



A story of double charm tetraquark

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- A review of double charm tetraquark
- The molecular picture of the T_{cc}^+
- The production of the T_{cc}^+ in HIC
- Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision
- Summary and outlook

A review of double charm tetraquark

- 1964 Quark model

An SU(3) model for strong interaction symmetry and its breaking. Version 2 #1

G. Zweig (CERN) (Feb 21, 1964)

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A Schematic Model of Baryons and Mesons #6

Murray Gell-Mann (Caltech) (1964)

Published in: *Phys.Lett.* 8 (1964) 214-215

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- 1978 tetrquark in baryon-antibaryon system

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$Q^2\bar{Q}^2$ resonances in the baryon-antibaryon system

R. L. Jaffe

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Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139
(Received 1 September 1977)

Two-quark–two-antiquark mesons which couple strongly to baryon-antibaryon channels are classified. The quantum numbers and masses of prominent states are predicted from the MIT bag model. The couplings of $Q^2\bar{Q}^2$ states to $B\bar{B}$ are estimated using the 3P_0 model and peripherality. Though most $Q^2\bar{Q}^2$ states do not couple strongly to $B\bar{B}$, many prominent resonances remain. Important $Q^2\bar{Q}^2$ resonances in the following processes are enumerated and discussed: elastic $N\bar{N}$ scattering, $N\bar{N} \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, $N\bar{N}$ resonances at or below threshold, and exotic isotensor baryon-antibaryon resonances.

A review of double charm tetraquark

- 2002 the observation of the Ξ_{cc}^+ $ccq \leftrightarrow cc\bar{q}\bar{q}$

First Observation of the Doubly Charmed Baryon Ξ_{cc}^+

#1

SELEX Collaboration • M. Mattson (Carnegie Mellon U.) et al. (Aug, 2002)

Published in: *Phys.Rev.Lett.* 89 (2002) 112001 • e-Print: [hep-ex/0208014](#) [hep-ex]

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- 2003 the observation of the $X(3872)$ $D\bar{D}^* \leftrightarrow D\bar{D}^*$

- 2005 double charm tetraquarks by J.-M. Richard and FI. Stancu

Double charm hadrons revisited

#5

J.-M. Richard (LPSC, Grenoble), FI. Stancu (Liege U.) (Nov, 2005)

Published in: *Bled Workshops Phys.* 6 (2005) 1, 25-31 • Contribution to: *Mini-Workshop Bled 2005*, 25-31 •
e-Print: [hep-ph/0511043](#) [hep-ph]

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- 2003—2020 double charm tetraquark in molecular picture

Coupled-channel analysis of the possible $D^{(*)}D^{(*)}$,
 $\bar{B}^{(*)}\bar{B}^{(*)}$ and $D^{(*)}\bar{B}^{(*)}$ molecular states

$$D\bar{D}^* \leftrightarrow DD^*$$

Ning Li, Zhi-Feng Sun, Xiang Liu, and Shi-Lin Zhu
Phys. Rev. D **88**, 114008 – Published 3 December 2013

Sanchez, Geng, Lu, Hyodo, Valderrama, PRD98(2018)054001,
Xu, Wang, Liu, Liu, PRD99(2019)014027, Wang, Liu, Liu, PRD99(2019)036007,
Yu, Zhou, Chen, Xiao, PRD101(2020)0740270, Ding, Jiang, He, EPJC80(2020)1179.....

- double charm tetraquark in compact tetraquark picture

$$ccq \leftrightarrow cc\bar{q}\bar{q}$$

Discovery of the Doubly Charmed Ξ_{cc} Baryon Implies a Stable $bb\bar{u}\bar{d}$ Tetraquark

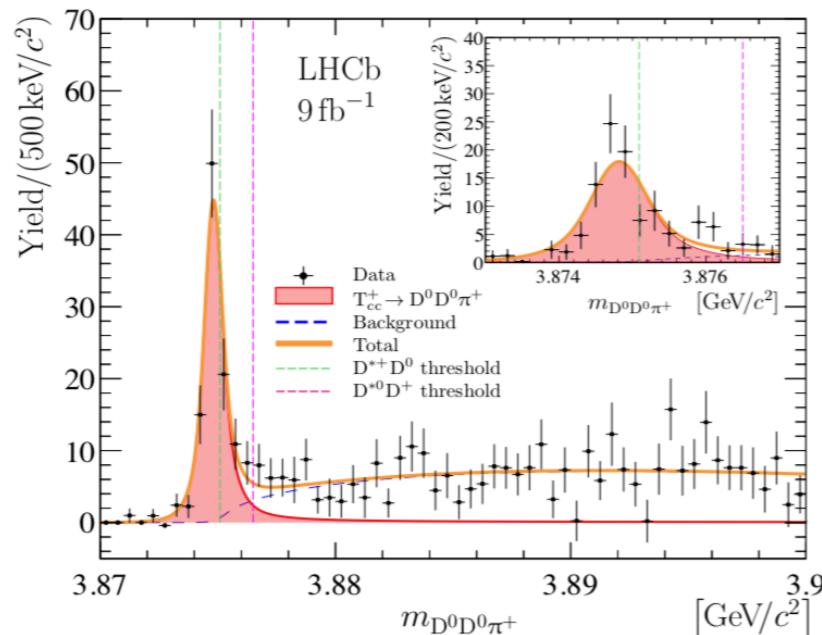
Marek Karliner and Jonathan L. Rosner
Phys. Rev. Lett. **119**, 202001 – Published 15 November 2017

Karliner, Nussinov, JHEP07(2013)153, Cheng, Li, Si, Yao, CPC45(2021)043102,
Gelman, Nussinov, PLB551(2003)296-304, Luo, Chen, Liu, Liu, Zhu, EPJC77(2017)709.....

A review of double charm tetraquark

- 2021 The observation of $T_{cc}^+(cc\bar{u}\bar{d})$

Breit-Wigner fit LHCb, Nature Phys.18(2022)751-754



$$\delta m \equiv m_{T_{cc}^+} - m_{D^{*+}} - m_{D^0}$$

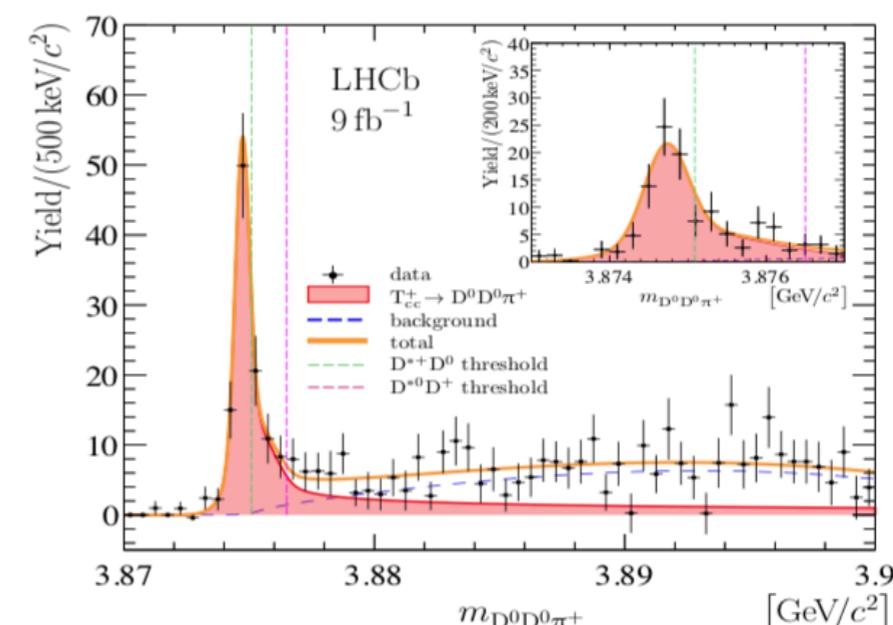
$$\delta m_{\text{BW}} = -273 \pm 61 \text{ keV}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{BW}} = 410 \pm 165 \text{ keV}$$

No signal in $D^+D^0\pi^+$, D^+D^+

$\rightarrow I=0$ isoscalar

Unitarized fit LHCb, Nature Commun. 13(2022)3351



$$\delta m_{\text{pole}} = -360 \pm 40^{+4}_{-0} \text{ keV}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{pole}} = 48 \pm 2^{+0}_{-14} \text{ keV}$$

$$a = [-(7.16 \pm 0.51) + i(1.85 \pm 0.28)] \text{ fm}$$

$$-r < 11.9(16.9) \text{ fm} \quad 90(95) \% \text{ CL}.$$

$$Z < 0.52(0.58) \quad 90(95) \% \text{ CL}.$$

Z = 0 Composite Z = 1 Elementary

The molecular picture of the $T_{c\bar{c}}^+$

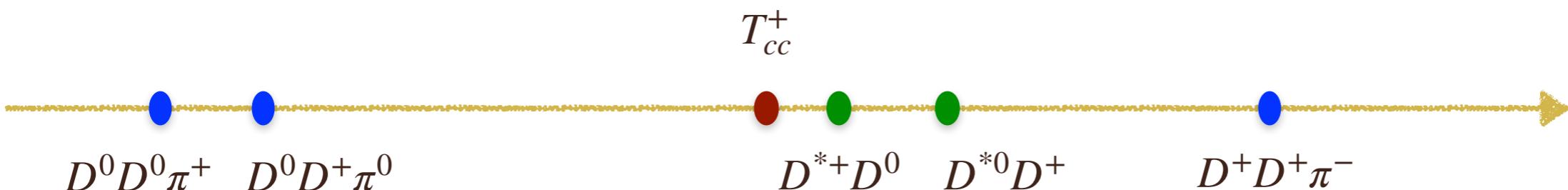
Why the D^*D molecule?

- Close to the D^*D thresholds
- Approximate 90% of $D^0 D^0 \pi^+$ events contain a D^{*+}
- $Z < 0.52$

Wave functions for isospin singlet and triplet

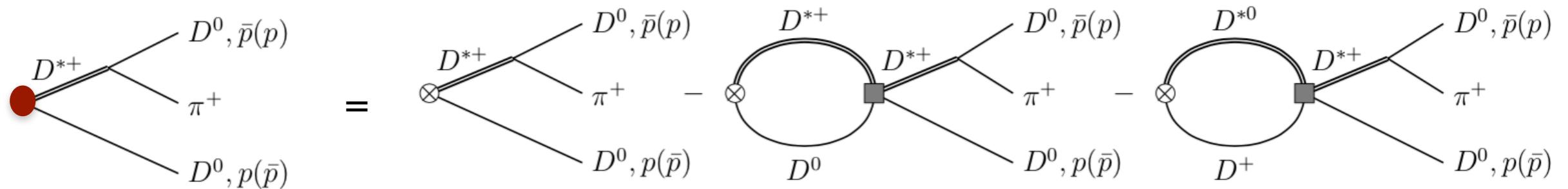
$$|D^*D, I = 0\rangle = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (D^{*+}D^0 - D^{*0}D^+) \quad V_{\text{CT}}^{I=0}(D^*D \rightarrow D^*D, J^P = 1^+) = v_0$$
$$|D^*D, I = 1\rangle = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (D^{*+}D^0 + D^{*0}D^+) \quad V_{\text{CT}}^{I=1}(D^*D \rightarrow D^*D, J^P = 1^+) = v_1$$

