

LHCb recent results of b baryons

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LHCb detector Run 1 + 2

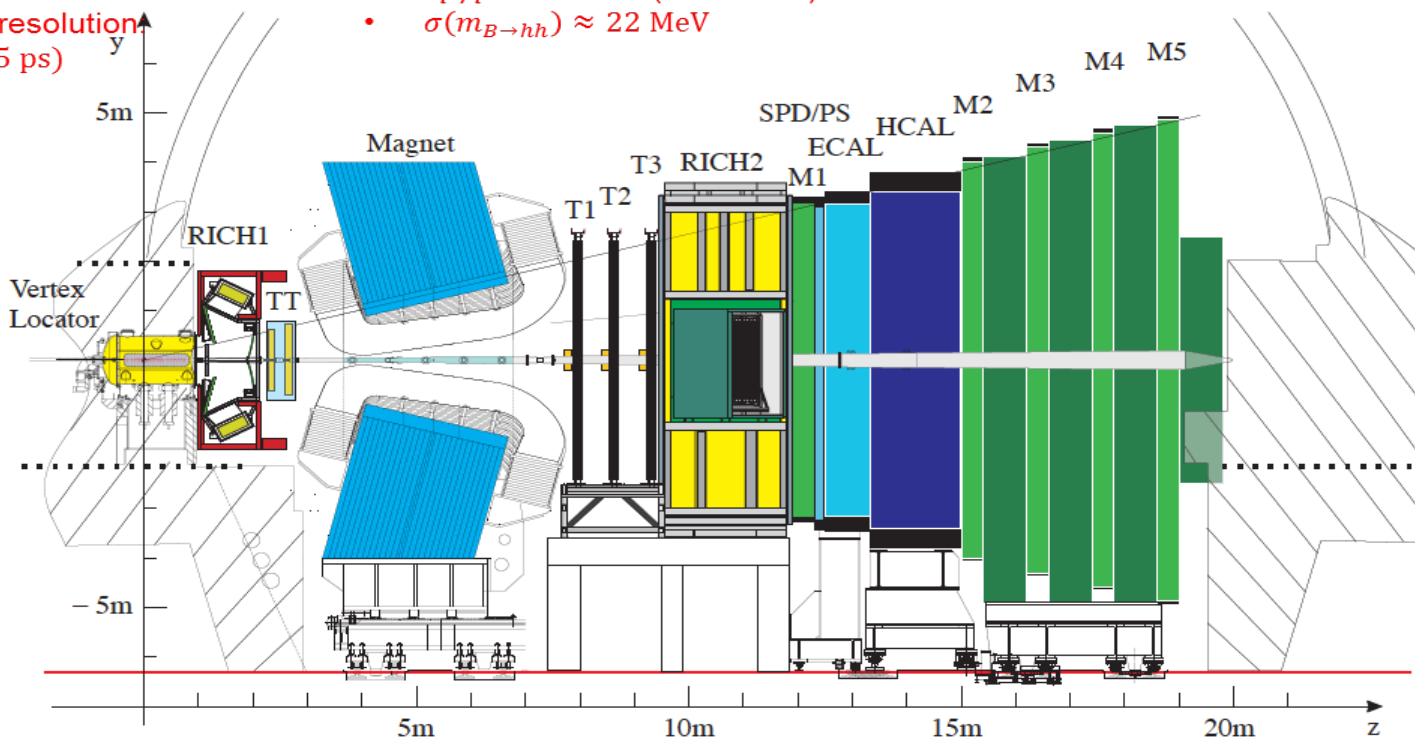
- General purpose detector in forward region with a special focus on heavy flavour physics
- Successful operation in Run 1 (2010-2012) and 2 (2015-2018), upgraded for Run 3 (2022-2025)

Vertex Locator(vertex reconstruction)

- Impact parameter resolution: 20 μm
- Decay time resolution: 45 fs ($\tau_B \sim 1.5$ ps)

Tracking system(particle reconstruction)

- $\epsilon(\text{Tracking}) \sim 96\%$
- $\delta p/p \sim 0.5\%-1\%$ (5-200 GeV)
- $\sigma(m_{B \rightarrow hh}) \approx 22$ MeV



RICH: particle ID

- $\epsilon(K \rightarrow K) \sim 95\%$
- Mis-ID: $\epsilon(\pi \rightarrow K) \sim 5\%$

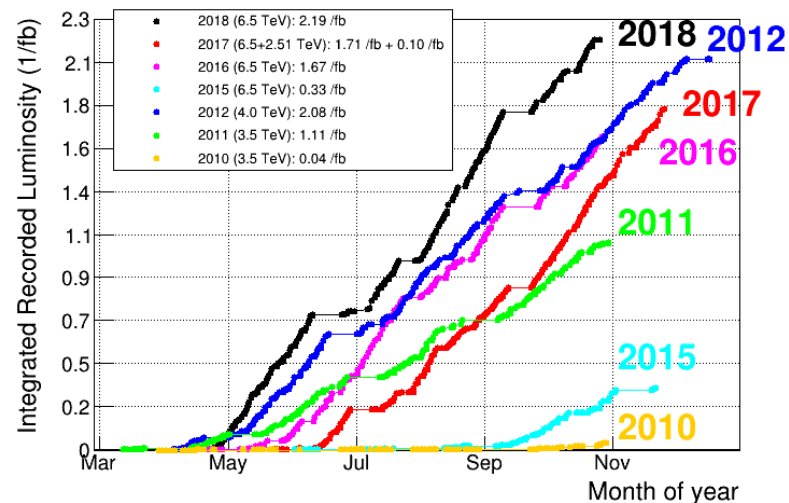
Magnet

- Bending power: 4 Tm

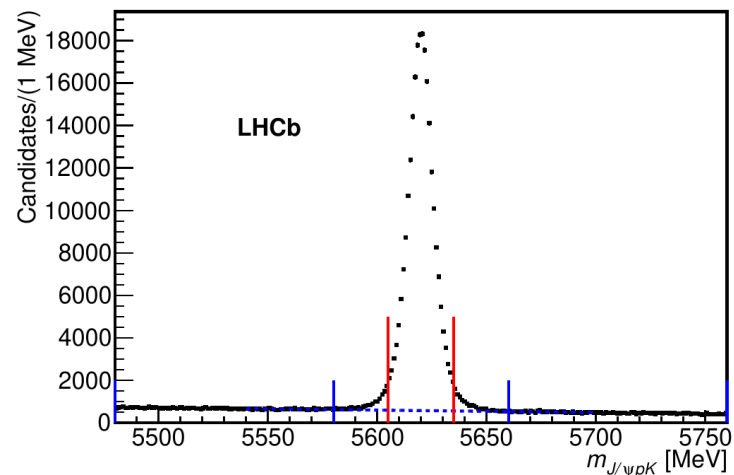
Muon system

- μ ID: $\epsilon(\mu \rightarrow \mu) \sim 97\%$
- Mis-ID: $\epsilon(\pi \rightarrow \mu) \sim 1-3\%$

- Successful operation in Run 1 and Run 2
- Annual data-taking efficiency above 90 %
- Various collision systems:
 - pp, p-Pb, Pb-Pb, SMOG (fixed target-like)
- Recorded substantial amount of data
 - Run 1: $\sim 3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - Run 2: $\sim 6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- Largest recorded sample of heavy flavour hadrons
- LHCb historically focused mostly on decays with charged hadrons or muons in the final state
 - Increasing amount of studies involving neutral particles such as π^0 and gamma
 - Progress on electron PID and bremsstrahlung corrections allowing wider usage of electron modes
 - Better understanding of relatively long-lived particles decaying outside of VELO (K^0 , Λ^0 , ...)



$280k \Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi p K^-$ (Run1+Run2)



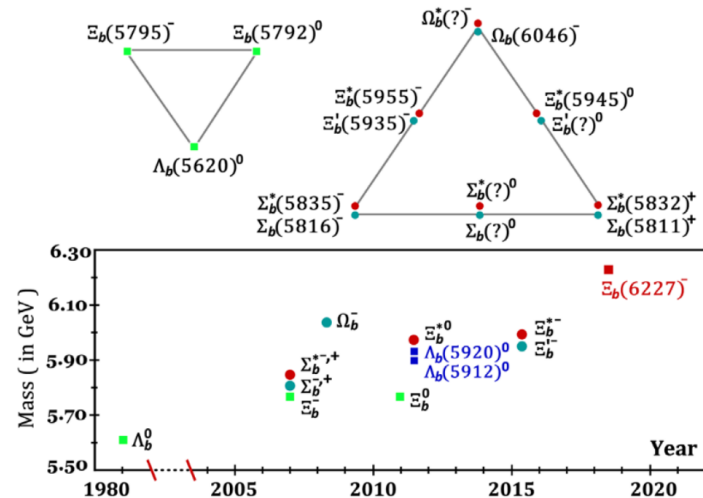
b-baryons at LHCb

- Historically LHCb mainly focused on mesons but interest in baryons is steadily growing
- Broad physics programme involving b-baryons which can be divided into three main categories:
 - Spectroscopy and production measurements
 - Electroweak penguin-governed and rare decays
 - CP violation measurements
- All results available at [public LHCb webpage](#)
- Due to a limited time this talk will focus only on a selected set of some (relatively) recent results
- Selected spectroscopy measurements:
 - Observation of New Baryons in the $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ Systems [PRL 131 (2023) 171901]
 - Measurement of the mass difference and relative production rate of the Ω_b^- and Ξ_b^- baryons [2305.15329]
- Selected CP violation measurements:
 - Observation of the suppressed $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow D^0 p K^-$ decay with $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ and measurement of its CP asymmetry [PRD 104 (2021) 112008]
 - Search for CP violation in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow p K^- K^-$ decays [PRD 104 (2021) 052010]
- Selected EW and rare decays:
 - Measurement of the $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520) \mu^+ \mu^-$ Differential Branching Fraction [PRL 131 (2023) 151801]
 - Measurement of the photon polarization in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \gamma$ decays [PRD 105 (2022) L051104]

Spectroscopy measurements

Observation of New Baryons in the $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

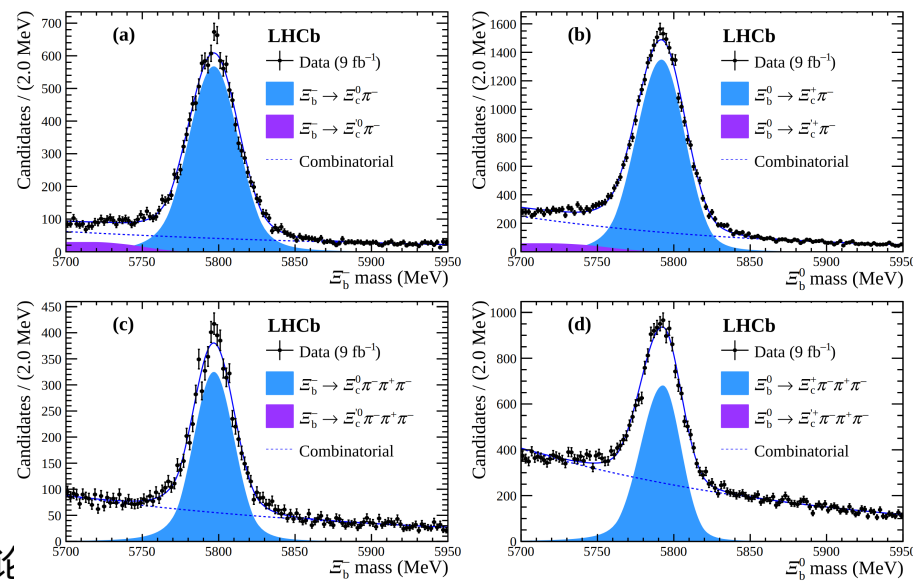
- $\Xi_b^{0/-}$ baryons form an isospin doublet (bsu, bsd)
- The ground states have L=0 between b-quark and lighter sq diquark
- Three isospin doublets of such non-excited states are expected
- Ξ_b^0 still unobserved (possibly below $\Xi_b^- \pi^+$ threshold)



