



Experimental studies on heavy flavor physics: what is next?

An experimental sketchbook, not a comprehensive review!



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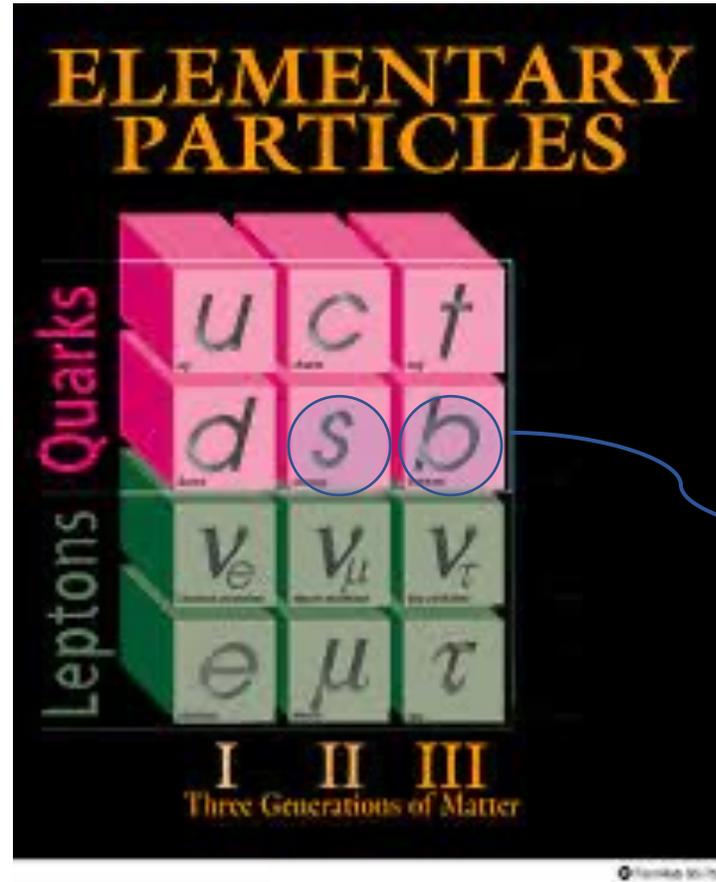
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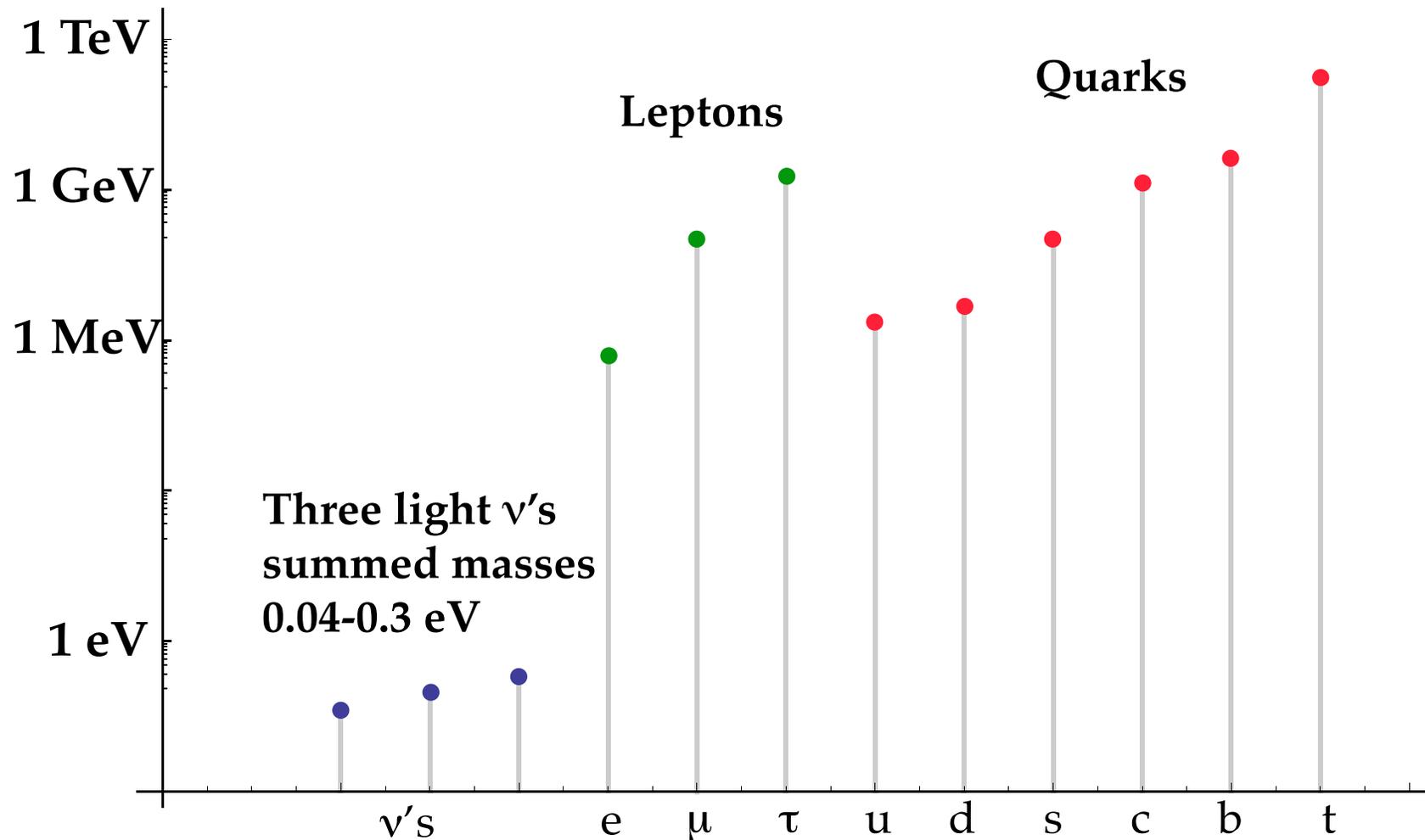
What is flavor physics?

- Flavor physics is the physics that distinguishes the 3 generations: in the Standard Model described by the *Yukawa Lagrangian (fermion masses and couplings)*
- Definition of heavy flavor is a bit fuzzy [t-quark is the heaviest and generally in its own category]



- Emphasis of this talk – and time span is LHC era
- FCC-ee covered by R. Novotny
- Super tau-charm covered by H.P. Peng

Fermion masses



12 orders of magnitude differences not explained; t quark as heavy as Tungsten (so heavy that I do not have the strength to pursue it further here!)

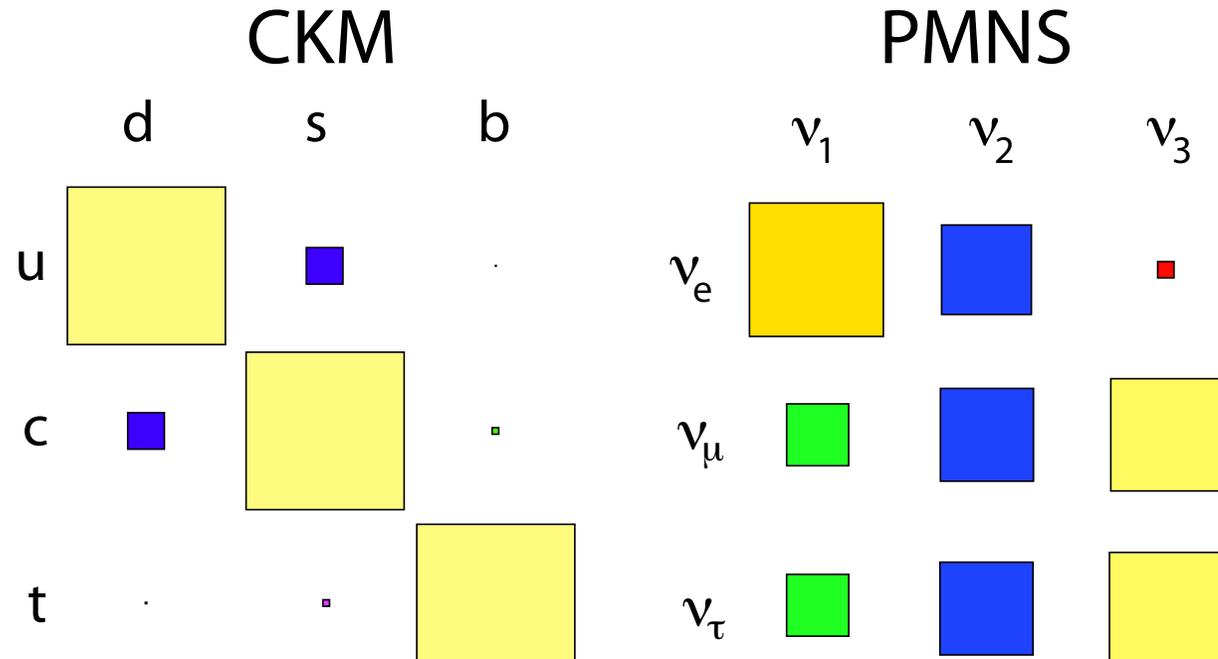
Mixing matrices

Quark sector: **C**abibbo **K**obayashi **M**askawa matrix

$$V_{\left(\begin{smallmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{smallmatrix}, \begin{smallmatrix} -1 \\ 3 \end{smallmatrix}\right)} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + O(\lambda^4)$$

Lepton sector: **P**ontercorvo-**M**aki-**N**akagawa-**S**akata matrix

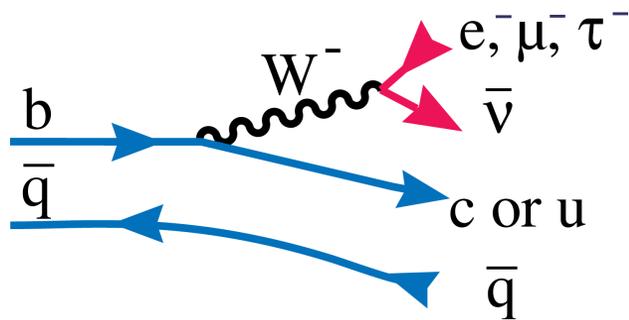
$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_e \\ \nu_\mu \\ \nu_\tau \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} U_{e1} & U_{e2} & U_{e3} \\ U_{\mu1} & U_{\mu2} & U_{\mu3} \\ U_{\tau1} & U_{e\tau2} & U_{\tau3} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_1 \\ \nu_2 \\ \nu_3 \end{pmatrix}$$



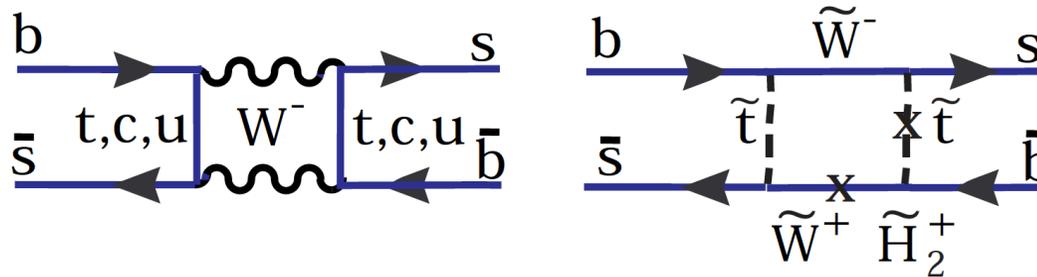
Flavor physics as a tool for discovery

- New physics manifestations in flavor physics = new couplings or new forces

Tree diagram example



Loop diagram example: $B - \bar{B}$ mixing

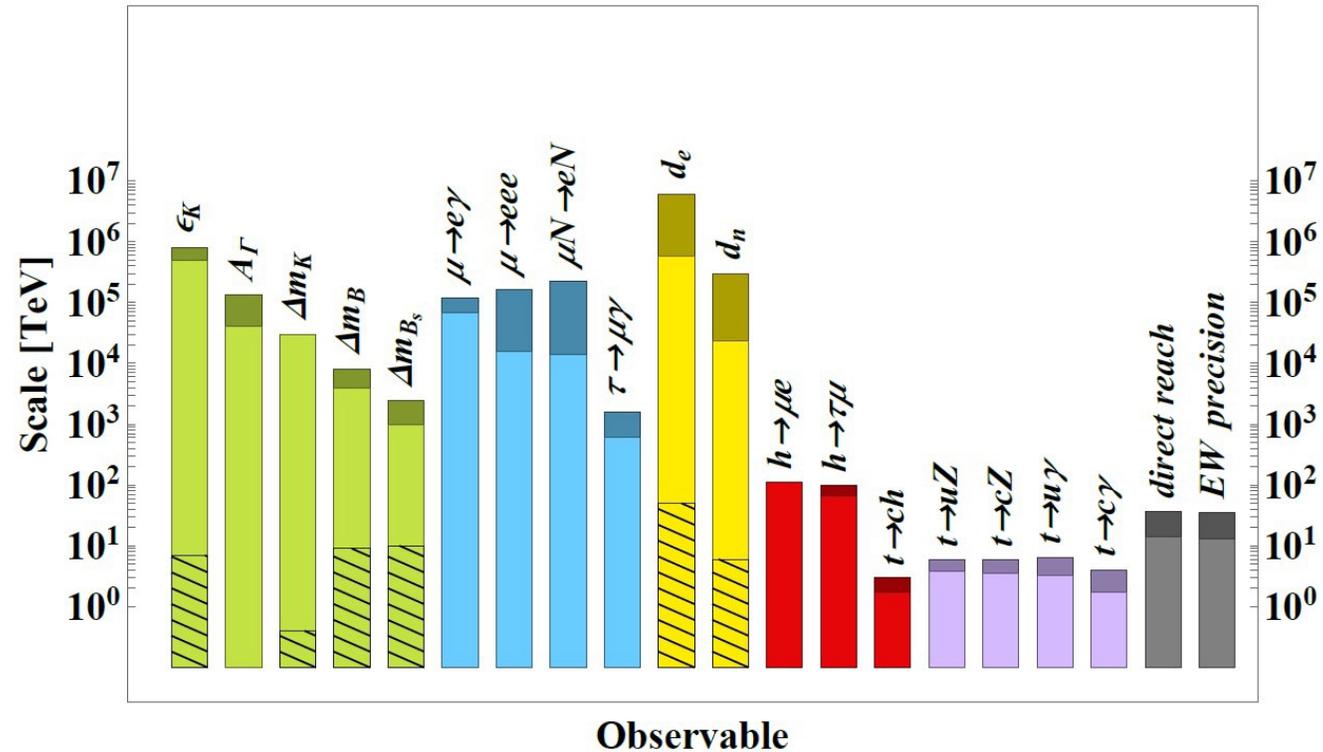


While all flavors are interesting, the following discussion will focus on b-flavored hadrons, with a very brief excursion into charm

A tale of many scales

Model independent tool of effective Lagrangian

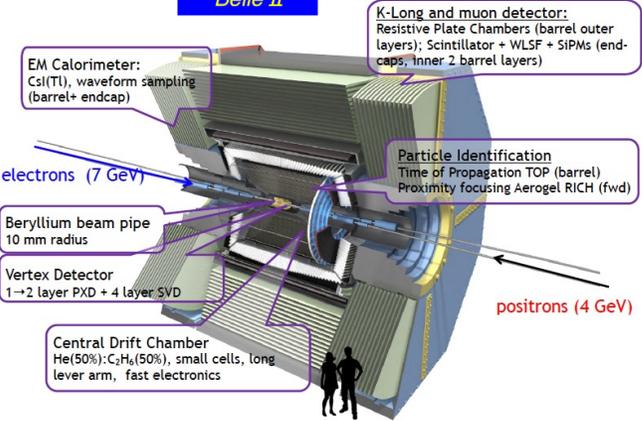
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{C_5}{\Lambda_M} \mathcal{O}^{(5)} + \sum_a \frac{C_6^a}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{O}_a^{(6)} + \dots$$



