

Spectroscopic experiments of charmed and strange baryons at J-PARC

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"Recent hot topics and future prospects of hadron experiments at J-PARC"

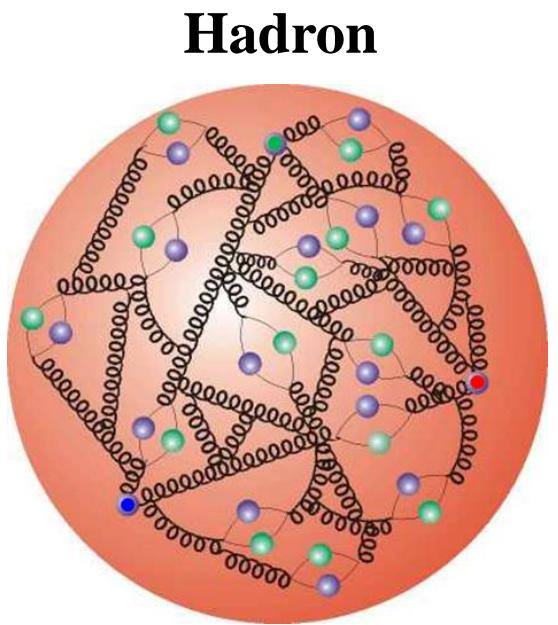
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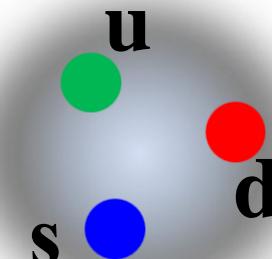
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Hadron Experimental Facility Extension project
3rd white paper, arXiv:2110.04462

How quarks build hadrons ?

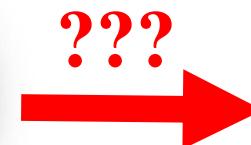


Ground state



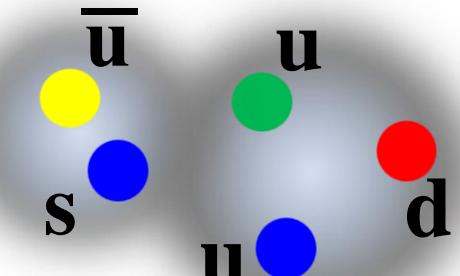
Baryon: 3q

<http://ppssh.phys.sci.kobeu.ac.jp/~yamazaki/lectures/07/modernphys-yamazaki07.pdf>



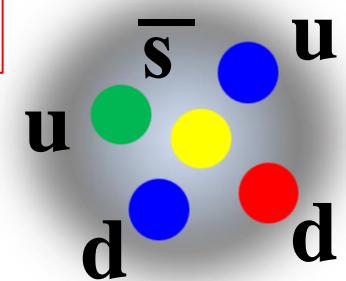
Minimal 3q

Hadron Molecule ?



Exotic hadron

Multi-quark ?



- * Dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum in low energy regime
- Investigation of **effective degrees of freedom** and **their interactions**
- ⇒ **Study of excited state by spectroscopy experiment using hadron beam**
- Understand “dynamics” of confined DoF from their “response”

Investigations of hadrons at J-PARC

- Spectroscopy of Heavier flavors for understanding “**Baryon system**”

- Charmed baryon (Λ_c/Σ_c): $ud + c$
- Ξ baryons: $u/d + ss$
- Ω baryons: sss

⇒ **Systematic spectroscopy measurement** by high-momentum hadron beam:

Hadron Experimental Facility Extension

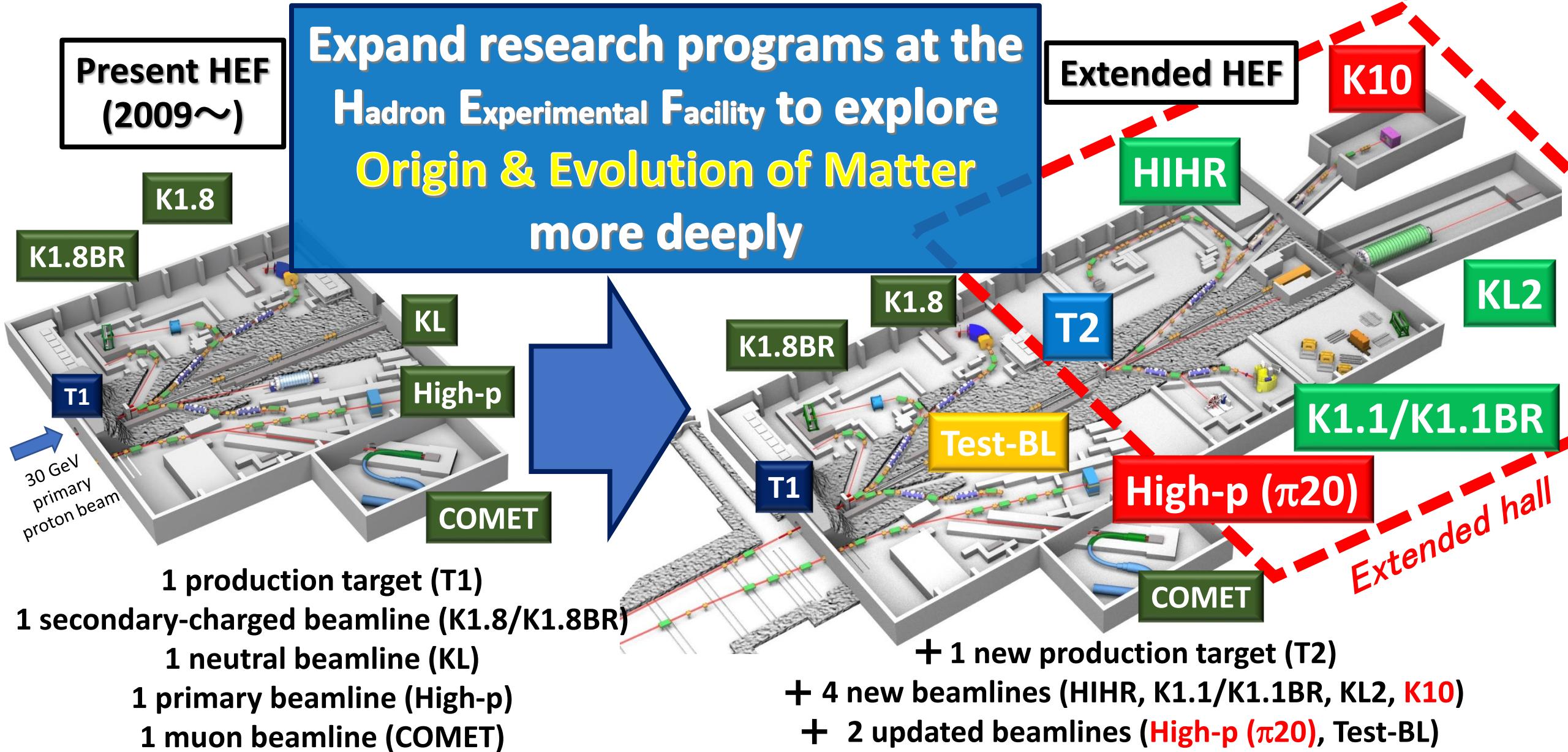
- **High-p(π 20) beam line**: π^- up to 20 GeV/c
- **K10 beam line**: K^- up to 10 GeV/c

- Investigation of exotic states for understanding “**Exotic property**”

⇒ **Specific measurement** by dedicated experiments

- Mass and width: e.g., narrow Λ^* , D_{30} (Non-strange dibaryon)
- Spectrum line shape: e.g., $\Lambda(1405) \Rightarrow K_{\bar{b}ar}N$ structure
- Spin/parity: e.g., narrow Λ^*
- Number of quarks: e.g., $\Lambda(1405)$ by quark counting rule ($5q \Leftrightarrow 3q$)

Hadron Experimental Facility extension (HEF-ex) Project



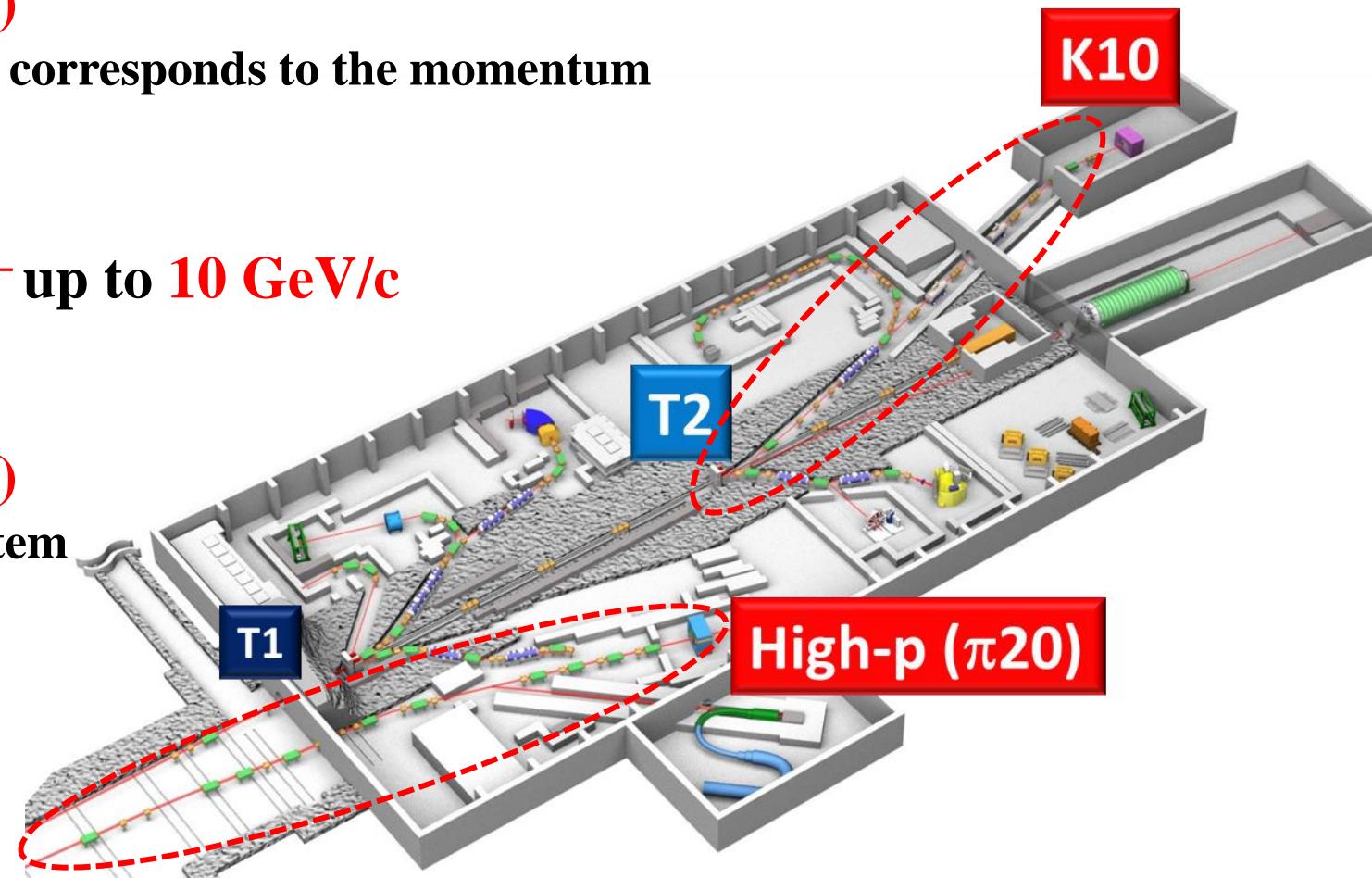
High-momentum hadron beam lines: π 20 and K10

- High- $p(\pi20)$: Primary proton \Rightarrow **2ndary beam (unseparated)**
 - **High intensity:** $>10^7$ /spill for π^- (K^- , $p_{\bar{b}ar}$: 1–2%) up to 20 GeV/c
 - Production target and 0-degree beam extraction
 - **High resolution:** $\Delta p/p = 0.1\%(\sigma)$
 - Dispersion matching: the position corresponds to the momentum
- K10 beam line: **K^- beam**
 - **High intensity:** $>10^6$ /spill for K^- up to 10 GeV/c
 - **High-purity:** $K : \pi \sim 1 : 2$
 - Radio Frequency(RF) separator
 - **High resolution:** $\Delta p/p = 0.1\%(\sigma)$
 - Beam spectrometer: QQDDQ system

*Beam line name: ○XX

○: Main beam particle

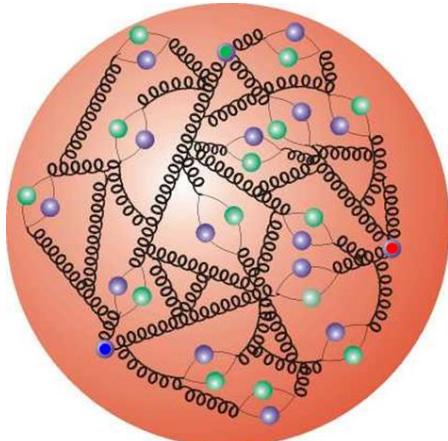
XX: Maximum beam momentum



Introduction

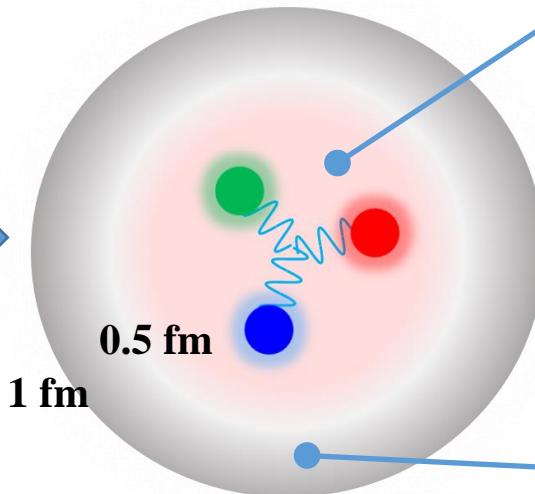
Baryon structure in the low-energy regime

High energy
perturbative



$$\alpha_s = \infty \text{ at } \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$$

Low energy
non-perturbative

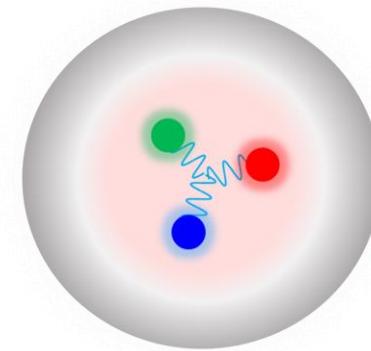


- Non-perturbative region
⇒ “Quark core” region
 - Non-trivial gluon field: Instanton*
 - Chiral condensate $\langle \bar{q}q \rangle \neq 0$
 - Dressed quark (Constituent quark)
 - Emergence of π
- Meson (pion) Cloud

- Dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum ⇒ Dynamics of Effective DoF
 - Short-range spin-spin correlation: Diquark correlation
 - Origin of spin-dependent forces: Systematics of spin-spin/spin-orbital forces
 - Quark motions in “quark core”: Size of “core” and “cloud”

*Instanton: A topological object of gluon that mediates the $U_A(1)$ breaking interaction proposed by Kobayashi, Maskawa, and 't Hooft

Baryon spectroscopy at J-PARC



- Dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum in baryon structure
 - Massive quarks and NG bosons (effective degrees of freedom)
 - Their dynamics has not been understood.
- *c*- and *s*-baryon spectroscopy: Disentangle diquark correlation and spin-dependent forces

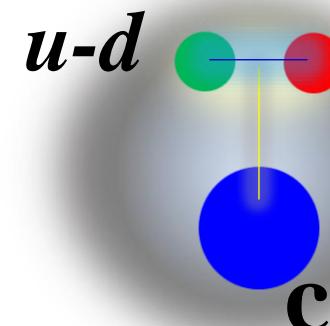
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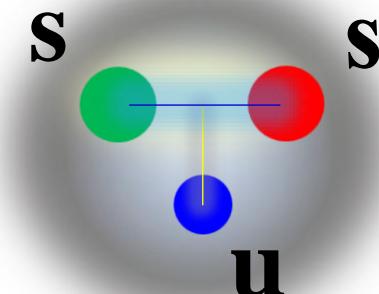
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- Spin-dependent forces
- Internal quark motion

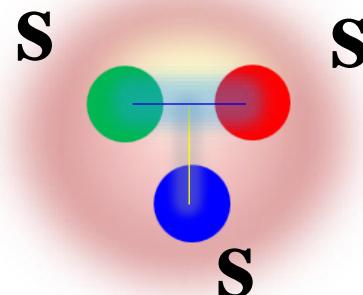
Charmed baryon



Ξ baryon



Ω baryon



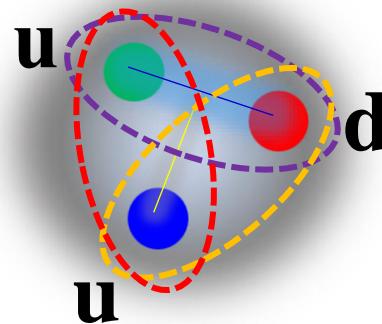
Studies of diquark correlation: J-PARC E50

“Excitation mode”: λ and ρ modes in heavy baryon excited states ($q-q + Q$ system)

⇒ **Diquark correlation**: $q-q$ isolated and develops

* **Dynamical information**: Production rates and absolute decay branching ratios

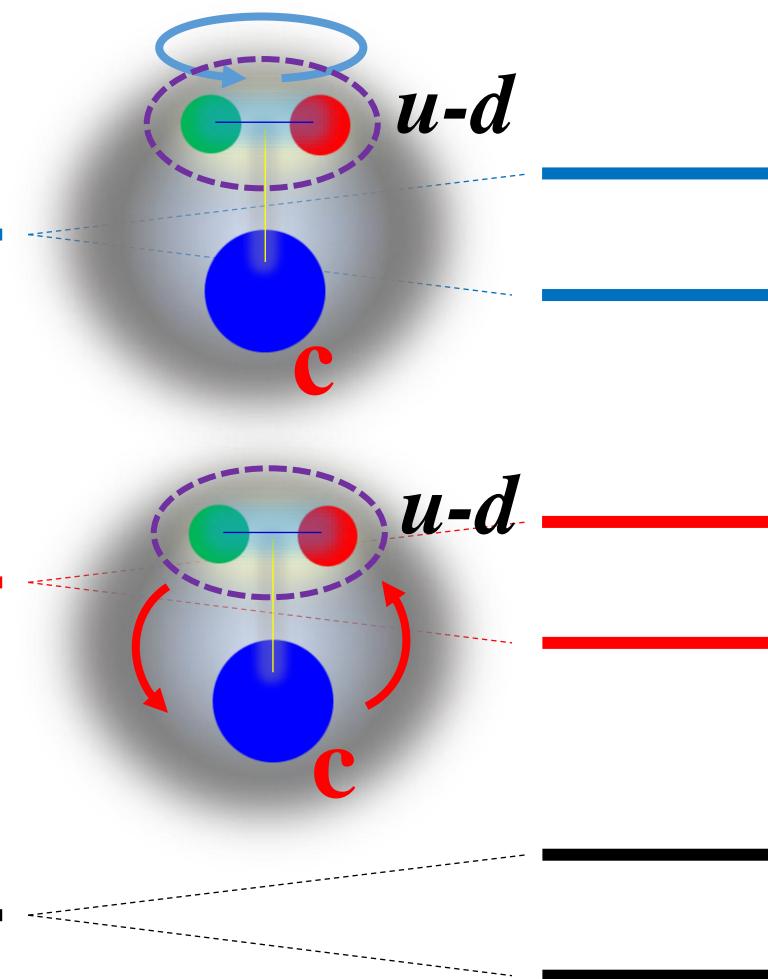
Light quark baryon



ρ mode
Excitation of $q-q$

λ mode
Collective motion
between $q-q$ and Q

G.S.



Excited states
by spin-spin
interaction

Production rates by hadronic reaction

- $\pi^- p \rightarrow D^{*-} Y_c^{*+}$ reaction @ 20 GeV/c

• Production cross section(0°): Overlap of wave function →

⇒ Sensitive to excitation modes

• Large production rate of highly excited states →

• Both one- and two-quark processes ($\sigma_\Lambda : \sigma_\Sigma = 2:1$)

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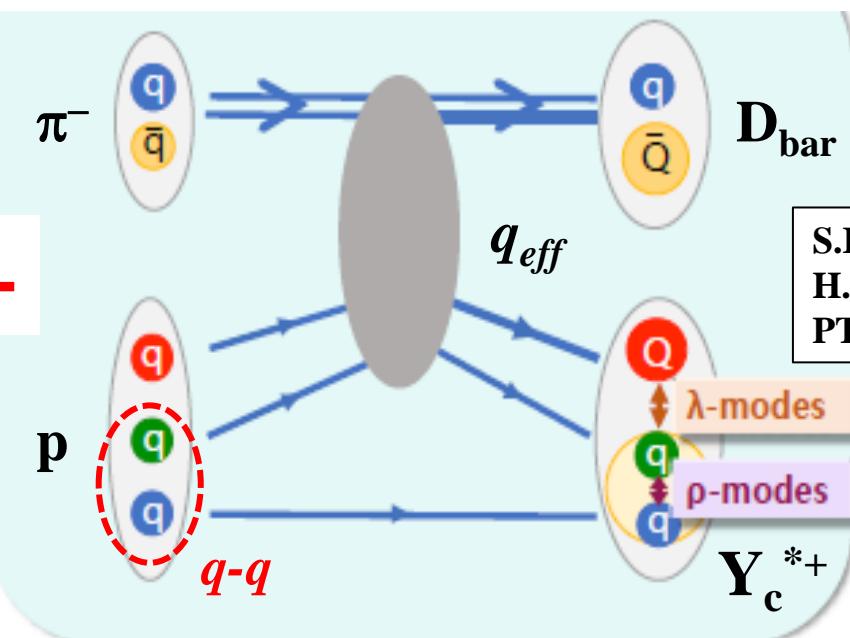
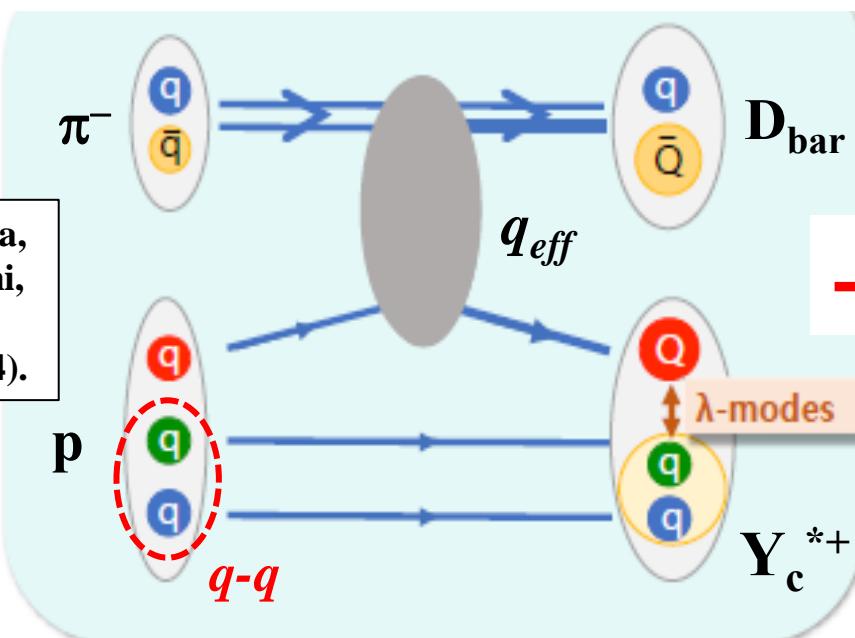
Mom. Trans.: $q_{eff} \sim 1.4$ GeV/c
 $\alpha \sim 0.4$ GeV ([Baryon size] $^{-1}$)

One-quark process

Two-quark process

* λ -mode states w/ finite L are populated.

