

# R Measurements at High $Q^2$

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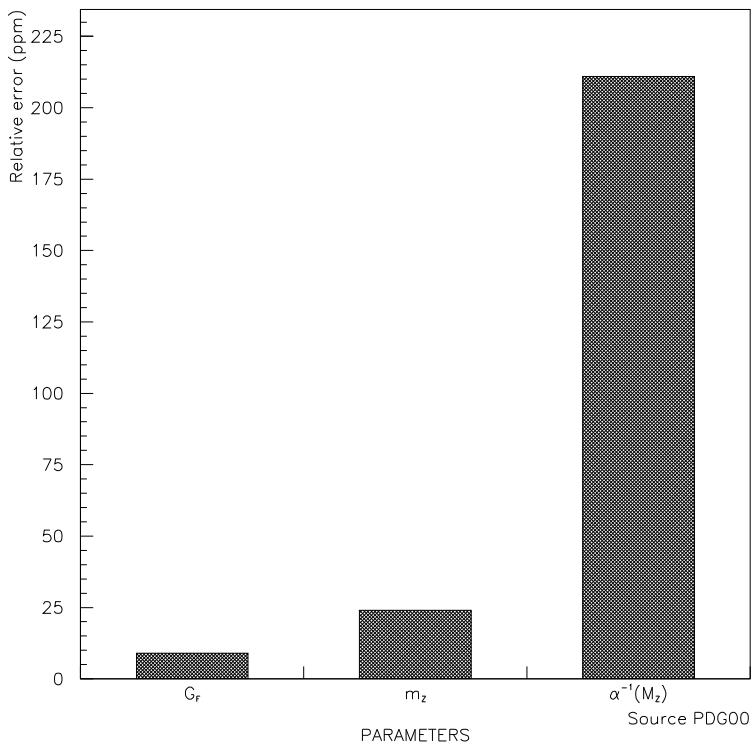
# Introduction

$$R(s) = \frac{\sigma_{tot}(e^+e^- \rightarrow hadrons)}{\sigma_{tot}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)}$$

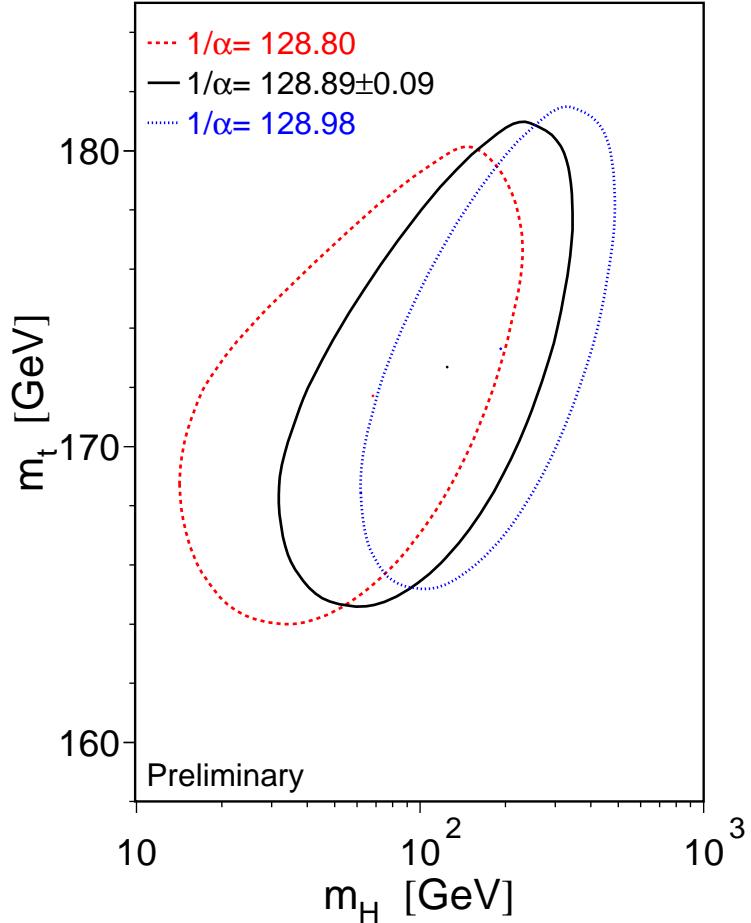
Improved  $R$  values are extremely important:

- Uncertainties in  $R$  limit the precision of  $\alpha(m_Z^2)$ .

*The error on  $\alpha(m_Z^2)$  is a limiting element in tests of the Standard Model.*



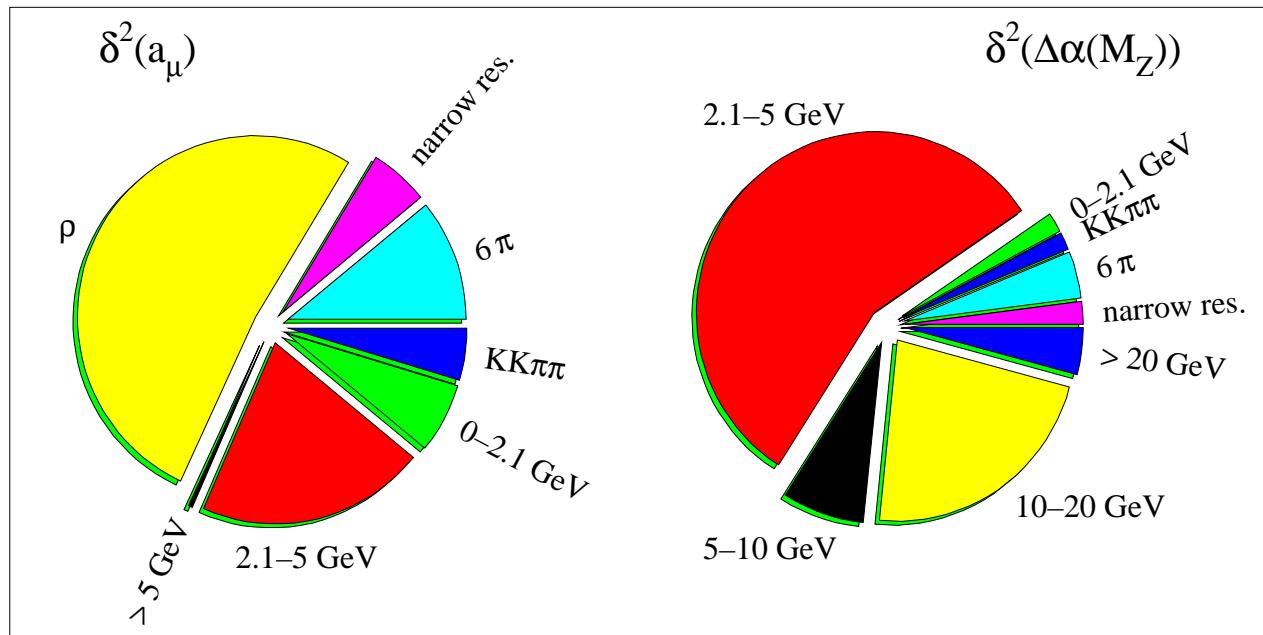
- The Higgs mass determined from radiative corrections in the standard model is very sensitive to the uncertainty in  $\alpha(M_Z^2)$ .



SM fit to  $m_t$  and  $m_H$  with  $\alpha(M_Z^2)$  varying by  $\pm\sigma$ .

B. Pietrzyk and H. Burkhard (1997).

- For the interpretation of  $a_\mu = (g - 2)/2$ .  
Most of the theoretical uncertainty due to R.

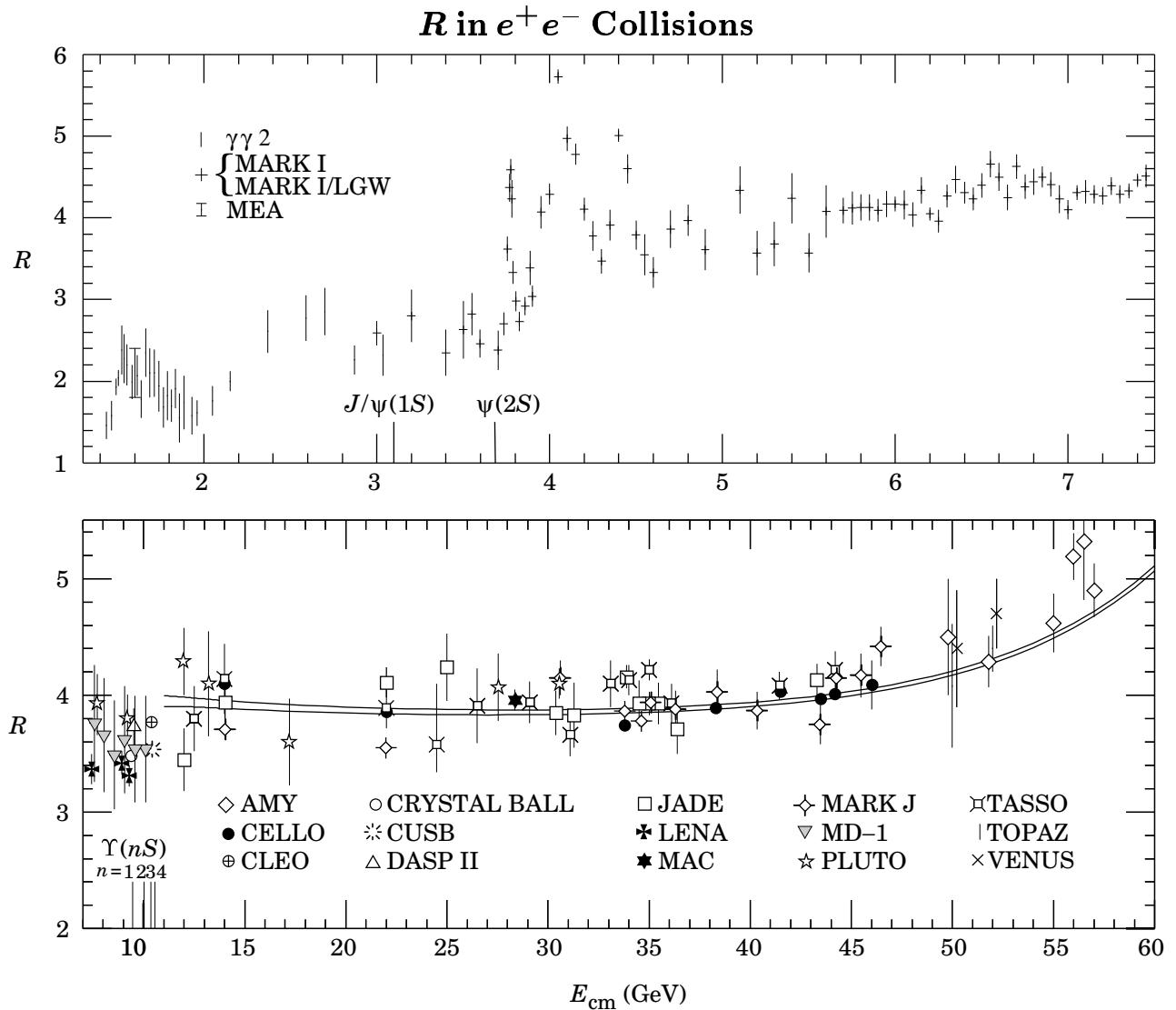


H. Burkhardt and B. Pietrzyk, *Phys. Lett.* B356, 398 (1995).

# Previous Measurements

PDG2000 - Selected measurements.

