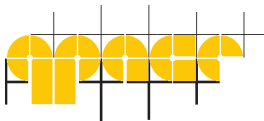


# Masses and decay constants of the $D_{s0}^*(2317)$ and $D_{s1}(2460)$ close to the physical point

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# Outline

## ★ Introduction

- ▶ Motivate interest in the  $J^P = 0^+ D_{s0}^*(2317)$  and  $J^P = 1^+ D_{s1}(2460)$ .
- ▶ Lie close to strong decay thresholds and expected to have an interesting internal structure.
- ▶ Can lattice say anything about the internal structure?

## ★ Results for lower lying $D_s$ mass spectrum.

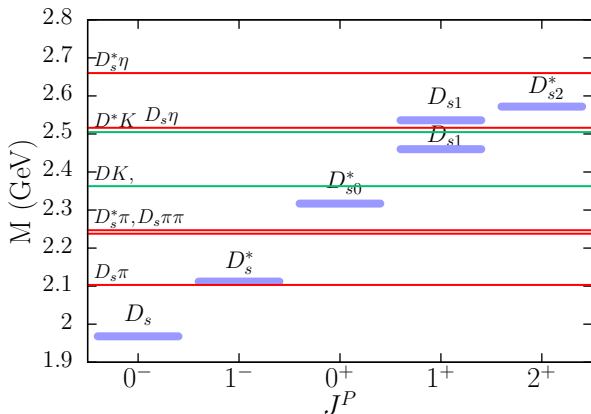
## ★ Decay constants of the $D_{s0}^*(2317)$ and $D_{s1}(2460)$ .

- ▶ Compare with decay constants of conventional mesons,  $0^-$  and  $1^-$ .

More details in [\[Bali,1706.01247\]](#).

# Lower lying $D_s$ spectrum: mesons with $C = S = \pm 1$

Experimentally observed meson spectra:



Strong decays:

$$D_s^* \longrightarrow D_s \pi$$

$$D_{s0}^* \longrightarrow D_s \pi$$

$$D_{s0}^* \longrightarrow D_s \pi \pi$$

$$D_{s1} \longrightarrow D_s^* \pi$$

$$D_{s1} \longrightarrow D_s \pi \pi$$

$$D_{s1} \longrightarrow D^* K$$

$$D_{s1} \longrightarrow DK \pi$$

$$D_{s1} \longrightarrow D_s \pi \pi$$

- ▶ Widths:  $D_{s0}^* < 3.8$  MeV,  $D_{s1}(2460) < 3.5$  MeV,  $D_{s1}(2536) = 0.92$  MeV,  $D_{s2}^* = 17(4)$  MeV,  $D_s^* < 1.9$  MeV,  $D_s \sim 10^{-3}$  eV.
- ▶ Additional states:  $D_{s1}^*(2700)^\pm$ ,  $D_{sJ}(2860)$ ,  $D_{sJ}(3040)^\pm$ .
- ▶ Radiative + weak decays also observed/possible.

# What is the nature of these states?

Quark Model:  $c\bar{s}$

Minimum quark content to satisfy the flavour quantum numbers  $S = 1$ ,  $C = 1$ .

HQET:  $Q\bar{\ell}$  meson, hydrogen-like system,  $Q$  acts as a colour source.

Limit  $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$

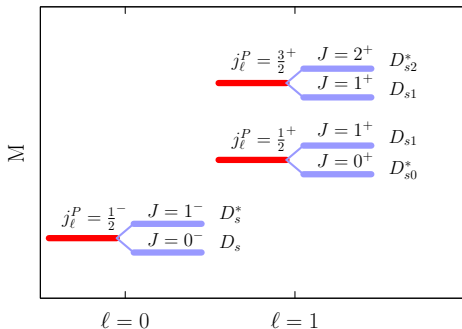
QNs:  $j_\ell = l + s_\ell = \frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, \dots$

Finite  $m_Q$

QNs:  $J = l + S = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

$S = s_\ell + s_Q$

$P = -(-1)^l$



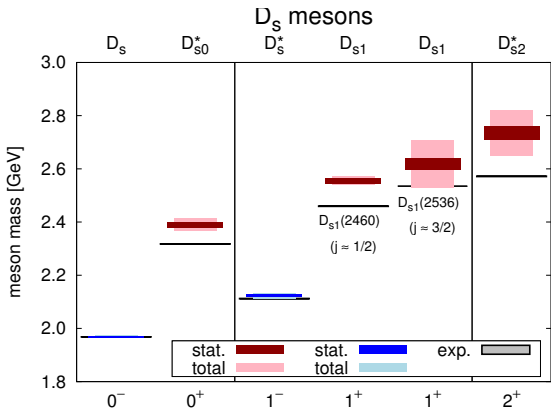
Other possibilities:  $c\bar{q}q\bar{s}$

Molecule: weakly bound  $(c\bar{q})$  and  $(q\bar{s})$ . Tetraquark:  $(c\bar{q}q\bar{s})$  and more.

# Lattice studies: standard approach

- ▶ Early theoretical studies and lattice simulations predicted  $D_{s0}^*(2317)$  and  $D_{s1}(2460)$  to be broad states above threshold.

