

ψ' Decays and Transitions

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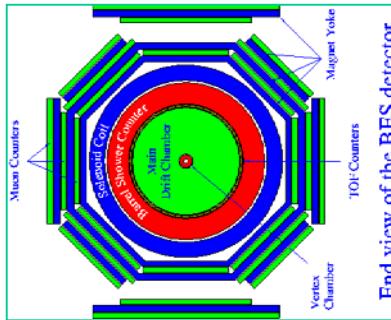


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- Radiative Decays of ψ'
- Search for h_c
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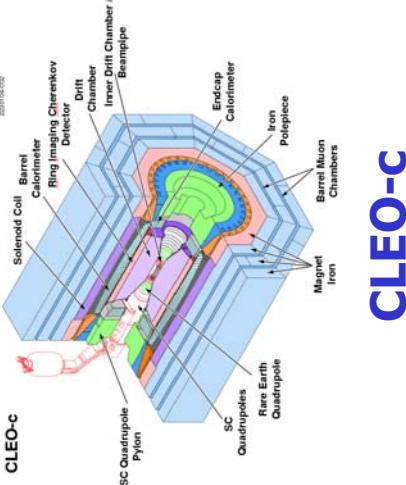
Experiments

BESII



More ψ' events ($\sim 4X$)
History of charmonium
analyses

Variable	BESII	CLEO-c
Lum on Peak	19.7 /pb	6.1 /pb
#of $\psi(3685)$	14.0 E6	3.1 E6
Below Resonance Lum	6.4 /pb @3.65 GeV	20.5 /pb @3.67 GeV
Tracking acc	80%	93%
Tracking res.	2%	0.3% (5-1 GeV/c)
Calorimeter acc.	75%	95%
Calorimeter Res	21%	2.1% (1 GeV)



CLEO-c

More off-resonance data
State-of-the-art detector

Competitive and complementary experiments!

Hadronic Decays

Motivation:

ψ' decay to hadrons proceeds through annihilation of c and \bar{c} .

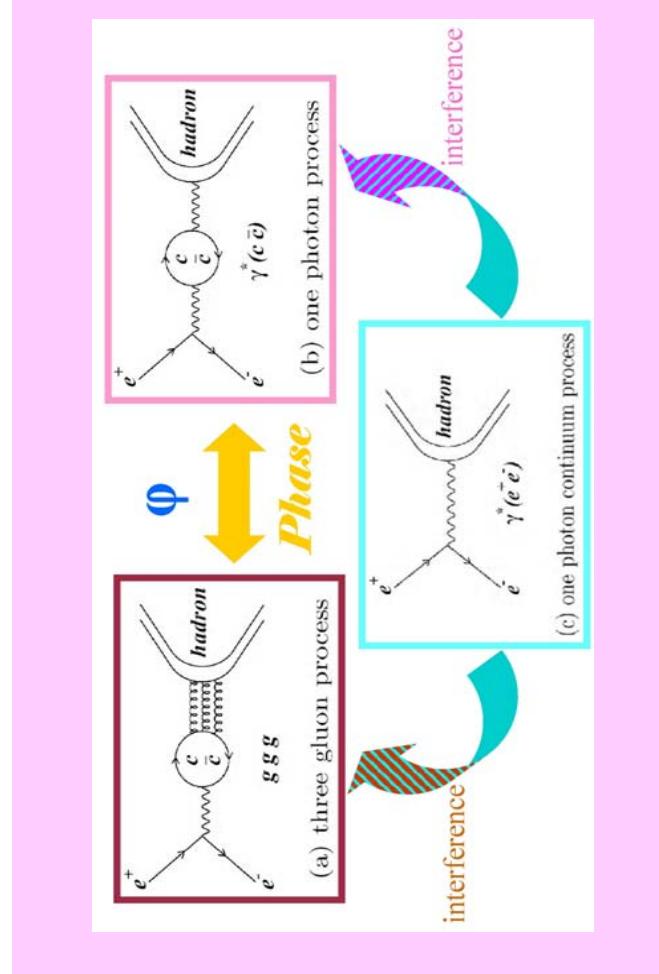
Therefore expectation of relative rates in ψ' to ψ can be derived from the known μ pair rates ($\sim 12\%$ rule)

$$\frac{\psi(2S) \rightarrow \text{hadrons}}{\psi(1S) \rightarrow \text{hadrons}} \approx \frac{\psi(2S) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-}{\psi(1S) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-} \approx 12\%$$

Complications include α_s evolution, interference and S-D wave mixing (for ψ' and $\psi(3770)$).

MARK II (1983) observed suppression in $p\pi$ mode. PDG 2004 has a limit $Q < .7\%$.

Today: First measurements on $\psi' \rightarrow p\pi$ BR, improved measurements in other modes and previously unobserved decays.