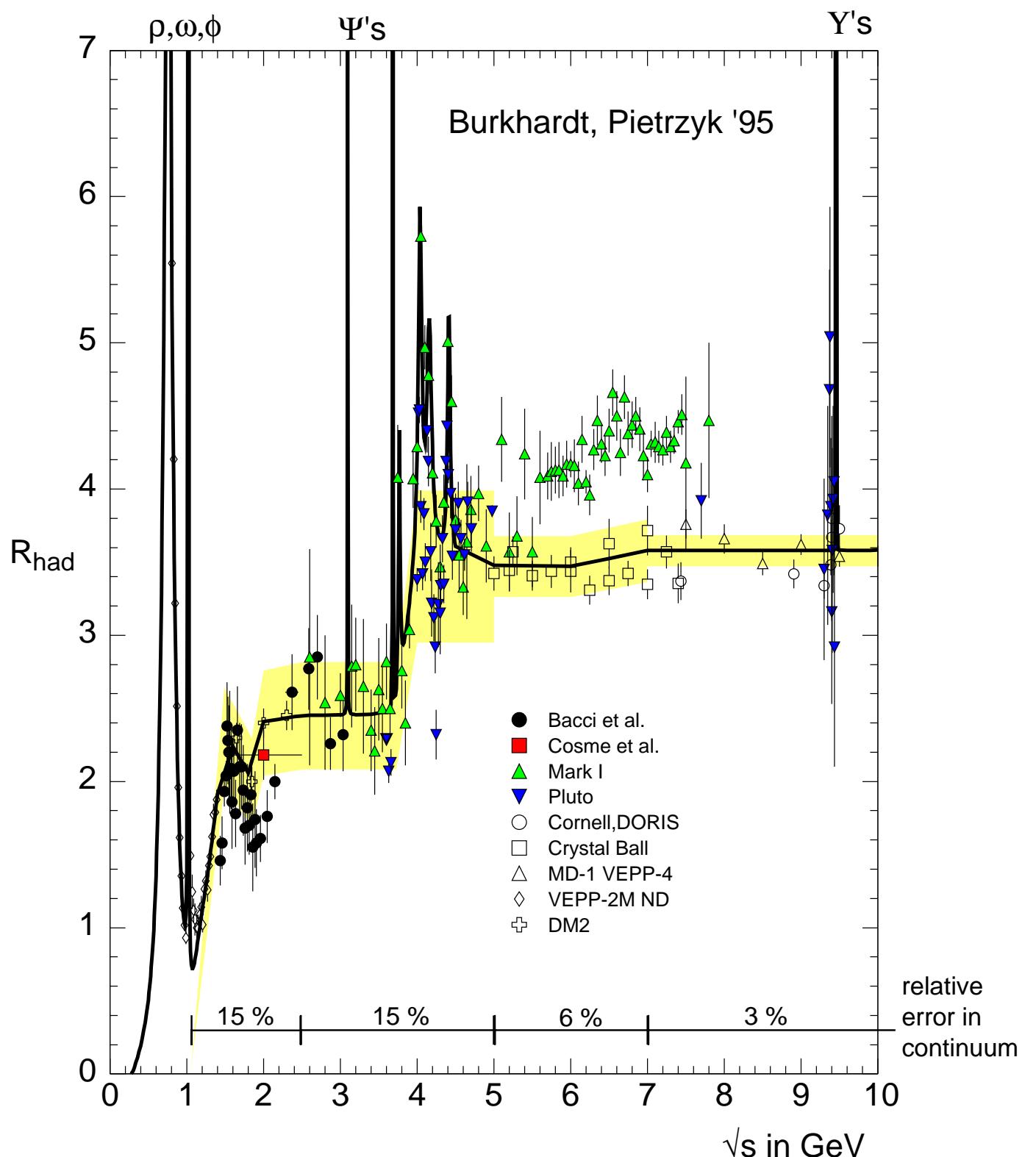
Systematic normalization error (5 - 20 %) not included.



Concentrate on  $m_{J/\psi} < E_{\text{cm}} < 12$  GeV

- PQCD can be used at high energies. (curves: M. Dine and J. Sapirstein, Phys. Rev. Lett. **43**, 668 (1979).)
- Theory driven approaches go much lower in energy.

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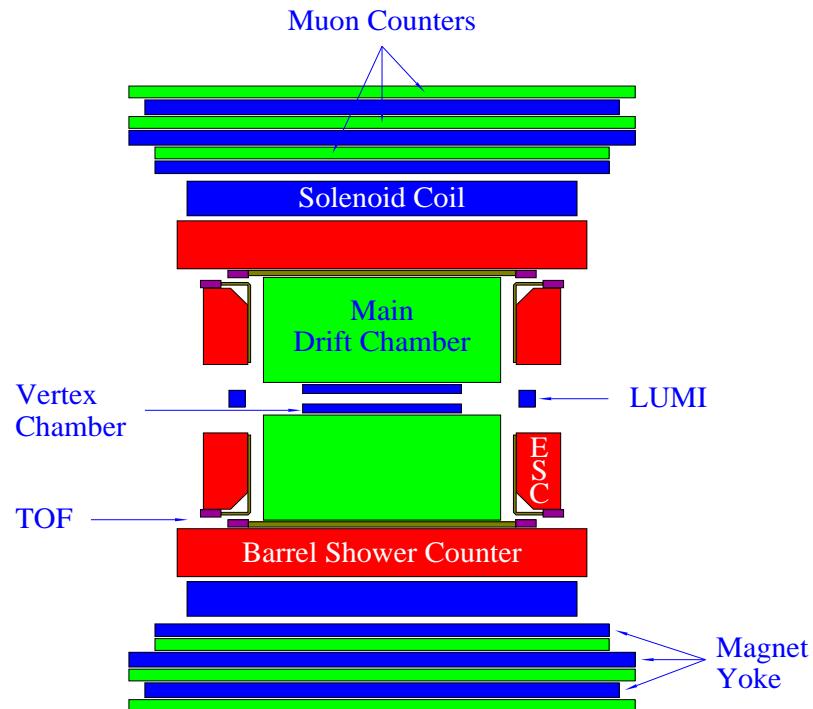


# BES R Measurement

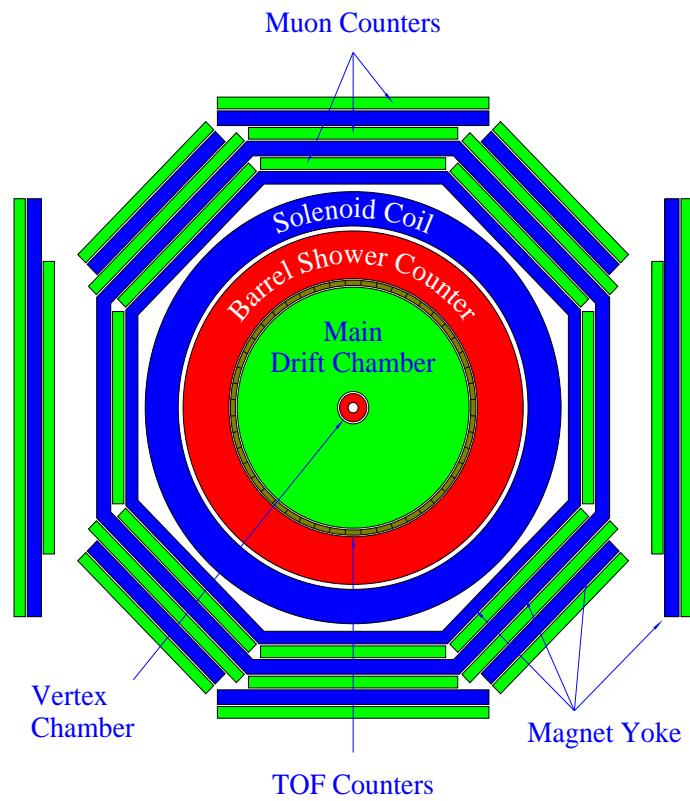
## BES-II (Upgraded Beijing Spectrometer)

- General purpose solenoidal detector at Beijing Electron Positron Collider (BEPC).
- CM energy range from 2 to 5 GeV.
- Energy spread: 1.0 MeV
- Luminosity at  $J/\psi$  energy  $\sim 4 \times 10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ .
- Detector Performance.

