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Three-body B meson decays

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01 Motivation

Large amounts of data from LHCb, Belle, *BABAR*, CDF, D0 *etc.* Collaborations. (Most with BFs $\sim 10^{-5}$)

charmless

$$B^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-, K^- \pi^+ \pi^-, K^+ K^- \pi^-, K^+ K^- K^-, K^- K_S K_S$$

$$\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{K}^0 \pi^+ \pi^-, K^- \pi^+ \pi^0, K^0 K^- \pi^+, K^+ K^- \pi^0, K^+ K^- \bar{K}^0, K_S K_S K_S$$

charm

$$B_{(s)}^0 \rightarrow D, X_{c\bar{c}} (\pi\pi, KK, K\pi \dots)$$

01

They can help us to test the factorization approach, which have been used in two-body decays successfully.

02

They also help us to test SM by measuring the CKM phases.

03

They offer us opportunities to study the line-shape of intermediate states.

04

Combing with the two-body decays, we can try to understand the sources of strong phases.

05

The study of three-body decays help us to test the SU(3) asymmetry.

Using U spin to extract γ from charmless $B \rightarrow PPP$ decays

Bhubanjyoti Bhattacharya and David London

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$$B_s^0 \rightarrow K_S \pi^+ \pi^- (\bar{b} \rightarrow \bar{d}); B_d^0 \rightarrow K_S K^+ K^- (\bar{b} \rightarrow \bar{s})$$

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$$\mathbf{B}_s^0 \rightarrow \mathbf{K}_S \pi^+ \pi^- (\bar{\mathbf{b}} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbf{d}}); \quad \mathbf{B}_d^0 \rightarrow \mathbf{K}_S \mathbf{K}^+ \mathbf{K}^- (\bar{\mathbf{b}} \rightarrow \bar{\mathbf{s}})$$

$$f_d \equiv K_S(p_1)\pi^+(p_2)\pi^-(p_3) \quad \bar{f}_d \equiv K_S(p_1)\pi^+(p_3)\pi^-(p_2)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_d = \mathcal{A}(B_s^0 \rightarrow f_d) \quad \mathcal{A}_s = \mathcal{A}(B_d^0 \rightarrow f_s)$$

As these are three-body decays, $T_{d,s}$ and $P_{d,s}$ are all momentum-dependent. This means that $T_{d,s}$ ($P_{d,s}$) takes different values at different points of the Dalitz plot.

$$\mathcal{A}_d = V_{ub}^* V_{ud} T_d + V_{cb}^* V_{cd} P_d, \quad \mathcal{A}_s = V_{ub}^* V_{us} T_s + V_{cb}^* V_{cs} P_s$$

For the CP-conjugate amplitudes:

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_d = V_{ub} V_{ud}^* \bar{T}_d + V_{cb} V_{cd}^* \bar{P}_d, \quad \bar{\mathcal{A}}_s = V_{ub} V_{us}^* \bar{T}_s + V_{cb} V_{cs}^* \bar{P}_s$$

Because the final states in the CP-conjugate decays are not the same as in the decays (p_2 and p_3 are exchanged), $T_{d,s} \neq \bar{T}_{d,s}, P_{d,s} \neq \bar{P}_{d,s}$

$$|\mathcal{A}_d|^2 - |\bar{\mathcal{A}}_d|^2 = 2 \text{Im}(V_{ub}^* V_{ud} V_{cb} V_{cd}^*) \text{Im}(T_d P_d^* + \bar{T}_d^* \bar{P}_d),$$

$$|\mathcal{A}_s|^2 - |\bar{\mathcal{A}}_s|^2 = 2 \text{Im}(V_{ub}^* V_{us} V_{cb} V_{cs}^*) \text{Im}(T_s P_s^* + \bar{T}_s^* \bar{P}_s).$$

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In the U-spin limit we have $T_d = T_s$, $P_d = P_s$, $\bar{T}_d = \bar{T}_s$, $\bar{P}_d = \bar{P}_s$.

$$-\frac{a_s^{CP}}{a_d^{CP}} \frac{\tau(B_d^0) b_s}{\tau(B_s^0) b_d} = 1$$

Here, a_q^{CP} and b_q are, respectively, the direct CP asymmetry and branching ratio defined locally, i.e., at a particular Dalitz-plot point. They are both momentum-dependent quantities.

$$\mathcal{A}_d = \mathcal{A}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \bar{f}_d) \quad \mathcal{A}_s = \mathcal{A}(B_d^0 \rightarrow \bar{f}_s)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_d = V_{ub}^* V_{ud} \bar{T}_d + V_{cb}^* V_{cd} \bar{P}_d, \quad \mathcal{A}_s = V_{ub}^* V_{us} \bar{T}_s + V_{cb}^* V_{cs} \bar{P}_s.$$

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}_d = V_{ub} V_{ud}^* T_d + V_{cb} V_{cd}^* P_d, \quad \bar{\mathcal{A}}_s = V_{ub} V_{us}^* T_s + V_{cb} V_{cs}^* P_s$$