* Comparable p -mode states are expected.



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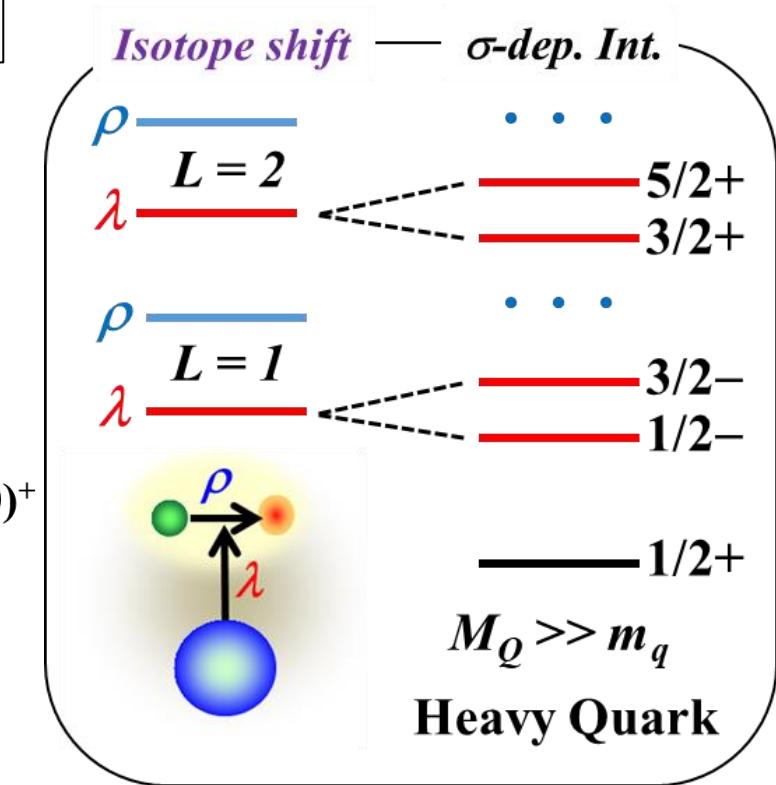
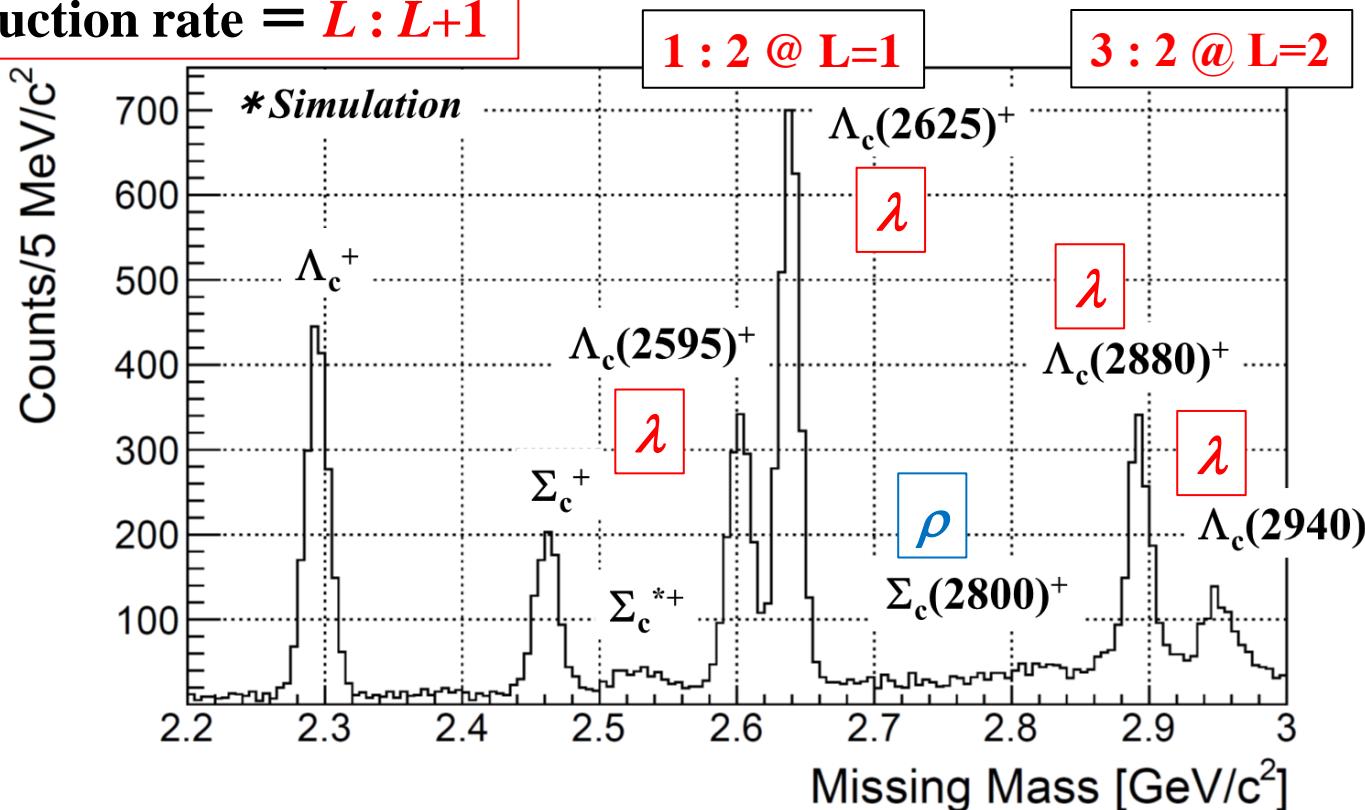
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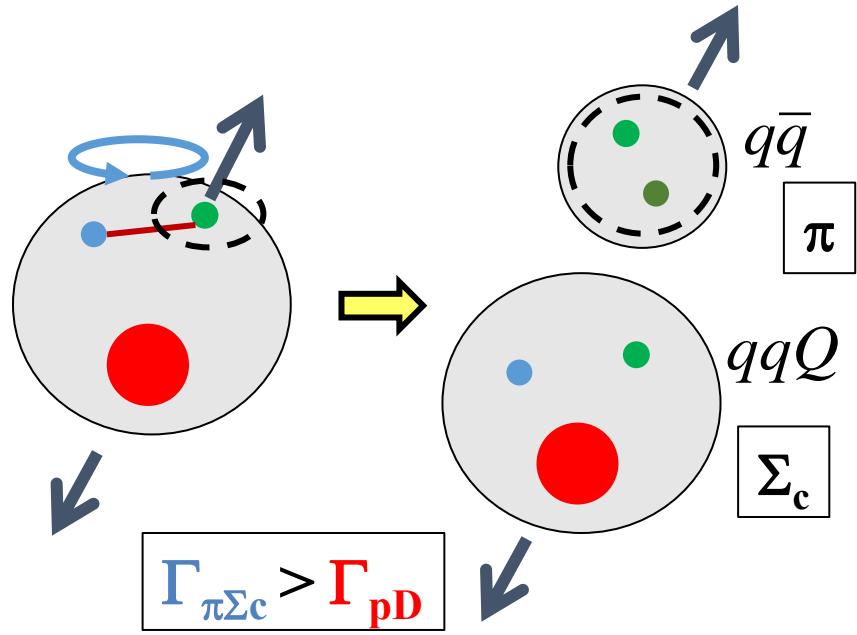
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* Production rate = $L : L+1$

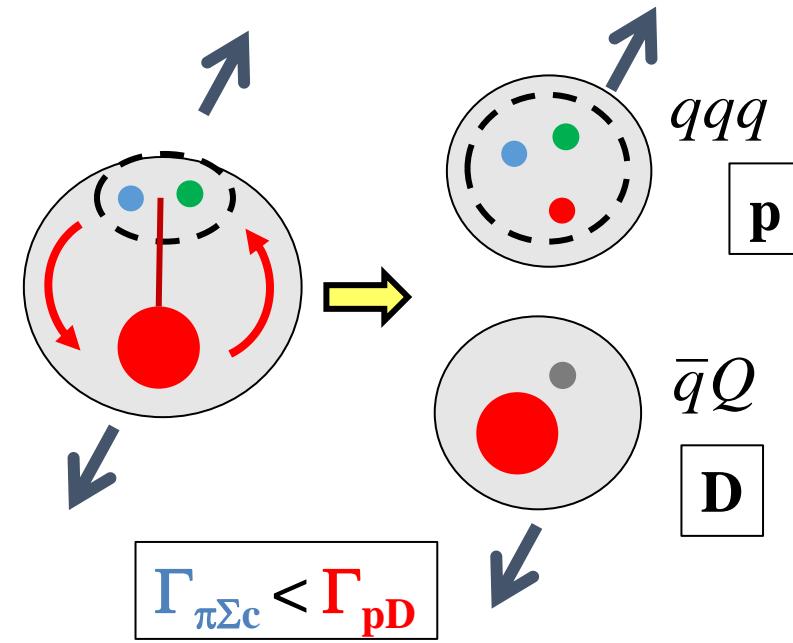


Decay properties of charmed baryon

p-mode decay: $qqQ + qq_{\bar{b}ar}$



λ -mode decay: $qqq + Qq_{\bar{b}ar}$



- Decay measurement: $\Gamma_{\pi\Sigma_c} \Leftrightarrow \Gamma_{pD}$

- $\pi^- + \Sigma_c^{++}, \pi^+ + \Sigma_c^0$
- $p + D^0$

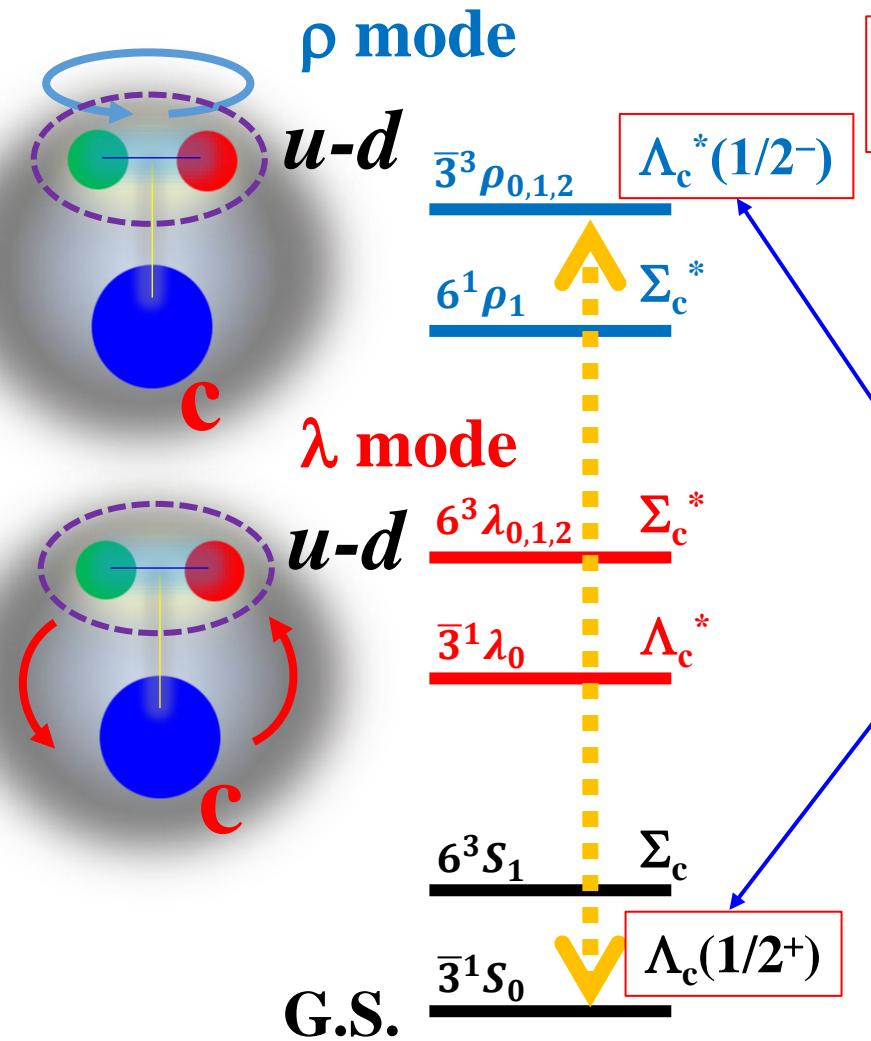
\Rightarrow **Absolute value of branching ratios**

- Complementary to high-energy experiments

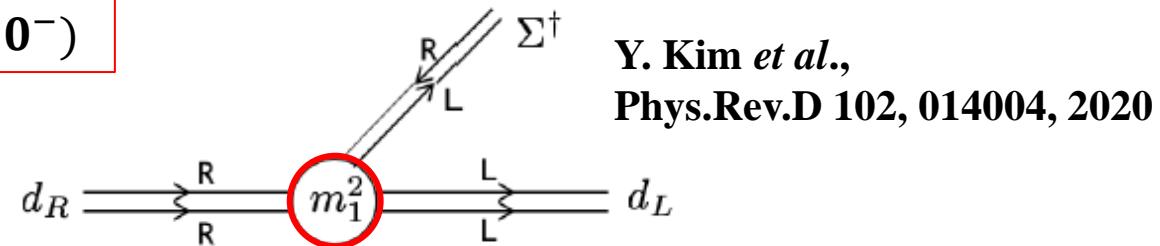
- Studies by pionic decays: $\Lambda_c^* \rightarrow \Sigma_c \pi \rightarrow \Lambda_c \pi \pi$
 - $\Lambda_c(2595), \Lambda_c(2625), \Lambda_c(2765), \Lambda_c(2880), \Lambda_c(2940)$
 - **Essential role of Heavy Quark Symmetry**

(H. Nagahiro et al., Phys. Rev. D 95, 014023 (2017))

Diquark in heavy baryons



$U_A(1)$ anomalous singlet current
in Chiral diquark effective theory



Y. Kim *et al.*,
Phys.Rev.D 102, 014004, 2020

Scalar diquark

$$S_i^a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(d_{R,i}^a - d_{L,i}^a)$$

$$\rightarrow M(0^+) = \sqrt{m_0^2 - m_1^2 - m_2^2},$$

Pseudo-scalar diquark

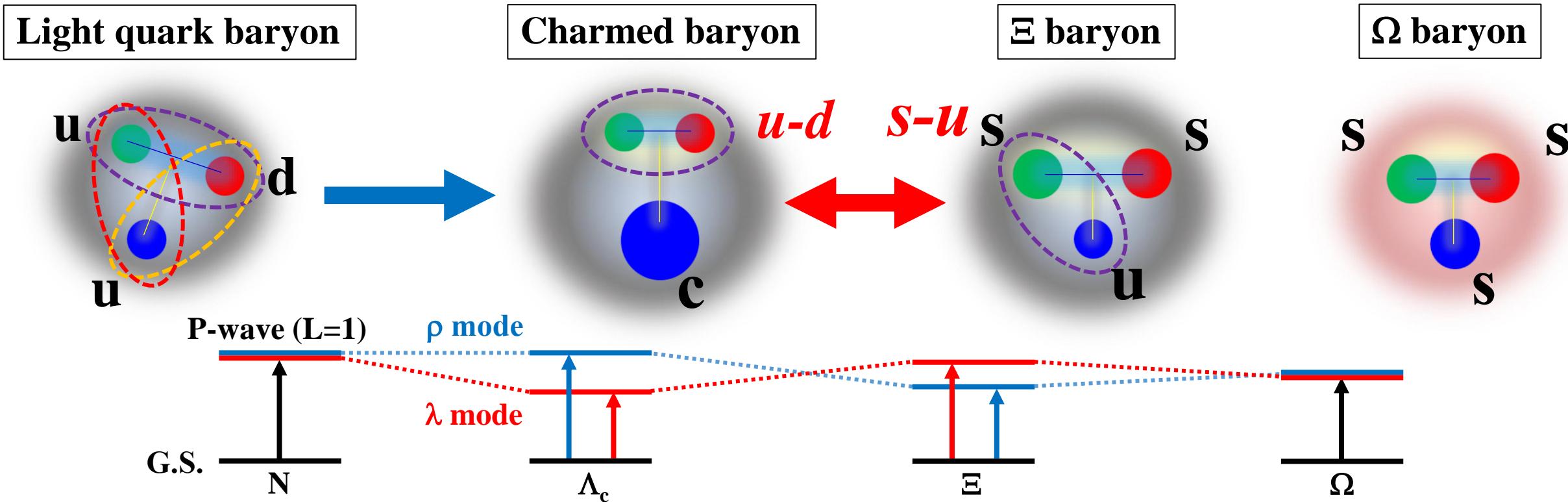
$$P_i^a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(d_{R,i}^a + d_{L,i}^a)$$

$$\rightarrow M(0^-) = \sqrt{m_0^2 + m_1^2 + m_2^2},$$

m_0 : Chiral invariant mass term
 m_1 : $U_A(1)$ anomaly
 m_2 : CSB mass terms

- Mass and width of ρ mode $\Lambda_c^*(1/2^-) \Rightarrow$ How the $U_A(1)$ anomaly works in baryons ?
 - Decay width suppression depending on its mass ($\Lambda_c \eta$, $\Sigma_c \pi\pi$ threshold)

Heavy flavors for revealing diquark correlation



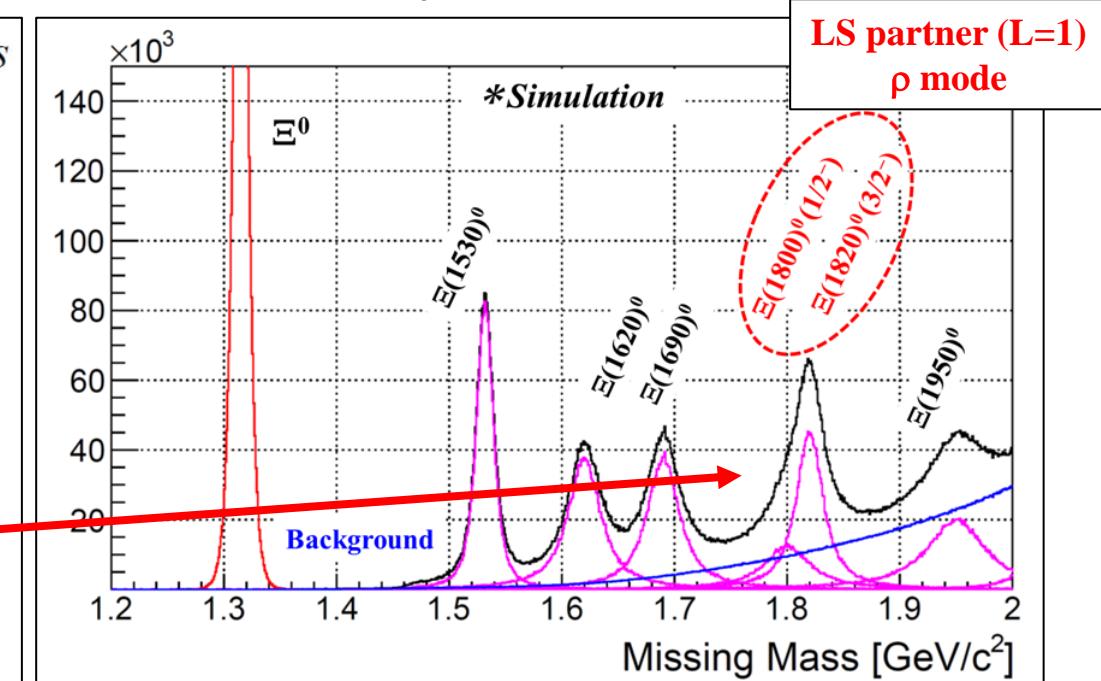
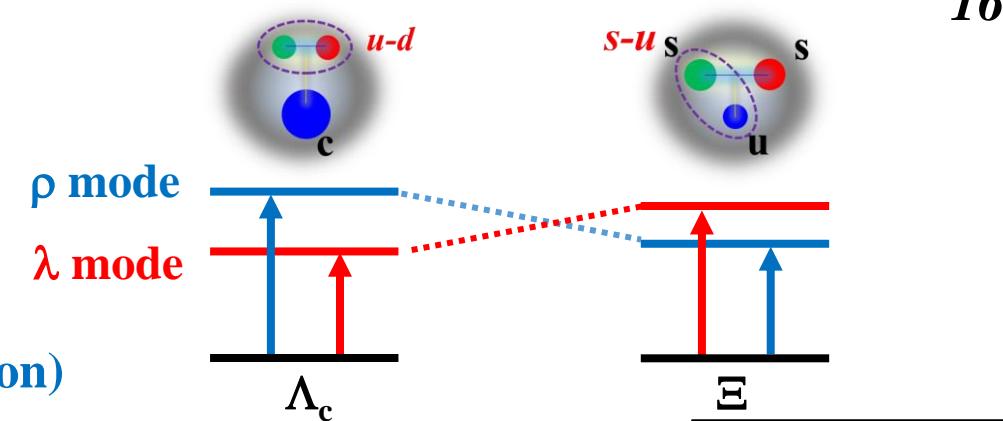
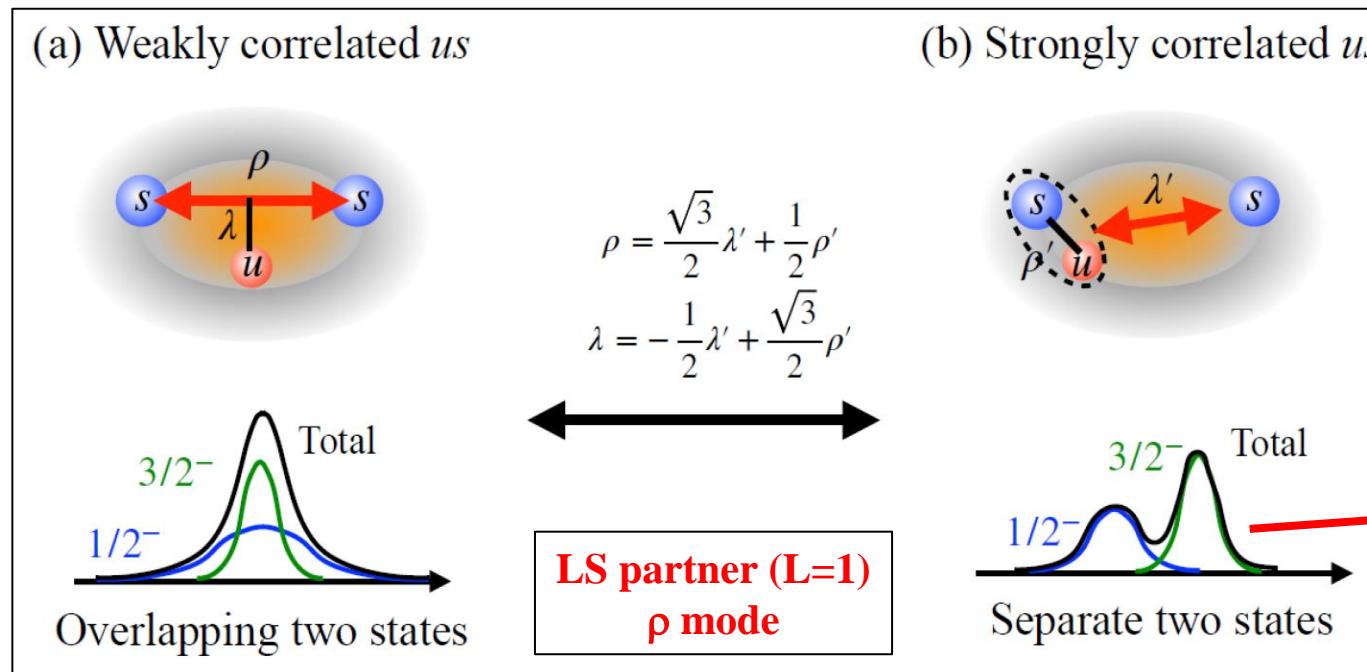
* Systematic studies for baryon systems with heavier flavors: c & s

