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# CP violation in charmless $\Lambda_b^0$ decays at LHCb

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# Why CPV in baryon decays

□ CPV is one of the necessary conditions for baryogenesis

□ CPV is well established in meson decays

- no significant deviation from SM prediction
- not strong enough to account for the baryogenesis

□ No CPV has been observed in baryon sector yet

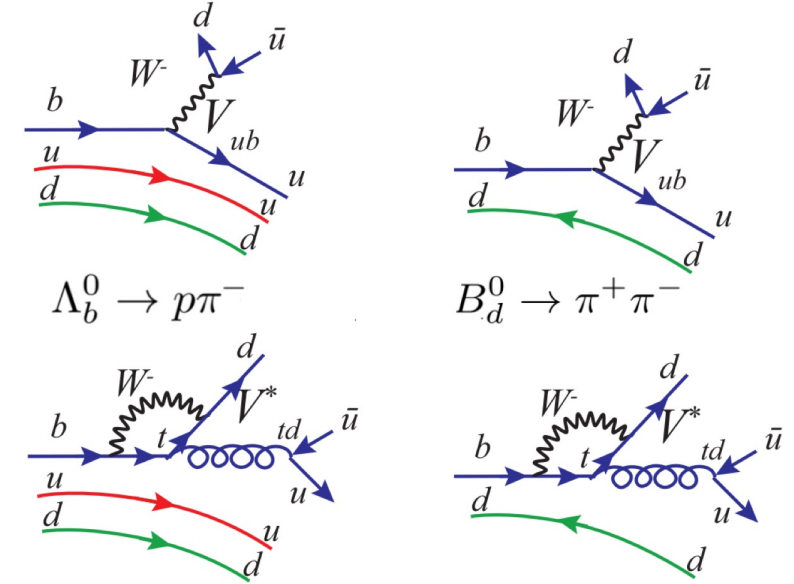
- Evidence of CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$  ( $3.3 \sigma$ ) [Nat.Phys.13(2017)391]
- Updated measurement shows no CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$  ( $2.9 \sigma$ )
- New results from analysis of  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda hh'$  ([Chenxu's presentation](#))

□ The Standard Model predicts similar CP violation in baryon and meson decays

□ Unlike mesons, only direct CPV occurs in baryon decays due to baryon number conservation

□ Searching for CPV in baryon decays:

- Test of the SM and the CKM mechanism
- Explore new physics



# Experimental methods & observables

□ Asymmetry in the yields of CP-conjugate processes  $A_{raw} = \frac{N(H \rightarrow f) - N(\bar{H} \rightarrow \bar{f})}{N(H \rightarrow f) + N(\bar{H} \rightarrow \bar{f})}$   $A_{CP} \propto \sin\Delta\phi\sin\Delta\delta$

➤  $A_{CP} = A_{raw} - A_{prod} - A_{det} - A_{other}$

➤  $\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}^{signal} - A_{CP}^{control}$

□ Miranda technique: Measuring CPV on binned phase space

➤ asymmetry significance:  $S_{CP}^i = \frac{n_i - \alpha \bar{n}_i}{\sqrt{\alpha(n_i + \bar{n}_i)}}$

□ Energy test: A statistical T test to compare the baryon anti-baryon samples

➤  $T \equiv \frac{1}{2n(n-1)} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \psi_{ij} + \frac{1}{2\bar{n}(\bar{n}-1)} \sum_{i \neq j}^{\bar{n}} \psi_{ij} - \frac{1}{n\bar{n}}$

□ k-nearest neighbour (kNN):

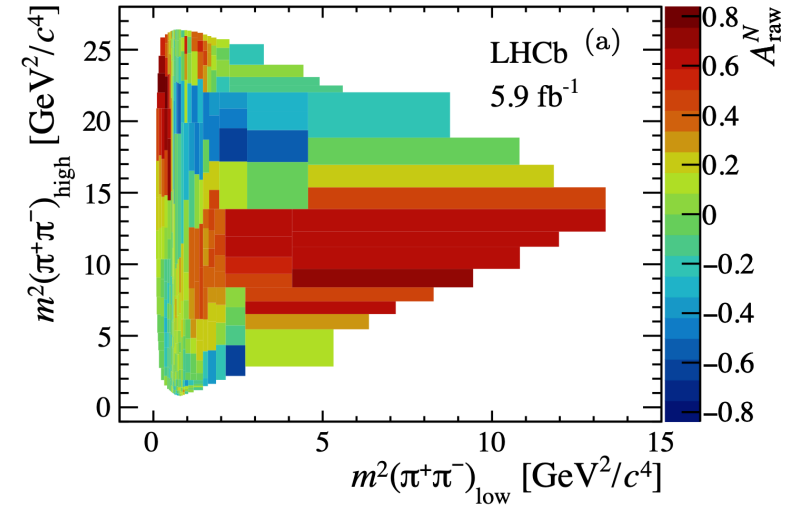
➤  $T \equiv \frac{1}{n_k(n_+ - n_-)} \sum_{i=1}^{n_+ + n_-} \sum_k^{n_k} I(i, k)$

□ Triple product asymmetry:

➤  $A_{\hat{T}}(C_{\hat{T}}) = \frac{N(C_{\hat{T}} > 0) - N(C_{\hat{T}} < 0)}{N(C_{\hat{T}} > 0) + N(C_{\hat{T}} < 0)}$ ,  $a_{CP}^{\hat{T}-odd} = \frac{1}{2}(A_{\hat{T}} - \bar{A}_{\hat{T}})$ ,  $A_{CP} \propto \cos\Delta\phi\cos\Delta\delta$

□ Amplitude analysis:

➤  $A = \sum a_i A_i$ ,  $\bar{A} = \sum \bar{a}_i \bar{A}_i$ ,  $A_{CP} = \frac{|a_i|^2 - |\bar{a}_i|^2}{|a_i|^2 + |\bar{a}_i|^2}$



# Overview of CPV in baryon decays

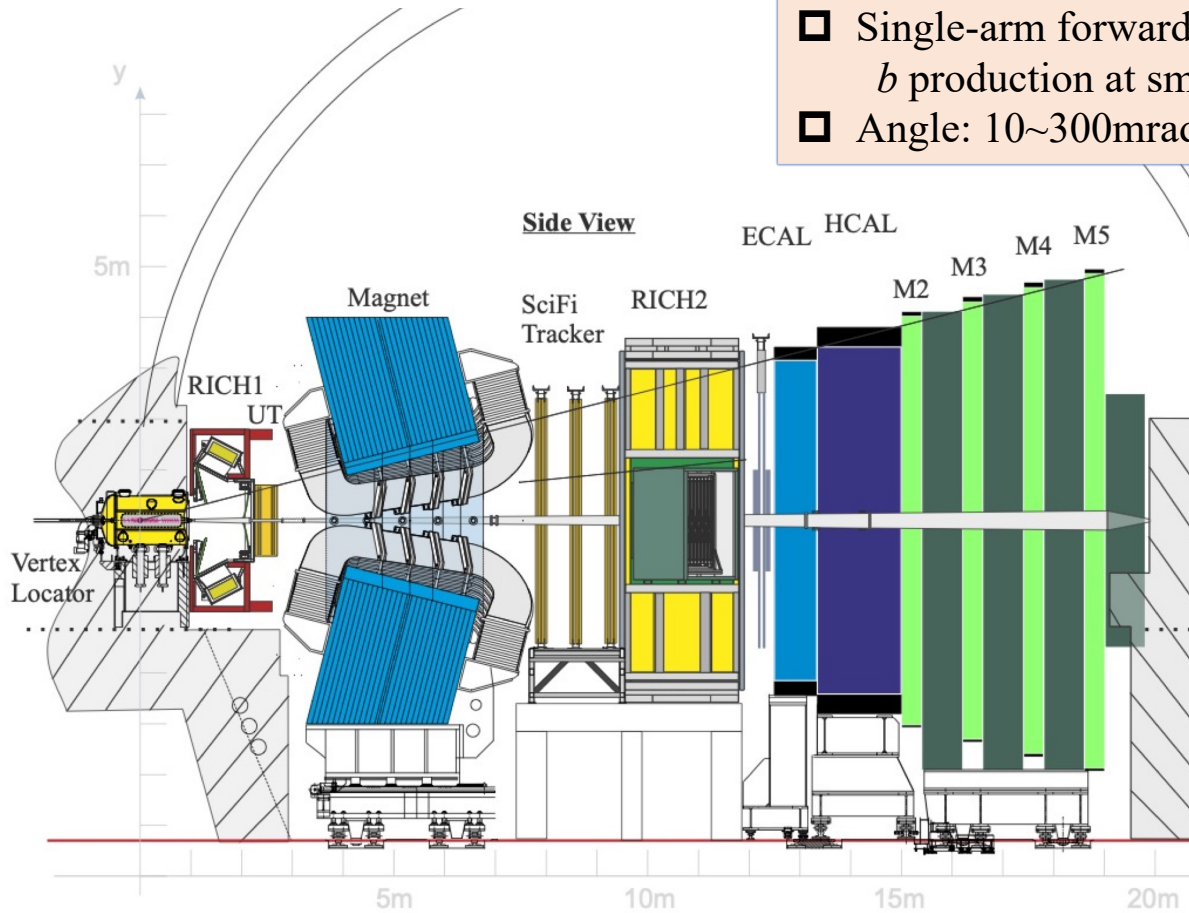
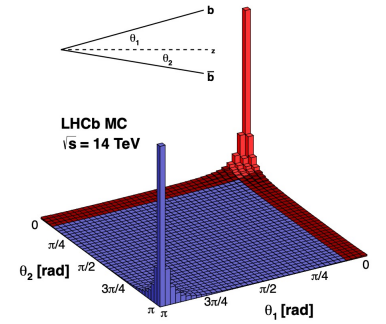
	Methods	Data	Paper
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-/p\pi^-$	$A_{CP}$	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">PLB 787 (2018) 124-133</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK_S^0\pi^-$	$A_{CP}, \Delta A_{CP}$	$1\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">JHEP 04 (2014) 087</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pD^0K^-$	Miranda $S_{CP}^i$	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">PRD104 (2021) 112008</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda hh'$	$A_{CP}, \Delta A_{CP}$	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">JHEP05(2016)081</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\mu^+\mu^-$	$\Delta A_{CP}$	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">JHEP 06 (2017) 108</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$	photon polarization asy.	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">PRD105 (2022) L051104</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow ph^-h^+h^-$	$\Delta A_{CP}$ , TPA, Energy test	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$ & $6.6\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">EPJC (2019) 79:745</a> <a href="#">PRD 102 (2020) 051101</a>
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ h^-$	decay parameters	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">arXiv:2409.02759</a>
$\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^+$	Amplitude analysis	$5\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">Phys. Rev. D 104, 052010</a>
$\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-K^+/p\pi^-\pi^+$	$\Delta A_{CP}$	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">JHEP 03 (2018) 182</a>
$\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$	kNN	$3\text{fb}^{-1}$	<a href="#">EPJC 2020, 80, 986</a>

