

# Recent Results from BESIII

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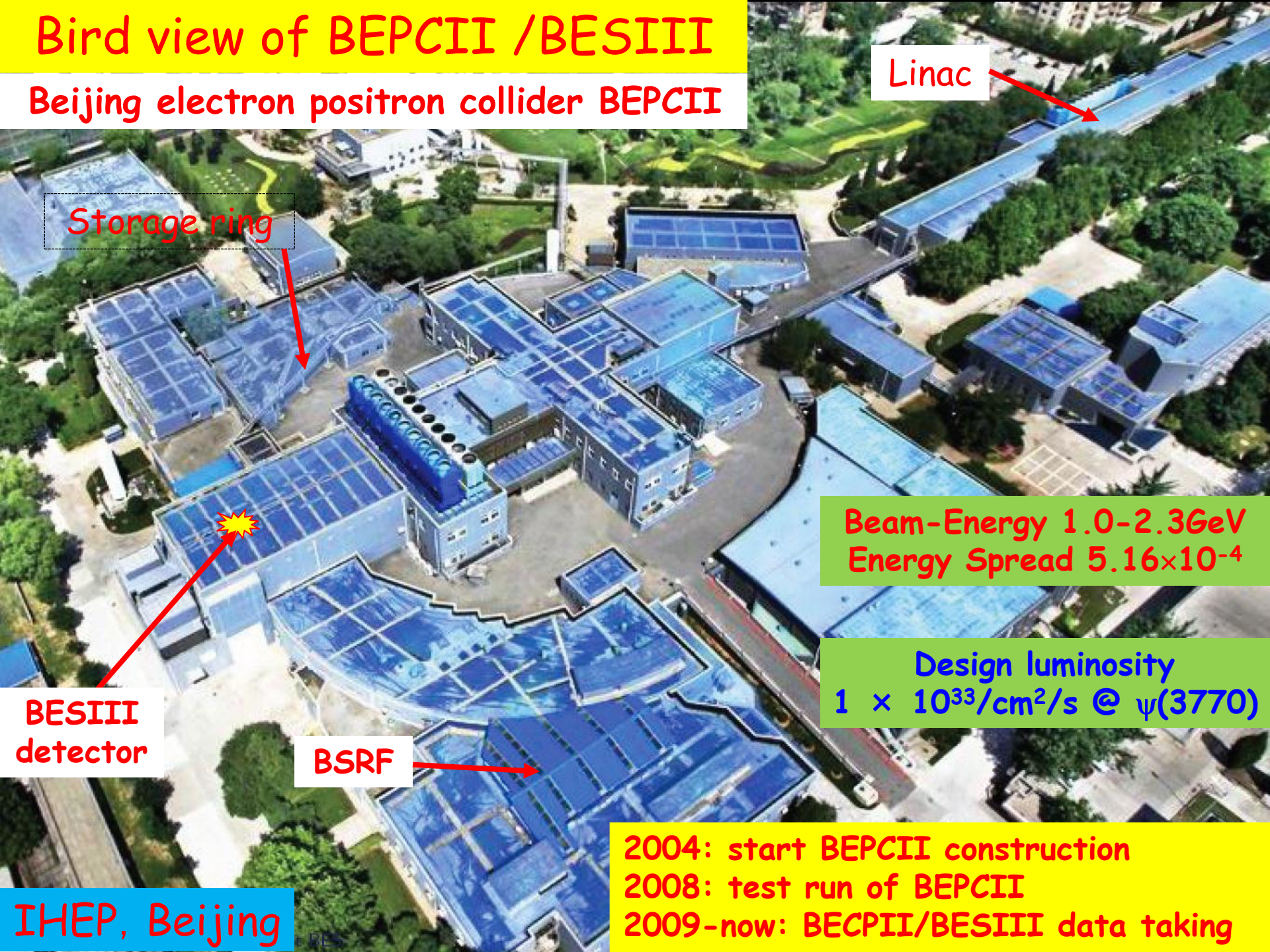
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# Outline

- Status of BEPCII/BESIII
- Selected Results from BESIII
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  - Charm decays
- Summary

# Bird view of BEPCII / BESIII

Beijing electron positron collider BEPCII



Linac

Storage ring

Beam-Energy 1.0-2.36eV  
Energy Spread  $5.16 \times 10^{-4}$

Design luminosity  
 $1 \times 10^{33} / \text{cm}^2 / \text{s}$  @  $\psi(3770)$

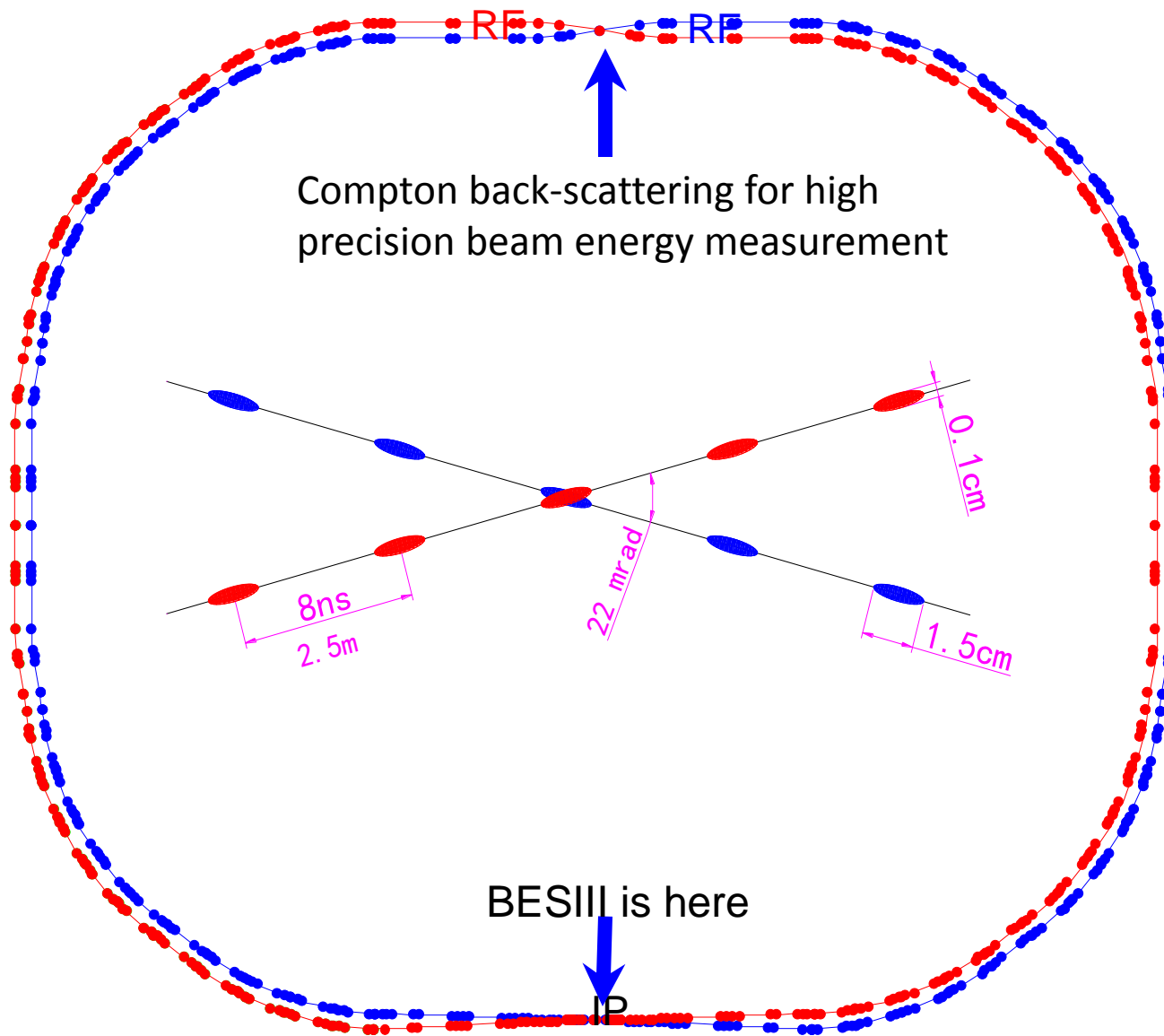
BESIII  
detector

BSRF

2004: start BEPCII construction  
2008: test run of BEPCII  
2009-now: BEPCII/BESIII data taking

IHEP, Beijing

# BEPCII: Large Crossing Angle, Double-ring

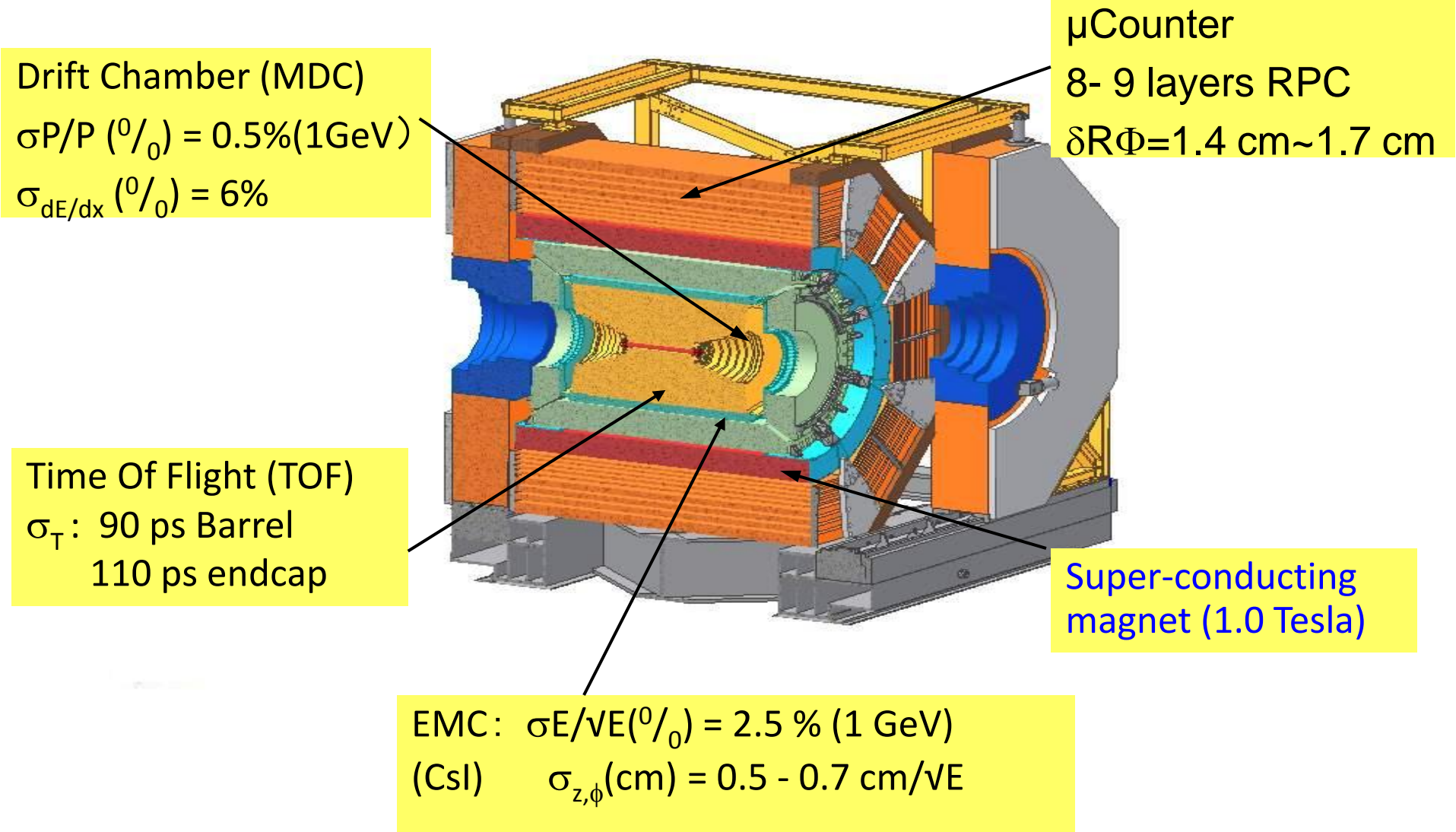


## $\tau$ -Charm Region

- ✓ Beam energy: 1.0-2.3 GeV
- ✓ Energy spread:  $5.16 \times 10^{-4}$
- ✓ Optimum energy: 1.89 GeV
- ✓ Luminosity:  $1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}$
- ✓ No. of bunches: 93
- ✓ Bunch length: 1.5 cm
- ✓ Total current: 0.91 A
- ✓ SR mode: 0.25A@2.5GeV

# The BESIII Detector

NIM A614, 345 (2010)



# The BESIII Collaboration

<http://bes3.ihep.ac.cn>

## US (6)

Univ. of Hawaii  
Univ. of Washington  
Carnegie Mellon Univ.  
Univ. of Minnesota  
Univ. of Rochester  
Univ. of Indiana

## Europe (11)

Germany: Univ. of Bochum,  
Univ. of Giessen, GSI  
Univ. of Johannes Gutenberg  
Helmholtz Ins. In Mainz

Russia: JINR Dubna; BINP Novosibirsk

Italy: Univ. of Torino, Frascati Lab

Netherlands: KVI/Univ. of Groningen

Turkey: Turkey Accelerator Center

## Korea (1)

Seoul Nat. Univ.

## Japan (1)

Tokyo Univ.

## China (30)

IHEP, CCAST, Shandong Univ.,

Pakistan (1)  
Univ. of Punjab

Univ. of Sci. and Tech. of China

Zhejiang Univ., Huangshan Coll.

Huazhong Normal Univ., Wuhan Univ.

Zhengzhou Univ., Henan Normal Univ.

Peking Univ., Tsinghua Univ.,

Zhongshan Univ., Nankai Univ.

Shanxi Univ., Sichuan Univ

Hunan Univ., Liaoning Univ.

Nanjing Univ., Nanjing Normal Univ.

Guangxi Normal Univ., Guangxi Univ.

Suzhou Univ., Hangzhou Normal Univ.

Lanzhou Univ., Henan Sci. and Tech. Univ.

Hong Kong Univ., Hong Kong Chinese Univ.

Univ. of South China, GUCAS.