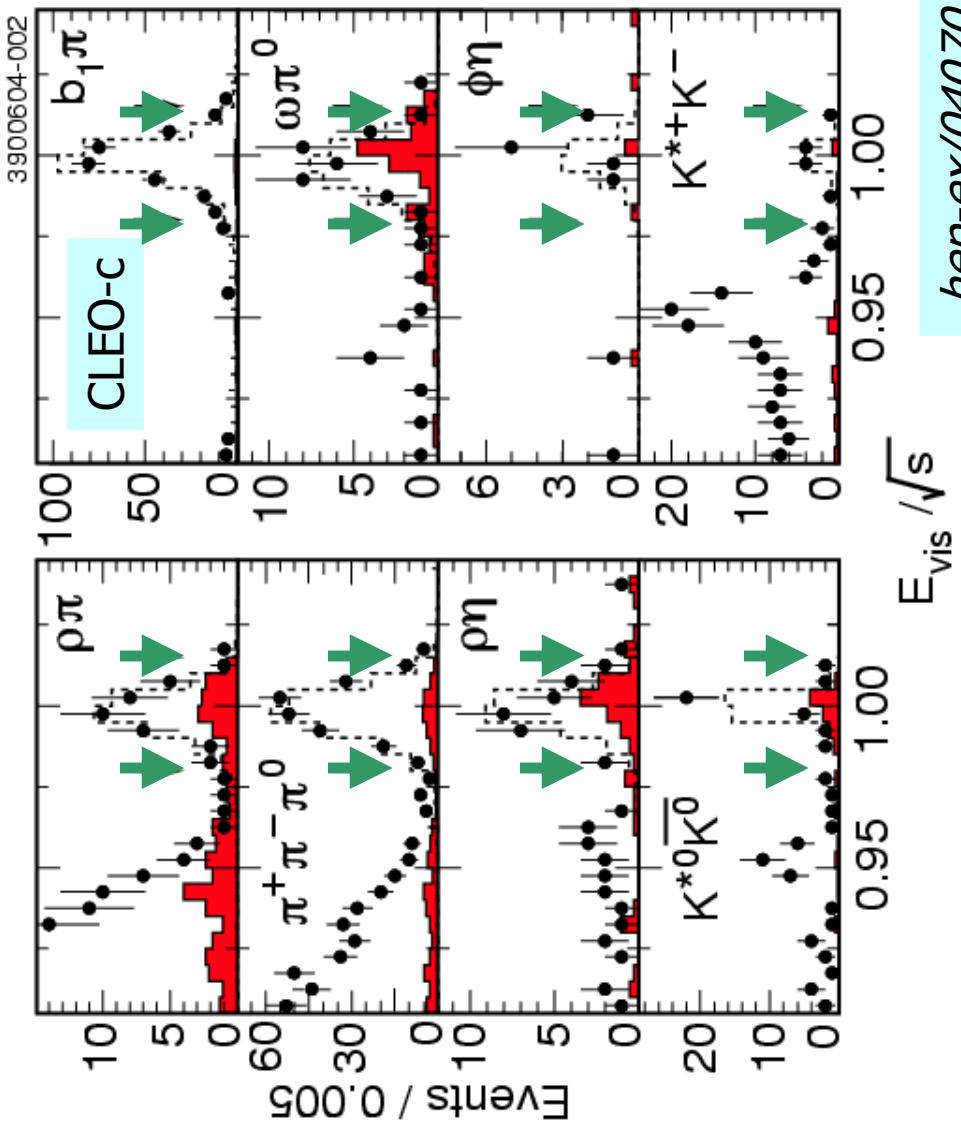
Analysis Strategy

- Particle Selection
 - Standard track and shower selection
 - dEdx and RICH for particle ID
 - Reconstruction of intermediate particles
 - Energy-Momentum Conservation
- Corrected for continuum using scaled below-resonance data
- Efficiencies from MC
- Results quoted relative to $\psi' \rightarrow \pi\pi\psi$ (CLEO)

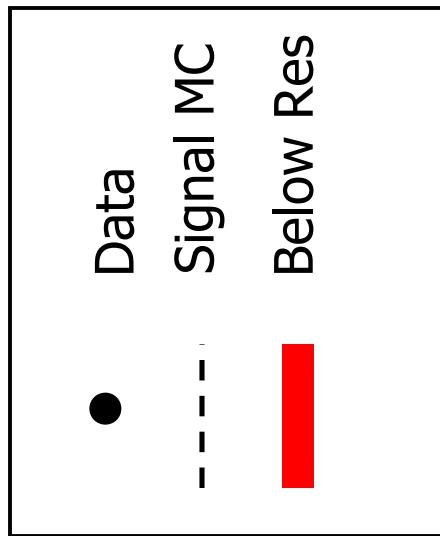
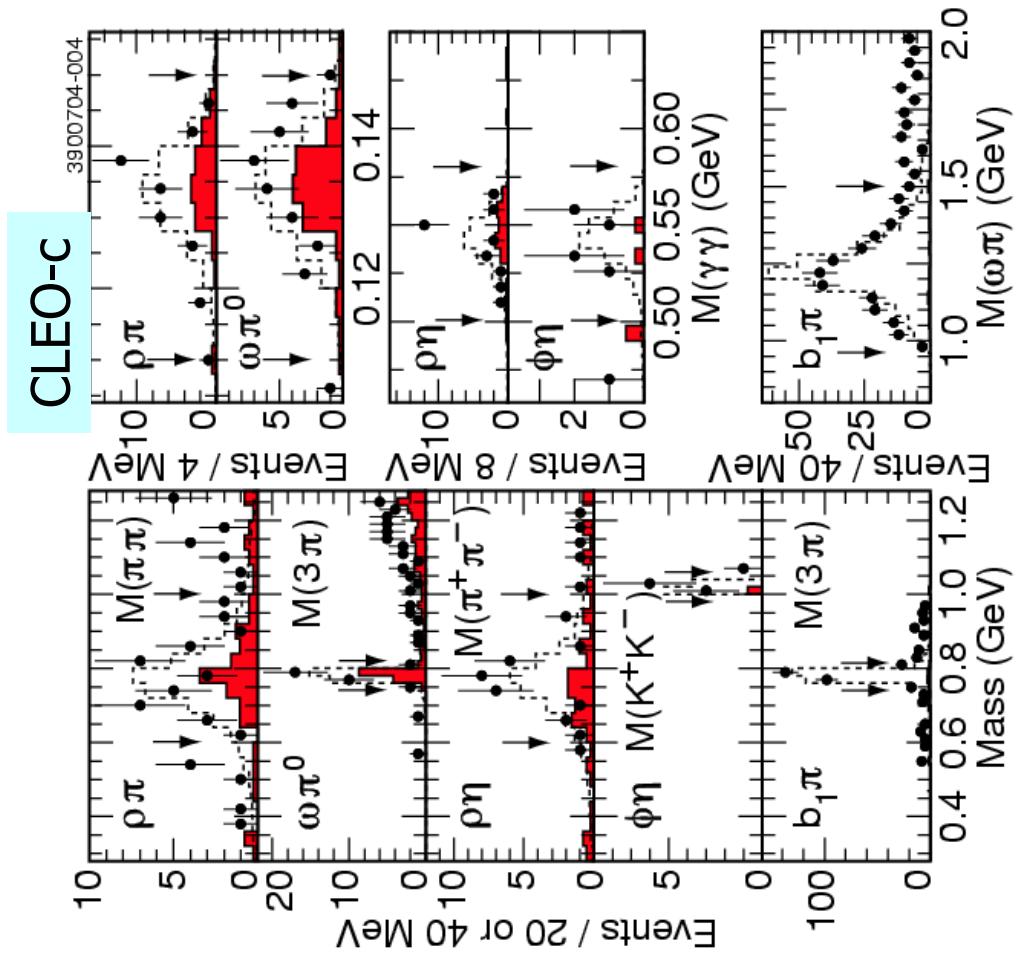
Signals