For three-body decays, there are two U-spin relations among the observables.

four decays $B^0, \bar{B}^0 \rightarrow f, \bar{f}$

$$|B_{\text{phys}}^0(t)\rangle = f_+(t) |B^0\rangle + \frac{q}{p} f_-(t) |\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

$$|\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0(t)\rangle = \frac{p}{q} f_-(t) |B^0\rangle + f_+(t) |\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

$$\langle f|B_{\text{phys}}^0(t)\rangle = \langle f|B^0\rangle (f_+(t) + \lambda f_-(t)) ,$$

$$\langle \bar{f}|B_{\text{phys}}^0(t)\rangle = \frac{q}{p} \langle \bar{f}|\bar{B}^0\rangle (f_+(t)\bar{\lambda} + f_-(t))$$

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$$\langle \bar{f}|\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0(t)\rangle = \langle \bar{f}|\bar{B}^0\rangle (f_-(t)\bar{\lambda} + f_+(t)) ,$$

$$\Gamma(t) = \frac{1}{2} (\Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f)) ,$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \iint_{\text{bin}} ds_{12} ds_{23} |A|^2 e^{-\Gamma t} [(1 + |x|^2) \cosh(\Delta\Gamma t/2) + 2\text{Re}(\lambda) \sinh(\Delta\Gamma t/2)]$$

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{B}_{\text{phys}}^0(t) \rightarrow f)} ,$$

$$= \frac{\iint_{\text{bin}} ds_{12} ds_{23} |A|^2 [(1 - |x|^2) \cos(\Delta m t) - 2\text{Im}(\lambda) \sin(\Delta m t)]}{\iint_{\text{bin}} ds_{12} ds_{23} |A|^2 [(1 + |x|^2) \cosh(\Delta\Gamma t/2) + 2\text{Re}(\lambda) \sinh(\Delta\Gamma t/2)]} .$$

The number of observables is greater than the number of unknowns, γ can be extracted.

02 Framework

Theoretical approach

Factorization Approach

H.Y. Cheng, C.K. Chua, Y. Li,...

QCD Factorization

A. Furman, B.El Bennich, R. Kaminski, T. Mannel,
X.H. Guo, Y.D. Yang, Z.H. Zhang,...

PQCD

H.N. Li, C.D. Lü, Z.J. Xiao, W. Wang, W.F. Wang,
R. Zhou, ...

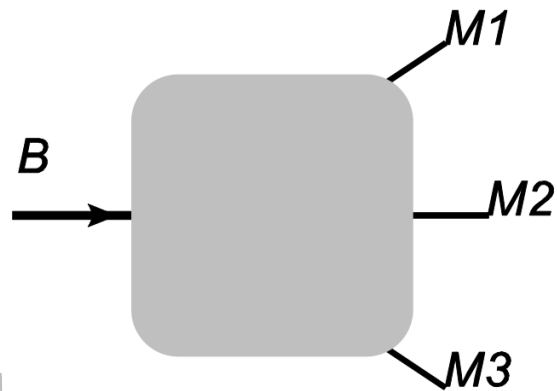
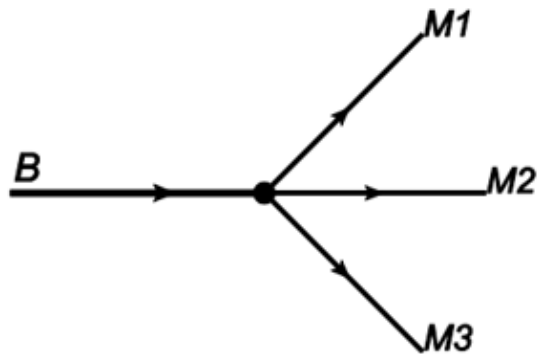
Symmetry

X.G. He, G.N. Li, D. Xu, J.L. Rosner, M. Gronau,...

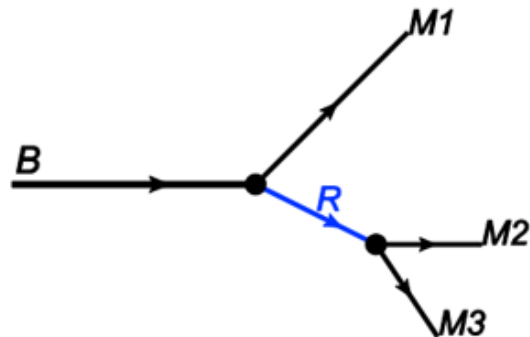
Sum rules

Ulf-G. Meißner, Shan Cheng (Light-cone),
A. Khodjamirian (QCD)

