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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{M}(B^{\pm} \to K^{\pm} \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}) &= \\ &= a_{K^{*}} e^{i\delta_{K^{*}}} (1 \pm b_{K^{*}} e^{i\varphi_{K^{*}}}) \mathcal{A}(K^{*}(892)^{0}) + a_{K_{0}^{*}} e^{i\delta_{K_{0}^{*}}} (1 \pm b_{K_{0}^{*}} e^{i\varphi_{K_{0}^{*}}}) \mathcal{A}(K_{0}^{*}(1430)^{0}) \\ &+ a_{\rho} e^{i\delta_{\rho}} (1 \pm b_{\rho} e^{i\varphi_{\rho}}) \mathcal{A}(\rho(770)^{0}) + a_{\omega} e^{i\delta_{\omega}} (1 \pm b_{\omega} e^{i\varphi_{\omega}}) \mathcal{A}(\omega(782)) \\ &+ a_{f_{0}} e^{i\delta_{f_{0}}} (1 \pm b_{f_{0}} e^{i\varphi_{f_{0}}}) \mathcal{A}_{\text{Flatte}} (f_{0}(980)) + a_{f_{2}} e^{i\delta_{f_{2}}} (1 \pm b_{f_{2}} e^{i\varphi_{f_{2}}}) \mathcal{A}(f_{2}(1270)) \\ &+ a_{f_{X}} e^{i\delta_{f_{X}}} (1 \pm b_{f_{X}} e^{i\varphi_{f_{X}}}) \mathcal{A}(f_{X}) + a_{\chi_{c0}} e^{i\delta_{\chi_{c0}}} (1 \pm b_{\chi_{c0}} e^{i\varphi_{\chi_{c0}}}) \mathcal{A}(\chi_{c0}) \\ &+ \mathcal{A}_{\text{nr}} (K^{\pm} \pi^{\pm} \pi^{\mp}) \end{aligned}$$

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$$K_{0}^{*}e^{i\delta_{K_{0}^{*}}}(1\pm b_{K_{0}^{*}}e^{i\varphi_{K_{0}^{*}}})\mathcal{A}(K_{0}^{*}(1430)^{0})$$

$$\pm b_{\omega}e^{i\varphi_{\omega}})\mathcal{A}(\omega(782))$$

$$a_{f_{2}}e^{i\delta_{f_{2}}}(1\pm b_{f_{2}}e^{i\varphi_{f_{2}}})\mathcal{A}(f_{2}(1270))$$

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Motivations: why study three-body hadronic *B* and *D* decays?

- Three-body hadronic *B* and *D* decays rich field : Standard Model, CP violation, QCD, Hadron Physics
- □ Hadron Physics component : 2-body resonances + interferences ⇔ weak observables.
- □ Final state meson-meson interactions: constrained by unitarity, analyticity, chiral symmetry + data other than *B* and *D* decays.
- Basic Dalitz-plot analyzes: isobar model or sum of relativistic Breit-Wigner terms representing the different possible implied resonances + non resonant background.
 S-wave resonance contributions difficult to fit beyond isobar?
- Proposal: replace by parametrizations of amplitudes in terms of unitary two-meson form factors including the weak-interaction dynamics of flavor-changing diagrams.
- Parametrizations based on published results and motivated by analyzes of highstatistics present and forthcoming data: BES III, LHCb, Belle II ...
- □ No three-body decays factorization theorem but major contributions from intermediate resonances $\rho(770)$, *K**(892), $\phi(1020) \Rightarrow quasi-two-body decays$.

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Beneke, Buchalla, Neubert, Sachrajda, Phys. Rev. Lett. 83, 1914 (1999); Beneke & Neubert, Nucl. Phys. B 675, 333 (2003).

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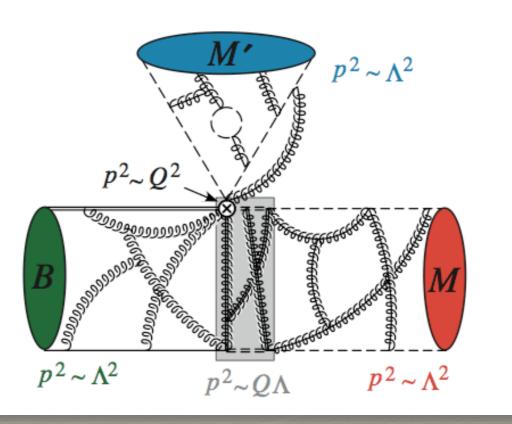
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Decay constant (mostly known experimentally)

Hadronic transition form factor; estimated with QCD sum rules, lattice QCD, quark models ... Radiative vertex corrections and hard gluon exchange with spectator quark



QCD factorization (quasi-two body)

B. E., A. Furman, R. Kamiński, L. Leśniak, B. Loiseau and B. Moussallam, Phys. Rev. D79, 094005 (2009)

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 $\langle (M_1 M_2)_{S,P} M_3 | Q_k(\mu) | B \rangle \sim \langle (M_1 M_2)_{S,P} | J_1 | 0 \rangle \otimes \langle M_3 | J_2 | B \rangle$ $\times \left[1 + \sum r_n \alpha_s^n + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda_{\mathbf{QCD}} / m_b) \right]$

Radiative vertex corrections and hard gluon exchange with spectator quark

Scalar or vector form factor; their definition allows for inclusion of pion-pion and kaon-pion form factors and the calculation of a "resonance decay constant"

Meson-Meson Form Factors

 $\langle M^* | J^i_{\mu} | 0 \rangle \propto \langle M_1 M_2 | J^i_{\mu} | 0 \rangle$: form factor, creation from a $\bar{q}q$ pair.

