

Selected LHCb results on

- ❑ LHCb as LHCb and LHCc, **key detector elements and data sample**
- ❑ **CP-parity violation**, involving or not CPV measurements
- ❑ **Rare decays**

very personal selection of results

Other new important LHCb results in the talk by Liming Zhang :

- ❑ New results on exotic baryon resonances at LHCb

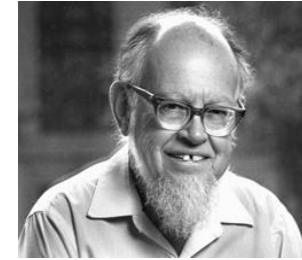
10th International Workshop on e+e- collisions from Phi to Psi



CKM matrix, CP-parity violation and unitarity triangle

The Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa

in Wolfenstein



matrix

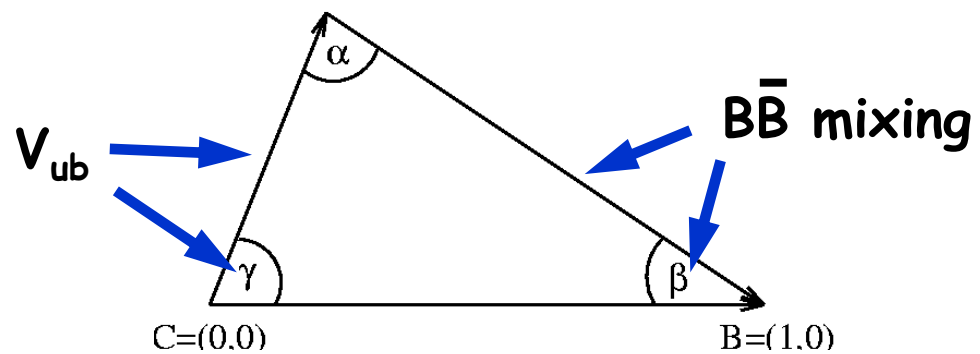
parametrization

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} u & 1 - \lambda^2/2 - \lambda^4/8 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ c & -\lambda + A^2\lambda^5(1/2 - \rho - i\eta) & 1 - \lambda^2/2 - \lambda^4(1 + 4A^2)/8 & A\lambda^2 \\ t & A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) + A\lambda^5(\rho + i\eta)/2 & -A\lambda^2 + A\lambda^4(1/2 - \rho - i\eta) & 1 - A^2\lambda^4/2 \end{pmatrix} + O(\lambda^6)$$

d
s
b

η - CPV phase

□ Beauty :



□ Charm CPV : 2x2 Cabibbo matrix and V_{ub} via loops

SM: single CP-violating phase → strong predictive power for CP asymmetries !

Search for New Physics

- ❑ Standard Model extremely successful for 40 years
- ❑ "New Physics" indications suppressed by scale and/or coupling
- ❑ Search for NP via two complementary approaches

Energy path - direct production - brutal force

or

Quantum path - indirect search via loops - intelligent

- ❑ In close collaboration with theorists who modify even a simple penguin to describe the measurements



Search for New Physics at LHCb

- **Look at LoopS:** Search for contributions from effects not described by SM via **loop-mediated transitions** contributing to

Small asymmetries - CPV

Rare decays

in **charm** and **beauty** sectors

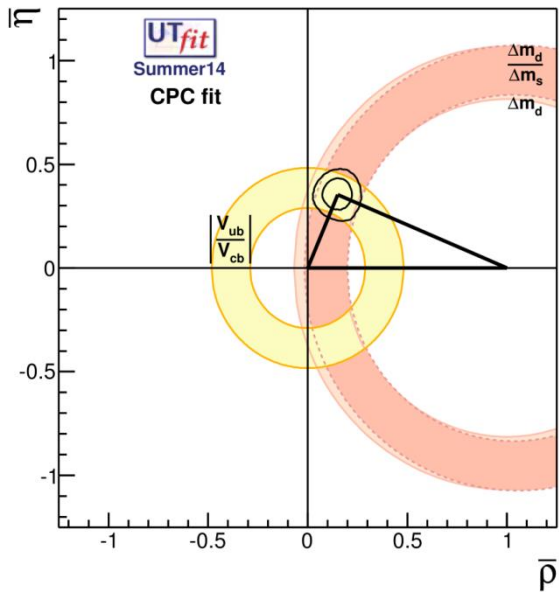


- **Production** - mainly QCD tests
- Precision measurement of **CKM parameters** (e.g. via tree diagrams)

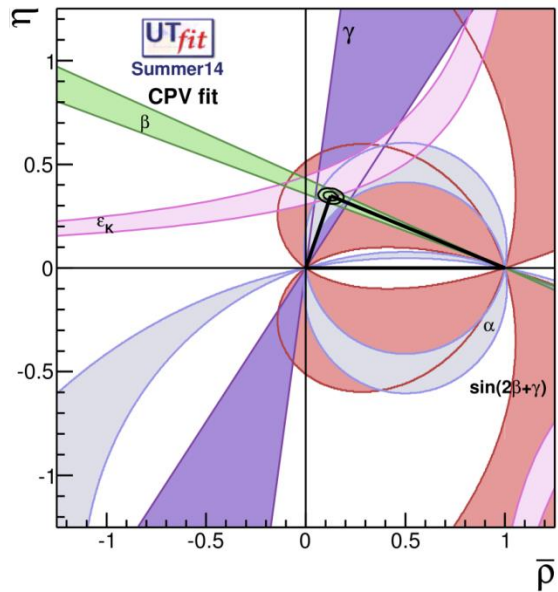
Constructing the unitarity triangle

- ❑ The UT can be constructed from non-CPV measurements
- ❑ The UT can be constructed from CPV measurements only
- ❑ Both construct the same UT

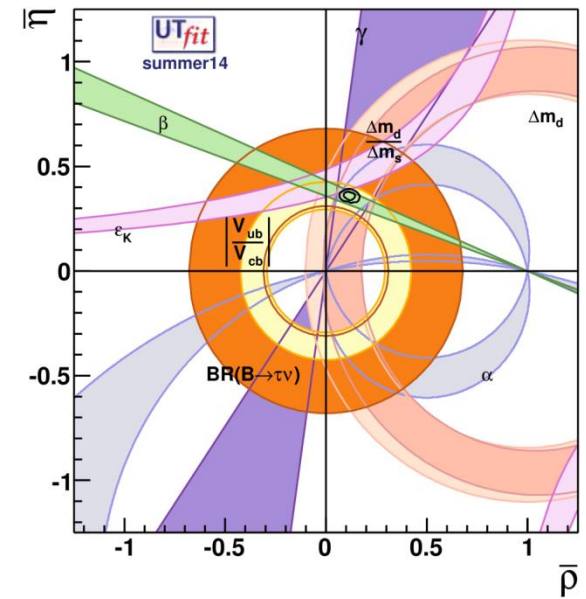
CPV from $|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ and B-mixing



CPV from angles



all included

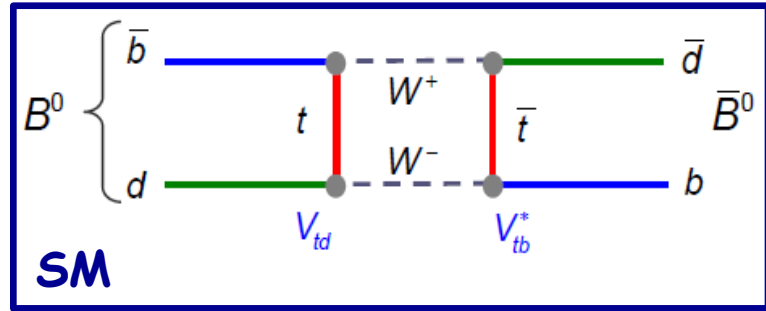


- ❑ All measurements are so far consistent with the same UT
- ❑ Single same CPV parameter for charm and beauty sector

How to quantify NP contribution

Flavour transitions probe **high mass scales** in quantum loops (e.g. FCNC)

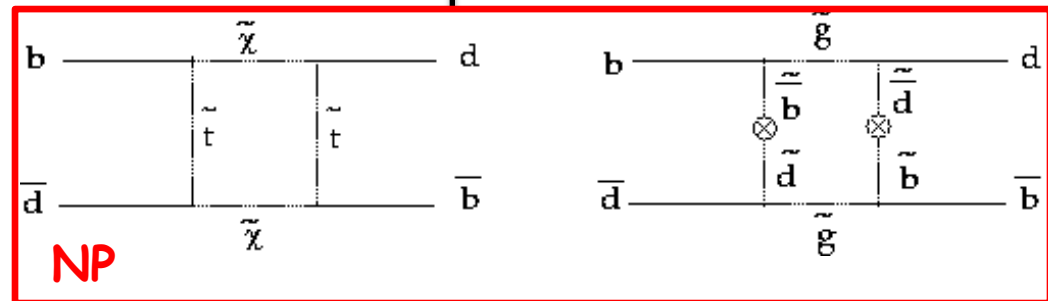
Standard Model scale and couplings
(CKM matrix elements):



$B\bar{B}$ mixing:

$$A_0 \left[\frac{C_{SM}}{M_W^2} + \frac{C_{NP}}{\Lambda_{NP}^2} \right]$$

New Physics **scale** and **coupling**:



How to quantify NP contribution

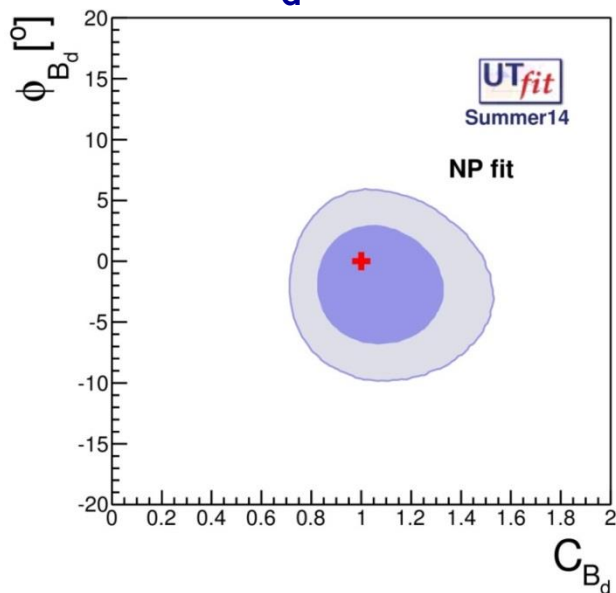
□ For NP in $\Delta B=2$ transitions :

$$C_{B_q} e^{2i\phi_{B_q}} = \frac{\langle B_q^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{full}} | \bar{B}_q^0 \rangle}{\langle B_q^0 | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{B}_q^0 \rangle},$$

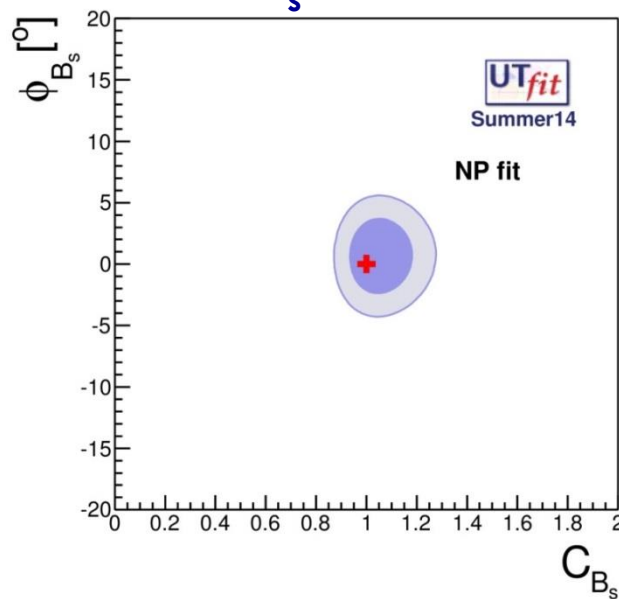


$$\begin{aligned} \Delta m_d^{\text{exp}} &= C_{B_d} \Delta m_d^{\text{SM}}, \\ \sin 2\beta^{\text{exp}} &= \sin(2\beta^{\text{SM}} + 2\phi_{B_d}), \\ \alpha^{\text{exp}} &= \alpha^{\text{SM}} - \phi_{B_d}, \\ \Delta m_s^{\text{exp}} &= C_{B_s} \Delta m_s^{\text{SM}}, \\ \phi_s^{\text{exp}} &= (\beta_s^{\text{SM}} - \phi_{B_s}), \end{aligned}$$

B_d sector

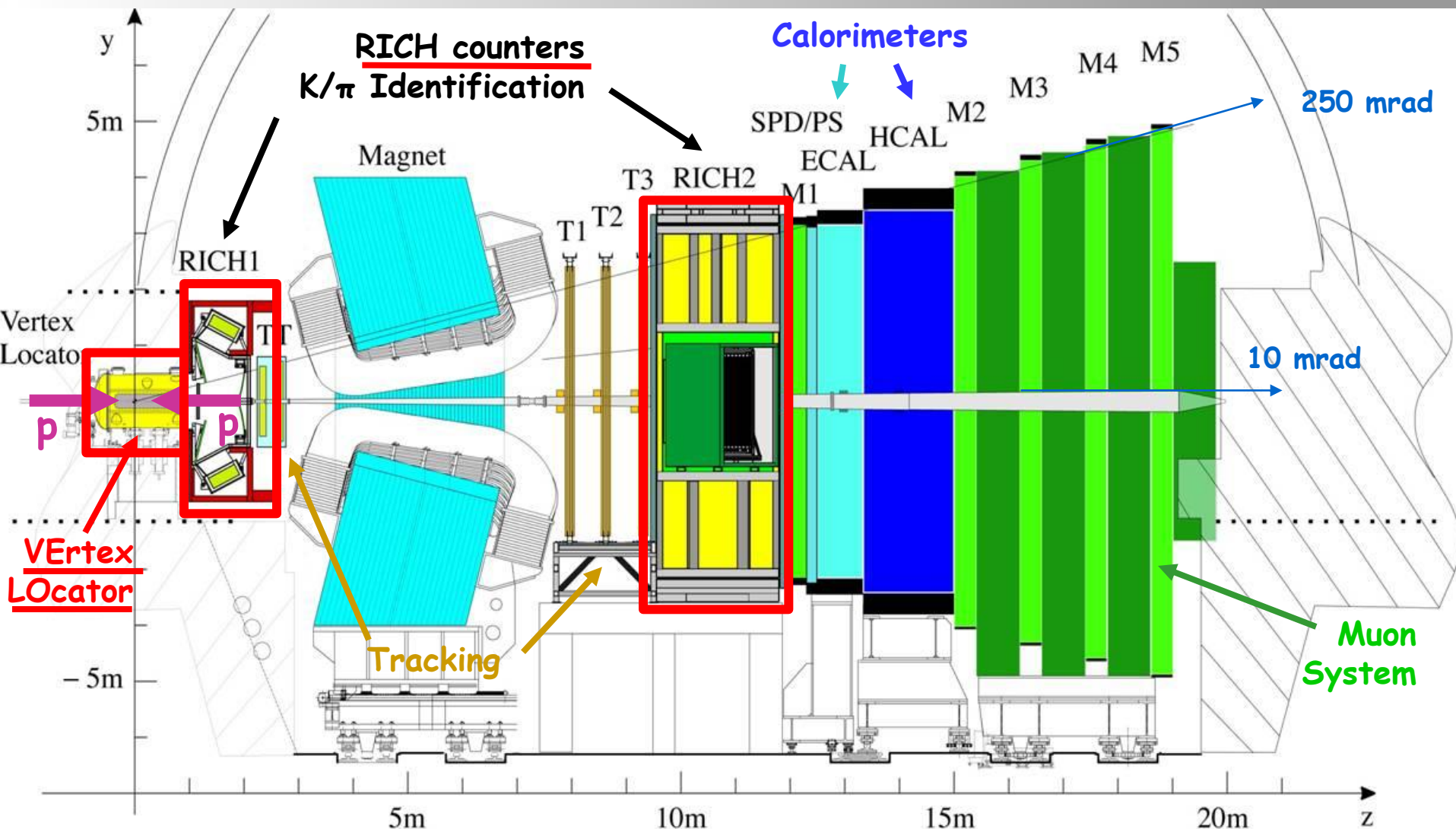


B_s sector



□ No sign of NP at the 10%-30% level ...

LHCb: key detector systems for precision flavour physics

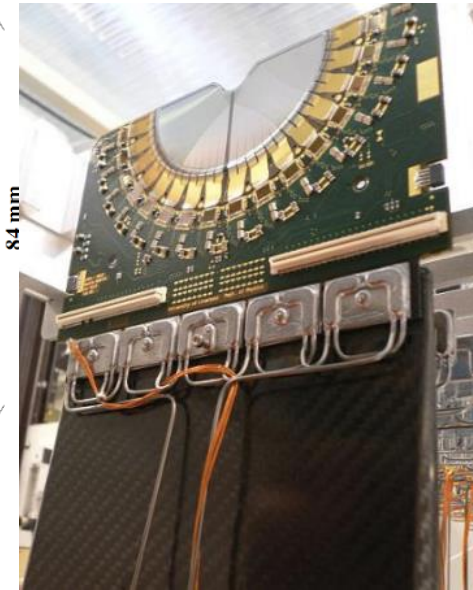
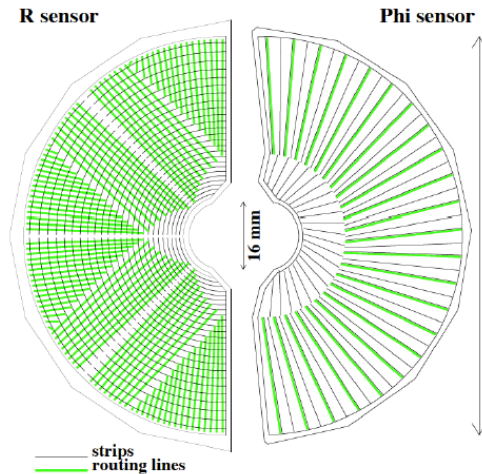
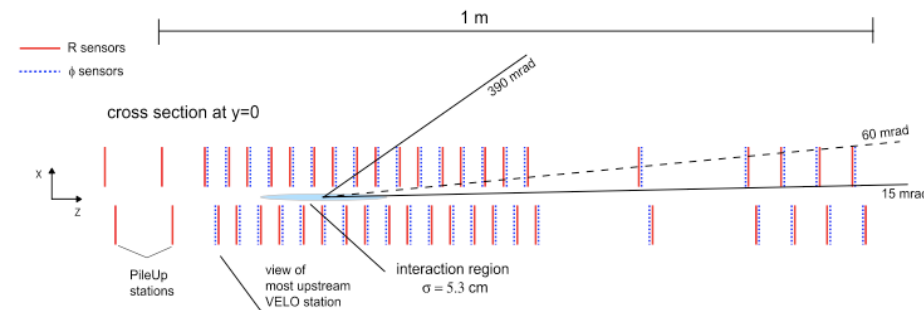


<p>Vertex reconstruction: VELO</p>	<p>Kinematics: Magnet Tracker Calorimeters</p>	<p>PID: RICHs Calorimeters Muon Chambers</p>	<p>Trigger: Muon Chambers Calorimeters Tracker</p>
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VELO: Vertex LOcator

JINST 8 (2013) P08002, arXiv:1405.7808

- ❑ 88 semi-circular microstrip Si sensors
- ❑ Double-sided, R and ϕ layout, in each module
- ❑ 300 μ thick n-on-n sensors
- ❑ Strip pitches from 40 to 120 μ



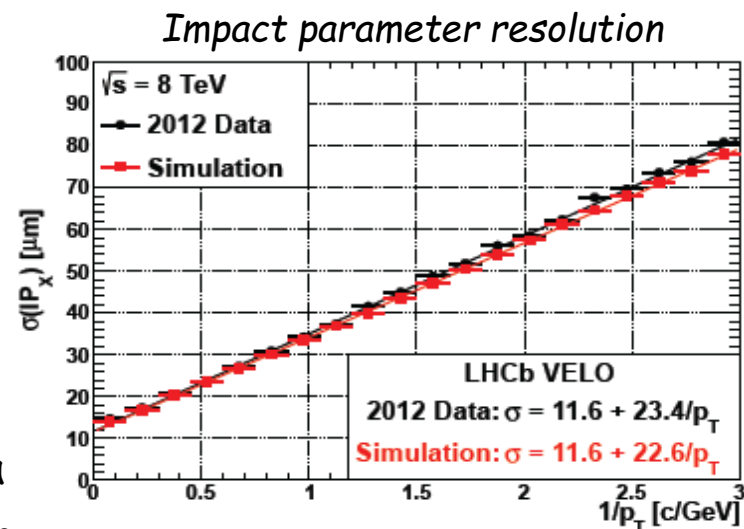
- ❑ First active strip at 8.2mm from the beam axis
- ❑ Moves away every fill and centers around the beam with self measured vertices

VELO: precise reconstruction of tracks and vertices

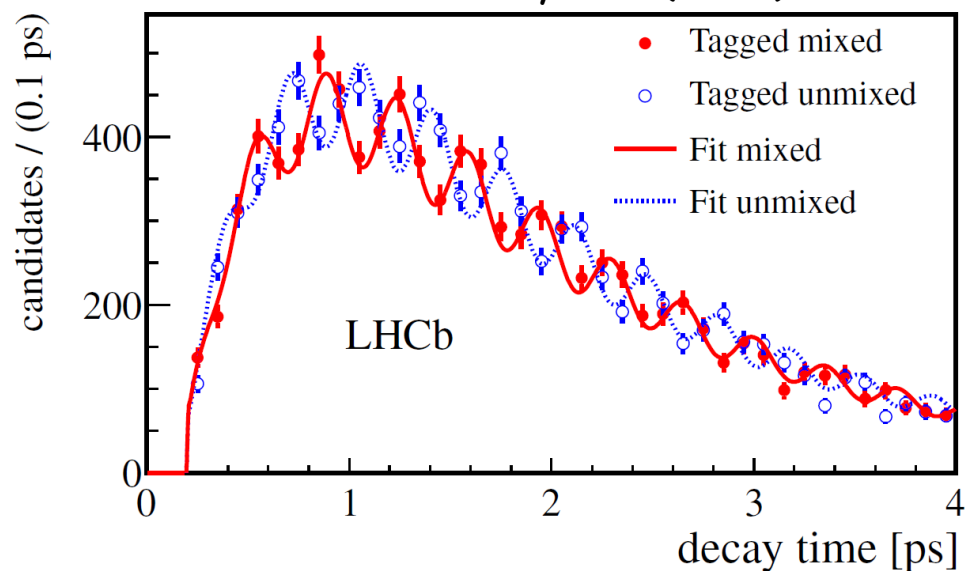
- Excellent **spatial resolution**, down to 4μ for single tracks
- Precise **impact parameter** measurement,

$$\sigma_{IP} = 11.6 + 23.4/p_T \text{ } [\mu]$$
- Precise **primary vertex** reconstruction,

