

Inclusive Decay $D^0 \rightarrow K^* X$

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Some time ago (\rightarrow Fig)

reported:

$$B(D^0 \rightarrow K^* X) B(K^* \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \approx 6.67\%$$

$$\rightarrow B(D^0 \rightarrow K^* X) \approx 10\%$$

Data used: Exp.7 - Exp.27

Now: use “high quality sample”

$$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+$$

$$\quad \hookrightarrow K^- \pi^+$$

$$\quad \hookrightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^0$$

+ 0, 1, 2
primary
mesons

$$D^{*-} \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 \pi^-$$

$$\quad \hookrightarrow K^+ \pi^- X$$

“right sign”

signal side

tag side

$\sim 106 K^* X$

$\sim 53 D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

HANDFIT only! (\rightarrow Fig)

2872 events of above type

with assumption: incl and excl $K\pi$ have same efficiency

$$\frac{106}{53} * 3.8 * \frac{1}{0.66} = 11.5\%$$

$$\sim B(D^0 \rightarrow K^* X)$$

ALL QUOTED VALUES ARE PRELIMINARY

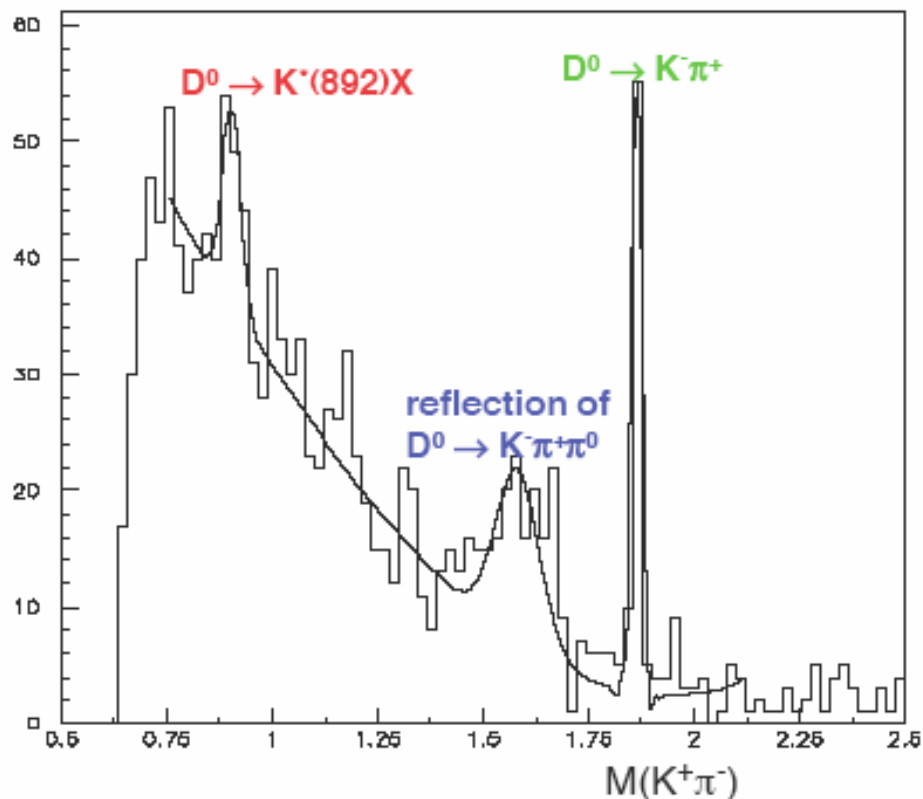
.....rather estimates!