More recently: [ETMC,1603.06467],  $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$ ,  $m_\pi^{phys}$  and continuum extrapolation.

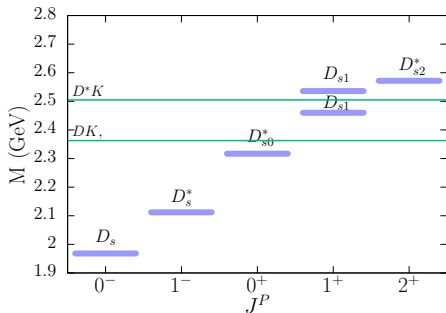
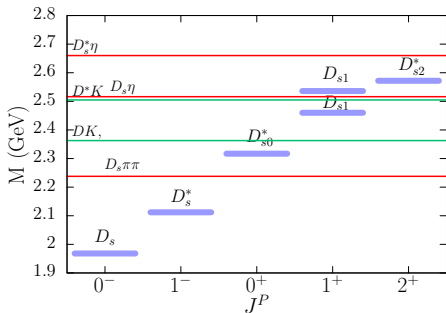


# What can the lattice provide?

$D_s$  spectrum:

- ▶ Prediction of states well established experimentally.
  - ▶ Demonstration of lattice techniques.
- ▶ Investigating internal structure of non-standard candidates.
  - ▶ Determine the light quark mass dependence of the spectrum.
  - ▶ Calculate the decay constants and compare with those of conventional mesons.

# Isospin limit, electrically neutral

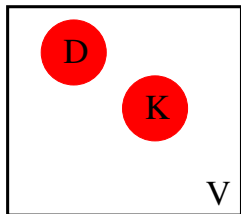


- ▶  $D_{s0}^*$  is stable.  $D_{s1}$  can decay to  $D_s\pi\pi$ .
- ▶ Ignore  $D_s\pi\pi$  and  $D_s\eta$  ( $0^+$ ),  $D_s^*\eta$  ( $1^+$ ).

Only consider (s-wave)  $DK$  and  $D^*K$  thresholds.

# Finite volume mass spectrum

Interested in states close to  $D + K$  and  $D^* + K$  thresholds.

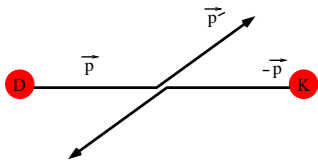


Infinite volume:  $E = m_{D^{(*)}} + m_K$

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$\Delta E > 0$  scattering/resonance

$\Delta E < 0$  bound state



Center of momentum frame:  $\vec{p}_{D^{(*)}} = -\vec{p}_K$

Elastic scattering:  $|\vec{p}'_{D^{(*)}}| = |\vec{p}_{D^{(*)}}| = p$

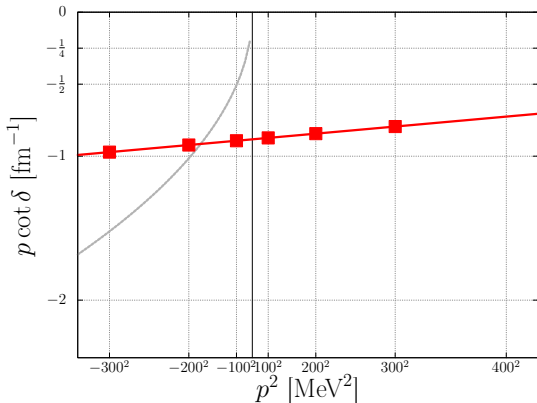
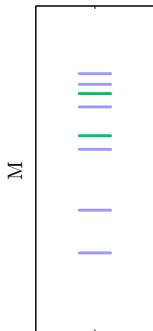
$$E = \sqrt{m_{D^{(*)}}^2 + p^2} + \sqrt{m_K^2 + p^2}$$

Lüscher's relation (s-wave):

$$p \cot \delta(p) = \frac{1}{\pi L} \sqrt{4\pi} \mathcal{Z}_{00} \left( 1; \frac{L^2}{4\pi^2} p^2 \right)$$



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$T(s) = -8\pi\sqrt{s}/(p \cot \delta(p) - ip)$ ,  $E = \sqrt{s}$

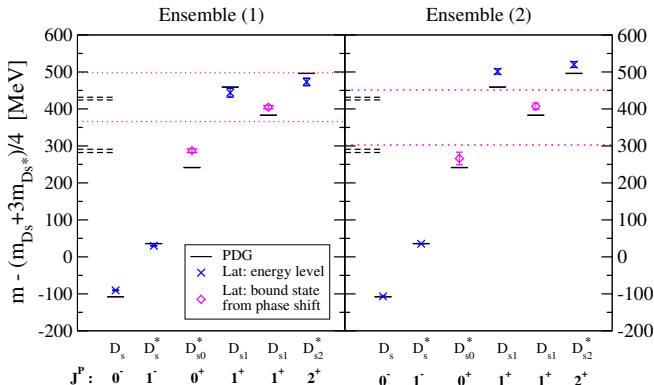
$\infty$  volume bound state pole condition:  $p \cot \delta(p) = ip$

Effective range approximation:  $p \cot \delta(p) \approx a_0^{-1} + \frac{1}{2}r_0 p^2$

Can map out the phase shift by varying the volume, moving frames..

