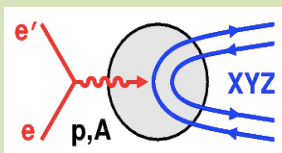




results & plans in exotic meson spectroscopy



Exotic heavy meson spectroscopy
and structure with EIC



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Introduction

- CMS is providing significant contributions to **beauty and quarkonium sectors**, mainly using final states containing **muon pairs** (due to trigger constraints).
 - This is possible thanks to the combination of :
 - excellent tracking and high-purity muon identification performances,
 - a **flexible** trigger system essential to collect data @ increasing luminosity & pile-up,
 - the large production cross-sections for heavy flavoured particles in pp collisions [LHC is a “**quarkonium factory**”; prompt production + from B decays (charmonia only)]
 - Selected relevant results **integrate and/or complement** the LHCb results !
 - A complete review of **CMS results in conventional and exotic hadron spectroscopy** (WP for Snowmass2021) can be found here : [arXiv:2204.06667](https://arxiv.org/abs/2204.06667)
- Pointers to all CMS Heavy Flavour results can be found here:
<https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsBPH>

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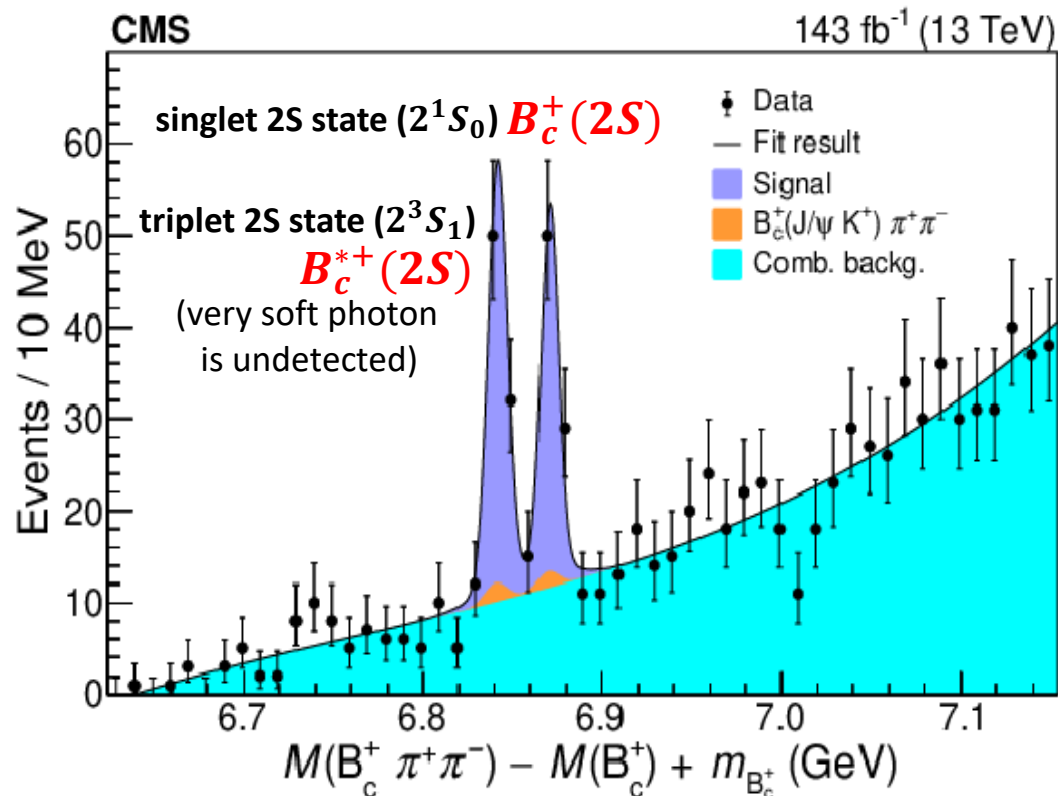
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(first observation of *resolved* radially excited “doublet”)

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➤ mass resolution $\approx 6 \text{ MeV}$



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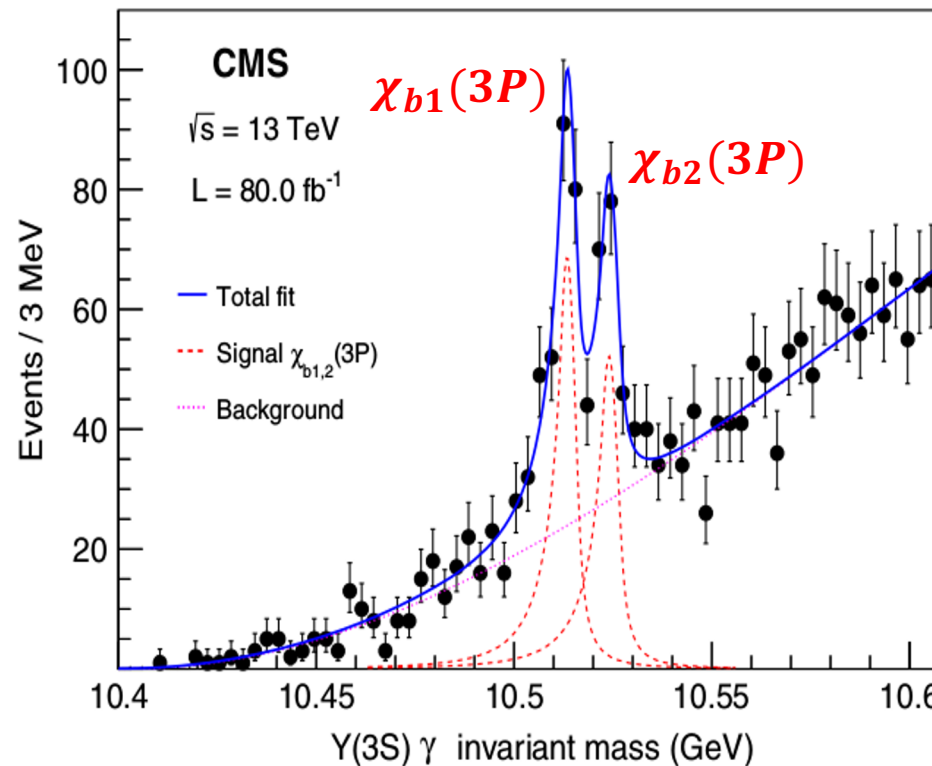
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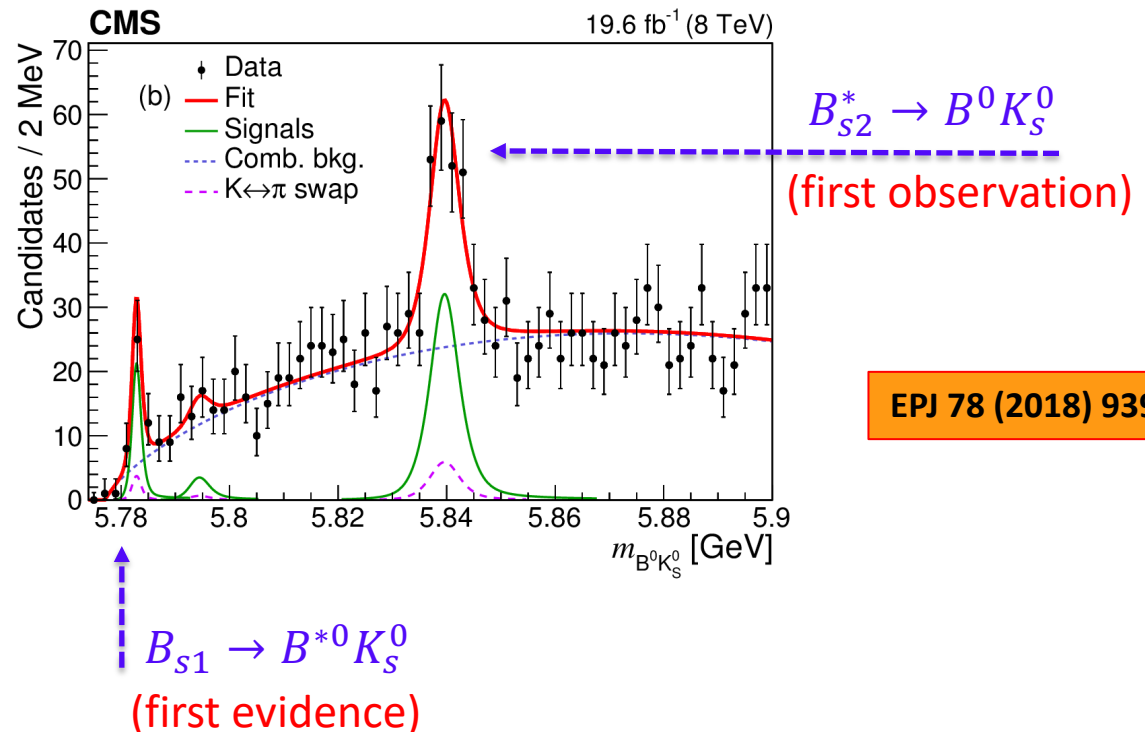
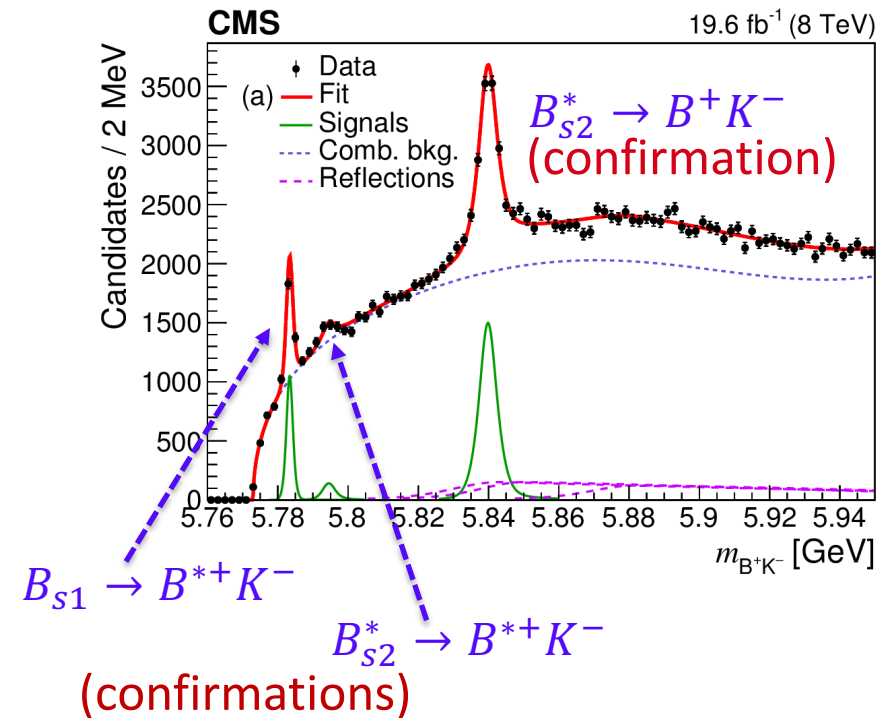
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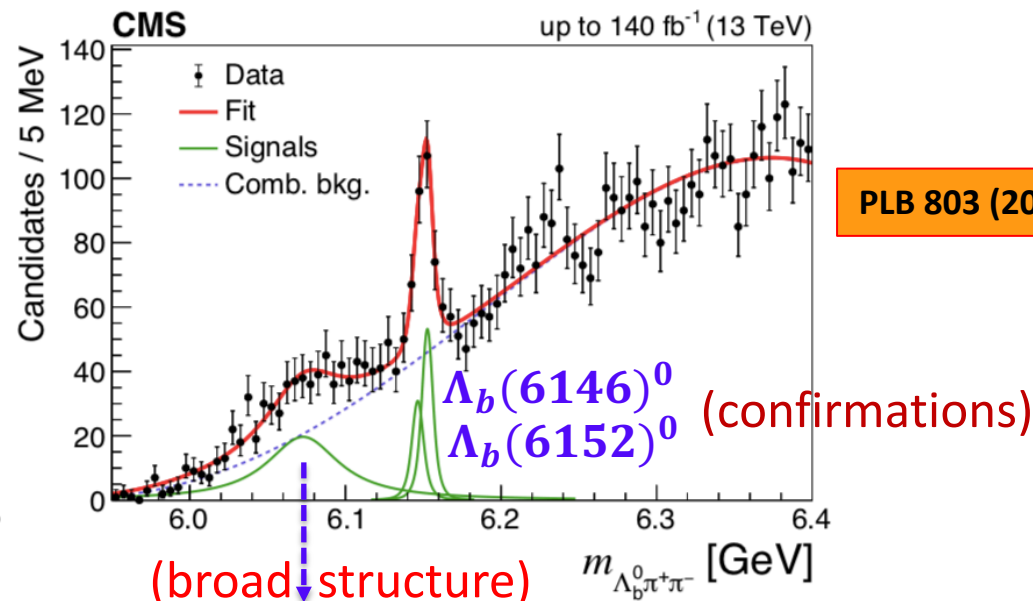
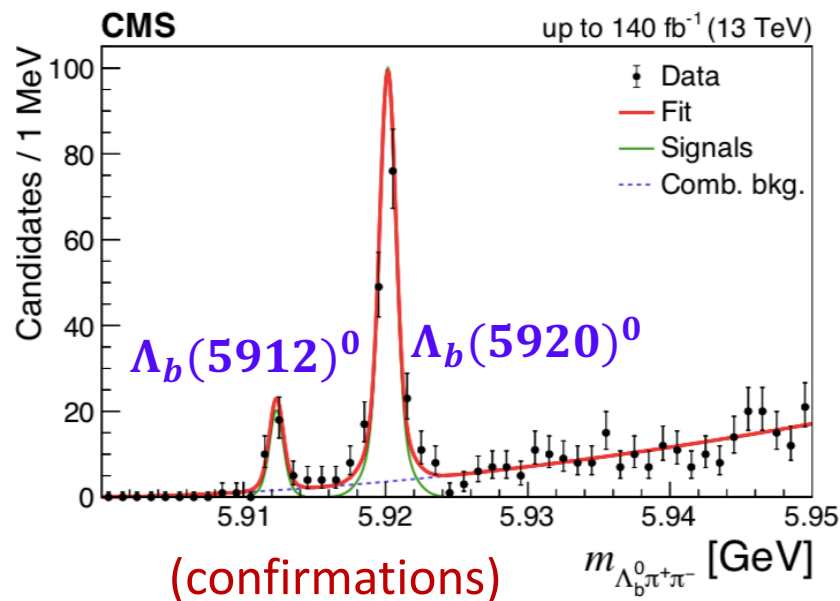
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[later confirmed by LHCb and interpreted as further excited state]

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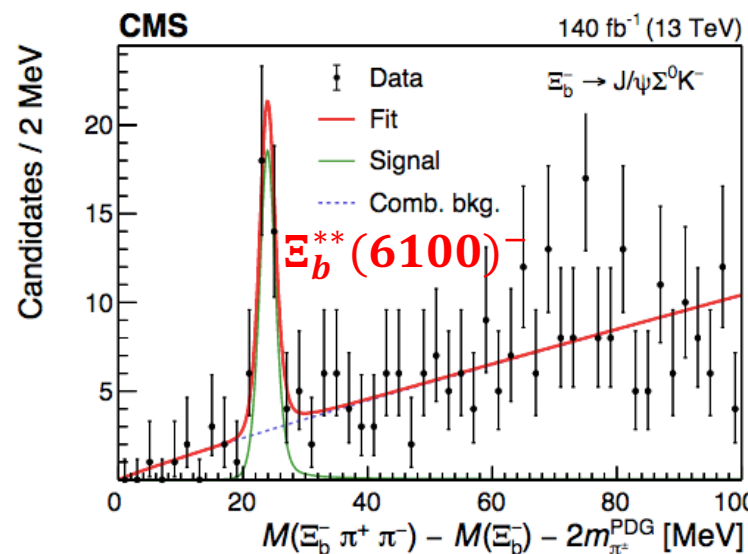
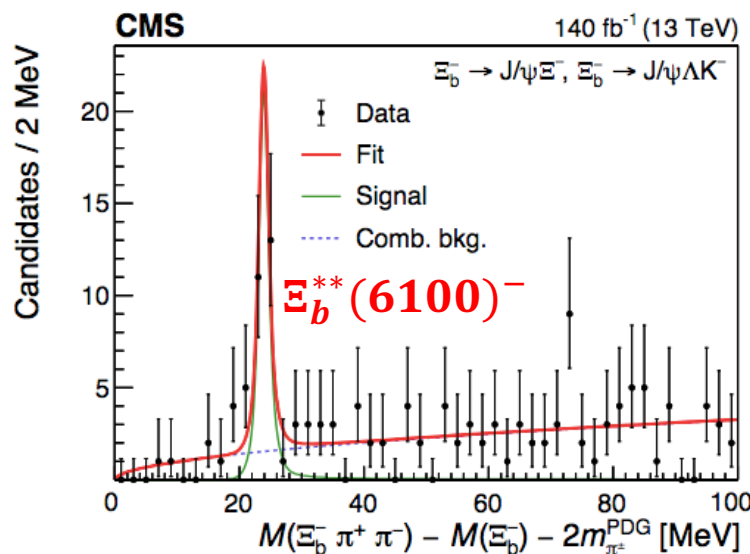
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(first observation
in 3 different decay chains)

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- Search for the beauty partner of $X(3872)$ in the $\Upsilon(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ spectrum
- Search for pentaquark states in the $J/\psi p$, $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$ final states ($B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$)
- Peaking structures in the $J/\psi \phi$ mass spectrum in the $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ decay
- Search and Upper Limits for the $X(5568)$ in the $B_s^0 \pi^+$

PLB 808 (2020) 135578

PLB 727 (2013) 57

JHEP 12 (2019) 100

PLB 734 (2014) 261

PRL 120 (2018) 202005

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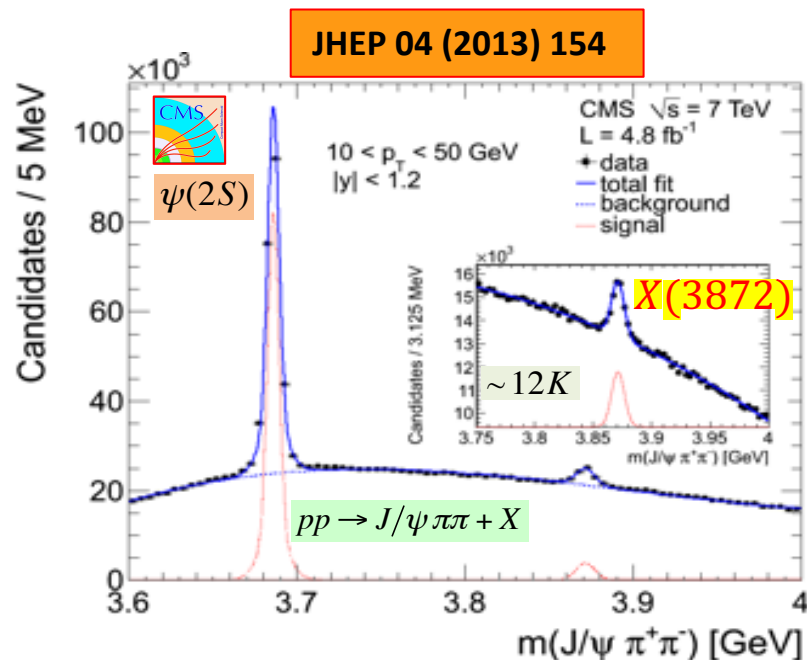
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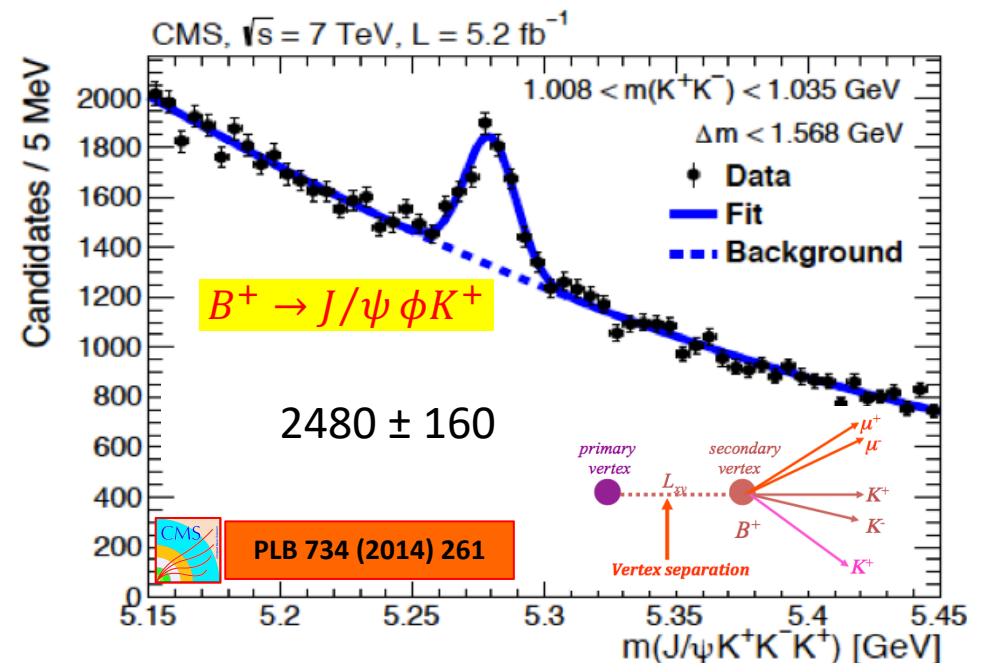
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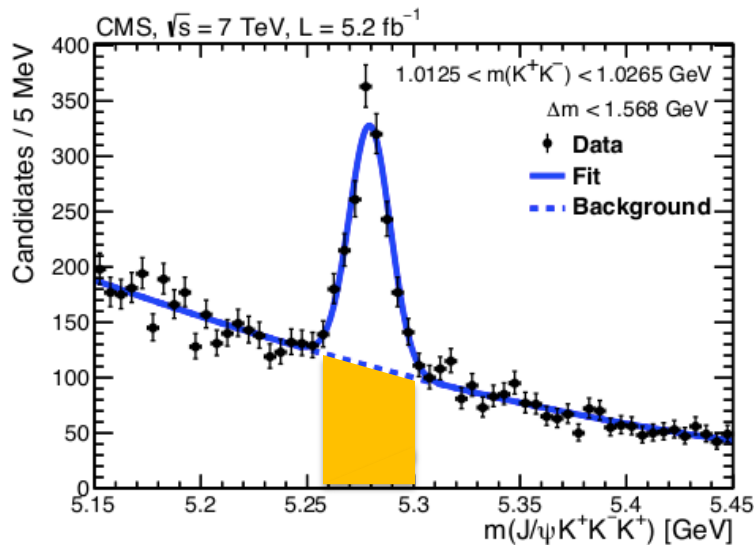
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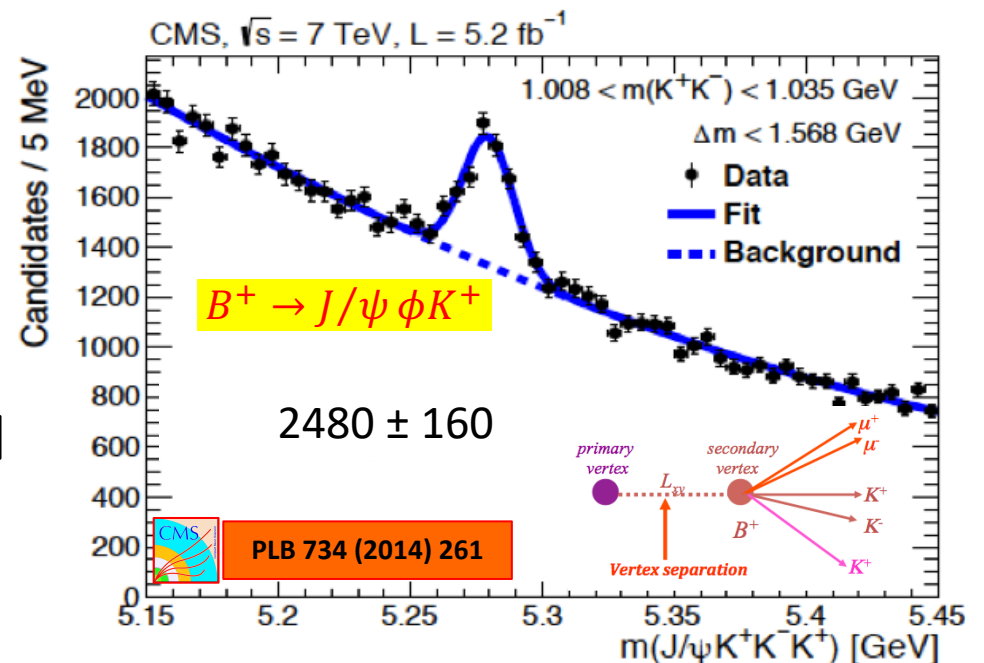
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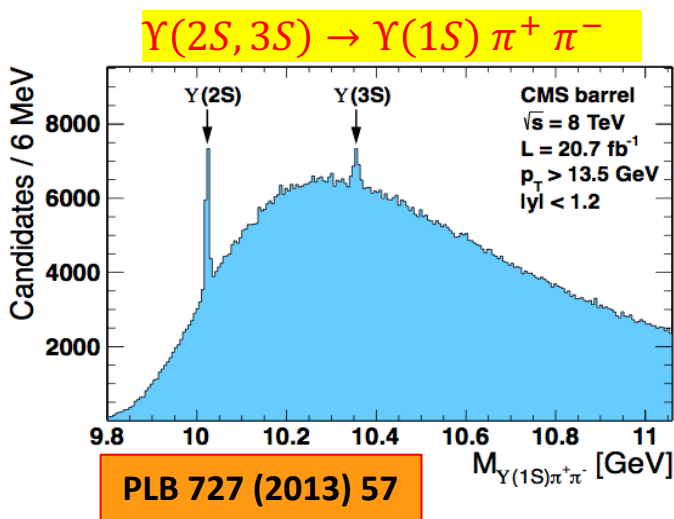
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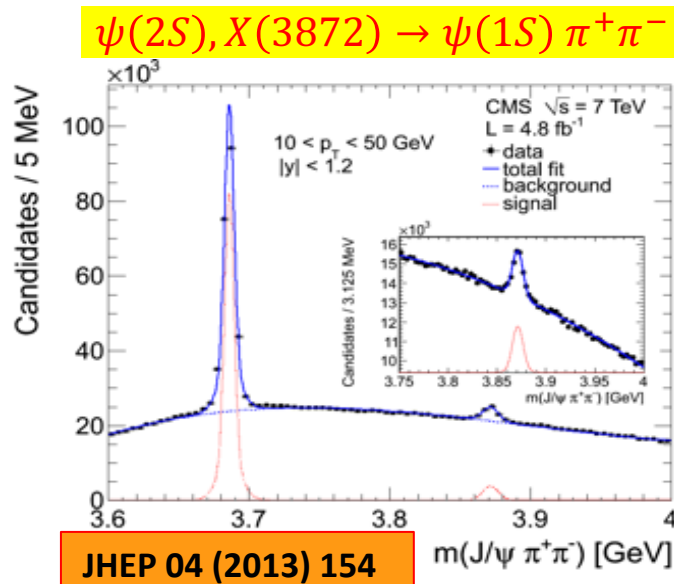
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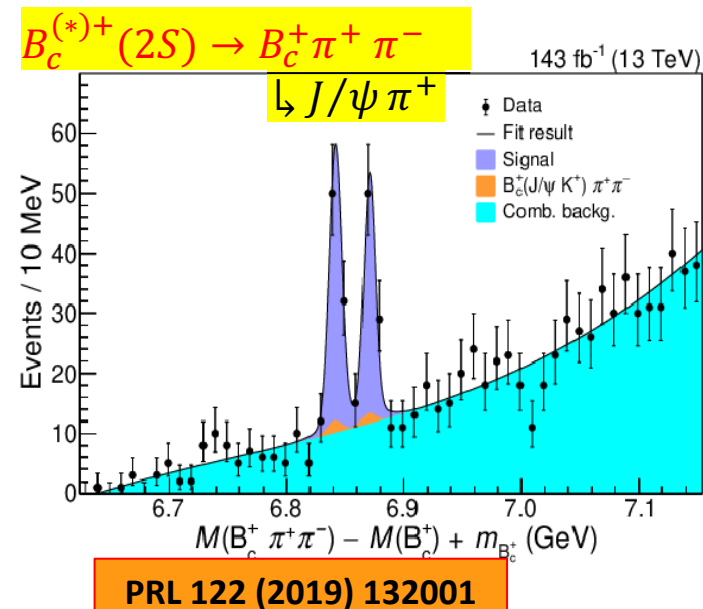
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(only prompt)



(inclusive = **prompt** + non-prompt)



(displaced B_c + **prompt di-pion**)

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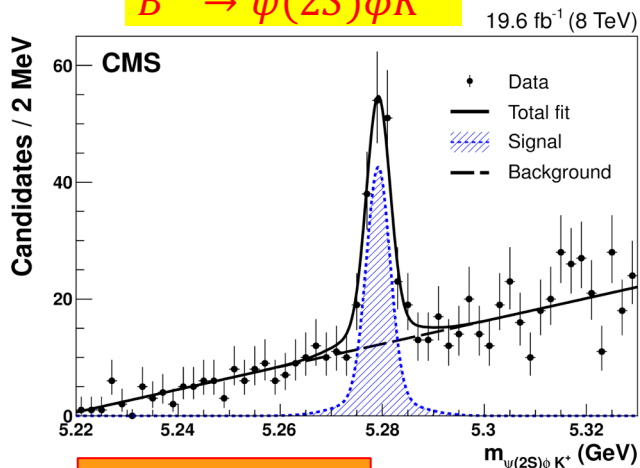
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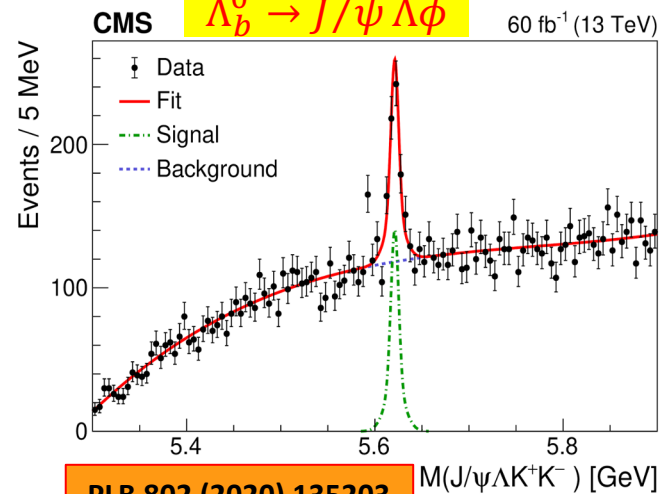
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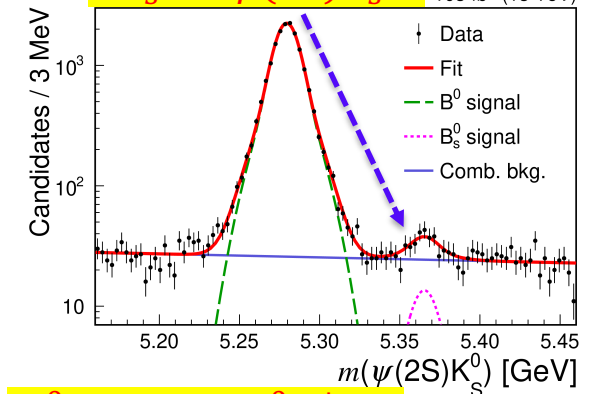
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda \phi$



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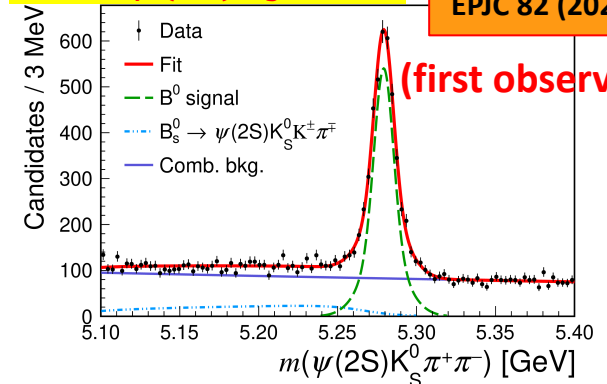
103 fb⁻¹ (13 TeV)



NEW!

