



# Charmonium-like channels $1^{+-}$ and $1^{++}$ with isospin 1

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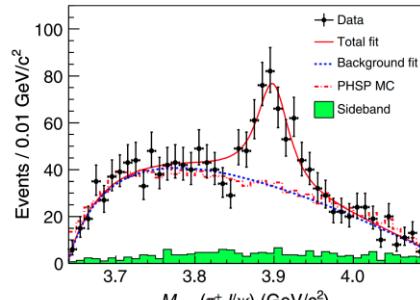
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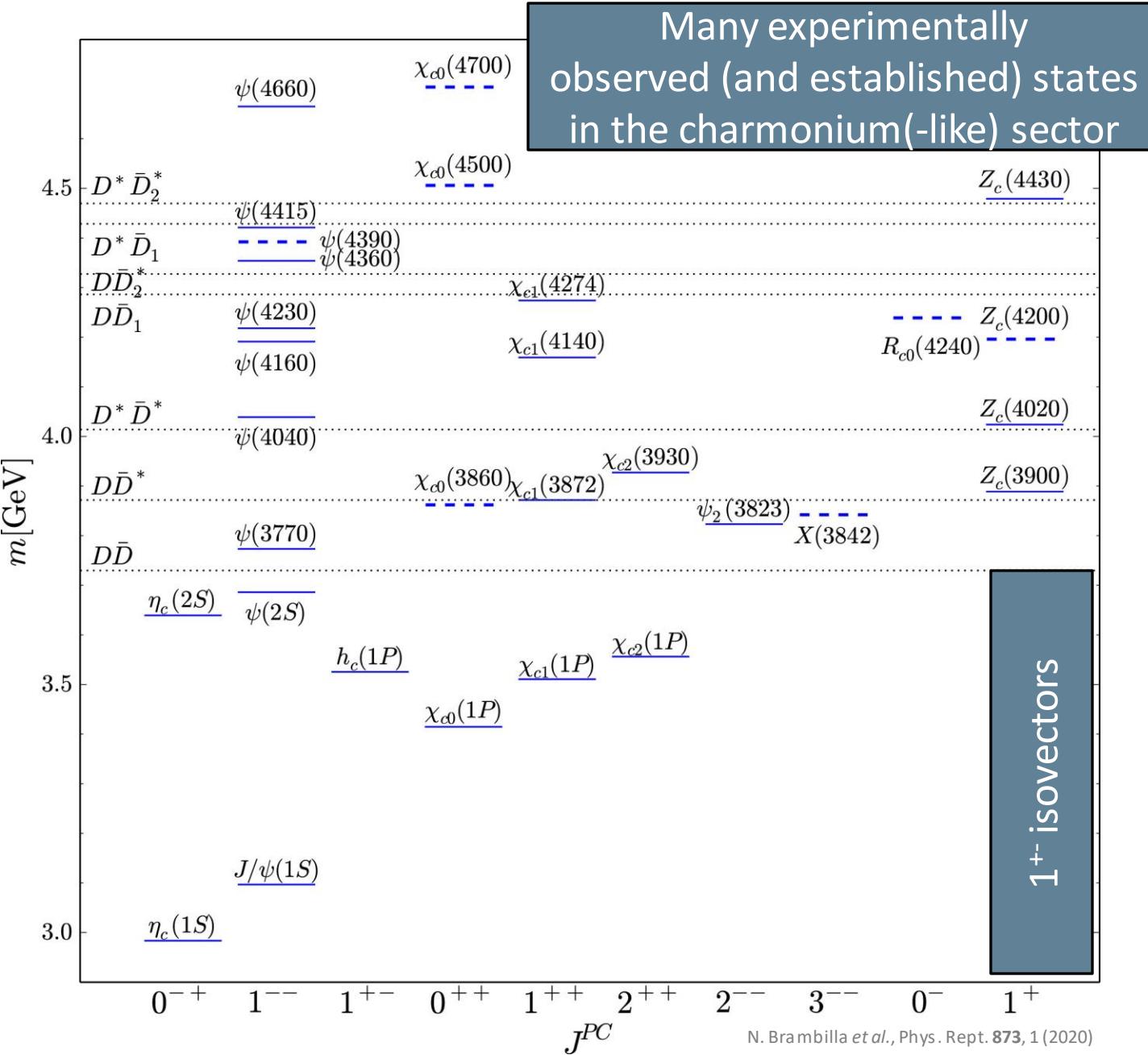
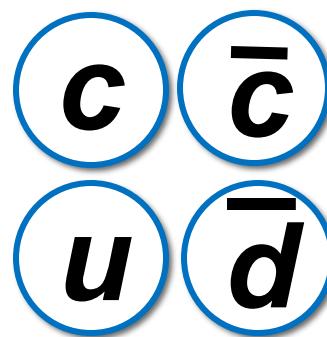
# Motivation

Our focus:

- Charmonium-like resonances
- $|J^{PC}|$ :
  - $1(1^{+-})$  (observed  $Z_c$  states):
    - Manifestly exotic
    - First discoveries of  $Z_c(3900)$ :
      - M. Ablikim *et al.* (BESIII), PRL **110**, 252001 (2013)
      - Z. Q. Liu *et al.* (Belle), PRL **110**, 252002 (2013)
    - Lying on the  $D\bar{D}^*$  threshold



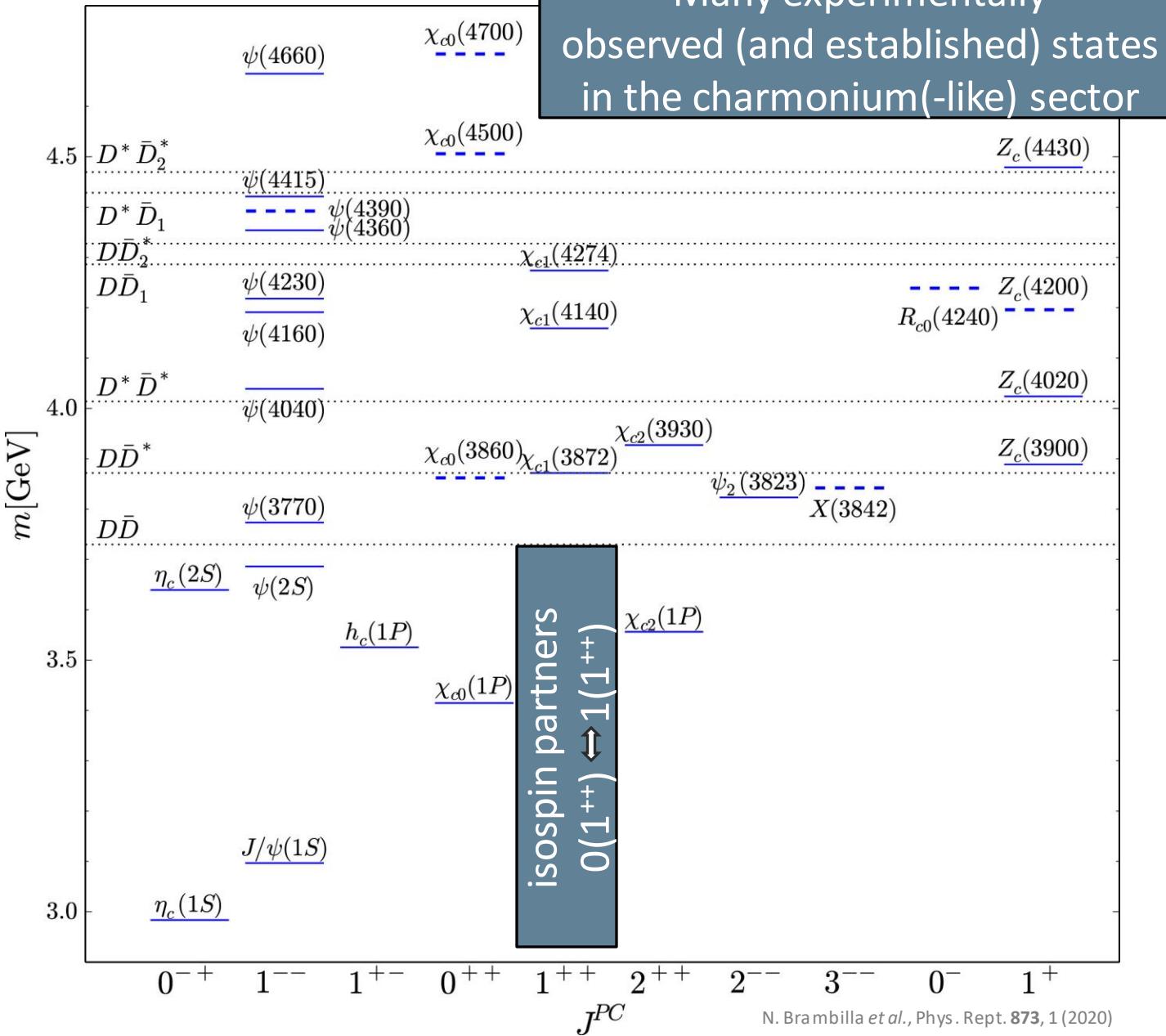
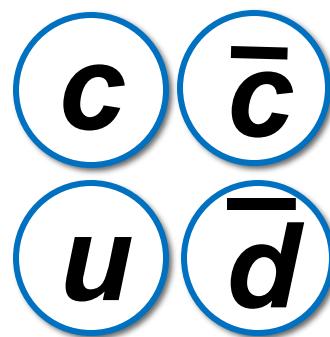
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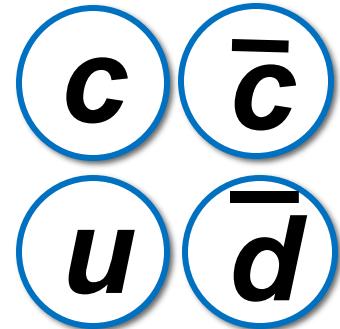
- Charmonium-like resonances
- $|J^{PC}|$ :
  - $1(1^{+-})$
  - $1(1^{++})$ :
    - No experimentally established state
    - A candidate is an isospin partner of  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$  expected in the diquark-antidiquark models
  - Possible candidates (observed but not established;  $1(1^{++})$ ):
    - $X(4050)$
    - $X(4250)$



# Lattice studies so far

$I(J^{PC}) = 1(1^{+-})$  -  $Z_c$  states:

- Lattice studies find almost non-interacting  $D\bar{D}^*$  and  $J/\psi\pi$  eigen-energies:
  - S. Prelovsek and L. Leskovec, Phys. Lett. B **727**, 172 (2013)
  - S. Prelovsek *et al.*, PRD **91**, 014504 (2015)
  - Y. Chen *et al.* (CLQCD), PRD **89**, 094506 (2014)
  - S.-h. Lee *et al.* (Fermilab Lattice, MILC), (2014), arXiv:1411.1389
  - G. K. C. Cheung *et al.* (HSC), JHEP **11**, 033 (2017)
  - T. Chen *et al.* (CLQCD), Chin. Phys. **C43**, 103103 (2019)
- HAL QCD lattice study aimed at  $Z_c(3900)$  – claiming that  $Z_c(3900)^+$  is a threshold cusp suggesting the importance of cross-channel interaction:
  - Y. Ikeda *et al.*, PRL **117**, 242001 (2016)
  - Y. Ikeda, J. Phys **G45**, 024002 (2018)



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  - M. Padmanath, C. B. Lang and S. Prelovsek, PRD **92**, 034501 (2015)

