

NioBe : Non-leptonic Three-Body B decays

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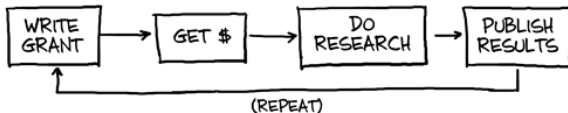
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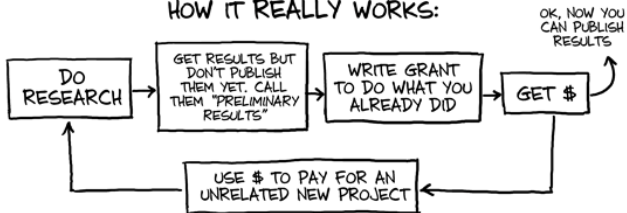
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THE GRANT CYCLE

HOW IT'S SUPPOSED TO WORK:



HOW IT REALLY WORKS:



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Outline

1. $B \rightarrow D(\pi\pi)$ at small $m_{\pi\pi}$
2. $B \rightarrow \pi(\pi\pi)$ at small $m_{\pi\pi}$
3. $B \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$ at large $m_{\pi\pi}$
4. $B \rightarrow \pi X$ for a soft pion
5. $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ form factors at small $m_{\pi\pi}$

B-decay Amplitudes

- Effective Hamiltonian at the hadronic scale $\mu \sim m_B$

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = -\mathcal{L}_{QED+QCD} + \sum_i C_i \mathcal{O}_i$$

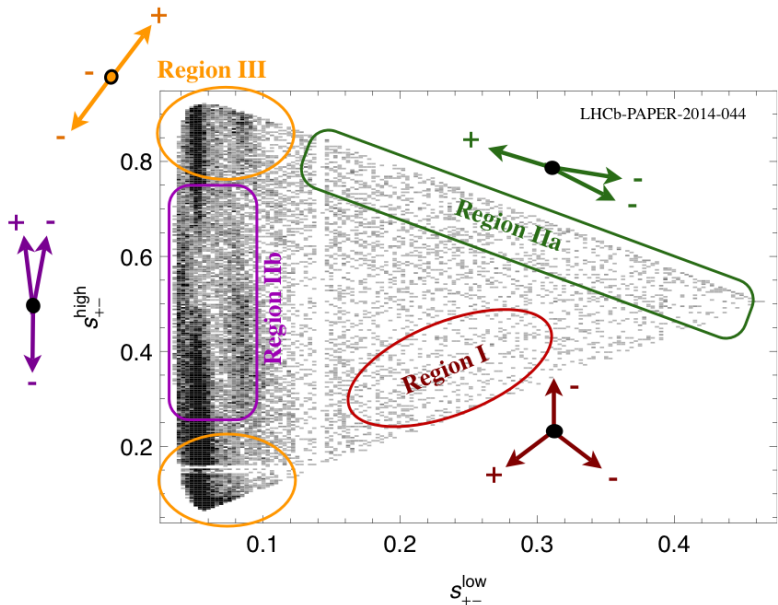
- C_i – Wilson coefficients (UV physics) \rightarrow perturbation theory
- \mathcal{O}_i – Effective operators (IR physics) [e.g. $\mathcal{O} = (\bar{b}\gamma^\mu u)(\bar{u}\gamma_\mu d)$]
- Amplitudes:

$$\mathcal{A}(B \rightarrow f) = \sum_i C_i \langle f | \mathcal{O}_i | B \rangle$$

The problem is to compute the **operator matrix elements**:

\rightarrow non-perturbative, process dependent (non-universal)

Regions



$B \rightarrow D\pi\pi$

- Effective hamiltonian:

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ud}^* V_{cb} (C_1 Q_1 + C_2 Q_2) + h.c.$$

- Operators:

$$Q_1 = (\bar{d}\gamma_\mu P_L T^a u) (\bar{c}\gamma^\mu P_L T^a b) , \quad Q_2 = (\bar{d}\gamma_\mu P_L u) (\bar{c}\gamma^\mu P_L b) .$$