Usage of dispersion relations and field theory \Rightarrow form factors known if M_1M_2 interactions known at all energies [G. Barton, Introduction to dispersion techniques in field theory, W. A. Benjamin, INC, New York (1965)].

Method: Two-body data + unitarity + asymptotic QCD + chiral symmetry at low energies.

Example: scalar and vector πK form factors

The hadronic matrix element that describes the creation of a kaon-pion pair can be written in terms of the usual Lorentz invariants:

$$\langle K^{-}(p_{K^{-}})\pi^{+}(p_{\pi^{+}})|\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}(1-\gamma_{5})d|0\rangle = f_{+}^{K^{-}\pi^{+}}(q^{2}) \ (p_{K^{-}}+p_{\pi^{+}})_{\mu} \ + \ f_{-}^{K^{-}\pi^{+}}(q^{2}) \ (p_{K^{-}}-p_{\pi^{+}})_{\mu}$$

in S- and P-wave

with $t = (p_k - p_\pi)^2$ and which can be re-expressed in terms of a scalar $F_1(t = q^2)$ and a vector $G_1(t = q^2)$ form factor, such as:

$$\langle K^{-}(p_{K^{-}})\pi^{+}(p_{\pi^{+}})|\bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}(1-\gamma_{5})d|0\rangle = \\ = \left[(p_{K^{-}}-p_{\pi^{+}})_{\mu}-\frac{m_{K}^{2}-m_{\pi}^{2}}{q^{2}}q_{\mu}\right]G_{1}^{K^{-}\pi^{+}}(q^{2}) + \frac{m_{K}^{2}-m_{\pi}^{2}}{q^{2}}q_{\mu}F_{1}^{K^{-}\pi^{+}}(q^{2})$$

Two sets of form factors are related by: $F_1(t) = \sqrt{2} \left[f_+^{K^- \pi^+}(t) + \frac{t}{m_K^2 - m_\pi^2} f_-^{K^- \pi^+}(t) \right]$ $G_1(t) = \sqrt{2} f_+^{K^- \pi^+}(t)$

These form factors also appear in semileptonic decays $\tau \to K \pi \nu_{\tau}$ and $K \to \pi \ell \nu_{\ell}$ B. Moussallam, Eur.Phys.J.C53:401-412 (2008); M. Jamin, J. Oller & A. Pich, Nucl.Phys.B622:279-308 (2002).

Mushkelishvili-Omnès Equations

Analyticity and asymptotic conditions: dispersion relation

Re
$$F_1(t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{(m_\pi + m_K)^2}^{\infty} \frac{\operatorname{Im} F_1(t')}{t' - t} dt'$$
 (scalar form factor)

Re
$$G_1(t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{(m_\pi + m_K)^2}^{\infty} \frac{\operatorname{Im} G_1(t')}{t' - t} dt'$$
 (vector form factor

Unitarity equations and T-invariance:

Im
$$F_m(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_n T^*_{mn}(t) F_n(t)$$
 Im $G_m(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_n T^*_{mn} G_n(t)$

with the approximation of the truncation $|n\rangle = |K\pi\rangle, |K\eta'\rangle$ for the scalar $F_1(t)$ and $|n\rangle = |K\pi\rangle, |K^*\pi\rangle, |K\rho\rangle$ for the vector $G_1(t)$.

Combining the dispersion relations with the unitarity equations yields a set of integral equations (Mushkelishvili-Omnès) which can be solved numerically with *initial conditions*.

Find an effective parametrization of $T_{mn}(t)$ constrained by theory (chiral symmetry) at low energies and experimental data on phase shifts and inelasticities at higher energies.

An (incomplete) collection of meson-meson form factors

• Scalar $\pi\pi$ form factor:

J. T. Daub, C. Hanhart, B. Kubis, A model-independent analysis of final-state interactions in $\bar{B}^0_{d/s} \rightarrow J/\psi \pi \pi$, JHEP 1602, 009 (2016).

• Vector $\pi\pi$ form factor:

C. Hanhart, *A new parametrization for the vector pion form factor*, Phys. Lett. B 715, 170 (2012). D. Gómez Dumm and P. Roig, *Dispersive representation of the pion vector form factor in* $\tau \rightarrow \pi \pi v_{\tau}$ *decays*, Eur. Phys. J. C 73, 2528 (2013). A. Celis, V. Cirigliano, E. Passemar, *Lepton flavor violation in the Higgs sector and the role of hadronic* τ -*lepton decays*, Phys. Rev. D 89, 013008 (2014).

