

Suppressed $B \rightarrow PV$ CP asymmetry: CPT constraint

Model Independent search for direct CPV in $B \rightarrow VP$ decays

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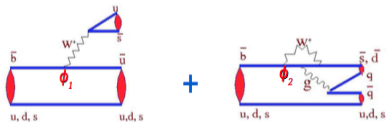
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Motivation/Introduction

Main goal: present a novel method to measure the A_{CP} in $B \rightarrow VP$ decays.

- CPV in $B^+ \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^+$ decays is manifested through various mechanisms.
 - Large CP violation observed in LHCb.
- CPT theorem requires direct CPV to fulfill some constraints
 - As CPT implies a global conservation, direct CPV needs to be compensated between coupled channels.
- With this new method we identify the source of CPV and extract the local A_{CP} directly from data
 - No need for a time-consuming Amplitude Analysis
 - Avoid model dependence when extracting parameters of CP asymmetry
- A paper explaining this method is already published in PRD [[Phys.Rev.D94.054028](#)]

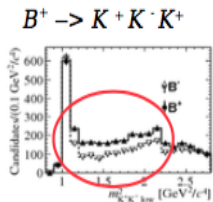
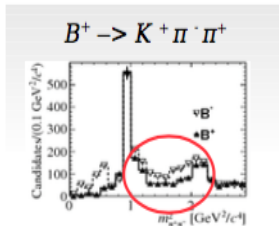
- CPV from BSS
 - 2 amplitude with different weak and strong phases:



- tree and penguin interference
- CPV from FSI
 - \neq sources of strong phase \implies
 - resonances interference in \neq partial waves
 - Like S-wave $\pi^+ \pi^- \rightarrow K^+ K^-$

All these mechanisms were investigated for LHCb data in $B \rightarrow hhh$

- CPT $\implies \Gamma_{Tot}(B^+) = \Gamma_{Tot}(B^-)$
 - normally ignored in theoretical models
 - a CP asymmetry in one channel must be compensated by an asymmetry with opposite sign in a coupled channel
 - hadronic rescattering provides a \neq strong phase [Wolfenstein, PRD 43 (1991) 151]
- Ex: CP violation on channels $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ K^+ K^-$ have opposite signal and are placed in the same region of Dalitz plot i.e. where $\pi^+ \pi^- \rightarrow K^+ K^-$



Theory predictions usually involve $B \rightarrow PV$ & $B \rightarrow PP$

Direct CP asymmetries in $B \rightarrow PV$ (with QCD factorisation):

f	NLO	NNLO	NNLO + LD	Exp
$\pi^- \bar{K}^{*0}$	$1.36^{+0.25+0.60}_{-0.26-0.47}$	$1.49^{+0.27+0.69}_{-0.29-0.56}$	$0.27^{+0.05+3.18}_{-0.05-0.67}$	-3.8 ± 4.2
$\pi^0 K^{*-}$	$13.85^{+2.40+5.84}_{-2.70-5.86}$	$18.16^{+3.11+7.79}_{-3.52-10.57}$	$-15.81^{+3.01+69.35}_{-2.83-15.39}$	-6 ± 24
$\pi^+ K^{*-}$	$11.18^{+2.00+9.75}_{-2.15-10.62}$	$19.70^{+3.37+10.54}_{-3.80-11.42}$	$-23.07^{+4.35+86.20}_{-4.05-20.64}$	-23 ± 6
$\pi^0 \bar{K}^{*0}$	$-17.23^{+3.33+7.59}_{-3.00-12.57}$	$-15.11^{+2.93+12.34}_{-2.65-10.64}$	$2.16^{+0.39+17.53}_{-0.42-36.80}$	-15 ± 13
$\delta(\pi \bar{K}^*)$	$2.68^{+0.72+5.44}_{-0.67-4.30}$	$-1.54^{+0.45+4.60}_{-0.58-9.19}$	$7.26^{+1.21+12.78}_{-1.34-20.65}$	17 ± 25
$\Delta(\pi \bar{K}^*)$	$-7.18^{+1.38+3.38}_{-1.28-5.35}$	$-3.45^{+0.67+9.48}_{-0.59-4.95}$	$-1.02^{+0.19+4.32}_{-0.18-7.86}$	-5 ± 45
$\rho^- \bar{K}^0$	$0.38^{+0.07+0.16}_{-0.07-0.27}$	$0.22^{+0.04+0.19}_{-0.04-0.17}$	$0.30^{+0.06+2.28}_{-0.06-2.39}$	-12 ± 17
$\rho^0 K^-$	$-19.31^{+3.42+13.95}_{-3.61-8.96}$	$-4.17^{+0.75+19.26}_{-0.80-19.52}$	$43.73^{+7.07+44.00}_{-7.62-137.77}$	37 ± 11
$\rho^+ K^-$	$-5.13^{+0.95+6.38}_{-0.97-4.02}$	$1.50^{+0.29+8.69}_{-0.27-10.36}$	$25.93^{+4.43+25.40}_{-4.90-75.63}$	20 ± 11
$\rho^0 \bar{K}^0$	$8.63^{+1.59+2.31}_{-1.65-1.69}$	$8.99^{+1.66+3.60}_{-1.71-7.44}$	$-0.42^{+0.08+19.49}_{-0.08-8.78}$	6 ± 20
$\delta(\rho \bar{K})$	$-14.17^{+2.80+7.98}_{-2.96-5.39}$	$-5.67^{+0.96+10.86}_{-1.01-9.79}$	$17.80^{+3.15+19.51}_{-3.01-62.44}$	17 ± 16
$\Delta(\rho \bar{K})$	$-8.75^{+1.62+4.78}_{-1.66-6.48}$	$-10.84^{+1.98+11.67}_{-2.09-9.09}$	$-2.43^{+0.46+4.60}_{-0.42-19.43}$	-37 ± 37

