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CP Violation is Flavor Physics !

Discovery of strange particles (Rochester, Butler)	(1946, '47)
Neutral kaons can mix (Gell-Mann, Pais)	(1952)
K _L discovery (Lederman <i>et al.</i>)	(1956)
P violation: possible explanation (Lee, Yang)	(1956)
P violation found in β decay (Wu et al.) later: maximum P and C violation, but CP invariance	(1957)
Cabibbo-Theory	(1963)
CP violation (CPV) discovered (Cronin, Fitch et al.)	(1964)

...37 Years later

GIM-Mechanism (Glashow, Illiopolous, Maiani)	(1970)
CPV phase requires 3 families (Kobayashi-Maskawa)	(1973)
J/ψ resonance: c quarks (Ting, Richter)	(1974)
Discovery of τ lepton: 3 rd family (Perl et al.)	(1975)
	(1977)
Broad Ƴ(4S) (CLEO)	(1980)
B mesons live long ($ V_{cb} $ small) (MAC, MARK II)	(1983)
B mesons oscillate (ARGUS)	(1987)
t-quark discovery (CDF)	(1995)
$\epsilon'/\epsilon \neq 0$ (NA31, NA48, KTeV)	(1999)
Start of <i>B</i> Factories: BABAR (PEP II), Belle (KEKB)	(1999)
CPV in <i>B</i> system : $sin(2\beta) \neq 0$ (BABAR, Belle)	(2001)
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Discovery of *CP* violation:



PRL 13, 138 (1964) [cited: 1067 times]

Evolution of working conditions (example BABAR) :



... 623 physicists (in early 2005).

 BABAR: PRL 87, 091801 (2001) [cited: 308 times]
 Belle:
 PRL 87, 091802 (2001) [cited: 319 times]

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To start with ...

1. The Universe is empty* ! 2. The Universe is almost empty* ! $\frac{\Delta n_{\text{baryon}}}{n_{\gamma}} = \frac{n_{\text{baryon}} - n_{\overline{\text{baryon}}}}{n_{\gamma}} \sim O(10^{-10})$

Bigi, Sanda, "CP Violation" (2000)

- Initial condition ?
- Dynamically generated ?

Sakharov rules (1967) to explain Baryogenesis

- 1. Baryon number violation
- 2. CP violation
- 3. No thermic equilibrium (non-stationary system)
- So, if we believe to have understood CPV in the quark sector, what does it signify ?
- A sheer accident of nature ?
- What would be the consequence of a different CKM phase ?

The Search for New Physics in the B System

- Since the precise measurement of $\sin 2\beta$ in $b \rightarrow c\overline{c}s$ decays (in perfect agreement with the SM), there is considerable effort at *B* Factories towards the search for specific signs of New Physics (NP). WHY ?
 - The gauge hierarchy Problem (Higgs sector, scale ~ 1 TeV)
 - Baryogenesis (CKM CPV too small)
 - The strong *CP* Problem (why is $\theta \sim 0$?)
 - Grand Unification of the gauge couplings
 - ... many more

see, *e.g.*, the instructive talk by Yuval Grossman at LP'03: hep-ph/0310229

Conflict between limits from flavor physics >> 1 TeV (e.g., K⁰, D⁰, B⁰ mixing), and NP scale (1 TeV)
 NP cannot have a generic flavor structure

$$\frac{\delta_{Qq}}{\Lambda_{NP}} \sim \frac{V_{tQ}^* V_{tq}}{m_W} \sim \begin{cases} O(10^{-6}) & \text{for } Q = s, \ q = d \\ O(10^{-4}) & \text{for } Q = b, \ q = d \end{cases}$$





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Lecture Themes



Ι.

Beauty Physics and CP Violation – the experimental program

- Heavy meson production and decay
- B Physics and *CP* Violation
- The *B* Factories
- Physics at the $\Upsilon(4S)$: time-integrated and time-dependent measurements
- II. $sin(2\beta)$ and the triumph of the Standard Model
 - CP violation: experimental facts
 - CP violation in the B system
 - The measurement of $sin(2\beta)$ in tree and loop (penguin) decays
 - Briefing on radiative *B* decays
- III. Rare *B* decays: towards the full unitarity triangle ... and beyond
 - Leptonic *B* Decays
 - Charmless *B* decays and the measurement of α
 - $B \rightarrow K\pi$ decays (direct *CP* violation) and other charmless modes
 - Towards γ
 - Flavor, CPV and CKM: the present picture and the experimental future



