

Spectrum of the fully-charmed tetraquark state

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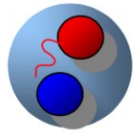
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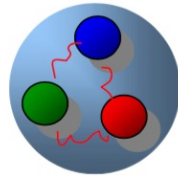
QM VS QCD

- Classical Quark model (QM):

conventional hadron



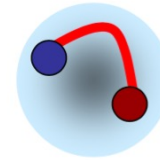
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(qqq)

- The quantum chromodynamics (QCD):

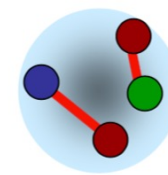
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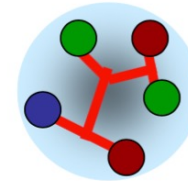
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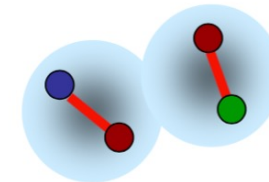
Tetraquark



Pentaquark



Hadronic molecule



More complicated hadron structures.

$D_{s0}^*(2317)$ & $X(3872)$ @2003, ..., P_c @2019, $X(6900)$ @2020, T_{cc}^+ @2021

Fully-heavy tetraquark

- The fully heavy tetraquark state $T_{Q_1 Q_2 \bar{Q}_3 \bar{Q}_4}$ ($Q = c, b$) is a good candidate for a **compact** tetraquark state.

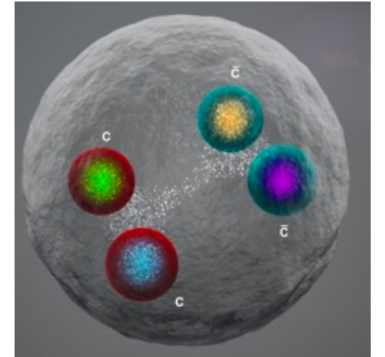
- Theoretical works started in 1970s. (More details are referred to *Prog.Part.Nucl.Phys.* 107 (2019) 237-320.)
PRL 36 (1976) 1266, Z.Phys.C7 (1981) 317, PRD 25 (1982) 2370

✓ *The tension in the existence* of the stable (bound) fully heavy tetraquark state:

- ◆ Stable $QQ\bar{Q}\bar{Q}$ states exist: $bb\bar{b}\bar{b} \sim 18 - 20$ GeV, $cc\bar{c}\bar{c} \sim 5 - 7$ GeV (compared with theoretical di- $Q\bar{Q}$ channels)
arXiv:1612.00012, Eur. Phys. J. C 78, 647, EPJ Web Conf. 182, 02028,
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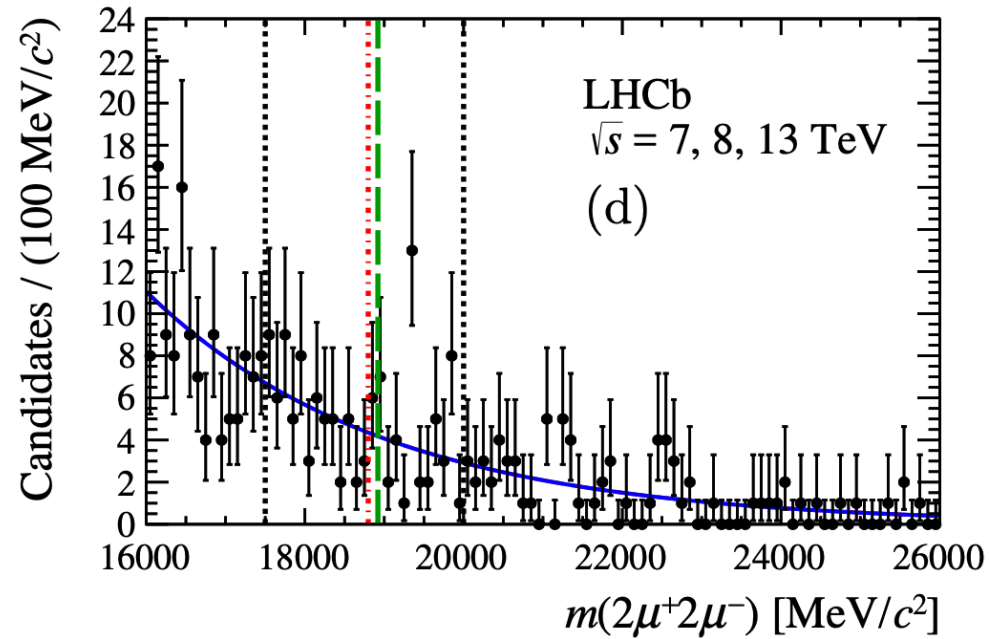
- ◆ Negative: no stable $QQ\bar{Q}\bar{Q}$ states exist.
Phys. Rev. D 97, 094015, Phys. Rev. D.97.054505, Phys. Rev. D. 100, 096013, ...

✓ *Existence* of the the *resonant* $T_{Q_1 Q_2 \bar{Q}_3 \bar{Q}_4}$ and *the mass spectrum*.

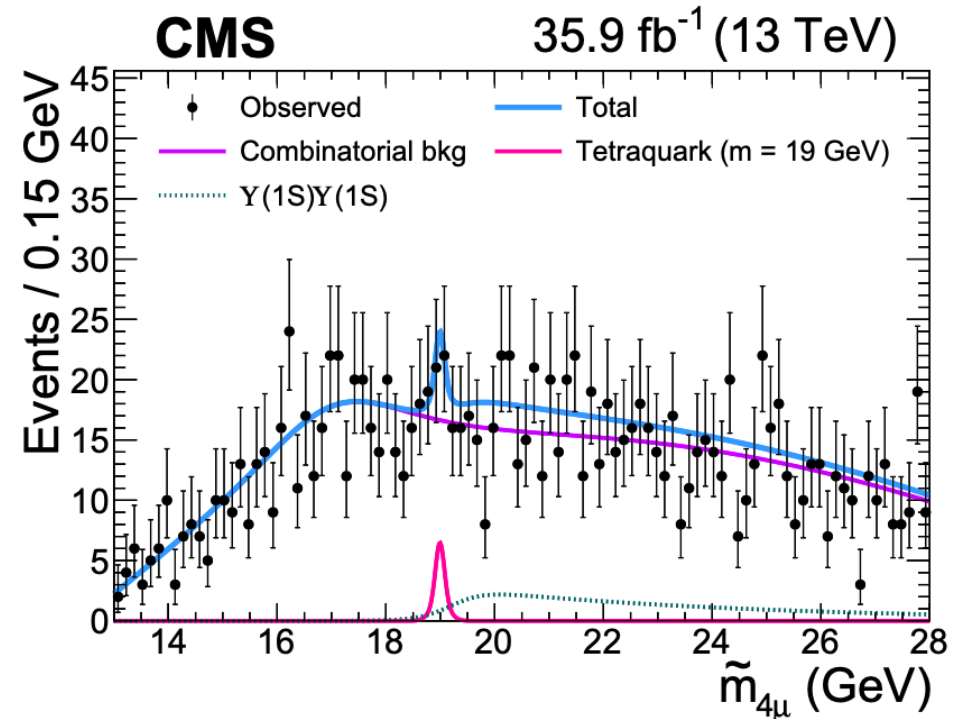


Experimental search for $T_{QQ\bar{Q}\bar{Q}}$

- *No significant excess observed for $T_{bb\bar{b}\bar{b}}$.*



LHCb, JHEP 1810, 086 (2018).

