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• Search for exotic states in the $\gamma \mu^+ \mu^-$ final state

• Study of the $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$ decay

• (udb) spectroscopy: excited Λ_b^0 states

• $(c\overline{b})$ spectroscopy

[not in this talk see Mastrapasquas's talk from yesterday]

• X(3872) in pp and heavy ion collisions

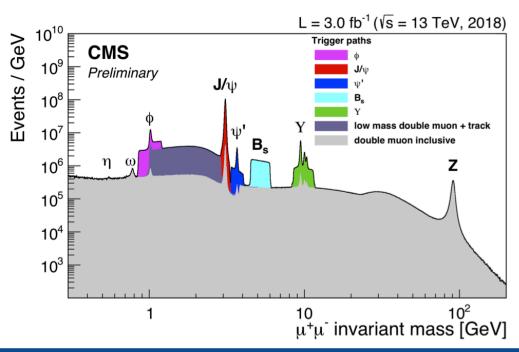
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Compact Muon Solenoid

The CMS experiment has recorded 150 fb⁻¹ at 13 TeV of data of which ~143 fb⁻¹ have been certified for physics

Tracking system

- Good p_T resolution (down to $\Delta p_T/p_T \approx 0.01$ in barrel)
- Tracking efficiency >99% for central muons
- Good vertex reconstruction & impact parameter resolution $O(\mu m)$



Data included from 2015-06-03 08:41 to 2018-10-26 08:23 UTC 180 180 LHC Delivered: 162.85 fb⁻ ____ ∰ 160 160 CMS Recorded: 150.26 fb^{-1} Luminosity 150 100 140 120 100 **Total Integrated** 80 80 60 60 40 40 20 20 Jul Oct lan Apr Jul Oct lan Apr Jul Oct lan Apr Jul Oct la Date

CMS Integrated Luminosity, pp, $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV

Muon system

- Muon candidates reconstructed by matching muon segments and a silicon track in a large rapidity coverage ($|\eta|$ <2.4)
- Good dimuon mass resolution ($|\eta|$ dependent):

 $\Delta M/M \sim 0.6 \div 1.5\% \rightarrow \Delta M(J/\psi) \approx (20 \div 70) MeV$

• Excellent muon-ID: $\varepsilon(\mu \mid \pi, K, p) \le (0.1 \div 0.2)\%$

Search for exotic states decaying into $\Upsilon\mu^+\mu^-$

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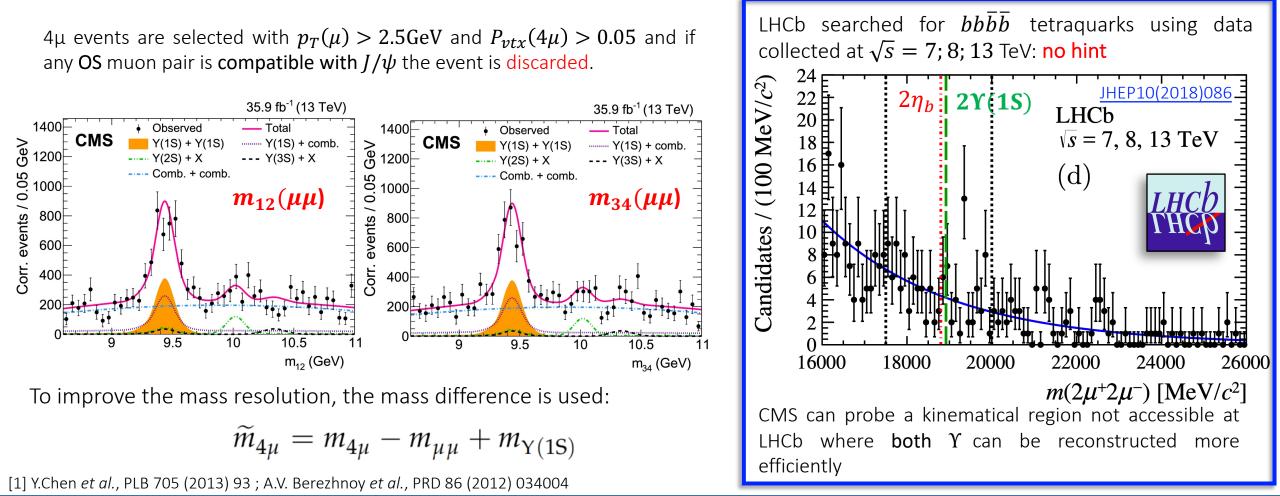
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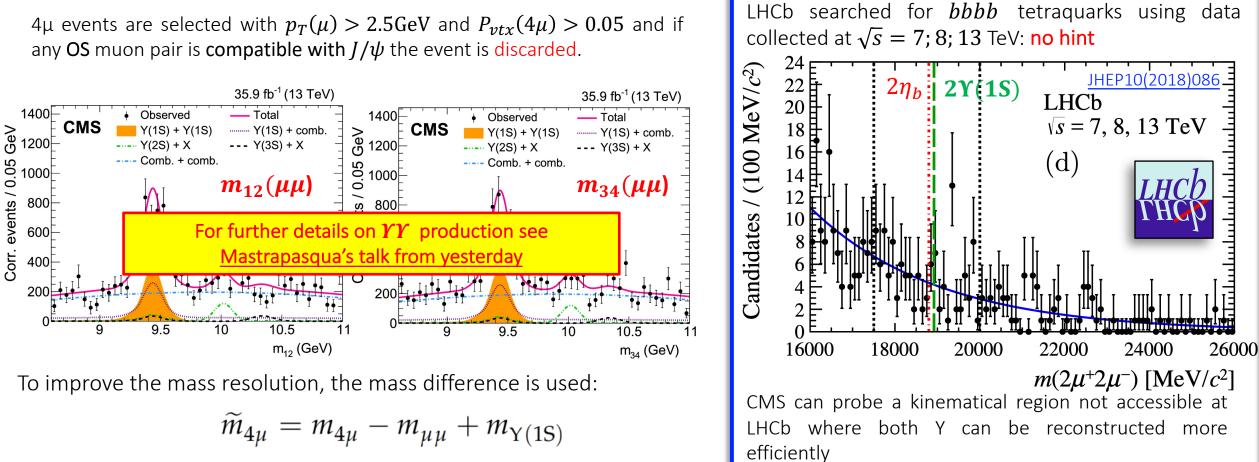


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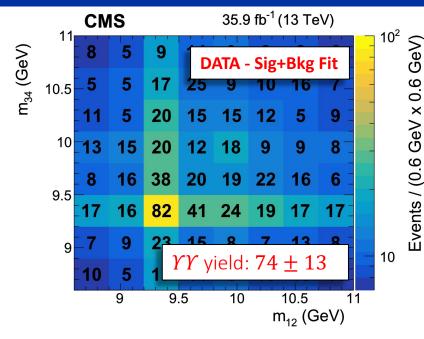


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[1] Y.Chen et al., PLB 705 (2013) 93 ; A.V. Berezhnoy et al., PRD 86 (2012) 034004

Background Sources for $\Upsilon(1S)\mu\mu$



 $\gamma\gamma$ Background

The **shape** is estimated from simulations averaging SPS and DPS contributions using

$$f_{DPS} = 0.39 \pm 0.14$$

estimated in the cross section measurement. The **yield** is extracted from data asking for the mass of a dimuon pair:

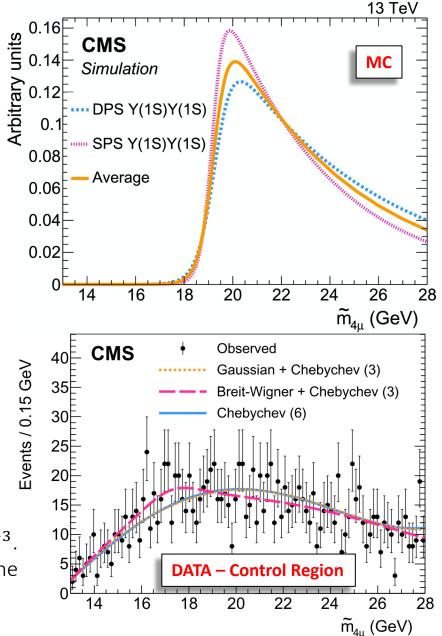
$$\left|m_{12/34} - \Upsilon(1S)\right| < 2\sigma$$

Combinatorial Background

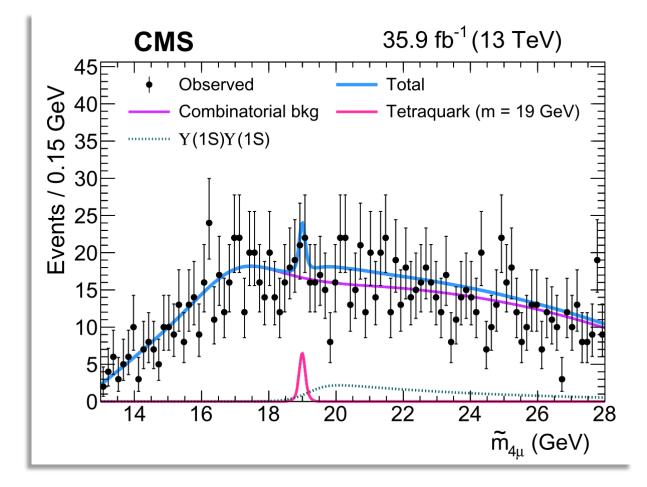
Obtained fitting data in the signal region with three possible functions

- Gaussian + 3rd Chebychev
- Breit-Wigner + 3rd Chebychev
- 6th Chebychev

which behaviour and χ^2_{fit} is checked in a control region where $10^{-10} < \chi^2_{4vtx} < 10^{-3}$. In the signal region the **parameters** and the **choice of the functional form** of the combinatoria background are **freely floating**.



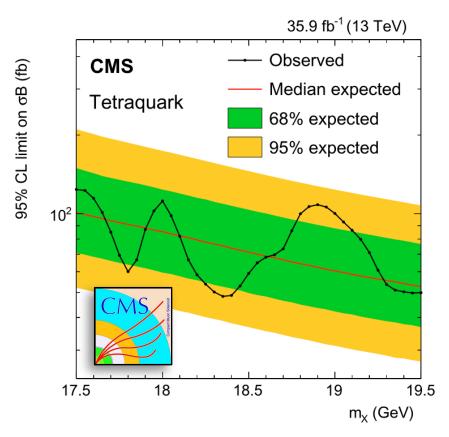
Observed distribution does not show any unexpected peak



N.B. using the number of $\Upsilon(1S)\Upsilon(1S)$ events observed in data as a reference, a resonance with a mass at ~19GeV and having a similar production **cross-section**, $\mathcal{B}(\rightarrow 4\mu)$ and kinematic distributions as the $\Upsilon(1S)\Upsilon(1S)$ production, would produce ~100 candidates.

The existence of an heavy bottom tetraquark is checked in a mass window between 17.5÷19.5 GeV (namely around 4 times the mass of the bottom quark). A mass-dependent **upper limit** is set on

 $\sigma_{pp \to X} \times \mathcal{B}(X \to \Upsilon(1S)\mu\mu \to 4\mu)$

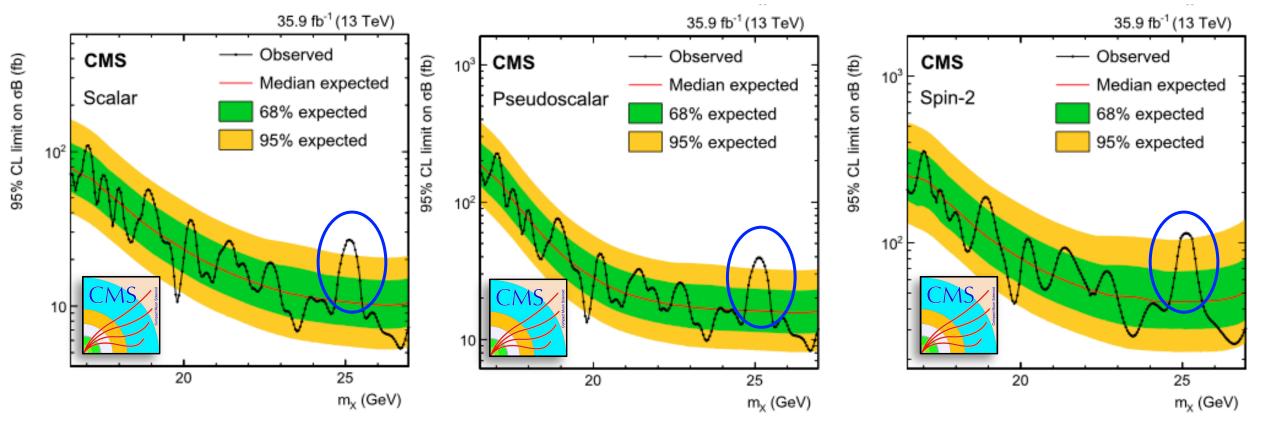


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Generic Searches

A generic search for narrow resonances (scalar, pseudoscalar, tensor produced in gluon fusion) decaying to $\Upsilon(1S)\mu\mu$ is performed in an extended mass window [16.5 ÷ 27.0 GeV] and is probed using the JHUGEN models.

Upper limits range between 5 \div 380 pb depending on the mass and signal model chosen. The largest excess is observed around 25.1 GeV with a local statistical significance of 2.4 σ



