

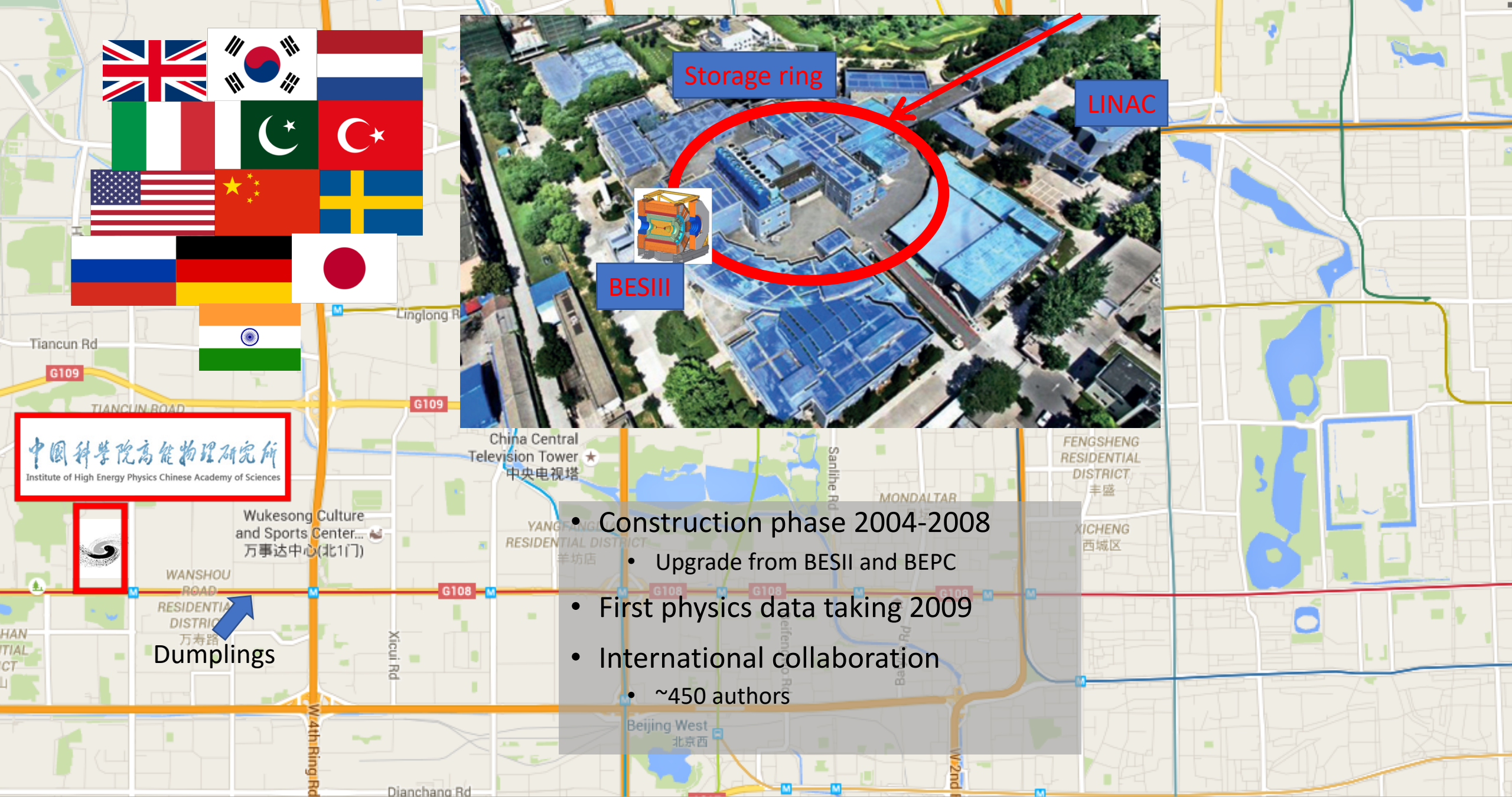
Open Charm Physics

International Workshop on e^+e^- collisions from Φ to Ψ

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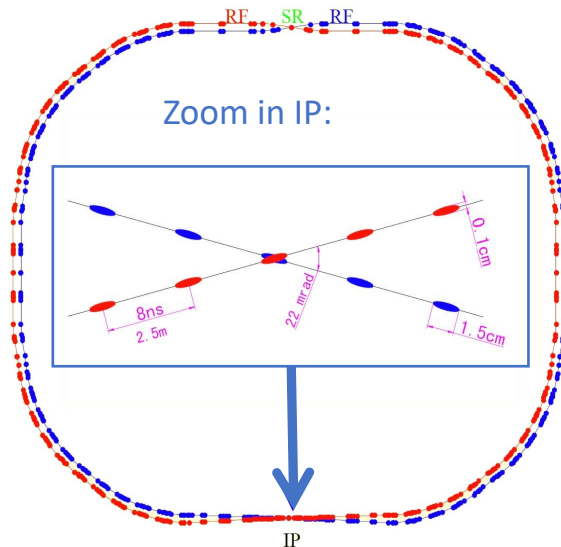


- Construction phase 2004-2008
 - Upgrade from BESII and BEPC
- First physics data taking 2009
- International collaboration
 - ~450 authors

The BESIII Experiment

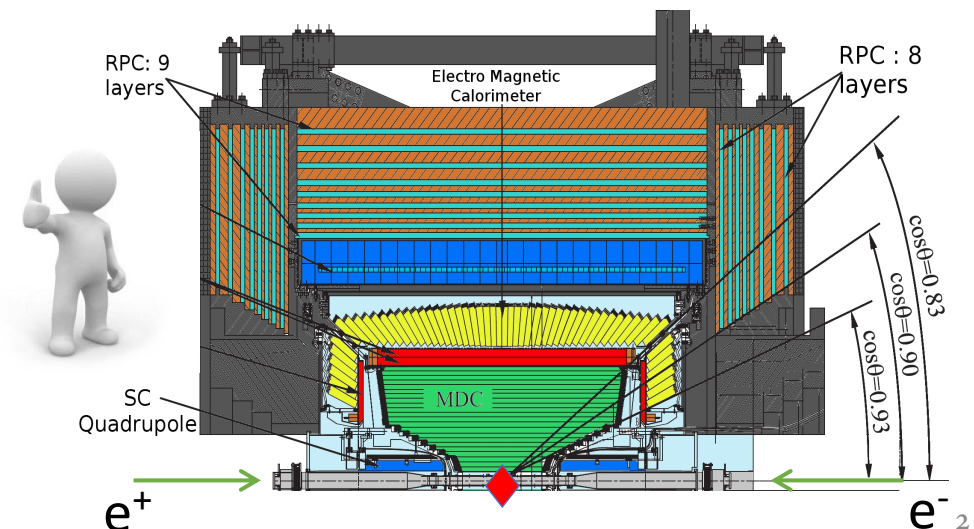
Beijing-Electron-Positron Collider II

- e^+e^- collisions with
 $\sqrt{s} = 2.0 - 4.6 \text{ GeV}$
- Direct production of charmonia
- Luminosity $\mathcal{L} = 1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

