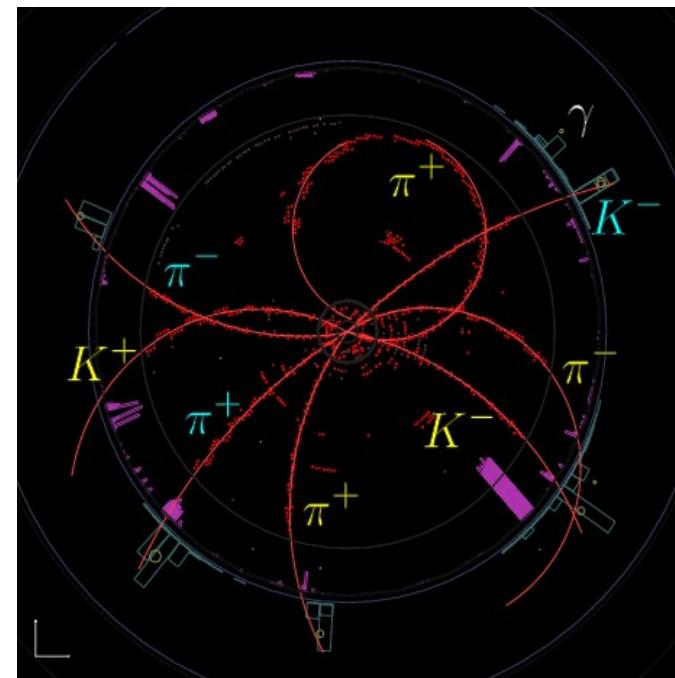
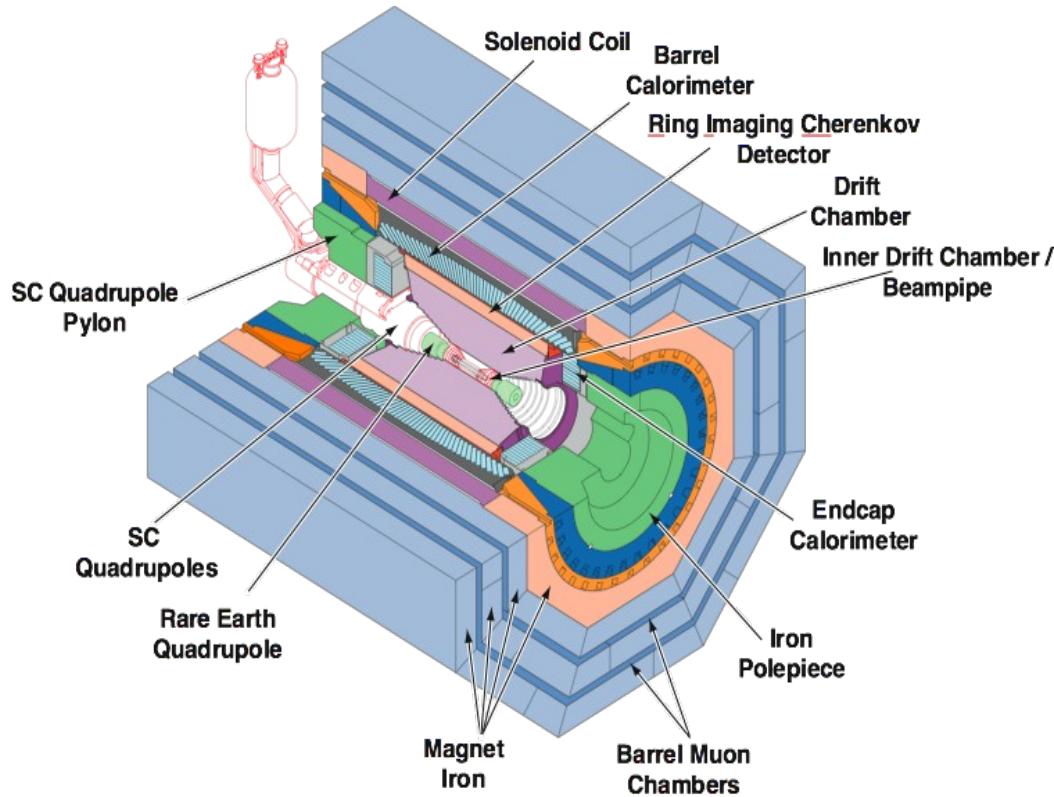


# New Charmonium Results from CLEO-c

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One of the last CLEO-c events  
(taken on 3-March-2008)



# CLEO-c Data Sample for Charmonium Program

818/pb at  $\psi(3770)$

(mostly open charm  
but also charmonium)

54/pb at  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow 27 M \psi(2S)$

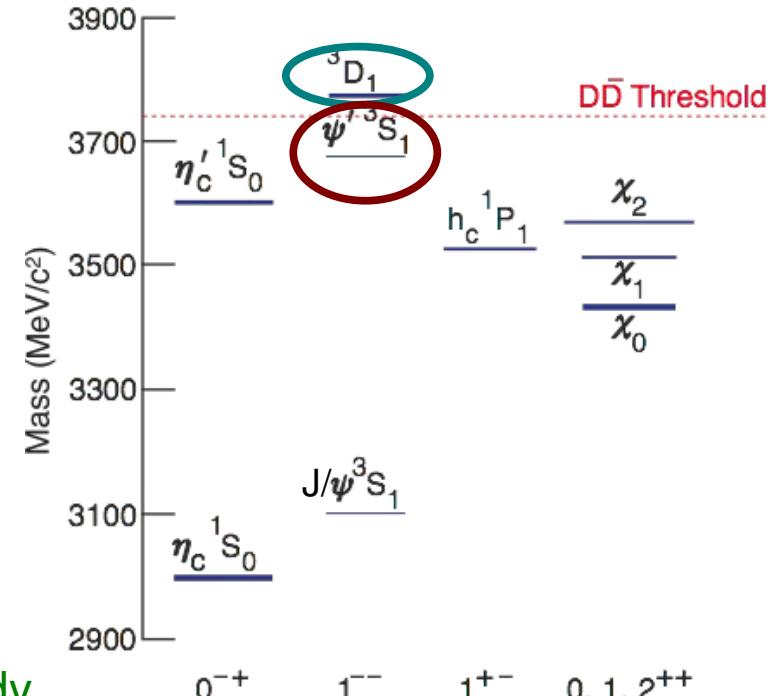
(largest pre-BESIII world supply)

In praise of  $\psi(2S)$ :

$B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- J/\psi) = 32\% (\varepsilon \approx 75\%)$

$B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{cJ}) \approx 9\% \text{ for each of } J=0,1,2$

Clean, tagged, abundant  $J/\psi, \chi_{cJ}$  (and  $h_c$ )!



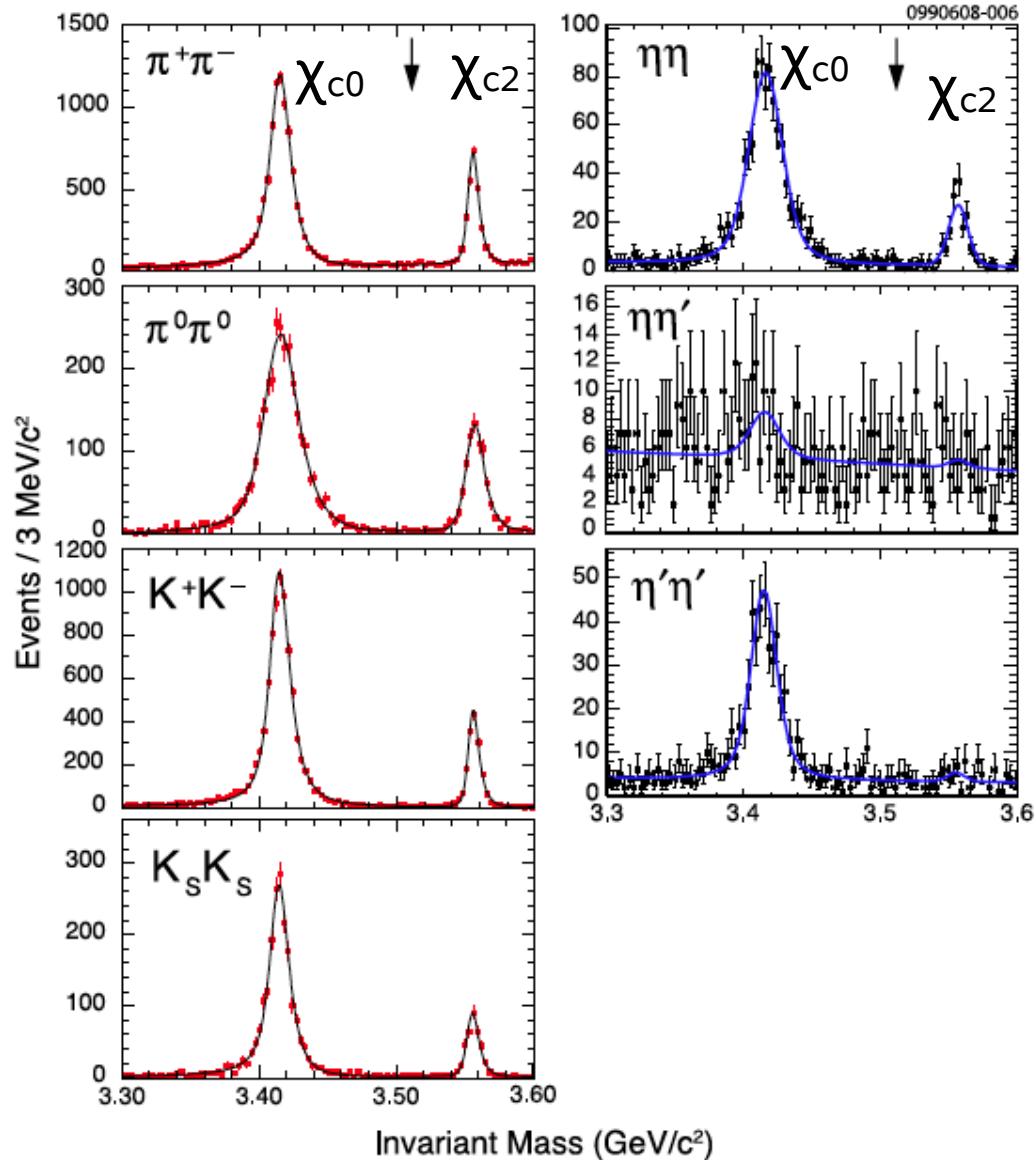
## Study

- Decays of states (hadronic & radiative)
- Transitions between states
- Spectrum of states

Overarching theme: Use charmonium as a laboratory to test

- quarkonium potential models
- QCD, pQCD, NRQCD, LQCD

# Two-Body Mesonic Decays of $\chi_{cJ}$



- Two-body decays are **theoretically “clean”**:
  - probe role of the color octet mechanism
  - probe gluon content of final state mesons
- Results for **two-body baryonic decays**  
have also recently been published:  
*CLEO PRD 78, 031101(R) (2008)*