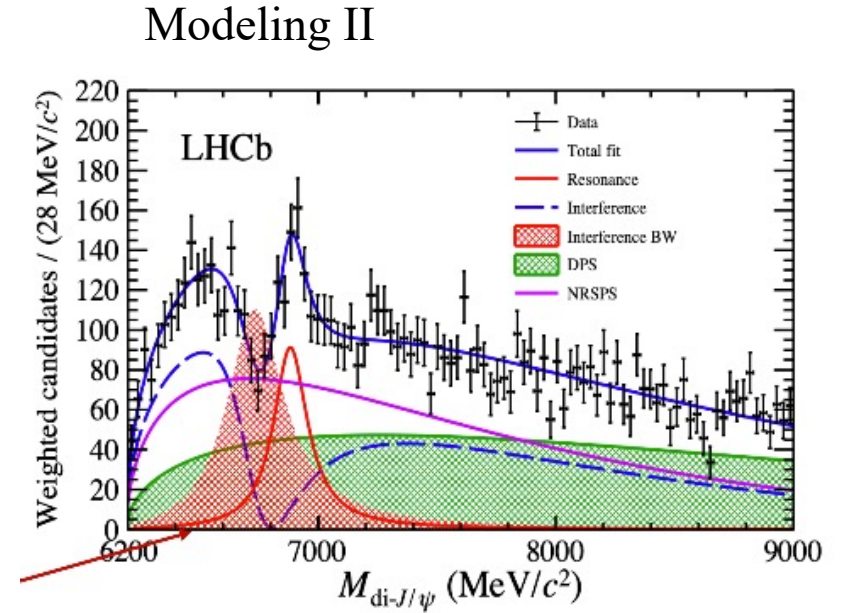
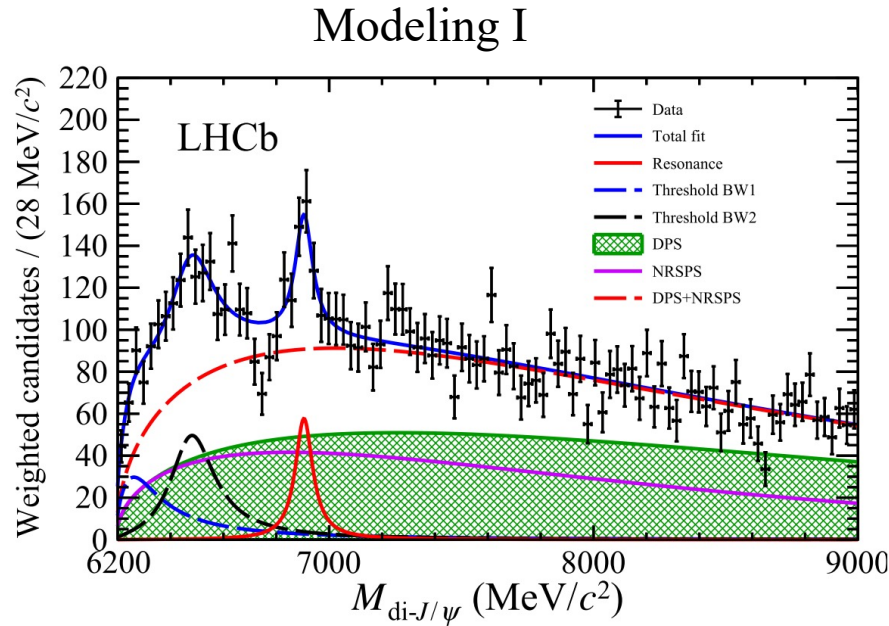


CMS, arXiv: 2002.06393

Experimental search for $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$

- Observation of $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$ structure in di- J/ψ channel:

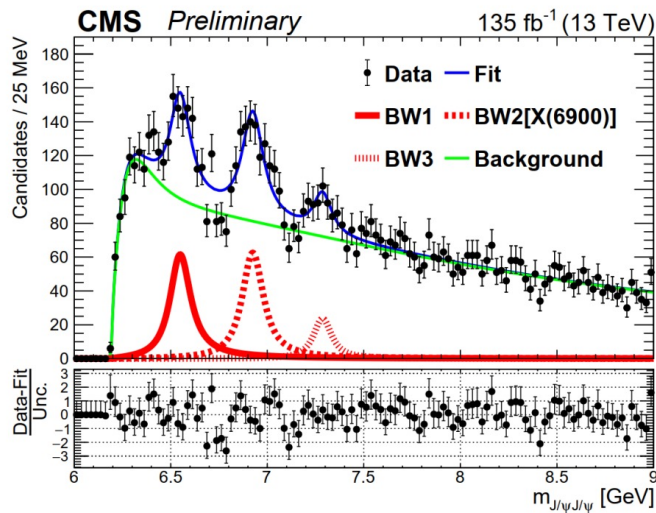
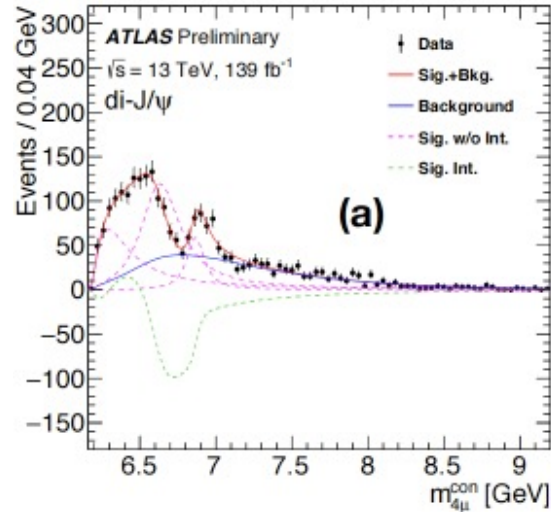
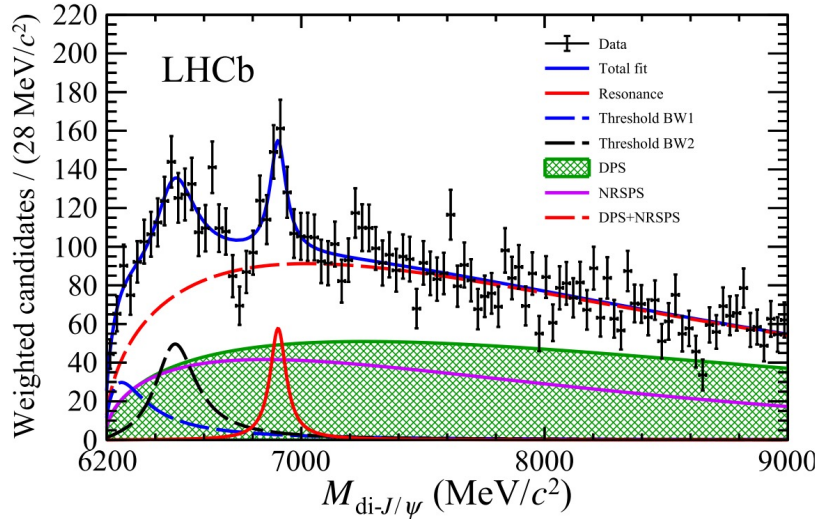
LHCb, Science Bulletin 65 (2020) 198 3.



