

# Lattice investigation of charmed and bottom hadrons

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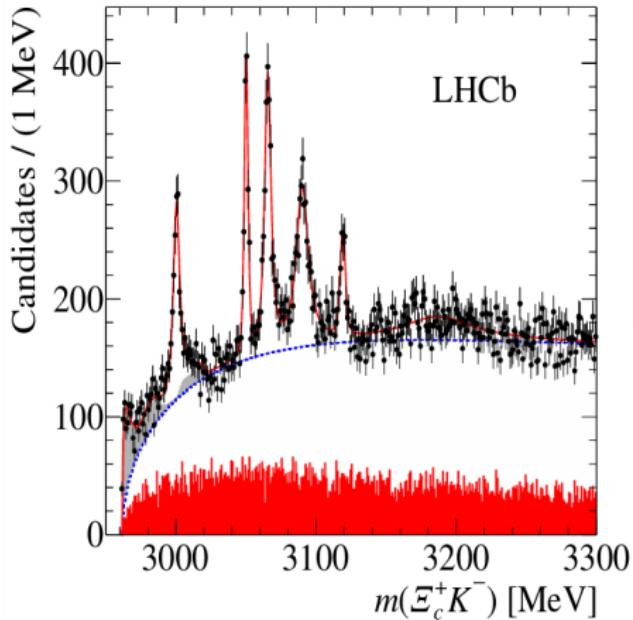
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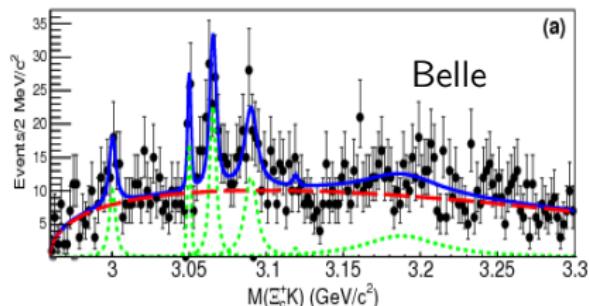
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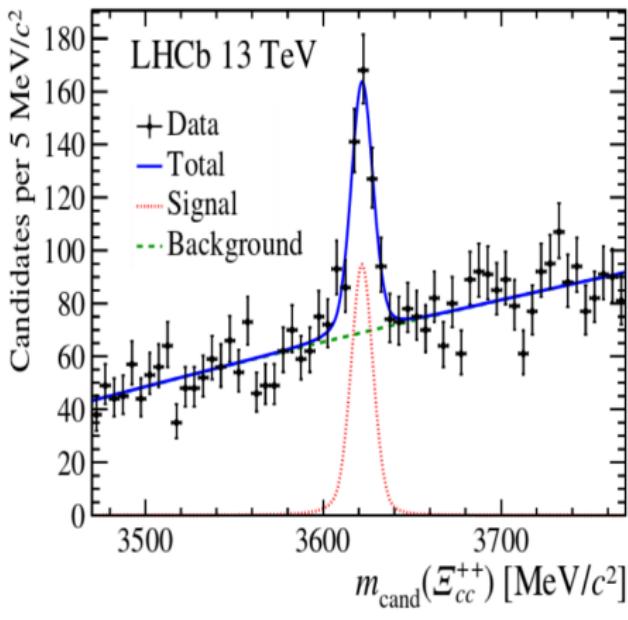
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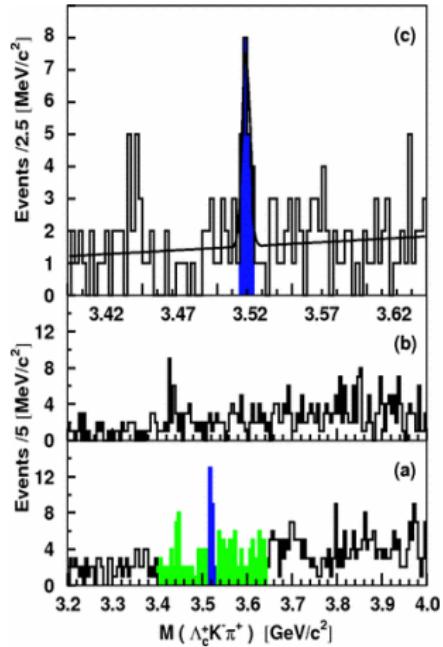


# A year of heavy baryons (2017) : $\Xi_{cc}$



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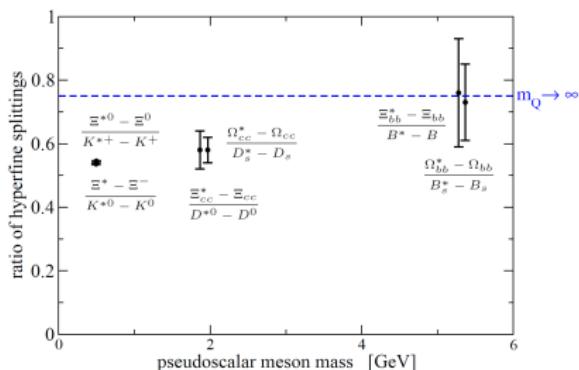
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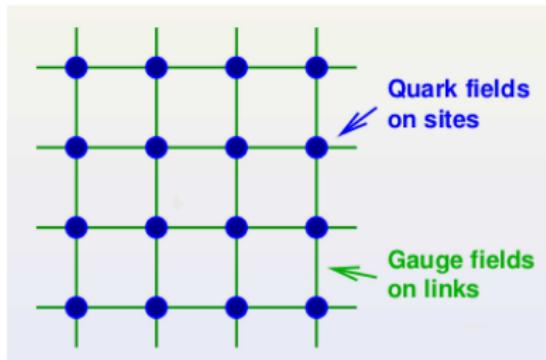
# Heavy hadrons