- Charmed baryon: Disentangle ud diquark correlation
 - Comparison with hyperons (Λ/Σ) : $ud + s$ system
- Ξ baryon: us/ds diquark correlation \Rightarrow Flavor dependence
- Ω baryon: Suppression of diquark correlation

Studies of Ξ and Ω : J-PARC P85

- Ξ baryon: us/ds diquark correlation

- Excitation energy: ρ mode < λ mode
- Strength of us/ds correlation: LS splitting
 - Production rate of LS partner ($L=1$) = 1:2 ($L:L+1$ relation)



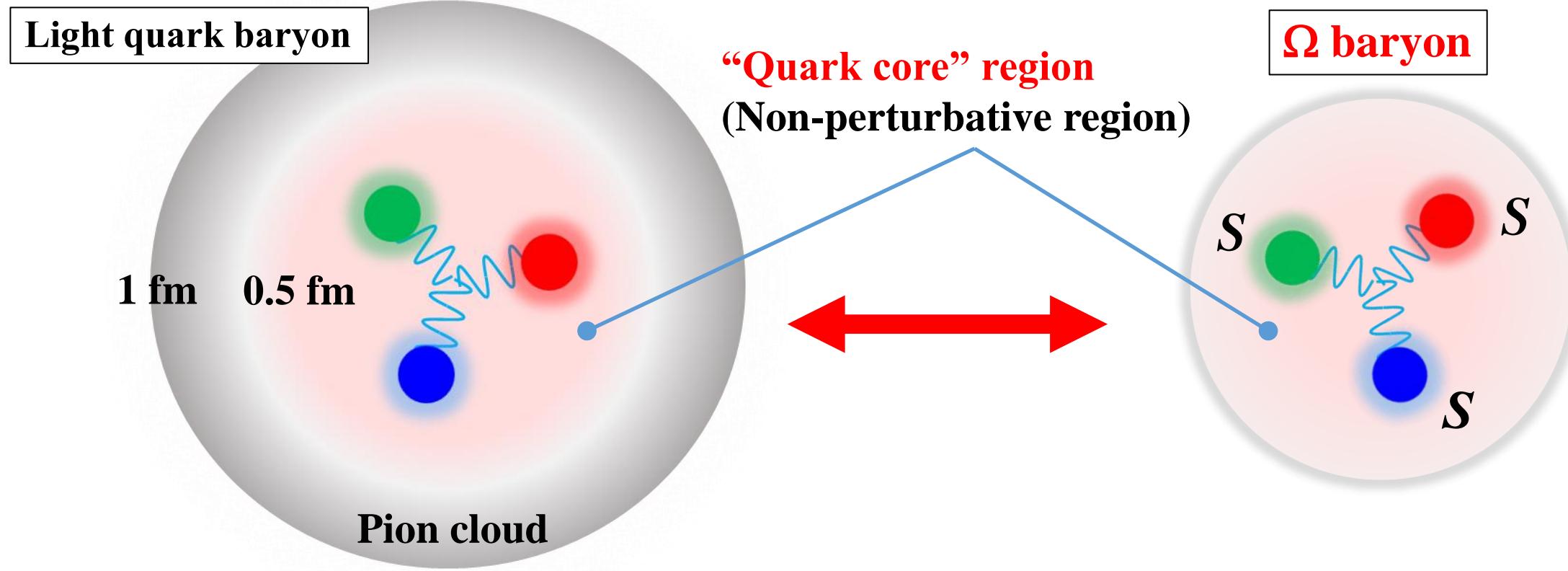
- Ω baryon: Suppression of diquark correlation \Rightarrow “Reference”

- Suppression of spin-dependent forces and pion cloud

\Rightarrow Investigation of origin of spin-dependent forces and quark motion

* $\Xi(1800)^0(1/2^-)$:
Assumed for simulation

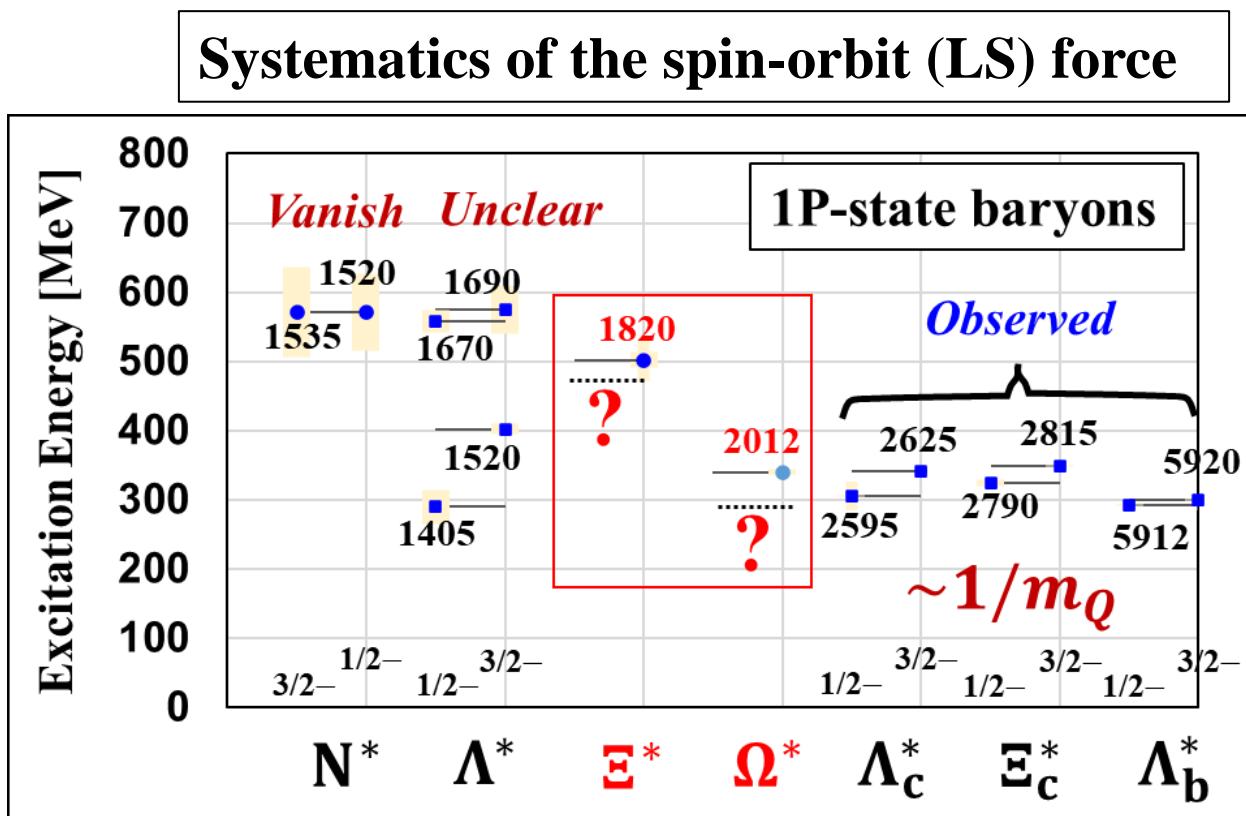
Role of Ω baryon: Single flavor system



- $\Omega(sss)$ baryon: **Flavor symmetric** system
- **Free from Pion Cloud:** Investigation of “Quark core” region (Non-perturbative region)
⇒ Origin of spin-dependent forces and quark motion
- * **Long-standing problems**
 - Too large $\alpha_S^{ss} (>1)$ of SS force, Missing LS force, Roper-like resonances
⇒ In terms of **One Gluon Exchange(OGE), Instanton Induced Interaction(III) and Pion cloud**

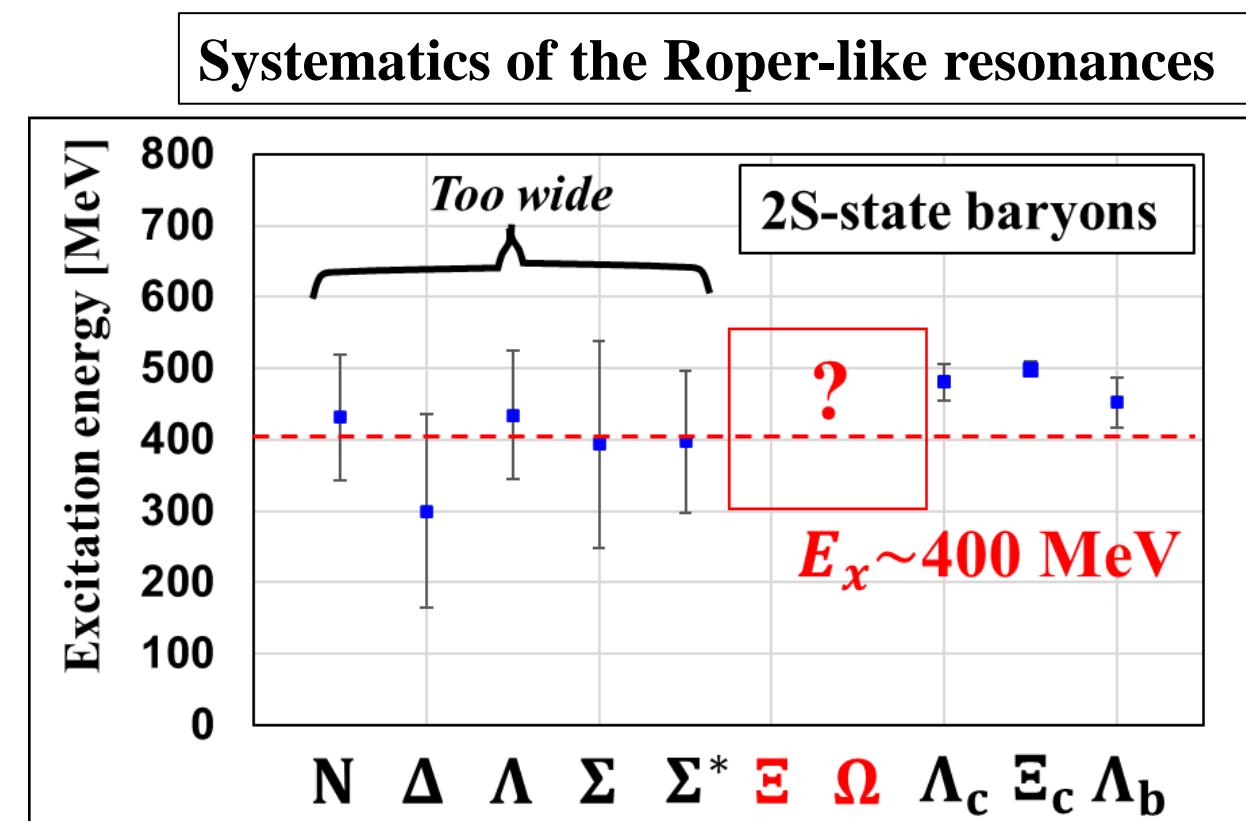
Spin-dependent forces

- Investigate **origin of spin-dependent forces** and quark motion
 - In terms of **One Gluon Exchange(OGE)**, **Instanton Induced Interaction(III)** and **Pion cloud**
 - **Systematics of spin-orbital interaction**
 - Disappears in N^* (OGE/III cancelled)
 - Appears in Λ_c^* , Ξ_c^* and Λ_b^* (OGE only)
 - Ω^* baryon
 - Flavor-symmetric system
 - **Free from pion cloud**
 - III forbidden
- **LS splitting: No OGE&III(2BF)**
- $\Omega(2012)^-(3/2^-?) \Leftrightarrow \Omega^*(1/2^-?)$
 - Degenerate ?
 - $\Xi(1820)^-(3/2^-?) \Leftrightarrow \Xi^*(1/2^-?)$
 - LS partners (L=2 states)

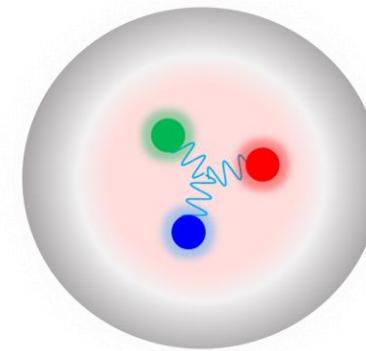


Roper-like resonances

- Investigate origin of spin-dependent forces and **quark motion**
 - In terms of **One Gluon Exchange(OGE)**, **Instanton Induced Interaction(III)** and **Pion cloud**
- **Systematics of Roper-like states (Radial excitation 2S states)**
 - Small excitation energy and wide width
 - Mass universality ?
 - What does determine its width ?
- Ω^* baryon
 - Flavor-symmetric system
 - Free from pion cloud
 - \Rightarrow No contribution from pion cloud
- * Width tells quark motion.: $\Gamma \sim \langle p_q \rangle$
- \Rightarrow Size of “quark core”: $\langle r_q \rangle \sim 1/\langle p_q \rangle$
 - Roper-like state: Where is it ?



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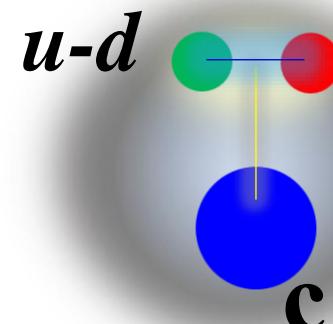
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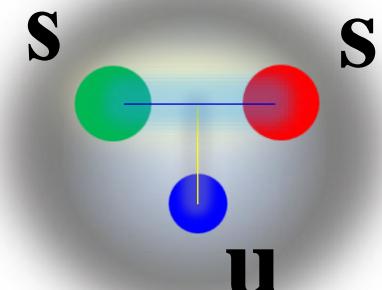
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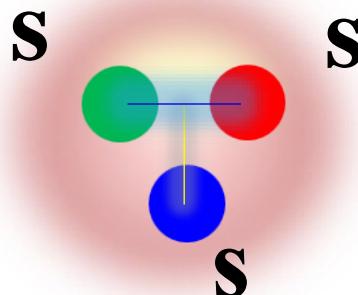
Charmed baryon



Ξ baryon



Ω baryon



Charmed baryon spectroscopy @ High-p (π 20)

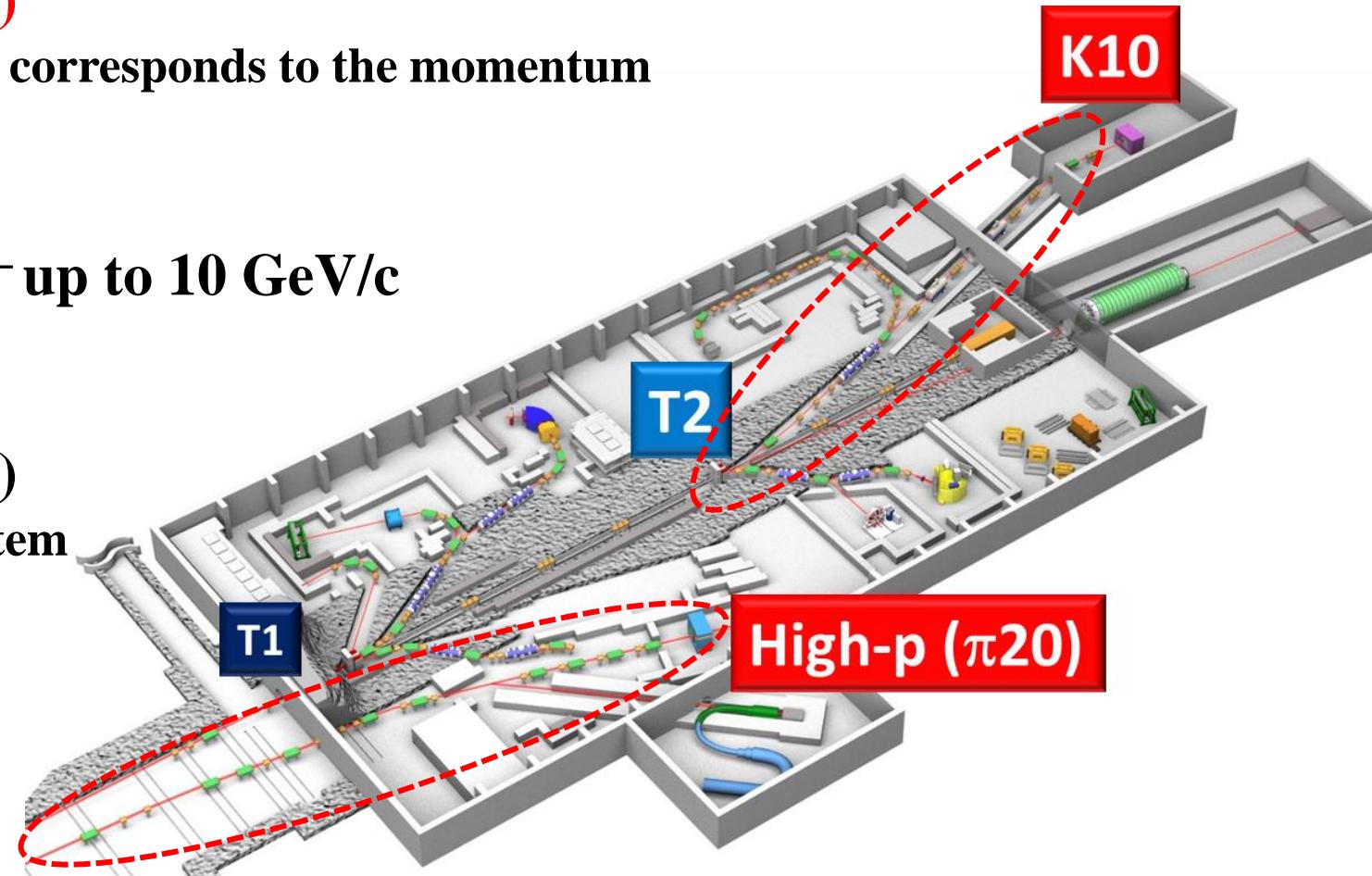
High-momentum hadron beam lines: π 20 and K10

- **High-p(π 20): Primary proton \Rightarrow 2ndary beams (unseparated)**
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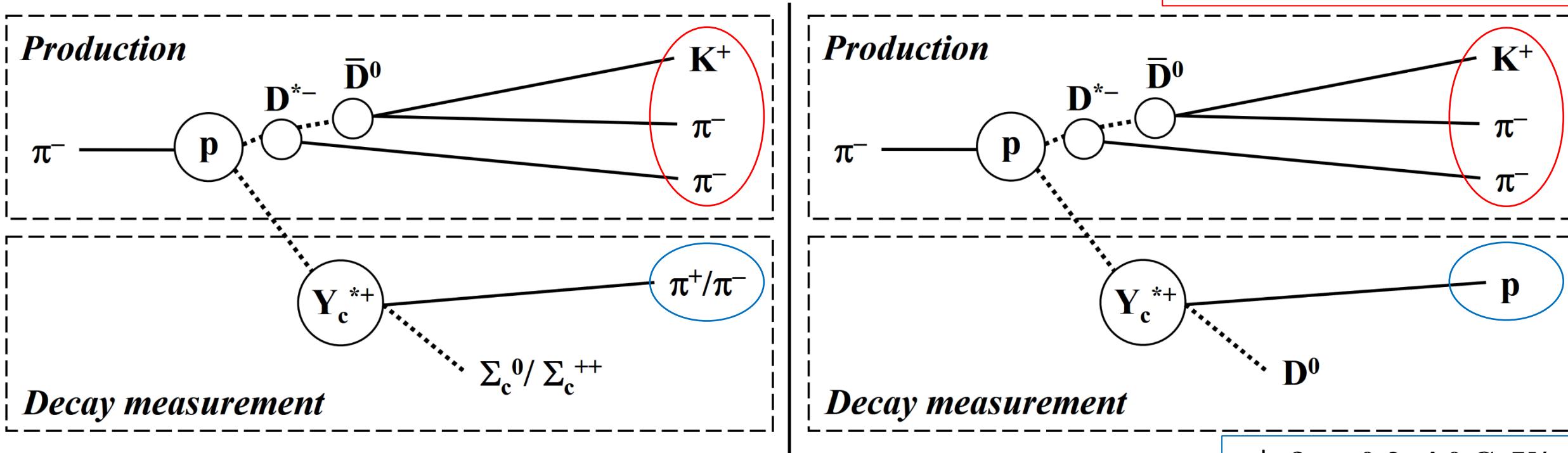
○: Main beam particle

XX: Maximum beam momentum



Experiment: Missing mass method

$K^+ & \pi^-$: 2–16 GeV/c
 π^- from D^{*-} : 0.5–1.7 GeV/c

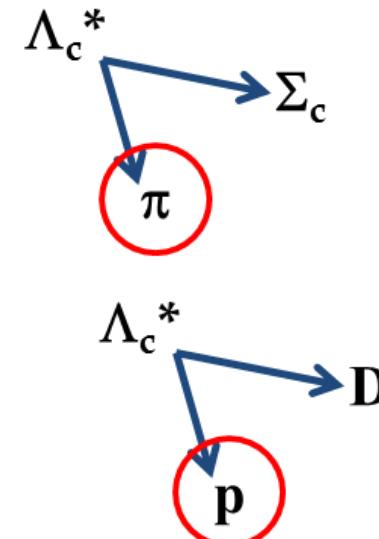


$\pi^- + p \rightarrow D^{*-} + Y_c^{*+}$ reaction @ 20 GeV/c

- 1) Missing mass spectroscopy: Y_c^{*+} mass (>1 GeV excited states)
 - $D^{*-} \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 \pi_s^- \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi_s^-$: $D^{*-} \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 \pi_s^-$ (67.7%), $\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ (3.88%)

