

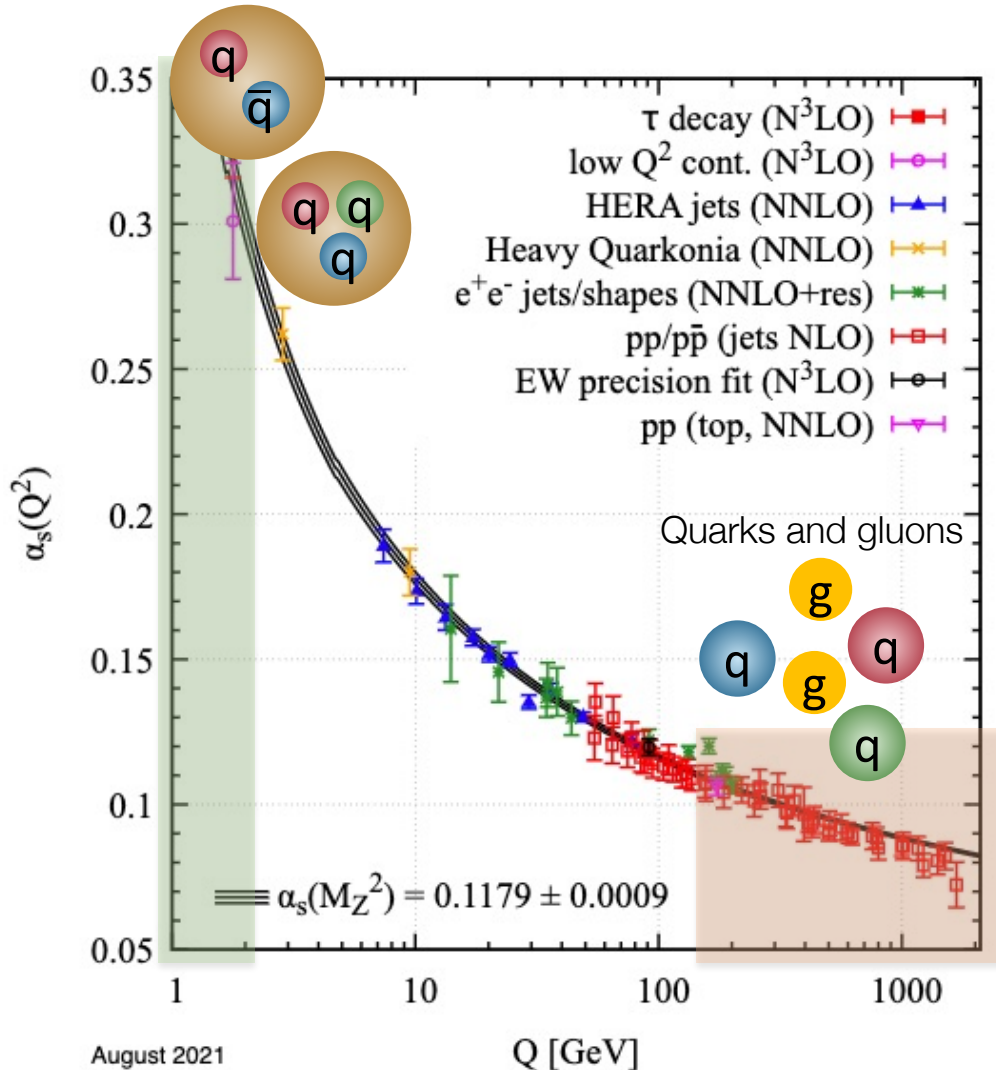
Hadron spectroscopy and hadron-hadron interactions

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Strong interaction between hadrons

Mesons and baryons

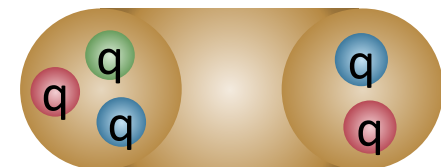
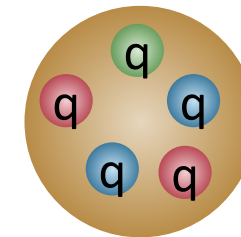
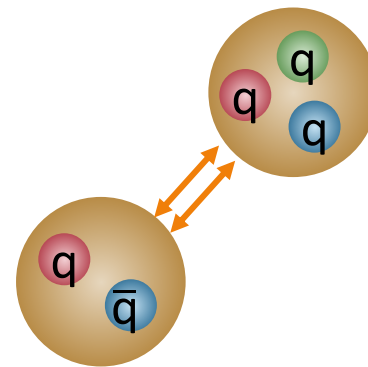


- Understanding how QCD evolves from high-energy to low-energy regime

How do hadrons emerge?

How do hadrons interact?
2-body and many-body interactions

How is the QCD spectrum organized?
Bound states/resonances
Conventional and exotic states



Need for experimental data

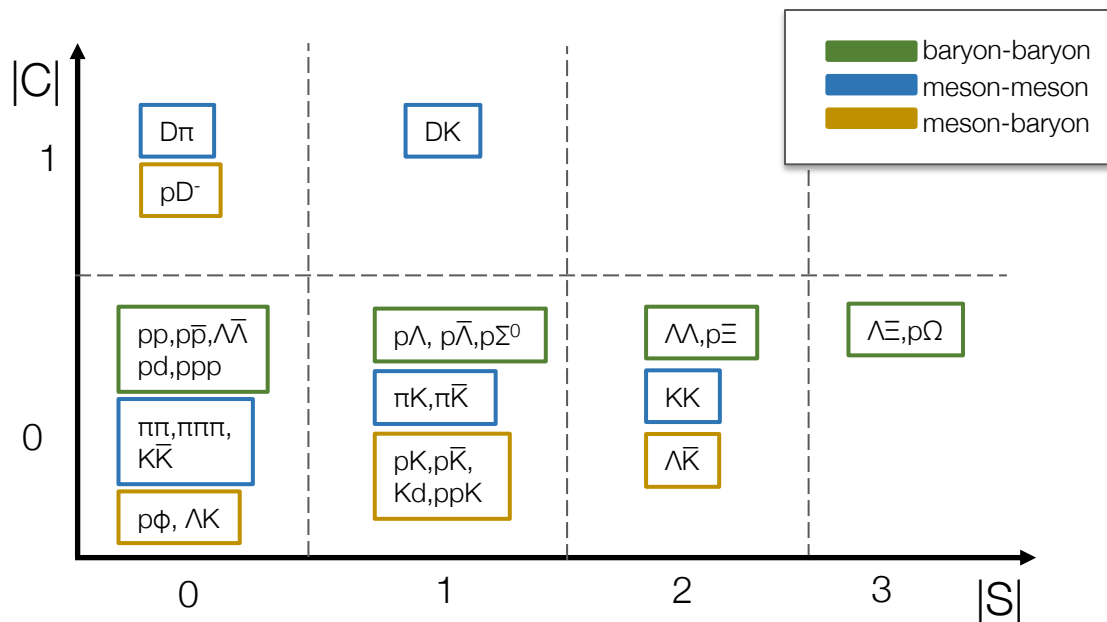
Spectroscopy and femtoscopy at LHC



Correlations

ALICE major player in the study of hadronic interactions, contributing also in investigations on the emitting source

CMS and ATLAS providing significant input to source size and interaction studies

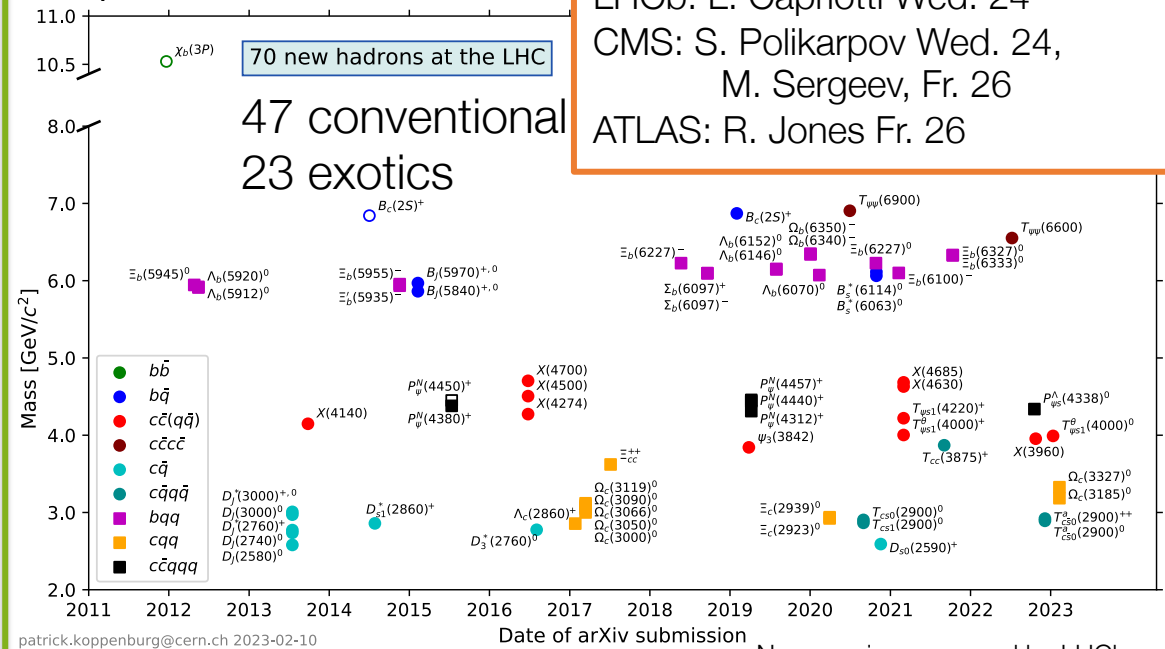


Spectroscopy

LHCb major player in the exotic and conventional spectroscopy sectors thanks to the dedicated design

CMS and ATLAS largely contributing to beauty and quarkonium sectors

LHCb: L. Capriotti Wed. 24
 CMS: S. Polikarpov Wed. 24,
 M. Sergeev, Fr. 26
 ATLAS: R. Jones Fr. 26



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<https://www.nikhef.nl/~pkoppenb/particles.html>
 New naming proposed by LHCb
[arXiv:2206.1523](https://arxiv.org/abs/2206.1523)

Outline

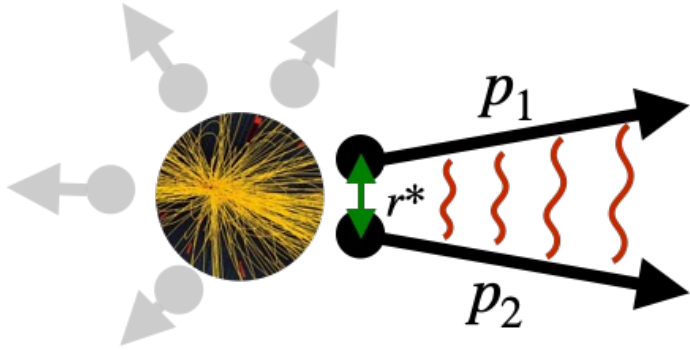
Focus on **strange** and **charm** sector:

- Correlations measurements for
 - Interactions of Λ baryons with protons and K^-
 - First results for correlations with charmed D mesons
- Highlights in the exotic spectroscopy
 - first pentaquark with strange content $P_{\psi_s}^\Lambda(4338)$ in $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p}$
 - new tetraquark states $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^{++,0}$ in $B \rightarrow \bar{D} D_S^+ \pi$



Correlations with strange and charm hadrons

The femtoscopy technique at the LHC



- Access to the short-range dynamics between hadrons^[1,2]:

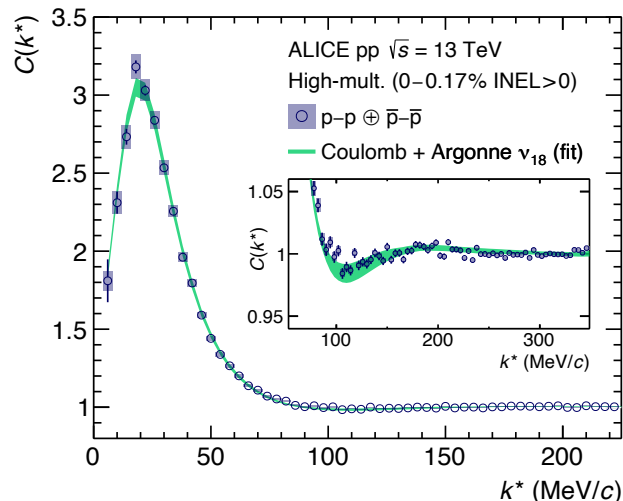
$$C(k^*) = \int S(\vec{r}^*) |\psi(\vec{k}^*, \vec{r}^*)|^2 d^3\vec{r}^* = \mathcal{N}(k^*) \frac{N_{\text{same}}(k^*)}{N_{\text{mixed}}(k^*)}$$

ALICE measurements shown today in high-multiplicity pp collisions at 13 TeV

- Emitting source anchored to p-p correlation data^[3]
- Interparticle distances ~1-2 fm in pp collisions

Two-particle wave function^[4]

- Profile of $C(k^*)$ vs nature of the interaction



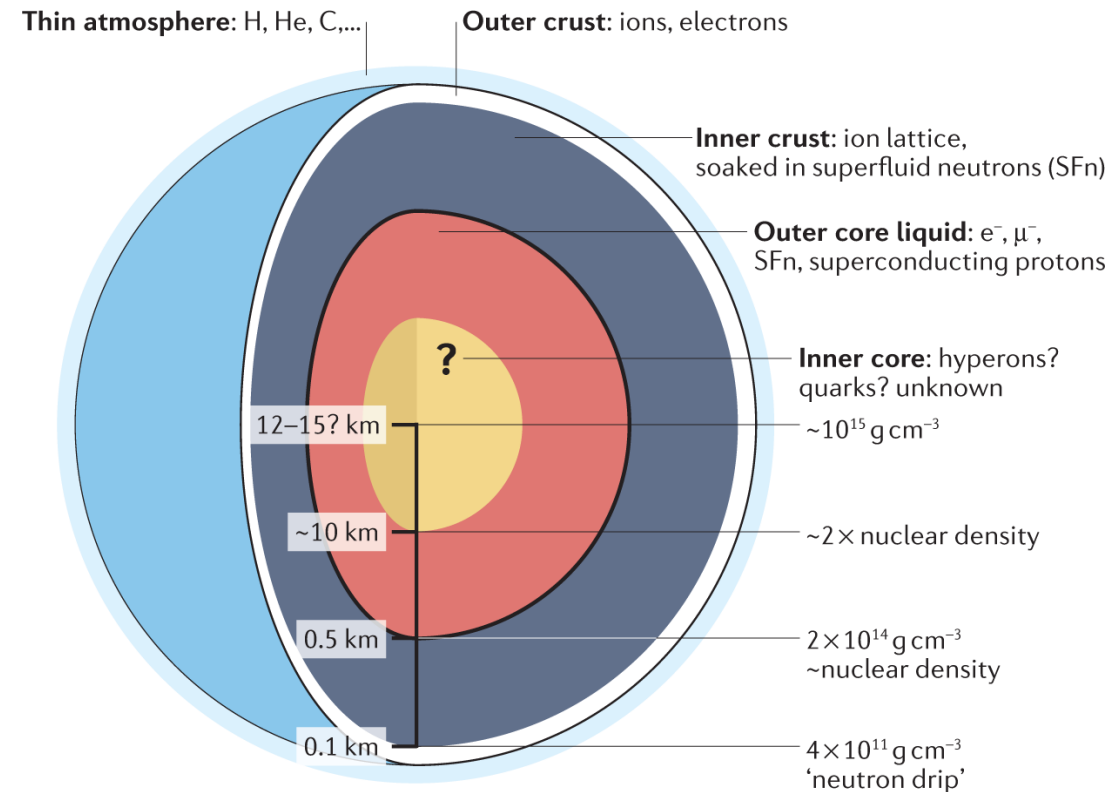
$$C(k^*) \begin{cases} > 1 & \text{Attractive} \\ < 1 & \text{Repulsive} \\ \cong 1 & \text{Bound state} \end{cases}$$

- [1] M.Lisa, S. Pratt et al, Ann.Rev.Nucl.Part.Sci. 55 (2005), 357-402
- [2] L. Fabbietti, VMS and O. Vazquez Doce ARNPS 71 (2021), 377-402
- [3] ALICE coll., PLB, 811 (2020), 135849
- [4] D. Mihaylov et al., EPJC 78 (2018), 5, 394

The Λ N interaction in neutron stars

- Constraining the Λ N interaction in vacuum
 - How Λ hyperons behave at finite density?
 - Are there hyperons inside neutron stars?
- High density in the core of neutron stars
 - Production of hyperons as Λ at $\rho \sim 2-3\rho_0$ and softening of the equation of state
 - Incompatibility with astrophysical measurements of $M_{\text{NS}} \gtrsim 2 M_{\odot}$
 - Long-standing **hyperon puzzle**

**High-precision data on
2-body hyperon-nucleon interaction**

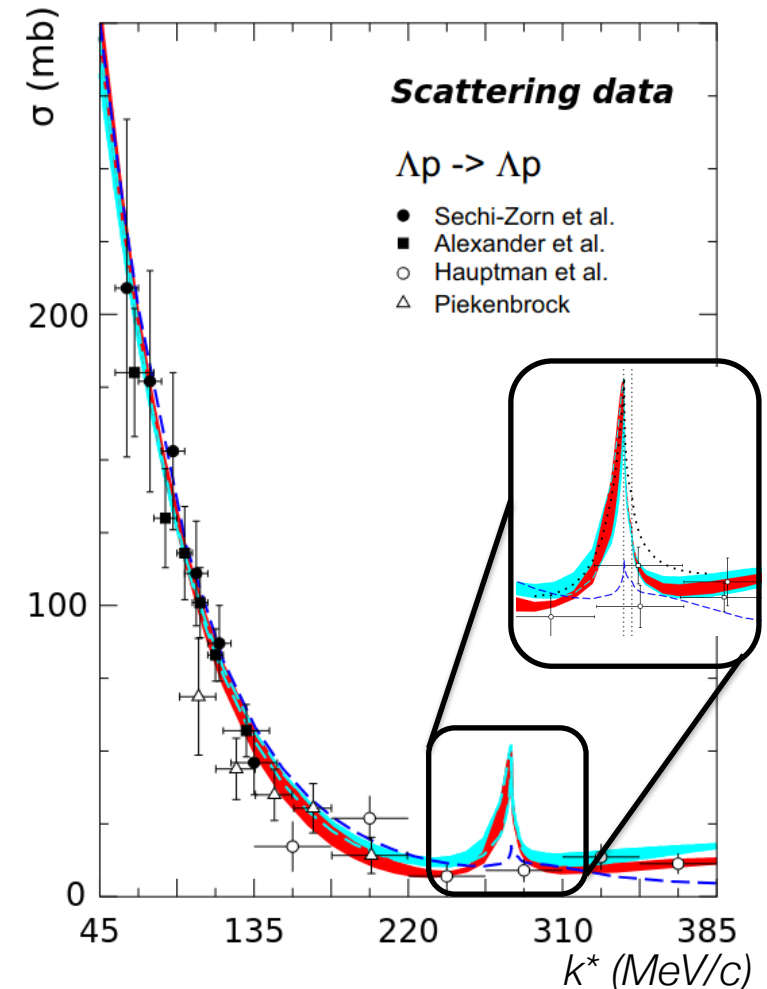


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Figure adapted from NICER

The $p\Lambda$ interaction so far...