Three-body cut has to be considered

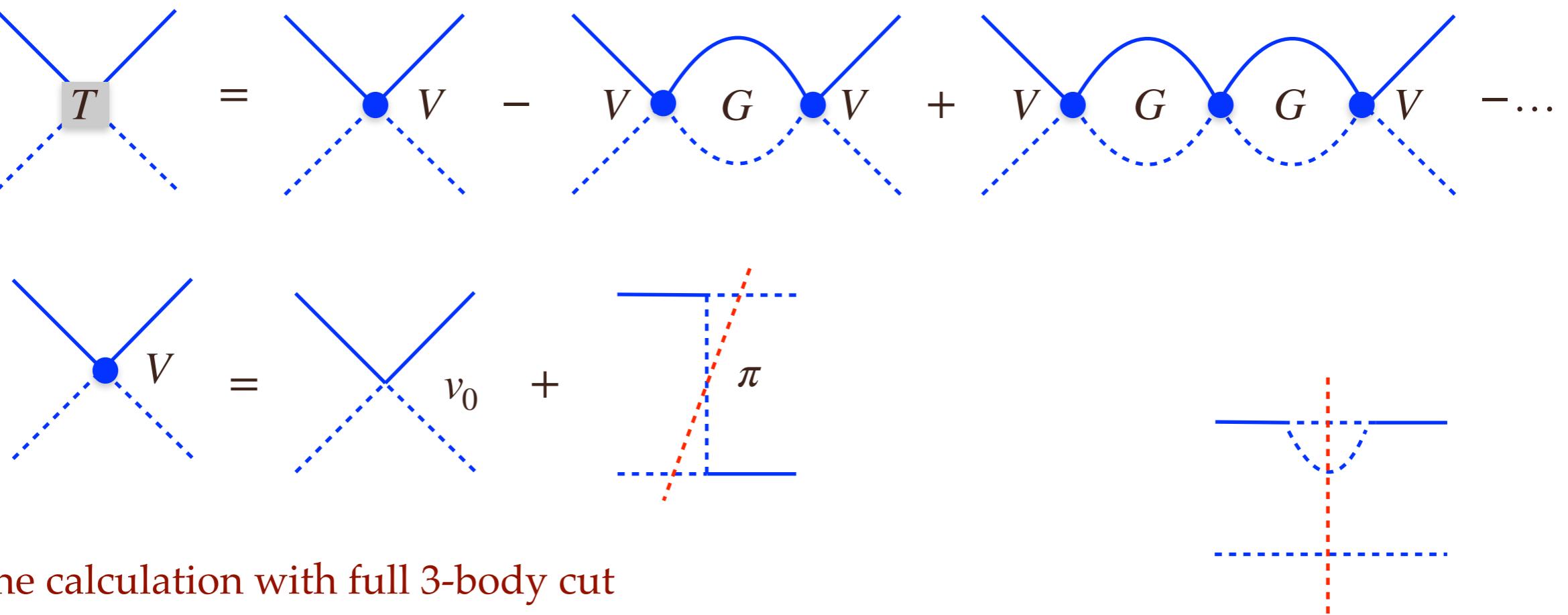


The molecular picture of the $T_{\epsilon\epsilon}^+$

$D^0 D^0 \pi^+$ mass distribution



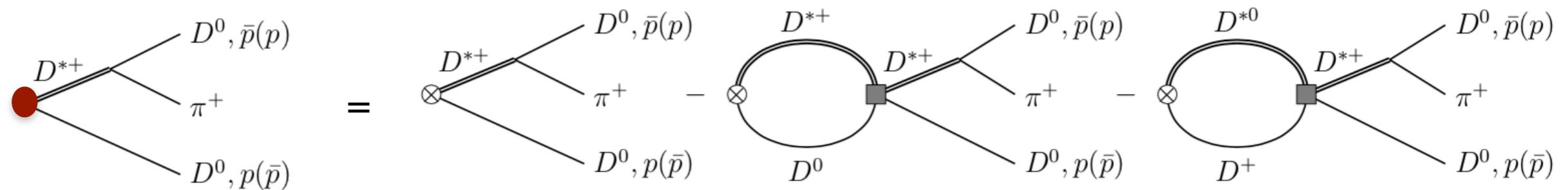
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The calculation with full 3-body cut

The molecular picture of the $T_{\epsilon\epsilon}^+$

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Schemes	Potential	Pole (keV)	Width (keV)
Scheme I	$\Gamma_{D^{*+}} = 82.5 \text{ keV}$ No OPE $\Gamma_{D^{*0}} = 53.7 \text{ keV}$	$-368^{+43}_{-42} - i(37 \pm 0)$	74
Scheme II	No OPE Dynamical widths of D^*	$-333^{+41}_{-36} - i(18 \pm 1)$	36
Scheme III	OPE Dynamical widths of D^*	$-356^{+39}_{-38} - i(28 \pm 1)$	56

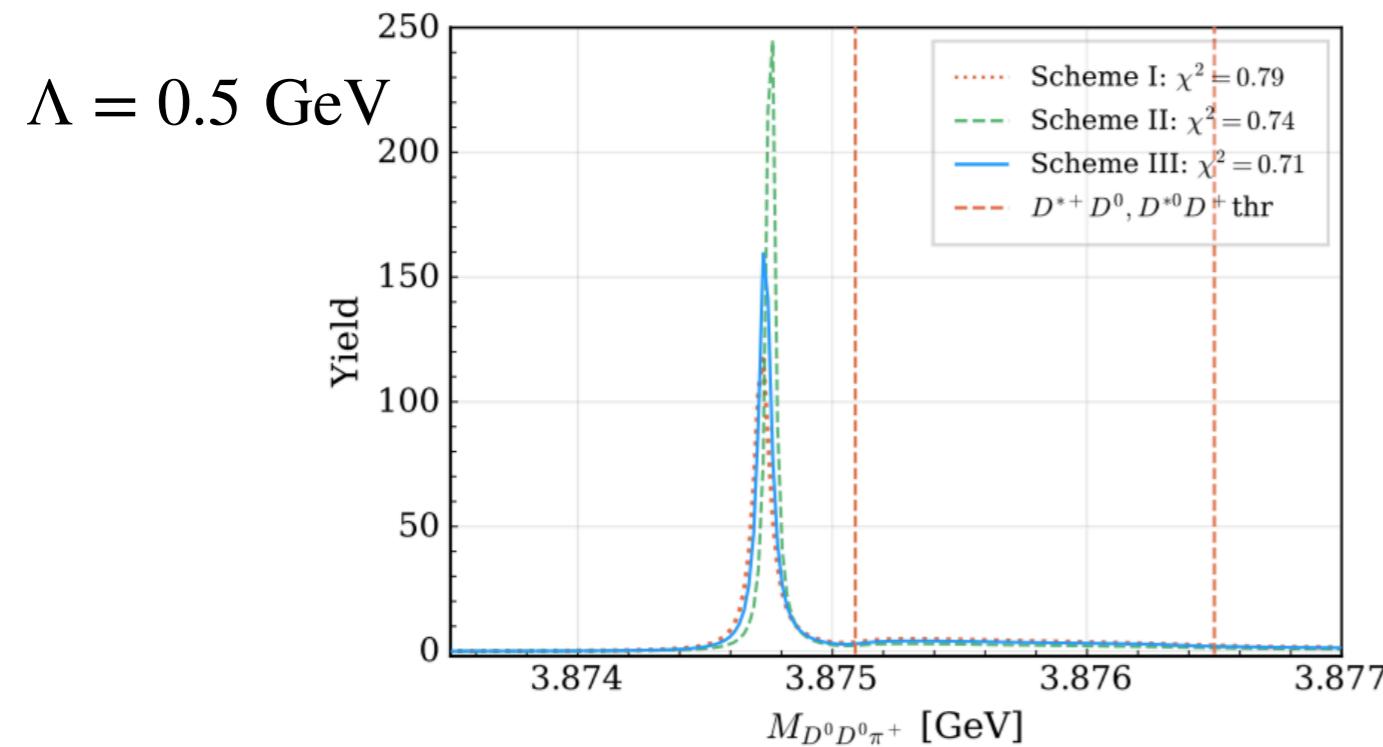


Width is not as large as 400keV.

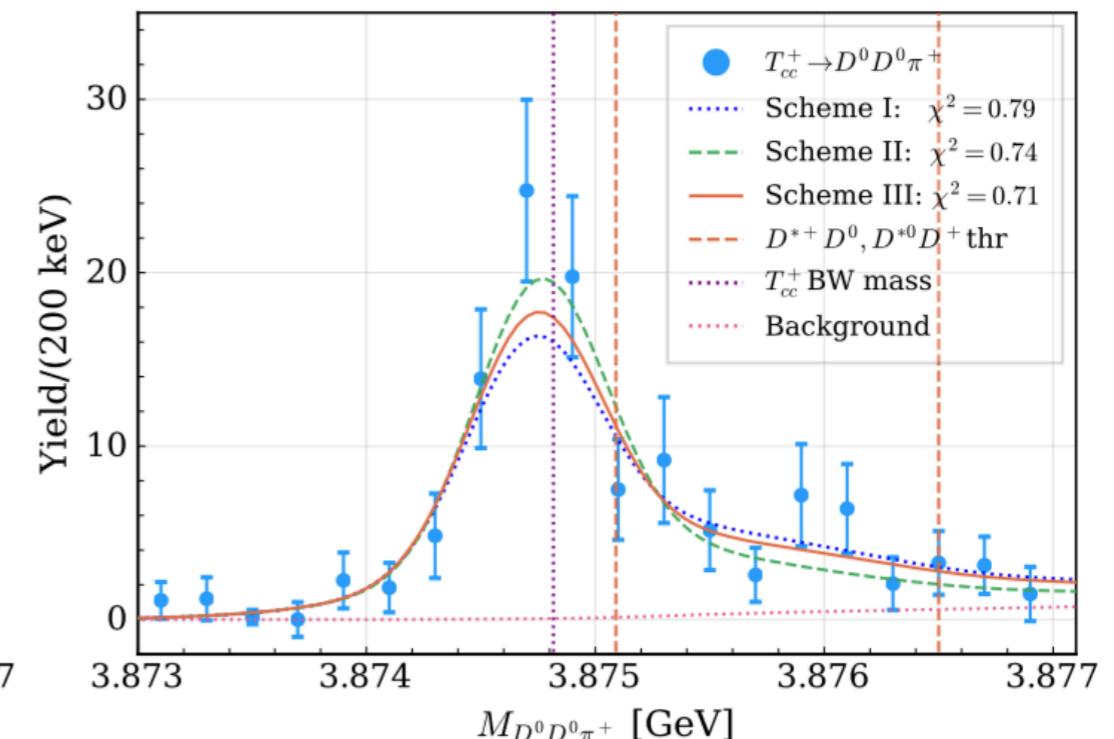
Du, Baru, Dong, Filin, Guo, Hanhart, Nefediev, Nieves, QW, PRD105(2022)014024

