Measurements of CP violation and mixing in charm decays at LHCb

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The LHCb Detector



- Single-arm forward spectrometer with acceptance 2 < η < 5, designed for precision measurement of decays involving b and c quarks^[1].
- Vertex Locator (VELO) provides fine tracking about the interaction point, achieving impact parameter (IP) resolutions of ~20 μm for tracks with $p_T > 1 \, \mathrm{GeV}^{[2]}$.
- Two Ring Imaging Cherenkov (RICH) detectors provide particle identification, with excellent separation of π and K over a wide momentum range^[3].

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[4] Nucl. Phys. B 871(2013), 1

Data



- Recorded 1.1 fb⁻¹ at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV in 2011 and 2.1 fb⁻¹ at $\sqrt{s} = 8$ TeV in 2012.
- Huge $c\overline{c}$ production cross-section (1419 ± 133 µb at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV ^[4]) yields largest data sets of charm meson decays in the world.

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Mixing and CP violation formalism

• For a decay $D \rightarrow f$ and its *CP* conjugate $\overline{D} \rightarrow \overline{f}$, with amplitudes A_f and $\overline{A}_{\overline{f}}$ respectively, direct *CP* violation is quantified by:

$$A_d = rac{|A_f|^2 - |ar{A}_{ar{f}}|^2}{|A_f|^2 + |ar{A}_{ar{f}}|^2}.$$

• For D⁰, the mass eigenstates $|D_{1,2}\rangle$, with masses $m_{1,2}$ and widths $\Gamma_{1,2}$, are given by: $|D_{1,2}\rangle = r|D_{1,2}\rangle + r|D_{1,2}\rangle$

$$|\mathrm{D}_{1,2}\rangle = p|\mathrm{D}^0\rangle \pm q|\overline{\mathrm{D}}^0\rangle,$$

with p and q complex, satisfying $|p|^2 + |q|^2 = 1$.

• The rate of mixing is quantified by

$$x \equiv 2(m_2 - m_1)/(\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2)$$
 and $y \equiv (\Gamma_2 - \Gamma_1)/(\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2)$.

• CP violation in mixing is quantified by $A_m \equiv (|q/p|^2 - |p/q|^2)/(|q/p|^2 + |p/q|^2),$

and in interference between mixing and decay (when $f = \overline{f}$) by $\lambda_f \equiv q\overline{A}_f/pA_f = |q\overline{A}_f/pA_f| e^{i\phi}$.

• *CP* violation in charm is predicted to be very small in the Standard Model - observation of significant *CP* violation could indicate new physics.

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D⁰ flavour tagging



• Flavour of D⁰ at production can be determined using:

- "Prompt" $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_s^+$, with D^{*+} produced directly from the p-p collision D^0 IP w.r.t. primary vertex (PV) consistent with zero.
- "Secondary" $B \rightarrow D^0 \mu^- X$ D^0 IP w.r.t. PV significantly non-zero.

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T-odd correlations in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$

- Multi-body decays give sensitivity to *CP* violation due to interference between resonance structures in different phase space regions.
- In D⁰→ K⁺K⁻π⁺π⁻, triple products of final state particle momenta in D⁰ rest frame are odd under *T*:

$$egin{aligned} \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{T}} &\equiv ec{p}_{\mathrm{K}^+} \cdot \left(ec{p}_{\pi^+} imes ec{p}_{\pi^-}
ight), ext{ for } \mathrm{D}^0, \ ar{\mathcal{C}}_{\mathcal{T}} &\equiv ec{p}_{\mathrm{K}^-} \cdot \left(ec{p}_{\pi^-} imes ec{p}_{\pi^+}
ight), ext{ for } \overline{\mathrm{D}}^0. \end{aligned}$$

• *T*-odd observables are then sensitive to *CP* violation:

$$A_{T} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(C_{T} > 0) - \Gamma(C_{T} < 0)}{\Gamma(C_{T} > 0) + \Gamma(C_{T} < 0)}, \quad \bar{A}_{T} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(-\bar{C}_{T} > 0) - \Gamma(-\bar{C}_{T} < 0)}{\Gamma(-\bar{C}_{T} > 0) + \Gamma(-\bar{C}_{T} < 0)}$$

• Final state interactions introduce significant asymmetries, so are cancelled in the difference to access the D^0 CP asymmetry

$$a_{CP}^{T\text{-odd}} \equiv \frac{1}{2}(A_T - \bar{A}_T).$$

• By definition insensitive to production and detection asymmetries.

