Effect of the final-state phases on CP violation in the $B_d^0 - \overline{B}_d^0$ system

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We have studied the *CP*-violating asymmetry, taking account of the final-state phase shifts, for the decays $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^-$, $B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$, and $B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$, which have tree-level and penguin amplitudes. The final-state phase shifts lead to significant direct *CP* violation for these decays. The numerical predictions of the *CP*-violating asymmetries are given against final-state phase shifts in the framework of the standard model.

The large $B_d^0 \cdot \overline{B}_d^0$ mixing observed by ARGUS and $CLEO^{1}$ has stimulated the study of CP violation in the neutral-B-meson system. The search for the CP-violation effect of the B meson²⁻⁴ makes an important step forward in electroweak theory. It is remarked that the standard Kobayashi-Maskawa (KM) model⁵ predicts a large indirect *CP* violation due to the $B_d^0 - \overline{B}_d^0$ mixing in the neutral-B-meson decays. On the other hand, direct CP violation in the nonleptonic B decays occurs in the absence of mixing whenever there are at least two weakdecay amplitudes with different KM factors, which have different final-state-interaction phases.^{4,6} In general the B-meson decay into a CP eigenstate has two different amplitudes: the tree-level amplitude and the loop (penguin) one;⁷ hence we cannot neglect the final-state phases in or-der to test the standard model.^{6,8} In this paper, we investigate quantitatively the effect of the final-state phases on CP violation of the nonleptonic neutral-B-meson decays.

A qualitative study has already been given by Gronau,⁸ who suggested that the *CP*-violating effect due to two interfering amplitudes becomes large in the KM-suppressed decays.

We study numerically the time-integrated *CP*-violating asymmetry for the typical three decay modes $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^-$, $B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, and $B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$. Those quark subprocesses are $\overline{b} \rightarrow \overline{c}c\overline{d}$, $\overline{b} \rightarrow \overline{u}u\overline{d}$, and $\overline{b} \rightarrow \overline{u}u\overline{s}$, respectively, each of which has both tree and penguin amplitudes.

The time-integrated asymmetry parameter A(f) is defined by^{2,4}

$$A(f) = \frac{\Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^{0} \to f) - \Gamma(\overline{B}_{\text{phys}}^{0} \to \overline{f})}{\Gamma(B_{\text{phys}}^{0} \to f) + \Gamma(\overline{B}_{\text{phys}}^{0} \to \overline{f})} .$$
(1)

Then, A(f) is given in terms of the decay amplitudes as

$$A(f) = \frac{(2+x_{B_d}^2)(|T|^2 - |\bar{T}|^2) + x_{B_d}^2(|T\lambda|^2 - |\bar{T}\bar{\lambda}|^2) - 2x_{B_d}(|T|^2 \mathrm{Im}\lambda - |\bar{T}|^2 \mathrm{Im}\bar{\lambda})}{(2+x_{B_d}^2)(|T|^2 + |\bar{T}|^2) + x_{B_d}^2(|T\lambda|^2 + |\bar{T}\bar{\lambda}|^2) - 2x_{B_d}(|T|^2 \mathrm{Im}\lambda + |\bar{T}|^2 \mathrm{Im}\bar{\lambda})} ,$$
(2)

where

$$\lambda = \frac{q}{p} x, \quad x = \frac{\langle f | \overline{B}_{d}^{0} \rangle}{\langle f | B_{d}^{0} \rangle}, \quad \overline{\lambda} = \frac{p}{q} \overline{x}, \quad \overline{x} = \frac{\langle \overline{f} | B_{d}^{0} \rangle}{\langle \overline{f} | \overline{B}_{d}^{0} \rangle},$$

$$\frac{p}{q} = \left[\frac{M_{12}^{*} - i\Gamma_{12}^{*}/2}{M_{12} - i\Gamma_{12}/2} \right]^{1/2},$$
(3)

where the notations, $T = \langle f | B_d^0 \rangle$ and $\overline{T} = \langle \overline{f} | \overline{B}_d^0 \rangle$ are used. We take $x_{B_d} = \Delta m / \Gamma = 0.7$ given by ARGUS and CLEO.¹

We calculate the decay amplitudes including the phases via the final-state interaction together with the KM phase, but we neglect the phases by rescattering processes,⁶ such as $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^- \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$, in which the final-state phase is difficult to calculate. We study three

typical decay modes with the *CP*-conjugate ones: $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^-$, $B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, and $B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$. The relevant quark subprocesses are $\overline{b} \rightarrow \overline{c}c\overline{d}$, $\overline{u}u\overline{d}$, $\overline{u}u\overline{s}$, and their *CP*-conjugate processes. These decays occur via the tree and penguin processes.