- Mainly investigated with **scattering data**
 - High-precision results by CLAS at large momenta^[1]
 - Large uncertainties at low momenta and not available down to threshold
- Cusp structure at **ΣN opening**
 - Coupling ΛN - ΣN driving the behaviour of Λ at finite ρ ^[2,3]
 - State-of-art chiral potentials with different ΛN - ΣN strength^[3,4]

High-precision data on ΛN interaction



[1] CLAS coll.PRL 127 (2021), 27, 27230

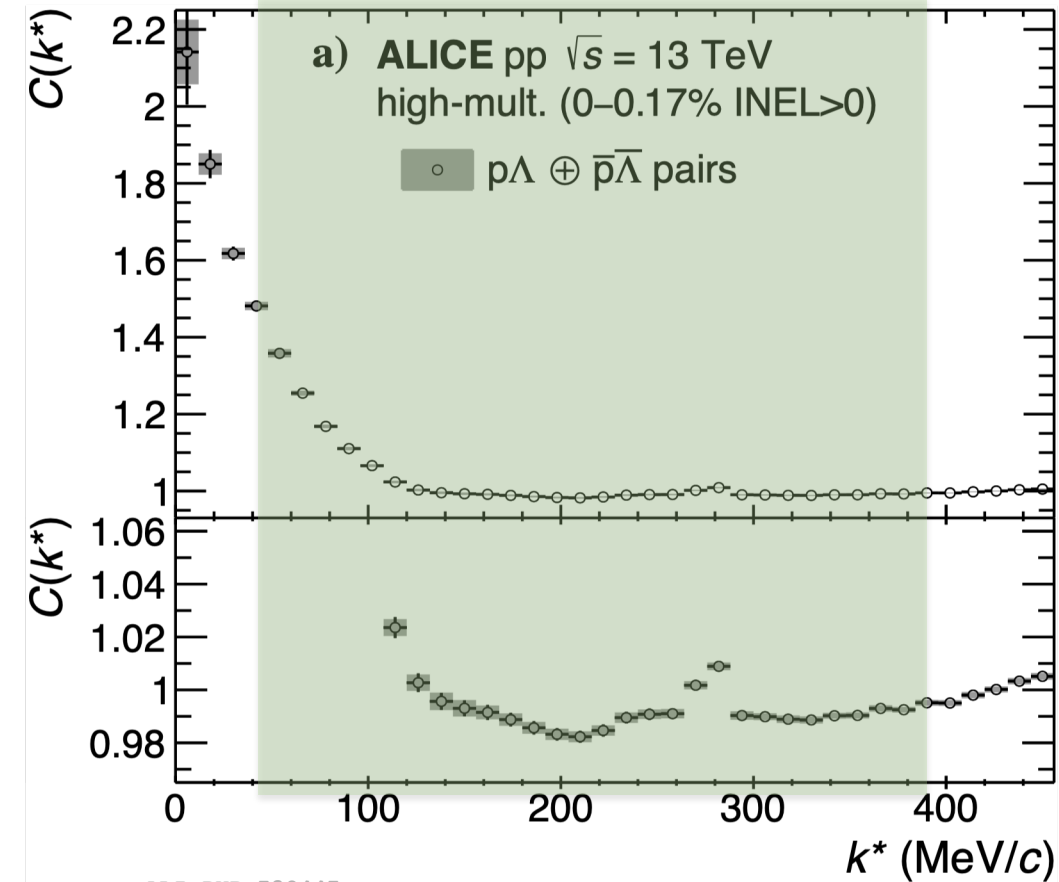
[2] D. Gerstung et al. Eur.Phys.J.A 56 (2020), 6, 175

[3] NLO19: J.Haidenbauer, U. Meißner, EPJA 56 (2020), 3, 91

[4] NLO13: J.Haidenbauer, N.Kaiser et al., NPA 915, 24 (2013)

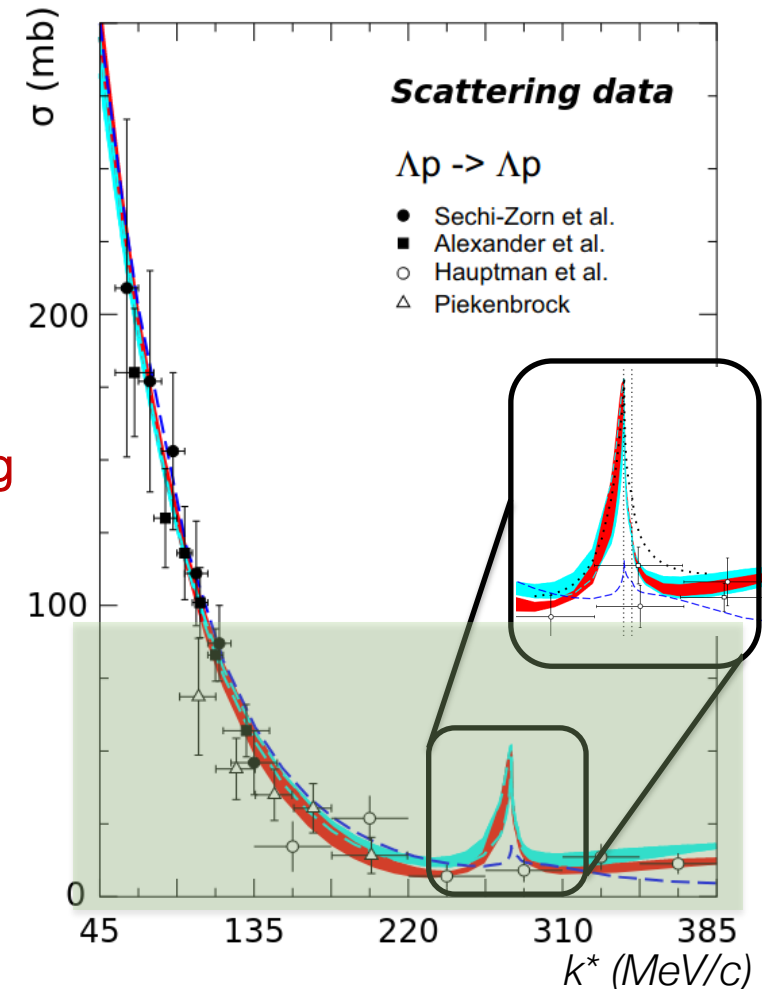
The $p\Lambda$ interaction in the femtoscopy era

ALICE coll. PLB 833 (2022), 137272



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- Measurement down to zero momentum
- Factor 20 improved precision (<1%)
- First experimental evidence of ΣN opening in 2-body channel

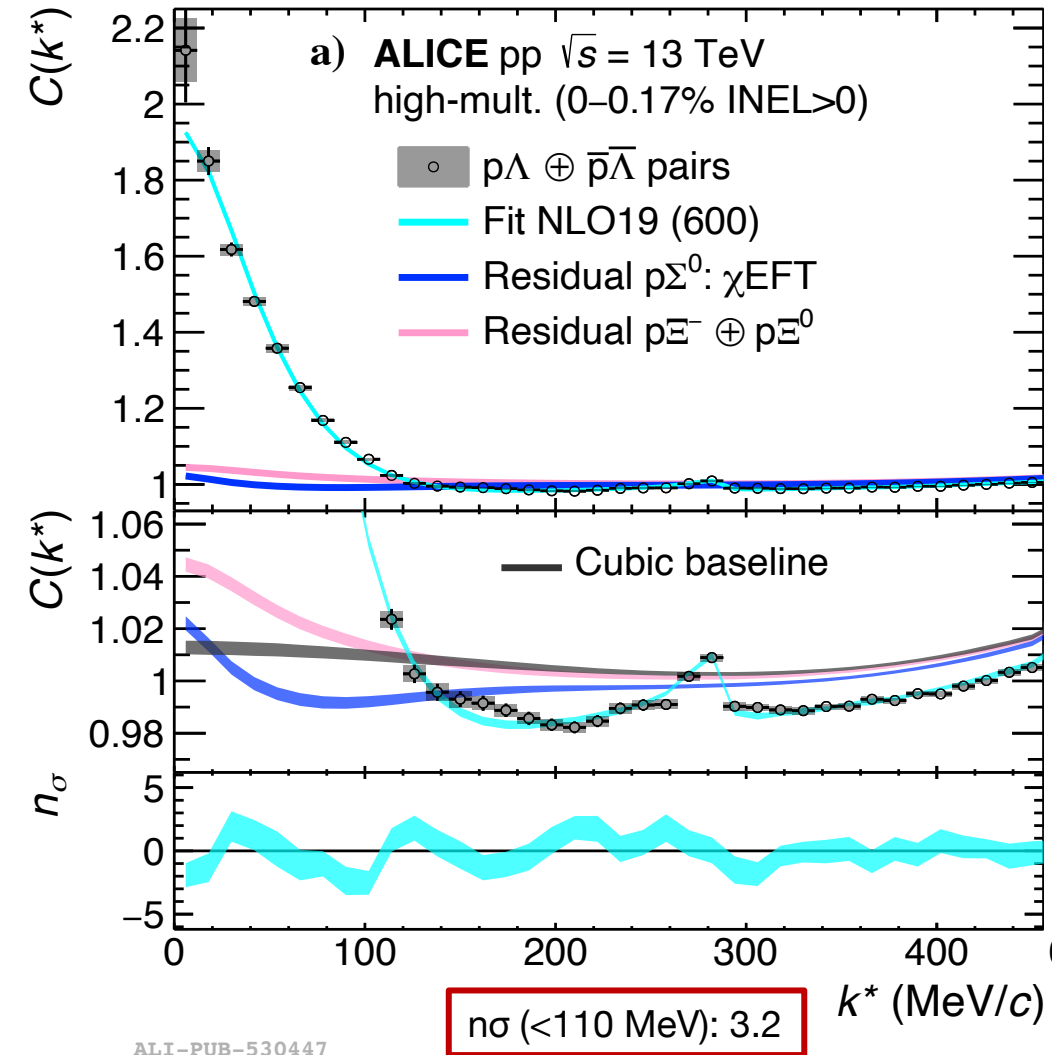


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The $p\Lambda$ interaction in the femtoscopy era



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- New scenario for $p\Lambda$ interaction
→ **Weaker ΛN - ΣN coupling favoured**, important for neutron stars^[1]
- **Most precise data on $p\Lambda$ system at low momenta**
→ Input for low energy effective models in the strange baryonic sector
- More pieces needed for the hyperon puzzle in **LHC Run 3-4**
→ $p\Sigma^{+,-}$ and Λd interactions
→ Three-particle ppp and $pp\Lambda$ interactions^[2]

Talk by R. Del Grande
Wed. 24

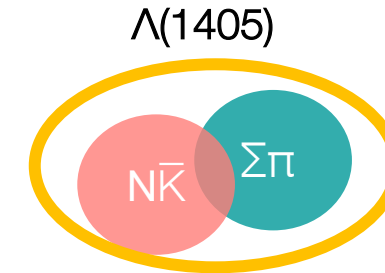
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[2] ALICE coll. arXiv: 2206.03344

The interaction between kaons and Λ baryons



- K^-p correlations measured by ALICE in different colliding systems^[1]
→ Improve understanding on $\Lambda(1405)$ molecular state^[2]



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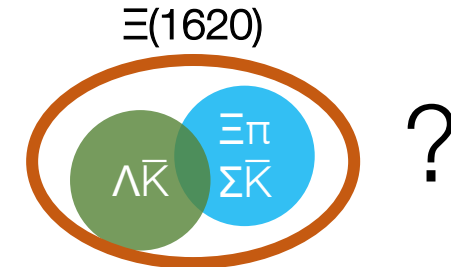
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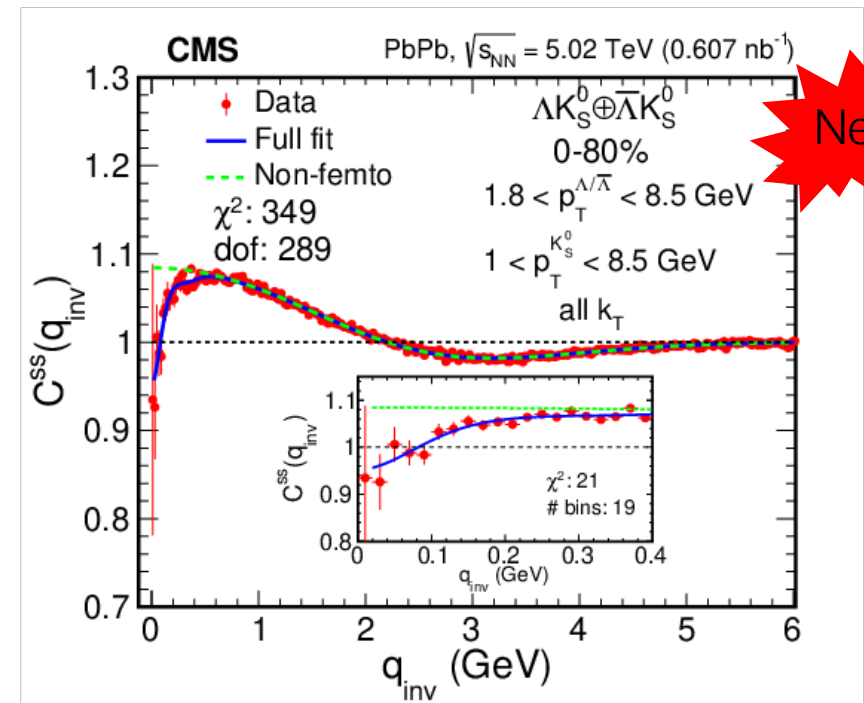


- K^-p correlations measured by ALICE in different colliding systems^[1]
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- Similar scenario in $\Lambda\bar{K}$ interaction with $\Xi(1620)$ state?
→ Shed light on the nature of $\Xi(1620)$, observed by Belle in $\Xi^- \pi^+$ decay^[3]
- Measurements of ΛK^\pm and ΛK_S^0 in Pb-Pb collisions by ALICE^[4] and CMS
→ **First measurement of scattering parameters**

Extend the measurements of ΛK^- correlations in pp collisions



CMS coll. arXiv: 2301.05290



[1] ALICE coll. PRL 124 (2020) 9, 092301, PLB 822 (2021), 136708, EPJC 83 (2023), 4, 340