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T-odd correlations in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ (II)



- 171k $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^$ candidates, tagged using $B \rightarrow D^0\mu^-X$, selected from 3 fb⁻¹ of data.
- Fits to m(K⁺K⁻π⁺π⁻) distributions directly yield asymmetries using:

$$egin{aligned} &\mathcal{N}_{\mathrm{D}^{0},\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{T}}>0}=rac{1}{2}\mathcal{N}_{\mathrm{D}^{0}}(1+\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{T}}),\ &\mathcal{N}_{\mathrm{D}^{0},\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{T}}<0}=rac{1}{2}\mathcal{N}_{\mathrm{D}^{0}}(1-\mathcal{A}_{\mathcal{T}}),\ &\mathcal{N}_{ar{\mathrm{D}}^{0},-ar{\mathcal{C}}_{\mathcal{T}}>0}=rac{1}{2}\mathcal{N}_{ar{\mathrm{D}}^{0}}(1+ar{\mathcal{A}}_{\mathcal{T}}),\ &\mathcal{N}_{ar{\mathrm{D}}^{0},-ar{\mathcal{C}}_{\mathcal{T}}<0}=rac{1}{2}\mathcal{N}_{ar{\mathrm{D}}^{0}}(1-ar{\mathcal{A}}_{\mathcal{T}}). \end{aligned}$$

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[5] LHCb-PAPER-2014-046 [6] HFAG

T-odd correlations in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ (III)

• Phase space integrated fits yield

$$egin{aligned} &A_{\mathcal{T}} = (-7.18 \pm 0.41(ext{stat}) \pm 0.13(ext{syst}))\%, \ &ar{A}_{\mathcal{T}} = (-7.55 \pm 0.41(ext{stat}) \pm 0.12(ext{syst}))\%, \ &a_{CP}^{ ext{T-odd}} = (0.18 \pm 0.29(ext{stat}) \pm 0.04(ext{syst}))\%. \end{aligned}$$

• cf. current world average: $a_{CP}^{T\text{-odd}} = (0.11 \pm 0.67)\%^{[6]}$.

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T-odd correlations in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ (IV)

• Asymmetries also measured in 32 bins of Cabibbo-Maksimowicz phase space variables: $m_{\pi^+\pi^-}^2$, $m_{K^+K^-}^2$, $\cos(\theta_{\pi})$, $\cos(\theta_{K})$ and ϕ .



- χ^2 test for consistency with no *CP* violation across phase space yields *p*-value of 74 %.
- Similarly, binning in D⁰ decay time yields a *p*-value for consistency with no indirect *CP* violation of 72 %.
- Thus, no evidence for CP violation is seen.



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Search for *CP* asymmetries across multi-body phase spaces

• "Miranda" method examines the significance of *CP* asymmetries across bins of phase space using:

$$S_{CP}^{i} \equiv rac{N_{i}(\mathrm{D}^{0}) - \alpha N_{i}(\overline{\mathrm{D}}^{0})}{\sqrt{\alpha(N_{i}(\mathrm{D}^{0}) + N_{i}(\overline{\mathrm{D}}^{0}))}}, \ \alpha \equiv rac{N(\mathrm{D}^{0})}{N(\overline{\mathrm{D}}^{0})}.$$

- N_i is the number of D^0 in bin *i*, and α cancels any global production and detection asymmetries.
- A χ^2 test for consistency with zero *CP* violation is then performed, with $\chi^2 = \sum_i S_{CP}^i{}^2$ and $N_{bins} 1$ degrees of freedom.
- Complementary to *T*-odd method as $a_{CP}^{T-\text{odd}} \propto \sin(\phi) \cos(\delta)$ while $S_{CP} \propto \sin(\phi) \sin(\delta)$, with ϕ the weak phase and δ the strong phase of the interfering amplitudes.

