Experimental study of di-quark correlation by charmed baryon spectroscopy at J-PARC high-momentum secondary beam line

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## Internal structure of hadron

- The origin of matter is an essential problem in physics.
- How hadrons are made up of quarks?

   It is difficult to calculate due to the non-perturbative behavior of low energy QCD.
- Hints of the internal structure of hadrons can be obtained through experiments.

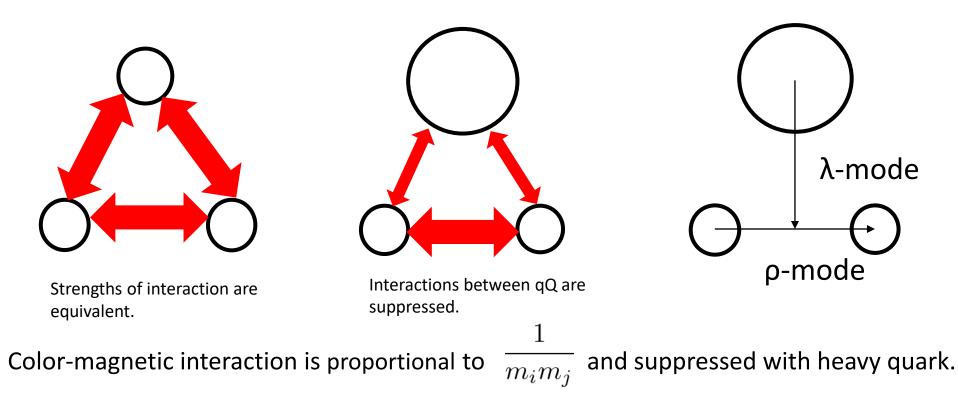
-Discoveries of exotic hadrons stimulate studies of substructure of hadrons.

• Di-quark correlation is a candidate which describes exotic hadrons. Ex.) Pc+(4380) and Pc+(4450) as  $\overline{c}[cq][qq]$ .

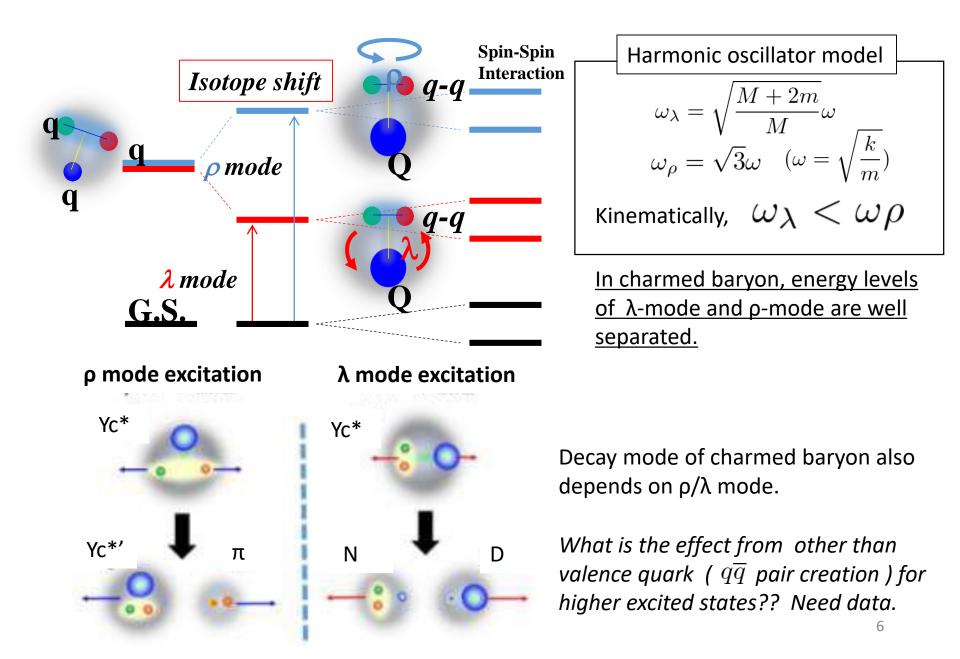
L. Maiani, A.D. Polosa, and V. Riquer, Phys. Lett. B 749 (2015) 289

### We want to know the role of di-quark correlation in hadrons!

### Di-quark correlation in charmed baryon



- Di-quark motion is separated by replacing one light quark with a charm quark. Collective motion of di-quark (λ-mode) Relative motion of light quarks (ρ-mode)
- $\checkmark$  Energy levels, production rate and decay channel depend on λ-mode and ρ-mode.



