

# Baryon CP Violation by T-odd and T-even correlations



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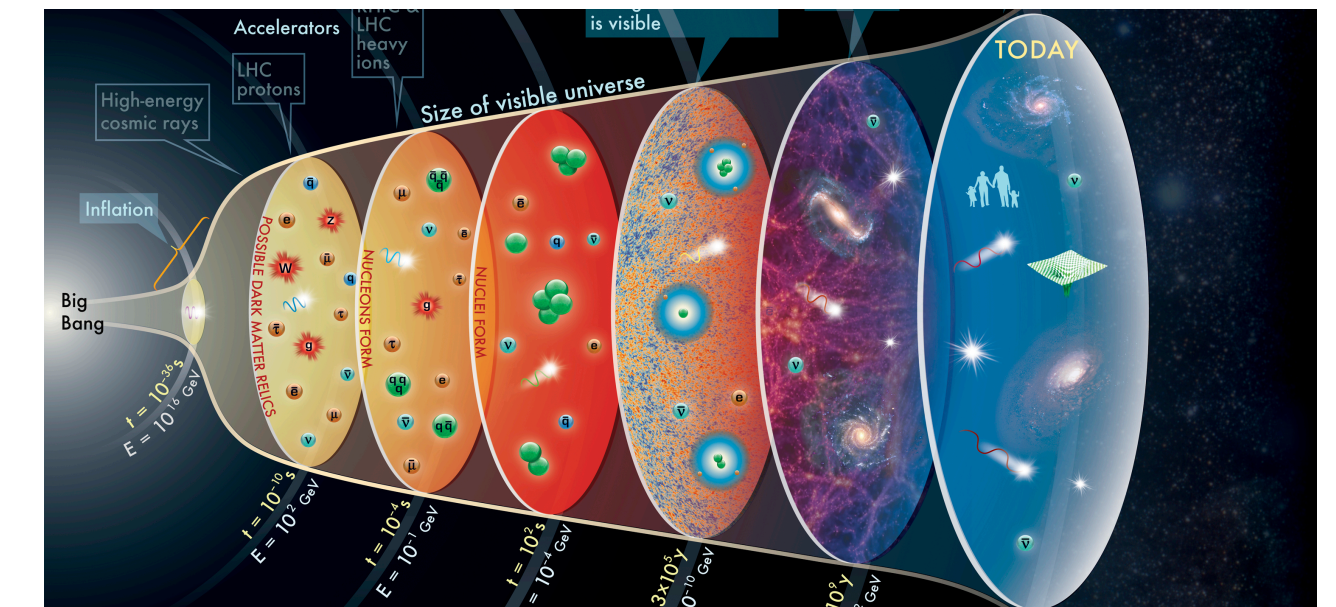
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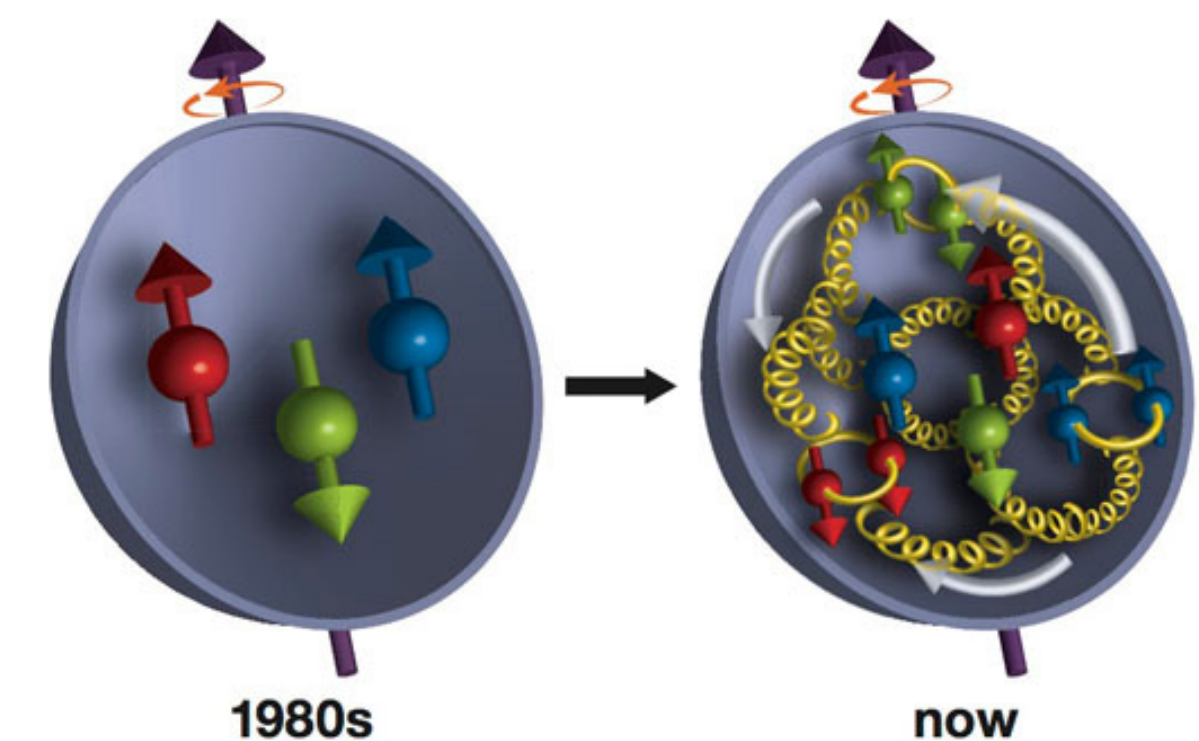
