

# LHCb results and plans

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# Strategy for NP search at LHCb

- **Measure rare processes.**
  - Measure FCNC transitions, where New Physics is more likely to emerge, and compare results to SM predictions.
- **Measure CP symmetry violation to improve measurement precision of CKM elements.**
  - Extract CKM-UT angles and sides in many different ways: any inconsistency will be a sign of New Physics.
  - Compare measurements of same quantity, which may or may not be sensitive to NP: e. g. NP-free determinations of CKM-UT angle  $\gamma$  to be compared to  $\gamma$  from loop.

# b and c hadrons production at LHC

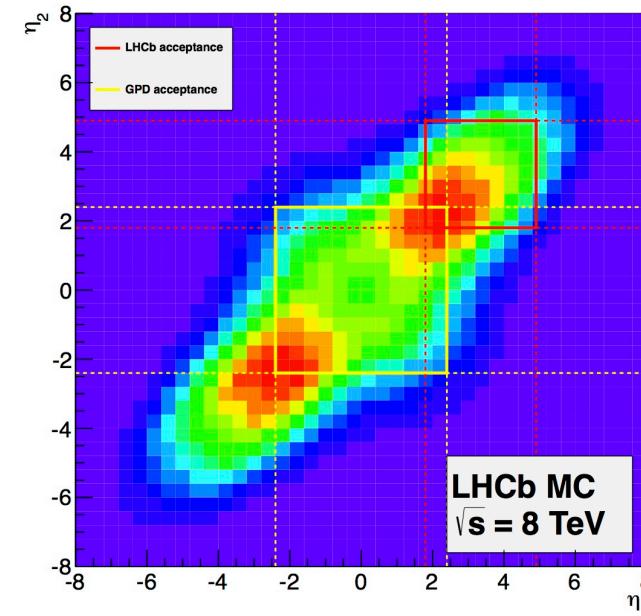
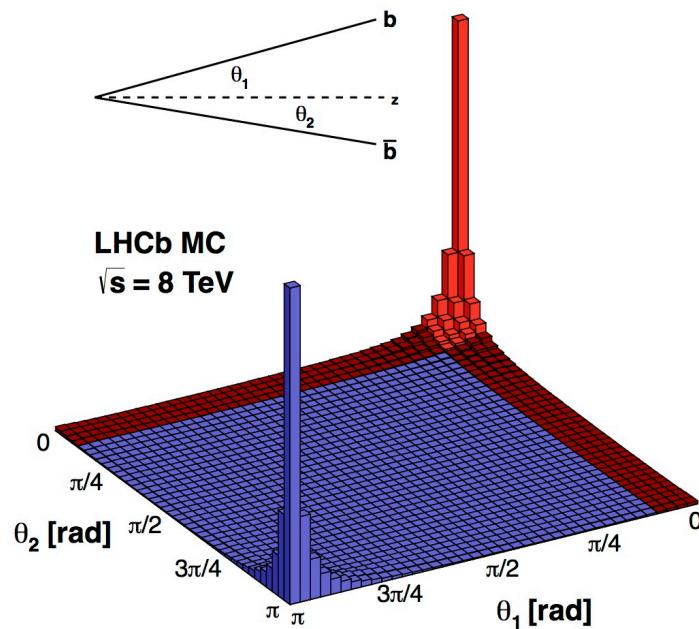
The beauty cross-sections given by PYTHIA (PYTHIA8 and CTEQ6 NLO) are:  
251.8  $\mu\text{b}$  at 7 TeV; 291.6  $\mu\text{b}$  at 8 TeV; 527.3  $\mu\text{b}$  at 14 TeV.

**LHCb** measurement in the acceptance, at 7 TeV:

$$\sigma(\text{pp} \rightarrow \text{bbX}) = (75.3 \pm 5.4 \pm 13.0) \mu\text{b}, \text{ PLB 694 (2010) 209,}$$

corresponding to  $\sigma(\text{pp} \rightarrow \text{bbX})_{4\pi} = 284 \pm 20 \pm 49 \mu\text{b}$ .

$\sigma_{\text{inel}} = 60 \text{ mb}$  and  $\sigma_{\text{cc}} = 6 \text{ mb}$ .



$1.8 < \eta < 4.9$  for LHCb

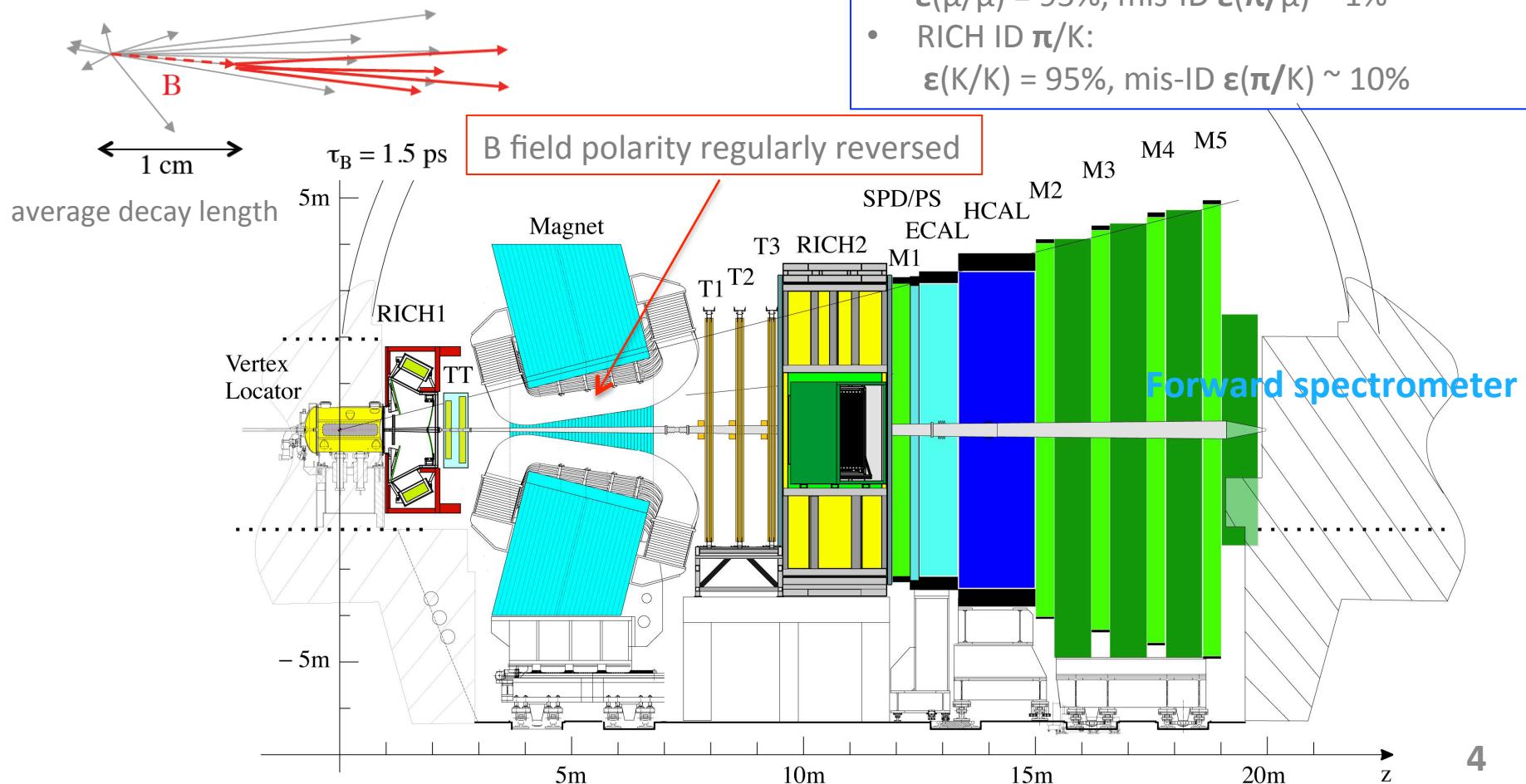
# The LHCb detector

## Experiment optimized for B physics requires:

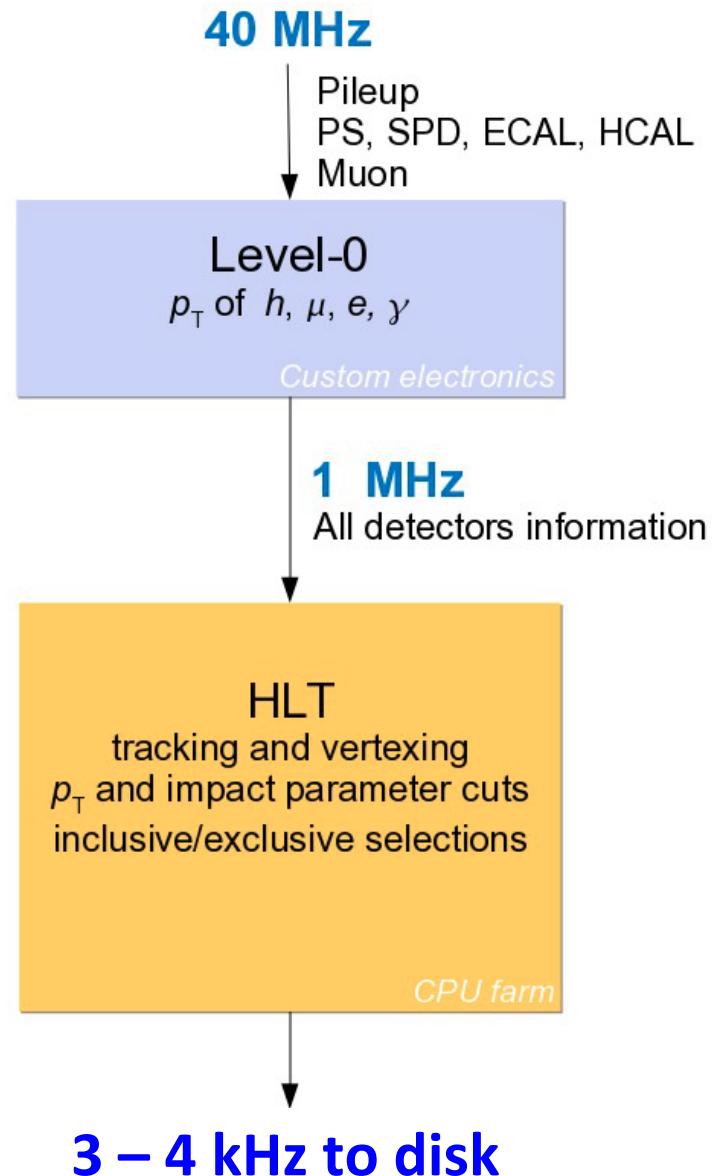
- Precision tracking and vertexing (mass, proper time).
- Excellent particle identification:  $e, \gamma, \mu, \pi, K, p$
- Efficient trigger for hadronic and leptonic modes.

## LHCb performance:

- Decay time resolution  $\Delta t$ : 30-50 fs
- $\Delta p/p = 0.35\text{-}0.55\%$ ,  $1 < p < 100 \text{ Gev}/c$
- $\Delta m = 10\text{-}20 \text{ MeV}/c^2$
- MUON ID:  
 $\epsilon(\mu/\mu) = 95\%$ , mis-ID  $\epsilon(\pi/\mu) \sim 1\%$
- RICH ID  $\pi/K$ :  
 $\epsilon(K/K) = 95\%$ , mis-ID  $\epsilon(\pi/K) \sim 10\%$

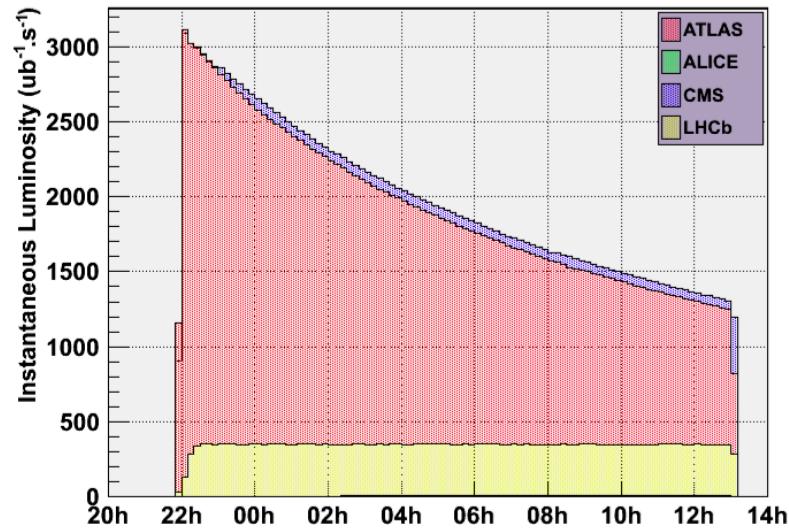


# Trigger architecture



# Running Conditions

Instantaneous luminosity leveling



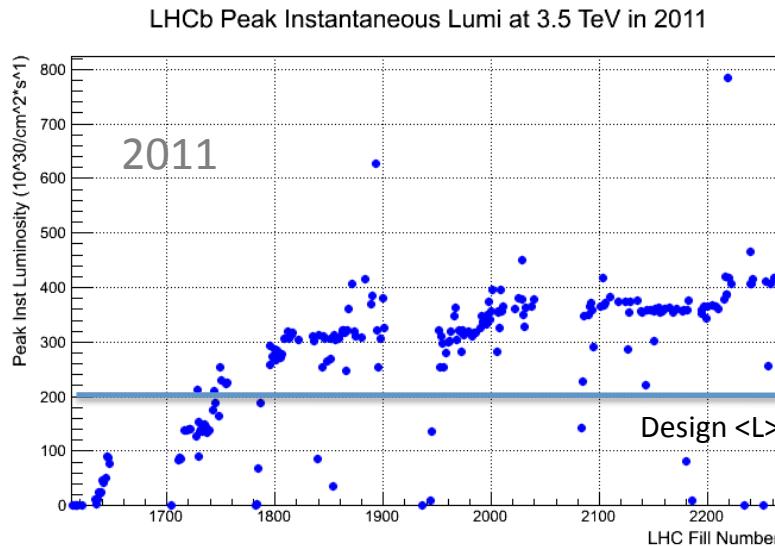
Leveling is obtained through vertical beam displacements.

The average instantaneous  $\langle L \rangle$  is a factor 2. above the design value !

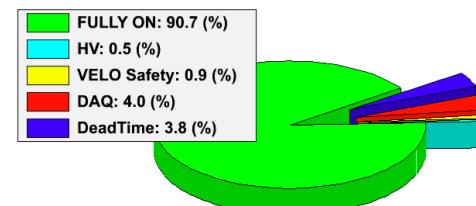
2011 integrated luminosity of  $1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $10^{15} \times 75.3 \times 10^{-6} \sim 10^{11}$  beauty.

Target of  $1.5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  recorded in 2012

Recorded instantaneous luminosity



LHCb luminosity per fill typically  
 $3\text{--}4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

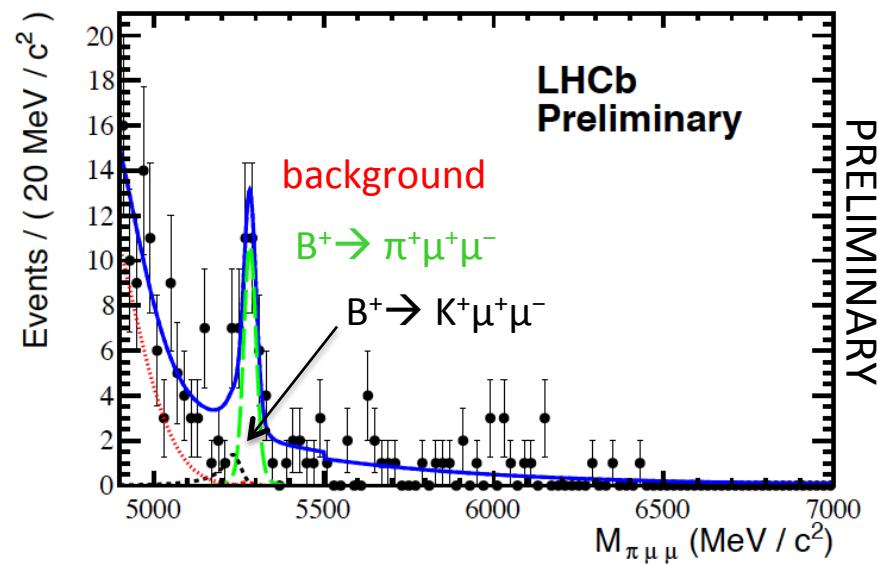


91% data-taking efficiency

$$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$$

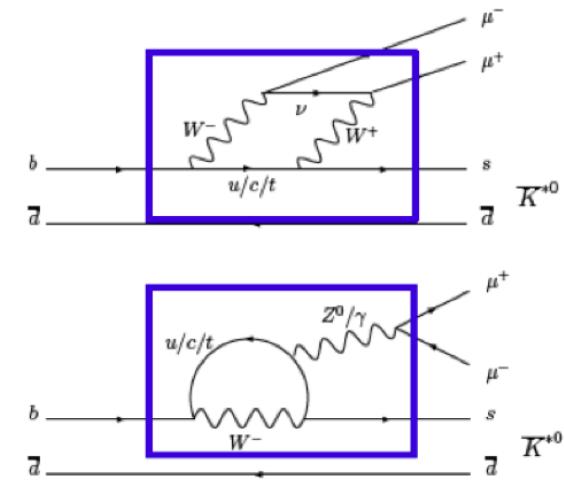
# The rarest B decay ever observed

- It is a  $b \rightarrow d \mu^+ \mu^-$  flavour changing neutral current process.
- $b \rightarrow d \mu^+ \mu^-$  is suppressed by a factor  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|$  relative to  $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$ : This suppression does not necessarily apply to NP beyond the SM.
- The predicted SM branching fraction  $B(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)_{SM} = (1.96 \pm 0.21) \times 10^{-8}$   
Communications in Theoretical Physics 50 (2008) 696
- The best published limit is  $B(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) < 6.9 \times 10^{-8}$  at 90% C.L. by Belle full dataset.  
Phys. Rev. D78 (2008) 011101, arXiv:0804.3656
- $21 \pm 3$   $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$  events expected in  $1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ , given the SM prediction.
- A signal yield of  $25.3^{+6.7}_{-6.4}$  is extracted from the fit, corresponding to a  $5.2\sigma$  observation.
- The LHCb measurement:  
 $(2.4 \pm 0.6 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.2 \text{ (syst)}) \times 10^{-8}$  in good agreement with the SM.



# $B_d \rightarrow K^*(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^- (1\text{fb}^{-1})$

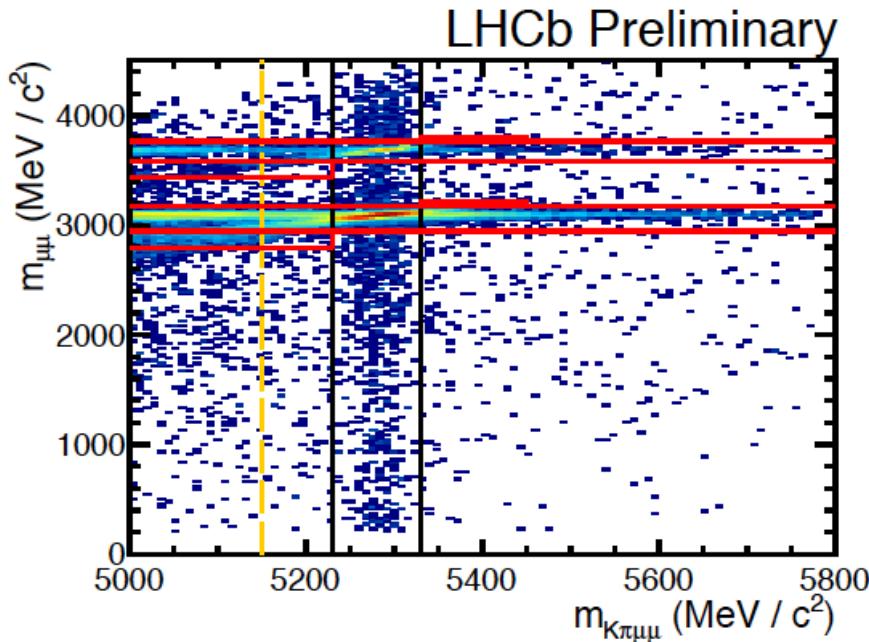
- It is a  $b \rightarrow s \mu^+\mu^-$  FCNC process, with a vector in the final state: a reach phenomenology.
- The decay can be described by three angles  $(\theta_l, \theta_K, \phi)$  and by the squared di-muon invariant mass ( $q^2$ ).
- Angular observables in this decay have been previously measured by BaBar, Belle, CDF.
- The LHCb fit of the differential amplitude, in the angles and in bins of  $q^2$ , allow to access:
- $F_L$ , the longitudinal polarization of the  $K^*$
- $A_{FB}$  of the leptonic system
- T-odd CP  $A_{IM}$  asymmetry
- The transverse asymmetry  
 $S_3 = 0.5 \times (1 - F_L) \times A_T^2$



$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d^4\Gamma}{d \cos \theta_\ell d \cos \theta_K d\hat{\phi} dq^2} = \frac{9}{16\pi} \left[ F_L \cos^2 \theta_K + \frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L)(1 - \cos^2 \theta_K) + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K (2 \cos^2 \theta_\ell - 1) + \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L)(1 - \cos^2 \theta_K)(2 \cos^2 \theta_\ell - 1) + S_3(1 - \cos^2 \theta_K)(1 - \cos^2 \theta_\ell) \cos 2\hat{\phi} + \frac{4}{3}A_{FB}(1 - \cos^2 \theta_K) \cos \theta_\ell + A_{Im}(1 - \cos^2 \theta_K)(1 - \cos^2 \theta_\ell) \sin 2\hat{\phi} \right]$$

# $B_d \rightarrow K^*(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$ signal selection

The  $K^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-$  versus  $\mu^+\mu^-$  invariant mass distribution for candidates in the data sample.



