



Exotics as measured at hadron colliders

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Introduction

- Interest in "exotics" arises from the fact that they would be new states of matter beyond the simple quark picture. Specifically, tetraquark mesons or pentaquark baryons, perhaps glueballs or hybrid states qq̄g.
- These would be short-lived ~10⁻²³ s "resonances" whose presences is detected by mass peaks and angular distributions showing the presence of unique J^{PC} quantum numbers



Some History: The a₁

- It is also possible for other processes to mimic resonant effects
- Example: The Deck effect, a lesson in confusion: $\pi^+ p \rightarrow \pi^+ \rho^0 p$, $\rho^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$, using a 3.65 GeV π^+ beam, G. Goldhaber et. al, PRL 12, 336 (1964)



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Note BeV≡GeV



"Kinematical" effect

- Clear enhancement near threshold. Is it a new resonance as suggested in original paper?
- Theorists, first Deck, suggest that the threshold enhancement can be due to off shell πp scattering R.T. Deck, PRL 13, 169 (1964)





Deck Effect

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1.0

2.0

 $M^{2}(\pi^{+}\rho^{0})$ (GeV²)

3.0

- Deck's fit to data can provide adequate explanation
- a₁ seen in different charge states
 - & different channels, e.g. $K^+p \rightarrow K^+\pi^-\pi^0 p^2$
- Many more sophisticated theory papers
- Controversy continued until observation of a_1 in $\tau \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- \nu$ decays
- Lesson: a real state should be seen in several ways. Even though the a₁ is a real state, the Deck effect has to be there to some extent. Likely both are present in hadron production experiments



Scalar meson quandry

While 0⁻ and 1⁻ mesons follow a simple rule that adding an s-quark increases their mass, the 0⁺ mesons are difficult to understand in this context

Isospin	1 ⁻ state	mass	qq	0 ⁺ state	mass
1	ρ	776 MeV	(uū+dd)√2	a ₀ (980)	980 MeV
0	ω	783 MeV	(uū-dd̄)√2	$f_0(500)$ or σ	500 MeV
1/2	K*(892)	892 MeV	(u or d) s	к(800)	800 MeV
0	φ	1020 MeV	ss	f ₀ (980)≡f ₀	980 MeV

- $\sigma \& f_0(980)$ may be mixed by angle ϕ
- Suggestions that scalars are tetraquarks FPCP Nagoya, May 2015



- Note large $f_0(980)$ in $B_s \& f_0(500) \equiv \sigma$ in B^0
- Why is f₀(980) so narrow? The mass is very close to threshold for K⁺K⁻, coupled channel decay into ππ & KK was parameterized by Flatte'

Thresholds & cusps

In the context of a coupled channel model by Törnqvist, Bugg, arXiv: 0802.0934 has shown that the presence of a threshold can narrow down a resonance. The resonance is real, its structure is not important.



 Others have argued that the thresholds can mimic resonances. (See Swanson arXiv: 1409.3291). Even create a ~90⁰ phase shift in Argand plane (Bugg arXiv:1105.5492)



First prediction: If σ is a tetraquark it will not be seen in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\sigma$





Rate ratios



Last ratio is independent of model, allows measurement of form factor ratio of $0.99_{-0.04}^{+0.13}$



LHCb results

- $r_{0\sigma}^{0f_0}$ < 0.098 @ 90% cl, should be ½ for tetraquark, suggests the f₀ & σ are q \bar{q} states
- Possible deviations caused by tetraquark mixing, isospin violation, etc...
- If qq
 q
 q
 , mixing angle |φ| <17° at 90% cl arXiv: <u>1404.5673</u>

Charmonium like exotics

Predicted states and measurements







X(3872)

29 3 31 32 3

 $M_{\mu^+\mu^-}$ (GeV/c²)

At D*⁰D⁰ threshold: ∆m=-0.17±0.26 MeV



Properties

- Decay modes: $J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$ dominated by ρ^0 , also seen in $J/\psi\gamma$, $\psi'\gamma$, which implies C=+, D*^0D^0 where the mass appears to be higher and the width larger (For other modes Γ <1.2 MeV, but here Γ =3.4^{+1.7}_{-1.2} MeV)
- What is its internal structure? qq̄ charmonium state, tetraquark state, molecular state binding D*⁰ & D⁰ but would have large size due to weak binding 0.17±0.26 MeV
- J^{PC} measured by CDF to be 1⁺⁺ or 2⁻⁺ [hep-ex/ 0612053]. New measurements by LHCb

LHCb full amplitude analysis

 $\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{B}^{*}{\rightarrow}\mathsf{X}(3872)\mathsf{K}^{*},\\ \mathsf{X}(3872) \rightarrow \mathsf{J}/\psi\,\pi^{*}\pi^{-},\\ \mathsf{J}/\psi{\rightarrow}\mu^{+}\mu^{-} \end{array}$

5 independent angles describing the decay in helicity formalism

$$|\mathcal{M}(\Omega|J_X)|^2 = \sum_{\Delta\lambda\mu=-1,+1} \left| \sum_{\substack{\lambda_{J/\psi},\lambda_\rho=-1,0,+1\\ D^1_{\lambda_\rho,0}(\Delta\phi_{X,\rho},\theta_\rho,0)^* \times D^1_{\lambda_{J/\psi},\Delta\lambda_\mu}(\Delta\phi_{X,J/\psi},\theta_{J/\psi},0)^* \right|^2$$