Production of Heavy "Oniums" in e⁺e⁻ Annihilation



Heavy-light Mesons

★ The broad $|c\overline{c}\rangle$ and $|b\overline{b}\rangle$ states decay strongly into heavy-light mesons carrying *c* and *b* quarks, respectively:



The hyperfine splitting in the *B* system is smaller than in *D*'s since the chromomagnetic moments μ_Q (quarks have spin $\frac{1}{2}$) of the heavy quarks scale as $\mu_Q \sim g/2m_Q$:

$$\frac{m_{B^*} - m_B}{m_{D^*} - m_D} \approx \left(\frac{m_b}{m_c}\right)^{-1} \approx \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{and also:} \quad m_{B^*}^2 - m_B^2 = m_{D^*}^2 - m_D^2 + \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}^3 (1/m_c - 1/m_b)$$

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Leptonic, Semileptonic and Hadronic B Decays





Simplicity of weak interaction is overshadowed by complexity of strong interaction

...discussed to much detail in the theoretical lectures!

digression: Heavy Quark Symmetry

Why is hadron interaction with heavy Q's favorable ?

- Systems with large momentum transfer are short distance scales asymptotically free perturbative QCD alike electromagnetism
- Quarkonium states with size $R_{QQ} \ll R_{had} \sim 1/\Lambda_{QCD} \sim 1$ fm much like hydrogen
- Qq states have size $R_{Qq} \sim R_{had}$ & typical momenta Λ_{QCD} → more complicated

But: for $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$, $\lambda_Q \ll R_{had}$ so that the "light degrees of freedom" (quark-gluon cloud) are blind to the quantum numbers (flavor, spin) of the heavy quark

Interaction via color field of Q only

■ Light degrees of freedom are invariant of *Q* change in *Qq* systems with fixed 4-momentum (static color field) ⇒ $SU(2_{spin}n_Q)$ symmetry group

[compare to: same chemistry for different isotopes, since e^- sees charge of nucleos only; spin symmetry analogous small hyperfine structure: nuclear spin decouples for $m_N \to \infty$]

B Physics and **CP** Violation





α

B

The CKM Matrix and the Unitarity Triangle



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The CKM Matrix and the Unitarity Triangle

- Understand the origin of *CP* violation
- The KM mechanism does it account for all the effects of *CP* violation observed in the quark sector?
 - If possible, reveal inconsistencies between experimental data and theoretical predictions
- Manifestation of New Physics in decay and/or flavor mixing processes for the considered heavy quark systems?
- Evidence for new sources of CPV?
 - Studies in the different neutral heavy meson systems are complementary
- Study charged mesons too!

Culminating Point SM or new phases (fields)?



digression : The Unitary Wolfenstein Parameterization

The standard parameterization uses Euler angles and one CPV phase → unitary !

And insert into $V \rightarrow V$ is still unitary ! With this one finds (to <u>all</u> orders in λ) :

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$$\rho + i\eta = \frac{\sqrt{1 - A^2 \lambda^4} (\overline{\rho} + i\overline{\eta})}{\sqrt{1 - \lambda^2} \left[1 - A^2 \lambda^4 (\overline{\rho} + i\overline{\eta}) \right]} \quad \text{where:} \quad \overline{\rho} + i\overline{\eta} = -\frac{V_{ud} V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd} V_{cb}^*}$$

If one wishes (not necessary for the analysis), one can Taylor expand in λ and finds :

$$\overline{\rho} = \rho \left(1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} A^2 \rho - \frac{1}{8} \rho - A^2 \left(\rho^2 - \eta^2 \right) \right) \lambda^4 + O(\lambda^6)$$
$$\overline{\eta} = \eta \left(1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} A^2 \eta - \frac{1}{8} \eta - 2A^2 \rho \eta \right) \lambda^4 + O(\lambda^6)$$







BABAR Detector

Muon/Hadron Detector







 $V_{td}V_{ud}^* + V_{ts}V_{us}^* + V_{tb}V_{ub}^* = 0$

After the *B*-Physics pioneers, Argus, CLEO and den LEP Experiments ... The *B* Factories: PEP-2 (SLAC, USA) and KEK-B (KEK, Japan)



PEP-II at SLAC: Asymmetric-Energy *e*⁺*e*⁻ Collider



The Asymmetric-Energy B Factory PEP-II



9 GeV e⁻ on 3.1 GeV e⁺ :

 $e^+e^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow B\overline{B}$





The Asymmetric-Energy B Factory KEKB



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BABAR and Belle: Accumulated Luminosities



"Trickle Injection"



The BABAR Detector



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BABAR, NIM A479, 1 (2002)



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The BABAR Detector DCH DIRC EMC SVT IFR
Particle Identification for BABAR: DIRC Čerenkov Detector