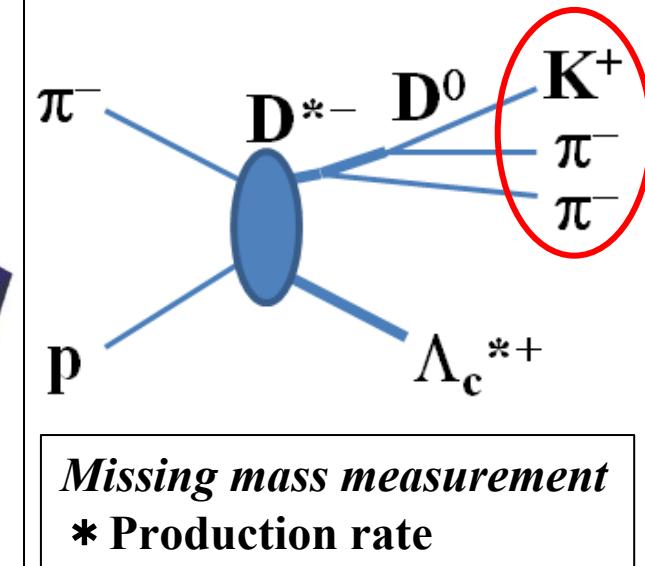
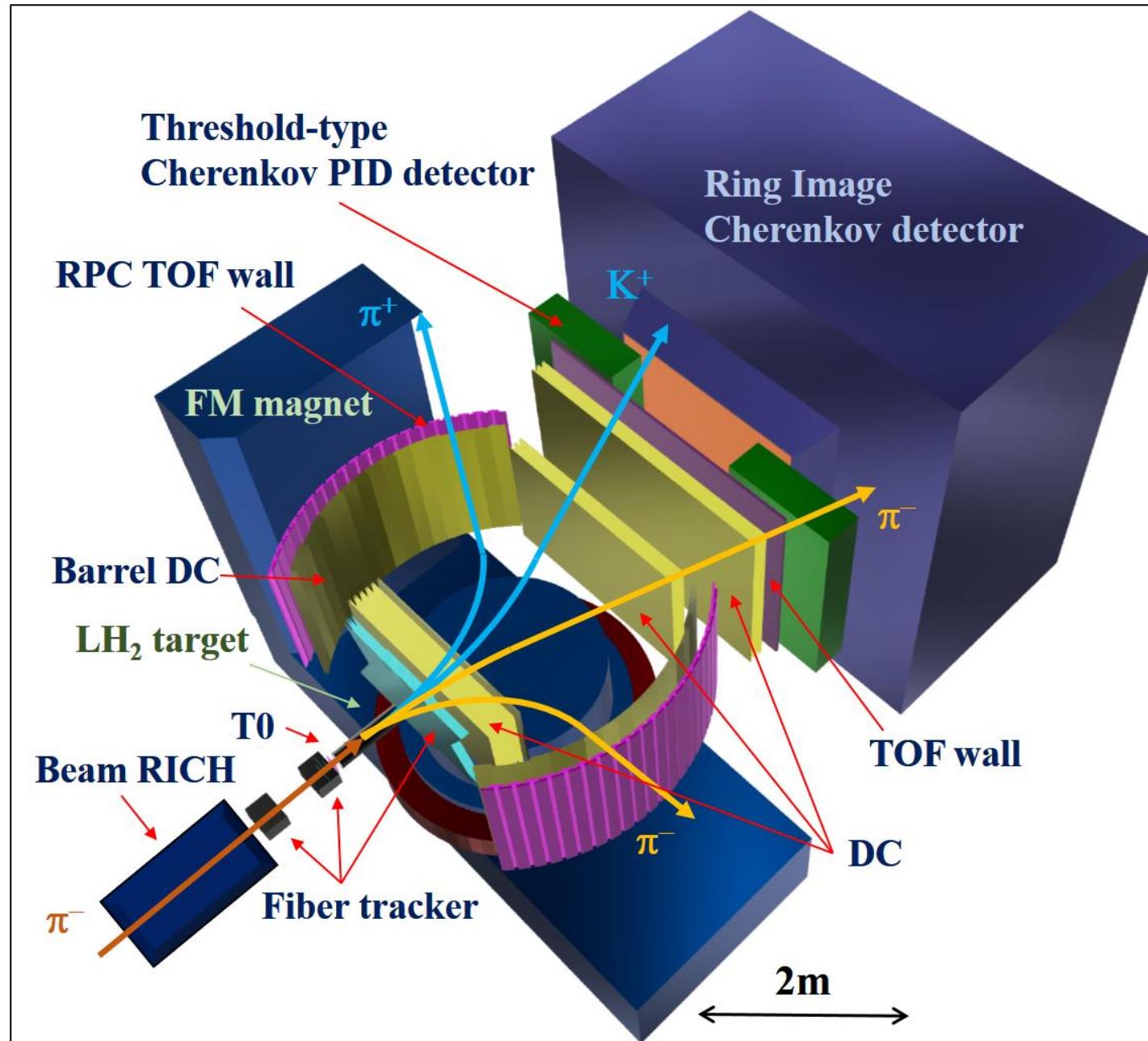
- 2) Decay measurement: Absolute B.R. and angular distribution
 - Decay particles (π^\pm & proton) from Y_c^*

A spectrometer for charmed baryon spectroscopy

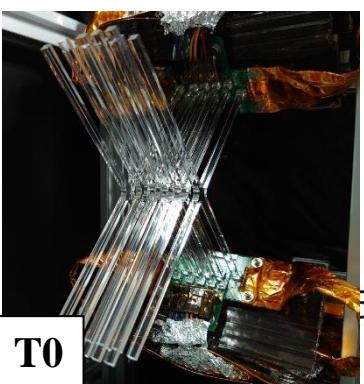


Decay measurement
* Branching ratios

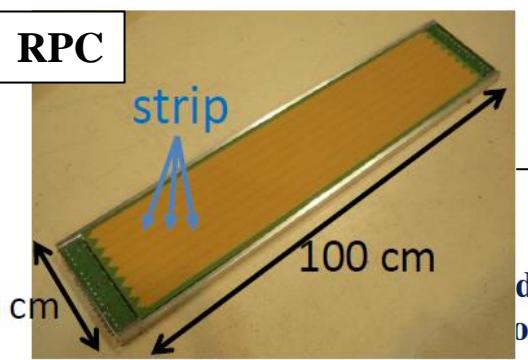
$\pi^\pm \& p: < 4.0 \text{ GeV}/c$



$K^+ \& \pi^-$: 2–16 GeV/c
Slow π_s^- : 0.5–1.7 GeV/c



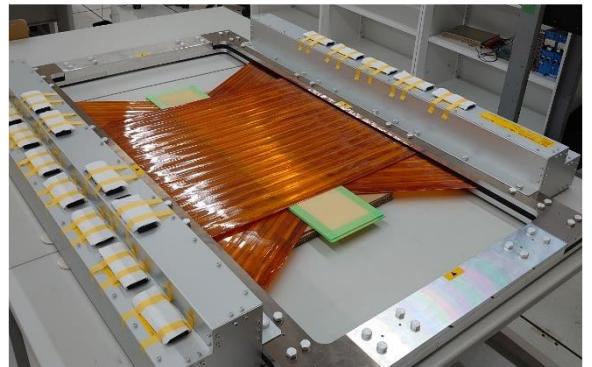
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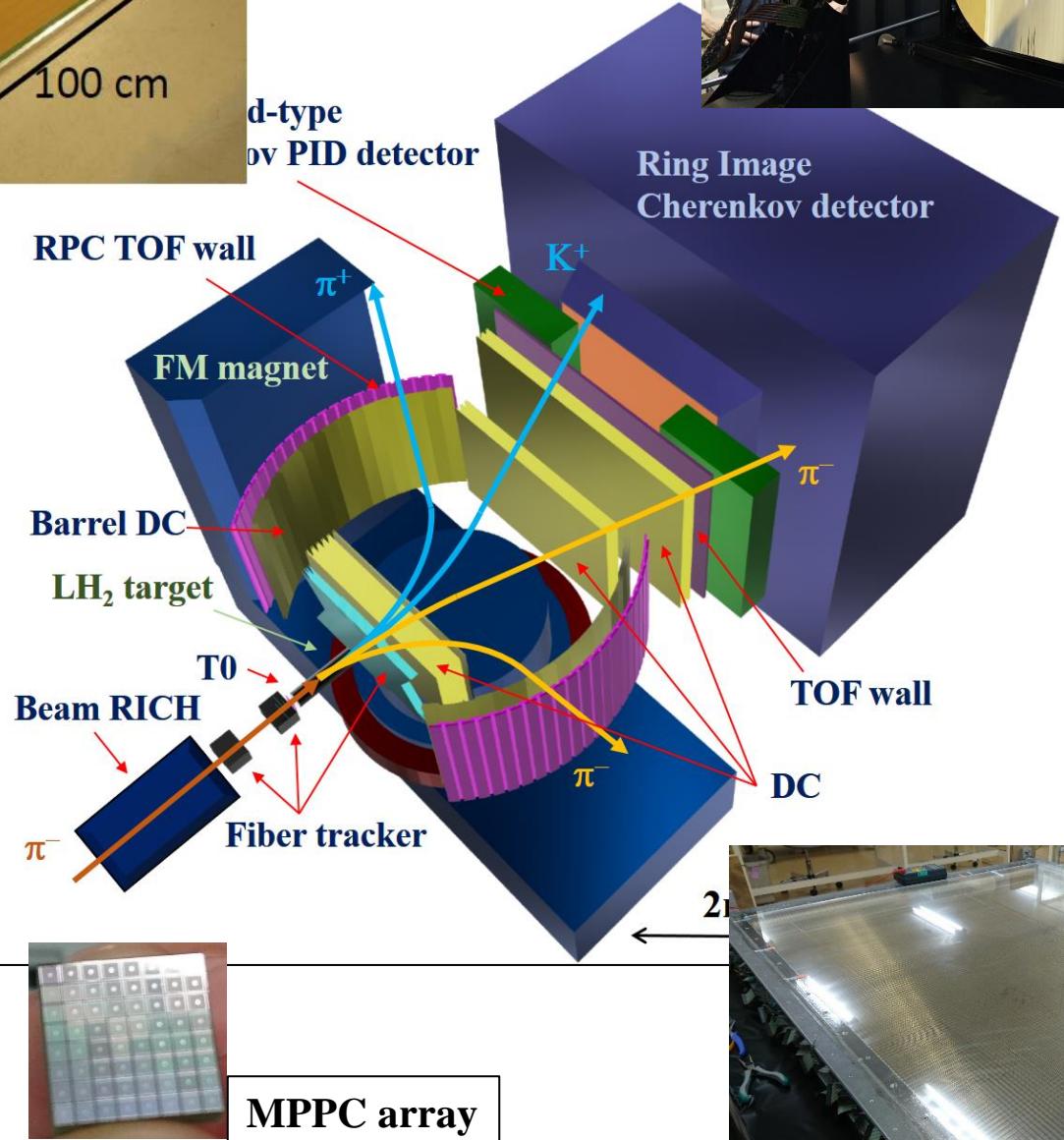
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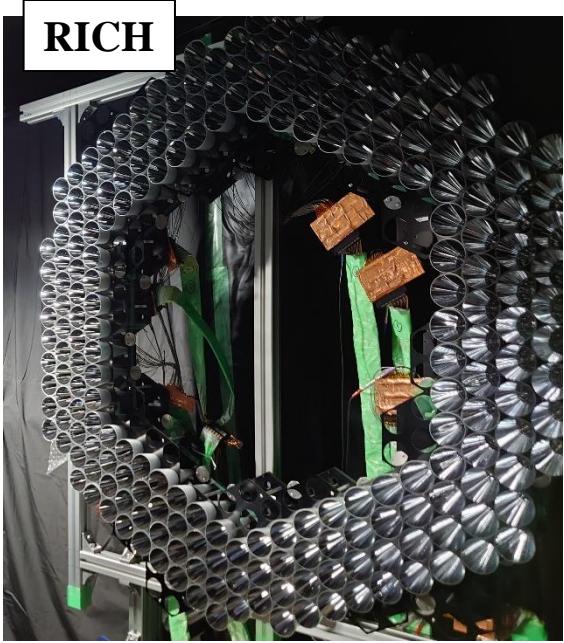
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Beam RICH



Target downstream DC



RICH

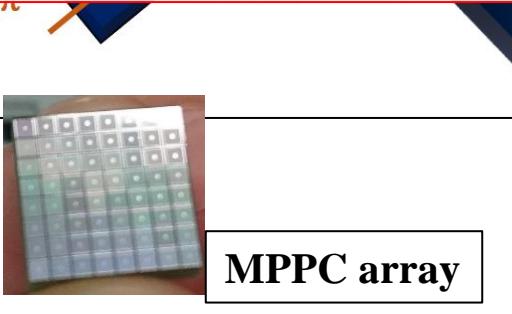
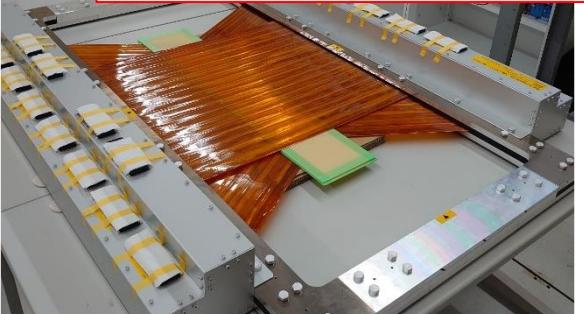


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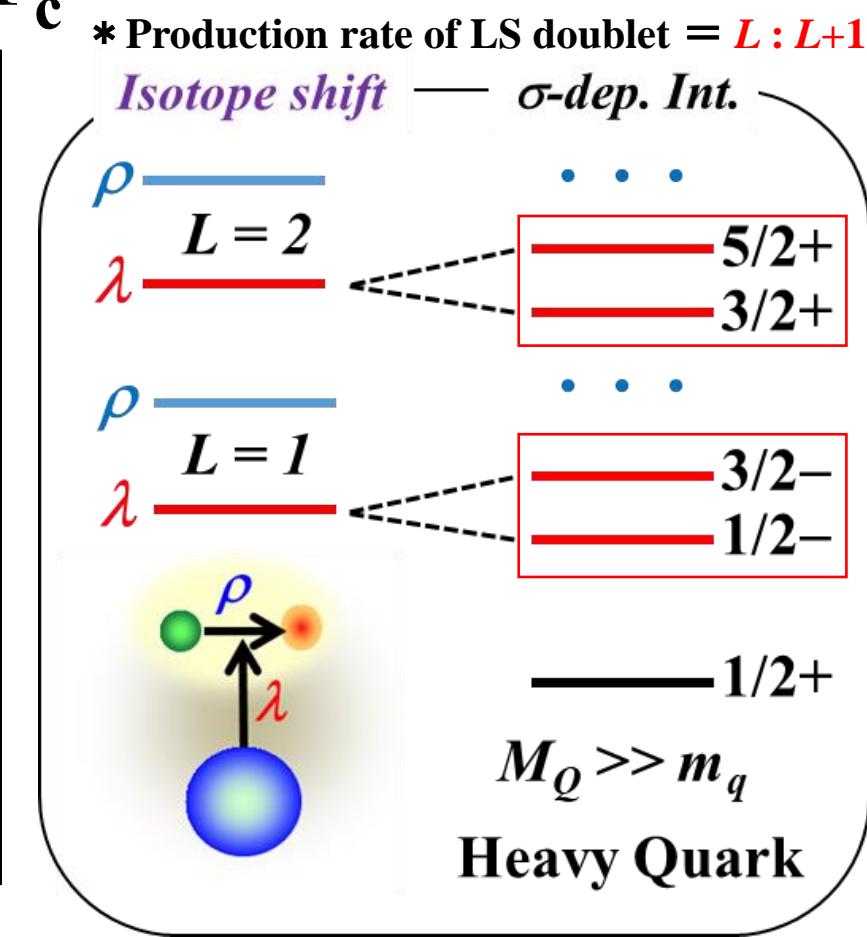
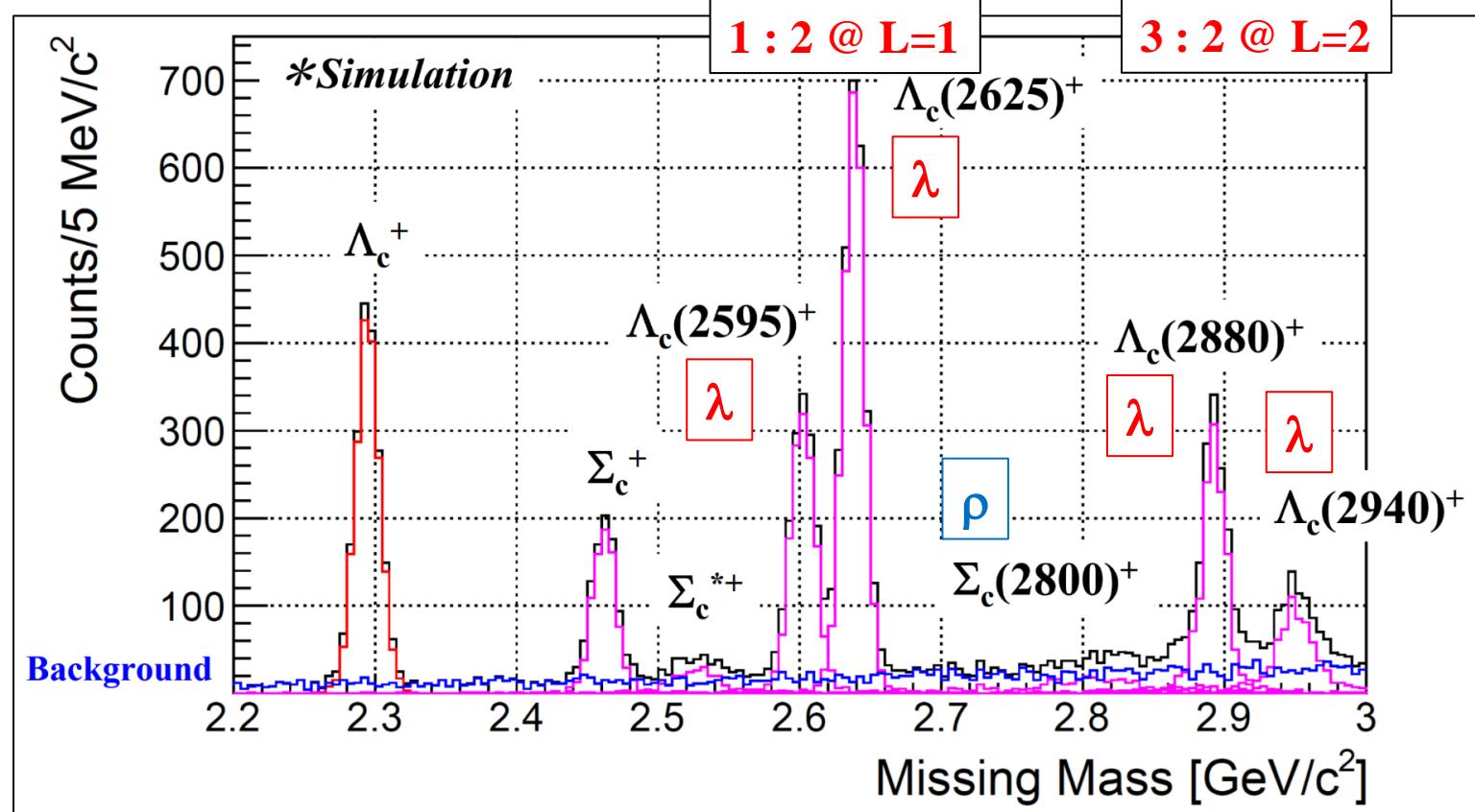


Large Acceptance Multi-Purpose Spectrometer + Trigger-less DAQ system

R. Honda *et al.*, PTEP2021, 123H01 (2021).



Expected mass spectrum: $\pi^- p \rightarrow D^{*-} Y_c^{*+}$

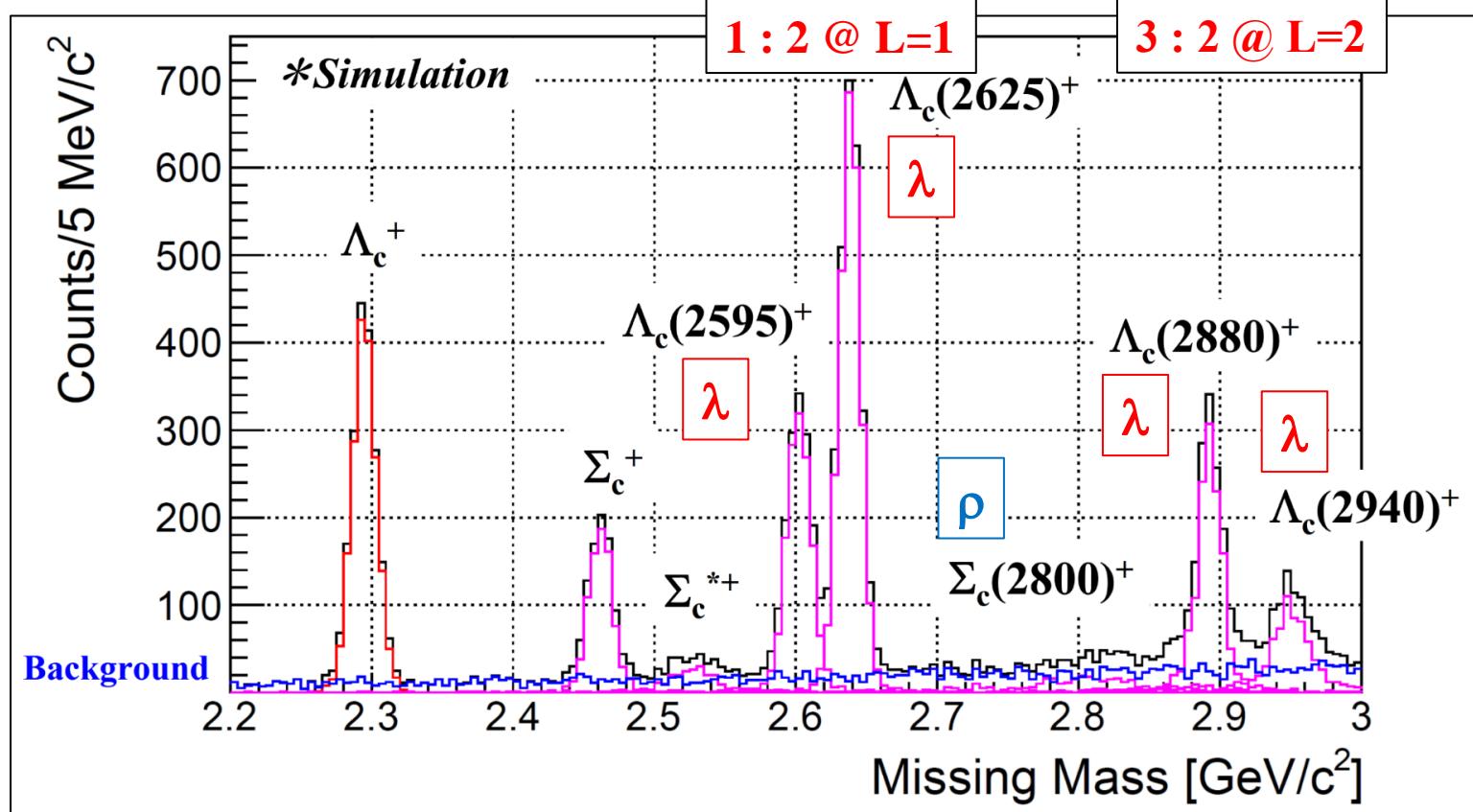


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 - Known states in PDG and background by hadronic reaction code
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 - Angular distribution (t -dependence: $d\sigma/dt$) contains structure information.