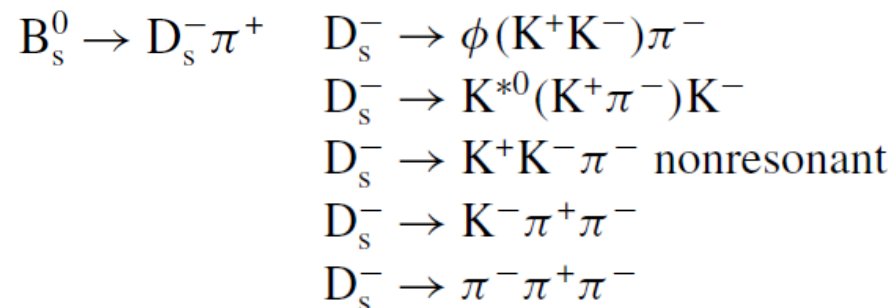
$$\sigma_x = \sigma_x = 13\mu, \sigma_z = 69\mu$$
 for a vertex of 25 tracks
- Detector understood, simulation describes data
- VELO provides excellent **proper time** resolution



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- **Vertex resolution** allows to resolve fast ($\times \sim 27$) $B_s \bar{B}_s$ oscillations



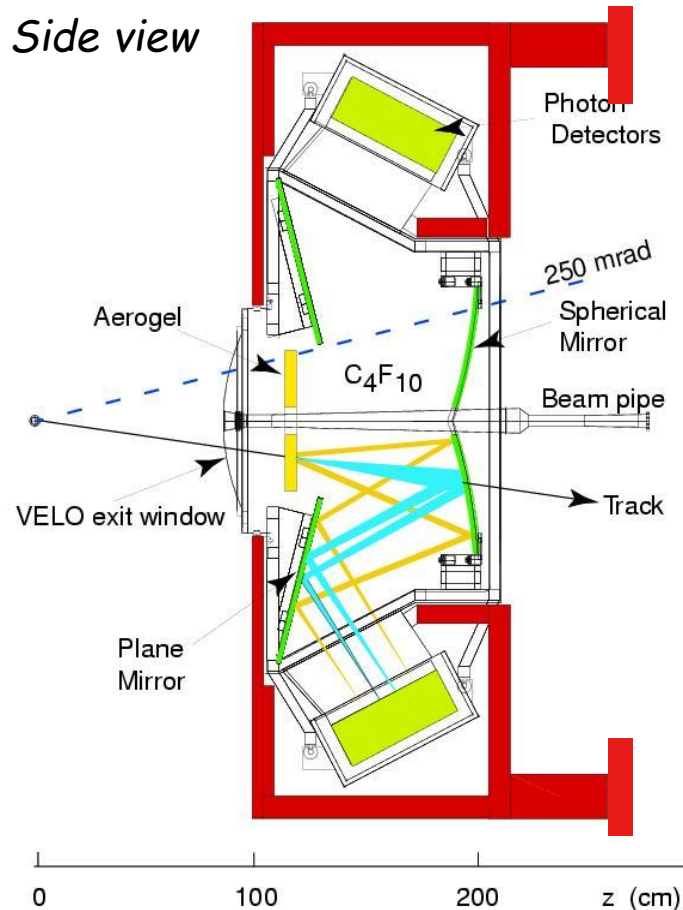
$$\Delta m_s = 17.768 \pm 0.023 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.006 \text{ (syst)} \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

Charged hadron identification: RICH detectors

2 Ring Imaging Cherenkov Detectors (RICH): 3 Radiators, photons from Cerenkov cone focused onto rings recorded by Hybrid Photon Detector (HPD) arrays, out of acceptance

RICH 1

Acceptance 25-300 mrad



Silica Aerogel:

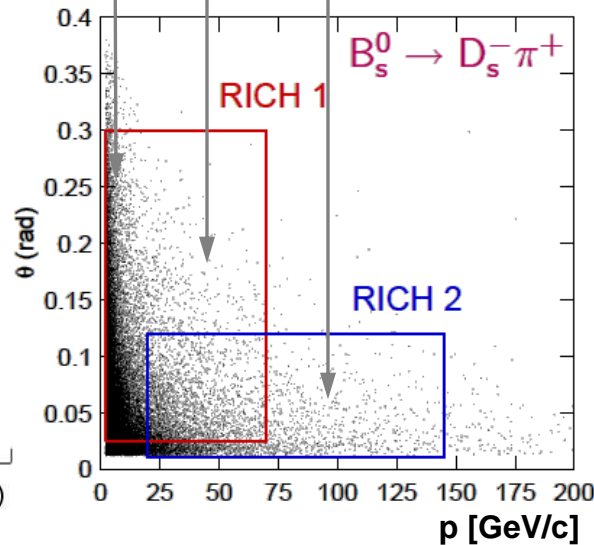
$n=1.03$
1-10 GeV/c

C₄F₁₀:

$n=1.0014$
Up to ~70 GeV/c

CF₄:

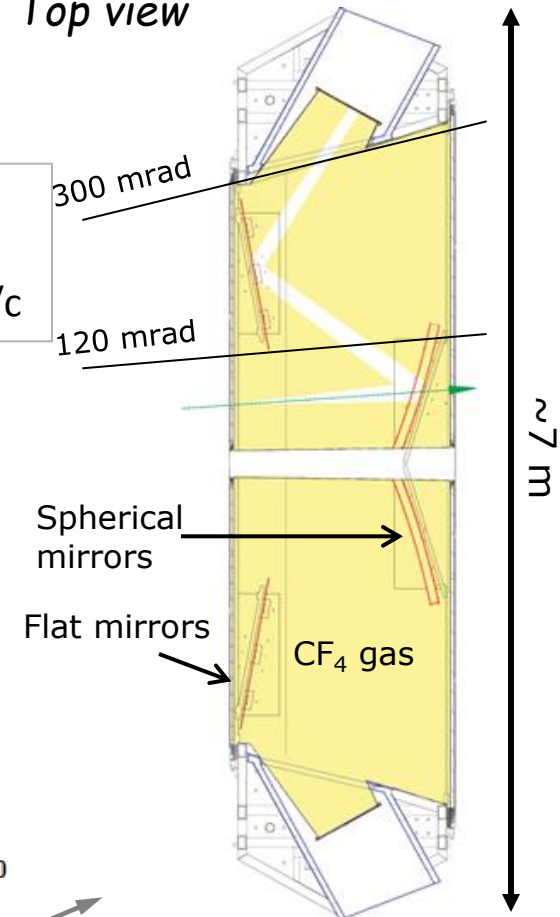
$n=1.0005$
Up to ~100 GeV/c



RICH 2

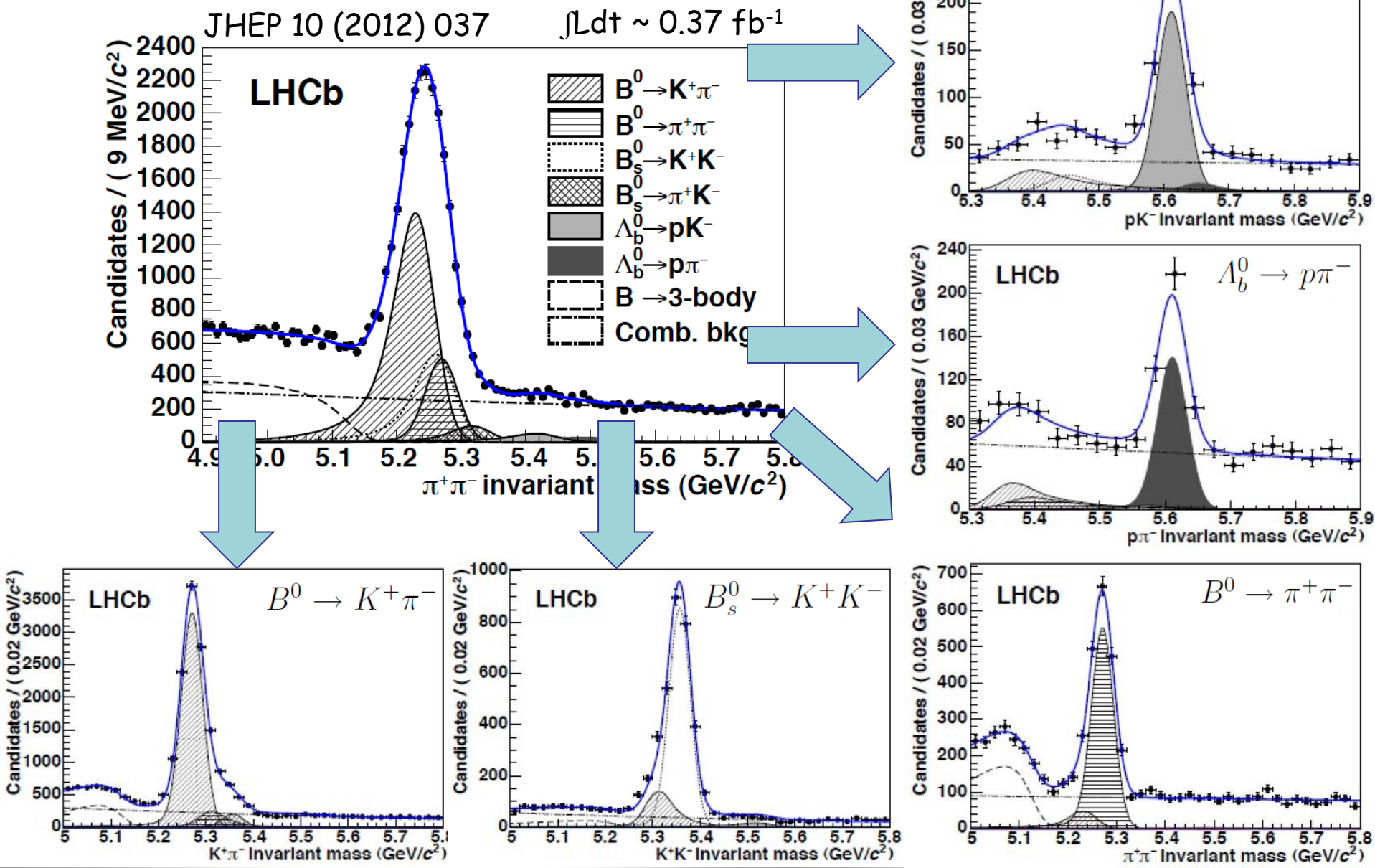
Acceptance 15-120 mrad

Top view

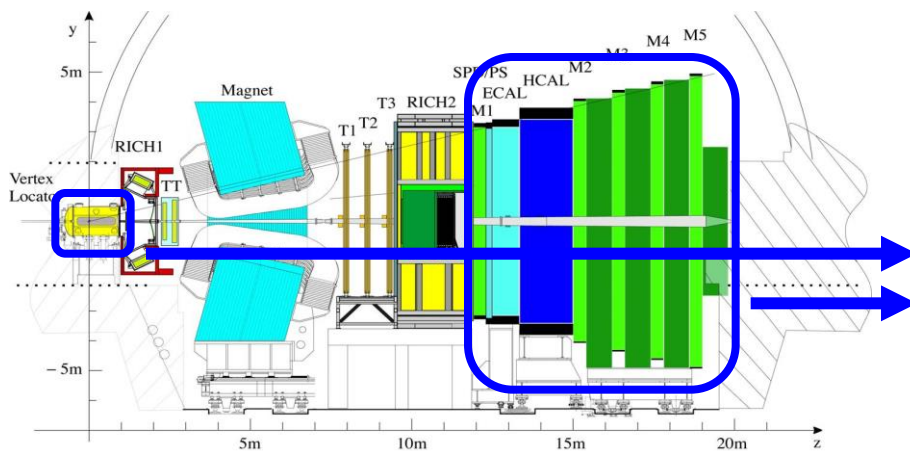


Charged hadron ID with RICH : charmless two-body b-hadron decays

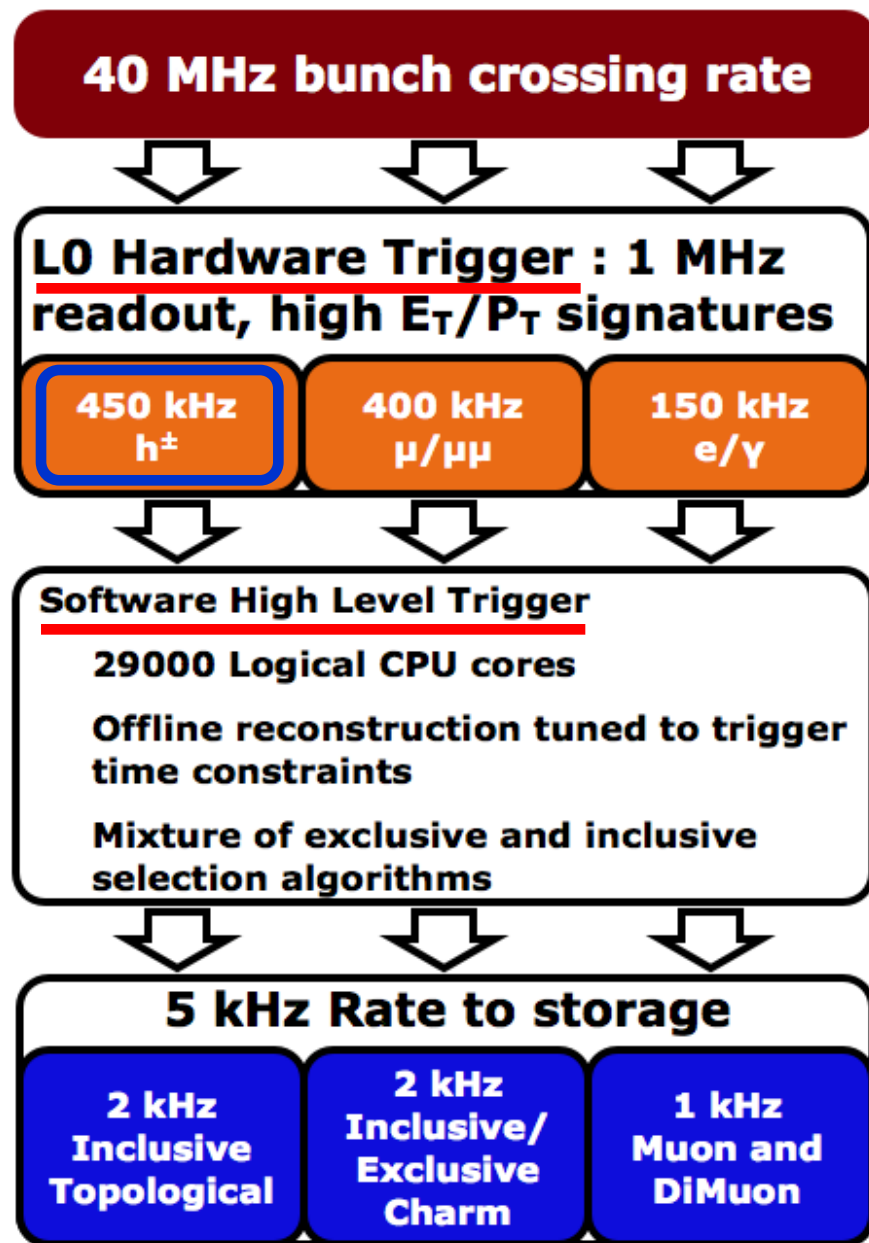
- Split $b \rightarrow hh$ sample into specific modes using RICH detectors



Trigger

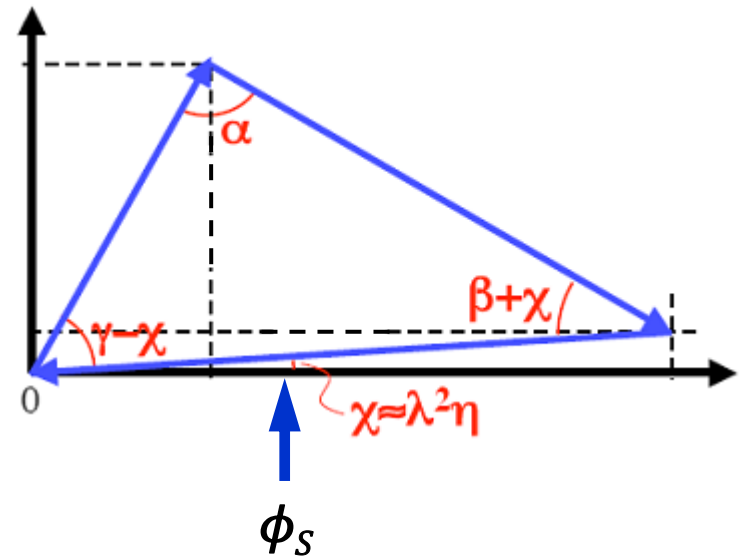
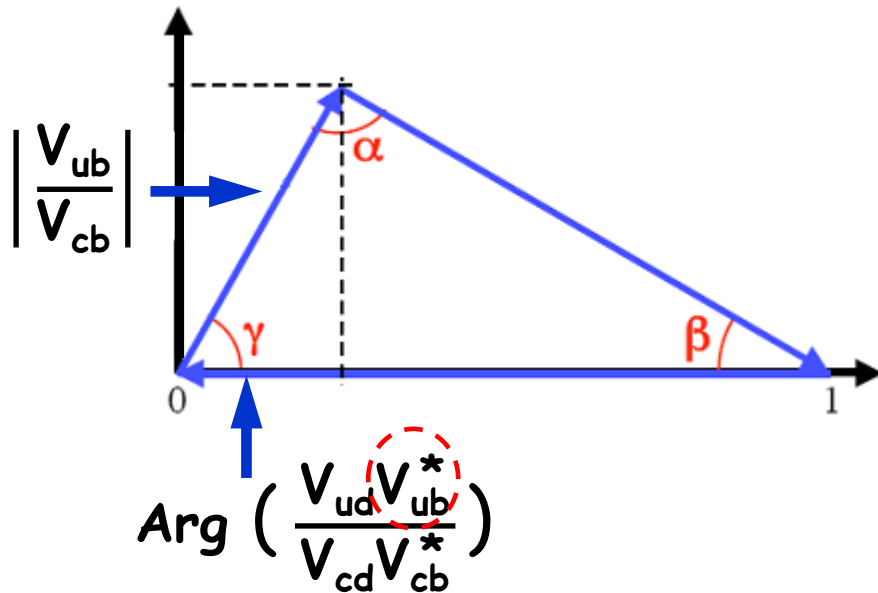


- Performant LHCb trigger: hardware **L0**, software **HLT**, and software **deferred trigger** implemented in 2012 to use the farm during the inter-fill periods



Selected LHCb results

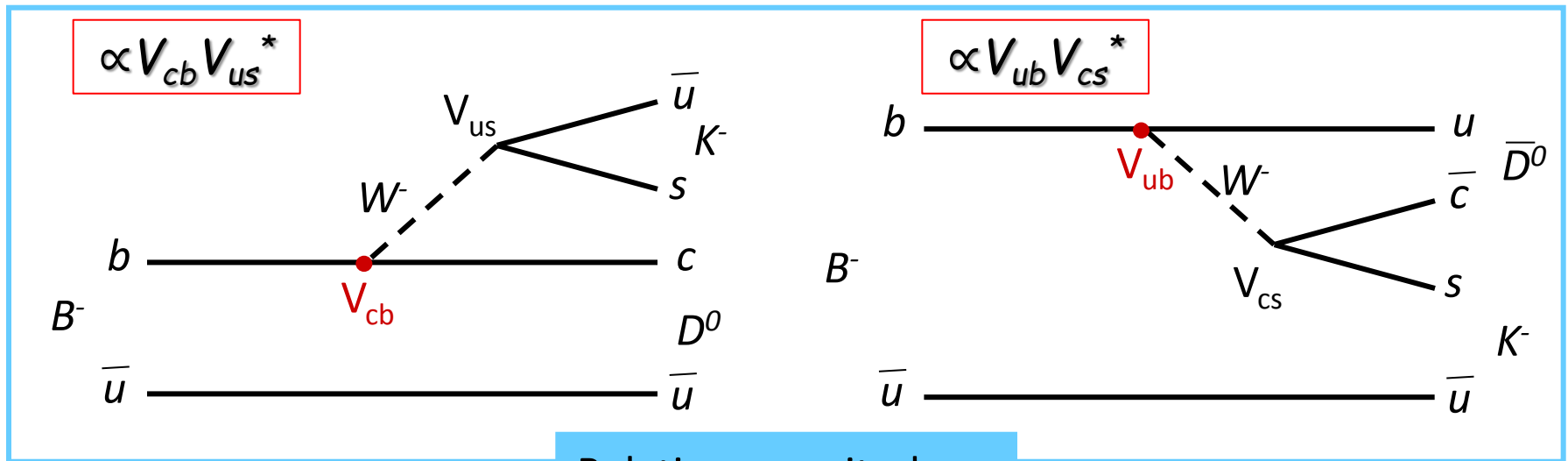
- **Angle γ , new decay modes**
- $|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu$ / $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu\nu$
- Weak phase ϕ_s via $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi K^+K^-$



- **Search for CPV in charm sector**
 - Search for asymmetries in $D^0 \rightarrow hh$
 - Search for CPV in $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ with Energy Test
- **Rare decays** $B \rightarrow \mu\mu$, $b \rightarrow s \mu\mu$, charm rare decays

Angle γ from $B \rightarrow DK$

- Angle γ can be measured from tree diagrams alone
(probably the only such CPV parameter) \rightarrow a reference point for SM
- A final state common to D^0 and \bar{D}^0 is required
- In $B \rightarrow Dh$ decays (and in $D^0 \bar{D}^0$ mixing) effects from NP are considered to be small \rightarrow benchmark test of CKM consistency



Relative magnitude r_B
relative phase $\delta_{B-\gamma}$

Angle γ from $B^\pm \rightarrow DK^\pm$, techniques to arrive at the same final state

1) Use a CP mode for the D^0

Parameters: $r_B, \gamma, \delta_B, (r_D = 1, \delta_D = 0)$

GLW (Gronau, London, Wyler)

CP+ and CP- modes

$(K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-)$

$(K_S\pi^0, \phi K_S, \eta K_S, \rho K_S, \omega K_S)$

(Very) small Branching Ratios

2) Use CAD ($K^-\pi^+$) for the V_{ub} decay and DCSD ($K^-\pi^+$) for the V_{cb} decay

Parameters: $r_B, \gamma, \delta_B, r_D \sim 0.06, \delta_D$

ADS

(Atwood, Dunietz, Soni)

$D^0 \rightarrow K^-\pi^+$

$D^0 \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^0$

$D^0 \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^-\pi^+$

(Very) small Branching Ratios

Strong phase between the D^0 decays

3) Use Dalitz plot analysis of 3-body D^0 decay, e.g. $D^0 \rightarrow K_S\pi\pi$

GGSZ (Giri, Grossman, Soffer, Zupan)

