



Strong Interaction Physics with PANDA

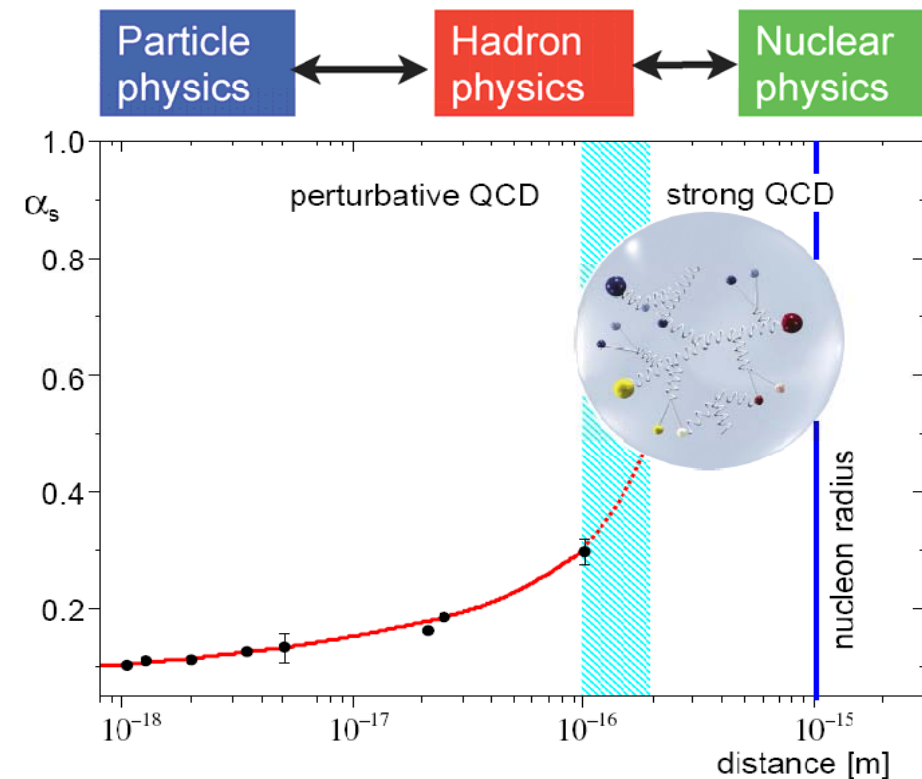
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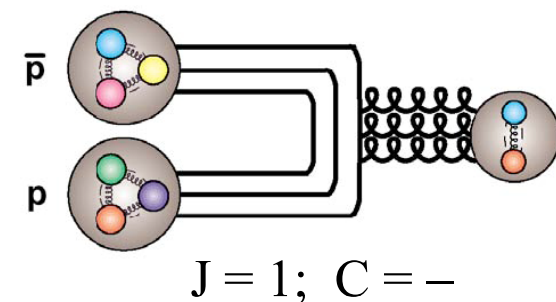
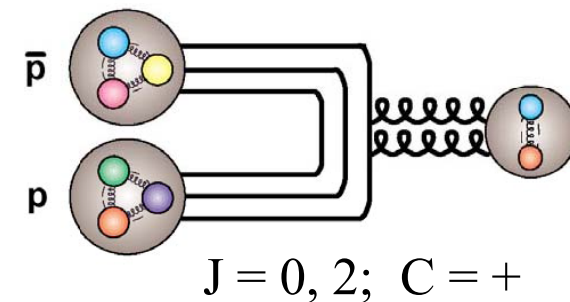
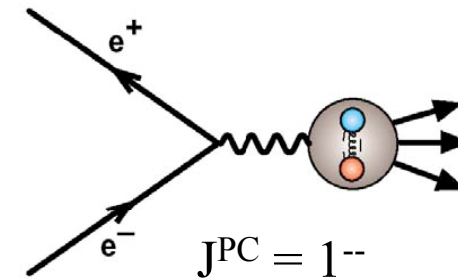
Key Questions of Hadron Physics

- how does confinement work?
- how is the mass of hadrons generated?
- do also non- $\bar{q}q$ or non- qqq hadrons exist and where are they?
- what is the interplay of hadron and quark-gluon degrees of freedom?



Why to Use Antiprotons ?

- annihilation is a gluon rich process
- ~2 GeV annihilation energy “for free”
- all fermion-antifermion quantum numbers accessible (in contrast to e^+e^-)
- very high resolution in formation reactions
- high angular momentum accessible



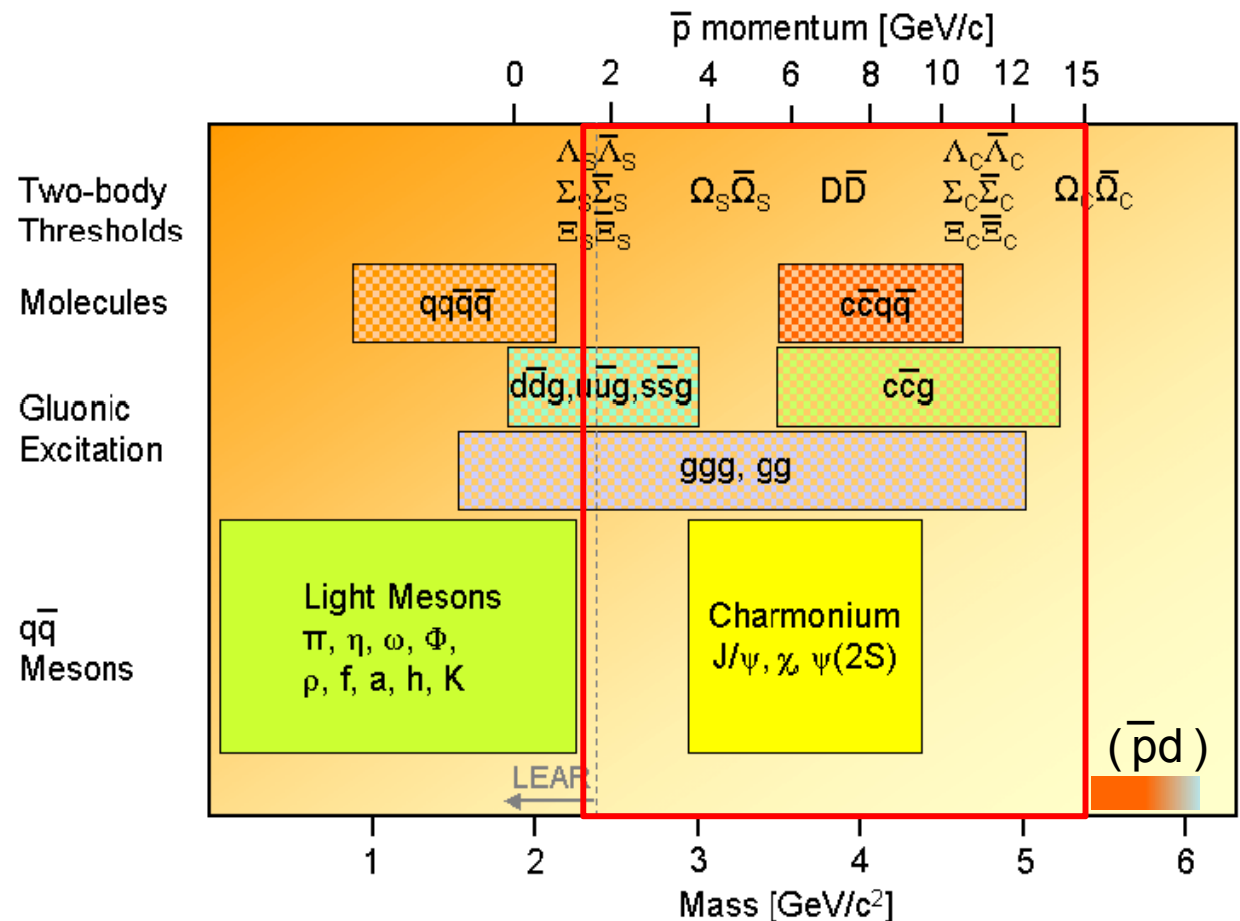
Physics Reach

$\bar{p}p$, $\bar{p}d$ collisions:

- meson spectroscopy
 - *charmonium*
 - *glueballs, hybrids, tetraquarks, molecules*
 - *D mesons*
- baryon spectroscopy
- reaction dynamics
- proton structure*

$\bar{p}A$ collisions:

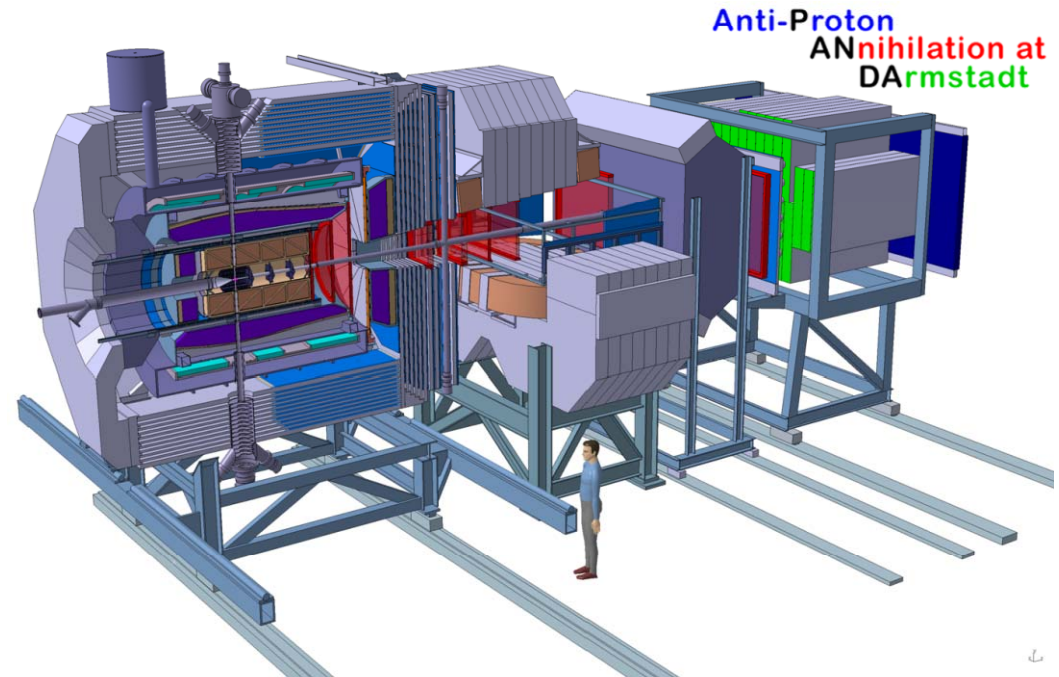
- hadrons in nuclei
- $\Lambda\Lambda$ hypernuclei*



