

Status of a search for the Pc(4450) baryon with HERA data (pentaquark state discovered by LHCb)

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- Last summer the LHCb collaboration reported about
pentaquark-charmonium states, seen in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$ decays

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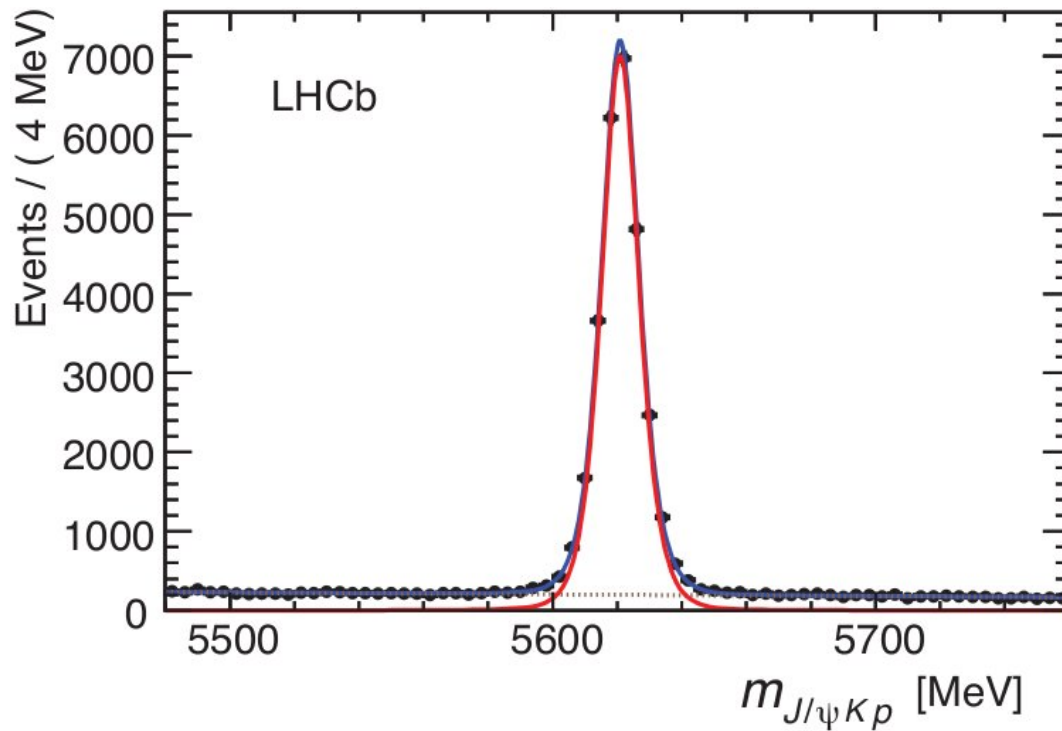
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a minimal quark content $c\bar{c}uud$

- Do we able to see Pc(4450) with the ZEUS data?