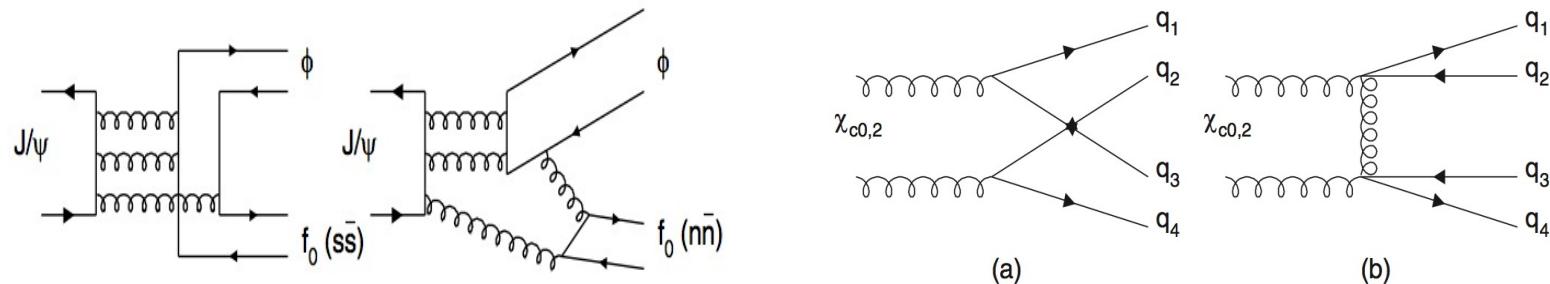
Mode	BF or 90% CL UL ( $10^{-3}$ )		
		$\chi_{c0}$	$\chi_{c2}$
$\pi^+\pi^-$	This Work	$6.37 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.32$	$1.59 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.10$
	PDG [5]	$4.87 \pm 0.40$	$1.42 \pm 0.16$
$\pi^0\pi^0$	This Work	$2.94 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.15$	$0.68 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.04$
	PDG	$2.43 \pm .20$	$0.71 \pm 0.08$
$K^+K^-$	This Work	$6.47 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.33 \pm 0.32$	$1.13 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.07$
	PDG	$5.5 \pm 0.6$	$0.78 \pm 0.14$
$K_S^0 K_S^0$	This Work	$3.49 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.17$	$0.53 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.03$
	PDG	$2.77 \pm 0.34$	$0.68 \pm 0.11$
$\eta\eta$	This Work	$3.18 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.16$	$0.51 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.05 \pm 0.03$
	PDG	$2.4 \pm 0.4$	$< 0.5$
$\eta\eta'$	This Work	$< 0.25$	$< 0.06$
	PDG	$(0.16 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.01)$	$(0.013 \pm 0.031 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.001)$
$\eta'\eta'$	This Work	$2.12 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.11$	$< 0.10$
	PDG	$1.7 \pm 0.4$	$(0.056 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.003)$

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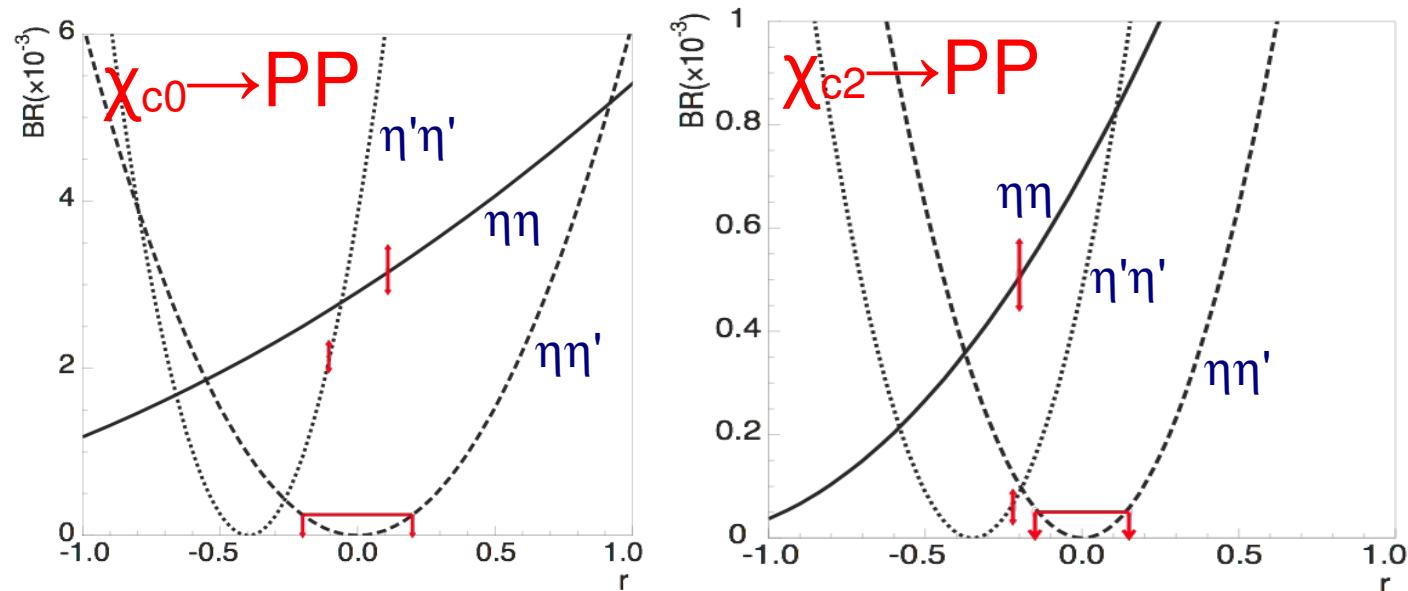
Substantial improvement over current world averages in some channels!

# Example: $\chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \eta^{(')}\eta^{(')}$

Measured BRs constrain ratio of Double-OZI to Single-OZI amplitudes



Theory: Close & Zhao, *PRD* 71, 094022, factorization a la Zhao, *PRD* 72, 074001; *PLB* 659, 221



Data suggest small (if any) contribution of DOZI decays in  $0^+$  channel.

# Evidence for Hadronic Decay of the $h_c$

The only previously observed decay:

$$\Psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c \times B(h_c \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c);$$

product BF:  $4.2 \pm 0.6 \times 10^{-4}$

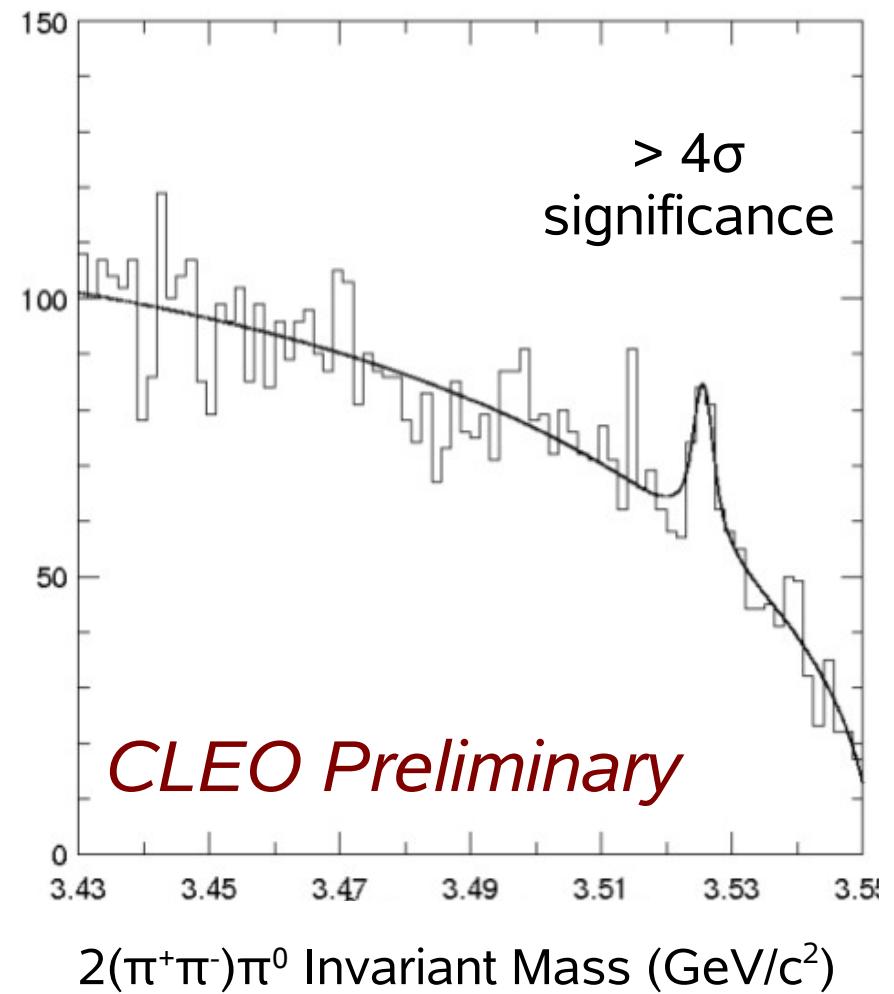
(CLEO *PRL* 101, 182003 (2008))

Godfrey & Rosner predict 73% direct hadronic decay (*PRD* 66, 014012 (2002))

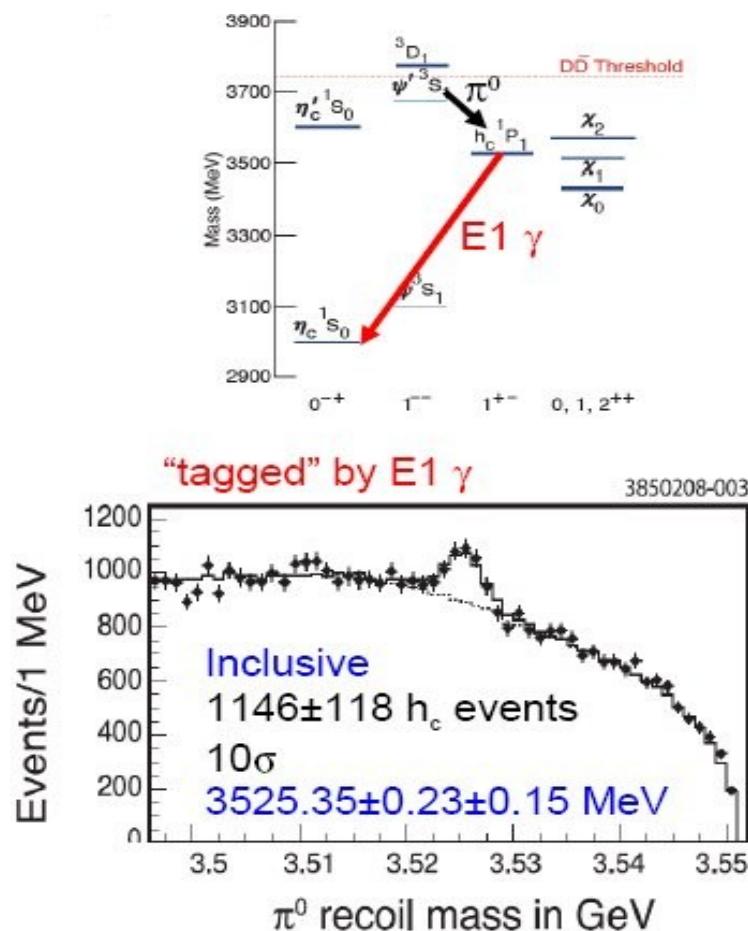
Expect **odd number of pions**  
(negative G parity)