* talk by M. Maggiora, Thursday
 * talk by A. Sanchez Lorente, Wednesday

The PANDA Detector

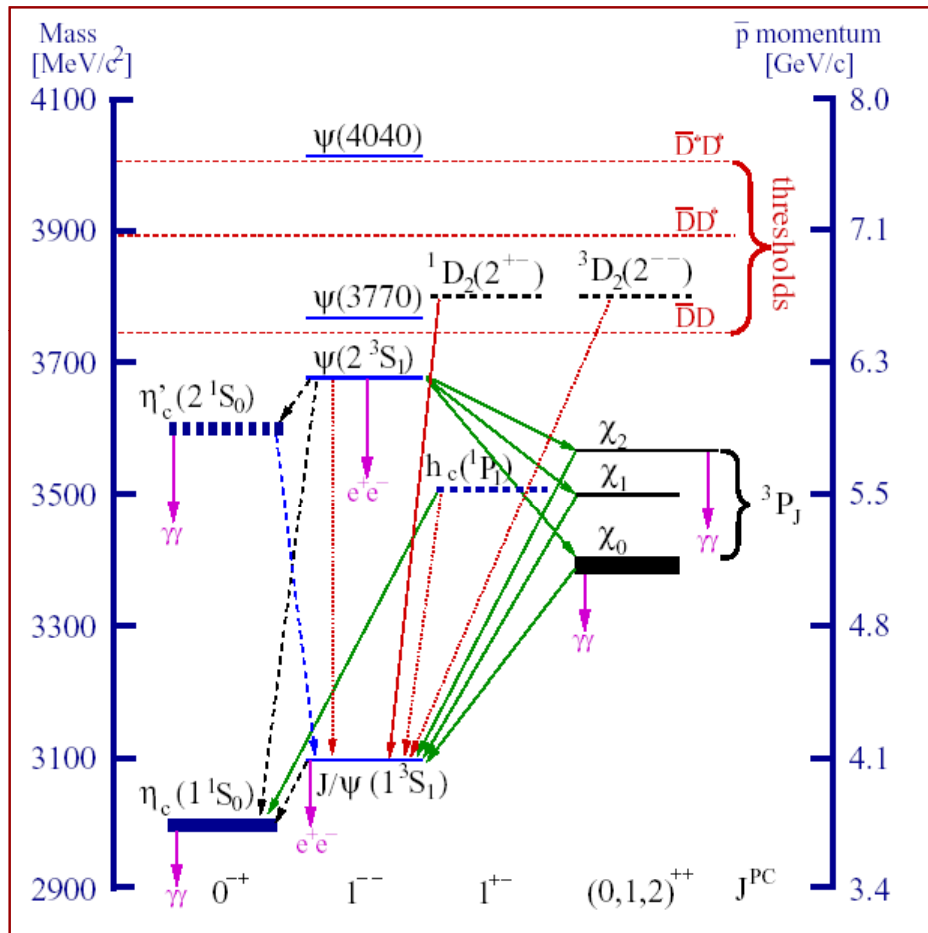
- $\bar{p}p$, $\bar{p}A$ collisions
 $p_{\bar{p}} = 1.5 - 15 \text{ GeV}/c$
- almost 4π acceptance:
 - charged particles
 - photons
- tracking
 - $\sim 50 \mu\text{m}$ vertex resolution
- calorimetry
- different PID techniques
- flexible event selection, no hardware trigger



see talks by D. Calvo, M. Mertens,
P. Wintz (Thursday)

Posters by D. Melnychuk, M. Karoly,
A. Pysznik

Charmonium States

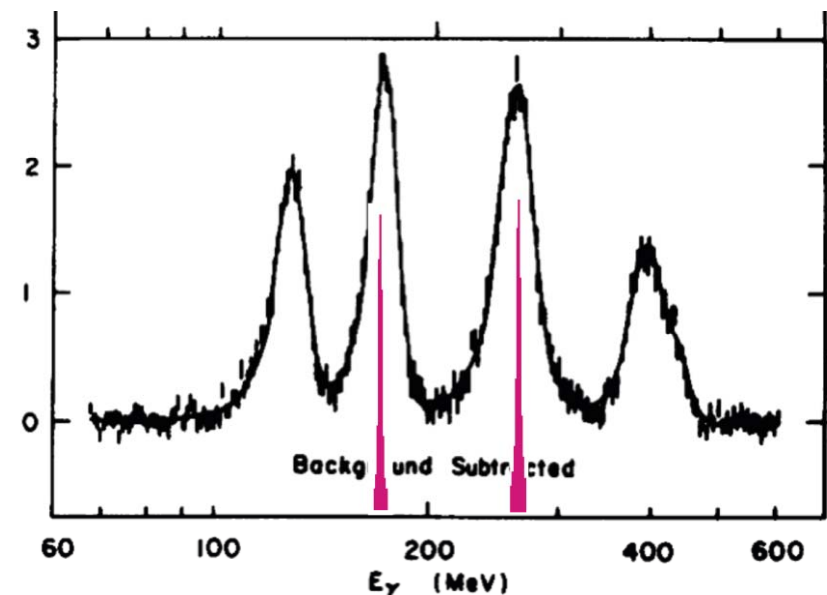
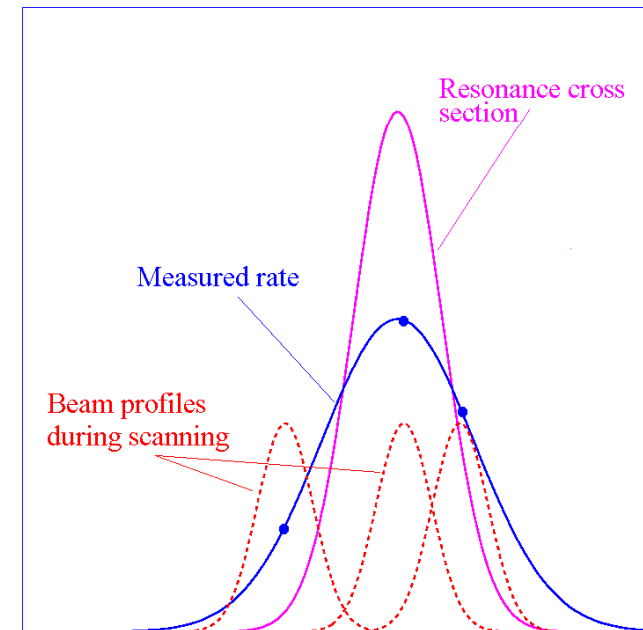


- all 8 states below $D\bar{D}$ threshold observed
- need for precision measurements:
 - h_c : width ($\Gamma < 1$ MeV)
 - $\eta_c(1S)$: discrepancies
 - $\eta_c(2S)$: small $\Delta m(\eta_c(2S) - \psi_c(2S))$
- explore region above $D\bar{D}$ threshold
- D-wave states 1D_2 , 3D_2 , 3D_3 still missing, likely to be narrow
- understand newly discovered states X, Y, Z
- confirm vector states seen in R

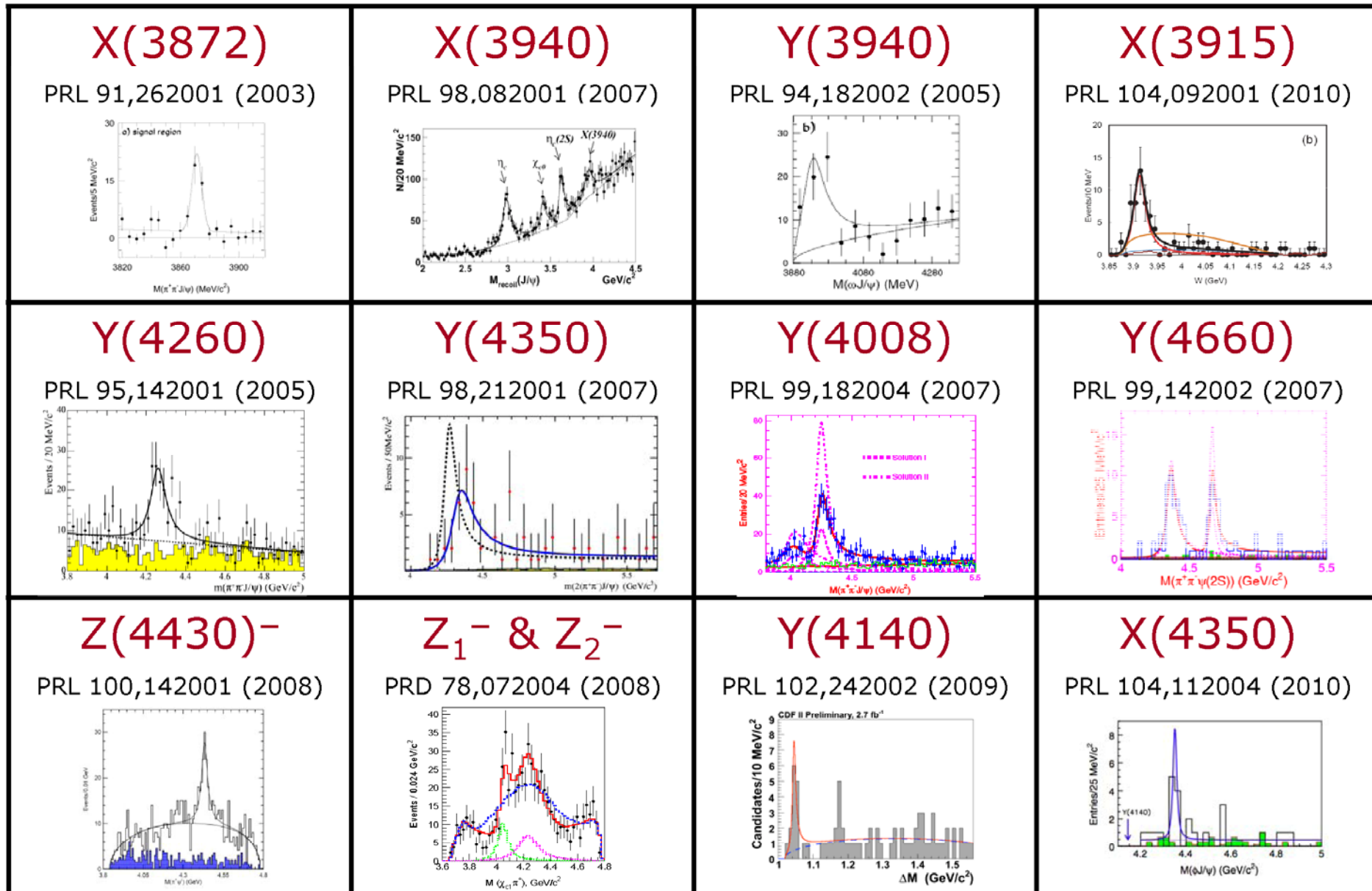
Narrow Charmonium States

- ‘production’ experiments, e.g.
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi' \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{c1,2} \rightarrow \gamma \gamma J/\psi$:
 mass resolution determined by detector ~ 10 MeV
- ‘formation’ experiments, e.g.
 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \chi_{c1,2} \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi$:
 mass resolution determined by accelerator ~ 100 keV
- method: energy scan
- demonstrated by E760 and E835 at Fermilab

E760: $\delta m \sim 240$ keV
 PANDA: $\delta m \sim 50$ keV



The New XYZ States: $c\bar{c}$ -like but not all are $c\bar{c}$

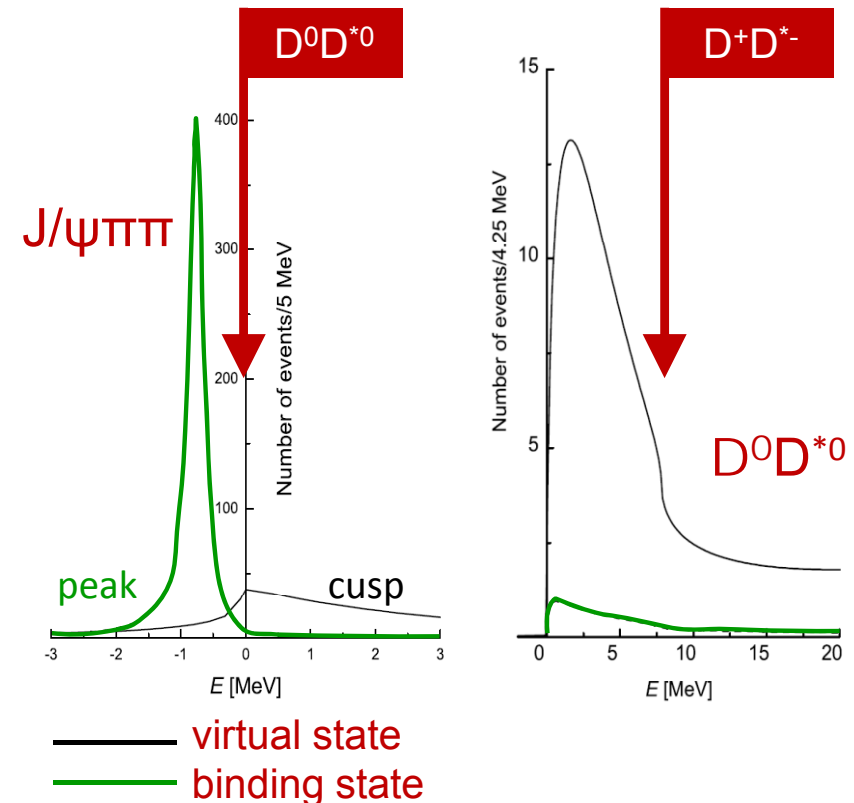


The X(3872) State

- observed in more than one decay channel:
 $J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$, $J/\psi\gamma$, $J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$, $D^0\bar{D}^0\pi^0$,
 $D^0\bar{D}^0\gamma$, $\psi'\gamma$
- narrow width $\Gamma < 1.2$ MeV ⁽¹⁾
- $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ ⁽²⁾
- mass 3871.46 ± 0.19 MeV
 very close to $D^0\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold:

$$M_X - (M_{D^{*0}} + M_{D^0}) = -0.32 \pm 0.35 \text{ MeV}$$

- s-wave molecular state?
- needs line shape measurement in different decay channels!