>300 physicists

50 institutions from 10 countries

# BESIII commissioning

- ✓ July 19, 2008: first  $e^+e^-$  collision event in BESIII
- ✓ Nov. 2008:  $\sim 14\text{M}$   $\psi(2S)$  events for detector calibration
- ✓ 2009: **106M  $\psi(2S)$     4×CLEO-c**  
**225M  $J/\psi$         4×BESII**
- ✓ 2010:  $\sim 0.9 \text{ fb}^{-1} \psi(3770)$  } **3.5×CLEO-c**
- ✓ 2011:  $\sim 2.0 \text{ fb}^{-1} \psi(3770)$  }  
 $\sim 0.5 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 4.01 \text{ GeV}$
- ✓ 2012: tau mass scan:  $\sim 5.0 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  ;  
 $\psi(2S)$ : 0.4 billion;  $J/\psi$ : 1 billion (**May 22!**)

**World's largest sample of  $J/\psi$ ,  $\psi(2S)$  and  $\psi(3770)$**

# Physics Programs @ BESIII

## ✓ Light hadron physics

- meson & baryon spectroscopy
- threshold effects
- multiquark states
- glueballs & hybrids
- two-photon physics
- form-factors

## ✓ Charmonium physics:

- precision spectroscopy
- transitions and decays

## ✓ Charm physics:

- (semi-)leptonic form factors
- $f_D$  &  $f_{D_s}$  decay constants.
- CKM matrix:  $V_{cd}$ ,  $V_{cs}$
- $D^0$ - $D^0$  mixing and CPV
- strong phases

## ✓ QCD & $\tau$ -physics:

- precision  $R$ -measurement
- $\tau$  mass /  $\tau$  decays

## ✓ XYZ meson physics:

- $Y(4260) \pi\pi h_c$  decays

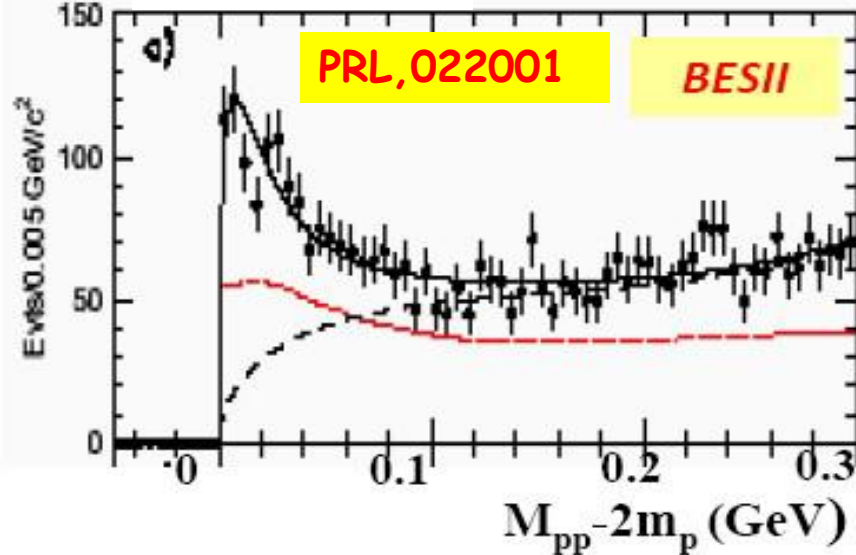


# Recent Results on Light Hadron Spectroscopy

- ✓  $pp\bar{}$  mass threshold structure in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$
- ✓  $X(1835)$  and two new structures in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$
- ✓  $\eta(1405)$  in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma f_0(980) \pi^0$ ,  $f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi\pi$

# Enhancement at $p\bar{p}$ threshold in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$

$J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$



- ✓ **Observed at BESII in 2003:**
  - Agree with spin zero expectation
  - $M = 1860_{-10-25}^{+3+5}$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
  - $\Gamma < 38$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup> (90% C.L.)

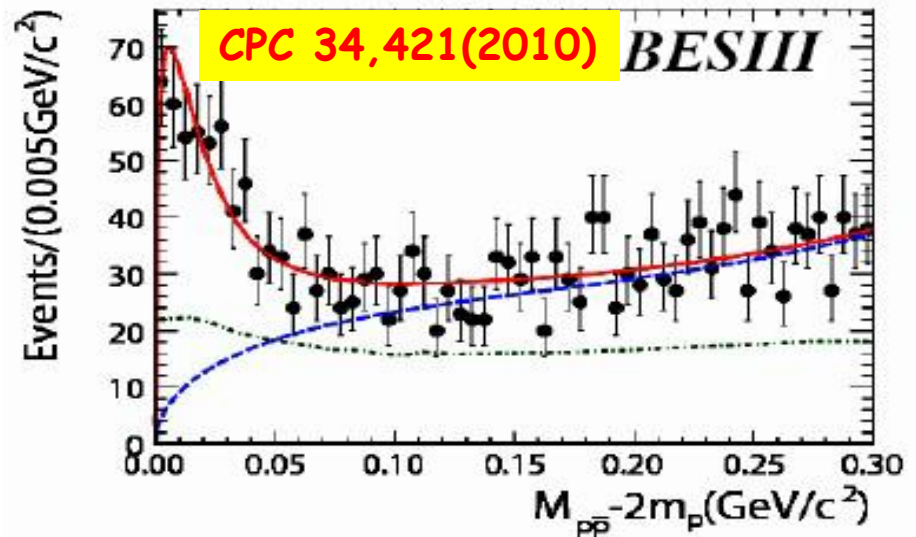
✓ **Many theoretical Interpretation:**

- Normal meson/  $p\bar{p}$  bound state/ multiquark/ glueball/ Final state interaction (FSI).....

✓ **Spin-parity analysis:**

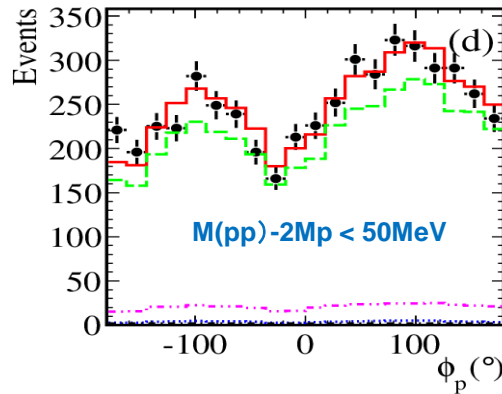
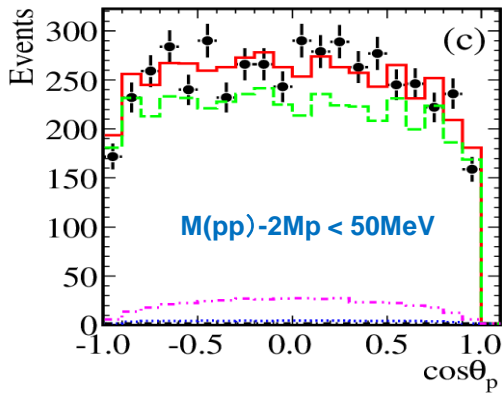
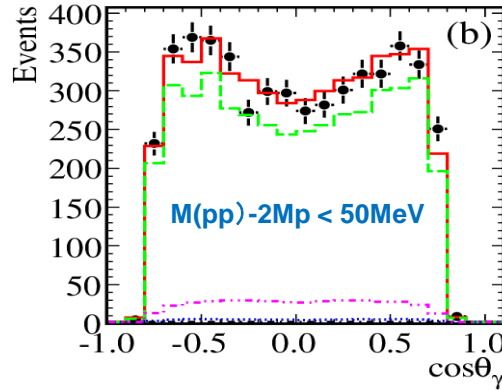
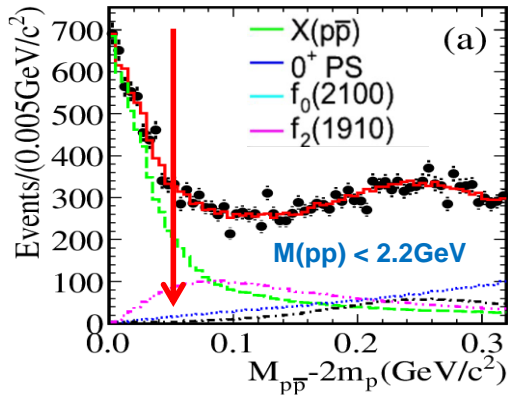
- Is essential for determining place in the spectrum and possible nature.

$\psi' \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi, J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$



- ✓ **Confirmed at BESIII in 2010:**
  - $M = 1859_{-13-26}^{+6+6}$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup>
  - $\Gamma < 30$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup> (90% C.L.)

# PWA of $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p \bar{p}$ ( $M_{p\bar{p}} < 2.2 \text{ GeV}$ )



✓ **Four components:**

—  $X(p\bar{p})$ ,  $f_2(1910)$ ,  $f_0(2100)$  and  $0^{++}$  PS

✓ **Include the FSI effect**

✓ **Fit features:**

— The fit with BW and S-wave FSI ( $l=0$ )

factor can well describe  $p\bar{p}$  mass threshold structure.

— It is much better than that w/o FSI effect ( $7.1\sigma$ )

— Different FSI model  $\rightarrow$  Model dependent uncertainty

✓ **BESIII Results:**

**PRL 108, 112003(2012)**

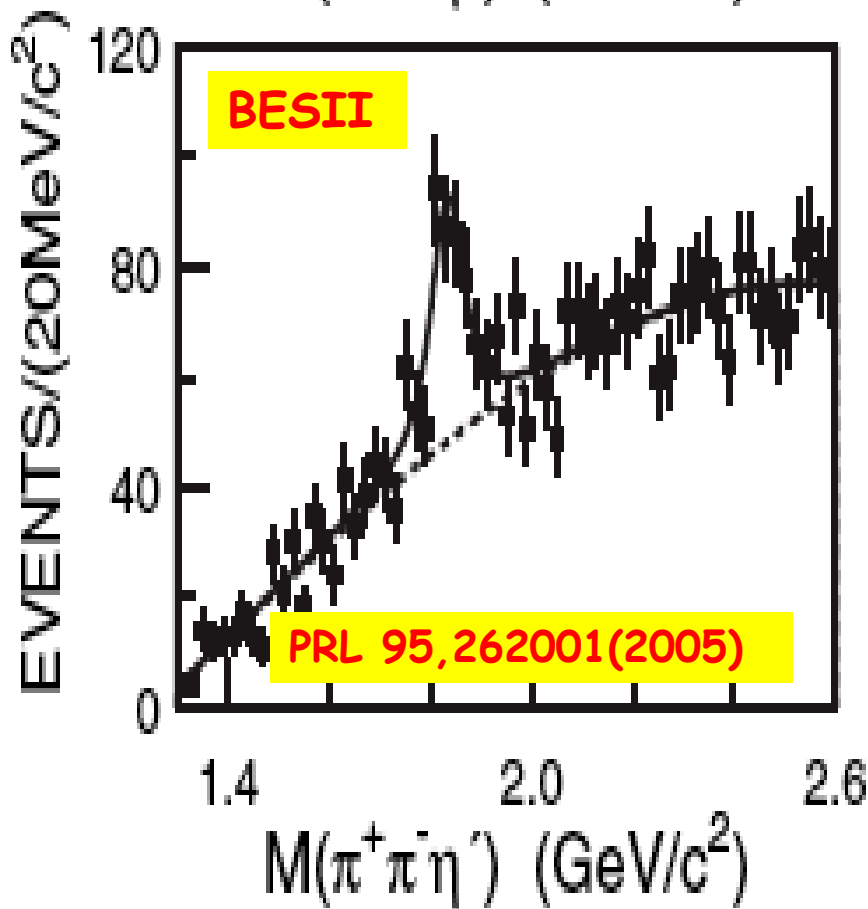
—  $J^{PC} = 0^+$ ,  $>6.8\sigma$  better than other  $J^{PC}$  assignments.

—  $M = 1832^{+19}_{-5}(\text{stat})^{+18}_{-17}(\text{syst}) \pm 19(\text{model}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$

—  $\Gamma = 13 \pm 39(\text{stat})^{+10}_{-13}(\text{syst}) \pm 4(\text{model}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$  or  $\Gamma < 76 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  @ 90 C.L.

—  $\text{Br}(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X(p\bar{p})) \times \text{Br}(X(p\bar{p}) \rightarrow p\bar{p}) = (9.0^{+0.4}_{-1.1}(\text{stat})^{+1.5}_{-5.0}(\text{syst}) \pm 2.3(\text{model})) \times 10^{-5}$

# X(1835) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$ @ BESII



## ✓ BESII Results:

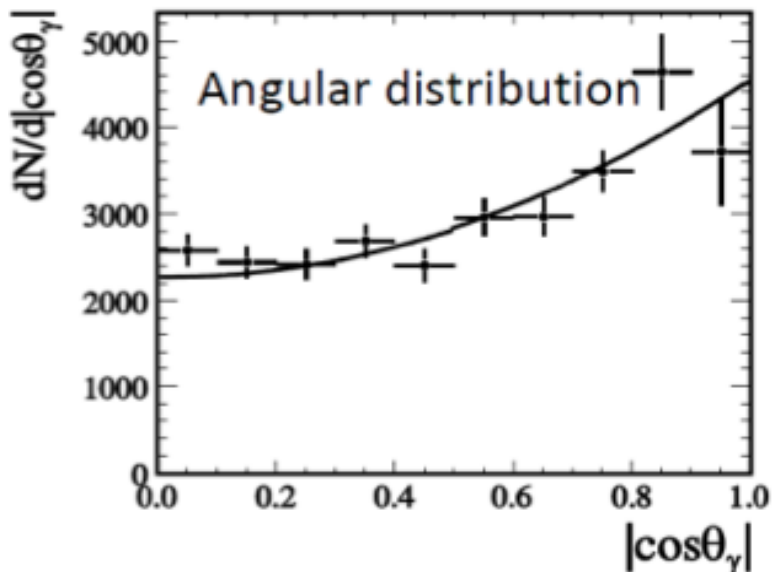
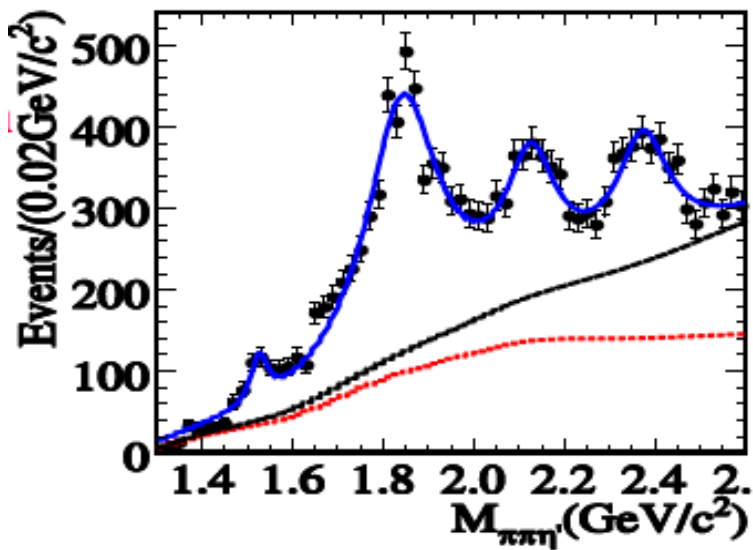
- $M=1833.7 \pm 6.1(\text{stat}) \pm 2.7(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- $\Gamma=67.7 \pm 20.3(\text{stat}) \pm 7.7(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X(1835))B(X(1835) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta')$   
 $= (2.2 \pm 0.4(\text{stat}) \pm 0.4(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$
- Statistical Significance  $7.7\sigma$

## ✓ Many Theoretical interpretation:

- $p\bar{p}$  bound state
- $\eta$  excitation
- ....
- Are  $X(p\bar{p})$  and  $X(1835)$  from the same source?