# Overview of CPV in baryon decays

	Data	Institutions
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow ph\pi^0$	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	PKU/WHU/UCAS
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK_S^0\pi^-$	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	PKU/CCNU/UCAS
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda hh'$	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	UCAS/CCNU/PKU
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow ph^-h^+h^-$	$9\text{fb}^{-1}$	PKU/CCNU/UCAS/IHEP

# LHCb experiment

- ❑ Dedicated to  $b$  physics
  - Precision measurements of CPV & CKM angles
- ❑ Single-arm forward spectrometer
  - $b$  production at small polar angles
- ❑ Angle: 10~300mrad



precise tracking, vertexing system

- ❑ Vertex Locator detector
- ❑ Upstream tracker
- ❑ Scintillating fibre tracker
- ❑ Muon

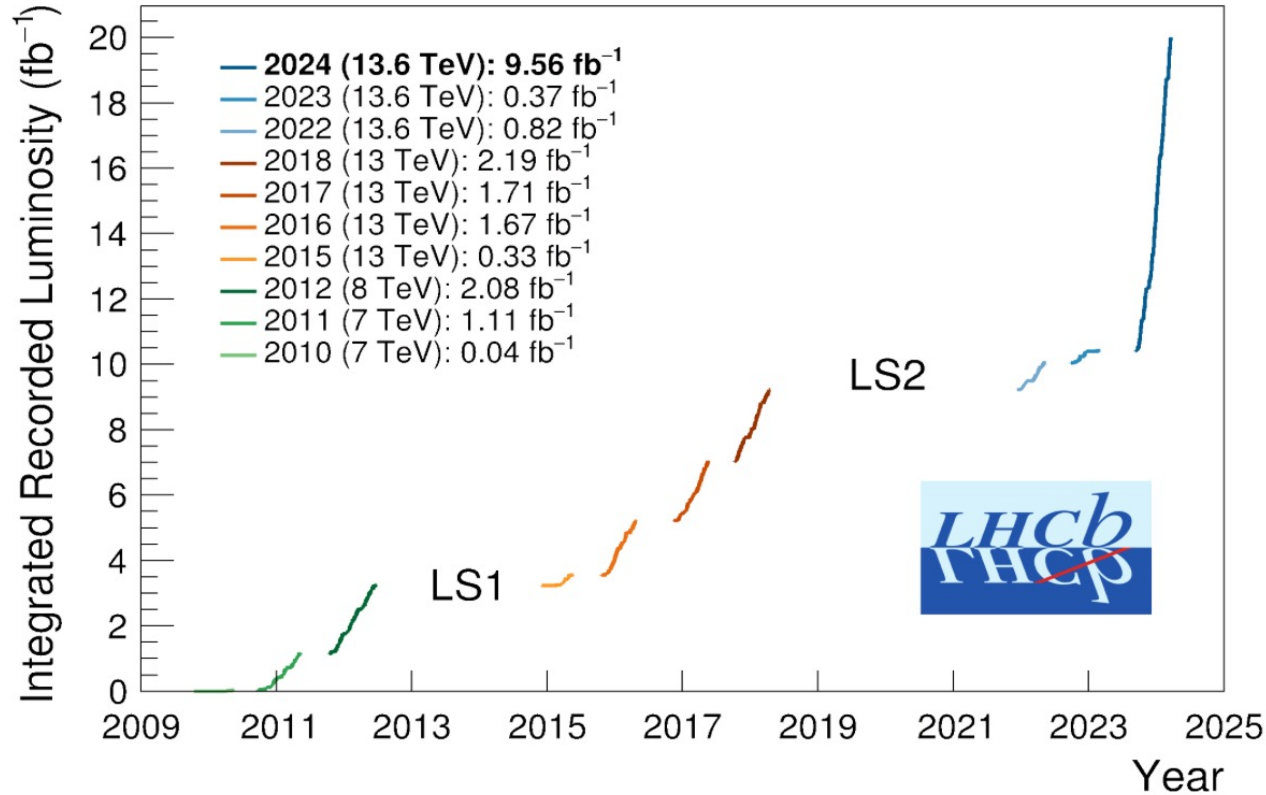
high-efficiency PID

- ❑ RICH
- ❑ ECAL
- ❑ HCAL
- ❑ Muon

- ❑ New FE and DAQs for all subdetector
- ❑ Fully software trigger at 40MHz on GPU+CPU

# LHCb experiment

Trigger efficiency for hadron final states increased by factor of 2



- Run I:  $\sim 3/\text{fb}$  @  $\sqrt{s}=7\text{-}8\text{ TeV}$
- Run II:  $\sim 6/\text{fb}$  @  $\sqrt{s}=13\text{ TeV}$
- Run III:  $\sim 25/\text{fb}$  @  $\sqrt{s}=13.6\text{ TeV}$

- $\frac{f_{\Lambda_b^0}}{f_u+f_d} = 0.259 \pm 0.018$

- Average over  $P_T \in [4, 25]\text{ GeV}$   
and  $\eta \in [2, 5]$  @  $\sqrt{s}=13\text{ TeV}$

More charm baryons:  $\Lambda_c, \Xi_c \dots$

Theoretical prediction for b-baryon CPV are at  $\sim 1\%$

Current statistics enable us to reduce the uncertainty to  $\sim 0.1\%$

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- / p\pi^-$

Phys.Lett.B 787 (2018) 124-133

Search for  $CP$  violation in  
 $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-$  and  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-$  decays

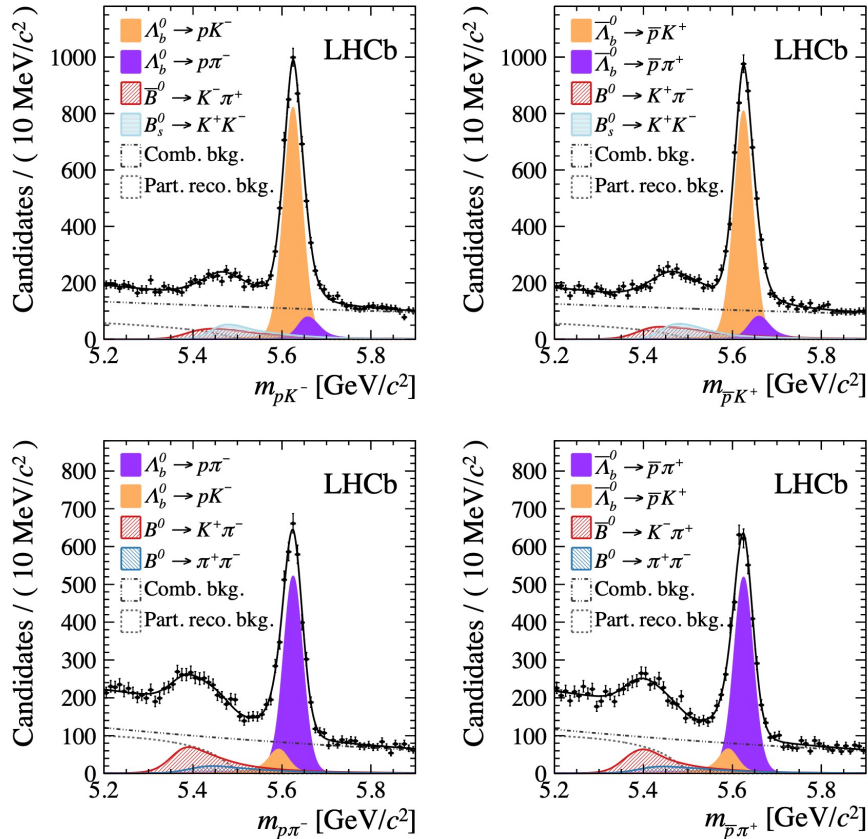
Run1 3/fb

LHCb-PAPER-2024-048, Run I+II 9/fb



# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- / p\pi^-$

- Mediated by the same quark-level transitions contributing to  $B^0 \rightarrow hh$ , receiving similar contribution from  $b \rightarrow u$ (tree) and  $b \rightarrow d(s)$ (penguin) diagrams
- Predicted CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- / p\pi^-$  up to  $\sim 30\%$



	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-$	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-$
<a href="#">Yu et al. arXiv:2409.02821</a>	-5.8%	4.1%
<a href="#">Geng et al. PRD 102(2020), 034033</a>	6.7%	-4.4%
<a href="#">Hsiao et al. PRD 95 (2017) 9, 093001</a>	$(5.8 \pm 0.2)\%$	$(-3.9 \pm 0.2)\%$
<a href="#">Zhu et al. PRD 99 (2019) 5, 054020</a>	$(10.1_{-2}^{+1.3})\%$	$(-3.37_{-0.37}^{+0.29})\%$
<a href="#">Lu et al. PRD 80, 034011 (2009)</a>	$(-5_{-5}^{+26})\%$	$(-31_{-1}^{+43})\%$
<a href="#">CDF</a>	$(-10 \pm 8 \pm 4)\%$	$(6 \pm 7 \pm 3)\%$

$$A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-) = (-2.0 \pm 1.3 \pm 1.9)\%$$

$$A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-) = (-3.5 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.0)\%$$

$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-) - A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-) = 0.014 \pm 0.022 \pm 0.010$$

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-/p\pi^-$ (New)

□ Update CP measurement using combined Run I and Run II data ( $9\text{fb}^{-1}$ )

□ For Run I data:  $A_{CP}^{pK} = A_{raw} - A_{det}^p - A_{det}^K - A_{PID}^{pK} - A_{trigger}^{pK} - A_P^{\Lambda_b^0}$

➤ All the nuisance asymmetries studied using data driven method and existing inputs

➤ The precision of Run 1 has improved thanks to the updated measurements of  $A_P^{\Lambda_b^0}$  and  $A_{det}^p$

□ For Run II data:  $A_{CP}^{pK} = \Delta A_{raw} - \Delta A_{det}^p - \Delta A_{det}^K - \Delta A_{PID}^{pK} - \Delta A_{trigger}^{pK} + A_{det}^{\pi^-} + A_{det}^{\pi^+} + A^{\Lambda_c^+ \pi^-}$

➤  $A_P^{\Lambda_b^0}$  cancelled by control channel  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+(pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$