The red lines limit the cc-bar resonance regions that are removed in the analysis.

The black lines indicate a  $\pm 50\text{MeV}/c^2$  window around the reconstructed  $B_d$  mass.

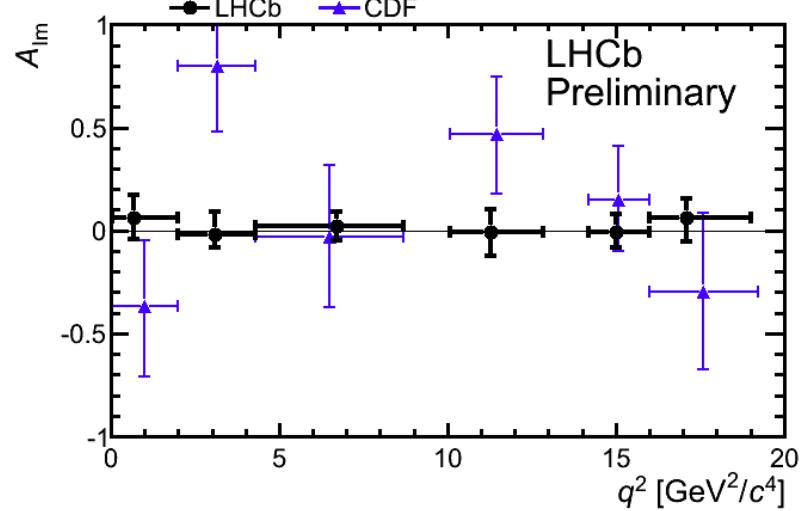
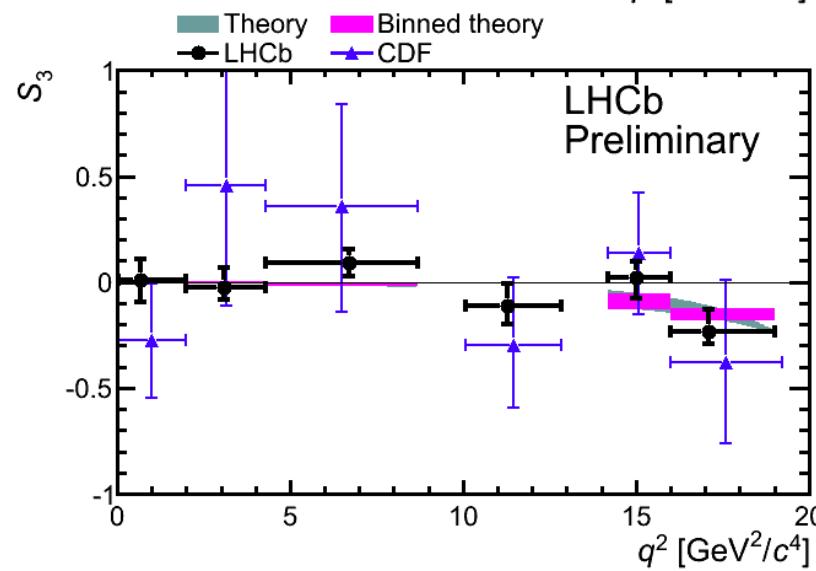
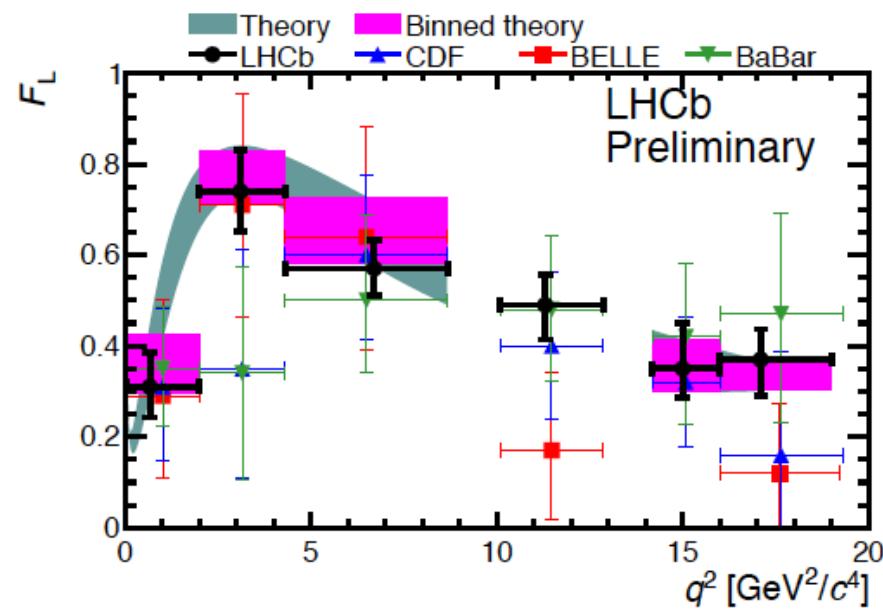
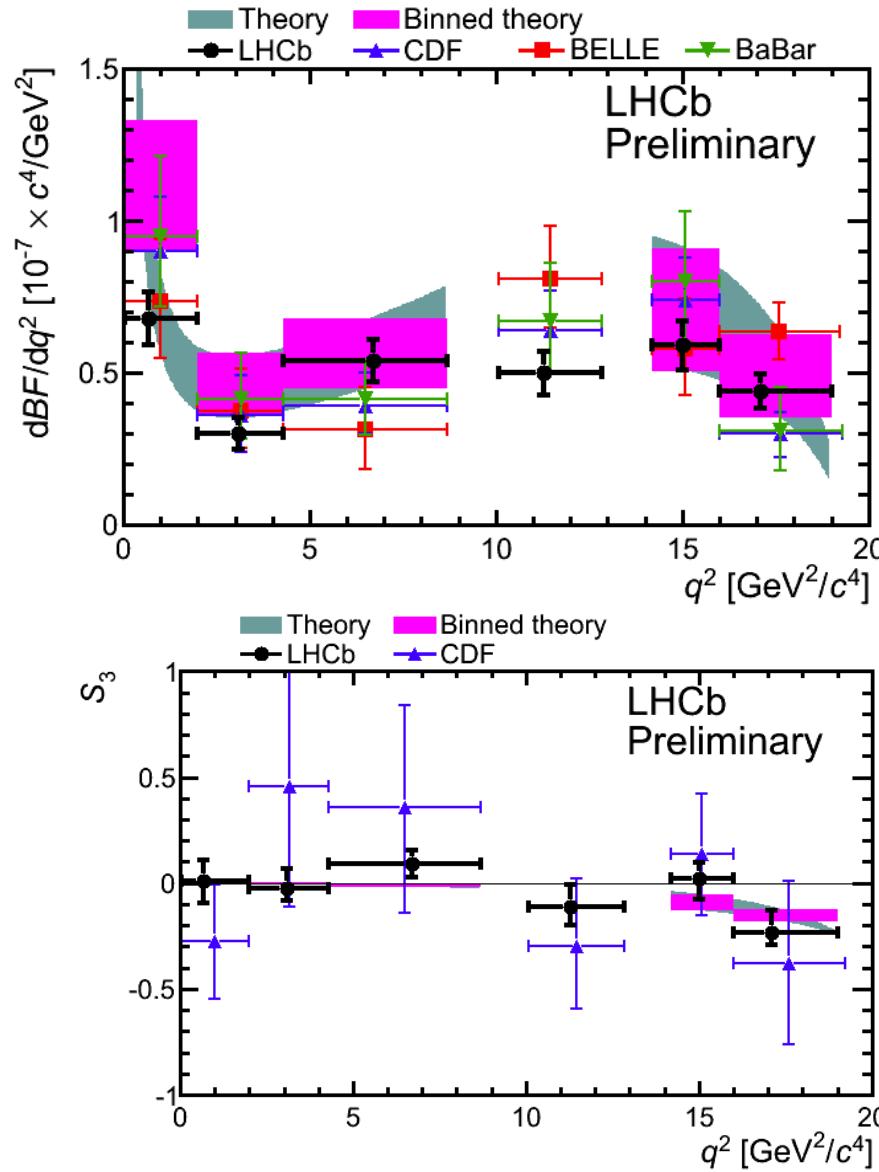
The BDT selection uses information about the kinematic properties of  $B^0$  meson,  $B^0$  vertex quality, track quality, impact parameter and Particle Identification (PID) of the kaon, the pion and the muons.

$q^2$ ( $\text{GeV}^2/c^4$ ) range	Signal Yield	Background Yield
$4m_\mu^2 < q^2 < 2.00$	$162.4 \pm 14.2$	$27.7 \pm 3.8$
$2.00 < q^2 < 4.30$	$71.4 \pm 10.7$	$37.1 \pm 4.1$
$4.30 < q^2 < 8.68$	$270.5 \pm 18.8$	$58.8 \pm 5.5$
$10.09 < q^2 < 12.90$	$167.0 \pm 14.9$	$41.7 \pm 4.5$
$14.18 < q^2 < 16.00$	$113.0 \pm 11.7$	$17.1 \pm 3.0$
$16.00 < q^2 < 19.00$	$115.0 \pm 12.4$	$23.9 \pm 3.6$
$1.00 < q^2 < 6.00$	$195.2 \pm 16.9$	$75.8 \pm 6.0$
$4m_\mu^2 < q^2 < 19.00$	$900.0 \pm 34.4$	$206.2 \pm 10.3$

The signal and background yields resulting from a fit to the  $K^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-$  invariant mass distributions of the candidates in the six  $q^2$ -bins used in the analysis.

# $B_d \rightarrow K^*(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$ results

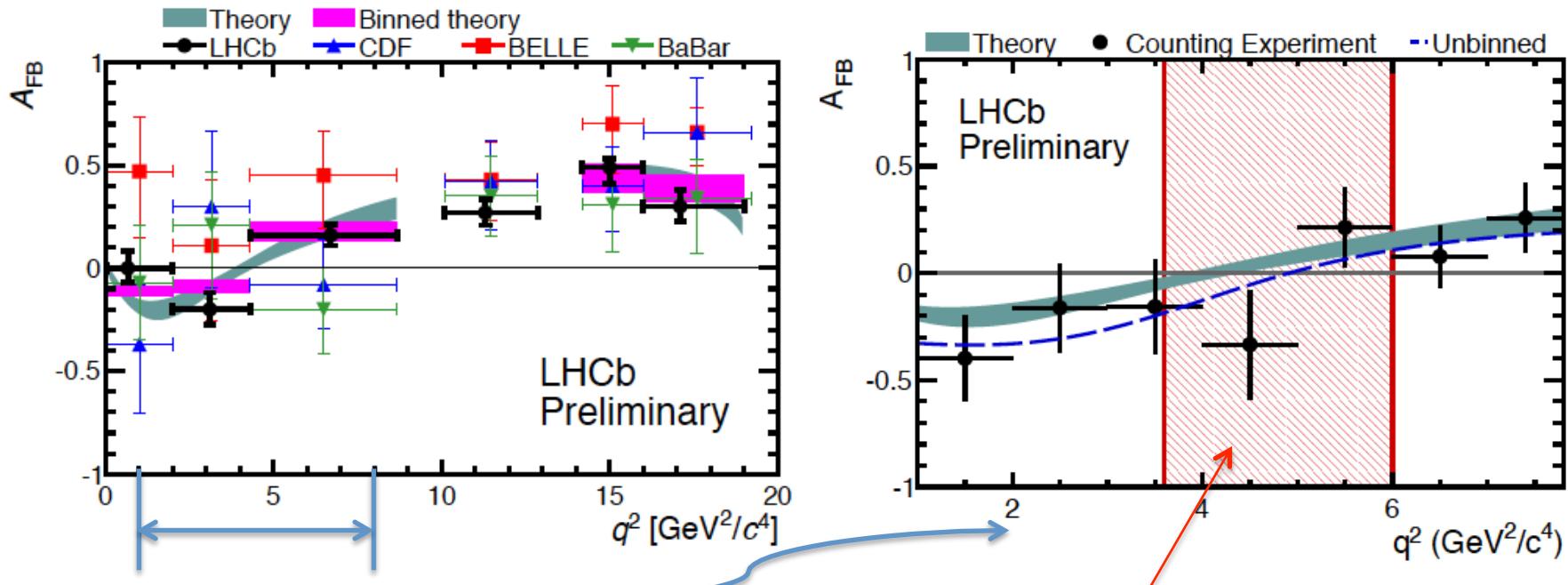
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# $A_{FB}$ zero crossing point $B_d \rightarrow K^*(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$

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68% confidence interval on the zero-crossing point observed in the data.

The SM predictions for  $q^2_0$  is the range:  $4.0 - 4.3 \text{ GeV}^2/\text{c}^4$

The LHCb results is:  $q^2_0 = (4.9^{+1.1}_{-1.3}) \text{ GeV}^2/\text{c}^4$

Theory prediction:  
C. Bobeth, G. Hiller, D. van Dyk,  
JHEP 07, 067 (2011)

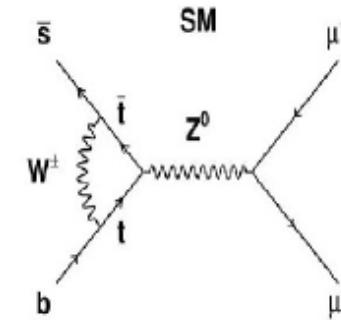
Measurements:  
BaBar: S.Akar Lake Louise (2012)  
Belle: Phys.Rev.Lett. 103, 171801 (2009)  
CDF :Phys. Rev. Lett. 108, 081807 (2012)

Results are in good agreement with Standard Model predictions.

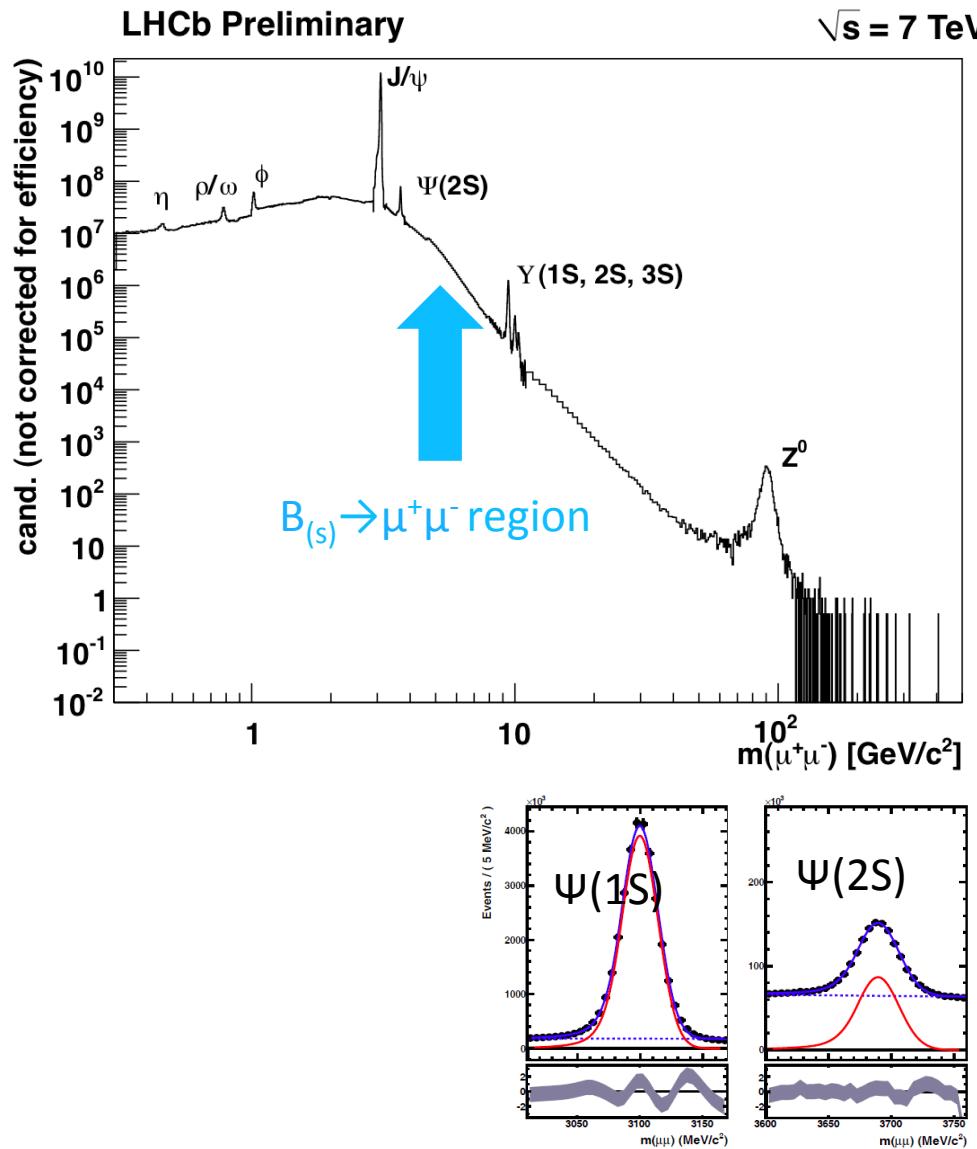
# $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- (1\text{fb}^{-1})$

- Very rare in Standard Model, due to the absence of tree-level FCNC, helicity suppression, CKM suppression:
- $\text{BR}_{\text{SM}} (B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.2 \pm 0.2) \times 10^{-9}$
- $\text{BR}_{\text{SM}} (B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (0.10 \pm 0.01) \times 10^{-9}$ 

Buras et al., JHEP 10 (2010) 009  
E.Gamiz et al. Phys. Rev. D 80 (2009) 104503
- The SM BRs can be enhanced in NP models.
- $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  decays are relatively easy to trigger and reconstruct.  
The main issue for the analysis is the background rejection.
- Classification of events in 2D space:  
Invariant di-muon mass of high quality muon tracks and Boosted Decision Tree (BDT) multivariate discriminant on kinematics and topology variables.
- Control channels used for the expectation for signal and background.



