



Physics at LHCb 2



- I. The LHCb experiment
- II. Heavy flavour physics
- III. Measurements @ LHCb
- IV. Plans for Upgrade 1 and 2
- V. How to do precise measurements:
 - mass and momentum resolution
 - proper time-life

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Heavy flavour physics - parameters

- We have two aims: either **confirm Standard Model** or/and find evidences of **Physics Beyond the SM**
- Decay rates are used for absolute BR measurements and observation of CPV in decays
- CKM matrix elements are obtained with:
decay rates measurement
angles....

V_{CKM} elements are complex numbers (absolute value and phase)
proportional to the transition amplitude between quarks

CKM matrix must be unitary, so we have conditions on its parameters:

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

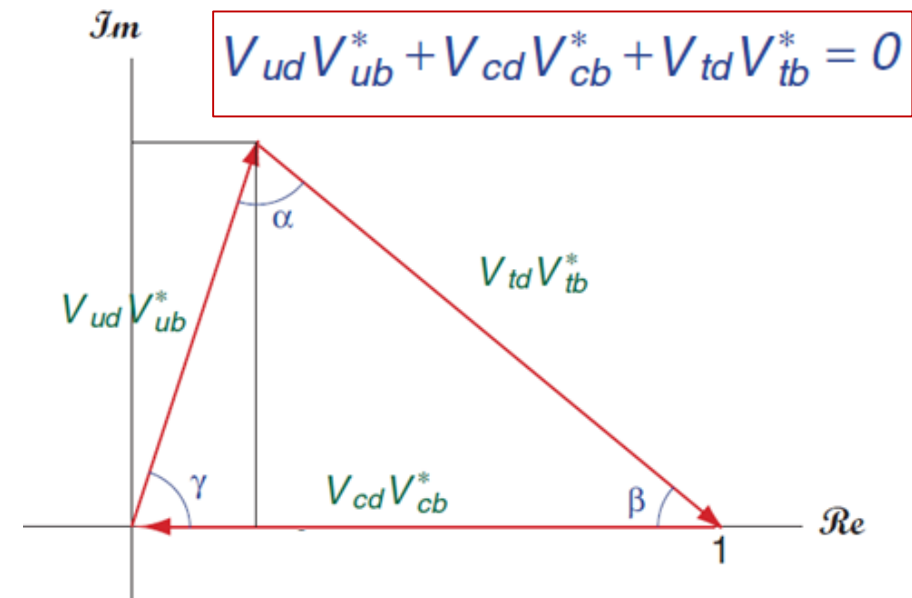
$$V_{us}V_{ub}^* + V_{cs}V_{cb}^* + V_{ts}V_{tb}^* = 0 \quad (+ 4 \text{ more})$$

and can be represented as triangles:

$$V_{ud}^*V_{td} + V_{us}^*V_{ts} + V_{ub}^*V_{tb} = 0$$

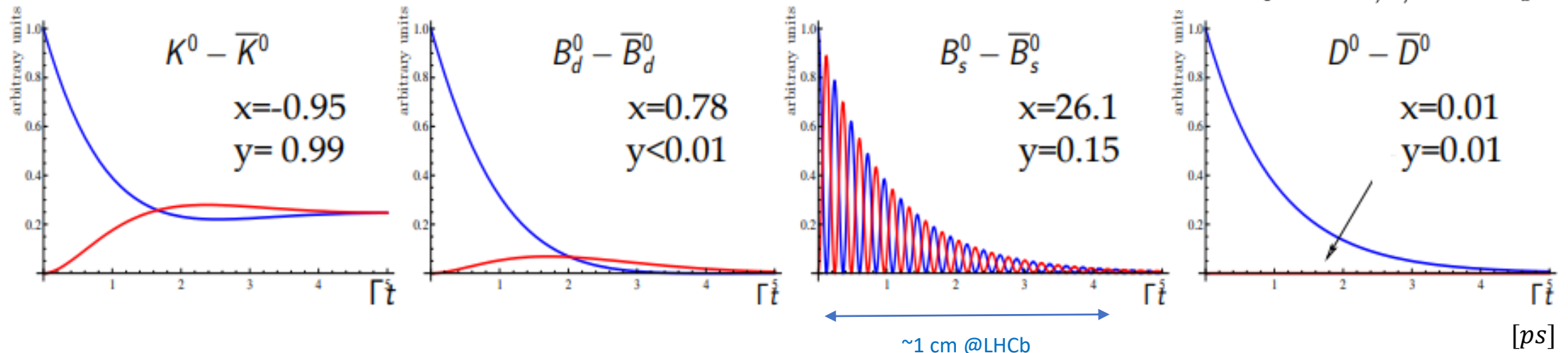
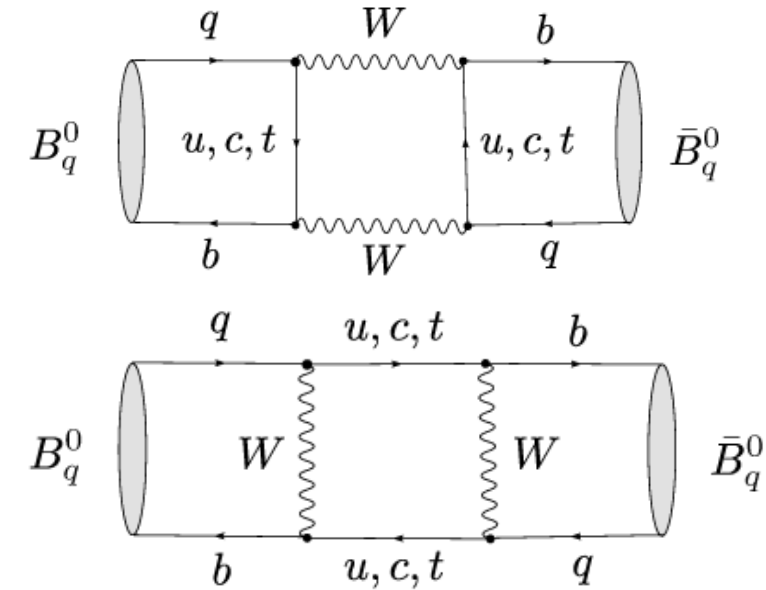
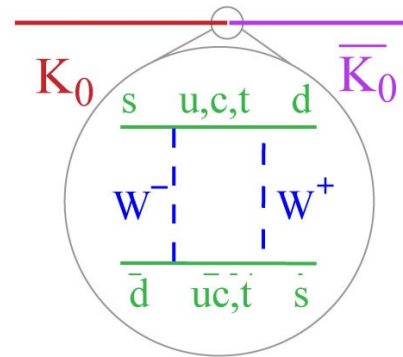
$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda^3 e^{-i\gamma} \\ -\lambda & 1 & \lambda^2 \\ \lambda^3 e^{-i\beta} & -\lambda e^{-i\beta_s} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



CP violation in mixing

- Weak interactions makes possible the change of quark flavour. This rule can do some magic transition from matter to antimatter:
- We found that having started the observation with a P^0 meson, after some time t we can have \bar{P}^0 (P^0 has oscillated to \bar{P}^0)!
- SM and V_{CKM} provide us with the parameters of oscillations



Time evolution of neutral mesons*

1. The eigenstates of effective Hamiltonian (weak) written in the form:

$$|P_1\rangle = p|P^0\rangle + q|\overline{P^0}\rangle$$

$$|P_2\rangle = p|P^0\rangle - q|\overline{P^0}\rangle$$

p and q are complex numbers satisfying: $|p|^2 + |q|^2 = 1$ (for K_1^0 and K_2^0 : $p = q = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$)

2. Solving Schrödinger equation we see time evolution of the eigenstates:

$$|P_1(t)\rangle = |P_1\rangle e^{-i\left(m_1 - \frac{i\Gamma_1}{2}\right)t}$$

$$|P_2(t)\rangle = |P_2\rangle e^{-i\left(m_2 - \frac{i\Gamma_2}{2}\right)t}$$

These relations show that the original P^0 meson after some time can either convert to $\overline{P^0}$ or decay.

Time evolution of neutral mesons*

9. Finally the time evolution of **weak** eigenstates as a combination of **flavour** eigenstates:

$$|P^0(t)\rangle = f_+(t)|P^0\rangle + \frac{q}{p}f_-(t)|\bar{P}^0\rangle$$

$$|\bar{P}^0(t)\rangle = f_+(t)|\bar{P}^0\rangle + \frac{p}{q}f_-(t)|P^0\rangle$$

$$f_{\pm}(t) = \frac{1}{2} \left[e^{-i(m_1 - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_1)t} \pm e^{-i(m_2 - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma_2)t} \right]$$

solve this!

$$|f_{\pm}(t)|^2 = \frac{1}{4} \left[e^{-i\Gamma_1 t} + e^{-i\Gamma_2 t} \pm 2e^{-\bar{\Gamma}t} \cos(\Delta m t) \right]$$

$$\bar{\Gamma} = \frac{\Gamma_1 + \Gamma_2}{2}$$

interference term

10. The time evolution of mixing probabilities, i.e. the probability that having started the observation with a P^0 meson, after some time t we still have P^0 (or it has oscillated to \bar{P}^0):

$$P(P^0 \rightarrow P^0; t) = |\langle P^0 | P^0(t) \rangle|^2 = |f_+(t)|^2$$

$$P(P^0 \rightarrow \bar{P}^0; t) = |\langle \bar{P}^0 | P^0(t) \rangle|^2 = \left| \frac{q}{p} f_-(t) \right|^2$$

Let's look closer at the parameters of flavour oscillations:




III. Measurements @ LHCb

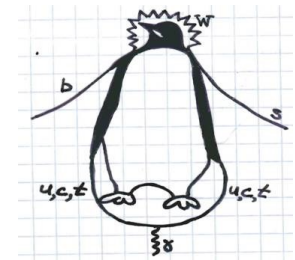
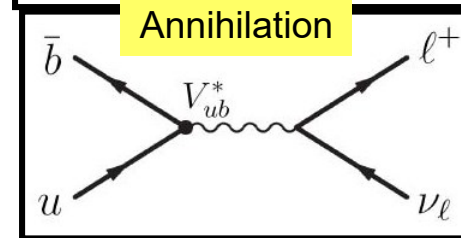
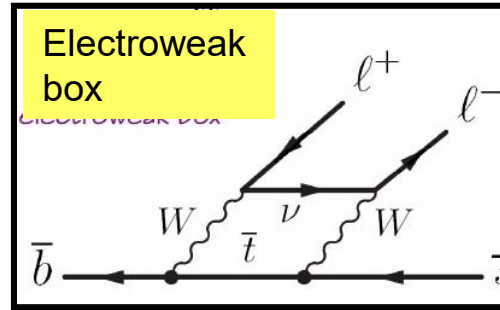
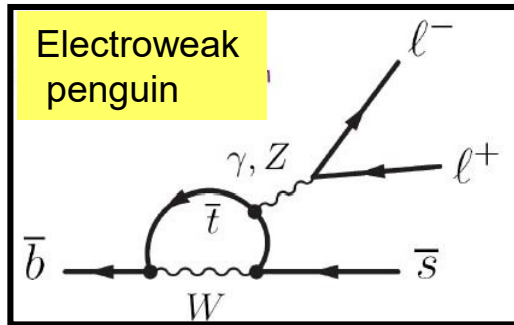
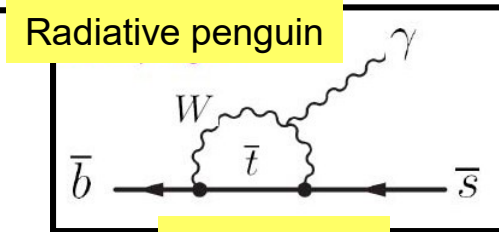
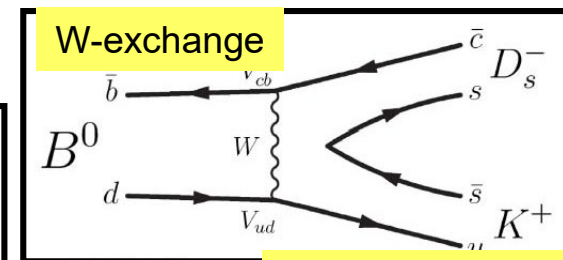
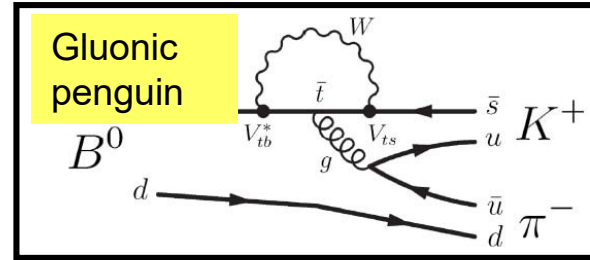
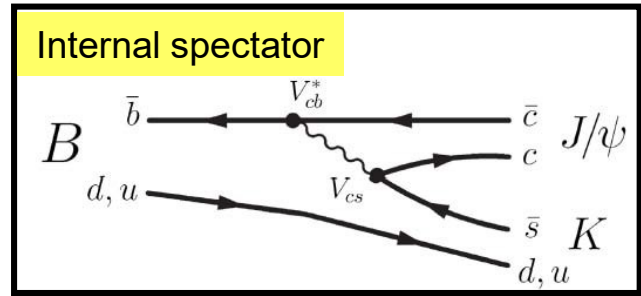
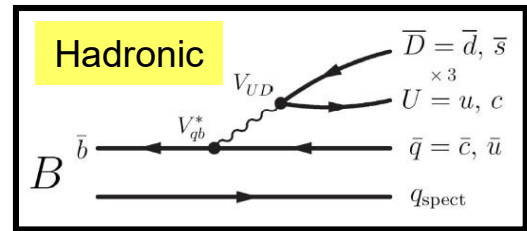
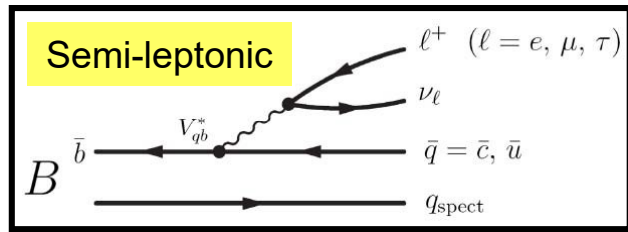
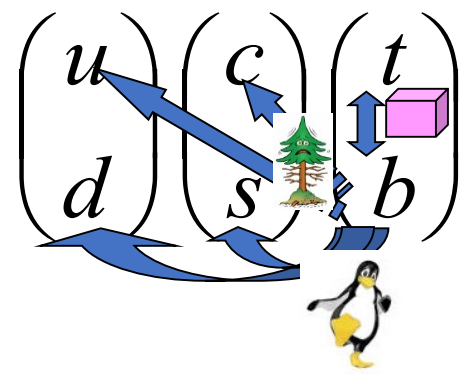
Heavy flavour physics



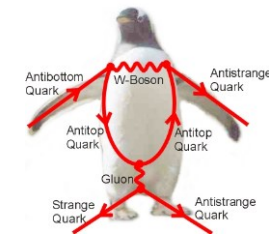
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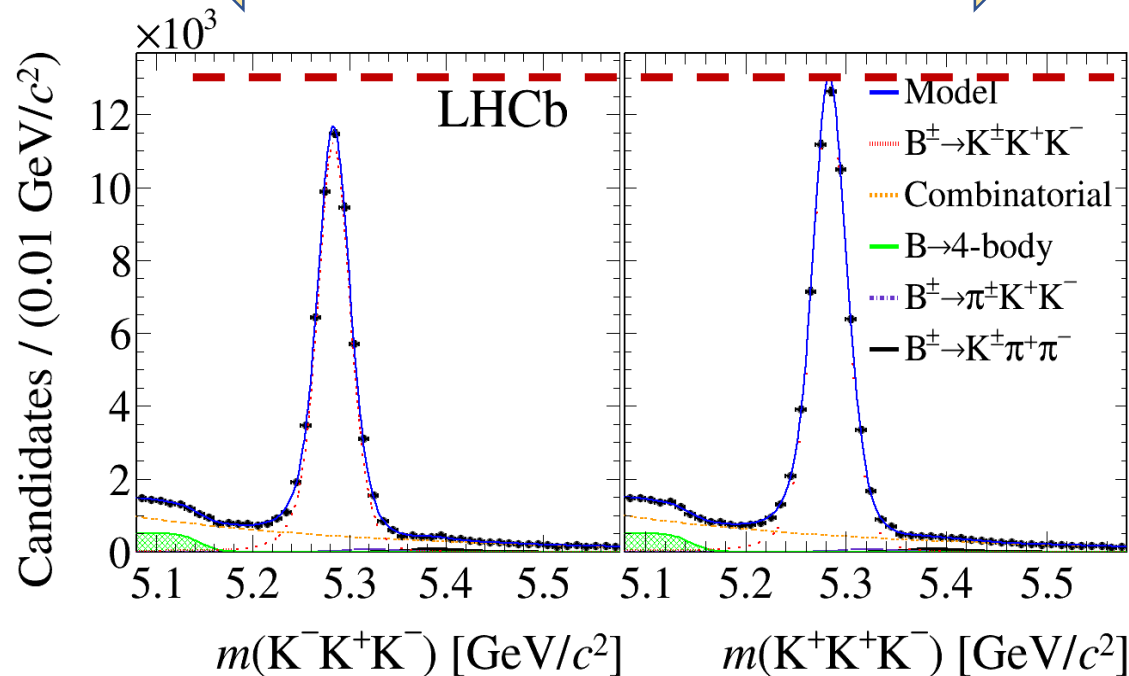
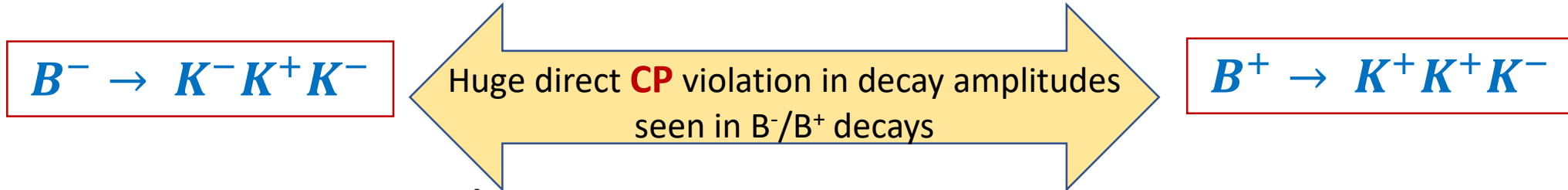