Miranda analysis in $D^0\!\to K^+\!K^-\pi^+\pi^-$ and $D^0\!\to\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

- 57k ${\rm D}^0 \rightarrow {\rm K}^+ {\rm K}^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and 330k ${\rm D}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ candidates, tagged using ${\rm D}^{*+} \rightarrow {\rm D}^0 \pi_s^+$, selected from 1 fb⁻¹ 2011 data.
- Distributions of m(hhhh) and $\Delta m \equiv m(D^{*+}) m(D^0)$ fitted to determine yields.
- Nominal binning schema yields *p*-value of consistency with zero *CP* violation of 9.1 % (41 %) for $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$ ($D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$).
- Cross checked using $D^0 \to K^-\pi^+\pi^+\pi^-$ and various different binning schema.



Miranda analysis in $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$

- 3.1M prompt ${\rm D}^+ \! \to \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ candidates selected from 1 fb^{-1} 2011 data.
- Distribution of $m(\pi^-\pi^+\pi^+)$ fitted to determine signal yield.
- Various binning schema used, as well as an unbinned technique to measure *CP* asymmetries, all yielding *p*-values for consistency with zero *CP* violation > 20%.
- Cross checked with CF $\mathrm{D}^+_s
 ightarrow \pi^-\pi^+\pi^+$.



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CP violation in $D^{\pm}_{(s)} \rightarrow K^0_S h^{\pm}$ [9] LHCb-PAPER-2014-018

CP violation in $D^{\pm} \rightarrow K^0_s K^{\pm}$ and $D^{\pm}_s \rightarrow K^0_s \pi^{\pm}$

• CP asymmetry and measured asymmetry defined as:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{\pm} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{\pm}} &\equiv \frac{\Gamma(\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{+} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{+}) - \Gamma(\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{-})}{\Gamma(\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{+} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{+}) + \Gamma(\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{-})}, \\ \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{\pm} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{\pm}} &\equiv \frac{N_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{+} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{+}} - N_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{-}}}{N_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{+} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{+}} + N_{\mathrm{sig}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{-} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{-}}} \\ &\simeq \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{\pm} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0} h^{\pm}} + \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{prod}}^{\mathrm{D}_{(\mathrm{s})}^{\pm}} + \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{det}}^{h^{\pm}} + \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{S}}^{0}}. \end{split}$$

• $\mathcal{A}_{\text{prod}}^{D_{(s)}^{\pm}}$ is the production asymmetry of the $D_{(s)}^{\pm}$, $\mathcal{A}_{\text{det}}^{h^{\pm}}$ the detection asymmetry of the h^{\pm} , and $\mathcal{A}_{K_{S}^{0}}$ is the combined detection and *CP* asymmetry of the K_{S}^{0} .

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CP violation in $D^{\pm} \rightarrow K^0_s K^{\pm}$ and $D^{\pm}_s \rightarrow K^0_s \pi^{\pm}$ (II)

• Assuming negligible *CP* violation in Cabibbo-favoured decays $D_s^{\pm} \rightarrow K_s^0 K^{\pm}$, $D^{\pm} \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^{\pm}$ and $D_s^{\pm} \rightarrow \phi \pi^{\pm}$, can define double difference:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{DD} &\equiv \left[\mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{S} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \pi^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{S} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \mathrm{K}^{\pm}}\right] - \left[\mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \pi^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \mathrm{K}^{\pm}}\right] - 2\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{K}^{0}_{S}}, \\ &= \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \mathrm{K}^{\pm}} + \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{S} \to \mathrm{K}^{0}_{S} \pi^{\pm}}. \end{split}$$