Experimental methods

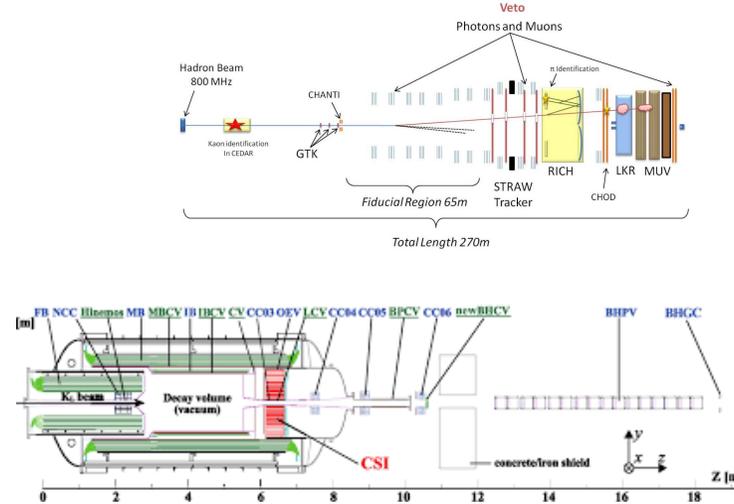
e^+e^- colliders

b and c hadrons, τ decays

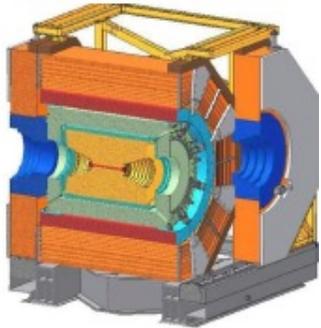
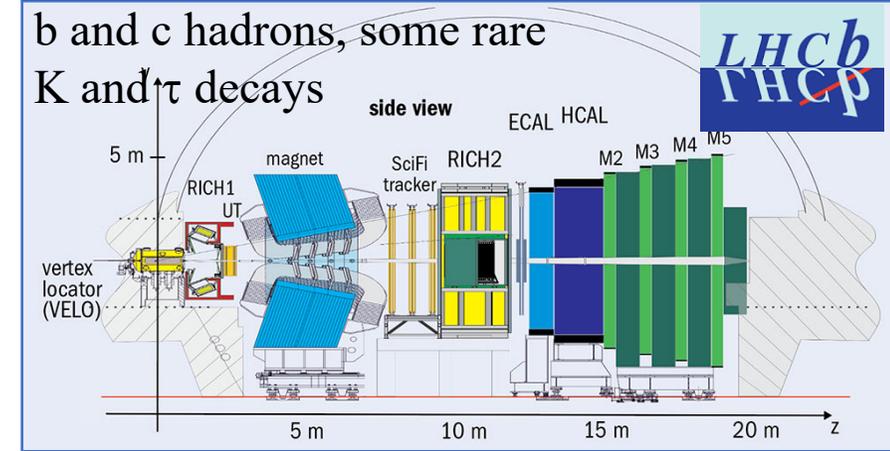


Hadron machines

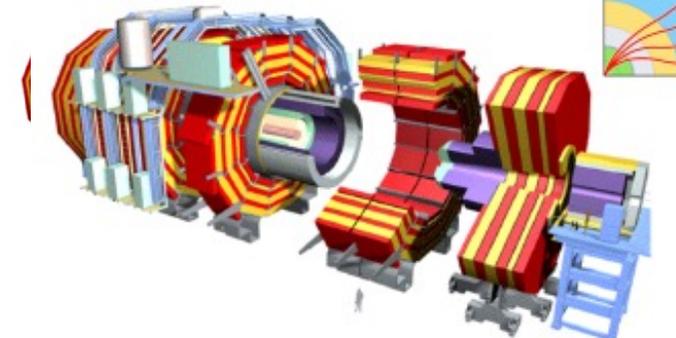
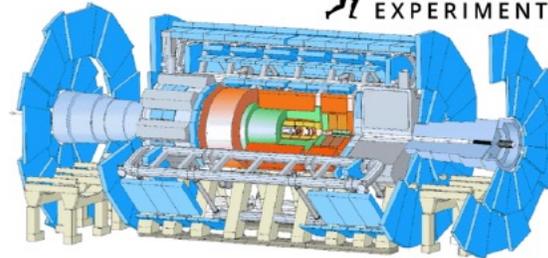
Rare K decays



b and c hadrons, some rare
K and τ decays



Charmed hadrons τ decays



The future of K physics

Rare K decays well known theoretically, their experimental study key for SM checks, possibly NP opportunities

$$BR(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = (8.62 \pm 0.42) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$BR(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}) = (2.94 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-11}$$

Buras et al., 2109.11032

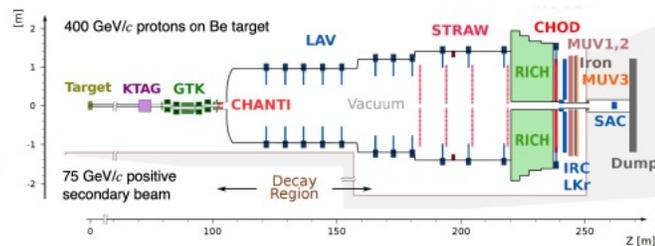
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Integrated programme with high-intensity K^+ and K_L beams proposed to run until ~2039

support from European Strategy (CERN-ESU-014)

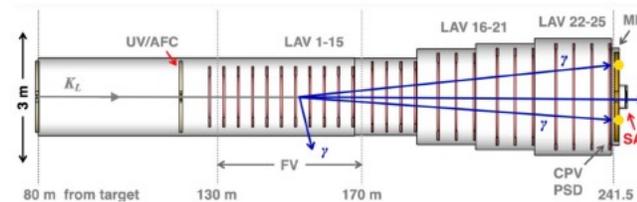
NA62 $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ at ~5% in 5 years

- $\times 4$ intensity $\sim 7 \times 10^{18}$ pot/year
- Maintain key performance at high rate: space-time reco., low material, photon effi.
- Much improved time resolution to keep random veto rate under control



K_L EVER $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ with ~60 SM events in 5 years

- $\times 6$ intensity $\sim 10^{19}$ pot/year
- 2γ with unbalanced p_T + nothing else
- Optimise beam line to suppress $\Lambda \rightarrow n\pi^0$

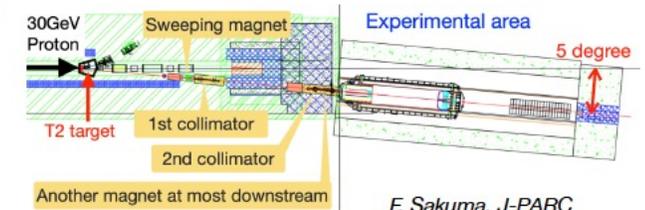


J-PARC

Extension of hadron experimental facility in discussion, with increased beam power

KOTO Step-2 $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$ with ~35 SM events in ~3 years

- $\times 2.4$ beam intensity
- Expand fiducial volume
- Profit of KOTO experience to reduce bkg



F. Sakuma, J-PARC review, Aug.'21

- R&D
- GigaTracker <50 ps (LGAD, 3D, 28 nm), KTAG <20 ps (MCP PMTs), new Straw Chambers
 - New calorimeter: Shashlik with longitudinal information
 - Small-angle photon veto: compact Cherenkov calorimeter with oriented crystals

Advantages of e^+e^- machines:

- ❑ Simplicity of initial state
- ❑ Good photon- π^0 reconstruction
- ❑ High flavor tagging efficiency

On the other hand:

- ❑ Lower cross-section
- ❑ At the $Y(4S)$ only B^0 and B^+
- ❑ High luminosity challenging

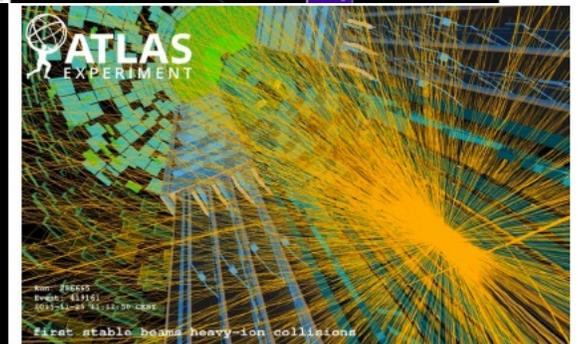
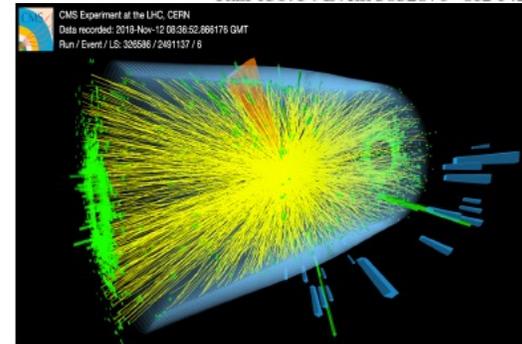
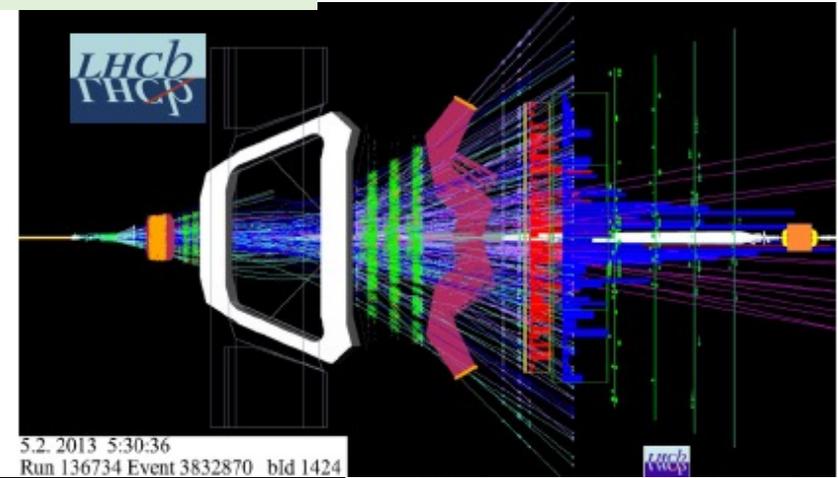
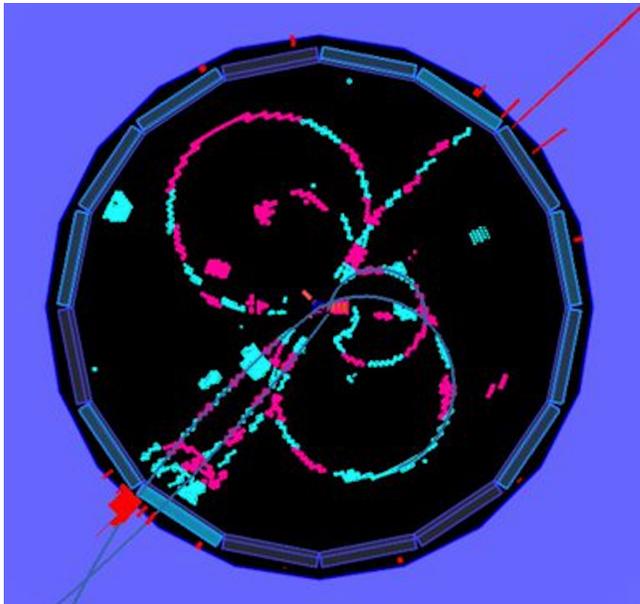
Dedicated flavor experiments feature excellent hadron identification

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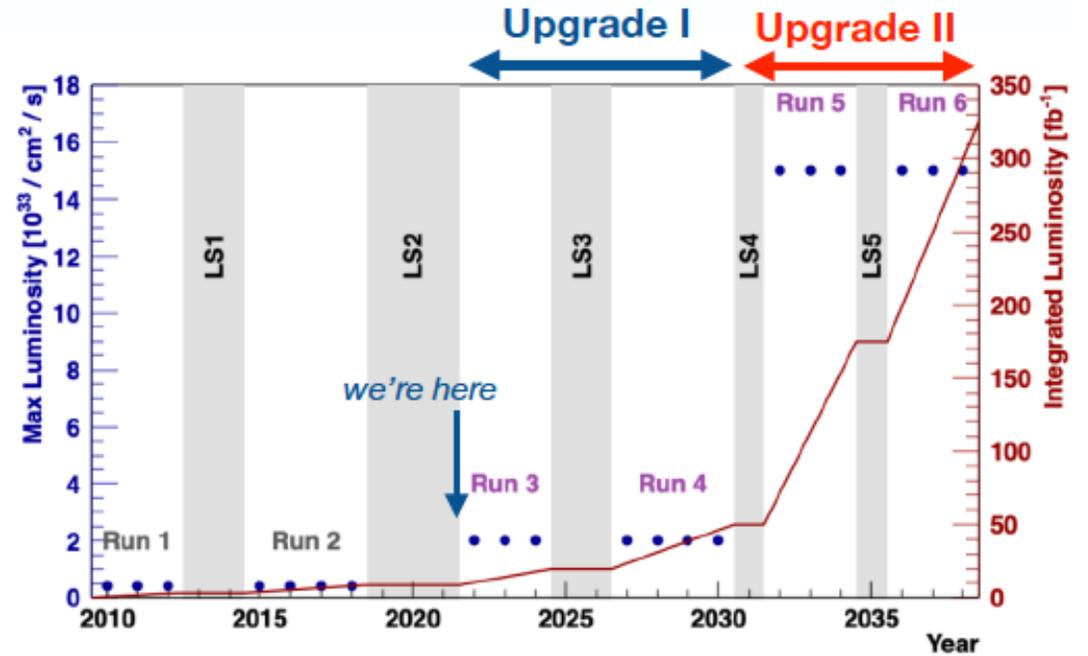
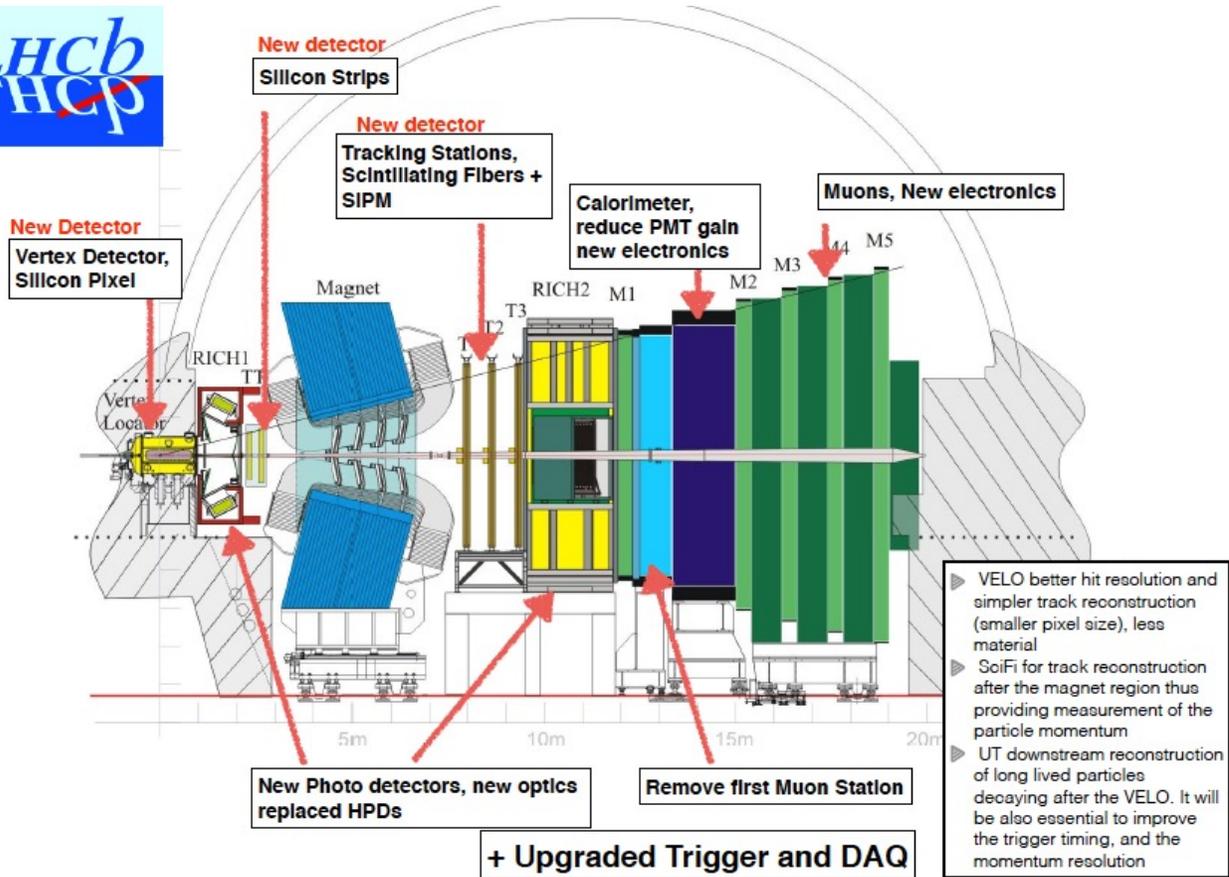
- ❑ Development of clever trigger strategy needed (now LHCb is poised to implement a purely software trigger!) needed
- ❑ Lots of particles, pile-up

Advantages of experiments at LHC:

- ❑ High statistics, lots of flavored hadron species.
- ❑ Boost of the beauty and charmed hadrons and excellent vertex detectors allow precision measurement of the vertex topology information.



