

Heavy Exotic production in Heavy Ion Collisions

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Will discuss the structure of $X(3872)$ and $T_{cc} (D^0 D^0 \pi^+)$ and why it is interesting to measure Exotics in Heavy Ion Collision

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Exotics – some example

1. Tetraquark states

Tetraquark Belle	Mass	Quark content	$\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$	$D^- D^{*+}$
X(3872)	3871.65	$(q\bar{q})(c\bar{c})$	3871.69	3879.92

Tetraquark LHCb	Mass $(u\bar{d})(c\bar{c})$	Quark content	$D^+ D^{*0}$	$\bar{D}^0 D^{*+}$	Observed mode
Tcc	3875	$(\bar{u}\bar{d})(cc)$	3876.51	3875.26	$\bar{D}^0 D^0 \pi^+$

Tetraquark LHCb, BES?	Mass +i(width)	Quark content	$\bar{D}^0 D_s^{*+}$	$\bar{D}^{0*} D_s^+$	Observed mode
Zcs(4000)	4003+i(131)	$(u\bar{d})(c\bar{c})$	3977	3978	$J / \psi K^+$

Tetraquark D0	Mass	Quark content	$B_s^0 \pi^\pm$	$B^0 K^+$	Observed mode
X(5568)	5568+i(21.9)	$(bu)(\bar{d}\bar{s})$	5506.49	5773	$B_s^0 \pi^\pm$

2. Pentaquarks: Pc ...

We know quark model explains the ground state meson and baryon masses well

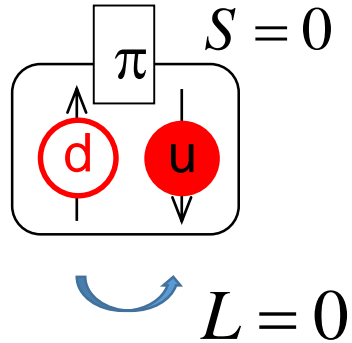
Hence, states involving similar sizes should could be understood from the quark model

What does quark model tell us about compact (typical hadrons size) multiquark states

Ground state Mesons

$$J^P = 0^-$$

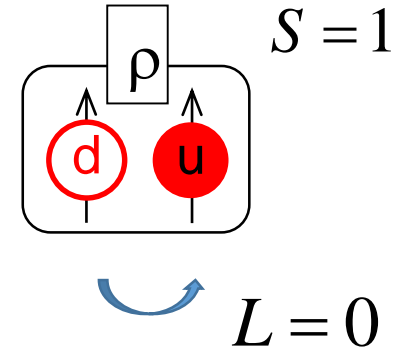
$$m_{\pi}^0 = 135 \text{ MeV}$$



$$J^P = (s + L)^{(-1)^{L+1}} \xrightarrow{\text{Ground states } L=0} (s)^{-1}$$

$$J^P = 1^-$$

$$m_{\rho}^0 = 775 \text{ MeV}$$

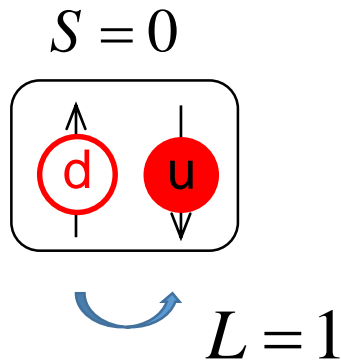


P-wave Mesons

$$J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$$

$$m_{h_1}^{I=0} = 1166 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{b_1}^{I=1} = 1229 \text{ MeV}$$

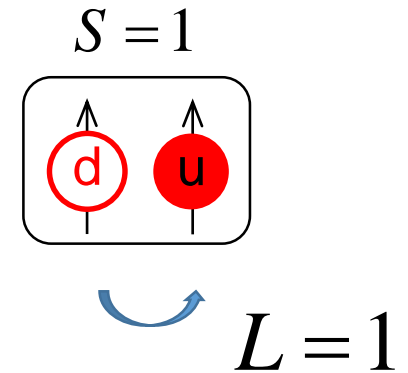


$$P = (-1)^{L+1}, \quad C = (-1)^{L+S}$$

$$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$$

$$m_{a_0}^{I=0} = 980 \text{ MeV}$$

$$m_{f_0}^{I=1} = 980 \text{ MeV}$$



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 $m_{f_0}^{I=1} = 980 \text{ MeV}$

$S = 1$
 $L = 1$

or

$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$
 $m_{a_0}^{I=0} = 980 \text{ MeV}$
 $m_{f_0}^{I=1} = 980 \text{ MeV}$
 Mass of 2 diquarks

$S = L = 0$

compact multiquark

$J^{PC} = 0^{++}$
 $m_{a_0}^{I=0} = 980 \text{ MeV}$
 $m_{f_0}^{I=1} = 980 \text{ MeV}$
 Mass of 2 Kaon

K^0
 K^+

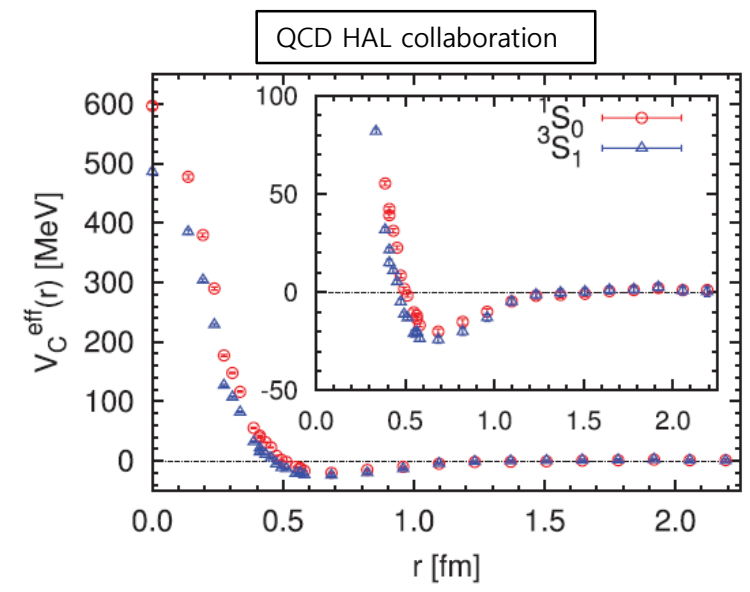
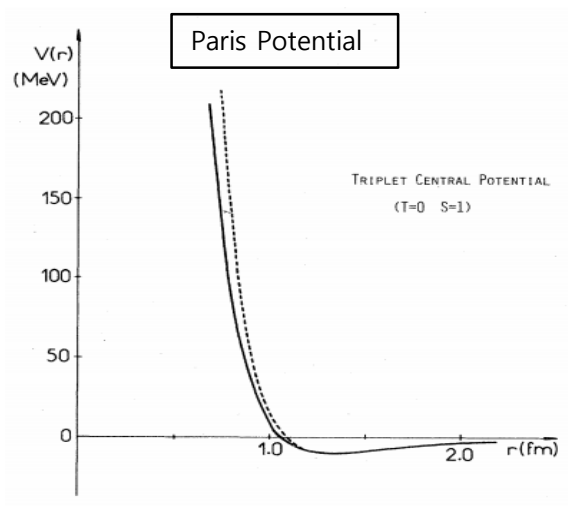
Loosely bound molecule

ALICE measured f_0

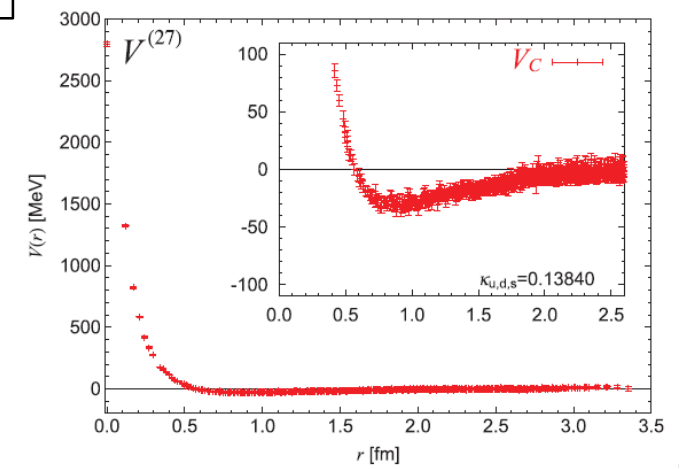
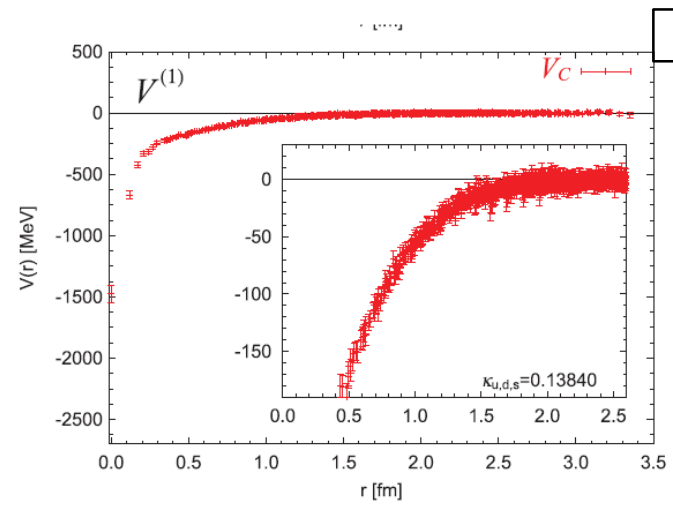
Where is the compact Exotics:
Perspectives from a quark model

There are attractive channels

1. Nucleon-Nucleon potential at (I=0, S=1)



2. There are attractive channels in $SU(N_F)$ when $N_F \geq 3$

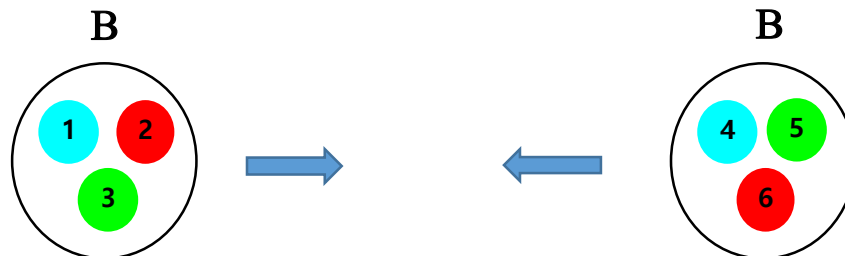


$$H = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\underline{m_i + \frac{p_i^2}{2m_i}} \right) - \sum_{i < j}^n (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c) V_{ij}^C (r_{ij}) - \sum_{i < j}^n \frac{(\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)(\sigma_i \sigma_j)}{m_i m_j} V_{ij}^{SS} (r_{ij})$$

$$m_q = 300 \text{ MeV}, \quad m_s = 500 \text{ MeV}, \quad m_c = 1500 \text{ MeV}.$$