- Scalar $K\pi$ form factors: M. Jamin, J. A. Oller and A. Pich, Scalar $K\pi$ form factor and light quark masses, Phys. Rev. D 74, 074009 (2006).
- Vector $K\pi$ form factor: D. R. Boito, R. Escribano and M. Jamin, $K\pi$ vector form factor constrained by $\tau \to K\pi v_{\tau}$ and K_{l3} decays, JHEP 1009, 031 (2010).
- Scalar *KK* form factors: B. Moussallam, *N_f dependence of the quark condensate from a chiral sum rule*, Eur. Phys. J. C 14, 111 (2000).

Alternatives to Isobar model

"Parametrizations of three-body hadronic B- and D-decay amplitudes in terms of analytic and unitary meson-meson form factors"

D. Boito, J.-P. Dedonder, B. El-Bennich, R. Escribano, R. Kamiski, L. Lesniak, B. Loiseau, Phys. Rev. D 96, 113003 (2017)

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Parametrized amplitudes in terms of analytic and unitary meson-meson form factors

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 $B^{\pm} \rightarrow \pi^{+}\pi^{-}\pi^{\pm}$ J.-P. Dedonder *et al.*, Acta Phys. Pol. B **42**, 2013 (2011).

 $B \rightarrow K\pi^{+}\pi^{-}$: A. Furman *et al.*, Phys. Lett. B **622**, 207 (2005); B. El-Bennich *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **74**, 114009 (2006); B. El-Bennich *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **79**, 094005 (2009); Erratum-ibid, Phys. Rev. D **83**, 039903 (2011).

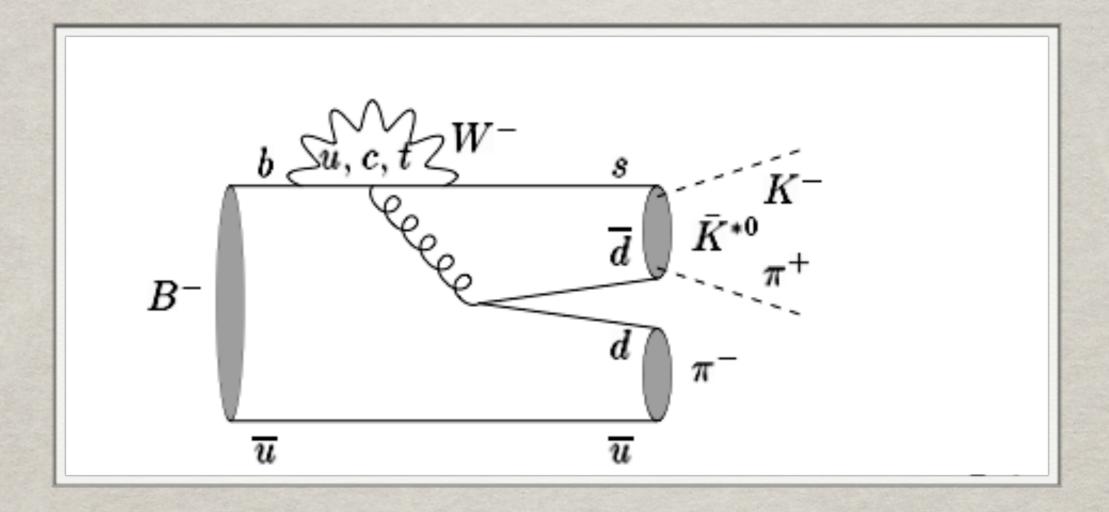
 $B^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{+}K^{-}K^{\pm}$: A. Furman *et al.*, Phys. Lett. B **699**, 102 (2011); L. Leśniak and P. Żenczykowski, Phys. Lett. B **737**, 201 (2014).

 $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$: D. Boito *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **79**, 034020 (2009).

 $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$: D. R. Boito and R. Escribano, Phys. Rev. D **80**, 054007 (2009); D. R. Boito, R. Escribano and M. Jamin, Eur. Phys. J. C **59**, 821 (2009).

 $D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$: J.-P. Dedonder *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **89**, 094018 (2014).

 $D^0 \rightarrow K^0_S K^+ K^-$: J.-P. Dedonder *et al.*, work in progress .



