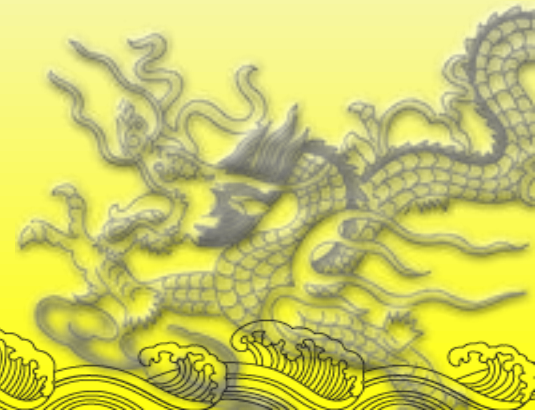


# *Charmed hadron lifetimes in the HQE approach*

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# PDG (2018)

	$10^{-13}\text{s}$
$D_d^0$	$4.101 \pm 0.015$
$D^+$	$10.40 \pm 0.07$
$D_s^+$	$5.00 \pm 0.07$

	$10^{-12}\text{s}$
$B_d^0$	$1.520 \pm 0.004$
$B_s^0$	$1.510 \pm 0.005$
$B^+$	$1.638 \pm 0.004$

	$10^{-13}\text{s}$
$\Xi_c^+$	$4.42 \pm 0.26$
$\Lambda_c^+$	$2.00 \pm 0.06$
$\Xi_c^0$	$1.12^{+0.13}_{-0.10}$
$\Omega_c^0$	$0.69 \pm 0.12$

	$10^{-12}\text{s}$
$\Lambda_b^0$	$1.470 \pm 0.009$
$\Xi_b^0$	$1.479 \pm 0.030$
$\Xi_b^-$	$1.571 \pm 0.030$
$\Omega_b^-$	$1.64^{+0.18}_{-0.17}$

due mainly to FOCUS

**Lifetimes of  $\Omega_c^0$  &  $\Xi_{cc}^{++}$  measured by LHCb recently**

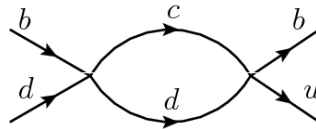
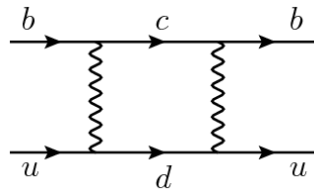
# Lifetimes of heavy baryons

## Heavy quark expansion:

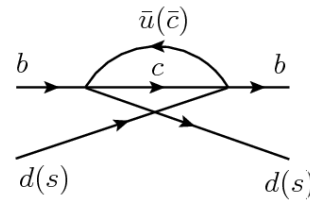
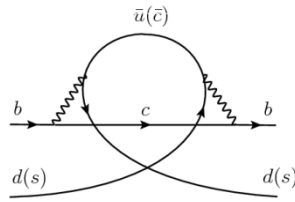
$$\Gamma(H_Q \rightarrow f) = \frac{G_F^2 m_Q^5}{192\pi^3} V_{CKM} \left( A_0 + \frac{A_2}{m_Q^2} + \frac{A_3}{m_Q^3} + \dots \right)$$
$$= \frac{G_F^2 m_Q^5}{192\pi^3} \left( c_{3,Q} \frac{\langle H_Q | \bar{Q}Q | H_Q \rangle}{2m_{H_Q}} + \frac{c_{5,Q}}{m_Q^2} \frac{\langle H_Q | \bar{Q} \sigma \cdot GQ | H_Q \rangle}{2m_{H_Q}} + \frac{c_{6,Q}}{m_Q^3} \frac{\langle H_Q | T_6 | H_Q \rangle}{2m_{H_Q}} + \dots \right)$$

- $A_0$  term from the decay of heavy quark  $Q$   
⇒ Lifetimes of all heavy hadrons  $H_Q$  are the same in  $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$  limit
- No linear  $1/m_Q$  corrections, known as Luke's theorem
- $A_2$  term arises from the interaction of heavy quark spin with gluon
- $A_3$  term consists of dim-6 four-quark operators which will induce the spectator effects responsible for lifetime differences

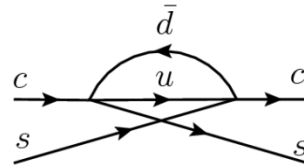
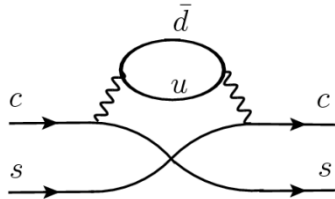
# Spectator effects described by dim-6 four-quark operators:



**W-exchange**



**destructive P.I.  
(Pauli interference)**



**constructive P.I.  
(only for charmed baryons)**

- Although spectator effects are  $1/m_Q^3$  suppressed, they are numerically important due to a p.s. enhancement factor of  $16\pi^2$  relative to heavy quark decay

## Examples of dim-6 four-quark operators for spectator effects

$$\mathcal{T}_{6,ann}^{B_Q,q_1} = \frac{G_F^2 m_Q^2}{2\pi} \xi (1-x)^2 \left\{ (c_1^2 + c_2^2) (\bar{Q}Q) (\bar{q}_1 q_1) + 2c_1 c_2 (\bar{Q}q_1) (\bar{q}_1 Q) \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{T}_{6,int+}^{B_Q,q_3} = & -\frac{G_F^2 m_Q^2}{6\pi} \xi \left\{ c_2^2 \left[ (\bar{Q}Q) (\bar{q}_3 q_3) - \bar{Q}^\alpha (1 - \gamma_5) q_3^\beta \bar{q}_3^\beta (1 + \gamma_5) Q^\alpha \right] \right. \\ & \left. + (2c_1 c_2 + N_c c_1^2) \left[ (\bar{Q}q_3) (\bar{q}_3 Q) - \bar{Q} (1 - \gamma_5) q_3 \bar{q}_3 (1 + \gamma_5) Q \right] \right\}, \end{aligned} \quad (\bar{q}_1 q_2) \equiv \bar{q}_1 \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) q_2$$