Relation of the helicity couplings to LS amplitudes

Matrix element

$$A_{\lambda_{J/\psi},\,\lambda_{\rho}} = \sum_{L} \sum_{S} B_{LS} \times \begin{pmatrix} J_{J/\psi} & J_{\rho} \\ \lambda_{J/\psi} & -\lambda_{\rho} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} S \\ \lambda_{J/\psi} & -\lambda_{\rho} \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} L & S \\ 0 & \lambda_{J/\psi} & -\lambda_{\rho} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} J_{X} \\ \lambda_{J/\psi} & -\lambda_{\rho} \end{pmatrix}$$

 $P_X = P_{J/\psi} P_{\rho} (-1)^L = (-1)^L$

J/ψ χ **ρ**

Parity conservation

		B_{LS}			
	J^{PC}	all L	minimal L		
LHCb 2015	0-+	B_{11}	B ₁₁		CDE 2007
	0^{++}	B_{00}, B_{22}	B_{00}	001 2007	001 2007
	1-+	$B_{10}, B_{11}, B_{12}, B_{32}$	B_{10}, B_{11}, B_{12}		
Many more	1++	B_{01}, B_{21}, B_{22}	B_{01}	LHCb 2013	
	2-+	$B_{11}, B_{12}, B_{31}, B_{32}$	B_{11}, B_{12}		
	2^{++}	$B_{02}, B_{20}, B_{21}, B_{22}, B_{42}$	B_{02}		
amplitudes to lit	3-+	$B_{12}, B_{30}, B_{31}, B_{32}, B_{52}$	B_{12}		
	3^{++}	$B_{21}, B_{22}, B_{41}, B_{42}$	B_{21}, B_{22}		LS amplitudes to
	4-+	$B_{31}, B_{32}, B_{51}, B_{52}$	B_{31}, B_{32}		be determined
	4++	$B_{22}, B_{40}, B_{41}, B_{42}, B_{62}$	B_{22}		
					from the data



Figure 3: Distributions of the test statistic $t \equiv -2\ln[\mathcal{L}(J_X^{alt}))/\mathcal{L}(1^{++})]$, for the simulated experiments under the $J^{PC} = J_X^{alt}$ hypothesis (blue solid histograms) and under the $J^{PC} = 1^{++}$ hypothesis (red dashed histograms). The values of the test statistics for the data, t_{data} , are **FPCP Nago**' shown by the solid vertical lines.



$\mathsf{R} \equiv \Gamma(\mathsf{X} \longrightarrow \psi' \gamma) / \Gamma(\mathsf{X} \longrightarrow J/\psi)$

- Rules out molecular interpretation
- Consistent with cc state where the presence of the threshold has lowered the mass & width



Z_c(4430), M=4479 MeV

- B⁰→ $\psi'\pi^-K^+$, peak in m(J/ $\psi\pi^-$), charged charmonium state must be exotic, not q \bar{q}
 - First observed by Belle M=4433±5 MeV, Γ =45 MeV
 - Debunked by Babar: explanation in terms of K*'s
 - Belle reanalysis using full amplitude fit: M= $4485 \pm 22^{+28}_{-11}$ MeV, Γ=200 MeV, 1⁺ preferred but 0⁻

& 1⁻ not excluded [arXiv:1306.4894]

 $\square |V| = \neg \neg \neg \circ = \gamma_{-25} |V| = V$ $\Box = 170 |V| = 170 |V| = 1000$

Γ=172 MeV [arXiv:1404.1903]





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Is it a resonance? LHCb produces Argand plot E^{0.2} LHCb data I Low Z mass that shows a clear & large change in phase **Breit-Wigner** -0.2 prediction / Problem with quoted mass In the default fit, we follow the -0.4 High Z mass approach of Belle that uses a running mass M_R in the $(p_R/M_R)^{L_R}$ term, where M_R is the invariant mass -0.6^{-1} -0.4 -0.2 0.2 0 $\operatorname{Re} \operatorname{A}^{Z^{-}}$ of two daughters of the R resonance; p_R is the daughter's momentum in the rest frame of R and L_R is the orbital angular momentum of the decay. The more conventional formulation \leftarrow From LHCb paper PDG is to use $p_R^{L_R}$ (equivalent to a fixed M_R mass). This changes the Z_1^- parameters via the K^* terms in the amplitude model: $M_{Z_1^-}$ varies by -22 MeV, $\Gamma_{Z_1^-}$ by +29 MeV, Believe now that old formula is wrong: m_Z=4456 MeV, Belle –

LHCb average



Other Explanations

- Molecule:
- L. Ma et.al, [arXiv:1404.3450]
- T. Barnes et.al, [arXiv:1409.6651
- Same scattering phase
- as Breit-Wigner
- Rescattering:
 P. Pakhov & T. Uglov
 [arXiv:1408:5295]
- Opposite phase
- Ruled out by LHCb Argand diagram









Conclusions

- Many new effects seen in data by all heavy flavor experiments that are exotic meson candidates
- Different interpretations offered. Some involve threshold "cusps" that produce effects in the f₀(980) & X(3872), though both of these are likely to be qq states
- The Z⁺(4430) appears to be a viable exotic
- We look forward to establishing the structure of many other states