We'll repeat several plots from the LHCb paper
<http://arxiv.org/abs/1507.03414>

LHCb: Λ_b^0 in J/ψ $K^- p$ mode

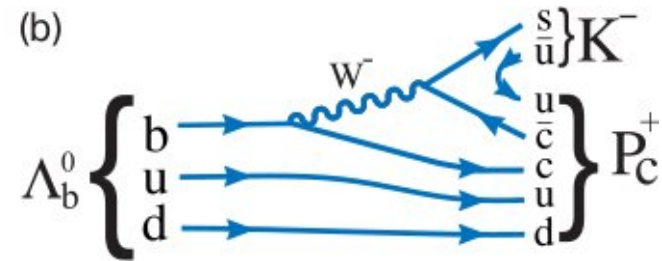
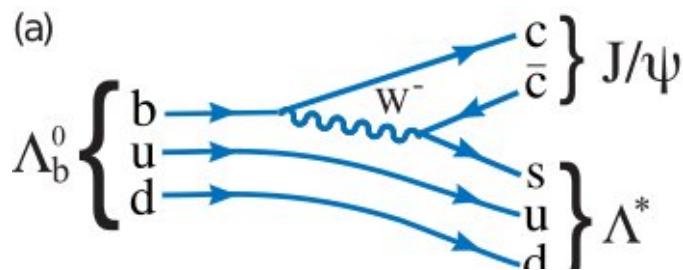
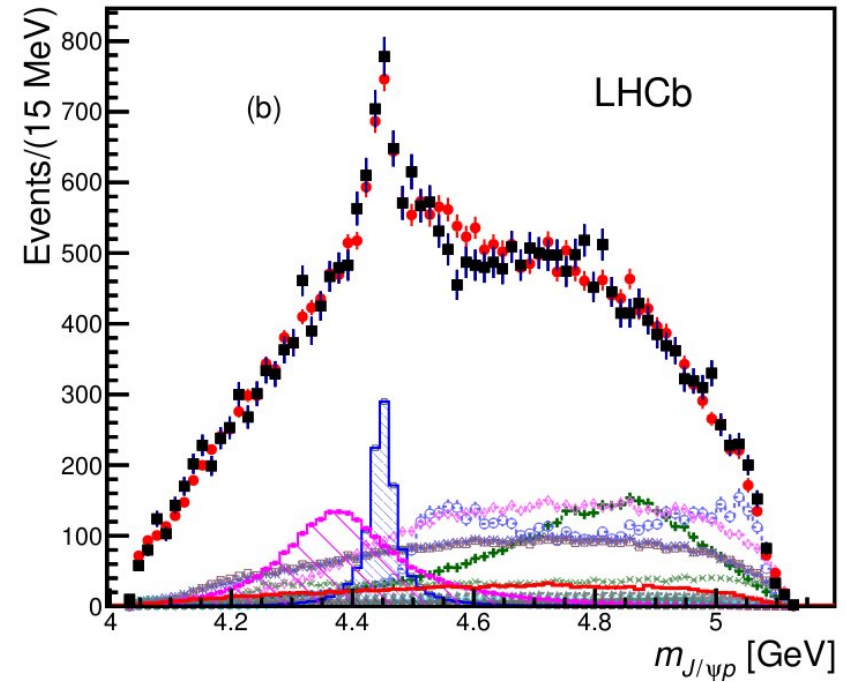
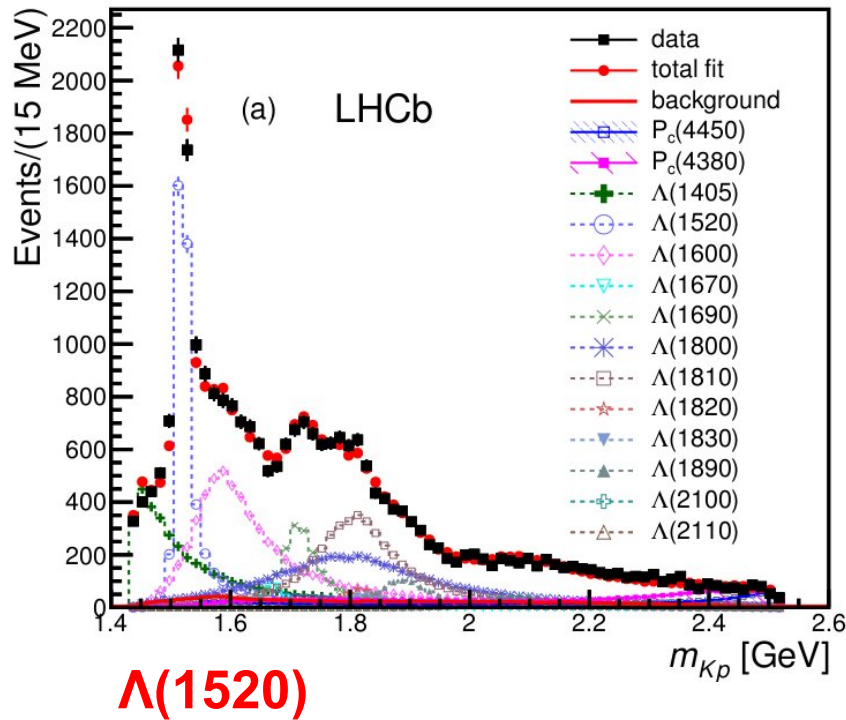


Λ_b^0 window:

Λ_b mass ± 15 MeV

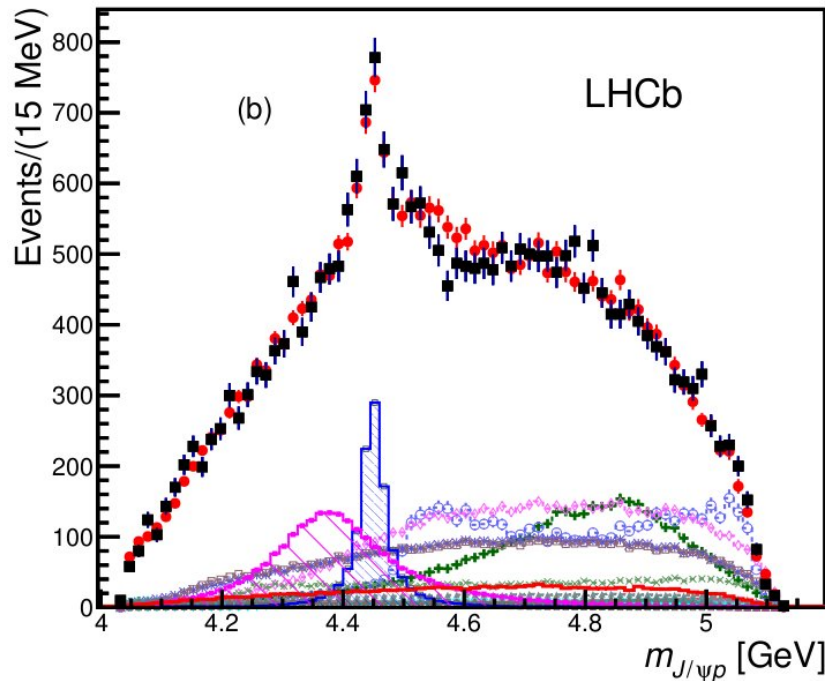
$2 \times 10^6 \Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^- p$ events with $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

LHCb: (Kp) and (J/Ψp) mass spectra within the Λ_b^0 window



Feynman diagrams for (a) $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda^*$ and (b) $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow P_c^+ K^-$ decay.