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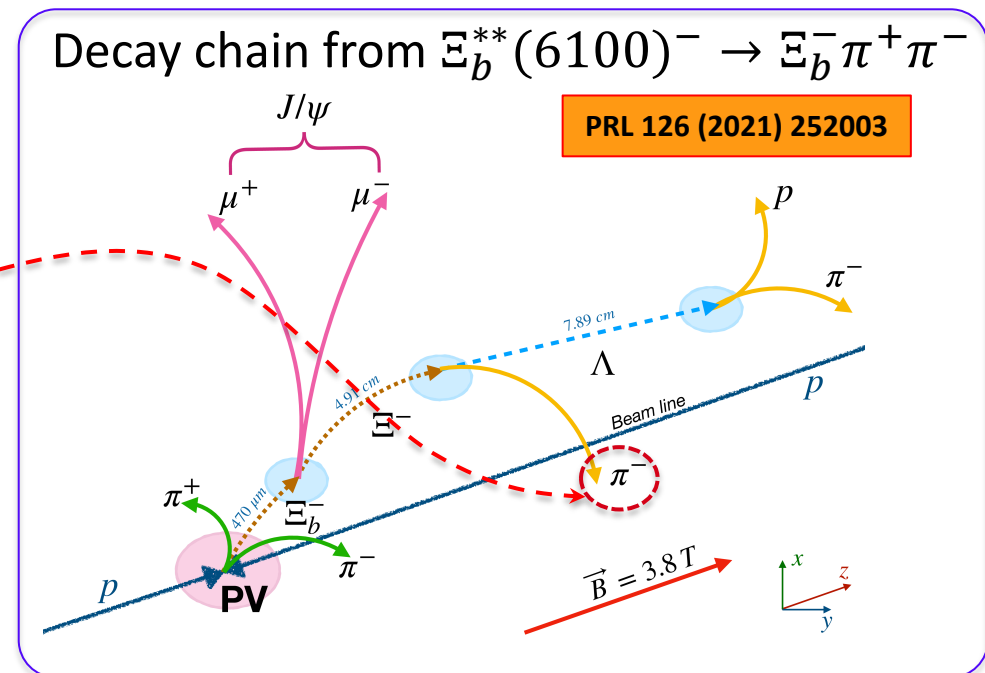
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Good efficiency for low- p_T tracks,
both **prompt** and more or less **displaced** from the PV.

The **displaced tracks** are crucial for the reconstruction of

- the $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$,
- the self-flavour tagging $\Lambda^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-$ decays
- the $\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \pi^-$ decays (these π^- are very soft & displaced)



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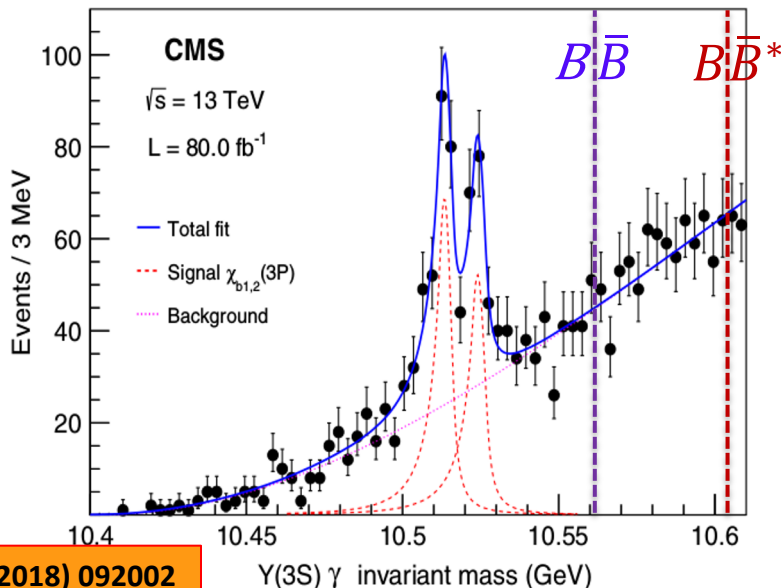
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➤ **Electromagnetic transitions** to a lighter $c\bar{c}$ meson through the emission of a γ

➤ using **photons converted in the tracker material** (reco issue: **low efficiency** & for $E_\gamma > 400\text{MeV}$)



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➤ $\Delta m_{21} = (10.60 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.17)\text{ MeV}$

➤ $\chi_{bJ}(3P)$ mass resolution $\cong 2.2\text{ MeV}$

(first observation of resolved doublet)

There have been earlier measurements related to the $\chi_{bJ}(3P)$ mass by ATLAS, LHCb & D0, but **without being able to distinguish between the candidates ($J = 1, 2$) of the $\chi_{bJ}(3P)$ multiplet**

X(3872) production features





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$\sqrt{s} = 7\text{TeV}$

(Run-I/2011)

X(3872) @ LHC

➤ First exotic state discovered by  in the decays $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ X(3872) \rightarrow K^+ (J/\psi \pi \pi)$ and confirmed by  with inclusive $p\bar{p}$ collisions (mainly prompt production: only $\sim 16\%$ from B mesons).

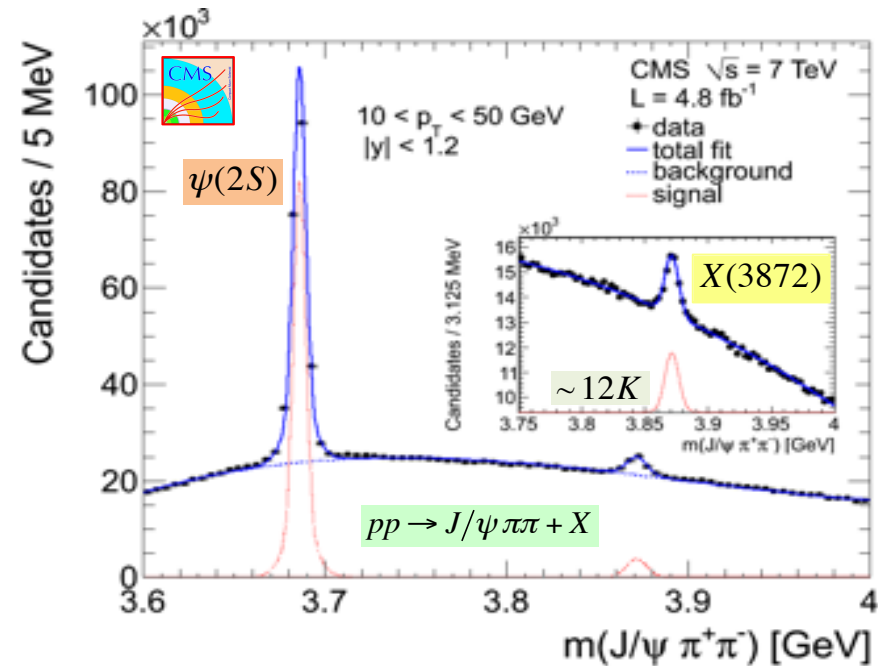
➤ As soon as LHC started, quickly confirmed by  & , either inclusively and exclusively (B decays) and later by .

➤  inclusively reconstructed the X(3872) in the $J/\psi \pi \pi$ final state & studied (with 7 TeV data) :

- Xsection ratio w.r.t $\psi(2S)$
- non-prompt component vs p_T
- prompt X(3872) prod. xsection
- inv. mass distrib. of the $\pi^+ \pi^-$ system

➔ Will be discussed in next slides


➤  performed similar studies most recently (with 8 TeV data) [JHEP 01 (2017) 117]. This will be useful - later - for some comparison with theoretic calculations.




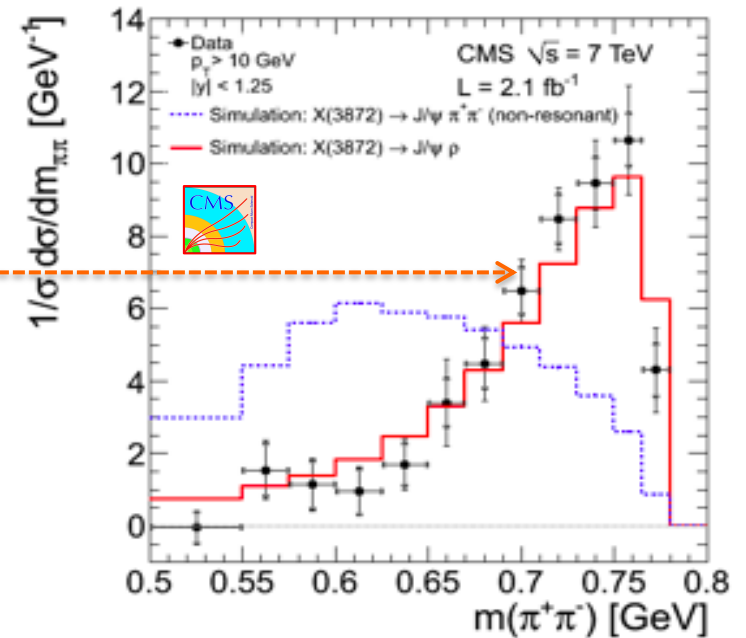
➤ Invariant mass distribution of the $\pi^+ \pi^-$ system :


The data spectrum compared to simulations w/ & w/o an intermediate ρ^0 in the decay shows much better agreement when assuming it (as for  & )

➤ In the simulations $J_X^{PC} = 1^{++}$ is assumed.

Assumption is based on the unambiguous determination of the quantum numbers performed by  [PRL 110 (2013) 222001] by means of a **full angular analysis** of the $B^+ \rightarrow XK^+$, $X \rightarrow J/\psi \rho^0$, $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$, $\rho^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$ decay chain.

Confirmed by more recent  analysis [PRD 92 (2015) 011102 : under **general conditions** : w/o assumption on lowest possible L in the X sub-decay]



➤ This is still the dominant quasi-two body intermediate decay even if  found recently a sizable contribution from ω [LHCb-PAPER-2021-045]

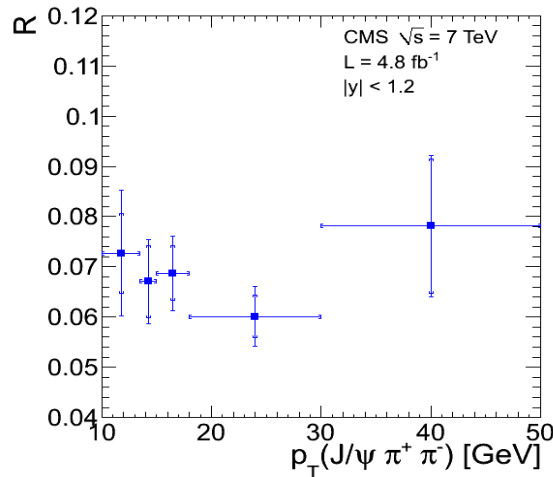
X(3872) @ : Xsection x BF ratio [w.r.t. $\psi(2S)$]

➤ A ratio of the cross sections has been measured to cancel out many systematic sources:

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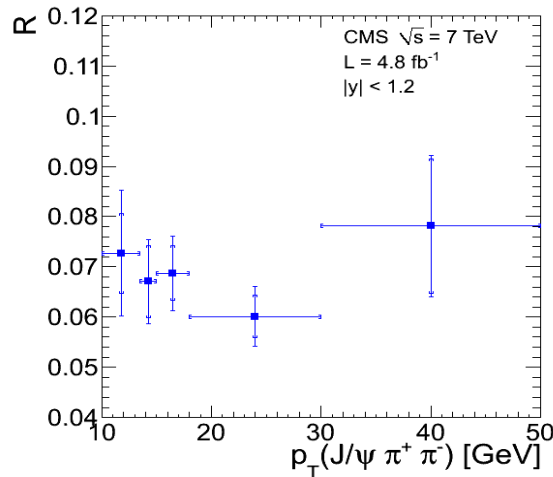
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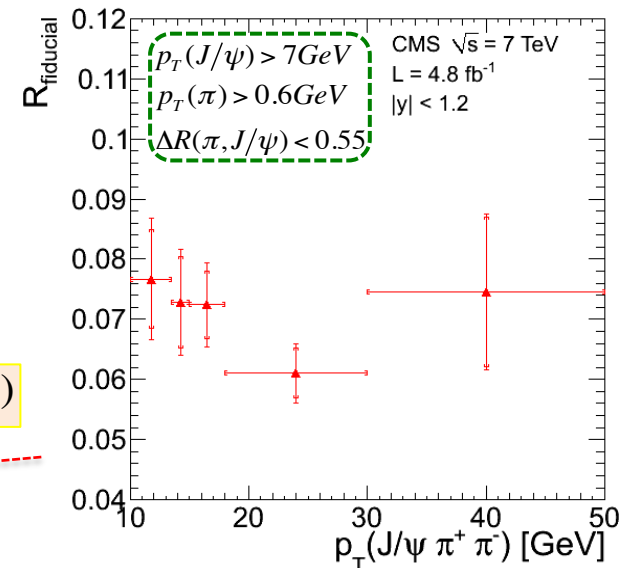
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➤ Acceptance corrections depend on assumptions on the angular distribution of the final states (production mechanism of the X(3872) is unknown) ➡ a result without them in a fiducial region is given :

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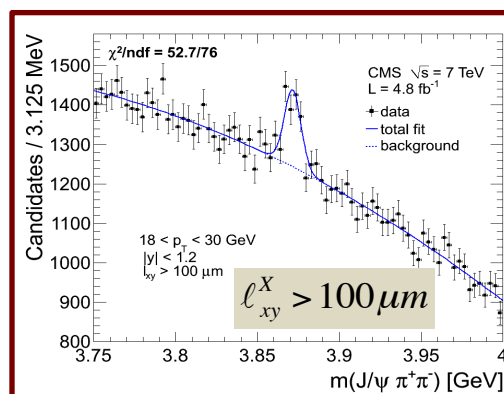
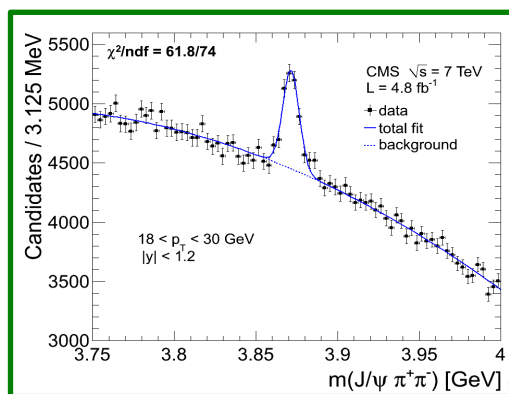
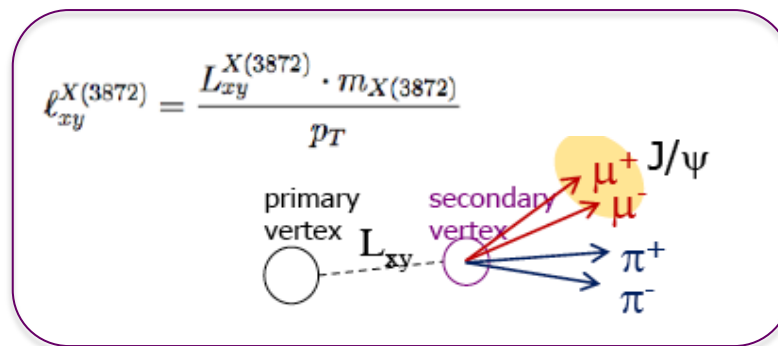
NO significant dependence on the p_T

X(3872) @ : non-prompt fraction

➤ The X(3872) can be produced from B hadrons' decays into a secondary vertex :
 prompt & non-prompt components can be separated by pseudo-proper decay length

X(3872) from B decays selected requiring: $\ell_{xy}^X > 100 \mu m$

... for which prompt-fraction is negligible (<0.1%) [MC]



$$\text{nonprompt fraction} = \frac{\text{Nr. of X(3872) from B}}{\text{Nr. of X(3872)}}$$

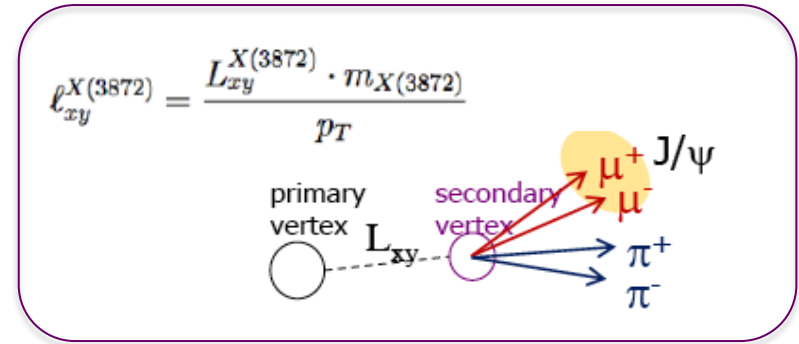


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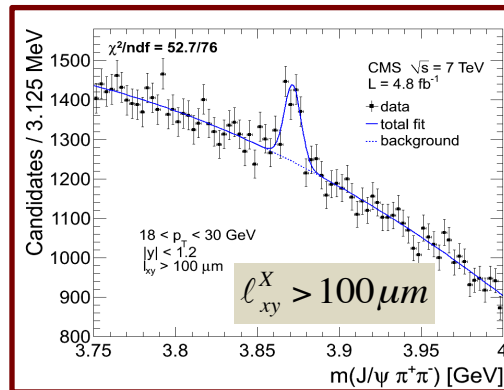
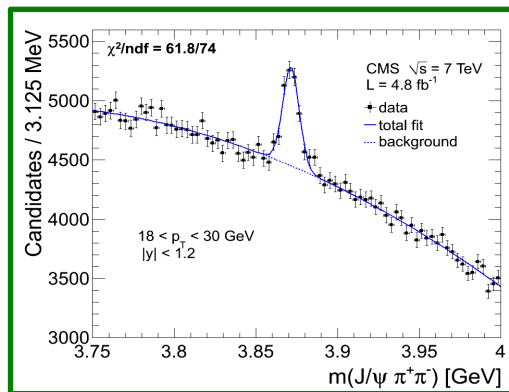
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 prompt & non-prompt components can be separated by pseudo-proper decay length

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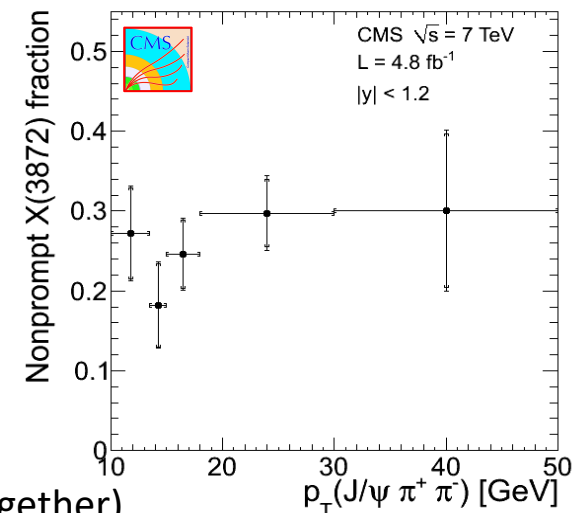


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➤ non-prompt fraction : **NO** dependence on p_T

➤ integrating over $10 < p_T < 50 \text{ GeV}$ (for $|y| < 1.2$): $f_{NP} \cong 0.263 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.016$

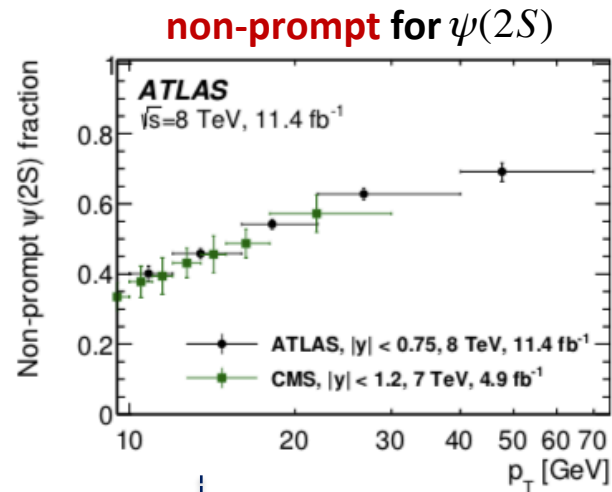
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 (measured again and in agreement with [, JHEP02 (2012) 011])




➤ In agreement with results by ATLAS (next slide with CMS and ATLAS results together)

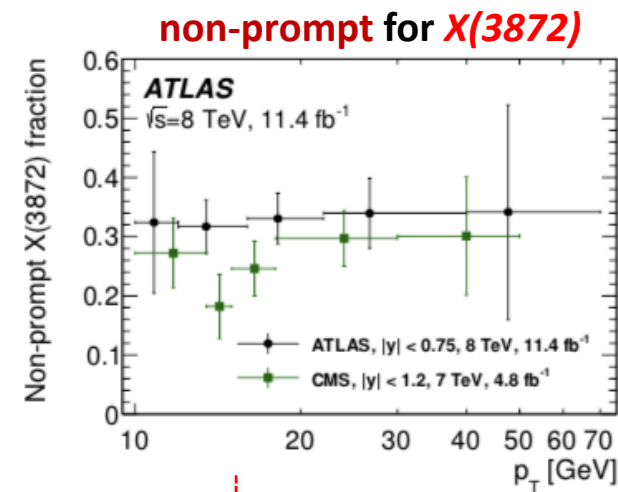
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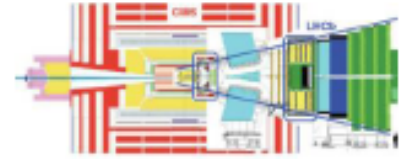
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[JHEP02 (2012) 011]



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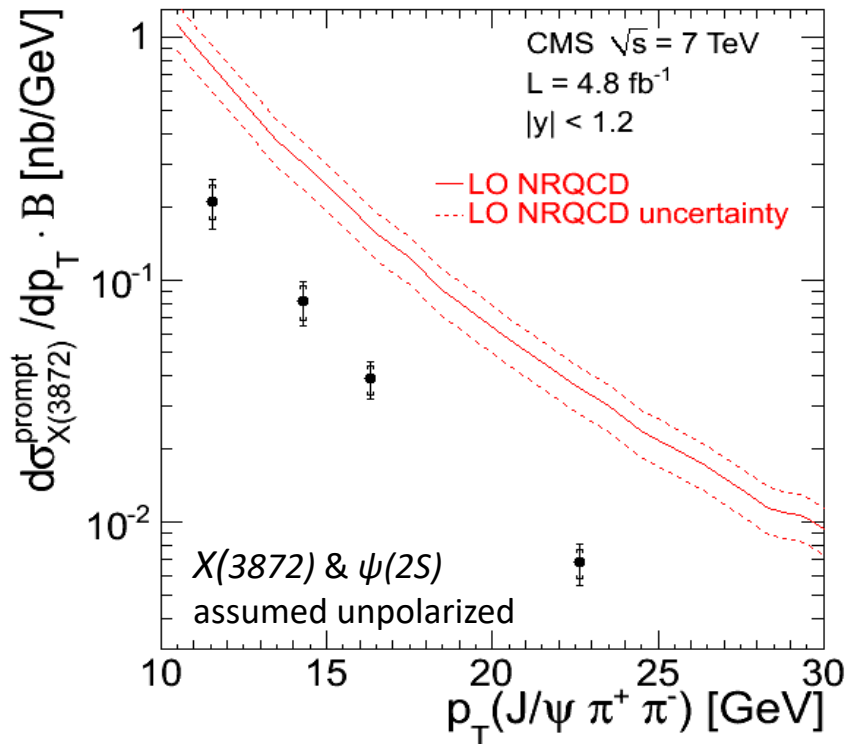
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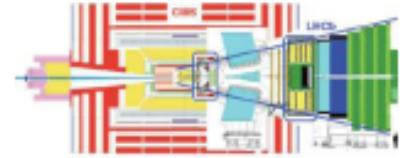
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- Results are compared with a theoretical prediction based on **NRQCD factorization @ LO approach by Artoisenet & Brateen** [PhysRevD.81.114018] with calculations normalized using Tevatron results, modified by the authors to match CMS phase-space
- The shape is reasonably well described by the theory while the predicted cross section is overestimated by over 3σ ! [the same happens with LHCb data @ low p_T]
- Integrating over p_T (10-30GeV) [and $|y| < 1.2$] get the integrated cross section times the branching fraction:

$$\sigma_{X(3872)}^{\text{prompt}} \times \mathcal{B}(X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-) \cong (1.06 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.15) \text{ nb}$$

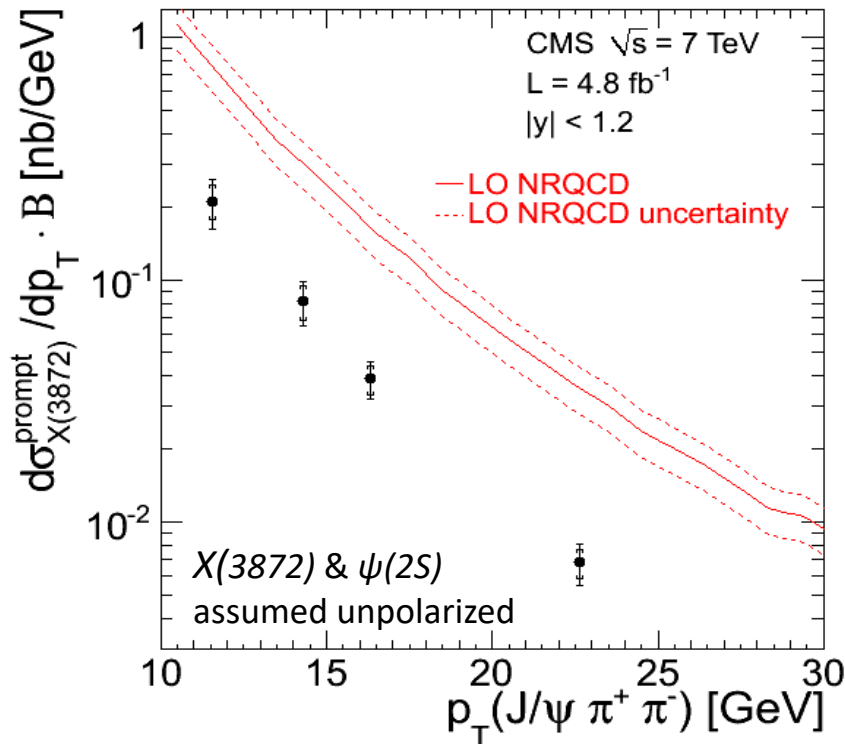
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➤ Predictions by Artoisenet & Brateen assume, within an S-wave molecular model, the relative momentum of the mesons being bound by an **upper limit** of 400 MeV which is quite high for a loosely bound molecule, but they assume it is possible as a result of rescattering effects.