# X(1835) in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^+ \pi^- \eta'$ @ BESIII

PRL 106, 072002 (2011)



resonance	$M (\text{MeV}/c^2)$	$\Gamma (\text{MeV}/c^2)$	significance
X(1835)	$1836.5 \pm 3.0$	$190.1 \pm 9.0$	$\gg 20\sigma$
X(2120)	$2122.4 \pm 6.7$	$84 \pm 16$	$> 7.2\sigma$
X(2370)	$2376.3 \pm 8.7$	$83 \pm 17$	$> 6.4\sigma$

## ✓ BESIII Results:

—  $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X(1835))B(X(1835) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta') = (2.87 \pm 0.09(\text{stat})^{+0.49}_{-0.52}(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$

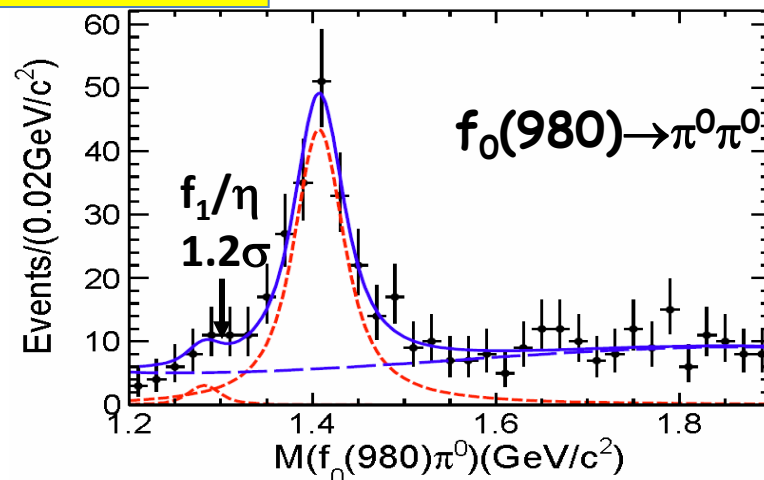
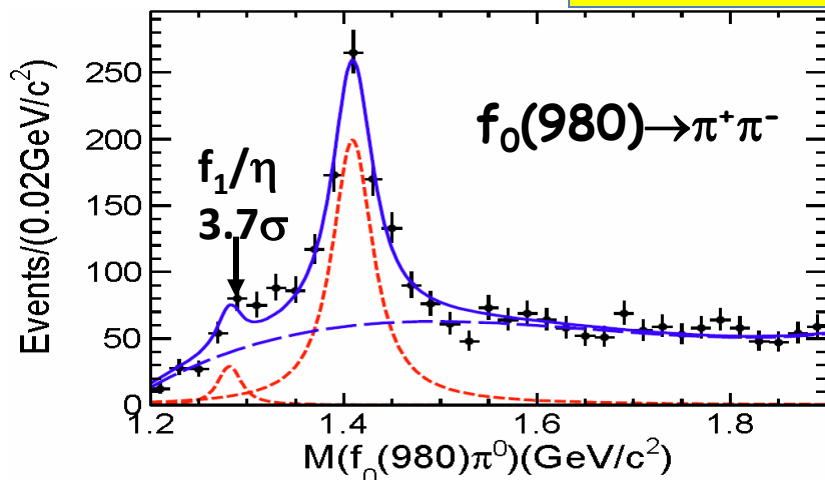
— The polar angle of the photon is consistent with expectation for a pseudoscalar

— Two more structures are observed.

**PWA is needed, interference among the resonances needs to be considered.**

# $\eta(1405)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma f_0(980)\pi^0, f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi\pi$

PRL 108, 182001 (2012)



**First observed:  $\eta(1405) \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi^0$  (Large isospin breaking)**

✓ Helicity analysis indicates the peak at 1400MeV is from  $\eta(1405)$ , not from  $f_1(1420)$

✓ Large Isospin-violating decay rate:

$$\frac{BR(\eta(1405) \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)}{BR(\eta(1405) \rightarrow a_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0\eta)} \approx (17.9 \pm 4.2)\%$$

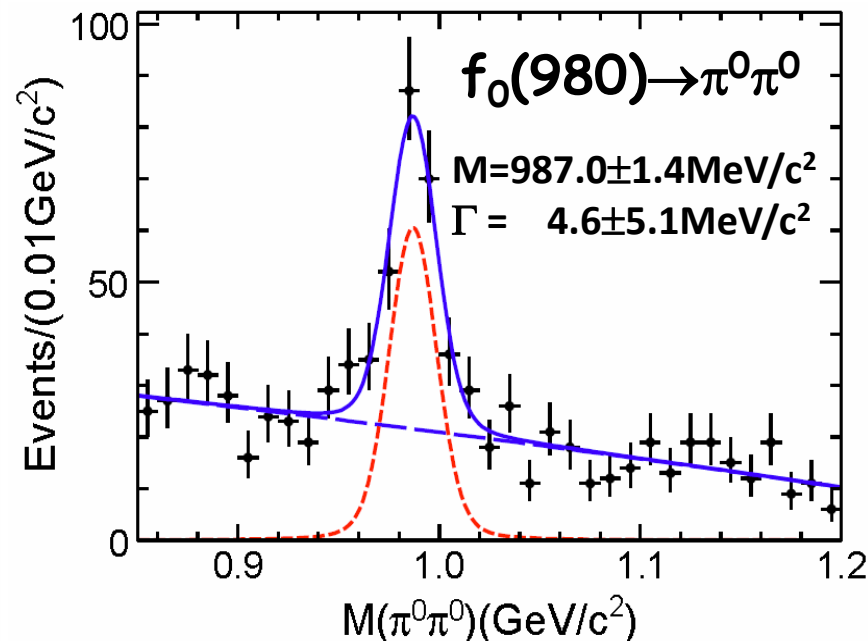
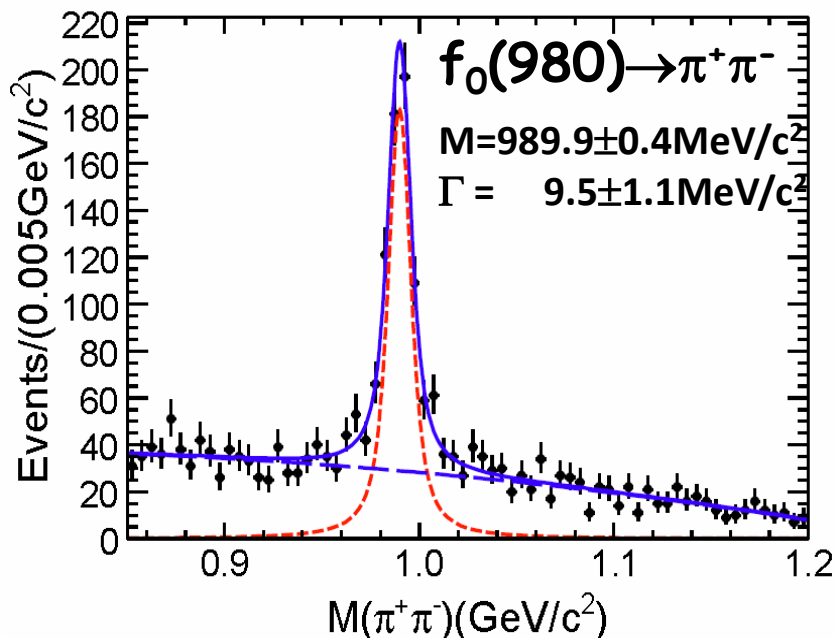
✓ In general, magnitude of isospin violation in strong decay should be  $<1\%$ .

$$\xi_{af} = \frac{Br(\chi_{c1} \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0)}{Br(\chi_{c1} \rightarrow a_0(980)\pi^0 \rightarrow \eta\pi^0\pi^0)} < 1\%(90\% C.L.) \quad \text{PRD, 83(2100)032003}$$

**$a_0$ - $f_0$  mixing alone can not explain the branching ratio of  $\eta(1405) \rightarrow f_0(980)\pi^0$**

# Anomalous line shape of $f_0(980)$ in $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma 3\pi$

PRL 108, 182001 (2012)



## ✓ Surprising result:

- very narrow  $f_0(980)$  width:  $< 11.8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$  @ 90 % C.L.
- much narrower than the world average (PDG 2010: 40-100 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>)

**A possible explanation is  $KK^*$  loop, Triangle Singularity (TS)**

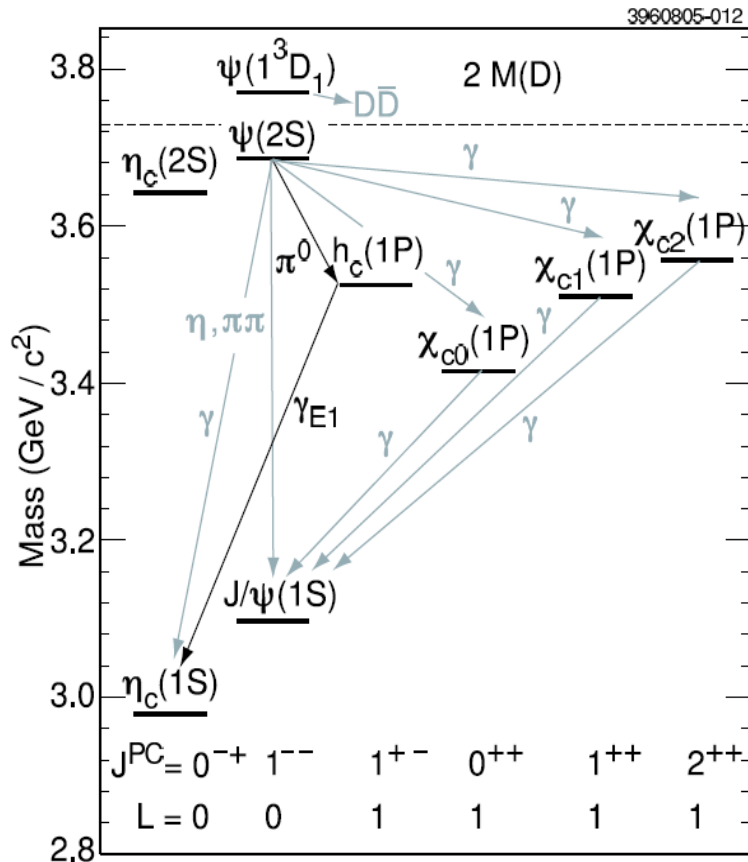
(J.J. Wu et al, PRL 108, 081803(2012))

# Recent results on Charmonium spectroscopy

- ✓ Properties of  $h_c$
- ✓ Mass and width of  $\eta_c$
- ✓ Observation evidence of  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)$
- ✓ First observation of  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \gamma J/\psi$



# Property of $h_c(1P_1)$



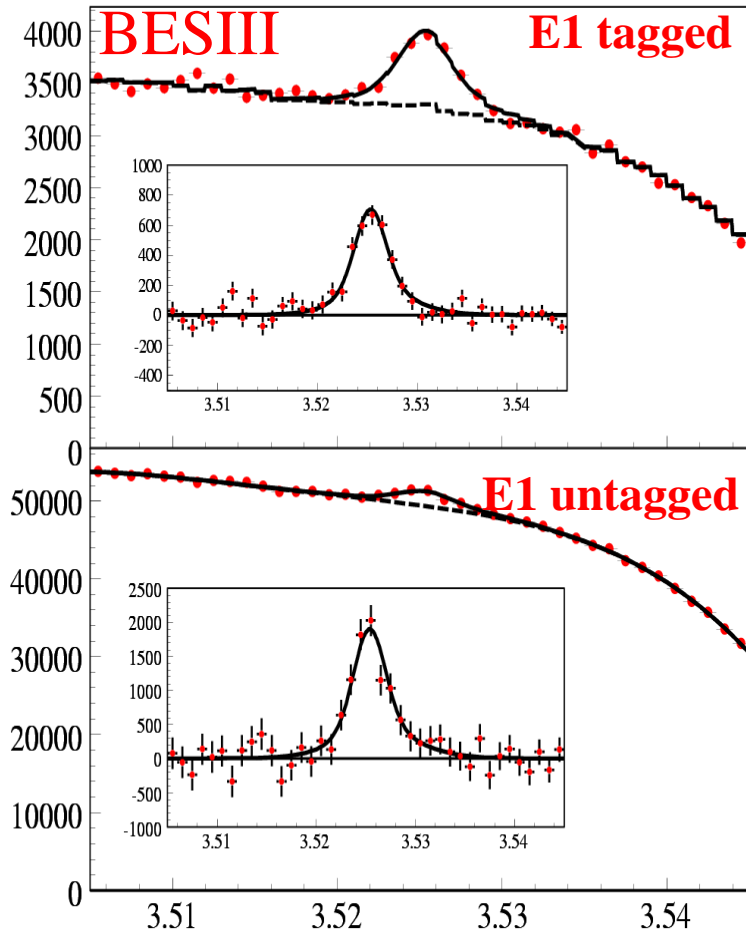
- ✓ First evidence (E835):  $pp \rightarrow h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$   
PRD72, 092004(2005)
- ✓ CLEO-c observed :  $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c, h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$   
 $\Delta M_{hf}(1P) = 0.08 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.12 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
PRL104, 132002(2010)
- ✓ Study isospin forbidden transition:  
 $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$
- ✓ Measure as well the E1 transition:  
 $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$
- ✓  $M(h_c)$  gives access to hyperfine splitting of 1P states:  

$$\Delta M_{hf}(1P) = M(h_c) - 1/9(M(\chi_{c0}) + 3M(\chi_{c1}) + 5M(\chi_{c2}))$$

**A none zero hyperfine splitting may give indication of nonvanishing spin-spin interactions in Charmonium potential models**

# $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$

PRL104, 132002, (2010)