# Di-muon invariant mass

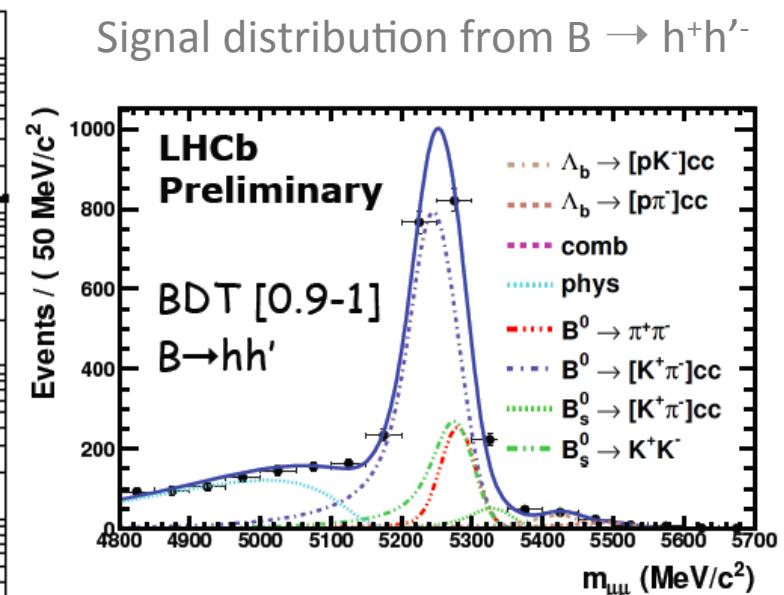
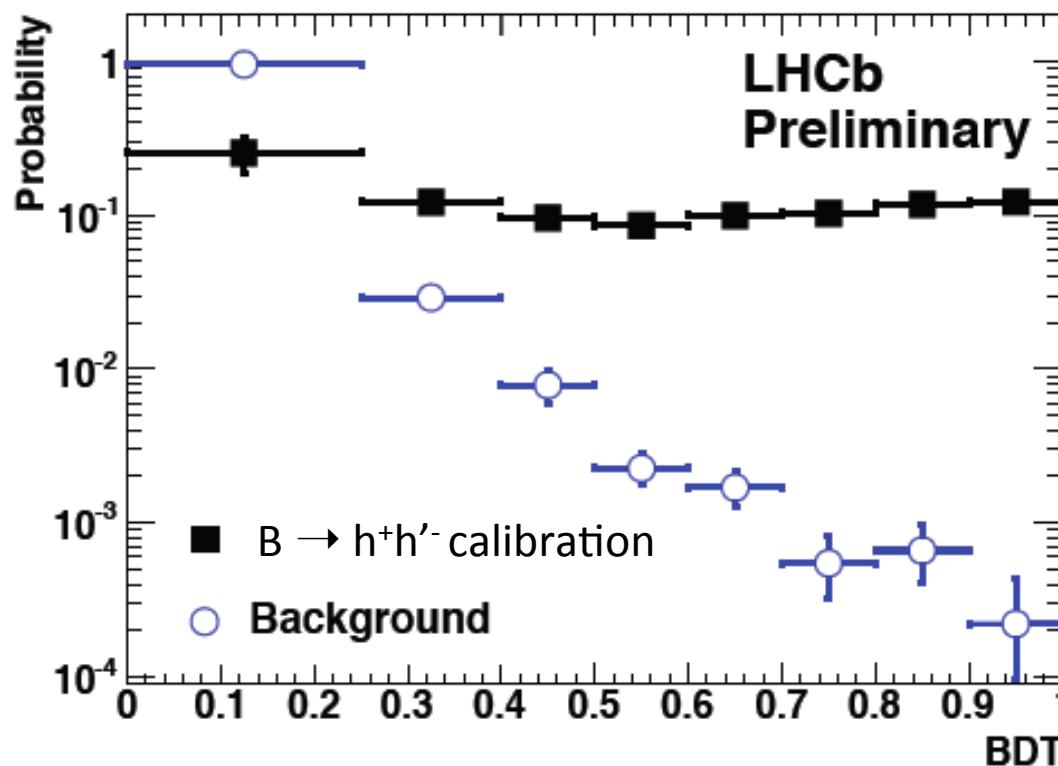


Mass resolution measured in data from di-muon resonances:  
 $\Psi(1S), \Psi(2S), \Upsilon(1S), \Upsilon(2S), \Upsilon(3S)$   
 $\sigma(m) = 24.8 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.7 \text{ MeV}/c^2$   
 Central value from charmless two body decays  $B \rightarrow h^+h^-$

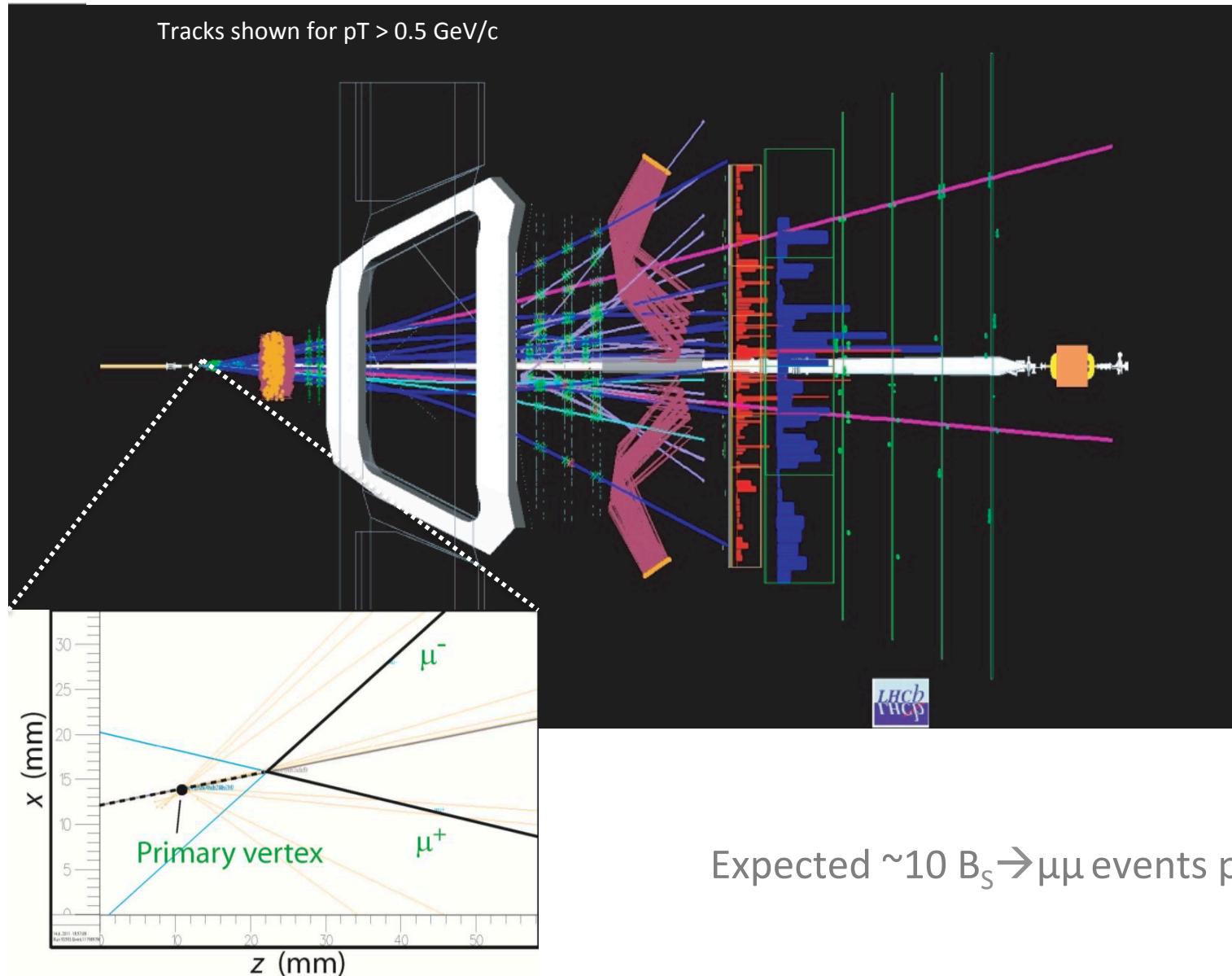
# BDT selection

BDT trained using MC simulated samples of  $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  and  $bb \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- X$  background.  
 Signal distribution taken from data using  $B_{(s)} \rightarrow h^+ h^-$ .

Background distribution from the sidebands of the  $\mu\mu$  invariant mass distribution in the  $B_{(s)}$  mass window.



# $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ candidate ?



$$B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

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arXiv:1203.4493

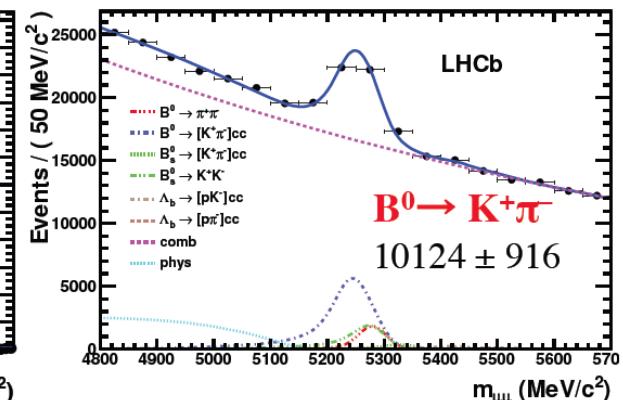
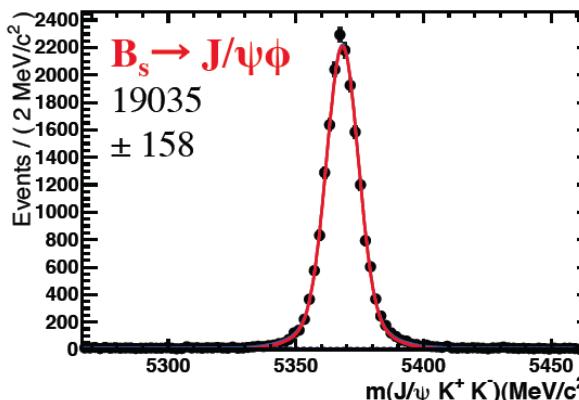
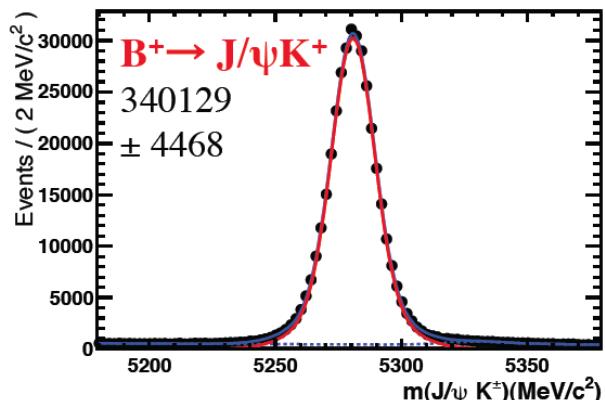
Branching fraction normalization:

$$\text{BR}_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu} = \text{BR}_{\text{norm}} \times \frac{N_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu}}{N_{\text{norm}}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\text{norm}}}{\epsilon_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu}} \times \frac{f_{\text{norm}}}{f_s} = \alpha_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu}^{\text{norm}} \times N_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu}$$

LHCb measurement of  $B_s$  fraction:  $f_s/f_d = 0.267^{+0.021}_{-0.020}$

arXiv:1111.2357,  
to appear in PRD;  
PRL 107 (2011) 211801

Three complementary normalization channels

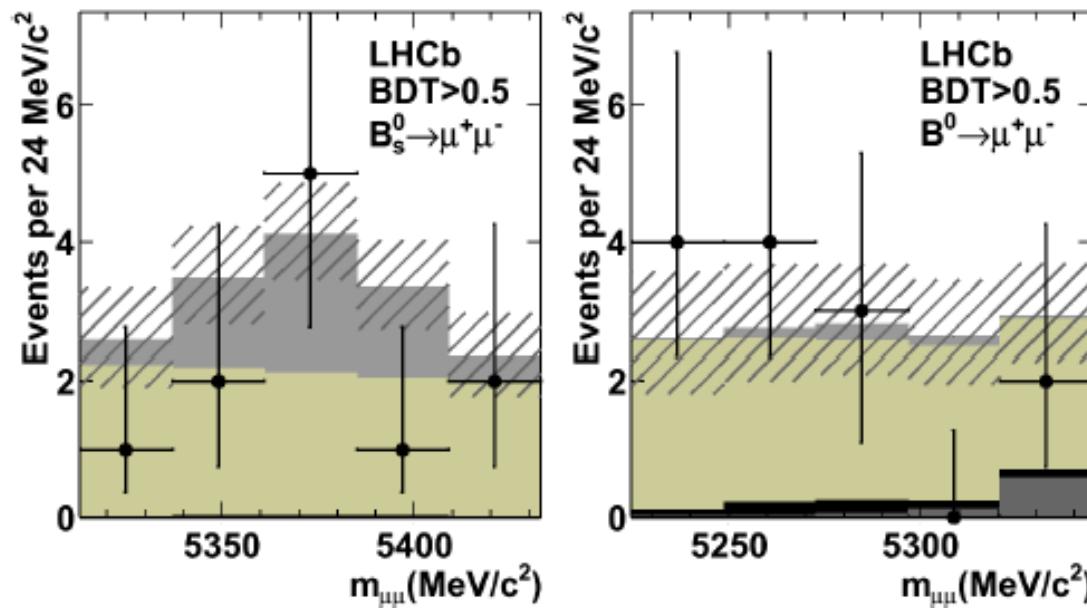


Single event sensitivity  
(weighted average)

$$\alpha_{B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu}^{\text{norm}} = (0.319 \pm 0.028) \times 10^{-9}$$

# $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

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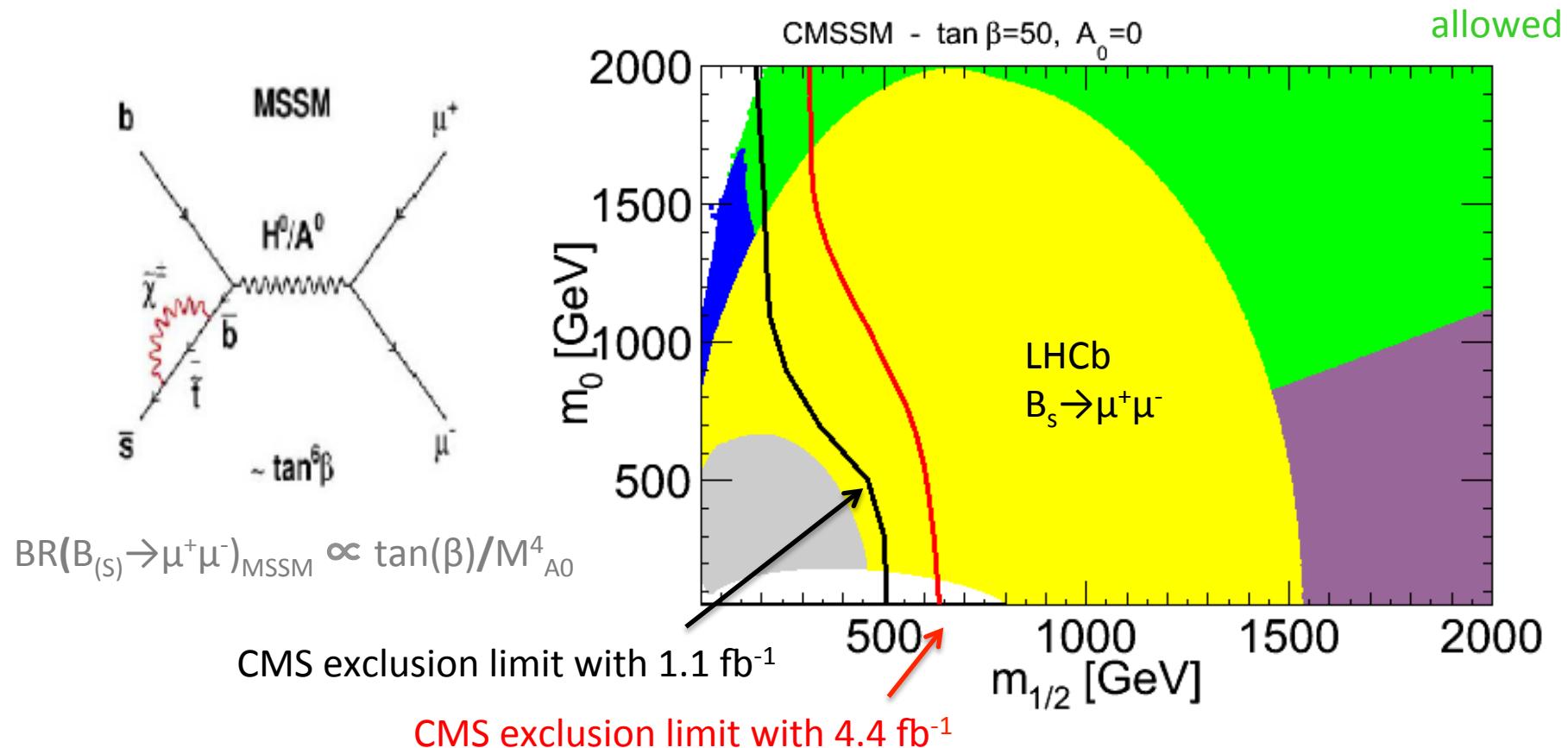


Mode	Limit	at 90 % CL	at 95 % CL
$B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$	Exp. bkg+SM	$6.3 \times 10^{-9}$	$7.2 \times 10^{-9}$
	Exp. bkg	$2.8 \times 10^{-9}$	$3.4 \times 10^{-9}$
	Observed	$3.8 \times 10^{-9}$	$4.5 \times 10^{-9}$
$B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$	Exp. bkg	$0.91 \times 10^{-9}$	$1.1 \times 10^{-9}$
	Observed	$0.81 \times 10^{-9}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-9}$

$$B(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (0.8^{+1.8}_{-1.3}) \times 10^{-9}$$

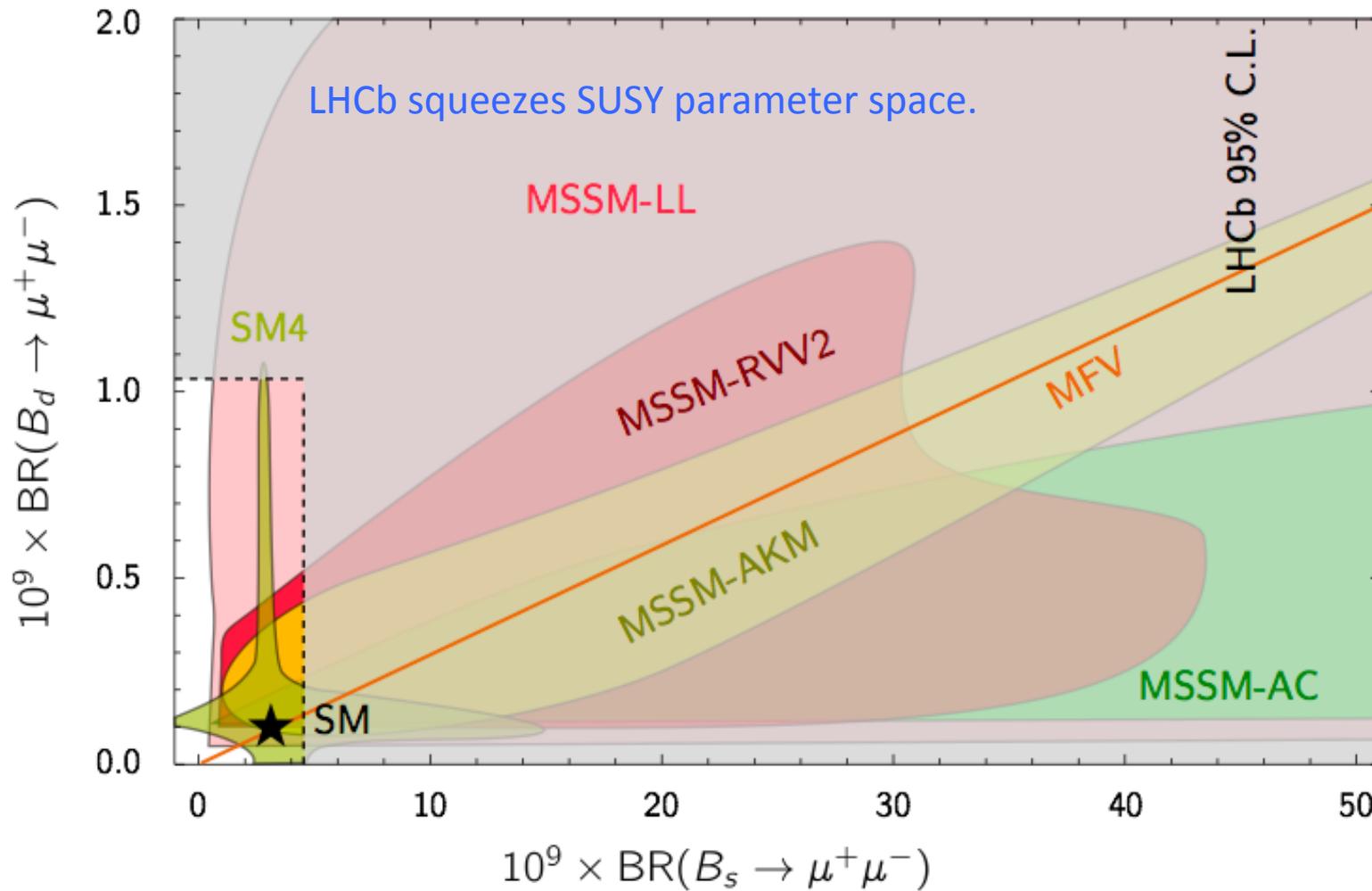
# $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ implications

Complementarity of direct and indirect searches



# $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ implications

Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model for  $\text{BR}(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)/\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$



# Mixing-induced CPV in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

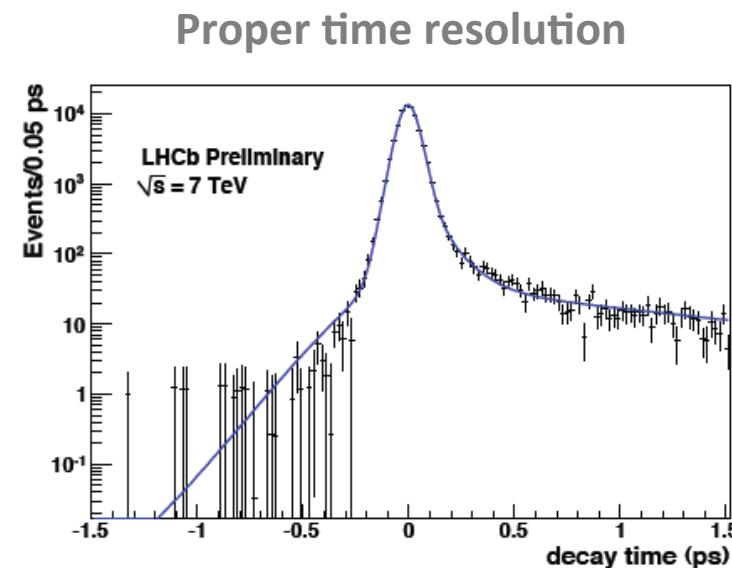
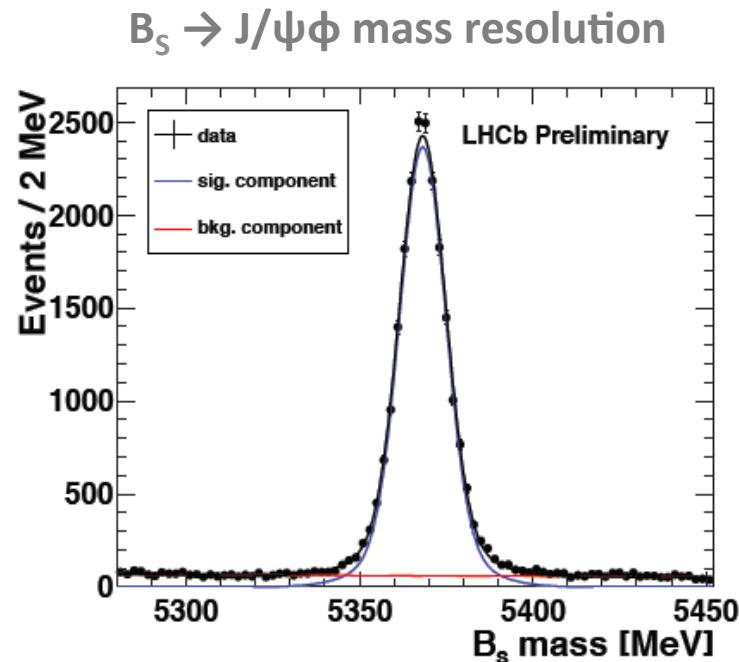
- $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$  is the counterpart of  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^0$
- We aim to measure  $\phi_s$ : the phase difference between the  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$  decay amplitudes with or without oscillation.
- $\phi_s$  possibly sensitive to New Physics contributions to  $B_s$  mixing:  

$$\phi_s = (\phi_s)_{SM} + (\phi_s)_{NP}$$

$$(\phi)_{SM} = -2 \arg \left( -\frac{V_{ts} V_{tb}^*}{V_{cs} V_{cb}^*} \right) = -0.036 \pm 0.002$$

- Important differences between  $B_s$  and  $B^0$  cases:
  - $\Delta M_s \gg \Delta M_d$  : excellent proper time resolution to resolve oscillations.
  - $\Delta \Gamma_s \gg \Delta \Gamma_d$ : access to  $\cos(\phi_s)$  in addition to  $\sin(\phi_s)$
  - $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi KK$  final state is a mixture of CP-even and CP-odd eigenstates, with 4 contributing amplitudes:
    - KK in P-wave state: final state is CP-odd or CP-even
    - KK in S-wave state: final state is CP-odd

# $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$ signals and resolutions



$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$  candidates:

- Require  $t > 0.3$  ps
- $8$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup> mass resolution.
- 21200 signal events ( $1$  fb<sup>-1</sup>).