☞ When brought together need to overcome **Additional Kinetic energy**

$$\frac{p_{BB}^2}{2\mu_{BB}} \approx \frac{1}{2\mu_{BB}} \frac{1}{(0.6\text{fm})^2} \sim 100\text{MeV}$$



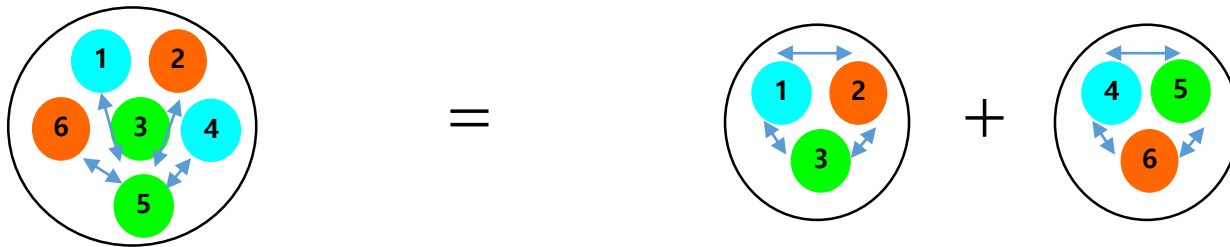
→ To have a compact configuration, short range attraction should be larger than 100 MeV

$$H = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(m_i + \frac{p_i^2}{2m_i} \right) - \sum_{i<j}^n \underline{(\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)} V_{ij}^C (r_{ij}) - \sum_{i<j}^n \frac{(\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)(\sigma_i \sigma_j)}{m_i m_j} V_{ij}^{SS} (r_{ij})$$

☞ **Color-Color** interaction is not important for short range N-N interaction

$$\sum_{i<j}^N (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c) = \frac{1}{2} \left[(\lambda_1^c + \dots + \lambda_N^c)^2 - \lambda_1^2 - \dots - \lambda_N^2 \right] \quad N = N_{B_1} + N_{B_2}$$

$$= 0 - \frac{8}{3} (N_{B_1} + N_{B_2}) = \sum_{i<j}^{N_{B_1}} (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c) + \sum_{i<j}^{N_{B_2}} (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)$$



$$H = \sum_{i=1}^n \left(m_i + \frac{p_i^2}{2m_i} \right) - \sum_{i<j}^n (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c) V_{ij}^C (r_{ij}) - \sum_{i<j}^n \frac{(\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)(\sigma_i \sigma_j)}{m_i m_j} V_{ij}^{SS} (r_{ij})$$

Color-spin interaction for 2 body:

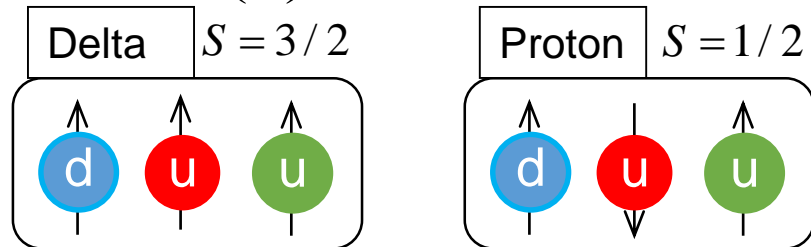
	Q-Q				Q-Q̄			
Color	A	S	A	S	1	8	1	8
Flavor	A	A	S	S				
Spin	A(0)	S(1)	S(1)	A(0)	0	0	1	1
<i>K</i>	-8	-4/3	8/3	4	-16	2	16/3	-2/3

$$K = - \sum_{i<j}^N (\lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c)(\sigma_i^s \sigma_j^s) \longrightarrow$$

$K < 0$ attraction; $K > 0$ repulsion

$M_\Delta - M_P \approx 290 \text{ MeV} \rightarrow K \text{ factors } 3 \times \left(\frac{8}{3} \right) - (-8) = 16$

K factor of 1 \rightarrow 18 MeV

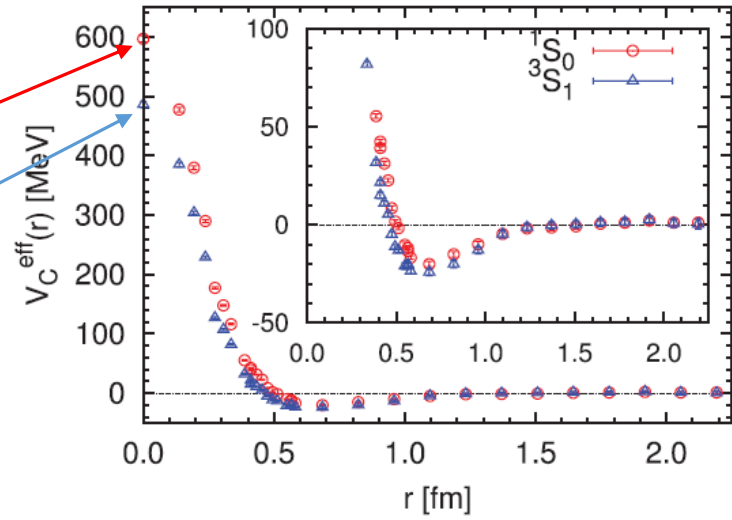


👉 NN force in SU(2) spin 1 vs spin 0 channel: comparison to lattice

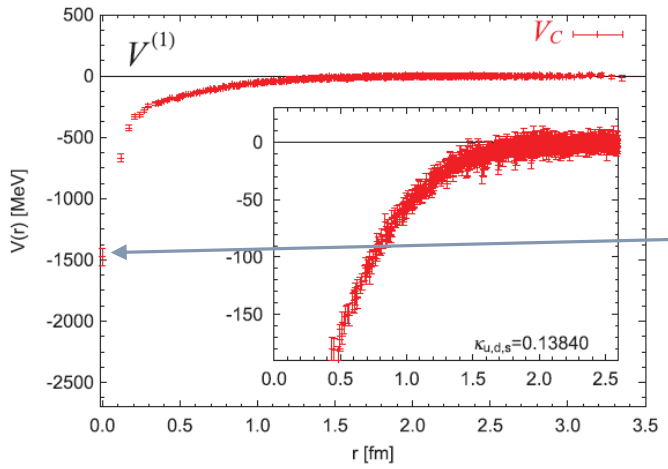
$$K_{2-N} = K_{6-quark} - (K_{1N} + K_{1N})$$

$$\frac{K_{2-N}^{S=0}}{K_{2-N}^{S=1}} = 1.29 \rightarrow \text{comparison}$$

QCD HAL collaboration

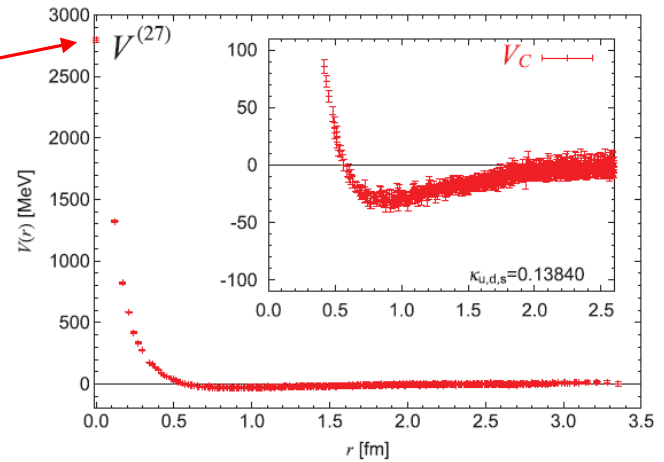


👉 H dibaryon channel: Flavor 1 vs Flavor 27



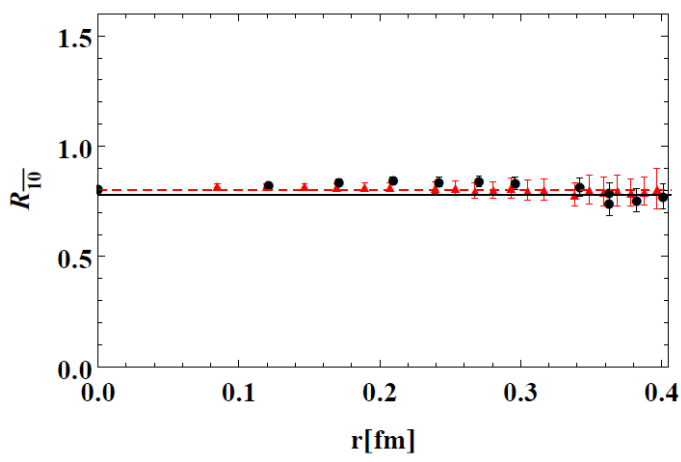
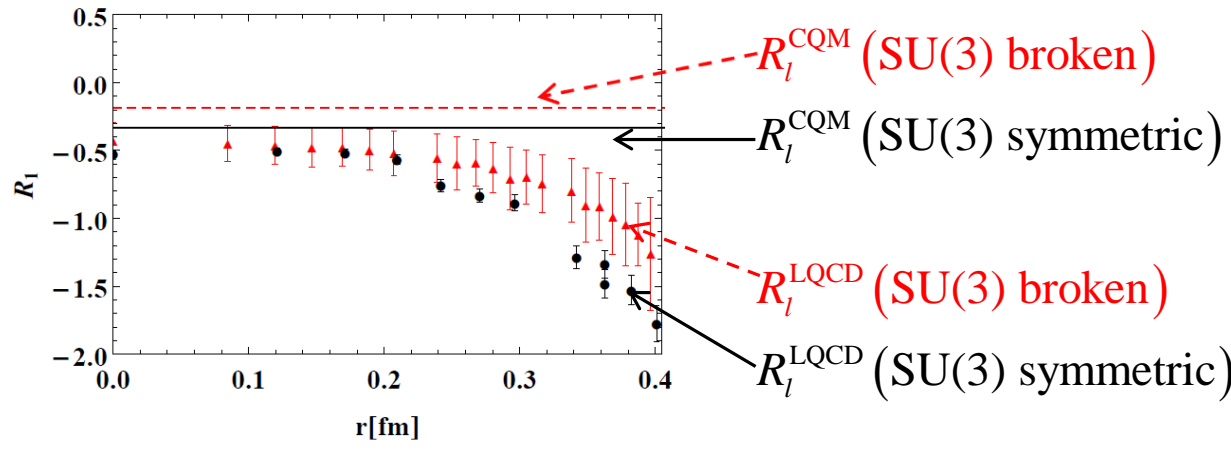
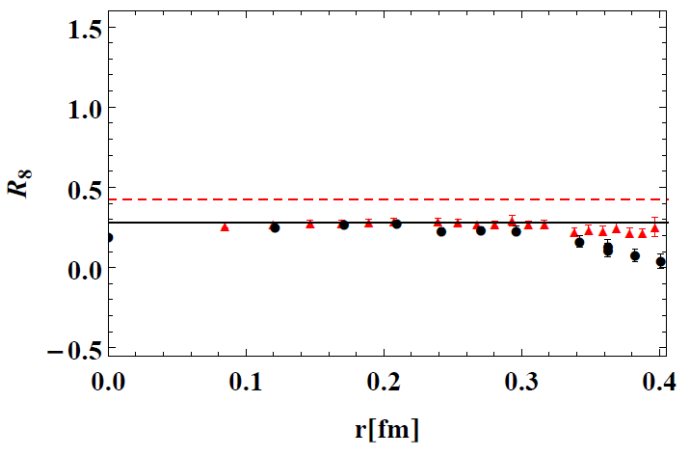
$$\frac{K_{2-N}^{F=27}}{K_{2-N}^{F=1}} = -3$$