# First study: $D_{s0}^*(2317)$ , $D_{s1}(2460)$ , $D_{s1}(2536)$ , $D_{s2}^*(2573)$

Lang, Leskovec, Mohler, Prelovsek, Woloshyn: 1308.3175, 1403.8103



Ensemble 1:  $N_f = 2$ ,  $m_\pi = 280$  MeV,  $a = 0.12$  fm, and  $L = 2.0$  fm ( $Lm_\pi = 2.7$ )

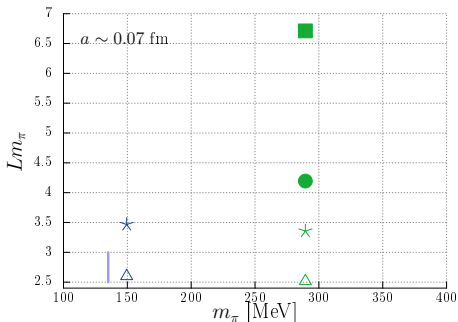
Ensemble 2:  $N_f = 2 + 1$ ,  $m_\pi = 156$  MeV,  $a = 0.09$  fm and  $L = 2.9$  fm ( $Lm_\pi = 2.3$ )

Earlier: [Liu,1208.4535],  $D\bar{K}$  channel (instead of  $DK$ ) and  $SU(3)$  flavour symmetry.

# Lattice details

RQCD+QCDSF:  $N_f = 2$ , assume valence strange makes the dominant contribution.

Gauge+quark action:  $O(\Lambda^2 a^2)$ ,  $O(m_q^2 a^2)$  discretisation effects.  $am_c \sim 0.5$ .



Near physical pion mass important to reproduce the physical threshold.

Volume varies 1.7-4.5 fm ( $m_\pi = 150$  MeV) and 3.4-4.5 fm ( $m_\pi = 290$  MeV).

High statistics: 800-2000 configurations.

# Extracting the mass spectrum on the lattice

Construct matrix of correlators from operators with relevant QNs.

$$\sum_{\vec{x}} \langle O_j(t, \vec{x}) O_i^\dagger(0, \vec{0}) \rangle = \sum_n \langle 0 | O_j | n \rangle \langle n | O_i^\dagger | 0 \rangle e^{-E_n t} \sim A e^{-E_1 t} (1 + B e^{-(E_2 - E_1)t} + \dots)$$

Operators respect lattice cubic symmetry, for bosons:

$$\blacktriangleright \mathbf{A}_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{J} = 0, 4, \dots, \mathbf{T}_1 \rightarrow \mathbf{J} = 1, 3, 4, \dots$$

Irreducible representations: continuum  $O(3)$  symmetry has  $J = 0, 1, 2, \dots$ , lattice cubic symmetry  $A_1, A_2, E, T_1, T_2$ .

Expect:  $A_1$  channel, g.s. +  $DK$  level +  $\dots$

$T_1$  channel, g.s. +  $D^*K$  level + third level +  $\dots$

# Extracting the mass spectrum on the lattice

For  $J^P = 0^+$  use operators:

$$c\bar{s}: O_{c\bar{s}} = c\bar{s}, O'_{c\bar{s}} = c\gamma_4\bar{s}, \quad D(\vec{0})K(\vec{0}): O_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}} = c\gamma_5\bar{\ell}(\vec{0})\ell\gamma_5\bar{s}(\vec{0})$$

Construct a matrix of correlators,  $C(t)$ , and solve for the eigenvalues:

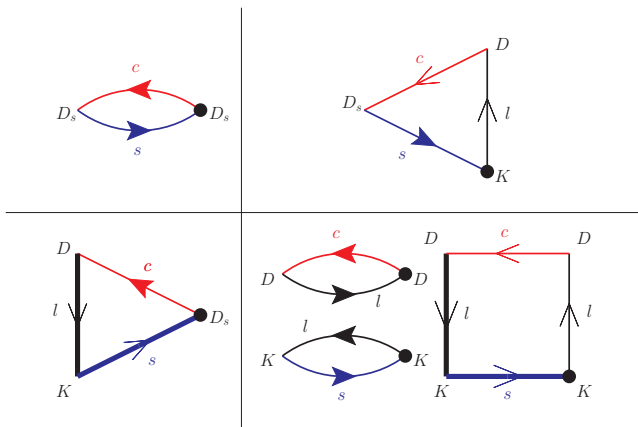
$$\begin{bmatrix} C_{c\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{s}}(t) & C_{c\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{s}'}(t) & C_{c\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}}(t) \\ C_{c\bar{s}' \rightarrow c\bar{s}}(t) & C_{c\bar{s}' \rightarrow c\bar{s}'}(t) & C_{c\bar{s}' \rightarrow c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}}(t) \\ C_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{s}}(t) & C_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{s}'}(t) & C_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s} \rightarrow c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}}(t) \end{bmatrix}, \quad \lambda_n \sim D e^{-E_n t} (1 + O(e^{-\Delta E_n t}))$$

For stability actually solve generalised eigenvalue problem:  $t > t_0$

$$C(t) v_n(t, t_0) = \lambda_n(t, t_0) C(t_0) v_n(t, t_0) \quad \lambda_n(t, t_0) = e^{-E_n(t-t_0)} (1 + \mathcal{O}(e^{-\Delta E_n t}))$$

Actual matrix larger:  $6 \times 6$ , three of type  $O_{c\bar{s}}$ , two of type  $O'_{c\bar{s}}$  and  $O_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}}$ .