LHCb Upgrades



Upgrade I

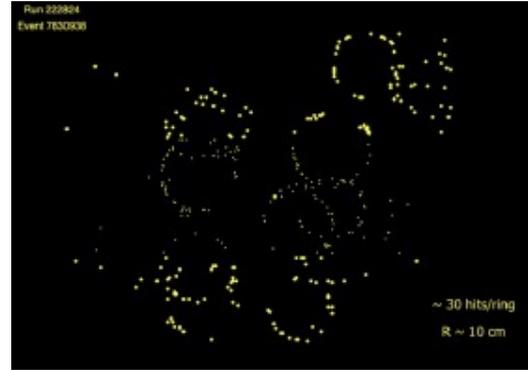
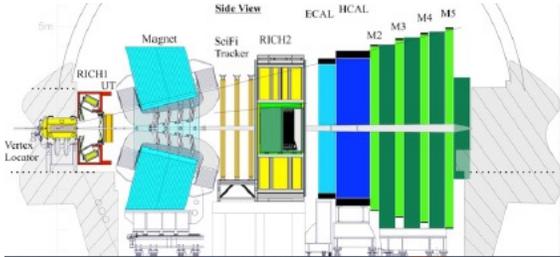
- $L_{peak} = 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- $L_{int} = 50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ during Run 3 + Run 4
- LHCb 50 fb^{-1} : healthy competition with Belle II at 50 ab^{-1}

Upgrade II

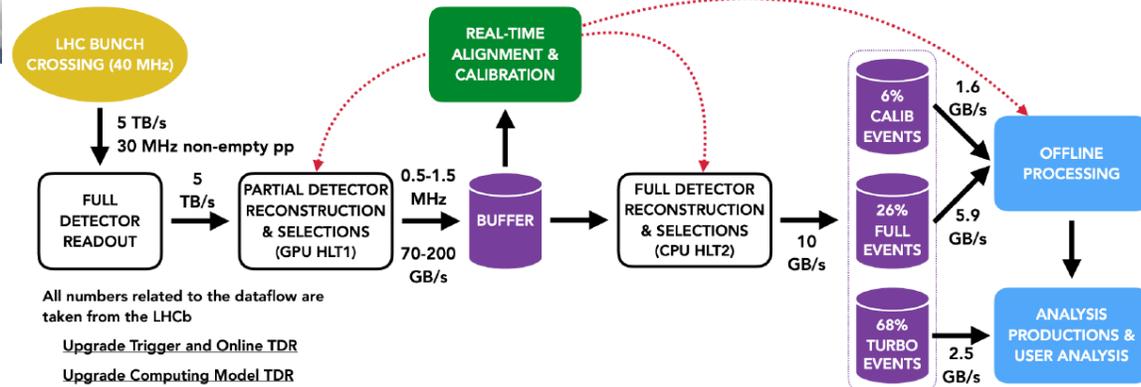
$$L_{peak} = 1.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$L_{int} = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$$

LHCb Upgrade I



No longer using hardware trigger!



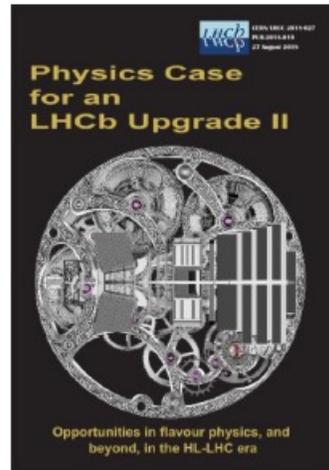
LHCb Upgrade II: steps so far

Expression of Interest



[LHCC-2017-003](#)

Physics case

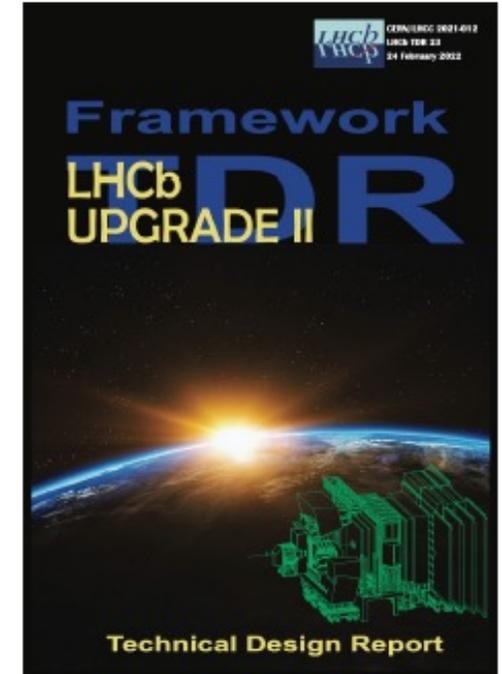


[LHCC-2018-027](#)

Accelerator study



[CERN-ACC-2018-038](#)



[LHCC-2021-012](#)

**CERN Research Board
September 2019**

"The recommendation to prepare a framework TDR for the LHCb Upgrade-II was endorsed, noting that LHCb is expected to run throughout the HL-LHC era."

European Strategy Update 2020 *"The full potential of the LHC and the HL-LHC, including the study of flavour physics, should be exploited"*

**Approved March 2022
R&D programme followed
by sub-system TDRs**

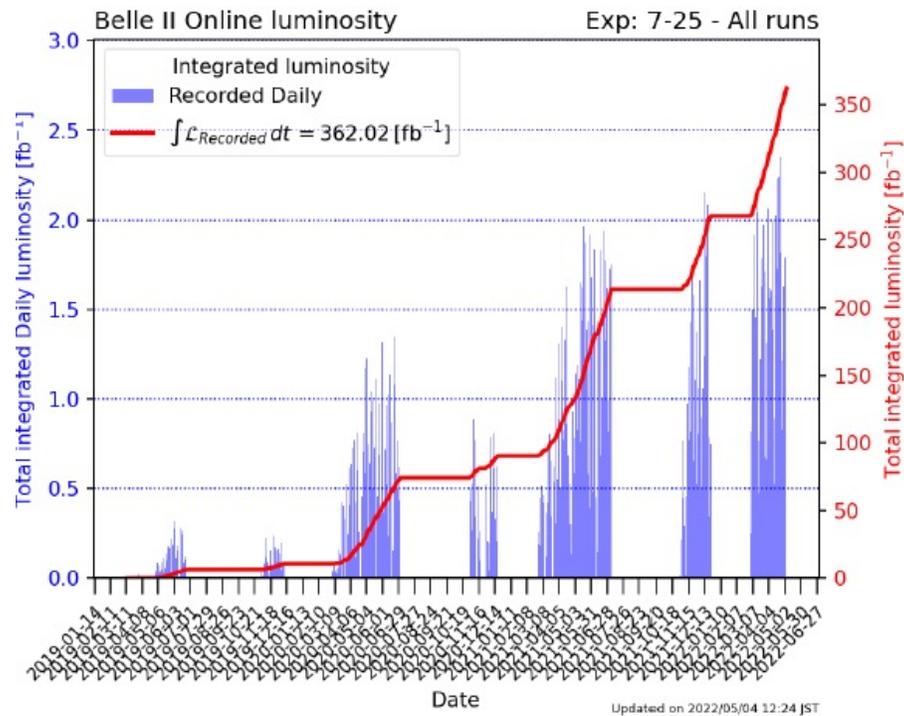
Belle II Upgrade(s)

Medium term plans

Starting to achieve Super B-factory performance levels.

Int(L dt)/day = 2.4 fb⁻¹/day (May 18, 2020)

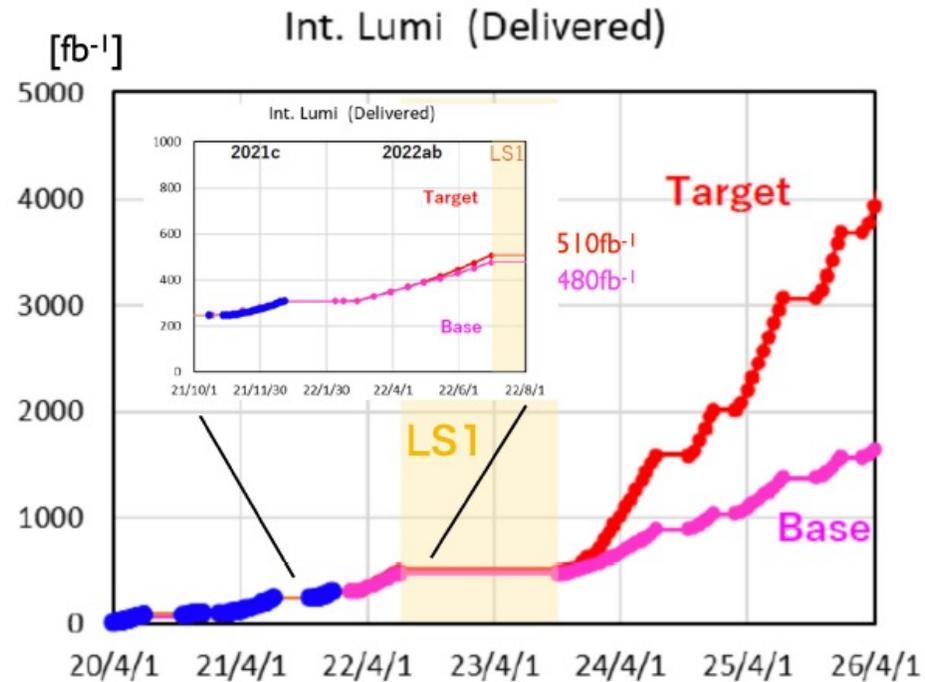
Int(L dt)/week = 15 fb⁻¹/week



B factory reference values:

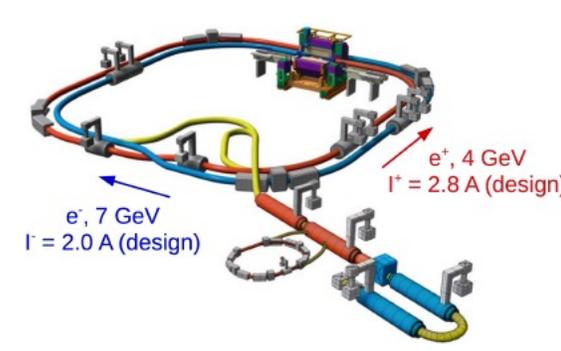
KEKB (1.48 fb⁻¹/day); PEP-II (0.911 fb⁻¹/day);

KEKB (8 fb⁻¹/week); PEP-II (5 fb⁻¹/week);



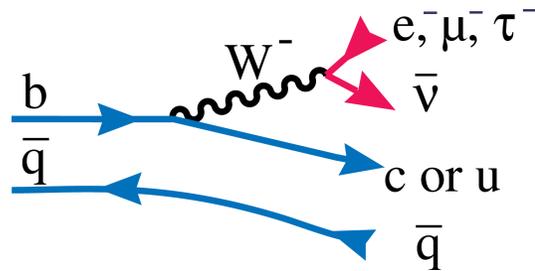
SuperKEK-b / Belle II program

- ❑ Machine consolidation in 4 steps:
 - ❑ Intermediate luminosity ($1.2 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, 5 ab^{-1})
 - ❑ High luminosity ($6.5 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$) + detector upgrade
 - ❑ Polarization upgrade (advanced R&D)
 - ❑ Ultra-high luminosity ($4.0 \times 10^{36} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, 250 ab^{-1}) R&D project
- ❑ Now on "Phase 3": luminosity run with complete detector:
 - ❑ Pixel detector layer 1+ only 2 ladders in layer 2; full 4-layer strip detector
 - ❑ New and difficult accelerator, peak luminosity $\sim 4 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
 - ❑ Path to $2 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ identified
 - ❑ Still large factors to reach $6.5 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

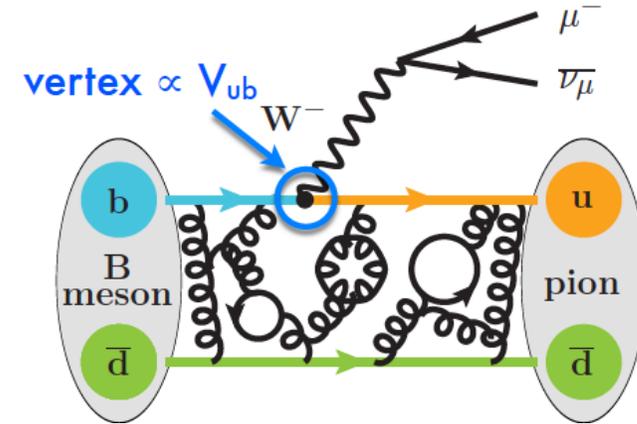


Interplay between theory and experiment

- The importance of the hadronic matrix element, example: semileptonic decays.



In reality



- theoretical pillars:

- Insight provided by effective theories [HQET]

- Heavy quark expansion [HQE]:

Inclusive processes

$$\Gamma_{\text{sl}}(B) = \frac{G_F^2}{192\pi^3} |V_{cb}|^2 m_b^5 z_0 \left(\frac{m_c^2}{m_b^2}\right) \left[1 + c_\pi \frac{1}{2m_b^2} \frac{\langle B | \bar{b}(i\vec{D})^2 b | B \rangle}{2M_B} + c_G \frac{1}{2m_b^2} \frac{\langle B | \bar{b}(\frac{i}{2}\sigma_{\mu\nu} G^{\mu\nu}) b | B \rangle}{2M_B} + c_D \frac{1}{m_b^3} \frac{\langle B | \bar{b}(-\frac{1}{2}\vec{D}\vec{E}) b | B \rangle}{2M_B} + \frac{32\pi^2}{z_0 m_b^3} \frac{\langle B | \bar{b}\gamma(1-\gamma_5)c\bar{c}\gamma(1-\gamma_5)b | B \rangle_{\text{IC}}}{2M_B} + \dots \right], \quad (1)$$

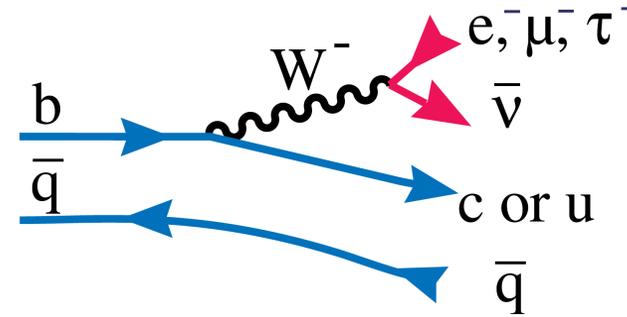
- Progress in lattice QCD calculations [and having the resources to exploit the new computational techniques developed]

How far can the Standard Model go?

CKM sector with tree level processes

Quark Mixing & CKM Matrix

The charged current couples the “up-type quarks” with a linear combination of “down-type” quarks



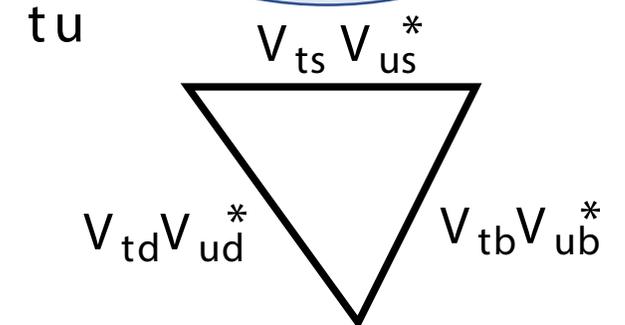
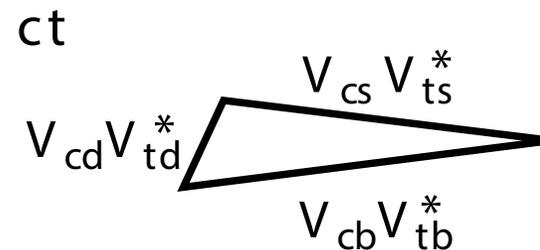
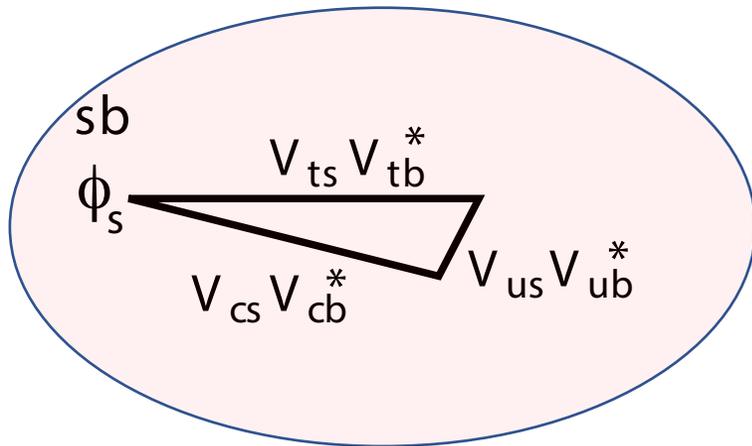
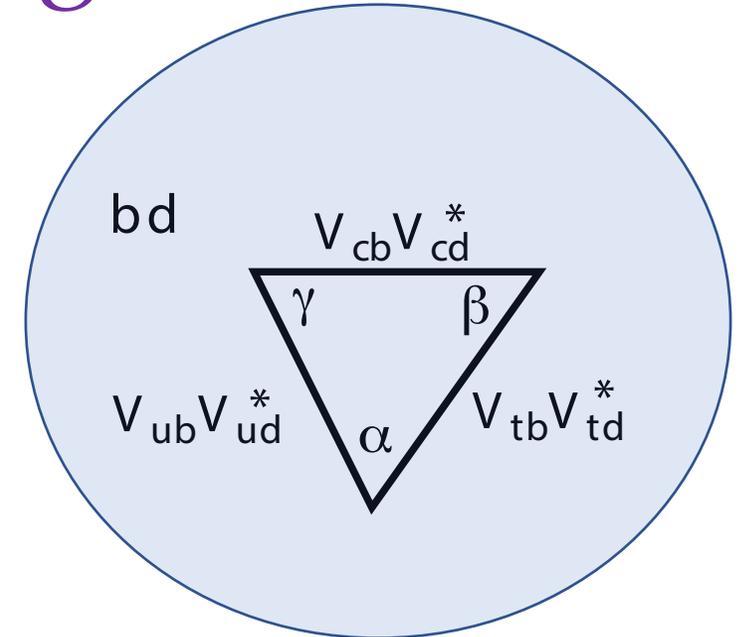
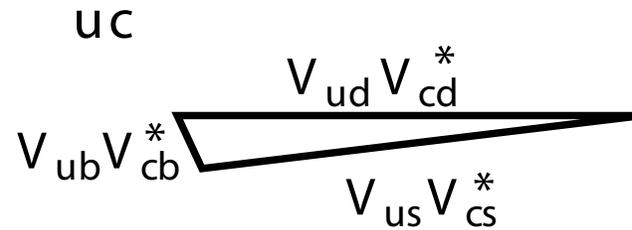
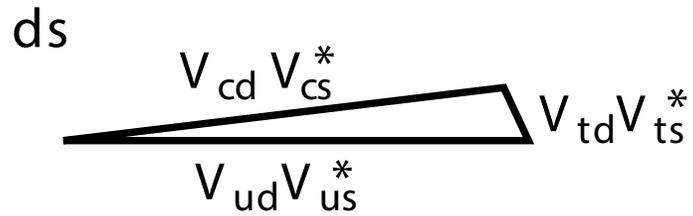
Tree level diagram – SM dominated (with some possible caveats)