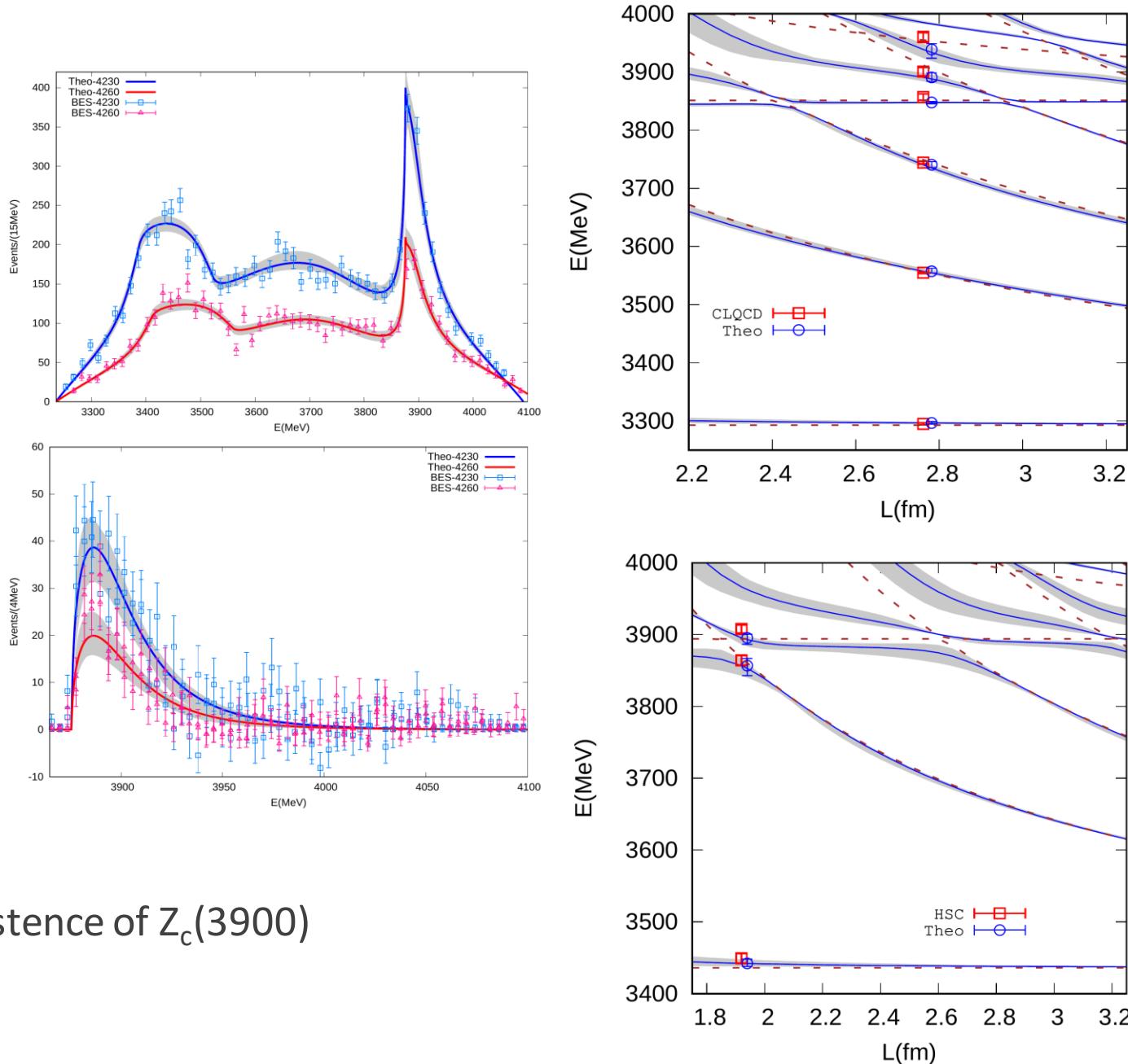
# The latest study on $Z_c(3900)$

L.-W. Yan, Z.-H. Guo, F.-K. Guo, D.-L. Yao, Z.-Y. Zhou,  
(2023), arXiv:2307.12283

- The  $J/\psi\pi$  and  $D\bar{D}^*$  coupled-channel system within a covariant framework
- The  $J/\psi\pi$  and  $D\bar{D}^*$  invariant-mass distributions (BESIII) and lattice QCD<sup>1</sup> energy levels are successfully simultaneously fitted
- Interaction between  $J/\psi\pi$  and  $D\bar{D}^*$  important for the explanation of the  $Z_c(3900)$  peaks
- Used lattice data do not preclude the existence of  $Z_c(3900)$

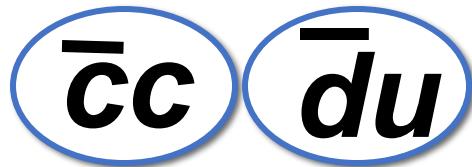
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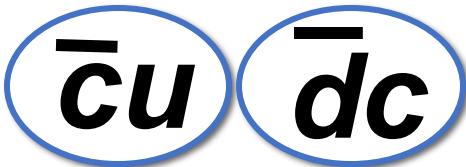


# Overview of our study

- Meson-meson interpolators:
  - Charmonium + light meson



- D +  $\bar{D}^*$  /  $\bar{D}$  +  $D^*$



- No diquark-antidiquark interpolators
  - very little influence found when including them:

M. Padmanath, C. B. Lang and S. Prelovsek, PRD **92**, 034501 (2015)

S. Prelovsek *et al.*, PRD **91**, 014504 (2015)

- 2 different charge parities ( $C = +, -$ )
- 2 ensembles ( $N_L = 24, 32$ )
- 2 lattice irreps:
  - $P = (0,0,0)$ :  $\Lambda^P = T_1^+$
  - $P = (0,0,1)$ :  $\Lambda = A_2$

Note that continuum quantum numbers  $J^P = 1^+$  contribute to those irreps

This is the first lattice study that incorporates 2 different lattice sizes and additionally to  $P = (0,0,0)$  also  $P = (0,0,1)$

# CLS lattice ensembles

dynamical quarks	
$N_F$	2 + 1
a	0.08636(98)(40) fm
$m_\pi$	280(3) MeV
$m_c$	slightly heavier than physical
$M_{av}$	3103(3) MeV
$m_D$	1927(1) MeV
$m_{D^*}$	2049(2) MeV

ensembles	U101	H105
$N_L^3 \times N_T$	$24^3 \times 128$	$32^3 \times 96$
configurations	255	492
Laplacian eigenvectors (quark fields are smeared with the 'Distillation' method)	90	100

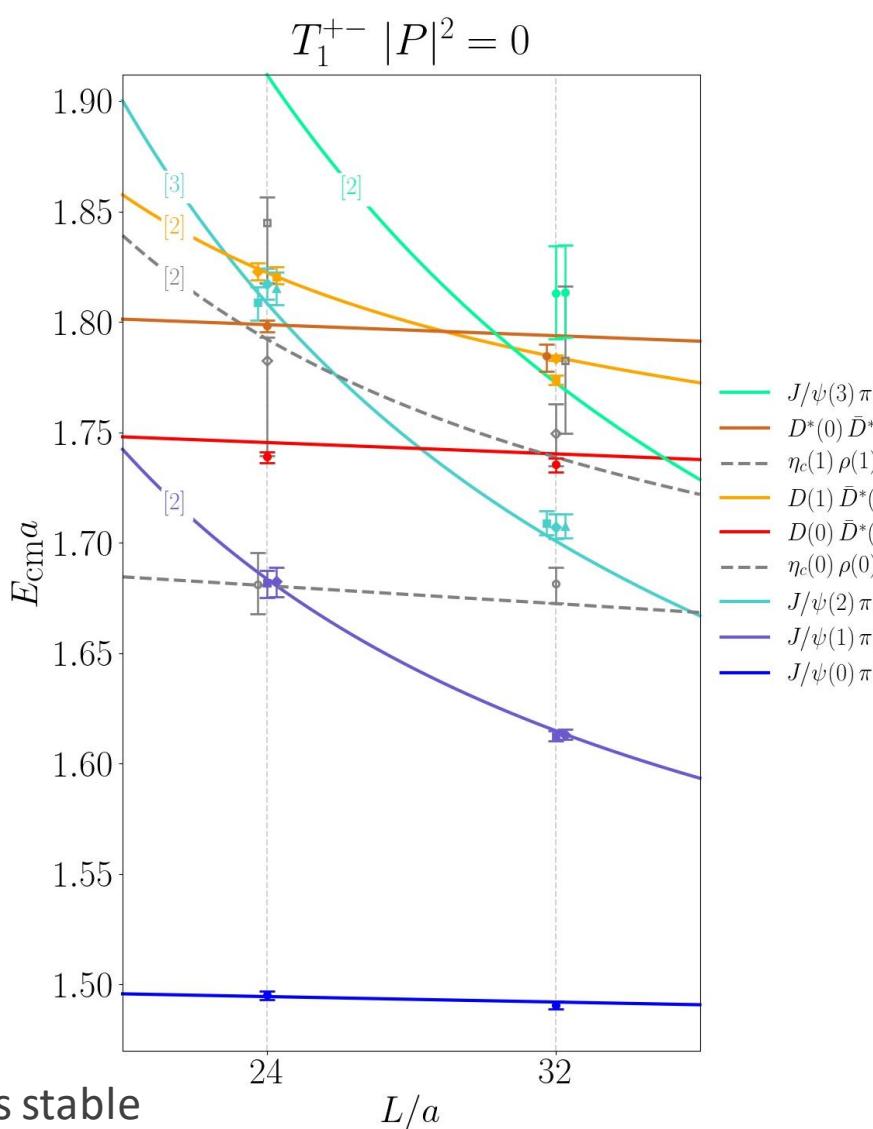
# Lattice spectra ( $C = -$ , $Z_C$ )

**N<sub>L</sub> = 24**  
15 interpolators

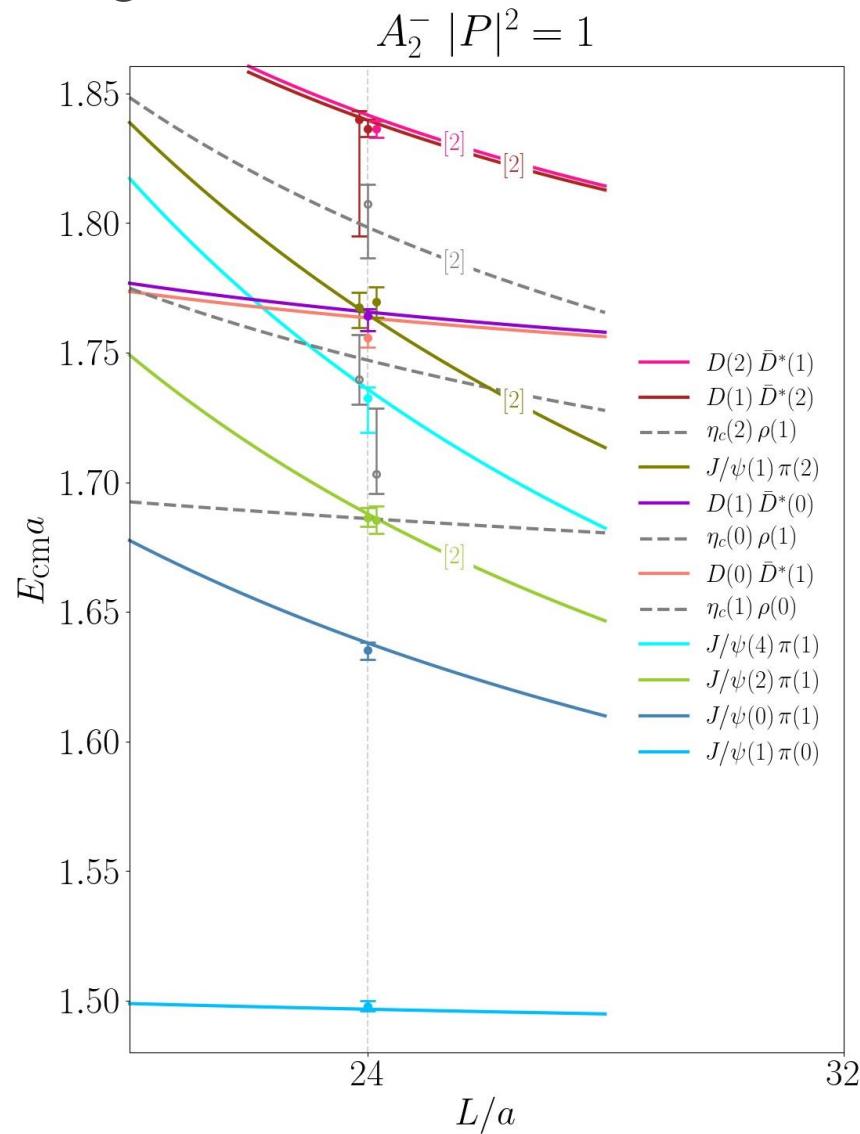
- $J/\psi(0)\pi(0)$
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- $J/\psi(1)\pi(1)$
- $J/\psi(2)\pi(2)$
- $J/\psi(2)\pi(2)$
- $J/\psi(2)\pi(2)$
- $\eta_c(0)\rho(0)$
- $\eta_c(1)\rho(1)$
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- $\bar{D}^*(0)D(0)$
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- $\bar{D}^*(0)D^*(0)$

