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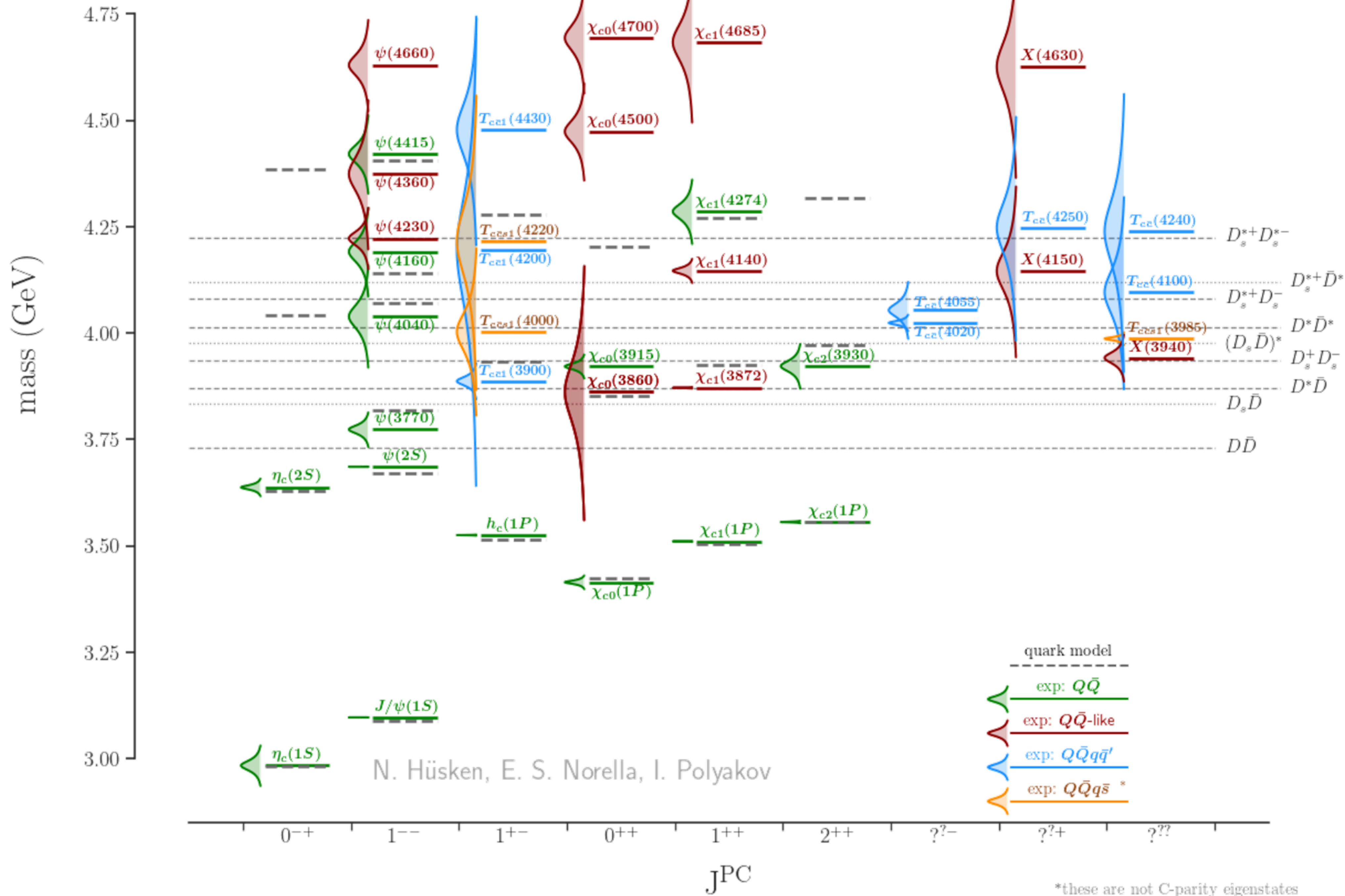
# QCD PHENOMENOLOGY -- EXOTICS

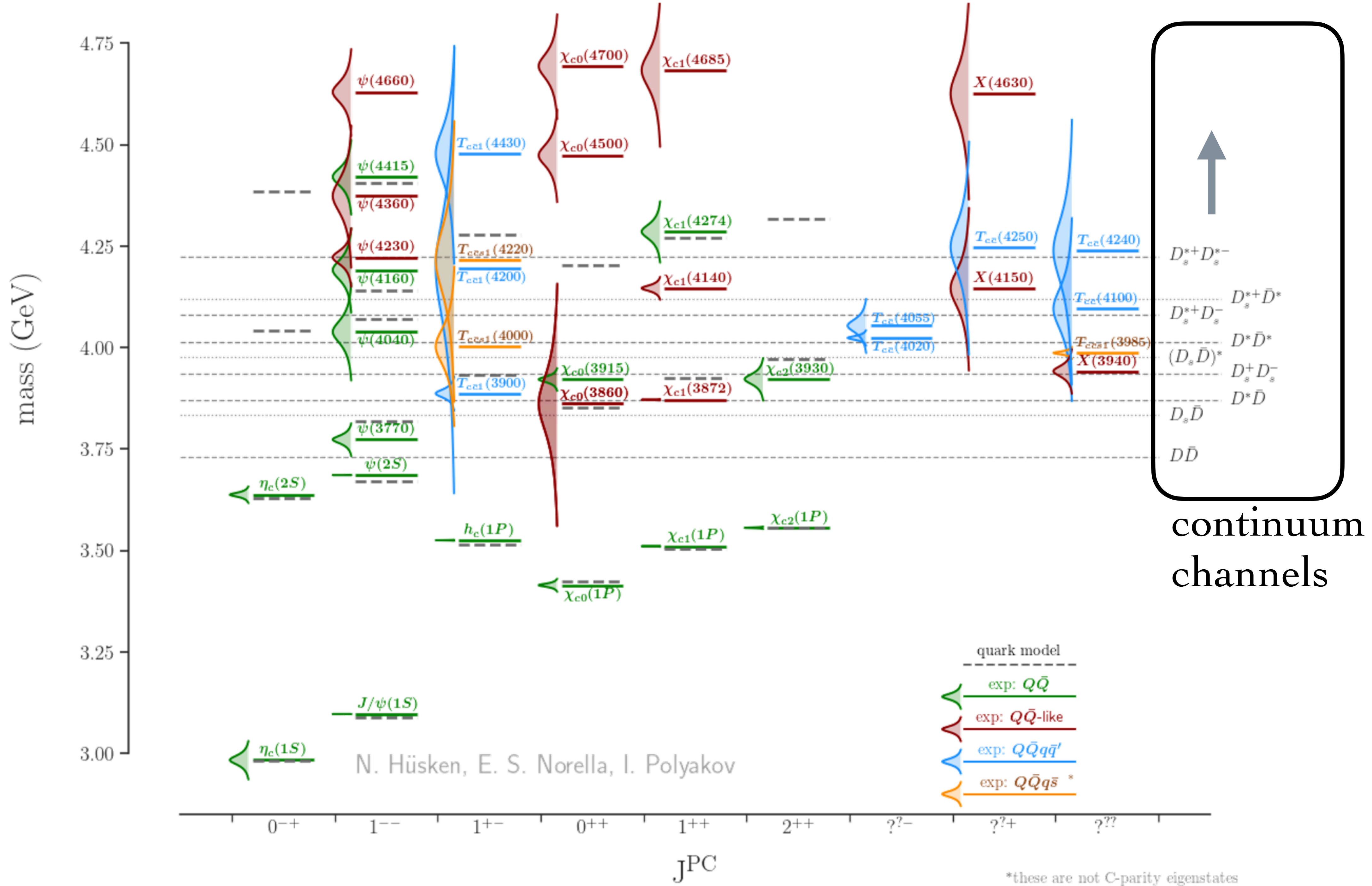
Eric Swanson



things need not be as simple as  $q\bar{q}$  or  $qqq$ .

... and there is overwhelming evidence that they are not





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$\psi(4660)$   
 $\psi(4415)$   
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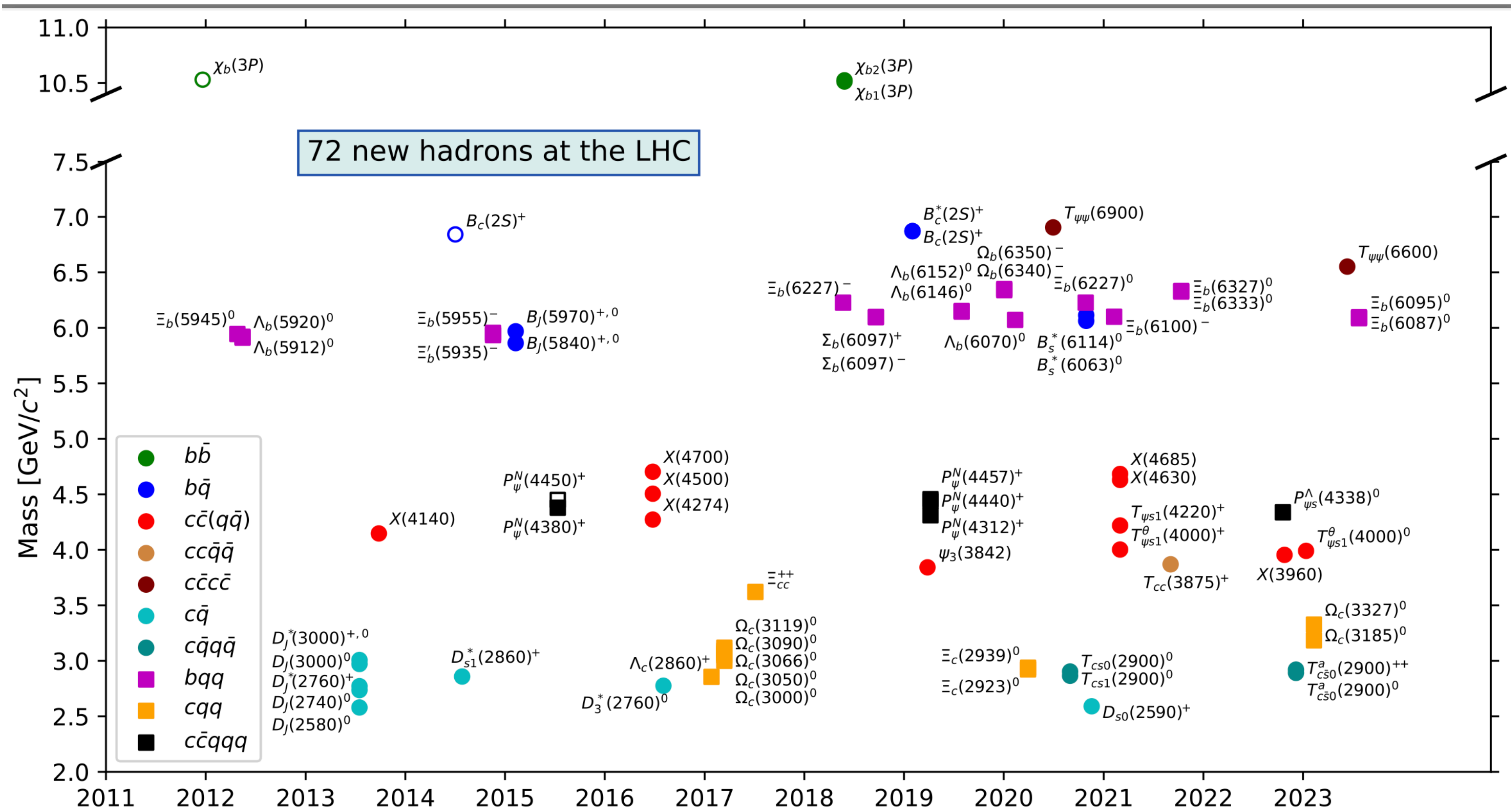
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$\chi_{c0}(4700)$   
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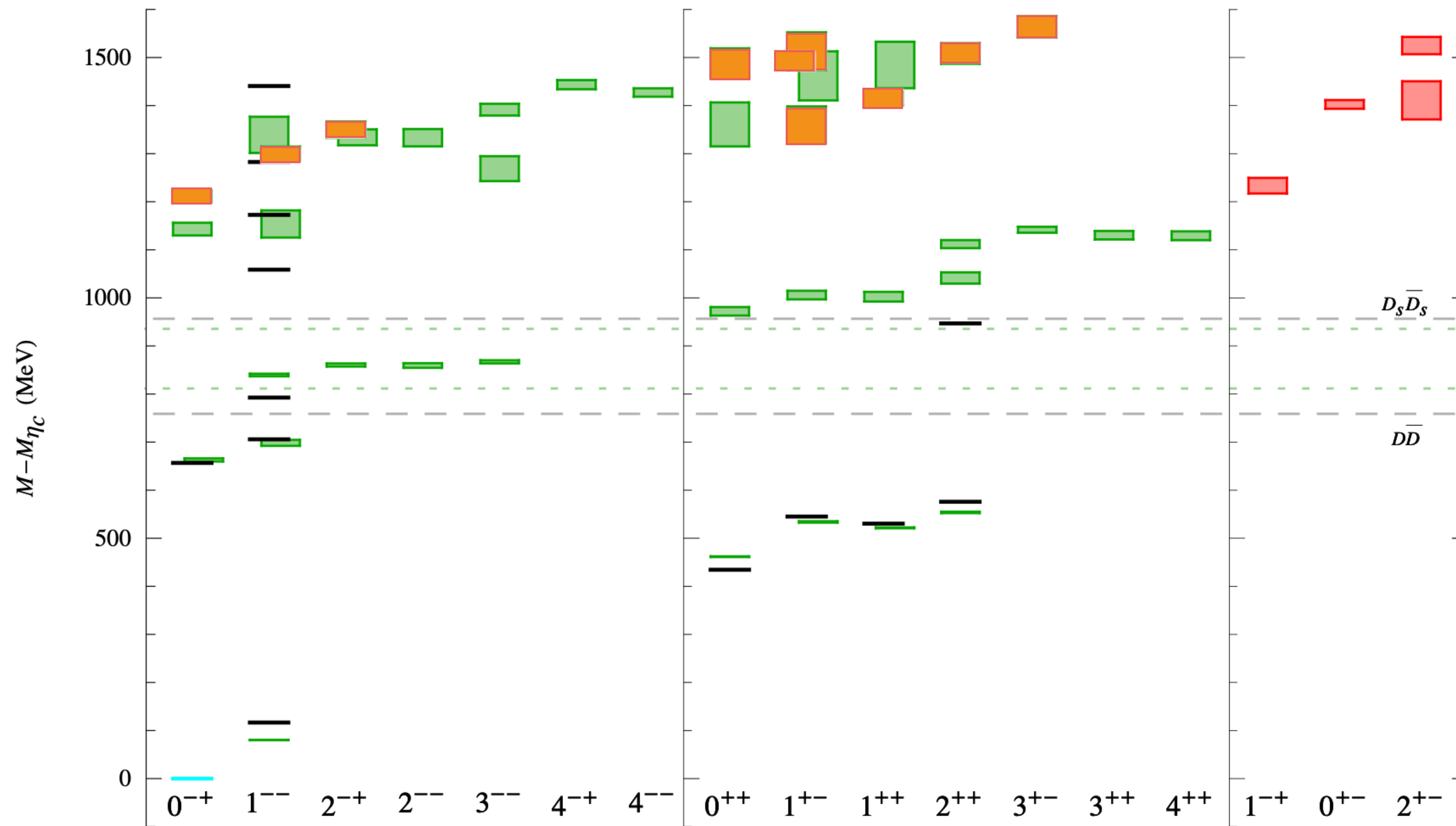
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 $\chi_{c1}(1P)$   
 $\chi_{c2}(1P)$

$X(4630)$   
 $X(4150)$   
 $X(3940)$   
 $T_{cc}(4250)$   
 $T_{cc}(4240)$   
 $T_{cc}(4100)$   
 $T_{cc}(4055)$   
 $T_{cc}(4020)$   
 $T_{ccs1}(3985)$

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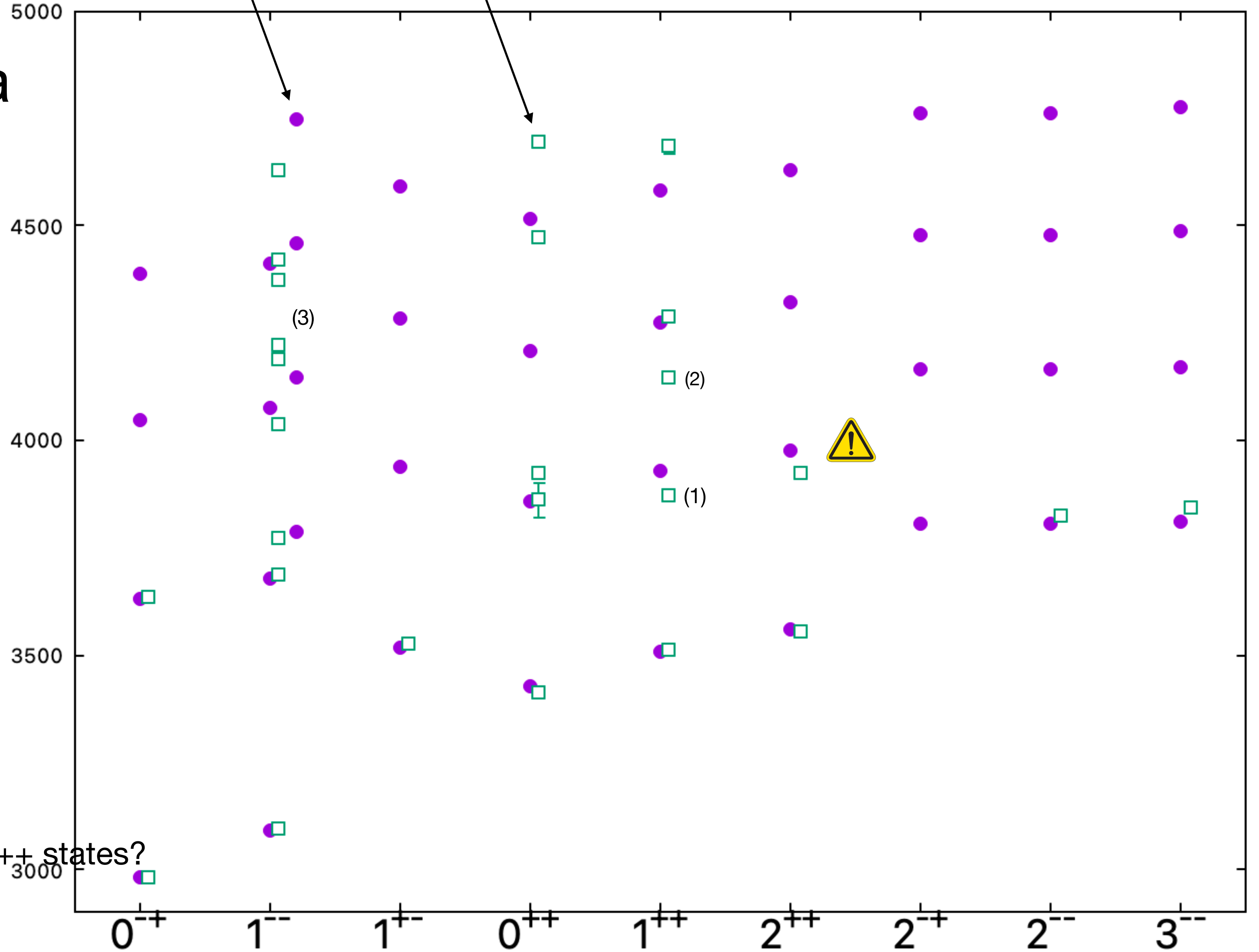
# Lattice Charmonia



# Model + PDG Charmonia

non rel model + pert VSD

PDG



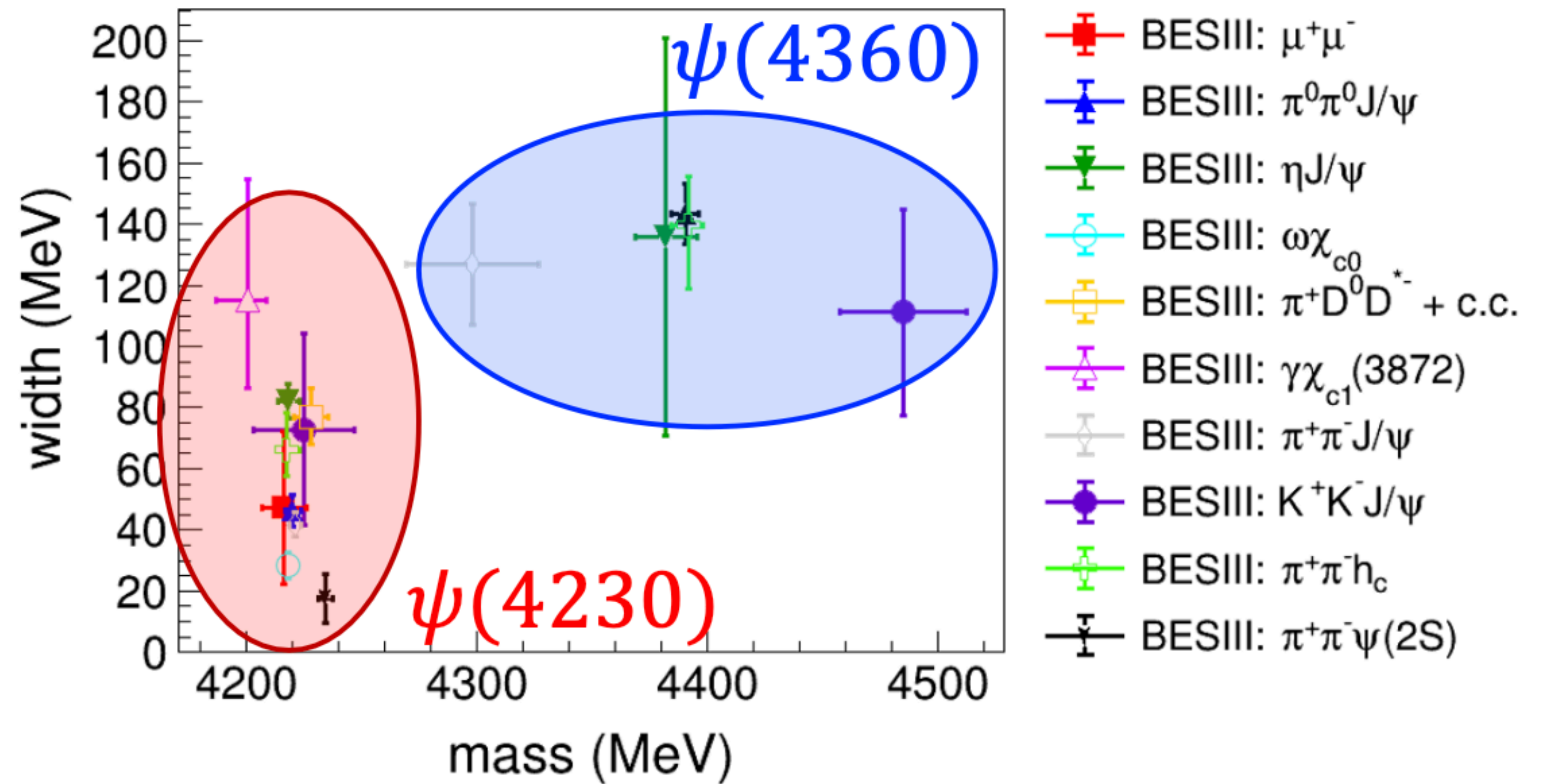
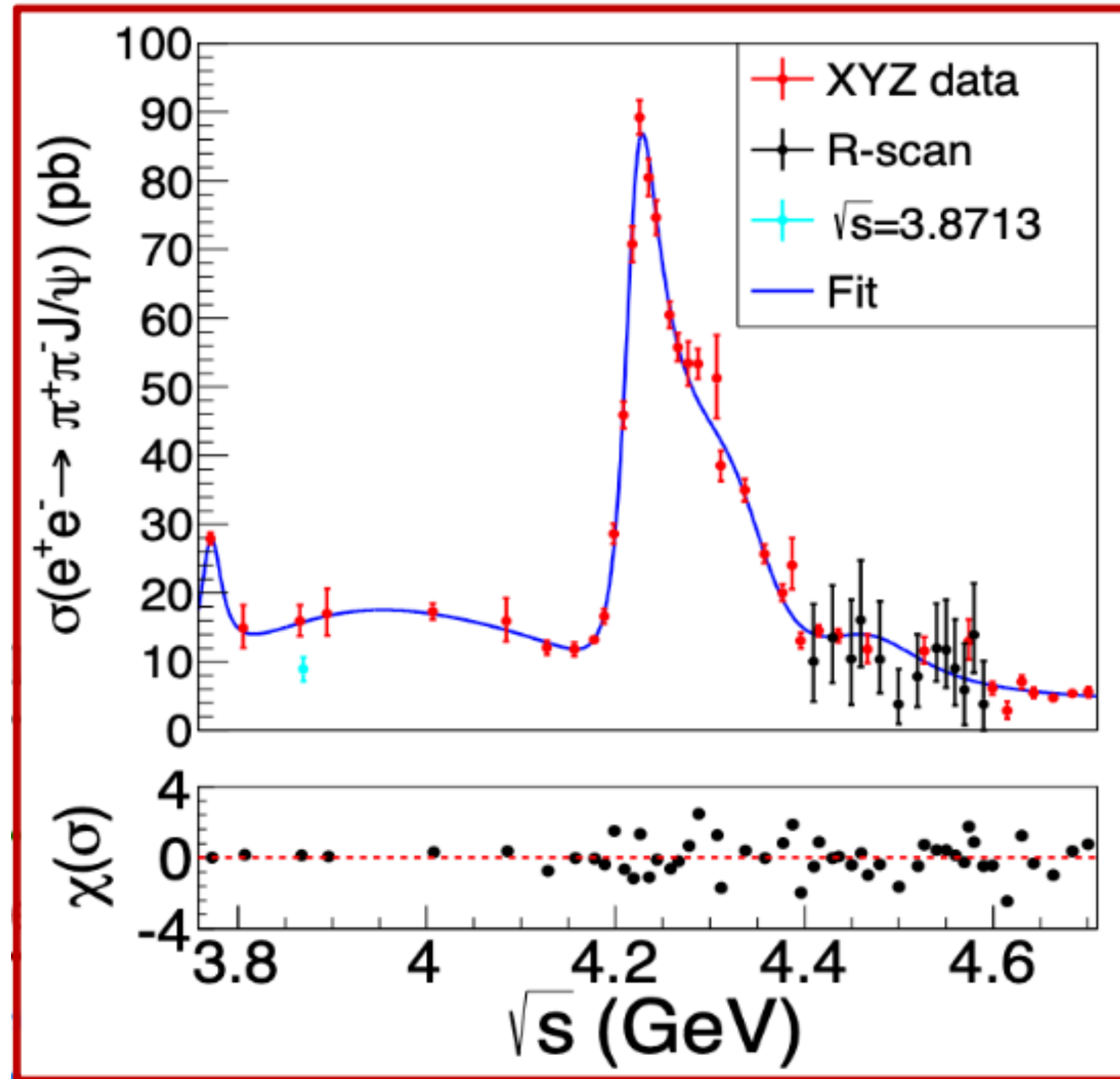
(1) 3872 = DD\*, but 2++ is equally off, also 2 0++ states?

(2) could this be the 3P1(2P) shifted up?