## How to evaluate hadronic matrix elements?

- **Meson matrix elements: bag parameters guided by vacuum insertion approximation (VIA)**

$$\langle B_q | (\bar{b}q) (\bar{q}b) | B_q \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q}^2 B_1, \quad \langle B_q | (\bar{b}q) | 0 \rangle = i f_{B_q} m_{B_q}$$

$$\langle B_q | \bar{b} (1 - \gamma_5) q \bar{q} (1 + \gamma_5) b | B_q \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q}^2 B_2,$$

$$\langle B_q | (\bar{b} t^a q) (\bar{q} t^a b) | B_q \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q}^2 \varepsilon_1,$$

$$\langle B_q | b t^a (1 - \gamma_5) q \bar{q} t^a (1 + \gamma_5) b | B_q \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q}^2 \varepsilon_2$$

$$\text{VIA} \Rightarrow B_i = 1, \varepsilon_i = 0$$

estimated using QCD sum rules, LQCD,..., and updated recently by Kirk, Lenz, Rauch using HQET sum rules ('17)

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$$B_1 = 1.028_{-0.056}^{+0.064}, \quad B_2 = 0.988_{-0.079}^{+0.087}, \quad \varepsilon_1 = -0.107_{-0.029}^{+0.028}, \quad \varepsilon_2 = -0.033_{-0.021}^{+0.021}$$

## ■ Baryon matrix elements: quark model

$$\langle \mathcal{B}_b | (\bar{b}q)(\bar{q}b) | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q} m_{B_b} L_1,$$

$$\langle \mathcal{B}_b | \bar{b}(1 - \gamma_5)q\bar{q}(1 + \gamma_5)b | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q} m_{B_b} L_2,$$

$$\langle \mathcal{B}_b | (\bar{b}b)(\bar{q}q) | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q} m_{B_b} L_3,$$

$$\langle \mathcal{B}_b | \bar{b}^\alpha(1 - \gamma_5)q^\beta\bar{q}^\beta(1 + \gamma_5)b^\alpha | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = f_{B_q}^2 m_{B_q} m_{B_b} L_4.$$

$\mathcal{B}_b$ : antitriplet baryon  $T_b$  or sextet baryon  $\Omega_b$

$$L_1^{T_b} = -\frac{1}{6}r_{T_b}, \quad L_2^{T_b} = \frac{1}{12}r_{T_b}, \quad L_3^{T_b} = \frac{1}{6}\tilde{B}r_{T_b}, \quad L_4^{T_b} = -\frac{1}{12}\tilde{B}r_{T_b}$$

$$L_1^{\Omega_b} = -r_{\Omega_b}, \quad L_2^{\Omega_b} = -\frac{1}{6}r_{\Omega_b}, \quad L_3^{\Omega_b} = \tilde{B}r_{\Omega_b}, \quad L_4^{\Omega_b} = \frac{1}{6}\tilde{B}r_{\Omega_b}.$$

**r is a wave function ratio**  $r_{\Lambda_b} = \left| \psi_{bq}^{\Lambda_b}(0) \right|^2 / \left| \psi_{b\bar{q}}^B(0) \right|^2$

$$\left| \psi_{b\bar{q}}^B(0) \right|^2 = \frac{1}{12} f_B^2 m_B$$

**$\tilde{B}$  defined by**  $\langle \mathcal{B}_b | (\bar{b}b)(\bar{q}q) | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = -\tilde{B} \langle \mathcal{B}_b | (\bar{b}q)(\bar{q}b) | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle$

$$\langle \mathcal{B}_b | (\bar{b}q)(\bar{q}b) + (\bar{b}b)(\bar{q}q) | \mathcal{B}_b \rangle = 0$$

**$\tilde{B}=1$  in valence-quark approx, valid at hadronic scale**

## Lifetimes of bottom mesons

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- Wilson coefficients  $c_3, c_5, c_6$  to NLO are available to B & D, but not to heavy baryons, while  $c_7$  is known to LO only.
- For the reason of consistency, we focus on LO-QCD study.
- To LO-QCD, it is sensitive to the definition of quark mass: e.g. pole,  $\overline{\text{MS}}$ , kinetic, 1S scheme.
- PDG:  $m_b^{1S} = 4.691 \pm 0.037 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $m_b^{pole} \sim 4.65 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $m_b^{kin} = 4.554 \pm 0.018 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\bar{m}_b(\bar{m}_b) = 4.19 \pm 0.04 \text{ GeV}$
- To NLO-QCD, the dependence on quark mass definition will be considerably weaker.
- We employ kinetic b-quark mass as the calculated  $B \rightarrow X_c e^+ \nu_e$  rate to LO is very close to the measured one.