Invariant $m_{\pi K}$ mass distributions

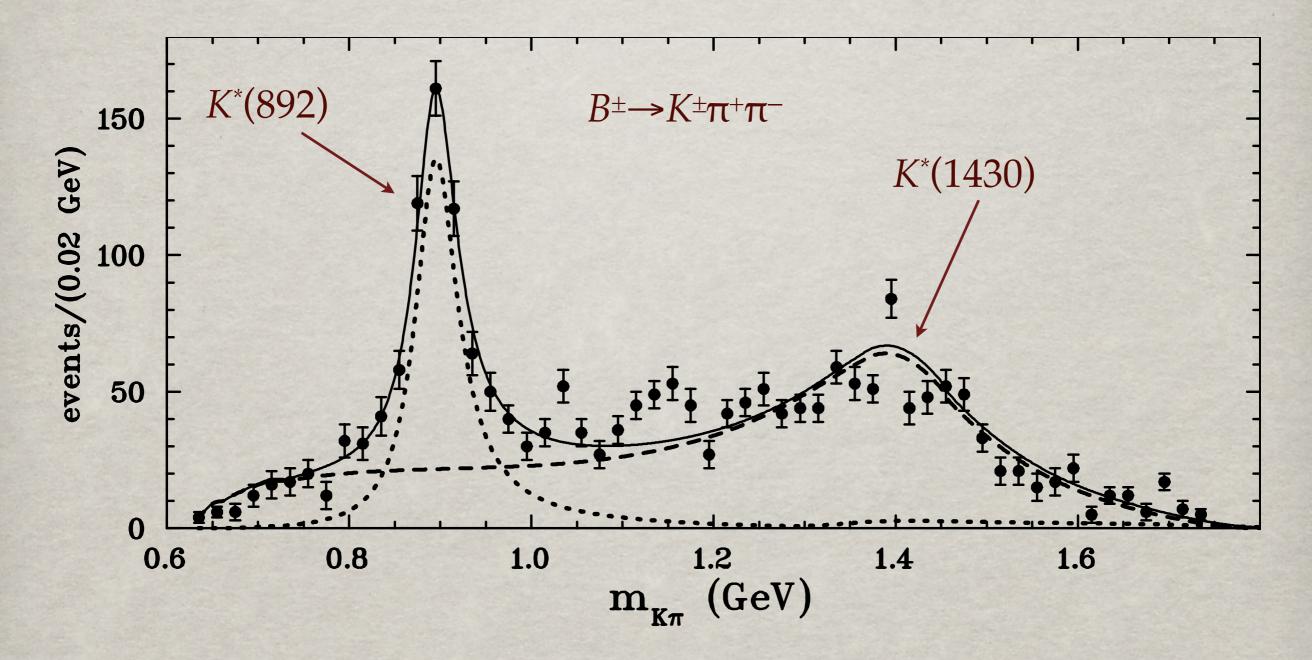
$$\frac{d^{2}\Gamma^{-}}{d\cos\theta dm_{K^{-}\pi^{+}}} = \frac{m_{K^{-}\pi^{+}}|\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{+}}| |\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{-}}|}{8(2\pi)^{3}M_{B}^{3}} |\mathcal{M}^{-}|^{2}$$
$$\frac{d\mathcal{B}^{-}}{dm_{K^{-}\pi^{+}}} = \frac{1}{\Gamma_{B}^{-}} \frac{m_{K^{-}\pi^{+}}|\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{+}}| |\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{-}}|}{4(2\pi)^{3}M_{B}^{3}} \left(|\mathcal{M}_{S}^{-}|^{2} + \frac{1}{3}|\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{+}}|^{2} |\mathbf{p}_{\pi^{-}}|^{2}|\mathcal{M}_{P}^{-}|^{2}\right)$$

$$\frac{d\mathcal{B}^-}{d\cos\theta} = A + B\cos\theta + C\cos^2\theta$$

with the helicity angle related to $m_{\pi\pi}$:

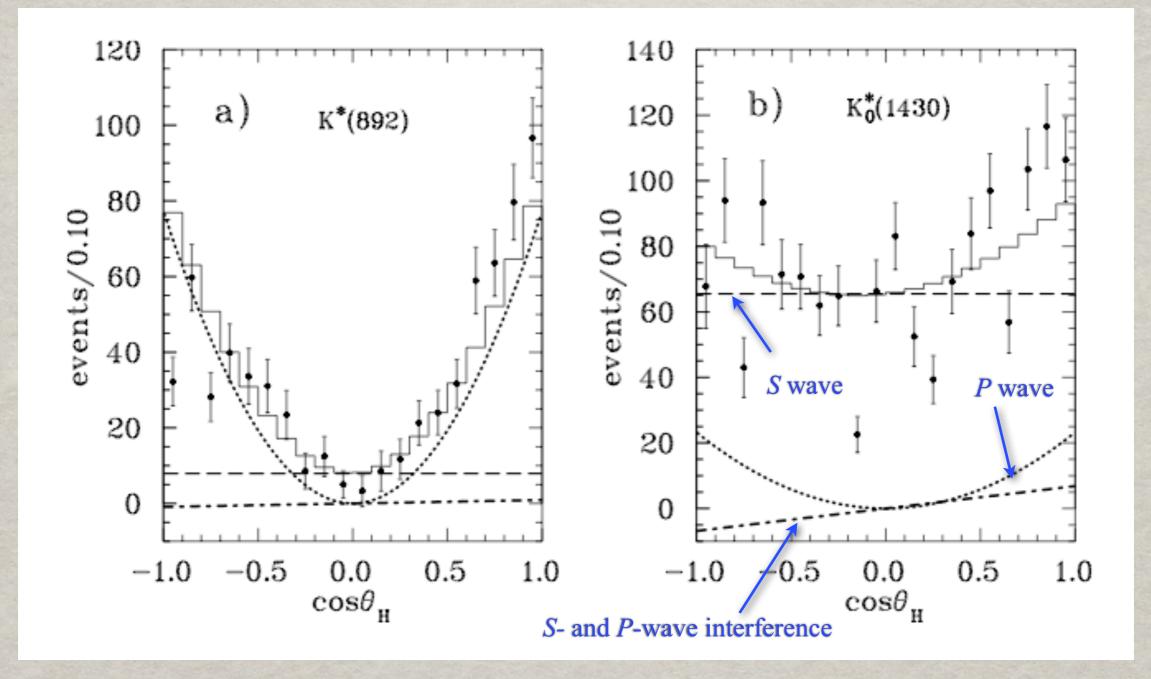
$$\cos \theta = \frac{p_{\pi^+} \cdot p_{\pi^-}}{|p_{\pi^+}||p_{\pi^-}|}$$