The molecular picture of the T_{cc}^+

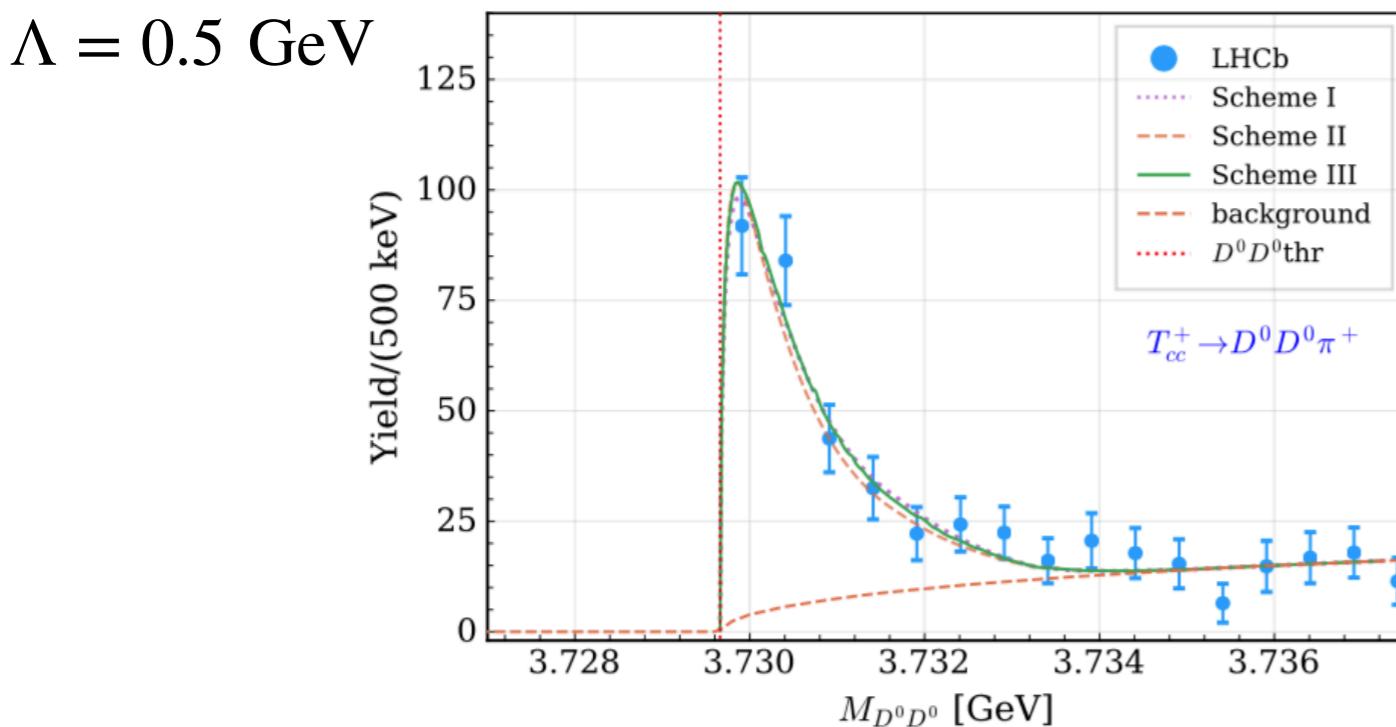
$D^0 D^0 \pi^+$ mass distribution



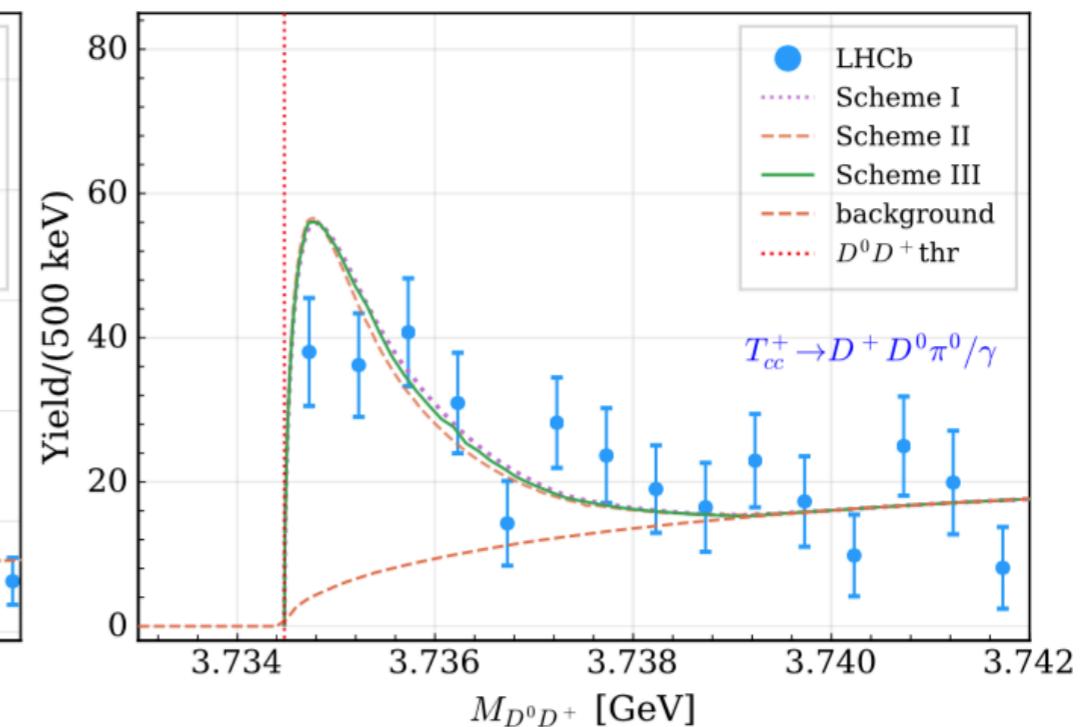
Cutoff independent for $\Lambda = [0.3 - 1.2]$ GeV



$D^0 D^0$ and $D^0 D^+$ mass distribution



Du, et.al., PRD105(2022)014024



The molecular picture of the $T_{\epsilon\epsilon}^+$

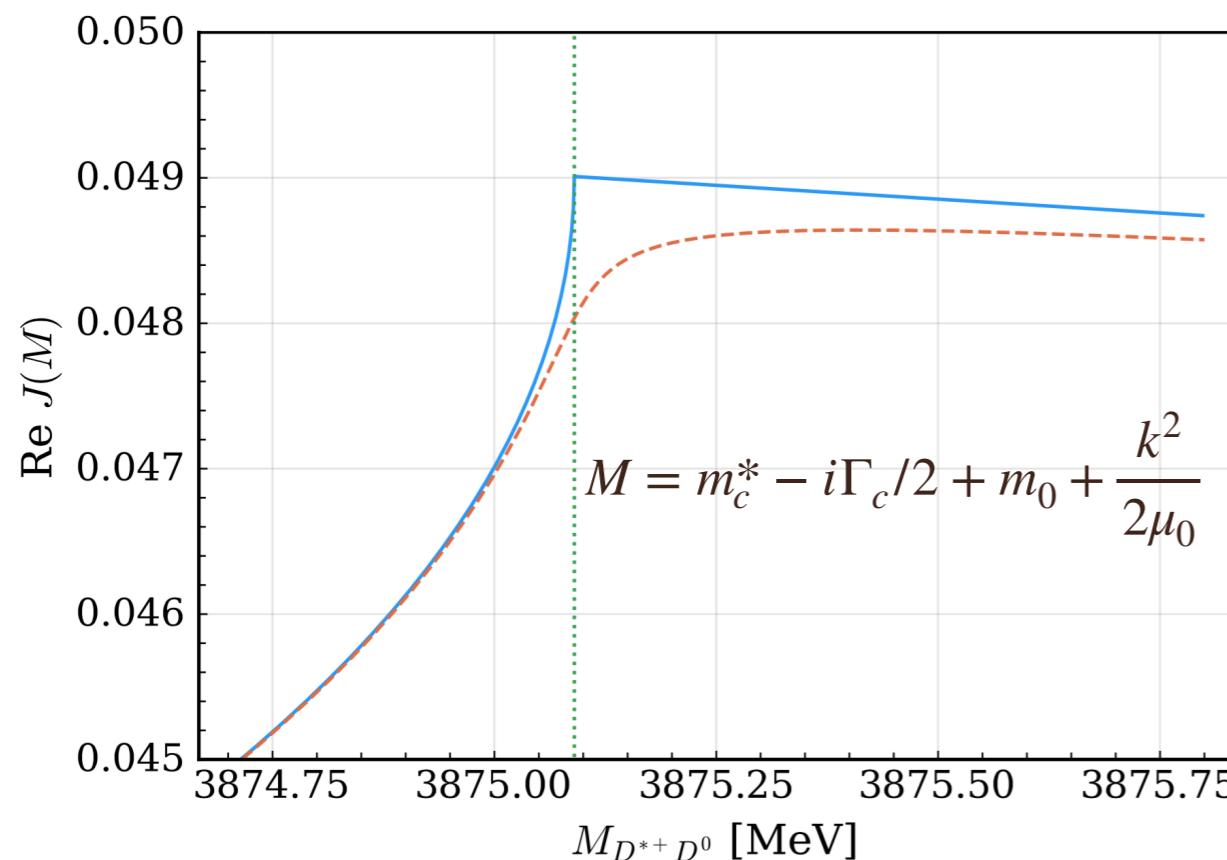
Low energy expansion of the scattering amplitude

$$T_{D^{*+}D^0 \rightarrow D^{*+}D^0}(k) = -\frac{2\pi}{\mu_{c0}} \left(\frac{1}{a_0} + \frac{1}{2}r_0 k^2 - ik + \mathcal{O}(k^4) \right)$$

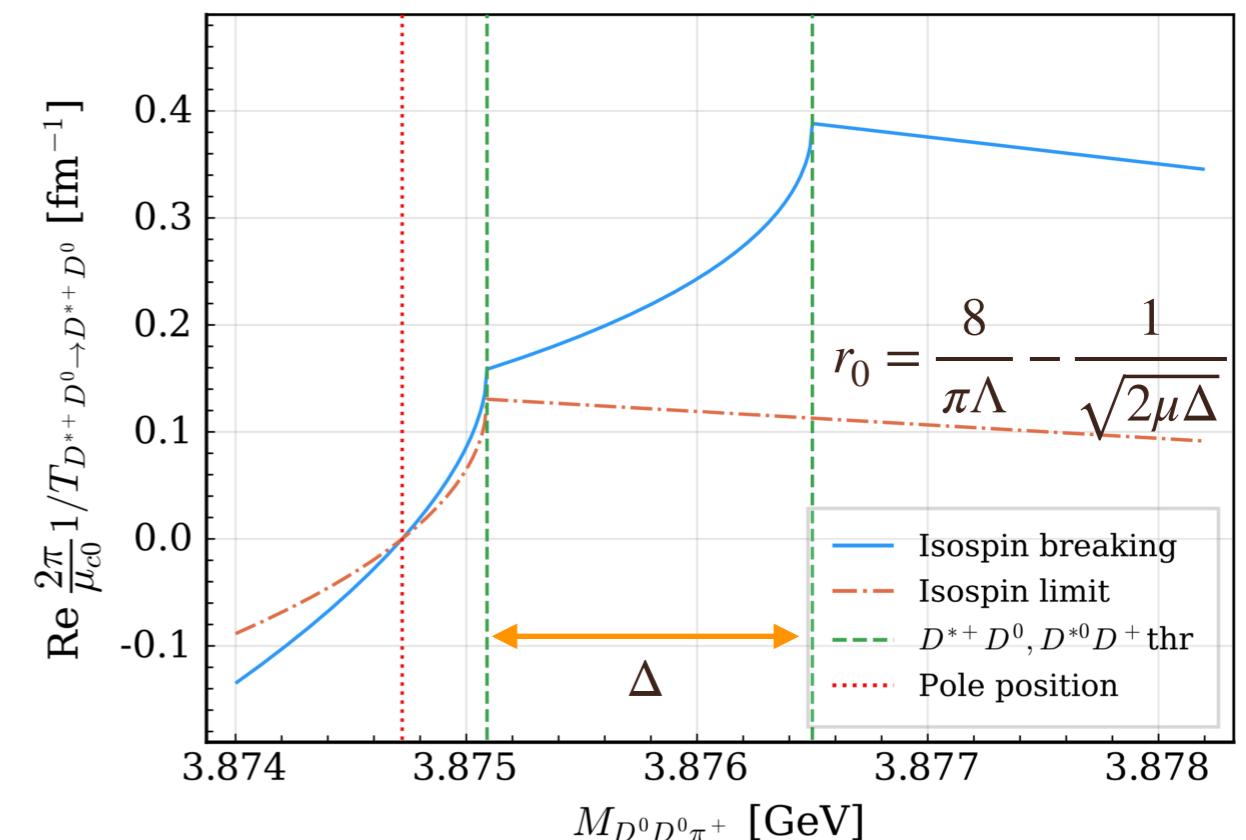
Effective range

$$r_0 \propto -\text{Re} \frac{dT^{-1}}{dM} \Big|_{M=M_{\text{thr}}+0^+}$$

Width effect



Isospin violation



The molecular picture of the $T_{\epsilon\epsilon}^+$

Scheme I: Only contact potentials

$$T_{D^{*+}D^0 \rightarrow D^{*+}D^0}^{-1}(M) = \frac{2}{v_0} + (J_1(M) + J_2(M)) \quad E = M - M_{\text{thr.1}}$$

$$J_1(E) = \frac{\Lambda\mu}{\pi^2} - \frac{2\mu^2 E}{\pi^2 \Lambda} + i \frac{\sqrt{2\mu E} \mu}{2\pi} + \mathcal{O}(E^2)$$

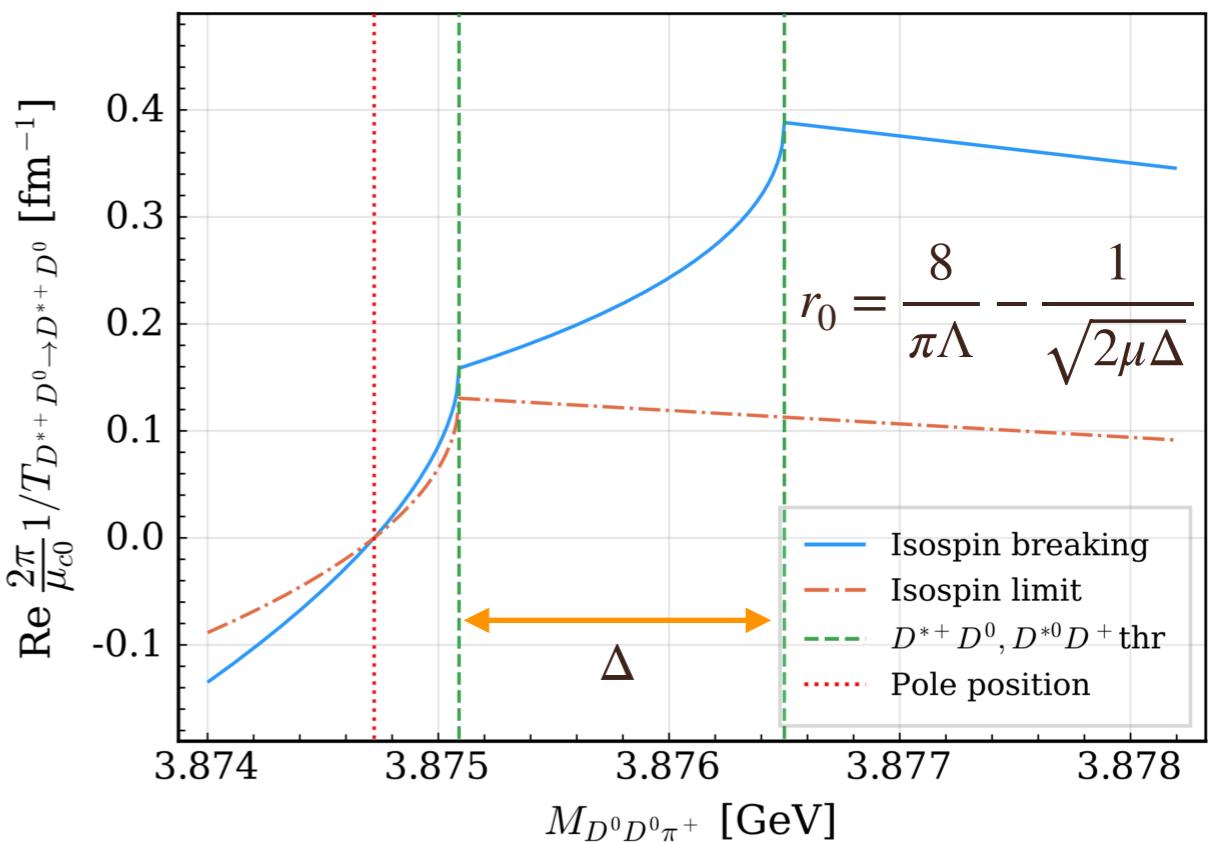
$$J_2(E) = \frac{\Lambda\mu}{\pi^2} - \frac{2\mu^2 E}{\pi^2 \Lambda} + \frac{2\Delta\mu^2}{\pi^2 \Lambda} - \frac{\mu\sqrt{2\mu\Delta}}{2\pi} + \frac{\mu E\sqrt{2\mu\Delta}}{4\pi\Delta} + \mathcal{O}(E^2)$$