HQ doublet

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* Production rate of LS doublet = $L : L+1$



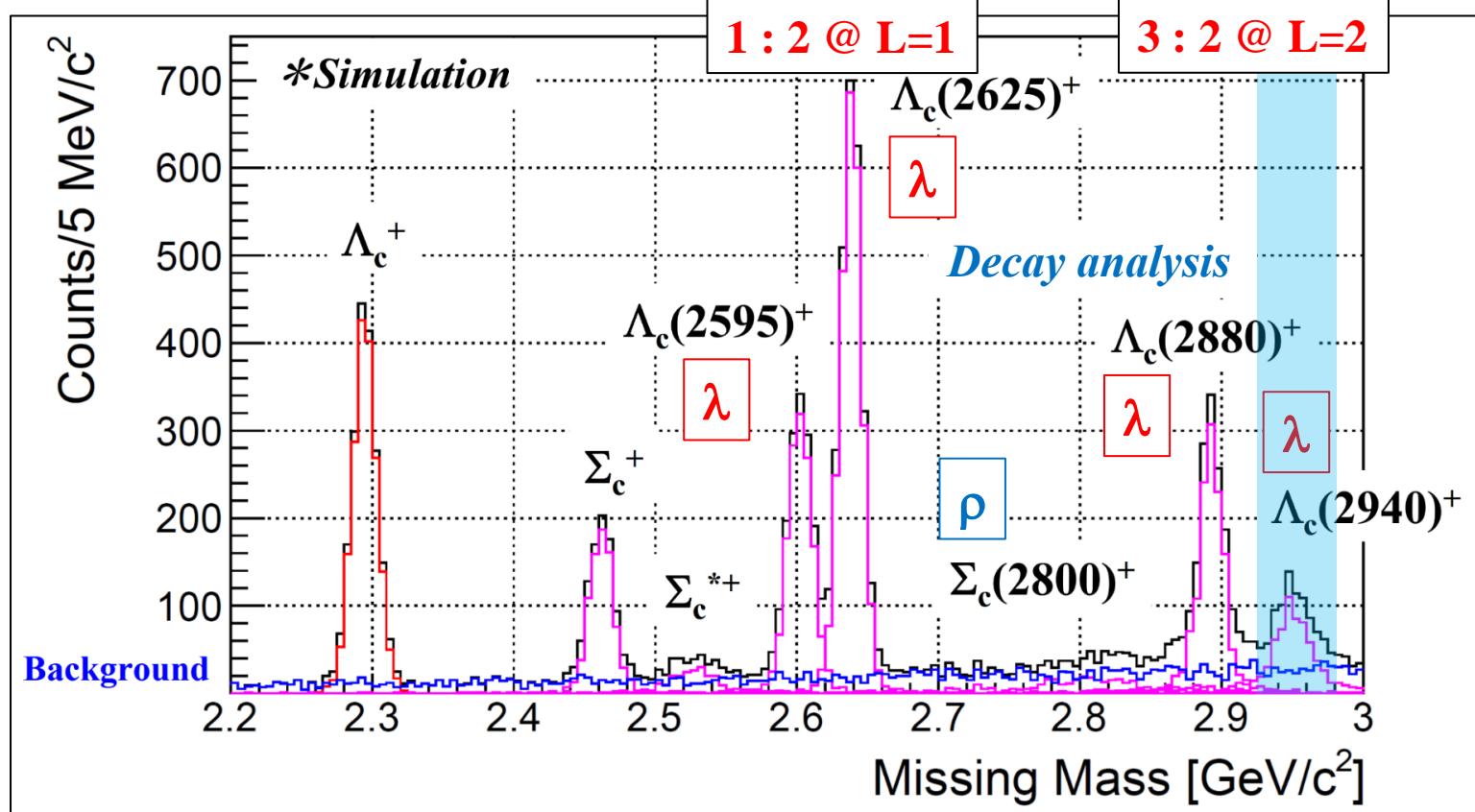
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| $\Lambda_c(2860)^+$ | $3/2^+$ | — |
| $\Sigma_c(2800)^+$ | ? | $1/2^-$ |
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λ mode
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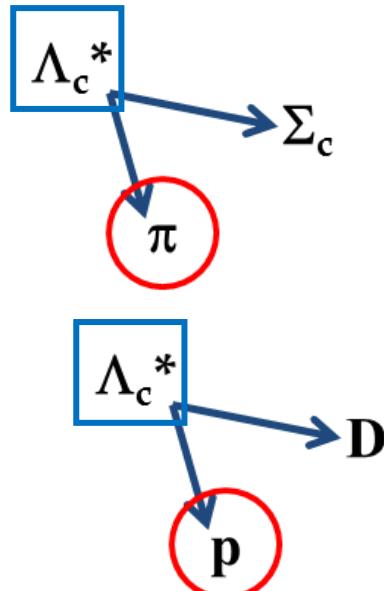
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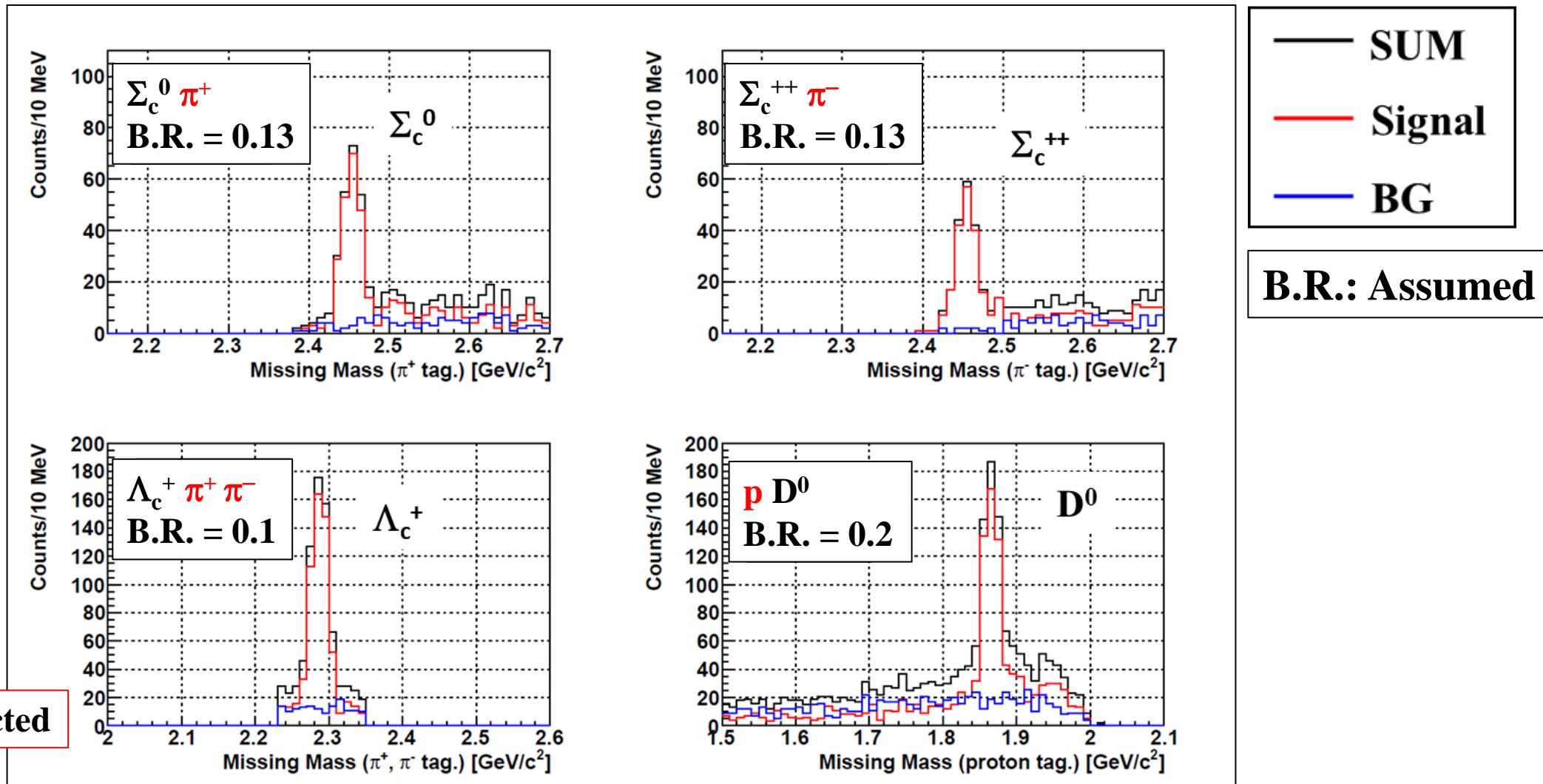
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Decay measurement: $\Lambda_c^*(2940)^+ \rightarrow \Sigma_c^{++/0} \pi^{-/+}$ and p D⁰



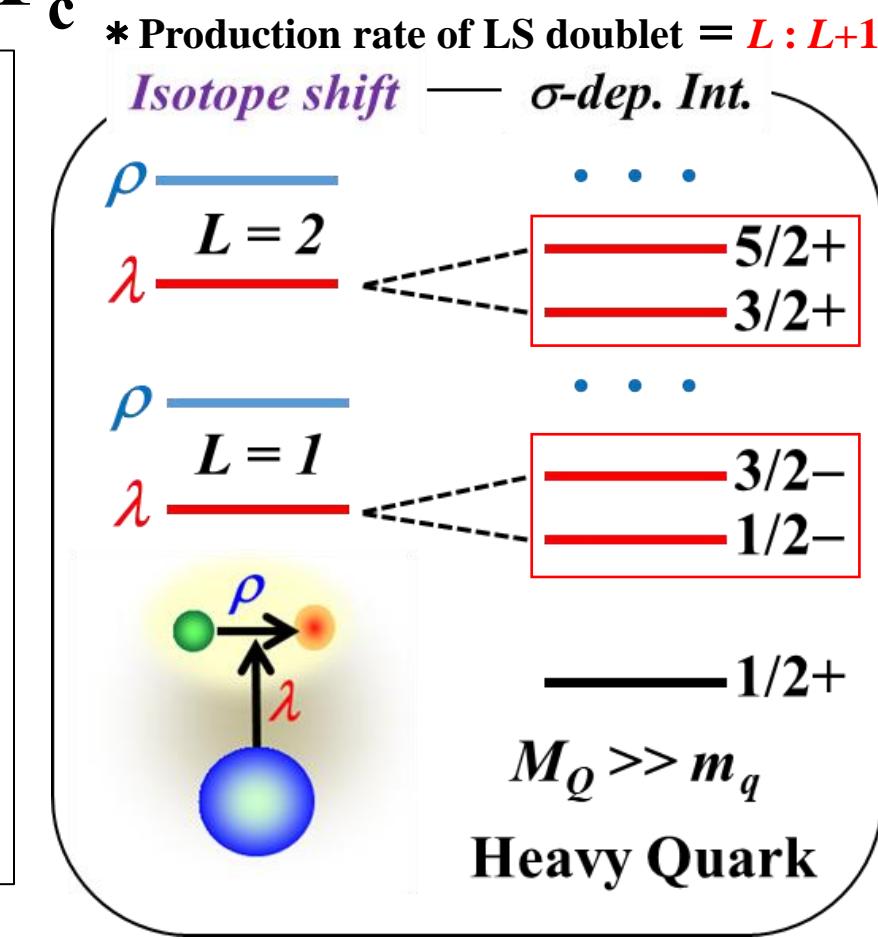
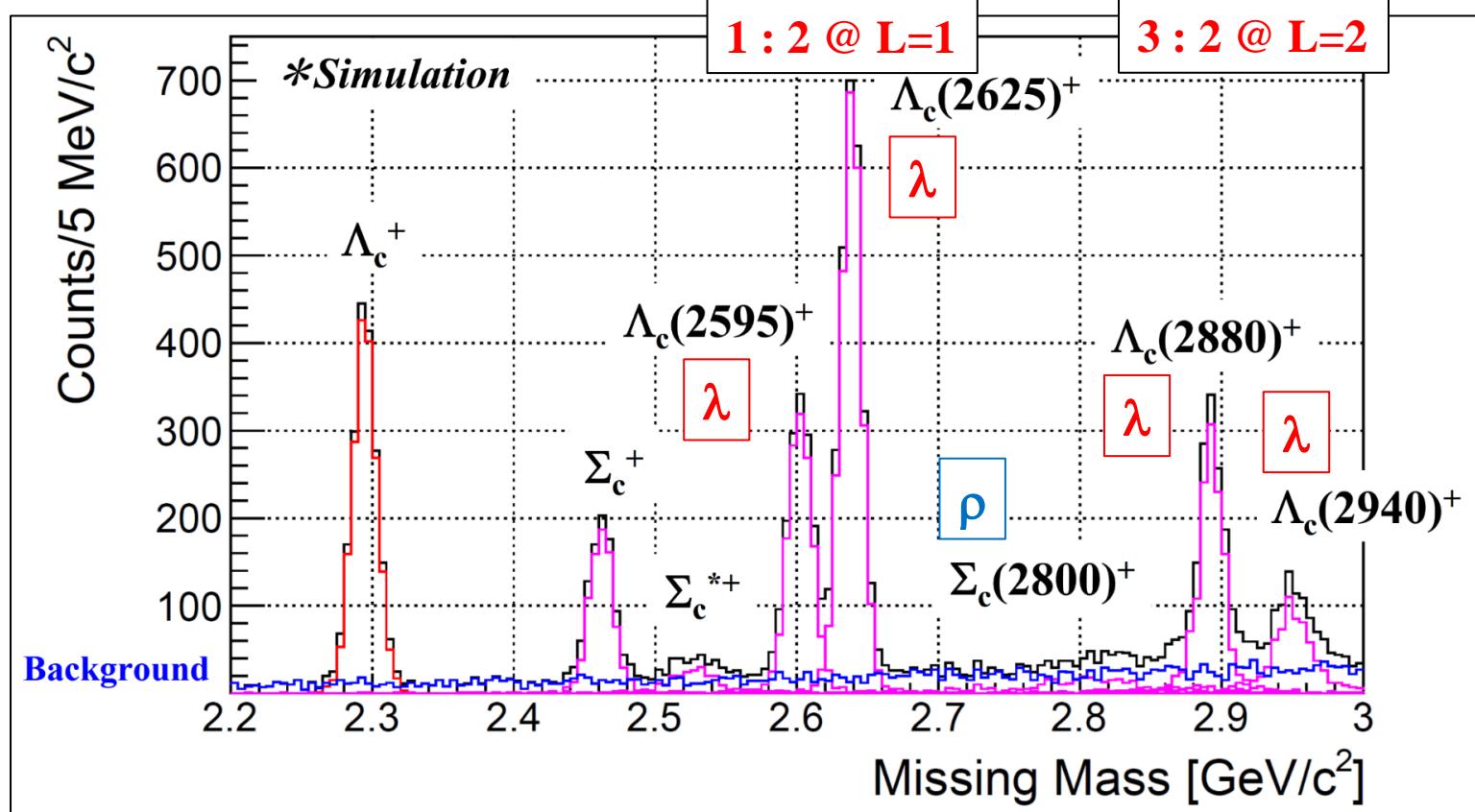
W/ $\Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$ selected



Decay measurements can also give us information of excited state properties.

- Absolute branching ratios: $\Gamma(\Lambda_c^* \rightarrow p D) \Leftrightarrow \Gamma(\Lambda_c^* \rightarrow \Sigma_c \pi) \Rightarrow \lambda/\rho$ mode assignment

Expected mass spectrum: $\pi^- p \rightarrow D^{*-} Y_c^{*+}$



- Dynamical information: **Production rates & Absolute decay branching ratios**
- ⇒ **1st identification of λ/ρ mode for revealing ud diquark correlation**

Ξ and Ω baryon spectroscopy @ K10

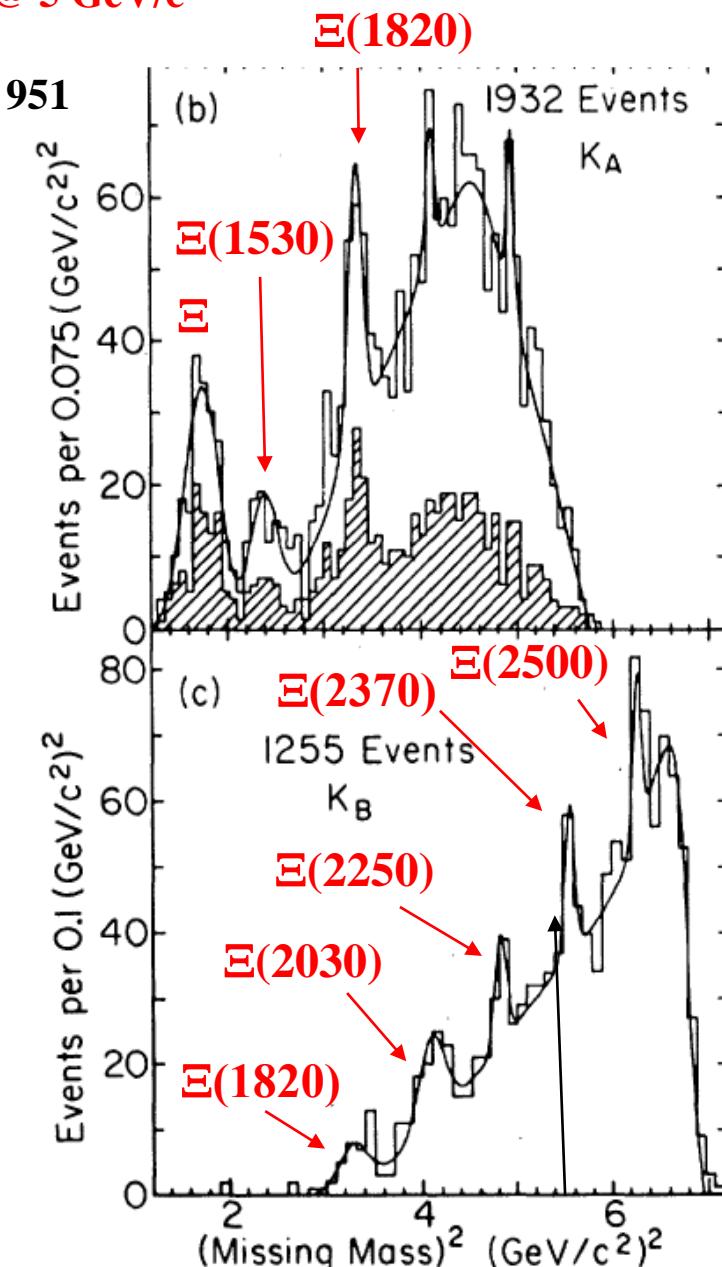
Experimental situations: Ξ^*

| | J^P | rating | Width [MeV] | $\Xi\pi$ [%] | ΛK [%] | ΣK [%] | ΩK [%] |
|-------------|----------|--------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|
| $\Xi(2500)$ | ?? | 1* | 150? | | | | |
| $\Xi(2370)$ | ?? | 2* | 80? | | | | $\sim 9 \pm 4$ |
| $\Xi(2250)$ | ?? | 2* | 47+- 27? | | | | |
| $\Xi(2120)$ | ?? | 1* | 25? | | | | |
| $\Xi(2030)$ | $>=5/2?$ | 3* | 20^{+15}_{-5} | small | ~ 20 | ~ 80 | |
| $\Xi(1950)$ | ?? | 3* | 60 ± 20 | seen | seen | | |
| $\Xi(1820)$ | $3/2-$ | 3* | 24^{+15}_{-10} | small | Large | Small | |
| $\Xi(1690)$ | ?? | 3* | < 30 | seen | seen | seen | |
| $\Xi(1620)$ | ?? | 1* | 20–40? | | | | |
| $\Xi(1530)$ | $3/2+$ | 4* | 10 | 100 | | | |

Existence is certain : 2
 Need confirmation : 4
 Evidence is fair : 2
 Evidence is poor : 3

- 11 states were reported.
- Quark Model prediction \Rightarrow 44 states up to 2.3 GeV

$K^- p \rightarrow K^+ X @ 5 \text{ GeV}/c$
 Jenkins et al.,
 PRL51 (1983) 951



Measured Ω^{*-} states in PDG

2021 Review of Particle Physics.

P.A. Zyla *et al.* (Particle Data Group), Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. **2020**, 083C01 (2020) and 2021 update

Ω BARYONS ($S = -3, I = 0$)

$$\Omega^- = s \ s \ s$$

| | | |
|------------------|---------|------|
| Ω^- | $3/2^+$ | **** |
| $\Omega(2012)^-$ | ?- | *** |
| $\Omega(2250)^-$ | | *** |
| $\Omega(2380)^-$ | | ** |
| $\Omega(2470)^-$ | | ** |

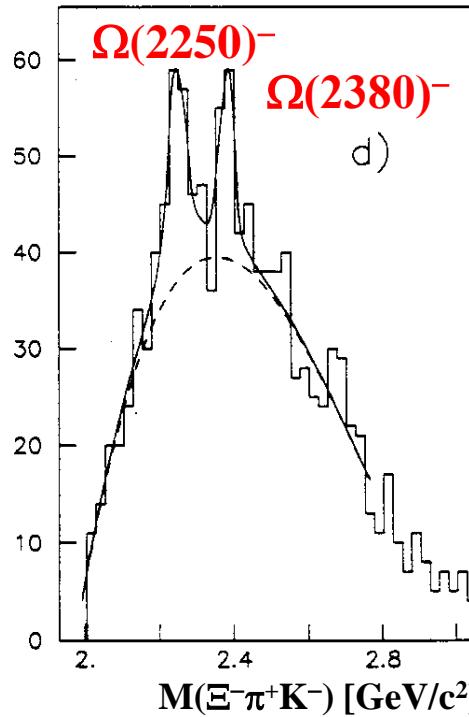
**** Existence is certain, and properties are at least fairly explored.

