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- Public documentation is available at:
 - http://www-cdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/bottom/bottom.html

Updated Study of B_s Oscillations in $B_s ightarrow D_s(3)\pi$

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Flavor Oscillations



Coupled oscillators

coupling induces splitting in energy levels (not only in QM)





the red and blue oscillator
eigen-frequencies are no longe
eigen-frequency of the system
two different eigenfrequencies, split
by small value

 size of splitting proportional to the amount of coupling between red and blue

•oscillation (envelope) between pure blue and pure red

oscillation pattern is made up of two fundamental frequencies:



Oscillation probability as function of time



Decay time t (ps)

Decay time t (ps)

Decay rate dN/dt



nb: neutral meson mixing first predicted in Kaons (1955 Gell-Man & Pais) observed Brookhaven 1956

Motivation

New physics is constrained by testing prediction of SM... in particular: test unitarity of the CKM matrix

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{ud} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + O(\lambda^4)$$

pretty well known not wel known and interesting
To get at Vtd: measure Δm_d (Bd oscillations)
$$\Delta m_q = \frac{G_F^2}{6\pi^2} m_{B_q} m_t^2 F(m_t^2/m_W^2) \left(f_{B_q}^2 B_{B_q} \eta_{QCD} |V_{tb}^* V_{tq}|^2 \right)$$

hard to calculate (lattice QCD). uncertainty: 11%

If we measure Dms, we can form the ratio which allows for much more accurate measurement of V_{ts}/V_{td}

$$\frac{\Delta m_s}{\Delta m_d} = \frac{m_{B_s} f_{B_s}^2 B_{B_s}}{m_{B_d} f_{B_d}^2 B_{B_d}} \left| \frac{V_{ts}}{V_{td}} \right|^2 = 1.21 \pm 0.02 \quad \left| \frac{V_{ts}}{V_{td}} \right|^2$$

Motivation

Plot Combines many different measurements to constrain ρ and η .

Current limit on Δm_s is already helping to measure CKM matrix...

Check that all measurements are consistent: i.e. that $CKM_{-0.5}$ matrix is unitary.

if not...



Motivation: new physics

New particles that can show up in the box diagram will influence the mixing frequency.



 Δm_s is sensitive to new physics

What we know already

Amplitude scan: fix Δm_s and measure the amplitude of the corresponding frequency component (Fourier)



The Tevatron



The CDF detector



The CDF detector



Outline of the measurement



Need to:

- 1) Collect a lot of Bs decays
- 2) measure the flavor of Bs at production
- 3) measure the proper decay time of Bs

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Trigger/reconstruction
'flavor tagging'
measure L<sub>xy</sub>
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1) Getting the signals

The signals we are looking for



"Semileptonic"



Bs Momentum is measured Bs mass used for good S/N Small branching ratio: low yield Missing momentum (v) Need to rely on Ds mass Large branching ratio: low yield

$$\begin{array}{l} D^-_s \rightarrow \phi \pi^-, \ \phi \rightarrow K^+ K^-; \\ D^-_s \rightarrow K^{*0} K^-, \ K^{*0} \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-; \\ D^-_s \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^-. \end{array}$$

A typical B event at a hadron collider



Hadronic signals



Semi-leptonic signals



2) Proper time reconstruction

Proper time reconstruction



Two sources of uncertainty:

- Lxy is biased because of the SVT trigger
- contributions from primary and secondary vertex
 - improved recently by using EBE primary
- P_τ
 Uncertainty on P_τ only an issue for semi-leptonic
 - Determine $K \equiv P_{T}(I+D)/P_{T}(B)$ from MC



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Proper time reconstruction

Tigger (and selection cuts) bias the proper decay time distribution To test: measure Bs lifetime, including efficiency in the fit



combined hadronic lifetime agrees with world average

Measuring the proper time resolution

Effect of non-zero ct error asymmetry: attenuation of the oscillation



•No problem if we observe mixing:

- we know the true Asymmetry=1
- •But if we do not see mixing: *must* know σ_{ct}
 - need to correct for effect of $\sigma_{_{ct}}$ to set limit on A

How to measure σ_{ct} ?

