



Recent LHCb Results on heavy hadron spectroscopy

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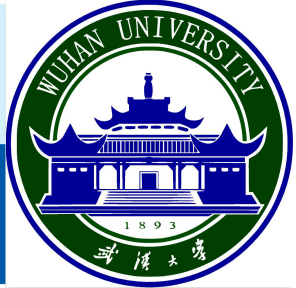
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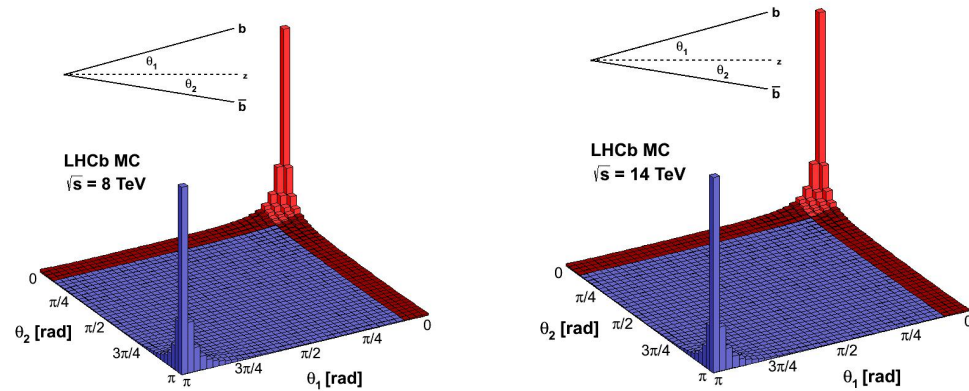
The LHCb detector

Int. J. Mod. Phys. A 30, 1530022 (2015)
 JINST 3 (2008) S08005

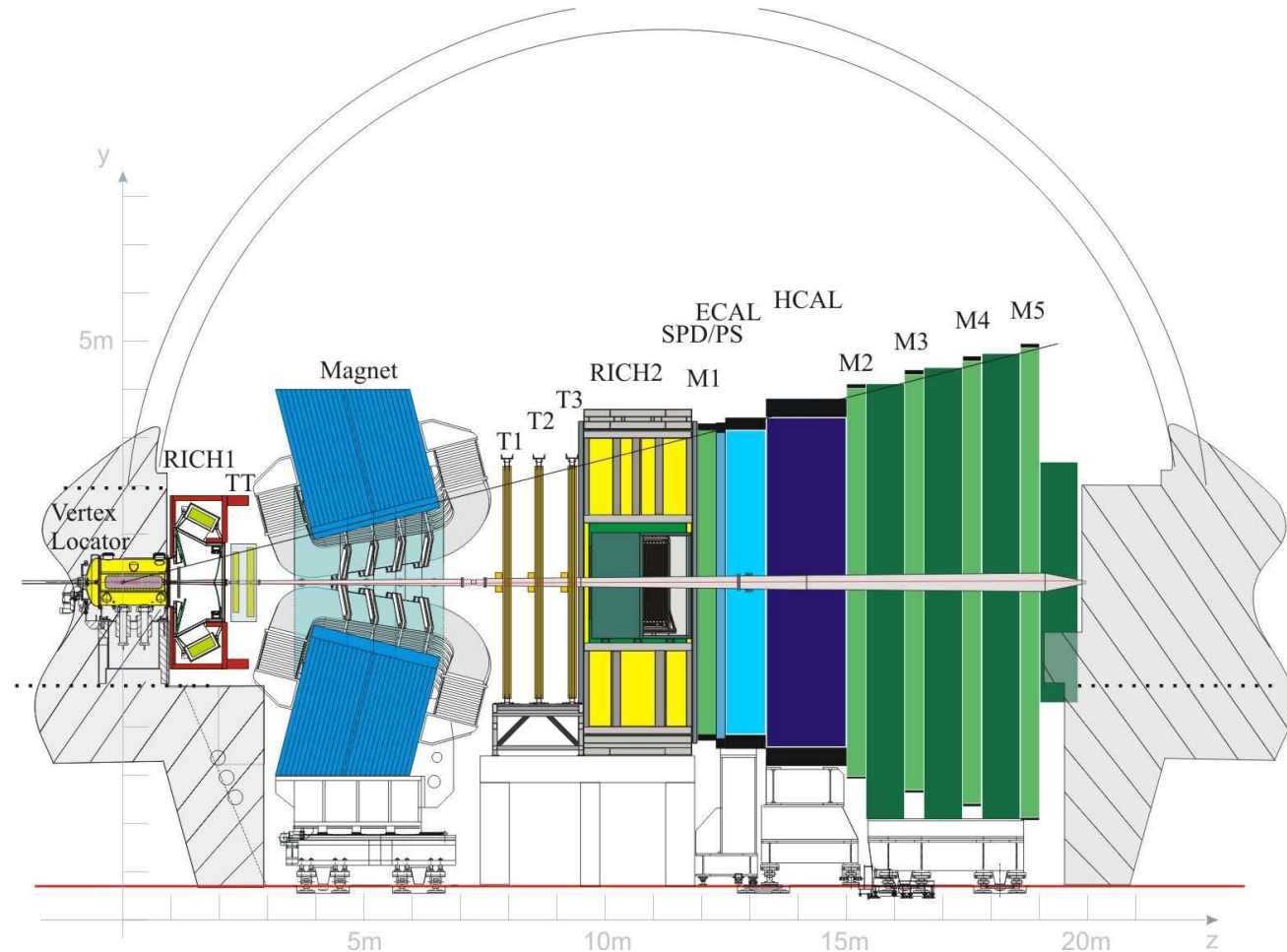


A single-arm forward spectrometer, designed for the study of heavy flavor physics

- **Excellent vertex, IP and decay-time resolution**
 $\sigma(\text{IP}) \approx 20\mu\text{m}$ for high- p_T tracks
 $\sigma(\tau) \approx 45\text{fs}$ for $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ and $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$ decays
- **Very good momentum resolution**
 $\delta p/p \approx 0.5\%-1\%$ for $p \in (0, 200)$ GeV
 $\sigma(m_B) \approx 24$ MeV for two-body decays
- **Hadron and muon identification**
 $\varepsilon_{K \rightarrow K} \approx 95\%$ for $\varepsilon_{\pi \rightarrow K} \approx 5\%$ up to 100 GeV
 $\varepsilon_{\mu \rightarrow \mu} \approx 97\%$ for $\varepsilon_{\pi \rightarrow \mu} \approx 1\%-3\%$



$2 < \eta < 5$ range: $\sim 25\%$ $b\bar{b}$ pairs



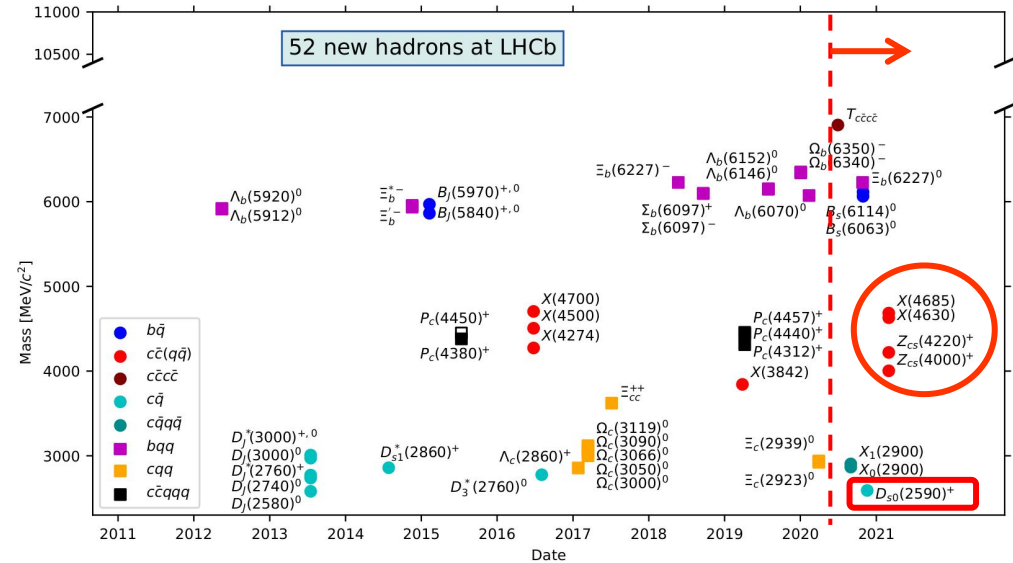
Overview of recent LHCb results about heavy hadron spectroscopy