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- First investigation in LHCb of the final states $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

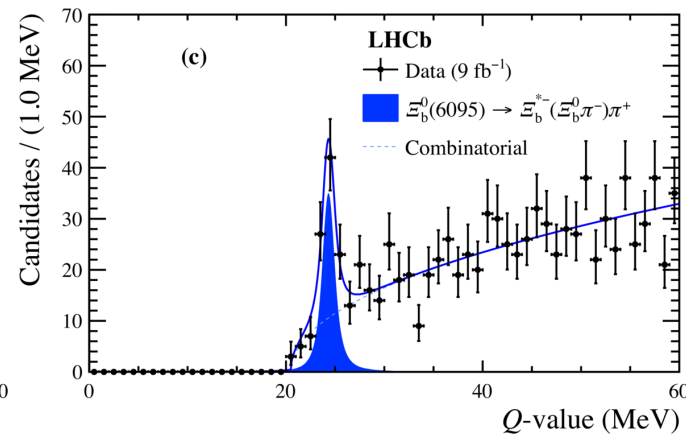
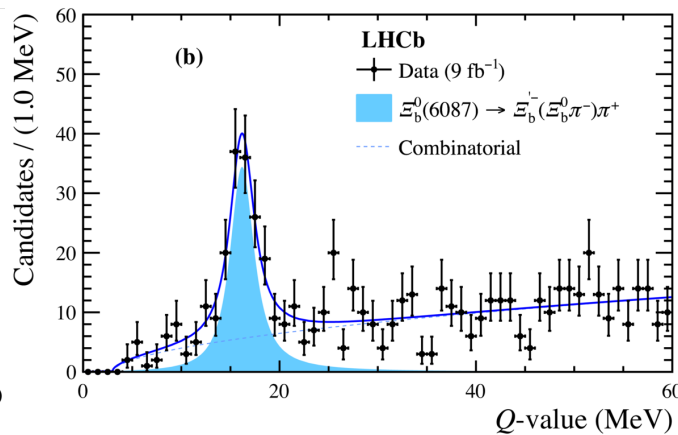
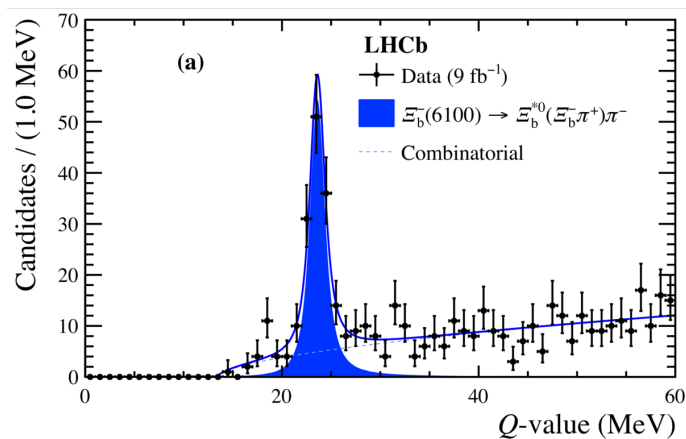
- Based on full Run 1 + Run 2 LHCb data set
- Ξ_b^0 reconstructed as $\Xi_c^+ \pi^-$ or $\Xi_c^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$
- Ξ_b^- reconstructed as $\Xi_c^0 \pi^-$ or $\Xi_c^0 \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$



Observation of New Baryons in the $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$

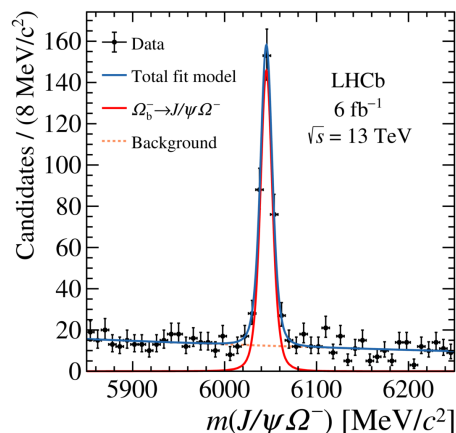
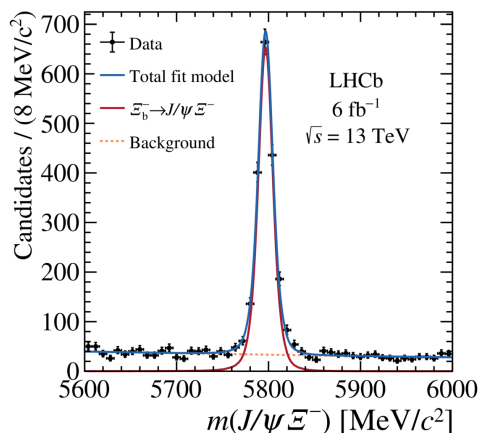
- Two new narrow states observed in $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$ spectrum
 - $\Xi_b^0(6087)$ and $\Xi_b^0(6095)$
 - $\Xi_b^- (6100)$ confirmed (first observation by CMS)
- Mass difference (Q value) fitted in order to cancel resolution effects
 - Signal model consists of Double Crystal Ball and relativistic BW
 - Partially reconstructed candidates from possible higher-mass resonances taken into account
- Analysis is statistically dominated, improvement expected with Run 3 data

State	Observ.	Value (MeV)
$\Xi_b(6100)^-$	Q_0	$23.6 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.02$
	Γ	$0.94 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.08$
	m_0	$6099.74 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.6$ (Ξ_b^-)
$\Xi_b(6087)^0$	Q_0	$16.20 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.06$
	Γ	$2.43 \pm 0.51 \pm 0.10$
	m_0	$6087.24 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.06 \pm 0.5$ (Ξ_b^0)
$\Xi_b(6095)^0$	Q_0	$24.32 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.03$
	Γ	$0.50 \pm 0.33 \pm 0.11$
	m_0	$6095.36 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.03 \pm 0.5$ (Ξ_b^0)



Relative production rate of the Ω_b^- and Ξ_b^- baryons

- From the weakly-decaying ground states of b-baryons, the Ω_b^- baryon is the least studied
 - Relative production rate measured at Tevatron, had to be updated for LHCb
- Measurement based on Run 2 data
- Very clean signal sample obtained for both studied channels: $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^-$, $\Omega_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Omega^-$



Source	Uncertainty [%]
Size of simulated samples	0.3
Calibration of simulation	5.5
Selection criteria	0.1
Lifetimes of b baryons	3.1
Material interactions	0.7
Fit model	0.8
External input (\mathcal{B})	1.0
Total	6.5

- Production ratio defined as: $R \equiv \frac{f_{\Omega_b^-}}{f_{\Xi_b^-}} \times \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Omega_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Omega^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^-)} \approx R = \frac{N(\Omega_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Omega^-)}{N(\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^-)} \times \frac{\epsilon(\Xi_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Xi^-)}{\epsilon(\Omega_b^- \rightarrow J/\psi \Omega^-)} \times \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Xi^- \rightarrow \Lambda \pi^-)}{\mathcal{B}(\Omega^- \rightarrow \Lambda K^-)}$
 - Limited knowledge of $f_{\Omega_b^-}/f_{\Xi_b^-}$, further theoretical input needed
 - Large differences in BF's predictions [PRD56 2799, PRD98 074011, PRD105 056015]
- Obtained ratio: $R = 0.120 \pm 0.008$ (stat) ± 0.008 (syst)
 - Slightly below previous Tevatron results: $R = 0.27 \pm 0.12$ (stat) ± 0.01 (syst) [PRD 80 072003]

Mass difference between the Ω_b^- and Ξ_b^- baryons

- Using full Run 1 + Run 2 data
- Mass difference between the Ω_b^- and Ξ_b^- baryons used to reduce systematic uncertainties
- LHCb measurement of Ξ_b^- mass used: $m(\Xi_b^-) = 5797.33 \pm 0.24 \pm 0.29 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ [PRD 103 012004]

→ Obtained results:

$$m(\Omega_b^-) - m(\Xi_b^-) = 248.54 \pm 0.51 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.38 \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

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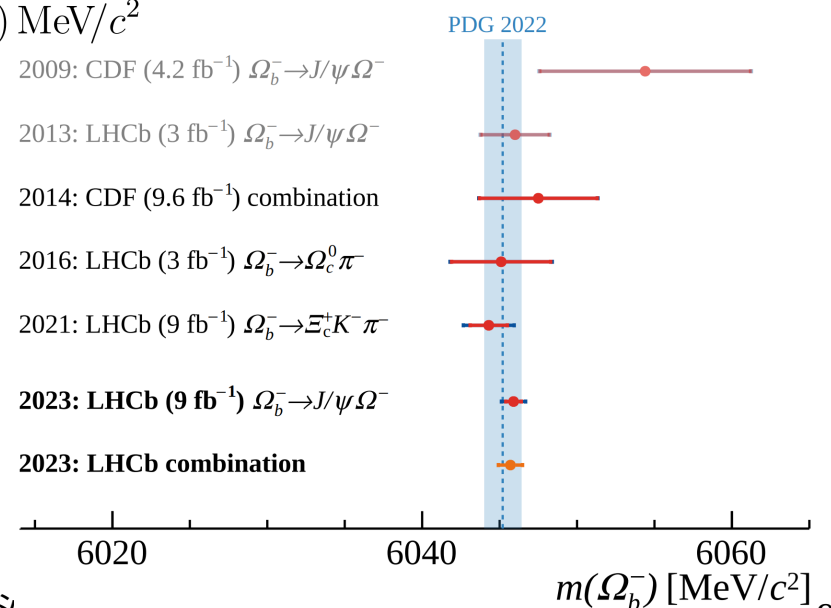
→ Mass difference combined with previous LHCb results [PRD 93 092007]:

$$[m(\Omega_b^-) - m(\Xi_b^-)]_{\text{LHCb comb}} = 248.50 \pm 0.51 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.37 \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

→ Full LHCb combination on Ω_b^- mass

$$m(\Omega_b^-)_{\text{LHCb comb}} = 6045.7 \pm 0.5 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.6 \text{ (syst)} \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

