

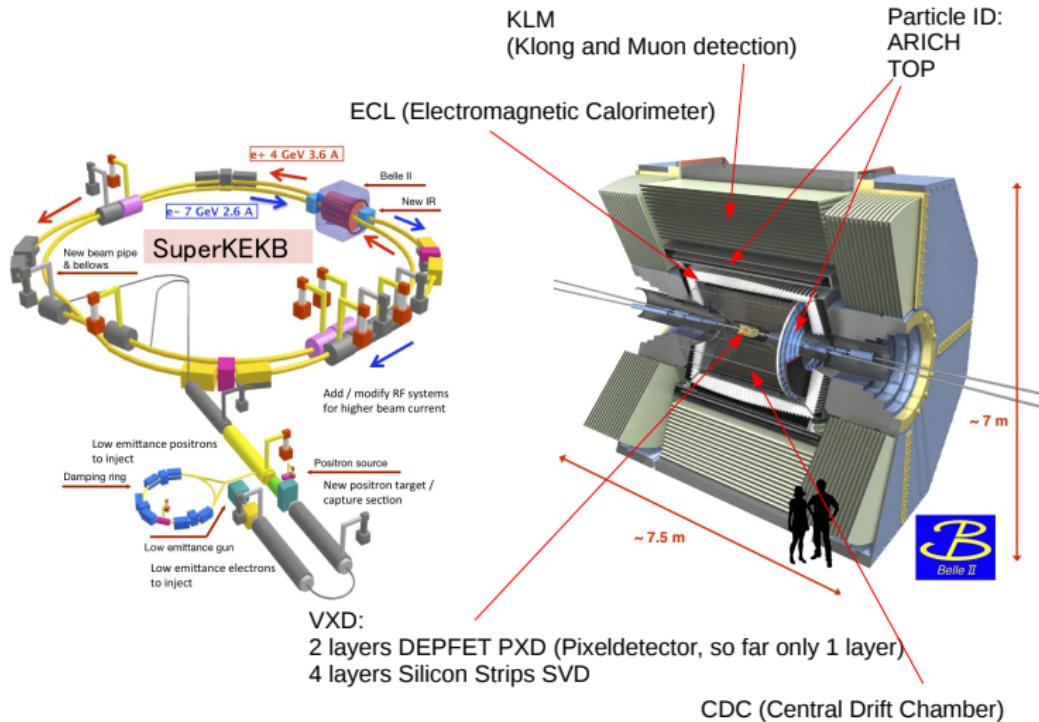
Exotic and Conventional Quarkonium Physics Prospects at Belle II

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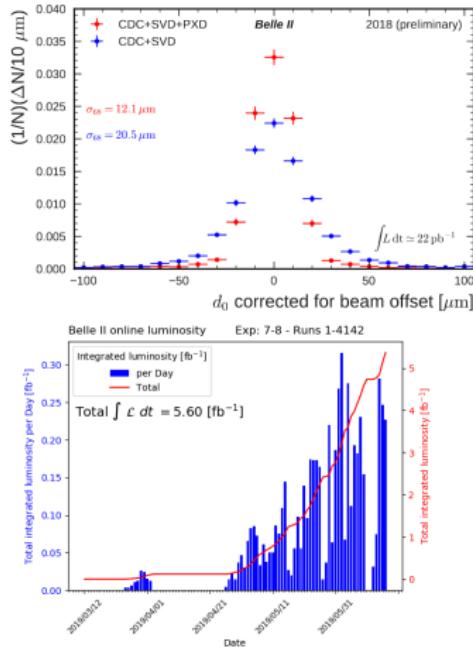
On behalf of the Belle II Collaboration

- The Belle II Experiment
- Sensitivity for the total width of the $X(3872)$
- Search for a partner state of the $X(3872)$ at the $D^{*0}\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold
- D^0 reconstruction in B meson decays in early data sets
- Outlook

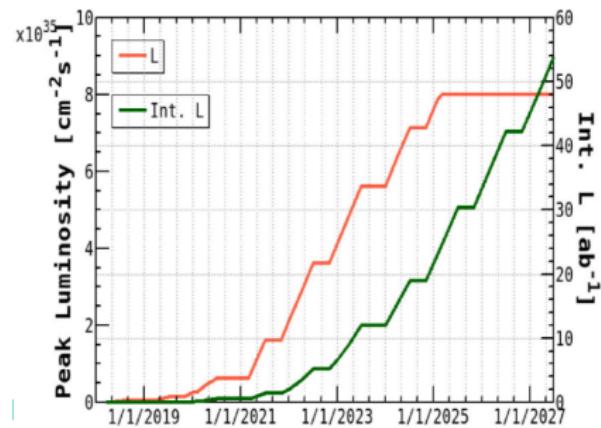
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- Two data sets so far:
 - Phase 2 (2018), $504 pb^{-1}$
 - Phase 3 (2019), $6.5 fb^{-1}$
- Phase2 with 2 layers SVD and
1/8 PXD only
- Phase3 Full SVD 1/2 PXD
other half in 2021



