

# $|V_{cs}|$ determination and LFU test in charm decays at



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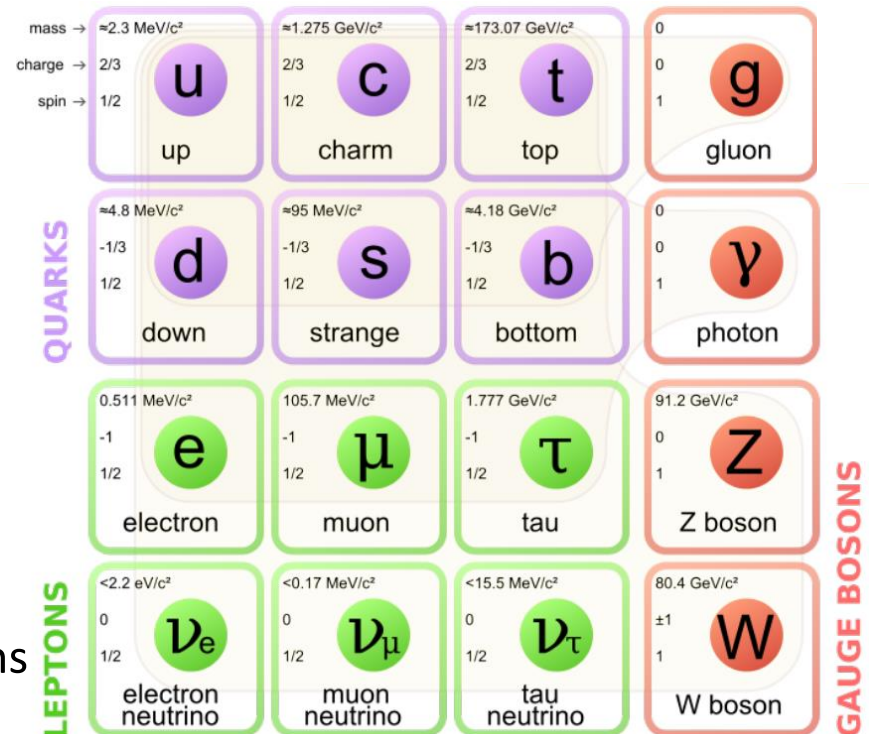
# Physics motivation

- ★ Precise measurement of CKM matrix element  $|V_{cs}|$ , to **test the unitarity of**

## CKM matrix

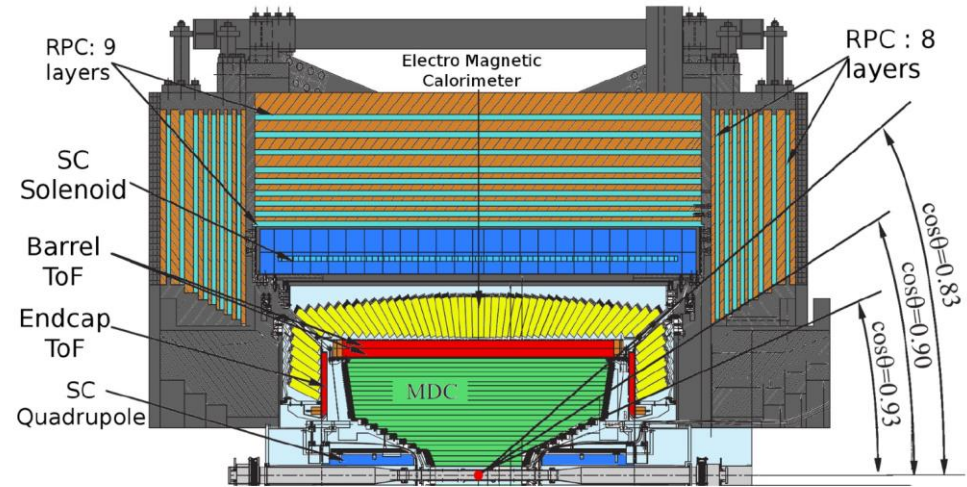
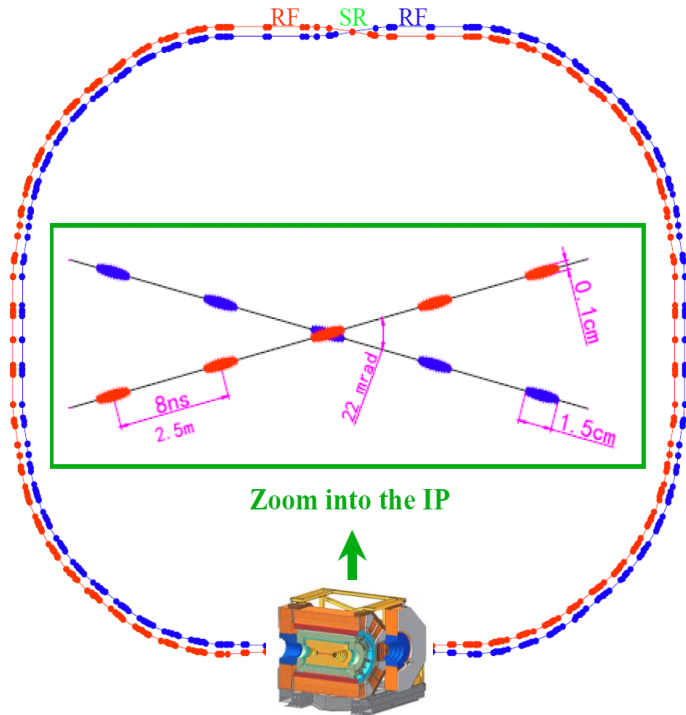
$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

- ★ In SM, Lepton Flavor Universality (LFU) requires equality of couplings between three families of leptons and gauge bosons



- ★ Leptonic decays of charmed hadrons, well understood in the SM, offer an excellent opportunity to **test LFU and search for new physics effects.**

# The BESIII detector at BEPCII collider



**MDC**

$$\frac{\delta p}{p} < 0.5\% \text{ @1 GeV}$$

$$\frac{\delta(dE/dx)}{dE/dx} < 6\%$$

**TOF**

$$\delta t \text{ 80 ps Barrel}$$

$$\delta t \text{ 110 ps Endcap}$$

**EMC**

$$\frac{\delta E}{E} < 2.5\% \text{ @1 GeV}$$

$$\delta z = 0.6/\sqrt{E}$$

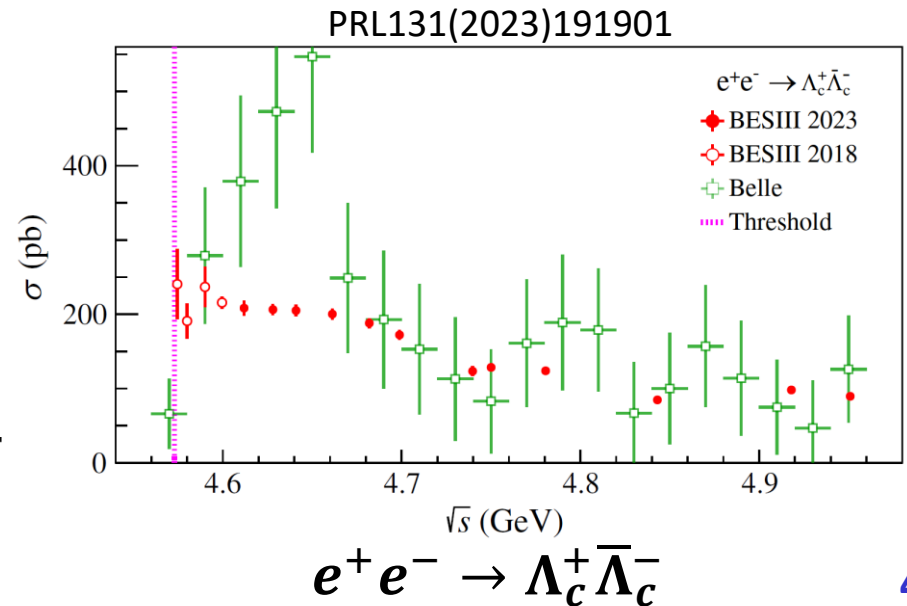
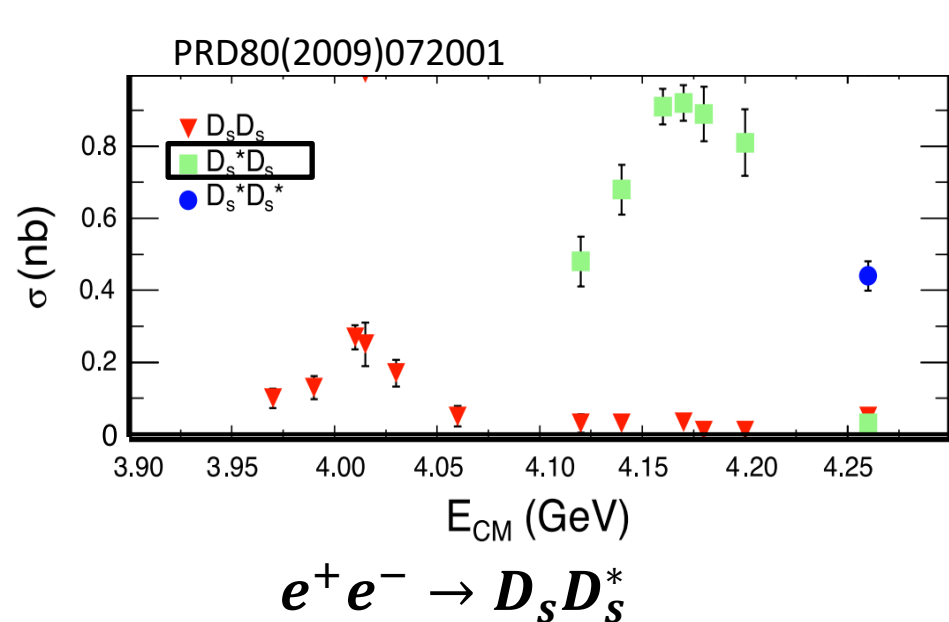
**MUC**