[2] M. Mai EPJ.ST 230 (2021), 6, 1593-1607

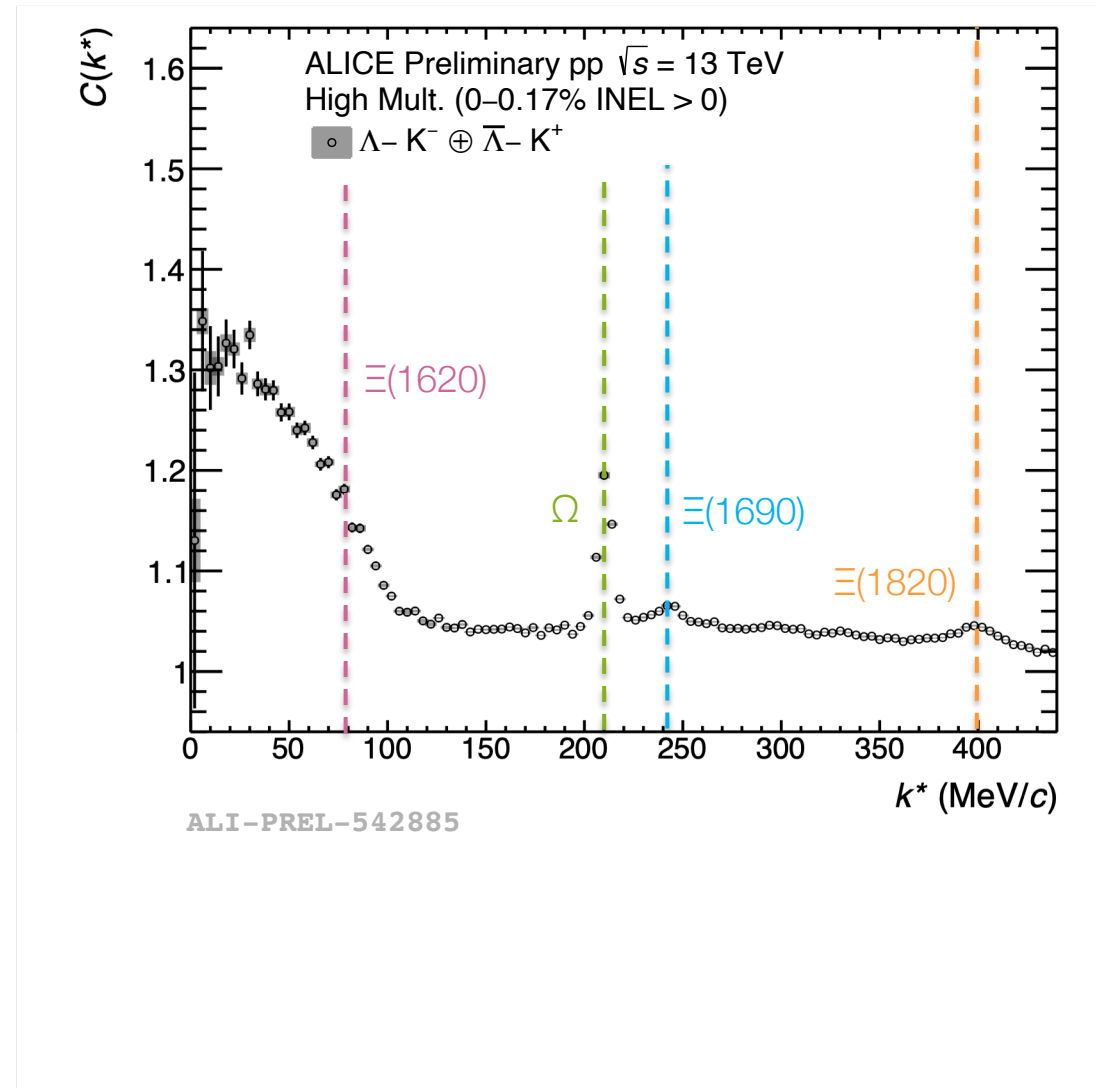
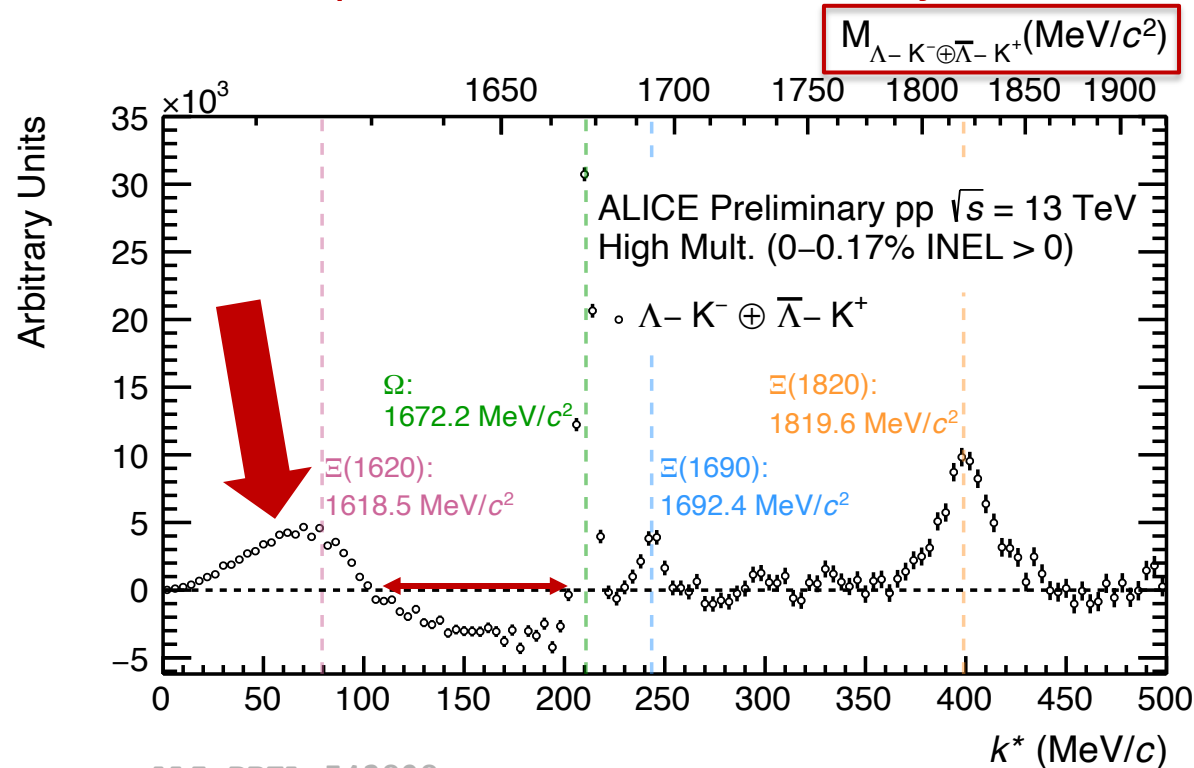
[3] Belle coll. PRL 122 (2019), 7, 07250

[4] ALICE coll. PRC 103 (2021), 5, 055201

The ΛK - correlation in pp collisions

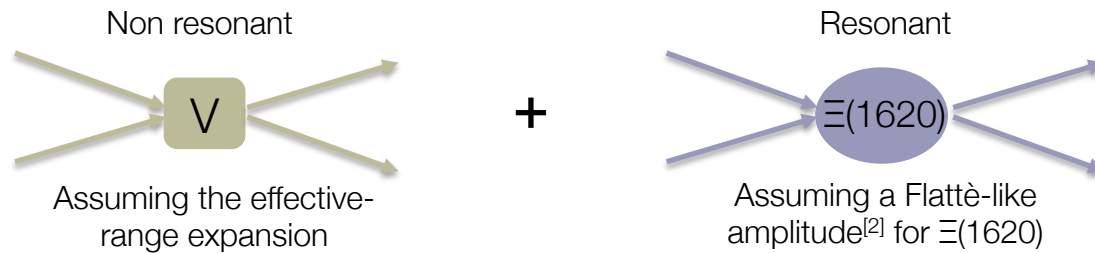


- Several peak structures in the measured correlation
- Invariant mass from same and mixed event distributions used to build the correlation
 - $\Xi(1620)$ just above the threshold
 - First experimental evidence of decay into ΛK^-



The ΛK^- correlation in pp collisions

- Data modeled with the Lednicky-Lyuboshits formula^[1]



- $\Xi(1620)$ properties and scattering parameters

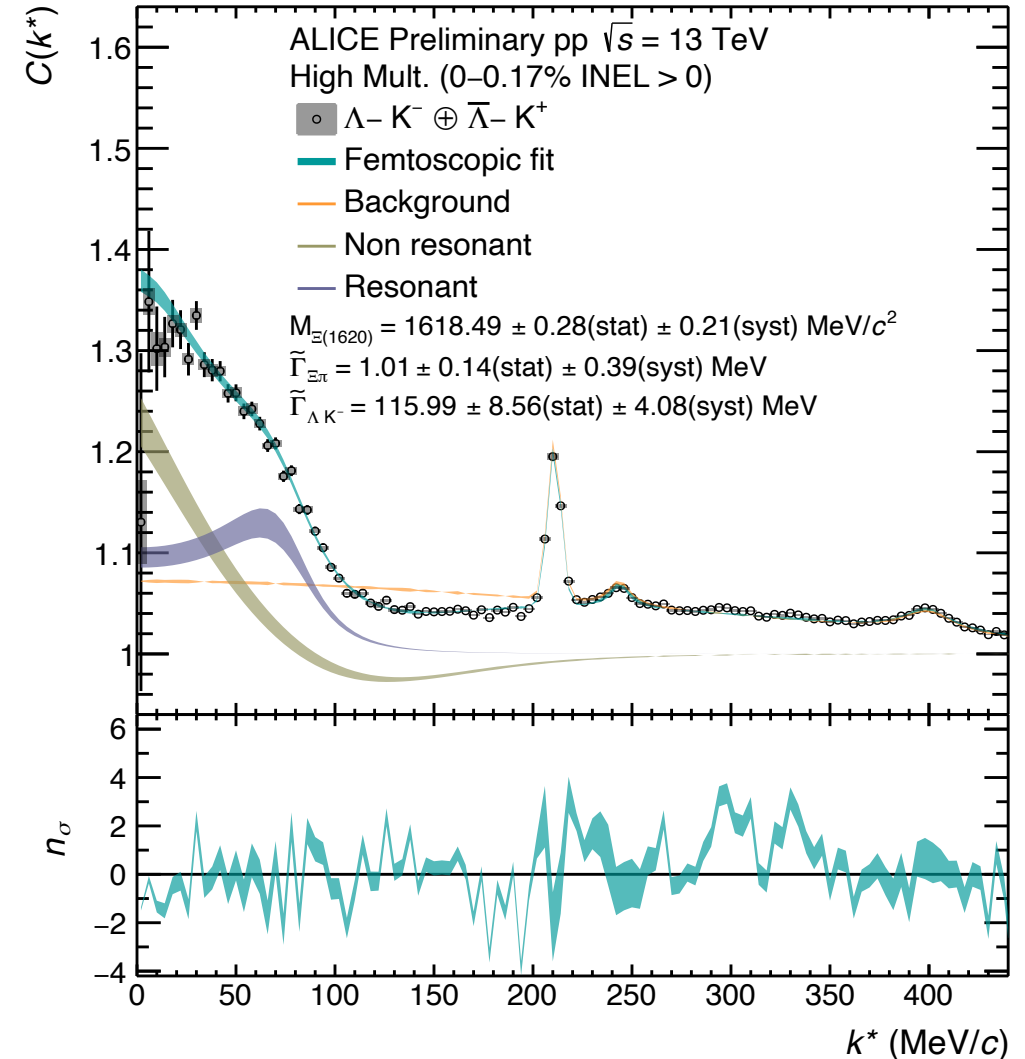
→ Mass in agreement with Belle^[3]

$$M_{\Xi(1620)} = 1618.49^{\pm 0.28(stat)}_{\pm 0.21(syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

→ Indication of a large coupling of $\Xi(1620)$ to ΛK^-

→ Non-resonant scattering parameters in agreement with ALICE Pb-Pb results^[4]

- High-precision data to constrain effective chiral theories and to understand the $\Xi(1620)$ nature^[5,6]



[1] R. Lednicky, V. Lyuboshits SJNP 35 (1982)
 [2] F. Giacosa et al. EPJA 57 (2021), 12, 336
 [3] Belle coll. PRL 122 (2019), 7, 07250

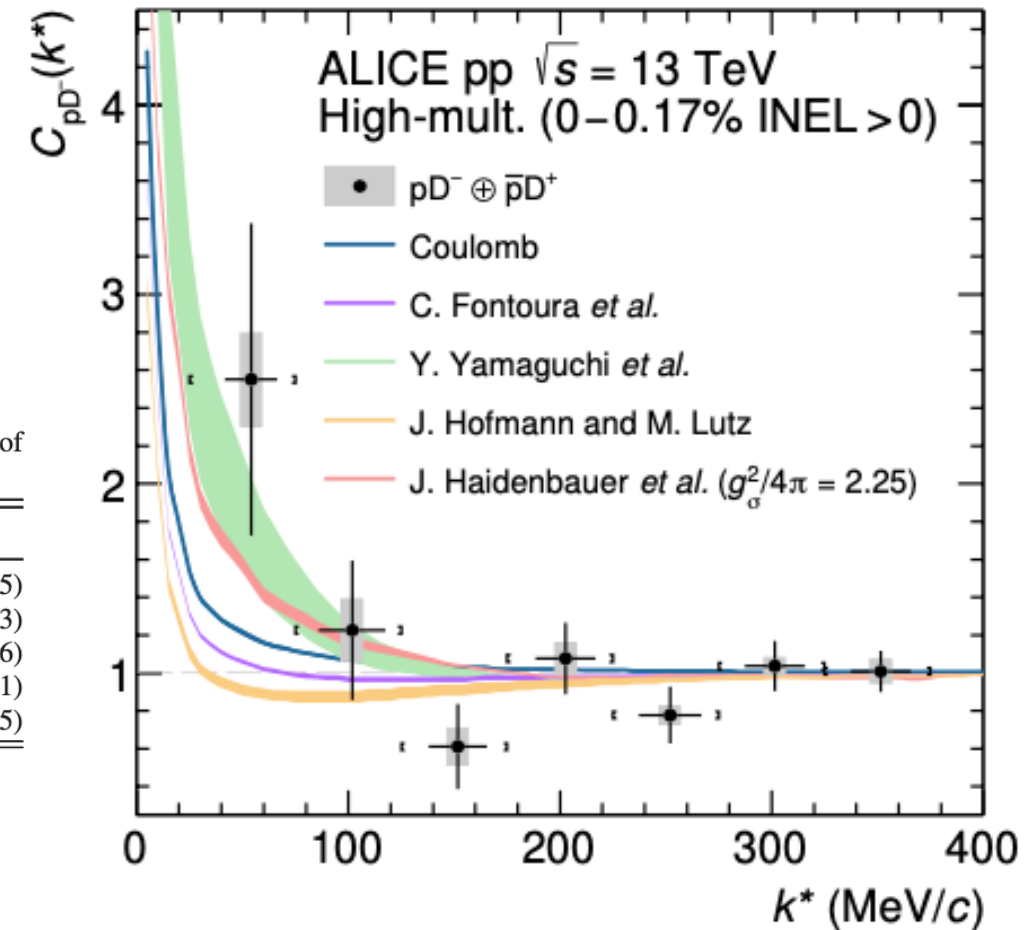
[4] ALICE coll. PRC 103 (2021), 5, 055201
 [5] A. Ramos et al. PRL 89 (2002), 252001
 [6] A. Feijoo et al. PLB 841 (2023), 137927

Accessing the strong interaction with charm hadrons



- **First measurement of the genuine correlation between protons and D^- mesons**
 → Important input in studies and searches for charm nuclear states^[1]
- Comparison with available models
 → Indication of an **attractive interaction**
 → Compatible also with the **formation of bound state**

ALICE coll. PRD 106 (2022), 5, 052010



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TABLE I. Scattering parameters of the different theoretical models for the $N\bar{D}$ interaction [22–25] and degree of consistency with the experimental data computed in the range $k^* < 200$ MeV/c.

Model	$f_0(I=0)$	$f_0(I=1)$	n_σ
Coulomb			(1.1–1.5)
Haidenbauer <i>et al.</i> [22] ($g_\sigma^2/4\pi = 2.25$)	0.67	0.04	(0.8–1.3)
Hofmann and Lutz [23]	-0.16	-0.26	(1.3–1.6)
Yamaguchi <i>et al.</i> [25]	-4.38	-0.07	(0.6–1.1)
Fontoura <i>et al.</i> [24]	0.16	-0.25	(1.1–1.5)

- New results on $D\pi$ and DK correlations measured by ALICE

Talk by D. Battistini
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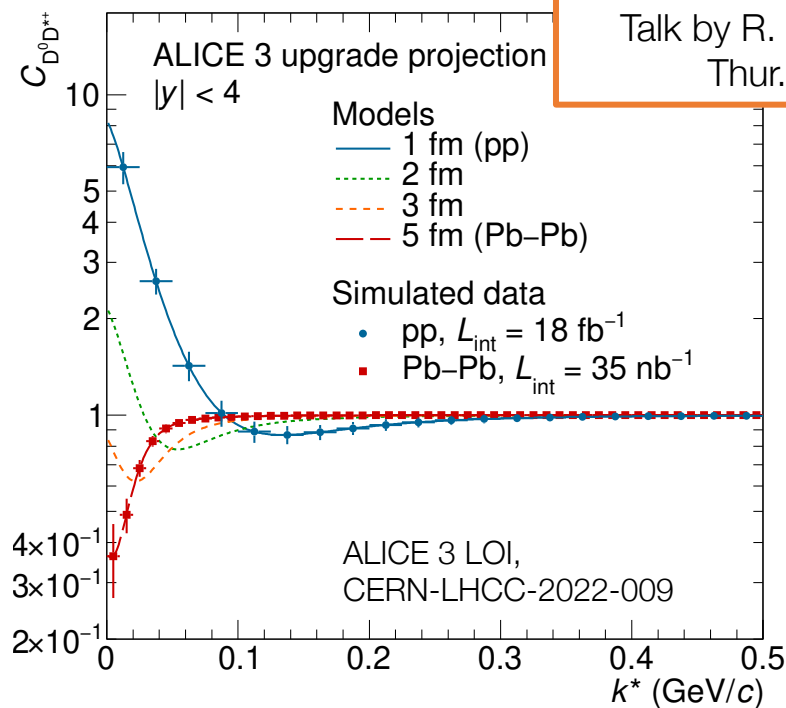
[1] A. Hosaka *et al.* Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 96 (2017), 6, 062C01

Correlations and exotic states for a charming future



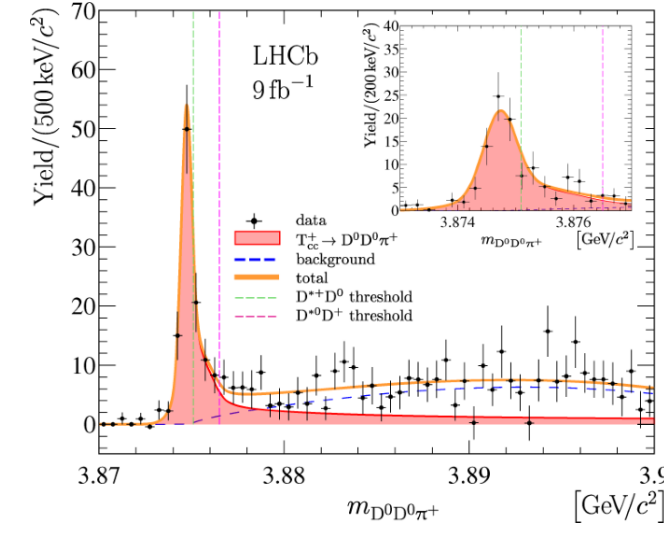
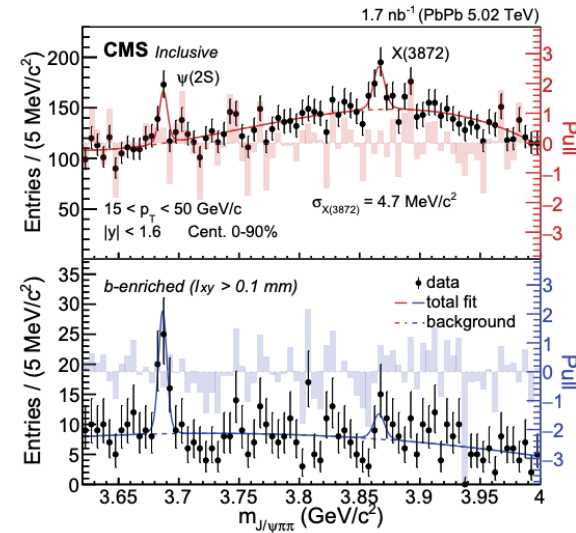
LHCb, Nature Physics 18 (2022)
LHCb, Nature Comm. 13 (2022)

- Exotic charm states as T_{cc}^+ or $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ investigated at LHCb and CMS
- Investigate its nature with **ALICE 3 in Run 5 and Run 6 via DD^* and DD^* correlations**
→ **Complementarity** between spectroscopy and femtoscopy

