

Searching for detectable effects induced by anomalous threshold triangle singularity

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Outline

- **Earlier study**
- **Anomalous triangle singularity (ATS)**
- **Promising processes to detect ATS**
- **Searching for charmoniumlike states with hidden $s\bar{s}$**
- **Production of the pentaquark “ P_c ”**
- **Summary**

Earlier study in 1960s

➤ **Connections between kinematic singularities of the S-matrix elements and resonance-like peaks: e.g. Peierls mechanism**

R.F.Peierls, PRL6,641(1961);

R.C.Hwa, PhysRev130,2580(1963);

C.Goebel,PRL13,143(1964);

P.Landshoff&S.Treiman Phys.Rev.127,649(1962);

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➤ **Some disadvantages:**

✓ **Few experiments to search for the effects;**

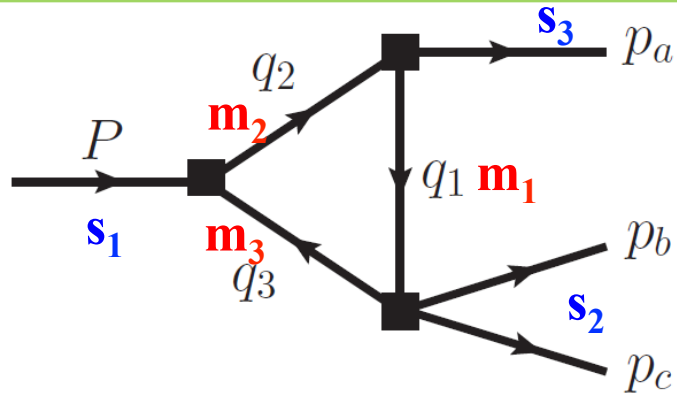
✓ **Low statistics;**

✓ **For the elastic scattering process, singularities of the triangle diagram will be weakened by the corresponding tree diagram without rescattering, according to the so called Schmid theorem**

C.Schmid,Phys.Rev.154,1363(1967);

A.V.Anisovich,PLB345,321(1995)

Anomalous Triangle Singularity



$$P^2 = s_1, (p_b + p_c)^2 = s_2$$

$$p_a^2 = s_3$$

$$\Gamma_3(s_1, s_2, s_3) = \frac{-1}{16\pi^2} \int_0^1 \int_0^1 \int_0^1 da_1 da_2 da_3 \frac{\delta(1 - a_1 - a_2 - a_3)}{D - i\epsilon}$$

$$D = \sum_{i,j=1}^3 a_i a_j Y_{ij}, \quad Y_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} [m_i^2 + m_j^2 - (q_i - q_j)^2]$$

✓ Singularity in the complex space

Necessary conditions (Landau Equation)

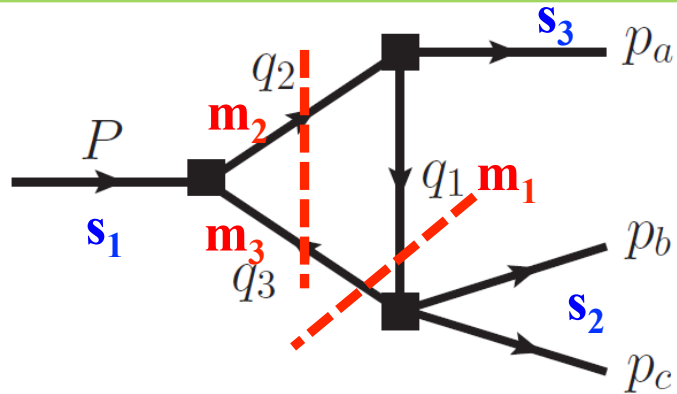
$$D = 0,$$

$$\text{either } a_j = 0 \text{ or } \frac{\partial D}{\partial a_j} = 0.$$

Leading singularity

Landau, Nucl.Phys.13,181(1959)

Anomalous Triangle Singularity



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The position of the singularity is obtained by solving

$$\det[Y_{ij}] = 0$$

Normal Threshold

$s_1, s_3, m_{1,2,3}$ fixed

$$s_2^\pm = (m_1 + m_3)^2 + \frac{1}{2m_2^2} [(m_1^2 + m_2^2 - s_3)(s_1 - m_2^2 - m_3^2) - 4m_2^2 m_1 m_3$$

$$\pm \lambda^{1/2}(s_1, m_2^2, m_3^2) \lambda^{1/2}(s_3, m_1^2, m_2^2)], \quad \lambda(x, y, z) \equiv (x - y - z)^2 - 4yz$$

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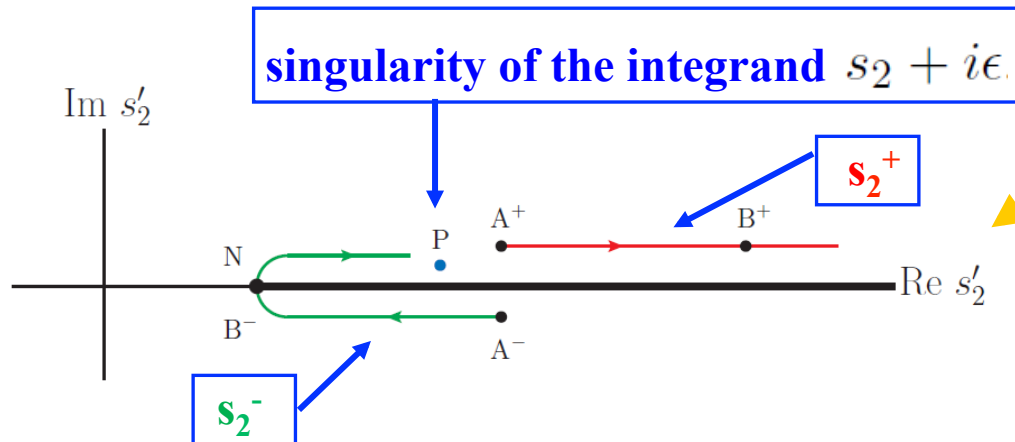
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Anomalous Triangle Singularity

By means of single dispersion relation, the locations of s_2^\pm in the s_2' -plane can be determined by

$$s_2^\pm(s_1 + i\epsilon) = s_2(s_1) + i\epsilon \frac{\partial s_2^\pm}{\partial s_1}$$



Trajectory of the branch points s_2^- , s_2^+ with s_1 increases from normal threshold to infinity in the complex s_2' -plane

$$A^\pm : s_1 = (m_2 + m_3)^2, \quad B^\pm : s_1 = (m_2 + m_3)^2 + \frac{m_3}{m_1} [(m_2 - m_1)^2 - s_3] = s_{1C}$$

$$A^- : s_2^- = (m_1 + m_3)^2 + \frac{m_3}{m_2} [(m_2 - m_1)^2 - s_3] - i\epsilon = s_{2C}$$

$$B^- : s_2^- = (m_1 + m_3)^2 = s_{2N}$$

s_2^- and P will pinch the integral contour

This pinch singularity is the anomalous triangle singularity (ATS)

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singularity of the integrand $s_2 + i\epsilon$.