(HAL QCD Collaboration)



👉 Comparison to Lattice calculation

$$R_l^{CQM} = \frac{V_{CQM}(F_l)}{V_{CQM}(F_{27})} \quad \text{vs} \quad R_l^{LQC}(r) = \frac{V_{LQCD}(F_l)}{V_{LQCD}(F_{27})}$$



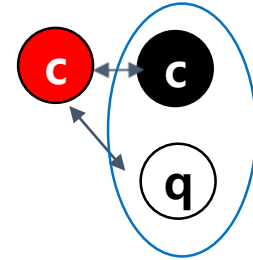
Note $R_l^{CQM}(\text{SU}(3) \text{ symmetric}) = \frac{K_{2-N}^{F=l}}{K_{2-N}^{F=27}}$

In fact, the K factors are good enough

Why heavy quarks are needed for compact Exotics:

☞ Coulomb interaction

$$H_{cc} = \dots + \lambda_i^c \lambda_j^c \left(\frac{g}{r_{ij}} \right) + \dots \quad r \approx \frac{1}{mg^2}, \quad E_C \approx -mg^4$$



☞ Color-Color interaction between c and color singlet $c\bar{q}$

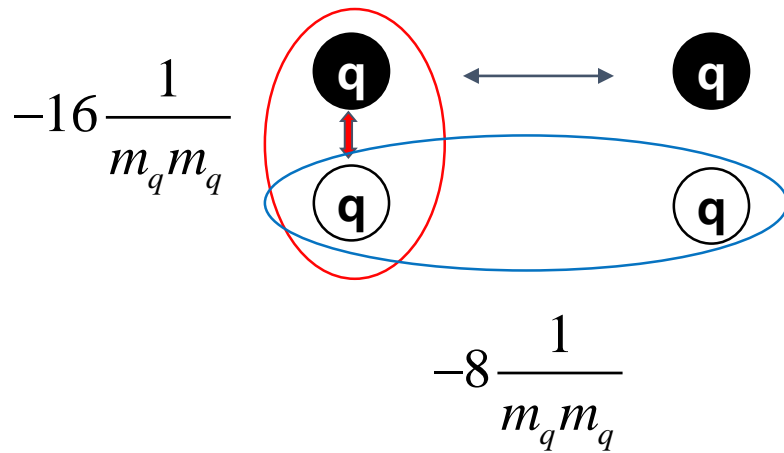
if the color state of cc is attractive, $\lambda_c^a (\lambda_c^a) < 0$, then since $r_{cc} < r_{cq}$, there will be attraction

$$H_{cc} + H_{c\bar{q}} = \dots \lambda_c^a \left(\lambda_c^a \frac{g}{r_{cc}} + \lambda_q^a \frac{g}{r_{cq}} \right) < 0$$

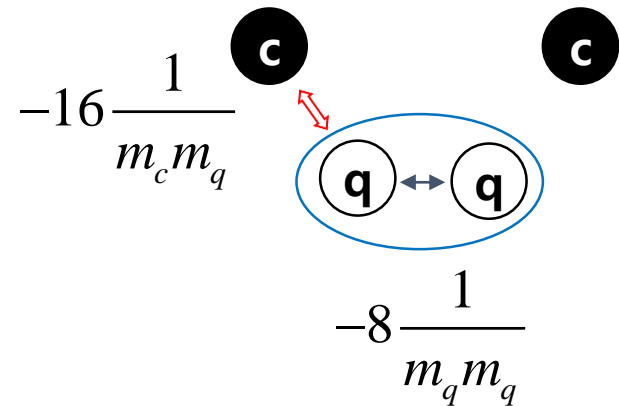
Mass effect in Color-Spin interaction: Example Tcc (Ballot, Richard 83)

	$Q-Q$				$Q-\bar{Q}$			
Color	A	S	A	S	1	8	1	8
Flavor	A	A	S	S				
Spin	A(0)	S(1)	S(1)	A(0)	0	0	1	1
K	-8	-4/3	8/3	4	-16	2	16/3	-2/3

Fall apart into two mesons



When heavy quarks, could be compact

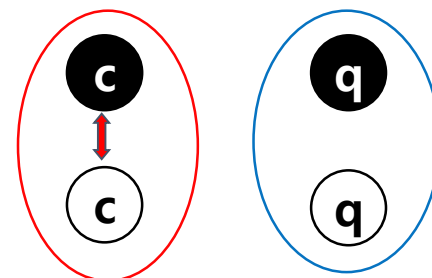


Indeed many heavy exotics were found
But still not clear about their structure
Compact multiquarks or loosely bound molecules

Will Look at X(3872) and Tcc(3875)

Can they be compact?

Dominant ($C = \text{color}, S = \text{spin}$) state?



Color-spin (K factor)

$$I^G(J^{PC}) = 0^+(1^{++})$$

$$(c\bar{c}) \otimes (q\bar{q})$$

$\sim +140 \text{ MeV}$

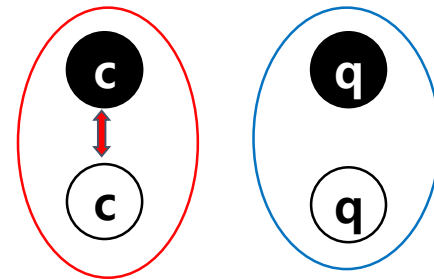
$$K_{X(3872)} - K_D - K_{D^*} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{16}{3} \frac{1}{m_c^2} + \frac{16}{3} \frac{1}{m_q^2} + \frac{32}{3} \frac{1}{m_c m_q} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{m_c^2} - \frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{m_q^2} - \frac{4}{3} \frac{1}{m_c m_q} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} (1,1) \otimes (1,1) \\ (8,1) \otimes (8,1) \end{matrix}$$

$\sim -20 \text{ MeV}$

Hence X(3872) could be in $\begin{cases} (c\bar{c}) \rightarrow (C = 8, S = 1) \\ (q\bar{q}) \rightarrow (C = 8, S = 1) \end{cases}$

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$$H_{cc} = \lambda_c^a \left(\lambda_c^a \frac{g}{r_{cc}} \right) ?$$



Color-Color

$$\lambda_c^a (\lambda_c^a) = \frac{1}{2} \left[(\lambda_c^a + \lambda_c^a)^2 - \lambda_c^2 - (\lambda_c^a)^2 \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \lambda^2 = C = \frac{1}{3} (p^2 + q^2 + pq + 3(p+q)) \quad C(p=1, q=1) = 3, \quad C_f(p=1, q=0) = \frac{4}{3}$$

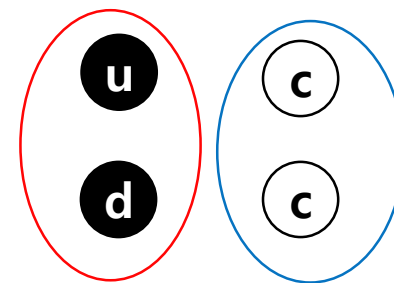
If cc is in $(C=8, S=1)$

$$\lambda_c^a (\lambda_c^a) = \frac{4}{2} \left[3 - 2 \frac{4}{3} \right] = \frac{2}{3} > 0$$

No additional attraction from color-color interaction

→ X(3872) can not be compact multiquark state

Dominant ($C = \text{color}, S = \text{spin}$) state?