**N<sub>L</sub> = 32**  
21 interpolators

- $J/\psi(3)\pi(3)$
- $J/\psi(3)\pi(3)$
- $\eta_c(2)\rho(2)$
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- $\eta_c(2)\rho(2)$
- $h_c(1)\pi(1)$



Note:  $\rho$  treated as stable

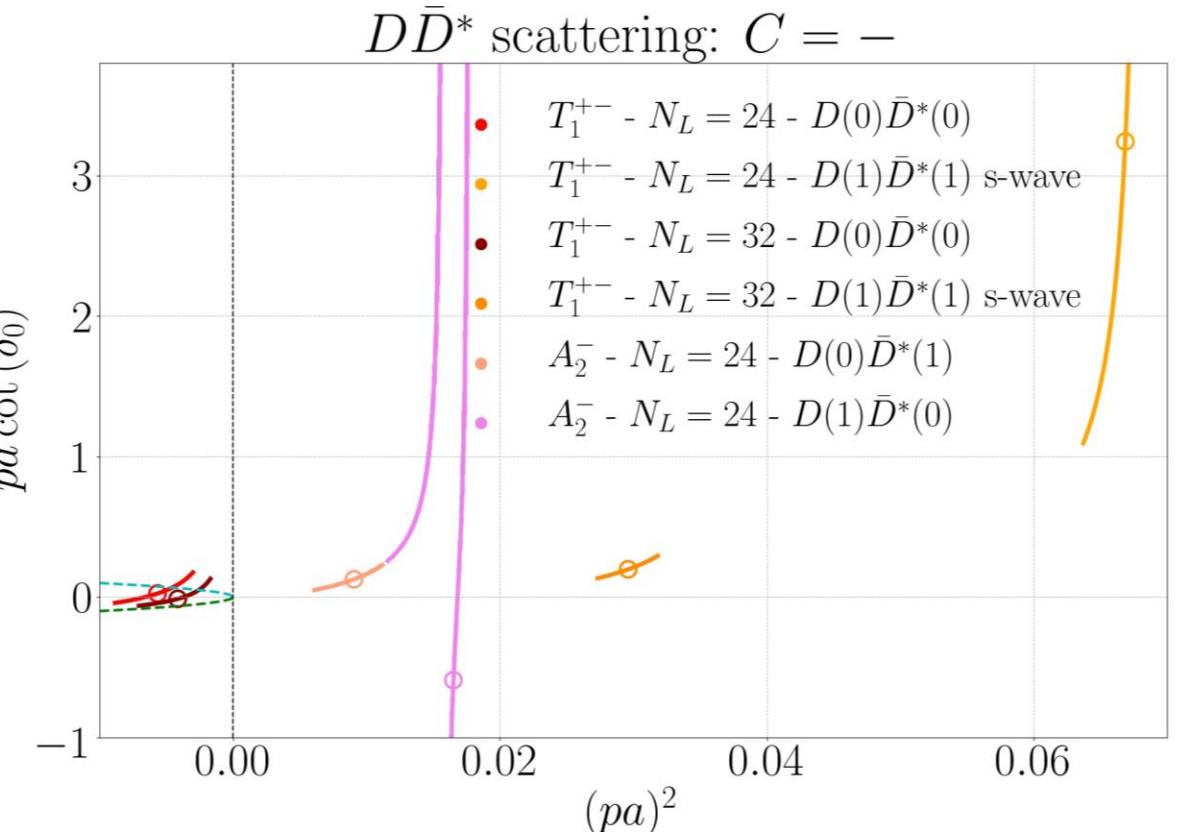
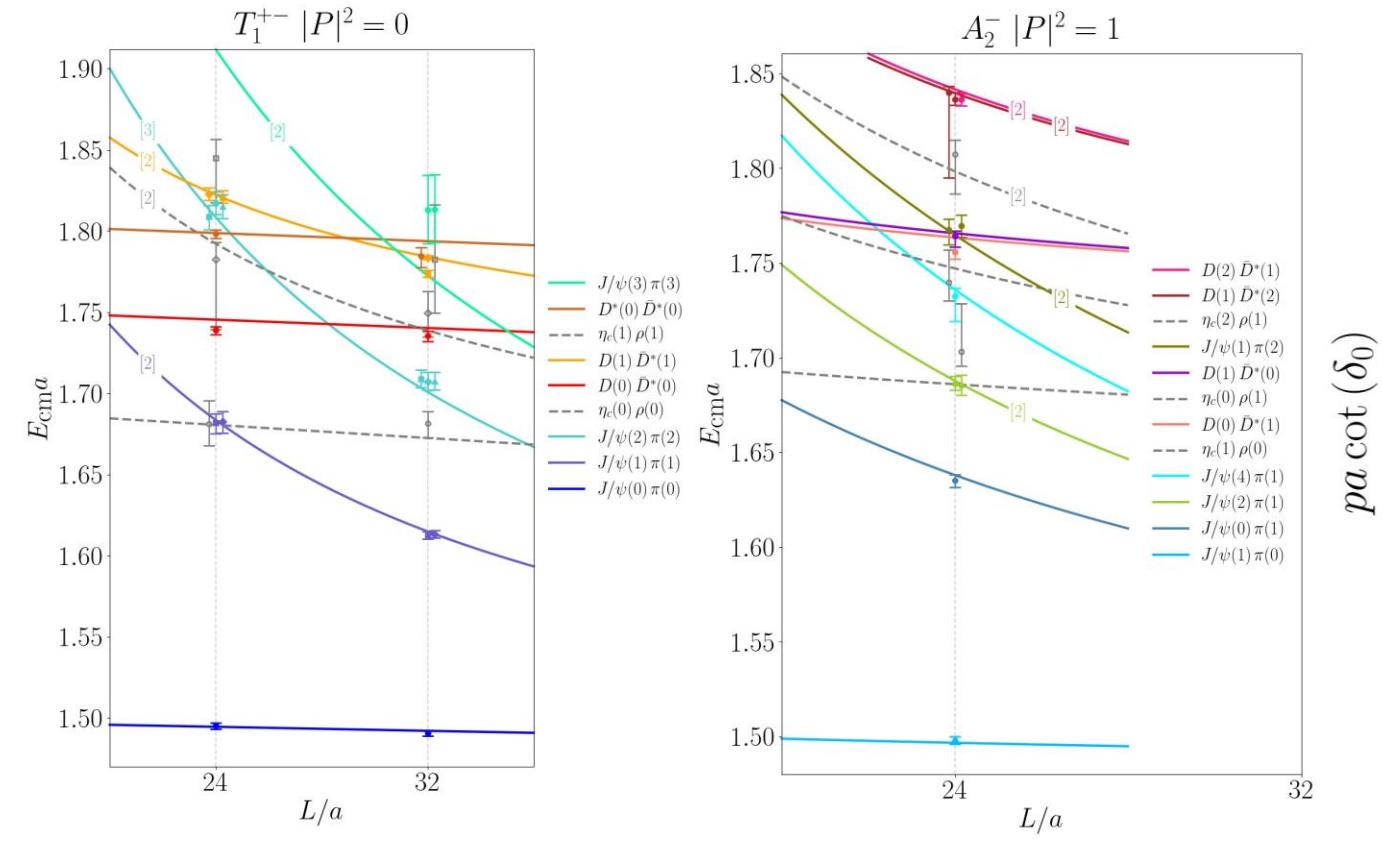


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- $J/\psi(1)\pi(2)$
- $J/\psi(1)\pi(2)$
- $J/\psi(4)\pi(1)$
- $\eta_c(1)\rho(0)$
- $\eta_c(0)\rho(1)$
- $\eta_c(2)\rho(1)$
- $\bar{D}^*(0)D(1)$
- $\bar{D}^*(1)D(0)$
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# Elastic $D\bar{D}^*$ scattering ( $C = -$ , $Z_C$ )

Phase shift plots are obtained assuming negligible coupling to  $J/\psi\pi$  and  $\eta_c\rho$