Expect:

$$\frac{E_{\text{visible}}}{\sqrt{S}} \approx 1$$



Intermediate Resonances



BR Results: $\psi' \rightarrow VP$

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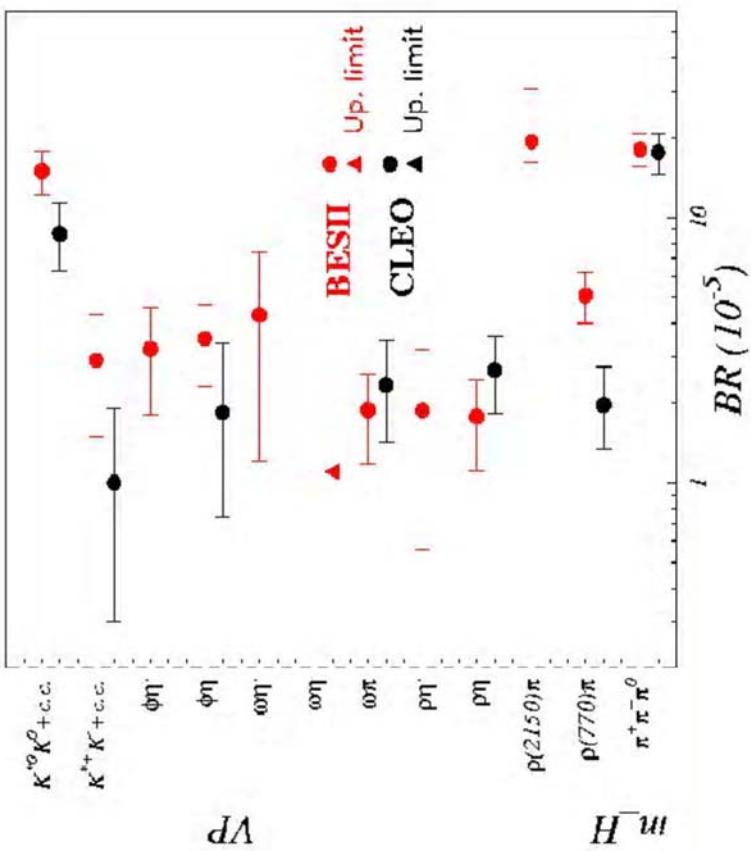
Two-body Modes
 σ = continuum cross section ($\sqrt{s} = 3670$ MeV)
 \mathcal{B}_{CLEO} assumes $\mathcal{B}(\pi^+\pi^-\psi) \times \mathcal{B}(\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu) = 0.019$
 \mathcal{B}_{PDG} from PDG-2004, \mathcal{B}_{BES} from hep-ex/0407037

$\psi' \rightarrow$	Nevt	$\mathcal{B}(\psi')$ ($\times 10^{-5}$)	$\mathcal{B}(J/\psi)$ ($\times 10^{-4}$)	Q (%)
PDG04				
$\rho(770)\pi$		5.1 ± 0.7 ± 0.8	127 ± 9	0.40 ± 0.08
$\rho(2150)\pi$		$19.4 \pm 2.5^{+11.2}_{-2.1}$		
$\rho\eta$	13.2 ± 4.8	1.78 ± 0.65 ± 0.22	1.93 ± 0.23	9.2 ± 3.7
$\rho\eta'$	2.5 ± 1.7	1.87 ± 1.27 ± 0.36	1.05 ± 0.18	17.8 ± 12.9
$\omega\pi$	14.0 ± 4.8	1.88 ± 0.64 ± 0.32	4.2 ± 0.6	4.5 ± 1.8
$\omega\eta$	< 3.3	< 1.1	15.8 ± 1.6	< 0.7
$\omega\eta'$	4.1 ± 2.8	4.3 ± 2.9 ± 1.0	1.67 ± 0.25	26 ± 19
$\phi\pi$	< 3.0	< 0.3	< 0.068	
$\rho\eta$	10.2 ± 2.2 ± 1.6	2.7 ± 0.9 ± 0.2		
$\omega\eta$	1.8 ± 1.7 ± 0.2	< 1.0		
$\phi\eta$	2.0 ± 2.0 ± 0.2	1.8 ± 1.5 ± 0.4		
$K^{*0}\bar{K}^0$	24.6 ± 5.1 ± 3.0	8.7 ± 2.5 ± 0.8	15.0 ± 2.1 ± 1.9	
$K^{*+}K^-$	0.8 ± 1.4 ± 0.8	1.0 ± 0.9 ± 0.2	2.9 ± 1.3 ± 0.4	
$b_1^0\pi^0$	1.9 ± 3.9 ± 1.4	20.5 ± 4.4 ± 2.9		
$b_1^+\pi^-$	6.4 ± 2.5 ± 1.0	36.8 ± 4.0 ± 7.4	32 ± 8	
$b_1\pi$	8.9 ± 3.5 ± 1.9	56.6 ± 5.5 ± 10.8		
K⁰K[*]+c.c.	65.6 ± 9.0	15.0 ± 2.1 ± 1.9	42 ± 4	3.6 ± 0.8

BR Results: $\psi' \rightarrow VP$

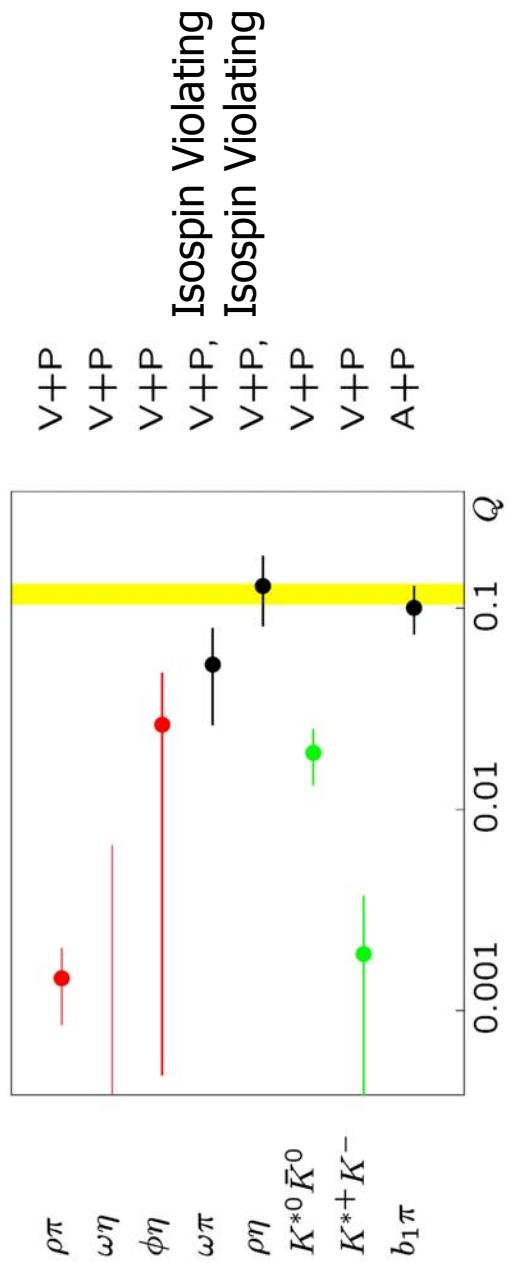
Comparison of branching ratios.
Yields from resonance and continuum
agree for $\rho\pi$ and K^*K .