Measure  $B(\Psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^0 h_c) \times B(h_c \rightarrow X)$   
 $X = n(\pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^0$  ( $n=1,2,3$ ):

Mode	Product BF ( $10^{-5}$ )
$\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	< 0.2
$2(\pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^0$	<b><math>1.9 \pm 0.5 \pm 0.4</math></b>
$3(\pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^0$	< 2.4

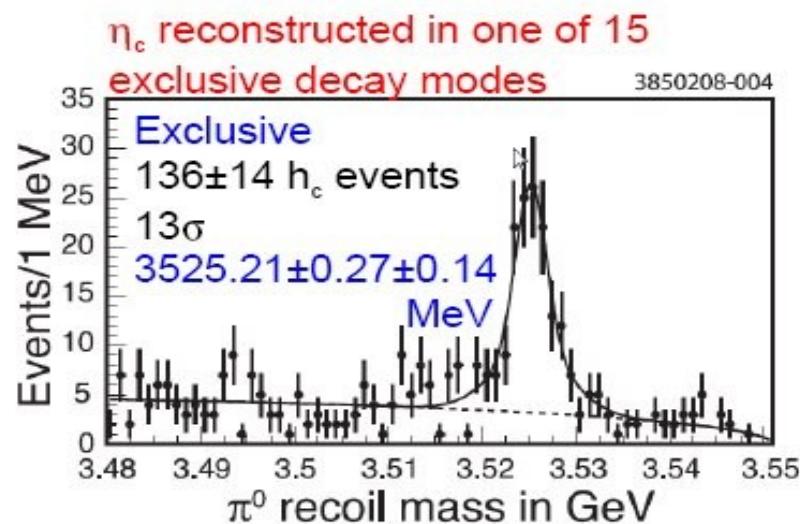


# (Aside: Precision $h_c$ Mass Measurement)



CLEO *PRL* 101, 182003 (2008)  
CLEO-c arXiv:0805.4599 [hep-ex]

- A factor of ~9 larger statistics than in the initial publication

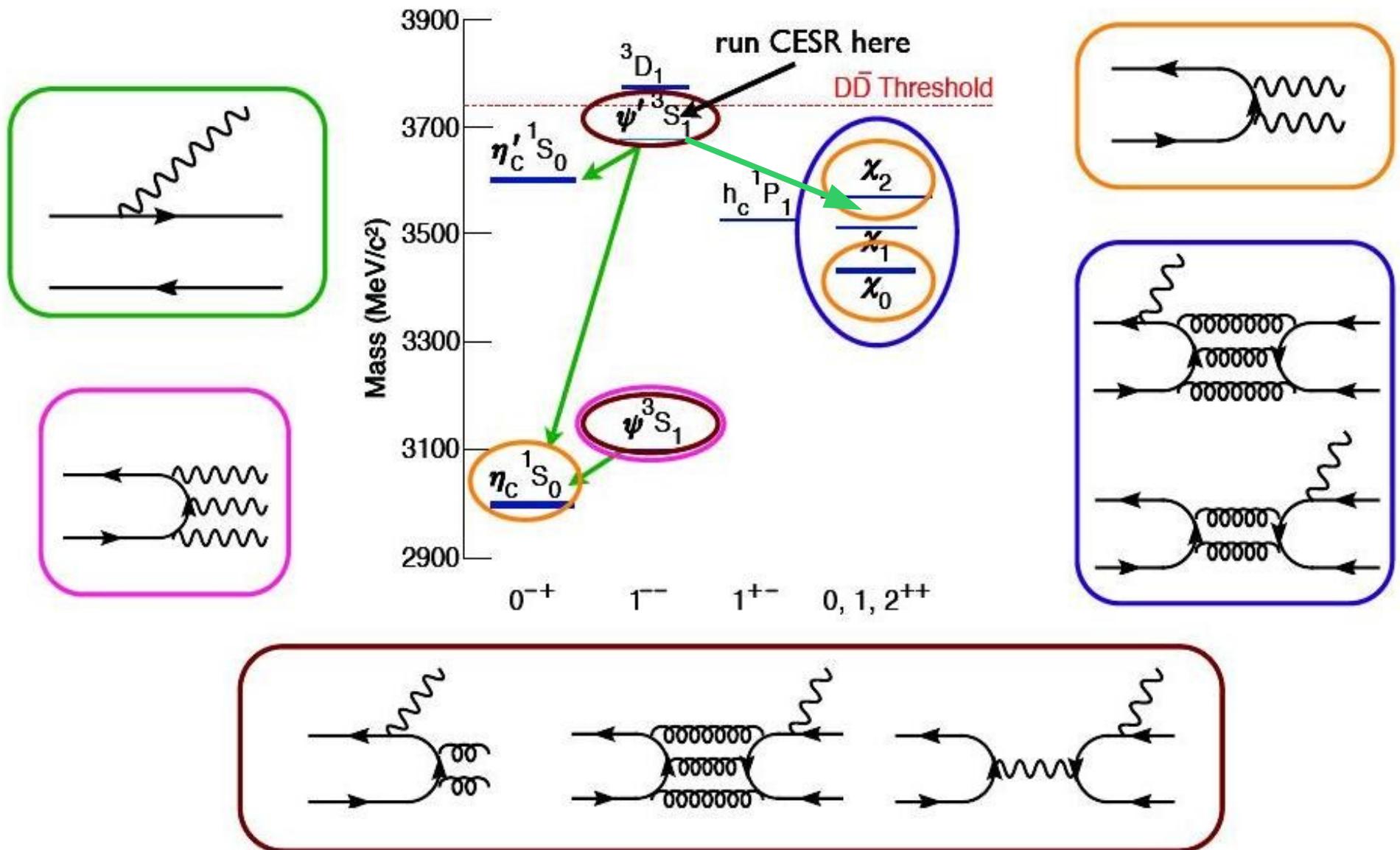


Result:  $M(h_c) = (3525.28 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.12)$  MeV

cf.  $\langle M(\chi_{cJ}) \rangle = (3525.30 \pm 0.11)$  MeV (PDG)

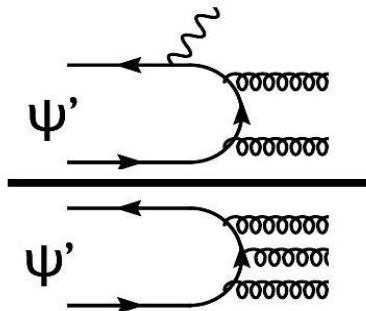
→ HF splitting of 1P states is negligibly small!

# Radiative Decays and Transitions



# $B(\Psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma gg) / B(\Psi(2S) \rightarrow ggg)$

Rough expectation for ratio of rates:



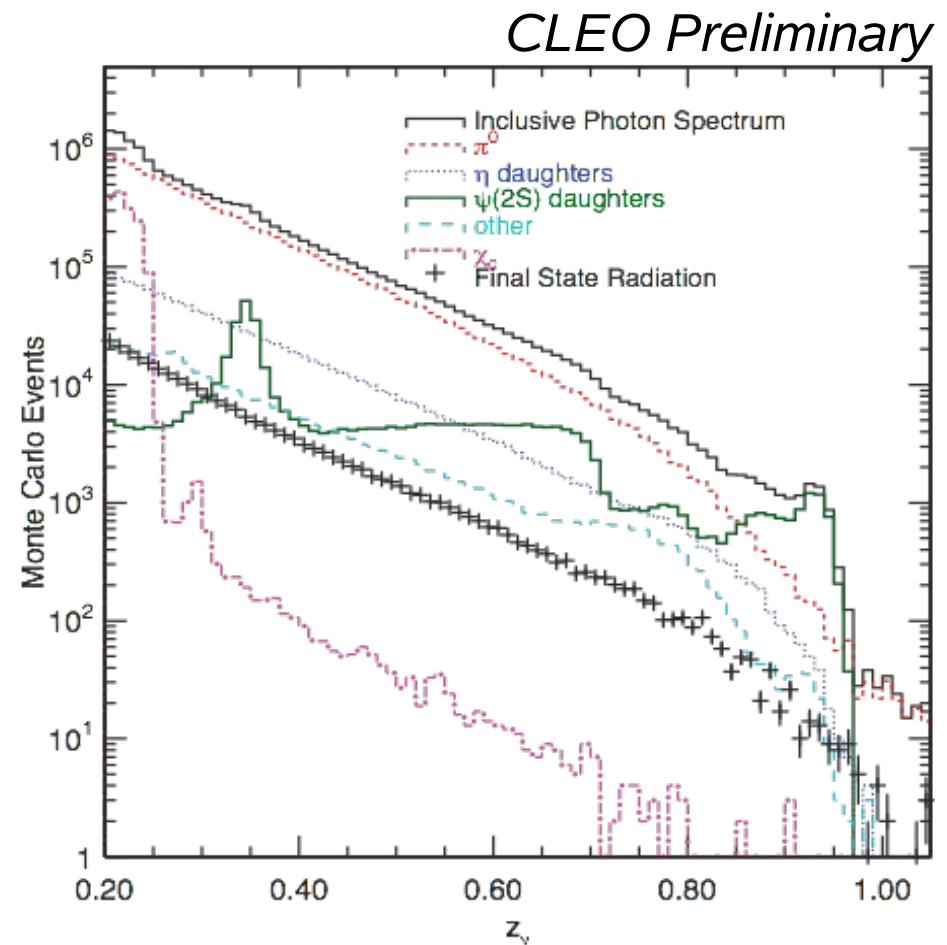
$$\propto q_c^2 \alpha_{EM} / \alpha_s [1 + \dots]$$

Experimental challenge: subtracting backgrounds

- utilize three separate techniques; dominant systematic error

Measure  $\Psi' \rightarrow \gamma gg$ , subtract all other known decays and transitions (87%), infer  $\Psi' \rightarrow ggg$

State	$B(X \rightarrow \gamma gg) / B(X \rightarrow ggg)$
J/ $\psi$	$0.137 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.016$
$\psi(2S)$	$0.091 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.027$
$\Upsilon(1S)$	$0.027 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.003$
$\Upsilon(2S)$	$0.032 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.005$
$\Upsilon(3S)$	$0.027 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.005$