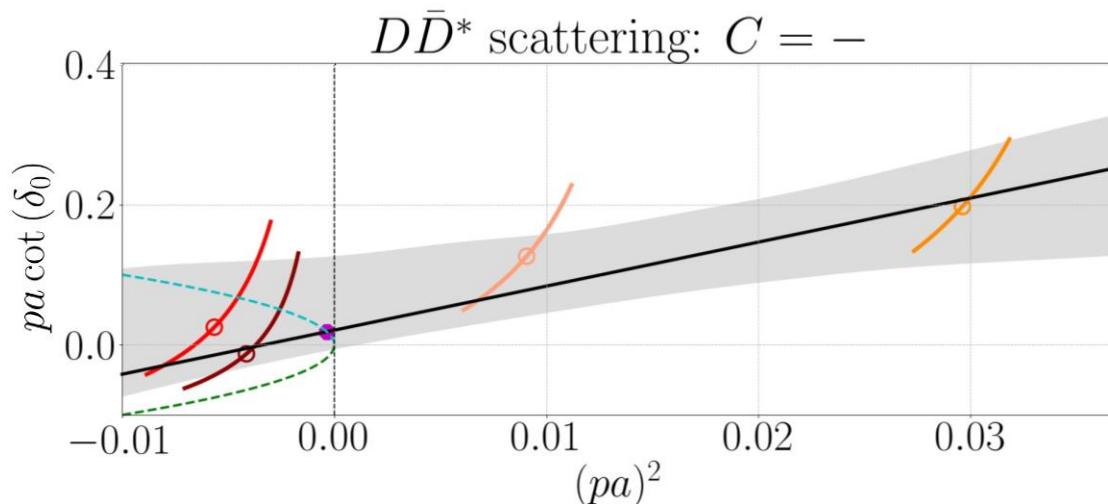


# Elastic $D\bar{D}^*$ scattering amplitude ( $C = -$ , $Z_C$ )

$$p \cot(\delta_0(p)) = \frac{1}{a_0} + \frac{1}{2} r_0 p^2 + \dots$$

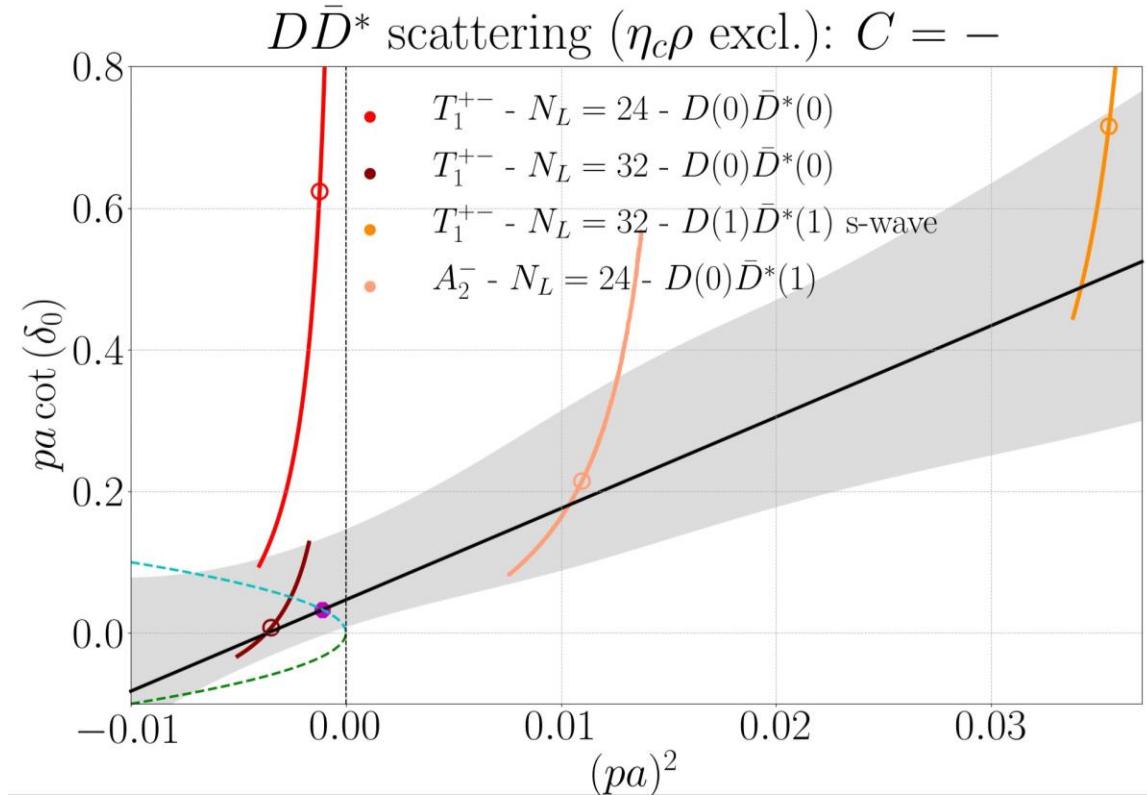
$$1/a_0 = 0.24 \left( {}^{+1.21}_{-0.30} \right) \text{ fm}^{-1}$$

$$r_0 = 1.08 \left( {}^{+0.32}_{-0.93} \right) \text{ fm}$$

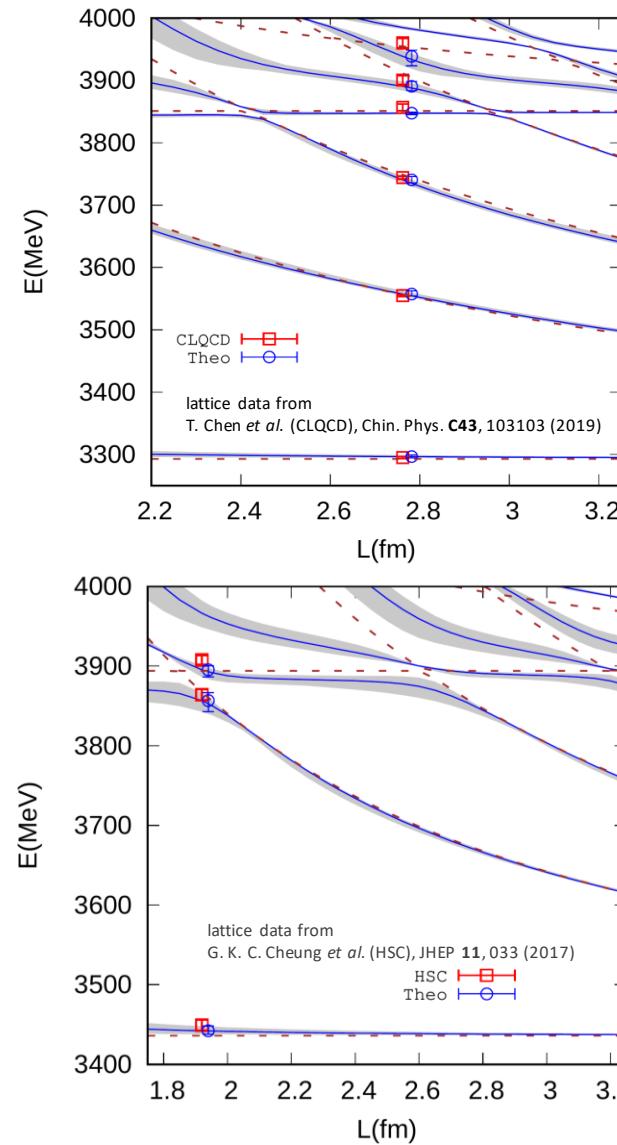
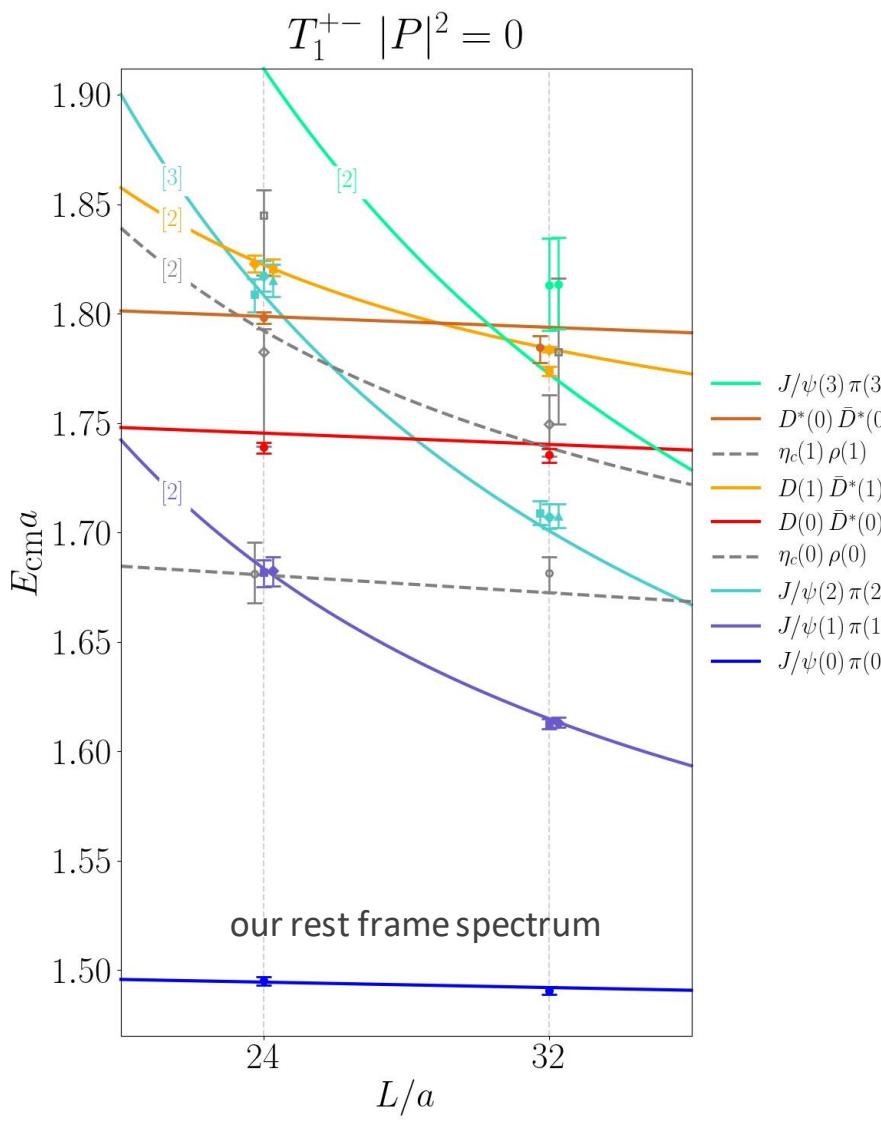


$$1/a_0 = 0.54 \left( {}^{+1.07}_{-0.44} \right) \text{ fm}^{-1}$$

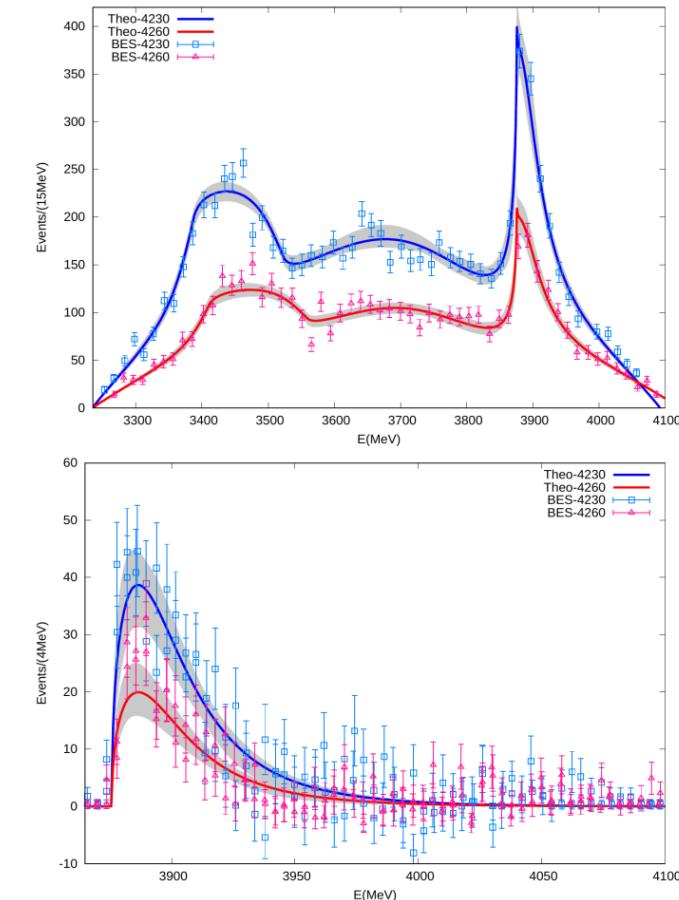
$$r_0 = 2.23 \left( {}^{+0.95}_{-1.08} \right) \text{ fm}$$