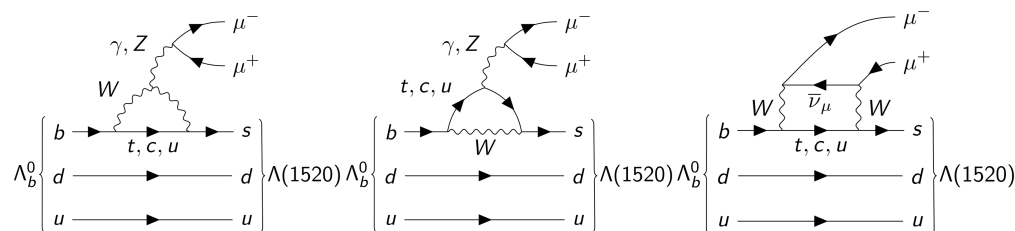
Source	Uncertainty [MeV/c ²]
Momentum scale	0.09
dE/dx correction	0.01
Hyperon mass	0.35
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$ background	0.10
Fit bias	0.06
Full fit model	0.01
Total	0.38



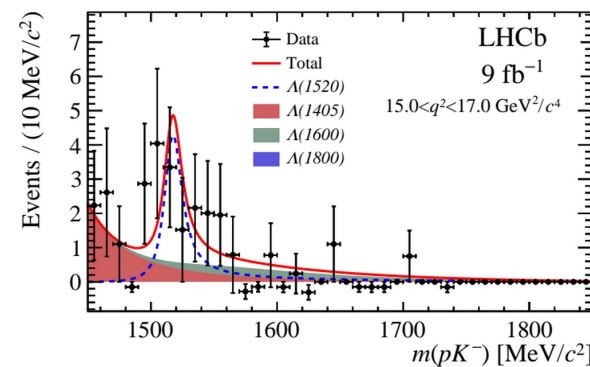
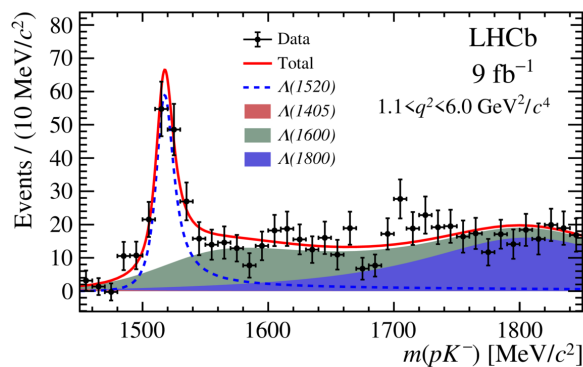
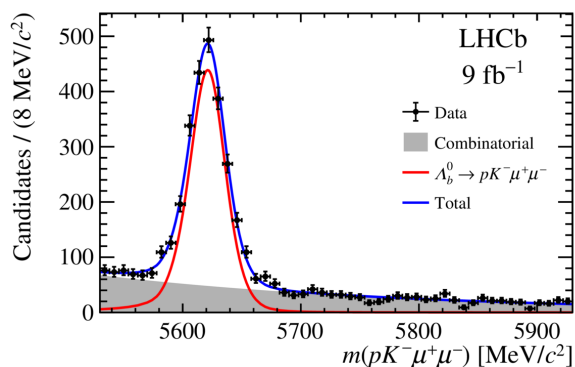
EW and rare decays

$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)\mu^+\mu^-$ Differential Branching Fraction

- Rise of b-anomalies in decays of B mesons prompted to check baryonic decays as well
 - Due to non-zero spin, baryon decays carry additional helicity information
- $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)\mu^+\mu^-$ is an example of Flavour Changing Neutral Current (FCNC) $b \rightarrow sll$ process
 - Governed by a electroweak loop in SM, high sensitivity for various BSM models expected

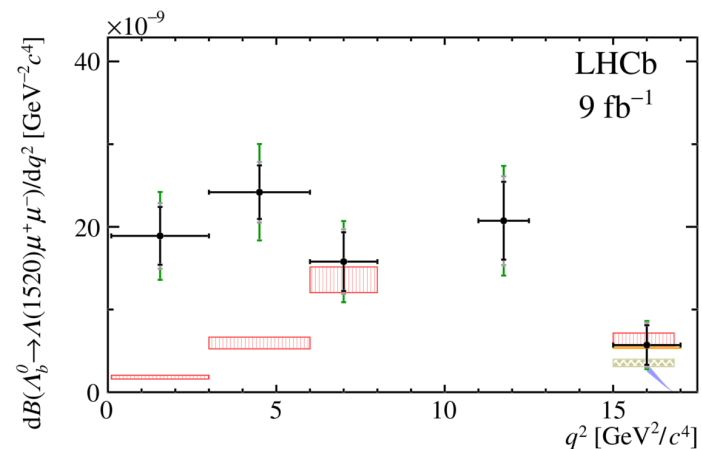
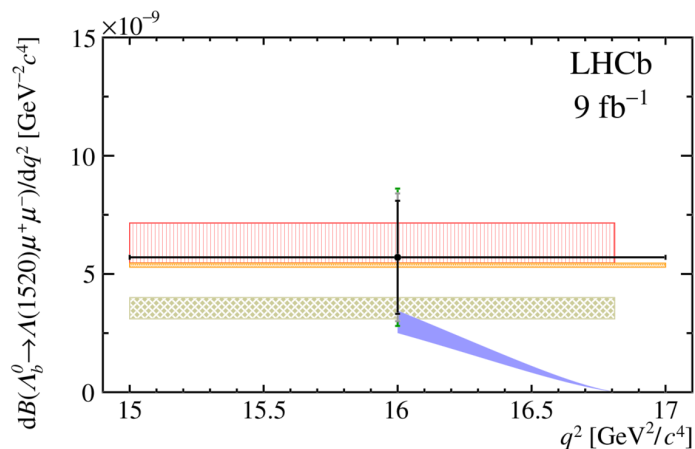
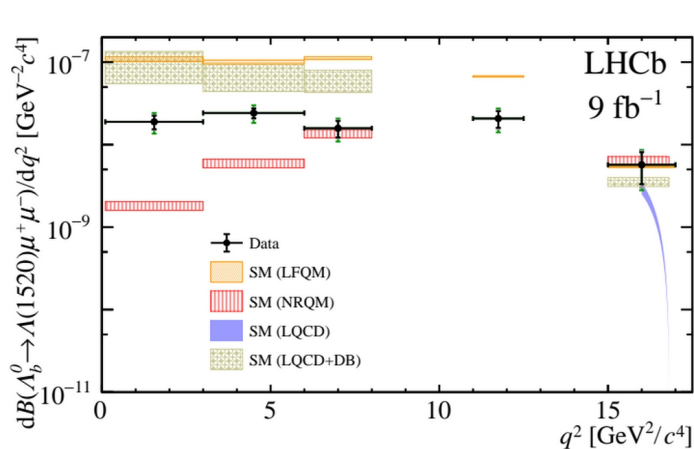


- Study based on full Run 1 + Run 2 data sample
- Several q^2 bins studied: $[0.1-3.0]$, $[3.0-6.0]$, $[6.0-8.0]$, $[11.0-12.5]$, $[15.0-17.0]$, $[1.1-6.0]$



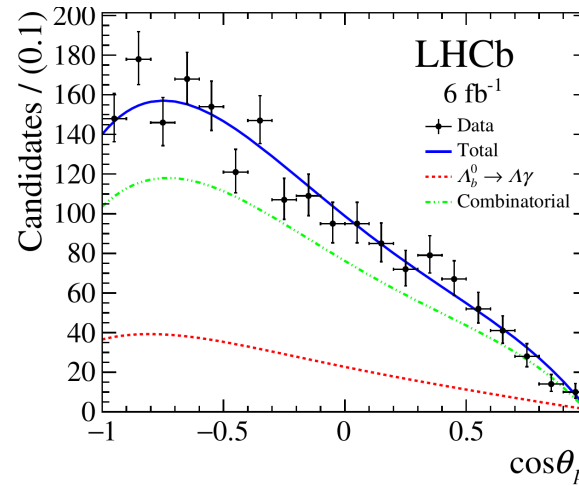
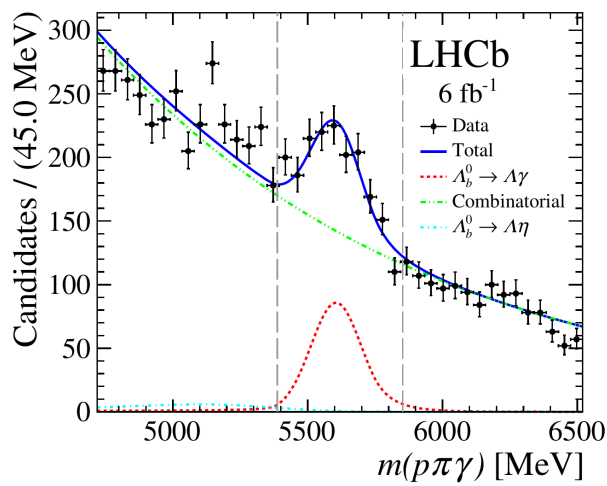
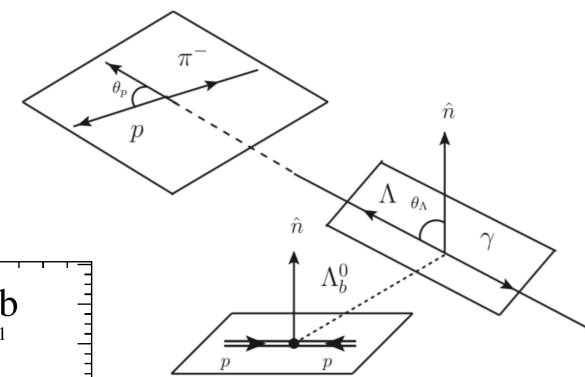
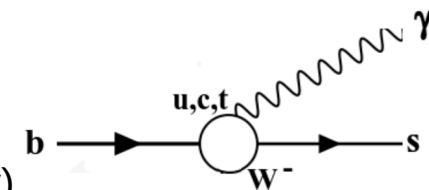
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)\mu^+\mu^-$ Differential Branching Fraction

- Obtained differential branching fraction compared with various theory predictions:
 - Light-front quark model (LQFM) [PRD 107 (2023) 093003]
 - SM with nonrelativistic quark model form factor unc. (NRQM) JHEP 06 (2019) 136
 - Lattice QCD (LQCD), available only for $q^2 > 16 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ [PRD 105 (2022) 054511]
 - Joint lattice QCD and dispersive bound (LQCD+DB) [J. High Energ. Phys. 2023, 10]
- Bin at $q^2 > 15 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ has the lowest model-dependency and results are consistent with the theory
- Results at lower q^2 bins are inconclusive due to very large spread of SM predictions