(3) something of a fiasco here

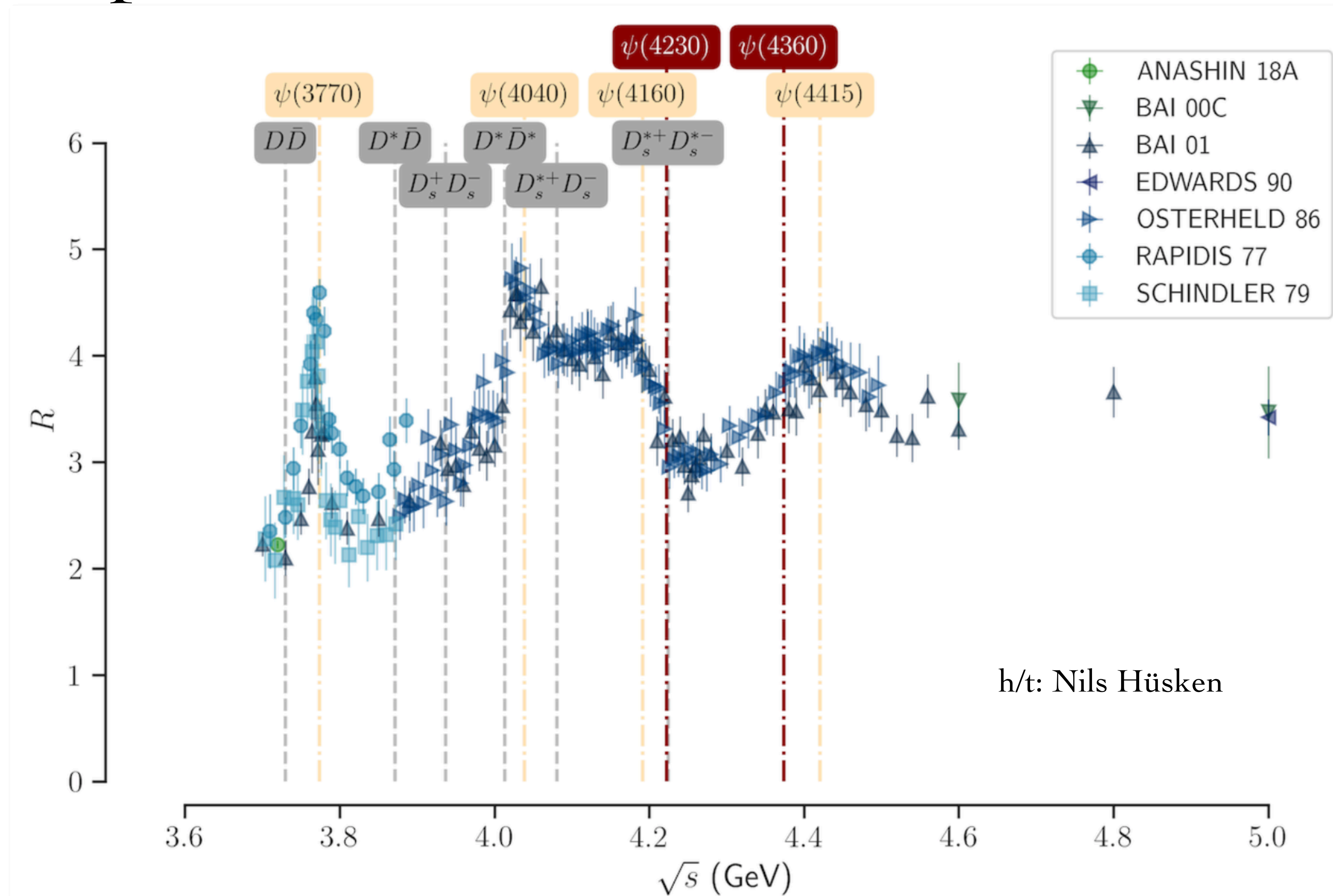
an example:

$\psi(4320)$  &  $\psi(4360)$





another example:



h/t: Nils Hüsken

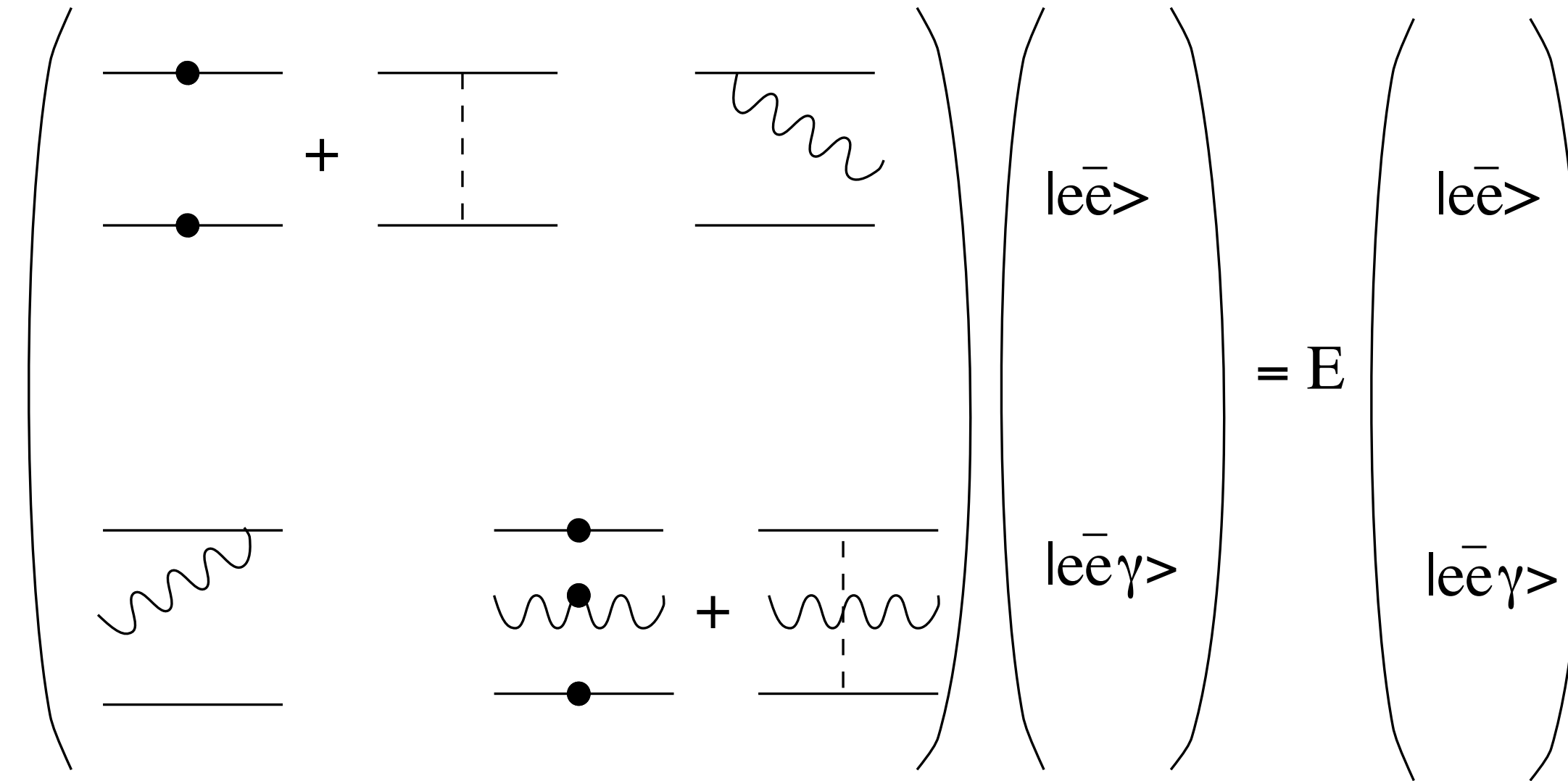
The situation is even worse: we rely on  $R$  for much information! This is not robust!

# hybrids

$$|M\rangle = |q\bar{q}\rangle + |q\bar{q}g\rangle + |q\bar{q}q\bar{q}\rangle + \dots$$

# what is a hybrid?

## QED

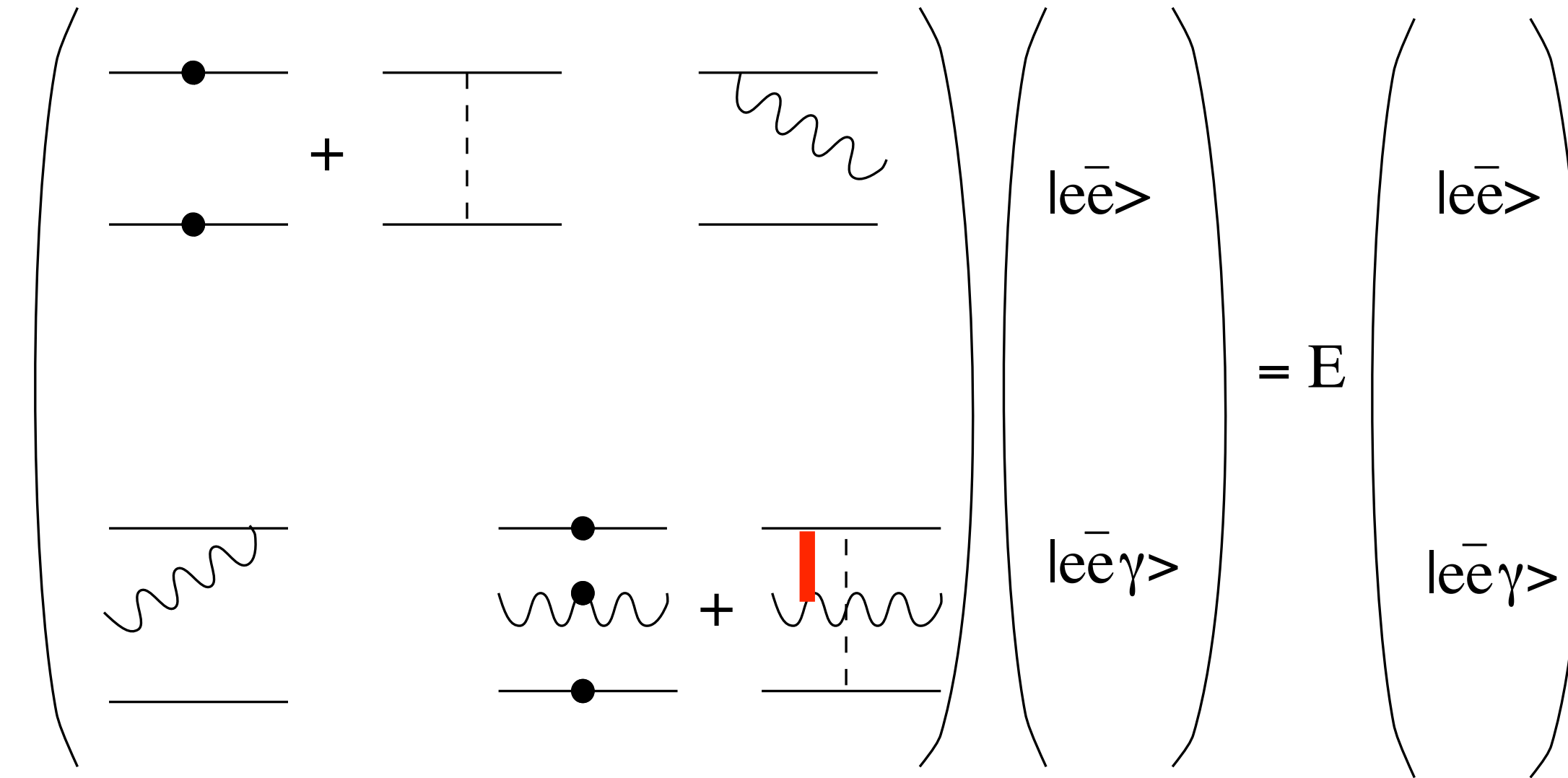


$$\begin{aligned}
 |0\rangle &= \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2} |e\bar{e}\rangle + \epsilon |e\bar{e}\gamma\rangle, \\
 |1\rangle &= -\epsilon |e\bar{e}\rangle + \sqrt{1 - \epsilon^2} |e\bar{e}\gamma\rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle r|0\rangle &\approx \phi(r) \\
 \langle Rr|1\rangle &\approx \phi(r)\psi(R)
 \end{aligned}$$

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QCD



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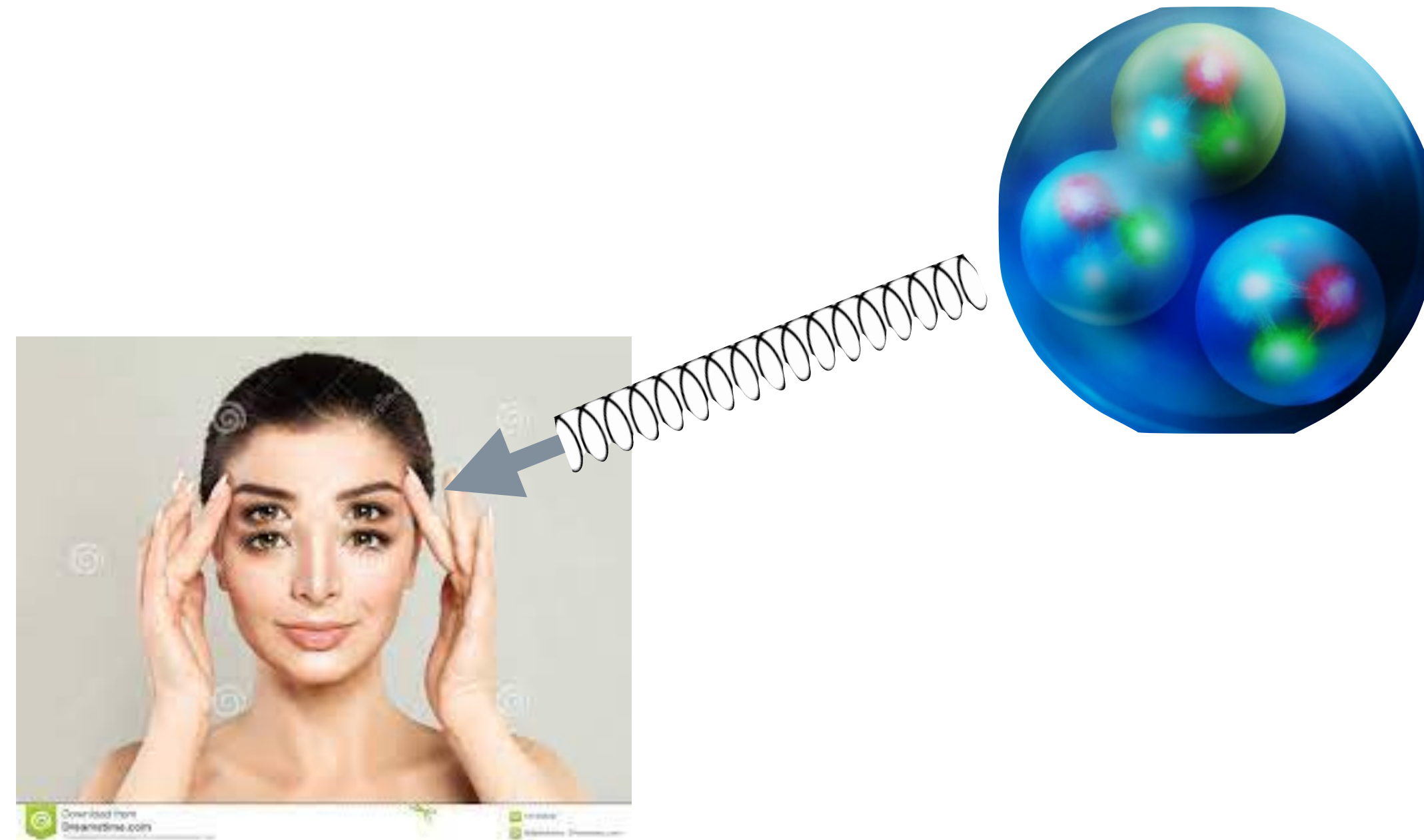
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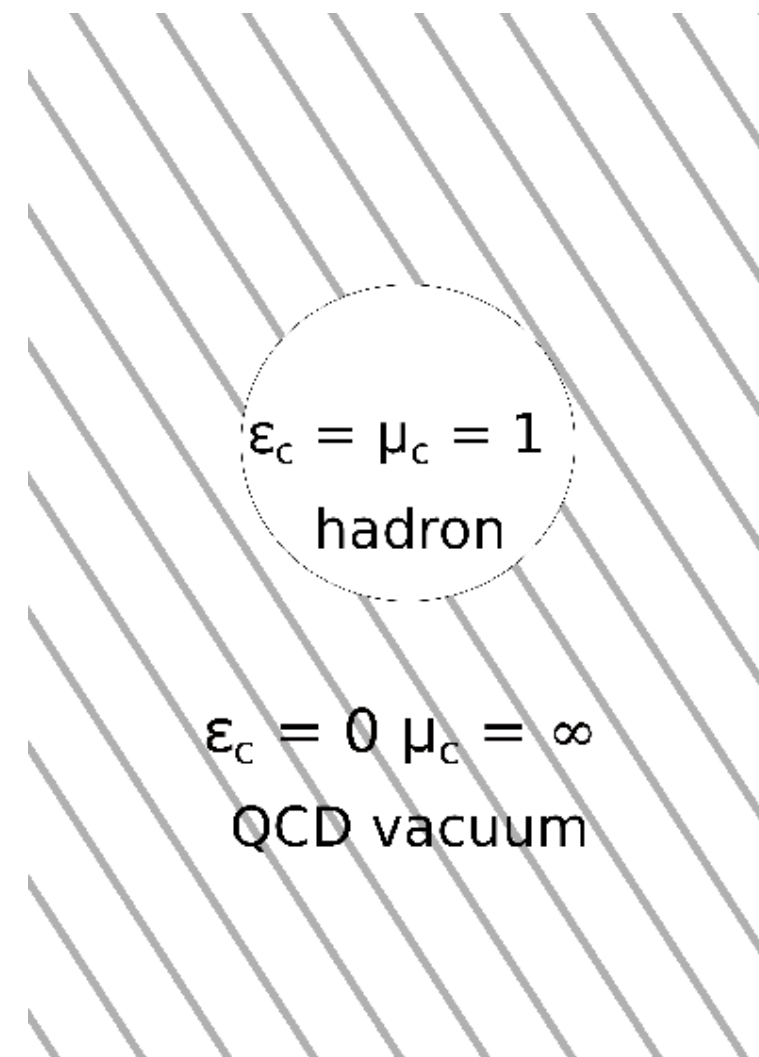
=> glueballs, hybrids, and mixed states.

# Modelling: gluons

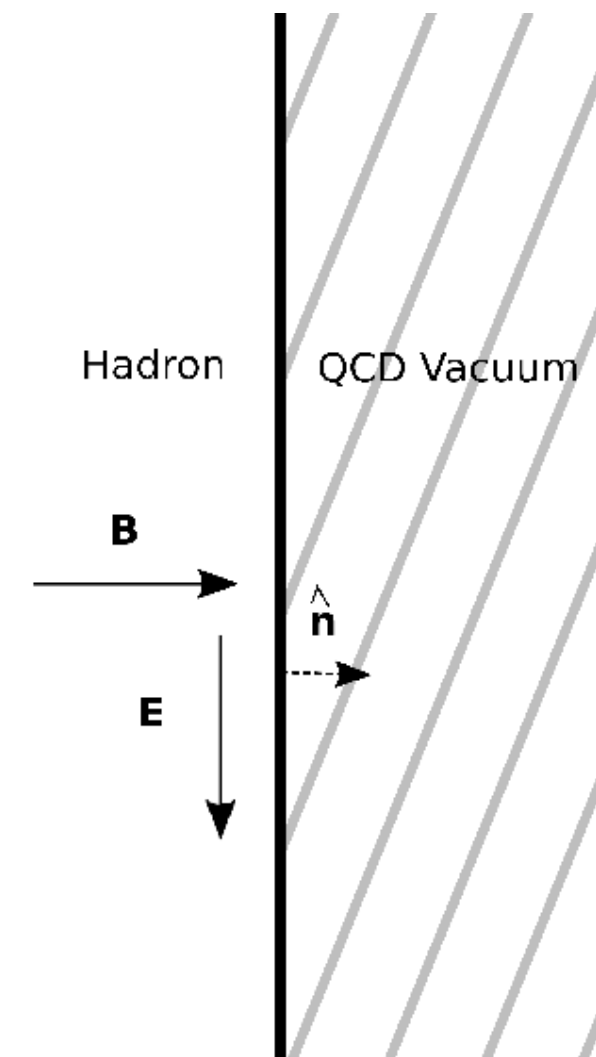
## Bag Models

place quarks and gluons in a "bag" and allow them to interact perturbatively.

T. Barnes and F. E. Close, *Phys. Lett. B* 116, 365 (1982)  
T. Barnes, F. E. Close and F. de Viron, *Nucl. Phys. B* 224, 241 (1983)  
M. Chanowitz and S. Sharpe, *Nucl. Phys. B* 222, 211 (1983)



(a) The color permeability and permittivity of the bag-model.



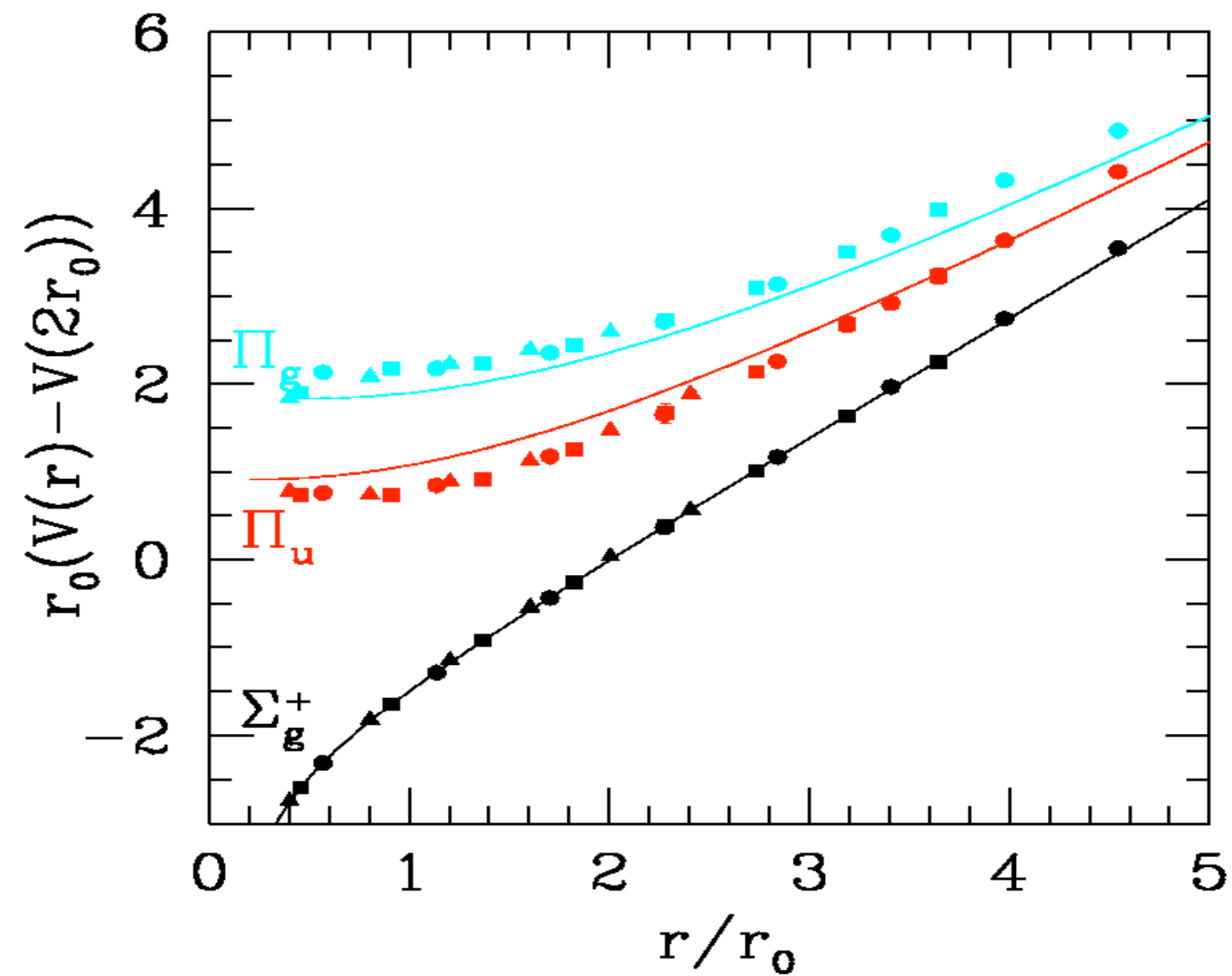
(b) The color fields at the surface of the bag.

lowest mode is a 1+ TE gluon

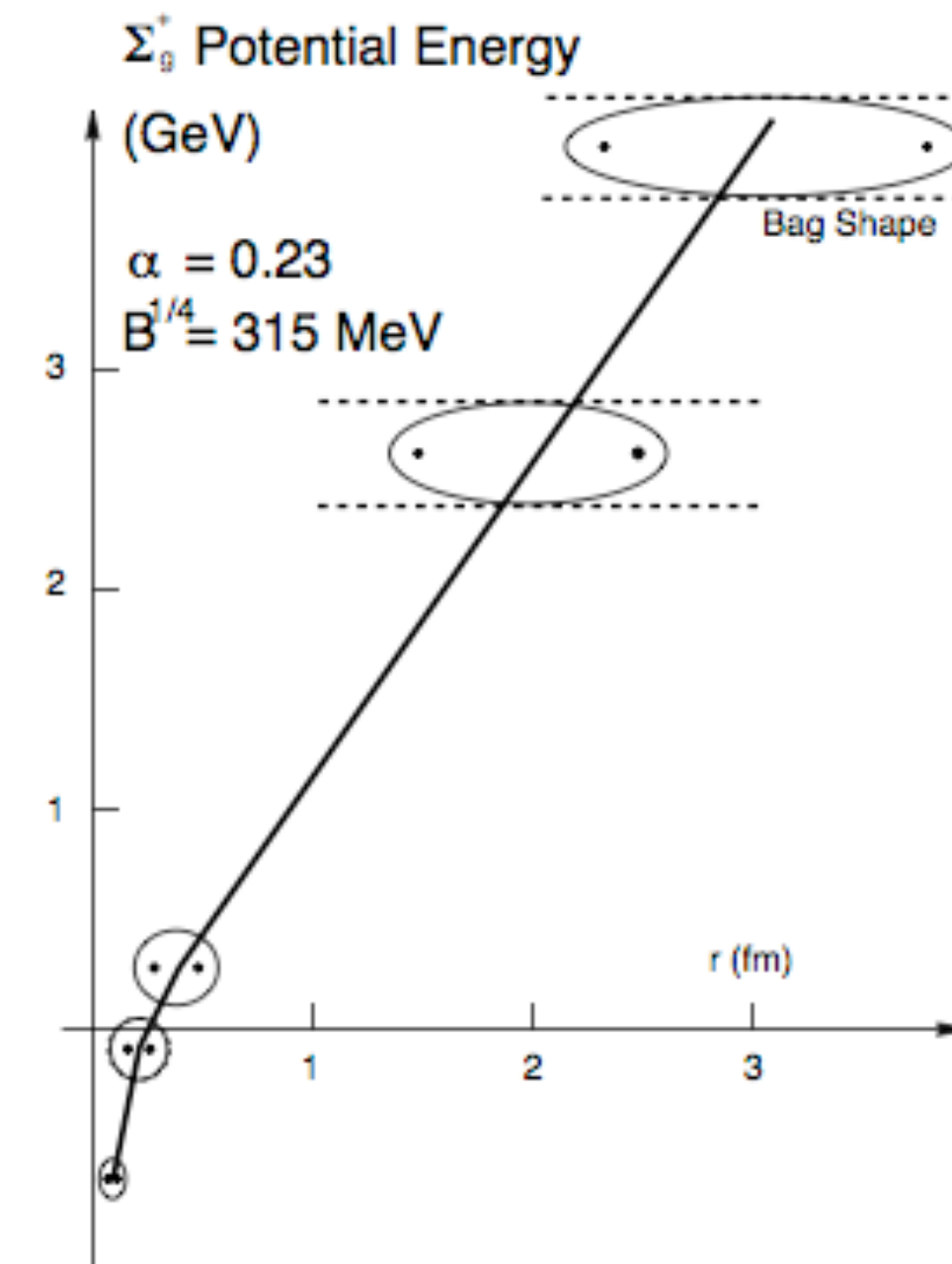
# Modelling: gluons

## Bag Models

### HHKR bag model computation



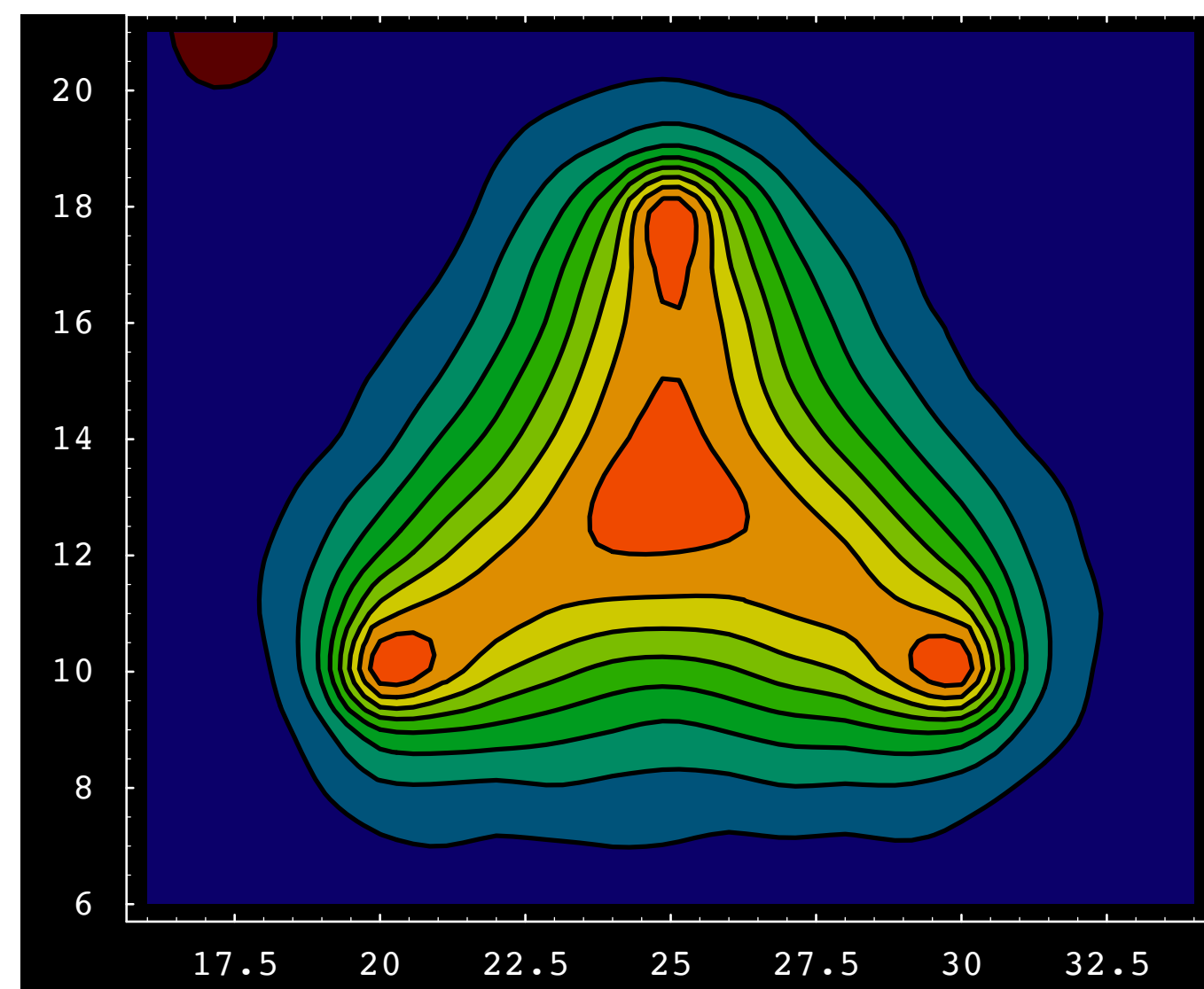
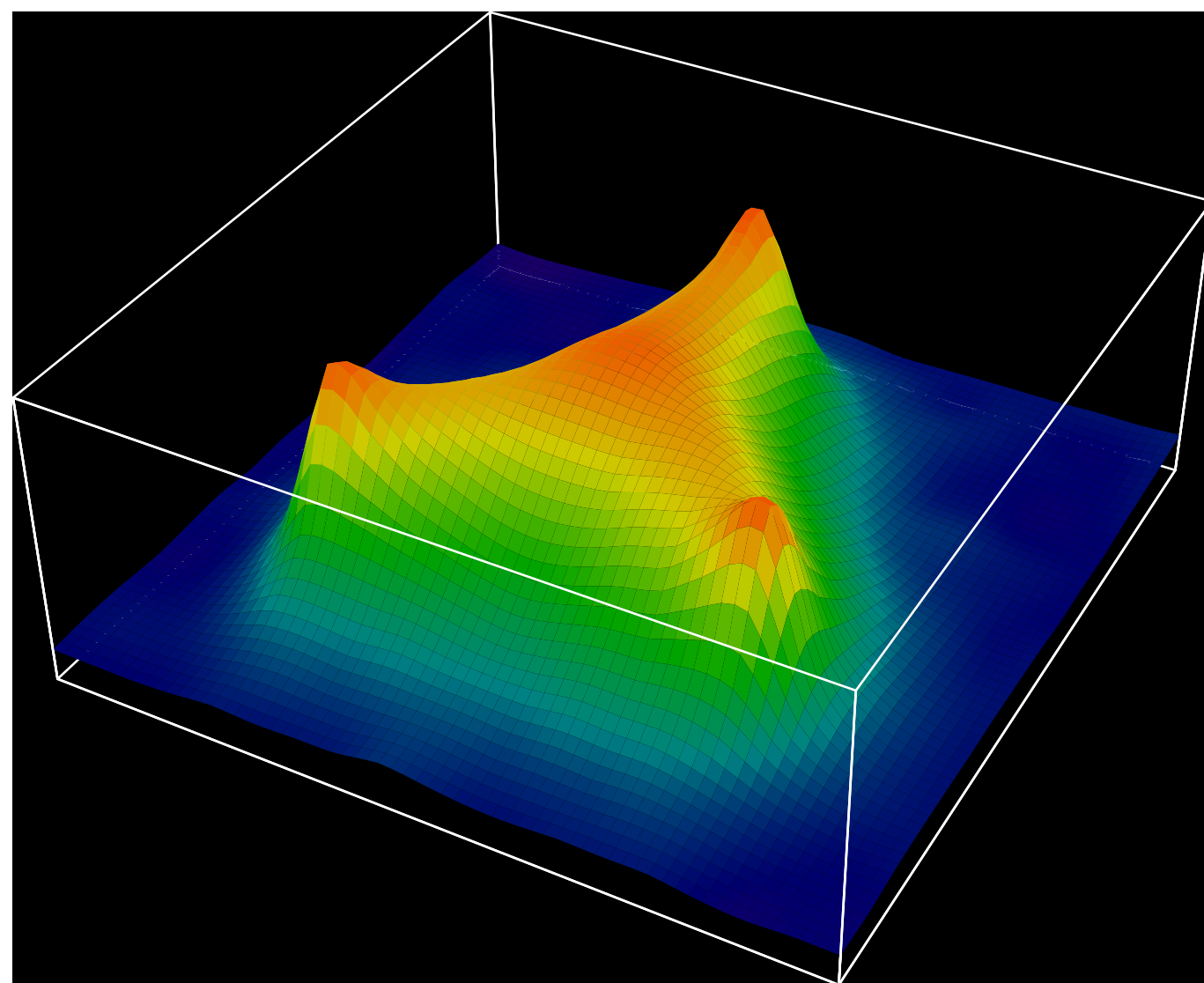
Juge, Kuti, and Morningstar, (98)





# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models



# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models

Coupled quarks to a relativistic 2d sheet... the “Quark Confining String Model”.