- A broad structure ranging (6.2, 6.8) GeV.
- Narrow structure $X(6900)$:
 $m = 6905 \pm 11 \text{ MeV}/c^2, \Gamma = 80 \pm 19 \text{ MeV}$ or $m = 6886 \pm 11 \text{ MeV}/c^2, \Gamma = 168 \pm 33 \text{ MeV}$.
- Hint for $X(7200)$ but not important.

Experimental search for $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$

- Observation of structure $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$ in di- J/ψ channel

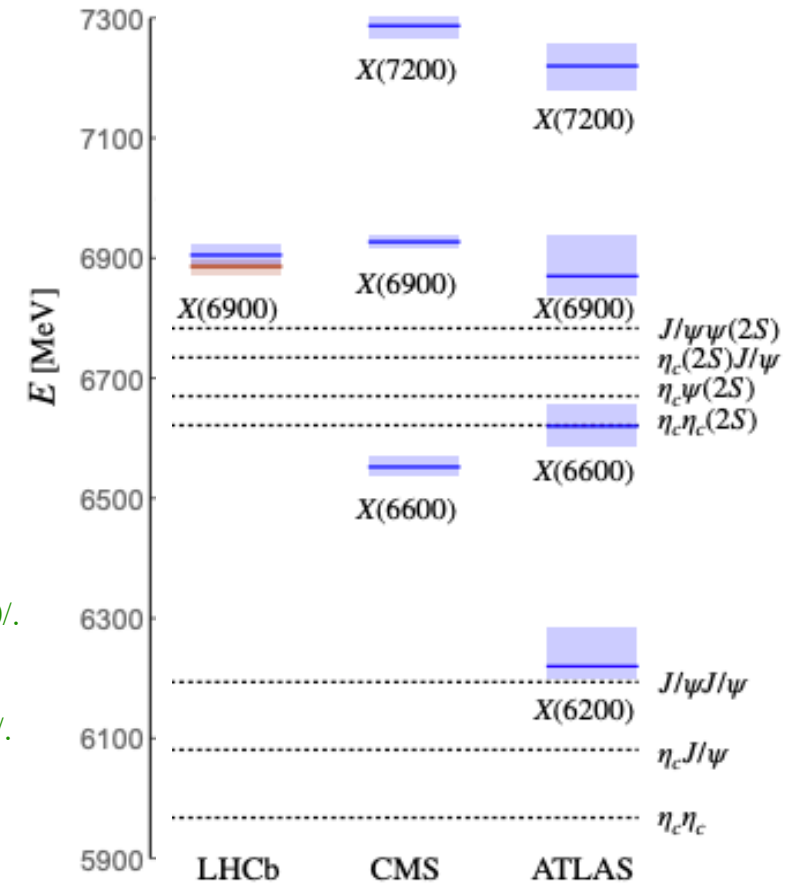


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<https://agenda.infn.it/event/28874/contributions/170298/>.

J/ψ - J/ψ resonances observed in experiments



Theoretical interpretations

- The predicted ground S-wave $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$: (6.3, 6.5) GeV.

- X(6900): Radial & P-wave excitation?

Phys. Rev. D 104, 116029 (2021).

arXiv:2207.07537 [hep-ph].

Phys. Rev. D 105, 014006 (2022).

Phys. Rev. D 104, 036016 (2021).

Phys. Rev. D 104, 014020 (2021).

arXiv:2104.08814 [hep-ph].

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- The dynamical rescattering mechanism of double-charmonium.

Phys. Rev. D 103, 034024 (2021).

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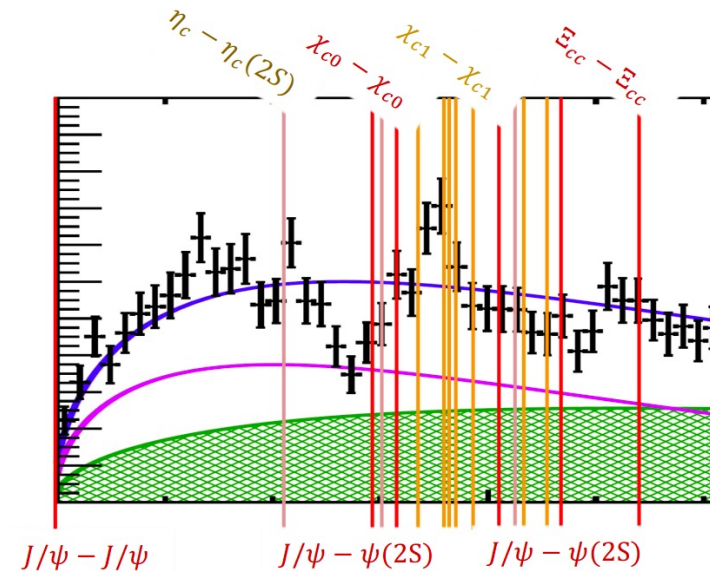
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	J^{PC}	M_{th}^1	M_{th}^2	[43]	[44]	[47]	[34]	[33]	[41]	[49]	[37,57]
$cc\bar{c}\bar{c}$	0 ⁺⁺	6.377 6.425	6.371 6.483	5.966	6.192 ± 0.025	6.001	6.038	6.470 6.558	6.44 ± 0.15
	1 ⁺⁻	6.425	6.450	6.051	...	6.109	...	...	6.101	6.512	6.37 ± 0.18
	2 ⁺⁺	6.432	6.479	6.223	...	6.166	...	...	6.172	6.534	6.37 ± 0.19
$bb\bar{b}\bar{b}$	0 ⁺⁺	19.215 19.247	19.243 19.305	18.754	18.826 ± 0.025	18.815	18.72 ± 0.02	18.69 ± 0.03	...	19.268 19.305	18.45 ± 0.15
	1 ⁺⁻	19.247	19.311	18.808	...	18.874	...	...	...	19.285	18.32 ± 0.17
	2 ⁺⁺	19.249	19.325	18.916	...	18.905	...	...	...	19.295	18.32 ± 0.17
$bb\bar{c}\bar{c}(cc\bar{b}\bar{b})$	0 ⁺⁺	12.847 12.866	12.886 12.946	...	...	12.571	...	...	...	12.935 13.023	...
	1 ⁺⁻	12.864	12.924	...	...	12.638	...	...	...	12.945	...
	2 ⁺⁺	12.868	12.940	...	...	12.673	...	...	...	12.956	...



