

Recent highlights from LHCb

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Outline

- General introduction to LHCb
- An update of mixing and CP-violation measurements
 - Unitarity triangle and update on the angle γ
 - Mixing and CP violation in charm
- New measurements in spectroscopy
- Rare decays and anomalies
 - Lepton universality
- The upgraded LHCb detector and outlook
- Summary

LHCb forward spectrometer

- Forward-peaked production → LHCb is a forward spectrometer (operating in LHC collider mode)
- bb cross-section = $154.3 \pm 1.5 \pm 14.3 \mu b$ at $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

in the LHCb acceptance $2 < \eta < 5$ PRL 118,052002 (2017)

 \rightarrow O(100,000) bb pairs produced/second at LHC Run 1&2 luminosities (cc x20 larger)



LHCb data taking

Design luminosity = 2 × 10³² cm⁻² s⁻¹ (50 times less than ATLAS/CMS). Typical running luminosity ~4 × 10³² cm⁻² s⁻¹



CP-violation and mixing in beauty and charm

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Unitarity Triangle measurements





 Amazing progress in the last 27 years; the SM remains intact, but a whole lot still to learn <u>http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr</u>



Now (dominated by LHCb)

The angle γ (a key measurement)

- Loop processes are very sensitive to the presence of New Physics
- Constraints on the triangle apex largely come from loop decay measurements
- Large uncertainty on γ, the only angle accessible at tree level : forms a SM benchmark (assuming no significant New Physics in tree decays)
- γ prediction in SM theoretically very clean JHEP 01 (2014) 051, PRD 92(3):033002 (2015)

$$\gamma = (65.5^{+1.1}_{-2.7})^{\circ}$$

 Reaching degree level precision on γ is ^{0.9}.4 crucial



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The time-integrated mode: B⁻→D⁰K⁻

$$\gamma \equiv \arg \left[-\frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \right]$$

(and charge conjugate mode $B^+ \rightarrow \overline{D}^0 K^+$) provides most precise measurement of γ

- Interference possible if D^0 and $\overline{D^0}$ decay to same final state
- Two possible decay paths to final state via D⁰ and D⁰



Branching fraction for favoured B decay only ~10⁻⁴

> Measurements require high statistics





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LHCb combination from different modes

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 The most recent combination includes many decay modes :

B decay	D decay	Data set
$B^{\pm} ightarrow Dh^{\pm}$	$D ightarrow h^+ h^-$	Run 1&2
$B^{\pm} ightarrow Dh^{\pm}$	$D \to h^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$	Run 1
$B^{\pm} \rightarrow Dh^{\pm}$	$D ightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^0$	Run 1
$B^{\pm} ightarrow Dh^{\pm}$	$D ightarrow K_{ m s}^0 h^+ h^-$	Run $1\&2$
$B^{\pm} ightarrow Dh^{\pm}$	$D \rightarrow K_{s}^{0} K^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}$	Run $1\&2$
$B^{\pm} \rightarrow DK^{*\pm}$	$D ightarrow h^+ h^-$	Run $1\&15/16$
$B^{\pm} \rightarrow DK^{*\pm}$	$D \to h^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$	Run $1\&15/16$
$B^\pm \to D h^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$	$D \to h^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$	Run 1
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D ightarrow h^+ h^-$	Run 1&15/16
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D ightarrow h^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^+$	Run $1\&15/16$
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D ightarrow K_{ m s}^0 h^+ h^-$	Run 1
$B^0 \to D^{\mp} \pi^{\pm}$	$D^+ \to {\ddot K^-} \pi^+ \pi^+$	Run 1
$B^0_s o D^{\mp}_s K^{\pm}$	$D_s^+ \rightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^+$	Run 1
$B^0_s \to D^{\mp}_s K^{\pm} \pi^+ \pi^-$	$D_s^+ \to h^+ h^- \pi^+$	Run 1&2
D decay	Observable(s)	Data set
$D^0 ightarrow h^+ h^-$	ΔA_{CP}	Run 1&2
$D^0 ightarrow h^+ h^-$	y_{CP}	Run 1
$D^0 ightarrow h^+ h^-$	ΔY	Run $1\&2$
$D^0 \to K^+ \pi^-$ (Single Tag)	$R^\pm,(x^{\prime\pm})^2,y^{\prime\pm}$	Run 1
$D^0 \to K^+ \pi^-$ (Double Tag)	$R^{\pm},(x^{\prime\pm})^2,y^{\prime\pm}$	Run $1\&15/16$
$D^0 \to K^\pm \pi^\mp \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(x^2 + y^2)/4$	Run 1
$D^0 ightarrow K^0_{ m s} \pi^+ \pi^-$	x,y	Run 1
$D^0 \to K^{\bar 0}_{\rm \scriptscriptstyle S} \pi^+ \pi^-$	$x_{CP}, y_{CP}, \Delta x, \Delta y$	Run 1&2

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Breakdowns and evolution of γ results

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CP violation in $B^{\pm} \rightarrow h^{\pm}h^{+}h^{-}$