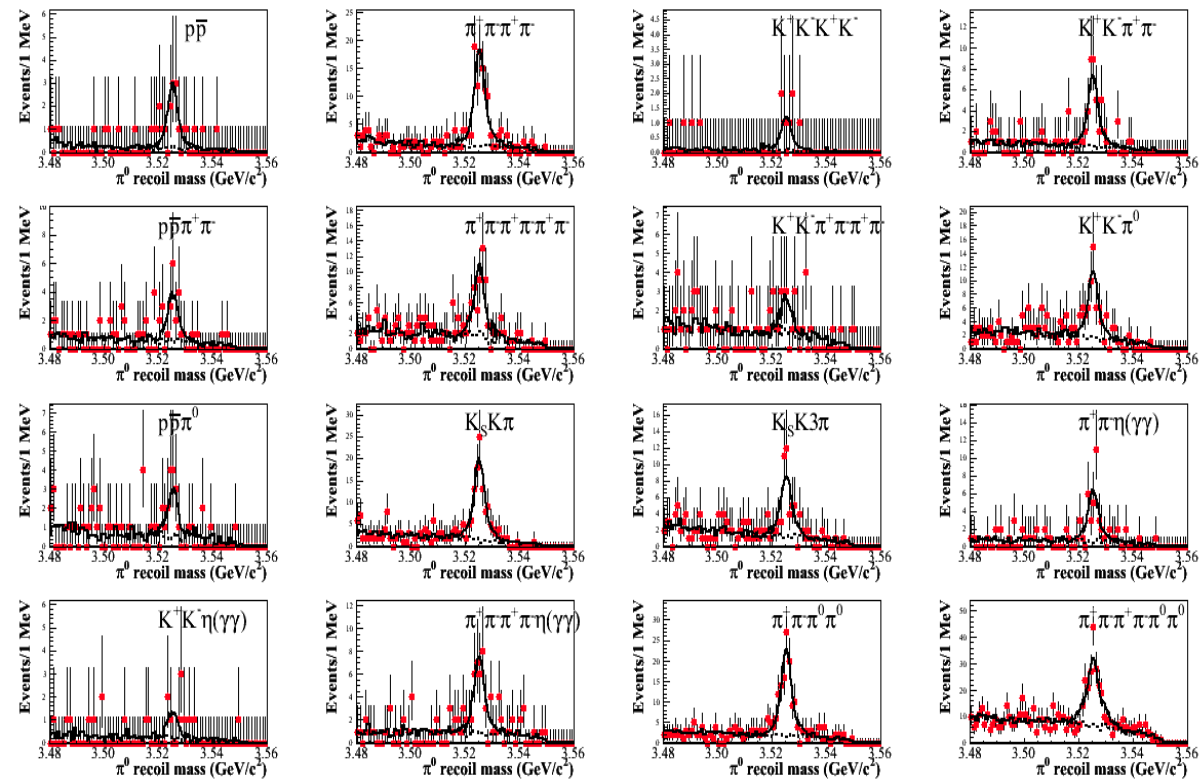
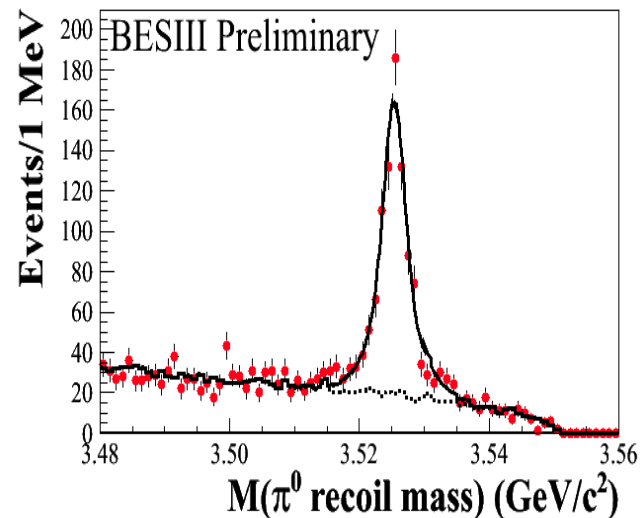


- ✓ Select inclusive  $\pi^0(\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c)$
- ✓ Select E1-photon in  $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$  (E1 tagged) or not (E1 untagged)
- ✓ E1-tagged selection gives
  - $M(h_c) = 3525.40 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.18 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
  - $(\Delta M_{hf}(1P) = 0.10 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.18 \text{ MeV}/c^2)$
  - $\Gamma(h_c) = 0.73 \pm 0.45 \pm 0.28 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
  - ( $< 1.44 \text{ MeV}$  at 90% C.L.)
  - $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c) \times \text{Br}(h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c)$
  - $= (4.58 \pm 0.40 \pm 0.50) \times 10^{-4}$
  - (first measurement)
- ✓ E1-untagged selection gives
  - $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c) = (8.4 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-4}$
- ✓ Combining Branching fractions leads to
  - $\text{Br}(h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) = (54.3 \pm 6.7 \pm 5.2)\%$

# $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$ , $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$ , $\eta_c$ exclusive decays

**BESIII Preliminary**

Summed  $\pi^0$  recoil mass



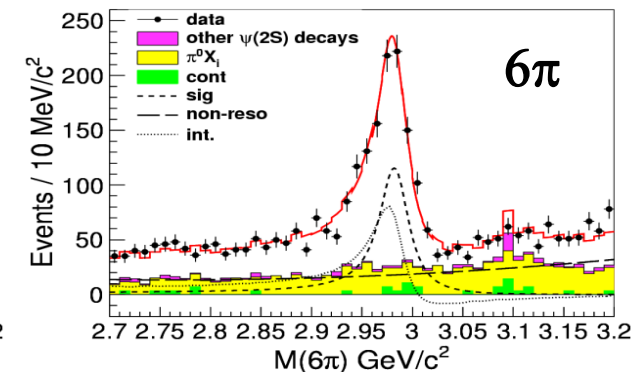
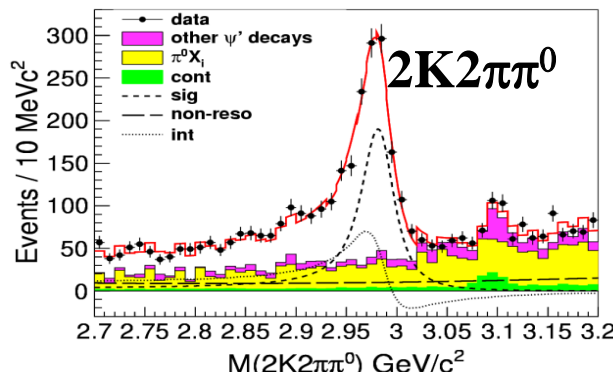
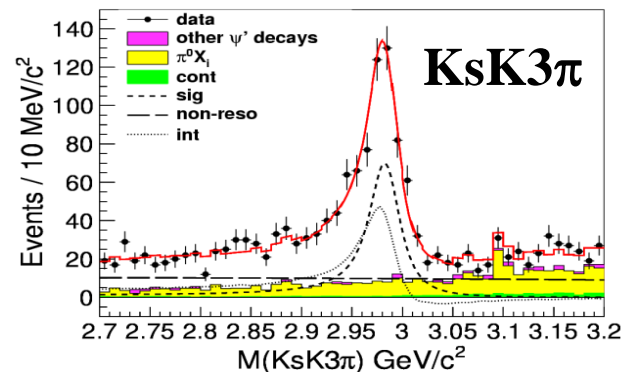
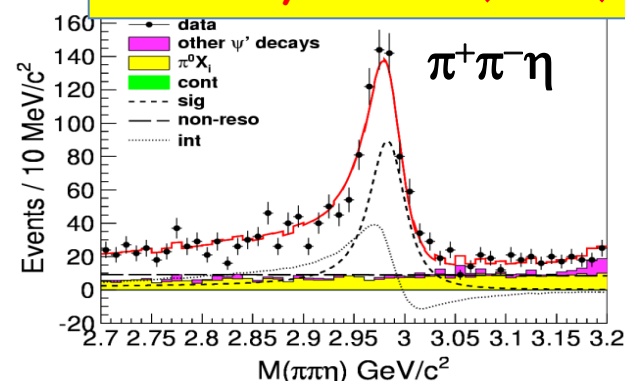
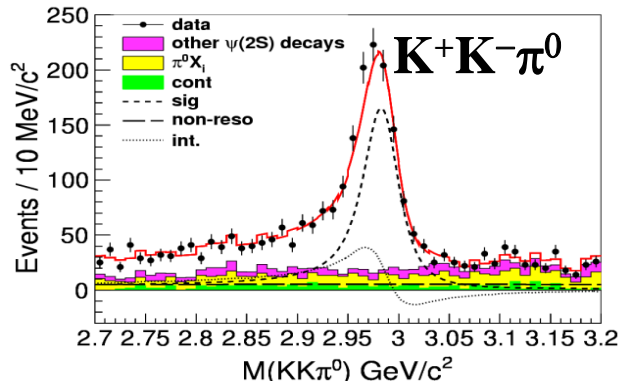
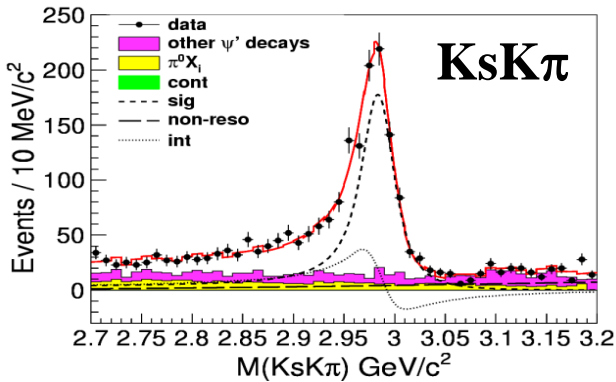
- ✓  $\psi \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$ ,  $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$ ,  $\eta_c$  is reconstructed exclusively with 16 decay modes
- ✓ Simultaneous fit to  $\pi^0$  recoiling mass
  - $\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.} = 32/46$
  - $M = 3525.31 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.15 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
  - $\Gamma = 0.70 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.25 \text{ MeV}$

- ✓ Consistent with:
  - BESIII inclusive results  
**PRL104,132002(2010)**
  - CLEO-c exclusive results  
 $M = 3525.21 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.14 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $N = 136 \pm 14$   
**PRL101, 182003(2008)**



# $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$ , $\eta_c \rightarrow$ exclusive decays

PRL 108, 222002 (2012)



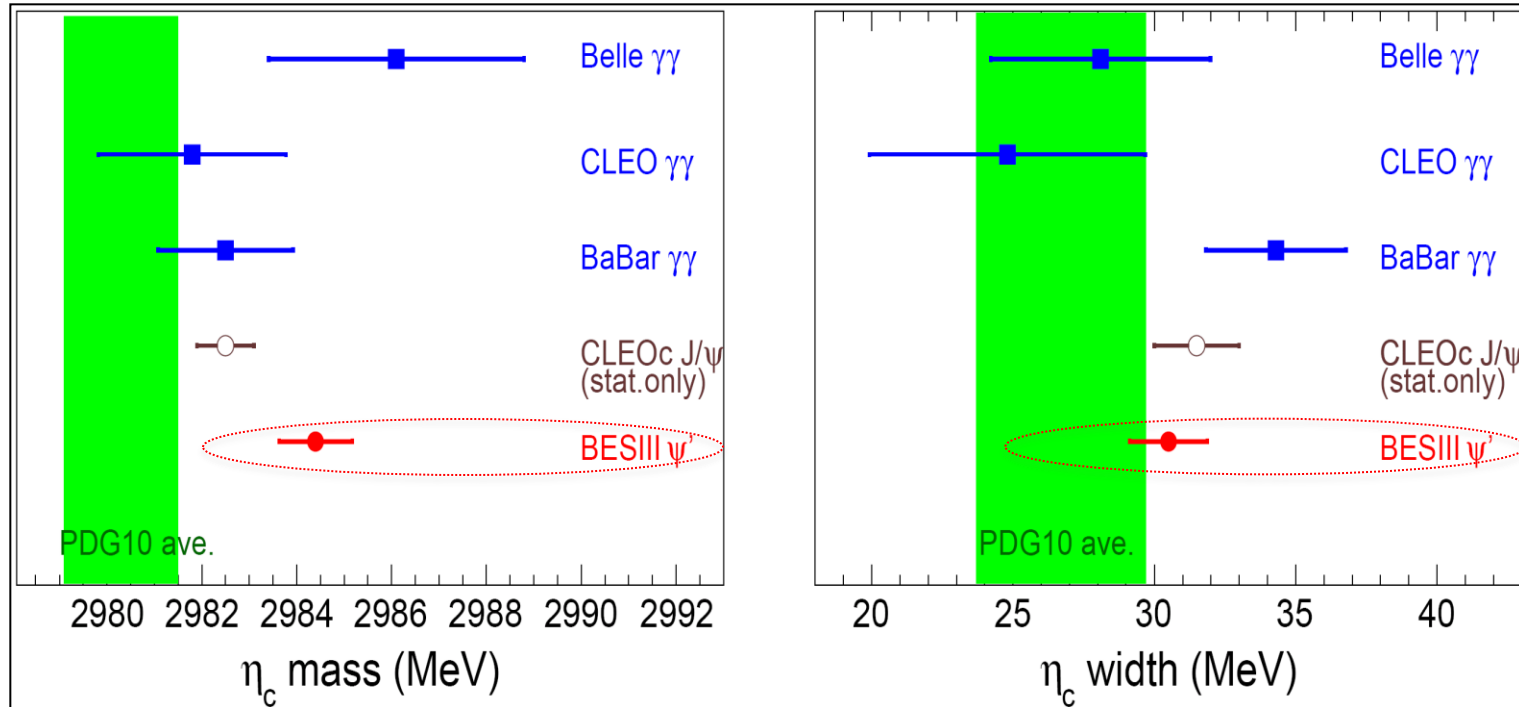
Interference with non-resonant is significant !

- ✓ Relative phase  $\phi$  values from each mode are consistent within  $3\sigma$
- use a common phase value in the simultaneous fit.