Subdetector	Performance
VC	$\sigma_{xy} \sim 100 \mu\text{m}$
MDC	$\sigma_{xy} \sim 200 \mu\text{m}$ $\sigma p/p \sim 1.8\% \sqrt{1 + p^2}$ $\sigma_{dE/dx} \sim 8.4\%$
TOF	$\sigma_T \sim 180 \text{ ps}$ $\sigma_Z \sim 3 \text{ cm}$
BSC	$\sigma E/E \sim 21\% / \sqrt{E}$ $\sigma_Z \sim 2.5 \text{ cm}$
$\mu$ counter	$\sigma_{r\phi} \sim 3 \text{ cm}$ $\sigma_Z \sim 9 \text{ cm}$



Side view of the BES detector



End view of the BES detector

## Determination of $R$

Experimentally:

$$R = \frac{\sigma_{had}^0}{\sigma_{\mu\mu}^0} = \frac{N_{obs} - N_{bg}}{\sigma_{\mu\mu}^0 \cdot \epsilon_{had} \cdot \epsilon_{trig} \cdot (1 + \delta) \cdot L}$$

$$N_{bg} = N_{cr} + N_{bm} + N_{ll} + N_{\gamma\gamma}$$

$$\sigma_{\mu\mu}^0(s) = 4\pi\alpha^2/3s$$

## Runs

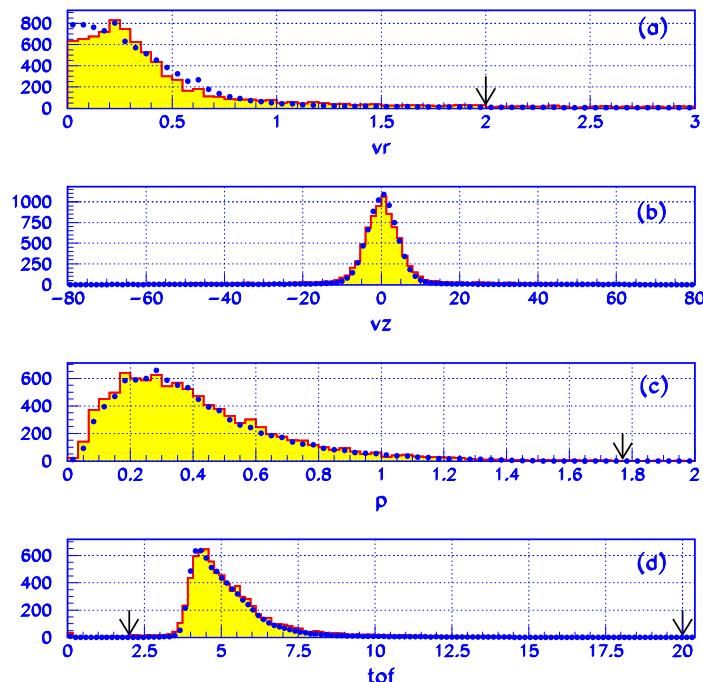
- In 1998 we performed an initial measurement of  $R$  using six scan points: 2.6, 3.2, 3.4, 3.55, 4.6, and 5.0 GeV.
- In 1999, we measured 85 scan points.  $\sim 1000$  events/pt. Took  $\sim 5$  months.

Year	E (GeV)	Pts	Single Beam Pts	Separated Beam Pts	Time Spent (days)
1998	2.6 - 5.0	6	1	6	40
1999	2.0 - 4.8	85	7	24	105

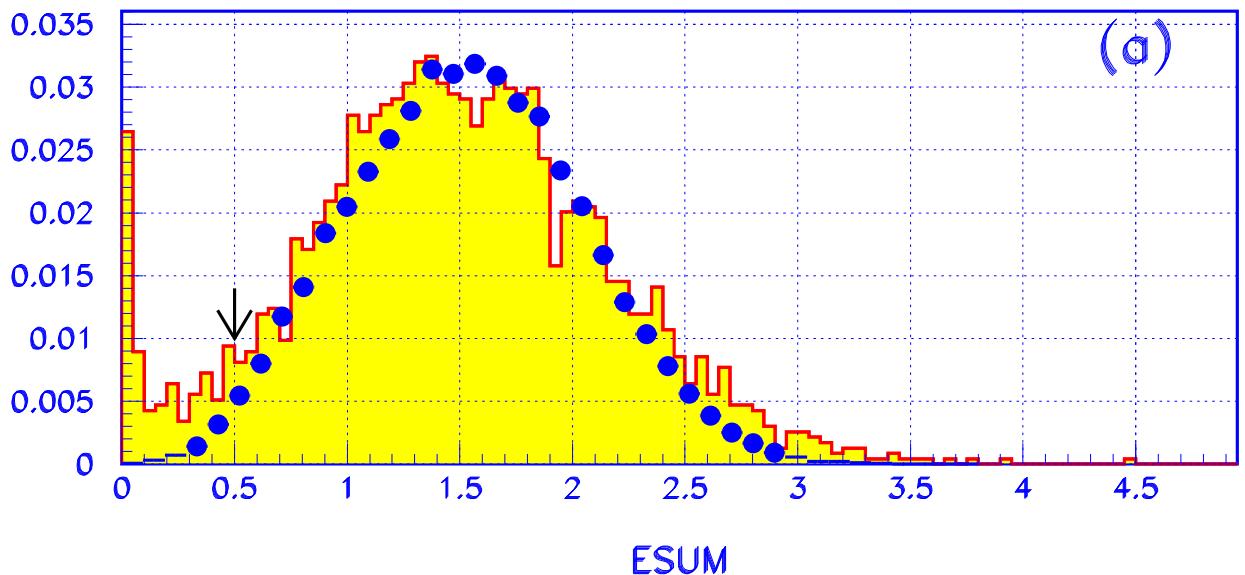
# Event Selection

- Remove apparent Bhabhas.
- Track level cuts: require good tracks from IP.  
Remove cosmic rays and beam-gas.

Type	Cuts
Time	$2 < t < t_{\text{proton}} + 5\sigma_{\text{TOF}}$
Space (mfit = 2)	$r_o < 2.0 \text{ cm}$ $ z_o  < 18 \text{ cm}$
Energy (BSC)	$E < 0.6E_{\text{beam}}$
Momentum	$p < p_{\text{beam}} + 5\sigma_p$ $ \cos \theta  < 0.84$



- Event level cuts:
  - Remove beam-gas, two-photon,  $ee$ ,  $\mu\mu$ , etc.
  - require  $\geq 2$  tracks with at  $\geq 1$  good helix fit.
  - total deposited energy  $> 0.28 E_{beam}$ .
  - tracks don't all point in the same direction in z.
  - for 2-prongs: tracks must NOT be back-to-back and have at least 2 isolated neutral tracks.



- Systematic error: part determined by varying cuts.

## Backgrounds

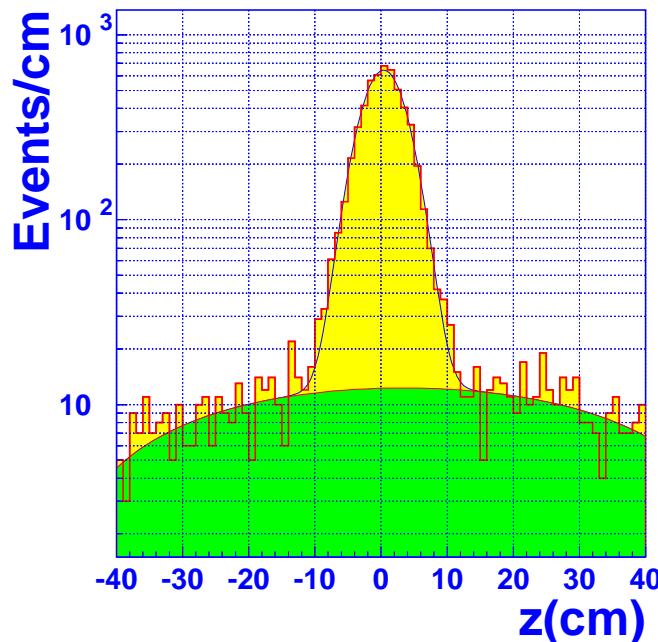
Cosmic rays, lepton pairs, two photon, and beam associated - subtract  $\tau\tau$  and two photon.

Largest background: beam associated  $N_{bm}$

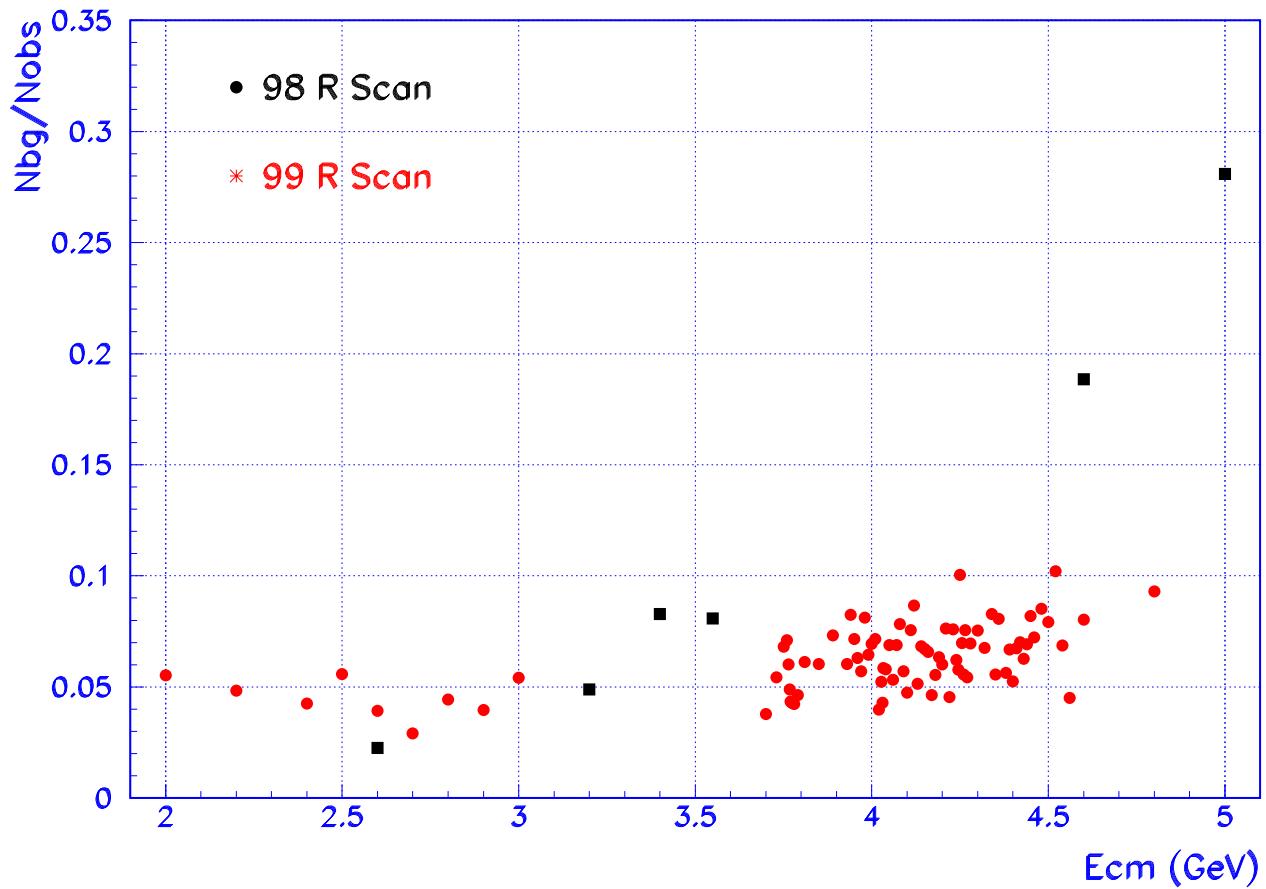
- Determine using separated beam runs.  $N_{bm} = f N_{SB}$ , where