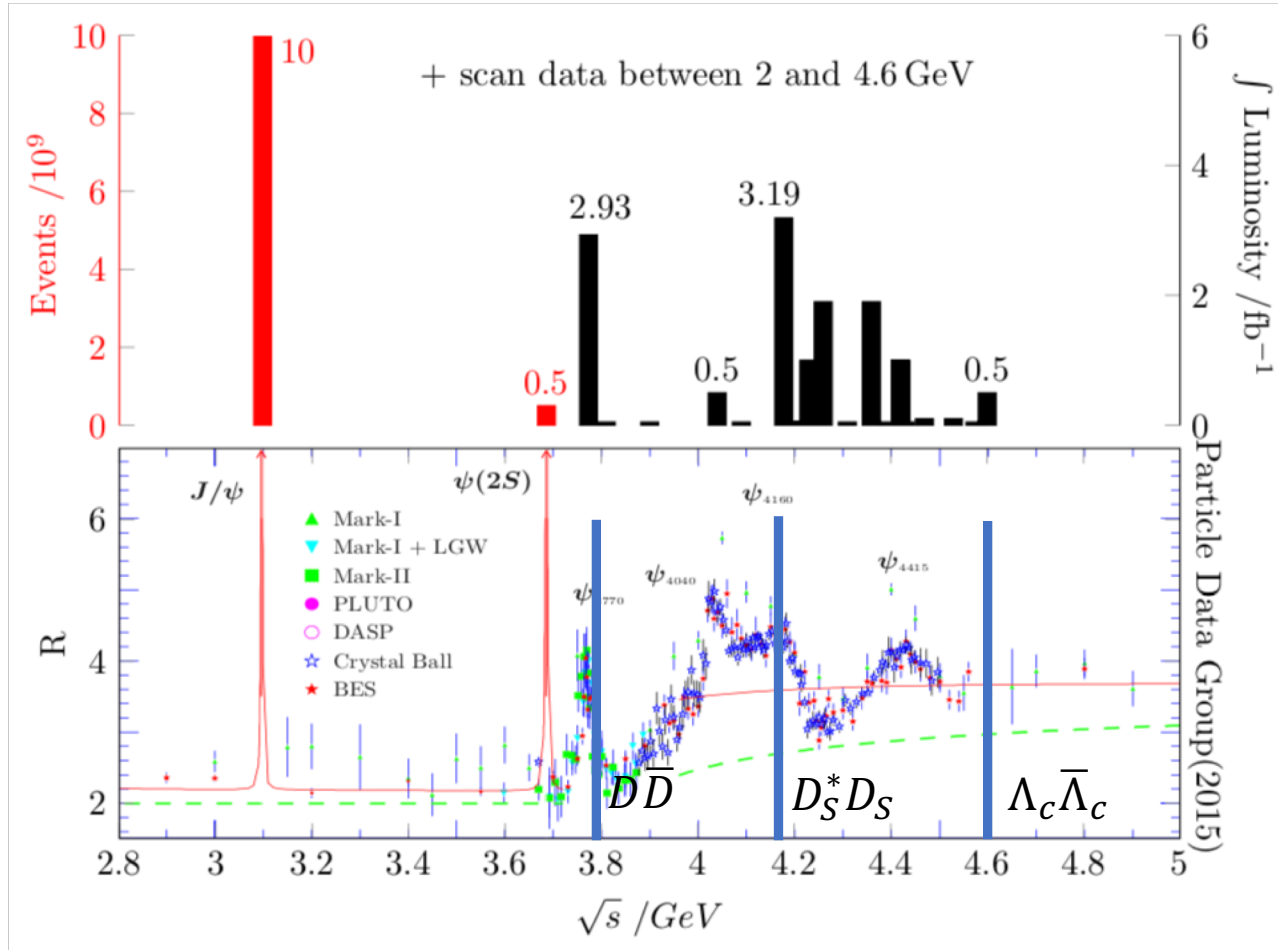


The detector

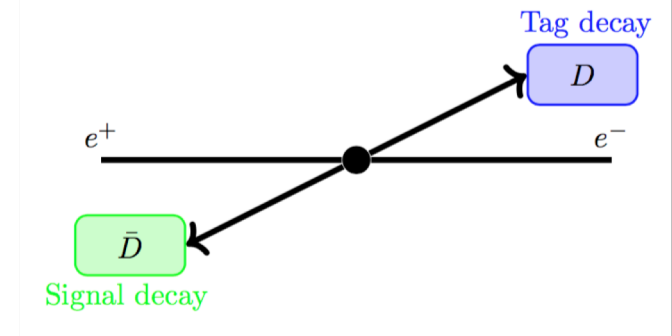
- 93% coverage of the full solid angle
- Main drift chamber $\sigma_p/p = 0.5\% @ 1 \text{ GeV}$
- Time-of-flight system $\sigma_T = 80 \text{ ps}$
- Emg. Calorimeter $\Delta E/E = 2.5\% @ 1 \text{ GeV}$
- Superconducting 1T magnet
- Muon system (RPC)



Charm production @ threshold



- Large samples throughout the charmonium region
- Conservation laws hold for the combined decay amplitude
 - ‘Tag’ information of the signal decay
 - D^0 flavour, CP
 - Predict missing track
 - Normalization



Charm physics @



- Decay constants, form factors, CKM $V_{cd(s)}$
 - Dynamics of $D_S^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$
 - Dynamics of $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu$
- Test of lepton number/flavour conservation laws
 - Search for $D \rightarrow K \pi e^+ e^+$
- Study of intermediate states
 - $D \rightarrow \pi \pi e^+ \nu_e$
 - Amplitude analysis $D^+ \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$
- Study of Λ_c baryons
 - Presented by Kai Zhu yesterday
- D^0 mixing and strong phases
 - Presented at CKM18 by Evelina Gersabeck