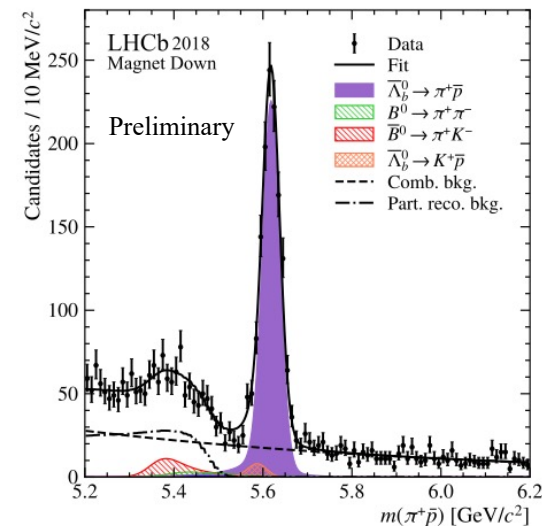
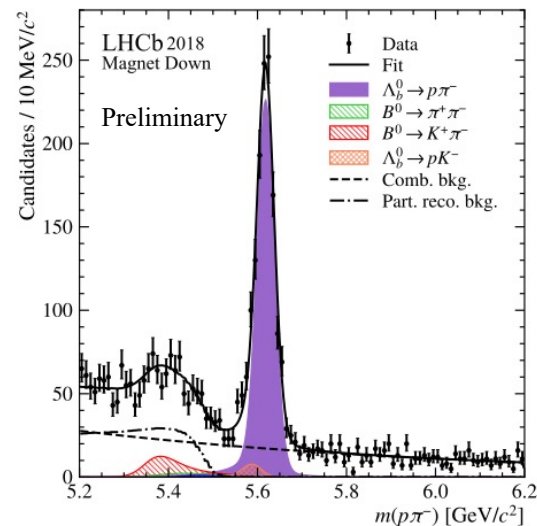
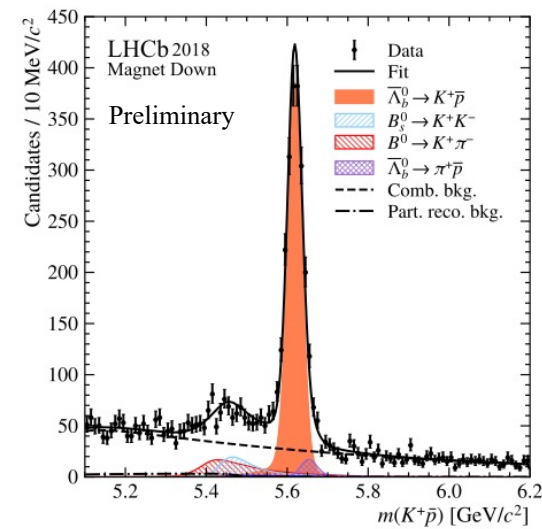
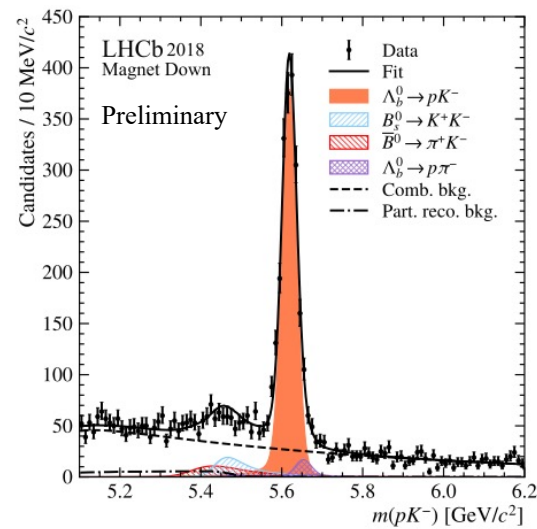
➤ reweight over the kinematic of the  $\Lambda_b^0$  in control samples.

□ New data driven method developed to correct  $A_{trigger}^{pK}$

□ Better control of uncertainties from PID

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-/p\pi^-$ (New)

- Simultaneously fit to eight  $m(hh)$  spectrums
  - $K^\pm\pi^\mp, K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-, pK^-, \bar{p}K^+, p\pi^-, \bar{p}\pi^+$
- Signal: Johnson + two gaussian: shape fixed from MC
- Cross-feed bkg: KDE on simulated samples, yields are fixed from signal yields with PID mis-ID efficiency
- Part.reco.bkg: Argus or simulated samples
- Comb.bkg: exponential



# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- / p\pi^-$ (New)

□ New Run I results:

Statistically dominated!

$$A_{CP}^{pK} = (-0.27 \pm 1.55 \pm 0.57)\%$$

$$A_{CP}^{p\pi} = (-0.59 \pm 1.86 \pm 0.53)\%$$

□ New Run II results:

$$A_{CP}^{pK} = (-1.39 \pm 0.75 \pm 0.41)\%$$

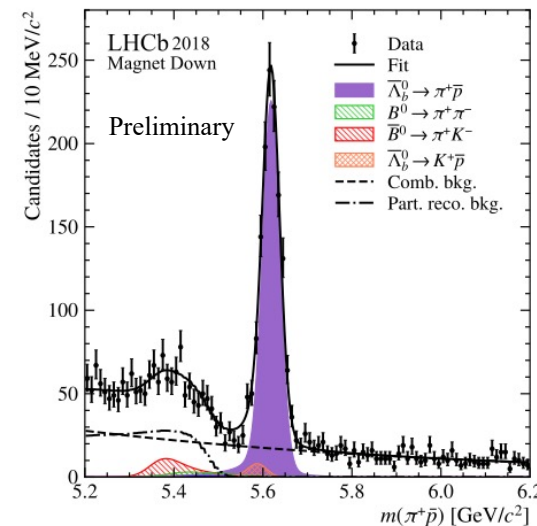
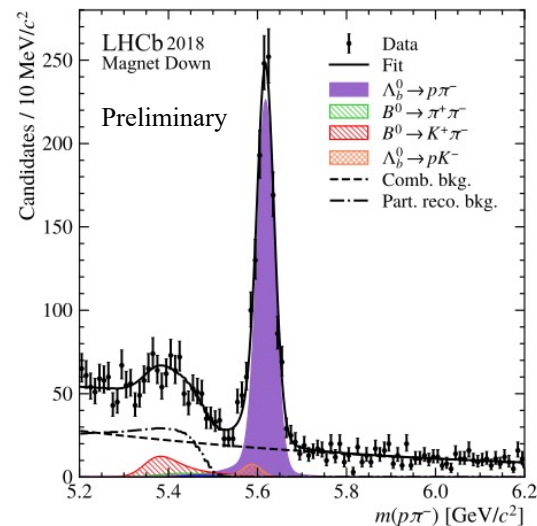
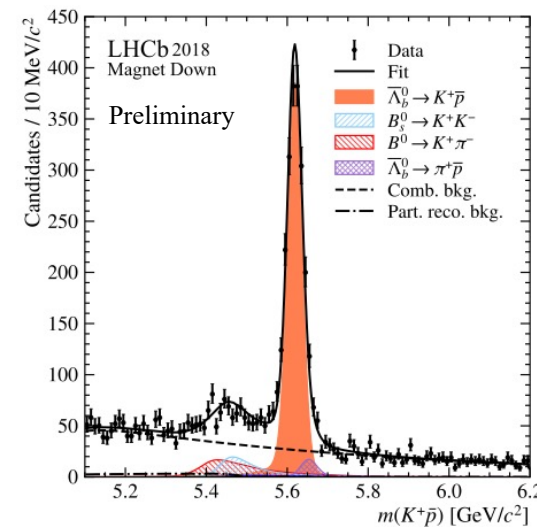
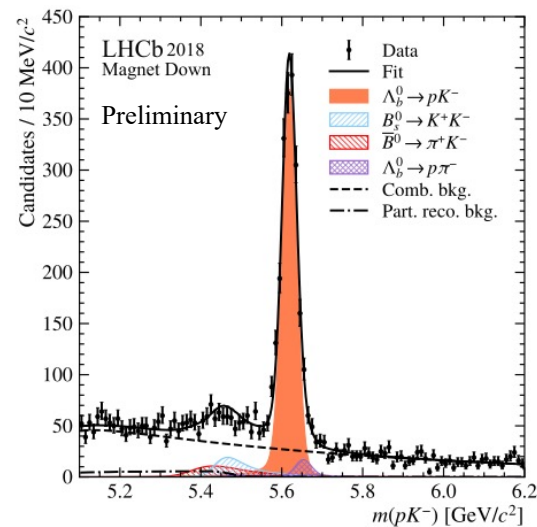
$$A_{CP}^{p\pi} = (0.42 \pm 0.93 \pm 0.42)\%$$

□ Combined results:

$$A_{CP}^{pK} = (-1.14 \pm 0.67 \pm 0.36)\%$$

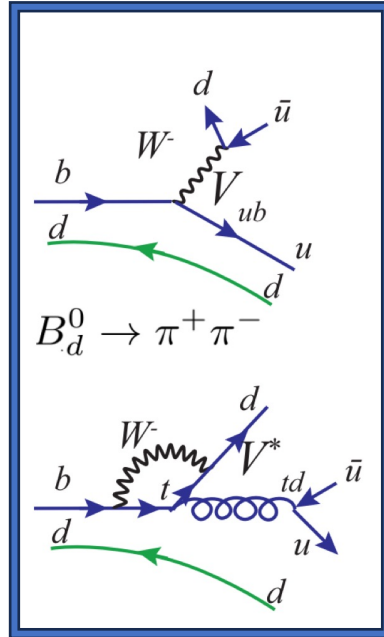
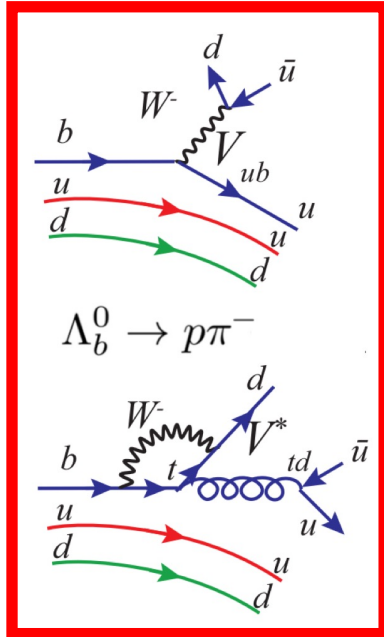
$$A_{CP}^{p\pi} = (0.02 \pm 0.83 \pm 0.37)\%$$

No evidence of CP violation!



# Theoretical explanation

[arXiv:2409.02821](https://arxiv.org/abs/2409.02821)



$\frac{1^+}{2} \rightarrow \frac{1^+}{2} + 0^-$   
S wave & P wave

$0^- \rightarrow 0^- + 0^-$   
S wave only!

- The cancellation between different partial wave turns in small net direct CPV
- A partial-wave CPV of similar magnitude to that in  $B$  mesons is predicted.