- Production and detection asymmetries cancel, and $\mathcal{A}_{K^0_\alpha}$ is known.
- Similarly, individual asymmetries can be accessed:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\mathrm{K}^{\pm}} &= \left[\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\mathrm{K}^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{\mathrm{s}}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\mathrm{K}^{\pm}}\right] - \left[\mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\pi^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{\mathrm{s}}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\pi^{\pm}}\right] - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}},\\ \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{\mathrm{s}}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\pi^{\pm}} &= \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{\mathrm{s}}\rightarrow\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}\pi^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{\pm}_{\mathrm{s}}\rightarrow\mathrm{\Phi}\pi^{\pm}} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{K}^{0}_{\mathrm{S}}}. \end{split}$$

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- 1.0M prompt $D^\pm \to K^0_{\rm S} K^\pm$ and 121k prompt $D^\pm_s \to K^0_{\rm S} \pi^\pm$ candidates selected from 3 fb⁻¹ data.
- Fit $m(D_{(s)}^{\pm})$ distributions to obtain signal yields, giving:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^{\pm} \to K_{\rm S}^{0} {\rm K}^{\pm}} &+ \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^{\pm}_{\pm} \to K_{\rm S}^{0} \pi^{\pm}} = (+0.41 \pm 0.49 ({\rm stat}) \pm 0.26 ({\rm syst}))\%, \\ \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^{\pm} \to K_{\rm S}^{0} {\rm K}^{\pm}} &= (+0.03 \pm 0.17 ({\rm stat}) \pm 0.14 ({\rm syst}))\%, \\ \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^{\pm}_{\pm} \to K_{\rm S}^{0} \pi^{\pm}} &= (+0.38 \pm 0.46 ({\rm stat}) \pm 0.17 ({\rm syst}))\%. \end{split}$$

• Most precise measurements to date, but no indication of CP violation.

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[10] J. High Energy Phys. 07 (2014) 014

Direct CP violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$

- Using $B \to D^0 \mu^- X$ tagged $D^0 \to h^+ h^-$, the measured *CP* asymmetry is: $\mathcal{A}_{meas}^{D^0 \to h^+ h^-} = \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^0 \to h^+ h^-} + \mathcal{A}_{det}^{\mu^{\pm}} + \mathcal{A}_{prod}^B$.
- No detection asymmetry for $K^+\!K^-$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ final states.
- Taking difference of measured asymmetries, B production and μ detection asymmetries cancel:

$$\Delta \mathcal{A}_{CP} \equiv \mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{+}\mathrm{K}^{-}} - \mathcal{A}_{\text{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \pi^{+}\pi^{-}} = \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{+}\mathrm{K}^{-}} - \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \pi^{+}\pi^{-}}.$$

• Assuming CP violation is negligible in $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ it can be used to cancel nuisance asymmetries and access individual CP asymmetries:

$$\begin{split} \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{+}\mathrm{K}^{-}} &= \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{+}\mathrm{K}^{-}} - \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{meas}}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{-}\pi^{+}} + \mathcal{A}_{\mathrm{det}}^{\mathrm{K}^{\mp}\pi^{\pm}}, \\ \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \pi^{+}\pi^{-}} &= \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathrm{D}^{0} \rightarrow \mathrm{K}^{+}\mathrm{K}^{-}} - \Delta \mathcal{A}_{CP}. \end{split}$$

• $\mathcal{A}_{det}^{K^{\mp}\pi^{\pm}}$ is determined from prompt $D^{+} \rightarrow K^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{+}$ and $D^{+} \rightarrow K_{s}^{0}\pi^{+}$ decays, and the known $\mathcal{A}_{K_{s}^{0}}$.

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Direct *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ (II)



• From 3 fb^{-1} data select 2.2M $\rm D^0 \,{\to}\, K^+K^-$ and 770k $\rm D^0 \,{\to}\, \pi^+\pi^-$ candidates, yielding:

$$\begin{split} &\Delta\mathcal{A}_{CP} = (+0.14 \pm 0.16(\text{stat}) \pm 0.08(\text{syst}))\%, \\ &\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{D}^0 \to \text{K}^+\text{K}^-} = (-0.06 \pm 0.15(\text{stat}) \pm 0.10(\text{syst}))\%, \\ &\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\text{D}^0 \to \pi^+\pi^-} = (-0.20 \pm 0.19(\text{stat}) \pm 0.10(\text{syst}))\%. \end{split}$$

Most accurate measurements to date, no indication of *CP* violation.
 ΔA_{CP} and A^{D⁰→K⁺K⁻} are 28 % correlated.