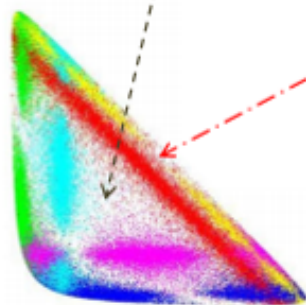
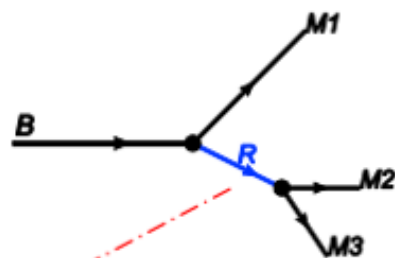
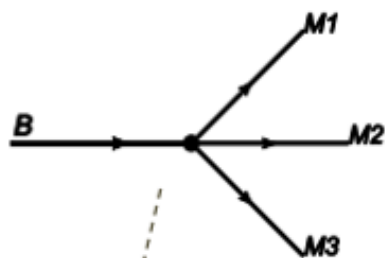
■ $1 \rightarrow 3$ decay modes



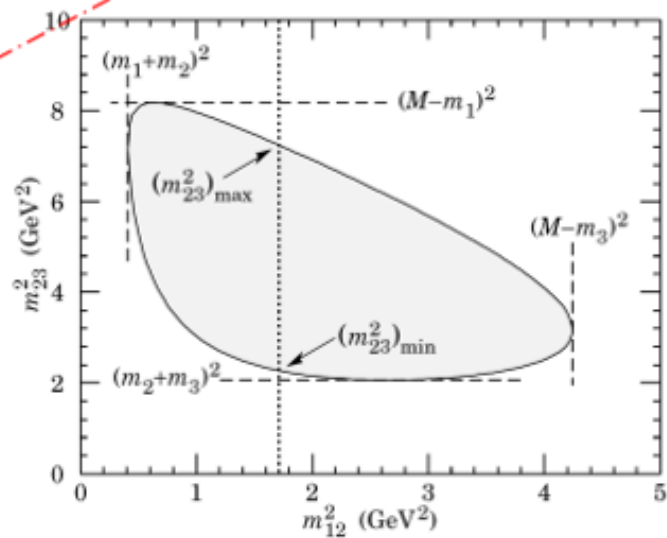
■ $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3$ decay mode

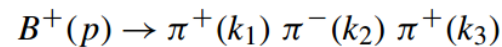
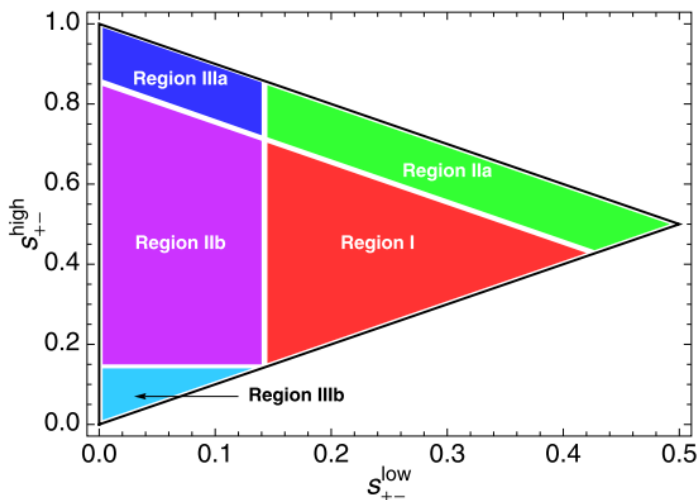


$$p_{ij} = p_i + p_j, \quad m_{ij}^2 = p_{ij}^2$$



Dalitz Plot





$$s_{ij} \equiv \frac{(k_i + k_j)^2}{m_B^2} = \frac{2k_i \cdot k_j}{m_B^2} \quad (i \neq j).$$

$$s_{12} \equiv s_{+-}^{\text{low}}, \quad s_{13} \equiv s_{++} \quad \text{and} \quad s_{23} \equiv s_{+-}^{\text{high}}$$

$$s_{12} + s_{13} + s_{23} = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq s_{ij} \leq 1.$$

Region I: $s_{++} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{low}} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{high}} \sim 1/3$

Region IIa: $s_{++} \sim 0, \quad s_{+-}^{\text{low}} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{high}} \sim 1/2$

Region IIb: $s_{+-}^{\text{low}} \sim 0, \quad s_{++} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{high}} \sim 1/2$

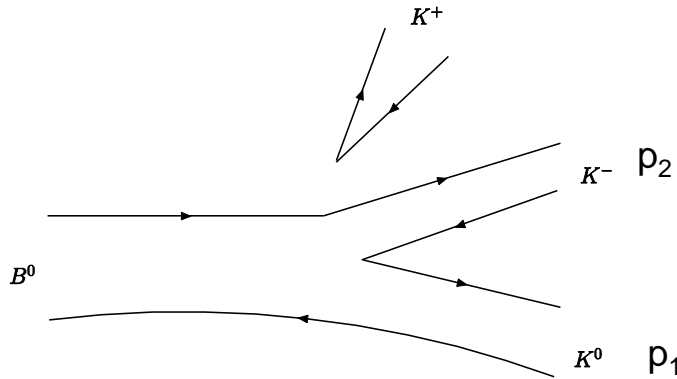
Region IIIa: $s_{++} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{low}} \sim 0, \quad s_{+-}^{\text{high}} \sim 1$