$$f = \frac{\int_{col} (P \cdot I)_{col} dt}{\int_{sep} (P \cdot I)_{sep} dt}$$

- For 1999 data, also use vertex distribution.  
Fit with Gaussian + 2nd order polynomial.



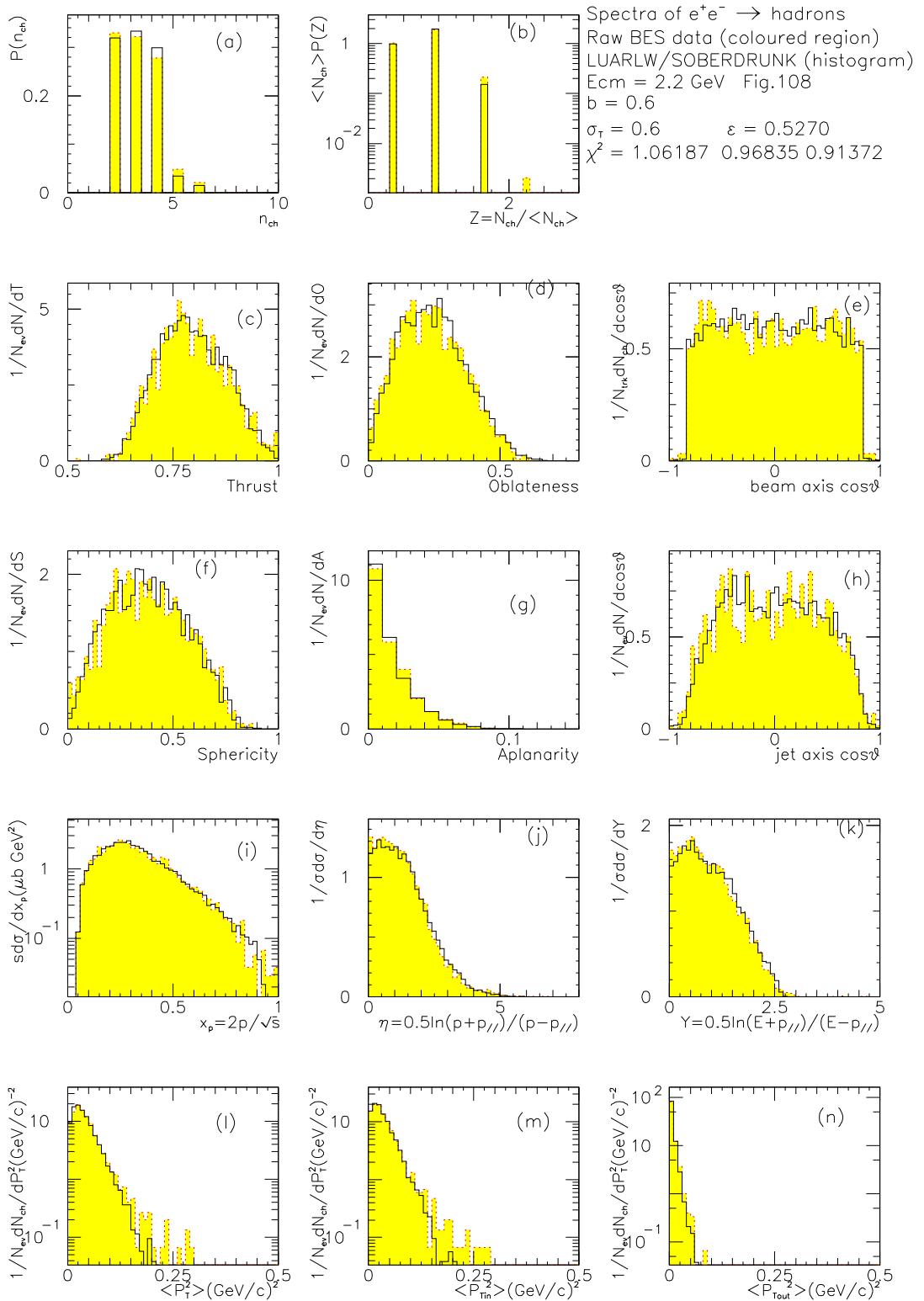
- Differences between methods range from 0.3 to 2.3 %. Included in systematic errors.
- Varied order of polynomial. Included in event selection systematic error.



## Hadron Efficiency

Lund group and BES have worked to develop LUARLW:

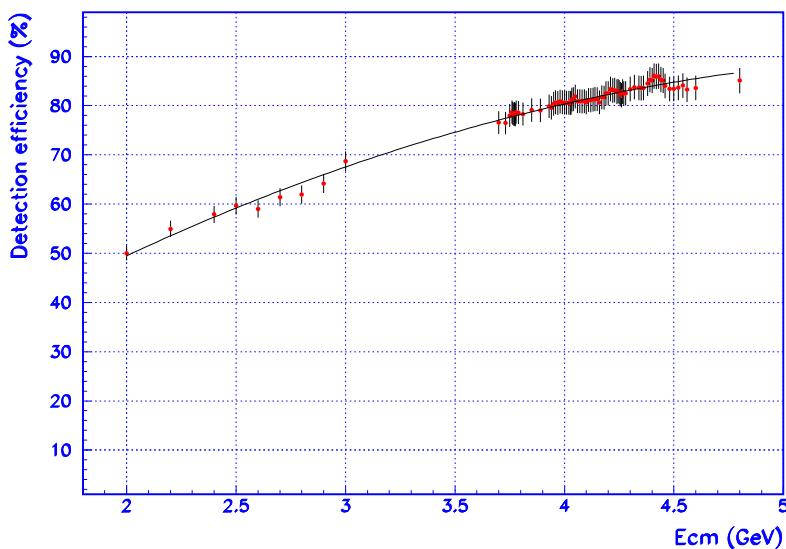
- New generator based on Area Law. Especially important to describe low energy region ( $\leq 3$  GeV).
- Removes high energy approximation in string approximation in JETSET.
- Final state generation is exclusive.
- Above 3.77 GeV, Eichten Model used for charmed meson production.
- Parameters especially tuned to fit the data in the BES energy region.
- Uncertainty in parameters (tuning) included in systematic error.
- Tuned both locally and globally. Difference into systematic error.
- Varied D fractions. Difference in systematic error.

