Supplementary material for LHCb-PAPER-2021-019

- Figure 1 shows an example of a CLs scan performed at the \mathcal{Z}_{cc}^+ mass of 3623 MeV/ c^2 ,
- $_3$ which has the smallest combined p-value, for a lifetime of 80 fs. Figure 2 shows the
- 4 upper limits on R at 90% confidence level. Figures 3 and 4 show the p-value plots for
- 5 the $\Xi_{cc}^+ \to \Xi_c^+ \pi^- \pi^+$ and $\Xi_{cc}^+ \to \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+$ decays, respectively. Figure 5 (Fig. 6) shows
- the simultaneous fit to the $\Xi_c^+\pi^-\pi^+$ and $\Lambda_c^+K^-\pi^+$ final states and their corresponding
- ₇ invariant mass spectra using $10\,\mathrm{MeV}/c^2$ ($5\,\mathrm{MeV}/c^2$) wide bins, with the highlighted Ξ_{cc}^+
- and Ξ_{cc}^{++} states observed by the SELEX and the LHCb collaboration, respectively.

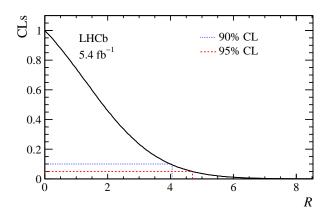


Figure 1: Calculated CLs values versus hypothetical values of R (black solid line), for the Ξ_{cc}^+ mass of $3623\,\mathrm{MeV}/c^2$ and the lifetime of 80 fs, determined from 3×10^5 pseudoexperiments. The blue dotted (red dashed) line represents the 90% (95%) CL.

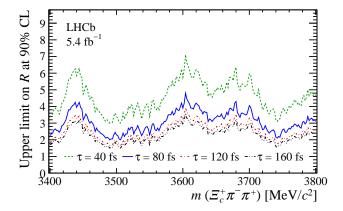


Figure 2: Upper limits on R as a function of mass for four different lifetime (τ) hypotheses at 90% CL.

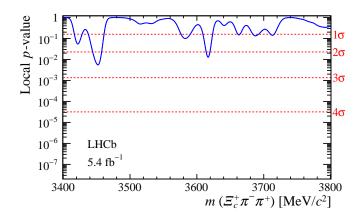


Figure 3: Local p-values as a function of the Ξ_{cc}^+ invariant mass for Ξ_{cc}^+ candidate decays reconstructed in the $\Xi_{c}^+\pi^-\pi^+$ final state in the extended trigger set. The horizontal dotted red lines represent the p-values corresponding to significances of 1, 2, 3 and 4σ . The systematic uncertainties are not taken into account.

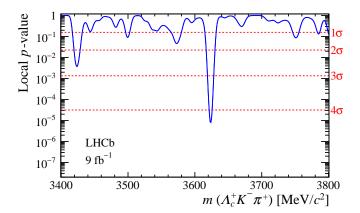
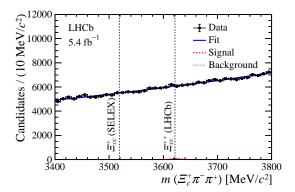


Figure 4: Local p-values as a function of the Ξ_{cc}^+ invariant mass for Ξ_{cc}^+ candidate decays reconstructed in the $\Lambda_c^+K^-\pi^+$ final state. The horizontal dotted red lines represent the p-values corresponding to significances of 1, 2, 3 and 4σ . The systematic uncertainties are not taken into account.



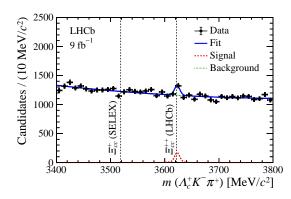
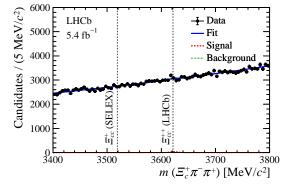


Figure 5: Invariant mass spectra for the (left) $\Xi_c^+\pi^-\pi^+$ and (right) $\Lambda_c^+K^-\pi^+$ final states. The blue solid curve represents the result of a simultaneous fit to the two spectra, with the red dashed (green dotted) curve showing the signal (background) component. The two black dashed vertical lines represent the Ξ_{cc}^+ and Ξ_{cc}^{++} states observed by the SELEX and the LHCb collaboration, respectively. The extended trigger set is used for the $\Xi_{cc}^+ \to \Xi_c^+\pi^-\pi^+$ decay.



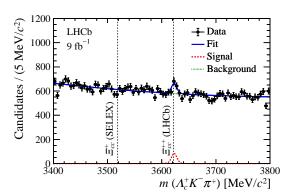


Figure 6: Invariant mass spectra for the (left) $\Xi_c^+\pi^-\pi^+$ and (right) $\Lambda_c^+K^-\pi^+$ final states. The blue solid curve represents the result of a simultaneous fit to the two spectra, with the red dashed (green dotted) curve showing the signal (background) component using $5 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ wide bins. The two black dashed vertical lines represent the Ξ_{cc}^+ and Ξ_{cc}^{++} states observed by the SELEX and the LHCb collaboration, respectively. The extended trigger set is used for the $\Xi_{cc}^+ \to \Xi_c^+\pi^-\pi^+$ decay.