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# A new mechanism to bind hadronic molecules

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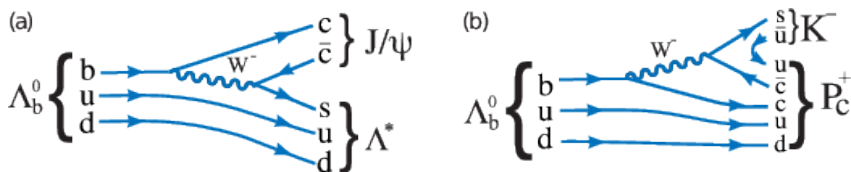
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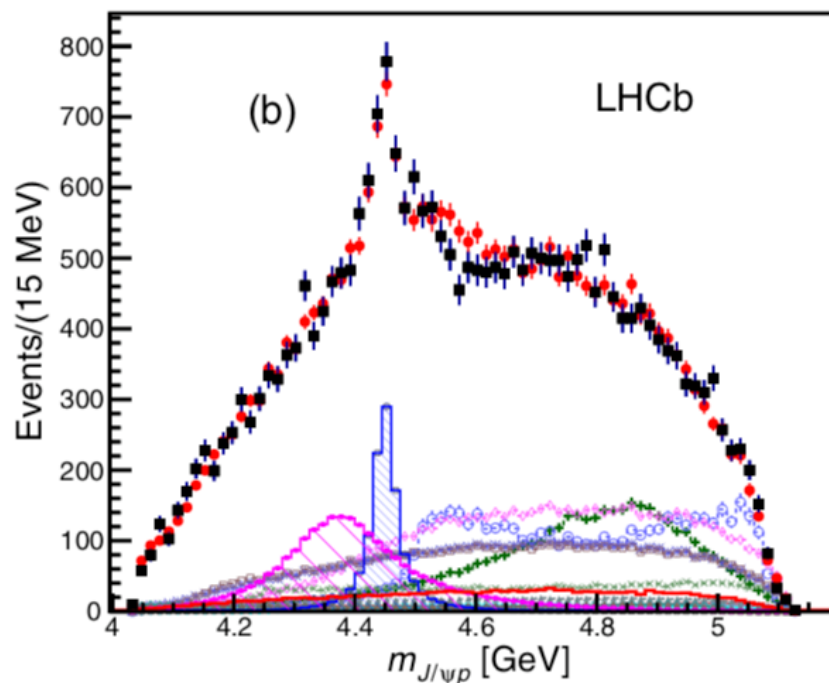
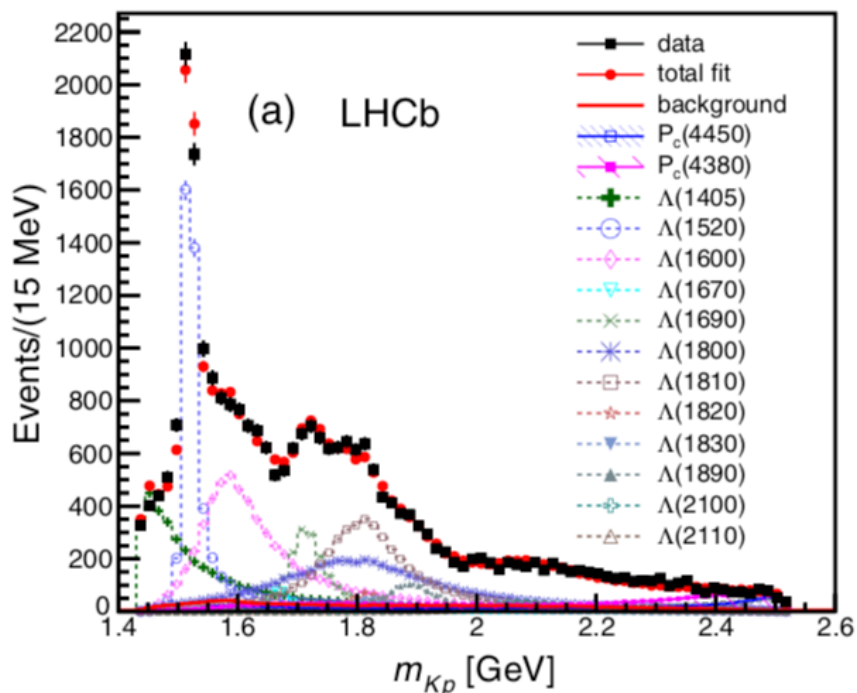


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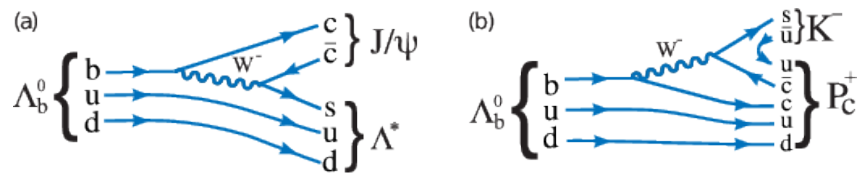
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The preferred JP assignments are of opposite parity, with one state having spin 3/2 and the other 5/2:  $(3/2^-, 5/2^+)$ ,  $(3/2^+, 5/2^-)$ ,  $(5/2^+, 3/2^-)$



