

CKM Studies and New Physics Searches with Charm

Two themes:
1) Why Charm Physics

allows B Physics
to reach its full potential

2) Charm physics as a probe

of physics beyond the
Standard Model

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- I am completely deaf
- I communicate by lip reading
- BUT lip reading obeys an inverse square law, and the audience is too far away
- Please write down your questions
- Pass them up to me
- I will read out your question before answering it



Outline of the Lectures

Overview: How Charm Physics Helps B Physics → Precision Quark Flavor Physics

Experiments That Contribute To Charm Physics

Precision CKM Physics: Lifetimes Hadronic Decays Leptonic Decays and Decay constants Semileptonic Decays and CKM matrix elements Tests of Unitarity Spectroscopy

Charm as a Probe of New Physics: Mixing CP Violation & Rare Decays Summary & Outlook SSI 2002 Lecture 1 1. Shipsey



Charm Physics: the context

This Decade	Flavor Physics: is in "the sin2β era" akin to precision Z. Over constrain CKM matrix with precision measurements. Limiting factor: non-pert. QCD.
The Future	LHC may uncover strongly coupled sectors in the physics that lies beyond the Standard Model The LC will study them. Strongly-coupled field theories are an outstanding challenge to theoretical physics. Critical need for reliable theoretical
Example The Lattice Charm c	e: techniques & detailed data to calibrate them. Complete definition of pert & non. Pert.QCD. Matured over last decade, can calculate to 1-5% B,D,Y,Ψ an provide the data to calibrate QCD techniques

(See Peter Lepage's lectures for details of Lattice QCD)



Charm Physics: What do we need to measure?





Goal for the decade: high precision measurements of V_{ub} , V_{cb} , V_{ts} , V_{td} , V_{cs} , V_{cd} , & associated phases. Over-constrain the "Unitarity Triangles" - Inconsistencies \rightarrow New physics !



Many experiments will contribute. Measurement of absolute charm branching ratios will enable precise new measurements at Bfactories/Tevatron to be translated into greatly improved CKM precision. SSI 2002 Lecture 1 I. Shipsey





Importance of absolute charm semileptonic decay rates.

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{dq^2} = \frac{G_F^2}{24\pi^3} |V_{cs}|^2 p_K^3 |f_+(q^2)|^2$$

$$|V_{CKM}|^2$$

I. Absolute magnitude & shape of form factors are a stringent test of theory. II. Absolute charm semileptonic rate gives direct measurements of V_{cd} and V_{cs} . **III Key input to precise Vub vital CKM cross check of sin2** β

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$$B \stackrel{\bullet}{b} \rightarrow \stackrel{\bullet}{u} \pi l \nu$$

 $\frac{\delta B}{B} \sim 25\%$
 $D \stackrel{\bullet}{c} \rightarrow \stackrel{\bullet}{d} \pi l \nu$

1) Measure $D \rightarrow \pi$ form factor in $D \rightarrow \pi lv$. Calibrate LQCD uncertainties .

2) Extract V_{ub} at BaBar/Belle using *calibrated* LQCD calc. of $B \rightarrow \pi$ form factor.

3) But: need absolute Br($D \rightarrow \pi l\nu$) and high quality $d\Gamma (D \rightarrow \pi l\nu)/dE\pi$ neither exist



The Importance of Precision Charm Absolute Branching Ratios I

${f V}_{cb}$ from zero recoil in ${f B} o {f D}^* l^+ {f V}$

CLEO hep-ex/0203032 Accepted for publication in PRL



$$|V_{cb}| = (46.9 \pm 1.4 \pm 2.0 \pm 1.8) \times 10^{-2}$$

CLEO has single most precise Vcb by this technique

Stat: 3.0% Sys 4.3% theory 3.8% Dominant Sys: ε_{π} slow, form factors As B Factory data sets grow, and theory improves

$$\frac{dB(D \rightarrow K\pi)}{dB(D \rightarrow K\pi)}$$

$$\Rightarrow dV_{cb}/V_{cb}=1.3\%$$



The Importance of Precision Charm Absolute Branching Ratios II

 $B^0 \rightarrow D_s^{(*)+}\pi^-$ Extraction of V_{ub} ? Dominated by b \rightarrow u transition BABAR/Belle have signals Theory error probably large

Experimental error dominated by $B(D_s \rightarrow \phi \pi)$ which is known to 25%



$$V_{ub}/V_{cb}$$
 from

$$\frac{\Gamma(\Lambda_{\rm b}\to p\ell\bar{\nu})}{\Gamma(\Lambda_{\rm b}\to\Lambda_{\rm c}\ell\bar{\nu})}$$

at hadron machines requires:

B(/\c→pKπ) poorly known: 9.7% > B >3.0% at 90% C.L



The importance of precision absolute Charm BRs III

$$\frac{\Gamma(\overline{B}^{o} \to D^{*+}h^{-})}{\Gamma(\overline{B}^{o} \to D^{+}h^{-})} = 1$$

since $D^{*+} \rightarrow \pi^+ D^\circ$ is most useful mode,

this compares Dº/D+ absolute rates

Compare $B^o \rightarrow D^{(*)+}h^-$ and $B^+ \rightarrow D^{(*)0}h^-$ rates to extract color suppressed amplitudes

Test factorization with
$$B \rightarrow DD_s$$
 \sim Need Abs Br D_s



The importance of precision absolute Charm BRs IV

 $BR_{SL} = B(b \rightarrow c\ell \nu)$, is low compared to theory A possible explanation is that

the c quark effective mass is low \rightarrow large decay rate for b $\rightarrow c\bar{c}s(d)$

 $\rightarrow n_c = (n_c + n_{\overline{c}})$ is negatively correlated to Br_{SL}

The simultaneous measurement of Br_{st} and n_c can clarify the theoretical picture $b \rightarrow c\ell \nu + c\overline{u}d + c\overline{c}s$





The importance of precision absolute Charm BRs V

Test of the Standard Model. Precision: $Z \rightarrow bb$ and $Z \rightarrow cc$ ($R_b \& R_c$) is systematically limited by knowledge of absolute charm branching ratios

To understand the Higgs at LHC/LC B(H \rightarrow bb) B(H \rightarrow cc) precision will depend on absolute charm branching ratios

Secrets of the **MESON** The Unity of Quark Flavor Physics





Charm physics:1974



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Goldhaber, Perl, Richter 1974 ¹⁵



Target

Charm Physics: 1974

 $p + Be \rightarrow e^+e^-$ 2m -im (a) Beom

Broad band probe, clean final state





The J/Ψ as a frontier

 Ψ 's are narrow, insufficient energy to decay to open charm, (i.e. $D\overline{D}$) or $(c\overline{u})(\overline{c}u)$

C=-1 easy to produce with virtual photon, but decay into three gluons suppressed



Despite this, 88% of J/Ψ decays are hadrronic

(only the ~12% to $e^+e^-/\mu\mu$) used in sin2 β

measurements

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Radiative J/Ψ Br~6% are very useful for glueball searches





Charmonium Spectroscopy







The role of the $\Psi(3770)$ in charm physics is analogous to the role of the Y(4S) in B physics



Absolute Branching Ratio Measurements at the Y(4S) and $\psi(3770)$

$$Br(D \rightarrow X) = \frac{\# X \text{ Observed}}{\text{efficiency x } \# D' \text{s produced}}$$

In B decay absolute branching ratios are measured at the Y(4S)

$$\int Ldt \cdot \sigma_{(Y(4S))} = N_{Y(4S)}$$
$$N_{Y(4S)} \cdot Br(Y(4S) \rightarrow B\overline{B}) = 2N_B$$
$$Br(Y(4S) \rightarrow B\overline{B}) = 1$$

The number of B's produced is well known

With sufficient statistics, it is possible to eliminate the Y(4S) Br assumption, and complications from the fraction of $B^+ B^+$ and $B^0 B^0$ at the Y(4S)

by tagging (fully reconstructing one B in the event)

$$Br(B \rightarrow X) = \frac{\# X \text{ Observed}}{\text{efficiency x } \# \text{Btags}}$$

Full B reconstruction has a low efficiency $\varepsilon(tag) \sim 0.7\%$??, But will become a staple as B Factory data sets grow. Similarly, charm branching ratios could be measured at the $\Psi(3770)$



Absolute Charm Branching Ratios at Threshold

$\psi(3770) \rightarrow DD$

 $Br(D \rightarrow X) = \frac{\# X \text{ Observed}}{\text{efficiency x } \# D\text{'s produced}}$



Where the # of D's produced Is the # of tags

The tag efficiency at the $\psi(3770)$ is expected to be about 20% as the D has large branching ratios to 2-body final states

 $\sigma \psi(3770) = 10 \text{ nb} (\sim x10 \sigma Y(4S))$



Open Charm Production

experiments at $\Psi(3770)$ Mark III CLEO-c (proposed) BESIII (proposed)

As we will see, the $\Psi(3770)$ is by far the best place to determine absolute charm branching ratios But nobody has operated there since 1984. There are plans to change this situation, \rightarrow





D's

9.6 pb⁻¹

3 fb⁻¹

30 fb⁻¹



Charm Hadrons

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Heavy quark (Q) hadrons: Q spin decouples $\propto 1/m_{\Omega}$. Spin of Q and total spin j of light quark are separately conserved quantum numbers.