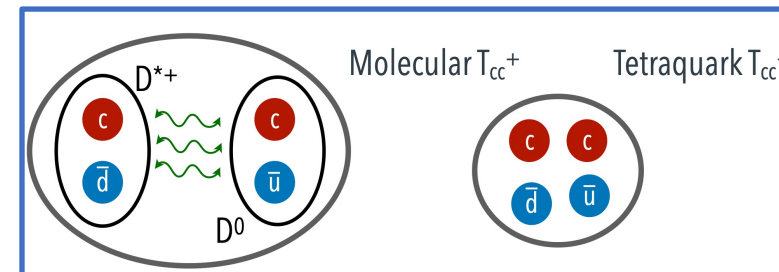


ALICE Upgrade
Talk by R. Münzner
Thur. 25

CMS. PRL 128 (2022) 032001



- Interplay between source size and scattering length
→ Size-dependent modification on the $C(k^*)$ and insights into the nature of T_{cc}^+



Exotic spectroscopy

Pentaquark states in $J/\psi p$ and $J/\psi \Lambda$ systems



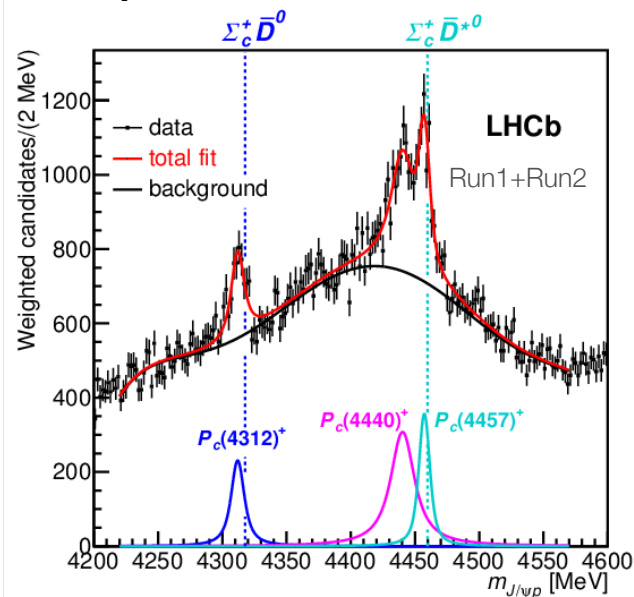
- Very active field of investigation
 - Close to meson-baryon thresholds
→ Hadronic molecules? Or else?
 - Need for further investigation!

$$P_{\psi}^N (c\bar{c}uud)$$

$$P_{\psi_s}^{\Lambda} (c\bar{c}uds)$$

Pentaquarks in $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi p K$ ^[1]

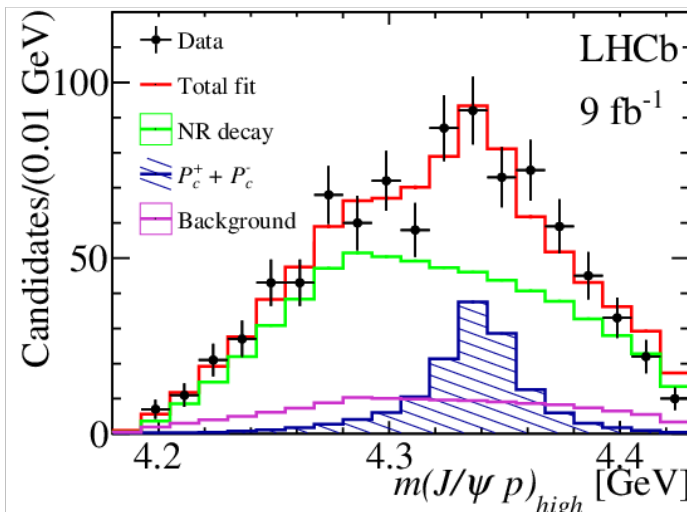
$P_{\psi}^N(4312)^+ + 2$ peaks at 4450 MeV^[2]



[1] LHCb coll. PRL 115, 072001 (2015)
[2] LHCb coll. PRL 122, 222001 (2019)

Pentaquarks in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi p \bar{p}$ ^[3,4]

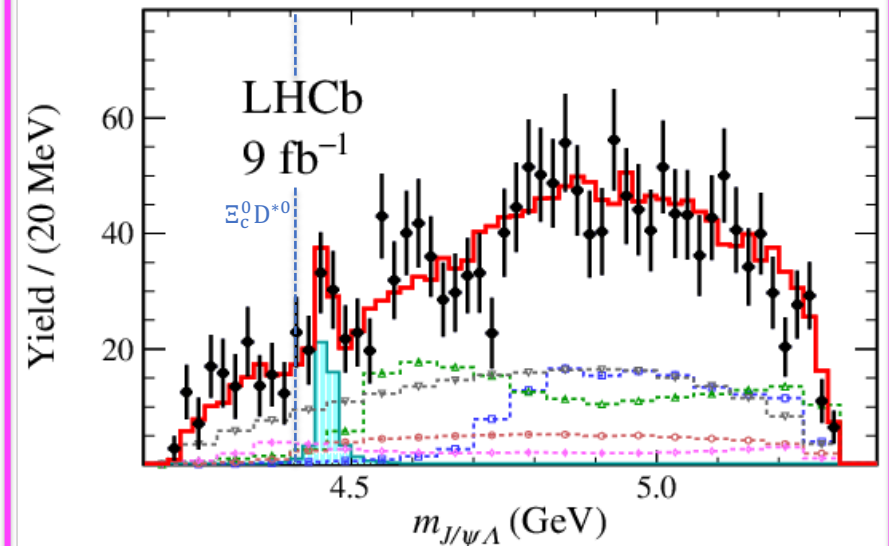
Evidence of $P_{\psi}^N(4337)^{+,-}$



[3] LHCb coll. PRL 122, 191804 (2019)
[4] LHCb coll. PRL 128, 062001 (2022)

Pentaquarks in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda K^-$ ^[5]

Evidence of $P_{\psi_s}^{\Lambda}(4459)$



[5] LHCb coll. Sci. Bull. 66, 1278-1287(2021)

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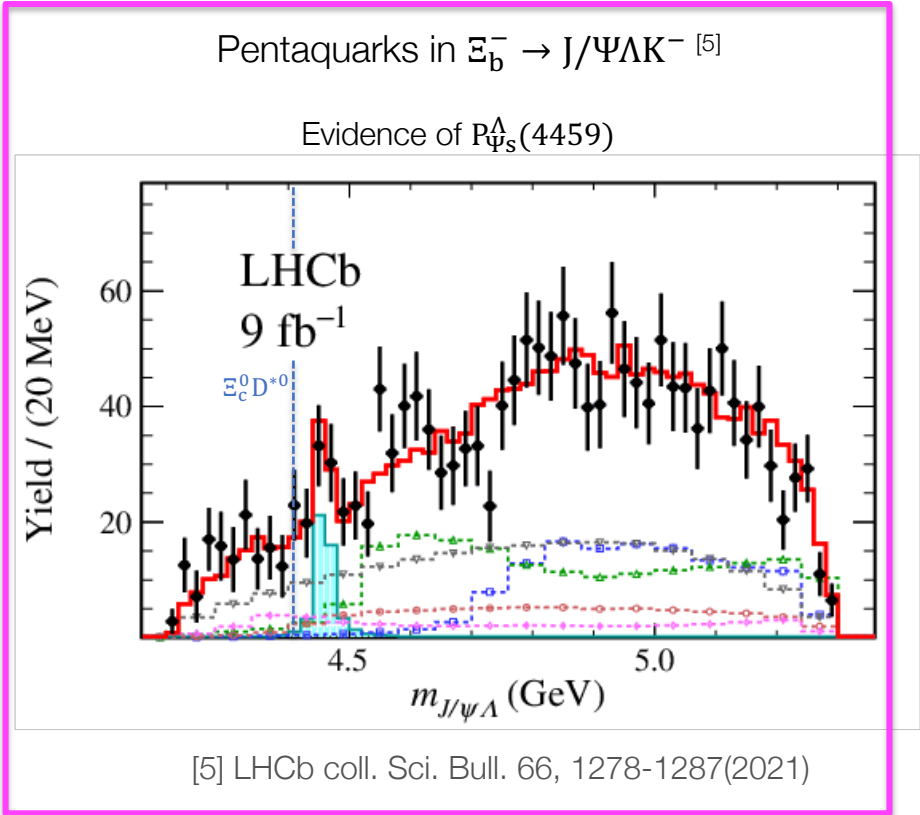
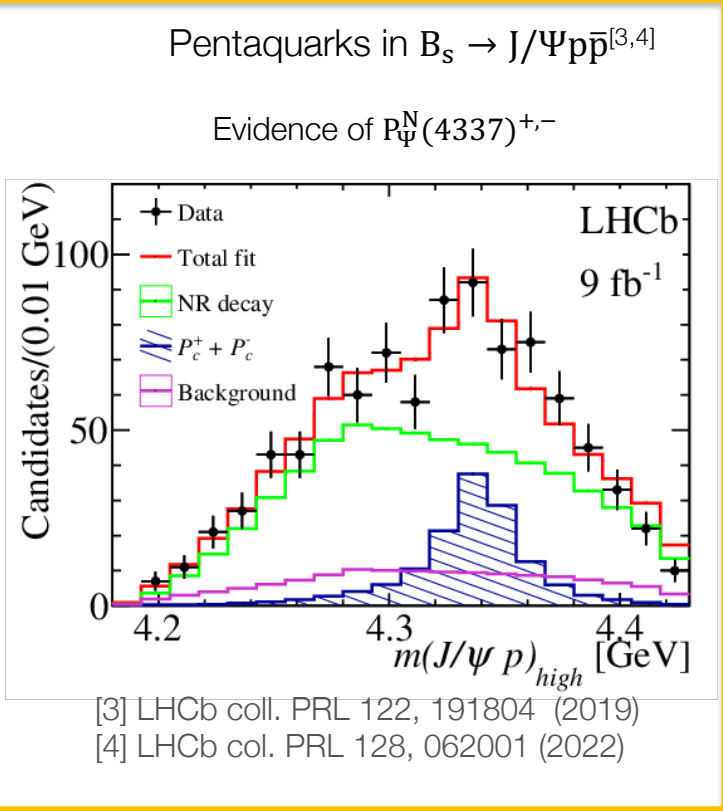
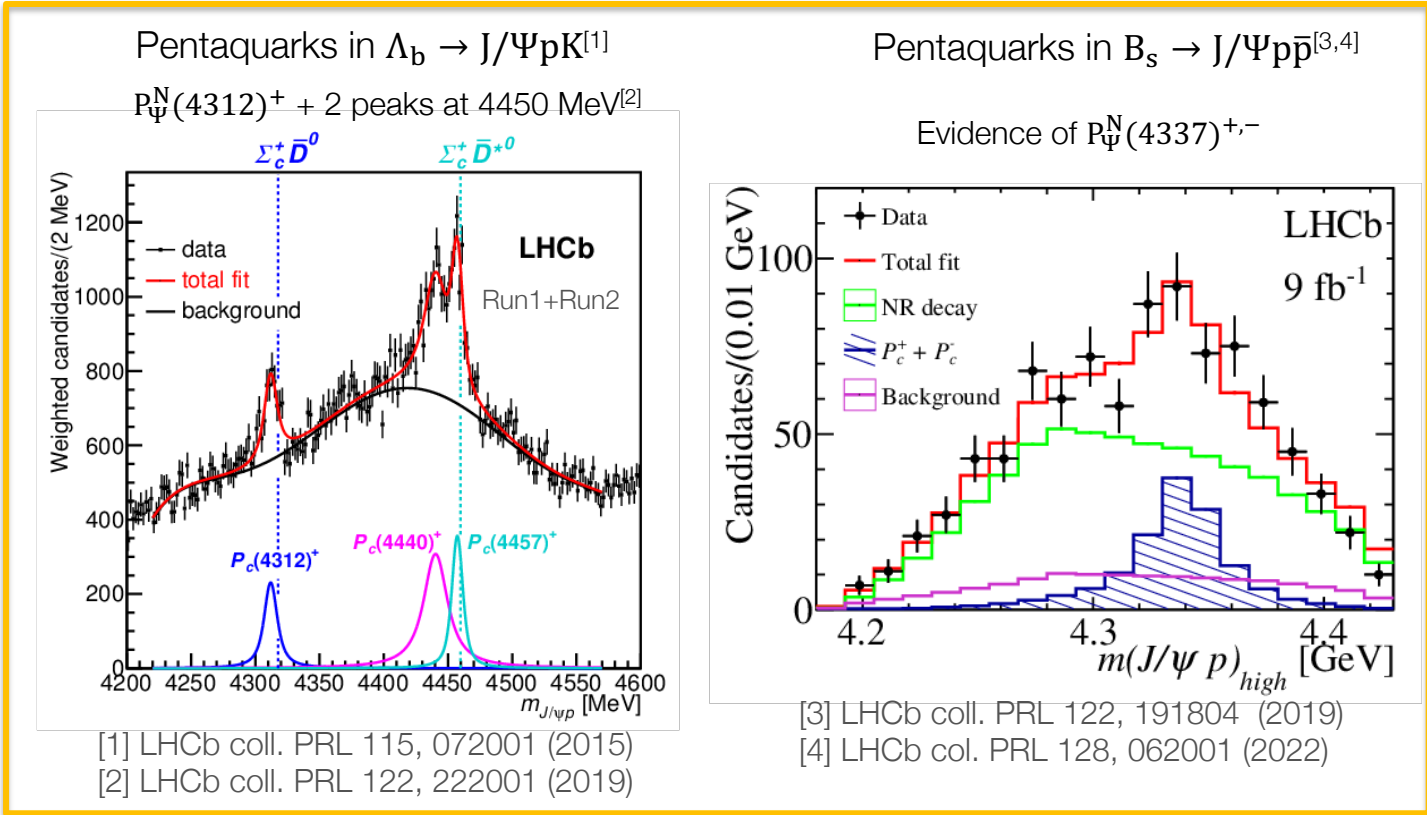
First observation of $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^- K^+$ at $>5\sigma$ by CMS
 → Future searches for $J/\psi \Xi$ pentaquarks
[CMS preliminary public link](#)



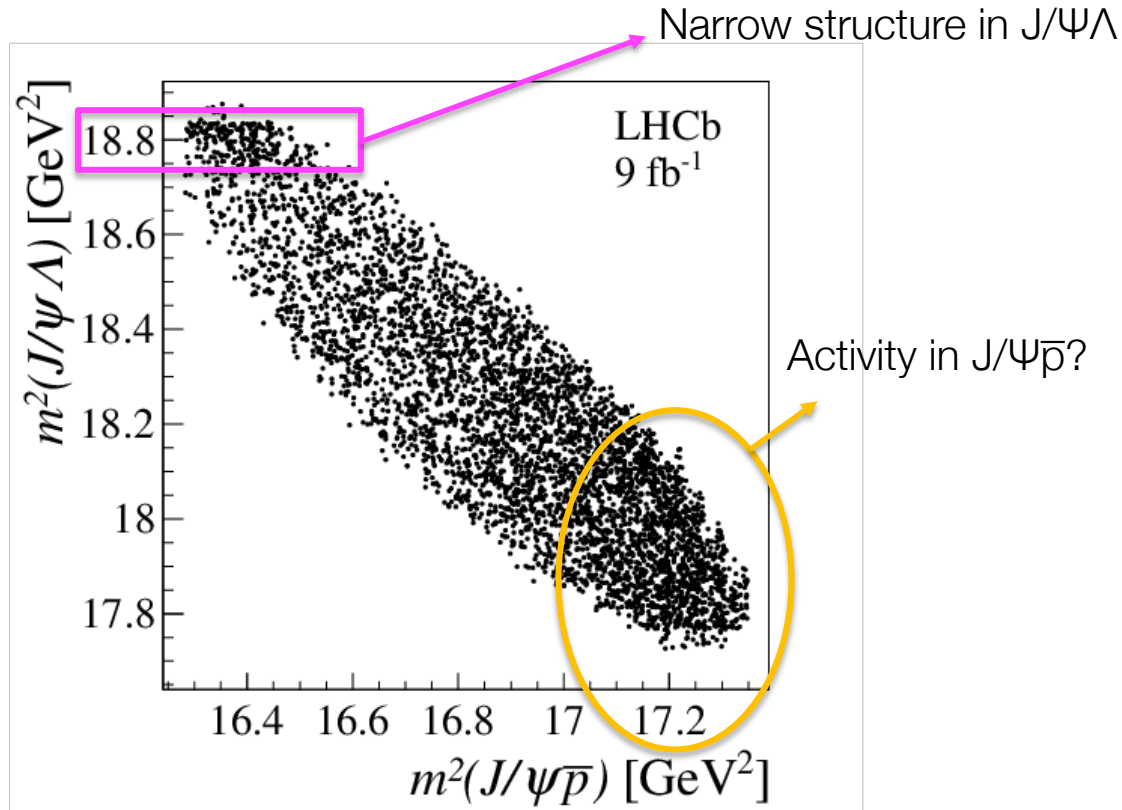
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$P_{\psi}^N (c\bar{c}uud)$


$P_{\psi s}^{\Lambda} (c\bar{c}uds)$



Looking for new pentaquarks in $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p}$



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arXiv:2210.10346

- Perfect environment to search for narrow resonances
 - Good invariant mass resolution
 - High signal purity (~93%)
 - **Simultaneous search** for $P_{\psi_s}^\Lambda$ and $\bar{P}_\psi^{N^-}$
- Results from CMS in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV [1] 
 - Inconsistency with phase-space only hypothesis
- Full analysis on **Run 1 and Run 2** performed
 1. $J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p} \rightarrow$ non resonant $\Lambda \bar{p}$
 2. $\Lambda J/\psi \bar{p} \rightarrow$ non resonant $J/\psi \bar{p}$
 3. $\bar{p} J/\psi \Lambda \rightarrow P_{\psi_s}^\Lambda \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$