Color-spin (K factor)

$$I^G (J^P) = 0^+ (1^+)$$

$$(ud) \otimes (\bar{c}\bar{c})$$

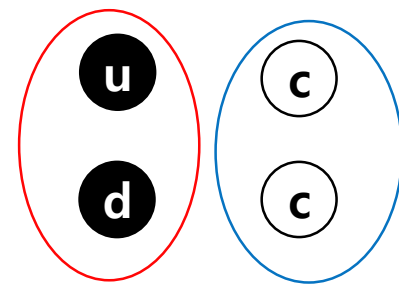
$\curvearrowright \sim -100 \text{ MeV}$

$$K_{T_{cc}(3875)} - K_D - K_{D^*} = \begin{pmatrix} \boxed{-8 \frac{1}{m_q^2} + \frac{8}{3} \frac{1}{m_c^2} + \frac{32}{3} \frac{1}{m_c m_q}} & -8\sqrt{2} \frac{1}{m_c m_q} \\ -8\sqrt{2} \frac{1}{m_c m_q} & \boxed{-\frac{4}{3} \frac{1}{m_q^2} + 4 \frac{1}{m_c^2} + \frac{32}{3} \frac{1}{m_c m_q}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} (\bar{3}, 0) \otimes (3, 1) \\ (6, 1) \otimes (\bar{6}, 0) \end{matrix}$$

$\curvearrowright \sim +17 \text{ MeV}$

Hence Tcc(3875) could be in $\begin{cases} (ud) \rightarrow (C = \bar{3}, S = 0) \\ (\bar{c}\bar{c}) \rightarrow (C = 3, S = 1) \end{cases}$

$$T_{cc}(3875) \begin{cases} (ud) \rightarrow (C = \bar{3}, S = 0) \\ (\bar{c}\bar{c}) \rightarrow (C = 3, S = 1) \end{cases} \quad H_{cc} = \lambda_c^a \left(\lambda_c^a \frac{g}{r_{cc}} \right) ?$$



Color-Color

$$\lambda_c^a(\lambda_c^a) = \frac{1}{2} \left[(\lambda_c^a + \lambda_c^a)^2 - \lambda_c^2 - (\lambda_c^a)^2 \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \lambda^2 = C = \frac{1}{3} (p^2 + q^2 + pq + 3(p+q)) \quad C(p=0, q=1) = \frac{4}{3}, \quad C(p=1, q=0) = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$\text{If } \bar{c}\bar{c} \text{ is in } (C = 3, S = 1) \quad \lambda_c^a(\lambda_c^a) = \frac{4}{2} \left[\frac{4}{3} - 2 \frac{4}{3} \right] = -\frac{8}{3} < 0$$

Hence there is additional attraction

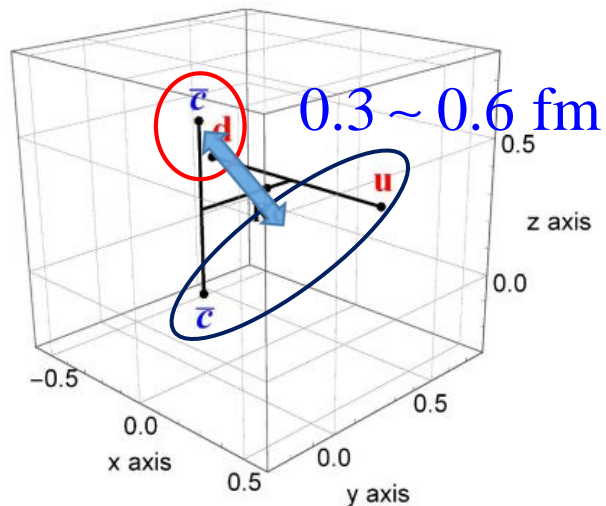
→ Tcc(3875) could be a compact multiquark state

$T_{cc}(3875)$

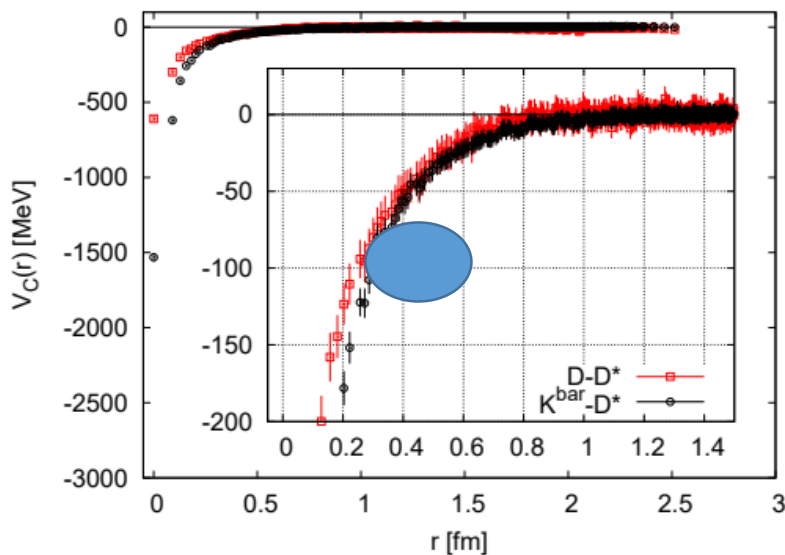
$$I^G(J^P) = 0^+(1^+)$$

(S. No, W. Park, SHL, PRD10 (2021)114009)

$$K_{T_{cc}(3875)} - K_D - K_{D^*} \rightarrow -100 \text{ MeV}$$



👉 Consistent to Lattice (HAL QCD): Phys. Lett. B 729 (2014) 85



$m_\pi \simeq 410 \text{ MeV}$

Detailed calculation show both color-spin and color-color effects are indeed important

Still Tcc is marginal but Tbb is definitely a strongly bound compact multiquark-state

Table 4

The contribution from each term in the Hamiltonian and the relative lengths between quarks in $ud\bar{c}\bar{c}$ with $(I, S) = (0, 1)$, and in the lowest threshold mesons ($\bar{D}^0 D^{*-}$). Here, $V^C = \text{Coulomb} + \text{Linear interaction}$, and (i, j) denotes the contribution from the i and j quark. The number is given as $i = 1, 2$ for the light quarks, and 3, 4 for \bar{c} . The contributions are in MeV unit.

	(i, j)	$ud\bar{c}\bar{c}$	2-Meson	Difference
Kinetic energy		1016.1	880.4	135.7
CS interaction		-174.3	-73.6	-100.7
V^C	(1, 2)	219.9		
	(1, 3)	93.5	229.5 (\bar{D}^0)	
	(1, 4)	93.5		
	(2, 3)	93.5		
	(2, 4)	93.5	308.0 (D^{*-})	
	(3, 4)	15.6		
	Subtotal	609.5	537.5	72.0
Total contribution		1451.3	1344.3	107.0
Relative lengths (fm)	(1, 2)	0.67		
	(1, 3)	0.63	0.53 (\bar{D}^0)	
	(1, 4)	0.63		
	(2, 3)	0.63		
	(2, 4)	0.63	0.58 (D^{*-})	
	(3, 4)	0.41		
	Average	0.60	0.56	0.04

Table 5

The contribution from each term in the Hamiltonian and the relative lengths between quarks in $ud\bar{b}\bar{b}$ with $(I, S) = (0, 1)$, and in the lowest threshold mesons ($B^+ B^{*0}$). Here, $V^C = \text{Coulomb} + \text{Linear interaction}$, and (i, j) denotes the contribution from the i and j quark. The number is given as $i = 1, 2$ for the light quarks, and 3, 4 for \bar{b} . The contributions are expressed in MeV unit.

	(i, j)	$ud\bar{b}\bar{b}$	2-Meson	Difference
Kinetic energy		997.2	836.6	160.6
CS interaction		-176.8	-26.4	-150.4
V^C	(1, 2)	219.9		
	(1, 3)	83.5	229.5 (B^+)	
	(1, 4)	83.5		
	(2, 3)	83.5		
	(2, 4)	83.5	266.6 (B^{*0})	
	(3, 4)	-187.6		
	Subtotal	366.3	496.1	-129.8
Total contribution		1186.7	1306.3	-119.6
Relative lengths (fm)	(1, 2)	0.67		
	(1, 3)	0.60	0.53 (B^+)	
	(1, 4)	0.60		
	(2, 3)	0.60		
	(2, 4)	0.60	0.55 (B^{*0})	
	(3, 4)	0.25		
	Average	0.55	0.54	0.01

Also , full calculation (exact wave function) is important

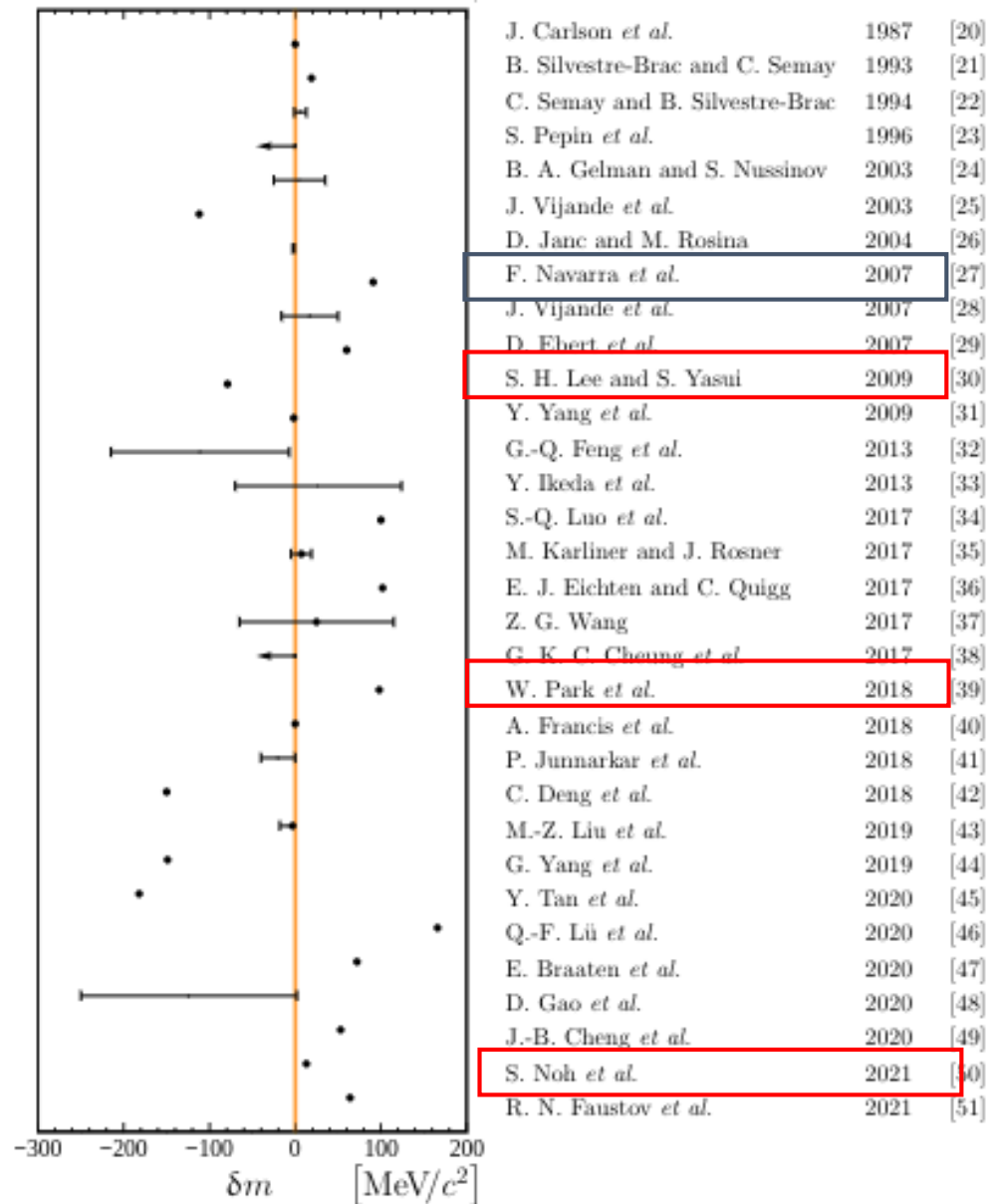
TABLE XII. Contributions to the $T_{bb}(ud\bar{b}\bar{b})$ and $T_{cc}(ud\bar{c}\bar{c})$ masses from this work. (i, j) denotes the i and j quarks, where $i, j = 1, 2$ label the light quarks, and 3, 4 are for the heavy antiquarks in each configuration. $\sum V^C(i, j)$ and $\sum V^{CS}(i, j)$ cover pairs (i, j) , except for the (1,2) and (3,4) pairs. D is separately added and not included in $V^C(i, j)$. m_Q is the heavy quark mass, and m'_i is defined in Eq. (13) for each configuration. \mathbf{p}_i is the relative momentum corresponding to the i th Jacobi coordinate \mathbf{x}_i . “1 basis” is the result with only one spatial basis $\psi_{[0,0,0,0,0]}^{Spatial}$ and the corresponding dominant CS basis.

