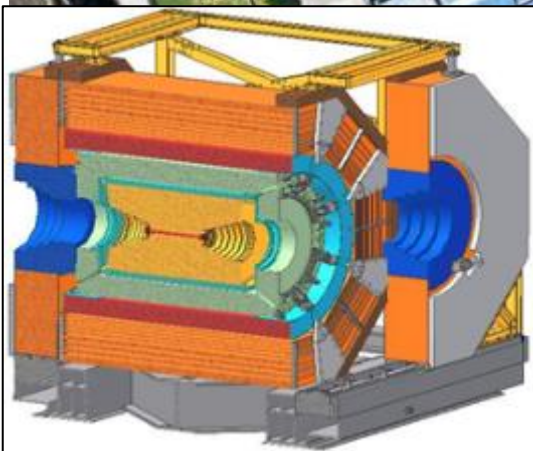
CMS energy:

**2.0~4.6 GeV**

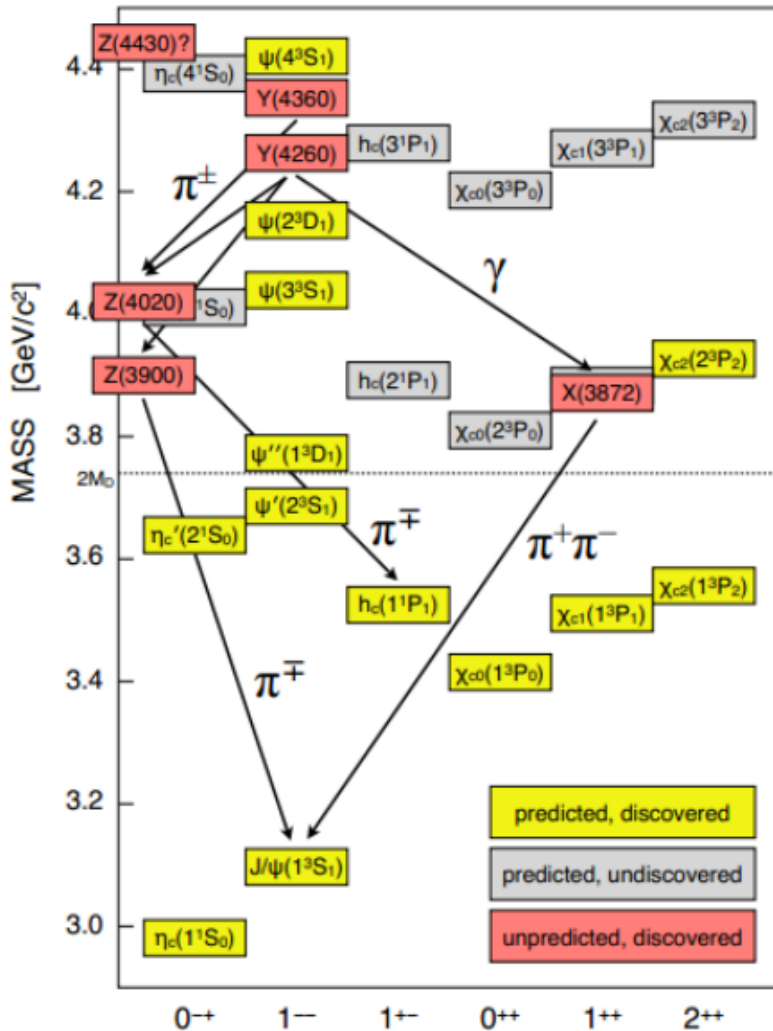
Design Luminosity @ $\psi(3770)$

**$1 \times 10^{33} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$**

**(70% achieved,  $\sim 20 \text{pb}^{-1}/\text{day}$ )**



# Charmonium and XYZ states



## ◆ Below open-charm threshold

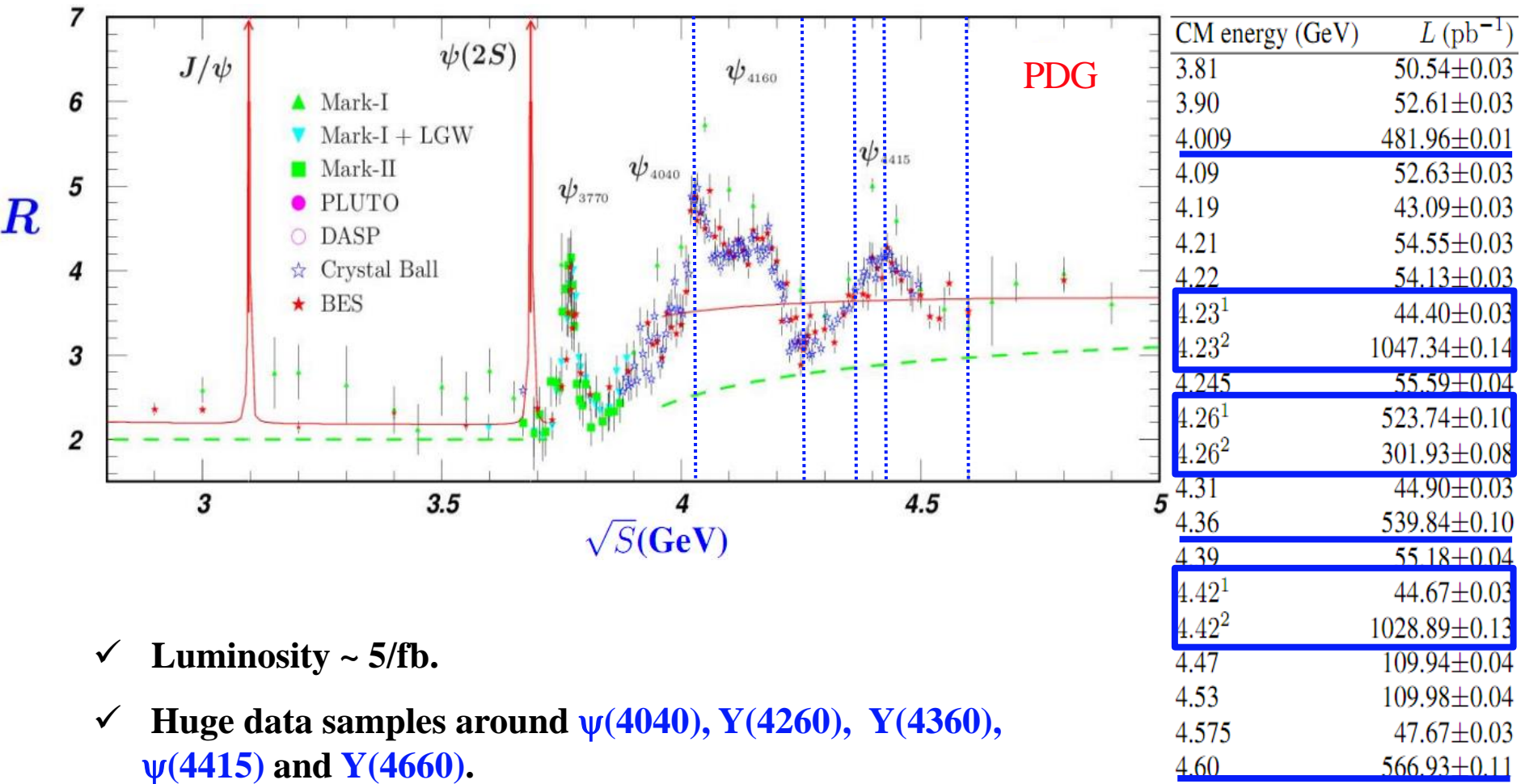
- ✓ Good agreement between discovery and theoretical prediction