- Clean signature for many observables, even though rarity in events.
- A large number of discoveries in heavy hadron sector over the past decade.
  - usual quarkonium mesons like  $h_c(1P)$ ,  $h_b(1P)$ ,  $h_b(2P)$ ,  $\psi(1^3D_2)$ .
  - heavy baryons like  $\Xi_{cc}$  and highly excited states of  $\Omega_c$  (LHCb).
  - new beauty baryons like  $\Sigma_b^\pm(6097)$ ,  $\Lambda_b(6146)$  and  $\Lambda_b(6152)$  by LHCb.
  - tetraquarks (LHCb, Belle) and pentaquarks (LHCb).
  - many other states with less theoretical understanding (XYZ).
- Charmed-bottom hadrons : largely unexplored unlike others.  
Discovered :  $B_c(1S, 0^-)$  at 6275(1) MeV  
 $B_c(2S, 0^-)$  at 6842(6) MeV (ATLAS)  
 $B_c(2S, 0^-)$  at 6872(6) MeV and  $B_c(2S, 1^-)$  (LHCb) at 6920(6) MeV

# Lattice QCD : theoretical prospects

LQCD : A non-perturbative, gauge invariant regulator for the **QCD** path integrals.

- Quarks lives on sites
- Gauge fields lives on links
- Lattice spacing : UV cut off
- Lattice size : IR cut off



Discretization  $\Rightarrow$  Finite number of degrees of freedom  
 $\Rightarrow$  Infinite dimensional path integrals  $\rightarrow$  finite dimensional integrals.

Employ Monte Carlo importance sampling methods on Euclidean metric for numerical studies.

# QCD spectrum from Lattice QCD

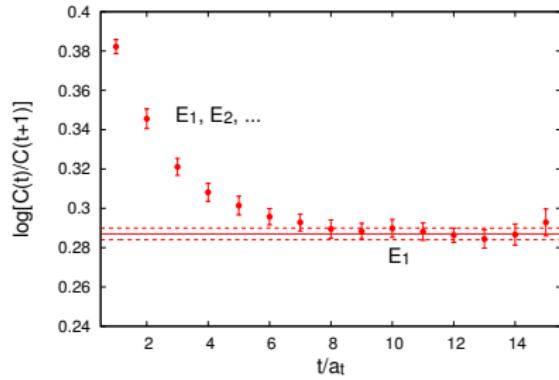
- Aim : to extract the physical states of QCD.
- Euclidean two point current-current correlation functions

$$C_{ji}(t_f - t_i) = \langle 0 | \Phi_j(t_f) \bar{\Phi}_i(t_i) | 0 \rangle = \sum_n \frac{Z_i^{n*} Z_j^n}{2m_n} e^{-m_n(t_f - t_i)}$$

where  $\Phi_j(t_f)$  and  $\bar{\Phi}_i(t_i)$  are the desired interpolating operators and  $Z_j^n = \langle 0 | \Phi_j | n \rangle$ .

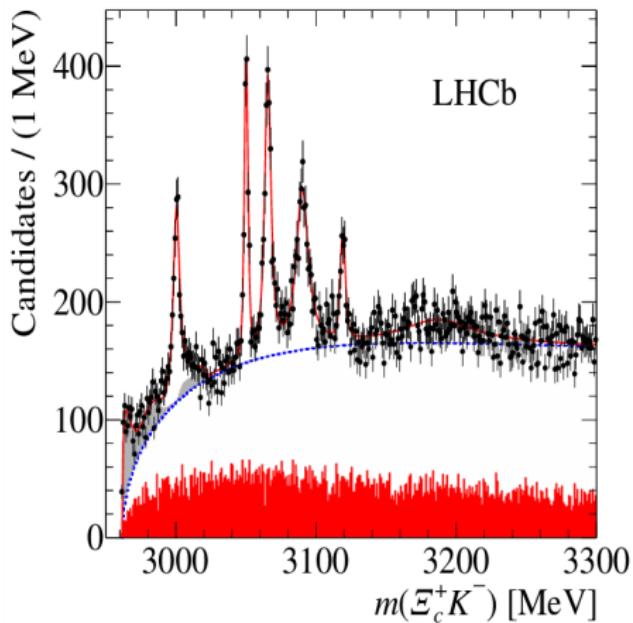
- Effective mass defined as

$$\log\left[\frac{C(t)}{C(t+1)}\right]$$



- The ground states : from the exponential fall off at large times.  
Non-linear fitting techniques.

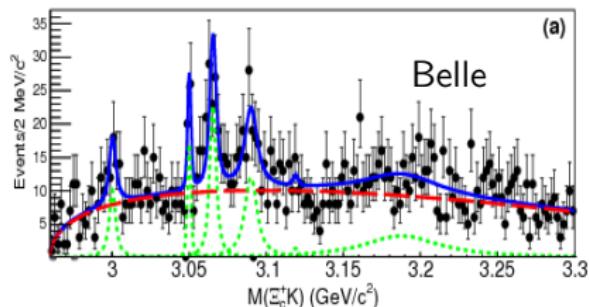
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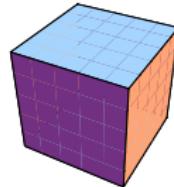
# Excited baryon spectroscopy

- Aim : Extraction of highly excited states.  
Local operators → low lying states.  
Extended operators → Radial and orbital excitations.
- Continuum operators with well defined quantum nos.  
Reduce/subduce into the irreps of the reduced symmetry.