“The presence of vibrational levels gives ... extra states in quantum mechanics. ... that are absent in the charmonium model.”

$$V_N = \sigma r \left(1 + \frac{2N\pi}{\sigma r^2}\right)^{1/2}$$

GT

$$V_{NG} = \sigma r \left(1 - \frac{D-2}{12\sigma r^2} + \frac{2N\pi}{\sigma r^2}\right)^{1/2}$$

J.F. Arvis, PLB127, 106 (83);  
Luescher

Giles and Tye, PRL37, 1175 (76).

T. Allen and M.G. Olsson, PLB434,  
110 (98)

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APPLICATION OF THE QUARK-C

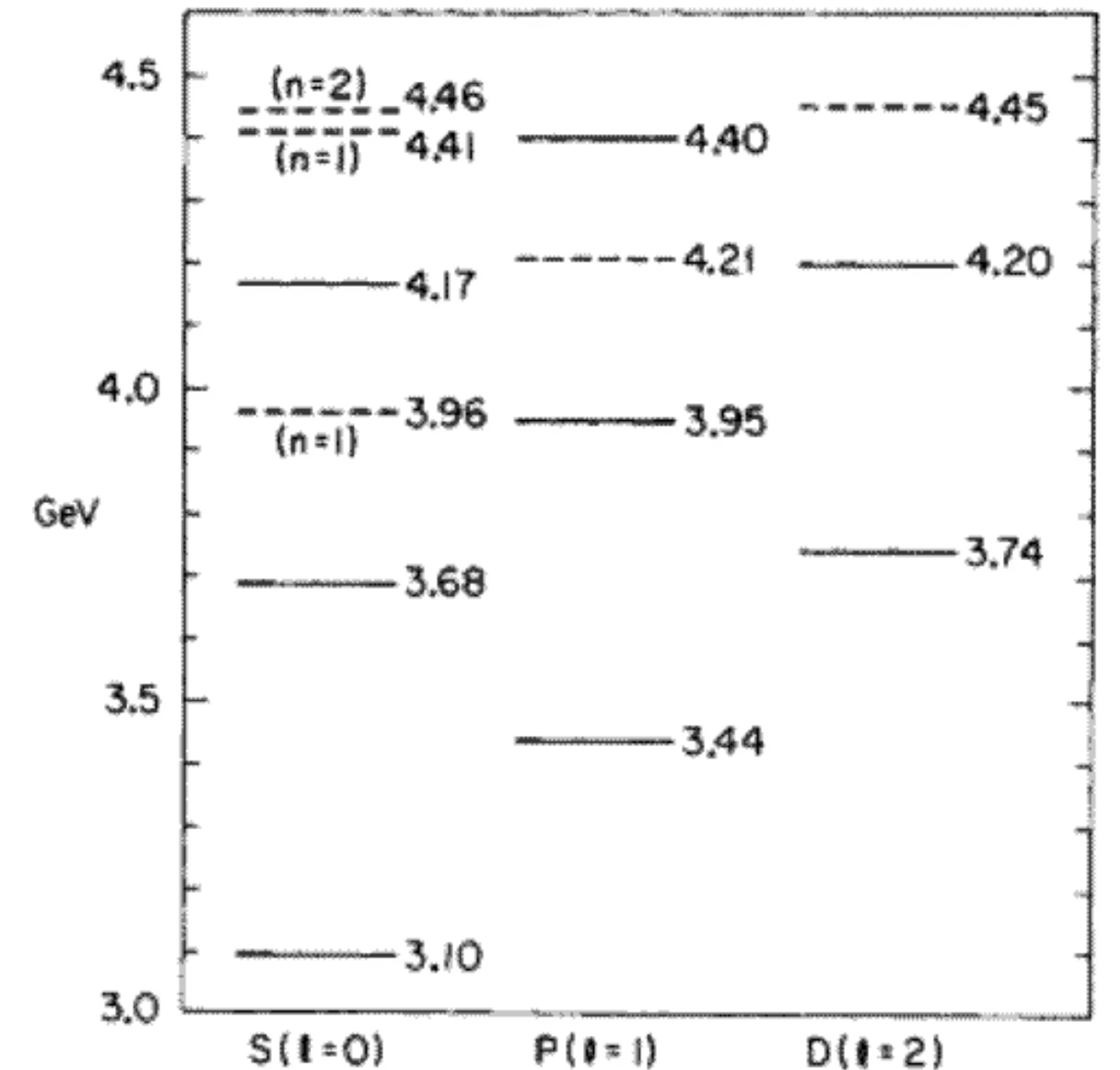


FIG. 4. The nonrelativistic spectroscopy of the charm string.  $\psi(3.10)$  and  $\psi(3.68)$  are fitted to obtain  $M = 1.154$  GeV and  $k = 0.21$  GeV<sup>2</sup>. The dashed lines are the vibrational levels absent in the charmonium model. Levels

# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models

Isgur and Paton, PRD31, 2910 (85).

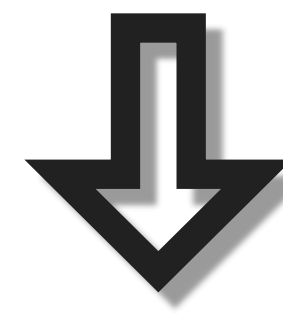
strong coupling Hamiltonian lattice gauge theory

$$H = \frac{g^2}{2a} \sum_{\ell} E_{\ell}^a E_{a\ell} + \sum_n m \bar{\psi}_n \psi_n + \frac{1}{a} \sum_{n,\mu} \psi_n^{\dagger} \alpha_{\mu} U_{\mu}(n) \psi_{n+\mu} + \frac{1}{ag^2} \sum_P \text{tr}(N - U_P - U_P^{\dagger})$$



# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models



adiabatic

small oscillation

nonrelativistic beads

$$m_b = b a$$

# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models

string Hamiltonian

$$H = b_0 R + \sum_n \left[ \frac{p_n^2}{2ba} + \frac{b}{2a} (y_n - y_{n+1})^2 \right]$$

$$s_{m\lambda} = \sum_n^N y_n(\lambda) \sqrt{\frac{2}{N+1}} \sin \frac{nm\pi}{N+1}$$

$$y_n(\lambda) = \sum_m s_{m\lambda} \sqrt{\frac{2}{N+1}} \sin \frac{nm\pi}{N+1}$$

$$H = b_0 R + \sum_{n\lambda} \left[ \frac{p_n^2}{2ba} + \frac{ba}{2} \omega_n^2 s_{n\lambda}^2 \right]$$

$$\omega_n = \frac{2}{a} \sin \frac{\pi n}{2(N+1)}$$

$$\alpha_{n\lambda} = \sqrt{\frac{b_0 \omega_n}{2}} s_{n\lambda} + i \frac{p_{n\lambda}}{\sqrt{b_0 a \omega_n}}$$

$$\omega_1 \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{R}$$

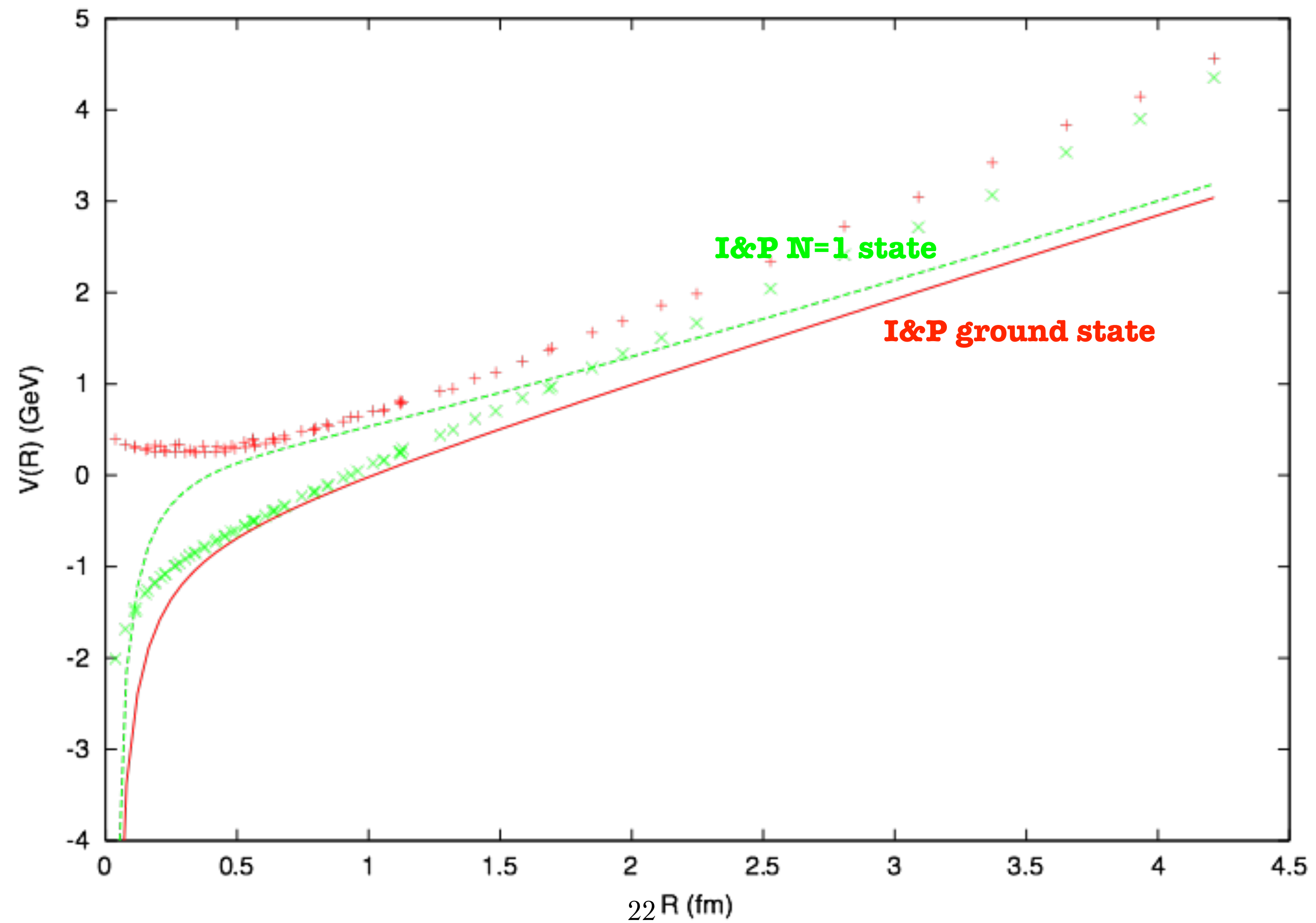
$$H = b_0 R + \sum_{n\lambda} \omega_n \left( \alpha_{n\lambda}^\dagger \alpha_{n\lambda} + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$H = b_0 R + \left( \frac{4}{\pi a^2} R - \frac{1}{a} - \frac{\pi}{12R} \right) + \sum_{n\lambda} \omega_n \alpha_{n\lambda}^\dagger \alpha_{n\lambda}$$

# Modelling: gluons

## Flux Tube Models

compare to lattice



# Modelling: gluons

Coulomb gauge QCD formalism

$$H_{QCD} = \int d^3x \left[ \psi^\dagger (-i\boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \nabla + \beta m) \psi + \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{F}^{-1/2} \boldsymbol{\Pi} \mathcal{F} \cdot \boldsymbol{\Pi} \mathcal{F}^{-1/2} + \mathbf{B} \cdot \mathbf{B}) - g \psi^\dagger \boldsymbol{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{A} \psi \right] + H_C$$

$$H_C = \frac{1}{2} \int d^3x d^3y \mathcal{F}^{-1/2} \rho^A(\mathbf{x}) \mathcal{F}^{1/2} \hat{K}_{AB}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}; \mathbf{A}) \mathcal{F}^{1/2} \rho^B(\mathbf{y}) \mathcal{F}^{-1/2}$$

$$\mathcal{F} \equiv \det(\nabla \cdot D)$$

$$\rho^A(\mathbf{x}) = f^{ABC} \mathbf{A}^B(\mathbf{x}) \cdot \boldsymbol{\Pi}^C(\mathbf{x}) + \psi^\dagger(\mathbf{x}) T^A \psi(\mathbf{x})$$

$$\hat{K}^{AB}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}; \mathbf{A}) \equiv \langle \mathbf{x}, A | \frac{g}{\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D}} (-\nabla^2) \frac{g}{\nabla \cdot \mathbf{D}} | \mathbf{y}, B \rangle .$$

$$D^{AB} \equiv \delta^{AB} \nabla - g f^{ABC} A^C$$

# Modelling: gluons

Coulomb gauge QCD formalism

Evaluate  $K$  with the aid of a nontrivial vacuum Ansatz

$$\langle A | \omega \rangle = \Psi_0[A] = \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} A^a(k) \omega(k) A^a(-k) \right]$$

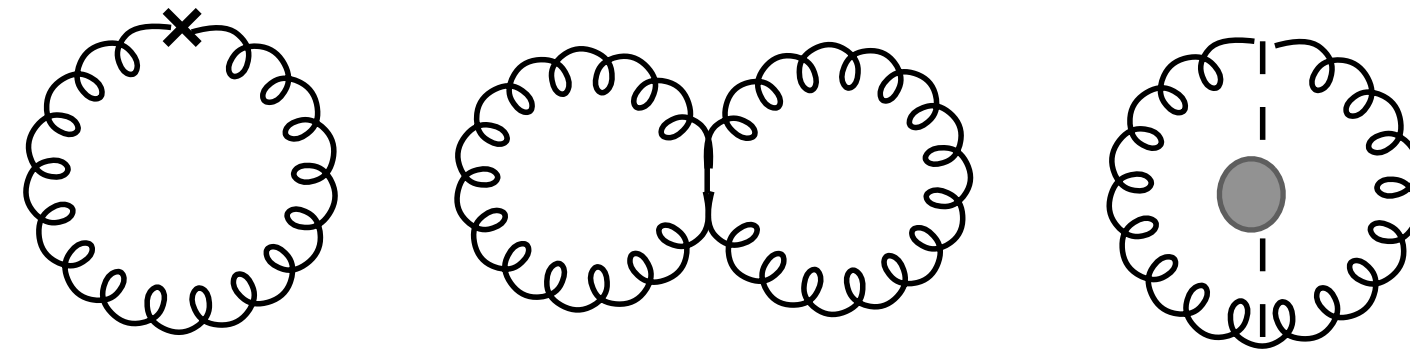
Obtain  $\omega$  by solving the gap equation

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta\omega} \langle \omega | H | \omega \rangle = 0$$



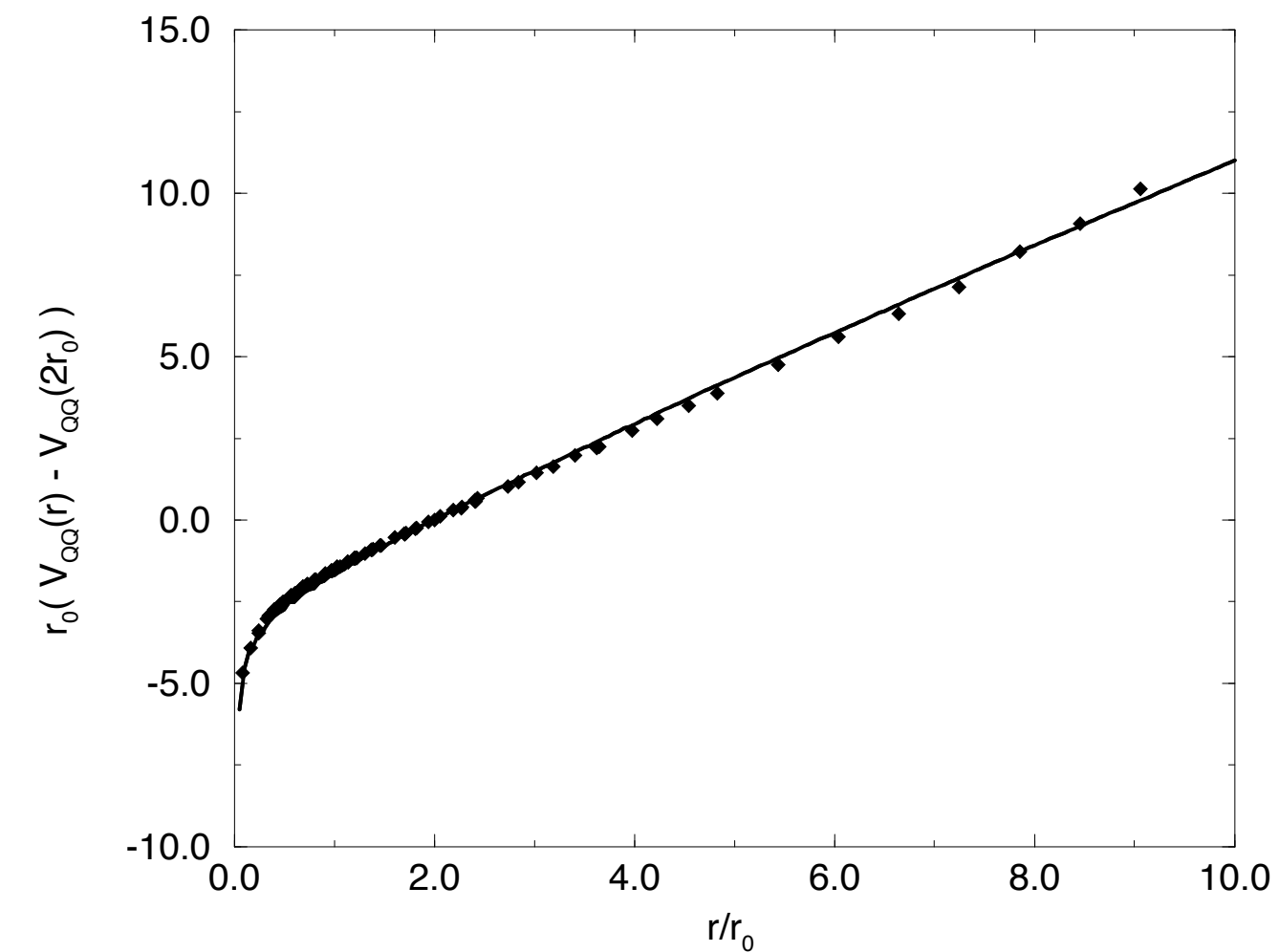
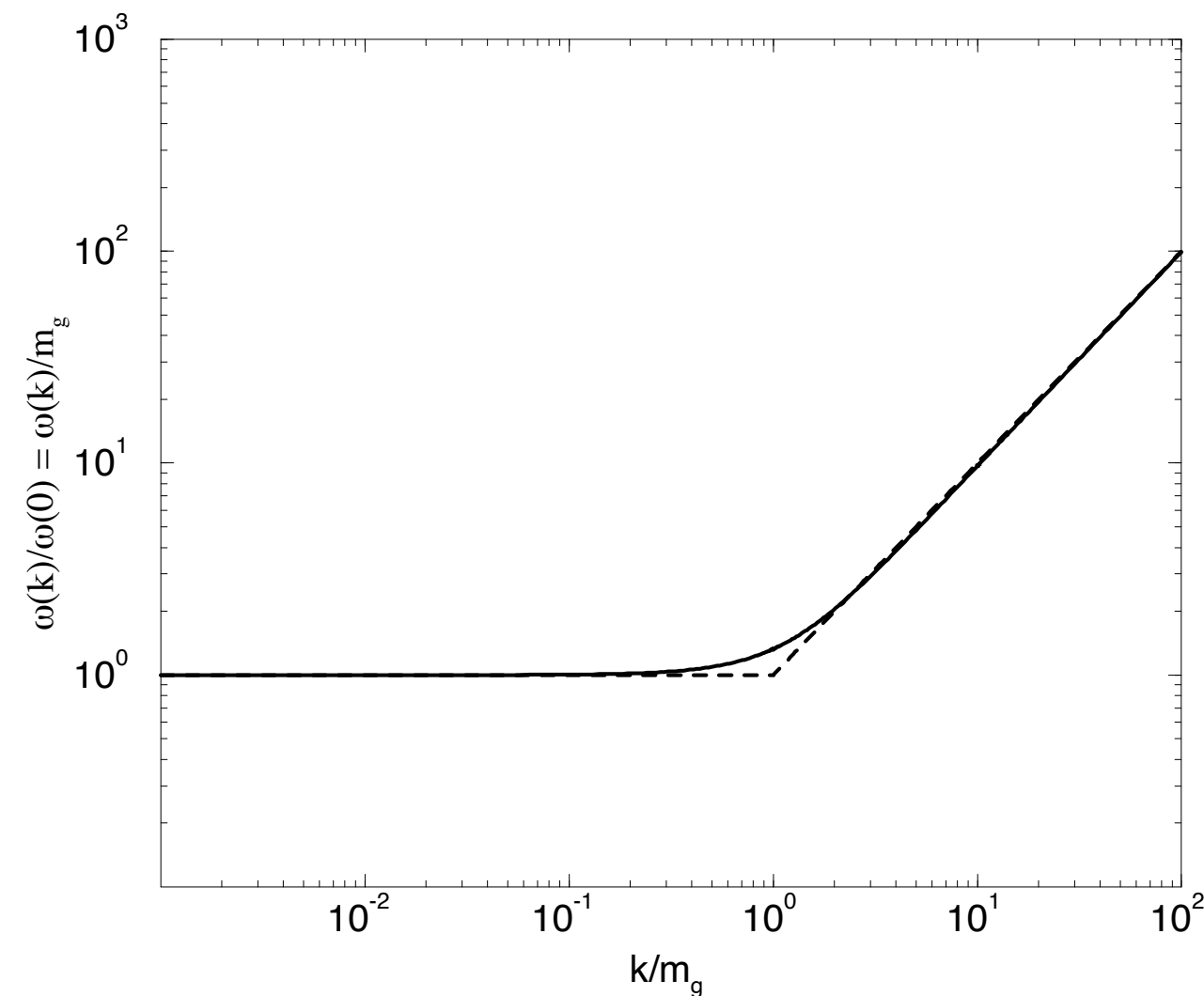
# Modelling: gluons

## Coulomb gauge QCD formalism



$$Z_{\Pi}^2(\Lambda)\omega^2(q; \Lambda) = Z_A^2(\Lambda)q^2 + Z_m(\Lambda)\Lambda^2 + g^2(\Lambda)\frac{N_c}{4} \int^{\Lambda} \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{(3 - (\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}})^2)}{\omega(k; \Lambda)} +$$

$$+ \frac{N_c}{4} \int^{\Lambda} \frac{d\mathbf{k}}{(2\pi)^3} K^{(0)}(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{q}; \Lambda)(1 + (\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}})^2) \frac{\omega^2(k; \Lambda) - \omega^2(q; \Lambda)}{\omega(k; \Lambda)}$$



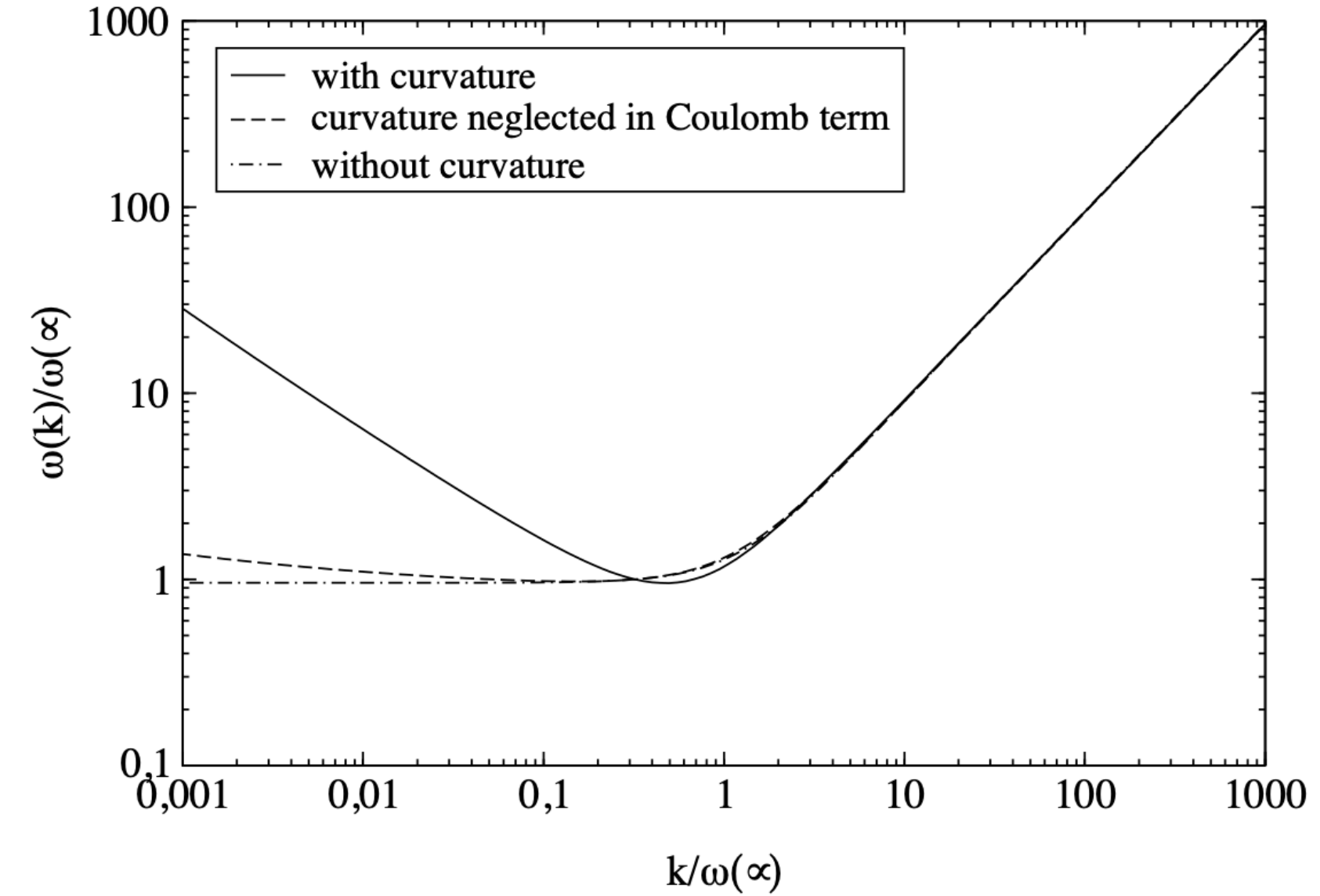
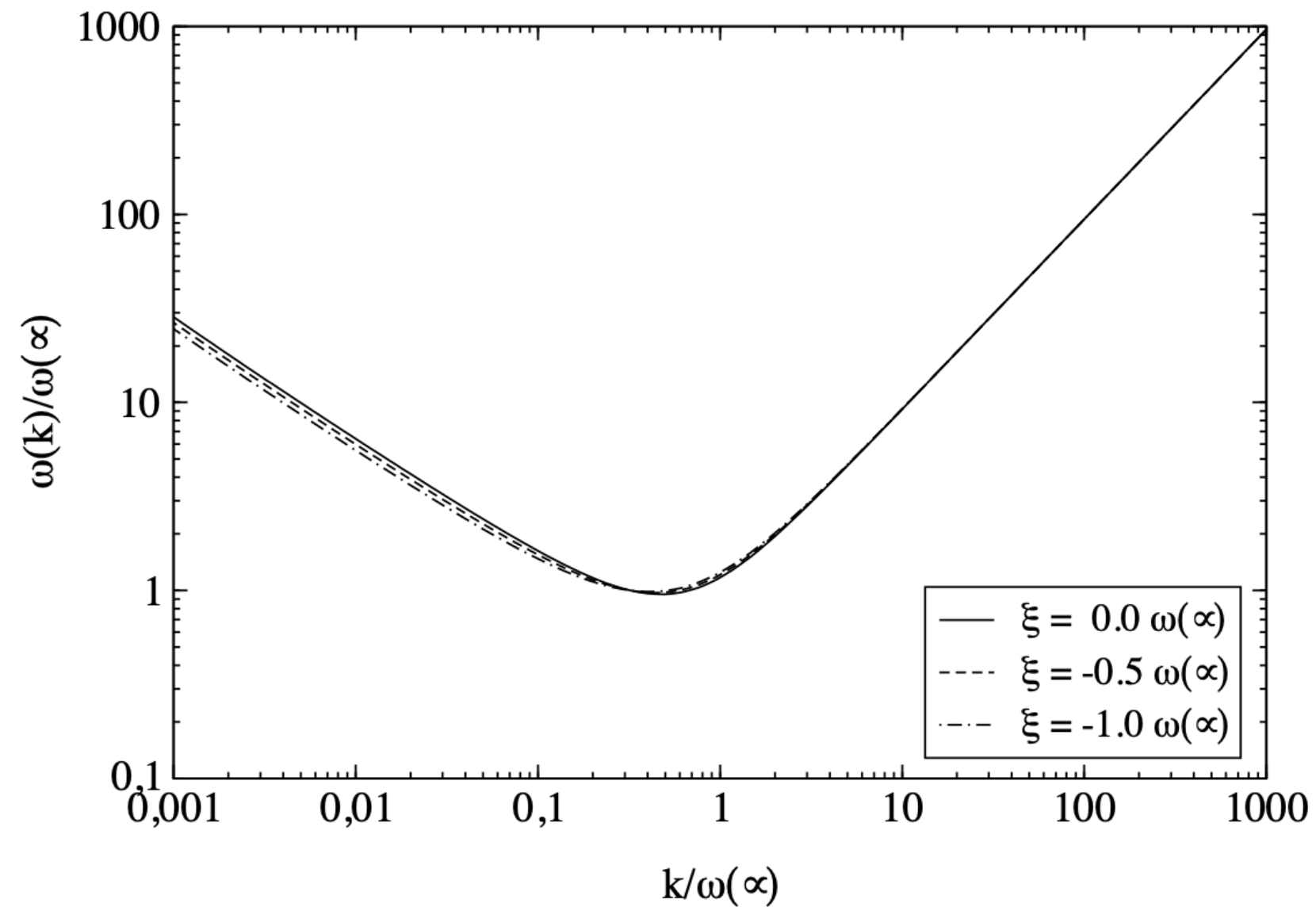
Coulomb gauge QCD, confinement, and the constituent representation,  
 A.P. Szczepaniak & E.S. Swanson, *Phys.Rev.D* 65 (2001) 025012.