# Reconciling experiment and lattice results of $Z_c(3900)$



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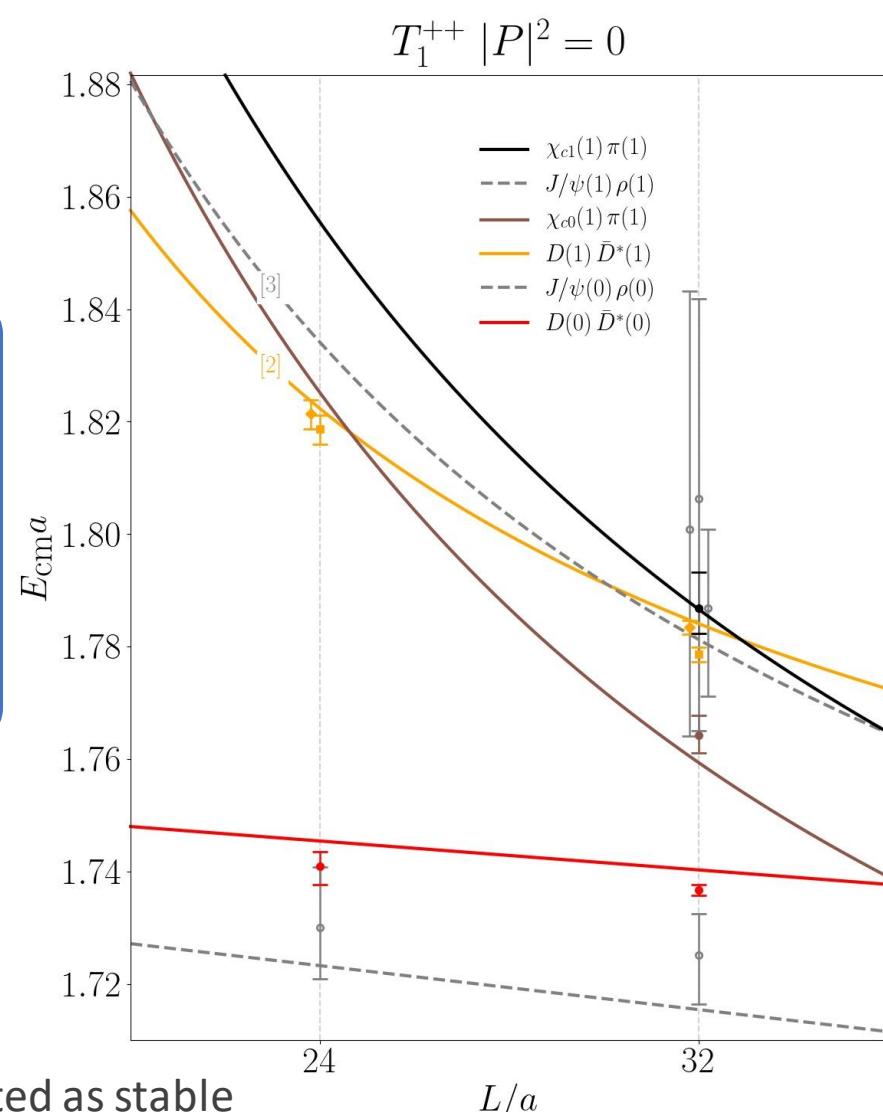


# Lattice spectra ( $C = +$ , isospin partner of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ )

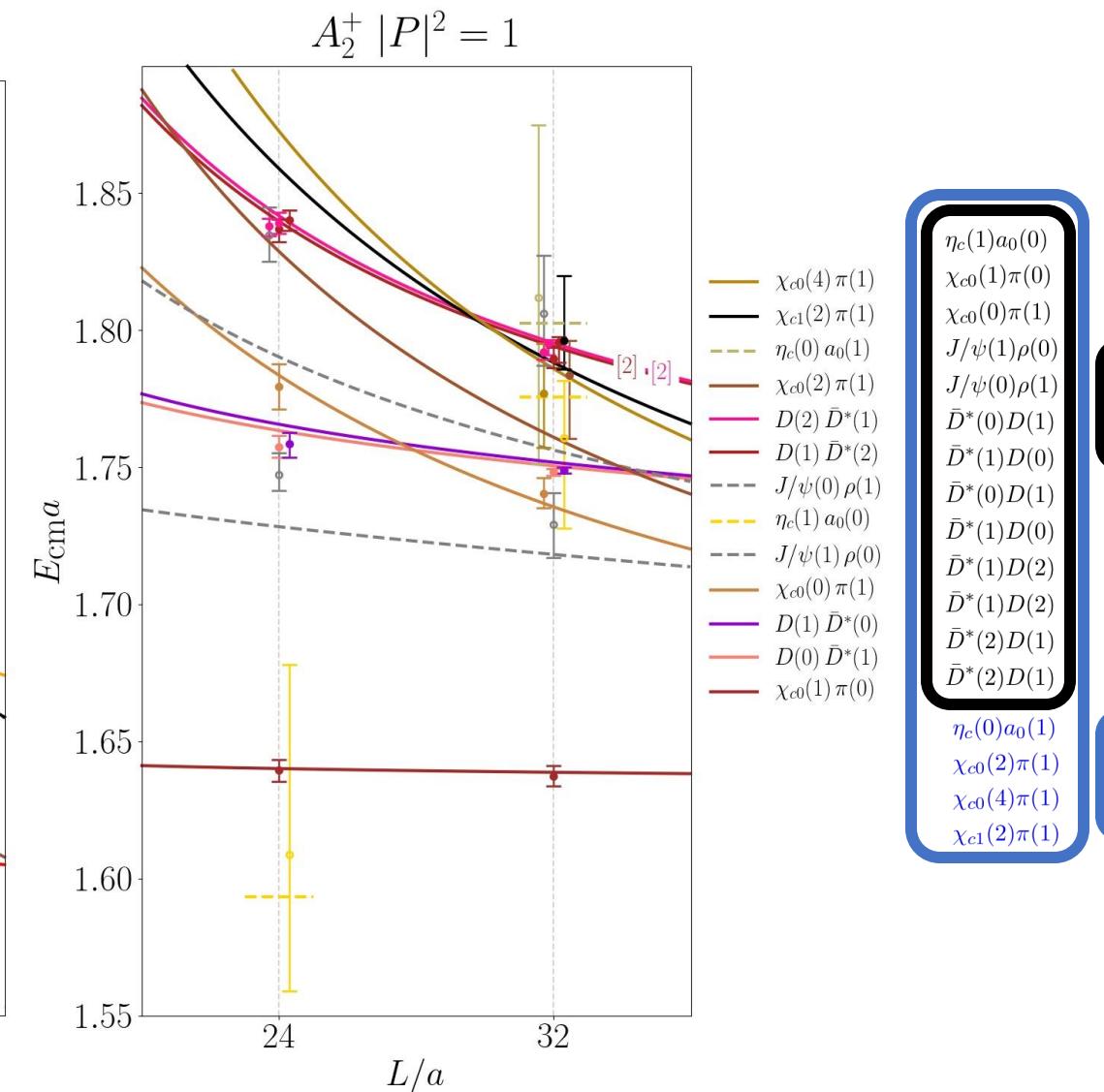
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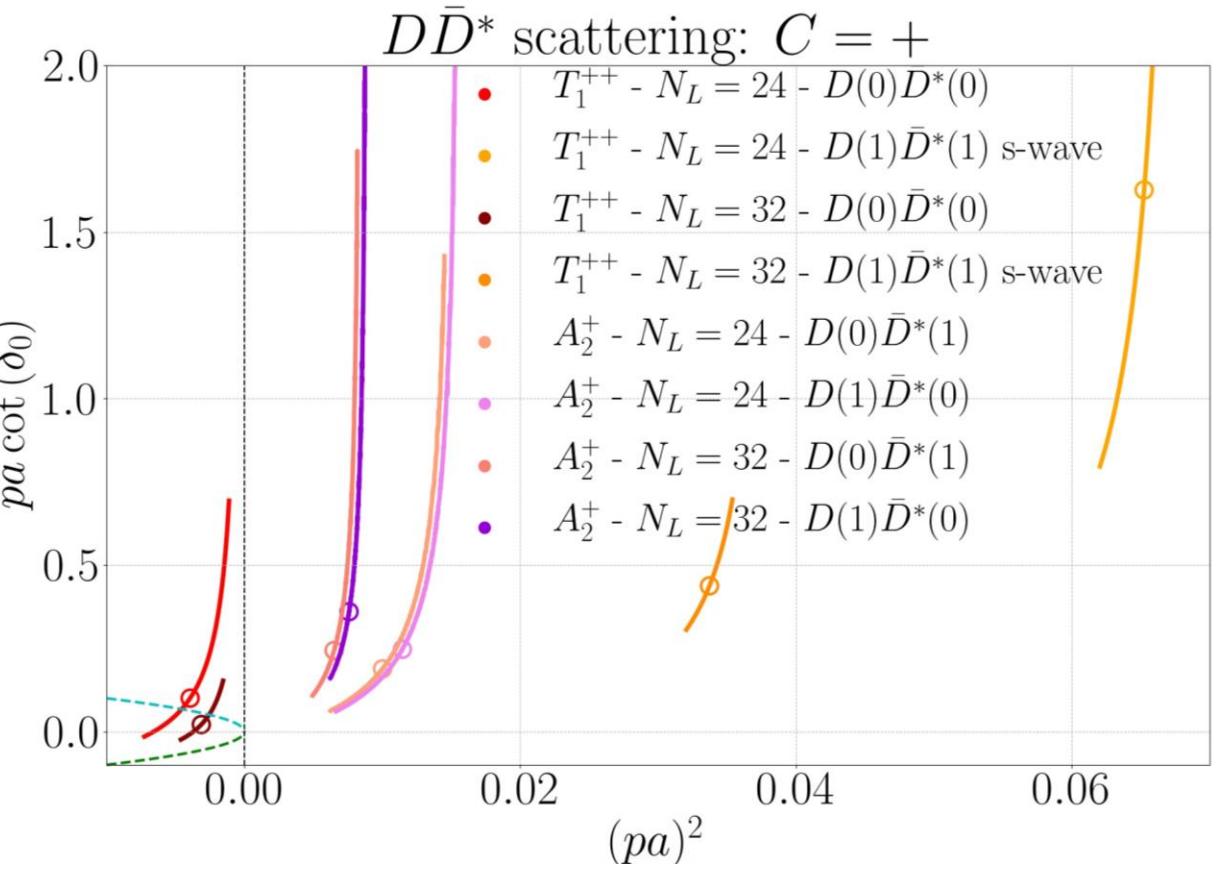
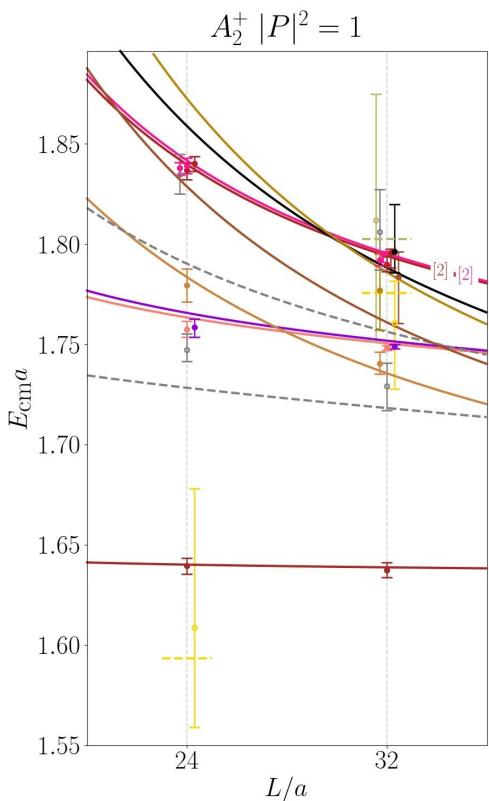
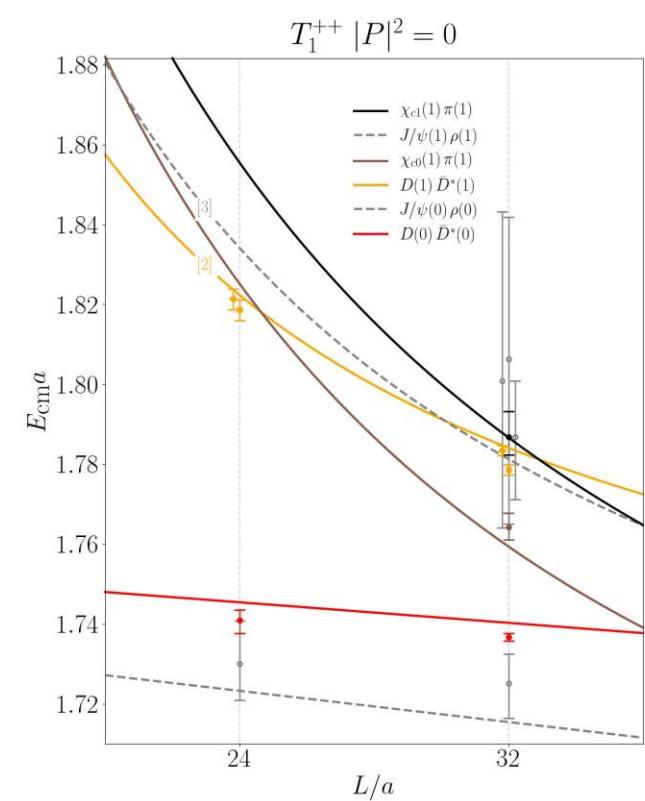
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- $\eta_c(1)a_0(0)$
- $\chi_{c0}(1)\pi(0)$
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- $\bar{D}^*(1)D(0)$
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- $\bar{D}^*(1)D(2)$
- $\chi_{c0}(0)\pi(1)$
- $D(1)\bar{D}^*(0)$
- $D(0)\bar{D}^*(1)$
- $\chi_{c0}(1)\pi(0)$
- $\eta_c(0)a_0(1)$
- $\chi_{c0}(2)\pi(1)$
- $\chi_{c0}(4)\pi(1)$
- $\chi_{c1}(2)\pi(1)$