Pion-kaon invariant mass distributions



Data: A. Garmash et al. (Belle), PRL 96, 251803 (2006)

$B^{\pm} \rightarrow K^{\pm} \pi^{+} \pi^{-}$ helicity distributions



 $B \rightarrow [K\pi^{\pm}]_S \pi^{\mp}$ amplitude (*S* wave)

• In terms of the two complex parameters c_1^S , c_2^S

$$\mathcal{A}_{S}(s_{12}) \equiv \langle \pi^{-} [K^{-}\pi^{+}]_{S} | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | B^{-} \rangle = \left(c_{1}^{S} + c_{2}^{S} s_{12} \right) \frac{F_{0}^{B\pi}(s_{12}) F_{0}^{K\pi}(s_{12})}{s_{12}}$$

 $F_0^{K\pi}(s)$ [contains $K_0^*(800)$ or κ , $K_0^*(1430)$], $F_0^{B\pi}(s)$, $K\pi$, $B\pi$ scalar form factors.

- Parametrization used with success by R. Aaij *et al.* [LHCb Collaboration], Amplitude analysis of the decay $\bar{B} \to K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ and first observation of the *CP* asymmetry in $\bar{B} \to K^*(892)^- \pi^+$, arXiv: 1712.09320 [hep-ex].
- From $B^- \to [K^- \pi^+]_S \pi^-$ [B. El-Bennich *et al.* Phys. Rev. D **79**, 094005 (2009)]

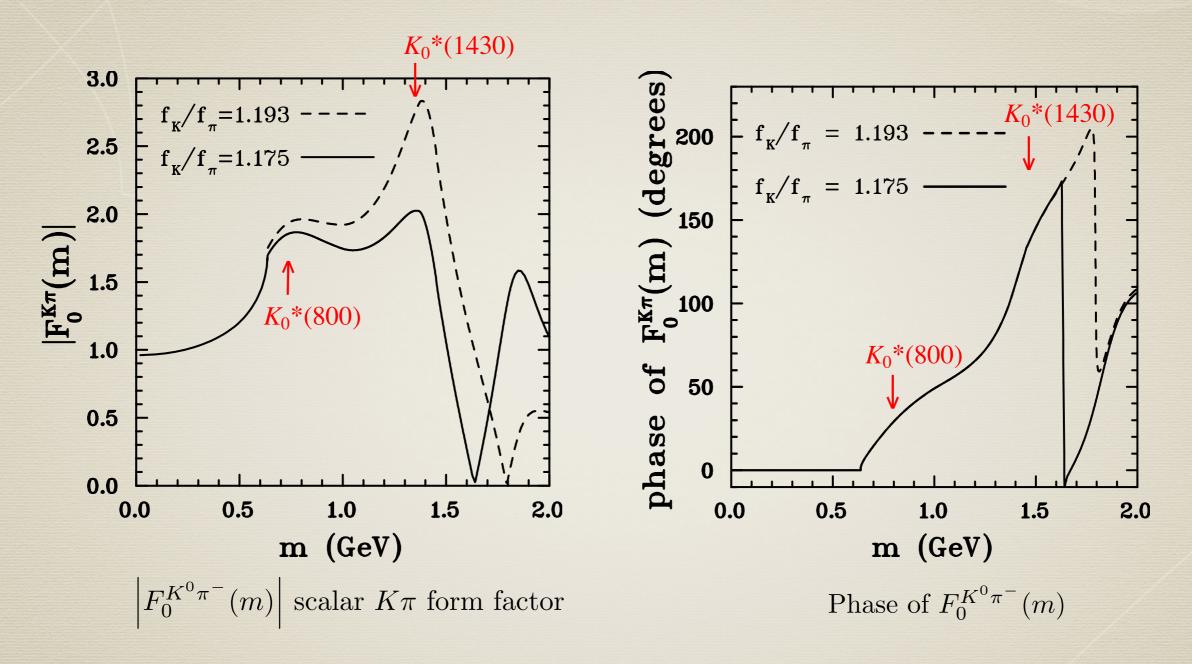
$$c_1^{-S} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} (M_B^2 - m_\pi^2) (m_K^2 - m_\pi^2) \\ \times \left[\lambda_u \left(a_4^u(S) - \frac{a_{10}^u(S)}{2} + c_4^u \right) + \lambda_c \left(a_4^c(S) - \frac{a_{10}^c(S)}{2} + c_4^c \right) \right],$$