LHCb: Two states with hidden charm



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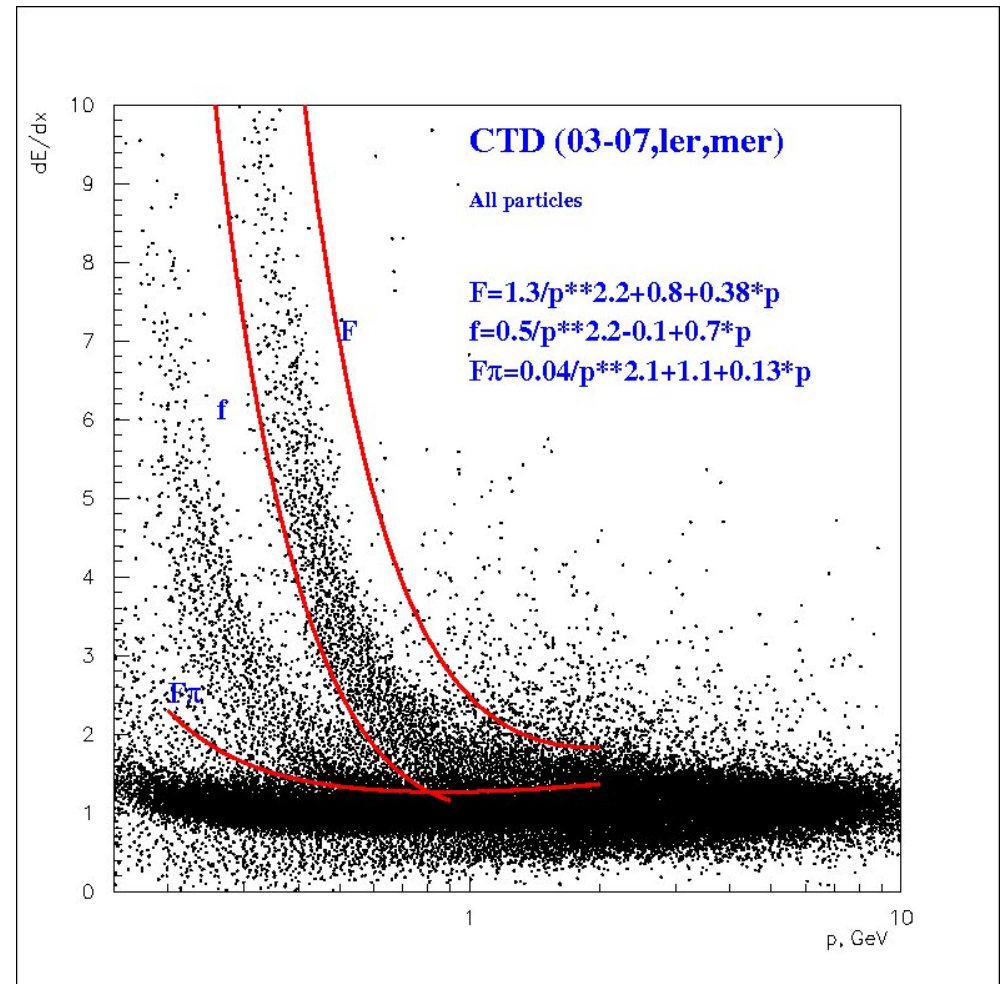
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ZEUS CN (paw) HERA2 data: 03-07, ler, mer

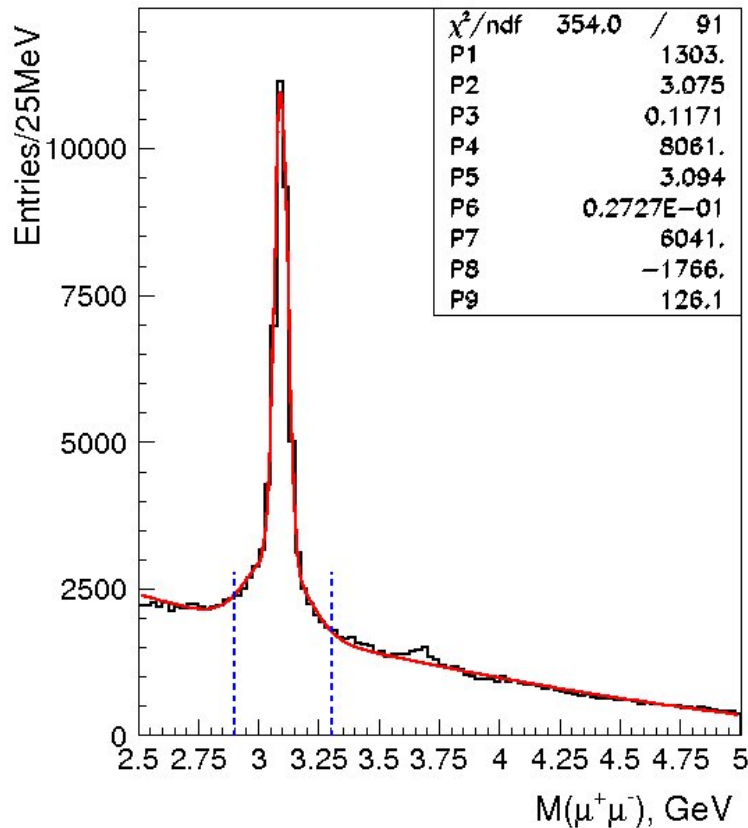
Very modest selection cuts:

- all events (PHP+DIS+ ...)
- Muons from GMUON, $N_{\mu} \geq 2$
- $Mu_{\text{qual}} \geq 2, Mu_{\text{pmip}} \geq 0.4$ (MV CAL mip probability)
- $Mu_{\text{hac2}} = 0$ or $Mu_{\text{hac2}} > 3$ (cal energy deposit in HAC)
- $\cos(\theta) > -0.9945219$
- $\text{trk_ntracks} \geq 3$
- Trk_pca not used (1.E-44 problem)
- CTD, CTD + MVD
 $p_t > 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c$
 $\text{Trk_nbr} > 1$ and $\text{Trk_nbz} > 1$
 $\text{trk_layouter} \geq 3$ and
 $\text{trk_naxial} \geq 15$ and
 $\text{trk_ndof} \geq 40$
- Cooling pipes
- Super-crack cuts
- $\text{Chivtx} < 5, W_p > 0.9$



First stage : J/Ψ , Ψ' and $(p J/\Psi)$ mass (no K^- and A_b^0)

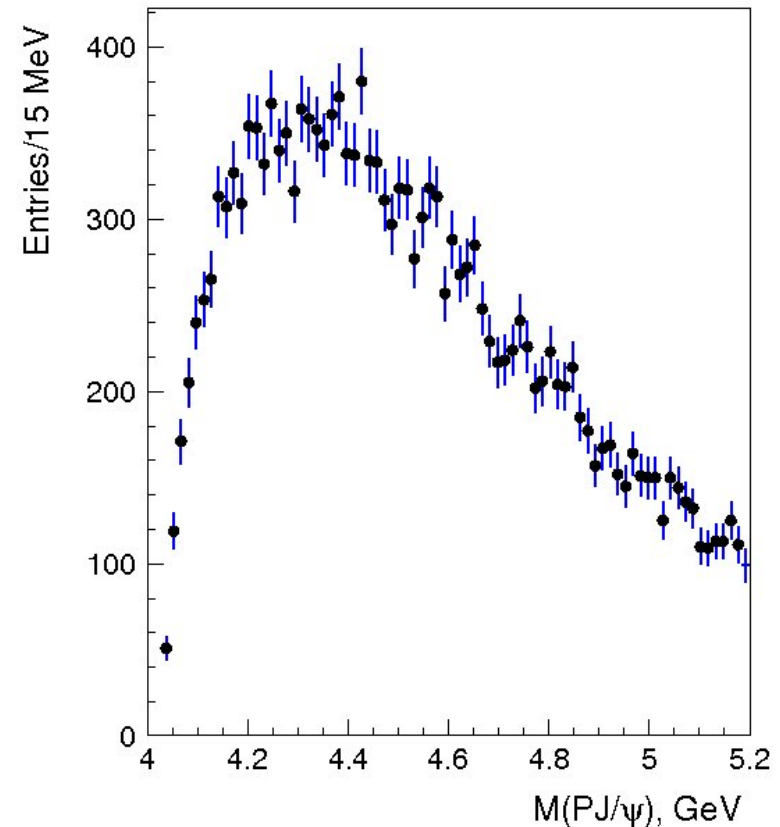
HERAII, h8, J/ψ , G+G+P2



Fitted by two Gaussian and a polynomial of 2nd degree. No attempt was made to reduce background

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ZEUS, HERAII (03-07), direct combination



J/Ψ from the window (2.9-3.3) GeV are combined with $p\pm$.
No $P_c(4450)$ signal

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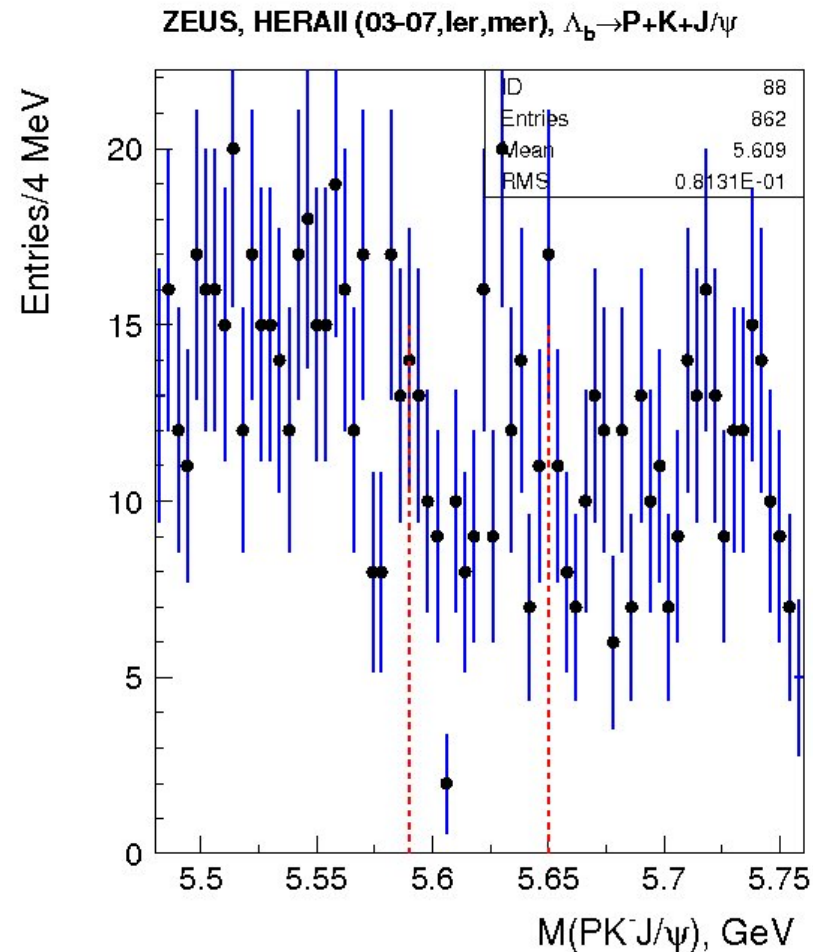
Mass of (p J/Ψ K-)

Hard to see Λ_b .