There exists differences in treatment
of continuum background & interference.



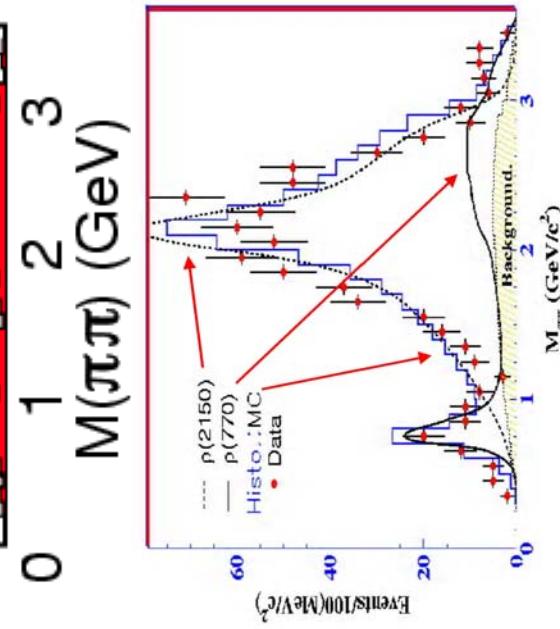
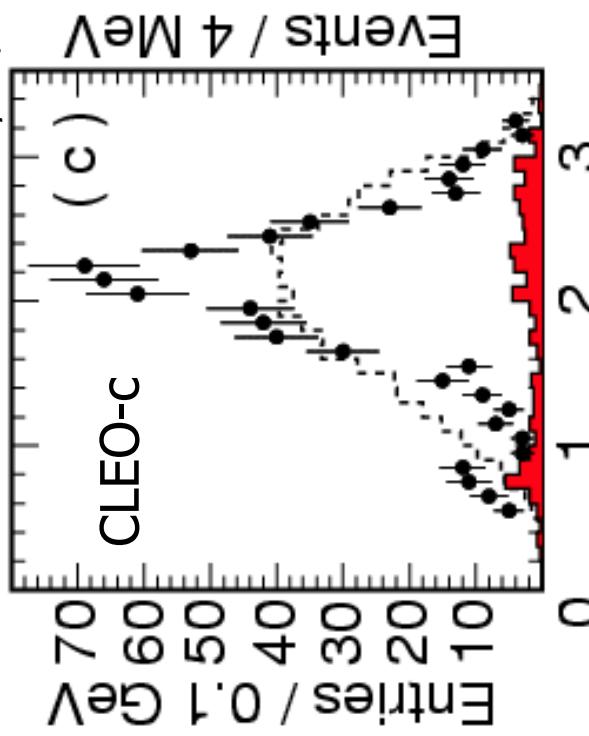
Compare to 12% Rule

CLEO-c



$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ Mode

hep-ex/0407028



$\text{BR}(\pi\pi\pi)$ measured by both experiments are consistent. Note $\rho(770)$ is not the dominant contribution.

High $\pi\pi$ mass component is not consistent with phase space.

BES interpretation is observation of $\rho(2150)$.

$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ Mode Dalitz Structure

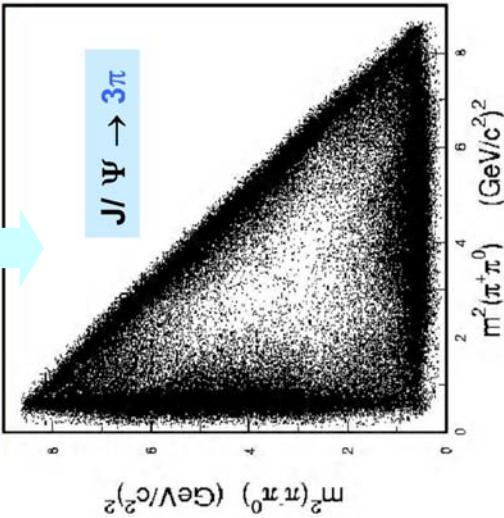
J/ ψ

Ψ'

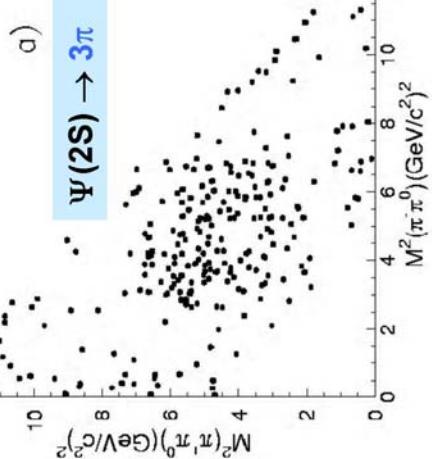
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CLEO

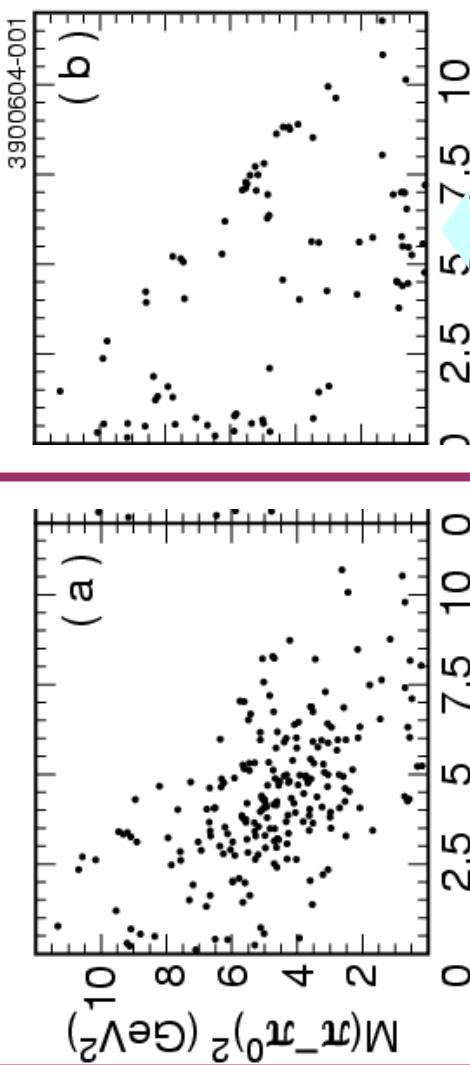
BES as large J/ ψ sample. $\rho(770)$ dominant.