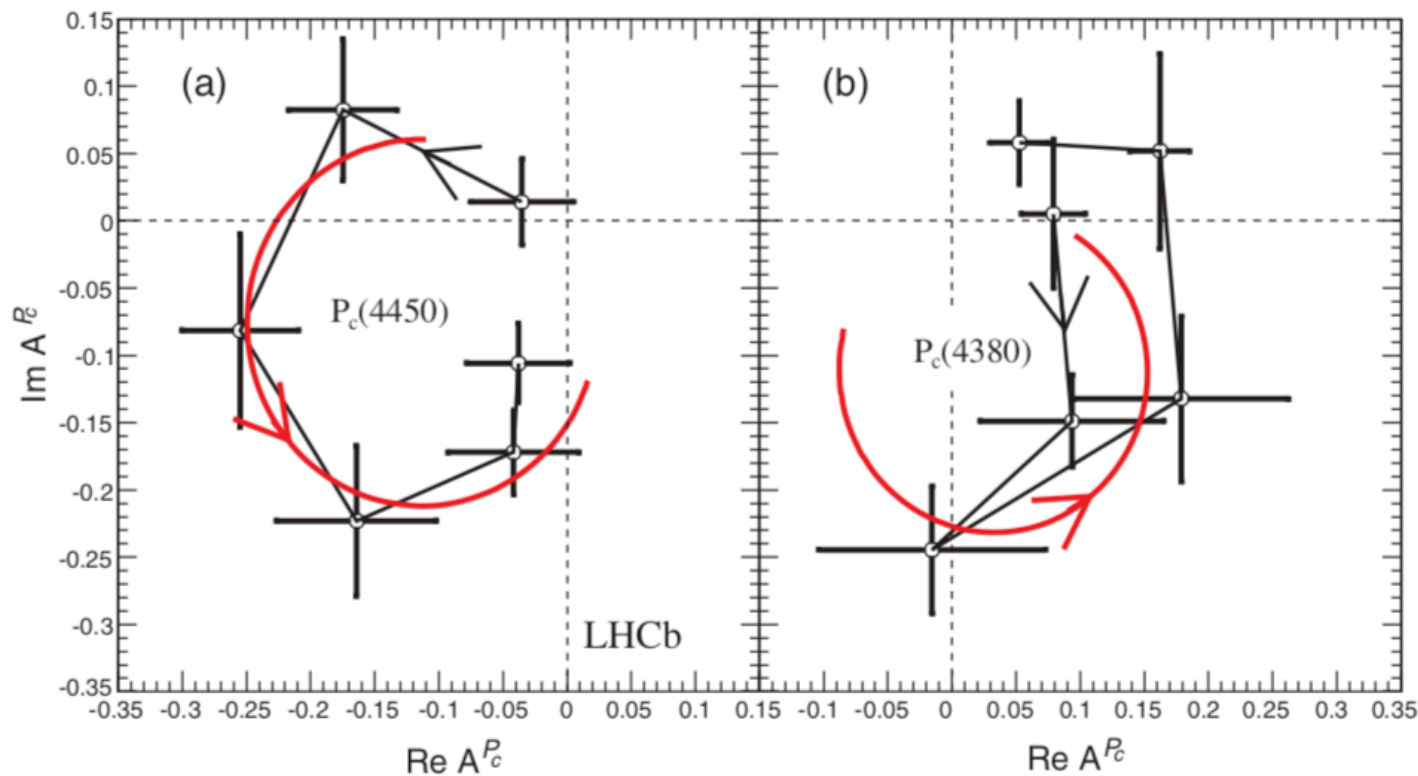
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Argand plot

$3/2^-$ ,  $5/2^+$

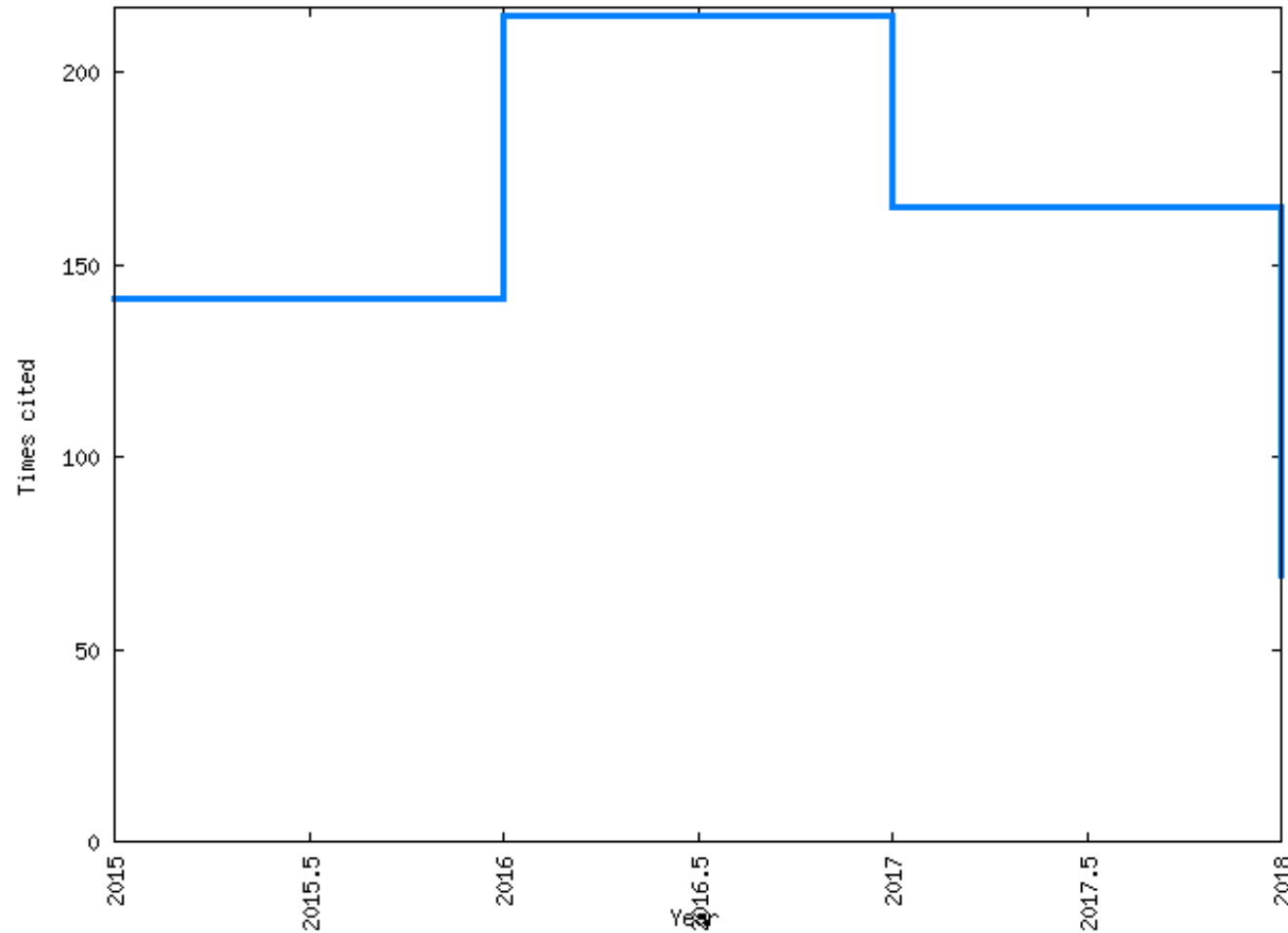
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# The pentaquark states

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# Nature of the pentaquark states