Mass window :
5.59-5.65 GeV

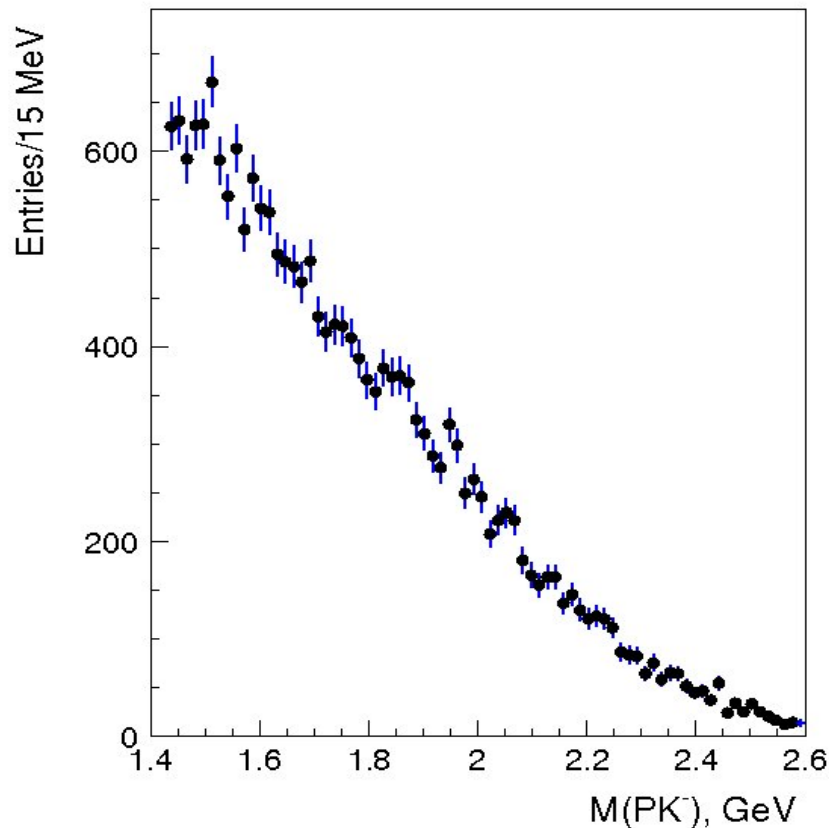
(Λ_b mass $\pm$ 30 MeV)

We do not use impact parameter, δ .
(defined as the distance of closest approach of the muon with respect to the beam position.)



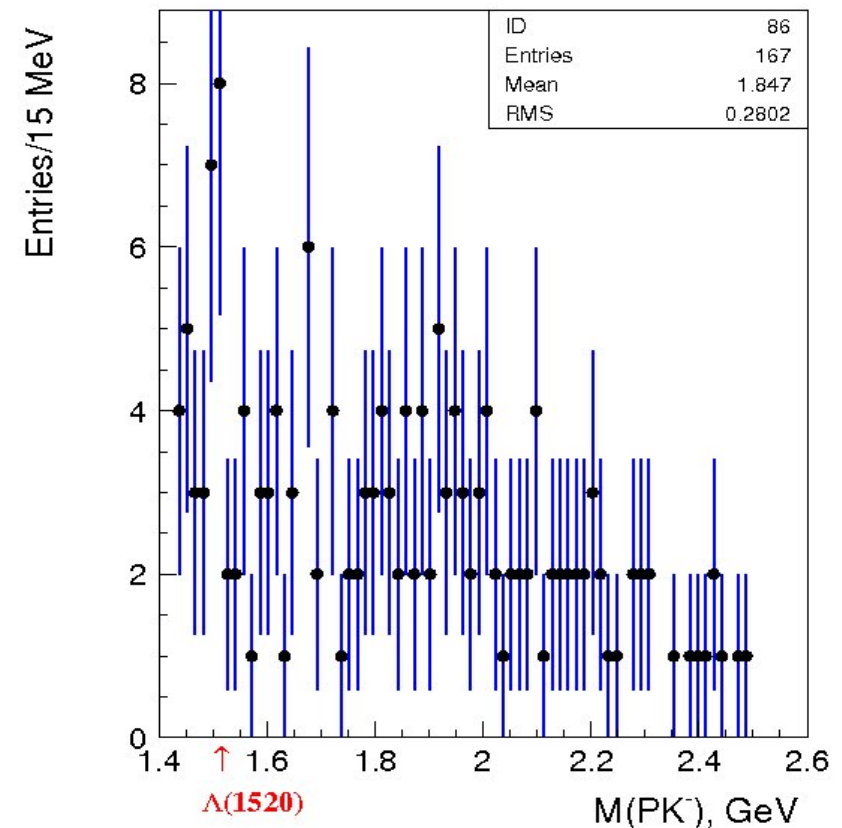
Second stage: Inclusion of $K^\pm$ and Λ_b^0