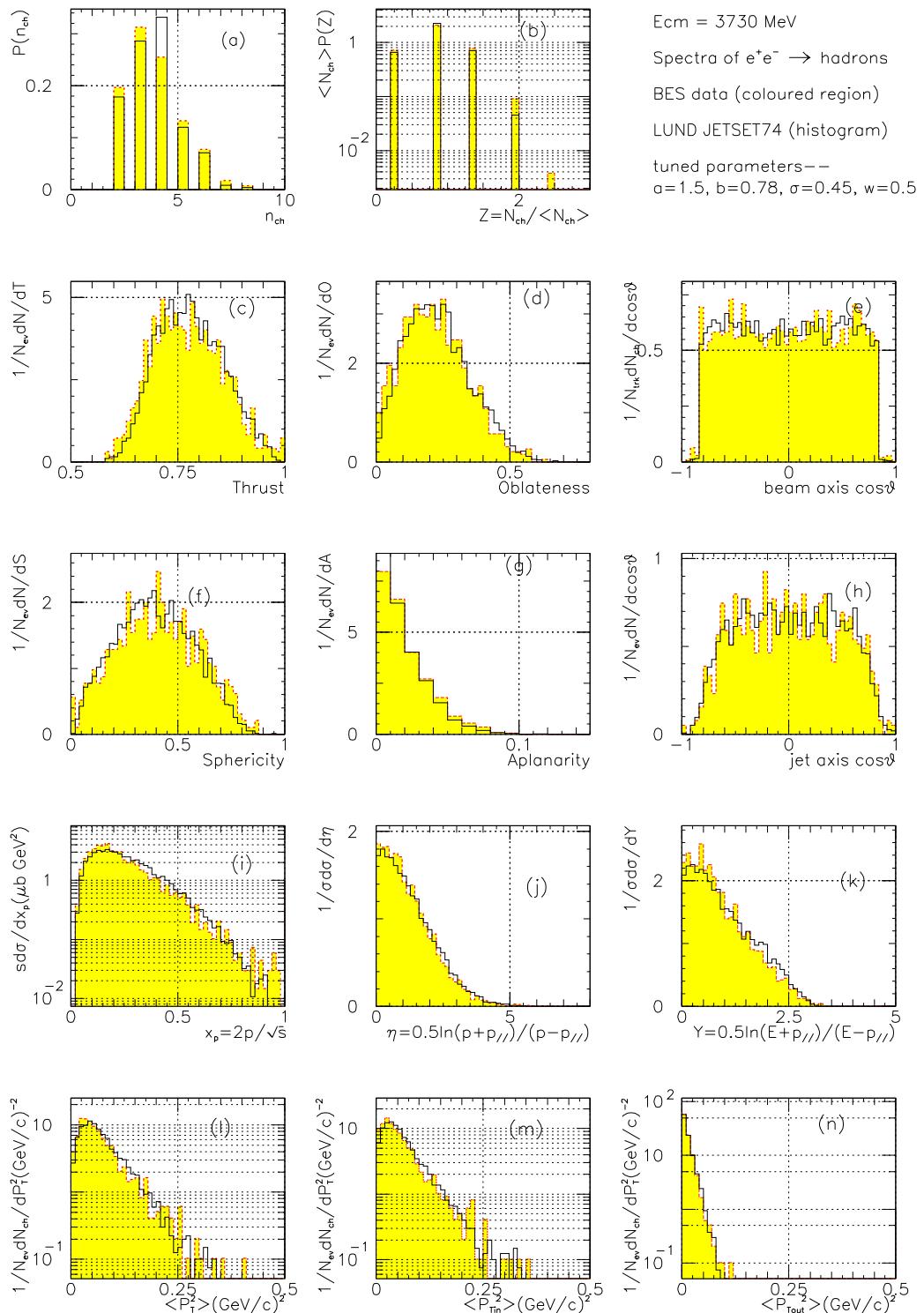


- $\epsilon_{had}$  above 3 GeV are also determined using Lund model: LUND - JETSET74 generator.
  - $E_{cm} > 4$  GeV, default parameters
  - $E_{cm} \leq 4$  GeV, tuned parameters
- Difference with LUARLW is about 1 % at most points but is up to 3 or 4 % at a few points. Included in systematic error.

$E_{cm}$ (GeV)	3.0	4.6	4.8
$\epsilon$ JETSET	0.6733	0.8628	0.8796
$\epsilon$ Area Law	0.6969	0.8757	0.8664
diff (%)	3.5	1.5	1.5

- Overall systematic error about 3 %.

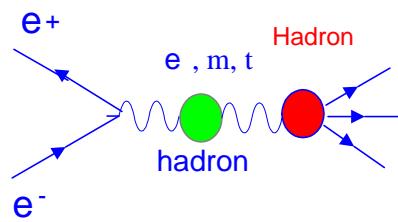
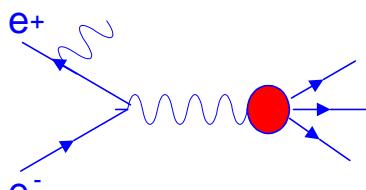
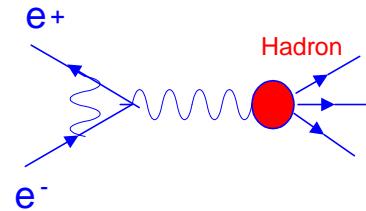
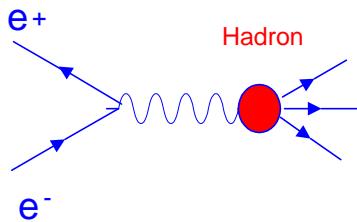




# Radiative Corrections: $(1 + \delta)$

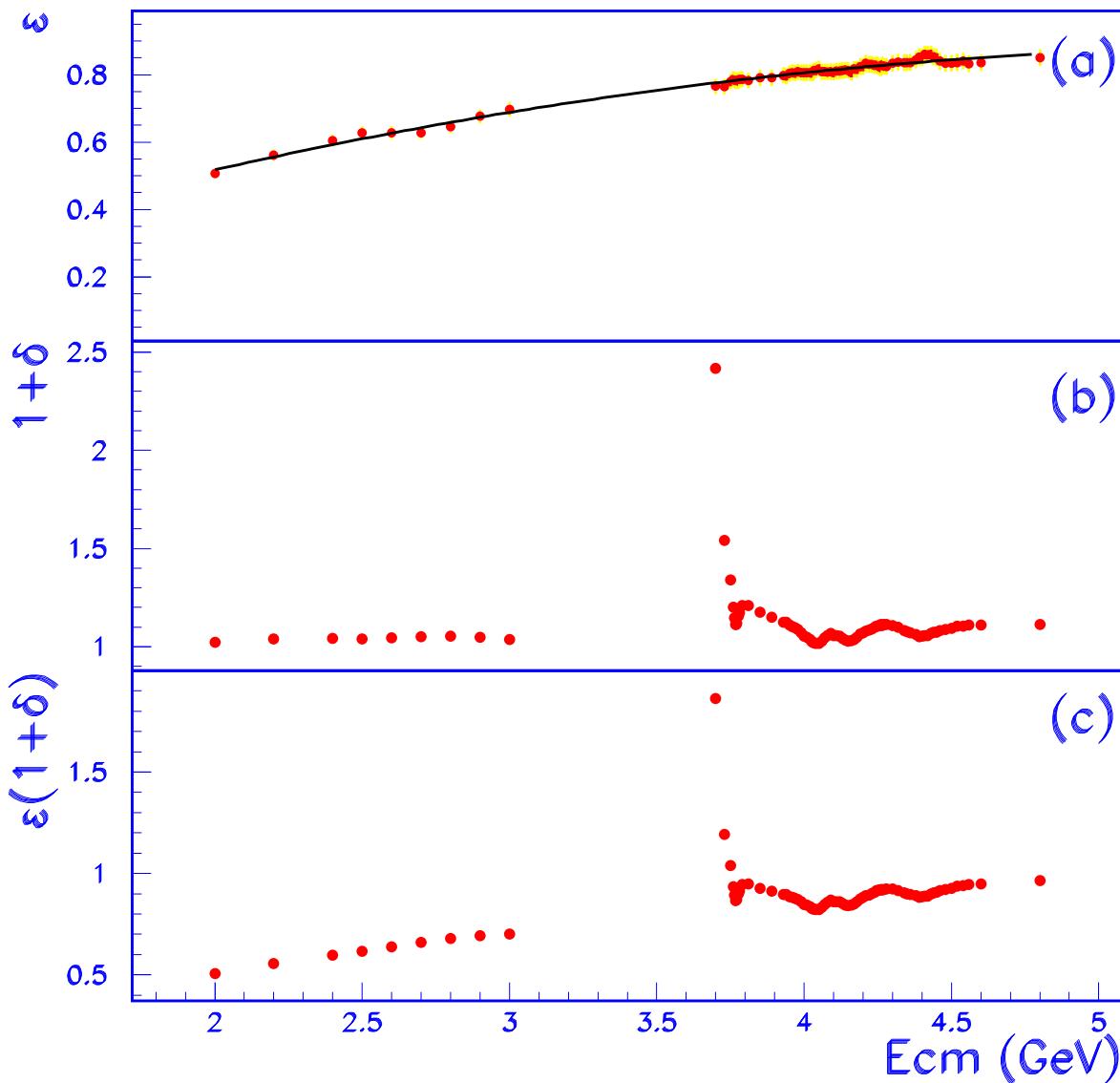
Remove high order effects from  $\sigma_{had}^{obs}$

$$\sigma_{had}^{obs} = \sigma_{had}^o \cdot \epsilon_{had} \cdot (1 + \delta)$$



- Applied methods of:
  - Berends and Kleiss  
*Nucl. Phys. B178*, 141 (1981)
  - Bonneau and Martin  
*Nucl. Phys. B* **27**, 387 (1971).
  - Kuraev and Fadin  
*Sov. J. Nucl. Phys.* **41**, 3 (1985)
  - Osterheld *et al.*  
SLAC-PUB-4160, 1990. (T/E)

- all agree within 1% in continuum region; 1-3 % in resonance region.
- Use Osterheld method and include differences in systematic error.



## Luminosity Measurement

Integrated luminosity:

$$L = \frac{N_{obs}}{\sigma \epsilon \epsilon_{trg}}$$

Used:  $\gamma\gamma$ , Bhabha, and dimu events

Results consistent

Systematic error: cut variations, background uncertainties, cross section uncertainty, and efficiency uncertainty.

## Trigger Efficiency

Measured by comparing different trigger configurations in runs at  $J/\psi$ .