Dalitz plot description

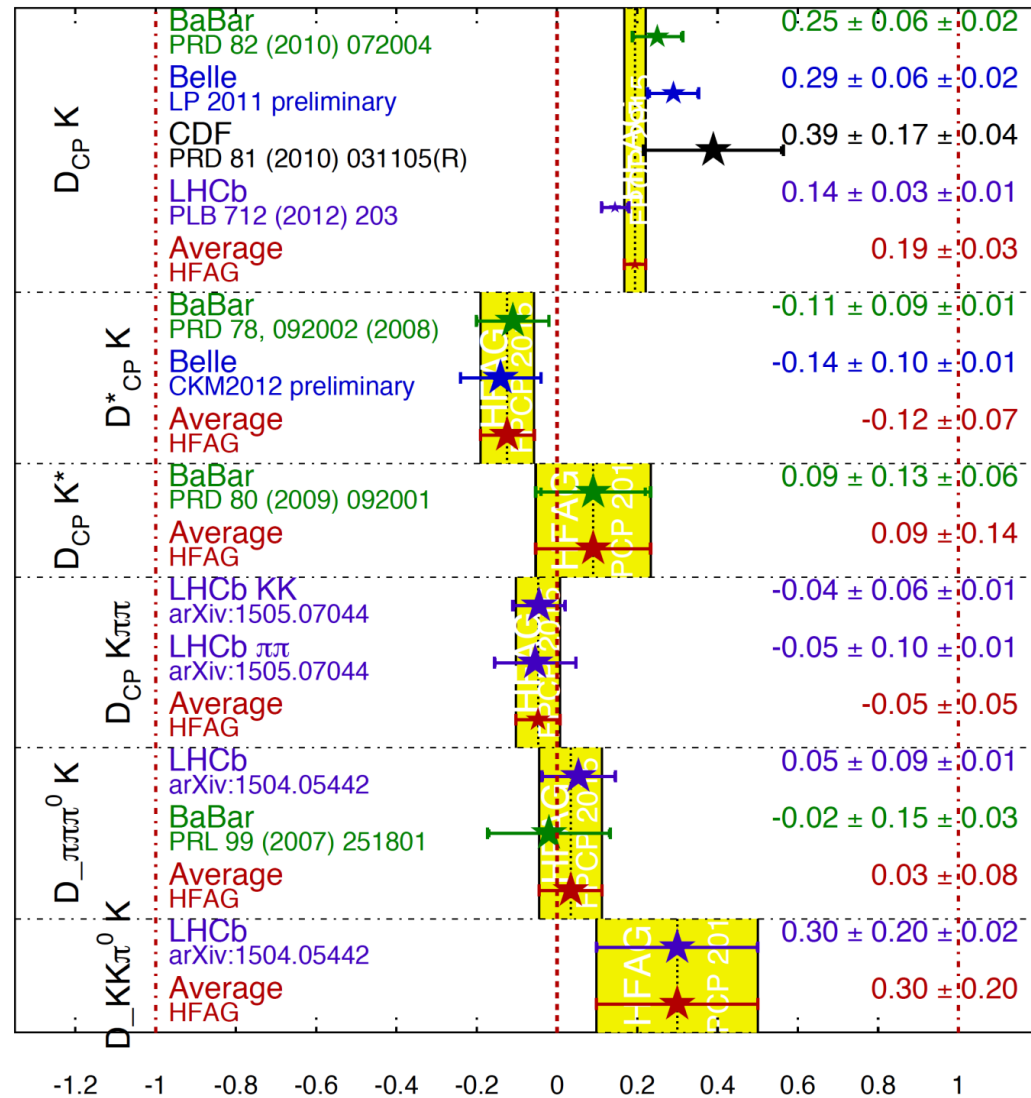
Angle γ from $B \rightarrow DK$

A_{CP+} Averages

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FPCP 2015
PRELIMINARY

- Most precise channel is $D_{CP}K$ (awaiting LHCb update with full Run I data sample)
- LHCb only combination, without latest results (but including measurements on DK^{*0} and time-dependent $D^{\pm}sK^{\pm}$):

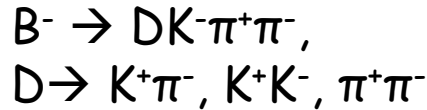
$$\gamma = (79_{-10}^{+9})^{\circ}$$
 best single-experiment result (CKM2014 update)
- New LHCb measurements with competitive sensitivity



Angle γ , new decay modes

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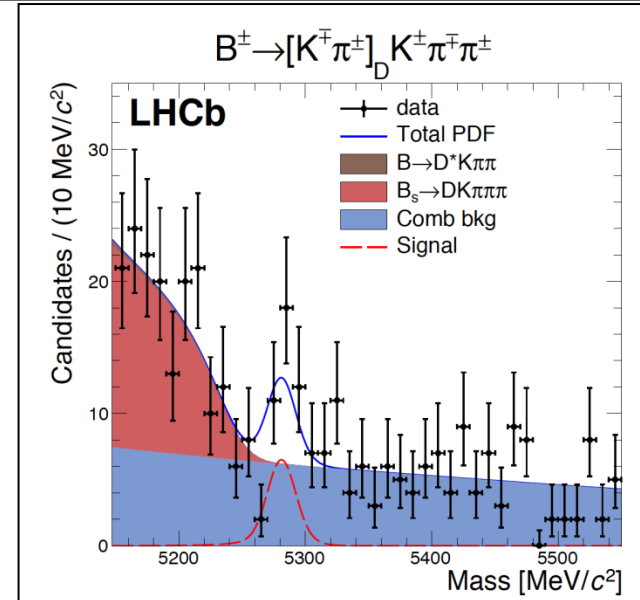
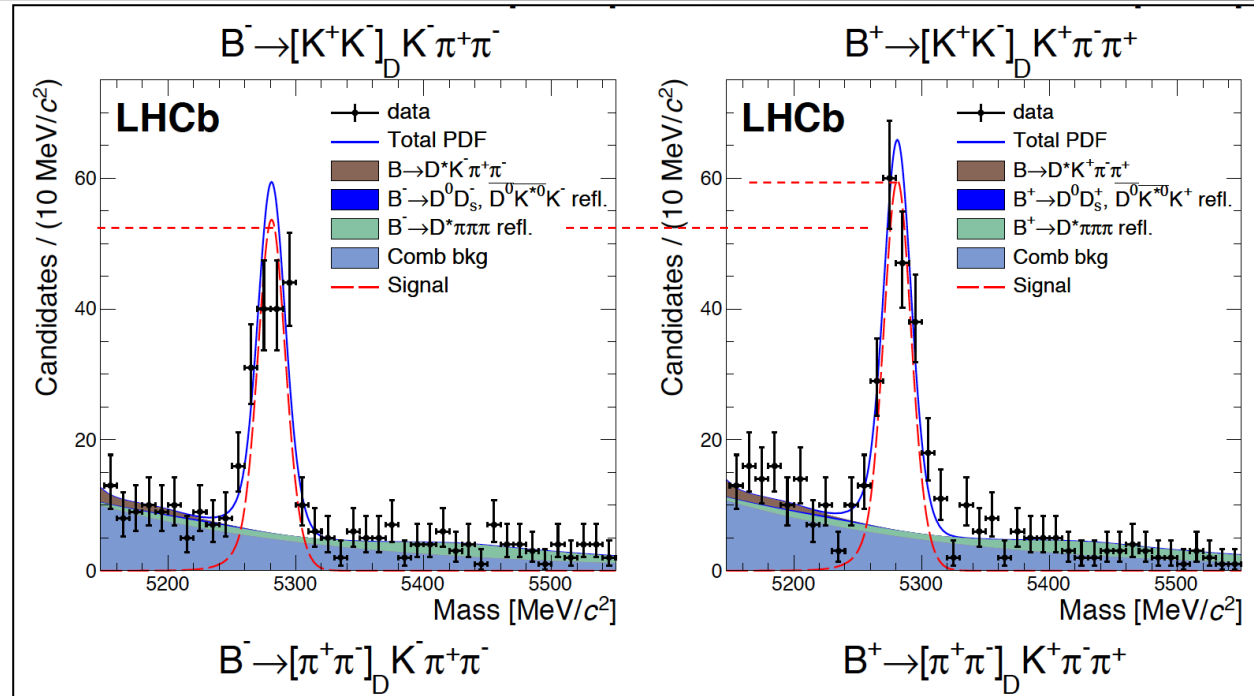
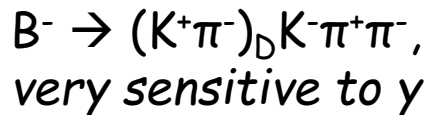
- Highly significant signals in CP modes



- New independent LHCb measurement:

$$\gamma = (74_{-18}^{+20})^\circ$$

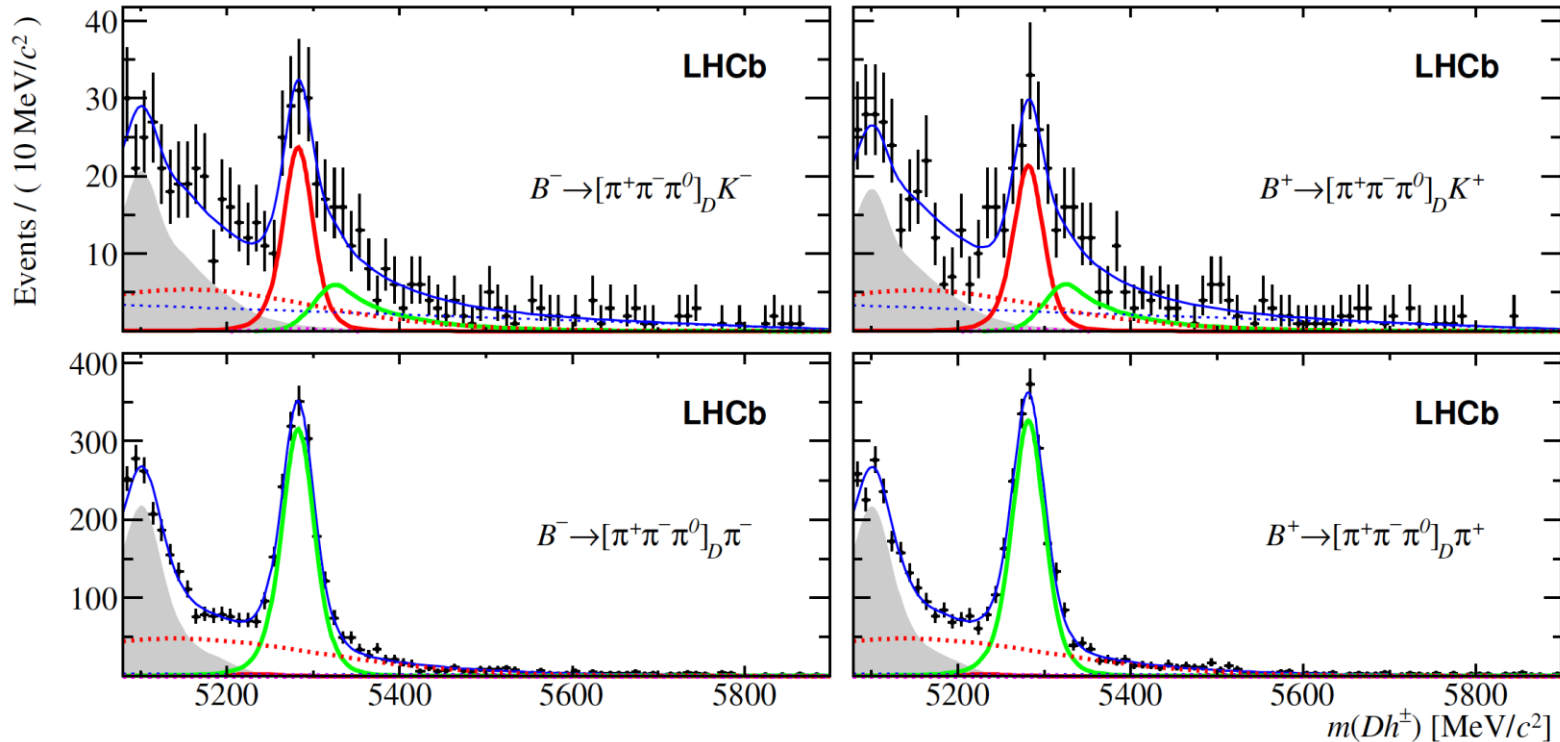
- First observation of the suppressed ADS mode



Angle γ , new decay modes

- $B^- \rightarrow DK^-$ with D^0 modes including π^0 :
 $D \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$, $D \rightarrow K^+K^-\pi^0$ and $D \rightarrow K^-\pi^+\pi^0$ (ADS)

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- Recent analysis of coherently produced DD at $\psi(3770)$: $D \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ very close to a CP-even eigenstate (CP-even fraction $F_+ = 0.968 \pm 0.017$)
 $\rightarrow \gamma$ analysis (so-called quasi-GLW) PLB 740 (2015) 1
- No evidence of CPV yet at LHCb, good consistency with other measurements

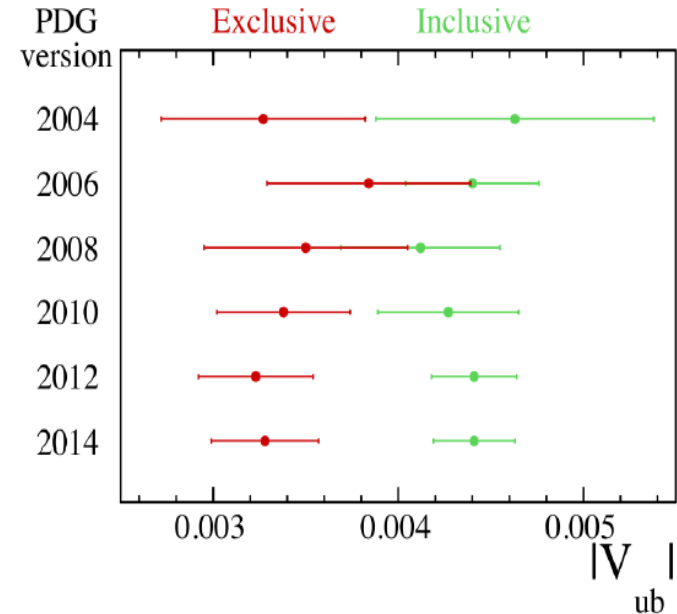
$$|V_{ub}/V_{cb}| \text{ from } \Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu / \Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu\nu$$

- Long standing discrepancy between exclusive and inclusive measurements, now at 3.8σ level:
inclusive

$$|V_{cb}| = (42.4 \pm 0.9) \times 10^{-3}, \quad |V_{ub}| = (4.41 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-3}$$

exclusive

$$|V_{cb}| = (39.5 \pm 0.8) \times 10^{-3}, \quad |V_{ub}| = (3.23 \pm 0.31) \times 10^{-3}$$



- NP RH coupling to explain the discrepancy

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{ub}^L (\bar{u}\gamma_\mu P_L b + \epsilon_R \bar{u}\gamma_\mu P_R b) (\bar{\nu}\gamma^\mu P_L l) + h.c.$$

F. Bernlochner et al. PRD 90 (2014) 094003

- LHC provides rich sample of Λ_b :

$$B_d : B_s : \Lambda_b \sim 4 : 1 : 2 \text{ in LHCb acceptance}$$

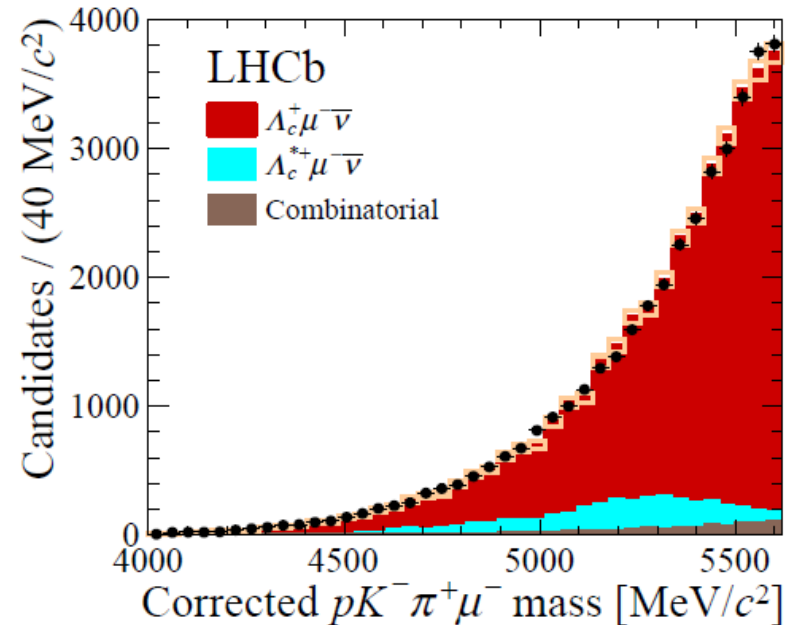
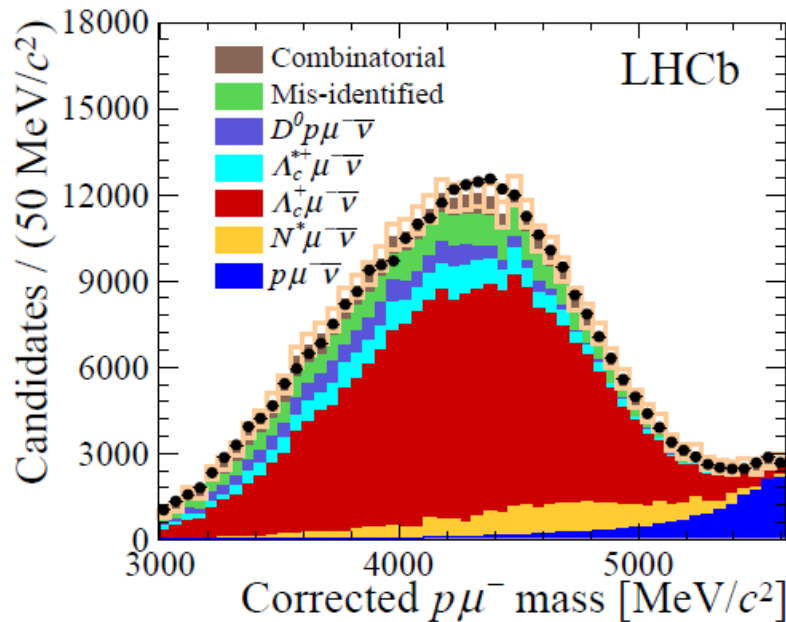
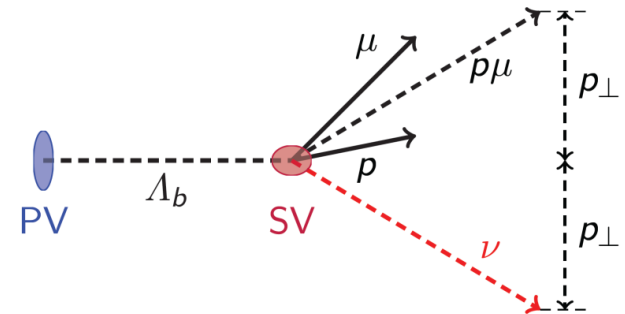
- Directly compare $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\bar{\nu}$ with $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ (pK^-\pi^+) \mu\bar{\nu}$

$|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu$ / $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu\nu$

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- Lattice QCD form factors, needed in the calculation of $|V_{ub}|$, are most precise at high $q^2(\mu\nu)$, PRD 92 (2015) 3, 034503 use $q^2(\mu\nu) > 15 \text{ GeV}^2$
- q^2 determined using Λ_b flight direction and mass, up to a two-fold ambiguity
- Vertex isolation is used, $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$ cross-feed is the main background

- Use corrected mass: $M_{\text{corr}} = \sqrt{M_{h\mu}^2 + p_{\perp}^2} + p_{\perp}$



$|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu$ / $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu\nu$

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu)_{q^2 > 15 \text{ GeV}/c^2}}{\mathcal{B}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu)_{q^2 > 7 \text{ GeV}/c^2}} = (1.00 \pm 0.04 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-2} \quad \text{Nature Phys. 11 (2015) 743} \quad 2.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

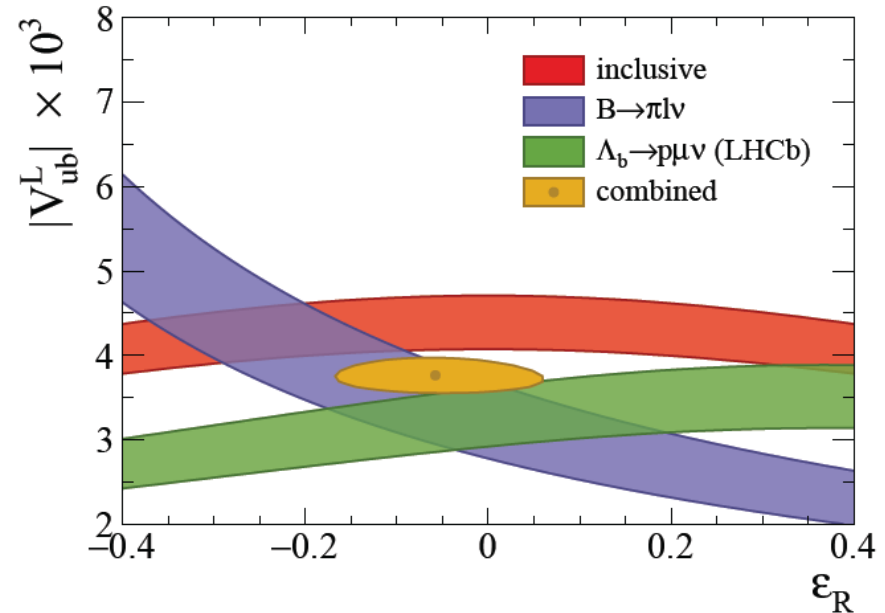
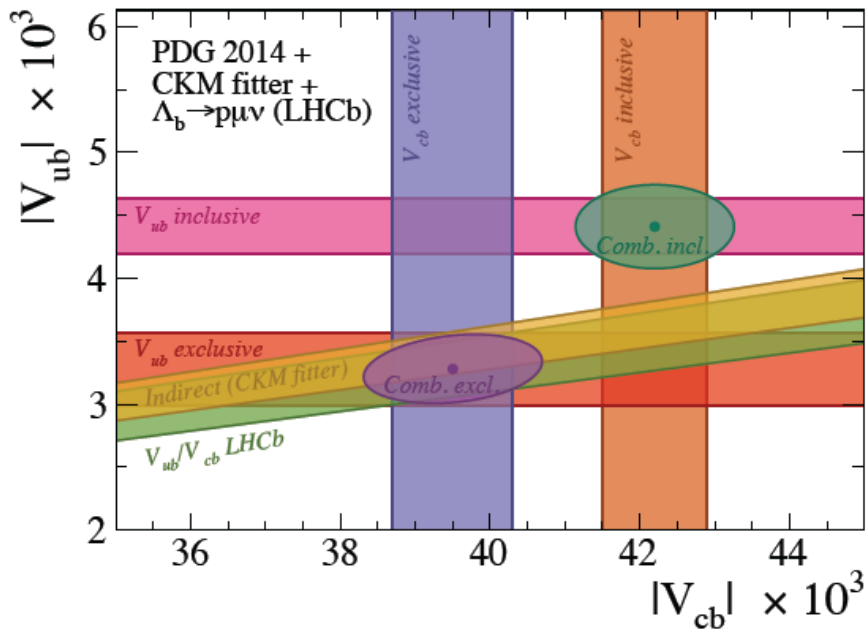
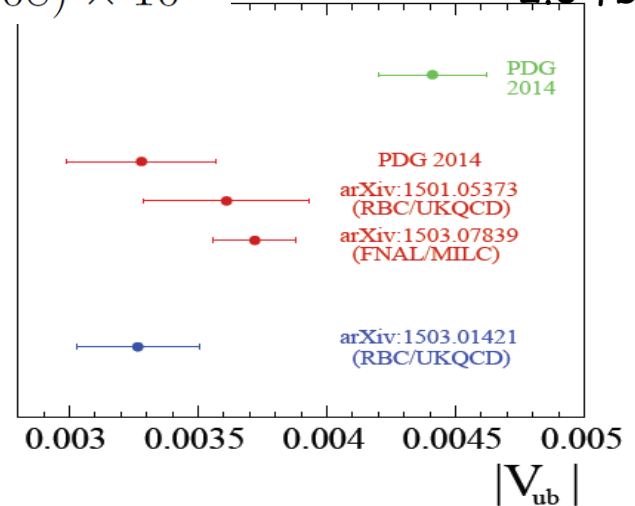
□ First observation of $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu$

$$\frac{|V_{ub}|}{|V_{cb}|} = 0.083 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.004$$