The relations $|\langle f|B_d^0\rangle| = |\langle \overline{f}|\overline{B}_d^0\rangle|$ and $|\langle \overline{f}|B_d^0\rangle|$ = $|\langle f|\overline{B}_d^0\rangle|$ are no more preserved because two different amplitudes with different KM factors are expressed as⁶

where G_1, G_2 are the weak amplitudes and α_1, α_2 are the strong phase shifts. The weak amplitudes G_1 and G_2 have different complex phases due to different KM factors, and furthermore nontrivial phase shifts $\alpha_1 \neq \alpha_2$ are generated from the strong (or electromagnetic) interac-

tion because the two amplitudes in general differ in their isospin structure. The effective Hamiltonian of the treelevel process is given as

$$H_{\text{tree}} = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}} G_F V_{ib} V_{jk}^* [C_1(\bar{q}_{kL}\gamma_\mu q_{jL})(\bar{q}_{iL}\gamma_\mu b_L) + C_2(\bar{q}_{iL}\gamma_\mu q_{jL})(\bar{q}_{kL}\gamma_\mu b_L)], \quad (5)$$

where i = u or c, j = u or c, and k = d or s, and V_{ib} and V_{jk} are the KM matrix elements. The scale-dependent coefficients $C_1 = 1.1$ and $C_2 = -0.24$ are the QCD coefficients at the scale $\mu \approx m_b$.⁹

The effective penguin Hamiltonian is given by^{7,10}

$$H_{\text{penguin}} = \sqrt{2}G_F \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left[\sum V_{ib} V_{ij}^* I_i \right] \left[-\frac{1}{N} (\bar{q} \,_{jL}^{\alpha} \gamma_{\mu} q_L^{\beta}) (\bar{q} \,_{L}^{\beta} \gamma_{\mu} b_L^{\alpha}) + (\bar{q} \,_{jL}^{\alpha} \gamma_{\mu} q_L^{\alpha}) (\bar{q} \,_{L}^{\beta} \gamma_{\mu} b_L^{\beta}) + \frac{2}{N} (\bar{q} \,_{jL}^{\alpha} q_R^{\beta}) (\bar{q} \,_{R}^{\beta} b_L^{\alpha}) - 2(\bar{q} \,_{jL}^{\alpha} q_R^{\alpha}) (\bar{q} \,_{R}^{\beta} b_L^{\beta}) \right] + \text{H.c.} , \qquad (6)$$

where N is the number of colors, *i* runs on *u*, *c*, and *t*, *j* is *d* or *s*, and greek letters denote the color label. The analytic form of the loop integral function I_i is presented in Refs. 11 and 12. In the *B*-meson system, I_i has the imaginary component being derived from the logarithmic integral.¹³ But we neglect its imaginary component because the effect of the final-state phase dominates the CP-violating asymmetry A(f).

We begin by calculating the $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^-$ decay amplitude. The tree-level amplitude is given by

$$\langle D^+D^-|H_{\text{tree}}|B_d^0\rangle = \frac{4}{\sqrt{2}}G_F V_{cb} V_{cd}^* [C_1 \langle D^+D^-|(\overline{d}_L \gamma_\mu c_L)(\overline{c}_L \gamma_\mu b_L)|B_d^0\rangle + C_2 \langle D^+D^-|(\overline{c}_L \gamma_\mu c_L)(\overline{d}_L \gamma_\mu b_L)|B_d^0\rangle].$$
(7)

The evaluation of the hadronic matrix element depends on the hadronic model used. The simplest way is the one based on the factorization approximation, which expresses the four-quark operators in terms of the factorized color-singlet current matrix elements.⁹ Note that the 1/N expansion argument provides some theoretical justification for the factorization approximation since the factorization follows to leading order in a 1/N expansion.¹⁴ This approximation may be good for the heavy meson decays. Thus, we get

$$\langle D^{+}D^{-}|H_{\text{tree}}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}G_{F}V_{cb}V_{cd}^{*}\left[\left[C_{1}+\frac{1}{N}C_{2}\right]\langle D^{+}|-\overline{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}c|0\rangle\langle D^{-}|\overline{c}\gamma_{\mu}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle\right] + \left[C_{2}+\frac{1}{N}C_{1}\right]\langle D^{+}D^{-}|\overline{c}\gamma_{\mu}c|0\rangle\langle 0|-\overline{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle\right],$$
(8)

where the 1/N factor arises from the color mismatch in forming a color singlet after Fierz transformation. On the other hand, the penguin amplitude is classified into the timelike and spacelike gluon emission amplitudes.^{11,12} We obtain the timelike amplitudes taking $q_i = d$ and q = c in Eq. (6) as follows:

$$\langle D^{+}D^{-}|H_{\text{penguin}}^{\text{time}}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \sqrt{2}G_{F}\frac{\alpha_{s}}{\pi} \left[\sum V_{ib}V_{id}^{*}I_{i}\right] \left[\left[1-\frac{1}{N^{2}}\right]_{\frac{1}{4}}\langle D^{+}|-\overline{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}c|0\rangle\langle D^{-}|\overline{c}\gamma_{\mu}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle + 2\left[\frac{1}{N^{2}}-1\right]\langle D^{+}|\overline{d}_{L}c_{R}|0\rangle\langle D^{-}|\overline{c}_{R}b_{L}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle \right], \qquad (9)$$

where the first hadronic matrix element is the same one in Eq. (8), but the second one is a new matrix element. This matrix element is reduced by using the equations of motion of the quarks under the factorization approximation as follows:¹⁰

$$\langle D^+ | \overline{d}_L c_R | 0 \rangle \langle D^- | \overline{c}_R b_L | B_d^0 \rangle = -\frac{1}{4} \frac{M_D^2}{(m_d + m_c)(m_b - m_c)} \langle D^+ | -\overline{d} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 c | 0 \rangle \langle D^- | \overline{c} \gamma_\mu b | B_d^0 \rangle .$$

$$\tag{10}$$

On the other hand, taking $q_i = d$ and q = d in Eq. (6), the spacelike penguin amplitude is obtained as

$$\langle D^{+}D^{-}|H_{\text{penguin}}^{\text{space}}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \sqrt{2}G_{F}\frac{\alpha_{s}}{\pi} \left[\sum V_{ib}V_{id}^{*}I_{i}\right] \left[\left[1-\frac{1}{N^{2}}\right]_{\frac{1}{4}}\langle D^{+}D^{-}|\overline{d}\gamma_{\mu}d|0\rangle\langle 0|-\overline{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle\right] + 2\left[\frac{1}{N^{2}}-1\right]\langle D^{+}D^{-}|\overline{d}_{L}d_{R}|0\rangle\langle 0|\overline{d}_{R}b_{L}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle\right].$$
(11)

Since the hadronic matrix elements $\langle D^+D^-|\bar{d}\gamma_{\mu}d|0\rangle$ and $\langle D^+D^-|\bar{d}_Ld_R|0\rangle$ vanish in the factorization approximation, ¹⁰ the effect of the spacelike penguin process disappears. Then, the $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^-$ decay amplitude is given in terms

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of one hadronic matrix element as

$$\langle D^{+}D^{-}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \langle D^{+}D^{-}|H_{\text{tree}}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle + \langle D^{+}D^{-}|H_{\text{penguin}}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}G_{F} \left\{ V_{cb}V_{cd}^{*}\left[C_{1} + \frac{1}{N}C_{2}\right]\exp(i\alpha_{1})$$

$$+ \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi} \left\{ \sum V_{ib}V_{id}^{*}I_{i}\right]\exp(i\alpha_{2}) \left[\left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}}\right] + 2\left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}}\right] \frac{M_{D}^{2}}{(m_{d} + m_{c})(m_{b} - m_{c})} \right] \right\}$$

$$\times \langle D^{+}| - \bar{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}c|0\rangle \langle D^{-}|\bar{c}\gamma_{\mu}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle .$$

$$(12)$$

For the *CP*-conjugate process $\overline{B}_{d}^{0} \rightarrow D^{+}D^{-}$, the decay amplitude is easily given by replacing the KM matrix elements in Eq. (12) such as $V_{ij} \rightarrow V_{ij}^{*}$ and $V_{ij}^{*} \rightarrow V_{ij}$. In the same way, the decay amplitudes of the other decays $B_{d}^{0} \rightarrow \pi^{+}\pi^{-}$ and $B_{d}^{0} \rightarrow K^{+}\pi^{-}$ are calculated. The results are summarized as follows:

$$\langle \pi^{+}\pi^{-}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} G_{F} \left\{ V_{ub} V_{ud}^{*} \left[C_{1} + \frac{1}{N} C_{2} \right] \exp(i\alpha_{1}) + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi} \left[\sum V_{ib} V_{id}^{*} I_{i} \right] \exp(i\alpha_{2}) \left[\left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}} \right] + 2 \left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}} \right] \frac{M_{\pi}^{2}}{(m_{d} + m_{u})(m_{b} - m_{u})} \right] \right]$$

$$\times \langle \pi^{+}| - \bar{d}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}u|0\rangle \langle \pi^{-}|\bar{u}\gamma_{\mu}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle ,$$

$$\langle K^{+}\pi^{-}|B_{d}^{0}\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} G_{F} \left\{ V_{ub} V_{us}^{*} \left[C_{1} + \frac{1}{N} C_{2} \right] \exp(i\alpha_{1}) + \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi} \left[\sum V_{ib} V_{is}^{*} I_{i} \right] \exp(i\alpha_{2}) \left[\left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}} \right] + 2 \left[1 - \frac{1}{N^{2}} \right] \frac{M_{K}^{2}}{(m_{s} + m_{u})(m_{b} - m_{u})} \right] \right]$$

$$\times \langle K^{+}| - \bar{s}\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_{5}u|0\rangle \langle \pi^{-}|\bar{u}\gamma_{\mu}b|B_{d}^{0}\rangle ,$$

$$(13)$$

where α_1 and α_2 are unknown final-state phases and are generally different for each process. For the $K^+\pi^-$ decay amplitude in Eq. (13), the annihilation form-factor term is neglected.