$$\delta(xy) < 2 \text{ cm}$$

- ★ Double-ring multi-bunch  $e^+e^-$  collider ( $2 \times 93$ )
- ★ Luminosity reached  $1.1 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  (10% higher than the design value) in 2022
- ★ Beam energy: 1.0 – 2.5 GeV
- ★ Circumference: 237m

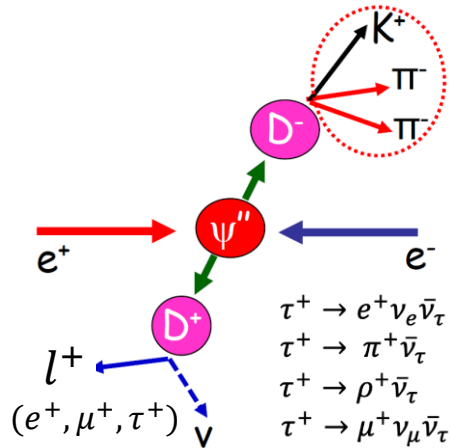
# Charmed hadron samples at BESIII

- ★ Collected near the mass threshold of charmed hadron pairs
  - ★  $7.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $E_{cm} = 3.773 \text{ GeV} : e^+e^- \rightarrow \psi(3770) \rightarrow D\bar{D}$
  - ★  $7.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $E_{cm} = 4.128 - 4.226 \text{ GeV} : e^+e^- \rightarrow D_s D_s^* \rightarrow \gamma/\pi^0 D_s^+ D_s^-$
  - ★  $4.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at  $E_{cm} = 4.600 - 4.699 \text{ GeV} : e^+e^- \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \bar{\Lambda}_c^-$



# Determination of BF of charmed hadrons at BESIII

## ★ Hadronic tagging of charmed hadrons



$$N_{\text{tag}} = 2N_{D\bar{D}} \mathcal{B}_{\text{tag}} \epsilon_{\text{tag}}$$

Charmed hadrons	$N_{\text{tag}} (\times 10^6)$
$D^0 / \bar{D}^0$	7.3
$D^\pm$	4.6
$D_S^\pm$	0.8
$\Lambda_c^+ / \bar{\Lambda}_c^-$	0.12

## ★ Features to extract the (semi-)leptonic signals

$$N_{\text{DT}} = 2N_{D\bar{D}} \mathcal{B}_{\text{tag}} \mathcal{B}_{\text{sig}} \epsilon_{\text{DT}}$$

- ★ One, two or three neutrinos missing
- ★  $U_{\text{miss}} = E_{\text{miss}} - |\vec{p}_{\text{miss}}|$ ,  $M_{\text{miss}}^2 = E_{\text{miss}}^2 - |\vec{p}_{\text{miss}}|^2$
- ★  $E_{\text{extra}}^{\text{tot}}$  the total energy of the good isolated EMC showers not used in tag selection

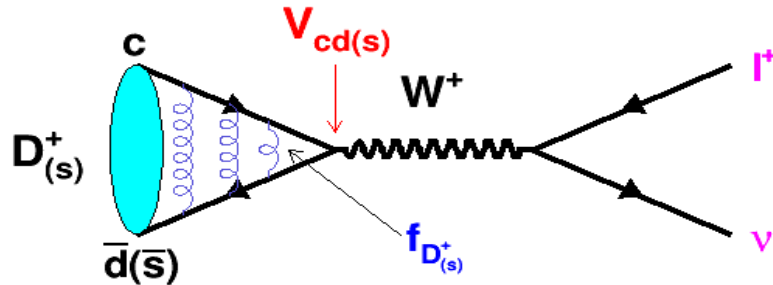
## ★ Branching fraction determined with the double tag method

$$\mathcal{B}_{\text{sig}} = \frac{N_{\text{DT}}}{N_{\text{tag}} \epsilon_{\text{DT}} / \epsilon_{\text{tag}}}$$

Benefitting from the  $D_{(s)} \bar{D}_{(s)} / \Lambda_c^+ \bar{\Lambda}_c^-$  pairs collected at the mass threshold

**$|V_{cs}|$  determination**

# Extraction of $|V_{cs}|$ via $D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l$



$$\Gamma(D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} \boxed{|V_{cs}|^2 f_{D_s^+}^2} m_l^2 m_{D_s^+} \left(1 - \frac{m_l^2}{m_{D_s^+}^2}\right)^2$$

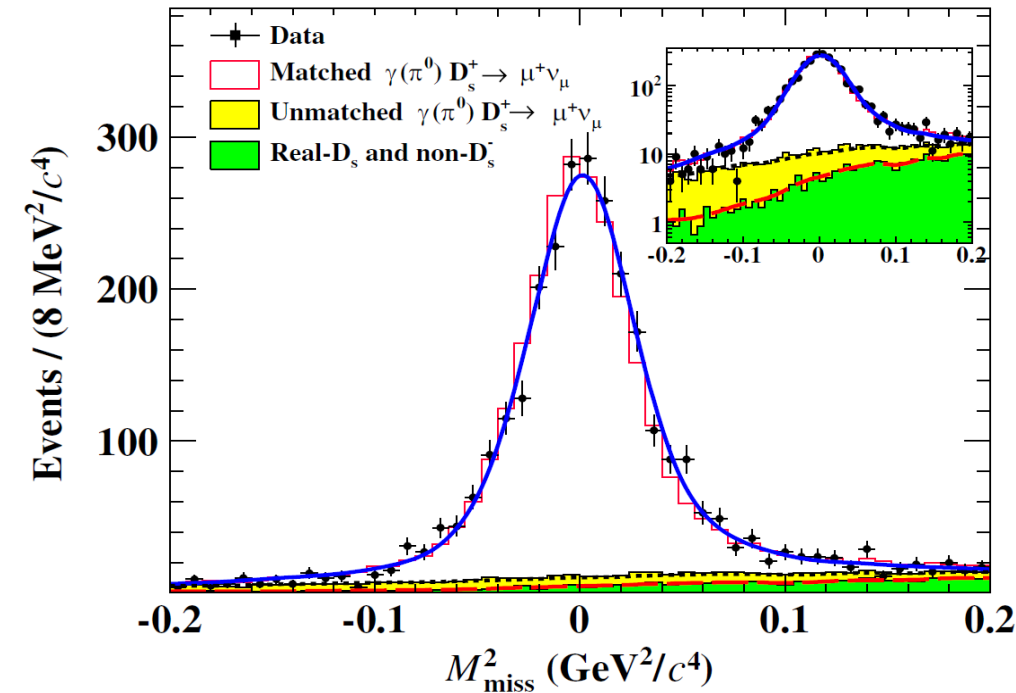
- $G_F$  is the Fermi coupling constant
- $D_s^+$  decay constant  $f_{D_s^+}$ , describes strong interaction effects

$$\Gamma_{D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l)}{\tau_{D_s}}$$

- $|V_{cs}|$  is determined by measuring  $\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l)$  and taking  $f_{D_s^+}$  from LQCD calculation as input

# $D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

Ref	$\mathcal{L}$ [ $\text{fb}^{-1}$ ]	$\mathcal{B}$ [ $\times 10^{-3}$ ]	$f_{D_s^+}  V_{cs} $ [MeV]	Precision [%]
PRL122(2019)071802	3.2@4.18 GeV	$5.49 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.15$	$246.2 \pm 3.6 \pm 3.5$	2.1
PRD104(2021)05200	6.3@4.18-4.23GeV	$5.35 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.16$	$243.1 \pm 3.0 \pm 3.7$	2.0
<b>PRD108(2023)112001</b>	<b>7.3@4.13-4.23GeV</b>	<b><math>5.29 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.09</math></b>	<b><math>241.8 \pm 2.5 \pm 2.2</math></b>	<b>1.4</b>