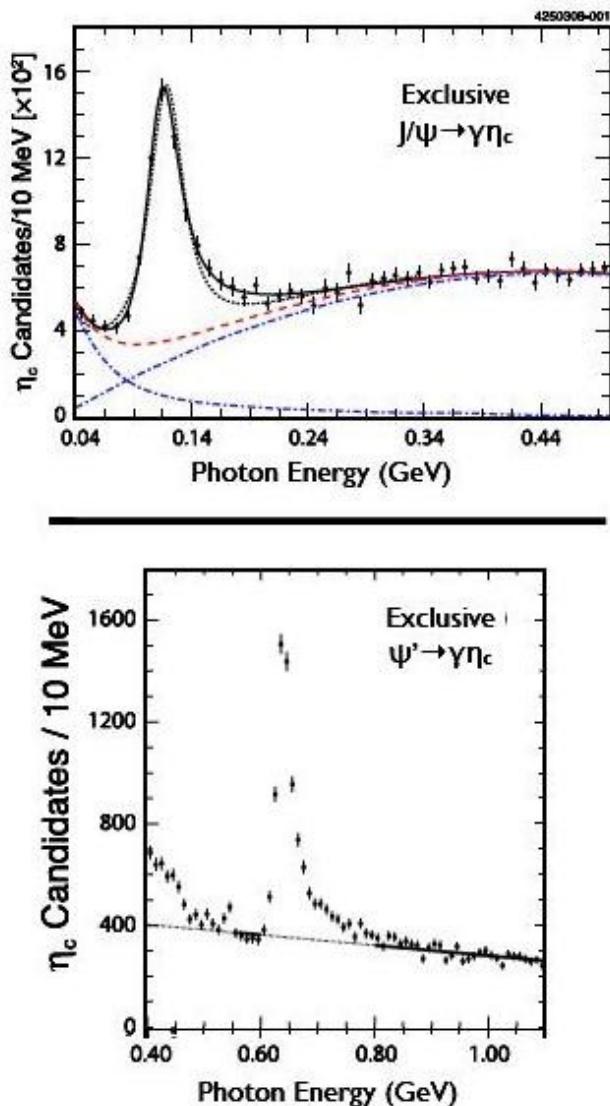


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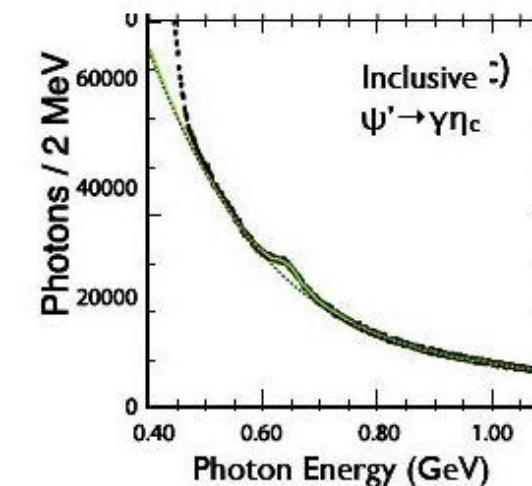
CLEO PRD 74, 012003 (2006)

# $J/\psi, \psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$



## Three Measurements of MI Transitions:

- A.  $B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) = (4.32 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.60) \times 10^{-3}$  from inclusive  $\eta_c$  decays.
- B.  $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) / B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c)$  using exclusive  $\eta_c$  decays.
- C.  $B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) = (1.98 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.30)\%$  taking A  $\times$  B.



$$= B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c)$$

Recent Lattice QCD Results (Dudek et al., PRD 73, 07450(2006))  
predict  $\Gamma_{\gamma \eta_c} = (2.0 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.4)$  keV  
 $\Rightarrow B(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) = (2.1 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.4)\%$

One “surprise” was the non-trivial line-shape of the  $\eta_c$ .

*CLEO PRL 102, 011801 (2009)*

# The $\eta_c$ Lineshape

Asymmetric lineshape is expected:

$$\Gamma_{n^3S_1 \rightarrow n'{}^1S_0 \gamma} = \frac{4}{3} \alpha e_Q^2 \frac{k_\gamma^3}{m^2} \left| \int_0^\infty dr r^2 R_{n'0}(r) R_{n0}(r) j_0\left(\frac{k_\gamma r}{2}\right) \right|^2$$

c.f.: Brambilla et al.,  
PRD 73, 054005 (2006)

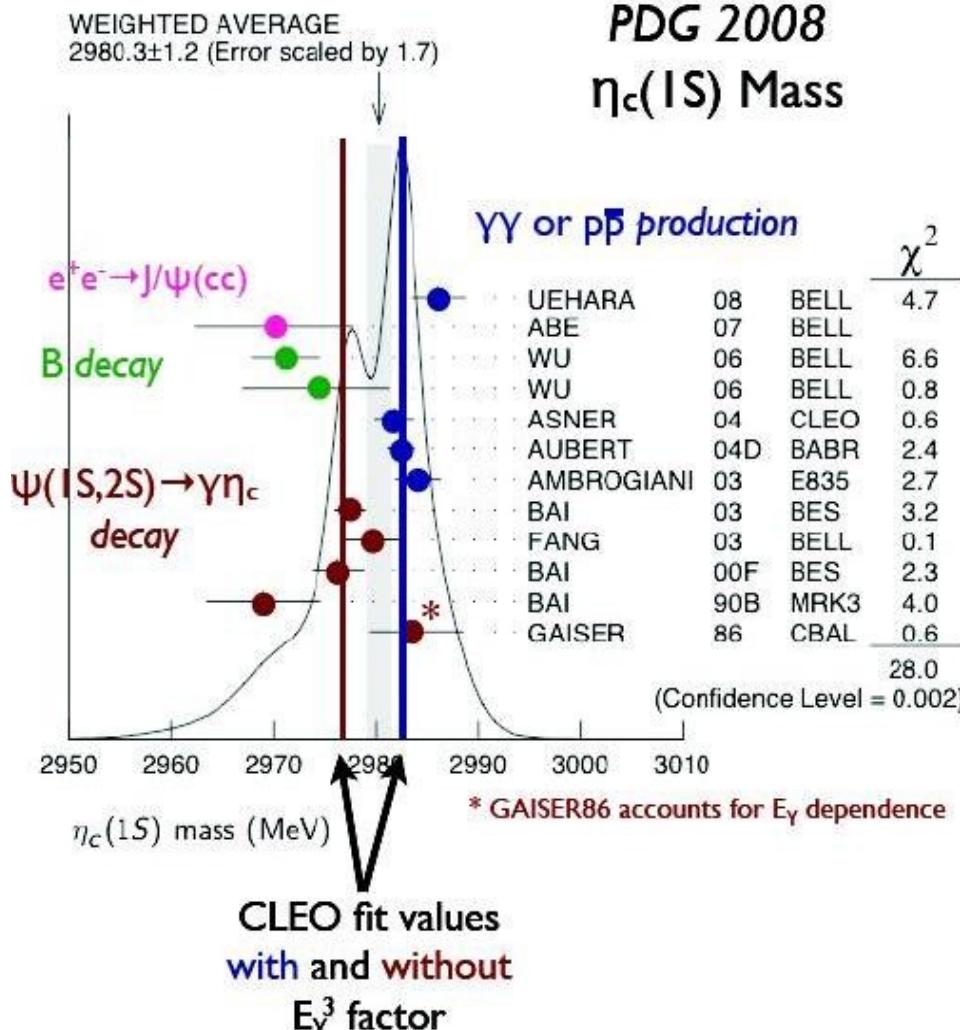
$$\Gamma(\Psi' \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) [n \neq n'] \propto E_\gamma^7$$

$$\Gamma(J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c) [n = n'] \propto E_\gamma^3$$

...but these factors cause  
total width to diverge at high  $E_\gamma$

Understanding the energy dependence of the  
 $\Psi(1S,2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$  matrix element is crucial for an  
accurate mass measurement from radiative decays.

$\eta_c$  mass uncertainty drives experimental  
error on charmonium 1S hyperfine splitting.



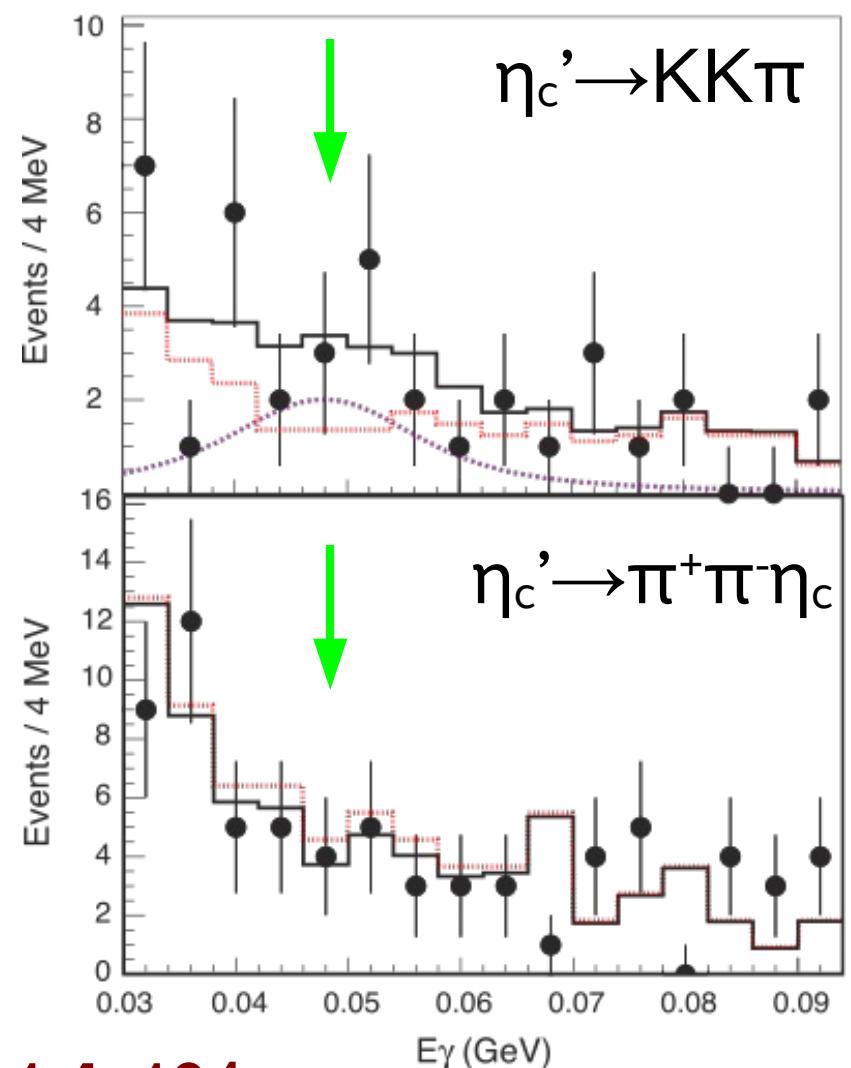
- $E_\gamma = 48$  MeV -- inclusive analysis too difficult; instead search for--
  - $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c'; \eta_c' \rightarrow X$
  - $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c'; \eta_c' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta_c; \eta_c \rightarrow X$
- Calibrate analysis on  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \chi_{c2}$  transition
- Using known  $B(\eta_c' \rightarrow K\bar{K}\pi)$  and  $\eta_c$  branching fractions, can set 90% C.L. limits
- Scaling from  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$  one expects  $B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c') = 4 \times 10^{-4}$

**Results (CLEO PRELIMINARY):**

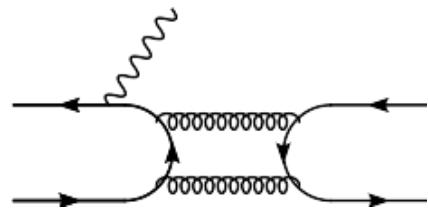
$$B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c') < 7.4 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c') \times B(\eta_c' \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \eta_c) < 1.4 \times 10^{-4}$$