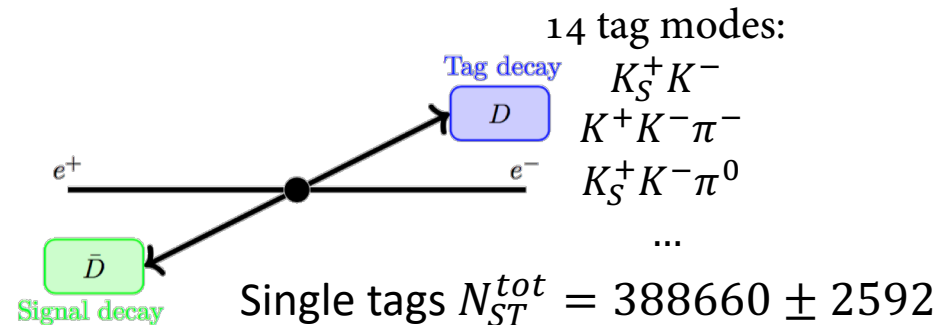
Decay constants, form factors, CKM $V_{cd(s)}$

Dynamics of $D_S^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$

- 3.19 fb^{-1} @ $\sqrt{s} = 4.178 \text{ GeV}$ ($D_S^* D_S$ threshold)
- Decay rate

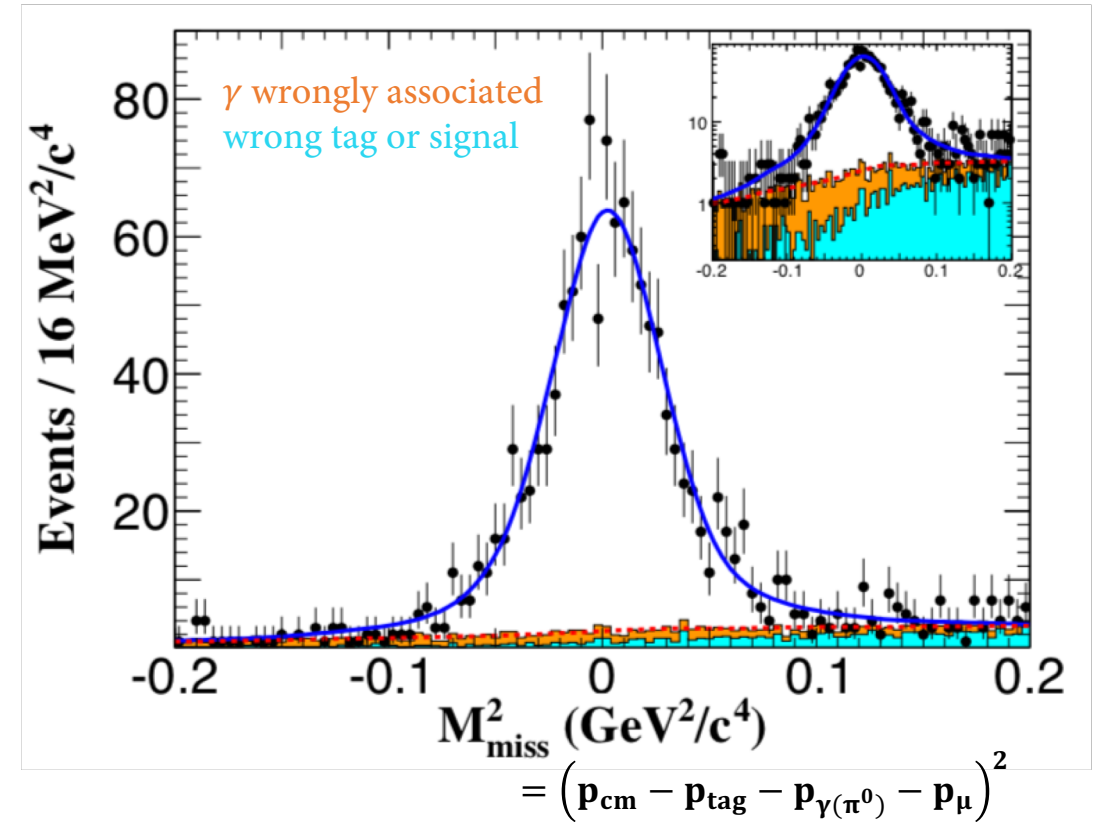
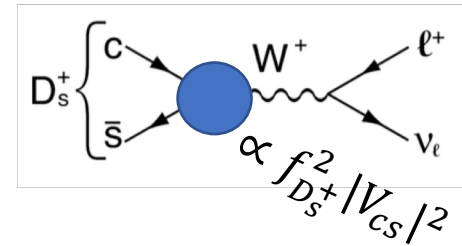
$$\Gamma_{D_S^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu_\ell} = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} |V_{cs}|^2 f_{D_S^+}^2 m_\ell^2 m_{D_S^+} \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{m_{D_S^+}^2}\right)^2$$

- Extract $f_{D_S^+}^2 \cdot |V_{cs}|^2$ from a measurement of the decay rate
- Analyse $D_S^{*+} \rightarrow D_S^+ \gamma(\pi^0)$



$$\mathcal{B}_{D_S^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu} = (5.49 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-3}$$

(stat.) (sys.)



Signal yield $N_{DT} = 1135.9 \pm 33.1$

Dynamics of $D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$

- Result:

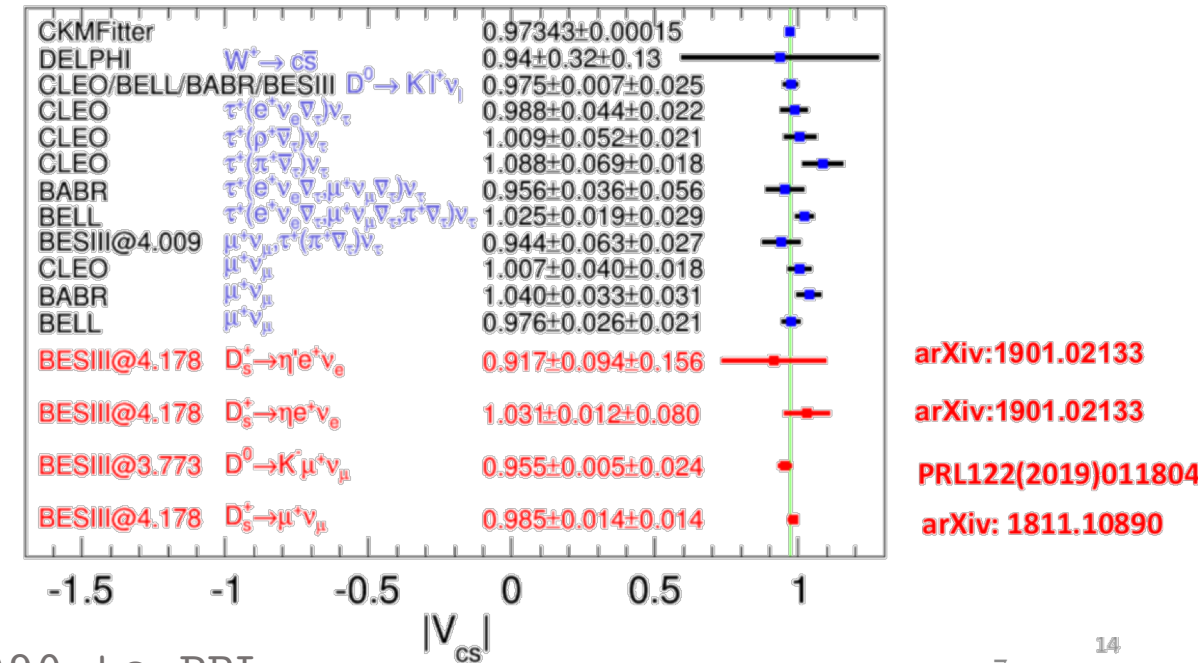
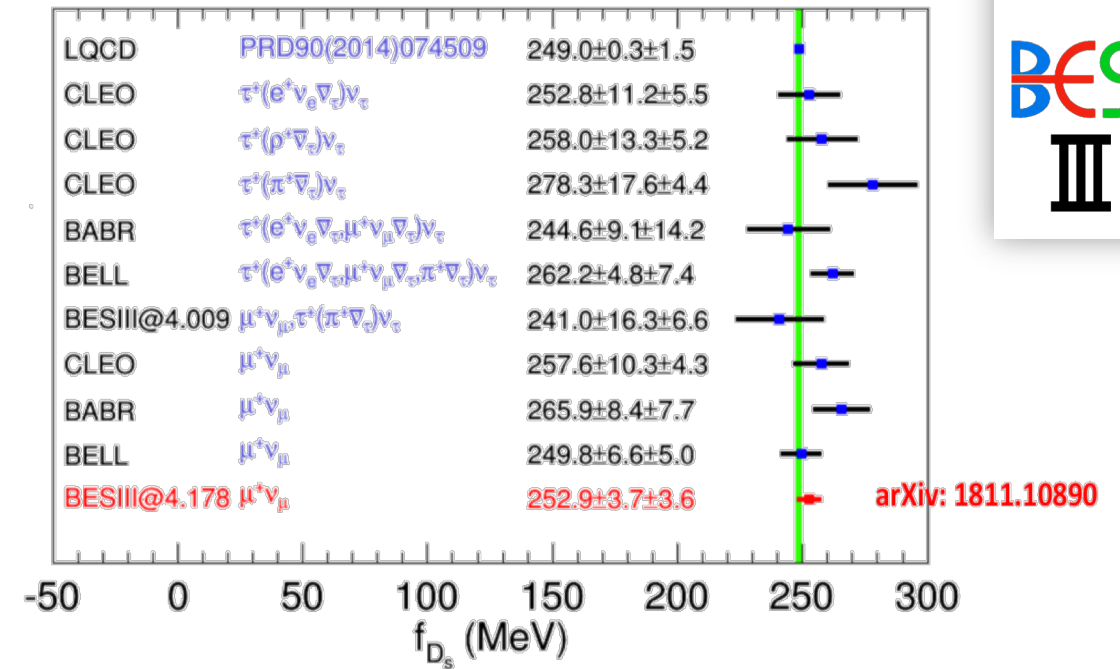
$$f_{D_s^+} |V_{cs}| = 246.2 \pm 3.6_{\text{stat.}} \pm 3.5_{\text{syst.}} \text{ MeV}$$

- External Input from
LQCD Phys.Rev.D98, 074512 (2018)
Phys.Rev.D91, 054507 (2015) and PDG (2018)

- Interfered results:

$$f_{D_s^+} = 252.9 \pm 3.7_{\text{stat.}} \pm 3.6_{\text{syst.}} \text{ MeV}$$

$$|V_{cs}| = 0.985 \pm 0.014_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.014_{\text{syst.}}$$



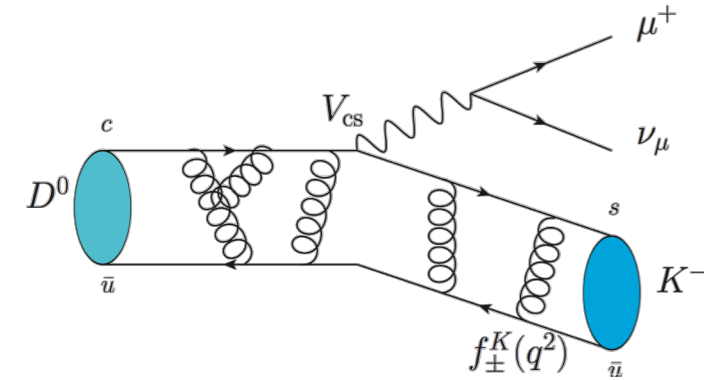
Dynamics of $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu$

- 2.93 fb^{-1} @ $\sqrt{s} = 3.77 \text{ GeV}$ ($D\bar{D}$ threshold)

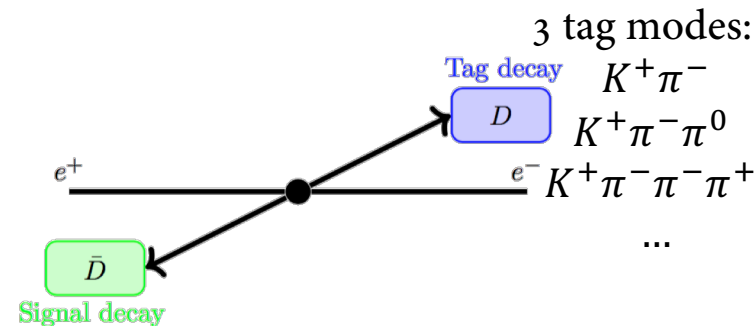
- Decay rate

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{5\pi^3 m_D} |\vec{p}_K| |f_+^K(q^2)|^2 \left(\frac{W_0 - E_K}{F_0} \right)^2 H(q^2)$$