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[11] A. Carbone, Beauty14

World average direct *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$



• New world averages dominated by LHCb measurements: $\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^0 \to K^+K^-} = (-0.15 \pm 0.11)\%, \quad \mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D^0 \to \pi^+\pi^-} = (+0.10 \pm 0.12)\%,$ $\Delta \mathcal{A}_{CP} = (-0.25 \pm 0.11)\%.$

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[12] Phys. Rev. Lett. 112 (2014) 041801

Indirect *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$

• Using $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_s^+$ tagged $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ measure asymmetry in effective lifetime:

$$A_{\Gamma} \equiv \frac{\hat{\Gamma}(D^{0} \to f) - \hat{\Gamma}(\overline{D^{0}} \to f)}{\hat{\Gamma}(D^{0} \to f) + \hat{\Gamma}(\overline{D^{0}} \to f)} \approx \eta_{CP} \left[\frac{1}{2}(A_{m} + A_{d})y\cos\phi - x\sin\phi\right]$$

- $\hat{\Gamma}$ is the inverse of the effective lifetime of the decay, and η_{CP} is the *CP* eigenvalue of *f*.
- $\hat{\Gamma}$ measured directly using data-driven, per-candidate correction for selection efficiency.

[12] Phys. Rev. Lett. 112 (2014) 041801 [6] HFAG

Indirect *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ (II)

• Using 1 fb $^{-1}$ 2011 data 1.5M $\pi\pi$ and 4.8M $\rm KK$ candidates are selected, yielding:

$$egin{aligned} & {\cal A}_{\Gamma}(\pi\pi) = & (0.033\pm 0.106({
m stat})\pm 0.014({
m syst}))\%, \ & {\cal A}_{\Gamma}({
m KK}) = (-0.035\pm 0.062({
m stat})\pm 0.012({
m syst}))\%. \end{aligned}$$



• World average:

$$-A_{\Gamma}\simeq a_{CP}^{
m ind}=(0.013\pm 0.052)\%.$$

• Combined fit with direct *CP* violation measurements yields *p*-value for zero *CP* violation of 5.1 %.

Mixing and *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$

• Ratio of DCS "wrong sign" (WS) $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ to CF "right sign" (RS) $D^0 \rightarrow K^-\pi^+$ decay rates vs decay time give access to mixing parameters (assuming no CPV):

$$R(t) = rac{N_{WS}(t)}{N_{RS}(t)} = R_D + \sqrt{R_D}y't + rac{x'^2 + y'^2}{4}t^2.$$

where:

$$R_D = \left| \frac{A_{DCS}}{A_{CF}} \right|^2, \ x' = x \cos(\delta) + y \sin(\delta),$$

$$y' = -x \sin(\delta) + y \cos(\delta), \ \delta = \arg\left(\frac{A_{DCS}}{A_{CF}}\right).$$

- Analysing D^0 and $\overline{\mathrm{D}}{}^0$ separately gives sensitivity to CPV.
- Using $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_s^+$ tagged candidates, fits to the distributions of $m(D^{*+})$ in bins of D^0 decay time determine R(t).

