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A search for inclusive non- $D\bar{D}$  decays of the  $\Psi''(3770)$  is performed in a sample of  $9.56 \pm 0.48 \text{ pb}^{-1}$  collected by the Mark III detector at the SPEAR storage ring, at the Stanford Linear Accelerator Center. To be more specific, a search for inclusive  $\bar{p}$ ,  $\bar{\Lambda}$ , and  $\phi$  decay modes of the  $\Psi''(3770)$  is performed in this data sample. Backgrounds due to the decays of the radiatively produced  $\Psi'(3686)$  are subtracted. Also backgrounds due to the production of the same final state by nonresonant  $e^+e^-$  annihilation are subtracted. After further background subtractions from D meson decays and particle misidentification and efficiency corrections no events are seen and upper limits are placed for each one of these decay channels.

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