*** Existence ranges from very likely to certain, but further confirmation is desirable and/or quantum numbers, branching fractions, etc. are not well determined.

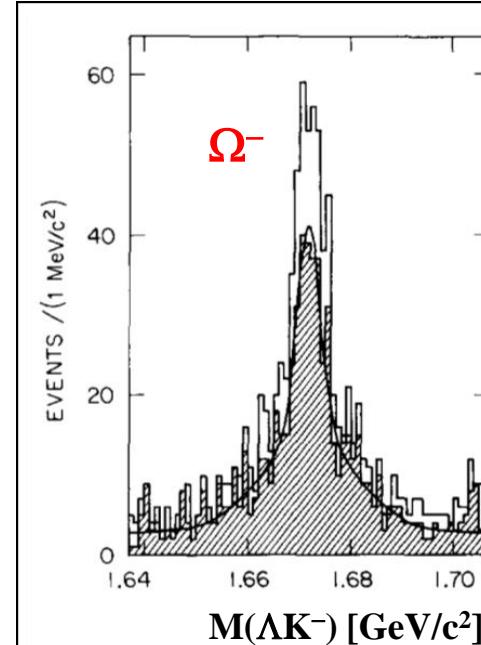
** Evidence of existence is only fair.

- Most of spins/parities/decay branches have not been determined yet.
- $\Omega(2380)$ and $\Omega(2470)$ are discarded from PDG table.

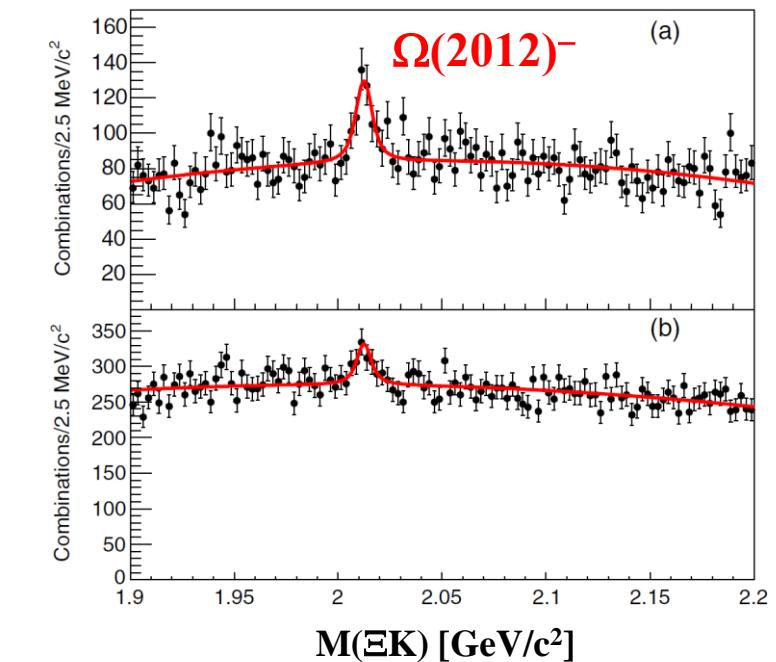
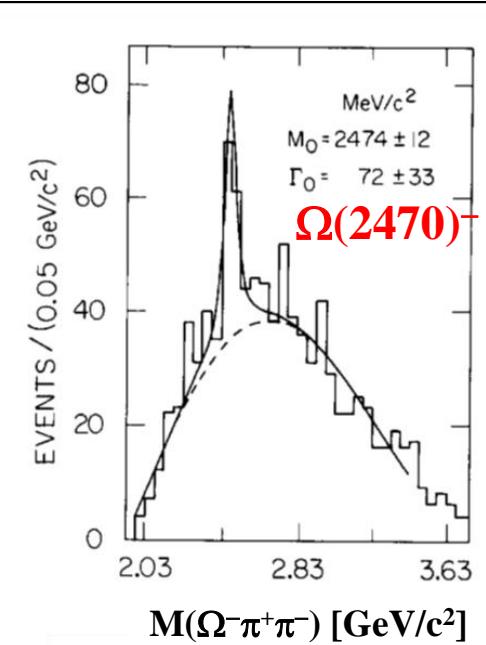
Experimental situations



Ξ^- beam on Be @ 116 GeV/c
S.F. Biagi *et al.*, Z.Phys.C 31, 33 (1986)



$K^- p$ data by LASS @ 11 GeV/c
D. Aston *et al.*,
Phys. Rett. B 215 799-804 (1988)



Belle collaboration
J. Yelton *et al.*,
Phys. Rev. Lett. 121, 052003 (2018)

- Need data by experiment with a modern technique

⇒ High-performance facility and suitable experimental setup ⇒ K10

- High-intensity K^- beam and large acceptance spectrometer

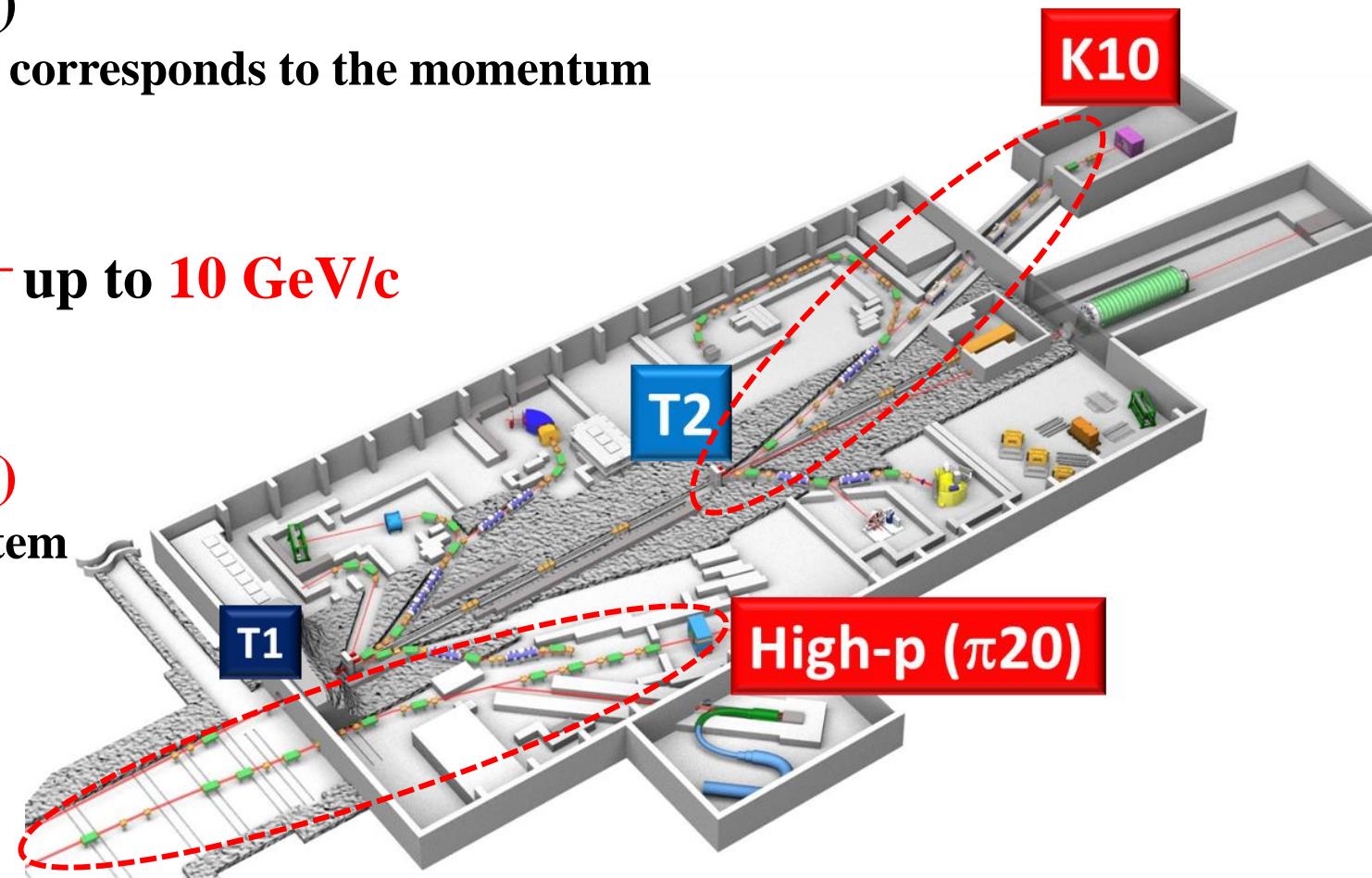
High-momentum hadron beam lines: π 20 and K10

- High-p(π 20): Primary proton \Rightarrow 2ndary beam (unseparated)
 - High intensity: $>10^7$ /spill for π^- (K^- , $p_{\bar{p}}$: 1–2%) up to 20 GeV/c
 - Production target and 0-degree beam extraction
 - High resolution: $\Delta p/p = 0.1\%(\sigma)$
 - Dispersion matching: the position corresponds to the momentum
- K10 beam line: K^- beam
 - High intensity: $>10^6$ /spill for K^- up to 10 GeV/c
 - High-purity: $K : \pi \sim 1 : 2$
 - Radio Frequency(RF) separator
 - High resolution: $\Delta p/p = 0.1\%(\sigma)$
 - Beam spectrometer: QQDDQ system

*Beam line name: ○XX

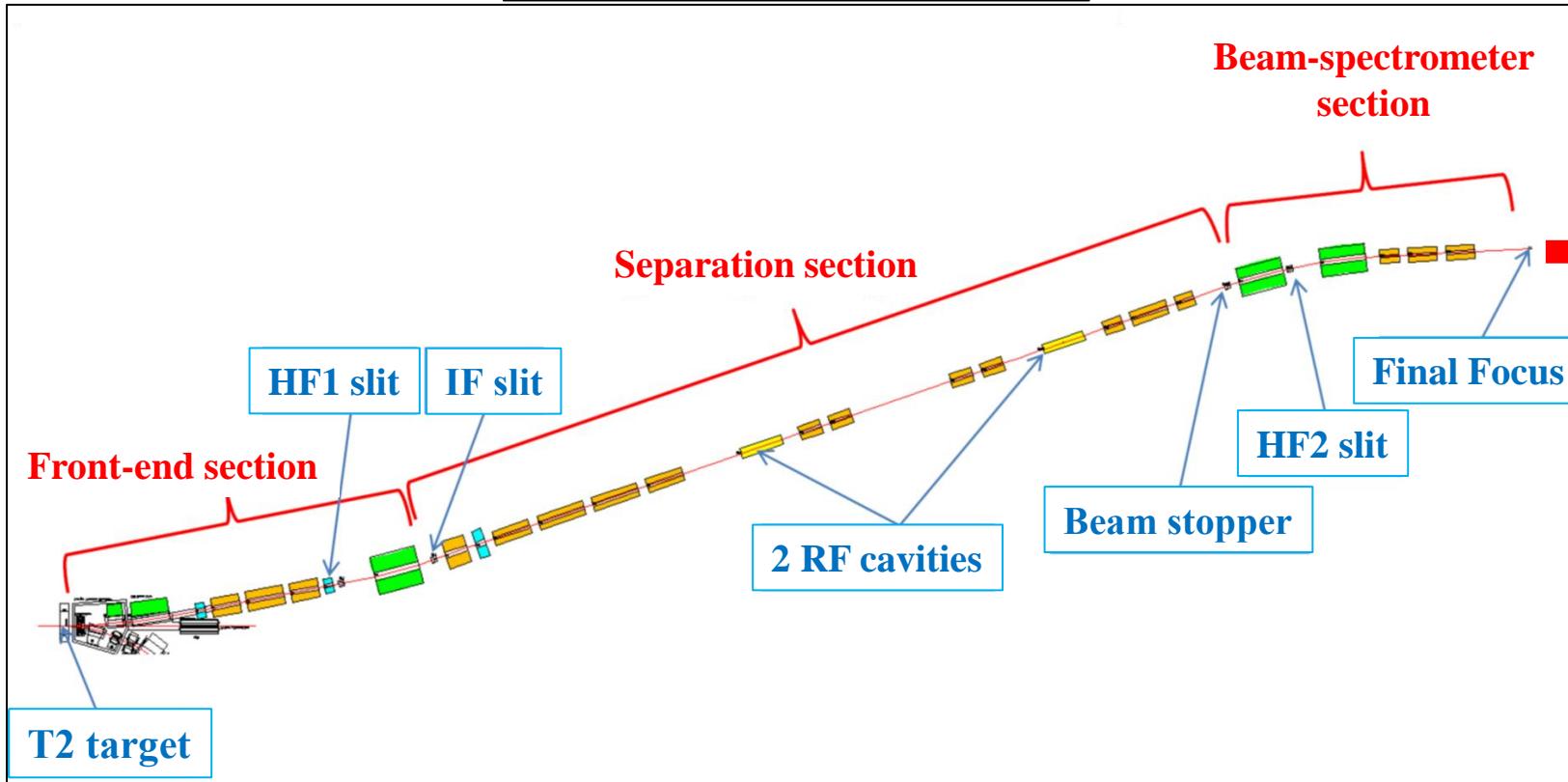
○: Main beam particle

XX: Maximum beam momentum

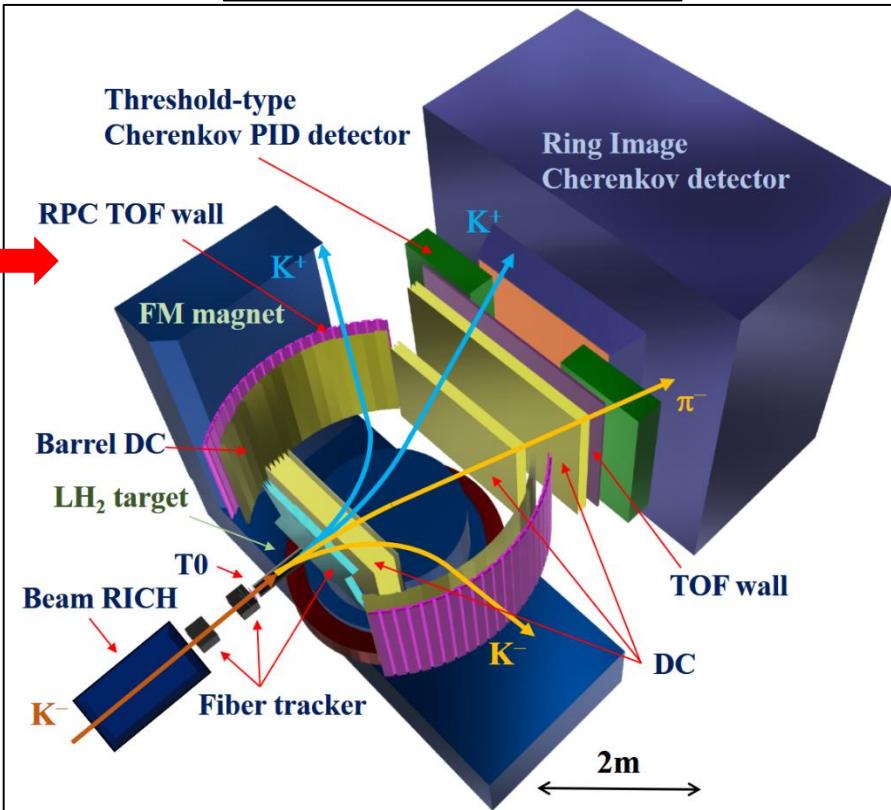


K10 beam line and spectrometer

Layout of K10 beam line



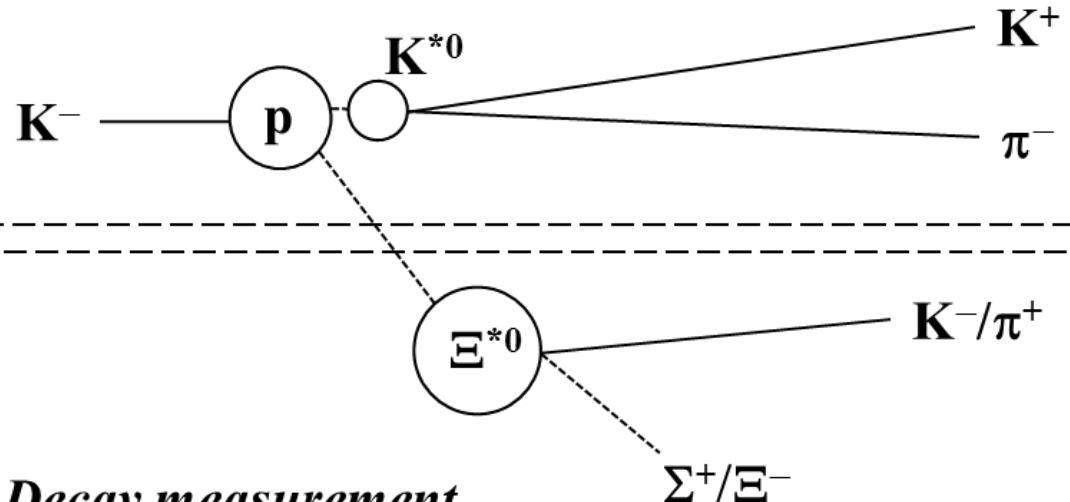
K10 Spectrometer



- **K10 beam line**
 - High-intensity high-momentum K^- beam with high purity
- **Spectrometer (under designing)**
 - Multi-purpose system to detect Ξ/Ω baryon production events

Experimental method: Ξ and Ω baryon spectroscopy

Production

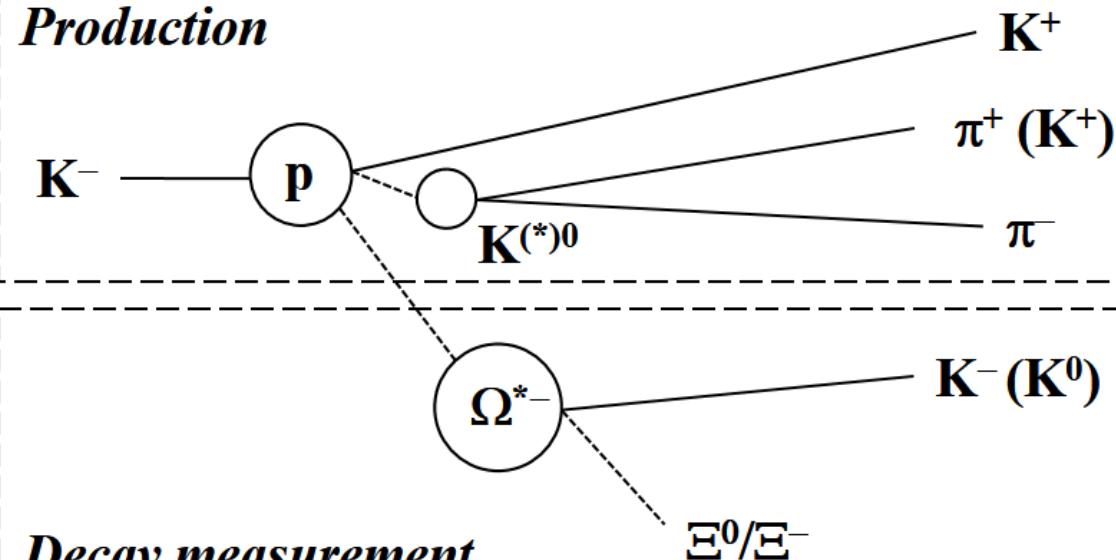


Decay measurement

- Reaction: $K^- p \rightarrow K^+ \Xi^{*-} / K^- p \rightarrow K^{*0} \Xi^{*0}$
 - Beam: 5–8 GeV/c
- Missing mass: K^+ / K^{*0}
 - K^+ or K^{*0} detection $\Rightarrow s = -2$ tagging
- Decay measurement: $K^- / \pi^{+/}$
 - Decay products obtained as missing mass
 - $\Lambda/\Sigma^0/\Sigma^+$ and $\Xi^{0/-}$