$$\epsilon_{Bhabha} = 99.96\%$$

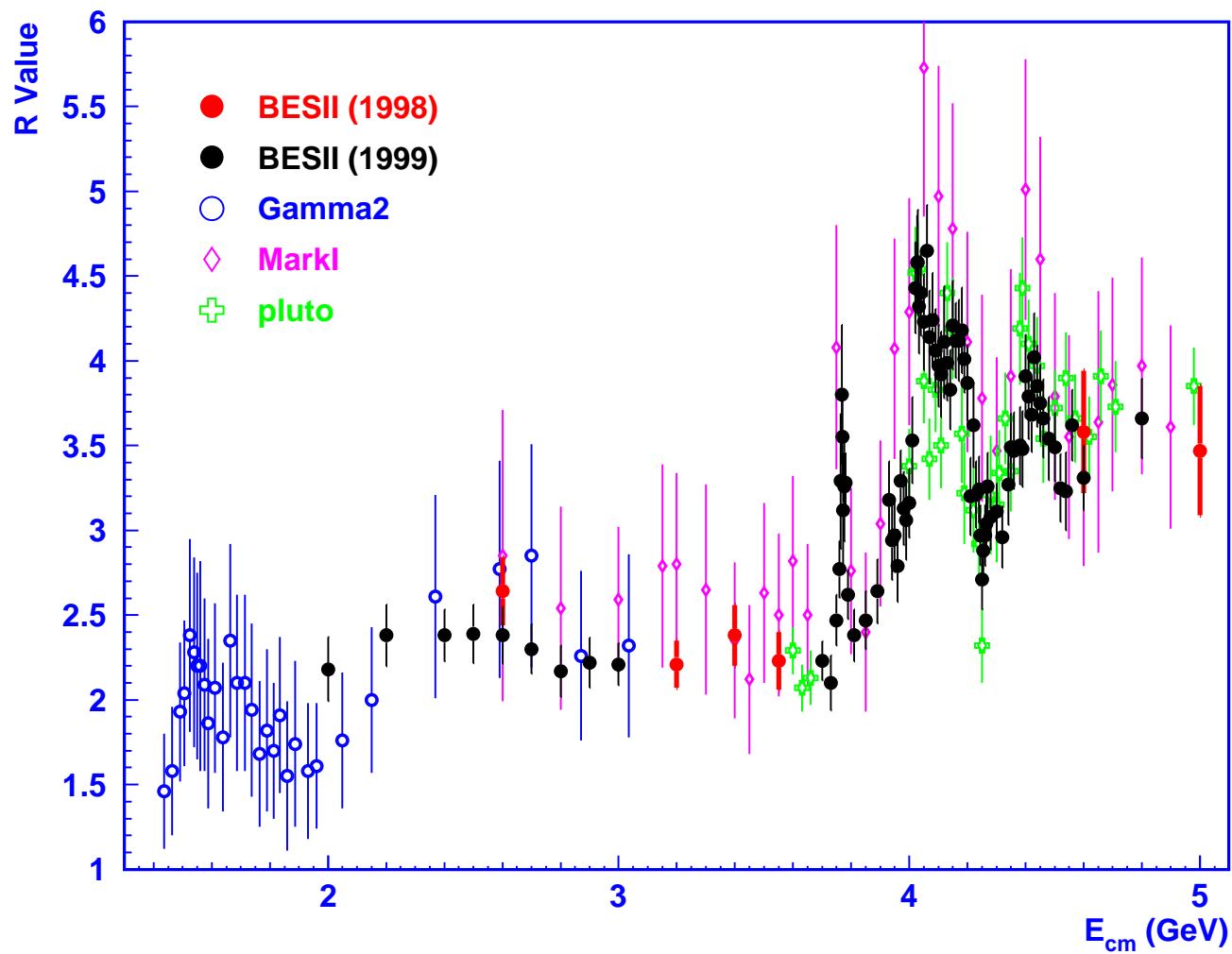
$$\epsilon_{\mu\mu} = 99.33\%$$

$$\epsilon_{\mu\mu} = 99.76\%$$

Error = 0.5 %

# BES Results

- 1998 results published: J.Z. Bai *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett.84, 594 (1999).
- 1999 results submitted to PRL: J.Z. Bai *et al.*, hep-ex/0102003

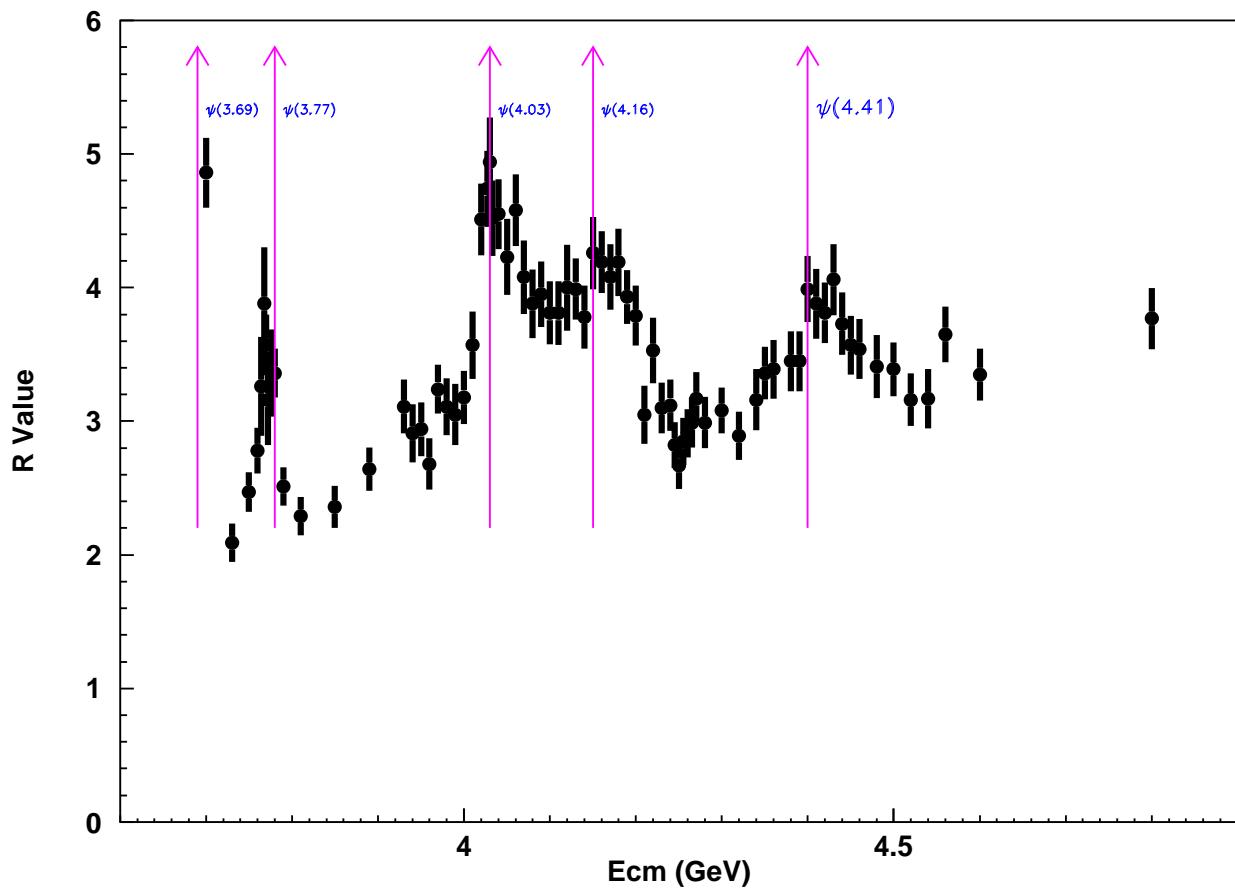


- Values at a few typical energy points.

$E_{cm}(\text{GeV})$	$N_{\text{had}}$	$N_{ll} + N_{\gamma\gamma}$	$L(\text{nb}^{-1})$	$\epsilon_{\text{had}} (\%)$	$1 + \delta$
2.0	1155.4	19.5	47.3	49.50	1.024
3.0	2055.4	24.3	135.9	67.55	1.038
4.0	768.7	58.0	48.9	80.34	1.055
5.0	1215.3	93.6	84.4	86.79	1.113

- Systematic uncertainties are between 6 and 10 % and are about half of the previous uncertainties. Average 6.6 %.
- Systematic errors at 3.0 GeV.

Source	Error (%)
$N_{had}$	3.3
$L$	2.3
$1 + \delta$	1.3
$\epsilon_{had}$	2.7
Sys.	5.0
Stat.	2.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.6</b>



# New CLEO Measurement

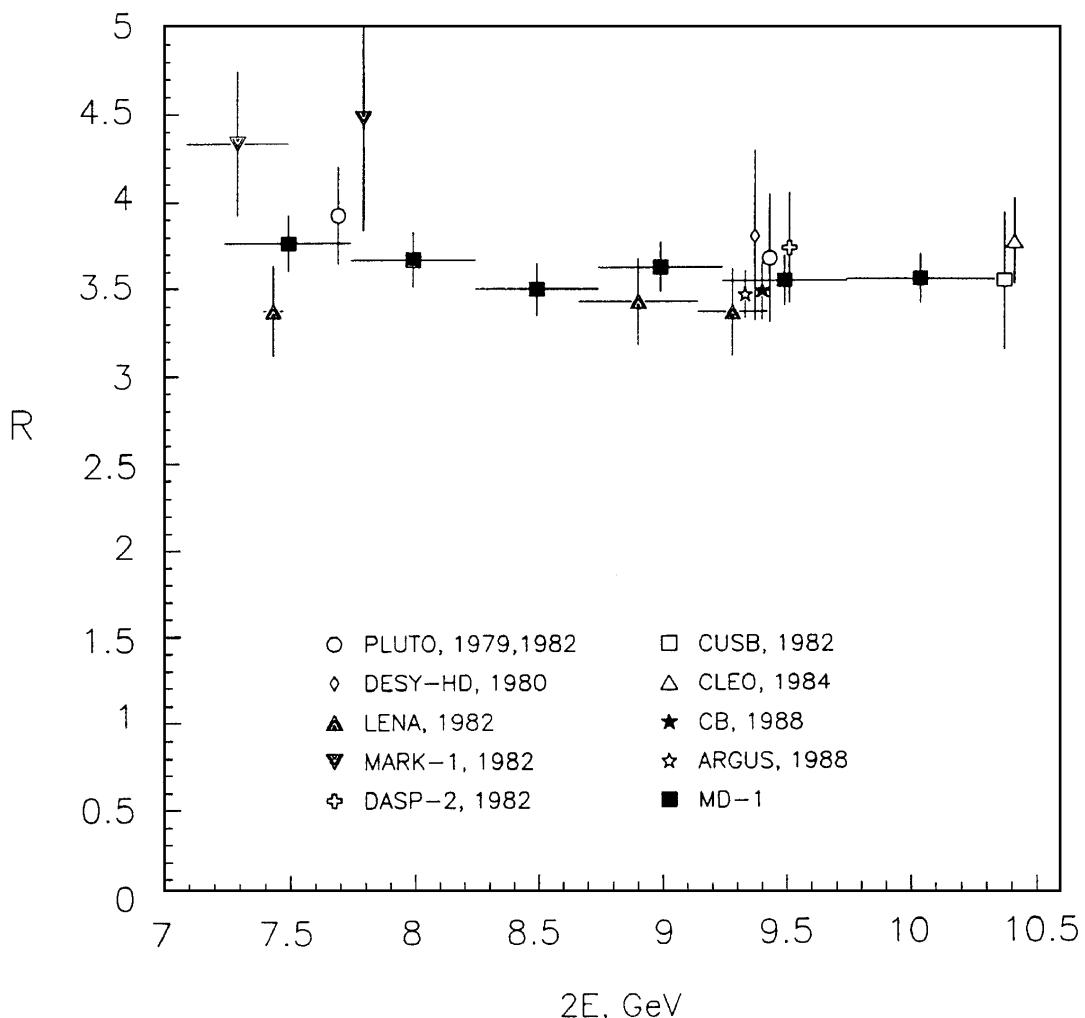
R. Ammar *et al.* , CLEO Collab., Phys. Rev. D57, 1350 (1998).