$$O(3)$$



$$O_h$$

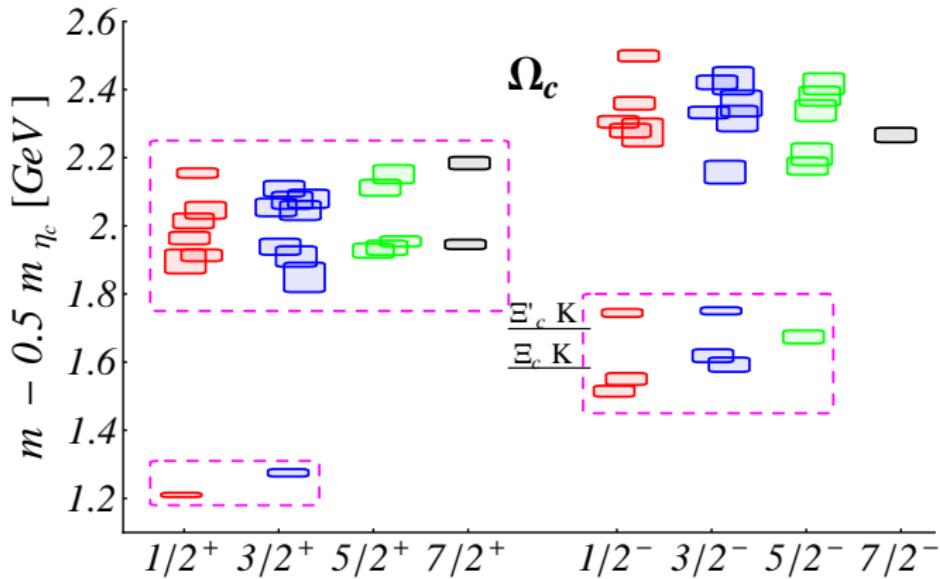


$$O_i^{J^{PC}, M}$$

$$O_{i,\Lambda^{PC}}^{[J^{PC}]}$$

- Variational analysis of correlation matrices,  $C_{ji}$ .
- Rigorous spin identification procedure using operator state overlaps,  $Z$ .

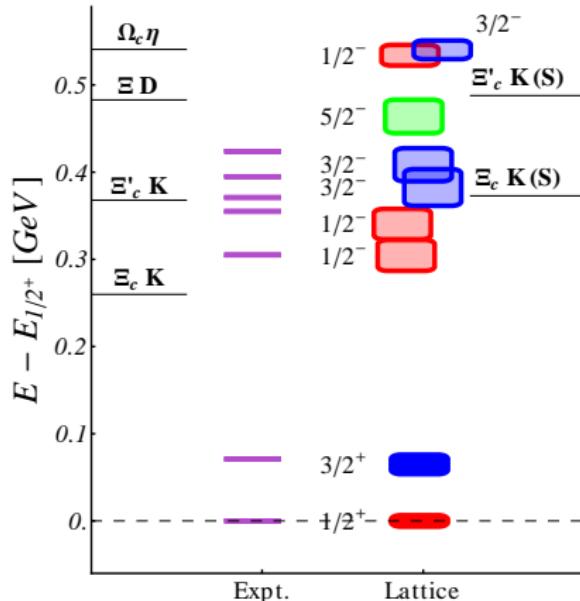
# Results : $\Omega_c$ spectrum (L1)



MP & Mathur 1704.00259, Charm 2013 (1311.4806), Charm 2015 (1508.07168).

Magenta ellipses : States with strong non-relativistic content.  
 The low lying spectrum same as non-relativistic expectations.

# Experiment vs. lattice predictions (L1)



Here  $\Delta E = E - E_{\Omega_c^0}$ .

The new states correspond to the excited  $p$ -wave excitations.

Energy	Expt.	Lattice
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(3119)}$	422(1)	464(20)
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(3090)}$	395(1)	409(19)
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(3066)}$	371(1)	383(21)
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(3050)}$	355(1)	341(18)
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(3000)}$	305(1)	304(17)
$\Delta E_{\Omega_c^0(2770)}$	70.7(1)	65(11)
$E_{\Omega_c^0} - \frac{1}{2}E_{\eta_c}$	1203(2)	1209(7)

Spin 1/2, 3/2, 5/2

$\Omega_{ccc}$  : HSC 1307.7022

$\Xi_{cc}$  and  $\Omega_{cc}$  : HSC 1502.01845

On anisotropic  $N_f = 2 + 1$  lattices  
 $L \sim 1.9 \text{ fm}$ ,  $a_t m_c = 0.114$   
 and  $m_\pi = 391 \text{ MeV}$

Edwards et al. 0803.3960

# Heavy quarks on the lattice

Fermion action:

$$\bar{\psi}(\gamma \cdot \mathbf{D} + \mathbf{m})\psi$$

Only dimensionless quantities defined on the lattice

Lattice fermion action:

$$\bar{\psi}(\mathbf{x})(\gamma \cdot \mathbf{D}_L + \mathbf{a}\mathbf{m})\psi(\mathbf{x})$$

Discretization  $\rightarrow \mathbf{D}_L$ ; clover, staggered, overlap, domain-wall, etc.

Discretization errors on observables  $\mathcal{O}(\mathbf{a}\mathbf{m})$ .

Charm quarks:  $m_c \sim 1.275$  GeV

$$am_c = 0.5 \Rightarrow a \sim 0.075 \text{ fm}$$

$$am_c = 0.3 \Rightarrow a \sim 0.046 \text{ fm}$$

Bottom quarks:  $m_b \sim 4.66$  GeV

$$am_b = 0.5 \Rightarrow a \sim 0.021 \text{ fm}$$

$$am_b = 0.3 \Rightarrow a \sim 0.013 \text{ fm}$$

# Another lattice calculation: L2

- State-of-the-art ensembles :  $N_f = 2+1+1$  HISQ (MILC)  
 $a = 0.1207(11), 0.0888(8)$  and  $0.0582(5)$  fm.

