# $J/\psi$ and XYZP photo production

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- Quarkonium near threshold possibly relevant for extracting novel nucleon properties (mass radius, gravitational form factors, etc.)
- Signal channel also contains hidden-charm pentaquark candidates seen at LHCb.
- Abundance of new data coming from Jefferson Lab on energy and angular dependence of x-section.
- New window onto the nature of the XYZ states.





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- Focus on light exotic hybrids
  - predicting their properties from lattice QCD
  - extracting meson
     resonances from experimental
     data

interpreting both the experiment and theoretical results

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- Established in 2013 to develop theory and phenomenology in support of experimental program at JLab12.
- JPAC served as a liaison between many theoretical and experimental analysis efforts BaBar,BESIII,COMPASS,EIC, LHCb,JLab
- Over 40 researchers have been associated with JPAC.



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# Exp and Theory

• Over the past 50 years data has improved dramatically

 It allows model independent analysis

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### **Model independent analysis**

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# **Amplitude analysis**

1. Amplitudes are analytical functions of  $s_1, \dots t_1, \dots$ 



2. Partial wave amplitudes are analytical functions angular momentum  $f_l(s) = f(l, s)$ 

3. Physical sheet singularities are given by unitarity

4. Unphysical sheet singularities need to be parametrized in order to test microscopic models



#### Holy Grail: Al as a tool for physics discovery



### Importance of high quality data : split a2

 $\pi^- + p \rightarrow X^- + p$ 

## The puzzle of the A2 meson

The A2 may be two distinct but similar particles or a single object of an entirely new type. Either way, it has experimentalists arguing and theorists confused.



Proton-antiproton annihilation shows evidence for a split A2. The dip at the A2 (mass)<sup>2</sup>, shown by the colored arrow, in the K<sub>1</sub>°K<sup>+</sup> effective mass spectrum indicates that the A2 splitting is independent of the production reaction. The data were taken by a CERN-College de France-Liverpool bubble-chamber group. Figure 5



 $a_2(1320)$ 



#### split Pc



 $P_c(4450) \rightarrow P_c(4440) + P_c(4457)$ 



### XYZP's : real or not ?

Many XYZ's are unconfirmed but some appear more "real" then other

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m di-}J/\psi}$  [MeV/ $c^2$ ] resonance  $(cc\bar{c}\bar{c})$ ? [LHCb, Sci.Bull. 65 (2020) 23, 1983-1993] **∂**300 135 fb<sup>-1</sup> (13 TeV) Events / 0.075 GeV CMS Preliminary 50 ATLAS Preliminary Data ATLAS Preliminary Data Candidates / 25 MeV \_\_\_\_\_ 250 ⊢ √s = 13 TeV, 139 fb<sup>-1</sup> 180 Sig.+Bkg.  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}, 139 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ Data — Fit 0 200 di-J/ψ Sig.+Bkg. 160 40<sup>[-J/ψ+ψ(2S)</sup> Background BW1 .... BW2[X(6900)] Background 140 Events 100 Sig. w/o Int. Signal 120 E BW3 - Background Sig. Int. 100 E 30 80 F 50 60 40 F 20 0 20 -50 10 **-100 -150**<sup>⊢</sup>  $m_{J/\psi J/\psi}$  [GeV] 0 6.5 8.5 7.5 8 9 7 7.5 8 8.5 9 m<sub>4u</sub><sup>con</sup> [GeV]  $m_{4u}^{con}$  [GeV] [CMS-PAS-BPH-21-003]

•  $T_{\psi\psi}$  or X(6900) a  $\psi$ 

[ATLAS-CONF-2022-040]

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220

200

180

160

120

20

LHCb

7000

8000

Weighted Candidates / (28 MeV/ $c^2$ )

9000

#### **XYZP's : real or not ?** *X*(3872) (*x*<sub>c1</sub>(3872))



#### REMARK ON ENERGY PEAKS IN MESON SYSTEMS

If the width

of particle X is not very large we will stay close to the physical region. This almost singular behavior of A(s) for certain physical s causes the peaking effect to which we refer as an (X, Y, Z)peak.