## Time resolution

- Apply selection without decay length or impact parameter cuts (trigger + offline)
- Calibrate per-event estimate of proper time error from fit to prompt peak.
- **45 fs time resolution.**

# $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ decay rates

$$\frac{d^4\Gamma(B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi)}{dt d\Omega} \propto \sum_{k=1}^{10} h_k(t) f_k(\Omega)$$

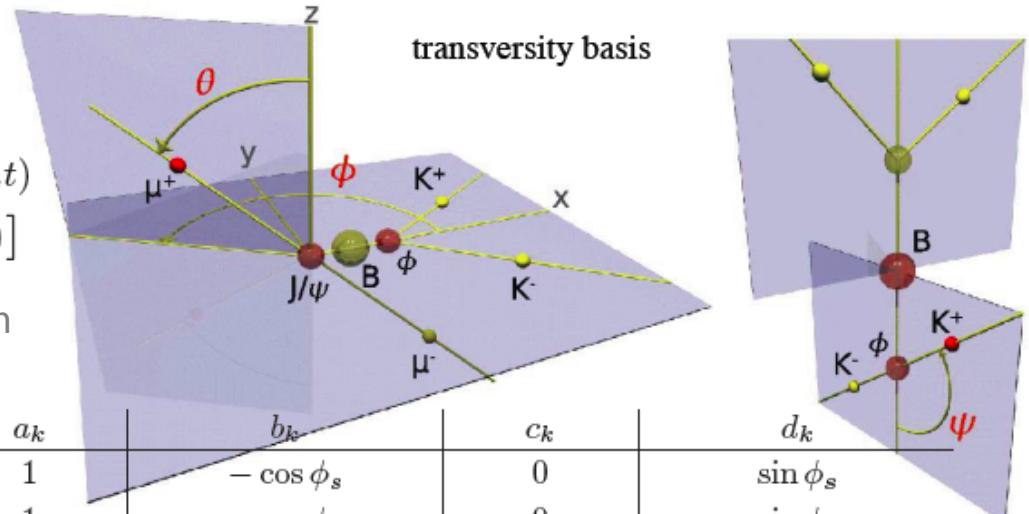
$$h_k(t) = N_k e^{-\Gamma_s t} [c_k \cos(\Delta m_s t) + d_k \sin(\Delta m_s t) + a_k \cosh(\frac{1}{2}\Delta\Gamma_s t) + b_k \sinh(\frac{1}{2}\Delta\Gamma_s t)]$$

$c_k$  and  $d_k$  get opposite signs for anti-meson

$k$	$f_k(\theta, \psi, \varphi)$	$N_k$	$a_k$	$b_k$	$c_k$	$d_k$
1	$2 \cos^2 \psi (1 - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi)$	$ A_0(0) ^2$	1	$-\cos \phi_s$	0	$\sin \phi_s$
2	$\sin^2 \psi (1 - \sin^2 \theta \sin^2 \phi)$	$ A_\parallel(0) ^2$	1	$-\cos \phi_s$	0	$\sin \phi_s$
3	$\sin^2 \psi \sin^2 \theta$	$ A_\perp(0) ^2$	1	$\cos \phi_s$	0	$-\sin \phi_s$
4	$-\sin^2 \psi \sin 2\theta \sin \phi$	$ A_\parallel(0)A_\perp(0) $	0	$-\cos(\delta_\perp - \delta_\parallel) \sin \phi_s$	$\sin(\delta_\perp - \delta_\parallel)$	$-\cos(\delta_\perp - \delta_\parallel) \cos \phi_s$
5	$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2} \sin 2\psi \sin^2 \theta \sin 2\phi$	$ A_0(0)A_\parallel(0) $	$\cos(\delta_\parallel - \delta_0)$	$-\cos(\delta_\parallel - \delta_0) \cos \phi_s$	0	$\cos(\delta_\parallel - \delta_0) \sin \phi_s$
6	$\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2} \sin 2\psi \sin 2\theta \cos \phi$	$ A_0(0)A_\perp(0) $	0	$-\cos(\delta_\perp - \delta_0) \sin \phi_s$	$\sin(\delta_\perp - \delta_0)$	$-\cos(\delta_\perp - \delta_0) \cos \phi_s$
7	$\frac{2}{3}(1 - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi)$	$ A_s(0) ^2$	1	$\cos \phi_s$	0	$-\sin \phi_s$
8	$\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{6} \sin \psi \sin^2 \theta \sin 2\phi$	$ A_s(0)A_\parallel(0) $	0	$-\sin(\delta_\parallel - \delta_S) \sin \phi_s$	$\cos(\delta_\parallel - \delta_S)$	$-\sin(\delta_\parallel - \delta_S) \cos \phi_s$
9	$\frac{1}{3}\sqrt{6} \sin \psi \sin 2\theta \cos \phi$	$ A_s(0)A_\perp(0) $	$\sin(\delta_\perp - \delta_S)$	$\sin(\delta_\perp - \delta_S) \cos \phi_s$	0	$-\sin(\delta_\perp - \delta_S) \sin \phi_s$
10	$\frac{4}{3}\sqrt{3} \cos \psi (1 - \sin^2 \theta \cos^2 \phi)$	$ A_s(0)A_0(0) $	0	$-\sin(\delta_0 - \delta_S) \sin \phi_s$	$\cos(\delta_0 - \delta_S)$	$-\sin(\delta_0 - \delta_S) \cos \phi_s$

$\delta_0$  set to 0

10 parameters:  $\phi_S, \Gamma_S, \Delta\Gamma_S, \Delta M_S$ , 3 amplitudes and 3 strong phases

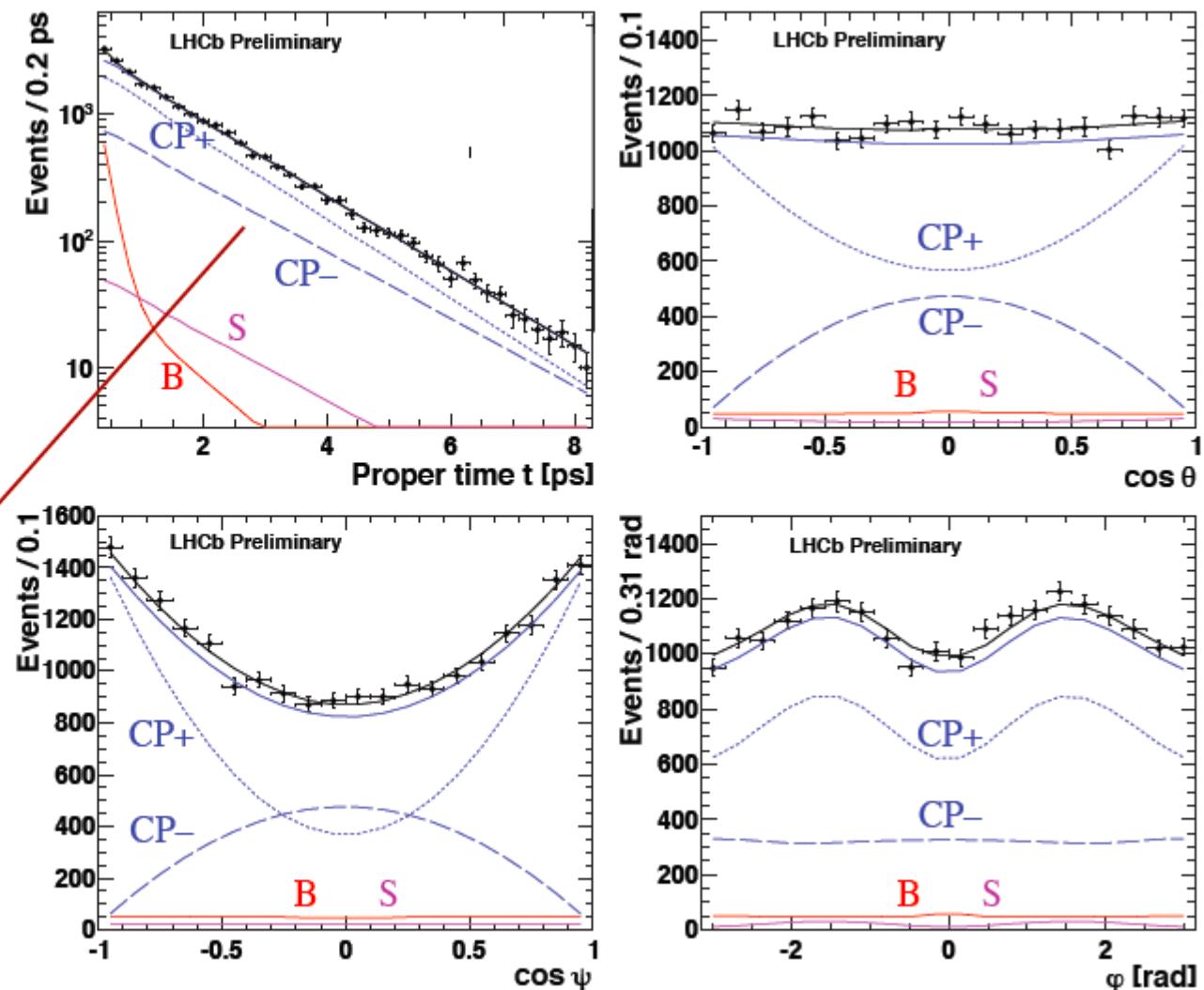


# $B_S \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ fits (1.0 fb $^{-1}$ )

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**CP = +1:** CP-even final state  
**CP = -1:** CP-odd final state  
**S :**  $J_{KK} = 0$ , S-wave CP-odd  
**B :** combinatorial background


 Similar to the  $K_s K_L$  case.  
 First  $>5\sigma$  observation of  
 non zero  $\Delta\Gamma_S$   
 CP=-1 state lives longer  
 than CP=+1 state.



# CPV in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

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Fit of the tagged and the untagged rates as a function of  $B_s$  mass, proper time and angles.

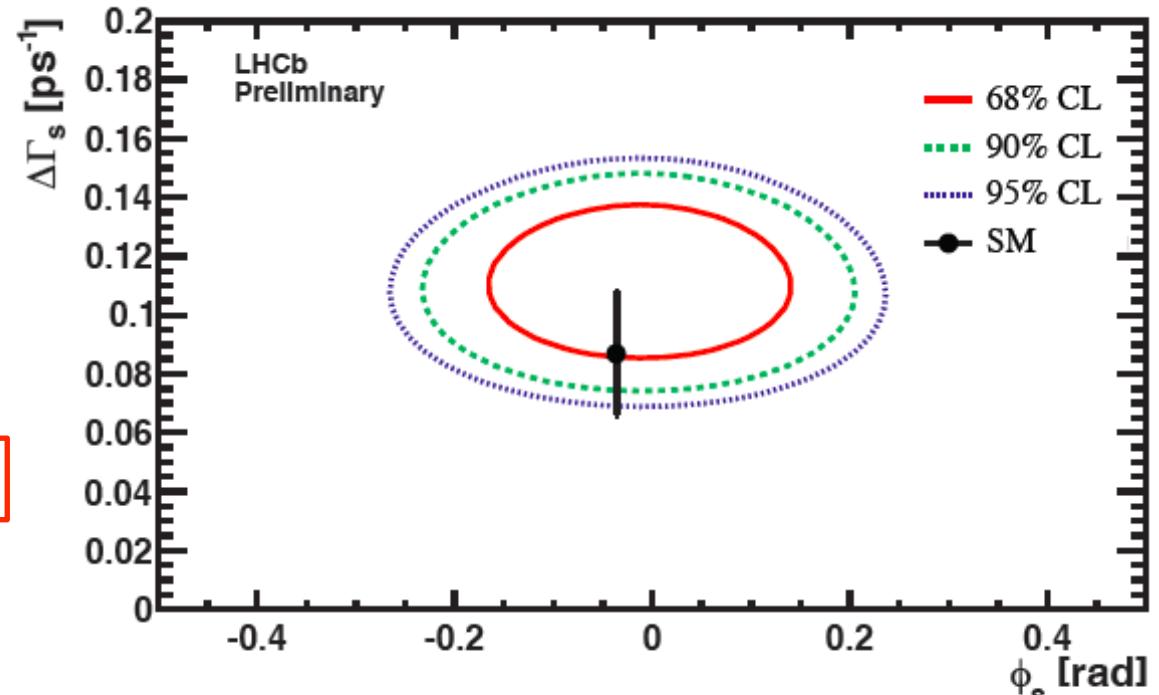
Parameter	Value	Stat.	Syst.
$\Gamma_s$ [ps $^{-1}$ ]	0.6580	0.0054	0.0066
$\Delta\Gamma_s$ [ps $^{-1}$ ]	0.116	0.018	0.006
$ A_{\perp}(0) ^2$	0.246	0.010	0.013
$ A_0(0) ^2$	0.523	0.007	0.024
$F_s$	0.022	0.012	0.007
$\delta_{\perp}$ [rad]	2.90	0.36	0.07
$\delta_{\parallel}$ [rad]	[2.81, 3.47]		0.13
$\delta_s$ [rad]	2.90	0.36	0.08
$\phi_s$ [rad]	-0.001	0.101	0.027

$\delta_0$  set to 0

$\Delta M_s$  constrained to LHCb measurement

$$\Delta M_s = (17.725 \pm 0.041 \pm 0.026) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

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$\phi_s$  and  $\Delta\Gamma_s$  are compatible with the SM prediction

# $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^+ \pi^-$

Mass window  $775 < m(\pi\pi) < 1550$  MeV/c<sup>2</sup>  
 Angular analysis shows CP-fraction > 97.7% at 95% C.L.  
 $\phi_S = -0.02 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.02$

"Amplitude analysis to determine CP content of  $J/\psi\pi\pi$ ".

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arXiv:1204.5643

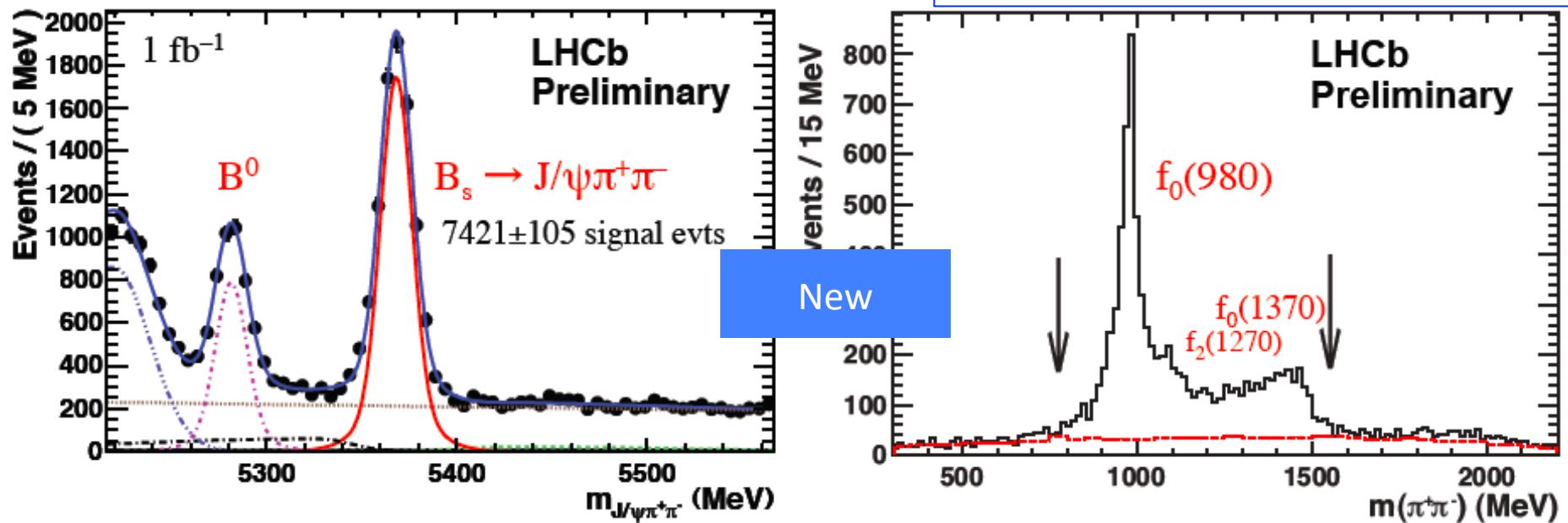
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"Tagged time-dependent analysis of  $J/\psi\pi\pi$ ".