- **Tightly** bound multiquark states

- **Loosely bound multiquark states—molecules**

- Kinematical effects—triangle singularities

- One pion exchange or one boson exchange

- Unitary chiral coupled channels and their extensions

- Contact interactions formulated in an EFT language

Not easy to discriminate different scenarios, see, e.g., the debate on X(3872)



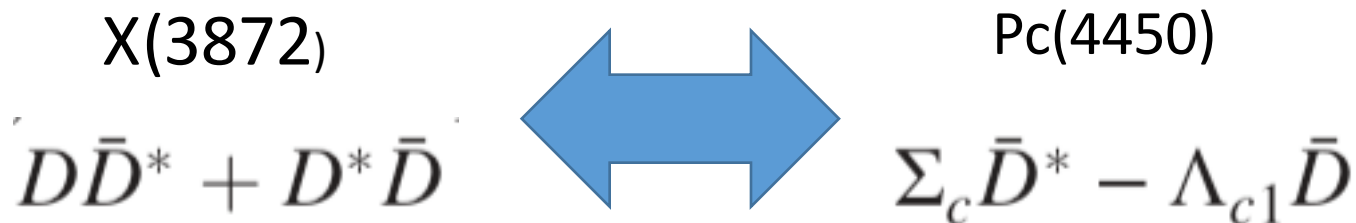
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*T.J. Burns*

*Eur. Phys. J. A (2015) 51: 152*

|                              | $P_c(4380)^+$       | $P_c(4450)^+$            |
|------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Mass                         | $4380 \pm 8 \pm 29$ | $4449.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.5$ |
| Width                        | $205 \pm 18 \pm 86$ | $35 \pm 5 \pm 19$        |
| Assignment 1                 | $3/2^-$             | $5/2^+$                  |
| Assignment 2                 | $3/2^+$             | $5/2^-$                  |
| Assignment 3                 | $5/2^+$             | $3/2^-$                  |
| $\Sigma_c^{*+} \bar{D}^0$    | $4382.3 \pm 2.4$    |                          |
| $\chi_{c1} p$                |                     | $4448.93 \pm 0.07$       |
| $\Lambda_c^{*+} \bar{D}^0$   |                     | $4457.09 \pm 0.35$       |
| $\Sigma_c^+ \bar{D}^{*0}$    |                     | $4459.9 \pm 0.5$         |
| $\Sigma_c^+ \bar{D}^0 \pi^0$ |                     | $4452.7 \pm 0.5$         |

Analogy



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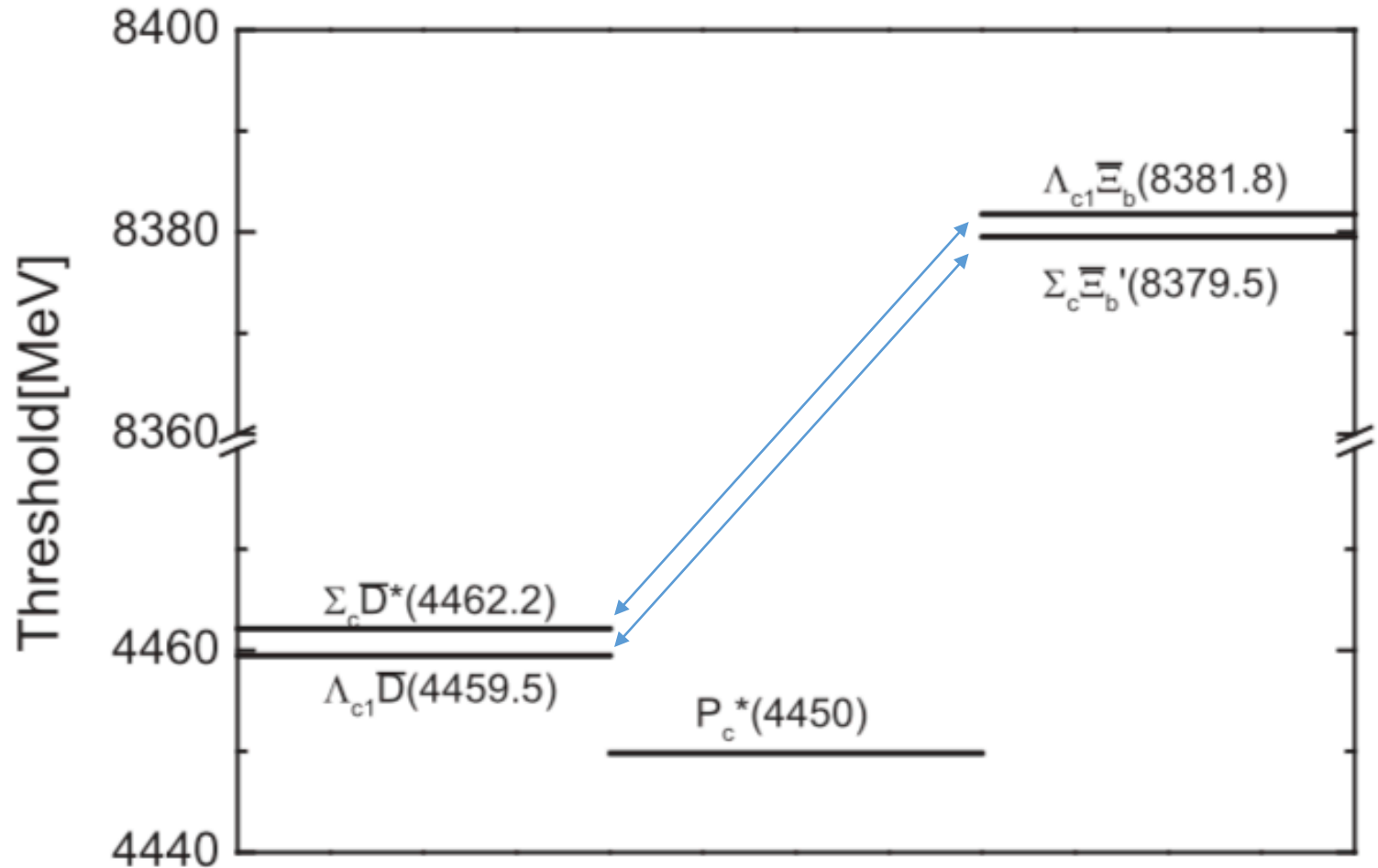
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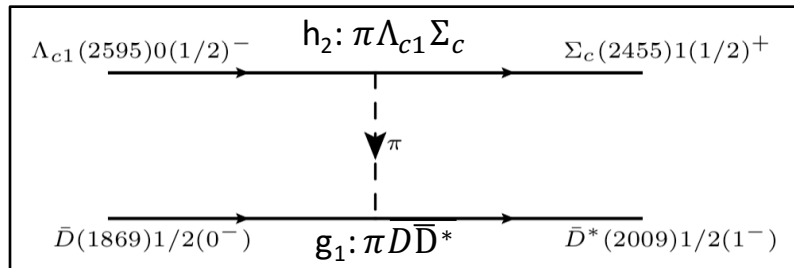
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- In the off diagonal channel