Overall	Contribution	T_{bb}		T_{cc}	
		Full calculation	1 basis	Full calculation	1 basis
Heavy quark	$2m_Q$	10674.0	10674.0	3844.0	3844.0
	$\frac{\mathbf{p}_2^2}{2m'_2}$	206.8	220.0	142.5	221.8
	$\frac{m_q}{m_Q+m_q} \frac{\mathbf{p}_3^2}{2m'_3}$	16.4	15.3	53.8	38.0
	$V^C(3, 4)$	-188.8	-190.8	19.3	4.2
	$\frac{1}{2} \sum V^C(i, j)$	115.8	137.6	159.1	168.5
	$-D$	-917.0	-917.0	-917.0	-917.0
Subtotal		9907.2	9939.1	3301.8	3359.5
Light quark	$2m_q$	684.0	684.0	684.0	684.0
	$\frac{\mathbf{p}_1^2}{2m'_1}$	494.1	495.3	424.1	478.2
	$\frac{m_Q}{m_Q+m_q} \frac{\mathbf{p}_3^2}{2m'_3}$	255.8	239.1	302.2	213.5
	$V^C(1, 2)$	171.3	181.6	91.3	188.8
	$\frac{1}{2} \sum V^C(i, j)$	115.8	137.6	159.1	168.5
	$-D$	-917.0	-917.0	-917.0	-917.0
Subtotal		804.0	820.6	743.7	816.0
CS interaction	$V^{CS}(3, 4)$	7.0	6.8	5.3	9.3
	$V^{CS}(1, 2)$	-195.3	-188.1	-108.6	-182.6
	$\sum V^{CS}(i, j)$	-5.7	0.0	-69.4	0.0
Subtotal		-194.0	-181.3	-172.7	-173.3
Total		10517.2	10578.4	3872.8	4002.2

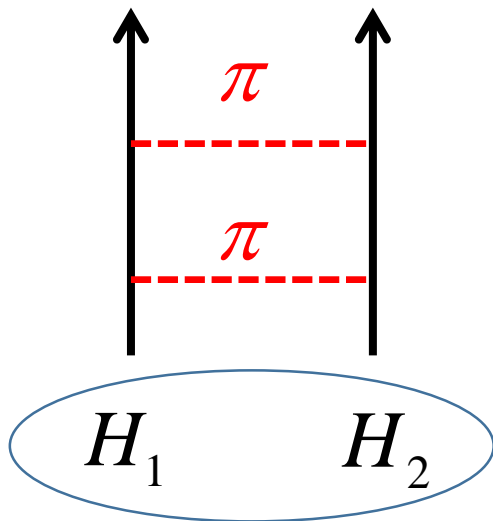
-2021- $T_{cc}(3875)$ LHCb coll.

☞ There is a strong short range attraction for $T_{cc} \rightarrow$ Could be compact, but depends sensitively on parameters:

☞ The short range attraction for $X(3872)$ is very weak \rightarrow Can not be compact



II: Long distance: Perspectives from the π -exchange



$$M(J_M, I_M)$$

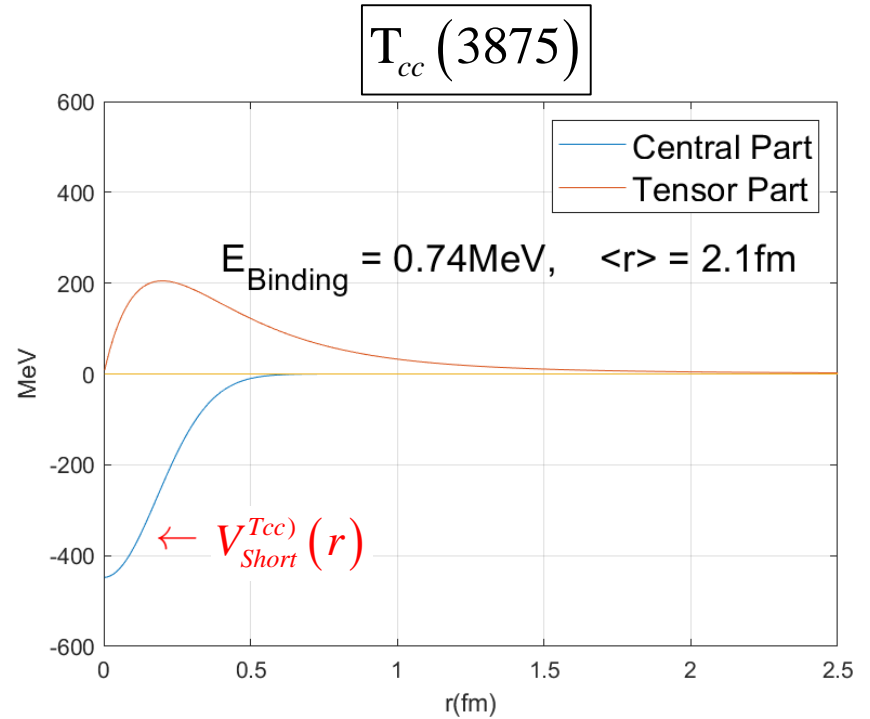
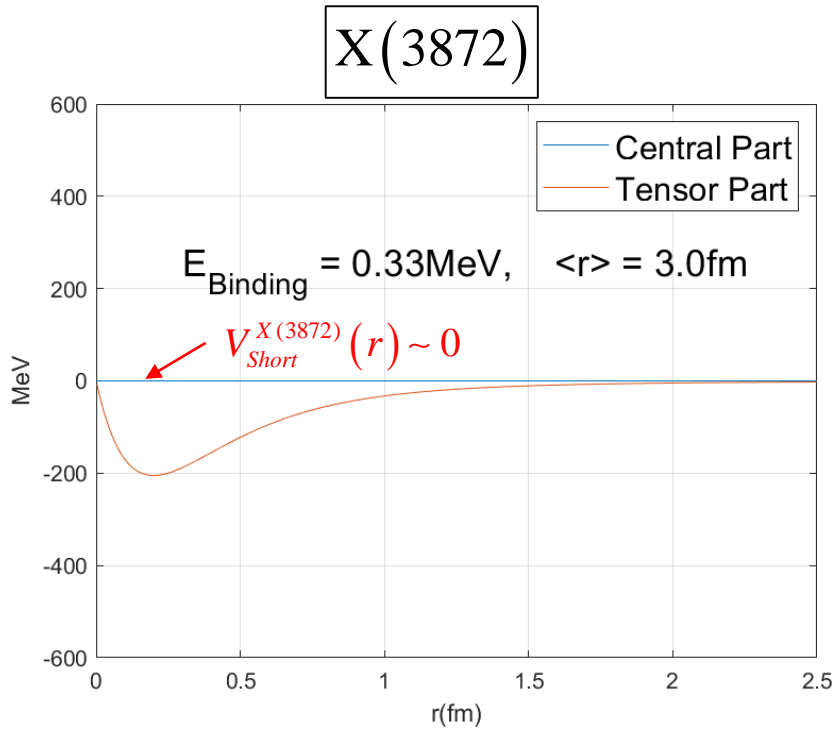
Especially important when