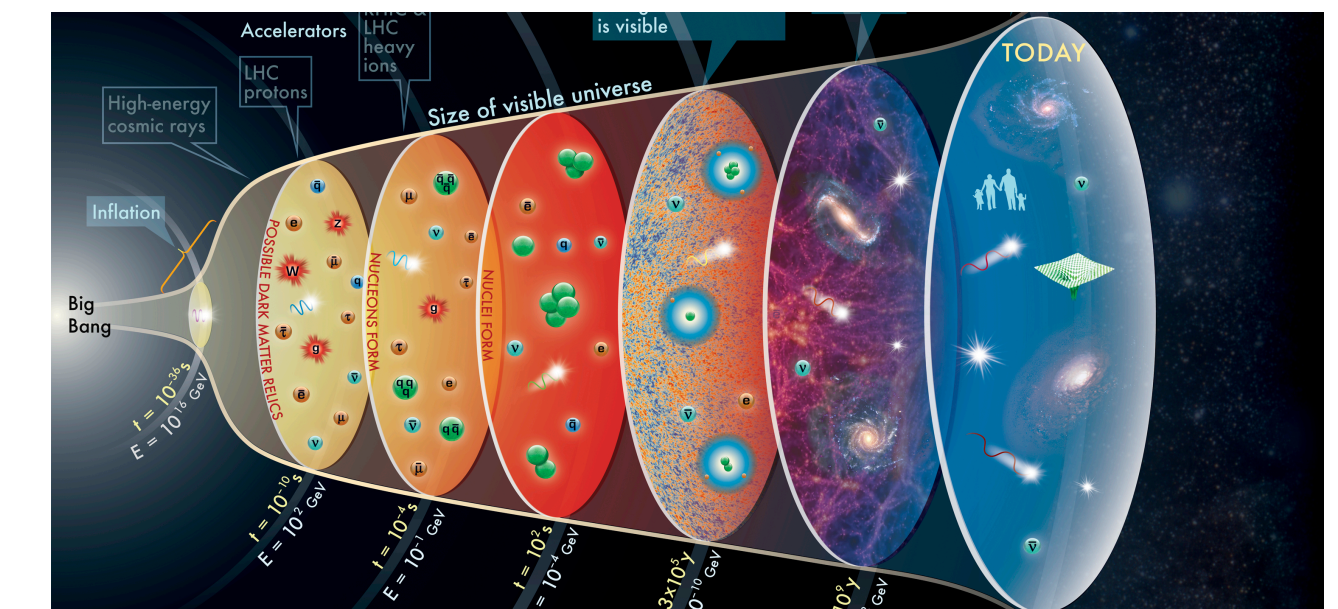
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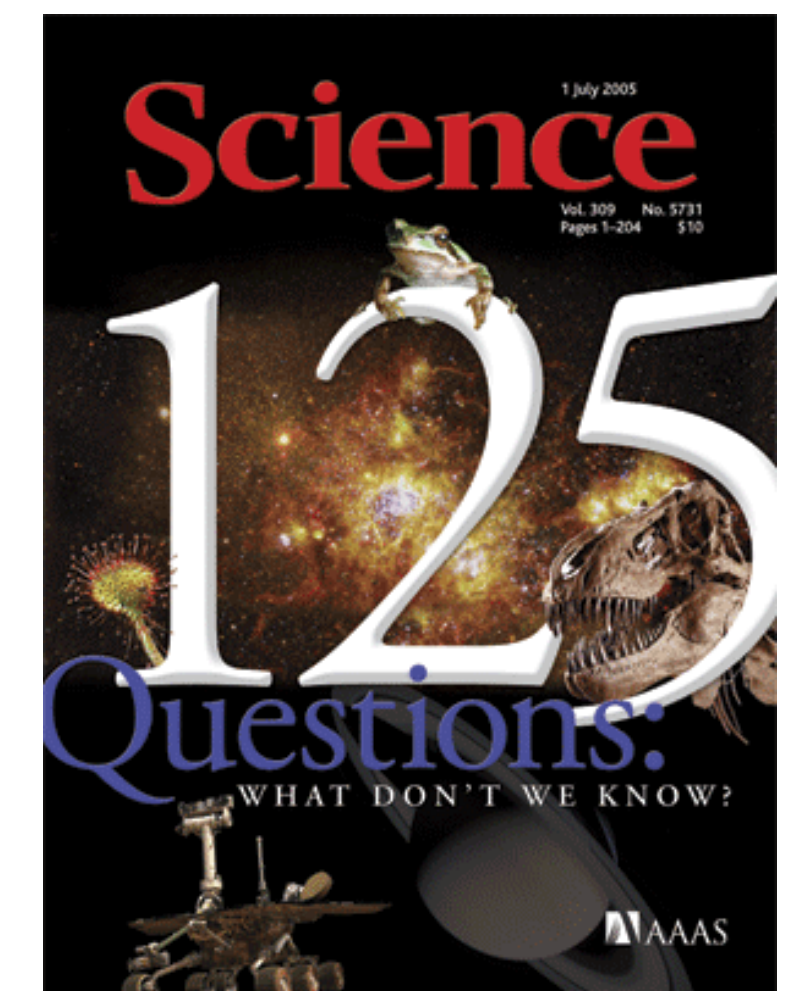
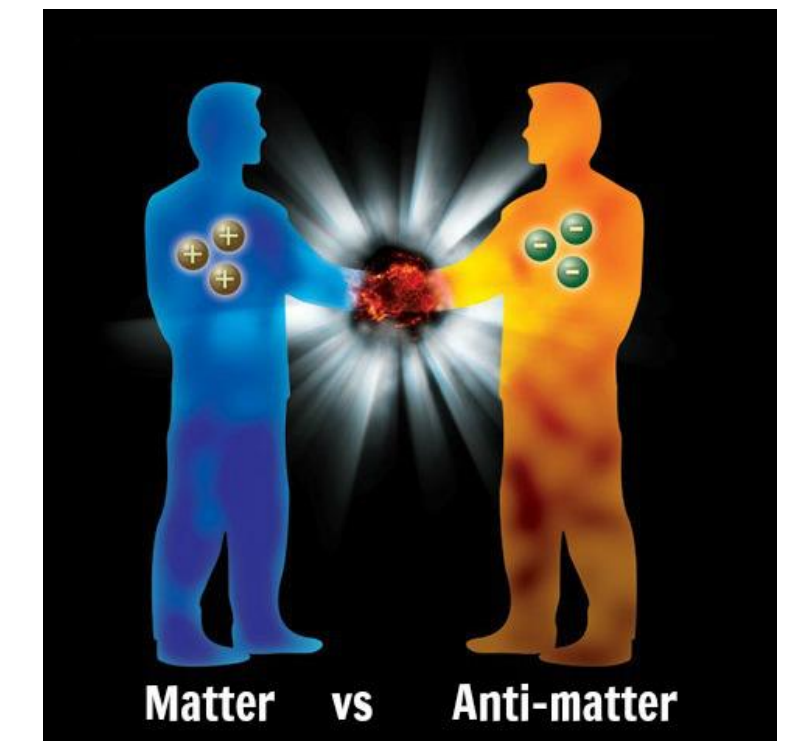
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- However, our knowledge on the basic nucleon are even limited.
- The **mass and spin puzzles** of nucleons.
- Related to the **inner structures** of hadrons and **perturbative and non-perturbative QCD** dynamics.