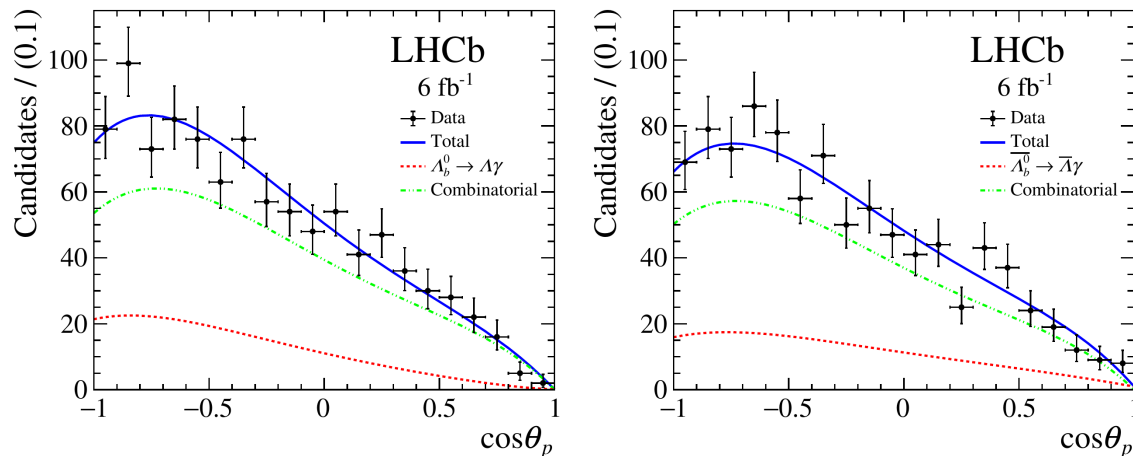
Photon polarization in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \gamma$ decays

- Another example of FCNC process is a radiative transition $b \rightarrow s \gamma$
 - Photons expected to be predominantly left-handed in the SM (photons from b-bar would be right-handed, possible to check CP asymmetry)
 - Dedicated study thus could probe the existence of right-handed currents
- Beneficial to study in baryons compared to spinless mesons
- The value of interest is the photon polarization asymmetry (α_γ) defined as: $\alpha_\gamma = \frac{\gamma_L - \gamma_R}{\gamma_L + \gamma_R}$
 - Asymmetry expected to be equal to 1 within SM
- The observable distribution is then given as: $\frac{d\Gamma}{d(\cos\theta_p)} \propto 1 - \alpha_\gamma \alpha_\Lambda \cos\theta_p$
 - Λ_b^0 is expected to be unpolarised at LHC
- Analysis is based on Run 2 data: 440 ± 40 signal candidates



Photon polarization in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda^0 \gamma$ decays

→ Angular distribution for Λ_b^0 and for Λ_b^0 -bar

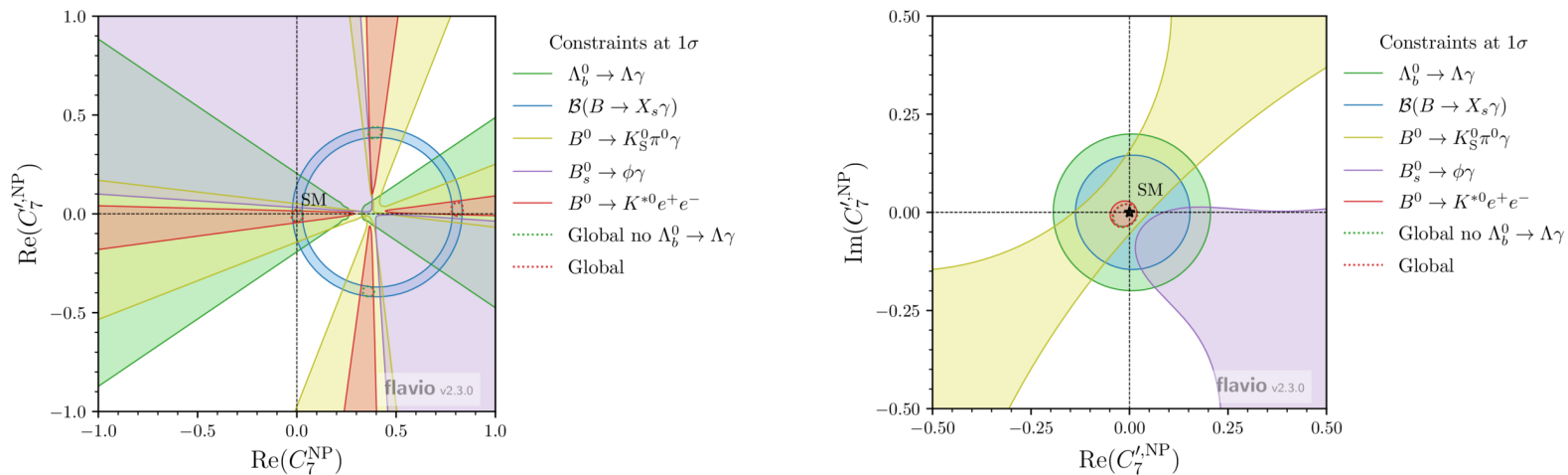


$$\alpha_\gamma = 0.82^{+0.17}_{-0.26} \text{ (stat.) } ^{+0.04}_{-0.13} \text{ (syst.)}$$

$$\alpha_\gamma^- > 0.56 \text{ (0.44) at 90\% (95\%) CL}$$

$$\alpha_\gamma^+ = -0.56^{+0.36}_{-0.33} \text{ (stat.) } ^{+0.16}_{-0.09} \text{ (syst.)}$$

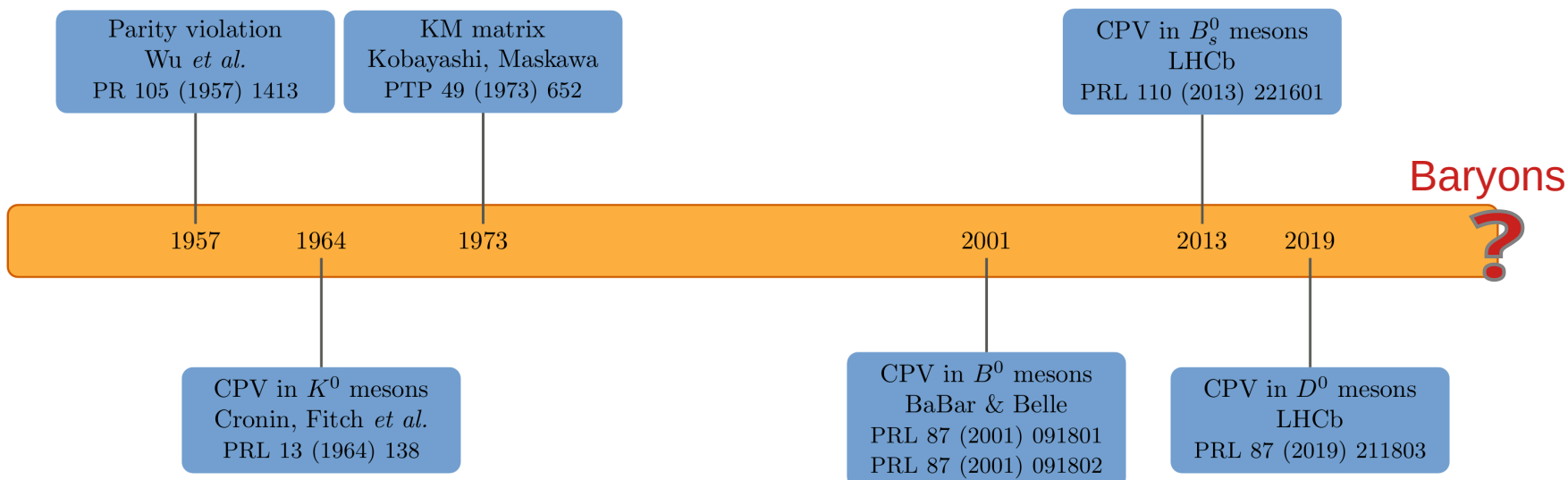
→ Additionally, Wilson coefficients C_7 and C_7' can be constrained



CP violation measurements

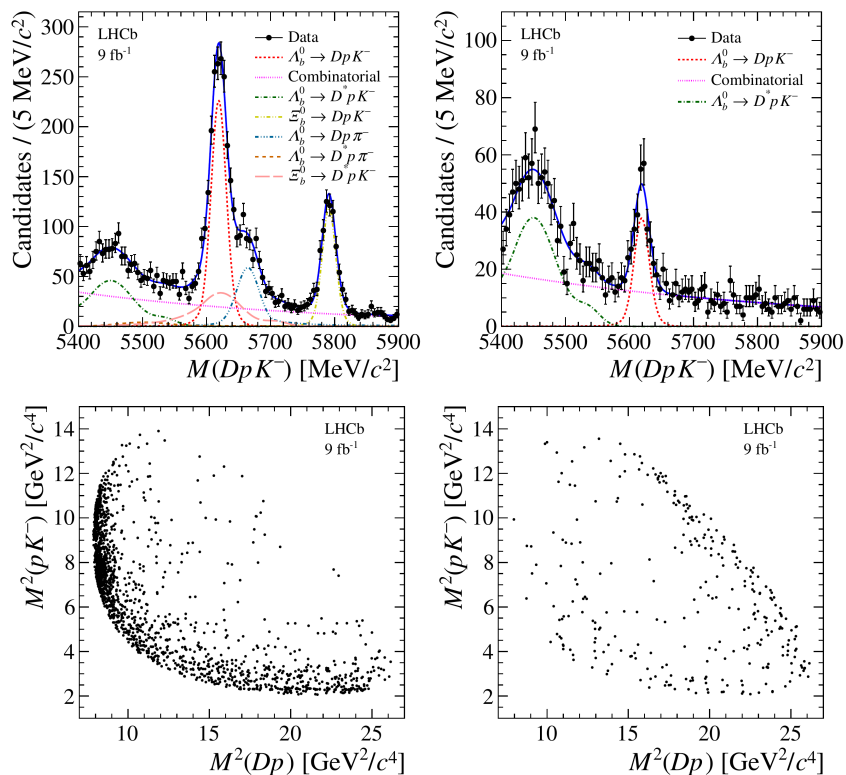
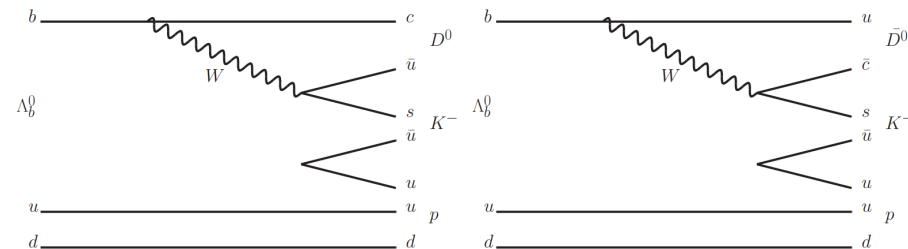
Search for CP asymmetry in baryon sector at LHCb

- The question of CP violation in baryon sector remains one of the main open question within SM
- Required for Baryonic asymmetry of Universe but never experimentally observed!
 - First evidence of CP violation in difference of $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \rho\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$ and $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \rho\pi^-K^+K^+$ [Nature Physics 13 (2017) 391] not confirmed with additional data
 - So far only P-violation observed in decays of $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \rho\pi^+\pi^-\pi^-$ [PRD 102 (2020) 051101]
- Practically all searches are statistically limited
 - Especially problematic for methods looking for a local asymmetries



Observation of the $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow DpK^-$ decay and CP asymmetry

- The main goal of analysis is to study $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p[K^+\pi^-]_D K^-$ relative to $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p[K^-\pi^+]_D K^-$ as ratio R
- Analysis based on full Run 1 + Run 2 data sample
- Suppressed $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p[K^+\pi^-]_D K^-$ observed for the first time