MILC Collaboration 1212.4768

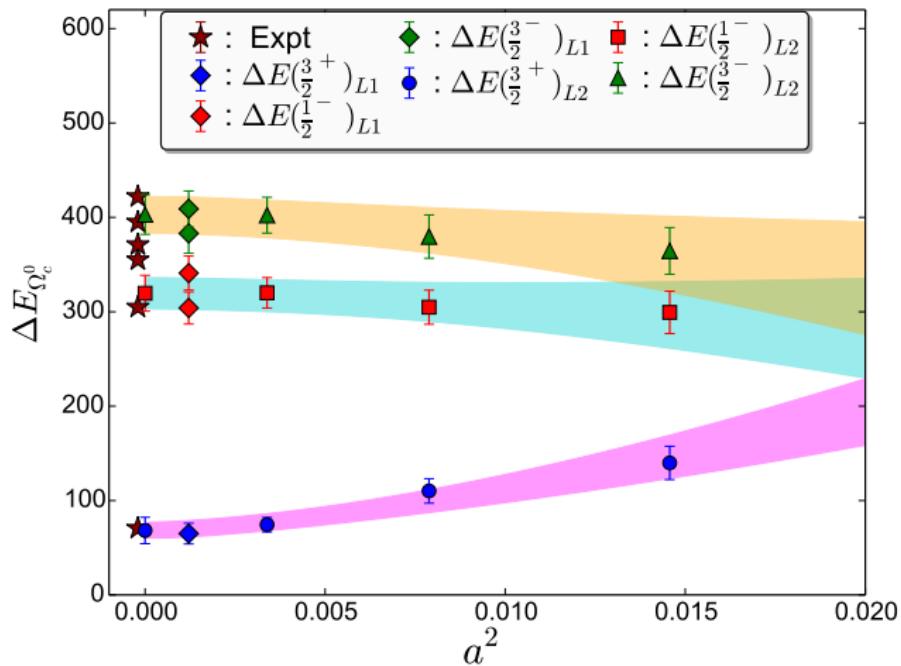
- Chiral fermion action for quark masses from light to charm.  
Exact chiral symmetry at finite lattice spacing. No  $\mathcal{O}(am)$  errors.
- Heavy quark mass tuning El-Khadra *et al*, hep-lat/9604004  
 $\Delta E_{hfs}^{1S,\bar{c}c} = 115(2)(3)$  MeV (*Lattice*) &  $\Delta E_{hfs}^{1S,\bar{c}c} = 114$  MeV (*Expt*).
- We work with energy splittings

$$\Delta M_H = [M_H^L - n_c \bar{S}_c / 2] a^{-1}.$$

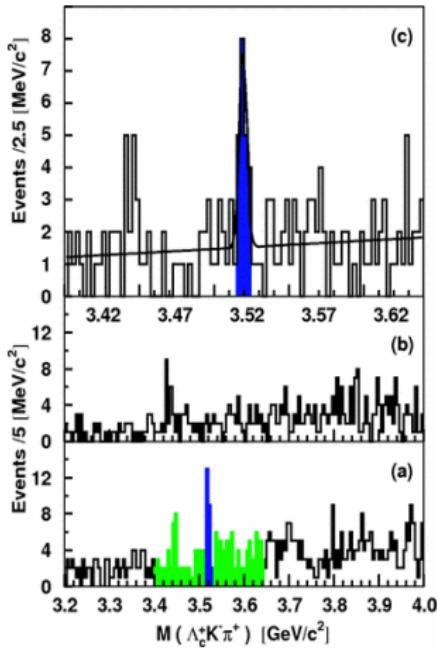
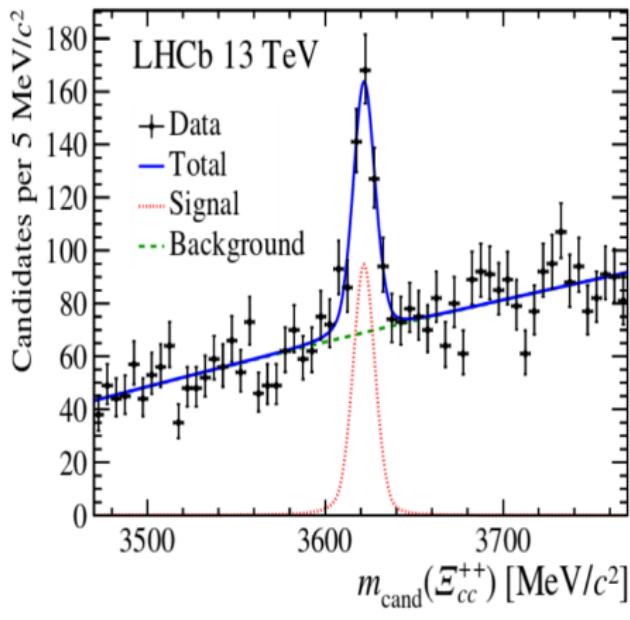
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$$M_H^c = \Delta M_H^c + n_c (\bar{S}_c)_{phys} / 2.$$

# Comparison between two lattice determinations



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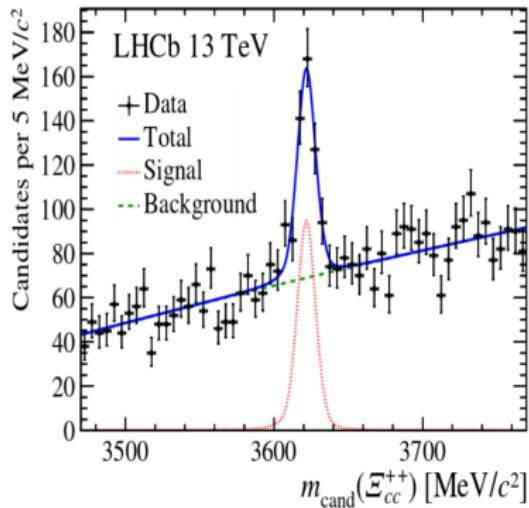


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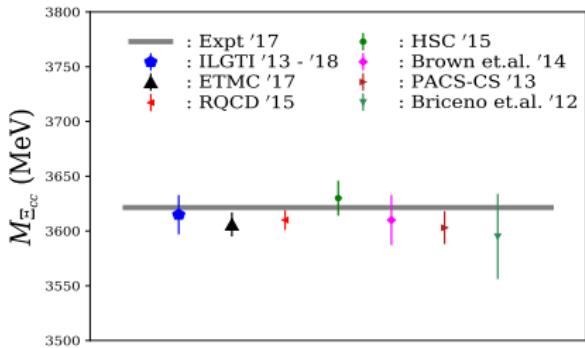
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Alexandrou *et al.* (ETMC) 1704.02647