# Modelling: gluons

## Coulomb gauge QCD formalism

$$\tilde{\Psi}[A] = \langle A|\omega\rangle = \mathcal{N} \exp \left[ -\frac{1}{2} \int d^3x \int d^3x' A_i^{\perp a}(\mathbf{x}) \omega(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') A_i^{\perp a}(\mathbf{x}') \right]$$

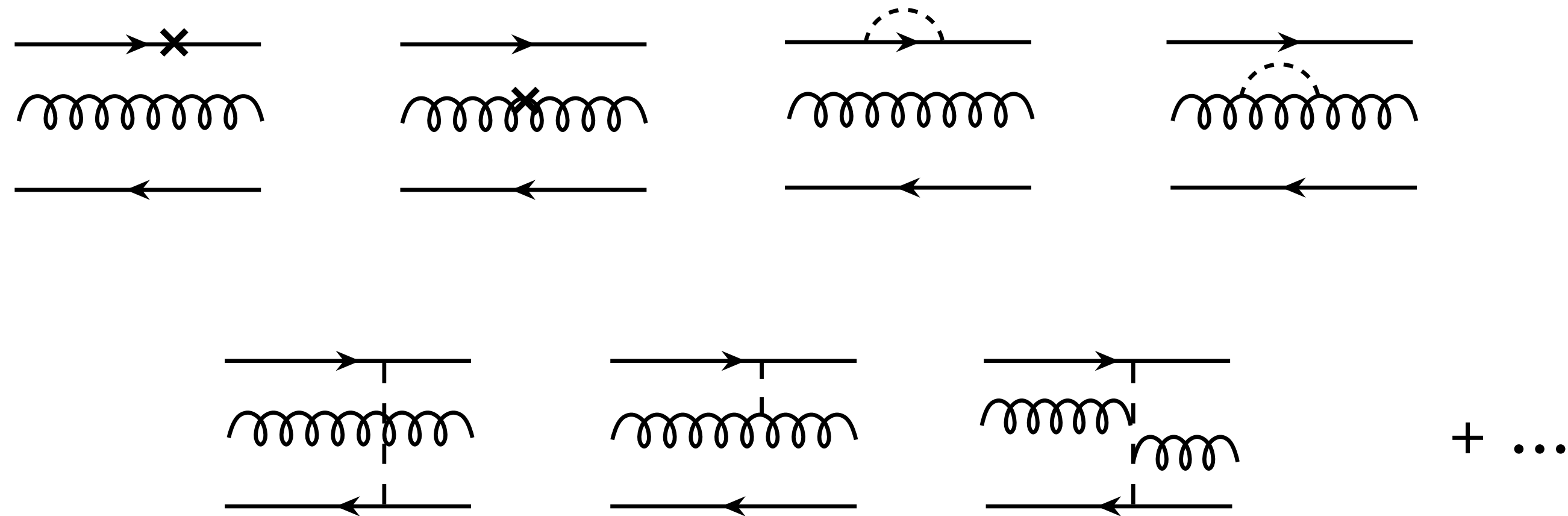
$$\Psi[A] = \mathcal{J}^{-\frac{1}{2}}[A] \tilde{\Psi}[A]$$



Variational solution of the Yang-Mills Schrödinger equation in Coulomb gauge,  
C. Feuchter & H. Reinhardt, hep-th/0408236.

# Modelling: gluons

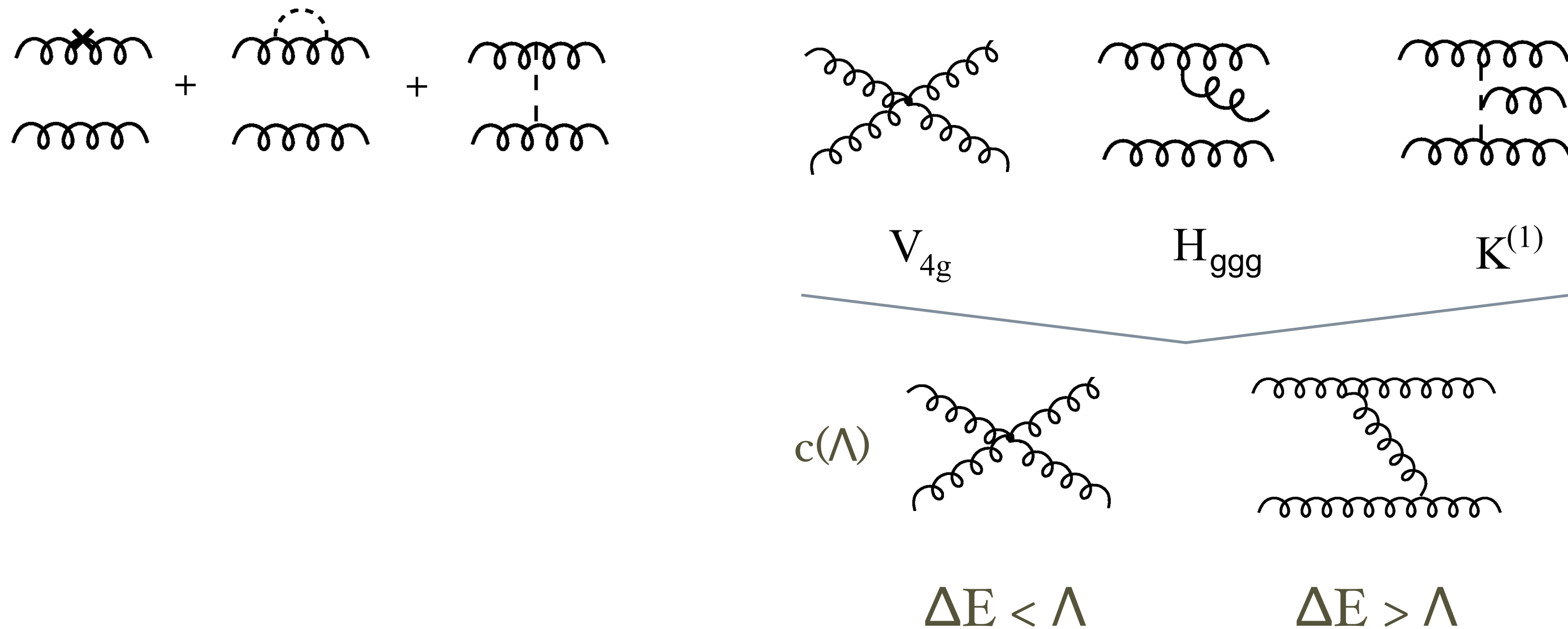
Coulomb gauge QCD formalism | Hybrids



$$\begin{aligned}
 |JM[LS\ell j_g \xi]\rangle &= \frac{1}{2} T_{ij}^A \int \frac{d^3 q}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d^3 k}{(2\pi)^3} \Psi_{j_g; \ell m_\ell}(\mathbf{k}, \mathbf{q}) \sqrt{\frac{2j_g + 1}{4\pi}} D_{m_g \mu}^{j_g*}(\hat{\mathbf{k}}) \chi_{\mu, \lambda}^{(\xi)} \\
 &\times \langle \frac{1}{2} m \frac{1}{2} \bar{m} | S M_S \rangle \langle \ell m_\ell, j_g m_g | L M_L \rangle \langle S M_S, L M_L | J M \rangle b_{\mathbf{q} - \frac{\mathbf{k}}{2}, i, m}^\dagger d_{-\mathbf{q} - \frac{\mathbf{k}}{2}, j, \bar{m}}^\dagger a_{\mathbf{k}, A, \lambda}^\dagger | 0 \rangle.
 \end{aligned}$$

# Modelling: gluons

Coulomb gauge QCD formalism | Glueballs



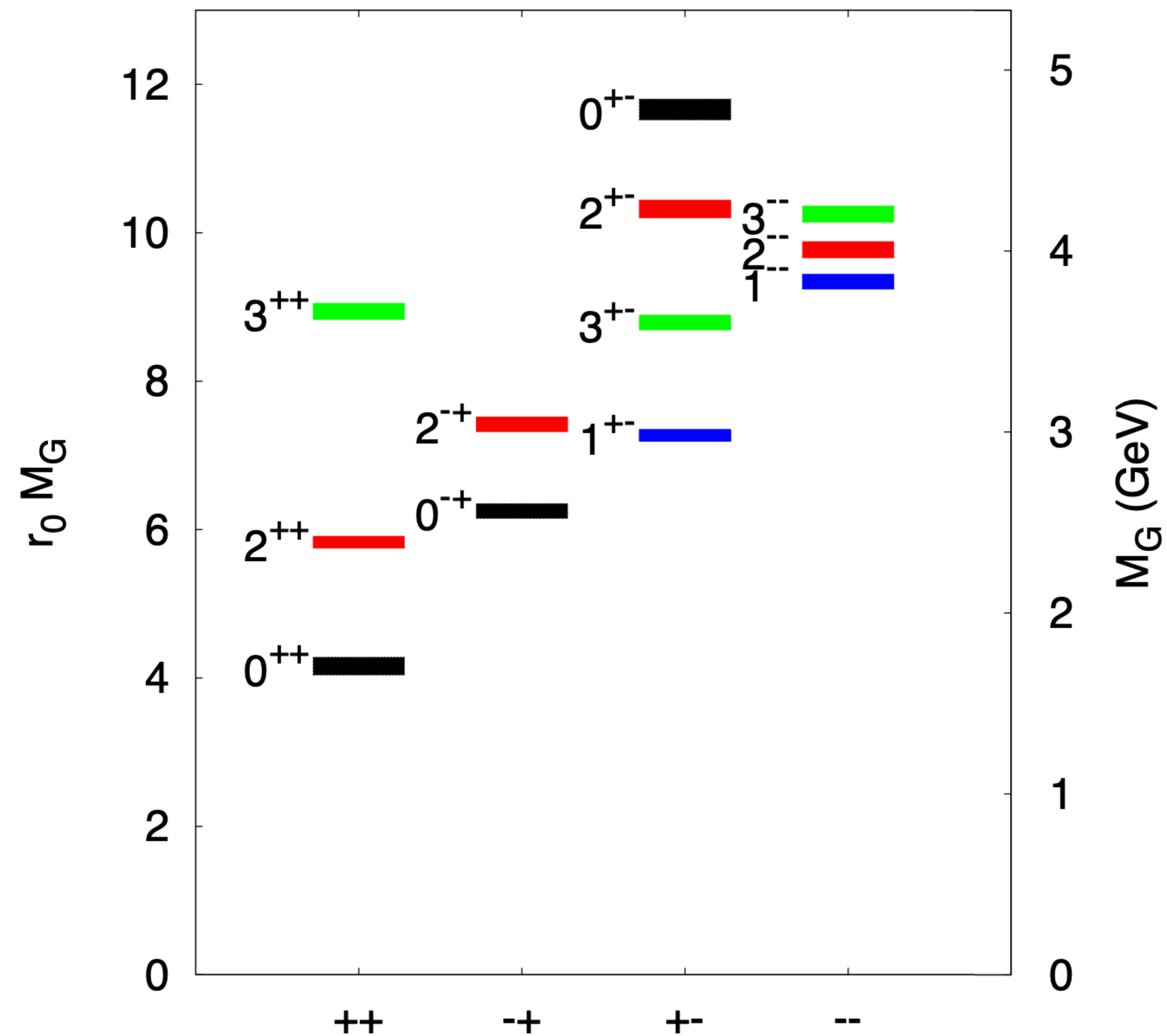
$$|JM; \lambda, \lambda'\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2(N_c^2 - 1)}} \sqrt{\frac{2J+1}{4\pi}} \int \frac{d^3k}{(2\pi)^3} \psi(k) D_{M, \lambda-\lambda'}^{J*}(\phi, \theta, -\phi) \Pi a^\dagger(k, \lambda, A) a^\dagger(-k, \lambda, A) |0\rangle$$

$$|JM; \eta\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|JM; \lambda, \lambda'\rangle + \eta |JM; -\lambda, -\lambda'\rangle)$$

# Modelling: gluons



glueballs à la lattice



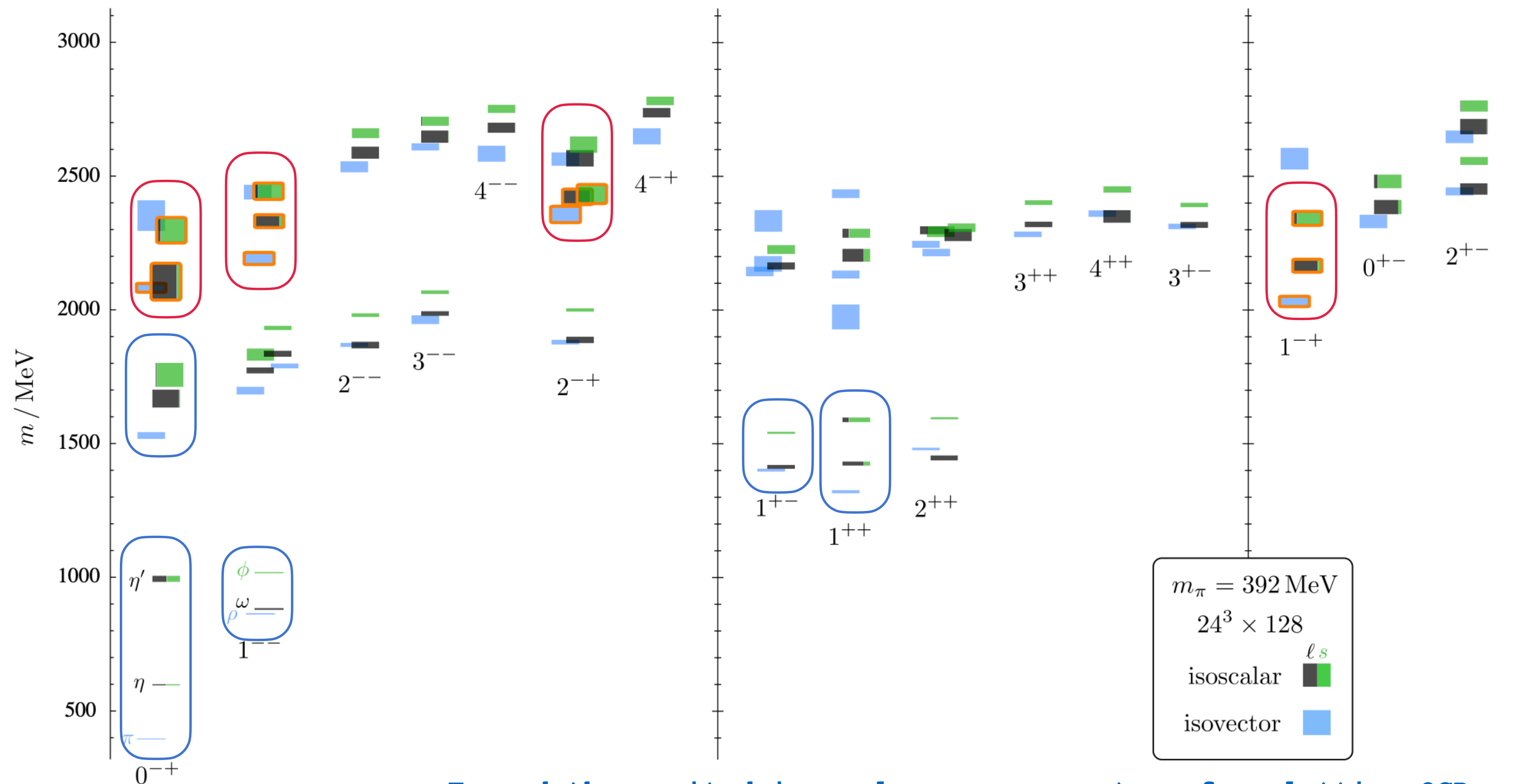
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# Modelling: gluons



hybrids à la lattice

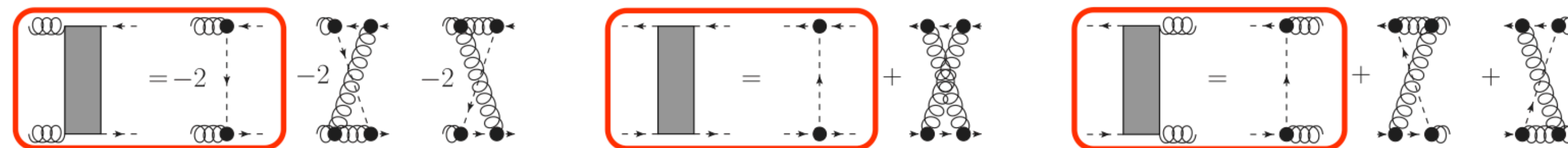
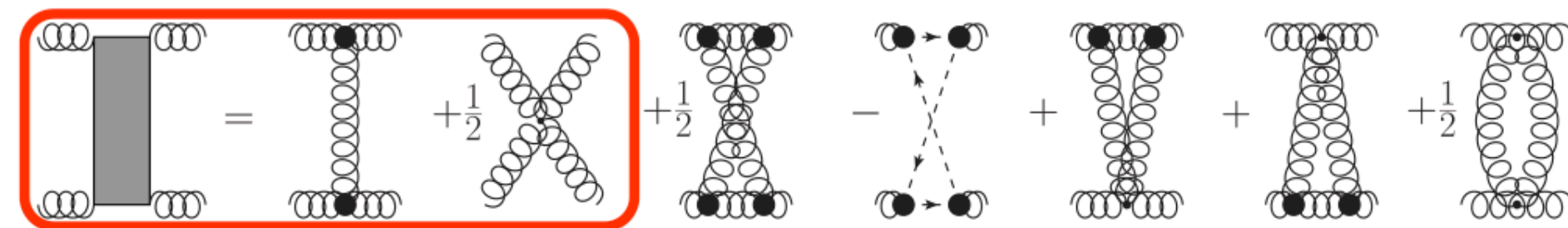
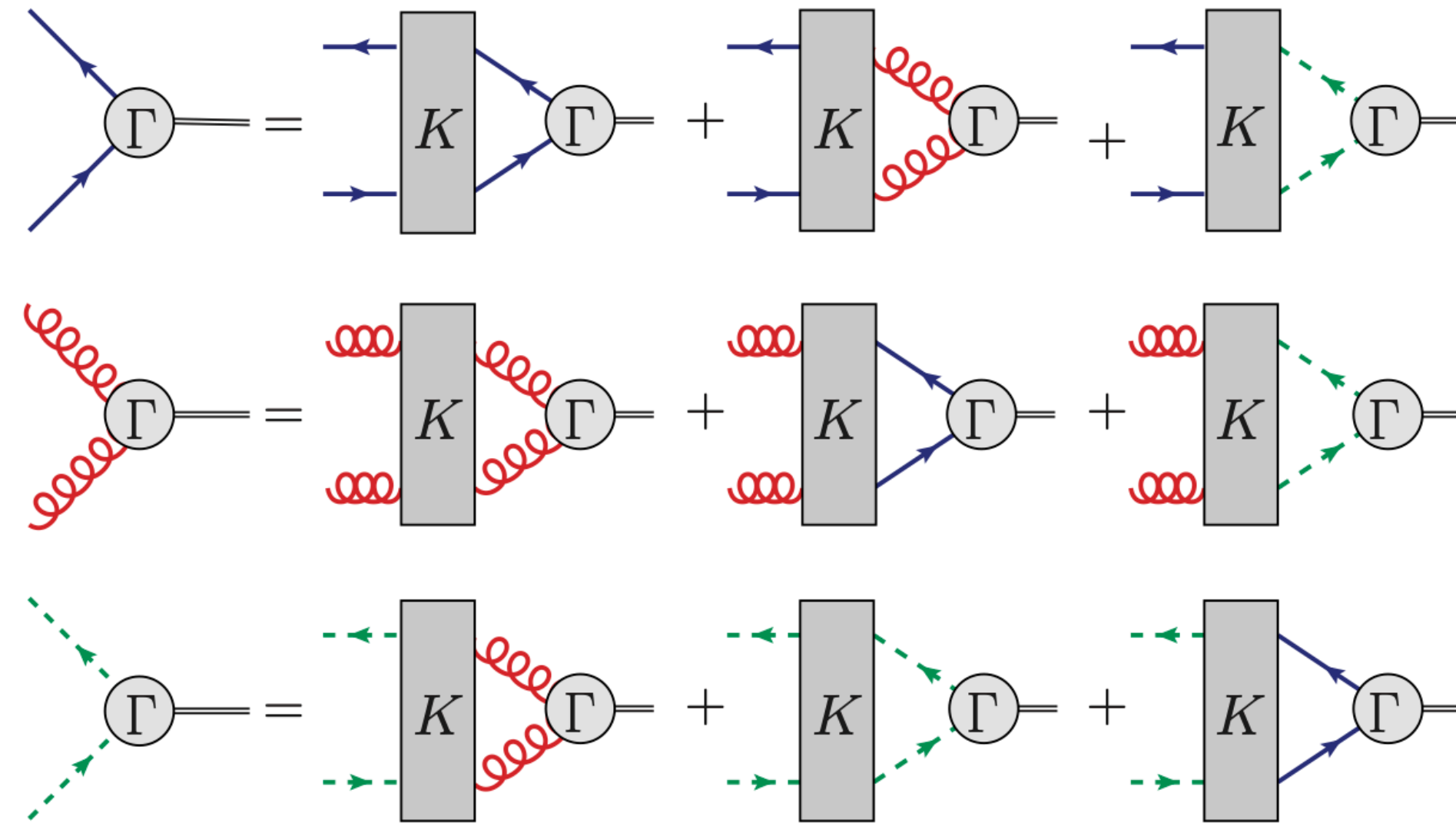
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Toward the excited isoscalar meson spectrum from lattice QCD,  
 [HadSpec] J.J. Dudek et al. Phys.Rev.D 88 (2013) 9, 094505.

# Modelling: gluons

## Bethe-Salpeter formalism

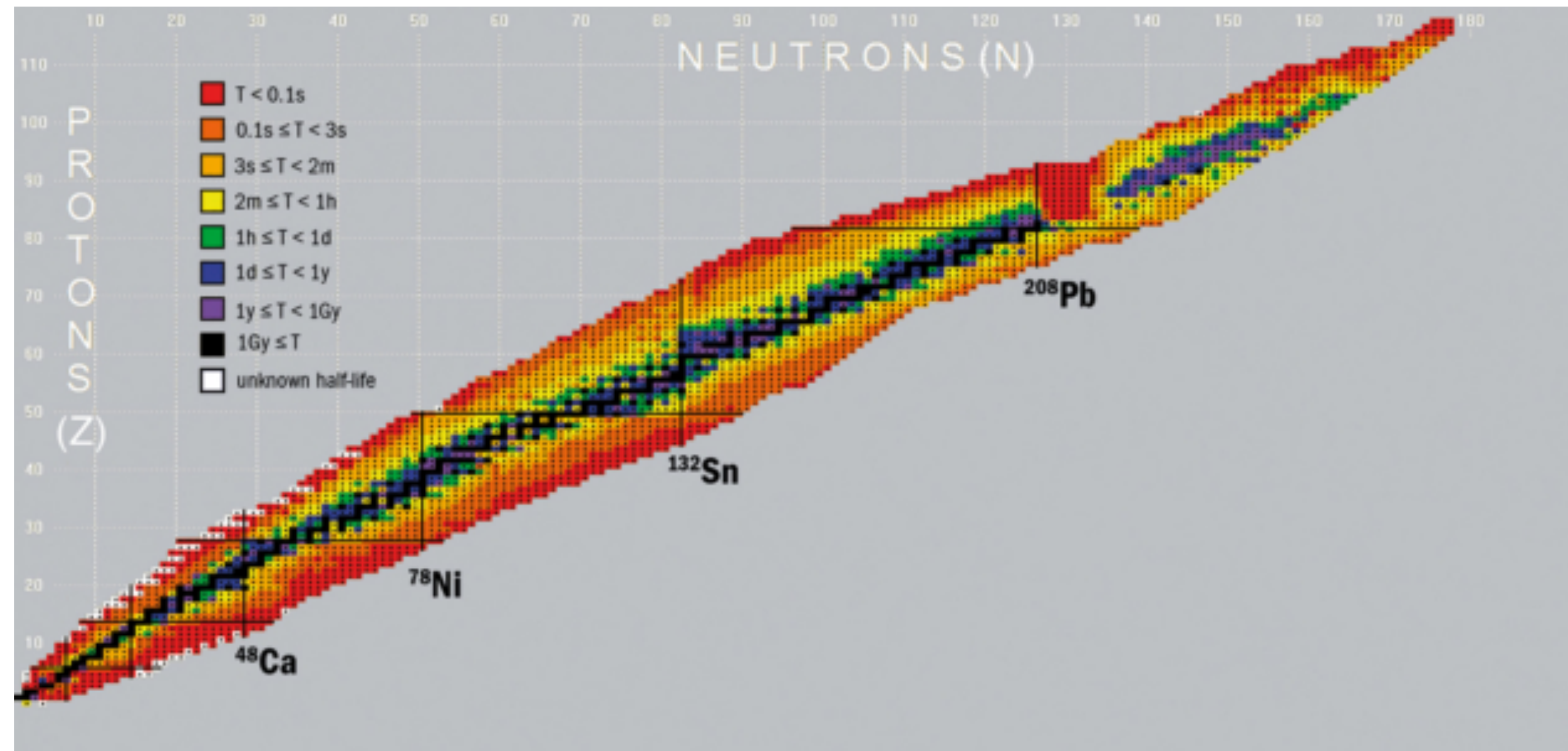


# multiquarks

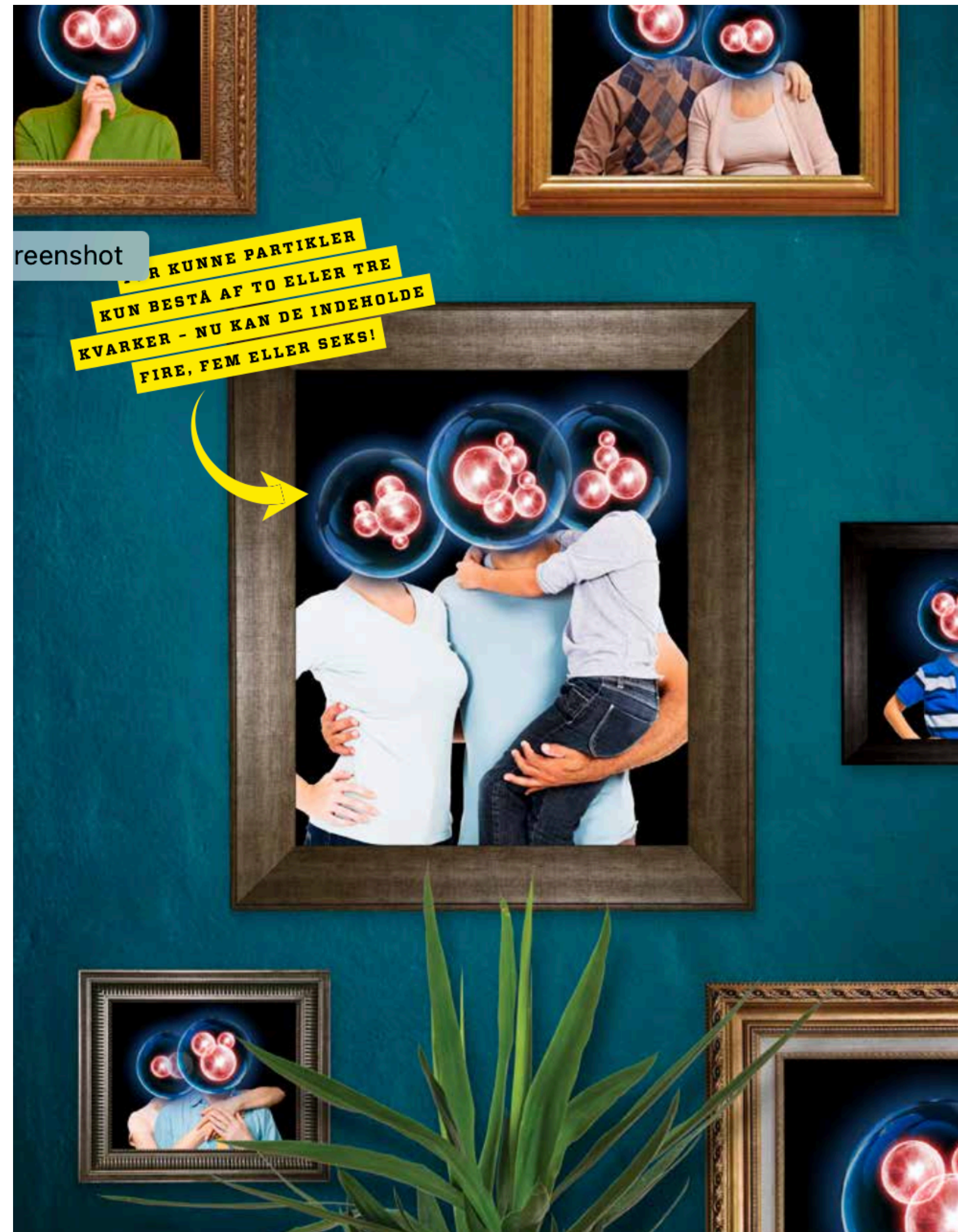
$$|M\rangle = |q\bar{q}\rangle + |q\bar{q}g\rangle + \boxed{|q\bar{q}q\bar{q}\rangle} + \dots$$



There are a lot of multiquarks!



# Multi-quark States



“Vi har nu en model, der på smukkeste vis forklarer data og for første gang indeholder alle de begrænsninger, data giver,” sagde fysikeren Tim Burns fra Swansea University ved offentliggørelsen.

# Multi-electron States

1946: Wheeler suggests that  $\text{Ps}_2$  might be bound

Wheeler, J. A. Polyelectrons. Ann. NY Acad. Sci. 48, 219-238 (1946).

1946: Ore proves it is unbound

1947: Hylleraas & Ore prove it is bound

Hylleraas, E. A. & Ore, A. Binding energy of the positronium molecule. Phys. Rev. 71, 493-496 (1947).