[1] CMS coll. JHEP 12 (2019), 100

First pentaquark with strange content



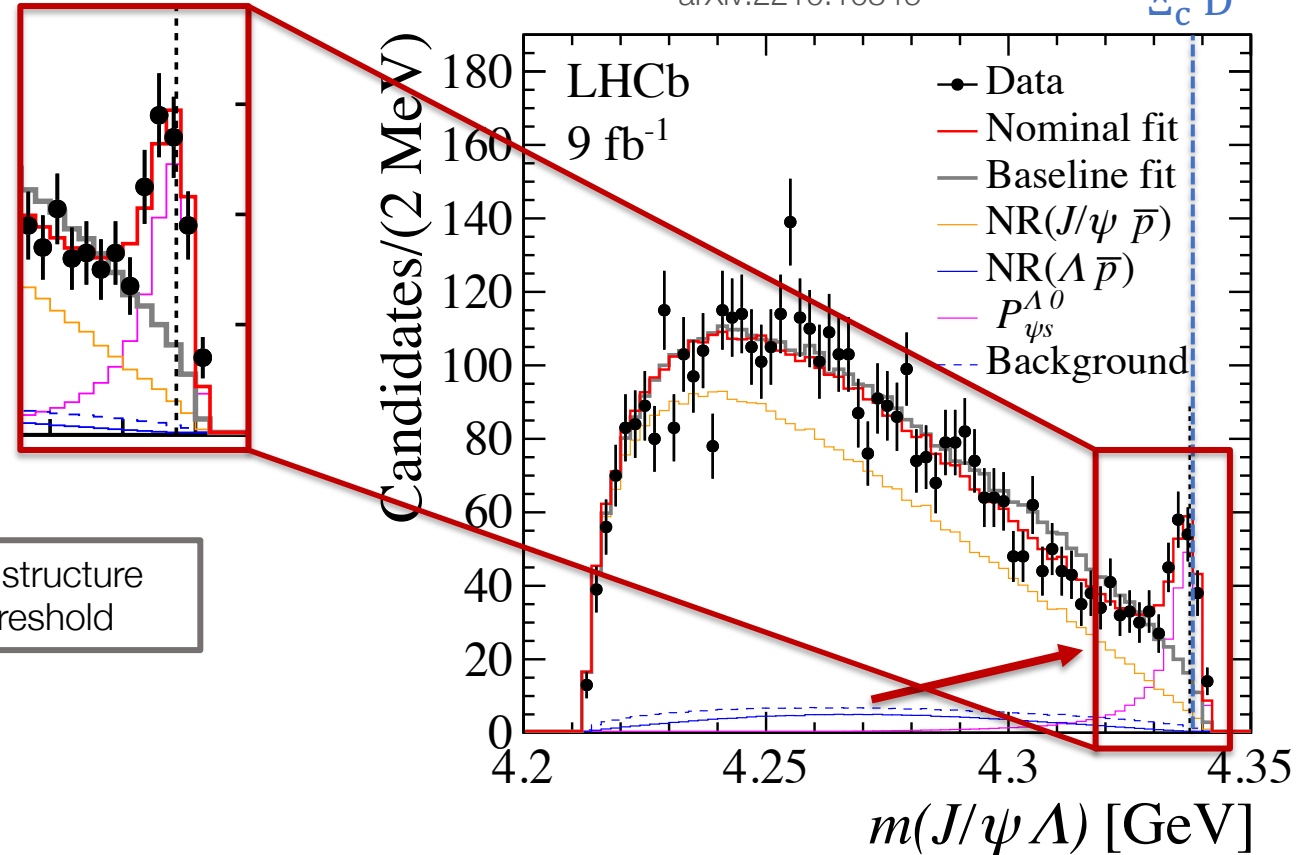
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$$P_{\Psi_s}^{\Lambda}(4338) \text{ at } >10\sigma$$

$$M_{P_{\Psi_s}^{\Lambda}} = 4338.2 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.4 \text{ MeV}$$

$$\Gamma_{P_{\Psi_s}^{\Lambda}} = 7.0 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.3 \text{ MeV}$$

$$J^P = 1/2^-$$



- Amplitude contributions

NR($\Lambda\bar{p}$)
NR($J/\Psi\bar{p}$)
 $P_{\Psi_s}^{\Lambda}(J/\Psi\Lambda)$

Baseline fit

Cannot reproduce structure
close to $\Xi_c^+ D^-$ threshold

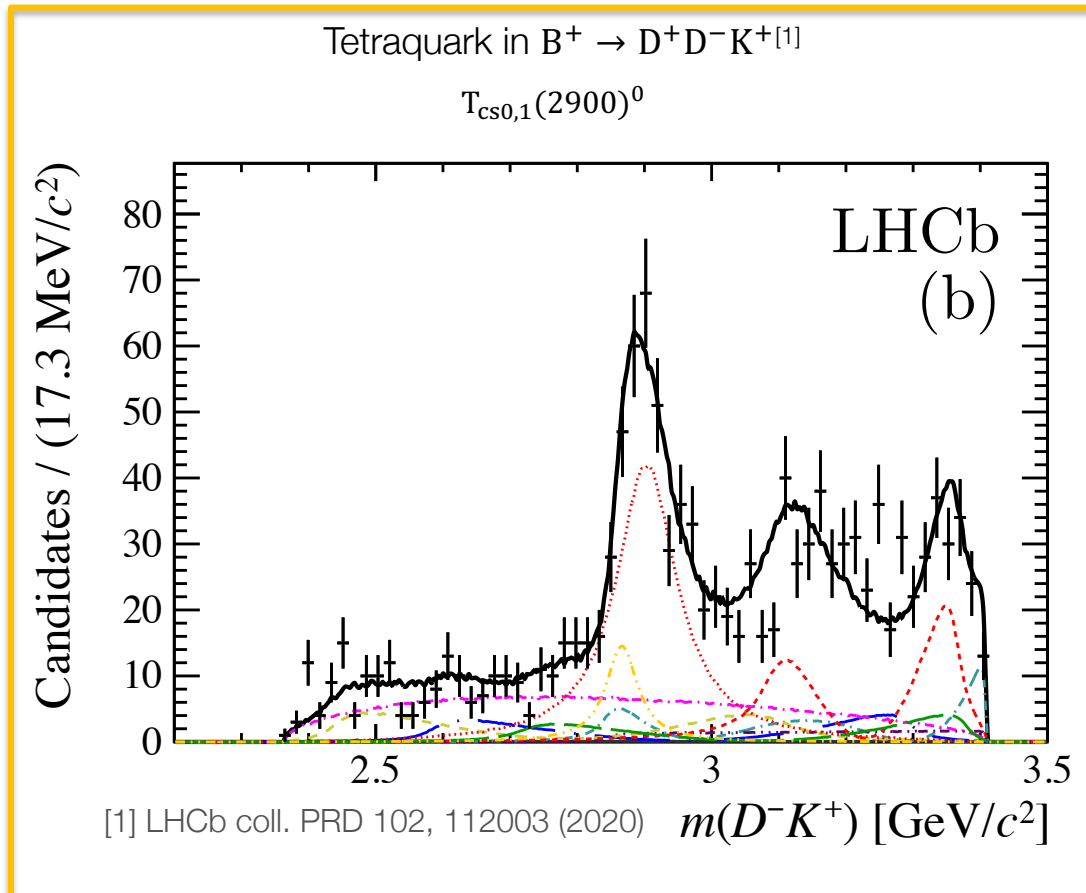
- Close to $\Xi_c^+ D^-$ production threshold
→ Molecular state?
- Similar mass to $P_{\Psi}^N(4337)$ in $B_s \rightarrow J/\Psi p\bar{p}$
→ SU(3) multiplets?

Open charm tetraquarks in DK systems



- States with four different quark types should be tetraquarks
 - Tetraquark states observed in $D^- K^+$ system [1]
 - Searching for $D_s^+ \pi^\pm$ resonances: candidates for $(c\bar{s}u\bar{d})$ and $(c\bar{s}u\bar{d})$ tetraquarks

$T_{cs0,1} (c\bar{s}u\bar{d})$



Theoretical predictions of SU(3) flavour partners

$$T_{c\bar{s}0} \rightarrow D_s \pi$$

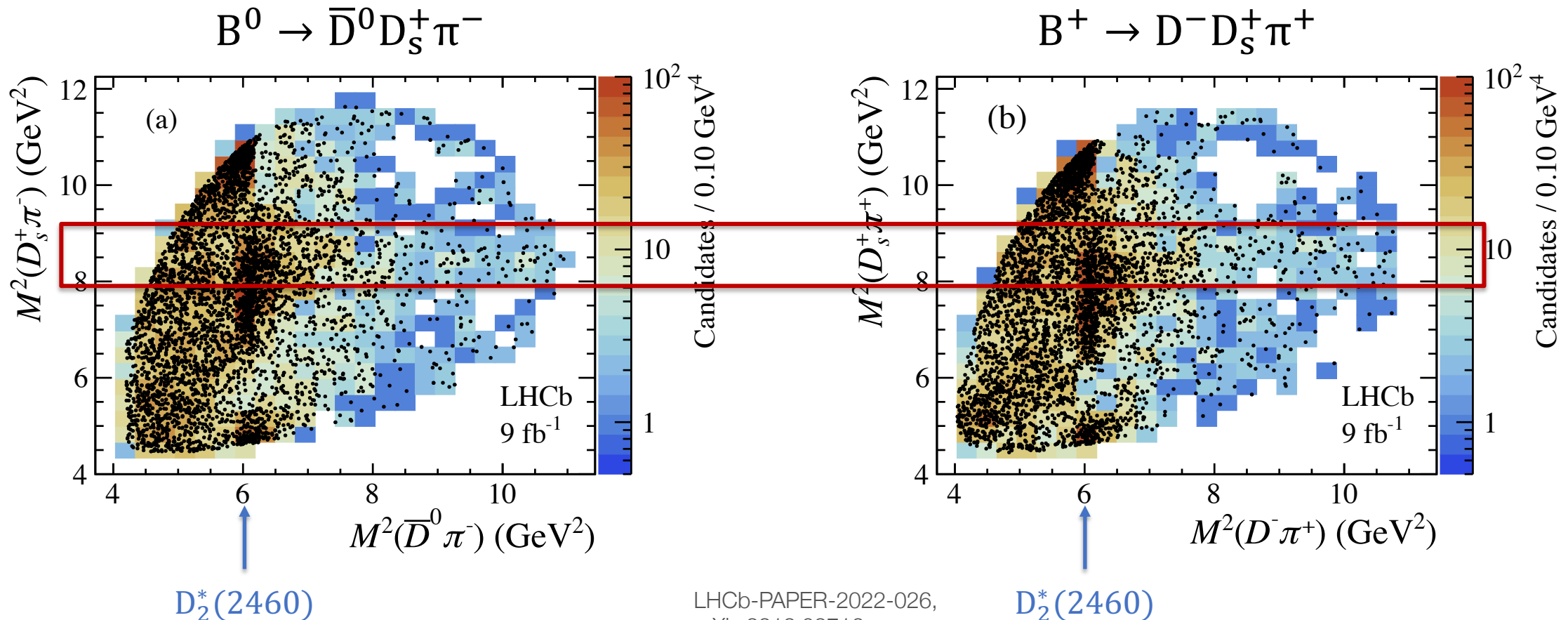
Search for possible tetraquarks in

$$B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D_s^+ \pi^-$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow D^- D_s^+ \pi^+$$

New tetraquark states in $D_S\pi$ system

- Horizontal band at $M^2(D_S\pi) \sim 8.5 \text{ GeV}^2 \rightarrow$ new tetraquark candidates!
- Contributions from D^* resonances must be included
- Assuming isospin symmetry: fit with only D^* resonances and fit with $D_S\pi$ resonance added



First observation of a doubly charged tetraquark



- $M(D_s^+ \pi)$ well described by adding $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^{++,0}$ at $>9\sigma$ with $J^P = 0^+$

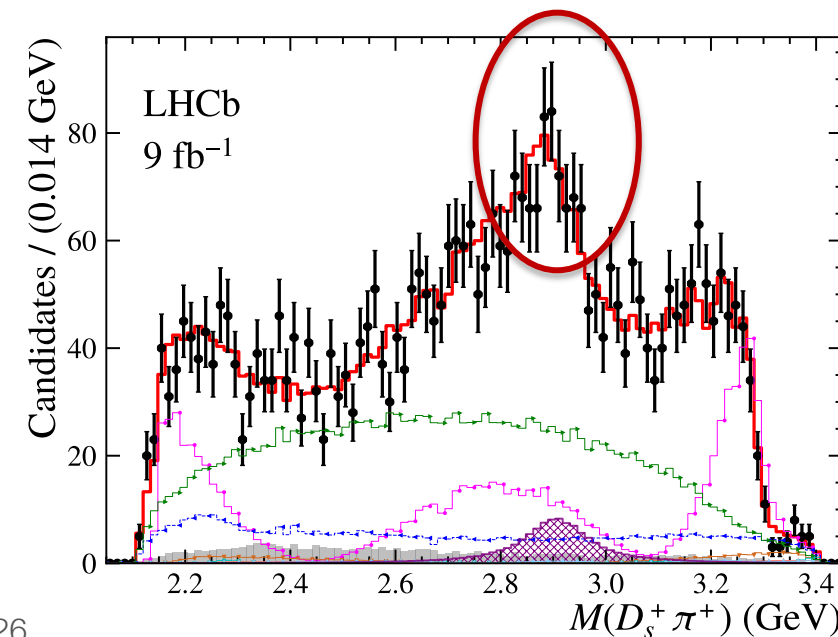
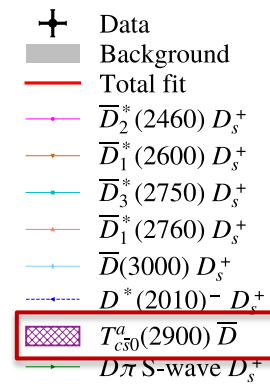
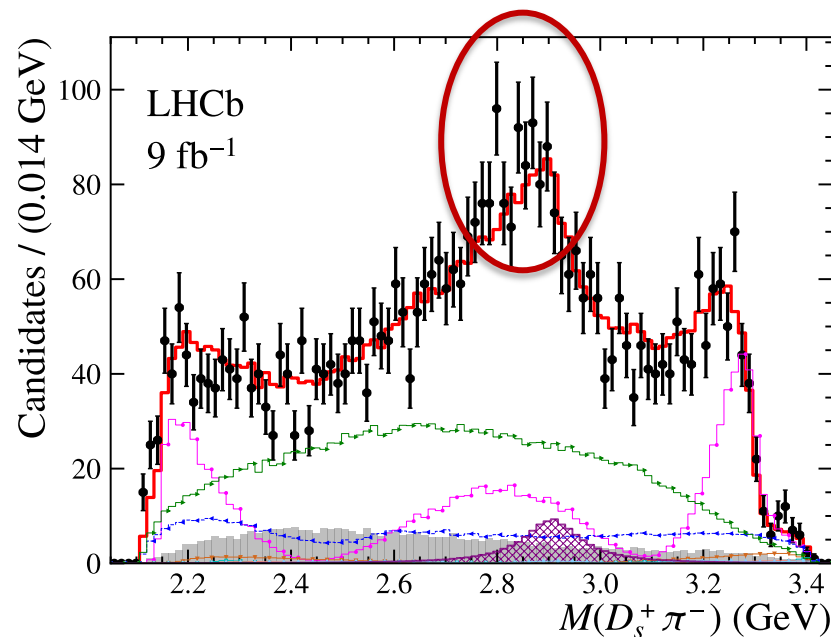
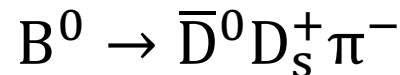
$$M_{T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^0} = 2.892 \pm 0.014 \pm 0.015 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\Gamma_{T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^0} = 0.119 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.013 \text{ GeV}$$

$$M_{T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^{++}} = 2.921 \pm 0.017 \pm 0.020 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\Gamma_{T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^{++}} = 0.137 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.017 \text{ GeV}$$

- Further investigations on its inner structure and relation to $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)$, search for $T_{c\bar{s}0}^a(2900)^+ \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^0$

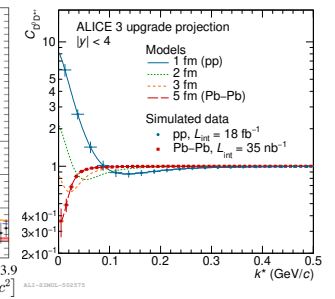
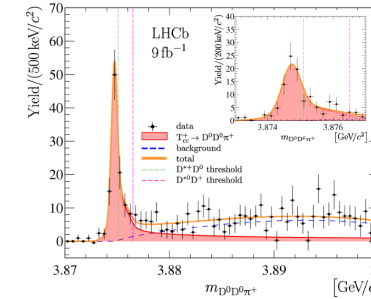
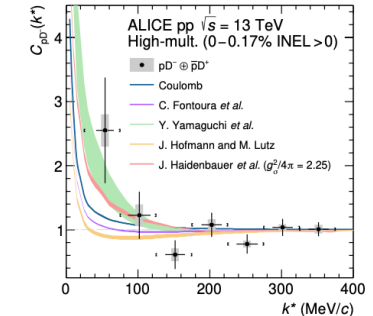
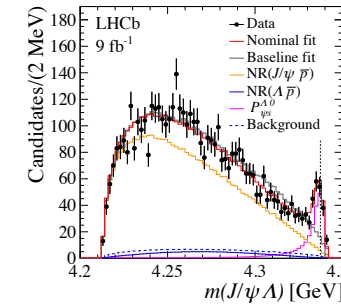