 $\Rightarrow J = j_{light} \pm 1/2$ (degenerate doublet) Corrections go like Λ_{OCD} / m_O $\Delta m = m(D^* - D) \sim 142 \, MeV$ $\Delta m = m(B^* - B) \sim 46 \, MeV$ The same description works for heavy baryons SSI 2002 Lecture 1 I. Shipsey





Charm Physics Facilities



Many of the charm facilities that have finished running but are still producing results, currently running facilities, and future facilities are listed above. Most charm physics facilities are also B physics facilities, exceptions are the fixed target experiments SSI 2002 Lecture 1 I. Shipsey

Charm Production near/at the Y(4S)



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Secrets of the BALESON XXX SLAC Summer Institute si2002, August 5-16, 2002

Charm Production at the Z⁰

^{II} 0.012 0.01 0.01 0.008 0.008 0.006 D^* $Br(Z^0 \rightarrow cc) \sim 11\%$ ALEPH \rightarrow 3 x 10⁶ c's /LEP expt \rightarrow D, D_s, $\Lambda_c \Xi_c$... Hep-ex9909032 \rightarrow ~ 40 GeV \rightarrow Excellent reconstruction of D.006 **Charm vertices** ЬЬ D.004 As at 10GeV, the flavors of charm anti-charm pairs produced in Z^0 D.002 decays are not correlated \rightarrow absolute charm Br's are difficult D DI D 2 D D.6 D.7D.8 D.9 D5Πı Main LEP contributions to charm physics: (my opinion) $X_E = E/E_{beam}$ - electro-weak measurements: $R_c = (Z^0 \rightarrow cc)/(Z^0 \rightarrow had)$ Will not A_{FB}^{c} (charge asymmetry in $e^+e^- \rightarrow cc$) discuss See: http://lepewwg.web.cern.ch/LEPEWWG/ In lecture - c-quark fragmentation function - Ds decay constant



Photo production: FOCUS

Fixed target experiments have long been at the frontier of charm physics Detector scale typical, tiny front end





FOCUS: photoproduction



(Also HERA)



FOCUS: close-up



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Hadroproduction



SELEX (E791) at FNAL 10⁴ (10⁵⁾ c's reconstructed
* Millibarns at the Tevatron ~10¹³c's/year Run II (also BTeV)
* X 10 at LHC

* HERA-B







Charm at CDF

 $K\pi$ Mass [GeV/c²]

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Summary of current & future charm particle data sources



in RunII

CLEO-c 3 x10⁶ tagged DD BTeV could have 10⁹ D's

F.T. expts. Measure the c-hadron decay time very precisely this is also crucial to isolate clean event samples

e+e-: higher relative production rate of charm compared to background, better mass resolution and great PID mean samples of comparable purity even though time resolution is X10 worse



Lifetimes

 V_e

Muon decay:

$$\Gamma_{o} = \frac{G_{F}^{2} m_{\mu}^{2}}{192\pi^{3}}$$
Naïve spectator model for charm
 e, μ $u\bar{d} \ge 3$ colors
 $\Gamma_{c} = (2+3)\Gamma_{0}$ $\Gamma_{o} = \frac{G_{F}^{2} m_{c}^{5}}{192\pi^{3}} |V_{cs}|^{2}$

 σ^2 5

Scaling from the muon:

$$\tau_{c} = \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{0.105}{1.5} \right)^{5} 2.2 \times 10^{-6} = 7 \times 10^{-13} s$$
(700 fs)

 $\tau(D+) \sim 1,000 \text{ fs } \tau (D0) \sim 400 \text{ fs.}$ Not too bad. Including baryons lifetimes vary between $\sim 100 \text{ and } 1000 \text{ fs}, \rightarrow \text{ non-spectator processes}$ and higher order corrections SSI 2002 Lecture 1 I. Shipsey



Charm Hadron Lifetimes

 $\frac{Br}{\tau} = \Gamma \begin{bmatrix} \text{Lifetime needed to compare} \\ Br(expt) \text{ to } \Gamma \text{ (theory)} \end{bmatrix}$ Interpreted with O.P.E. $\Gamma(H_c) = \Gamma_{spect} + O(1/m_c^2) + \Gamma_{PI,WAWS}(H_c) + O(1/m_c^4)$