**The most precise  $\mathcal{B}(D_s^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu)$  to date**

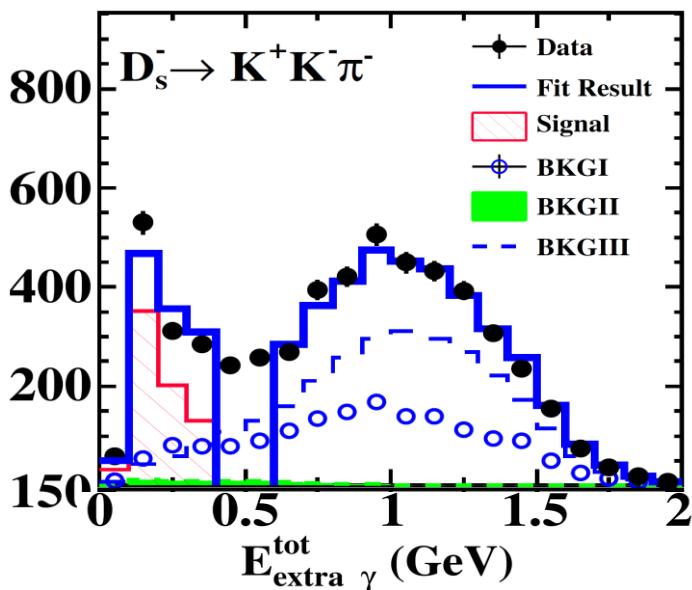


$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu_\tau$$

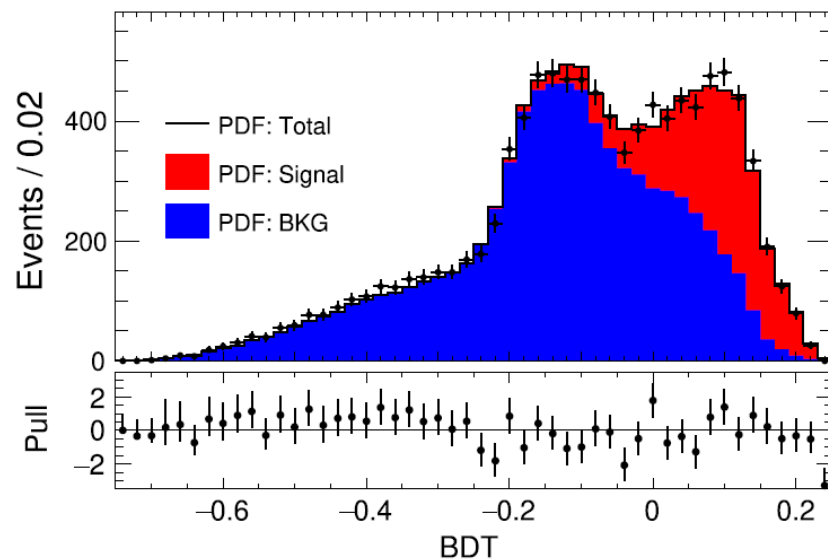
Ref	$\tau^+$ channel	$\mathcal{B} [\times 10^{-2}]$	$f_{D_s^+}  V_{cs} $ [MeV]	Precision [%]
PRD104(2021)032001	$\rho^+ \nu$	$5.29 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.20$	$244.8 \pm 5.8 \pm 4.8$	3.1
PRD104(2021)052009	$\pi^+ \nu$	$5.21 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.17$	$243.0 \pm 5.8 \pm 4.0$	2.9
PRL127(2021)171801	$e^+ \nu \nu$	$5.27 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.12$	$244.4 \pm 2.3 \pm 2.9$	1.5
<b>JHEP09(2023)124</b>	$\mu^+ \nu \nu$	<b><math>5.37 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.15</math></b>	<b><math>246.7 \pm 3.9 \pm 3.6</math></b>	<b>2.2</b>
<b>PRD108(2023)092014</b>	$\pi^+ \nu$	<b><math>5.44 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.13</math></b>	<b><math>248.3 \pm 3.9 \pm 3.2</math></b>	<b>2.0</b>



$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ (\mu^+ \nu \nu) \nu$$

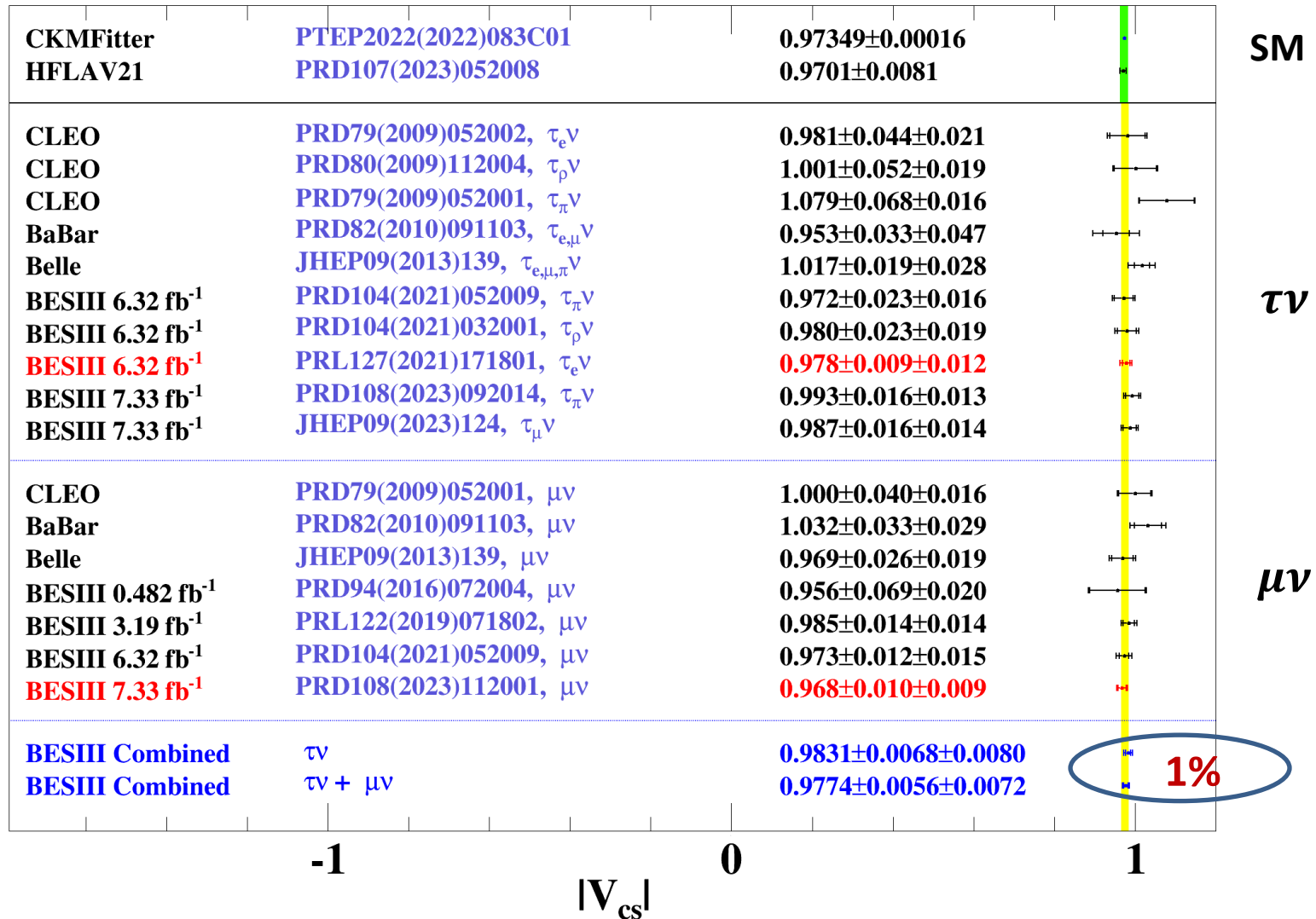


$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ (\pi^+ \nu) \nu$$



# $|V_{cs}|$ determined via $D_s^+ \rightarrow l^+ \nu_l$

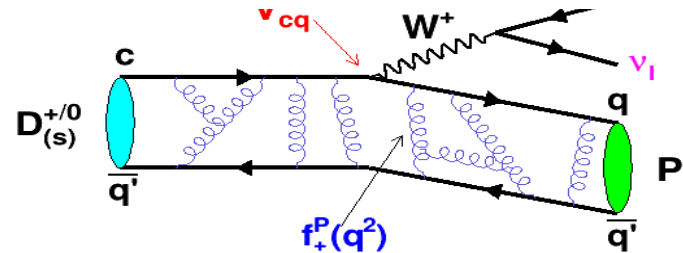
Combining measured  $|V_{cs}|f_{D_s^+}$  with  $f_{D_s^+}$  calculated by LQCD



# Extraction of $|V_{cs}|$ via $D_{(s)}^{+ / 0} \rightarrow Pl^+ \nu_l$

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2 (q^2 - m_l^2)^2 |\vec{p}|}{24\pi^3 q^4 m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2} \left[ \left(1 + \frac{m_l^2}{2q^2}\right) m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2 |\vec{p}|^2 |f_+(q^2)|^2 + \frac{3m_l^2}{8q^2} (m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2 - m_P^2)^2 |f_0(q^2)|^2 \right]$$

If  $l^+ = e^+$   $\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{24\pi^3} |V_{cs}|^2 |f_+(q^2)|^2 |\vec{p}|^3$ .