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17 interpolators

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# Elastic $D\bar{D}^*$ scattering amplitude

( $C = +$ , isospin partner of  $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ )

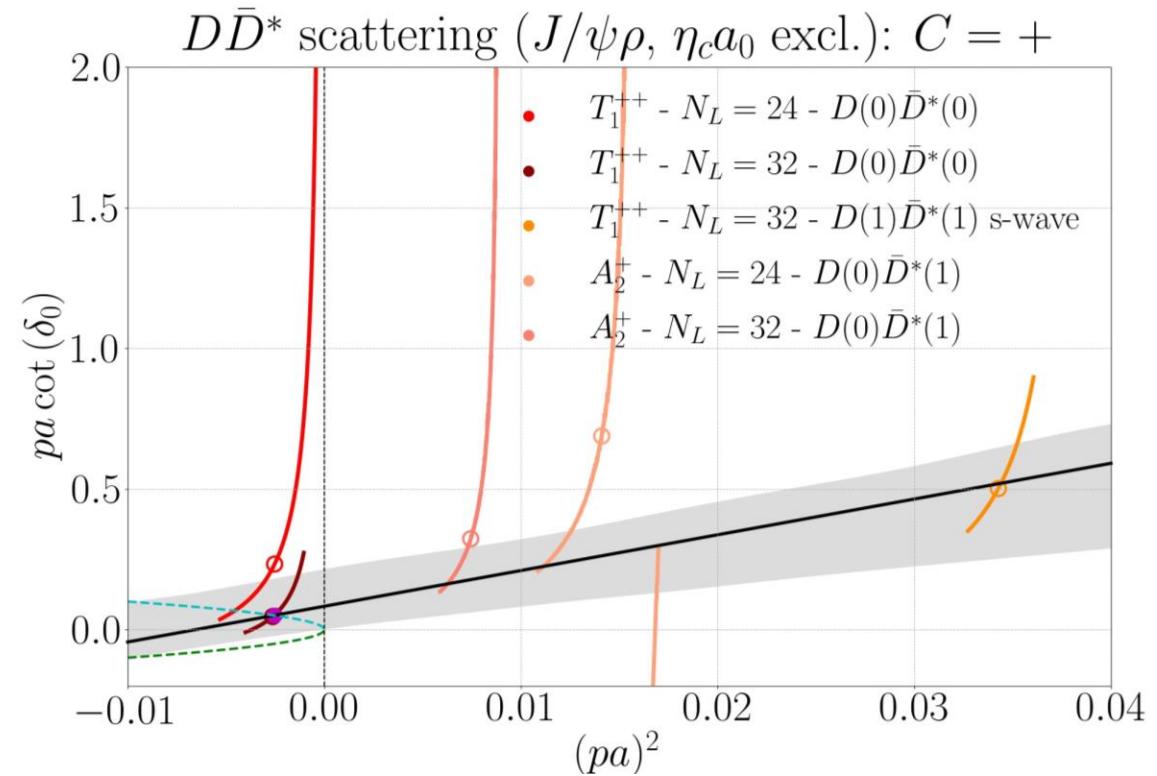
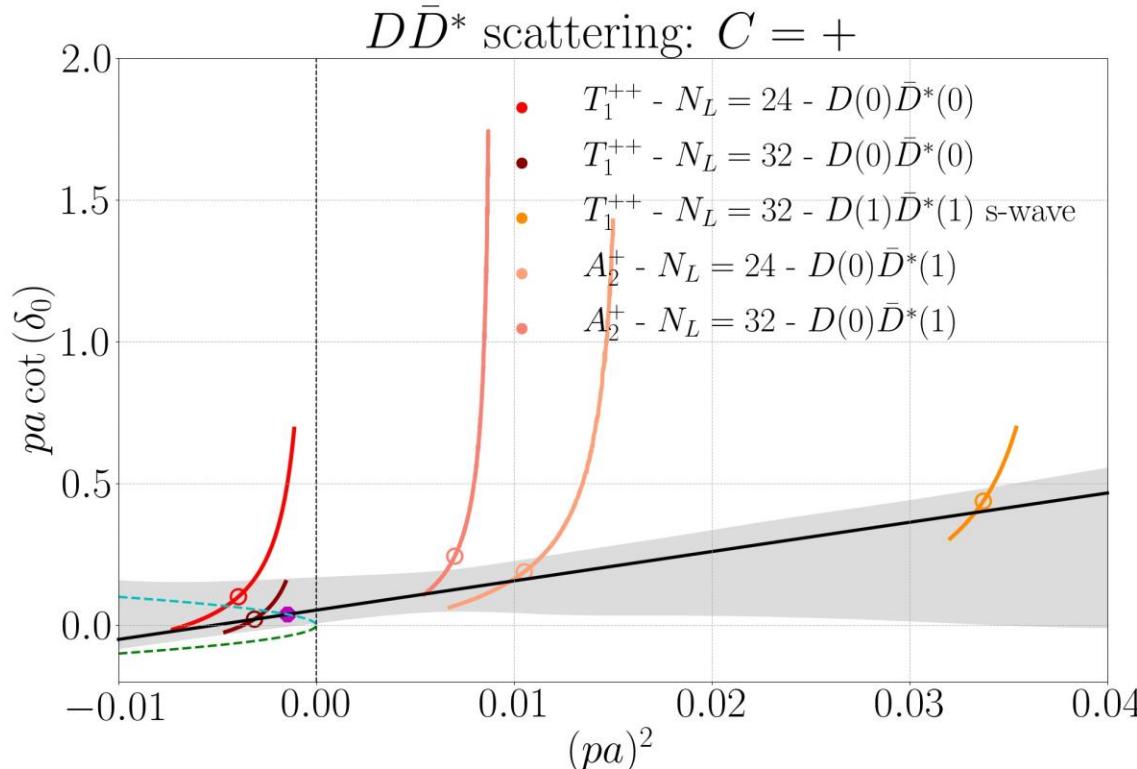
$$1/a_0 = 0.62 \left( \begin{array}{l} +1.30 \\ -0.51 \end{array} \right) \text{ fm}^{-1}$$

$$r_0 = 1.78 \left( \begin{array}{l} +0.25 \\ -2.44 \end{array} \right) \text{ fm}$$

$$p \cot(\delta_0(p)) = \frac{1}{a_0} + \frac{1}{2} r_0 p^2 + \dots$$

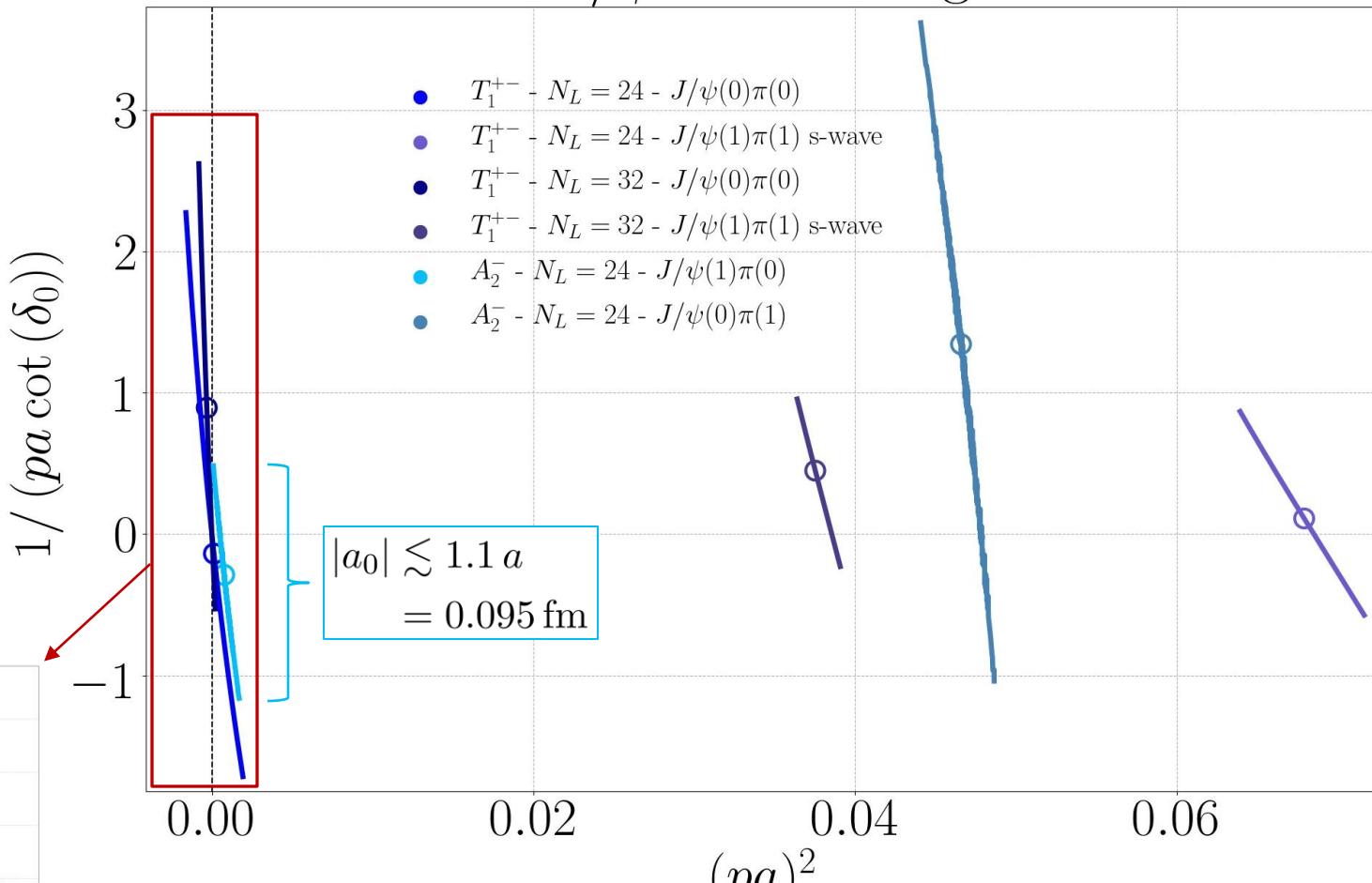
$$1/a_0 = 0.96 \left( \begin{array}{l} +1.42 \\ -0.91 \end{array} \right) \text{ fm}^{-1}$$

$$r_0 = 2.19 \left( \begin{array}{l} +0.36 \\ -1.00 \end{array} \right) \text{ fm}$$