$$r_0 = -\frac{2\pi}{\mu^2} \frac{d(J_1(M) + J_2(M))}{dM} \Big|_{M=M_{\text{thr.1}}+0^+}$$

$$= -\frac{8}{\pi\Lambda} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\mu\Delta}}$$

$$\Delta r_{\text{IV}} \equiv -\sqrt{\frac{1}{2\mu\Delta}} = -3.78 \text{ fm}$$

Isospin violation



The molecular picture of the $T_{\epsilon\epsilon}^+$

Compositeness

$$\bar{X}_A = \left(1 + 2 \left| \frac{r'_0}{\text{Re}a_0} \right| \right)^{-1/2}, \quad r'_0 = r_0 - \Delta r_{\text{IV}}$$

$$\Delta r_{\text{IV}} \equiv - \sqrt{\frac{1}{2\mu\Delta}} = - 3.78 \text{ fm}$$

Scattering length and effective range

Schemes	a (fm)	r_0 (fm)	r'_0 (fm)	\bar{X}_A
Scheme I	$(-6.31^{+0.36}_{-0.45}) + i(0.05^{+0.01}_{-0.01})$	-2.78 ± 0.01	1.00 ± 0.01	0.87 ± 0.01
Scheme II	$(-6.64^{+0.36}_{0.50}) - i(0.10^{+0.01}_{-0.02})$	-2.80 ± 0.01	0.98 ± 0.01	0.88 ± 0.01
Scheme III	$(-6.72^{+0.36}_{-0.45}) - i(0.10^{+0.03}_{-0.03})$	-2.40 ± 0.01	1.38 ± 0.01	0.84 ± 0.01

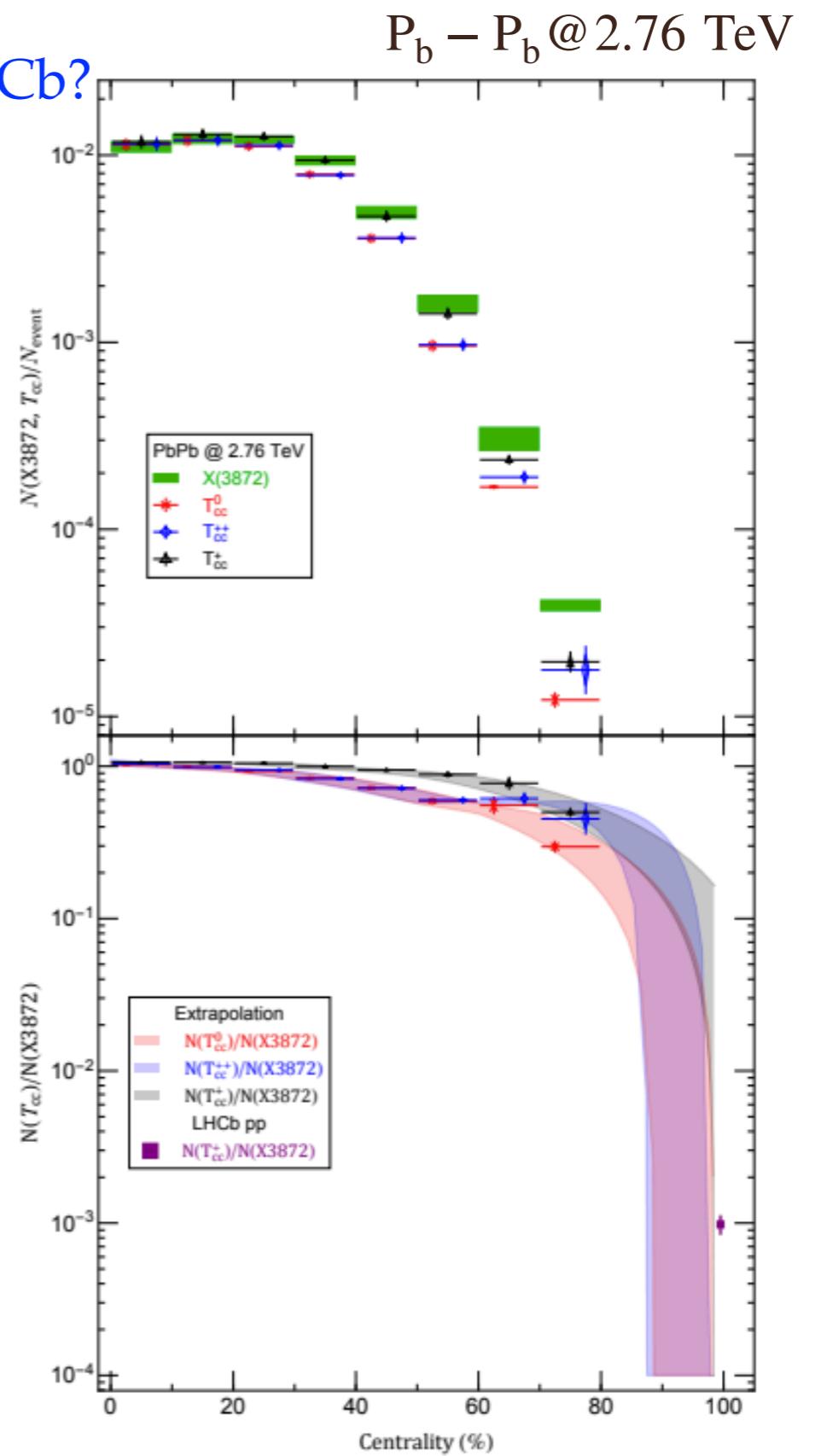
OPE contribute 0.40

The production of the T_{cc}^+ in HIC

Why does the isospin triplet T_{cc} disappear in LHCb?

- Small production in pp collision
- Isotriplet DD^* state doesn't exist

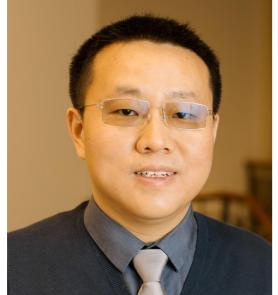
- ① $I = 1$: T_{cc}^0 , $T_{cc}'^+$, $T_{cc}^{\prime\prime\prime\prime}$
- ② $I = 0$: T_{cc}^+
- ③ $R(T_{cc}^{0,+,\prime\prime\prime}) \equiv N(T_{cc}^{0,+,\prime\prime\prime})/N(X(3872))$
- ④ A third order polynomial function
for the relative yield ratio
- ⑤ T_{cc}^+ is about 3 orders smaller at UPC
- ⑥ Isotriplet partners is even smaller
than that of T_{cc}^+



The production of the T_{cc}^+ in HIC

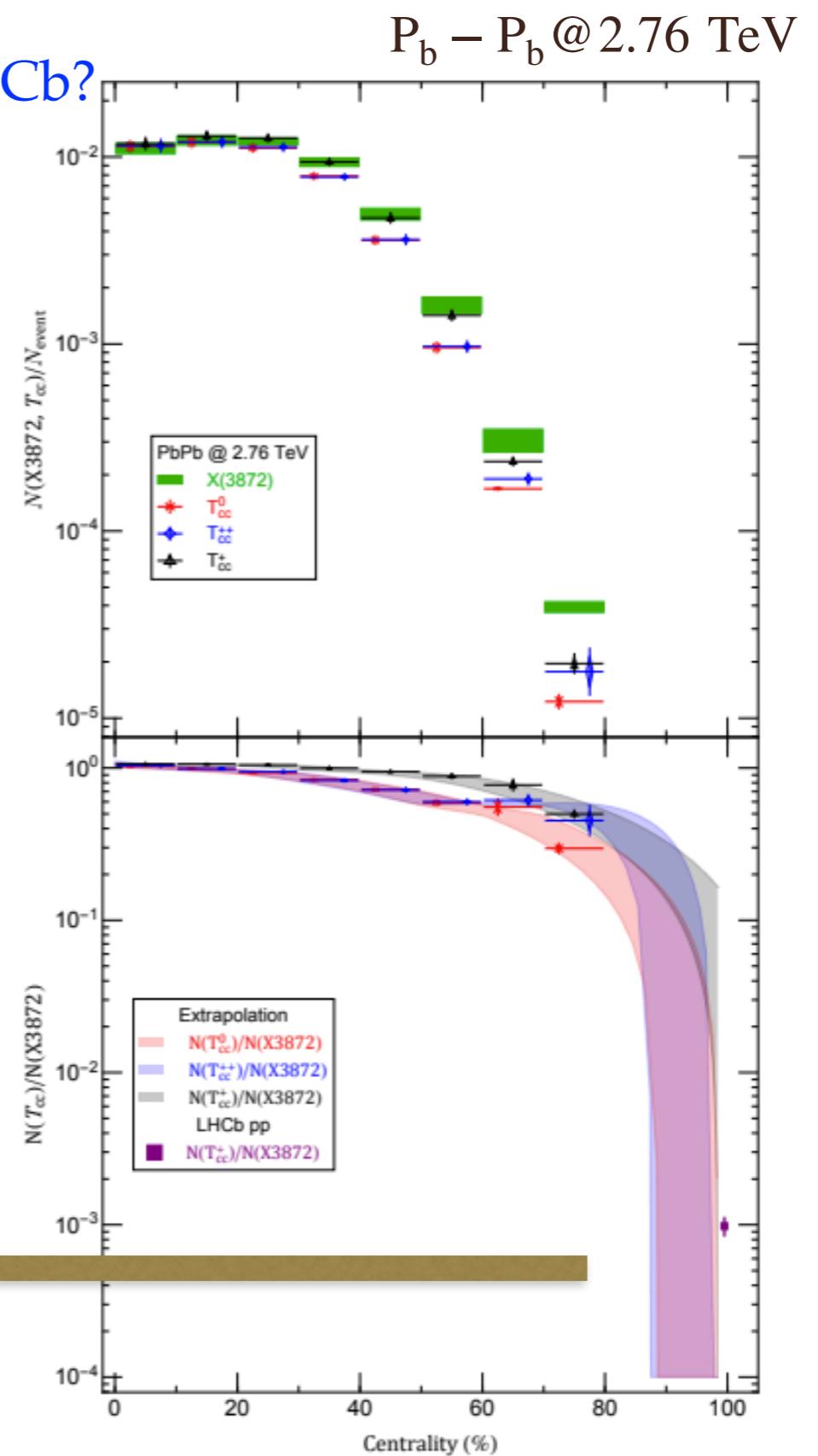
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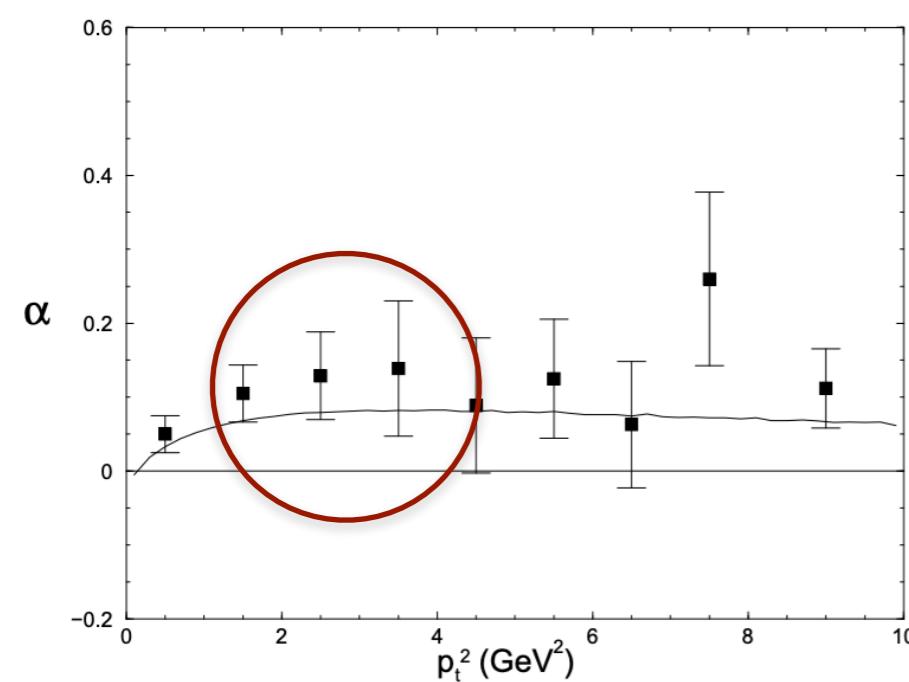
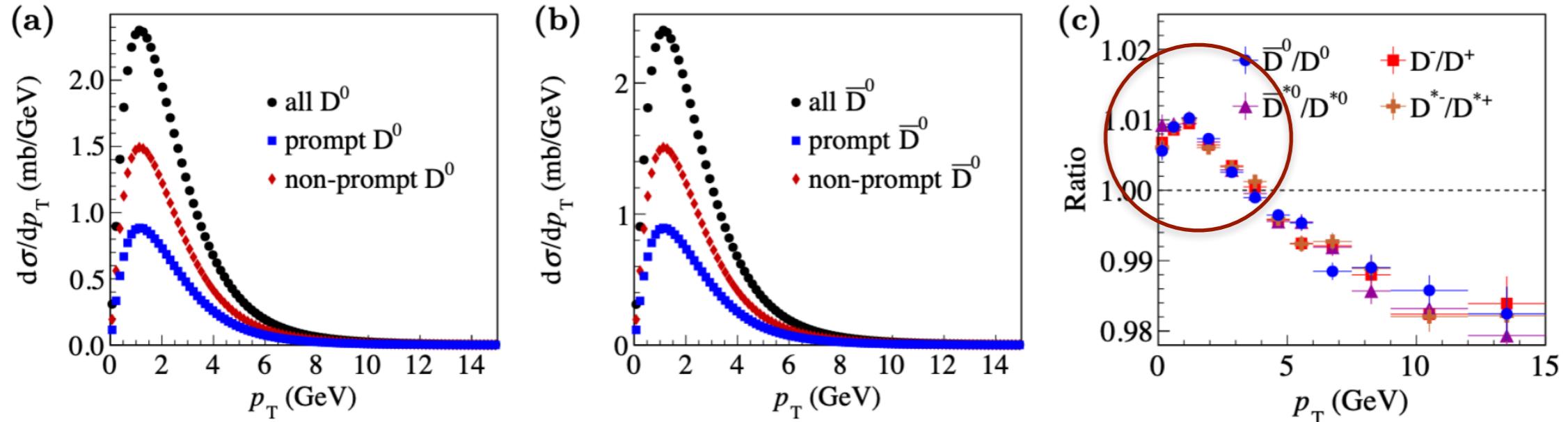
$$\frac{\#T_{cc}^+}{\#X(3872)}_{\text{Exp.}} \simeq 10^{-3}$$