C. Hanhart *et al.*, PRD 76 (2007) 034007

(1) Belle, PRD 84 (2011) 052004

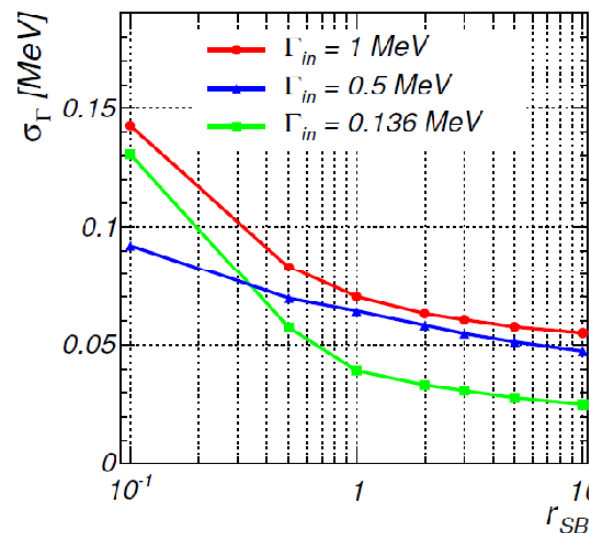
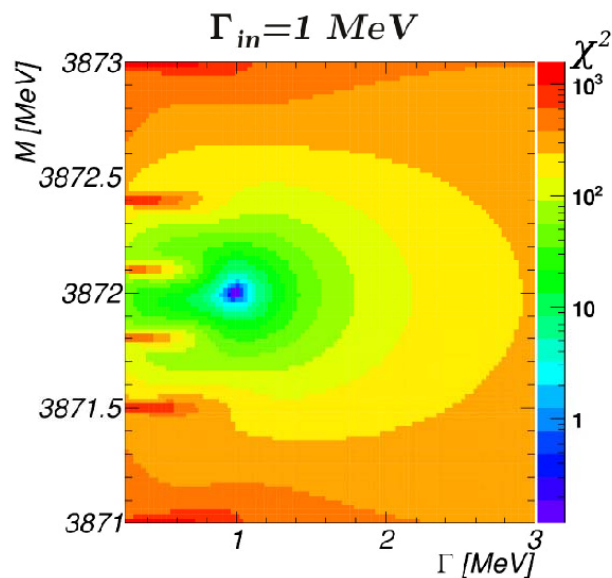
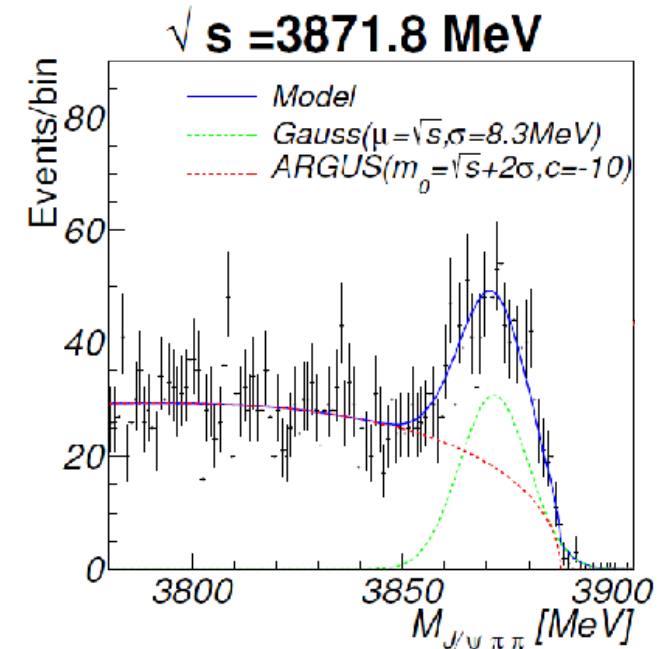
(2) LHCb, arXiv:1302.6269

The X(3872) State: Simulation Results

- simulation of energy scan of $\bar{p}p \rightarrow X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$
- result: a width of ~ 100 keV can be measured:

$$\Delta\Gamma/\Gamma < 20\% \quad (\Gamma_{in} = 136 \text{ keV})$$

$$\Delta\Gamma/\Gamma < 4\% \quad (\Gamma_{in} = 0.5, 1 \text{ MeV})$$

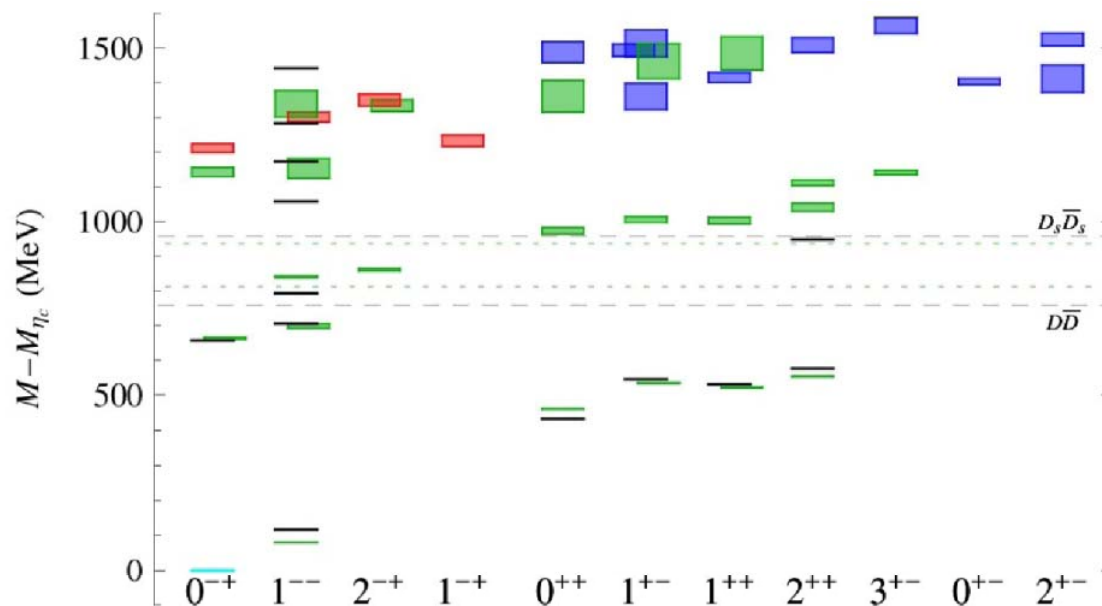
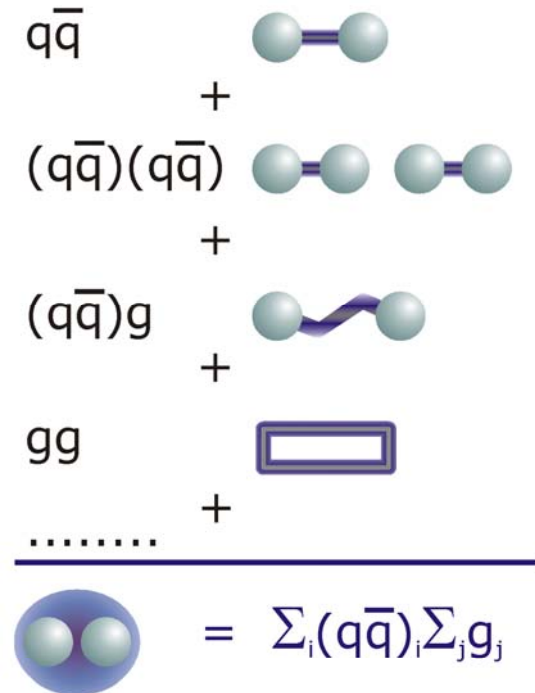


T. Randriamalala,
PhD thesis Univ. Bochum 2011

similar results:
M. Galuska,
M. Sc. thesis Univ. Giessen 2011

“Exotic” non- $q\bar{q}$ Mesons

- wave function may have higher Fock states in addition to $q\bar{q}$
- $q\bar{q}$ and non- $q\bar{q}$ components with same J^{PC} will mix
- $Y(4260)$: candidate for $c\bar{c}g$ hybrid



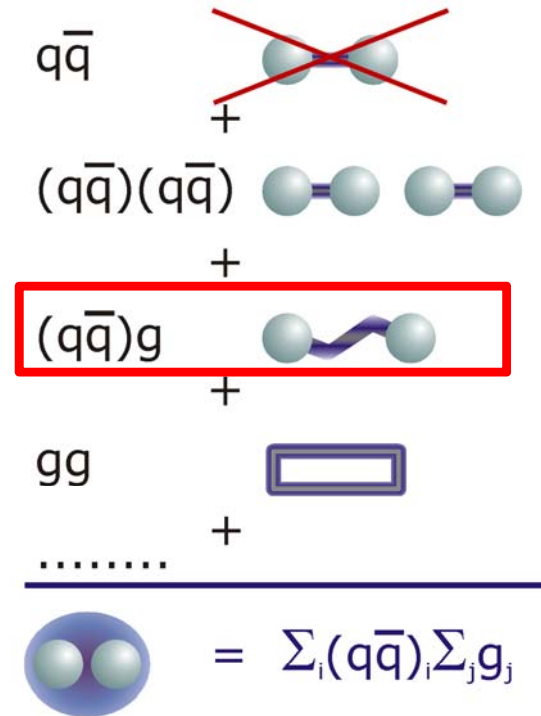
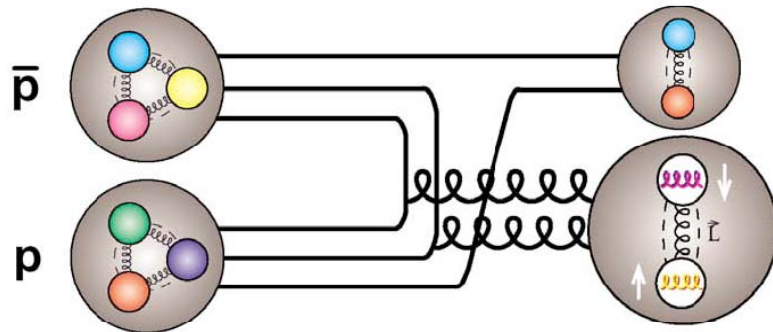
predictions from recent lattice QCD calculations:

L. Liu *et al.*, JHEP 07 (2012) 126

- lightest hybrid supermultiplet
- 1st excited hybrid supermultiplet
- other states