## ◆ Above open-charm threshold

- ✓ many expected states not observed
- ✓ Many unexpected observed: with charmonium in final states, but not conventional charmonium states (**charmonium-like or XYZ**)



# Data samples for XYZ physics at BESIII



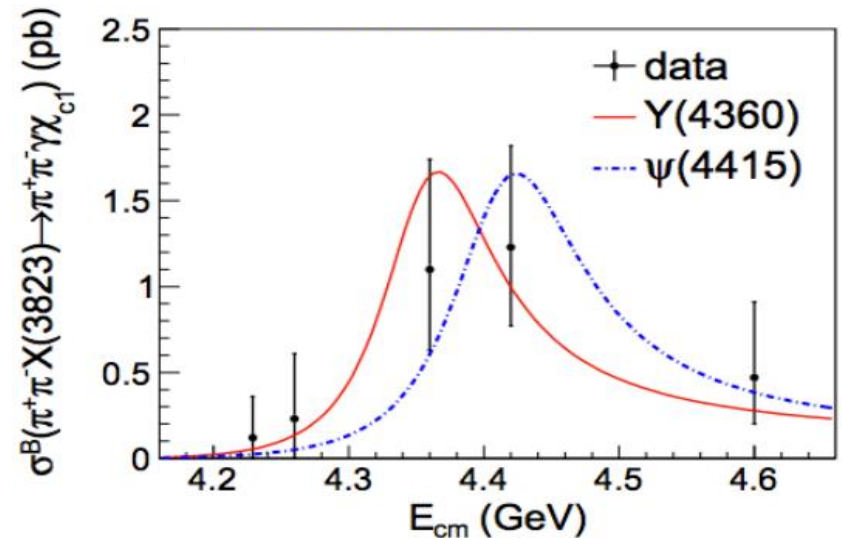
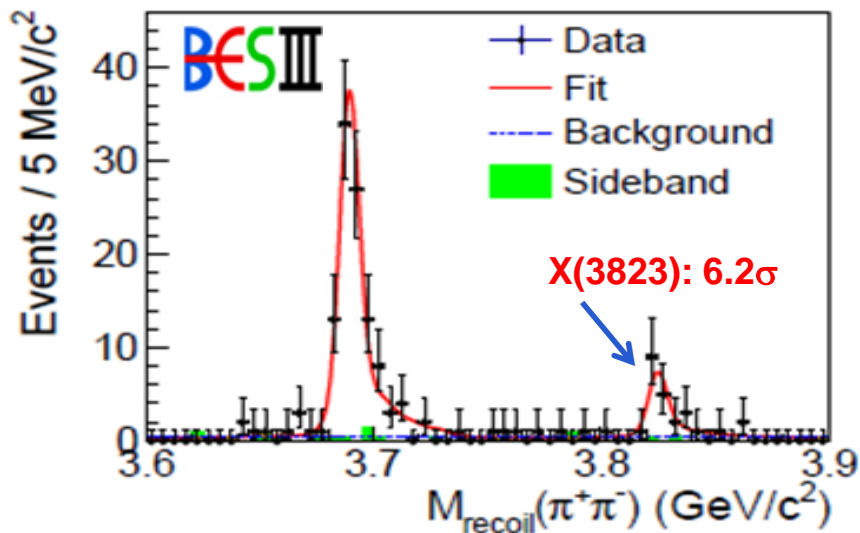
- ✓ Luminosity  $\sim 5/\text{fb}$ .
- ✓ Huge data samples around  $\psi(4040)$ ,  $Y(4260)$ ,  $Y(4360)$ ,  $\psi(4415)$  and  $Y(4660)$ .

# X(3823)/X(3872)

1. X(3823) in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- \gamma \chi_{c1}$
2. X(3872) in  $Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$

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

[PRL115, 011803 \(2015\)](#)



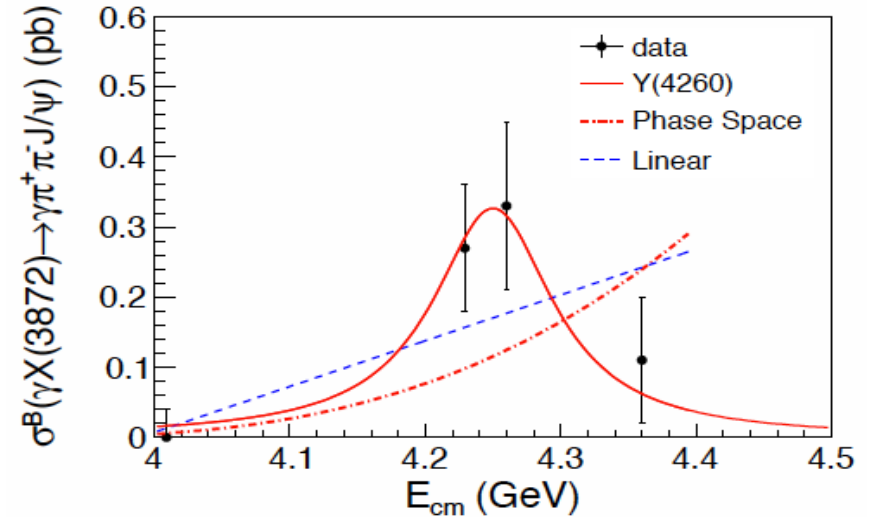
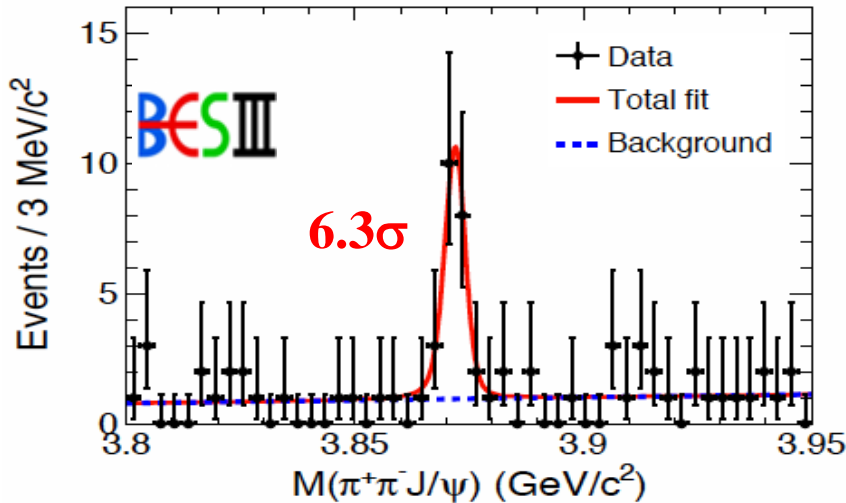
Agree with BELLE's 3.7s evidence (PRL111,032001(2013))

- Potential model:  $1^3D_2 \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{c1}, \gamma\chi_{c2}$  with large width.
- $M = 3821.7 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.7 \text{ MeV}$ ,  $\Gamma < 16 \text{ MeV}$
- **Good candidate of  $\psi(1^3D_2)$**
- Both  $Y(4360)$  and  $\psi(4415)$  line shape give reasonable description.