Region IIIb: $s_{+-}^{\text{high}} \sim s_{+-}^{\text{low}} \sim 0, \quad s_{++} \sim 1$

Nonresonance

■ Heavy meson chiral perturbation theory (HMChPT)

$$A^{NR} = A_{transition}^{HMChPT} e^{-\alpha_{NR} p_B \cdot (p_1 - p_2)} e^{i\phi_{12}}$$



--HMChPT is applicable only to soft mesons

--HMChPT is recovered in soft meson limit, $p_1, p_2 \rightarrow 0$

--The parameter $\alpha_{NR} \sim 1/(2m_B \Lambda_\chi)$ is constrained from $B^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-$

Nonresonance

- **U spin symmetry** ($s \leftrightarrow d$) predictions for the relative signs between $K^-K^+K^-$ & $\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$ and between $K^-\pi^+\pi^-$ & $\pi^-K^+K^-$ agree with experiment:

U-spin analysis of CP violation in B^- decays into three charged light pseudoscalar mesons

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$$\frac{A_{CP}(B^- \rightarrow \pi^-\pi^+\pi^-)}{A_{CP}(B^- \rightarrow K^-K^+K^-)} = -\frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow K^-K^+K^-)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow \pi^-\pi^+\pi^-)}, \quad \frac{A_{CP}(B^- \rightarrow \pi^-K^+K^-)}{A_{CP}(B^- \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^-)} = -\frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^-)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow \pi^-K^+K^-)}$$

TABLE I. LHCb results of direct CP asymmetries (in %) for various charmless three-body B^- decays. The superscripts “incl” “low” and “resc” denote CP asymmetries measured in full phase space, in the low invariant mass regions specified in Eq. (1.1) and in the rescattering regions with $1.0 < m_{\pi^+\pi^-, K^+K^-} < 1.5$ GeV, respectively. Data are taken from [6,7] for $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{low}}$ and from [8] for $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{incl}}$ and $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{resc}}$.

	$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	$K^+K^-\pi^-$	$K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$K^-K^+K^-$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{incl}}$	$5.8 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.7$	$-12.3 \pm 1.7 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.7$	$2.5 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$	$-3.6 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.7$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{low}}$	$58.4 \pm 8.2 \pm 2.7 \pm 0.7$	$-64.8 \pm 7.0 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.7$	$67.8 \pm 7.8 \pm 3.2 \pm 0.7$	$-22.6 \pm 2.0 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{resc}}$	$17.2 \pm 2.1 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.7$	$-32.8 \pm 2.8 \pm 2.9 \pm 0.7$	$12.1 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.7 \pm 0.7$	$-21.1 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$

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 Phys. Rev. Lett. 112, 011801 (2014) , Phys. Rev. D 90, 112004 (2014) .

Nonresonance

■ PQCD (with help of **two-meson distribution amplitudes**)

PHYSICAL REVIEW D **89**, 074031 (2014)

Direct CP asymmetries of three-body B decays in perturbative QCD

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$$A_{CP}^{\text{reg}}(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^\pm)$$

$$= 0.519_{-0.219}^{+0.124}(\omega_B)_{-0.091}^{+0.108}(a_2^\pi)_{-0.032}^{+0.027}(m_0^\pi), \quad \text{PQCD}$$

$$= 0.584 \pm 0.082 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.007 \quad \text{LHCb}$$

LHCb PRL112-011801 (2014)

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} F_\pi(w^2) = \frac{m^2 \exp[i\delta_1^1(w)]}{w^2 + m^2}, \\ F_t(w^2) = \frac{m_0^\pi m^2 \exp[i\delta_1^1(w)]}{w^3 + m_0^\pi m^2}, \\ F_s(w^2) = \frac{m_0^\pi m^2 \exp[i\delta_0^0(w)]}{w^3 + m_0^\pi m^2}, \end{array} \right.$$

Resonance

Factorization Approach:

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Direct CP violation in charmless three-body decays of B mesons