“Exotic” non- $q\bar{q}$ Mesons

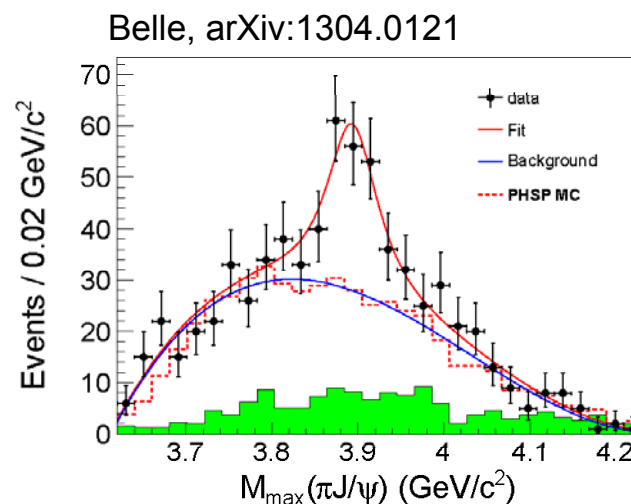
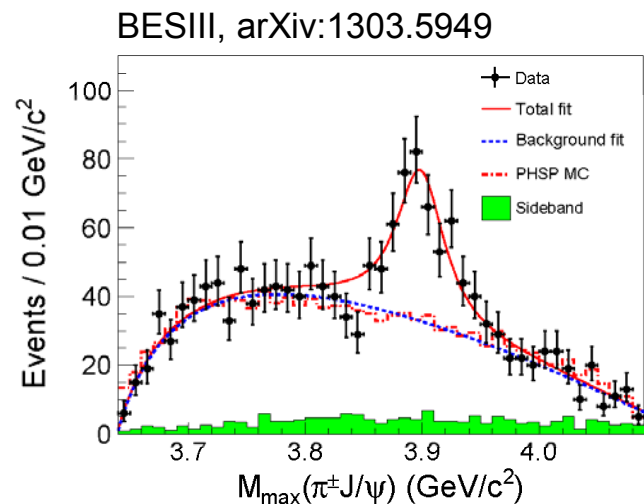
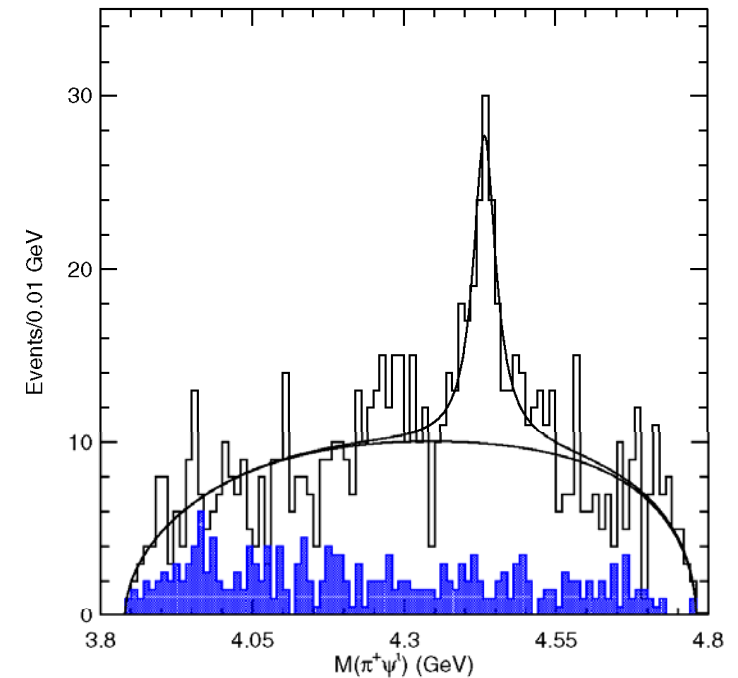
- clear evidence for hybrid or glueball (oddball) nature only if $q\bar{q}$ component is forbidden
- $q\bar{q}$ pair and constituent gluon may form exotic quantum numbers
- experimental indication:
 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow X\pi$ but $\bar{p}p \not\rightarrow X$



$q\bar{q}$ \ Gluon	1^{--} (TM)	1^{+-} (TE)
$^1S_0, 0^{-+}$	1^{++}	1^{--}
$^3S_1, 1^{--}$	0^{+-} 1^{+-} 2^{+-}	0^{-+} 1^{-+} 2^{-+}

Non- $q\bar{q}$ Mesons: Charged $c\bar{c}$ -like States

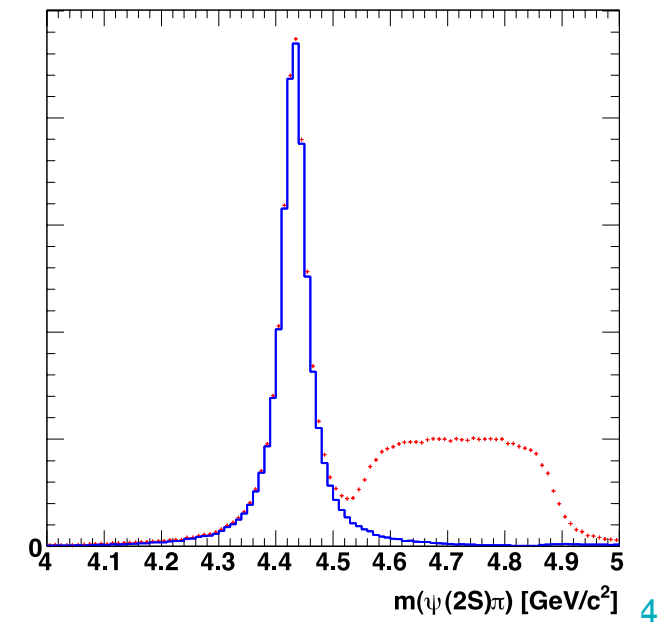
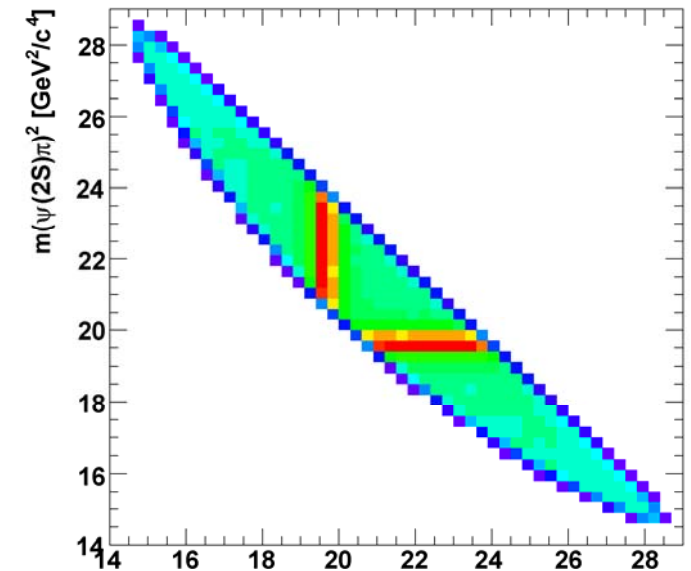
- Manifestly exotic: tetra-quark or molecular nature
- $Z(4430)^\pm$ seen by Belle, not confirmed by BaBar
- $Z(3900)^\pm$ seen by BESIII, Belle
- $X(4050)^\pm, X(4250)^\pm$ seen by Belle



Belle,
PRL 100 (2008) 142001

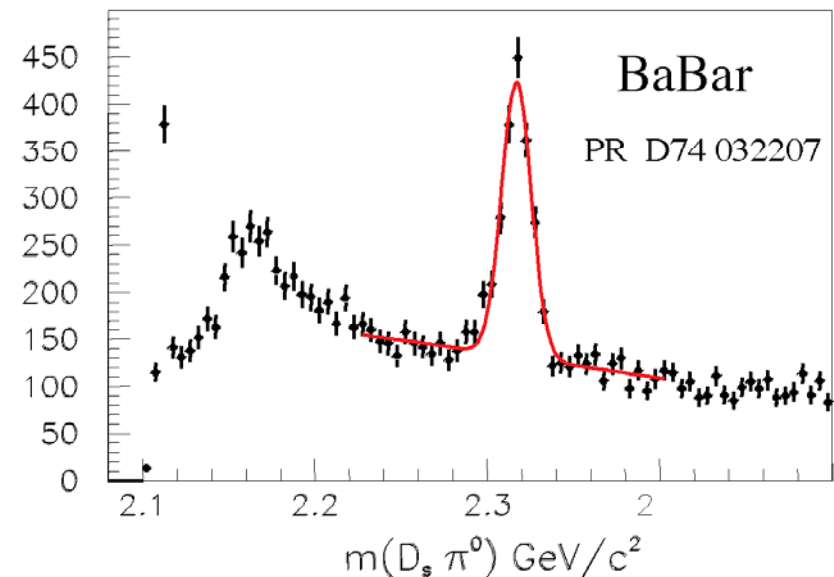
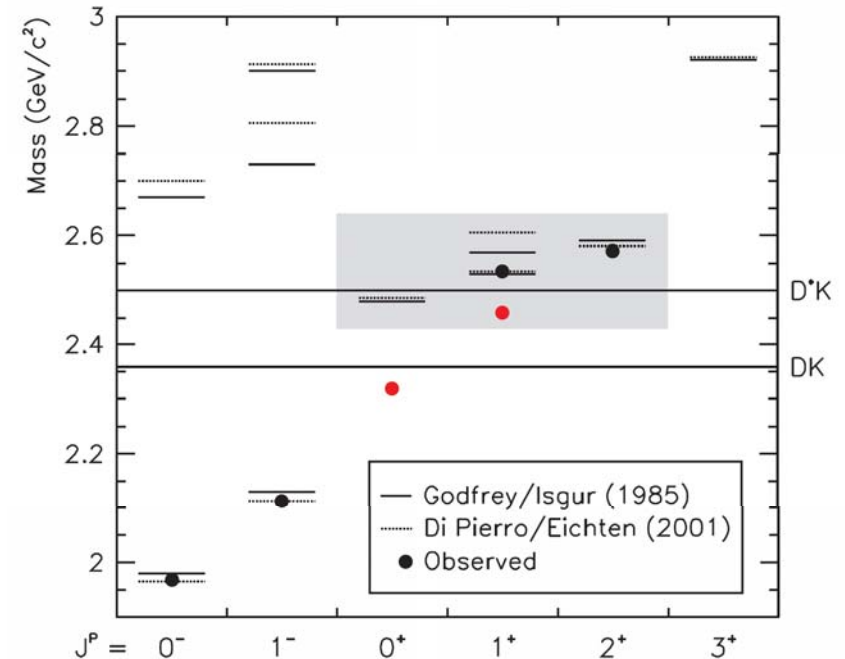
Non- $q\bar{q}$ Mesons: Charged $c\bar{c}$ -like States

- can be studied with PANDA
 - production in $\bar{p}p$:
 $\bar{p}p \rightarrow Z(4430)^\pm \pi^\mp$
 $Z(4430)^\pm \rightarrow \psi(2S) \pi^\pm X$
 - formation in $\bar{p}n$:
 $\bar{p}d \rightarrow Z(4430)^- p_{\text{spectator}}$
 $\rightarrow \psi(2S) \pi^- p_{\text{spectator}}$
 spectator proton has low energy, must be reconstructed
 reduced mass resolution



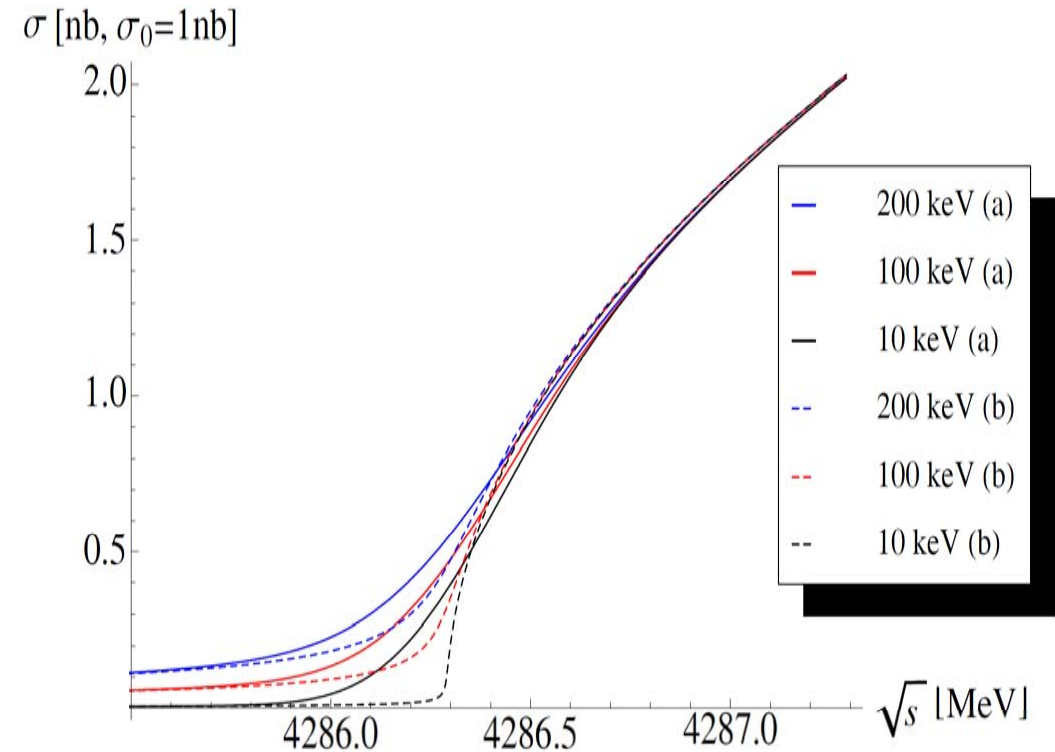
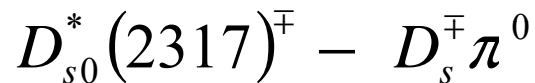
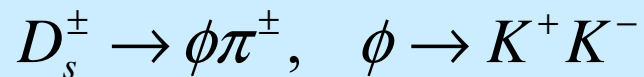
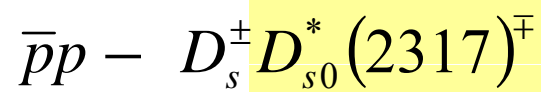
Open Charm Mesons