$$\langle \Lambda_{c1} \bar{D} | V_{\text{OPE}}(\vec{r}) | \Sigma_c \bar{D}^* \rangle = \omega_\pi \tau \vec{e} \cdot \hat{r} W_E(r)$$

$$\tau = \sqrt{3} \text{ for } l=1/2; \tau = 0 \text{ for } l=3/2$$

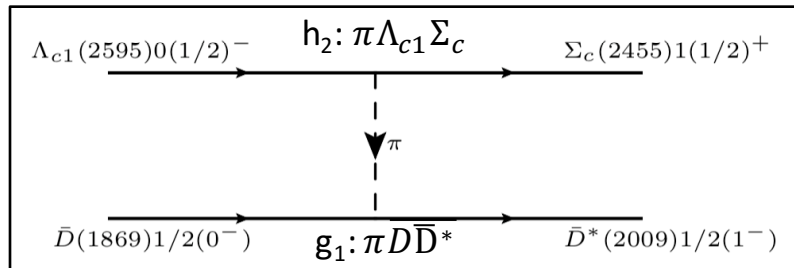
$$W_E(r) = \frac{g_1 h_2 \mu_\pi^2}{4\pi \sqrt{2} f_\pi^2} \frac{e^{-\mu_\pi r}}{\mu_\pi r} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{\mu_\pi r} \right)$$

$$\omega_\pi = m(\Lambda_{c1}) - m(\Sigma_c)$$

$$\mu_\pi = \sqrt{|m_\pi^2 - \omega_\pi^2|}$$

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$$|\mu_\pi| = \sqrt{|\omega_\pi^2 - m_\pi^2|} = 5 \sim 35 \text{ MeV} \ll m_\pi$$

- In the  $\mu_\pi = 0$  limit, for  $l=1/2$ , one has the following potential

$$\langle \Lambda_{c1} \bar{D} | V_{\text{OPE}}(\vec{r}) | \Sigma_c \bar{D}^* \rangle = \frac{g_1 h_2 \omega_\pi}{4\pi f_\pi^2} \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \frac{\vec{\epsilon} \cdot \hat{r}}{r^2} + \mathcal{O}(\mu_\pi^2 r^2)$$

**A  $1/r^2$  potential!!!**

# A $1/r^2$ potential and Efimov effect

- At zero energy the reduced Schroedinger equation for the s-wave

$$-u''(r) + \frac{g}{r^2} u(r) = 0$$

*For a finite energy analysis, see M. Bawin and S. A. Coon, Phys. Rev. A 67, 042712 (2003).*

- The above equation is **scale invariant** under the transformation  $r \rightarrow \lambda_0 r$ ,
  - The consequence is if  $E_n$  is the binding energy, so is  $E_{n+1} = E_n/\lambda_0^2$
  - This resembles the three-body system if thinking of  $r$  as the hyper-radius  $\rho$
- For  $g > -1/4$ , the above equation has a power law solution

$$u(r) = c_+ r^{\frac{1}{2} + \nu} + c_- r^{\frac{1}{2} - \nu} \quad \nu = \sqrt{1/4 + g}$$

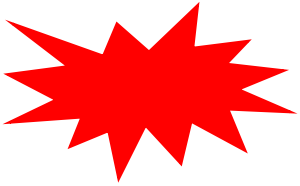
- For  $g < -1/4$ , the solution enjoys discrete scale invariance

$$u(r) = cr^{1/2} \sin(\nu \log \Lambda_2 r) \quad \nu = \sqrt{-1/4 - g}$$

$$\lambda_0 = e^{\pi/\nu}$$

$\Lambda_2$  encodes short-distance physics and breaks the exact scale invariance

# A surprising finding



The  $\Sigma_c \bar{D}^* - \Lambda_{c1} D$  interaction behaves like a  $1/r^2$  potential, which may lead to **discrete scale invariance in a two-body hadronic system**—an Efimov like effect

$$J^P = 3/2^-$$

- Four coupled-channels

$$\Sigma_c \bar{D}^*(^2D_{3/2}) \quad \Sigma_c \bar{D}^*(^4S_{3/2}), \quad \Sigma_c \bar{D}^*(^4D_{3/2}) \quad \text{and} \quad \Lambda_{c1} \bar{D}(^2P_{3/2})$$

- The Schroedinger equation reads

$$-\mathbf{u}'' + \left[ 2\mu_{P_c^*} \mathbf{V}_{\text{OPE}} + \frac{\mathbf{L}^2}{r^2} \right] \mathbf{u} = 0$$

$$2\mu_{P_c^*} \mathbf{V}_{\text{OPE}} + \frac{\mathbf{L}^2}{r^2} = \frac{\mathbf{g}(\frac{3^-}{2})}{r^2} = \frac{1}{r^2} \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 0 & 0 & g \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & g \\ 0 & 0 & 6 & -g \\ g & g & -g & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

diagonalization

$$-u_i'' + \frac{g_i}{r^2} u_i = 0$$

$$g_i = \{6, 2, 3 + \sqrt{9 + 3g^2}, 3 - \sqrt{9 + 3g^2}\}$$



# $J^p = 3/2^-$ : **no** discrete scale invariance

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- Negative  $g_i (< -\frac{1}{4})$  can trigger discrete scale invariance, which means  $|g| > \frac{5}{4\sqrt{3}} \sim 0.7217$ .