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$$\begin{aligned}\langle P_1(p_1)P_2(p_2)|(\bar{q}b)_{V-A}|B\rangle^R &= \sum_i \langle P_1P_2|V_i\rangle \frac{1}{s_{12} - m_{V_i}^2 + im_{V_i}\Gamma_{V_i}} \langle V_i|(\bar{q}b)_{V-A}|B\rangle \\ &+ \sum_i \langle P_1P_2|S_i\rangle \frac{-1}{s_{12} - m_{S_i}^2 + im_{S_i}\Gamma_{S_i}} \langle S_i|(\bar{q}b)_{V-A}|B\rangle, \\ \langle P_1P_2|\bar{q}_1\gamma_\mu q_2|0\rangle^R &= \sum_i \langle P_1P_2|V_i\rangle \frac{1}{s_{12} - m_{V_i}^2 + im_{V_i}\Gamma_{V_i}} \langle V_i|\bar{q}_1\gamma_\mu q_2|0\rangle, \\ &+ \sum_i \langle P_1P_2|S_i\rangle \frac{-1}{s_{12} - m_{S_i}^2 + im_{S_i}\Gamma_{S_i}} \langle S_i|\bar{q}_1\gamma_\mu q_2|0\rangle, \\ \langle P_1P_2|\bar{q}_1q_2|0\rangle^R &= \sum_i \langle P_1P_2|S_i\rangle \frac{-1}{s_{12} - m_{S_i}^2 + im_{S_i}\Gamma_{S_i}} \langle S_i|\bar{q}_1q_2|0\rangle,\end{aligned}$$

$V_i = \phi, \rho, \omega, \dots$,
 $S_i = f_0(980), f_0(1370), f_0(1500), \dots$
for $P_1P_2 = \pi^+\pi^-$;

$V_i = K^*(892), K^*(1410), \dots$,
 $S_i = K_0^*(1430), \dots$ for $P_1P_2 = K^\pm\pi^\mp$

Resonance

■ PQCD:



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Three-body nonleptonic B decays in perturbative QCD

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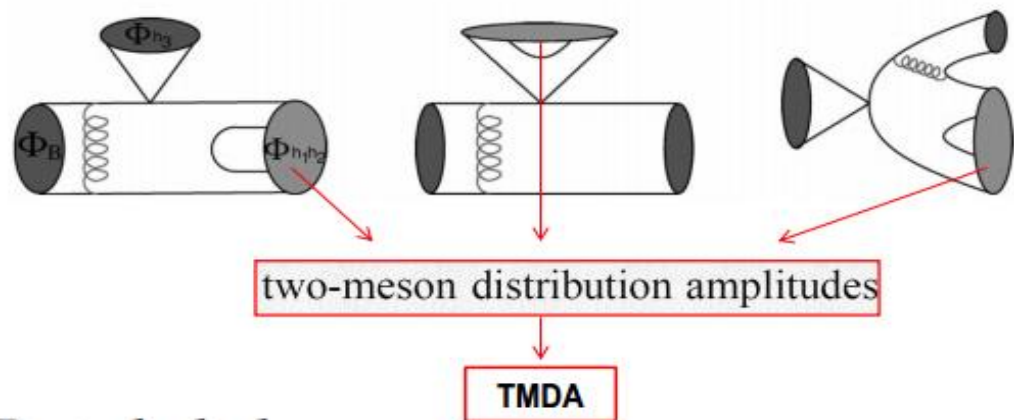
Abstract

We develop perturbative QCD formalism for three-body nonleptonic B meson decays. Leading contributions are identified by defining power counting rules for various topologies of amplitudes. The analysis is simplified into the one for two-body decays by introducing two-meson distribution amplitudes. This formalism predicts both nonresonant and resonant contributions, and can be generalized to baryonic decays.

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$$B \rightarrow h_1 h_2 h_3$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{M} = \Phi_B \otimes H \otimes \Phi_{h_1 h_2} \otimes \Phi_{h_3}$$

$$\Phi_{\pi\pi}^P = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2N_c}} [\not{p}\Phi_{uv=-}^{I=1}(z, \zeta, \omega^2) + \omega\Phi_s^{I=1}(z, \zeta, \omega^2) + \frac{\not{p}_1\not{p}_2 - \not{p}_2\not{p}_1}{w(2\zeta - 1)}\Phi_{tv=+}^{I=1}(z, \zeta, \omega^2)],$$

03

Puzzle

CP violation in $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \rho^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$

Quasi-two-body decays $B_{(s)} \rightarrow P\rho \rightarrow P\pi\pi$ in the perturbative QCD approach

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Modes		Quasi-two-body results	Experiment
$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+(\rho^0 \rightarrow)\pi^+\pi^-$	$\mathcal{B}(10^{-6})$	$8.84_{-1.24}^{+1.48}(\omega_B)_{-0.13}^{+0.12}(a_{2\rho}^t)_{-1.11}^{+1.17}(a_{2\rho}^s)_{-0.26}^{+0.25}(a_{2\rho}^0)$	8.30 ± 1.20
	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}(\%)$	$-27.5_{-3.1}^{+2.3}(\omega_B)_{-1.0}^{+0.9}(a_{2\rho}^t) \pm 1.4(a_{2\rho}^s) \pm 0.9(a_{2\rho}^0)$	$18.0_{-17.0}^{+9.0}$

LHCb and BABAR measurements for this quantity, however, prefer a **positive** CP asymmetry in the $m(\pi^+\pi^-)$ region peaked at m_ρ .