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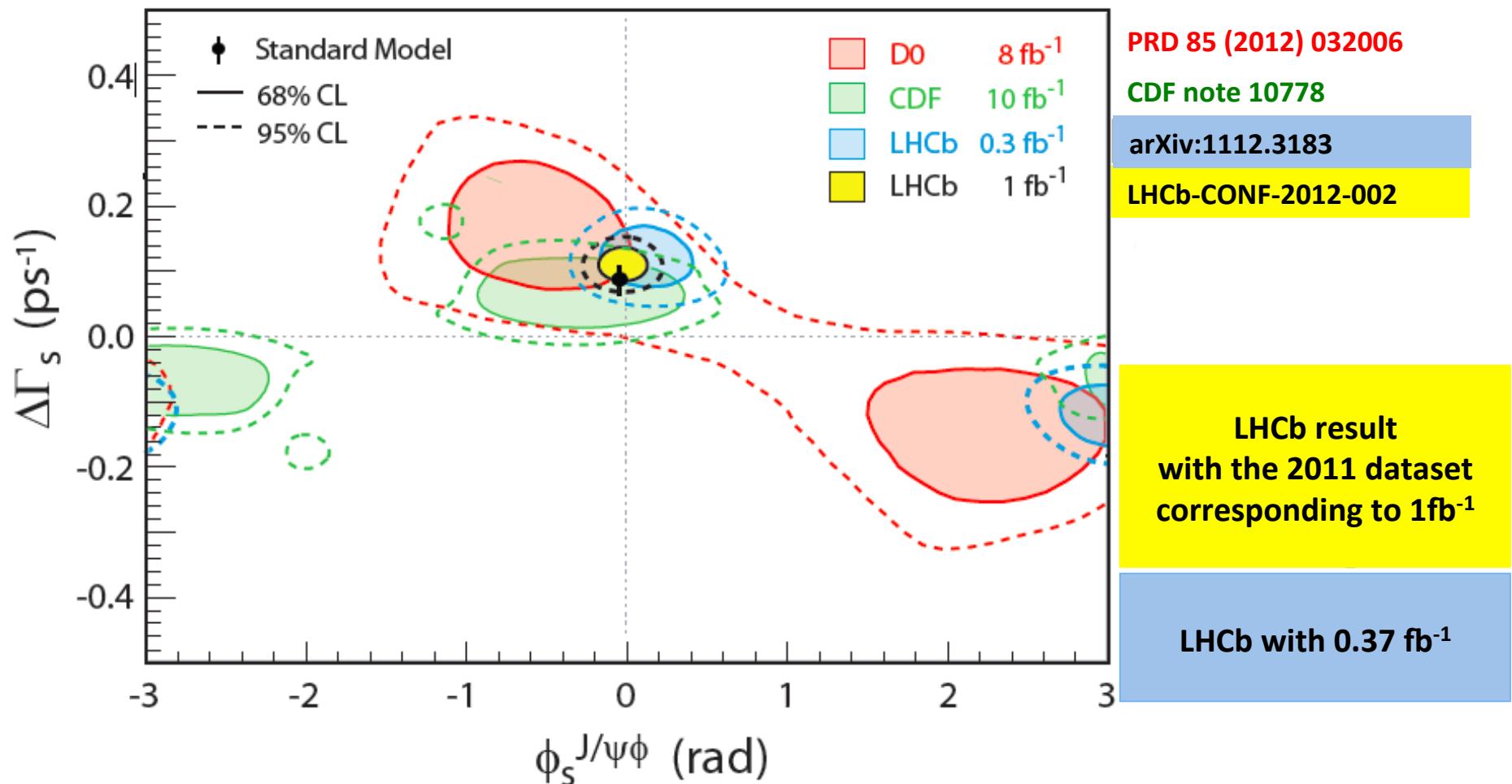


Combined 1 fb<sup>-1</sup> results of the  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$  and  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\pi^+\pi^-$ :

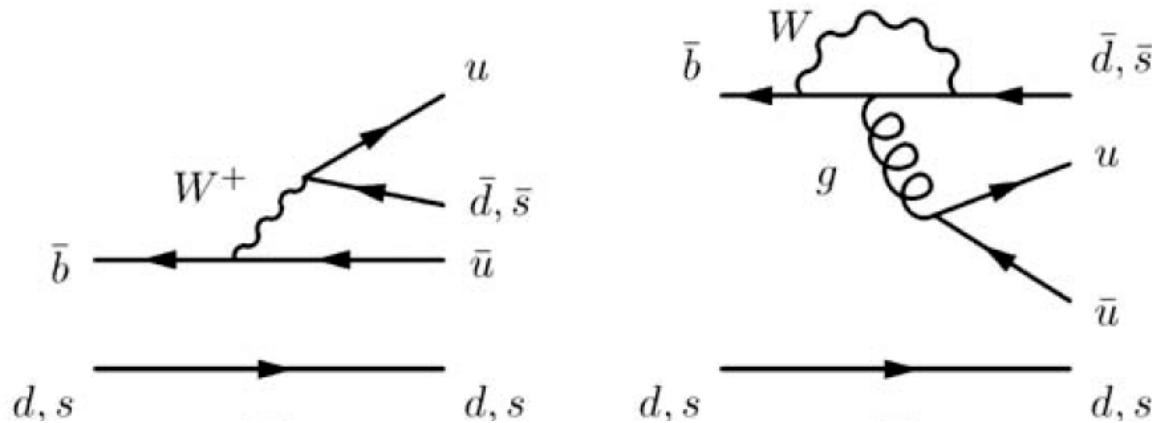
$$\phi_S = -0.002 \pm 0.083 \pm 0.027$$

# CPV in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$

Just for illustration purposes ...



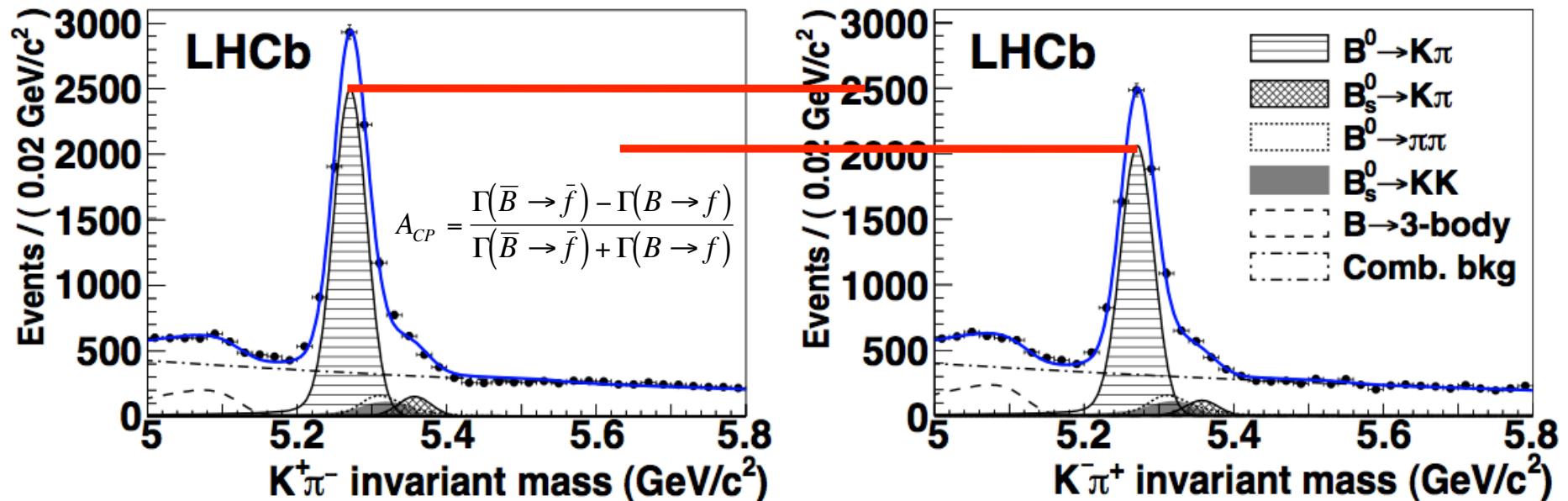
# Charmless two bodies b-hadron decays



- Decay amplitudes from tree and penguin diagrams.
- Tree-penguin interference allows to look for direct CPV.
- Sensitive to  $V_{ub}$  so to the CKM-UT angle  $\gamma$ .
- New Physics possibly contributes to penguin loops.

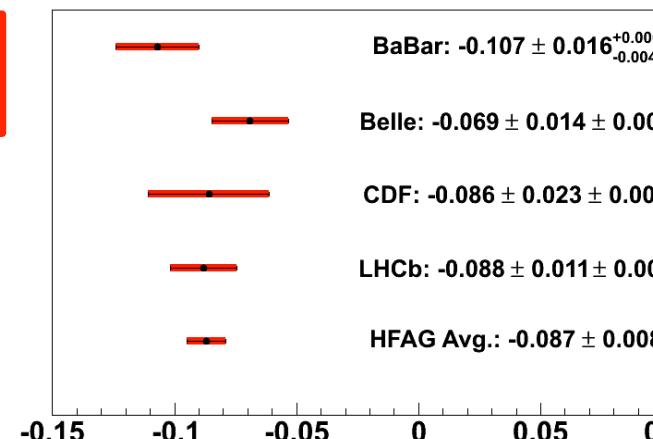
# Direct CPV in $B^0 \rightarrow K\pi$ ( $0.32 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

arXiv:1202.6251 (accepted by PRL)  $13250 \pm 150$   $B^0 \rightarrow K\pi$



$$A_{CP}(B^0 \rightarrow K\pi) = -0.088 \pm 0.011 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.008 \text{ (syst)}$$

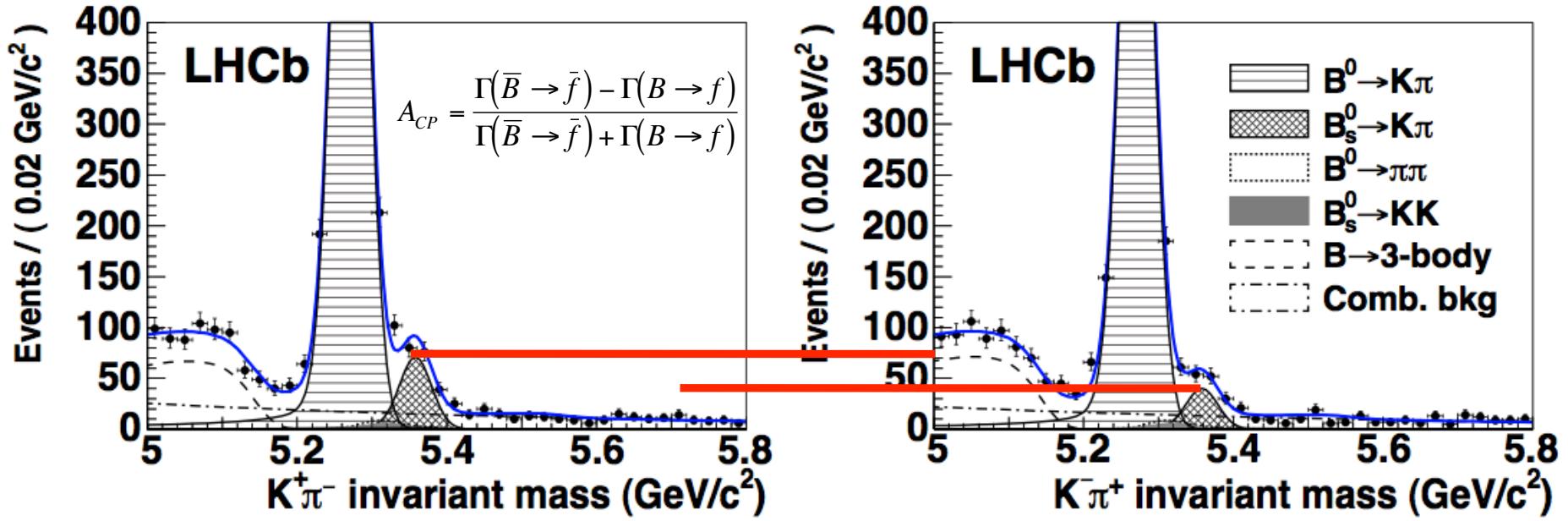
- First observation of CP violation at an hadron collider ( $> 6\sigma$ )



# Direct CPV in $B_s \rightarrow \pi K$ ( $0.32 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

arXiv:1202.6251 (accepted by PRL)

$314 \pm 27$   $B_s \rightarrow \pi K$



$A_{CP}(B_s^0 \rightarrow K\pi) = 0.27 \pm 0.08 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.02 \text{ (syst)}$   
 First evidence of CP violation in  $B_s$  decays ( $3.3\sigma$ )

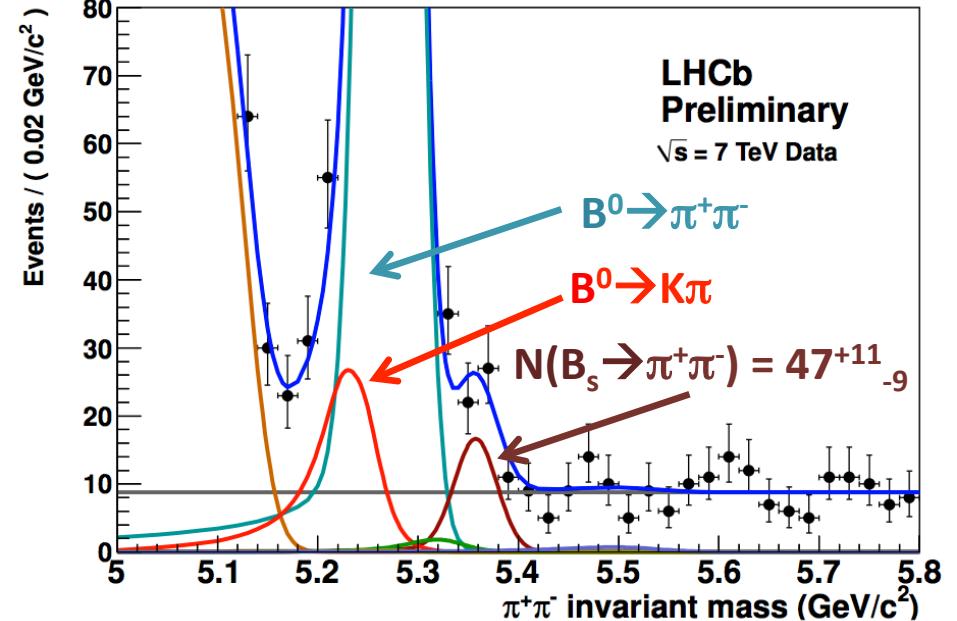
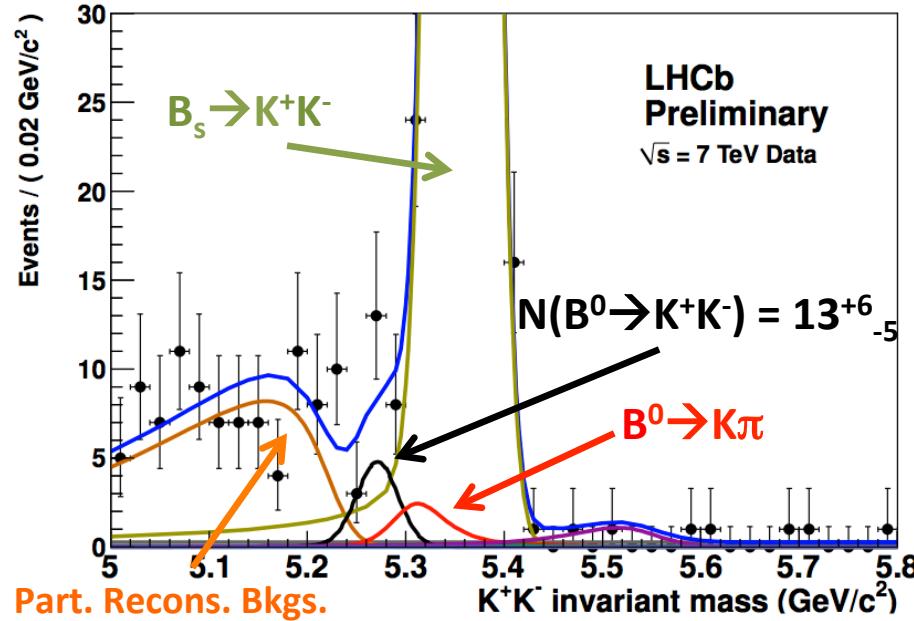
$A_{CP}(B_s \rightarrow \pi K) = 0.39 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.08$  CDF [Phys. Rev. Lett. 106 (2011) 181802]

$$A_{CP}(B_s \rightarrow \pi K) \approx A_{dir}^{\pi\pi} = \begin{cases} 0.25 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.02 & \text{BaBar } [\text{arXiv:0807.4226}] \\ 0.55 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.05 & \text{Belle } [\text{PRL 98 (2007) 211801}] \end{cases}$$

Assuming U-spin symmetry

# Annihilation topologies in $B \rightarrow h^+h^-$

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$$\mathcal{BR}(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-) = (0.13^{+0.06}_{-0.05} \pm 0.07) \times 10^{-6}$$

$$\mathcal{BR}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = (0.98^{+0.23}_{-0.19} \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-6}$$

First observation of  $B_s \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$  decay with a significance of  $5.3\sigma$

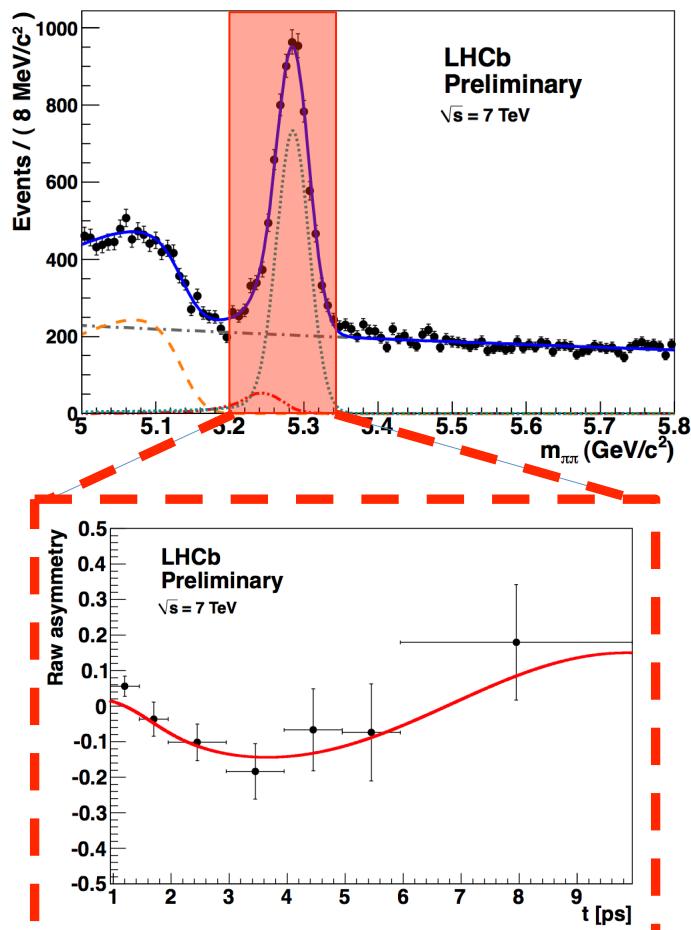
PRELIMINARY

$$BR(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-) = 0.13^{+0.10}_{-0.09} \times 10^{-6} \text{ HFAG Average}$$

$$BR(B_s \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) = (0.57 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-6} \text{ CDF } [\text{arXiv:1111.0485v2}]$$

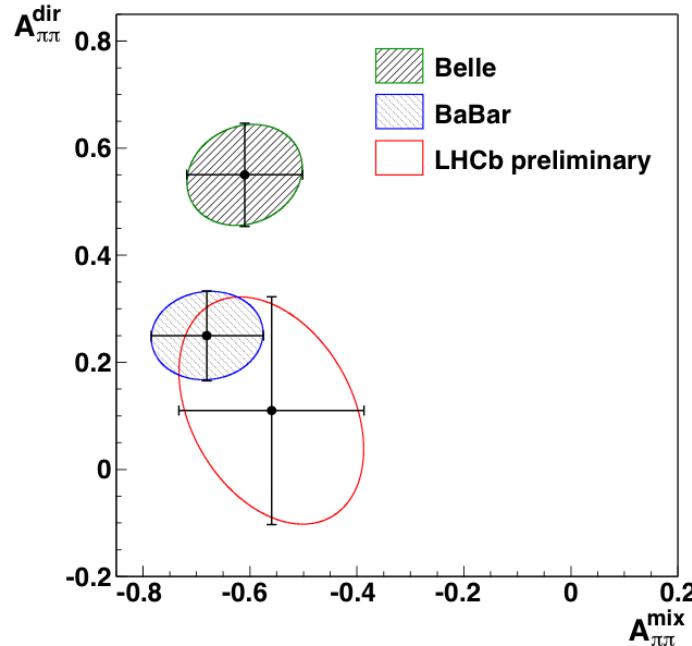
# Time-dependent CPV $B \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ ( $0.69 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

$\sim 5400 B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$



First time-dependent CP asymmetry plot of  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$  decay at a hadron collider

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma_{\bar{B} \rightarrow f}(t) - \Gamma_{B \rightarrow f}(t)}{\Gamma_{\bar{B} \rightarrow f}(t) + \Gamma_{B \rightarrow f}(t)} = \frac{A_f^{\text{dir}} \cos(\Delta m t) + A_f^{\text{mix}} \sin(\Delta m t)}{\cosh\left(\frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2} t\right) - A_f^{\Delta \Gamma} \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta \Gamma}{2} t\right)}$$



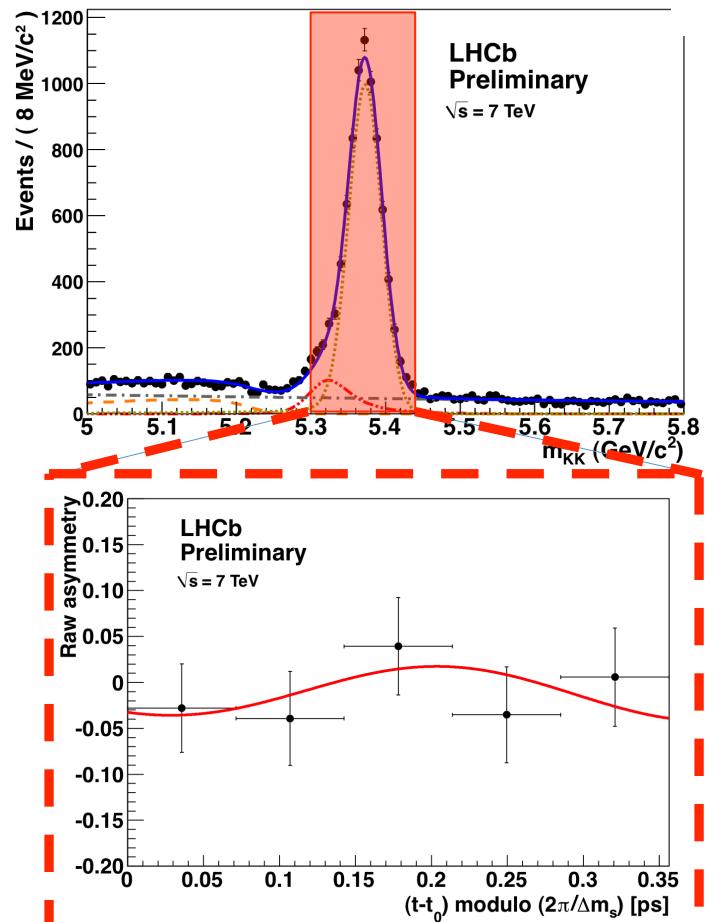
PRELIMINARY

$$\begin{aligned} A_{\pi\pi}^{\text{dir}} &= 0.11 \pm 0.21 \pm 0.03 \\ A_{\pi\pi}^{\text{mix}} &= -0.56 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.03 \\ \rho(A_{\pi\pi}^{\text{dir}}, A_{\pi\pi}^{\text{mix}}) &= -0.34. \end{aligned}$$