- CP asymmetry is defined as

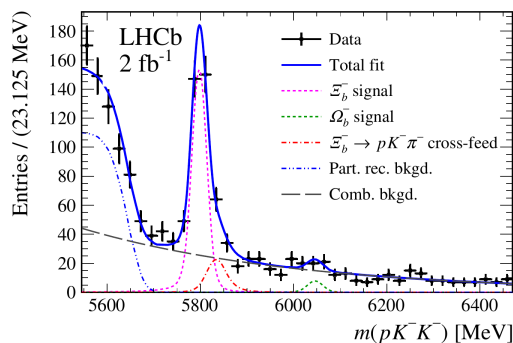
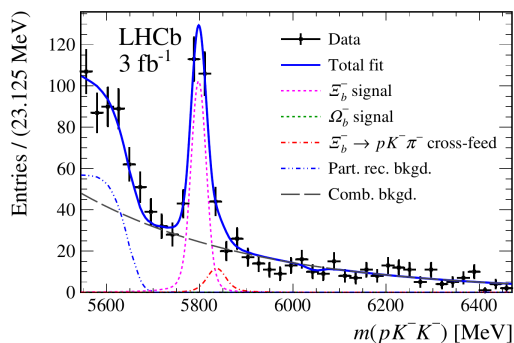
$$A = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow [K^+\pi^-]_D p K^-) - \mathcal{B}(\bar{\Lambda}_b^0 \rightarrow [K^-\pi^+]_D \bar{p} K^+)}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow [K^+\pi^-]_D p K^-) + \mathcal{B}(\bar{\Lambda}_b^0 \rightarrow [K^-\pi^+]_D \bar{p} K^+)}$$

- Studied in a full phase space and $M(pK) < 5 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$ where larger sensitivity to angle γ is expected
- Full phase space: $A = 0.12 \pm 0.09 \text{ (stat.)}_{-0.03}^{+0.02} \text{ (syst.)}$
- Restricted phase space: $A = 0.01 \pm 0.16 \text{ (stat.)}_{-0.02}^{+0.03} \text{ (syst.)}$
- Compatible with no CP asymmetry in both cases
- Measurement is statistically limited and it is not possible to extract angle γ

$$R = 7.1 \pm 0.8 \text{ (stat.)}_{-0.3}^{+0.4} \text{ (syst.)}$$

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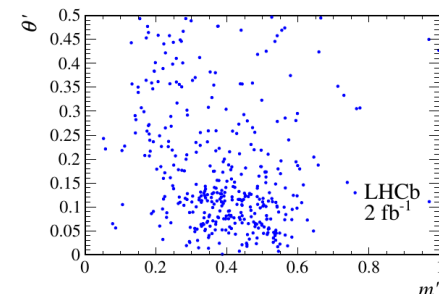
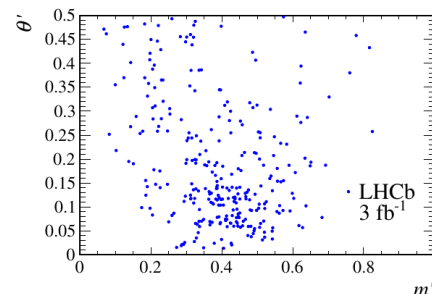
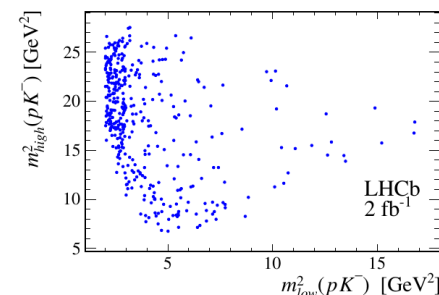
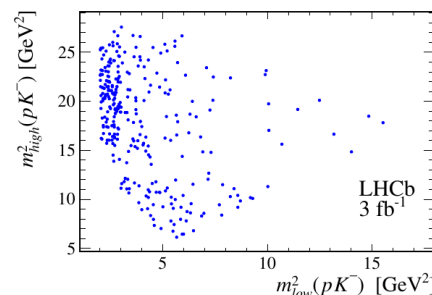


Parameter	Run 1	Run 2
$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^-$ yield	193 ± 21	297 ± 23
$\Omega_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^-$ yield	-4 ± 6	15 ± 9
Partially reconstructed background yield	231 ± 34	442 ± 36
Combinatorial background yield	721 ± 50	775 ± 51

- For amplitude analysis is useful to use so-called “square” Dalitz plot variables defined as:

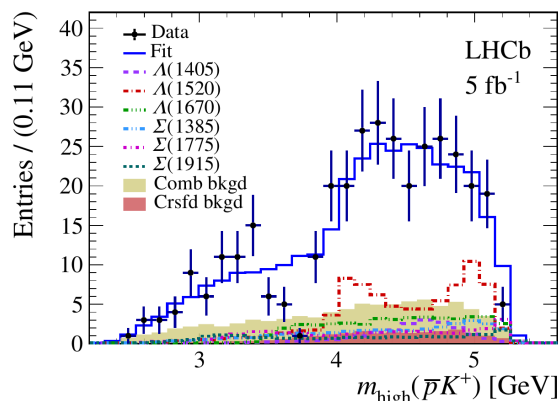
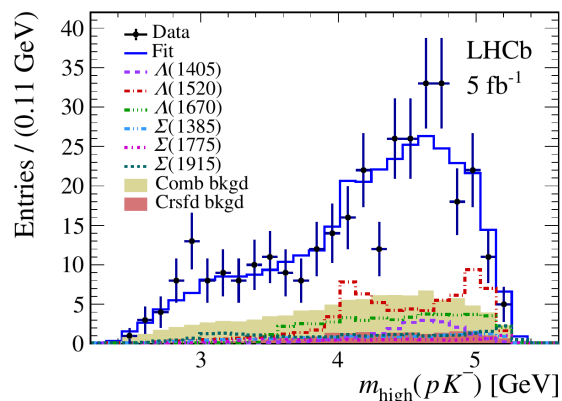
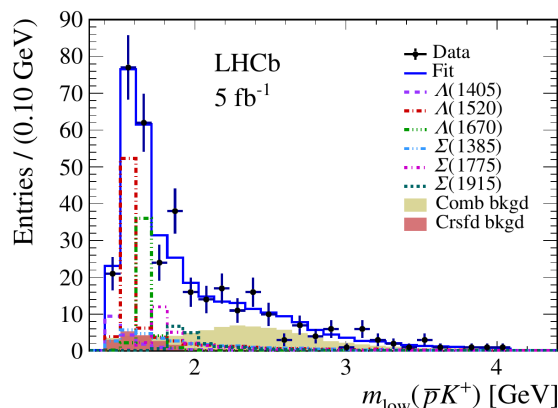
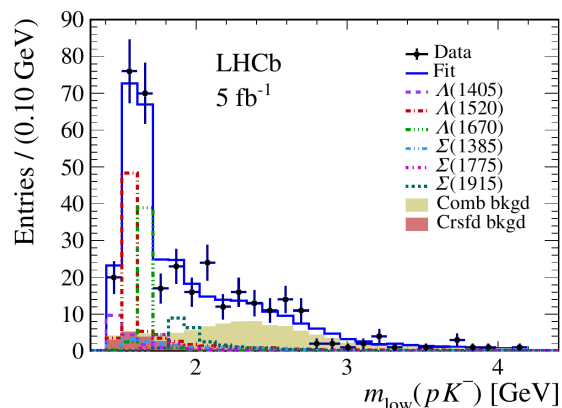
$$\theta' = \frac{1}{\pi} \theta(K^- K^-)$$

$$m' = \frac{1}{\pi} \arccos \left(2 \frac{m(K^- K^-) - m_{\min}(K^- K^-)}{m_{\max}(K^- K^-) - m_{\min}(K^- K^-)} \right)$$



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Name	J^P	Mass (MeV)	Width (MeV)	Main decay channels

\dagger $\Lambda(1405)$	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	$1405.1^{+1.3}_{-1.3}$	50.5 ± 2.0	$\Sigma\pi$
\dagger $\Lambda(1520)$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	1518 to 1520	15 to 17	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi$
\dagger $\Lambda(1670)$	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1660 to 1680	25 to 50	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\eta$
$\Lambda(1690)$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	1685 to 1695	50 to 70	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\pi\pi, \Sigma\pi\pi$
$\Lambda(1820)$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	1815 to 1825	70 to 90	$N\bar{K}$
$\Lambda(1830)$	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	1810 to 1830	60 to 110	$\Sigma\pi$
$\Lambda(1890)$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	1850 to 1910	60 to 200	$N\bar{K}$
\dagger $\Sigma(1385)$	$\frac{3}{2}^+$	1383.7 ± 1	36 ± 5	$\Lambda\pi, \Sigma\pi$
$\Sigma(1670)$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	1665 to 1685	40 to 80	$\Sigma\pi$
\dagger $\Sigma(1775)$	$\frac{5}{2}^-$	1770 to 1780	105 to 135	$N\bar{K}, A^{(*)}\pi$
\dagger $\Sigma(1915)$	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	1900 to 1935	80 to 160	not clear