- Hadronic form factor (FF)  $f_{+,0}$  depends on  $q^2$ , the square of the four-momentum transfer from  $D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}$  to  $P$ , can be calculated in LQCD
- **The most general parametrization of FF:**

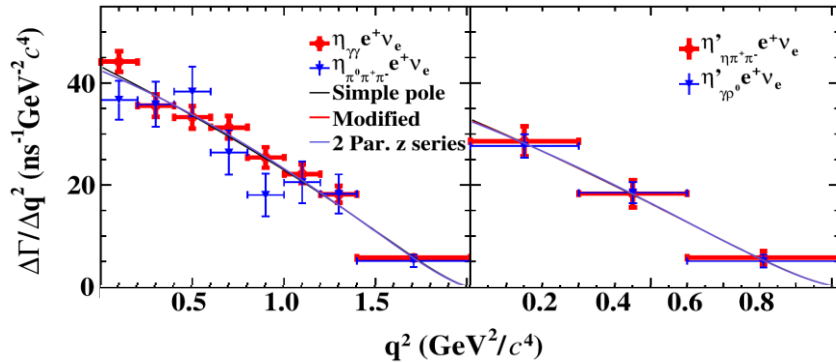
**Series expansion**  $f_+(q^2) = \frac{1}{P(q^2)\phi(q^2, t_0)} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a_k(t_0) [z(q^2, t_0)]^k$

- $f_+(0)|V_{cs}|$  is obtained by the fit to the differential decay rates
- $|V_{cs}|$  is extracted by taking the  $f_+(0)$  predicted by LQCD as input

# $D_{(s)}^{+ / 0} \rightarrow Pl^+ \nu_l$

	$f_+^{D \rightarrow K}(0)  V_{cs} $	Ref
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- e^+ \nu_e$	$0.717 \pm 0.003 \pm 0.004$	PRD92(2015)072012
$D^+ \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 e^+ \nu_e$	$0.705 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.011$	PRD96(2017)012002
$D^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 e^+ \nu_e$	$0.728 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.011$	PRD92(2015)112008
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$0.715 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.003$	PRL122(2019)011804

## $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)} e^+ \nu_e$

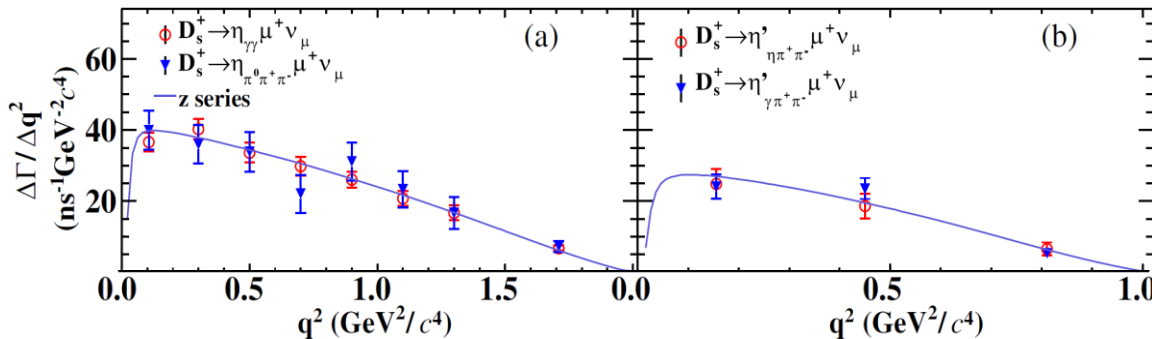


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$$f_+^{D_s \rightarrow \eta}(0) |V_{cs}| = 0.452 \pm 0.007 \pm 0.007$$

$$f_+^{D_s \rightarrow \eta'}(0) |V_{cs}| = 0.525 \pm 0.024 \pm 0.009$$

## $D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)} \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ 1<sup>st</sup> measurement



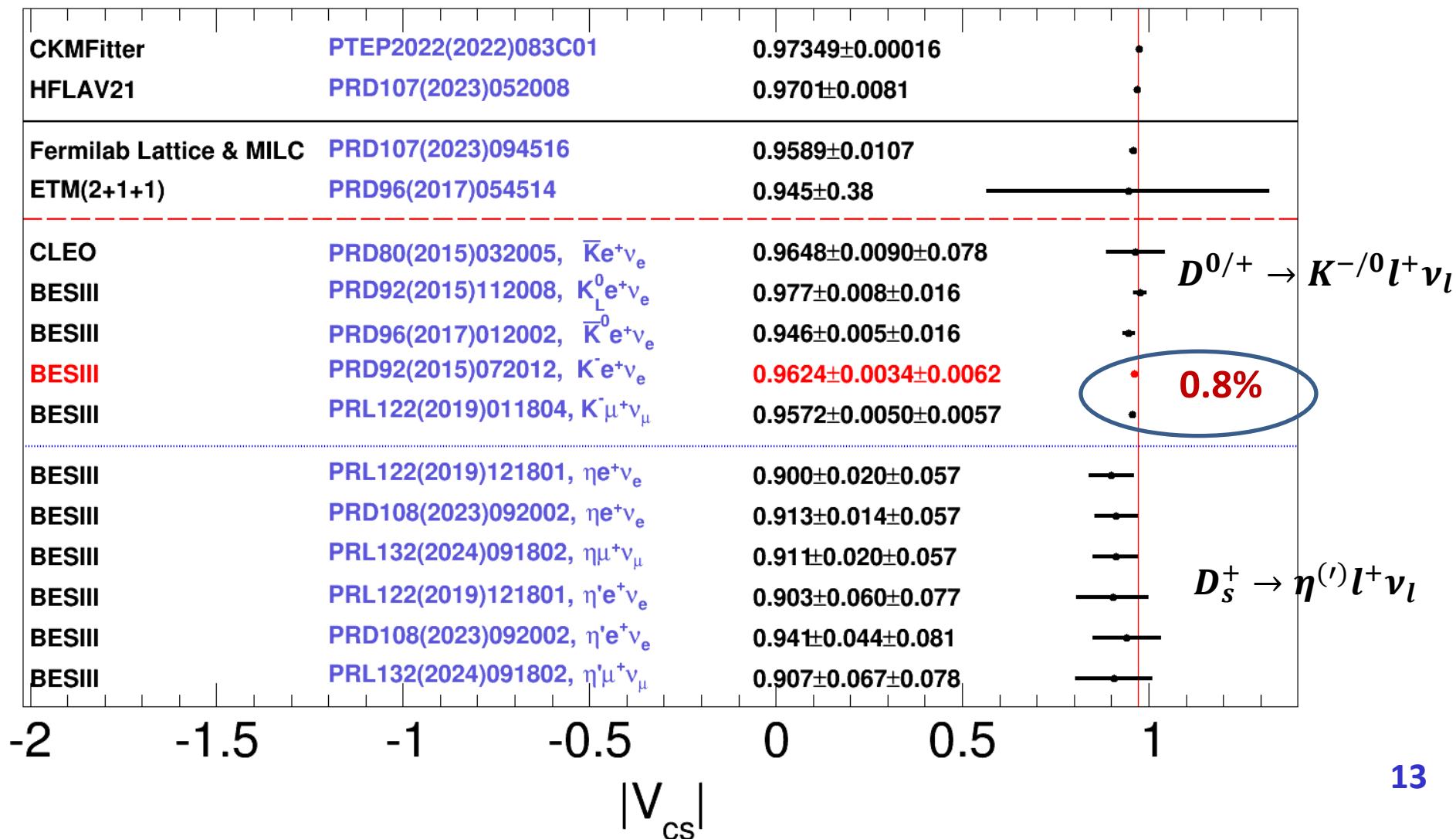
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$$f_+^{D_s \rightarrow \eta}(0) |V_{cs}| = 0.451 \pm 0.010 \pm 0.008$$

$$f_+^{D_s \rightarrow \eta'}(0) |V_{cs}| = 0.506 \pm 0.037 \pm 0.011$$

# $|V_{cs}|$ determined via $D_{(s)}^{+ / 0} \rightarrow Pl^+ \nu_l$

Combining measured  $|V_{cs}|f_+(0)$  with  $f_+(0)$  calculated by LQCD



# $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$

## ★ The differential decay rate in terms of four variables

$$\frac{d^4\Gamma}{dq^2 d\cos\theta_e d\cos\theta_p d\chi} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{2(2\pi)^4} \cdot \frac{Pq^2}{24M_{\Lambda_c}^2} \times$$