Trajectory of the branch

“The kinematic conditions for the existence of singularities on the physical boundary are equivalent to the condition that the relevant Feynman diagram be interpretable as a picture of an energy and momentum-conserving process occurring in space-time, with all internal particles real, on the mass shell and moving forward in time.”

Coleman&Norton, Nuovo Cimento 38,5018 (1965)

Fronsdal&Norton, J.Math.Phys. 5, 100(1964)

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Anomalous Triangle Singularity

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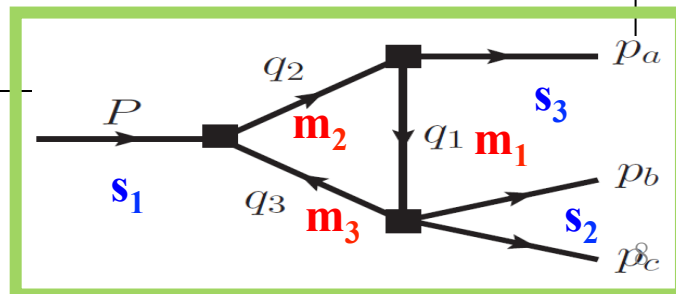
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Largest discrepancy

Enlarge

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Anomalous Triangle Singularity

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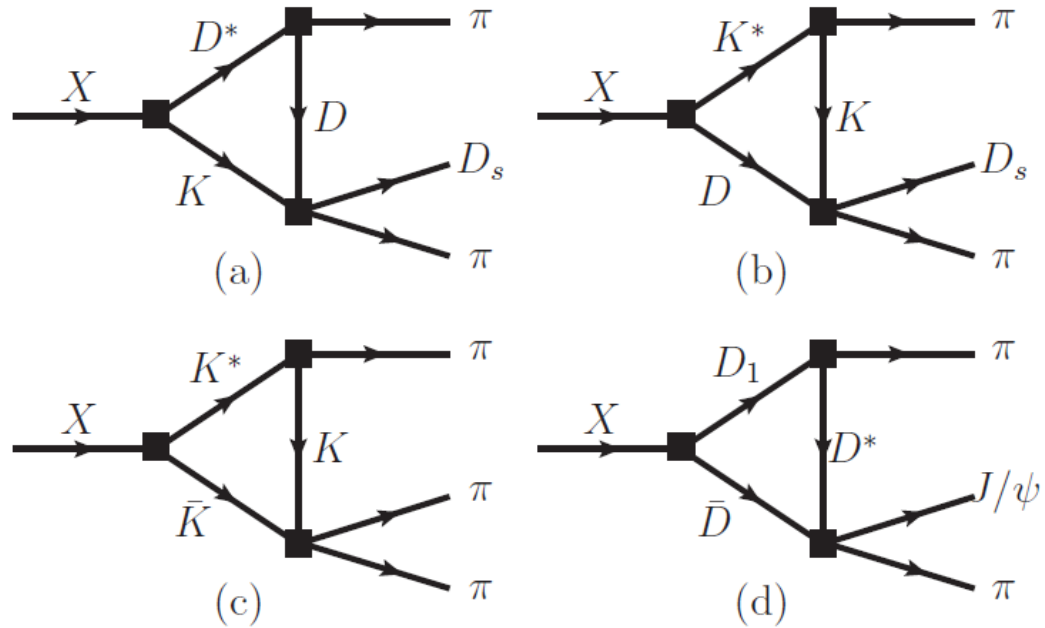
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How to amplify the discrepancy between normal and anomalous threshold?



If the discrepancy is larger, maybe it could be used to distinguish the kinematic singularities from genuine particles.

Possible rescatterings to detect ATS

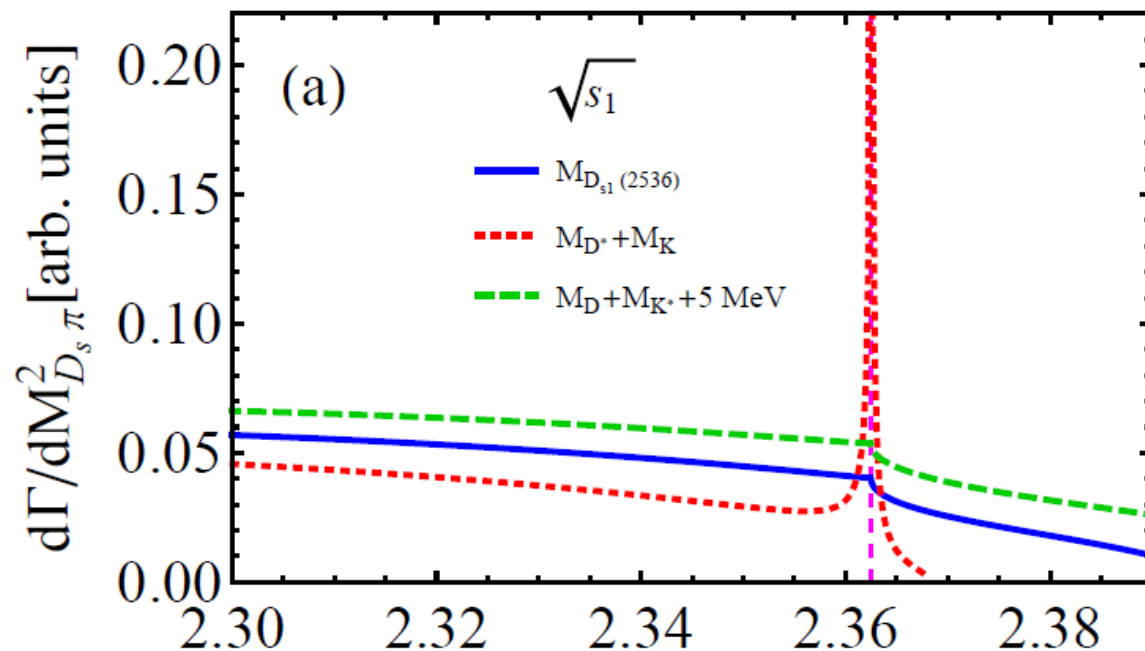
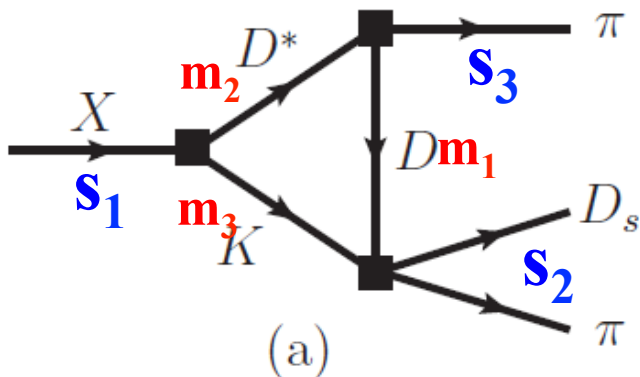


Kinematic region of ATS

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Liu, Oka, Zhao, arXiv:1507.01674