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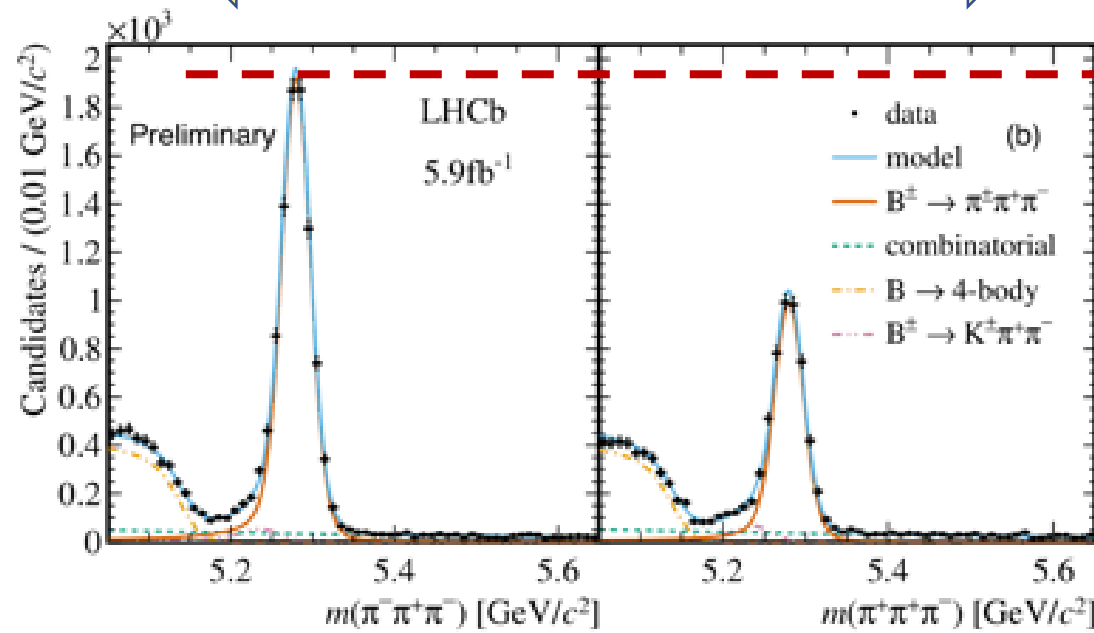
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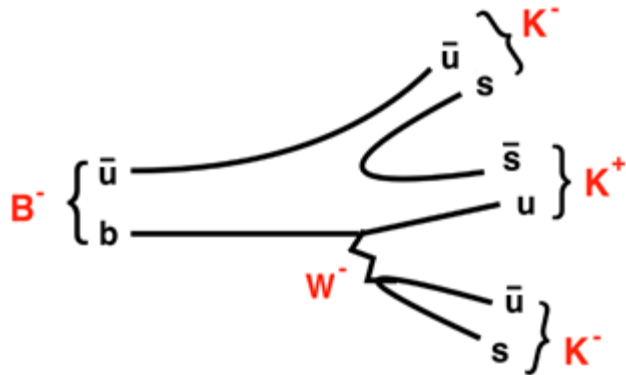
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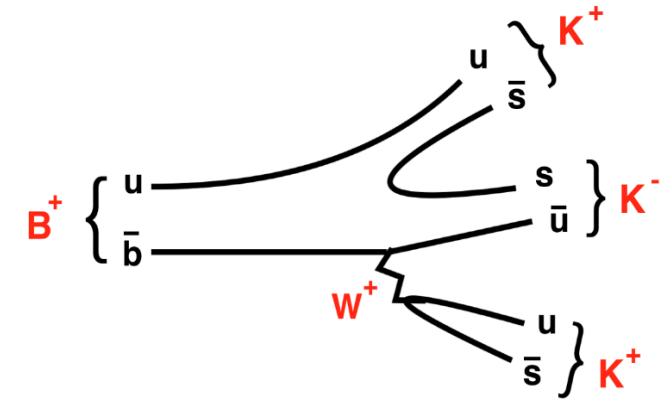
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Can you find the quark
transitions (change of flavour)?

V_{ub} and V_{us}

This shows the connection between „simple”
counting of decays and the Standard Model



Sides of the Unitary Triangles

Sides of the UT can be measured with:

V_{ud}	β -decay	Nuclear physics	$\cos \vartheta_i$
V_{us}	K decay	$K^{+0} \rightarrow \pi^{0+} l^+ \nu_l$	$\sin \vartheta_i$
V_{cd}	Neutrino scattering	$\nu_\mu d \rightarrow \mu^+ c$	$\cos \vartheta_i$
V_{cs}	Charm decay	$D_S^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$	BR
V_{ub}	B decay	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu_e$	BR
V_{cb}	B decay to charm		
V_{td}	B mixing		

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

$b \rightarrow u$
transitions

$b \rightarrow c$
transitions

B^0 mixing

Angles of the Unitary Triangles

Angles of the UT can be measured with:

$$B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S \quad \sin 2\beta$$

$$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \quad \sin 2\alpha$$

$$B_S^0 \rightarrow D_S^+ K^- \quad \sin 2\gamma$$

$$\text{Weak phase} \quad \beta_S$$

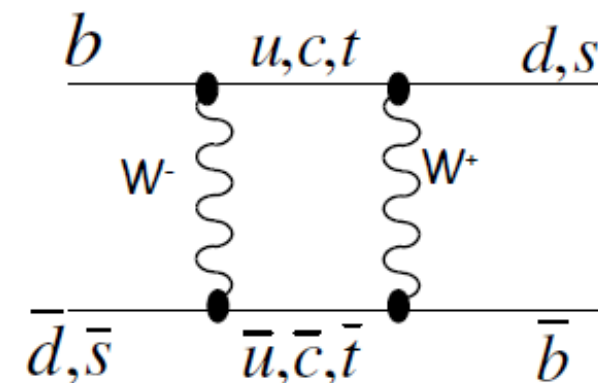
Short history of flavour physics:

1. First B physics experiments were build on symmetric electron-positron collider:
 - Petra (DESY) in 80'ties
 - **LEP at CERN in 1994-2000**
2. Then two asymmetric B-factories (currently not taking data):
 - Belle (Japan)
 - BaBar (SLAC,USA)
3. LHC
 - **LHCb – dedicated B physics experiment**
 - CMS, ATLAS also interested in heavy flavours

Mixing of B^0 and B_S^0 meson*

1. Like neutral kaon system, neutral B mesons may also oscillate: $\begin{pmatrix} B^0 = d\bar{b} \\ \overline{B^0} = \bar{d}b \end{pmatrix}$
2. The top quark transition has the dominant amplitude:

$$A \propto \sum \text{all pair of quarks } A_{bi} A_{jb}^* \quad \begin{pmatrix} B_S^0 = s\bar{b} \\ \overline{B_S^0} = \bar{d}s \end{pmatrix}$$

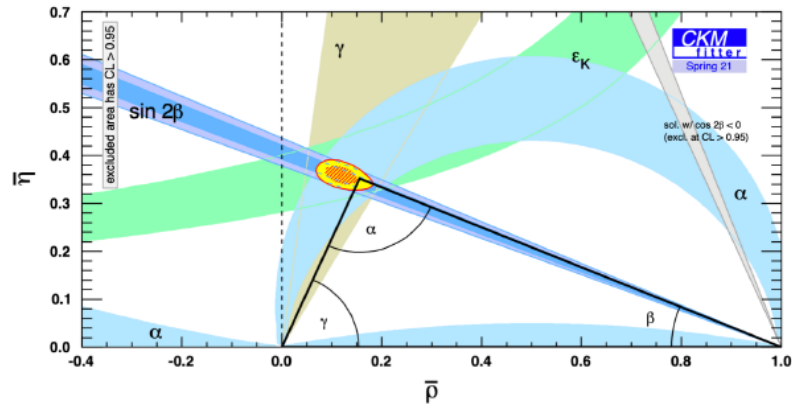


	$B^0 = d\bar{b} \quad \overline{B^0} = \bar{d}b$	$B_S^0 = s\bar{b} \quad \overline{B_S^0} = \bar{d}s$
Oscillations parameter	$x_d = \frac{\Delta m_d}{\Gamma_d} \approx 0.72$	$x_s = \frac{\Delta m_s}{\Gamma_s} \approx 24$
Large mass difference	$\Delta m_d \approx 3.3 \cdot 10^{-13} \text{ GeV}$ $\approx 0.5 \text{ ps}^{-1}$	$\Delta m_s \approx 17.8 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
Small lifetime difference	$x_d = \frac{\Delta \Gamma_d}{\Gamma_d} \approx 5 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$x_d = \frac{\Delta \Gamma_s}{\Gamma_s} \approx 0.1$
$\frac{q}{p}$ - sensitivity to weak phase	$\frac{q}{p} = \frac{V_{td} V_{tb}^*}{V_{tb} V_{td}^*} \sim \beta$	$\frac{q}{p} = \frac{V_{ts} V_{tb}^*}{V_{tb} V_{ts}^*} \sim \beta_s$

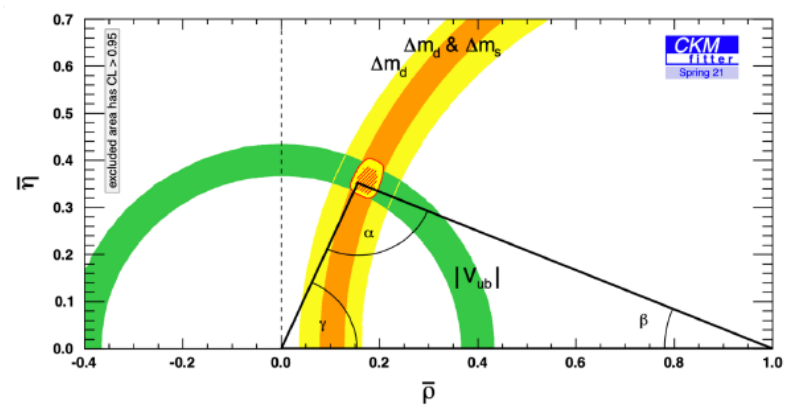
$$\frac{q}{p} = \sqrt{\frac{M_{12}^*}{M_{12}}}$$

Overconstraining CKM matrix

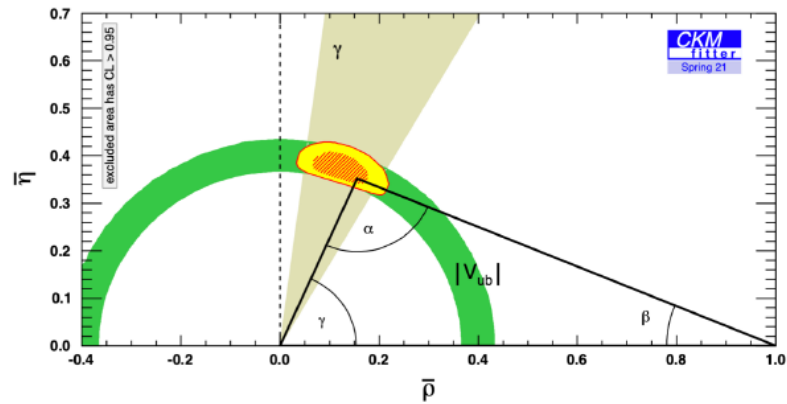
CP violating



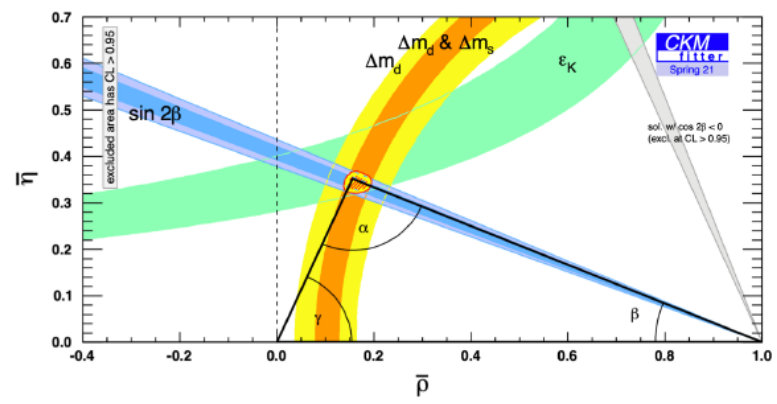
CP conserving



Tree



Loop



Mixing of B^0 and B_S^0 meson*

1. The weak B-meson states are a combination of flavour states:

$$|B_L\rangle = p|B^0\rangle + q|\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

$$|B_H\rangle = p|B^0\rangle - q|\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

2. In terms of the CKM elements q/p is given by:

$$\frac{q}{p} = \frac{V_{td}V_{tb}^*}{V_{tb}V_{td}^*} = e^{-i2\beta}$$

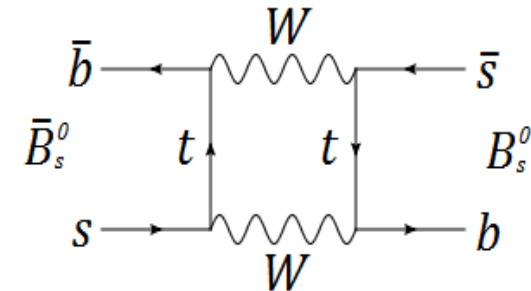
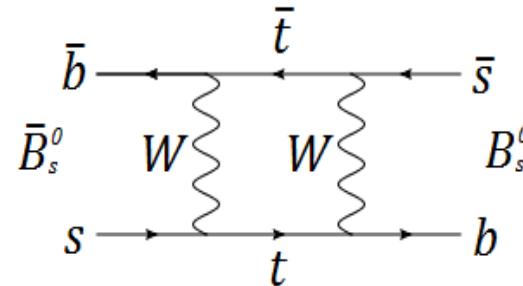
here d is replaced by s in case of B_S^0

$$\frac{q}{p} = \frac{V_{ts}V_{tb}^*}{V_{tb}V_{ts}^*} = e^{-i2\beta_S}$$

so now the physical states are written as:

$$|B_L\rangle = 1/\sqrt{2} [|B^0\rangle + e^{-i2\beta} |\bar{B}^0\rangle]$$

$$|B_H\rangle = 1/\sqrt{2} [|B^0\rangle - e^{-i2\beta} |\bar{B}^0\rangle]$$



the eigenstates of the effective Hamiltonian, with definite mass and lifetime, are mixtures of the flavour eigenstates

and β is also called the **B^0 mixing phase**

3. The states B_L and B_H are lighter and heavier state, with almost identical lifetimes: $\Gamma_L = \Gamma_H \equiv \Gamma$
4. The mass difference Δm between them is greater than in kaons.

Mixing of B^0 and B_S^0 meson*

5. If we write the flavour states as a combination of weak states:

$$|B^0\rangle = 1/\sqrt{2} [|B_L\rangle + |B_H\rangle]$$

then the wavefunction evolves according to the time dependence of physical states:

$$|B(t)\rangle = 1/\sqrt{2} \{ \mathbf{a}(t) |B_L\rangle + \mathbf{b}(t) |B_H\rangle \}$$

where time dependence of coefficients is:

$$\mathbf{a}(t) = e^{-i(m_L - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma)t} \quad \mathbf{b}(t) = e^{-i(m_H - \frac{i}{2}\Gamma)t}$$

Now substitute $\mathbf{a}(t)$ and $\mathbf{b}(t)$ and $|B_{L,H}\rangle$ into time-dependent wave function.