BES

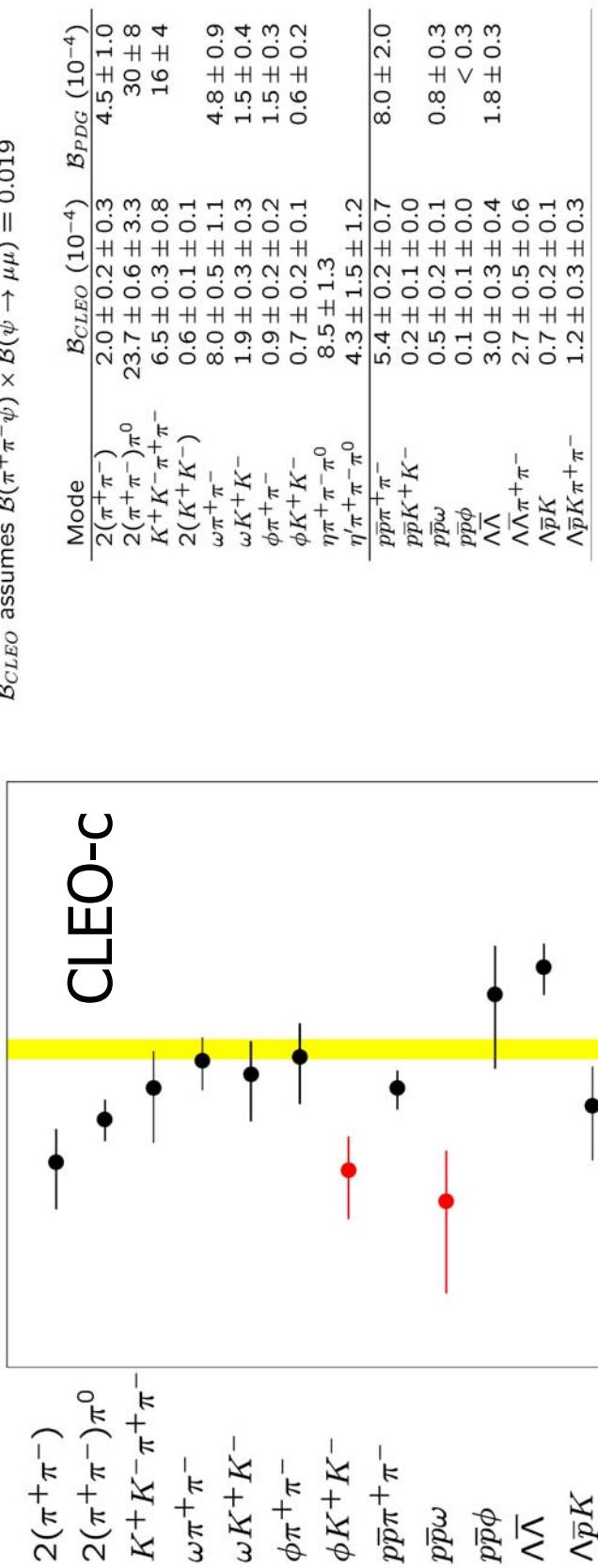


CLEO has large below-resonance sample $\rho(770)$ dominant.



Multi-body Modes

Multibody Modes
 \mathcal{B}_{CLEO} assumes $\mathcal{B}(\pi^+\pi^-\psi) \times \mathcal{B}(\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu) = 0.019$



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Summary of ψ' Hadronic Decays

A wealth of new and improved measurements have appeared recently.
(could not show all of them!)

First $\rho\pi$ branching ratio measurements by BES and CLEO.

$\psi' \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$ is not dominated by $\rho(770)\pi$. In contrast to J/ψ and continuum production. BESII interprets as $\rho(2150)$.

12% rule is violated in many 2-body modes. Multi-body modes as measured by CLEO are fairly consistent with rule.

Several 2-body modes used by BES (e.g. $\pi\pi$, K^+K^- , $K^0\bar{K}^0$) to extract a preferred phase: $\phi \sim 90^\circ$. Note isospin violating modes tend to follow 12% rule (though not many measured).

Measurements are valuable for constraining predictions for future precision ψ'' measurements \rightarrow quantitative test of S-D mixing phenomenology.

Future: More resonant/non-resonant data for improved BRs. Data at various off-resonance energies needed to improve understanding of interference effects.

Radiative Transitions

Motivation:

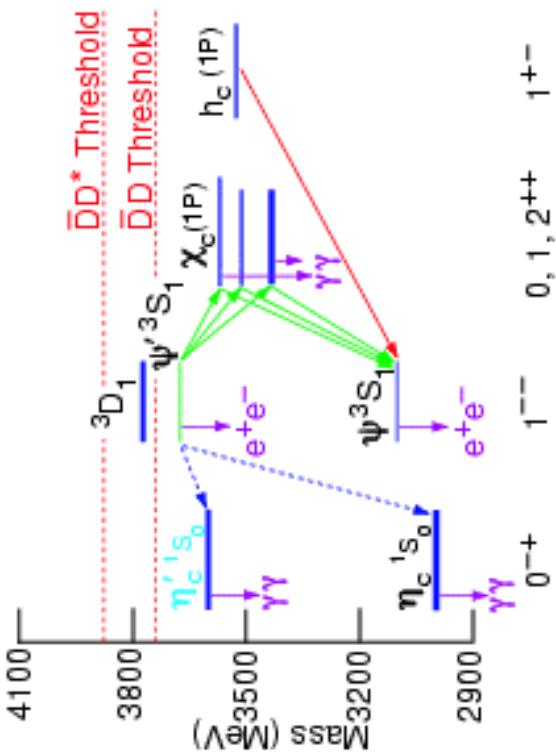
Analysis of γ transitions lines provide discovery opportunities for charmonium levels not produced directly from e^+e^- annihilation. This can be done without explicit reconstruction of the meson given a precision EM calorimeter.

Analysis of final state decay particles can probe nature of transition ($E1, M1, \dots$).

Measurements of level splittings confronts our understanding of QCD (lattice predictions).

CLEO's smaller ψ' sample is compensated by excellent photon energy resolution. Inclusive measurements of χ_{cJ} transitions lines are systematics dominated.