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Conclusions and Outlooks



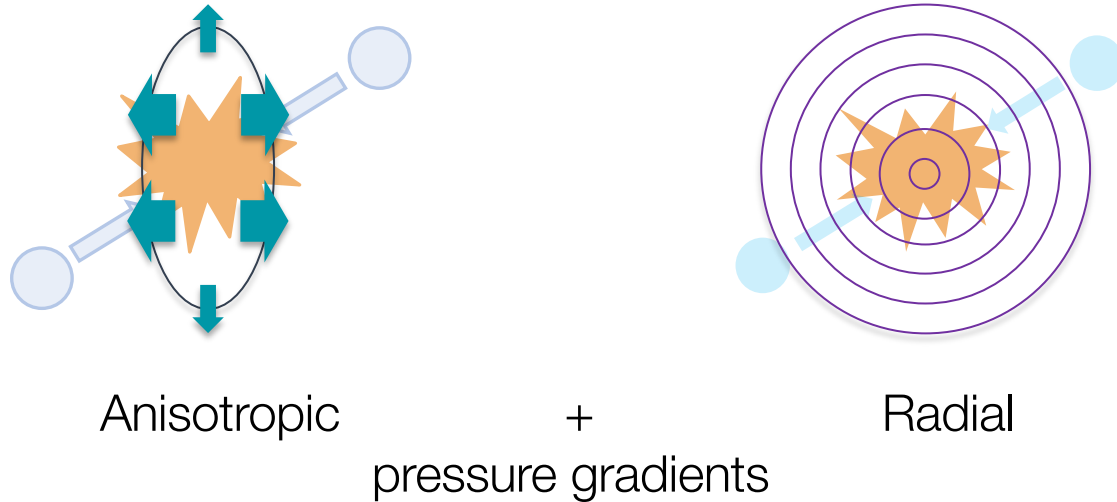
- Exciting results from spectroscopy and femtoscopy
 - Important experimental input in the effort to understand the many facets of QCD in strange and charm sector
 - Most precise $p\Lambda$, ΛK^- data at low momenta and first measurements of correlations with D mesons
 - First pentaquark with strange quark content and new open-charm tetraquarks observed
- On-going Run 3 and future Run 4
 - major upgrades in LHC experiments and increased statistics
 - Access to precise data on **three-particle interactions** and **interactions with charm mesons**
 - Access to **states with lower production rate** (exotics and conventional)
- Complementary studies with **ALICE 3 in Run 5-6**
 - investigate the T_{cc}^+ structure with DD^* correlations



Hadron spectroscopy at LHCb, L. Capriotti, Wed.24
 b-hadron spectroscopy at CMS, S. Polikarpov Wed. 24
 B decays and spectroscopy results from CMS, M. Sergeev Fr. 26
 B decays and resonances in ATLAS, R. Jones Fr. 26
 Three-particle femtoscopy at ALICE, R. Del Grande, Wed. 24
 D-light hadron femtoscopy at ALICE, D. Battistini, Fr. 26

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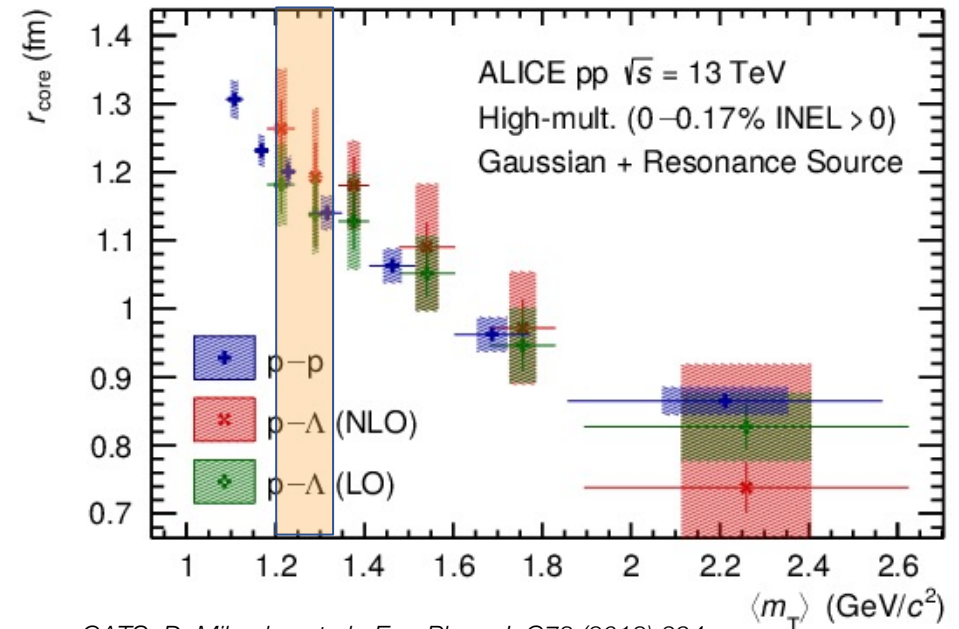
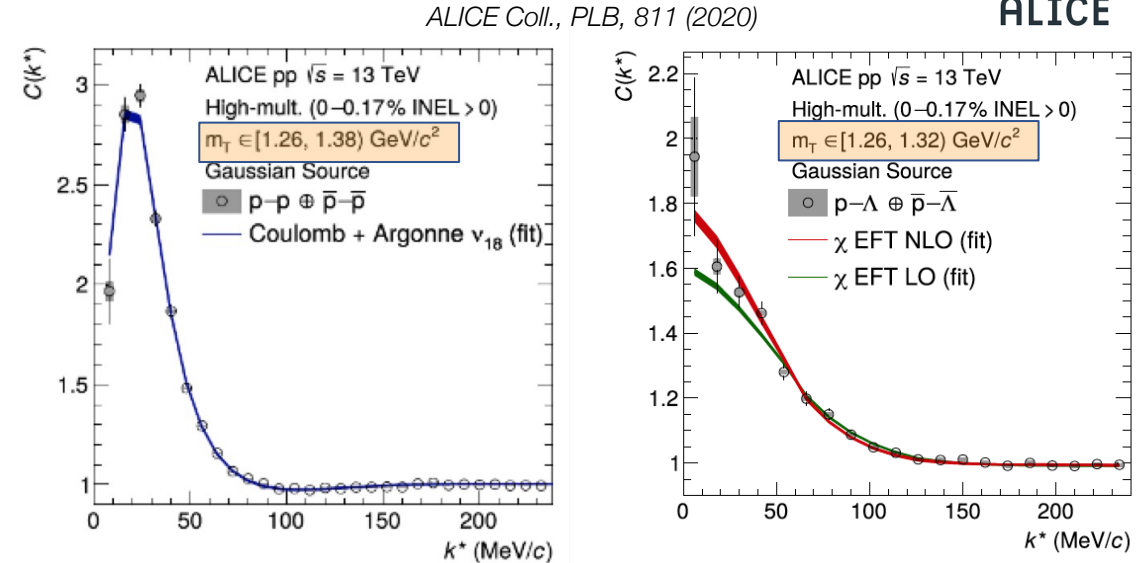
A source to rule them all



Different effect on different masses

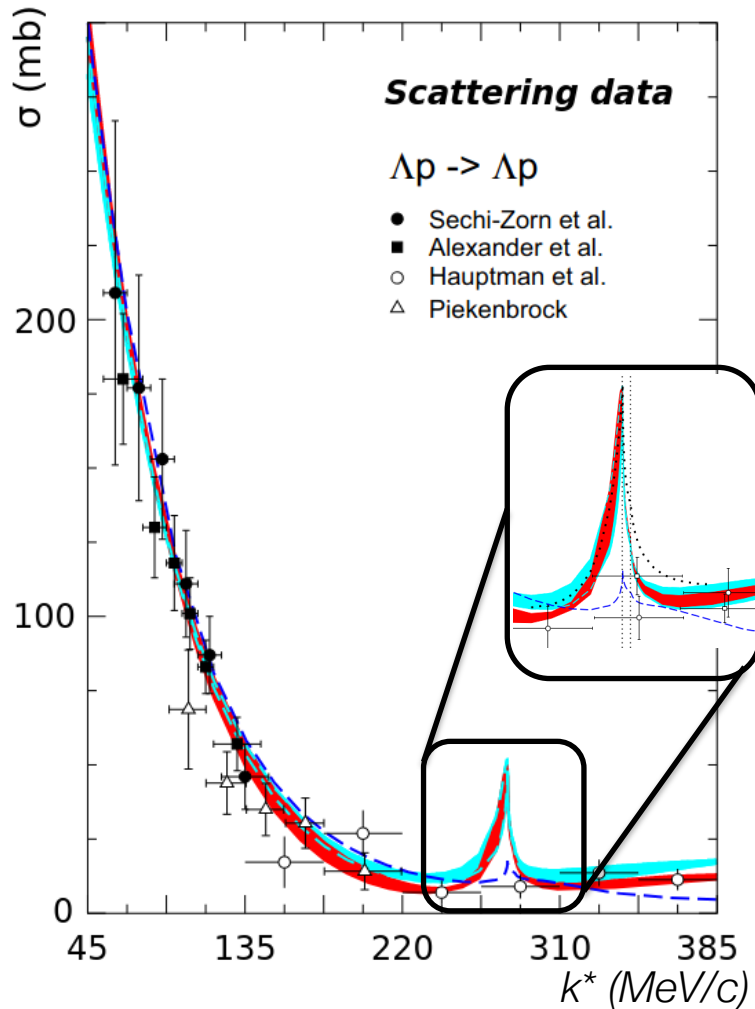
$$C(k^*) = \int S(r) |\psi(\vec{k}^*, \vec{r})|^2 d^3r$$

$$S(r) = G(r, r_{core}(m_T)) = \frac{1}{(4\pi r_{core}^2)^{3/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{4r_{core}^2}\right) \otimes \frac{1}{s} \exp\left(-\frac{r}{s}\right)$$



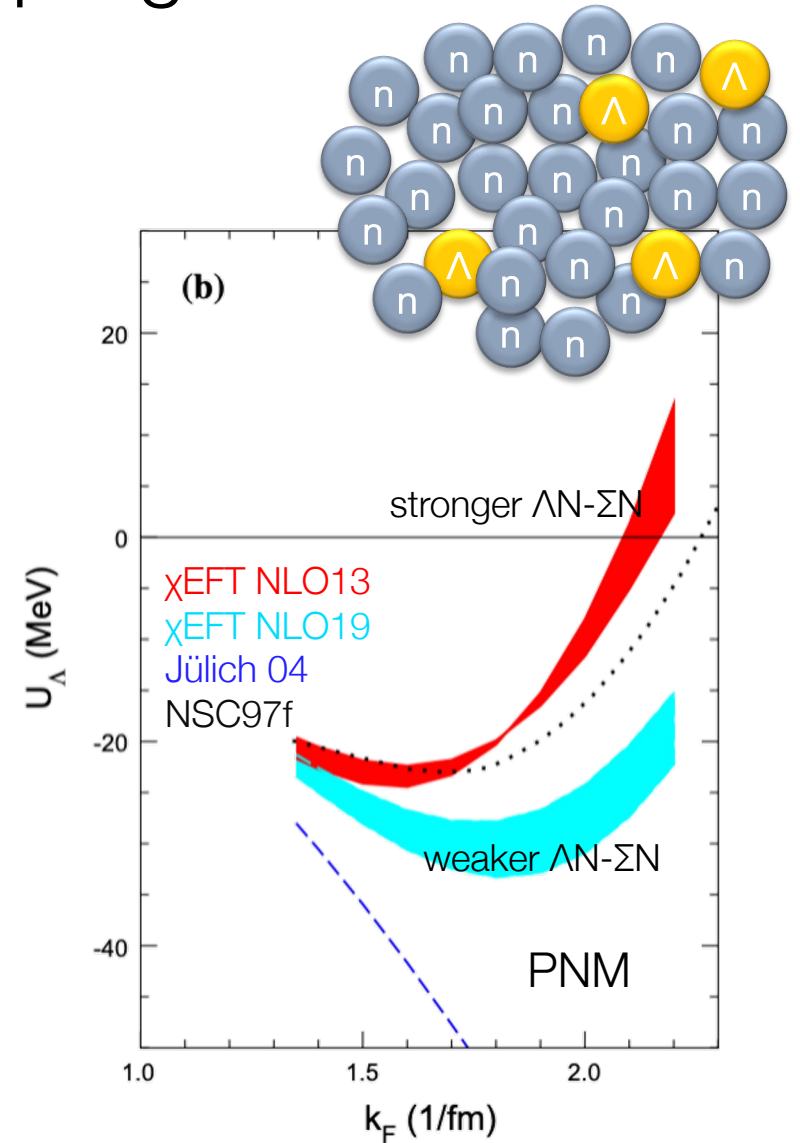
CATS: D. Mihaylov et al., Eur. Phys. J. C78 (2018) 394

The Λ N interaction and the role of Σ N coupling



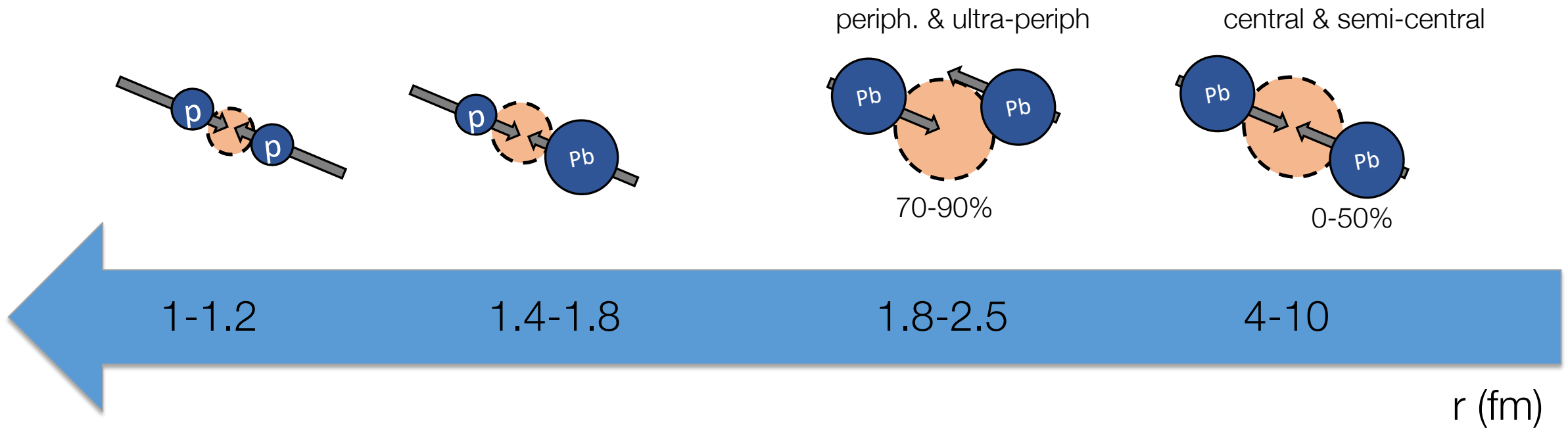
- Σ N coupling strength relevant for EoS
 - deeply affects the behaviour of Λ at finite density
 - implications for 3-body interactions^(*)

NLO13: J.Haidenbauer, N.Kaiser et al., NPA 915, 24 (2013)
 NLO19: J.Haidenbauer, U. Meißner, Eur.Phys.J.A 56 (2020)
 (*)D. Gerstung et al. Eur.Phys.J.A 56 (2020) 6, 175



Small vs large colliding systems

- By changing the colliding system we can probe distances ranging from 1 fm up to 10 fm
- Accessing the strong interaction \rightarrow relative distances of ~ 1 fm \rightarrow pp
- Small interparticle distance \rightarrow doorway to studying large densities



Modeling of the correlation function

- Lednický-Lyuboshits analytical formula

- assuming a gaussian source
- relies on the asymptotic behaviour of wf
→ scattering parameters as inputs, eff.

$$C_{LL}(k^*) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left| \frac{f}{r_0} \right|^2 \left[1 - \frac{d_0}{2\sqrt{\pi}r_0} \right] + \frac{2\mathcal{R}[f]F_1(2k^*r_0)}{\sqrt{\pi}r_0} - \frac{\mathcal{I}[f]F_2(2k^*r_0)}{r_0}$$

$$f(k^*) \approx \left(f_0^{-1} + \frac{1}{2}d_0k^{*2} - ik^* \right)^{-1}$$

- might break down for small sources
widely used in large colliding systems

R. Lednický, V.L. Lyuboshits Sov. J. Nucl. Phys. 35 (1982)

- CATS framework

- local potentials, wavefunctions, gaussian and beyond sources
- relies on the exact wavefunction
→ behaviour at short-distances

$$\Psi_k(\vec{r}) = R_k(r)Y(\theta),$$

$$C_{th}(k^*) = \int S(\vec{k}^*, \vec{r}^*) \left| \Psi(\vec{k}^*, \vec{r}^*) \right|^2 d^3r^*.$$

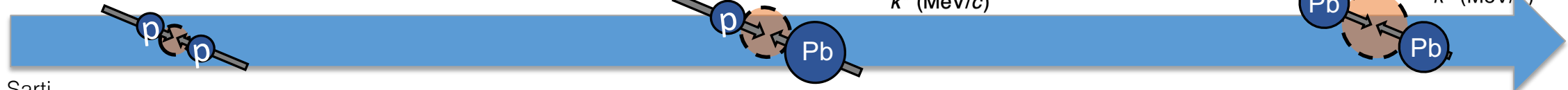
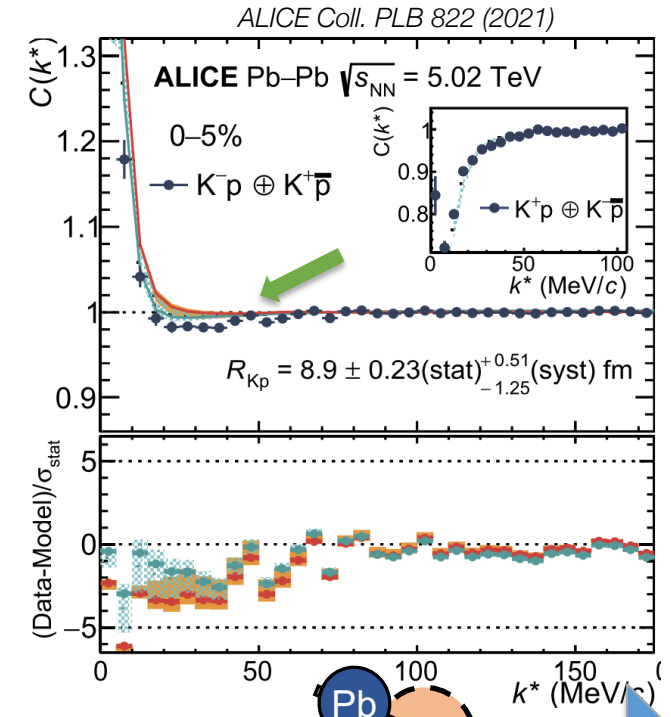
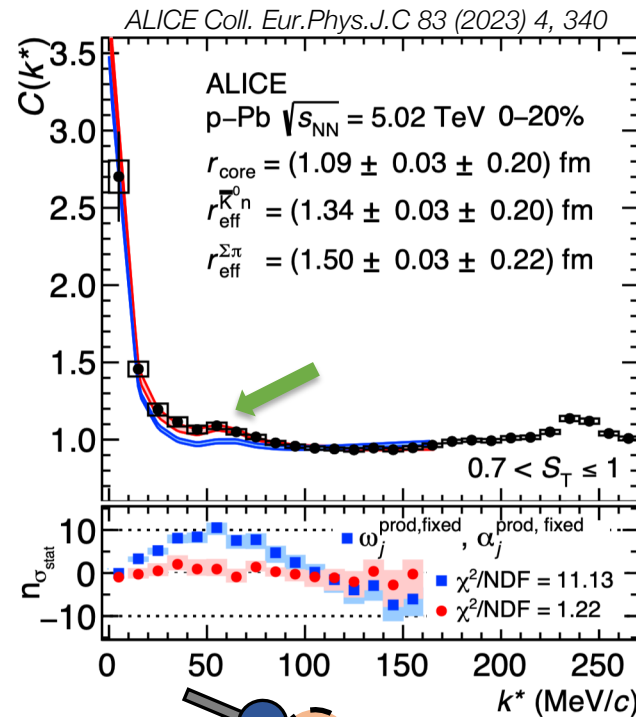
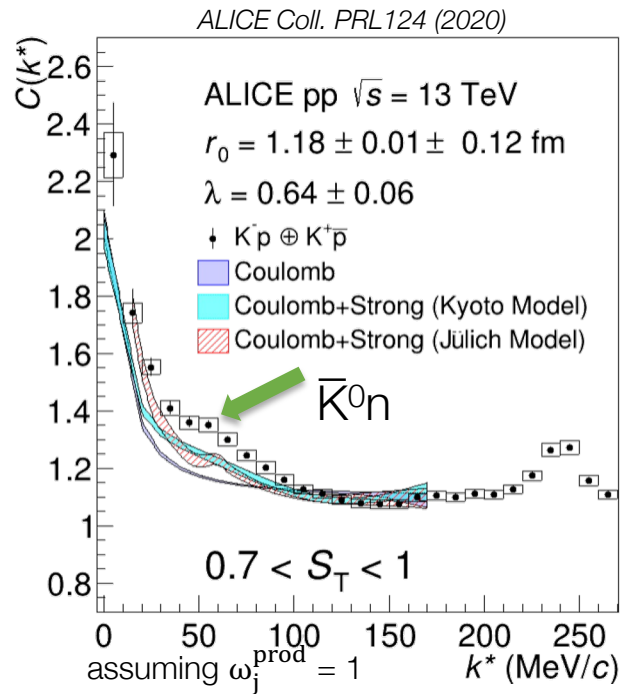
- works for small and large sources