# $Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma X(3872) \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi$

[PRL 112, 092001 \(2014\)](#)



■  $M = 3871.9 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.2$  MeV,  $\Gamma < 2.4$  MeV

■ a new  $Y(4260)$  decay mode and new  $X(3872)$  production mode:  $Y(4260) \rightarrow \gamma X(3872)$

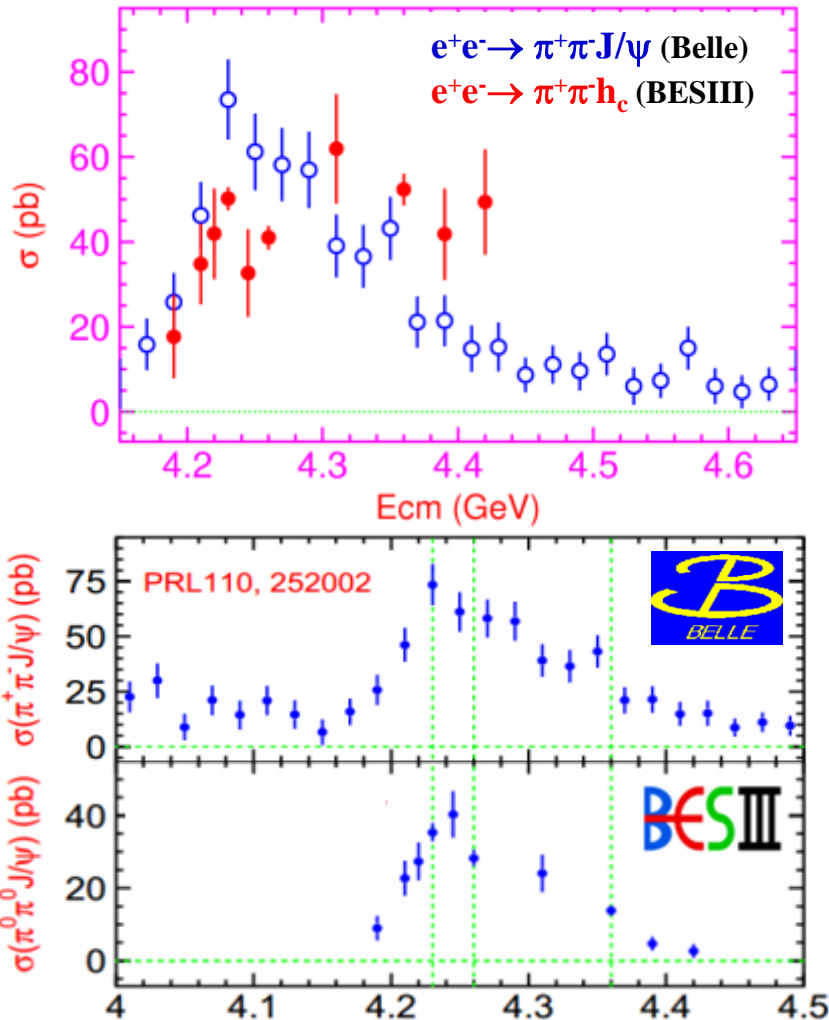
If we take  $\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi) \sim 5\%$ , ( $> 2.6\%$  in PDG)

$\frac{\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \gamma X(3872))}{\sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi)} \sim 11.2\%$     Large transition ratio !

# Abundant structures above 4GeV

1. Cross section of  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi(h_c)$
2. Cross section of  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c0}$
3. Cross section  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta J/\psi$
4. Cross section  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta' J/\psi$

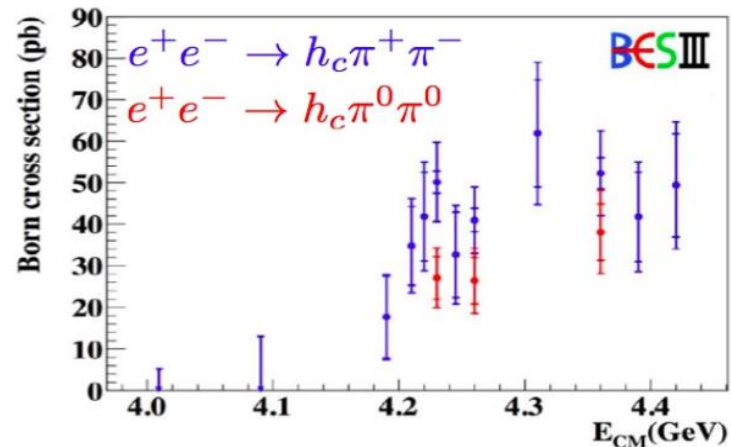
# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi(h_c)$



$$\sigma(\pi^0\pi^0 J/\psi) / \sigma(\pi^+\pi^- J/\psi) \sim 0.5$$

**BESIII** [arXiv: 1506.06018](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.06018)  $\sigma(\pi^0\pi^0 J/\psi)$   
 PRL 111, 242001 (2013)  $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^- h_c)$   
 PRL 113, 212002 (2014)  $\sigma(\pi^0\pi^0 h_c)$