## Heavy quark spin symmetry

Spin of heavy quark is conserved when  $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$ .

- J=1/2 HQS singlet
- $J=j\pm 1/2$  HQS doublet

j : total spin of light degrees freedom

HQS doublet? If so, j=2 or 3?

\*Not measured.

	$\Lambda c(1/2+)$	$\Lambda c(1/2-)$	$\Lambda c(3/2-*)$	$\Lambda c(5/2+)$	$\Lambda c(3/2+*)$
	j=0	j=1	j=1	j=2	j=2
Mass [MeV/c2]	2286	2595	2625	2880	2940
Relative production rate	1	0.93	1.75	0.86	0.49

- ➢ Ratios of production rates of spin partners are predicted by A. Hosaka et al. Nucl. Phys. A 954 (2016) 341. π+N→D\*+Yc at π energy of 20 GeV is assumed.
- j=3 for Λc(5/2+) is favored by H. Nagahiro et al. Phys. Rev. D 95 014023 (2017).
   If so, where is j=2 λ-mode excited state? J<sup>P</sup> of Λc(2940) is 7/2+?
   Partial decay width is important information.

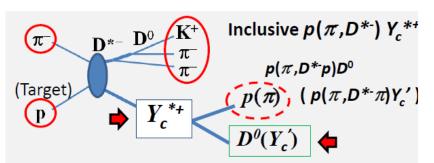
Measure energy levels , production rates and branching ratios systematically

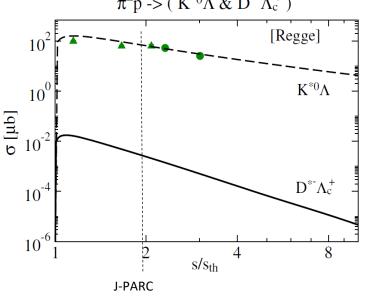
→ Missing mass method!

### J-PARC E50 experiment

- Charmed baryon spectroscopy provides us rich information about internal structure of hadrons, especially di-quark correlation.
- $\pi$  induced reaction was once studied with beam momentum of 13 GeV/c in 1985. J. H. Christenson et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 55 154(1985).  $\pi^-p \rightarrow (K^{*0}\Lambda \& D^{*-}\Lambda_c^+)$
- Production cross section is estimated as several nb. (~10<sup>-4</sup> of strangeness production).
- Measure charmed baryon of excitation energy ~1 GeV/c<sup>2</sup> systematically.

 $\rightarrow$  Missing mass method using ( $\pi$ , D<sup>\*-</sup>) reaction.