$A_{\text{mix}}$  is the first evidence of mixing-induced CP violation at an hadron collider ( $3.2\sigma$ )

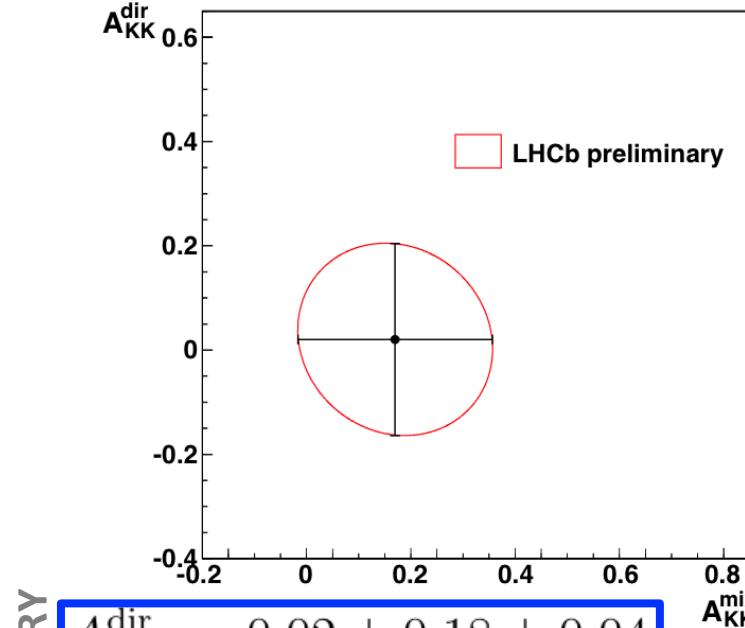
# Time-dependent CPV $B_s \rightarrow K^+K^-$ ( $0.69 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

$\sim 7100 B_s \rightarrow K^+K^-$



First time-dependent CP asymmetry plot of  $B_s \rightarrow K^+K^-$  decay ever

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma_{\bar{B} \rightarrow f}(t) - \Gamma_{B \rightarrow f}(t)}{\Gamma_{\bar{B} \rightarrow f}(t) + \Gamma_{B \rightarrow f}(t)} = \frac{A_f^{\text{dir}} \cos(\Delta m t) + A_f^{\text{mix}} \sin(\Delta m t)}{\cosh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma}{2}t\right) - A_f^{\Delta\Gamma} \sinh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma}{2}t\right)}$$

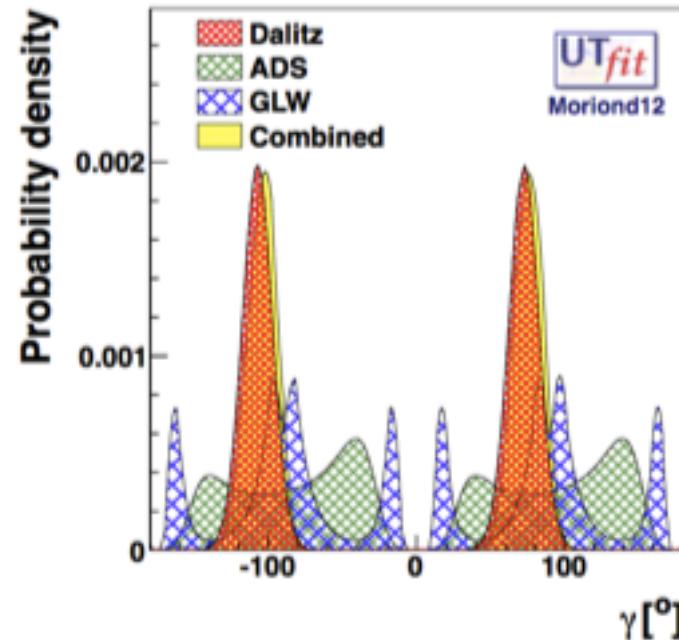
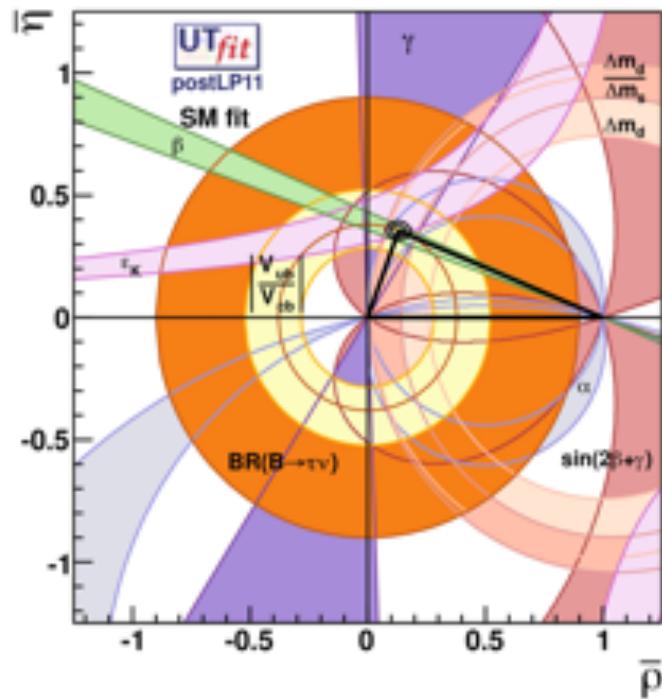


PRELIMINARY

$$\begin{aligned} A_{KK}^{\text{dir}} &= 0.02 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.04 \\ A_{KK}^{\text{mix}} &= 0.17 \pm 0.18 \pm 0.05 \\ \rho(A_{KK}^{\text{dir}}, A_{KK}^{\text{mix}}) &= -0.10. \end{aligned}$$

- First measurement ever of time-dependent CP asymmetries of the  $B_s \rightarrow K^+K^-$  decay
- No evidence of CP violation effect

# $\gamma$ measurements



$\gamma_{\text{Comb}}$  is the combination of the available results including all the data available after Moriond 2012 (thus with updates of LHCb analyses to  $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ).

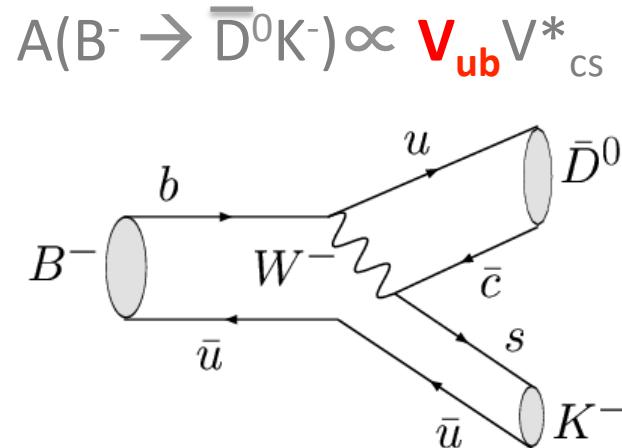
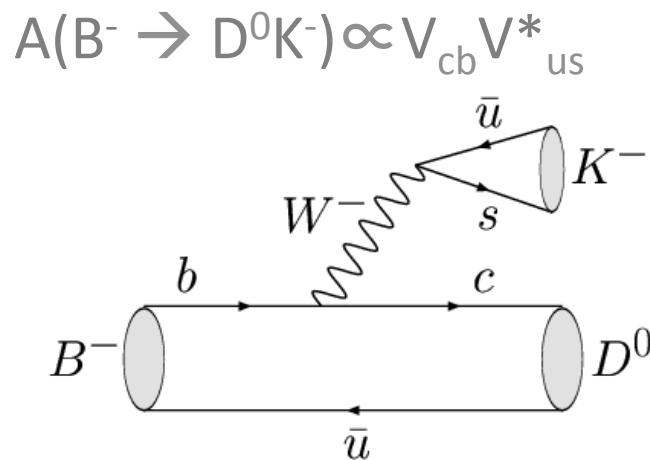
$$\gamma_{\text{comb}} = (75.5 \pm 10.5)^\circ$$

$$\gamma_{\text{SM}} = (68.5 \pm 3.2)^\circ$$

$\gamma_{\text{SM}}$  is the fit prediction from the SM using post LP11 results.

# $\gamma$ from $B \rightarrow D\bar{K}$

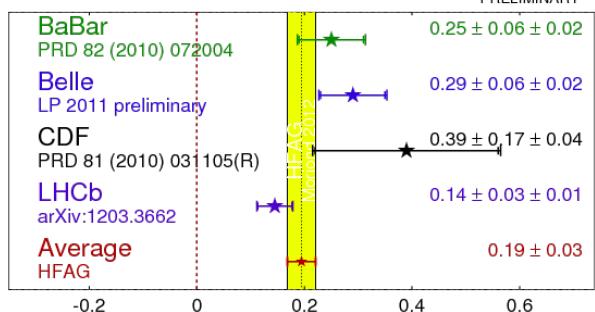
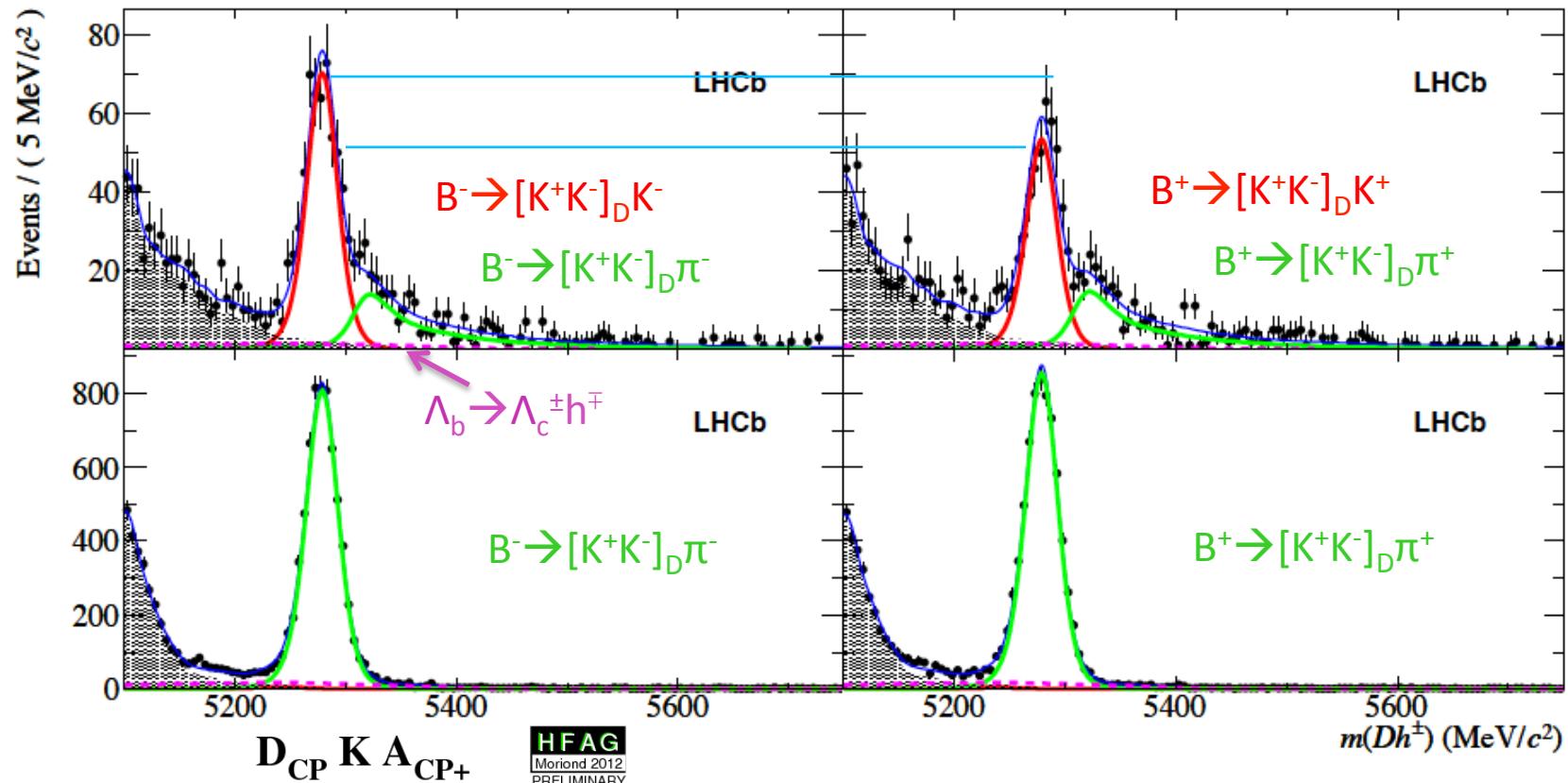
- $\gamma$  plays a unique role in flavour physics:  
It is the only CP violating parameter that can be measured through tree decays.
- It is a benchmark Standard Model reference point.



Variants use different B or D decays and require a final state common to both  $D^0$  and  $D^0$ -bar

# Latest results on $B \rightarrow D_{CP} K$ (GLW)

5.8  $\sigma$  evidence for direct CP violation in  $B^\pm \rightarrow D(K^+K^-)K^\pm$



$$A_h^f = \frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow [f]_D h^-) - \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow [f]_D h^+)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow [f]_D h^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow [f]_D h^+)},$$

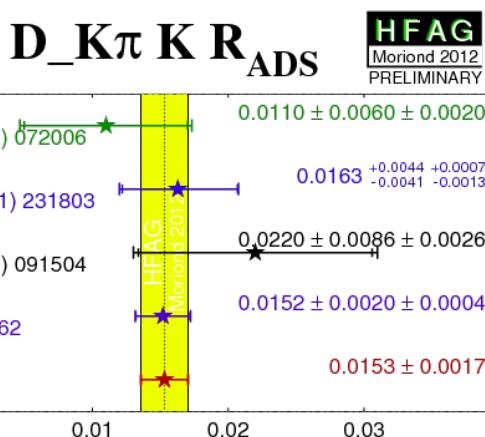
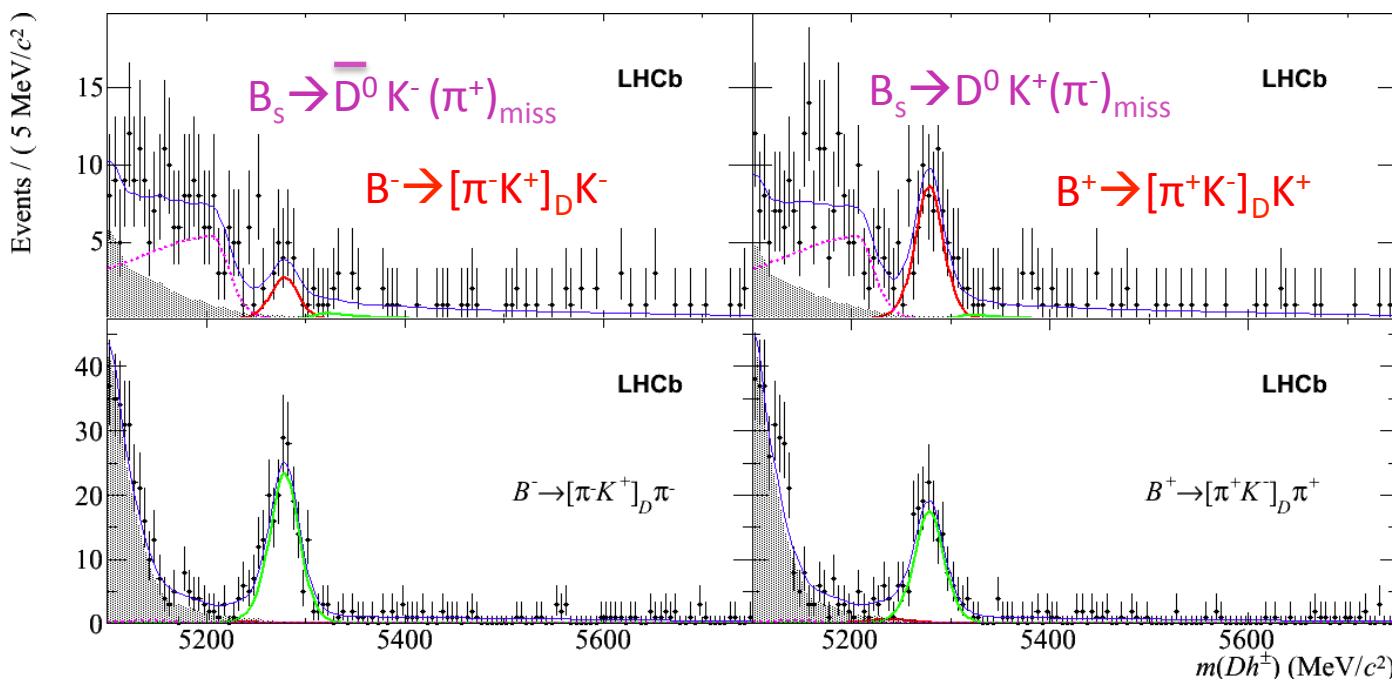
$D \rightarrow KK, \pi\pi, CP$  eigenstates:  
 M. Gronau and D. London, Phys. Lett. B253 (1991) 483;  
 M. Gronau and D. Wyler, Phys. Lett. B265 (1991) 172.

LHCb arXiv:1203.3662  
Submitted to PLB

# Latest results on $B \rightarrow D(\pi K)K$ (ADS)

First observation of suppressed mode  $B^\pm \rightarrow [\pi^\pm K^\mp]_D K^\pm$   
Evidence for direct CP violation

LHCb arXiv:1203.3662  
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$$R_{K/\pi}^f = \frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow [f]_D K^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow [f]_D K^+)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow [f]_D \pi^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow [f]_D \pi^+)},$$

The favoured,  $b \rightarrow c$  decay to be followed by a doubly Cabibbo-suppressed  $D$  decay, and the suppressed  $b \rightarrow u$  decay to precede a favoured  $D$  decay. The amplitudes of such combinations are of similar total magnitude and hence large interference can occur.

D. Atwood, I. Dunietz, and A. Soni , Phys. Rev. Lett. 78 (1997) 3257;  
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# Evidence of CPV in charm

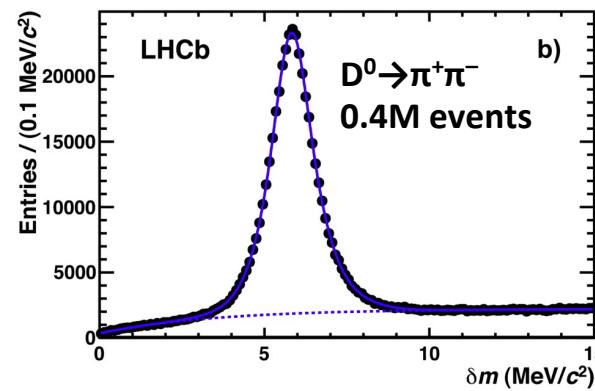
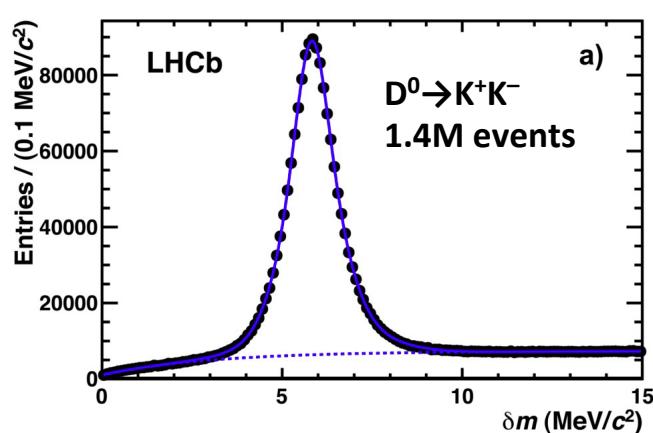
Measurement of CP asymmetry at pp collider requires knowledge of production and detection asymmetries; e.g. for  $D^0 \rightarrow f$ , where D meson flavour is tagged by  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0\pi^+$  decay

$$A_{\text{raw}}(f) = A_{CP}(f) + A_D(f) + A_D(\pi_s^+) + A_P(D^{*+}).$$

Final state detection asymmetry  $A_D(f)$  vanishes for CP eigenstate

Cancel asymmetries by taking difference of raw asymmetries in two different final states.