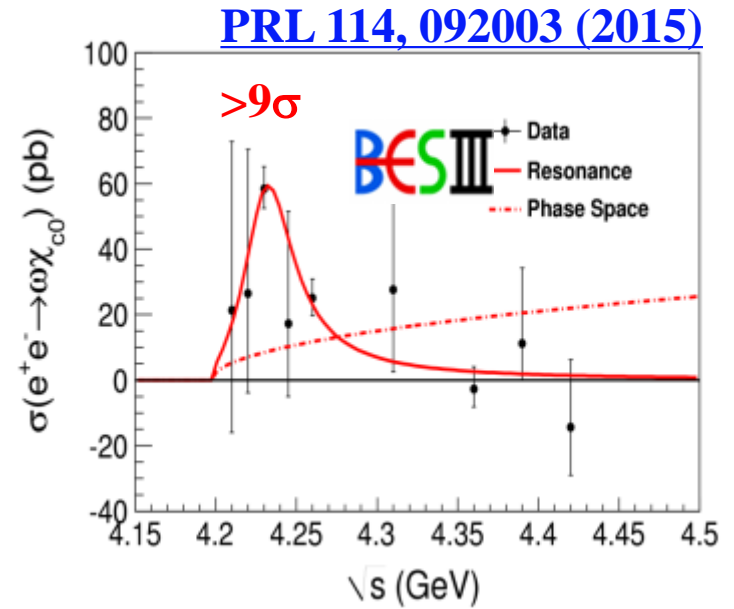
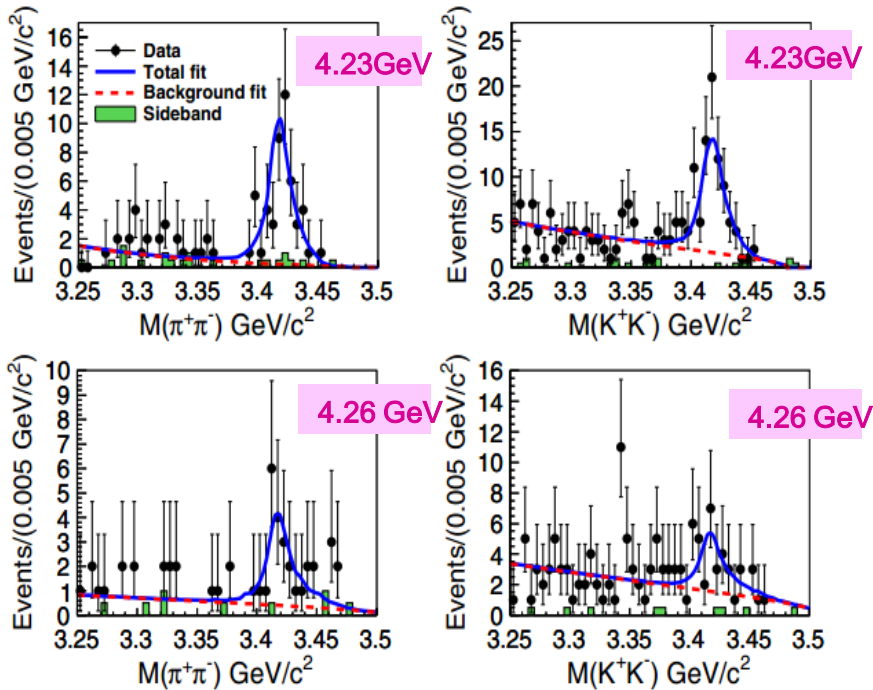
- ✓  $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^- h_c) \sim \sigma(\pi^+\pi^- J/\psi)$ , but different line shape
- ✓ A possible structure near 4.23 GeV for  $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^- h_c)$



$$\sigma(\pi^0\pi^0 h_c) / \sigma(\pi^+\pi^- h_c) = 0.63 \pm 0.09$$

no large iso-spin violation in  $\sigma(\pi\pi h_c)$  and  $\sigma(\pi\pi J/\psi)$  !

# Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \omega\chi_{c0}$



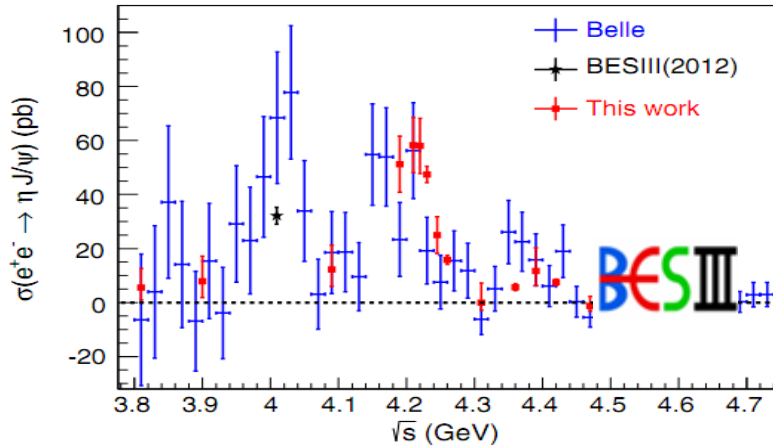
- ✓ Cross section peak near 4.23 GeV
- ✓ fit with BW

Note for this structure:

- ✓ A tetraquark? (PRD 91,117501(2015))
- ✓  $\psi(4S)$ ? (EPJC 74:3208 (2014))
- ✓ Threshold effect?
- ✓ ...

- $M = 4230 \pm 8 \pm 6$  MeV
- $\Gamma = 38 \pm 12 \pm 2$  MeV

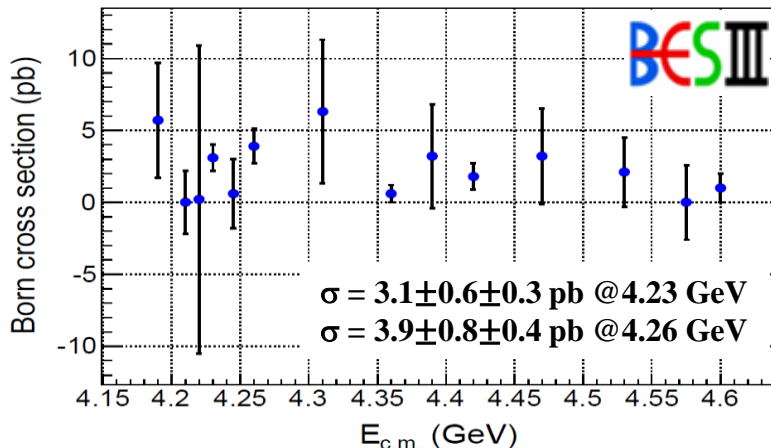
# Observation of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \eta J/\psi$



[PRD 91, 112005 \(2015\)](#)

- ✓ Agree with previous results with improved precision
  - ✓ Structure near 4.2 GeV:  $\psi(4160) \rightarrow \eta J/\psi$
- More data 4.10~4.20 GeV is needed!

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



[BESIII Preliminary](#)

- ✓ First observation at  $\sqrt{s} = 4.23$  &  $4.26$  GeV, cannot tell the line-shape due to statistics.
- ✓  $\sigma(\eta' J/\psi)$  is much lower than  $\sigma(\eta J/\psi)$ , **in contradiction to** the calculation in the framework of NRQCD ([PRD 89, 074006 \(2014\)](#)).