- With  $g_1 = 0.59 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.07$  from  $D^* \rightarrow D\pi/\gamma$ , this requires  $|h_2| > 1.21_{-0.19}^{+0.25}$ , **well above**  $h_2 = 0.60 \pm 0.07$  from **the CDF value** extracted from  $\Lambda_{c1} \rightarrow \Sigma_c \pi$

- For  $J^p = 1/2^-, 3/2^+, 5/2^+, 5/2^-$  the same conclusion

# $J^p = 1/2^+$ : discrete scale invariance **likely**

- Three coupled-channels

$$\Sigma_c \bar{D}^*(^2P_{1/2}) \quad \Sigma_c \bar{D}^*(^4P_{1/2}) \quad \text{and} \quad \Lambda_{c1} \bar{D}(^2S_{1/2})$$

- The Schroedinger equation reads

$$\mathfrak{g} \left( \frac{1^+}{2} \right) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & g \\ 0 & 2 & -\sqrt{2}g \\ g & -\sqrt{2}g & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- The attractive eigenvalue is  $1 - \sqrt{1 + 3g^2}$ , which requires  $|g| > \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} \sim 0.4330$  and  $h_2 = 0.73_{-0.06}^{+0.11}$ , marginally **overlapping with** that of CDF  $h_2 = 0.60 \pm 0.07$

# Long and short range consequences

- The approximate scale invariance of the Schroedinger equations has two consequences:  
**long range** and **short range**

- **The long range consequence** leads to the appearance of a geometric spectrum, depending on **how far the systems are from  $\mu_\pi = 0$**

- For  $\mu_\pi \neq 0$ , **scale invariance holds for**

$$R_s < r < \frac{1}{|\mu_\pi|}$$

The existence of a geometric excited state requires **the relative size of the scale invariant window to be bigger than the discrete scaling factor**

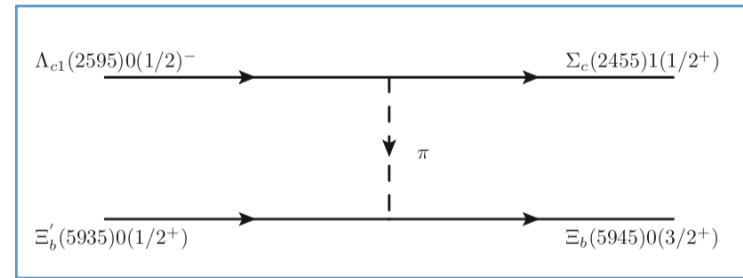
- For the Pc\*,  $|R_s \mu_\pi| \simeq 10 \sim 20$ , requiring  $|g_-| \geq 1$ , **which is considerably larger than 1/4**

# Long and short range consequences

- The observation of geometric states in hadron and atomic physics shares a similar difficulty: **the fine-tuning of the pion mass (hadrons)** or **the scattering length (atoms)**.
- In atomic physics, one can turn to **a magnetic field**
- In hadron physics, **one can fine-tune the pion mass in the lattice or increase  $|g_-|$** , by **having a larger reduced mass** (two bottom hadrons) or **exchanging a kaon**.
  - For the first way out, we strongly encourage our lattice QCD colleagues to pursue such a study
  - We will explore the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> options in the following.

(1) To have a larger reduced mass

# $\Lambda_{c1} \bar{\Xi}_b - \Sigma_c \bar{\Xi}_b'$ baryonia system



□ The potential

$$\langle \Sigma_c \bar{\Xi}_b' | V_{\text{OPE}}(\vec{r}) | \Lambda_{c1} \bar{\Xi}_b \rangle = \frac{g_3 h_2 \omega_\pi}{8\pi f_\pi^2} \frac{\sigma_2 \cdot \hat{r}}{r^2} + \mathcal{O}(\mu_\pi^2 r^2) \quad g_3: \bar{\Xi}_b \bar{\Xi}_b' \pi$$

□ Considering the following partial wave channels

$$0^+ = \Sigma_c \bar{\Xi}_b' (^3P_0) - \Lambda_{c1} \bar{\Xi}_b (^1S_0),$$

$$0^- = \Sigma_c \bar{\Xi}_b' (^1S_0) - \Lambda_{c1} \bar{\Xi}_b (^3P_0),$$

$$1^- = \Sigma_c \bar{\Xi}_b' (^3S_1 - ^3D_1) - \Lambda_{c1} \bar{\Xi}_b (^1P_1 - ^3P_1)$$

$$\mathbf{g}(0^+) = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & g \\ g & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\mathbf{g}(0^-) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & g \\ g & 2 \end{pmatrix},$$

For  $|g| > 3/4$ , the attractive eigenvalues will trigger discrete scale invariance, which with

$$g_3 = 0.973_{-0.042}^{+0.019} \text{ requires } |h_2| > 0.67_{-0.02}^{+0.03},$$

overlapping with the CDF value

$$\mathbf{g}(1^-) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}g & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}g \\ 0 & 6 & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}g & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}g \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}g & -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}g & 2 & 0 \\ -\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}g & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}g & 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

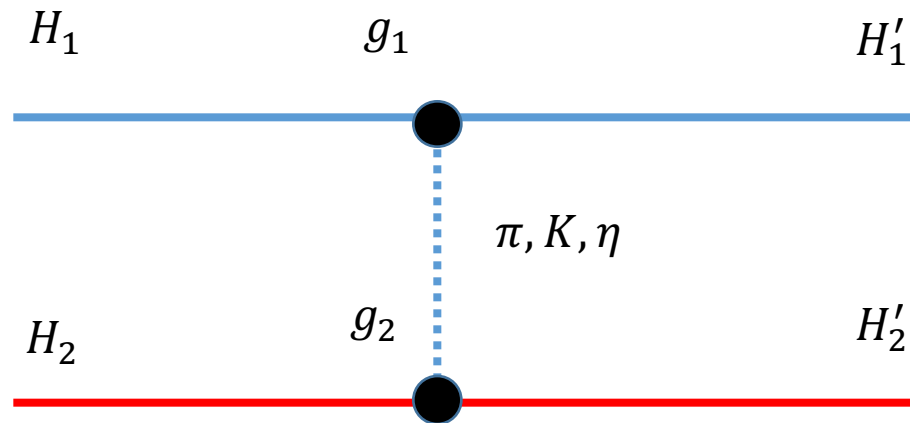
# Long and short range consequences

- ❑ Even if the vector force is not enough to trigger discrete scale invariance **it will still play a remarkable role in binding**
- ❑ Suppose the binding mechanism is  $s$ -wave short range physics, one has for  $|r \leq R_s|$

$$V(r) = V_{\text{OPE}}(r)\theta(r - R_s) + \frac{C_0(R_s)}{4\pi R_s^2} \delta(r - R_s)$$

