



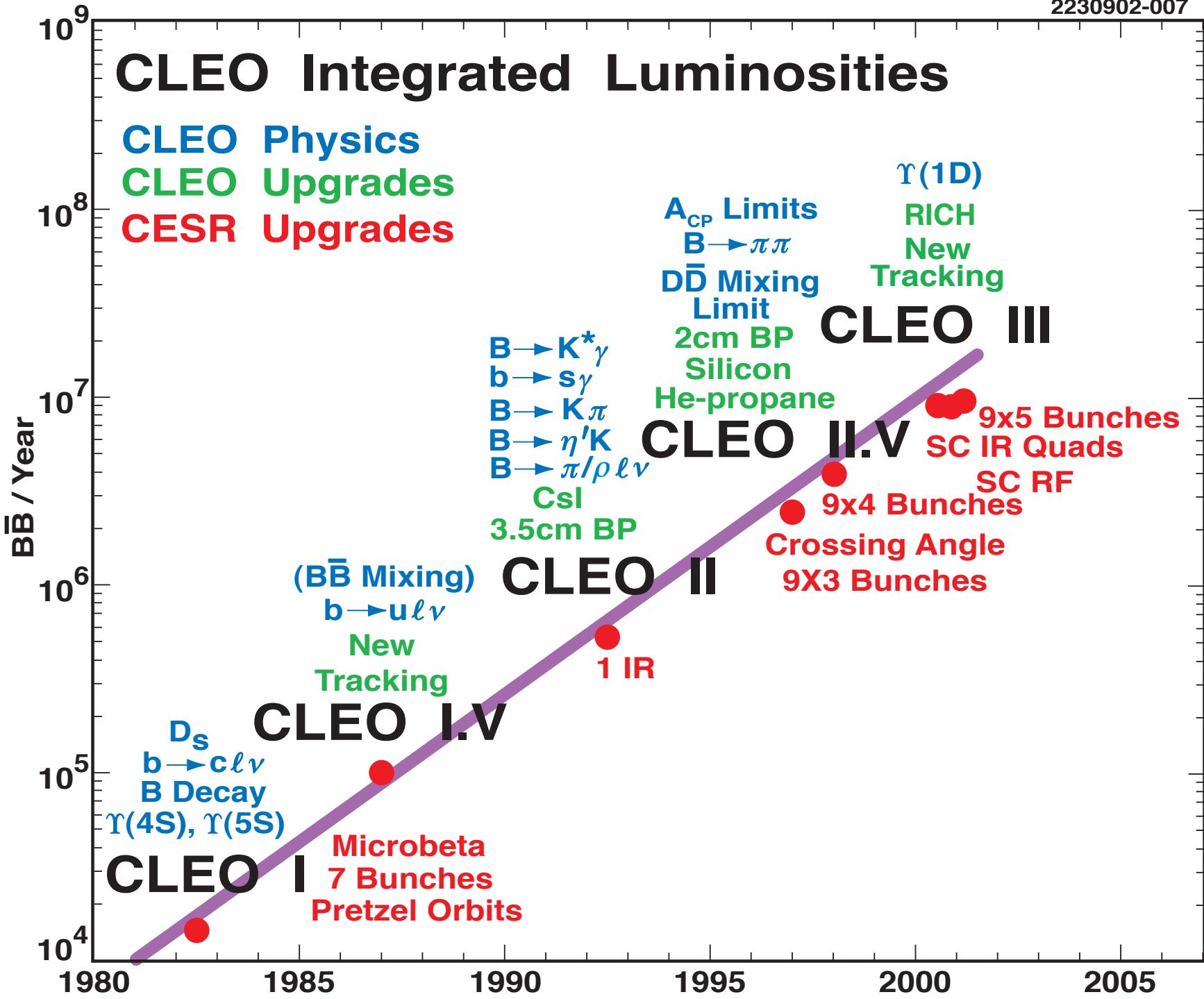
Recent CLEO Charm Meson and Baryon Results

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We will discuss the following results:

- 1) First Observation of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$
Branching Ratio and Dalitz Plot Structure
- 2) Form factors in $D^0 \rightarrow \{\pi^-, K^-\} e^+ \nu$
First measurement of $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu_e$ Form Factor
- 3) Measurement of $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow p K^- K^- \pi^+$
Color-Suppressed Diagrams in Ξ_c^0 Decay

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1) First Observation of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$

CLEO-II.V analysis to be submitted to Phys.Rev.Lett.

Little is known about D^0 decays including η :

PDG 2002: $\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \eta X) < 13\% @ 90\% \text{ CL}$

$K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$ is a $CP = +1$ eigenstate with potential resonant substructures. For example:

- $D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^{*0}(892)\eta$
- $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0^0(980)$
- Others?