Studies on the $X(3872)$

Simulations

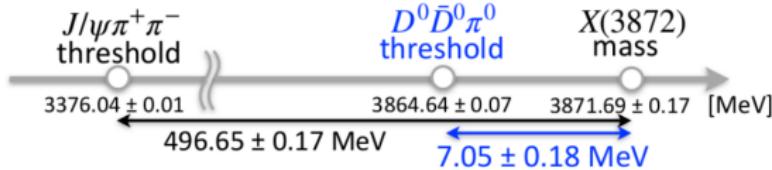
Previous studies on sensitivity done in $X(3872) \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^{\pm}\pi^{\mp}$

(Phys. Rev. D 84, 05 2004 (2011))

Fit signal component with Breit Wigner convoluted with Gauss for signal component

$\Gamma_{tot} < 1.2 \text{ MeV} < \text{mass resolution} \approx 1.86 \pm 0.01 \text{ MeV}/c^2$

\Rightarrow improvement of mass resolution essential

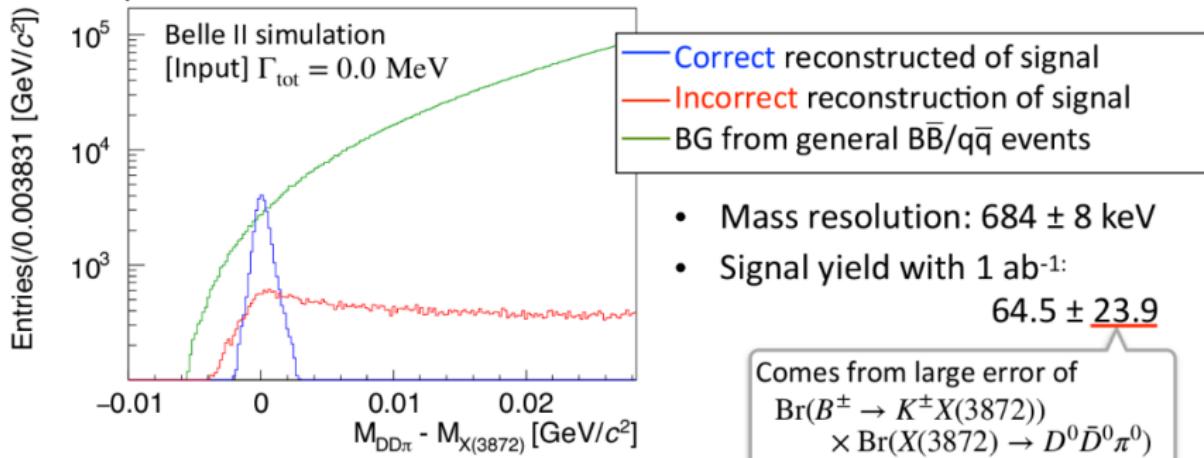


\Rightarrow use channel with smaller $Q - value$ ($D^0\bar{D}^0\pi^0$) to increase mass resolution

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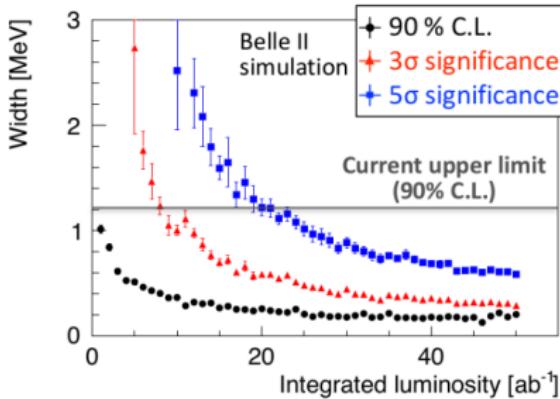
Simulations

Mass spectrum after reconstruction and selection



Sensitivity to total width of $X(3872)$

- Sensitivity is estimated with toy-MC samples.