$\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c' ?$



# $J/\psi, \psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma(\pi^0, \eta, \eta')$



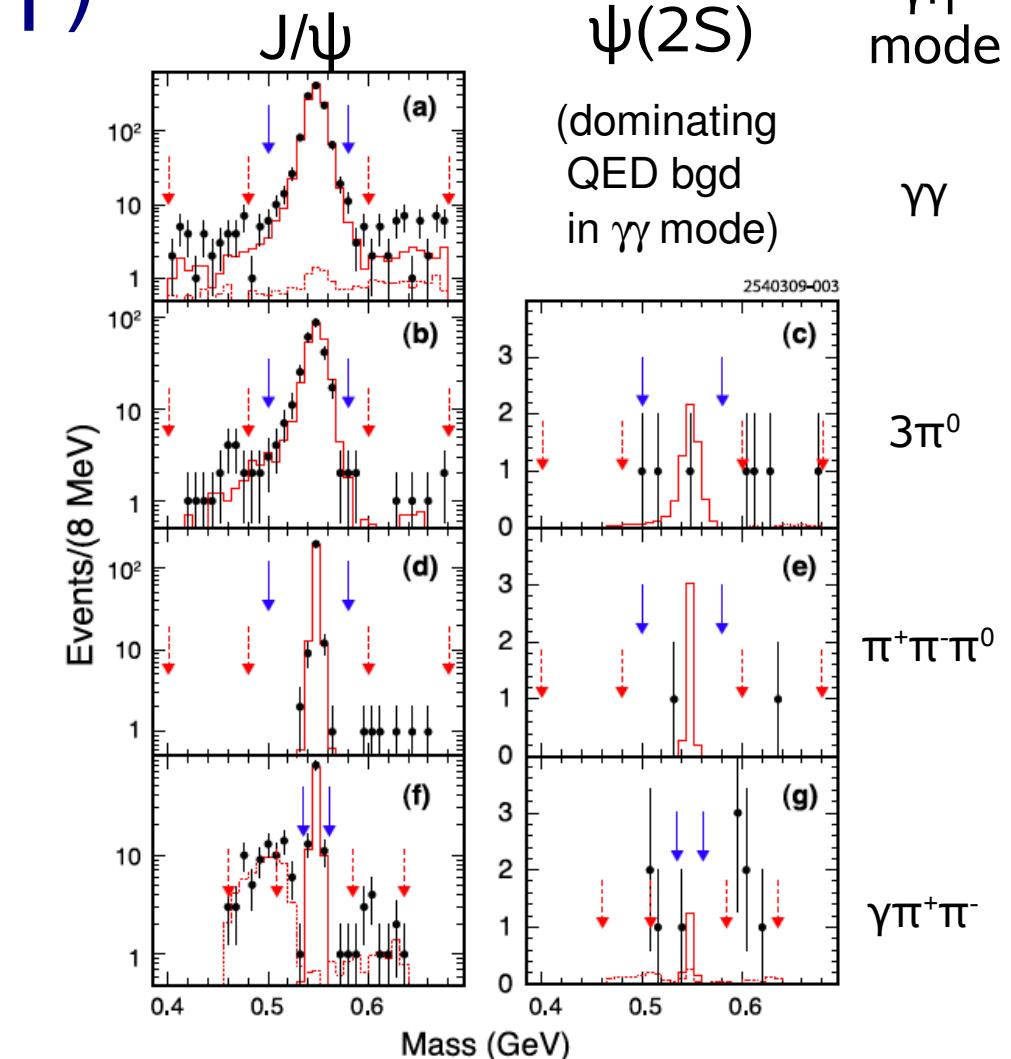
Mode	This result ( $10^{-4}$ )
$J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\pi^0$	$0.363 \pm 0.036 \pm 0.013$
$\rightarrow \gamma\eta$	$11.01 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.22$
$\rightarrow \gamma\eta'$	$52.4 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.1$
$\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma\pi^0$	$< 0.07$
$\rightarrow \gamma\eta$	$< 0.02$
$\rightarrow \gamma\eta'$	$1.19 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.03$

$$R_n \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(\psi(nS) \rightarrow \gamma\eta)}{\mathcal{B}(\psi(nS) \rightarrow \gamma\eta')}$$

Results:

$$R_1 = (21.1 \pm 0.9)\%$$

$$R_2 < 1.8\% \text{ at 90\% C.L.}$$



consistent with known  $\eta-\eta'$  mixing

surprise: R1, R2 expected to be about equal!

CLEO arXiv: 0904.1394 [hep-ex], accepted by PRL

# $\chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \gamma(\rho, \omega, \phi)$

Look for:

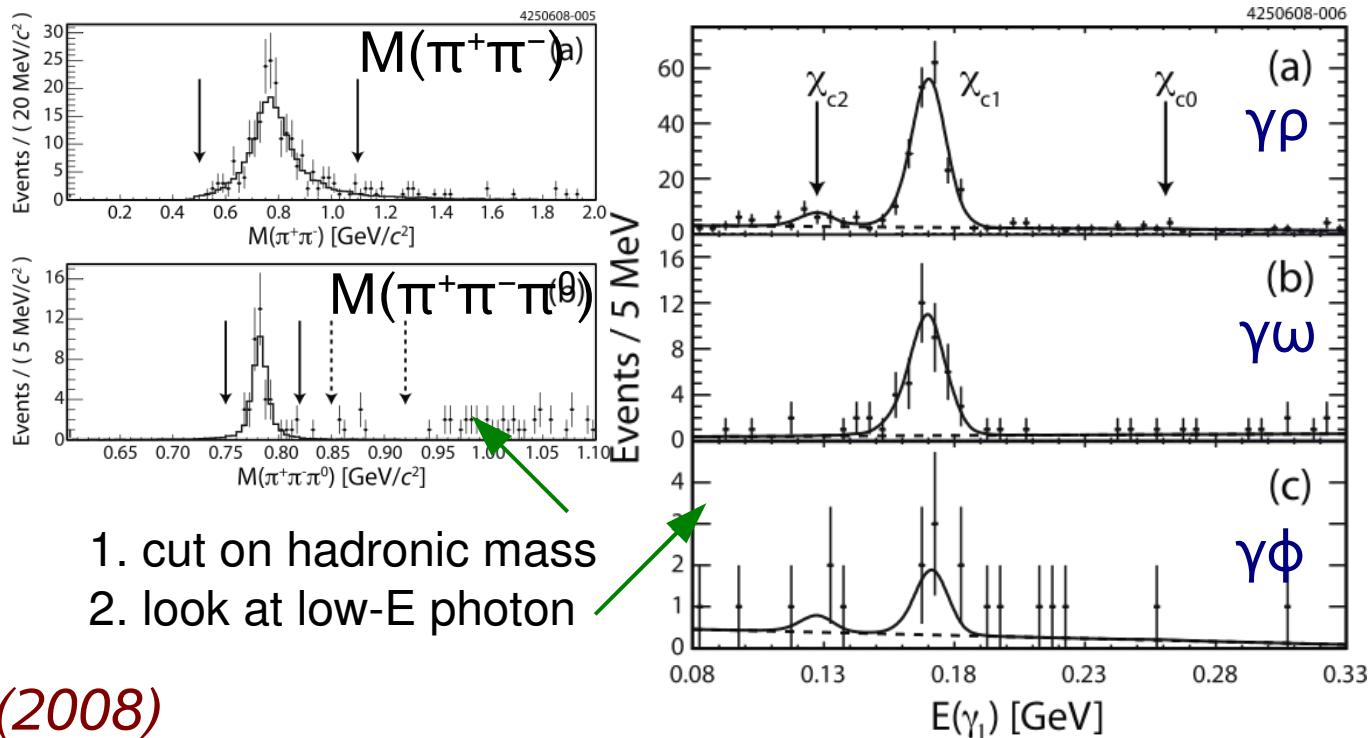
$$\begin{aligned}\psi(2S) &\rightarrow \gamma_{(\text{low})} \chi_{cJ} \\ \chi_{cJ} &\rightarrow \gamma_{(\text{high})} (\rho, \omega, \phi)\end{aligned}$$

Significant signals  
observed in:

$$\begin{aligned}\chi_{c1} &\rightarrow \gamma\rho \\ \chi_{c1} &\rightarrow \gamma\omega\end{aligned}$$

*CLEO PRL 101, 151801 (2008)*

Mode	$\mathcal{B} \times 10^6$	U.L. [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]	pQCD [10 <sup>-6</sup> ]
$\chi_{c0} \rightarrow \gamma\rho^0$		< 9.6	1.2
$\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \gamma\rho^0$	$243 \pm 19 \pm 22$		14
$\chi_{c2} \rightarrow \gamma\rho^0$	$25 \pm 10^{+8}_{-14}$	< 50	4.4
$\chi_{c0} \rightarrow \gamma\omega$		< 8.8	0.13
$\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \gamma\omega$	$83 \pm 15 \pm 12$		1.6
$\chi_{c2} \rightarrow \gamma\omega$		< 7.0	0.50
$\chi_{c0} \rightarrow \gamma\phi$		< 6.4	0.46
$\chi_{c1} \rightarrow \gamma\phi$	$12.8 \pm 7.6 \pm 1.5$	< 26	3.6
$\chi_{c2} \rightarrow \gamma\phi$		< 13	1.1



Expect process to be analogous to that of  
glueball production, e.g., in  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma f_J$

pQCD predicts rates an order of magnitude  
lower than observed! (Gao, Zhang, Chao,  
Chin.Phys.Lett. 23, 2376 (2006)  
[arXiv:hep-ph/0607278])

# $\chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

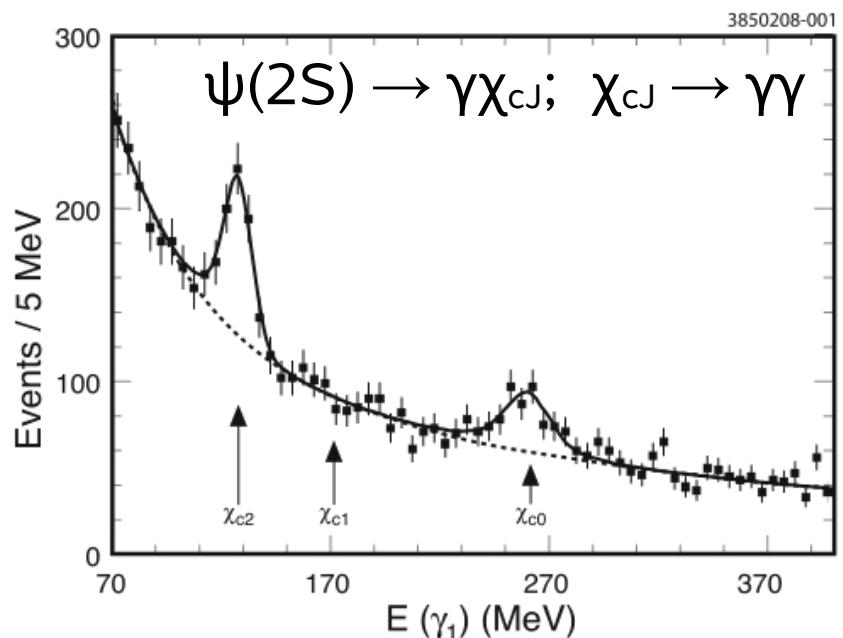
Two-photon widths of  $\chi_{cJ}$  probe  
relativistic and radiative corrections  
known to be significant in charmonium.