- Extract $|f_+^K(q^2)|^2 |V_{cs}|^2$ from a measurement of the decay rate in bins of q^2



- Branching fraction measurement

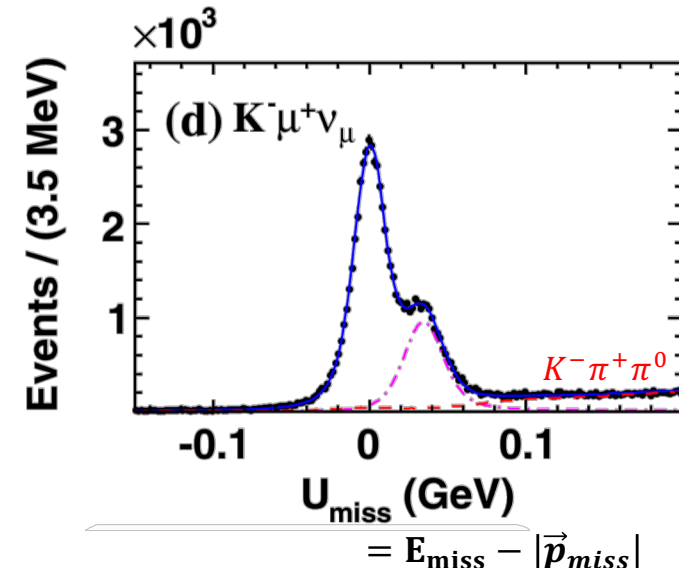


Single tags $N_{ST}^{tot} = 2341408 \pm 2056$

significant improvement
w.r.t PDG

$$\mathcal{B}_{D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu} = (3.413 \pm 0.019 \pm 0.035)\%$$

(stat.) (sys.)



Double tags $N_{DT} = 447100 \pm 259$

Dynamics of $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu$

- Result extrapolated to $q = 0$:

$$f_+^K(0)|V_{cs}| = 0.7133 \pm 0.0038 \pm 0.0029$$

(stat.) (sys.)

- External Input from LQCD and PDG (2018)

- Interfered results:

$$f_+^K(0) = 0.7327 \pm 0.0039 \pm 0.0030$$

(stat.) (sys.)

$$|V_{cs}| = 0.955 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.024$$

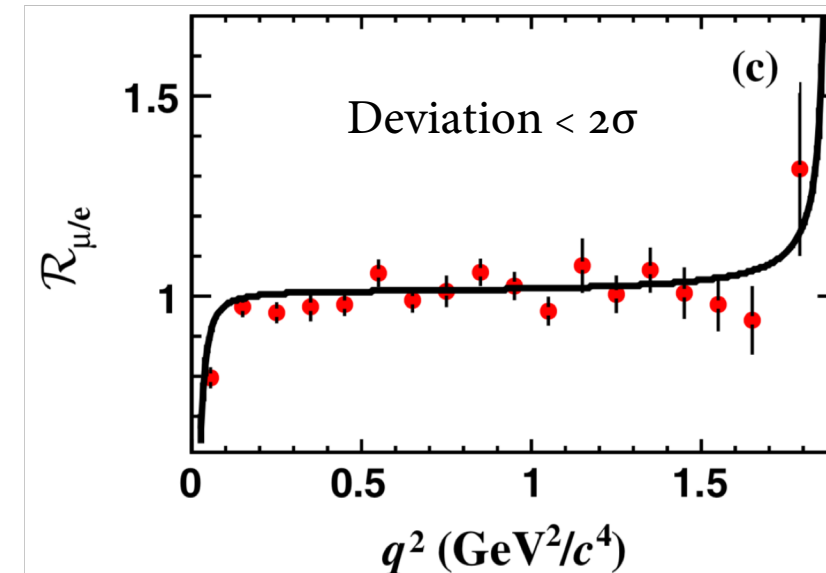
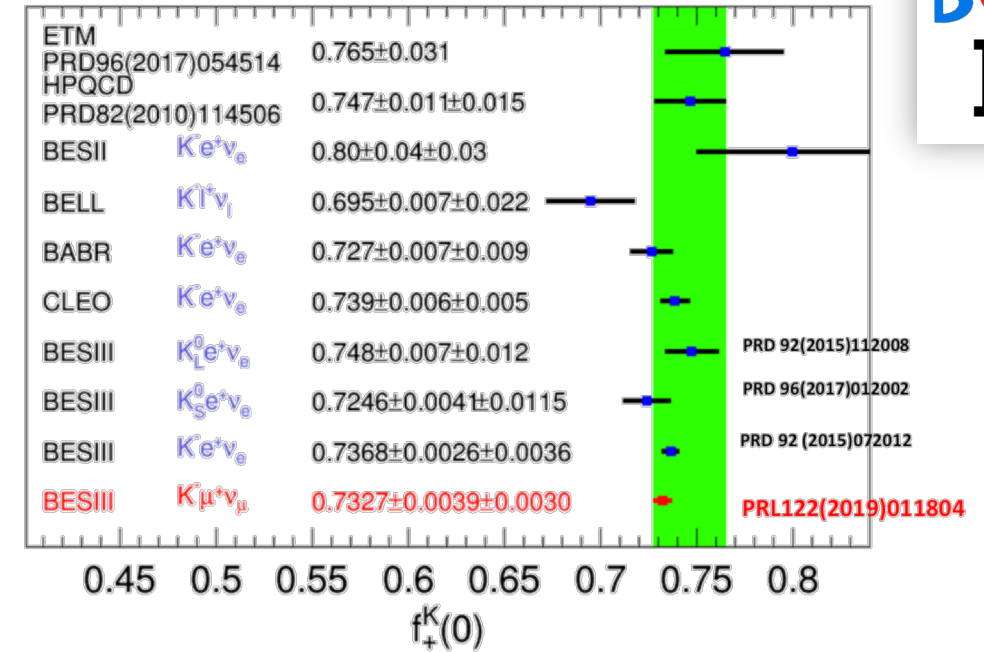
(stat.) (sys.) (LQCD)