# CP violation in baryons

- Sakharov conditions for **Baryogenesis**:
  - 1) **baryon** number violation
  - 2) C and **CP violation**
  - 3) out of thermal equilibrium
- **CPV: SM < BAU. => new source of CPV, NP**
- CPV well established in K, B and D mesons,  
**but CPV never established in any baryon**
- **Comparison between precise prediction and measurement is helpful to test the SM and search for NP**



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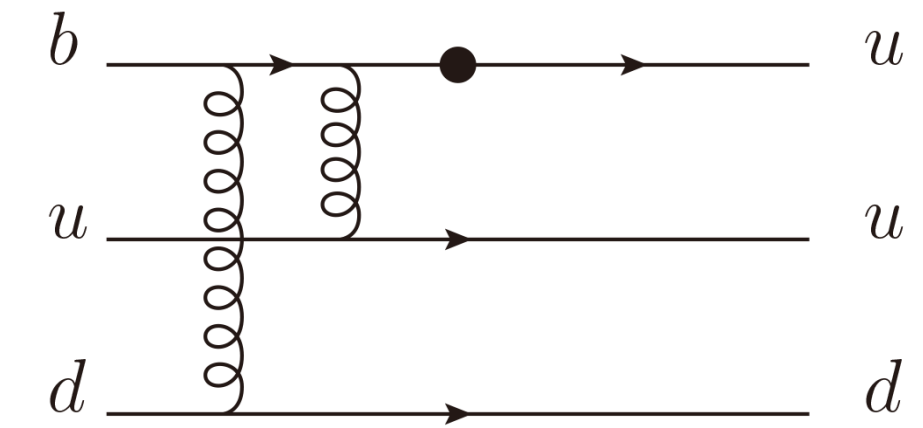
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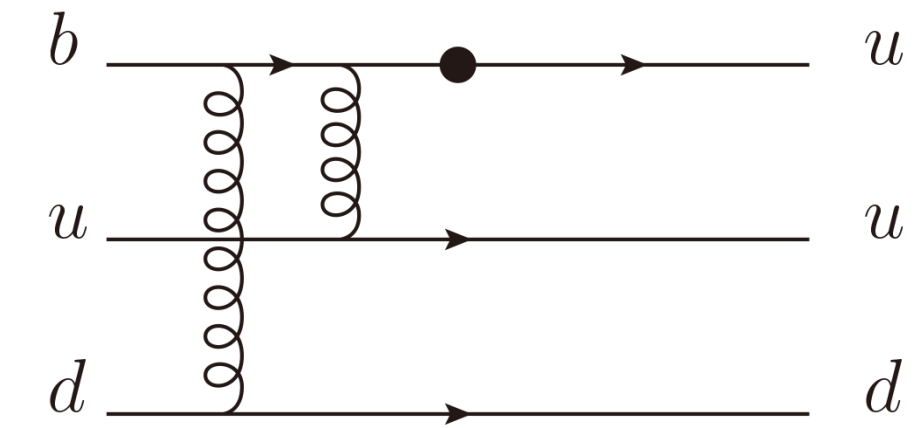
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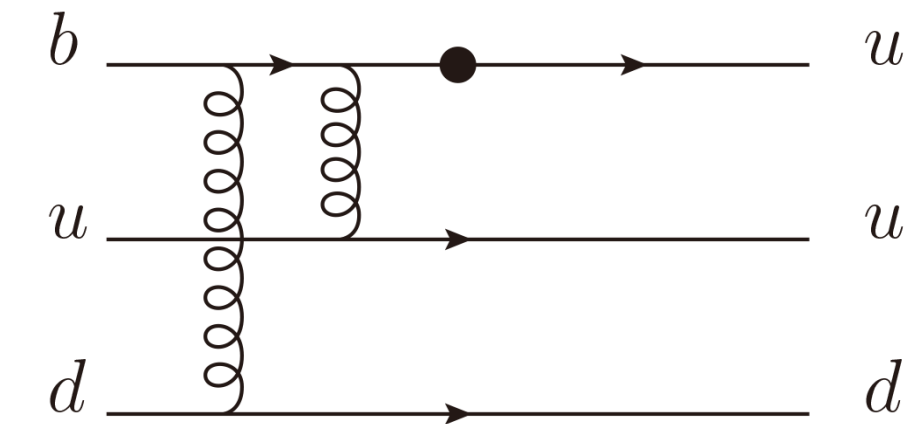
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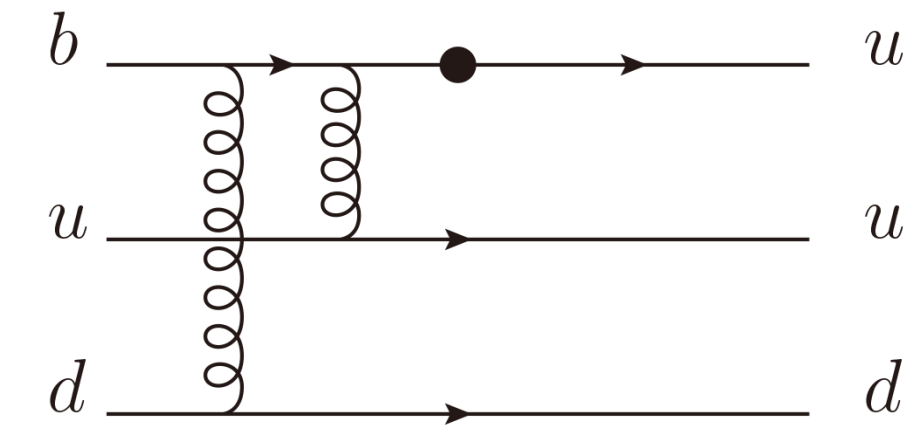
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- **Observables:** T-odd triple products  $(\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_2) \cdot \vec{p}_3$ ,  $3\sigma$  signal in  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\pi\pi\pi$  [LHCb2017].