$M: 2984.4 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.6 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\Gamma: 30.5 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.9 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $\phi: 2.35 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.04 \text{ rad}$

# Comparison of the mass and width for $\eta_c$

The world average in PDG2010 was using earlier measurements



Hyperfine splitting:  $\Delta M_{hf}(1S) = 112.6 \pm 0.8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

- ✓ Consistent with B factory results in other production mechanisms.
- ✓ Agree with lattice QCD calculations of the charmonium hyperfine splitting

# $\eta_c(2S)$

✓ **First “observation” by Crystal Ball's in 1982:** PRL 48, 70(1982)

- “Seen” in inclusive photon spectrum of  $\psi'$  decay  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma X$
- Branch fraction and parameters are far from modern measurements
- $M=3.592\text{GeV}/c^2$ ,  $\text{Br} = 0.2\%-1.3\%$
- Never confirmed by other experiments

✓ **The M1 transition  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)$  have not be observed**

- CLEO-c not found signal in 25M  $\psi'$  samples,  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)) < 7.6 \times 10^{-4}$
- Experimental challenge : search for photons  $\sim 50\text{MeV}/c^2$

PRD 81 052002 (2010)

✓ **Observed in different process other than radiative transition**

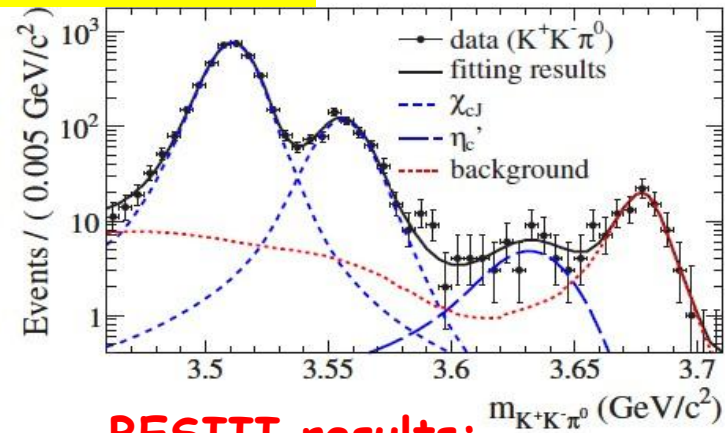
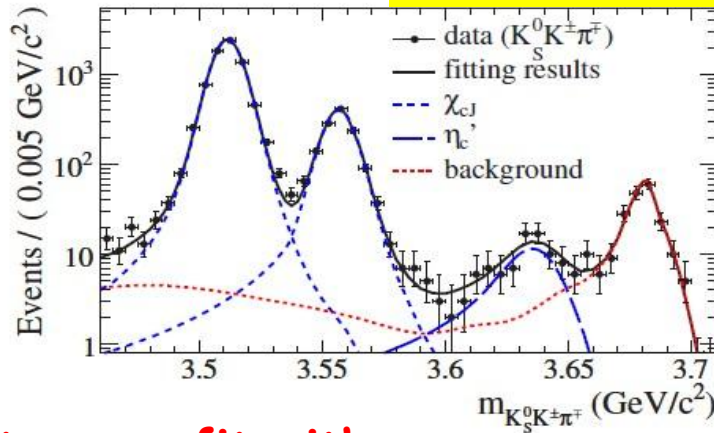
Experiment	$M$ [MeV]	$\Gamma$ [MeV]	Process
Belle [1]	$3654 \pm 6 \pm 8$	—	$B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \eta_c(2S), \eta_c(2S) \rightarrow K_S K^\pm \pi^\mp$
CLEO [2]	$3642.9 \pm 3.1 \pm 1.5$	$6.3 \pm 12.4 \pm 4.0$	$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \eta_c(2S) \rightarrow K_S K^\pm \pi^\mp$
BaBar [3]	$3630.8 \pm 3.4 \pm 1.0$	$17.0 \pm 8.3 \pm 2.5$	$\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \eta_c(2S) \rightarrow K_S K^\pm \pi^\mp$
BaBar [4]	$3645.0 + 5.5^{+4.9}_{-7.8}$	—	$e^+e^- \rightarrow J/\psi c\bar{c}$
PDG [5]	$3638 \pm 4$	$14 \pm 7$	—

✓ **Better chance to observe  $\eta_c(2S)$  in  $\psi'$  radiative transition with  $\sim 106\text{M}$   $\psi'$  data at BESIII**

- Decay mode studied :  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S) \rightarrow \gamma K_S K \pi / K^+ K^- \pi^0$

# Observation of $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)$

arXiv:1205.5103, submit to PRL



**Simultaneous fit with:**

✓  $\eta_c(2S)$  signal:

— PDF:  $(E_\gamma^3 \times BW(m) \times \text{damping}(E_\gamma)) \otimes \text{Gauss}(0, \sigma)$

M1 transition

$$\frac{E_0^2}{E_\gamma E_0 + (E_\gamma - E_0)^2}$$

✓  $\chi_{cJ}$  signal:

— MC shape smeared with Gaussian

✓ Background:

—  $e^+e^- \rightarrow KK\pi$  (ISR),  $\psi' \rightarrow KK\pi$  (FSR),

$\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 KK\pi$

— Measured from data

➤ Potential model predicts  $(0.1 \sim 6.2) \times 10^{-4}$

➤ CLEO-c:  $< 7.6 \times 10^{-4}$

**BESIII results:**

✓ Statistical significance  $> 10\sigma$

✓  $M = 3637.6 \pm 2.9 \pm 1.6 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

✓  $\Gamma = 16.9 \pm 6.4 \pm 4.8 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

✓ Branching fraction:

—  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S) \rightarrow \gamma KK\pi) = (1.30 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-5}$

—  $\text{Br}(\eta_c(2S) \rightarrow KK\pi) = (1.9 \pm 0.4 \pm 1.1)\%$  from BaBar

(PRD78 012006 (2008))

—  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)) = (6.8 \pm 1.1 \pm 4.5) \times 10^{-4}$

PRL89 162002 (2002)

PRD81 052002 (2010)



$$\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi$$

- ✓ Two photon transitions are well known in excitations of molecules, atomic hydrogen, and positronium.

F. Bassani et al, PRL 39, 1070 (1977); A. Quattronani et al., PRL 50, 1258 (1983)

- ✓ Never been observed in the quarkonium system.

PRD 78,011102(2008)

- CLEO-c: upper limit of  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi)$  is  $1 \times 10^{-3}$

- ✓ Observation helpful to understand heavy quarkonium spectrum & strong interaction

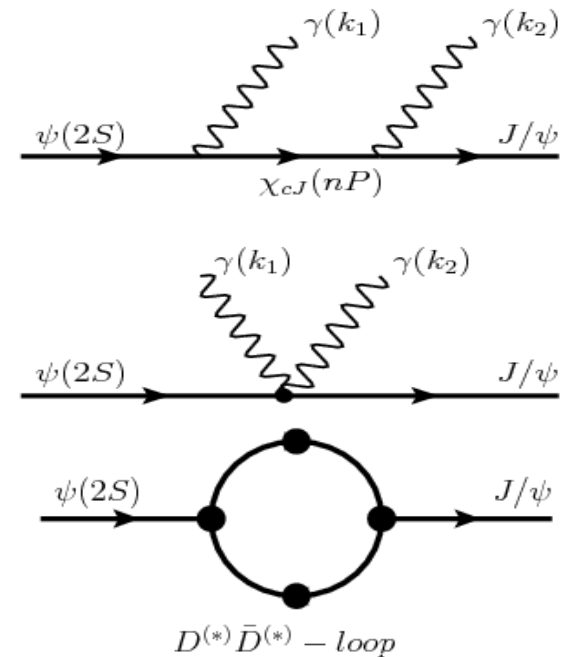
## Theoretically:

- ✓ Potential models give discrete spectra

$$(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{cJ}, \chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi)$$

- ✓ Possibility of testing the hadron-loop effect

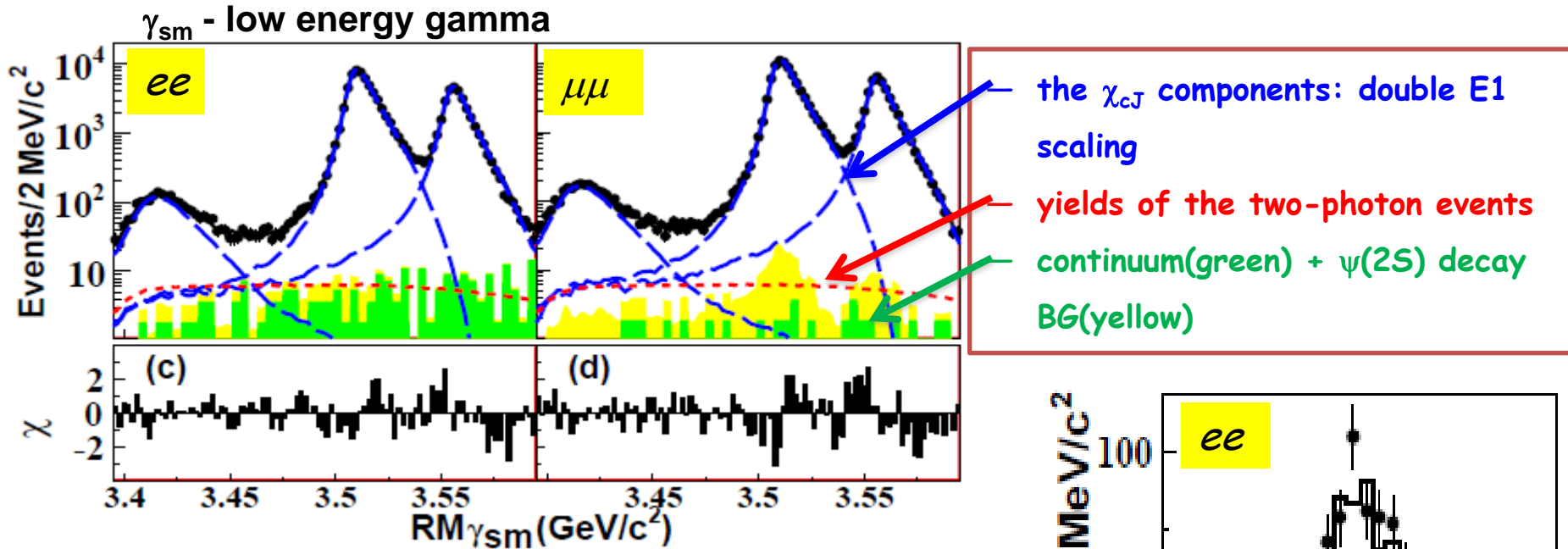
- ✓ Coupled channel: the hadron-loop effect also may play an important role in the continuous spectra



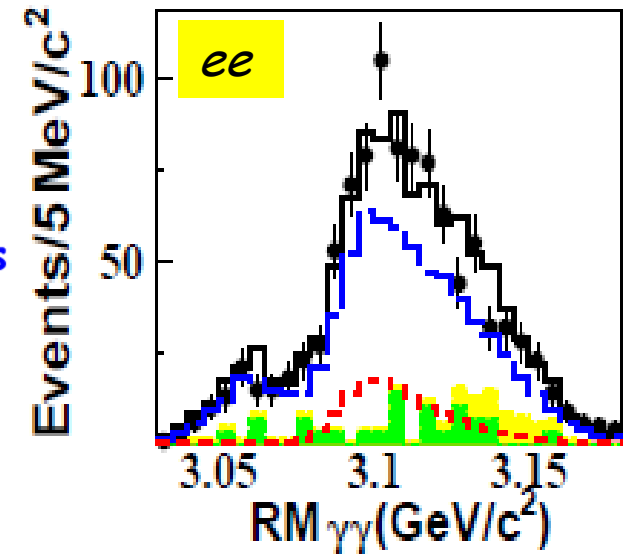
# First evidence of $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi$

Select  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi$ ,  $J/\psi \rightarrow e^+e^-/\mu^+\mu^-$  events

arXiv: 1204.0246 Submitted to PRL



- ✓ Global fit of the  $\gamma\gamma$  process and cascade  $\chi_{cJ}$  processes
- ✓ See clear excess over BG+continuum
- ✓  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\gamma J/\psi) = (3.3 \pm 0.6^{+0.8}_{-1.1}) \times 10^{-4}$  (both  $e^+e^-$  and  $\mu^+\mu^-$ )
- ✓ Significance :  $3.8\sigma$  including systematics
- ✓  $\text{Br}(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma\chi_{cJ}, \chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi)$  are also measured



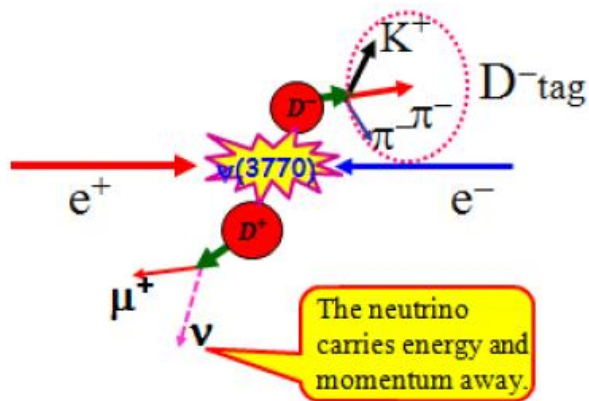
$3.44 < \text{RM}(\gamma_{sm}) < 3.48 \text{ GeV}$

# Preliminary results on D analysis

- ✓ **Leptonic Decays**
- ✓ **Semi-leptonic Decays**

# Preliminary results of $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$

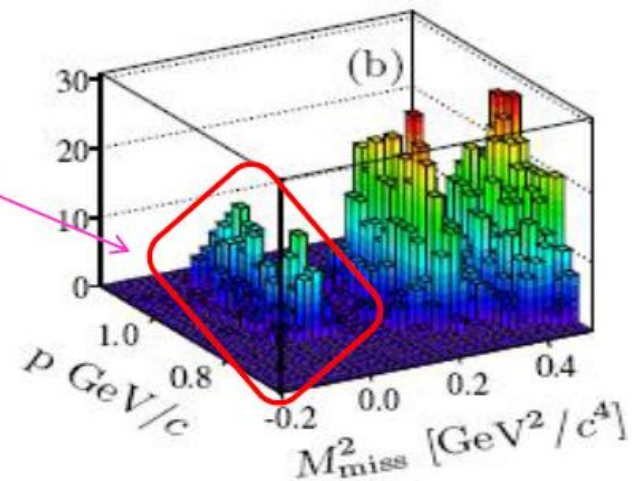
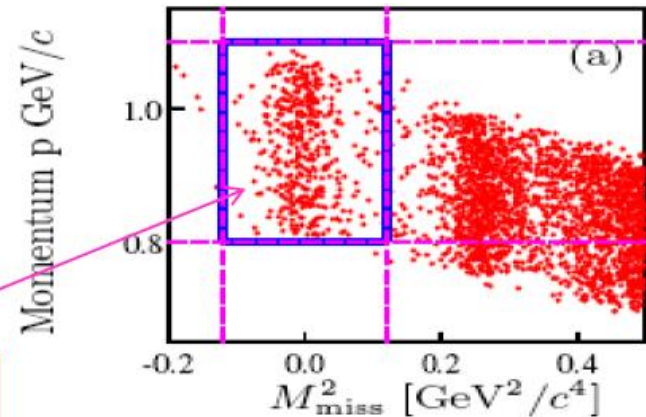
- ✓ In the system recoiling against the tagged  $D^-$  with 9 different decay modes, select leptonic decay for  $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$