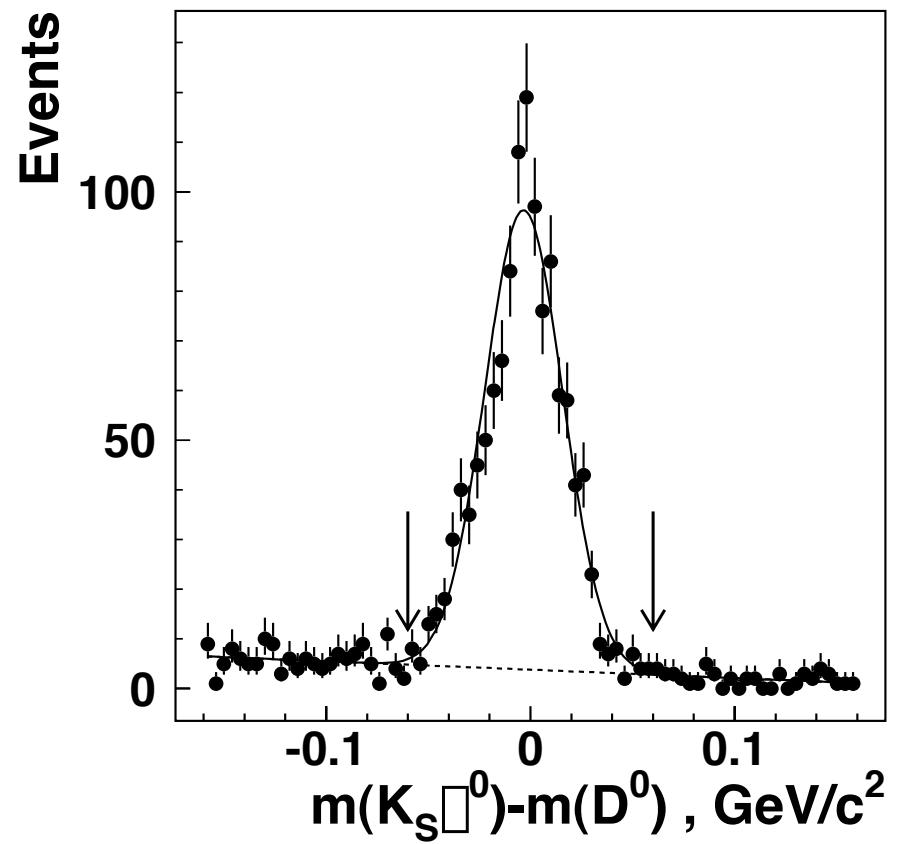
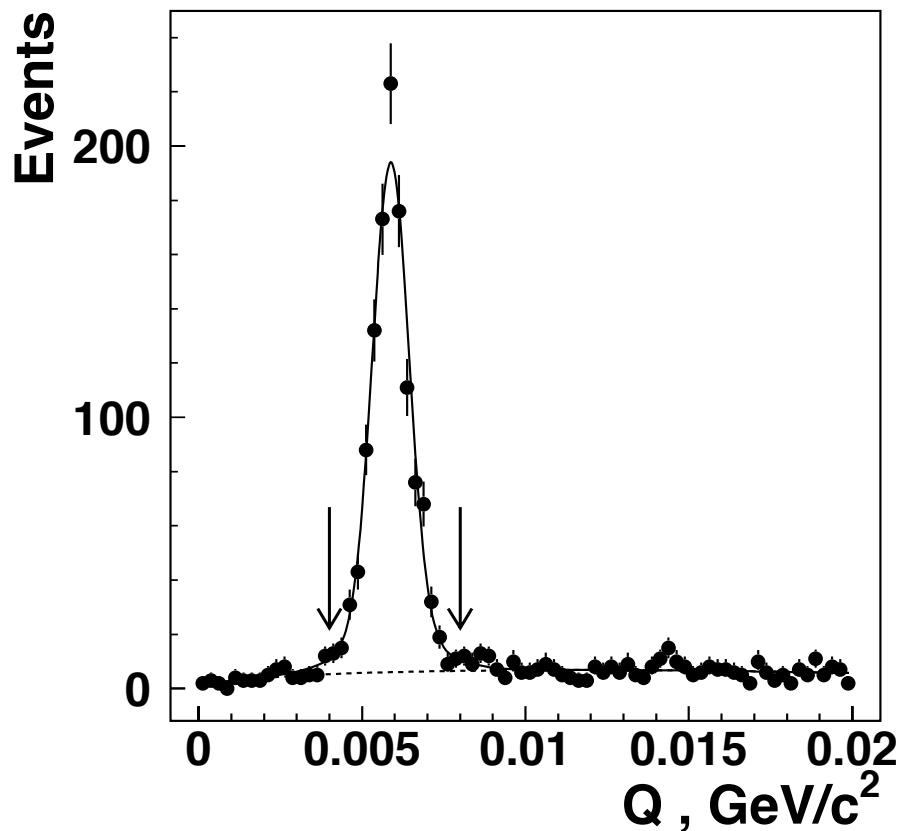
Underlying scalar mesons in D decay are still controversial

$a_0(980)$, $f_0(980)$, “ σ ”, “ κ ”, ...

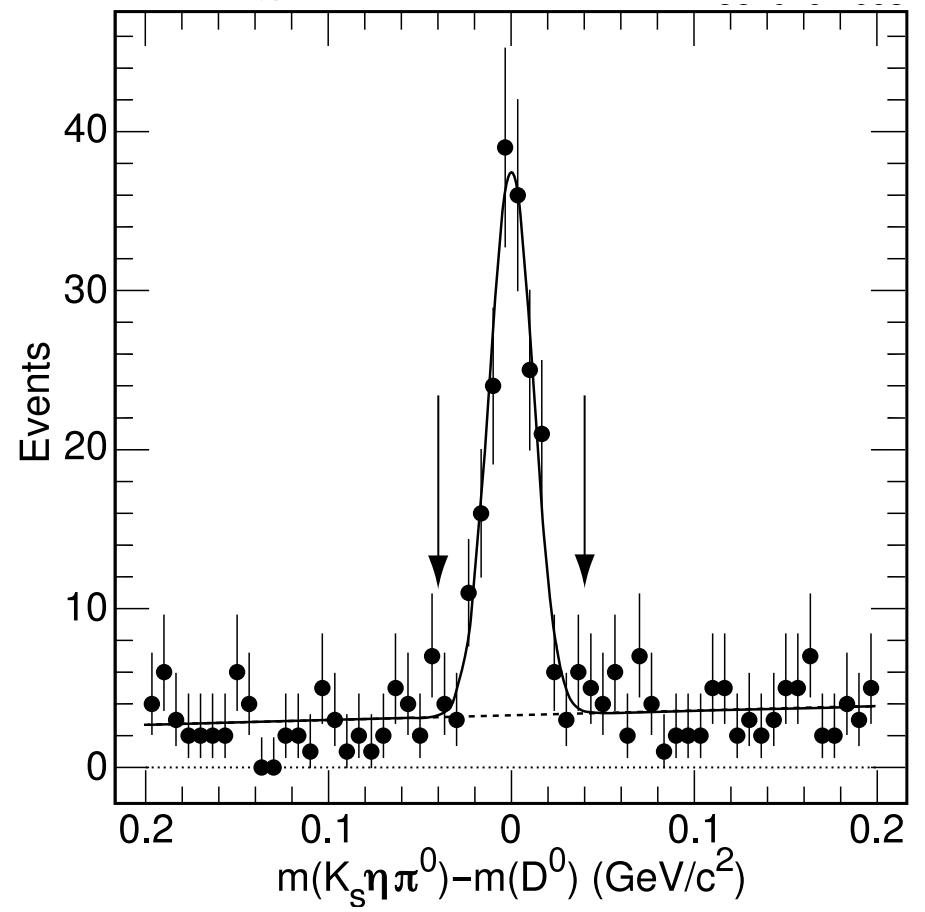
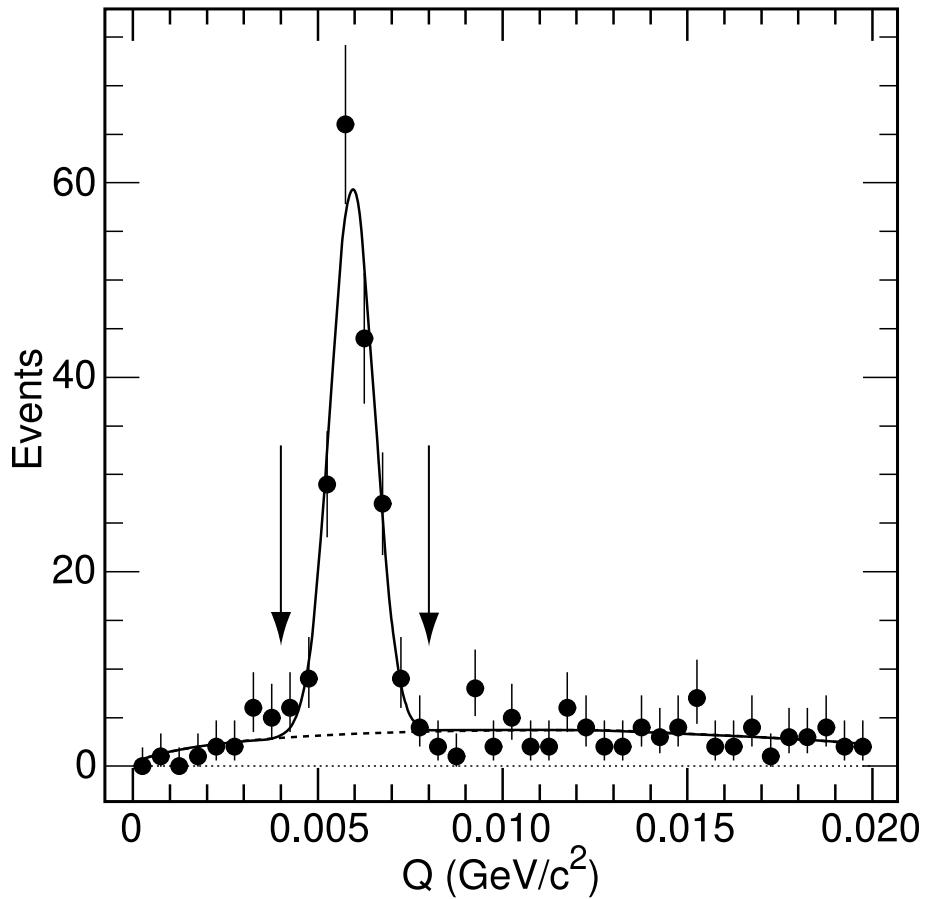
Selection of D^0 from $D^{*+} \rightarrow \pi_{\text{slow}}^+ D^0$