Inclusive decay $D^0 \rightarrow K^* (892) X$

“some time ago”

not in PDG list

$K^-\pi^+$ effective masses of combinations of charged particles from kinematically selected D^0 via recoil, tagging $D^{*+}D^{*-}$, $D^{*+}D^{*-}\pi^0$ and $D^{*+}D^{*-}\pi^+\pi^-$, ... events



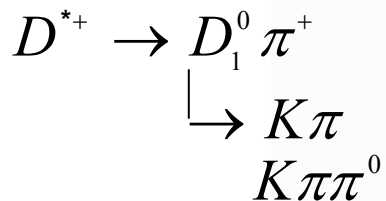
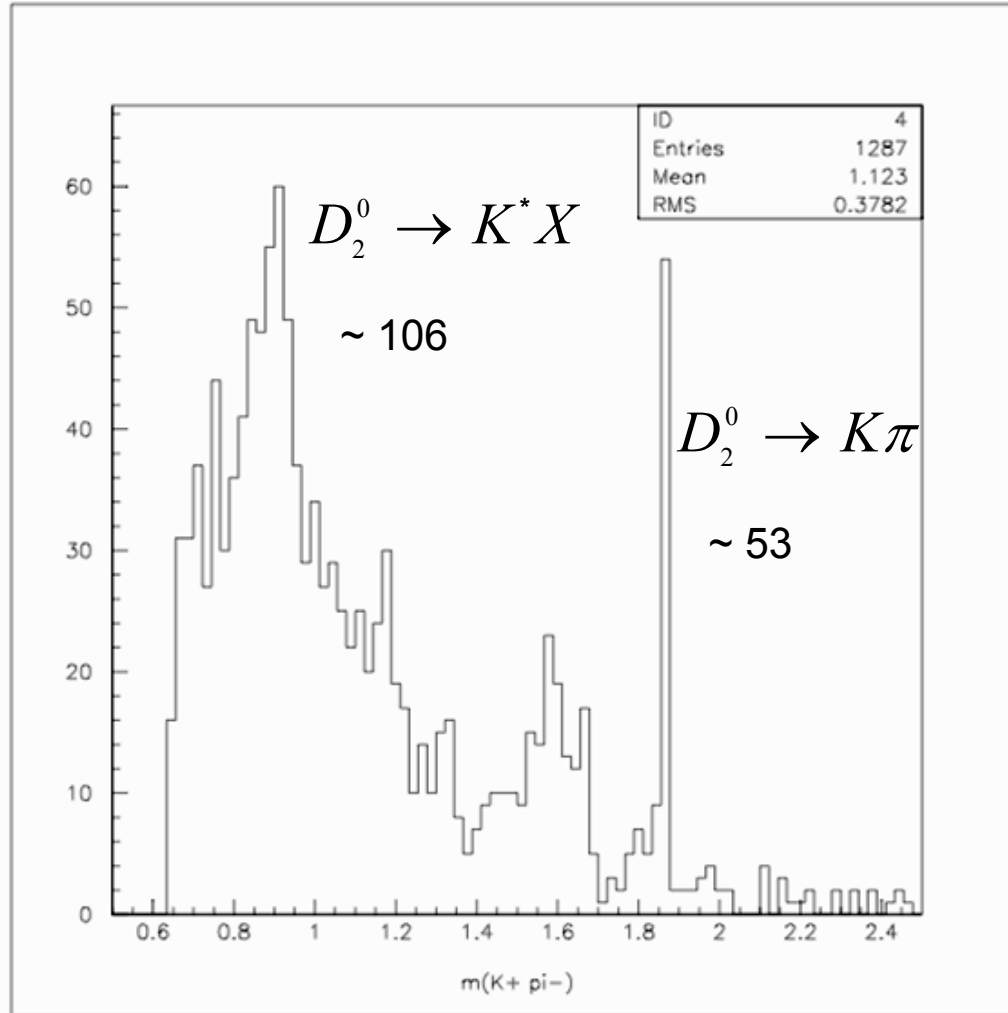
Preliminary fit:

3 Gaussians

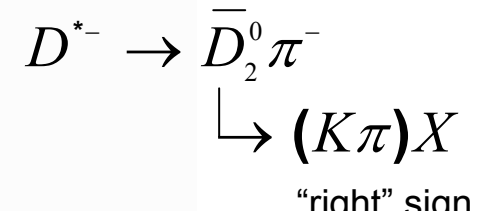
3rd order polynomial

$$B(D^0 \rightarrow K^*X) * B(K^* \rightarrow K^-\pi^+) = \frac{125.9}{71.7} * 3.8\% = 6.67\%$$