- Test lepton flavour universality

- Combine with $\Gamma_{D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu_e}$

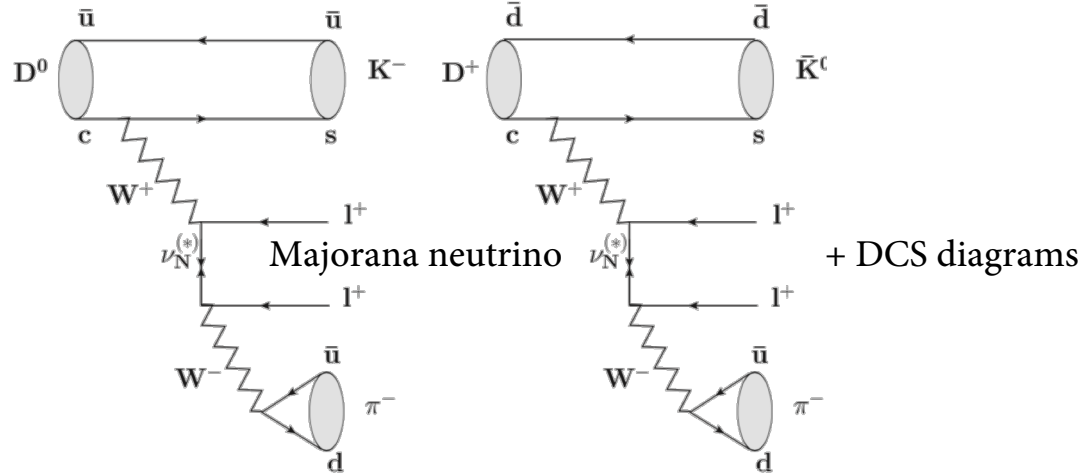
$$R_{\mu/e} = \frac{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu)}{\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu_e)} = 0.974 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.012$$

- No evidence** for lepton flavour universality violations



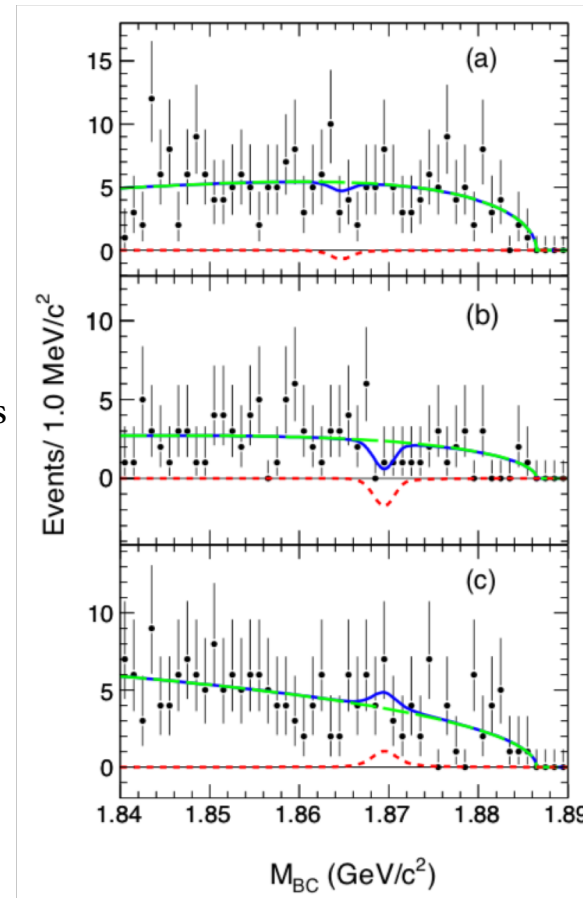
Test of lepton number/flavour conservation laws

Search for $D \rightarrow K\pi e^+ e^+$



- Majorana neutrino $\rightarrow \Delta L = 2$
- Data sample at $D\bar{D}$ threshold:
 $2.93\text{fb}^{-1} @ \sqrt{s} = 3.773\text{GeV}$
- Untagged measurement
 - Normalize to luminosity

$$\mathcal{B}_{D \rightarrow K\pi e^+ e^+} = \frac{N_{\text{sig}}}{2 \cdot N_{\text{DD}}^{\text{tot}} \cdot \epsilon \cdot \mathcal{B}}$$

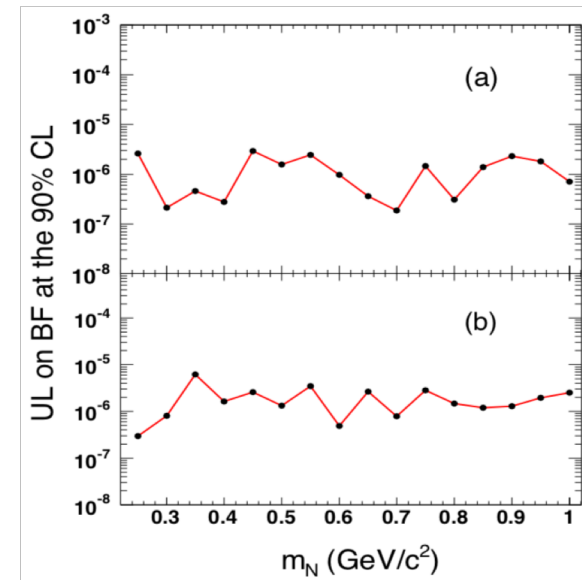


$$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^- e^+ e^+ \\ \mathcal{B}_{\text{sig}}^{UL} < 2.7 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^- e^+ e^+ \\ \mathcal{B}_{\text{sig}}^{UL} < 3.3 \times 10^{-6}$$

$$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^0 e^+ e^+ \\ \mathcal{B}_{\text{sig}}^{UL} < 8.5 \times 10^{-6}$$