Example: $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$ (“Calibration” mode)

⇒ Use $Q \equiv M(\pi_{\text{slow}}^+ K_S \pi^0) - M(K_S \pi^0) - m_\pi$



Observation of $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$

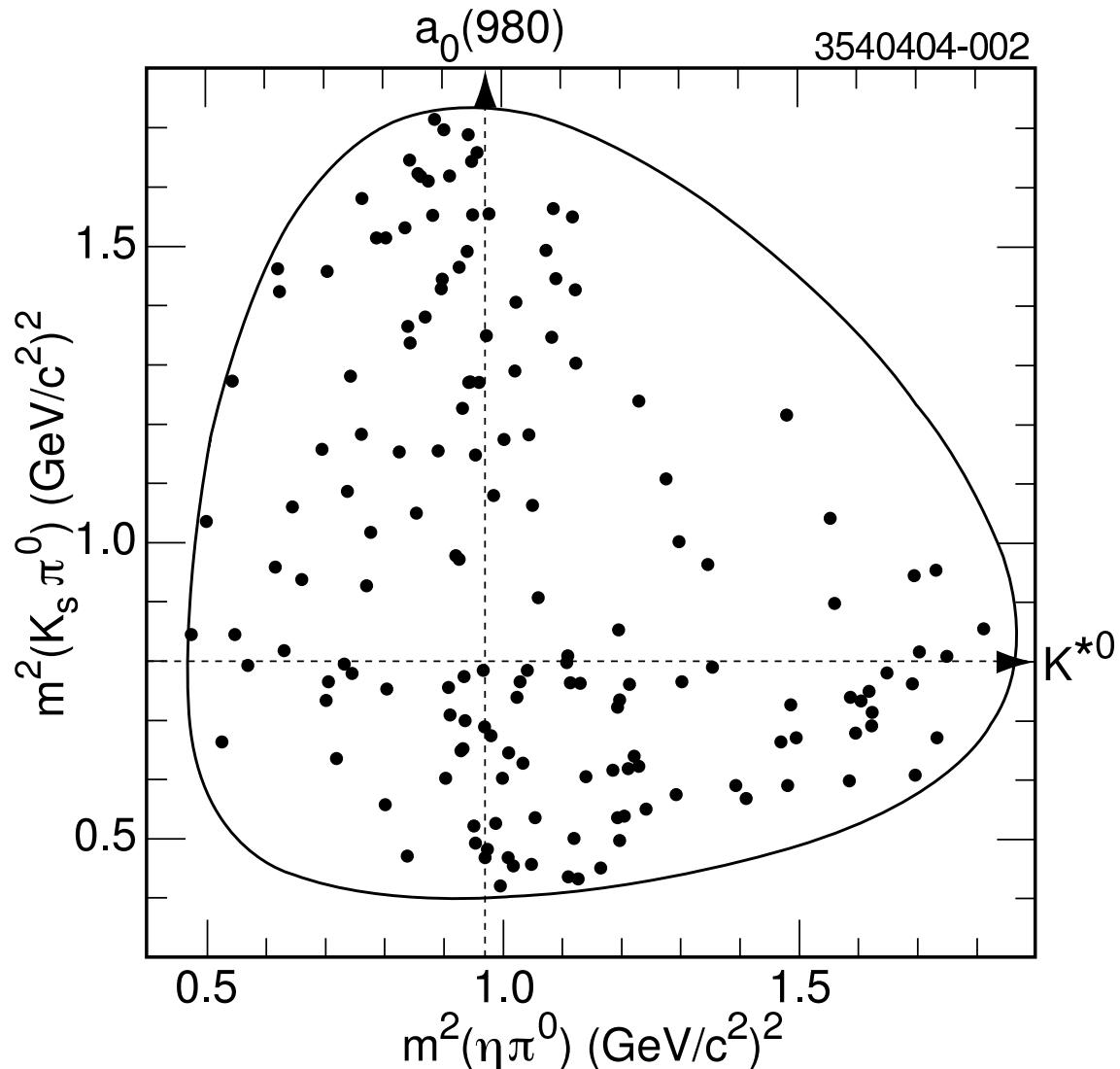


$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0)}{\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0)} = 0.46 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.06$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \eta \pi^0) = (1.05 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.10)\%$$