Results:

$$\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}(\chi_{c2}) = 0.66 \pm 0.07_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.04_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.05_{\text{PDG}} \text{ keV}$$

$$\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}(\chi_{c0}) = 2.36 \pm 0.35_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.11_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.19_{\text{PDG}} \text{ keV}$$

$$\text{Ratio} = 0.278 \pm 0.050_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.018_{\text{syst}} \pm 0.031_{\text{PDG}}$$



In pQCD, uncertainties due to quark mass and wave function cancel,  
making the ratio of widths,  $R$ , a key quantity. To first order in  $\alpha_s$ :

$$R = \frac{\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}(\chi_{c2}) = 4(|\Psi'(0)|^2 \alpha_{EM}^2 / m_c^4) \times [1 - 1.70\alpha_s + \dots]}{\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma}(\chi_{c0}) = 15(|\Psi'(0)|^2 \alpha_{EM}^2 / m_c^4) \times [1 + 0.06\alpha_s + \dots]} = (4/15) [1 - 1.76\alpha_s + \dots]$$

*prediction:*  
 $\alpha_s = 0.32 \rightarrow R=0.12$

New world avg.:  $R = 0.22 \pm 0.03$   
*higher order corrections very significant*

*CLEO PRD 78, 091501 (2008)*

# J/ $\psi$ $\rightarrow$ 3 $\gamma$

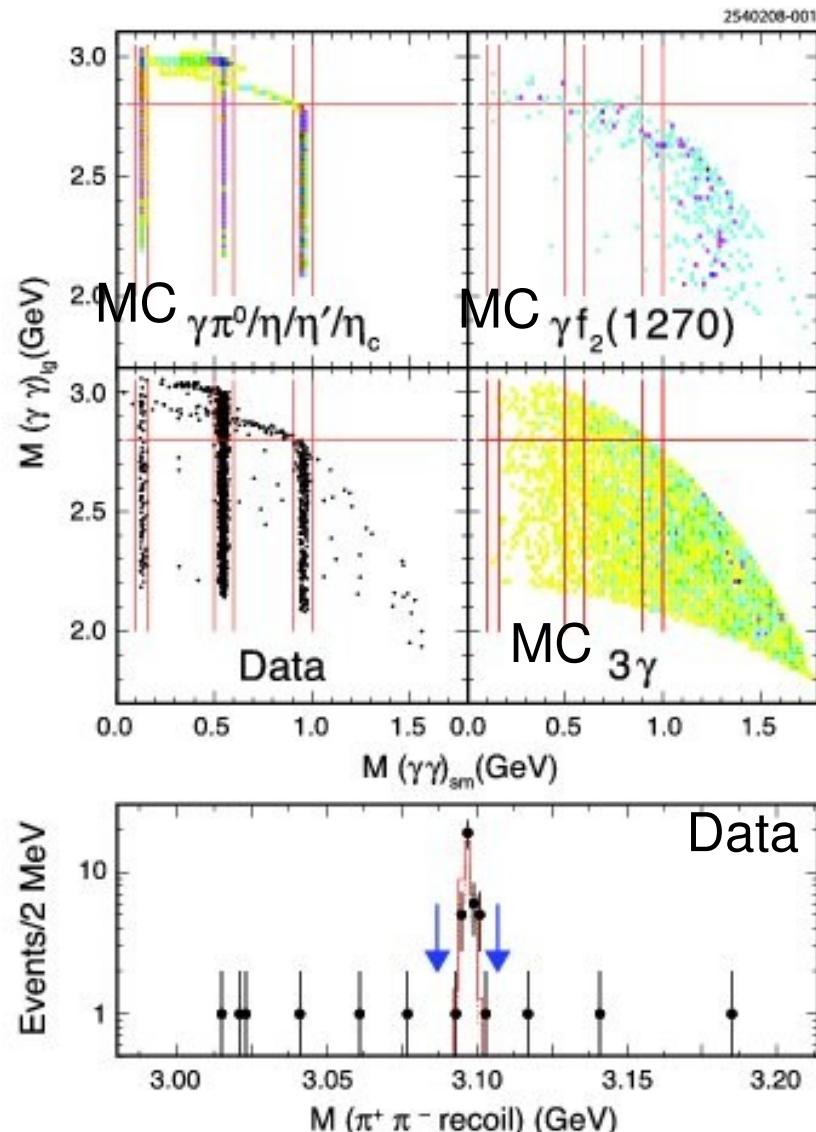
This is the quarkonium analogue of orthopositronium decay.

Tag via  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  J/ $\psi$   
(eliminates QED background!)

Veto resonances  $\pi^0, \eta, \eta', \eta_c$

Main remaining background:  
J/ $\psi \rightarrow \gamma \pi^0\pi^0$

Tagging gives very clean J/ $\psi$  sample!



# J/ $\psi$ $\rightarrow$ 3 $\gamma$

Perform kinematic fit;

**Signal peaks at low  $\chi^2/\text{dof}$**

**Background rises away from zero**

(and is independent of  $\pi^0\pi^0$  substructure!)

Result (CLEO *PRL* 101, 101801 (2008)):

$$B = (1.2 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-5} \quad (6\sigma)$$

First observed 3 $\gamma$  decay of any hadron!

Theory: in QED,  $B(3\gamma)/B(3g) \approx (\alpha/\alpha_s)^3$

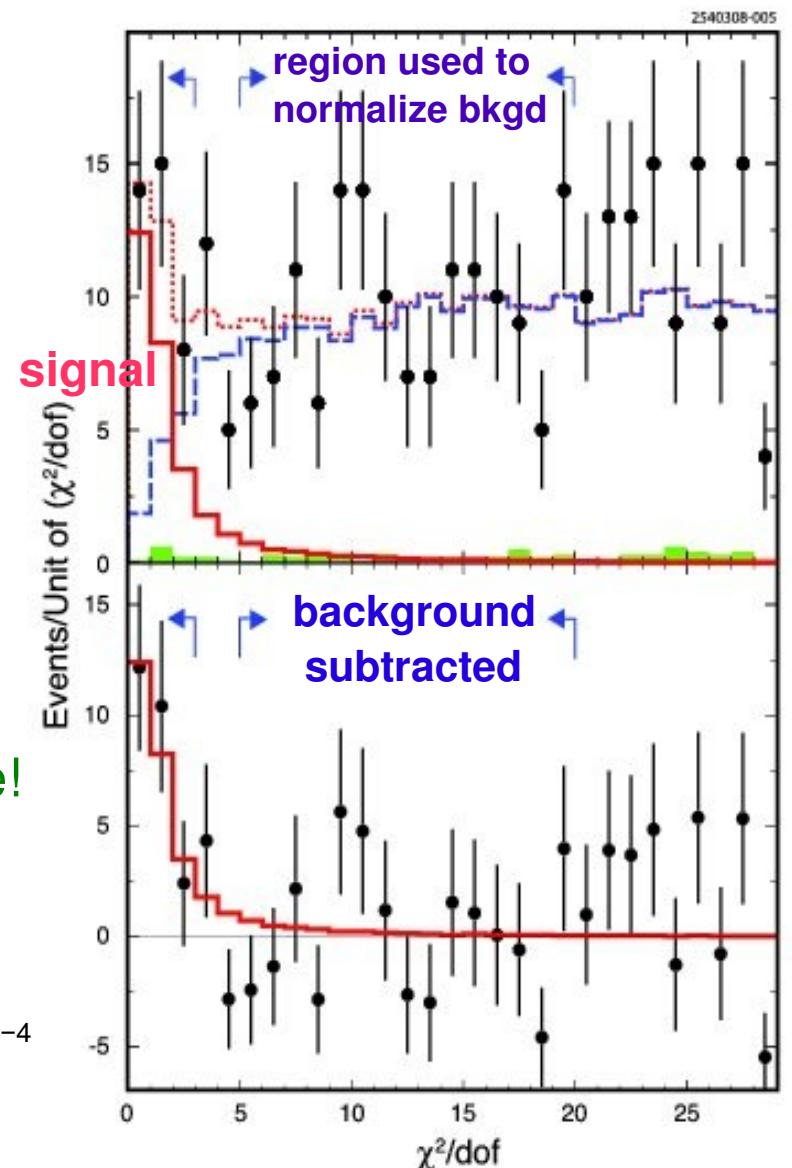
$$\text{and } B(3\gamma) \approx (\alpha/14)B_{\mu\mu} \approx 3 \times 10^{-5}$$

But NLO QCD corrections give negative rate!

(Higher order corrections very significant)

As “byproduct” we obtain upper limit on  $\eta_c \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ :

$$B(\eta_c \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) < 3 \times 10^{-4} \quad (90\% \text{ CL}), \text{ PDG: } (2.7+0.9) \times 10^{-4}$$