Briceño *et al.* 1207.3536

Namekawa *et al.* (PACS) 1301.4743

$\Xi_{cc}$  isospin splitting (LQCD),  $2.16(11)(17)$  MeV : BMW 1406.4088  
 SELEX measurement (3519 MeV) : Mattson *et al.* hep-ex/0208014



Brown *et al.* 1409.0497

Pérez-Rubio *et al.* (RQCD) 1503.08440

ILGTI 1807.00174, 1312.3050 (L2)

# Doubly charmed baryons from lattice QCD

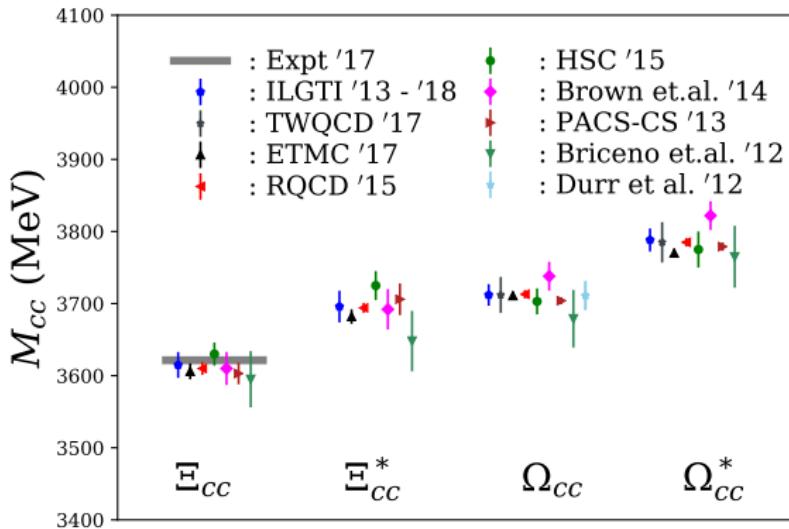


Figure from arXiv:1905.09651 [hep-lat]

$\Omega_{cc}$ : probably the next doubly charm baryon to be observed in LHCb.

$\Xi_{cc}^*$ : radiative decay might be predominant over strong decays.

So might be difficult for LHCb to discover.

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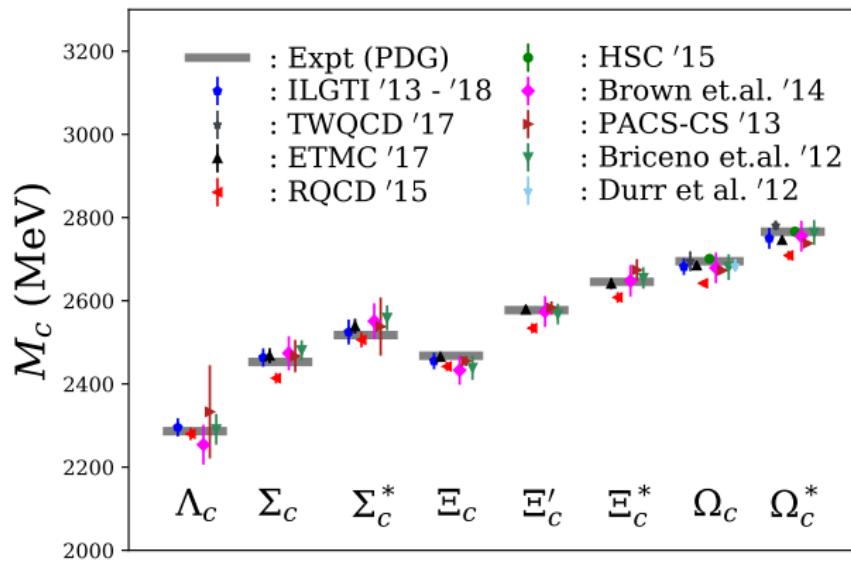


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HPQCD Collaboration 1110.6887, Hammant *et al* 1303.3234.

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- We work with energy splittings and dimensionless ratios

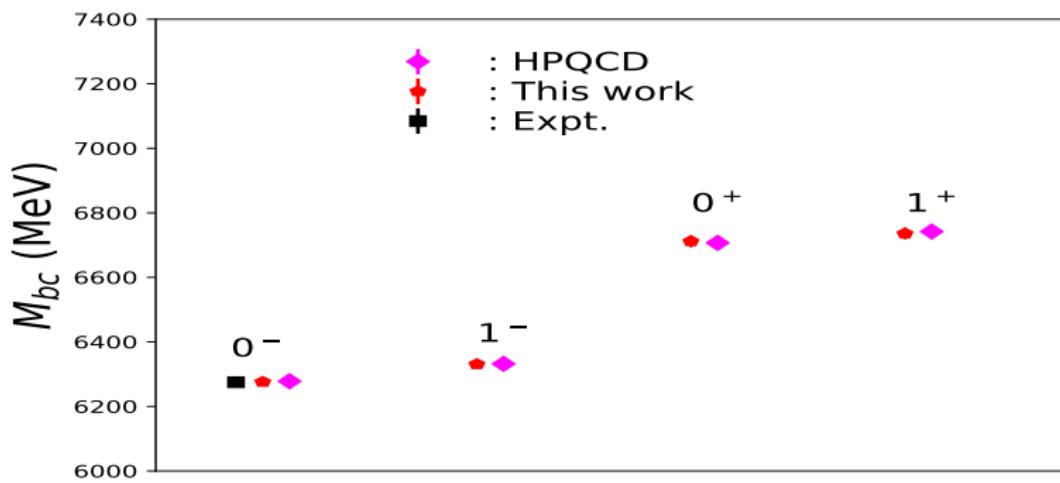
$$\begin{aligned}\Delta M_H &= [M_H^L - n_b \bar{1S}_b/2 - n_c \bar{1S}_c/2] a^{-1} \quad \text{and} \\ R_H &= \frac{M_H^L - n_b \bar{1S}_b/2}{M_{B_c(0^-)}^L - n_b \bar{1S}_b/2}.\end{aligned}$$

- Chiral extrapolation ( $\Xi_{bc}$ ) using  $A + m_\pi^2 B$  and other fancy chiral extrapolation forms as in Brown *et al* 1409.0497.
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# $B_c$ meson results (L2)

Hadrons	Lattice	HPQCD	Wurtz <i>et al</i>	Experiment
$B_c(0^-)$	6276(3)(6)	6278(9)	-	6274.9(8)
$B_c^*(1^-)$	6331(4)(6)	6332(9)	6332.5(3)	?
$B_c(0^+)$	6712(18)(7)	6707(17)	6711(2)	?
$B_c(1^+)$	6736(17)(7)	6742(16)	6752(2)	?