- Discovery of narrow states $D_s(2317)$ and $D_s(2460)$ came as a surprise
- remarkably close to DK and D^*K threshold
- fit into QM only after tuning of parameters
- interpretation as DK/ D^*K molecule
- $D_s(2317)$: $\Gamma_{\text{exp}} < 3.8 \text{ MeV}$,
 $\Gamma_{\text{theo}} = 4 - 320 \text{ keV}$



Open Charm Mesons: $D_s(2317)$ Width

- Reaction:



- Excitation function:

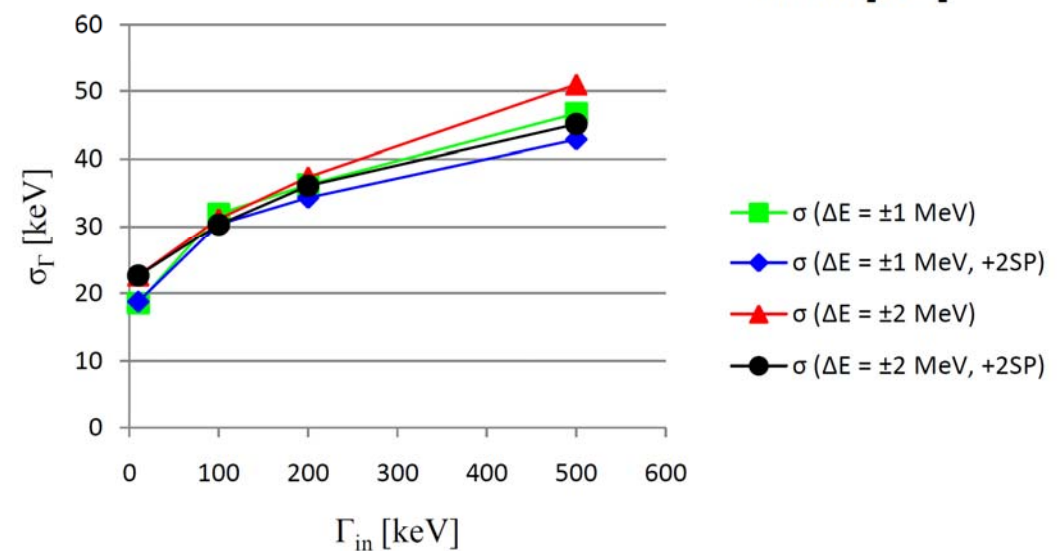
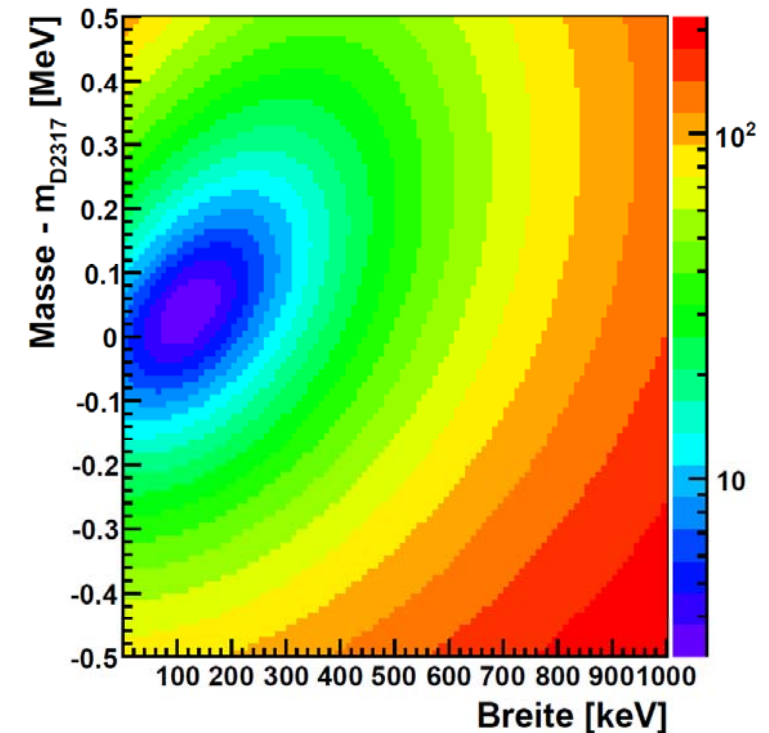
$$\frac{c(s)}{|M|^2} = \frac{\Gamma}{4\pi * \sqrt{s}} \cdot \int_{-\infty}^{\sqrt{s}-m_{D_s}} \frac{\sqrt{(s - (m + m_{D_s})^2) \cdot (s - (m - m_{D_s})^2)}}{(m - m_{D_{2317}})^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma}{2}\right)^2} dm$$

C. Hanhart et al.

D_s(2317) Width: Simulation Results

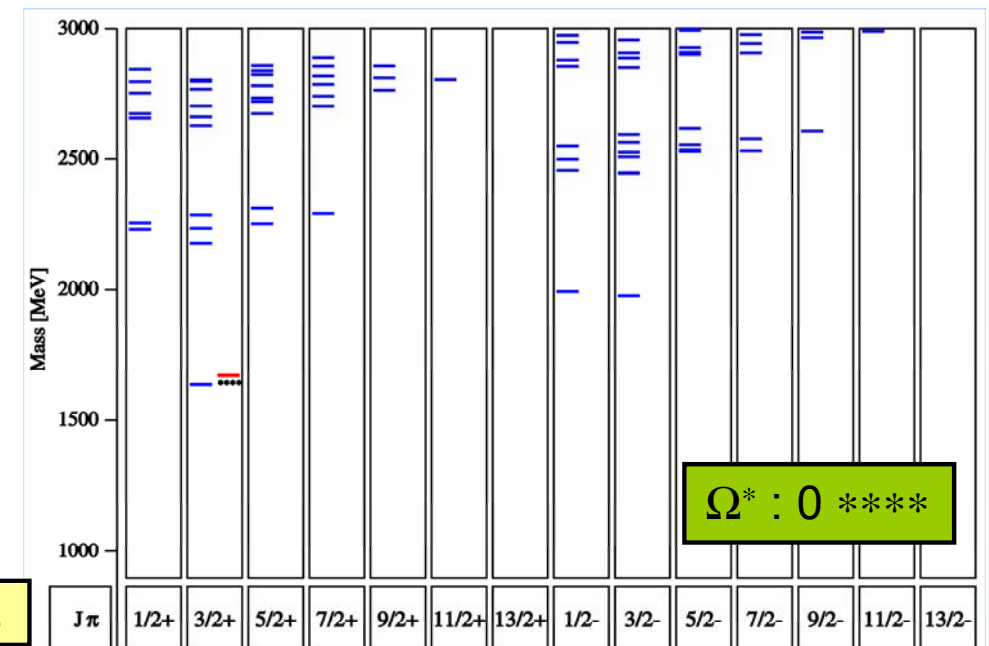
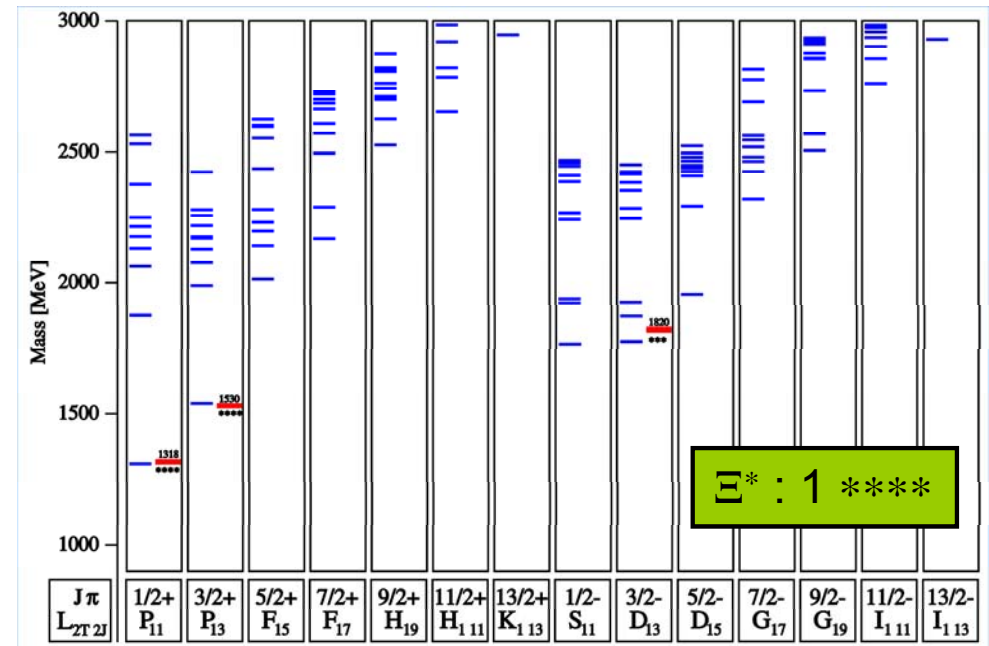
- inclusive D_s(2317) reconstruction
- beam momentum spread $\delta p/p = 1 \cdot 10^{-4}$
- threshold energy scan with 15(+2) scan points
- used: $\sigma = 1\text{nb}$, $S/B = 1$, $t_{\text{run}} = 60\text{ d}$
- result:
D_s(2317) width $\lesssim 100\text{ keV}$ can be measured

M. Mertens, PhD thesis Univ. Bochum 2010



Baryon Spectroscopy

- significant fraction of $\bar{p}p$ cross section into final state $B \bar{B} + \text{mesons}$
- almost nothing known on excited states of Ξ or Ω hyperons
- $\sigma(\bar{p}p \rightarrow \Xi \bar{\Xi}) \approx \mu\text{b}$
 $\sigma(\bar{p}p \rightarrow \Omega \bar{\Omega}) \approx 0.1 \mu\text{b}$



Quark Model: B. Metsch et al.