# Summary of CLEO-c Charmonium Results

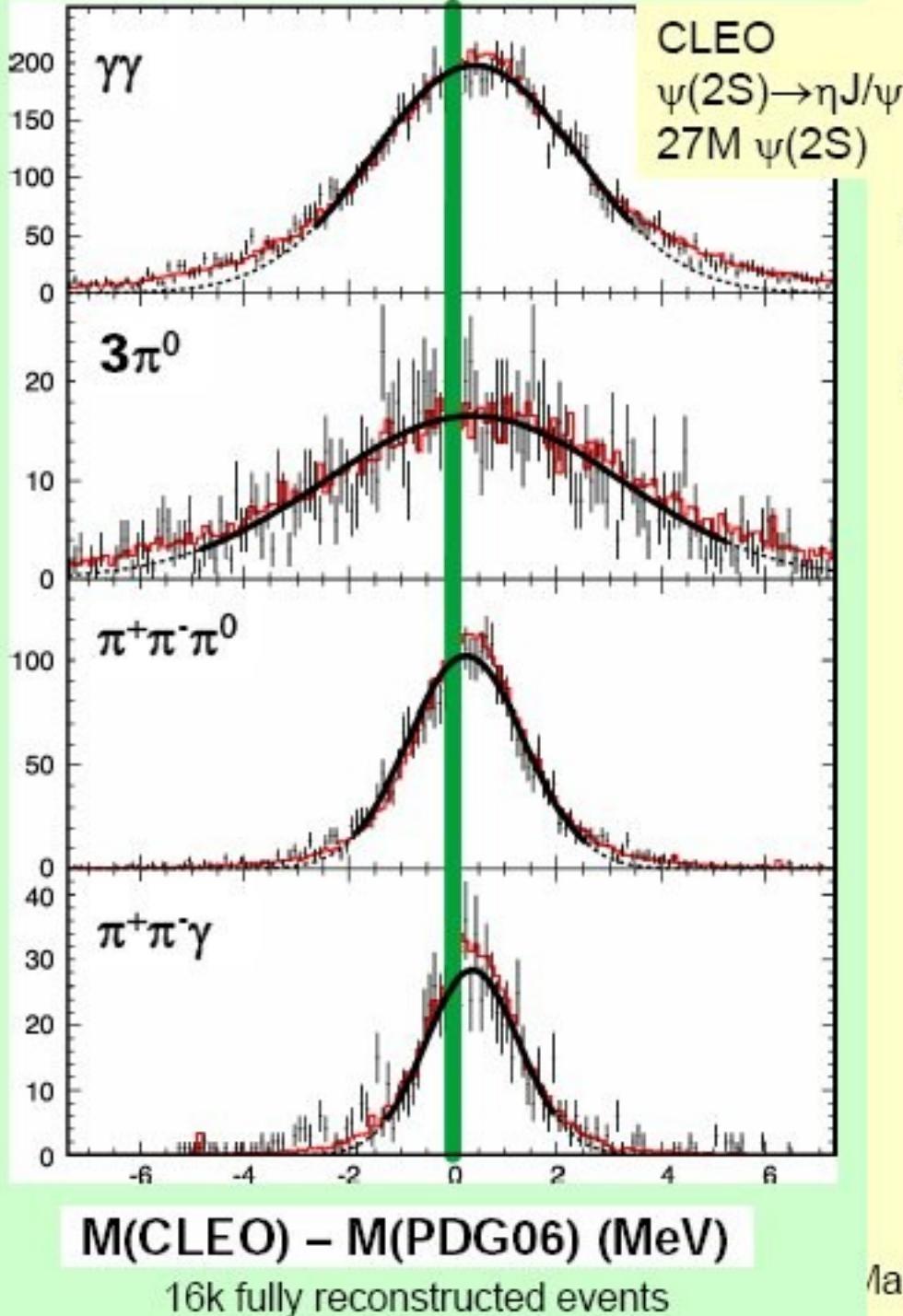
- Precision measurement of hadronic two-body decays of  $\chi_{cJ}$
- First evidence for hadronic  $h_c$  decay (and precision measurement of the  $h_c$  mass)
- First measurement of  $B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma gg) / B(\psi(2S) \rightarrow ggg)$  ;  
completes set for heavy vector states
- New measurements for M1 transitions  $J/\psi, \psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c$   
Understanding of lineshape crucial for  $\eta_c$  mass and BF measurements
- New limit on  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c'$
- Study of  $J/\psi, \psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma(\pi^0, \eta, \eta')$ ; surprising suppression of  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \gamma \eta$
- First observation of  $\chi_{cJ} \rightarrow \gamma(\rho, \omega, \phi)$ ; rates much larger than predicted
- Precision measurement of two-photon widths of  $\chi_{c(0,2)}$
- First observation of the 3-photon decay of a meson:  $J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma \gamma \gamma$

# Concluding Remarks

- Rich program of hadronic physics at CLEO-c (too extensive to cover it all here) --
  - precision measurements of the mass of  $\eta$  (*PRL 99, 122002 (2007)*), and  $\eta'$  (*PRL 101, 182002 (2008)*)
  - most precise single measurement of all dominant  $\eta$  B.F.'s (*PRL 99, 122001 (2008)*),  $\eta'$  B.F.'s (arXiv: 0904.1394), and rare  $\eta'$  decays (*PRL 102, 061801 (2008)*)
  - precision branching fractions for  $\psi' \rightarrow X J/\psi$  (*PRD 78, 011102(R) (2008)*)
- ...and several analyses still in the pipeline --
  - M2/E1 in  $\chi_{cJ}$  transitions
  - analysis of  $\psi' \rightarrow \pi\pi J/\psi$  matrix elements
  - $(J/\psi, \psi') \rightarrow (\gamma, \pi^0) pp; \chi_{cJ} \rightarrow X pp$
  - search for invisible (radiative) decays of  $J/\psi$
  - spectroscopy in hadronic  $\chi_{cJ}$  decay
- *CLEO-c has been laying a solid foundation for BESIII to build on.*

# Backup Slides

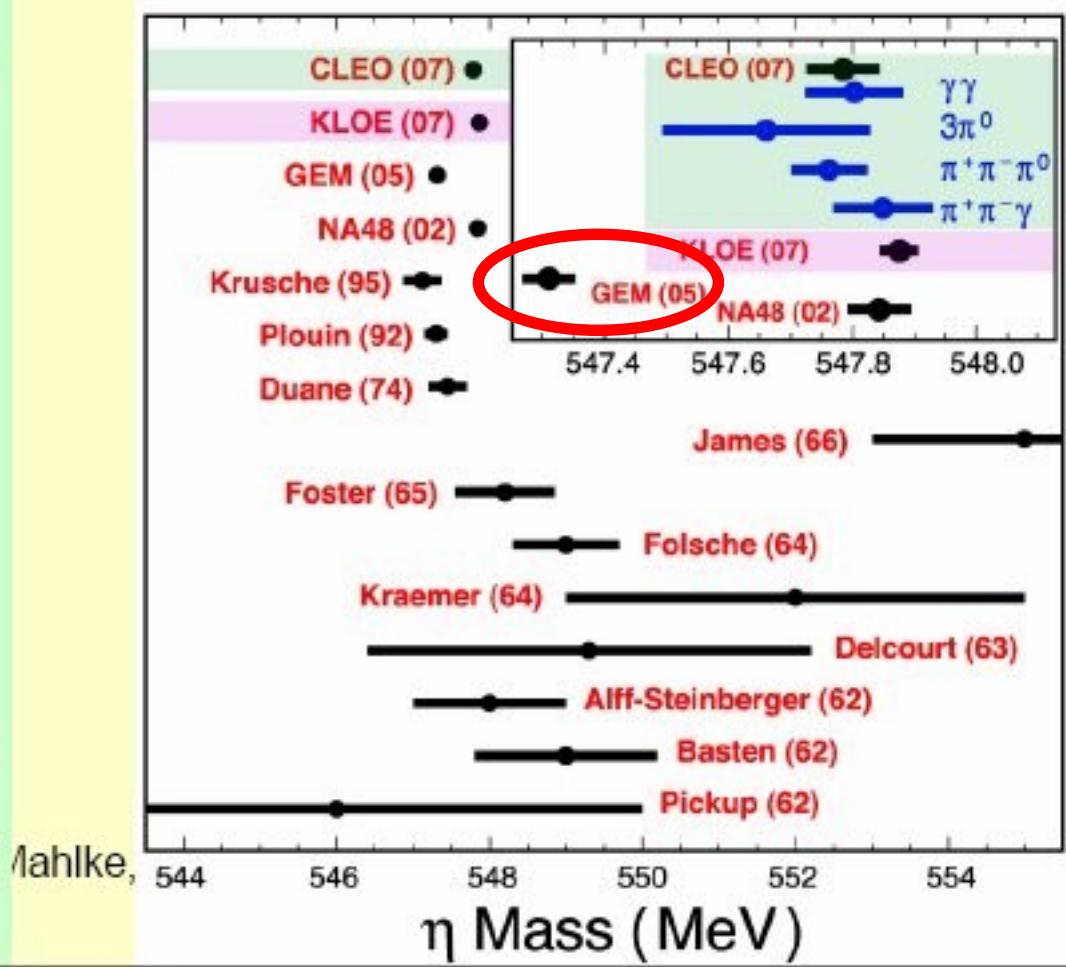
## Invariant mass of $\eta$ decay products:



# $\eta$ Mass

CLEO:  $M(\eta) = 547.785 \pm 0.017 \pm 0.057$  MeV  
 PRL 99, 122002 (2007) (arXiv:0707.1810)

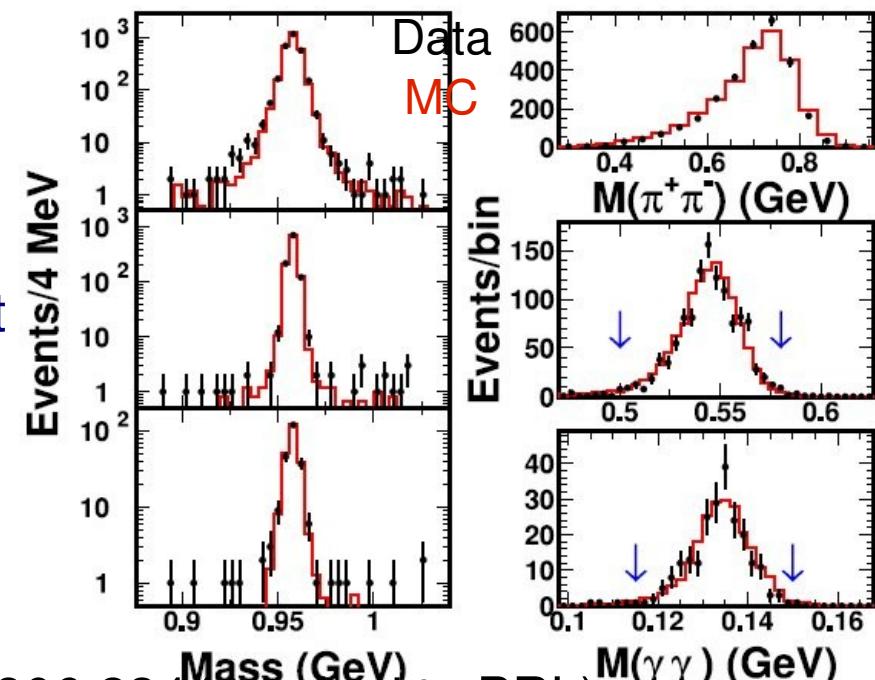
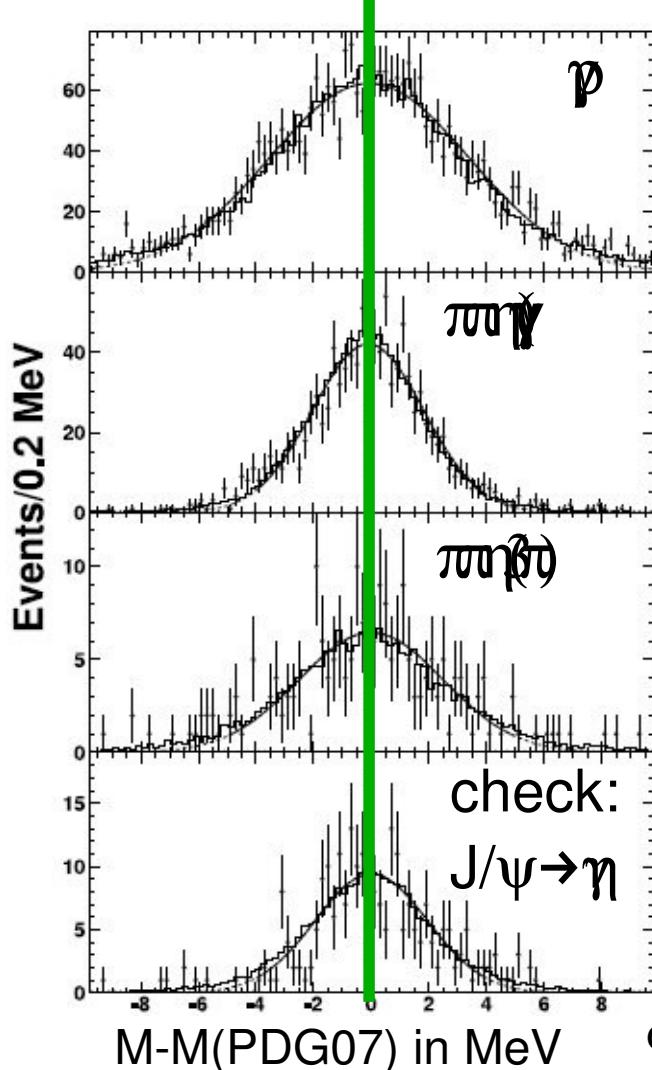
KLOE:  $M(\eta) = 547.873 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.031$  MeV  
 arXiv:0707.4616 (LP07 contribution)