Spectator effects (PI.WA,WS) are $O(1/m_c^3)$ but phase space enhanced

Note:hadrons behave more like free quarks the heavier the quark

See G. Bellini, I.I Bigi & P. Dornan Phys Rep. **289** (1997)



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Lifetimes at Fixed Target Experiments



- Short flight path, need silicon
- •L > $N\sigma_L$ (and outside target)
- Reduced proper time:

$$t' = L/\beta\gamma c - N \sigma_L/\beta\gamma c$$

to reduce acceptance corrections

Acceptance checked with data (K_S)
Systematics from acceptance &/or




Charm Meson Lifetimes





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Lifetimes at e⁺e⁻ colliders



But poorer time resolution ~ 140 fsec (CLEO) •Uses 2-D (or 1-D) decay length •Needs good knowledge of mass and t resolutions •Complicated fits using parameterized resolution and

background functions

• Systematics from vertexing, resolutions and fit biases





D Meson Lifetimes



Lifetime Summary I

$\tau(D^0)$	411.7 ± 1.3 fs	Updated after ICHEP02	
$\tau(D^+)$	1041.5 ± 6.2 fs	$\frac{\tau(D^+)}{\tau(D^0)} = 2.53 \pm 0.02$ P.I.(-)	
$\tau(D_s)$	$501.7 \pm 6.1 fs$	$\frac{\tau(D_s)}{\tau(D_s)} = 1.22 \pm 0.02$ W.A. or ??	
$\tau(\Lambda_c)$	$199.7 \pm 3.3 fs$	$\tau(D)$ To interpret this important to check	ck
$\tau(\Xi^+_c)$	$422.3_{-18.7}^{+20.1} fs$	$\frac{\tau(\Lambda_c)}{\tau(D^0)} = 0.49 \pm 0.01 \text{W.S./P.I.(-)} \frac{\Gamma(D_s \to eX)}{/\Gamma(D^0 \to eX)}$	
$\tau(\Xi^0{}_c)$	$106.3_{-7.8}^{+9.2}$ fs	$\tau(\Xi^+)$ 2.11+0.14 UIC DL(+) But absolute B(D _s \rightarrow eX)	(20)
$\tau(\Omega_c)$	$73.6^{+11.8}_{-12.1}$ fs	$\frac{1}{\tau(\Lambda_c)} = 2.11 \pm 0.14 \text{W.S.P.I.}(\pm) \qquad \text{1s only known to}$	63%

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Compare Charm to Beauty Lifetimes



Charm quarks are much more influenced by the hadronic environment than are beauty quarks

Very precisely determined lifetimes. The agreement with theory is still qualitative

Important message:errors on lifetimes are not a limiting factors in our ability to calculate absolute rates. The limiting factor is errors on absolute branching ratios .

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D Nonleptonic Decays

Nonleptonic decays dominate the total rate

$$D^+(c\overline{d}):\tau_+ = 1042.7 \pm 6.9 \text{ fs}$$

 $D^0(c\overline{u}):\tau_0 = 410.5 \pm 1.5 \text{ fs}$
 $\tau_+/\tau_0 \approx 2.5$

Quarks or hadrons? in between

Compare to kaons and B-mesons:

$$K^{+}(\bar{s}u):\tau_{+} = 12390 \pm 20 \ ps$$

 $K^{0}(\bar{s}d):\tau_{0} = 178.7 \pm 0.16 \ ps$
 $B^{+}(\bar{b}u):\tau_{+} = 1655 \pm 24 \ fs$
 $B^{0}(\bar{b}d):\tau_{0} = 1540 \pm 24 \ fs$
 $\tau_{+}/\tau_{0} \approx 70$
Hadrons
 $\tau_{+}/\tau_{0} \approx 1.07$
quarks



The lifetime hierarchy (quark diagram level)

B decays : small BRs to 2- body final states (phase space) 2-body decays dominate D decays (multi-body decays found to be quasi 2 body) \rightarrow Is the D⁰ D⁺ lifetime hierarchy understandable in terms of 2 body hadronic decays?