- In the one-channel problem of  $g > -\frac{1}{4}$  and in the absence of tensor OPE, the relative strength of  $C_0$  is  $\nu + 1/2$  of that required to bind if  $g = 0$  (for  $|\mu_\pi R_s| \ll 1$ ),
  - Thus if  $\nu = 0$  ( $g \rightarrow -1/4$ ) the short-range potential only has to be **half the normal strength** to be able to bind the system.
- ❑ If the binding mechanism is standard OPE or other intermediate physics, **the number will change a bit but not the qualitative effect**
    - For the  $3/2^-$   $\text{Pc}^*$ , the number is 70%;
    - For the heavy baryonium, the number is 46% ( $0^-$ ) or 53% ( $1^-$ )

# For the $1/r^2$ force to work



- $H_1$  and  $H'_1$  are of opposite parity **but with the same spin**
- $H_2$  and  $H'_2$  are of the same parity **and their spin differs by one**
- $m(H_{1/2}) - m(H'_{1/2}) \approx m(\phi)$ , **implying long range interaction**
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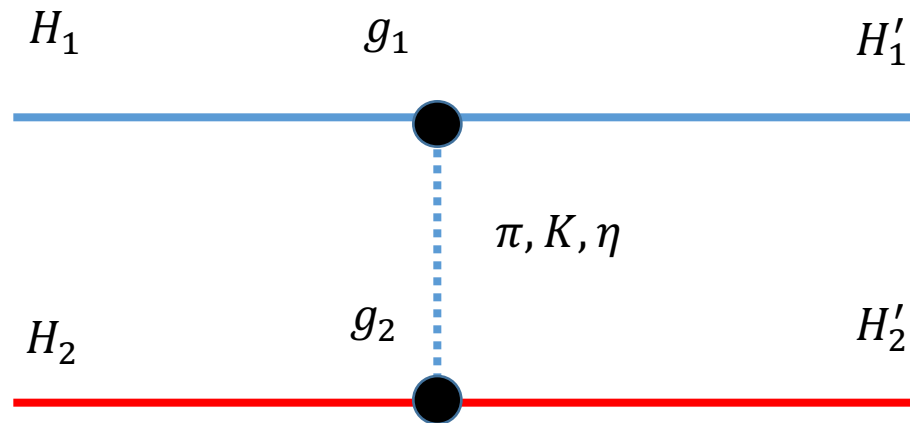
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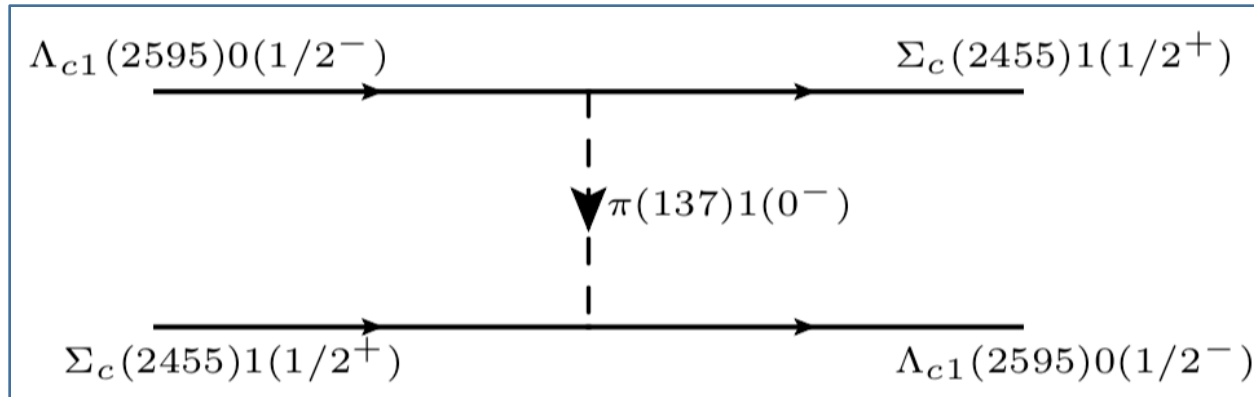


# A coulomb like force: a modification of the $1/r^2$ case



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# A doubly charmed baryon $Y_{cc}(5050)$



$$V_{\text{OPE}}(r) = -\frac{h_2^2 \omega_\pi^2 e^{-\mu_\pi r}}{4\pi f_\pi^2 r} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\mu_\pi^2 = m_\pi^2 - \omega_\pi^2$  with  $\omega_\pi = m_{\Lambda_{c1}} - m_{\Sigma_c}$ .

**Attraction appears in spin 0 channel:**

$$|Y_{cc}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \{ |\Lambda_{c1}\Sigma_c\rangle + |\Sigma_c\Lambda_{c1}\rangle \}$$

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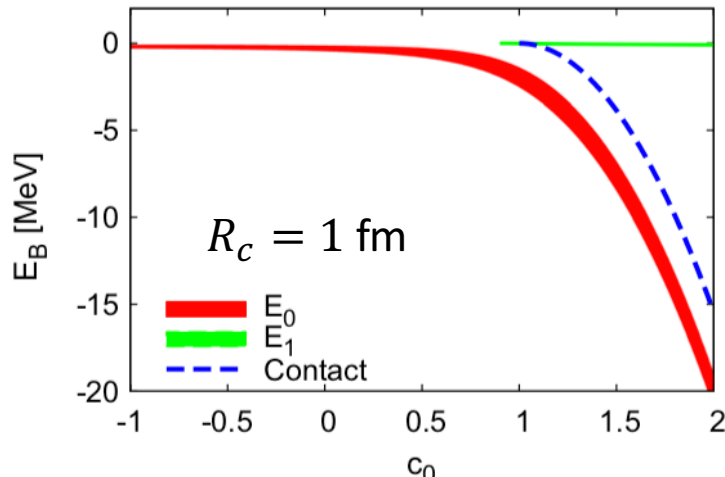
Assuming again, that the one-baryon exchange is only valid above a certain cutoff radius

$$V(r) = V_{\text{OPE}}(r)\theta(r - R_c) + \frac{C_0}{4\pi R_c^2}\delta(r - R_c).$$

Introducing a reduced coupling

$$c_0 = -\frac{2\mu_Y C_0}{4\pi R_c}$$

and  $c_0 \geq 1$  generates a bound state with binding momentum  $\gamma = (c_0 - 1)/R_c$



- $c_0 \rightarrow -\infty, E_B = -0.09_{-0.08}^{+0.06} \text{ MeV}$
- $c_0 \rightarrow 1, E_B = -1.9_{-0.6}^{+0.5} \text{ MeV}$
- $c_0 > 0.9_{-0.4}^{+0.2} 1$ , a shallow excited state appears

$R_c = 1 \text{ fm}$  probably lies in an intermediate zone dominated by two-pion exchange and other contributions which might be attractive. Hence we expect the fundamental state of the doubly charmed  $Y_{cc}$  to be deeper than the predictions from OPE alone

# A hidden charmed baryon $Y_{c\bar{c}}$ ( 5050)

Replacing  $\Sigma_c$  with  $\bar{\Sigma}_c$  will lead to a formation of **hidden charmed baryon  $Y_{c\bar{c}}$  (5050)** in both **spin 0 and 1**. The discussion is more involved because it involves annihilation.