$J_M \neq 0$ Mixing with D-wave
and

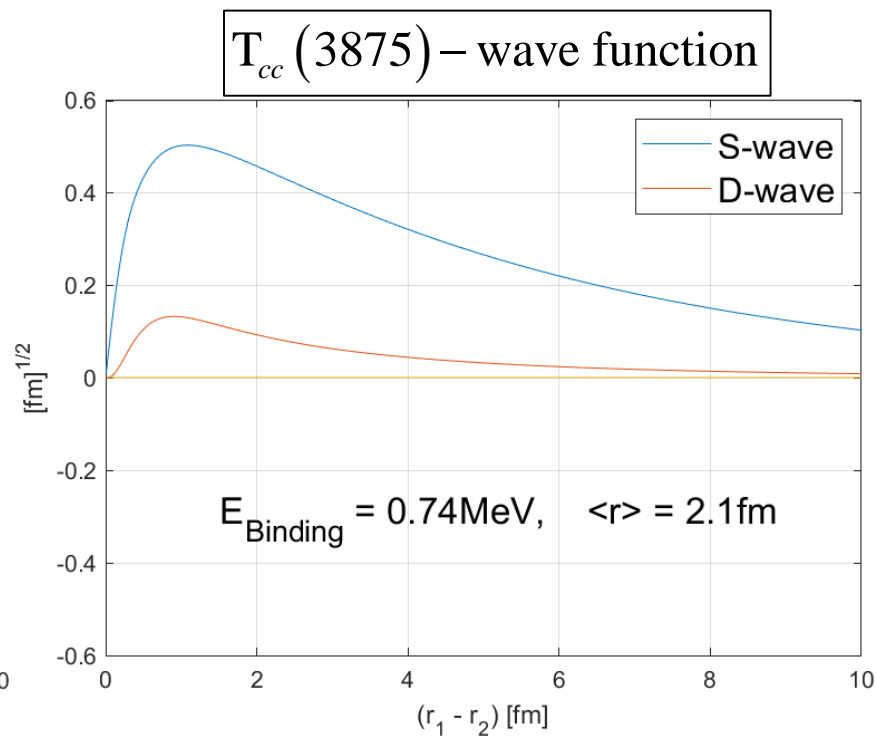
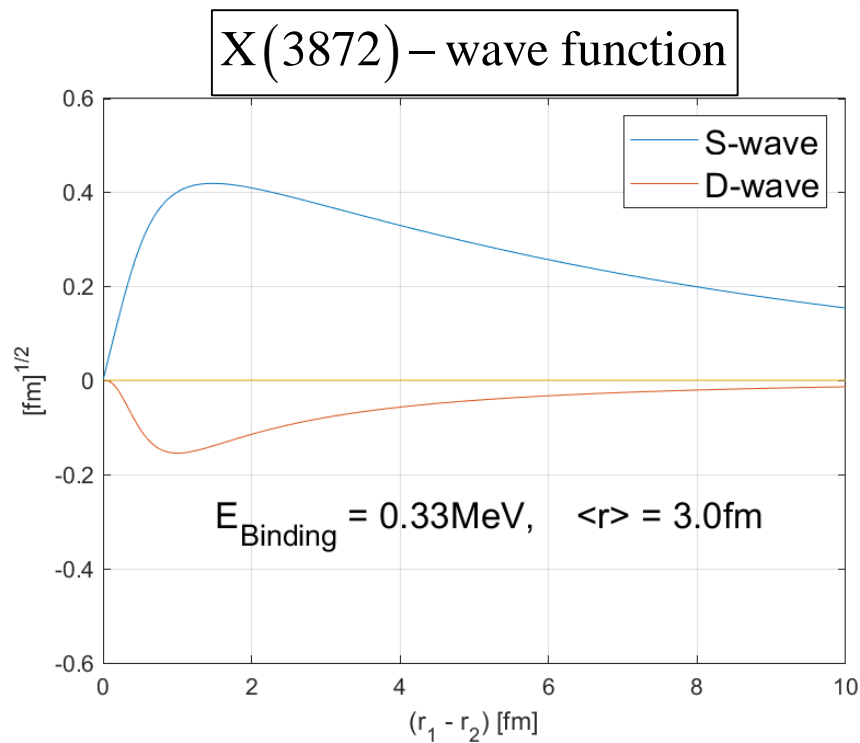
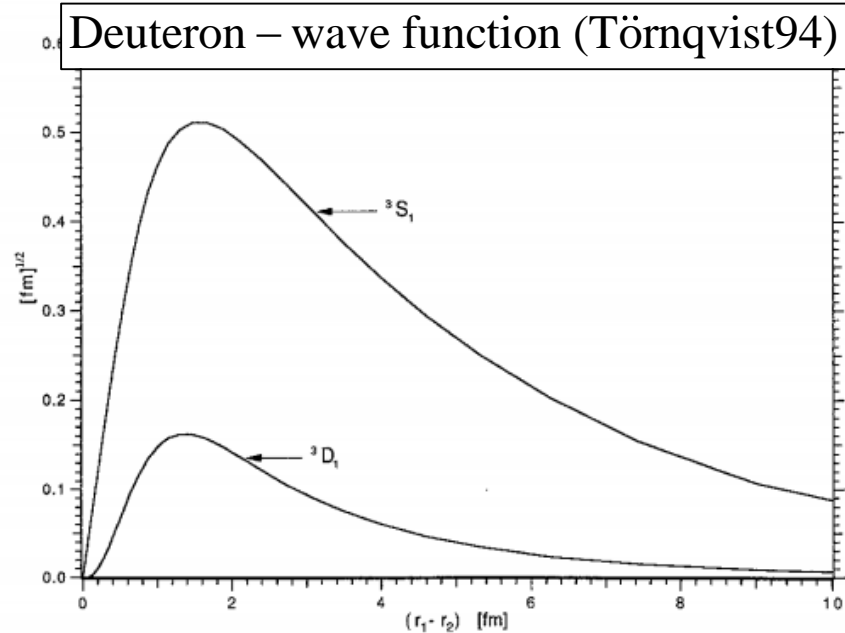
$I_M < (I_1 + I_2)$ Mixing is strong

$$\text{☞ } V(r)_{\substack{-:X(3872) \\ +:T_{cc}}} = V_{Short}(r) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \mp 3V_0 \left[\begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\sqrt{2} \\ -\sqrt{2} & 1 \end{pmatrix} T_{\pi}(r) \right]$$

Central Part = $V_{Short}(r)$ — ; Tensor Part = $\pm T_{\pi}(r)$ —



👉 Wave functions:
Similar to that of Deuteron



II: Measuring Exotics in Heavy Ion Collision:

Heavy-ion collisions at the LHC—Last call for predictions

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Abstract

This writeup is a compilation of the predictions for the forthcoming Heavy Ion Program at the Large Hadron Collider, as presented at the CERN Theory Institute 'Heavy Ion Collisions at the LHC—Last Call for Predictions', held from 14th May to 10th June 2007.

10.3. Charmed exotics from heavy-ion collision

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We discuss why charmed multiquark hadrons are likely to exist and explore the possibility of observing such states in heavy-ion reactions at the LHC.

Multiquark hadronic states are usually unstable as their quark configurations are energetically above those of combined meson and/or baryon states. However, constituent quark model calculations suggest that multi-quark states might become stable when some of the light quarks are replaced by heavy quarks. Two possible states that could be realistically observed in heavy-ion collisions at LHC are the tetraquark $T_{cc}(ud\bar{c}\bar{c})$ [385] and the pentaquark

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Table 10. Possible decay modes of T_{cc} . Additional $(\pi^+\pi^-)$'s are possible in the bracket.

Threshold	Decay mode	Lifetime
$M_{T_{cc}} > M_{D^*} + M_D$	$D^{*+} \bar{D}^0$	Hadronic decay
$2M_D + M_\pi < M_{T_{cc}} < M_{D^*} + M_D$	$\bar{D}^0 \bar{D}^0 \pi^-$	Hadronic decay
$M_{T_{cc}} < 2M_D + M_\pi$	$D^{*+} (K^+ \pi^-)$	0.41×10^{-12} s
	$\bar{D}^0 (\pi^- K^+ \pi^-)$	Weak decay

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Observation of an exotic narrow doubly charmed tetraquark

LHCb Collaboration*

Conventional, hadronic matter consists of baryons and mesons made of three quarks and a quark-antiquark pair, respectively^{1,2}. Here, we report the observation of a hadronic state containing four quarks in the Large Hadron Collider beauty experiment. This so-called tetraquark contains two charm quarks, a \bar{u} and a \bar{d} quark. This exotic state has a mass of approximately 3,875 MeV and manifests as a narrow peak in the mass spectrum of $D^0 D^0 \pi^+$ mesons just below the $D^{*+} D^0$ mass threshold. The near-threshold mass together with the narrow width reveals the resonance nature of the state.

The similarity of the $cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$ tetraquark state and the Ξ_{cc}^{++} baryon containing two c quarks and a u quark leads to a relationship between the properties of the two states. In particular, the measured mass of the Ξ_{cc}^{++} baryon with quark content ccu ⁵⁰⁻⁵² implies that the mass of the $cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$ tetraquark is close to the sum of the masses of the D^0 and D^{*+} mesons with quark content of $c\bar{u}$ and $c\bar{d}$, respectively, as suggested in ref. ⁵³. Theoretical predictions for the mass of the $cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$ ground state with spin-parity quantum numbers $J^P = 1^+$ and isospin $I = 0$, denoted hereafter as T_{cc}^+ , relative to the $D^{*+} D^0$ mass threshold

Theory prediction

Identifying Multiquark Hadrons from Heavy Ion Collisions

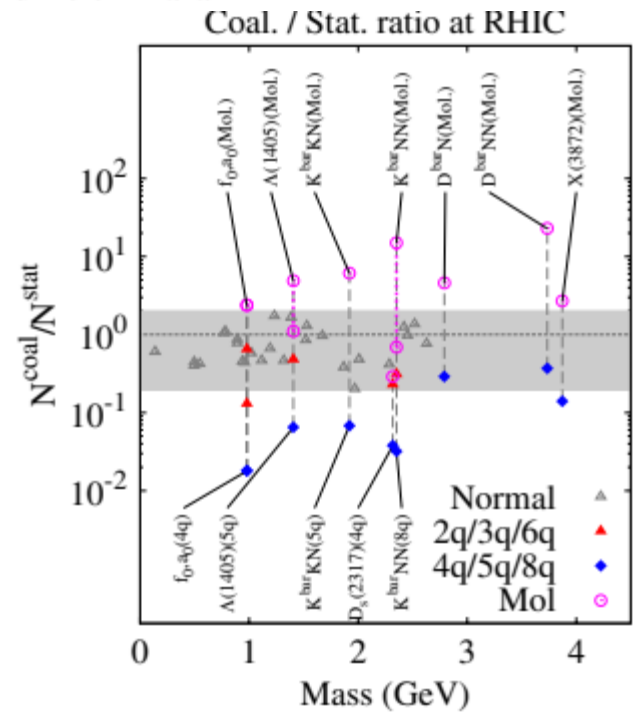
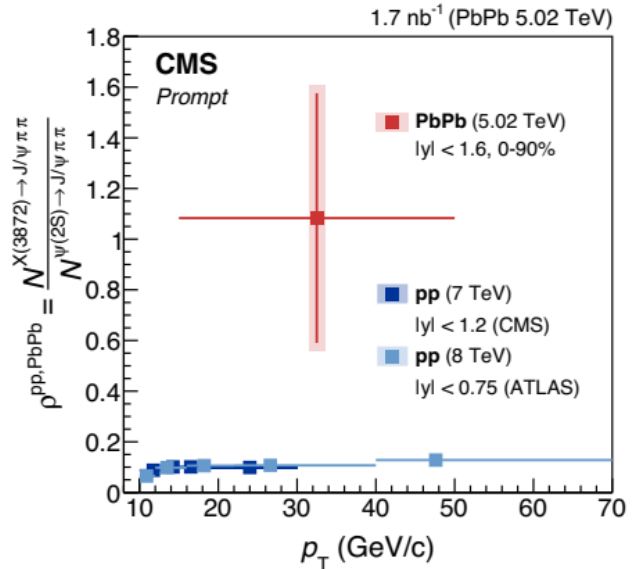
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Experiment