The theoretical predictions based on the QCDF, PQCD and SCET all give a negative CP asymmetry of order -0.20 for $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0\pi^+$.

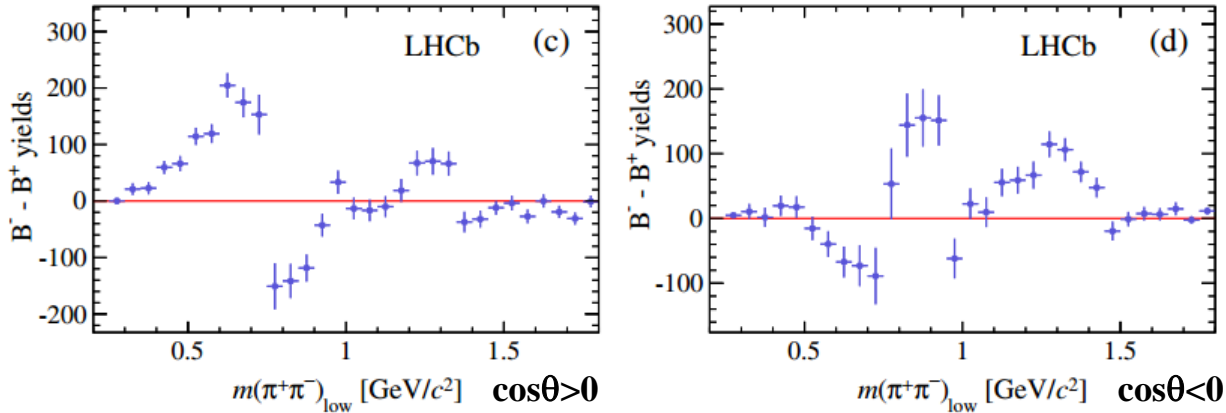
Measurements of CP violation in the three-body phase space of charmless B^\pm decays

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(LHCb Collaboration)

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LHCb has measured CP asymmetries in regions dominated by vector resonances



Summing over regions I-IV yields CP asymmetry consistent with zero with slightly positive central value

- I: $0.47 < m(\pi^+\pi^-)_{\text{low}} < 0.77$ GeV, $\cos\theta > 0$,
- II: $0.77 < m(\pi^+\pi^-)_{\text{low}} < 0.92$ GeV, $\cos\theta > 0$,
- III: $0.47 < m(\pi^+\pi^-)_{\text{low}} < 0.77$ GeV, $\cos\theta < 0$,
- IV: $0.77 < m(\pi^+\pi^-)_{\text{low}} < 0.92$ GeV, $\cos\theta < 0$.

A_{CP} changes sign at $m(\pi^+\pi^-) \sim m_\rho$

Observation of several sources of CP violation in $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$ decays

LHCb collaboration [arXiv:1909.05211](https://arxiv.org/abs/1909.05211)

Contribution	Fit fraction (10^{-2})	A_{CP} (10^{-2})	B^+ phase ($^\circ$)	B^- phase ($^\circ$)
Isobar model				
$\rho(770)^0$	$55.5 \pm 0.6 \pm 2.5$	$+0.7 \pm 1.1 \pm 1.6$	—	—
K-matrix				
$\rho(770)^0$	$56.5 \pm 0.7 \pm 3.4$	$+4.2 \pm 1.5 \pm 6.4$	—	—
QMI				
$\rho(770)^0$	$54.8 \pm 1.0 \pm 2.2$	$+4.4 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.8$	—	—

A quasi-two-body CP asymmetry is consistent with zero.

Possible reasons:

- **Interference between ρ and $f_0(500)$**

PHYSICAL REVIEW D **87**, 076007 (2013)

***CP* violation in $B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$ in the region with low invariant mass of one $\pi^+ \pi^-$ pair**

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- **The fraction of tree and penguin contributions varies across the phase space**

PHYSICAL REVIEW D **88**, 114014 (2013)

Branching fractions and direct *CP* violation in charmless three-body decays of *B* mesons

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04 Outlook

Goals

- Develop a systematic theoretical approach to 3-body hadronic B decays in the whole phase space (both resonance and nonresonance)
- Three-body B decays receive sizable NR contributions. In general, NR contributions alone yield large CP-violating effects. How to resolve the NR contributions reliably?
- It is important to pin down the mechanism responsible for regional CP asymmetries.