Quark line diagrams that need to be computed:



Use stochastic estimation: one-end trick + sequential propagators following [\[CP-PACS,0708.3705\]](#) ( $\rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$ ) and [\[RQCD,1512.08678\]](#) ( $\rho \rightarrow \pi\pi$ ).

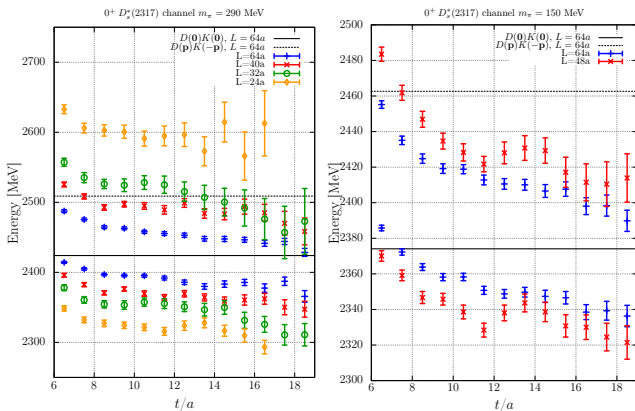
Computational cost restricts  $t$  in  $C(t)$  to range 5 – 19, ( $N_T = 15$ ).

Main overhead compared to standard  $c\bar{s}$  analysis:  $N_T + 3$  light propagators per configuration.

# Effective masses of eigenvalues: $J^P = 0^+$

$$C(t) v_n(t, t_0) = \lambda_n(t, t_0) C(t_0) v_n(t, t_0), \quad \lambda_n(t, t_0) = e^{-E_n(t-t_0)} + \dots$$

$E_n(t + a/2, t_0) = \log(\lambda_n(t, t_0) / \lambda_n(t + a, t_0))$ , expect g.s. and  $DK$  level.

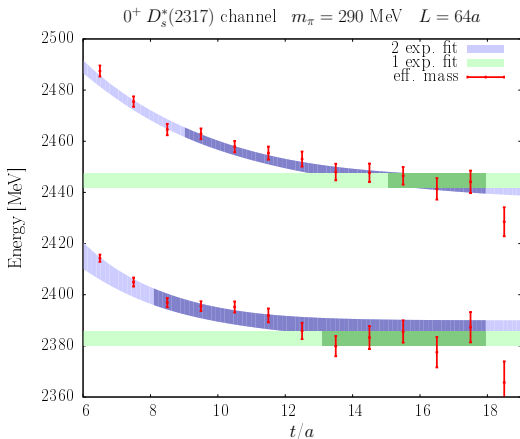


From  $4 \times 4$  correlator matrix, three  $O_{c\bar{s}}$  and one  $O_{c\bar{\ell}\bar{s}}$ .

# Fitting to eigenvalues: $J^P = 0^+$

Fit to  
 $\lambda_n \sim e^{-E_n t} (1 + ce^{-\Delta E_m t})$   
 in the range  $t_{min}$  to  $t_{max}$ .

From  $4 \times 4$  correlator  
 matrix:  
 $3 \times O_{c\bar{s}}$  and  $1 \times O_{c\bar{l}\bar{l}\bar{s}}$ .



Thermal states: possible contributions for (anti) periodic b.c. of the form

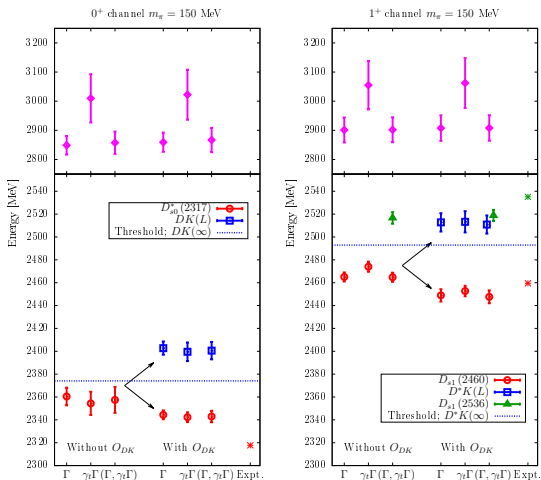
$$\langle D | O_i | K \rangle \langle K | O_j^\dagger | D \rangle e^{-(T-t)m_K} e^{-m_D t}.$$

Estimate: keep  $t_{max} < 19a$  ( $17a$ ) for  $T/a = 64$  ( $48$ ) to avoid these contributions.



# Finite volume spectrum: $J^P = 0^+$ and $1^+$

Vary the operator basis for the correlator matrix.