Some searches:

- Ω_{cc}^+ via $\Xi_c^+ K^- \pi^+$ [arXiv:2105.06841]
- Ω_{bc}^+ and Ξ_{bc}^0 via $\Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_c^+ \pi^-$ [arXiv:2104.04759]
- Ξ_{bc}^0 via $D^0 p K^-$ [JHEP 2011 (2020) 095]

Observation of some new states:

- A new Ξ_b^0 state decaying to $\Xi_b^- \pi^+$ [PRD 103 (2021) 012004] [LHCb-FIGURE-2021-001] (also cited from Jingyi's talk at QCD21)
- Two new excited B_s^0 states decaying to $B^+ K^-$ [arXiv:2010.15931] [PRL 125 (2020) 242001, PRD 102 (2020) 112003]
- New spin-0 and spin-1 $D^+ K^-$ resonances and $\chi_{c0}(3930), \chi_{c2}(3930)$ states
- $X(4740)$ state in $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^- \pi^+ K^- K^+$ decay [JHEP 2102 (2021) 024]
- $X(6900)$ in di- J/ψ system [Sci. Bull. 65 (2020) 1983]



Observation of a new D_s^+ meson
in $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^+ \pi^-$ decays

Overview of D_s^+ spectroscopy and motivation

D_s spectroscopy overview

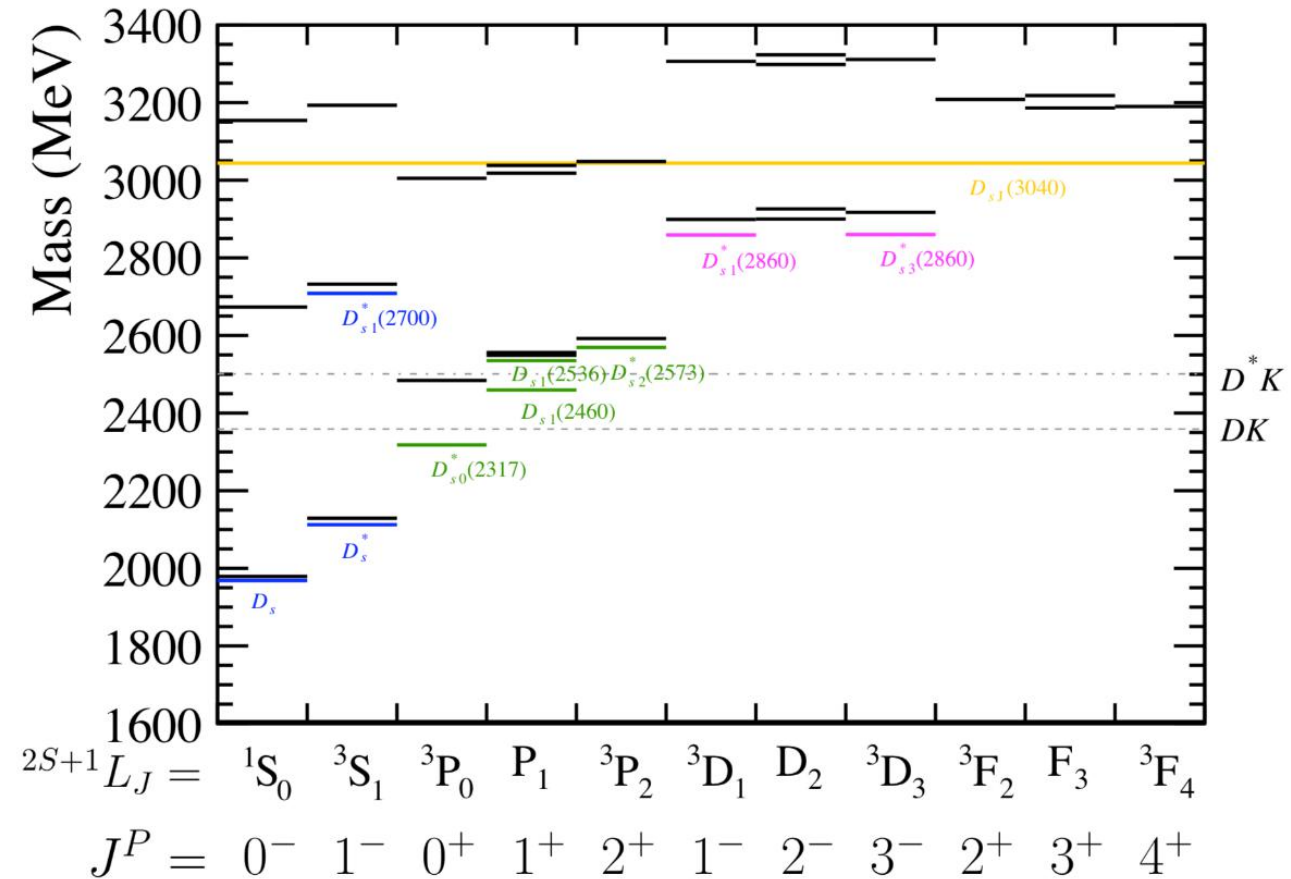
- 10 states experimentally established
- Below 3.1 GeV, still 6 states missing
 - 2^1S_0 state expected to be the lightest one

Why $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^+ \pi^-$?

- DK pair \rightarrow states with natural $J^P(0^+, 1^-, 2^+, \text{etc})$
- $D^{*0}K^+$ or $D^{*+}K^0 \rightarrow$ low efficiency at LHCb
- $D^+K^+\pi^- \rightarrow$ ideal final state for new D_s state

Especially, require $M(K^+\pi^-) < M(K(890)^*)$, sensitive to states with unnatural $J^P(0^-, 1^+, 2^-, \text{etc})$ and mass > 2.5 GeV

(cited from Chen Chen's talk at CLHCP2020)



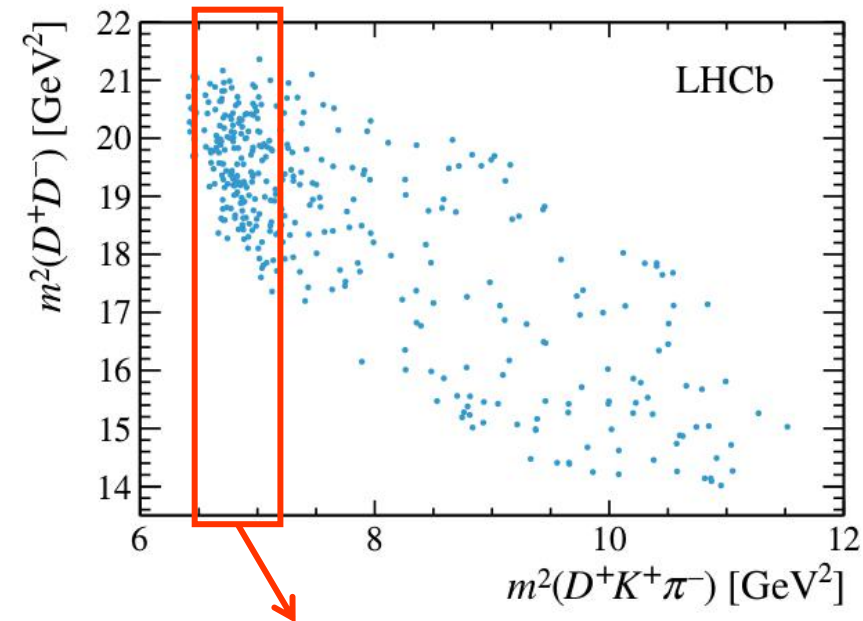
- Theoretical predictions [PRD 93 (2016) 034035]
- Experimental values from PDG

Data sample and amplitude analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^+ \pi^-$ PRL 126 (2021) 122002