....and at the hadronic level

Simple factorization picture describes 2 body hadronic decays established for B's. For charm sizeable final state interactions are the norm. $A(D^{0} \rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+}) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}A_{1/2} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}A_{3/2}$ Isospin decomposition $A(D^{0} \to \overline{K^{0}}\pi^{0}) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}A_{1/2} + \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}A_{3/2} \qquad D^{+} \to \overline{K^{0}}\pi^{+}$ $D^0 \rightarrow \overline{K^0} \pi^0$ $A(D^+ \to \overline{K^0}\pi^+) = \sqrt{3}A_{3/2} \qquad A_I = A_I e^{i\delta}$ $|A_{1/2} + A_{3/2}|^2 = |A_{1/2}|^2 + |A_{3/2}|^2 + 2|A_{1/2}||A_{3/2}|\cos(\delta_{3/2} - \delta_{1/2}) \qquad D^0 \to K^- \pi^+ \bigwedge \text{ is only schematic}$ measure: $|A(D^0 \to K^- \pi^+)|^2 + |A(D^0 \to \overline{K^0} \pi^0)|^2 = |A_{1/2}|^2 + |A_{3/2}|^2$:extract measure: $\left|A(D^+ \rightarrow \overline{K^0}\pi^+)\right|^2 = 3\left|A_{3/2}\right|^2$:extract find: $|A_{3/2}|/|A_{1/2}| = 0.37 \pm 0.03$ $\delta = (\delta_2 - \delta_0) = 90^\circ \pm 7^\circ$ Rosner hep-ph/9903543

Many similar cases. Substantial modification of hadronic 2-body BR's due to FSI.

The presence of strong phases between amplitudes is an important ingredient in mixing studies and in CP violation SSI 2002 Lecture 1 I. Shipsey



Charm branching ratios

$Br \leftarrow = \Gamma$ We have just seen that τ is measured very precisely $Most branching ratios in contrast to lifetimes are not well known$							
Key charm			PDG (%)	Error(%)			
decay	Do	$K^-\pi^+$	3.83±0.09	2.3			
modes used to	\mathbf{D}^+	$\mathrm{K}^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{+}$	9.0±0.6	6.7			
normalize	D _s	$\phi\pi^+$	3.6±0.9	25			
B physics	$\Lambda_{\rm c}$	$pK^{-}\pi^{+}$	9.7>B>3.0	@90% c.1			
	J/ψ	μ+μ-	5.88 ±0.10	1.7			
$Br(D \rightarrow X) = -$ #X Observed Because #D's produced							
	efficier	ncy x #D's produ	ced 🔪 is not wel	l known			
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Measurement of $B(D^{o} \rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+})$







B (%)	Error(%)	Source	
9.3±0.6±0.8	10.8	CLEO	
9.1±1.3±0.4	14.9	MKIII	► From 9.6 pb ⁻¹ (1984)
9.1±0.7	7.7	PDG	

• Method (CLEO): Measure: Assume this ratio is of Strong decays is given by isospin symmetry $B(D^*)$

$$B(D^{*+} \to D^{0}\pi^{+}) \quad B(D^{0} \to K^{-}\pi^{+})$$

$$B(D^{*+} \to D^{+}\pi^{0}) \quad B(D^{+} \to K^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{+})$$

(this bootstrap method can never yield a measurement of $B(D^+ \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^+)$ more accurate than $B(D^0 \rightarrow K^-\pi^+)$

•Method (MKIII): $\psi'' \rightarrow D^+D^-$ full reconstruction, limited by size of data sample The determination of B(D⁺ $\rightarrow \phi \pi^+$), which has a 25% error also bootstraps on B(D^o $\rightarrow K^-\pi^+$)



How can we do better? Recall: Absolute Charm Branching Ratios at Threshold

$\psi(3770) \rightarrow \text{DD}$

 $Br(D \rightarrow X) = \frac{\# X \text{ Observed}}{\text{efficiency x } \# D\text{'s produced}}$



Where the # of D's produced Is the # of tags



Unique Opportunities at Charm Thresholds

- Unique event properties
 - Only D<u>D</u> not D<u>D</u>x produced
 - $\operatorname{Can get } D^{\circ}D^{\circ}, D^{+}D^{-}, D_{\underline{s}}D_{\underline{s}}, \\ \Lambda_{\underline{s}}\underline{\Lambda}_{\underline{c}} \qquad \underline{\bullet}$
 - Probably other charmed baryons as well (not yet measured)
- Large cross sections $\sigma(D^{o}D^{o}) = 5.8 \text{ nb}$ $\sigma(D^{+}D^{-}) = 4.2 \text{ nb}$ $\sigma(D_{s}D_{s}) = 0.5 \text{ nb}$

 $\psi(3770) \rightarrow DD$ $\sqrt{s} \sim 4140 \rightarrow D_s D_s$ R (units of $\sigma(\mu^+\mu^-)$)