- We need to calculate the matrix elements

$$\langle Q_i \rangle \equiv \langle D^+ \pi^- \pi^0 | Q_i | \bar{B}^0 \rangle .$$

- We consider the region where $m_{\pi\pi}^2 \ll m_B^2$ (e.g. the “ ρ ” region)

$$B \rightarrow D\pi\pi$$

Due to the kinematics of the process we can match the operators Q_i onto SCET operators $\widetilde{\mathcal{O}}_k$, for which the matrix elements factorize into the matrix elements of two SCET currents. These SCET currents can in turn be matched to QCD currents, so that one can define a set of operators \mathcal{O}_k in QCD such that:

$$Q_i = \sum_k \int_0^1 dt C_{ik}(t) \mathcal{O}_k(t)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_k(t) = [\bar{d}(tn_-)[tn_-, 0] \not{n} \Gamma_k u(0)] \otimes [\bar{c} \not{n}_+ \Gamma'_k b]$$

with Γ_k, Γ'_k some dirac structures, and the notation $\mathcal{J}_1 \otimes \mathcal{J}_2$ means that the matrix elements factorize.

Then,

$$\langle \mathcal{O}_k(t) \rangle = \langle \pi^- \pi^0 | \bar{d}(tn_-)[tn_-, 0] \not{n} \Gamma_k u(0) | 0 \rangle \langle D^+ | \bar{c} \not{n}_+ \Gamma'_k b | \bar{B}^0 \rangle$$

$B \rightarrow D\pi\pi$

- Form factor:

$$\langle D^+ | \bar{c} \not{h}_+ \Gamma'_k b | \bar{B}^0 \rangle = F^{B \rightarrow D}(s)$$

- GDA:

$$S_{\alpha\beta}^{\bar{d}u}(z, k_1, k_2) \equiv \frac{k_{12}^+}{4\pi} \int dx^- e^{-iz(k_{12}^+ x^-)/2} \langle \pi^- \pi^0 | \bar{d}_\beta(x) [x, 0] u_\alpha(0) | 0 \rangle_{x^+ = x_\perp = 0}$$

$$S_{\alpha\beta}^{\bar{d}u} = \frac{1}{4} \Phi_{\parallel}^{\bar{d}u}(z, \zeta, k_{12}^2) \not{k}_{12} + \Phi_{\perp}^{\bar{d}u}(z, \zeta, k_{12}^2) \sigma_{\mu\nu} k_1^\mu k_2^\nu$$

$$\langle \pi^- \pi^0 | \bar{d}(tn_-) [tn_-, 0] \not{h}_- \Gamma_k u(0) | 0 \rangle = \frac{k_{12}^+}{2} \int dz e^{iztk_{12}^+} \Phi_{\parallel}^{\bar{d}u}(z, \zeta, s)$$

$B \rightarrow D\pi\pi$

- Finally, the matrix elements are given by:

$$\langle Q_i \rangle = \frac{1}{2} k_{12}^+ F^{B \rightarrow D}(s) \int dz T_i(z, k_{12}^+) \Phi_{\parallel}^{\bar{d}u}(z, \zeta, s)$$

- with the usual hard-scattering kernels

$$T_i(z, k_{12}^+) = \sum_k \int_0^1 dt C_{ik}(t) e^{izk_{12}^+ t}$$

- T_i known at NNLO from 2-body B -decay studies.

GDA from data

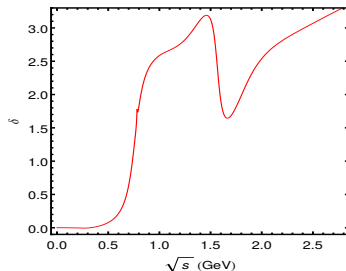
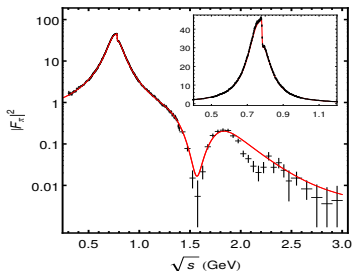
- Definition: $[s = (k_1 + k_2)^2, k_1 = \zeta k_{12}, k_2 = \bar{\zeta} k_{12}]$

$$\phi_{\pi\pi}^q(z, \zeta, s) = \int \frac{dx^-}{2\pi} e^{iz(k_{12}^+ x^-)} \langle \pi^+(k_1) \pi^-(k_2) | \bar{q}(x^- n_-) \not{n}_+ q(0) | 0 \rangle$$