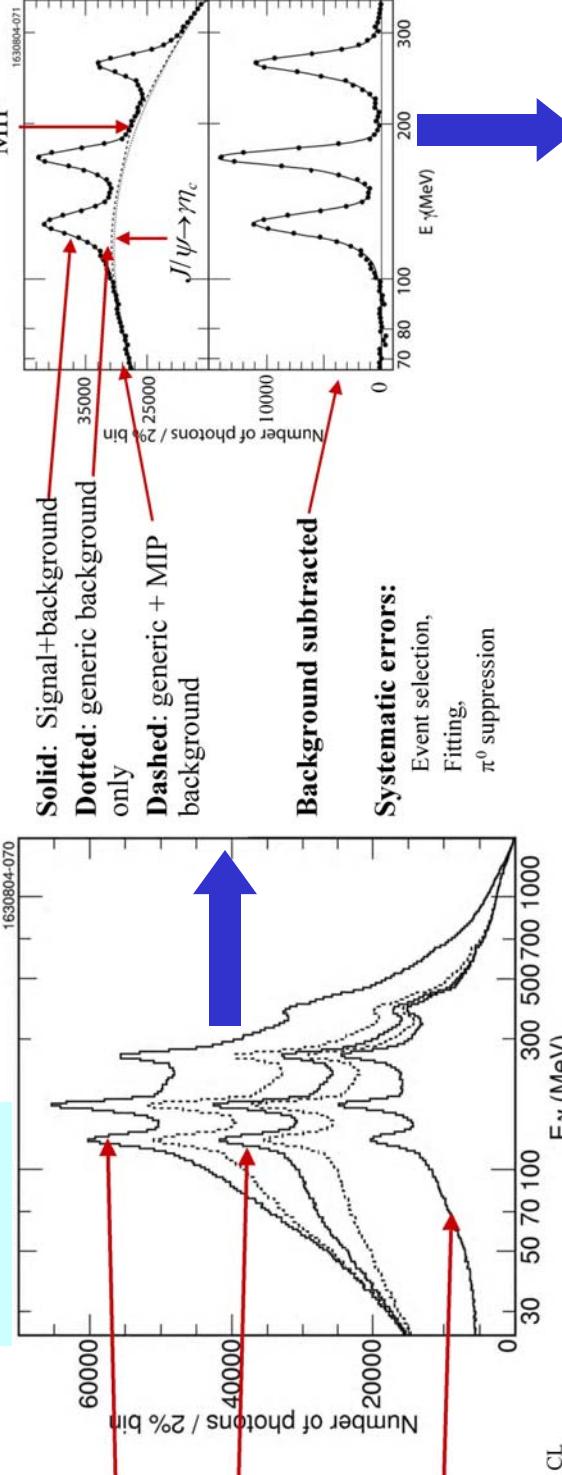
BESII leverages their large sample via exclusive reconstruction of charmonium states.



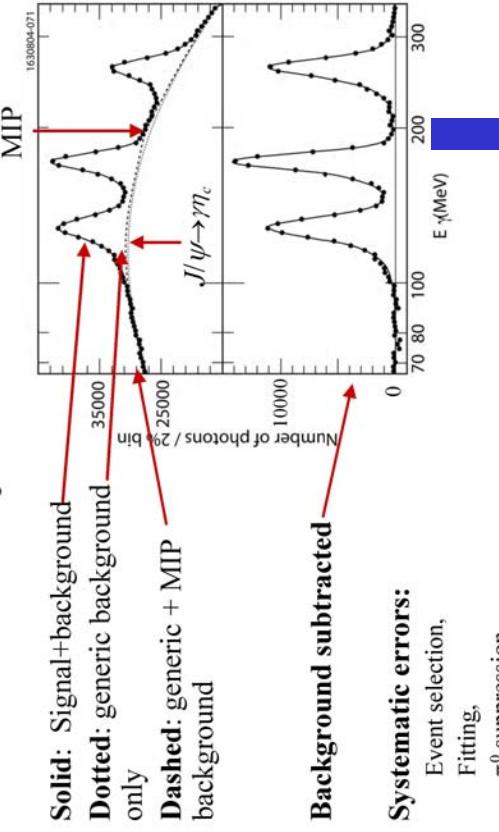
Radiative Transitions

CLEO-c

- No π^0 suppression
- $\cos\theta_{\gamma\gamma} > 0.5$ – used in analysis
- Max π^0 suppression



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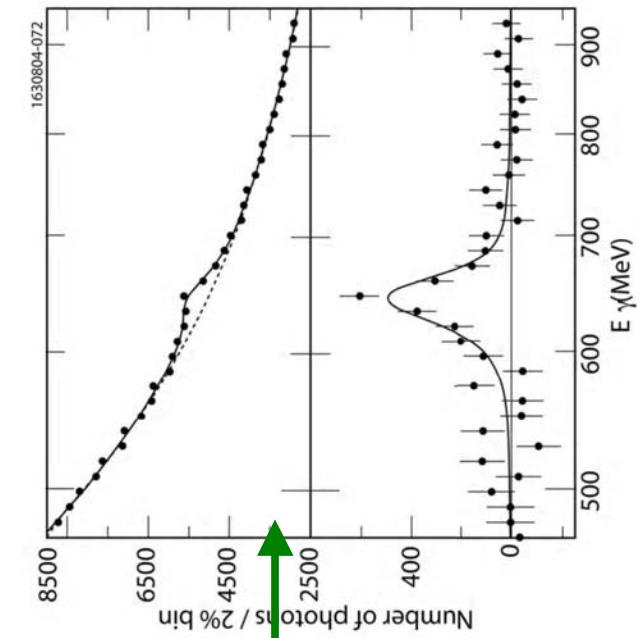
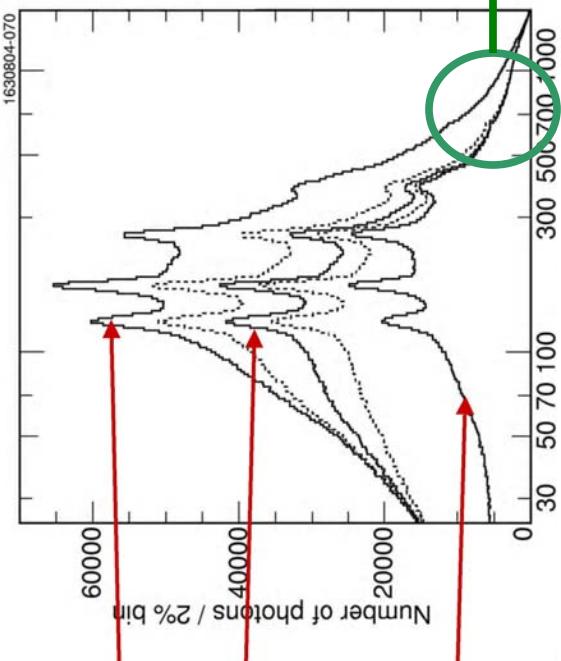
γ energies in good with know χ_c masses.