Measuring the proper time resolution

Cannot measure the ct resolution directly on data. Solution: reconstruct events that look like a B but are known to come from the PV..



<ct> must be zero; compare error with expected error from the fit....

And study dependence on kinematic variables, isolation, χ^2 of fit etc..



3) Flavor tagging

Flavour tagging



- We need to know the flavor of the Bs at production.
 - Opposite side tag:
 - Iook at the decay products of the other b quark in the event:
 - Leptons
 - charge of the b-'jet' --- combination of NNs
 - the two b quarks fragment independently: can calibrate opposite side taggers with B_d

Same side tag: look at particles produced in B meson formation (K in case of Bs)

- need to rely on MC to calibrate this tagger
- potentially very powerful, but not yet used



Flavour tagging: dilution



Tagger calibration: B_d mixing

For setting limit, we must know the dilution



Datasets with high tagging efficiency

Default: trigger or decay products of the reconstructed B and hope for a tag

'New' idea: trigger on tagged events

•muon (tag) + two displaced tracks (B-decay)

Di-lepton trigger

one lepton from semi-leptonic decay one for OST
trigger already existed (used for SUSY searches)

• modest yield, but very high εD^2 :

•Adding this data in next round of analysis.



 ϵD^2 from lepton taggers measured on B⁰ and B⁺ in this sample: 4.5% !

(compare with 1.5 for other samples)

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Nov 15/05, Philadelphia, Hep Seminar



 Use de/dx in COT and time of flight detector to identify which particles (π,p.k,e) are produced around B mesons...

- •Extra K's around B_s mesons!
- Gives handle for MC tuning



Combining it all



Before fitting doing Dm_s: test whole procedure by on B_d mixing

Amplitde scan: B_d



Current Result

Semileptonic modes

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Sensitivity: 10.4 ps^{-1}
95% CL Limit: 6.7 ps^{-1}
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Hadronic modes

Sensitivity: 9.8 ps^{-1} 95% CL Limit: 0.0 ps^{-1}



Current Result: combined

Sensitivity: 13.0 ps^{-1} 95% CL Limit: 8.6 ps^{-1}



impact on world average

Sensitivity: 19.6 ps^{-1} 95% CL Limit: 16.6 ps^{-1}



Current Result: systematics



Systematic errors are small compared to statistical errors and will also decrease as more data comes in.

The Future



Summary

•B_s oscillations are know to occur: frequency= Δm_s unknown •Will measure $|V_{ts}|^2/|V_{td}|^2$ (when combined Δm_d) •Sensitive to new physics (heavy particles in box)

•Experimentally challenging... need

- Bs mesons: Tevatron is the only place
- B-physics trigger: CDF has displaced track trigger
- Good lifetime resolution to resolve fast oscillations: SVX (L00)
- Flavor tagging (will exploit time-of-flight detector for SSKT)

•Current CDF result: $\Delta m_s > 8.6 \text{ ps}^{-1}$ (95% CL), sensitivity 13 ps⁻¹

•Already significant impact on world average

- •Much more to come! some of it very soon...
 - will dominate world average soon
 - possibility to measure Δm_s within a few years

Sensitivity Projections Combined 5σ observation

CDF Projections :: Combined Analyses





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Triggering on B decays



Level 1: (396 ns)

- Reconstruct COT tracks (!) on dedicated hardware: XFT
- require pair of tracks

Level 2 (20 μs):
Add Silicon information to XFT tracks.. look for:
two displaced tracks

•or lepton+displaced track



Proper time reconstruction

In principle, measing the proper time at decay is easy

$$ct = L_{xy} \frac{m_B}{p_T}$$

Three problems...

- Lxy distribution is biased by the trigger
- P_{τ} is not measured accurately in semi-leptonic modes
- How do we measure our ct resolution?



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