# **Current Experiments**

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- Current challenges (with a spectroscopy bias)
- Some results that showcase current experiments



## Reaction Products (?)



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#### Meson Spectrum from Lattice QCD

Dudek, Edwards, Guo, and Thomas, PRD 88, 094505 (2013)



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#### Challenges of Precision Analysis



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#### Theme

- advances in theory continue to sharpen and frame questions about QCD that can be addressed by experiment
- advances in experiment and technology have positioned us to address questions using data with unprecedented precision
- goal of this school: foster and share advances in phenomenology that help connect the two points above



# A Selection of Recent Results

that showcase a variety of experiments and emphasize the need for understanding reaction theory

## $e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons$

BaBar at PEP-II SLAC (Menlo Park, CA) Belle at KEK (Tsukuba, Japan) BESIII at BEPCII (Beijing, China)



- Key players:
  - Y(4260): ???
  - $J/\psi$ :  $S_q = I L = 0, J^{PC} = I^{--}$
  - $h_c: S_q = 0 L = 1, J^{PC} = 1^{+-}$
- Key transitions:
  - Υ→ππJ/ψ
  - $Y \rightarrow \pi \pi h_c$
- Study of Y(4260) led to discovery of charged Z(3900)<sup>±</sup> and Z(4020)<sup>±</sup> structures

Quark Model Prediction: Barnes *et al.*, PRD 72, 054026 (2005) (approximate — not all XYZ candidates shown!)



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Belle Collaboration, PRL 110, 252002 (2013)





 mass greater than 2M(D) so we expect OZI favored decay:



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CLEO Collaboration, PRD 80, 072001 (2009)

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(Y(4260) \to D\bar{D})}{\mathcal{B}(Y(4260) \to \pi\pi J/\psi)} < 4$$

compare with  $\approx$  500 for  $\psi(3770)$  M. R. Shepherd IU Summer Workshop on Reaction Theory June 8, 2015

## Charmonium from Lattice QCD

L. Liu et al. [Hadron Spectrum Collab.], JHEP07 126 (2012)





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### $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^- J/\psi$ at $E_{cm} = 4260 \text{ MeV}$



• Structure in  $\pi^+ J/\psi$  mass that does not arise from  $\pi^+\pi^-$  interactions





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## $Z(3900)^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}J/\psi$



[T. Xiao et al., PLB 727, 366 (2013)]

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## What is Z(3900)?





How is it connected to Y(4260)?



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#### What is a Resonance?



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#### Notes from the Editors: Highlights of the Year

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#### Physics looks back at the standout stories of 2013.

As 2013 draws to a close, we look back on the research covered in *Physics* that really made waves in and beyond the physics community. In thinking about which stories to highlight, we considered a combination of factors: popularity on the website, a clear element of surprise or discovery, or signs that the work could lead to better technology. On behalf of the *Physics* staff, we wish everyone an excellent New Year.

- Matteo Rini and Jessica Thomas

#### Four-Quark Matter



Images from popular Physics stories in 2013.

Quarks come in twos and threes—or so nearly every experiment has told us. This summer, the BESIII Collaboration in China and the Belle Collaboration in Japan reported they had sorted through the debris of high-energy electron-positron collisions and seen a mysterious particle that appeared to contain four quarks. Though other explanations for the nature of the particle, dubbed  $Z_c(3900)$ , are possible, the "tetraquark" interpretation may be gaining traction: BESIII has since seen a series of other particles that appear to contain four quarks.

#### Strangers from Beyond our Solar System

Detector experiments hunting for rare events can go years and never see anything out of the ordinary. So it was cause for excitement when IceCube, a giant neutrino telescope at the South Pole, reported the detection of two neutrinos with energies of around 1000 tera-electron-volts (TeV), roughly a billion times more energetic than those arriving from the Sun. Scientists at IceCube have since further analyzed their data and reported 26 more neutrinos with energies above 30 TeV. Researchers will need to



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## Y(4260) hybrid test?

• Lattice QCD predicts the hybrid  $I^{--}$  state to have spin S = 0

Using LQCD Dudek et al. predict [PRD 79, 094504 (2009)]

$$\begin{array}{cc} Y_{\rm hybrid} \rightarrow \gamma \eta_c & \\ \hline \role & \role & \\ \hline \role & \role & \\ \hline \role & \role & \\ \hline \role & \cr \role & \role & \cr \role & \cr \role & \role & \cr \role &$$

Potential "hybrid test" for Y(4260), but no experimental sensitivity...yet

Two decays that we can attempt to compare instead:

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BESIII Collaboration, PRL 111, 242001 (2013)



### $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c$



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Z(4020)<sup>±</sup> -h<sub>c</sub>



- No Y(4260)-like peaking structure in  $\pi^+\pi^-h_c$  cross section, which is comparable to peak in  $\sigma(\pi^+\pi^-J/\psi)$
- Very narrow charged  $\pi^{\pm}h_{c}$  structure near DD\* threshold
- Not conventional charmonium

Study:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-h_c$ 



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## What about b quarks?