- CPV observed in four decay channels:
 - $B^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$, $B^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm}K^{+}K^{-}$ $B^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$, $B^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm}K^{+}K^{-}$
- Large and interesting localised CPasymmetries observed
- The biggest difference is observed for the $B^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} \pi^{+} \pi^{-}$ and $B^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{\pm} K^{+} K^{-}$ decays (14 σ)
- However the CP asymmetry of $B^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$ decays compatible with zero
- Hard to know what this all means.
 Possible information about the relation between decay channels eg $\pi \pi \leftrightarrow KK$ rescattering

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CP violation in charm



Most promising channels are Cabibbo-suppressed (CS) decays where CPV may arise from the interference between the tree and the penguin amplitudes



• SM prediction is very small $O(10^{-4}) \rightarrow O(10^{-3})$

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Reminder of the "\Delta A_{CP}" measurement

- Tag D^0 and $\overline{D^0}$ via "prompt" and "semileptonic" decays:
 - Prompt: coming from primary vertex, i.e. $D^{*+-} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^{+-}_{soft}$
 - Semileptonic: coming from B-decays, i.e. $B^{+-} \rightarrow \overleftrightarrow{D}^0 \mu^{+-} X$
- The raw asymmetry (A) in Cabibbo-suppressed $D^0 \rightarrow h^- h^+$ decays (h = K or π) defined as

$$A(D \to f) = \frac{N(D \to f) - N(\bar{D} \to \bar{f})}{N(D \to f) + N(\bar{D} \to \bar{f})}$$

includes physics and detector effects:

$$A = A_{CP} + A_D + A_P$$

Phys. Rev. Lett. 122 (2019) 211803

Detection asymmetry from π^+_{soft} or μ^+ Production asymmetry from D^{*+} or B decays

To eliminate these contributions and cancel the systematics measure :

 $\Delta A_{CP} = A(K^-K^+) - A(\Pi^-\Pi^+) = A_{CP}(K^-K^+) - A_{CP}(\Pi^-\Pi^+)$ Corfu Summer Institute 31 August 2022 N. Harnew

Observation of CPV in charm decays

 Measurement performed with combined Run I and Run 2 data-set

Phys. Rev. Lett. 122 (2019) 211803

 $\Delta A_{CP} = [-15.4 \pm 2.9] \times 10^{-4}$

- The first measurement of CPV in the charm system (5.3σ) !
- However this doesn't pin down the channel which the CP violation is in





CP violation in a specific charm hadron decay

LHCb-PAPER-2022-024 (in preparation)

New measurement of $A_{CP}(K^{-}K^{+})$

 $A_{\rm CP}(K^-K^+) = [6.8 \pm 5.4 \,({\rm stat}) \pm 1.6 \,({\rm syst})] \times 10^{-4}$

then determine the direct CP asymmetries in $\Pi^- \Pi^+$ from ΔA_{CP}

 $a_{K-K+}^d = (7.7 \pm 5.7) \times 10^{-4}$ $a_{\pi^-\pi^+}^d = (23.2 \pm 6.1) \times 10^{-4}$

- First evidence in a single channel $(3.8\sigma \text{ in } D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+)$ for direct CP violation (1.4 σ in $D^0 \rightarrow K^-K^+$)
- Yet unclear if consistent with SM or new dynamics in charm decays

charm mixing have been subtracted in $a^d_{K} {}^{-}_{K}{}^{+}$ and $a^d_{\pi} {}^{-}_{\pi}{}^{+}$.



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D⁰ mixing parameters

- Mass eigenstates $|D_{1,2}\rangle = p|D^0\rangle \pm q\overline{|D^0\rangle}$
- x = (m₁-m₂)/Γ; y = (Γ₁-Γ₂)/2Γ, φ=arg(q/p)
 Up to 2021, mixing parameters were measured only at ~3σ (HFLAV)

• Analysis of tagged
$$(\overline{D}^0 \to K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^- \text{ decays})$$

Recall from previous Workshop

 First observation with a significance of more than 7 standard deviations of the mass difference between mass eigenstates |D_{1,2}>



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Charm mixing parameter y_{CP} - y_{CP}^{Kπ}

 $\approx -0.4 \times 10^{-3}$

- Study the D⁰ meson decays into K^-K^+ , $\pi^-\pi^+$ and $K^-\pi^+$
- The decay $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ is a CP-mixed state with $\tau(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \approx I/\Gamma$; the decay $D^0 \rightarrow f$ is a CP-even state with $\tau(D^0 \rightarrow f) < \tau(D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)$ $f = KK, \pi\pi$
- Measure ratio :







D⁰ mixing parameter y_{CP} – y_{CP}^{Kπ}

PRD 105 (2022) 092013

Measure ratio :

$$R^{f}(t) = \frac{N(D^{0} \to f, t)}{N(D^{0} \to K^{-}\pi^{+}, t)} \propto e^{-(y_{CP}^{f} - y_{CP}^{K\pi})} \frac{\varepsilon(f, t)}{\varepsilon(K^{-}\pi^{+}, t)} \qquad f = KK, \pi\pi$$

$$y_{CP}^{\pi\pi} - y_{CP}^{K\pi} = (6.57 \pm 0.53 \pm 0.16) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$y_{CP}^{KK} - y_{CP}^{K\pi} = (7.08 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-3}$$

Combine :

$$y_{CP} - y_{CP}^{K\pi} = (6.96 \pm 0.26 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-3}$$



New (exotic) spectroscopy measurements



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Reminder: tetra/pentaquark discoveries

- Discovery of χ_{c1}(3872) (formerly X(3872)) by Belle in 2003 started new era in exotic spectroscopy
- First observation of $P_c(4312)^+$, $P_c(4440)^+$ and $P_c(4457)^+$ by LHCb as narrow resonances in the mass spectrum of $(J/\psi p)$ in $\Lambda_b \rightarrow (J/\psi p) \text{ K}^-$ decays PRL 115 (2015) 072001, PRL 122 (2019) 222001
- Consistent with ccuud pentaquarks : allowed by QCD, but not observed in 50 years of searching.