DATA



+ 0, 1, 2 primary mesons



MC

for efficiency evaluations: use MC of type



of course: in reality $D_1^0 \rightarrow \text{"all"}$

beware: Program could pick up $\bar{D}_2^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$ etc on signal side as tag

→ will enhance (in this MC) $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ (excl)

therefore: use 2 separate samples

1) $D^{*+} \rightarrow D_1^0 \pi^+$ on tag side

2) $D^{*-} \rightarrow \bar{D}_1^0 \pi^-$ on tag side (→ Fig)

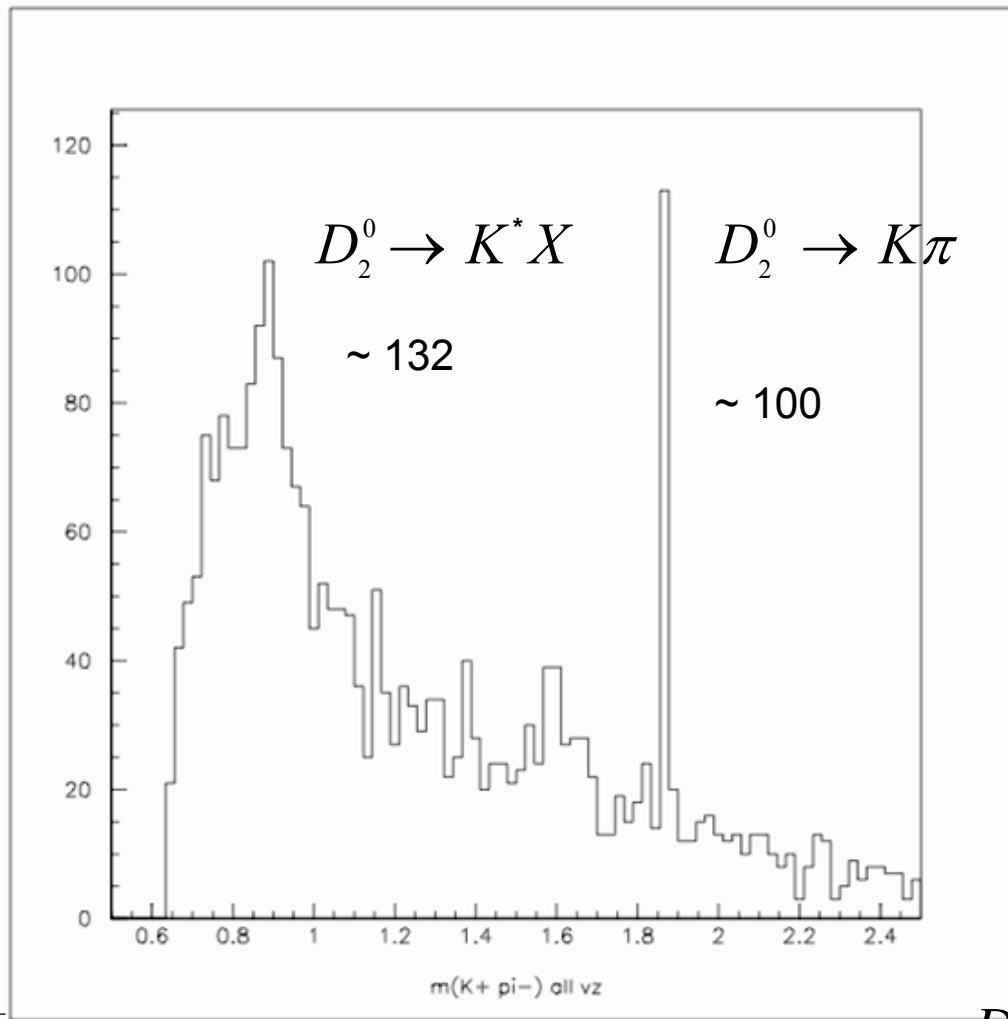
check correct sign of D_2^0 decay

$K^*(K\pi)$ - efficiency

From $\frac{132}{3088} \frac{1}{0.66} \sim 6.5\% = 65\%$ efficiency to reach MC input BR = 9.8%