From Zhang's talk

Fully-heavy tetraquark

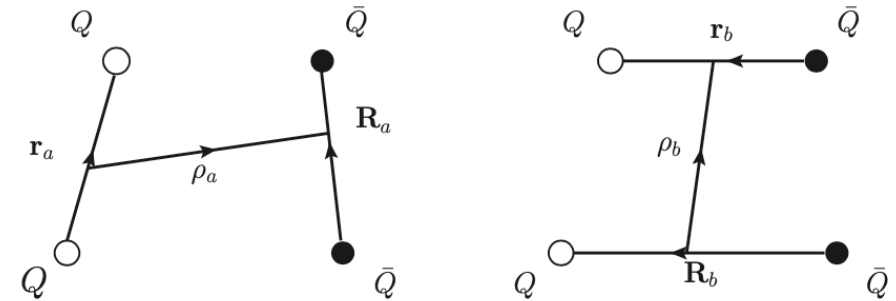
- Four body system: *two color singlet states*

$$\mathbf{3} \otimes \mathbf{3} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{3}} \otimes \bar{\mathbf{3}} = 2 \times \mathbf{1} \oplus 4 \times \mathbf{8} \oplus \mathbf{10} \oplus \bar{\mathbf{10}} \oplus \mathbf{27}$$

✓ **Diquark-antidiquark:** $(QQ)-(\bar{Q}\bar{Q})$:

$$\bar{\mathbf{3}}_c \otimes \mathbf{3}_c = \mathbf{1}_c \text{ and } \mathbf{6}_c \otimes \bar{\mathbf{6}}_c = \mathbf{1}_c.$$

✓ **Meson-Meson:** $(Q\bar{Q})-(Q\bar{Q})$



$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{1}\rangle &\equiv |(Q_1\bar{Q}_3)_1(Q_2\bar{Q}_4)_1\rangle, & |\mathbf{1}\rangle &\equiv |(Q_1\bar{Q}_3)_1(Q_2\bar{Q}_4)_1\rangle, \\ |\mathbf{8}\rangle &\equiv |(Q_1\bar{Q}_3)_8(Q_2\bar{Q}_4)_8\rangle, & \text{Or} & \\ & & |\mathbf{1}'\rangle &\equiv |(Q_1\bar{Q}_4)_1(Q_2\bar{Q}_3)_1\rangle, \end{aligned}$$

Quark-(anti)quark interaction

- Hamiltonian:

$$H = H_0 + \sum_i \sum_j \frac{\lambda_i}{2} \cdot \frac{\lambda_j}{2} \left[V_{\text{cen}}^{(0)}(r_{ij}) + V_{\text{so}}^{(1)}(r_{ij}) + V_{\text{tens}}^{(1)}(r_{ij}) \right]$$

$$H_0 = \sum_{i=1}^4 \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2m_i} + \sum_i m_i - T_G.$$

- $V_{\text{cen}}^{(0)}$: Color Coulomb + linear confinement + hyperfine

$$V_{\text{cen}}^{(0)}(r_{ij}) = \frac{\alpha_s}{r_{ij}} - \frac{3}{4}br_{ij} - \frac{8\pi\alpha_s}{3m_i m_j} \left(\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{\pi}} \right)^3 e^{-\sigma^2 r_{ij}^2} \mathbf{s}_i \cdot \mathbf{s}_j.$$

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- $V_{\text{so}}^{(1)} + V_{\text{tens}}^{(1)}$: spin-orbital and tensor interactions.

$$V_{\text{so}}^{(1)}(r_{ij}) = V_{\text{so}}^v(r_{ij}) + V_{\text{so}}^s(r_{ij}).$$

$$V_{\text{so}}^v(r_{ij}) = \frac{1}{r_{ij}} \frac{dV_{\text{Coul}}}{dr_{ij}} \frac{1}{4} \left[\left(\frac{1}{m_i^2} + \frac{1}{m_j^2} + \frac{4}{m_i m_j} \right) \mathbf{L}_{ij} \cdot \mathbf{S}_{ij} + \left(\frac{1}{m_i^2} - \frac{1}{m_j^2} \right) \mathbf{L}_{ij} \cdot (\mathbf{s}_i - \mathbf{s}_j) \right]$$

$$V_{\text{so}}^s(r_{ij}) = -\frac{1}{r_{ij}} \frac{dV_{\text{lin}}}{dr_{ij}} \left(\frac{\mathbf{L}_{ij} \cdot \mathbf{s}_i}{2m_i^2} + \frac{\mathbf{L}_{ij} \cdot \mathbf{s}_j}{2m_j^2} \right)$$

$$V_{\text{tens}}^{(1)}(r_{ij}) = -\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r_{ij}^2} - \frac{1}{r_{ij}} \frac{\partial}{\partial r_{ij}} \right) \frac{V_{\text{Coul}}}{3m_i m_j} \mathcal{S}_{ij}$$

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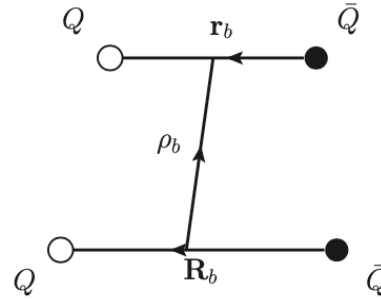
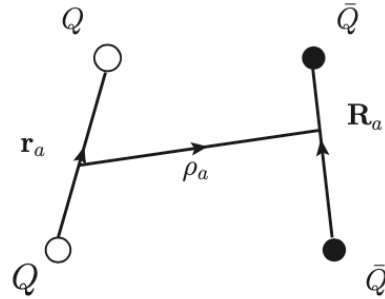
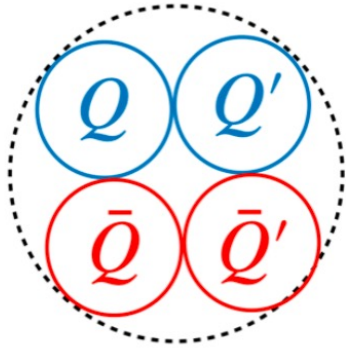
Charmonium state $\bar{c}c$

Mass spectrum (MeV)			
$^{2S+1}L_J$	Meson	EXP	THE
1S_0	η_c	2983.9	2984
3S_1	J/ψ	3096.9	3092
3P_0	χ_{c0}	3414.7	3426
3P_1	χ_{c1}	3510.7	3506
1P_1	$h_c(1P)$	3525.4	3516
3P_2	χ_{c2}	3556.2	3556
1S_0	$\eta_c(2S)$	3637.5	3634
3S_1	$\psi(2S)$	3686.1	3675
3S_1	$\psi(3S)$	4039.0	4076
3S_1	$\psi(4S)$	4421.0	4412

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Gaussian Expansion Method

- **Gaussian Expansion Method:** few-body calculation



$$\psi_{JM} = \sum_{C=a,b} \sum_{\alpha} A_{12} A_{34} \sum_{\alpha} \mathcal{B}_{\alpha}^{(C)} \chi_C^{(C)} \times \left[[\phi_{nl}(\mathbf{r}_C) \otimes \phi_{NL}(\mathbf{R}_C) \otimes \phi_{\nu\lambda}(\rho_C)]_{J_L} \otimes \chi_S^{(C)} \right]^{JM}$$

Antisymmetric

Color w.f.

Spatial w.f.

Spin w.f.

$$\phi_{nlm}(\mathbf{r}_C) = N_{nl} r^l e^{-(r/r_n)^2} Y_{lm}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_C)$$

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Diquark-antidiquark configuration

- The S-wave $T_{CC\bar{C}\bar{C}}$ state: $L_{12} = L_{34} = L_r = 0$.

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 0^{++} & [[QQ]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1 [\bar{Q}\bar{Q}]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1]_{1_c}^0 & 1^{+-} & [[QQ]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1 [\bar{Q}\bar{Q}]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1]_{1_c}^1 \\
 & [[QQ]_{\frac{0}{6_c}}^0 [\bar{Q}\bar{Q}]_{\frac{0}{6_c}}^0]_{1_c}^0 & 2^{++} & [[QQ]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1 [\bar{Q}\bar{Q}]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1]_{1_c}^2
 \end{array}$$

- P-wave state: λ - and ρ - mode excitations.