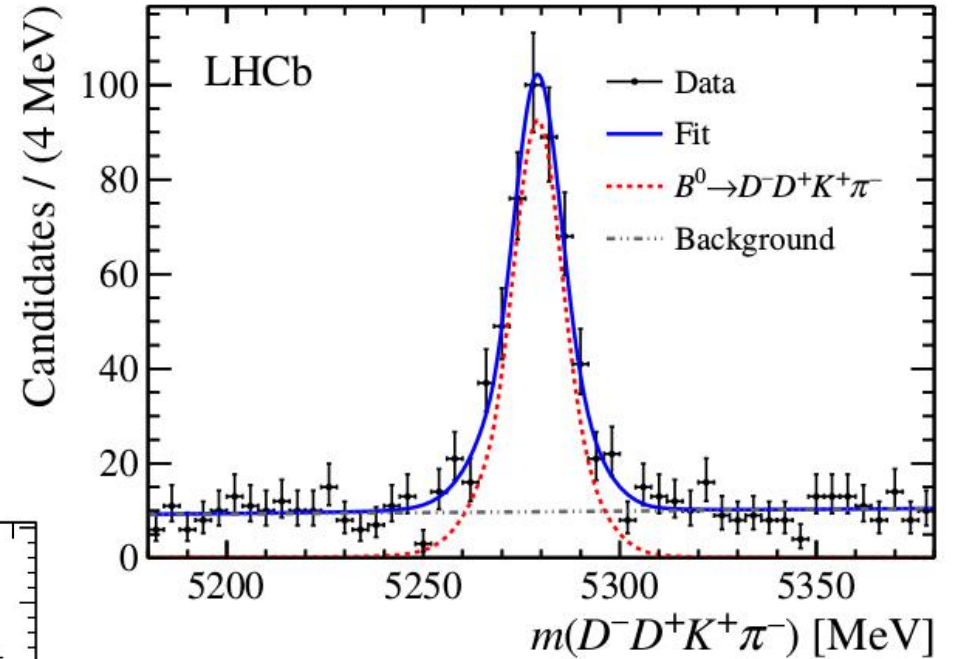
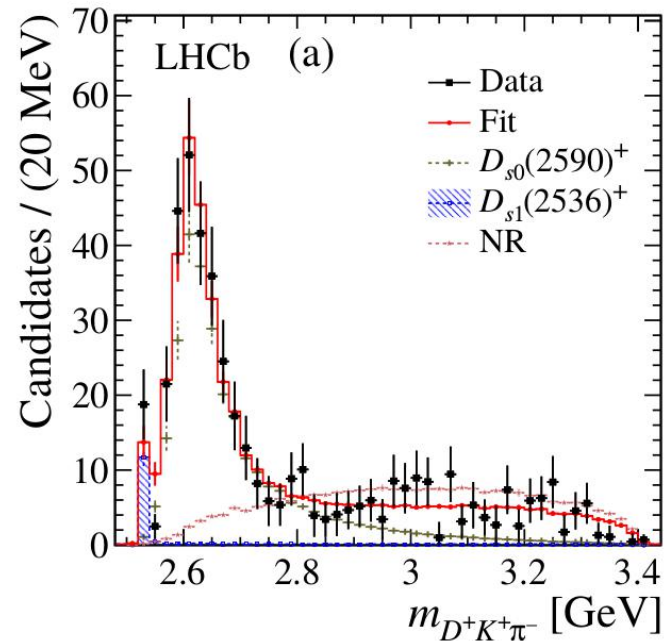
2016-2018 data collected by the LHCb detector, $\sim 5.4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

- Require $m(K^+ \pi^-) < 0.75 \text{ GeV}$
- Only combinatorial background

→ Signal yield: ~ 450



Clear band in Dalitz plot



A new D_s^+ state with significance $> 20\sigma$

Pole mass: $2591 \pm 6(\text{stat}) \pm 7(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$

Pole width: $89 \pm 16(\text{stat}) \pm 12(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$

$J^P = 0^-$ preferred with significance $> 15\sigma$

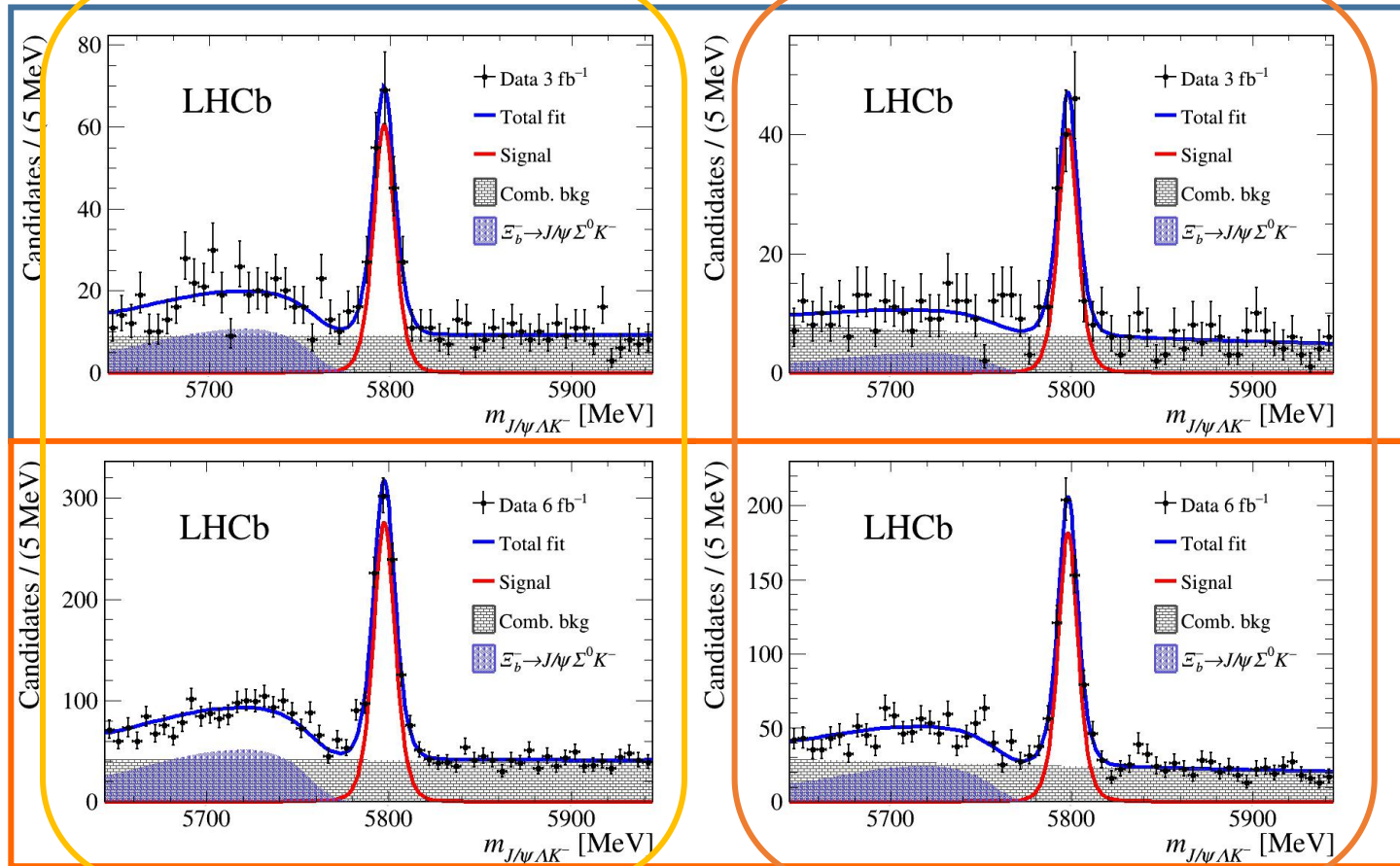
Evidence of a $J/\psi\Lambda$ structure and
observation of two excited Ξ^- states
in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi\Lambda K^-$ decay

$$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^- , J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- , \Lambda \rightarrow p \pi :$$

suggested as a channel for pentaquark P_{cs} [PRC 93 (2016) 065203]