Apply on data it was $\frac{106}{2872} \frac{1}{0.66} \sim 7.5\%$ $\frac{7.5}{0.65} \sim 11.5\%$ ok

MC



$D^{*+} \rightarrow D_1^0 \pi^+$
 $\quad \quad \quad \downarrow$
 $\quad \quad \quad \rightarrow K \pi$
 $\quad \quad \quad \quad K 2 \pi$
 $\quad \quad \quad \quad (K 3 \pi)$

$D^{*-} \rightarrow \bar{D}_2^0 \pi^-$
 $\quad \quad \quad \downarrow$
 $\quad \quad \quad \rightarrow all$
look for $D_2^0 \rightarrow (K \pi) X$
“right” sign

First estimate:

number of “non D^0 -” K^* in signal

use: wrong sign of signal D^0 decay (D_2^0)

(→ Fig)

MC: $\sim 3.5 K^*$

$\Rightarrow \frac{3.5}{132} \sim 2.5\%$ of K^* in signal

beware statistics!

~ 0 $D^0 \rightarrow K\pi$

to be expected $132 * 0.4\% \sim 0.5$

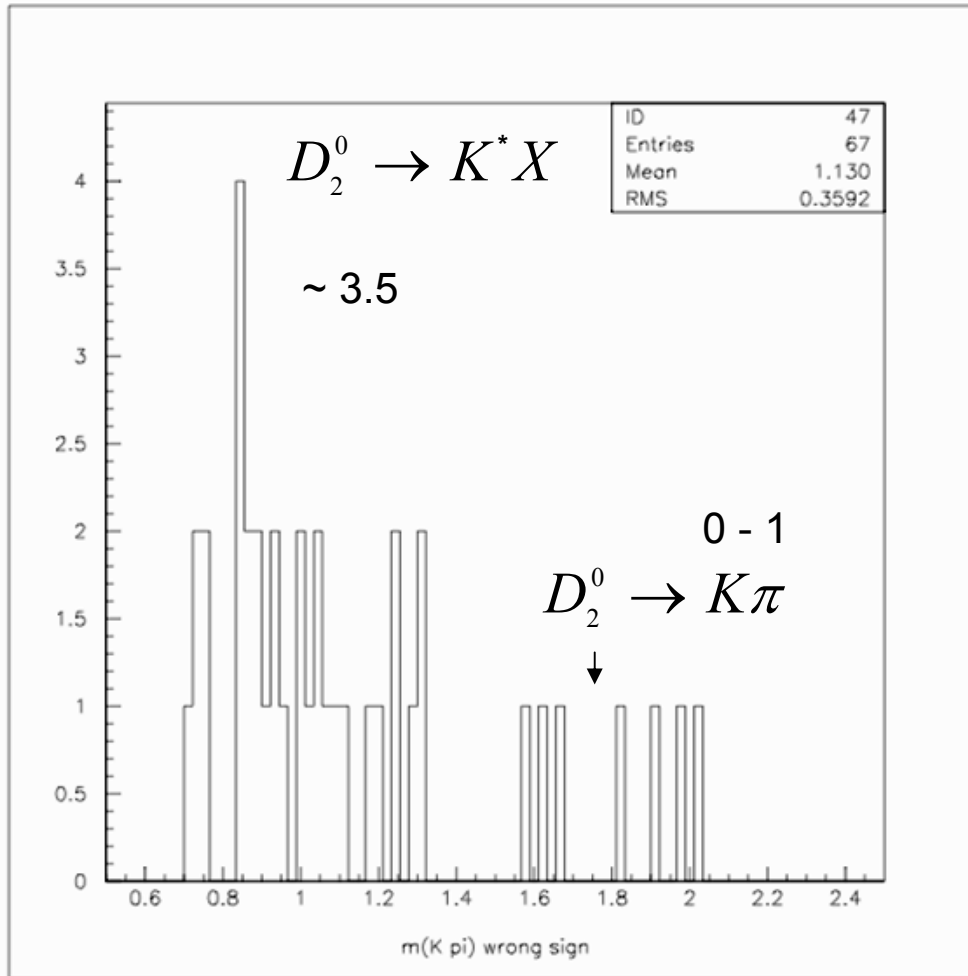
Data: similar percentage

would give BR

$11.5 \rightarrow 11.2\%$

(→ Fig)