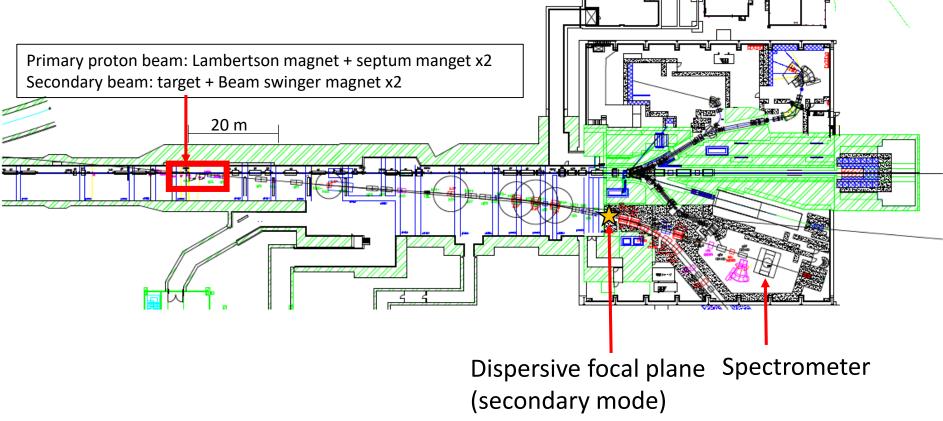
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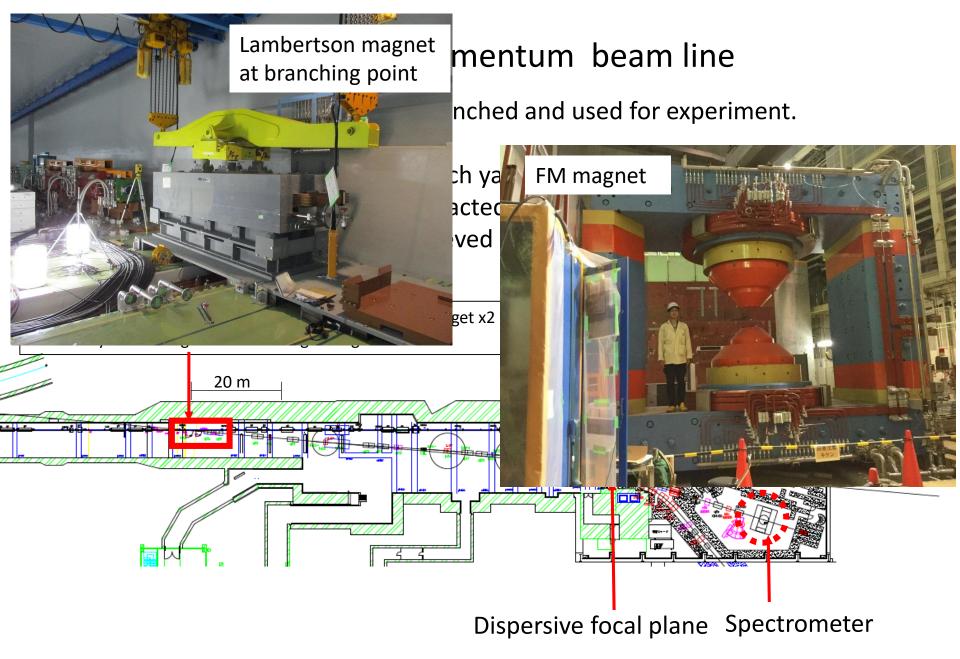
Need high-momentum, high-intensity and high-resolution  $\pi$  beam!  $\Rightarrow$  New experiment at J-PARC high-momentum beam line: <u>J-PARC E50 experiment (stage-1 approved.)</u>
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### J-PARC High-momentum beam line

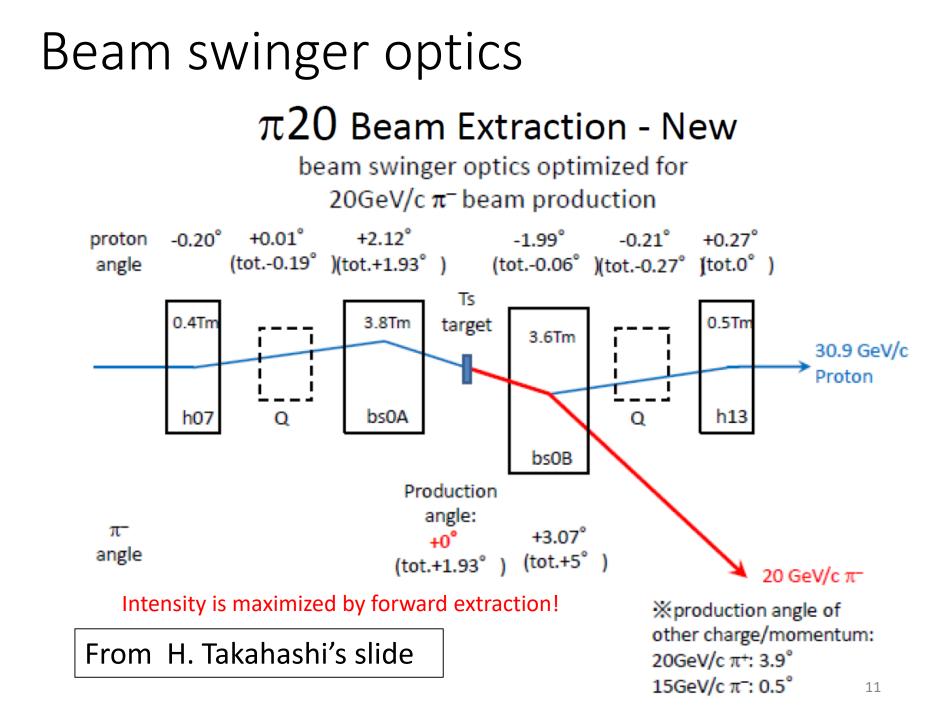
- > 0.1% of primary proton beam is branched and used for experiment.
- By setting production target in switch yard, high momentum and high intensity secondary beams are extracted.