➤ On the other hand, an **upper limit** lower of one order of magnitude would imply lower prompt production rates of few orders of magnitude [Bignamini et al., PRL 103 32009) 162001]

X(3872) : experimental results & interpretations

➤ One crucial aspect is the possibility to discriminate experimentally between ...

compact multiquark configuration ($c\bar{c}u\bar{u}$) & **loosely bound hadronic molecule** (by proximity to $D\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold)


[conventional charmonium ($\chi_{c1}(2P)$ for $J^{PC}=1^{++}$) has been ruled out by the mass value & the fact should be a pure isoscalar state]

➤ X(3872) would be a **large and fragile molecule**
with a miniscule binding energy (~ 100 KeV)

$$E_{binding}^{X(3872)} \cong m(D^0 D^{*0}) - m(X) = 2m(D^0) + \Delta m(D^{*0} - D^0) - m(X) = (0.09 \pm 0.28) MeV$$

... that leads to a radius of ~ 10 fm (~ 5 times as large as the deuteron) !

➤ The previous  measurement is **not** supporting an S-wave molecular interpretation

➤ **Pure molecular model** (Swanson *et al.*) **not** supported by the  measurement of the radiative
 $X(3872) \rightarrow \psi(2S)\gamma$ sub-decay in the $B^+ \rightarrow X(3872)K^+$ decays

➤ Significant L would hint a molecular structure; however ...

D-wave fraction in $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \rho^0$, for $J^{PC}=1^{++}$, results to be consistent with 0 [ PRD 92 (2015) 011102]

➤ Alternatively, to the compact tetraquark option, a possible interpretation for the X(3872) is a **mixture of a charmonium state** $\chi_{c1}(2^3P_1)$ & an **S-wave molecule** $\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$.

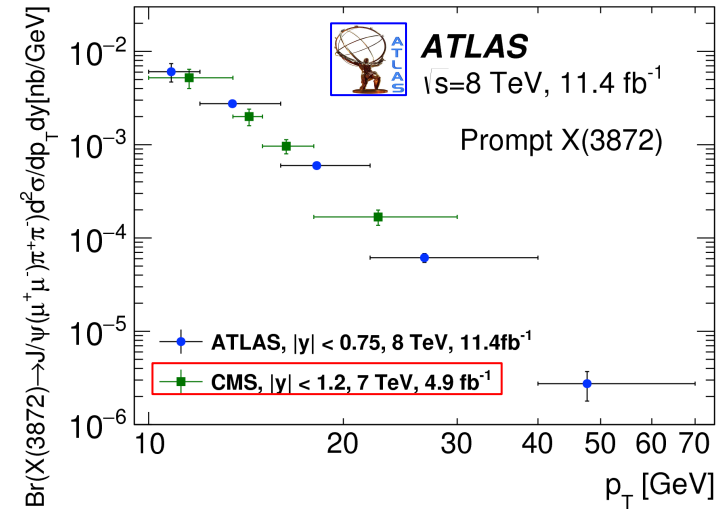
➤ **Results on X(3872) production** from  have been compared with the latter model [next slide]

Comparison with a mixed molecule-charmonium state

➤ Comparison of  with  results shows consistency.

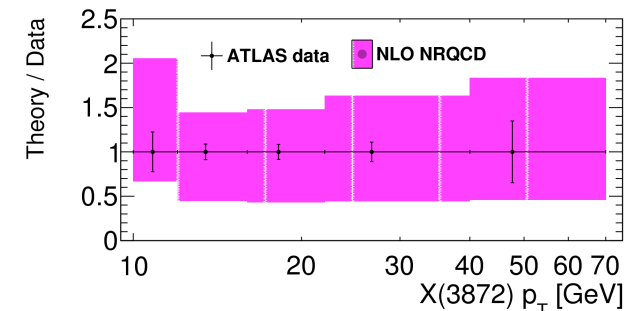
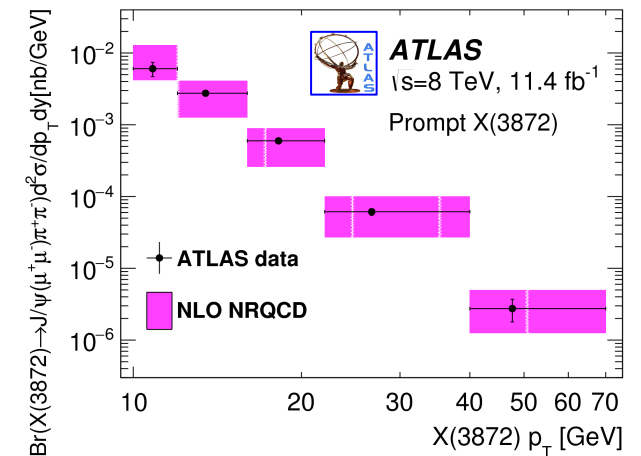
Beware that:

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- CMS points positioned @ the mean p_T of the theoretical predictions



➤ Measured prompt production xsection (times BFs), as a function of p_T , is compared to NLO NRQCD predictions assuming the $X(3872)$ modelled as a mixture of $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ & a $\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$ molecular state by Meng *et al.* [PRD96 (2017) 074014].

The first would play crucial role in the short-distance production, while the second would be mainly in charge of the hadronic decays of $X(3872)$ into $DD\pi$, $DD\gamma$ as well as $J/\psi \rho$, $J/\psi \omega$.



First evidence of $X(3872)$ in PbPb collisions



PRL 128 (2022) 032001

$$\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02 \text{ TeV}$$

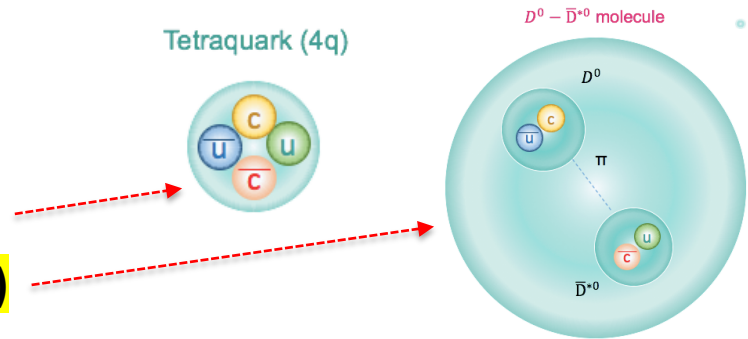
(c.o.m. energy
per nucleon pair)

$$\mathcal{L} = 1.7 \text{ nb}^{-1}$$

(End of Run-II / 2018)

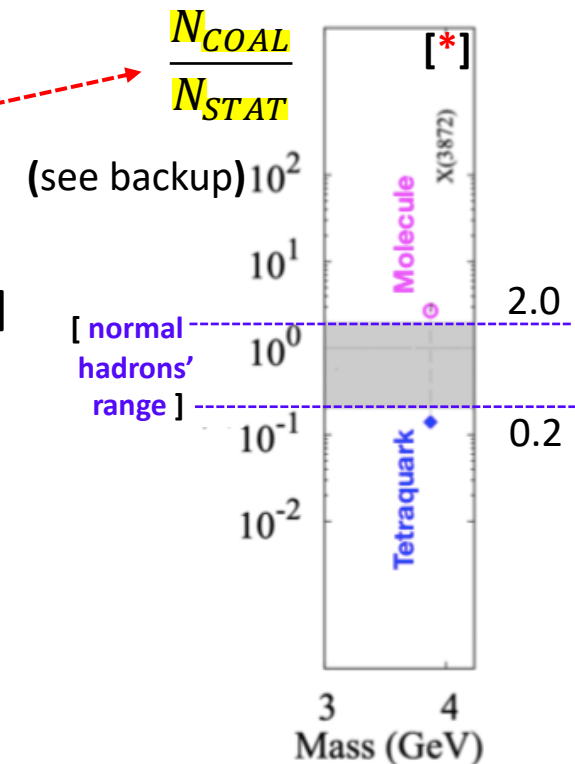
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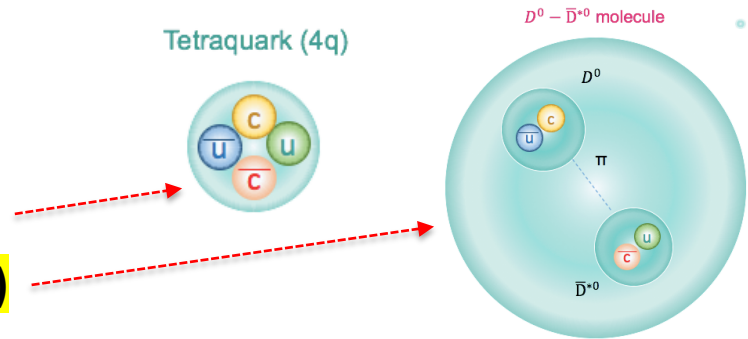
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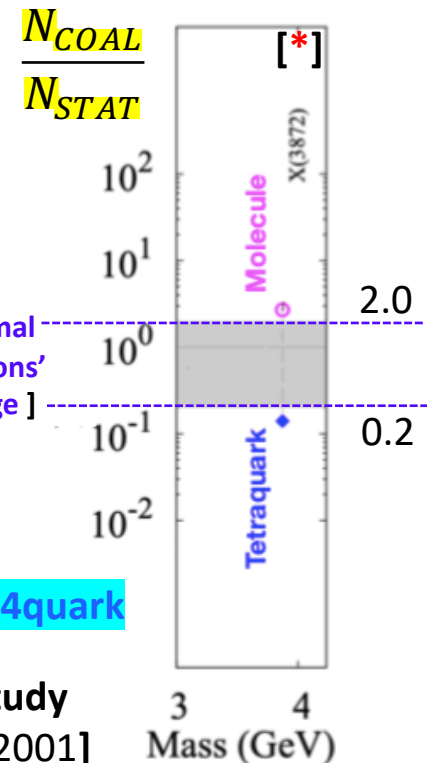


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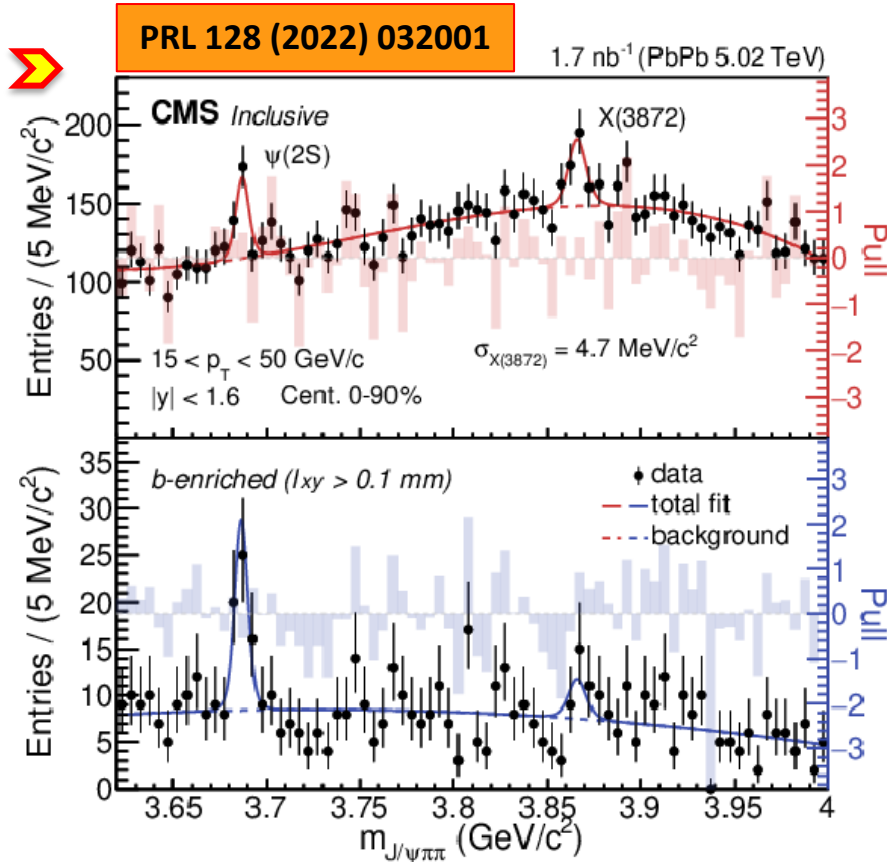
Its much larger size makes the molecule easier to be produced but also to be destroyed than 4quark



➤ The Comover Interaction Model [EPJ C81 (2021) 669] seems to reproduce the recent LHCb study of X(3872) prompt prod. as a function of final state particle multiplicity [PRL 126 (2021) 092001]

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Signals in B-enriched & inclusive samples ($J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ final state)



➤ In **inclusive** data sample :

(we are interested in **prompt part** produced inside the QGP)

➤ Clearly visible **X(3872)** & **psi(2S)** signals to same final state

➤ In **B-enriched** data sample :

(non-prompt part, i.e., from B decays: $l_{xy} = \frac{L_{xy} \cdot m_{PDG}}{|\vec{p}_T|} > 0.1 \text{ mm}$ it is **produced outside the QGP**)

➤ non-prompt **psi(2S)** is clearly visible

➤ **first evidence of inclusive X(3872) production in HI collisions [statistical significance $\sim 4.2\sigma$]**

➤ To gain more insights we need to quantify the prompt **X(3872)** to **psi(2S)** ratio (next slide)

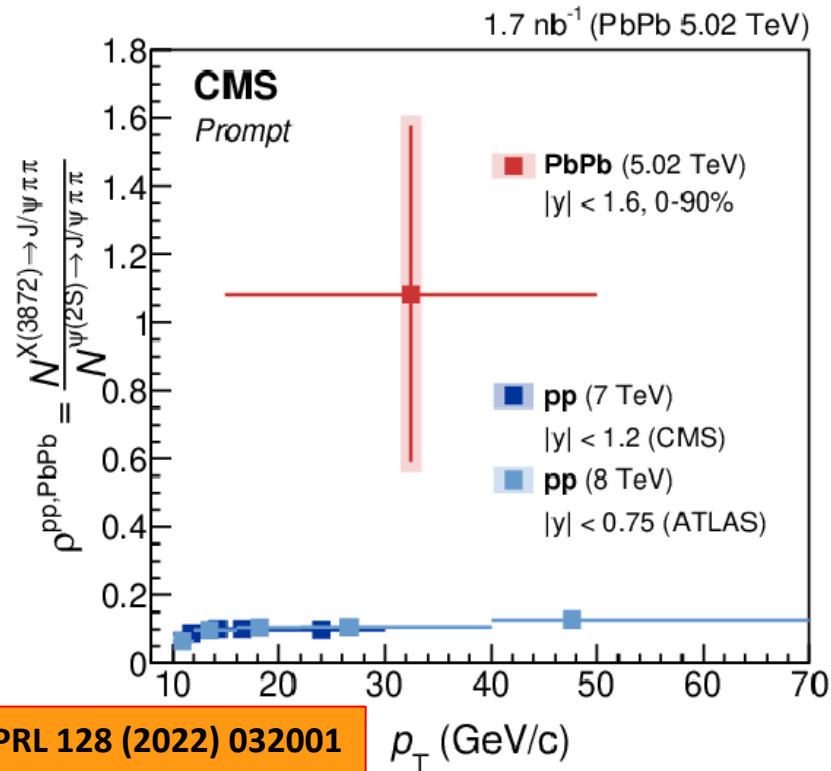
$$R = \frac{N_{corr}^X}{N_{corr}^\psi}, \quad N_{corr}^i = \frac{N_{raw}^i \cdot f_{prompt}^i}{(\alpha \cdot \epsilon_{tot})^i} \cdot \left[1 - \frac{N_{B-enr} / f_{B-enr}^{non-prompt}}{N_{incl}} \right]$$

[see backup]

Ratio of corrected prompt $X(3872)$ & $\psi(2S)$ yields

➤ Ratio of corrected yields of prompt $X(3872)$ to prompt $\psi(2S)$, times their branching fractions into $J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$:

$$R = \frac{N_{corr}^X}{N_{corr}^{\psi(2S)}}$$



Note: stat.err.=bars & syst.err.=boxes (not added!)

$$R(PbPb) = 1.08 \pm 0.49(stat.) \pm 0.52(syst.)$$

... to be compared with ...

$$R(pp) \sim 0.1 \text{ (both ATLAS \& CMS)}$$

➤ The ratio measurement is affected by several sources of sizeable systematic uncertainty

➤ More statistic is needed to get a conclusive result

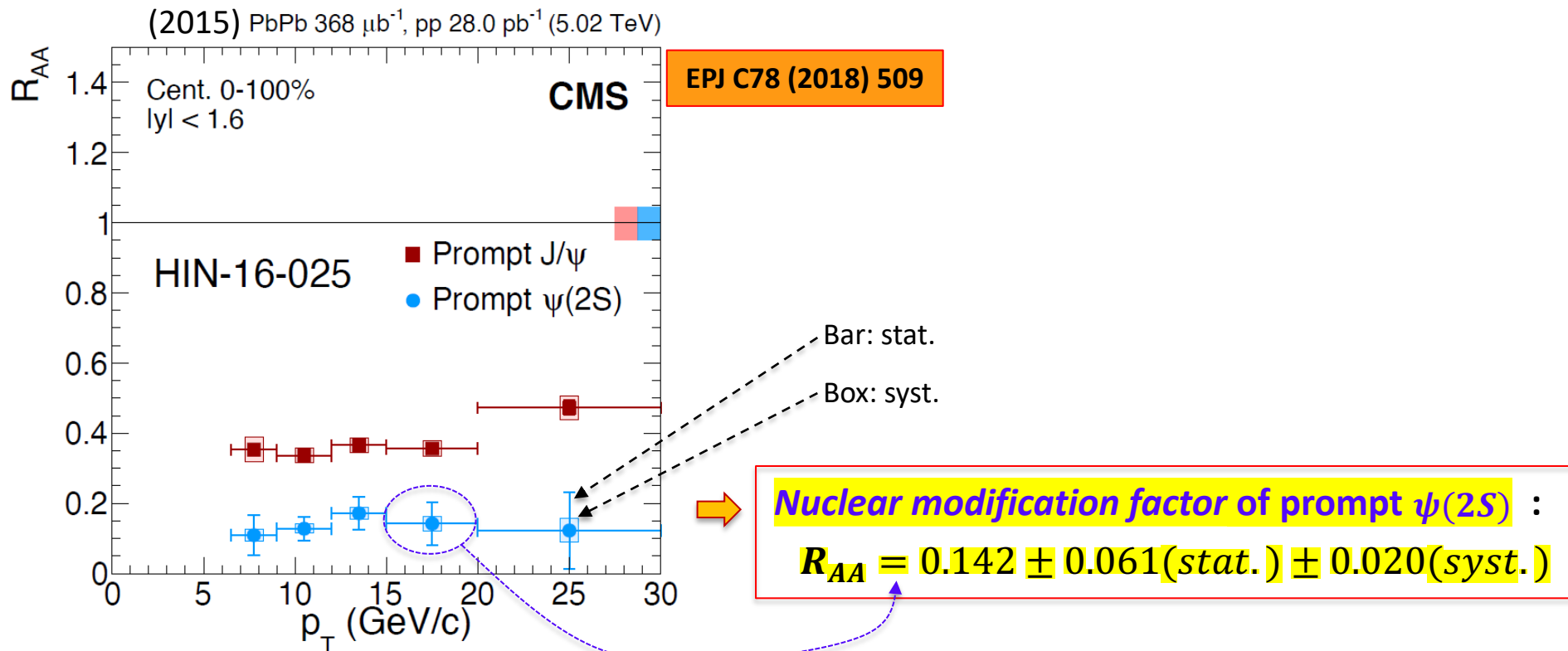
S-wave Charmonia nuclear modification factors in PbPb

➤ This ratio measurement - considered alone - may hint that ...

... the X(3872) is less suppressed than $\psi(2S)$.

Whereas we have no idea about the nuclear modification factor of the X(3872),

 has already reported a significant suppression of $\psi(2S)$ in PbPb collisions :



First observation of the decay $B_s^0 \rightarrow X(3872)\phi$



PRL 125 (2020) 152001

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(Run-II)

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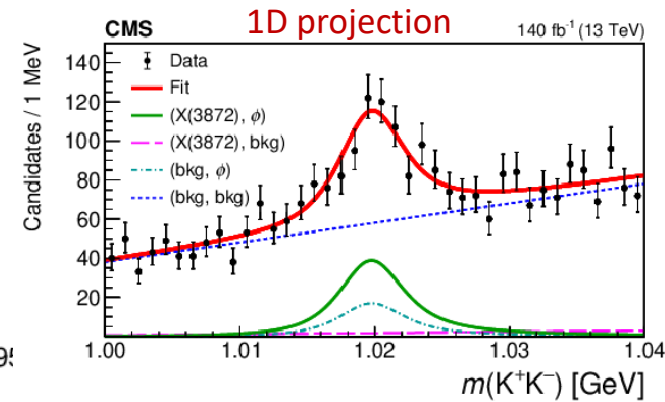
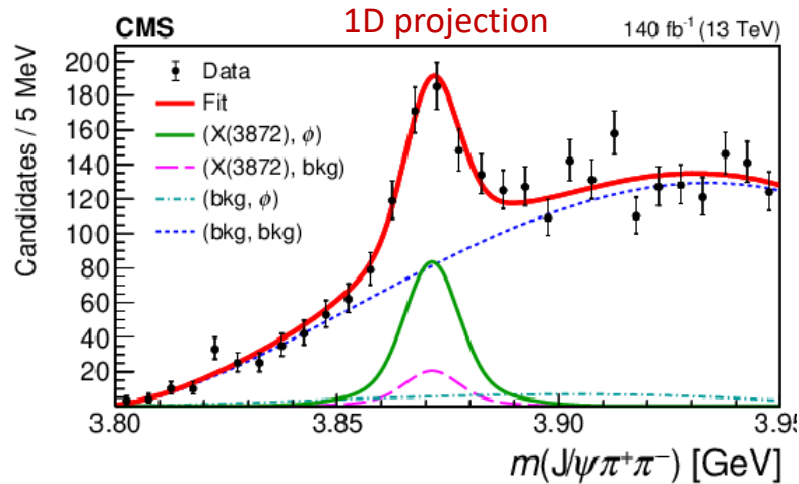
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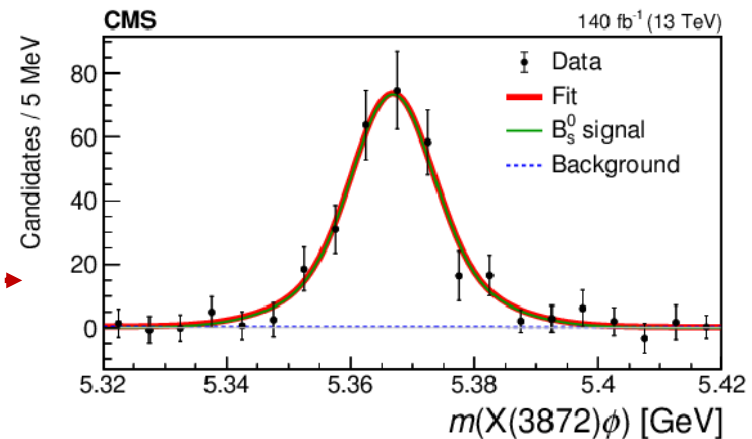
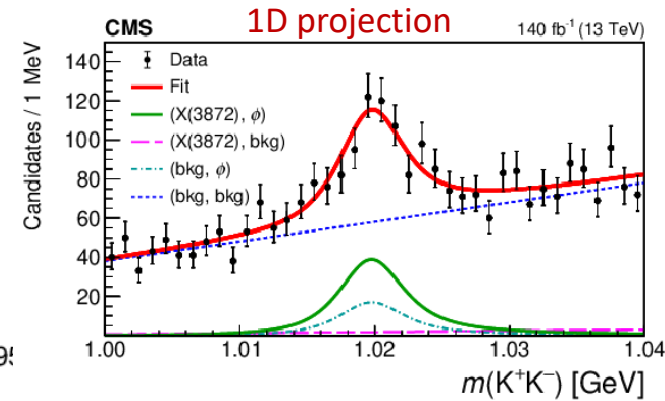
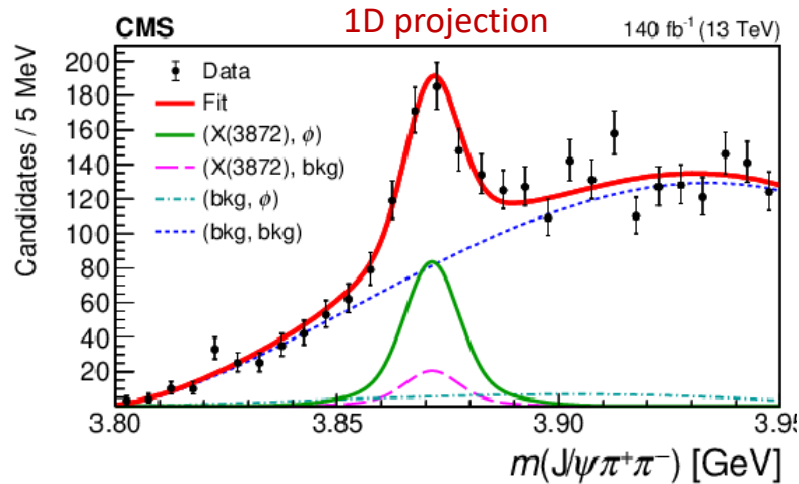
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This bkg contribution is **1.7%** (0.5% for $\psi(2S)\phi$).**