These searches should be performed again with full Run-II data

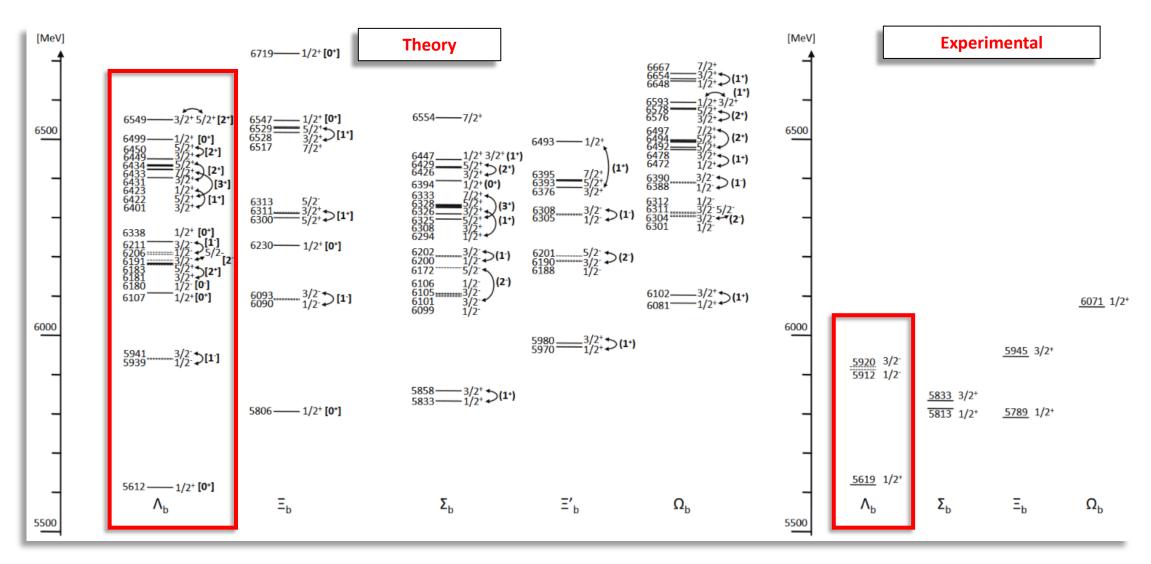
(udb) spectroscopy : excited Λ_b^0 states

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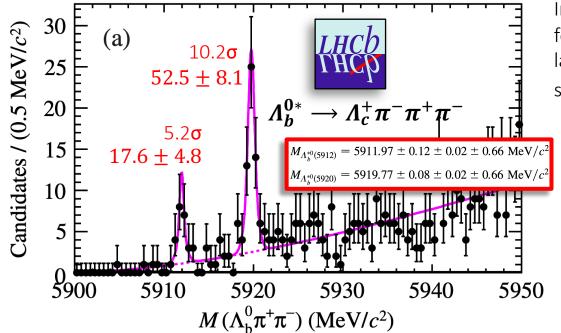


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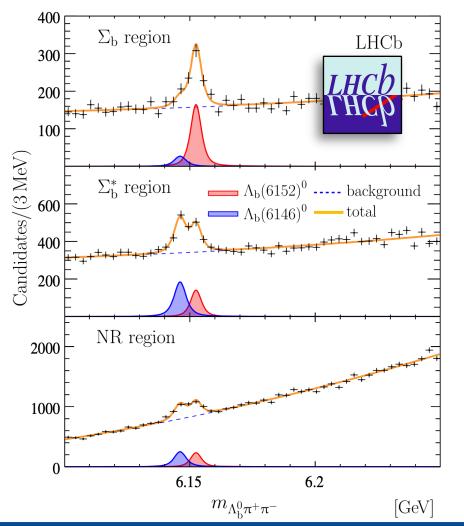
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$\Lambda_b (6146)^0$ and $\Lambda_b (6152)^0$

using both channels $\Lambda_b^0 \to \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$ and $\Lambda_b^0 \to J/\psi p K^-$ with about $1.1M \Lambda_b^0$ in total

In CMS we cannot use these most copious channels since no dedicated trigger (for $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$) is possible: the backgrounds are too large due to the lack of hadronic PID

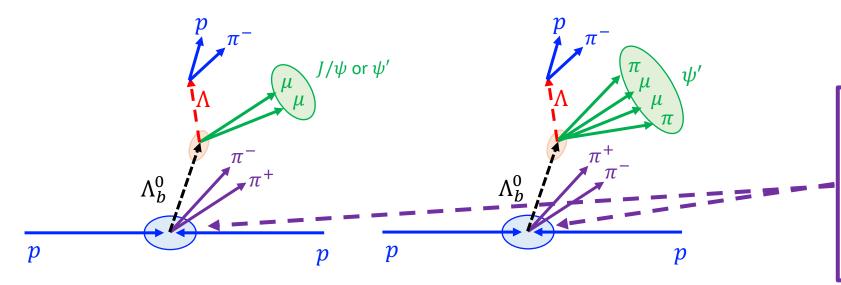
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Λ_b^0 reconstruction at CMS

On the other hand we can easily use $\Lambda_b^0 \to J/\psi \Lambda$ and $\Lambda_b^0 \to \psi(2S)\Lambda$ with $\psi(2S)$ decaying both in dimuon ($\to \mu\mu$) channel and hadronic ($\to J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$) using a combination of various $J/\psi + X$ and $\psi(2S) + X$ triggers



Two additional OS prompt tracks (with pion mass hypothesis) are selected from the tracks forming the PV, chosen as the one with the smallest 3D pointing angle of the Λ_b^0 candidate.

Combinations with SS prompt pions are used as a control channel

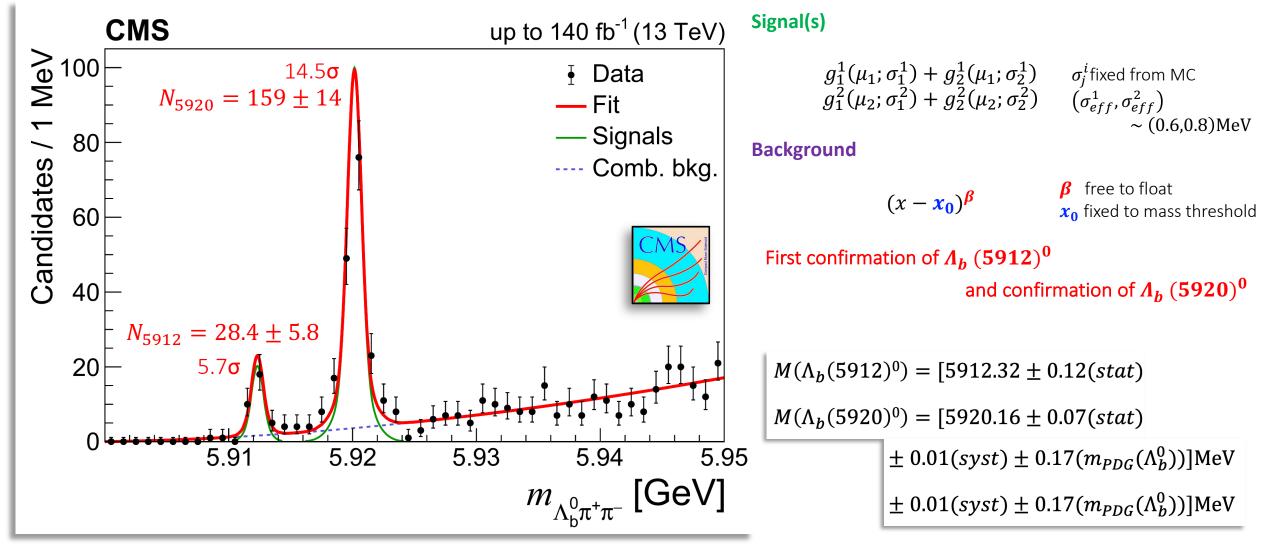
The analysis in has used full RunII pp collision data and has been optimized differently

- at low masses, near threshold where backgrounds level is low
- at high masses where background is large