Defined by kinematics, but unclear relation to the decay amplitudes.

No way for theoretical explanations and predictions.

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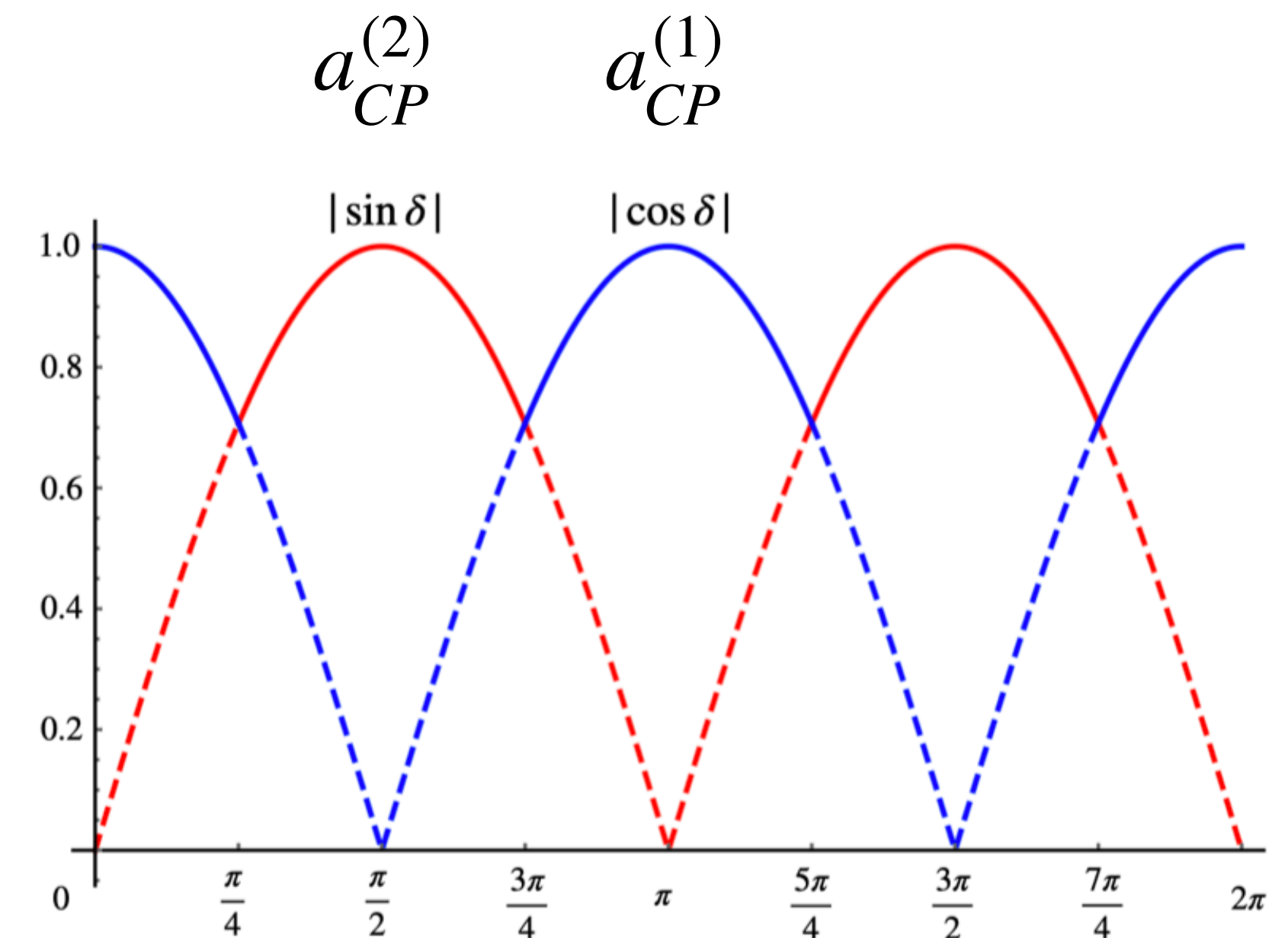
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- Example (2): It was proposed to measure  $A_B \propto N(\vec{p} \cdot \vec{e}_1 \times \vec{e}_2 > 0) - N(\vec{p} \cdot \vec{e}_1 \times \vec{e}_2 < 0)$  in  $B \rightarrow VV$ , whose CPV is  $A_B + A_{\bar{B}} \propto \cos \delta_s \sin \phi_w$  [Valencia, 1989]