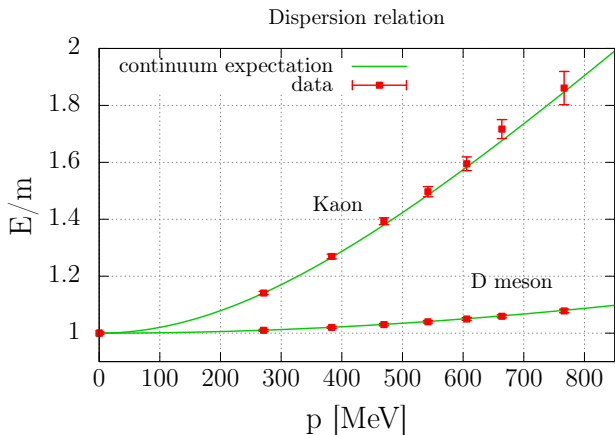
$c\bar{s}$  and  $D^{(*)}K$  operators are needed to resolve g.s. + DK level, depends on set up c.f. ETMC.

Axial-vector: need  $O'_{c\bar{s}}$  in order to see third close lying level.

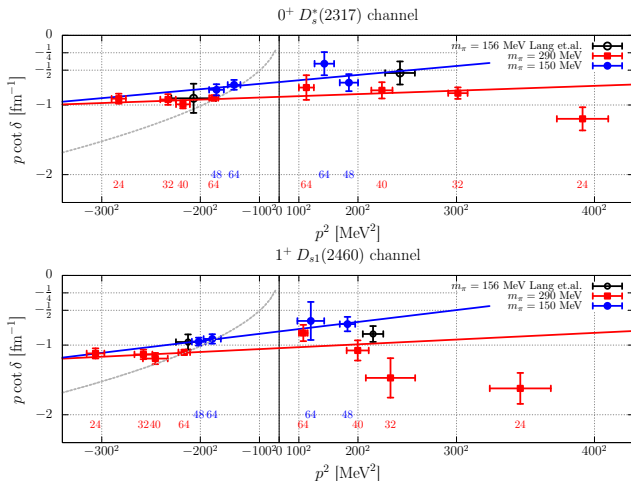
# Extraction of the phase shift

$$E_n = \sqrt{m_K^2 + p_n^2} + \sqrt{m_{D^{(*)}}^2 + p_n^2} \Rightarrow p_n \cot \delta(p_n) = \frac{2}{L\sqrt{\pi}} \mathcal{Z}_{00} \left( 1; \frac{L^2}{4\pi^2} p_n^2 \right)$$

Dispersion relation: interested in  $p^2$  up to  $400^2$  MeV.



# Phase shift



Results for largest volumes close to infinite volume for g.s..

**Effective range approximation:**  $p \cot \delta(p) = 1/a_0 + r_0 p^2/2 + \mathcal{O}(p^4)$

Omit  $L = 24a$  for  $m_\pi = 290$  MeV,  $p^2$  may be too large or finite volume effects.

$J^P = 1^+$ : third level ( $D_{s1}(2536)$ ) not considered .

# $a_0$ , $r_0$ and $g$

In the vicinity of the pole  $T(s) = g^2/(s - s_B)$

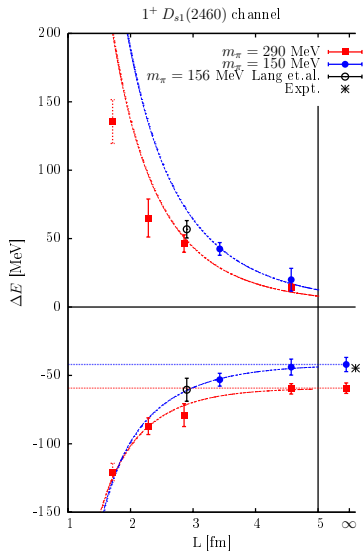
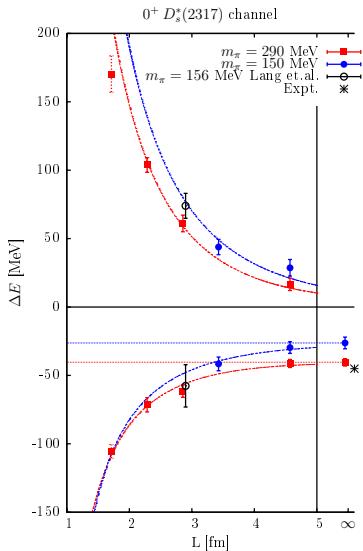
Errors: (stat.)(finite V)

finite V, drop smallest  $L$ .

	$a_0$ [fm]	$r_0$ [fm]	$g$ [GeV]
Scalar			
<b>RQCD</b>	<b>-1.49(0.13)(-0.30)</b>	<b>0.20(0.09)(+0.31)</b>	<b>11.0(0.6)(+1.2)</b>
<sup>a</sup> Lang et al.	-1.33(20)	0.27(17)	12.6(1.5)
<sup>1</sup> HMChPT,LQCD	-1.3(5)(1)	-0.1(3)(1)	11.3
<sup>2</sup> LQCD,HMChPT	-0.86(3)		
<sup>3</sup> HMChPT,Expt			10.203
<sup>4</sup> HMChPT,Expt,LQCD	$-1.04^{+0.06}_{-0.03}$		
<sup>5</sup> HMChPT,Expt,LQCD	$-0.89^{+0.06}_{-0.10}$		
<sup>6</sup> HMChPT,Expt	$-0.95^{+0.15+0.08}_{-0.15-0.13}$		
Axialvector			
<b>RQCD</b>	<b>-1.24(0.09)(-0.12)</b>	<b>0.27(0.07)(+0.13)</b>	<b>13.8(0.7)(+1.1)</b>
<sup>a</sup> Lang et al.	-1.11(11)	0.10(10)	12.6(7)
<sup>1</sup> HMChPT,LQCD	-1.1(5)(2)	-0.2(3)(1)	14.2