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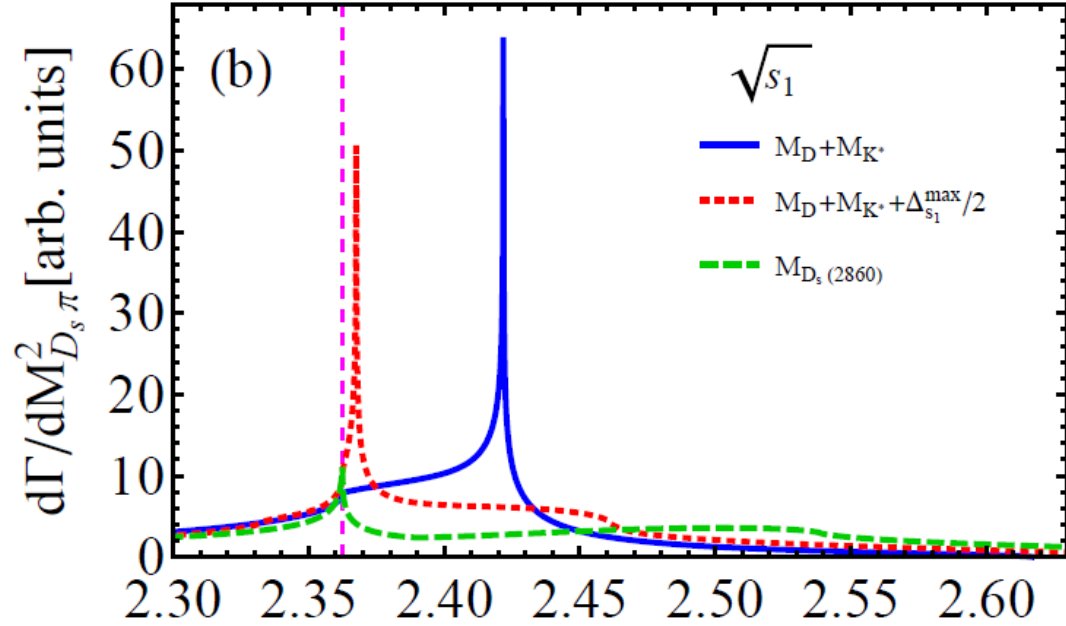
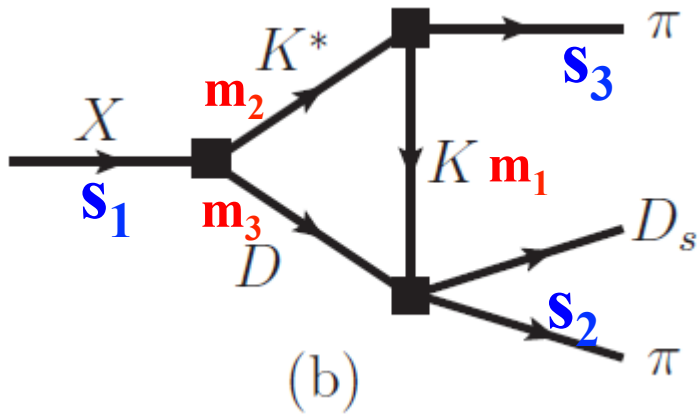
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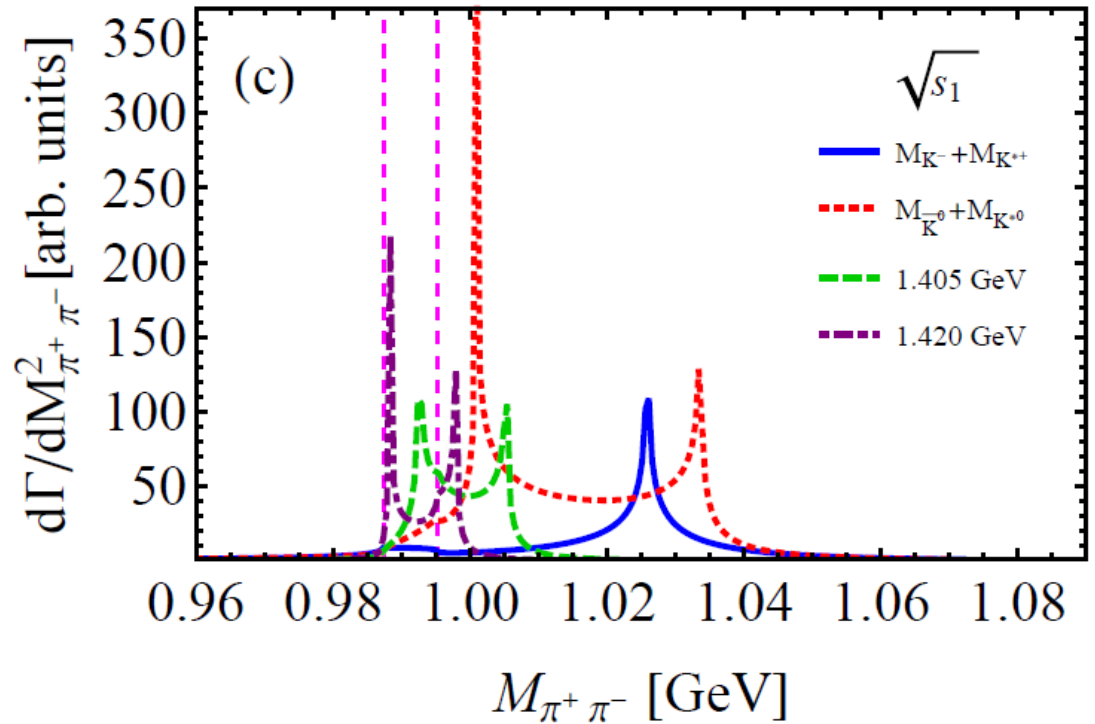
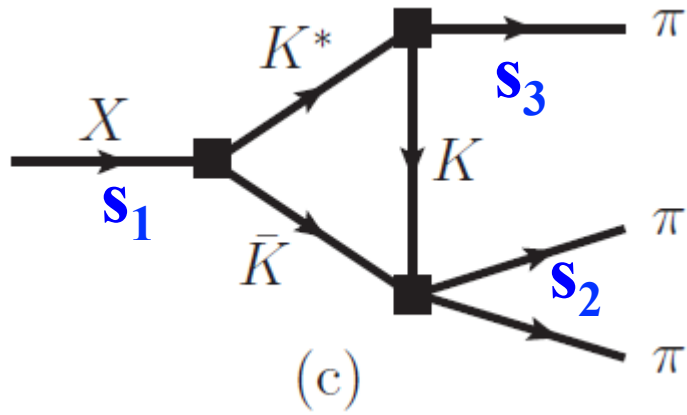
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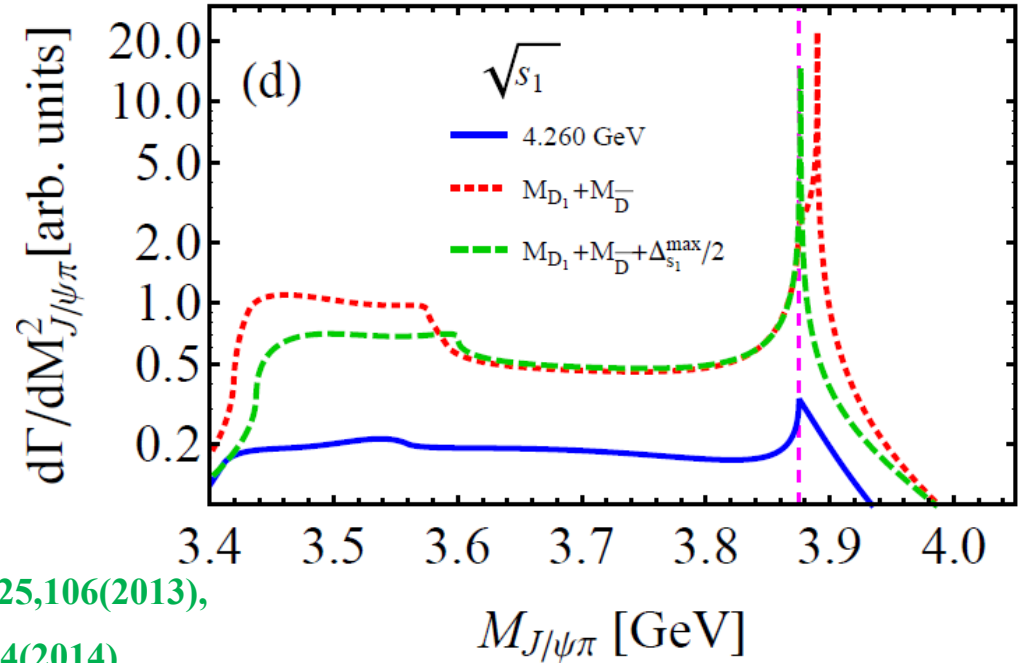
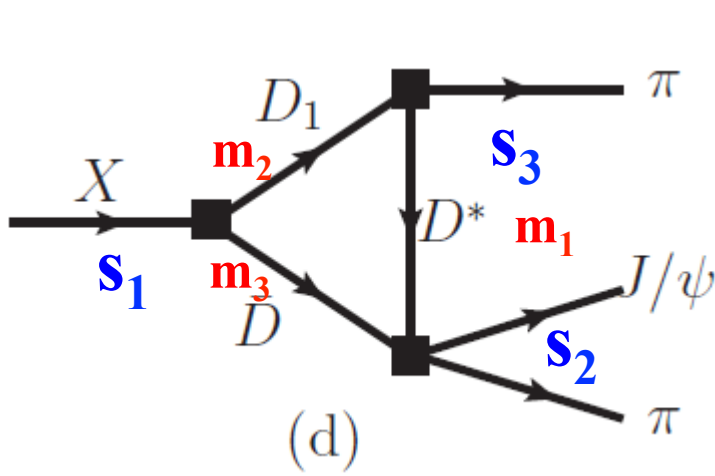
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Wu, Liu, Zhao & Zou, PRL108,081803(2012)