* High momentum transfer = Highly excited state

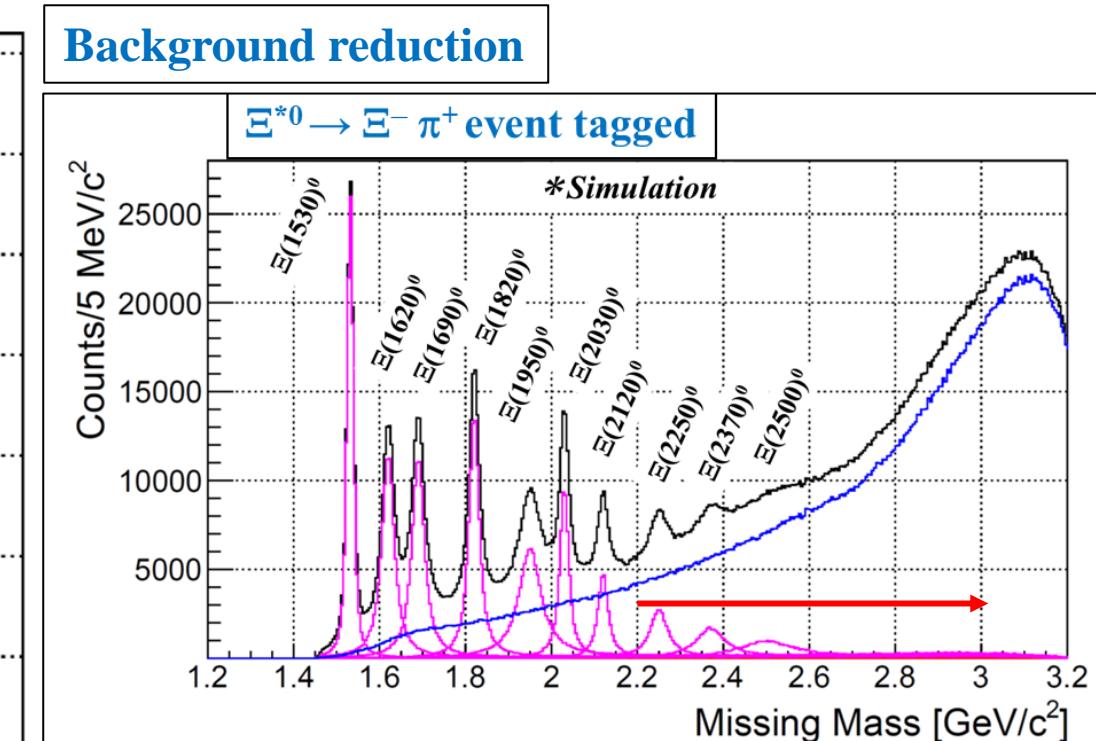
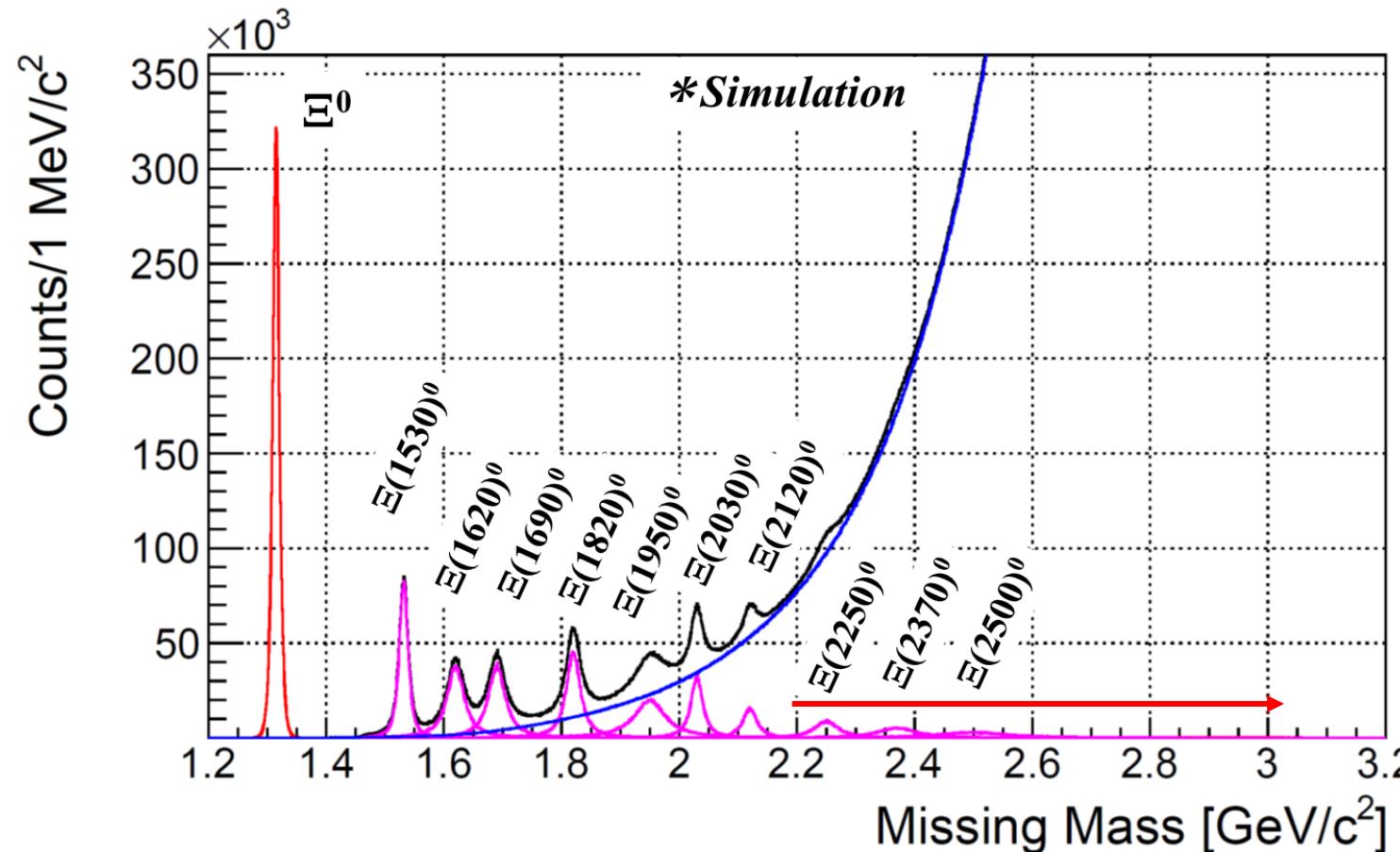
Production



Decay measurement

- Reaction: $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^{*-} K^{*0} K^+$
 - Beam: 7–10 GeV/c
- Missing mass: $K^{*0} & K^+$
 - K^{*0} detection $\Rightarrow s = -3$ tagging
- Decay measurement: $K^- / \pi^+ \pi^-$
 - Decay products obtained as missing mass
 - $\Xi^{(*)0}$ and Ω^-

Expected mass spectrum: $K^- p \rightarrow K^{*0} \Xi^{*0}$

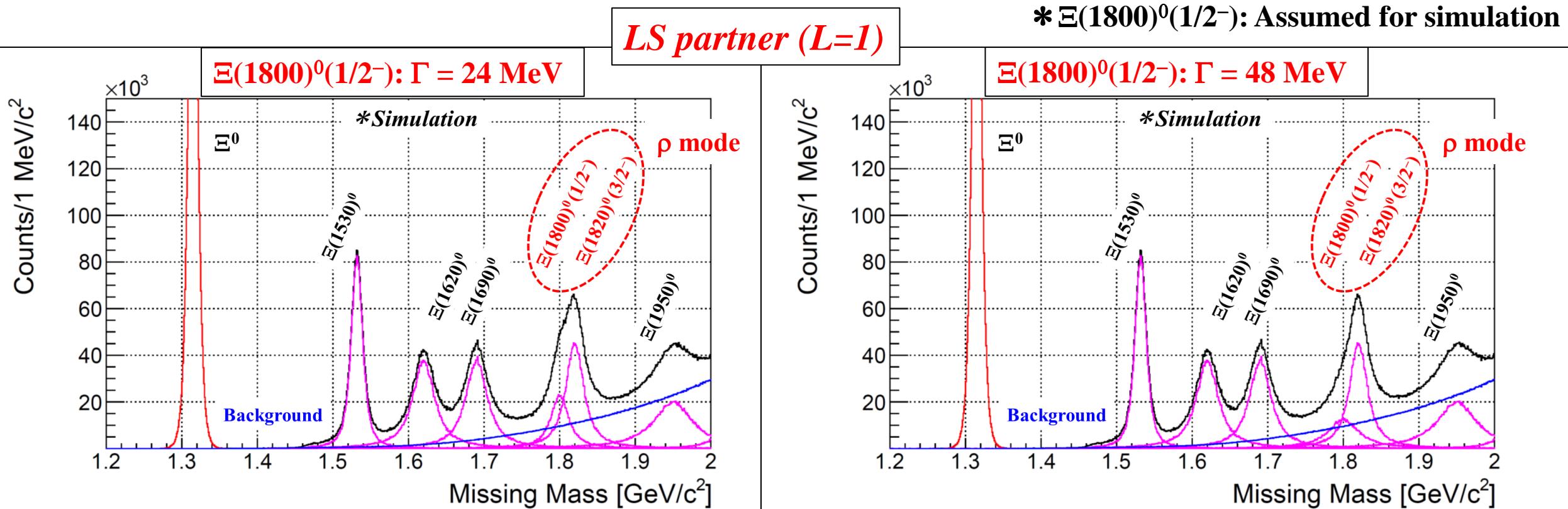


- $\sigma_{G.S.} = 2 \mu b$ @ 8 GeV/c assumed $\Rightarrow 5.3 \times 10^6$ events (30-days beam time)
 - Excited states: Scaling old data (Jenkins *et al.*, PRL51, 951 1983)
- Mass resolution: $\Delta M \sim 7$ MeV(σ) < Width (several 10 MeV)
- Background reduction by decay event selection: $\Xi^{*0} \rightarrow \Xi^- \pi^+$ (B.R. = 0.1) $\Rightarrow S/N \times 30$

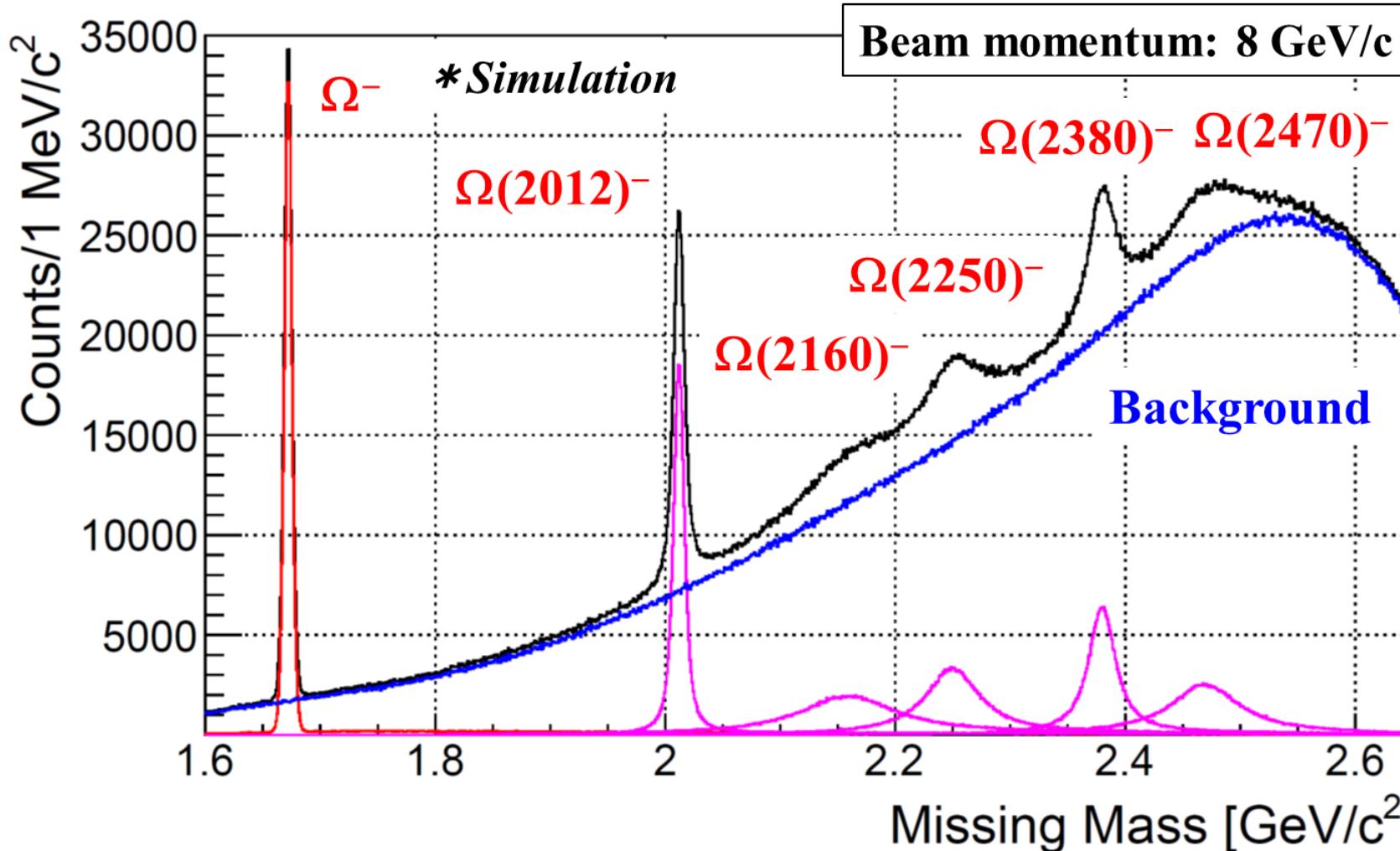
us/ds diquark correlation: ρ/λ mode assignment

- Combining J^P , production rates and decay branching ratios
 - Assigned by J^P from decay measurement (Several 10^4 events w/o uncertainty)
 - Production rates: ρ -mode LS partner = 1:2 @ $L = 1$ ($L:L+1$ relation)**
 - Decay branching ratios: $\Gamma(\Xi^* \rightarrow \Lambda/\Sigma K^-) \Leftrightarrow \Gamma(\Xi^* \rightarrow \Xi \pi)$

* High-statistic data are essential.: K^- beam intensity @ K10



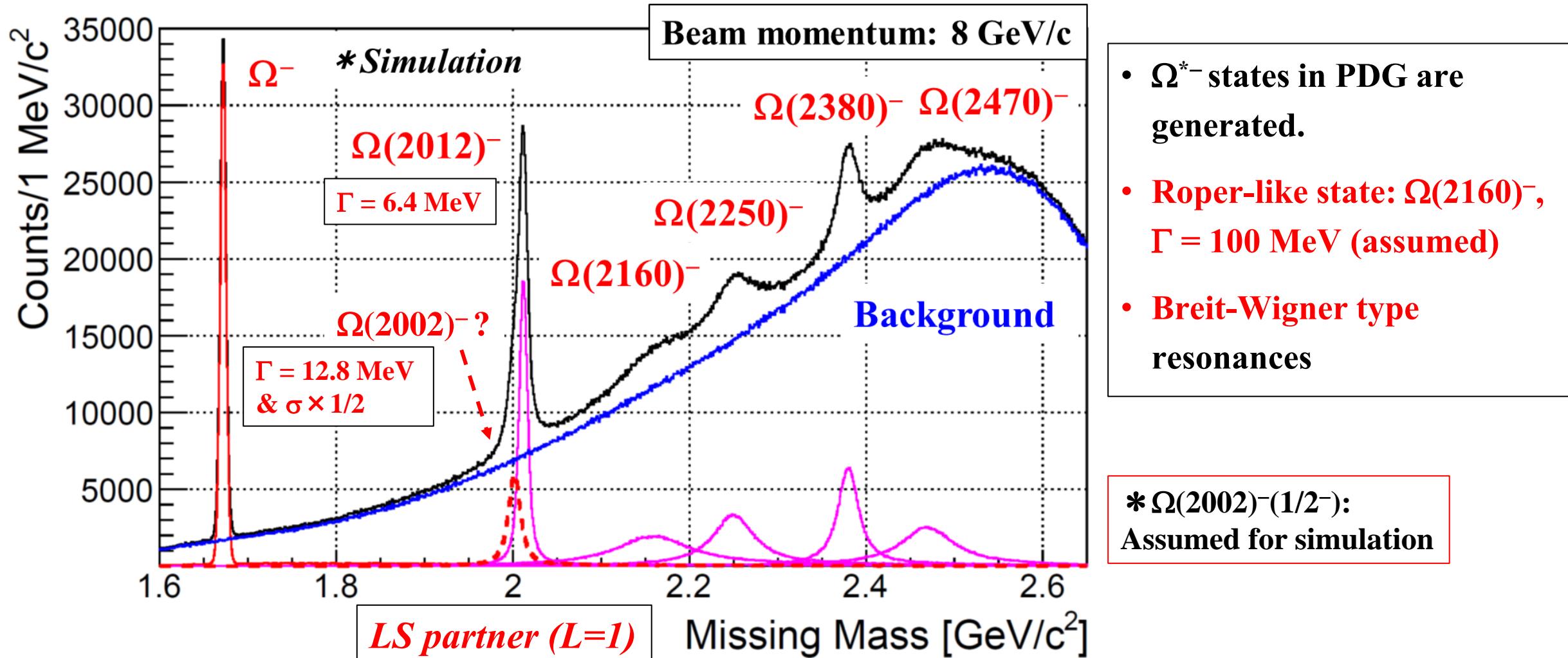
Expected mass spectrum: $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^{*-} K^{*0} K^+$



- Ω^{*-} states in PDG are generated.
- Roper-like state: $\Omega(2160)^-$, $\Gamma = 100$ MeV (assumed)
- Breit-Wigner type resonances

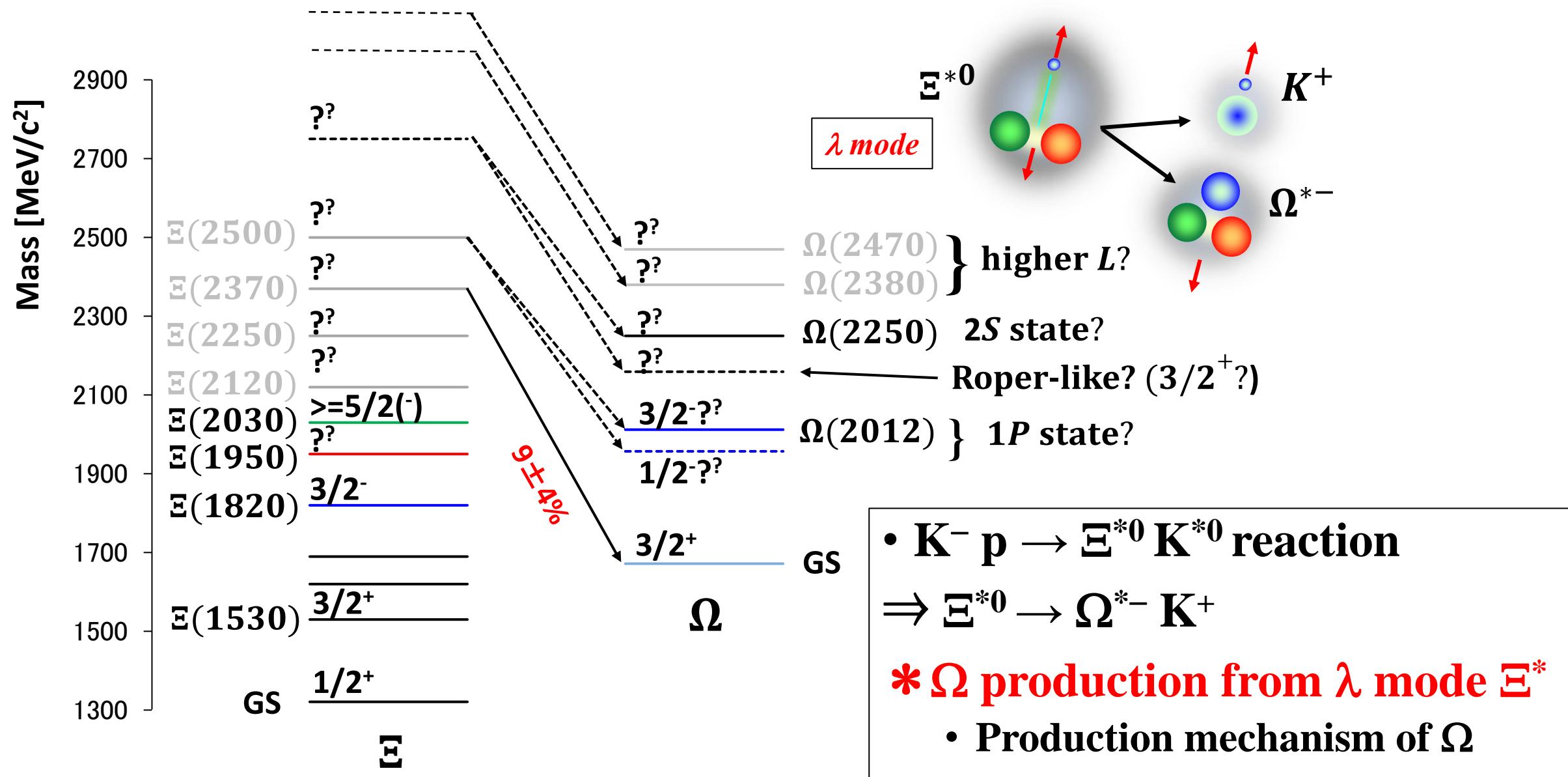
- Ω^{*-} events: 3.3×10^5 events @ 100 days (63 nb: Same cross section for all resonances)
 - Mass resolution: $\Delta M \sim 5$ MeV < Width (several 10 MeV)
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Expected mass spectrum: $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^{*-} K^{*0} K^+$

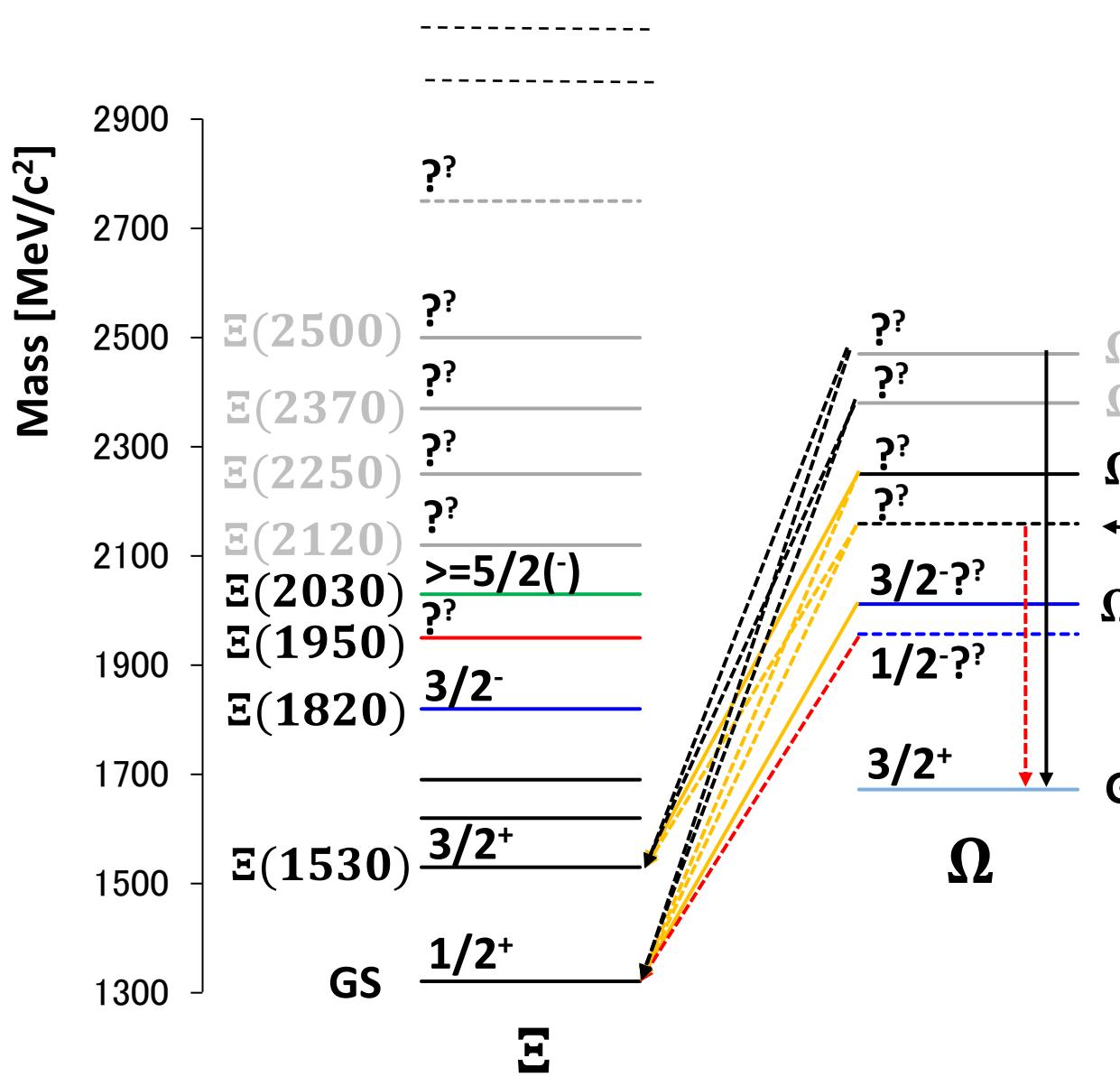


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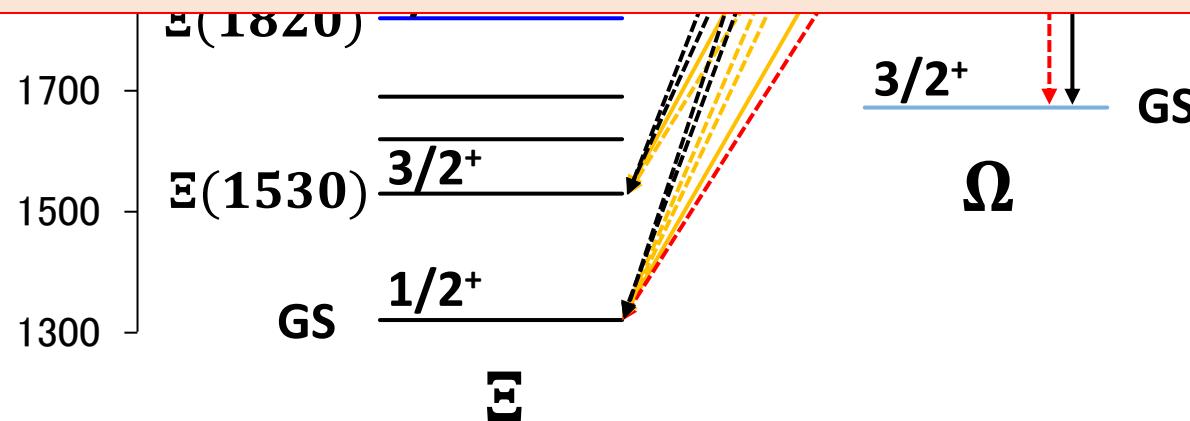
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Investigation of both Ξ and Ω baryons at K10 beam line

- Simultaneous data taking by same beam momenta
 - $K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^{*0} K^{*0}$ & $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^{*-} K^+ K^{*0}$ @ 7–10 GeV/c

* Relation between Ξ and Ω in production and decay processes is important for J^P determination and ρ/λ assignment.