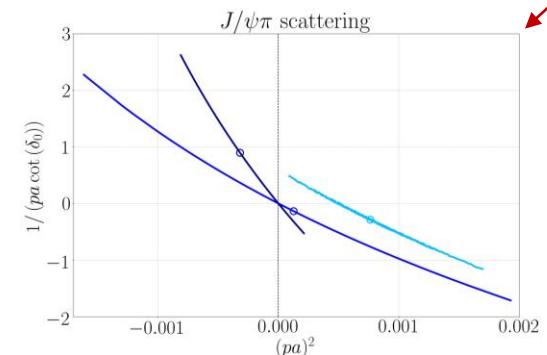
# One-channel $J/\psi\pi$ scattering in the $I(J^{PC}) = 1(1^{+-})$ channel

$J/\psi\pi$  scattering

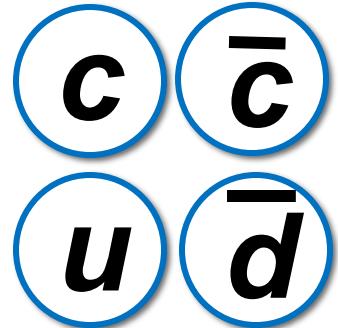


- $J/\psi\pi$  meson-meson states have negligible energy shift
- These results already constrain the upper bound of  $|a_0|$

$$p \cot(\delta_0(p)) = \frac{1}{a_0} + \dots$$



# Conclusions



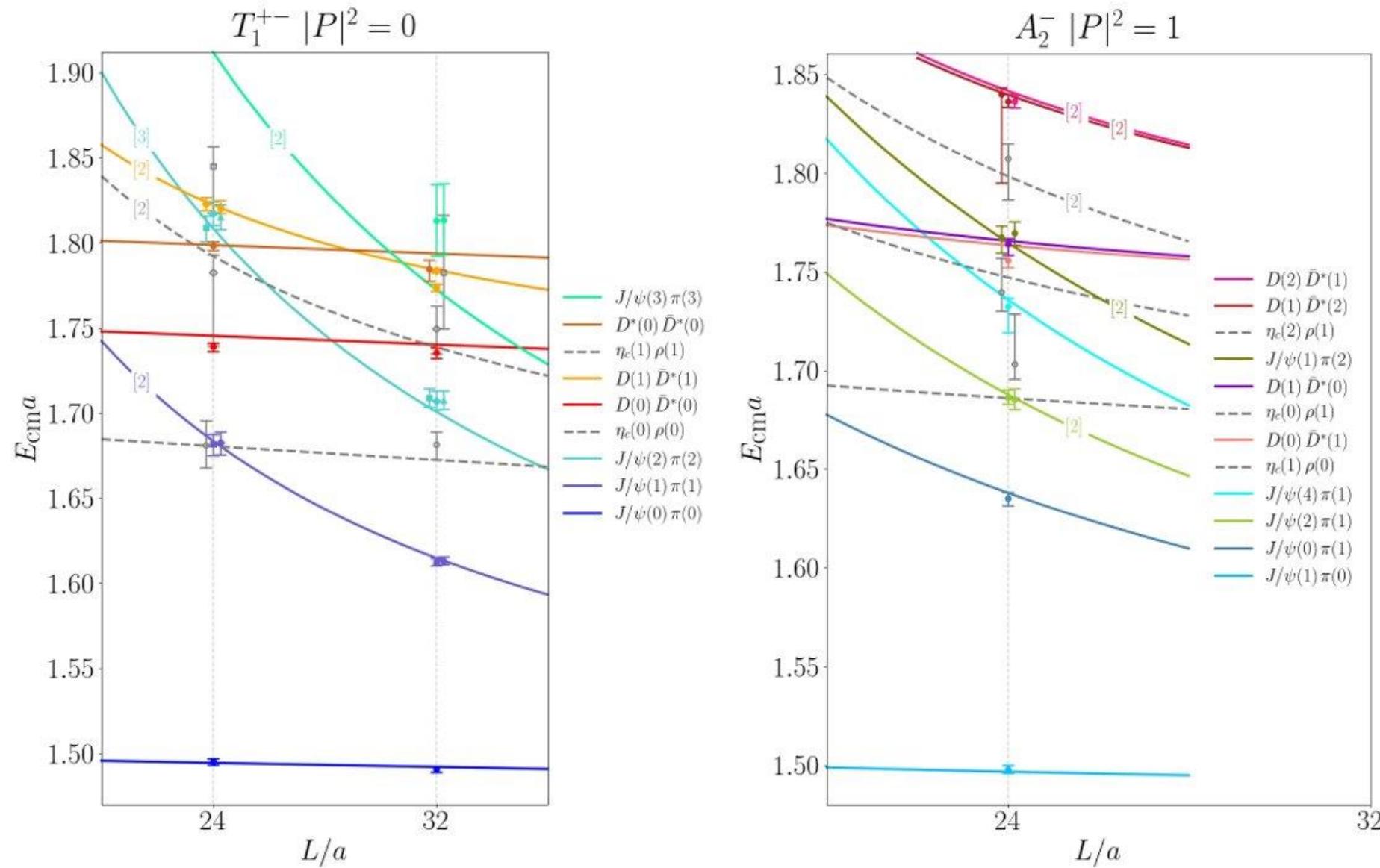
- Investigation of the exotic charmonium-like spectrum  $1(1^{+\pm})$ 
    - Scattering amplitude assuming **decoupled**  $D\bar{D}^*$  scattering close to the threshold
  - Thresholds  $J/\Psi\pi$ ,  $\eta_c\rho$  ( $J/\Psi\rho$ ) in the  $1^{+-}$  ( $1^{++}$ ) channel lie below the  $D\bar{D}^*$  threshold
    - Large uncertainties of higher-lying  $D\bar{D}^*$  eigen-energies
    - Large uncertainties of the scattering amplitude
  - Previous and current lattice studies find relatively non-interacting eigen-energies
    - but according to a recent paper [arXiv:2307.12283](https://arxiv.org/abs/2307.12283), lattice data which were jointly fitted with the experiment in a  $J/\Psi\pi$ ,  $D\bar{D}^*$  **coupled-channel** framework do not preclude the existence of  $Z_c(3900)$
- > Our data show slightly more attraction compared to previous lattice data
- > OUTLOOK: It will be interesting to see whether our spectra reconcile with the experiment

Thank you for  
your attention

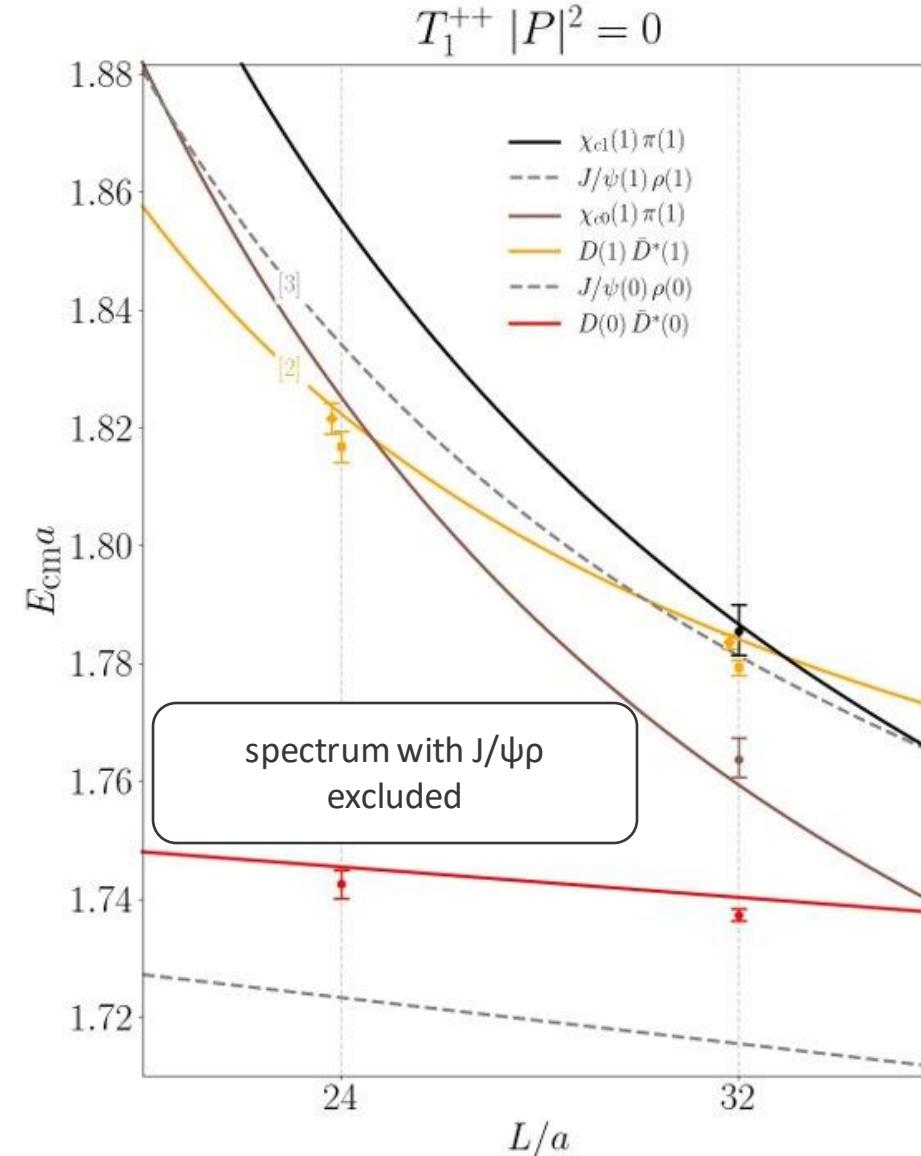
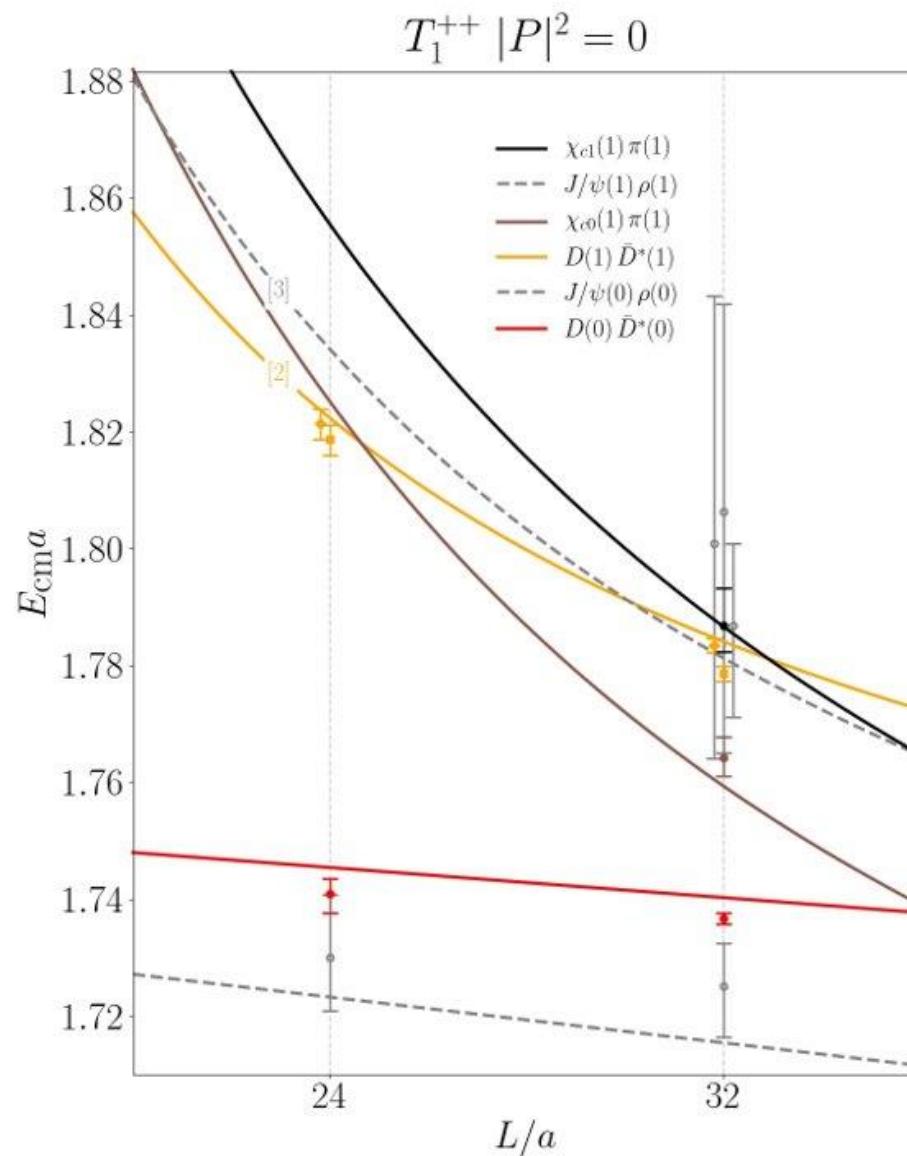