High momentum resolution  $\Delta p/p^{0.1\%}$  is achieved with dispersive focal plane.





Construction is going well for the 1<sup>st</sup> beam in Jan 2020! 10



#### Optics in high-p line Spectrometer collection Dispersion QQ (QQQQ)QQ QQ DDQD QQ I) DD S Production Collimator for Exp. **Dispersive Focal Plane** Target Beam Re-define Target For Mom. Meas. Correlation of $\Delta p/p$ vs x at DP. (z) d/dp XMeon= 0.028 YMean= 0.064 XRMS=1.45 YRMS = 1.40Corr= 0.9899 Area=.287 2 1 mm resolution of horizontal beam position Q $\Rightarrow$ 0.1% resolution of beam momentum -2 - 4 12

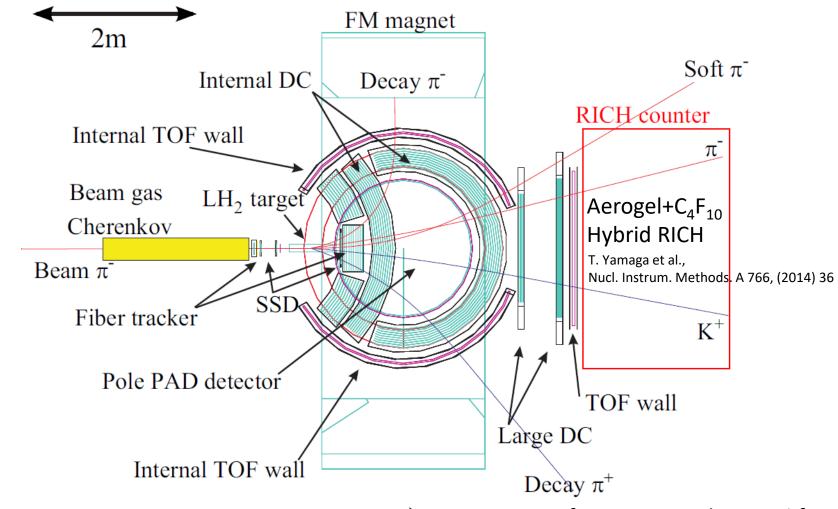
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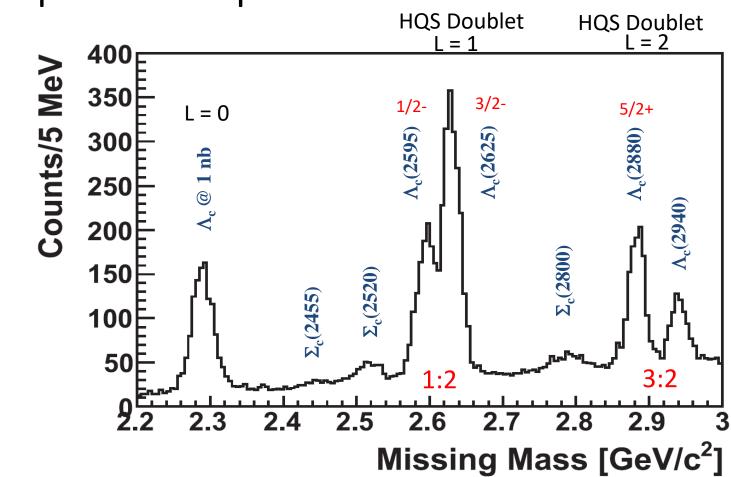
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Spectrometer



- Multipurpose spectrometer
- > Backward detector: soft  $\pi^-$  from  $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- + K^+$
- $\succ$  Forward detector: D<sup>-</sup>→π<sup>-</sup>+D<sup>0</sup>

- Acceptance of D<sup>-</sup> is more than 15% for forward peak angular distribution.
- ➤ Mass resolution is better than 10 MeV/c<sup>2</sup>.
- Triggerless DAQ is used.