Do not forget to express mass states as a combination of flavour states....

$$|B_L\rangle = 1/\sqrt{2} [|B^0\rangle + e^{-i2\beta} |\overline{B^0}\rangle]$$

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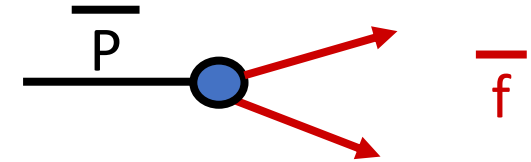
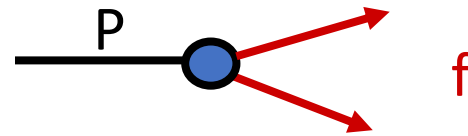
.... and calculate the probabilities of the state to stay as a $|B^0\rangle$

$$P(B^0(t=0) \rightarrow B^0; t) = |\langle B^0(t) | B^0 \rangle|^2 = \dots = e^{-\Gamma t} \cos^2\left(\frac{\Delta m}{2} t\right)$$

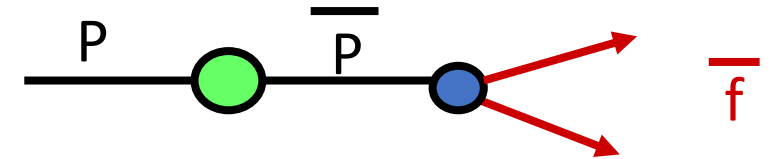
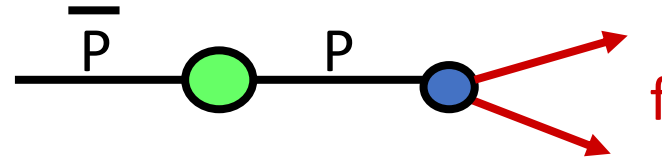
7. The same calculation can be done for B_S^0

CP violation – three ways

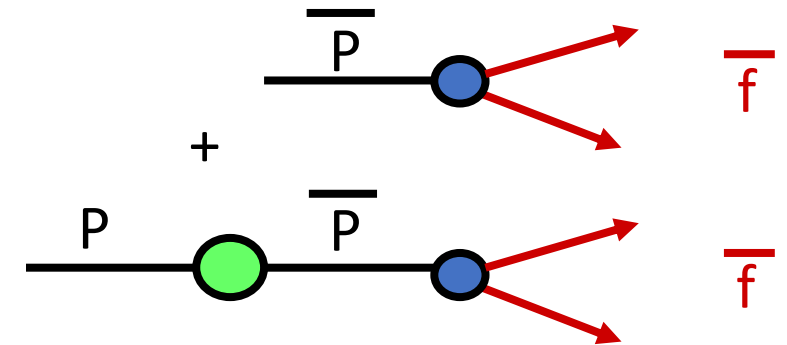
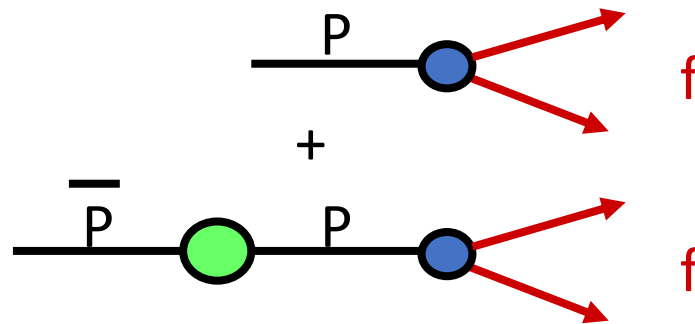
I. CP violation in decay (direct CP Violation)



II. CP violation in mixing (indirect CP Violation)



III. CP violation in interference between mixing and decay



CP violation – it's all about amplitudes

- One of the simplest way to discover **CPV** is to compare the decay rates $\Gamma(P \rightarrow f)$ with $\Gamma(\bar{P} \rightarrow \bar{f})$

$$\Gamma(P \rightarrow f) \propto N_{cand}$$

- This is a method for direct **CPV** in decay amplitudes, when two amplitudes with **different phases interfere**.
- If we define the asymmetry between **CP** conjugated decays, for **charged and neutral** mesons:

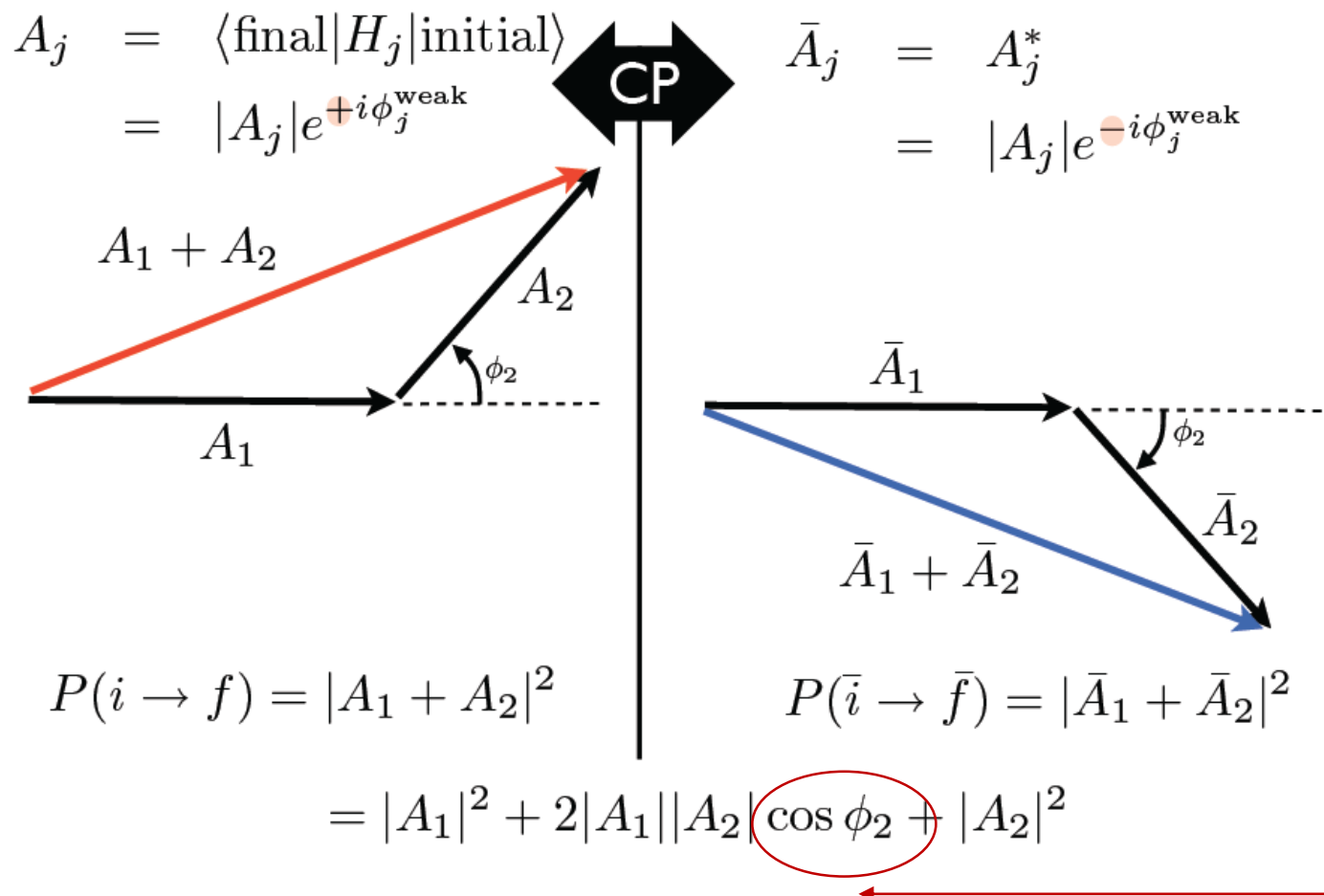
$$A_{CP,dir} = \frac{\Gamma\{P \rightarrow f\} - \Gamma\{\bar{P} \rightarrow \bar{f}\}}{\Gamma\{P \rightarrow f\} + \Gamma\{\bar{P} \rightarrow \bar{f}\}}$$

where:

$$\Gamma(P \rightarrow f) \propto |A_f|^2$$

- Amplitude A_f is defined as a matrix element that describes the transition between state P and f , such that $P \rightarrow f$ depends on: $A_f = \langle f|H|P\rangle$ and $\bar{P} \rightarrow \bar{f}$ on: $\bar{A}_f = \langle f|H|\bar{P}\rangle$

Essence of amplitude interference



In case of only one decay amplitude – the decay rates are equal:

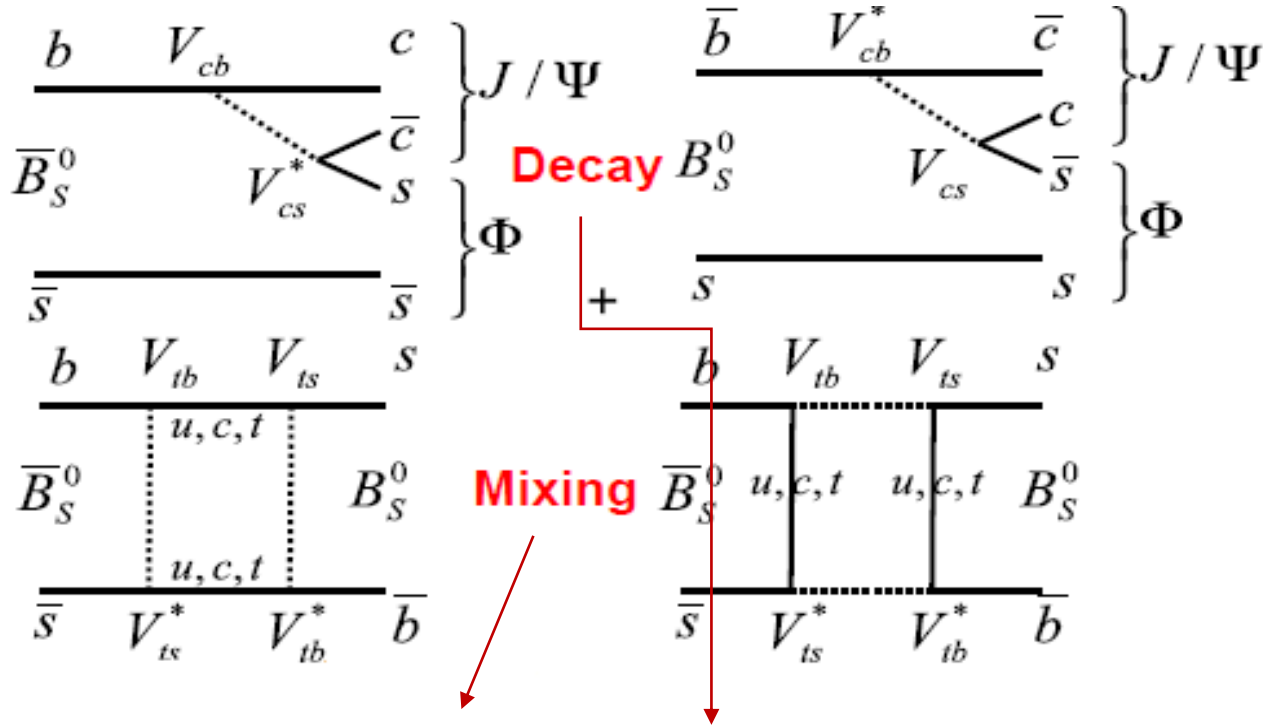
$$\Gamma(P \rightarrow f) = \Gamma(\bar{P} \rightarrow \bar{f})$$

and no CP violation occurs.
 For two amplitudes the decay rates may differ and the asymmetry is sensitive to relative phase

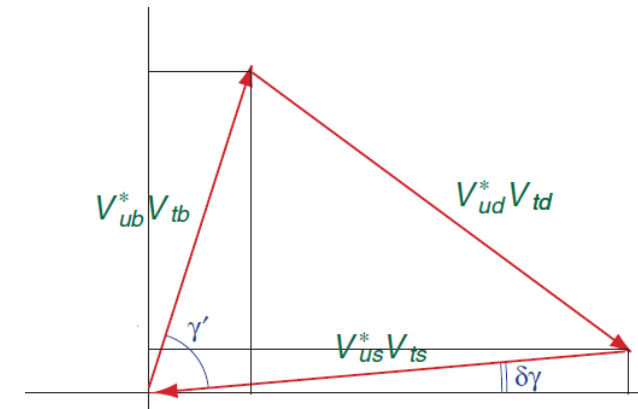
$$A = \frac{|\bar{A}_f|^2 - |A_f|^2}{|\bar{A}_f|^2 + |A_f|^2}$$

The weak phase ϕ_S

The weak phase ϕ_S can be extracted from tagged B_s decays to CP eigenstates: $B_S \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$



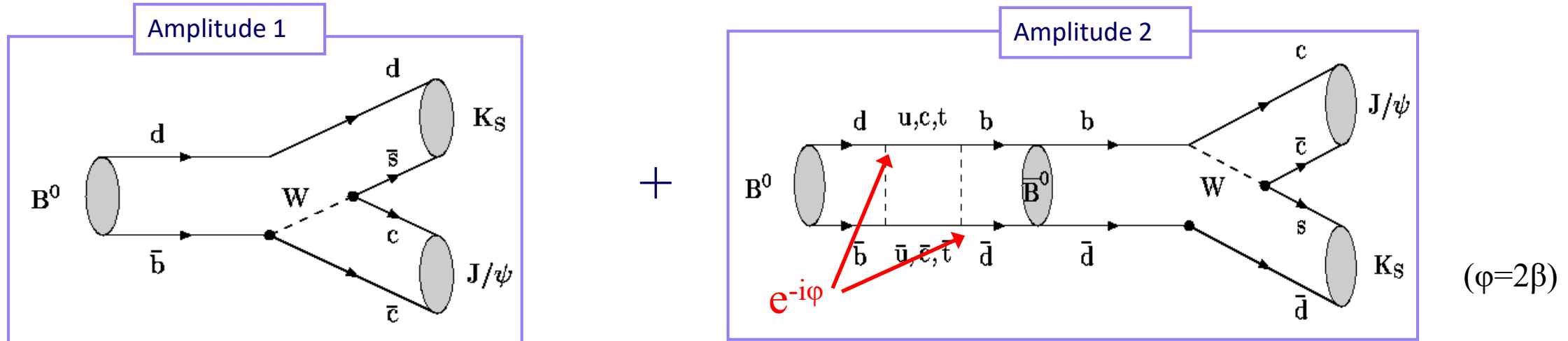
$$\phi_S = -0.036 \pm 0.002$$



Very small value of ϕ_S is predicted in SM. So any deviation from zero is a sign of new particle exchanged – Physics Beyond the Standard Model

Golden channel for $\sin 2\beta$

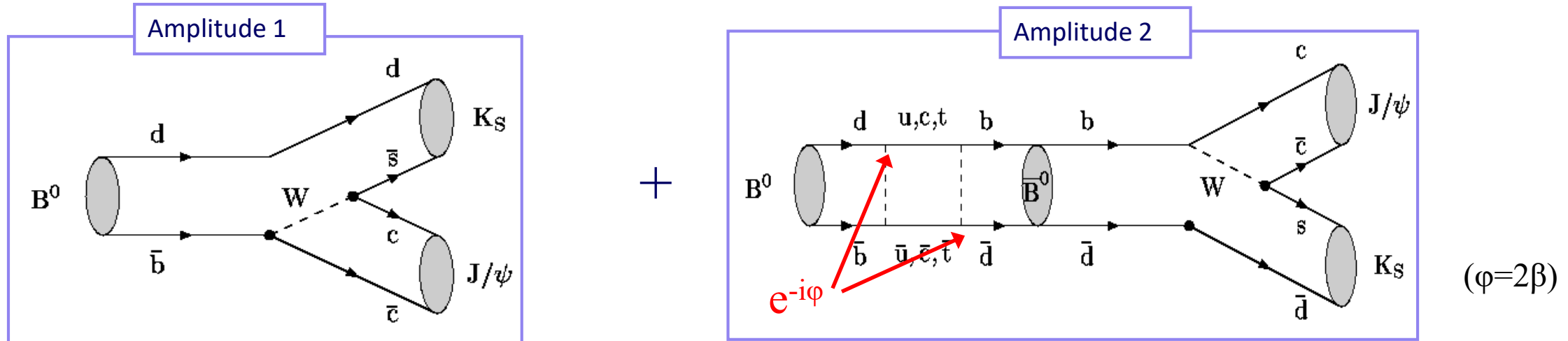
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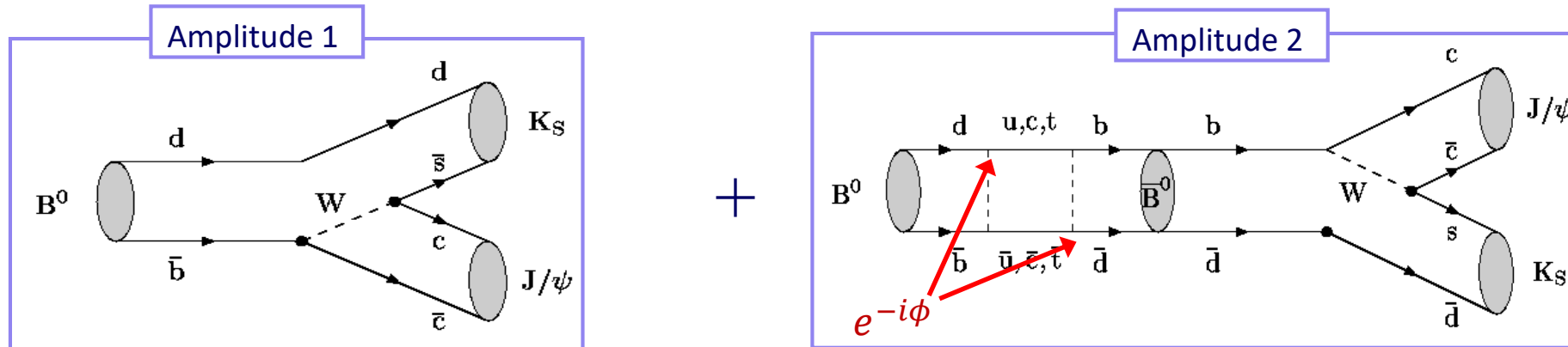
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Golden channel for $\sin 2\beta$