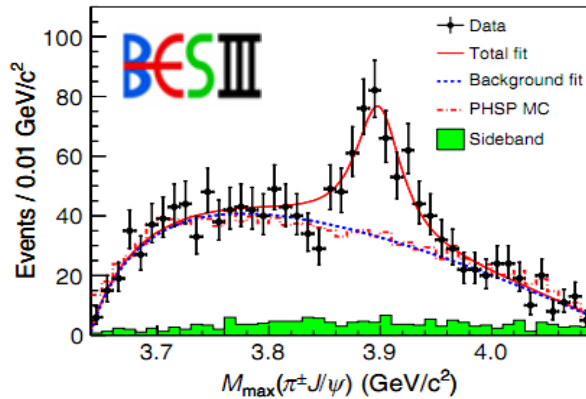
# $Z_c$ States

1.  $Z_c(3900)^{\pm/0}$  in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\pi^{\pm/0} J/\psi$
2.  $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$  in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\omega\pi^{\pm}$
3.  $Z_c(3885)^{\pm/0}$  in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi (D\bar{D}^*)^{\pm/0}$
4.  $Z_c(4020)^{\pm/0}$  in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\pi^{\pm/0} h_c$
5.  $Z_c(4025)^{\pm/0}$  in  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi (D^*\bar{D}^*)^{\pm/0}$



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi Z_c(3900)^{\pm/0} \rightarrow \pi\pi^{\pm/0}J/\psi$$

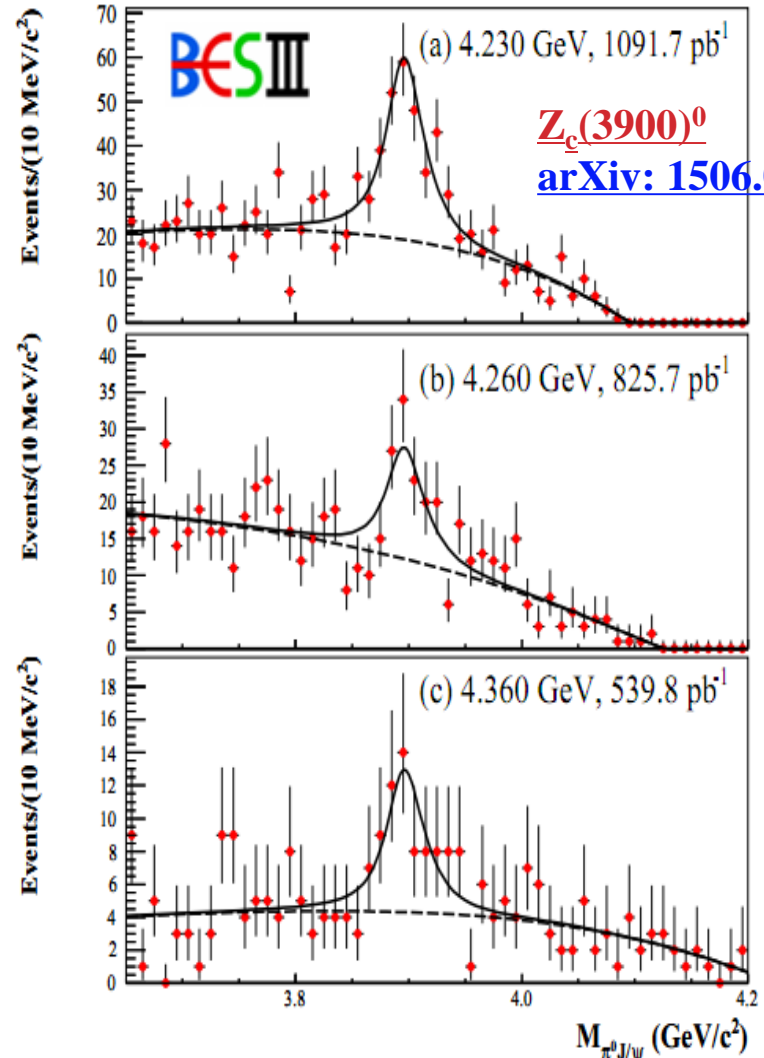
$Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$ : PRL 110, 252001 (2013)



- ✓  $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$  observed by BESIII in 2013, well confirmed by Belle and CLEO-c.
- ✓  $Z_c(3900)^0$  evidence with  $3.7\sigma$  by CLEO-c, observed with  $>10\sigma$  by BESIII.

An iso-spin triplet  $Z_c(3900)$  established!

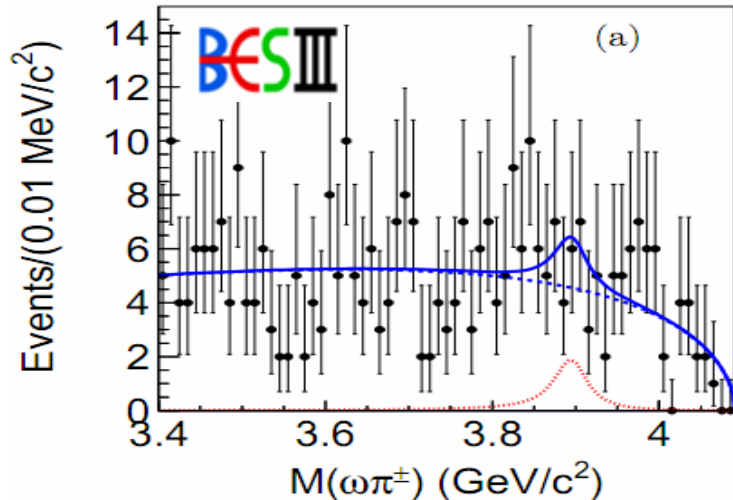
| $Z_c(3900)$       | Mass(MeV)                | Width(MeV)             |
|-------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| $Z_c(3900)^{\pm}$ | $3899.0 \pm 3.6 \pm 4.9$ | $46 \pm 10 \pm 20$     |
| $Z_c(3900)^0$     | $3894.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 2.7$ | $29.6 \pm 8.2 \pm 8.2$ |



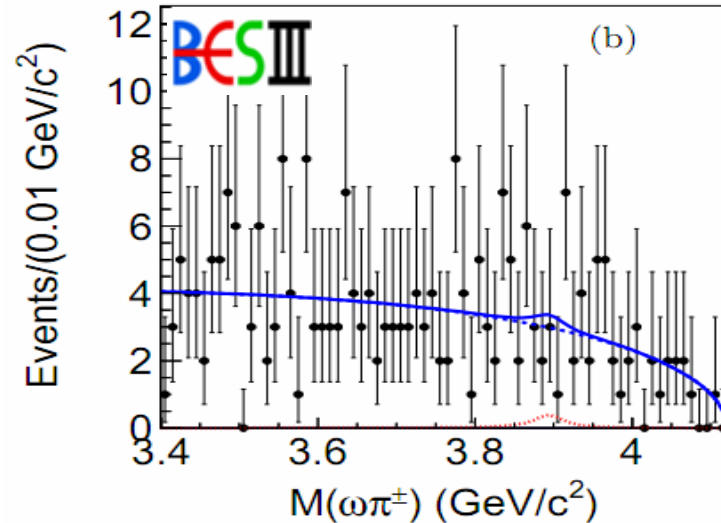
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi Z_c(3900)^\pm \rightarrow \pi \omega \pi^\pm$$

[arXiv: 1507.02068](https://arxiv.org/abs/1507.02068)

$e^+e^- @ 4.23 \text{ GeV}$



$e^+e^- @ 4.26 \text{ GeV}$



✓  $Z_c(3900)^+$ : mass close to  $DD^*$ -bar threshold

- Decays to  $J/\psi \rightarrow$  contains  $cc$ -bar
- Electric charge  $\rightarrow$  contains  $ud$ -bar
- A 4-quark particle?!