# Lifetimes of bottom mesons

Using the bag parameters obtained by Kirk, Lenz, Rauch as input

	Dec	Ann	Int(-)	Semi	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau (10^{-12}\text{s})$	Expt ( $10^{-12}\text{s}$ )
	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau (10^{-12}\text{s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}} (10^{-12}\text{s})$
$B^+$	3.102	0	-0.267	1.000	3.834	1.717	$1.638 \pm 0.004$
$B_d^0$	3.102	0.040	0	1.000	4.142	1.589	$1.520 \pm 0.004$
$B_s^0$	3.102	0.055	0	1.000	4.157	1.583	$1.510 \pm 0.005$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(B^+)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{theo}} = 1.074^{+0.017}_{-0.016},$$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(B^+)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{KLR}} = 1.082^{+0.022}_{-0.026},$$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(B_s^0)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{theo}} = 0.9964 \pm 0.0024,$$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(B_s^0)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{KLR}} = 0.9994 \pm 0.0025$$

**KLR = Kirk, Lenz, Rauch**

$$\left. \frac{\tau(B^+)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{expt}} = 1.076 \pm 0.004,$$

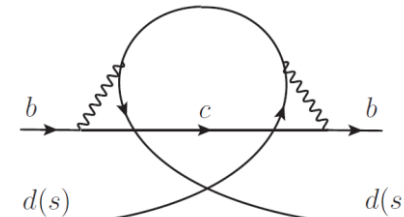
$$\left. \frac{\tau(B_s^0)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{expt}} = 0.994 \pm 0.004,$$

**in excellent agreement with experiment!**



# Lifetimes of singly bottom baryons

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-12} \text{ s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-12} \text{ s})$
$\Lambda_b^0$	3.108	0.219	-0.051	1.056	4.332	1.520	$1.470 \pm 0.009$
$\Xi_b^0$	3.108	0.223	-0.082	1.056	4.305	1.529	
$\Xi_b^-$	3.108		-0.127	1.056	4.037	1.630	
$\Omega_b^-$	3.105		-0.330	1.040	3.815	1.725	



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**Lifetime hierarchy**  $\tau(\Omega_b^-) > \tau(\Xi_b^-) > \tau(\Xi_b^0) \sim \tau(\Lambda_b^0)$

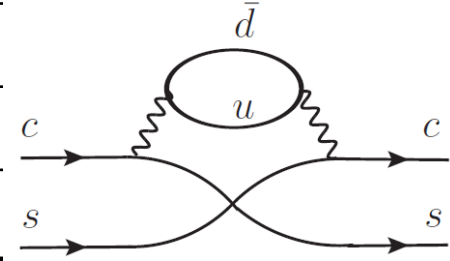
$$\left. \frac{\tau(\Xi_b^-)}{\tau(\Lambda_b^0)} \right|_{\text{theo}} = 1.073^{+0.009}_{-0.004}, \quad \left. \frac{\tau(\Xi_b^-)}{\tau(\Lambda_b^0)} \right|_{\text{expt}} = 1.089 \pm 0.028,$$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(\Lambda_b^0)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{theo}} = 0.953^{+0.006}_{-0.008}, \quad \left. \frac{\tau(\Lambda_b^0)}{\tau(B_d^0)} \right|_{\text{expt}} = 0.964 \pm 0.007$$

$$\left. \frac{\tau(\Xi_b^-)}{\tau(\Xi_b^-)} \right|_{\text{theo}} = 1.054^{+0.006}_{-0.002}, \quad \left. \frac{\tau(\Xi_b^-)}{\tau(\Xi_b^-)} \right|_{\text{expt}} = 1.11 \pm 0.16,$$

**Heavy quark expansion (HQE) in  $1/m_b$  works very well for B mesons and bottom baryons!**

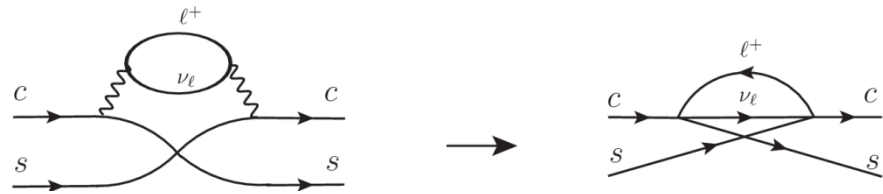
	Dec	Ann	Int (-)	Int (+)	Semi	$\tau$ ( $10^{-13}\text{s}$ )	Expt ( $10^{-13}\text{s}$ )
$\Xi_c^+$	1	$s^2$	1	$c^2$	small P.I.	3.06	$4.42 \pm 0.26$
$\Lambda_c^+$	1	$c^2$	1	$s^2$	no P.I.	2.91	
$\Xi_c^0$	1	1		$c^2$	small P.I.	1.62	
$\Omega_c^0$	1	$6s^2$		$10/3 c^2$	large P.I.	1.06	



$$s = \sin\theta_c, \quad c = \cos\theta_c$$

additional constructive  
P.I. contribution to  $\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$

Voloshin ('96)



■ Lifetime hierarchy  $\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0) > \tau(\Omega_c^0)$  according to PDG is understood qualitatively, but not quantitatively.

■ It is difficult to explain  $\tau(\Xi_c^+)/\tau(\Lambda_c^+) = 2.21 \pm 0.15$ ,

$$\tau(\Xi_c^+)/\tau(\Xi_c^0) = 3.95 \pm 0.47$$

■  $1/m_c$  expansion not well convergent and sensible

$$\Gamma(B_c \rightarrow f) = \frac{G_F^2 m_c^5}{192\pi^3} V_{CKM} \left( A_0 + \frac{A_2}{m_c^2} + \frac{A_3}{m_c^3} + \frac{A_4}{m_c^4} \dots \right) \quad A_4: \text{dim-7 operators}$$