□ Described by CKM matrix [**unitary** matrix]

$$V_{\left(\frac{2}{3}, -\frac{1}{3}\right)} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2 / 2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2 / 2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + O(\lambda^4)$$

$\lambda=0.225$, $A=0.8$, constraints on ρ & η will be discussed

Unitarity constraints: the triangles



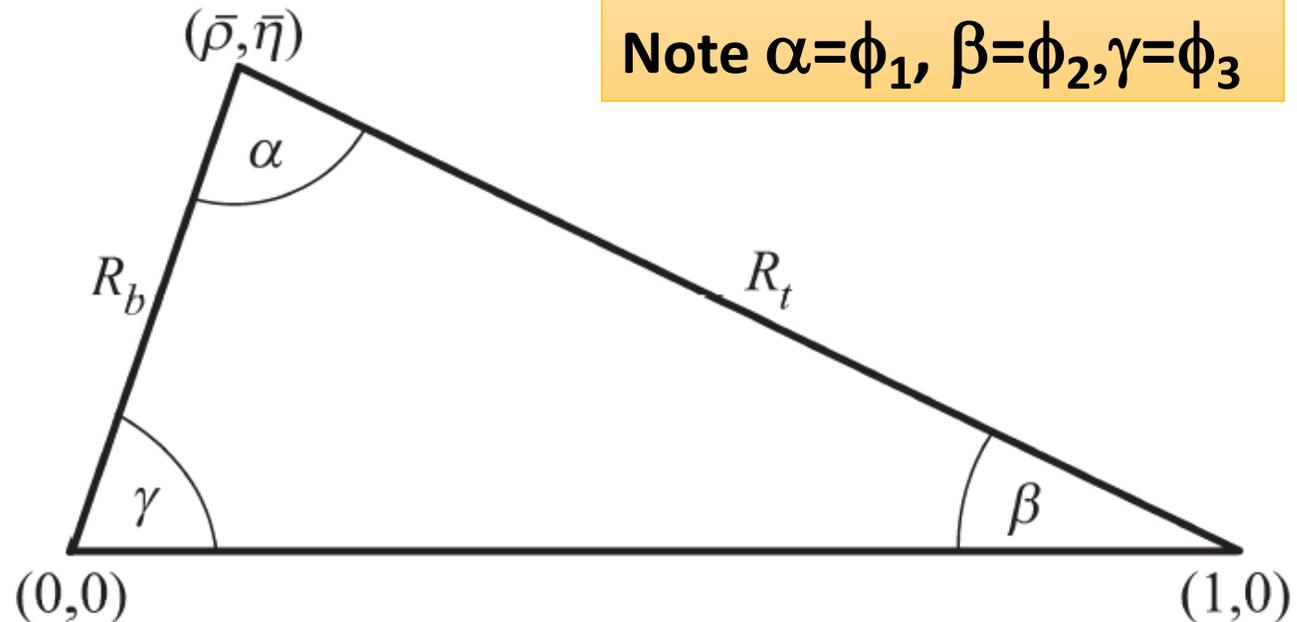
The reference unitarity triangle

$$R_b = \left| \frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \right| = \left(1 - \frac{\lambda^2}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\lambda} \frac{|V_{ub}|}{|V_{cb}|}$$

Triangles depict
unitarity
constraints

R_b , γ should
establish the
SM foundation
(tree level
processes)

Note $\alpha = \phi_1$, $\beta = \phi_2$, $\gamma = \phi_3$

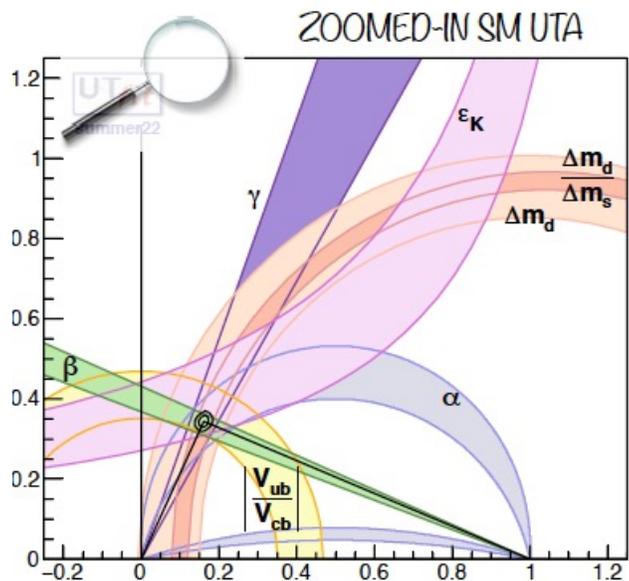


The reference unitarity triangle now

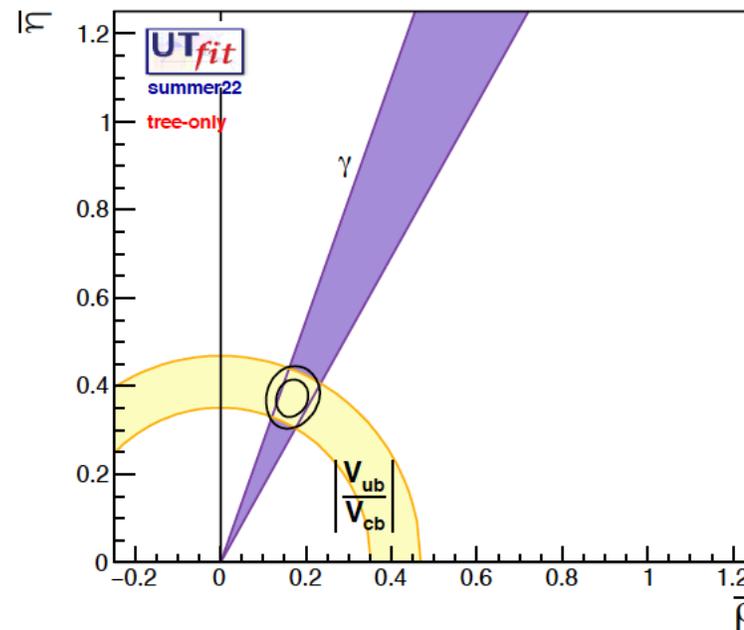
~few % uncertainty in individual determinations: lots of room for improvement

$$\bar{\rho} = 0.161 \pm 0.009 \sim 6\%$$

$$\bar{\eta} = 0.344 \pm 0.010 \sim 3\%$$



*** i.e., using constraints from tree-level processes only ***
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 $b \rightarrow c$



$$\bar{\rho} = 0.168 \pm 0.025 \sim 15\%$$

$$\bar{\eta} = 0.374 \pm 0.029 \sim 8\%$$

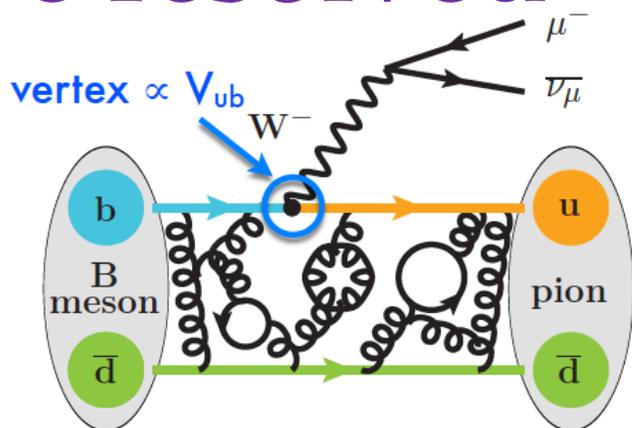


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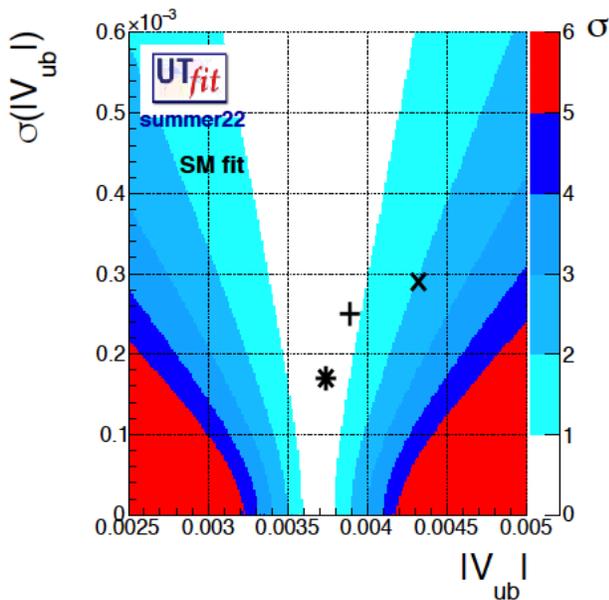
SM UTA

Old tensions to be resolved

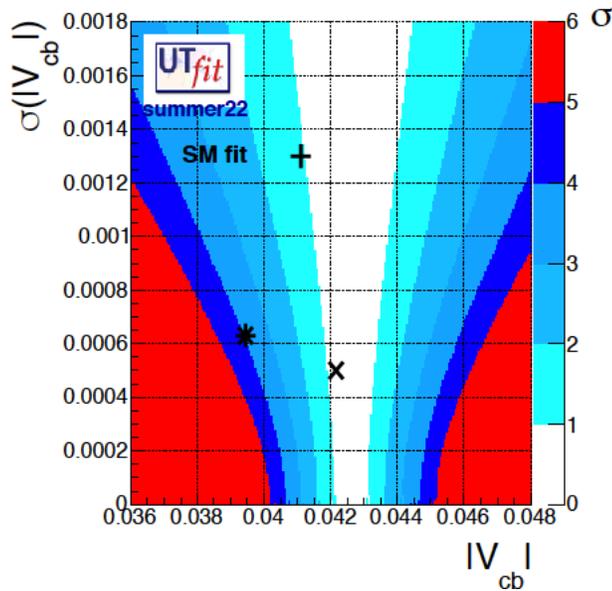


Inclusive:
reconstruct a physical property integrated over hadronic final states

Exclusive:
reconstruct the hadron in the final state



$x = |V_{ub}|_{incl} \times 10^3 = 4.32 \pm 0.29$
 $* = |V_{ub}|_{excl} \times 10^3 = 3.74 \pm 0.19$
 $+ = |V_{ub}|_{ave} \times 10^3 = 3.89 \pm 0.25$



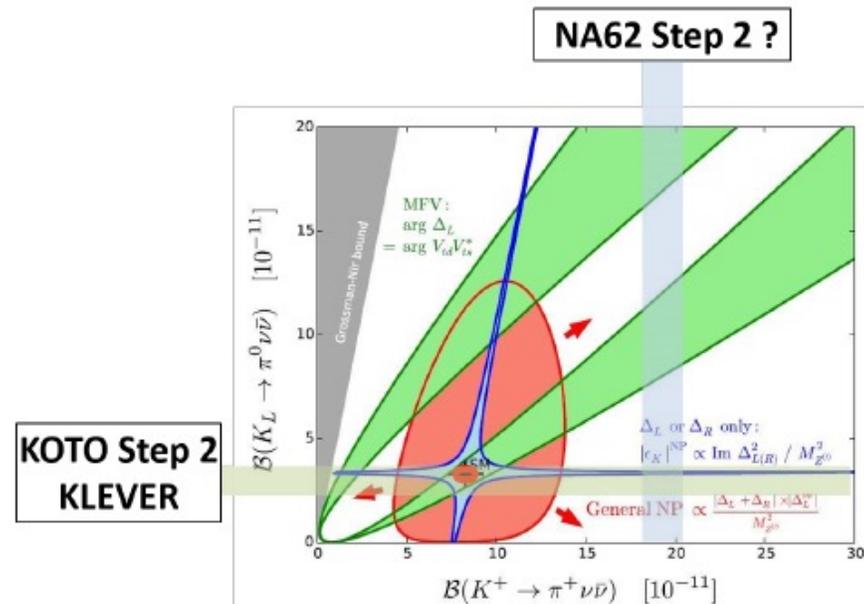
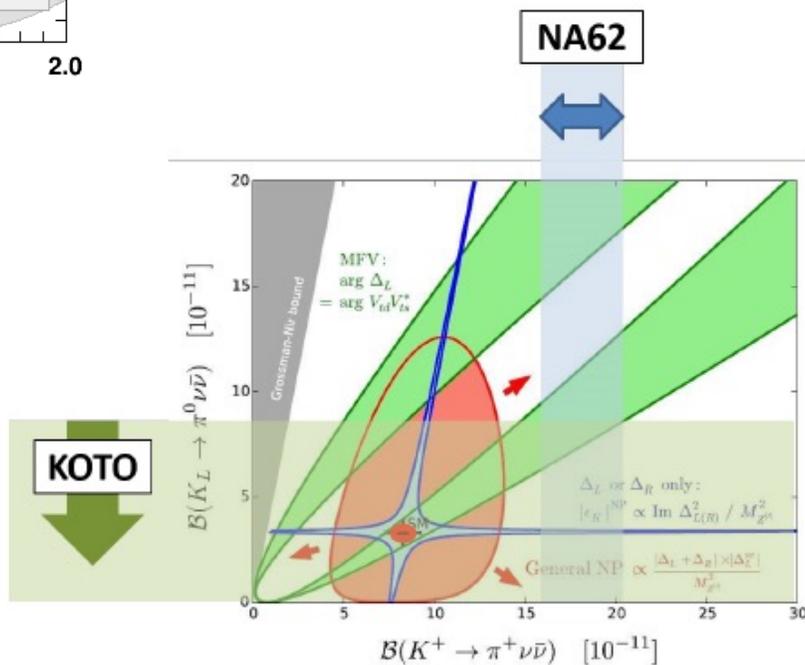
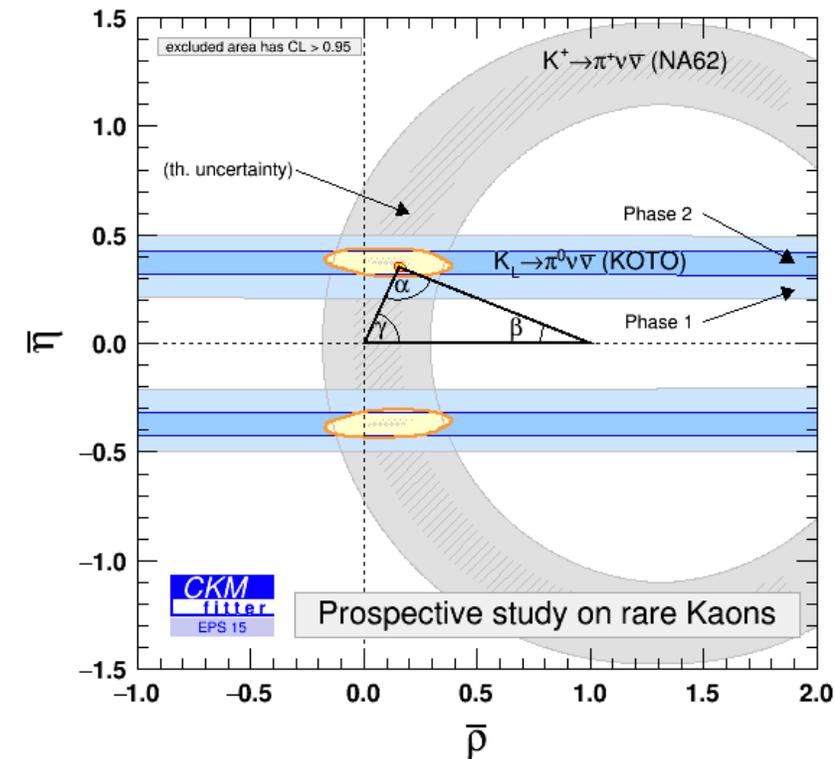
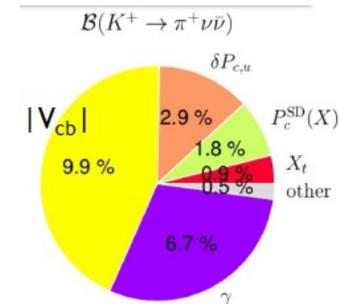
$x = |V_{cb}|_{incl} \times 10^3 = 42.16 \pm 0.50$
 $* = |V_{cb}|_{excl} \times 10^3 = 39.44 \pm 0.63$
 $+ = |V_{cb}|_{ave} \times 10^3 = 41.1 \pm 1.3$