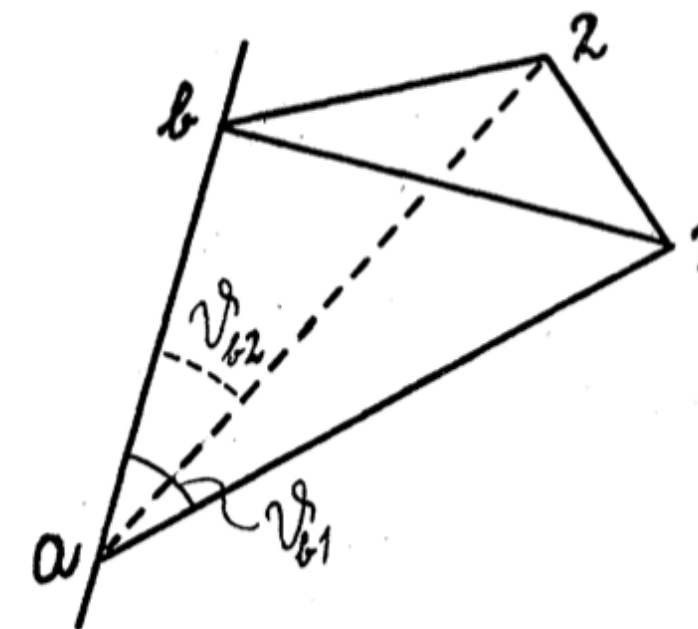


FIG. 1. Coordinate system for the positronium molecule.



2007:  $\text{Ps}_2$  is observed

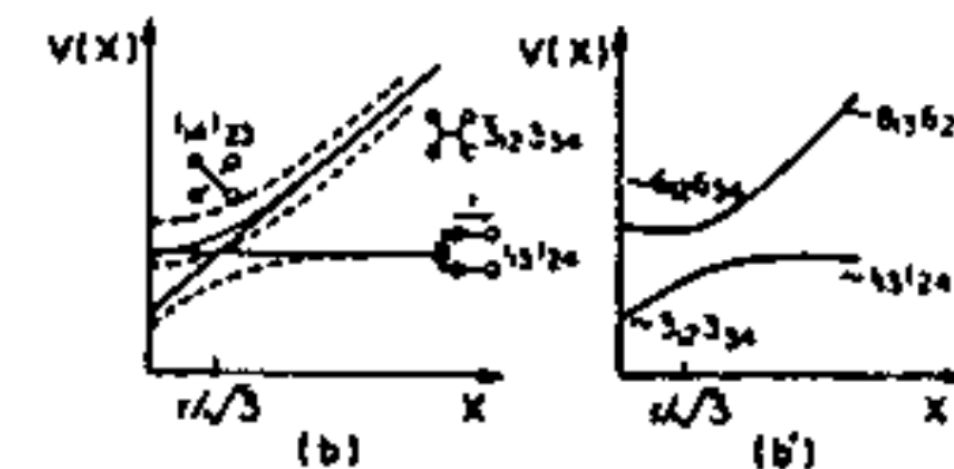
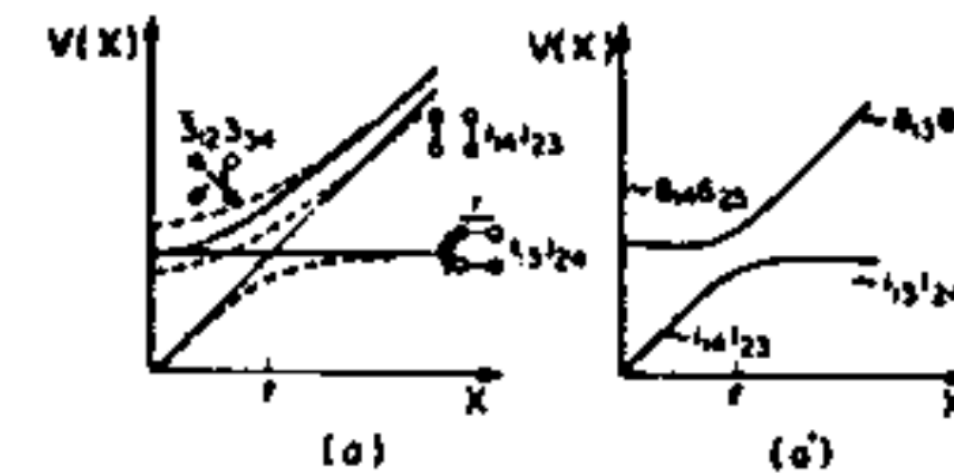
Cassidy, D.B.; Mills, A.P. (Jr.) (2007). "The production of molecular positronium". Nature 449 (7159): 195-197

# Multi-quarks through the ages

## B. The Multiquark Fiasco

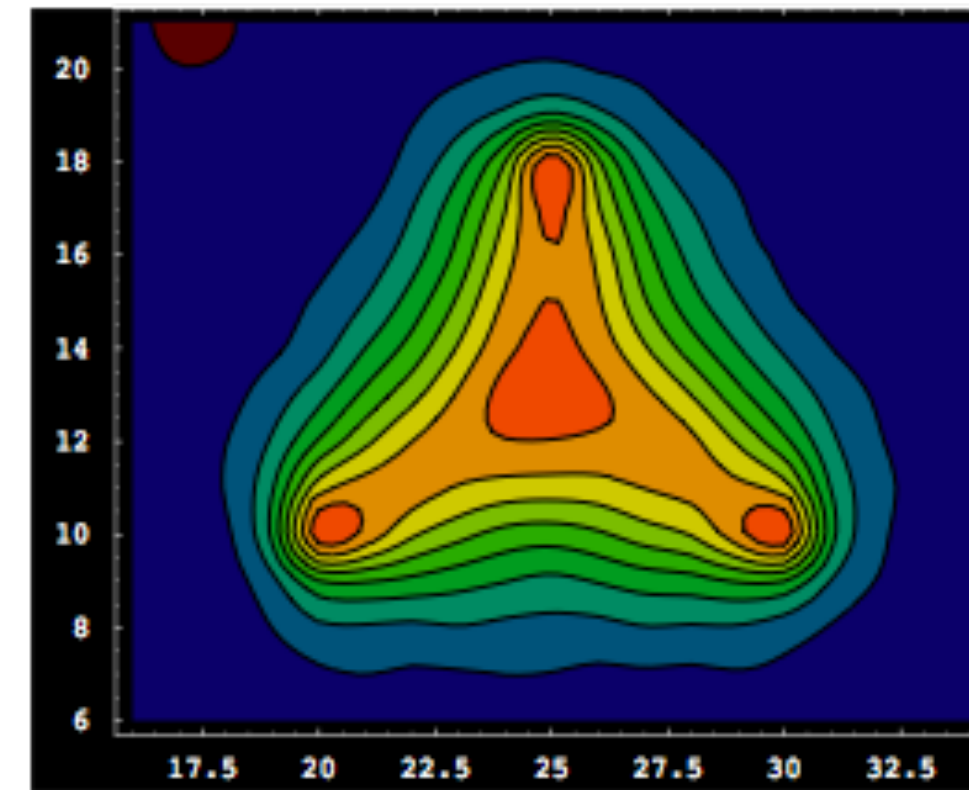
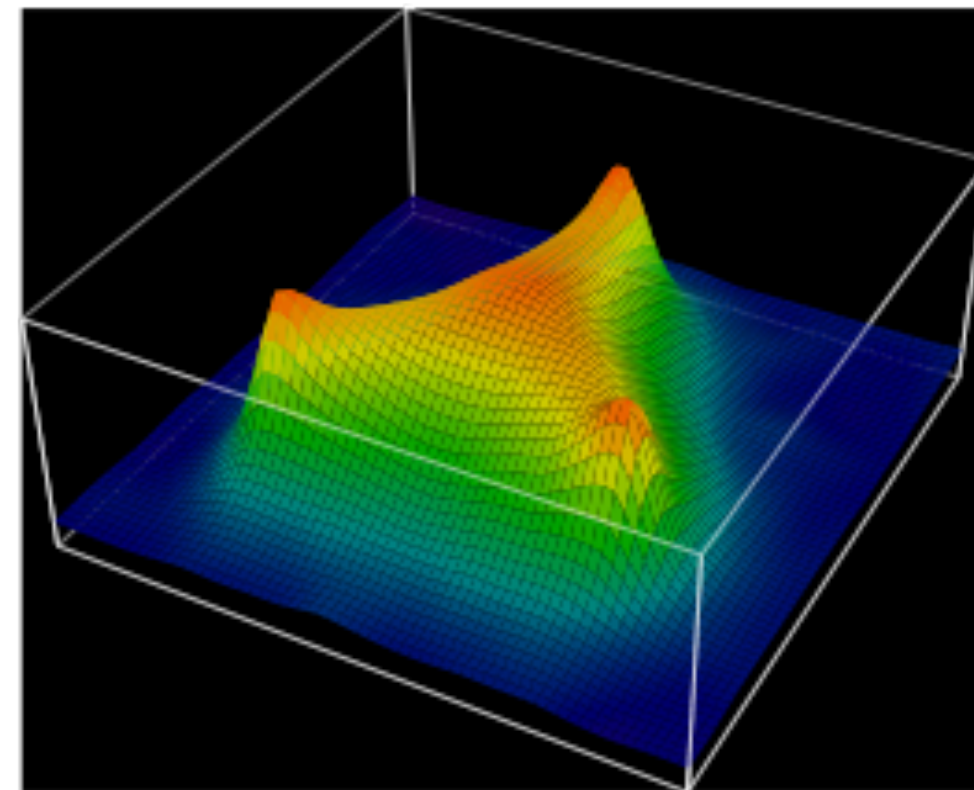
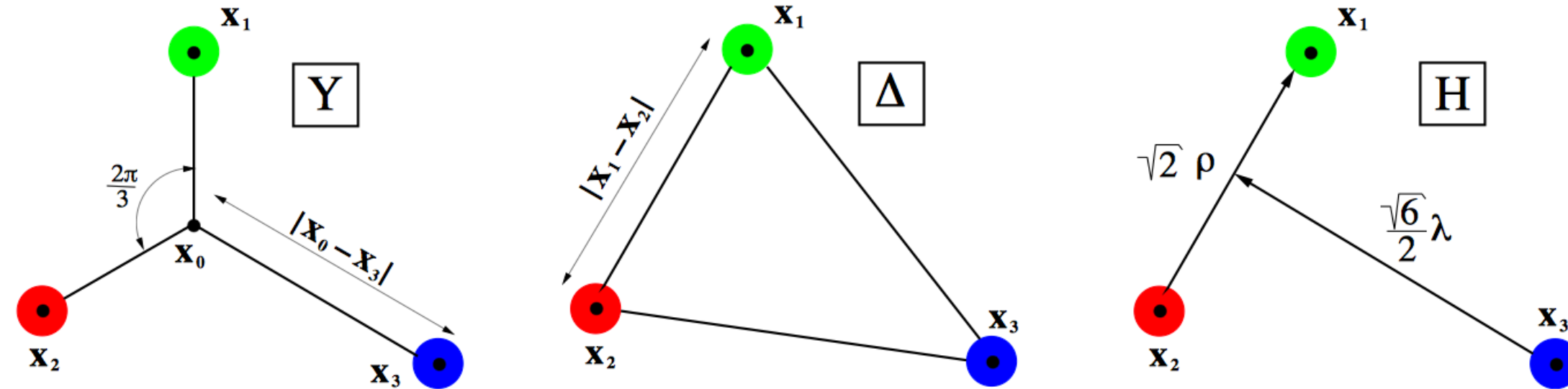
Multiquark physics has a somewhat unfortunate history. A confluence of dubious experimental results and dubious theoretical models in the late 1970's and early 1980's created, indeed, a multiquark fiasco. I am not competent to discuss what went wrong experimentally, but let me review the theoretical side of this fiasco in order to place it in perspective and thereby, I hope, point the way toward a better understanding of multiquark systems.

The story is basically one of throwing caution to the winds. Modelers from at least four different camps were, it seems to me, guilty:



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# What is the interaction?

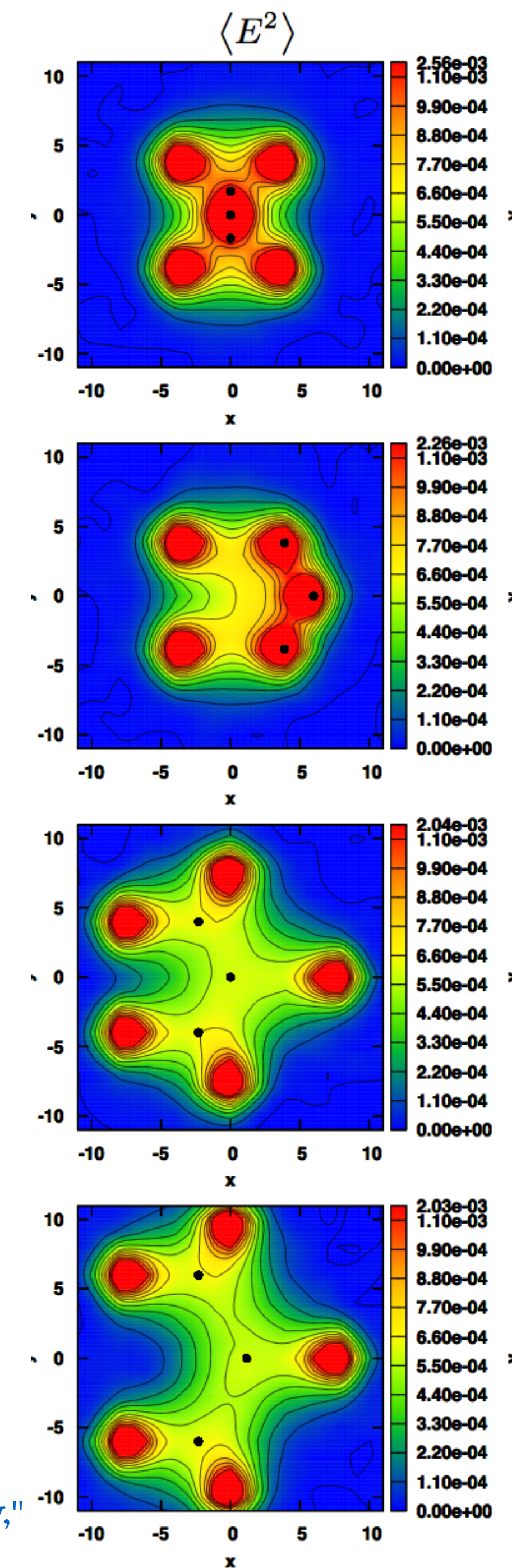
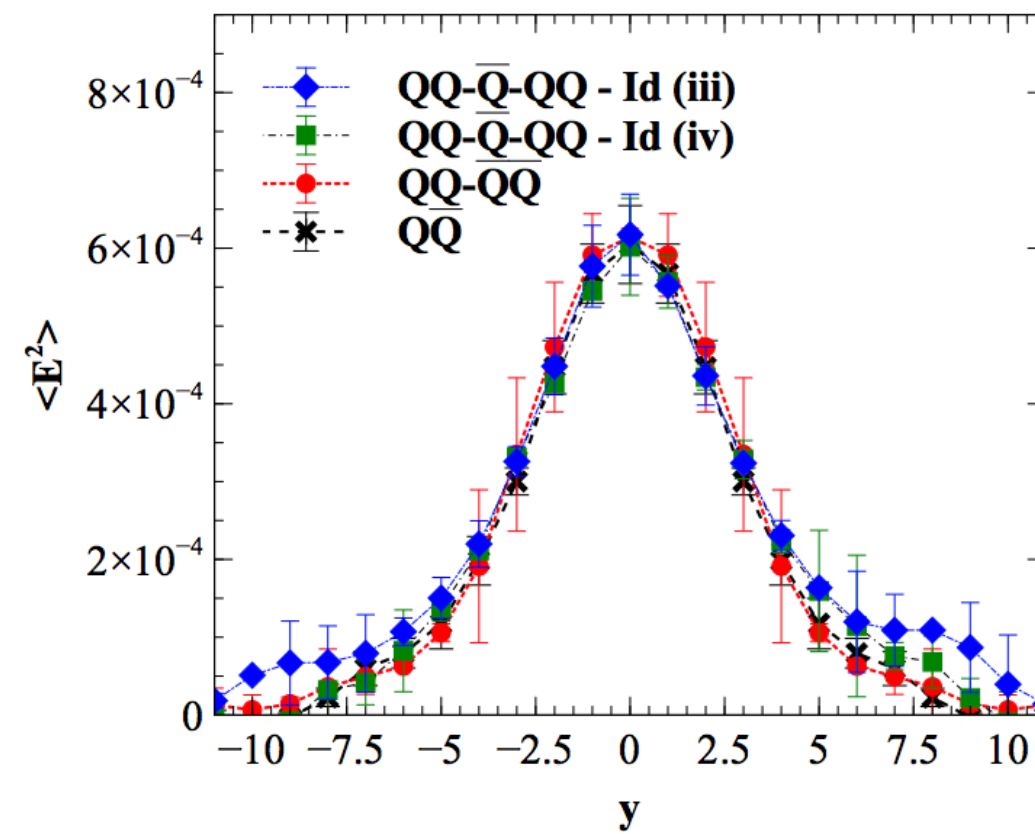
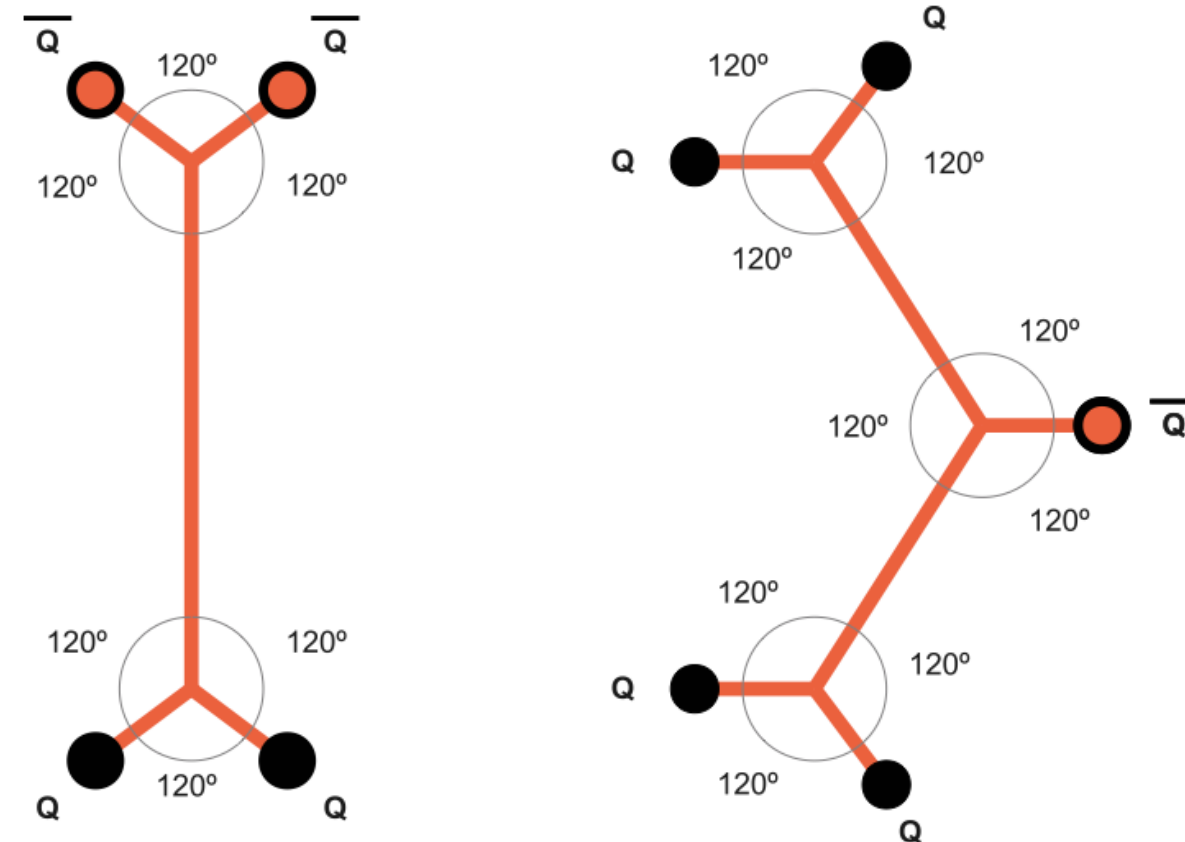


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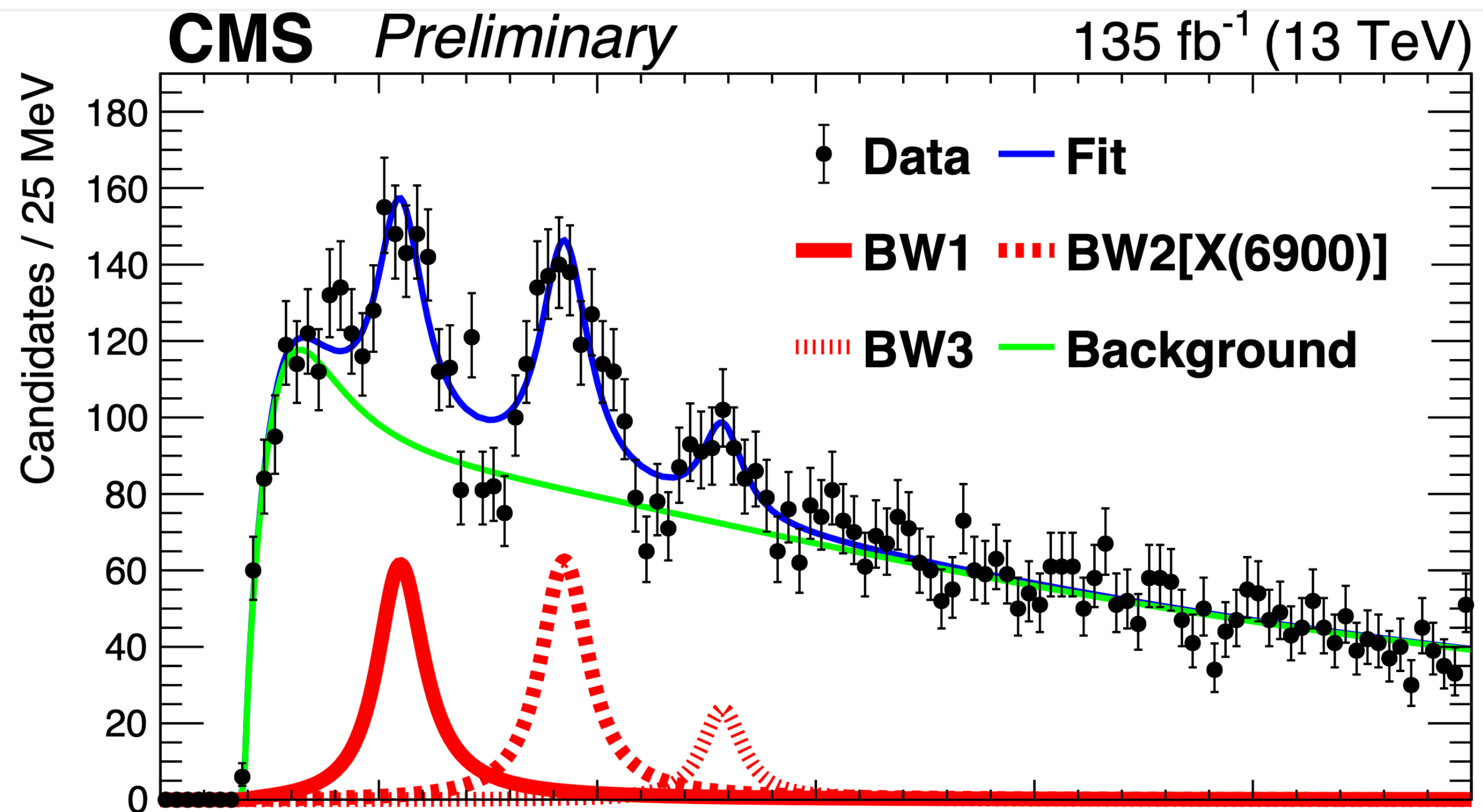


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# an example application

## Multiquark Exotics $cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$



<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2815336>

# An Example Problem

A simple nonrelativistic constituent model

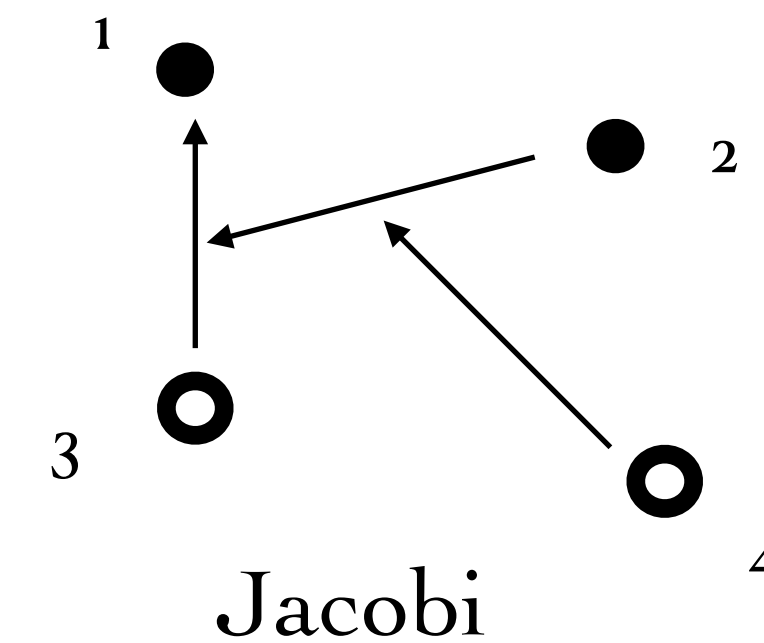
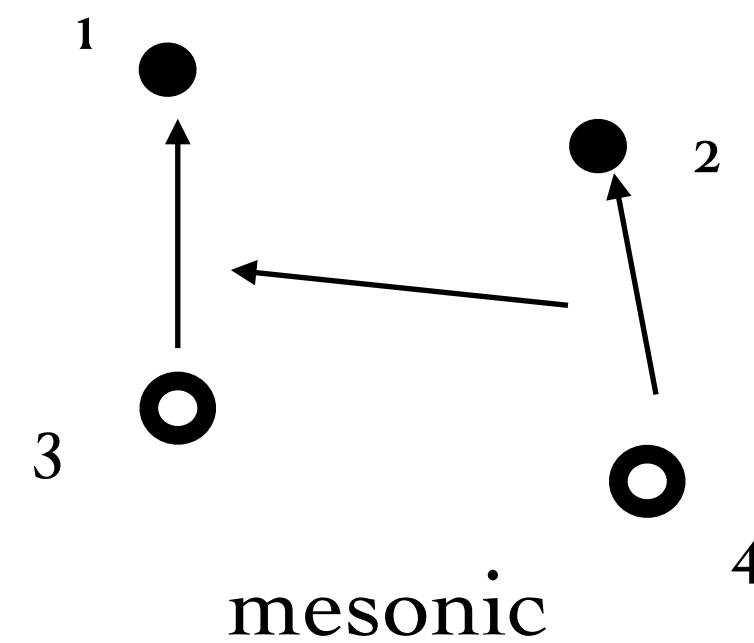
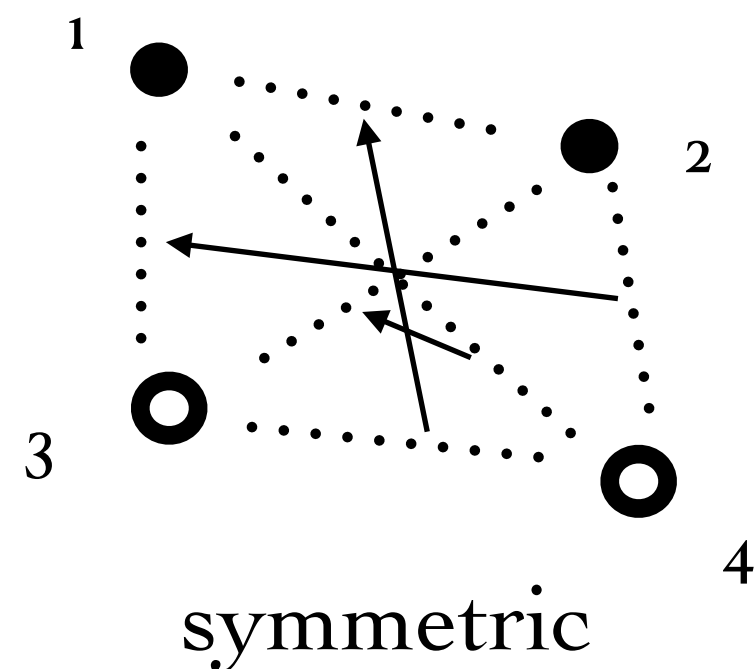
$$H = - \sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{\nabla_i^2}{2m_i} + \frac{1}{2}k \sum_{i<j} r_{ij}^2 \vec{\lambda}_i \cdot \vec{\lambda}_j$$



Possible colour states:

$$|1_{13}1_{24}\rangle, |1_{23}1_{14}\rangle \quad \text{or} \quad |\bar{3}\bar{3}\rangle, |6\bar{6}\rangle \quad \text{or} \quad |1_{13}1_{24}\rangle, |8_{13}8_{24}\rangle.$$

Possible coordinate systems:





# An Example Problem

Symmetric-3/6 form:

$$H = -\frac{1}{2}(\nabla_x^2 + \nabla_y^2 + \nabla_z^2) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{\kappa}{2} \begin{pmatrix} 2x^2 + 2y^2 + \frac{4}{3}z^2 & -\sqrt{2}(x^2 - y^2) \\ -\sqrt{2}(x^2 - y^2) & x^2 + y^2 + \frac{10}{3}z^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

How does one solve this problem?

[We would like as full a spectrum as possible, including possible resonances.]