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New hadron discoveries at the LHC





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Need for a new naming scheme (proposal)

- Currently no PDG rule for :
 - exotic mesons with s, c, b quantum numbers
 - no extension for pentaquark states

Idea of the proposal :

- T for tetra, P for penta
- Superscript: based on existing symbols, to indicate isospin, parity and G-parity
- Subscript: heavy quark content

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T.Gershon/LHCb : arXiv:2206.15233

1	[states			T states		P states				
zero	net S, C	C, B	n	non-zero net S, C, B						
(P,G)	I = 0	I = 1	(P)	I = 0	$I = \frac{1}{2}$	I = 1	I = 0	$I = \frac{1}{2}$	I = 1	$I = \frac{3}{2}$
(-,-)	ω	π	(-)	η	au	π	Λ	N	Σ	Δ
(-,+)	η	ho	(+)	f	θ	a				
(+, +)	f	\boldsymbol{b}								
(+, -)	h	a								

Minimal quark content		Current name	$I^{(G)}, J^{P(C)}$	Proposed name		
			- , -			
	$c\bar{c}$	$\chi_{c1}(3872)$	$I^G = 0^+, \ J^{PC} = 1^{++}$	$\chi_{c1}(3872)$		
	$c \bar{c} u \bar{d}$	$Z_c(3900)^+$	$I^G = 1^+, \ J^P = 1^+$	$T^b_{\psi 1}(3900)^+$		
	$c\bar{c}u\bar{d}$	$Z_c(4100)^+$	$I^{G} = 1^{-}$	$T_{\psi}(4100)^+$		
	$c\bar{c}u\bar{d}$	$Z_c(4430)^+$	$I^G = 1^+, \ J^P = 1^+$	$T^{b}_{\psi 1}(4430)^{+}$		
and	$c\bar{c}u\bar{s}$	$Z_{cs}(4000)^+$	$I = \frac{1}{2}, J^P = 1^+$	$T^{\theta}_{\psi s1}(4000)^+$		
	$c\bar{c}u\bar{s}$	$Z_{cs}(4220)^+$	$I = \frac{1}{2}, J^P = 1^?$	$T_{\psi s1}(4220)^+$		
	$c\bar{c}c\bar{c}$	X(6900)	$I^G = 0^{+}, \ J^{PC} = ?^{+}$	$T_{\psi\psi}(6900)$		
	$csar{u}ar{d}$	$X_0(2900)$	$J^P = 0^+$	$T_{cs0}(2900)^0$		
	$csar{u}ar{d}$	$X_1(2900)$	$J^P = 1^-$	$T_{cs1}(2900)^0$		
	$cc\bar{u}\bar{d}$	$T_{cc}(3875)^+$		$T_{cc}(3875)^+$		
	$b\bar{b}u\bar{d}$	$Z_b(10610)^+$	$I^G = 1^+, \ J^P = 1^+$	$T_{\Upsilon_1}^b(10610)^+$		
	$c\bar{c}uud$	$P_c(4312)^+$	$I = \frac{1}{2}$	$P_{\psi}^{N}(4312)^{+}$		
	$c\bar{c}uds$	$P_{cs}(4459)^0$	$I = \tilde{0}$	$P^{A}_{\psi s}(4459)^{0}$		

Observation of a $J/\psi \wedge$ resonance in $B^- \rightarrow J/\psi \wedge p$ decays



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 $m(B^{-}) = 5279.44 \pm 0.05 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.07 \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}$

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Nature of pentaquarks ?

Possible models describing the observed pentaquark states :

- Tightly bounded states?
- Meson-baryon molecules?



- Molecular-state model likely favoured when bound mesons and baryons form narrow resonances just below mass thresholds
- More work needed

 I/ψ

Recent 4-quark states from LHCb

• Observation of isospin triplet $[c\overline{s}u\overline{d}]$ 4-quark states in $D_s^+\pi^-$ mass spectrum in $B^0 \rightarrow \overline{D}^0 D_s^+\pi^-$ and $B^+ \rightarrow D^- D_s^+\pi^+$ decays



m(D_s⁺ π^{-}) well described by adding J^P=0⁺ tetraquark states T^a_{cs0}(2900)⁰ and T^a_{cs0}(2900)⁺⁺ in both channels (7.5 σ)

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Rare decays and lepton universality

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Rare decays : why interesting

 In the SM, processes involving flavour changing neutral currents (FCNCs) are forbidden at tree level but can occur at loop level (penguin and box)



 New particles too heavy to be produced directly, can give sizeable effects when exchanged in a loop



 This "indirect" approach to New Physics searches is complementary to that of ATLAS/ CMS

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- Very suppressed loop decay in the SM
- CKM ($|V_{ts}|^2$ for B_S) and helicity suppressed ~ $(m_{\mu}/m_b)^2$



$$\mathcal{B}(B^{0}_{S} \to \mu^{+} \mu^{-})_{SM} = (3.66 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-9}$$
$$\mathcal{B}(B^{0} \to \mu^{+} \mu^{-})_{SM} = (1.03 \pm 0.05) \times 10^{-10}$$



Bobeth et al. PRL 112 (2014) 101801 Beneke et al. JHEP 10 (2019) 232

- NP theories can predict significantly higher values for the branching ratios
- Very clean experimental signature
- Also studied by ATLAS & CMS



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35 years of effort !