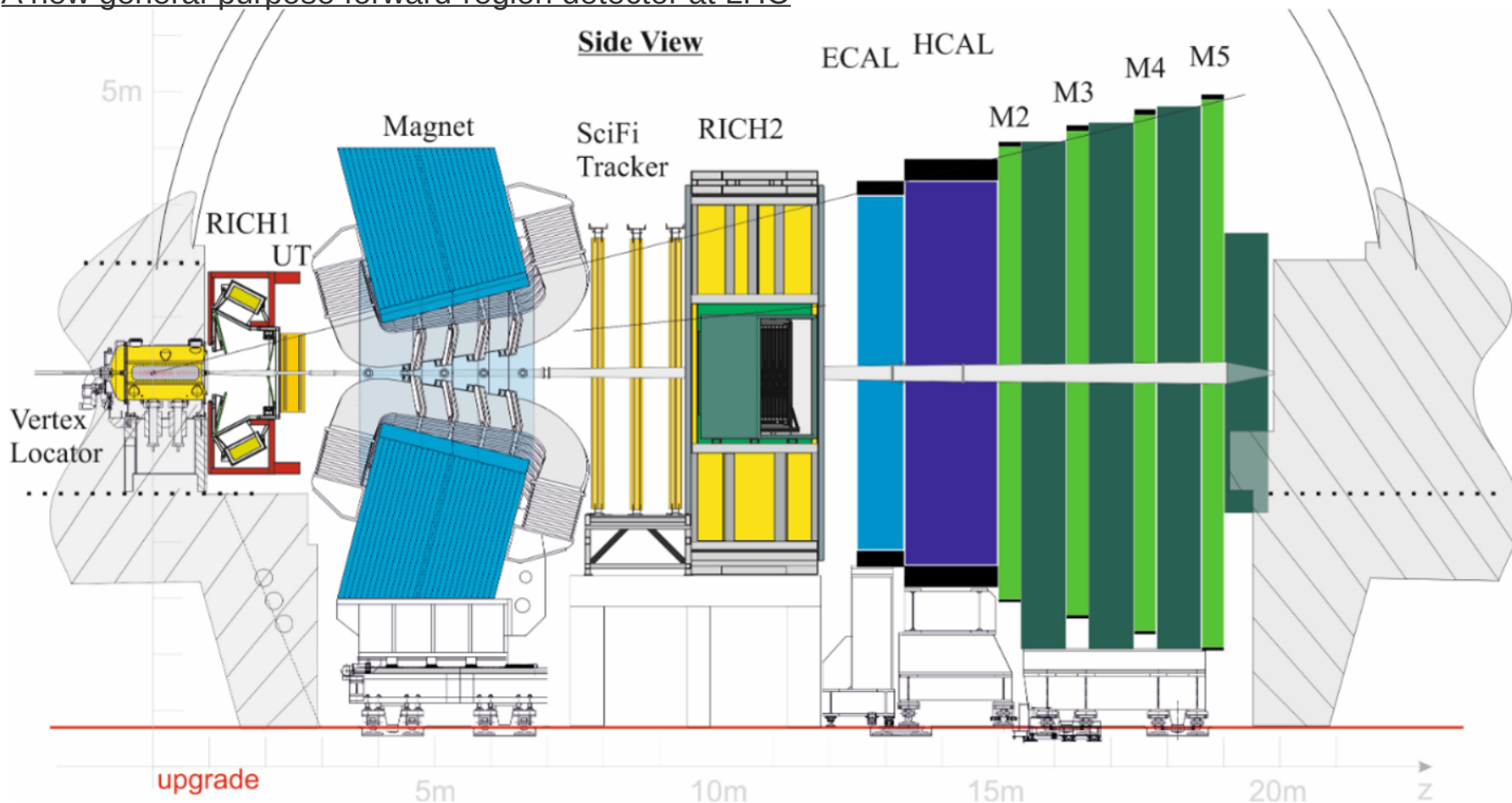
$\Lambda(1600)$	$\frac{1}{2}^+$	1560 to 1700	50 to 250	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi$
$\Lambda(1800)$	$\frac{1}{2}^-$	1720 to 1850	200 to 400	$N\bar{K}^{(*)}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\eta$
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$\Lambda(2110)$	$\frac{5}{2}^+$	2090 to 2140	150 to 250	$N\bar{K}^{(*)}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\Omega$
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$\Sigma(1940)$	$\frac{3}{2}^-$	1900 to 1950	150 to 300	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\pi$
$\Sigma(2250)$??	2210 to 2280	60 to 150	$N\bar{K}, \Sigma\pi, \Lambda\pi$

Component	$A^{CP} (10^{-2})$
$\Sigma(1385)$	-27 ± 34 (stat) ± 73 (syst)
$\Lambda(1405)$	-1 ± 24 (stat) ± 32 (syst)
$\Lambda(1520)$	-5 ± 9 (stat) ± 8 (syst)
$\Lambda(1670)$	3 ± 14 (stat) ± 10 (syst)
$\Sigma(1775)$	-47 ± 26 (stat) ± 14 (syst)
$\Sigma(1915)$	11 ± 26 (stat) ± 22 (syst)

Outlook for Run 3 and 4

LHCb experiment in Run 3

- LHCb conditions in Run 3: luminosity of $2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$, $\sqrt{s} = 13.6 \text{ TeV}$, visible collisions per bunch $\mu \sim 5$
- New tracker detectors, upgraded electronics, fully software trigger, ...
- A new general-purpose forward-region detector at LHC

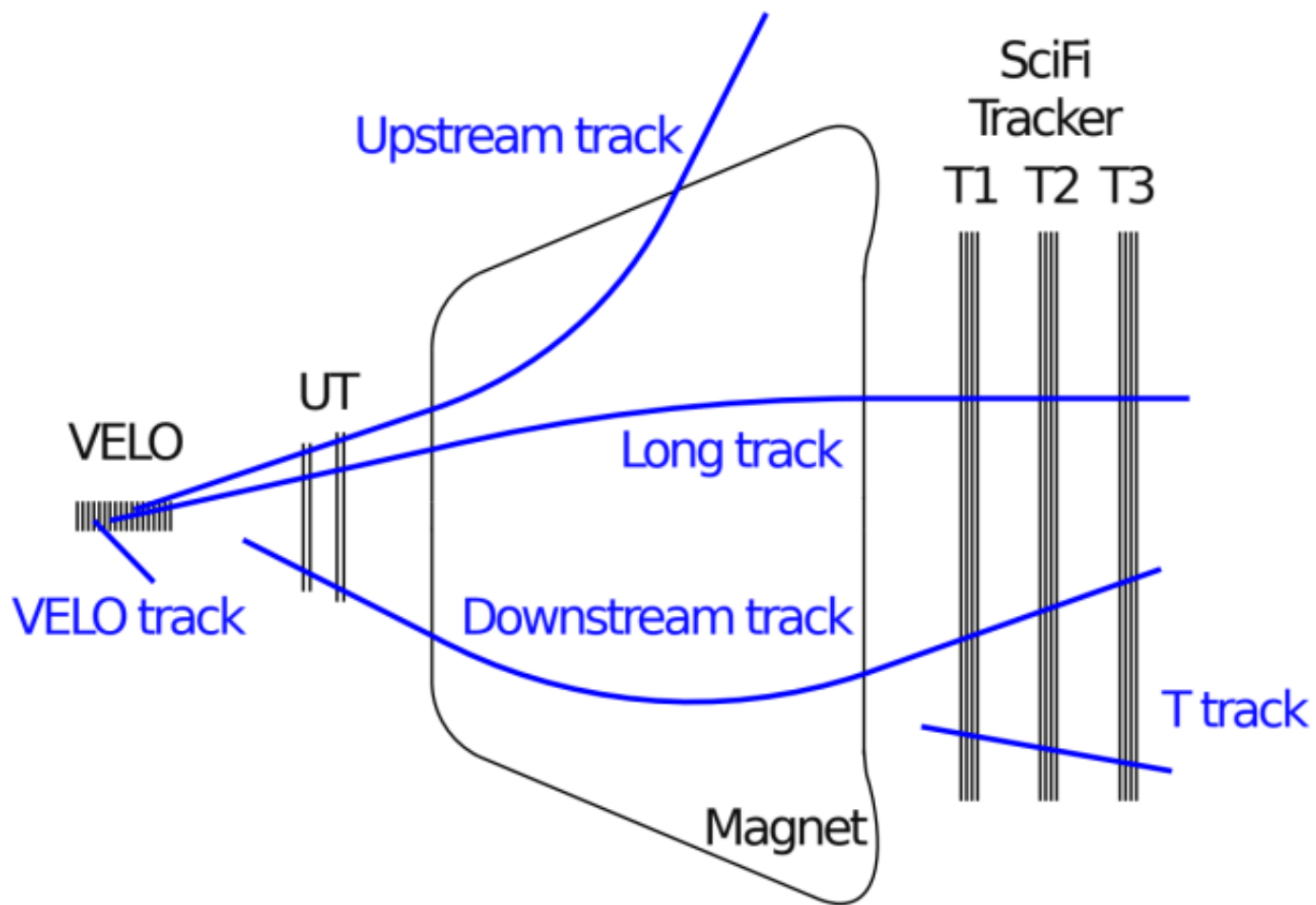


Baryons in Run 3 and 4

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 - Possibility of many complementary studies but also many unique possibilities
- Limited knowledge of beauty baryons decays even for a ground states
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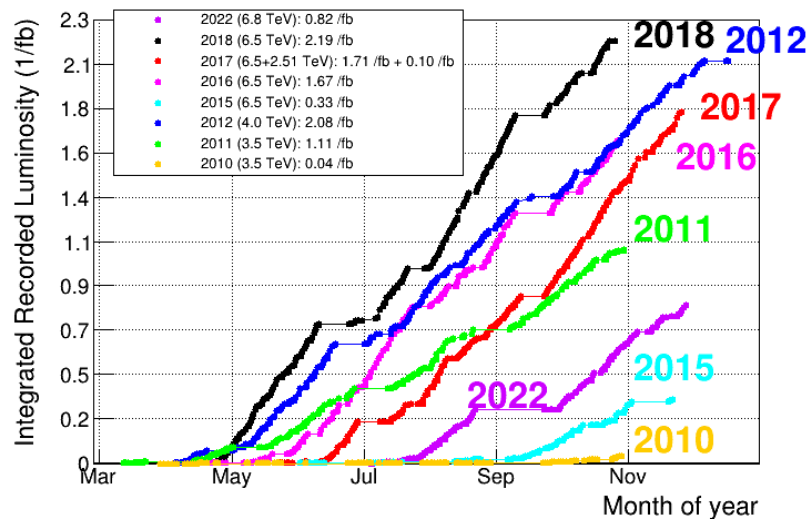
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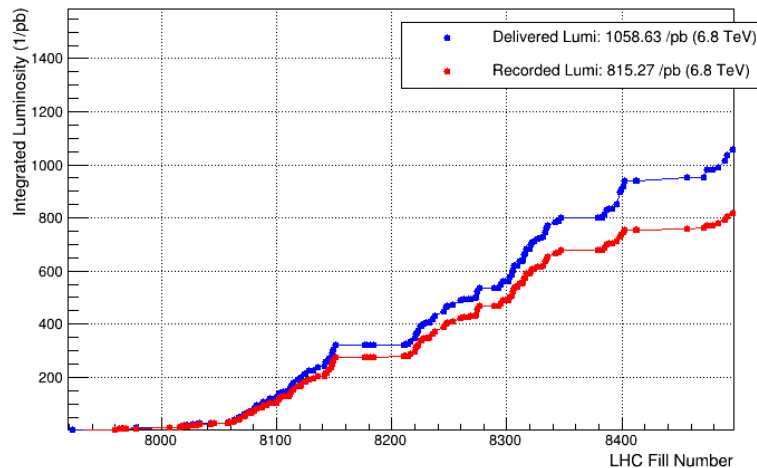


LHCb 2022 operations

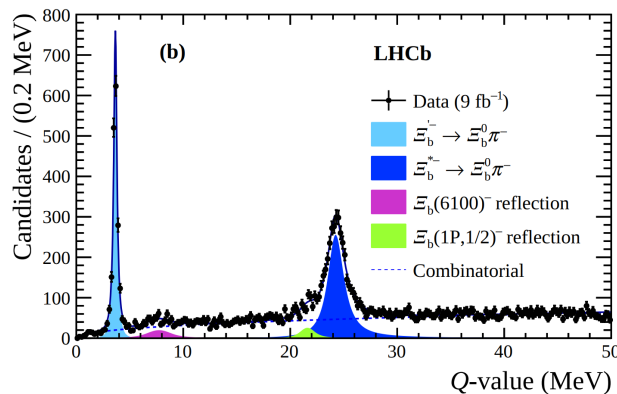
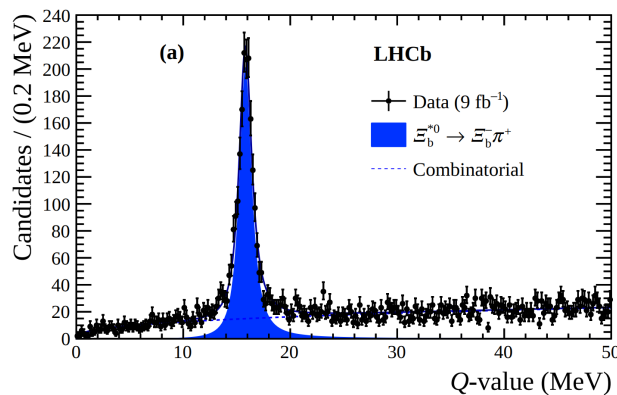
→ Operations in 2022