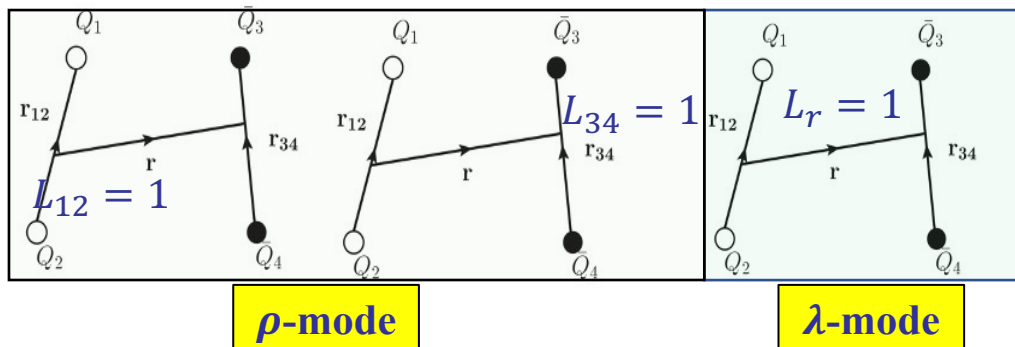


TABLE II. The color-flavor-spin configurations of the QQ ($\bar{Q}\bar{Q}$) diquark (antidiquark). The scripts “S” and “A” represent the exchange symmetry and antisymmetry for the identical particles, respectively.

Flavor	S-wave ($L = 0$)	Spin	Color		J^P
S	S	$S(S_{QQ} = 1)$	$\bar{3}_c(A)$	$[QQ]_{\frac{1}{3_c}}^1$	1^+
S	S	$A(S_{QQ} = 0)$	$6_c(S)$	$[QQ]_{\frac{0}{6_c}}^0$	0^+
Flavor	P -wave ($L = 1$)	Spin	Color		
S	A	$S(S_{QQ} = 1)$	$6_c(S)$	$[[QQ]_{\frac{1}{6_c}, \rho}^1]_{6_c}^0$	0^-
				$[[QQ]_{\frac{1}{6_c}, \rho}^1]_{6_c}^1$	1^-
				$[[QQ]_{\frac{1}{6_c}, \rho}^1]_{6_c}^2$	2^-
S	A	$S(S_{QQ} = 0)$	$\bar{3}_c(A)$	$[[QQ]_{\frac{0}{3_c}, \rho}^1]_{3_c}^1$	1^-

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S-wave $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$

- The S-wave $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$ state: $L_{12} = L_{34} = L_r = 0$.
- The coupling with non S-wave orbital excitations is neglected.

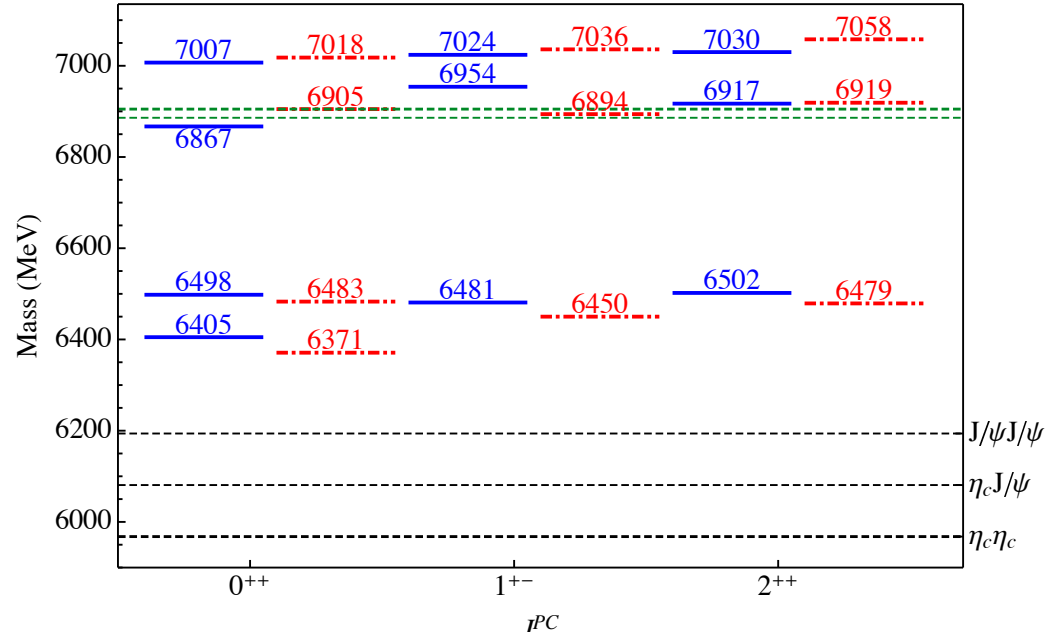


TABLE IV. The mass spectrum (MeV), the percentage of different color configurations, and the root mean square radius (fm) of the S-wave tetraquark states.

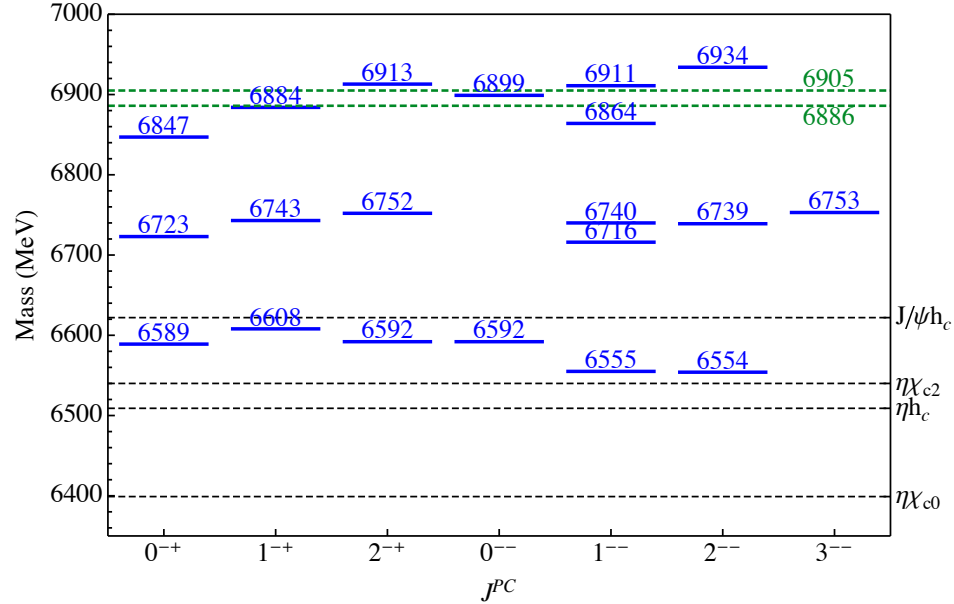
0^{++}	Mass	$\bar{3}_c \otimes 3_c$	$6_c \otimes \bar{6}_c$	$1_c \otimes 1_c$	$8_c \otimes 8_c$	r_{12}/r_{34}	r	r_{13}/r_{24}	r'
1S	6405	31.9%	68.1%	96.9%	3.13%	0.52	0.31	0.48	0.37
	6498	67.7%	32.3%	5.7%	94.3%	0.51	0.36	0.51	0.36
2S	6867	10.6%	89.4%	80.6%	19.4%	0.65	0.35	0.58	0.46
	7007	89.7%	10.3%	26.0%	74.0%	0.49	0.47	0.59	0.35
1^{+-}	Mass	$\bar{3}_c \otimes 3_c$	$6_c \otimes \bar{6}_c$	$1_c \otimes 1_c$	$8_c \otimes 8_c$	r_{12}/r_{34}	r	r_{13}/r_{24}	r'
1S	6481	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.48	0.37	0.51	0.34
2S	6954	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.61	0.44	0.61	0.43
3S	7024	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.66	0.42	0.62	0.46
2^{++}	Mass	$\bar{3}_c \otimes 3_c$	$6_c \otimes \bar{6}_c$	$1_c \otimes 1_c$	$8_c \otimes 8_c$	r_{12}/r_{34}	r	r_{13}/r_{24}	r'
1S	6502	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.49	0.39	0.53	0.35
2S	6917	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.55	0.60	0.72	0.39
3S	7030	100%	0%	33.3%	66.7%	0.64	0.46	0.64	0.45