- With the full data sample of Belle II (50 ab^{-1}), total width with values up to
 - [90% C.L.] $\sim 180 \text{ keV}$
 - [3 σ significance] $\sim 280 \text{ keV}$
 - [5 σ significant] $\sim 570 \text{ keV}$can be measured.

→ Poster of Yuji Kato

A new Charmonium-Like state at the $D^{*0}\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold

Theoretical Models

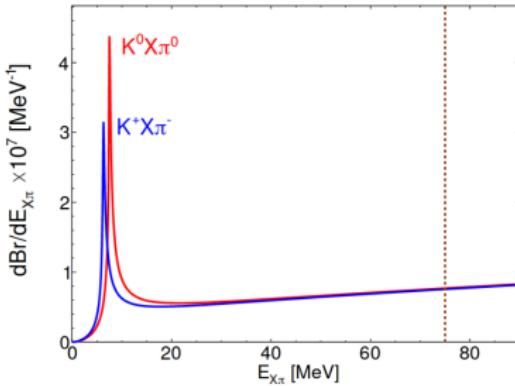
Predicted by Törnqvist, Phys. Rev. Lett. 67(1991)556

Guo, Hidalgo-Duque, Nieves, Valderrama, Phys. Rev. D88(2013)054007

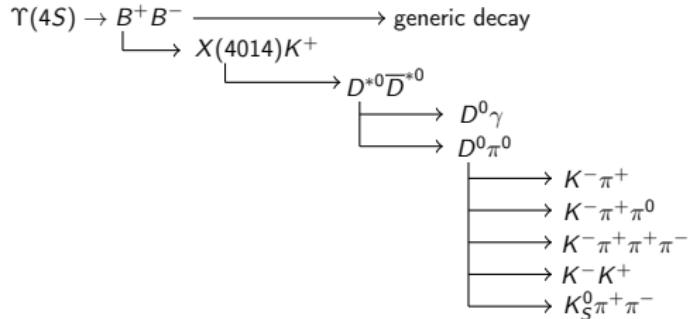
molecular interpretation : $J^{PC} = 2^{++}$, heavy quark spin symmetry to
 $X(3872)$ D-wave decay to $D^{*0}\bar{D}^{*0}$ possible, implies $\Gamma \approx 10\text{ MeV}$
molecular mixture with charmonium admixture

Recent interest: Braatan, He, Ingles, arXiv:1902.03259

→ predicts narrow peak from triangle singularity ≈ 10 MeV above
 $X(3872)\pi^0$ threshold

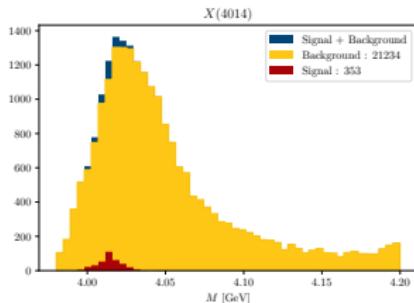


A new Charmonium-Like state at the $D^{*0}\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold *decay chain*

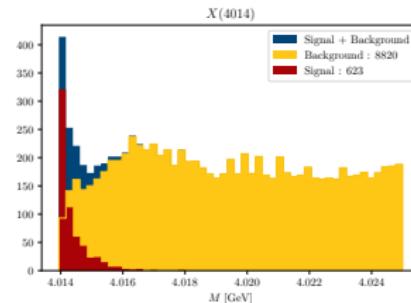


D^0 decays up to $\approx 30\%$ of the branching fraction
100'000 signal events with beamBKGx1 simulated

$X(4014)$ reconstruction in signal window after best candidate selection



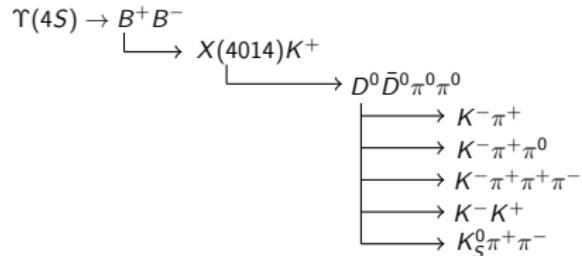
D^{*0} are reconstructed without mass fit \rightarrow nothing to see here



D^{*0} mass fitted \rightarrow peak can be seen but any entry below 4014 MeV cut off