**Consider subleading  $1/m_c$  corrections to spectator effects:**

$$\begin{aligned} P_1^q &= \frac{m_q}{m_Q} \bar{Q}(1 - \gamma_5)q\bar{q}(1 - \gamma_5)Q, & P_2^q &= \frac{m_q}{m_Q} \bar{Q}(1 + \gamma_5)q\bar{q}(1 + \gamma_5)Q, \\ P_3^q &= \frac{1}{m_Q^2} \bar{Q} \overleftarrow{D}_\rho \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) D^\rho q\bar{q} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) Q, & P_4^q &= \frac{1}{m_Q^2} \bar{Q} \overleftarrow{D}_\rho (1 - \gamma_5) D^\rho q\bar{q} (1 + \gamma_5) Q, \\ P_5^q &= \frac{1}{m_Q} \bar{Q} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) q\bar{q} \gamma^\mu (1 - \gamma_5) (i\not{D}) Q, & P_6^q &= \frac{1}{m_Q} \bar{Q} (1 - \gamma_5) q\bar{q} (1 + \gamma_5) (i\not{D}) Q, \end{aligned}$$

**Beneke, Buchalla, Dunietz ('96): width difference in  $B_s$ - $\bar{B}_s$  system**

**Gabbiani, Onishchenko, Petrov ('03,'04): lifetime difference of heavy hadrons**

**Lenz, Rauh ('13): D meson lifetimes**

**obtained by expanding forward scattering amplitude in light quark momentum and matching the result onto operators containing derivative insertions**

**Gabbiani, Onishchenko, Petrov ('03,'04)**

**Dim-7 4-quark operator is either 4-quark operator times  $m_q$  or 4-quark operator with an additional or two derivatives**

■ to  $1/m_c^3$

## Charmed baryon lifetimes

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_{-}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13} \text{ s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-13} \text{ s})$
$\Lambda_c^+$	0.886	1.449	-0.397	0.039	0.283	2.26	2.91	$2.00 \pm 0.06$
$\Xi_c^+$	0.886	0.083	-0.427	0.839	0.771	2.153	3.06	$4.42 \pm 0.26$
$\Xi_c^0$	0.886	1.559		0.839	0.771	4.055	1.62	$1.12_{-0.10}^{+0.13}$
$\Omega_c^0$	1.019	0.505		2.830	1.881	6.235	1.06	$0.69 \pm 0.12$

■ with  $1/m_c$  corrections to spectator effects

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_{-}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13} \text{ s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-13} \text{ s})$
$\Lambda_c^+$	0.886	2.179	-0.211	0.022	0.215	3.091	2.12	$2.00 \pm 0.06$
$\Xi_c^+$	0.886	0.133	-0.186	0.407	0.437	1.677	3.92	$4.42 \pm 0.26$
$\Xi_c^0$	0.886	2.501		0.405	0.435	4.228	1.56	$1.12_{-0.10}^{+0.13}$
$\Omega_c^0$	1.019	0.876		-0.559	-0.256	1.079	6.10	$0.69 \pm 0.12$

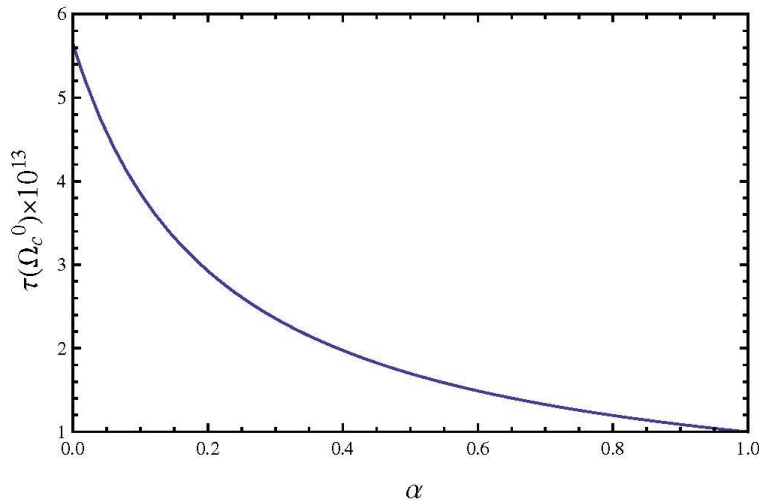
- $\Gamma(\Lambda_c^+)$  enhanced,  $\Gamma(\Xi_c^+)$  suppressed  
 $\Rightarrow \tau(\Xi_c^+)/\tau(\Lambda_c^+)$  is increased from 1.03 to 1.84
- Shortest-lived  $\Omega_c$  becomes longest-lived one after  $1/m_c$  corrections !!!

$\Omega_c^0$	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_-^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13} \text{ s})$
$1/m_c^3$	1.019	0.515		2.974	1.901	6.409	1.03
$1/m_c^4$	1.019	0.876		-0.559	-0.256	1.079	6.10

$$\Gamma_+^{\text{int}} = \Gamma_6^{\text{int}} + \Gamma_7^{\text{int}},$$

$$\Gamma^{\text{semi}} = \Gamma_6^{\text{semi}} + \Gamma_7^{\text{semi}}$$

**Destructive contributions from  $\Gamma_7^{\text{int}}$  &  $\Gamma_7^{\text{semi}}$  are too large to justify the validity of HQE**



**Introduce a parameter  $\alpha$**   
 $\Gamma_7^{\text{int}} \rightarrow \Gamma_7^{\text{int}} (1-\alpha)$ ,  $\Gamma_7^{\text{semi}} \rightarrow \Gamma_7^{\text{semi}} (1-\alpha)$   
**to describe the degree of suppression for  $\Gamma_7^{\text{int}}$  &  $\Gamma_7^{\text{semi}}$**

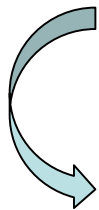
**Guideline for  $\alpha$ : positive  $\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}$  &  $\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$  with results close to that of  $\Xi_c$**