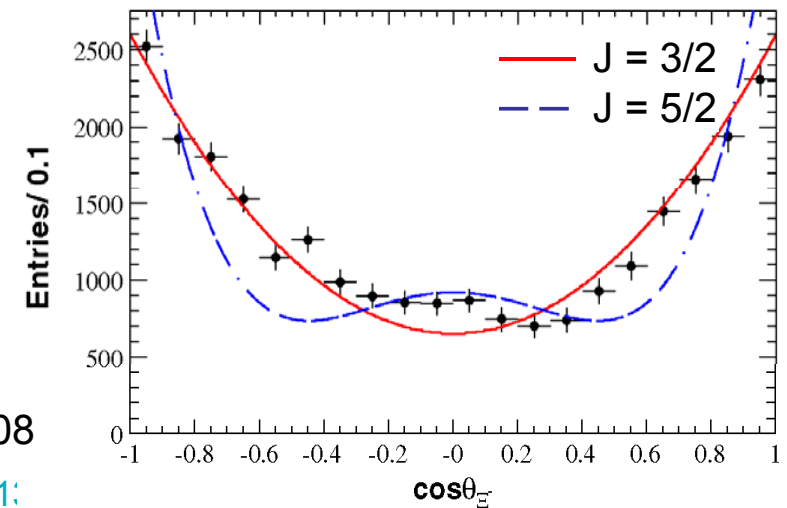
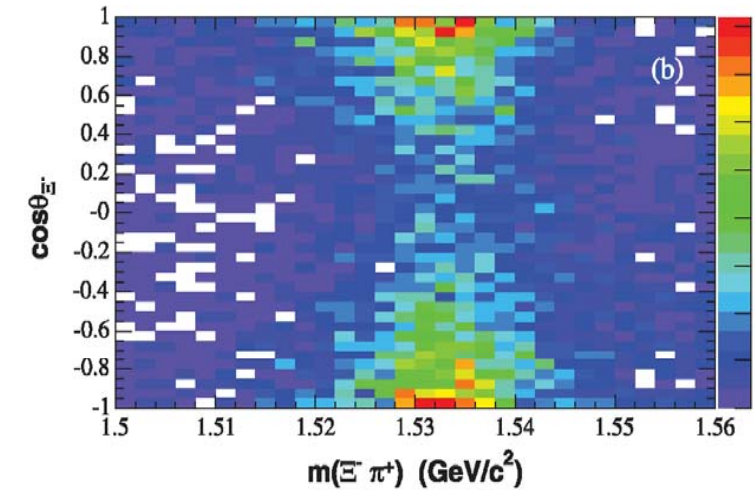
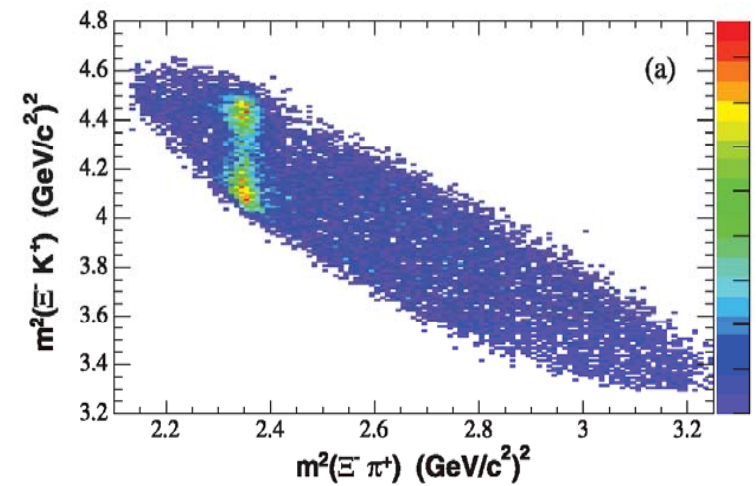
Baryon Spectroscopy: Ξ States

- Only one well studied Ξ resonance:
- $\Xi(1530)$ - decuplet g.s.
- $J^P = 3/2^+$
- $\Gamma = 9 \dots 10$ MeV
- decay: $\sim 100\% \Xi\pi$
- BaBar measured the $\Xi(1530)^0$ spin $J = 3/2$ in $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+ K^+$

BaBar 2008

B. Aubert *et al.*,
PRD 78 (2008) 034008

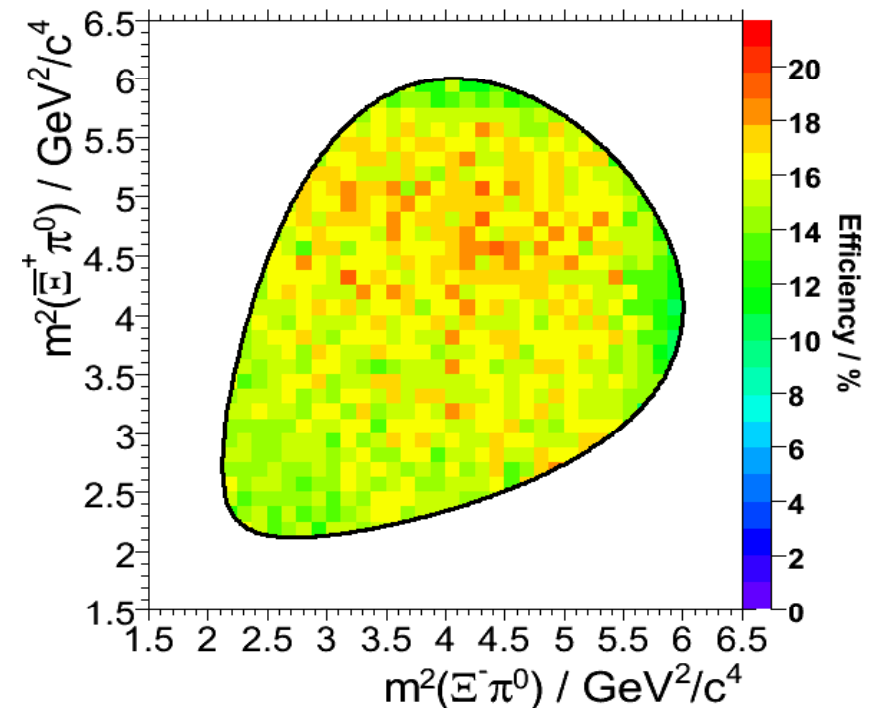
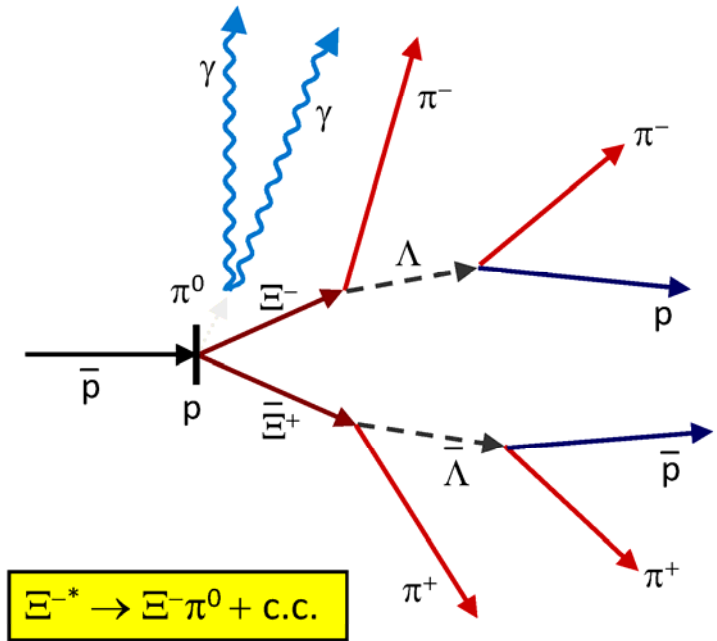
A. Gillitzer, LEAP-201:



Ξ^* detection with PANDA

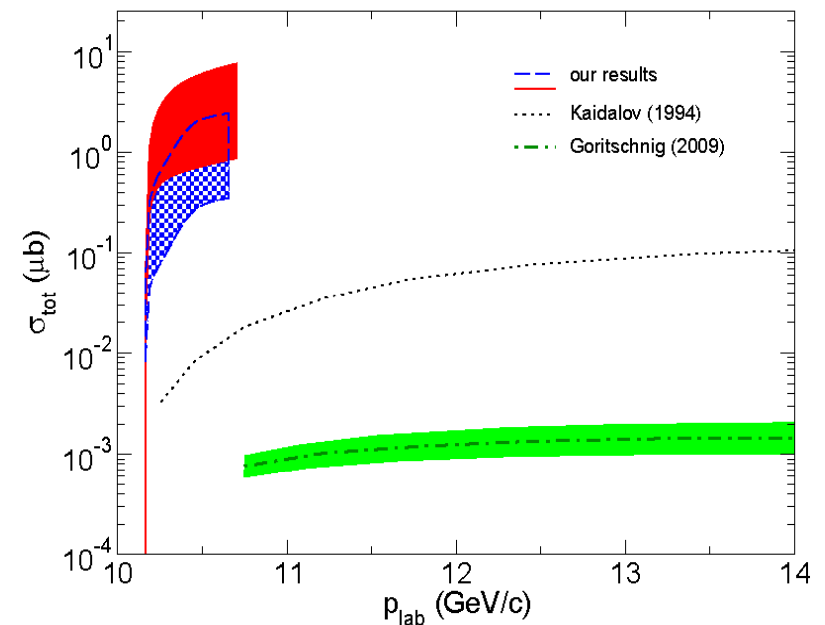
- characteristic event topology
 - $\sigma \sim \mu\text{b}$: $\sim 10^7$ Ξ /d produced
 - final states to be studied:
 $\Xi^* \rightarrow \Xi \pi, \Xi \eta, \Lambda \bar{K}, \Sigma \bar{K},$
 $\Xi(1530) \pi, \Xi \pi \pi, \dots$
 - benchmark channel:
 $6.57 \text{ GeV}/c \quad \bar{p} p \rightarrow \Xi^- \Xi^+ \pi^0$
 - no empty regions or discontinuities in Dalitz plot
 - $\Xi^- \pi^0$ mass resolution $< 4 \text{ MeV}$;
rec. eff. $\sim 15\%$, $S/B > 19^*$
- *DPM generated background

talk by B. Kopf, Thursday



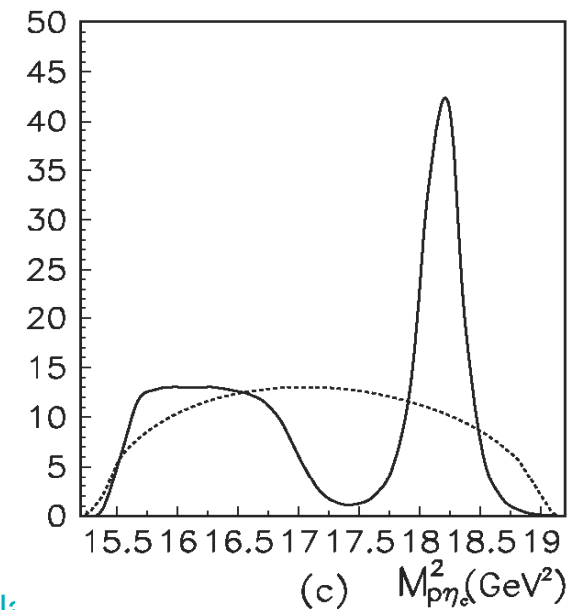
Charm Baryons with PANDA

- identification challenging
- Λ_c and Σ_c : $\max E^* < 1 \text{ GeV}$
- cross section may reach $\sim 1 \mu\text{b}$, but large uncertainty
- predicted narrow hidden charm baryon states
- can be searched for with PANDA in $N_{cc}^* \rightarrow N \eta_c$ and $N^* \rightarrow N J/\psi$ decay