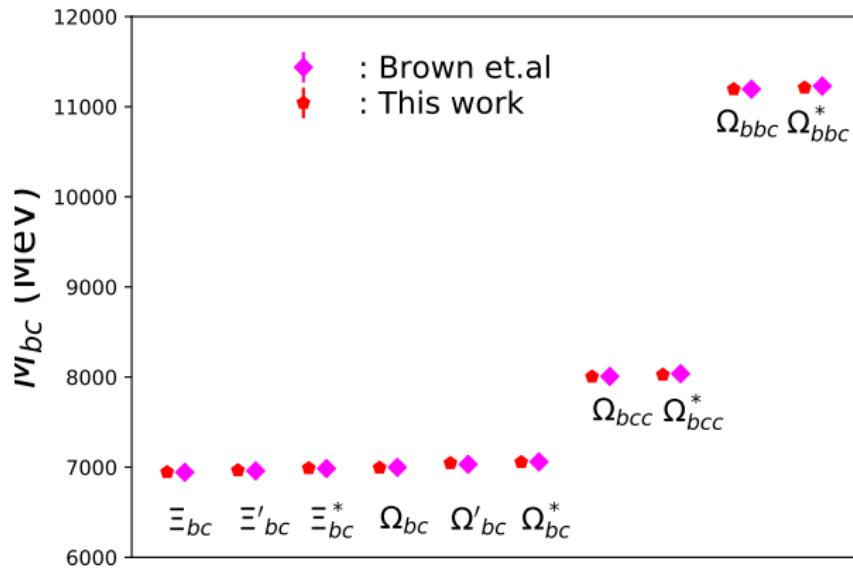


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$\Xi_{cb}(cbu)(1/2^+)$	6945(22)(14)	6943(33)(28)	?
$\Xi'_{cb}(cbu)(1/2^+)$	6966(23)(14)	6959(36)(28)	?
$\Xi^*_{cb}(cbu)(3/2^+)$	6989(24)(14)	6985(36)(28)	?
$\Omega_{cb}(cbs)(1/2^+)$	6994(15)(13)	6998(27)(20)	?
$\Omega'_{cb}(cbs)(1/2^+)$	7045(16)(13)	7032(28)(20)	?
$\Omega^*_{cb}(cbs)(3/2^+)$	7056(17)(13)	7059(28)(21)	?
$\Omega_{ccb}(1/2^+)$	8005(6)(11)	8007(9)(20)	?
$\Omega^*_{ccb}(3/2^+)$	8026(7)(11)	8037(9)(20)	?
$\Omega_{cbb}(1/2^+)$	11194(5)(12)	11195(8)(20)	?
$\Omega^*_{cbb}(3/2^+)$	11211(6)(12)	11229(8)(20)	?

Mathur, MP, Mondal 1806.04151

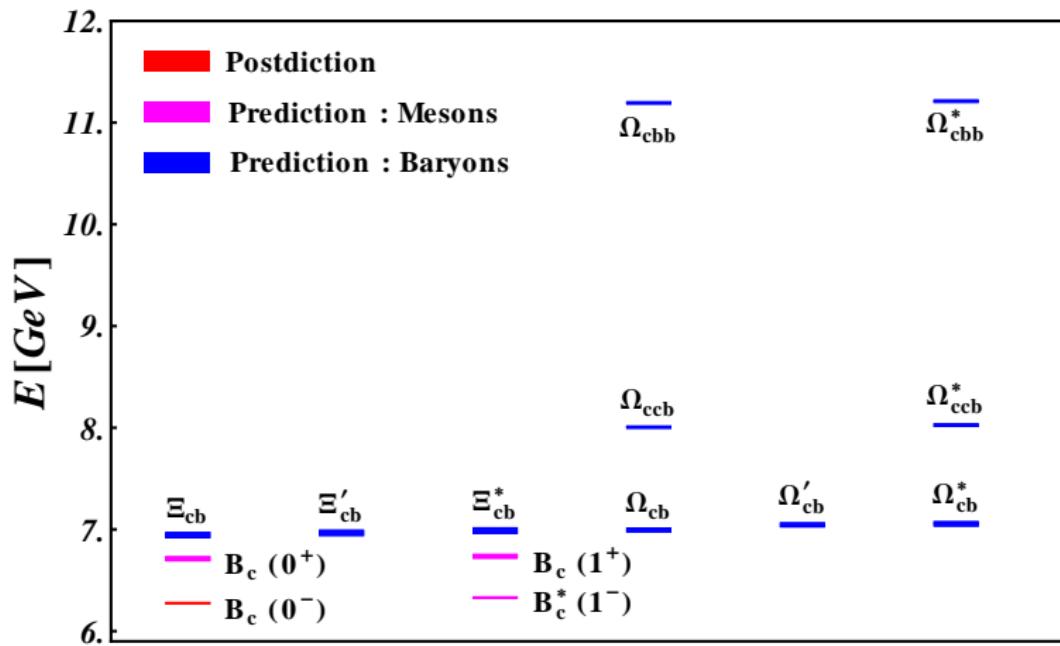
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# Summary in predictions for $bc$ hadrons (L2)