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[13] Phys. Rev. Lett. 111 (2013) 251801 [6] HFAG

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Mixing and *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ (II)

• Using 3 fb⁻¹ data, a yield of 229K signal WS candidates is determined. Assuming zero *CP* violation gives:

$$x'^2 = (5.5 \pm 4.9) \times 10^{-5}, y' = (4.8 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-3},$$

 $R_D = (3.568 \pm 0.066) \times 10^{-3}.$

• Allowing for CP violation yields:

$$egin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_D &\equiv (\mathcal{R}_D(\mathrm{D}^0) - \mathcal{R}_D(\overline{\mathrm{D}}^0)) / (\mathcal{R}_D(\mathrm{D}^0) - \mathcal{R}_D(\overline{\mathrm{D}}^0)) = (-0.7 \pm 1.9)\%, \ 0.75 < |q/p| < 1.24, (68.3 \ \% \ \mathrm{CL}). \end{aligned}$$

• Assuming no *CP* violation in DCS decays $(A_D = 0)$ yields much tighter constraints on |q/p| in combined fits^[6].



World average mixing and indirect CP violation



- WS $D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ measurements contribute to constraints on y and |q/p|, and to a lesser extent x and Arg(q/p).
- |q/p| and $\operatorname{Arg}(q/p)$ also constrained by A_{Γ} measurements.
- No evidence for indirect CP violation.

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- Rich charm physics programme at LHCb, yielding world best measurements of *CP* violation and mixing in many decay modes.
 - Complementary searches using *T*-odd observables and Miranda method in $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^+\pi^-$, $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$ and $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^-\pi^+\pi^+$.
 - Direct *CP* violation in $D^{\pm}_{(s)} \to K^0_{s} h^{\pm}$ and $D^0 \to h^+ h^-$.
 - Indirect CP violation using ${\rm D}^0 \! \rightarrow {\rm h}^+ {\rm h}^-.$
 - Mixing and CP violation using WS ${\rm D}^{0}\!\rightarrow {\rm K}^{+}\pi^{-}.$
- Precision on D^{0} mixing parameters significantly improved.
- No evidence for direct or indirect CP violation, but constraints of $\mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$ made in several modes.
- With some analyses still to add 2 fb⁻¹ recorded in 2012, run II approaching, and the LHCb upgrade on the horizon, LHCb will continue to dominate the landscape of charm physics for several years to come.
- Potential to probe down to $\mathcal{O}(10^{-4})$ and further constrain (or discover!) new physics.

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Backup

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T-odd correlations, systematics

Contribution	$\Delta A_T(\%)$	$\Delta \overline{A}_T(\%)$	$\Delta a_{CP}^{T ext{-odd}}(\%)$
Prompt background	± 0.09	± 0.08	± 0.00
Detector bias	± 0.04	± 0.04	± 0.04
C_T resolution	± 0.02	± 0.03	± 0.01
Fit model	± 0.01	± 0.01	± 0.01
Flavour misidentification	± 0.08	± 0.07	± 0.00
Total	± 0.13	± 0.12	± 0.04

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CP violation in $D^{\pm} \rightarrow K^0_s K^{\pm}$ and $D^{\pm}_s \rightarrow K^0_s \pi^{\pm}$, systematics

	$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$			$\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$		
Source	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathcal{DD}}$	$\mathcal{A}_{C\!P}^{D^\pm o K^0_{ m S}K^\pm}$	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D_s^\pm ightarrow K_{ m S}^0 \pi^\pm}$	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{\mathcal{DD}}$	$\mathcal{A}_{C\!P}^{D^\pm o K^0_{ m S}K^\pm}$	$\mathcal{A}_{CP}^{D_s^\pm o K_{ m S}^0 \pi^\pm}$
Fit procedure	0.14	0.09	0.11	0.07	0.05	0.01
Cross-feed bkgd.	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.01	_	0.01
Non-prompt charm	0.01	_	_	0.01	_	_
Kinematic weighting	0.08	0.06	0.13	0.05	0.07	0.12
Kinematic region	0.10	0.06	0.04	0.19	0.02	0.17
Trigger	0.13	0.13	0.07	0.17	0.17	0.09
K^0 asymmetry	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.04	0.02	0.02
Total	0.23	0.18	0.19	0.27	0.19	0.22

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Direct *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$, systematics