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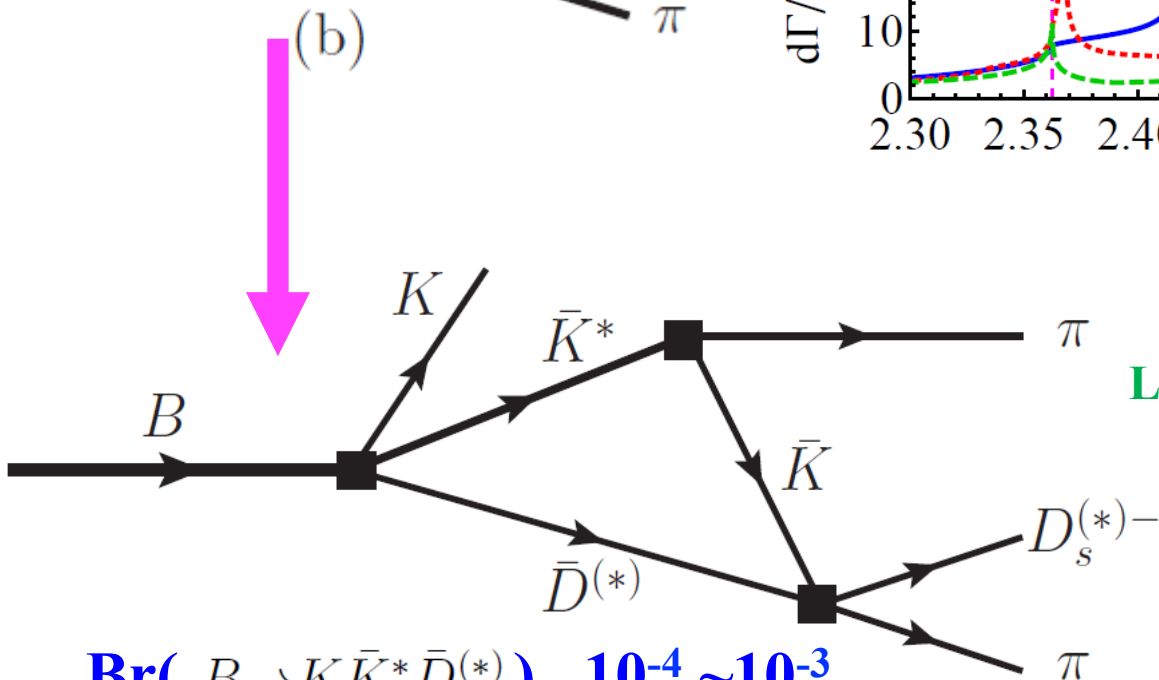
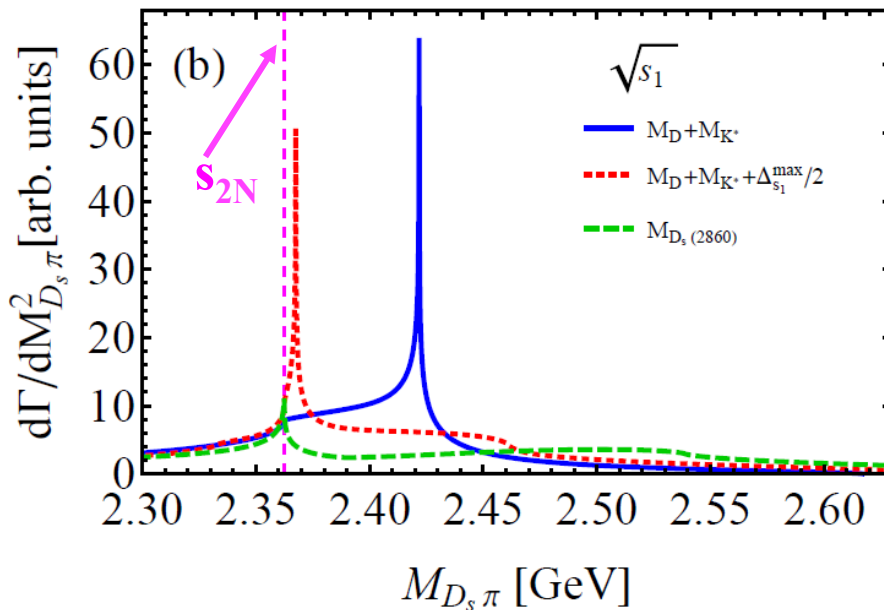
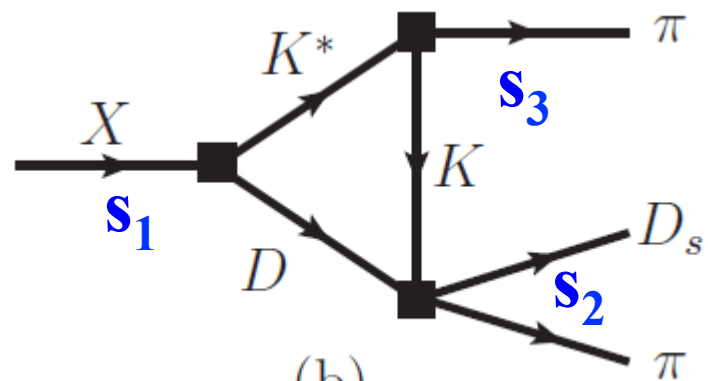
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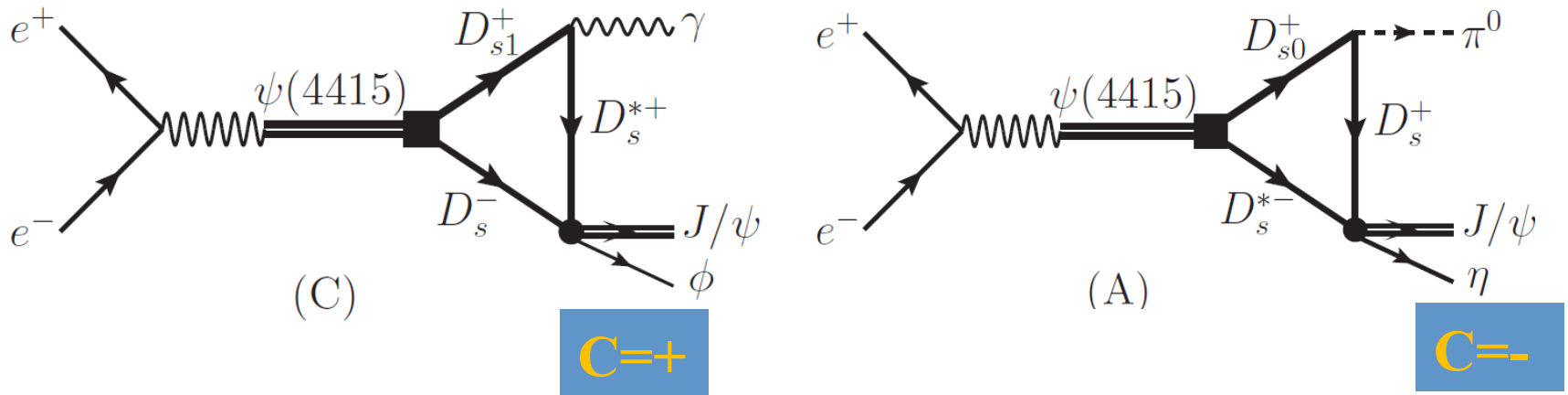
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$$\text{Br}(B \rightarrow K \bar{K}^* \bar{D}^{(*)}) \quad 10^{-4} \sim 10^{-3}$$