$\alpha$	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13}s)$
0	1.019	0.876	-0.559	-0.256	1.079	6.10
0.12	1.019	0.876	-0.135	0.003	1.762	3.73
0.16	1.019	0.876	0.006	0.089	1.990	3.31
0.22	1.019	0.876	0.218	0.219	2.331	2.82
0.32	1.019	0.876	0.571	0.435	2.900	2.27
1	1.019	0.876	2.974	1.901	6.770	0.97

$$0.16 < \alpha < 0.32$$

We conjecture that

$$2.3 \times 10^{-13} s < \tau(\Omega_c^0) < 3.3 \times 10^{-13} s$$



$$\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0) > \tau(\Omega_c^0)$$

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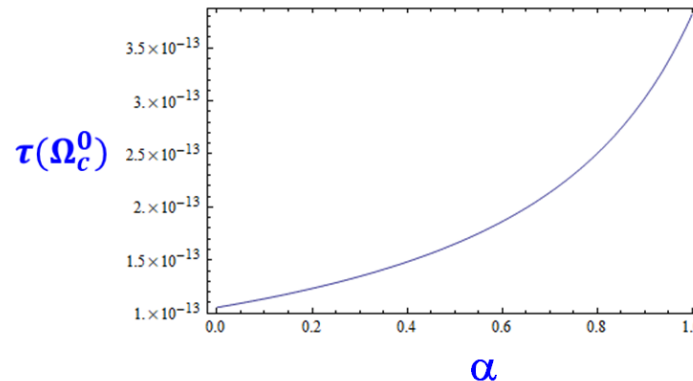
$$\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0)$$

$$\tau(\Omega_c^0) = 2.31 \times 10^{-13} \text{s} \quad \text{for } \alpha=0.25$$

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_-^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_{\text{SL}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13} \text{s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-13} \text{s})$
$\Lambda_c^+$	1.012	1.883	-0.209	0.021	0.308	3.015	2.18	$2.00 \pm 0.06$
$\Xi_c^+$	1.012	0.115	-0.189	0.353	0.524	1.854	3.55	$4.42 \pm 0.26$
$\Xi_c^0$	1.012	2.160		0.351	0.524	4.083	1.61	$1.12^{+0.13}_{-0.10}$
$\Omega_c^0$	1.155	0.126		0.346	0.520	2.855	2.31	$0.69 \pm 0.12$

$\Gamma(\Xi_c^+)$  is suppressed, while  $\Gamma(\Lambda_c^+)$  is enhanced, so that  $\tau(\Xi_c^+)/\tau(\Lambda_c^+)$  becomes 1.63. However,  $\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}(\Omega_c^0)$  becomes negative and  $\Gamma^{\text{SL}}(\Omega_c^0)$  too small. Introduce a parameter  $\alpha$  to  $\Gamma_{\text{dim}-7}^{\text{int}}(\Omega_c^0)$  &  $\Gamma_{\text{dim}-7}^{\text{SL}}(\Omega_c^0)$ .

**In general,  $\Omega_c^0$  is no longer shortest-lived.** For example,  $\alpha = 0.75$  leads to  $\tau(\Omega_c^0) = 2.3 \times 10^{-13} \text{s}$  and hence  $\tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+)$ .

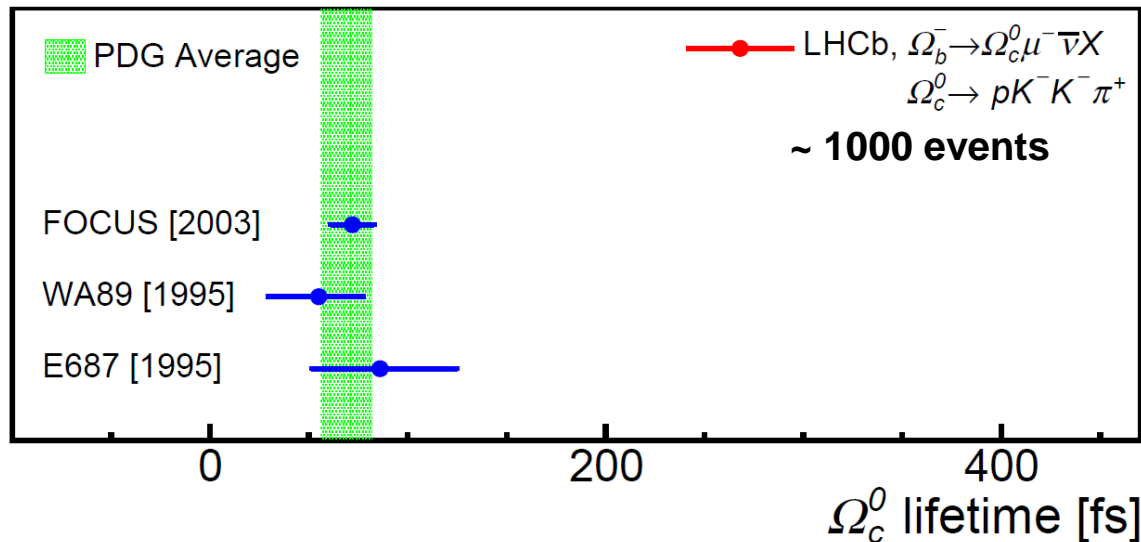


$$\tau(\Omega_c^0) = (2.68 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.02) \times 10^{-13} \text{s}, \quad \tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+)$$