Source of uncertainty	ΔA_{CP}	$A_{CP}(K^-K^+)$		
Production asymmetry:				
Difference in <i>b</i> -hadron mixture	0.02%	0.02%		
Difference in B decay time acceptance	0.02%	0.02%		
Production and detection asymmetry:				
Different weighting	0.02%	0.05%		
Non-cancellation	-	0.03%		
Neutral kaon asymmetry	-	0.01%		
Background from real D^0 mesons:				
Mistag asymmetry	0.03%	0.03%		
Background from fake D^0 mesons:				
$D^{\widetilde{0}}$ mass fit model	0.06%	0.06%		
Wrong background modelling	0.03%	0.03%		
Quadratic sum	0.08%	0.10%		

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Indirect *CP* violation in $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$, systematics

• Complementary binned fit method yields:

$$\begin{split} &A_{\Gamma}(\pi\pi) = (0.085\pm 0.122(\text{stat})\pm 0.113(\text{syst}))\%, \\ &A_{\Gamma}(\text{KK}) = (0.050\pm 0.065(\text{stat})\pm 0.089(\text{syst}))\%. \end{split}$$

- Main systematic from difference in magnet polarities, and background modelling.
- Main systematics for unbinned method from modelling of D^0 from B decays, and decay-time acceptance correction.

Source	$A_{\Gamma}^{\mathrm{unb}}(KK)$	$A_{\Gamma}^{\mathrm{bin}}(KK)$	$A_{\Gamma}^{ m unb}(\pi\pi)$	$A_\Gamma^{ m bin}(\pi\pi)$
Partially reconstructed backgrounds	±0.02	±0.09	± 0.00	± 0.00
Charm from b decays	± 0.07	± 0.55	± 0.07	± 0.53
Other backgrounds	± 0.02	± 0.40	± 0.04	± 0.57
Acceptance function	± 0.09		± 0.11	
Magnet polarity		± 0.58		± 0.82
Total systematic uncertainty	±0.12	±0.89	±0.14	±1.13

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Mixing and CP violation in ${\rm D}^0 \! \to {\rm K}^+ \pi^-,$ complete results and systematics

Parameter	Value
Direct and indirect CP violation	
R_D^+ (10 ⁻³)	$3.545 \pm 0.082 \pm 0.048$
y^{+} (10 ⁻³)	$5.1 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.7$
$x^{\prime 2+}$ (10 ⁻⁵)	$4.9 \pm 6.0 \pm 3.6$
$R_D^-(10^{-3})$	$3.591 \pm 0.081 \pm 0.048$
$y'^{-}(10^{-3})$	$4.5 \pm 1.2 \pm 0.7$
$x^{2-}(10^{-5})$	$6.0 \pm 5.8 \pm 3.6$
χ^2/ndf	85.9/98
No direct CP violation	
$R_D (10^{-3})$	$3.568 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.033$
y'^+ (10 ⁻³)	$4.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.6$
$x^{\prime 2+}$ (10 ⁻⁵)	$6.4 \pm 4.7 \pm 3.0$
$y'^{-}(10^{-3})$	$4.8 \pm 0.9 \pm 0.6$
$x^{2-}(10^{-5})$	$4.6 \pm 4.6 \pm 3.0$
χ^2/ndf	86.0/99
No CP violation	
$R_D (10^{-3})$	$3.568 \pm 0.058 \pm 0.033$
$y'(10^{-3})$	$4.8 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.5$
$x^{\prime 2}$ (10 ⁻⁵)	$5.5 \pm 4.2 \pm 2.6$
χ^2/ndf	86.4/101

• Systematics include:

- Uncertainty on the fraction of D^0 produced in $B \rightarrow D^0 \mu^- X \text{ and the}$ resulting bias on the measured D^0 decay time.
- Uncertainty on the fraction of peaking background.
- Uncertainty on the measurement of the instrumental asymmetry.