- 0^{++} state: an admixture of $\bar{3}_c - 3_c$ and $6_c - \bar{6}_c$ configurations.
- 0^{++} ground state: $6_c - \bar{6}_c$ component is lighter and dominates.
- No bound states exist.
- Wide S-wave $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$: di - J/ψ , di - η_c , $\eta_c J/\psi$.
- $X(6900)$: wide S-wave states $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$ or 2^{++} .

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J^{PC}	Decay Modes
0^{++}	$\eta_c \eta_c$, $J/\psi J/\psi$, $\chi_{c1} \eta_c$ (P-wave), $J/\psi h_c$ (1P) (P-wave), $J/\psi \psi$ (2S), $\chi_{c0} \chi_{c0}$
1^{+-}	$\eta_c J/\psi$, $h_c \eta_c$ (P-wave), $J/\psi \chi_{c1}$ (P-wave), $\eta_c \psi'$, $h_c \chi_{c0}$
2^{++}	$J/\psi J/\psi$, $\eta_c \chi_{c1}$ (P-wave), $\eta_c \chi_{c2}$ (P-wave), $J/\psi h_c$ (P-wave), $J/\psi \psi$ (2S), $\chi_{c0} \chi_{c2}$

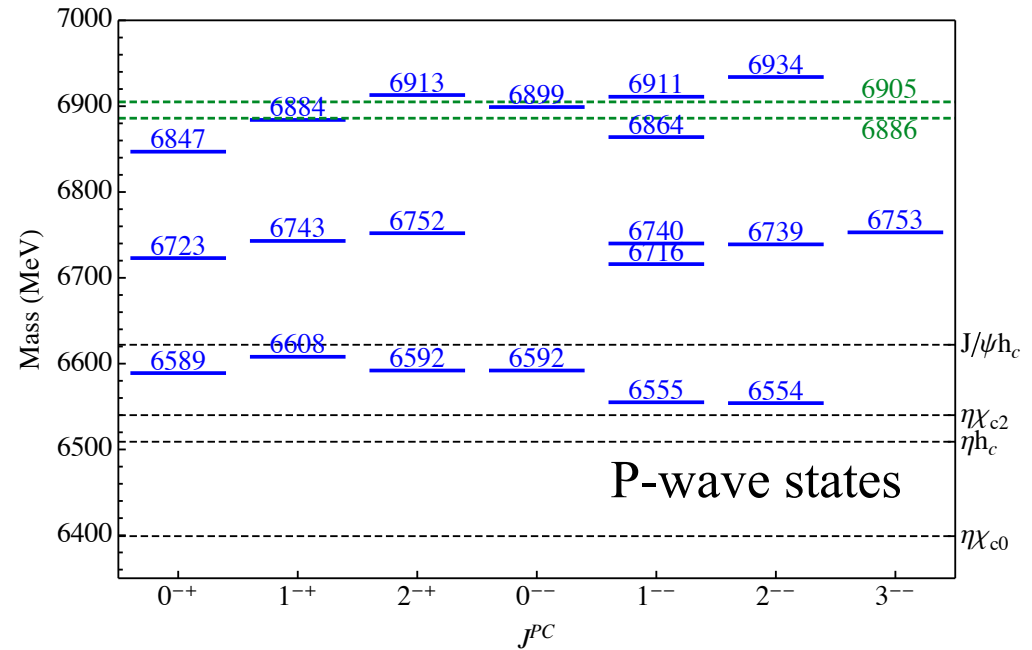
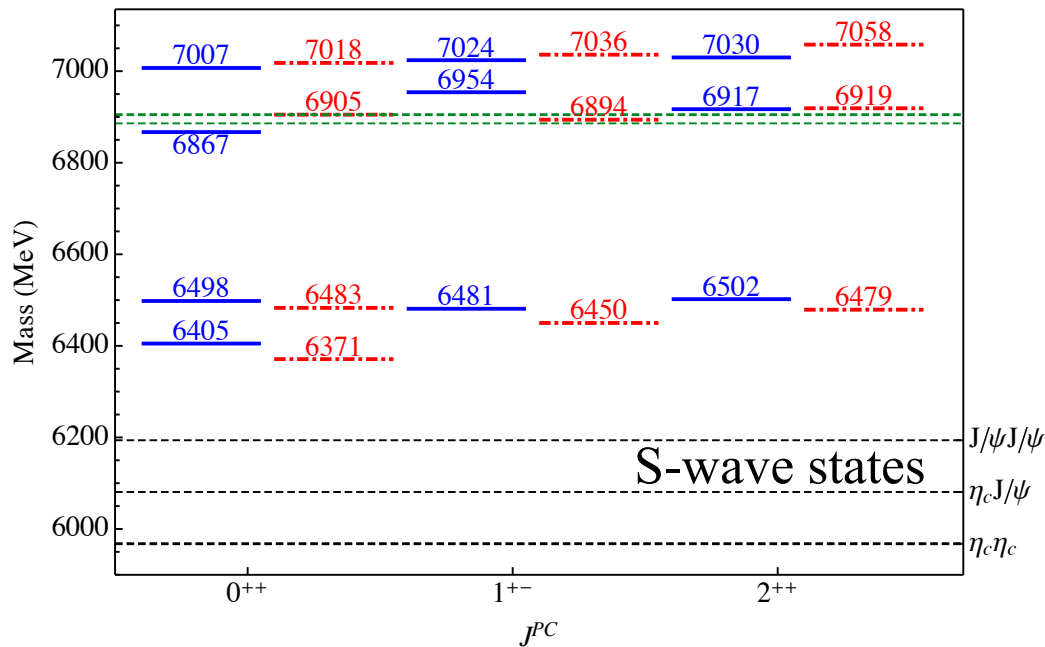
P-wave $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$



- New narrow $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$ tetraquark: especially $J^{PC} = 0^{--}$ or 1^{-+} .
- P-wave decay channels dominated: small decay widths.
- $X(6900)$: Narrow P-wave state with $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$ or 2^{-+} .