Dalitz Plot for $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$

Tighter cuts than for branching ratio measurement



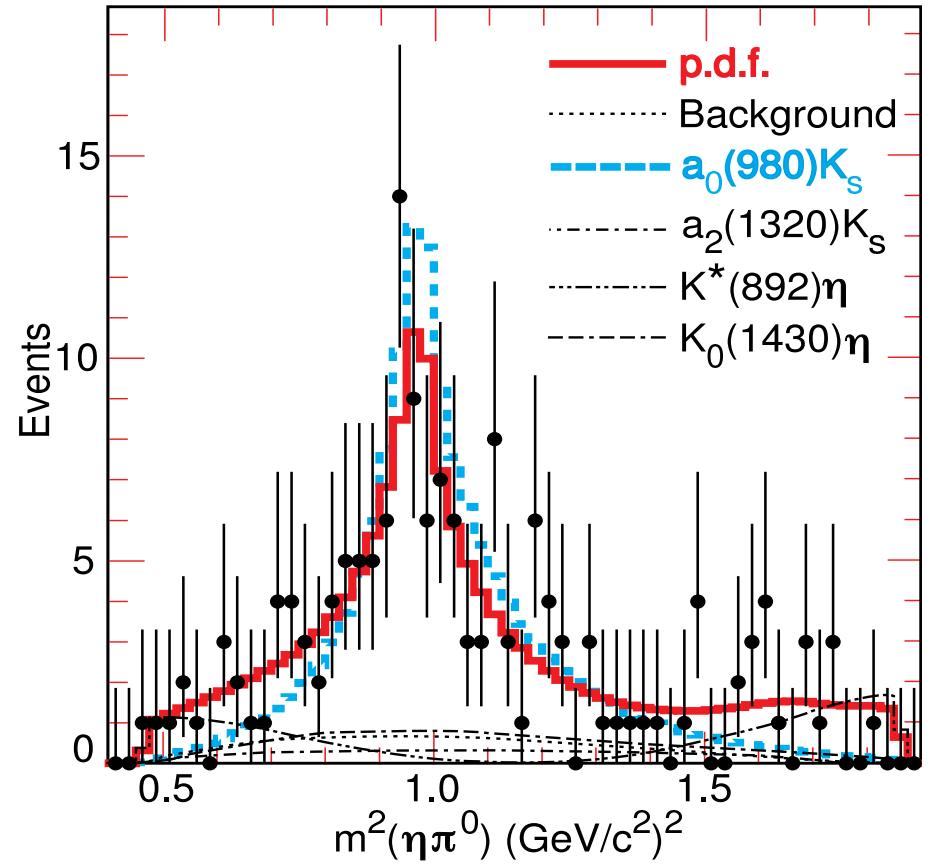
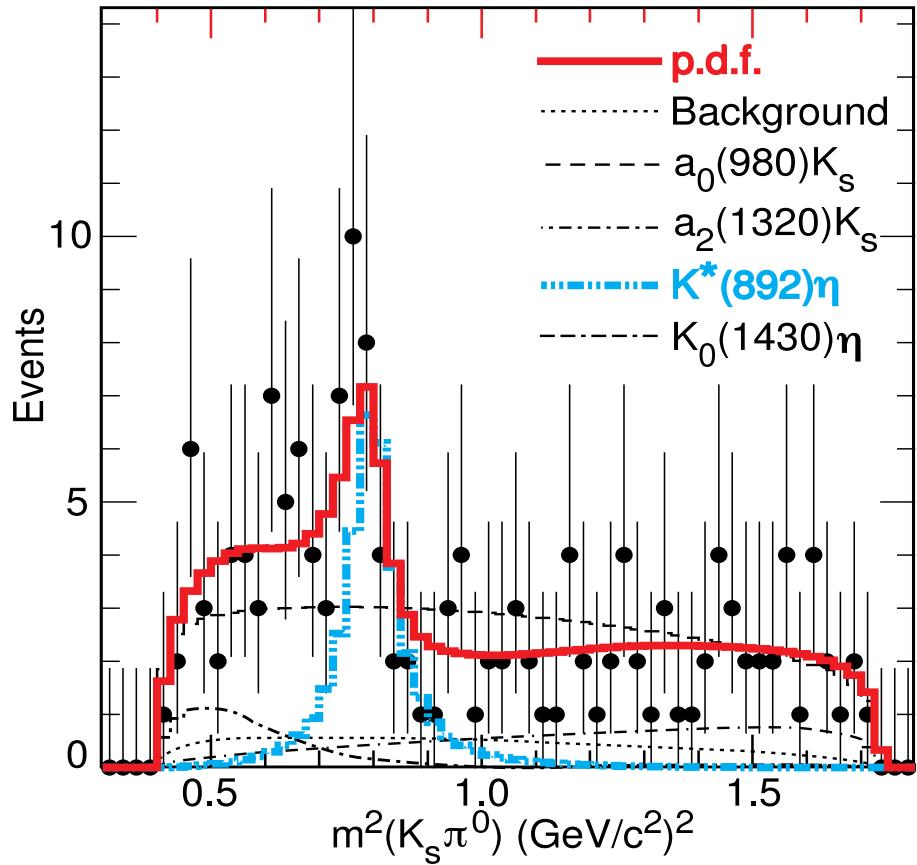
Substructure is dominated by $K^*(892)$ and $a_0(980)$

Interference!

- Deficit in center
- $a_0(980)$ asymmetry
- Shift(?) in $K^*(892)$

Fit Dalitz Plot for Amplitudes

Unbinned maximum likelihood fit to Breit-Wigner shapes



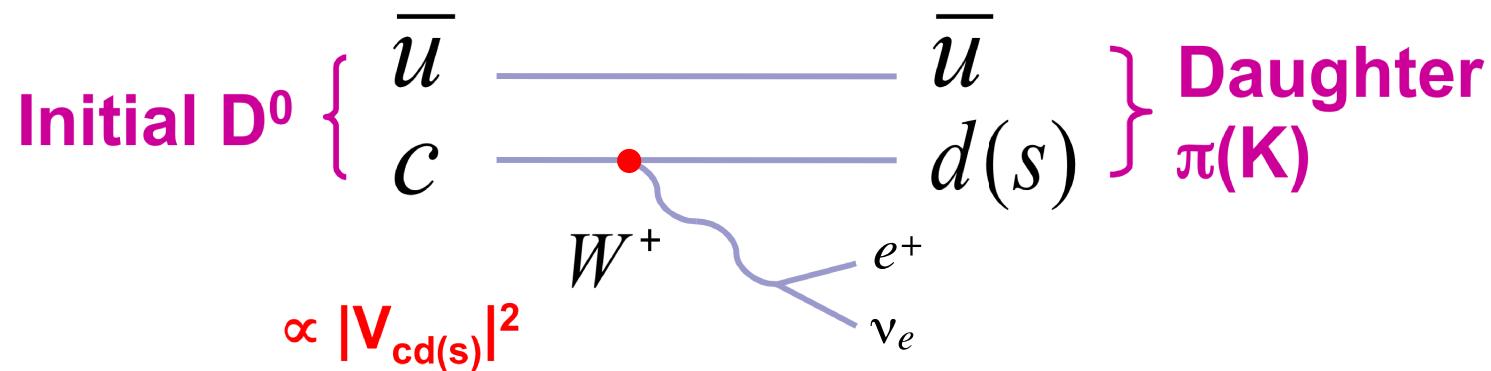
$$\mathcal{FF}(D^0 \rightarrow K^*(892)\eta) = 0.293 \pm 0.062 \pm 0.029 \pm 0.019$$

$$\mathcal{FF}(D^0 \rightarrow a_0(980)K_S) = 1.19 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.16$$

$$\mathcal{FF}(D^0 \rightarrow \text{Other}) = 0.246 \pm 0.092 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.087$$

2) Form Factors in $D^0 \rightarrow \{\pi^-, K^-\}e^+\nu$

New CLEO-III analysis to be published soon.



$$\text{For } q^\mu \equiv p^\mu(W^+) \text{ have } \frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G^2}{24\pi^3} |V_{cq}|^2 p^3 |\mathcal{F}(q^2)|^2$$