4. We need to calculate the asymmetry of the type:

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma_f - \overline{\Gamma}_f}{\Gamma_f + \overline{\Gamma}_f}$$

and remember that decay rate depends on (see lect 4): $\Gamma(B \rightarrow f) \propto |A_f|^2 = |A_1 + A_2|^2$



$$\phi = 2\beta$$

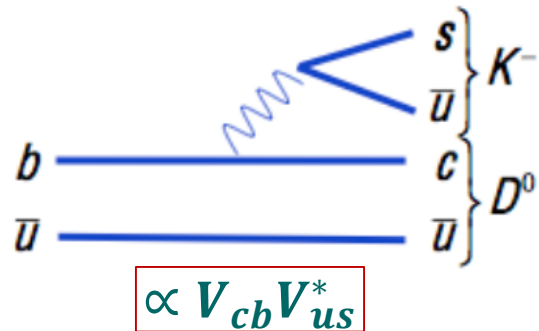
$$\Gamma(B \rightarrow J/\psi K_S) = \left| A e^{-imt - \Gamma t} \left(\cos \frac{\Delta m t}{2} + e^{-i\phi} \sin \frac{\Delta m t}{2} \right) \right|^2$$

$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma\{B \rightarrow J/\psi K_S\} - \Gamma\{\bar{B} \rightarrow J/\psi K_S\}}{\Gamma\{B \rightarrow J/\psi K_S\} + \Gamma\{\bar{B} \rightarrow J/\psi K_S\}} = -\sin 2\beta \sin \Delta m t$$

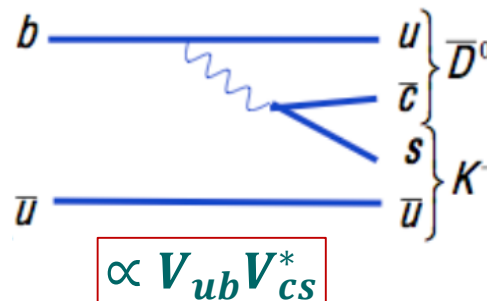
Time integrated methods $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$: CKM γ angle

- This is a measurement of angle γ with the processes $B^\pm \rightarrow D^0 K^\pm$.
- Plenty of methods which differ by the final states:

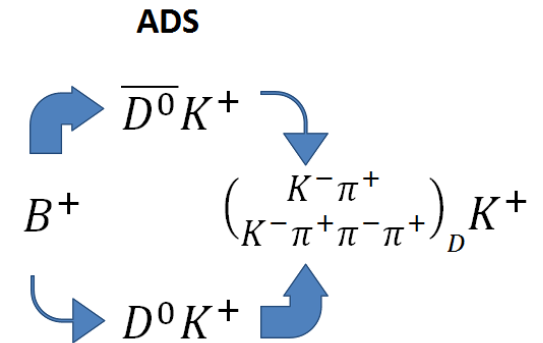
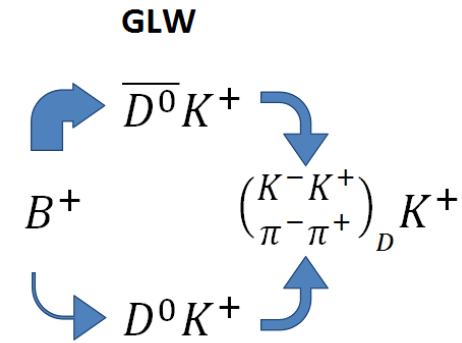
Interference between two diagrams:



colour allowed



colour suppressed

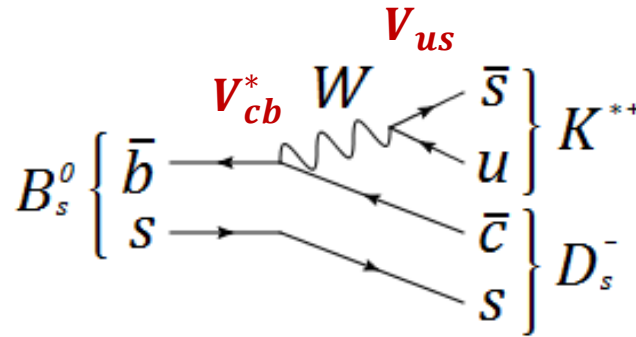
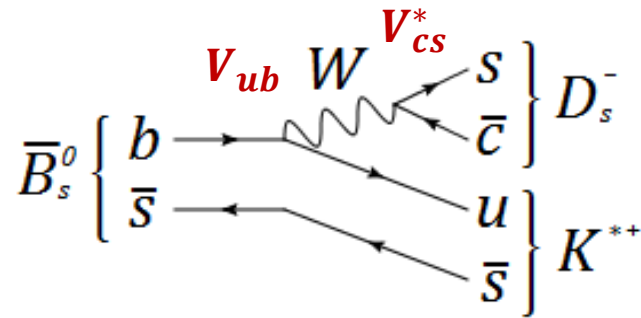


$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma\{B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-\} - \Gamma\{B^+ \rightarrow D^0 K^+\}}{\Gamma\{B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-\} + \Gamma\{B^+ \rightarrow D^0 K^+\}} \propto \sin \gamma$$

Time dependent methods $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$: CKM γ angle

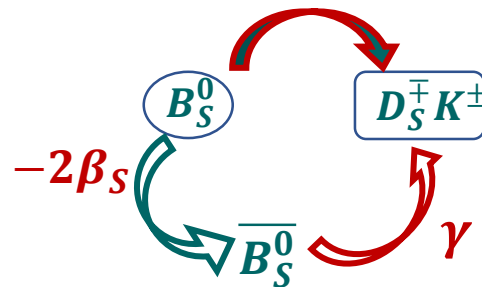
B_s^0 and \overline{B}_s^0 decay to the same final state.

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} |V_{ud}| & |V_{us}| & |V_{ub}|e^{-i\gamma} \\ -|V_{cd}| & |V_{cs}| & |V_{cb}| \\ |V_{td}|e^{-i\beta} & -|V_{ts}|e^{i\beta_s} & |V_{tb}| \end{pmatrix}$$



B_s^0 and \overline{B}_s^0 can oscillate into one another.

So we have interference between two processes:



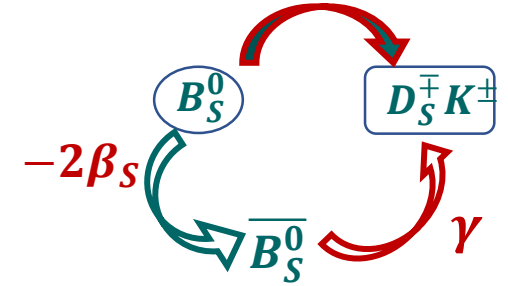
Time dependent methods $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$: CKM γ angle

We have some experience in decay rate equation...

The probability of B meson decay to final state f is given by the Fermi golden rule:

$$\Gamma_{B_s^0 \rightarrow f}(t) \sim |\langle f | T | B_s^0(t) \rangle|^2$$

and we can try to calculate it...



$$\Gamma_{B_s^0 \rightarrow f}(t) = |A_f|^2 (1 + |\lambda_f|^2) \frac{e^{-\Gamma_s t}}{2} \cdot \left(\cosh \frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2} + D_f \sinh \frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2} + C_f \cos \Delta m_s t - S_f \sin \Delta m_s t \right)$$

$$\Gamma_{\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow f}(t) = |A_f|^2 \left| \frac{p}{q} \right|^2 (1 + |\lambda_f|^2) \frac{e^{-\Gamma_s t}}{2} \cdot \left(\cosh \frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2} + D_f \sinh \frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2} - C_f \cos \Delta m_s t + S_f \sin \Delta m_s t \right)$$

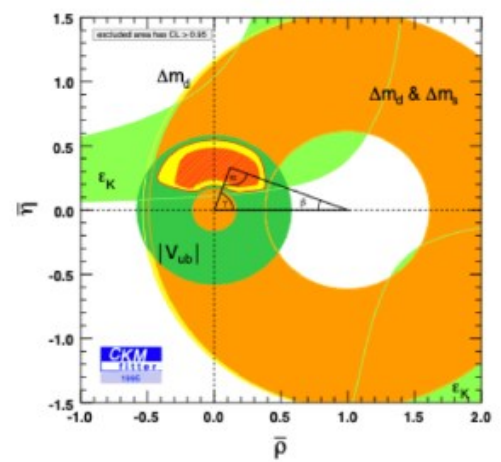
$$D_f = \frac{2\text{Re}\lambda_f}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \quad C_f = \frac{1 - |\lambda_f|^2}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \quad S_f = \frac{2\text{Im}\lambda_f}{1 + |\lambda_f|^2} \quad \lambda_f \equiv \frac{1}{\bar{\lambda}_f} = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f}$$

$$A_f = \langle f | T | B_s^0 \rangle$$

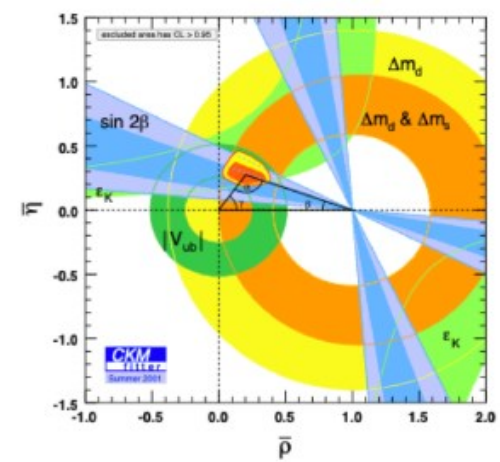
$$\bar{A}_{\bar{f}} = \langle \bar{f} | T | \bar{B}_s^0 \rangle$$

$$\Gamma(P \rightarrow f) \propto N_{cand}$$

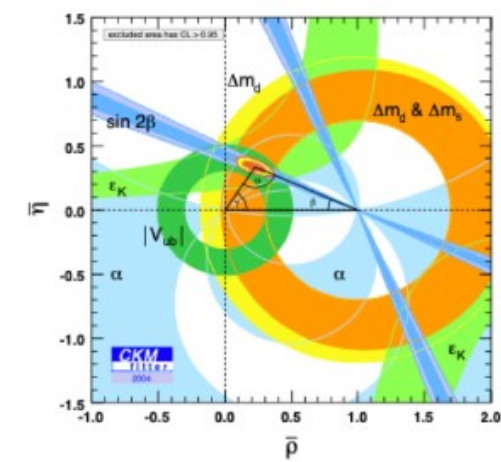
More and more precise



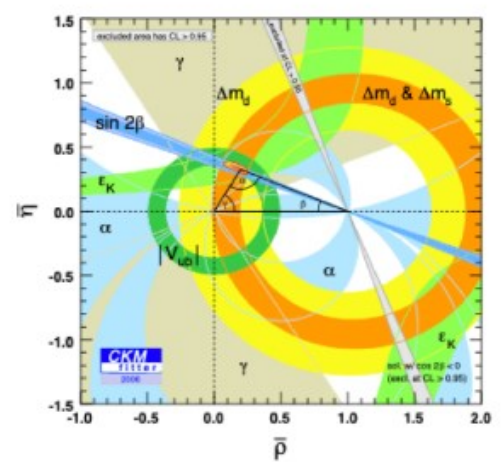
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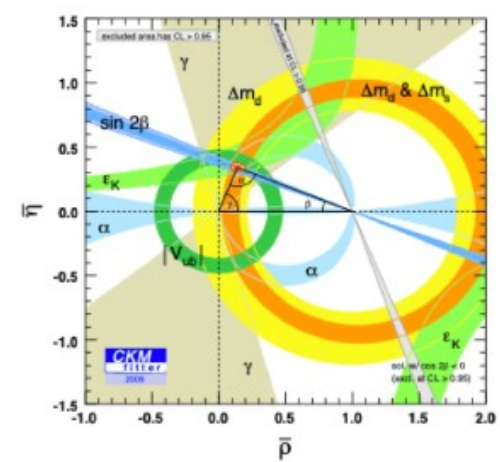
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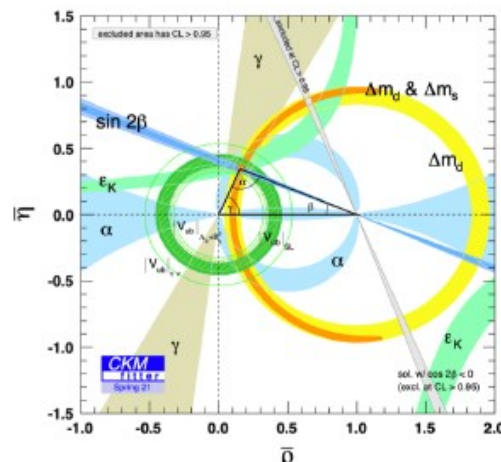
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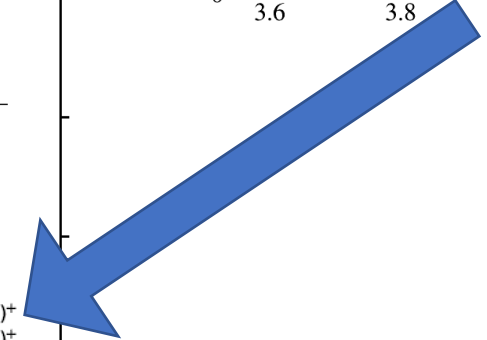
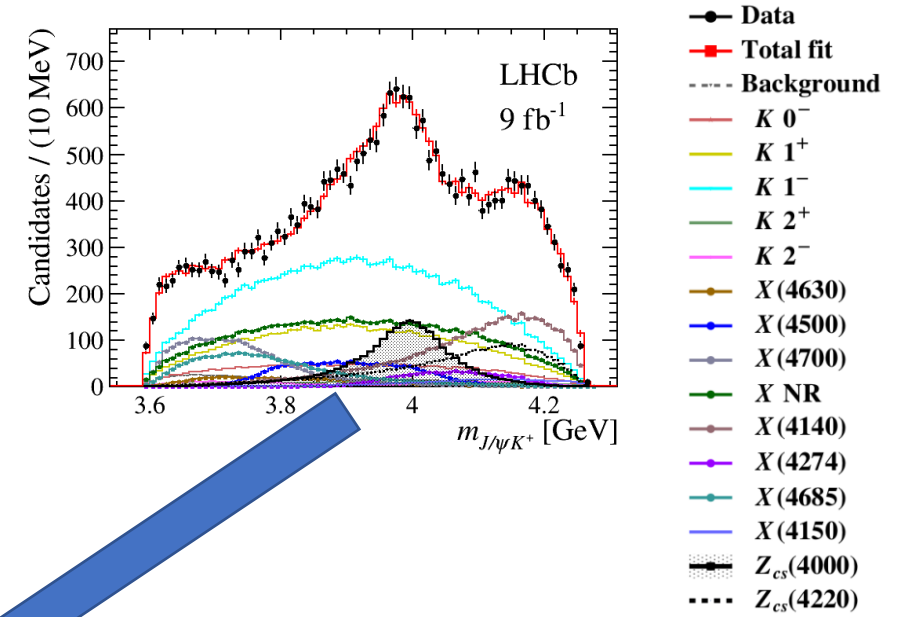
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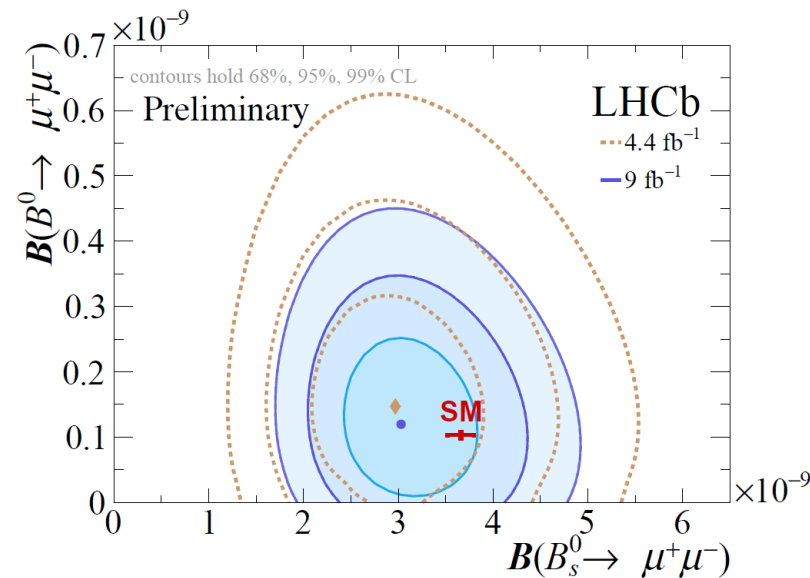
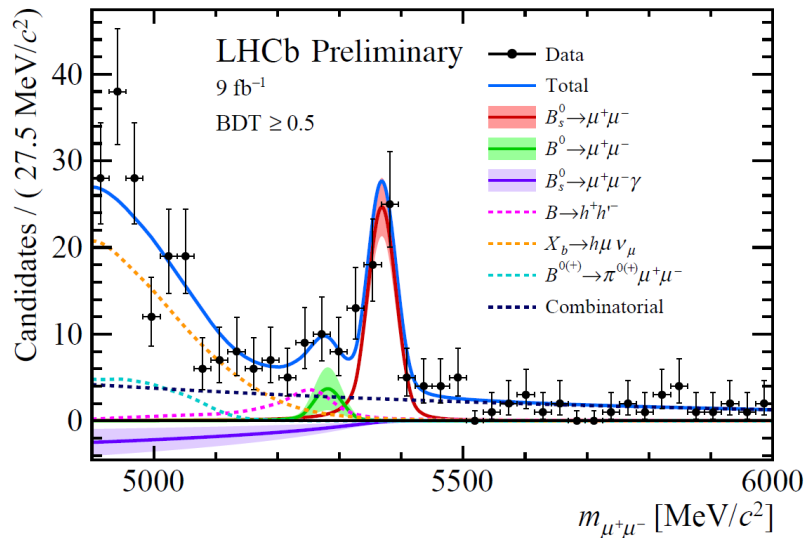
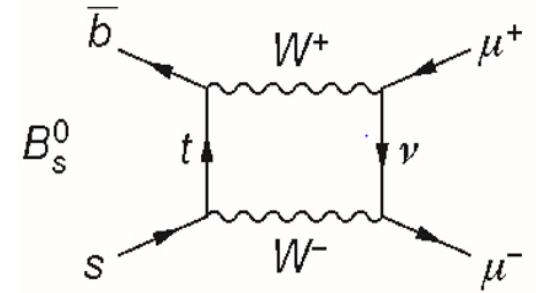
Tetraquarks $Z_{cs}(4220)^+ (c\bar{c}u\bar{s})$