$\psi(3770)$ events are simple



 $D^{o} \rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+} D^{o} \rightarrow K^{+}e^{-}\nu$

Charm events produced at threshold are extremely clean
Large σ, low multiplicity
Pure initial state: no fragmentation
Signal/Background is optimum at threshold

Double tag events are pristine

These events are key to making absolute Br measurements

Neutrino reconstruction is clean
Quantum coherence aids D mixing & CP violation studies

precision flavor physics new physics

But: D's don't move





2002: Prologue: Upsilons ~1-2 fb⁻¹ each at Y(1S),Y(2S),Y(3S),... Spectroscopy, matrix element, Γ_{ee} , η_B h_b 10-20 times the existing world's data (Fall 2001- Fall 2002)









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W(3770) event: Rur: 109794 Event

 $D^{o} \rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+} D^{o} \rightarrow K^{+}e^{-}\nu$

* CLEO III state of the art detector, well understood
*CLEO-c Replace Si → low mass drift chamber (under construction)
*The demands of doing physics at 3-5 GeV are easily met by the existing detector.





Absolute Branching Ratios

M (D) (GeV/c²)

 $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ Double Tags $1 \text{ fb}^{-1} \text{ CLEO-c}$ ~ Zero background in $\sigma_{\rm M} = 1.2 \, {\rm MeV/c}^2$ \rightarrow tag hadronic tag modes Candidates / 0.5 MeV 000 $\rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$ Measure absolute MC Br $(D \rightarrow X)$ with double tags Br = # of X/# of D tags 1.860 1.865 1.870 1.875

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Decay	√ร	L	Double	PDG	CLEOc	
		fb ⁻¹	tags	(δB/B %)	(δB/B %)	
$D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$	3770	3	53,000	2.4	0.6	
$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	3770	3	60,000	7.2	0.7	
$D_s \rightarrow \phi \pi$	4140	3	6,000	25	1.9	

CLEO-c potential: set the absolute scale for all heavy quark measurements

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Leptonic Decays → Decay Constants



$$M = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{Qq} \langle 0 | J_{\mu} | M \rangle \overline{u}(k,\sigma) \gamma^{\mu} (1-\gamma_5) v(p,s) \qquad \begin{array}{l} \text{(Pseudoscalar)} \\ \text{Meson)} \end{array}$$

the meson decay constant f_M measures the probability for the Q and q to have zero separation the annihilation probability is ∞ to wave function overlap

$$\left\langle 0 \left| \overline{q} \gamma_{\mu} \gamma_{5} Q \right| P(p) \right\rangle = i f_{M} p_{\mu}$$
$$f_{M}^{2} M = 12 \left| \Psi(0) \right|^{2}$$

(For a meson with two heavy quarks) (Rosner)

$$\Gamma(M_{Qq} \to \ell^- \overline{\nu}) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} \left| V_{qQ} \right|^2 f_M^2 M m_\ell^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M^2} \right)^2$$

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Decay constants are important in many processes







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$$\Gamma(M_{Qq} \to \ell^- \overline{\nu}) = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} \left| V_{qQ} \right|^2 f_M^2 M m_\ell^2 \left(1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M^2} \right)^2$$

Decay is forbidden as $m_1 \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{\Gamma(\pi^{+} \rightarrow e^{+} \nu_{e})}{\Gamma(\pi^{+} \rightarrow \mu^{+} \nu_{\mu})} \approx 10^{-4}$$

$$\Gamma(D_s^+ \to e^+ v_e) : \Gamma(D_s^+ \to \mu^+ v_\mu) : \Gamma(D_s^+ \to \tau^+ v_\tau)$$

\$\approx 10^{-5} : 1:10\$

$$\Gamma(D^+ \to \ell^+ \nu_\ell) \propto |V_{cd}|^2 \approx (0.22)^2$$

$$\Gamma(D_s^+ \to \ell^+ \nu_\ell) \propto |V_{cs}|^2 \approx (0.97)^2$$

$$\Gamma(B^+ \to \ell^+ \nu_\ell) \propto |V_{ub}|^2 \approx (0.003)^2$$

[\] Helicity suppression





Estimate of the leptonic Br's using $f_{Bs} = f_{Bs} = 200 \text{ MeV}$ $f_{Ds} = 260 \text{ MeV}, f_D = 220 \text{ MeV}$