CATS Framework: D. Mihaylov et al., Eur. Phys. J. C78 (2018) 394

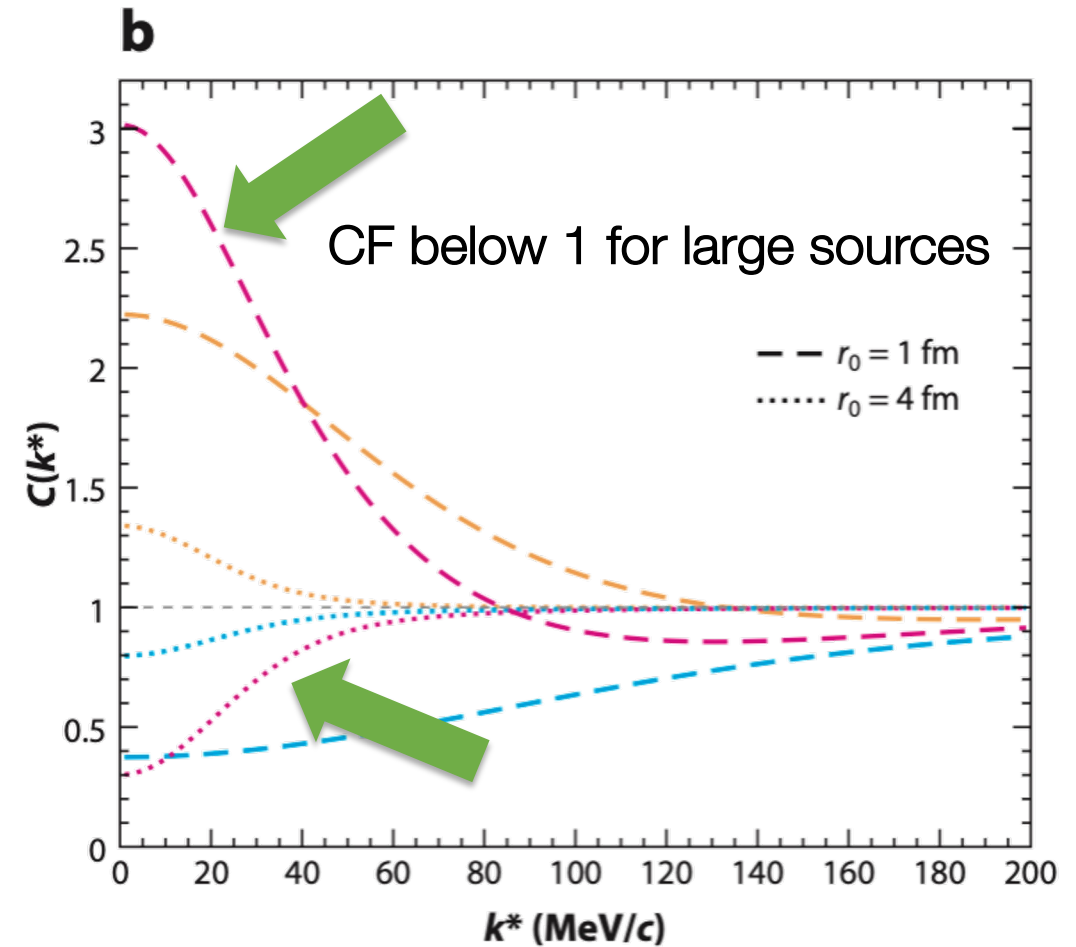
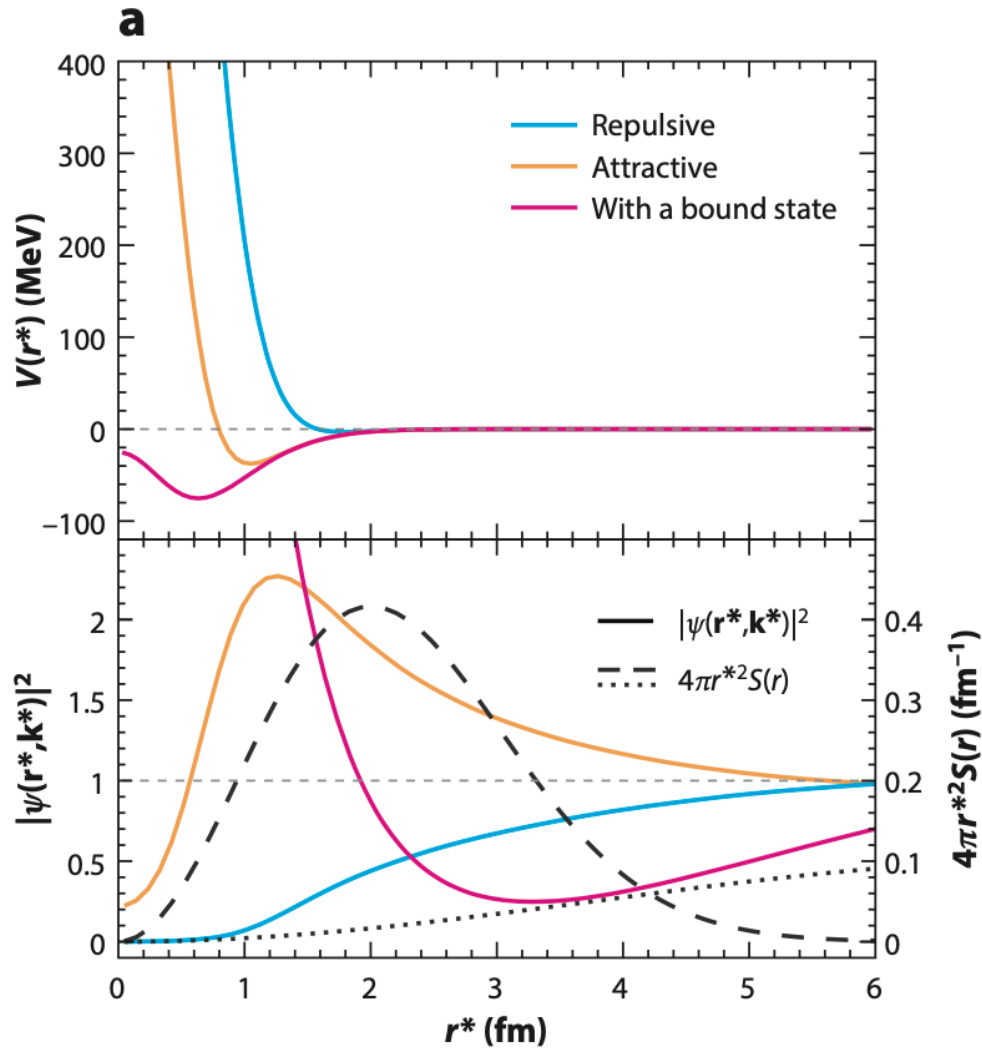
K-p femtoscopy: constraining the inelastic dynamics

- Measurement in pp collisions
→ First experimental evidence of the opening of \bar{K}^0n channel ($k^* \sim 60$ MeV/c)
- Extending the measurements to p-Pb and Pb-Pb colliding system
→ Interplay source size and coupled-channel dynamics in the correlation
→ Constraints for coupling to \bar{K}^0n and $\Sigma\pi$
- Three- particle ppK $^\pm$ correlations and K 0_s p data available soon!

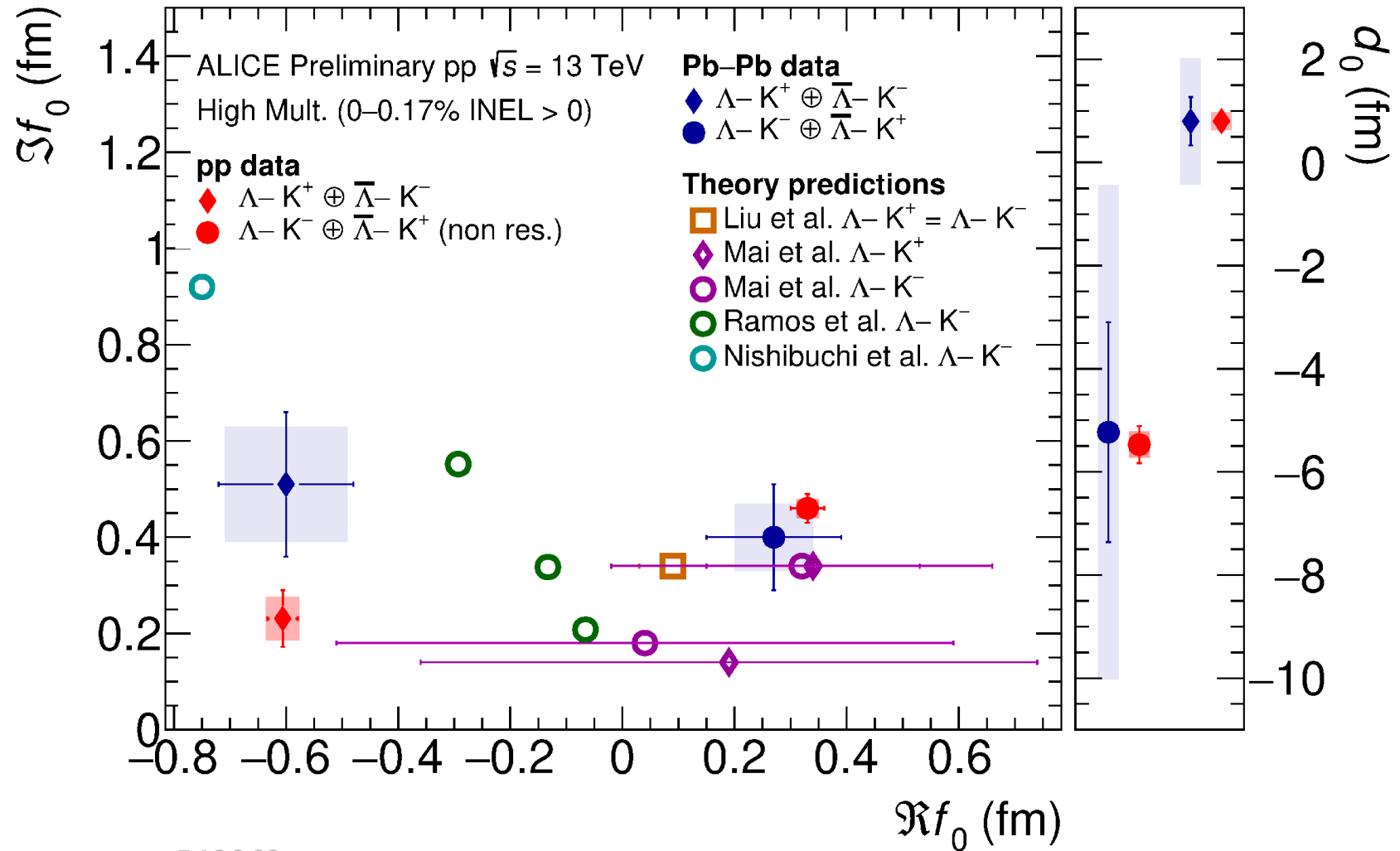
χ EFT Kyoto model:
Ikeda et al. NPA 881 (2012),
PLB706 (2011)
Kamiya et al. PRL 124 (2020)
Mihayara et al. PRC95 (2017)



Study the strong interaction: bound states and correlations



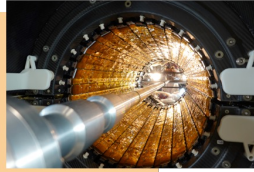
Scattering parameters for ΛK and $\Lambda \bar{K}$



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ALICE 3 detector

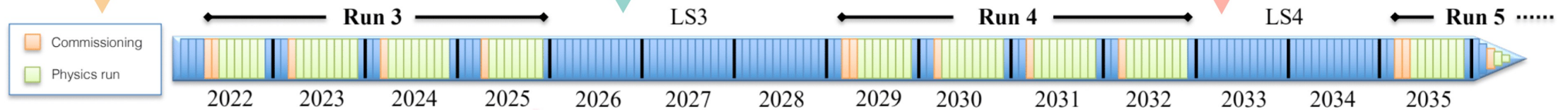
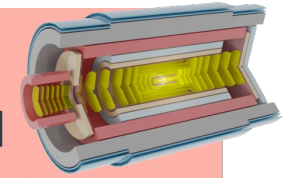
GEM-based TPC, ITS2, MFT
50x readout capability
3x tracking precision



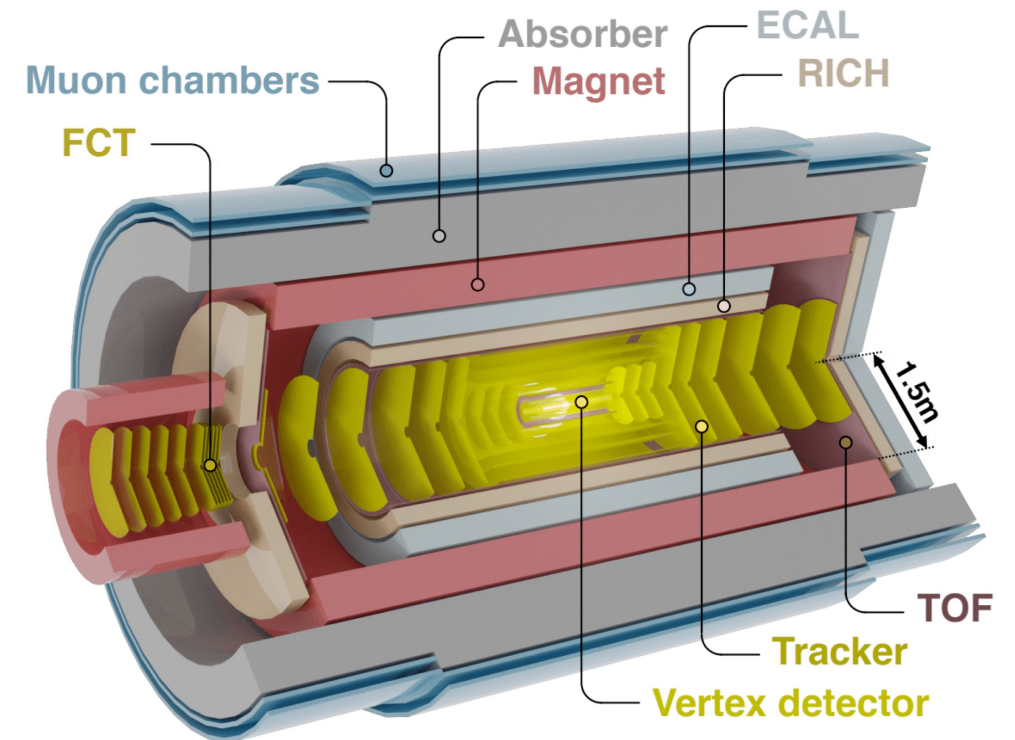
ITS3, FoCal
3x tracking precision
2x efficiency at low p_T + forward γ