- (a) [Lang,1403.8103] (1) [Torres,1412.1706], (2) [Liu,1208.4535],  
 (3) [Guo,hep-ph/0603072], (4) [Yao,1502.05981], (5) [Guo,1507.03123],  
 (6) [Albaladejo,1604.01193]

# Splitting with the threshold: $E_n = m_D + m_K + \Delta E_n$



# Spectrum: $m_\pi = 150$ MeV

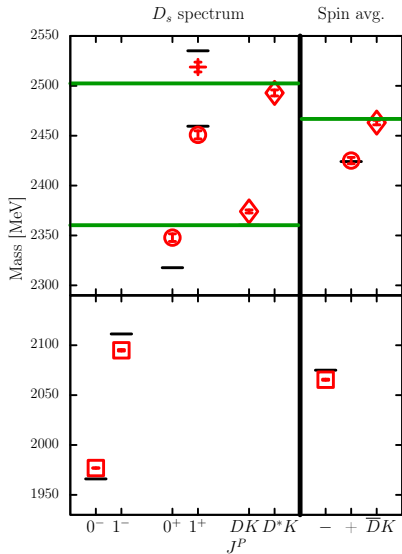
$D_s, D_s^*, D_{s1}(2536)$  from  $L = 64a$ .

Deviation from expt.

Likely discretisation effects:  
 $O(a^2), O((ma)^2), am_c \sim 0.5$ .

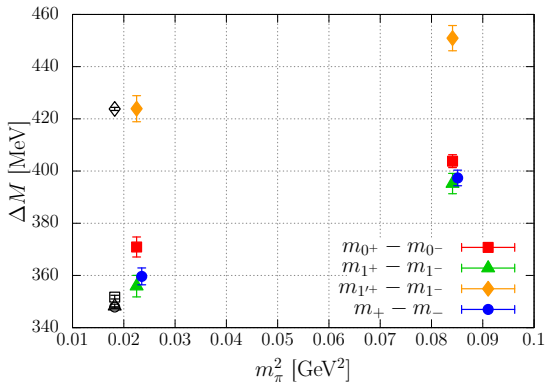
HQET: fine structure splittings  $\rightarrow$   
 momentum scales close to  $m_c \not\ll a^{-1}$ .

Spin-average splittings  $\rightarrow$   
 $O(\Lambda) \ll a^{-1} = 2.8$  GeV.



# Spectrum: splittings

Separate out the light quark dependence.



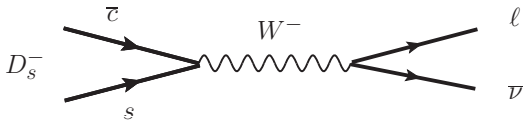
Short (crude) extrapolation:  $m_+ - m_- = 356(3)$  MeV, c.f. 349 MeV from expt..

$m_\pi$  dependence of splittings significant: due to mass shifts for  $D_{s0}^*$ ,  $D_{s1}$ .

$D_s$  and  $D_s^*$  masses only shift by 3 – 7 MeV.

# Decay constants

Leptonic decay: pseudoscalar  $D_s$  meson,  $J^P = 0^-$ ,



Decay constant:  $\langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (1 - \gamma_5) c | D_s(\mathbf{p}) \rangle \longrightarrow \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 c | D_s(\mathbf{p}) \rangle = f_A p_\mu$

Decay width:

$$\Gamma = \frac{G_F^2}{8\pi} f_{D_s}^2 m_l^2 M_{D_s} \left( 1 - \frac{m_l^2}{M_{D_s}^2} \right)^2 |V_{cs}|^2$$

Lattice: FLAG review [[Aoki,1607.00299](#)]:

$$\begin{array}{llll} N_f = 2 & f_{D_s} = 250(7) \text{ MeV} & N_f = 2 + 1 & f_{D_s} = 249.8(2.3) \text{ MeV} \\ & N_f = 2 + 1 + 1 & & f_{D_s} = 248.83(1.27) \text{ MeV} \end{array}$$



# Decay constants

Vector meson,  $D_s^*$ ,  $J^P = 1^-$

[Becirevic,1201.4039],  $N_f = 2$  twisted mass fermions,  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.26(3)$ ,

[ETMC,1610.09671]  $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$  twisted mass fermions  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.09(2)$ .

[HPQCD,1312.5264]  $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$  HISQ fermions  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.10(2)$ ,

Higher positive parity states:  $D_{s0}^*$  and  $D_{s1}$

$$J^P = 0^+ \quad \text{Vector} \quad \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu c | D_{s0}^* (\mathbf{p}) \rangle = f_V^{0^+} p_\mu$$

$$J^P = 1^+ \quad \text{Axial-vector} \quad \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_\nu \gamma_5 c | D_{s1} (\mathbf{p}, \epsilon) \rangle = f_A^{1^+} m_{D_{s1}} \epsilon_\nu$$

Compare the magnitude of  $f_V^{0^+}$  and  $f_A^{1^+}$  with those of conventional  $D_s$  and  $D_s^*$ .