Extraction of the SM parameters

Determination of ϕ_1 (β):

$$\phi_1 \equiv \arg[-V_{cb}^* V_{cd} / (V_{tb}^* V_{td})]$$

$\sin 2\phi_1$ from $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$

$B \rightarrow J/\psi\phi, \phi \rightarrow KK$

$B \rightarrow J/\psi K^*, K^* \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$

$B \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(980), f_0(980) \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$

Determination of ϕ_2 (α):

$$\phi_2 \equiv \arg[-V_{tb}^* V_{td} / V_{ub}^* V_{ud}]$$

$B \rightarrow \rho\pi \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$

$B \rightarrow \rho\rho, \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$

Isospin symmetry

Determination of ϕ_3 (γ): $\phi_3 \equiv -\arg(V_{ub}^*V_{ud}/V_{cb}^*V_{cd})$

B \rightarrow PPP, P = π , K

U-spin

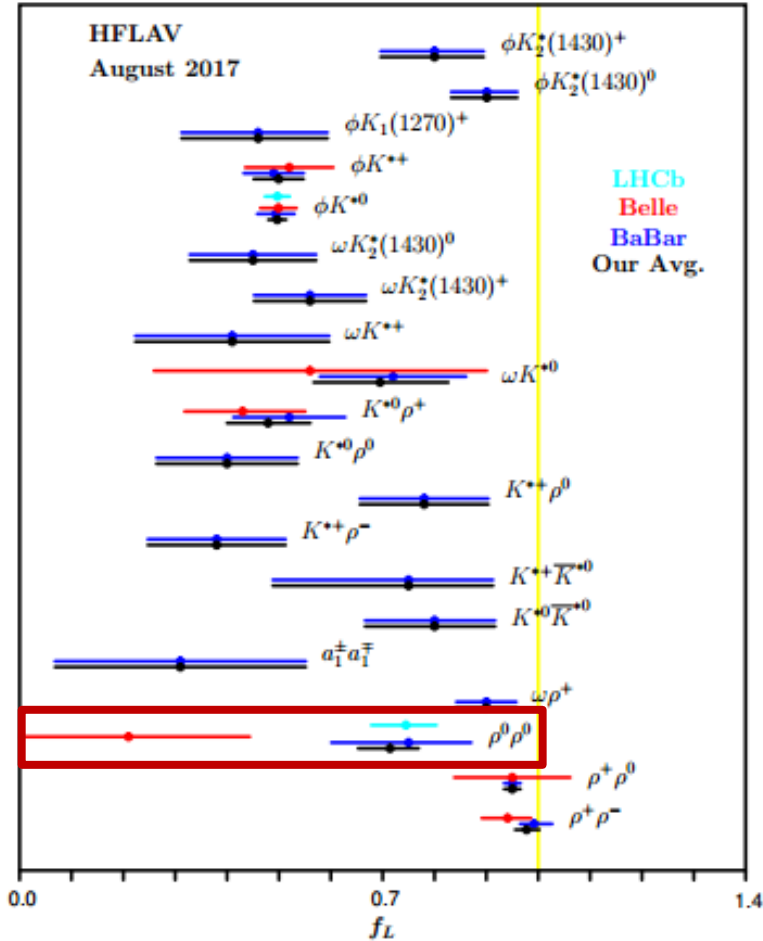
Diagrammatic analysis

B \rightarrow DP

Table 100: Methods and D decay modes used in $B^- \rightarrow DK^-$ and $B^- \rightarrow D^*K^-$ measurements. Those in parentheses have not been published by Belle.

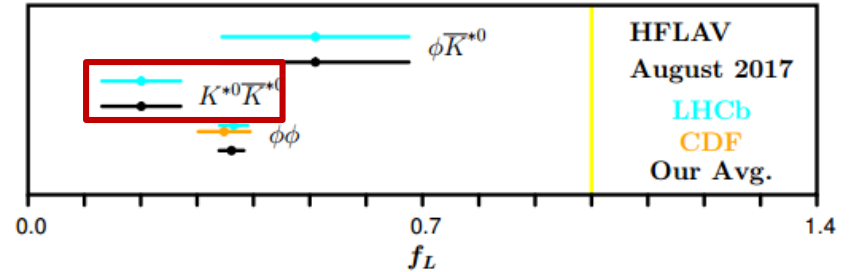
Type of D decay	Method name	D final states studied
CP -eigenstates	GLW	CP -even: K^+K^- , $\pi^+\pi^-$; CP -odd $K_S^0\pi^0$, $K_S^0\eta$
CF and DCS	ADS	$K^\pm\pi^\mp$, $K^\pm\pi^\mp\pi^0$, ($K^\pm\pi^\mp\pi^+\pi^-$)
Self-conjugate	GGSZ	$K_S^0\pi^+\pi^-$, ($K_S^0K^+K^-$), ($\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$), ($K^+K^-\pi^0$), ($\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$)
SCS	GLS	($K_S^0K^\pm\pi^\mp$)

Longitudinal Polarization Fraction in Charmless B Decays



$B_{(s)} \rightarrow VV$

Longitudinal Polarization Fraction in Charmless B_s Decays



These decay modes with large transverse polarization fraction (around 50%) will provide further insight into the QCD dynamics that governs the different helicity amplitudes .

$$\begin{aligned} B &\rightarrow K^* \phi, B \rightarrow K^* \rho, B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \omega, B^0 \rightarrow \omega \omega, B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0, \\ B^0 &\rightarrow K^{*+} K^{*-}, B^- \rightarrow \phi \rho^-, B^0 \rightarrow \phi \rho^0, \\ B_s &\rightarrow K^* \phi, B_s \rightarrow \phi \phi \end{aligned}$$

Large local CP asymmetries

TABLE I. LHCb results of direct CP asymmetries (in %) for various charmless three-body B^- decays. The superscripts “incl” “low” and “resc” denote CP asymmetries measured in full phase space, in the low invariant mass regions specified in Eq. (1.1) and in the rescattering regions with $1.0 < m_{\pi^+\pi^-,K^+K^-} < 1.5$ GeV, respectively. Data are taken from [6,7] for $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{low}}$ and from [8] for $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{incl}}$ and $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{resc}}$.