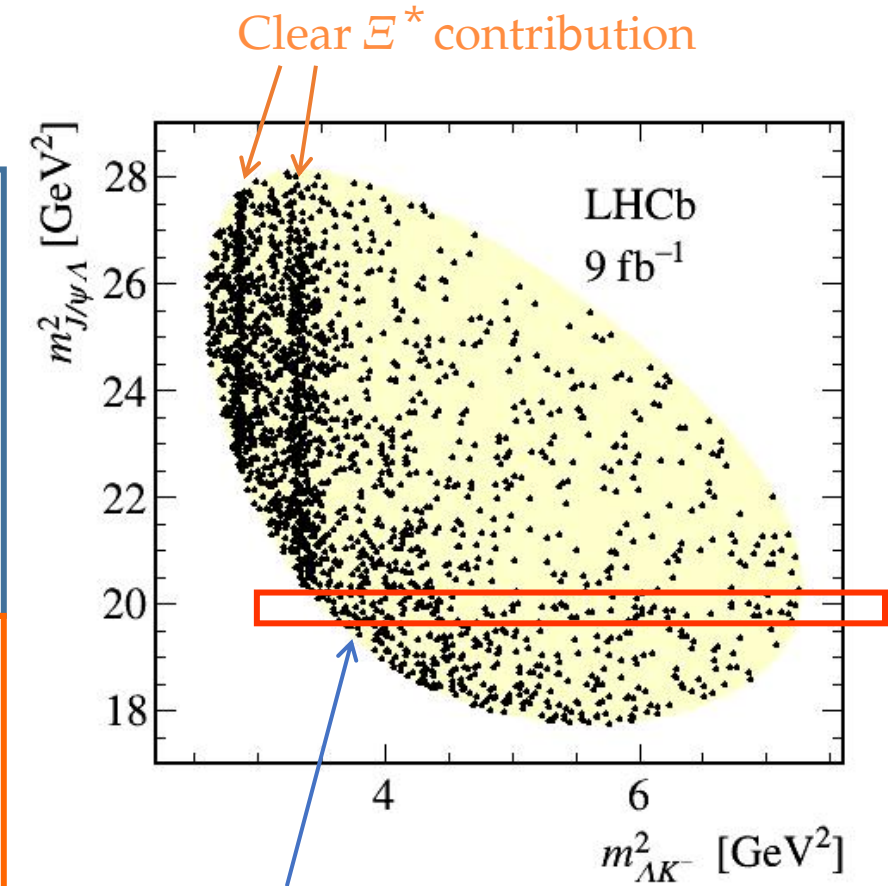
first observed by LHCb in 2017 [PLB 772 (2017) 265]

With Run I and Run II data, ~1750 signals, purity ~80%



Λ decay in vertex detector

Λ decay outside vertex detector



Potential P_{cs} contribution?

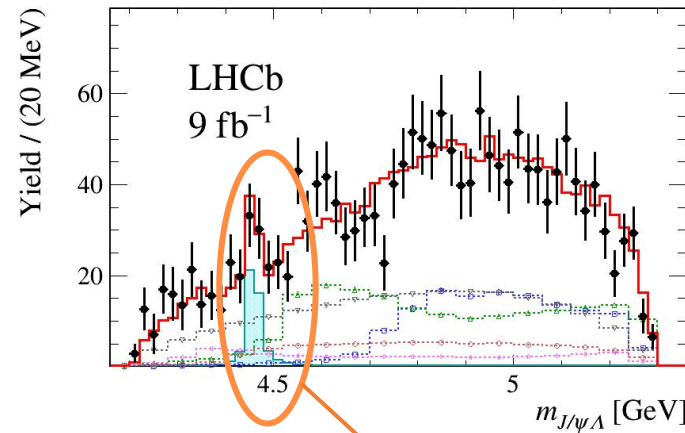
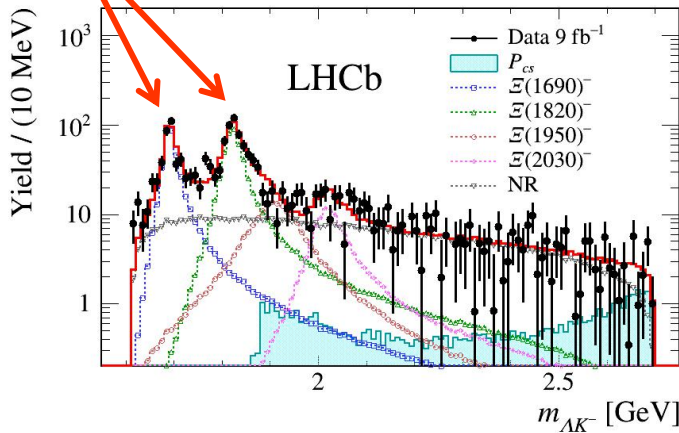
Amplitude analysis performed...

Full 6D amplitude analysis performed:

Adding a P_{cs} improves $-2\ln L$ by 43 units, $\sim 4.3\sigma$ significance

After considering syst. uncertainty and look-elsewhere effect, **3.1 σ significance**

Two Ξ^* states

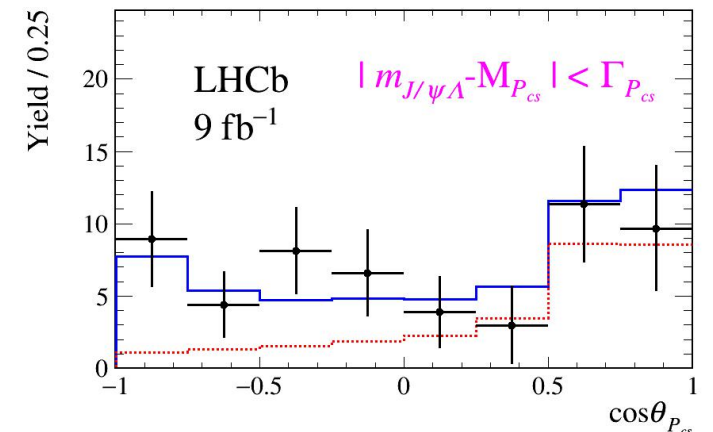
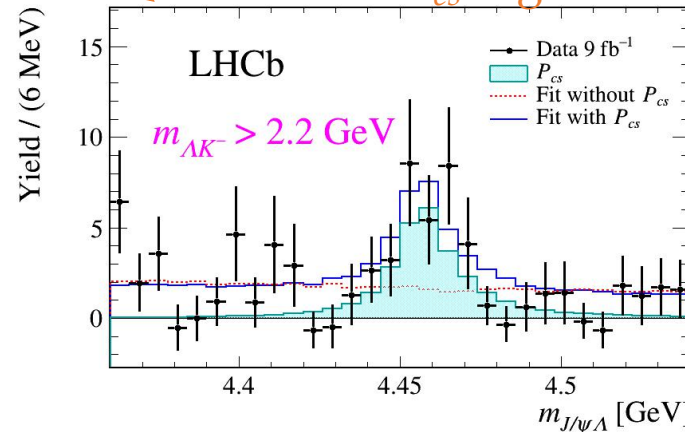


Statistics not enough to determine J^P of $\Xi(1690)^-$ and P_{cs}

Possible two-peak structure of P_{cs} can't be refuted

Two-peak structure appears in P_c state in $\Lambda_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$ [PRL 122 (2019) 222001]

Zoom into P_{cs} region



P_{cs} mass 19MeV below the $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold

State	M_0 [MeV]	Γ_0 [MeV]	FF (%)
$P_{cs}(4459)^0$	$4458.8 \pm 2.9^{+4.7}_{-1.1}$	$17.3 \pm 6.5^{+8.0}_{-5.7}$	$2.7^{+1.9+0.7}_{-0.6-1.3}$
$\Xi(1690)^-$	$1692.0 \pm 1.3^{+1.2}_{-0.4}$	$25.9 \pm 9.5^{+14.0}_{-13.5}$	$22.1^{+6.2+6.7}_{-2.6-8.9}$
$\Xi(1820)^-$	$1822.7 \pm 1.5^{+1.0}_{-0.6}$	$36.0 \pm 4.4^{+7.8}_{-8.2}$	$32.9^{+3.2+6.9}_{-6.2-4.1}$

Consistent with PDG, precision improved

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Observation of new resonances decaying to $J/\psi K^+$ and $J/\psi \phi$