Near Threshold Low Mass Region

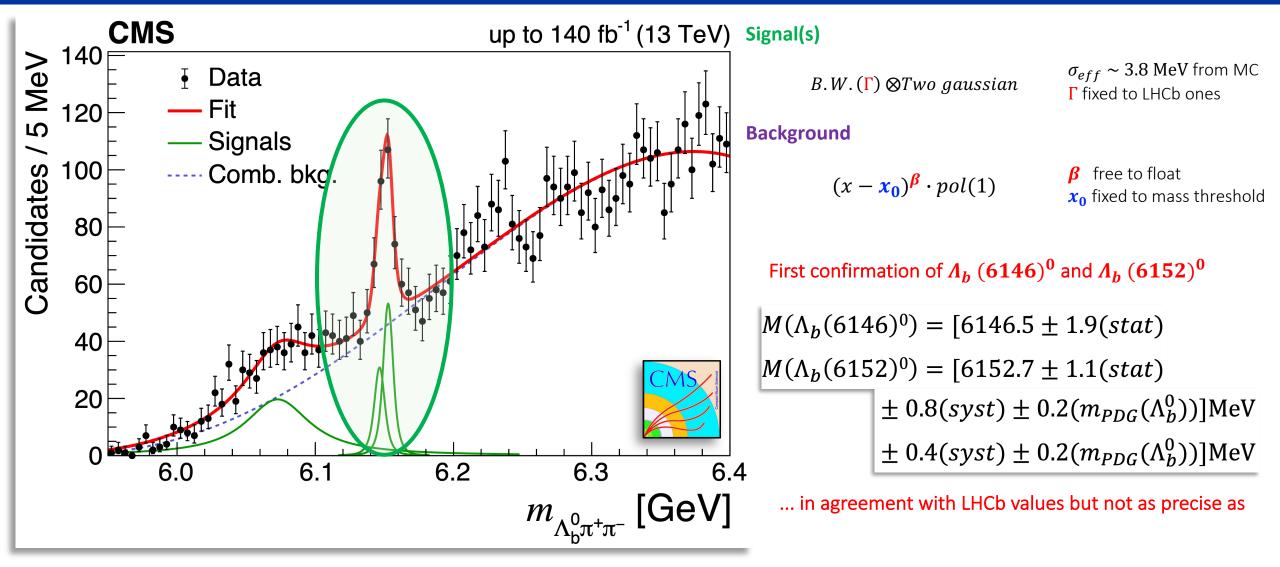
The mass difference variable is used to cancel the resolution in Λ_b^0 mass

$$m_{\Lambda_{b}^{0}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}} = M(\Lambda_{b}^{0}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}) - M(\Lambda_{b}^{0}) + M^{PDG}(\Lambda_{b}^{0})$$



Consistent with those by LHCb/PDG and with similar precision

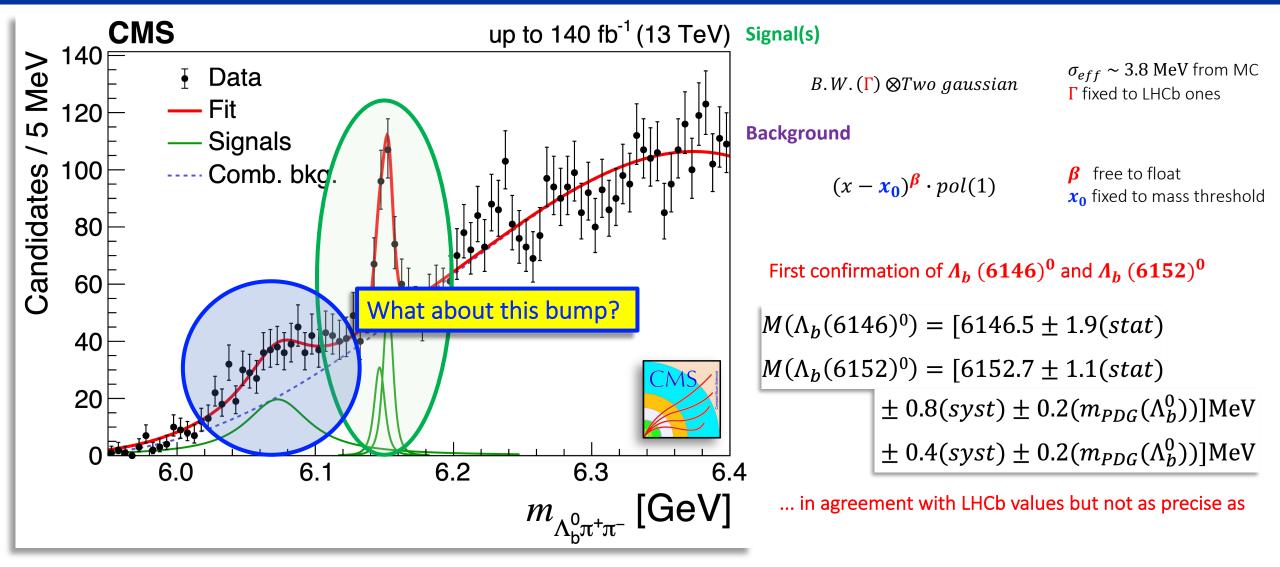
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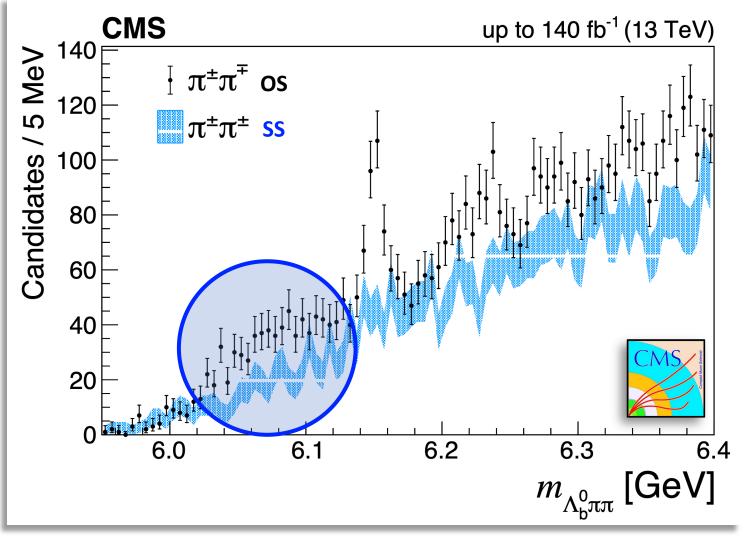
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Same Sign $\pi^{\pm}\pi^{\pm}$ Distributions



The *bump* in the $\Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}$ invariant mass spectrum is **not present in the same sign spectrum** $\Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\pm}$

Assuming a single broad resonance X_b and using the same signal fit model as before:

 $M(X_b) = [6073 \pm 5(stat)]MeV$ $\Gamma(X_b) = [55 \pm 11(stat)]MeV$

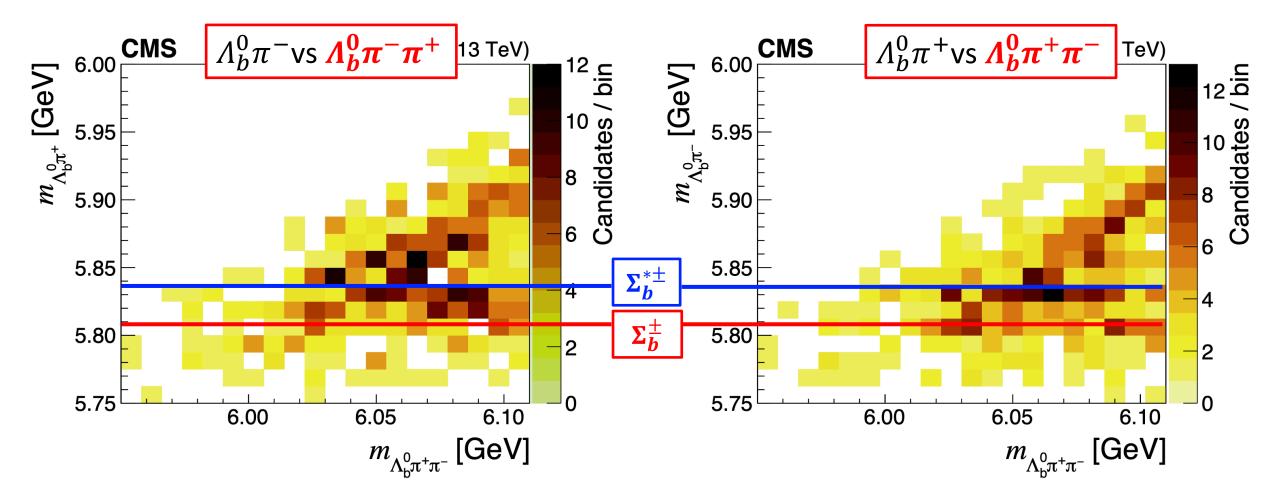
with 4 or statistical significance

Various **reflections** have been thoroughly studied and **excluded** as the origin/nature of the bump. However it may be created by **partially reconstructed decays** of higher-mass states

The amount of data is too low to try a proper interpretation of the broad structure as it could not necessarily be a single state but - instead - a superposition or several nearby broad states.



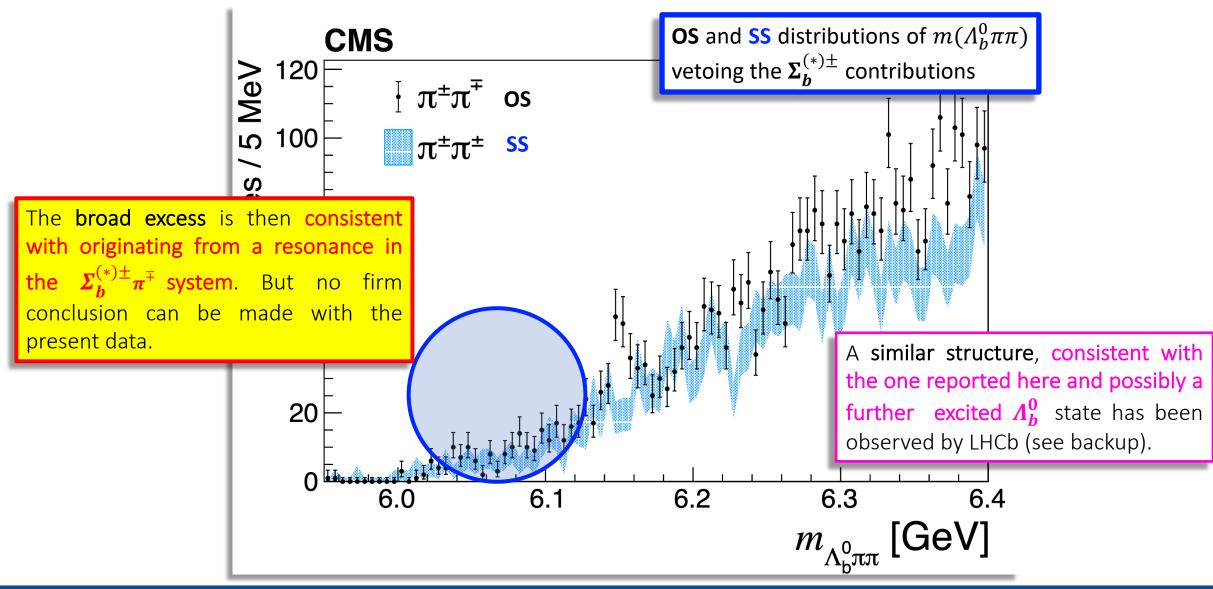
Inspecting the scatter plots $\Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} vs \Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}$ in the region of interest $(m_{\Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}} < 6.11 \text{ GeV})$



Horizontal bands corresponding to the $\Sigma_b^{(*)\pm} \to \Lambda_b^0 \pi^\pm$ are visible and if we veto them ...

 $\Sigma_{b}^{(*)\pm}$ Veto

... we see that the «bump» disappear



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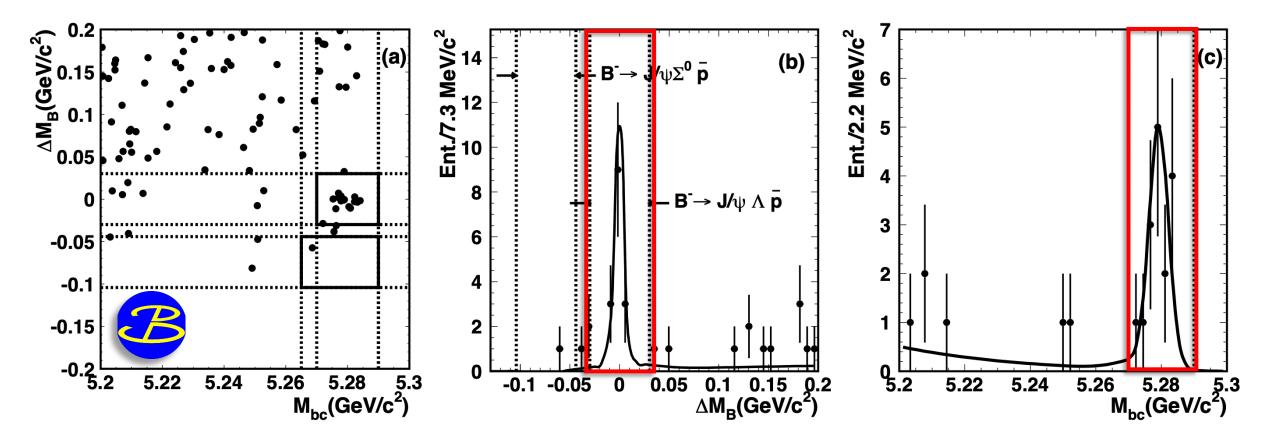
Study of the $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \ \bar{\Lambda} p$ decay

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$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \ \bar{\Lambda} p \ \text{decay}$

The $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$ had been previously studied by Belle with 17 signal events in <u>PhysRevD.72.051105</u>



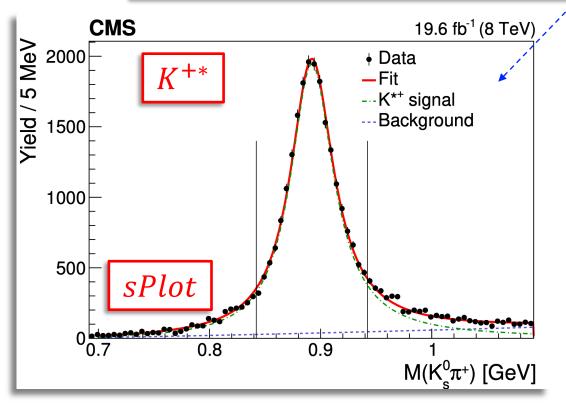
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$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$ decay