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A needle in a haystack

PRL 120 (2018) 061801





 $\begin{aligned} &\mathcal{B}(\mathsf{B}^{0}{}_{\mathsf{S}} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = (3.09 \ ^{+0.46}{} \ ^{+0.15}{}_{-0.43} \ ^{-0.11}) \times 10^{-9} \ (10\sigma) \\ &\mathcal{B}(\mathsf{B}^{0} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = (1.20 \ ^{+0.83}{}_{-0.74} \ ^{+0.14}) \times 10^{-10} \ (<2.6 \times 10^{-10} \ @ 95\% \text{CL}) \end{aligned}$

- $B_{\rm S}^{0} \rightarrow \mu^{+}\mu^{-}$ found with significance >10 sigma
 - But no evidence yet for $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ (1.7 sigma)
- Result dominated by statistical uncertainty
- Latest CMS results

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$$\mathcal{B}(B_{s}^{0} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = \left[3.83^{+0.38}_{-0.36} \text{ (stat)} {}^{+0.19}_{-0.16} \text{ (syst)} {}^{+0.14}_{-0.13} \text{ (}f_{s}/f_{u})\right] \times 10^{-9}$$
$$\mathcal{B}(B^{0} \to \mu^{+}\mu^{-}) = \left[0.37^{+0.75}_{-0.67} \text{ (stat)} {}^{+0.08}_{-0.09} \text{ (syst)}\right] \times 10^{-10}$$

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$B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ latest result and LHC combination



Effective B_s lifetime

- For B_S mesons, there is a sizeable difference between the decay widths $\Delta\Gamma_{\rm S}$ of the light and heavy mass eigenstates ($\Delta\Gamma_{\rm S} = 0.085 \pm 0.004 \text{ ps}^{-1}$) PDG
- In the SM, the B_S system evolves with the lifetime of the heavy mass eigenstate (since CP odd).
- Define the $B^0_{\ S} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ effective lifetime as

$$\tau_{\mu^+\mu^-} \equiv \frac{\int_0^\infty t \Gamma(B_s(t) \to \mu^+\mu^-) \mathrm{d}t}{\int_0^\infty \Gamma(B_s(t) \to \mu^+\mu^-) \mathrm{d}t}$$



• LHCb measure $\tau_{\mu^+\mu^-}(B_S(t) \to \mu^+\mu^-) = (2.07 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.03)$ ps.

SM values $\tau_L = 1.423 \pm 0.005$ ps and $\tau_H = 1.620 \pm 0.007$ ps Consistency at 2.2σ and 1.5σ

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Search for $B_{(s)} \rightarrow e^+e^-$

Standard Model predicts :

Beneke et al. JHEP 10 (2019) 232

- $\mathcal{B}(B_{\rm S} \to e^+e^-) = (8.60 \pm 0.36) \times 10^{-14}$
- $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \to e^+e^-) = (2.41 \pm 0.13) \times 10^{-15}$
- CKM and helicity super-suppressed decay : out of reach from the experimental point of view
- LHCb measurement based on Run I and partial Run 2 (4 fb⁻¹). \mathcal{B} measured relative to $B^+ \to K^+ J/\psi (\to e^+e^-)$
 - $\mathcal{B}(B_{\rm S} \to e^+e^-) < 9.4 \times 10^{-9} @ 90\%{\rm CL}$
 - $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \to e^+e^-) < 2.5 \times 10^{-9} @ 90\%$ CL

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PRL 124 (2020) 211802

$b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$ transitions

- Study $B \rightarrow h \mu^+ \mu^-$ transitions with hadron $h = K, K^*, \phi \dots$
- Same loop diagrams, different spectator quarks
- Rates, angular distributions and asymmetries are sensitive to NP
- A lot of phenomenological work invested in defining observables with "clean" theoretical predictions.



$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$: 4-body angular observables

- The $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ differential decay rate can be described by 3 angles and di-muon invariant mass squared (q²)
- Rich structure of physics observables in the angular coefficients (as functions of q²)
- Form angular coefficients which are robust against form-factor uncertainties (e.g. P'₅)

Descotes-Genonet al., JHEP 01 (2013) 048



$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d^3(\Gamma + \Gamma)}{d\cos\theta_\ell \,d\cos\theta_K \,d\phi} = \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4} (1 - F_L) \sin^2\theta_K + F_L \cos^2\theta_K + \frac{1}{4} (1 - F_L) \sin^2\theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell \right. \\ \left. - F_L \cos^2\theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + S_3 \sin^2\theta_K \sin^2\theta_\ell \cos 2\phi + S_4 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \cos \phi + \frac{1}{\sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}} \frac{1}{P_5} \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \cos \phi + \frac{4}{3} A_{FB} \sin^2\theta_K \cos \theta_\ell + S_7 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \sin \phi + S_8 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \sin \phi + S_9 \sin^2\theta_K \sin^2\theta_\ell \sin 2\phi_\ell \sin 2\phi_\ell \sin 2\phi_\ell \sin 2\phi_\ell} \right]$$