The Ultimate Quest to find New Physics

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

- Purely leptonic **flavour-changing neutral current** mediated decay
- In SM tree diagrams are not possible, only penguins and boxes
- Clean probe of new physics



$$\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (2.69_{-0.35}^{+0.37}) \times 10^{-9}$$

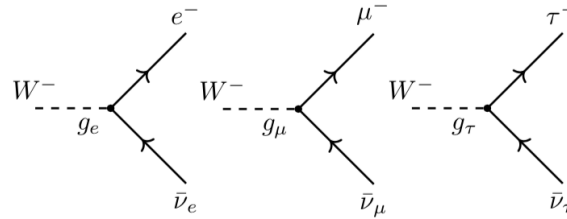
2.1 σ away from SM

The Ultimate Quest to find New Physics

Lepton universality

- SM couplings of charged leptons to gauge bosons are **identical**
- Very clean and precise measurement at electron collider

Observables are sensitive **to new (virtual) particles**

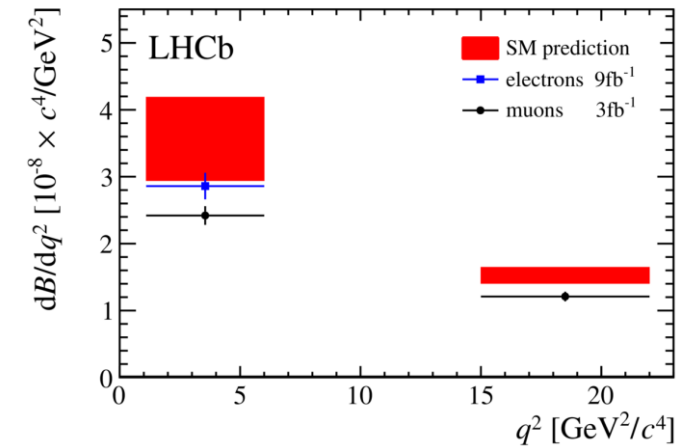
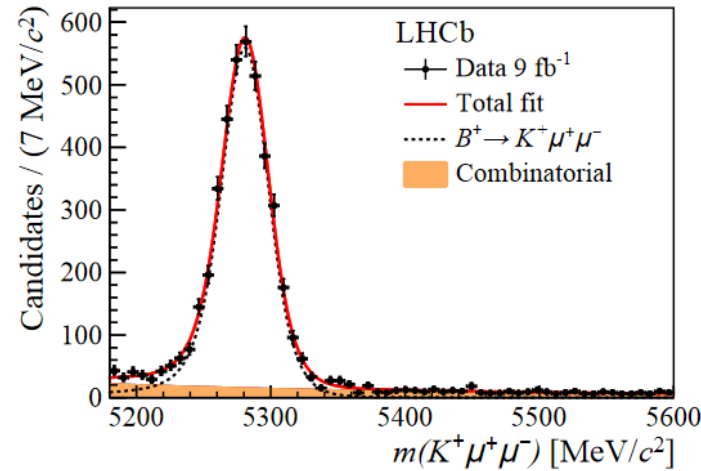
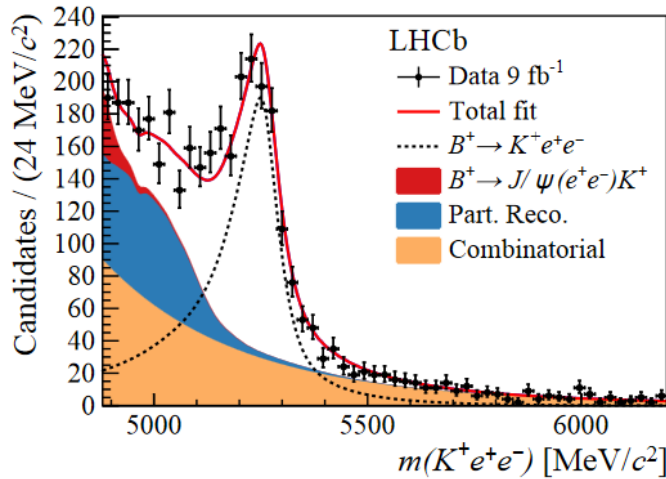
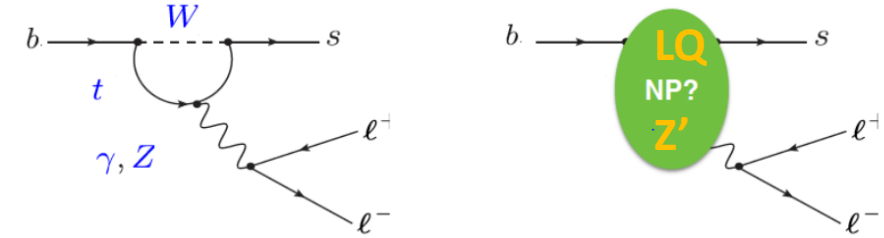


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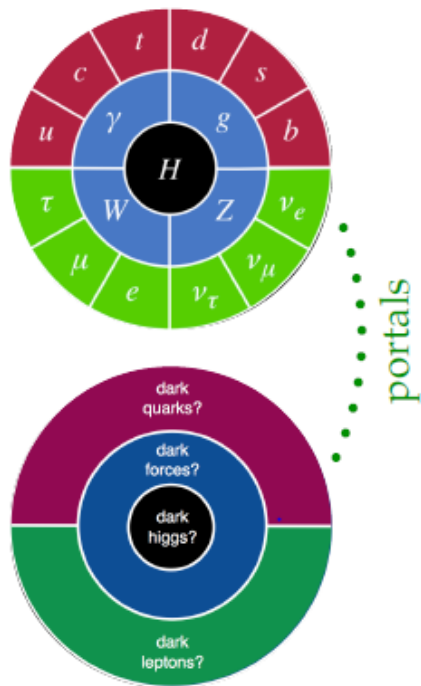
$$R_K = 0.846^{+0.042}_{-0.039} (stat) {}^{+0.013}_{-0.012} (syst)$$

p-value under SM hypothesis: 0.0010

evidence of LFU violation at 3.1σ

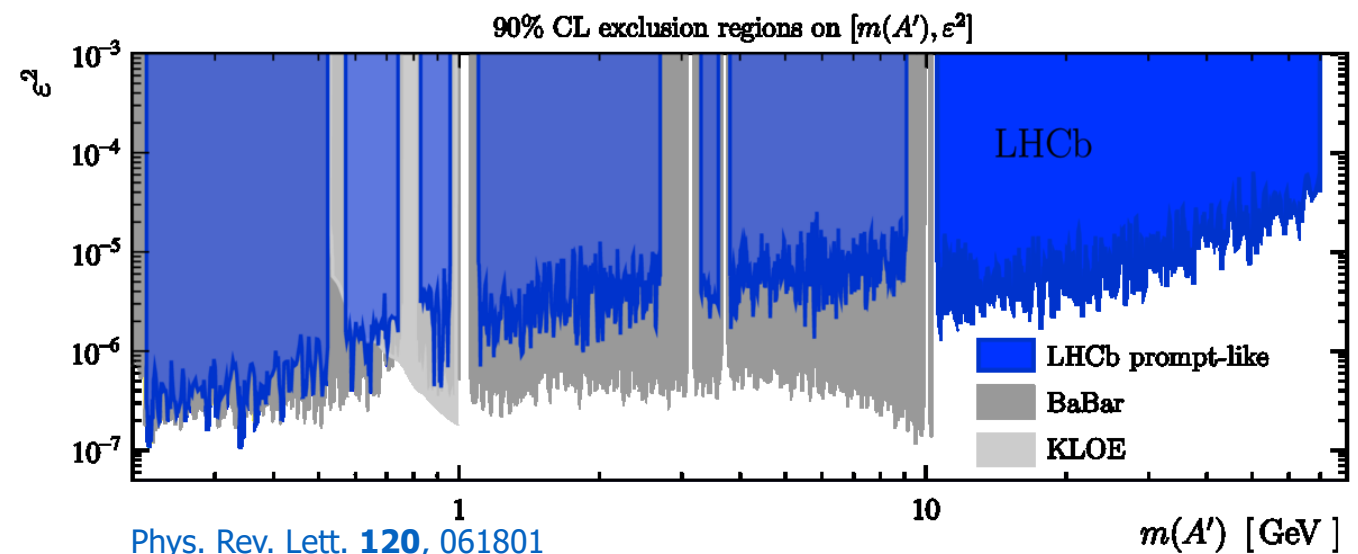
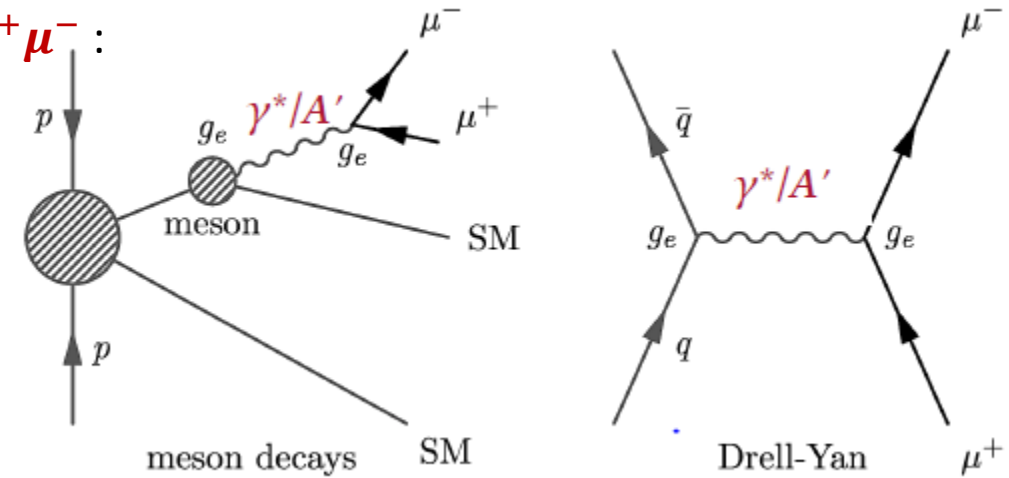
The Ultimate Quest to find New Physics – Dark Matter

Dark Sectors
(neutral under SM forces)



Dark photons searches $A' \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$:

- massive
- massles

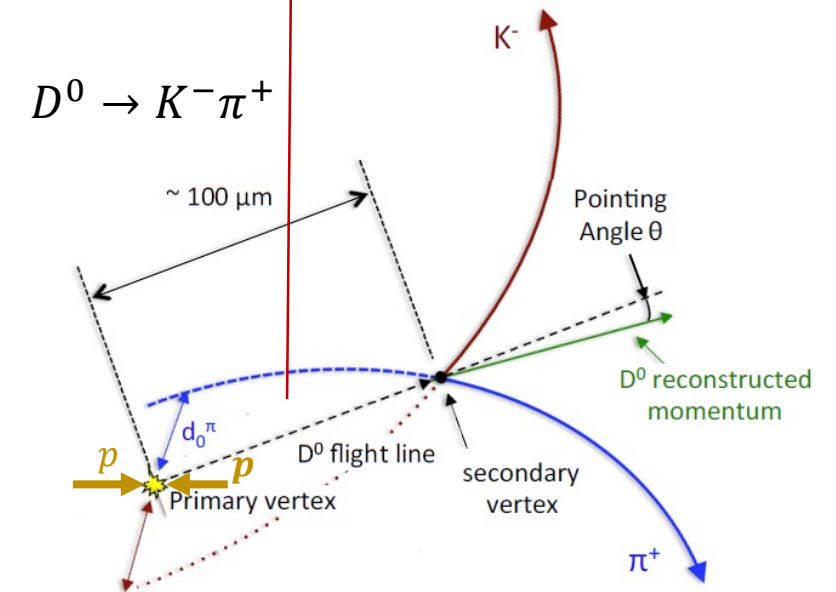
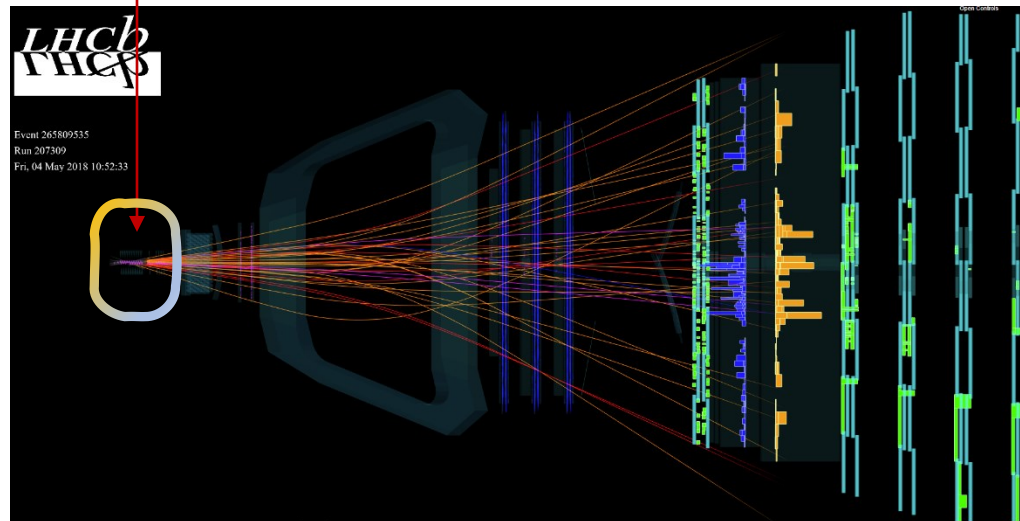
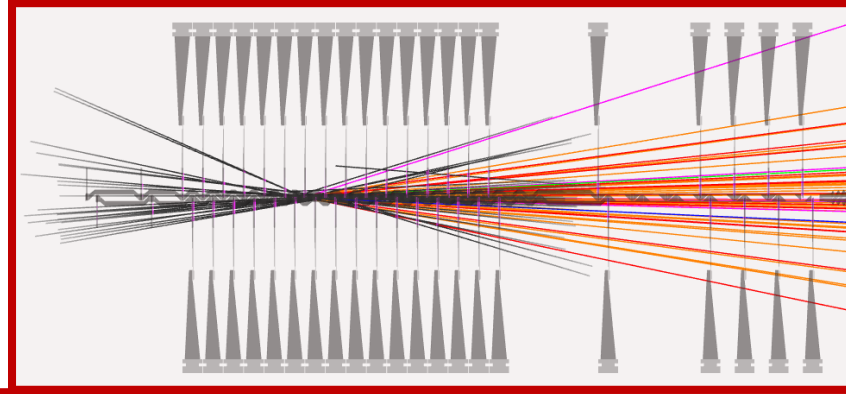


IV. How to do precise measurements

- flavour
- time
- mass

Flavour physics – how we do the measurement?