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- In $(2 + 1)$ approx: There is no CPV in $B \rightarrow PV$
 - $K^*(892)$ and $\rho(770)$ decay $\sim 100\%$ to $K\pi$ and $\pi\pi$
 - $\phi(1020)$ is different (15% to $\pi\rho$) but exclusively penguin (do not produce CPV)
- The CP asymmetry, if present, comes from resonances interference in different partial waves
- What about data?
 - different resonances interfere in the same region of Dalitz plot
 - Isobar Model \implies values of A_{CP} are model dependent

Want to track directly from data the type of CP violation in
 $B \rightarrow PV$ decays around the resonances

Starting with a vector and a NR amplitude

$$\mathcal{M}_+ = a_+^V e^{i\delta_+^V} F_V^{BW} \cos \theta(s_\perp, s_\parallel) + a_+^{nr} e^{i\delta_+^{nr}} F^{NR}$$

$$\mathcal{M}_- = a_-^V e^{i\delta_-^V} F_V^{BW} \cos \theta(s_\perp, s_\parallel) + a_-^{nr} e^{i\delta_-^{nr}} F^{NR}$$

s_\parallel = resonance channel, s_\perp = perpendicular channel

- the values of $\cos(\theta)$ remain stable as a function of s_\perp around the center value of $s_\parallel = m_V^2$
- the helicity angle can be assumed to be a function of only s_\perp

model independent method

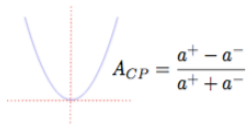
- we select a small region around the resonance in s_{\parallel} and look for the distribution $\Delta|\mathcal{M}|^2$ on s_{\perp}

- $s_{\parallel} \approx m_V^2 \rightarrow \cos\theta(s_{\perp})$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta|\mathcal{M}|^2 &= |\mathcal{M}_{+}|^2 - |\mathcal{M}_{-}|^2 \\ &= [(a_{+}^V)^2 - (a_{-}^V)^2] |F_V^{BW}|^2 \cos^2\theta(s_{\perp}, s_{\parallel}) + [(a_{+}^{nr})^2 - (a_{-}^{nr})^2] |F^{NR}|^2 + 2 \cos\theta(s_{\perp}, s_{\parallel}) |F_V^{BW}|^2 |F^{NR}|^2 \times \\ &\quad \{(m_V^2 - s_{\parallel}) [a_{+}^V a_{+}^{nr} (\cos(\delta_{+}^V - \delta_{+}^{nr}) - a_{-}^V a_{-}^{nr} \cos(\delta_{-}^V - \delta_{-}^{nr})) - m_V \Gamma_V [a_{+}^V a_{+}^{nr} (\sin(\delta_{+}^V - \delta_{+}^{nr}) - a_{-}^V a_{-}^{nr} \sin(\delta_{-}^V - \delta_{-}^{nr}))]\}. \end{aligned}$$

- parametrize $\Delta|\mathcal{M}|^2 = a(x - c_0)^2 + b(x - c_0) + c$ for $\cos\theta = x - c_0$

$a \Rightarrow$ BSS & Acp

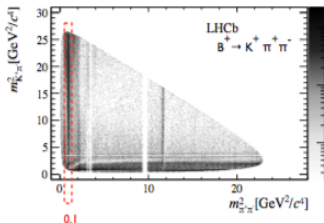


$b \Rightarrow$ interference



$c \Rightarrow$ NR BSS

constant



For a vector resonance in a $B^+ \rightarrow h^- h^+ h^+$ decay defined by the Dalitz invariants (S_{ij} , S_{ik}):