✓ Searching for new decay of  $Z_c(3900)$  can provide useful information on its internal structure.

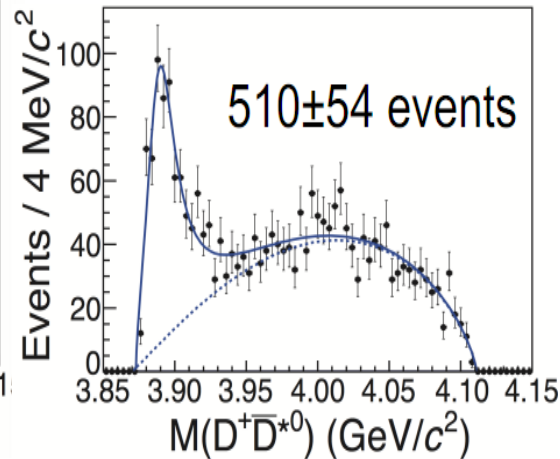
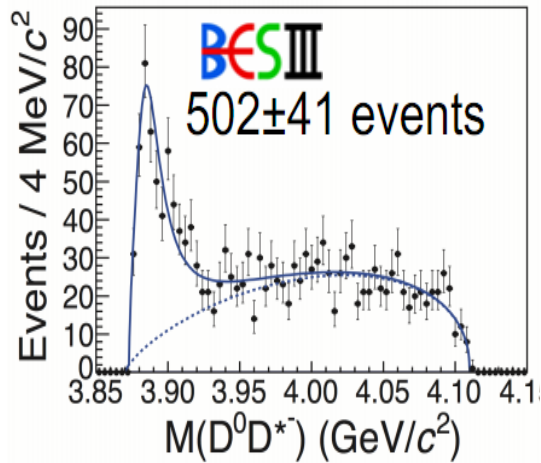
✓ No significant  $Z_c \rightarrow \omega \pi$  is observed

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Z_c \pi, Z_c \rightarrow \omega \pi) < 0.26 \text{ pb @ } 4.23 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Z_c \pi, Z_c \rightarrow \omega \pi) < 0.18 \text{ pb @ } 4.26 \text{ GeV}$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi Z_c(3885)^{\pm/0} \rightarrow \pi(D\bar{D}^*)^{\pm/0}$$

[PRL 112, 022001 \(2014\)](#)



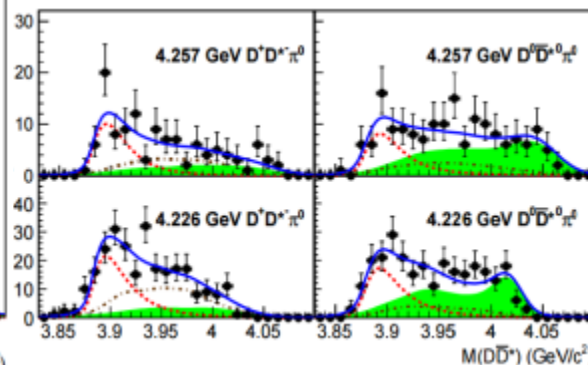
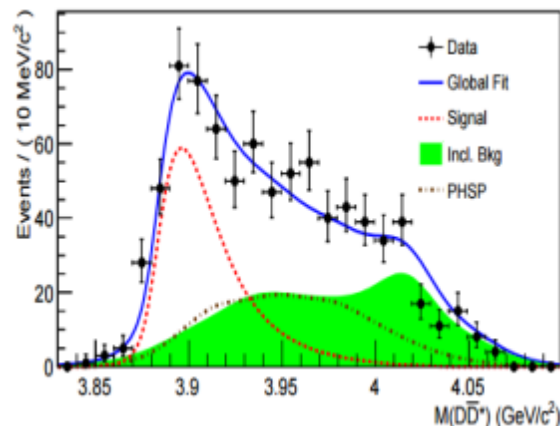
✓ Enhancement at  $D\bar{D}^*$  threshold.

✓ Observed  $Z_c(3885)^{\pm/0}$

mass and width close to  $Z_c(3900)$

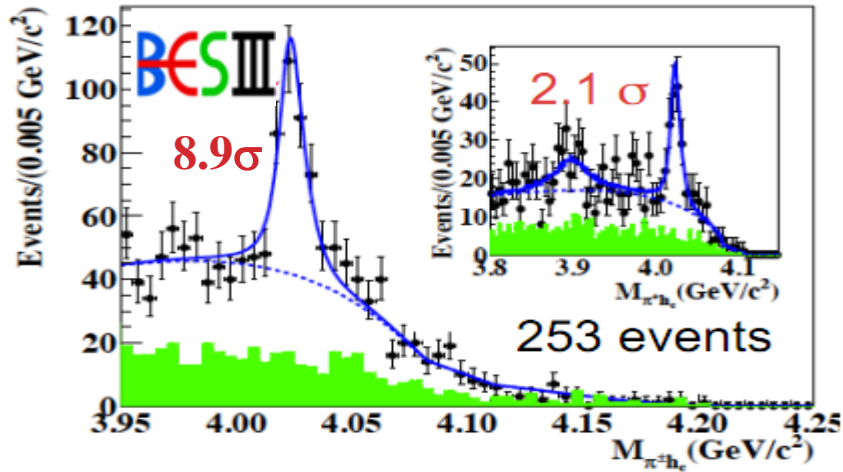
| $Z_c(3885)$       | Mass(MeV)                      | Width(MeV)              |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| $Z_c(3885)^{\pm}$ | $3883.9 \pm 1.5 \pm 4.2$       | $24.8 \pm 3.3 \pm 11.0$ |
| $Z_c(3885)^0$     | $3885.7^{+4.3}_{-5.7} \pm 8.4$ | $35^{+11}_{-12} \pm 15$ |

