



B- HADRON SPECTROSCOPY AND LIFETIMES AT THE TEVATRON





OUTLINE

- Spectroscopy
 - B baryons Σ_b , Ξ_b , Ω_b
 - orbitally excited (L=1) B mesons
 - Charmonium-like states X(3872), Y(4140)
- Lifetimes



DETECTORS AND TRIGGERS

-CDF

- large central tracker
- Excellent momentum resolution
- particle ID (TOF & dE/dx)
- Displaced track trigger and di-muon triggers





-**D**0

- large coverage of tracking and muon systems (|η|<2)
- New Layer 0 silicon (2006)
- High efficiency single and di-muon triggers

B-BARYONS

- Unique to Tevatron (not produced in B factories)
- B baryons produced copiously at the Tevatron
- Until 2006 only $\Lambda_{\rm b}$ was observed.
- Various mass predictions using different models.



ddd

0b

dds

udd

uds TO

uu

uud

$\Sigma_{\rm b}$ (bdd), $\Sigma_{\rm b}$ (buu)



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 $\begin{array}{ll} \Xi_b{}^- \to J/\psi \ \Xi^- \\ \Omega_b{}^- \to J/\psi \ \Omega^- \end{array}$

di-muon trigger



cτ (Ξ⁻) = 4.9 cm cτ(Ω⁻) = 2.5 cm

 $\Xi_{\rm b}$ (bsd), $\Omega_{\rm b}$ (bss)

D0 data reprocessing



- events with J/ψ are reprocessed
- larger impact parameter, lower pT
- improve efficiency for tracks from long-lived particles.











Number of events: 15.2 ± 4.4 Mass: 5774 ± 11 (stat) MeV/c² significance > 5σ Number of events 61 ± 10

 $m(\Xi_b) = 5790.9 \pm 2.6 \pm 0.8 \text{ MeV/c}^2$

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$\Omega_{\rm b}$ (bss) \rightarrow J/ $\psi \Omega^{-}$

Decay length $\Lambda^0 > 10\sigma$ Optimize MC signal/wrong-sign BG from data Use Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) to improve S/B for Ω^- signal Remove events from Ξ^- reflection







$\Omega_{\rm b}$ (bss)

- Flight distance of Λ^0 from primary vtx d > 1.0 cm
- Remove events from $\Xi_{\rm b}$ reflection
- Decay time of $\Omega_{\rm b}$ ct > 100 um
- Ω^{-} constrained to J/ψ vertex
- Impact parameter of Ω_b wrt J/ ψ vtx, and primary vtx < 3 σ

$\Omega_{\rm b}$ background



$\Omega_{\rm b}$ MASS

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$\Omega_{\rm b}$ MASS

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D0 : Λ_{b} mass OK

CDF: reconstructed B⁰, Λ_{b} with similar cuts – OK



6σ difference in mass ! Not understood

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mathsf{M}(\Xi_{\mathsf{b}}) & \mathsf{D0} < \mathsf{CDF} \\ \mathsf{M}(\Omega_{\mathsf{b}}) & \mathsf{D0} > \mathsf{CDF} \end{array}$

Updated D0 result in progress











consistent with weak decay

$$\tau(\Xi_b) = 1.56^{+0.27}_{-0.25} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (sys) ps}$$

$$\tau(\Omega_b) = 1.13^{+0.53}_{-0.40} \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (sys) ps}$$

$\Xi_{\rm b}$, $\Omega_{\rm b}$ production rates

$$\frac{\sigma(\Xi_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Xi_{b} \to J/\psi \Xi^{-})}{\sigma(\Lambda_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Lambda_{b} \to J/\psi \Lambda^{-})} = 0.28 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.09$$

$$\frac{f(b \to \Omega_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Omega_{b} \to J/\psi \Omega^{-})}{f(b \to \Xi_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Xi_{b} \to J/\psi \Xi^{-})} = 0.80 \pm 0.32 \pm 20$$

$$\operatorname{using} \frac{\Gamma(\Omega_{b} \to J/\psi \Omega^{-})}{\Gamma(\Xi_{b} \to J/\psi \Xi^{-})} = 9.8, \text{ and estimates} \quad \text{for} \quad \tau(\Xi_{b}), \ \tau(\Omega_{b})$$

$$\frac{f(b \to \Omega_{b})}{f(b \to \Xi_{b})} \approx 0.07 - 0.14$$

CDF

D0

$$\frac{\sigma(\Xi_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Xi_{b} \to J/\psi \Xi^{-})}{\sigma(\Lambda_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Lambda_{b} \to J/\psi \Lambda^{-})} = 0.167^{+0.037}_{-0.025}$$
$$\frac{\sigma(\Omega_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Xi_{b} \to J/\psi \Omega^{-})}{\sigma(\Lambda_{b}) \operatorname{BR}(\Lambda_{b} \to J/\psi \Lambda^{-})} = 0.045^{+0.017}_{-0.012}$$