Inclusive

Exclusive
($B \rightarrow \pi l\nu$)

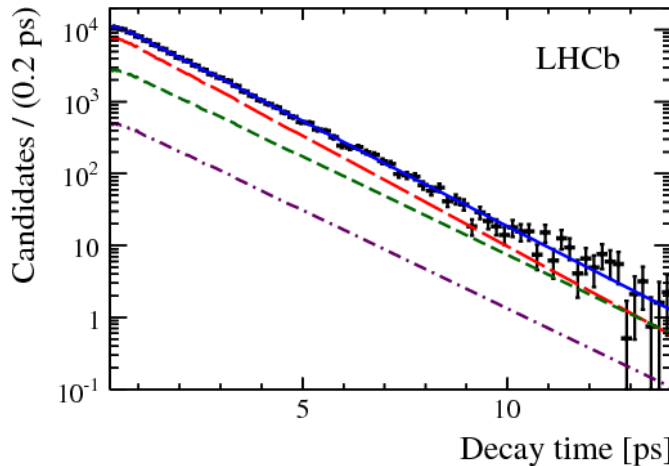
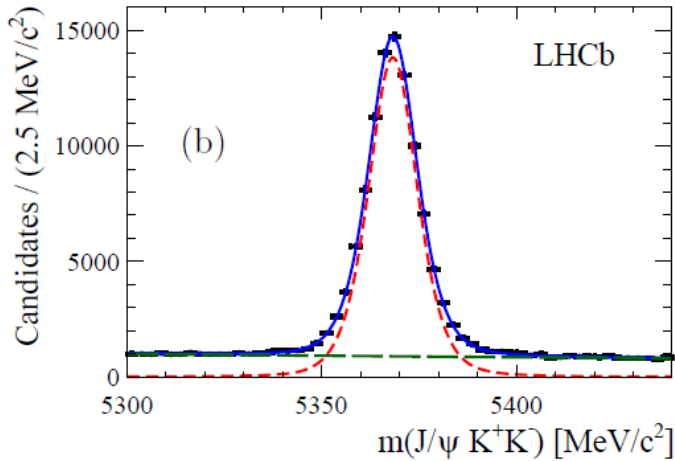
LHCb
($\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\mu\nu$)



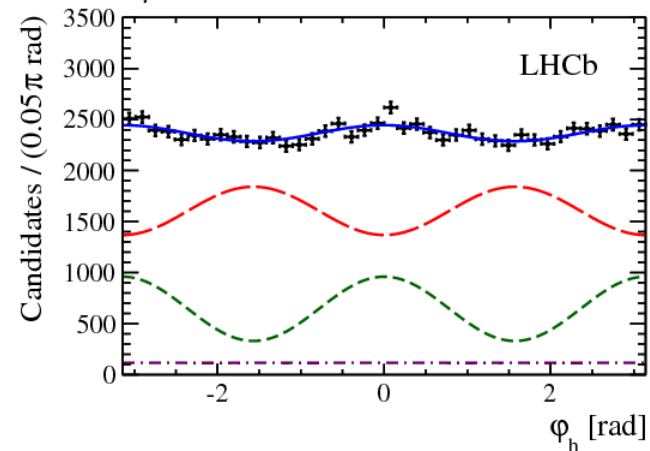
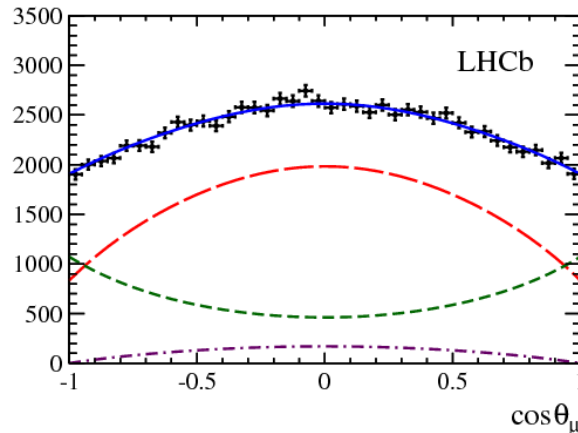
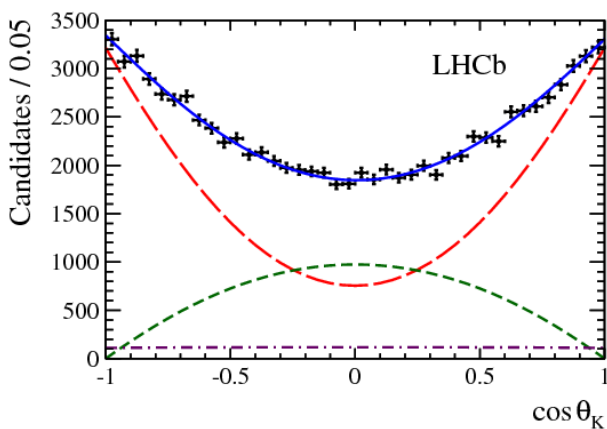
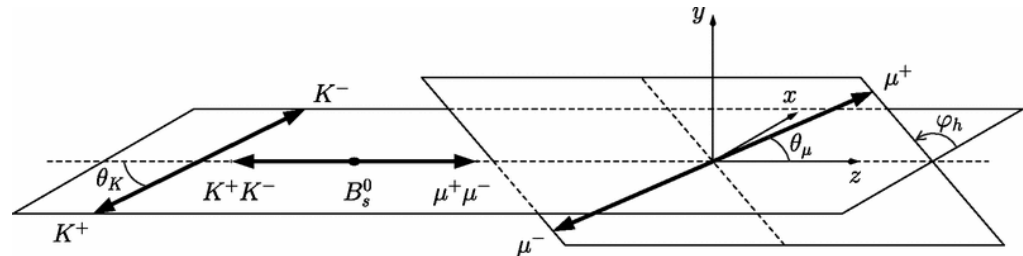
□ LHCb results do not support RH currents, agree with exclusive

Weak phase ϕ_S via $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi K^+ K^-$

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- Orbital angular momentum of the final state is mixture of CP-even and CP-odd components: $L = 0, 1, 2$
- Disentangle CP even and CP odd amplitudes via time-dependent angular analysis



$$\phi_S = -0.058 \pm 0.049 \pm 0.006$$

FIRST EVIDENCE OF NEW PHYSICS IN $b \leftrightarrow s$ TRANSITIONS

(UTfit Collaboration)

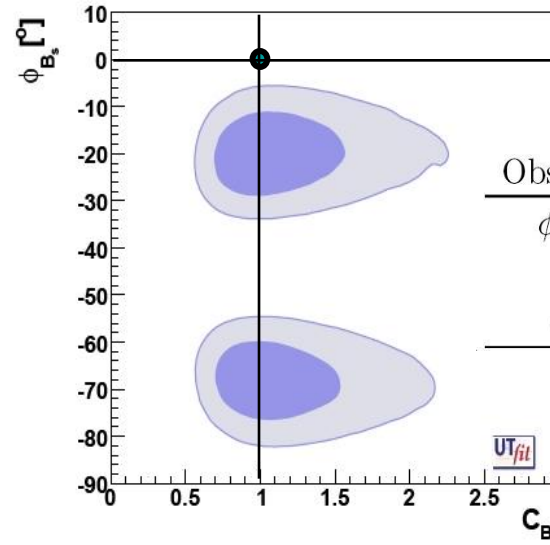
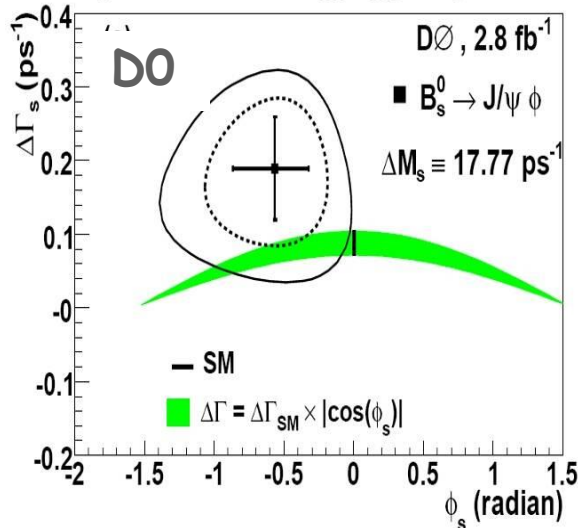
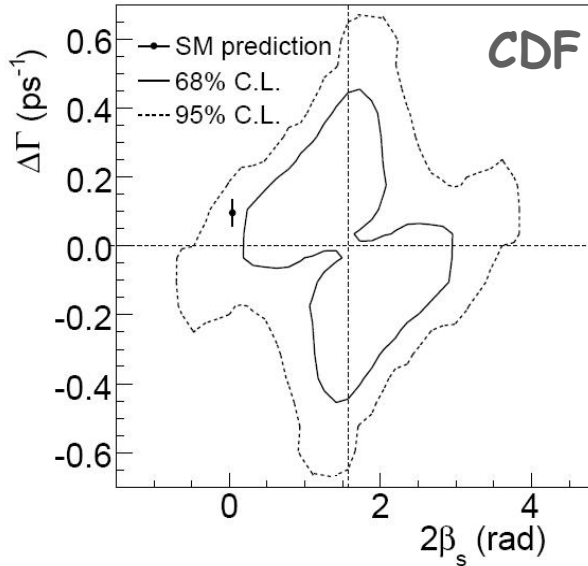
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We combine all the available experimental information on B_s mixing, including the very recent tagged analyses of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ by the CDF and DØ collaborations. We find that the phase of the B_s mixing amplitude deviates more than 3σ from the Standard Model prediction. While no single measurement has a 3σ significance yet, all the constraints show a remarkable agreement with the combined result. This is a first evidence of physics beyond the Standard Model. This result disfavours New Physics models with Minimal Flavour Violation with the same significance.

$$\text{NP parameterization } C_{B_s} e^{2i\phi_{B_s}} = \frac{A_s^{\text{SM}} e^{-2i\beta_s} + A_s^{\text{NP}} e^{2i(\phi_s^{\text{NP}} - \beta_s)}}{A_s^{\text{SM}} e^{-2i\beta_s}} = \frac{\langle B_s | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{full}} | \bar{B}_s \rangle}{\langle B_s | H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} | \bar{B}_s \rangle},$$

>3 σ NP effect in ϕ_s



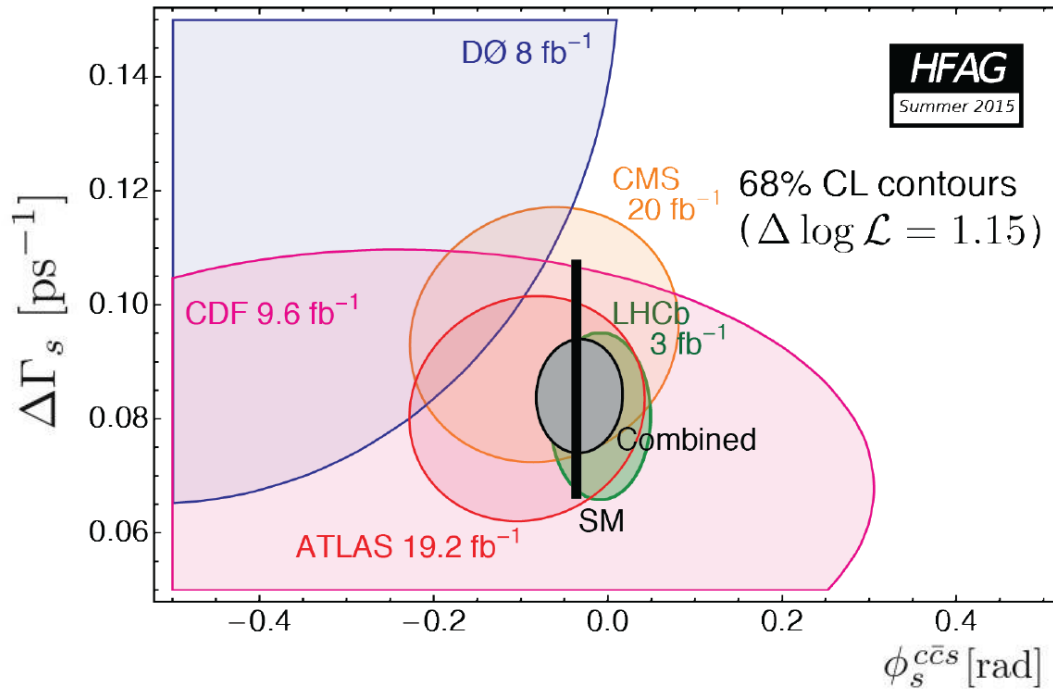
Observable	68% Prob.	95% Prob.
$\phi_{B_s} [^\circ]$	-19.9 ± 5.6	$[-30.45, -9.29]$
	-68.2 ± 4.9	$[-78.45, -58.2]$
C_{B_s}	1.07 ± 0.29	$[0.62, 1.93]$

LHCb : $\sigma_{\text{stat}}(\phi_s) \sim 0.02$ ($\sim 1^\circ$) in one LHCb year (2 fb^{-1})

A slide from introduction to Moriond QCD 2008

Weak phase ϕ_S via $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi K^+ K^-$ (ϕ)

Shown on EPS-HEP



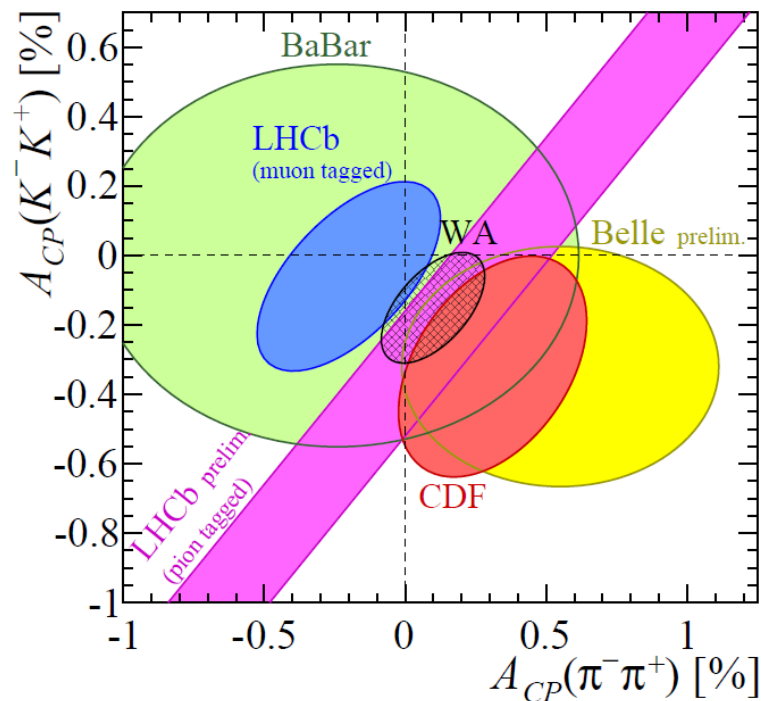
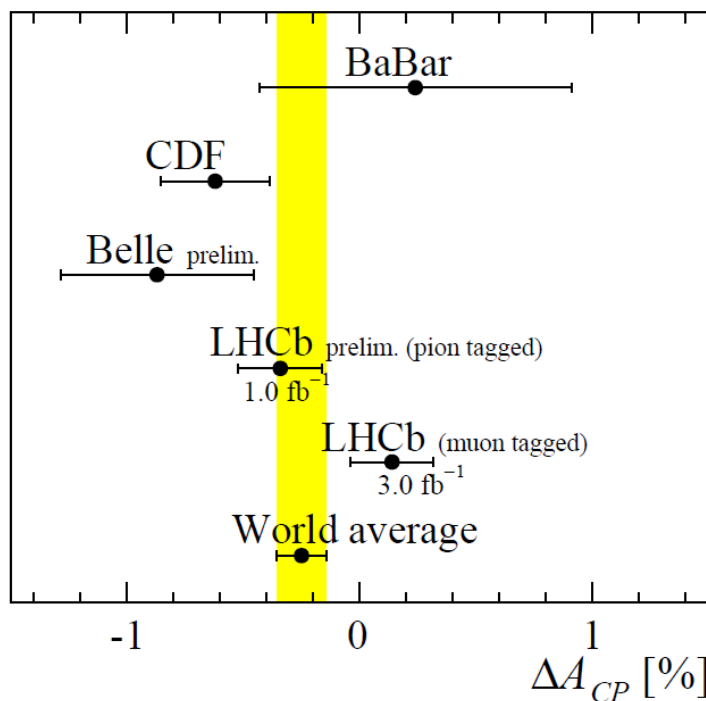
Combination of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi K^+ K^-$,
 $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$ and $B_s \rightarrow D_s^+ D_s^-$

- SM: $\phi_S = -0.0363^{+0.0014}_{-0.0012}$ rad
- Experiment: $\phi_S = -0.034 \pm 0.033$ rad

- Results consistent with SM
- Measurements statistically limited

ΔA_{CP} of $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$

□ CPV in charm, 1% effects would mean NP



□ $A_{CP}(K^+K^-) = (-0.016 \pm 0.012)\%$

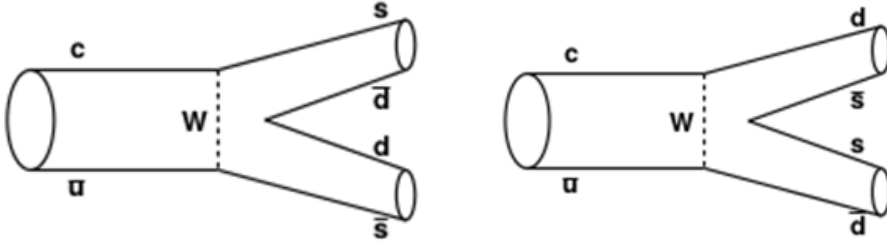
□ $A_{CP}(\pi^+\pi^-) = (-0.05 \pm 0.15)\%$

□ $\Delta A_{CP} = (-0.253 \pm 0.104)\%$ [HFAG 2/2015]

CP asymmetry in $D^0 \rightarrow K^0_S K^0_S$

arXiv:1508.06087 3.0 fb⁻¹

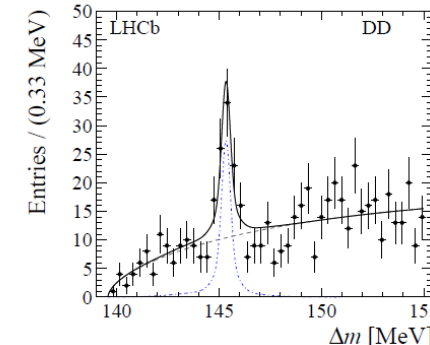
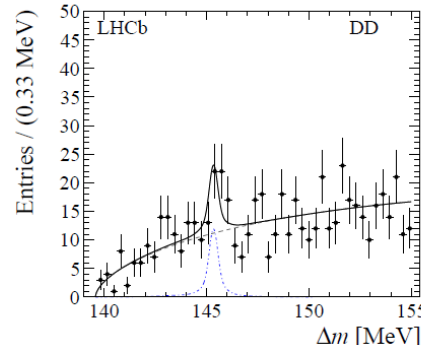
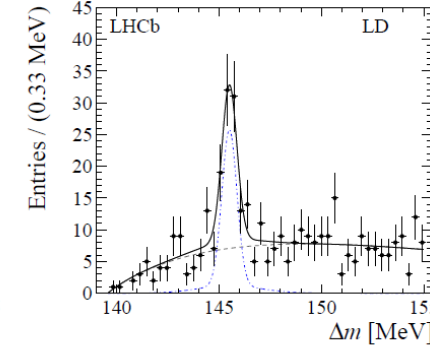
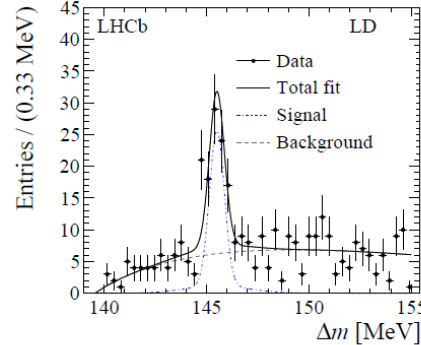
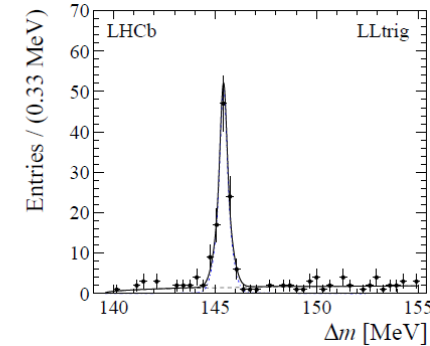
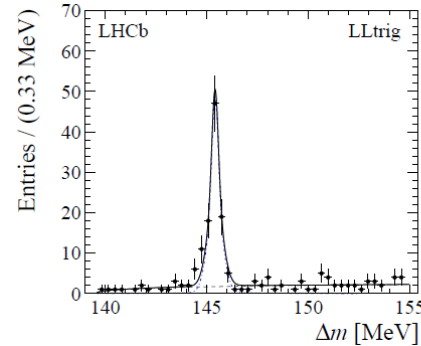
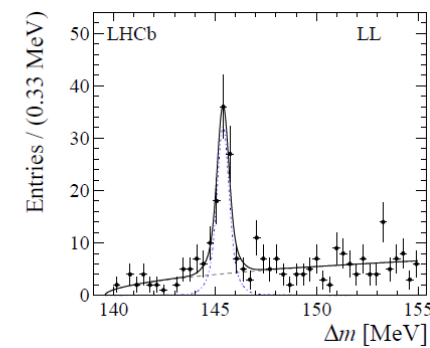
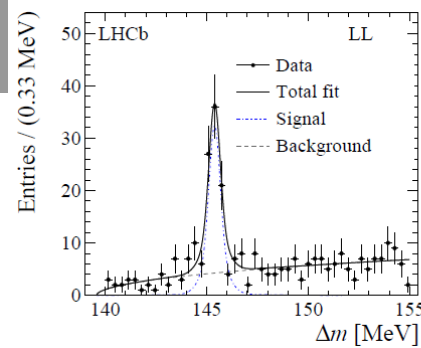
- $D^0 \rightarrow K^0_S K^0_S$ proceeds via two annihilation diagrams, in SM phases cancel



