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Progress on hadron physics from LHCb





On behalf of the LHCb collaboration

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The LHCb experiment

- ➤The LHCb experiment is one of the four large experiments at the LHC, dedicated to heavy flavor physics
 - \checkmark LHC has the largest production cross-sections of b- and c-hadrons ever
 - $\sigma(b\bar{b}) \approx 500 \,\mu b @ 13 \,\text{TeV} \& \sigma(c\bar{c}) \approx 20 \times \sigma(b\bar{b}) \text{ in } pp \text{ collisions}$
 - \checkmark A great variety of b and c hadron species are accessible
 - X Too many additional tracks



The LHCb detector in Run 1 & 2

>LHCb is a single-arm forward region spectrometer covering $2 < \eta < 5$, with excellent *vertexing*, *tracking* and *particle identification (PID)* performance



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The LHCb detector in Run 3

[JINST 19 (2024) P05065]



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LHCb data taking

- > Run 1 (2011-2012): $\mathcal{L}_{int} = 1 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 7 \text{ TeV} \& 2 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 8 \text{ TeV}$
- > Run 2 (2015-2018): $\mathcal{L}_{int} = 6 \text{ fb}^{-1} @ 13 \text{ TeV}$
- ➢ Run 3: rapidly growing @ 13.6 TeV



LHCb Cumulative Integrated Recorded Luminosity in pp, 2010-2024

LHCb physics scheme



Hadron physics



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1) Perturbative phase

Quarkonium (Q)

Hadrons observed at LHCb



Exotic hadron spectroscopy



Theoretical scenarios

➤Two main players for multiquark state modelling:

Compact multiquark



(Di-)quarks bound via color forces \circ Typical size O(1 fm)

 Mass proximity to threshold accidental
 SU(3)_{flavor} multiplets from combinations of (di-)quarks

 \circ No (strong) hierarchy of couplings

Hadron molecule



Hadrons bound via mesonic exchange
Typical size > 1 fm
Mass proximity to threshold natural
SU(3)_{flavor} multiplets from combinations of component hadrons
Fall-apart decay dominant

➢Other possible scenarios: hadro-quarkonium, hybrid ...

Experimental studies essential to test various theoretical models

Selected new measurements

Pentaquark study:

Search for prompt production of pentaquarks in open charm final states

▶ Tetraquark study in $B \rightarrow D\overline{D}h$ modes:

Amplitude analysis of $B^+ \rightarrow D^{*\pm}D^{\mp}K^+$ [arXiv: 2404.19510]

> Exotic hadrons in diffractive processes:

[arXiv: 2407.14301]

[PR D110 (2024) 032001]

Observation of exotic $J/\psi\phi$ resonances in diffractive processes in pp collisions

- > Amplitude analysis of $B^+ \rightarrow \psi(2S)K^+\pi^+\pi^-$ [arXiv: 2407.12475]
- > Study of radiative decays of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ [arXiv: 2406.17006]
- > Amplitude analysis of $B^+ \rightarrow D^{*-}D_S^+\pi^+$ [JHEP 09 (2024) 165]
- Modification of $\chi_{c1}(3872)$ production in *p*Pb collisions [PRL 132 (2024) 242301]
 - Recent studies of pentaquark states at LHCb by Zhenwei Yang [link]
 - Recent studies of tetraquark states at LHCb by Zhihong Shen [link]

Pentaquark studies at LHCb



Pentaquark search via open charm

[PR D110 (2024) 032001]

Hadron 1	Hadron 2	Charge	I_3	Y	С	Limit Set
Λ_c^+	$\overline{D}{}^{0}$	+1	$1/_{2}$	1	0	\checkmark
Λ_c^+	D^{-}	0	-1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Λ_c^+	D^{*-}	0	-1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{++}	$\overline{D}{}^{0}$	+2	$\frac{3}{2}$	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{++}	D^{-}	+1	1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{++}	D^{*-}	+1	1/2	1	0	×
Σ_{c}^{0}	$\overline{D}{}^{0}$	0	-1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_c^{0}	D^{-}	-1	-3/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_c^{0}	D^{*-}	-1	-3/2	1	0	×
Σ_{c}^{*++}	$\overline{D}{}^{0}$	+2	$\frac{3}{2}$	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{*++}	D^{-}	+1	1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{*++}	D^{*-}	+1	1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{*0}	$\overline{D}{}^{0}$	0	-1/2	1	0	\checkmark
Σ_{c}^{*0}	D^-	-1	-3/2	1	0	\checkmark
$\Sigma * 0$	D*-	1	$-3/_{2}$	1	Ο	.(