LHCb Integrated Luminosity in p-p in 2022

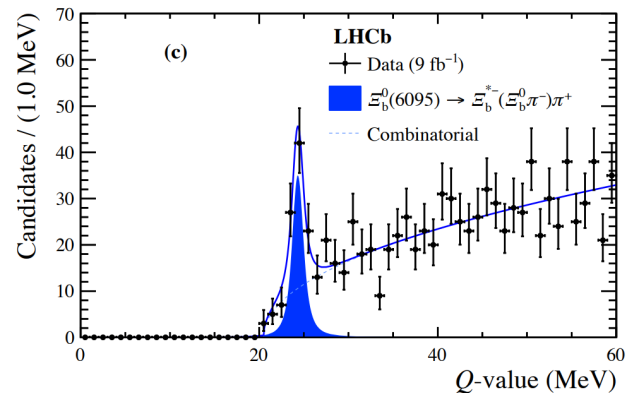
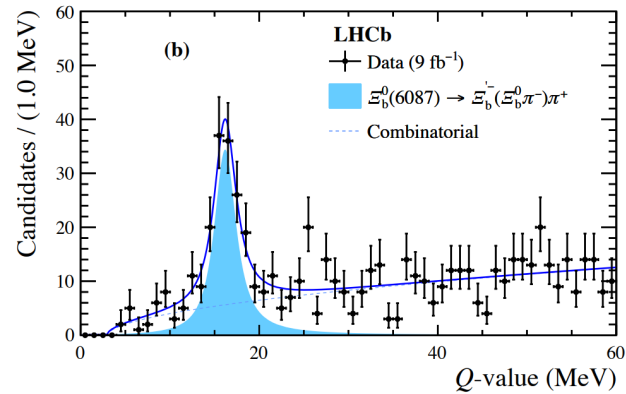
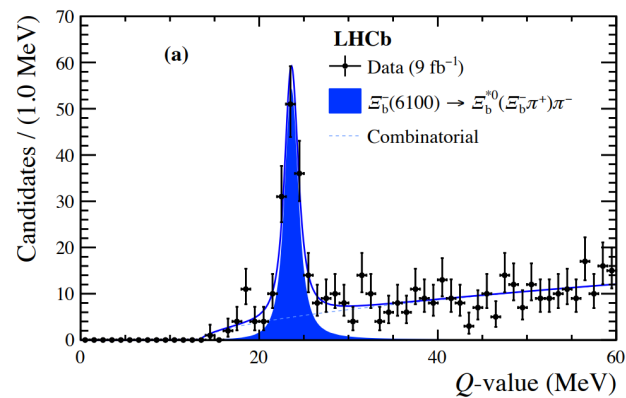


Observation of New Baryons in the $\Xi_b^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $\Xi_b^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$



Source	Ξ_b^0		$\Xi_b^{\prime-}$		$\Xi_b^{\prime+}$	
	Q_0	Γ	Q_0	Γ	Q_0	Γ
Momentum scale	0.006	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.008	0.001
Background	0.003	0.029	0.000	0.006	0.004	0.073
Reflections			0.000	0.000	0.002	0.007
Resolution	0.001	0.038	0.002	0.027	0.000	0.033
BW param.	0.001	0.001	0.000	0.000	0.001	0.002
Total	0.007	0.048	0.002	0.028	0.010	0.081

Source	$\Xi_b(6100)^-$		$\Xi_b(6087)^0$		$\Xi_b(6095)^0$	
	Q_0	Γ	Q_0	Γ	Q_0	Γ
Momentum scale	0.008	0.002	0.007	0.001	0.009	0.006
Background	0.004	0.035	0.022	0.089	0.023	0.025
Resolution	0.004	0.054	0.001	0.035	0.006	0.073
BW param.	0.016	0.050	0.056	0.007	0.001	0.079
Total	0.019	0.081	0.060	0.096	0.026	0.111

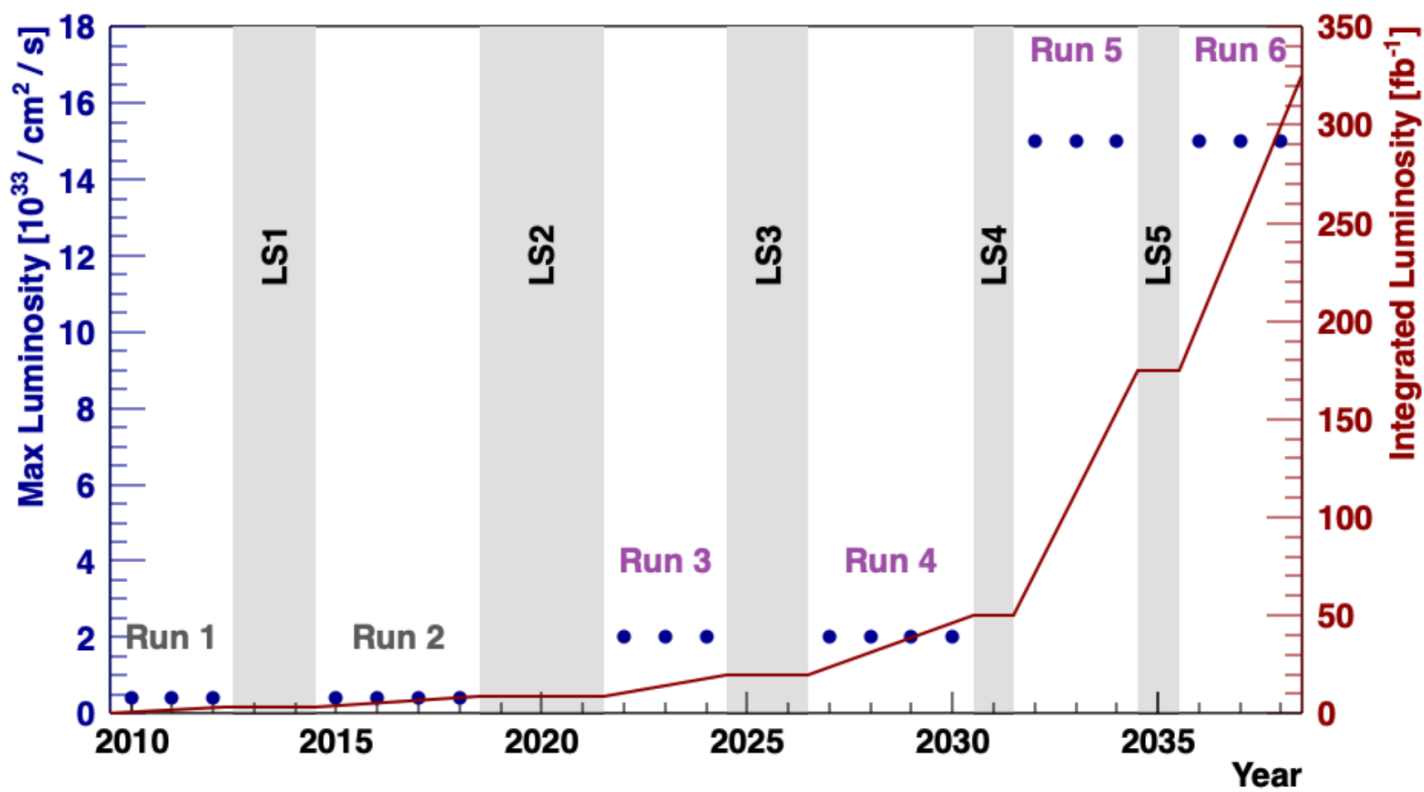


Upgrade 2 precision

Observable	Current LHCb (up to 9 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade I (23 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade I (50 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade II (300 fb ⁻¹)	
CKM tests					
γ ($B \rightarrow DK$, etc.)	4°	9, 10	1.5°	1°	0.35°
ϕ_s ($B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$)	49 mrad	8	14 mrad	10 mrad	4 mrad
$ V_{ub} / V_{cb} $ ($\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$, etc.)	6%	29, 30	3%	—	1%
a_{sl}^d ($B^0 \rightarrow D^-\mu^+\nu_\mu$)	36×10^{-4}	34	8×10^{-4}	5×10^{-4}	2×10^{-4}
a_{sl}^s ($B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^-\mu^+\nu_\mu$)	33×10^{-4}	35	10×10^{-4}	7×10^{-4}	3×10^{-4}
Charm					
ΔA_{CP} ($D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-$)	29×10^{-5}	5	17×10^{-5}	—	3.0×10^{-5}
A_Γ ($D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-$)	13×10^{-5}	38	4.3×10^{-5}	—	1.0×10^{-5}
Δx ($D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0\pi^+\pi^-$)	18×10^{-5}	37	6.3×10^{-5}	4.1×10^{-5}	1.6×10^{-5}
Rare Decays					
$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$	71%	40, 41	34%	—	10%
$S_{\mu\mu}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$)	—	—	—	—	0.2
$A_\Gamma^{(2)}$ ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}e^+e^-$)	0.10	52	0.060	0.043	0.016
A_Γ^{Im} ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}e^+e^-$)	0.10	52	0.060	0.043	0.016
$\mathcal{A}_{\phi\gamma}^{\Delta\Gamma}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma$)	$^{+0.41}_{-0.44}$	51	0.124	0.083	0.033
$S_{\phi\gamma}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma$)	0.32	51	0.093	0.062	0.025
$\alpha_\gamma(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma)$	$^{+0.17}_{-0.29}$	53	0.148	0.097	0.038
Lepton Universality Tests					
R_K ($B^+ \rightarrow K^+\ell^+\ell^-$)	0.044	12	0.025	0.017	0.007
R_{K^*} ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\ell^+\ell^-$)	0.10	61	0.031	0.021	0.008
$R(D^*)$ ($B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-}\ell^+\nu_\ell$)	0.026	62, 64	0.007	—	0.002