$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{\text{raw}}(K^-K^+) - A_{\text{raw}}(\pi^-\pi^+).$$



0.62/fb

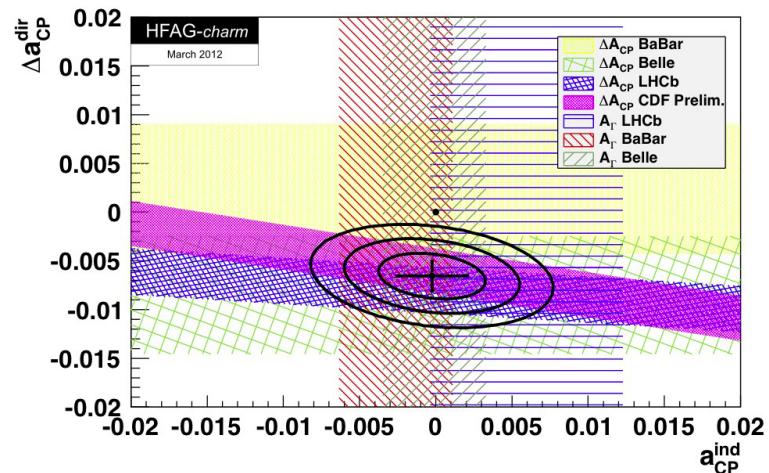
# Evidence of CPV in charm

Result, based on 0.62/fb of 2011 data

$$\Delta A_{CP} = [-0.82 \pm 0.21(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.11(\text{syst.})]\%$$

$\Delta A_{CP}$  related mainly to direct CP violation:  
The contribution from indirect CPV suppressed by difference in mean decay time.

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta A_{CP} &\equiv A_{CP}(K^- K^+) - A_{CP}(\pi^- \pi^+) \\ &= [a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(K^- K^+) - a_{CP}^{\text{dir}}(\pi^- \pi^+)] + \frac{\Delta \langle t \rangle}{\tau} a_{CP}^{\text{ind}}. \end{aligned}$$

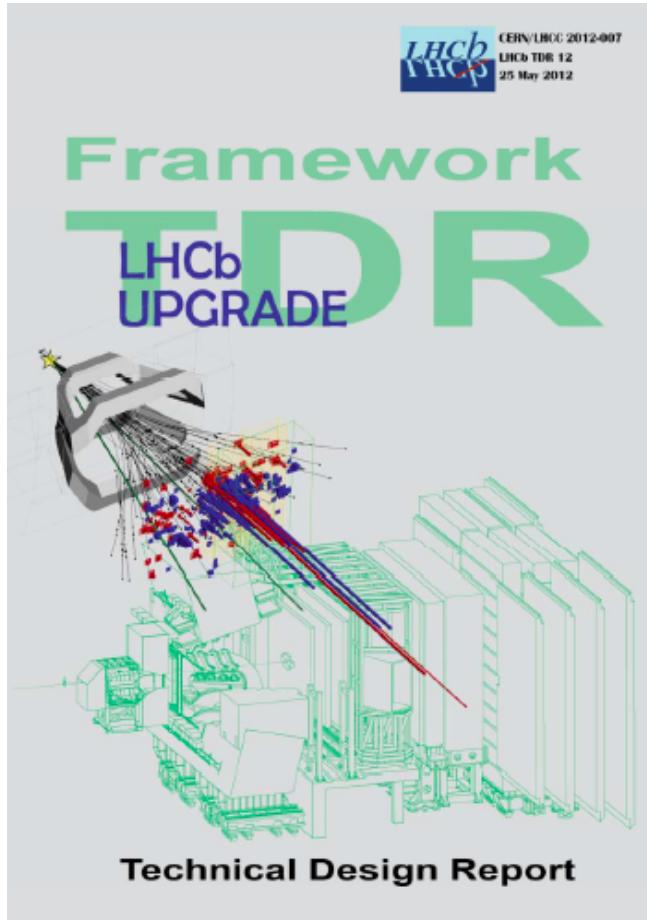


# Evidence for CPV in charm

- Implications of the LHCb Evidence for Charm CP Violation. arXiv:1111.4987
- Direct CP violation in two-body hadronic charmed meson decays. arXiv: 1201.0785
- CP asymmetries in singly-Cabibbo-suppressed D decays to two pseudoscalar mesons. arXiv:1201.2351
- Direct CP violation in charm and flavor mixing beyond the SM. arXiv:1201.6204
- New Physics Models of Direct CP Violation in Charm Decays. arXiv:1202.2866
- Repercussions of Flavour Symmetry Breaking on CP Violation in D-Meson Decays. arXiv:1202.3795
- On the Universality of CP Violation in Delta F = 1 Processes. arXiv:1202.5038
- The Standard Model confronts CP violation in  $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$  and  $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ . arXiv:1203.3131
- A consistent picture for large penguins in  $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ ,  $K^+ K^-$ . arXiv:1203.6659
- ...
- ... and many others!

**Further experimental input needed to clarify whether CPV is SM or NP**

# LHCb upgrade



- Run at a nominal luminosity of:  
 $L=1. \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- Exploit a fully flexible HLT (software trigger), selecting events synchronously with the BX clock, at 40 MHz.
  - Increase signal efficiency for leptonic channels by a factor 5 and for hadronic channels up to a factor 10.
- Accumulate  $50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  over 10 years starting from 2018
- For reasons of flexibility and to allow for possible evolutions of the trigger, LHCb decided to design those detectors that need replacement for the upgrade such that they can sustain a minimal luminosity of  $L=2.\times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ .

# LHCb sensitivity to key channels

CERN/LHCC 2012-007, LHCb TDR 12, 25 May 2012

5 fb<sup>-1</sup>

50 fb<sup>-1</sup>

Type	Observable	Current precision	LHCb 2018	Upgrade (50 fb <sup>-1</sup> )	Theory uncertainty
$B_s^0$ mixing	$2\beta_s (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi)$	0.10 [9]	0.025	0.008	$\sim 0.003$
	$2\beta_s (B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(980))$	0.17 [10]	0.045	0.014	$\sim 0.01$
	$A_{fs}(B_s^0)$	$6.4 \times 10^{-3}$ [18]	$0.6 \times 10^{-3}$	$0.2 \times 10^{-3}$	$0.03 \times 10^{-3}$
Gluonic penguin	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\phi)$	—	0.17	0.03	0.02
	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\bar{K}^{*0})$	—	0.13	0.02	$< 0.02$
	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B^0 \rightarrow \phi K_S^0)$	0.17 [18]	0.30	0.05	0.02
Right-handed currents	$2\beta_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma)$	—	0.09	0.02	$< 0.01$
	$\tau^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma)$	—	0.13 %	0.03 %	0.02 %
Electroweak penguin	$S_3(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-; 1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.08 [14]	0.025	0.008	0.02
	$s_0 A_{FB}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-)$	25 % [14]	8 %	2.5 %	7 %
	$A_I(K\mu^+\mu^-; 1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.25 [15]	0.08	0.025	$\sim 0.02$
	$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+\mu^+\mu^-)$	25 % [16]	8 %	2.5 %	$\sim 10 \%$
Higgs penguin	$\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$	$1.5 \times 10^{-9}$ [2]	$0.5 \times 10^{-9}$	$0.15 \times 10^{-9}$	$0.3 \times 10^{-9}$
	$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$	—	$\sim 100 \%$	$\sim 35 \%$	$\sim 5 \%$
Unitarity triangle angles	$\gamma (B \rightarrow D^{(*)}K^{(*)})$	$\sim 20^\circ$ [19]	$4^\circ$	$0.9^\circ$	negligible
	$\gamma (B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s K)$	—	$11^\circ$	$2.0^\circ$	negligible
	$\beta (B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0)$	$0.8^\circ$ [18]	$0.6^\circ$	$0.2^\circ$	negligible
Charm $CP$ violation	$A_\Gamma$	$2.3 \times 10^{-3}$ [18]	$0.40 \times 10^{-3}$	$0.07 \times 10^{-3}$	—
	$\Delta A_{CP}$	$2.1 \times 10^{-3}$ [5]	$0.65 \times 10^{-3}$	$0.12 \times 10^{-3}$	—

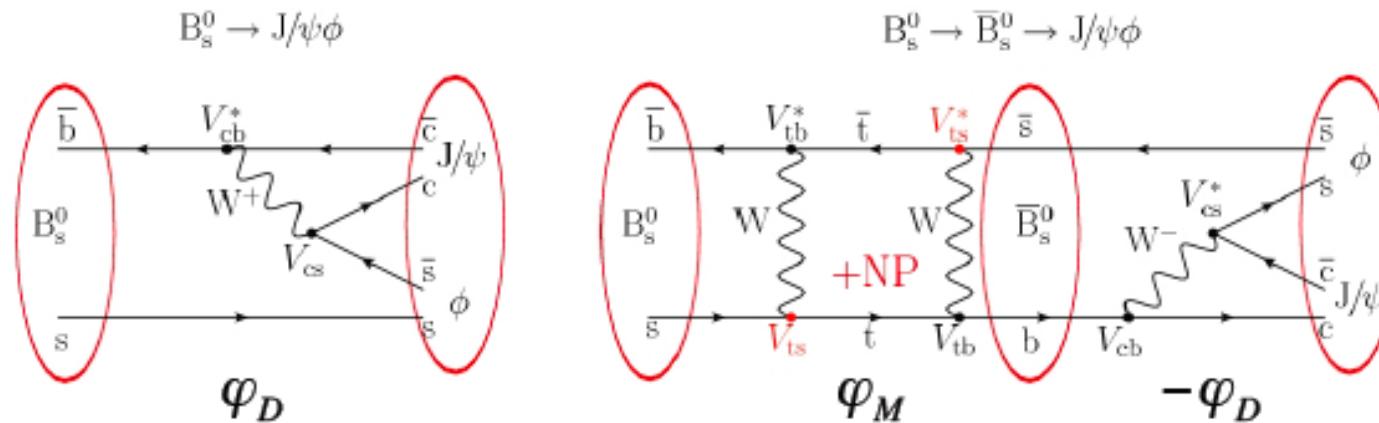
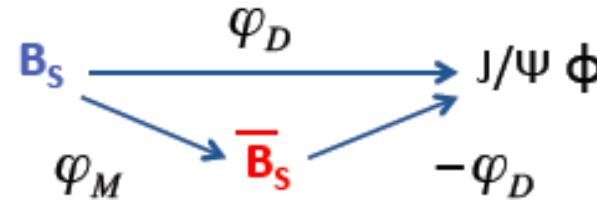
# Summary

- Concept of LHCb definitely proved.
  - Dedicated experiment for heavy flavour physics exploiting a forward spectrometer at a hadron collider.
- Many world leading results already with 2011 data and many more to come.
  - Significant increase in available samples with 2012 data.
- Standard Model still survives.
  - Now on probing regions where new physics effects might appear.
- LHCb plan the upgrade to be installed in 2018.
  - Essential next step forward for flavour physics.

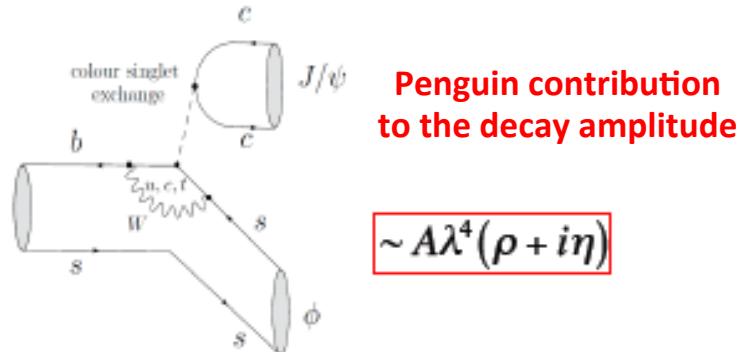
# Spares

# Mixing-induced CPV in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

The interfering amplitudes



$$\Phi_{SM} = \varphi_M - \varphi_D - \varphi_D = 2\arg(V_{ts}^* V_{tb}) - 2\arg(V_{cb}^* V_{cs}) + \delta_{Penguin} \cong -2\beta_S$$



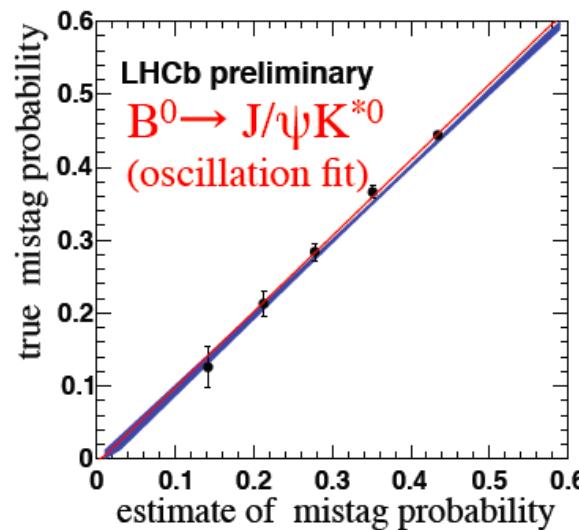
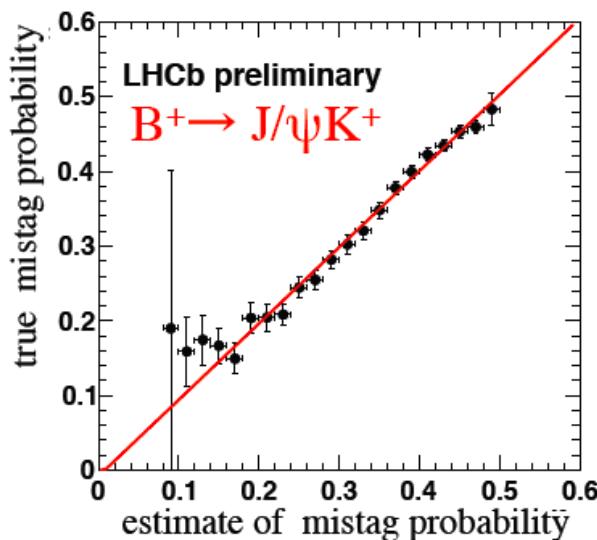
**Standard Model**

$$\beta_S = \arg \left( -\frac{V_{ts} V_{tb}^*}{V_{cs} V_{cb}^*} \right)$$

$$\beta_S = 0.018 \pm 0.001$$

# Tagging

- Tag the initial  $B_s$  flavour state with the other b-hadron.
- Electron, muon, kaon, or inclusively reconstructed vertex.
- Per-event mistag-probability from neural network trained on MC.
- Calibration of the per-event mistag probability using flavour specific decays similar to  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

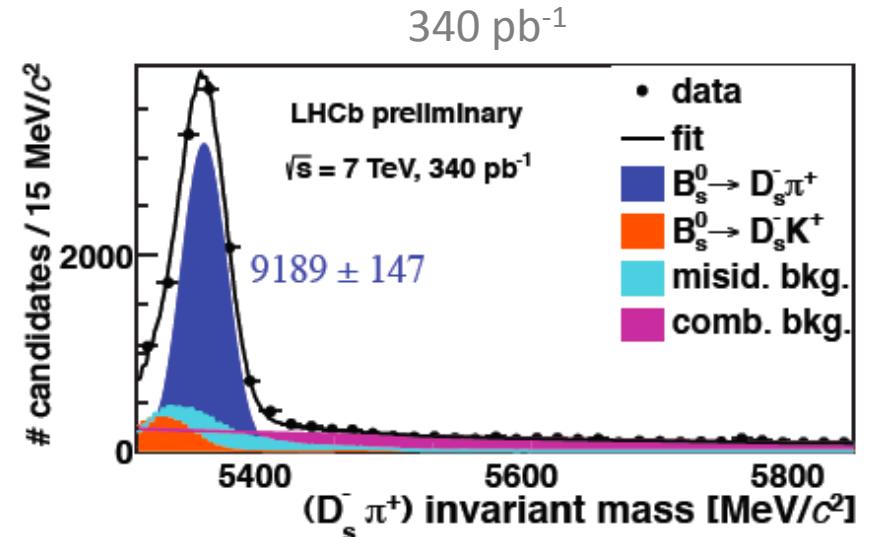
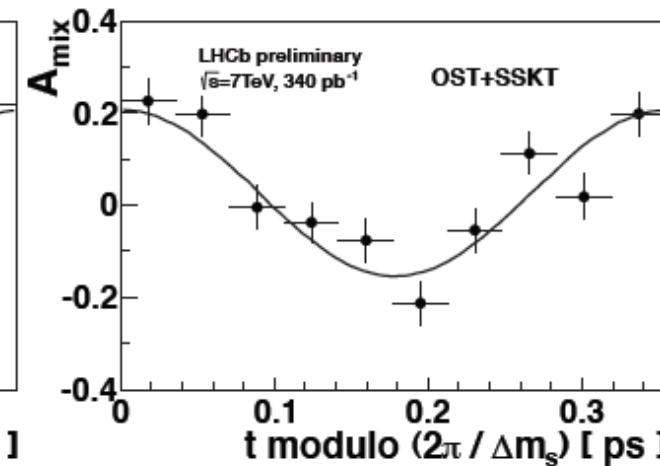
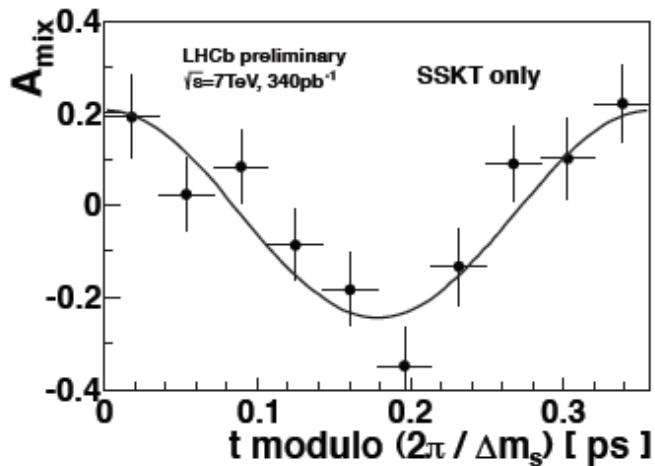


Tagging power for  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ :  $\varepsilon D^2 = (2.29 \pm 0.07 \pm 0.26)\%$

To be added yet: “same-side” tagging, using charged kaon produced in association with  $B_s$ .

# Same side tagging and $\Delta M_s$

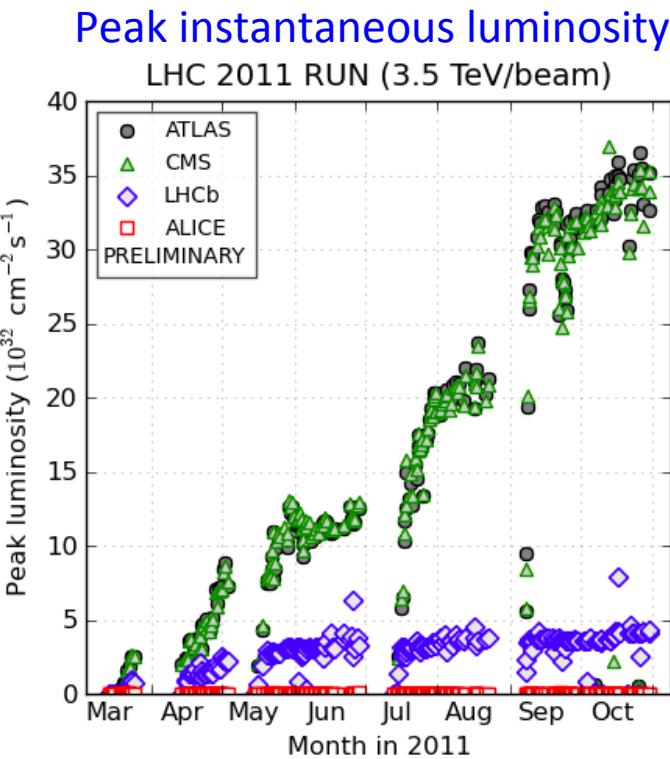
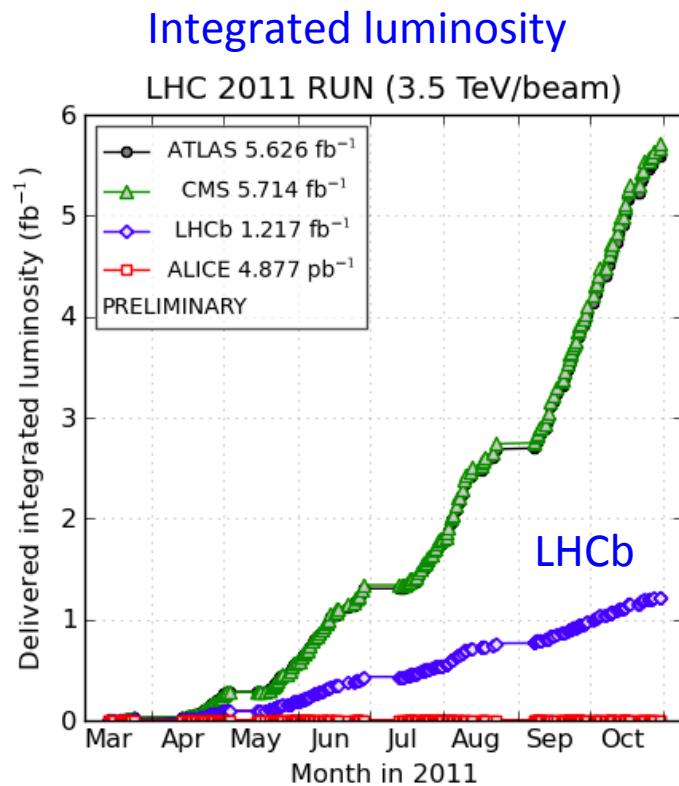
- $\Delta M_s$  analysis done with  $B_s \rightarrow D_s^- (K^- K^+ \pi^-) \pi^+$
- Same Side Kaon Tagging global calibration tested with  $D_s^-$  decays:  $\varepsilon D^2 = (1.3 \pm 0.4)\%$
- For the future: optimization and per-event calibration with  $\Delta M_s$  oscillations.
- Opposite Side Tagging per event calibration done with  $B^0 \rightarrow D^- \pi^+$ ,  $\Delta M_d$  oscillation:  $\varepsilon D^2 = (3.1 \pm 0.8)\%$
- $\Delta M_s = (17.725 \pm 0.041 \pm 0.026) \text{ ps}^{-1}$  using a combination of the opposite-side and same-side tagging algorithms.