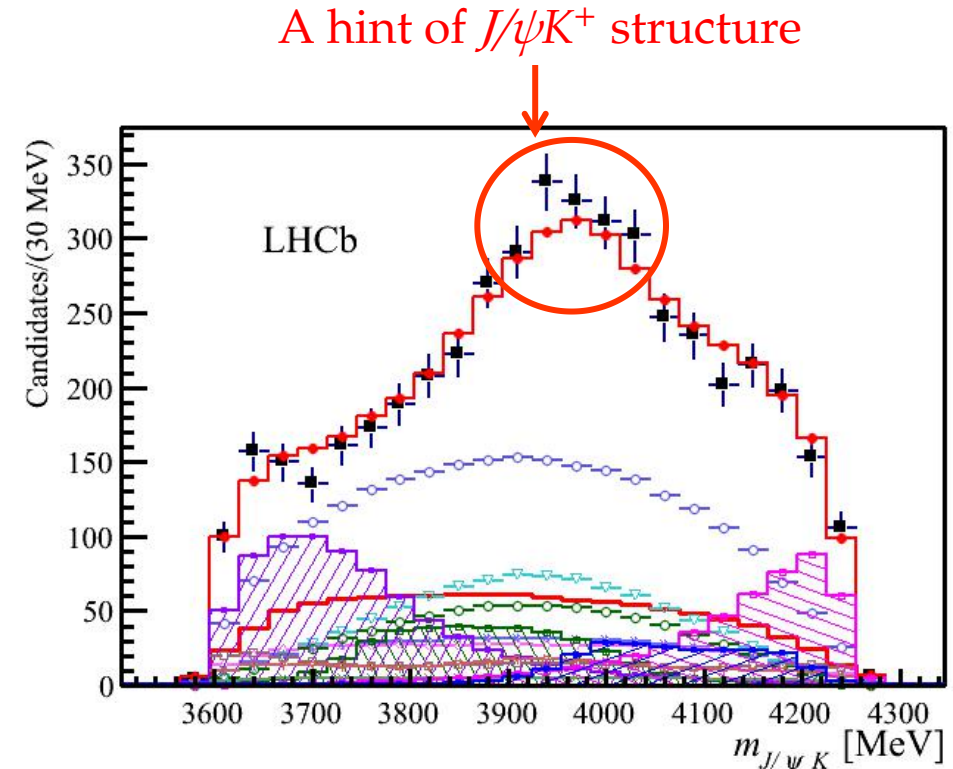
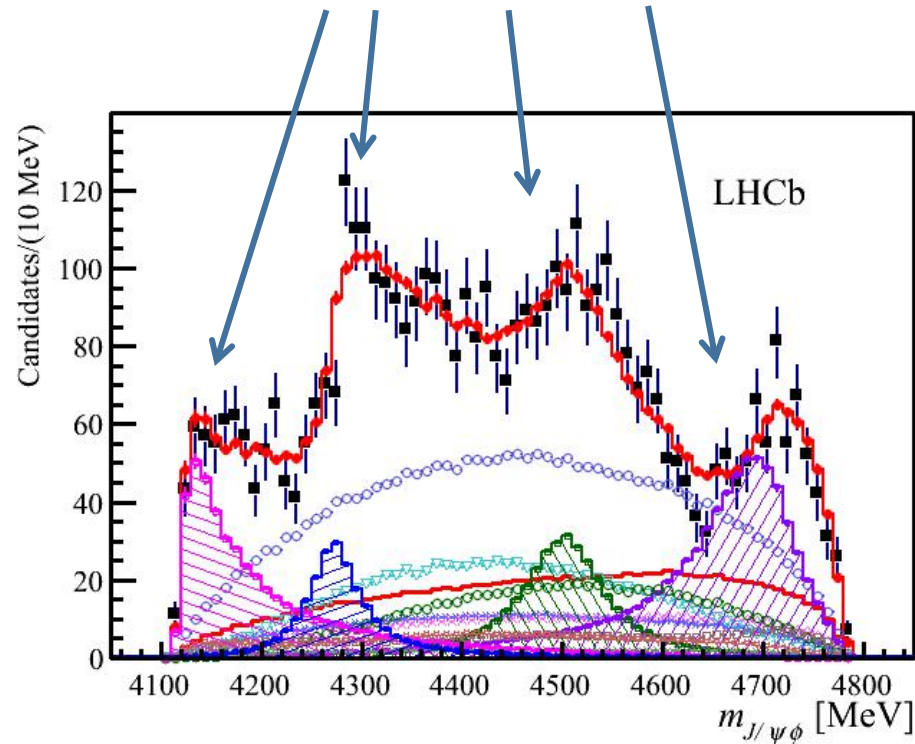
Previous analysis of $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$

arXiv:2103.01803

Amplitude analysis is performed with Run I data (3fb^{-1})

[PRL 118 (2017) 022003, PRD 95 (2017) 012002]

Four significant $J/\psi\phi$ structures are observed



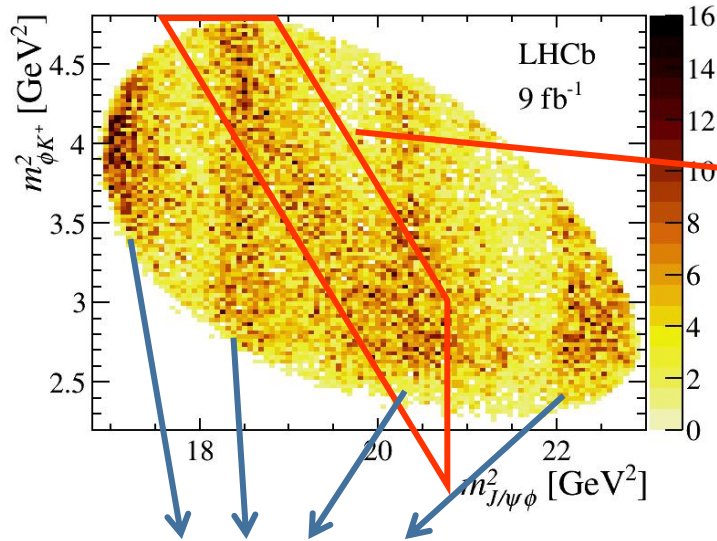
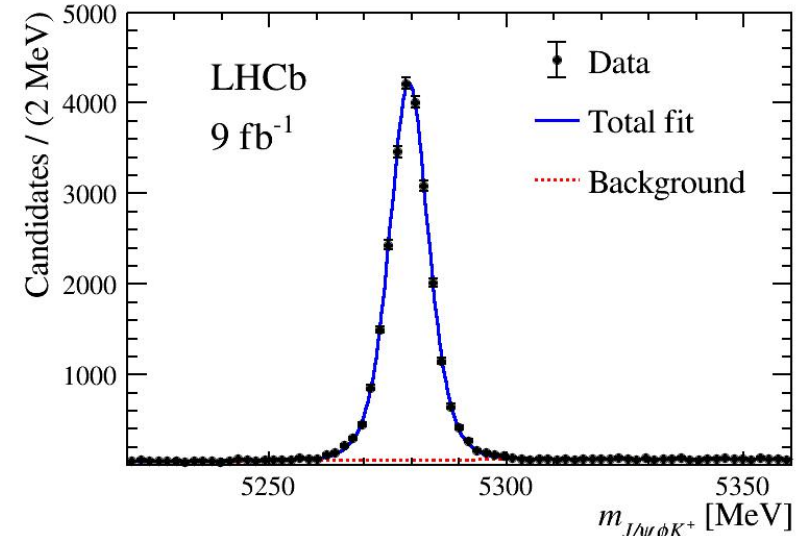
Larger data sample leads to further exploration in $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$

Updated $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\phi K^+$ samples

larger dataset (Run I+Run II) and improved selection (15% higher signal efficiency)

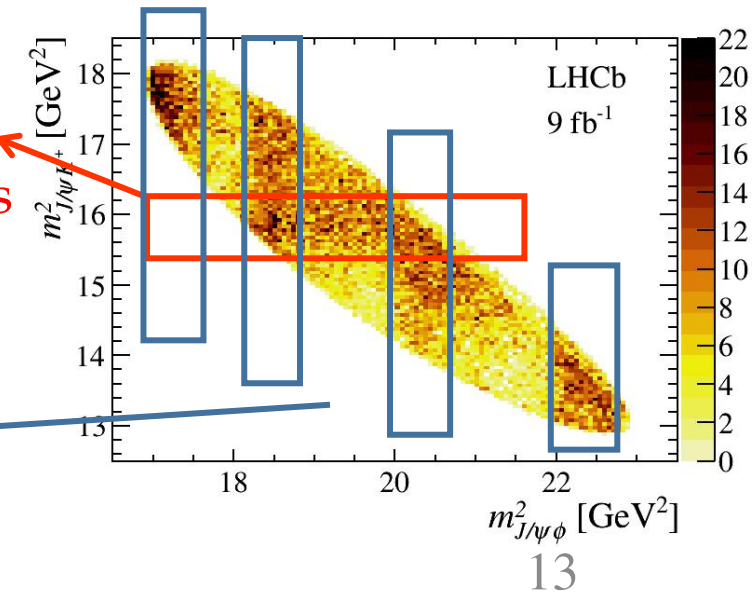
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~6x signal yield (~24k)
much smaller comb. BKG fraction (~4%)