✓ hidden-charm pentaquarks

 \checkmark doubly-charmed pentaquarks & excited Ξ_{cc}

Hadron 1	Hadron 2	Charge	I_3	Y	С	Limit Set
Λ_c^+	D^0	+1	-1/2	3	2	\checkmark
Λ_c^+	D^+	+2	1/2	3	2	\checkmark
Λ_c^+	D^{*+}	+2	$1/_{2}$	3	2	\checkmark
Σ_c^{++}	D^0	+2	1/2	3	2	×
Σ_c^{++}	D^+	+3	$^{3}/_{2}$	3	2	\times
Σ_c^{++}	D^{*+}	+3	3/2	3	2	×
Σ_c^{0}	D^0	0	-3/2	3	2	\times
Σ_c^{0}	D^+	+1	-1/2	3	2	×
Σ_c^{0}	D^{*+}	+1	-1/2	3	2	\times
Σ_c^{*++}	D^0	+2	$1/_{2}$	3	2	\checkmark
Σ_c^{*++}	D^+	+3	$^{3/2}$	3	2	\checkmark
Σ_c^{*++}	D^{*+}	+3	$^{3/2}$	3	2	×
Σ_c^{*0}	D^0	0	-3/2	3	2	\checkmark
Σ_c^{*0}	D^+	+1	-1/2	3	2	\checkmark
Σ_{a}^{*0}	D^{*+}	+1	-1/2	3	2	×

 No significant signals
 Known P_c⁺ states tested and yields all agree with 0



*Largest deviation from bkg. shown in $\Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ D^- (c\bar{c}uud)$ @ $M \sim 4520.69$ MeV

$B \rightarrow D\overline{D}h$ studies



Rich opportunities for heavy spectroscopy study

- ✓ charmonium(-like) states in $D^{(*)}\overline{D}^{(*)}$, $\Lambda_c^+\overline{D}^{(*)}$, $\Lambda_c^+\overline{\Lambda}_c^-$...
- \checkmark excited D^+ , D^0 , D_s^+ , Λ_c^+ states from $D^{(*)}h$, Λ_c^+h ...

✓ exotic states from $D^{(*)}h$, Λ_c^+h ...

>Useful for studies of semi-leptonic decays for search of New Physics



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[PRL 125 (2020) 242001] [PR D102 (2020) 112003]

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 $m^2(D^+D^-)$ [GeV²/c⁴]

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[arXiv: 2406.03156]

 $B^+ \to D^{*\pm} D^{\mp} K^+: D^{*\pm} D^{\mp} \text{ system}$ $B^+ \to R(D^{*+}D^-)K^+ \text{ vs } B^+ \to R(D^{*-}D^+)K^+$

 \succ Same contribution from charmonium(-like) resonances R

But interference pattern can be largely different due to different C-parity





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$X \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ in diffractive processes



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✓ Mass & width measurement: slightly higher mass of $\chi_{c0}(4500)$

This Letter

 $4\overline{298}\pm6\pm9$

 $4512.5^{+6.0}_{-6.2} \pm 3.0$

 $65^{+20}_{-16} \pm 32$

 $92^{+22}_{-18}\pm 57$

\checkmark	Cross-section	measurement:
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$$\sigma_{\chi_{c1}(4140)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{eff}}^{\chi_{c1}(4140)} = (0.85 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.30) \text{ pb},$$

$$\sigma_{\chi_{c1}(4274)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{eff}}^{\chi_{c1}(4274)} = (0.77^{+0.14}_{-0.13} \pm 0.18) \text{ pb},$$