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Measurement of P'₅ angular coefficient

- Anomaly in P'₅ found in $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-$ for $4 < q^2 < 8 \text{ GeV}^2$
- P'₅ local tension of 2.5 σ and 2.9 σ in q² bins of [4.0, 6.0] and [6.0, 8.0] GeV² \rightarrow Global analysis finds a deviation of 3.3 σ
- Also observed also in B⁺ isospin partner decay
- Some deviation from SM predictions also in other angular observables
- Results are intriguing, however extent of hadronic contributions still matter of debate (particularly regarding charm-quark loops)

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Semi-leptonic differential branching fractions



- All semi-leptonic BF's lower than SM expectations at low q² (~I to 4σ) [comparison limited due to large theory uncertainties from form factors]
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Lepton Flavour Universality (LFU)

- LFU is a cornerstone of the SM : charged leptons (e, μ, τ) couple in a universal way to the SM gauge bosons
- If NP couples in a non-universal way to the three lepton families, then we might see differences in rates of rare decays involving different lepton pairs (e.g. e/μ or μ/τ)
- Hence LFU is tested in $b \rightarrow s \ell + \ell transitions$. These are FCNC's with amplitudes involving loop diagrams



Several R-ratio measurements

- Compare the rates of $B \to X_s e^+ e^-$ and $B \to X_s \mu^+ \mu^-$ [where B is B⁺, B⁰, B⁰, $\Lambda^0_{\rm b}$ and X, is K^+ , K^{*0} , ϕ , pK...]
- This allows precise testing of lepton flavour universality
- We can construct the ratio :



- Small theoretical hadronic uncertainties cancel
- % level
- Five different ratios published so far by LHCb: $X_{s} = K^{+}, K^{0}_{s}, K^{*0}, K^{*+} \text{ and } pK^{-}$

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This might seem easy, but actually rather challenging

- Lower efficiency of electron trigger
- Electrons emit bremsstrahlung, resulting in degraded momentum and mass resolution
- Attempt to recover the energy of the emitted photons :
 - Some energy missed
 - Some energy mis-attributed



LHCb MeV/ - Data 9 fb⁻¹ 200Total fit 180 $---- B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-$ 2 160140 $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi (e^+e^-)K^+$ 120 Candidates Part Reco 100 Combinatorial 80 60 40 20 0 5000 5500 6000 $m(K^+e^+e^-)$ [MeV/c²] 600 Candidates / (7 MeV/c²) LHCb - Data 9 fb⁻¹ 500 Total fit $---- B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ 400 Combinatorial 300 200 100 0 5300 5200 5400 5500 5600 $m(K^{+}\mu^{+}\mu^{-})$ [MeV/c²] N. Harnew

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Experimental strategy

 Actually measure double ratios which significantly reduce systematic uncertainties:

$$R_X = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B_q \to X_s \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\mathcal{B}(B_q \to X_s J/\psi(\mu^+ \mu^-))} \cdot \frac{\mathcal{B}(B_q \to X_s J/\psi(e^+ e^-))}{\mathcal{B}(B_q \to X_s e^+ e^-)}$$

Ratios determined using yields and efficiencies

- Yields extracted from fits to the data
- As cross-checks the ratios

$$\mathsf{R}_{\mathsf{J}/\psi} = \frac{\mathcal{B}\left(B_q \to X_s J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-)\right)}{\mathcal{B}\left(B_q \to X_s J/\psi(e^+e^-)\right)}$$

are compatible with unity to 0.4%

Xs	r _{J/ψ}	R _{y(2S)}
K+	0.981 ± 0.020	0.997 ± 0.011
K.+	0.965 ± 0.032	1.017 ± 0.050
K ⁰ s	0.977 ± 0.028	1.014 ± 0.036
K*0	1.043 ± 0.045	within 1σ from 1
рК⁻	0.96 ± 0.05	within 1 _σ from 1

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- All measurements have values less than unity
- The puzzle persists → we eagerly await Belle-II & CMS results
- LHCb is now focused on completing a combined analysis of RK & RK* with the Run I+2 dataset. This work has led to a deeper understanding of systematics which will be reflected in the final result.

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LFU studies in $B^0 \rightarrow D^{(*)-}\tau^+ v_{\tau}$ decays

- Different class of decays (tree-level charged current with V_{cb} suppression)
- Not at all rare: $B(B^0 \to D^{*-}\tau^+\nu_{\tau}) \sim 1\%$, the problem is the background.
- Lepton-universality ratio R(D*) :

$$R(D^*) = \frac{B(B^0 \to D^{*-} \tau^+ \nu_{\tau})}{B(B^0 \to D^{*-} \mu^+ \nu_{\mu})}$$

- may be sensitive to any NP model coupling preferentially to third generation leptons



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 All experiments see an excess wrt
 SM predictions

Combining R(D)/R(D*) average ~3.4 σ tension with SM



- Intriguing as anomaly occurs in a tree-level SM process
- New LHCb result

 $R(\Lambda_c) = 0.242 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.040 \pm 0.059(\text{ext})$

arxiv:2201:03497

Measurement is consistent with SM (~1 σ "low") [SM=0.324±0.004].