BF (%)	χ_{c2}	χ_{c1}	χ_{c0}
CLEOc	$9.33 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.61$	$9.07 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.54$	$9.22 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.46$
Crystal Ball	$8.0 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.7$	$9.0 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.7$	$9.0 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.8$

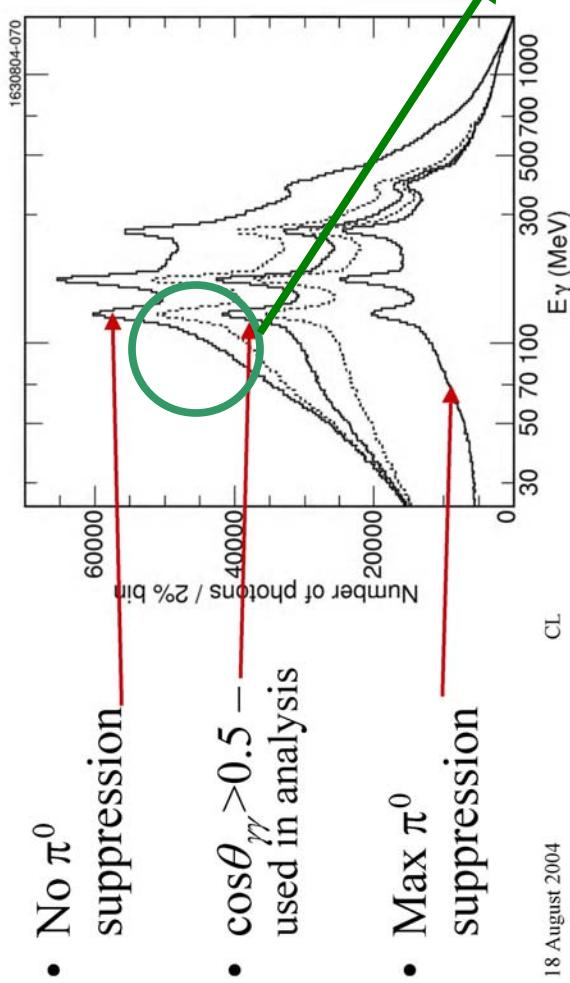
Branching fractions behavior versus J deviates from NR expectations:
 $\sim (2J+1) * E\gamma^3$

Hindered Transitions (η_c)

- First confirmation of transition since observation by crystal ball.



Hindered Transitions (η_c')



No confirmation of η_c' transition.

“E1” Transitions -Again

BESII has ψ' sample sizes permitting precision analysis of transitions identified using γ selection and a full reconstruction of the meson, χ_{cJ} .

Reconstructing the χ_{cJ} allows the study of angular distributions which can be used to extract the helicity amplitude ratios: $x = A_1/A_0$ $y = A_2/A_0$.

The presence of higher order multipole moments may explain differences between measured transition rates and those calculated assuming pure E1.

Also, an E3 contribution is be expected in S-D wave mixing models.

Previous Crystal Ball measurements consistent with no higher moment contributions but the uncertainties are large.

Recent BESII analysis uses alternative χ_{cJ} ($J=0,2$) decays modes: $K\bar{K}$ & $\pi\pi$. No contamination from χ_{c1} (parity violating). $J=0$ and $J=2$ well separated in mass.

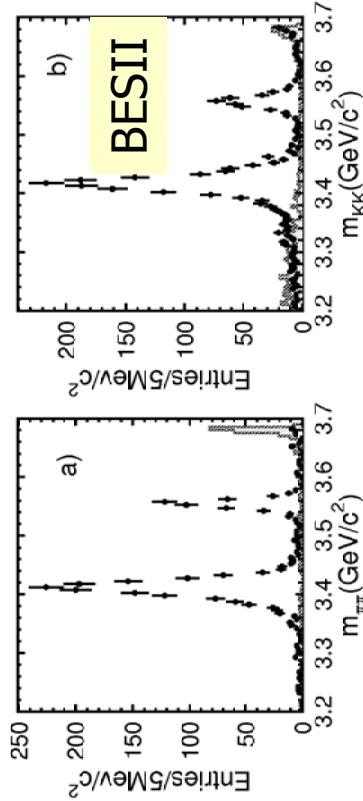


FIG. 1: Invariant mass distributions of the two charged tracks in (a) $\gamma\pi^+\pi^-$ and (b) γK^+K^- . Dots with error bars are data, and the shaded histograms are the MC simulated backgrounds.

"E1" Transitions

Angular distributions:

θ_γ polar angle of photon
 θ_m and ϕ_m are meson polar and azimuthal
 angles of meson with respect to γ direction
 in rest frame of χ_{c2} .

Fits extracted:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 2.08 \pm 0.44 & a'_2 &= -0.051 +0.054 -0.036 \text{ (M2)} \\ y &= 3.03 \pm 0.66 & a'_3 &= -0.027 +0.043 -0.029 \text{ (E3)} \\ && (\rho = .92) \end{aligned}$$

Contributions from quadrupole and octupole
 moments consistent with 0. E3 measurement
 not inconsistent with small contribution
 predicted by S-D wave mixing.

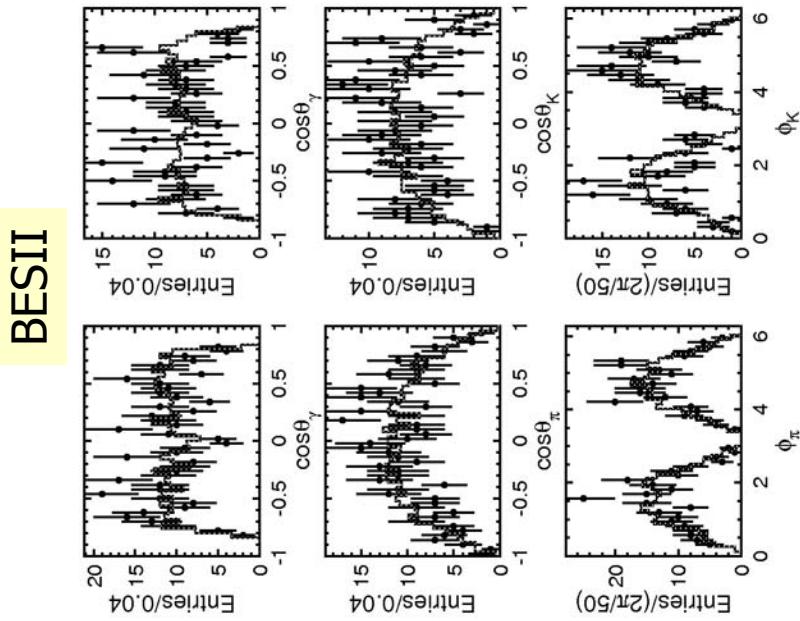


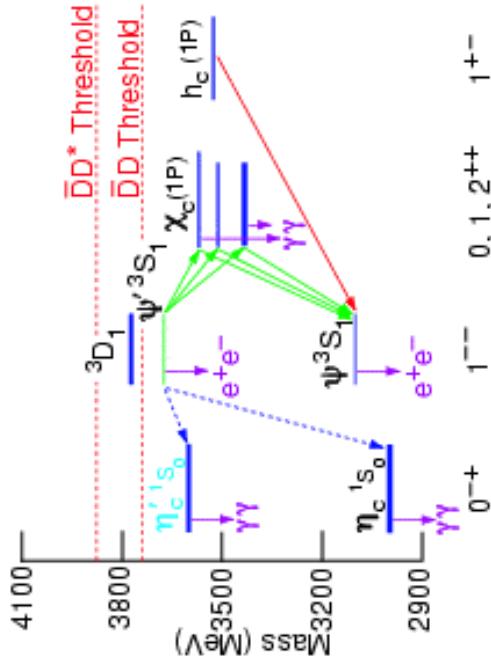
FIG. 2: Comparison between data and the final fit for $\gamma\pi^+\pi^-$ (left) and γK^+K^- (right), where dots with error bars are data and the histograms are the fit.