 $\Rightarrow \lambda_c = V_{cb}V_{cs}^*; a_i^{u(c)}(S), i = 4, 10:$ leading order effective Wilson coefficients + vertex + penguin corrections; $c_4^{u(c)}$ free fitted parameters: non-perturbative + higher order contributions to the penguin diagrams.

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Scalar $K\pi$ form factors $F_0^{K\pi}(\sqrt{s})$: $f_K/f_\pi = 1.193$ in fit to $B \to [K\pi]\pi$; $f_K/f_\pi = 1.175$ in fit to $D^0 \to K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$.



⇒ Unitary scalar $K \pi$ form factor: Muskhelishvili-Omnès 2 coupled-channel ($K \pi$, $K \eta'$) equations with experimental $K\pi$ *T*-matrix + chiral symmetry + asymptotic QCD constraints, variation with f_K/f_π ; ⇒ See work by B. Moussallam in B. El-Bennich et al. Phys. Rev. D 79, 094005 (2009). $B \rightarrow [K\pi^{\pm}]_P \pi^{\mp}$ amplitude (*P* wave)

• In terms of one complex parameters c_1^P

$$\mathcal{A}_{P}(s_{12}, s_{23}) \equiv \langle \pi^{-} [K^{-}\pi^{+}]_{P} | \mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} | B^{-} \rangle$$

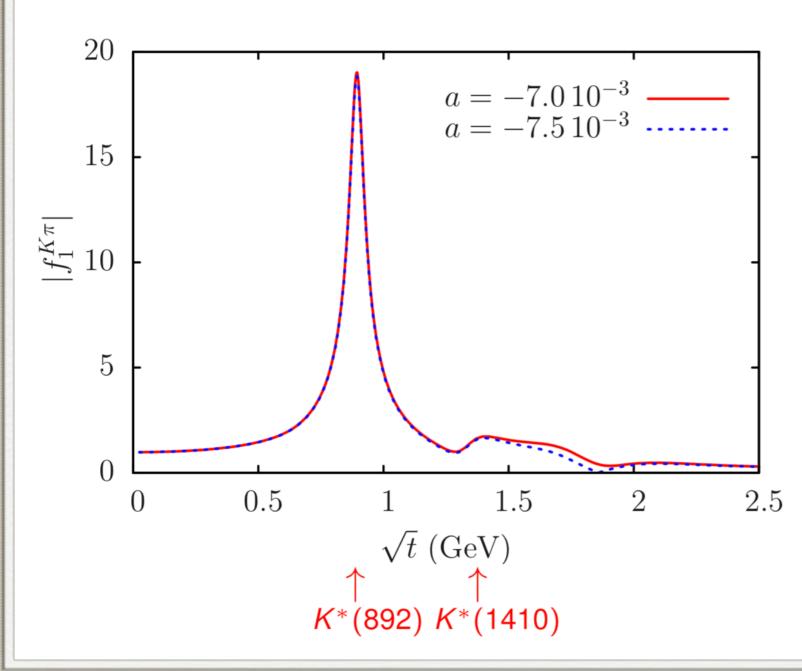
= $c_{1}^{P} \left(s_{13} - s_{23} - (M_{B}^{2} - m_{\pi}^{2}) \frac{m_{K}^{2} - m_{\pi}^{2}}{s_{12}} \right) F_{1}^{B\pi}(s_{12}) F_{1}^{K\pi}(s_{12}).$

- $\Rightarrow F_1^{K\pi}(s) \text{ [contains } K^*(892), K^*(1410)], F_1^{B\pi}(s), K\pi, B\pi \text{ vector form factors.}$
 - From $B^- \to [K^- \pi^+]_S \pi^-$ [B. El-Bennich *et al.* Phys. Rev. D **79**, 094005 (2009)]

$$c_{1}^{-P} = \frac{G_{F}}{\sqrt{2}} \left\{ \lambda_{u} \left(a_{4}^{u}(P) - \frac{a_{10}^{u}(P)}{2} + c_{4}^{u} \right) + \lambda_{c} \left(a_{4}^{c}(P) - \frac{a_{10}^{c}(P)}{2} + c_{4}^{c} \right) \right. \\ \left. + 2 \frac{m_{K^{*}}}{m_{b}} \frac{f_{V}^{\perp}(\mu)}{f_{V}} \left[\lambda_{u} \left(a_{6}^{u}(P) - \frac{a_{8}^{u}(P)}{2} + c_{6}^{u} \right) + \lambda_{c} \left(a_{6}^{c}(P) - \frac{a_{8}^{c}(P)}{2} + c_{6}^{c} \right) \right]$$