# Computational Methods

## Variational Resonating Group

J.A. Wheeler, PR52, 1107 (1937)

T. Kato, Prog Theor Phys 6, 394 (1951); L. Hulthen, Ark Mat Astr Fys A35, 25, (1948).

$$\psi = \sum_{c,I,S,\alpha,\beta} \mathcal{C}_c \phi_I \chi_S \psi_\alpha(\rho_1, \lambda_1) \psi_\beta(\rho_2, \lambda_2) F_{cIS\alpha\beta}(R)$$

$$\mathcal{L}u_L = \left( \frac{d^2}{dR^2} - \frac{L(L+1)}{R^2} + k^2 \right) u_L + \int W^{(L)}(R, R') u_L(R') dR' = 0$$

$$\delta \left( S_L + \frac{i}{2k} \int u_L \mathcal{L}u_L \right) = 0$$

$$u_L = \sum_i c_i \begin{cases} \gamma_i \chi_i^{(L)}, & R < R_c \\ kR[h_L^{(-)}(kR) + s_i h_L^{(+)}(kR)], & R > R_c \end{cases}$$

# Computational Methods

## Variational Resonating Group

Vary wrt the  $c_i$  to obtain

$$\sum_j \mathcal{M}_{ij} c_j = \mathcal{M}_i$$

$$\mathcal{M}_{ij} = K_{ij} - K_{i0} - K_{0j} + K_{00} \quad \mathcal{M}_j = K_{00} - K_{j0} \quad K_{ij} = \int \phi_i \mathcal{L}_L(\phi_j) dR$$

$$K_{ij} = \gamma_i \gamma_j \left[ \int_0^{R_c} \chi_i(R) \left( \frac{d^2}{dR^2} - \frac{L(L+1)}{R^2} + k^2 \right) \chi_j(R) dR + \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty \chi_i(R) W^{(L)}(R, R') \chi_j(R') dR dR' \right]$$

Choose the  $\chi_i^{(L)}$  such that all integrals can be done analytically. Solve the linear equations, evaluate the functional at the stationary point, and obtain S.

# Computational Methods

## Lanczos Algorithm

1. Let  $v_1 \in \mathbb{C}^n$  be an arbitrary vector with [Euclidean norm](#) 1.
2. Abbreviated initial iteration step:
  1. Let  $w'_1 = Av_1$ .
  2. Let  $\alpha_1 = w'^*_1 v_1$ .
  3. Let  $w_1 = w'_1 - \alpha_1 v_1$ .
3. For  $j = 2, \dots, m$  do:
  1. Let  $\beta_j = \|w_{j-1}\|$  (also [Euclidean norm](#)).
  2. If  $\beta_j \neq 0$ , then let  $v_j = w_{j-1}/\beta_j$ ,  
 else pick as  $v_j$  an arbitrary vector with Euclidean norm 1 that is orthogonal to all of  $v_1, \dots, v_{j-1}$ .
  3. Let  $w'_j = Av_j$ .
  4. Let  $\alpha_j = w'^*_j v_j$ .
  5. Let  $w_j = w'_j - \alpha_j v_j - \beta_j v_{j-1}$ .

[work with a discrete (grid) basis -> simple to evaluate  $H|\varphi\rangle!$ ]

4. Let  $V$  be the matrix with columns  $v_1, \dots, v_m$ . Let  $T =$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 & \beta_2 & & & & 0 \\ \beta_2 & \alpha_2 & \beta_3 & & & \\ & \beta_3 & \alpha_3 & \ddots & & \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \beta_{m-1} & \\ & & & \beta_{m-1} & \alpha_{m-1} & \beta_m \\ 0 & & & & \beta_m & \alpha_m \end{pmatrix}.$$

[overcomes stability problems(!)]

# Computational Methods

## Lanczos Algorithm

### Hydrogen naive 3d approach

```
./BoxHydrogen -N 320 -x 14 [33M x 33M !!]  
[slow convergence in Lanczos iterations...]  
  
295: -0.4990305889 -0.1245724433 -0.0326180510  
296: -0.4990305889 -0.1245748623 -0.0327418135  
297: -0.4990305889 -0.1245771746 -0.0328625434  
298: -0.4990305889 -0.1245793873 -0.0329804546  
299: -0.4990305889 -0.1245815035 -0.0330955698
```

### Helium naive 6d Cartesian discretization

```
./BoxHeliumC -N 26 -x 12 (309M^2)  
  
37: -1.9144083947 -1.4707632674 -1.3666560990  
38: -1.9144083947 -1.4707925755 -1.3677339189  
39: -1.9144083947 -1.4708129613 -1.3686194909
```

run into trouble as we need a larger grid

# Computational Methods

## Guided Random Walks

T. Barnes, G.J. Daniell, and D. Storey, Nucl. Phys. B265 [FS15] (1986) 253.

T. Barnes and E.S. Swanson, PRB37, 9405 (1988)

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A simple and more direct version of the Greens function quantum Monte Carlo method, leveraging the mapping between random walks and the Euclidean time Schrödinger equation

# Computational Methods

## Guided Random Walks

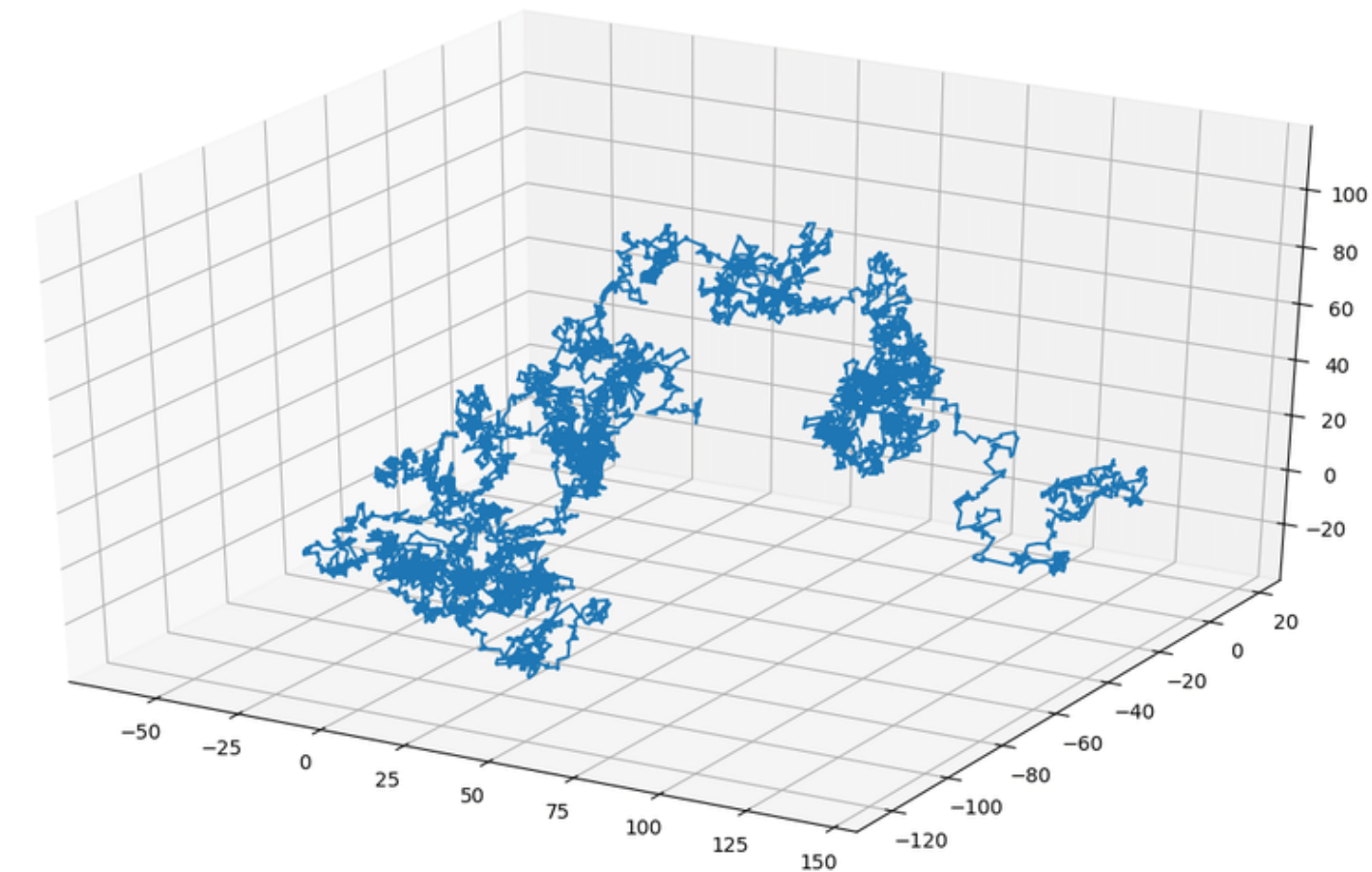
$$-\dot{\psi}(x') = \langle x' | H \psi | x' \rangle = \langle x' | H_0 | x' \rangle \psi(x') + \sum_{x \neq x'} \langle x' | H_I | x \rangle \psi(x)$$

Associate a weight with each walk

$$w(\tau) = \exp\left[-\int_0^\tau a(\tau) d\tau\right].$$

$$-\dot{Q}(x', \tau) = \left[ \sum_{x \neq x'} r(x, x') + a(\tau) \right] Q(x', \tau) - \sum_{x \neq x'} r(x, x') Q(x, \tau)$$

Walk to large Euclidian time and extract the energy.



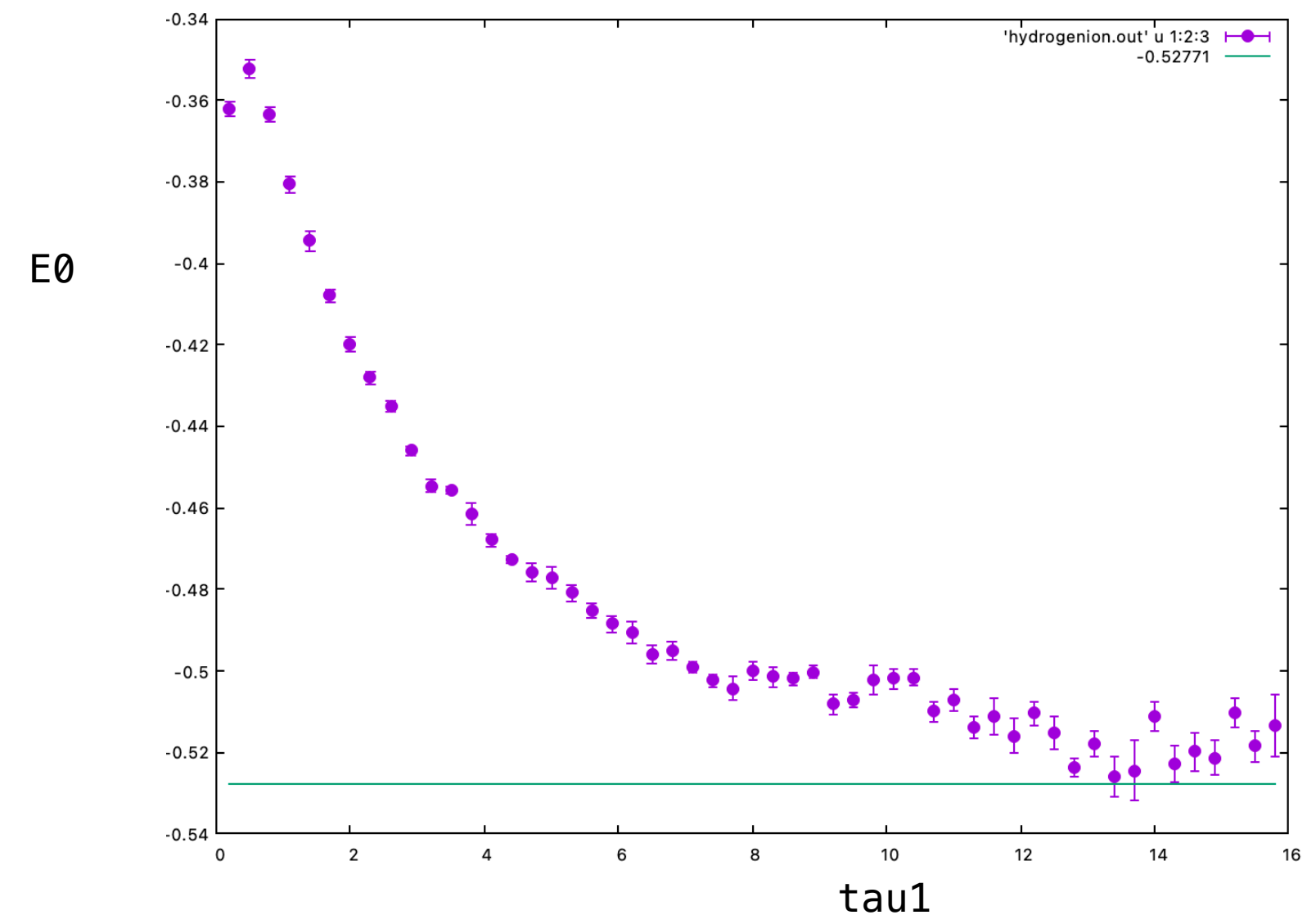
$$r(x \rightarrow x') = -\langle x' | H_I | x \rangle \frac{\varphi(x')}{\varphi(x)}$$

$$W_{trans} = \prod_{x \rightarrow x'} \left[ -\frac{\langle x' | H_I | x \rangle}{r(x, x')} \right]$$

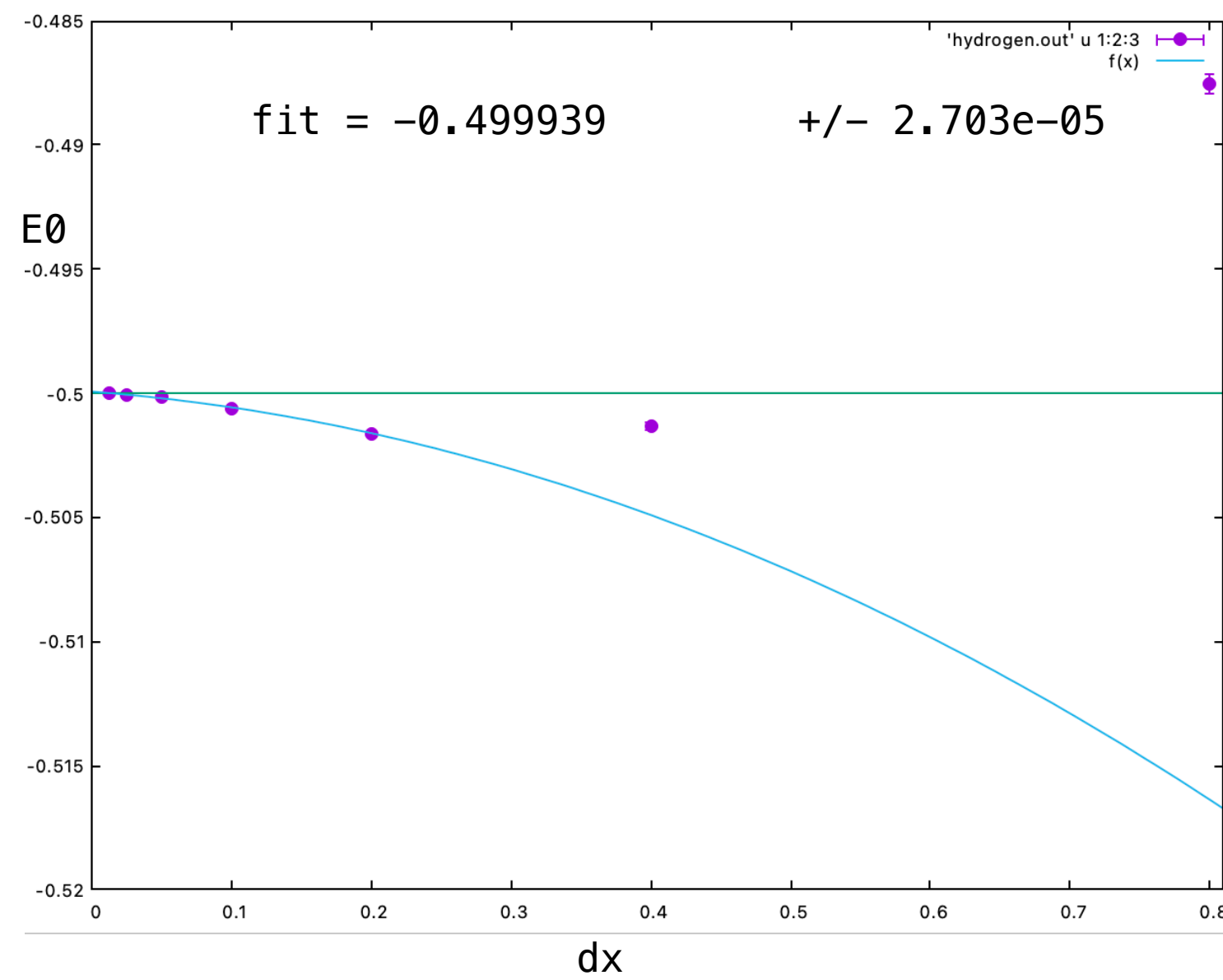
# Computational Methods

## Guided Random Walks

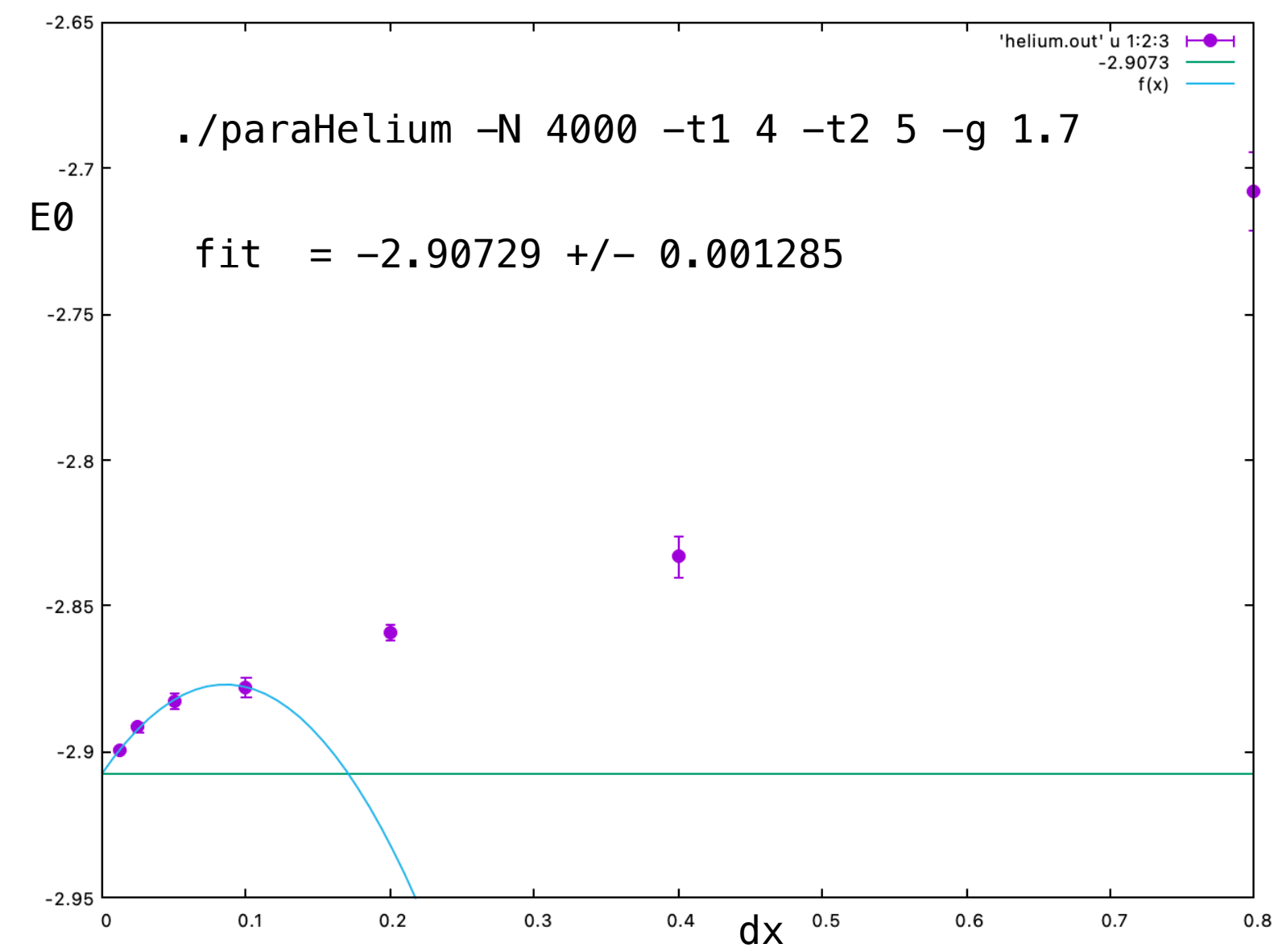
### hydrogen ion



### hydrogen



### para helium, $E_0 = -2.9073$





# Computational Methods

## Guided Random Walks

### Ps2

```
SWANSONE@PHYAST-LWQG1H7VT0 GRW % time ./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .1
-0.51502 +/- 0.00903268
./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .1 317.81s user 0.28s system 688% cpu 46.204 total

SWANSONE@PHYAST-LWQG1H7VT0 GRW % time ./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .05
-0.520122 +/- 0.0102292
./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .05 1273.68s user 1.35s system 715% cpu 2:58.29 total

SWANSONE@PHYAST-LWQG1H7VT0 GRW % time ./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .025
-0.513579 +/- 0.00678113
./Ps2 -N 9000 -g .4 -t1 14 -t2 15 -d .025 4996.82s user 11.28s system 735% cpu 11:21.18 total
```

# Computational Methods

## Variational

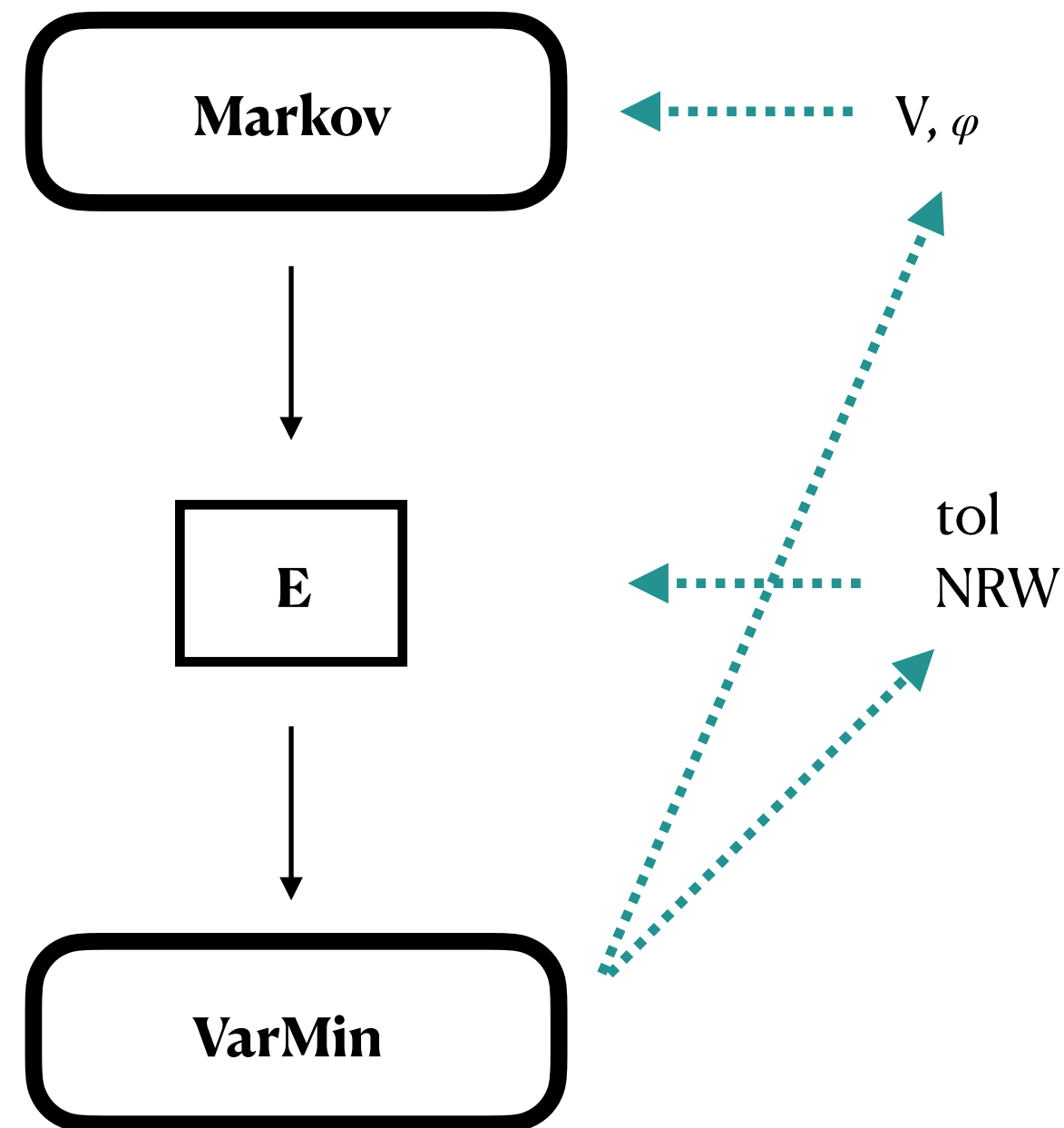
Once again, the grid is our friend

$$E_0 \sim \sum_{iC} |\psi_{iC}|^2 \cdot \left[ \sum_{C'} V_i^{CC'} \frac{\psi_{iC'}}{\psi_{iC}} + \frac{2}{2m\delta^2} - \frac{1}{2m\delta^2} \frac{\psi_{i+1C}}{\psi_{iC}} - \frac{1}{2m\delta^2} \frac{\psi_{i-1C}}{\psi_{iC}} \right]$$

- evaluate with adaptive parallelized MCMC
- minimize the Ansatz with a variety of schemes (simulated annealing -> simplex walk -> differential evolution)
- minimizing a function with errors? -> adjust MCMC statistics as required as the minimum is approached
- user interface requires  $V$  and the Ansatz