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Searching for charmoniumlike states with hidden SS



Advantages:

- ✓ $D_{s0}(2317)$ and $D_{s1}(2436)$ are very narrow, ($\Gamma < 3.8$ MeV), influence of ATS will be obvious;
- ✓ Heavy quark spin symmetry is conserved at each vertex, leading order contribution;
- ✓ Thresholds of $D_{s0}(2317) D_s^*$, $D_{s1}(2436) D_s$ are very close to $\psi(4415)$

Disadvantage: The discrepancy will not be very large (pure charmed meson loops)

higher energy resolution is necessary to observe the discrepancy;

Searching for charmoniumlike states with hidden $s\bar{s}$

Charmoniumlike states with hidden $s\bar{s}$

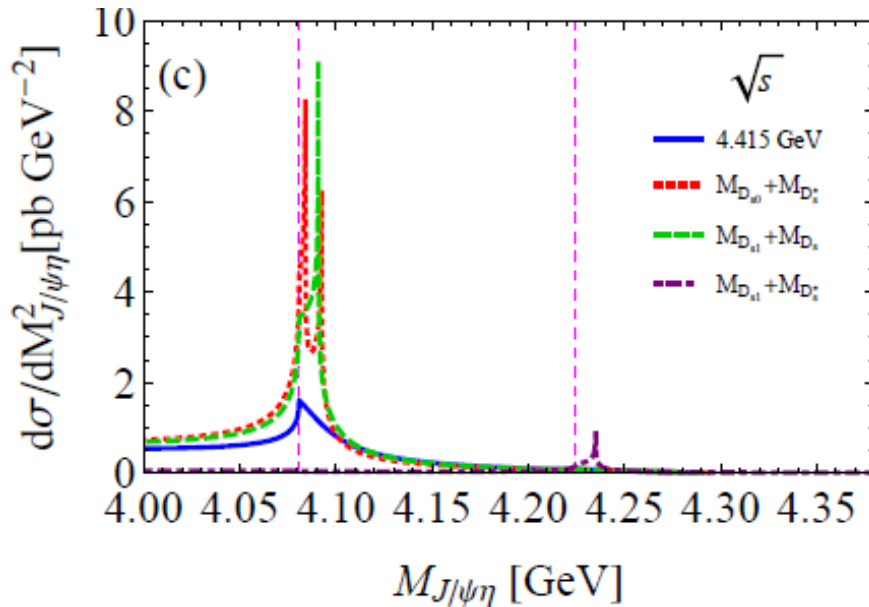
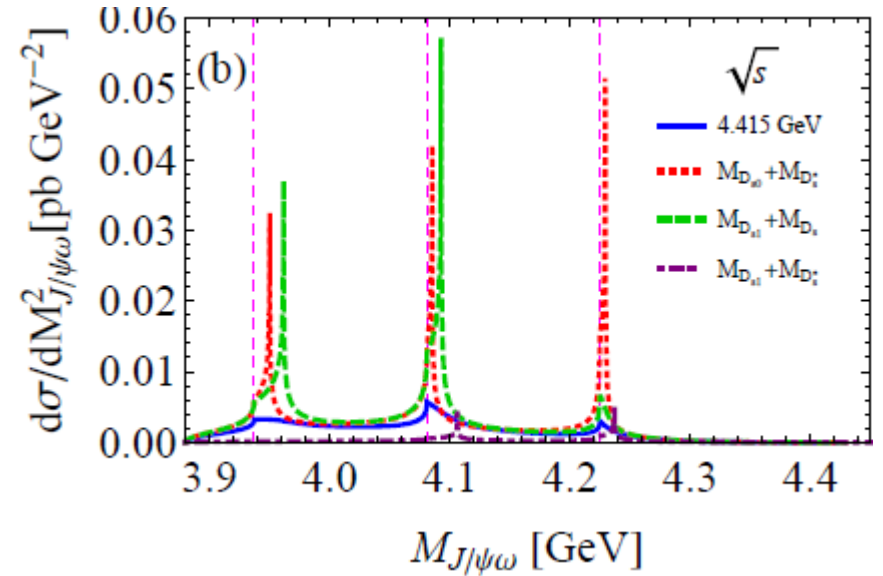
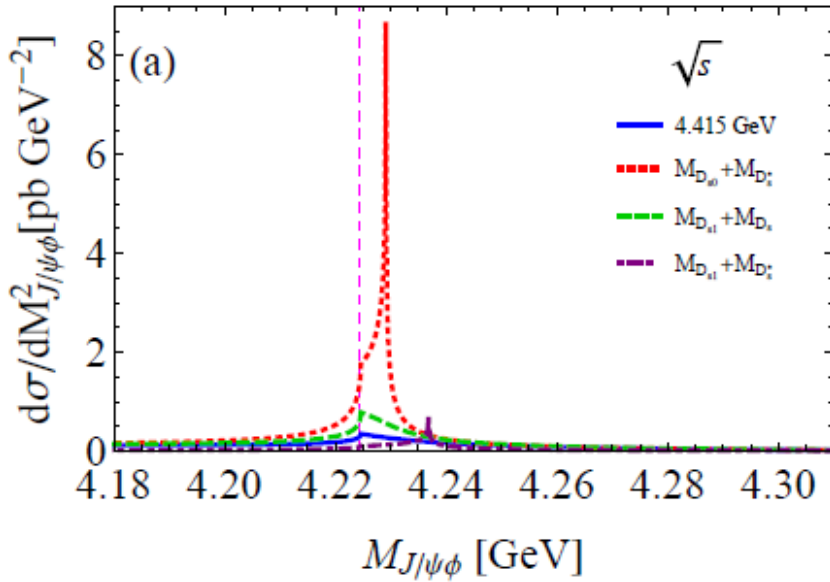
Y(4140), Y(4274), Y(4350):