Very close to  $D\bar{D}^*$  threshold Is X(3872) a molecule ?  $M_{X(3872)} - M_{D^0} - M_{\bar{D}^{*0}}$ 

 $= -0.01 \pm 0.14 MeV$ 



Even Virtual OPE exchange is tricky

$$-\frac{\vec{q}^2}{\mu^2 + \vec{q}^2} = -1 + \frac{\mu^2}{\mu^2 + \vec{q}^2}$$

Attractive = Attractive + Repulsive



#### **Need to understand Production !**



#### **Triangles are everywhere**



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#### **Kinematic reflections**

![](_page_12_Figure_1.jpeg)

Are the Z's true resonances or kinematic effects

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## **Understanding production cont.**

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## Spectroscopy at the future facilities

### $Z^+$ , Production @JLab++, EIC

#### M. Albaladejo et al. [JPAC], PRD (2020) D.Winney et al. (JPAC).

![](_page_14_Figure_3.jpeg)

![](_page_14_Figure_4.jpeg)

		$17{ m GeV}$		$24\mathrm{GeV}$	
		produced	detected	produced	detected
2	$Z_c(3900)^+$	2.2 k	371	4.2 k	588
	X(3872)	1.1 k	32	4.2 k	63

TABLE I. Estimates of yields for day of data taking at CLAS24 assuming a zero-angle electron detector

TABLE II. Summary of results for production of some states of interest at the EIC electron and proton beam momentum  $5 \times 100 (GeV/c)$  (for electron x proton). Columns show : the meson name; our estimate of the total cross section; production rate per day, assuming a luminosity of  $6.1 \times 10^{33}$  cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>; the decay branch to a particular measurable final state; its ratio; the rate per day of the meson decaying to the given final state.

Meson	Cross Section (nb)	Production rate (per day)	Decay Branch	Branch Ratio (%)	Events (per day)
$\chi_{c1}(3872)$	2.3	2.0 M	$J/\Psi \pi^+\pi^-$	5	6.1 k
Y(4260)	2.3	2.0 M	$J/\Psi \pi^+\pi^-$	1	1.2 k
$Z_{c}(3900)$	0.3	0.26 M	$J/\Psi \pi^+$	10	1.6 k
X(6900)	0.015	0.013 M	$J/\Psi J/\Psi$	100	46
$Z_{cs}(4000)$	0.23	0.20 M	$J/\Psi K^+$	10	1.2 k
$Z_b(10610)$	0.04	0.034 M	$\Upsilon(2S) \pi^+$	3.6	24

- Couplings from data as much as possible, not relying on the nature of XYZ
- The model is expected to hold in the highest x- bin
- Model underestimates lower bins, conservative estimates

![](_page_14_Figure_12.jpeg)

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#### Production at EIC

Artoisenet, Braaten, PRD83(2011)014019; FKG, Meißner, W. Wang, Z. Yang, EPJC74(2014)3063

![](_page_15_Figure_2.jpeg)

$\sigma(pp/\bar{p}\rightarrow X)$	[nb]Exp.	$\Lambda = 0.5 \text{ GeV}$	$\Lambda$ =1.0 GeV	
Tevatron	37-115	7(5)	29 (20)	
LHC-7	13-39	13(4)	55(15)	

Albaladejo, FKG, Hanhart et al., CPC41(2017)121001

 Order-of-magnitude estimates of the semi-inclusive electro-production of hidden/doublecharm hadronic molecules (in units of pb)

