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# Heavy flavor spectroscopy and production at



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#### Outline

Heavy flavor spectroscopy

✓ X(3872) state in B<sup>+</sup>→ $\psi$ (2S) $\gamma$  K<sup>+</sup> decays ✓ Z(4430)<sup>-</sup> state in B<sup>0</sup>→ $\psi$ (2S) K<sup>+</sup> $\pi$ <sup>-</sup> decays ✓ Search for f<sub>0</sub>(980) in B<sup>0</sup>→ J/ $\psi$  $\pi$ <sup>+</sup> $\pi$ <sup>-</sup> decays

Heavy flavor production

✓ kinematic dependences of the relative production rates  $f_{\Lambda_b}/f_d$ ✓ Production of  $\chi_b(1P,2P,3P)$  states

#### X(3872) state

X(3872) discovered by Belle in 2003, also observed by CDF, D0, BaBar, LHCb and CMS

- Exotic particle X(3872)
  - discovered in  $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$  decay mode
  - $M = 3871.68 \pm 0.17 \text{ MeV/c}^2$  $M \simeq M(D^0) + M(D^{*0})$
  - $-\Gamma < 1.2 \text{ MeV/c}^2$
  - $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$  by LHCb using B<sup>+</sup> $\rightarrow$ X(3872)K<sup>+</sup>, X(3872) $\rightarrow$ J/ $\psi \pi^{+}\pi^{-}$



- Nature is still unclear, possible interpretations:
  - D<sup>0</sup>D<sup>\*0</sup> molecula
  - conventional  $\chi_{c1}(2P)$
  - tetraquark
  - ...
  - and their mixtures





#### Radiative decay of X(3872)

 $X(3872) \rightarrow \psi(2S)\gamma$  decay allows to better understand the nature of X(3872)

Predictions for the ratio

$$R_{\psi\gamma} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \to \psi(2S)\gamma)}{\mathcal{B}(X(3872) \to J/\psi\gamma)}$$

Model	Prediction
charmonium, $\chi_{c1}(2P)$	1.2 – 15
molecula, DD*	$(3-4) \times 10^{-3}$
mixture $\chi_{c1}(2P) + DD^*$	0.5 - 5

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eve	nts	signific	cance
$\psi(2S)\gamma$	$J/\psi\gamma$	$\psi(2S)\gamma$	$J/\psi\gamma$
25.4±7.3	23.0±6.4	3.6σ	3.5σ
$5.0^{\scriptscriptstyle +11.9}_{\scriptscriptstyle -11.0}$	$30.0^{+8.2}_{-7.4}$	0.4σ	4.9σ





Projections of the 2D fit to  $M(\psi(2S)\gamma~K)$  and  $M(\psi(2S)\gamma$  )

The significance was estimated with simplified simulation <sup>5</sup>

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 $R_{\psi\gamma}$  $\checkmark$  The LHCb results are consistent with, but more precise than, the BaBar and Belle results

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✓ The results are not consistent with the expectations for pure molecular X(3872) ✓ X(3872) is likely a mixture of a  $\chi_{c1}(2^3P_1)$  charmonium state and of D<sup>0</sup>D<sup>\*0</sup> molecule

Z(4430)<sup>-</sup>

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Observation of a resonance-like structure in the  $\pi^{\pm}\psi'$  mass distribution in

exclusive  $B \rightarrow K \pi^{\pm} \psi$  decays

The observation could be interpreted as the first evidence for the existence of mesons beyond the traditional quark-anti-quark model



#### Belle Discovers a New Type of Meson







#### Z(4430)<sup>-</sup> in BaBar and Belle



Almost model independent approach to  $K^* \rightarrow K\pi^-$  backgrounds

**BaBar** did not confirm Z(4430)<sup>-</sup> in B sample comparable to Belle

Did not numerically contradict the Belle results  $BR(B^0 \rightarrow Z^-K^+) \ge BR(Z^- \rightarrow \pi^-\psi(2S)) < 3.1 \times 10^{-5}$ 



Model dependent approach to  $K^* \rightarrow K\pi$ backgrounds  $J^P = 1^+$  prefered by > 3.4  $\sigma$ 

 $M(Z) = 4485^{+22}_{-22} + \frac{+28}{-11} MeV$ 

 $\Gamma(Z) = 200^{+41}_{-46} + \frac{+26}{-35}$  MeV significance 6.4 $\sigma$  (5.6  $\sigma$  with sys.) <sup>8</sup>

#### *Z*(4430)<sup>-</sup> *state in LHCb*



An order of magnitude larger signal statistics than in Belle or BaBar thanks to hadronic production of b-quarks at LHC

Even smaller non-B background than at the e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> experiments thanks to excellent performance of the LHCb detector (vertexing, particle identification)

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#### *Z*(4430)<sup>-</sup> *state in LHCb*

LHCb uses both approaches

Moments analysis

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#### Z(4430)<sup>-</sup> parameters in LHCb



beyond any doubt

effect included by LHCb)

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#### *Z*(4430)<sup>-</sup> in LHCb



Replace the Breit-Wigner amplitude for  $Z(4430)^{-}$  by 6 independent amplitudes in  $M^{2}(\psi(2S) \pi^{-})$  bins in its peak region

Observe a fast change of phase crossing maximum of magnitude

Expected behaviour for a resonance

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First time ever the resonant character of the four-quark candidate has been demonstrated this way!