In <u>JHEP12(2019)100</u> CMS studied $B^+ \to J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$ using 8 TeV **pp** collision data $(20fb^{-1})$ measuring its production properties and investigating the $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$, $J/\psi p$ and $p\bar{\Lambda}$ systems to search **for possible exotic hadron contributions** (such as pentaquarks similar to $P_c^+ \to J/\psi p$ in $\Lambda_b^0 \to J/\psi pB^-$). For the \mathcal{B} measurement the channel $B^+ \to J/\psi K^{+*}$ with $K^{+*} \to K_s^0 \pi^+$ and $K_s^0 \to \pi^+ \pi^-$ acts as normalization channel (similar decay topology)

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi\overline{\Lambda}p)}{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})} = \frac{N(B^+ \to J/\psi\overline{\Lambda}p)\mathcal{B}(K^{*+} \to K^0_S\pi^+)\mathcal{B}(K^0_S \to \pi^+\pi^-)\epsilon(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})}{N(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})\mathcal{B}(\overline{\Lambda} \to \overline{p}\pi^+)\epsilon(B^+ \to J/\psi\overline{\Lambda}p)}$$

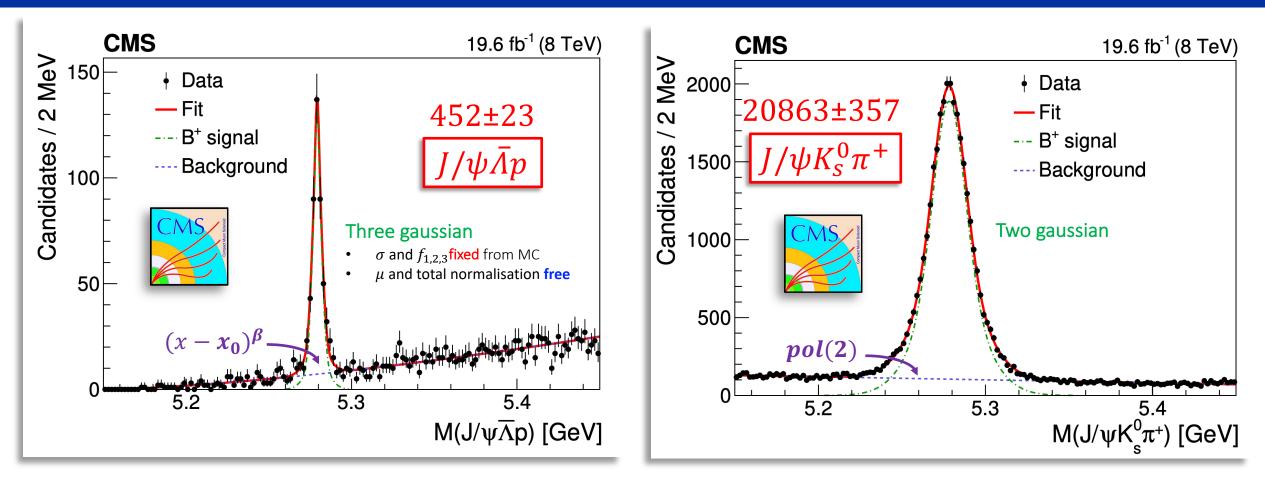


Event Selection

- $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$ displaced candidate selected at trigger level ($p_T(\mu) > 4 \text{GeV} \& p_T(\mu\mu) > 6.9 \text{GeV}$)
- $\bar{\Lambda} \rightarrow \bar{p}\pi^+$ displaced with $p_T(\bar{\Lambda}) > 1$ GeV
- B^+ candidate: $\mu\mu\bar{\Lambda}p$ vtx-fitting with $M(\mu\mu)$ constrained to J/ψ mass and $p(\bar{\Lambda})$ pointing to B^+ vertex
- B^+ vertex: $L_{xy}/\sigma_{xy} > 3$, $\cos(\alpha_{B^+}) > 0.99$ and $P_{vtx} > 0.01$

Analogous selection for the normalization channel $(J/\psi K^{+*})$

${\mathcal B}$ calculation



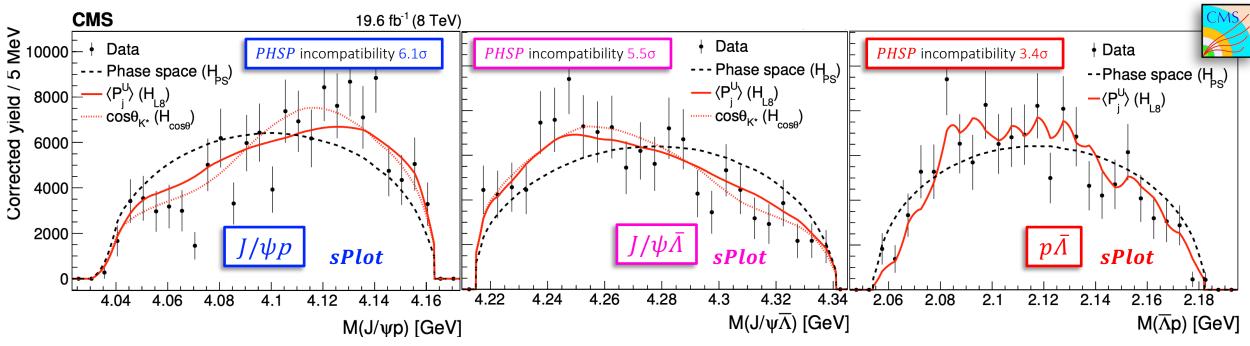
Using the world-average values for $\mathcal{B}(K^{+*} \to K_s^0 \pi^+)$, $\mathcal{B}(K_s^0 \to \pi^+ \pi^-)$, $\mathcal{B}(\bar{\Lambda} \to \bar{p}\pi^+)$, $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{+*})$ we can calculate both

 $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi\overline{\Lambda}p)/\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+}) = (1.054 \pm 0.057 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.035 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.011 (\mathcal{B}))\%$ $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi\overline{\Lambda}p) = (15.1 \pm 0.8 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.5 \text{ (syst)} \pm 0.9 (\mathcal{B})) \times 10^{-6}$

This measurement is the most precise to date

Intermediate invariant masses

Studing the two-body intermediate invariant masses $J/\psi\bar{\Lambda}$, $J/\psi p$ and $p\bar{\Lambda}$ we can compare it with the <u>pure phase space</u> decay hypothesis: none of the three mass spectra **can be adequately described** by **a pure three-body** nonresonant phase-space. Background subtraction is performed using the *sPlot* technique, with the invariant mass $m(J/\psi\bar{\Lambda}p)$ as the discriminating variable.