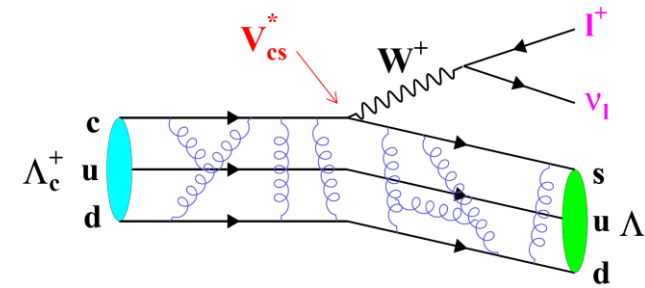
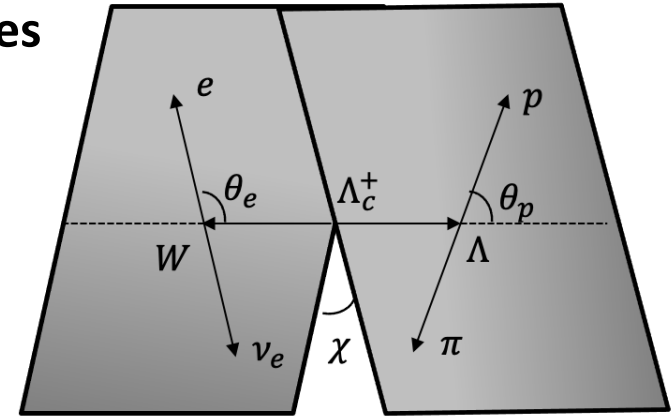
$$\left\{ \frac{3}{8}(1 - \cos\theta_e)^2 |H_{\frac{1}{2}1}|^2 (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) \right.$$

$$+ \frac{3}{8}(1 + \cos\theta_e)^2 |H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1}|^2 (1 - \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p)$$

$$+ \frac{3}{4}\sin^2\theta_e [ |H_{\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 (1 + \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 (1 - \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p) ]$$

$$+ \frac{3}{2\sqrt{2}}\alpha_\Lambda \cos\chi \sin\theta_e \sin\theta_p \times$$

$$\left. [ (1 - \cos\theta_e)H_{-\frac{1}{2}0}H_{\frac{1}{2}1} + (1 + \cos\theta_e)H_{\frac{1}{2}0}H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1} ] \right\} \quad (2)$$



## ★ The helicity amplitudes $H_{\lambda_\Lambda \lambda_W}$ are related to four form factors

$$H_{\frac{1}{2}1}^V = \sqrt{2Q_-} f_\perp(q^2), \quad H_{\frac{1}{2}1}^A = \sqrt{2Q_+} g_\perp(q^2),$$

$$H_{\frac{1}{2}0}^V = \sqrt{Q_-/q^2} f_+(q^2) (M_{\Lambda_c} + M_\Lambda),$$

$$H_{\frac{1}{2}0}^A = \sqrt{Q_+/q^2} g_+(q^2) (M_{\Lambda_c} - M_\Lambda),$$

$$Q_\pm = (M_{\Lambda_c} \pm M_\Lambda)^2 - q^2$$

$$H_{\lambda_\Lambda \lambda_W} = H_{\lambda_\Lambda \lambda_W}^V - H_{\lambda_\Lambda \lambda_W}^A$$

$$H_{-\lambda_\Lambda -\lambda_W}^{V(A)} = +(-)H_{\lambda_\Lambda \lambda_W}^{V(A)}$$

# $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$

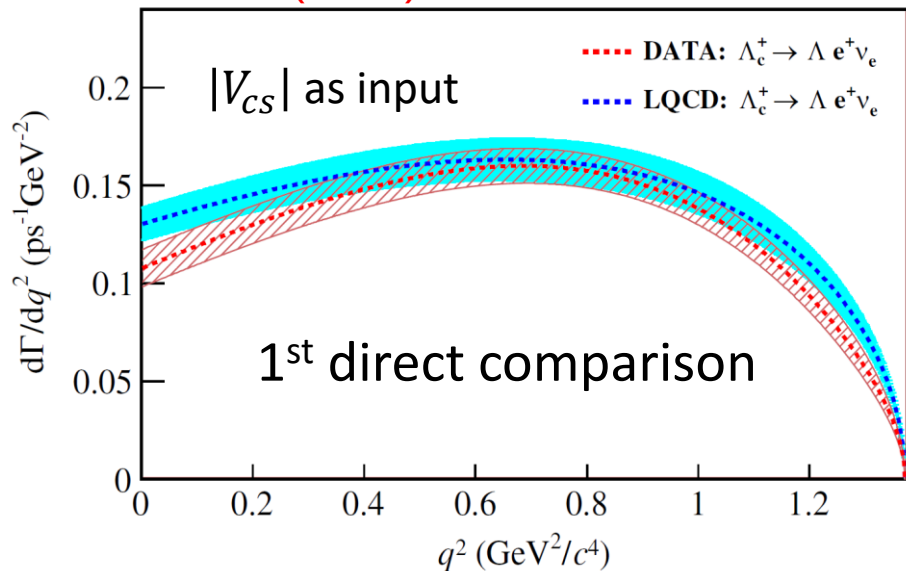
★ Four FFs are parameterized following a  $z$ -expansion 
$$f(q^2) = \frac{a_0^f}{1 - q^2 / (m_{\text{pole}}^f)^2} \left[ 1 + \alpha_1^f \times z(q^2) \right]$$

★ A four-dimensional ML fit is performed with five independent free parameters

$$\alpha_1^{g\perp}, \alpha_1^{f\perp}, r_{f+} = a_0^{f+} / a_0^{g\perp}, r_{f\perp} = a_0^{f\perp} / a_0^{g\perp}, r_{g+} = a_0^{g+} / a_0^{g\perp}$$

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{192\pi^3 M_{\Lambda_c}^2} \times \left[ |H_{\frac{1}{2}1}|^2 + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1}|^2 + |H_{\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 \right]$$

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★  $\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e) = (3.56 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.07)\%$

★  $|V_{cs}| = 0.936 \pm 0.030$ , by combining  $\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e)$  and the  $q^2$ -integrated rate predicted by LQCD

★  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \nu_\mu$  PRD108(2023)L031105

**LFU test**



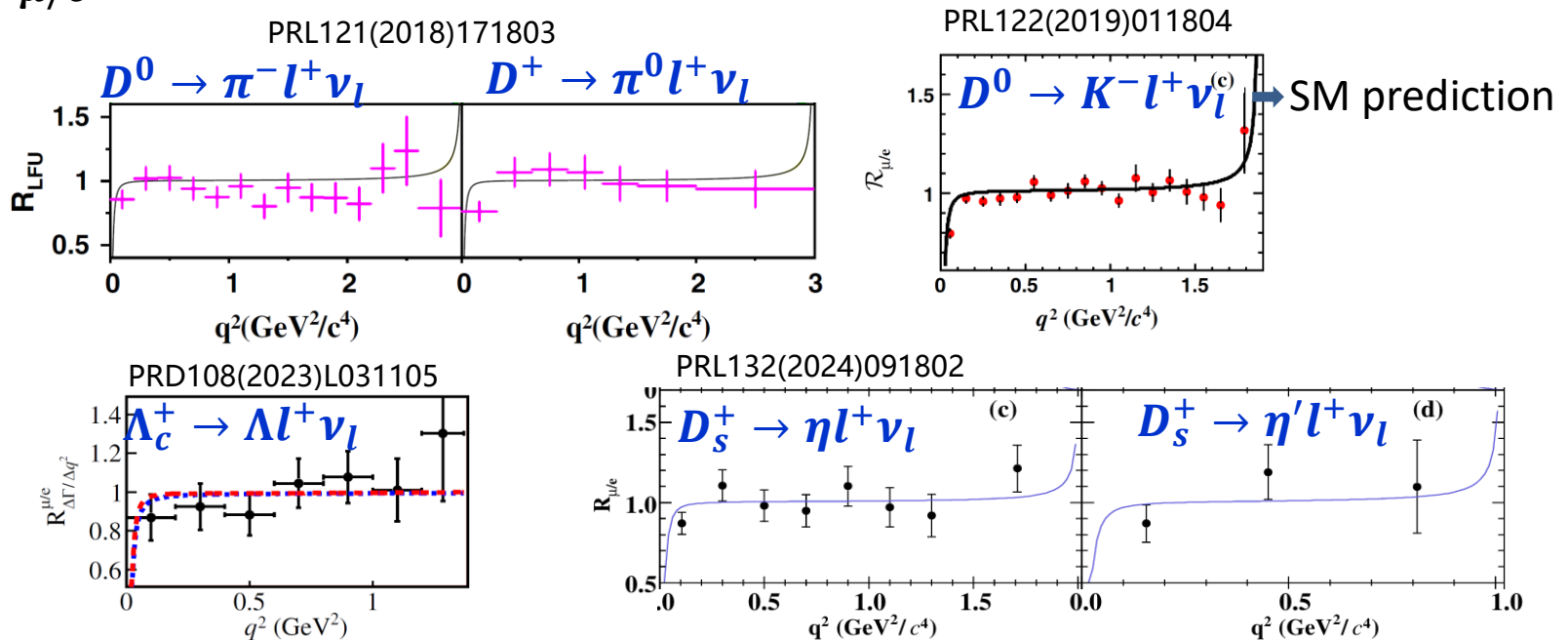


# LFU test in semileptonic decays

## ★ $\mathcal{R}_{\mu/e}$ obtained by measuring BF's

	Ref	$\mathcal{R}_{\mu/e}$	SM prediction
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta l^+ \nu_l$	PRL124(2020)231801	$0.91 \pm 0.13$	$0.97 - 1.00$
$D^+ \rightarrow \omega l^+ \nu_l$	PRD101(2020)072005	$1.05 \pm 0.14$	$0.93 - 0.99$
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho l^+ \nu_l$	PRD104(2021)L091103	$0.90 \pm 0.11$	$0.93 - 0.96$