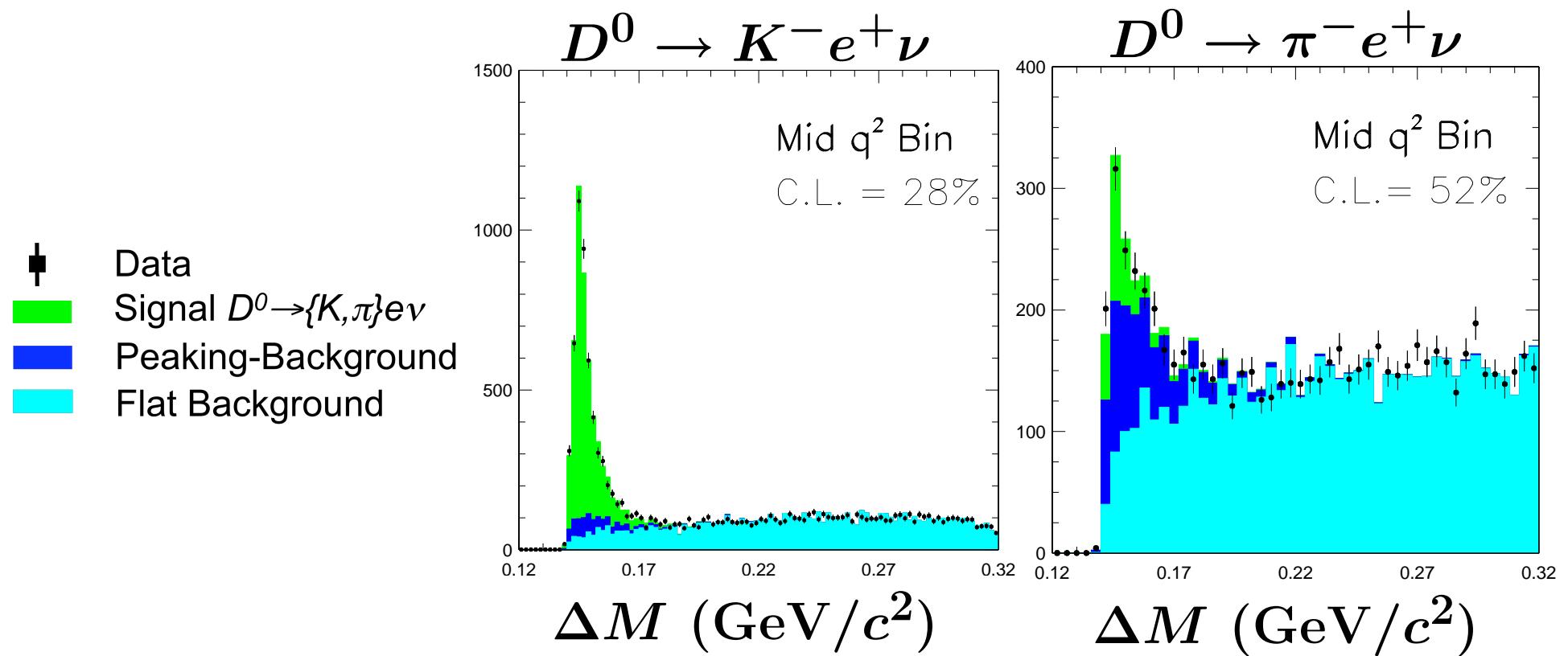
Note: First measurement of $D \rightarrow \pi e \nu$ form factor shape!

Plus: New result for $\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi e \nu)/\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K e \nu)$

Signal and Background in CLEO-III

Reconstruct D^0 using $p_\nu = p_{\text{missing}}$ and subject to the constraint that $M(\{K^-, \pi^-\}e^+\nu) = M(D^0)$.

Use $\Delta M \equiv M(\pi_{\text{slow}}D) - M(D)$

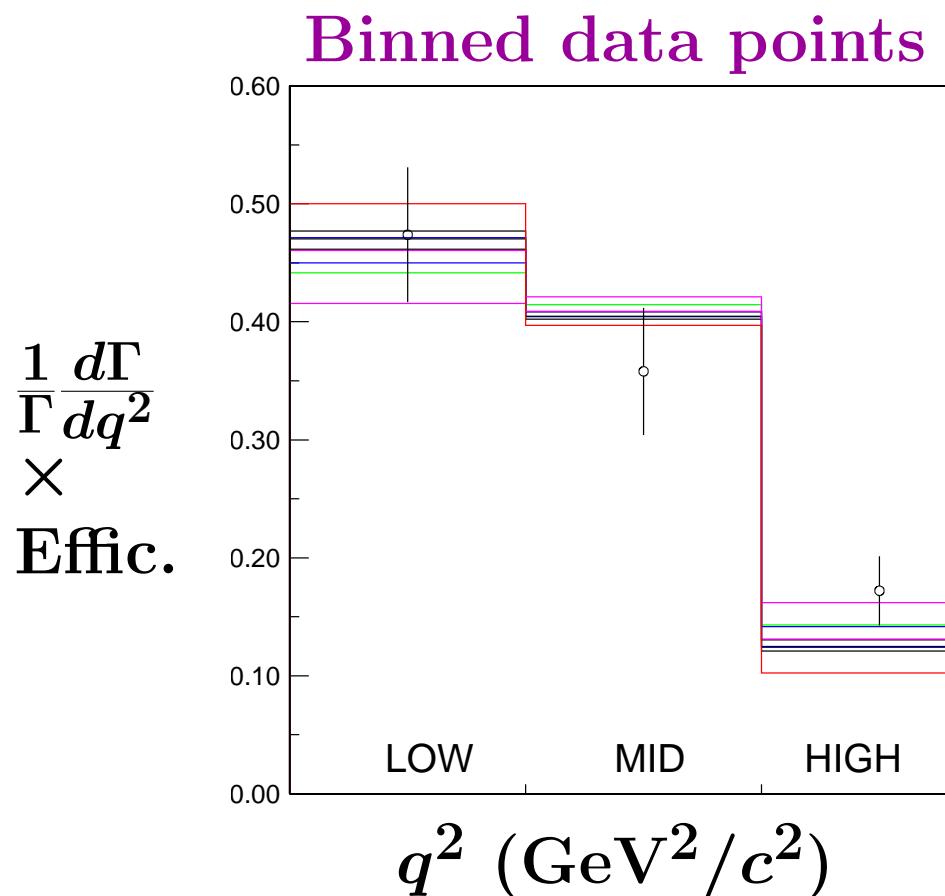
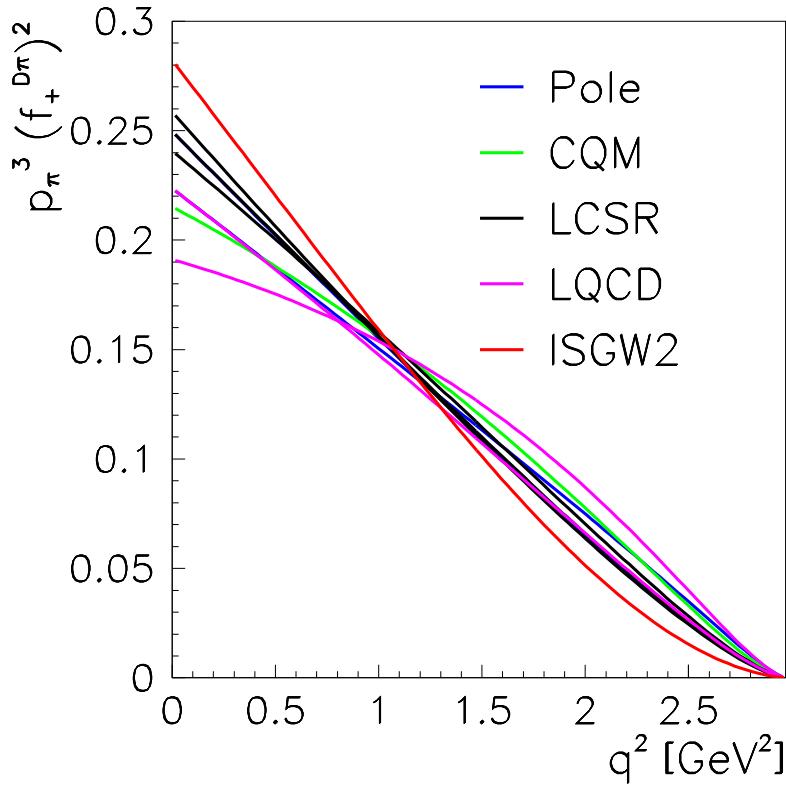