Particle Identification for BABAR: DIRC Čerenkov Detector







Physics at the $\Upsilon(4S)$



Quantum Mechanics for $\Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow B\overline{B}$ Decay

$$\begin{array}{c} e^{+}e^{-} \rightarrow \Upsilon(4\mathbf{S}) \rightarrow B^{0}\overline{B}^{0} \\ \hline J^{P^{c}} = 1^{--} \\ \text{Two pseudoscalar bosons in a P-wave antisymmetric wave function} \\ & e^{-} \Upsilon(4S) \\ \hline L = 1 \\$$

Quantum Coherence

Quantum coherence (due to synchronous evolution) for $\Delta t = 0$, the system is the superposition of:

one	B^0	and one	$ar{B}^0$
one	B _H	and one	B_L
one	$B_{CP=+1}$	and one	$B_{CP=-1}$

an Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen phenomenon:

the measure of the flavor (or *CP*) of one meson (*e.g.* from its decay products) determines the flavor (or *CP*) of the other meson at the same proper time (it is opposite)

this property is exploited for *B* flavor tagging (see later)

For the study of time evolution, one needs to measure Δt :

$$p^* = 340 \text{ MeV/c}$$

 $(\beta\gamma)^* = 0.064$ flight distance $d^* \sim 30 \mu \text{m}$
(beyond experimental reach)

At a "symmetric" *B*-Factory, only time-integrated measurements are possible

Time-Integrated Measurements at the $\Upsilon(4S)$

Because $\Delta t \subset \{-\infty, +\infty\}$, only Δt -even quantities can be obtained with a time-integrated measurement

Flavor mixing is Δt -even

 $a_{\min}(\Delta t) \propto \cos(\Delta m \Delta t)$

a time-integrated measurement
 is possible

CP asymmetries are Δt -odd

 $a_{CP}(\Delta t) \propto \sin(\Delta m \Delta t)$

a time-integrated measurement
 is not possible



Time-dependent *CP* studies at the Υ (4S) require the measurement of Δt of the order of 100 million *B* mesons (or more)

Pier Oddone's Clever Idea (1987)



Why not produce the Υ (4S) with a strong boost? One could deduce the Δt from the distance between the two *B* vertices along the boost axis, right? What we need is an asymmetric-energy *B* Factory with luminosity of order 5×10^{33}



10 years later exist two asymmetric *B* **Factories :** PEP-II at SLAC and KEKB at KEK

BABAR & Belle

Muon/Hadron Detector

Magnet Coil

Time-Integrated Measurements





$|V_{cb}|$ and $|V_{ub}|$

For $|V_{cb}|$ and $|V_{ub}|$ exist exclusive and inclusive semileptonic approaches



A. Höcker: Beauty Physics and CP Violation - the Experimental Program (I)

$|V_{ub}|$ (and $|V_{cb}|$) : Principle of Exclusive Measurements

- Pure tree decay
- Decay rate is proportional to CKM element $|V_{ub}|^2$





Problem:

form factor is model dependent !

would need unquenched lattice calculation to become modelindependent...



$|V_{ub}|$ (and $|V_{cb}|$) : Principle of Inclusive Measurements



$|V_{ub}|$: Results

$b \rightarrow cev$ background rejection with cut on ...

\star ... the electron endpoint

... the invariant mass $q^2(e, v)$



BABAR, hep-ex/0408045, hep-ex/0408075

$|V_{cb}|$ - Moments Analysis



Summary of $|V_{ub}|$ and $|V_{cb}|$ Results



Time-dependent Measurements Meson anti-Meson Mixing



The four Meson anti-Meson Systems

- ★ Pairs of self-conjugate mesons that can be transformed to each other via flavor changing weak interaction transitions are:
 - $|\kappa^{0}\rangle = |\overline{s}d\rangle$ $|D^{0}\rangle = |c\overline{u}\rangle$ $|B^{0}_{d}\rangle = |\overline{b}d\rangle$ $|B^{0}_{s}\rangle = |\overline{b}s\rangle$



- most useful to understand particle production and decay
- \star Apart from the flavor eigenstates there are mass eigenstates:
 - eigenstates of the Hamiltonian
 - states of definite mass and lifetime



- Since flavor eigenstates are not mass eigenstates the flavor eigenstates are mixed with one another as they propagate through space and time
- If CP were a good symmetry, the mass eigenstates would be CP eigenstates with CP eigenvalues ±1

B⁰ Mixing: Principle

An initially produced B^0 or \overline{B}^0 evolves in time into a superposition of these. Let $|B^0(t)\rangle$ ($|\overline{B}^0(t)\rangle$) be the flavor state of a *B* meson that was a B^0 (\overline{B}^0) at t=0.