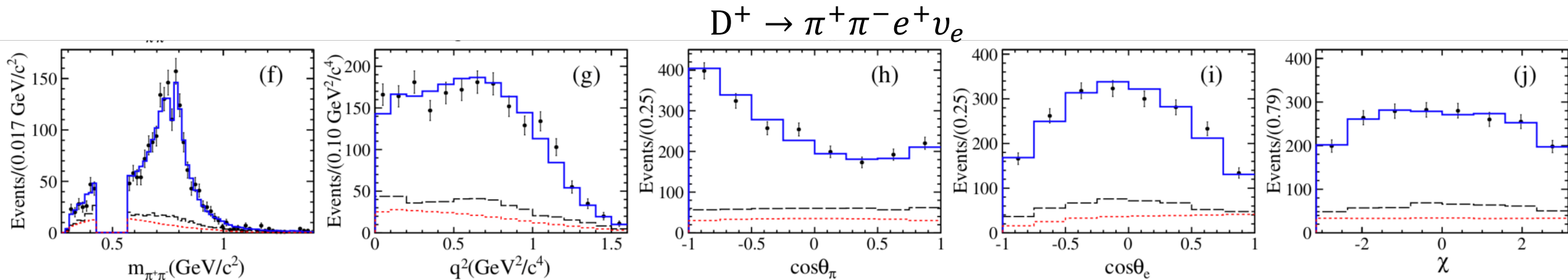
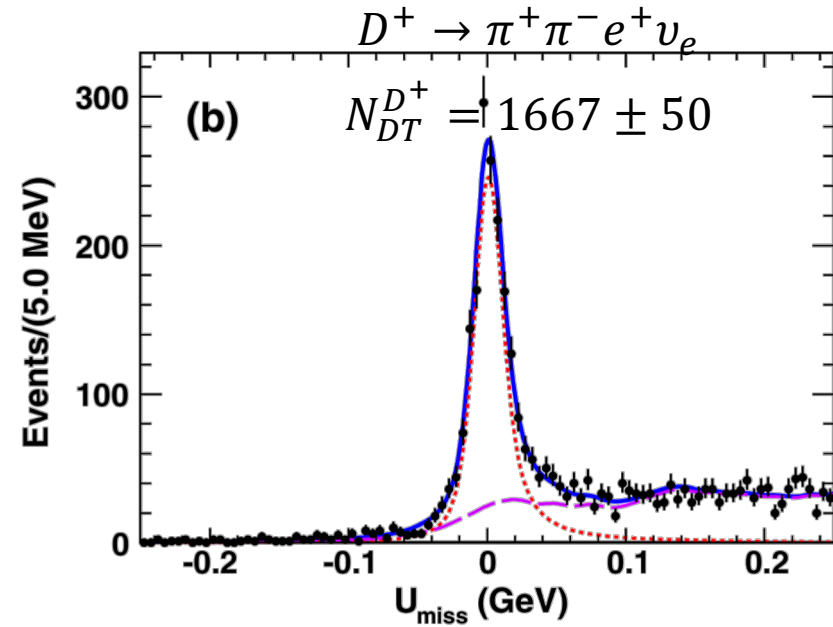
- Search for Majorana neutrino at different masses



Study of intermediate states

Resonant states in $D \rightarrow \pi\pi e^+ \nu_e$

- Nature of light scalar mesons $f_0(500)$, $f_0(980)$ and $a_0(980)$ still unclear
- Semi-leptonic D decays offer a clean production process
- 2.93fb^{-1} @ $\sqrt{s} = 3.77\text{GeV}$ ($D\bar{D}$ threshold)
- Partial-wave analysis
 - 5-dim phase space
 - dominant P-wave (ρ, ω), S-wave



Resonant states in $D \rightarrow \pi\pi e^+ \nu_e$

- Branching fractions from PWA

Signal mode	This analysis ($\times 10^{-3}$)
$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^0 e^+ \nu_e$	$1.445 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.039$
$D^0 \rightarrow \rho^- e^+ \nu_e$	$1.445 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.039$
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ e^+ \nu_e$	$2.449 \pm 0.074 \pm 0.073$
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 e^+ \nu_e$	$1.860 \pm 0.070 \pm 0.061$
$D^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu_e$	$2.05 \pm 0.66 \pm 0.30$
$D^+ \rightarrow f_0(500) e^+ \nu_e, f_0(500) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.630 \pm 0.043 \pm 0.032$
$D^+ \rightarrow f_0(980) e^+ \nu_e, f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$	< 0.028

- Simultaneous fit of neutral and charged modes
- Upper limit on $f_0(980)$
- Significance of $f_0(500) > 10\sigma$

- Test the nature of $f_0(500)$, $f_0(980)$ and $a_0(980)$ in a model independent way

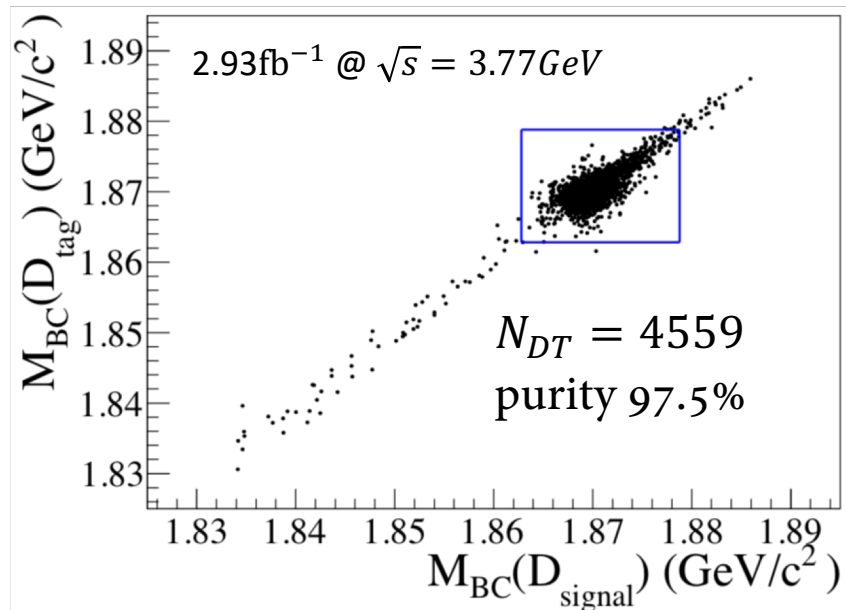
$$R = \frac{B(D^+ \rightarrow f_0(980) e^+ \nu_e) + B(D^+ \rightarrow f_0(500) e^+ \nu_e)}{B(D^+ \rightarrow a_0(980) e^+ \nu_e)}$$

- $R = 1.0 \pm 0.3 \rightarrow$ two-quark description
- $R = 3.0 \pm 0.9 \rightarrow$ SU(3) nonet tetraquark description.

