# Exclusive and Inclusive Photoproduction of XYZ Mesons





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#### XYZ mesons

#### Estimated cross sections of photoproduction of XYZ mesons

#### **Based on** Albaladejo, Hiller-Blin, Pilloni, Winney, Fernández-Ramírez, VM, Szczepaniak (JPAC) Phys. Rev. D102 (2020) 114010

Generalisation to inclusive processes

**Based on** JPAC, to appear





## Exotic mesons

#### **Ordinary baryons and mesons:**



#### **Exotic hadrons:**

#### hybrid mesons













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tetraquarks or molecules candidates with heavy quarks?





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High energy photoproduction

Electron-ion collider (EIC) EIC Yellow Report arXiv:2103.05419

Wide range of ions, including proton

Center-of-mass energy: 20 - 140 GeV

Electron-ion collider in China (EicC) **EicC arXiv:2102.09222** 

Center-of-mass energy: 15 - 20 GeV







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# Photoproduction Cross section $s = (p_{\gamma} + p_N)^2$ $t = (p_{\gamma} - p_Q)^2$



Production amplitude factorised into:

Known Reggeon-nucleon couplings

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 $\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}t} \propto \sum |\beta_{\lambda_{\lambda},\lambda_{Q}}^{\mathbb{R}}(t)|^{2}$  $\lambda_{\lambda}, \lambda_{Q}$ 

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$$2\left(\frac{s}{1\,\text{GeV}^2}\right)^{2\alpha_{\mathbb{R}}(t)}\sum_{\lambda_N,\lambda_N'}|\beta_{\lambda_N,\lambda_N'}(t)|^2$$







$$X(3872) 1^{++}$$

$$\gamma \xrightarrow{J/\psi} \xrightarrow{X(3872)} X(3872)$$

$$R = \rho, \omega$$

$$p \longrightarrow p$$

Couplings estimated using:

vector meson dominance (VMD) and branching fraction:  $B(X \rightarrow J/\psi \omega) = 4.4 \%$  $B(X \rightarrow J/\psi \rho) = 4.1 \%$ (strong isospin violation)

Benchmark with  $\chi_{c1}(1P)$  using  $B(\chi \to J/\psi \omega)$ ,  $B(\chi \to J/\psi \rho)$ ,...

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# X(6900)

## $c\bar{c}c\bar{c}$ candidate in $J/\psi J/\psi$ final states LHCb, arXiv:2006.16957



Couplings estimated using:

vector meson dominance (VMD) and branching fraction:

$$B(X \to J/\psi \,\omega) = 1 \,\%$$





Model the photoproduction of  $J/\psi$  first

Extraction of the ratio by CLEO PRD78 (2008)

$$\frac{\sigma_{\psi'}}{\sigma_{J/\psi}} = \frac{B(\psi' \to \gamma gg)}{B(J/\psi \to \gamma gg)} \simeq 30\%$$

Using HERA data  $R_{\text{HERA}} = 6.5\%$ 

$$\frac{\sigma_Y}{\sigma_{\psi'}} = \frac{B(Y \to J/\psi \pi \pi)}{B(\psi' \to J/\psi \pi \pi)} \longrightarrow \frac{\sigma_Y}{\sigma_{J/\psi}} \simeq 70$$



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 $Z_{c}(3900)^{+}, Z_{b}(10610)^{+}, Z_{c}(10650)^{+} 1^{+-}$ 



Couplings estimated using:

vector meson dominance (VMD) and branching fraction:

## $B(Z_c^+(3900) \to J/\psi \pi^+) = 10.5 \%$

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#### Easier to extract experimentally

#### Constant cross section at high energies Even for non-Pomeron production

All following results are preliminary







# **Kinematic of Semi-Inclusive Reactions**



Triple Regge limit corresponds to  $x = p_{\parallel}/p_{\parallel}$ , max  $\simeq 1$ 





# **Triple Regge Region**



 $- = \frac{\gamma}{\pi} \sum_{\lambda_{\lambda},\lambda_{\alpha}} |\beta_{\lambda_{\lambda},\lambda_{\alpha}}^{\mathbb{R}}|$  $E_{Q} - \frac{1}{d^3} p_{a}$ 

 $= G_{RRP}(t)(1 -$ 

$$\lambda_{Q}(t)|^{2}(1-x)^{1-2\alpha(t)}\sigma_{\text{tot}}^{\mathbb{R}p}$$

$$(-x)^{1-2\alpha(t)}$$

# 3 Reggeon-particle couplings and 1 Triple Reggeon coupling

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# Field and Fox Parametrisation



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# **Triple Pomeron**



$$E\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}^{3}p} = \left(\frac{\beta_{\gamma\rho}^{\mathbb{P}}}{\beta_{pp}^{\mathbb{P}}}\right)^{2} G_{PPP}(t)(1-x)^{1-1}$$

OMEGA photon ZPC53 (1992) 581





# *Y*(4260) 1<sup>--</sup>



$$E\frac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}^{3}p} = \left(\frac{\beta_{\gamma Y}^{\mathbb{P}}}{\beta_{pp}^{\mathbb{P}}}\right)^{2} G_{PPP}(t)(1-x)^{1-2\alpha_{\mathbb{P}}(t)}$$





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# Conclusions

 $X(3872), Y(4260), Z_c(3900)^+, \dots$ 

thanks to the Pomeron exchange

Benchmark on known mesons



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