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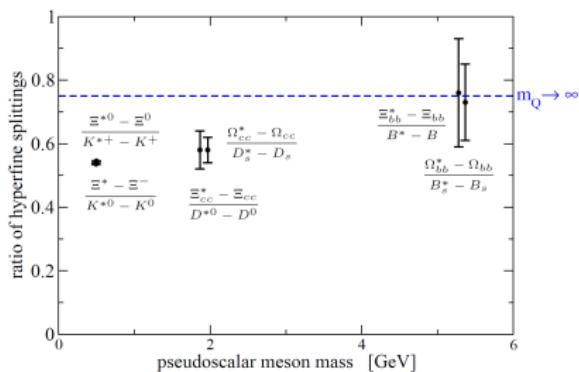
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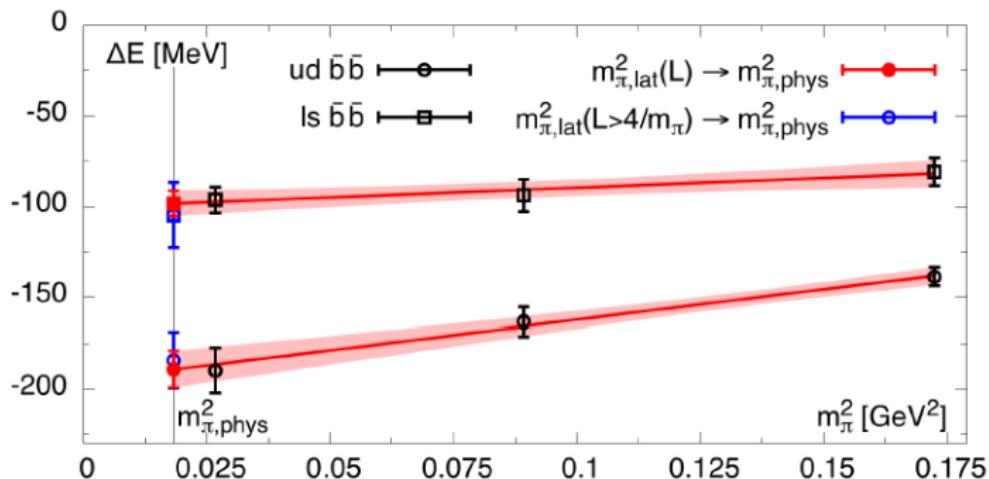
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# $\bar{b}\bar{b}ud$ and $\bar{b}\bar{b}ls$ tetraquarks on lattice

Francis et al. 1607.05214

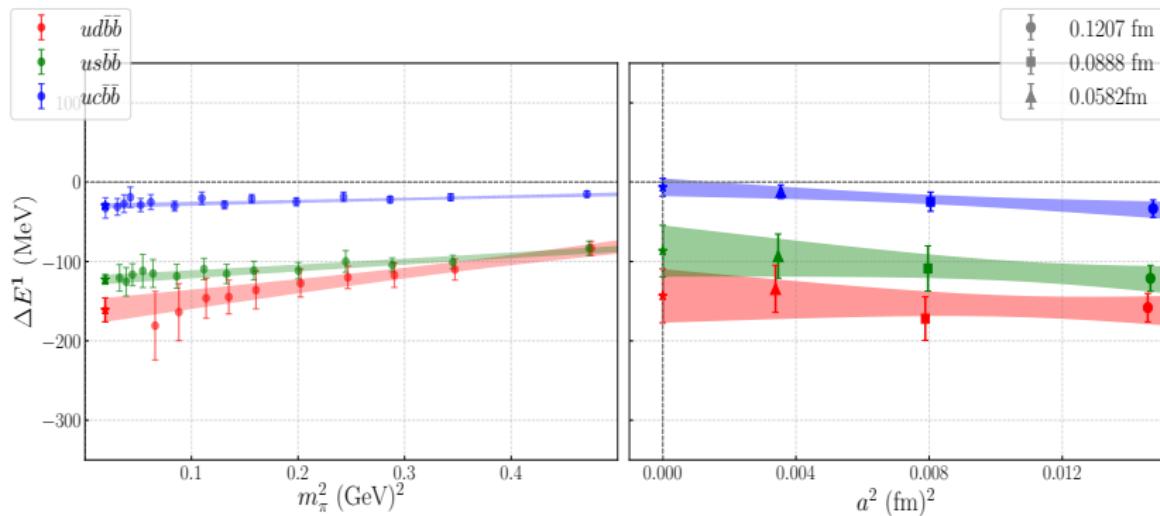


Study of pseudovector doubly bottom tetraquarks on  $N_f = 2 + 1$  PACS-CS lattices  
 Correlation matrices out of tetraquark as well as meson-meson interpolators  
 Binding energies :  $\Delta E_{\bar{b}\bar{b}ud} = 189(10)$  MeV and  $\Delta E_{\bar{b}\bar{b}us} = 98(7)$  MeV

Other existing lattice calculations :

Bicudo et al. 1510.03441, Leskovec et al. 1904.04197

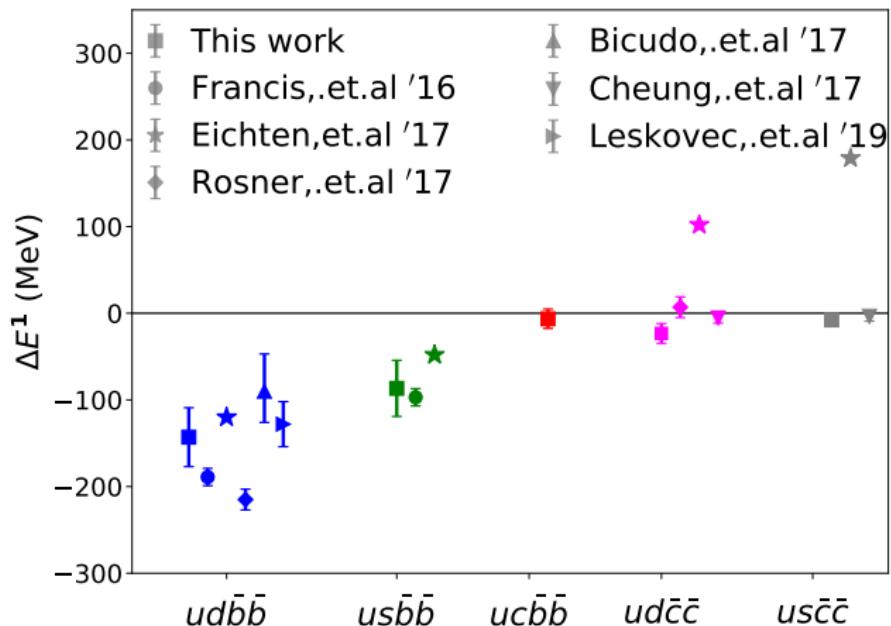
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Junnarkar, Mathur & MP (ILGTI) 1810.12285

- Extensive study of quark mass dependence on binding energies of doubly heavy tetraquarks.
- Correlation matrices out of tetraquark as well as meson-meson interpolators.
- Binding energies from difference in the lowest non-interacting levels.