The upgraded LHCb detector and outlook

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LHCb Upgrade planning

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Construction & Installation – Upgrade I

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July 5th 2022 - 16:47



DETECTOR LATEST POSTS

First collisions at the world-record energy for a brand-new LHCb detector

Start of LHC Run 3. Today, at 16:47, protons collided again at LHCb after a 3.5 year break known as Long Shutdown 2 (LS2). During...

LHCb Integrated Luminosity in p-p in 2022



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γ prospects : Run II \rightarrow Upgrade I



... and beyond 2035 : Upgrade II



Evolution of the Unitarity Triangle



Summary and Outlook

- The LHCb experiment has performed spectacularly well : $\rightarrow \sim 9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ of recorded data up to $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$
- So far all Unitarity Triangle measurements are consistent with the Standard Model
 - \rightarrow New Physics is becoming constrained
- LHCb is a fantastic platform for spectroscopy measurements: many measurements were never foreseen in LHCb's original physics portfolio. We now even need a new naming system !
- Many rare-decay results show good compatibility with the SM, however hints of LFU violation persist. This has generated a lot of theoretical interest. We eagerly await confirmation ...
- Still a lot of room for New Physics, but higher precision required
 → preparing for LHCb Upgrades beyond 2022 and the decade
 afterwards! Very much looking forward to Belle-II results.

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LHCb measurement of sin(28 sin(2 β) from B⁰ \rightarrow J/ ψ K⁰_s and B⁰ \rightarrow ψ (2S)K⁰_s JHEP II (2017) 170 $\mathcal{A}_{[c\overline{c}]K^0_{\mathrm{S}}}(t) \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\overline{B}^0(t) \to [c\overline{c}]K^0_{\mathrm{S}}) - \Gamma(B^0(t) \to [c\overline{c}]K^0_{\mathrm{S}})}{\Gamma(\overline{B}^0(t) \to [c\overline{c}]K^0_{\mathrm{S}}) + \Gamma(B^0(t) \to [c\overline{c}]K^0_{\mathrm{S}})} \approx S\sin(\Delta m t) - C\cos(\Delta m t)$ where S = sin(2 β) assuming C_{I/ ψ KS} (= penguin contribution) = 0 Signal yield asymmetry Signal yield asymmetry LHCb LHCb 0.20.20.2-0.2 $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \, K_{ m s}^0$ 3 fb⁻¹ @ 7 & 8TeV $B^0 \rightarrow \psi(2S) K_{\rm s}^0$ 101510 $\mathbf{5}$ 15

$$C(B^{0} \to [c\overline{c}]K_{s}^{0}) = -0.017 \pm 0.029$$

$$S(B^{0} \to [c\overline{c}]K_{s}^{0}) = -0.760 \pm 0.034$$

Decay time [ps]

Competitive with Babar & Belle. HFLAV world average from all modes : $sin(2\beta) = 0.695 \pm 0.019$

Decay time [ps]

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https://www.slac.stanford.edu/xorg/hflav/triangle/summer2018/

LHCb measurement of |V_{ub}|

- |V_{ub}| / |V_{cb}| difficult at hadron colliders due to presence of neutrino
- LHCb measures $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p \mu^- \nu$ (the B⁰ $\rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu$ channel is extremely difficult)
- The measurement relies on $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p$ form factors from the lattice)



 $|V_{ub}| = (3.27 \pm 0.15(exp) \pm 0.17(theory) \pm 0.06 (|V_{cb}|)) \times 10^{-3}$

Nature Physics 10 (2015) 1038

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Several methods to measure γ

• From B^{\pm} (and $\overline{B^0}$) decays : the "time-integrated",

direct CP-violation modes $B^{\pm} \rightarrow D^{(-)} K^{\pm}$

Gronau & London, PLB 253 (1991) 483, Gronau & Wyler PLB 265 (1991) 172

ADS

GLW

Atwood, Dunietz & Soni PRL 78 (1997) 3257, Atwood, Dunietz & Soni PRD 63 (2001) 036005

GGSZ Giri, Gronau, Soffer & Zupan, PRD 68 (2003) 054018

• $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s K$ time-dependent (TD) analysis

Dunietz & Sachs Phys. Rev. D37(1988) 3186, R.Aleksan, I. Dunietz & B. Kayser, Z. Phys. C54 (1992) 653

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Weak phase changes sign for equiv B⁺ diagram, thickness of arrows indicate relative strengths

 $\frac{N(B^{-}) - N(B^{+})}{N(B^{-}) + N(B^{+})} = A_{CP+} = \frac{1}{R_{CP+}} 2r_B (2F_+ - 1)\sin(\delta_B)\sin(\gamma)$ $\frac{N(B \to [KK]_D K) \times \Gamma(D \to K\pi)}{N(B \to [K\pi]_D K) \times \Gamma(D \to KK)} = R_{CP+} = 1 + r_B^2 + 2r_B (2F_+ - 1)\cos(\delta_B)\cos(\gamma)$

For CP+ eigenstates e.g KK, $\pi \pi$, $F_{+} = I$

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method _i(δ_B-γ) [π-K+]_⊂K $e^{i(\delta_D)}$