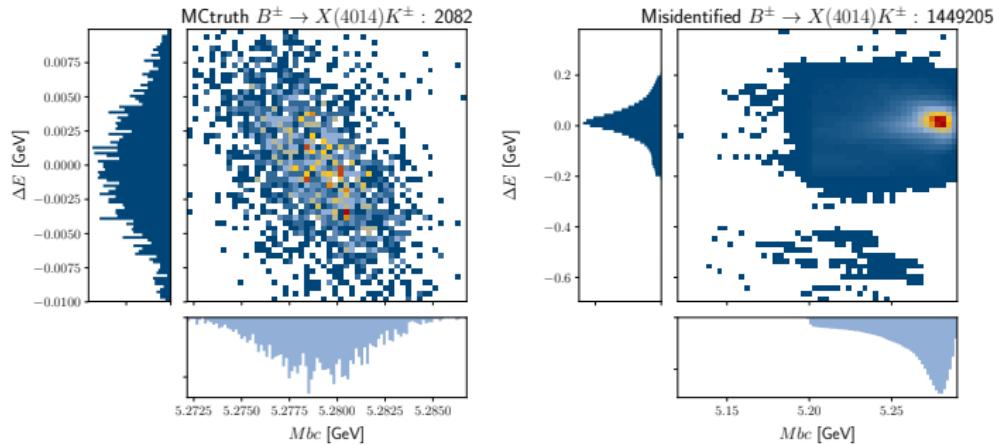
Like explained in Phys. Rev. D88(2013)054007 (2013), the pole of the $X(4014)$ is likely to be 2 MeV below the threshold \rightarrow can not be seen in D^{*0} mass-fitted case

\rightarrow new strategy is necessary!



- D^0 decays up to $\approx 30\%$ of the branching fraction
- 100'000 signal events with beam background simulated
- Final state reconstruction stays same, except for π^0 .
We now use the total π^0 energy to discriminate between π^0 from D^{*0} and D^0
- Statistics goes down by about 50% due to missing γ channel

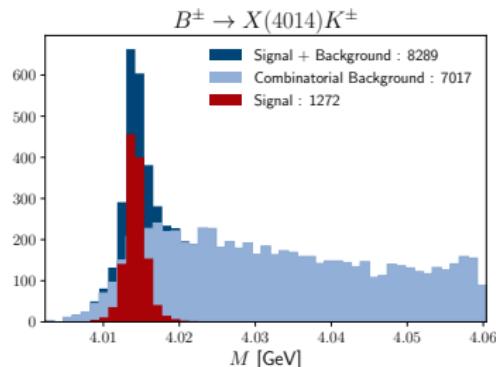
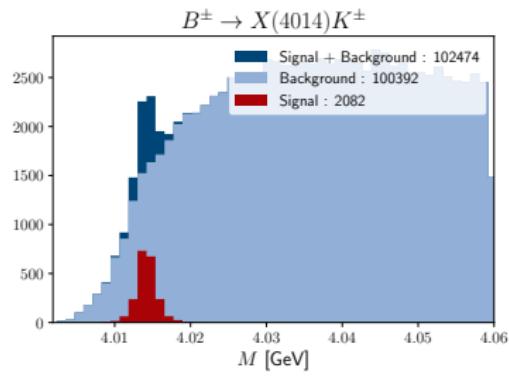
$X(4014)$ reconstruction in ΔE - M_{bc} signal-window best candidate selection



Among the B^\pm candidates which survived the M_{bc} - ΔE selection, the one with the lowest χ^2_{bcs} per event is used as "correct" $X(4020)$ -mother.

$$\chi^2_{bcs} = \left(\frac{\Delta M_{D_1^0}}{\sigma_{M_{D^0}}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta M_{D_2^0}}{\sigma_{M_{D^0}}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Delta E}{\sigma_{\Delta E}} \right)^2 + \left[\left(\frac{\Delta M_{\pi^0}}{\sigma_{\pi^0}} \right)^2 \right] + |d\theta_{K^\pm}| + |dz_{K^\pm}|$$

$X(4014)$ reconstruction in ΔE - M_{bc} signal-window apply BCS



- Reconstructed mass before BCS, peak can already be seen but combinatorial BKG very high
- apply BCS → clear peak can be seen, reconstruction efficiency $\frac{\text{reconstructed signals}}{\text{generated signals}} \approx 1.3\%$
- purity $\frac{\text{reconstructed MC truth}}{\text{total reconstructed}} \approx 15\%$

