# **Electroweak Physics**



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# Symmetries: C, P and T



## **Fundamental Symmetries**

- P : Parity, mirror
- C : Charge conjugation
- T : Time reversal
- CPT conserved in all QFTs

## What is CP Violation?

- Particle physics and cosmology: difference matter / anti-matter
- Weak interaction: Parity violation
- CP symmetry should be conserved

Phase in CKM matrix causes CPV

#### **Brief History of CP Violation**

- 1964: CPV in  $K \leftrightarrow \overline{K}$  mixing (small effect:  $\varepsilon \approx 1.6 \times 10^{-3}$ )
- 1973: Kobayashi & Maskawa: 3 families
- 1999: Direct CPV in K→ππ decay (small effect: ε'/ε ≈ 1.7x 10<sup>-3</sup>)
- 2001: CPV in  $B,\overline{B} \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$  decay

(large effect:  $sin2\beta = 0.74\pm0.07$ )

SM explains CPV pattern in mixing & decay

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# Flavour Mixing and CP Violation

#### **CP Violation in Standard Model:**

- Interference of 2 amplitudes
- CKM elements with phase difference
- CP asymmetry:  $\alpha_{CP} = \frac{|A|^2 |\bar{A}|^2}{|A|^2 + |\bar{A}|^2}$

### **Indirect CP Violation:** △F=2

- Mixing induced:
   D<sup>0</sup> oscillates to D<sup>0</sup>
- Mass difference, lifetime difference
- 2 States:  $|D_{H/L}\rangle = p|D^0\rangle \pm q|\overline{D}^0\rangle$

#### Direct CP Violation: △F=1

• CP violating phases in decay

 $A(D \rightarrow f) \neq A(\overline{D} \rightarrow \overline{f})$ 

CKM elements

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# **Direct CP Violation**

#### **Direct CP Violation in SM:**

- Two interfering amplitudes needed
- Singly Cabibbo suppressed (SCS):

| Channel                                  | BR $(\%)$      | $\alpha_{CP}(10^{-3})$ |  |
|--|----------------|------------------------|--|
| $D^+ 	o \pi^+ \eta'$                     | 0.75           | 0.77                   |  |
| $D^+ 	o K^+ ar K^0$                      | 0.72           | 0.52                   |  |
| $D^{	op}  ightarrow  ho^{	op} \pi^{	op}$ | 0.45 (th)      | 0.89                   |  |
| $D_s^+ 	o K^+ \pi^0$                     | 0.15 (th)      | 1.1                    |  |
| $D_s^+ 	o K^+ \eta'$                     | 0.5 (th)       | 0.64                   |  |
| $D^{0} 	o \pi^{\pm}  ho^{\mp}$           | 0.5 - 0.7 (th) | 0.4                    |  |

- Typical BR ~ 0.2-1% need 10<sup>8</sup> rec. charm for  $\alpha_{CP} \approx 10^{-3}$
- Large α<sub>CP</sub> could be due to new physics
   (NP) or strong phase
- CF or DCS :  $\alpha_{CP} = 0 \rightarrow \text{search NP}$

## **Comparison of B and D**

Decay amplitudes:

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|--|-----------|-----------|--|
| B-mesons   | small CKM | large CKM |  |
| D-mesons   | large CKM | small CKM |  |

- $\alpha_{_{CP}} \sim 10^{-3}$  for D-mesons
- $\alpha_{_{CP}} \sim \text{several } \%$  for B-mesons
- → Search for NP in D decays



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# New Methods for CP Violation Searchesoda

## Phase space analysis:

Measure phase differences

- Dalitz plot analysis
- ➤ Multiple channels
- → Get strong phase & amplitude, mixing and CPV parameters
- Partial Wave Analysis
- → Get CP-odd and CP-even states, DCS modes
- Depends on decay model

## Polarisation

- Hyperon decays
- η-decays



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# **Other Electroweak Topics**

## FCNC decays:

- In SM: BR ~ 10<sup>-8</sup>
- Beware of resonances in D $\rightarrow$ XI<sup>+</sup>I<sup>-</sup>: e.g. D<sup>+</sup> $\rightarrow \pi^+ \phi \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$
- SUSY channels often bigger than SM

