# Combined CP Violation Measurements by the **BABAR** and Belle Collaborations

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# **CKM Quark Mixing Matrix**

 The quark masses and mixing arise from Yukawa couplings of the fermion fields to the Higgs condensate:

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = -Y_{ij}^d \bar{Q}_{Li} \phi d_{Rj} - Y_{ij}^u \bar{Q}_{Li} \epsilon \phi^* u_{Rj} + h.c.$$

 Kobayashi + Maskawa: cannot simultaneously align up- and down-type quarks, CKM matrix: 3 real parameters + 1 CP violating phase

$$\mathbf{V}_{\mathrm{CKM}} = \mathbf{V}_{L}^{u} \mathbf{V}_{L}^{d\dagger} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{\mathrm{ud}} & V_{\mathrm{us}} & V_{\mathrm{ub}} \\ V_{\mathrm{cd}} & V_{\mathrm{cs}} & V_{\mathrm{cb}} \\ V_{\mathrm{td}} & V_{\mathrm{ts}} & V_{\mathrm{tb}} \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} V_{\mathrm{ud}} & V_{\mathrm{ub}} & V_{\mathrm{tb}} \\ V_{\mathrm{td}} & V_{\mathrm{ts}} & V_{\mathrm{tb}} \end{pmatrix}$$



B factories BABAR (US) and Belle (Japan):

- Discovery CP violation in the B meson system
- Exploring and constraining the quark flavor structure of the Standard Model
- Experimental confirmation of the Kobayashi-Maskawa theory



The Nobel Prize in Physics 2008

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# The BABAR and Belle Experiments



BaBar and Belle performed a very successful flavor physics program leading to many major discoveries

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#### **Unitarity Triangle**

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- Unitarity of the CKM matrix imposes vanishing relations, which can be interpreted as triangles in the complex plane
- Unitarity Triangle arises from  $V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$



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# Measurements of the Weak Phase $\beta$ • Interference between mixing and decay in neutral B<br/>meson decays to a CP eigenstate• Interference characterized by: $\lambda = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}}{A}$ • phase factor due to mixing

• Time-dependent CP asymmetry:

• Example  ${\rm B}^0 \to {\rm J}/\psi {\rm K}^0_{\rm S}$  (benchmark for  $\sin(2\beta)$  ):



→ mixing vertices V<sub>td</sub> introduce phase →  $S = -\eta_{f_{CP}} \sin(2\beta)$  and C = 0

 $\beta$  can be precisely determined from the time-dependent CP asymmetry  $A_{CP}(t) = -\eta_{f_{CP}} \sin(2\beta) \sin(\Delta m t)$ 

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# Combined Belle and BABAR Analysis of ${f B^0} o {f D}^{(*)}_{{f CP}} {f h^0}$

Threshold  $B\bar{B}$  production on the  $\Upsilon(4S)$ :



Proper time interval distribution follows:

$$\mathcal{P}(\Delta t, q) = \frac{1}{4\tau_{B^0}} e^{-\frac{|\Delta t|}{\tau_{B^0}}} \left[1 + q\left(\mathcal{S}\sin(\Delta m\Delta t) - \mathcal{C}\cos(\Delta m\Delta t)\right)\right] \text{ with } q = +1(-1) \text{ for } B^0(\bar{B^0})$$

Experimental effects due to finite vertex resolution and imperfect tagging are important

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### Combined Belle and BABAR Analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$



- $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$  decays with  $h^0 \in {\pi^0, \eta, \omega}$  mediated only by tree-level amplitudes
- Theoretically clean [NPB 659, 321 (2003)]:
  - $\rightarrow$  Enables to test the precision measurements of  $\mathrm{b}\rightarrow\mathrm{c\bar{c}s}$
  - $\rightarrow$  Can provide a SM reference of  $\sin(2\beta)$  , e.g. for BSM searches in  $b \rightarrow s$  penguins
- Experimental difficulties: Low B and  $D_{CP}$  branching fractions [ $O(10^{-4})$  and  $O(\le 10^{-2})$ ]
  - Low reconstruction efficiencies
  - Significant background
- Previous measurements by Belle and BABAR could not establish CPV in  ${
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Perform time-dependent CP violation measurement combining Belle+BABAR data