$$\sigma_{\chi_{c0}(4500)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{eff}}^{\chi_{c0}(4500)} = (0.44^{+0.09}_{-0.08} \pm 0.07) \text{ pb},$$

$$\sigma_{\chi_{c1}(4685) + \chi_{c0}(4700)} \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{eff}}^{\chi_{c1}(4685) + \chi_{c0}(4700)} = (0.14^{+0.07}_{-0.06} \pm 0.06) \text{ pb},$$

$$\sigma_{NR} \times \mathcal{B}_{\text{eff}}^{NR} = (0.46^{+0.25}_{-0.19} \stackrel{+0.21}{_{-0.22}}) \text{ pb},$$

First exotic hadron measurement in diffractive processes!

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Parameter (MeV)

 $M_{\chi_{c1}(4274)}$

 $\Gamma_{\chi_{c1}(4274)}$

 $M_{\chi_{c0}(4500)}$

 $\Gamma_{\chi_{c0}(4500)}$

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Ref. [12]

 $4294 \pm 4^{+3}_{-6}$

 $53 \pm 5 \pm 5$

 $4\overline{474} \pm 3 \pm 3$

 $77 \pm 6^{+10}_{-8}$

Conventional hadron spectroscopy

- Conventional hadron spectroscopy at LHCb by Yuhao Wang [link]
- Beauty baryon decays at LHCb by Shuqi Sheng [link]

Selected new results



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Hadron production

Quarkonium production mechanism

> Heavy quarkonium: ideal system to study hadronization mechanism

≻Yet not able to coherently describe prod.&pol. measurements in all collision systems



✓ excellent tool to study gluon PDF

$$\sigma(H_{Q\bar{Q}}) = \sum_{a,b,n} \int \mathrm{d}x_1 \mathrm{d}x_2 f_{a/p}(x_1) f_{b/p}(x_2) |\mathcal{A}(ab \to Q\bar{Q}[n] + X)|^2 \times \langle \mathcal{O}^H(n) \rangle$$

✓ LDMEs: extracted from measurements & process independent

$$|J/\psi\rangle = \boldsymbol{O}(\mathbf{1}) \left| c\bar{c} \left[{}^{3}S_{1}^{(1)} \right] \right\rangle + \boldsymbol{O}(\boldsymbol{v}) \left| c\bar{c} \left[{}^{3}P_{J}^{(8)} \right] + g \right\rangle + \boldsymbol{O}(\boldsymbol{v}^{3/2}) \left| c\bar{c} \left[{}^{1}S_{0}^{(8)} \right] + g \right\rangle + \cdots$$

Associated quarkonium production



- \checkmark To probe the quarkonium production mechanism puzzle
- ✓ Golden channel to probe gluon transverse momentum dependent (TMD) PDFs

gluon proton	unpolarized	circular	linear
unpolarized	f_1^g		$h_1^{\perp g}$
longitudinal		g^g_{1L}	
transverse	$f_{1T}^{\perp g}$	g^g_{1T}	h_{1T}^g , $h_{1T}^{\perp g}$

Double-parton scattering (DPS)



✓ To provide information on parton transverse profile & correlations in colliding hadrons

$$\sigma_{Q_1Q_2}^{\text{DPS}} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{Q_1Q_2}} \frac{\sigma_{Q_1}\sigma_{Q_2}}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}}$$

 $\sigma_{\rm eff}$ is universal under naïve factorisation assumptions

Di- J/ψ @ 13 TeV

[JHEP 03 (2024) 088]

Fiducial region: $2 < y(J/\psi) < 4.5$, $p_T(J/\psi) < 14$ GeV



 $N = (2.187 \pm 0.020) \times 10^4$

 $\sigma = 16.36 \pm 0.28(\text{stat}) \pm 0.88(\text{syst}) \text{ nb}$



Gluon TMD PDFs study with di- J/ψ

[JHEP 03 (2024) 088]