$$\frac{\#T_{cc}^{++}}{\#X(3872)}_{\text{Theory}} \simeq 10^{-4}$$



Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision

The production of single charmed meson



Hua, Li, QW, Yang, Zhao, Zou, arXiv:2310.04258[hep-ph]



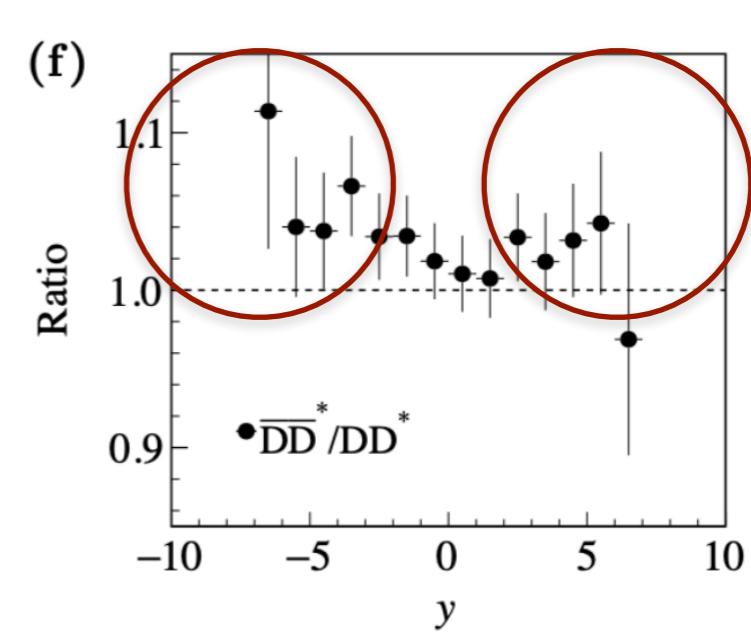
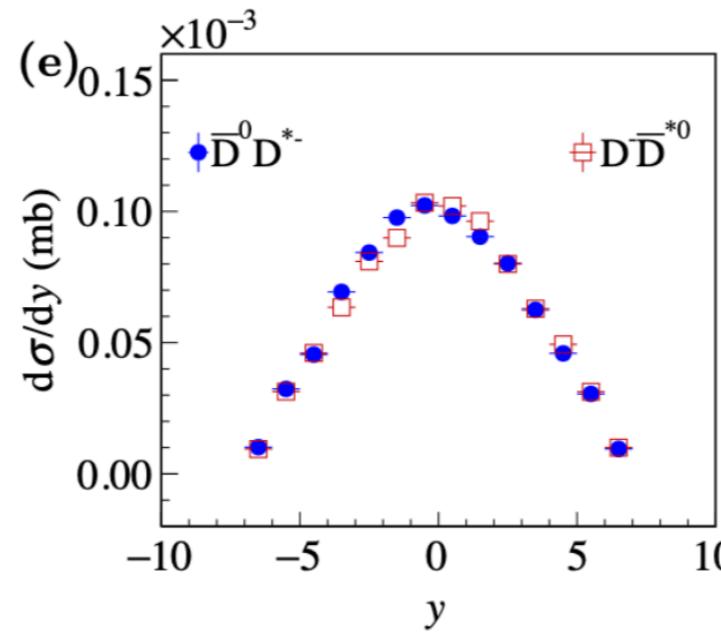
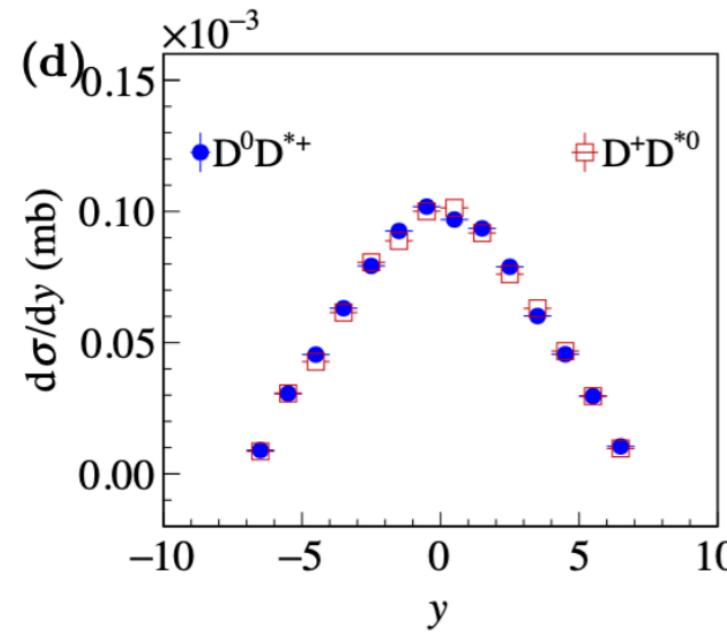
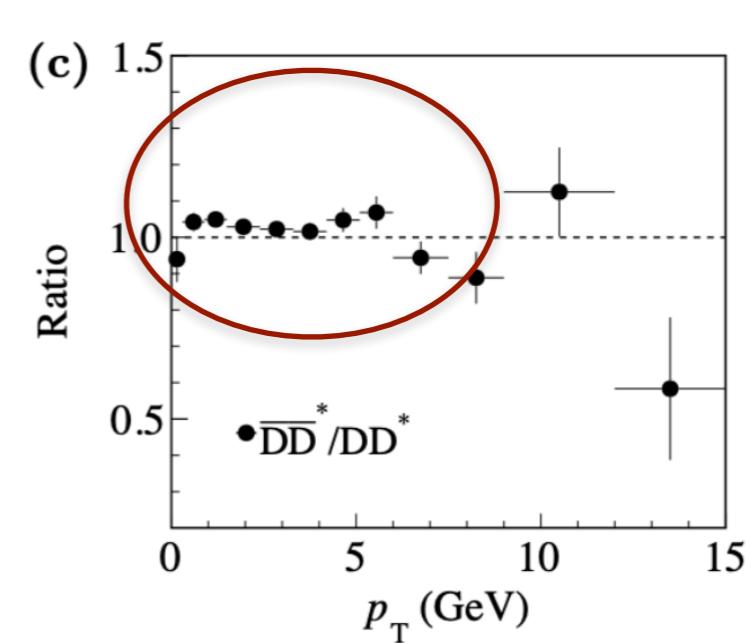
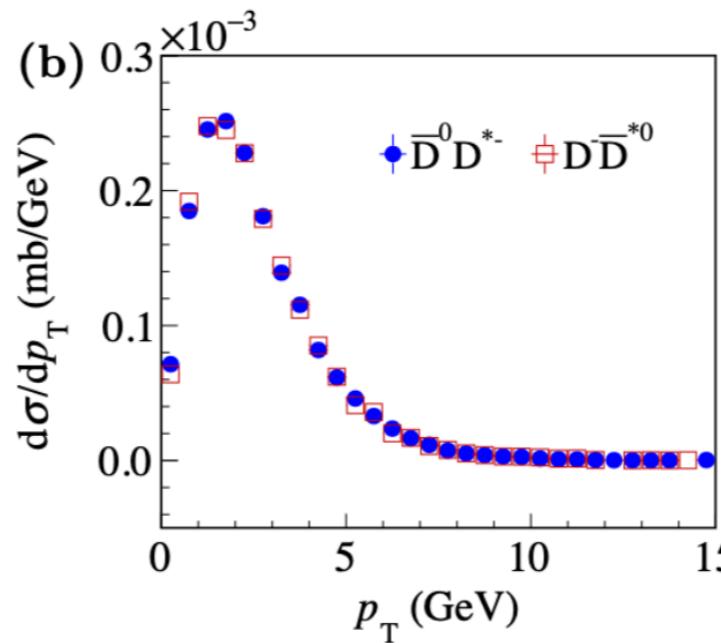
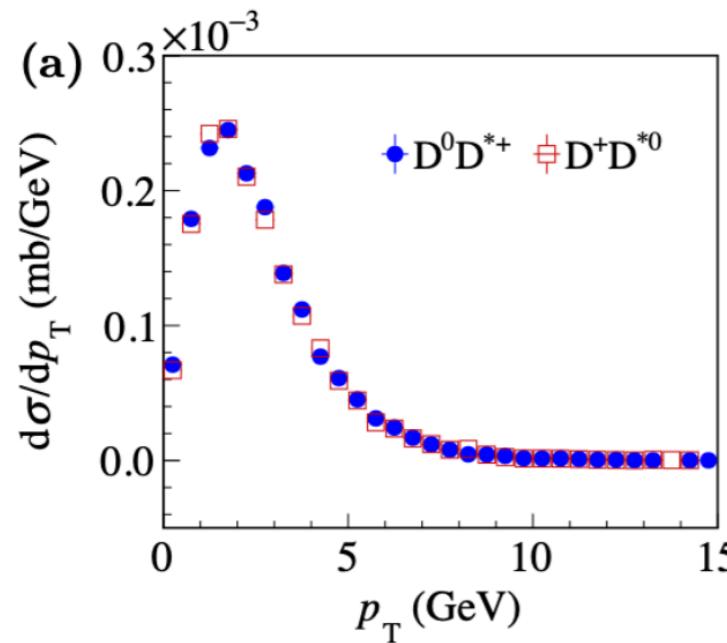
$$\alpha [D^+] = \frac{d\sigma [D^-] - d\sigma [D^+]}{d\sigma [D^-] + d\sigma [D^+]}$$