A multidecade puzzle:
 both $|V_{ub}|$ and $|V_{cb}|$
 determination encompass a
 persisting tension between
 the values extracted from
inclusive or **exclusive** final
 state

The K input to the reference unitarity triangle

$$\text{BR}(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = (8.39 \pm 0.30) \times 10^{-11} \cdot \left[\frac{|V_{cb}|}{0.0407} \right]^{2.8} \cdot \left[\frac{\gamma}{73.2^\circ} \right]^{0.74}$$

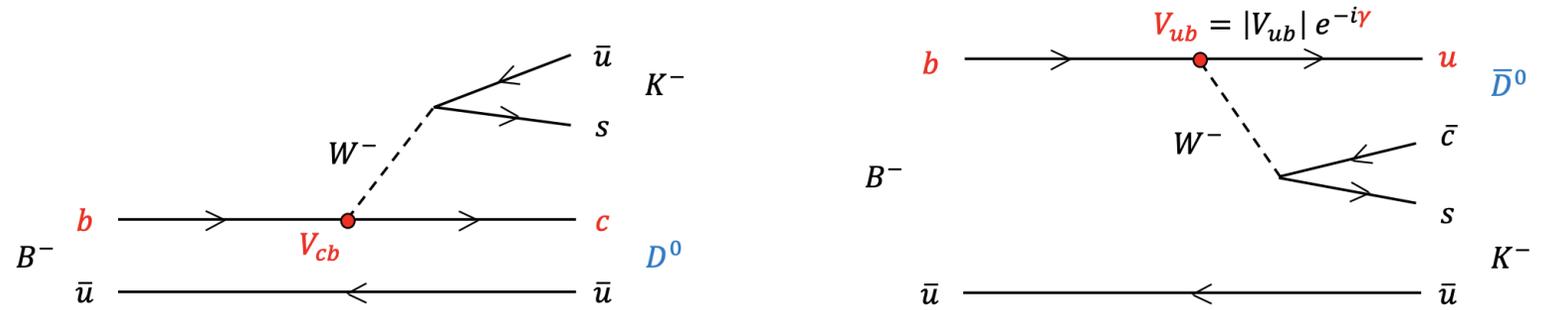
$$\text{BR}(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}) = (3.36 \pm 0.05) \times 10^{-11} \cdot \left[\frac{|V_{ub}|}{3.88 \times 10^{-3}} \right]^2 \cdot \left[\frac{|V_{cb}|}{0.0407} \right]^2 \cdot \left[\frac{\sin \gamma}{\sin 73.2^\circ} \right]^2$$



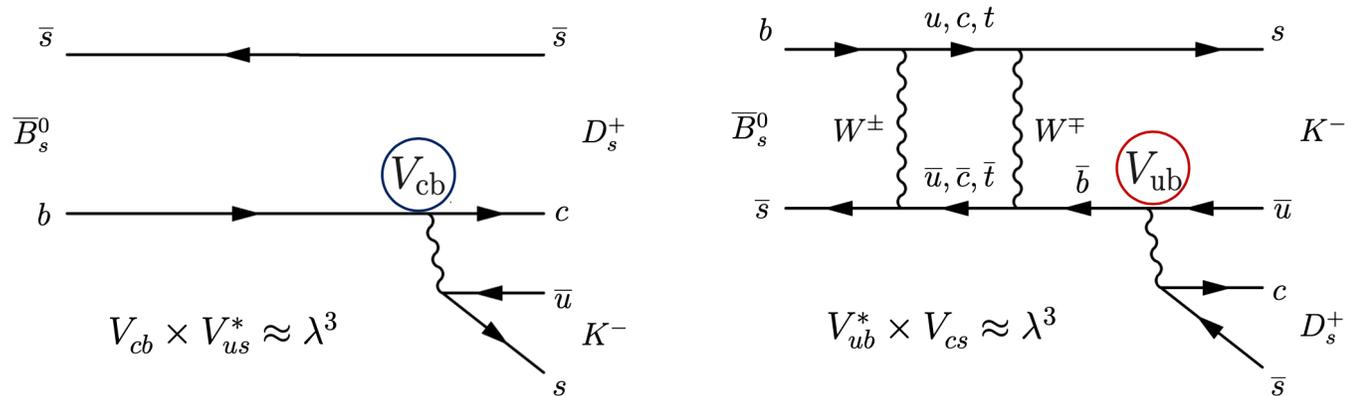
The angle γ

- Accessible from tree level processes (good Standard Model probe)
- Negligible theoretical uncertainty [Brod-Zupan, arXiv:1308.5663]

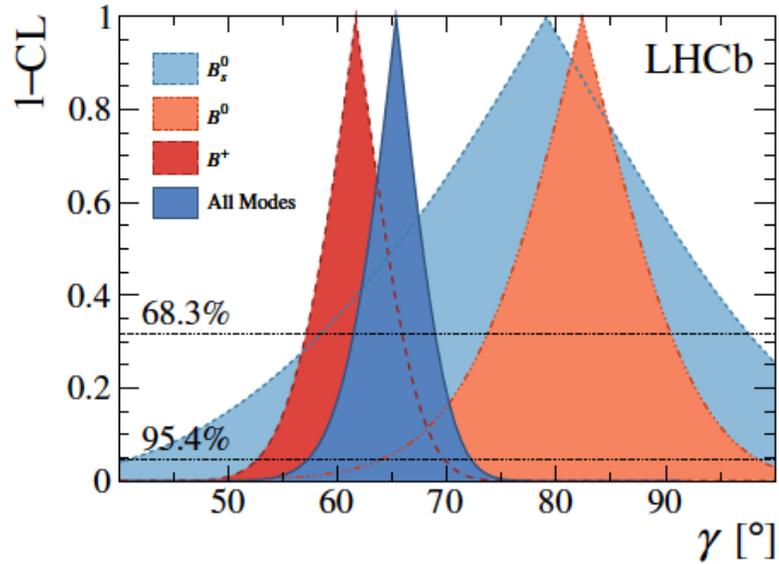
Key processes in charged B decays



Key processes in B^0 decays



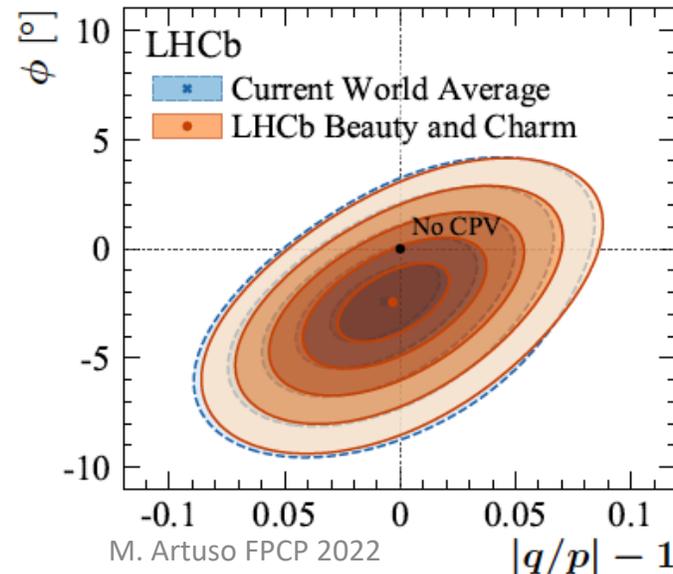
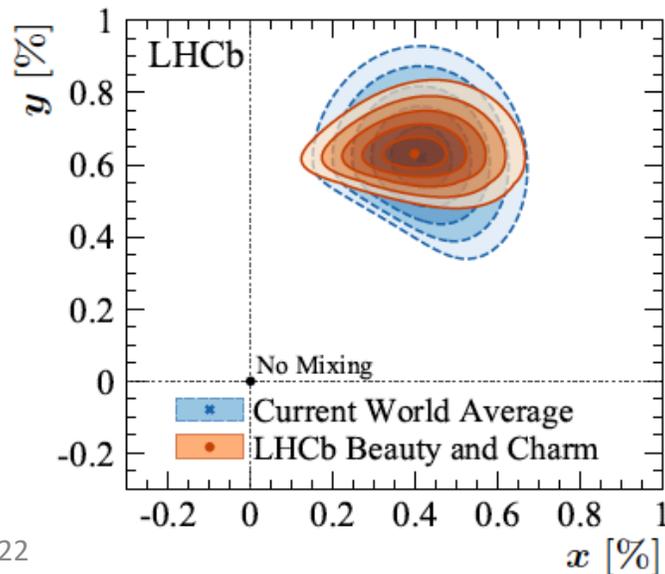
LHCb average:



Species	Value [°]	68.3% CL		95.4% CL	
		Uncertainty	Interval	Uncertainty	Interval
B^+	61.7	+4.4 -4.8	[56.9, 66.1]	+8.6 -9.5	[52.2, 70.3]
B^0	82.0	+8.1 -8.8	[73.2, 90.1]	+17 -18	[64, 99]
B_s^0	79	+21 -24	[55, 100]	+51 -47	[32, 130]

$$\gamma = (65.4^{+3.8}_{-4.2})^\circ$$

Average of all the measurements



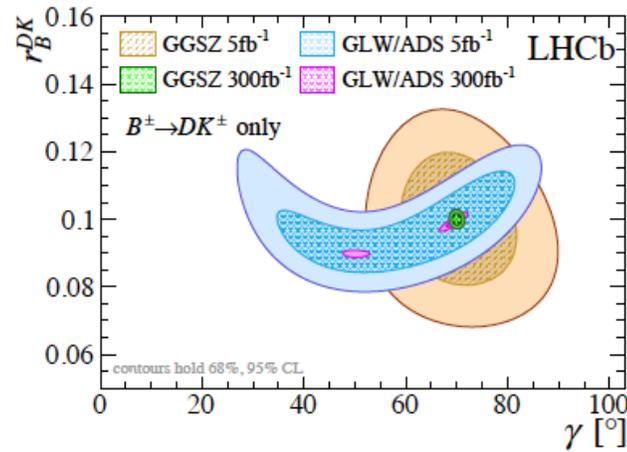
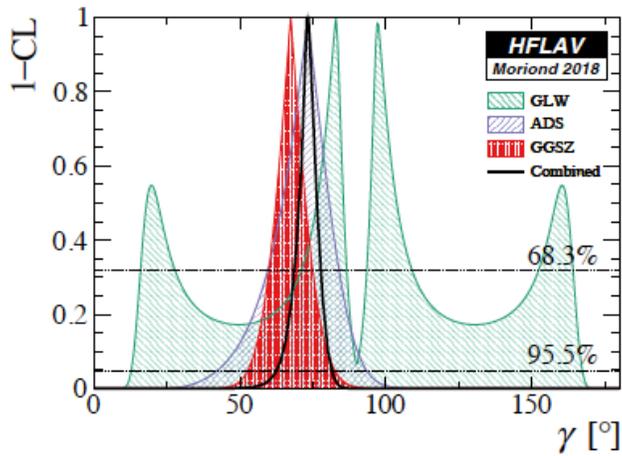
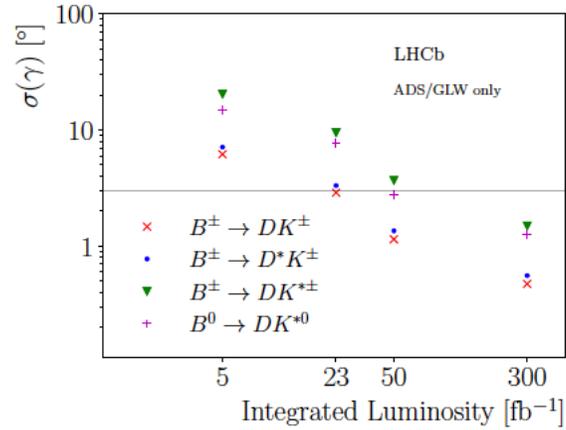
$$x \equiv \frac{\Delta M}{\Gamma} = 0.400^{+0.052}_{-0.053}$$

$$y \equiv \frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2\Gamma} = (0.630^{+0.033}_{-0.030})\%$$

$$\left| \frac{q}{p} \right| = 0.997 \pm 0.016$$

Future prospects

arXiv:1808.08865



Belle II Snowmass white paper

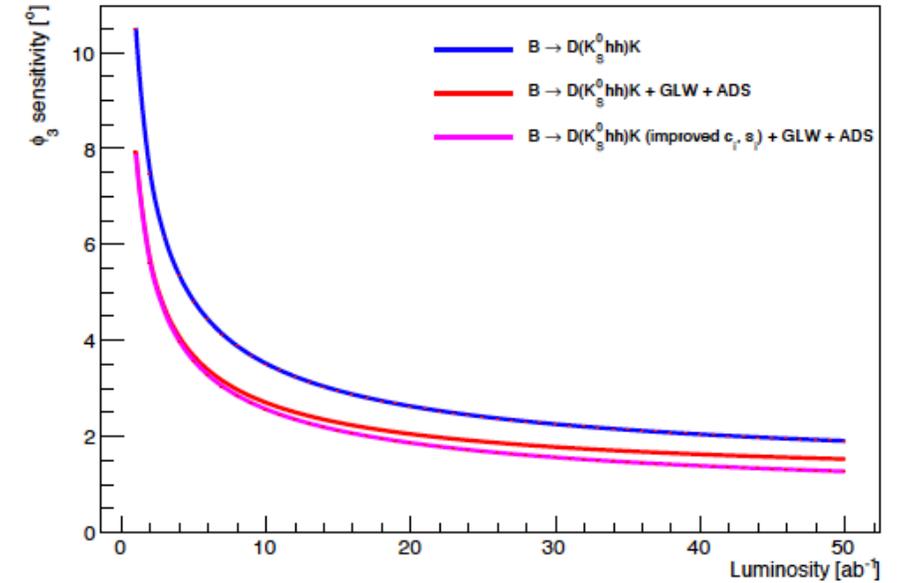
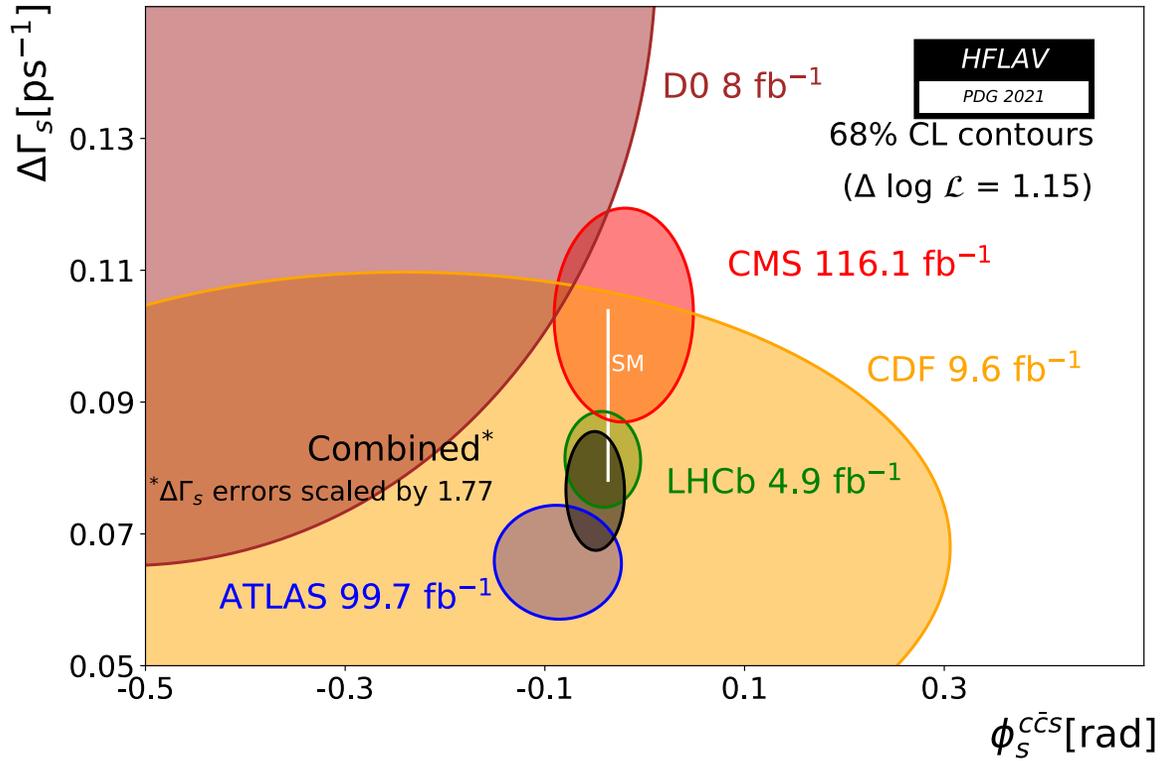


Illustration using selected decay modes, the neutral modes are really interesting too!