Expected spectrum

- ~1000 Ac(2280) are collected for 100 days beam time.
- Production cross section will be compared with calculation.
- Production cross section  $\propto (q_{eff}/A)^L e^{-(q_{eff}/A)^2}$ Production rate takes maximum at L~1.8.  $q_{eff}$ : Momentum transfer ~1.3 GeV A: (baryon size parameter) -1 ~2.5 fm  $\frac{3}{2}^{-}$
- Ratio of production rates of  $\lambda$ -mode doublet is predicted.
- Decay widths  $\Gamma_{\pi\Sigma_c}, \Gamma_{ND}$  are also measured.

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$$R(\frac{\frac{3}{2}^{-}}{\frac{1}{2}^{-}}) \sim 2 \quad R(\frac{\frac{5}{2}^{+}}{\frac{3}{2}^{+}}) \sim \frac{3}{2}$$

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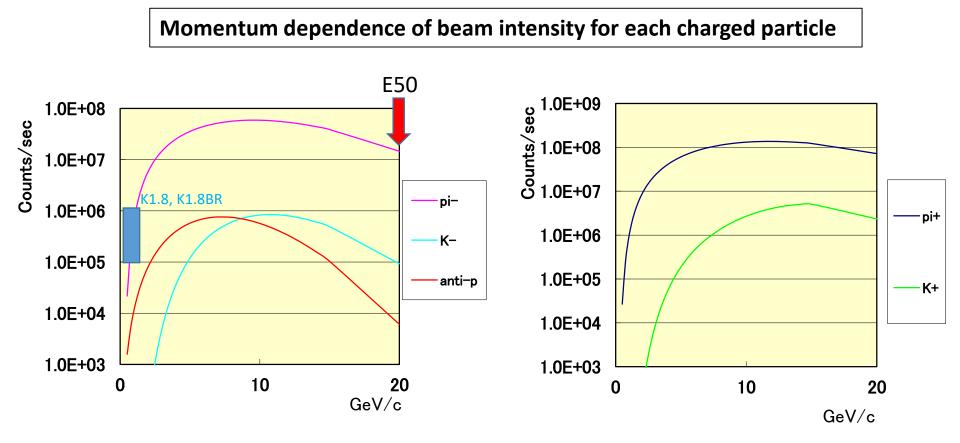
# Summary

- We want to understand how hadrons are made up of quarks. Baryon containing one heavy quark is an interesting system to study di-quark correlation.
- The experiment for Charmed baryon spectroscopy is proposed at J-PARC high-momentum beam line.
   "J-PARC E50 experiment"
- Excited states of ~1GeV from G.S. are measured systematically by missing mass method.
  - -Energy levels
  - -Production rate
  - -Decay branching ratios
- Feasibility of the experiment is evaluated and stage-1 approved.
   Beam line is designed to extract high momentum, high intensity and high momentum resolution secondary beam.
   Detectors are developed to achieve good mass resolution and good PID.

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# Back up

# Intensity (15 kW loss)

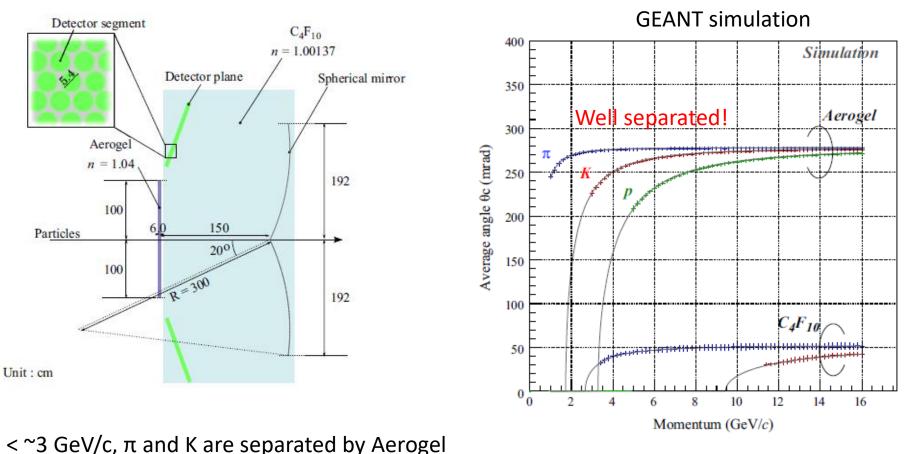


High momentum and high intensity secondary beams are available.