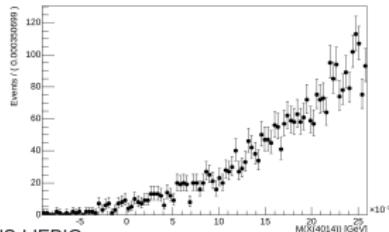
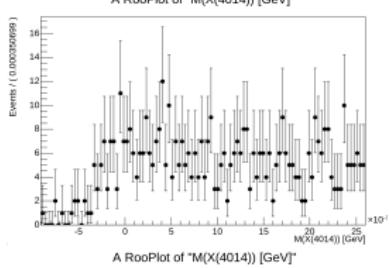
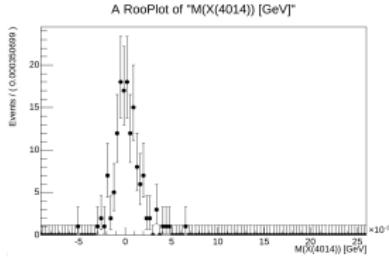
Signal:

- signal branching fraction assumed as $1 \cdot 10^{-4}$
- identical to $X(3872)$ at $D^0\bar{D}^{*0}$
- only B^\pm decays taken into account
- $B(e^+ + e^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow B\bar{B}) = 1.1nb$
- ≈ 15.000 signal events expected in $\int Ldt = 2ab^{-1}$ (about 2x the data set of Belle and BaBar)

Background:

- $\int Ldt = 2ab^{-1}$
- Beam background
- combinatorial background, from both B and \bar{B} (generic decays, all known branching fractions)
- non-resonant decay, same final state but without $X(4014)$
assumed as phasespace decay

$X(4014)$ with Background Fits



Unbinned maximum likelihood fit:

■ Signal (top):

- Breit-Wigner convoluted with a Gaussian resolution
- $F_{sig}(x) = \int BW(x - t) \cdot g(t, \sigma_X(x - t)) dt$

■ Combinatorial Background (middle):

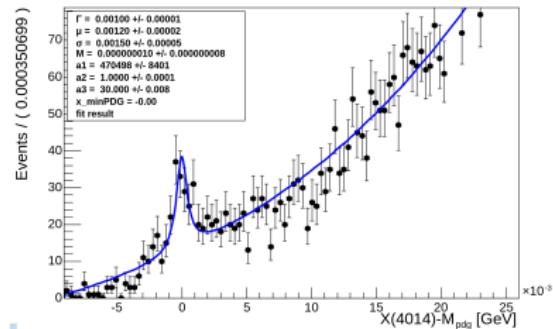
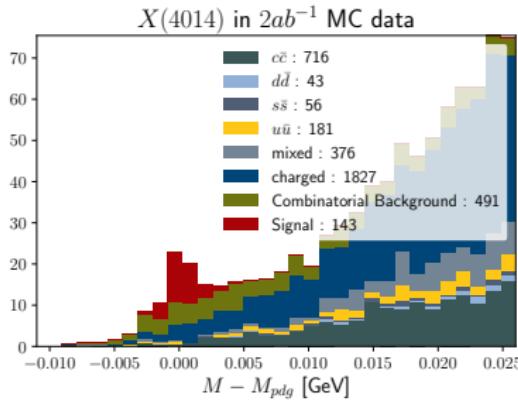
- Threshold function convoluted with Gaussian resolution
- $F_{comb}(x) = \int tr(x - t) \cdot g(t, \sigma_X(x - t)) dt$
- $tr = (x - x_0)^{a_1} e^{a_2(x - x_0) + a_3(x - x_0)^2}$

■ Generic Background (bottom):

- $tr = (x - x_0)^{a_1} e^{a_2(x - x_0) + a_3(x - x_0)^2}$

Global fit = sum of the separate fits

$X(4014)$ with Background



Background from generic B decays is huge but good suppression via $\Delta E - M_{bc}$ cut and best candidate selection.

With $2ab^{-1}$ we expect a significance of about 5σ

Cuts where pre-optimized in MC simulation:

$E_\gamma > 0.25$ GeV, θ in acceptance of ECL, ECL cluster Ratio > 0.9

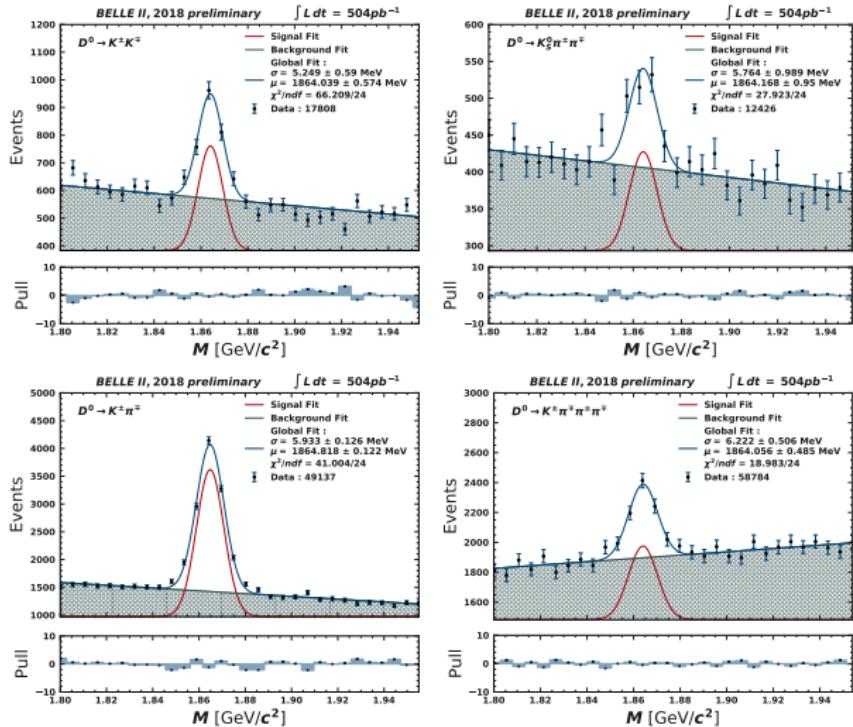
K^\pm, π^\pm with a $\chi^2 > 0.002$ on the track, no p/T !

K_S^0 selection on impact parameters, π^\pm decay angle, displaced vertex

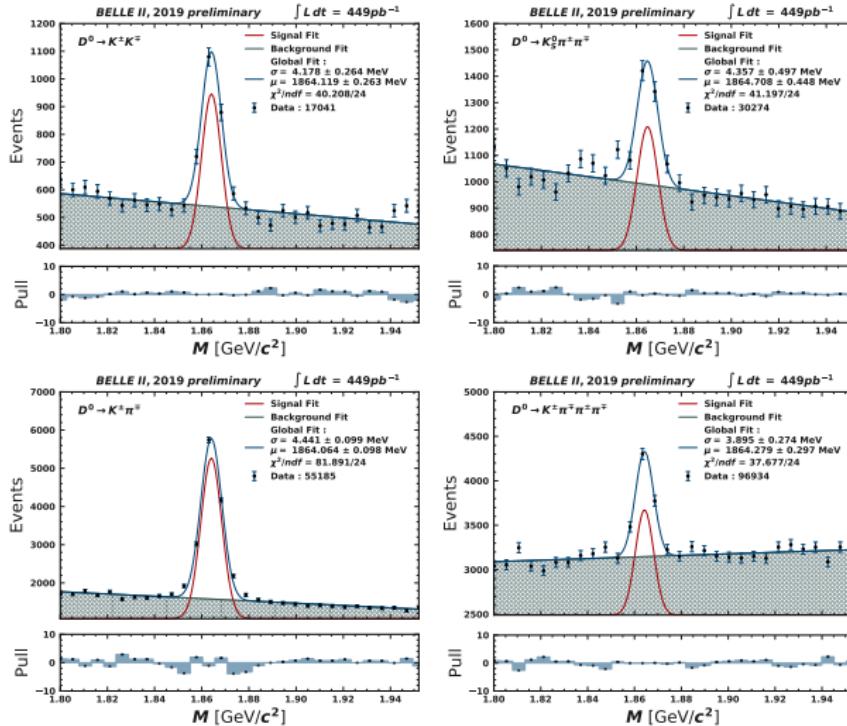
π^0 are selected with a photon energy larger 0.12 GeV

pionID and kaonID are independently increased from 0.0 to 0.8

D^0 reconstruction in early data sets on Phase 2, 2018 data, 504pb^{-1}



D^0 reconstruction in early data sets on Phase 3, 2019 data , 449pb^{-1}



- Belle II can reach sub-MeV sensitivity for the total width of the $X(3872)$ 180 keV (90% C.L.) estimated for $50 ab^{-1}$
- Belle II will search for the partner state of the $X(3872)$ at the $D^{*0}\bar{D}^{*0}$ threshold
- 15000 events expected in $2 ab^{-1}$ of data
→ about 5 sigma significance with 1.3% reconstruction efficiency
- reconstruction of neutral B decay to $X(4014)K_S^0$ will be added
- search on Belle data (using Belle II framework) is under investigation