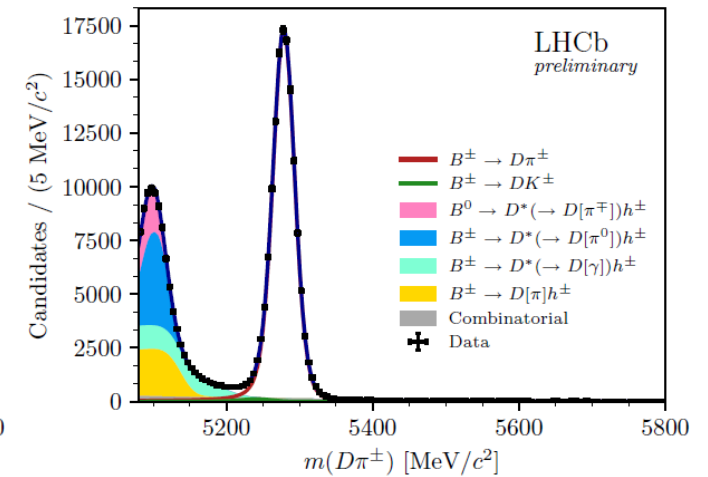
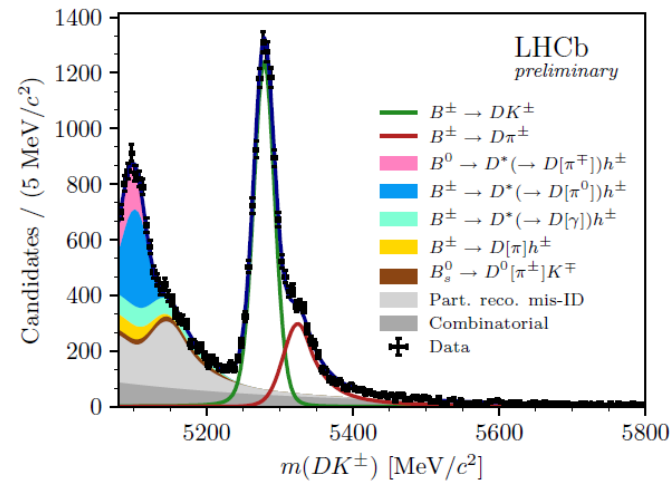
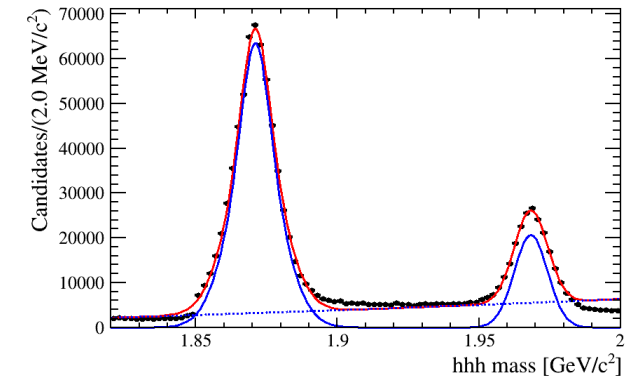
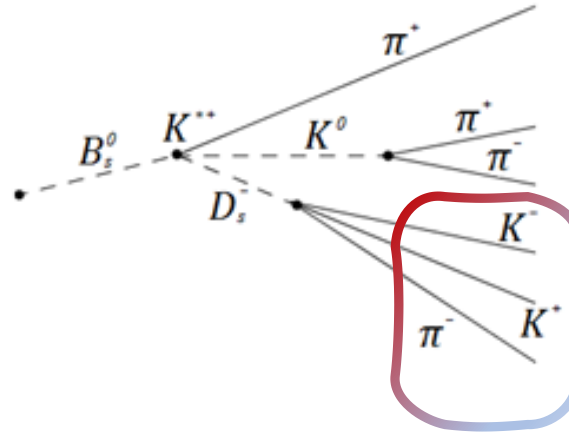
- Point of creation and decay – primary and secondary vertex.
- Tracing detector with sensors as close as possible to the proton interaction point.
- Distance between PV and SV is converted into time of life.



Mass and life-time distribution – selection and fitting

$$m^2 = \left(\sum E \right)^2 - \left(\sum \vec{p} \right)^2$$

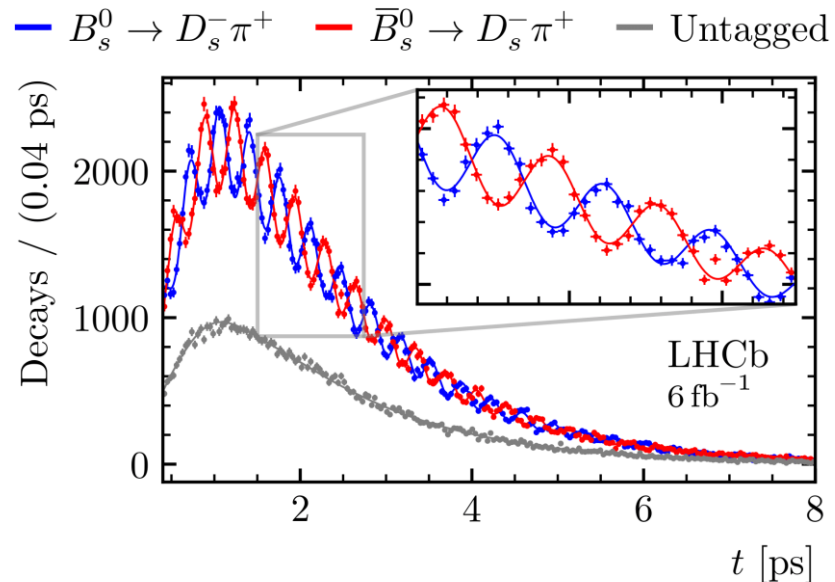
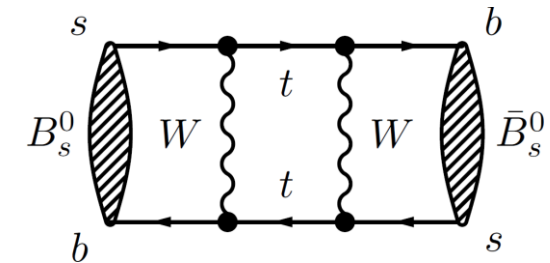
- 1) track reconstruction
- 2) particle identification
- 3) pre-selection
- 4) selection
- 5) multivariate analysis
- 6) distribution fitting



Precise determination of the B_s^0 – B_s^0 oscillation frequency

Visual example of the quantum-mechanical nature of our universe

$$P(t) \sim e^{-\Gamma_s t} \left[\cosh\left(\frac{\Delta\Gamma_s t}{2}\right) + C \cos(\Delta m_s t) \right]$$



dancer oscillating in front of CP violating mirror. In a given time slot the image in the mirror is different

$$\Delta m_s = 17.7683 \pm 0.0051(stat) \pm 0.0032(syst) ps^{-1}$$

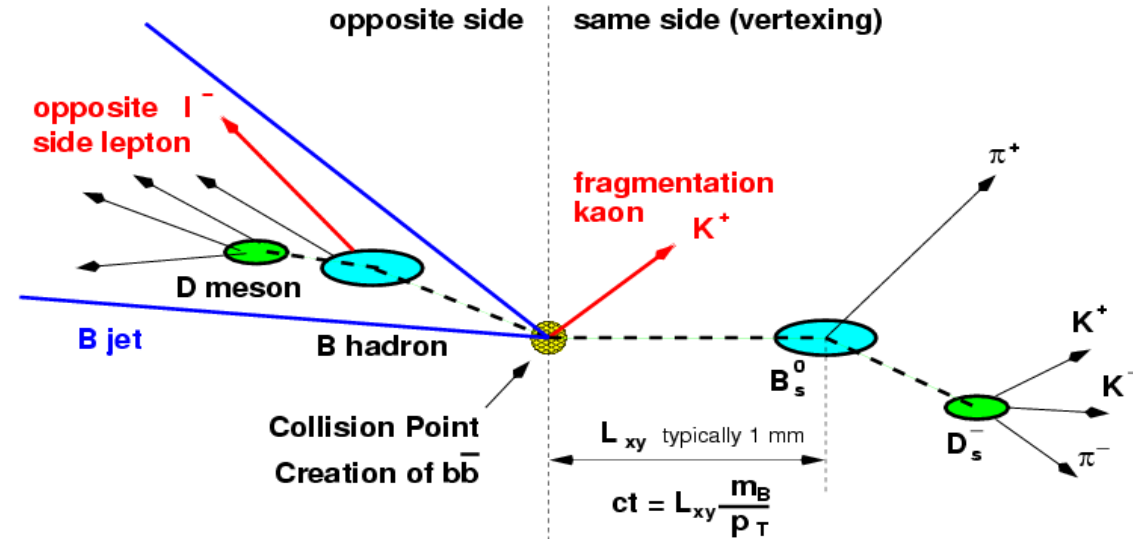
B^0 or \bar{B}^0 ?

1. Need to determine:

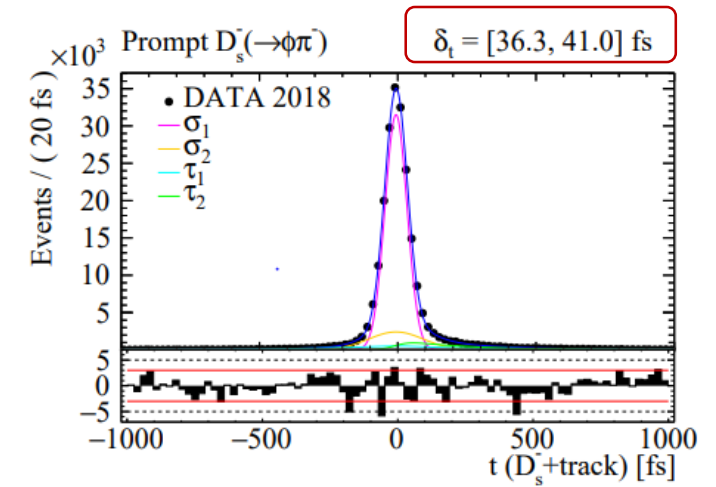
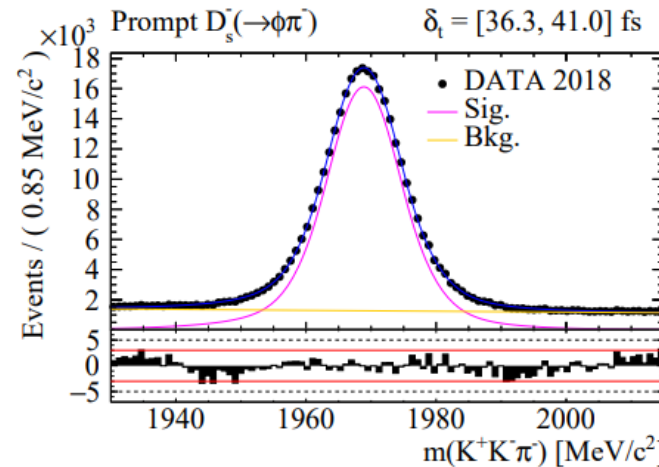
- Flavour at production \Leftrightarrow **tagging**
- Flavour at decay, from final state
- B decay length

Tagging parameters

- dilution $D = 1 - 2w$
- w = mistag probability
- ε = efficiency
- εD^2 = effective tagging power

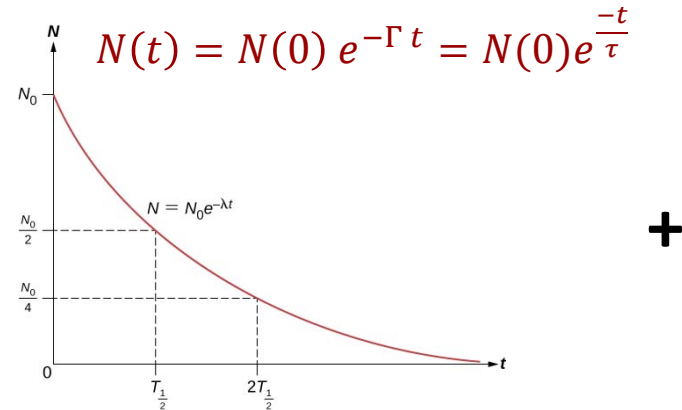


Decay mode tags b flavor at decay

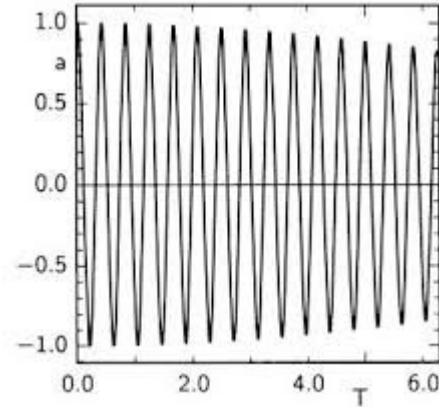


Time measurement

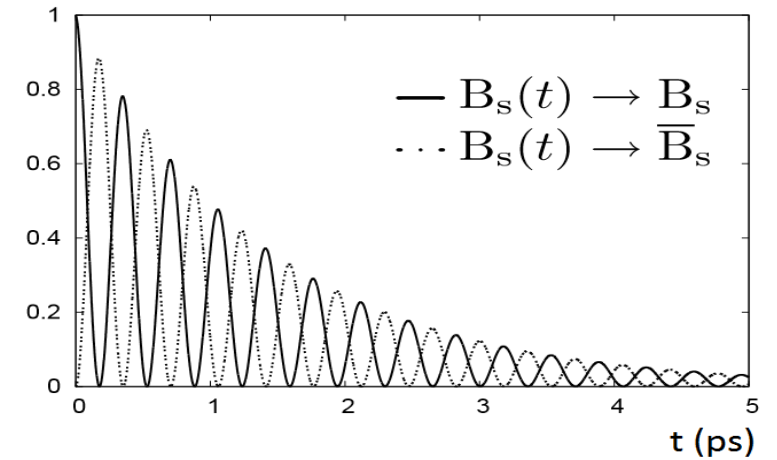
Decay time and oscillations:



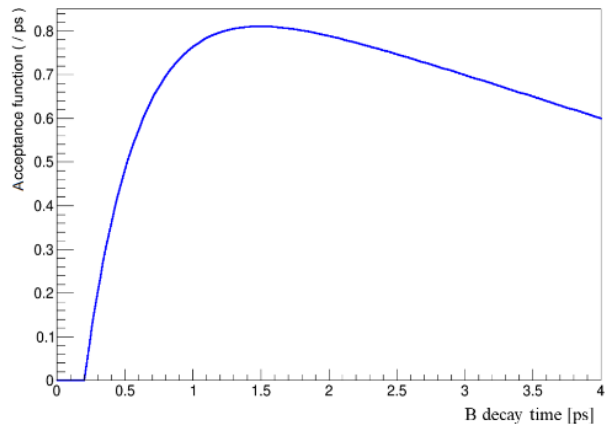
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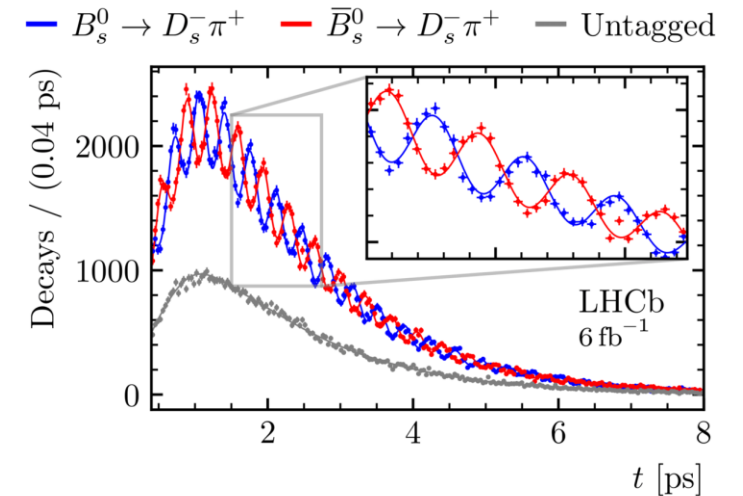
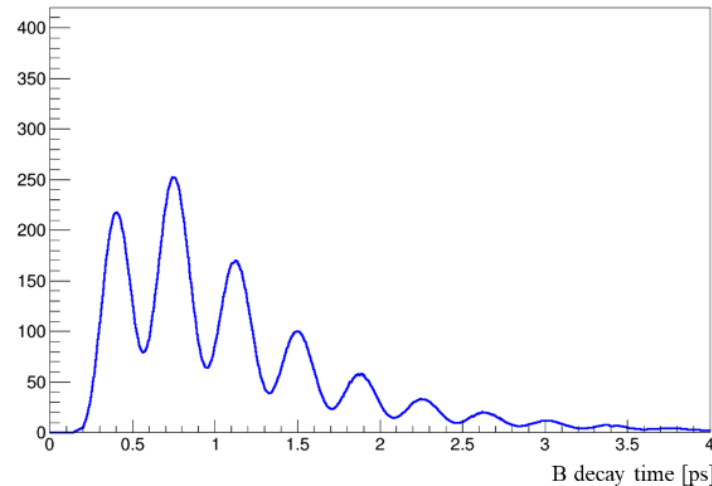
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Detector acceptance:



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Time dependent $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$ detector effects

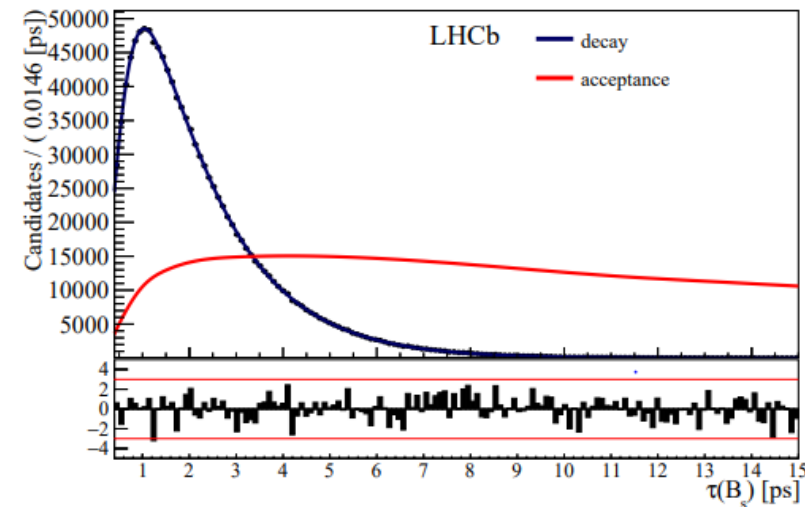
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time resolution

The finite decay-time resolution of the detector leads to a dilution of the observable oscillation if the resolution is of similar magnitude compared to the oscillation period

acceptance & cuts

$$\frac{d\Gamma(t)^{acc}}{dt} = \frac{d\Gamma(t)}{dt} \times a(t)$$



tagging

$$\mathcal{P}(t; \delta_t, q, \vec{d}, \vec{\eta}) \sim \varepsilon(t) \cdot P(\eta^{\text{OS}}) \cdot P(\eta^{\text{SS}}) \cdot P(\delta_t) \int R(t - t' | \delta_t) \cdot P_a(t' | q, \vec{d}, \vec{\eta}) dt$$