ZEUS, HERAII (03-07,ler,mer), before Λ_b window



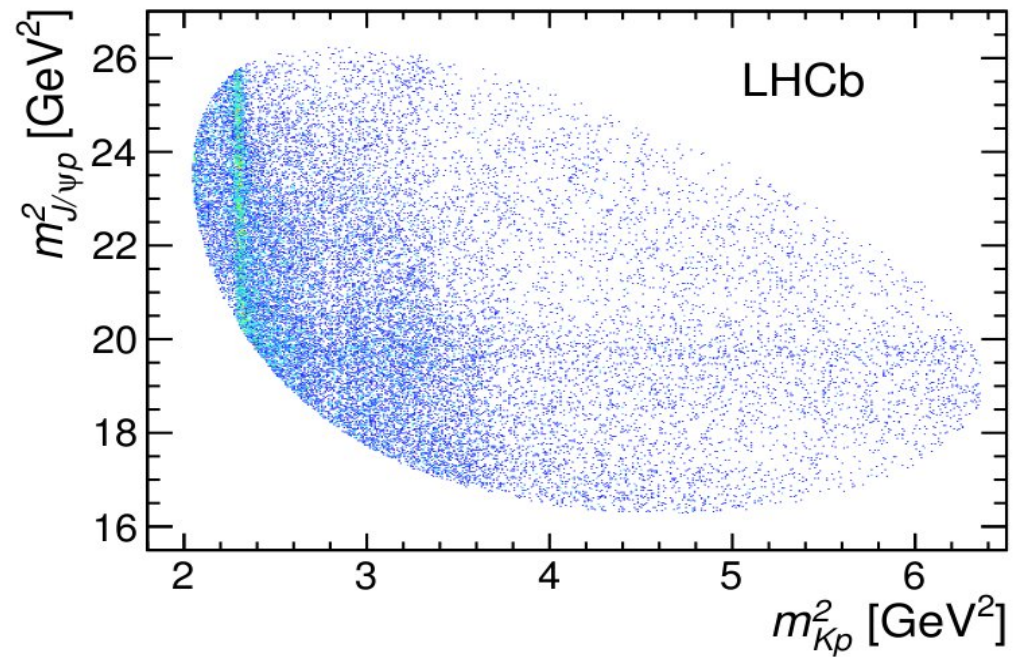
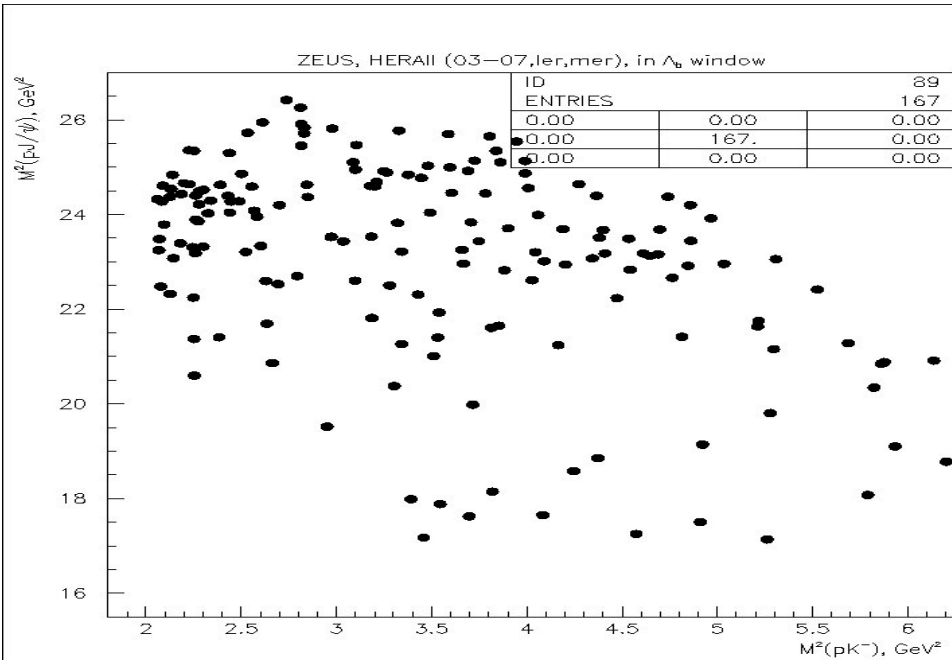
Before the Λ_b^0 window cut.
No indication of $\Lambda(1520)$