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Unitary vector $K\pi$ form factor



- Unitary model. *P*-wave coupled channels $K\pi$, $K^*\pi$, $K\rho$ + asymptotic QCD + chiral symmetry constraints + $K\pi$ elastic data+ $K^*(1410)$ + $K^*(1680) \rightarrow$ form factor: Muskhelishvili-Omnès equation (dispersion relation).
- \rightarrow B. Moussallam, Analyticity constraints on the strangeness changing vector current and applications to $\tau \rightarrow K \pi \nu_{\tau}$ and $\tau \rightarrow K \pi \pi \nu_{\tau}$, Eur. Phys. J. C 53, 401 (2008).
- → Variation with the flavor symmetry breaking parameter *a*.

Conclusions

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- ⇒ Analyticity, unitarity, chiral symmetry + correct asymptotic behavior of the two-meson scattering amplitude in S and P waves implemented via analytical and unitary S- and P-wave $\pi\pi$, πK and $K\bar{K}$ form factors entering in hadronic final states of our amplitude parametrizations.
 - Parametrized amplitudes can be readily used adjusting parameters in a least-square fit to the Dalitz plot for a given decay channel and employing tabulated form factors as functions of momentum squared or energy.
- $\Rightarrow \text{ Explicit amplitude expressions for: } B^{\pm} \to \pi^{+}\pi^{-}\pi^{\pm}, B \to K \pi^{+}\pi^{-}, B^{\pm} \to K^{+}K^{-}K^{\pm}, D^{+} \to \pi^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{+}, D^{+} \to K^{-}\pi^{+}\pi^{+}, D^{0} \to K^{0}_{S} \pi^{+}\pi^{-} \text{ and for } D^{0} \to K^{0}_{S} K^{+}K^{-} \text{ [study in progress].}$
- In progress: $B^{\pm} \to K^+ K^- \pi^{\pm}$ [Belle, LHCb] and $B^0 \to K_S^0 K^+ K^-$ [LHCb].



Scalar and vector resonances in the weak decays $B \rightarrow (\pi \pi) K$

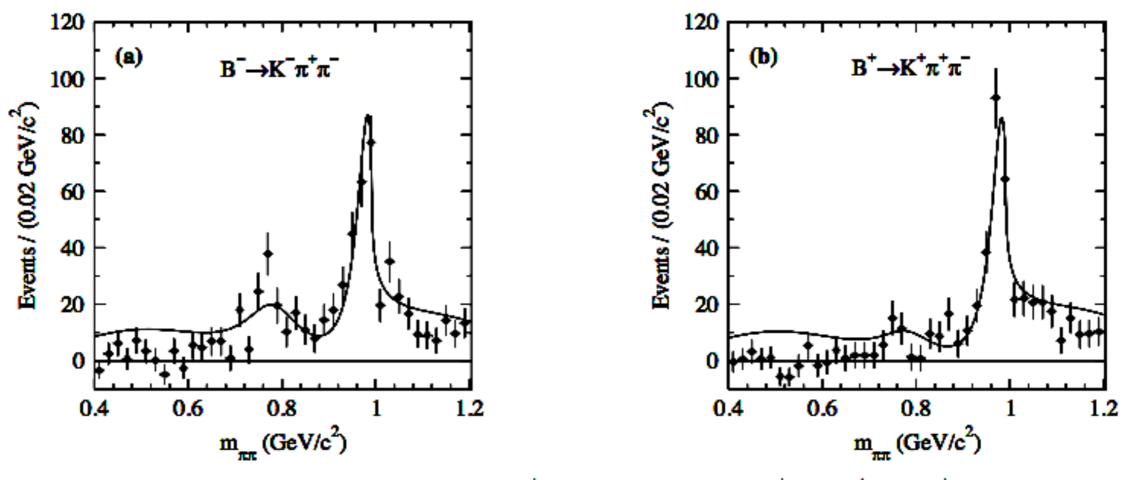


Fig. 2 $m_{\pi\pi}$ distributions (a) in $B^- \to \pi^+ \pi^- K^-$ and (b) in $B^+ \to \pi^+ \pi^- K^+$ decays. Data from Belle [1]. Solid lines: our model.