	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\pi^-$	$\Lambda_b \rightarrow pK^-$
$Br$	$3.3 \times 10^{-6}$	$2.9 \times 10^{-6}$
$A_{CP}^{\text{dir}}$	4.1%	-5.8%
$A_{CP}^S$	0.15	-0.05
$A_{CP}^P$	-0.07	-0.23
$\alpha$	-0.81	0.38
$\beta$	0.26	-0.65
$\gamma$	-0.52	0.66
$A_{CP}^\alpha$	0.046	0.20
$A_{CP}^\beta$	2.12	-9.34
$A_{CP}^\gamma$	-0.12	0.10

$$\alpha \equiv \frac{2\text{Re}(S \times P)}{|S|^2 + |P|^2}$$

$$\beta \equiv \frac{2\text{Im}(S \times P)}{|S|^2 + |P|^2}$$

$$\gamma \equiv \frac{|S|^2 - |P|^2}{|S|^2 + |P|^2}$$

# Outlook

□ The polarization of  $\Lambda_b^0$  at the LHC is consistent with zero [PLB 724 \(2013\) 27-35](#)

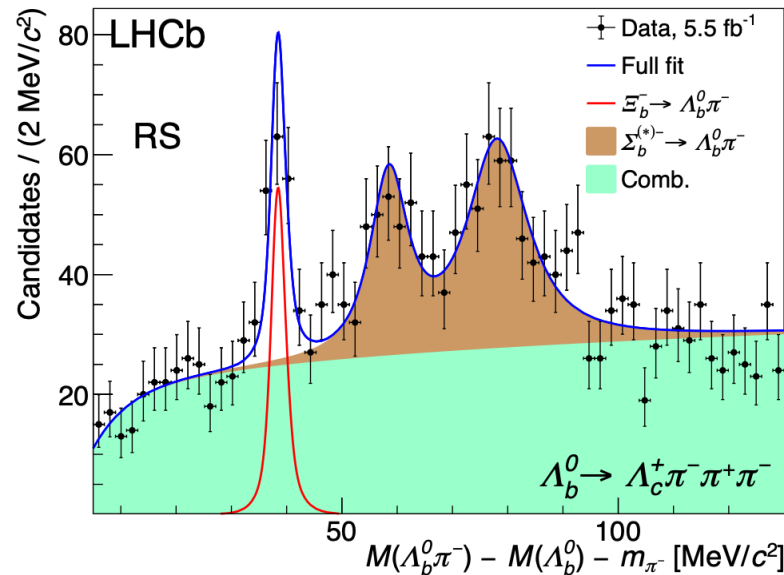
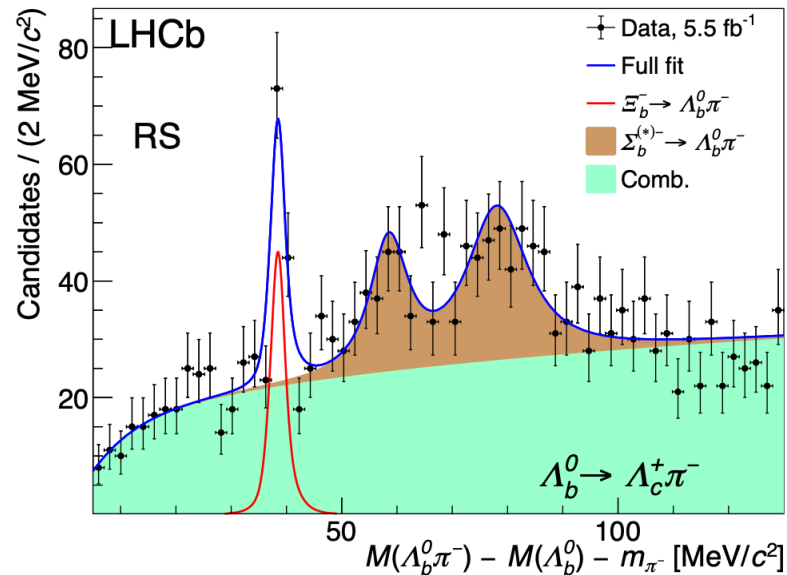
□ A sample of  $\Lambda_b^0$  decay from heavier  $b$  baryons can be used to probe the CPV in decay parameters and partial-waves

Signal yields ( $5.5\text{fb}^{-1}$ ):

$$N(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-) = 85 \pm 13$$

$$N(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-) = 103 \pm 15$$

Observation of  $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow \Lambda_b^0 \pi^-$  [PRD108 \(2023\) 7, 072002](#)



More data expected from HL-LHC

# Conclusion

- Search for CPV in b-baryon is a frontier of flavor physics
- More contributions from the LHCb China team
- Best measurement of CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow ph^-$
- Further investigation is needed to understand CPV in baryon decays
- More data in Run3+4 is coming
- Many new analyses coming soon

# Backup



$$\text{CPV in } \Lambda_b^0 (\Xi_b^0) \rightarrow p h^- h^+ h^-$$

Eur. Phys. J. C (2019) 79:745

Measurements of *CP* asymmetries in  
charmless four-body  $\Lambda_b^0$  and  $\Xi_b^0$   
decays

Run I 3/fb

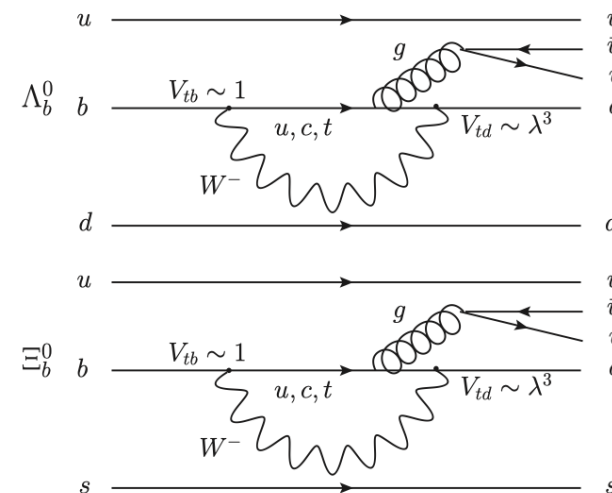
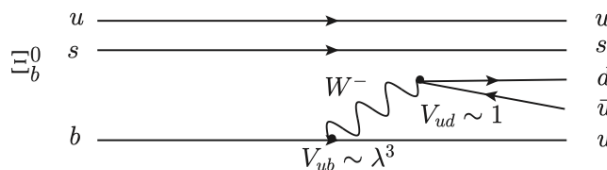
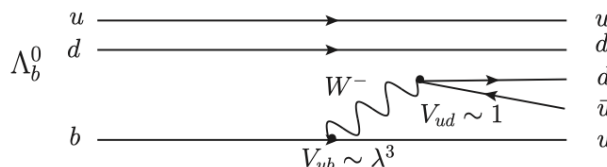
# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 (\Xi_b^0) \rightarrow ph^-h^+h^-$

- Follow the path of the observation of CPV in charmless multibody decays of B mesons
- Dominant diagrams with amplitudes of similar magnitude
- Contain rich resonance structures, both in the two- or three-body baryonic invariant-mass spectra
- Large CPV expected due to the strong-phase differences induced by the interference patterns
- Six decay modes from 0.5-10K signals
- CP observables:  $\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP} - A_{CP}^{con.}$

Charmless decay	Quark transition	Charmed decay	Quark transition
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow u\bar{u}d$ (T + P)	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow u\bar{u}s$ (T + P)	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow d\bar{s}s$ (T + P)	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+K^-$	$b \rightarrow s\bar{s}s$ (T + P)	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow u\bar{u}d$ (T + P)	$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+K^-$	$b \rightarrow s\bar{d}d / b \rightarrow u\bar{u}s$ (P / T)	$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow (\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
		$\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow (\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)
		$\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow (\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+)\pi^-$	$b \rightarrow c\bar{u}d$ (T)

Signal channels

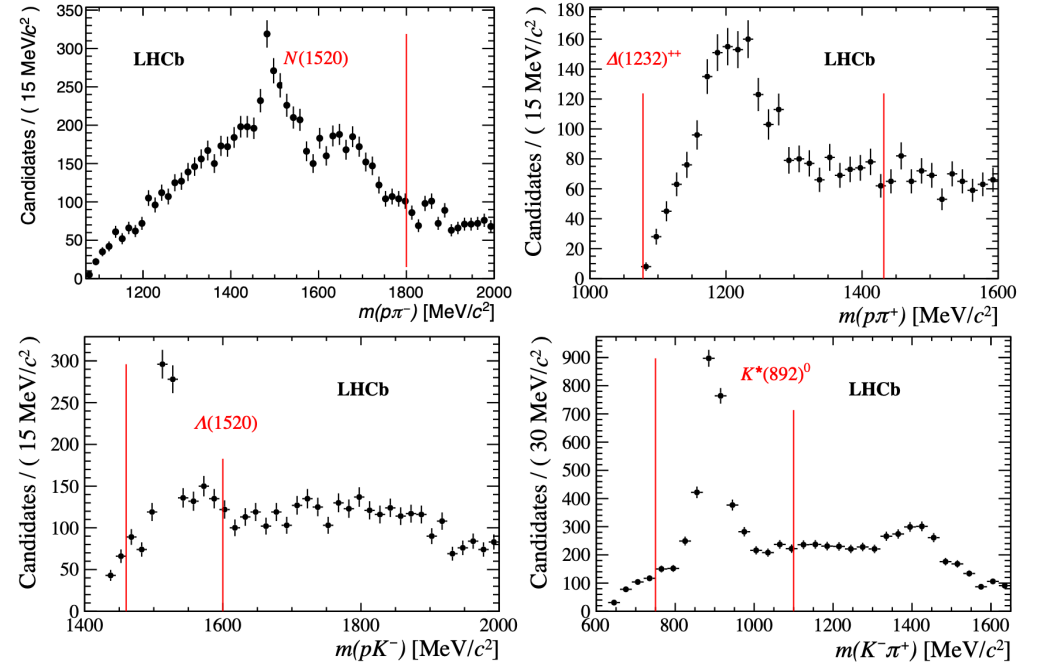
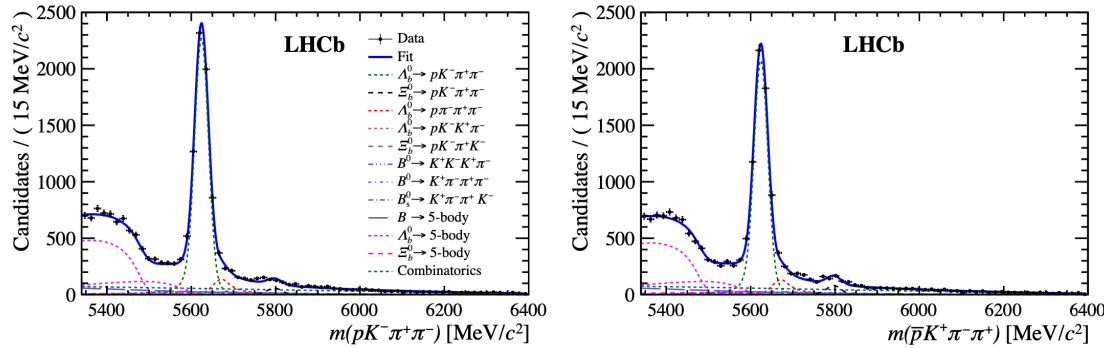
Control channels



# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 (\Xi_b^0) \rightarrow ph^-h^+h^-$

## Simultaneous fit to 6 decay modes

Example:  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+\pi^-$



## Global CPV measurement:

- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-) = (1.1 \pm 2.5 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+\pi^-) = (3.2 \pm 1.1 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+\pi^-) = (6.9 \pm 4.9 \pm 0.8)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+K^-) = (0.2 \pm 1.8 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+\pi^-) = (17 \pm 11 \pm 1)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Xi_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+K^-) = (-6.8 \pm 8.0 \pm 0.8)\%$

Statistical uncertainty dominated, consistent with CP conservation at 1% precision

## Local CPV measurement:

- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pa_1(1260)) = (-1.5 \pm 4.2 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow N(1520)\rho) = (2.0 \pm 4.9 \pm 0.4)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Delta^{++}\pi^+\pi^-) = (0.1 \pm 3.2 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK_1(1410)) = (4.7 \pm 3.5 \pm 0.8)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)\rho) = (0.6 \pm 6.0 \pm 0.5)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow N(1520)K^*(892)) = (5.5 \pm 2.5 \pm 0.5)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Delta^{++}K^+\pi^-) = (4.4 \pm 2.6 \pm 0.6)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda(1520)\phi) = (4.3 \pm 5.6 \pm 0.4)\%$
- $\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\phi) = (-0.7 \pm 3.3 \pm 0.7)\%$

CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

Nature Physics 13, 391–396 (2017)

Measurement of matter-antimatter differences in beauty baryon decays

Run I 3/fb

Phys. Rev. D 102 (2020) 051101

Search for  $CP$  violation and observation of  $P$  violation in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$  decays

Run I+II (2011-2017) 6.6/fb

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

- Search for CPV with scalar triple-product asymmetries,  $\hat{T}$  flips the direction of first state momenta and spin

$$C_{\hat{T}} \equiv \vec{p}_p \cdot (\vec{p}_{h_1} \times \vec{p}_{h_2}), \quad \bar{C}_{\hat{T}} \equiv \vec{p}_{\bar{p}} \cdot (\vec{p}_{\bar{h}_1} \times \vec{p}_{\bar{h}_2})$$

- Data divided into 4 subsamples:  $C_{\hat{T}} > 0, C_{\hat{T}} < 0, -\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} > 0, -\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} < 0$

$$A_{\hat{T}}(C_{\hat{T}}) = \frac{N(C_{\hat{T}} > 0) - N(C_{\hat{T}} < 0)}{N(C_{\hat{T}} > 0) + N(C_{\hat{T}} < 0)} \quad \bar{A}_{\hat{T}}(\bar{C}_{\hat{T}}) = \frac{\bar{N}(-\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} > 0) - \bar{N}(-\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} < 0)}{\bar{N}(-\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} > 0) + \bar{N}(-\bar{C}_{\hat{T}} < 0)}$$

- $A_{\hat{T}}$  and  $\bar{A}_{\hat{T}}$  are not clean CPV observables, FSI effects can introduce fake asymmetries.

- Define the clean CP-violating observable:

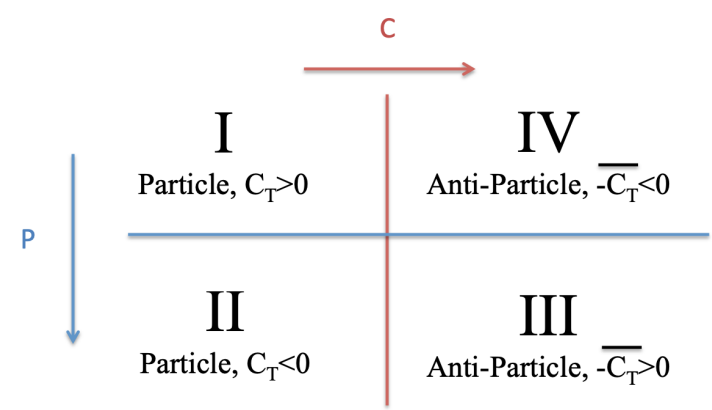
$$a_{CP}^{\hat{T}\text{-odd}} = \frac{1}{2}(A_{\hat{T}} - \bar{A}_{\hat{T}}) \quad a_P^{\hat{T}\text{-odd}} = \frac{1}{2}(A_{\hat{T}} + \bar{A}_{\hat{T}}) \quad A_{CP}^f \equiv \frac{\Gamma(H_b \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{H}_b \rightarrow \bar{f})}{\Gamma(H_b \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{H}_b \rightarrow \bar{f})}$$

$\propto \sin\phi\cos\delta$

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Does not require a non-zero strong phase difference!

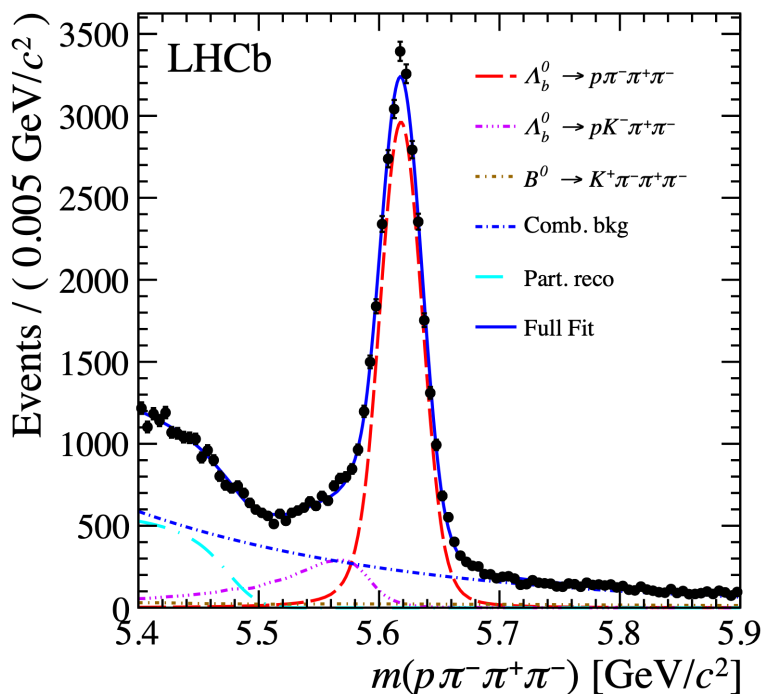
Both strong phase and weak phase differences are needed



# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

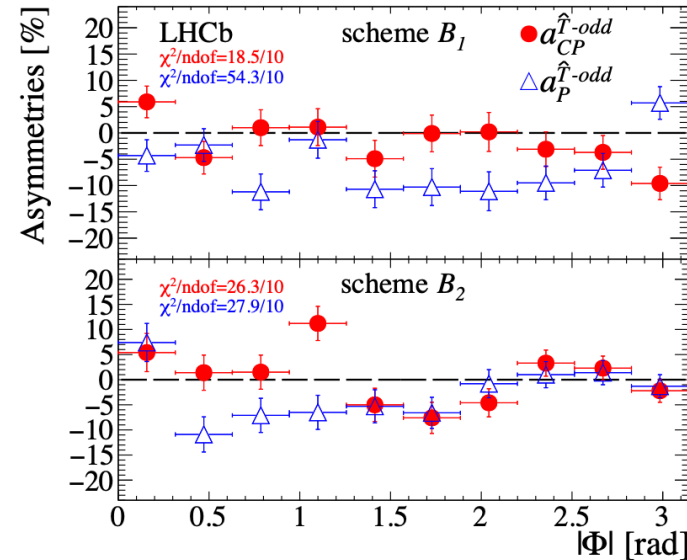
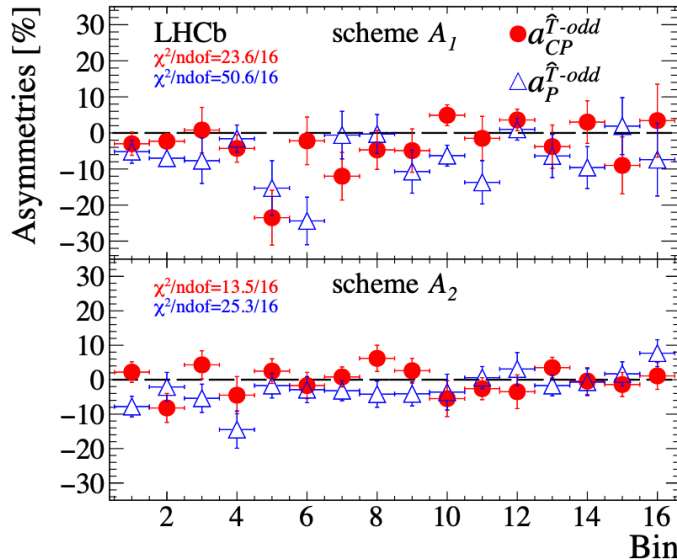
- CPV integrated over the whole phase space:

$\triangleright a_{CP}^{T-odd} = (-0.7 \pm 0.7 \pm 0.2)\%$



- Asymmetries for different binning scheme:

- $\triangleright$  A: 16 bins of polar and azimuthal angle of proton and  $\Delta^{++}(\rightarrow p\pi^+)$
- $\triangleright$  B: asymmetries as a function of  $|\Phi|$  angle
- $\triangleright$  1:  $m(p\pi^-\pi^+) > 2.8\text{GeV}$ , dominated by  $a_1(1260)$
- $\triangleright$  2:  $m(p\pi^-\pi^+) < 2.8\text{GeV}$ , dominated by  $N^{*+}$



- $\chi^2$  taking into account statistical and systematic effects
- In B<sub>2</sub> region, deviation from CP conservation 2.9 $\sigma$ . CPV not established

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\pi^-\pi^+\pi^-$

- Energy test is a model-independent unbinned test sensitive to local differences between two samples
- Provide superior discriminating power between different samples than traditional  $\chi^2$  test

$$T \equiv \frac{1}{2n(n-1)} \sum_{i \neq j}^n \psi_{ij} + \frac{1}{2\bar{n}(\bar{n}-1)} \sum_{i \neq j}^{\bar{n}} \psi_{ij} - \frac{1}{n\bar{n}}$$

- $\psi_{ij} = e^{-d_{ij}^2/2\delta^2}$ :  $d_{ij}$  is their Euclidean distance in phase space,  $\delta$  the distance scale probed using the energy test