⇒ The challenge for $D \rightarrow \pi e \nu$ is significant!

$D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu_e$ Normalized q^2 Distribution

Preliminary! Paper will be submitted shortly.

Form factor models



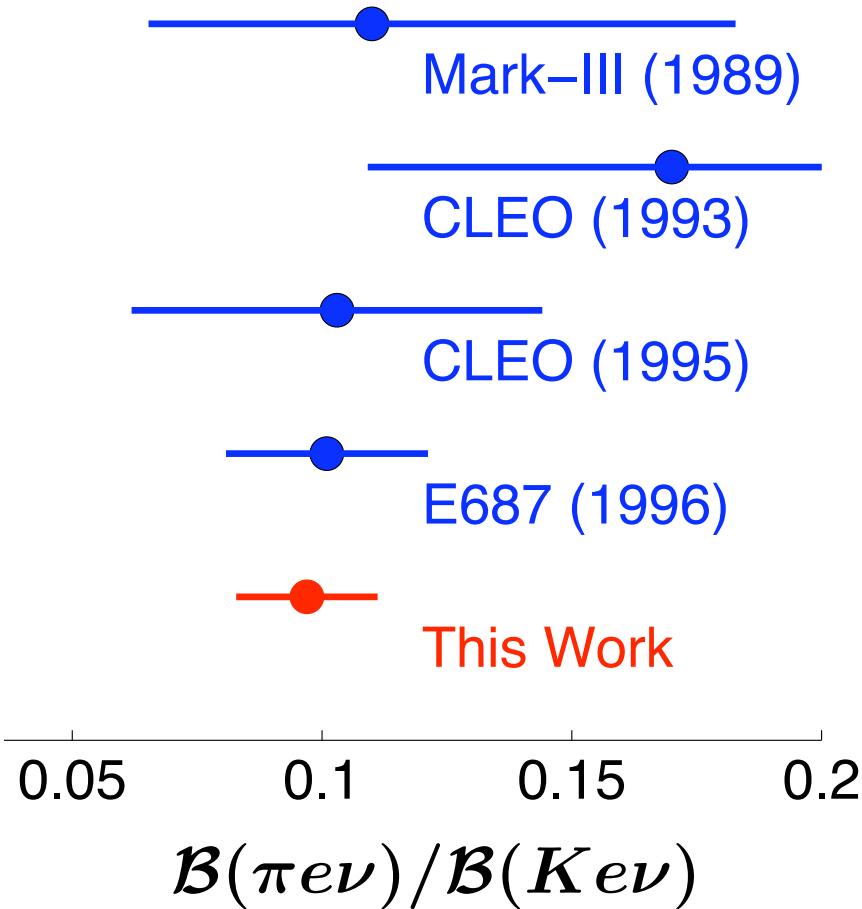
Results are consistent with form factor models, but not quite enough sensitivity to distinguish them.

Relative Semileptonic Branching Ratio

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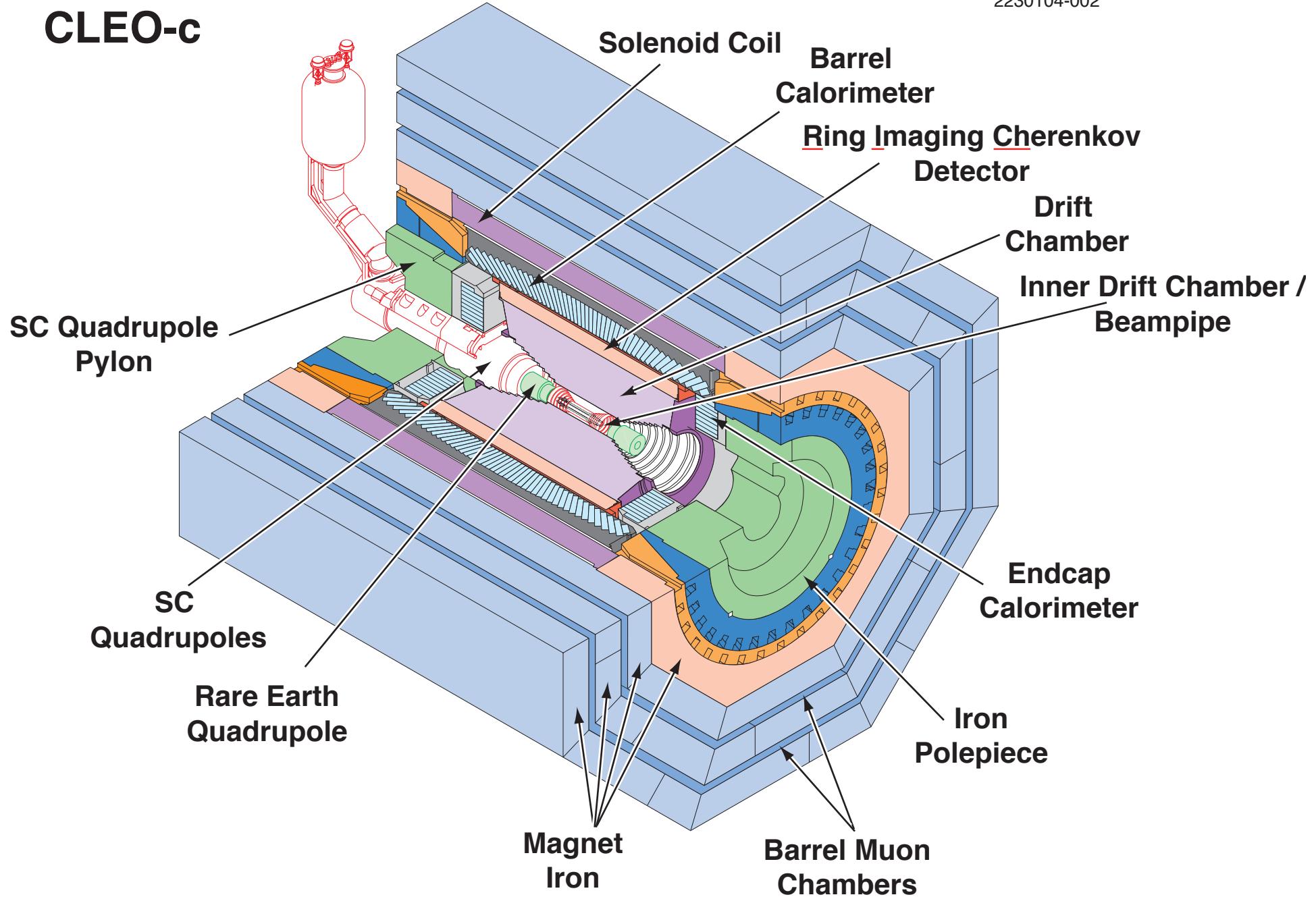
We find