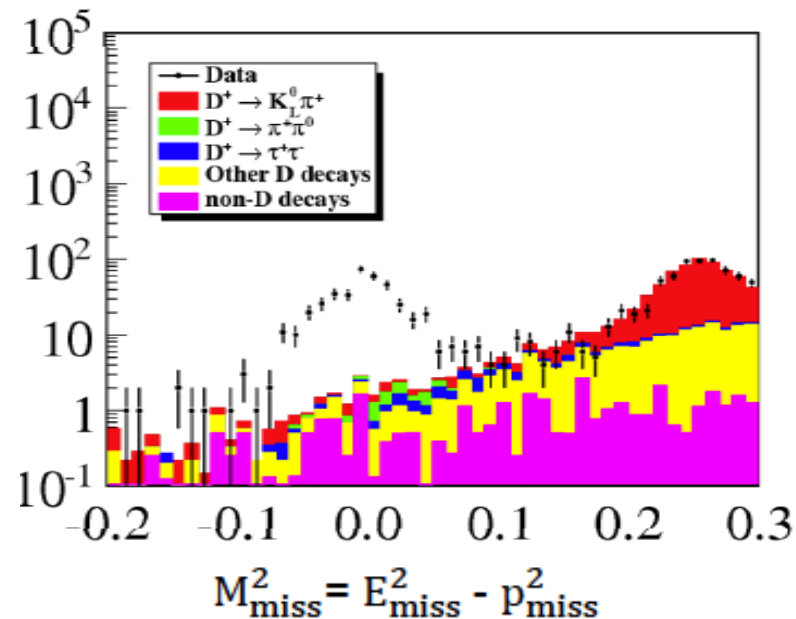
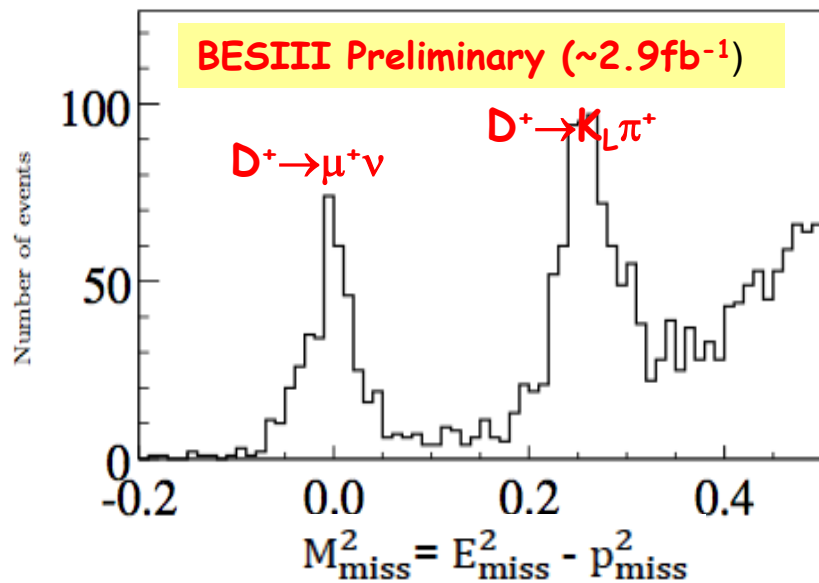
425  
candidates  
for  $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$

they require:

- One charged track only
- Positively identified  $\mu$
- No isolate photon



# Preliminary results of $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$



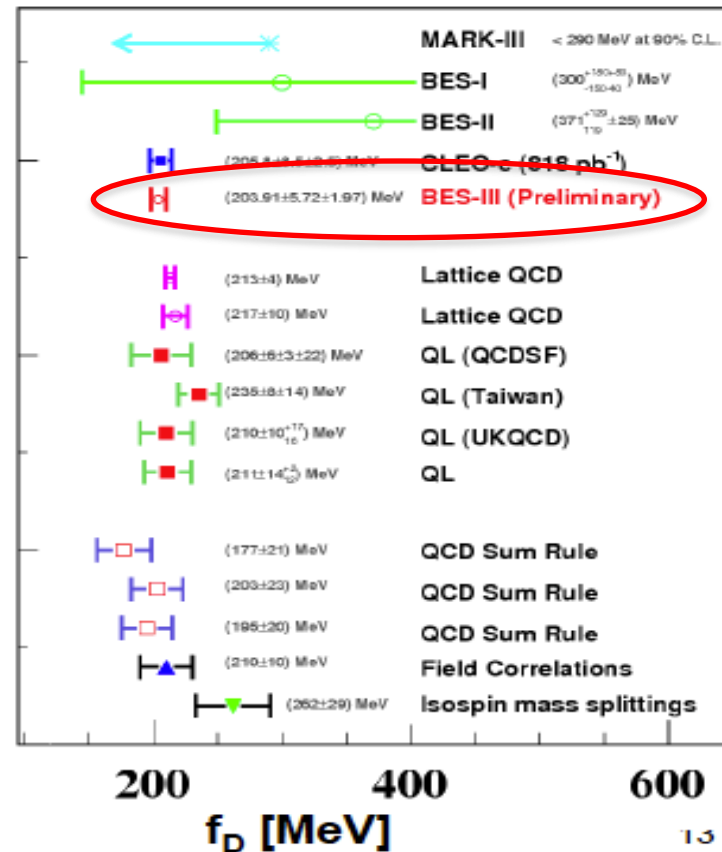
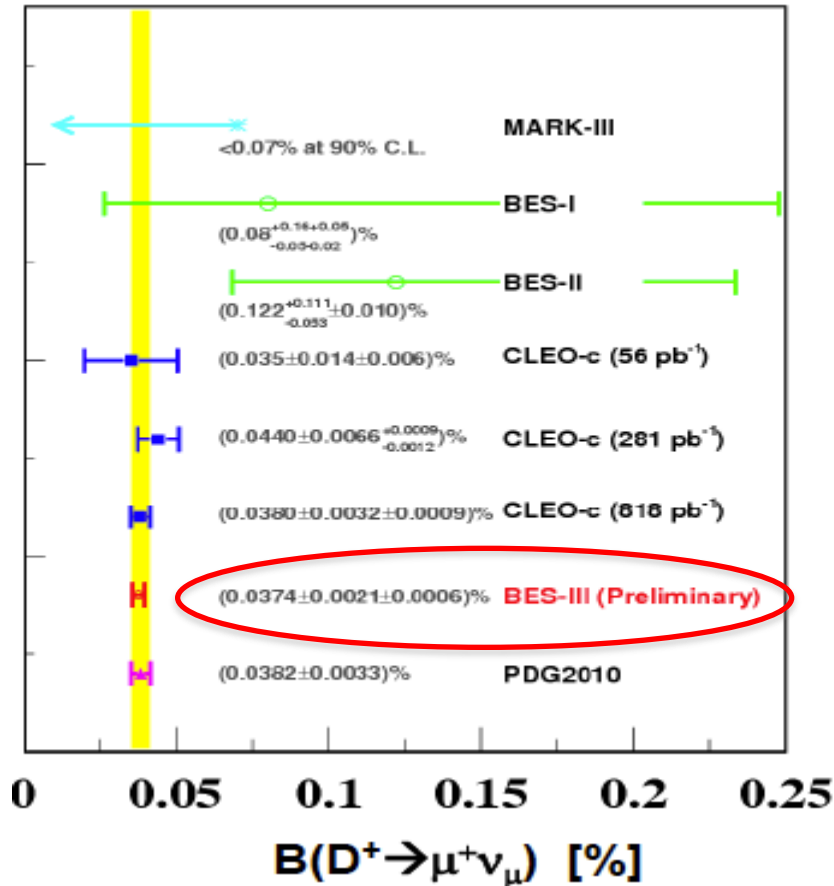
Results:  $N(D^+ \rightarrow \mu \nu) = 377.3 \pm 20.6 \pm 2.6$   
 $\text{BF}(D^+ \rightarrow \mu \nu) = (3.74 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.06) \times 10^{-4}$

$$\Gamma(D^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) = \frac{G_F^2 f_{D^+}^2}{8\pi} |V_{cd}|^2 m_l^2 m_{D^+} \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_{D^+}^2}\right)^2$$

$f_{D^+} = (203.91 \pm 5.72 \pm 1.97) \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 $|V_{cd}| = (0.222 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.005)$

$f_{D^+} = (207 \pm 4) \text{ MeV}/c^2$  LQCD  
 $|V_{cd}| = (0.2252 \pm 0.007)$  CKMFitter

# Preliminary results of $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$



- ✓ The most precise measurement is provided by BESIII
- ✓ the error is still dominated by statistics, needing more data taken at 3773 GeV to reduce it.

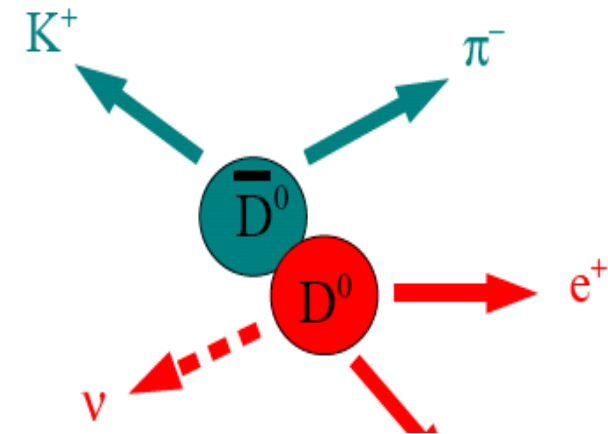
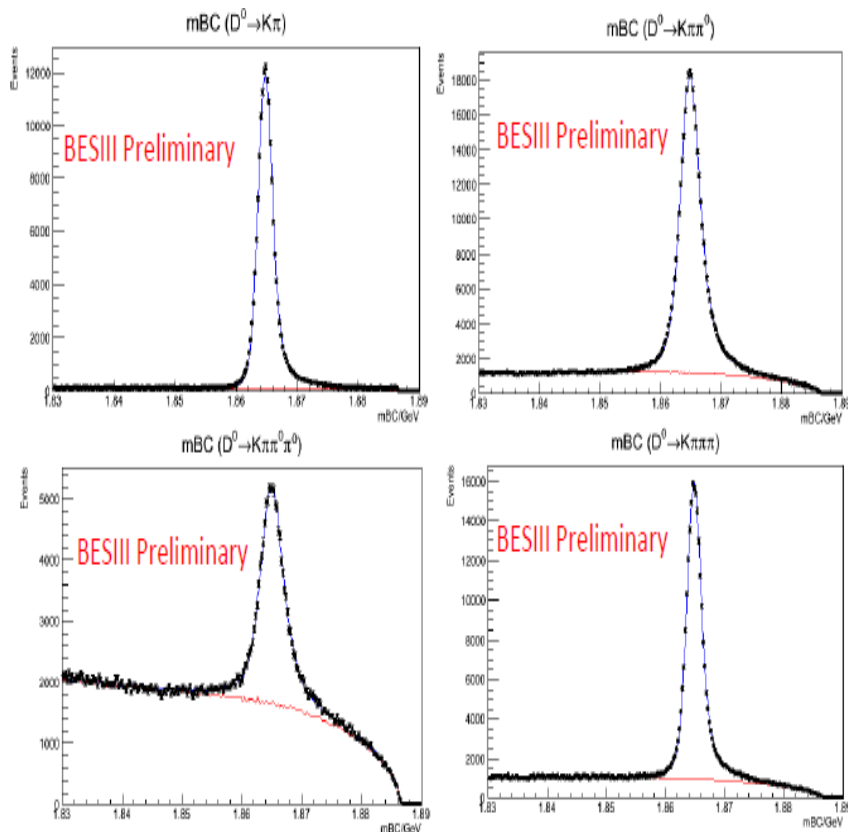
# Semi-leptonic Decays $D^0 \rightarrow K/\pi e \nu$

Differential decay rate function:

4 tag modes, 0.92 fb<sup>-1</sup> data  
@3.773 (BESIII preliminary)

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{24\pi^3} |V_{cx}|^2 p_X^3 |f_+(q^2)|^2$$

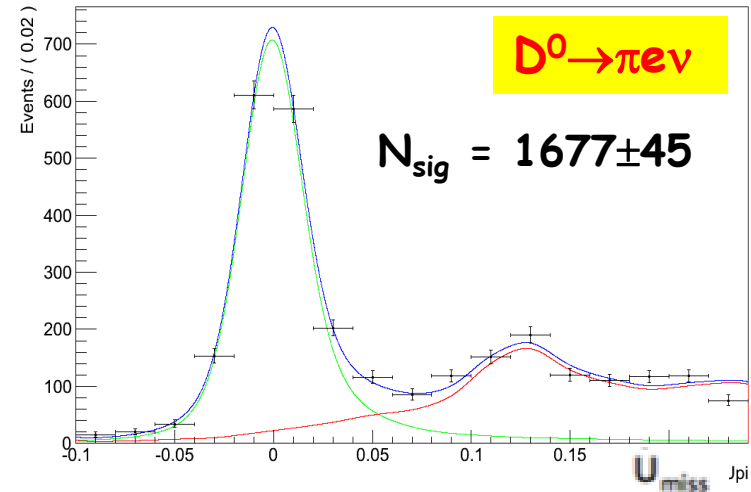
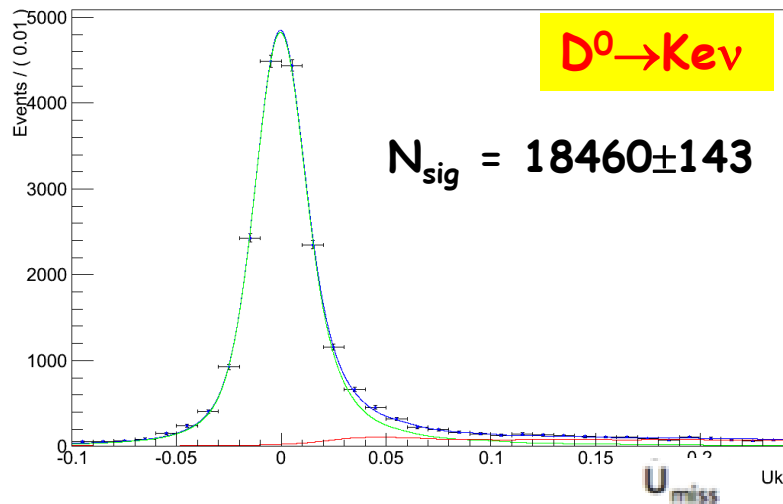
$q^2$  - the invariant mass square of the lepton-neutrino system