# Complementary: $\cos \delta_s$ vs $\sin \delta_s$

- Precise prediction on strong phases is far beyond control currently
- Complimentary CPV observables proportional to  $\sin \delta$  or  $\cos \delta$  cover all the  $(0, 2\pi)$  region
- Whatever the strong phase is, either  $|\sin \delta|$  or  $|\cos \delta|$  would be larger than 0.7 which is large enough for measurements
- It might reduce the sensitivity of CPV on the strong phase, avoid the theoretical uncertainties on strong phases, and then increase the possibility of observation of baryon CPV



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  - (1) For a basis of final states and a unitary transformation so that  $UT|\psi_n\rangle = e^{i\alpha}|\psi_n\rangle$
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*Quod erat demonstrandum.*

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- Example:  $\Lambda \rightarrow p\pi$ , Lee-Yang decay-asymmetry parameter

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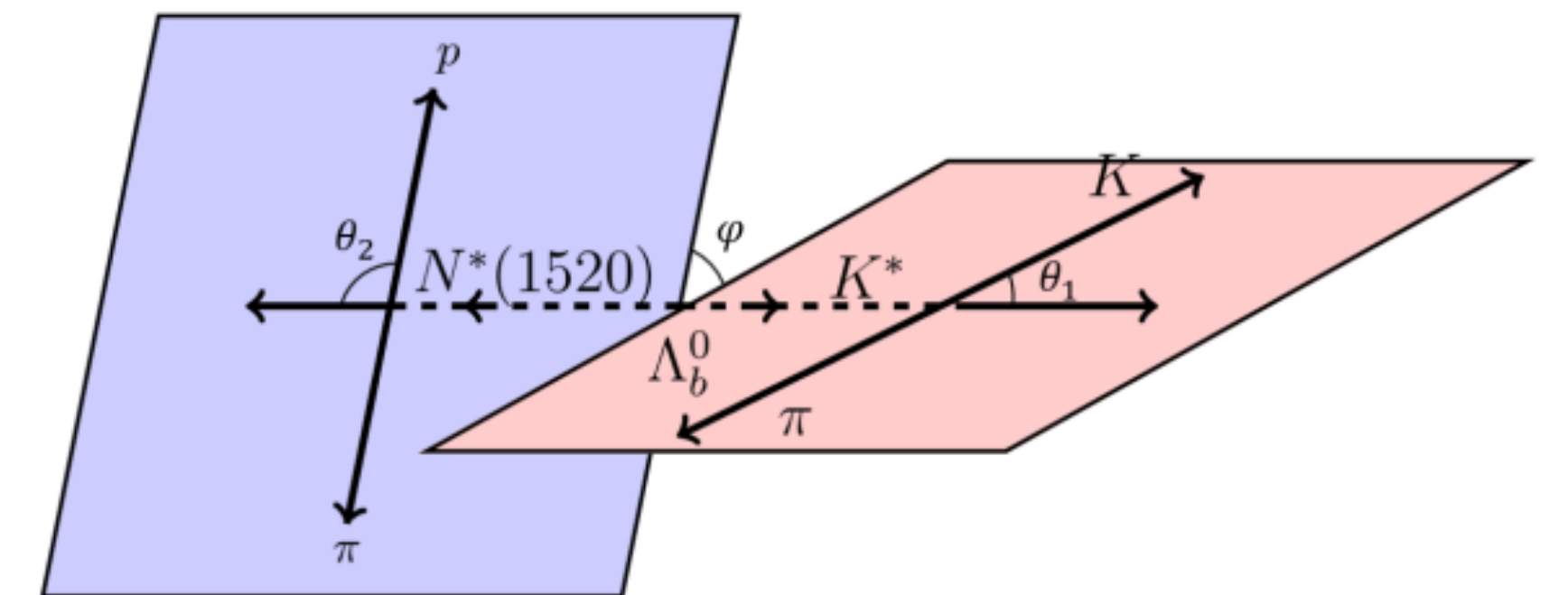
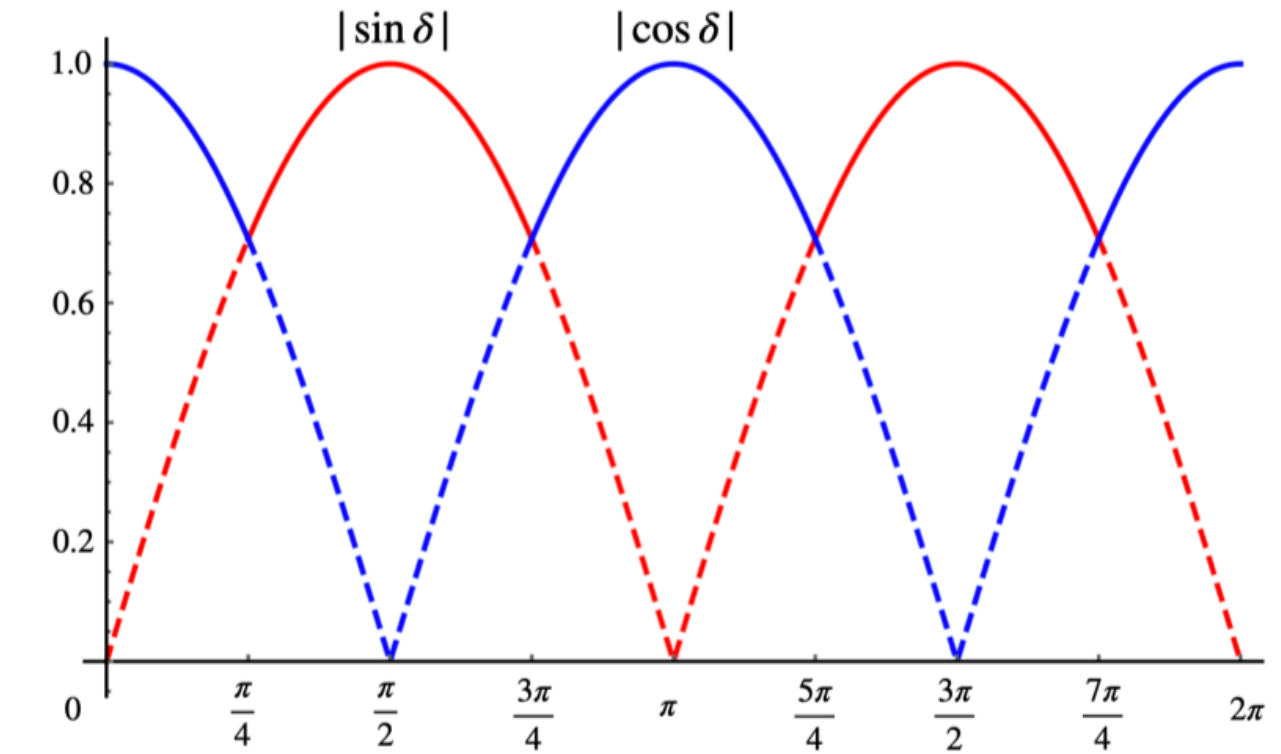