Belle Collaboration, arXiv:1501.01137

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- Same story, heavier characters
  - $Y(4260) \rightarrow Y \text{ or } \Upsilon(10860)$
  - $J/\psi \rightarrow \Upsilon$
  - $h_c \rightarrow h_b$
- at 10890 MeV: peak in ππ transitions to Y(nS) states
- Study  $\pi \Upsilon$  and  $\pi h_b$  structure in transitions





## Observation of $Z_b(10610)^{\pm}$ and $Z_b(10650)^{\pm}$

- Belle observes two charged states in the bottomonium spectrum
  - couple to  $\pi^{\pm}h_b$  and  $\pi^{\pm}\Upsilon$
- consistent masses and widths in five different decay modes
- masses at or just above BB\* and B\*B\* thresholds
- decays to B<sup>(\*)</sup>B<sup>\*</sup>:
   [Belle Collaboration arXiv:1209.6450]



Belle Collaboration, PRL 108, 122001 (2012) M. R. Shepherd IU Summer Workshop on Reaction Theory June 8, 2015



# Decays of B Mesons

LHCb at the LHC BaBar at PEP-II SLAC (Menlo Park, CA) Belle at KEK (Tsukuba, Japan)

## Charmonium in B Decay

- Hadronic decays of the B meson (M(B) = 5.27 GeV) can be used to study the charmonium spectrum
  - useful tool at hadron colliders
- Recent hot topics:
  - charged states: Z(4430) and Z(4200) in π<sup>±</sup>ψ(')
  - narrow neutral state: X(4140) in ΦJ/ψ



# $Z(4430)^{\pm} \rightarrow \psi' \pi^{\pm}$

- Examine  $\Psi'\pi^{\pm}$  produced in  $B \rightarrow \Psi'K\pi^{\pm}$ 
  - need to understand  $K\pi$  structure
- Z(4430) reported initially by Belle [PRL 100, 142001 (2008)], but not confirmed by BaBar [PRD 79, 112001 (2009)]
- Z(4430) recently confirmed with 10x more data at LHCb
- established  $J^P = I^+$ 
  - not S-wave D\*(2007)D1(2420) or D\*(2007)D2\*(2460)
- Broad structure:  $\Gamma_{tot} \approx 200 \text{ MeV}$
- LHCb: second structure around 4200 at 6σ; resonant nature inclusive



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# → Kπ<sup>±</sup>//ψ

- Belle reports evidence for  $Z(4430) \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} J/\psi$ 
  - about 10x smaller than  $Z(4430) \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \psi'$
- Belle:  $Z(4200)^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}J/\psi$  at  $6.2\sigma$ 
  - broad:  $\Gamma_{tot} \approx 400 \text{ MeV}$
  - $\int^{P} = I^{+}$  favored
  - compatible with "structure" in LHCb analysis of  $\pi^{\pm}\Psi'$
- No evidence for the Z(3900) that is correlated with Y(4260) decay
  - production mechanism dependence?
  - Z(3900) is fundamentally different from Z(4200) and Z(4430)?

Belle Collaboration, arXiv:1408.6457 (2014)

 $1.2 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{c}^4 < \text{M}^2(\text{K},\pi) < 1.432^2 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{c}^4$ 



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## **Comments/Questions**

- $e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons$ 
  - Similar physics in both bottom and charm systems
  - Experimentally significant narrow peaks in the mass spectrum
    - resonances?
- Decays of B Mesons
  - Additional charged states observed in B decay
    - significantly broader
    - one appears to have phase motion of a resonance



### **TT Beam Data** COMPASS at CERN

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### Hybrid Mesons



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# **π**-**p**→η'π-p

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- Data collected from COMPASS using a 190 GeV pion beam
- $\eta'\pi^-$  in a P-wave: L=I
  - parity: -
  - G:-
  - isospin: I
  - J<sup>PC</sup> of neutral isovector is I<sup>-+</sup> (exotic!)



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## **π** beam data from COMPASS

 $\pi^{-}\pi^{-}\pi^{+}$  from 190 GeV  $\pi$  on Pb

 $\pi^{-}\pi^{-}\pi^{+}$  from 190 GeV  $\pi$  on p



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#### The biggest is not the most important



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#### Two sides of the same coin?





- Excellent data in hand with amazing statistical precision
- Modeling of the reaction in analysis seems to be the dominant systematic error when interpreting data
  - The ability to make major discoveries depends on the ability to quantify and limit this systematic uncertainty



#### **Current and Future Opportunities**

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#### hadron probes

electromagnetic probes











ongoing/future

completed/analysis



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colliding beam



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# 12 GeV Upgrade to JLab

- Upgrade maximum electron energy from
   6 GeV to 12 GeV with addition of cryomodules
- New Hall D and upgrades to existing Hall
- Project completion: Spring 2017
  - Accelerator upgrade is complete
  - Hall D facility and associated experimental equipment are complete



add Hall D

and GlueX

add 5+5

accelerating

modules

add an arc

# GlueX in Hall D

- high intensity, linearly-polarized photoproduction experiment: 9 GeV photons
  - core program: light meson spectroscopy access to everything up to around 3 GeV
  - unique and complementary to hadron beam data, e.g., COMPASS





GlueX Detector with Prof. Curtis Meyer GlueX Spokesperson October 2014 11

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#### Hall D/GlueX Polarized Photon Beam



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Photon Beam Polarization Beam Plan

### Conclusions

- Exciting developments in experimental studies of spectroscopy in the last ten years
  - understanding underlying reaction dynamics is critical
  - data will keep coming: new experiments studying different reactions are starting now
- Advances in technology and sociology
  - statistically precise data for many related reactions
  - high-performance analysis machinery
  - new (old) ideas about theory and experiment collaboration
- Ability to draw firm conclusions from the data depends on having a good understanding of underlying reaction dynamics