### **Dilepton decays:**

- E.g.  $D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-, BR \sim 10^{-9} 10^{-12}$
- $D^0 \rightarrow \mu e$  in SM = 0
- ➔ BG-free tests for new physics

## Charm vs. Beauty:

- Intermediate d-type quarks
- SM contribution small due to V<sub>ub</sub>
- rate ~ f (m<sub>s</sub>)- f (m<sub>d</sub>) (=0 in SU(3) limit)
- Sensitive to new physics

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MSSM radiative decay



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# **Probing the Standard Model**

0.7 Δm, Δm, & Δm, 0.6 0.5 sin 26 0.4 0.3 0.2 Vub 0.1 0.0 -0.2 -0.4 0.0 0.2 0.4 0.6 0.8 ρ

- CP violation in B decays well measured
- K system as well
- Further channels and constraints all fit the SM
- Impressive agreement with SM
- No hints for NP

#### Status of Unitarity Triangle

# Alternative channels for NP D-mesons

- → Same methods as for B
- → SM CPV small
- ➤ Small deviations can hint for NP
- Hyperons
- → CPV in decay polarisation
- η-mesons
  - $\eta \to \pi^{\scriptscriptstyle +}\pi^{\scriptscriptstyle -}e^{\scriptscriptstyle +}e^{\scriptscriptstyle -}$
- ➤ CP violating Bremsstrahlung



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#### **Status of CPV**

# **Status of Charm Mixing**





$$x = \frac{\Delta m}{\Gamma} = (0.81 \pm 0.30^{+0.13}_{-0.17}) \quad y = \frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2\Gamma} = (0.37 \pm 0.25^{+0.10}_{-0.15})$$

#### **Theoretical estimates:**

- x,y ~ 10<sup>-3</sup>
- SU(3) breaking (phase space, decay constants, FSI): O(1%) ok
- With x ~ y little room for new physics
- CPV very small, not measured



# Status of Charm CPV



LHCb measurement of direct CPV in  $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$  from 2x10<sup>6</sup> decays (0.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>)

- ΔA<sub>CP</sub> = (-0.82 ±0.21 (stat.) ±0.11 (syst.))%
- CPV evidence at  $3.5\sigma$
- First hint for new physics in charm decays
- Theoretical interpretations and more data needed



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#### Status of CPV

## Future Developments at LHCb



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# LHC Luminosity Prospects



With 50 fb<sup>-1</sup> expect ~4x10<sup>10</sup> offline selected  $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$  decays or more than 10<sup>11</sup> DX

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# **Possible Rates at PANDA**

#### **Cross section estimates:**

100 – 200 nb DD optimistic,
 10-20 nb pessimistic

#### Charm yields in one year, based on:

- Total p p cross section: s ~ 70 mb
- Average interaction rate R = 20 MHz

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$$L_{max} = R/\sigma = 2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$$

| Channel              | Yield<br>(opt.)   | Yield<br>(pess.)  | Physics                  | Beam<br>(GeV/c) |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| D⁺D⁻ excl.           | 3x10 <sup>8</sup> | 3x10 <sup>7</sup> | D→µv                     | 6.5             |
| DX                   | 2x10 <sup>9</sup> | 2x10 <sup>8</sup> | Mixing, CPV, rare decays | > 7             |
| $D_s \overline{D}_s$ | 3x10 <sup>7</sup> | 3x10 <sup>6</sup> | D <sub>s</sub> →µv       | 7.5             |



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**Comparison to LHCb:** 5x10<sup>9</sup> DX at 3 fb<sup>-1</sup> in 2013,

10<sup>11</sup> at 25-30 fb<sup>-1</sup> in 2023

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# Conclusions



#### Present outlook:

- Main uncertainty on physics reach of PANDA in electroweak D-channels is the DD production cross section
  - Full range of predictions from few nb to ~1 μb
  - How to achieve optimal luminosity for D-production?
- In any case LHCb is now where we would be in 2020 ff

#### **Conclusions for us:**

- Selection strategy similar to D-spectroscopy,
   i.e. no special efforts to tune for electroweak D-channels
- Measure  $p\overline{p} \rightarrow D\overline{D}$  as soon as possible
- Keep an eye on the field and see what is left for us