- Normalization (local correlator):

$$\int dz \phi_{\pi\pi}(z, \zeta, s) = (2\zeta - 1) F_\pi(s) \quad (\text{pion time-like FF})$$

- $F_\pi(s)$: Data (BaBar) + Theory (χPT , $R\chi PT$, Asymptotics...)



$B \rightarrow D\pi\pi$

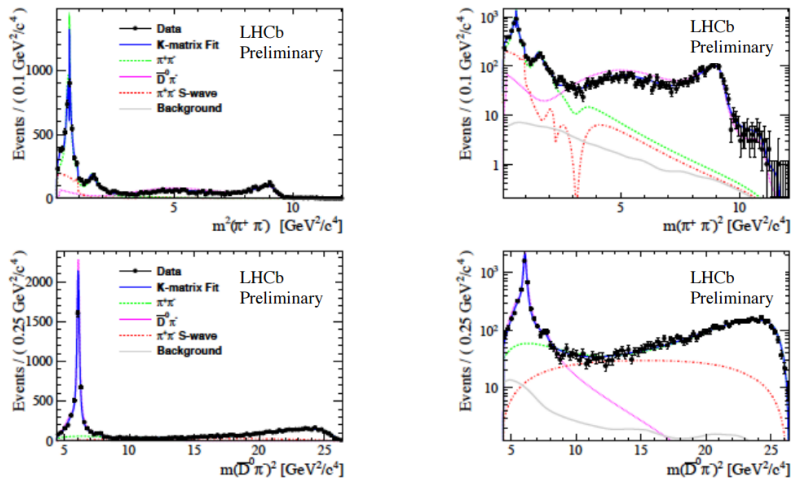
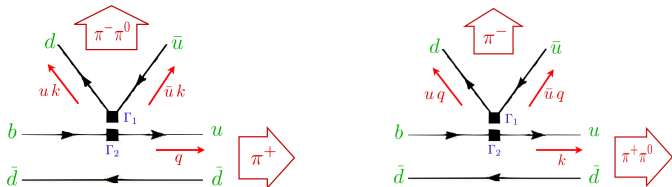


Figure 7: Projections of the data and K-matrix fit onto (a) $m^2(\pi^+\pi^-)$ and (c) $m^2(\bar{D}^0\pi^-)$ with the same projections shown in (b) and (d) with a logarithmic y -axis scale. Components are described in the legend. The lines denoted $\bar{D}^0\pi^-$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ include the coherent sums of all $\bar{D}^0\pi^-$ resonances, $\pi^+\pi^-$ resonances, and $\pi^+\pi^-$ S-wave resonances.

$B \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$

- Two contributions: 2π GDA and $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ FF:



$$\begin{aligned}
 \langle \pi_{\bar{n}}^- \pi_n^+ \pi_n^- | \mathcal{O} | B \rangle &= \langle \pi_{\bar{n}}^- | \bar{h}_\nu \Gamma \xi_n | B \rangle \times \int dz T_1(z) \langle \pi_{\bar{n}}^- \pi_n^+ | \bar{\chi}_{\bar{n}}(z\bar{n}) \Gamma' \chi_n(0) | 0 \rangle \\
 &+ \langle \pi_{\bar{n}}^- \pi_n^+ | \bar{h}_\nu \Gamma \xi_{\bar{n}} | B \rangle \times \int dz T_2(z) \langle \pi_n^- | \bar{\chi}_{\bar{n}}(zn) \Gamma' \chi_n(0) | 0 \rangle \\
 &\sim F^{B \rightarrow \pi} T_1 \otimes \phi_{\pi\pi} + F^{B \rightarrow \pi\pi} T_2 \otimes \phi_\pi
 \end{aligned}$$

- New Non-perturbative input:

- ▶ **Generalized Distribution Amplitudes (GDAs)** [Diehl, Polyakov, Gousset, Pire...]
- ▶ **Generalized Form Factors (GFFs)** [Faller, Feldmann, Khodjamirian, Mannel, van Dyk...]