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow \pi e \nu)}{\mathcal{B}(D^0 \rightarrow K e \nu)} = 0.097 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.010$$

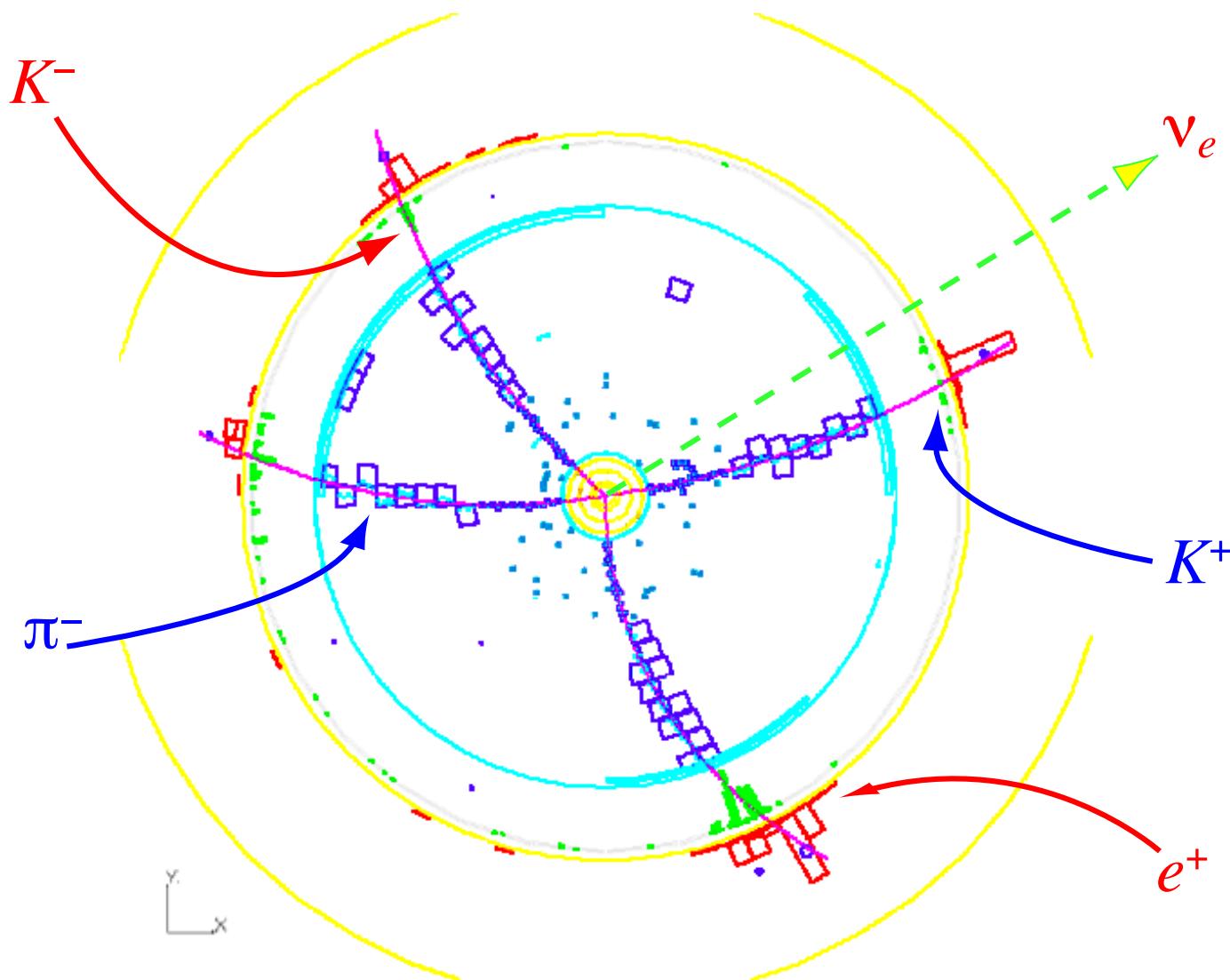


Systematic error dominated
by three sources:

- 1) Neutrino reconstruction simulation ($\sim 3\%$)
- 2) Misidentification of kaons as pions ($\sim 4\%$)
- 3) Uncertainty in background branching fractions ($\sim 4\%$)



CLEO-c event: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi''(3770) \rightarrow D^0\bar{D}^0$
 $D^0 \rightarrow K^-e^+\nu_e \quad \bar{D}^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$



3) Measurement of $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow p K^- \bar{K}^\star(892)^0 \pi^+$

I. Danko *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D 69, 052004 (2004)

Physics: The decay $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow p K^- \bar{K}^\star(892)^0 \pi^+$ cannot proceed through external W decay, so it is “color suppressed”.
⇒ Want to separate it from nonresonant four-body decays.

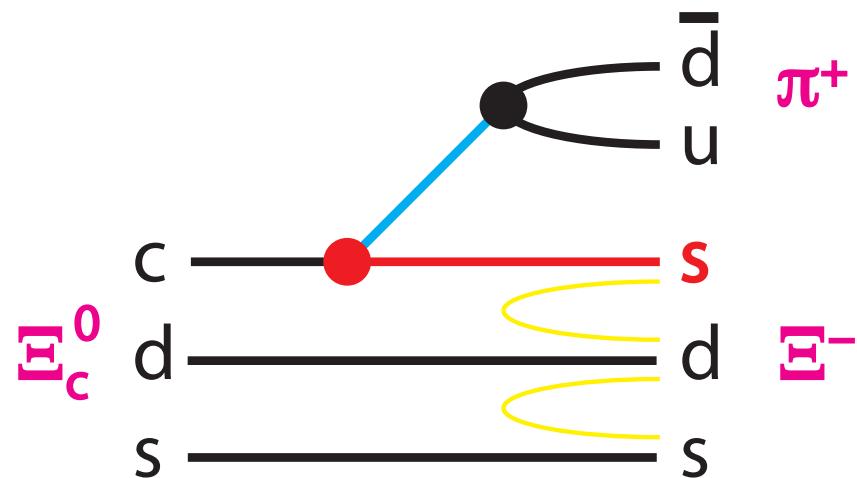
Measured $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow p K^- \bar{K}^\star(892)^0 \pi^+$ rate relative to $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+$

Needs extensive p, K, π particle identification made possible by RICH in CLEO-III

Only previous result: ACCMOR 1990 (four events, all \bar{K}^\star)

