

# Branching fractions of $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$ and their implications

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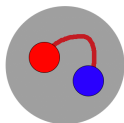
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# Motivation(I)

**Exotic hadrons:** states beyond conventional mesons ( $q\bar{q}$ ) and baryons ( $qqq$ ).

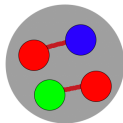
- Predicted by M. Gell-Mann and G. Zweig in 1964
- Different models: hybrid, glueball, multiquark state, molecular state....



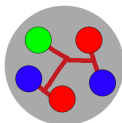
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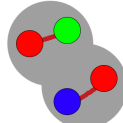
glueball



tetraquark



pentaquark



molecule state

Study of exotic hadrons can provide new insights into:

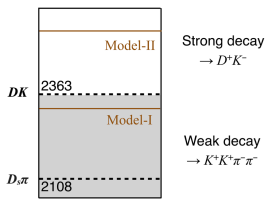
- internal structure and dynamics of hadrons
- non-perturbative behaviour of QCD

Future experimental discoveries and theoretical advances are needed.

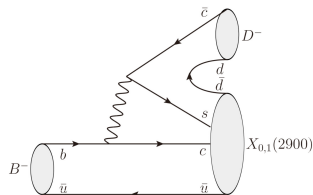
# Motivation(II)

States requiring  $> 3$  valence quarks are manifestly exotic.

- $X(5568)(bs\bar{u}\bar{d})$  was observed by D0 Collaboration, though the existence was not confirmed by other collaborations.
- $(cs\bar{u}\bar{d})$  is a promising detectable tetraquark in  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X$  decays.
  - The lowest-lying ground state may be below the  $D\bar{K}$  threshold. [arXiv:1709.02571]
  - The topological diagram is an W-emission diagram with large  $V_{CKM}$  elements.



$M_{cs\bar{u}\bar{d}}$  predicted under  $SU(3)$  symmetry



The topological diagram of  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X$

## Motivation(III)

The exotic states  $X_{0,1}(2900)$  are observed in mass spectrum of  $D^+ K^-$  in  $B^- \rightarrow D^- D^+ K^-$  by the LHCb collaboration.

[arXiv:2009.00025],[arXiv:2009.00026]

- Their masses are much higher than the  $D\bar{K}$  threshold.
- They are produced in the  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}$ .
- The relatively large branching fractions are the key point in the observation.

	$M_X(\text{MeV})$	$\Gamma_X(\text{MeV})$	Fit fraction(%)	$Br_{\text{exp}}(10^{-5})$
$B^- \rightarrow D^- X_0$	$2866 \pm 7$	$57 \pm 13$	$5.6 \pm 0.5$	$1.23 \pm 0.41$
$B^- \rightarrow D^- X_1$	$2904 \pm 5$	$110 \pm 12$	$30.6 \pm 3.2$	$6.73 \pm 2.26$

**It is necessary to understand the production mechanism of  $X_{0,1}(2900)$  in the weak decays of  $B$  mesons and the corresponding branching fractions.**

# Theoretical framework(I)

The topological diagram of  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$ :

- non-factorizable.
- not easy to calculate in QCD-inspired methods.
- dominated by the long-distance contributions.

The final-state-interaction(FSI) effects:

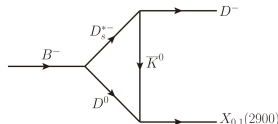
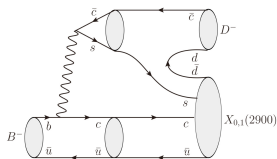
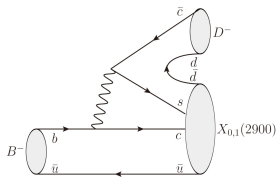
- has been successfully applied to the  $\Xi_{cc}^{++} \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$ .

[Chin. Phys. C **42** (2018) 051001]

- has been tested in the  $B \rightarrow \pi\pi, K\pi$  and  $D\pi$  modes.