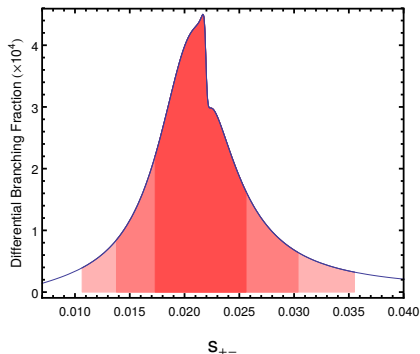
$$B \rightarrow (\pi\pi)_\rho \pi$$

★ Leading order amplitude:

$$\mathcal{A}|_{s_{+-} \ll 1} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \left[4m_B^2 f_0(s_{+-})(2\zeta - 1) F_\pi(s_{+-})(a_2 + a_4) + f_\pi m_\pi (a_1 - a_4) F_t(\zeta, s_{+-}) \right]$$

★ Integrating around the ρ :

$$BR(B^- \rightarrow \rho \pi^-) \simeq \int_0^1 ds_{++} \int_{s_\rho^-}^{s_\rho^+} ds_{+-} \frac{\tau_B m_B |\mathcal{A}|^2}{32(2\pi)^3}$$



$$\text{with } s_\rho^\pm = (m_\rho \pm n\Gamma_\rho)^2 / m_B^2$$

$$BR(B^+ \rightarrow \rho \pi^+) \simeq 9.4 \cdot 10^{-6} \quad (n = 0.5)$$

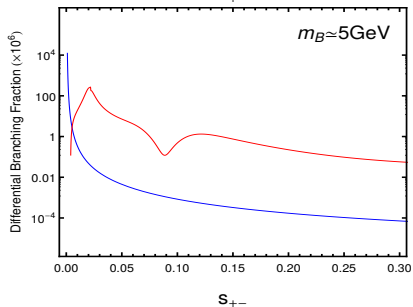
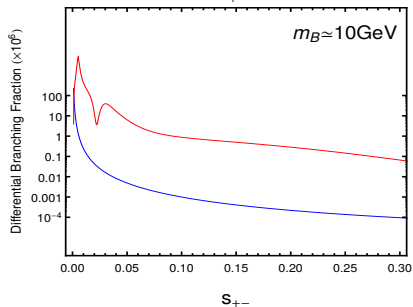
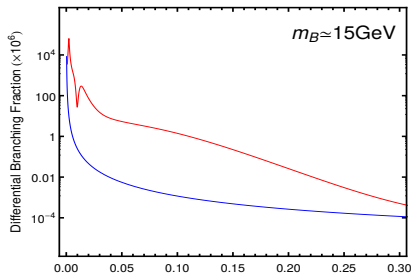
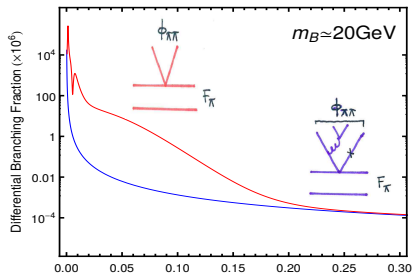
$$BR(B^+ \rightarrow \rho \pi^+) \simeq 12.8 \cdot 10^{-6} \quad (n = 1)$$

$$BR(B^+ \rightarrow \rho \pi^+) \simeq 14.1 \cdot 10^{-6} \quad (n = 1.5)$$

$$BR(B^+ \rightarrow \rho \pi^+)_{\text{EXP}} = (8.3 \pm 1.2) \cdot 10^{-6}$$

$$BR(B^+ \rightarrow \rho \pi^+)_{\text{QCDF}} = (11.9_{-6.1}^{+7.8}) \cdot 10^{-6}$$