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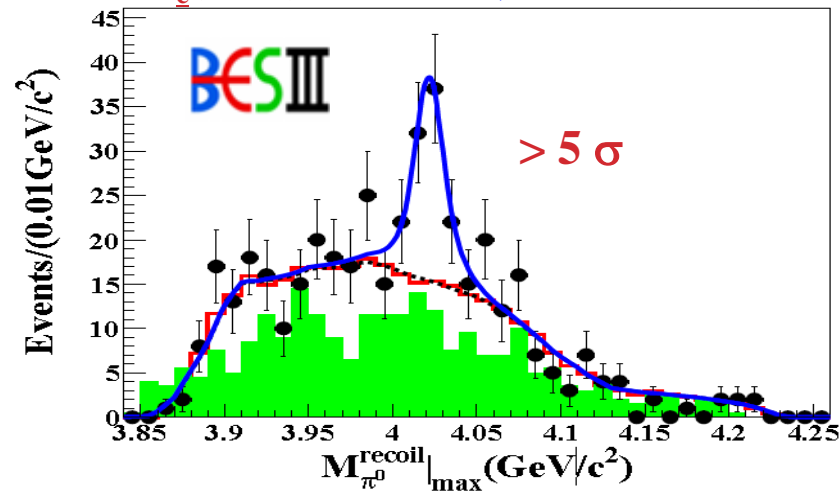
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi Z_c(4020)^{\pm/0} \rightarrow \pi \pi^{\pm/0} h_c$$

$Z_c(4020)^{\pm}$ : PRL 111, 242001 (2013)



- ✓  $Z_c(4020)^{\pm/0}$  observed !
- ✓ A weak evidence for  $Z_c(3900) \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} h_c$
- ✓  $Z_c(4020)$ , near the threshold of  $D^* \bar{D}^*$

$Z_c(4020)^0$ : PRL 113, 212002 (2014)

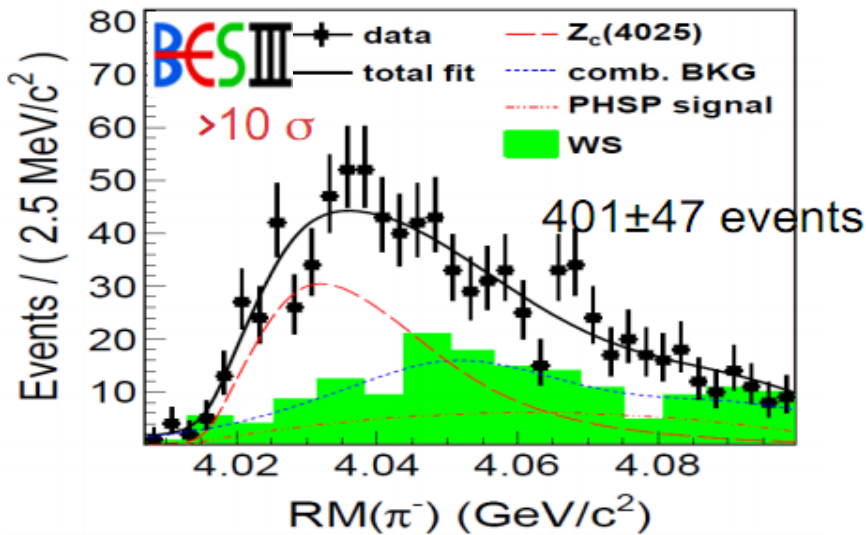


Another iso-spin triplet is established !

| $Z_c(4020)$       | Mass(MeV)                | Width(MeV)            |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| $Z_c(4020)^{\pm}$ | $4022.9 \pm 0.8 \pm 2.7$ | $7.9 \pm 2.7 \pm 2.6$ |
| $Z_c(4020)^0$     | $4023.8 \pm 2.2 \pm 3.8$ | Fixed(=7.9)           |



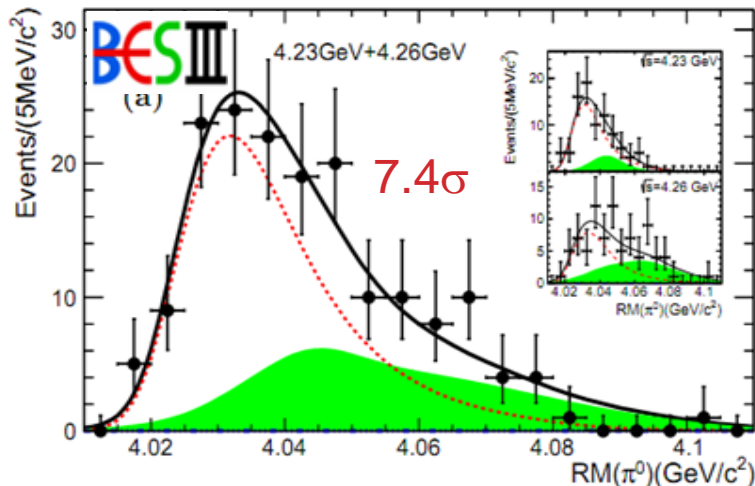
$Z_c(4025)^{\pm}$  PRL 112, 132001 (2013)



- ✓  $Z_c(4025)^{\pm/0}$  observed.
- ✓ The resonance parameters of  $Z_c(4020)$  and  $Z_c(4025)$  are consistent within  $1.5\sigma$ .
- ✓ Coupling to  $D^* \bar{D}^*$  is much larger than to  $\pi h_c$
- ✓ if  $Z_c(4025)$  and  $Z_c(4020)$  are the same states

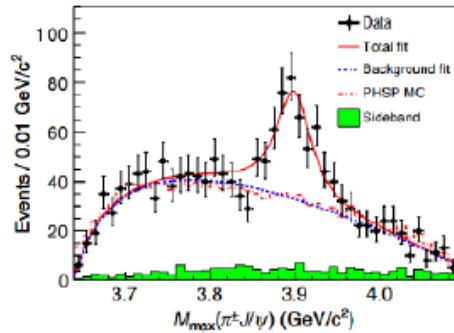
$$\frac{\Gamma(Z_c(4020) \rightarrow D^* \bar{D}^*)}{\Gamma(Z_c(4020) \rightarrow \pi h_c)} = 12 \pm 5$$

$Z_c(4025)^0$  arXiv:1507.02404

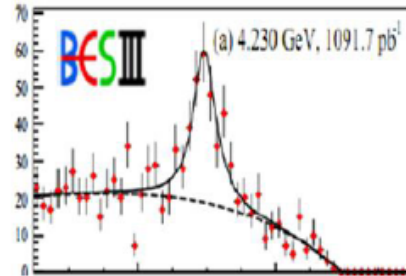


| $Z_c(4025)$       | Mass(MeV)                      | Width(MeV)             |
|-------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| $Z_c(4025)^{\pm}$ | $4026.3 \pm 2.6 \pm 3.7$       | $24.8 \pm 5.6 \pm 7.7$ |
| $Z_c(4025)^0$     | $4025.5^{+2.0}_{-4.7} \pm 3.1$ | $23.0 \pm 6.0 \pm 1.0$ |