Search for h_c

New and very preliminary!

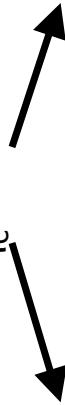
CLEO-c has searched for the charmonium state, h_c' via the hadron transition $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$ followed by the radiative transition $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$

Recent evidence for h_c announced by E835 this year (BEACH04).



Key ingredients:

- $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ reconstruction
- γ reconstruction (π^0 veto)
- Look for peak in recoil mass
- use η_c mass window cut



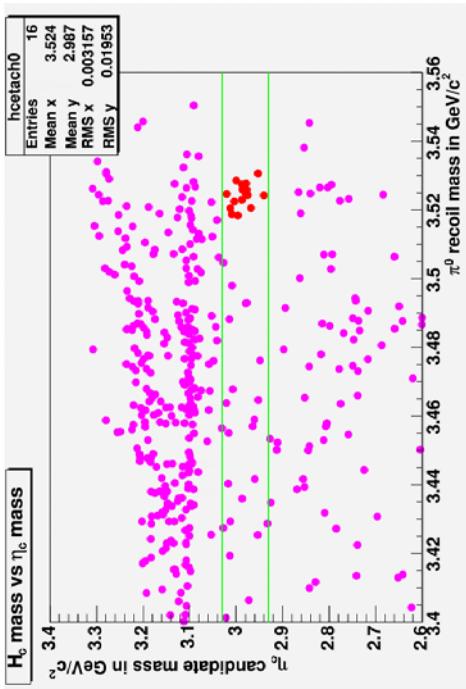
Inclusive Analyses:

- Use photon energy window.
- Doppler broadening small.
- And can be corrected for.

Exclusive Analysis:

- Explicitly reconstruct η_c through known decay modes.
($K_S K\pi$, $K K\pi^0$, $K + K - \pi + \pi -$, $2\pi + 2\pi -$, $\pi + \pi - \eta$)

Search for h_c



Exclusive Results:

yield = 15 +5 -4
significance ~ 5
mass = $3524.4 +/- 0.9$ (stat) MeV
(no systematic unc yet)

Inclusive Results:

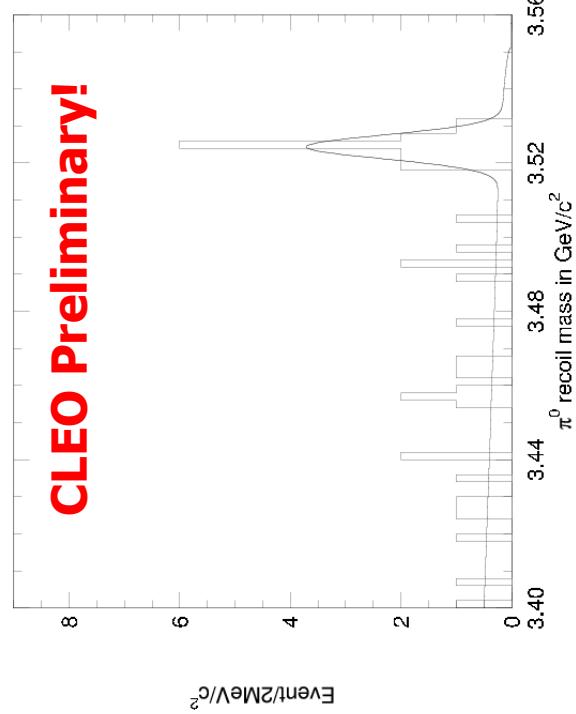
Efforts still underway to combine
multiple inclusive approaches.

Mass from inclusive and exclusive
analyses consistent:

mass = $3524.8 + .7(\text{stat}) + 1.0(\text{sys})$ MeV
significance ~ 3

Mass consistent with E835.

More details at QWG04!



Summary ψ' Transitions

- CLEO-c has measured the rates for charmonium E1 transitions $\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{cJ}$. Results are improvement to previous measurements and are in agreement. The rate versus J does not agree with expectations from NR models.
- BESII, using full reconstruction of the χ_{c2} , has fit the photon and meson angular distributions. They found no significant higher multipole contributions that could arise from relativistic corrections or S-D wave mixing.
- CLEO-c provided first confirmation of the M1 transition ($\psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$).
- CLEO-c found no evidence of a 91 MeV line interpreted in an earlier crystal ball analysis as the η_c' .
- CLEO-c has reported evidence for h_c in searches that use the hadron transition $\psi' \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c$ followed by the radiative transition $h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$ (preliminary). More ψ' data are needed given previous comment!

Future

Data sample goals for future charm factories.

Channel	W (GeV)	CLEO-c			BESIII		
		σ (nb)	$\mathcal{L}T$ (fb^{-1})	Events	σ (nb)	$\mathcal{L}T$ (fb^{-1})	Events
J/ψ	3.097	1000	1	10^9	3400	3	10×10^9
τ	3.67				2.4	5	1.2×10^7
$\psi(2S)$	3.686				640	5	3×10^9
$D\bar{D}$	3.770	5	3	1.5×10^7	5	5	2.5×10^7
$D_s\bar{D}_s$	4.03				0.32	3	1×10^6
$D_s\bar{D}_s$	4.140	0.5	3	1.5×10^6	0.67	3	2×10^6
$\Lambda_c\bar{\Lambda}_c$	4.6		1	3.7×10^7			

Note: CLEO-c results presented today were based on pilot runs (as seen above we had no ψ' data runs planned in the official run plan). CLEO-c running (with finished configuration) started only a few weeks ago! Expect high precision results in the future.

BESIII scheduled to turn on near end of CLEO-c (need date). BESIII will improve on J/ψ samples, $\psi(3770)$ samples and has dedicated a large fraction to ψ' running.

Over the next year CLEO-c will greatly increase the world's $\psi(3770)$ sample. Our knowledge of charmless hadronic decays and radiative transitions will improve significantly \rightarrow Theorists, get your predictions in now!