Significant $J/\psi K^+$ bands: Z_{cs} candidates →

Explored by performing amplitude analysis



Clear contribution from $J/\psi\phi$ resonances, same as Run I

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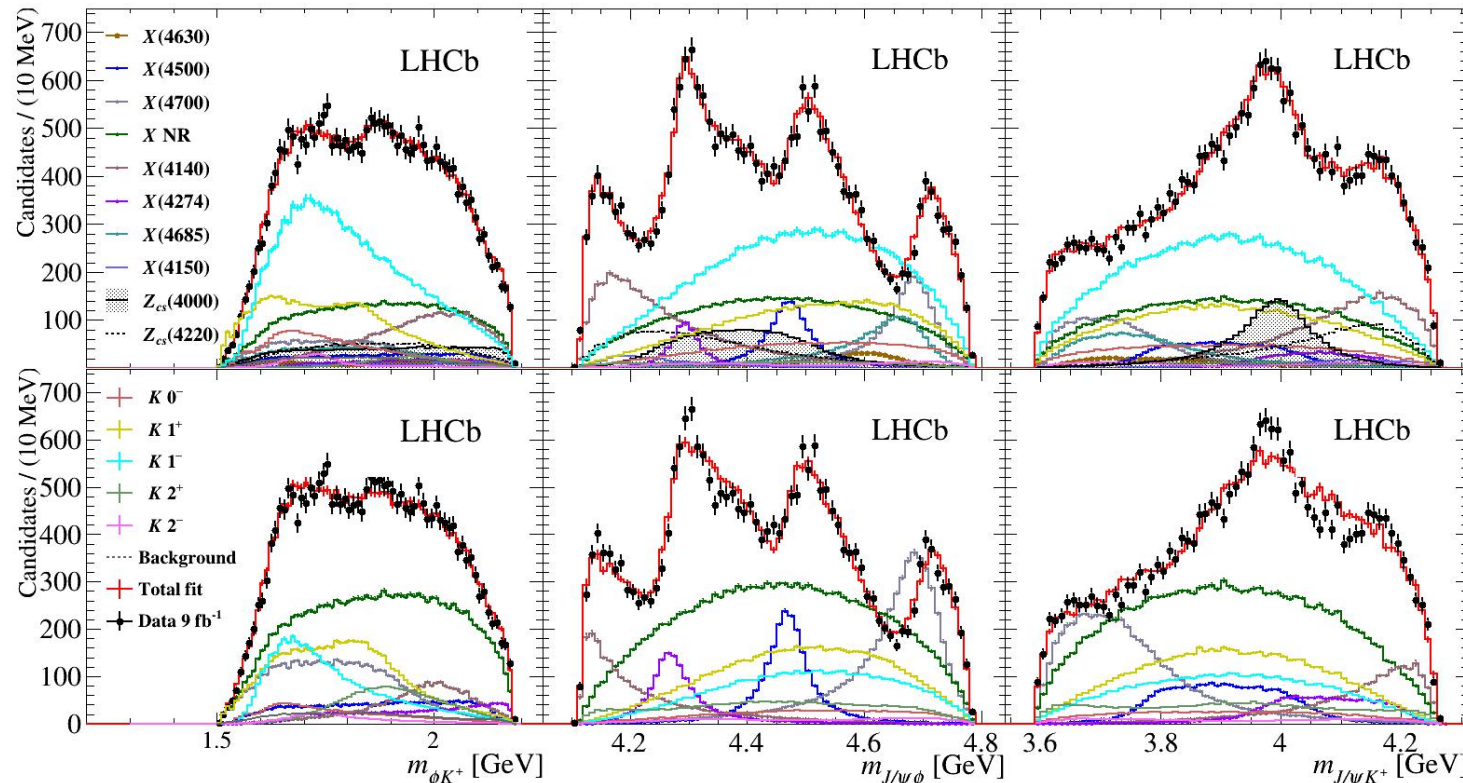
Full 6D amplitude model

Due to increased sample size, **Run I model** can't fit data well

→ **K^* improved model** + new exotic states

$1^+ Z_{cs}$ and $1^+ X$ produce largest improvement, each $\sim 15\sigma$ (stat.)

$1^{+/-} Z_{cs}$, $1^- X$, $2^- X$ improve fit quality significantly, are also included, each $> 5\sigma$ (stat.)



← default model

← Run I model

Amplitude fit results

Breit-Wigner mass, width

arXiv:2103.01803

Contribution	Significance [$\times\sigma$]	M_0 [MeV]	Γ_0 [MeV]	FF [%]	Fit Fraction
$X(2^-)$					
$X(4150)$	4.8 (8.7)	$4146 \pm 18 \pm 33$	$135 \pm 28^{+59}_{-30}$	$2.0 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-1.0}$	
$X(1^-)$					
$X(4630)$	5.5 (5.7)	$4626 \pm 16^{+18}_{-110}$	$174 \pm 27^{+134}_{-73}$	$2.6 \pm 0.5^{+2.9}_{-1.5}$	
All $X(0^+)$				$20 \pm 5^{+14}_{-7}$	
$X(4500)$	20 (20)	$4474 \pm 3 \pm 3$	$77 \pm 6^{+10}_{-8}$	$5.6 \pm 0.7^{+2.4}_{-0.6}$	
$X(4700)$	17 (18)	$4694 \pm 4^{+16}_{-3}$	$87 \pm 8^{+16}_{-6}$	$8.9 \pm 1.2^{+4.9}_{-1.4}$	
$NR_{J/\psi\phi}$	4.8 (5.7)			$28 \pm 8^{+19}_{-11}$	
All $X(1^+)$				$26 \pm 3^{+8}_{-10}$	
$X(4140)$	13 (16)	$4118 \pm 11^{+19}_{-36}$	$162 \pm 21^{+24}_{-49}$	$17 \pm 3^{+19}_{-6}$	
$X(4274)$	18 (18)	$4294 \pm 4^{+3}_{-6}$	$53 \pm 5 \pm 5$	$2.8 \pm 0.5^{+0.8}_{-0.4}$	
$X(4685)$	15 (15)	$4684 \pm 7^{+13}_{-16}$	$126 \pm 15^{+37}_{-41}$	$7.2 \pm 1.0^{+4.0}_{-2.0}$	
All $Z_{cs}(1^+)$				$25 \pm 5^{+11}_{-12}$	
$Z_{cs}(4000)$	15 (16)	$4003 \pm 6^{+4}_{-14}$	$131 \pm 15 \pm 26$	$9.4 \pm 2.1 \pm 3.4$	
$Z_{cs}(4220)$	5.9 (8.4)	$4216 \pm 24^{+43}_{-30}$	$233 \pm 52^{+97}_{-73}$	$10 \pm 4^{+10}_{-7}$	

$J^P = 1^{+/-}$ preferred,
need more data

- Four X states observed in Run I are confirmed.
- Observation of two Z_{cs} states, both significance $>5\sigma$.
- Observation of two new X states, both significance $>5\sigma$.

Summary and prospects

The LHCb detector produces many nice results, fruitful on heavy hadron spectroscopy!

Some highlights:

- New $D_{s0}(2590)^+$ state is first observed with high significance ($>20\sigma$) in $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^+ \pi^-$
 $J^P=0^-$ preferred with significance $> 15\sigma$
Strong candidate to be the missing $D_s(2^1S_0)^+$ state
- Evidence of $P_{cs}(4459)^0$ in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$
 P_{cs} mass 19MeV below the $\Xi_c^0 \bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold
More data is needed to explore J^P and possible two-peak structure
- Observation of two $c\bar{c}u\bar{s}$ tetraquarks and two $c\bar{c}s\bar{s}$ tetraquarks in $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$
 $1^+ Z_{cs}(4000)^+$ with significance $> 15\sigma$, $1^{+/-} Z_{cs}(4220)^+$ with larger width
Two new X states observed, four X states observed in Run I analysis confirmed

The upgrade of the LHCb detector is going on wheels : [arXiv:1808.08865](https://arxiv.org/abs/1808.08865)