# $\eta'$ Mass

Use  $\psi(2S) \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi, J/\psi \rightarrow \gamma\eta'$

Similar technique as in  $\eta$  mass measurement



Result:

(CLEO arXiv:0806.2344, subm to PRL)

$$M(\eta') = (957.793 \pm 0.054 \pm 0.036) \text{ MeV}$$

consistent with and substantially more precise than previous world average

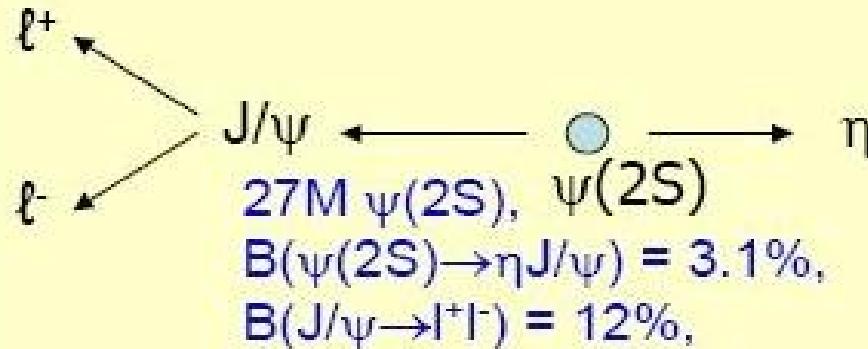
Implication for the pseudoscalar  $\eta$ - $\eta'$  mixing angle:

$$\phi_P = (41.461 \pm 0.008)^\circ \text{ (Jones & Scadron 1979)}$$

Agrees with  $\phi_P$  from BFs: flavor symm' breaking small?

$$\tan^2 \phi_P = \frac{(M_{\eta'}^2 - 2M_K^2 + M_\pi^2)(M_\eta^2 - M_\pi^2)}{(2M_K^2 - M_\pi^2 - M_\eta^2)(M_{\eta'}^2 - M_\pi^2)}$$

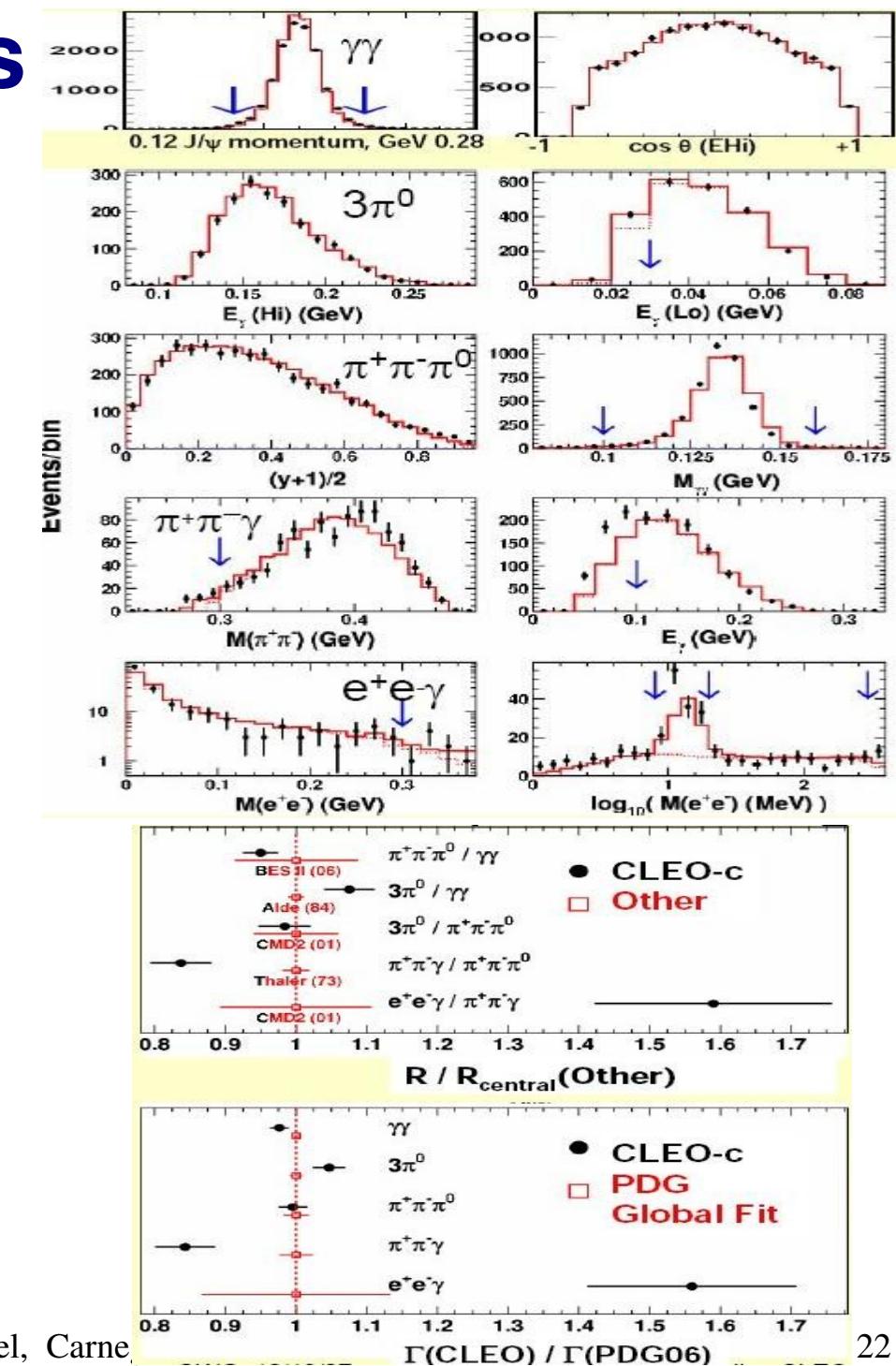
# $\eta$ branching fractions



Fully reconstruct five final states:  
 $\gamma\gamma + 3\pi^0 + \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0 + \pi^+\pi^-\gamma + e^+e^-\gamma$   
 38.5 34.0 22.6 4.0 0.9%

Follow PDG procedure: sum of the above five modes is  $\sim 100\%$   
 $\Rightarrow$  build absolute Br's from ratios  
 $\pi^+\pi^-\gamma$  and  $e^+e^-\gamma$ :  $3\sigma$  deviation

CLEO, PRL 99, 122001 (2007) or arXiv:0707.1601

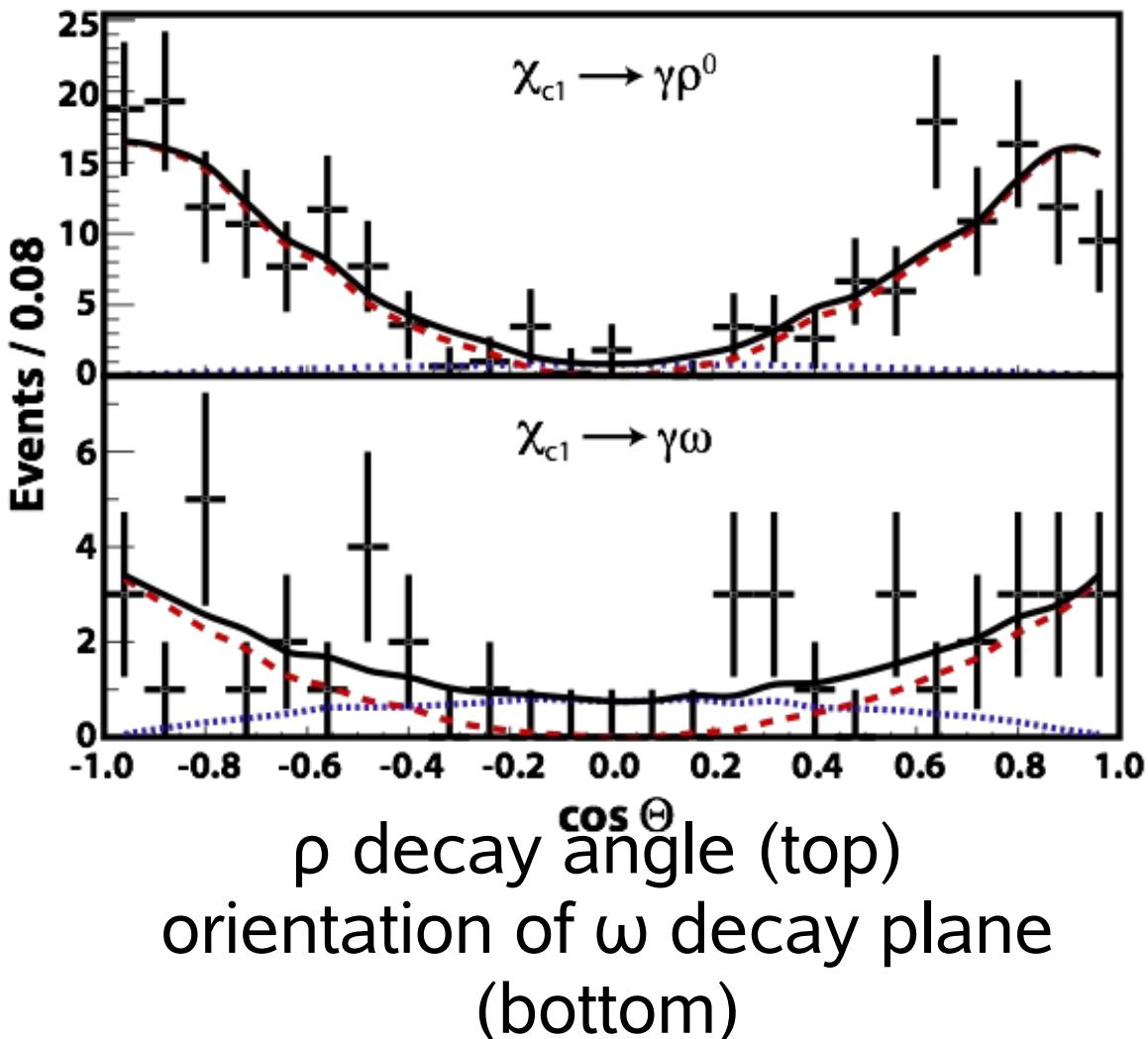


structure in the decay

$$\chi_{c1}(1P) \rightarrow \gamma(\rho, \omega)$$

- The  $\rho$  decay exhibits longitudinal polarization
- Statistics are less precise for  $\omega$ , but it is also consistent with longitudinal polarization
- This parallels that measured for  $a_1 \rightarrow \gamma\rho$  by VES (Z. Phys. C 66, 71 (1995))

## Polarization



- Expected from Landau-Yang



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