The *CP*-conjugate decay amplitudes are given by replacing the KM matrix elements in Eq. (13) such as $V_{ij} \rightarrow V_{ij}^*$ and $V_{ij}^* \rightarrow V_{ij}$. Note that the final states $D^+D^$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ are *CP* eigenstates but $K^+\pi^-$ are not. We have no decay amplitudes such as $\overline{B}_d^0 \rightarrow K^+\pi^-$ and their *CP* conjugate decays.

We present the numerical result for time-integrated and time-differential CP violation. We begin by showing the physical parameters used in our calculation. The quark masses are taken so that $(m_d, m_u, m_s, m_c, m_b)$ =(0.009,0.005,0.175,1.4,4.95) in GeV units,¹⁵ and the top-quark mass is a free parameter. Also, the value of α_s is fixed as 0.23. Although the color number N is 3, we take the 1/N=0 limit in the decay amplitudes due to two reasons: The analysis of the nonleptonic decays of heavy mesons based on 1/N=0 is very successful phenomenologically as shown by Bauer, Stech, and Wirbel,⁹ and the factorization approximation used in our calculations follows from leading order in a 1/N expansion.¹⁴ We use the KM matrix parametrized by Chau and Keung,¹⁶ where we take $s_v = 0.046$ and $s_z / s_v = 0.09$ following from the recent ARGUS and CLEO results.¹⁷ Although the KM phase ϕ is unknown, the value of $\phi = 150^{\circ}$ is taken typically.

We present the numerical results of the asymmetries

A (f). The relevant parameters λ and $\overline{\lambda}$ are easily calculated by use of Eqs. (12) and (13). When a final state is the *CP* eigenstate, we get $\overline{\lambda}=1/\lambda$. But, we obtain $\lambda=\overline{\lambda}=0$ for $f=K^+\pi^-$ because $\langle \overline{f}|B_d^0\rangle = \langle f|\overline{B}_d^0\rangle = 0$. On the other hand, since the value of α_1 - α_2 is unknown, we investigate the dependence of the *CP*-violating asymmetry on α_1 - α_2 in the region from -180° to 180° . We show the asymmetry parameter A(f) versus α_1 - α_2 for $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^-$, $\pi^+\pi^-$, and $K^+\pi^-$ in the case of $m_t = 100$ GeV and $\phi = 150^\circ$ in Fig. 1. We have found that the asymmetry parameters depend remarkably on α_1 - α_2 for



FIG. 1. The asymmetry parameter A(f) vs α_1 - α_2 for $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+ D^-$, $B_d^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$, and $B_d^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$, where $m_i = 100$ GeV, $s_z/s_v = 0.09$, and $\phi = 150^\circ$.

the $\pi^+\pi^-$ and $K^+\pi^-$ final states, but rather mildly for D^+D^- . It is concluded that the asymmetry for $B^0_d \rightarrow D^+D^-$ depends mildly on the final-state phase shifts, and so the previous prediction by the standard model⁴ is not so changed; however, the previous predictions of the other two processes⁴ are not reliable unless the final-state phase shifts α_1 - α_2 are known.

We have studied the *CP*-violating asymmetry taking account of the final-state phase shifts. We have found that the final-state phase shifts play an important role for the decays $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^-$, $\pi^+\pi^-$, and $K^+\pi^-$, each of which has both a tree-level and penguin amplitude. The existence of the penguin amplitude in addition to the tree-level amplitude leads to direct CP violation via the imaginary component from the relative final-state phase shifts. For the $K^+\pi^-$ decays, only direct CP violation gives the asymmetry. In the $K^+\pi^-$ decay, the penguin amplitude is larger than the tree-level amplitude, so direct CP violation could be large. For the $B_d^0 \rightarrow D^+D^$ and $\pi^+\pi^-$ decays, indirect CP violation via $B_d^0 - \bar{B}_d^0$ mixing significantly contributes to the asymmetry parameter. But the effect of the final-state phase shifts is also important in these decays. Thus, the study of the final-state interaction is significant to give the reliable predictions of the CP-violating asymmetries in the framework of the standard model.

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