In addition:

$$\text{Scalar} \quad \langle 0 | \bar{s} c | D_{s0}^* (\mathbf{p}) \rangle = f_S^{0^+} m_{0^+},$$

$$\text{Tensor} \quad \langle 0 | \bar{s} \gamma_5 \sigma_{\mu\nu} c | D_{s1} (\mathbf{p}, \epsilon) \rangle = f_T^{1^+} (p_\mu \epsilon_\nu - p_\nu \epsilon_\mu)$$

For  $D_{s0}^*$ , scalar and vector decay constants are related:

$$\text{Conserved vector current relation} \quad f_V = f_S (m_c - m_s) / m_{D_{s0}^*}$$

# Non-leptonic $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}D_{sJ}^{(*)}$ decays

Decay constants not yet directly determined in expt..

Instead: non-leptonic  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}D_{sJ}^{(*)}$  decays

In low energy limit (effective Hamiltonian) and factorisation (heavy quark limit).

Amplitude approx  $\propto \langle \mathbf{D}_{s0}^* | \bar{s} \gamma_\mu (\mathbf{1} - \gamma^5) \mathbf{c} | \mathbf{0} \rangle \langle \mathbf{D} | \bar{c} \gamma^\mu (\mathbf{1} - \gamma^5) \mathbf{b} | \mathbf{B} \rangle$

$$R_{D0} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow DD_{s0}^*(2317))}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow DD_s)} \approx R_{D^*0} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^*D_{s0}^*(2317))}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^*D_s)} \approx \left| \frac{f_{D_{s0}^*}}{f_{D_s}} \right|^2$$

$$R_{D1} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow DD_{s1}(2460))}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^*D_s^*)} \approx R_{D^*1} = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^*D_{s1}(2460))}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^*D_s^*)} \approx \left| \frac{f_{D_{s1}}}{f_{D_s^*}} \right|^2$$

Expt: [\[Belle,1102.0935\]](#)

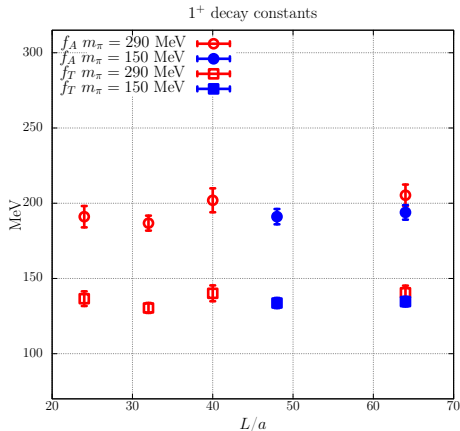
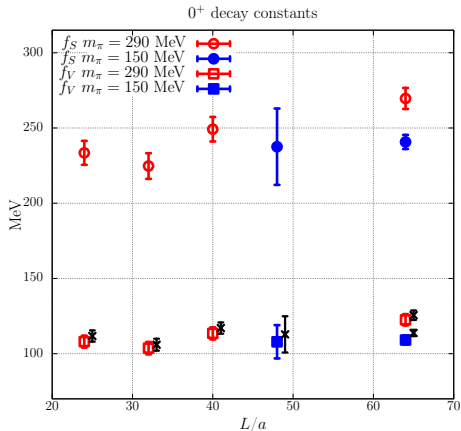
$$R_{D0} = 0.10(3), \quad R_{D^*0} = 0.15(6) \quad \text{are similar as are}$$

$$R_{D1} = 0.44(11), \quad R_{D^*1} = 0.58(12)$$

# Decay constants: results

$$C_{LS}^X(t) = \langle 0 | J_X(t) O^\dagger(0) | 0 \rangle \approx \sqrt{\frac{mL^3}{2}} e^{mt_0} \mathbf{f}_X^{\text{latt}} e^{-mt} \quad \mathbf{f}_X^{\text{ren}} = Z_X (1 + a\bar{m}b_X) \mathbf{f}_X^{\text{latt}}$$

$X \in \{S, V, A, T\}$  and  $m \in \{m_{0^+}, m_{1^+}\}$



$D_{s1}$  is a narrow resonance ( $\rho$  wave decay to  $D_s\pi\pi$ ): [Briceño and Hansen,1502.04314]

$0 \rightarrow 2$  but no  $0 \rightarrow 3$ .

# Decay constants: results $m_\pi = 150$ MeV

Errors: (stat.)(renorm.)(finite V)(disc.)

Finite V from extrap. with  $f + ge^{-Lm_\pi}/(Lm_\pi)^{3/2}$  from LO ChPT for  $m_\pi = 290$  MeV.

Also:  $f_T^{1+} = 135(2)(2)(+3)(10)$  MeV.