Example Parametrization : $B \rightarrow K [\pi^{-}\pi^{+}]_{S}$ amplitude [*S* wave]

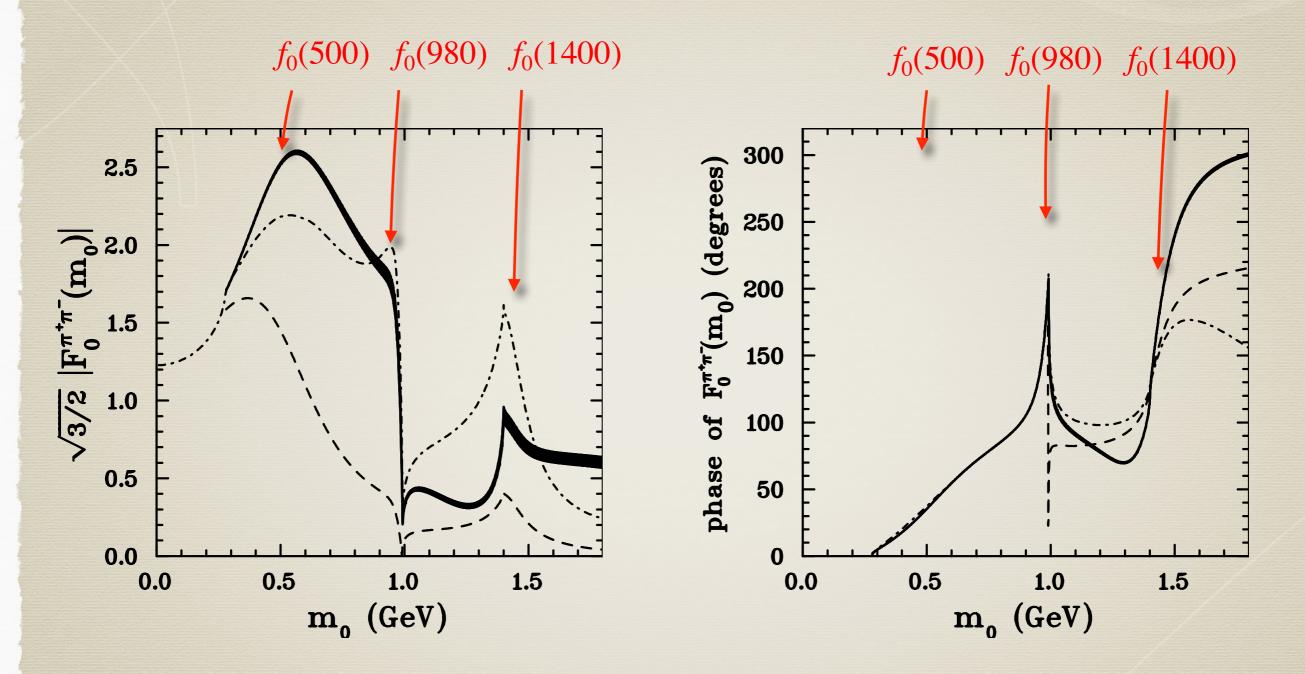
 $B(p_B) \to K(p_1)\pi^+(p_2)\pi^-(p_3), s_{12} = (p_1 + p_2)^2, s_{13} = (p_1 + p_3)^2, s_{23} = (p_2 + p_3)^2$ $s_{12} + s_{13} + s_{23} = m_B^2 + m_K^2 + 2m_\pi^2$.

• Parametrized in terms of three complex parameters, b_i^S , i = 1, 2, 3, for the different charges $B = B^{\pm}$, $K = K^{\pm}$ and $B = B^0(\bar{B}^0)$, $K = K^0(\bar{K}^0)$ or K_S^0 , $\mathcal{A}_S(s_{23}) \equiv \langle K [\pi^+\pi^-]_S | \mathcal{H}_{eff} | B \rangle$ $= b_1^S \left(M_B^2 - s_{23} \right) F_{0n}^{\pi\pi}(s_{23}) + \left(b_2^S F_0^{BK}(s_{23}) + b_3^S \right) F_{0s}^{\pi\pi}(s_{23}).$

- Non-strange scalar form factor $F_{0n}^{\pi\pi}(s)$: $f_0(500)$, $f_0(980)$, $f_0(1400)$. Strange scalar form factor $F_{0s}^{\pi\pi}(s)$: $f_0(980)$, $f_0(1400)$.
- From $B^- \to K^-[\pi^+\pi^-]_S$ [A. Furman *et al.* Phys. Lett. B **622**, 207 (2005)] $b_1^{-S} = \frac{G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \left[\chi f_K F_0^{B \to (\pi\pi)_S}(m_K^2) U - \tilde{C} \right]$

 $\tilde{C} = f_{\pi}F_{\pi} \left(\lambda_{u}P_{1}^{GIM} + \lambda_{t}P_{1}\right), \lambda_{u} = V_{ub}V_{us}^{*}, \lambda_{t} = V_{tb}V_{ts}^{*}, F_{\pi} B\pi$ form factor at $m_{\pi}^{2} = 0, P_{1}^{GIM}, P_{1}$ complex charming penguin parameters, U short-distance contribution : CKM × effective Wilson coefficients. χ fitted free parameter.

Comparison of unitary non-strange scalar form factors $F_{0n}^{\pi\pi}$



Dark band: $D^0 \to K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ variation with error parameters [J.-P. Dedonder *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **89**, 094018 (2014)]. Dashed line: $B \to 3\pi$ [J.-P. Dedonder *et al.* Acta Phys. Pol. B **42**, 2013 (2011)]. Dotted-dashed line: B. Moussallam [Eur. Phys. J. C. **14**, 111 (2000)] using Muskhelishvili-Omnès equations.