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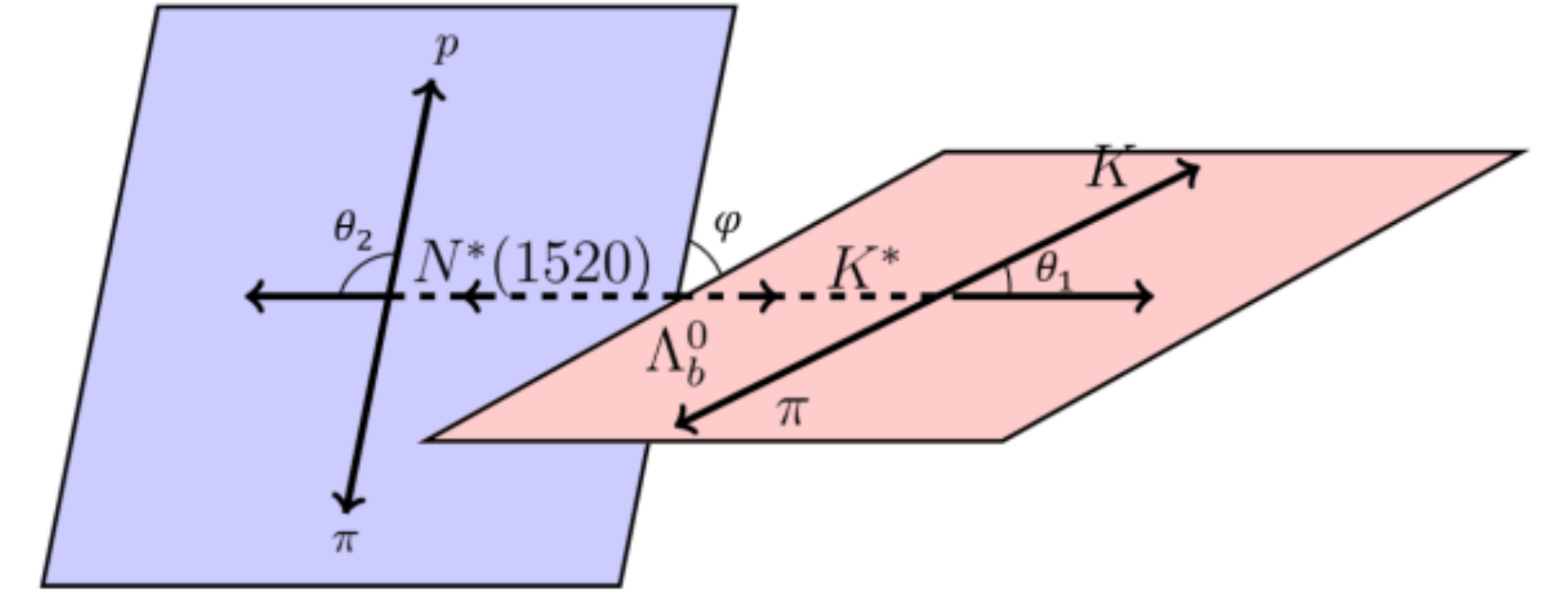
- Complementary observables can be constructed in the angular distributions
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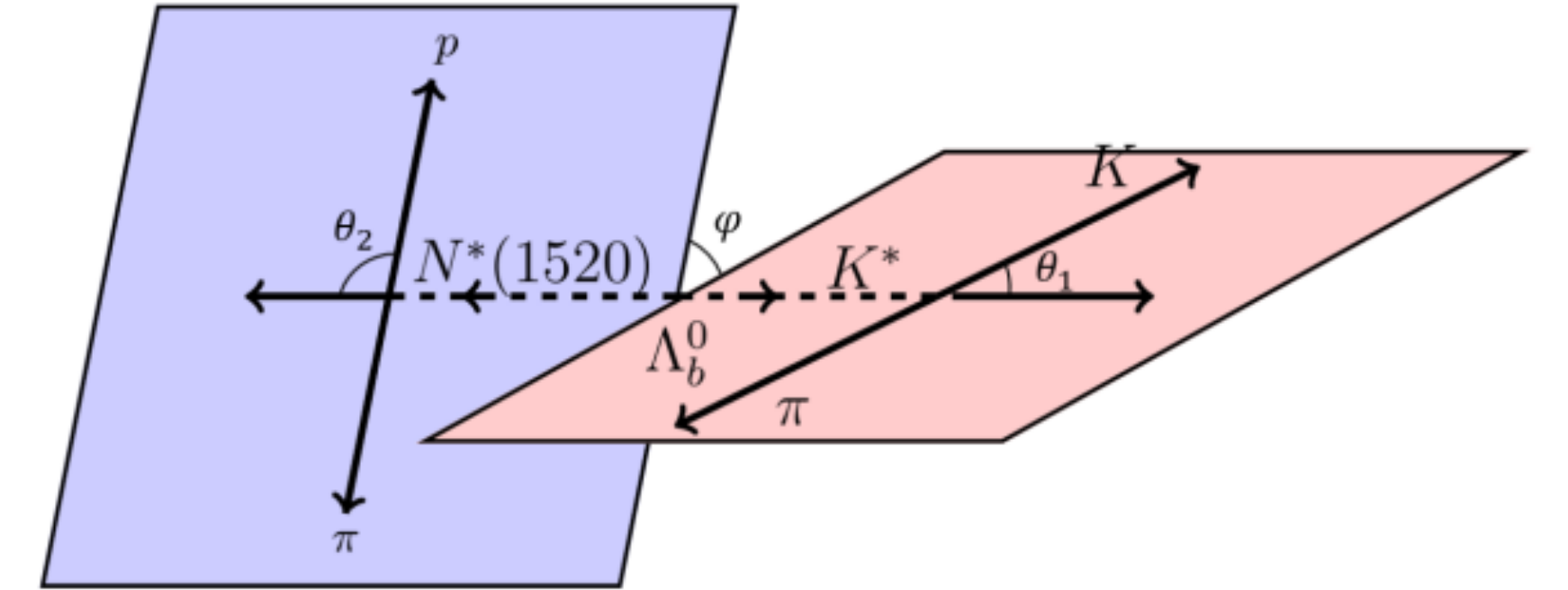


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- Triple-product of momentum,  $(\vec{p}_1 \times \vec{p}_2) \cdot \vec{p}_3$ , is not good
- Angular distributions of resonant contributions are necessary. It is more clear in theory.

# Summary and outlook

- Baryon physics is an opportunity of heavy flavor physics at the current stage.