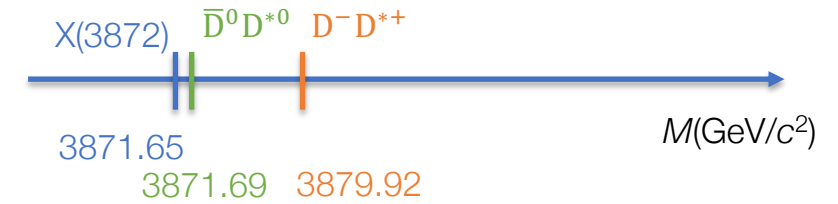
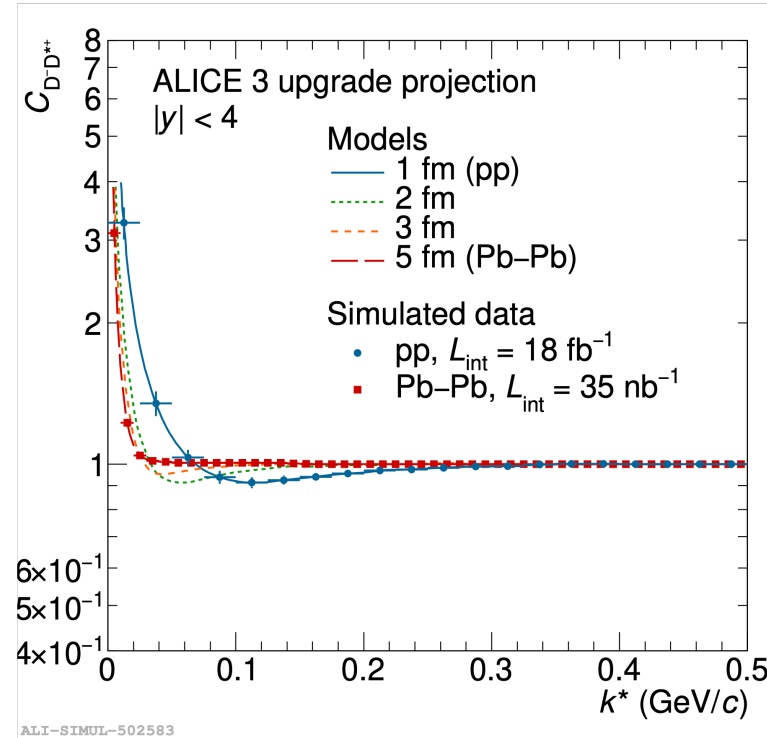
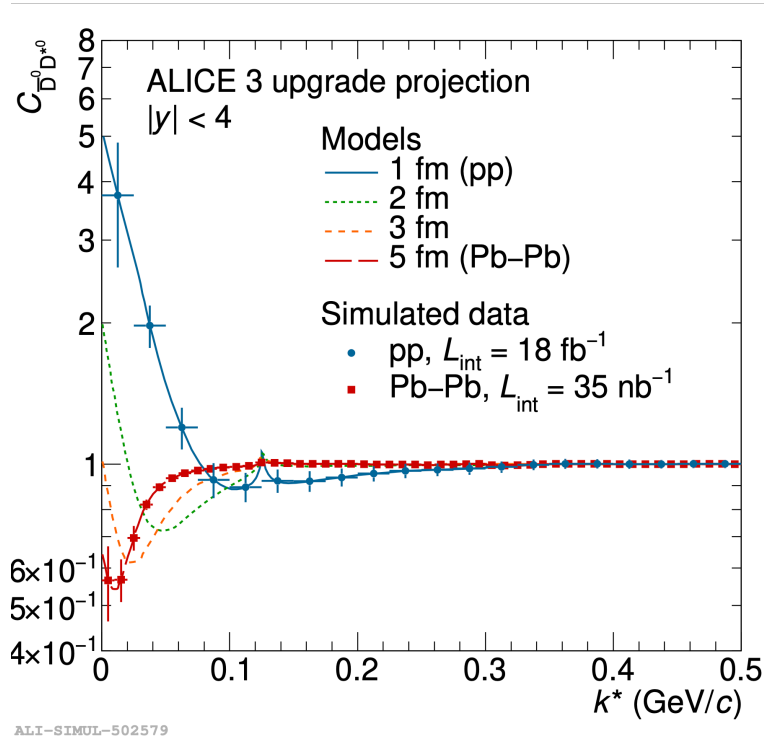
ALICE 3
Ultra-thin dedicated
heavy-ion experiment



- Each upgrade improves
 1. Spatial resolution (improves reconstruction of weakly-decaying particles)
 2. Readout capability (improves integrated luminosity)
- Excellent pointing resolution ($\sim 10\mu\text{m}$, $p = 200 \text{ MeV}/c$) + large acceptance ($|\eta| < 4$)
 - secondary vertices and decay chains
 - All silicon tracker with $\sigma_p/p \sim 1\%$
 - First tracking layer at 5 mm from primary vertex
- Excellent hadron and lepton PID
 - Silicon-based TOF and RICH
 - Muon chambers with absorber
- x5 more AA luminosity than Run 3&4 → DD* correlations!!



$D\bar{D}^*$ correlations



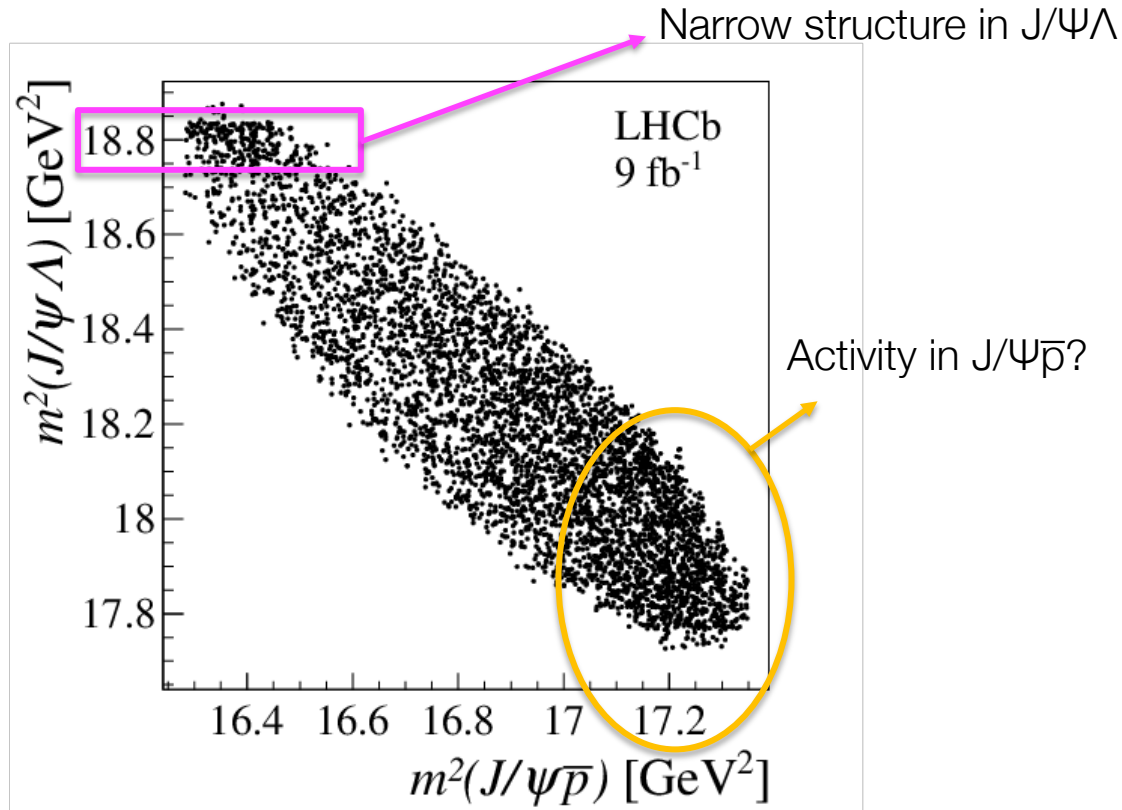
- Inversion of the correlation function not observed for $D^- D^{*+}$ because the X(3872) is 'far' (148 MeV) from the mass threshold with respect to $\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$ (~200 KeV).

Correlations function can confirm a molecular state scenario.

Looking for new pentaquarks in $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p}$



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Simultaneous search for $P_{\psi_s}^\Lambda$ and $\bar{P}_\psi^{N^-}$

- Perfect environment to search for narrow resonances
 - Good invariant mass resolution
 - high signal purity (~93%)
- Results from CMS in pp 8 TeV [1]
 - Inconsistency with phase-space only hypothesis
- Full amplitude analysis performed



1. $J/\psi \Lambda \bar{p} \begin{cases} \leftarrow K^* \rightarrow \Lambda \bar{p} \\ \leftarrow \text{non resonant } \Lambda \bar{p} \end{cases}$
2. $\Lambda J/\psi \bar{p} \begin{cases} \leftarrow \bar{P}_\psi^{N^-} \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{p} \\ \leftarrow \text{non resonant } J/\psi \bar{p} \end{cases}$
3. $\bar{p} J/\psi \Lambda \longrightarrow P_{\psi_s}^\Lambda \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$

[1] CMS coll. JHEP 12 (2019)

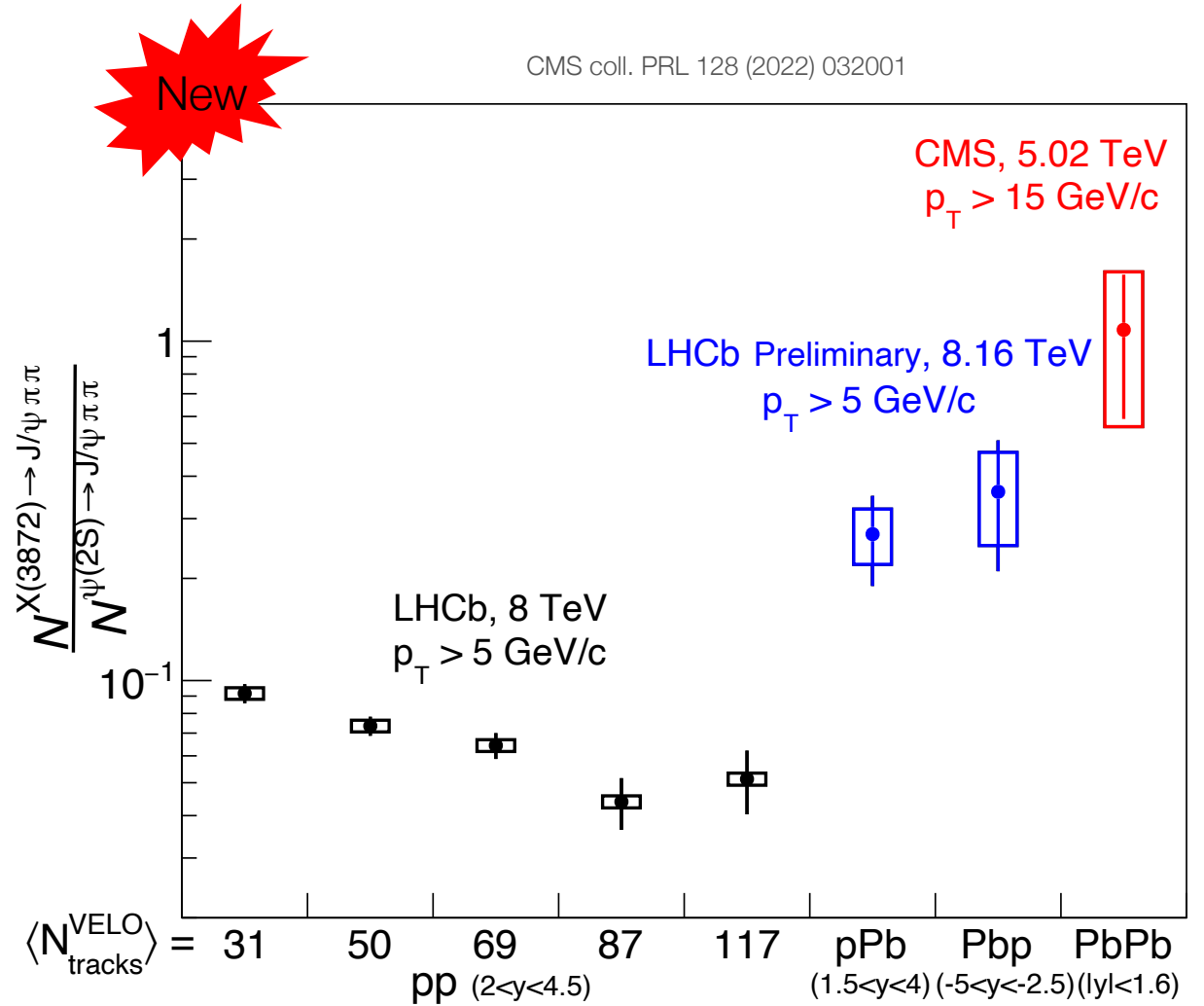
Production of the X(3872) state at LHC



- Inner structure of X(3872) still elusive
- Studies on exotic states production
 - Dissociation: lower yield for molecular states, loosely bound
 - Recombination: higher yield for molecular states, larger object
- First evidence for X(3872) production in relativistic heavy ion collisions

$$\rho_{\text{Pb-Pb}} = 1.08 \pm 0.49 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.52 \text{ (syst)}.$$

- New important input for models!



Model with only K^* resonances



- No well-established resonances are expected to decay into the $J/\psi\Lambda$ and $J/\psi\bar{p}$ final states
- Excited K^* resonances decaying outside of the phase space of the $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi\Lambda p$ decay can contribute to the Λp channel
- Fit with
 - NR($p\bar{\Lambda}$)
 - $K_{2,3,4}^*$
 - resonant amplitudes does not reproduce the data distribution
→ $\chi^2/n.d.f.$ of 123.2/46

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^+

[PDG 2020](#)

Even more strange pentaquark states in the future

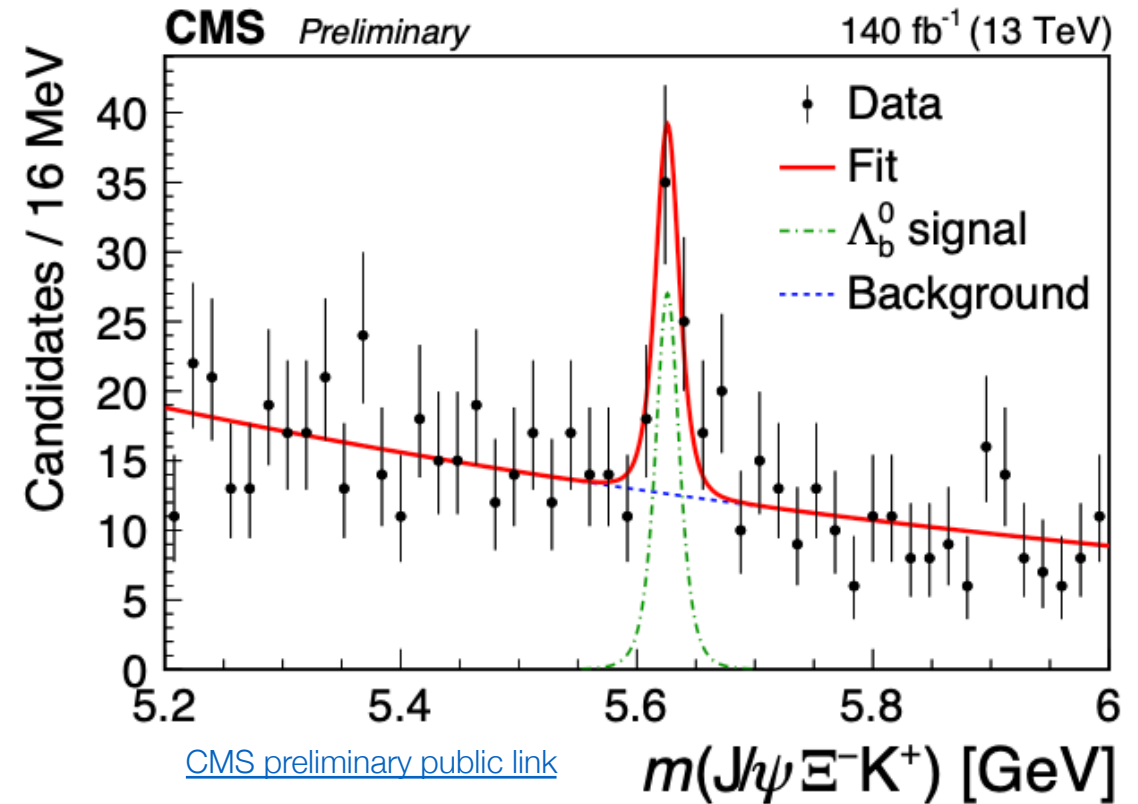


- Analysis on Run 2 data in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV

First observation of $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^- K^+$ at $>5\sigma$

$$\mathcal{R} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^- K^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S) \Lambda)} = [2.5 \pm 0.8 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.9 (\text{syst})]\%$$

- Open prospects to search for $J/\psi \Xi$ pentaquarks in the future!



Talk by M. Sergeev
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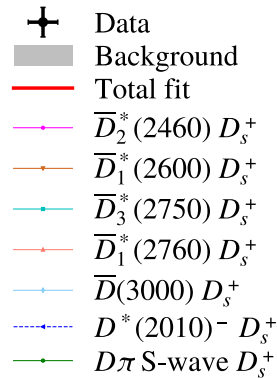
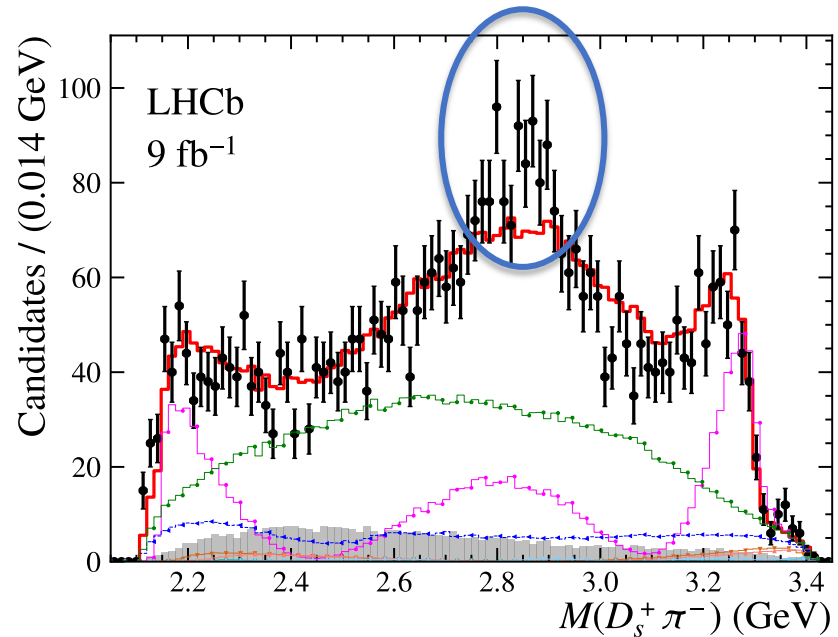
Fit with only D^* resonances



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arXiv:2212.02716

- Peaking structures in the $M(D_s^+ \pi)$ distribution around 2.9 GeV^2 not reproduced with only D^* resonances

$$B^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D_s^+ \pi^-$$



$$B^+ \rightarrow D^- D_s^+ \pi^+$$

