

## IPP meeting

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- Inclusive  $D^0$  and  $D^+$  to  $K^0$  and  $K^+$  branching ratios:  
HVFL versus PDG - Paul Colas.

In connection with the  $K^0$   $-\ln(x)$  spectrum Gerald suggested to look at the  $D^+ \rightarrow K$  decay, as incorrect branching ratios there may be a source of difference between the data and the HVFL03 MC. Paul found that the decay  $D^+ \rightarrow K^-$  may have a little more kaonless decays (20.8 PDG versus 28.5 sum of exclusive decays HVFL04). A big difference is seen on  $D^0 \rightarrow K^0$ :  $42 \pm 5$  % (PDG) versus 27.2 (HVFL04) and on  $D^0 \rightarrow K^-$ :  $46 \pm 4$  % (PDG) versus 64.1 % (HVFL04). Obtaining matching between the sum of the exclusive decay channels and the inclusive one is a non-trivial exercise. Work on this point is in progress.

- Photons from conversion pairs - Frank Stephan.

In preparation for the DPG details were shown on this analysis. Pairfinding based on QPAIRF (for details on selection see transparencies) is shown to give a detailed picture of the material distribution inside the detector. Also the crude modelling of the VDET material in the 1991 Monte Carlo shows up clearly when a MC-data comparison is made. A photon energy resolution of The efficiency correction is evaluated for low and high radius separately. On average the data has  $6.92 \pm 2.5\%$  (stat.)  $\pm 5.0\%$  (sys.) photons per event. This is to be compared to 7.100 in HVFL02, 7.108 in Jetset and 7.085 in Herwig; these numbers have a statistical error of 0.03 % on them. The comparison of the corrected data spectrum (  $-\ln(x)$  ) to the Monte Carlo models shows a discrepancy at the low momentum side. It is not clear whether this represent a problem.

- $\Sigma^0$  and  $\rho^0$  studies - Armin Böhrer.

For the  $\Sigma^0$  the decay  $\Sigma^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 + \gamma$  is studied. Armin started by expressing some worries having used the 1991 Monte Carlo too, which has Vdet material modelling problem. In the 1991 + 1992 data he finds  $90 \pm 17$  (stat.)  $\pm 12$  (sys.)  $\Sigma^0$ 's which corresponds to  $0.072 \pm 0.014$  (stat.)  $\pm 0.010$  (sys.) per event. This is to be compared to 0.075 in HVFL03, 0.060 in Jetset, 0.062 in Herwig. Comparing the Chi (dss) rate as measured

by Robert Johnson ( $0.0273 \pm 0.0013 \pm 0.0016$ ) with the  $\Sigma^0$  (uds) rate, he extracts a strangeness suppression of  $0.38 \pm 0.08$  (stat.).

On the side of the  $\rho^0$  studies Armin showed his improved understanding of the implementation of the Bose-Einstein correlations. Including the  $\text{lin}(Q)$  terms in the form of an interference term is very important. This interference term is a function of  $x$ , it is 1 at low  $x$  and drops to 0 at high  $x$ . The stability of the  $\rho^0$  fit improves greatly with respect to the case where  $\text{lin}(Q)$  was not taken into account. The number of  $\rho^0$ 's is stable as a function of  $x$  when comparing a Breit-wigner shape with the Lund shape. Also the ratio of  $\rho^0$ -rates in data and MC is now yields compatible results when the omega is coupled to the  $\rho$  or left free in the fit. And last but not least, Armin showed the understanding now in terms of the  $\text{mass}(\pi^+\pi^-)$  rather than the mass difference spectrum and gave both the  $\rho^0$  and  $f^0$  spectra as a function of  $x$ . These correspond to an integrated  $\rho^0$ -rate of  $1.57 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.24$  ( $m_\rho < 2$  GeV) and a  $f^0$ -rate of  $0.15 \pm 0.02$ .