Heavy quark recombination mechanism

Braaten, Jia, Mehen, PRL89(2002)122002, Chang, Ma, Si, PRD68(2003)014018

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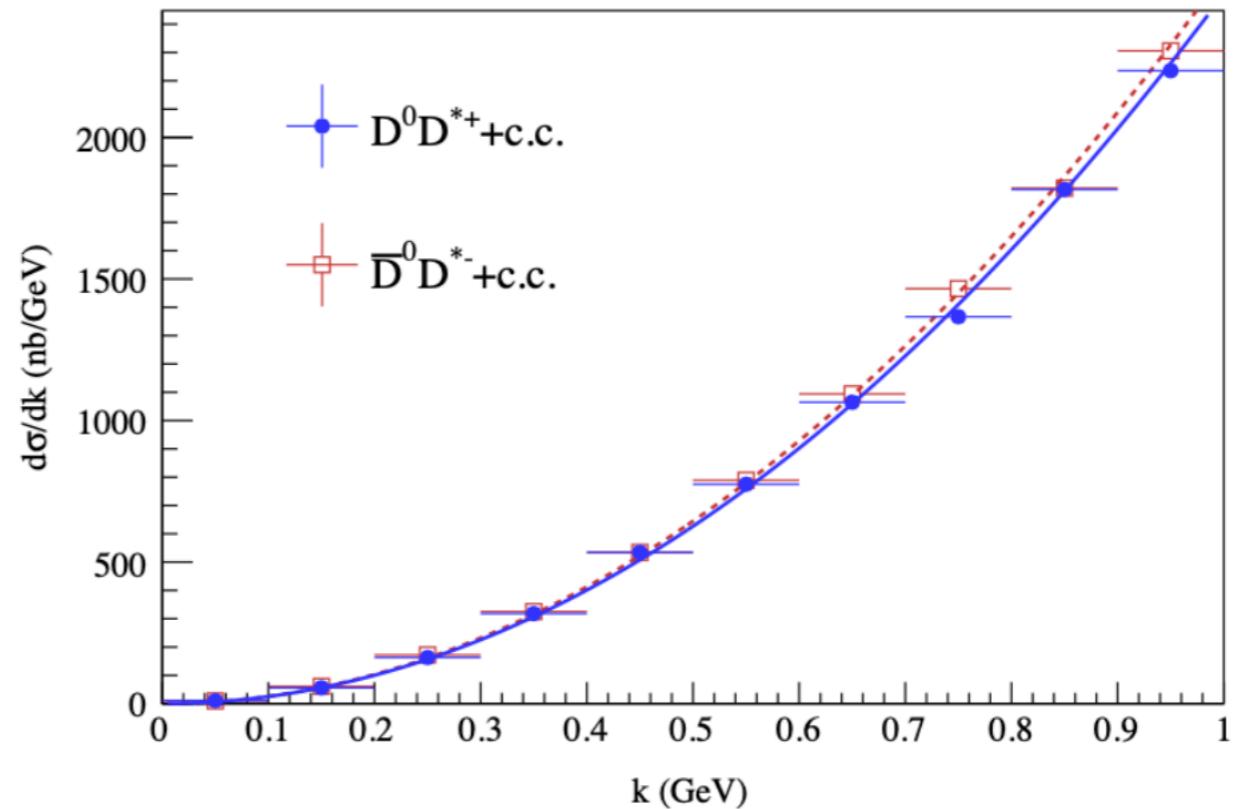
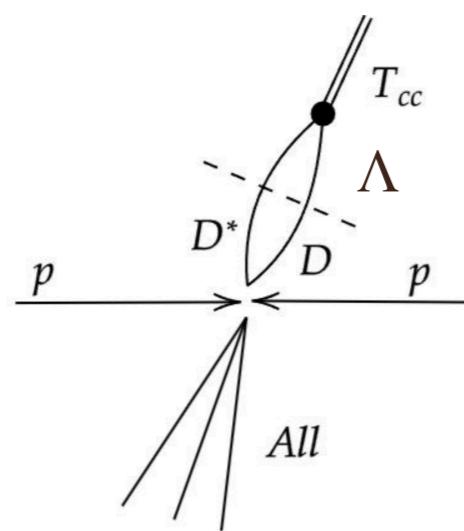
The production of prompt (anti)charmed meson pairs



Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision

The formation of hadronic double charm tetraquark

$$\sigma(T_{cc}) = \frac{1}{4m_D m_{D^*}} g^2 |\mathcal{G}|^2 \left(\frac{d\sigma(DD^*)}{dk} \right) \frac{4\pi^2 \mu}{k^2}$$



Successfully apply to

$X(3872)$: Guo et.al., EPJC74(2014)3063, Albaladejo et.al., CPC41(2017)121001, Yang et.al., CPC45(2021)123101,

Shi et.al., PRD106(2022)114026

$P_c s$: Ling et.al., EPJC81(2021)319

$Z_b s$: Cao et.al., PRD101(2020)074010

$D_{s0}(2317)$: Guo et.al., JHEP05(2014)138

- Differential cross section behaves as k^2
- Total cross section depends on Λ
- Propose a model independent quantity \mathcal{A}

Hua, Li, QW, Yang, Zhao, Zou, arXiv:2310.04258[hep-ph]

Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision

The cross sections and asymmetry in the molecular picture

$$\mathcal{A} \pm \delta_{sys} \pm \delta_{sta}$$

Range(GeV)	$\sigma_{T_{cc}^+}(\sigma_{T_{\bar{c}\bar{c}}^-})$	$\mathcal{A}(\%)$		
	$\Lambda = 0.5$ GeV	$\Lambda = 1$ GeV	$\Lambda = 1.5$ GeV	
Full	43.30 ± 0.70 nb (44.13 ± 0.71 nb)	152.42 ± 0.89 nb (156.81 ± 0.91 nb)	313.74 ± 1.03 nb (321.14 ± 1.04 nb)	$1.24 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.20$
$4 < p_T < 20$ [112]	1.46 ± 0.15 nb (1.45 ± 0.15 nb)	5.27 ± 0.20 nb (5.63 ± 0.20 nb)	11.46 ± 0.23 nb (11.87 ± 0.24 nb)	$2.53 \pm 2.01 \pm 1.79$
$p_T > 0$ [11]	8.26 ± 0.44 nb (8.69 ± 0.46 nb)	29.93 ± 0.57 nb (30.82 ± 0.58 nb)	62.28 ± 0.66 nb (64.30 ± 0.67 nb)	$1.64 \pm 1.03 \pm 0.52$
$10 < p_T < 50(30)$ [113]	0.05 ± 0.02 nb (0.03 ± 0.02 nb)	0.28 ± 0.04 nb (0.20 ± 0.03 nb)	0.55 ± 0.04 nb (0.44 ± 0.04 nb)	$-13.42 \pm 8.44 \pm 2.18$
$10 < p_T < 70$ [114]	0.03 ± 0.02 nb (0.03 ± 0.02 nb)	0.20 ± 0.03 nb (0.13 ± 0.03 nb)	0.38 ± 0.04 nb (0.28 ± 0.03 nb)	$-16.87 \pm 9.33 \pm 10.10$

$$\mathcal{A} \equiv \frac{\sigma^- - \sigma^+}{\sigma^- + \sigma^+}$$

$$\delta_{sta} \equiv \omega_1 \delta_1 + \omega_2 \delta_2 + \omega_3 \delta_3$$

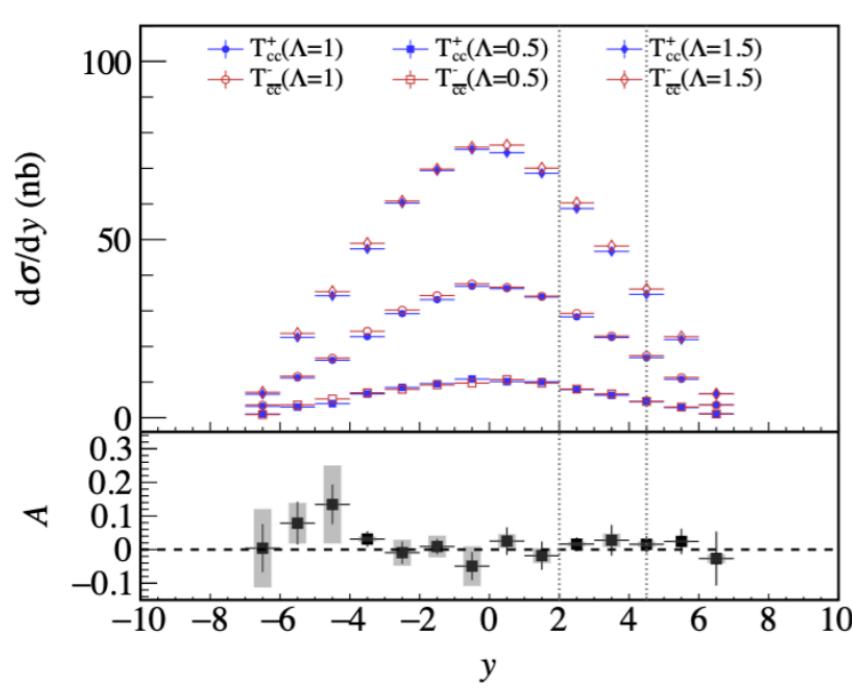
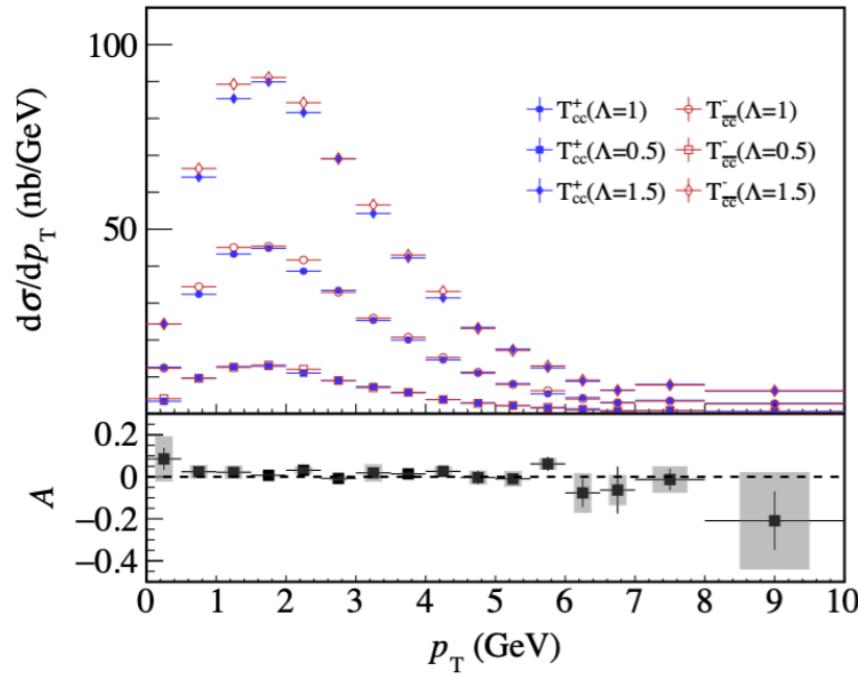
$$\mathcal{A} \equiv \omega_1 \mathcal{A}_1 + \omega_2 \mathcal{A}_2 + \omega_3 \mathcal{A}_3$$

$$\delta_{sys} \equiv \sqrt{\frac{\sum_i (\mathcal{A}_i - \mathcal{A})^2}{3}}$$

$$\omega_i = \frac{\frac{1}{\delta_i^2}}{\frac{1}{\delta_1^2} + \frac{1}{\delta_2^2} + \frac{1}{\delta_3^2}}$$

Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision

The p_T and y distributions in the molecular picture

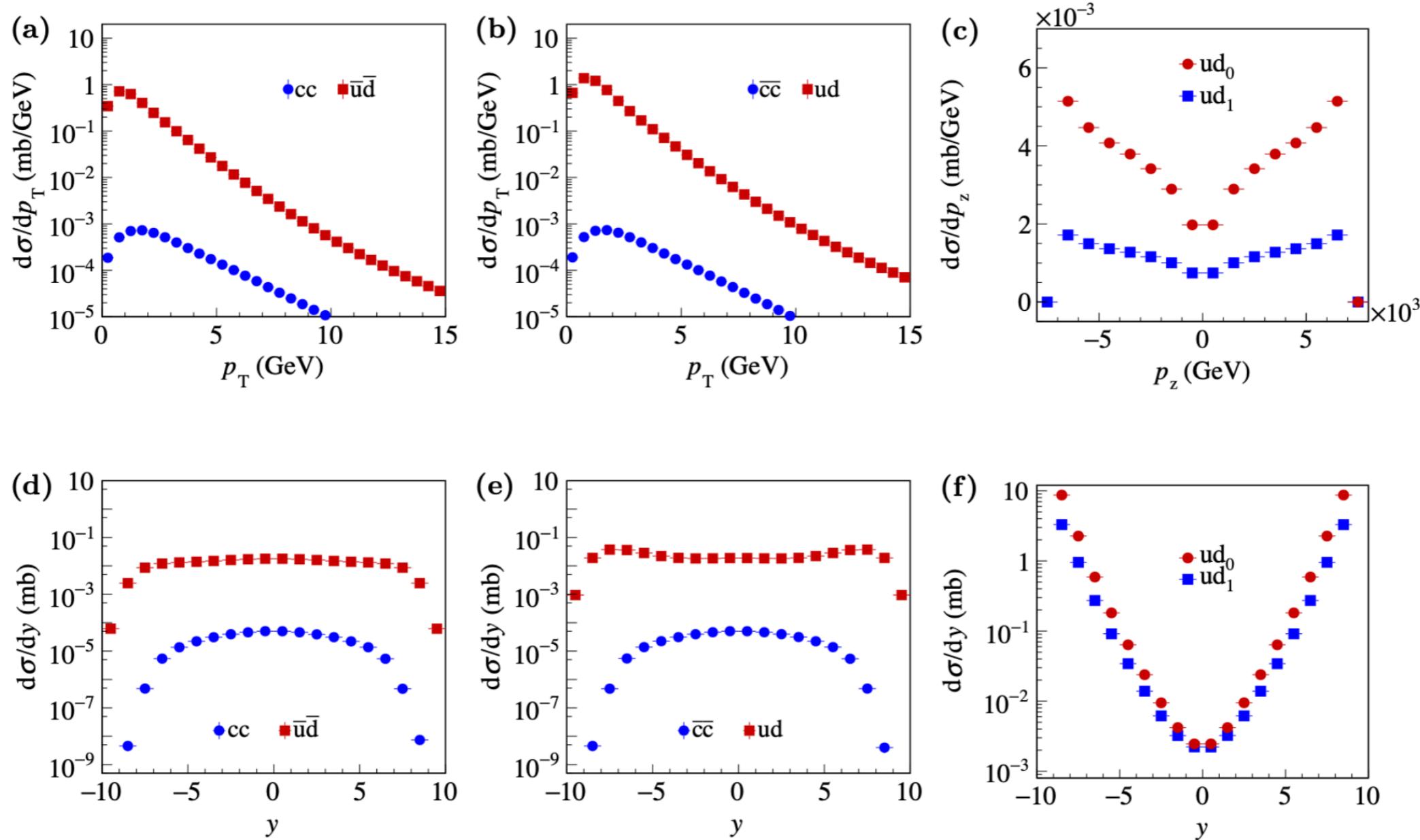


- Cross section increase with the increasing Λ
- Reach maximum value at $p_T = 2$ GeV
- Reach maximum value at $y = 0$
- The asymmetry is positive at low p_T
- The asymmetry is positive at large y
- Cross section depends on the parameter Λ

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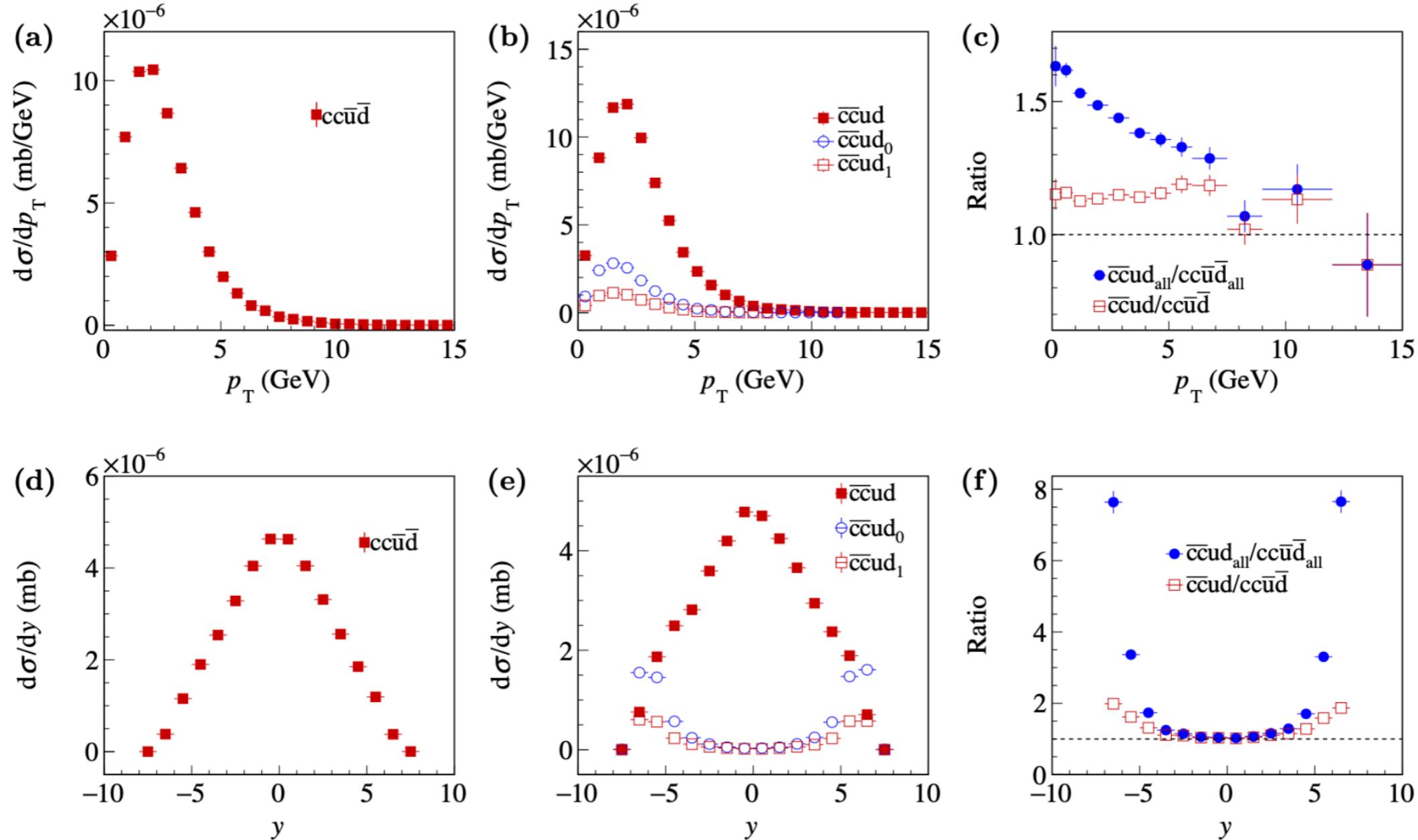
The diquark and antidiquark distributions



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The diquark-antidiquark pair distributions

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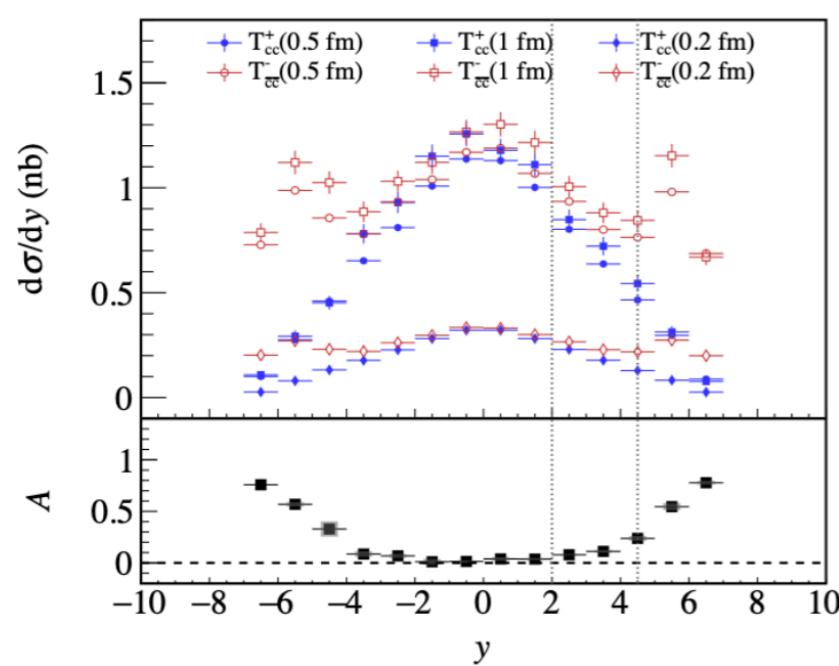
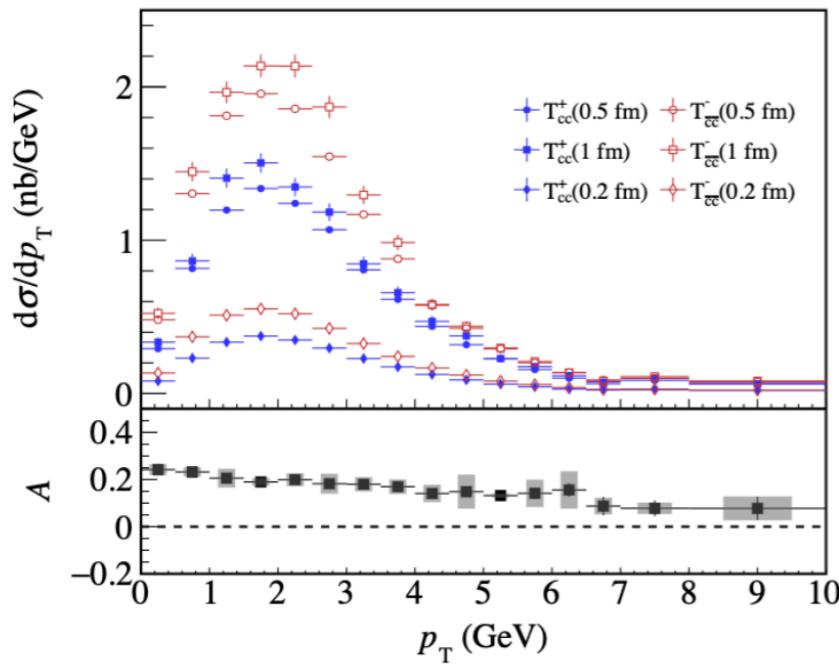
Gaussian Type

$$\phi(\vec{p}, a) = \left(\frac{1}{\pi}\right)^{\frac{3}{4}} \left(\frac{1}{a}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} e^{\frac{-p^2}{2a^2}}$$

Saturnian Type $\psi(\vec{p}, b) = 2\sqrt{2}\left(\frac{1}{\pi}\right)\left(\frac{1}{b}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{p^2}{b^2} + 1\right)^2}$

Revealing the nature of the T_{cc}^+ in pp collision

The p_T and y distributions in the compact tetraquark picture



- Cross section increases with the size
- Reach maximum value at $p_T = 2$ GeV
- Reach maximum value at $y = 0$ and $y = \pm 6$
- The asymmetry is positive at low p_T and large y
- The asymmetry is more significant
- The large difference region moves to smaller y with smaller c.m. energy