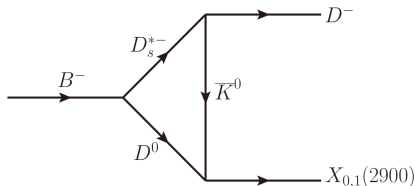
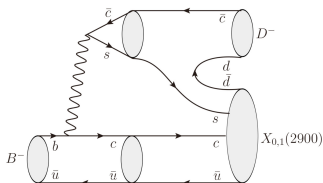
[Phys. Rev. D **71** (2005) 014030]

**We calculate the long-distance contributions by FSI effects.**



# Theoretical framework(II)

Rescattering mechanism:  $B^- \rightarrow D_s^{*-} D^0 \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$  via exchanging one intermediate state  $\bar{K}^0$ .



The weak-decay vertex:

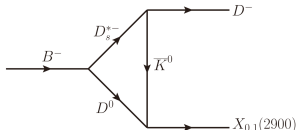
$$\langle D_s^{*-} D^0 | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | B^- \rangle = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{cb} V_{cs}^* a_1 f_{D_s^*} m_{D_s^*} F_1^{B \rightarrow D} \left( m_{D_s^*}^2 \right) \left( 2\epsilon_{D_s^{*-}}^* \cdot p_{B^-} \right)$$

The effective Lagrangian of the strong interaction

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{VPP} + \mathcal{L}_{SPP} = ig_{VPP} V^\mu \left( P \overleftrightarrow{\partial}_\mu P \right) - g_{SPP} m_s SPP$$

# Theoretical framework(III)

The absorptive part of the decay amplitude is:



$$\begin{aligned} \text{Abs}(B^- \rightarrow D^- X_0(2900)) = & -2i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{CKM} a_1 \int \frac{|\vec{p}_{D_s^{*-}}| d \cos \theta d \phi}{32 \pi^2 m_B} g_{D_s^* D K} g_{D K X_0} m_{X_0} \frac{F^2(t, m_K)}{t - m_K^2} \\ & \cdot f_{D_s^{*-}} m_{D_s^{*-}} F_1^{B \rightarrow D}(M_{D_s^{*-}}^2) (p_{D^0} \cdot p_{D^-} - \frac{(p_{D_s^{*-}} \cdot p_{D^-})(p_{D_s^{*-}} \cdot p_{D^0})}{m_{D_s^{*-}}^2}), \end{aligned}$$

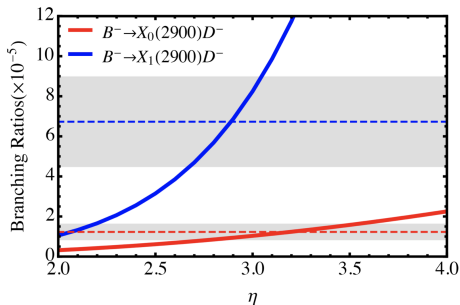
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Abs}(B^- \rightarrow D^- X_1(2900)) = & 2i \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{CKM} a_1 \int \frac{|\vec{p}_{D_s^{*-}}| d \cos \theta d \phi}{32 \pi^2 m_B} g_{D_s^* D K} g_{D K X_1} m_{X_0} \frac{F^2(t, m_K)}{t - m_K^2} \\ & \cdot f_{D_s^{*-}} m_{D_s^{*-}} F_1^{B \rightarrow D}(M_{D_s^{*-}}^2) (p_{D^0} \cdot p_{D^-} - \frac{(p_{D_s^{*-}} \cdot p_{D^-})(p_{D_s^{*-}} \cdot p_{D^0})}{m_{D_s^{*-}}^2}) \\ & \cdot (p_K \cdot \epsilon_{X_1}), \end{aligned}$$

$$F(t, m_K) = \frac{\Lambda^2 - m_K^2}{\Lambda^2 - t}, \quad \Lambda = m_{\text{exc}} + \eta \Lambda_{QCD}$$