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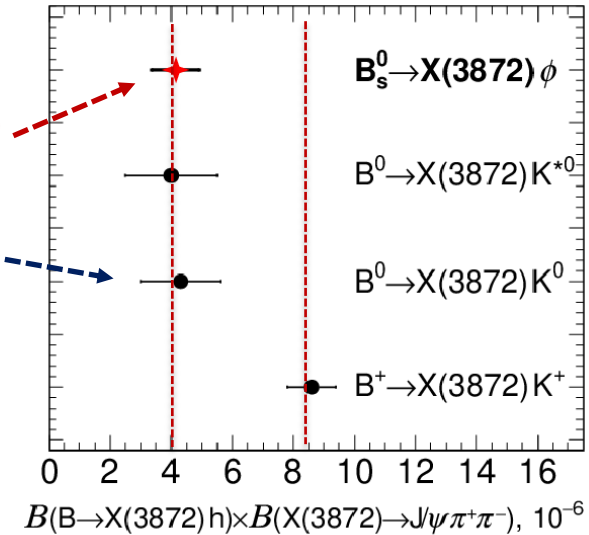
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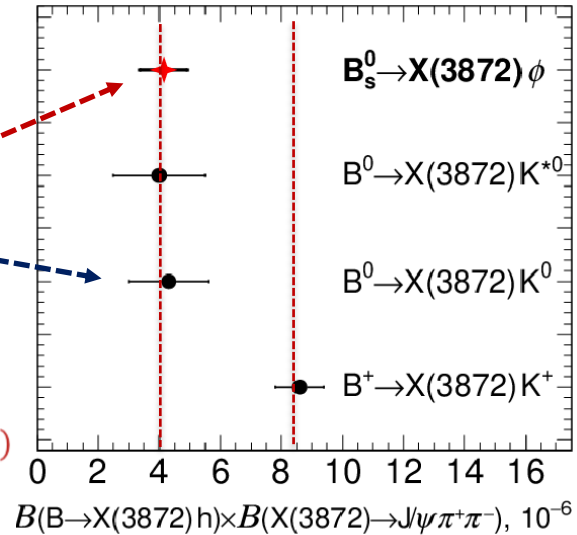
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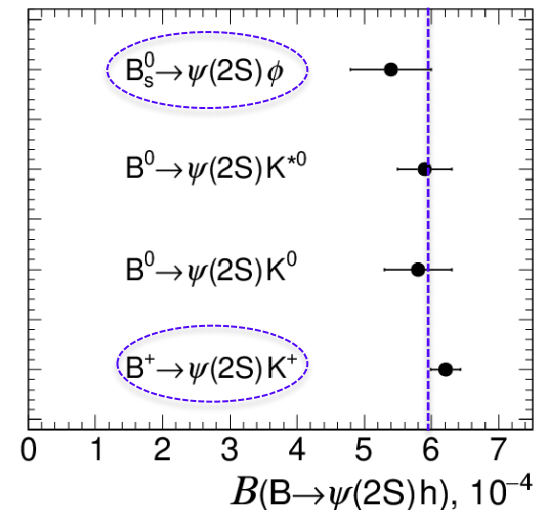
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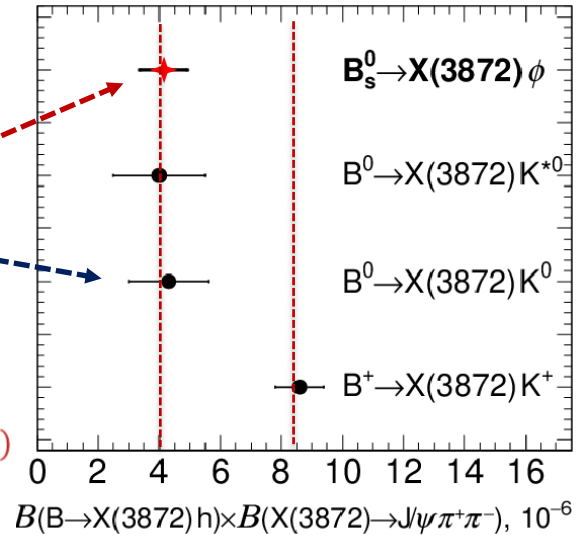
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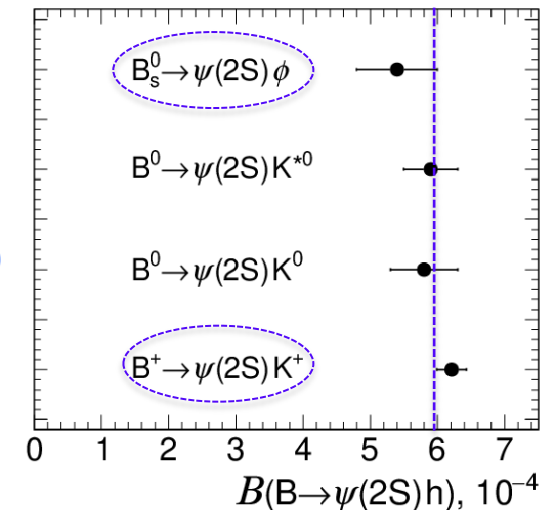
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➤ This suggests a difference in the production dynamics of the exotic $X(3872)$ in B^0 & B_s^0 decays compared to B^+ with respect to the standard $\psi(2S)$

➤ This observation may help in the comprehension of the nature of $X(3872)$

➤ in the tetraquark (diquark-based) scenario this is explained by the fact that the amplitude for the charged decay gets 2 contributions of the same order instead of 1 [Maiani *et al.*, PRD 102 (2020) 034017]



Observation of new structures in the $J/\psi J/\psi$ mass spectrum ($T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}} \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi \rightarrow 4\mu$)



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(Run-II)

<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2815336/files/BPH-21-003-pas.pdf> (PAS)

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For comparison:





[Science Bulletin 65 \(2020\) 1983](#)

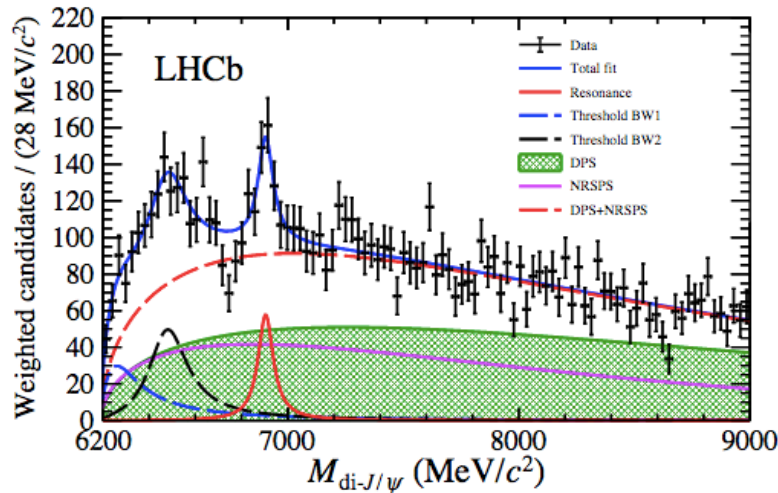


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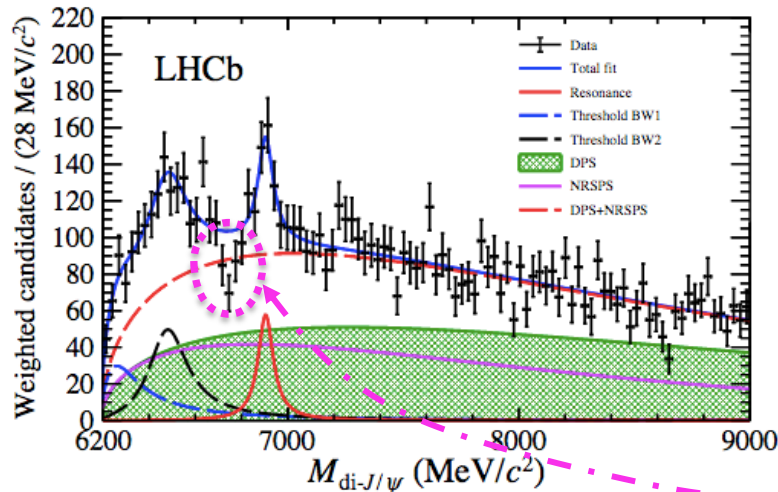
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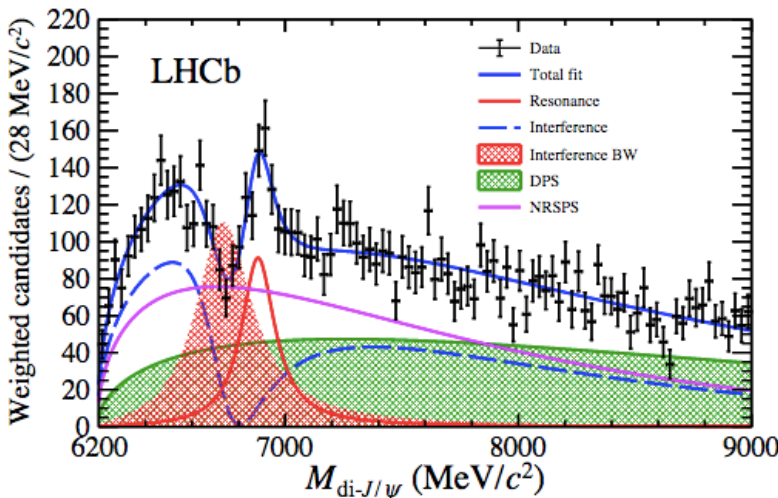
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Masses & natural widths for the $X(6900)$ result to be **compatible** in the two models. **LHCb is agnostic on which one is to prefer.**

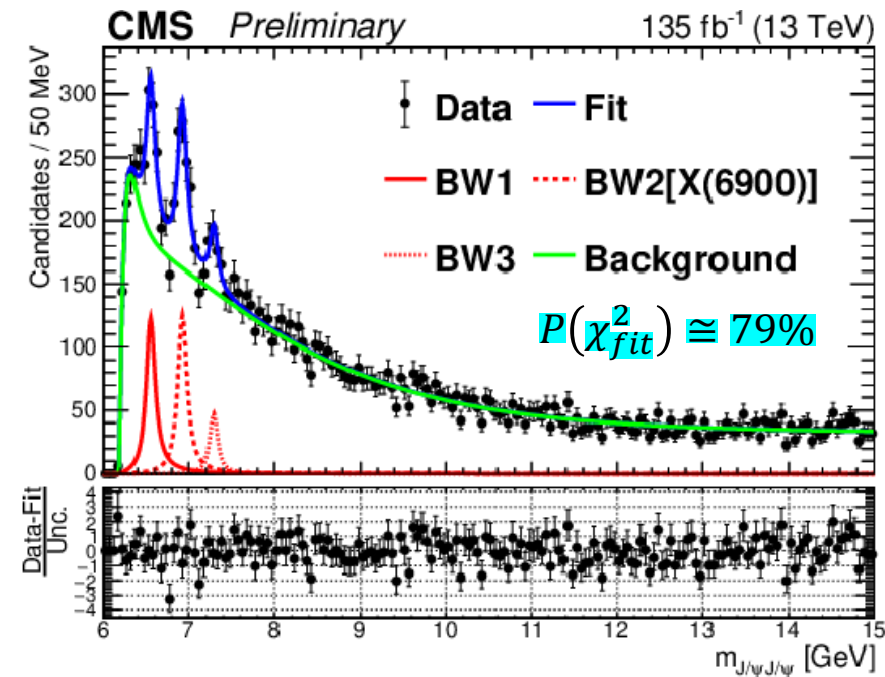
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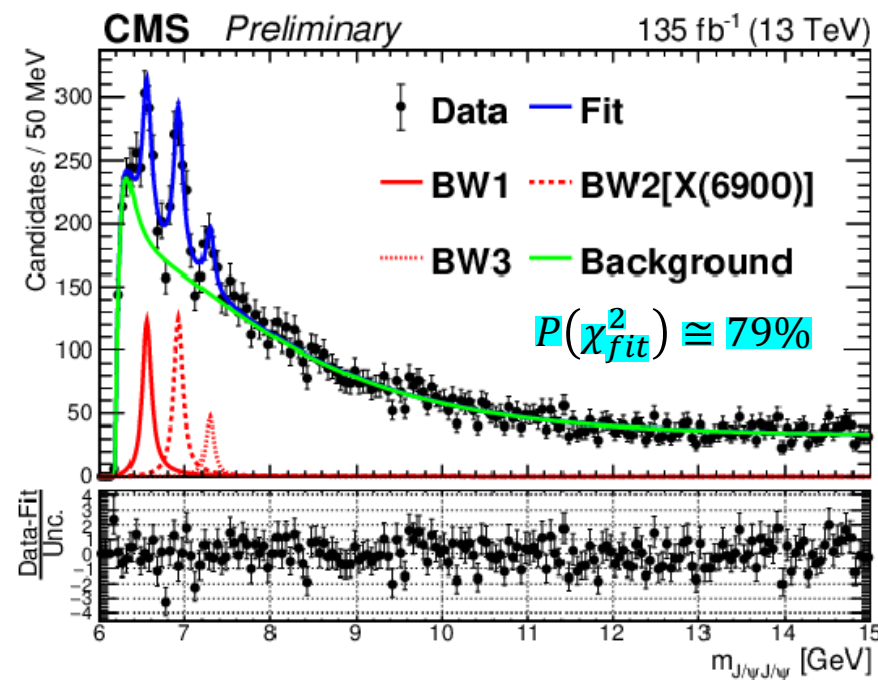
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- this region is populated by **feed-down from possible higher mass states** (checked @MC)
- this region could be affected by possible coupled-channel interactions, final state rescattering, etc ...
- the NRSPS model shaped via a unique floating parameter: it turns out to be inadequate to shape the threshold region

Note: BW0 parameters very sensitive to the additional part of the model



➔ **Bkg-hypothesis model :**
BW0 + NRSPS + NRDPS

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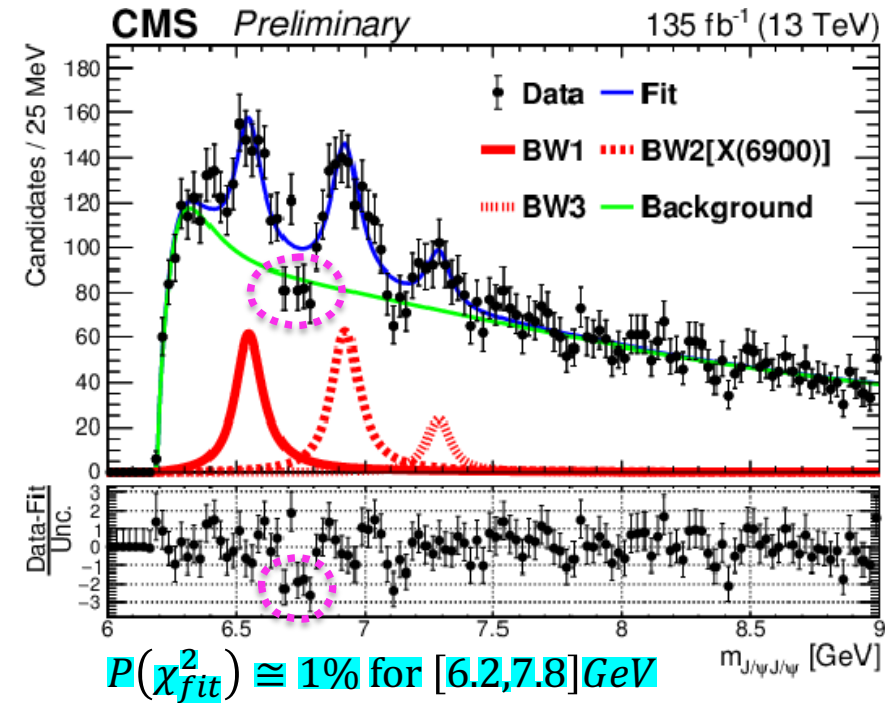
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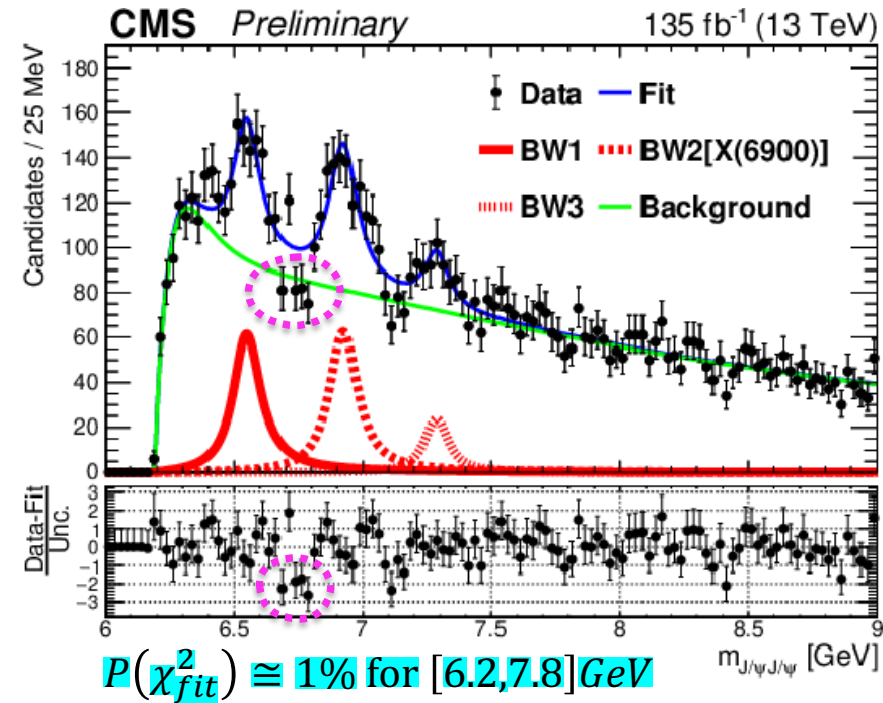
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Fit results including also the systematic uncertainties:

Table 2: Systematic uncertainties on masses and widths, in MeV.

Source	ΔM_{BW1}	ΔM_{BW2}	ΔM_{BW3}	$\Delta \Gamma_{BW1}$	$\Delta \Gamma_{BW2}$	$\Delta \Gamma_{BW3}$
signal shape	3	4	3	14	7	7
NRDPS	1	< 1	< 1	3	3	4
NRSPS	3	1	1	18	15	17 (CASCADE, HELAC-ONIA)
momentum scaling	1	3	4	-	-	-
mass resolution	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	< 1	1 (Pythia8, JHUGen)
combinatorial background	< 1	< 1	< 1	2	3	3
efficiency	< 1	< 1	< 1	1	< 1	1
feeddown shape	11	1	1	25	8	6
total	12	5	5	34	19	20



	BW1	BW2	BW3
m	$6552 \pm 10 \pm 12$	$6927 \pm 9 \pm 5$	$7287 \pm 19 \pm 5$
Γ	$124 \pm 29 \pm 34$	$122 \pm 22 \pm 19$	$95 \pm 46 \pm 20$
N	474 ± 113	492 ± 75	156 ± 56

	$m(6900)$	$\Gamma(6900)$
Agreement with LHCb (Model-I / non-interf.)	$6905 \pm 11 \pm 7$	$80 \pm 19 \pm 33$

Application of LHCb fit models to the $J/\psi J/\psi$ mass spectrum - I

➤ CMS baseline fit provides $X(6900)$ parameters **in agreement** with LHCb non-interference fit (Model-I).

In order to remove potential model-dependencies in a comparison between results, ... we also apply - to our data - the two LHCb main models, but using CMS-specific background shapes. (NRSPS + NRDPS)

➤ Compare with Model-I :

- Apply 2 auxiliary B.-W.s + $X(6900)$ + CMS Bkg. model

Note: 1) CMS data show a *shoulder* that helps make BW1 more distinct
2) the main dip remains undescribed as well as the dip/peak $\approx 7.2 - 7.3 \text{ GeV}$

- Overall g.o.f : 2) the dip remains undescribed

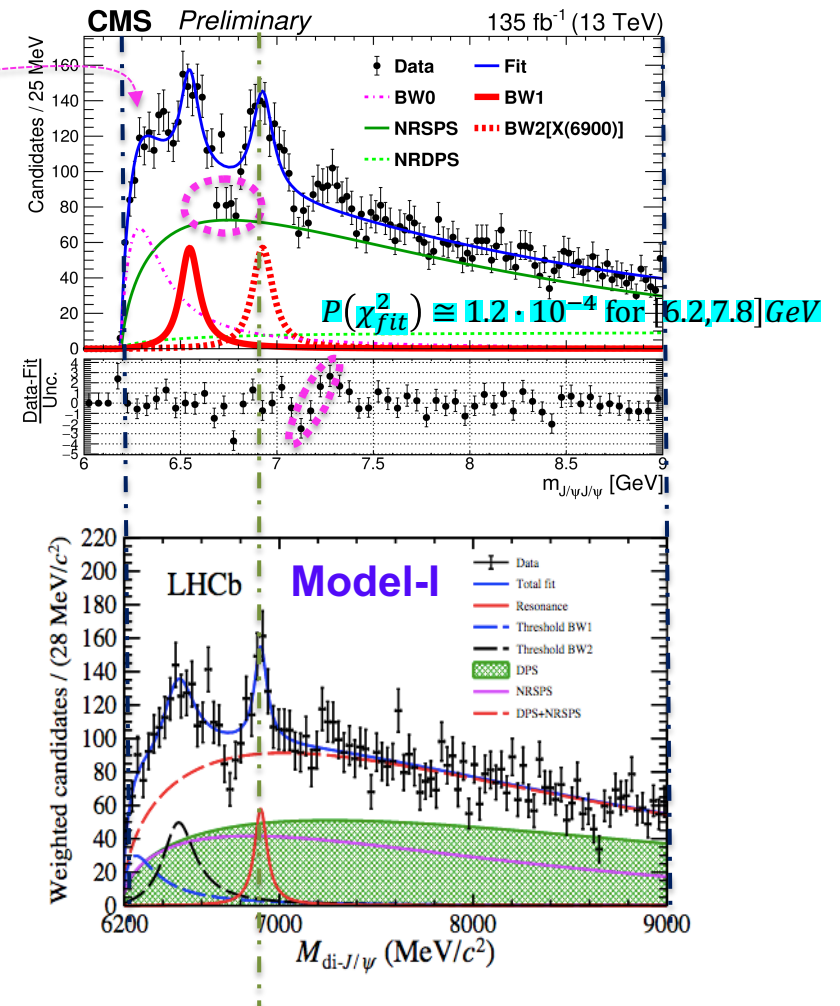
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- $X(6900)$ parameters still in good agreement :

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CMS	Model I	6550 ± 10	112 ± 27	6927 ± 10	117 ± 24



Application of LHCb fit models to the $J/\psi J/\psi$ mass spectrum - II

➤ Compare with Model-II :

- Apply an **interference** between a “virtual” $X(6700)$ & CMS NRSPS + $X(6900)$ + CMS NRDPS

$(439 \pm 65) \text{ MeV} !$

Note: 1) CMS data show **larger** amplitude & width for $X(6700)$
 2) CMS's $X(6600)$ is “eaten” by this interference

- Overall g.o.f : the fit remains poor:

$$P(\chi^2_{fit}) \cong 0.84 \cdot 10^{-4} \text{ for } [6.2, 7.8] \text{ GeV}$$

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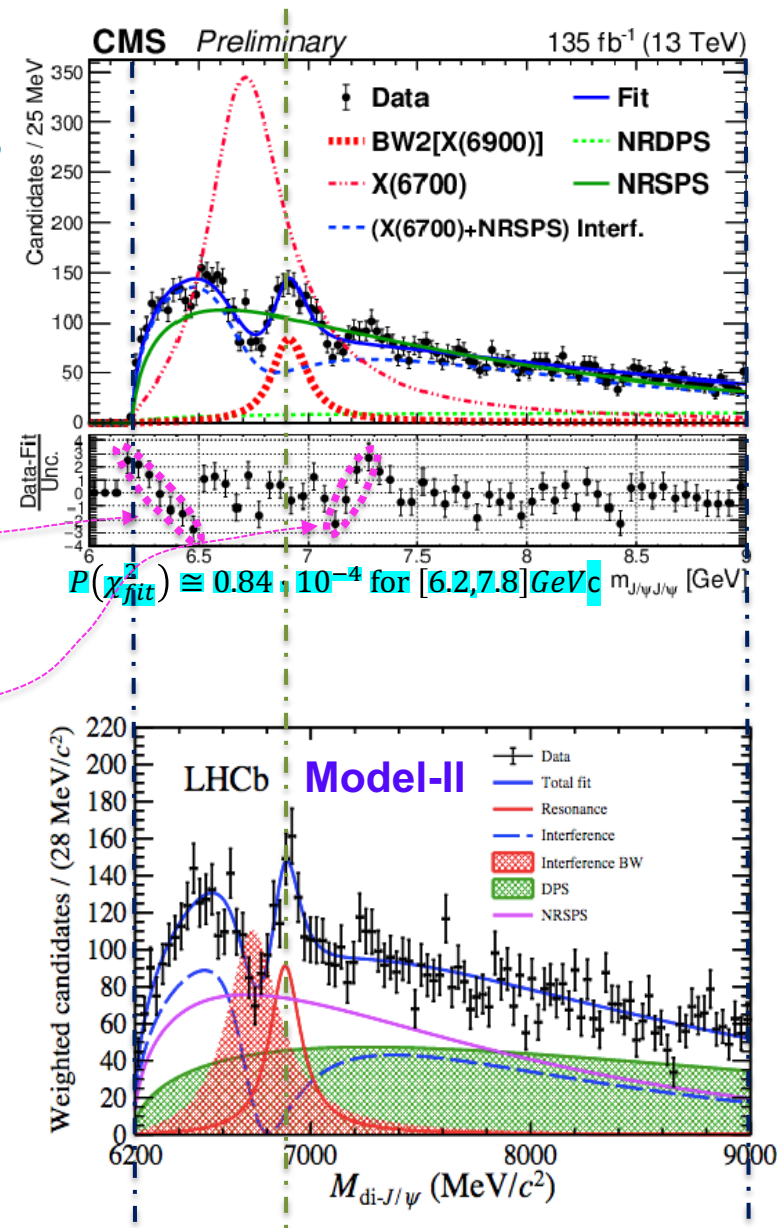
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(region $\approx 6550 \text{ MeV}$ poorly described; same for $\approx 7200 \text{ MeV}$)

[unlike Model-II that better describes LHCb data]

- $X(6900)$ parameters still consistent :

Exp.	Fit	[$X(6700) \equiv BW1$]			
		$m(BW1)$	$\Gamma(BW1)$	$m(6900)$	$\Gamma(6900)$
LHCb	Model II	6741 ± 6	288 ± 16	$6886 \pm 11 \pm 11$	$168 \pm 33 \pm 69$
CMS	Model II	6736 ± 38	439 ± 65	6918 ± 10	187 ± 40



➤ Find the comparison with ATLAS $di-J/\psi$ spectrum in the backup!

CMS preliminary result on $J/\psi J/\psi$ spectrum & work-in-progress

➤ CMS $di\text{-}J/\psi$ spectrum hints a possible rich pattern of 3 structures (candidates to be all-charm tetraquarks):

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... under the assumption of no interference between signal components and between signal & background

- All CMS fits presented are not very good/satisfactory and ...
... other interference scenarios/models are currently under study to describe the dip(s) (that hint possible interference effects). This is mandatory to have out a paper. The near-threshold region needs also to be better understood (more data may be needed).
- The measurement of the production Xsections (in a fiducial region) is in our plans.

[<https://arxiv.org/abs/2111.05370>]

➤ CMS has good sensitivity to all-muon final states (see also the $triple\text{-}J/\psi$ result), thus it is worthy to explore $J/\psi \psi(2S)$ and $di\text{-}\psi(2S)$ spectra. Run-3 will be certainly useful to afford more or enough statistics.

Perspectives & Plans - I

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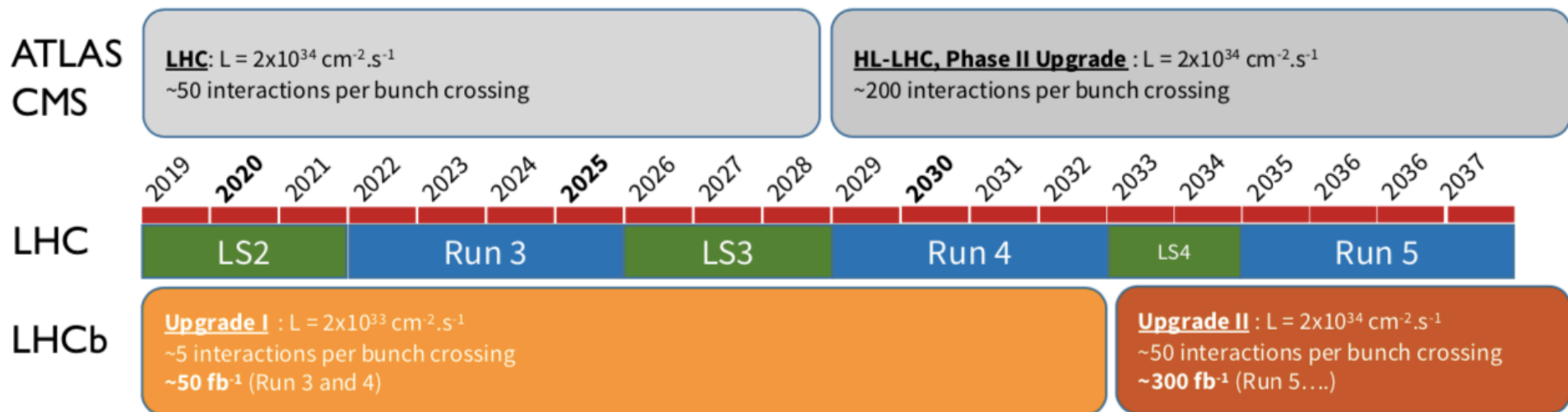
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- Analysis efforts will be oriented where the specific strengths of the CMS detector and reconstruction algorithms make us competitive, both in **exotics searches** and in the **extraction of signals of rare spectroscopic transitions**.
- **Double-charmonia(bottomonia)** measurements & searches can be carried out at the same(better) sensitivity compared to LHCb, thanks to **large muons' acceptance**.
- **Radiative spectroscopic transitions** thanks to **precise photon conversions**.
- **Beauty hadrons rare decays** (observations, Branching Fractions) thanks to the **good efficiency for low- p_T tracks**, both **prompt** and **displaced** from the Primary Vertex; especially exploiting **signatures with K_S^0 , Λ^0 and ϕ reconstructed mesons** to fight the overwhelming backgrounds due to huge track multiplicity.
- **QCD exotics in HI collisions** (X(3872), ...), hardly doable at ALICE.