J^{PC}	Decay modes
0^{-+}	$J/\psi J/\psi$ (P-wave), $\eta_c \chi_{c0}$, $J/\psi h_c$, $J/\psi \psi(2S)$ (P-wave)
1^{-+}	$J/\psi J/\psi$ (P-wave), $J/\psi h_c$, $J/\psi \psi(2S)$ (P-wave)
2^{-+}	$J/\psi J/\psi$ (P-wave), $\eta_c \chi_{c2}$, $J/\psi h_c$, $J/\psi \psi(2S)$ (P-wave)
0^{--}	$\eta_c J/\psi$ (P-wave), $J/\psi \chi_{c1}$, $\eta_c \psi(2S)$ (P-wave)
1^{--}	$\eta_c J/\psi$ (P-wave), $\eta_c h_c$, $J/\psi \chi_{c0}$, $J/\psi \chi_{c1}$, $J/\psi \chi_{c2}$, $\eta_c \psi'$ (P-wave)
2^{--}	$\eta_c J/\psi$ (P-wave), $J/\psi \chi_{c1}$, $J/\psi \chi_{c2}$, $\eta_c \psi'$ (P-wave), $h_c \chi_{c0}$ (P-wave)
3^{--}	$J/\psi \chi_{c2}$

Questions



- No stable bound states exist in the quark models.
- The lowest fully charmed tetraquark state : **in mass region (6.5, 6.7, 6.9) GeV**
- $X(6900)$: wide S-wave states $J^{PC} = 0^{++}$ or 2^{++} or narrow P-wave states with $J^{PC} = 1^{-+}$ or 2^{-+} .
- **Redundancy states :**

✓ The finite number of the bases \longrightarrow discrete eigenvalues of the scattering states

✓ Multiquark states with large decay widths \longrightarrow hard to observe

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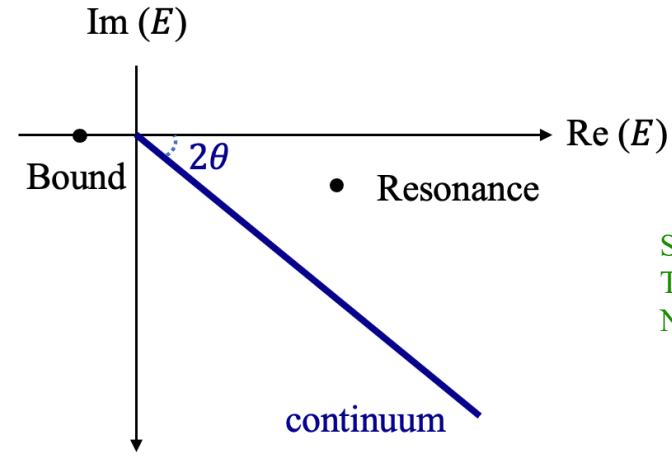
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Complex scaling method (CSM): $T_{cc\bar{c}\bar{c}}$

- **Complex scaling method:** identifying resonances

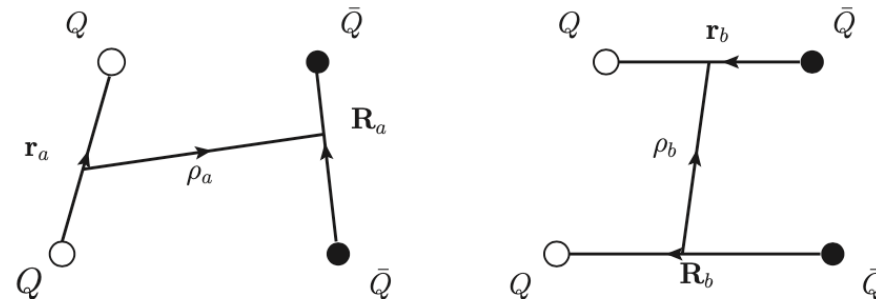
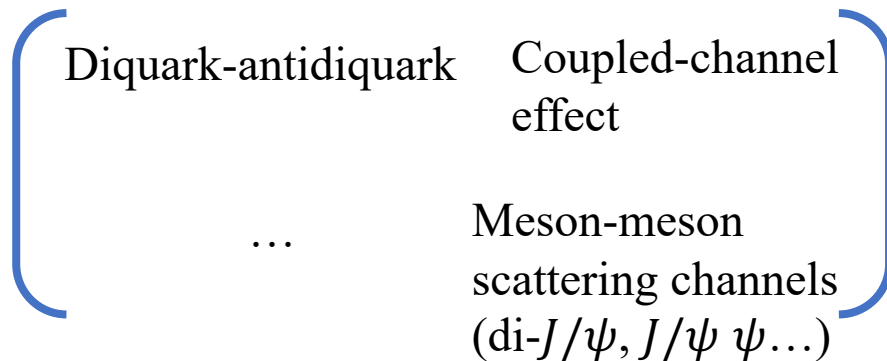
$$\mathbf{r} \rightarrow \mathbf{r}e^{i\theta}, \quad \mathbf{k} \rightarrow \mathbf{k}e^{-i\theta}$$

With the increasing θ , bound and resonant states will stay stable while scattering states (continuum states) will rotate with 2θ .