- Can only trigger on cases where both K^0_S decay in VELO ("LLtrig")
 - Three other categories with 0 (DD), 1 (LD) or 2 (LL, but not triggered) K^0_S in VELO
- 600 decays, tagged by D^* charge

$$A_{CP} = -(2.9 \pm 5.2 \pm 2.2)\%$$

- Compatible with CP symmetry



$D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^- : A_F$ with semileptonic decays

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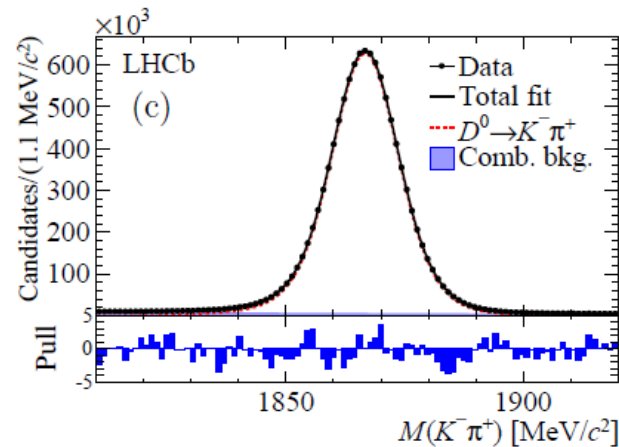
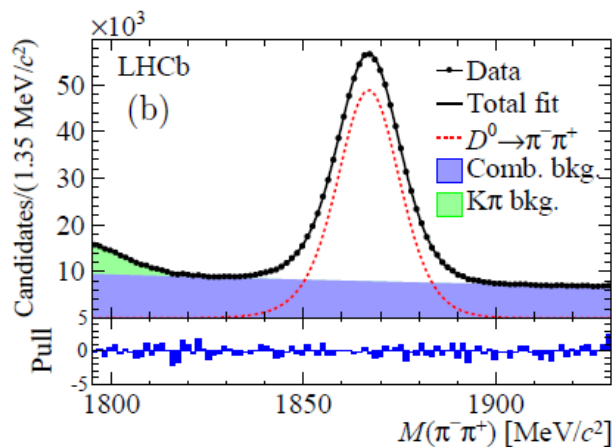
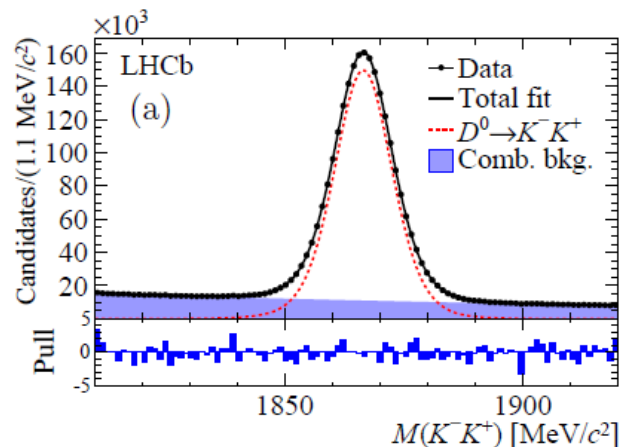
3.0 fb⁻¹

- Measurement of time-dependent CPV for $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-$, $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ and $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+K^-$ from semileptonic B-decays

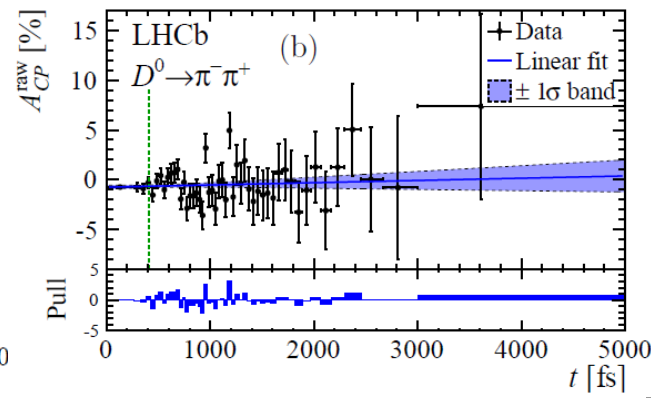
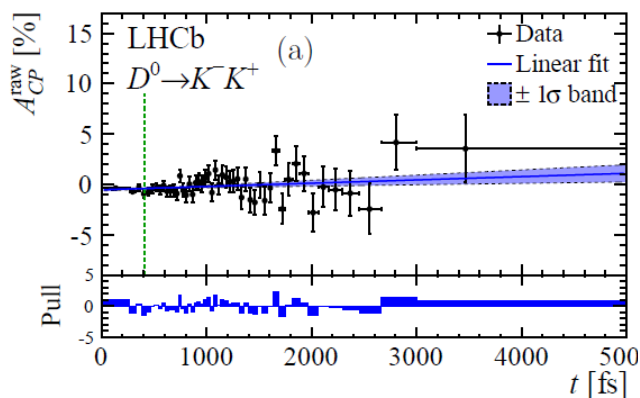
$$A_{CP}(t) \approx A_{CP}^{\text{dir}} - A_F \times t/\tau$$

- A_F is the asymmetry of effective lifetimes of D^0 and \bar{D}^0 :

$$A_F \approx \left(\frac{1}{2} A_{CP}^{\text{mix}} - A_{CP}^{\text{dir}} \right) \gamma \cos \phi - x \sin \phi$$

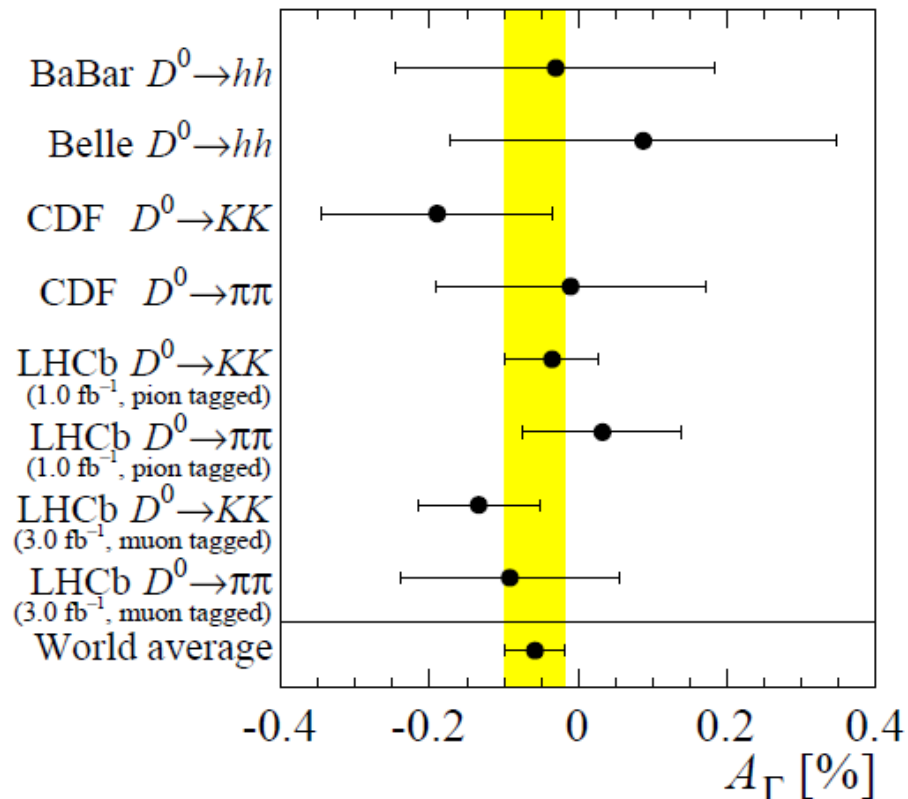


- Lifetime obtained from the $D^0\mu$ and $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ vertices



$$A_\Gamma(K^-K^+) = (-0.134 \pm 0.077^{+0.026}_{-0.034})\%$$

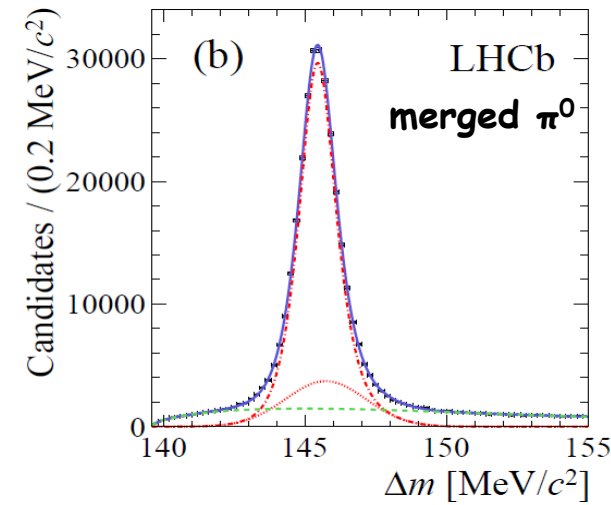
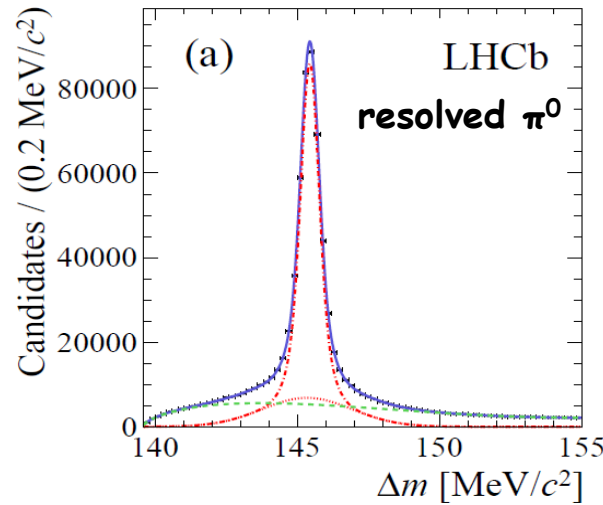
$$A_\Gamma(\pi^-\pi^+) = (-0.092 \pm 0.145^{+0.025}_{-0.033})\%$$



CPV in $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ with Energy Test

PLB 740 (2015) 158 2.0 fb⁻¹

- Model-independent search for local CP asymmetry in tagged $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ decays
- Use resolved (both γ seen) and merged π^0

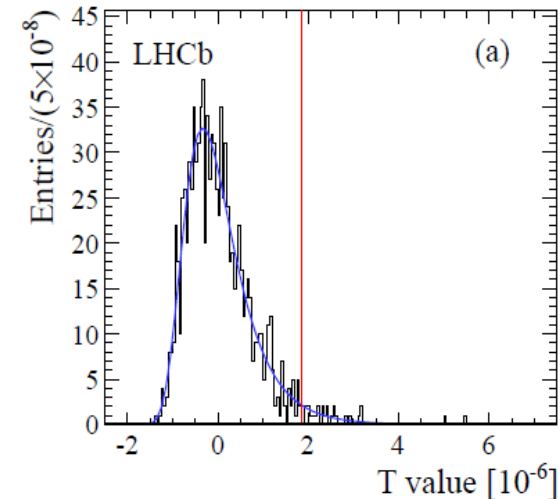
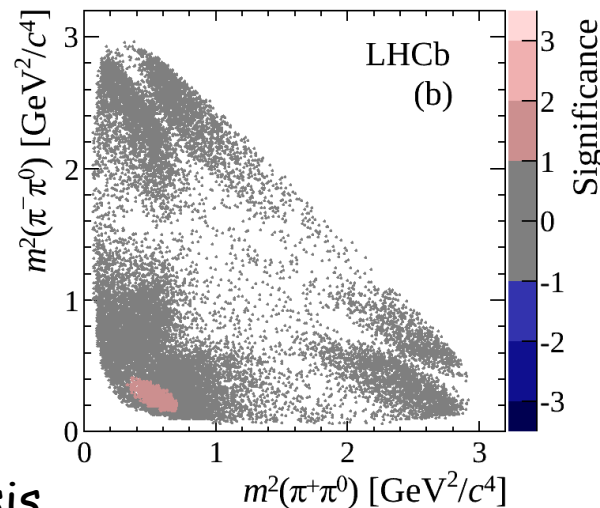


- **Energy test:** Unbinned test of compatibility between D^0 and \bar{D}^0 Dalitz distributions

- Based on distance in phase-space of events

- **Sensitive to local asymmetries**

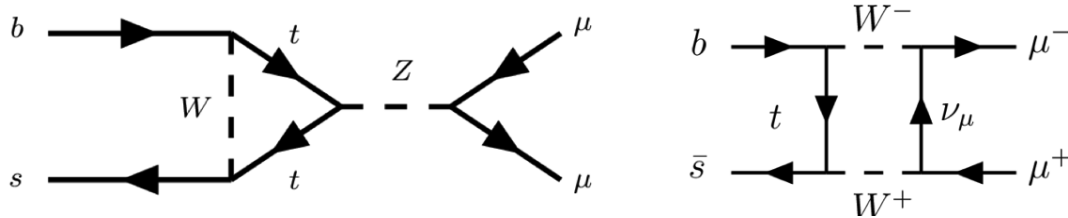
- The data are found to be consistent with the hypothesis of CP symmetry with a p-value of (2.6 ± 0.5) .



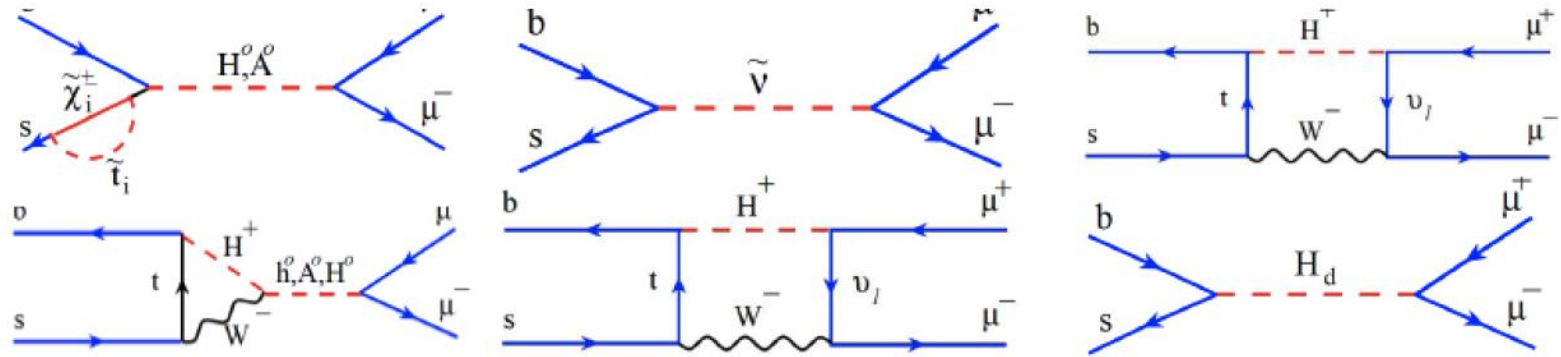
Rare decays: search for $B_{d,s} \rightarrow \mu\mu$

- Very rare in SM, CKM and helicity suppressed
- $BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu+\mu^-)_{SM} = (3.66 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-9}$, $BR(B_d \rightarrow \mu+\mu^-)_{SM} = (1.06 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-10}$

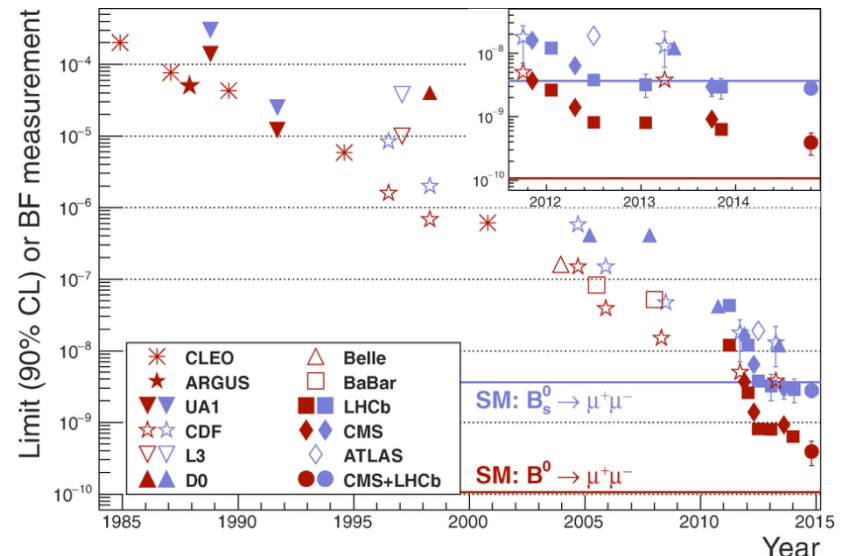
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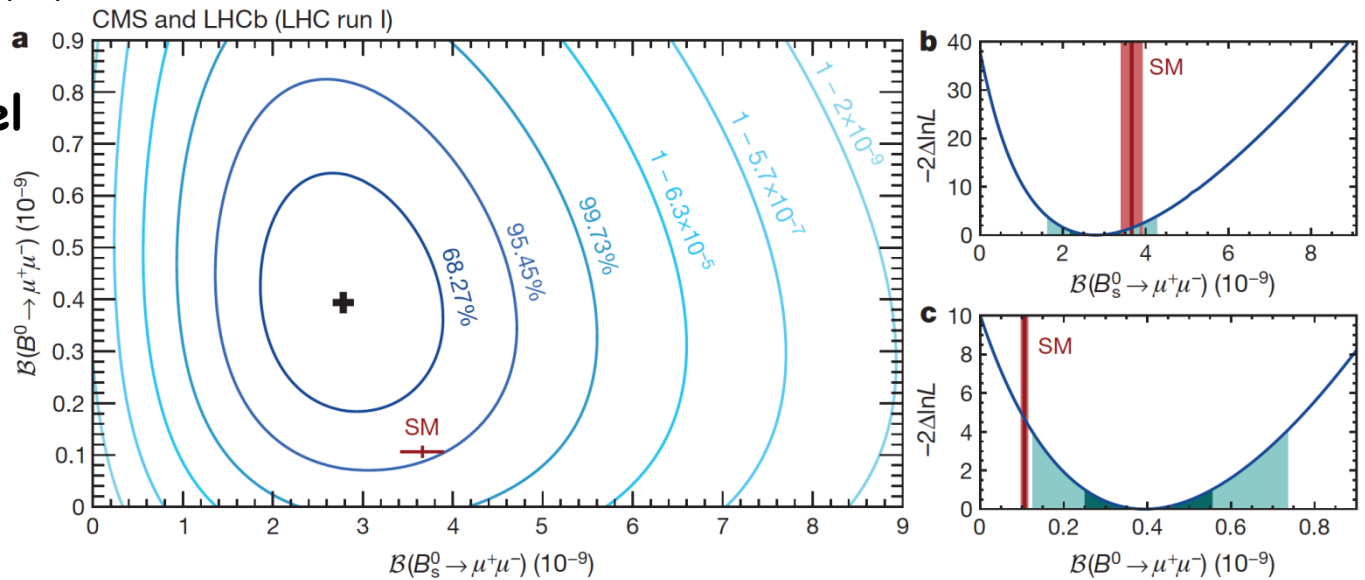
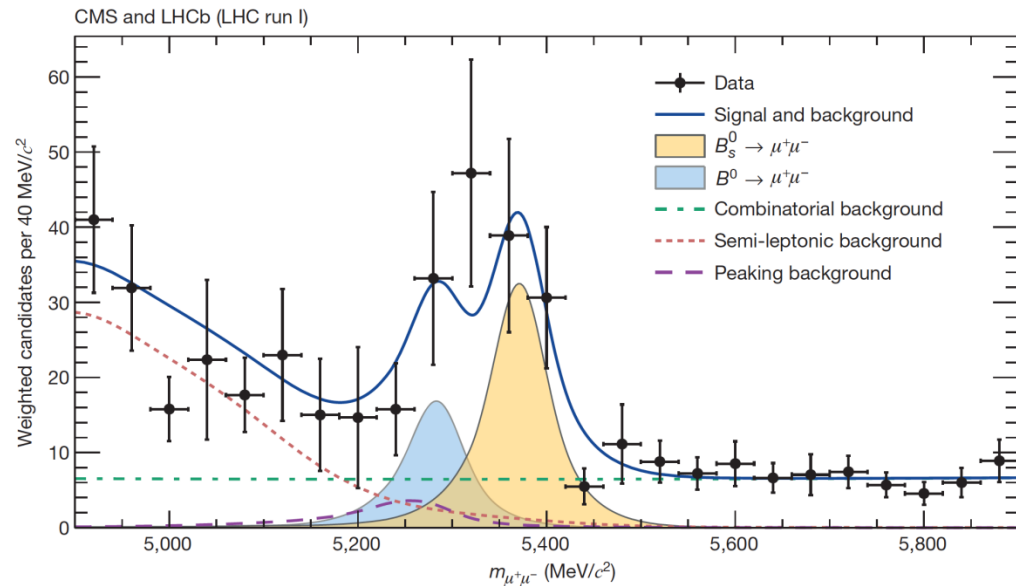
NP



- Search for B_d and B_s : BRs could be modified differently by New Physics
- Exemplary sensitivity for SUSY:
 $B(B_s \rightarrow \mu+\mu^-) \approx (\tan\beta)^6 / M_{A0}$
- Improved by 6 orders of magnitude over 30 years ...