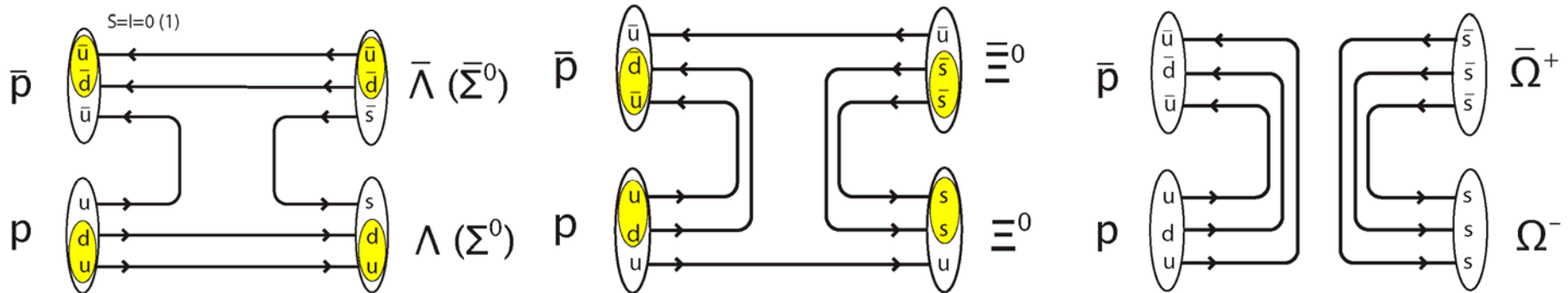


J. Haidenbauer, G. Krein, PLB 687 (2010) 314

J.J. Wu *et al.*,
PRC 84 (2011) 015202

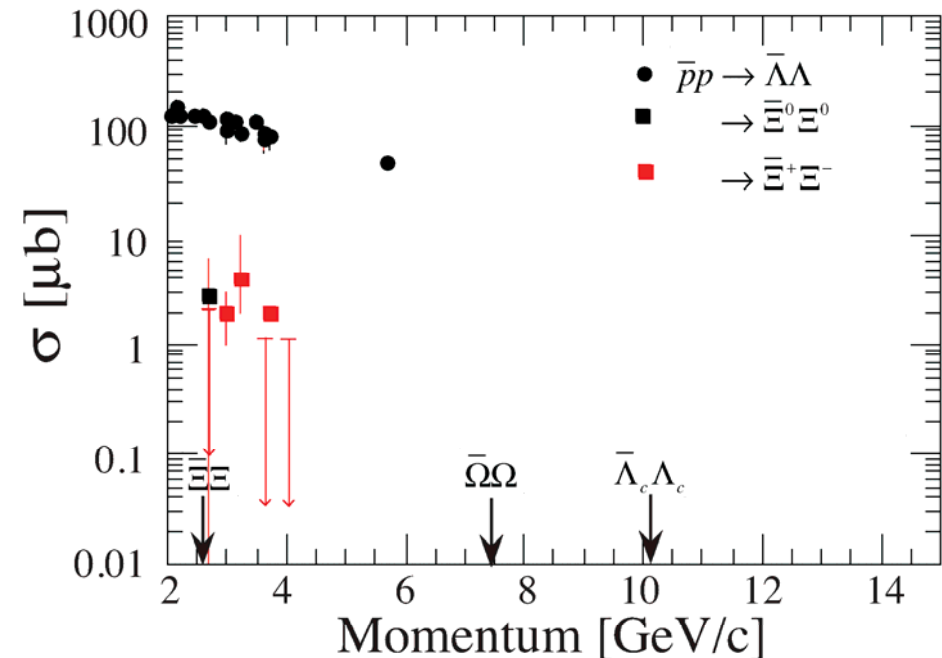


QCD Dynamics: $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \bar{Y}Y$



compare to $\bar{p}p \rightarrow 3\Phi$

- hyperon-antihyperon production: weak decay gives access to polarisation and spin correlations
- practically nothing known about multiple strange and charmed hyperon channels

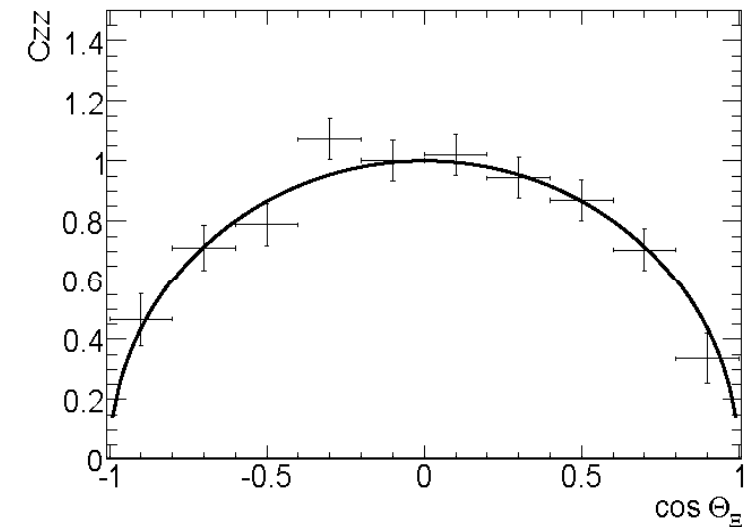


$\bar{p}p \rightarrow \bar{\Upsilon}\Upsilon$: Simulation Results

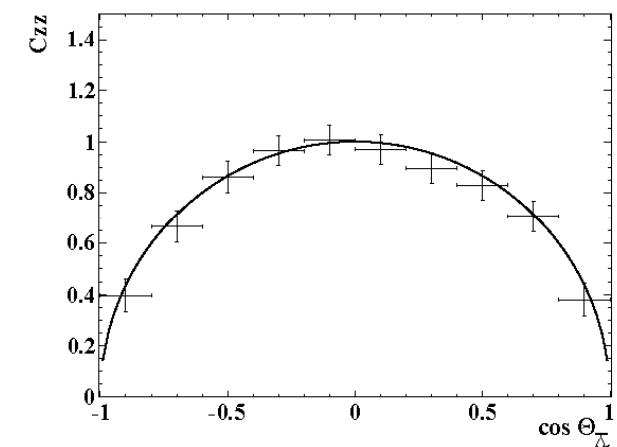
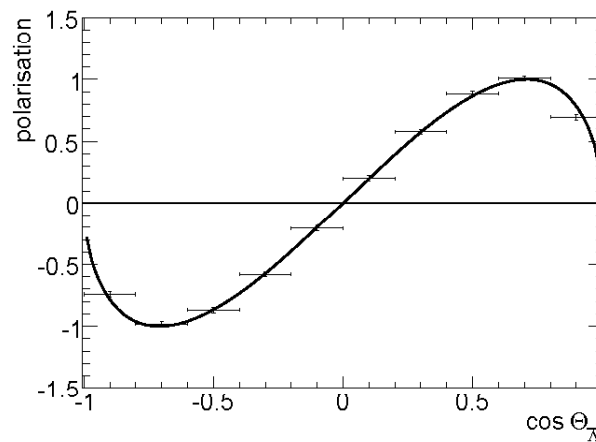
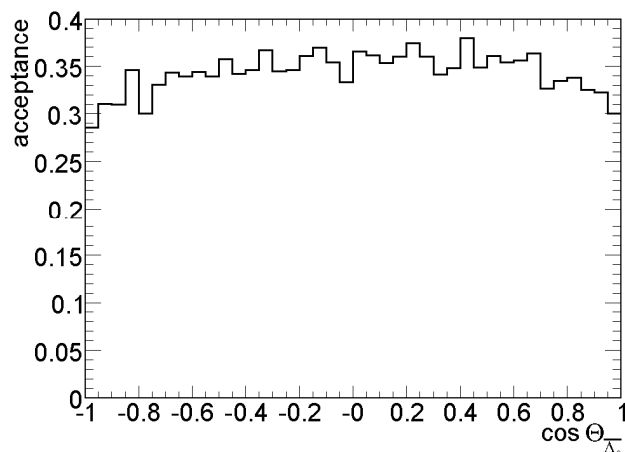
Reconstruction of spin correlations
in 4 GeV/c $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \Xi^+\Xi^- \rightarrow (\bar{\Lambda}\pi^+)(\Lambda\pi^-)$

Event rate: $\sim 30/s$

E. Thomé, PhD thesis U Uppsala 2012



12 GeV/c $\bar{p}p \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda}_c^- \Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow (\Lambda\pi^-)(\Lambda\pi^+)$



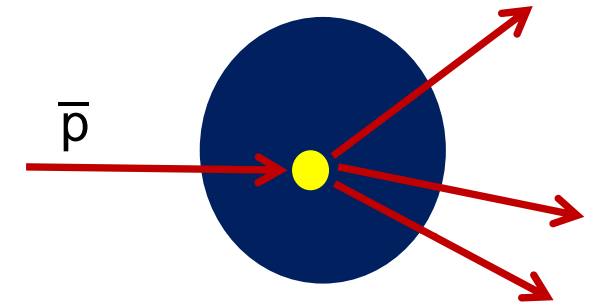
Reconstruction efficiency: 0.35

Event rate: $\sim 25/day$ with $\sigma_{\bar{\Lambda}_c^+\Lambda_c^-} = 100 \text{ nb}$

poster by
L. Caldeira Balkeståhl

Hadrons in Nuclei: Why to Study $\bar{p}A$ Collisions?

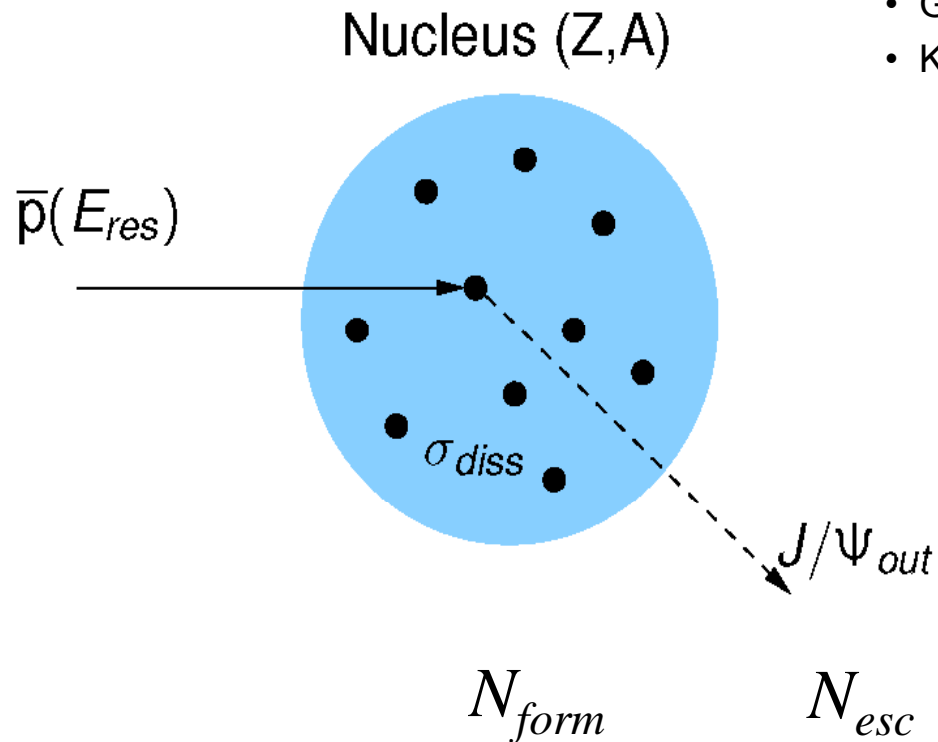
- new insight into interaction of hadrons with nucleons
- new insight into short-range properties of nuclear matter
- ~ 2 GeV annihilation energy 'for free' \rightarrow hadrons produced at lower lab momenta
- (double) strangeness and charm in nuclear matter
- Color Transparency
- Short Range Correlations



here:
J/ ψ absorption in nuclei

J/ψ N dissociation cross section with \bar{p}

- S.J. Brodsky, A.H. Müller, PLB 206 (1988) 685
- G.R. Farrar *et al.*, NPB 345 (1990) 125
- K. Seth, NPA 629 (1998) 358c, Proc. Hirschegg 2001, 183



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$$\sigma_{J/\psi N} = \frac{1}{\langle \rho L \rangle} \left(1 - \frac{N_{esc}}{N_{form}} \right)$$