# $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$ decays

$g_{DKX_0} = 1.0$ ,  $g_{DKX_1} = 9.3$  are extracted from the widths of  $X_{0,1}(2900)$



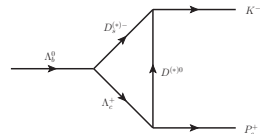
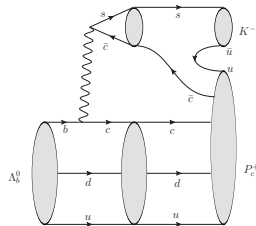
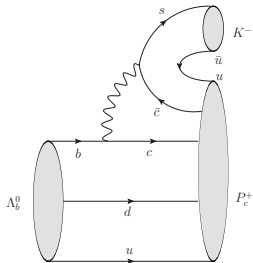
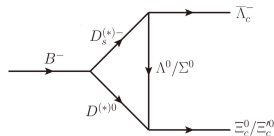
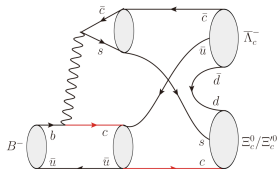
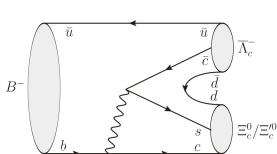
Consistent with the experimental measurements when  $\eta \approx 3.0$ .

[arXiv:2009.00025], [arXiv:2009.00026]

**The production of  $X_{0,1}(2900)$  in  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$  can be understood by rescattering mechanism.**

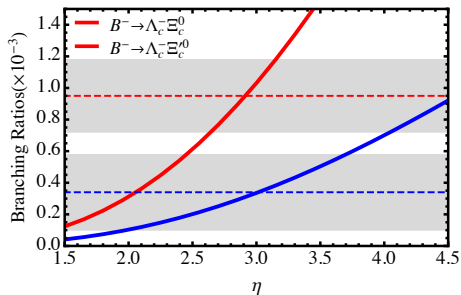
# $B^- \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda}_c^- \Xi_c^{(\prime)0}$ and $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow P_c^+ K^-$ decays(I)

They have similar topological diagrams with those of  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}(2900)$



$$B^- \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda}_c^- \Xi_c^{(\prime)0} \text{ and } \Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow P_c^+ K^- \text{ decays(II)}$$

The strong couplings based on [Eur. Phys. J. C **80** (2020) 22].

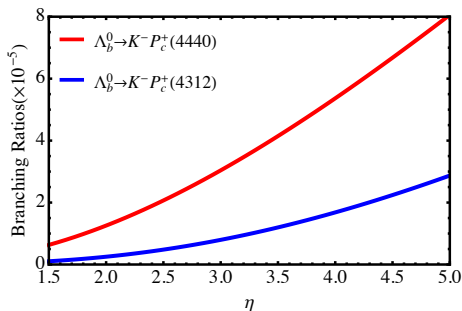


**Consistent with the experiment when  $\eta \approx 3.0$ .**

[Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. 2020, 083C01 (2020)], [Phys. Rev. D **100** (2019) 112010]

# $B^- \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda}_c^- \Xi_c^{(\prime)0}$ and $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow P_c^+ K^-$ decays(III)

The strong couplings based on [Phys. Rev. D **100** (2019) 056005].



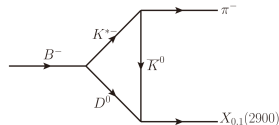
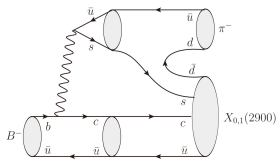
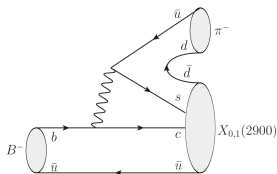
It can be expected that  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow K^- P_c^+$  and  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}$  have similar branching fractions at  $10^{-5}$ .