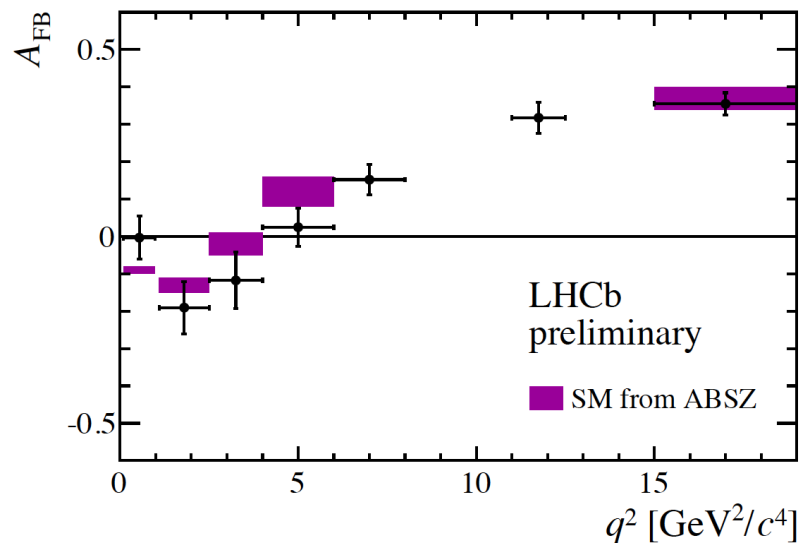
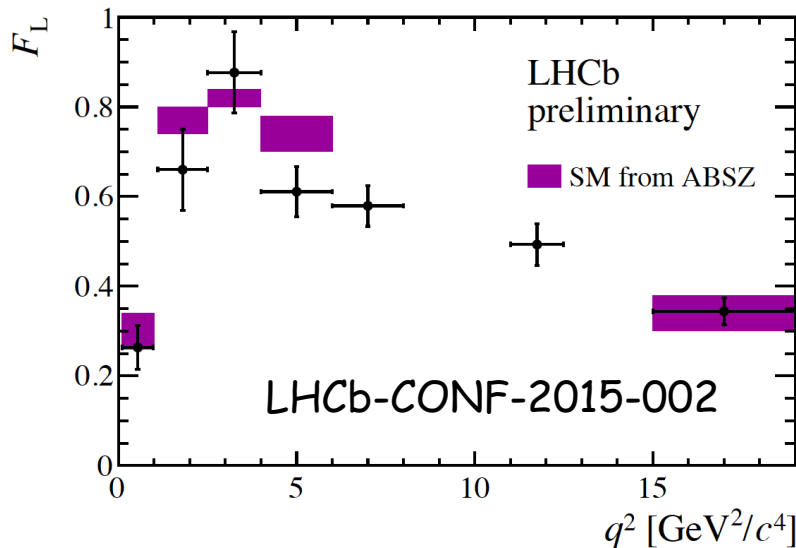
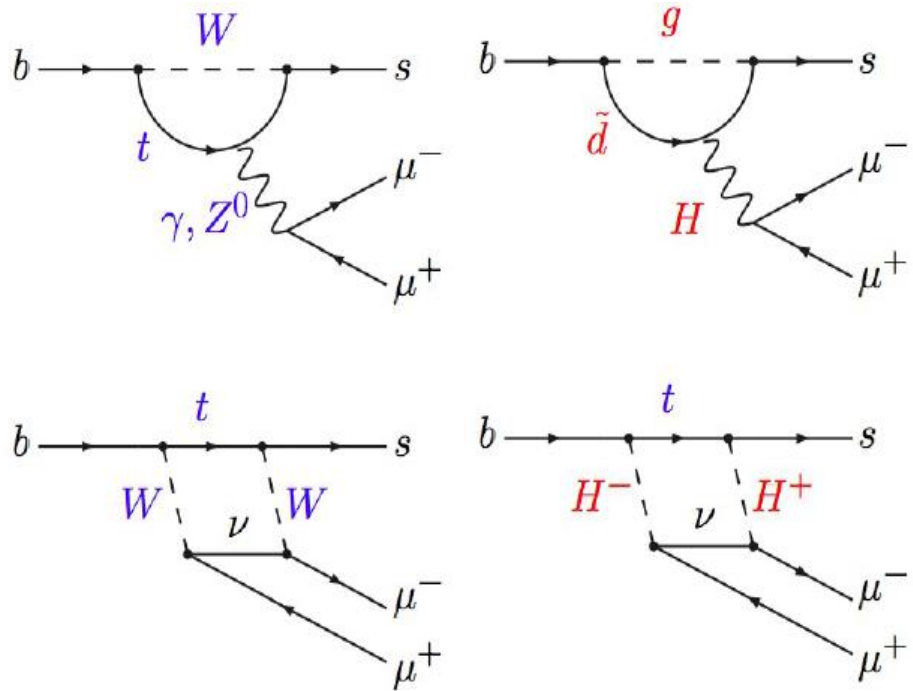


- ❑ Measurements by LHCb and CMS, complementary angular coverage, designed for different purposes
- ❑ CMS: higher instantaneous L
- ❑ LHCb: higher efficiency and dimuon mass resolution
- ❑ Combination of CMS and LHCb
- ❑ Conclusive evidence for $B_s \rightarrow \mu+\mu-$
- ❑ 3σ effect for $B^0 \rightarrow \mu+\mu-$
- ❑ Results consistent with SM at 2σ level



Angular analysis of $B_d \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$

- $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$, FCNC transition
- SM: EW penguin, box diagrams
- Possible contribution from new heavy particles (Z' , extra H...)
- Angular observables in $K^{*0}(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$ characterized by 6 amplitudes for K^{*0} helicities and $\mu^+\mu^-$ chiralities (L,R): $A_{0,\parallel,\perp}^{L,R}$
- Full set of 8 observables analysed as function of $q^2(\mu^+\mu^-)$



- Zero crossing point q_0^2 sensitive to some MSSM models [arXiv:0811.1214](https://arxiv.org/abs/0811.1214)

Angular analysis of $B_d \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$

- LHCb with 2011 dataset: local deviation from SM, $>3\sigma$ significance for P'_5 observable PRL 111 (2013) 191801

- P'_5 is related to the L/R asymmetry of the interference between A_0 and A_\perp

$$P'_5 = \sqrt{2} \text{Re} (A_0^L A_\perp^{L*} - A_0^R A_\perp^{R*}) / \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)} = S_5 / \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}$$

$$F_L = |A_0^L|^2 + |A_0^R|^2$$

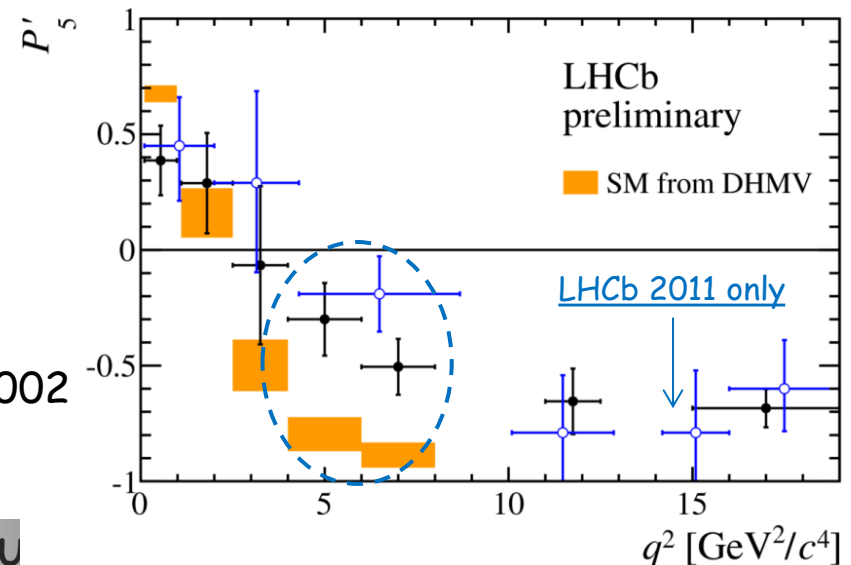
- **Sensitive to NP in VV or VA** (Wilson coefficient C_9)

S. Descotes-Genon, L. Hofer, J. Matias and J. Virto, arXiv:1407.8526

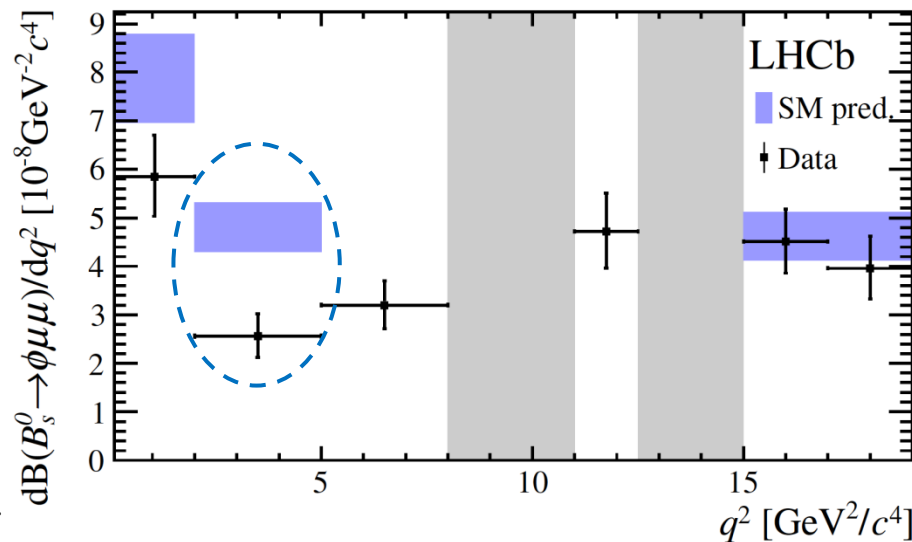
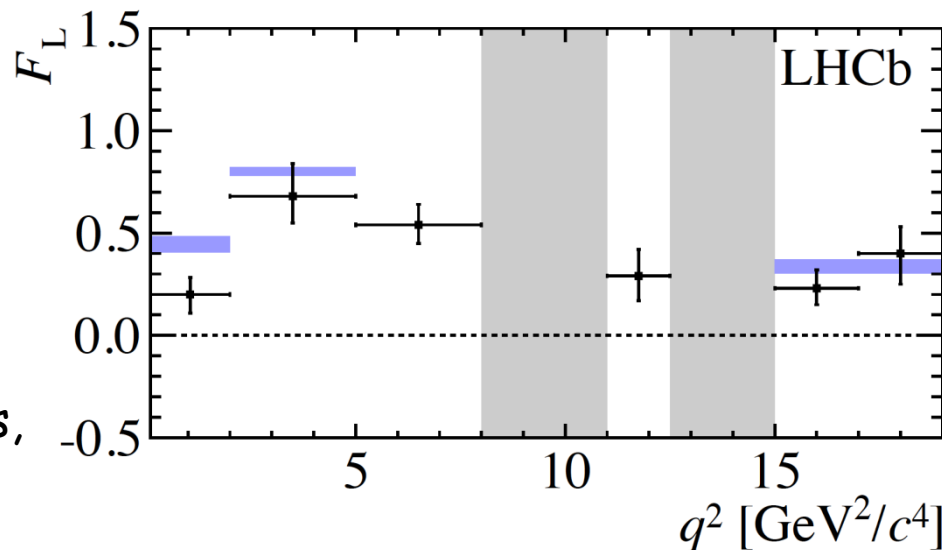
- Many interpretations of this discrepancy: over 13 papers in 2014.

- LHCb confirms a **3.7σ statistical discrepancy with 3 fb^{-1}**

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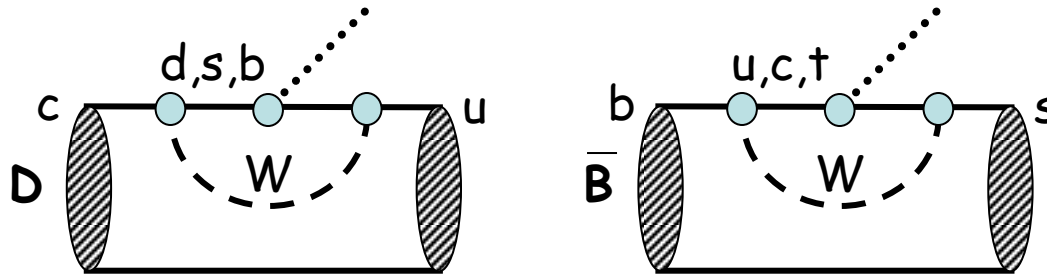


- $B_s \rightarrow \Phi(K^+K^-) \mu^+ \mu^-$ is not self-tagging
- Good complementarity (yield $\approx 1/6$)
- Full angular analysis as function of $q^2(\mu^+ \mu^-)$, all 8 observables determined for the first time
 - the observables are different from $K^* \mu \mu$ (new CPV asymmetries, no S_5 or A_{FB})
- All angular observables consistent with the SM, but a local 3.3σ tension in the BR
 - a similar trend is also seen for the BRs of other $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$ decays at LHCb:
 - $B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$, JHEP06 (2014) 133
 - $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^-$, JHEP 10 (2014) 064



Rare charm decays

- Decays are suppressed in the SM (10^{-9} - 10^{-10}), potential NP enhancement by an order of magnitude. E.g. beauty penguin wins due to t-quark contribution



Modes	Run I	Run II	Upgrade
$D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	few 10^{-9}	fewer 10^{-9}	few 10^{-10}
$D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\mu^+\mu^-$	few 10^{-8}	fewer 10^{-8}	few 10^{-9}
$D_s^+ \rightarrow K^+\mu^+\mu^-$	few 10^{-7}	fewer 10^{-7}	few 10^{-8}
$D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^{(\pm)}\mu^+\mu^-$	few 10^{-7}	fewer 10^{-7}	few 10^{-8}
$\Lambda_c \rightarrow p\mu\mu$	few 10^{-7}	fewer 10^{-7}	few 10^{-8}
$D^0 \rightarrow \mu e$	few 10^{-8}	fewer 10^{-8}	few 10^{-9}

- Based on current result, scaling for luminosity and cross section
- Current studies. With more statistics, also NP-sensitive asymmetries

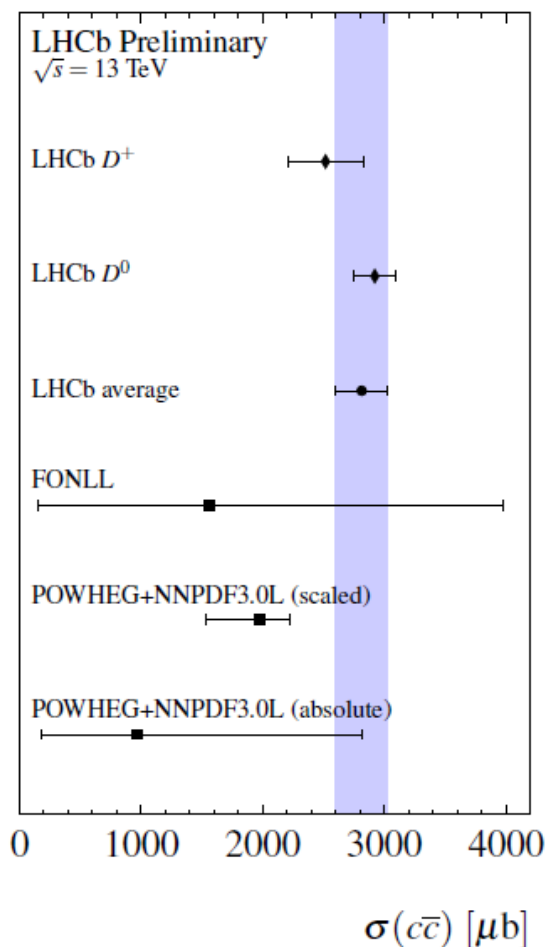
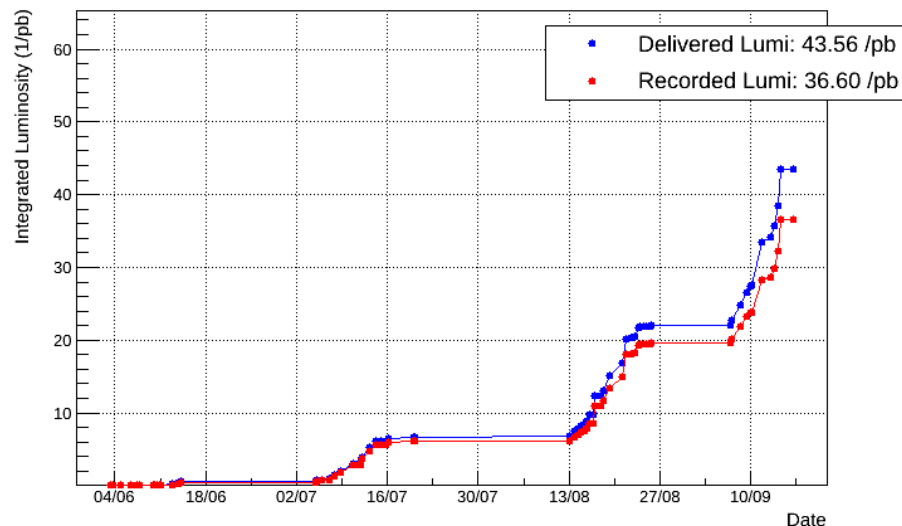
- These modes will benefit from a full-software trigger after LS2, with a gain >3 in efficiency (not included in prospects above)
- Theoretical framework to combine rare charm measurements needed

Status and outlook

❑ **LHCb, Run II** until 2018: $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV, goal is $L \sim 4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, bunch crossing spacing of 25 ns, $\mu = 1.4$

❑ LHC is progressing to deliver nominal L

LHCb Integrated Luminosity at p-p 6.5 TeV in 2015



$b\bar{b}$ cross-section with 4π extrapolation*

arXiv:1509.00771

$$\sigma = 515 \pm 2(\text{stat}) \pm 53(\text{syst}) \mu\text{b}$$

$c\bar{c}$ production cross-section

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$$\sigma(c\bar{c}) = 2850 \pm 3(\text{stat}) \pm 180(\text{syst}) \pm 140(\text{frag}) \mu\text{b}$$

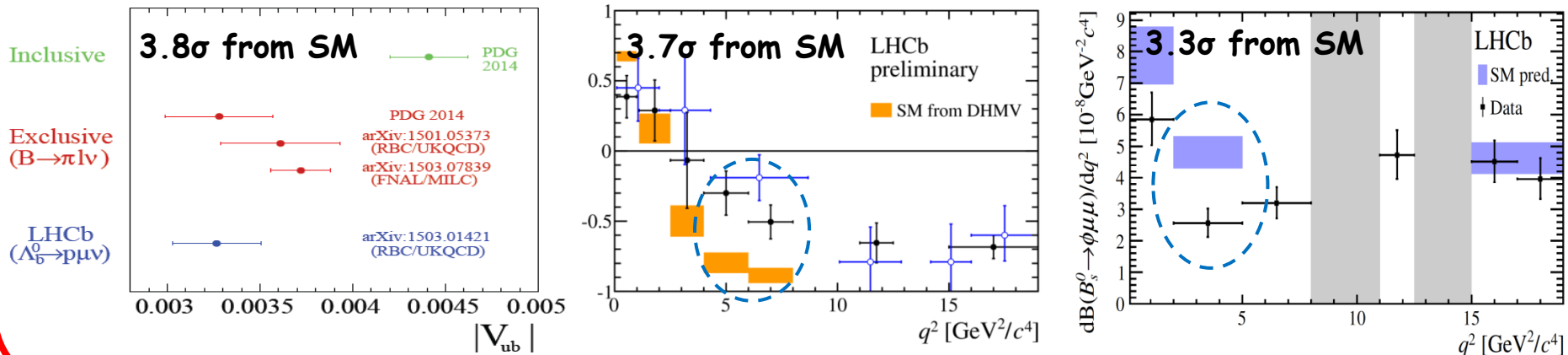
Collect and exploit data !

❑ **Upgraded LHCb, Run III** from 2019-2020 on: $\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV, $L \sim 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ (newcoming detectors designed to operate at $L \sim 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$), bunch crossing spacing of 25 ns, $\mu = 2$, improved trigger efficiency, $\int L dt \sim 5 \text{ fb}^{-1} / \text{year}$

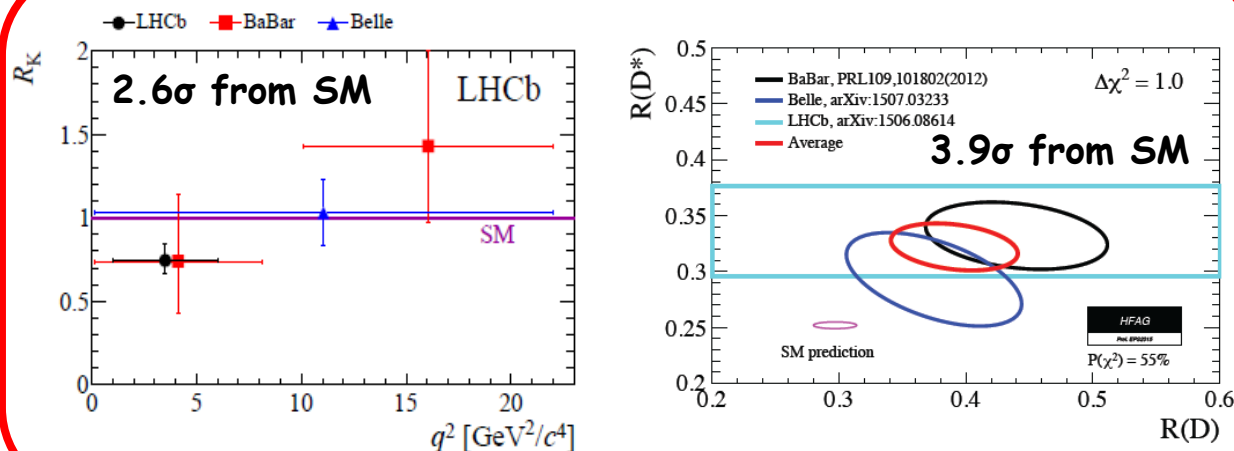
Conclusions

□ Do we start seeing signs of effects beyond SM ?