Weak phase changes sign for equivalent $B^{\scriptscriptstyle +}$ diagram

- Decay into flavour-specific final states
- Larger interference effects than for GLW as both amplitudes of similar sizes.
- r_B, δ_B hadronic parameters again to be determined alongside γ ($r_B \sim 0.1$)
- Additional two parameters r_D , δ_D . External inputs from charm mixing measurements ($r_D \sim 0.06$)

$$\frac{N(B^{-}) - N(B^{+})}{N(B^{-}) + N(B^{+})} = A_{ADS} = \frac{1}{R_{ADS}} 2r_B r_D \sin(\delta_B + \delta_D) \sin(\gamma)$$
$$\frac{N(B^{\pm} \rightarrow [\pi^{\pm}K^{\mp}]_D K^{\pm})}{N(B^{\pm} \rightarrow [K^{\pm}\pi^{\mp}]_D K^{\pm})} = R_{ADS} = r_B^2 + r_D^2 + 2r_B r_D \cos(\delta_B + \delta_D) \cos(\gamma)$$

Again, a counting experiment : observing the rate of B⁻ vs. B⁺ decaysCorfu Summer Institute31 August 2022N. Harnew67



• 3-body final D states e.g. $D \rightarrow K_{S}^{0} \pi \pi$

Dalitz plot analysis :
 a counting experiment
 in bins of phase space,
 where r_D and δ_D vary

Weak phase changes sign for equiv B⁺ diagram

■ GGSZ observables (rate as function of Dalitz position) $d\Gamma_{B\pm}(\mathbf{x}) = A_{(\pm,\mp)}^{2} + r_{B}^{2}A_{(\mp,\pm)}^{2} + 2A_{(\pm,\pm)}A_{(\mp,\pm)}\left[r_{B}\cos(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\mp)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\mp)})\right]$ $r_{\pm}\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)})$ $r_{\pm}\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)})$ $r_{\pm}\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)})$ $r_{\pm}\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)}) + r_{B}\sin(\delta_{B}\pm\gamma)\cos(\delta_{D(\pm,\pm)})$

New GLW & ADS γ measurements

GLW : where D^0 and \underline{D}^0 decay to CP eigenstates ADS : where D^0 and D^0 decay to flavour-specific states



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Charm CPV : more recent measurements

- Direct CPV : $A_{CP}(D^0 \rightarrow K^0_{\varsigma}K^0_{\varsigma})$
- Use $D^0 \to K^+K^-$ channel as control for $A_D \& A_P$
- $A_{CP} = (-3.1 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2)\%$ [last uncertainity : CP violation of control channel]

arXiv:2105.01565 (2021)

• Consistent with no violation at the 2.4 σ level



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(s) $\rightarrow h^+ \pi^0$

JHEP 06 (2021) 019

$$egin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+ o \pi^+ \pi^0
ight) &= (-1.3 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.6) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+ o K^+ \pi^0
ight) &= (-3.2 \pm 4.7 \pm 2.1) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+ o \pi^+ \eta
ight) &= (-0.2 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.4) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+ o K^+ \eta
ight) &= (-6 \pm 10 \pm 4) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+_s o K^+ \pi^0
ight) &= (-0.8 \pm 3.9 \pm 1.2) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+_s o \pi^+ \eta
ight) &= (0.8 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.5) \,\%, \ \mathcal{A}_{CP} \left(D^+_s o K^+ \eta
ight) &= (0.9 \pm 3.7 \pm 1.1) \,\%, \end{aligned}$$



- All compatible with no CP violation
- More data needed !
- Note that LHCb is now regularly extracting measurements with neutrals in the final state (K_sK_s and h⁰h⁺)

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ΔY in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ decays

- ΔY is the slope of the time-dependent asymmetry of the decay rates of D⁰ and D⁰ mesons
- It is a measure of CP violation in mixing and interference
- Strategy: measure asymmetry in bins of decay time and measure the linear slope



$$\Delta Y_{K^+K^-} = (-2.3 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-4}$$
$$\Delta Y_{\pi^+\pi^-} = (-4.0 \pm 2.8 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-4}$$
Combining
$$\Delta Y = (-2.7 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-4}$$

- Compatible with 0 within 2σ
- This result improves by nearly a factor 2 the precision of the previous world average

arXiv:2105.09889
D⁰ mixing parameters in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+\pi^-$

- Mass eigenstates $|D_{1,2}\rangle = p|D^0\rangle \pm q|\overline{D^0}\rangle$
- $x = (m_1 m_2)/\Gamma$; $y = (\Gamma_1 \Gamma_2)/2\Gamma$, $\phi = \arg(q/p)$ until now x measured only at ~3 σ (HFLAV)
- 30.6 x 10⁶ of D⁰ → K_S⁰ <u>π</u>⁺ π⁻ decays with very small background. D or D flavour tagging using D* → D π decays
- Use the bin-flip method
 - Measure ratios between D⁰ and D⁰ candidates in symmetric bins of Dalitz plot m² ($K_S^0 \pi^-$) vs m² ($K_S^0 \pi^+$)
 - 2 (flavour) x 16 (Dalitz bin) x 13 (decay time bin) subsamples
 - In each bin, strong-phase difference approx. constant for D⁰ and D⁰ amplitudes (input from CLEOc and BESIII)