- ✓ Observed in $J/\psi\phi$ invariant mass distribution; very narrow ($\Gamma \sim 20, 30$ MeV);
- ✓ Close to $D_s^{(*)} D_s^{(*)}$, $D_{s0} D_s^{(*)}$ thresholds;
- ✓ Existence need to be confirmed.

X(3915):

- ✓ Observed in $J/\psi\omega$ invariant mass distribution; very narrow ($\Gamma \sim 20$ MeV);
- ✓ Some problems if identify it as $\chi_{c0}(2P)$: not observed in $D\bar{D}$; fine splitting $M[\chi_{c2}(2P)] - M[\chi_{c0}(2P)]$ is too small;
- ✓ Close to $D_s D_s$ threshold; the $s\bar{s}$ component in ω is not very small, may be connected.

Searching for charmoniumlike states with hidden SS

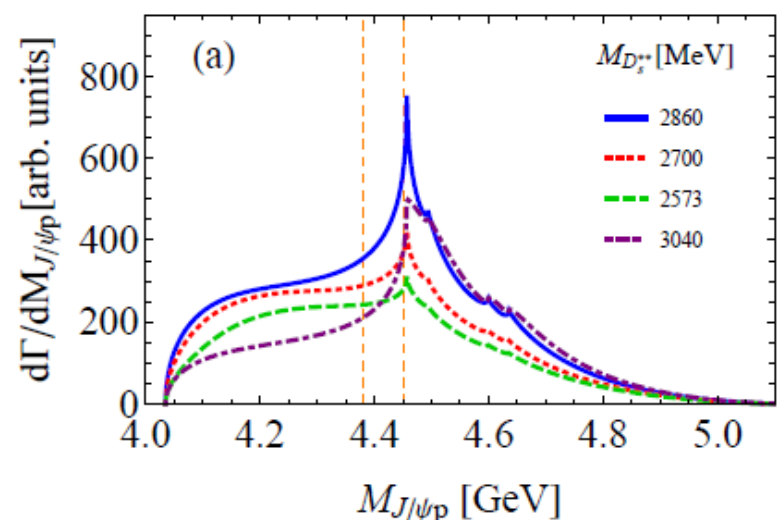
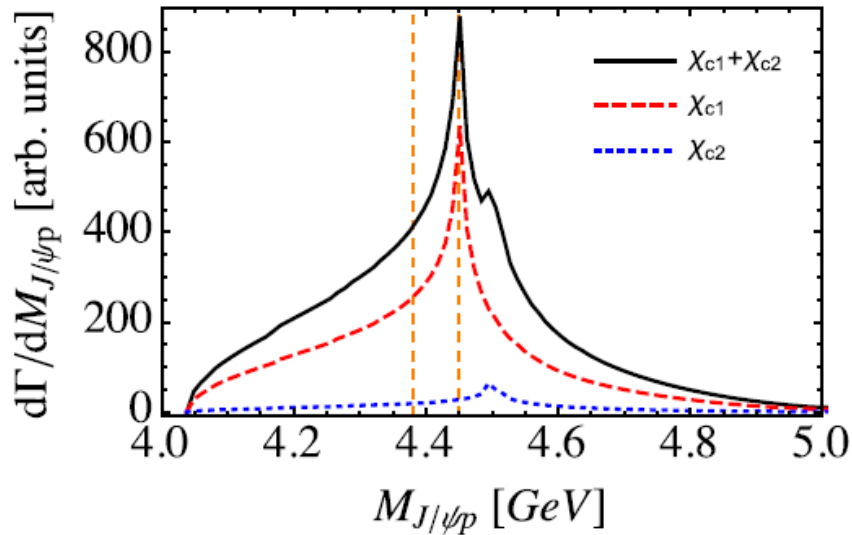
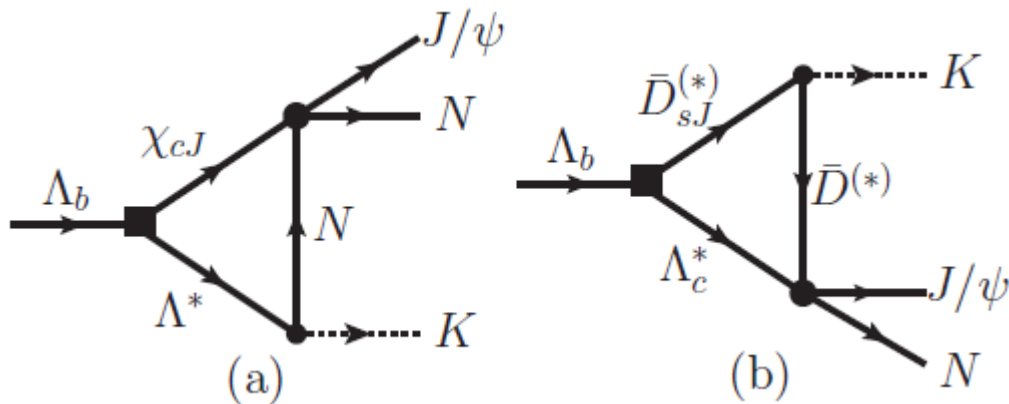
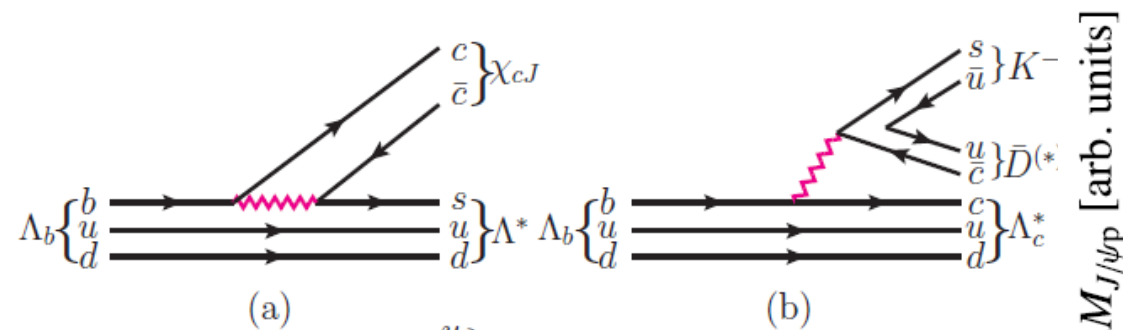