# Computational Methods

## Variational



## Ps2

Eo[Suzuki]= -0.51600

```
VAR % ./Ps2Var  
fcn eval time (ms): 102
```

```
test eval -0.494706  
*** resetting NRW to 40000 [0.0728424 | 0.00226158]  
quick scan: -0.500108 +/- 0.00185215  
params: 0.52 0.07  
number of function evaluations: 80
```

```
*** resetting NRW to 40000 [0.138703 | 0.00438151]  
anneal: -0.500108 +/- 0.00185215  
params: 0.52 0.07  
number of function evaluations: 401
```

```
*** resetting NRW to 40000 [0.14088 | 0.00377591]  
diff evo: -0.499023 +/- 0.00129373  
params: 0.517881 0.0758662  
number of function evaluations: 79
```

```
*** resetting NRW to 40000 [0.247881 | 0.00477687]  
simplex: -0.499023 +/- 0.00129373  
params: 0.517881 0.0758662  
number of function evaluations: 6
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final min: -0.499023 +/- 0.00129373

high stats estimate -0.500641 +/- 0.000200992 << 3%

# Computational Methods

## Complex Scaling

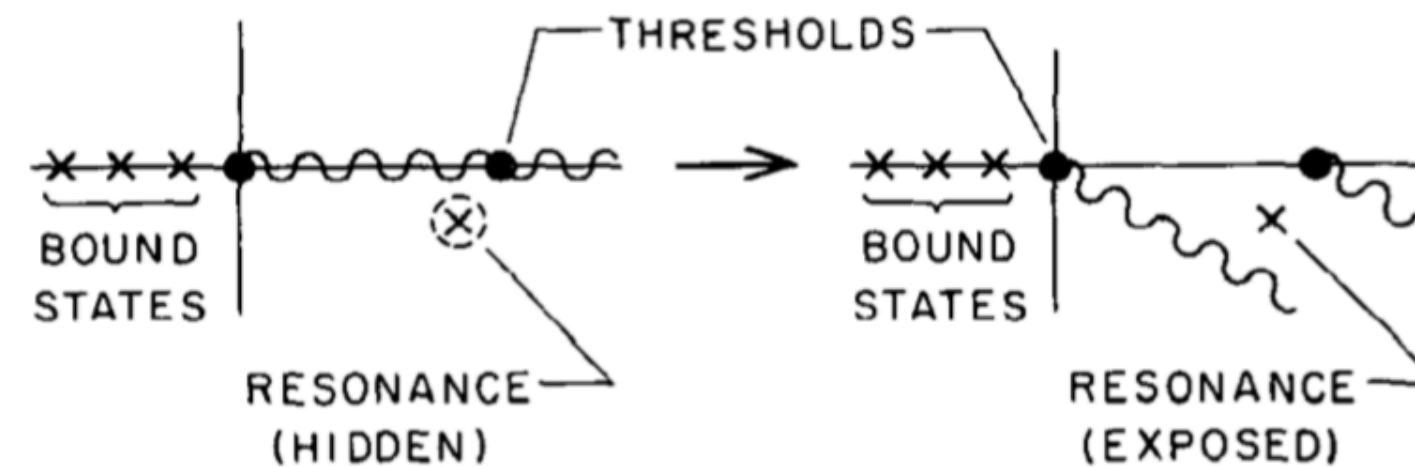
The idea:

"complexify" coordinates:

$$U(\theta)rU^\dagger(\theta) = r \exp(i \theta)$$

$$U(\theta)pU^\dagger(\theta) = p \exp(-i \theta)$$

to reveal poles of the Schrödinger equation

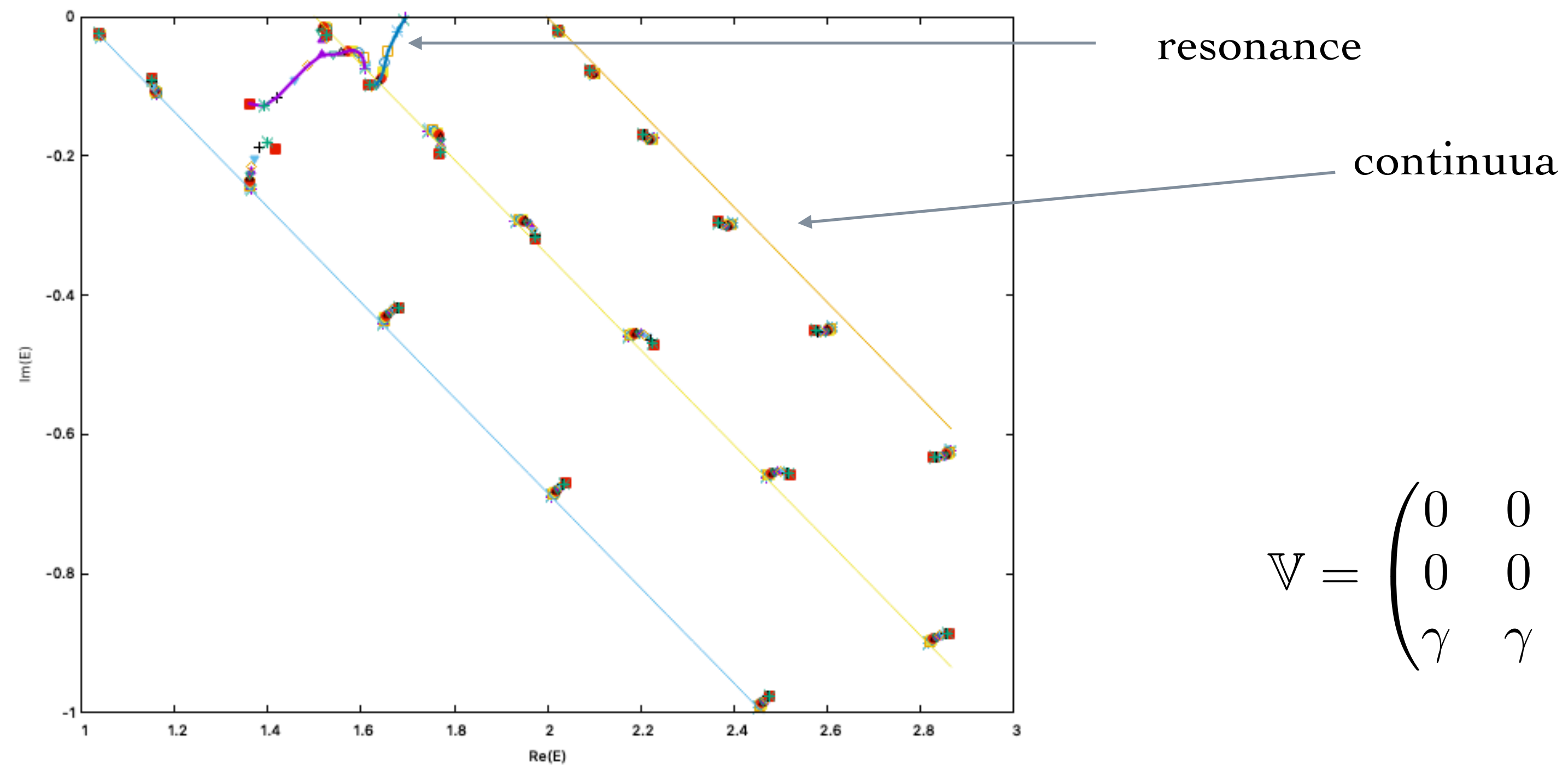


*Figure 3* Effect of dilatation transformation on a many-body Hamiltonian. Again bound states and thresholds are invariant. However, as the continua rotate, complex resonance eigenvalues may be exposed. Such eigenvalues correspond to poles of the resolvent  $R_\phi(z)$ , but are "hidden" on a higher sheet if  $\theta = 0$ , and will be exposed if the cuts are appropriately moved.

# Computational Methods

## Complex Scaling

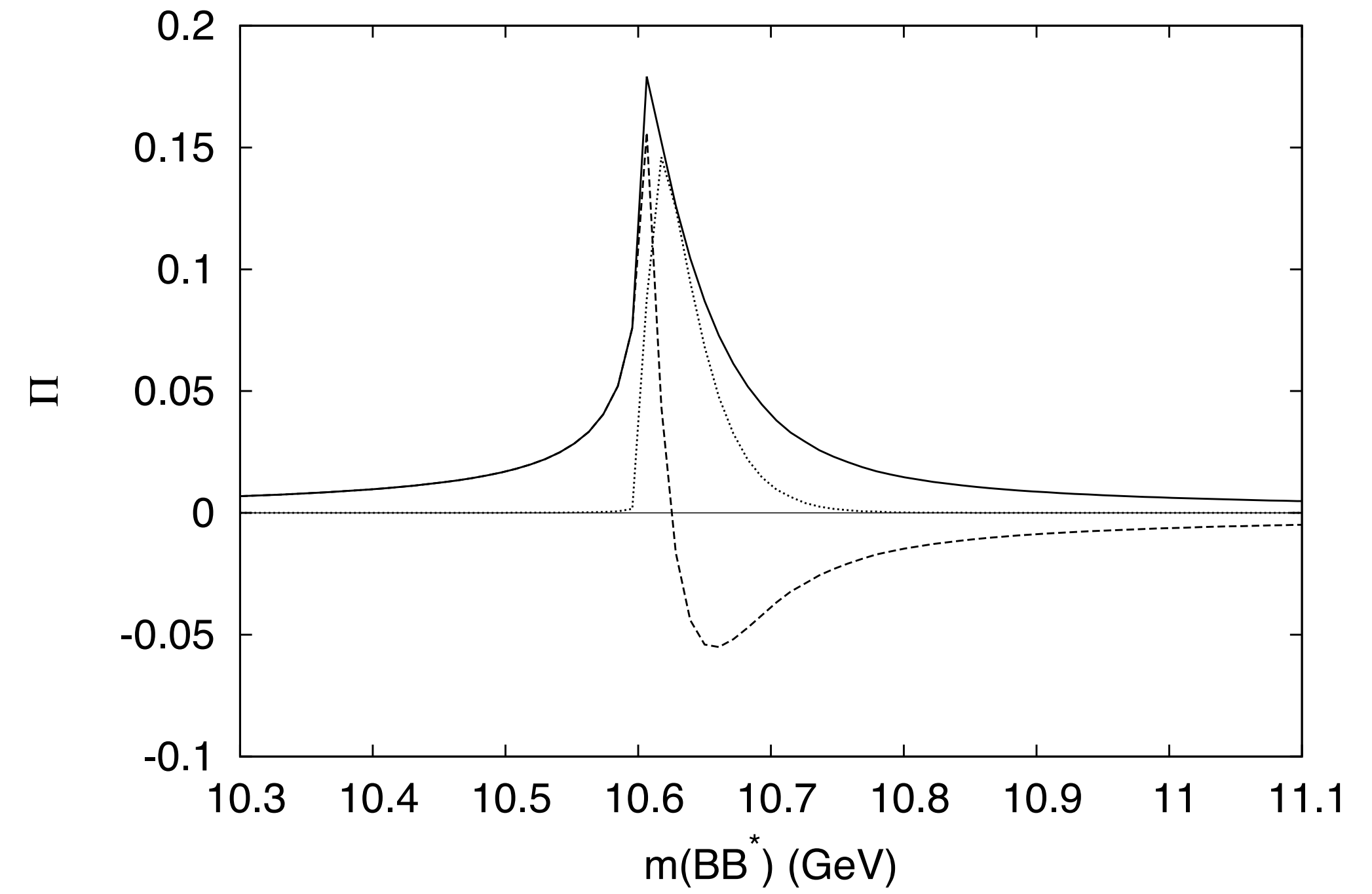
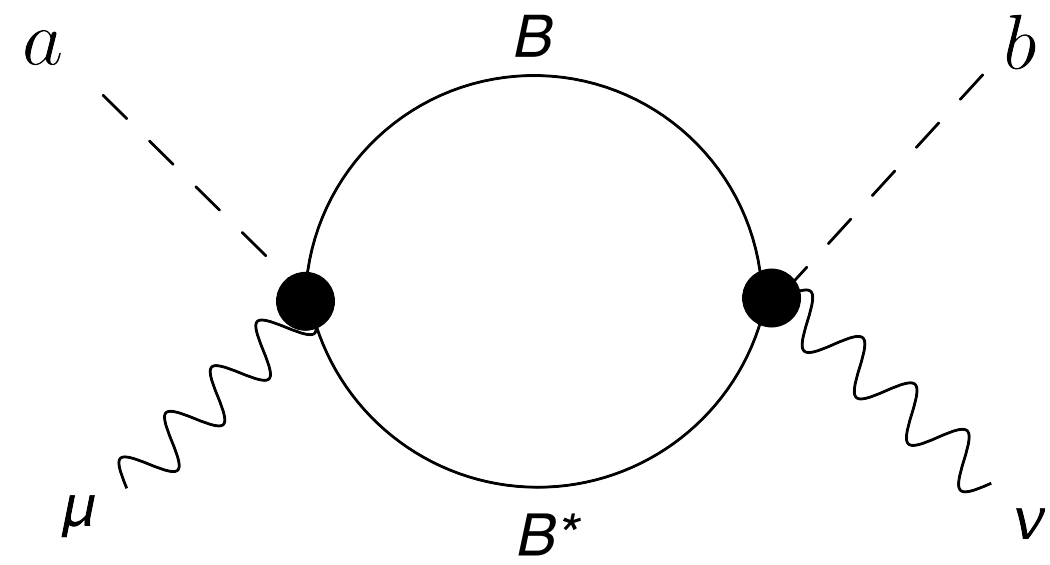
Ex. Poles in a three-channel model



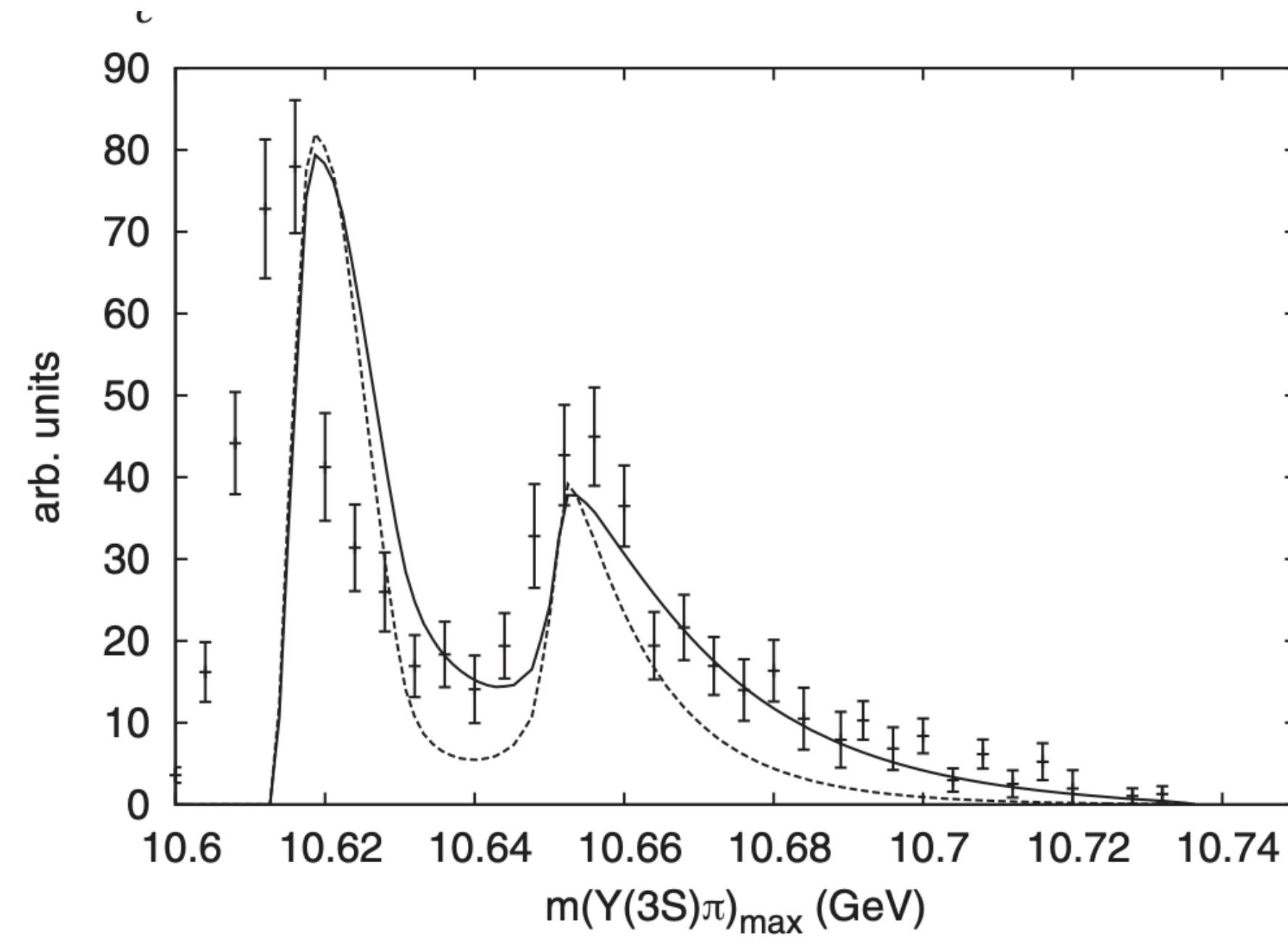
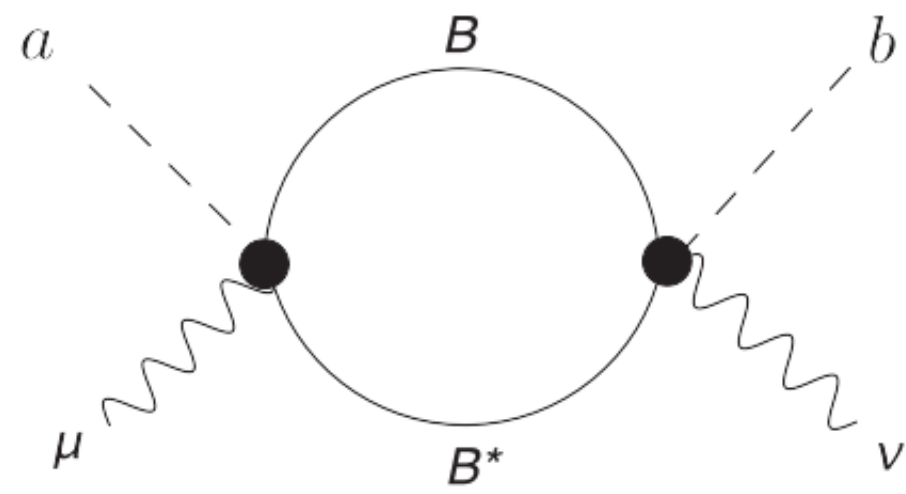
Real Scaling, System-in-a-box, Luescher,...

**other things that can happen**

# Loop diagrams can have sharp features



$$\Upsilon(5s) \rightarrow \Upsilon(3S)\pi\pi$$



Swanson, PRD91 034009 (2015)



$$Y \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi(h_c)$$

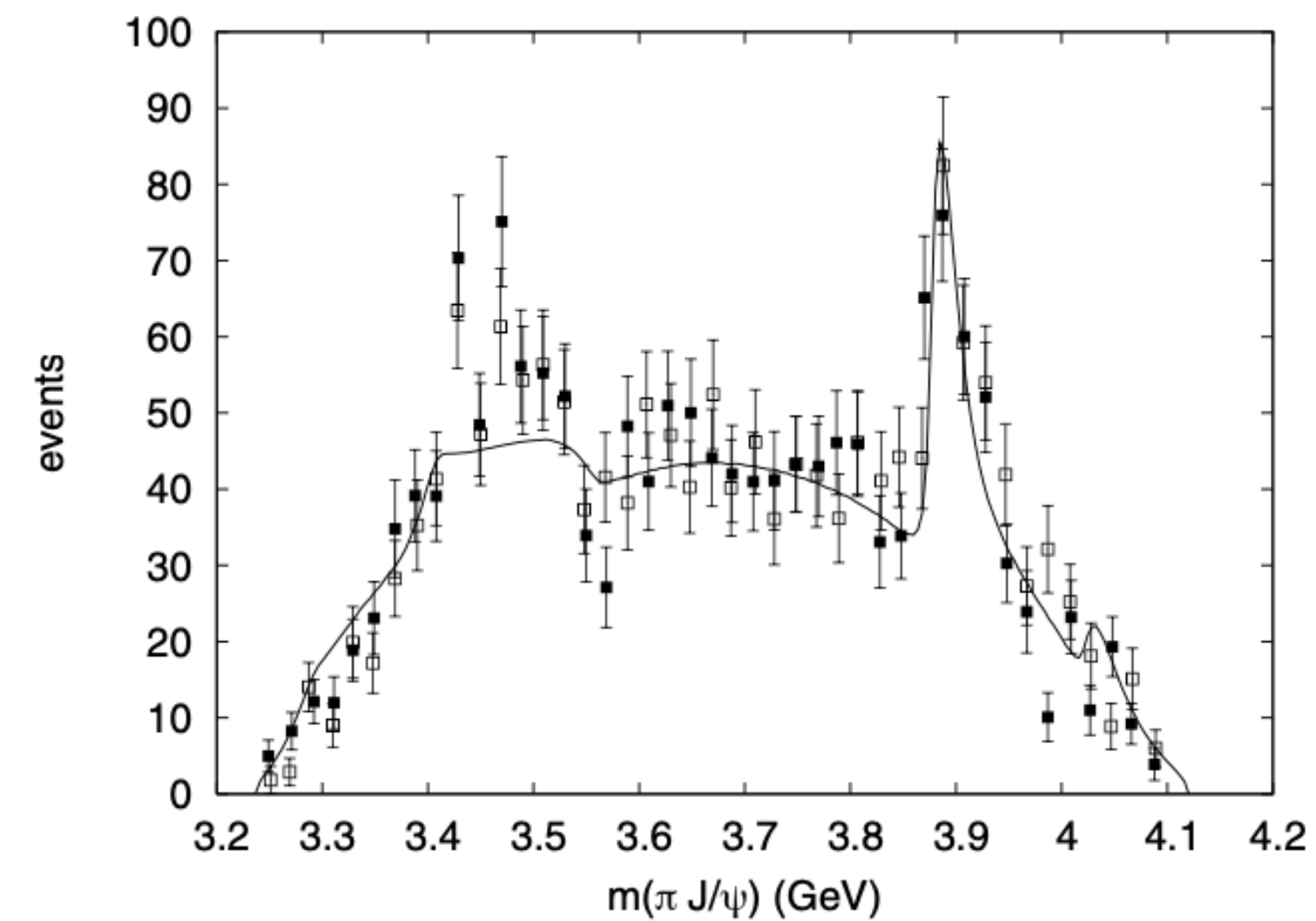
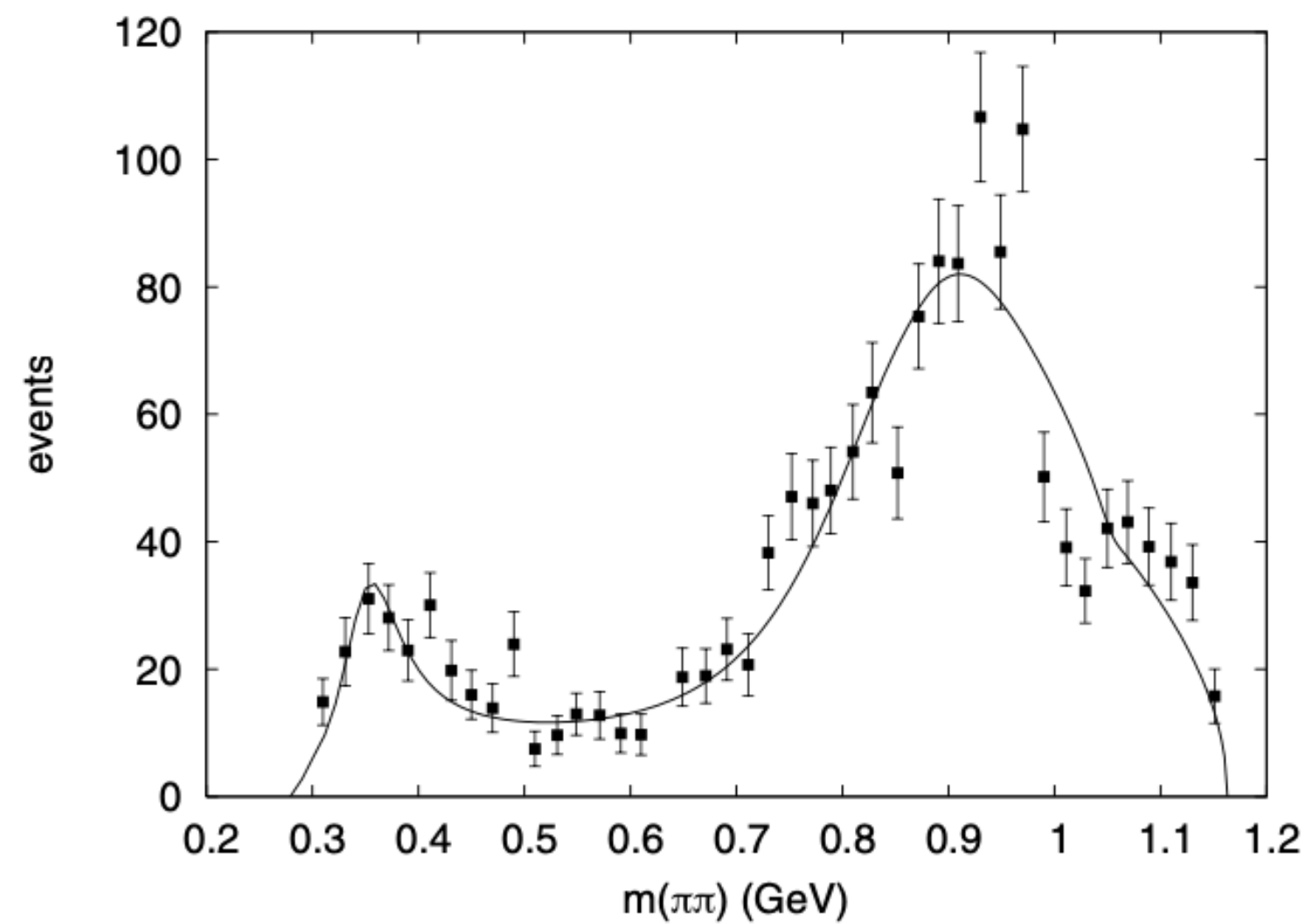
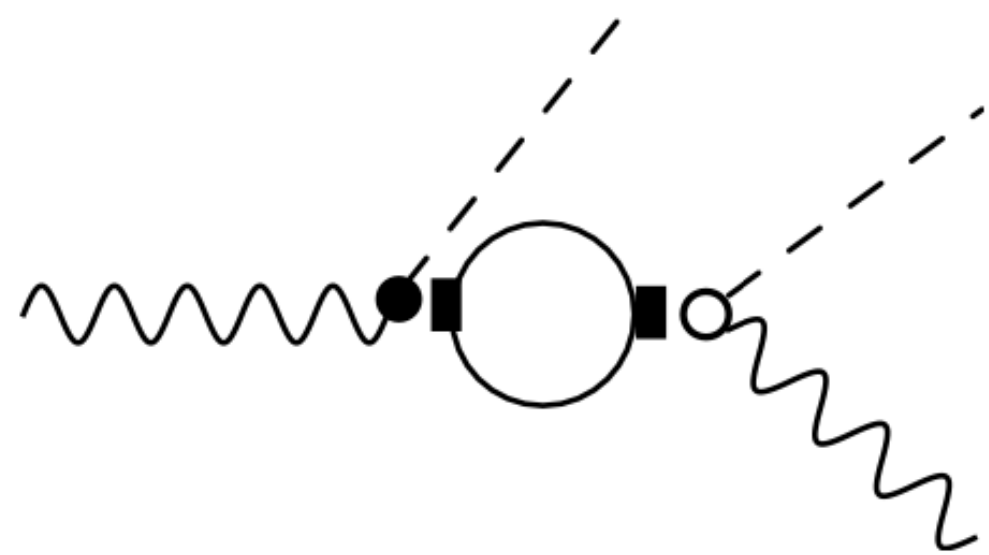


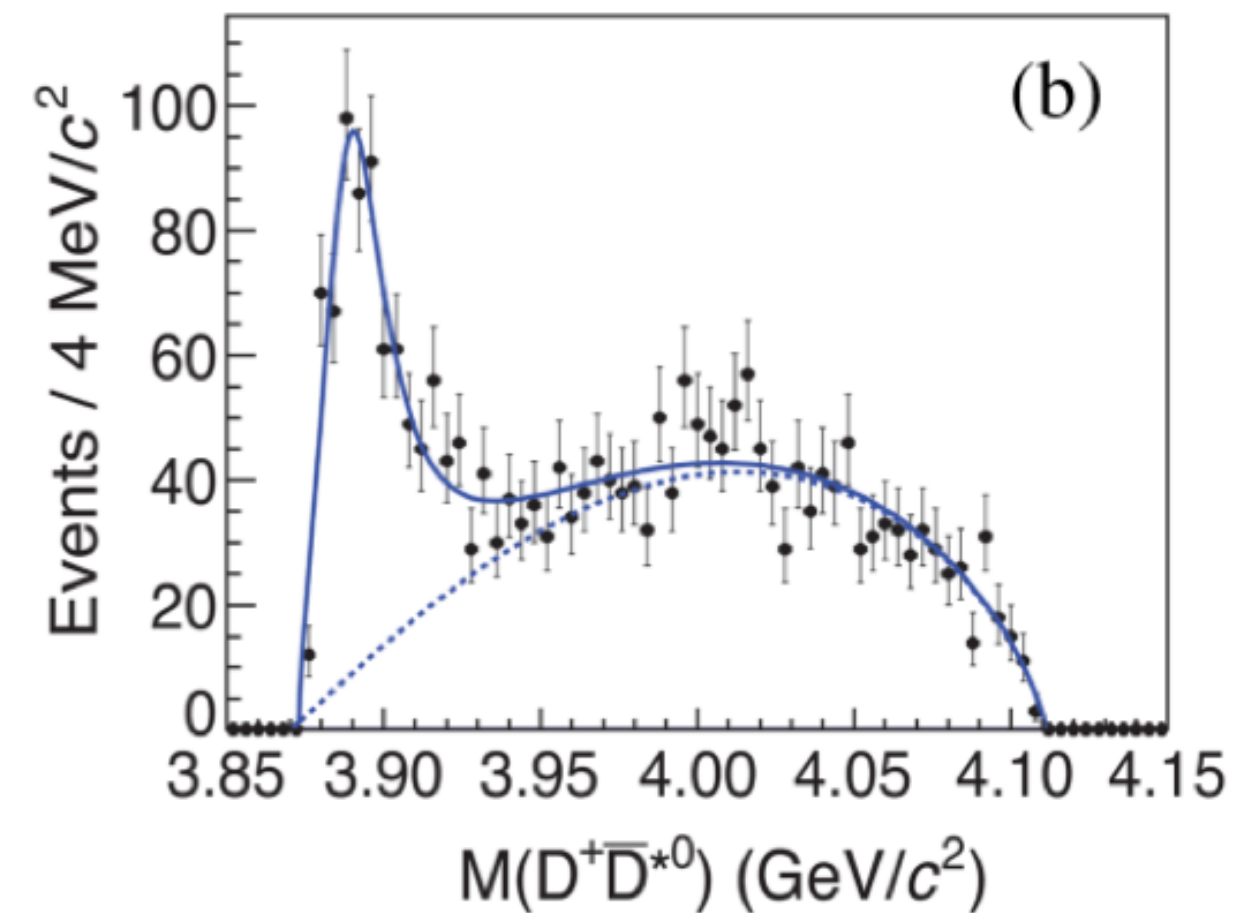
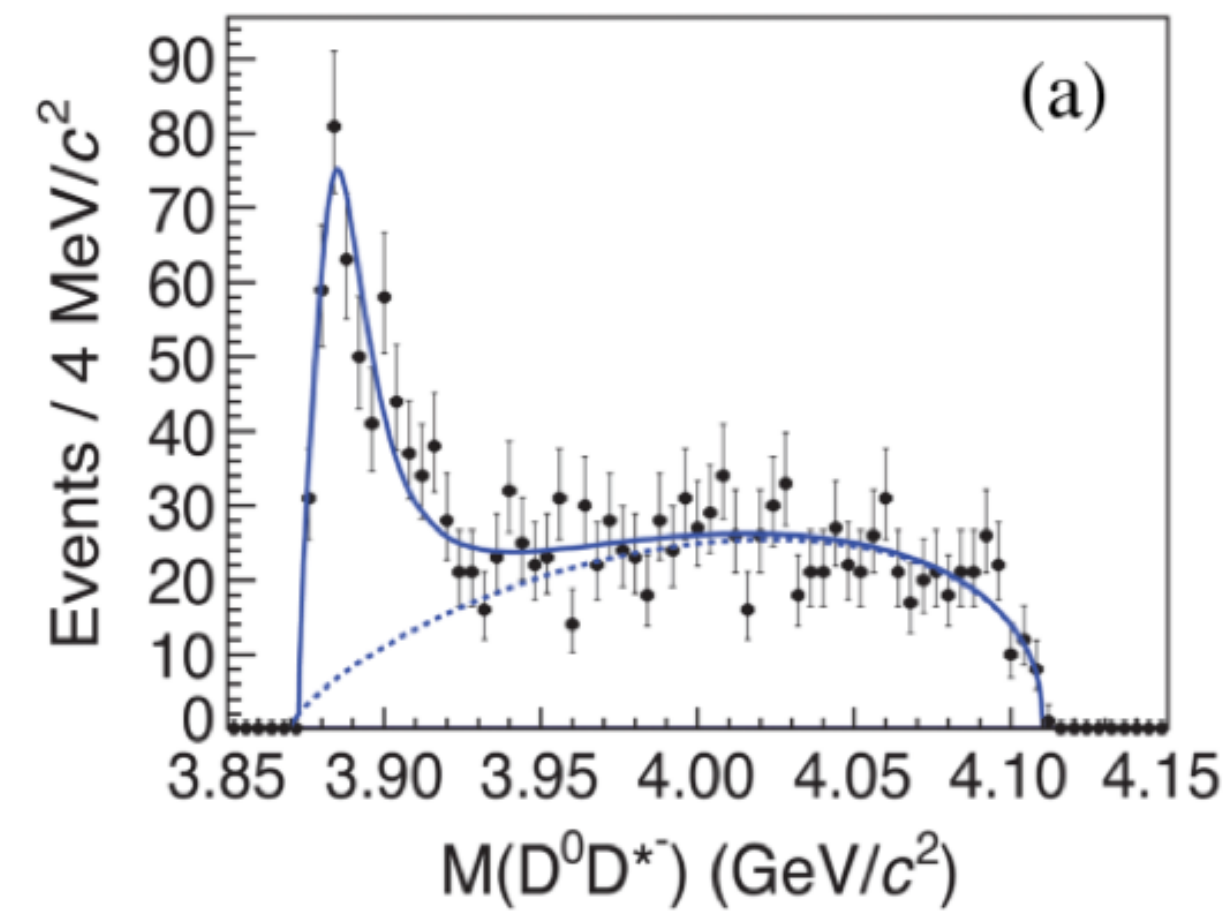
Fig. 4.  $e^+e^- (\sqrt{s} = 4.26 \text{ GeV}) \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$ . Left panel: invariant  $\pi\pi$  mass distribution. Right panel: invariant  $\pi J/\psi$  mass distribution. Filled squares:  $\pi^- J/\psi$ ; open squares:  $\pi^+ J/\psi$ . Data from Ref. 7.

# $Z_c(3900)$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi D \bar{D}^* \quad \sqrt{s} = 4.26$$

$$M = 3883.9 \pm 1.5 \pm 4.2$$

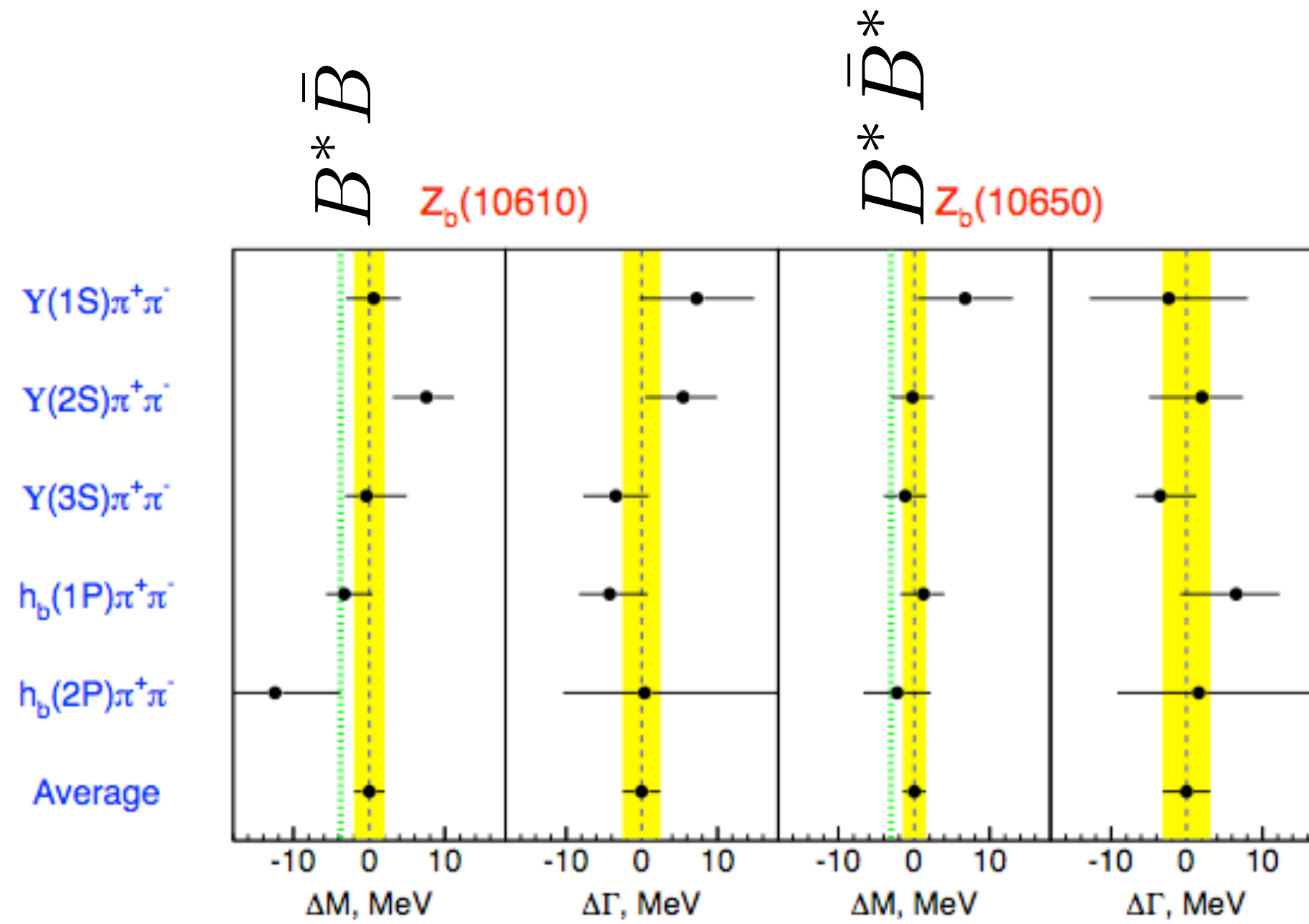
$$\Gamma = 24.8 \pm 3.3 \pm 11.0$$



$Z_b^+(10610)$   $Z_b^+(10650)$

Adachi et al. [Belle] 1105.4583