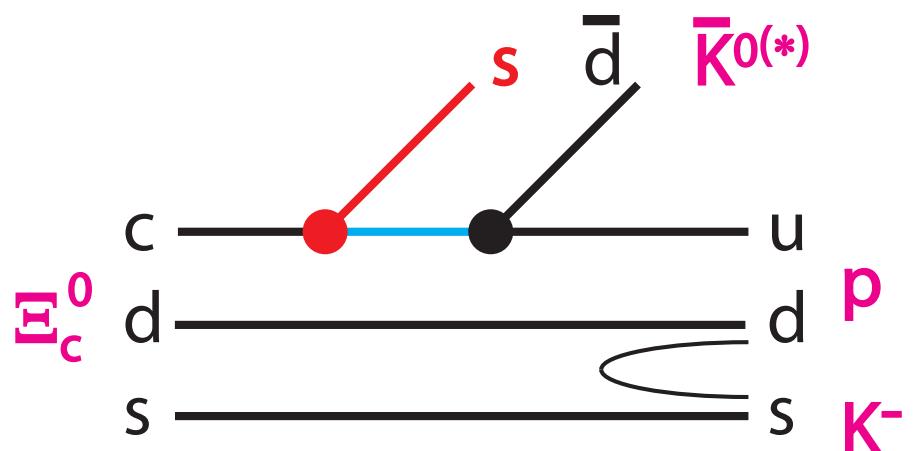
Final State Particles and Weak Decay Diagrams

External W^+



... or $sds \rightarrow K^- p K^-$, etc

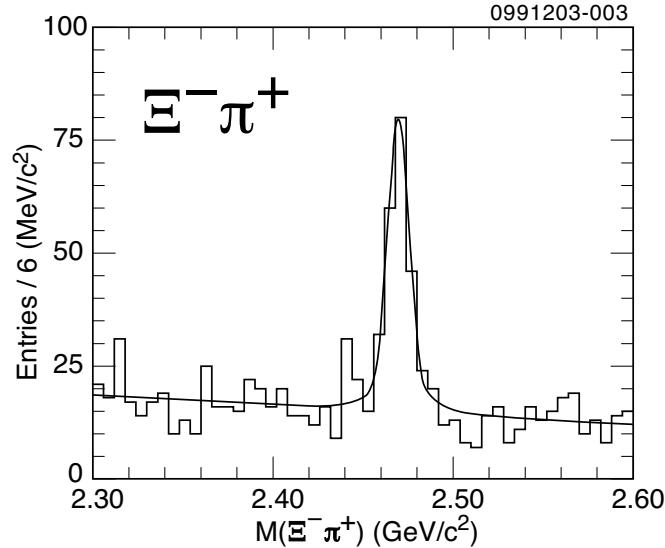
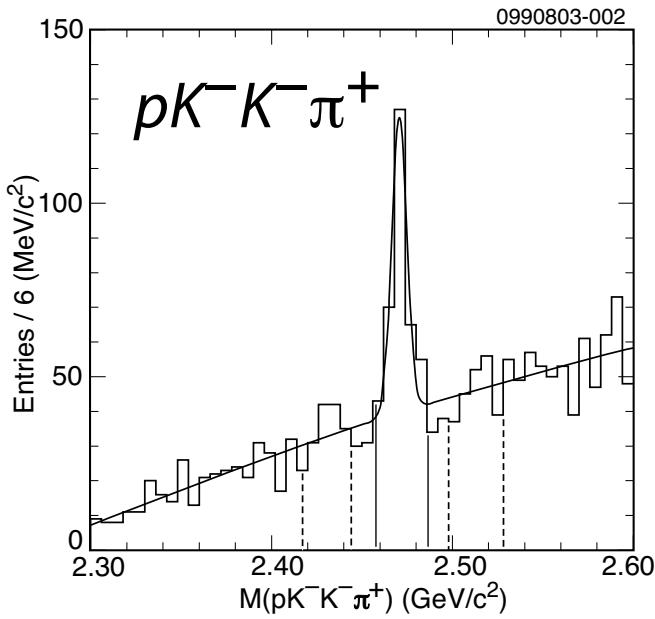
Internal W^+



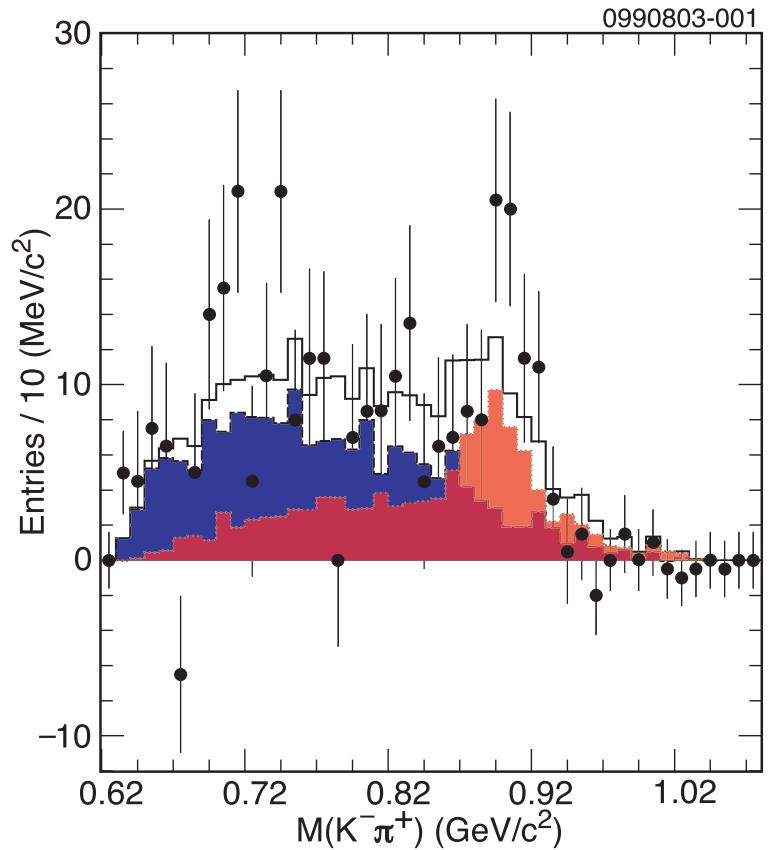
\Rightarrow Absence of a π^+ (or K^+) implies that the decay proceeds through an internal W^+ line, and these should be color-suppressed.

Results: Ξ_c^0 Decay

Ξ_c^0 Decay modes



$K^- \pi^+$
mass:



$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^- K^- \pi^+)/ \\ \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+) &= 0.35 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.03 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^- K^- \pi^+; \text{No } \bar{K}^\star)/ \\ \mathcal{B}(\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+) &= 0.21 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.02 \end{aligned}$$

Summary

- CLEO still produces results from high energy data sets

Several publications are on the way.

See also Vladimir Savinov, this conference.

- Some first observations are presented here

- $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \eta \pi^0$ including $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 a_0(980)$
- Form factor shape for $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e \nu$
- $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow p K^- K^- \pi^+$; No \bar{K}^\star

- Stay tuned for new charm results from CLEO-c

See also Alex Smith, this conference.