There are at least three known $K_{2,3,4}^*$ that can decay to $p\overline{A}$ and interfere with the pure PHSP

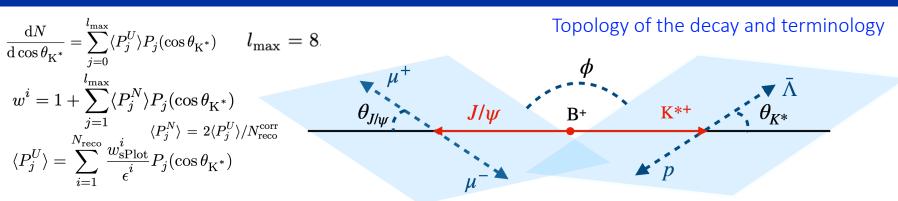
Resonance	Mass (MeV)	Natural width (MeV)	$\mathbf{J}^{\mathbf{P}}$
$K_4^*(2045)^+$	2045 ± 9	198 ± 30	4^+
$K_2^*(2250)^+$	2247 ± 17	180 ± 30	2^{-}
$K_3^*(2320)^+$	2324 ± 24	150 ± 30	3^+

To account for possible contributions from these resonances, we use a model-independent approach developed by BaBar in a search for the **Z(4430)** in $J/\psi\pi^+ \& \psi(2S)\pi^+$ [Phys.Rev.D79:112001] and was later used by LHCb in a similar search for the **Z(4430)** [in $\psi(2S)\pi^+$ [Phys.Rev.D.92:112009]

MC Reweigthing: a Model-independent Approach

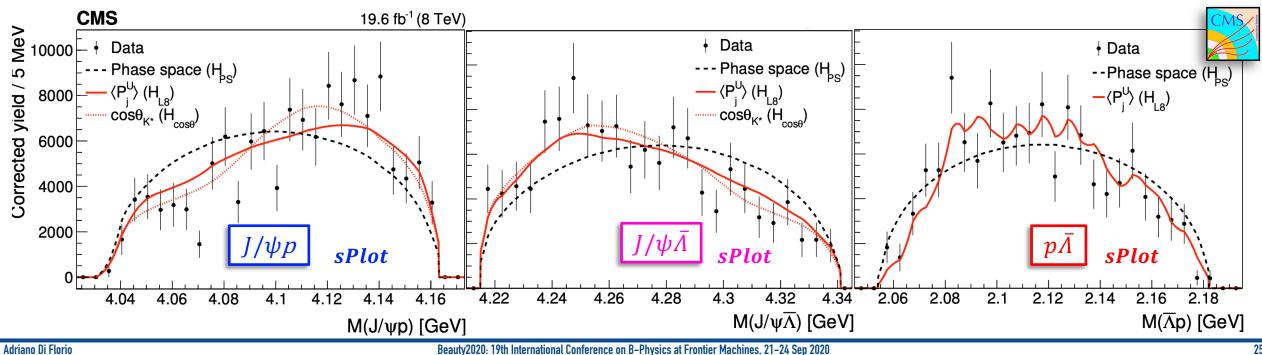
In bins of $M(p\bar{A})$ the angular distribution may be expanded in term of Legendre polynomials

A **reweighting** of the simulated signal sample is performed (H_{L8}) using the weights \rightarrow



In addition to this the pure phase space simulation may be reweighted to reproduce the $cos(\theta_{K^*})$ distribution in data (see backup) ($H_{cos \theta}$)

Accounting for $K_{2,3,4}^*$ resonances with spin up to 4 the incompatibility between efficiency-corrected data and reweighted MC drops down (at most) to 2.8o: no need for extra exotic states to describe the observed data.



- No significant excess of events compatible with a narrow resonance has been observed in the window between 16.5 and 27 GeV within the $\gamma \mu^+ \mu^-$ mass spectrum. To be performed with full Run-II data.
- The four excited Λ_b^0 states observed by LHCb have been confirmed by investigating the $\Lambda_b^0 \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}$ final state. A broad structure was also found but its origin cannot be discerned with the present data; a similar structure, consistent with the one reported here and possibly a further excited Λ_b^0 state has been observed by LHCb (see backup).

• The $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p$ decay was studied. The intermediate $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$, $J/\psi p$ and $p\bar{\Lambda}$ systems have been investigated and the data are consistent with no exotic resonance decating to $J/\psi \bar{\Lambda}$ or $J/\psi p$

• ... and stay tuned for next talk from Daniele Fasanella about X(3872) in pp and heavy ion collisions!

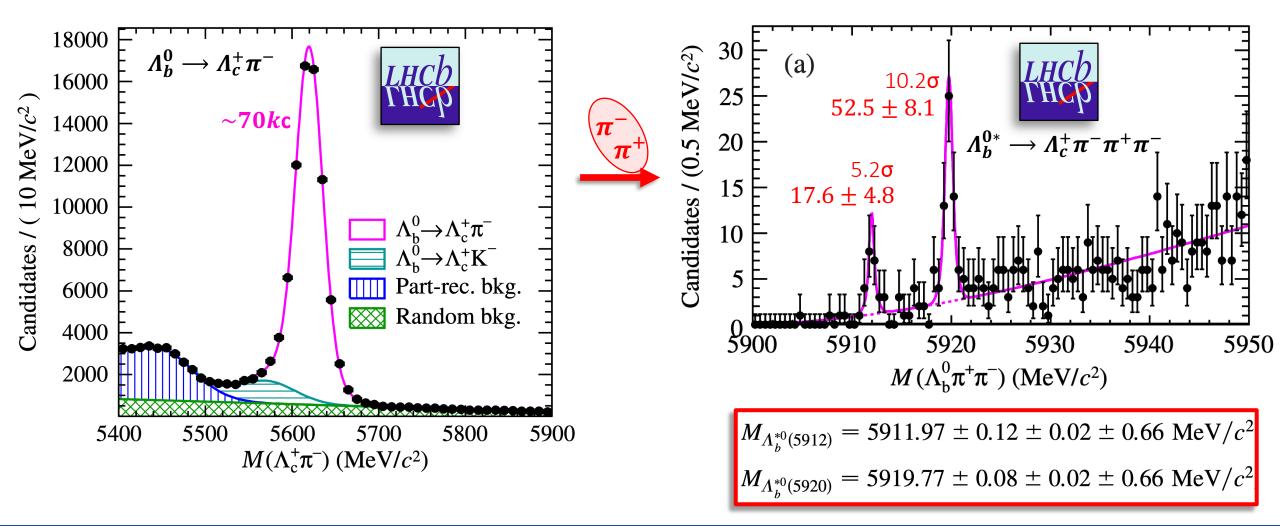


Source	$M(\Lambda_{\rm b}(5912)^0)$	$M(\Lambda_{\rm b}(5920)^0)$	$M(\Lambda_{\rm b}(6146)^0)$	$M(\Lambda_{\rm b}(6152)^0)$
Signal model	0.005	0.011	0.21	0.23
Background model	0.004	0	0.16	0.14
Inclusion of the wide bump region	—	—	0.35	0.14
Fit range	0	0	0.40	0.02
Mass resolution	0.007	0.001	0.01	0.09
Knowledge of Γ	—	—	0.43	0.26
Total	0.009	0.011	0.77	0.41