### Hybrid RICH

T. Yamaga et al., Nucl. Instrum. Methods. A 766, (2014) 36

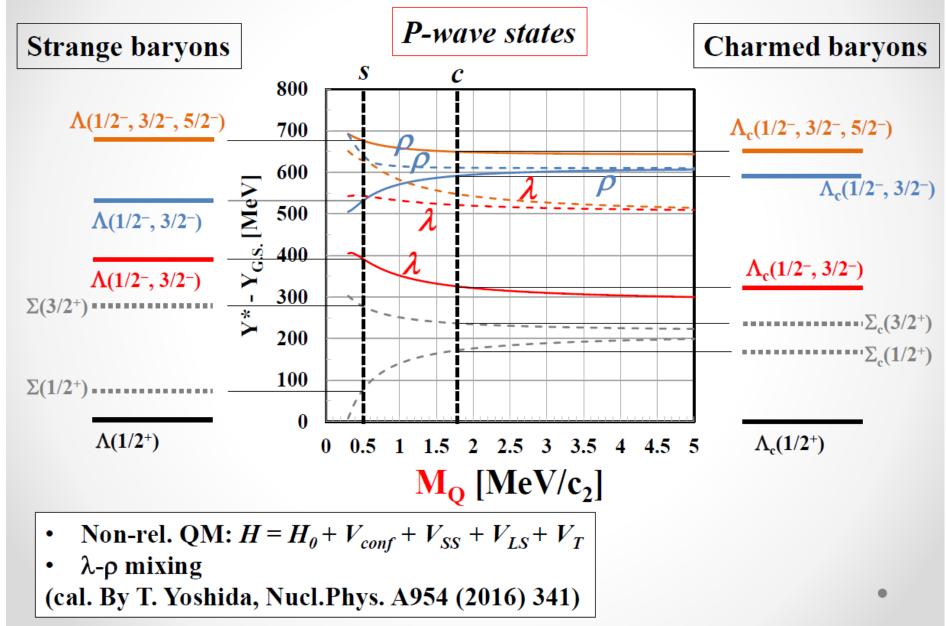
#### Particle identification of $\pi$ and K.

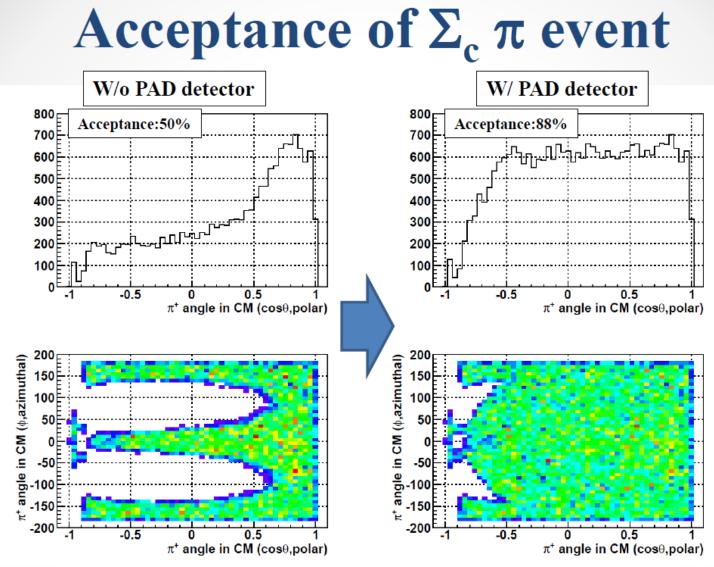


>~3 GeV/c, p and  $\pi/K$  is separated by Aerogel and  $\pi$  and K are separated by C4F10.

Mis-identification efficiency of  $\pi$  and p to K is evaluated as only 0.1% and 0.14%. Background from mis-identification in p( $\pi$ -, D\*-) spectrum is only 5%.

## Excitation spectrum: q-q + Q system





- Enough acceptance by using Pole face detector
- \* Total acceptance: 50% ⇒ 85%
  - Flat acceptance:  $\cos\theta > -0.5$
- Same angular acceptance for p D<sup>0</sup> decay channel