ZEUS, HERAII (03-07,ler,mer), in Λ_b window



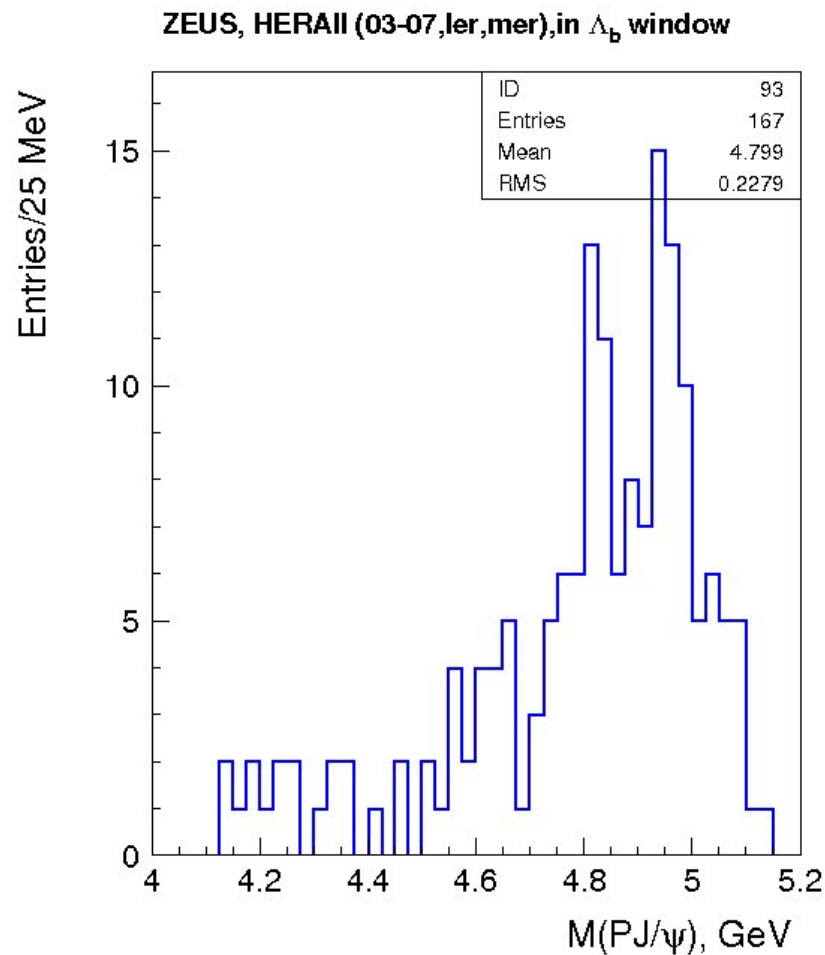
Within the Λ_b^0 window

More comparison with LHCb: the Dalitz plot



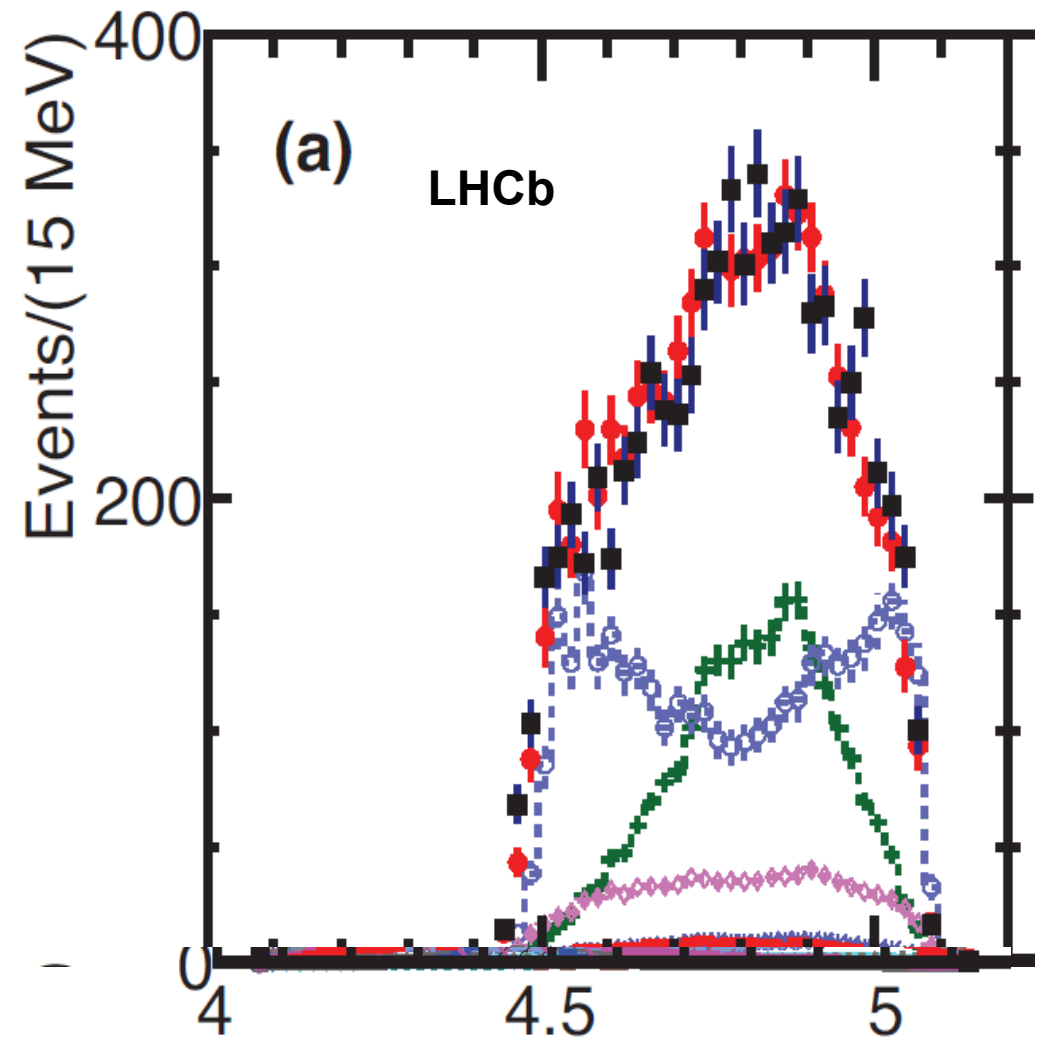
Invariant mass squared of K^-p versus $J/\psi p$ for candidates within ± 15 MeV of the Λ_b^0

(J/Ψp) mass spectra within the Λ_b^0 window



Quite different from LHCb.

However there is such interesting plot ..