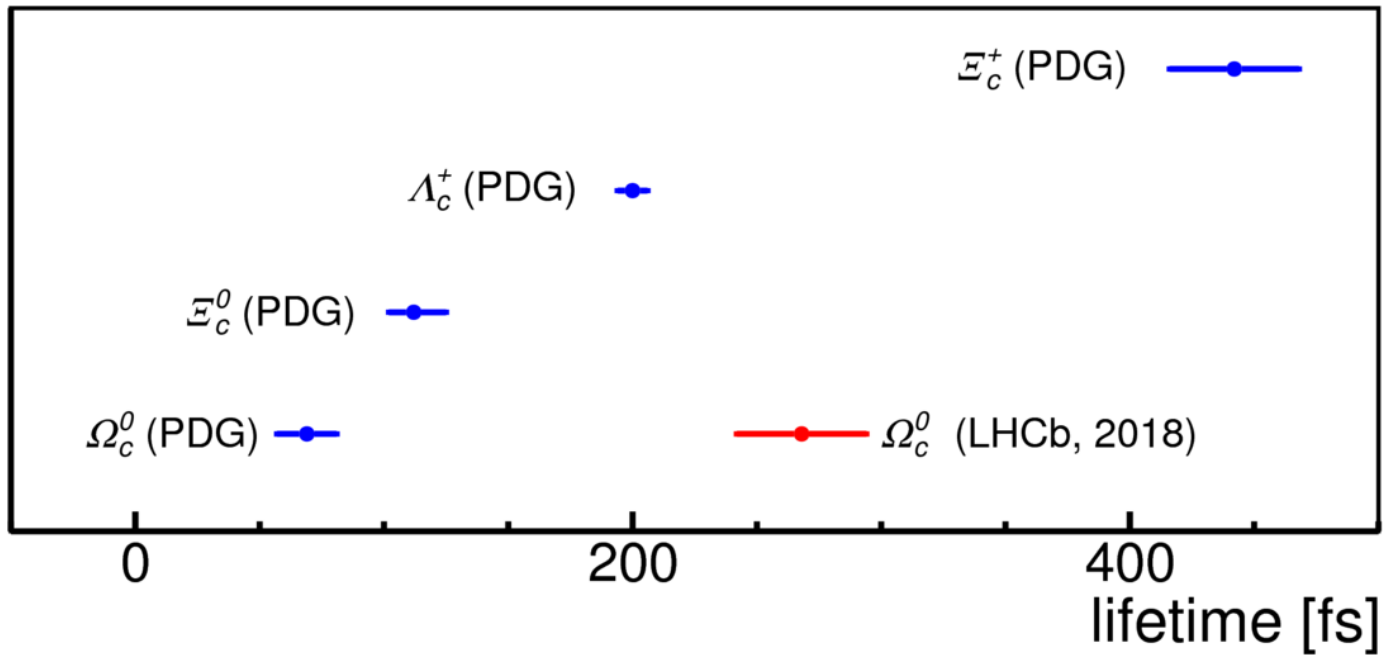
Four-times larger than the world average of  $(0.69 \pm 0.12) \times 10^{-13} \text{s}$  from fixed target experiments!

### $\Omega_c^0$ lifetime measurements

			events
FOCUS	$72 \pm 11 \pm 11 \text{ fs}$	$\Xi^- K^- \pi^+ \pi^+, \Omega^- \pi^+$	64
E687	$86^{+27}_{-20} \pm 28 \text{ fs}$	$\Sigma^+ K^- K^- \pi^+$	86
WA89	$55^{+13}_{-11} \text{ }^{+18}_{-23} \text{ fs}$	$\Xi^- K^- \pi^+ \pi^+, \Omega^- \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	25







$$\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0)$$

# Charmed baryon lifetimes in HQE

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$O(1/m_c^3)$        $\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0) > \tau(\Omega_c^0)$       PDG('18)

$O(1/m_c^4)$        $\tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0)$

$O(1/m_c^4)$   
with  $\alpha$        $\tau(\Xi_c^+) > \tau(\Omega_c^0) > \tau(\Lambda_c^+) > \tau(\Xi_c^0)$       LHCb('18)

# **Lifetimes of doubly charmed baryons**

**with Yan-Liang Shi**

# Lifetimes of doubly charmed baryons

$$\Xi_{cc}^{++} = (ccu), \Xi_{cc}^+ = (ccd), \Omega_{cc}^+ = (ccs)$$

in units of  $\tau(10^{-13} \text{ s})$

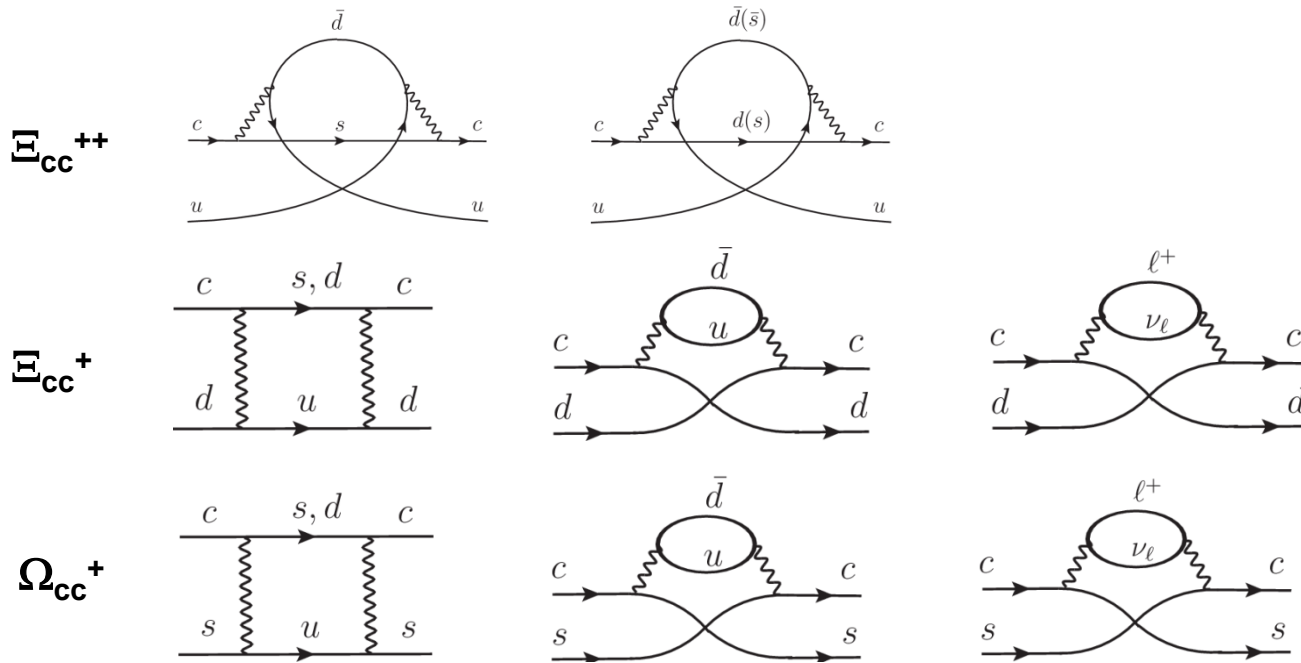
	Kiselev et al ('98)	Kiselev et al ('99)	Guberina et al ('99)	Chang et al ('08)	Karliner, Rosner ('14)
$\Xi_{cc}^{++}$	$4.3 \pm 1.1$	$4.6 \pm 0.5$	15.5	6.7	1.85
$\Xi_{cc}^+$	$1.1 \pm 0.3$	$1.6 \pm 0.5$	2.2	2.5	0.53
$\Omega_{cc}^+$		$2.7 \pm 0.6$	2.5	2.1	