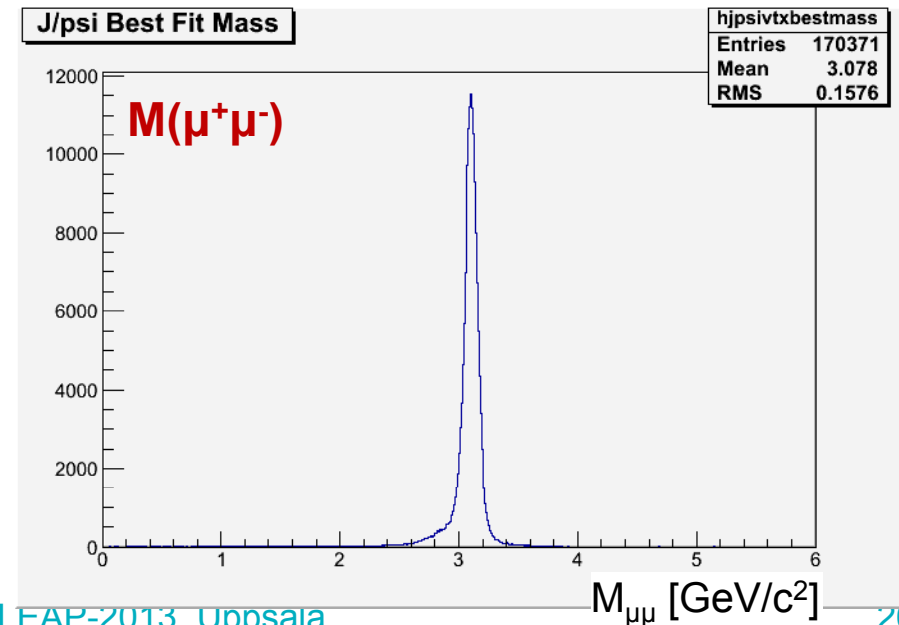
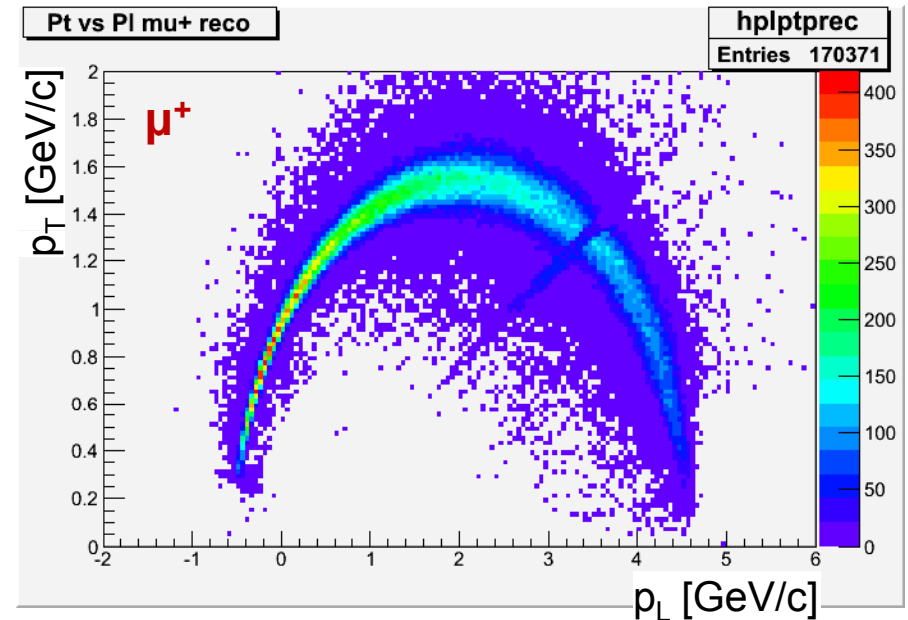
- well-defined conditions: exclusive resonant J/ψ formation on target proton at rest at 4.05 GeV/c
- no ambiguities due to feed-down, co-movers, ...
- antiproton mean free path sufficiently known

➔ PANDA is unique !

recent study with Glauber model: A. Larionov *et al.*, PRC 87 (2013) 054608

$\bar{p} A \rightarrow J/\psi X$: Simulation Results

- Simulation of 10^8 collisions of $\bar{p}^{40}\text{Ca}$ with GiBUU
- peak cross section \times dilepton branching $\sim 1\text{nb}$
- scale factor: $\sim 2 \cdot 10^6$
- about $2 \cdot 10^5$ J/ψ obtained
- PandaRoot simulation of created $e^+e^- / \mu^+\mu^-$ pairs
- mass resolution $\sigma_M \sim 40\text{ MeV}$



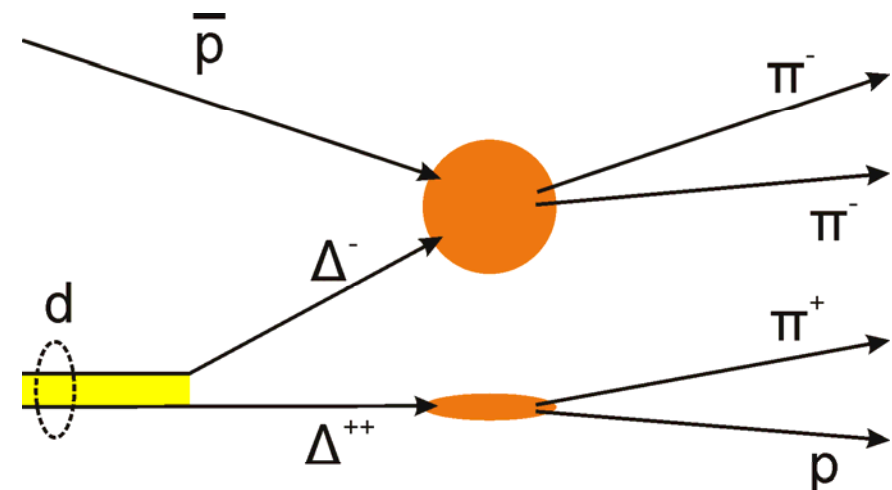
Special Case: $\bar{p}d$ Collisions

- bridge between $\bar{p}N$ and $\bar{p}A$ collisions
- n target, e.g. $\bar{p}n \rightarrow Z(4430)^-$
- link inclusive $\bar{p}A$ results with exclusive $\bar{p}d$ results: interaction cross sections, e.g. $\bar{p}p \rightarrow J/\psi$, $J/\psi n \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ D^-$
- hard reactions with a bound constituent: study the $\Delta\Delta$ component in the deuteron

S. Brodsky

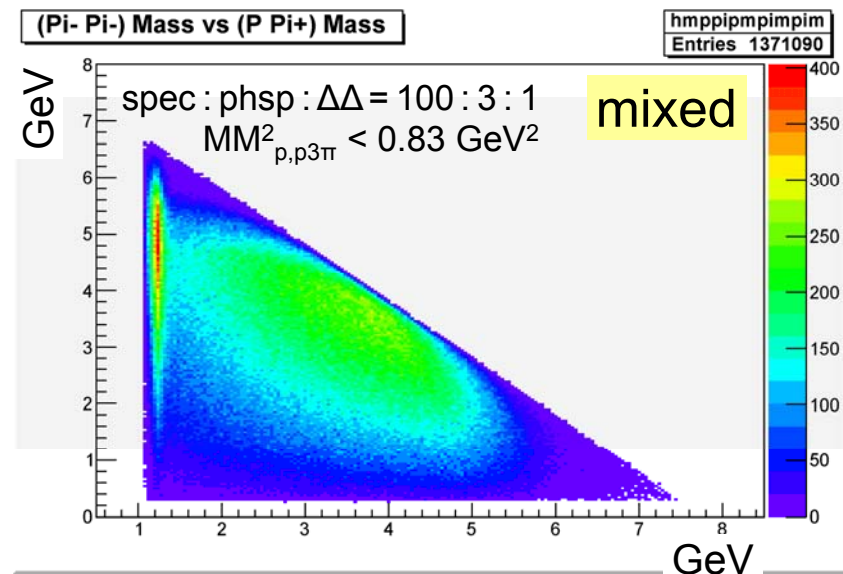
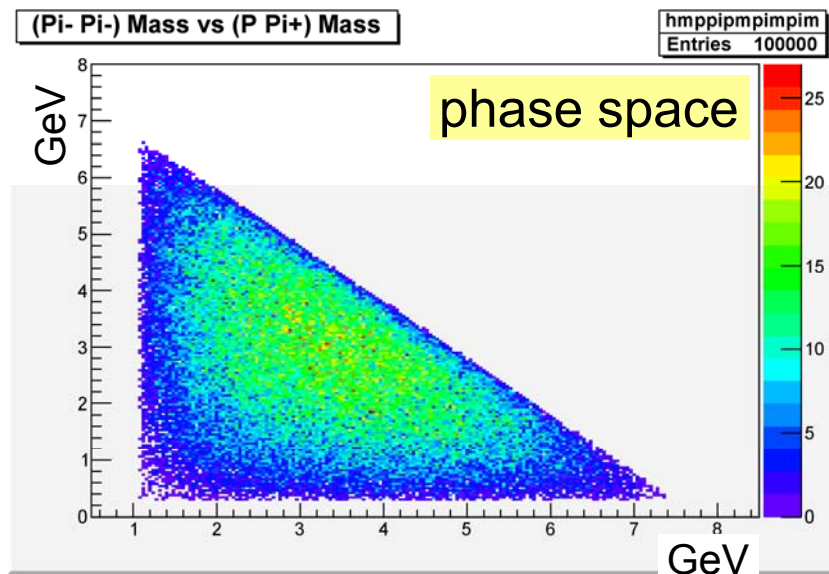
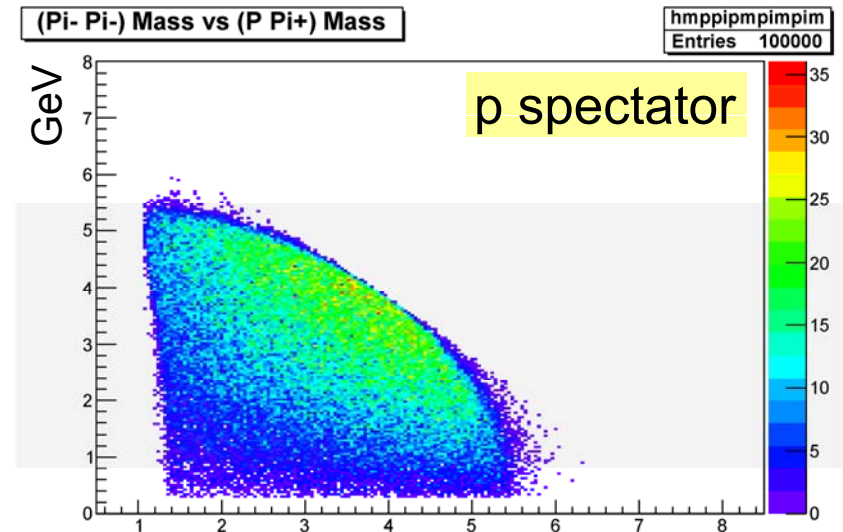
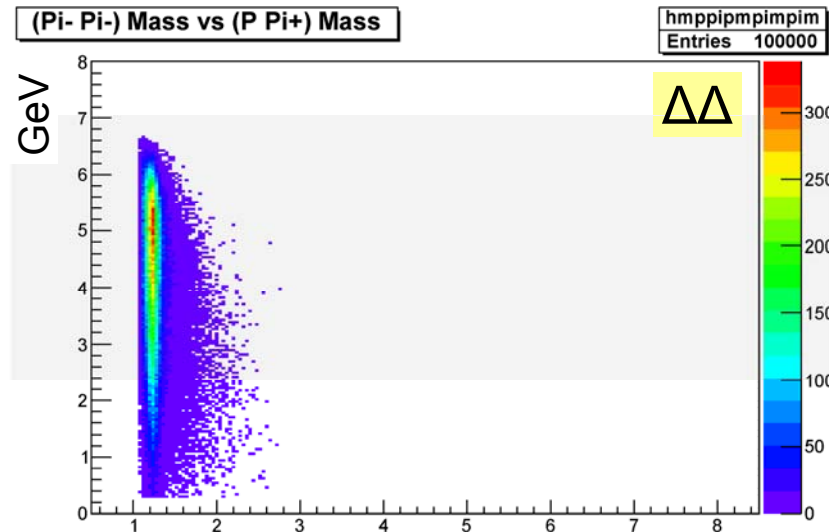
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- More details in the Physics Performance Report
- available at [arXiv:0903.3905v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/0903.3905v1)
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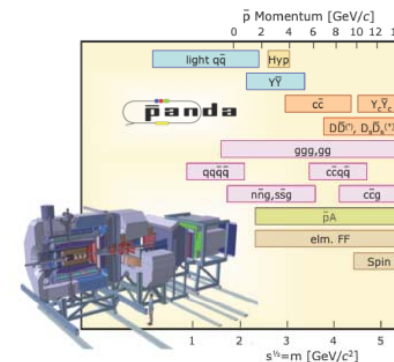
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