- 7x data by 2029 than current (14x for hadronic decays), half of these by 2024

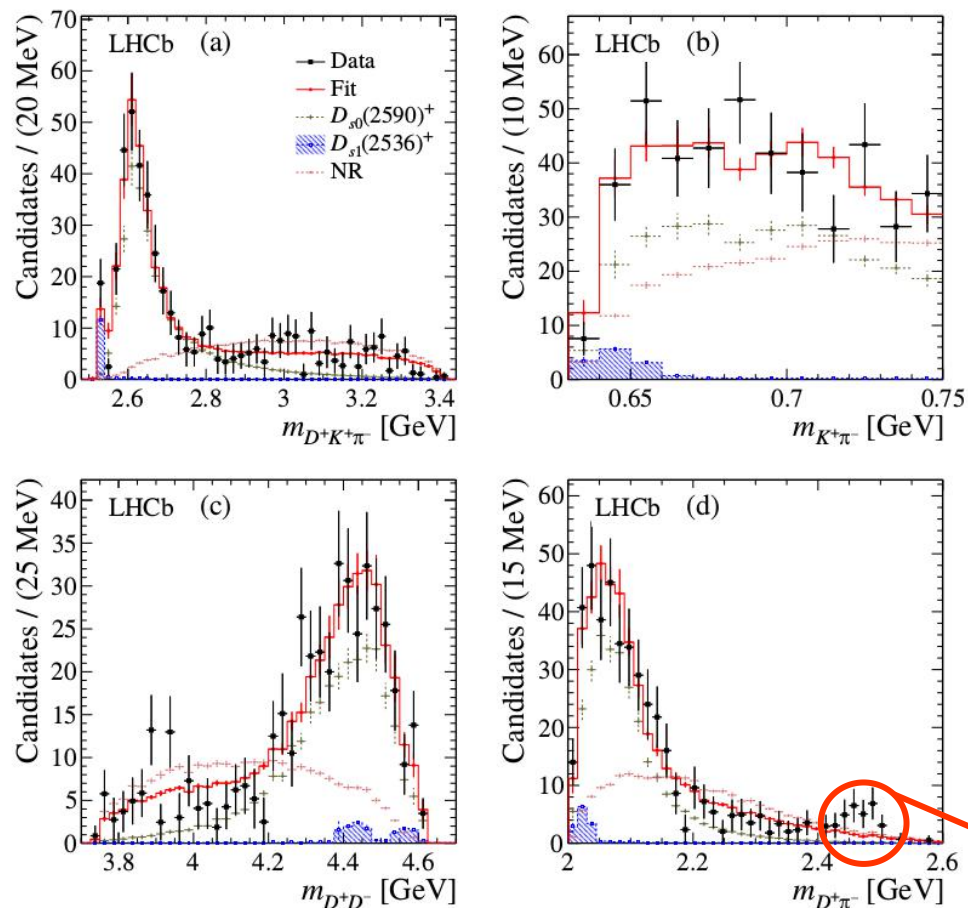
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Amplitude analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^+ \pi^-$

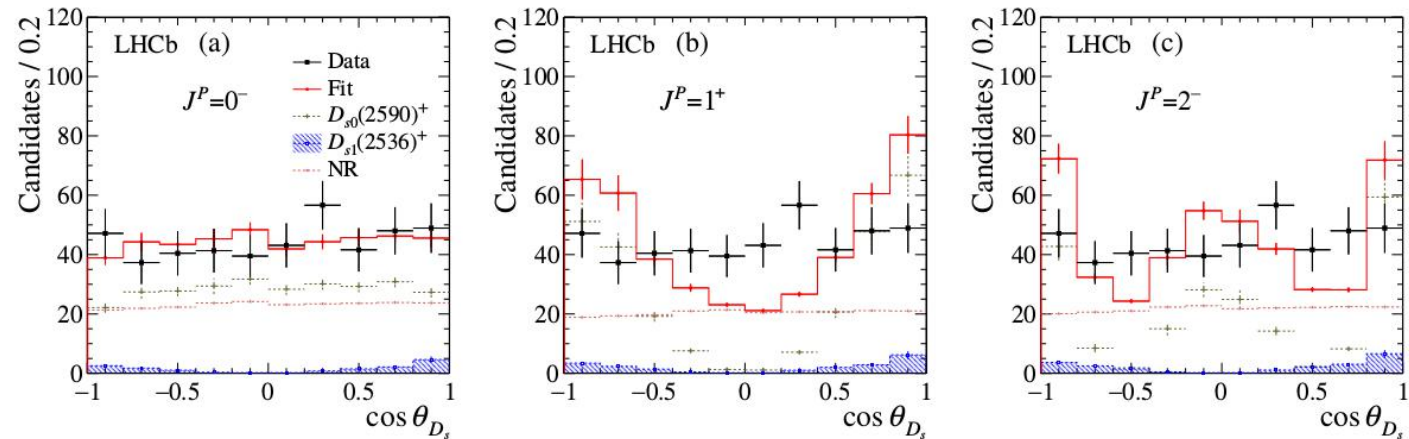
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Mass projections of different systems:



	Fit fraction ($\times 10^{-2}$)	
$D_{s0}(2590)^+$	63 ± 9 (stat)	± 9 (syst)
$D_{s1}(2536)^+$	3.9 ± 1.4 (stat)	± 0.8 (syst)
NR	51 ± 11 (stat)	± 19 (syst)
$D_{s0}^+ \text{-NR}$	-18 ± 18 (stat)	± 24 (syst)
D_{s1}^+ / D_{s0}^+	6.1 ± 2.4 (stat)	± 1.4 (syst)

Spin-parity test: $J^P=0^-$ is the most consistent with data.

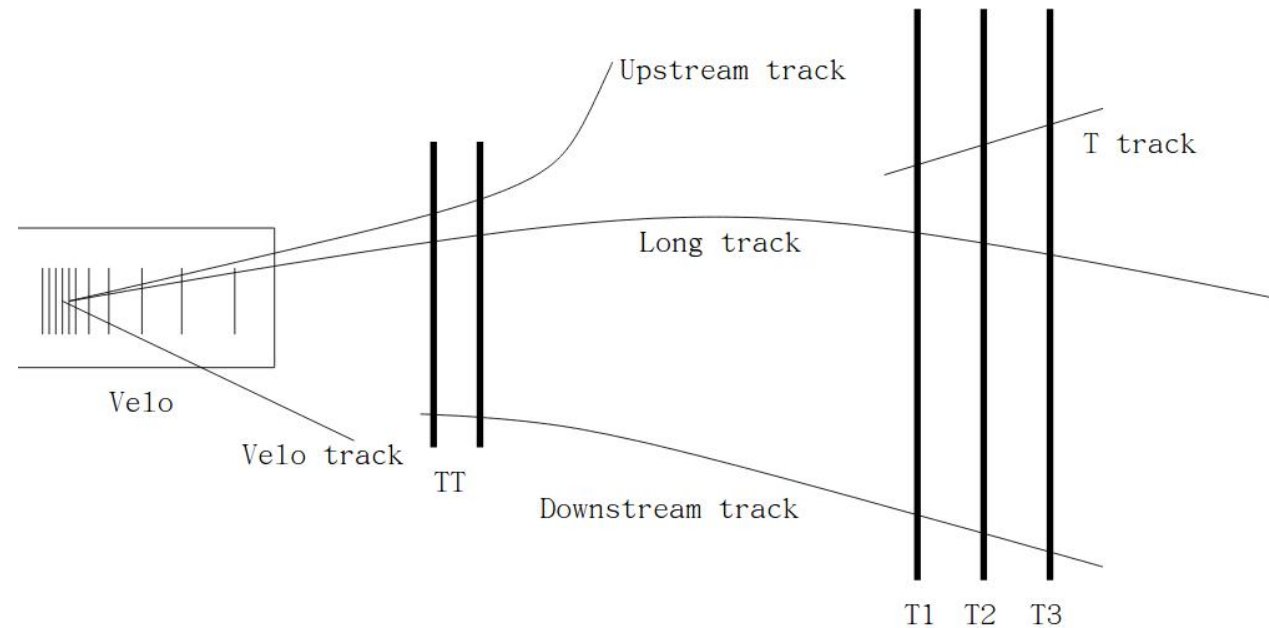


Could be from the $D_s^*(2460)^+$ contribution, handled in syst. study

Λ reconstruction at LHCb

Due to large mean life time of Λ baryon, most Λ particles decay after Velo.