Evolution of CP violation measurements



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Evolution of mixing and CP violation parameters

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Mixing and CP violation averages

Parameter	No CPV	No direct CPV	CPV-allowed	CPV-allowed
		in DCS decays		95% CL Interval
x (%)	$0.49{}^{+0.14}_{-0.15}$	$0.43^{+0.14}_{-0.15}$	$0.41^{+0.14}_{-0.15}$	[0.11, 0.68]
y (%)	0.62 ± 0.08	$0.60\ \pm 0.07$	$0.63 \ ^{+0.07}_{-0.08}$	[0.47, 0.76]
$\delta_{K\pi} ~(^\circ)$	$7.8{}^{+9.6}_{-11.1}$	$4.6^{+10.3}_{-12.0}$	$7.3^{+9.8}_{-11.5}$	[-18.5, 25.8]
$R_D~(\%)$	0.350 ± 0.004	0.349 ± 0.004	0.349 ± 0.004	[0.342, 0.356]
A_D (%)	_	_	$-0.71^{+0.92}_{-0.95}$	[-2.6, 1.1]
q/p	_	$1.007^{+0.015}_{-0.014}$	$0.93^{+0.09}_{-0.08}$	[0.79, 1.12]
ϕ (°)	_	$-0.30^{+0.58}_{-0.60}$	$-8.7^{+8.7}_{-9.1}$	[-26.9, 8.6]
$\delta_{K\pi\pi}~(^\circ)$	$18.7^{+23.2}_{-23.7}$	$20.8 {}^{+23.9}_{-24.3}$	$23.3^{+23.9}_{-24.4}$	[-24.8, 70.2]
$A_{\pi}(\%)$	—	0.11 ± 0.14	0.14 ± 0.15	[-0.15, 0.42]
$A_K(\%)$	—	-0.13 ± 0.13	$-0.11^{+0.14}_{-0.13}$	[-0.37, 0.15]
$x_{12} \ (\%)$	—	$0.43^{+0.14}_{-0.15}$		[0.13, 0.69]
$y_{12} \ (\%)$	—	0.60 ± 0.07		[0.45, 0.75]
$\phi_{12}(^{\circ})$	—	$0.9 {}^{+1.9}_{-1.7}$		[-3.0, 6.1]

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Mixing and CP violation averages in 2013

Parameter	No CPV	No direct CPV	CPV-allowed	$CPV\mbox{-allowed}$ 95% C.L.
x (%)	$0.49^{+0.17}_{-0.18}$	$0.46\ \pm 0.18$	$0.49{}^{+0.17}_{-0.18}$	[0.10, 0.81]
y~(%)	$0.66\ \pm 0.09$	$0.67\ \pm 0.09$	0.74 ± 0.09	[0.56, 0.92]
δ (°)	$10.8 {}^{+10.3}_{-12.3}$	$11.4^{+10.5}_{-12.7}$	$19.5{}^{+8.6}_{-11.1}$	[-9.6, 35.4]
R_D (%)	0.347 ± 0.006	0.347 ± 0.006	$0.350{}^{+0.007}_{-0.006}$	[0.337, 0.362]
$A_D~(\%)$	—	—	$-2.6\ \pm 2.2$	[-6.9, 1.7]
q/p	—	$1.04 {}^{+0.07}_{-0.06}$	$0.69{}^{+0.17}_{-0.14}$	[0.44, 1.07]
ϕ (°)	-	$-1.6^{+2.4}_{-2.5}$	$-29.6{}^{+8.9}_{-7.5}$	[-44.6, -7.5]
$\delta_{K\pi\pi}$ (°)	$21.3^{+23.4}_{-23.8}$	$22.9^{+23.7}_{-24.0}$	$25.1^{+22.3}_{-23.0}$	[-20.6, 69.2]
A_{π}	—	_	0.16 ± 0.21	[-0.25, 0.57]
A_K	—	_	$-0.16 \ \pm 0.20$	[-0.56, 0.23]
x_{12} (%)	—	$0.46\ \pm 0.18$	_	[0.10, 0.80]
$y_{12}~(\%)$	—	$0.67\ \pm 0.09$	_	$[0.50, \ 0.85]$
$\phi_{12}(^{\circ})$	—	$4.8^{+9.2}_{-7.4}$	_	[-11.7, 35.9]

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