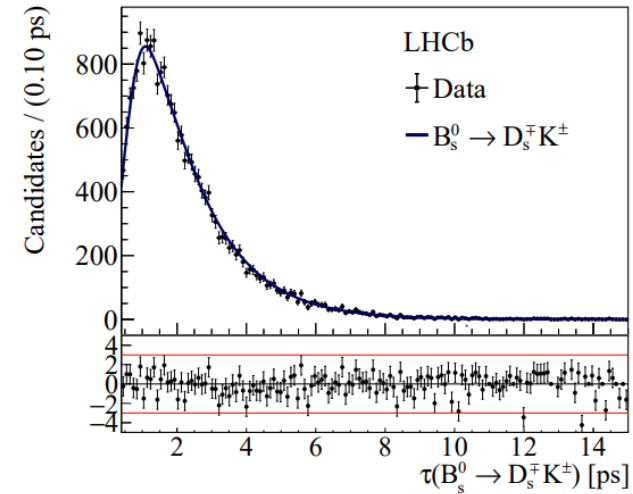
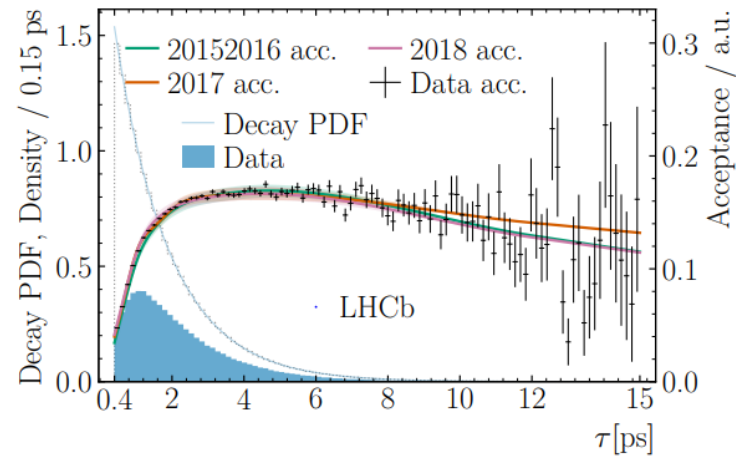
η : mistag estimation

Time dependent $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$ detector effects

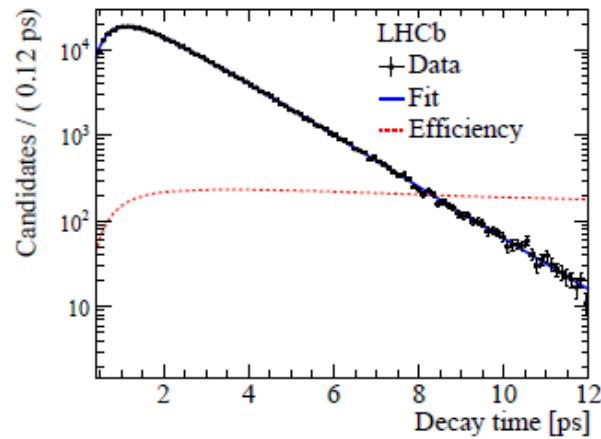
real data

time resolution

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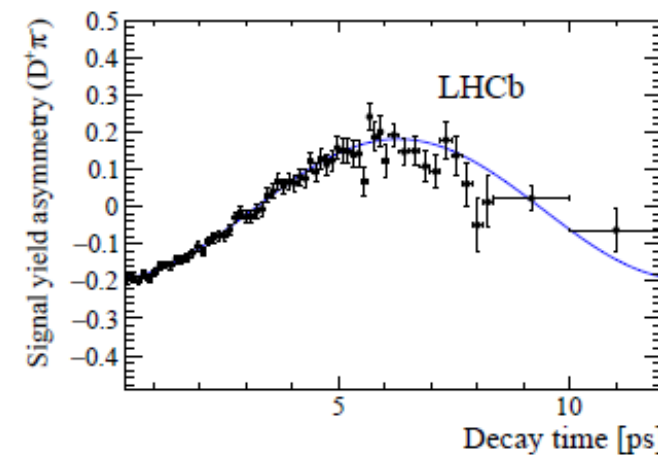
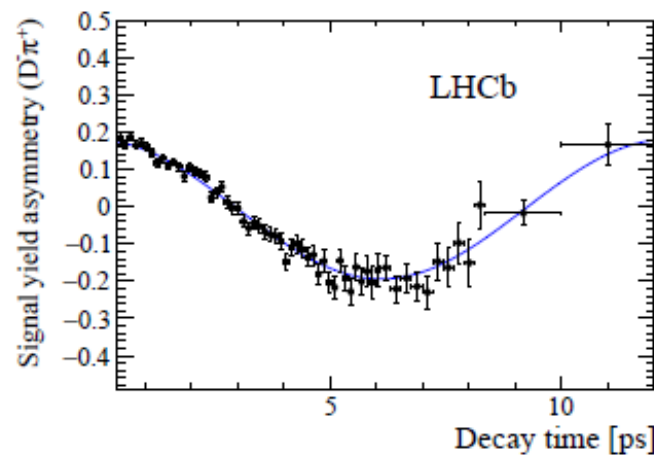


$B^0 \rightarrow D^+ \pi^-$



$$A_{sig} = \frac{N(B^0 \rightarrow D^\pm \pi^\mp) - N(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^\pm \pi^\mp)}{N(B^0 \rightarrow D^\pm \pi^\mp) + N(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^\pm \pi^\mp)}$$

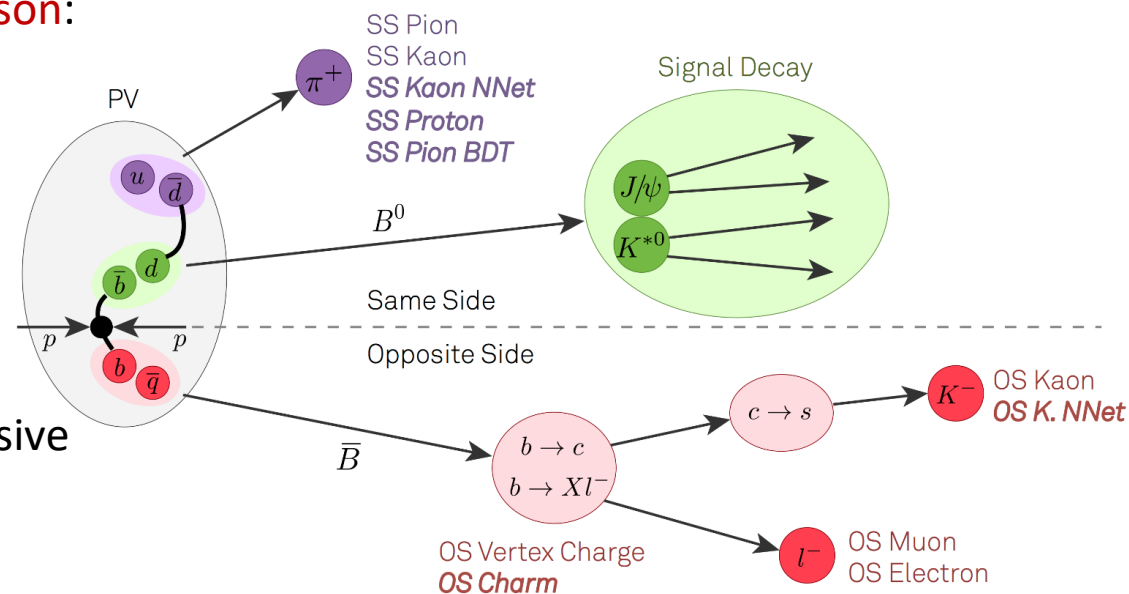
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tagging

- In LHCb we have two methods of tagging the **initial flavour of B-meson**:

- same side taggers (SS, about 37% B candidates):
 - search for the additional kaon or pion accompanying the fragmentation of the signal,
- opposite side taggers (OS, 79%) use:
 - charge of the lepton (e, μ) from semileptonic B decays,
 - charge of kaons from $b \rightarrow c \rightarrow s$ chain, charge of the inclusive secondary vertex reconstructed from b decay.
- 31% B mesons are tagged by two taggers.



$$\mathcal{E}_{tag} = \frac{N_{tagged}}{N_{tagged} + N_{untagged}} \approx 75\%$$

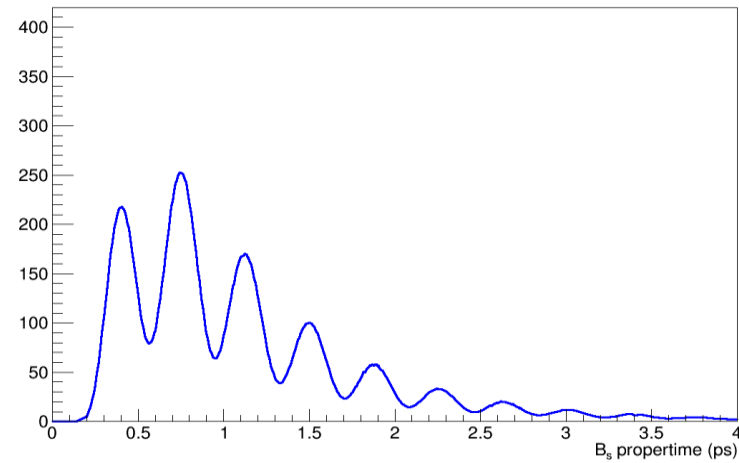
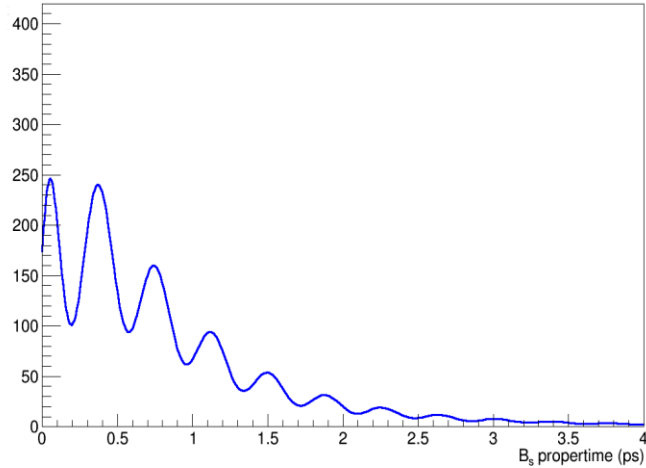
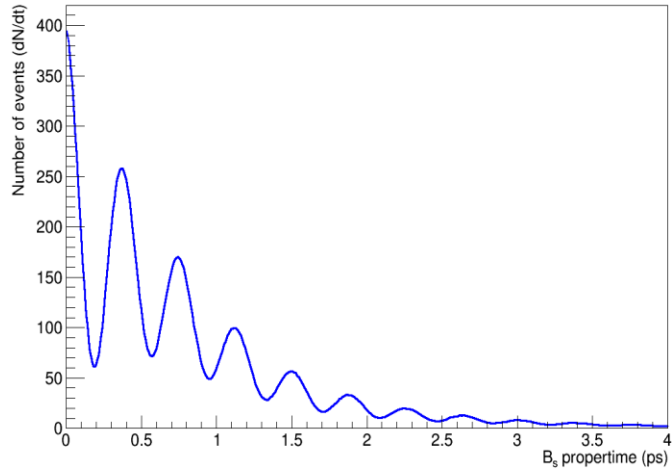
- The fitting parameters are diluted by: $A_{meas} = A_{th}(1 - 2\omega)$,
 - mistag probability $\omega = \frac{N_{wrong\ tagged}}{N_{tagged}}$, $\omega \in [0; 0.5]$;
 - effective tagging efficiency $\mathcal{E}_{eff} = \mathcal{E}_{tag}(1 - 2\omega)^2$ is above **5%**.

Time dependent $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- K^+$ detector effects

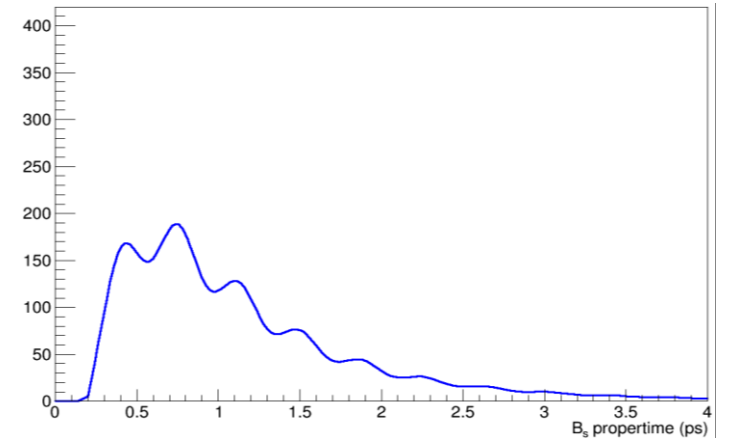
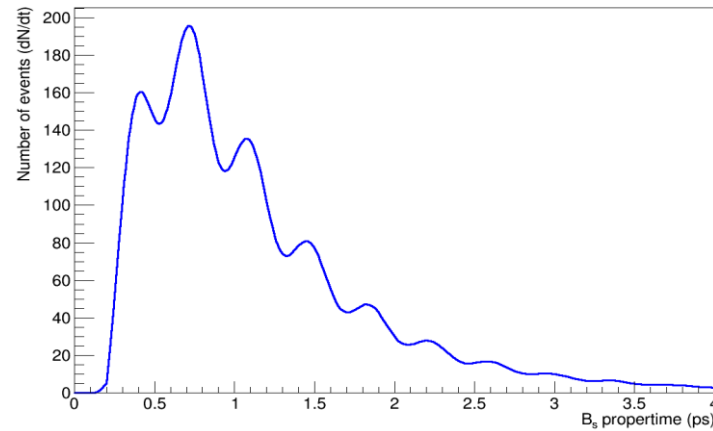
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time resolution

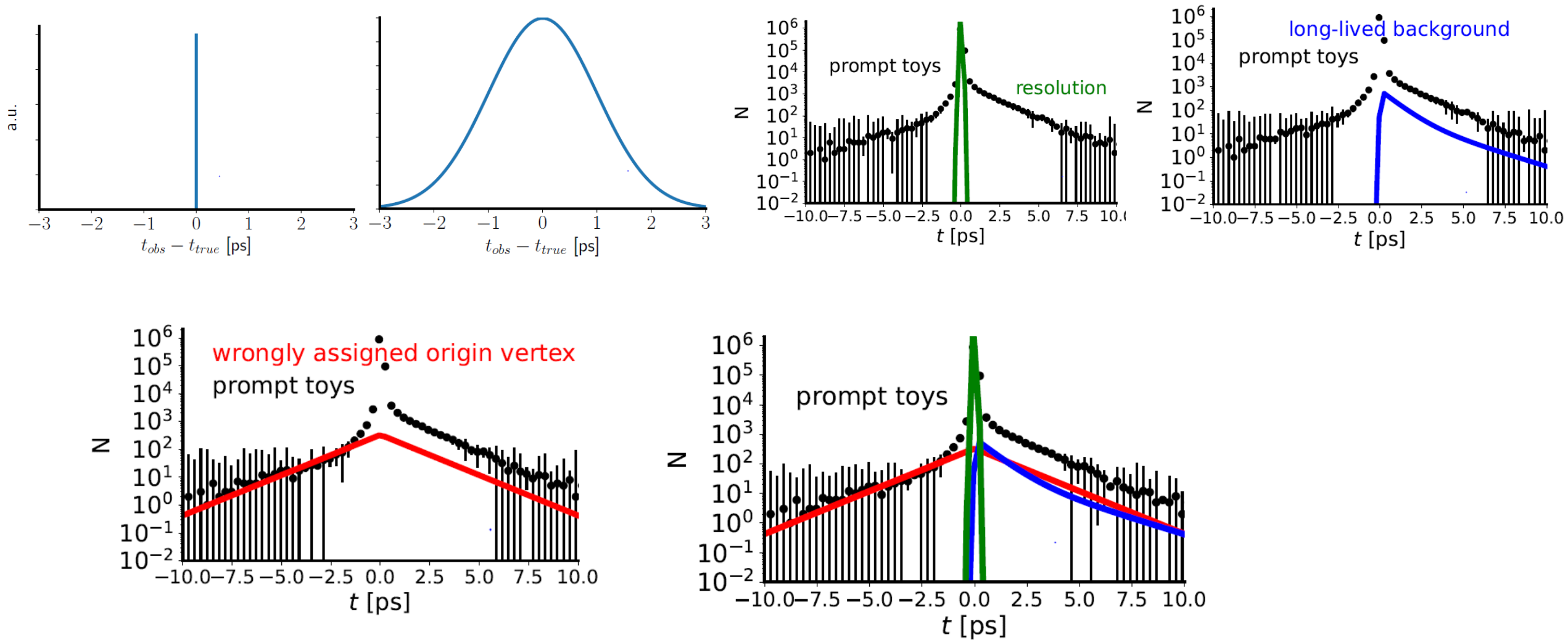
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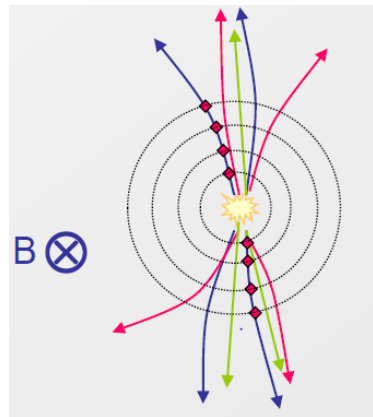