- There is almost no experimental info on gluon TMD PDFs
- $h_1^{\perp g}(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2, \mu) \Rightarrow \text{azimuthal asymmetry} \quad \frac{d\sigma}{d\phi_{CS}} = a + b \times \cos(2\phi_{CS}) + c \times \cos(4\phi_{CS})$



$$\langle \cos(2\phi_{\rm CS}) \rangle = b/2a$$

= $-0.029 \pm 0.050 \pm 0.009$
 $\langle \cos(4\phi_{\rm CS}) \rangle = c/2a$
= $-0.087 \pm 0.052 \pm 0.013$

[EPJC 80 (2020) 87]

- $f_1^g(x, \mathbf{k}_T^2, \mu)$: affect p_T spectrum
 - ✓ $p_{\rm T}$ shape shows no dependence on y



 $\checkmark {\rm No}$ obvious broadening of $p_{\rm T}$ spectrum wrt

increasing m given large uncertainties



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Other new di-quarkonium results

• $J/\psi - \psi(2S)$ @ 13 TeV: 2 < $y(\psi)$ < 4.5, $p_T(\psi)$ < 14 GeV

[JHEP 05 (2024) 259]



 $N = 629 \pm 50$

 $\sigma = 4.49 \pm 0.71$ (stat) ± 0.26 (syst) nb

 $\sigma_{\text{eff}}(\text{lower limit}) = \frac{\sigma(J/\psi)\sigma(\psi(2S))}{\sigma(J/\psi - \psi(2S))} = 7.1 \pm 1.1(\text{stat}) \pm 0.8(\text{syst}) \text{ mb}$ [JHEP 08 (2023) 093]

• $J/\psi - Y @$ 13 TeV: 2 < $y(J/\psi, Y)$ < 4.5, $p_T(J/\psi)$ < 10 GeV, $p_T(Y)$ < 30 GeV



✓ By subtracting theoretical input of $\sigma_{\text{SPS}}(J/\psi - \Upsilon(1S)) = 20^{+52}_{-15} \text{ pb}$ [PRL 117 (2016) 062001]

 $\sigma_{\rm eff}(J/\psi - \Upsilon(1S)) = 26 \pm 5(\text{stat}) \pm 2(\text{syst}) \stackrel{+22}{_{-3}}(\text{th}) \text{ mb}$

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Summary and prospects

>LHCb keeps making important contributions to hadron physics

Exotic hadron spectroscopy: pentaquark search; $B \rightarrow D\overline{D}h$ studies; first exotic study in diffractive processes...

Conventional hadron spectroscopy: new Ω_c^{**0} states; J^P of $\Xi_c(3055)^{+,0}$; χ_b spectroscopy; Ξ_b^- lifetime...

Hadron production: di- J/ψ , J/ψ - $\psi(2S)$ and J/ψ -Y; first study of gluon TMD PDFs with di- J/ψ ...

In Run 3, upgraded sub-detectors & software-only trigger system
 ✓ trigger efficiency for fully hadronic modes largely improved



✓ Run 1-2: 9 fb⁻¹ ✓ Run 3: > 20 fb⁻¹ ✓ Run 4: ~50 fb⁻¹

More data, more chances!

Back up

$B^+ \rightarrow D^{*\pm} D^{\mp} K^+$: amplitude analysis

➤ Amplitudes of $B^+ \to R(D^{*+}D^-)K^+$ and $B^+ \to R(D^{*-}D^+)K^+$ linked by *C*-parity ⇒ allowing determination of C-parities of *R* resonances

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}(x) &= \frac{1+d}{2} \left\{ \sum_{j \in R(D^{*\pm}D^{\mp})} c_j A_j(x) + \sum_{k \in R(D^{*-}K^+, D^+K^+)} c_k A_k(x) \right\} \\ &+ \frac{1-d}{2} \left\{ \sum_{j \in R(D^{*\pm}D^{\mp})} C_j \times c_j A_j(x) + \sum_{l \in R(D^{*+}K^+, D^-K^+)} c_l A_l(x) \right\} \\ \checkmark d = 1 \text{ for } B^+ \to D^{*-}D^+K^+; d = -1 \text{ for } B^+ \to D^{*+}D^-K^+ \end{aligned}$$