Perspectives & Plans - II

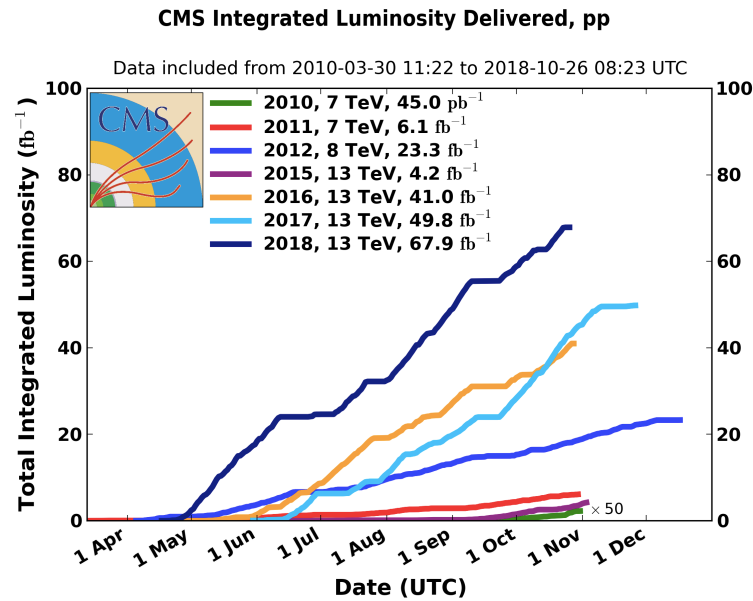
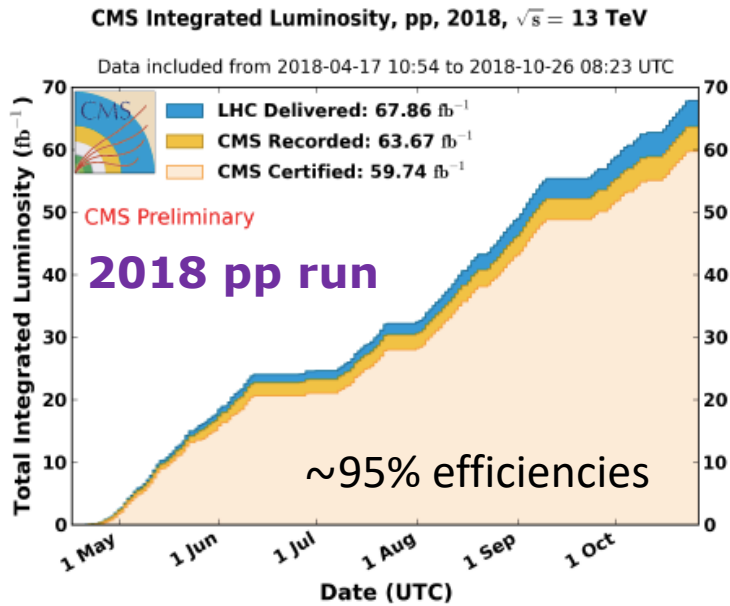
- What is planned for Phase-2/HL-LHC (Run-4, ...)? [focusing on this kind of Physics ...]
- the **availability of tracking information at Level-1 trigger** will be crucial to retain the full physics potential when pile up conditions expected ($\langle \text{PU} \rangle \sim 140\text{-}200$) will hold.
- the **new additional timing layer** (Mip Timing Detector) will allow:
 - **some hadronic PID capabilities for the softer** ($p_T < 2\text{GeV}$) **charged track**
 - an upgrade of the 3D vertex fit to a 4D one, thus allowing **precision timing for charged hadrons & converted photons** and - consequently - **an effective pile up mitigation**.
- even more **careful dedicated trigger strategy** will be needed



Backup material

Run-1 & Run-2 data taking

➤ The LHC Run-II was characterized by excellent LHC & CMS performances :



Data samples

Run-I

$\sqrt{s} = 7\text{TeV}$ 2011

$\sqrt{s} = 8\text{TeV}$ 2012

Run-II

$\sqrt{s} = 13\text{TeV}$ 2015

2016

2017

2018

$L_{\text{int}} \approx$

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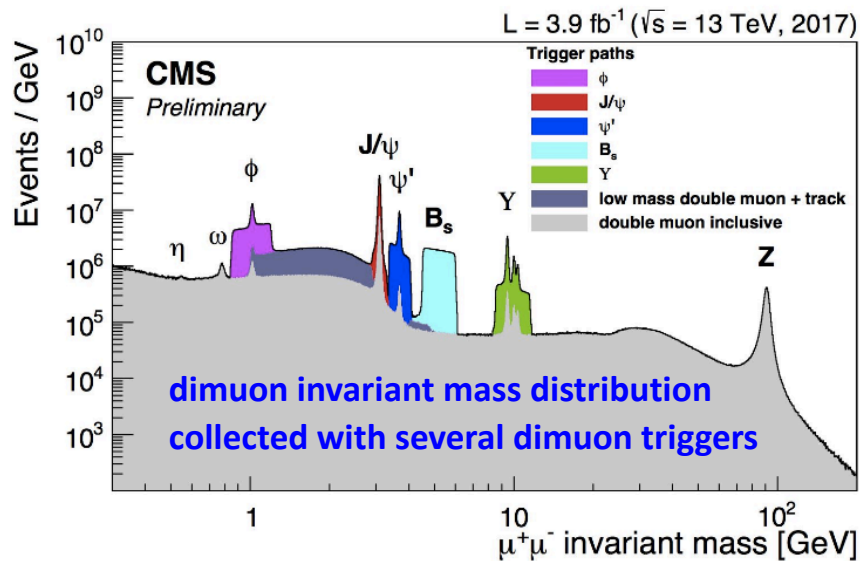
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Can we learn more about X(3872) nature using HI collisions?

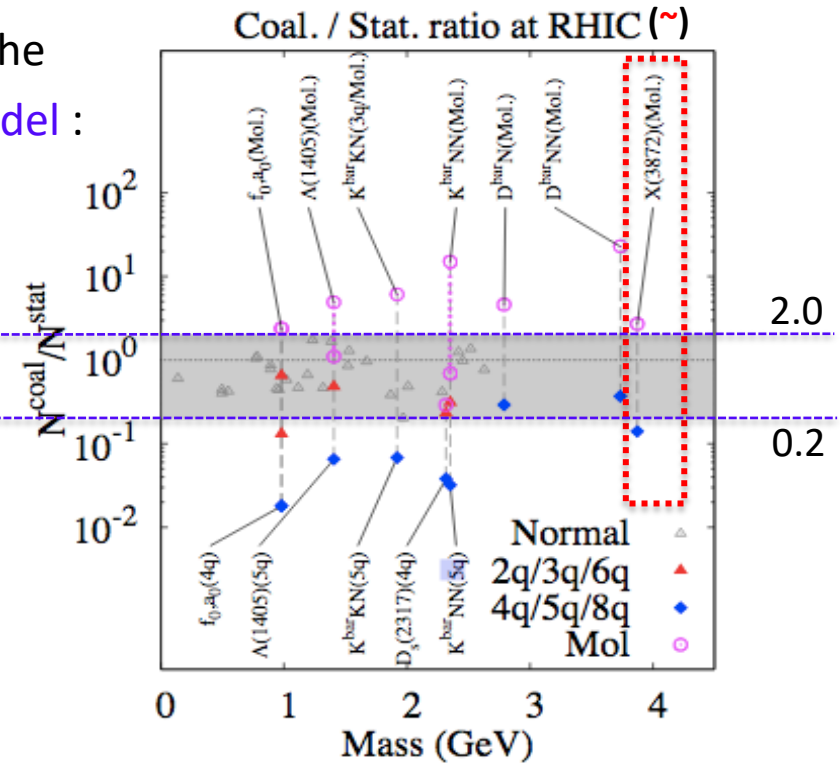
➤ Relevant parameter is the **ratio of hadron yields** calculated in the **coalescence model** to those in the **statistical hadronization model** :

$$\frac{N_{COAL}}{N_{STAT}} \longrightarrow$$

Range of ratios for normal hadrons (2quarks/3quarks)
& for crypto-exotic hadrons with usual 2q/3q configs



The yield of a hadron in relativistic HI collisions reflects its structure !



(~) Note: Also holds for LHC: freezeout conditions similar to those @RHIC

Corrected prompt X(3872) & $\psi(2S)$ yields

➤ The **ratio of corrected yields of prompt X(3872) to prompt $\psi(2S)$** is defined as: $R = \frac{N_{corr}^X}{N_{corr}^\psi} \psi(2S)$

➤ **prompt yields** are corrected for efficiency and acceptance from ...

... a PYTHIA MC embedded in HYDJET PbPb background

$$N_{corr}^i = \frac{N_{raw}^i \cdot f_{prompt}^i}{(\alpha \cdot \epsilon_{tot})^i}$$

➤ **prompt fractions** are calculated from the # of candidates of the inclusive signal (from nominal fit) and # of candidates in the B-enriched sample (from the fit to the signal after applying $\ell_{xy} > 0.1mm$):

$$f_{prompt}^{(i)} = 1 - \frac{N_{B-enr} / f_{B-enr}^{non-prompt}}{N_{incl}}$$

with the latter to be **corrected** for the non-prompt candidates with $\ell_{xy} < 0.1mm$:

$$f_{B-enr}^{non-prompt} = \frac{N^{non-prompt}(\ell_{xy} < 0.1mm)}{N^{non-prompt}} \quad \text{(obtained from MC)}$$

CMS selection of $J/\psi J/\psi$ candidates - I

➤ Trigger requirements	2016	2017-18
L1	at least 3 μ	
		leading μ : $p_T > 5.0 GeV$ sub-leading μ : $p_T > 3.0 GeV$ } (*) at least one pair of OS μs : $m < 9.0 GeV$
HLT	each μ : $ \eta(\mu) < 2.5$ at least one pair of OS μs : $2.95 < m < 3.25 GeV$, $P(vtx) > 0.5\%$	
		each μ forming the “triggering” pair (J/ψ) : $p_T(\mu) \geq 3.5 GeV$
➤ Offline selection	2016	2017-18
	HLT bit fired	
	each μ : SOFT-ID, $p_T(\mu) \geq 2.0 GeV$, $ \eta(\mu) \leq 2.4$	
	$J/\psi J/\psi$ candidates are built (can be more than 1/event): for each J/ψ : $2.95 < m < 3.25 GeV$, $P(vtx) > 0.5\%$, kin-fit : $P(J/\psi) > 0.1\%$, $p_T(J/\psi) \geq 3.5 GeV$	
	4 μ vertex fit : $P(4\mu - vtx) > 0.5\%$, kinematic fit : $P(J/\psi J/\psi - fit) > 0.1\%$	
		at least 2 OS μs (forming a J/ψ) : $p_T(\mu) \geq 3.5 GeV$
	Best candidate selected if 2 $J/\psi J/\psi$ candidates are formed with the same 4 μ ($\sim 0.2\%$ of the cases) ; both conserved if they have at least 1 different μ ($\sim 0.2\%$ of the cases)	

Overall kinematic phase-space selected: - for 2016: $p_T(\mu) \geq 2.0 GeV$, $|\eta(\mu)| \leq 2.4$, $p_T(J/\psi) \geq 3.5 GeV$
 - for 2017-18: in addition: at least two OS μs with $p_T(\mu) \geq 3.5 GeV$

(*) These L1 requirements do not have relevant effect offline (on reconstructed efficiency and spectrum)

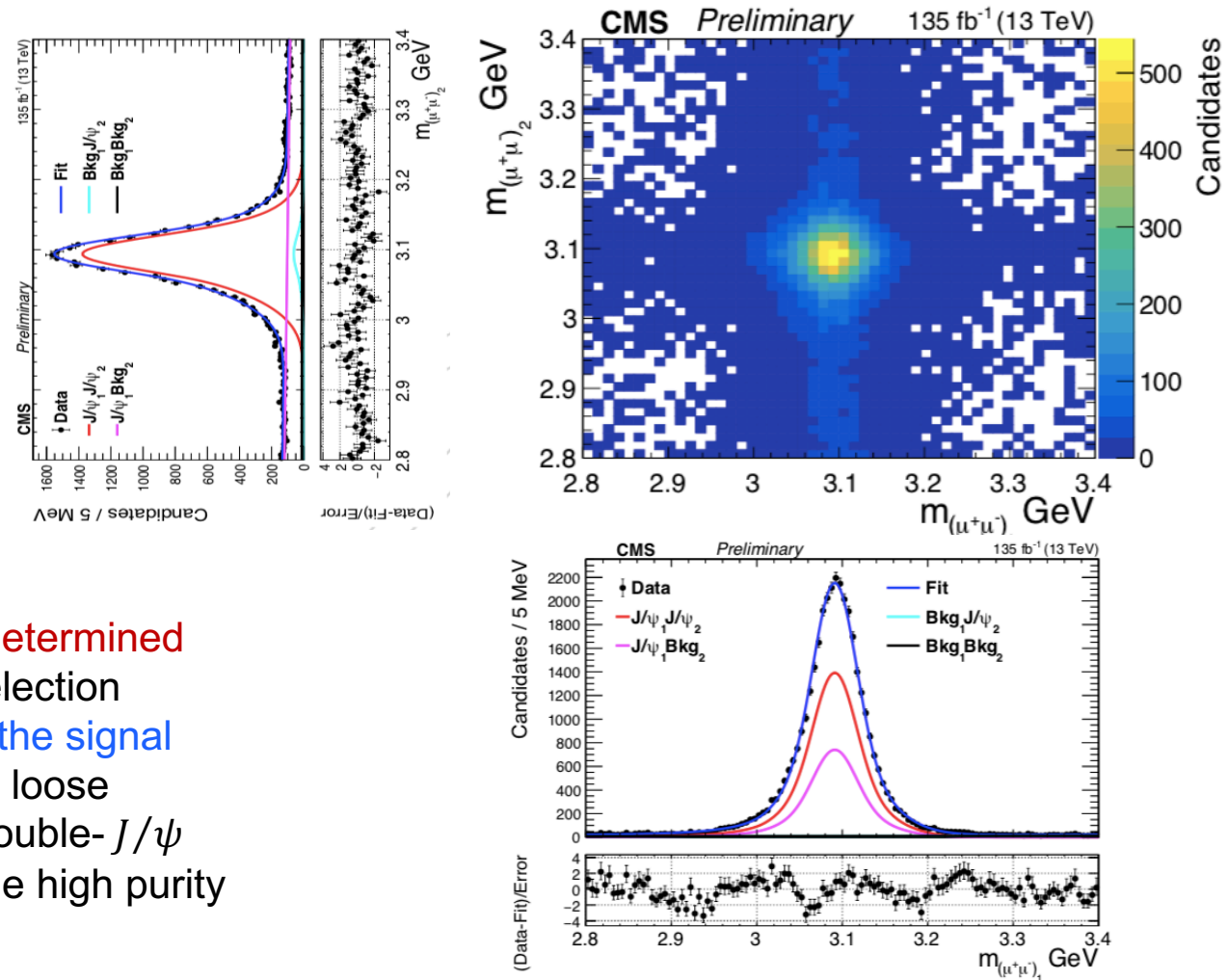
CMS selection of $J/\psi J/\psi$ candidates - II

➤ The sample has 14,049 (8,651) $J/\psi J/\psi$ signal pairs for $m(J/\psi J/\psi) < 15.0(9.0) \text{ GeV}$.

The 4-muons mass resolution ranges from $\sim 10 \text{ MeV}$ (@ 6.5 GeV) to $\sim 18 \text{ MeV}$ (@ 7.3 GeV).

➤ The offline selection in the previous slide was determined in an unbiased and model independent way: selection criteria were fixed before looking at the data in the signal region $m(J/\psi J/\psi) < 7.8 \text{ GeV}$ and relied also on loose requirements aligned with past experience in double- J/ψ analysis. This approach is possible thanks to the high purity of the J/ψ signal.

As a cross-check, an optimization was afterwards performed by simulating a $9 \text{ GeV } 0^+$ signal meson and using backgrounds from data, yielding to a selection very similar to the original one.



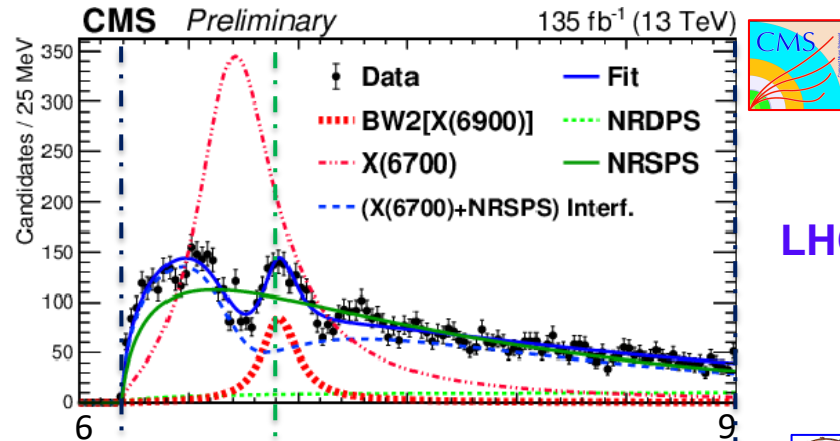
Comparison of interference fit results on $J/\psi J/\psi$ spectrum by ATLAS, CMS & LHCb

➤ ATLAS model considers 3 B.-W.s and their possible interference to describe the dip @ $\approx 6800\text{MeV}$ together with the large initial shoulder. This interference is different from that in LHCb's Model-II, thus the shown comparison is not fully meaningful.

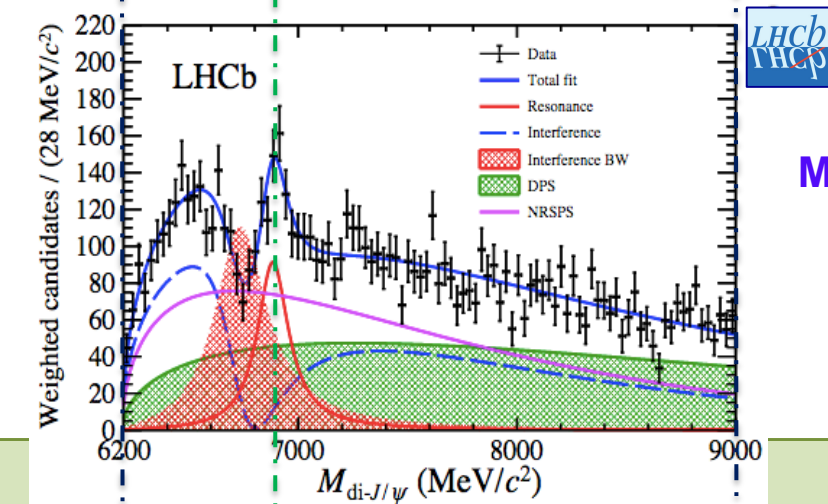
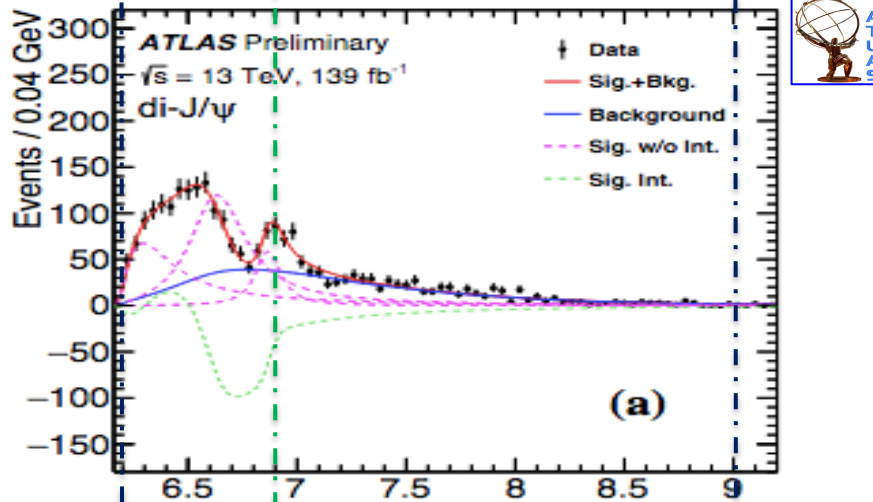
Different binnings and vertical scales do not help the comparison of the data points.

➤ Note: CMS & LHCb seem to have a similar number of $X(6900)$ candidates. Evidently there is a compensation among different major factors:

- integrated luminosity : $135/9 \sim 15\text{X}$
- muon acceptance (pseudorapidity): $(5/3)^4 \sim 8\text{X}$
- muon kinematical cuts (reco efficiency):
 $p_T > 0.6\text{GeV}$ (LHCb) vs. (CMS) $p_T > 3.5$ or 2.0GeV



LHCb Model-II



Model-II

Search for X_b - I

➤ Heavy Quark symmetry suggests an X_b as 'bottomonium counterpart' of $X(3872)$.

Molecular model suggests to search close to $B\bar{B}^{(*)}$ threshold ($m \approx 10.562(604)\text{GeV}$);

[model dependent prediction for a $B\bar{B}^{(*)}$ molecule by Swanson (2004)]

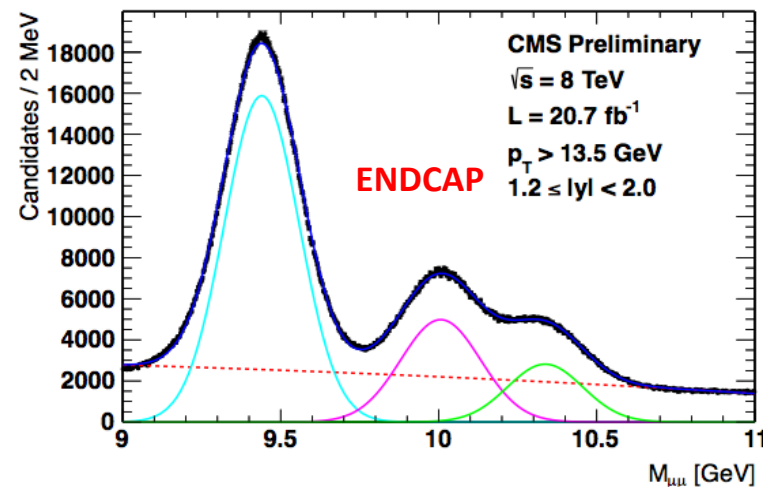
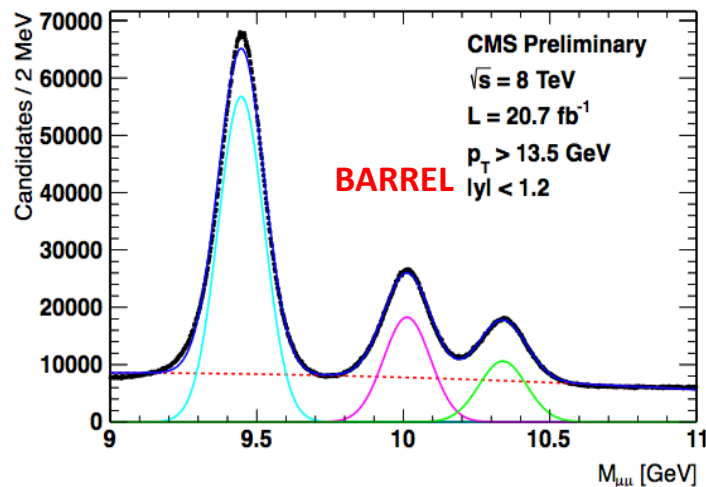


looked for $X_b \rightarrow \Upsilon(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ decay **seemingly analogous** to $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$

➤ **Analysis strategy:** search for a peak - other than known $\Upsilon(2S), \Upsilon(3S)$ - in the $\Upsilon(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ spectrum within 10-11GeV
[expecting narrow width & possibly sizable BF similarly to $X(3872)$]

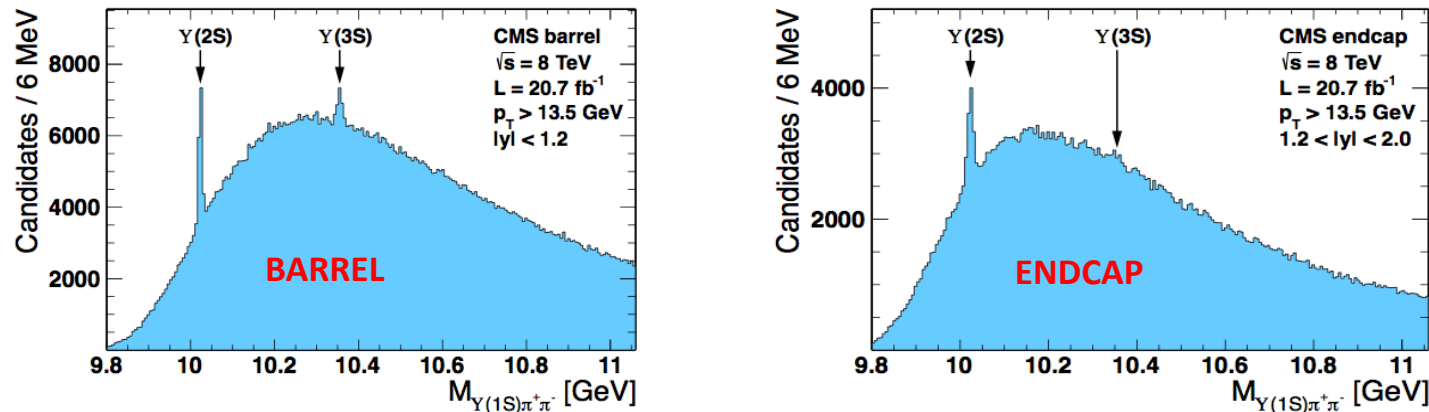


collected ($pp@8\text{TeV}$) large sample of $\Upsilon(nS) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ [better mass resolution and lower bkg in the barrel]:



Search for X_b - II

- X_b cand.s are reconstructed by associating two oppositely selected charged tracks to the $\Upsilon(1S)$ cand.; the $\Upsilon(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ spectrum is studied in the **kinematic region** $p_T > 13.5 \text{ GeV}$, $|y| < 2.0$:



- Selection criteria optimized by using a genetic algorithm that maximized the expected significance of the signal in the mass region near the $\Upsilon(2S)$.

The statistical significance of the signal is expected to be $> 5\sigma$ if the following ratio that represents the X_b **BF times the production Xsection relative to the $\Upsilon(2S)$** ...

$$R \equiv \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow X_b)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow \Upsilon(2S))} \cdot \frac{BF(X_b \rightarrow \Upsilon(1S)\pi^+\pi^-)}{BF(\Upsilon(2S) \rightarrow \Upsilon(1S)\pi^+\pi^-)}$$

... is $> 6.56\%$ [analogous to that of $X(3872)$ relative to the $\Upsilon(2S)$].