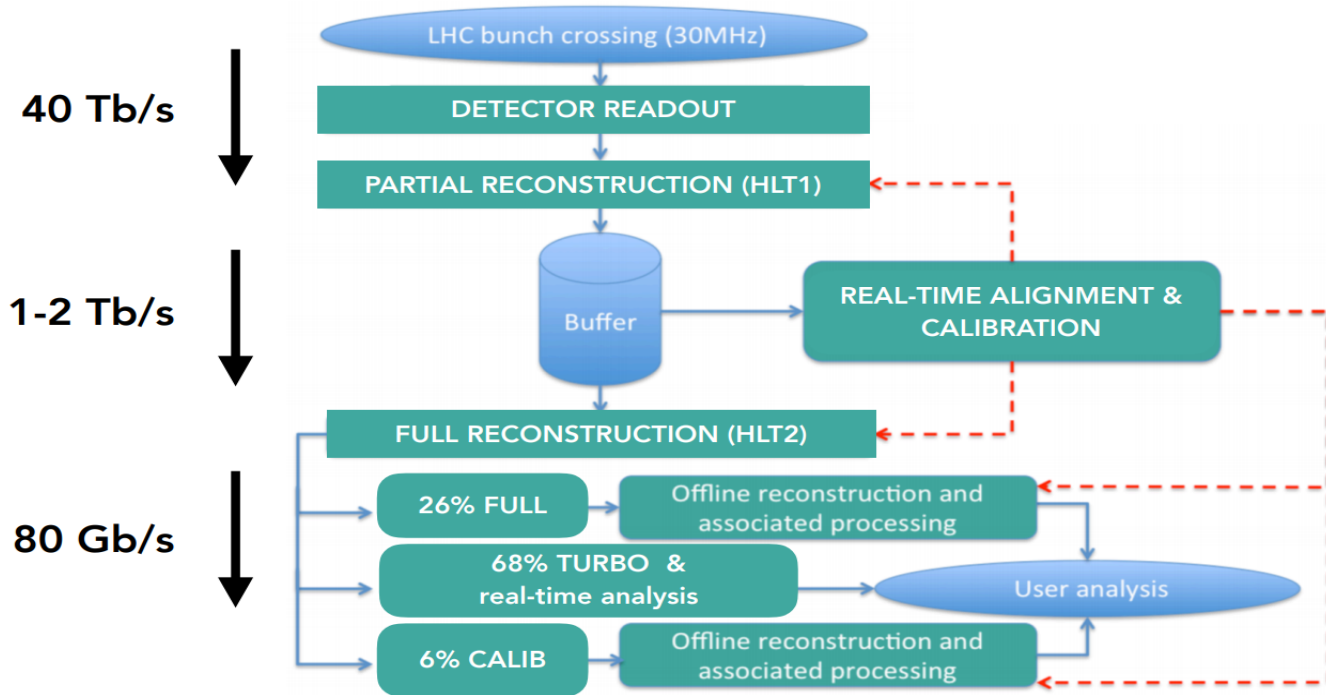
LHCb Upgrade 2

- A significant challenge
- Many new detector technologies needed



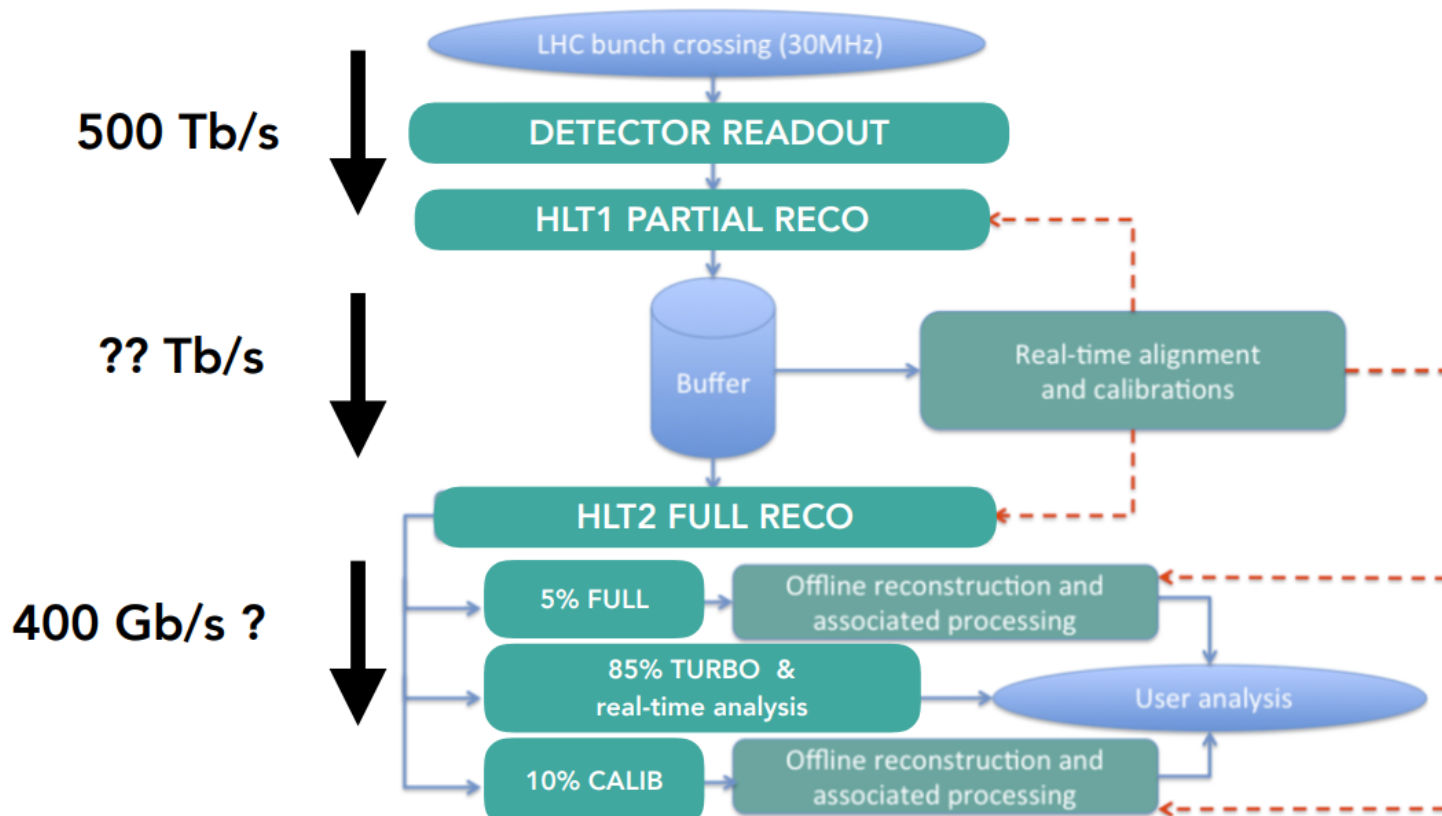
LHCb Upgrade I

- Real-Time Analysis – efficient decision about data in the full online mode
- Keeping only a signal and suppress any unnecessary information about event
- Continuous readout, full software trigger at visible collision rate of 30 MHz



LHCb Upgrade II

- Real-Time Analysis – efficient decision about data in the full online mode
- Run 5 – at least 5 times more data than in Run 3
- An evolution or Run 3 trigger scheme or a revolution needed?

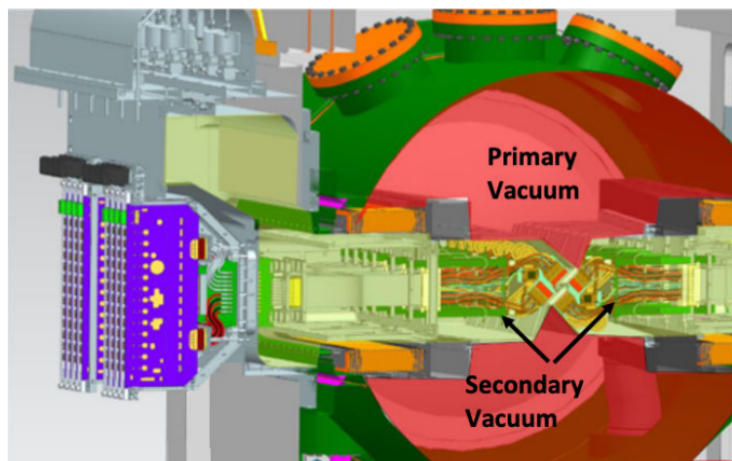


Baryons in Run 3 and 4

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VELO incident

The VELO detector is installed in a **secondary vacuum** inside the LHC **primary vacuum**. The **primary** and **secondary** volumes are separated by two thin walled (180 μm) Aluminium boxes, the RF foils. The LHC vacuum control system protects against pressure differentials, both during vacuum operation and during technical stops, when all volumes are sometimes filled with Neon.



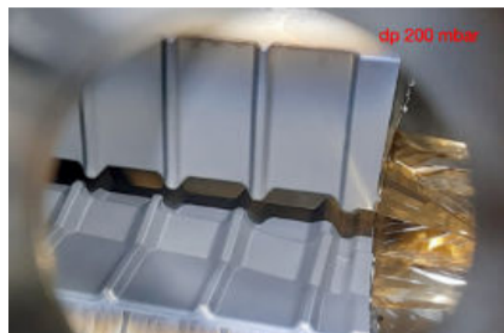
On 10th January 2023, during a VELO warm up in Neon, there was a loss of control of the protection system. A relay failed and damaged a power supply, leading to multiple equipment failures and a pumping action on the primary volume. The safety valve didn't open at the designed $\Delta P = 10$ mbar, and a pressure differential of 200 mbar built up between the two volumes, whereas the foils are designed to withstand 10 mbar only.

The system has been returned to a safe situation and VELO modules are not damaged and operational:

- correct leakage current measured in silicon sensors
- silicon microchannels show no leaks

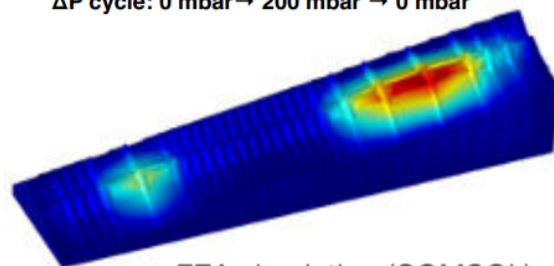
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The deformation of the RF foil has been simulated, and the results have been benchmarked against measurements on a 1/2 scale prototype box.

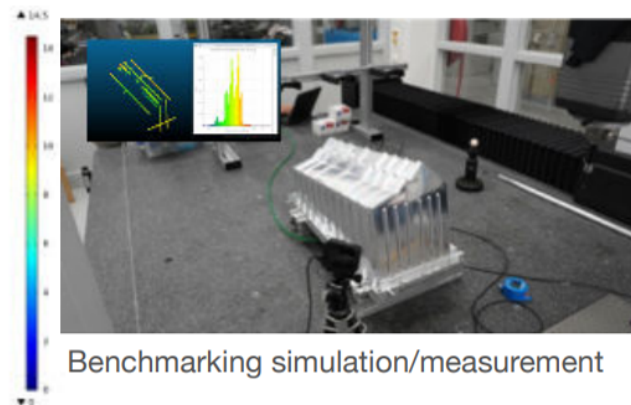


Visualisation through viewing port

Residual deformation [mm] in simulation after ΔP cycle: 0 mbar \rightarrow 200 mbar \rightarrow 0 mbar



FEA simulation (COMSOL)



Benchmarking simulation/measurement

- Plastic deformation of the foils of up to 14 mm expected
 - to be validated with tomography with beam
- detector and vacua brought back to a safe state (thanks to the LHC vacuum group for their crucial help)
- commissioning of VELO and other subdetectors can continue
- VELO cannot be fully closed
- foil needs to be replaced in next YETS (~13 weeks intervention)

Physics programme in 2023 will be significantly affected: lower acceptance; slightly worse IP resolution, similar to Run 2; lower integrated luminosity — targeting $\sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

- could still provide world-best measurements in some areas thanks to the new flexible software-only high-bandwidth trigger