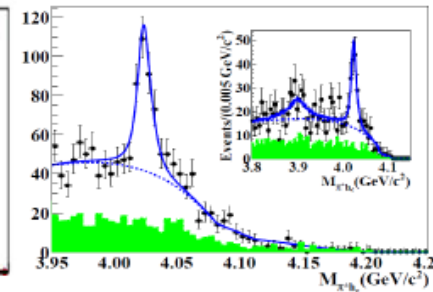
# Summary of Zc states



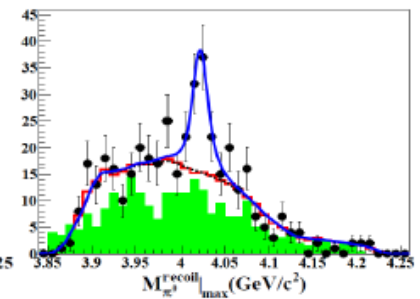
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ J/\psi$$



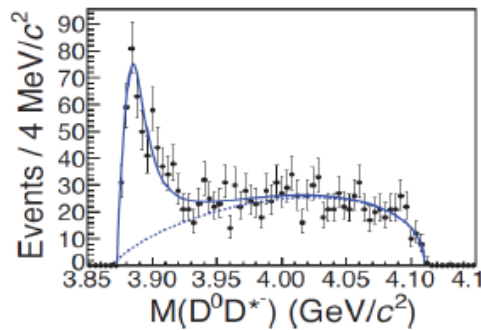
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$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ h_c$$

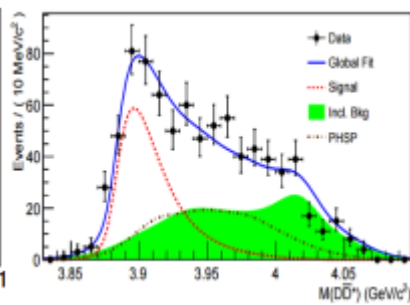


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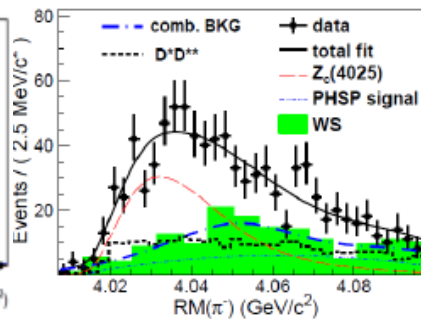
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ (D \bar{D}^*)^-$$

$$Z_c(3900)^{\pm} ?$$



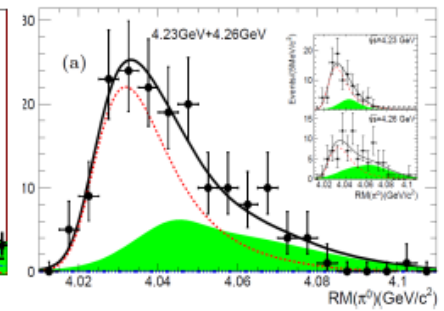
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 (D \bar{D}^*)^0$$

$$Z_c(3900)^0 ?$$



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

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



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 (D^* \bar{D}^*)^0$$

$$Z_c(4020)^0 ?$$

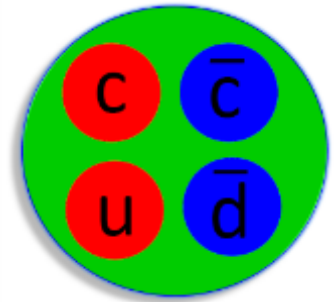


# Nature of $Z_c$ States

✓ At least 4 quarks, not a conventional meson

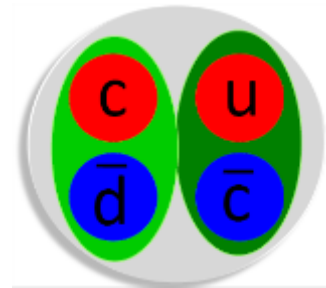
✓ Tetraquark state?

Phys. Rev. D87,125018(2013); Phys. Rev. D88, 074506(2013);  
Phys. Rev. D89,054019(2014); Phys. Rev. D90,054009(2014); etc



✓  $D^{(*)}\bar{D}^{(*)}$  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

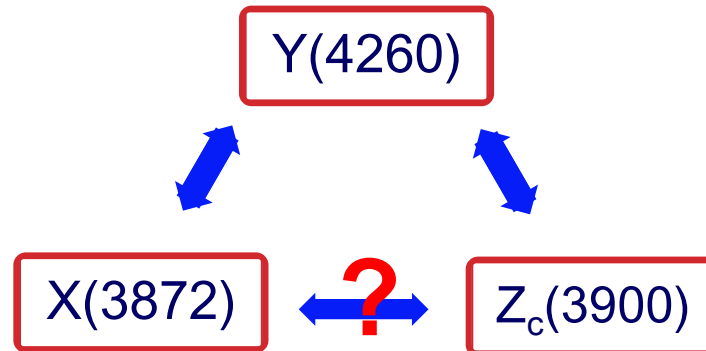


✓ Final States Interactions?

✓ ...

# Summary

- Lots of progress in charmonium-like studies at BESIII recently
- Observation of  $Z_c$  states
- X, Y, Z particles are correlated!
- Measurements of many hidden charm final states
- BESIII may continue data taking for XYZ study until 2020-2022.



**Thanks!**

**BACKUP**

# Summary of $Z_c$ states at BESIII

| State           | Mass(MeV)                                  | Width(MeV)                                | Decay mode                   | Process  |
|-----------------|--|---|------------------------------|--|
| $Z_c(3900)^\pm$ | $3899.0 \pm 3.6 \pm 4.9$                   | $46 \pm 10 \pm 20$                        | $\pi^\pm J/\psi$             | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi$  |
| $Z_c(3900)^0$   | $3894.8 \pm 2.3 \pm 2.7$                   | $29.6 \pm 8.2 \pm 8.2$                    | $\pi^0 J/\psi$               | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 J/\psi$  |
| $Z_c(3885)^\pm$ | $3883.9 \pm 1.5 \pm 4.2$<br>[single D tag] | $24.8 \pm 3.3 \pm 11.0$<br>[single D tag] | $D^0 D^{*-}$<br>$D^- D^{*0}$ | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ D^0 D^{*-}$<br>$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ D^- D^{*0}$ |
|                 | $3884.3 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.5$<br>[double D tag] | $23.8 \pm 2.1 \pm 2.6$<br>[double D tag]  |                              |  |
| $Z_c(4020)^\pm$ | $4022.9 \pm 0.8 \pm 2.7$                   | $7.9 \pm 2.7 \pm 2.6$                     | $\pi^\pm h_c$                | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- h_c$   |
| $Z_c(4020)^0$   | $4023.9 \pm 2.2 \pm 3.8$                   | fixed                                     | $\pi^0 h_c$                  | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0 h_c$   |
| $Z_c(4025)^\pm$ | $4026.3 \pm 2.6 \pm 3.7$                   | $24.8 \pm 5.6 \pm 7.7$                    | $D^{*0} D^{*-}$              | $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+ (D^{*+} \bar{D}^{*-})^-$                             |