Search for X_b - Upper Limit @



➤ For each mass point of a mass scan (by 10MeV-sized steps), the mass spectrum is fitted (gaussian signal with width fixed to values from the simulation & 3rd order polynomial bkg) and R is evaluated as ...

$$R = \frac{N_{X_b}^{obs}}{N_{Y(2S)}^{obs}} \frac{\epsilon_{Y(2S)}}{\epsilon_{X_b}}$$

overall EFFICIENCIES estimated from SIMULATION

Assumptions in simulation:

- same production mechanism for $Y(2S)$ and X_b
- same dipion mass distribution for $Y(2S)$ and X_b
- $Y(2S)$ and X_b assumed both unpolarized

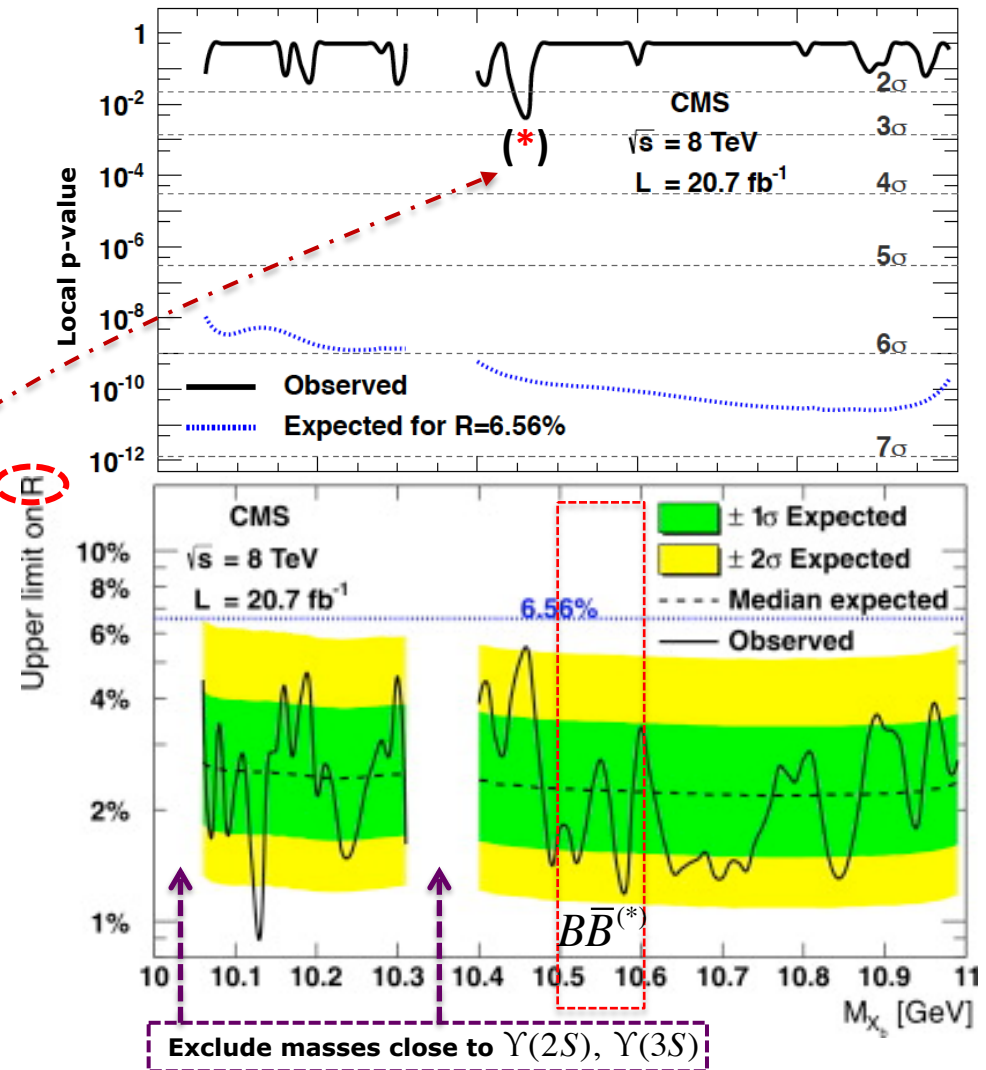
➤ ...and a local p -value is calculated (asymptotic approach & barrel/endcap combination)
 [(*): smallest p -value = 0.004 \Rightarrow $(2.8\sigma) \xrightarrow{LEE} 0.8\sigma$]

NO significant excess observed

95% CL upper limits set on the ratio R :

observed UL range: 0.9% to 5.4%

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Search strategies for X_b

➤ According to Karliner&Rosner [PRD91 (2015) 014014], **the analogy with $X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ is misguided for this particular decay channel**: $X_b \rightarrow Y(1S) \pi^+ \pi^-$ **should be forbidden by G-parity conservation** :

➤ For the $X(3872)$ the I -conserving decay $X \rightarrow J/\psi \omega$ was **kinematically suppressed**, thus equally likely than the I -violating $X \rightarrow J/\psi \rho^0$:

$$\frac{B(X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0)}{B(X \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-)} = 1.0 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.3$$

➤ In the beauty sector Isospin should be well conserved & $X_b \rightarrow Y(1S) \omega$ allowed (preferred if it exists) !

➤ **Thus, the search strategy for X_b should include the reconstruction of these decays with 1 or 2 photons:**

(*) No significant signal found by  in $Y(5S)$ decays [PRL113, 142001 (2014)]

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} X_b \xrightarrow{(*)} Y(1S) \omega (\rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0) \\ X_b \rightarrow \chi_b(1P) \pi^+ \pi^- \\ X_b \rightarrow Y(3S) \gamma \end{array} \right.$$

➤ **NOT easy task** for  &  :

Reconstruction of SOFT photons by conversions into the tracker ...

➤ ... provides enough mass resolution to resolve the two peaks

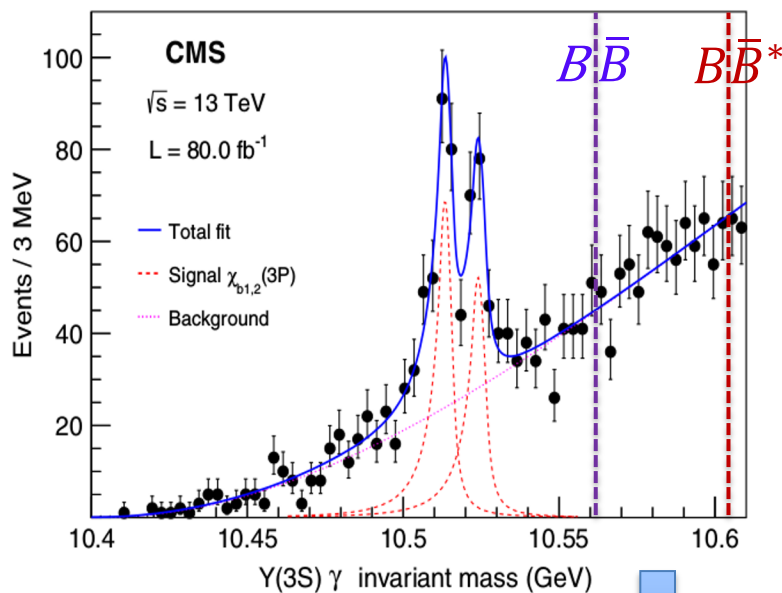
➤ ... **BUT conversion efficiency is LOW !**

➤ **Makes sense to use full Run-2 dataset !**

Is the hypothetical X_b seen decaying radiatively ?

- The bottomonium *analog*s of the $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ and $X(3872)$ states ...
 would be the ... $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ and X_b (the latter suggested by Heavy Quark symmetry)

Confirming that the $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ is well below the open-beauty threshold would suggest differences w.r.t. the charmonium: $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ is expected to be approximately 100MeV above the $D\bar{D}$ threshold



Among the possibilities...

- the single peak seen by LHCb could have been the X_b or a mixture of the $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ and the possible X_b state (Karliner & Rosner [PRD91 (2015) 014014] ; in analogy with the $X(3872)$ interpreted as a mixture of $\chi_{c1}(2P)$ & $D^0\bar{D}^{*0}$ molecule),
- it could simply be the conventional (unresolved) $\chi_{bJ=1,2}(3P)$ and in this case a hypothetical X_b might exist at higher masses close to the $B\bar{B}^{(*)}$ thresholds.

➤ At the level of the current statistics **no** hint of the hypothetical X_b that might exist close to the $B\bar{B}^{(*)}$ thresholds [radiatively decaying as $X_b \rightarrow Y(3S)\gamma$]


This measurement strongly disfavours the breaking of the conventional pattern of splittings in the doublet and **supports the standard hierarchy** ($J=2$ heavier than $J=1$) i.e. the proximity of open-beauty threshold have no relevant influence on the splitting

Introduction to searches in the $\Upsilon(1S)\mu^+\mu^-$ final state

➤  released a measurement of the $\Upsilon(1S)$ pair production Xsection @ $\sqrt{s} = 13\text{TeV}$

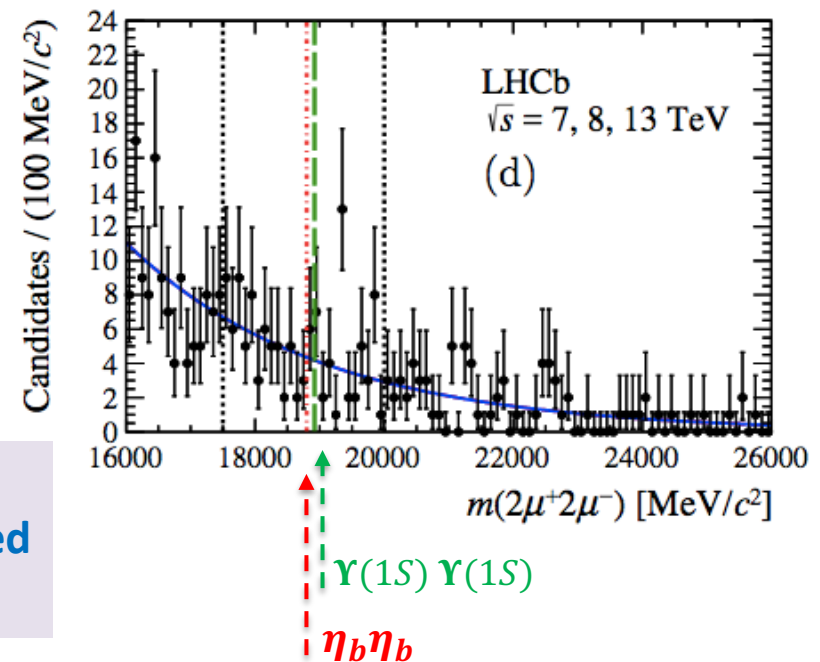
This process serves as a standard reference in a search for narrow resonances decaying to $\Upsilon(1S)\mu^+\mu^-$ since the final state is the same and the event selection is similar.

The existence of an heavy bottom tetraquark [$bb\bar{b}\bar{b}$] predicted by few theoretical models (*) [below twice the η_b mass] is searched in a mass window between $17.5 \div 19.5\text{ GeV}$ (namely around 4 times the mass of the bottom quark), within the $\Upsilon(1S)\mu^+\mu^-$ final state.

➤  searched for such tetraquarks without finding any hint of a signal [JHEP 10 (2018) 086]

➤ This new analysis probes a kinematical region not accessible at LHCb. CMS has also a very competitive acceptance for muons from $\Upsilon(1S)$ decays.

Moreover ... a generic search for narrow resonances decaying to $\Upsilon(1S)\mu^+\mu^-$ was performed in an extended mass window $16.5 \div 27\text{GeV}$.



(*) Y.Chen *et al.*, PLB 705 (2013) 93 ; A.V. Berezhnoy *et al.*, PRD 86 (2012) 034004

Search for a $bb\bar{b}\bar{b}$ tetraquark state

➤ No significant narrow excess of candidates is observed above the background expectation.

An example of 4quark signal at 19GeV is shown ----->
 This mass window is probed using the bottomonium model.
 In UML fits the signal has FWHM $\sim 200\text{MeV}$ for a 18GeV resonance.

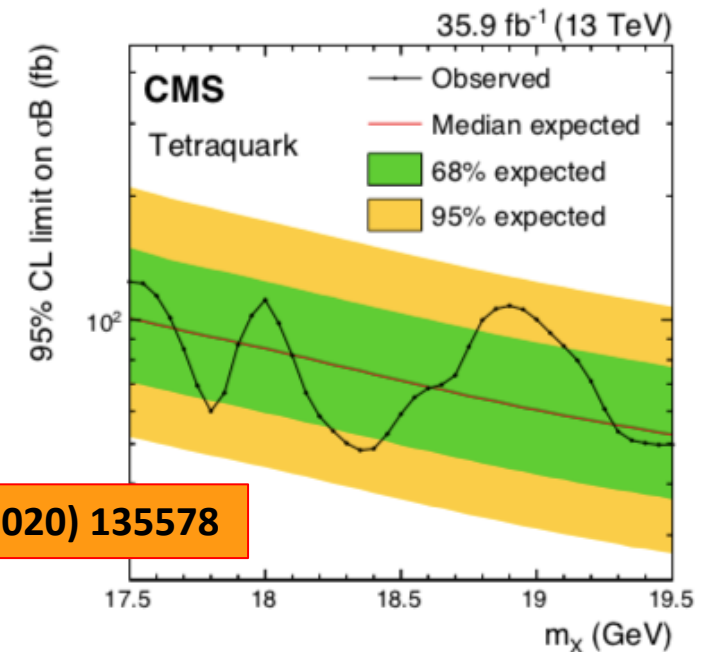
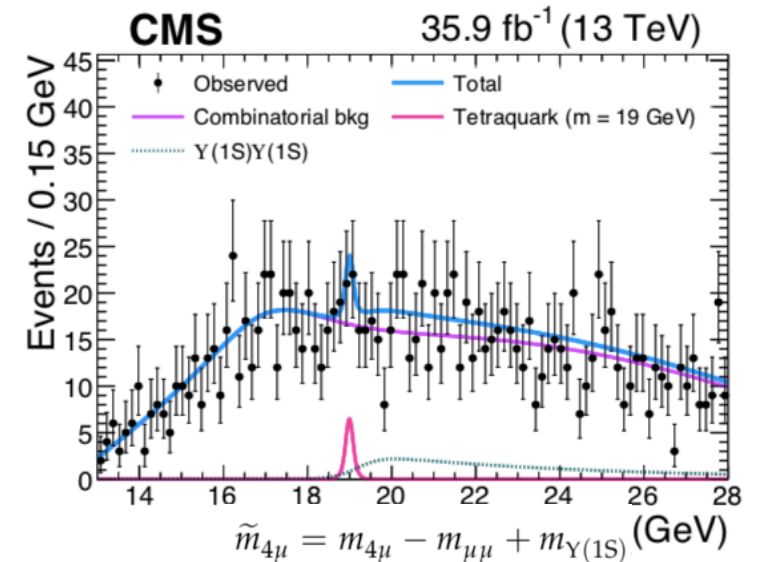
Upper limits on the product of the production Xsection of a resonance & the BF to the final state of 4 muons via an intermediate $\Upsilon(1S)$, $\sigma(T_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}}) \times \mathcal{B}(T_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}} \rightarrow \Upsilon(1S)\mu^+\mu^-)$, are set @95% CL (using the modified frequentist construction CL_s in the asymptotic approx.).

Using the number of $\Upsilon(1S)\Upsilon(1S)$ events observed in data as a reference, a resonance with a mass at $\sim 19\text{GeV}$ and having a similar production Xsection (*) and BF to 4 muons as the $\Upsilon(1S)\Upsilon(1S)$ production, would produce ~ 100 candidates in our data sample (given the similarity between the kinematic distributions of both processes).

(*) $[79 \pm 11(\text{stat}) \pm 6(\text{syst}) \pm 3(\text{BF})] \text{pb}$ for $|y| \leq 2.0$


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➤ A further search for a light narrow resonance, such as a BSM bound state, does not show any significant narrow excess of candidates above the background expectation (see backup).

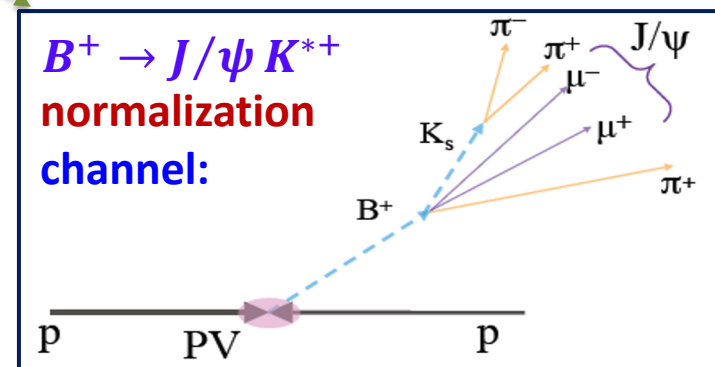
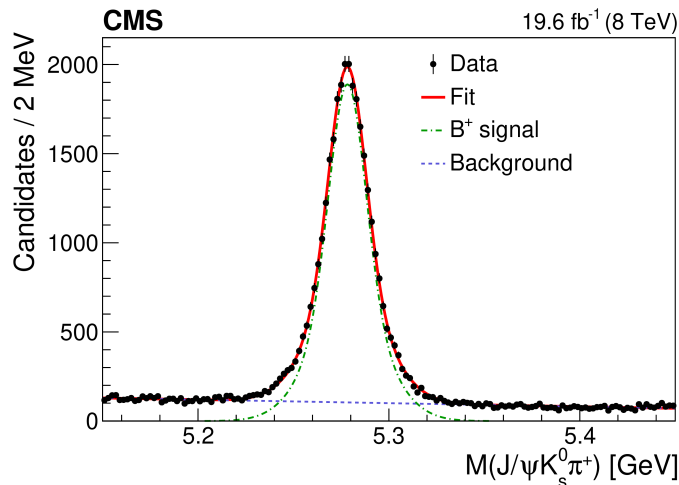
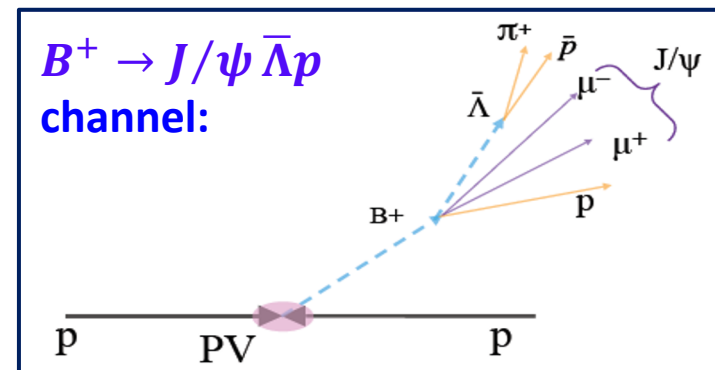


Motivation & technique of the study of the decay $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$

➤  reported the observation of this decay in 2005 with low statistics [PRD 72 (2005) 051105]: it was the first observed B meson decay into baryons and a charmonium state.

➤ Studies of the intermediate inv. mass spectra in 3-body decays of B mesons & Λ_b baryon of the $J/\psi p$ system [PRL 115 (2019) 072001, **5-quarks** by  in $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi p K$] and - in general - of charmonium+baryon systems make this kind of decays rather interesting.

➤ The decay $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+} (\rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+)$ is chosen as the normalization channel, as it is measured with high precision and has similar decay topology (similar efficiency)

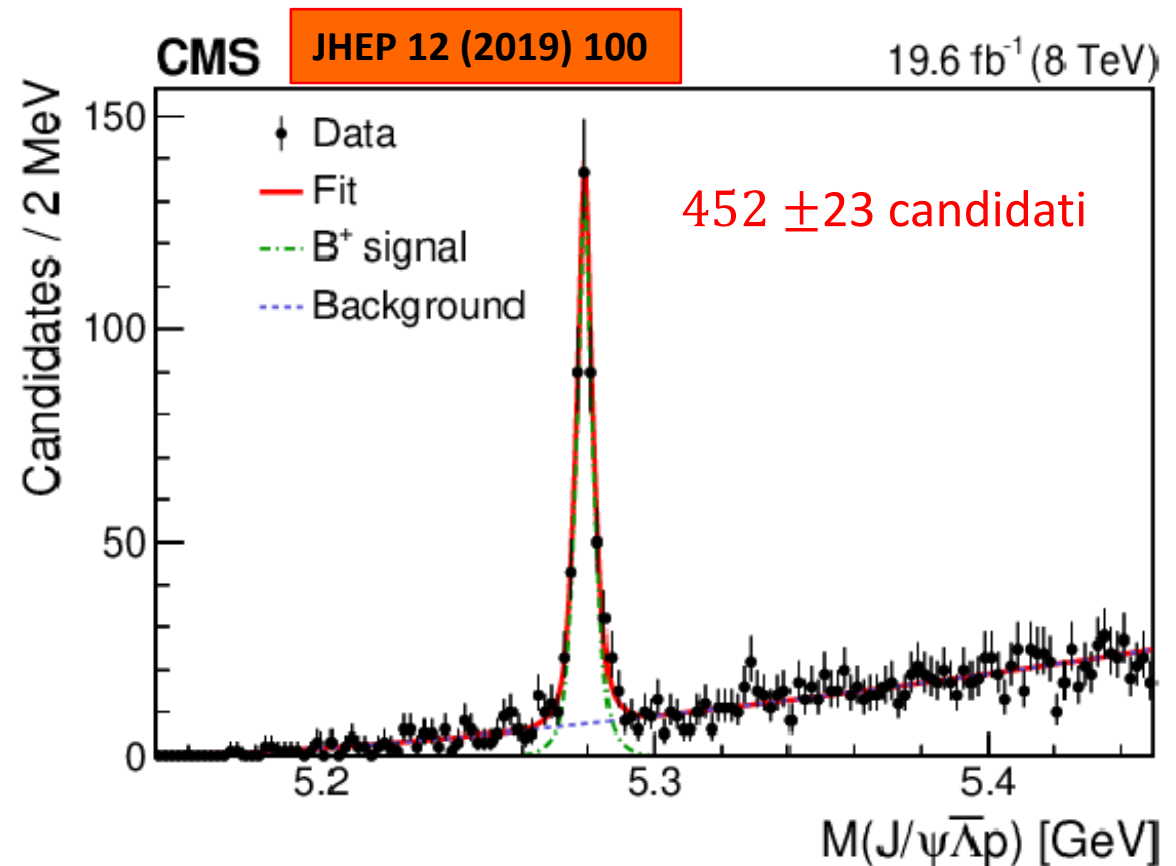


- Having no hadron identification: - proton mass assigned to the highest p_T track
- K_s^0 veto applied for cleaning the Λ sample by contamination

- UML fit to extract the B^+ signal yield :

signal model : 3 gaussian with a floating common mean and overall normalization (widths and rel. norm. from MC)

bkg model : threshold polynomial



BF ratio measurement

➤ The BF ratio is calculated as follows:

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p)}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+})} = \frac{N(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p) \mathcal{B}(K^{*+} \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+) \mathcal{B}(K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) \epsilon(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+})}{N(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+}) \mathcal{B}(\bar{\Lambda} \rightarrow \bar{p} \pi^+) \epsilon(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p)}$$

ratio of the signal yields in data

known Branching Fractions from PDG

Ratio of total efficiencies (from MC)

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p)}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+})} = (1.054 \pm 0.057(stat.) \pm 0.028(syst.) \pm 0.011(br.)) \times 10^{-2},$$

and using $\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*-}) = (1.43 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-2}$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p) = (15.07 \pm 0.81(stat.) \pm 0.40(syst.) \pm 0.86(br.)) \times 10^{-6}$$

PDG mean value of $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p) = (11.8 \pm 3.1) \times 10^{-6}$

The latest Belle measurement $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p) = (11.7 \pm 2.8_{-2.3}^{+1.8}) \times 10^{-6}$

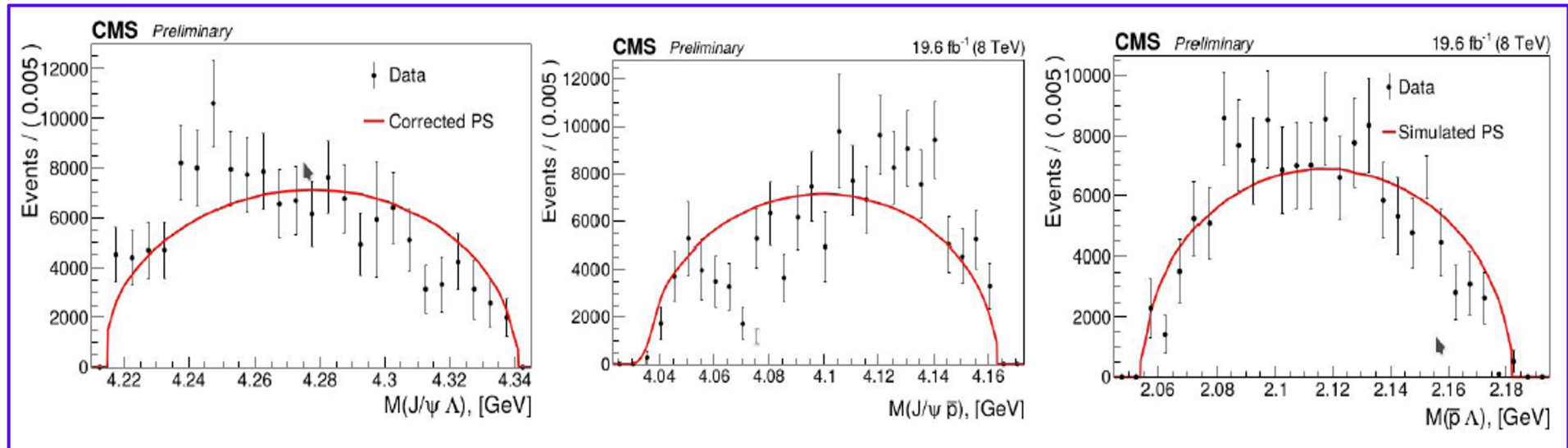
Most precise measurement to date and consistent with



Study of intermediate invariant masses in the decay $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$

- Large signal yield allows CMS to try to perform a search for new exotic multiquark states in the *efficiency-corrected* two-body intermediate systems of the 3-body decay under study
- Background subtraction is performed using the *sPlot* technique, with the invariant mass $m(J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p)$ as the *discriminating variable*.


The obtained bkg-subtracted distributions are compared with pure 3-body phase space shapes:



The intermediate invariant masses are found to be inconsistent with the pure 3-body phase space hypothesis with a significance more than 6.1σ , 5.5σ & 3.4σ respectively for ...
... $J/\psi p$, $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$ & $\bar{\Lambda} p$!

Model independent approach (method of moments) - I

➤ This method has been first introduced by  [PRD 79 (2009) 112001, PRD 85 (2012) 052003]

and later used by  [PRD 92 (2015) 112009, PRL 117 (2016) 082002].

➤ There are at least three known K^{*+} resonances (excited kaons) resonances that can decay to $\bar{\Lambda}p$ (as listed in the table). This method has been used to properly account for possible contributions - due to their *reflections* - onto the other two intermediate two-body invariant mass spectra.

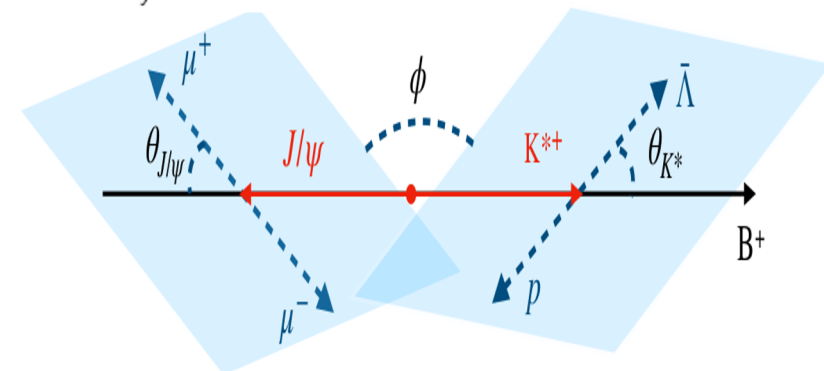
Resonance	Mass [MeV]	Natural width [MeV]	J^P
$K_4^*(2045)^+$	2045 ± 9	198 ± 30	4^+
$K_2^*(2250)^+$	2247 ± 17	180 ± 30	2^-
$K_3^*(2320)^+$	2324 ± 24	150 ± 30	3^+

In each efficiency-corrected $m(\bar{\Lambda}p)$ bin [through weights calculated on the rectangular DP $m(\bar{\Lambda}p)$ vs $\cos(\vartheta_{K^*})$ and obtained by simulation] the $\cos(\vartheta_{K^*})$ distribution can be expressed as the expansion in terms of Legendre polynomial

$$\frac{dN}{d \cos \theta_{K^*}} = \sum_{j=0}^{l_{\max}} \langle P_j^U \rangle P_j(\cos \theta_{K^*}) , l_{\max} = 8$$

where:

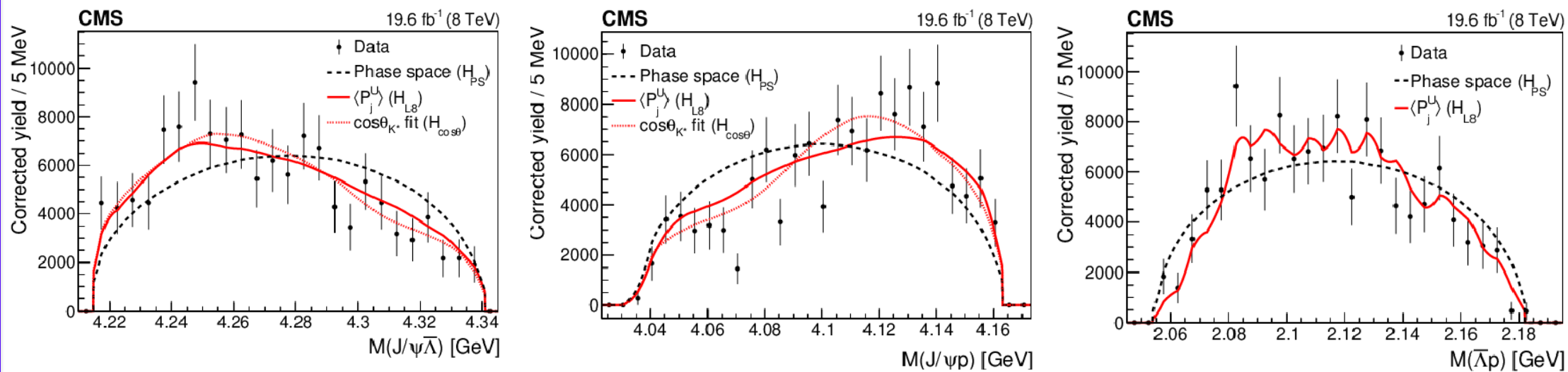
- $l_{\max} = 2 \times$ (spin of the highest spin resonance) can describe all resonances & interferences;
- $\cos(\vartheta_{K^*})$ is the helicity angle of the K^{*+} (see fig.) in the $\bar{\Lambda}p$ system rest frame.