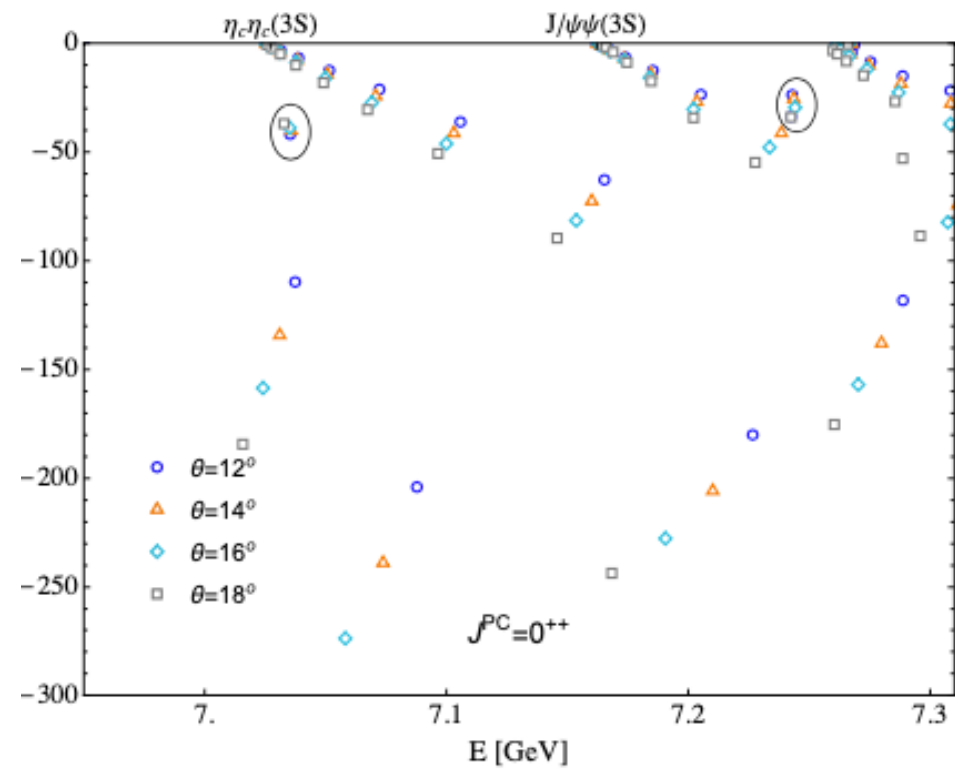
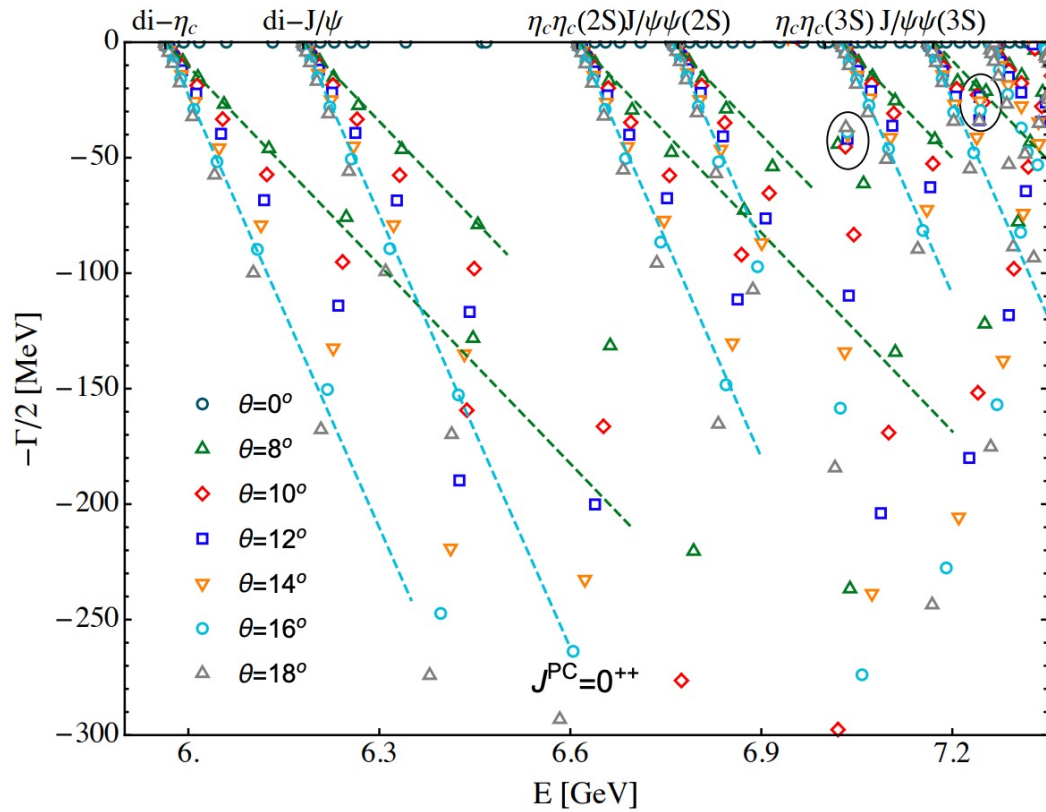


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- Complex scaling method for tetraquark state:



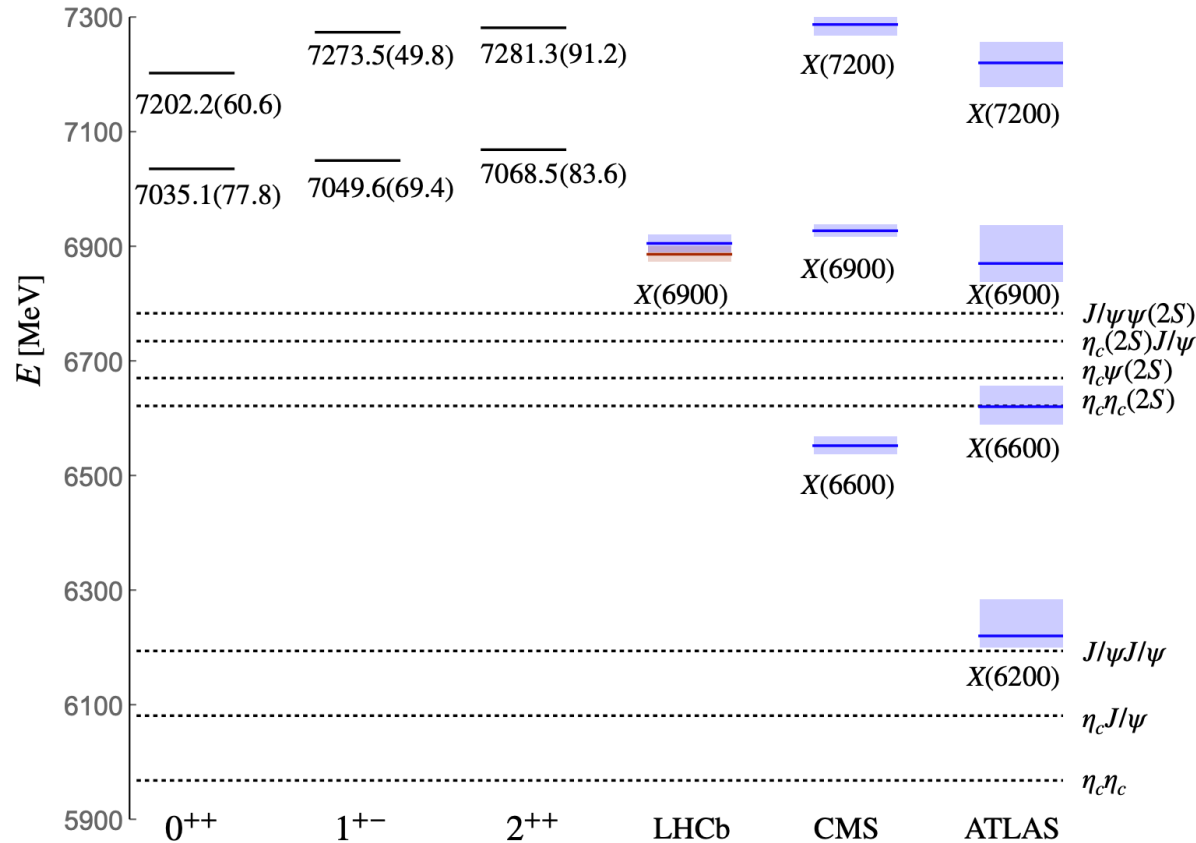
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- 1st pole: good convergency
- 2nd pole: quite close to the threshold lines with a scaling angle in the (8, 10) degree
- ✓ Higher states are more difficult to describe.

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J^{PC}	1st	2nd
0^{++}	$7035.1 - i 38.9$	$7202.2 - i 30.3$
1^{+-}	$7049.6 - i 34.7$	$7273.5 - i 24.9$
2^{++}	$7068.5 - i 41.8$	$7281.3 - i 45.6$

- **1st pole VS $X(6900)$:**
 \checkmark 100 MeV higher mass & consistent decay width
- **2nd pole: a candidate for $X(7200)$.**
- **Absence of the lower $X(6600)$ state.**
 \checkmark a wide resonance asymptote will oscillate very strongly in the complex plane.
- **The confinement mechanism $\sim br$.**

→ Oka san's talk

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Thank you for your attention!