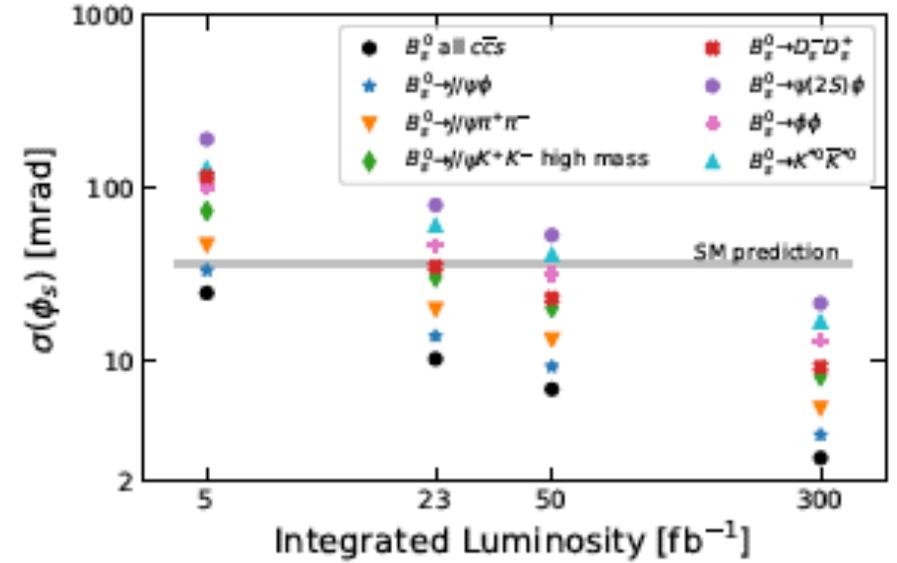
The B_s^0 triangle

CPV in B_s^0 $b \rightarrow [c\bar{c}s]$ decays

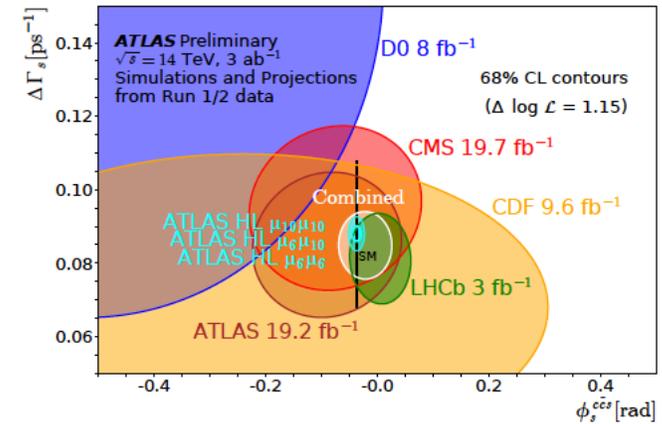
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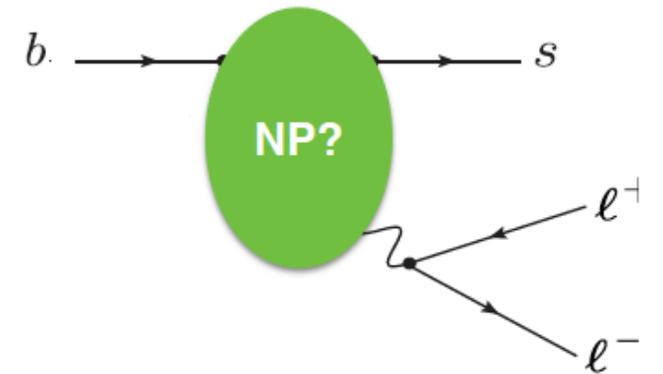
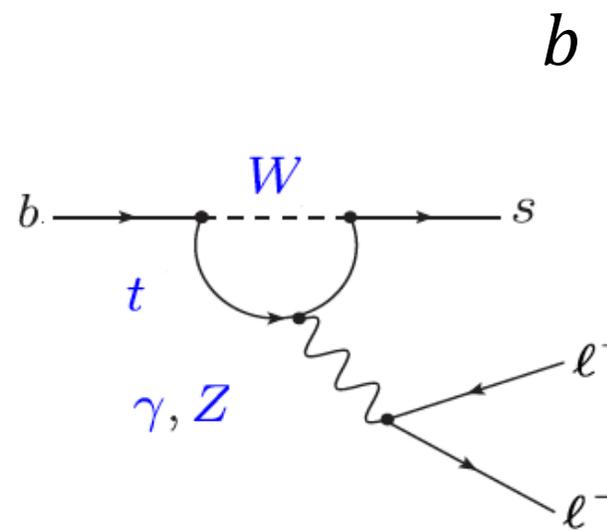
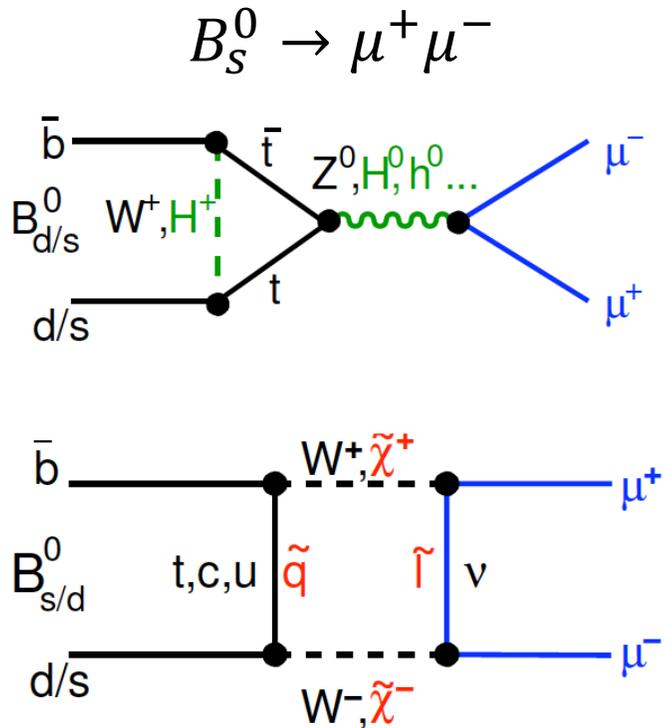


Searching for signatures of new physics in (mostly) rare decays

Mostly interference between loop diagrams with one exception

Rare decays and generic searches for new physics

Model independent parameterization of the new physics that can appear in interference with SM loop diagrams



Rare decays are described by an effective Hamiltonian expressed in terms of an operator product expansion:

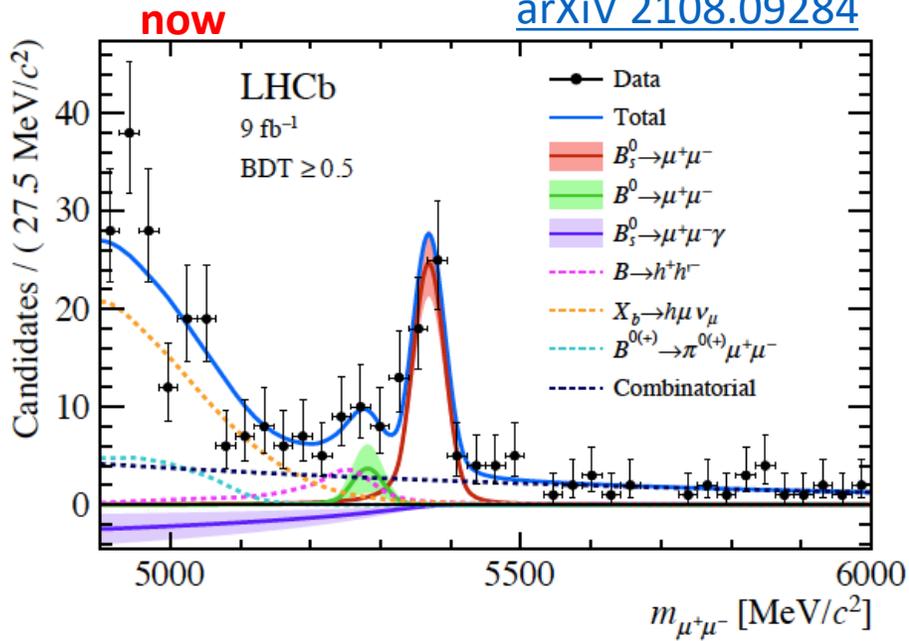
$$H_{eff} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \sum_i \left[\underbrace{C_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}_i(\mu)}_{\text{left handed}} + \underbrace{C'_i(\mu) \mathcal{O}'_i(\mu)}_{\text{right handed (suppressed in the SM)}} \right]$$

i=1, 2 Tree
 i=3-6, 8 Gluon penguin
 i=7 Photon penguin
 i=9, 10 Electroweak penguin
 i=S Higgs (scalar) penguin
 i=P Pseudoscalar penguin

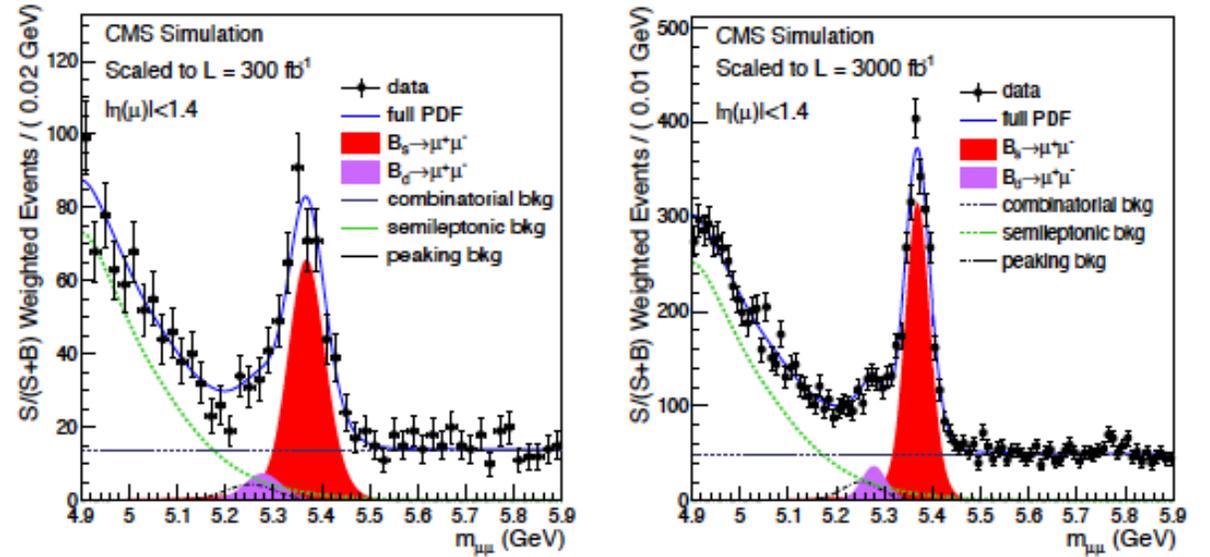
Operator	$B_{d,s} \rightarrow X_{s,d} \mu\mu$	$B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$	$B \rightarrow X_{s,d} \gamma$
O_7	✓		✓
O_9	✓		
O_{10}	✓	✓	
$O_{S,P}$		✓	

$B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

arXiv 2108.09284



CMS-PAS-FTR-14-015



$$\square \mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.09^{+0.46+0.15}_{-0.43-0.11}) \times 10^{-9}$$

SM predictions:

$$\overline{\text{Br}}_{s\mu}^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} 3.599 \\ 3.660 \end{pmatrix} \left[1 + \begin{pmatrix} 0.032 \\ 0.011 \end{pmatrix} f_{B_s} + 0.031|_{\text{CKM}} + 0.011|_{m_t} + 0.006|_{\text{pmr}} + 0.012|_{\text{non-pmr}} \begin{matrix} +0.003 \\ -0.005 \end{matrix} |_{\text{LCDA}} \right] \cdot 10^{-9},$$

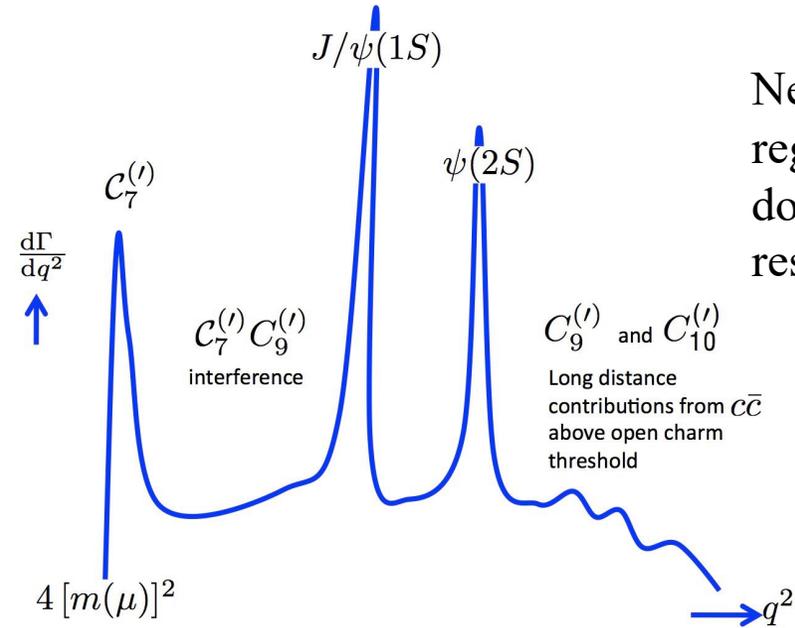
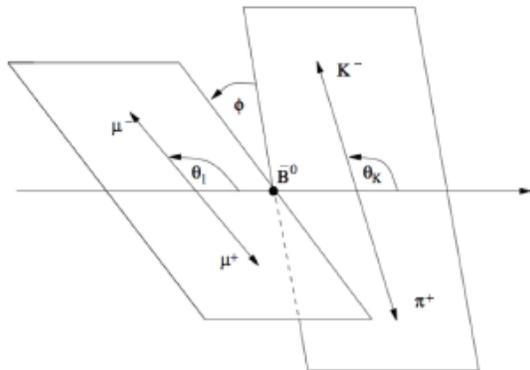
[arXiv:1908.07011](https://arxiv.org/abs/1908.07011)

Note: they use $|V_{cb}|$ inclusive

$B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \ell^+ \ell^-$ and $b \rightarrow s \ell^+ \ell^-$

□ Different lepton pairs accessible in the final states, precise SM prediction of ratios \Rightarrow lepton flavor universality tests

□ When a vector is involved in the final state many observables



Need to select regions in q^2 not dominated by resonances

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{d^3(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})}{l \cos \theta_\ell d \cos \theta_K d \phi} = & \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[\frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K + \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell \right. \\
 & - F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + \frac{1}{2}(1 - F_L) A_T^{(2)} \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \cos 2\phi + \\
 & \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)} P'_4 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \cos \phi + \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)} P'_5 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \cos \phi + \\
 & (1 - F_L) A_{Re}^T \sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_\ell + \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)} P'_6 \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \sin \phi + \\
 & \left. \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)} P'_8 \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \sin \phi + (S/A)_9 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \sin 2\phi \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

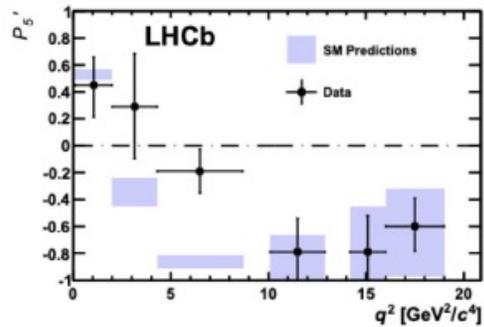
Several tensions currently reported in $B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \mu^+ \mu^-$

Angular distribution

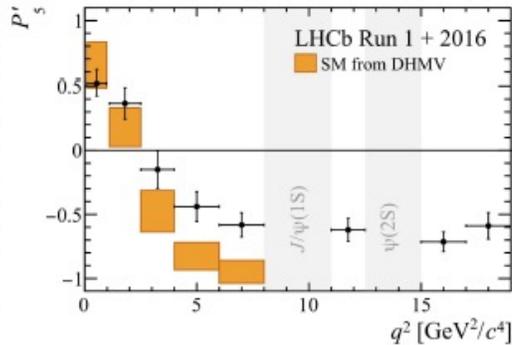
Nicola Serra's talk

$$R_K = \frac{BR(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)}{BR(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ e^+ e^-)}$$

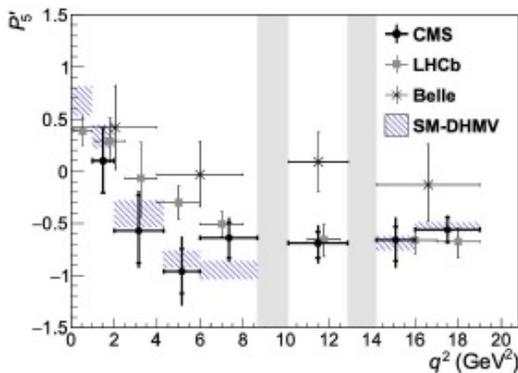
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$