Model independent approach (method of moments) - II

➤ The simulation-based reweighting according to the observed angular structure in the $\bar{\Lambda}p$ system shows that the description of the distributions of the invariant masses $m(J/\psi \bar{\Lambda})$ & $m(J/\psi p)$ is much improved after accounting for the angular and invariant mass characterizing the $\bar{\Lambda}p$ system.

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The *incompatibility* of the data with the reweighted phase-space distributions is quantified by using a likelihood ratio method and results to vary from 1.3σ to 2.8σ (2.7σ).

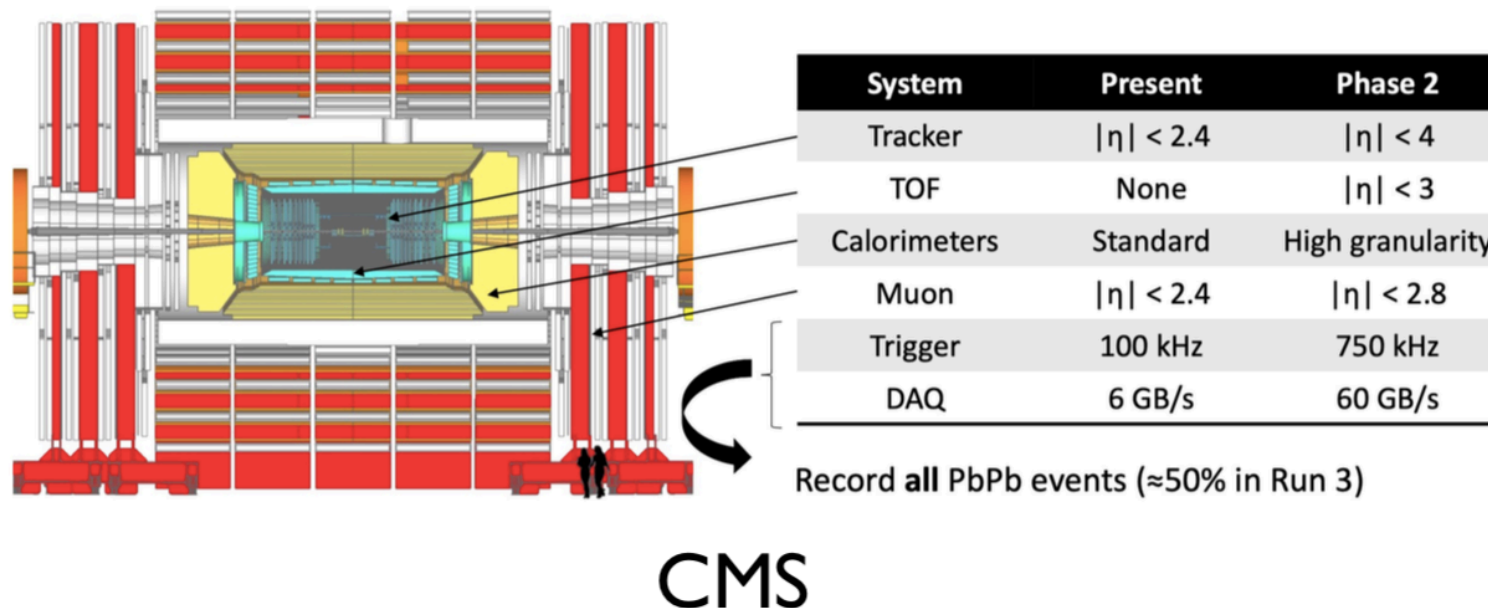
Thus, there is no need to introduce exotic resonances in the $J/\psi p$ & $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$ systems.

Phase-II Upgrade - 1

- **CMS will undergo a vast upgrade designed for pile-up of 200 in pp collisions**
(pp events will be characterized by a similar multiplicity than in central PbPb collisions).

CMS will have a larger rapidity coverage and higher acquisition rate compared to current config.

[CERN-LHCC-2015-010]



Phase-II Upgrade - 2

Trigger/HLT/DAQ

- Track information in hardware event selection
- 750 kHz hardware event selection
- 7.5 kHz events registered
- latency increased from 3.2 to 12.5 μ s

Barrel EM Calorimeter

- New electronics
- Low operating temperature = 10°

Muon systems

- New DT & CSC electronics
- New chambers in $1.6 < \eta < 2.4$
- Muon tagging $2.4 < \eta < 3$

MIP timing detector

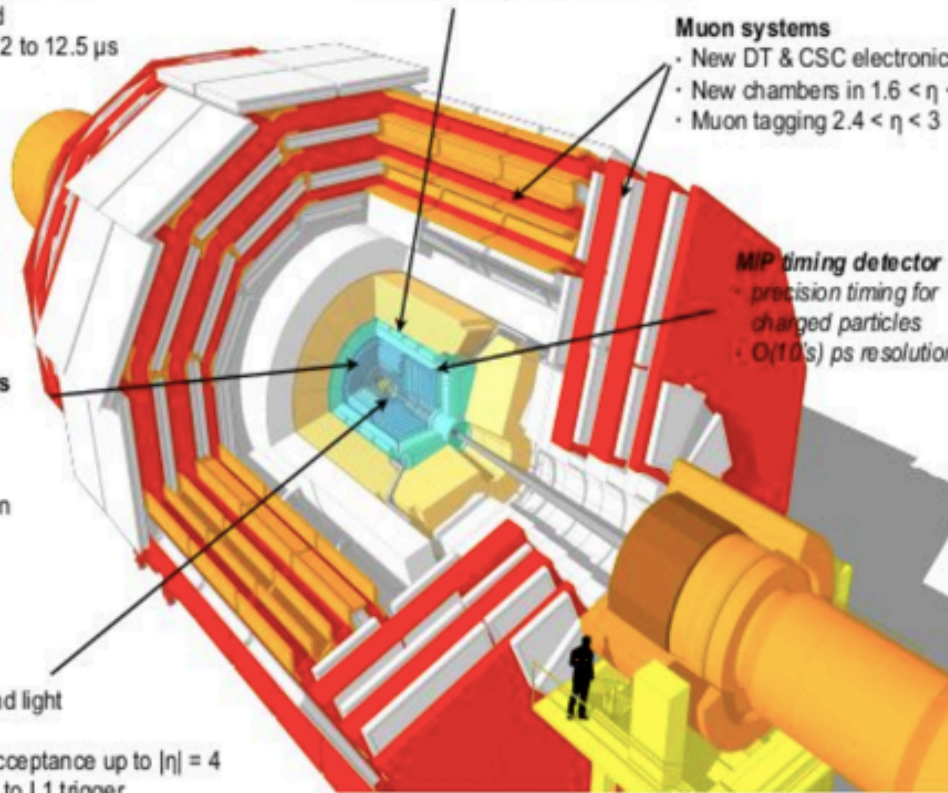
- precision timing for charged particles
- O(10's) ps resolution

New endcap calorimeters

- Sampling calorimeter
- Radiation tolerant
- High granularity
- 3D shower reconstruction

New tracker

- Radiation tolerant and light
- Higher granularity
- Increased forward acceptance up to $|\eta| = 4$
- Tracking information to L1 trigger




CMS Phase-II upgrades include:


- a new tracker with improved p_T resolution and radiation hardness, lower material budget, extended coverage
- increased muon coverage
- a new forward calorimeter with high granularity and resolution
- addition of the MIP timing detector (MTD)
- increased trigger bandwidth & latencies
- inclusion of tracking information at L1 trigger
- replacement of electronics

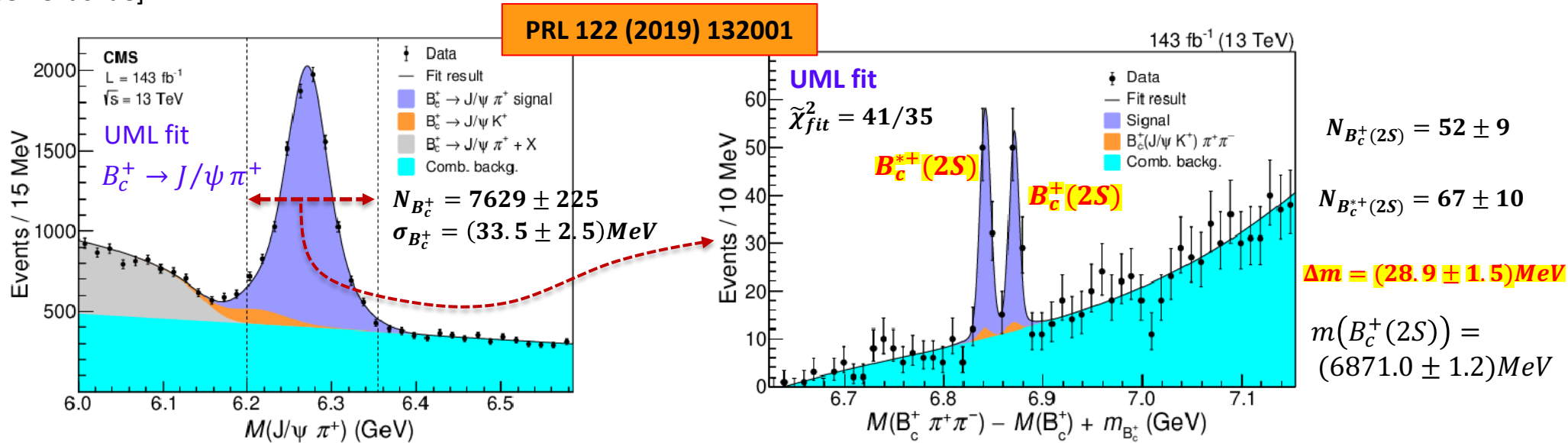
Additional material

Observation of radially excited B_c^+ mesons

 [PRL 122 (2019) 132001] observed for the first time the two radially excited (hyperfine doublet) decaying to $B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$ final state [the second through a radiative decay with the emitted very soft photon **undetected** : $B_c^{*+}(2S) \rightarrow B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$, $B_c^+ \rightarrow B_c^+ \gamma$]

 $B_c^+(2S)$
 $B_c^{*+}(2S)$

 Predictions [$m(B_c^{*+}(1S)) - m(B_c^+(1S))$] > [$m(B_c^{*+}(2S)) - m(B_c^+(2S))$] imply that **$B_c^{*+}(2S)$ peak is the lower one** : [see next slide]



 **Mass resolution** agrees with MC expectations ($\sim 6 \text{ MeV}$) and is **much lower than Δm** thus allowing to observe 2 peaks

 Local significance exceeding 6.5σ for observing 2 peaks rather than 1. For both single peaks significance $> 5\sigma$.

 Natural widths (predicted $50 \div 90 \text{ KeV}$) much smaller than mass resolution.

  has later confirmed [PRL 122 (2019) 232001] the 2 peaks (actually, there is an evidence for the 2nd)

 $B_c^+(2S)$ mass & hyperfine splitting ΔM are in agreement between the two experiments

Reconstruction of the hyperfine partners

➤ The $B_c(2S)^*$ decays to the B_c ground state through the emission of two pions and a soft photon (around 55 MeV in rest frame) :



Since the photon is not detected, we end up seeing



Same final state as



Thus, a two-peak structure in the $B_c \pi^+ \pi^-$ mass distribution, is expected, with the $B_c(2S)^*$ peak at a mass shifted by

$$\Delta M = [M(B_c^*) - M(B_c)] - [M(B_c(2S)^*) - M(B_c(2S))]$$

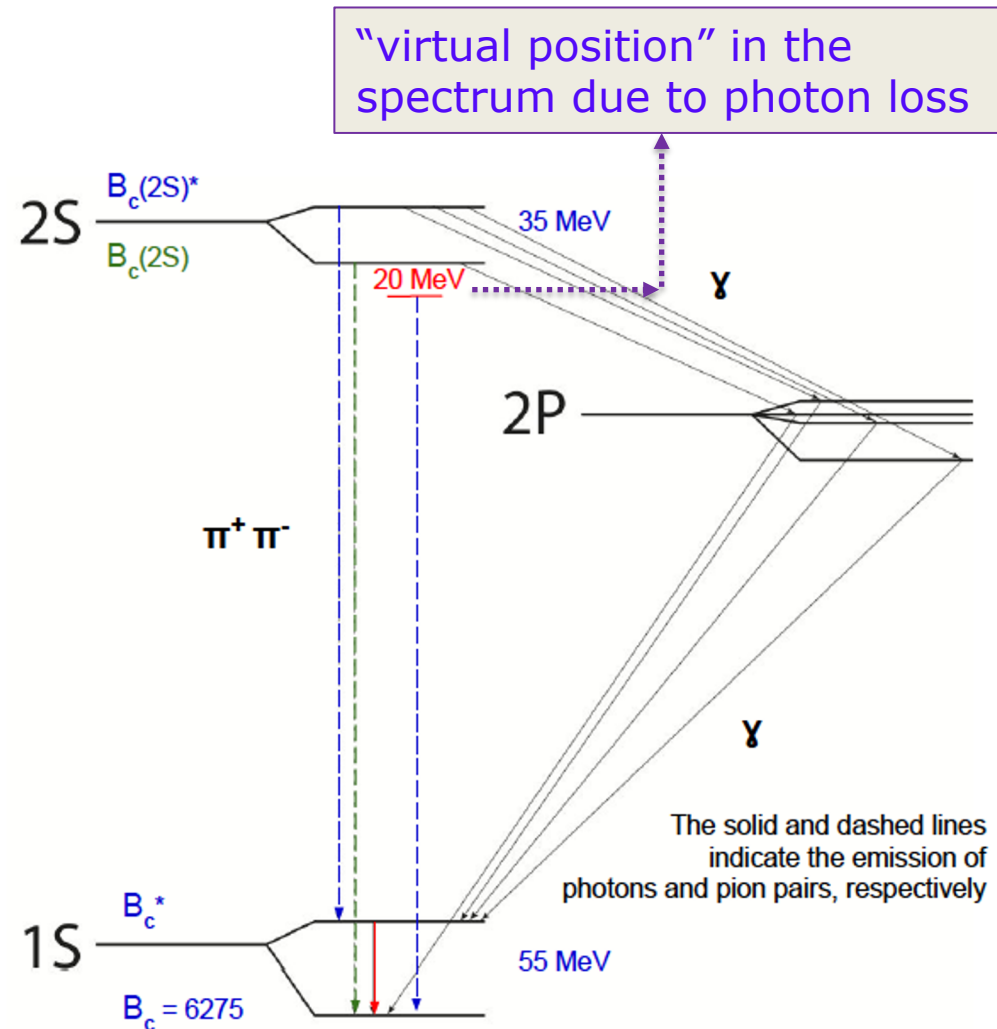
which is predicted to be around 20 MeV.

The two-peak can be appreciated only if ΔM value is larger than experimental resolution!

Notice that predictions indicate:

$$[M(B_c(1S)^*) - M(B_c(1S))] > [M(B_c(2S)^*) - M(B_c(2S))]$$

that would imply that the $B_c(2S)^*$ peak is the lower peak!



Differential production Xsection ratios for $B_c^+(2S)$ & $B_c^{*+}(2S)$

- To infer ratios of production Xsections (times BF) from the extracted yields the latter must be corrected for detection efficiencies and acceptances. It is important to experimentally determine the ratio since different models can bring to relevantly different predictions for 2S-excitations (*).

$$R^+ \equiv \frac{\sigma(B_c(2S)^+)}{\sigma(B_c^+)} \mathcal{B}(B_c(2S)^+ \rightarrow B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-) = \frac{N(B_c(2S)^+)}{N(B_c^+)} \frac{\epsilon(B_c^+)}{\epsilon(B_c(2S)^+)},$$

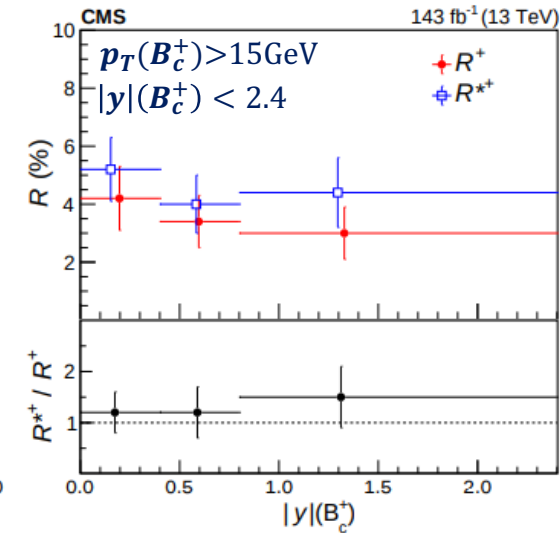
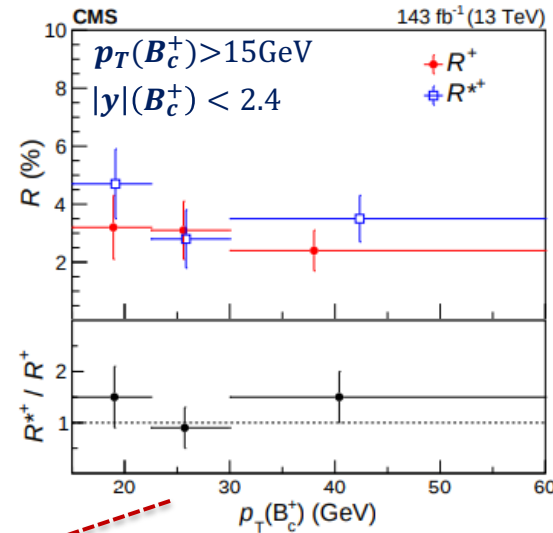
$$R^{*+} \equiv \frac{\sigma(B_c^*(2S)^+)}{\sigma(B_c^+)} \mathcal{B}(B_c^*(2S)^+ \rightarrow B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-) = \frac{N(B_c^*(2S)^+)}{N(B_c^+)} \frac{\epsilon(B_c^+)}{\epsilon(B_c^*(2S)^+)},$$

$$R^{*+}/R^+ = \frac{\sigma(B_c^*(2S)^+)}{\sigma(B_c(2S)^+)} \frac{\mathcal{B}(B_c^*(2S)^+ \rightarrow B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B_c(2S)^+ \rightarrow B_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-)} = \frac{N(B_c^*(2S)^+)}{N(B_c(2S)^+)} \frac{\epsilon(B_c(2S)^+)}{\epsilon(B_c^*(2S)^+)}.$$

$$R^+ = (3.47 \pm 0.63 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.33 \text{ (syst)})\%,$$

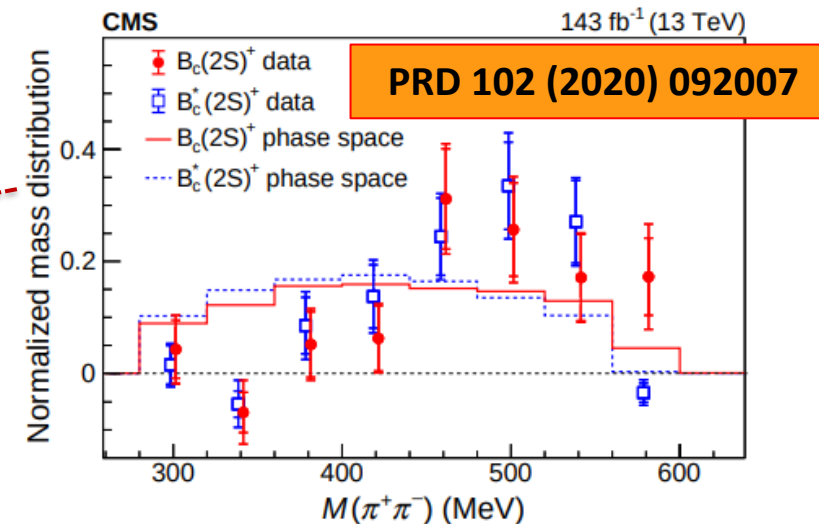
$$R^{*+} = (4.69 \pm 0.71 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.56 \text{ (syst)})\%,$$

$$R^{*+}/R^+ = 1.35 \pm 0.32 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.09 \text{ (syst)}.$$



- No significant dependence of these three xsection ratios on $p_T(B_c^+)$ & $|y|(B_c^+)$

- In the normalized dipion invariant mass ...
... observed different shapes from \sim flat phase space, not fully significant at this level of the uncertainties.



(*) Bereznoy et al., Mod. Phys. Lett. A34 (2019) 1950331; Eichten & Quigg, PRD 99 (2019) 054025]

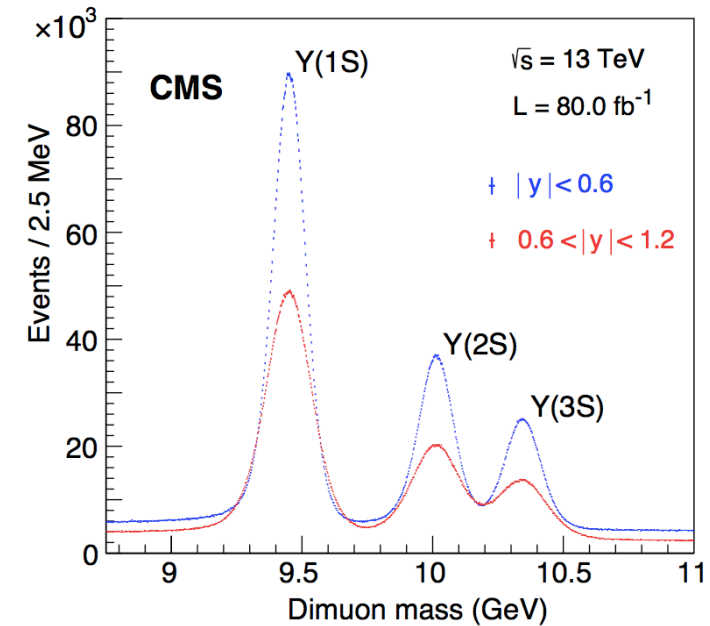
First observation of resolved $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ & $\chi_{b2}(3P)$ states - I



➤ By **CMS**, through their radiative decays to $Y(3S)\gamma$ using $\sim 80\text{fb}^{-1}$ of 2015-2017 Run-II (13TeV)

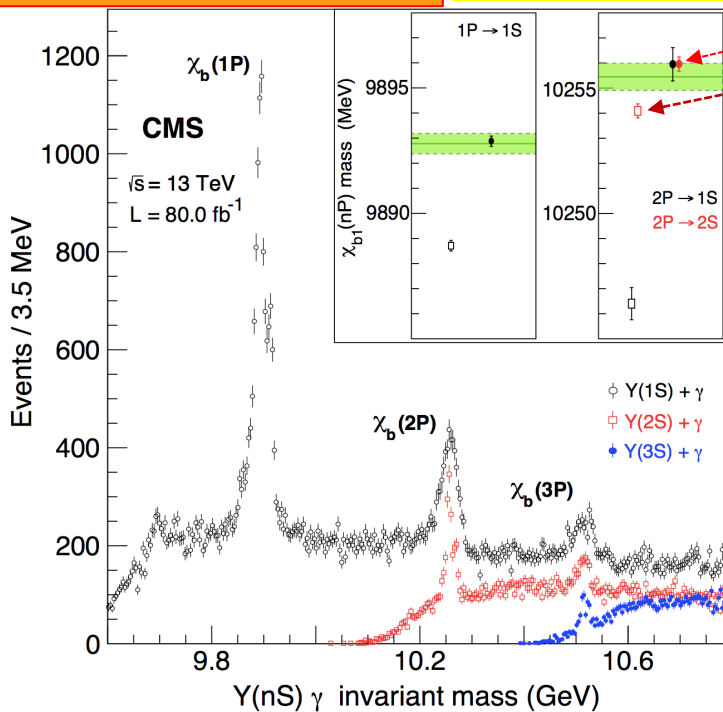
➤ **Dimuons** (with two oppositely charged muons coming from a common vertex) **compatible with the signals** $Y(nS) \rightarrow \mu\mu, n = 1, 2, 3$ are used to trigger the events.

➤ Offline $Y(3S) \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ candidates: $p_T > 14\text{GeV}$ & $|y| < 1.2$



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$Y(nS)\gamma$ [$n = 1, 2, 3$]



after correction
before correction

[selection: $p_T > 500\text{MeV}, |\eta| < 1.2$]

➤ **Low-energy photons detected after converting to e^+e^- pairs in the beam pipe and silicon tracker leading to a $\chi_b(3P)$ mass resolution of $2.18 \pm 0.32\text{MeV}$!**

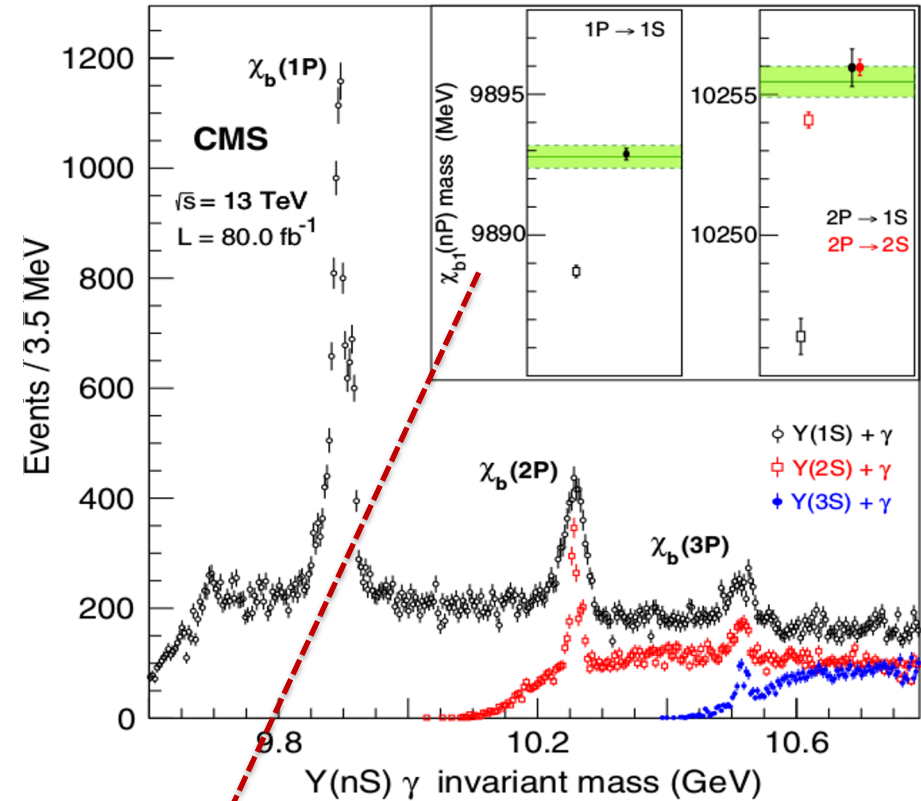
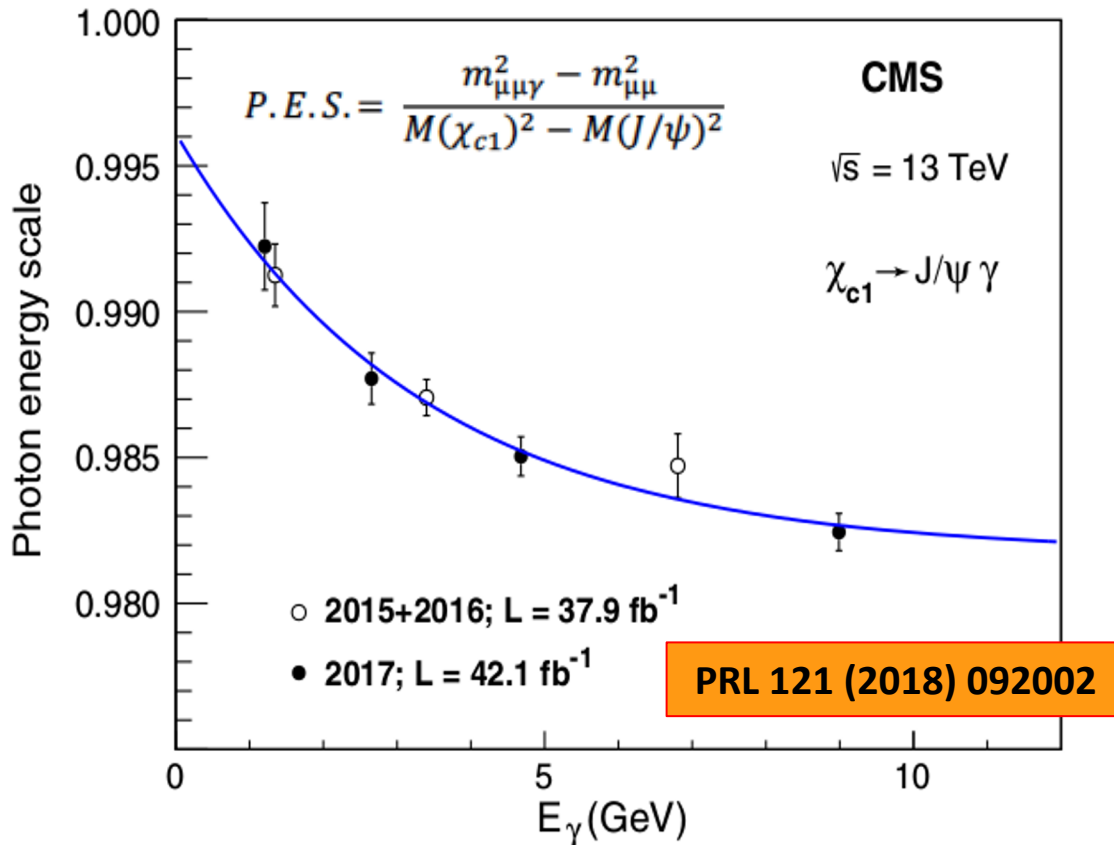
➤ For a more accurate measure the **photon energy scale (PES)** is calibrated by means of a large data sample of $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma$ events (event-by-event corrections - reco/true energy - are obtained in several bins of E_γ : $P.E.S. = \frac{m_{\mu\mu\gamma}^2 - m_{\mu\mu}^2}{M(\chi_{c1})^2 - M(J/\psi)^2}$).