	$\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$	$K^+K^-\pi^-$	$K^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$K^-K^+K^-$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{incl}}$	$5.8 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.7$	$-12.3 \pm 1.7 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.7$	$2.5 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$	$-3.6 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.7$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{low}}$	$58.4 \pm 8.2 \pm 2.7 \pm 0.7$	$-64.8 \pm 7.0 \pm 1.3 \pm 0.7$	$67.8 \pm 7.8 \pm 3.2 \pm 0.7$	$-22.6 \pm 2.0 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$
$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{resc}}$	$17.2 \pm 2.1 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.7$	$-32.8 \pm 2.8 \pm 2.9 \pm 0.7$	$12.1 \pm 1.2 \pm 1.7 \pm 0.7$	$-21.1 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.7$

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Final-state ($KK \leftrightarrow \pi\pi$) rescattering

It has been conjectured that CPT theorem & final-state rescattering of $\pi^+\pi^- \leftrightarrow K^+K^-$ may play important roles to explain the CP correlation observed by LHCb. Consider $\pi^+\pi^-$ & K^+K^- rescattering and neglect possible interactions with 3rd meson

Bediaga et al, Phys. Rev. D 89, 094013 (2014)

$$\begin{pmatrix} A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-P^-) \\ A(B^- \rightarrow K^+K^-P^-) \end{pmatrix}_{FSI} = S^{1/2} \begin{pmatrix} A(B^- \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-P^-) \\ A(B^- \rightarrow K^+K^-P^-) \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with } P = \pi, K \quad \text{Suzuki, Wolfenstein Phys. Rev. D 60, 074019 (1999)}$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} \eta e^{2i\delta_{\pi\pi}} & i\sqrt{1-\eta^2} e^{i(\delta_{\pi\pi} + \delta_{K\bar{K}})} \\ i\sqrt{1-\eta^2} e^{i(\delta_{\pi\pi} + \delta_{K\bar{K}})} & \eta e^{2i\delta_{K\bar{K}}} \end{pmatrix}$$

η : inelasticity, assuming $\delta_{K\bar{K}} = \delta_{\pi\pi}$

$$S^{1/2} = e^{i\delta_{\pi\pi}} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \phi & i \sin \phi \\ i \sin \phi & \cos \phi \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with } 2\phi = \tan^{-1} \frac{\sqrt{1-\eta^2}}{\eta}$$

$\mathbf{KK} \leftrightarrow \pi\pi$ rescattering

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Direct CP violation in charmless three-body decays of B mesons

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	Expt (%)	NR + Res	NR+RES+FSI
$(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-)_{\text{incl}}$	5.8 ± 1.4	$8.3^{+1.7}_{-1.9}$	-15.6
$(K^+ K^- \pi^-)_{\text{incl}}$	-12.3 ± 2.2	$4.9^{+1.1}_{-1.0}$	8.1
$(K^- \pi^+ \pi^-)_{\text{incl}}$	2.5 ± 0.9	$-0.8^{+0.9}_{-0.6}$	0.7
$(K^+ K^- K^-)_{\text{incl}}$	-3.6 ± 0.8	$-6.0^{+2.0}_{-1.5}$	-6.1
$(\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-)_{\text{low}}$	58.4 ± 8.7	$21.9^{+3.0}_{-3.3}$	-17.6
$(K^+ K^- \pi^-)_{\text{low}}$	-64.8 ± 7.2	$4.6^{+0.9}_{-1.0}$	13.2
$(K^- \pi^+ \pi^-)_{\text{low}}$	67.8 ± 8.5	$40.7^{+5.9}_{-8.9}$	2.3
$(K^+ K^- K^-)_{\text{low}}$	-22.6 ± 2.2	$-16.8^{+4.5}_{-3.9}$	-16.7

Final-state $\pi^+ \pi^- \leftrightarrow K^+ K^-$ rescattering seems to head in wrong direction

Understand data and predict direct CP asymmetries of 3-body decay modes in localized regions of phase space.

$$B^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- K_S^0, K^+ K^- \pi^0, K^+ \pi^0 \pi^0 \dots$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^0, K_S^0 K_S^0 K^+, K_S^0 K_S^0 \pi^+ \dots$$

Thank you

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