	B(ev)	Β (μν)	Β (τν)
D^+	8.2 x 10 ⁻⁹	4.2 x 10 ⁻⁴	1.1 x 10 ⁻³
D_s^t	7.5 x 10 ⁻⁸	5.7 x 10 ⁻³	5.5×10^{-2}
B ⁺	7.5×10^{-12}	3.2×10^{-7}	7.1 x 10 ⁻⁵
π^+	1.2 x 10 ⁻⁴	99.99%	
K ⁺	1.6 x 10 ⁻⁵	63.5%	

At first sight it is remarkable that : $B(D_s^+ \to \mu^+ \nu_{\mu}) \ll B(K^+ \to \mu^+ \nu_{\mu})$ While $(f_M^2 M) \to \text{constant}$ $\Gamma(\text{total}) \propto M^5$ so leptonic branching ratio becomes smaller as M^{\uparrow} If we compare *rates* instead of branching ratios: The leptonic *rate* is higher for the D_S than for the K^+ $\Gamma(D_s^+ \to \mu^+ \nu_{\mu}) = 6.9 \times 10^9 s^{-1}$ $\Gamma(D_s^+ \to \tau^+ \nu_{\mu}) = 6.6 \times 10^{10} s^{-1}$



D meson Decay Constants

In a pseudoscalar D meson decay: c and q annihilate



$$\Gamma(D_q^+ \to \ell \upsilon) = \frac{1}{8\pi} G_F^2 M_{D_q^+} m_\ell^2 (1 - \frac{m_\ell^2}{M_{D^+}^2}) f_{D^+}^2 |V_{cq}|^2$$

 $B(D^{+} \rightarrow l\nu) / \tau_{D^{+}} : f_{D^{+}} |Vcd|$ $B(D_{S} \rightarrow l\nu) / \tau_{D_{S}} : f_{D_{S}} |Vcs|$ * Charm meson lifetimes known 0.3-2%

* 3 generation unitarity Vcs, (Vcd) known to $0.1\% (1.1\%) \rightarrow f_{D+} f_{Ds}$

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Example: f_{Ds} near/at the Y(4S)

Signal is a single muon , or single muon + photon tag very difficult at a hadron machine –Search for D_s* -> D_s γ, D_s -> μν
–Directly detect γ, μ, Use hermeticity of detector to reconstruct ν
–Plot mass difference but Backgrounds are LARGE!
•Use D_s -> ev (rate~0) for bkgd determination but precision limited by systematics
•Compare rate to D_s → φπ, but Br(D_s → φπ) not well known-25% error!.
–FDs Error ~17% now (CLEO)





D meson Decay Constants Current Status

f_{D+} < 290 MeV @ 90% CL (Mark III)



f_{Ds} has been measured by several groups, using $D_s \rightarrow \mu \nu$ There are also measurements from LEP using $D_s \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$ which I have not included in the Table or average. (Inclusion Of these extra modes requires The assumption of Lepton universality, which Might be interesting to test. Note large correlated common systematic error from $B(D, \rightarrow \phi \pi)$



Decay Constant at Threshold (CLEO-c simulation)



- Fully reconstruct 1 D "the tag"
- Require one additional charged track and no additional photons
- Compute MM² Peaks at zero for $D \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$ decay.
 - No need to identify muonhelps systematic error
 - Can identify electrons to check background level
 - Expect resolution of $\sim M_{\pi 0}$

(Now: ±14%)

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Decay Constant at Threshold (CLEO-c simulation)



Improved knowledge of the decay constant yields precision determination of Vtd



→Lattice predicts f_B/f_D with small errors
 →precision measurement of f_D
 →precision estimates of f_B
 →precision determination of Vtd

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Summary of Decay Constant Reach at CLEO-c

Branching	Reaction	Signal	τν⁄μν	Bkgd	δB/B
Ratio	$D_{s}^{+} \rightarrow \mu \nu$	1221	165	87	3.2%
Decay	$D_{s}^{+} \rightarrow \tau v$	1740	0	114	2.4%
Constant	$D^* \rightarrow \mu \nu$	672	30	60	3.8%

	Reaction	$\frac{1}{2}\Delta B/B$	$\frac{1}{2}\Delta \tau / \tau$	$\Delta V cq/V cq$	CLEO-c	PDG
					<mark>δf/f</mark>	<mark>δf</mark> /f
f _{Ds}	$D_{s}^{+} \rightarrow \mu \nu$	1.6%	1%	0.1%	1.9%	14%
f _{Ds}	$D_{s}^{+} \rightarrow \tau v$	1.2%	1%	0.1%	1.6%	33%
f _{D+}	$D^{\star} \rightarrow \mu \nu$	1.9%	0.6%	1.1%	2.3%	UL

