



Observation of $B_s \to D_s^{(*)+} D_s^{(*)-}$ and Estimate of $\Delta \Gamma_s$ at Belle

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- \succ World luminosity record $L=2.11\times 10^{34} cm^{-1} s^{-1}$
- \succ Data taken at $\Upsilon(4S)$, below $\Upsilon(4S)$ (continuum), at $\Upsilon(5S)$, and above $\Upsilon(5S)$ (scan)
- $\succ \Upsilon(5S)$ is just above $B^*_s B^*_s$ threshold
- $\succ 121.4 fb^{-1}$ data, corresponding to 7.11 million $B_s^{(*)} B_s^{(*)}$ pairs, used for this analysis



 \succ assuming negligible CP violation, we can estimate $\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s$

$$\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s}{\Gamma_s} = \frac{2\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} D_s^{(*)+})}{1 - \mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^{(*)-} D_s^{(*)+})}$$

Aleksan *et. al.*, PLB 316, 567 (1993), Dunietz *et. al.*, PRD 63, 114015 (2001) some theoretical uncertainty $\succ \succ D_s^{*+}D_s^{*-}$ modes may have a CP-odd component





- \succ Exclusively reconstructed B_s^0 candidates in $D_s^+ D_s^-$, $D_s^{*\pm} D_s^{\mp}$ and $D_s^{*+} D_s^{*-}$ modes from
 - $D_s^+ \to \phi \pi^+, K_S K^+, K^{*0} K^+, \phi \rho^+, K^{*+} K_S, K^{*+} K^{*0}$
 - Charged tracks required to originate from near e^+e^- interaction point
 - Mass cut on intermediate resonances and D_s^{\pm}
 - $D_s^{*\pm} \rightarrow D_s^{\pm} \gamma$ with $|\Delta M_{D_s^*-D_s} \Delta M^{PDG}| < 12 MeV$

 \succ low background:

- small amount of continuum events, 93% rejected based on event topology

- dominant but small background from $\Upsilon(5S) \to B\bar{B}X \to D_sY$

 \succ Observables: the energy difference and the beam energy constrained mass

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$$\Delta E = E_{B_s^0} - E^*$$
 within $[-0.15, 0.1]GeV$
- $M_{bc} = \sqrt{E^{*2} - p_{B_s^0}^2}$ within $[5.25, 5.45]GeV/c^2$

 \succ cross contamination between modes because of soft photon from D_s^{*+}

- true D_s^{*+} decay is reconstructed with a random photon: wrong combination (WC)
- true D_s^+ decay, not a product of D_s^{*+} , combined with a random photon: cross feed up (CFup)
- true $D_s^{\ast +}$ candidate lost its photon: cross feed down (CFdown)







 \succ simultaneous fit of three modes to account for large cross-feeds between signal modes



 \succ Relative fractions of signal components

$\overline{B_s^0}$ Generated Modes	RC	WC	CF I	CF II
$\overline{D_s^+ D_s^-}$	76.1	6.0fixed	$17.1 \ (D_s^{*\pm} D_s^{\mp})$	$0.8 \ (D_s^{*+}D_s^{*-})$
$D_s^{*\pm} D_s^{\mp}$	44.4	38.5 <mark>fixed</mark>	8.2 $(D_s^+ D_s^-)$ fixed	8.9 $(D_s^{*+}D_s^{*-})$
$D_{s}^{*+}D_{s}^{*-}$	31.8	37.6 <mark>fixed</mark>	2.0 $(D_s^+ D_s^-)$ fixed	28.6 $(D_s^{*\pm}D_s^{\mp})$ fixed

 \succ one candidate per event selected with minimum χ^2 (MC: correct 75% of time)

$$\chi^{2} = \frac{1}{2+N} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \sum_{i=1}^{2} \left[(\widetilde{M}_{D_{s}^{i}} - M_{D_{s}})/\sigma_{M} \right]^{2} + \\ \sum_{i=1}^{N} \left[(\widetilde{\Delta M}_{D_{s}^{*i} - D_{s}^{i}} - \Delta M_{D_{s}^{*} - D_{s}})/\sigma_{\Delta M} \right]^{2} \end{array} \right\}$$

 \succ performed a 2D un-binned maximum likelihood fit to ΔE and M_{bc}



Results with 121.4 fb^{-1}









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select events in $\Delta E[-0.1, 0.0]$







Source	$D_s^+ D_s^-$		$D_s^*D_s$		D_{s}^{*+}	D_{s}^{*-}			
	$+\sigma$	$-\sigma$	$+\sigma$	$-\sigma$	$+\sigma$	$-\sigma$			
Signal PDF Shape	2.7	2.2	2.2	2.4	5.1	3.8			
Background PDF Shape	1.5	1.2	1.3	1.4	2.9	2.2			
WC + CF fraction	0.7	0.6	4.6	4.5	6.2	6.2			
\mathcal{R} requirement $(q\bar{q})$ suppr.	2.1	2.1	1.7	1.7	1.2	1.2			
Best candidate selection	5.5	0.0	1.5	0.0	1.5	0.0			
K^{\pm} Identification	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0			
K_s Reconstruction	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0			
π^0 Reconstruction	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1			
γ	-	-	3.8	3.8	7.6	7.6			
Tracking	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2			
Polarization	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.7	0.5	1.0			
MC statistics for ε	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5			
$D_s^{(*)}$ BF's	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7 "External"			
$N_{B_{s}^{(*)}B_{s}^{(*)}}$	18.3								
$f_{B_s^*\overline{B}_s^*}$	2.0								
Total	22.7	21.9	22.8	22.7	24.6	24.3			







$$\begin{split} \Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s \text{ compare to }: \\ \text{our measurement with } 23.6 \ fb^{-1}: \ (14.7^{+3.6+4.2}_{-3.0-4.1})\% \\ \text{ (PRL 105, 201802 (2010))} \end{split}$$

PDG average: $(9.2^{+5.1}_{-5.4})\%$





Dunietz, Fleischer, Nierste, PRD 63, 114015 (2001)







 \succ Exclusive measurements with 121.4 fb^{-1} data PRELIMINARY RESULTS

$$-\mathcal{B}(B_s \to D_s^+ D_s^-) = (0.6 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.1)\%$$

$$-\mathcal{B}(B_s \to D_s^{*\pm} D_s^{*\mp}) = (1.8 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.40)\%$$

$$-\mathcal{B}(B_s \to D_s^{*+} D_s^{*-}) = (1.98 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.5)\% \text{ (First observation)}$$

 \succ Statistically more precise measurement of $\Delta \Gamma_s / \Gamma_s$, assuming negligible CPV

$$-\Delta\Gamma_s/\Gamma_s = (9.0 \pm 0.9 \pm 2.2)\%$$

Some small theoretical uncertainties exist, e.g. size of 3-body partial widths is unknown,
CP-odd component of Ds*Ds* is unknown.