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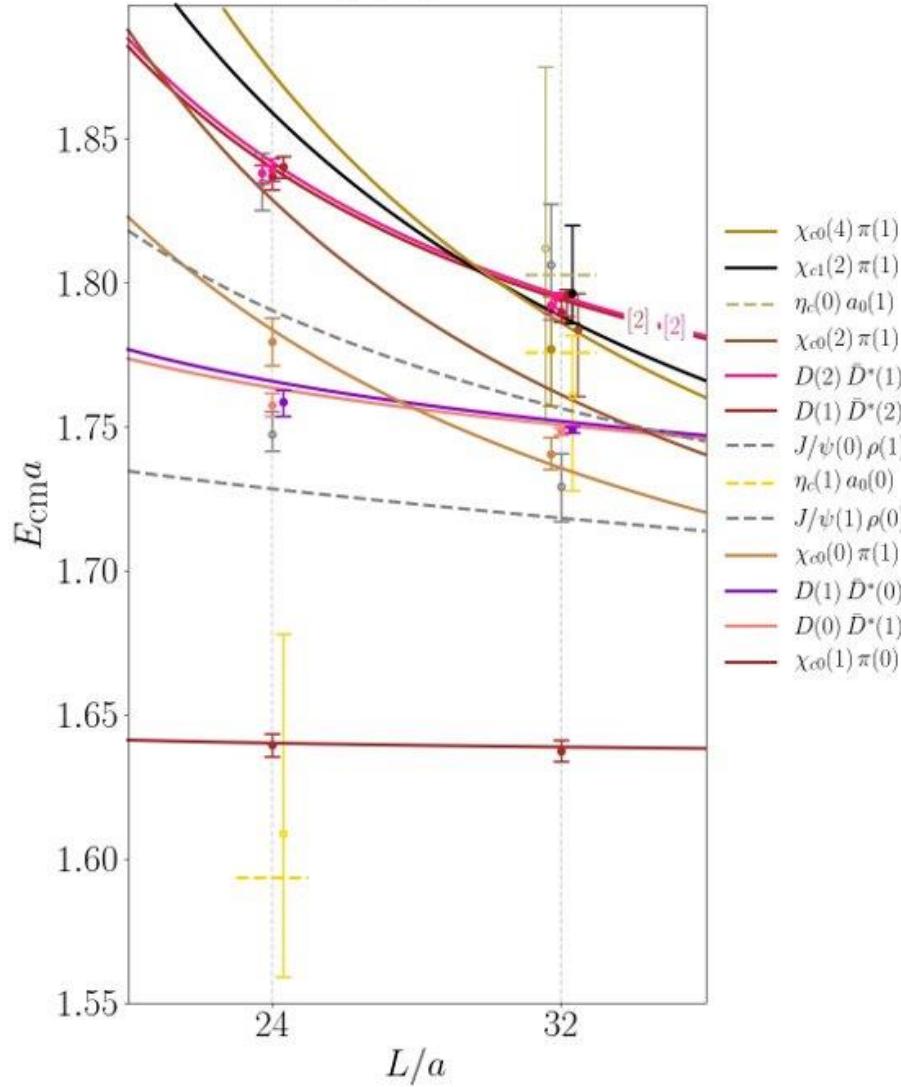


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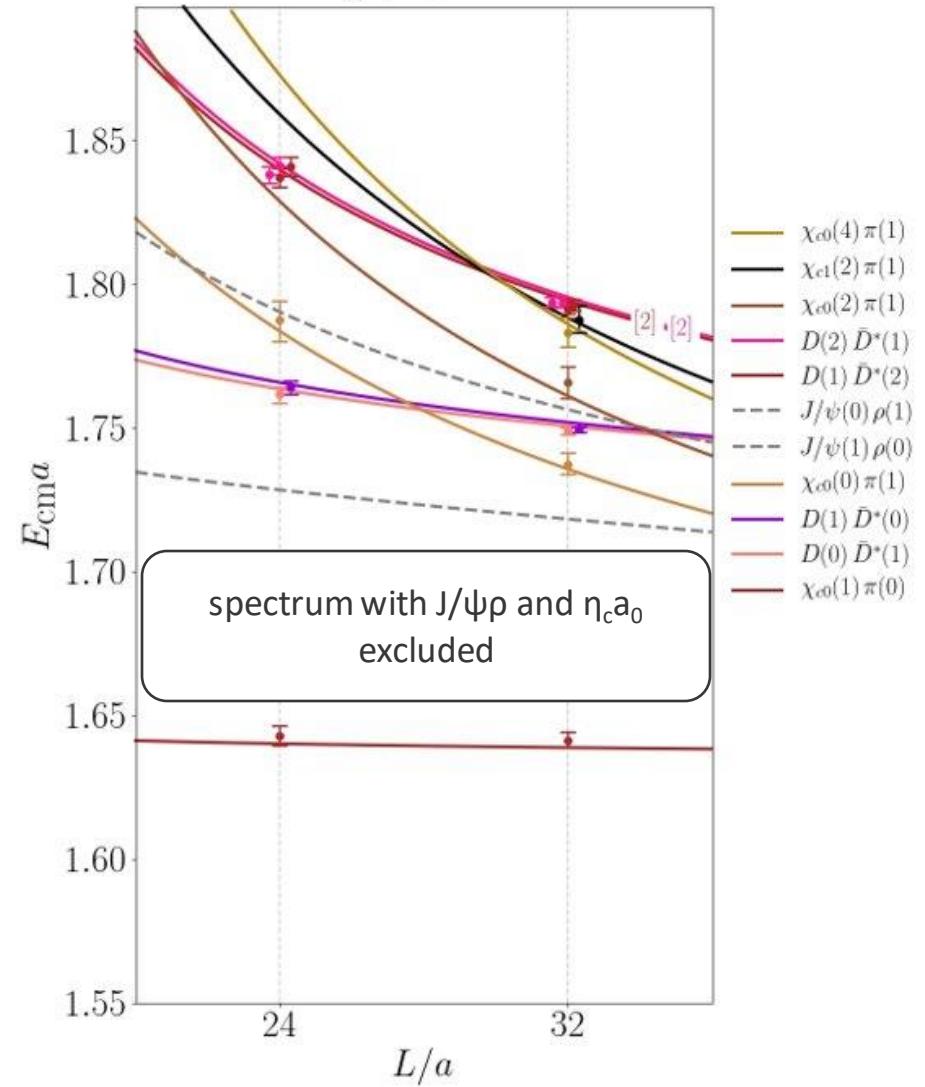


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$$A_2^+ |P|^2 = 1$$



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# Backup – our procedure

- Extract the finite volume spectrum (in 2 inertial frames and for 2 different lattice volumes):
  - Eigen-energies from the single-exponential fits to the eigenvalues  $\lambda^{(n)}(t) \propto e^{-E_n^{\text{lat}} t}$  of the from generalized eigenvalue problem  $C(t)v^{(n)}(t) = \lambda^{(n)}(t)C(t_0)v^{(n)}(t)$
- Consider only single channel (*s*-wave)  $D\bar{D}^*$  scattering
  - Assume elastic scattering near the threshold
- Fit effective range parameters  $p \cot(\delta_0(p)) = \frac{1}{a_0} + \frac{1}{2}r_0 p^2 + \dots$   
to  $p \cot(\delta_l(p)) = \frac{2\mathcal{Z}_{00}^{\mathbf{d}} \left(1, \left(\frac{pL}{2\pi}\right)^2\right)}{\gamma\sqrt{\pi}L}$   
determined via Lüscher relation from lattice energy levels  $E_{cm}$

We minimize  $\chi^2$  with the residue  $\Omega(E_{cm}) = \frac{\det(A)}{\det((\mu^2 + AA^\dagger)^{1/2})}$  , where  $A(E_{cm}) = \tilde{K}^{-1}(E_{cm}) - B(E_{cm})$

according to determinant residual method proposed by C. Morningstar *et al.*, Nucl. Phys. B 924, 477 (2017)

# Utilized interpolators

$$\mathbf{P} = (0,0,0), \Lambda^{PC} = T_1^{+-}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = (0,0,1), \Lambda^C = A_2^-$$

$$\mathbf{P} = (0,0,0), \Lambda^{PC} = T_1^{++}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = (0,0,1), \Lambda^C = A_2^+$$

$J/\psi(0)\pi(0)$   
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 $\eta_c(0)\rho(0)$   
 $\eta_c(1)\rho(1)$   
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 $\bar{D}^*(0)D^*(0)$

**N<sub>L</sub> = 24**  
**15 interpolators**

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$J/\psi(3)\pi(3)$   
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 $h_c(1)\pi(1)$

$J/\psi(1)\pi(0)$   
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 $\eta_c(1)\rho(0)$   
 $\eta_c(0)\rho(1)$   
 $\eta_c(2)\rho(1)$   
 $\eta_c(2)\rho(1)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(0)D(1)$   
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 $\bar{D}^*(1)D(1)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(1)D(1)$   
 $J/\psi(1)\rho(1)$   
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 $\chi_{c0}(1)\pi(1)$   
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 $\chi_{c0}(1)\pi(0)$   
 $\chi_{c0}(0)\pi(1)$   
 $J/\psi(1)\rho(0)$   
 $J/\psi(0)\rho(1)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(0)D(1)$   
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 $\bar{D}^*(1)D(2)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(1)D(2)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(2)D(1)$   
 $\bar{D}^*(2)D(1)$   
 $\eta_c(0)a_0(1)$   
 $\chi_{c0}(2)\pi(1)$   
 $\chi_{c0}(4)\pi(1)$   
 $\chi_{c1}(2)\pi(1)$

**N<sub>L</sub> = 24**  
**13 interpolators**

**N<sub>L</sub> = 32**  
**17 interpolators**