Schrödinger equation governs time evolution of the coherent $B^0 - \overline{B}^0$ System:



The mass matrix M and the decay matrix Γ are *t*-<u>independent</u> Hermetian 2×2 matrices.



 $\Delta B = 2$ box diagrams with W exchange induce non-zero (dispersive and absorbtive) offdiagonal elements in H

 \star Mass states are eigenvectors of *H* with eigenvalues $\mu_{L,H} = m_{L,H} - (i/2)\Gamma_{L,H}$

$$\frac{q}{p} \equiv -\sqrt{\frac{H_{21}}{H_{12}}} = \frac{\Delta m + i\Delta\Gamma/2}{2M_{12} - i\Gamma_{12}}$$

with the defs:

$$\Delta m_{B} \equiv M_{H} - M_{L} \simeq 2 | M_{12} |$$
$$\Delta \Gamma_{B} \equiv \Gamma_{H} - \Gamma_{L} = 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(M_{12} \Gamma_{12}^{*} \right) / | M_{12} |$$

Expect $\Delta \Gamma_d / \Gamma_d \ll 1$, since common final states of B^0 and \overline{B}^0 are Cabibbo-suppressed (note: not expected to be true for the B_s)

B⁰ Mixing: Principle (cont.)

The time evolution of the mass eigenstates is governed by their eigenvalues μ_L and μ_H :

 $\left| \boldsymbol{B}_{L,H}(t) \right\rangle = \mathbf{e}^{-i\mu_{L,H}t} \left| \boldsymbol{B}_{L,H} \right\rangle$

The time evolution of the physical states $|B^{0}(t)\rangle$ ($|\overline{B}^{0}(t)\rangle$) is found by eliminating the mass eigenstates by the flavor eigenstates:

So that one finds for the time dependent mixing asymmetry:

$$A_{\min}(t) = \frac{N(\text{unmixed}) - N(\text{mixed})}{N(\text{unmixed}) + N(\text{mixed})}(t) = \frac{\cos(\Delta mt)}{\cosh(\Delta \Gamma t/2)} + O\left(\left|\frac{q}{p}\right| - 1\right)$$

where:
$$\begin{array}{l} \text{unmixed:} \quad e^+e^- \to B^0(t)\overline{B}^0(t) \\ \text{mixed:} \quad e^+e^- \to B^0(t)B^0(t) \end{array} \quad \text{and:} \quad A_{\min}(t=0) = 1$$

digression: CP / T and/or CPT Violation ?

***** assuming CPT conservation [as it was implicit in the previous slides]

$$\Rightarrow |q/p|^2 \neq 1 \Rightarrow \operatorname{Prob}(P^0 \to \overline{P}^0, t) \neq \operatorname{Prob}(\overline{P}^0 \to P^0, t)$$

T and CP violation

★ allowing for CPT non-conservation

$$\operatorname{Prob}(\overline{P}^0 \to \overline{P}^0, t) - \operatorname{Prob}(P^0 \to P^0, t) = 2\left(\operatorname{Re}(z) \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma}{2}t\right) - \operatorname{Im}(z) \sin\left(\Delta m t\right)\right)$$

$$z \neq 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \operatorname{Prob}(\overline{P}^0 \to \overline{P}^0, t) \neq \operatorname{Prob}(P^0 \to P^0, t)$$

CPT and CP violation

The *K*⁰ System

In the $K^0 \overline{K}^0$ system,

both oscillation (x_K) and damping (y_K) parameters are of order unity

 $\star x_{K} \equiv \Delta m_{K} / \Gamma_{K} \sim 0.95$ $\star y_{K} \equiv \Delta \Gamma_{K} / 2\Gamma_{K} \sim -0.996$

CP violation in mixing ("indirect") is small

★ $\delta_{K} \cong 1 - |q/p|^2 \sim 0.003$

The relaxation process soon dominates leaving only K_L^0 after not much than one oscillation

following 4 pages - courtesy: G. Hamel de Monchenault





The *B_s* System

In the $B_s^0 \overline{B}_s^0$ system,

 $\star x_s$ is very large

present lower limit $x_s > 21$ (95% CL)

★ y_d is small, but probably not negligible present upper limit $2y_s < 0.46$ (95% CL)

The mixing probability is close to 50% present upper limit $\chi_s > 50\%$ (95% CL)







The Neutral B System



*B*⁰ Mixing in the Standard Model

Effective FCNC Processes (CP conserving — top loop dominates in box diagram):