## ★ $\mathcal{R}_{\mu/e}$ in the full kinematic region



# Summary

- ✦ Thanks to the largest data samples collected at  $D\bar{D}/D_s D_s^*/\Lambda_c^+ \bar{\Lambda}_c^-$  mass threshold, purely and semi leptonic decays of charmed hadrons have been studied in a clean environment.
- ✦ Precise measurement of the CKM matrix element at **1%** precision level
- ✦ No evidence of LFU violation found at **1.5%** precision level
- ✦ BESIII just finished taking the data @3.773GeV , and collected  $20\text{fb}^{-1}$  of  $D\bar{D}$  sample
  - ✦ Combined study of  $D^{0/+} \rightarrow K^{-/0} e^+ \nu_e$  and  $D^{0/+} \rightarrow K^{-/0} \mu^+ \nu_\mu$  for a high precise measurement of  $|V_{cs}|$
  - ✦ Higher precise LFU test

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# $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$

- Form factors  $f_{\perp,+}(q^2)$  and  $g_{\perp,+}(q^2)$  are defined following a z-expansion of the parameters

$$f(q^2) = \frac{a_0^f}{1 - q^2 / (m_{\text{pole}}^f)^2} [1 + \alpha_1^f \times z(q^2)]$$

where  $m_{\text{pole}}^f$  is the pole mass;  $a_0^f$ ,  $\alpha_1^f$  are free parameters;  $z(q^2) = \frac{(\sqrt{t_+ - q^2} - \sqrt{t_+ - t_0})}{(\sqrt{t_+ - q^2} + \sqrt{t_+ - t_0})}$  with  $t_0 = q_{\text{max}}^2 = (m_{\Lambda_c} - m_{\Lambda})^2$ ,  $t_+ = (m_D + m_K)^2$ ,  $m_D = 1.870 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  and  $m_K = 0.494 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ . The pole masses are  $m_{\text{pole}}^{f_+, f_{\perp}} = 2.112 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  and  $m_{\text{pole}}^{g_+, g_{\perp}} = 2.460 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  [14].

Five independent free parameters in the ML fit for the differential decay amplitude :

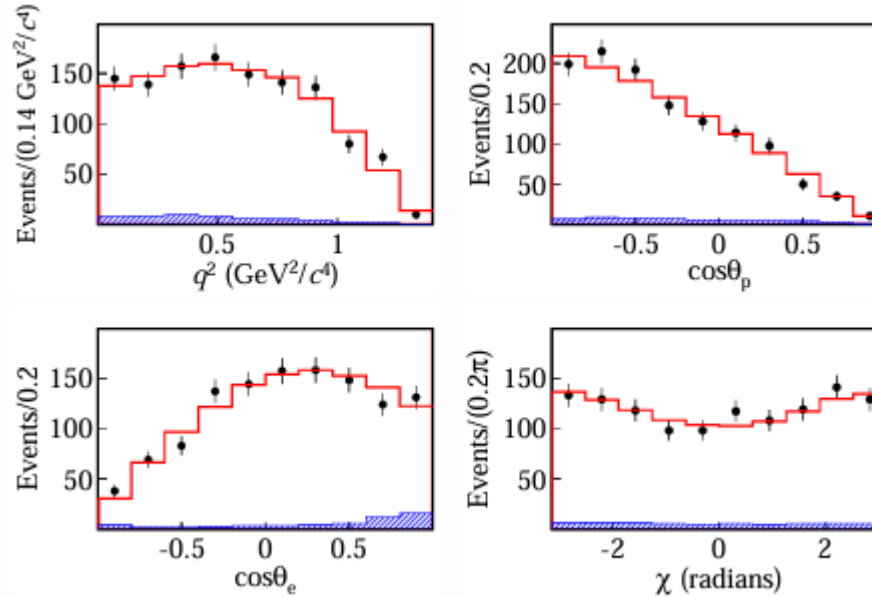
- The differential decay rate has to be normalized. Only the ratios of  $a_0^f$  are determined in the maximum likelihood fit:

$$r_{f_+} = a_0^{f_+} / a_0^{g_{\perp}}, \quad r_{f_{\perp}} = a_0^{f_{\perp}} / a_0^{g_{\perp}}, \quad r_{g_+} = a_0^{g_+} / a_0^{g_{\perp}}.$$

- $\alpha_1^{g_{\perp}} \equiv \alpha_1^{g_+}$  and  $\alpha_1^{f_{\perp}} \equiv \alpha_1^{f_+}$ , the kinematic dependences of  $g_{\perp}(q^2)$  and  $g_+(q^2)$ ,  $f_{\perp}(q^2)$  and  $f_+(q^2)$  as a function of  $q^2$  are similar according to LQCD.

$$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$$

- ★ A four-dimensional ML fit is performed as a function of  $q^2$ ,  $\cos\theta_e$ ,  $\cos\theta_p$ , and  $\chi$



Parameters	$\alpha_1^{g\perp}$	$\alpha_1^{f\perp}$	$r_{f+}$	$r_{f\perp}$	$r_{g+}$
Values	$1.43 \pm 2.09 \pm 0.16$	$-8.15 \pm 1.58 \pm 0.05$	$1.75 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.01$	$3.62 \pm 0.65 \pm 0.02$	$1.13 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.01$
Coefficients	$\alpha_1^{g\perp}$	$\alpha_1^{f\perp}$	$r_{f+}$	$r_{f\perp}$	$r_{g+}$
$a_0^{g\perp}$	-0.64	0.60	-0.66	-0.83	-0.40
$\alpha_1^{g\perp}$		-0.63	0.62	0.53	-0.33
$\alpha_1^{f\perp}$			-0.79	-0.67	-0.07
$r_{f+}$				0.57	-0.09
$r_{f\perp}$					0.39

# $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e$

$$r_{f_+} = a_0^{f_+} / a_0^{g_+}, \quad r_{f_\perp} = a_0^{f_\perp} / a_0^{g_\perp}, \quad r_{g_+} = a_0^{g_+} / a_0^{g_\perp}.$$

- ★ In order to determine the parameter of  $a_0^{g_\perp}$  (the FF at  $q^2$  being 0), the differential decay rate is related to  $\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e)$  and the lifetime of  $\Lambda_c$  by

$$\int_0^{q_{\max}^2} \frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} dq^2 = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow \Lambda e^+ \nu_e)}{\tau_{\Lambda_c}}$$

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2}{192\pi^3 M_{\Lambda_c}^2} \times Pq^2 \times$$

$$\left[ |H_{\frac{1}{2}1}|^2 + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}-1}|^2 + |H_{\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 + |H_{-\frac{1}{2}0}|^2 \right]$$