$B \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$ at large $m_{\pi\pi}$ ($\phi_{\pi\pi}$ term)



Soft pions

- Soft pion theorem:

$$\lim_{q^\mu \rightarrow 0} \langle \pi^+ \beta | \mathcal{O} | \alpha \rangle = -\frac{i}{\sqrt{2}f_\pi} \langle \beta | [Q_5^+, \mathcal{O}] | \alpha \rangle + \lim_{q^\mu \rightarrow 0} i q^\mu R_\mu^k$$

with

$$Q_5^+ = \int d^3x \bar{d}(x) \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 u(x).$$

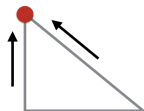
- $B \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$

$$\lim_{q^\mu \rightarrow 0} \langle \pi^+(q) [\pi^+ \pi^-] | \mathcal{O} | B^+ \rangle = \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}f_\pi} \langle \pi^+ \pi^- | (\bar{b} \Gamma u) (\bar{d} \gamma_5 \Gamma' d) | B^+ \rangle$$

can be computed in QCDF analogous to $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$.

- Should recover the same result from soft-pion limit of edge:

$$\Phi_{\parallel}(z, \zeta = 1, s = 0) = -\Phi_{\parallel}(z, \zeta = 0, s = 0) = \varphi_\pi(z)$$



$B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ form factors at low s

Idea: Use LCSR with B -meson DA's (complementary to Hambrock, Khodjamirian)

- **Correlation function**

$$\begin{aligned} F_{\mu\nu}(k, q) &= i \int d^4x e^{ik \cdot x} \langle 0 | T \{ \bar{d}(x) \gamma_\mu u(x), \bar{u}(0) \gamma_{\nu L} b(0) \} | \bar{B}(k+q) \rangle \\ &= i \varepsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} q^\rho k^\sigma F^{(\varepsilon)}(k^2, q^2) + \tilde{F}_{\mu\nu}(k, q) \end{aligned}$$

- **Unitarity relation**

$$2 \operatorname{Im} F_{\mu\nu} = \int d\tau_{2\pi} \langle 0 | \bar{d} \gamma_\mu u | \pi^+ \pi^0 \rangle \langle \pi^+ \pi^0 | \bar{u} \gamma_{\nu L} b | \bar{B}(k+q) \rangle + \text{higher states}$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Im} F^{(\varepsilon)}(k^2, q^2) = \frac{\sqrt{k^2} \beta_\pi^3 F_\pi(k^2)}{24\pi \sqrt{\lambda}} F_\perp^{(1)}(k^2, q^2) + \text{higher states}$$

- **Dispersion relation**

$$F^{(\varepsilon)}(k^2, q^2) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} ds \frac{\operatorname{Im} F^{(\varepsilon)}(s, q^2)}{s - k^2} = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^{\infty} ds \frac{\sqrt{s} \beta_\pi^3(s) F_\pi(s) F_\perp^{(1)}(s, q^2)}{24\pi^2 \sqrt{\lambda(s)} (s - k^2)} + \dots$$

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- **OPE**

$$F_{\text{OPE}}^{(\varepsilon)}(k^2, q^2) = \frac{-if_B m_B q_+ k_-}{4[q^2 k^2 - (q \cdot k)^2]} \int_0^\infty d\omega \frac{\phi_+^B(\omega)}{\omega - 2k_+} \simeq \frac{if_B}{2} \int_0^\infty d\omega \frac{\phi_+^B(\omega)}{m_B \omega - k^2}$$

- **Borel transformation and duality**

$$\frac{if_B}{2m_B} \int_0^\infty ds e^{-s/M^2} \phi_+^B(s/m_B) = \int_{4m_\pi^2}^\infty ds \frac{\sqrt{s} \beta_\pi^3(s) F_\pi(s) F_\perp^{(1)}(s, q^2)}{24\pi^2 \sqrt{\lambda(s)}} e^{-s/M^2}$$

etc...

- Understand the ρ contribution
- see what constraints are derived from this SR, etc...

Conclusions