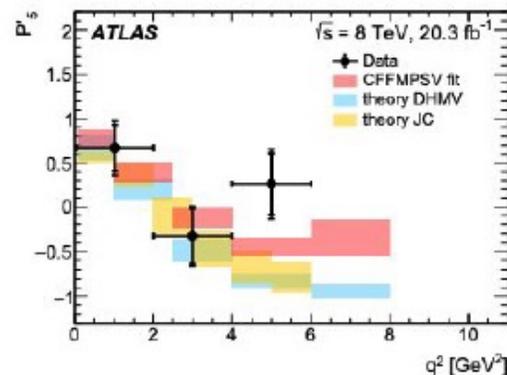
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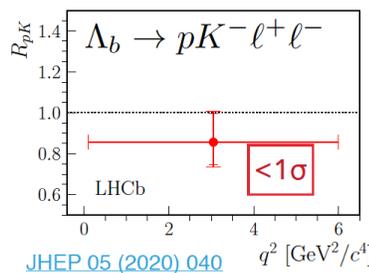
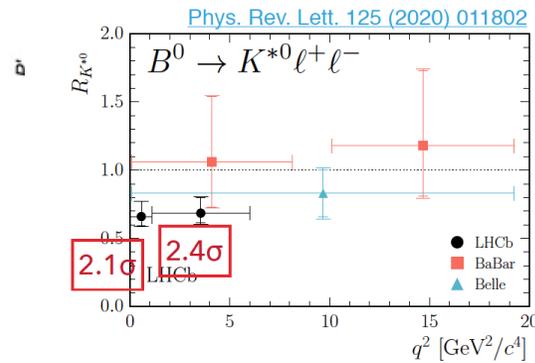
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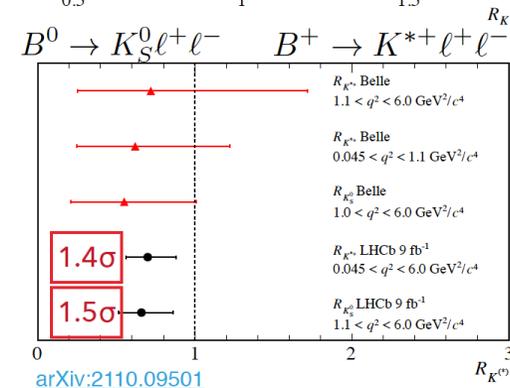
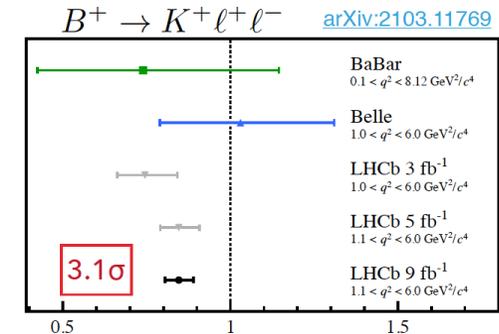
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Future prospects: two snapshots

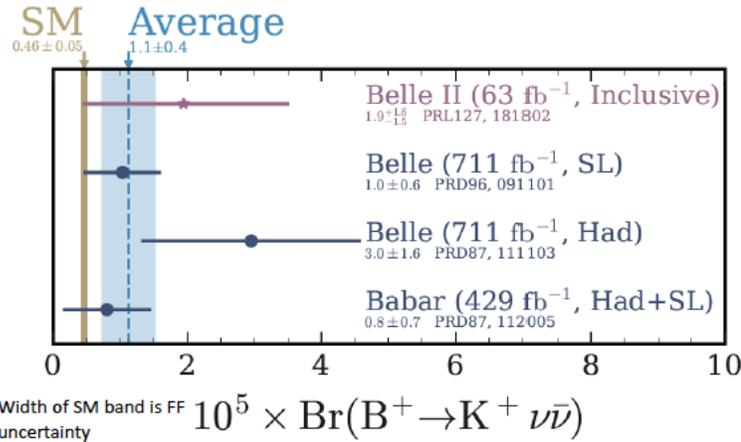
Belle II

$$B \rightarrow K \nu \bar{\nu}$$

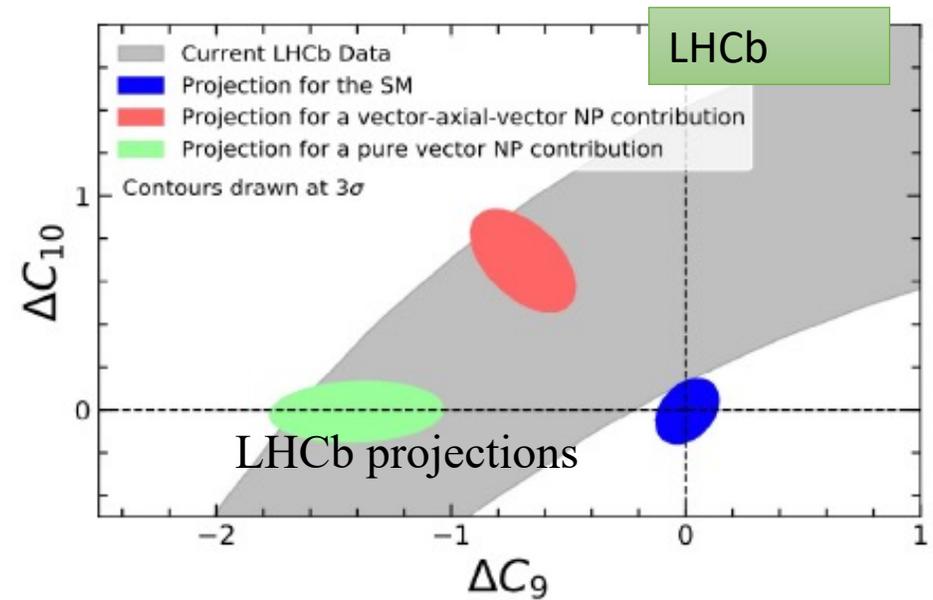
New Technique from Belle II with inclusive ROE (Rest of the Event) tagging.

Phys. Rev. Lett. 127, 181802, (2021)

An emerging anomaly ???



4% experimental error on $B \rightarrow K^* \nu \bar{\nu}$
with 250ab⁻¹



Integrated Luminosity	3 fb ⁻¹	23 fb ⁻¹	300 fb ⁻¹
R_K and R_{K^*} measurements			
$\sigma(C_9)$	0.44	0.12	0.03
$\Lambda^{\text{tree generic}}$ [TeV]	40	80	155
$\Lambda^{\text{tree MFV}}$ [TeV]	8	16	31
$\Lambda^{\text{loop generic}}$ [TeV]	3	6	12
$\Lambda^{\text{loop MFV}}$ [TeV]	0.7	1.3	2.5
$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular analysis			
$\sigma^{\text{stat}}(S_i)$	0.034–0.058	0.009–0.016	0.003–0.004
$\sigma(C'_{10})$	0.31	0.15	0.06
$\Lambda^{\text{tree generic}}$ [TeV]	50	75	115
$\Lambda^{\text{tree MFV}}$ [TeV]	10	15	23
$\Lambda^{\text{loop generic}}$ [TeV]	4	6	9
$\Lambda^{\text{loop MFV}}$ [TeV]	0.8	1.2	1.9

Projection of LHCb sensitivities to key physics quantities

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} $ ($A_b^0 \rightarrow p\mu^-\nu_\mu$, 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
α_γ ($A_b^0 \rightarrow A\gamma$)	$+0.17$ -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

Belle II projection, long term plans in early phase of discussion/study

Observable	2022 Belle(II), BaBar	Belle-II 5 ab ⁻¹	Belle-II 50 ab ⁻¹	Belle-II 250 ab ⁻¹
$\sin 2\beta/\phi_1$	0.03	0.012	0.005	0.002
γ/ϕ_3 (Belle+BelleII)	11°	4.7°	1.5°	0.8°
α/ϕ_2 (WA)	4°	2°	0.6°	0.3°
$ V_{ub} $ (Exclusive)	4.5%	2%	1%	< 1%
$SCP(B \rightarrow \eta' K_S^0)$	0.08	0.03	0.015	0.007
$ACP(B \rightarrow \pi^0 K_S^0)$	0.15	0.07	0.025	0.018
$SCP(B \rightarrow K^{*0} \gamma)$	0.32	0.11	0.035	0.015
$R(B \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-)^\dagger$	0.26	0.09	0.03	0.01
$R(B \rightarrow D^* \tau \nu)$	0.018	0.009	0.0045	<0.003
$R(B \rightarrow D \tau \nu)$	0.034	0.016	0.008	<0.003
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$	24%	9%	4%	2%
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^* \nu \bar{\nu})$	–	25%	9%	4%
$\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma)$ UL	42×10^{-9}	22×10^{-9}	6.9×10^{-9}	3.1×10^{-9}
$\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow \mu \mu \mu)$ UL	21×10^{-9}	3.6×10^{-9}	0.36×10^{-9}	0.073 × 10 ⁻⁹

Table 2: Projected precision (total uncertainties, or 90% CL upper limits) of selected flavour physics measurements at Belle II. (The † symbol denotes the measurement in the momentum transfer squared bin $1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}/c^2$.)

Conclusions

- ❑ Precision SM tests in flavor observables still key: deviations may be subtle!
- ❑ Intriguing tensions in flavor physics observables have emerged: increase in precision of upgraded experiments is needed to gain a complete picture
- ❑ A rich and diverse experimental program is under way:
 - ❑ Rare K decays offer unique probes of SM and beyond with the prospect of measuring few 10^2 events of ultra rare $K \rightarrow \pi\nu\bar{\nu}$
 - ❑ Super tau-charm factories proposed to continue the program of BESII
 - ❑ Belle II and LHCb will provide complementary information on the full SM reach and a variety of new physics prospects
 - ❑ Atlas and CMS will continue b-physics program with muons in the final state
- ❑ Precise calculations of the hadronic matrix element are necessary to complete this exciting physics program

The end

With many thanks to the organizers for a lovely conference and for honoring the memory of Sheldon!

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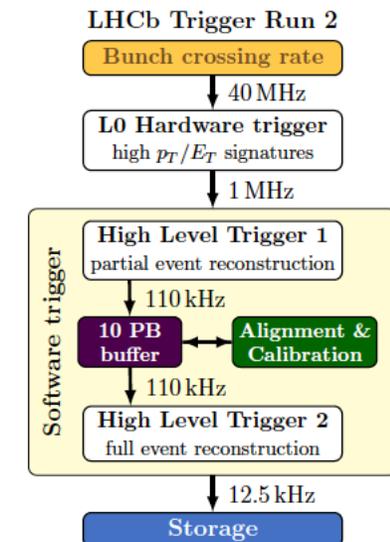
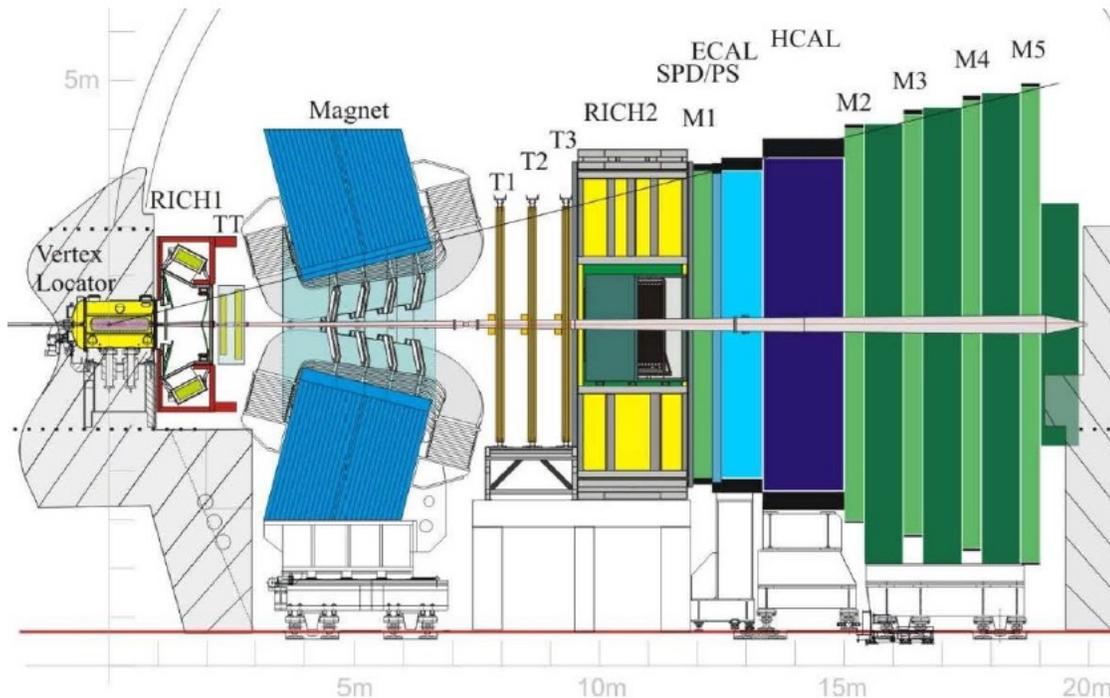
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The LHCb detector 2010-2018

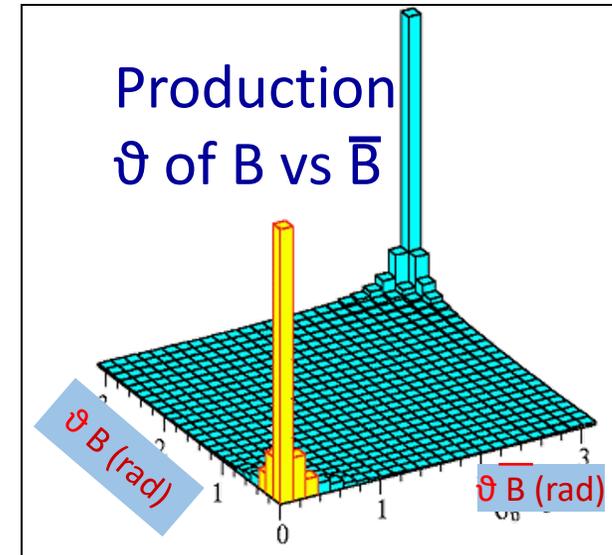
Key performance parameters:

- Vertex resolution: PV with 25 tracks has $13\mu\text{m}$ resolution in xy and $71\mu\text{m}$ in z & asymptotic IP $13\mu\text{m}$
- Decay time resolution 50fs
- Mass resolution $\frac{\sigma_m}{m} = 0.5\%$, ($m < \sim 20 \text{ GeV}$)
- Excellent hadron ID
- Fast software trigger



LHCb Methodology: study b and c in the forward direction at the LHC

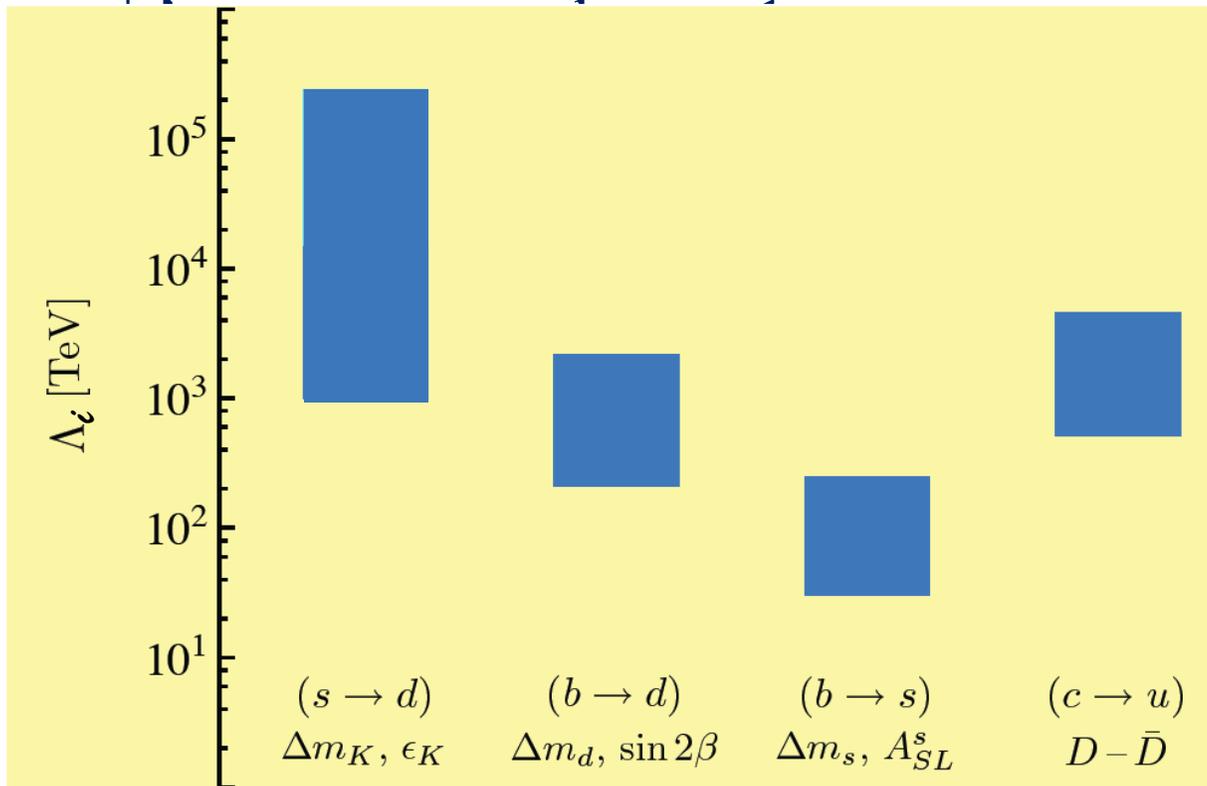
- ❑ In the forward region at LHC the $b\bar{b}$ production σ is large
- ❑ The hadrons containing the b & \bar{b} quarks are both likely to be in the acceptance. Essential for “flavor tagging”
- ❑ LHCb uses the forward direction where the B’s are moving with considerable momentum ~ 100 GeV, thus minimizing multiple scattering
- ❑ At $\mathcal{L}=2\times 10^{32}/\text{cm}^2/\text{s}$, we get 10^{12} B hadrons in 10^7 sec