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## Are there near-threshold Coulomb-like Baryonia?

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The  $\Lambda_c(2590)\Sigma_c$  system mass-shell. Owing to the opposite intrinsic parity of the  $\Lambda_c(2590)$  and  $\Sigma_c$ , the pion is exchanged in S-wave. This gives rise to a Coulomb-like force that might be able to bind the system. If one takes into account that the pion is not exactly on the mass shell, there is a shallow S-wave state, which we generically call the  $Y_{cc}(5045)$  and  $Y_{c\bar{c}}(5045)$  for the  $\Lambda_c(2590)\Sigma_c$  and  $\Lambda_c(2590)\bar{\Sigma}_c$  systems respectively. For the baryon-antibaryon case this Coulomb-like force is independent of spin: the  $Y_{c\bar{c}}(5045)$  baryonia will appear either in the spin  $S = 0$  or  $S = 1$  configurations with G-parities  $G = (-1)^{L+S+1}$ . For the baryon-baryon case the Coulomb-like force is attractive in the spin  $S = 0$  configuration, for which a doubly charmed molecule is expected to form near the threshold. This type of spectrum might be very well realized in other molecular states composed of two opposite parity hadrons with the same spin and a mass difference close to that of a pseudo-Goldstone boson, of which a few examples include the  $\Lambda(1405)N$ ,  $\Lambda(1520)\Sigma^*$ ,  $\Xi(1690)\Sigma$ ,  $D_{s0}^*(2317)D$  and  $D_{s1}^*(2460)D^*$  molecules.

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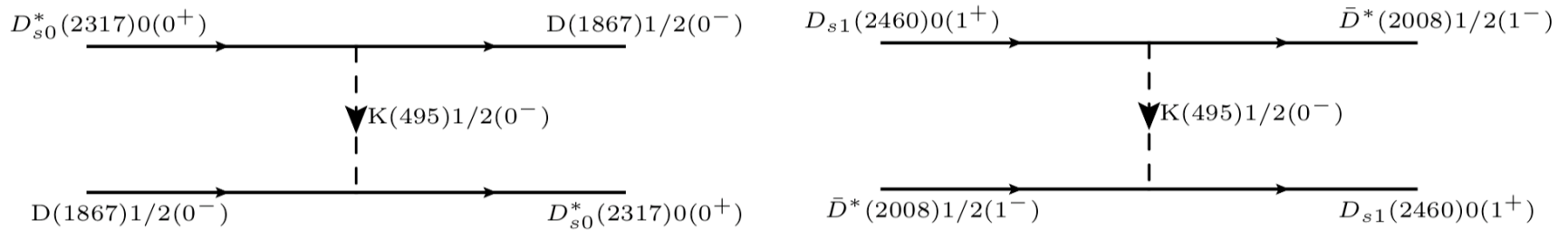
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# Exotic doubly charmed mesons

- A straightforward extension of the above idea is investigating the exchange of the kaon—large attraction
- In such a case,  $D_{s0}^*(2317)D$  and  $D_{s1}(2460)D^*$  are two interesting systems



Using the  $D_{s0}^*(2317)D$  system as one example

# Exotic doubly charmed mesons

□ In the following basis:  $\{DD_{s0}^*, D_{s0}^*D\} \{D^*D_{s1}^*, D_{s1}^*D^*\}$

$$V(\vec{q}) = -h^2 \frac{\omega_K^2}{f_\pi^2} \frac{1}{m_K^2 - \omega_K^2 + \vec{q}^2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\omega_K = m_{D_{s0}^*} - m_D \text{ or } m_{D_{s1}^*} - m_{D^*}$$

□ The effective range is set by  $\mu_K^2 = m_K^2 - \omega_K^2$ , about 200 MeV

□ For the following linear combinations, the interaction is attractive

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [|DD_{s0}^*\rangle + |D_{s0}^*D\rangle],$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} [|D^*D_{s1}^*\rangle + |D_{s1}^*D^*\rangle]$$

$$V(r) = -h^2 \frac{\omega_K^2}{f_\pi^2} \frac{e^{-\mu_K r}}{4\pi r}$$

# Exotic doubly charmed mesons

□ The system will bind for 
$$\lambda_B = \frac{2\mu_H}{\mu_K} \frac{\omega_K^2}{4\pi f_\pi^2} h^2 \geq 1.68$$

which means for  $DD_{s0}^*$  and  $DD_{s1}$ ,  $|h| > 0.43$  and  $0.40$ , respectively

□ The requirement is satisfied, because  $h \approx 0.5 \sim 0.9$  as deduced from the D meson decay

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma(D_0 \rightarrow D\pi) &= \Gamma(D_0 \rightarrow D\pi^0) + \Gamma(D_0 \rightarrow D\pi^\pm) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \Gamma(D_0 \rightarrow D\pi^\pm) \\ &= \frac{3}{2} \frac{m_D}{m_{D_0}} \frac{q_\pi}{2\pi} \frac{h^2}{f_\pi^2} (m_{D_0} - m_D)^2, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D_0^0 &\rightarrow h = 0.61 \pm 0.07 \\ D_0^+ &\rightarrow h = 0.50 \pm 0.06 \\ D_1^0 &\rightarrow h = 0.8 \pm 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

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□ Concretely, one has  $E_B = -40_{-50}^{+30} \text{ MeV}$   $E_B = -50_{-50}^{+30} \text{ MeV}$



# Understanding the results in EFT

□ The kaon exchange can be rewritten

$$V_{\text{OKE}}(\vec{q}) = -\frac{2\pi}{\mu_H \Lambda_{\text{OKE}}} \frac{\mu_K^2}{\mu_K^2 + \vec{q}^2} \quad \Lambda_{\text{OKE}} = \frac{2\pi}{\mu_H} \frac{f_\pi^2 \mu_K^2}{h^2 \omega_K^2} \simeq 50_{-20}^{+40} \text{ MeV}$$