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D^0 mixing parameters in $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+\pi^-$

- Plot Ratio R_i : asymmetry for Dalitz bin *i* in bins of decay time
 - Deviations from constant values are due to mixing
- PRL127 (2021) 111801
- First observation with a significance of more than 7 standard deviations of the mass difference between mass eigenstates









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Vector-vector final state: mixture of CP-odd and CP-even components

Need to perform time-dependent $B_s \rightarrow J/\Psi \phi$ angular analysis



• Good tagging performance of $B_s \& \overline{B_s}$ is important

Category	$\epsilon_{ m tag}(\%)$	D^2	$\epsilon_{ m tag} D^2(\%)$	
OS only	11.4	0.078	0.88 ± 0.04	
SSK only	42.6	0.032	1.38 ± 0.30	
OS & SSK	23.8	0.104	2.47 ± 0.15	
Total	77.8	0.061	4.73 ± 0.34	N. Harnew



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B_s weak mixing phase ϕ_s in **B**_s \rightarrow **J**/ $\psi \phi$



- "Golden mode" for this study is $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi (\rightarrow K^+K^-)$
- Analogue of 2β (phase of B⁰ mixing) but in the B_s system
- Interference between B⁰ decay to J/ $\psi \phi$ directly and via B⁰ $\overline{B^0}$ oscillation gives rise to a CP violating phase in the SM : a time-dependent measurement $\phi_S = \phi_{Mixing} - 2 \phi_{Decay} = -2\beta_s$
- $\phi_{\rm S}$ is expected to be very small in the SM and precisely predicted: $\phi_{\rm SM} = -0.037 \pm 0.001$ rad (see eg Charles et al PRD84 (2011) 033005)

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LHCb combination

- $\phi_{\rm S}$ fitted value correlated with $\Delta\Gamma_{\rm s}$ = width diff. of the B_s mass eigenstates \rightarrow plot as contours in ($\phi_{\rm S} vs \Delta\Gamma_{\rm S}$) plane
- ϕ_S is 0.1 σ from Standard Model and 1.6 σ from zero

 $\Delta \Gamma_{\rm S} = 0.0813 \pm 0.0048 \, {\rm ps^{-1}}$ CP-violating phase: $\phi_{\rm S} = -0.040 \pm 0.025 \, {\rm rad}$



HFLAV combination all experiments



Measurement of CP violation in $B_s \rightarrow \phi \phi$



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New hadron discoveries at the LHC



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Evidence for more pentaquark states

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- Amplitude analysis using 800 $B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi pp$ decays
- Observe additional structure in J/ψp and J/ψp spectra
- Significance of 3.1σ to 3.7σ
 depending on J^P assignment
- Evidence for new P_c(4337)⁺ state consistent with another (cc uud) pentaquark
- Amplitude analysis using 1750 $\Xi_{b}^{-} \rightarrow J/\psi \wedge K^{-}$ decays
- Observe structure in J/ψΛ spectrum
- Evidence for new P_{cs}(4459)⁰ state with significance of 3.1 σ
- Consistent with (cc uds) pentaquark

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arXiv:2108.04720



 $P_c(4337)^+$ $4337^{+7}_{-4} \pm 2$ $29^{+26}_{-12} \pm 14$ $P_{cs}(4459)^0$ $4458.8 \pm 2.9^{+4.7}_{-1.1}$ $17.3 \pm 6.5^{+8.0}_{-5.7}$



New doubly charmed tetraquark T_{cc}⁺

 Study D⁰ D⁰ π⁺ mass spectrum near D^{*+}D⁰ and D^{*0}D⁺ thresholds

 $\delta m \equiv m_{{\rm T}_{\rm cc}^+} - (m_{{\rm D}^{*+}} + m_{{\rm D}^0})$

- Very narrow state in D⁰D⁰ π⁺ mass spectrum consistent with ccu d tetraquark, with significance 10σ . Manifestly exotic state.
- Very close to D*+D⁰ mass thresholds

 $\begin{array}{lll} \delta m_{\rm BW} & -273 \pm 61 \ {\rm keV}/c^2 \\ \Gamma_{\rm BW} & 410 \pm 165 \ {\rm keV} \end{array}$



Possible evidence for molecular bound state, but jury still out.

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More observations of new tetraquark states

- $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ sample
- Observe structure in J/ψK
- Observation of two new c c us tetraquark states Z_{cs}(4000)⁺ and Z_{cs}(4220)⁺
- Significance of 15σ and 6σ respectively, 1⁺ assignment

Phys. Rev. Lett. 127 (2021) 082001

- $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \phi K^+$ sample
- Observe structure in J/ψφ
- Observation of two new c c ss tetraquark states X(4630) and X(4685) as well as previously confirmed states

X(4630)

X(4685)

Significance of 5.5σ and 15σ respectively

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Latest 4-quark states from LHCb

- NEW
- Observation of X(3960) in D_s⁺D_s⁻ mass spectrum near threshold Quark content: [ccss]
- Question whether X(3960) could be the $X_{c0}(3930)$?
- Determination of the properties needs more work



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 $M_0 = 3955 \pm 6 \pm 11 \text{ MeV}$

$\Gamma_0 = 48 \pm 17 \pm 10 \text{ MeV}$

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