$\tau_{\Lambda_c} |V_{cs}|$  and the helicity amplitudes parameterized with form factors, We determine

$$a_0^{g_\perp} = 0.54 \pm 0.04_{\text{stat.}} \pm 0.01_{\text{syst.}}$$

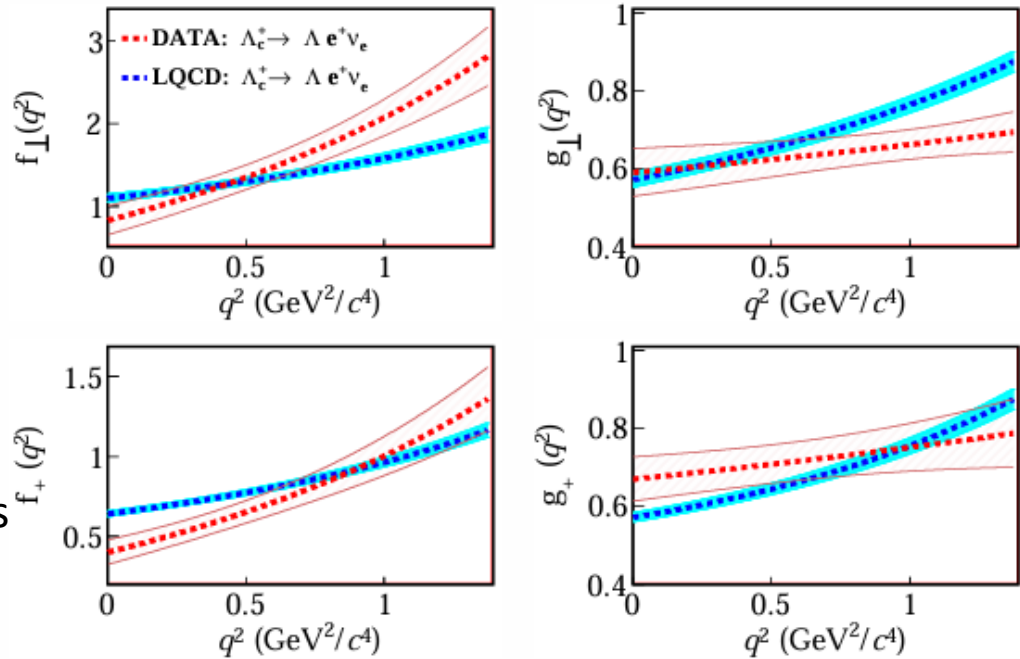


FIG. 3. Comparison of form factors with LQCD calculations. The bands show the total uncertainties.

# Extraction of $|V_{cs}|$ via $D_{(s)}^{+ / 0} \rightarrow Pl^+ \nu_l$

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{cs}|^2 (q^2 - m_l^2)^2 |\vec{p}|}{24\pi^3 q^4 m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2} \left[ \left(1 + \frac{m_l^2}{2q^2}\right) m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2 |\vec{p}|^2 |f_+(q^2)|^2 + \frac{3m_l^2}{8q^2} (m_{D_{(s)}^{+ / 0}}^2 - m_P^2)^2 |f_0(q^2)|^2 \right]$$

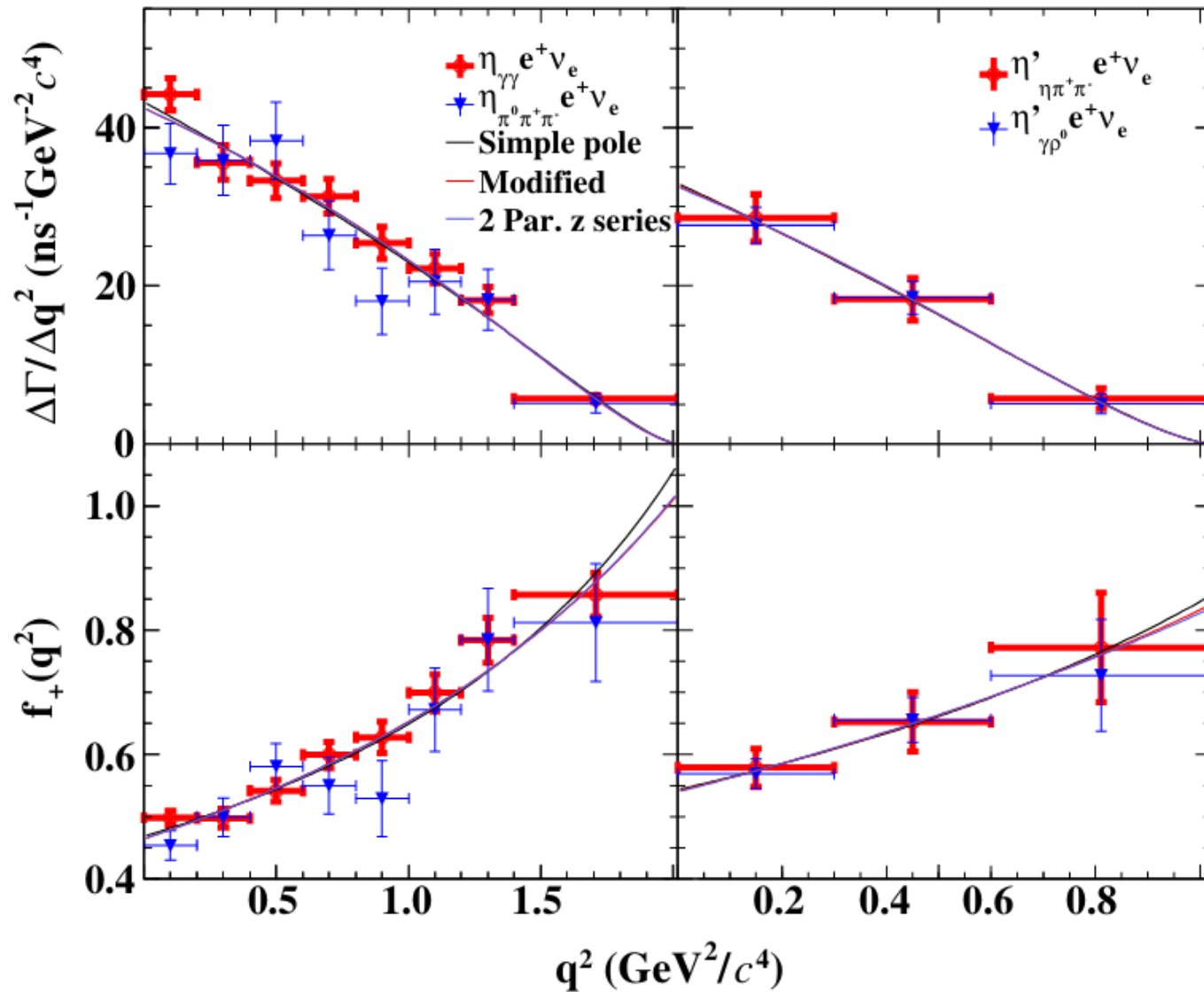
$f_{+(0)}$  is the vector (scalar) FF.

Theoretically,  $f_+(0)$  and  $f_0(0)$  have to be equal

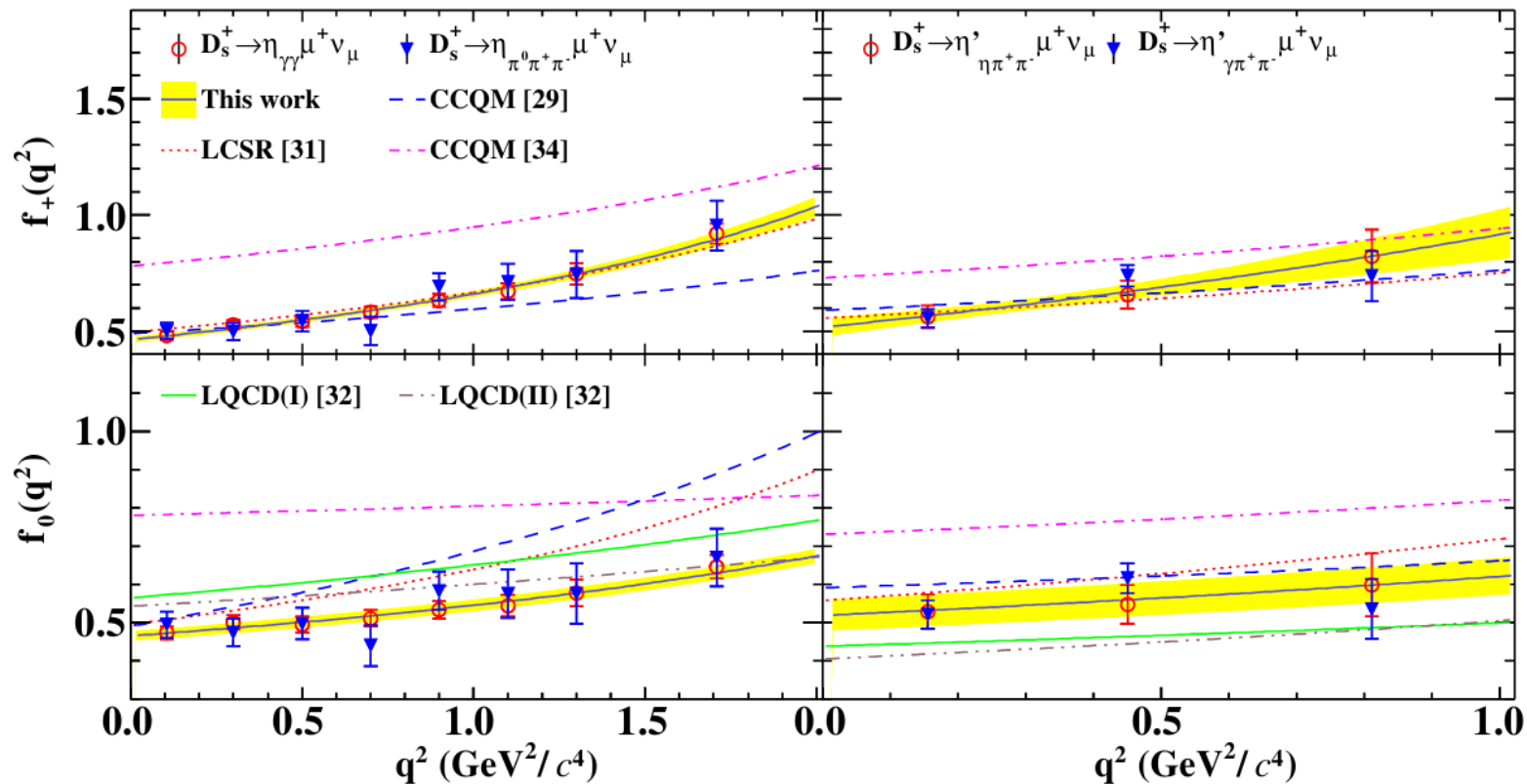
More theoretical details in PRD 101, 013004 (2020)