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(not updated for improved lifetimes)





Lifetime Summary

We know the charm meson lifetimes with extraordinary precision, in the best cases <1/2% (major improvement in the past year: FOCUS) Non spectator effects are similar in size to the spectator contributions the lifetime hierarchy is consistent with the OPE formalism but debatable if OPE should apply to c-quark (mass)

More stringent tests of this idea would be provided if precise absolute semileptonic branching ratios of $D_s, \Lambda_c, \Xi^0, \Xi^+_c, \Omega_c$ were known



Charmed Baryon Lifetimes

Unlike charmed mesons, decays of charmed baryons are not color or helicity suppressed, this results in a reduced lifetime relative to

 $\tau_{average}(\Xi_{c}^{0}) = 106^{+9}_{-8}$ fs

80

Lifetime (fs)

60

100



P.I.(+/-) W.S.+P.I.(-) W.S.+P.I.(+) (10/3)P.I.(+)

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Average

120

140

Accmor

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40

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 Ξ_{c}^{0}

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Charm at CDF

 ★ D_s[±] - D[±] mass difference
 ▶ Both D → φπ (φ→KK)
 ▶ Δm=99.28±0.43±0.27 MeV
 ■ PDG: 99.2±0.5 MeV (CLEO2, E691)
 ▶ Systematics dominated by

background modeling

N 11.6 pb⁻¹ CDF Run II Preliminary MeV/o 350 350⊦ D^+ , $D_s \rightarrow \phi \pi$, $\phi \rightarrow KK$ Unbinned likelihood fit projected ~ 2400 ∾ 250È~1400 events 200 events Entries 150 100 50 1.80 1.85 1.90 1.95 2.00 2.05 KKπ mass [GeV/c²]

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D Hadronic decays

Simple factorization picture describes 2 body hadronic decays established for B's. For charm sizeable final state interactions are the norm.

Isospin decomposition (same as $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$, $K \rightarrow \pi\pi$)_{$\pi^-\pi^+$} $\pi^{0}\pi^{0}$ $A(D^0 \to \pi^- \pi^+) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(\sqrt{2}A_0 + A_2)$ $A(D^0 \to \pi^0 \pi^0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}(-A_0 + \sqrt{2}A_2)$ $A_{I} = A_{I} e^{i\delta}$ $A(D^+ \to \pi^0 \pi^+) = \sqrt{3/2}A_2$ $|A_0 + A_2|^2 = |A_0|^2 + |A_2|^2 + 2|A_0||A_2|\cos(\delta_2 - \delta_0)$ measure extract $\left| A(D^{0} \to \pi^{-}\pi^{+}) \right|^{2} + \left| A(D^{0} \to \pi^{0}\pi^{0}) \right|^{2} = \left| A_{o} \right|^{2} + \left| A_{2} \right|^{2}$ $\left| A(D^{+} \to \pi^{0}\pi^{+}) \right|^{2} = 3/2 \left| A_{2} \right|^{2}$ Find: $|A_2|/|A_0| = 0.63 \pm 0.13$ $\delta = (\delta_2 - \delta_0) = 81^\circ \pm 10^\circ$

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π+)

B (%)	Error(%)	Source
3.59±0.77±0.48	25.3	CLEO
3.6±0.9	25.0	PDG

- Method: Reconstruct $B \rightarrow D^{*+}D_{s}^{*-}, D_{s}^{*-} \rightarrow \gamma D_{s}^{-}$ or $D^{*+} \rightarrow \pi^{+}D^{\circ}$
- Observe signal both with & without explicit D_s or D^o reconstruction
- Measure $B(D_s \rightarrow \phi \pi^+)/B(D^o \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)$







 $\Lambda_{c}^{+} \rightarrow pK^{-}\pi^{+}$

- Lower limit: Measure p and Λ yield in B decays and assume all such production is due to
 - $\overline{B} \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \overline{N} X$. Find $B = (4.14 \pm 0.91)\%$
- Upper limit: Measure $\Lambda_c \rightarrow \Lambda \ell \nu$, and assume that Λ saturates the rate (no Σ , for example). Find B=(7.7±1.5)%
- Conclude: 9.7% > B > 3.0% @ 90% c. l.



 $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

B (%)	Error(%)	Source
5.84±0.06±0.10	2.0	BES
6.08±0.33	5.4	BES
5.88 ± 0.10	1.7	PDG

- Systematic error is the limitation. Completely correlated between the two BES measurements.
- Currently, best way to determine b yields at hadron colliders

Charm Production near/at the Y(4S)



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