Promising differences in the studies covered in the talk



Differences in the studies left beyond the talk

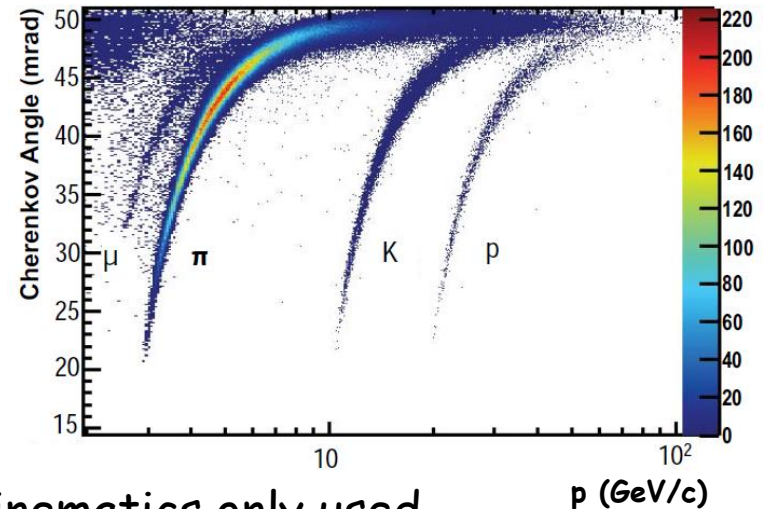


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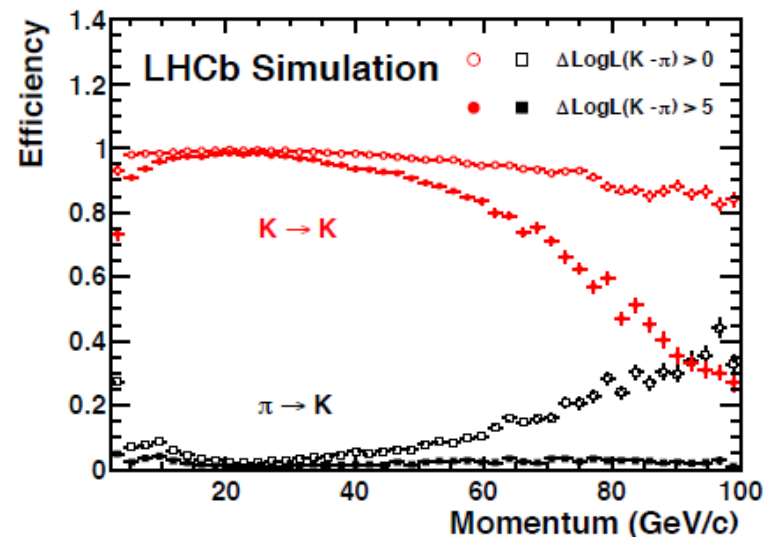
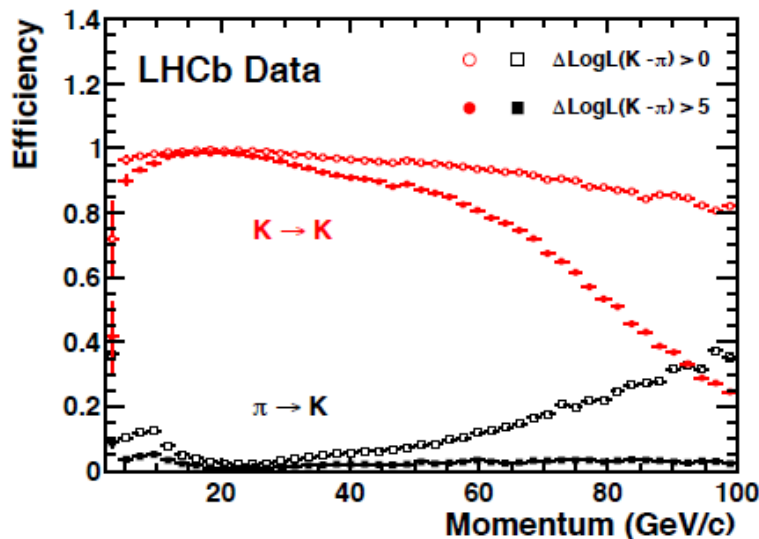
RICH detectors : charged particles identification performance

- Reconstructed Cherenkov angle for isolated tracks, as a function of track momentum in the C_4F_{10} radiator

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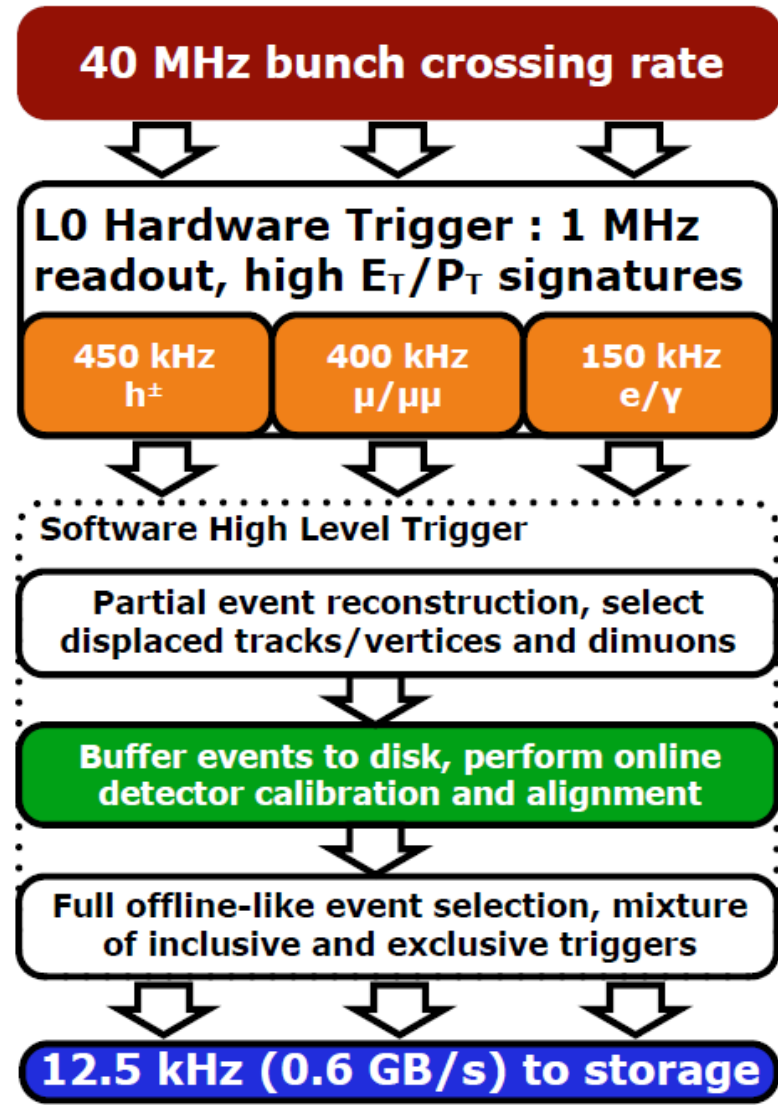
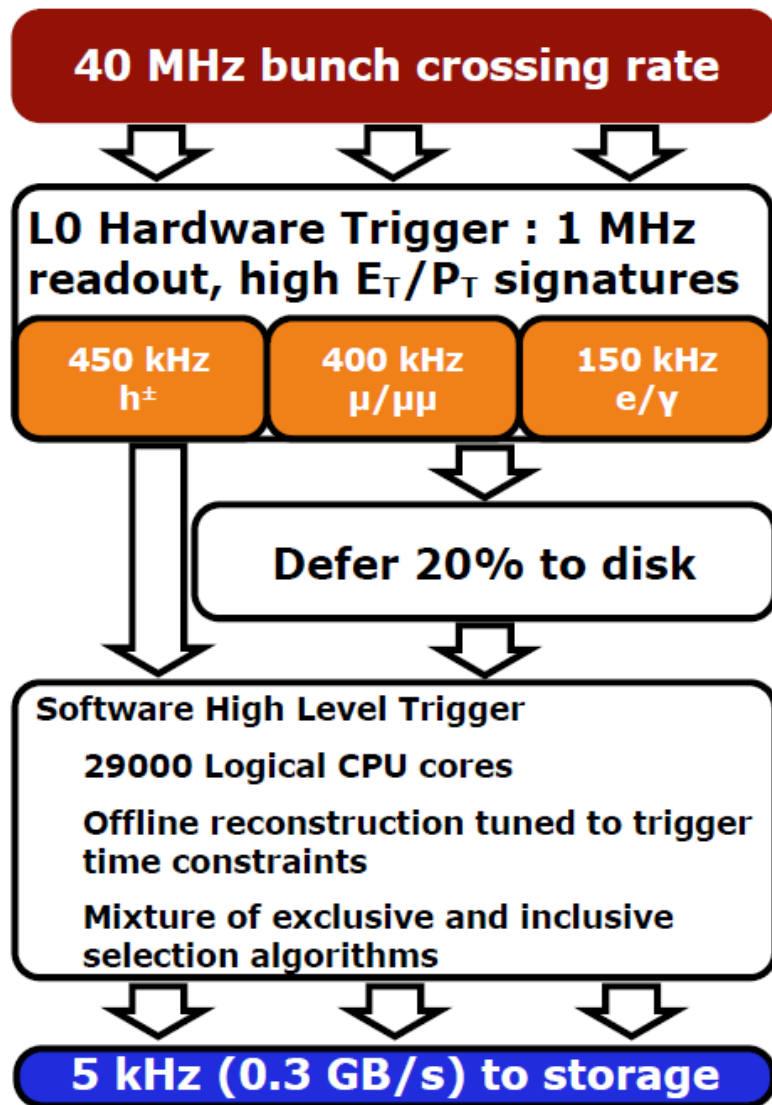
- Genuine $\pi/K/p$ samples identified from kinematics only used to evaluate particle identification (PID) performance from data
- Efficiency/rejection: reasonable agreement between data and simulation



Trigger

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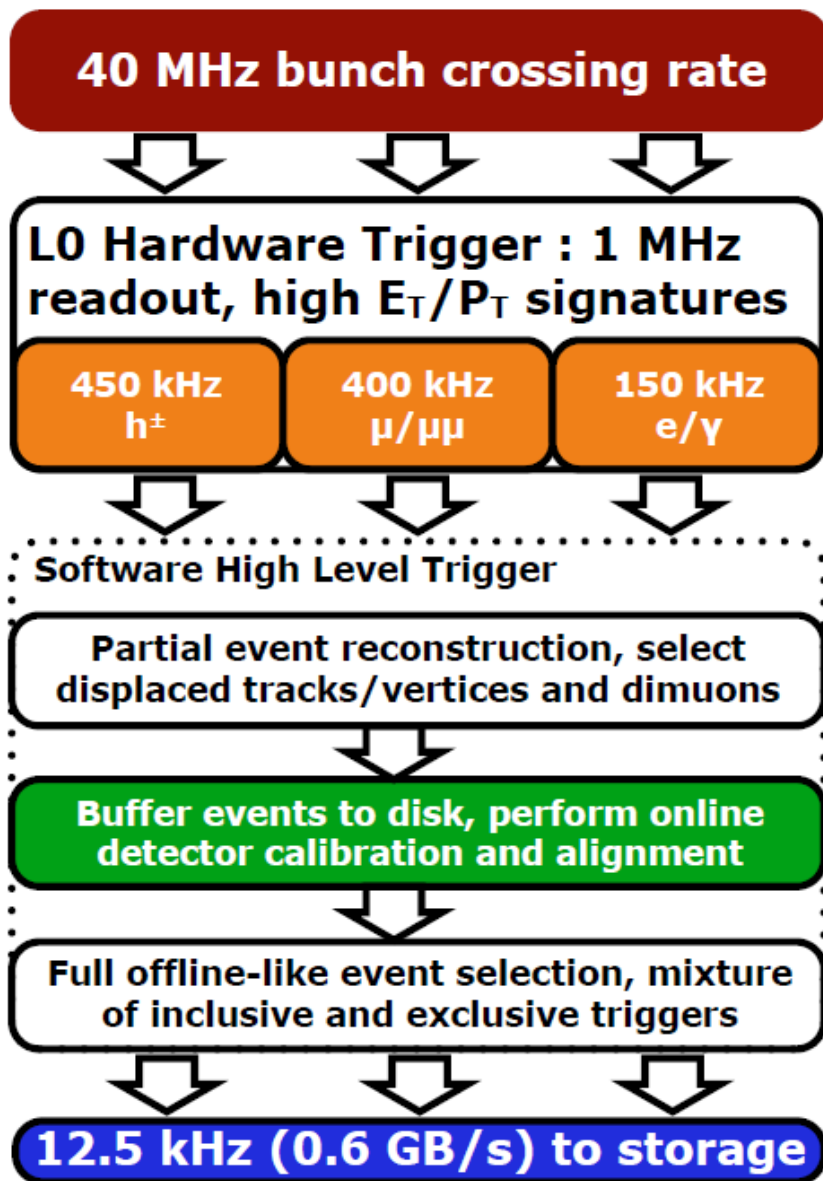
2015



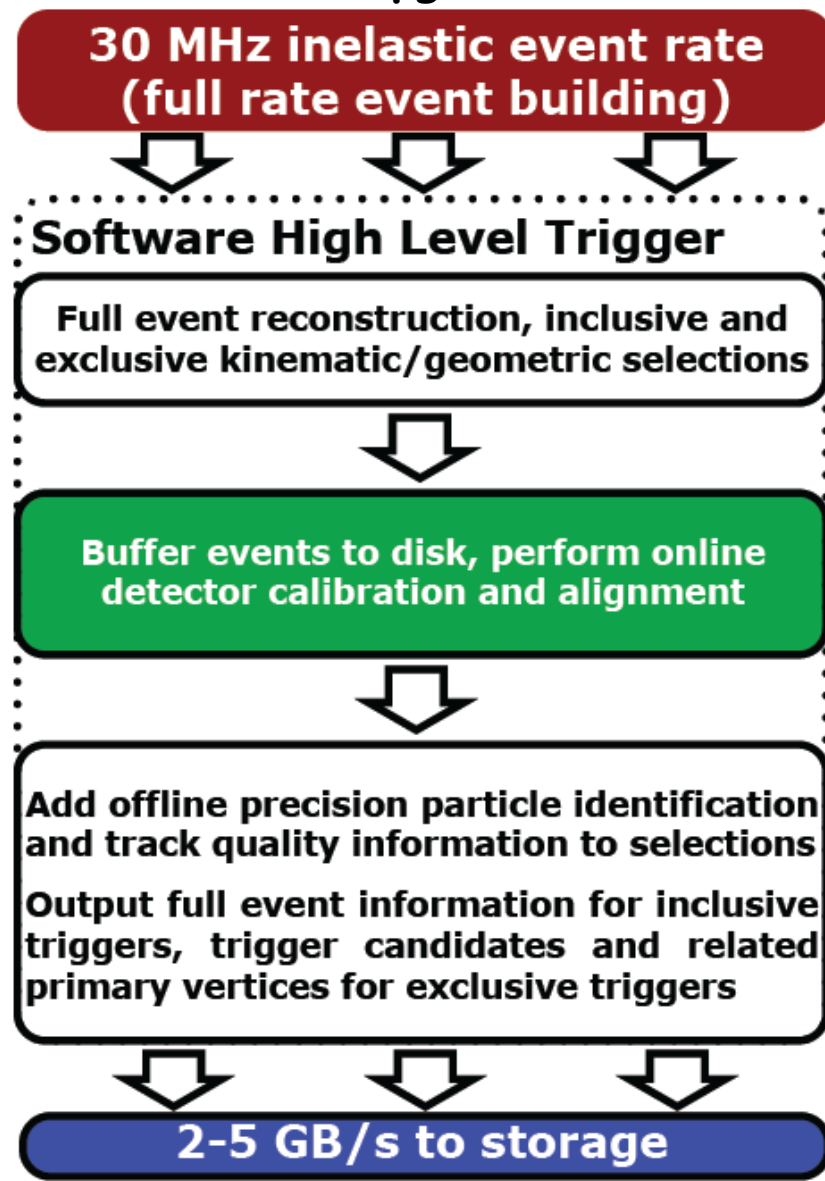
- For 5 kHz of 12 kHz only trigger information saved
- Small events, fast analysis: high yield exclusive trigger lines

Trigger

2015



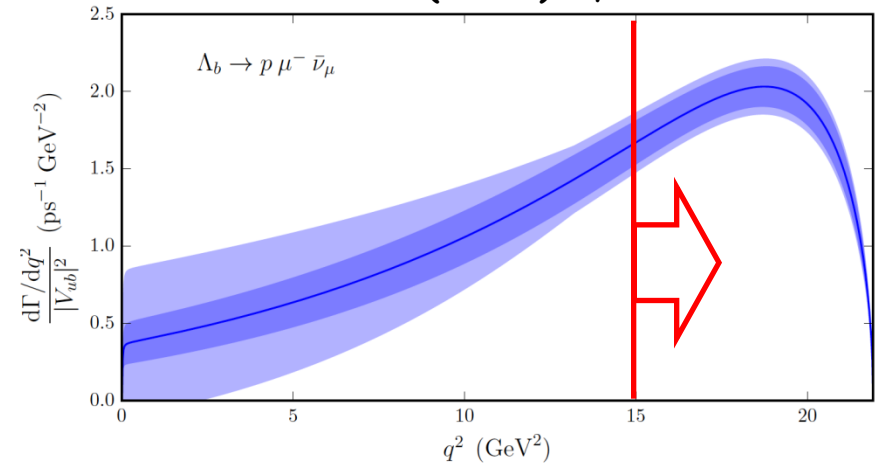
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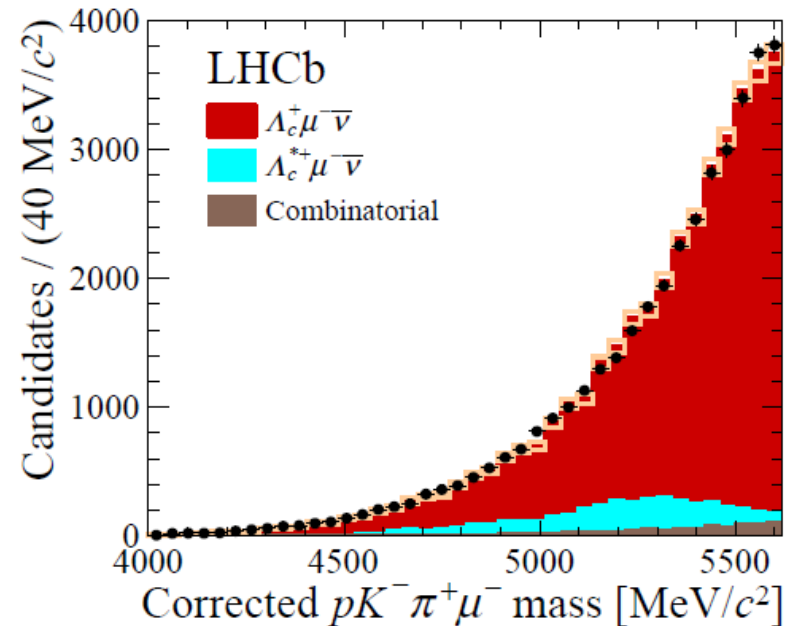
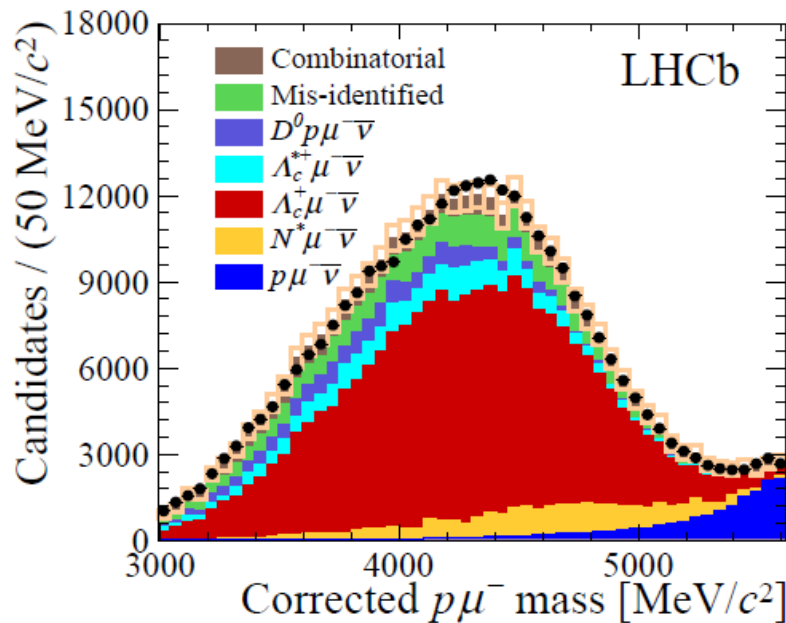
$|V_{ub}/V_{cb}|$ from $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p\mu\nu$ / $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+\mu\nu$

- Lattice QCD form factors, needed in the calculation of $|V_{ub}|$, are most precise at high q^2 ($\mu\nu$)
- q^2 determined using Λ_b flight direction and mass, up to a two-fold ambiguity
- Vertex isolation is used, $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$ cross-feed is the main background

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□ In SM ratios

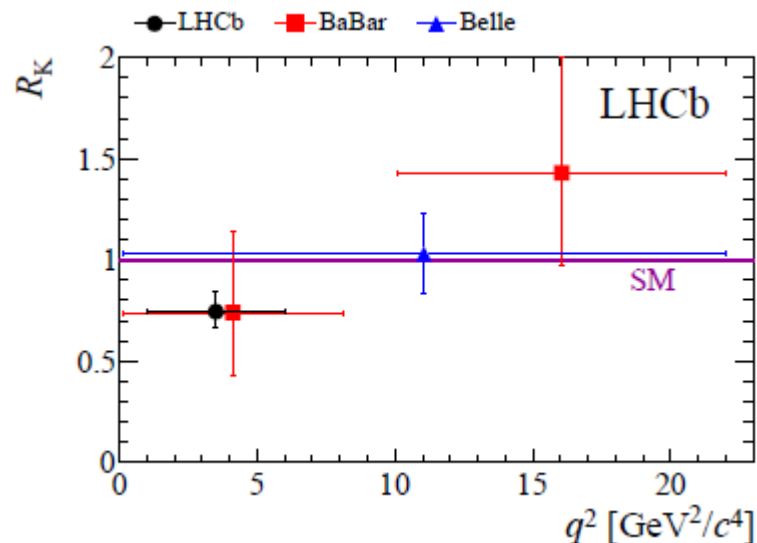
$$R_K = \frac{\int d\Gamma[B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-]/dq^2 \cdot dq^2}{\int d\Gamma[B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-]/dq^2 \cdot dq^2} \quad \text{and} \quad R(D^{(*)}) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \nu_\ell)}$$

are different from unity only due phase space difference

□ LHCb, Run I :

$$R_K = 0.745^{+0.090}_{-0.074} {}^{+0.036}_{-0.036}$$

for $1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2$, consistent with the SM
at 2.6σ



$B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu$

□ Lepton universality can be broken by new physics with τ lepton arXiv:1504.06339

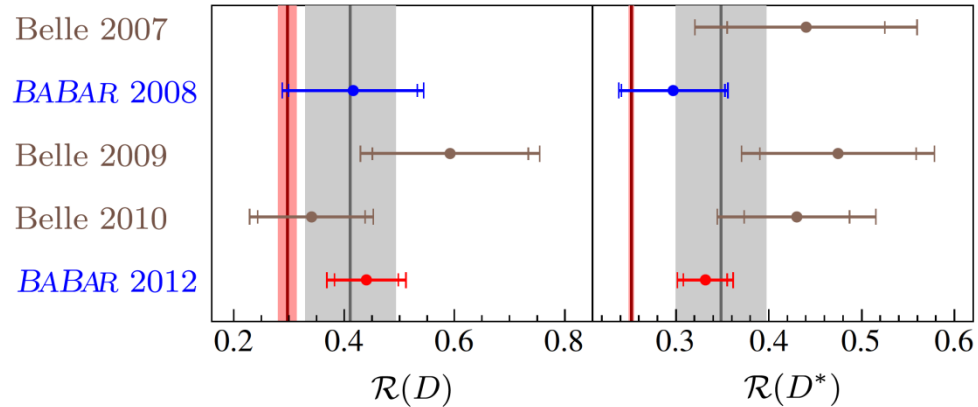
□ Ratios like $R(D^*) = BR(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu) / BR(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \mu \nu)$ are sensitive to it