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 $\Delta M_s = (17.63 \pm 0.11 \pm 0.01) \text{ ps}^{-1}$

independent of "2010" result  
 $\Delta m_s = 17.63 + 0.11 + 0.01 \text{ ps}^{-1}$   
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# LHCb performance in 2011

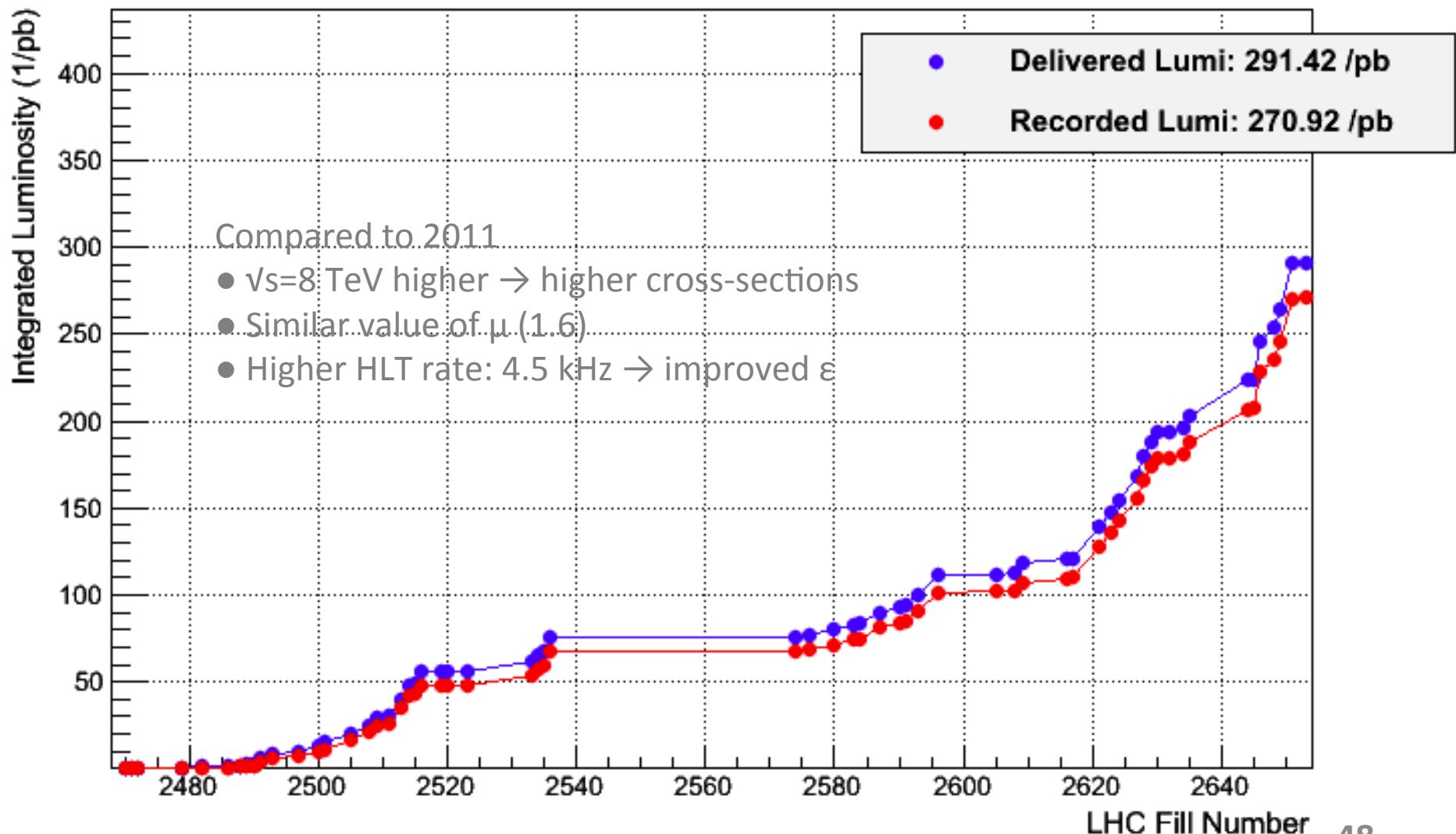


Delivered luminosity:  $1.2195 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 Recorded luminosity:  $1.1067 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 Average #interactions/visible event ( $\mu$ )  $\sim 1.5$   
 c.f. design value  $\sim 0.4$ ;  
 2010 data taking up to 2.5

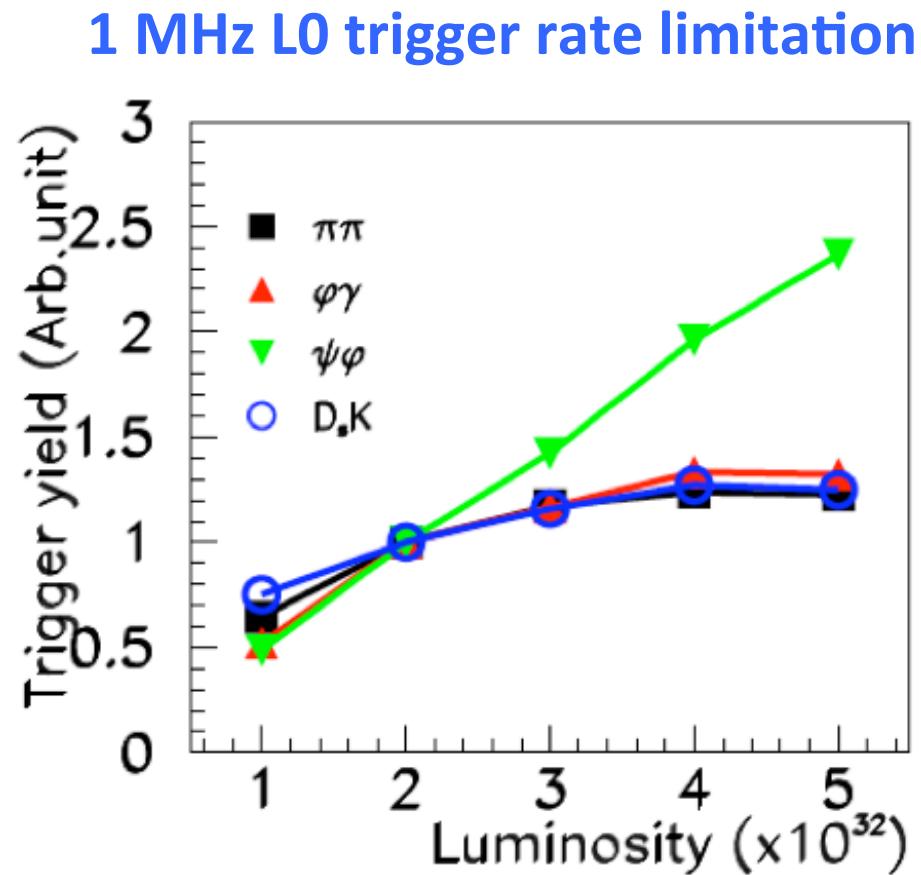
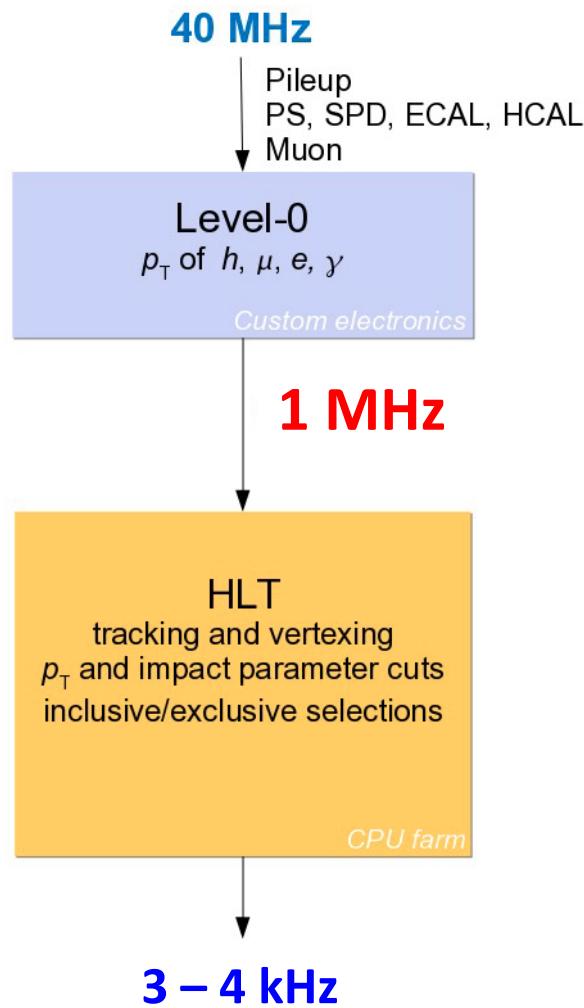
**What does  $\int L dt = 1/\text{fb}$  mean?**  
 $10^{15} \times 75.3 \times 10^{-6} \sim 10^{11}$  beauty produced  
 LHCb has world's largest data sample for any channel where the efficiency is not too small.  
 BaBar and Belle combined:  $10^9$  BB-bar recorded.

# 2012 data taking (so far)

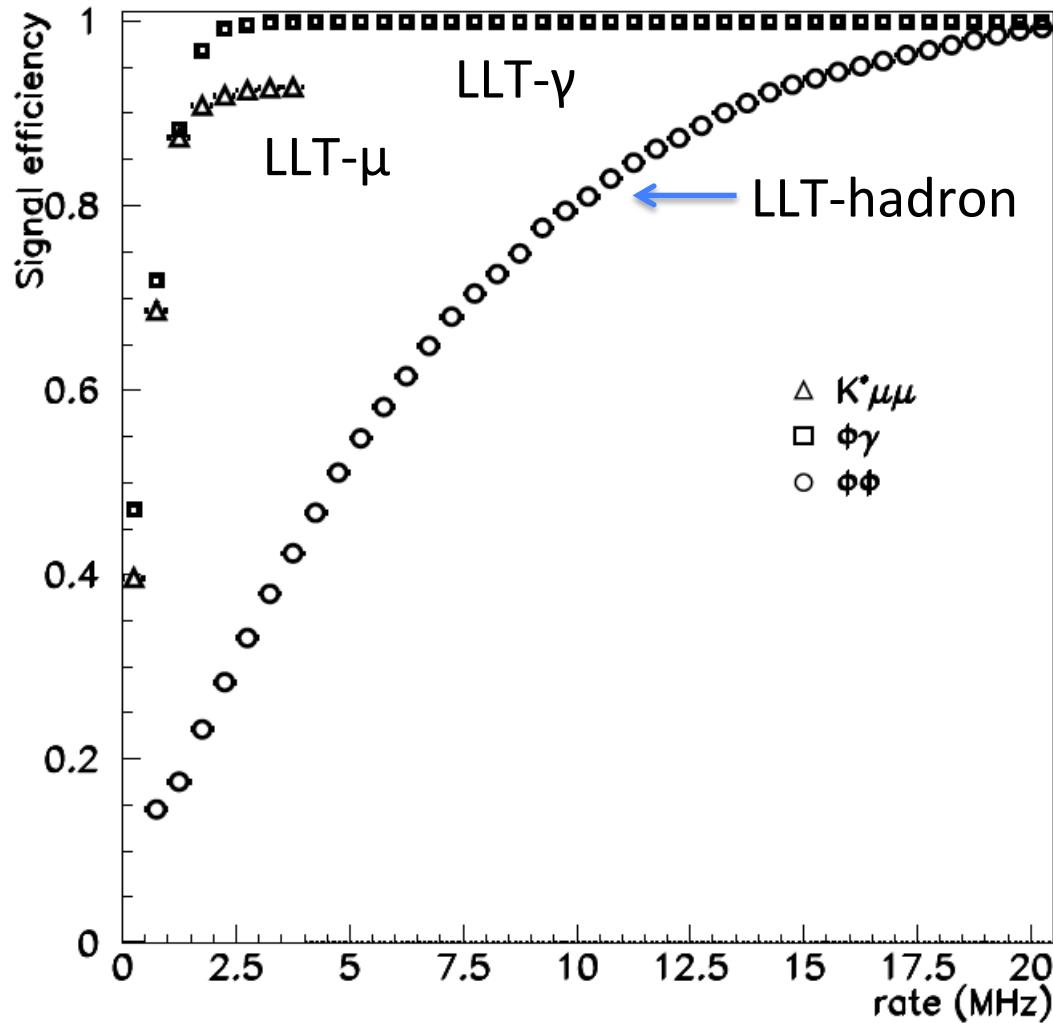
## LHCb Integrated Luminosity at 4 TeV in 2012



# The present L0 trigger architecture



# LLT efficiency vs LLT output rate

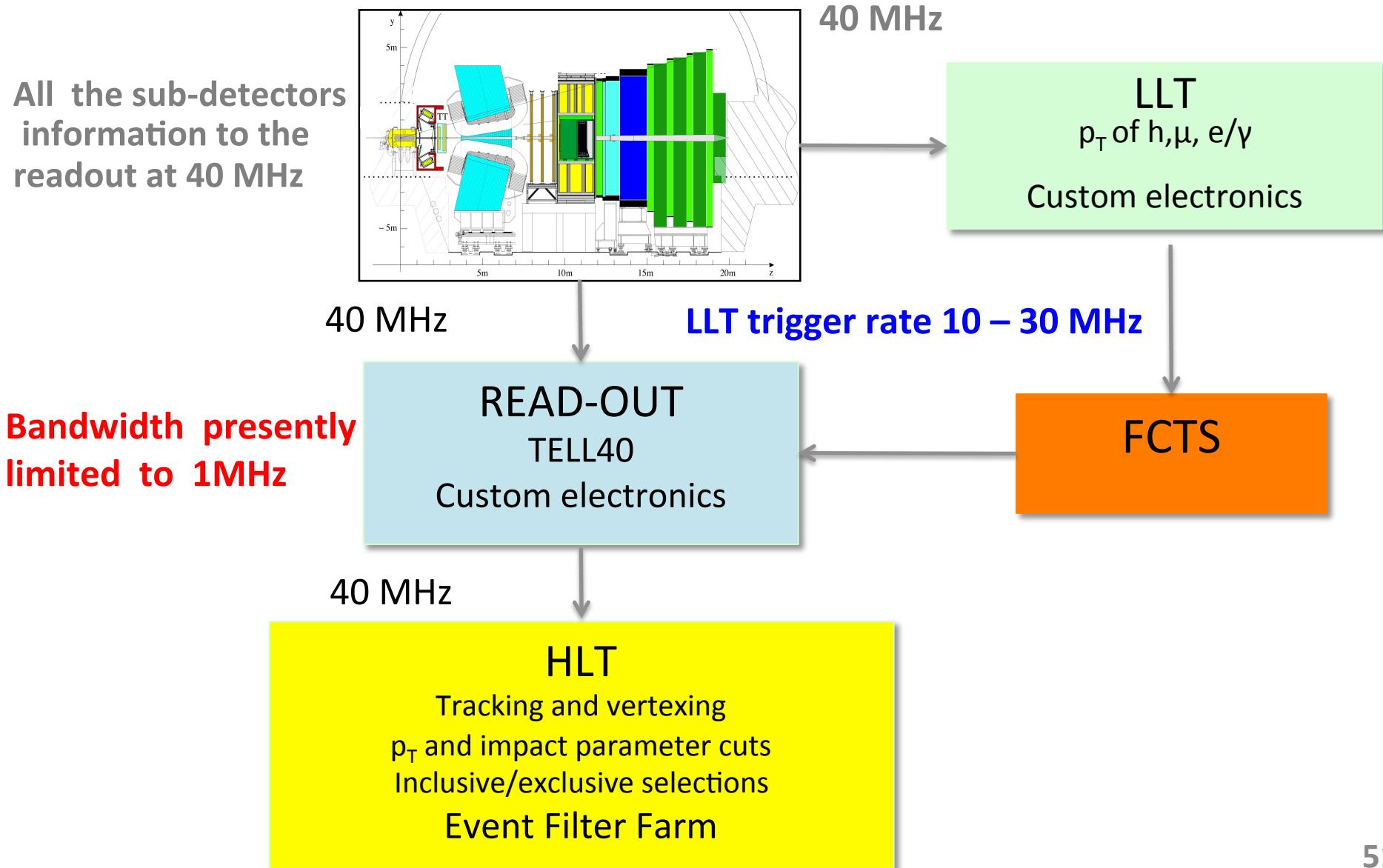


LLT efficiency

LLT-rate (MHz)	1	5	10
$B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$	0.12	0.51	0.82
$B^0 \rightarrow K^*\mu\mu$	0.36	0.89	0.97
$B_s \rightarrow \phi\gamma$	0.39	0.92	1.00

Relative rates LLT- $\mu$  : LLT-hadron: LLT-e/ $\gamma$  = 1:3:1.

# Trigger: the key to higher luminosity



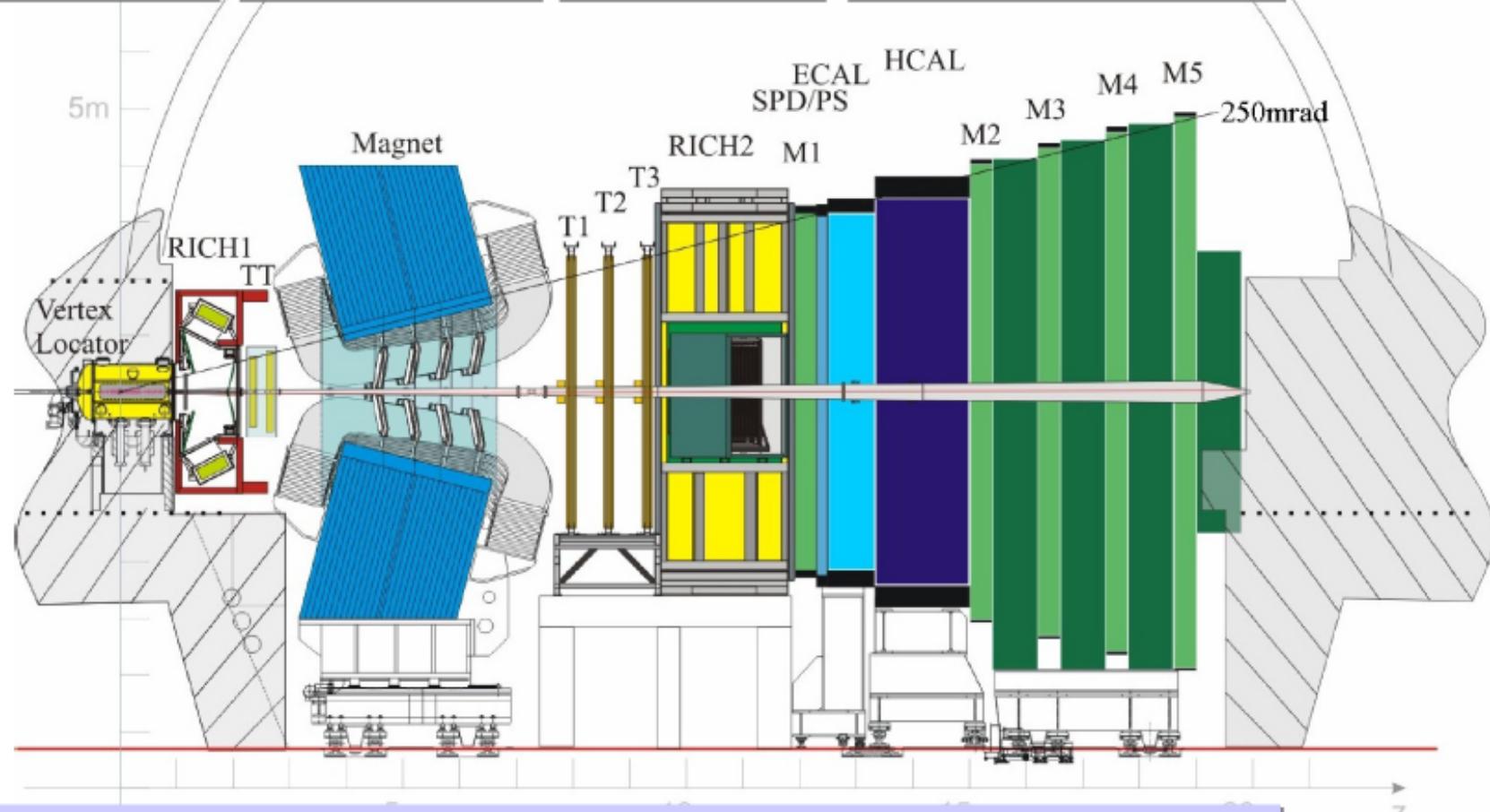
# Detector modifications

VELO  
New pixel system

TRACKING  
New TT and IT

RICH  
New photon  
detector

CALO + MUON  
Remove M1, SPD, PS



Replace all the front-end electronics + DAQ network