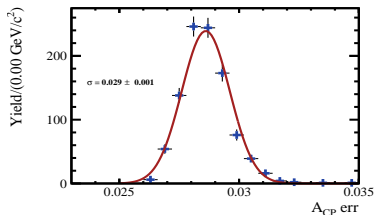
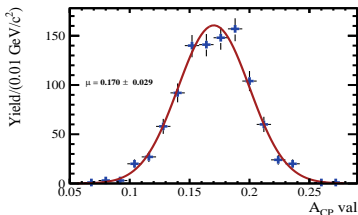
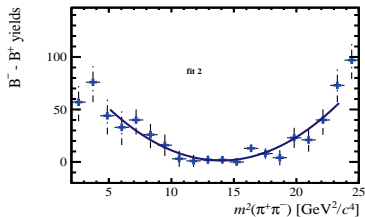
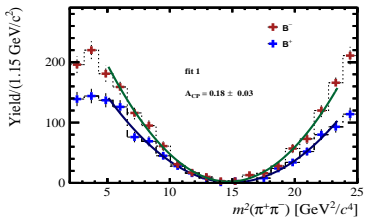
- Get a slice of mass in S_{ij} (\parallel to the resonance)
- Integrate the distribution of S_{ik} (\perp to the resonance) for B^+ and B^-
- Fit these distributions with 2^{nd} order functions
- Obtain the A_{CP} using the main coefficients from the fitted functions
- Fit equation: $a(x - x_0)^2 + b(x - x_0) + c$
- $A_{CP_{res}}(\%) = \left(\frac{a^- - a^+}{a^- + a^+} \right) * 100$

Toy MC studies

Values from BaBar Model [PhysRevD.79.072006(2009)].

Mode	x	y	Δ_x	Δ_y	Fraction(%)	$A_{CP}(\%)$
$\rho(770)\pi^+$	1.0 [fixed]	0.0 [fixed]	-0.092 ± 0.036	0.0 [fixed]	53.2 ± 3.7	$+18 \pm 7$
$\rho(1450)\pi^+$	-0.292 ± 0.071	0.175 ± 0.078	0.109 ± 0.080	0.211 ± 0.073	9.1 ± 2.3	-6 ± 28
$f_2(1270)\pi^+$	0.136 ± 0.064	0.149 ± 0.052	0.101 ± 0.063	-0.248 ± 0.052	5.9 ± 1.6	$+41 \pm 25$
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- Using Laura++ Toy MC Generator.
- We generated 1000 samples each with 20 000 events.
- Choose a 150 MeV window around $\rho(770)$ mass.
- Fitted B^+ and B^- in each sample with quadratic polynomial equation (fit 1).
- Calculate $\rho(770)$'s A_{CP} using the main coefficient obtained from fit in each equation.
- Fit equation: $a(x - p_1)^2 + b(x - p_1) + c$, with $p_1 = 13.76$
- $A_{CP_{res}} = \frac{a^- - a^+}{a^- + a^+}$
- We also fit the $B^- - B^+$ binned differences (fit 2).
- A straight line must be obtained from fit 2 (if no A_{CP} was found in fit 1)
- Fit 2 must yield a parable when A_{CP} is present

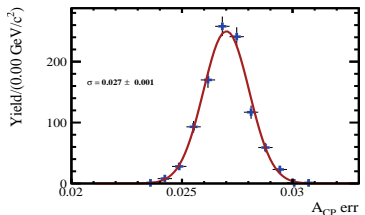
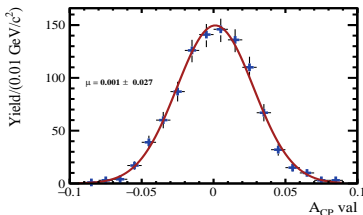
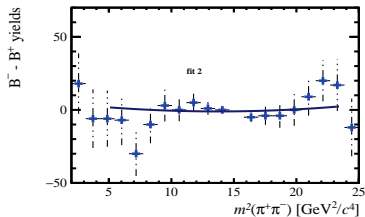
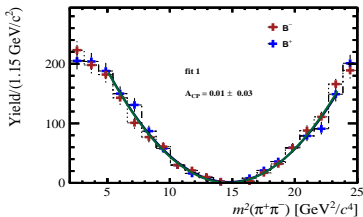


Top: Fit to B^+ and B^- distribution in a random sample generated with $A_{CP} = 0.18$ in $\rho(770)$. Bottom: Distribution of the A_{CP} and its error.

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- Model without A_{CP} in $\rho(770)$
- We generated 1000 samples each with 20 000 events.
- Fitted B^+ and B^- in each sample with quadratic polynomial equation (fit 1).
- Calculate $\rho(770)$'s A_{CP} using the main coefficient obtained from fit in each equation.
- Fit equation: $a(x - p_1)^2 + b(x - p_1) + c$, with $p_1 = 13.76$
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From Toy MC simulations:

- The chosen region in all fits corresponds to the PDG width around the resonance.
- Variations in mass window ($||$) do not affect the central value of A_{CP} (only its error).
- Excluded regions in \perp mass window do not change the result.
 - The excluded regions are those with vetos, low statistics, etc.

- We propose a new method to perform the Model Independent search for direct CPV in $B \rightarrow VP$ decays
- $A_{CP} = \frac{a^+ - a^-}{a^+ + a^-} \implies$ an indication of a CPV from BSS mechanism
- Toy MC studies show this is a reliable method.
- We can limit the fit region to avoid the influence of crossed channels
- It works better when the scalar is far from vector and have small magnitude ($B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$)
- Paper published in PRD
- We are already applying this method on LHCb data.

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