Measured  $R$  at  $E_{cm} = 10.52$  GeV. Just below  $\Upsilon(4S)$

$$R = 3.56 \pm 0.01 \pm 0.07 \quad (2\%)$$

Very precise - error similar to error of all previous results in this region combined.

$$\bar{R} = 3.579 \pm 0.066 \quad (1.8\%)$$



A. E. Blinov *et al.*, Z. Phys. C 70, 31 (1996).

## Why errors much smaller than BES?

- better solid angle coverage and detection efficiency.
- better detector.
- higher luminosity:  $(1.521 \pm 0.015) \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- more events: 4 M

Source	BES Error (%) (3 GeV)	CLEO Error (%)
$N_{had}$	3.3	–
Backgd./Ev. Modeling	–	0.7
$L$	2.3	1.0
$1 + \delta$	1.3	–
$\epsilon_{had}$	3.0	–
$\epsilon_{had} \times (1 + \delta)$	–	1.0
Sys.	5.2	1.8
Stat.	2.5	0.3
<b>Total</b>	5.8	2.0

With a much bigger sample, both statistical and systematic errors are reduced.

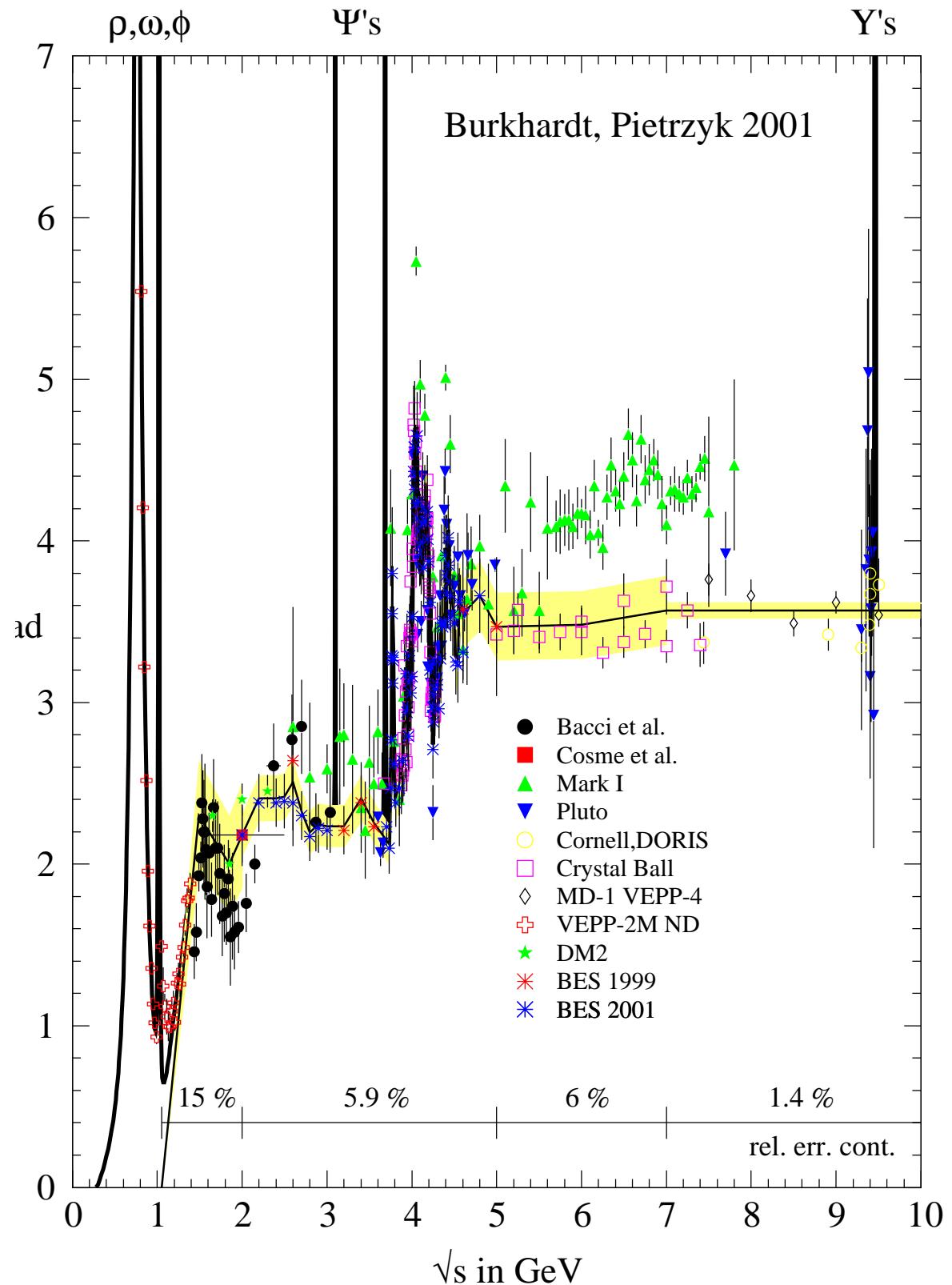
## Current Status

- Burkhardt and Pietrzyk have an updated analysis with CMD-2, CLEO, BES, and 3rd order QCD for  $E_{cm} > 12$  GeV.  
(H. Burkhardt and B. Pietrzyk, accepted by Phys. Lett. B, LAPP-EXP 2001-03 (Feb. 2001).)

$$\alpha^{-1}(M_Z^2) = 128.936 \pm 0.046$$
$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)} = 0.02761 \pm 0.00036$$

Previously:

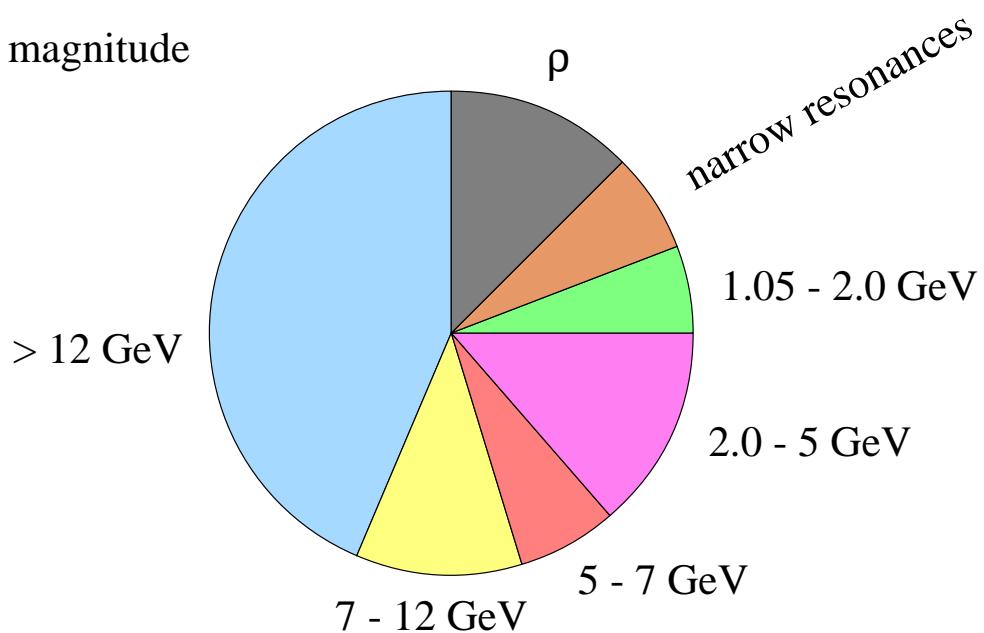
$$\alpha^{-1}(M_Z^2) = 127.938 \pm 0.027 \text{ (PDG2000)}$$