**Possible connections
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charmoniumlike states
with hidden $\bar{s}s$**

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Explanation of pentaquark Pc



Thresholds [GeV]	$\chi_{c0}(1P) 0^+$	$\chi_{c1}(1P) 1^+$	$\chi_{c2}(1P) 2^+$
$p 1/2^+$	4.353	4.449	4.494

Thresholds [GeV]	$\Lambda_c(2286) 1/2^+$	$\Lambda_c(2595) 1/2^-$	$\Lambda_c(2625) 3/2^-$
$\bar{D}(1865) 0^-$	4.151	4.457	4.493
$\bar{D}^*(2007) 1^-$	4.293	4.599	4.635

Liu, Wang, Zhao, arXiv:1507.05359

Guo et al, arXiv:1507.04950

Summary

- Kinematic singularities (ATS) of the rescattering amplitude will behave themselves as peaks in the invariant mass distribution, which may imply that non-resonance interpretations for some resonance-like structures (XYZ particles) is possible.
- Criterion to distinguish kinematic singularities from genuine particles: **peak positions (or “masses”)** of the resonance-like peaks will depend on their production modes; **we can make this dependence become sensitive to the kinematics in some special processes; For a genuine particle, its measured mass will not be changed too much in different production modes.**
- It is promising to search for the charmoniumlike structures in the processes $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma J/\psi\phi, \gamma J/\psi\omega, J/\psi\eta\pi^0$ at the center of mass energy around $D_{s0}(2317) D_s^*, D_{s1}(2436) D_s$ thresholds.
- One possible mechanism for the production of the pentaquark P_c .

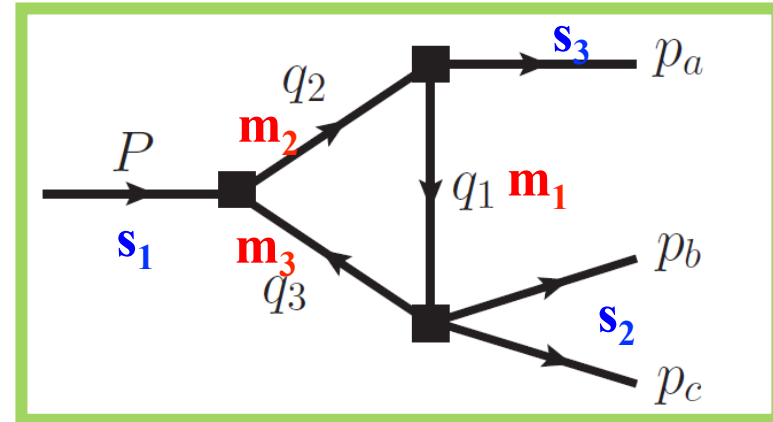
Backup

Anomalous Triangle Singularity

Single dispersion relation

$$\Gamma_3(s_1, s_2, s_3) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{(m_1+m_3)^2}^{\infty} \frac{ds'_2}{s'_2 - s_2 - i\epsilon} \sigma(s_1, s'_2, s_3)$$

$$\sigma(s_1, s_2, s_3) = \sigma_+ - \sigma_-$$



$$\sigma_{\pm}(s_1, s_2, s_3) = \frac{-1}{16\pi\lambda^{1/2}(s_1, s_2, s_3)} \log[-s_2(s_1 + s_3 - s_2 + m_1^2 + m_3^2 - 2m_2^2) - (s_1 - s_3)(m_1^2 - m_3^2) \pm \lambda^{1/2}(s_1, s_2, s_3)\lambda^{1/2}(s_2, m_1^2, m_3^2)].$$

Work in the kinematical region

$$s_1 \leq (m_2 + m_3)^2, \quad s_3 \leq (m_2 - m_1)^2, \quad 0 < s_2 < (m_1 + m_3)^2$$

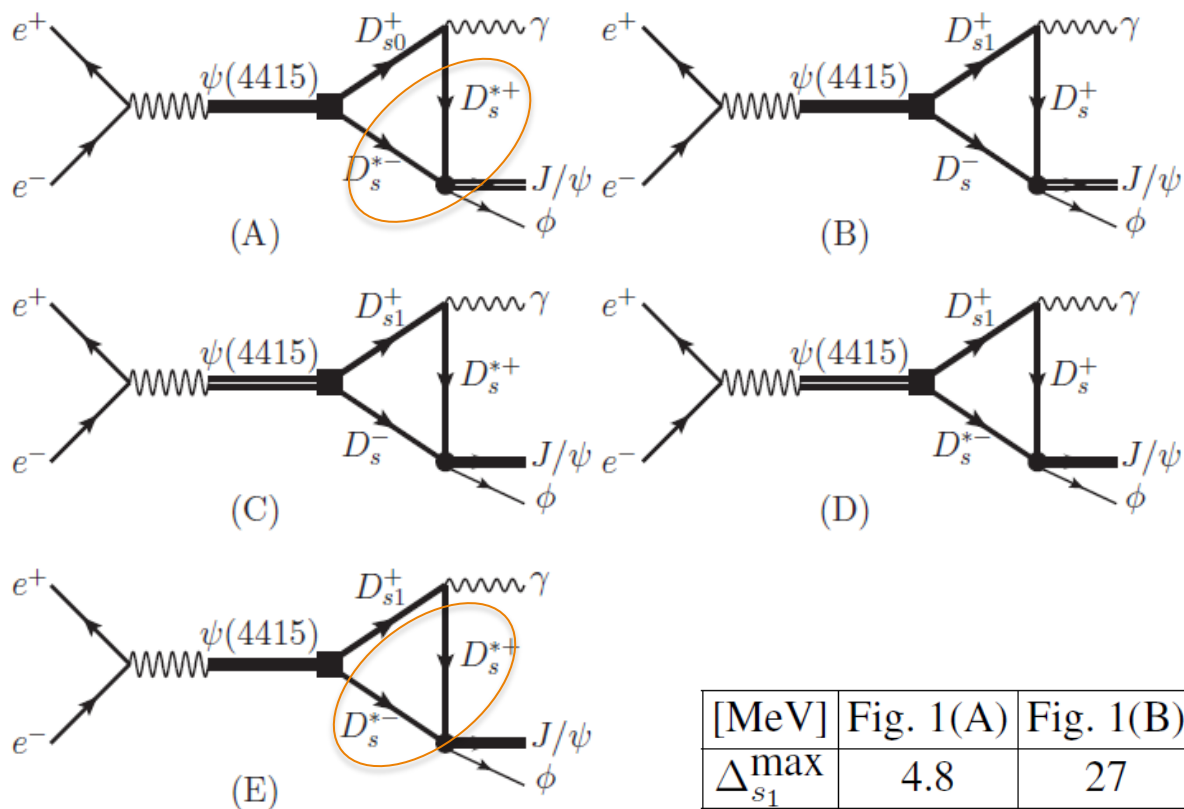
By analytic continuation, it can be extended into the over threshold region [Fronsdal&Norton, J.Math.Phys. 5,100\(1964\)](#)

