

QUARKS

The u -, d -, and s -quark masses are estimates of so-called “current-quark masses,” in a mass-independent subtraction scheme such as $\overline{\text{MS}}$ at a scale $\mu \approx 2$ GeV. The c - and b -quark masses are the “running” masses in the $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme. For the b -quark we also quote the 1S mass. These can be different from the heavy quark masses obtained in potential models.

u

$$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$m_u = 2.3_{-0.5}^{+0.7} \text{ MeV} \quad \text{Charge} = \frac{2}{3} e \quad I_z = +\frac{1}{2}$$

$$m_u/m_d = 0.38\text{--}0.58$$

d

$$I(J^P) = \frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$m_d = 4.8_{-0.3}^{+0.7} \text{ MeV} \quad \text{Charge} = -\frac{1}{3} e \quad I_z = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$m_s/m_d = 17\text{--}22$$

$$\bar{m} = (m_u + m_d)/2 = 3.2\text{--}4.4 \text{ MeV}$$

s

$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$m_s = 95 \pm 5 \text{ MeV} \quad \text{Charge} = -\frac{1}{3} e \quad \text{Strangeness} = -1$$

$$m_s / ((m_u + m_d)/2) = 27 \pm 1$$

c

$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$m_c = 1.275 \pm 0.025 \text{ GeV} \quad \text{Charge} = \frac{2}{3} e \quad \text{Charm} = +1$$

b

$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$\text{Charge} = -\frac{1}{3} e \quad \text{Bottom} = -1$$

$$m_b(\overline{\text{MS}}) = 4.18 \pm 0.03 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_b(1S) = 4.65 \pm 0.03 \text{ GeV}$$

t

$$I(J^P) = 0(\frac{1}{2}^+)$$

$$\text{Charge} = \frac{2}{3} e \quad \text{Top} = +1$$

Mass (direct measurements) $m = 173.5 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.8$ GeV ^[a,b]
 Mass (\overline{MS} from cross-section measurements) $m = 160_{-4}^{+5}$ GeV ^[a]
 $m_t - m_{\bar{t}} = -1.4 \pm 2.0$ GeV (S = 1.6)
 Full width $\Gamma = 2.0_{-0.6}^{+0.7}$ GeV
 $\Gamma(Wb)/\Gamma(Wq(q = b, s, d)) = 0.91 \pm 0.04$

t DECAY MODES	Fraction (Γ_i/Γ)	Confidence level	$\frac{p}{\text{MeV}/c}$
$Wq(q = b, s, d)$			—
Wb			—
$\ell\nu_\ell$ anything	[c,d] (9.4±2.4) %		—
$\gamma q(q=u,c)$	[e] < 5.9	$\times 10^{-3}$	95%
$\Delta T = 1$ weak neutral current (T1) modes			
$Zq(q=u,c)$	T1 [f] < 3.2	%	95%

b' (4th Generation) Quark, Searches for

Mass $m > 190$ GeV, CL = 95% ($p\bar{p}$, quasi-stable b')
 Mass $m > 199$ GeV, CL = 95% ($p\bar{p}$, neutral-current decays)
 Mass $m > 128$ GeV, CL = 95% ($p\bar{p}$, charged-current decays)
 Mass $m > 46.0$ GeV, CL = 95% (e^+e^- , all decays)

t' (4th Generation) Quark, Searches for

Mass m ($p\bar{p}$, $t'\bar{t}'$ prod., $t' \rightarrow Wq$)
 Mass m

Free Quark Searches

All searches since 1977 have had negative results.

NOTES

- [a] A discussion of the definition of the top quark mass in these measurements can be found in the review “The Top Quark.”
- [b] Based on published top mass measurements using data from Tevatron Run-I and Run-II and LHC at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV. Including the most recent unpublished results from Tevatron Run-II, the Tevatron Electroweak Working Group reports a top mass of 173.2 ± 0.9 GeV. See the note “The Top Quark’ in the Quark Particle Listings of this *Review*.
- [c] ℓ means e or μ decay mode, not the sum over them.
- [d] Assumes lepton universality and W -decay acceptance.
- [e] This limit is for $\Gamma(t \rightarrow \gamma q)/\Gamma(t \rightarrow W b)$.
- [f] This limit is for $\Gamma(t \rightarrow Z q)/\Gamma(t \rightarrow W b)$.