PES correction: details

The measured photon energy might differ from the true value: $E_{\text{true}} = E_{\text{rec}} / \text{PES}$

The PES is computed using $\chi_{c1} \rightarrow J/\psi \gamma$ events, comparing the measured and PDG χ_{c1} masses

The $J/\psi \gamma$ events were collected in the same runs, with similar dimuon triggers, and processed in the same way as the Upsilon events



(The correction is small for $\chi_b(3P) \rightarrow Y(3S)\gamma$ because of small photon energies)

Source of uncertainty	ΔM	$M(\chi_{b1}(3P))$
Fit Model	0.05	0.05
PES correction	0.16	0.17

First observation of resolved $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ & $\chi_{b2}(3P)$ states - II

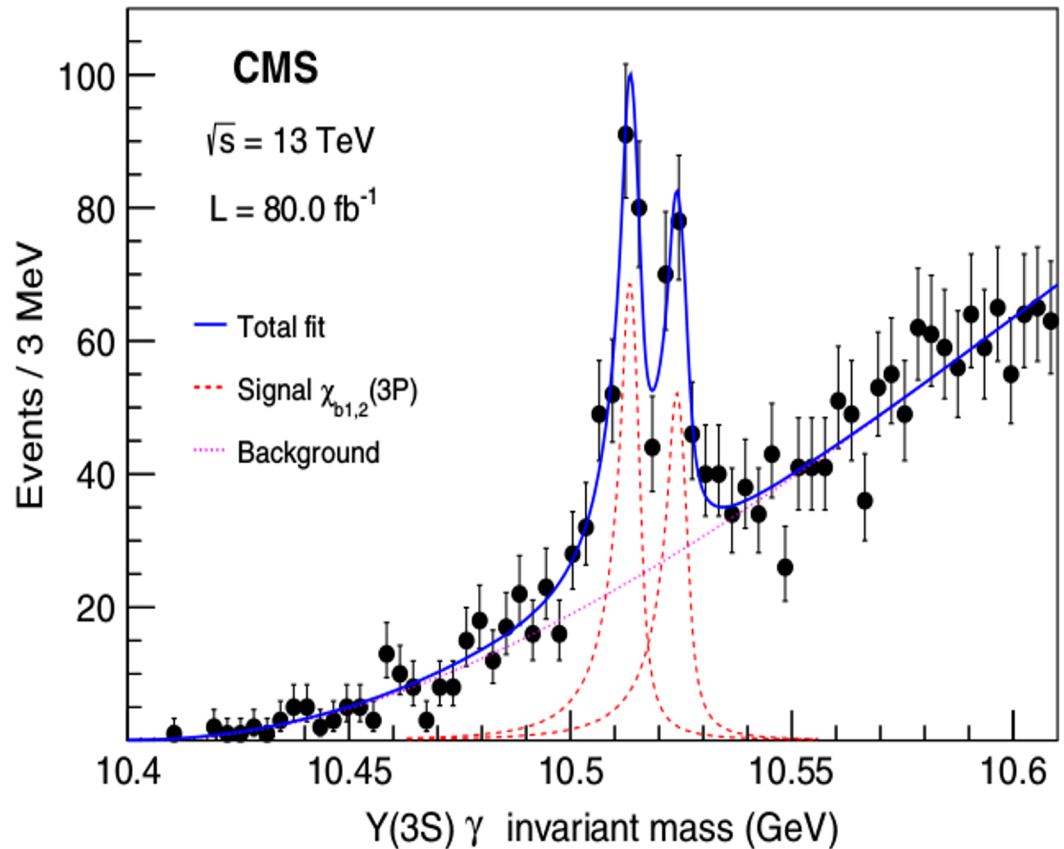
➤ UML fit to the mass spectrum with:

- **signal peaks**: double-sided Crystal Ball
- **bkg**: (exp. \times quadratic threshold) functions

➤ main systematic uncertainty from PES function

➤ total (2-peaks) yield: 372 ± 36

➤ 2-peaks local stat. significance $>9\sigma$ (rather than one; [likelihood ratio test](#))



➤ The two masses are *individually* measured & the Δm as well :

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$$M[\chi_{b1}(3P)] = (10513.42 \pm 0.41 \pm 0.18) \text{ MeV},$$

$$M[\chi_{b2}(3P)] = (10524.02 \pm 0.57 \pm 0.18) \text{ MeV},$$

$$\Delta m_{21} \equiv m(\chi_{b2}) - m(\chi_{b1}) = (10.6 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.17) \text{ MeV} \rightarrow$$

enough precise to provide an important constraint to theory models

Reminder: $J=0$ state expected to have negligible radiative decay BF !

Mass splitting : comparison with theoretical predictions

- The high-resolution study by CMS is able to distinguish *for the first time* between the $\chi_{b1}(3P)$ & $\chi_{b2}(3P)$ candidates of the multiplet.
- This measurements fills the gap in the **spin-dependent bottomonium spectrum** below the open-beauty threshold and should contribute to the understanding of the **non-perturbative spin-orbit interactions affecting quarkonium spectroscopy**:

TABLE II. Mass splitting (in MeV) of $3P$ -wave bottomonia in our UQM [12], Godfrey-Isgur (GI) model [16], modified GI model [17], and constituent quark model (CQM) [18]. The later three models are regarded as quenched quark models.

Mass splitting	Our UQM [12]	GI [16]	Modified GI [17]	CQM [18]	Experiment [1]
$\chi_{b1}(3P) - \chi_{b0}(3P)$	23	16	14	13	...
$\chi_{b2}(3P) - \chi_{b1}(3P)$	12	12	12	9	$(10.6 \pm 0.64 \pm 0.17)$

From: Anwar et al., PRD99 (2019) 094005

- The same authors predict **relative BF** of $\chi_{b0}(3P) \rightarrow \Upsilon(3S)\gamma$ to be slightly more than 1 order of magnitude smaller than that of $\chi_{b2}(3P) \rightarrow \Upsilon(3S)\gamma$ (slightly more than potential models). **They are all consistent with the CMS non-observation (so far).**

Λ_b^0 excited states in *low-mass region* (near threshold)


➤ Studies of excited heavy baryon spectrum are important test of HQET.

There are many - **not agreeing!** - predictions of excited Λ_b & Σ_b states

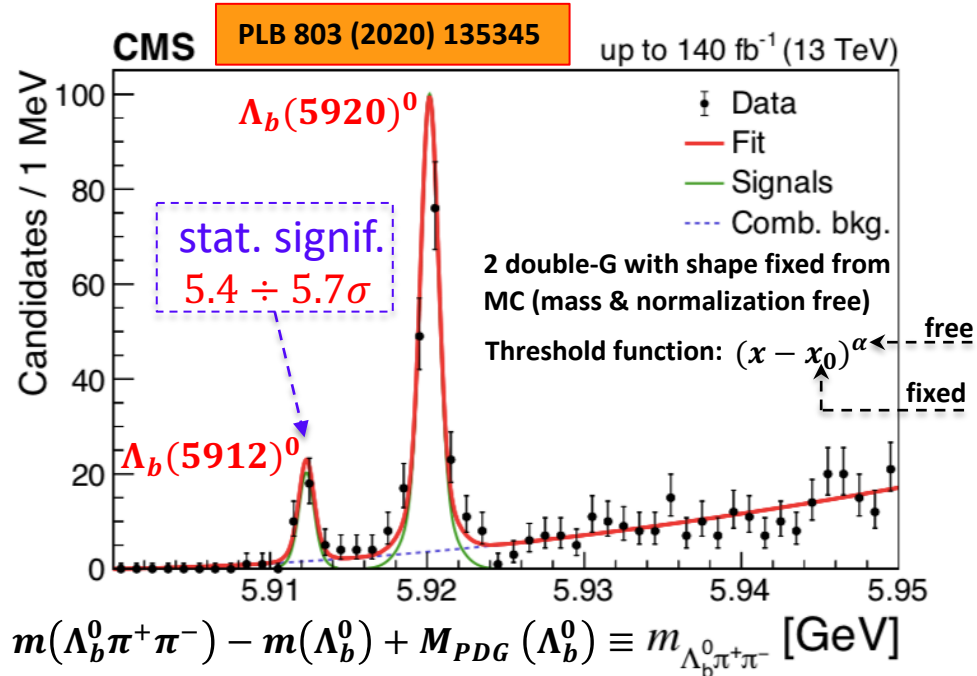
(masses' spread in rather wide regions,
most predictions without uncertainties' ranges)

➤  [PRL 109 (2012) 172003] **observed for the first time 2 near-threshold excited states** $\Lambda_b^{0*} \rightarrow \Lambda_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

$$(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-) \downarrow pK^- \pi^+$$

➤  can't use neither ... the most copious $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$: no dedicated trigger, large BKG (no PID)
...nor $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi pK^-$: very large BKG (lack of hadronic PID)

...but... can use $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$ ($\sim 85\%$) & $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S)\Lambda$ [with $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \mu\mu, J/\psi \pi\pi$] by triggering on dimuons



Confirmation of $\Lambda_b(5912)^0$
First confirmation of $\Lambda_b(5920)^0$

Mass measurements:

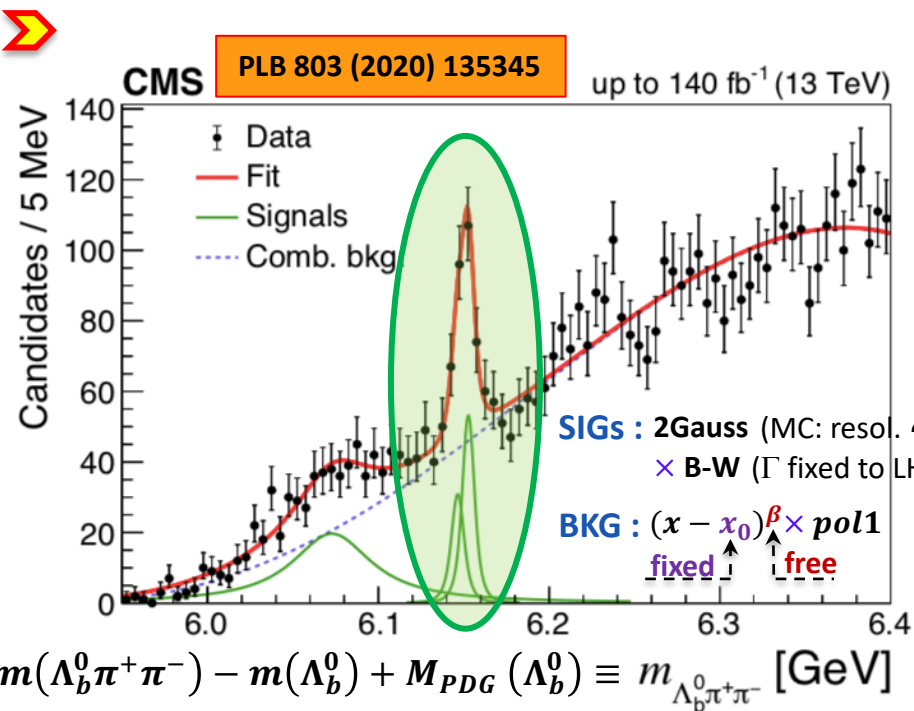
$$M(\Lambda_b(5912)^0) = [5912.32 \pm 0.12(stat) \pm 0.01(syst) \pm 0.17(m_{PDG}(\Lambda_b^0))] \text{MeV}$$

$$M(\Lambda_b(5920)^0) = [5920.16 \pm 0.07(stat) \pm 0.01(syst) \pm 0.17(m_{PDG}(\Lambda_b^0))] \text{MeV}$$

➤ **consistent with those by LHCb/PDG**
& with similar precision

Λ_b^0 excited states in *high-mass region*

➤  [PRL 123 (2019) 152001] using full Run-1+2 dataset observed 2 new excited states decaying to $\Lambda_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$
(using $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$ & $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$)



First confirmation of $\Lambda_b(6146)^0$ & $\Lambda_b(6152)^0$

Mass measurements:

$$M(\Lambda_b(6146)^0) = [6146.5 \pm 1.9(stat) \pm 0.8(syst) \pm 0.2(m_{PDG}(\Lambda_b^0))] \text{ MeV}$$

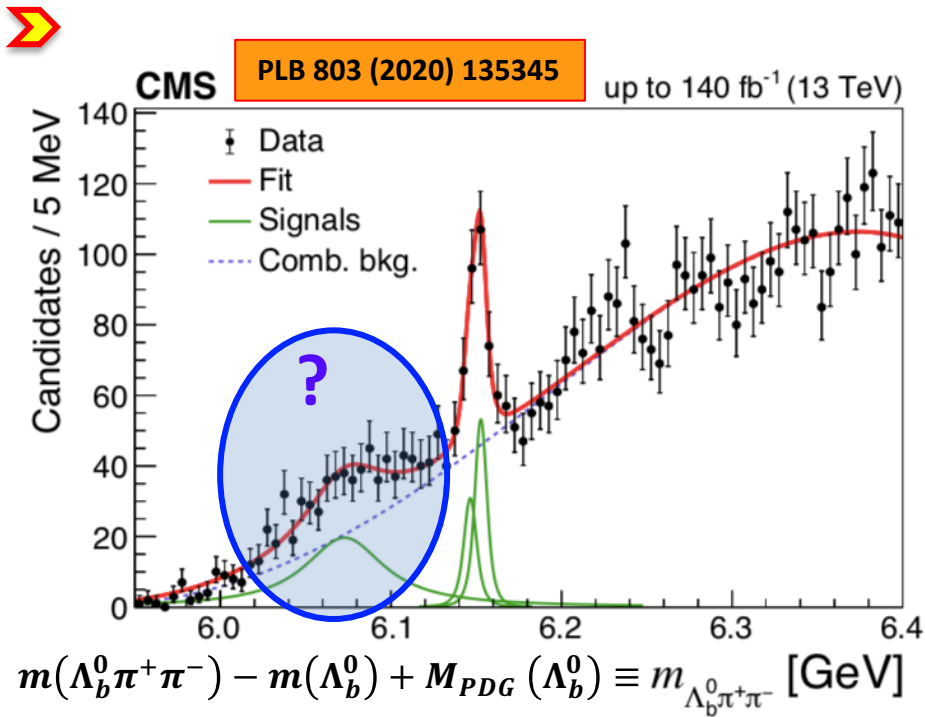
$$M(\Lambda_b(6152)^0) = [6152.7 \pm 1.1(stat) \pm 0.4(syst) \pm 0.2(m_{PDG}(\Lambda_b^0))] \text{ MeV}$$

➤ ... in agreement with LHCb values
(but not as precise as theirs)

➤ Data are consistent with a single peak @6150MeV :

- * 1-peak hypothesis vs BKG-only has significance $> 5.4 \div 6.5\sigma$ (changing fit range & model)
- * 2-peaks vs 1-peak hypotheses (Γ free) has very low significance (0.4σ) : **not sensitive to the splitting**
(because of the worse mass resolution & much lower statistics w.r.t. LHCb)

Broad structure in *high-mass region*



➤ “bump” **not** present in the SS ($\Lambda_b^0 \pi^\pm \pi^\pm$) mass spectrum

➤ assuming a single broad resonance X_b the fit with M & Γ free parameter - provides (with **stat. sig. $\sim 4\sigma$**) :

$$M(X_b) = [6073 \pm 5(stat)]MeV \quad \Gamma(X_b) = [55 \pm 11(stat)]MeV$$

➤ consistent with originating from a resonance in the $\Sigma_b^{(*)\pm} \pi^\mp$ system, but no firm conclusion can be made

➤ various **reflections** studied & excluded as the origin; but... may be due to partially reconstructed decays of higher-mass states

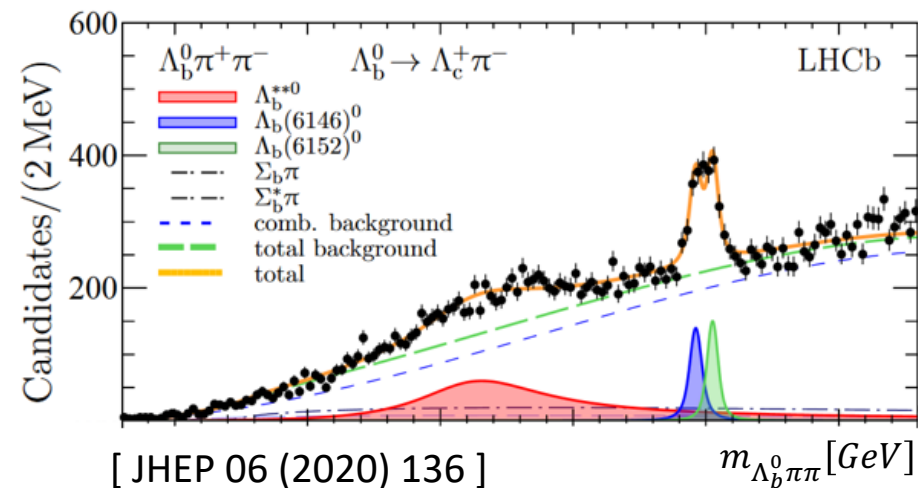
➤ **too low statistics to try a proper interpretation of broad structure** (could be also a superposition of few nearby broad states)

➤ Few days after CMS paper has appeared on the arXiv ...


 confirmed the wide bump with similar parameters:

$$m = 6072.3 \pm 2.9 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.2 MeV, \Gamma = 72 \pm 11 \pm 2 MeV$$

... interpreting it as a further excited Λ_b^0 state: $\Lambda_b(6072)^{**0}$



Observations of new beauty Ξ baryons

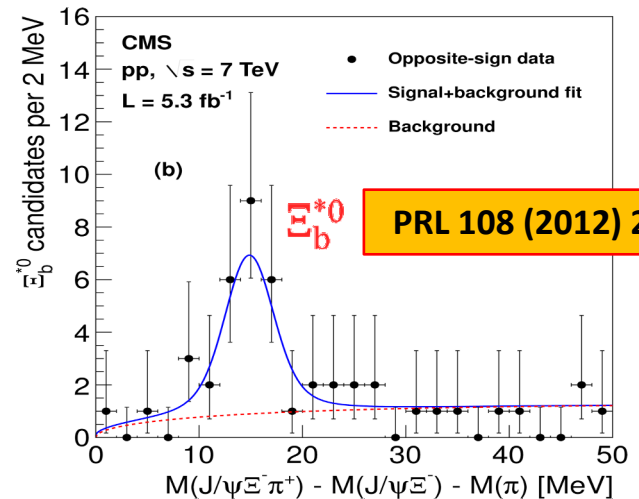
➤  - already with 2011 data - **observed a new Ξ baryon (Ξ_b^{*0})**

[PRL 108 (2012) 252002] via its strong decay to $\Xi_b^{\mp} \pi^{\pm}$.

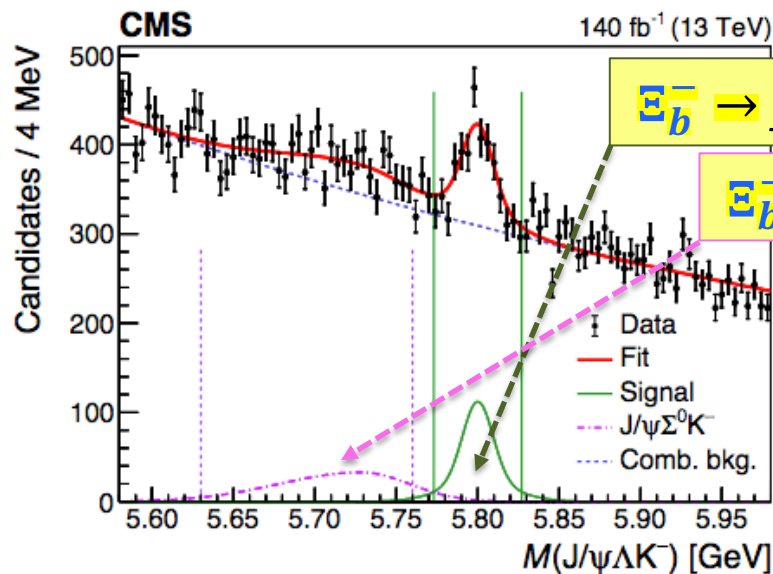
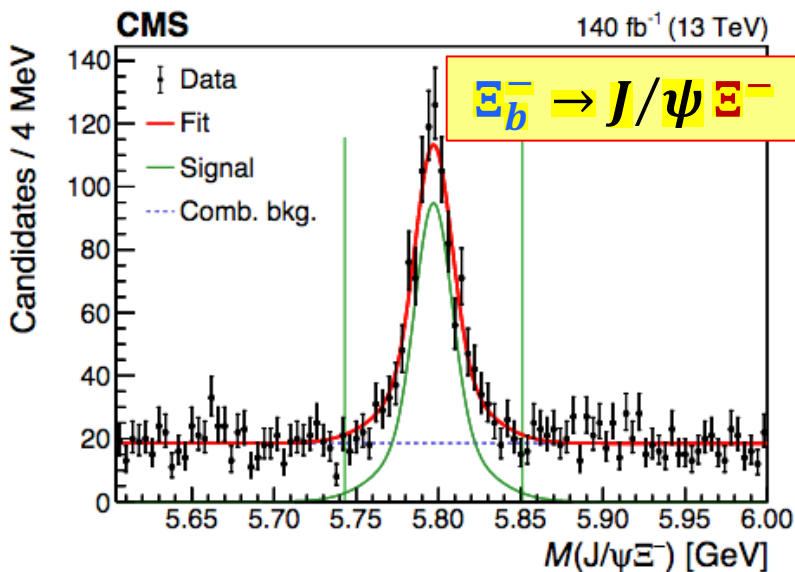
The **ground state Ξ_b** baryon was reconstructed via the decay

chain $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^-$, $\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \pi^-$, $\Lambda^0 \rightarrow p \pi^-$.

➤ It should correspond to the $J^P = 3/2^+$ **companion** of the Ξ_b .



➤ Recently  observed the lightest orbitally excited beauty strange baryon $\Xi_b^{*0} (6100)^- \rightarrow \Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ (including the - **dominant** - intermediate resonance $\Xi_b^{*0} \rightarrow \Xi_b^- \pi^+$). The Ξ_b baryon was reconstructed via:

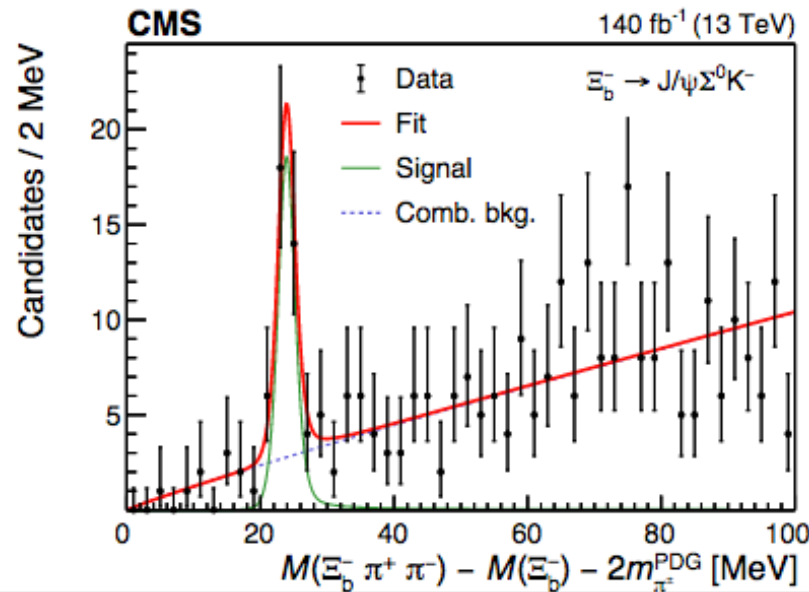
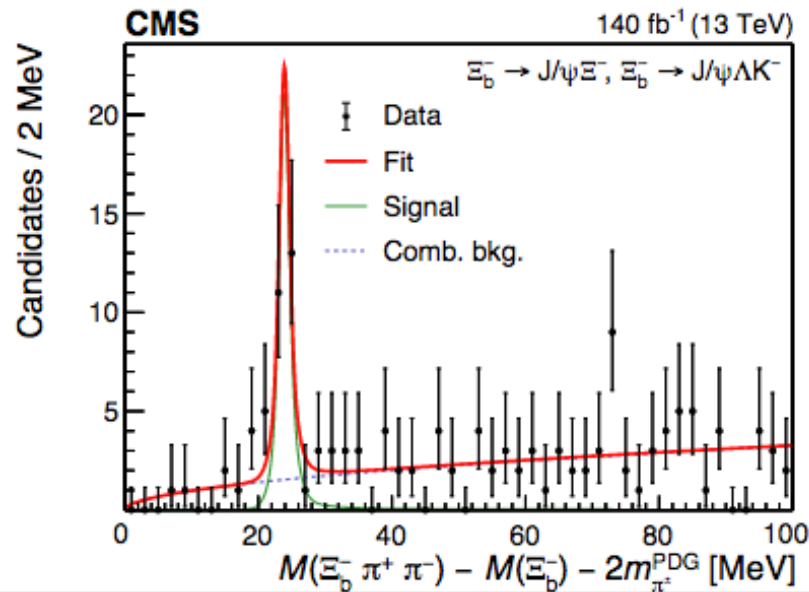


(partially reconstructed:
 $\Sigma^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \gamma$ where the
soft γ is undetected)

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Observation of the excited beauty baryon $\Xi_b^{*-}(6100)^-$

- The invariant mass of the final state is build combining the fully reconstructed decays (left) with identical mass resolutions and the partially reconstructed channel (right) with a 30% larger mass resolution. The projections of the **simultaneous** extended UML fit (mass parameter is common due to Δm definition):



(local stat. signif. $\sim 6.2-6.7\sigma$)

$$m(\Xi_b^{*-}) = [6100.3 \pm 0.2(\text{stat}) \pm 0.1(\text{sys}) \pm 0.6(\Xi_b^-)] \text{ MeV}$$

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- The **natural width** (signal model: $\text{RBW} \otimes 2\text{Gauss-resolution}$) is **too small (consistent with 0) to be measured** with the present data sample and experimental resolution. An **Upper Limit $\Gamma(\Xi_b^{*-}) < 1.9\text{MeV} @95\%\text{CL}$** is obtained (systematics included) through the scan of the profiled likelihood.

- The **low yield** does not allow a measurement of the quantum numbers. However following analogies with the established Ξ_c baryon states ...

... the new $\Xi_b^{*-}(6100)^-$ resonance is the analogue of $\Xi_c(2815)$ and its decay sequence are consistent with **lightest the orbitally excited Ξ_b^- baryon with $J^P = 3/2^-$ [L=1 between b-quark and (ds)-diquark]**