- The p-value is calculated using a permutation method

Distance scale $\delta$	1.6 GeV <sup>2</sup> /c <sup>4</sup>	2.7 GeV <sup>2</sup> /c <sup>4</sup>	13 GeV <sup>2</sup> /c <sup>4</sup>
p-value ( $CP$ conservation, $P$ even)	$3.1 \times 10^{-2}$	$2.7 \times 10^{-3}$	$1.3 \times 10^{-2}$
p-value ( $CP$ conservation, $P$ odd)	$1.5 \times 10^{-1}$	$6.9 \times 10^{-2}$	$6.5 \times 10^{-2}$
p-value ( $P$ conservation)	$1.3 \times 10^{-7}$	$4.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.6 \times 10^{-1}$

marginally consistent with the CP-conserving

- A new test is statistic is defined as  $Q = p_1 p_2 p_3$ , significance for CPV  $< 3\sigma$

CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p D^0 [K^+ \pi^-] K^-$

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Studies of beauty baryon decays to  
 $D^0 p h^-$  and  $\Lambda_c^+ h^-$  final states

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# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p D^0 [K^+ \pi^-] K^-$

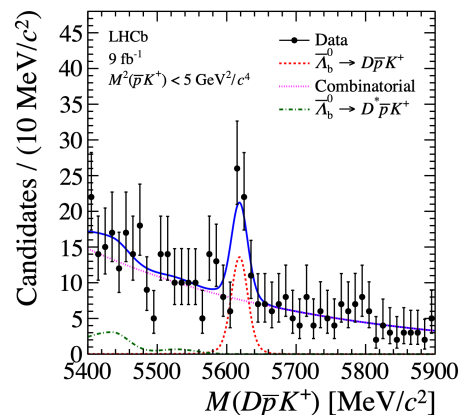
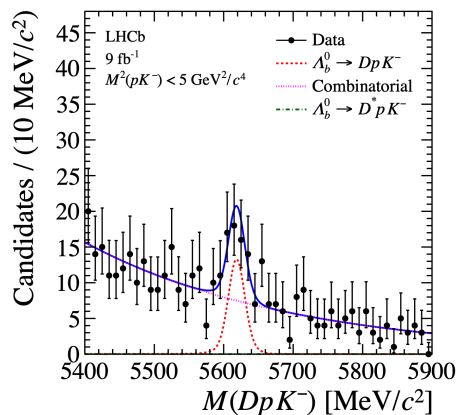
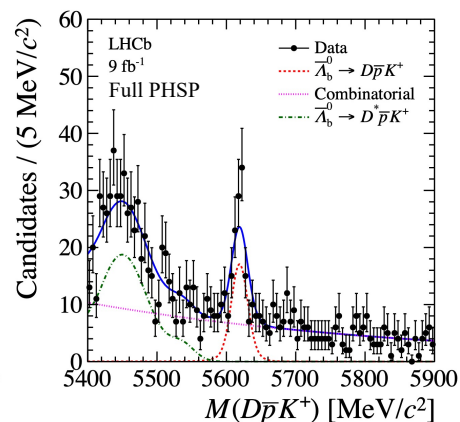
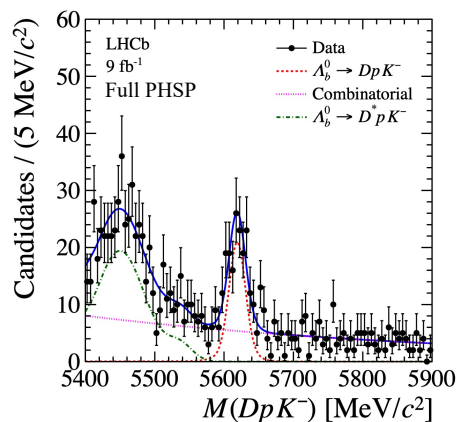
□  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p D^0 [K^+ \pi^-] K^-$  receives contributions from  $b \rightarrow c$  (DCS) and  $b \rightarrow u$  of similar magnitude

□ The interference between these two amplitudes is expected to be large

□ Interference is anticipated to be amplified in  $\Lambda^*(pK^-)$  region

$$\left| \frac{\mathcal{M}(B^- \rightarrow K^- D^0 [\rightarrow f])}{\mathcal{M}(B^- \rightarrow K^- \bar{D}^0 [\rightarrow f])} \right|^2 \approx \left| \frac{V_{cb} V_{us}^*}{V_{ub} V_{cs}^*} \right|^2 \left| \frac{a_1}{a_2} \right|^2 \frac{Br(D^0 \rightarrow f)}{Br(\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow f)} \approx$$

$$\approx \left| \frac{0.22}{0.08} \right|^2 \left| \frac{1}{0.26} \right|^2 0.0077 \sim 1,$$



□ Asymmetry in the full PHSP:

$$A_{CP} = 0.12 \pm 0.09^{+0.02}_{-0.03}$$

□ Asymmetry in the low  $M(pK^-)$  region:

$$A_{CP} = 0.01 \pm 0.16^{+0.03}_{-0.02}$$

Consistent with CP conservation!

CPV in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- \mu^+ \mu^-$

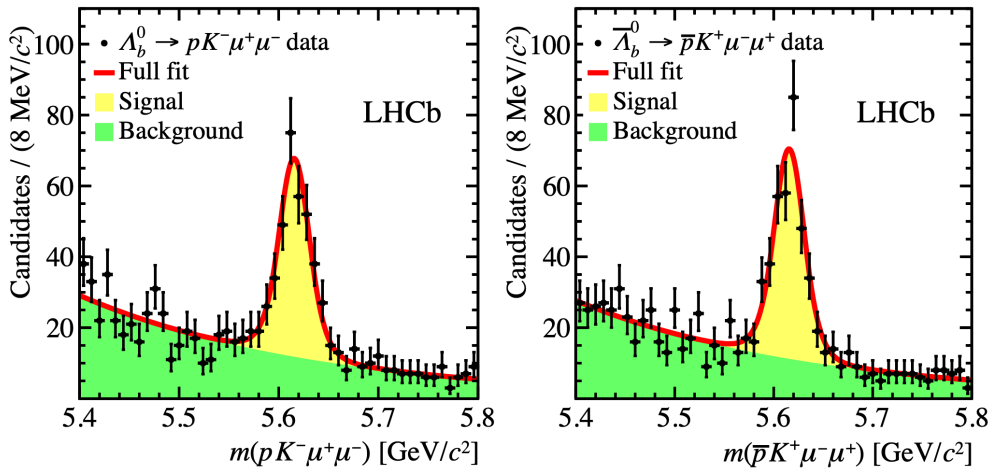
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Observation of the decay  
 $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^- \mu^+ \mu^-$  and a search for  
*CP* violation

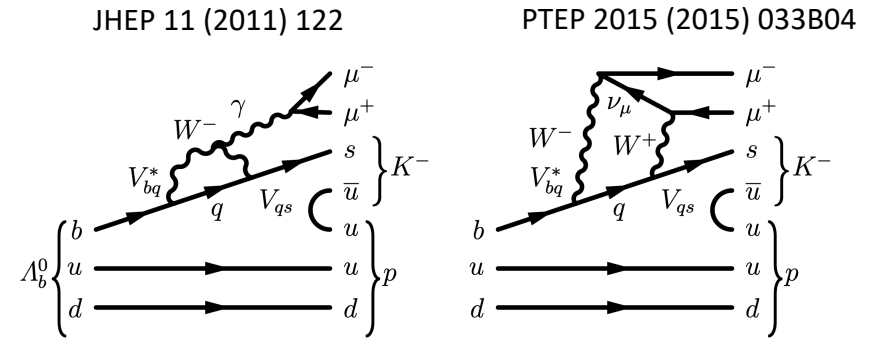
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# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\mu^+\mu^-$

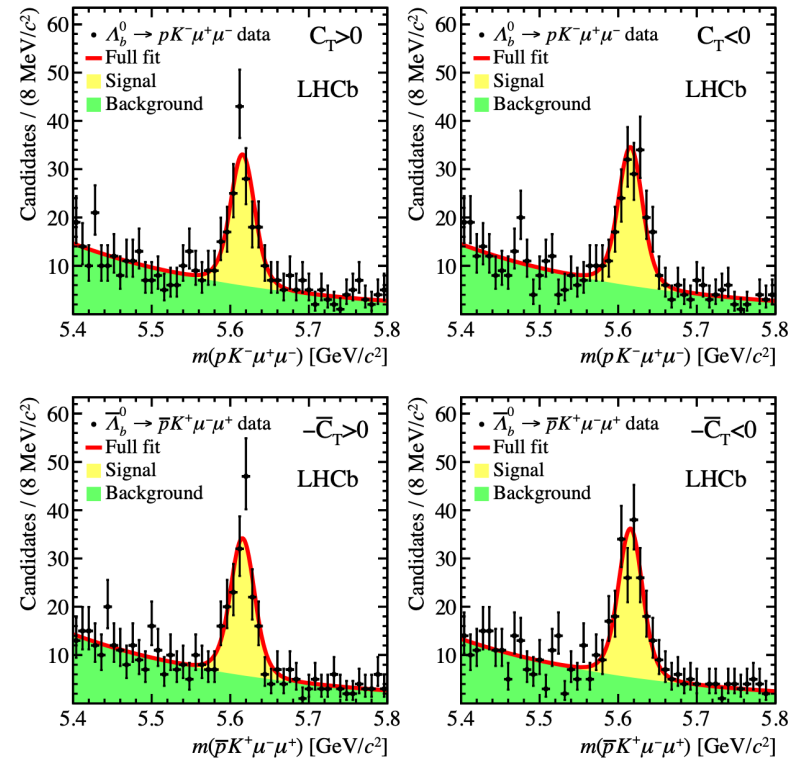
- Search for CPV in FCNC process
- Dominated by loop diagrams
- new heavy particles could provide additional weak phases
- sensitive to CPV effects from physics beyond the SM
- direct CP asymmetry:
 
$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\mu^+\mu^-) - A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-J/\psi)$$



$$\Delta A_{CP}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow pK^-\mu^+\mu^-) = (-3.5 \pm 5.0 \pm 0.2)\%$$