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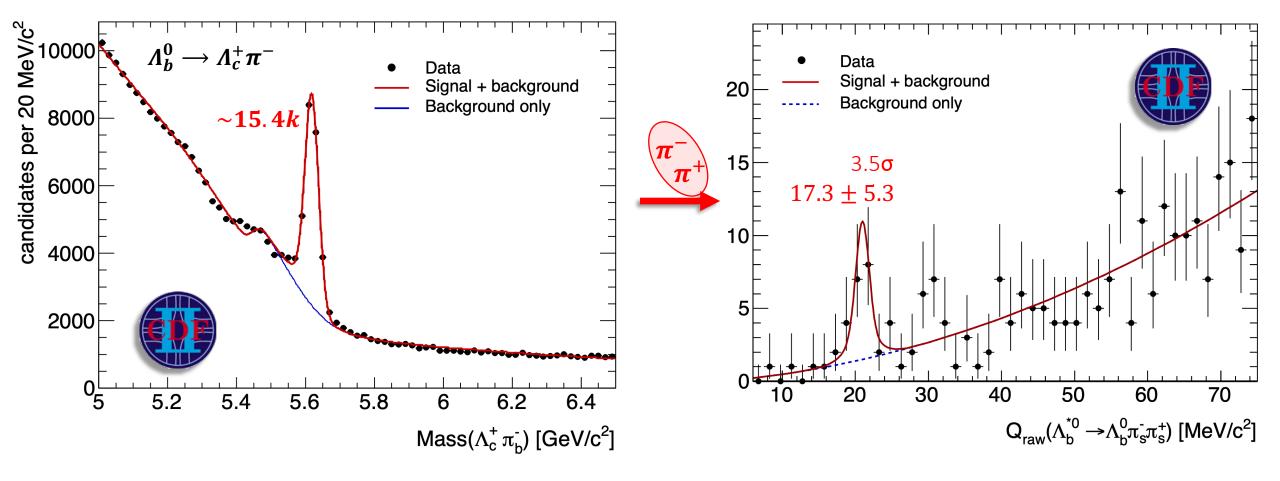
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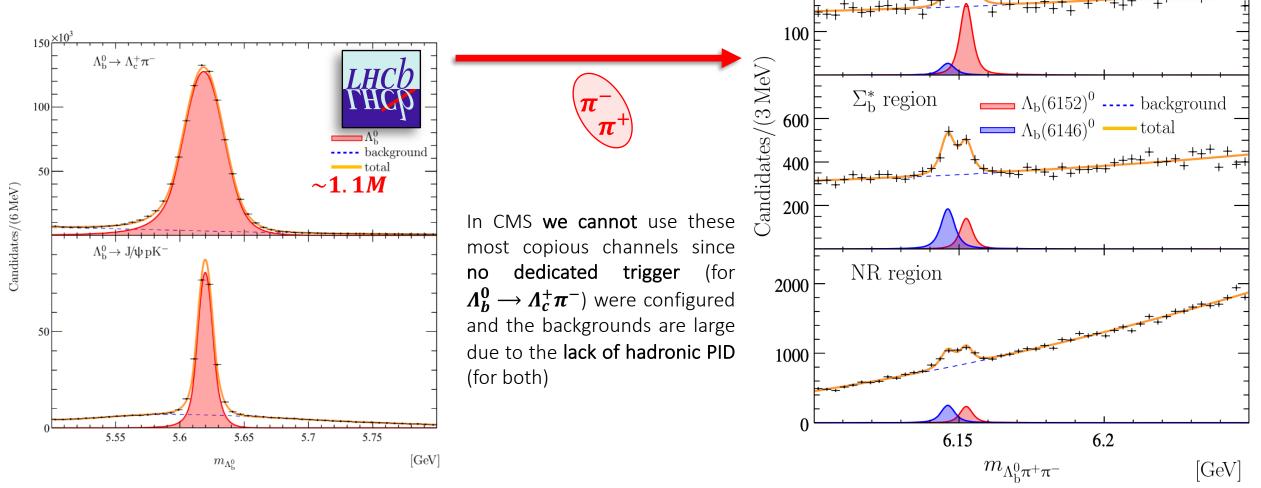


LHCb 2019: Two More States

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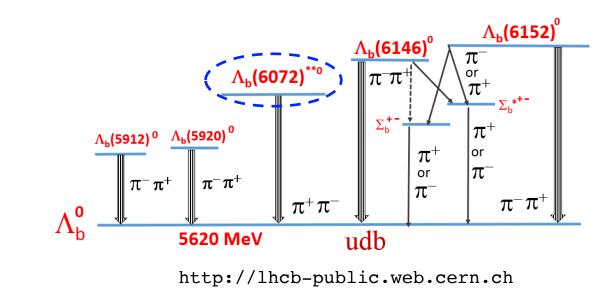
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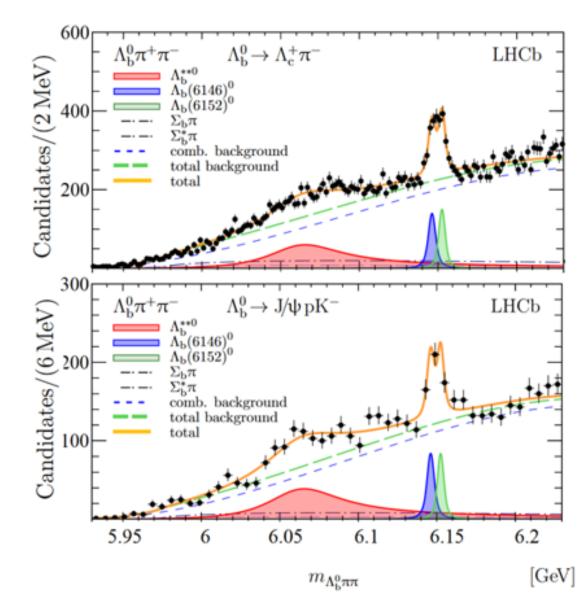
 $\Sigma_{\rm b}$ region



Later confirmed the wide structure in the $arLambda_b^0 \pi^\pm \pi^\mp$ spectrum and ...

... possibly interpreted it as a further excited Λ_b^0 with mass and width compatible with expectations for the $\Lambda_b^0(2S)$ state





Systematics & efficiencies for $\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi \bar{\Lambda} p)/\mathcal{B} \ (B^+ \to J/\psi K^{+*})$

$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi \overline{\Lambda} p)$	$- \frac{N(B^+ \to J/\psi \overline{\Lambda} p) \mathcal{B}(K^{*+} \to K^0_S \pi^+) \mathcal{B}(K^0_S \to \pi^+ \pi^-) \epsilon(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})}{N(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})}$
$\overline{\mathcal{B}(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})}$	$ = \frac{1}{N(B^+ \to J/\psi K^{*+})\mathcal{B}(\overline{\Lambda} \to \overline{p}\pi^+)\epsilon(B^+ \to J/\psi \overline{\Lambda}p) } $

Source	Relative uncertainty (%)
Discrepancy between data and simulation	2.2
Background model in the $M(J/\psi \overline{\Lambda} \mathbf{p})$ distribution	1.1
Background model in the $M(J/\psi K_S^0 \pi^+)$ distribution	0.1
Background model in the $M(\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\pi^{+})$ distribution	1.2
Signal model in the $M(J/\psi \overline{\Lambda} \mathbf{p})$ distribution	0.9
Signal model in the $M(J/\psi K_S^0 \pi^+)$ distribution	0.6
Simulated sample event count	1.7
Total systematic uncertainty	3.3

$$\epsilon(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*+})/\epsilon(B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \overline{\Lambda} p) = 1.347 \pm 0.023$$

First Eight Legendre Moments on $M(\Lambda p)$