□ We count  $V_{\text{OKE}}(\vec{q}) \sim \frac{2\pi}{MQ}$ , which is enhanced

□ Heavy quark symmetry implies

$$V_C(\vec{q}, DD_{s0}^*) = C_{0a},$$
$$V_C(\vec{q}, D^* D_{s1}^*) = C_{0a} + \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2 C_{0b}$$

- *M. P. Valderrama, Phys. Rev. D85, 114037 (2012), arXiv:1204.2400 [hep-ph].*
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# Understanding the results in EFT

- In an **natural** scaling, the contact terms count as of **subleading**

$$C_{0a} \sim \frac{2\pi}{M^2} \quad , \quad C_{0b} \sim \frac{2\pi}{M^2}$$

- In **an unnatural** scaling, they also **appear at LO** (fine tuning)
  - Even in a worst case scenario, there exists a repulsive core at the cutoff radius

$$V_{\text{EFT}} = V_{\text{OKE}}(r) \theta(r - R_c) + C_0(R_c) \frac{\delta(r - R_c)}{4\pi R_c^2}$$

The system will still bind for  $R_c \leq 1.3_{-0.3}^{+0.3} \text{ fm}$

# Summary and outlook

- We have studied the  $\Sigma_c \bar{D}^* - \Lambda_{c1} D$  off diagonal interaction in an attempt to better understand the  $P_c(4450)$  and accidentally **identified** a new binding mechanism that may lead to discrete scale invariance
- We have **identified** two other similar mechanisms that are of long-range nature and can lead to relatively robust predictions of molecular states, namely  $\Lambda_c(2590)\Sigma_c(\bar{\Sigma}_c) - Y_{cc/\bar{c}}(5045)$ ,  $D_{s0}^*(2317)D$  and  $D_{s0}^*(2317)D^*$
- Many similar but more sophisticated studies are underway to explore/check the proposed mechanisms



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# Thanks for your attention !

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# Bottom line

- If binding happens for distances in which the present picture is valid, **short-range**

## physics is not necessary

➤  $3/2^-$ ,  $1/2^+$ , 0.94 fm, 0.92 fm

two-pion exchange and hadron finite-size effects dominate for  $r < \frac{m_\pi}{2} \sim 0.7$  fm,

➤  $0^-$ ,  $1^-$ ,  $1^+$ ,  $0^+$  baryonia 0.40 fm, 0.84 fm, 0.87fm, 0.86 fm

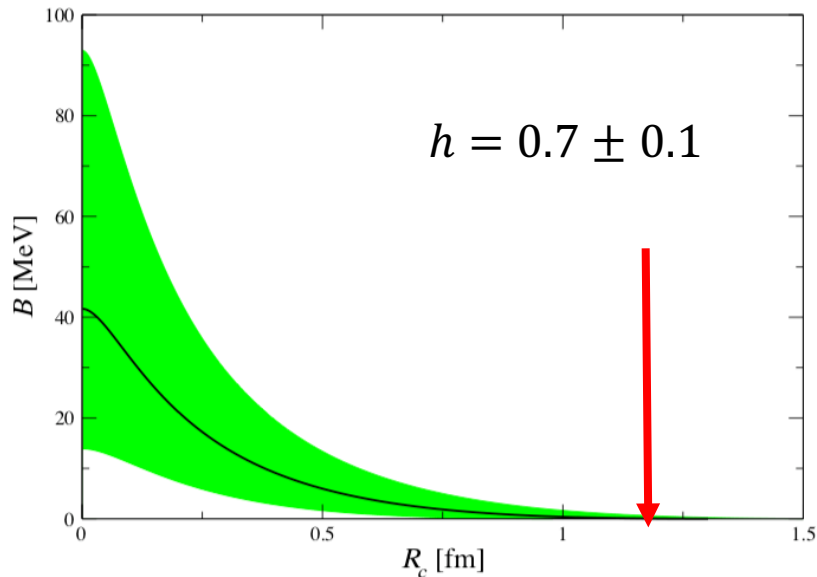
- **Two systems bind in p-wave**, where the vector force effectively induces the existence of a channel behaving much like an s-wave

In short, the vector force induces a series of binding mechanisms which do not require the ratio  $m_\pi/\mu_\pi$  to be particularly large (a factor of 2–3 is probably enough) and which in a few cases lead to predictions of new molecules.

# Introducing a cutoff

- Suppose the potential is only valid for large radius

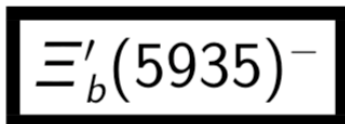
$$V(r; R_c) = V(r) \theta(r - R_c)$$



The system will bind for  $R_c \leq 1.3 \pm 0.3 \text{ fm}$

For  $R_c = 0.5 \text{ fm}$ ,  $E_B = -6_{-7}^{+4} \text{ MeV}$

# Summary and outlook



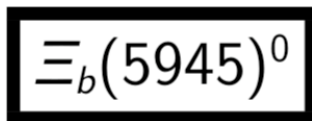
$$J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+$$

Status: \*\*\*

## $\Xi'_b(5935)^-$ MASS

| <u>VALUE (MeV)</u>           | <u>DOCUMENT ID</u> | <u>TECN</u> | <u>COMMENT</u>   |
|------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------------|
| <b>5935.02 ± 0.02 ± 0.05</b> | <sup>1</sup> AAIJ  | 15H LHCB    | $pp$ at 7, 8 TeV |

<sup>1</sup> Not independent of the mass difference measurement below. Observed in  $\Xi_b^0 \pi^-$  channel with  $\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow \Xi_c^+ \pi^-$  and  $\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+$ .



$$J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+$$

Status: \*\*\*

Quantum numbers are based on quark model expectations.

## $\Xi_b(5945)^0$ MASS

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|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>5949.8 ± 1.4 OUR AVERAGE</b> |                             |             |                                     |
| 5949.8 ± 0.1 ± 1.4              | <sup>1</sup> AAIJ           | 16AE LHCB   | $pp$ at 7, 8 TeV                    |
| 5948.9 ± 0.8 ± 1.4              | <sup>2</sup> CHATRCHYAN 12S | CMS         | $pp$ at 7 TeV, 5.3 fb <sup>-1</sup> |