 $\square R$ resonances with $J^P = 1^+$: S-wave & D-wave

$$f_{R,S/D}(m) = \frac{\gamma_{S/D}}{m_0^2 - m^2 - im_0[\gamma_S^2\Gamma_S(m) + \gamma_D^2\Gamma_D(m)]}$$

□Other resonances: Breit-Wigner

■Nonresonant contributions to $D^{*\pm}D^{\mp}$: $f_R(m) = e^{(\alpha + \beta i)(m^2 - m_0^2)}$ for $NR_{0^{-+}}$; otherwise $f_R(m) = 1$

$B^+ \rightarrow D^{*\pm}D^{\mp}K^+: D^{*\pm}D^{\mp}$ system

[arXiv: 2406.03156]

 \blacktriangleright Amplitudes of $B^+ \rightarrow R(D^{*+}D^-)K^+$ and $B^+ \rightarrow R(D^{*-}D^+)K^+$ linked by C-parity



Double Parton Scattering

 $\sigma_{Q_1Q_2}^{\text{DPS}} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{Q_1Q_2}} \sum_{i,j,k,l} \int dx_1 dx_2 dx_1' dx_2' d^2 \mathbf{b_1} d^2 \mathbf{b_2} d^2 \mathbf{b_1}$

Generalized double parton PDF SPS parton-level cross-section

 $\times \frac{\Gamma_{ij}(x_1, x_2, \mathbf{b_1}, \mathbf{b_2})}{\Gamma_{ik}(x_1, x_1) \hat{\sigma}_{jl}^{Q_2}(x_2, x_2')} \times \frac{\Gamma_{kl}(x_1', x_2', \mathbf{b_1} - \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{b_2} - \mathbf{b})}{\Gamma_{kl}(x_1', x_2', \mathbf{b_1} - \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{b_2} - \mathbf{b})}$

Assuming:

- ✓ factorization of trans. & long. components $\Gamma_{ij}(x_1, x_2, \boldsymbol{b}_1, \boldsymbol{b}_2) = D_{ij}(x_1, x_2)T_{ij}(\boldsymbol{b}_1, \boldsymbol{b}_2)$
- ✓ no correlation between two sets of partons $D_{ij}(x_1, x_2) = f_i(x_1)f_j(x_2), T_{ij}(\boldsymbol{b}_1, \boldsymbol{b}_2) = T_i(\boldsymbol{b}_1)T_j(\boldsymbol{b}_2)$

$$\sigma_{Q_1Q_2} = \frac{1}{1 + \delta_{Q_1Q_2}} \frac{\sigma_{Q_1}\sigma_{Q_2}}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}}$$

$$\sigma_{\rm eff} = 1 / \left[\int d^2 \boldsymbol{b} F(\boldsymbol{b})^2 \right], F(\boldsymbol{b}) = \int T(\boldsymbol{b}_i) T(\boldsymbol{b}_i - \boldsymbol{b}) d^2 \boldsymbol{b}_i$$

expected to be universal under the given assumptions

	<i>pp</i> @13 TeV
<u> </u>	LHCb $(J/\psi - J/\psi)$
	<i>pp</i> @8 TeV
• • •	ATLAS $(J/\psi - Z^0)$
+ 0 +	ATLAS $(J/\psi - J/\psi)$
	LHCb ($\Upsilon(1S)$ - D^0)
	<i>pp</i> @7 TeV
• • •	ATLAS $(J/\psi - W^{\pm})$
	CMS $(J/\psi - J/\psi)$
	LHCb $(J/\psi - D^0)$
	LHCb $(D^0 - D^0)$
	ATLAS (W^{\pm} -2 jets)
	CMS (W^{\pm} -2 jets)
	<i>pp@</i> 1.96 TeV
•	D0 $(J/\psi - \Upsilon)$
	D0 $(J/\psi - J/\psi)$
H B H	D0 (γ -3 jets)
	<i>pp@</i> 1.8 TeV
	CDF (4 jets)
•••	CDF (γ -3 jets)
2 0 40	(a) 00 100
J 20 40	60 80 100
	σ [mb]
[POS (LHCP2020)	O_{eff} [III0]
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