Mode	Data Yield	Fraction of All Tags (%)	Tag Efficiency(%)
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	$159,929 \pm 413$	20.7	$62.08 \pm 0.07$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	$323,348 \pm 667$	41.8	$33.56 \pm 0.03$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^0 \pi^0$	$78,467 \pm 480$	10.1	$14.93 \pm 0.04$
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$	$211,910 \pm 550$	27.4	$36.80 \pm 0.04$

# Semi-leptonic Decays $D^0 \rightarrow K/\pi e \nu$

BESIII Preliminary ( $\sim 0.92 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )



Mode	measured branching fraction(%)	PDG	CLEOc
$\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow K^+ e^- \bar{\nu}$	$3.542 \pm 0.030 \pm 0.067$	$3.55 \pm 0.04$	$3.50 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.04$
$\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ e^- \bar{\nu}$	$0.288 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.005$	$0.289 \pm 0.008$	$0.288 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.003$

- ✓ Systematics are preliminary
- ✓ Will improve with full data set 2.9/fb in the near future
- ✓ Form factor measurement is ongoing



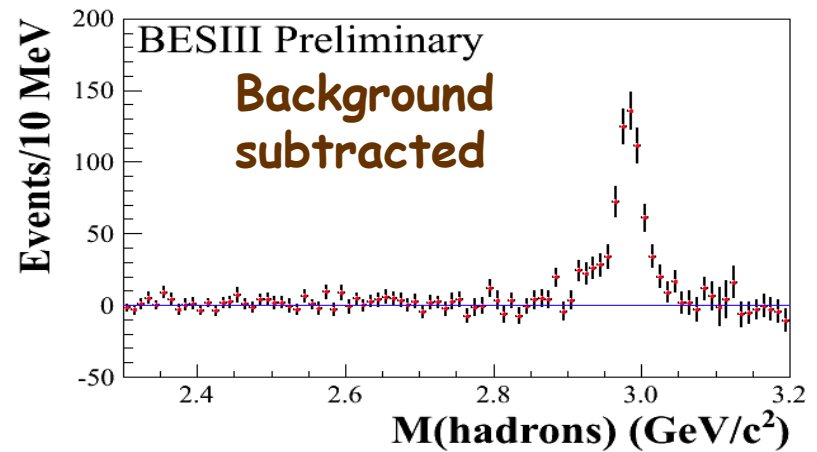
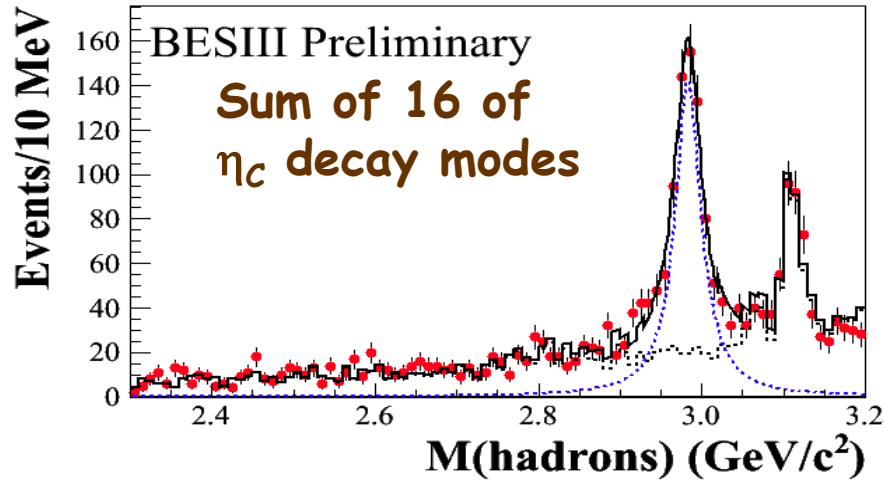
# Summary

- ✓ **BESIII is successfully operating since 2008:**
  - World largest data sample of  $J/\psi$ ,  $\psi'$ ,  $\psi(3770)$ ,  $\psi(4040)$ , still growing....
- ✓ **A lot of results have been obtained:**
  - Light quark states :
    - Confirmation the enhancement at  $p\bar{p}$  threshold in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$ ,  $J^{PC}=0^{-+}$ .
    - Confirmation X(1835) with two new structures in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi \pi \eta'$ .
    - First observation:  $\eta(1405) \rightarrow f_0(980) \pi^0$  ( isospin breaking ).
    - .....
  - Charmonium transitions :
    - Precision measurements of  $h_c$  and  $\eta_c(1S)$  properties.
    - first observation of  $\eta_c(2S)$  in  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c(2S)$  decay.
    - First evidence of  $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \gamma J/\psi$
    - .....
  - Charm decays:
    - Leptonic decay  $D^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$
    - Semi-Leptonic decay  $D^0 \rightarrow K/\pi e \nu$
    - .....
- ✓ **Expect many more results from BESIII in the future**

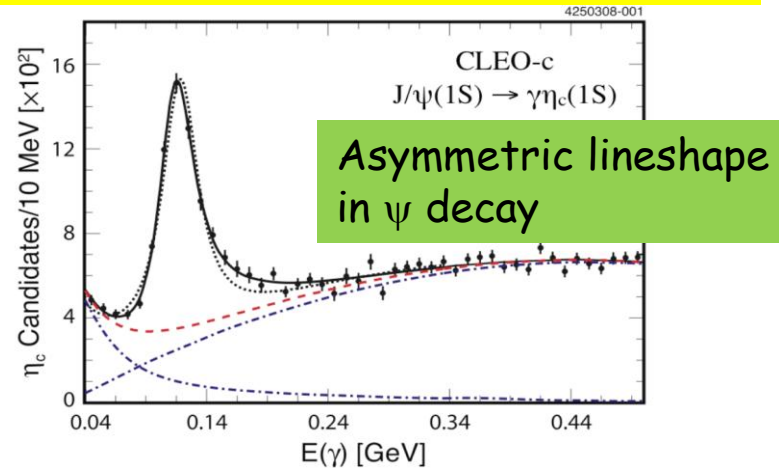
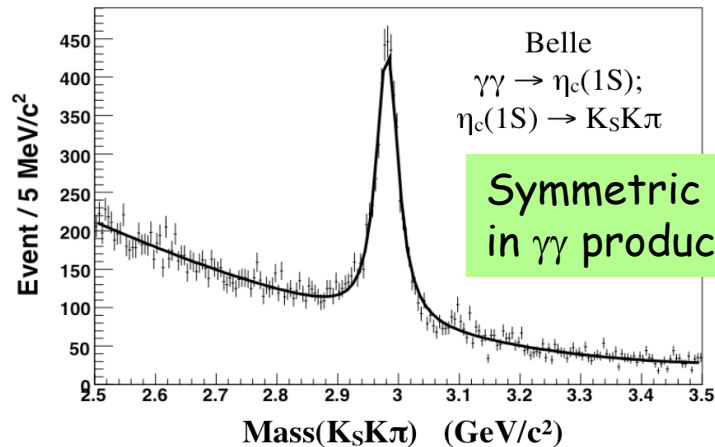
# Thank you

Backup

# $\eta_c$ lineshape from $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c, h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$



The  $\eta_c$  lineshape is not distorted in the  $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$ , non-resonant bkg is small. This channel will be best suited to determine the  $\eta_c$  resonance parameters.



# Is the $X(1835)$ from the same source of $X(p\bar{p})$ ?

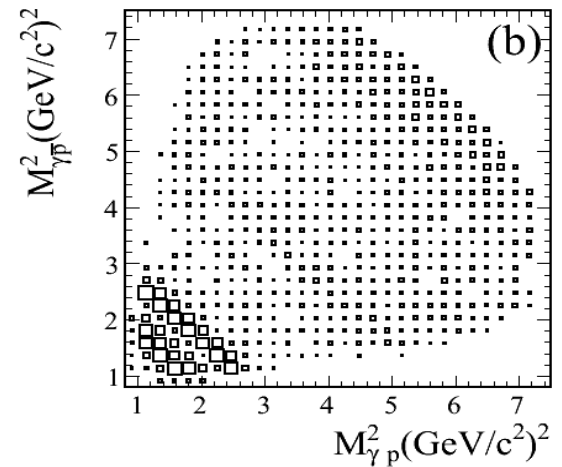
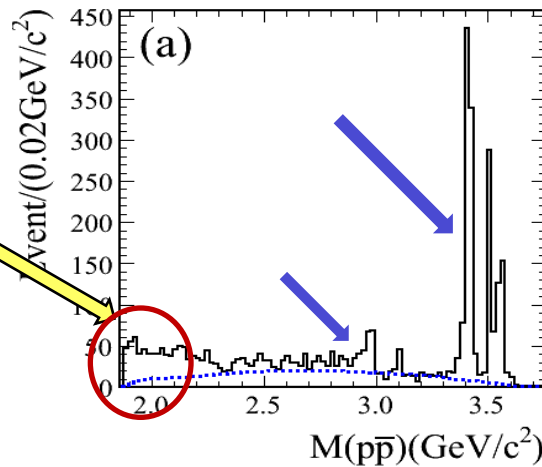
- The mass of  $X(p\bar{p})$  is consistent with  $X(1835)$
- The width of  $X(p\bar{p})$  is much narrower.

## Possible reasons:

- $X(p\bar{p})$  and  $X(1835)$  come from different sources
- Interference effect in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\pi\pi\eta'$  process should not be ignored in the determination of the  $X(1835)$  mass and width
- There may be more than one resonance in the mass peak around 1.83 GeV in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\pi\pi\eta'$  decays.

# Mpp̄ threshold structure of $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma p\bar{p}$ @ BESIII

Obviously different line shape of  $p\bar{p}$  mass spectrum near threshold from that in  $J/\psi$  decays



## PWA results:

- Significance of  $X(p\bar{p})$  is  $> 6.9\sigma$ .
- The production ratio R:

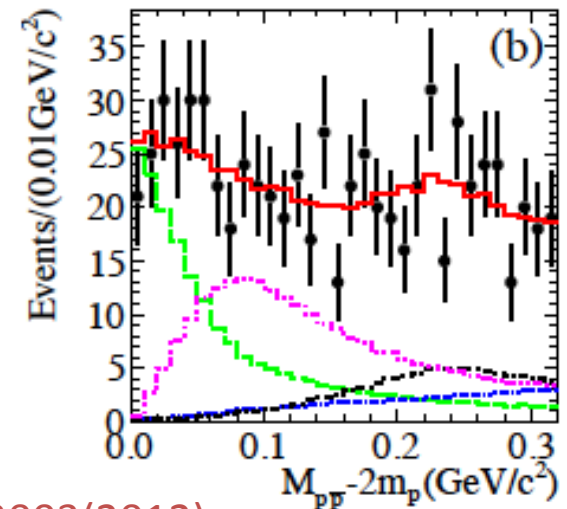
$$R = \frac{B(\psi' \rightarrow \gamma X(p\bar{p}))}{B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma X(p\bar{p}))}$$

$$= (5.08^{+0.71}_{-0.45} (\text{stat})^{+0.67}_{-3.58} (\text{syst}) \pm 0.12 (\text{mod}))\%$$

- It is suppressed compared with “12% rule”.

first measurement

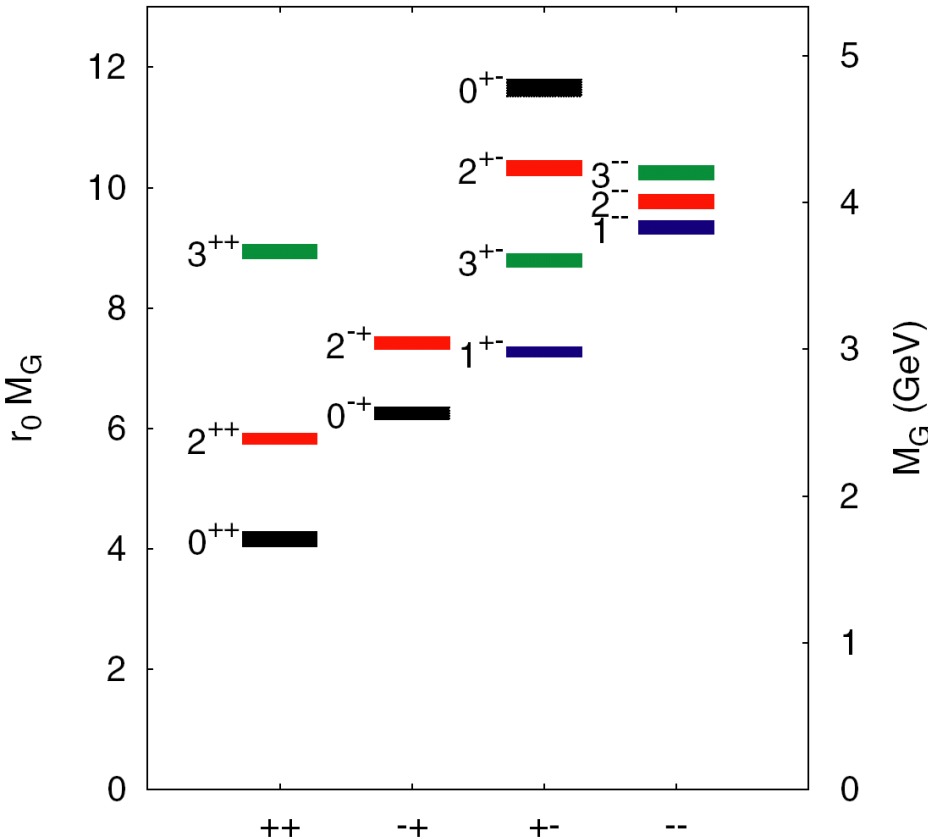
## PWA Projection:



PRL 108,112003(2012)

# Why are X(2120)/X(2370) interesting?

PRD73,014516(2006) Y.Chen et al



✓ It is the first time in  $J/\psi$  radiative decays resonant structures are observed in the 2.4  $\text{GeV}/c^2$  region,  
it is interesting since:

LQCD predicts that the lowest lying pseudoscalar glueball: around 2.4  $\text{GeV}/c^2$ .

$J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi \pi \eta'$  decay is a good channel for finding  $0^{-+}$  glueballs.