# Summary doubly heavy tetraquarks ( $J^P = 1^+$ )



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# Summary

- Discussed exploratory investigation of excited  $\Omega_c$  baryon spectrum.  
Highlighted predictions for the quantum numbers of LHCb discovered excited  $\Omega_c$  baryons.
- Summarized lattice QCD predictions for singly and doubly charm baryons.  
Compared lattice results with experimental values.
- Presented precision lattice QCD predictions/postdictions for masses of charmed-bottom hadron ground states. Predictions compared with other existing lattice estimates and postdictions compared with the respective experimental values and other lattice results.
- Beyond conventional hadrons : Promising platforms to study.  
Doubly heavy tetra-quarks: possibly deeply bound states.  
Discussed our study on  $m_q$  dependence of these binding energies.  
Ongoing investigations for  $bc\bar{u}\bar{d}$  tetraquarks.

Thank you...

# Spin identification : $J > \frac{3}{2}$ (L1)

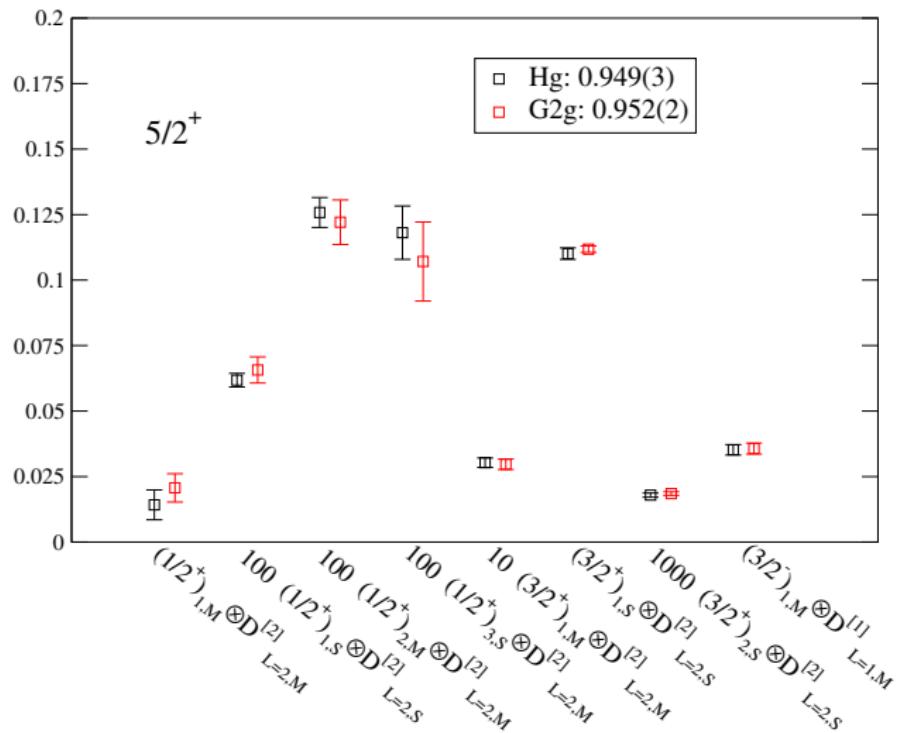
- For example, a continuum operator  $O = [ccc \otimes (\frac{3}{2}^+)_S^1 \otimes D_{L=2,S}^{[2]}]^{J=\frac{5}{2}}$ . Projects on to  $\frac{5}{2}^+$ .
- In the continuum,  $\langle 0 | O | \frac{5}{2}^+ \rangle = Z$ .
- On lattice,  $O$  gets subduced over two lattice irreps  $H_g$  and  $G_{2g}$ .
- Then

$$\langle 0 | O_{H_g} | \frac{5}{2}^+ \rangle = Z_1 \alpha \quad \& \quad \langle 0 | O_{G_{2g}} | \frac{5}{2}^+ \rangle = Z_2 \beta$$

where  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  are the Clebsch-Gordan coefficients.

- If “close” to the continuum, then  $Z \sim Z_1 \sim Z_2$ .

# Overlap factors ( $Z$ ) across multiple irreps : $5/2^+$ (L1)



## Errors in predictions for $bc$ hadrons (L2)

- Wall sources to reduce statistical errors. All well below percent level.
- Discretization errors : Largest found to be in  $\Xi_{bc}$ ,  $\sim 6$  MeV.
- Scale setting : Independently calibrate the lattice using  $\Omega$  baryon.  
This work :  $a = 0.1192(14)$ ,  $0.0877(10)$  and  $0.0582(5)$  fm.  
MILC( $r_1$ ) :  $a = 0.1207(11)$ ,  $0.0888(8)$  and  $0.0582(5)$  fm.  
Largest errors to be  $\sim 6$  MeV.
- Chiral extrapolation : Robust with different extrapolation forms.
- Uncertainties in NRQCD : missing higher order terms,  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 \nu^4)$  and  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha \nu^6)$ .  
 $\sim 4$  MeV for mesons  
 $\sim 5, 5$  and  $6$  MeV for  $bcq$ ,  $bcc$  and  $bbc$  baryons respectively.
- Other sources : Quark mass mis-tuning, unphysical sea quark mass effects, electromagnetism, isospin breaking effects and absence of dynamical bottom quarks collectively to be within few MeV.