$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)} e^+ \nu_e$$

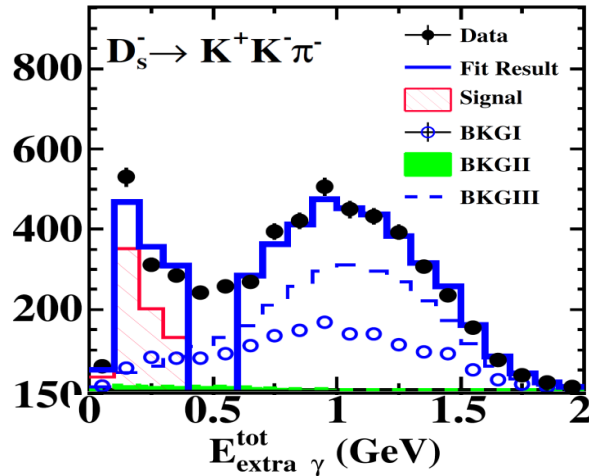


$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \eta^{(\prime)} \mu^+ \nu_\mu$$



- ◆ The yellow bands are the  $\pm 1\sigma$  limits of fitted parameters
- ◆ Curves in different colors are from various theoretical calculations

$$D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ (\mu^+ \nu \nu) \nu$$



BKG I: incorrectly tagged  $D_s^-$

BKG II : correctly tagged  $D_s^-$  and  $D_s^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

BKG III : correctly tagged  $D_s^-$  and  $D_s^+ \rightarrow \text{non-}\tau^+ \nu$

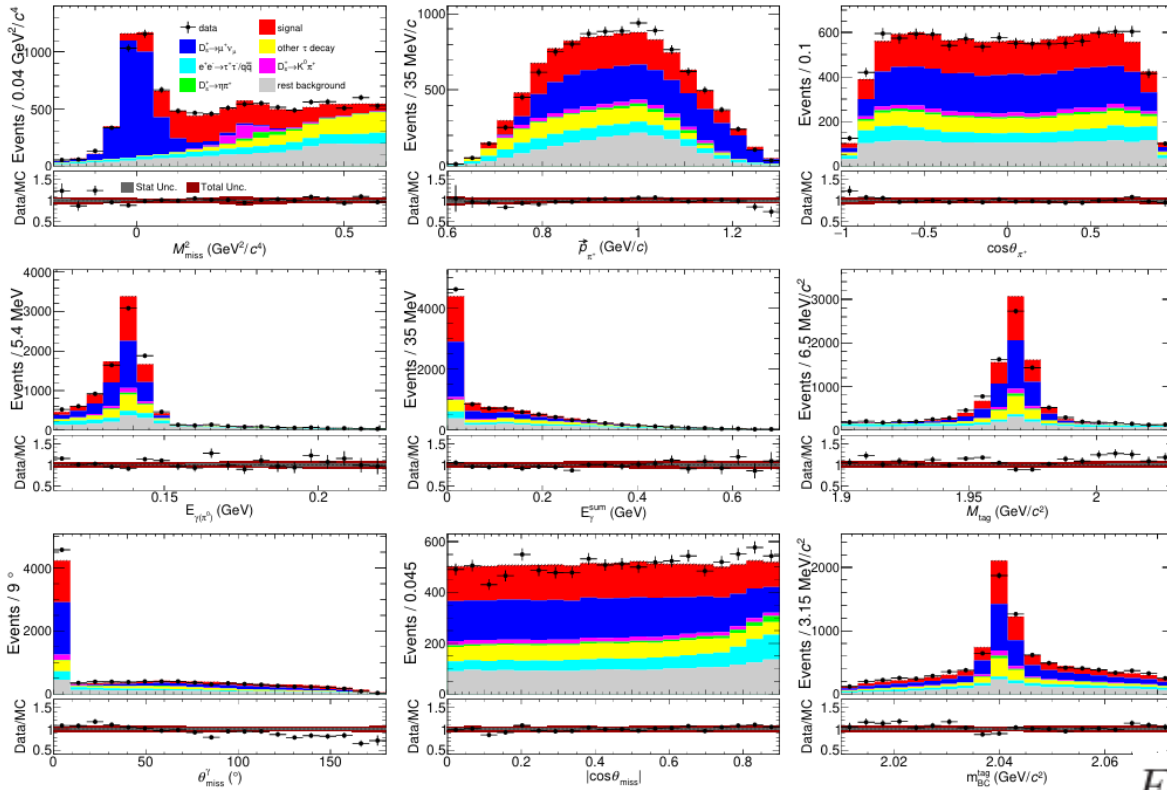
expect for  $D_s^+ \rightarrow K_L^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$

To minimize the effect of the imperfect signal shape, we adopt an extrapolation technique. The extrapolation factor, defined as the ratio of the number of events between the signal region and the background region, is determined by MC sample.

A bin maximum likelihood fit is performed on the events with  $E_{extra \gamma}^{tot} > 0.6 GeV$ , where the signal is negligible, and the sizes and shapes of BKG I and BKG II, and the shape of BKG III are fixed.

The signal DT yield is obtained by subtracting bkg in the signal region  $E_{extra \gamma}^{tot} < 0.4 GeV$

# $D_s^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ (\pi^+ \nu) \nu$



$E_{\gamma(\pi^0)}$  from the transition  $\gamma(\pi^0)$ ,

$\theta_{\text{miss}}^\gamma$ ,  $\cos\theta_{\text{miss}}$ , and  $M_{\text{miss}}^2$  representing the summed energy of extra photons

$\cos\theta_{\pi^+}$  and  $\vec{p}_{\pi^+}$  of the  $\pi^+$  from the signal

Aside from the M2, the search sensitivity is further improved by incorporating additional kinematic and topological information from the selected events using a multivariate analysis technique known as BDT

# Branching fractions of semileptonic $D$ and $D_s$ decays

## from the covariant light-front quark model

### $D \rightarrow X\mu\nu$

Channel	$D \rightarrow \rho$	$D \rightarrow \omega$	$D \rightarrow \eta$
Theory ( $10^{-2}$ )	$0.22 \pm 0.02$	$0.20 \pm 0.02$	$0.12 \pm 0.01$

### $D \rightarrow Xe\nu$

Channel	$D \rightarrow \rho$	$D \rightarrow \omega$	$D \rightarrow \eta$
Theory ( $10^{-2}$ )	$0.23 \pm 0.02$	$0.21 \pm 0.02$	$0.12 \pm 0.01$

## Investigating the nature of light scalar mesons with semileptonic decays of $D$ mesons

Mode	$l = e$	$l = \mu$
$\rho(770)^0$	$2.54 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.37 \times 10^{-3}$
$\omega(782)$	$2.46 \times 10^{-3}$	$2.29 \times 10^{-3}$

## Semileptonic $D_{(s)}$ -meson decays in the light of recent data

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Channel	Unit	Present	Other	Reference
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 e^+ \nu_e$	$10^{-3}$	2.09	2.54	$\chi$ UA [38]
			$2.217_{-0.376}^{+0.534} \pm 0.015$	LCSR [25]
			2.5	HM $\chi$ T [35]
$D^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$10^{-3}$	2.01	2.37	$\chi$ UA [38]
			$D^+ \rightarrow \omega e^+ \nu_e$	$10^{-3}$
$D^+ \rightarrow \omega \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$10^{-3}$	1.78	2.5	
			2.29	$\chi$ UA [38]
			$2.0 \pm 0.2$	LFQM [33]
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta e^+ \nu_e$	$10^{-4}$	9.37	$12 \pm 1$	LFQM [33]
			$24.5 \pm 5.26$	LCSR [22]
			$14.24 \pm 10.98$	LCSR [24]
$D^+ \rightarrow \eta \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	$10^{-4}$	9.12	$12 \pm 1$	LFQM [33]