□ In two Higgs doublet models (2HDM),

the D/D^* helicity amplitudes H_s :
$$H_s^{2HDM} \approx H_s^{SM} \left(1 + (S_R \pm S_L) \frac{q^2}{m_\tau(m_b \mp m_c)} \right)$$

□ BaBar and Belle reported anomalous high values of $R(D^*)$ and $R(D)$:

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□ Those exclude 2HDM where $S_L = 0$ (type II, minimal SUSY) in the full $\tan\beta - m_{H^\pm}$ plane, but are compatible with general 2HDM having $|S_R + S_L| < 1.4$

□ LHCb : First $b \rightarrow \tau$ reco at a hadron collider, $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau$ and $B^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu$ identical final state topologies with $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 (\rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \pi^+$ and $\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu \nu_\tau$

$$R(D^*) = 0.336 \pm 0.027 \pm 0.030$$

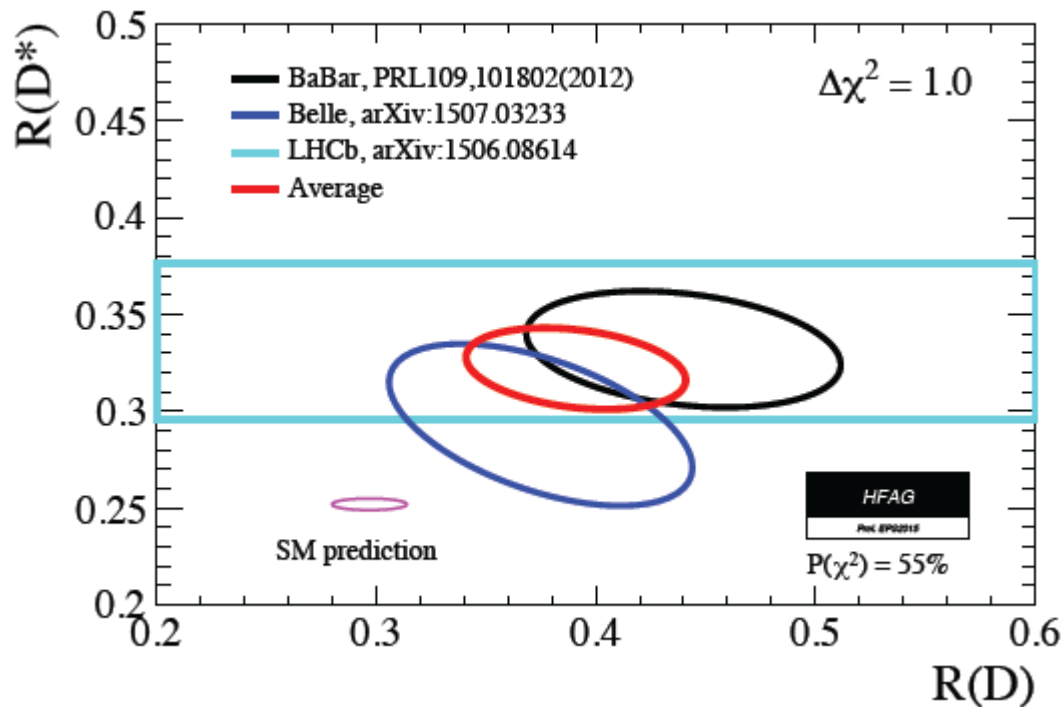
□ LHCb result *confirms* the excess to the SM value 0.252 ± 0.003

$B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu$

□ Combination is 3.9σ from the SM expectation:

$$R(D) = 0.297 \pm 0.017 \quad R(D^*) = 0.252 \pm 0.003$$

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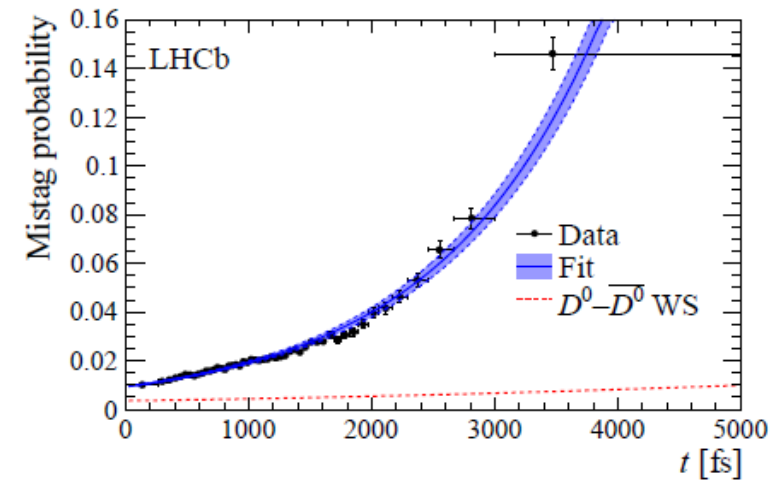
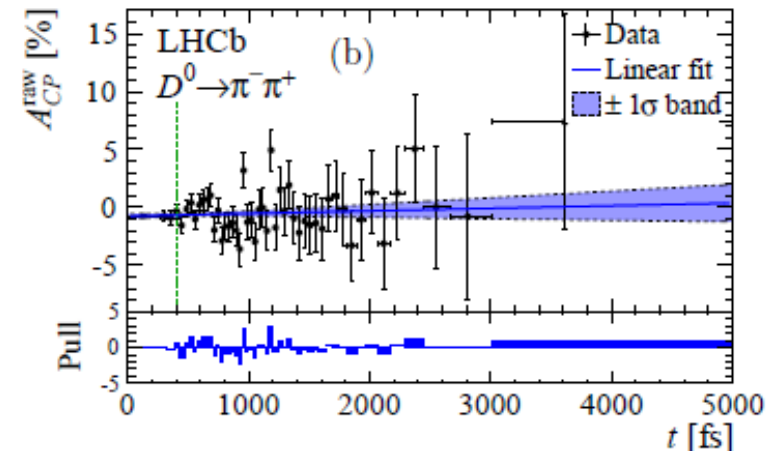
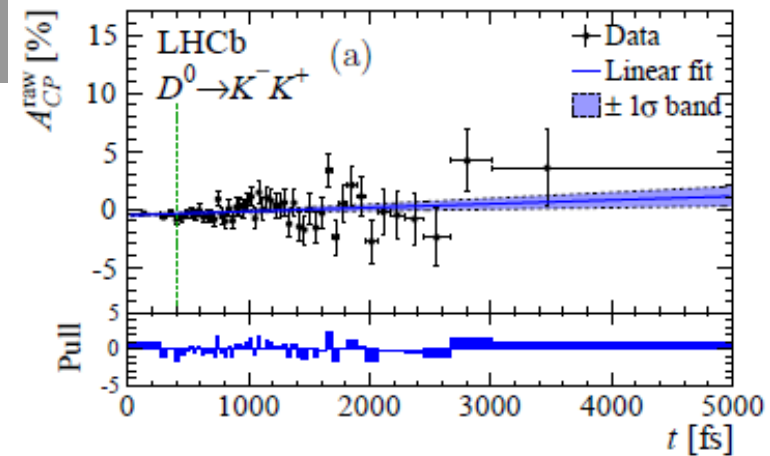


$D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^- : A_F$ with semileptonic decays

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□ Lifetime obtained from $D^0\mu$ and $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ vertices

- Mistag asymmetry is the largest systematic uncertainty
- Mistag larger for larger lifetimes.
Checked with $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$

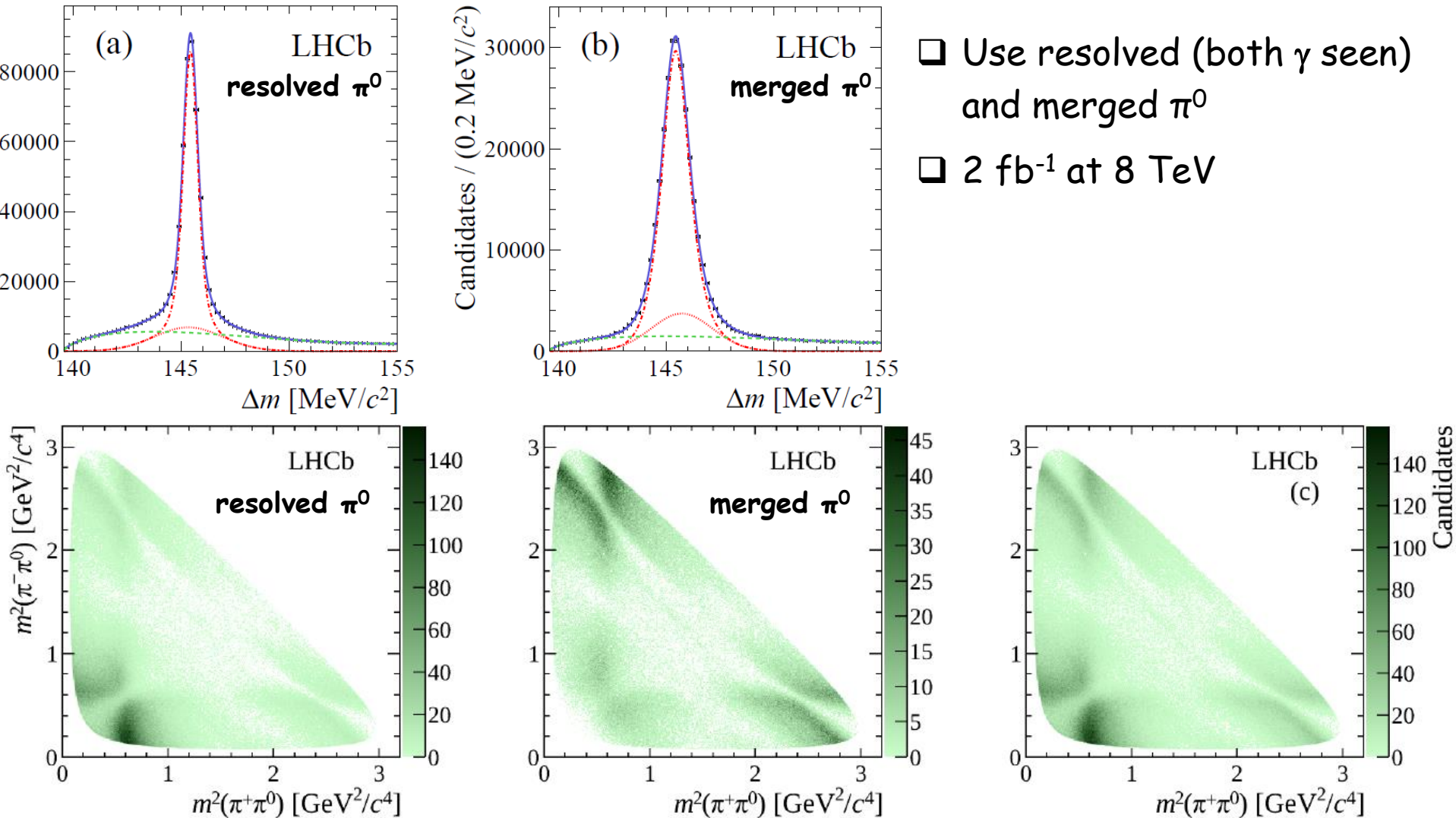


CPV in $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ with Energy Test

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□ Model-independent search for local CP asymmetry in tagged $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-\pi^0$ decays

- Use resolved (both γ seen) and merged π^0
- 2 fb^{-1} at 8 TeV



Energy test

- Test statistic to compare average distances in phase space

$$T = \sum_{i,j>i}^n \frac{\psi_{ij}}{n(n-1)} + \sum_{i,j>i}^{\bar{n}} \frac{\psi_{ij}}{\bar{n}(\bar{n}-1)} - \sum_{i,j}^{\frac{n,\bar{n}}{n\bar{n}}} \frac{\psi_{ij}}{n\bar{n}}$$

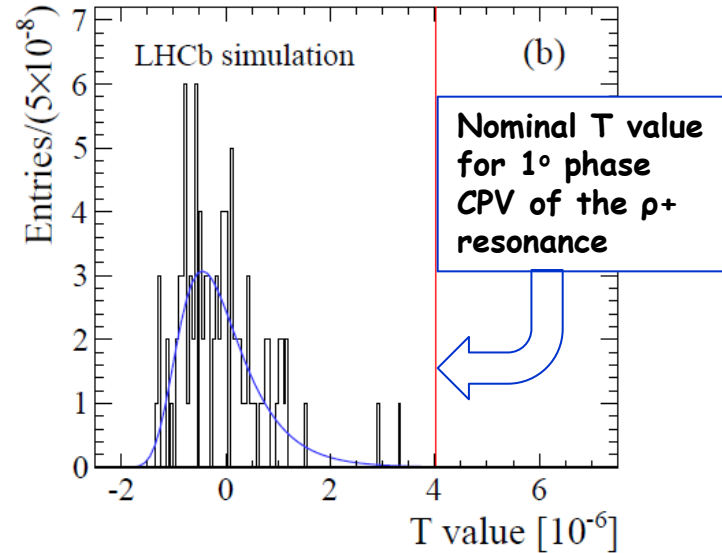
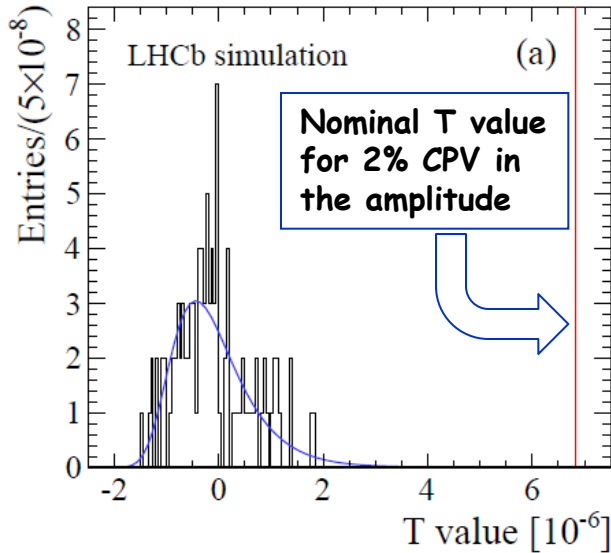
weighted average distance of events in one flavour sample to events of the opposite flavour sample

- Metric functions correspond to events i,j belonging to two samples of opposite flavour.
- Normalisation factors in the denominator remove impact of global asymmetries.
- If the distributions of events in both flavour samples are identical, T fluctuates around a value close to zero.
- Choose Gaussian metric $\psi_{ij} \equiv \psi(d_{ij}) = e^{-d_{ij}^2/2\sigma^2}$, that decreases with a distance to improve sensitivity to local asymmetries
- Remove dependence on the choice of Dalitz plot axes by choosing d_{ij} as

$$\Delta \vec{x}_{ij} = (m_{12}^{2,j} - m_{12}^{2,i}, m_{23}^{2,j} - m_{23}^{2,i}, m_{13}^{2,j} - m_{13}^{2,i})$$
- Larger CP asymmetries lead to larger T values \rightarrow determine p-value under hypothesis of CP symmetry by comparing nominal T value from data to a distribution of T values from permutation samples, where the flavour of each candidate is randomly reassigned to simulate samples without CPV
- p-value for the no CPV hypothesis is obtained as the fraction of permutation T values greater than the nominal T value

Energy test

- Permutation T values fitted with a GEV function



- Visualisation of regions of significant asymmetry is obtained by assigning asymmetry significance to each event. Contributions to the total T value of a single event:

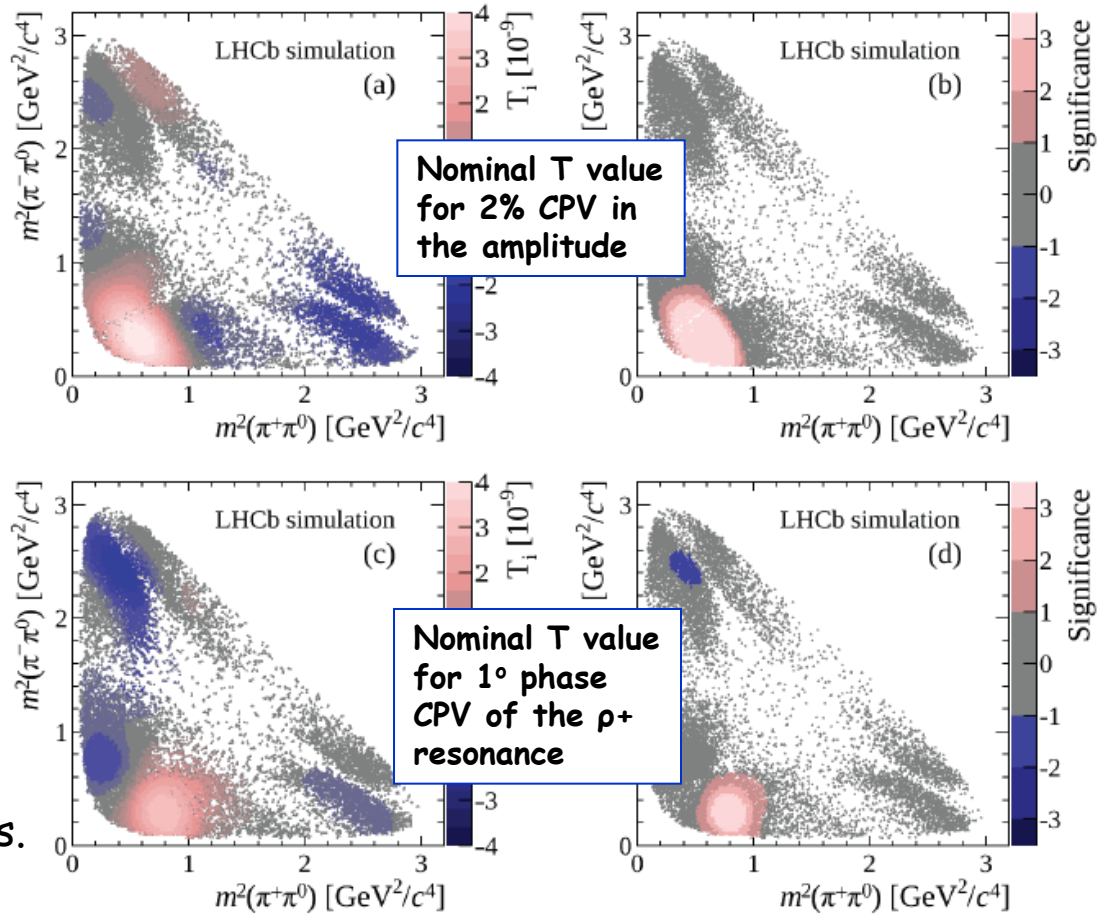
- one flavour :
$$T_i = \frac{1}{2n(n-1)} \sum_{j \neq i}^n \psi_{ij} - \frac{1}{2n\bar{n}} \sum_j^{\bar{n}} \psi_{ij},$$

- opposite flavour :
$$\bar{T}_i = \frac{1}{2\bar{n}(\bar{n}-1)} \sum_{j \neq i}^{\bar{n}} \psi_{ij} - \frac{1}{2n\bar{n}} \sum_j^n \psi_{ij}.$$

- Permutation method to define the level of significance, distributions of the smallest negative ($T_{\min,i}$) and largest positive ($T_{\max,i}$) T_i values of each permutation.
- Positive (negative) local asymmetry significances : T_i values greater (smaller) than the fraction of the $T_{\max,i}$ ($T_{\min,i}$) distribution that corresponds to the significance level.
- Same procedure for anti- T_i distribution, Dalitz plot with an inverted asymmetry pattern.

Energy test

- Amplitude difference between CP-conjugate states of a resonance → region of significant asymmetry as a band around the mass of the resonance
- Phase difference → regions of positive and negative asymmetry around the resonance

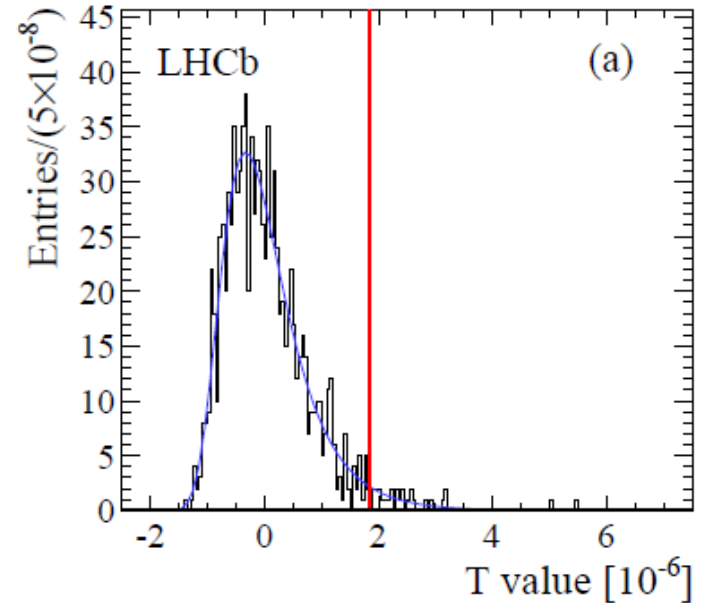


- Sensitivities to various CPV scenarios. ΔA and $\Delta \phi$: change in amplitude and phase of the resonance R

R (ΔA , $\Delta \phi$)	p -value (fit)	Upper limit
ρ^0 (4%, 0°)	$3.3^{+1.1}_{-3.3} \times 10^{-4}$	4.6×10^{-4}
ρ^0 (0%, 3°)	$1.5^{+1.7}_{-1.4} \times 10^{-3}$	3.8×10^{-3}
ρ^+ (2%, 0°)	$5.0^{+8.8}_{-3.8} \times 10^{-6}$	1.8×10^{-5}
ρ^+ (0%, 1°)	$6.3^{+5.5}_{-3.3} \times 10^{-4}$	1.4×10^{-3}
ρ^- (2%, 0°)	$2.0^{+1.3}_{-0.9} \times 10^{-3}$	3.9×10^{-3}
ρ^- (0%, 1.5°)	$8.9^{+22}_{-6.7} \times 10^{-7}$	4.2×10^{-6}

Energy test

Permutation T value distribution showing the fit function and the measured T value as a red line



Visualisation of local asymmetry significances. Positive (negative) asymmetry significance : D^0 candidates having positive (negative) contribution to the measured T value

Results for various metric parameter values. The p-values are obtained with the counting method

σ [GeV^2/c^4]	p -value
0.2	$(4.6 \pm 0.6) \times 10^{-2}$
0.3	$(2.6 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-2}$
0.4	$(1.7 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-2}$
0.5	$(2.1 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-2}$