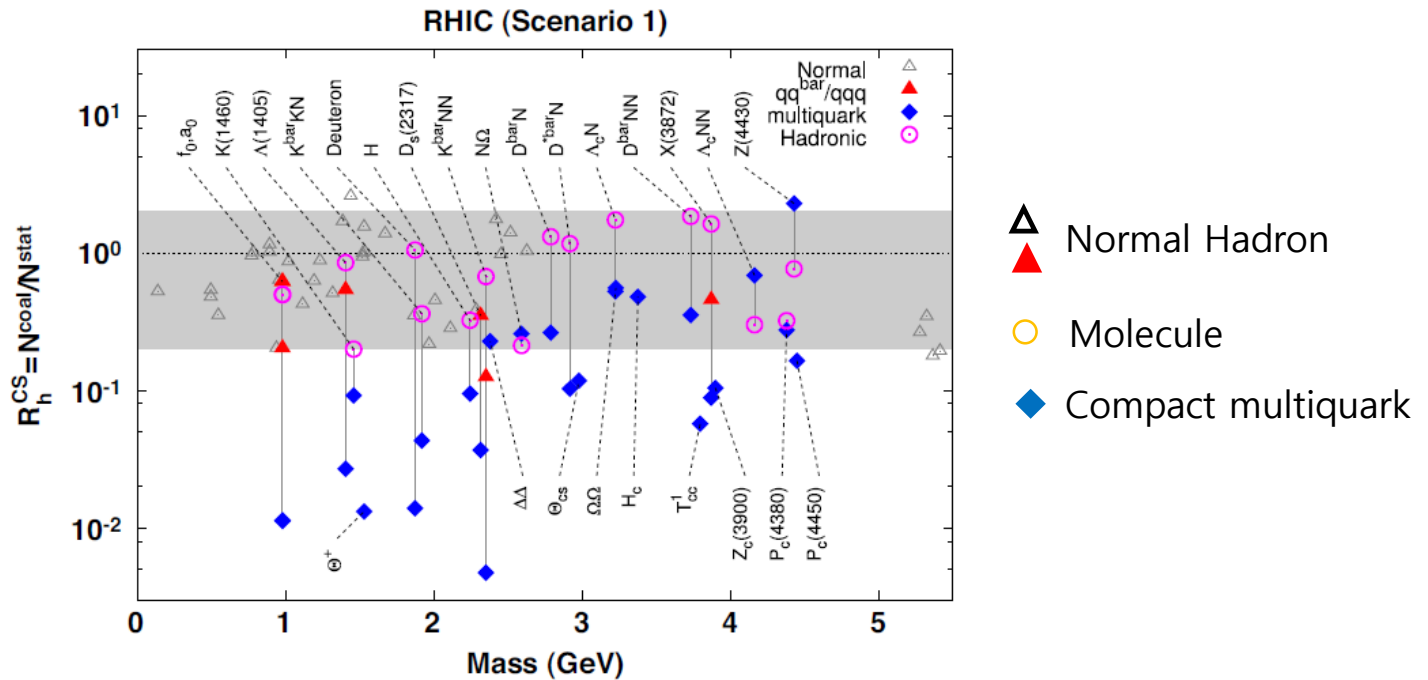
Evidence for X(3872) in Pb-Pb Collisions and Studies of its Prompt Production at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 5.02$ TeV

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CMS Collaboration



Production of compact multiquark state in 2017

Production rate normalized to statistical model



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Exotic hadrons from heavy ion collisions[☆]

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$$\frac{dN_X}{dp_X} = C \int dx_1 dx_2 dp_1 dp_2 \frac{dN_1}{V dp_1} \frac{dN_2}{V dp_2} W(x_1, x_2, p_1, p_2) \delta(p_X - p_1 - p_2)$$

⊙ Normalization conditions $\int dx_i dp_i \frac{dN_i}{V dp_i} = N_i$ $\int dx dp W(x, p) = (2\pi)^n$

⊙ Wigner function $W(x, p) = (2)^n \exp\left[-\frac{x^2}{\sigma^2} - \sigma^2 p^2\right]$

Should use x, p in CM frame S. Cho, K.J. Sun, C.M. Ko, SH Lee, Y. Oh, PRC101(20)024909

⊙ $\sigma \rightarrow$ infinity limit

$$\frac{dN_X}{dp_X} = C \left(\frac{\gamma}{V} \right) \frac{dN_1}{dp_1} \Big|_{p_1 = \frac{p_X}{2}} \frac{dN_2}{V dp_2} \Big|_{p_2 = \frac{p_X}{2}}$$

- Coalescence probability is suppressed for smaller object when

$$\frac{dN_i}{Vdp_i} \propto \exp\left[-\frac{p_i^2}{2mT}\right] \quad W(x, p) = (2)^n \exp\left[-\frac{x^2}{\sigma^2} - \sigma^2 p^2\right]$$

$$\frac{dN_X}{dp_X} = \frac{1}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{mT\sigma^2}\right)^{n/2}} C\left(\frac{\gamma}{V}\right) \frac{dN_1}{dp_1} \Big|_{p_1 = \frac{p_X}{2}} \frac{dN_2}{Vdp_2} \Big|_{p_2 = \frac{p_X}{2}}$$

correction becomes visible when $\sigma < 0.5$ fm

- Deuteron Pt distribution should be determined by that of proton

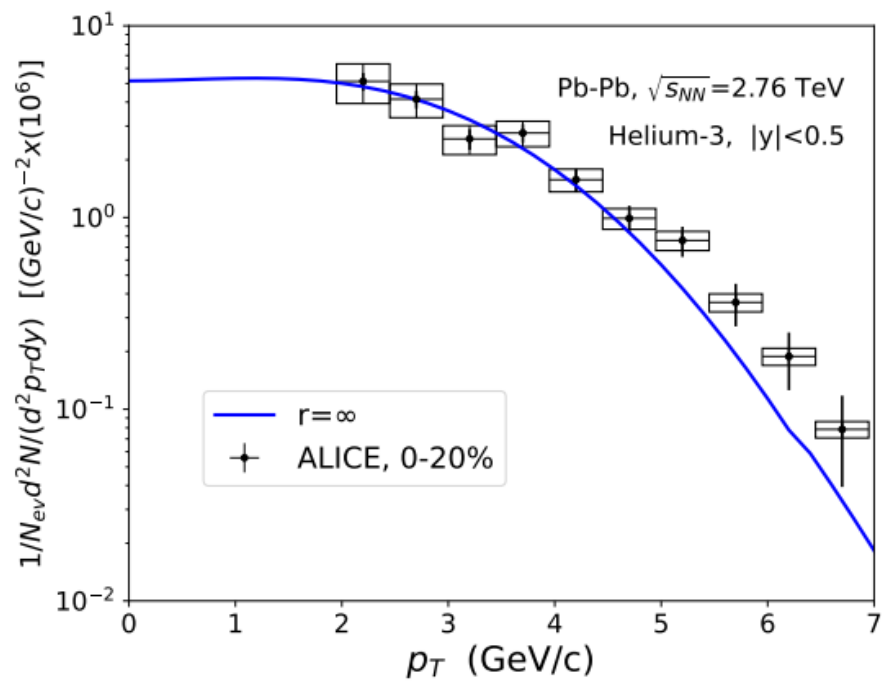
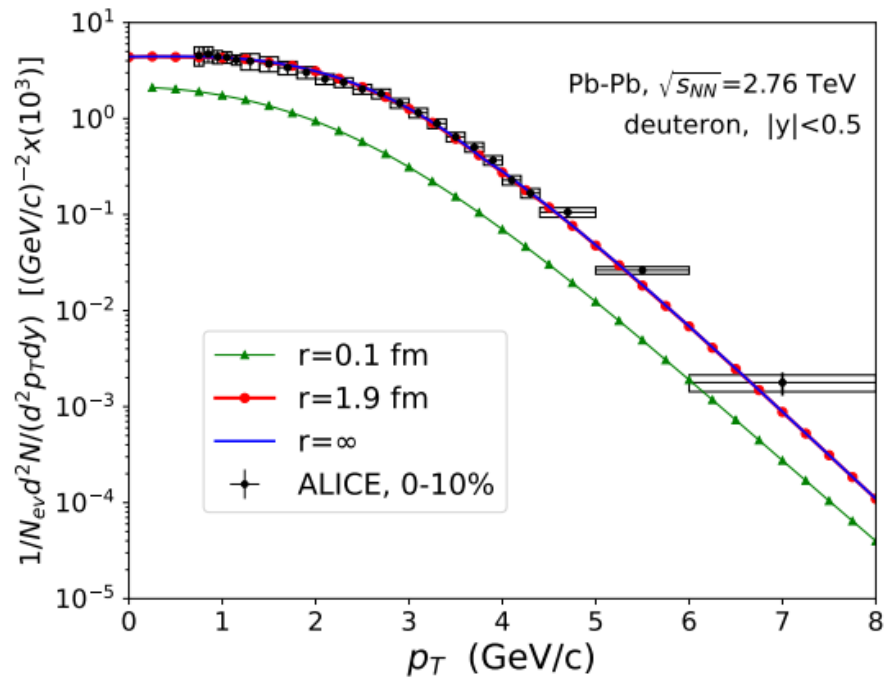
- Use $\left. \frac{dN_i}{dp} = R_b \frac{dN_{\text{Proton}}}{dp} \right|_{\text{Measured}}$

$$\frac{d^2 N_{\text{deuteron}}}{d^2 p_T} = \frac{g_d}{g_1 g_2} (2\pi)^2 \gamma \frac{R_b^2}{V} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{Proton}}}{d^2 p_1} \bigg|_{p_1 = \frac{p_T}{2}} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{Proton}}}{d^2 p_2} \bigg|_{p_2 = \frac{p_T}{2}}$$

$$\frac{d^2 N_{^3\text{He}}}{d^2 p_T} = \frac{g_h}{g_1 g_2 g_3} (2\pi)^4 \gamma^2 \frac{R_b^3}{V^2} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{Proton}}}{d^2 p_1} \bigg|_{p_1 = \frac{p_T}{3}} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{Proton}}}{d^2 p_2} \bigg|_{p_2 = \frac{p_T}{3}} \frac{d^2 N_{\text{Proton}}}{d^2 p_3} \bigg|_{p_3 = \frac{p_T}{3}}$$