Large theoretical uncertainties

$$\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) > \tau(\Omega_{cc}^+) \sim \tau(\Xi_{cc}^+)$$

# Lifetimes of doubly charmed baryons

	Dec	Ann	Int(-)	Int(+)	Semi	$\tau(10^{-13} \text{ s})$
$\Xi_{cc}^{++}$	1		1		1	1.9~15.5
$\Xi_{cc}^+$	1	1		$s^2$	$1 + s^2$ P.I.	0.5~2.5
$\Omega_{cc}^+$	1	$s^2$		1	$1 + c^2$ P.I.	2.1~2.8



$$\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) > \tau(\Omega_{cc}^+) \sim \tau(\Xi_{cc}^+)$$

■ to  $1/m_c^3$

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_{-}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13}\text{s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-13}\text{s})$
$\Xi_{cc}^{++}$	2.198		-1.383		0.450	1.265	5.20	$2.56^{+0.28}_{-0.26}$
$\Xi_{cc}^{+}$	2.198	8.628		0.123	0.525	11.475	0.57	
$\Omega_{cc}^{+}$	2.148	0.611		3.217	2.445	8.421	0.78	

$$\Gamma^{\text{ann}} \gg \Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}} \Rightarrow \tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) > \tau(\Omega_{cc}^{+}) > \tau(\Xi_{cc}^{+})$$

$$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}(\Omega_{cc}^{+}) \gg \Gamma^{\text{semi}}(\Xi_{cc}^{+}) > \Gamma^{\text{semi}}(\Xi_{cc}^{++})$$

■ After including  $1/m_c$  corrections to spectator effects

	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_{-}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13}\text{s})$	$\tau_{\text{expt}}(10^{-13}\text{s})$
$\Xi_{cc}^{++}$	2.198		-0.437		0.451	2.212	2.98	$2.56^{+0.28}_{-0.26}$
$\Xi_{cc}^{+}$	2.198	12.260		0.030	0.469	14.958	0.44	
$\Omega_{cc}^{+}$	2.148	0.979		-0.246	0.318	3.200	2.06	

■  $\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++})$  becomes shorter, while  $\tau(\Omega_{cc}^{+})$  becomes longer

■ The use of HQE for  $\Gamma_{+}^{\text{int}}$  &  $\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$  for  $\Omega_{cc}^{+}$  is not valid

Needs to suppress  $\Gamma_7^{\text{int}}$  &  $\Gamma_7^{\text{semi}}$  to make the use of HQE sensible!

$\alpha$	$\Gamma^{\text{dec}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{ann}}$	$\Gamma_+^{\text{int}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{semi}}$	$\Gamma^{\text{tot}}$	$\tau(10^{-13}\text{s})$
0	2.148	0.979	-0.246	0.318	3.200	2.06
0.08	2.148	0.979	0.031	0.489	3.647	1.80
0.30	2.148	0.979	0.792	0.956	4.876	1.35
1	2.148	0.979	3.217	2.445	8.789	0.75

$$\Rightarrow \quad 0.75 \times 10^{-13} \text{s} < \tau(\Omega_{cc}^+) < 1.80 \times 10^{-13} \text{s}$$

$$\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) \sim 3.0 \times 10^{-13} \text{s}, \quad \tau(\Xi_{cc}^+) \sim 0.45 \times 10^{-13} \text{s}$$

$$\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) > \tau(\Omega_{cc}^+) > \tau(\Xi_{cc}^+)$$

$$\text{LHCb: } \tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) = (2.56^{+0.24}_{-0.22} \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-13} \text{ s}$$

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$$\frac{\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++})}{\tau(\Xi_{cc}^+)} \sim 6.7$$

$\tau(10^{-13}\text{s})$

	$\Xi_{cc}^{++}$	$\Xi_{cc}^{+}$	$\Omega_{cc}^{+}$
Kiselev et al ('98)	$4.3 \pm 1.1$	$1.1 \pm 0.3$	
Kiselev et al ('99)	$4.6 \pm 0.5$	$1.6 \pm 0.5$	$2.7 \pm 0.6$
Guberina et al ('99)	15.5	2.2	2.5
Chang et al ('08)	6.7	2.5	2.1
Karliner, Rosner ('14)	1.85	0.53	
Cheng, Shi ('18)	2.98	0.44	0.75 ~1.80
Berezhnoy et al ('18)*	$2.6 \pm 0.3$	$1.4 \pm 0.1$	$1.8 \pm 0.2$
<b>Expt</b>	$2.56^{+0.28}_{-0.26}$		

\*Based on the calculation of using  $m_c=1.73 \pm 0.07$  GeV,  $m_s=0.35 \pm 0.20$  GeV from a fit to the data of  $\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++})$ .