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Paucity of data: Ξ and Ω excited states

- Many excited states predicted by the quark model have not been found.
- Spin/Parity: Most of spins and parities have not been determined.
 - LS partners and Roper-like resonances have not been established.
- Diquark correlation: No ρ/λ mode assignment
- Production mechanism and cross section of hadronic reaction (K^- beam)
 - u -channel and 2-step for Ξ^* ? ($K^- p \rightarrow \Xi^{*0} K^+$)
 - Doorway from Ξ^* for Ω^* ? ($K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^{*-} K^+ K^{*0}$)
- Decay properties: Why width seems to be narrow ?
 - What determines decay width and branching ratio ? (small coupling to pion ?)
- Exotic states: Not well studied
 - ex. $\Xi(1620)$, $\Xi(1690)$ and $\Omega(2012)$?

Further studies

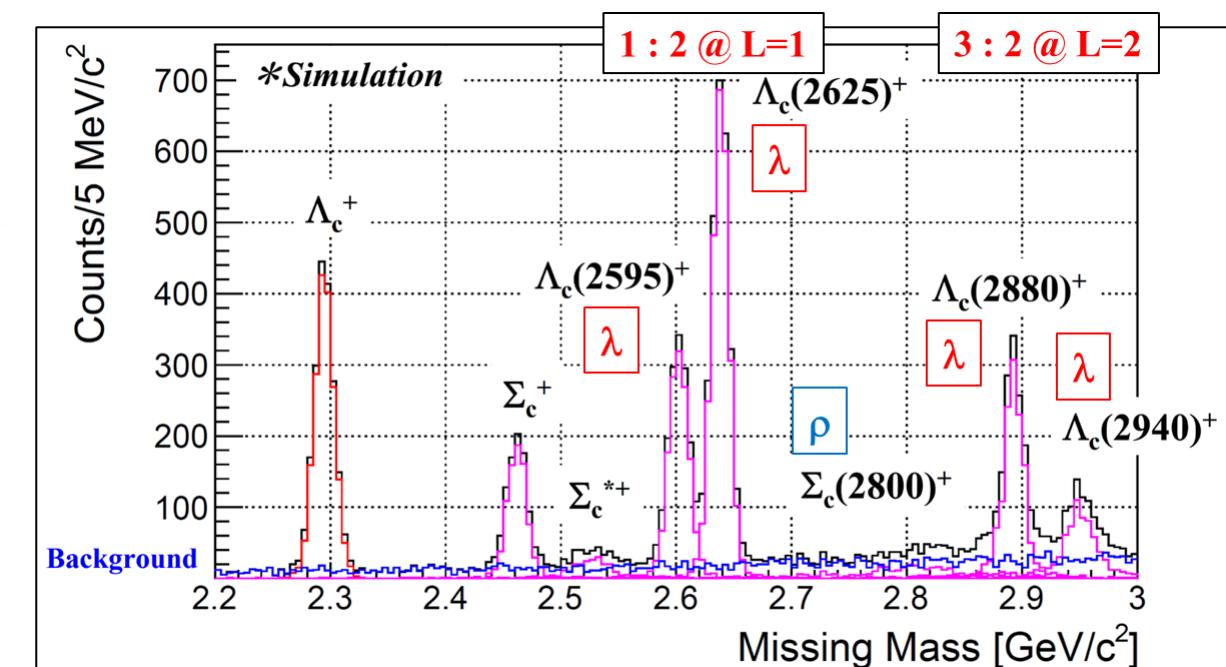
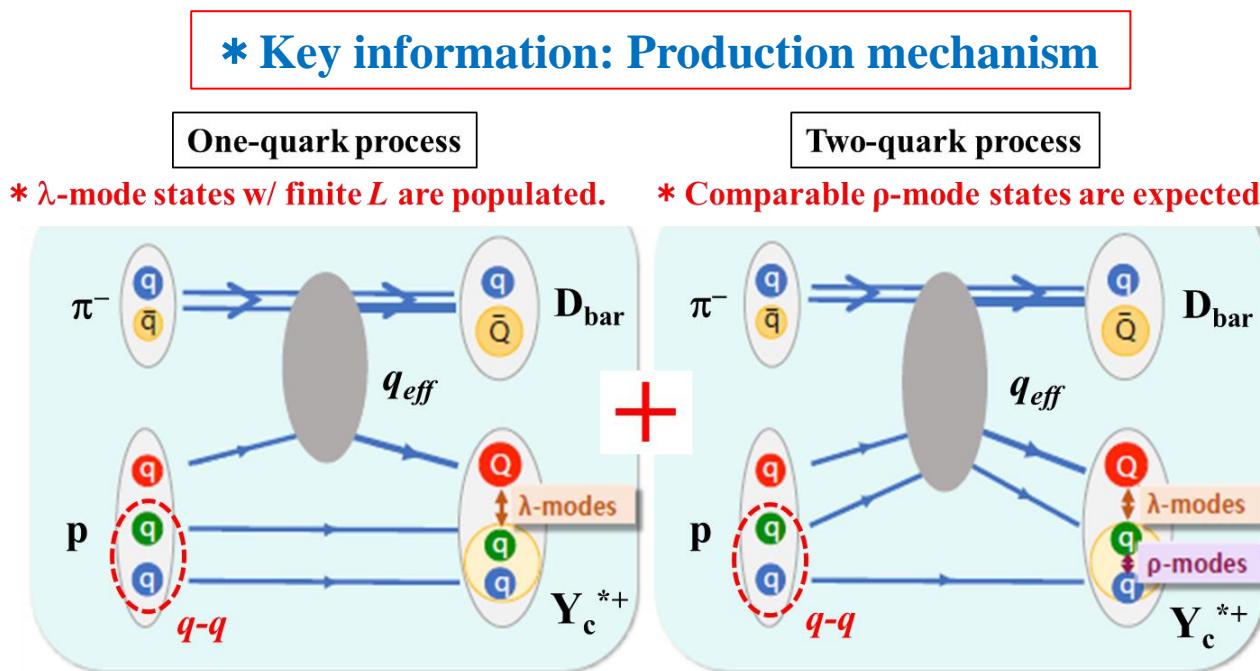
Baryon spectroscopy at J-PARC: π 20 and K10

1. **Systematic measurements:** Excited states properties of $\Lambda_c/\Sigma_c(\Lambda/\Sigma)$, Ξ , Ω
 - Mass, width, spin-parity, decay branching ratio, production rate

2. **λ/ρ mode assignment by J^P , production rates and decay branching ratios**
 - Determination of LS partner (HQ doublets) in $L=1$ and $2\dots$ states
 - Production rate of LS partner = $L : L+1$

⇒ Establish diquark correlation as building block of baryon

 - A starting point toward understanding of dense quark matter

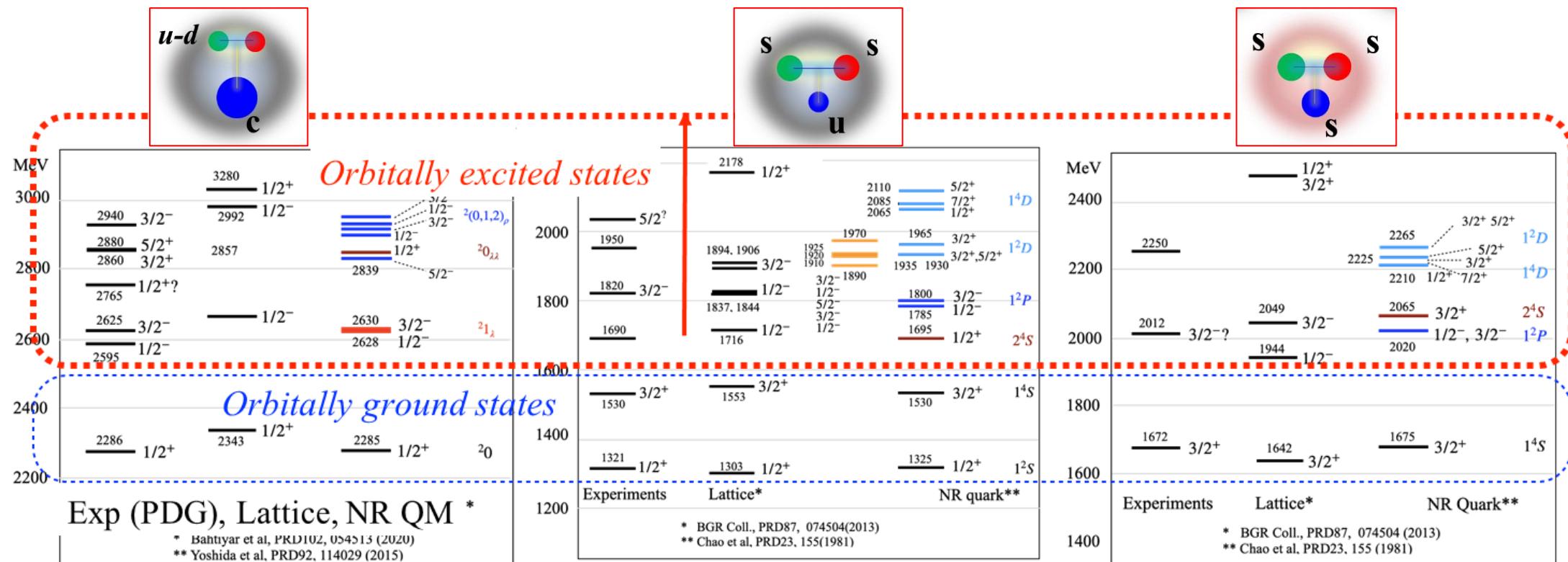


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3. Abundant data of excited states (A few MeV accuracy of mass and width)

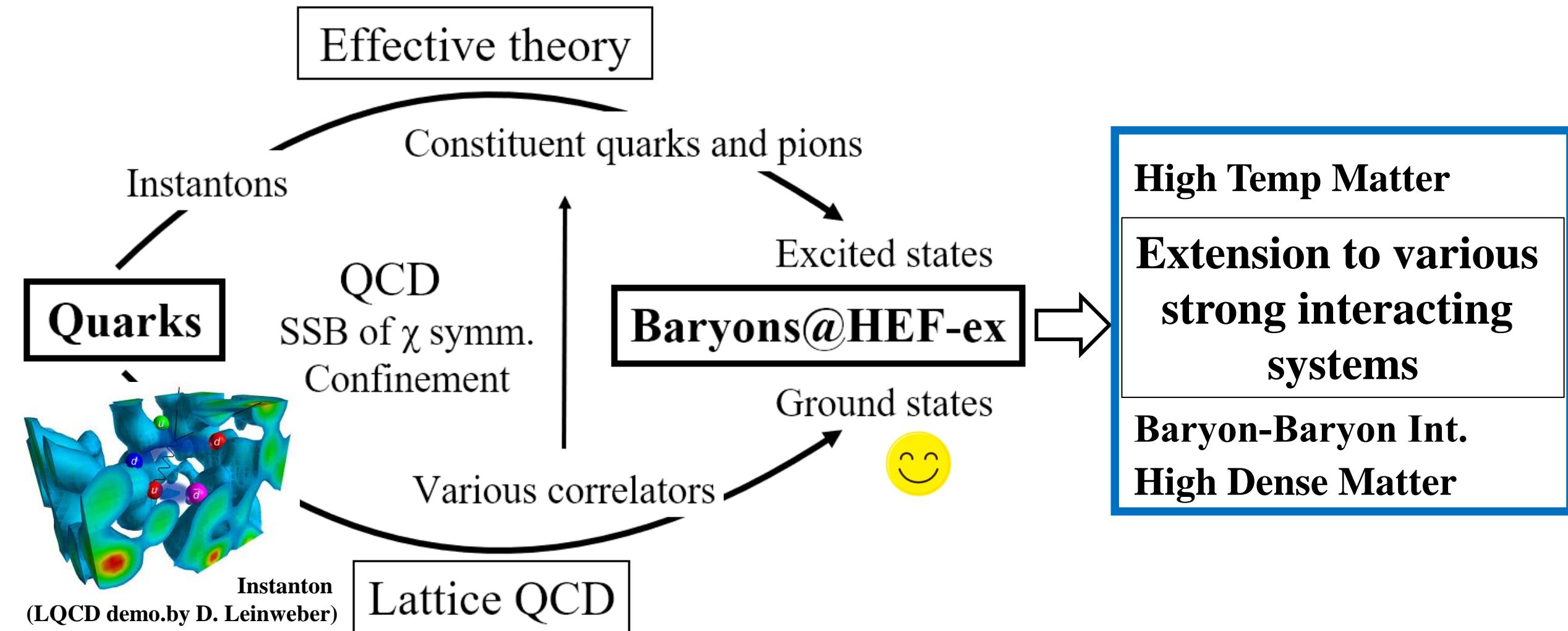
- Information of interactions: More than 10 MeV splitting
 - Systematics by changing quark configuration in $\Lambda_c/\Sigma_c, \Xi, \Omega$

⇒ Systematics description of excited state properties over different flavors by quarks and diquark correlation: Effective theory based on QCD
 ⇒ Understand dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum



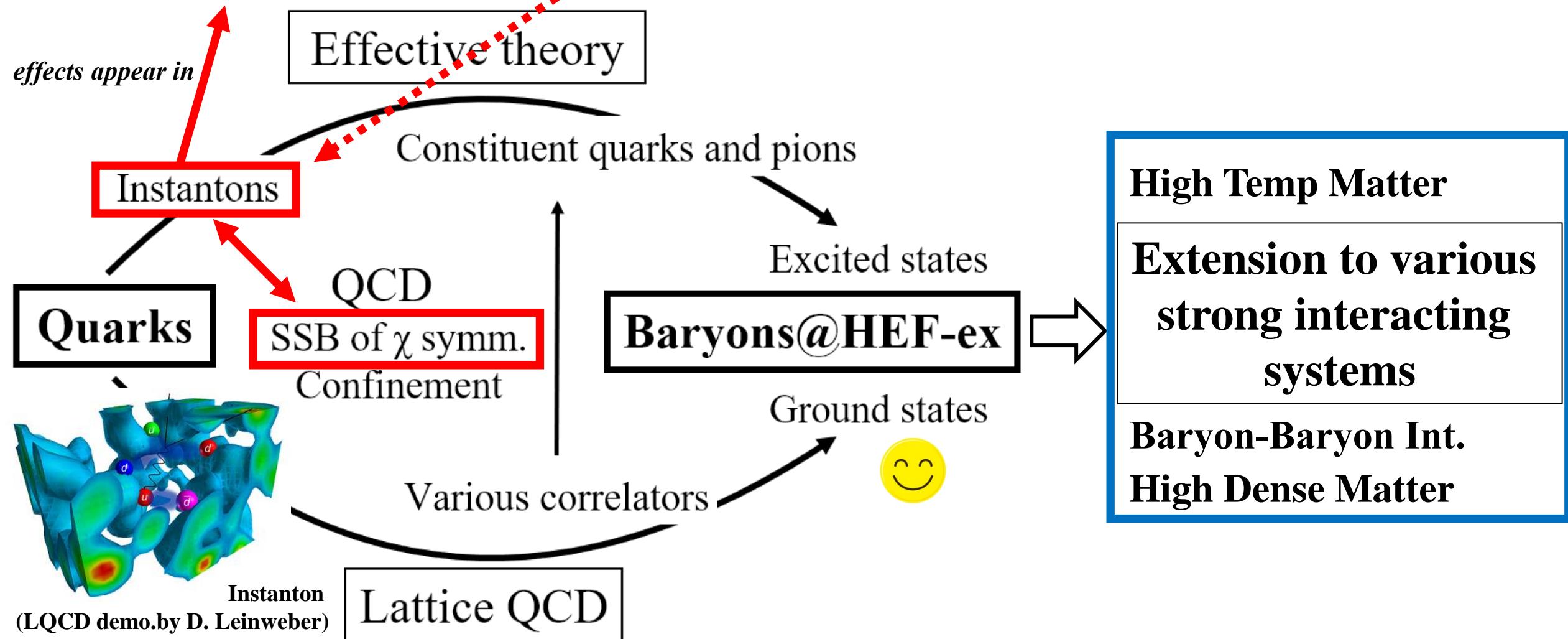
Baryon Spectroscopy

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- **Theory:** excited states by effective theories with their parameter origins in QCD, lattice and analytic methods



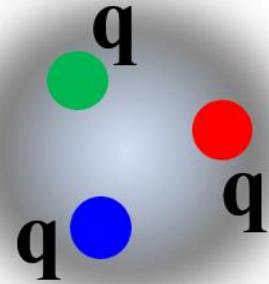
Baryon Spectroscopy: Dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum

- Diquark correlation
- Spin-dependent forces
- Quark motion
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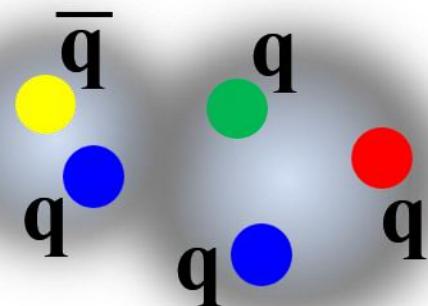


Understanding of exotic states

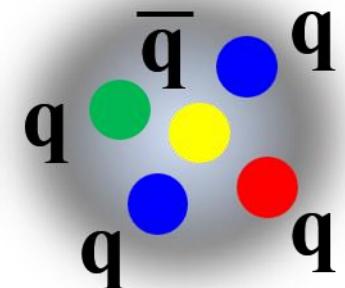
3q baryon



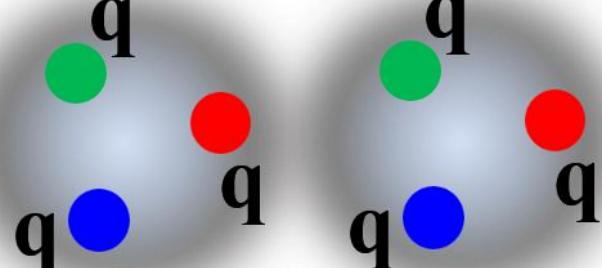
**Meson baryon
(Molecule)**



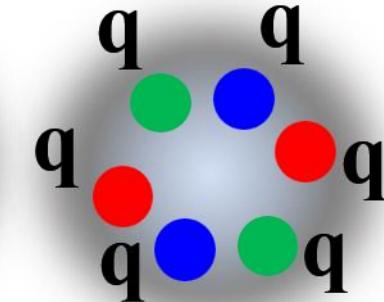
**Pentaquark
(Multi-quark)**



**Dibaryon
(Molecule)**



**Dibaryon
(Multi-quark)**



- Properties of exotic states (Mass, Γ , J^P , production)
 - Role of effective degrees of freedom (Hadron/Quark DoF)
- ⇒ Links to systematic studies of heavy baryons

* **How exotic hadrons emerge ? \Leftrightarrow Dynamics of Effective DoF**

• Molecule (Colorless = hadron DoF) ⇒ Threshold region ?

• Multi-quark (Colorful = diquark/gluon DoF) ⇒ ?

⇒ Mixed states (Both Colorless and Colorful) ⇒ Threshold region ?

Investigations of exotic states

- Exotic properties of observed states

- Mass and width

- Different mass predicted from quark model
- Narrow width

- Spectrum line shape

- Dynamically generated hadron molecule
- Resonance or cusp ?

- Spin/parity

- Essential information to reveal internal structure

- Number of quarks

- Only quark counting rule by high-energy reaction

⇒ Specific measurements by dedicated experiments

- Reaction control: Reaction modes, momentum transfer and scattering angle
- High-resolution system: Direct measurement of width and precise line shape
- Large coverage system: Decay measurement (PWA is ideal...)
- High-energy beam: Response of differential cross section (quark counting rule)

- Production and decay rates

↔ Difference from systematics ?

↔ Systematics depending on internal structure (mixed state) ?

Summary

- How quarks build hadrons ? \Rightarrow Dynamics of non-trivial QCD vacuum in baryon structure
 - *c*- and *s*-baryon spectroscopy: Disentangle diquark correlation and spin-dependent forces
- Diquark correlation: Effective degrees of freedom
 - Charmed baryon: Disentangle *ud* diquark correlation
 - Ξ baryon: Systematics of *us/ds* diquark correlation
 - Ω baryon: Suppression of diquark correlation
- Spin-dependent forces and quark motion
 - Systematic of Λ_c/Σ_c , Ξ , Ω systems
 - Role of Ω : Clear extraction due to free from pion cloud

- J-PARC facility: High-intensity & High-momentum hadrons beams
 - High-p(π 20): Charmed baryon spectroscopy via $\pi^- p \rightarrow D^{*-} Y_c^{*+}$
 - K10: Ξ & Ω baryon spectroscopy via $K^- p \rightarrow K^{*0}/K^+ \Xi^{*0/-}$ / $K^- p \rightarrow \Omega^- K^+ K^{*0}$

- \Rightarrow Systematic measurements of excited states properties
- λ/ρ mode assignment by J^P , production rates and decay branching ratios
- \Leftrightarrow Mechanism of exotic state emergence: Dynamics of Effective DoF

*** J-PARC hadron experimental facility provides a unique opportunity
for hadron spectroscopy experiment.**