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# Combined Belle and <u>BABAR</u> Analysis of $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$

- Reconstruct  $B^0 \to D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$  with  $h^0$  in  $\pi^0 \to \gamma\gamma$ ,  $\eta \to \gamma\gamma$ ,  $\pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$  and  $\omega \to \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$   $D_{CP} \to K^+K^-, K_S^0\pi^0, K_S^0\omega$  $D^{*0} \to D_{CP}\pi^0$
- In total 12 final states are reconstructed (7 CP-even and 5 CP-odd states)
- Suppression of  $e^+e^- \to q\bar{q}~(q \in \{u,d,s,c\})$  continuum background by neural networks
- Coherent analysis strategy, apply almost same selection on Belle and BABAR data
- Extract signal from beam-constrained mass  $M_{bc} = \sqrt{(E_{beam}^*/c^2)^2 (p_B^*/c)^2}$



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# Combined Belle and BABAR Analysis of ${f B^0} o {f D^{(*)}_{CP}}{f h^0}$

Perform measurement by maximizing the combined log-likelihood function:

$$\ln \mathcal{L} = \sum_{i} \ln \mathcal{P}_{i}^{BABAR} + \sum_{j} \ln \mathcal{P}_{j}^{Belle}$$

• Physics PDFs are convoluted with specific resolution functions

$$\mathcal{P}^{\mathrm{Exp.}} = \sum_{k} f_{k} \int \left[ P_{k} \left( \Delta t' \right) R_{k} \left( \Delta t - \Delta t' \right) \right] d \left( \Delta t' \right)$$

- Apply Belle and *BABAR* specific resolution models, and flavor tagging algorithms
- Apply common signal model:

$$P_{\rm sig}(\Delta t,q) = \frac{1}{4\tau_{B^0}} e^{-\frac{|\Delta t|}{\tau_{B^0}}} \left[1 + q\left(\mathcal{S}\sin(\Delta m \Delta t) - \mathcal{C}\cos(\Delta m \Delta t)\right)\right]$$

• SM prediction  $-\eta_f S = \sin(2\beta)$  and C = 0

Belle+BABAR with 1.1 ab<sup>-1</sup>: PRL 115, 121604 (2015)  $-\eta_f S = +0.66 \pm 0.10 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.06 \text{ (syst.)}$  $\mathcal{C} = -0.02 \pm 0.07 \text{ (stat.)} \pm 0.03 \text{ (syst.)}$ 



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# Combined Belle and BABAR Analysis of ${\bf B^0} \to {\bf D_{CP}^{(*)} h^0}$



- Very good agreement with the  $\sin(2\beta)$  world average from  $b \to c\bar{c}s$
- Exclude the no-mixing induced CP violation hypothesis at 5.4 $\sigma$  $\rightarrow$  First observation of CP violation in  $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$  decays
- First measurement performed using an integrated luminosity of more than 1 ab<sup>-1</sup>

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### Summary

Performed CP violation analysis of  $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$  combining final <u>BABAR</u> and Belle data sets:

- First analysis using an integrated luminosity of more than 1 ab<sup>-1</sup>
- No sign of direct CP violation
- Exclude the no-mixing induced CP violation hypothesis at 5.4σ

 $\rightarrow$  First observation of CP violation in  $B^0 \rightarrow D_{CP}^{(*)}h^0$  decays

• Very good agreement with  $\sin(2\beta)$  from  $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$ :

 $-\eta_f S = +0.66 \pm 0.10 \,(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.06 \,(\text{syst.})$ 

Results have been published in Physical Review Letters [PRL 115, 121604 (2015)]

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