Dominant theoretical uncertainties : $\sigma_{rel}(f_{B_{d/s}}\sqrt{B_{d/s}}) \simeq 16\%$ Improved error indirect via Δm_s : $\sigma_{rel}(\xi = f_{B_s}\sqrt{B_s} / f_{B_d}\sqrt{B_d}) \simeq 5\%$ SU(3) breaking correction]

Analysis Technique at the B Factories



B⁰ Mixing Experimentally

 \star Mixing asymmetry neglecting all *CP* and *CPT*-violating effects and assuming $\Delta\Gamma_d=0$

$$A_{\min}^{0}(t) \equiv \frac{N^{0}(\text{unmixed}) - N^{0}(\text{mixed})}{N^{0}(\text{unmixed}) + N^{0}(\text{mixed})}(t) = \cos(\Delta m_{d}t)$$

t Including experimental mistag probability " ω " and finite vertex resolution "R(t' - t)":

$$\mathcal{A}_{\text{mix}}^{\text{meas}}(t) \equiv \frac{N^{\text{meas}}(\text{unmixed}) - N^{\text{meas}}(\text{mixed})}{N^{\text{meas}}(\text{unmixed}) + N^{\text{meas}}(\text{mixed})}(t') = (1 - 2\omega)\cos(\Delta m_d t') \otimes R(t' - t)$$
convolution

B⁰ Mixing Experimentally (cont.)

 \star Two categories of events:

Unmixed (+): f_{flav} and f_{tag} have opposite flavor Mixed (-): f_{flav} and f_{tag} have same flavor



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B⁰ Mixing

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No signal yet for Δm_s → upper limit : Δm_s > 14.5 ps⁻¹ at 95% CL [CDF: WA sensitivity 18.1 → 18.6 ps⁻¹]

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[CKM constraint dominated by theory error] CKM fit predicts : $\Delta m_d = 0.47 \stackrel{+ 0.23}{_{- 0.12}} \text{ ps}^{-1}$



appendix

- rare kaon decays
- detector images


The CKM Matrix: Impact of (mostly) K Physics



 $^{(\ast)}$ Observables may also depend on λ and A - not always explicitly noted

NA48

$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \overline{\nu}$



E787 and E949 at BNL :

- Low energy beam (710 MeV) on scint. target to stop the K⁺
- π^+ is stopped in scint. (RS) and decay chain $\pi \mu e$ is observed
- 4π photon veto
- selection efficiency : ~ 0.2%

Processus	Evénements
$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	6343000000
$K^{+} \rightarrow \pi^{+} \pi^{0}$	2113000000
$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu \gamma$	55000000
Bdf. faisceau	25000000
$K^+ n \rightarrow K^0 p, K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ l^- \nu$	46000
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \nu$	1

$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \overline{\nu}$



42 Range (cm) E787 + E949 F787 and F949 at BNI : 40 0.9 Low energy beam (710 MeV) on scint. target to stop the K^+ 38 S/B π^{+} is stopped in scint. (RS) and decay chain $\pi - \mu - e$ is observed 36 4π photon veto 50.7 34 selection efficiency : $\sim 0.2\%$ 32 Singal event at E949 : Bkg dominated by 30 $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$ w/o π^0 veto 28 90 130 140 150 100 110 120 Energy (MeV) 40 60 80 100 130 Time (ns) $BR(K^+ \to \pi^+ \nu \overline{\nu}) = (1.5^{+1.3}_{-0.9}) \times 10^{-10}$ $SM \Rightarrow (0.67 \pm 0.27) \times 10^{-10}$ 51 77 TIME Goal : sensitivity/event ~ 10⁻¹¹ \sim 10 events in 3 years

 $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \overline{\nu}$

Approved experiment at BNL to search for : $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \nu$ with BR ~ 3×10⁻¹¹





Signal event: $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \nu$





KOPIO DETECTOR



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Rare Kaon Decays and the Unitarity Triangle



- Precision on λ ($|V_{ud}|$, $|V_{us}|$) is sufficient for CPV studies
- Interpretation of ε_{κ} and ε'/ε dominated by theory errors
- $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \nu$ et $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \nu$ sensitive to New Physics :

Observations:

- however, parameter errors $\sigma(m_c)[K^+]$, $\sigma(m_t)$, $\sigma(|V_{cb}|)$ are a concern

The Silicon Vertex Detector



Also the Tevatron is Running well !



The Near Future of B Physics: LHCb



Muon system to identify muons, also used in first level of trigger Efficiency ~ 95% for pion misidentification rate < 1%