EXCITED (L=1) B MESONS

- Heavy-light quark mesons ~ hydrogen atom
- The heavy quark acts as a static source of charge and color and the meson's properties are governed by the dynamics of the light quark
- good approx as $m_b >> \Lambda_{QCD}$

For L=1 mesons, energy levels characterized by $j=L+S_q$ total angular momentum of light quark 2 degenerate doublets j=1/2 (0+, 1+) S-wave decay, broad $\Gamma \sim O(100 \text{MeV})$ j=3/2 (1+, 2+) D-wave decay, narrow $\Gamma \sim O(10 \text{MeV})$

EXCITED (L=1) MESONS



L=1MESONS B_1, B_2^*



$$B_1 \rightarrow B^{*+} \pi^-, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^+ \gamma$$
$$B_2^* \rightarrow B^+ \pi^-,$$
$$B_2^* \rightarrow B^{*+} \pi^-, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^+ \gamma$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \ K^+, \ J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \ \mu^-$$

di-muon trigger



 $m(B_1) = 5720.6 \pm 2.4 \pm 1.4 \; MeV/c^2$

 $m(B_2{}^*) = 5746.8 \pm 2.4 \pm 1.7 \; MeV/c^2$

L=1MESONS B₁

$$B_1 \rightarrow B^{*+} \pi^-, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^+ \gamma$$
$$B_2^* \rightarrow B^+ \pi^-,$$
$$B_2^* \rightarrow B^{*+} \pi^-, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^+ \gamma$$

- $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+, J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^$ di-muon trigger
- $B^+ \rightarrow D^0(3)\pi^+, D^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ **Two Track Trigger**

Most precise mass measurement

First measurement of B_2^* width

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1, **D**2
CDF II Preliminary
L = 1.7 fb
Data
Total Fit
B₁
$$\rightarrow$$
 B²₁
B₁ \rightarrow **B**³₁
B₂ \rightarrow **B**³
B³
B³
B³ \rightarrow **B**³

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 $B_{s1} \rightarrow B^{*+} K^{-}, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^{+} \gamma$ $B_{s2}^* \rightarrow B^+ K^ B_{s2}^* \rightarrow B^{*+} K^-, B^{*+} \rightarrow B^+ \gamma$

 $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \ K^+, \ J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \ \mu^-$

 $B^+ \rightarrow D0 \pi^+, D0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$

 $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi \ K^+, \ J/\psi \rightarrow \mu^+ \ \mu^-$



 $\begin{array}{l} M(B_{s1}) = 5829.4 \pm 0.7 \; MeV/c^2 \\ M(B_{s2}{}^*) = 5839.6 \pm 0.7 \; MeV/c^2 \end{array}$

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 $M(B_{s2}^{*}) = 5839.6 \pm 0.7 \text{ MeV/c}^{2}$

Test for B_{s1} signal - fit ∆M with two-peak hypothesis -second peak <3σ significance

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CHARMONIUM-LIKE STATES

Large number of candidates for charmonium and charmonium-like states

Many not easily accomodated by theoretical expectations for cc mesons

Several models proposed: Meson-antimeson molecules diquark-antidiquark bound states cc-gluon hybrids threshold effects



X(3872)

- Discovered Belle(2003)
- Seen at CDF, D0, BaBar
- J^{PC} = 1⁺⁺ or 2⁻⁺
- available charmonium states are not expected to have large BF to J/ψ ρ.
- D⁰D^{*0} molecule? close to threshold.
- Tetraquark? Maiani predicts another state very close in mass ~8 MeV/c² Maiani, PRD71,014028(2005)



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X(3872) \rightarrow J/ $\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$

New CDF result

Neural net to optimize S/B

most precise mass measurement $3871.61 \pm 0.16 \pm 0.19$ MeV/c²

No evidence for 2 states

Just below $D^0 D^{*0}$ threshold 3871.80 \pm 0.35 MeV/c²

Possibly a D⁰ D^{*0} molecule



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X(3872) TWO STATES?