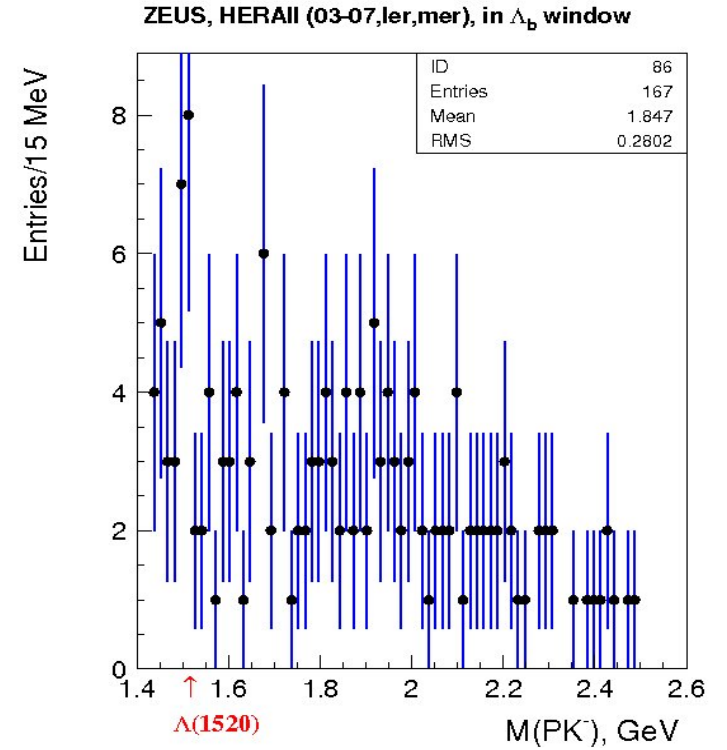
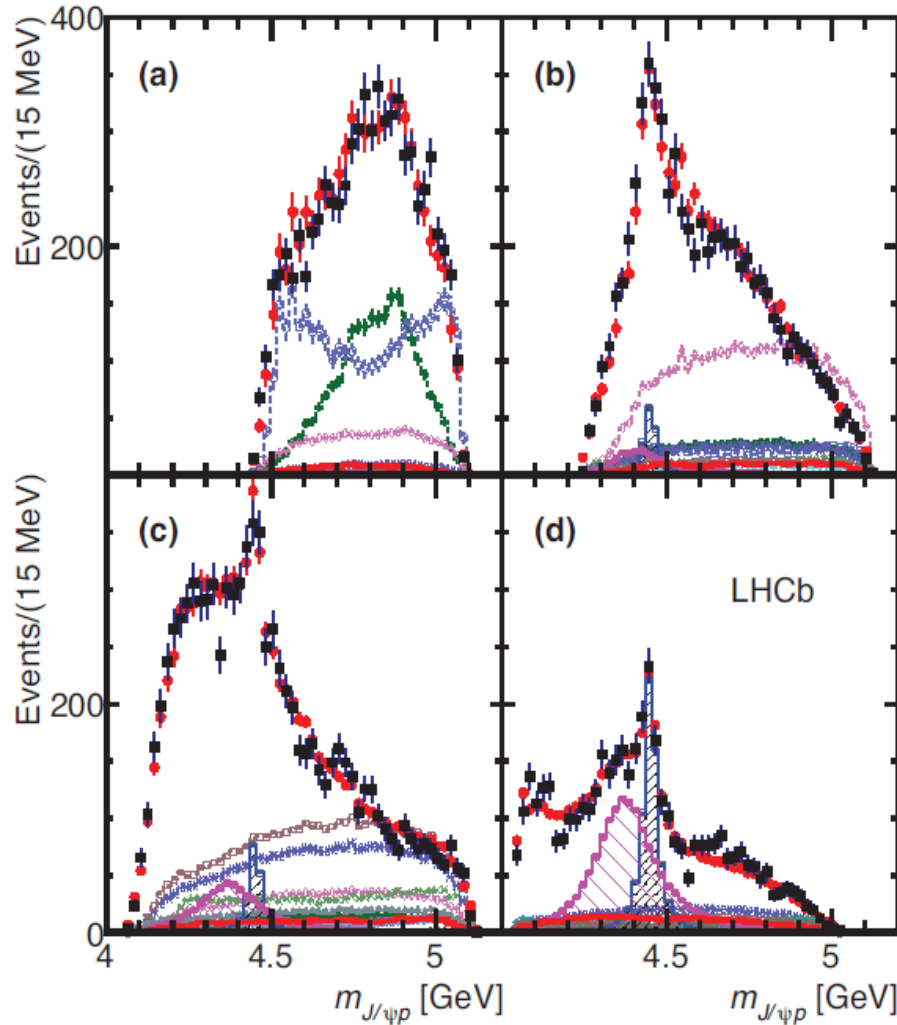


Figure 8: $m_{J/\psi p}$ in various intervals of m_{Kp} for the fit with two P_c^+ states: (a) $m_{Kp} < 1.55$ GeV, (b) $1.55 < m_{Kp} < 1.70$ GeV, (c) $1.70 < m_{Kp} < 2.00$ GeV, and (d) $m_{Kp} > 2.00$ GeV. The data are shown as (black) squares with error bars, while the (red) circles show the results of the fit.

Conclusions

- We do not see so far any trace of Pc baryon in the ZEUS HERA2 data
- We plan to refine the analysis and include the HERA1 data