Flavor as a High Mass Probe

$$L_{\text{eff}} = L_{\text{SM}} + \frac{c_i}{\Lambda_i^2} O_i$$

□ Already excluded ranges



Interpretations:

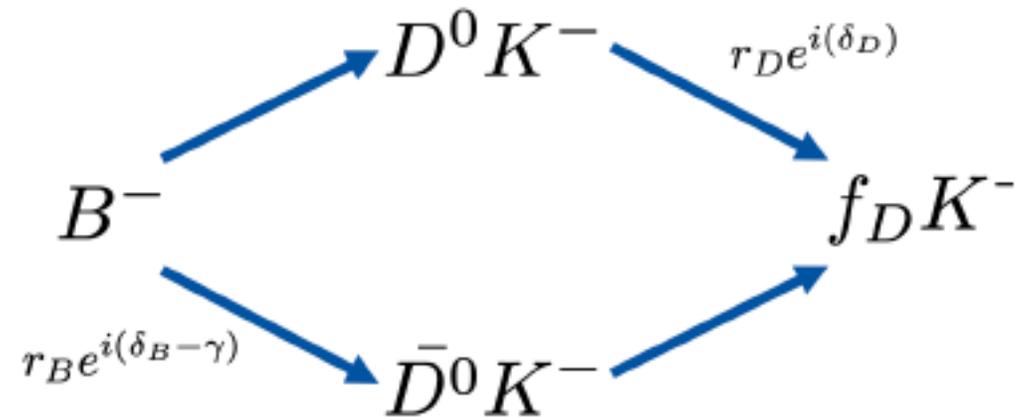
1. New particles have large masses $\gg 1$ TeV
2. Mixing angles in new sector are small, same as in SM (MFV)
3. The above already implies strong constraints on NP

See: Isidori, Nir & Perez arXiv:1002.0900; Neubert EPS 2011 talk

Most recent LHCb combination

- ❑ Simultaneous determination of γ and charm mixing parameters
- ❑ Many measurements of γ with this approach, they differ on the D^0 decay modes considered
- ❑ LHCb has a rich array of data, internal combination of different measurements reported previously
- ❑ LHCb has also precise measurements of D^0 mixing parameters \Rightarrow New combination of γ and charm mixing parameters

[arXiv:2110.023350](https://arxiv.org/abs/2110.023350)



Measurements used in the combination

- First combination where the LHCb charm inputs are included
- “updated” with respect to [LHCb-CONF-2018-002](#)
- Frequentist approach with 151 observables to determine 52 parameters

Decay	Parameters	Source	Ref.	Status since Ref. [17]
$B^\pm \rightarrow DK^{*\pm}$	$\kappa_{B^\pm}^{DK^{*\pm}}$	LHCb	[24]	As before
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$\kappa_{B^0}^{DK^{*0}}$	LHCb	[45]	As before
$B^0 \rightarrow D^\mp \pi^\pm$	β	HFLAV	[11]	Updated
$B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^\mp K^\pm(\pi\pi)$	ϕ_s	HFLAV	[11]	Updated
$D \rightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^0$	$F_{\pi\pi\pi^0}^+$, $F_{K\pi\pi^0}^+$	CLEO-c	[46]	As before
$D \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	$F_{4\pi}^+$	CLEO-c	[46]	As before
$D \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	$r_D^{K\pi\pi^0}$, $\delta_D^{K\pi\pi^0}$, $\kappa_D^{K\pi\pi^0}$	CLEO-c+LHCb+BESIII	[47–49]	Updated
$D \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp \pi^+ \pi^-$	$r_D^{K3\pi}$, $\delta_D^{K3\pi}$, $\kappa_D^{K3\pi}$	CLEO-c+LHCb+BESIII	[41, 47–49]	Updated
$D \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp$	$r_D^{K_S^0 K\pi}$, $\delta_D^{K_S^0 K\pi}$, $\kappa_D^{K_S^0 K\pi}$	CLEO	[50]	As before
$D \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp$	$r_D^{K_S^0 K\pi}$	LHCb	[51]	As before

B decay	D decay	Ref.	Dataset	Status since Ref. [17]
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	[20]	Run 1&2	Updated
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm$	$D \rightarrow h^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	[21]	Run 1	As before
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^0$	[22]	Run 1	As before
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm$	$D \rightarrow K_S^0 h^+ h^-$	[19]	Run 1&2	Updated
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm$	$D \rightarrow K_S^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp$	[23]	Run 1&2	Updated
$B^\pm \rightarrow D^* h^\pm$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	[20]	Run 1&2	Updated
$B^\pm \rightarrow DK^{*\pm}$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	[24]	Run 1&2(*)	As before
$B^\pm \rightarrow DK^{*\pm}$	$D \rightarrow h^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	[24]	Run 1&2(*)	As before
$B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	[25]	Run 1	As before
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	[26]	Run 1&2(*)	Updated
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D \rightarrow h^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$	[26]	Run 1&2(*)	New
$B^0 \rightarrow DK^{*0}$	$D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	[27]	Run 1	As before
$B^0 \rightarrow D^\mp \pi^\pm$	$D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$	[28]	Run 1	As before
$B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^\mp K^\pm$	$D_s^+ \rightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^+$	[29]	Run 1	As before
$B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^\mp K^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$	$D_s^+ \rightarrow h^+ h^- \pi^+$	[30]	Run 1&2	New
D decay	Observable(s)	Ref.	Dataset	Status since Ref. [17]
$D^0 \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	ΔA_{CP}	[31–33]	Run 1&2	New
$D^0 \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	y_{CP}	[34]	Run 1	New
$D^0 \rightarrow h^+ h^-$	ΔY	[35–38]	Run 1&2	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ (Single Tag)	R^\pm , $(x'^\pm)^2$, y'^\pm	[39]	Run 1	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ (Double Tag)	R^\pm , $(x^\pm)^2$, y^\pm	[40]	Run 1&2(*)	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp \pi^+ \pi^-$	$(x^2 + y^2)/4$	[41]	Run 1	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	x , y	[42]	Run 1	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	x_{CP} , y_{CP} , Δx , Δy	[43]	Run 1	New
$D^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^-$	x_{CP} , y_{CP} , Δx , Δy	[44]	Run 2	New

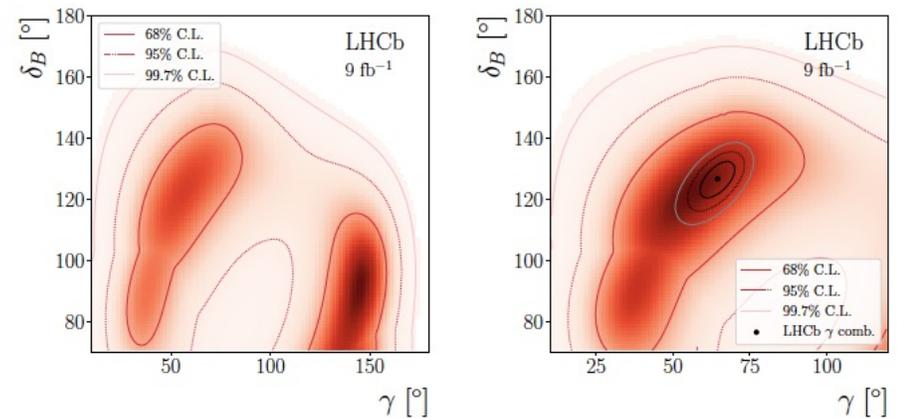
Measurement of γ with $B^\pm \rightarrow Dh^\pm\pi^0$

□ Final states $D \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^0$ and $D \rightarrow K^- K^+ \pi^0$ are mixture of CP odd and CP even eigenstates [\Rightarrow dilution factor of the overall CP asymmetry]

□ 11 CP observables measured

$R^{KK\pi^0}$	=	1.021	\pm 0.079	\pm 0.005
$R^{\pi\pi\pi^0}$	=	0.902	\pm 0.041	\pm 0.004
$A_K^{K\pi\pi^0}$	=	-0.024	\pm 0.013	\pm 0.002
$A_K^{KK\pi^0}$	=	0.067	\pm 0.073	\pm 0.003
$A_K^{\pi\pi\pi^0}$	=	0.109	\pm 0.043	\pm 0.003
$A_\pi^{KK\pi^0}$	=	-0.001	\pm 0.019	\pm 0.002
$A_\pi^{\pi\pi\pi^0}$	=	0.001	\pm 0.010	\pm 0.002
R_K^+	=	0.0179	\pm 0.0024	\pm 0.0003
R_K^-	=	0.0085	\pm 0.0020	\pm 0.0004
R_π^+	=	0.00188	\pm 0.00027	\pm 0.00005
R_π^-	=	0.00227	\pm 0.00028	\pm 0.00004,

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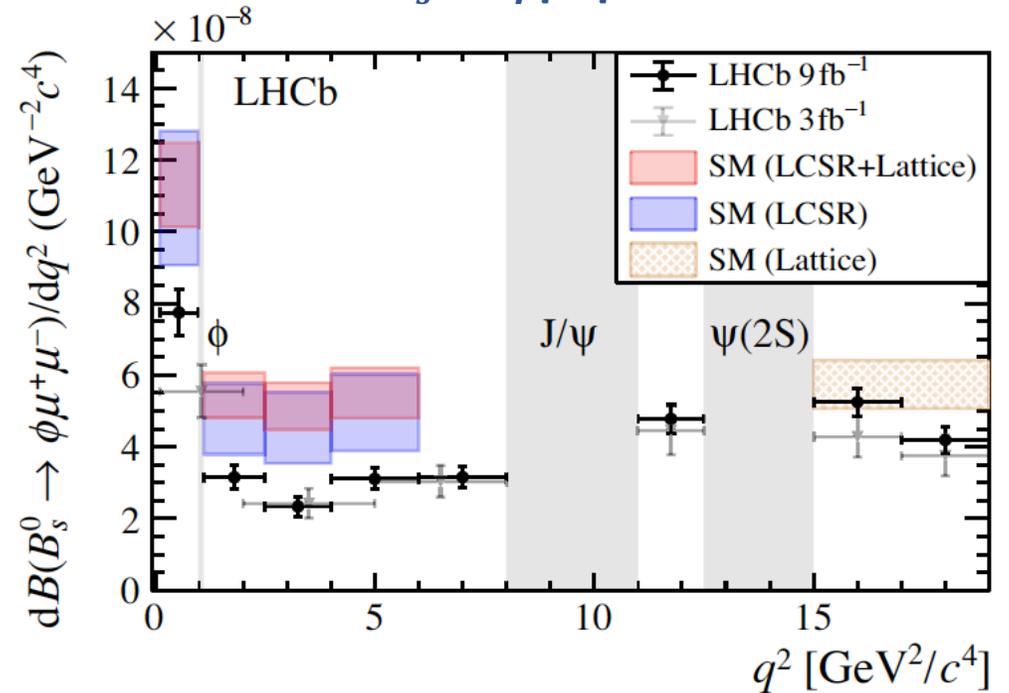
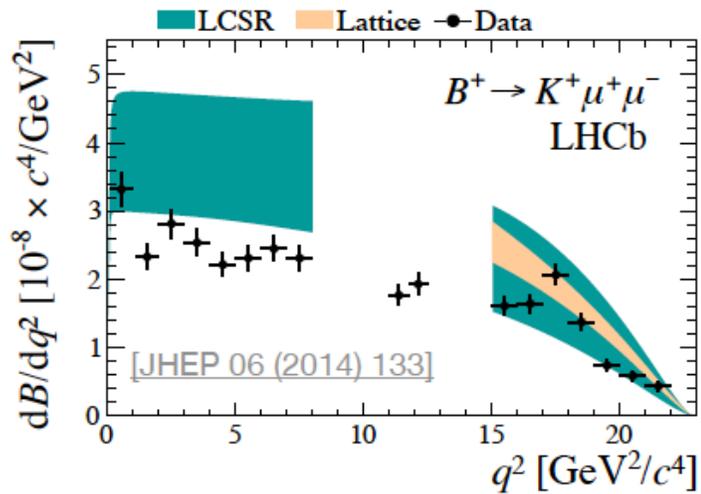
Global maximum $\gamma = (145_{-39}^{+9})^\circ$

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma &= (56_{-19}^{+24})^\circ, \\ \delta_B &= (122_{-23}^{+19})^\circ, \\ r_B &= (9.3_{-0.9}^{+1.0}) \times 10^{-2}, \end{aligned}$$

Other branching fractions

[2105.14007](#)

$B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$



LFU violation in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \ell^+ \ell^-$

$$R_K = \frac{Br(B \rightarrow K\mu^+\mu^-)}{Br(B \rightarrow Ke^+e^-)}$$

The quantity of interest

$$R_K = \frac{B^- \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \mu^- / B^- \rightarrow J/\psi(\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) K^-}{B^- \rightarrow K^- e^+ e^- / B^- \rightarrow J/\psi(\rightarrow e^+ e^-) K^-}$$

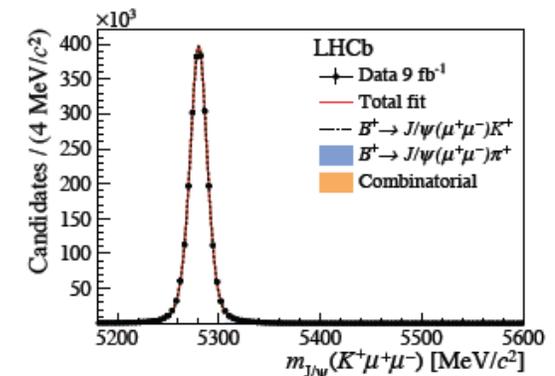
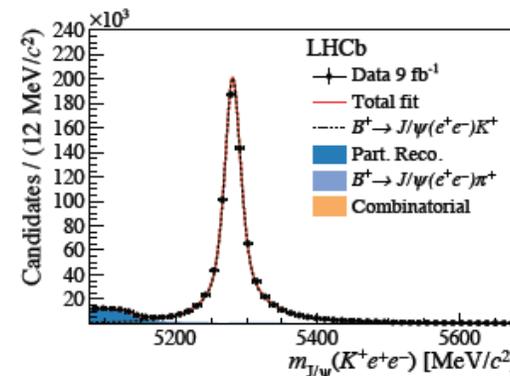
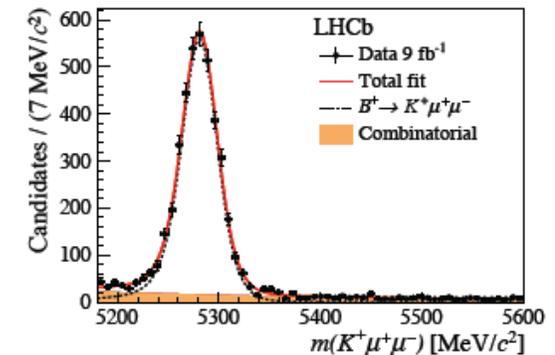
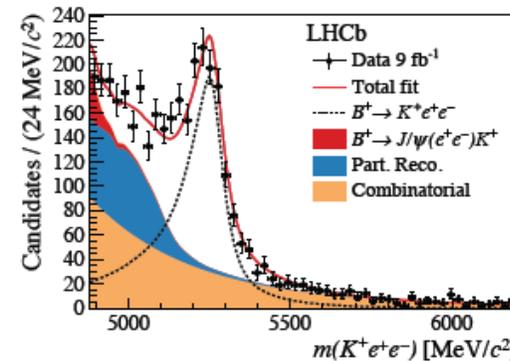
The quantity measured: double ratio of corrected yields, only relative efficiency needed

$$R_{J/\psi} = \frac{B^- \rightarrow J/\psi(\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) K^-}{B^- \rightarrow J/\psi(\rightarrow e^+ e^-) K^-} = 0.981 \pm 0.020$$

$$\frac{d\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow K^- e^+ e^-)}{dq^2} = (28.6_{-1.4}^{+1.5} \pm 1.3) \times 10^9 / \text{GeV}^2$$

In $1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 \text{ GeV}^2$, consistent with SM expectations

$$R_K(1.1 < q^2 < 6.0 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4) = 0.846_{-0.039}^{+0.042} +0.013_{-0.012}$$



LFU in the isospin partners $B^0 \rightarrow K_S^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$, $B^+ \rightarrow K^{*+} \ell^+ \ell^-$

$$R_{K_S^0} = 0.66^{+0.20}_{-0.14} \text{ (stat.) }^{+0.02}_{-0.04} \text{ (syst.)}$$

Consistent with SM at 1.5σ

$$R_{K^{*+}} = 0.70^{+0.18}_{-0.13} \text{ (stat.) }^{+0.03}_{-0.04} \text{ (syst.)}$$

Consistent with SM at 1.4σ