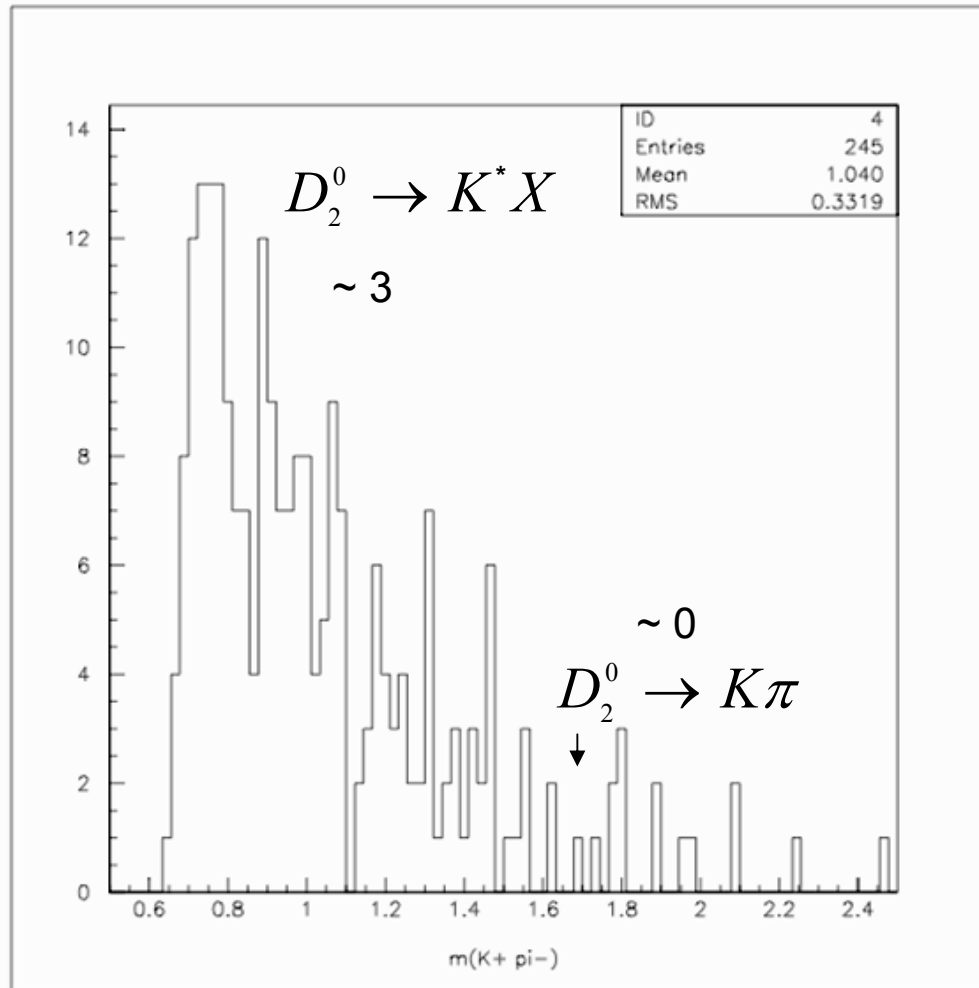
MC as before



$$D_2^0 \rightarrow (K\pi) X$$

“wrong” sign

DATA as above



$$D_2^0 \rightarrow (K\pi) X$$

“wrong” sign

SUMMARY

Inclusive analysis of $D^0 \rightarrow K^*X$ (BR not yet in PDG) seems to be good under way

urgent need : higher statistics

Data:

NTUPLES for Exp 31-37 will be ready next days \Rightarrow will double the statistics

Monte Carlo:

- MC as described above

next days: statistics will be doubled

\Rightarrow then resonance fitting will be reasonable

- Skimmed generic MC is available in KEK

needs \sim 2 weeks for NTUPLE production

Optimization of program parameters is going on

sometimes there are space limitations in Vienna (MC)

there are time limitations in KEK

with bigger statistics: continue $D^0 \rightarrow \phi X$