Triple product asymmetry



$$a_{CP}^{T-odd} = (1.2 \pm 5.0 \pm 0.7)\%$$

CPV in  $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^+$

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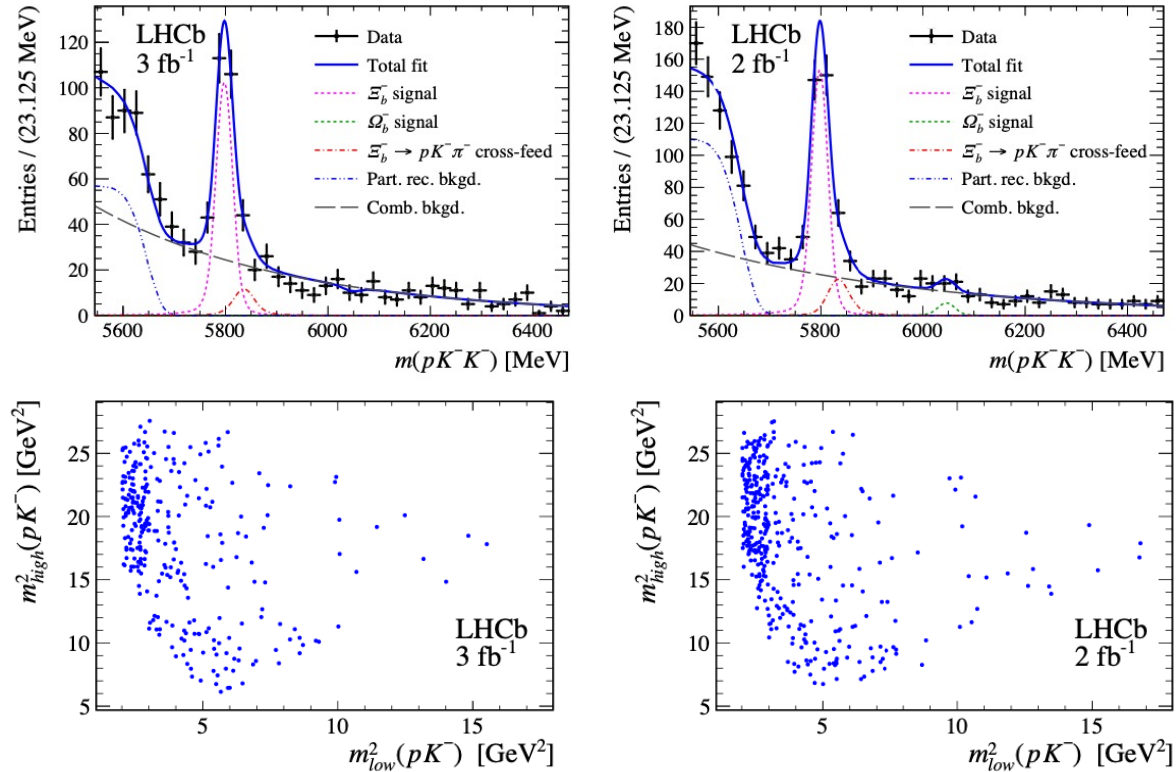
Search for *CP* violation  
in  $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^-$  decays

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Run II: 2/fb (2015-2016)

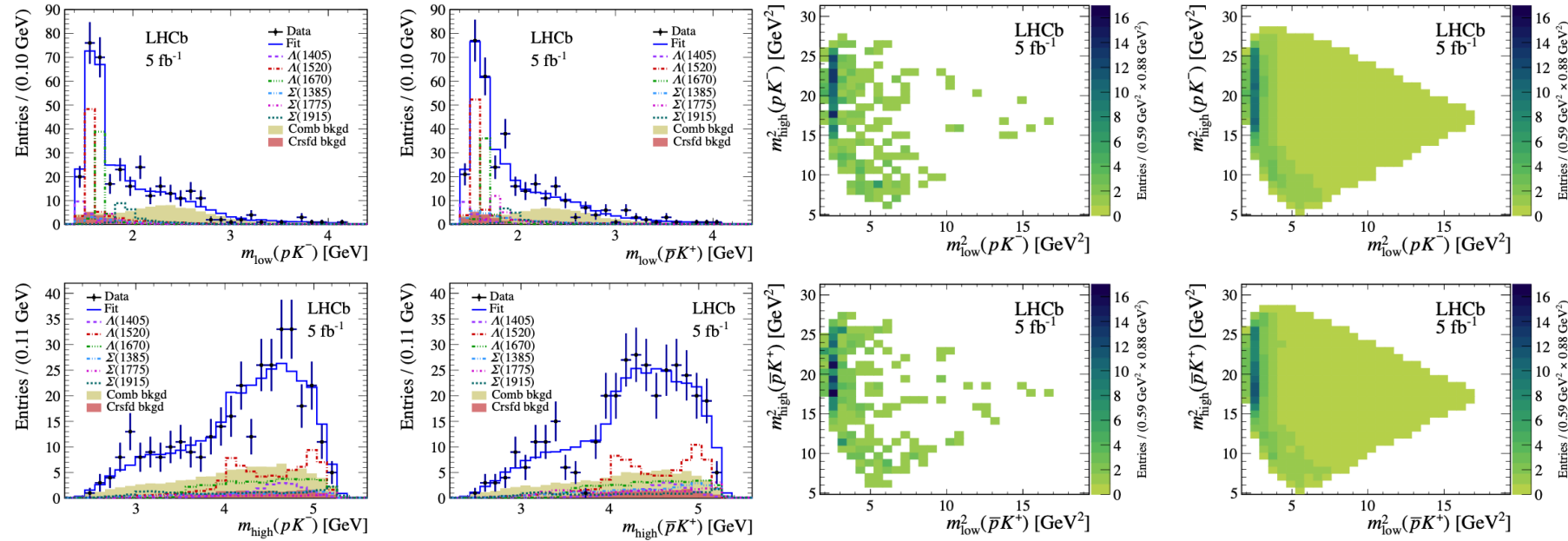
# CPV in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^-$

- Charmless  $b \rightarrow u, b \rightarrow s$  transition
- Study CPV over PHSP using model dependent amplitude analysis



Approximately 685 candidates with a purity of 67% are retained for amplitude analysis

# CPV in $\Xi_b^- \rightarrow pK^-K^+$



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

No evidence of CPV, larger samples are needed.

CPV in  $\Lambda_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+ / p\pi^-\pi^+$

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A measurement of the *CP*  
asymmetry difference between  
 $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-K^+$  and  $p\pi^-\pi^+$  decays

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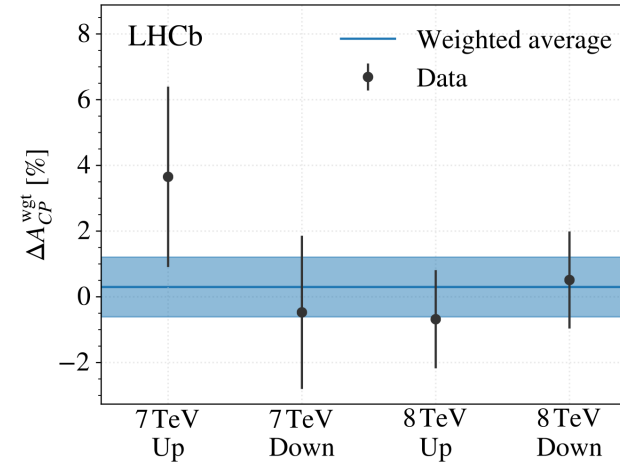
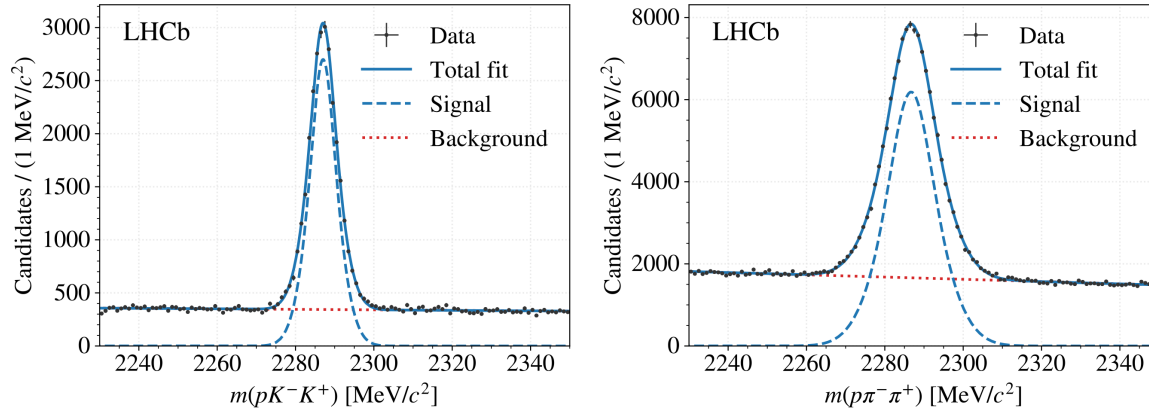
# CPV in $\Lambda_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+ / p\pi^-\pi^+$

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2} & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \delta_{V_{\text{CKM}}}$$

- complementary to measurements in  $b$ -hadrons
- CPV only occur in SCS decays at the  $O(10^{-3})$  level
- FSI, NP and SU(3)F breaking could enhance the CPV

$$\delta_{V_{\text{CKM}}} = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{8}\lambda^4 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}A^2\lambda^5(1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)) & -\frac{1}{8}\lambda^4(1 + 4A^2) & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}A\lambda^5(\rho + i\eta) & \frac{1}{2}A\lambda^4(1 - 2(\rho + i\eta)) & -\frac{1}{2}A^2\lambda^4 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}(\lambda^6)$$

Search for CPV in cabibbo suppress decay  $\Lambda_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-K^+ / p\pi^-\pi^+$



$\sqrt{s}$	Polarity	Int. lumi. [ $\text{pb}^{-1}$ ]	$pK^-K^+$ yield	$p\pi^-\pi^+$ yield
7 TeV	Up	$422 \pm 7$	$2880 \pm 70$	$18\,450 \pm 190$
7 TeV	Down	$563 \pm 9$	$3940 \pm 80$	$25\,130 \pm 230$
8 TeV	Up	$1000 \pm 11$	$9040 \pm 120$	$57\,730 \pm 350$
8 TeV	Down	$992 \pm 11$	$9330 \pm 120$	$60\,080 \pm 360$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta A_{CP}^{wgt} &= A_{CP}(pK^-K^+) - A_{CP}(p\pi^-\pi^+) \\ &= (0.30 \pm 0.91 \pm 0.61)\% \end{aligned}$$



CPV in  $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^- \pi^+$

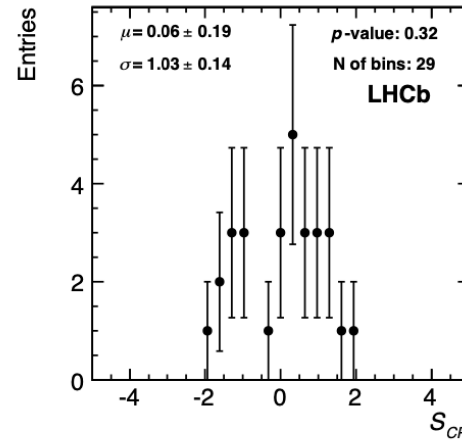
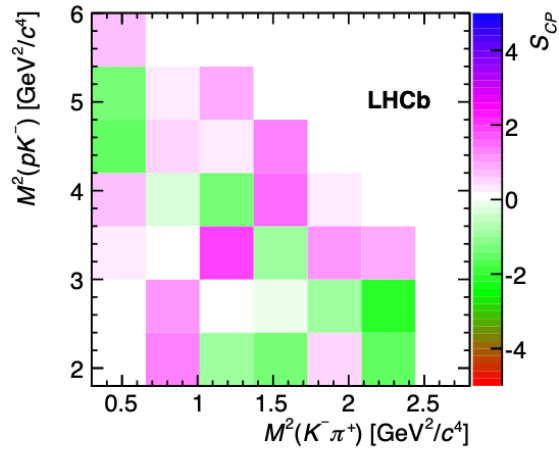
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Search for *CP* violation in  
 $\Xi_c^+ \rightarrow pK^- \pi^+$  decays using  
model-independent techniques