MeV	$f_S^{0+}$	$f_V^{0+}$	$f_A^{1+}$
<b>RQCD</b>	<b>241(4)(2)(+12)(10)</b>	<b>114(2)(0)(+5)(10)</b>	<b>194(3)(4)(+5)(10)</b>
<sup>1</sup> Herdoiza et al.	340(110)	200(50)	
<sup>2</sup> B-decays, HQS		74(11)	166(20)
<sup>3</sup> B-decays, HQS		67(13)	
<sup>4</sup> B-decays, HQS		58-86	130-200
<sup>5</sup> QM		440	410
<sup>6</sup> QM		122-154	
<sup>7</sup> LF QM		71	117
<sup>8</sup> LC QCDSR	225(25)		225(25)
<sup>9</sup> DK-molecule		67.1(4.5)	144.5(11.1)
<sup>10</sup> LF QM		74.4 <sup>+10.4</sup> <sub>-10.6</sub>	159 <sup>-36</sup> <sub>+32</sub>
<sup>11</sup> QM		119	165
<sup>12</sup> QCDSR	333(20)		245(17)

- (1) [Herdoiza, hep-lat/0604001] (2) [Hwang, hep-ph/0410301] (3) [Cheng, hep-ph/0305038]  
 (4) [Cheng, hep-ph/0605073] (5) [LeYaounac, hep-ph/0107047] (6) [Hsieh, hep-ph/0312232]  
 (7) [Cheng, hep-ph/0310359] (8) [Colangelo, hep-ph/0505195] (9) [Fässler, 0705.0892] (10)  
 [Verma, 1103.2973] (11) [Segovia, 1203.4362] (12) [Wang, 1506.01993]

## Decay constants: results $m_\pi = 150$ MeV

Unfortunately,  $f_{D_s}$  and  $f_{D_s^*}$  not computed.

**Scalar:** use [ALPHA,1312.7693] results with same action and  $N_f = 2$ :

$f_{D_s} \sim 257$  MeV at  $m_\pi = 190$  MeV,  $a = 0.065$  fm,  $f_{D_s} = 247$  MeV at  $m_\pi^{phys}$ ,  $a = 0$ .

Gives:

$$f_{D_{s0}^*}/f_{D_s} \approx 0.45, \quad |f_{D_{s0}^*}/f_{D_s}|^2 \approx 0.20$$

**Vector:** use  $m_\pi^{phys}$ ,  $a = 0$  results

[Becirevic,1201.4039],  $N_f = 2$  twisted mass fermions,  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.26(3)$ ,

[HPQCD,1312.5264] HISQ fermions  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.10(2)$ ,

[ETMC,1610.09671]  $N_f = 2 + 1 + 1$  twisted mass fermions  $f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.09(2)$ .

Gives:

$$f_{D_{s1}}/f_{D_s^*} \approx 0.6 - 0.7, \quad |f_{D_{s1}}/f_{D_s^*}|^2 \approx 0.36 - 0.49$$

Expt: [Belle,1102.0935]

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# Decay constants

Heavy quark  $m_Q \rightarrow \infty$  limit:  $(D_s, D_s^*)$ ,  $(D_{s0}^*, D_{s1})$  form degenerate pairs.

$$m_c \quad f_{D_s^*}/f_{D_s} = 1.10 - 1.26, \quad f_{D_{s1}}/f_{D_{s0}^*} \sim 1.7,$$

Nature of states:  $P = +$  decay constants suppressed relative to  $P = -$ .

$$f_{D_{s0}^*}/f_{D_s} \approx 0.45, \quad f_{D_{s1}}/f_{D_s^*} \approx 0.6 - 0.7$$

The states more spatially extended (in a non-relativistic  $\bar{q}q$  picture  $f \propto |\psi(0)|^2$ ).

Conventional mesons: charmonium sector

So far lattice results for decay constants of  $\eta_c$  ( $0^-$ ),  $J/\psi$  ( $1^-$ ) and  $h_c$  ( $1^{+-}$ ).

[Becirevic,1312.2858]:  $f_{h_c}/f_{J/\psi} = 0.56$ .

However, roughly:  $\Gamma(\bar{c}c \rightarrow \gamma\gamma) \propto f_{\bar{c}c}^2/m_{\bar{c}c}$

From the expt. results

$$f_{\chi_0}/f_{\eta_c} = f_{0^{++}}/f_{0^{-+}} \sim 0.7$$

## $D_s$ : summary and outlook

- ★ High statistics study with  $m_\pi = 290$  MeV and 150 MeV and  $L = 1.7 - 4.5$  fm.
- ★  $DK$  and  $D^*K$  thresholds reproduced to within 14 MeV.
- ★  $D^{(*)}K$  operators essential for reliably extracting the g.s. and DK state.
- ★ Phase shift,  $p \cot \delta(p)$  linear with  $p^2$  for  $|p^2| \leq 300$  GeV<sup>2</sup> consistent with the effective range approximation.
- ★ Discrepancies seen with experimental mass spectrum. Likely due to discretisation effects.
- ★ Spin-average masses and splittings reasonably consistent with expt.. Significant dependence on light quark mass observed.
- ★  $f_V^{0+}$  and  $f_A^{1+}$  roughly compatible with  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}D_{sJ}^{(*)}$  branching fractions.
- ★  $f_S^{0+}$  and  $f_T^{1+}$  can be compared to model predictions.