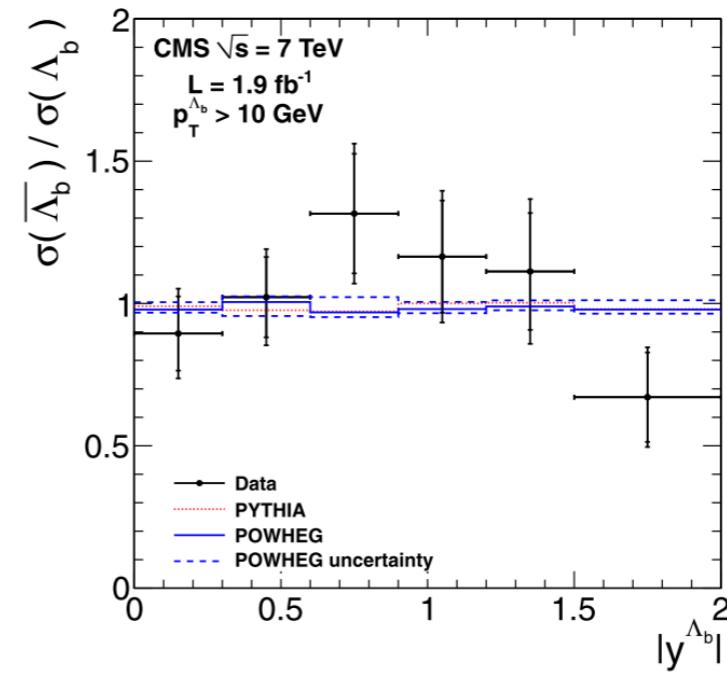
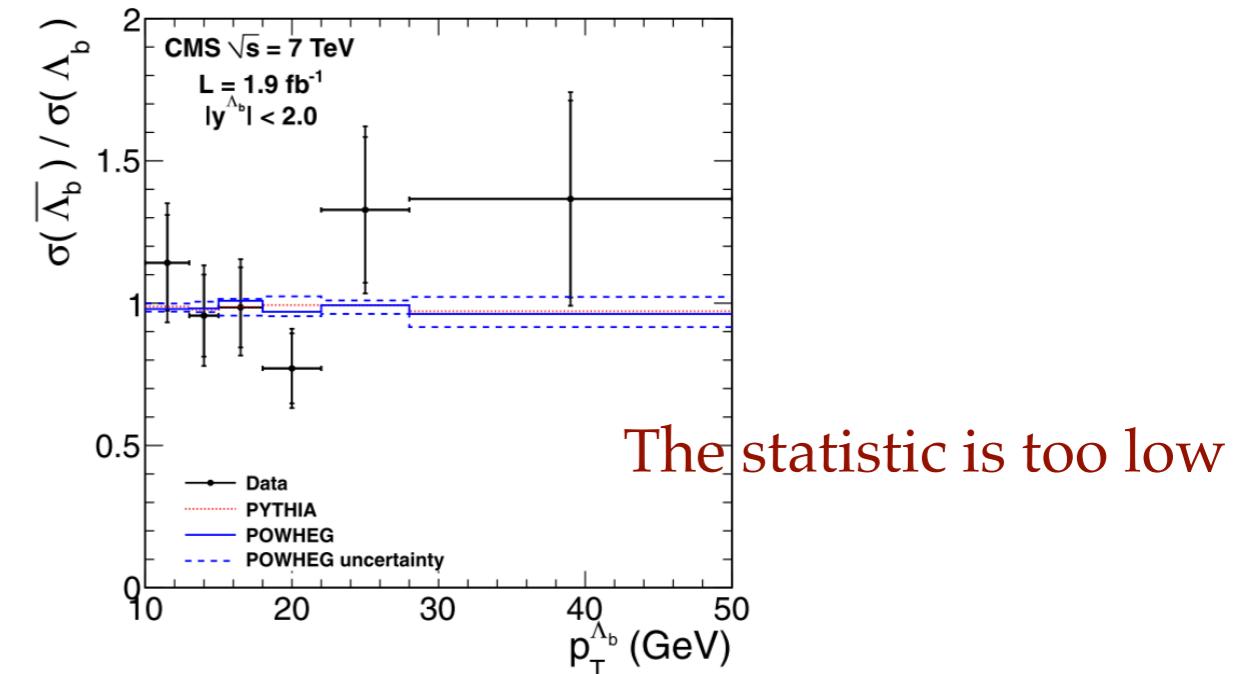
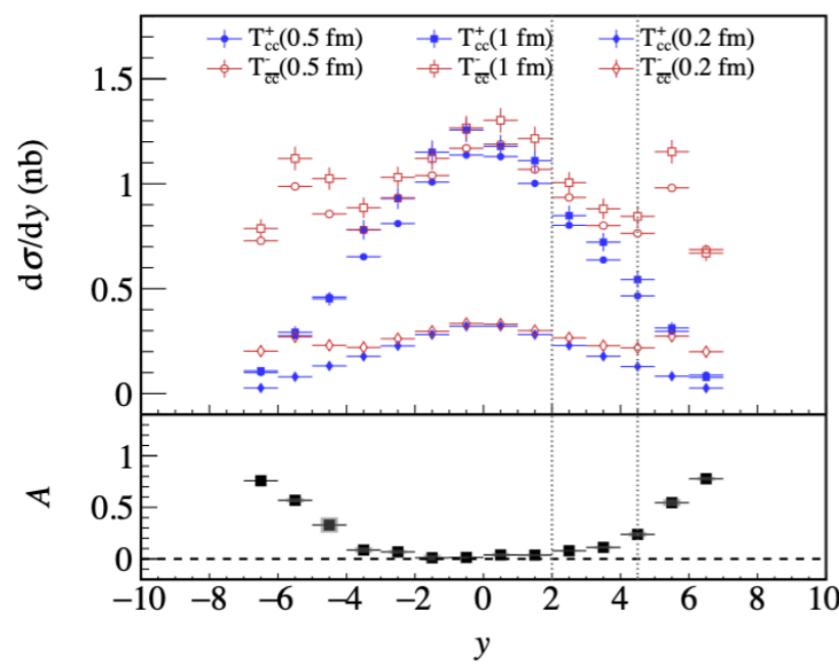
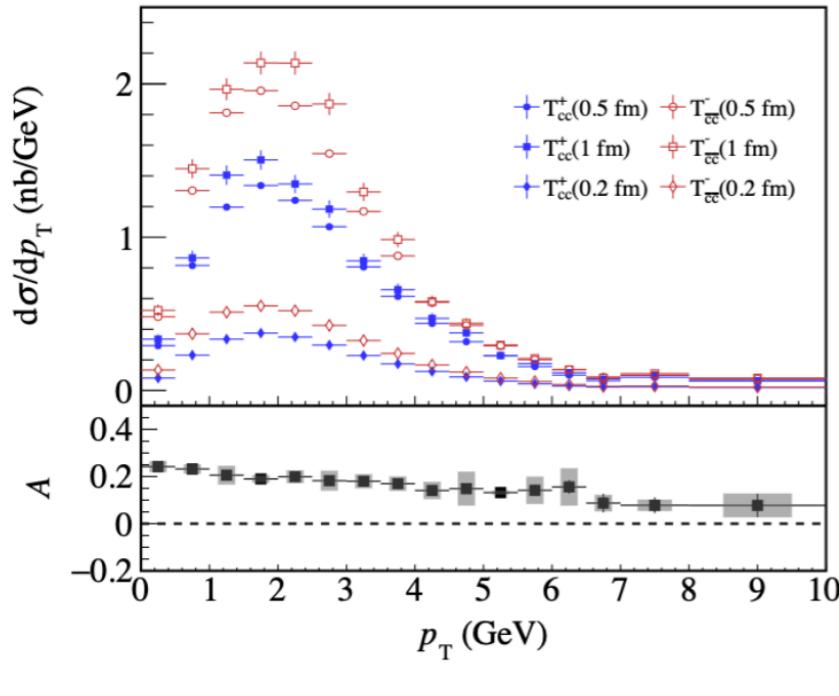
Heavy diquark symmetry



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The p_T and y distributions in the compact tetraquark picture



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The cross sections and asymmetry in the compact tetraquark picture

Gaussian Type+1GeV

Range(GeV)	$\sigma_{T_{cc}^+}(\sigma_{T_{\bar{c}\bar{c}}^-})$	$\mathcal{A}(\%)$		
	$r = 0.2$ fm	$r = 0.5$ fm	$r = 1$ fm	
Full	1.25 ± 0.005 nb (1.82 ± 0.01 nb)	4.43 ± 0.02 nb (6.46 ± 0.02 nb)	4.88 ± 0.02 nb (7.16 ± 0.02 nb)	$18.73 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.14$
LHCb ($2 < y < 4.5$)				
$4 < p_T < 20$ [112]	39.75 ± 0.89 pb (50.57 ± 1.00 pb)	139.88 ± 3.11 pb (171.16 ± 3.38 pb)	163.77 ± 3.65 pb (163.83 ± 3.23 pb)	$7.35 \pm 1.48 \pm 5.24$
$p_T > 0$ [11]	0.24 ± 0.002 nb (0.30 ± 0.002 nb)	0.84 ± 0.01 nb (1.05 ± 0.01 nb)	0.91 ± 0.01 nb (1.14 ± 0.01 nb)	$11.42 \pm 0.60 \pm 0.17$
CMS ($ y < 1.2$)				
$10 < p_T < 50(30)$ [113]	3.77 ± 0.51 pb (1.09 ± 0.15 pb)	4.73 ± 0.56 pb (3.77 ± 0.51 pb)	4.51 ± 0.53 pb (4.94 ± 0.67 pb)	$-6.62 \pm 8.86 \pm 7.96$
ATLAS ($ y < 0.75$)				
$10 < p_T < 70$ [114]	0.92 ± 0.14 pb (0.69 ± 0.12 pb)	3.15 ± 0.46 pb (2.83 ± 0.49 pb)	3.11 ± 0.46 pb (4.88 ± 0.84 pb)	$0.98 \pm 11.04 \pm 15.37$

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The stability of asymmetry

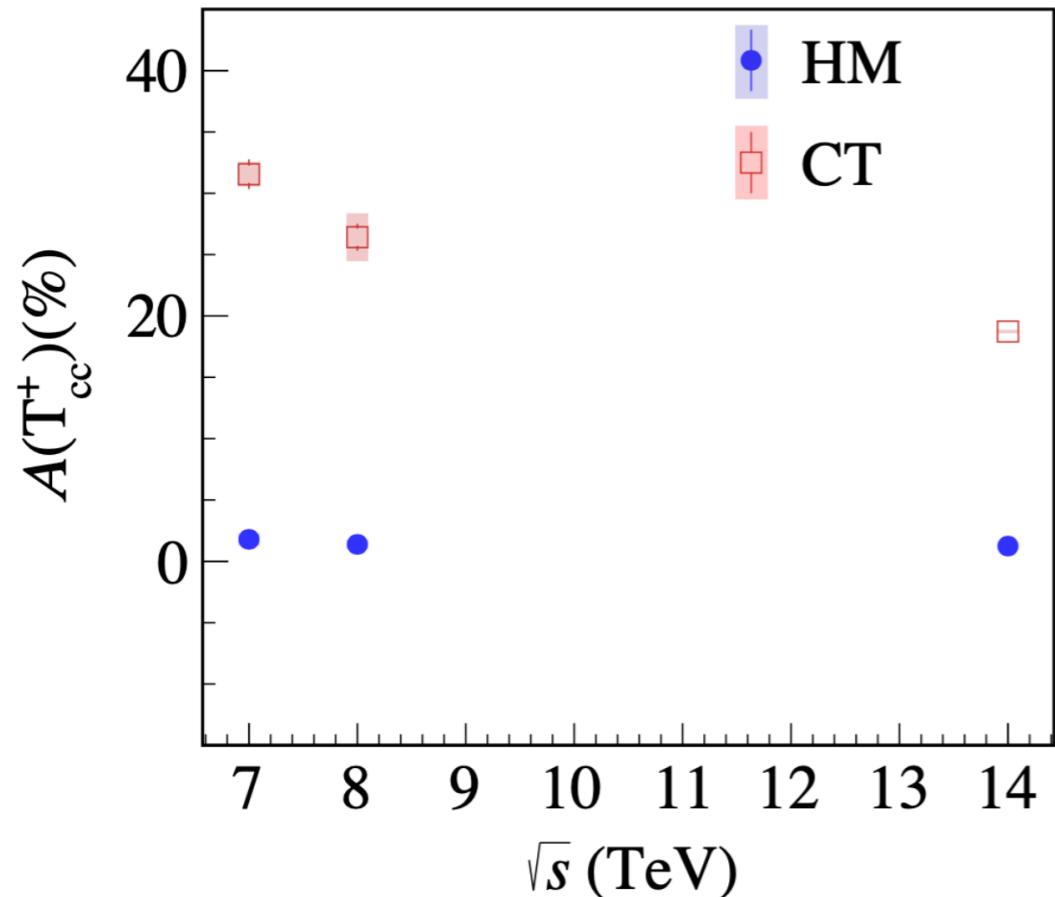
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\mathcal{A} (%)	Gaussian 1GeV	Gaussian 0.5GeV	Saturnian 1GeV
Full	$18.73 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.14$	$18.71 \pm 0.67 \pm 0.17$	$18.70 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.08$
$4 < pT < 20 \text{ GeV}$	$7.35 \pm 1.48 \pm 5.24$	$3.53 \pm 4.15 \pm 2.99$	$6.71 \pm 1.48 \pm 5.17$
$pT > 0 \text{ GeV}$	$11.42 \pm 0.60 \pm 0.17$	$10.65 \pm 1.64 \pm 0.42$	$11.38 \pm 0.60 \pm 0.16$

- The asymmetry is stable, i.e. the three asymmetries are consistent with each other with uncertainties
- The LHCb acceptance region has the ability to measure the asymmetry

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The asymmetries at three different c.m. energies



- Both asymmetries are positive
- The asymmetry of compact tetraquark is larger than that of hadronic molecule
- The asymmetry decrease with the increasing c.m. energy



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Summary and outlook

- Explore the hadronic molecular nature of the T_{cc}^+ via its line shape
- In the DD^* molecular picture, estimate the yield of T_{cc}^+ and its isospin partners in $Pb - Pb$ @ 2.76 TeV.
- Propose asymmetry for distinguishing HM and CT pictures



UPC or HIC?

- Whether it is possible to measure the T_{cc}^+ in HIC or UPC?
- We would naively expect that the asymmetry would decrease with the increasing impact parameter b

Thank you very much for your attention!