# Lifetimes of doubly heavy baryons

$\tau(10^{-13}\text{s})$

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	$\Xi_{bb}^0$	$\Xi_{bb}^-$	$\Omega_{bb}^-$
Likhoded et al ('99)	7.9	8.0	8.0
Kiselev et al ('02)	7.9	8.0	8.0
Karliner, Rosner ('14)	3.7	3.7	
Berezhnoy et al ('18)	$5.2 \pm 0.095$	$5.3 \pm 0.096$	$5.3 \pm 0.093$
<b>Cheng, Xu ('19)</b>	<b>6.87</b>	<b>8.65</b>	<b>8.68</b>

	$\Xi_{bc}^+$	$\Xi_{bc}^0$	$\Omega_{bc}^0$
Kiselev et al ('00)	$3.3 \pm 0.8$	$2.8 \pm 0.7$	
Likhoded et al ('99)	2.8	2.6	$2.7 \pm 0.6$
Kiselev et al ('02)	$3.0 \pm 0.4$	$2.7 \pm 0.3$	$2.2 \pm 0.4$
Karliner, Rosner ('14)	2.44	0.93	
Berezhnoy et al ('18)*	$2.4 \pm 0.2$	$2.2 \pm 0.18$	$1.8 \pm 0.088$
<b>Cheng, Xu ('19)</b>	<b>4.09 ~ 6.07</b>	<b>0.93 ~ 1.18</b>	<b>1.68 ~ 3.70</b>

## Conclusions

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- HQE in  $1/m_b$  works well for the lifetimes of B mesons and bottom baryons.
- HQE in  $1/m_c$  fails to provide a satisfactory description of the lifetimes of D mesons & charmed baryons to  $O(1/m_c^3)$ . Need to consider subleading  $1/m_c$  corrections to spectator effects.
- Dim-7 operators are in the right direction to enhance  $\Gamma(\Lambda_c^+)$  & suppress  $\Gamma(\Xi_c^+)$ , but they will render the lifetime of  $\Omega_c^0$  longer than  $\Lambda_c^0$
- For doubly charmed baryons, we found  $\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) > \tau(\Omega_{cc}^+) > \tau(\Xi_{cc}^+)$  with  $\tau(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) \sim 0.30$  ps,  $\tau(\Xi_{cc}^+) \sim 0.05$  ps,

## Dim-3 and -5 operators

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$$\frac{\langle \Xi_{cc} | \bar{c}c | \Xi_{cc} \rangle}{2m_{\Xi_{cc}}} = 1 - \frac{\mu_{\pi}^2}{2m_c^2} + \frac{\mu_G^2}{2m_c^2}$$

$$\mu_{\pi}^2 \equiv \frac{1}{2m_{\Xi_{cc}}} \langle \Xi_{cc} | \bar{c} (i\vec{D})^2 c | \Xi_{cc} \rangle = -\frac{1}{2m_{\Xi_{cc}}} \langle \Xi_{cc} | \bar{c} (iD_{\perp})^2 c | \Xi_{cc} \rangle$$

$$\mu_G^2 \equiv \frac{1}{2m_{\Xi_{cc}}} \langle \Xi_{cc} | \bar{c} \frac{1}{2} \sigma \cdot G c | \Xi_{cc} \rangle$$

$\sigma \cdot G \propto \vec{S}_c \cdot \vec{S}_q$  for singly heavy baryon  
 $\propto \vec{S}_d \cdot \vec{S}_q, \vec{S}_1 \cdot \vec{S}_2$  for doubly heavy baryon

$\vec{S}_d = \vec{S}_1 + \vec{S}_2$ : spin of the diquark

$$\mu_G^2(\Xi_{cc}) = \frac{2}{3} (m_{\Xi_{cc}^*} - m_{\Xi_{cc}}) m_c - \frac{4}{9} \pi \alpha_s \frac{|\psi^{cc}(0)|^2}{m_c}$$

HQET is not the appropriate EFT for hadrons with more than one heavy quark as  $T_Q$  is important and cannot be treated as a small perturbation  $\Rightarrow$  HQET replaced by NRQCD (or pNRQCD)

$$\bar{Q}g_s\sigma \cdot GQ = -2\psi_Q^\dagger g_s \vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{B}\psi_Q - \frac{1}{m_Q}\psi_Q^\dagger g_s \vec{D} \cdot \vec{E}\psi_Q + \dots$$

Darwin term is of same order as chromomagnetic field

$$\mu_G^2 = \frac{2}{3}(m_{\Xi_{cc}^*} - m_{\Xi_{cc}})m_c - \frac{1}{9}g_s^2 \frac{|\psi^{cc}(0)|^2}{m_c} - \frac{1}{6}g_s^2 \frac{|\psi^{cc}(0)|^2}{m_c}$$

while Kiselev, Likhoded, Onischenko ('98) obtained

$$\mu_G^2 = \ominus \frac{2}{3}(m_{\Xi_{cc}^*} - m_{\Xi_{cc}})m_c - \frac{2}{9}g_s^2 \frac{|\psi^{cc}(0)|^2}{m_c} - \frac{1}{3}g_s^2 \frac{|\psi^{cc}(0)|^2}{m_c}$$