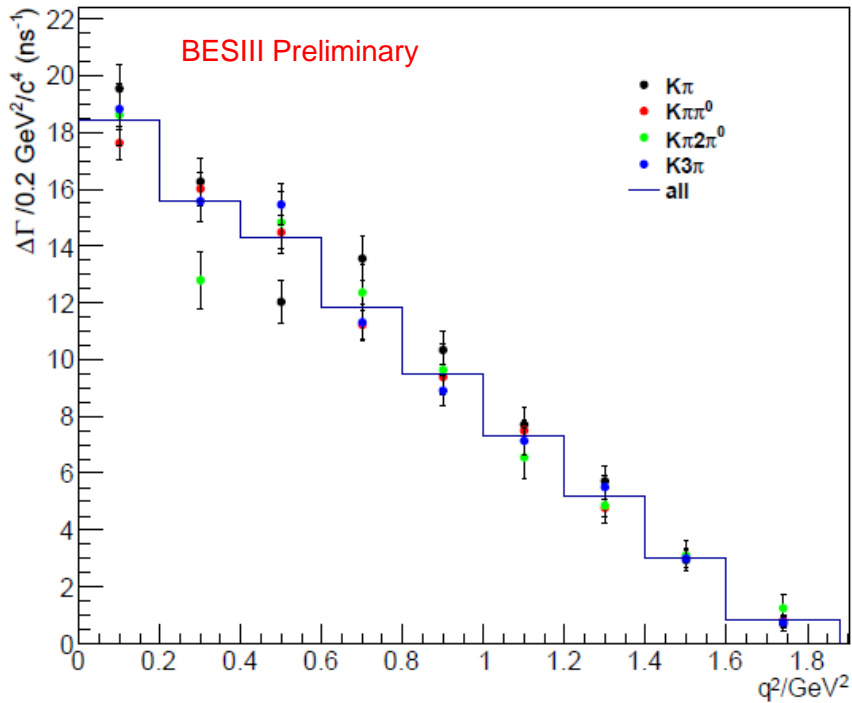
✓ Nature of X(2120)/X(2370)  
pseudoscalar glueball ?  
 $\eta/\eta'$  excited states?  
 $\Delta\Delta$  bound state?

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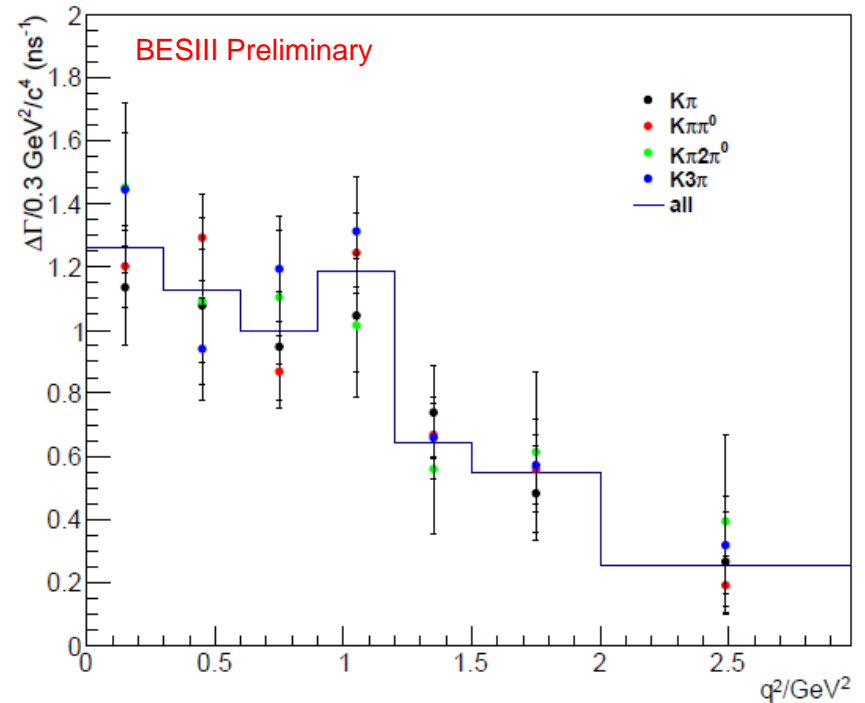
PRD82,074026,2010 (J.F. Liu, G.J. Ding and M.L. Yan)  
PRD83:114007,2011 (J.S. Yu, Z.-F. Sun, X. Liu, Q. zhao),  
and more...

# Partial Decay Rates Results

- Measured in each  $q^2$  bin, by fitting U distribution
- Compare results from each tag mode



$D^0 \rightarrow K e \nu$

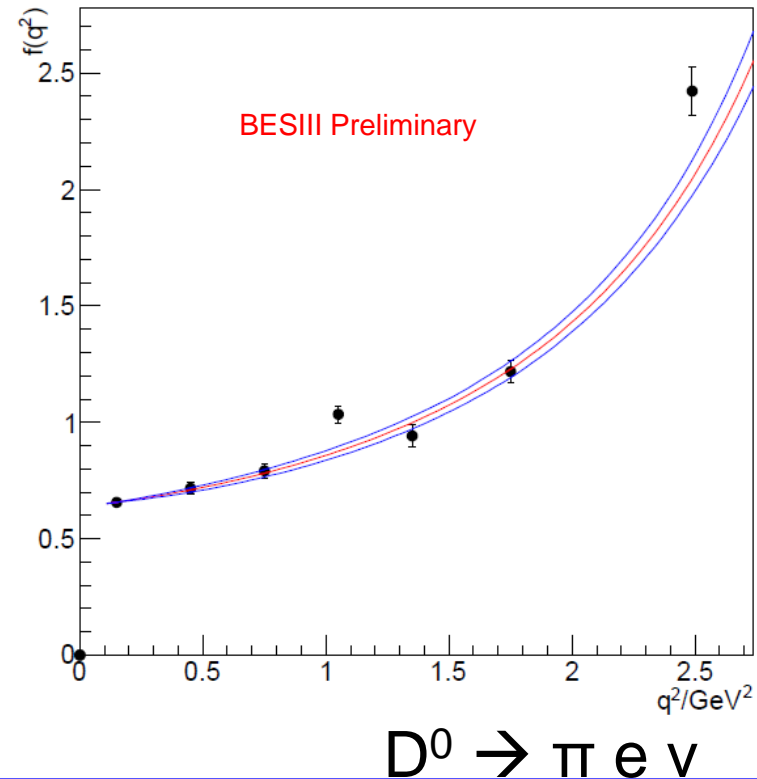
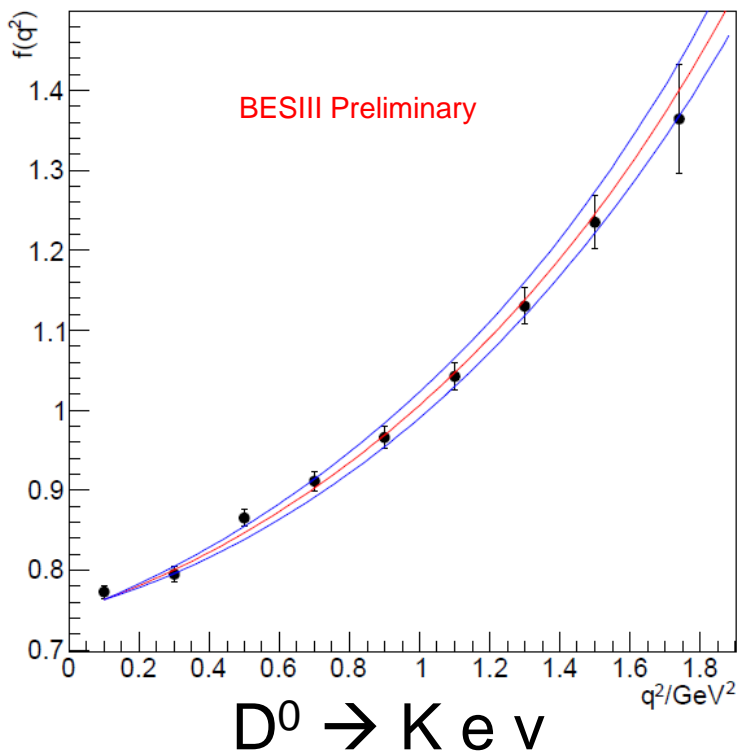


$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e \nu$



# $f(q^2)$ Results

- Points: data with stat. error only
- Curves: from Fermilab-MILC within one stat. error, preliminary, [arXiv:1111.5471](https://arxiv.org/abs/1111.5471) (XXIX International Symposium on Lattice Field Theory);
- Other theoretical work: HPQCD, [arXiv:1111.0225](https://arxiv.org/abs/1111.0225)
- Comparing shape only here ( $f_+(0)$  not known)



# Form Factor Fits

**BESIII Preliminary**

$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{f_+(0)}{1 - q^2/m_{pole}^2}$$

Simple pole model:

Modified pole model:

Becirevic and Kaidalov PLB 478, 417 (2000)

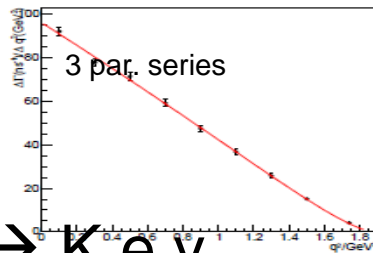
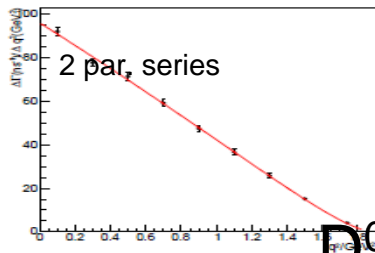
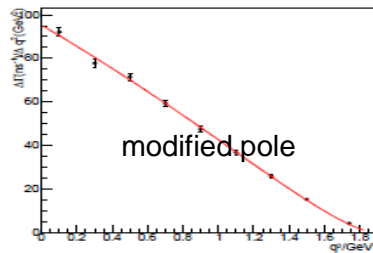
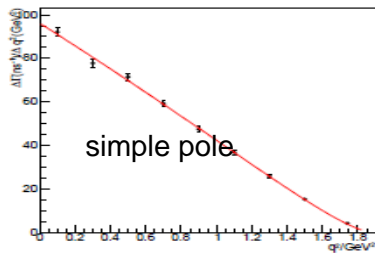
$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{f_+(0)}{\left(1 - \frac{q^2}{m_{pole}^2}\right) \left(1 - \alpha \frac{q^2}{m_{pole}^2}\right)}$$

Series expansion:

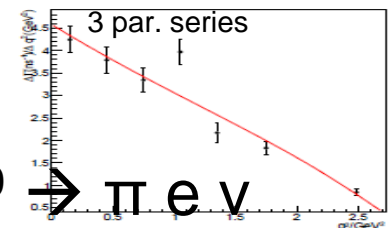
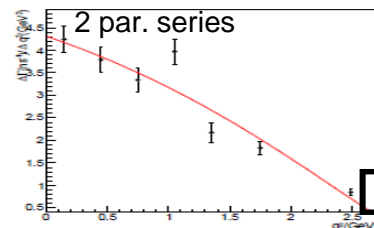
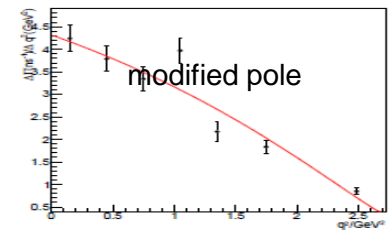
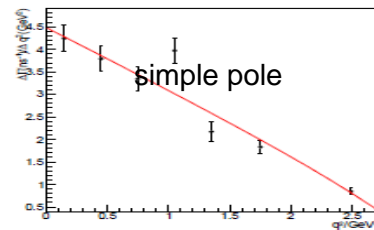
Becher and Hill PLB 633, 61 (2006)

$$f_+(q^2) = \frac{1}{P(q^2)\phi(q^2, t_0)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k(t_0) [z(q^2, t_0)]^k$$

Could fit:  $f_+(0)$ ,  $r_1 = a_2/a_1$ ,  $r_2 = a_3/a_1$



$D^0 \rightarrow K e \nu$



$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e \nu$

# Form Factor Results

BESIII Preliminary

Simple Pole	$f_+(0) V_{cd(s)} $	$m_{pole}$	
$D^0 \rightarrow Ke\nu$	$0.729 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.007$	$1.943 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.003$	
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e\nu$	$0.142 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.001$	$1.876 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.004$	
Modified Pole	$f_+(0) V_{cd(s)} $	$\alpha$	
$D^0 \rightarrow Ke\nu$	$0.725 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.007$	$0.265 \pm 0.045 \pm 0.006$	
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e\nu$	$0.140 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.002$	$0.315 \pm 0.071 \pm 0.012$	
2 par. series	$f_+(0) V_{cd(s)} $	$r_1$	
$D^0 \rightarrow Ke\nu$	$0.726 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.007$	$-2.034 \pm 0.196 \pm 0.022$	
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e\nu$	$0.140 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.002$	$-2.117 \pm 0.163 \pm 0.027$	
3 par. series	$f_+(0) V_{cd(s)} $	$r_1$	$r_2$
$D^0 \rightarrow Ke\nu$	$0.729 \pm 0.008 \pm 0.007$	$-2.179 \pm 0.355 \pm 0.053$	$4.539 \pm 8.927 \pm 1.103$
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi e\nu$	$0.144 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.002$	$-2.728 \pm 0.482 \pm 0.076$	$4.194 \pm 3.122 \pm 0.448$

# BESIII commissioning

- ✓ July 19, 2008: first  $e^+e^-$  collision event in BESIII
- ✓ Nov. 2008:  $\sim 14\text{M}$   $\psi(2\text{S})$  events for detector calibration
- ✓ 2009: **106M  $\psi(2\text{S})$**     **4 $\times$ CLEO-c**  
**225M  $J/\psi$**     **4 $\times$ BESII**
- ✓ 2010:  $\sim 0.9 \text{ fb}^{-1} \psi(3770)$  } **3.5 $\times$ CLEO-c**
- ✓ 2011:  $\sim 2.0 \text{ fb}^{-1} \psi(3770)$  }  
 $\sim 0.5 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 4.01 \text{ GeV}$
- ✓ 2012: tau mass scan:  $\sim 5.0 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  ;  
 $\psi(2\text{S})$ : 0.4 billion;  $J/\psi$ : 1 billion (**May 22!**)

World's largest sample of  $J/\psi$ ,  $\psi(2\text{S})$  and  $\psi(3770)$  (and still growing)

## Tentative future running plans (not Approved yet):

- ✓ 2013:  $D_s$  physics ( $E_{\text{cm}}=4170 \text{ MeV}$ ) + R scan ( $E_{\text{cm}} > 4 \text{ GeV}$ )
- ✓ 2014:  $\psi(2\text{S}) / \tau / \text{R scan}$  ( $E_{\text{cm}} > 4 \text{ GeV}$ );
- ✓ 2015:  $\psi(3770)$ : 5-10  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  for DD physics