- For Λ decays in Velo, reconstructed by two Long tracks;
- For Λ decays outside Velo, reconstructed by two Downstream tracks;

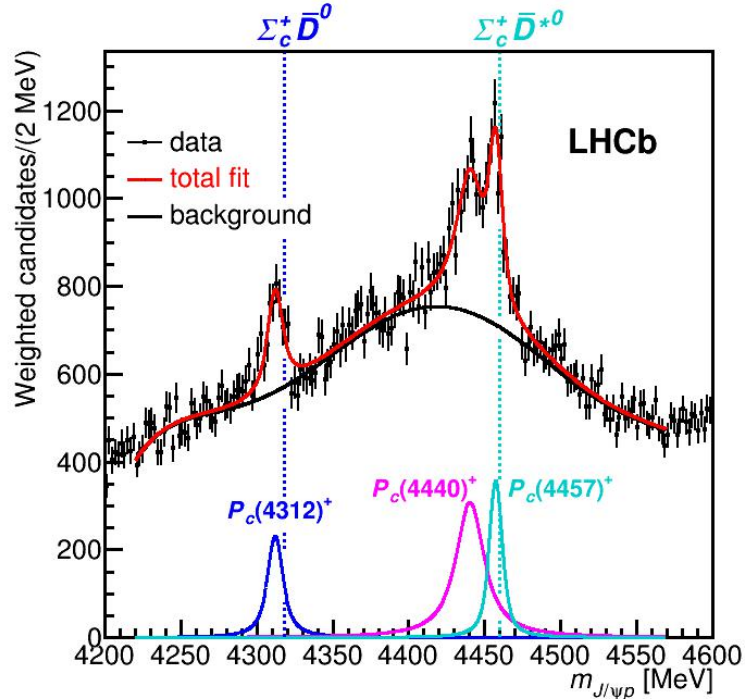


Two-peak structures in P_c and P_{cs} spectra

PRL 122 (2019) 222001
Sci.Bull. 66 (2021) 1278

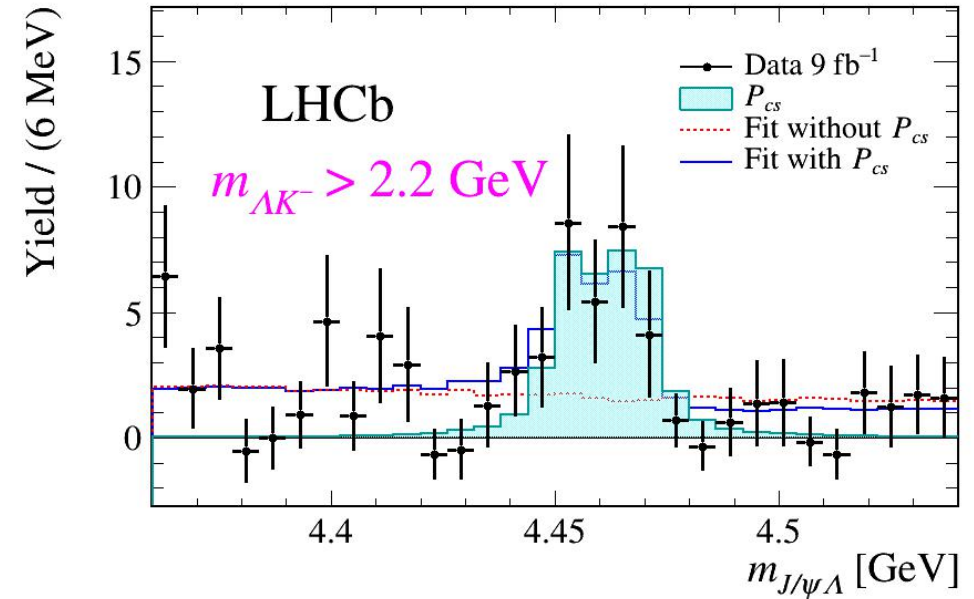
Two-peak interpretation with a statistical significance of 5.4σ

Improves $2\ln L$ by 4.8 units for 4 additional free parameters



relative contributions

State	M [MeV]	Γ [MeV]	(95% CL)	\mathcal{R} [%]
$P_c(4312)^+$	$4311.9 \pm 0.7^{+6.8}_{-0.6}$	$9.8 \pm 2.7^{+3.7}_{-4.5}$	(< 27)	$0.30 \pm 0.07^{+0.34}_{-0.09}$
$P_c(4440)^+$	$4440.3 \pm 1.3^{+4.1}_{-4.7}$	$20.6 \pm 4.9^{+8.7}_{-10.1}$	(< 49)	$1.11 \pm 0.33^{+0.22}_{-0.10}$
$P_c(4457)^+$	$4457.3 \pm 0.6^{+4.1}_{-1.7}$	$6.4 \pm 2.0^{+5.7}_{-1.9}$	(< 20)	$0.53 \pm 0.16^{+0.15}_{-0.13}$

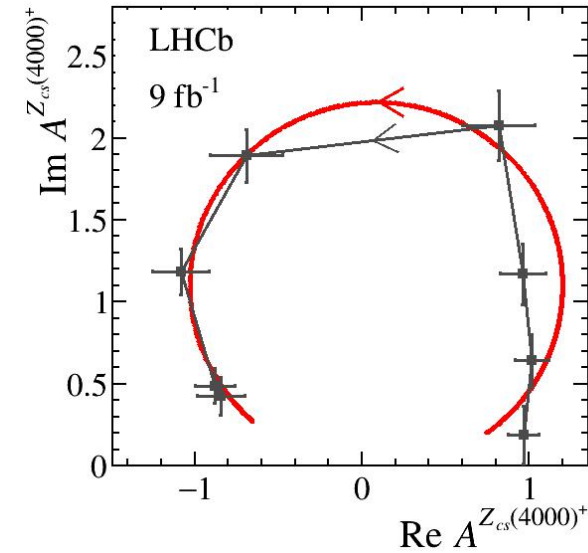
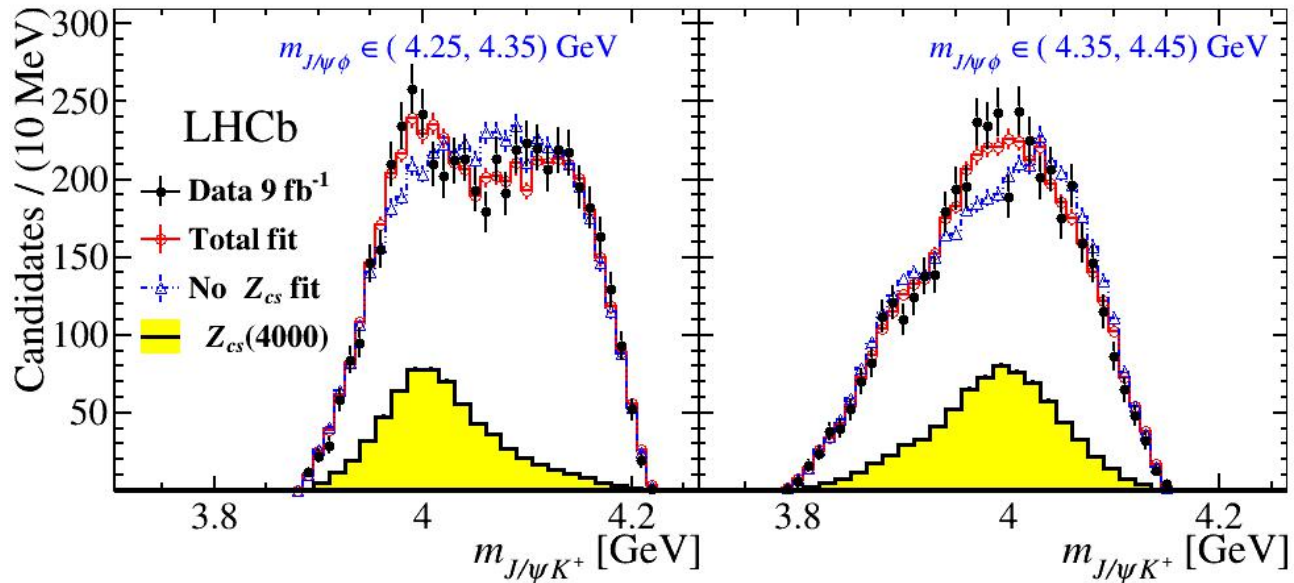


$M_1 = 4454.9 \pm 2.7(\text{stat}) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma_1 = 7.5 \pm 9.7(\text{stat}) \text{ MeV};$
 $M_2 = 4467.8 \pm 3.7(\text{stat}) \text{ MeV}, \Gamma_2 = 5.2 \pm 5.3(\text{stat}) \text{ MeV}.$

Test of the $1^+ Z_{cs}(4000)^+$ state

arXiv:2103.01803

Argand diagram shows the magnitude and phase obtained from data fit is consistent with **expected BW behaviour**.



Fit projections onto $m_{J/\psi K^+}$ in two slices of $m_{J/\psi\phi}$ for the default model with and without the $1^+ Z_{cs}(4000)^+$ state.