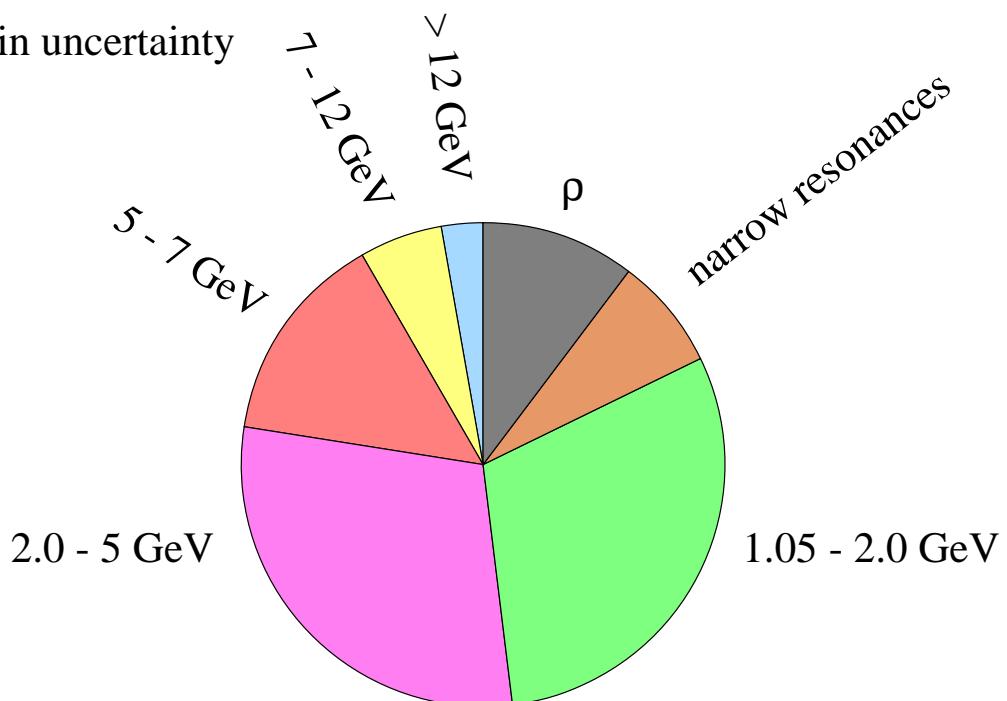
contributions at  $m_Z$

Burkhardt, Pietrzyk 2001

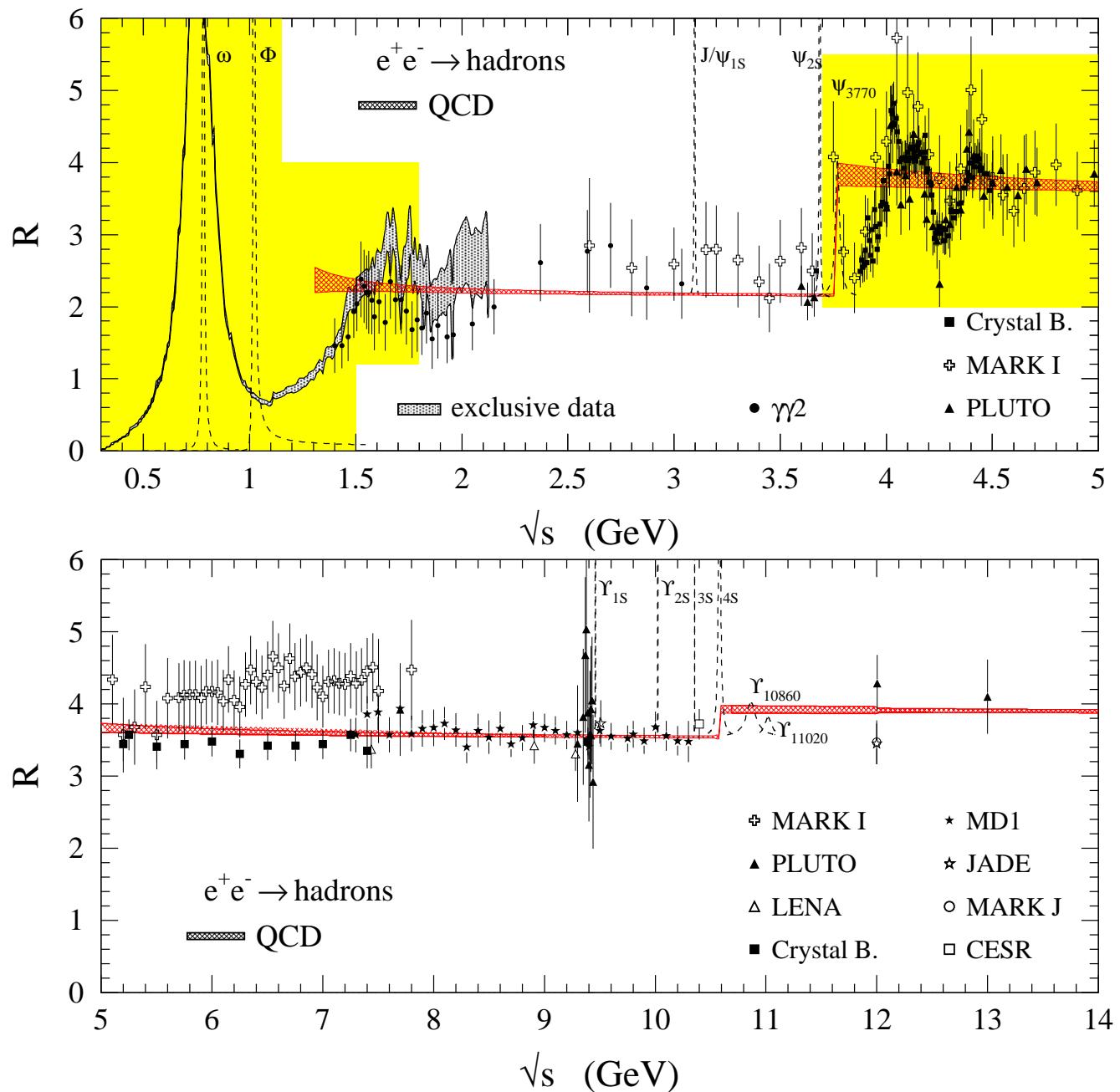
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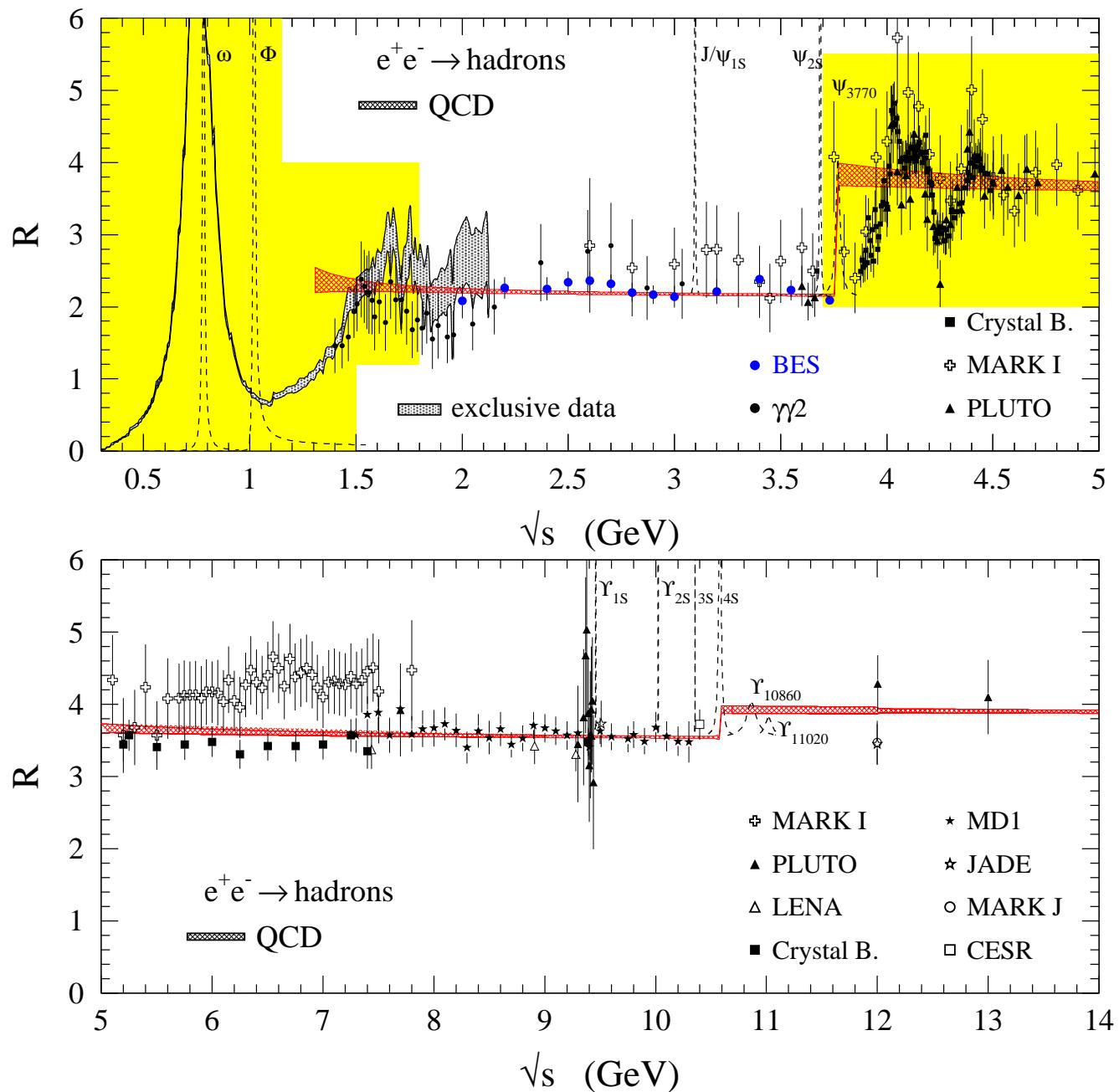


in uncertainty



- Experimental R-values below 5 GeV confirm QCD calculation (M. Davier and A. Hoecker, Phys. Lett. B419, 419 (1998).)





## Future R Measurements?

- Need to improve 1 - 2 GeV cm region.  
Important for both  $a_\mu$  and  $\alpha(M_Z^2)$ 
  - KLOE
  - PEP-N
- Also 2 - 5 GeV.
  - BES in 2001?
  - PEP-N
  - CLEO-C
  - ISR Events at Belle and BaBar?  
T. Benninger, X.C. Lou, and W. M. Dunwoodie, “Physics with ISR EVENTS at B Factory Experiments”
- Next 5 - 7 GeV region.
  - CLEO-C
  - ISR Events at Belle and BaBar

## What is needed to improve precision?

- High luminosity → large sample
- Good solid angle coverage
- Excellent detector
- Radiative correction better than 1 %
- More effort on event generator (LUARLW)
- Large sample for tuning generator
- Measure exclusive channels at low energy.  
Need good PID

## Energy reach of PEP-N?

Suggestion: Extend energy range to above  $\psi(2S)$

- Above threshold for  $\tau\tau$  production.
- Can study decays of  $\eta_c$  and  $\chi_c$  states.
- Study  $\psi(2S)$  hadronic decays.

Study  $\rho\pi$  puzzle

- Compare  $J/\psi$  and  $\psi(2S)$  decays.

World's largest sample:  $\sim 4$  M events (BES)

## Summary

- Improved R-value precision very important because of  $a_\mu$  and  $\alpha(m_Z^2)$ .
- BES measurements are a major improvement.
- Many interesting possibilities for future improvements.