	Constituents	$I, J^{P(C)}$	EicC	EIC
X(3872)	$D\bar{D}^*$	0,1++	21(89)	216(904)
Z <sub>c</sub> (3900) <sup>0</sup>	$Dar{D}^*$	1, 1+-	0.4×10 <sup>3</sup> (1.3×10 <sup>3</sup> )	3.8×10 <sup>3</sup> (14×10 <sup>3</sup> )
$Z_{cs}^{-}$	$D^{*0}D_s^-$	1/2, 1+	19(69)	250(900)
<i>P<sub>c</sub></i> (4312)	$\Sigma_c \bar{D}$	1/2,1/2-	0.8(4.1)	15(73)
<i>P<sub>cs</sub></i> (4338)	$\Xi_c\overline{D}$	0,1/2-	0.1(1.6)	1.8 (30)
Predicted	$\Lambda_c\overline{\Lambda}_c$	0,0^+	0.3 (3.0)	10 (110)
Predicted	$\Lambda_c \overline{\Sigma}_c$	1,0-	0.01 (0.12)	0.5 (5.5)
<i>T</i> <sup>+</sup> <sub><i>cc</i></sub>	$DD^*$	0,1+	0.3×10 <sup>-3</sup> (1.2×10 <sup>-3</sup> )	0.1 (0.5)

F-K Guo @ EIC Workshop

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### XYZP's : real or not ?

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![](_page_16_Figure_2.jpeg)

P<sub>c</sub>'s

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- "Dip" above 9 GeV has
   2.6σ (1.3σ) local (global)
   significance
- Full GlueX-I data yields  $2270 \pm 58 \text{ J/\psi}$ 's

Threshold effects ? Du et al, EPJC 80, 1053 (2020)

#### Confirmation of gluon dominated dynamics? ... but

![](_page_16_Figure_9.jpeg)

GlueX [Phys.Rev.Lett. 123 (2019) 7, 072001]

 $J/\psi$  photo production

#### • Two (distinct) approaches:

-t-channel partial waves  $l_{max} \le 2$   $A(s,t) = \sum_{l} f_{l}(t) P_{l}(z_{t}) \longleftarrow$ 

smooth s-dependence

mass radius, gravitational form factors, etc.

 $J/\psi$ -007 [Nature 615 (2023) 7954, 813-816]

![](_page_17_Picture_5.jpeg)

GlueX [arXiv:2304.03845]

Kharzeev et al. (1999), Brodsky et al (2001) Ji et al.Guo et al. (2021) Z, Mamo Zahed, (2020)

-s-channel partial waves

s-channel thresholds

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Du et al [Eur. Phys. J. C 80 (2020) 1053]

![](_page_17_Picture_12.jpeg)

#### **Fit results/conclusions**

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 "Exponential" behavior from the few lowest partial waves

$$l_{max} \leq 3$$

 The expected hierarchy of partial waves S>P>D>F with the flattening at larger-t accounted for by p.w interferences

FIG. 2: Fit results for the differential cross section compared to GlueX data from [37]. The bands correspond to the  $1\sigma$  uncertainties from the bootstrap analysis.

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#### **Fit results/conclusions**

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FIG. 1: Fit results for the integrated cross section compared to GlueX data from [37]. Bands correspond to  $1\sigma$  uncertainties from bootstrap analysis.

- Elastic  $\psi p \rightarrow \psi p$  scattering length  $a_S \sim O(0.1 fm)$  found incompatible with VMD expectations (albeit with large errors)
- Inclusion of open charm reduces the discrepancy

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- Fits also suggests relevance of open charm production and compatible with pentaquark production
- Need more precise data, including open charm production

#### Summary

- Discoveries of XYZP phenomena show there is a large "hadronic landscape" yet to be discovered (also in the light flavor sector).
- Properly constrained S-matrix amplitude analysis can determine if these "exotic" states are real (e.g. true partial wave poles) or something else (e.g. kinematic artifacts).
- At JLab++(EIC) yields are expected to be comparable to colliders at ~10<sup>34</sup> (higher luminosity, lower energy) and triggers optimized for charmonium final states;
- Direct (photo) production needed for confirmation particularly true for the Z's which so far seen only in 3body final states. Null results are as important as observations !
- In a decade we will have a very different view of hadrons compared to that proposed by Gell-Mann and Zweig.

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