#### More than one $Z(4430)^- \rightarrow \psi(2S)\pi^-$



One more Z resonance may be included

Argand diagram studies are inconclusive

Need more data to clarify!

 $M(Z) = 4239 \pm 18^{+45}_{-10} \text{ MeV}$  $\Gamma(Z) = 200 \pm 47^{+108}_{-74} \text{ MeV}$ 

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## Spectroscopy in light quark sector

Scalar mesons in general (particular  $f_0(980)$ ) are not well understood Recently, LHCb observed two channels  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(980)$  and  $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(500)$ Many possibilities:  $q\overline{q}$ ,  $q\overline{q}q\overline{q}q$ , mixtures...

When  $f_0(500)$  and  $f_0(980)$  are considered as  $q\overline{q}$  states there is the possibility of their being mixtures of light and strange quarks mixing angle

$$|f_0(980)\rangle = \cos \varphi_m |s\overline{s}\rangle + \sin \varphi_m |n\overline{n}\rangle |f_0(500)\rangle = -\sin \varphi_m |s\overline{s}\rangle + \cos \varphi_m |n\overline{n}\rangle, \text{where } |n\overline{n}\rangle \equiv \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( |u\overline{u}\rangle + |d\overline{d}\rangle \right).$$

When these states are viewed as  $q\overline{q}q\overline{q}$  states the wave functions becomes

$$|f_{0}(980)\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( |[su][\overline{s}\,\overline{u}]\rangle + |[sd][\overline{s}\overline{d}]\rangle \right)$$
  

$$|f_{0}(500)\rangle = |[ud][\overline{u}\overline{d}]\rangle.$$

$$phase space factors factors for pure tetraquark tetraquark states ~1/2$$

$$tan^{2}\varphi_{m} \equiv r_{\sigma}^{f} = \frac{\mathcal{B}\left(\overline{B}^{0} \to J/\psi f_{0}(980)\right)}{\mathcal{B}\left(\overline{B}^{0} \to J/\psi f_{0}(500)\right)} \frac{\Phi(500)}{\Phi(980)}, \quad \text{for pure tetraquark states ~1/2}$$

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#### Amplitude analysis $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$



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 $\Lambda_{\rm h}$  production

The relative production rates of beauty hadrons are described by the fragmentation fractions  $f_u$ ,  $f_d$ ,  $f_s$ ,  $f_c$ , and  $f_{\Lambda_b}$  which describe the probability that a b quark fragments into a  $B_q$  or a  $\Lambda_b$ . The kinematic dependences of the relative production rates  $f_{\Lambda_b}/f_d$  of  $\Lambda_b$  baryons and  $B_d$  mesons are measured using  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c \pi^+$  and  $B_d \rightarrow D^+\pi^-$  decays



#### $\Lambda_b$ production



 $\checkmark$  The p<sub>T</sub> dependence is accurately described by an exponential function

 $\checkmark$  The ratio of fragmentation fractions  $f_{\Lambda_b}/\,f_d$  decreases by a factor of three in the range  $1.5 < p_T < 40~GeV/c$ 

 $\checkmark$  The ratio of fragmentation fractions  $f_{\Lambda_b}/\,f_d$  versus  $\eta$  is described by a linear dependence in the range  $2<\eta<5$ 

## Production of $\chi_b$ (1P,2P,3P) state

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 $\chi_b(3P)$  to  $\Upsilon(3S)$  feed-down has been often neglected when comparing data and theory on  $\Upsilon(3S)$ This measurements demonstrates its importance

The measurement of the  $\Upsilon(3S)$  production fraction due to radiative  $\chi_b(3P)$  decays is performed for the first time

### Conclusions

✓X(3872)→ $\psi$ (2S)γ decay now established at 4.4 σ

•BR(X(3872) $\rightarrow \psi(2S)\gamma$ )/BR(X(3872) $\rightarrow J/\psi\gamma$ ) inconsistent with pure molecular interpretation of X(3872)

✓ Existence confirmation of  $Z(4430)^{-1}$  with >13.9 $\sigma$ 

- quantum numbers determination  $J^P = 1^+$
- resonant behaviour observed

• the charge and spin-party make Z(4430)<sup>-</sup> unambiguous four-quark candidate

✓ No evidence for  $f_0(980)$  in  $B_d \rightarrow J/\psi \pi + \pi$ - decays

• resonance production  $f_0(980)$  as a tetraquark state ruled out at  $8\sigma$ 

✓ New interesting results on  $\chi_b(3P)$  production rate:

•  $\chi_b(3P)$  to  $\Upsilon(3S)$  feed-down is large

✓ The kinematic dependences of the relative production rates  $f_{\Lambda_b}/f_d$  of  $\Lambda_b$  baryons and  $B_d$  mesons are measured

✓ Looking forward for new exciting results!

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