$$s_1 \geq (m_2 + m_3)^2, \quad (m_1 + m_3)^2 \leq s_2 \leq (\sqrt{s_1} - \sqrt{s_3})^2, \quad 0 \leq \sqrt{s_3} \leq m_2 - m_1$$

Branch points of the log function s_2^{\pm}

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Possible connections between ATS and these charmoniumlike states with hidden $s\bar{s}$



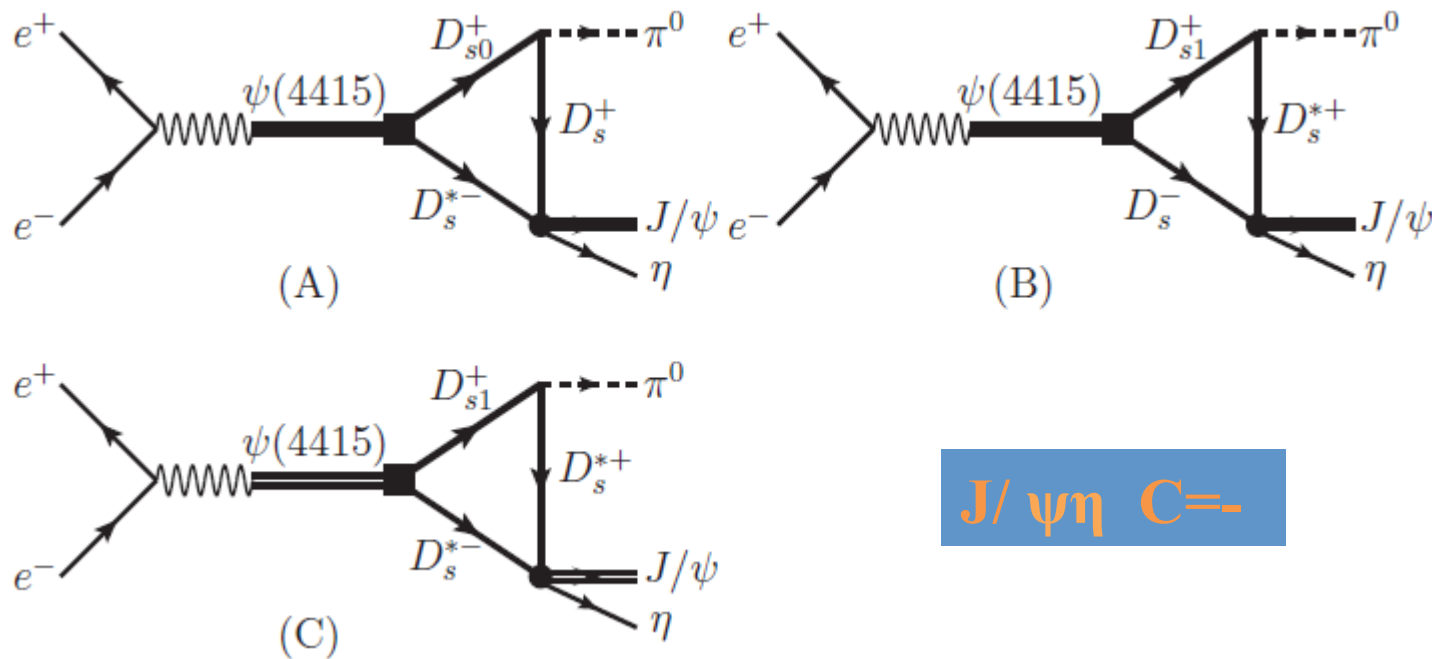
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Searching for charmoniumlike states with hidden SS

Our Model is constructed in the framework of HHChPT

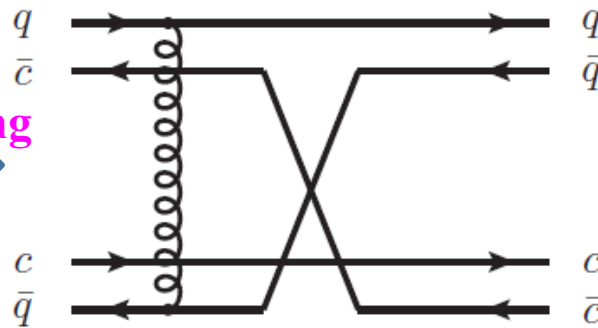
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{eff} = & g_S \langle J\bar{S}_{2a}\bar{H}_{1a} + J\bar{H}_{2a}\bar{S}_{1a} \rangle + C_S \langle J\bar{H}_{2b}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\bar{H}_{1a}\mathcal{A}_{ba}^\mu \rangle + C_V \langle J\bar{H}_{2b}\gamma_\mu\bar{H}_{1a}\rho_{ba}^\mu \rangle \\ & + ih \langle \bar{H}_{1a}S_{1b}\gamma_\mu\gamma_5\mathcal{A}_{ba}^\mu \rangle + \frac{e\tilde{\beta}}{4} \langle \bar{H}_{1a}S_{1b}\sigma^{\mu\nu}F_{\mu\nu}Q_{ba} \rangle + \dots \end{aligned} \quad (19)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{mix} = \theta_{\eta\pi}\eta\pi^0 + \theta_{\omega\phi}\phi\omega$$

$$\theta_{\eta\pi} \simeq 0.01, \quad \theta_{\omega\phi} \simeq 0.065$$

Estimate coupling constants: matching the amplitude with that obtained from quark interchange model

$$\begin{aligned} D_s^{(*)+} D_s^{(*)-} &\rightarrow J/\psi\phi \\ D_s^{(*)+} D_s^{(*)-} &\rightarrow J/\psi\eta \end{aligned} \quad \text{matching}$$



C1-prior

Barnes&Swanson,PRD46,4868(1992), X.H.Liu et al., PRD90,074020(2014)

$$\begin{aligned} C_S &\approx 1.73 \text{ GeV}^{-3/2} \\ C_V &\approx 46 \text{ GeV}^{-3/2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\psi(4S) \rightarrow D_{s0} D_s^* \quad \text{matching} \quad \text{Barnes et al., PRD72,054026(2005)} \quad \text{3P}_0 \text{ decay model} \quad \rightarrow \quad g_S \approx 1.51 \text{ GeV}^{-1/2}$$

This estimation is model dependent, but will make sense at the order of magnitude.