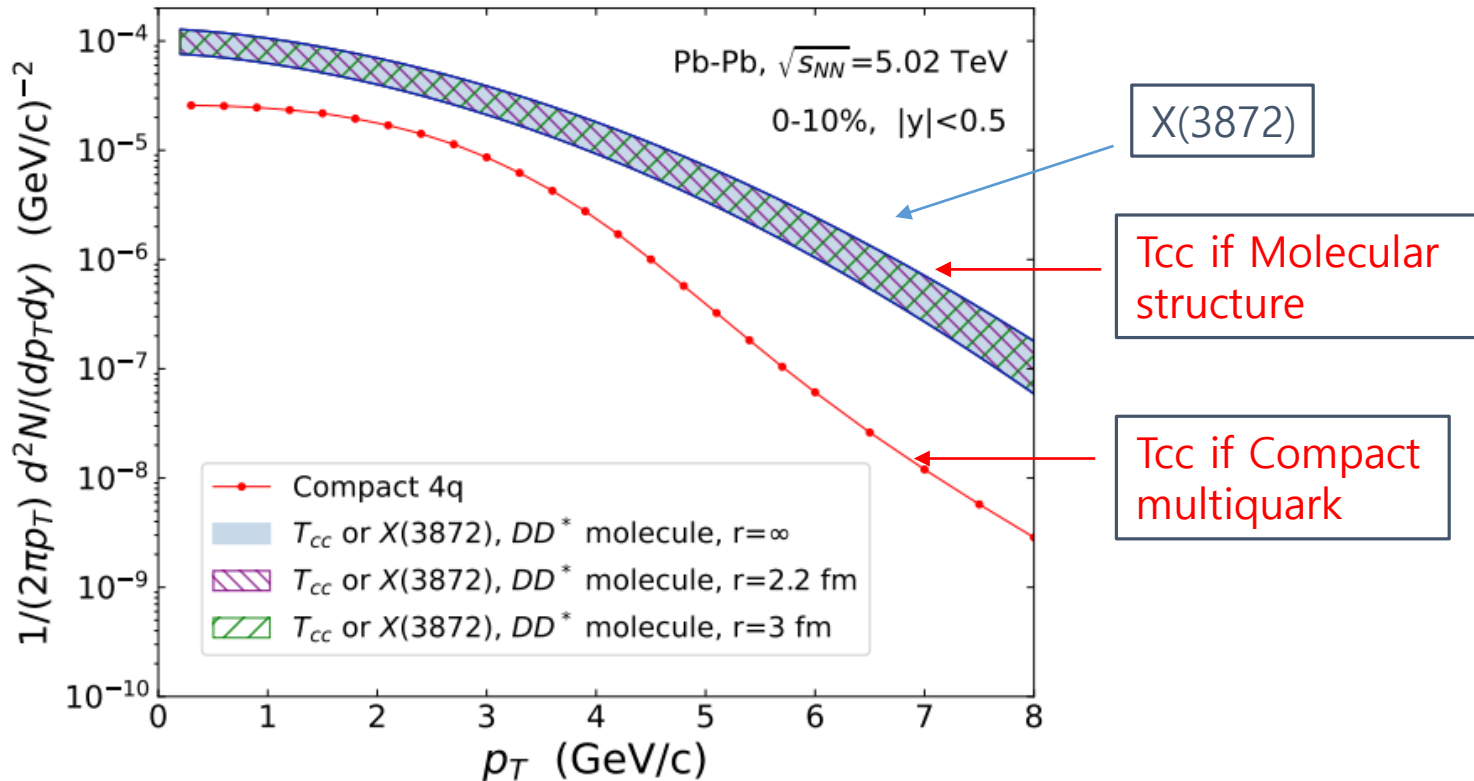
A simple fit to Deuteron and ^3He using (R_b, V) - II

1. For $r > 1.9$ fm result are similar to $\sigma \rightarrow$ infinity result
2. Both can be fit by choosing $R_b = 0.36 \rightarrow$ similar to feed-down effects SHM
3. $V(2\text{-dim}) = 608 \text{ fm}^2$



Expectation for Molecular configuration of X(3872) and Tcc

1. Use measured D and D* Pt distribution
2. Use $R_b=0.31$ from feed-down effects SHM
3. Use same $V(2\text{-dim})=608 \text{ fm}^2$



➡ For Deuteron and ^3He , results are similar SHM

Nucleus	$N_{SHM}^{Nucleus} / N_{SHM}^p$	$N_{coal}^{Nucleus} / N_{SHM}^p$
d	9.07×10^{-3}	8.84×10^{-3}
^3He	2.68×10^{-5}	2.03×10^{-5}

TABLE II. The yield ratio of light nucleus with proton in Pb-Pb collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}} = 2.76$ TeV. For deuteron and ^3He the centralities are 0–10 % and 0–20 %, respectively.

➡ For X(3872) and Tcc, yields for molecular configurations are larger

Tetraquark	dN_{coal}/dy	$N_{coal}/N_{SHMc}^{X(3872)}$	$N_{coal}/N_{SHMc}^{\psi(2S)}$
DD^* molecule	$(2.45 \pm 0.71) \times 10^{-3}$	2.47 ± 0.716	0.806 ± 0.234
<i>Compact 4q</i>	6.2×10^{-4}	6.25×10^{-1}	0.204

no feed down for D^*

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} N_{SHMc}^{X(3872)} / N_{SHMc}^{\psi(2S)} = 0.326$$

TABLE III. The first column shows the total yield of the tetraquark depending on its structure calculated by the coalescence model in Pb-Pb collisions at $\sqrt{s_{NN}}=5.02$ TeV at 0-10% centrality.. The remaining columns show their ratios to the statistical hadronization model with charm (SHMc)[28]. Here we used $dN_{\psi(2S)}/dy = 3.04 \times 10^{-3}$ and $N_{X(3872)}/N_{\psi(2S)} = 0.326$ obtained in SHMc.

Summary

- ⊙ Can probe possible compact configuration from quark model
- ⊙ Most exotics have multiple heavy quark: RHIC is an excellent factory
- ⊙ $X(3872)$ can not be a compact multi-quark state: quark model
- ⊙ $T_{cc}(3875)$ can either be a compact or molecular configuration
- ⊙ Measuring the P_t dependence can discriminate the structure of $X(3872)$ and $T_{cc}(3875)$: Analogy with deuteron

Additions – more tetraquarks

1. Near threshold exotics are especially interesting X, Tcc

Tetraquark Belle	Mass	Quark content	$\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$	$D^- D^{*+}$
X(3872)	38721.65	$(q\bar{q})(c\bar{c})$	3871.69	3879.92

Tetraquark LHCb	Mass $(u\bar{d})(c\bar{c})$	Quark content	$D^+ D^{*0}$	$\bar{D}^0 D^{*+}$	Observed mode
Tcc	3875	$(\bar{u}\bar{d})(cc)$	3876.51	3875.26	$\bar{D}^0 D^0 \pi^+$

2. LHCb: PRL127 (2021) 082001: from B decay found Zcs

predicted Lee, Nielsen, Wiedner: JKPS 55 (2009) 424, arXiv:0803.1168.

$$Z_{cs}(4003): J^P = 1^+ \quad (u\bar{s}c\bar{c}) \quad \text{width} = 131 \pm 15 \pm 26 \text{ MeV}$$

$$Z_{cs}(4003) \rightarrow J / \psi + K^+$$

Tetraquark LHCb, BES?	Mass +i(width)	Quark content	$\bar{D}^0 D_s^{*+}$	$\bar{D}^{0*} D_s^+$	Observed mode
Zcs(4000)	4003+i(131)	$(u\bar{d})(c\bar{c})$	3977	3978	$J / \psi K^+$

Additions - Pentaquarks

1. Other Explicitly exotic state observed :

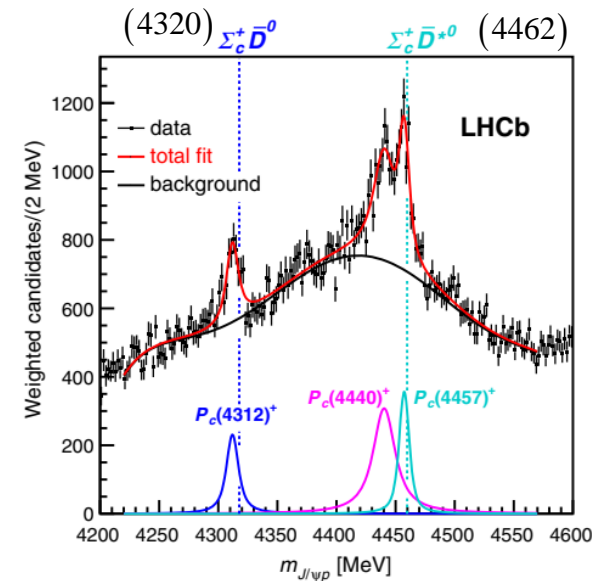
Exotic	X(3872)	Tcc(3875)	X(5568)	Pc(4312)
Quark	$(uc)(\bar{u}\bar{c})$	$(ud)(\bar{c}\bar{c})$	$(bu)(\bar{d}\bar{s})$	$(udc)(\bar{u}\bar{c})$
Threshold	$\bar{D}^0 D^{*0}$	$D^- D^{*0}$	Non near	\rightarrow

$${}^2H \text{ (Deuteron)} \rightarrow p + n \text{ (B} \sim 2.224 \text{ MeV)}$$

2. Pc states could also be molecular configurations.

$$P_c(4312) \rightarrow \Sigma_c(2455) + \bar{D}^0(1865) \quad [\sim 4320]$$

$$P_c(4457) \rightarrow \Sigma_c(2455) + \bar{D}^{0*}(2007) \quad [\sim 4462]$$



Additions – New pentaquarks

3. Searched all compact pentaquark candidates: [Park, Cho, Lee PRD99\(2019\)094023](#)

ΔE : Expected binding with negative K factor

Quark Config.	$S = 1/2$	
	ΔE	State
$udsc\bar{c}$	-124	$\Lambda\eta_c(7)$
$udss\bar{c}$	-117	$\Lambda D_s(4)$
$udcc\bar{s}$	-135	$\Xi_{cc}K(4)$

$P_{sc\bar{c}}(uds\bar{c})[4458]$
 $\rightarrow \Lambda + J/\psi$ (LHCb 2012.10380)

$\rightarrow \Xi_c(2467.7) + D^{*-}(2010) : (4477.7)$

$P_{cc\bar{s}}^{++}(udcc\bar{s}) \rightarrow \Lambda_c K^- K^+ \pi^+$ (Our prediction) could be $\Xi_{cc}K$ molecule

Note $\Xi_{cc}^{++}(3621.40) \rightarrow \Lambda_c K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ (LHCb 1707.01621)