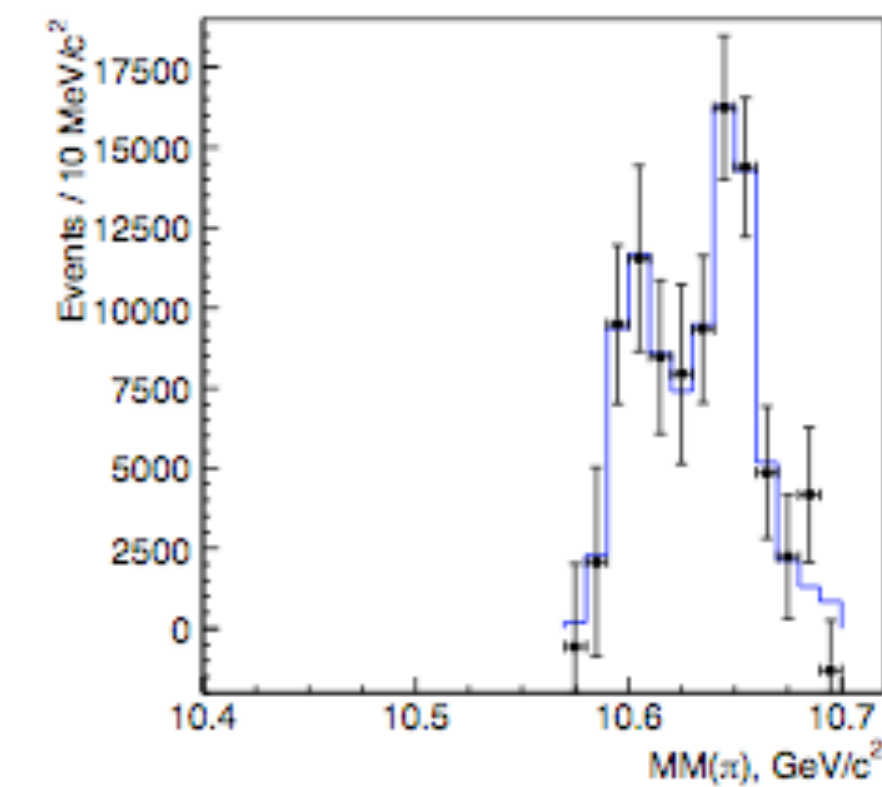
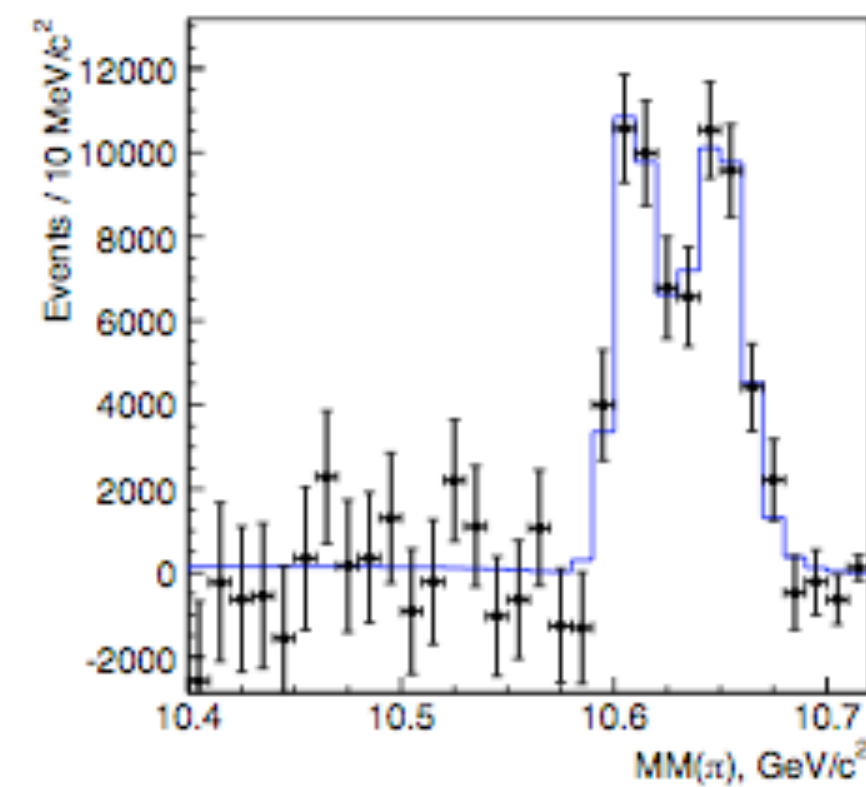
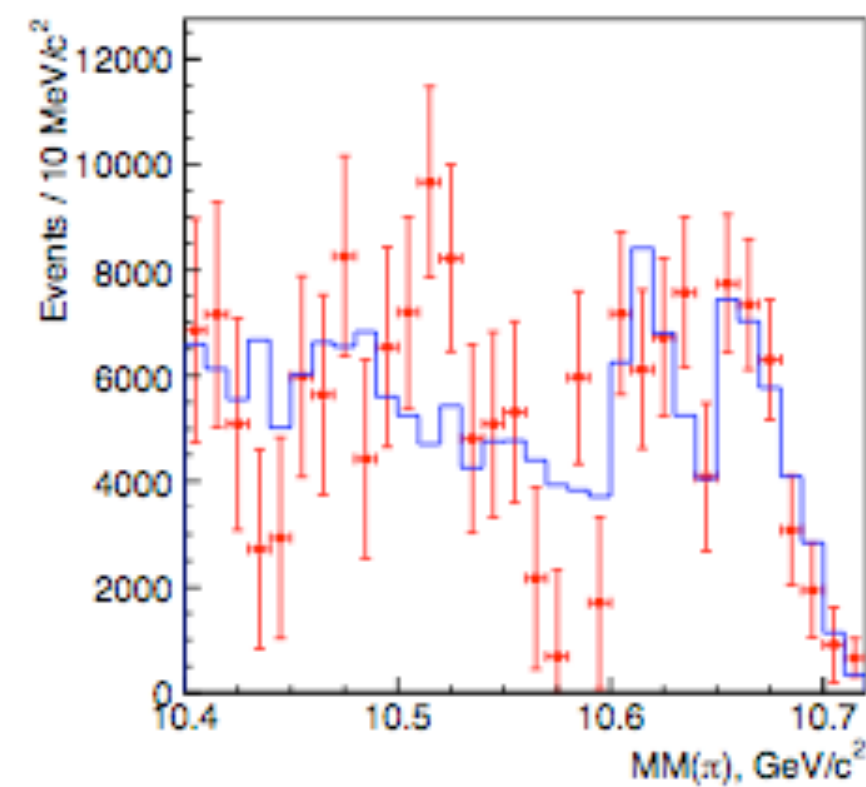
$$I^G J^P = 1^+ 1^+$$



$\Upsilon(2S)$

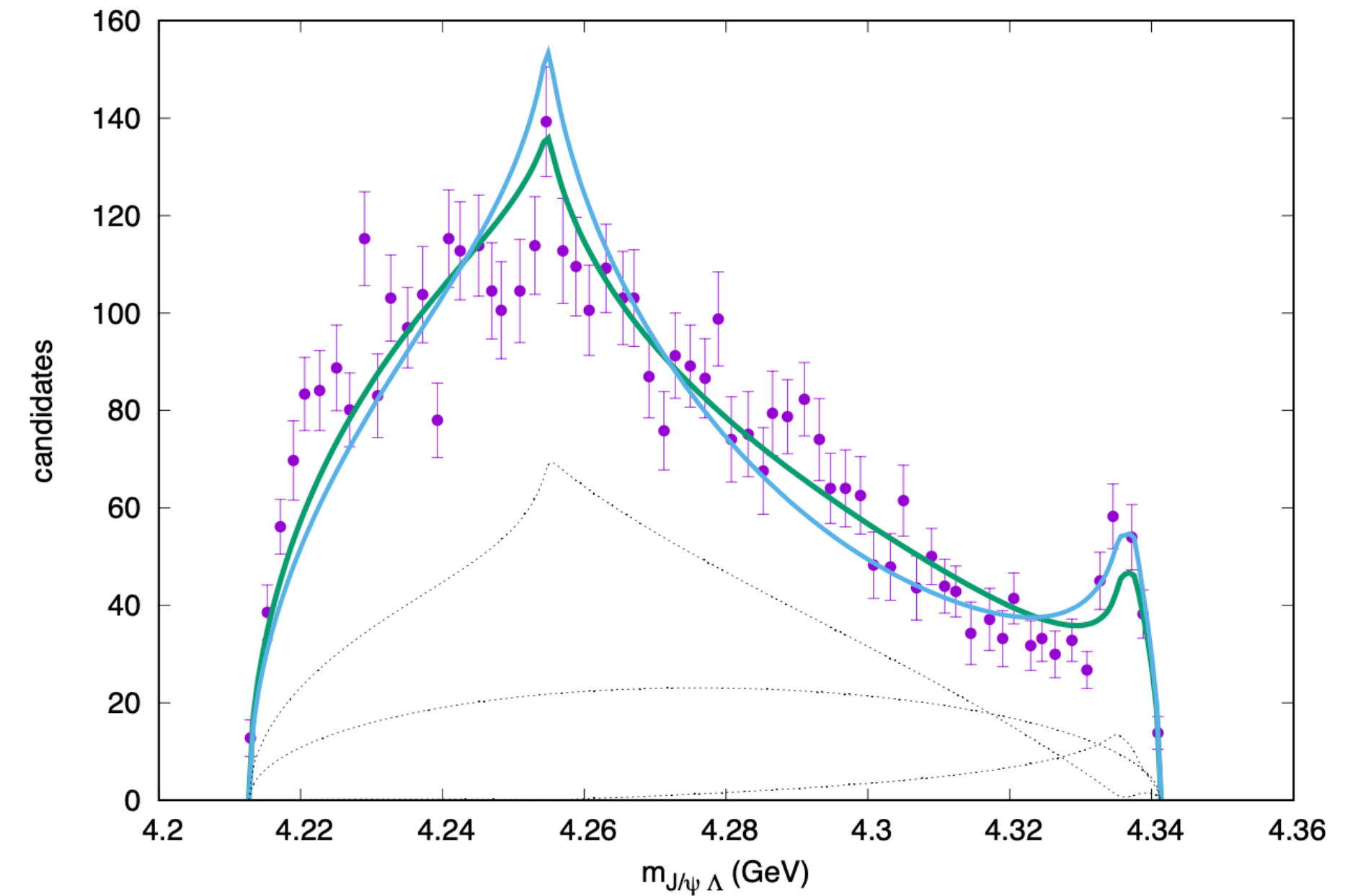
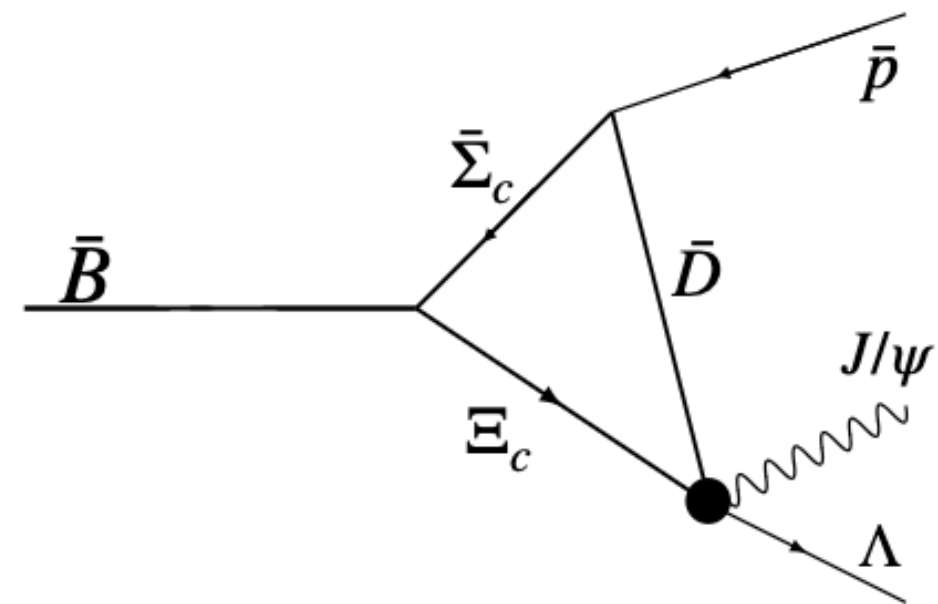
$h_b(1P)$

$h_b(2P)$



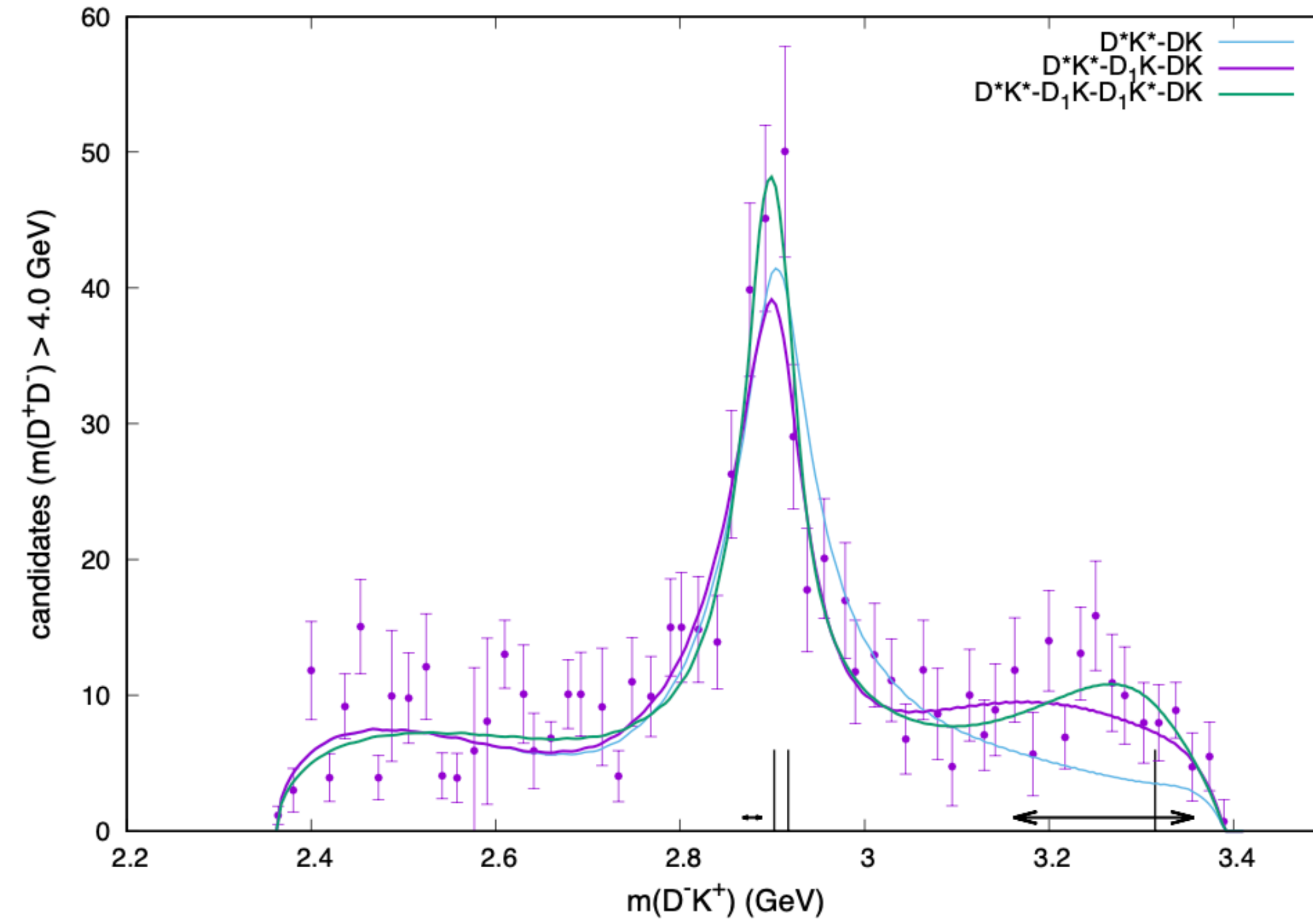
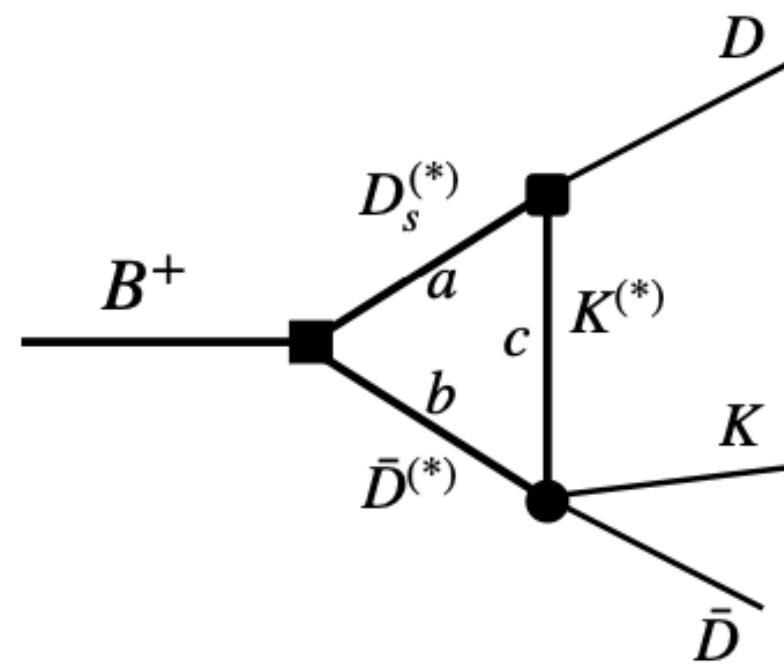
The 'triangle' diagram has a log singularity in certain kinematical regions.

LHCb state  $P_{\psi S}^{\Lambda}(4338)$



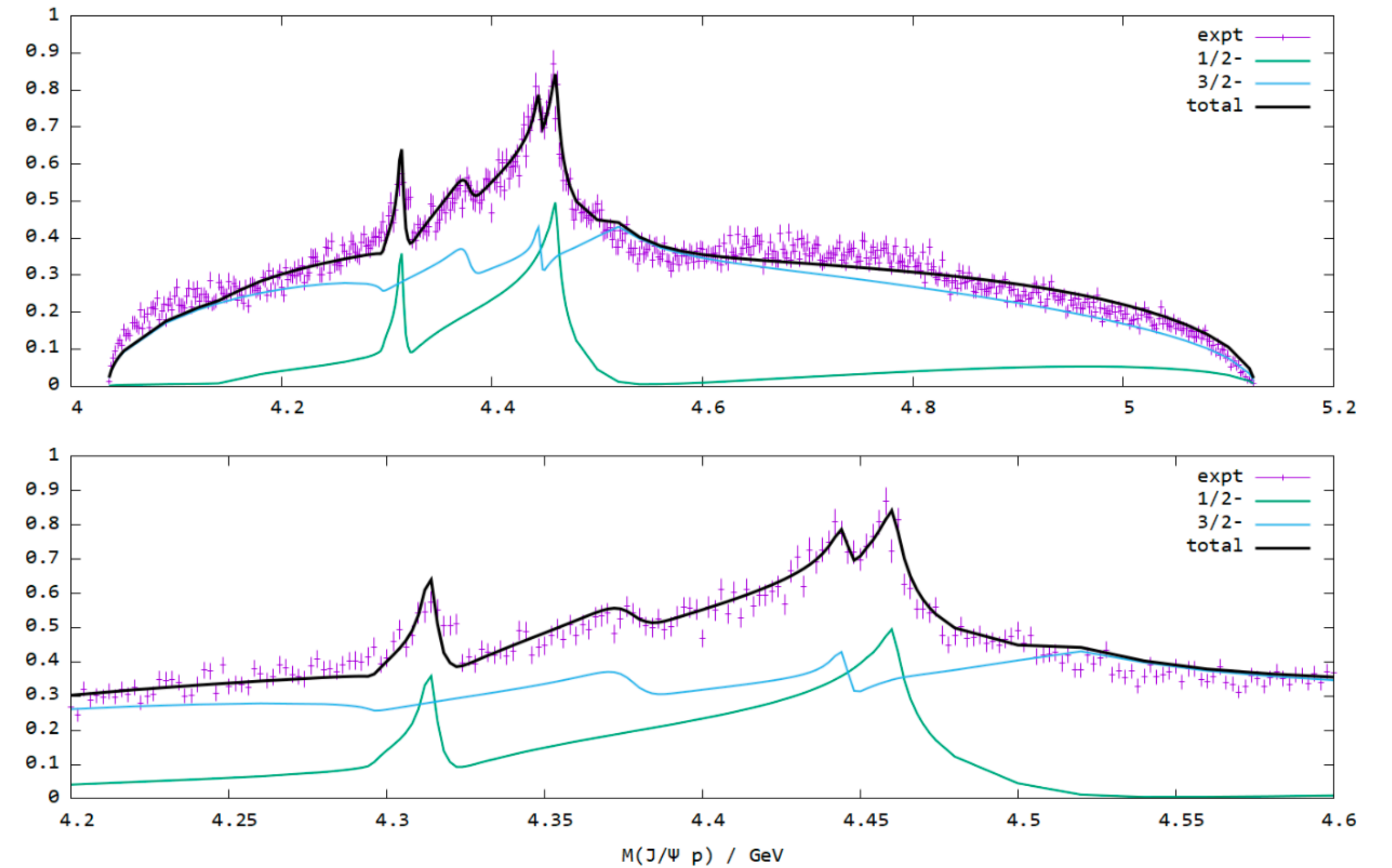
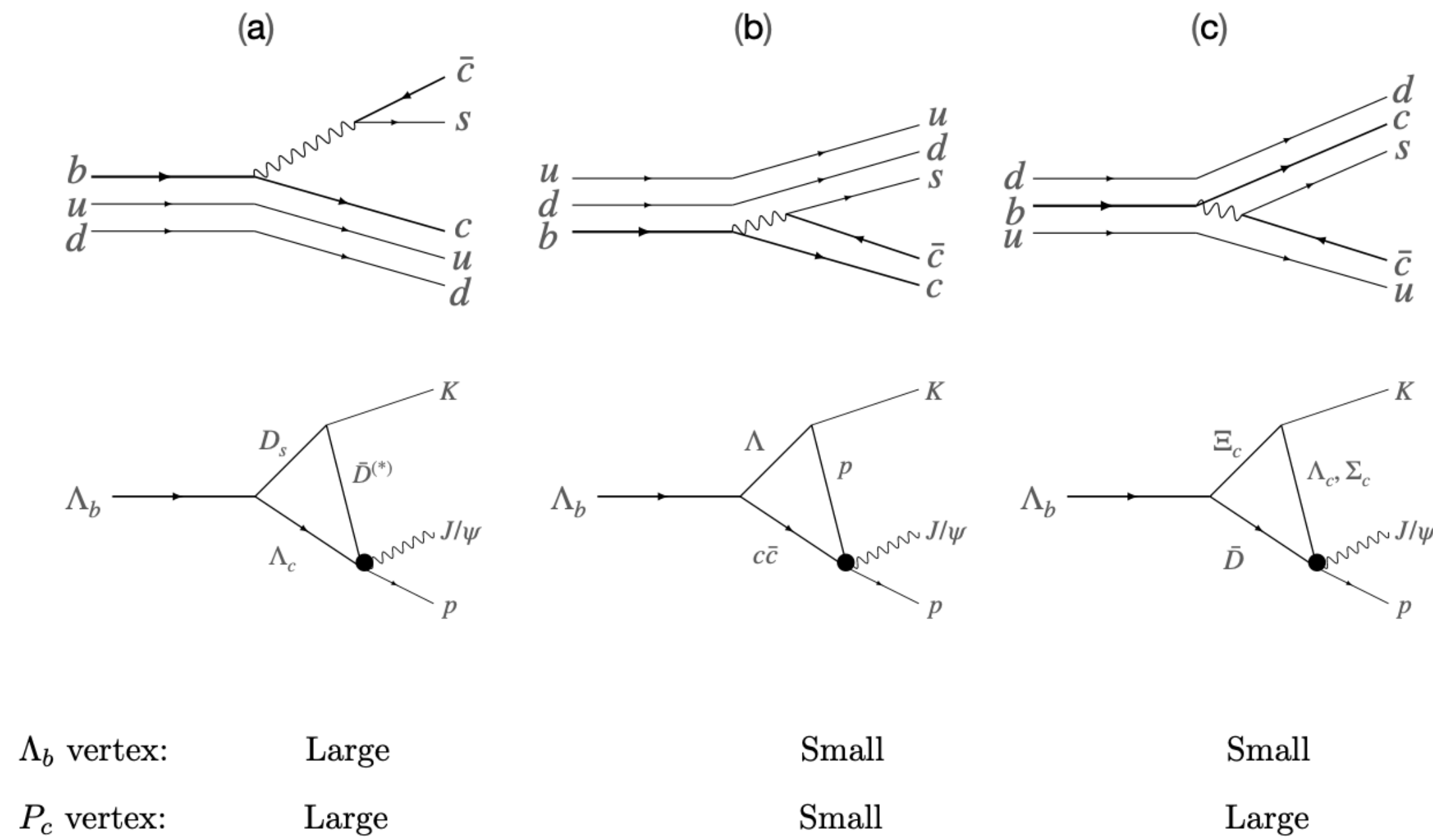
Burns & Swanson, PLB 838, 137715 (2023)

# LHCb X(2900) $ud\bar{c}\bar{s}$



Burns & Swanson, PLB 813, 136057 (2021)

# LHCb Pentaquark states $P_c(4312)$ , $P_c(4380)$ , $P_c(4440)$



Burns & Swanson, PRD106, 054029 (2022)

# What are the common features here?

- "state" lies just above thresholds
- S-wave quantum numbers
- tree level production is suppressed (eg, colour suppressed electroweak transitions)
- widths will depend on channel

# Conclusions



We are fortunate to have QCD to guide the search for effective degrees of freedom and their interactions.

But this is not enough. Lattice field theory helps determine the *emergent* degrees of freedom and properties.

Old ideas (bag, flux tube) are giving way to approaches that are closer to QCD (Bethe-Salpeter, many-body, EFT, dispersion relations, Born-Oppenheimer).

The role of non-resonant interactions in generating amplitude "structure" is a recent (~2010) development.

The role of coupled channels has long been appreciated and still awaits a definitive treatment.

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# Diquarks and the New Charmonia

[Maiani, Piccinini, Polosa, Riquer; PRD71, 014028 \(2005\)](#)

[Bigi, Maiani, Piccinini, Polosa, Riquer; PRD72, 114016 \(2005\)](#)

[Maiani, Riquer, Piccinini, Polosa; PRD72, 031502 \(2005\)](#)

[Maiani, Polosa, Riquer; PRL99, 182003 \(2007\)](#)

[Maiani, Polosa, Riquer; arXiv:0708.3997](#)

$$M([cq]_S) = 1933$$

$$M([cq]_V) = 1933$$

## Assume a spin-spin interaction

$$|0^{++}\rangle = |[cq]_S[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_S; J = 0\rangle \quad (1)$$

$$|0^{++'}\rangle = |[cq]_V[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_V; J = 0\rangle \quad (2)$$

$$|1^{++}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|[cq]_S[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_V; J = 1\rangle + |[cq]_V[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_S; J = 1\rangle) \quad (3)$$

$$|1^{+-}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (|[cq]_S[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_V; J = 1\rangle - |[cq]_V[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_S; J = 1\rangle) \quad (4)$$

$$|1^{+-'}\rangle = |[cq]_V[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_V; J = 1\rangle \quad (5)$$

$$|2^{++}\rangle = |[cq]_V[\bar{c}\bar{q}]_V; J = 2\rangle \quad (6)$$