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# CPV in $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$ ( $S_{CP}$ method)

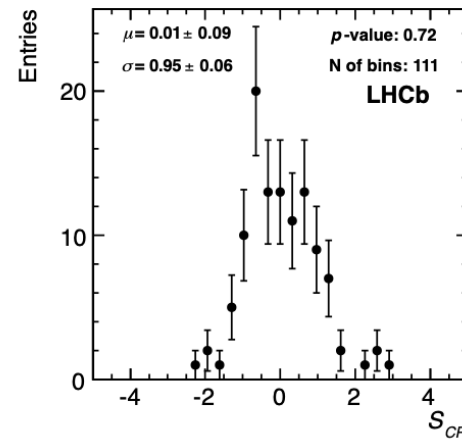
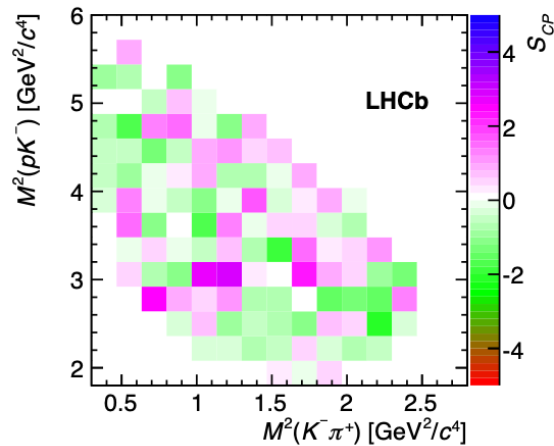
- Search for CPV using model independent binned/unbinned method



$$S_{CP}^i = \frac{n_+^i - \alpha n_-^i}{\sqrt{\alpha(n_+^i + n_-^i)}}$$

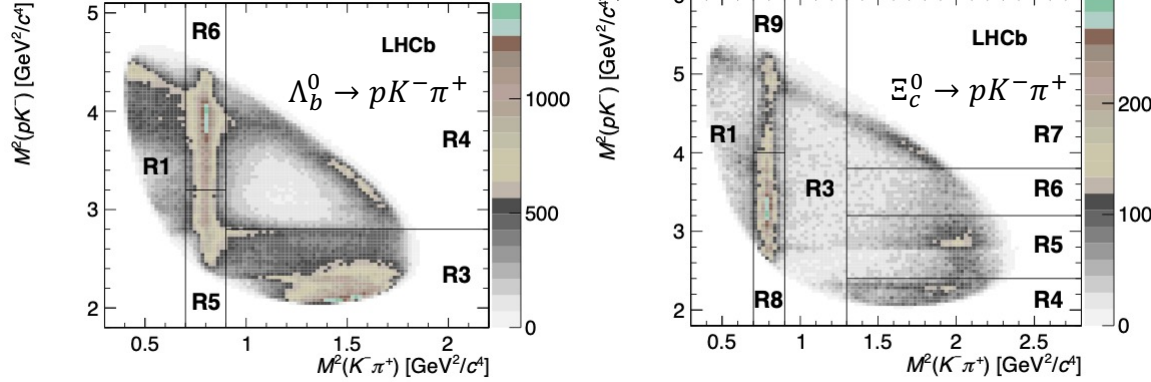
$\alpha = \frac{n_+}{n_-}$  account for production asymmetry

$$\chi^2 \equiv \sum (S_{CP}^i)^2$$



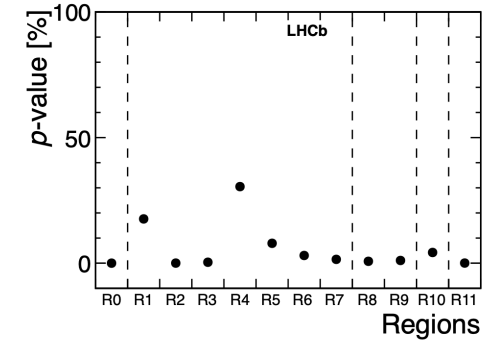
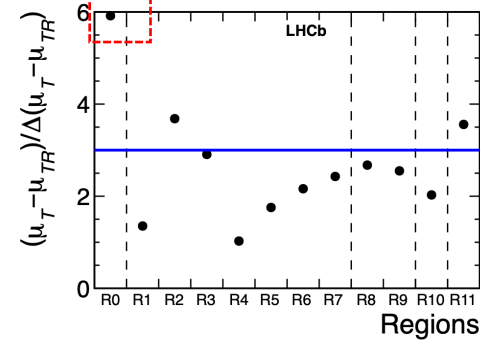
The p-values using  $\chi^2$  test are larger than 32% consistent with no evidence for CPV

# CPV in $\Xi_c^0 \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$ (kNN method)

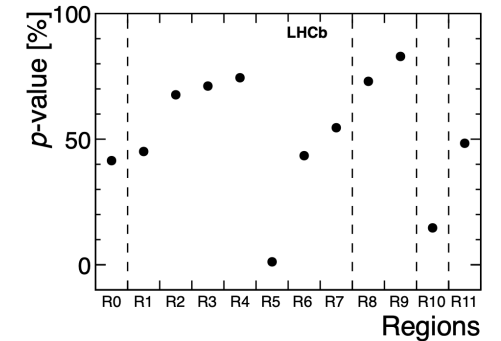
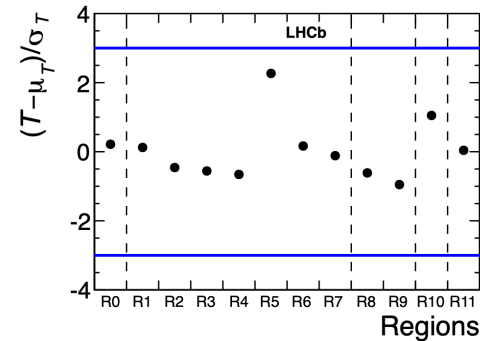


$$T = \frac{1}{n_k(n_+ + n_-)} \sum_{i=1}^{n_+ + n_-} \sum_{k=1}^{n_k} I(i, k) \quad \mu_T = \frac{n_+(n_+ - 1) + n_-(n_- - 1)}{n(n - 1)}$$

Arising from production and detection asymmetry



Region	Definition
R0	Full Dalitz plot
R1	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 0.7 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R2	$0.7 \leq M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 0.9 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R3	$0.9 \leq M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R4	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, M^2(pK^-) < 2.4 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R5	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, 2.4 \leq M^2(pK^-) < 3.2 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R6	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, 3.2 \leq M^2(pK^-) < 3.8 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R7	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, M^2(pK^-) \geq 3.8 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R8	$0.7 \leq M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 0.9 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, M^2(pK^-) < 4 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R9	$0.7 \leq M^2(K^-\pi^+) < 0.9 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, M^2(pK^-) \geq 4 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R10	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4, M^2(pK^-) < 3.2 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$
R11	$M^2(K^-\pi^+) \geq 1.3 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$



no significant deviation from the hypothesis of CP symmetry

# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$

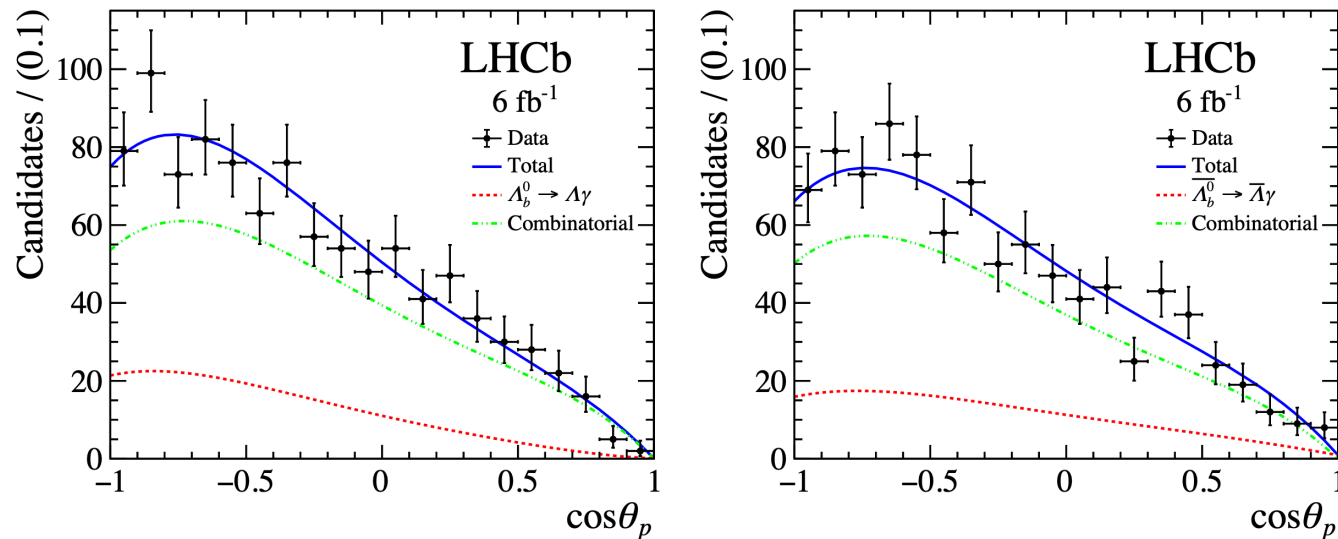
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**Measurement of the photon  
polarization in  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$  decays**

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# CPV in $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \gamma$

- FCNC decay is sensitive to new heavy particles in the loop
- Due to the chirality of the electroweak interaction, the photons produced in  $b(\bar{b})$  quark are predominantly left(right) handed polarized
  - $\alpha_\gamma = \frac{\gamma_L - \gamma_R}{\gamma_L + \gamma_R}$
- A discrepancy in the absolute value of the photon polarization in  $b$  and  $\bar{b}$  decays would be a hint of CP asymmetry



Distribution of  $\cos\theta_p$  for  $\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda \gamma$  and  $\bar{\Lambda}_b^0 \rightarrow \bar{\Lambda} \gamma$  decays

$$\alpha_\gamma = 0.82 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.13$$

$$\alpha_\gamma(\Lambda_b^0) = 0.55 \pm 0.32 \pm 0.10$$

$$\alpha_\gamma(\bar{\Lambda}_b^0) = 1.26 \pm 0.42 \pm 0.20$$

consistent with CP symmetry