- The difference is the spectators.
- $Br(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ D_s^-) \approx Br(B^- \rightarrow D^0 D_s^-)$   
[Prog. Theor. Exp. Phys. 2020, 083C01 (2020)]

## $B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1}(2900)$ decays(I)

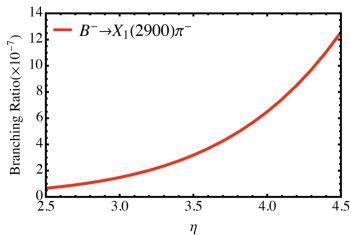
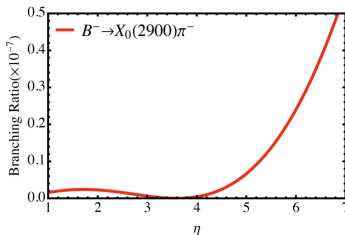
The  $B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1}$  decays are similar to the  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}$  decays.

- A charm anti- quark replaced by an up anti-quark.
- suppressed by CKM factor for  $|V_{us}| / |V_{cs}| \approx 0.225$ .
- $D^-$  meson has to be reconstructed by  $D^- \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^-$  process in the experiments.



$B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1}$  are good alternative processes to check the results in  $B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1}$  decays.

## $B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1}(2900)$ decays(II)



The results are much smaller than naively expectation.

- $Br(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_0)$  is around  $10^{-9} \sim 10^{-8}$ .
- $Br(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_1)$  is at the order of  $10^{-7}$ .
- $Br(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1})/Br(B^- \rightarrow D^+ K^- \pi^-)$  smaller than few percent.

The main reason is the lack of relatively large rescattering contribution. There is no significant enhancement or peak in the  $D^+ K^-$  mass spectrum in the amplitude analysis of  $B^- \rightarrow D^+ K^- \pi^-$  by the LHCb collaboration. [Phys. Rev. D **91** (2015) 092002]

# Isospin analysis on $B \rightarrow DX_{0,1}(I)$

The quark flavors of  $X_{0,1}(2900)$  are  $cs\bar{u}\bar{d}$ , but their isospin are not determined, it could either be isospin singlet or triplet.

If  $X_i$  is an isospin singlet state:

$$\mathcal{A}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_i^0) = \mathcal{A}(B^- \rightarrow D^- X_i^0)$$

then we have

$$Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_0^0) / Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D^+ K^-) = (1.15 \pm 0.38)\%$$

$$Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_1^0) / Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 D^+ K^-) = (6.29 \pm 2.11)\%$$

Isospin analysis on  $B \rightarrow DX_{0,1}(\text{II})$ 

If  $X_i$  is an isospin triplet state:

$$\mathcal{A}(B^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_i^-) = -\sqrt{2}\mathcal{A}(B^- \rightarrow D^- X_i^0) = -\mathcal{A}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^- X_i^+) = \sqrt{2}\mathcal{A}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_i^0)$$

then we have the fractions

$$Br(B^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_0^-) / Br(B^- \rightarrow D^0 \bar{D}^0 K^-) = (1.7 \pm 0.6)\%$$

$$Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^- X_0^+) / Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^- \bar{K}^0) = (3.3 \pm 1.3)\%$$

and

$$Br(B^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 X_1^-) / Br(B^- \rightarrow D^0 \bar{D}^0 K^-) = (9.3 \pm 3.7)\%$$

$$Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^- X_1^+) / Br(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^- \bar{K}^0) = (17.9 \pm 7.0)\%$$



# Summary

- ① We calculate  $Br(B^- \rightarrow D^- X_{0,1})$  using rescattering mechanism, which are consistent with experimental measurements.
- ② The rescattering mechanism is tested by the processes  $B^- \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda}_c^- \Xi_c^{(')0}$  and  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow P_c^+ K^-$ .
- ③  $Br(B^- \rightarrow \pi^- X_{0,1})$  are predicted with large uncertainties.
- ④ The isospins of  $X_{0,1}(2900)$  are discussed.

Thanks for your attention