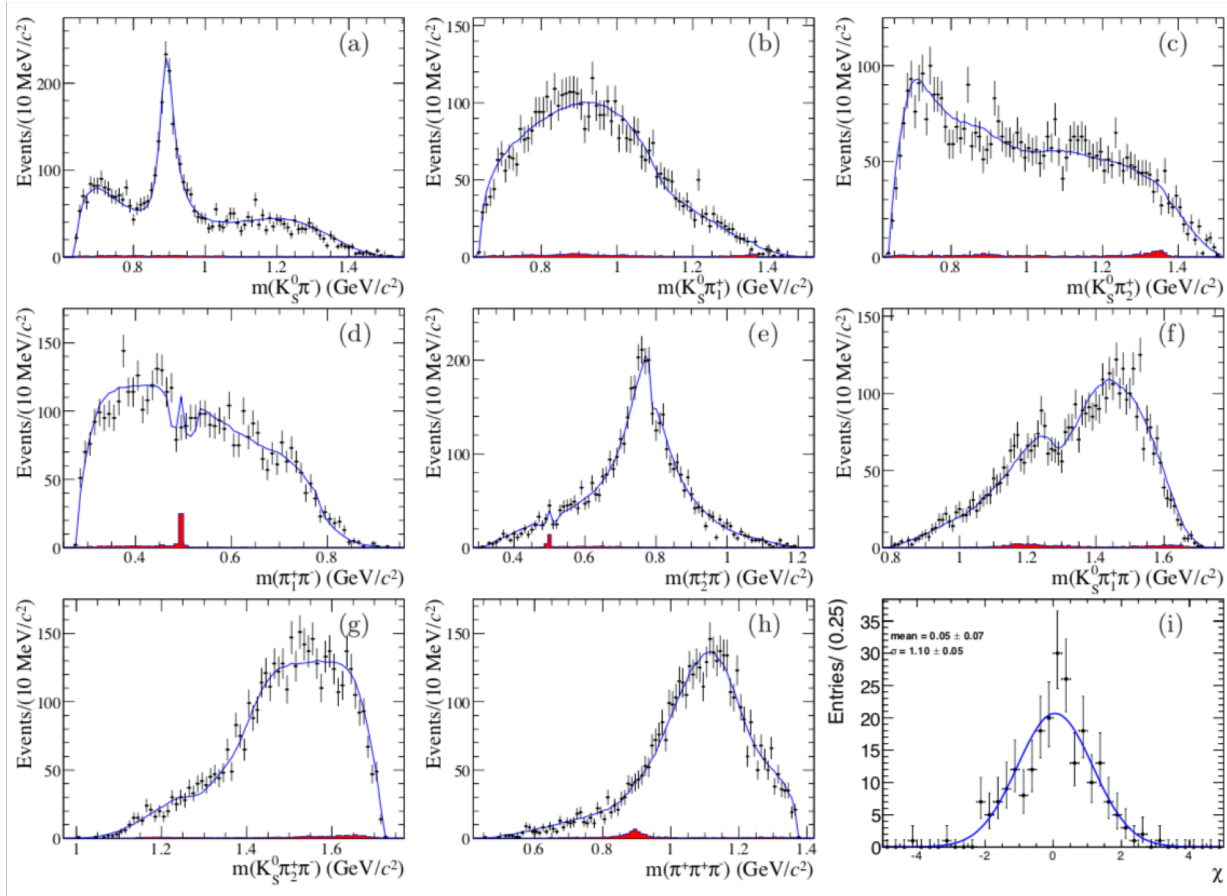
- Our result favors a tetraquark description
 $R > 2.7 @ 90\% C.L.$

Amplitude analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$

- Study dynamics of strong interaction at low energy + final state interaction effects
- Few results $D \rightarrow AP$ decays
 - $D^+ \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$ @ MARKIII
PRD45(1992)2196
- Compare to results of $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$
 - BESIII: PRD95(2017)072010
 - LHCb: EPJC78(2018)443
- 5-dim phase space
- Covariant tensor formalism
- Parametrization:
 - $(K_S \pi)$ S-wave: effective range / LASS parametrization
PRD78,034023(2008)
 - ρ^0 : Gounaris-Sakurai, inkl. $\rho - \omega$ interference
 - Relativistic BW for other resonant states
- 13 significant amplitudes



Amplitude analysis of $D^+ \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$



Component	Branching fraction (%)
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 a_1(1260)^+ (\rho^0 \pi^+)$	$1.197 \pm 0.062 \pm 0.086 \pm 0.044$
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 a_1(1260)^+ (f_0(500) \pi^+)$	$0.163 \pm 0.021 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.006$
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1400)^0 (K^{*-} \pi^+) \pi^+$	$0.642 \pm 0.036 \pm 0.033 \pm 0.024$
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1270)^0 (K_S^0 \rho^0) \pi^+$	$0.071 \pm 0.009 \pm 0.021 \pm 0.003$
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}(1460)^0 (K^{*-} \pi^+) \pi^+$	$0.202 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.007$
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}(1460)^0 (K_S^0 \rho^0) \pi^+$	$0.024 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.015 \pm 0.009$
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1650)^0 (K^{*-} \pi^+) \pi^+$	$0.048 \pm 0.012 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.002$
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \rho^0$	$0.190 \pm 0.021 \pm 0.089 \pm 0.007$
$D^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	$0.241 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.009$

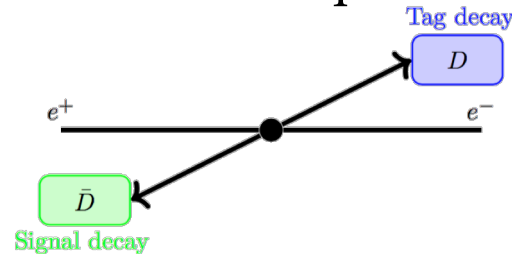
- Improved precision for sub decay modes
- Agreement with previous measurement
- Comparison with neutral mode $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$
 - $D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}_1(1400)^0 \pi^+$ larger

Summary

- BESIII provides large data samples close to charm related thresholds

- Correlated $D\bar{D}$ production offers unique opportunities

- D^0 flavour and CP
- Predict missing track
- Normalization



- Long term perspective - large samples at charm thresholds

- $D\bar{D}$ $2.93fb^{-1} \rightarrow 20fb^{-1}$
- $D_S^*D_S$ $3.19fb^{-1} \rightarrow 6fb^{-1}$
- $\Lambda_c\bar{\Lambda}_c$ $0.60fb^{-1} \rightarrow 5fb^{-1}$

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Thank you for your attention!