- •Width of BW and gaussian resolution fixed to expected values
- Introduce width scale factor t
- Compare measured value of t with toy MCData consistent with single state

Generate t for simulated mass differences
Find upper limit as function of fraction of lower-lying state





Upper limit on mass difference assuming equal mix: 3.6 MeV/c² at 95% cl





EVIDENCE FOR Y(4140)

- J/ψ φ observation of Y(3930) near J/ψ ω threshold motivates search for similar states near J/ψ φ threshold
- use B⁺→ J/ψ φ K⁺ to reduce background
- di-muon trigger
- dE/dx and TOF to identify kaons





EVIDENCE FOR Y(4140)

EPP

$\Delta M = m(\mu\mu KK) - m(\mu\mu)$

- unbinned likelihood fit
- Signal: relativistic BW convoluted with gaussian
- BG: 3-body phase space

14 \pm 5 signal events m = 4143 \pm 2.9 \pm 1.2 MeV/c² Γ = 11.7^{+8.3}_{-5.0} \pm 3.7 MeV/c²

significance 3.8σ Not seen by Belle



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B LIFETIMES

- Weak decays of hadrons with one heavy quark are dominated by the decay of the heavy quark
- In limit m_b→∞ all b hadrons have same lifetime, differences due to spectator quarks.
- Theoretical predictions:
 - $\tau(\mathsf{B}^{+}) > \tau(\mathsf{B}_{\mathsf{d}}) \sim \tau(\mathsf{B}_{\mathsf{s}}) > \tau(\Lambda_{\mathsf{b}}) >> \tau(\mathsf{B}_{\mathsf{c}})$
 - $\tau (B^{+})/\tau (B_{d}) = 1.06 \pm 0.02$
 - $\tau (B_s) / \tau (B_d) = 1.00 \pm 0.01$
 - $\tau (\Lambda_{\rm b})/\tau (B_{\rm d}) = 0.88 \pm 0.05$

Tarantino (arXiv hep-ph/0310241)



- di-muon trigger
- compare with $B^0 \to J/\psi \; K_s$ which is topolgically similar

CDF

 $\tau(\Lambda_{\rm b})$ = 1.580 ± 0.077 ± 0.012 ps

 $\tau(\Lambda_b)/\tau(B^0) = 1.018 \pm 0.062 \pm 0.007$

D0

 $\tau(\Lambda_b)$ = 1.218 ± 0.12 ± 0.042 ps

 $\tau(\Lambda_{\rm b})/\tau({\rm B}^0) = 0.811 \pm 0.09 \pm 0.034$



 $\bigwedge \Lambda_{b} \rightarrow \mu \nu \Lambda_{c} X, \Lambda_{c} \rightarrow K_{s} p$

- Semileptonic decay
- Single muon trigger without impact parameter cuts
- MC used to correct for missing v
- Yield measured in bins of Visible proper decay length

 $\tau(\Lambda_{\rm b})$ = 1.29 ± 0.11 ± 0.09 ps

combined with $J/\psi \Lambda$ results $\tau(\Lambda_b) = 1.25 \pm 0.10$ ps

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$Λ_{b}$ LIFETIME: $Λ_{b} \rightarrow Λ_{c} \pi, \Lambda_{c} \rightarrow pK\pi$



• TTT has lifetime bias, correct with MC



CDF II Preliminary, L = 1.1 fb⁻¹



wwwcdf.fnal.gov/physics/new/bottom/090416.blessed-lblcpi-ct

$Λ_{b}$ Lifetime: $Λ_{b} \rightarrow Λ_{c} \pi$, $Λ_{c} \rightarrow pK\pi$





- Fit mass distribution to find sample composition of signal region
- •unbinned likelihood fit exponential convoluted with trigger efficiency and detector resolution

 $\tau(\Lambda_b)$ = 1.401 ± 0.046(stat) ± 0.035(sys) ps

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$\Lambda_{\rm b}$ Lifetime



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SUMMARY

- Tevatron is an ideal place to study b-physics
 - production of B baryons, B_c and excited mesons not produced at B factories
- CDF and D0 have made many important measurements
 - Many results presented here use < 2 fb⁻¹ data
 - Tevatron has delivered >7 fb⁻¹, and more on the way
 - Looking forward to new and higher precision results from data already on tape.