Time measurements - background



Measurement of the momentum

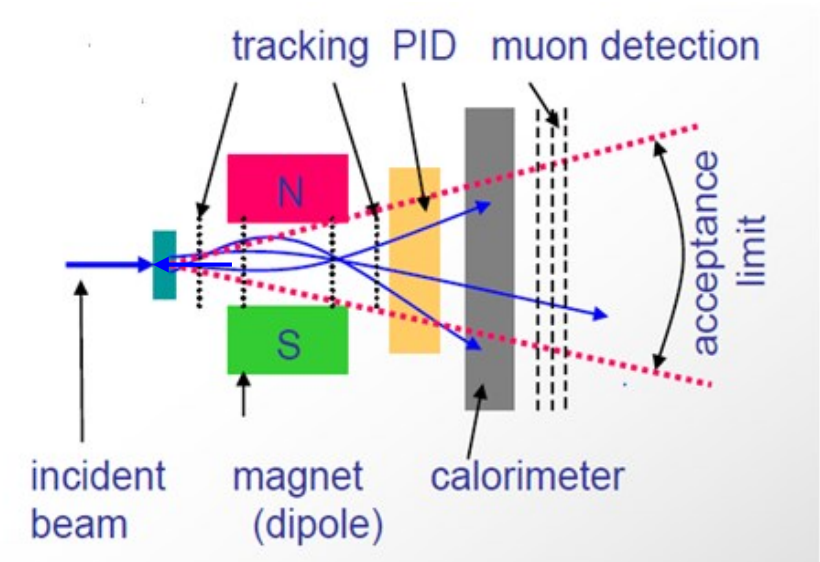
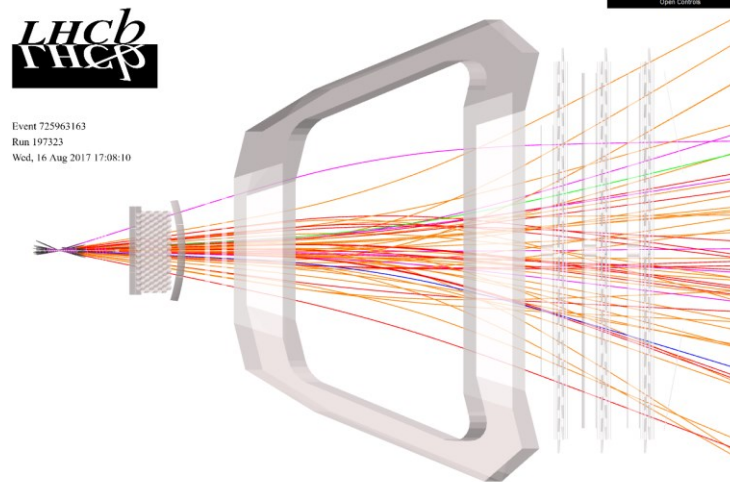
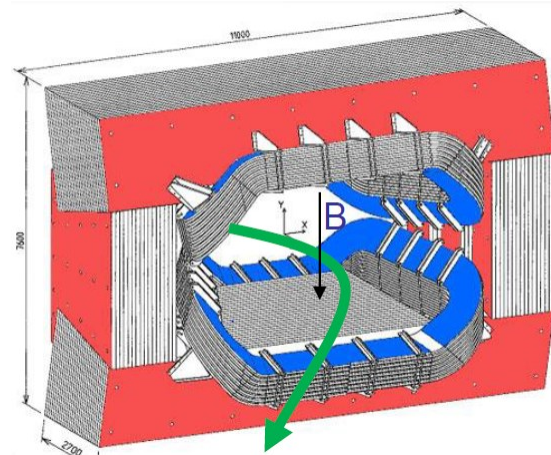
- Momentum p measured with the radius of curvature in a magnetic field



$$\vec{F}_L = q \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

$$F_L = F_d$$

$$qvB = \frac{mv^2}{R}$$

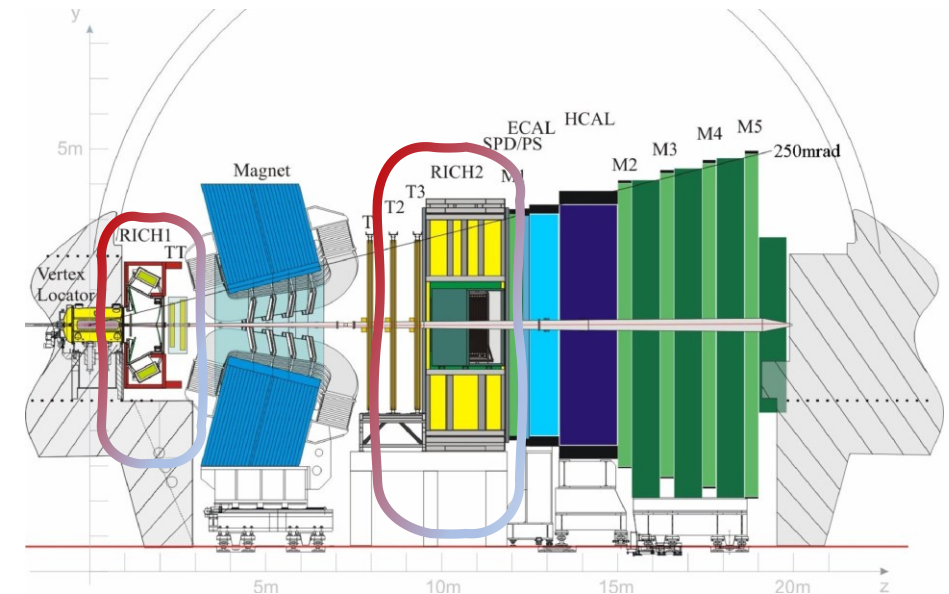


Identification



- We can identify stable particle, i.e. particles that do not decay in the detector volume, like π, K, p, e, μ
- Particles can have the same charge, spin and other properties.
- To distinguish them, one can use:
 - ✓ Particle mass – different particles have different mass.
 - ✓ Lifetime - different particles have different lifetimes.
 - ✓ Type of interaction with matter.

RICH – Ring Imaging Cherenkov radiation



Future of Heavy flavour physics – Upgrades

	Run I (2010-12)	Run II (2015-18)	Run III (2022-23)	Run IV-V (2025-28, >30)
Integrated Luminosity	3 fb ⁻¹	8 fb ⁻¹	23 fb ⁻¹	150 fb ⁻¹
Energy \sqrt{s}	7-8 TeV	13TeV	14 TeV	14 TeV

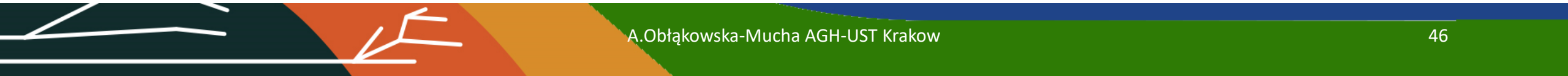
Upgrade of LHCb during LS2

LHCb up to 2018 $\geq 8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ @ 13 TeV:

- find or rule out the evidences of New Physics and sources of flavour symmetry breaking
- searches of rare decays and exotic states,
- physics in the forward region.

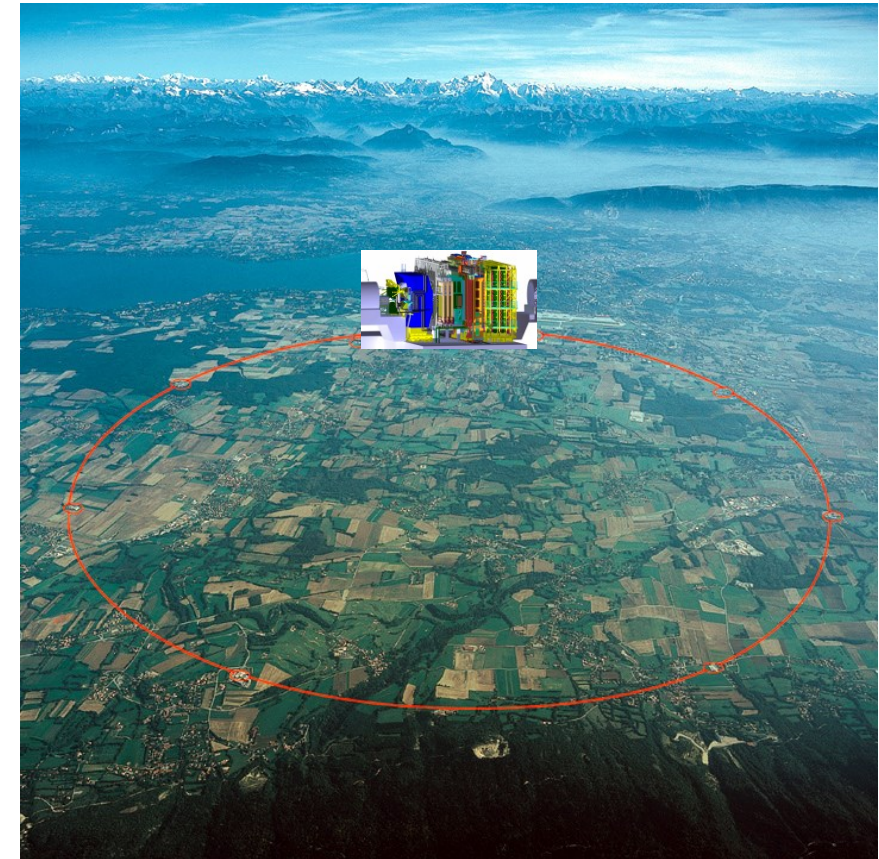
LHCb Upgrade + HL LHC $\geq 50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ @ 14 TeV:

- increase precision on quark flavour observables,
- aim – experimental sensitivities comparable to theoretical uncertainties,



Summary

- There is the Large Hadron Collider that accelerates and collides high-energy protons.
- LHCb spectrometer is designed to study quark transitions in weak interaction to explain matter-antimatter asymmetry and search for New Physics evidences.



Physics @ LHCb – zagadnienia

1. LHCb – eksperyment do precyzyjnych pomiarów w sektorze ciężkich kwarków.
2. Macierz CKM – parametryzacja Wolfensteina i trójkąty unitarności.
3. Związek między macierzą CKM a Modelem Standardowym.
4. Trzy sposoby łamania parzystości kombinowanej CP.
5. Metody obserwacji CPV – przykład eksperymentalny.
6. Czynniki wpływające na pomiar czasu życia i masy:
 - precyzja wyznaczenia wierzchołków (pierwotnych i wtórnych),
 - parametr zderzenia
 - możliwość pomiaru niskich pędów $250\text{-}500\text{ MeV}/c$ i $p_t < 500\text{ MeV}/c$
 - wyznaczenie pędów z precyzją $0.5\% \text{ - } 1\%$ (200 GeV)
 - czasowa zdolność rozdzielcza: 45 fs
 - identyfikacja hadronów w szerokim zakresie pędów (do 100 GeV), ok. 95% efektywności
 - znakowanie (tagging) zapachu mezonu, ok 5% efektywności

Heavy flavour physics - parameters

- We have two aims: either **confirm Standard Model** or/and find evidences of **Physics Beyond the SM**
- Decay rates are used for absolute BR measurements and observation of CPV in decays
- CKM matrix elements are obtained with:
decay rates measurement
angles....

V_{CKM} elements are complex numbers (absolute value and phase)
proportional to the transition amplitude between quarks

CKM matrix must be unitary, so we have conditions on its parameters:

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

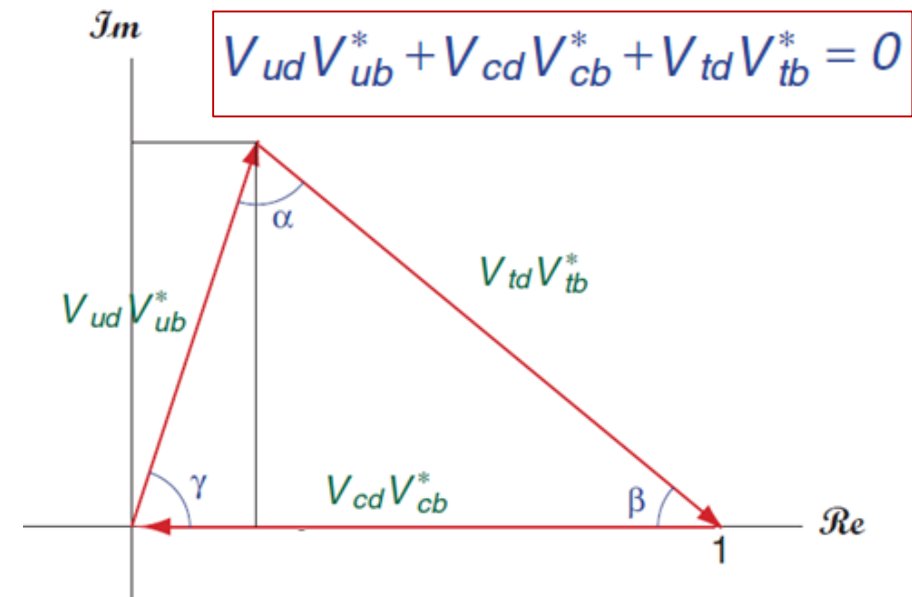
$$V_{us}V_{ub}^* + V_{cs}V_{cb}^* + V_{ts}V_{tb}^* = 0 \quad (+ 4 \text{ more})$$

and can be represented as triangles:

$$V_{ud}^*V_{td} + V_{us}^*V_{ts} + V_{ub}^*V_{tb} = 0$$

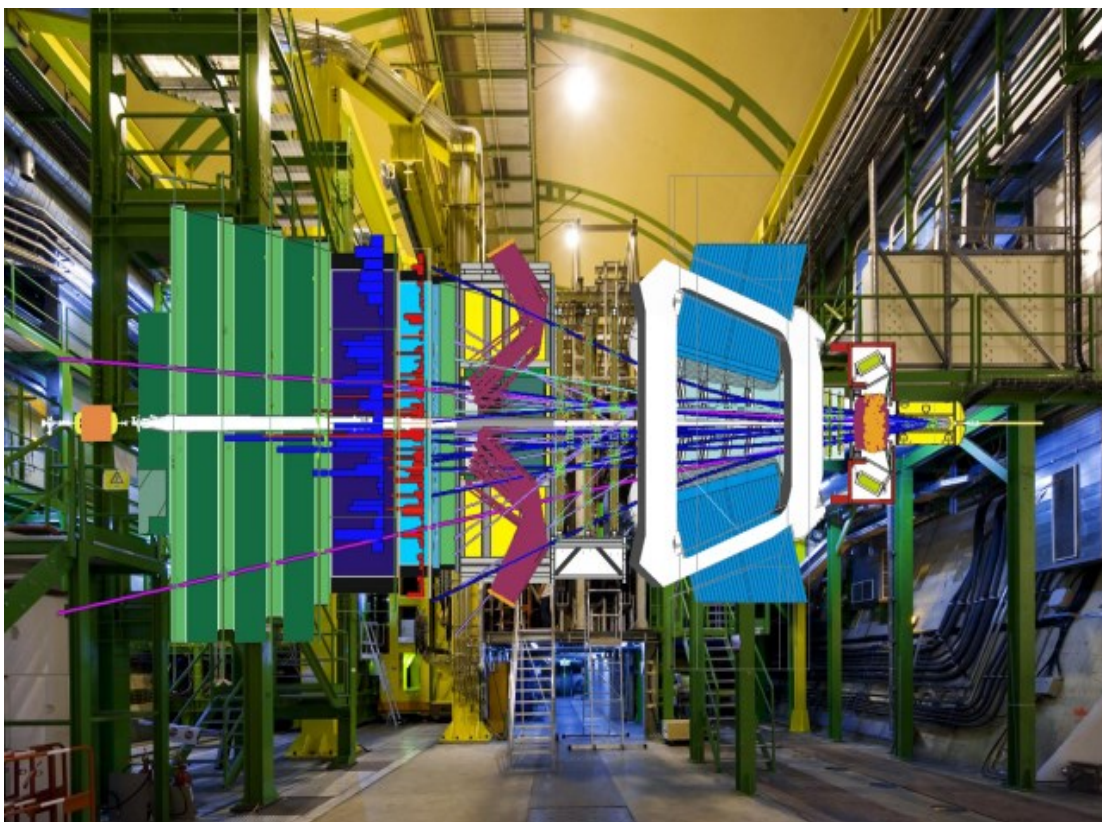
$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \lambda & \lambda^3 e^{-i\gamma} \\ -\lambda & 1 & \lambda^2 \\ \lambda^3 e^{-i\beta} & -\lambda e^{-i\beta_s} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



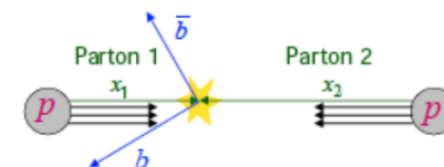
The detector dedicated for studying flavour physics at LHC.

Especially **CP violation** and **rare decays** of beauty and charm mesons.



Physics program:

- **CP Violation**,
- **Rare B decays**,
- B decays to charmonium and open charm,
- Charmless B decays,
- Semileptonic B decays,
- Charm physics,
- B hadron and quarkonia,
- QCD, electroweak, exotica ...



$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sigma_{b\bar{b}} &= (75.3 \pm 14.1) \mu b \\ \sigma_{c\bar{c}} &= (1419 \pm 133) \mu b \end{aligned} \right\} \sqrt{s}=7 \text{ TeV}$$

Excellent performance:

3 fb⁻¹ accumulated in RUN I, 3.26 fb⁻¹ in Run II;

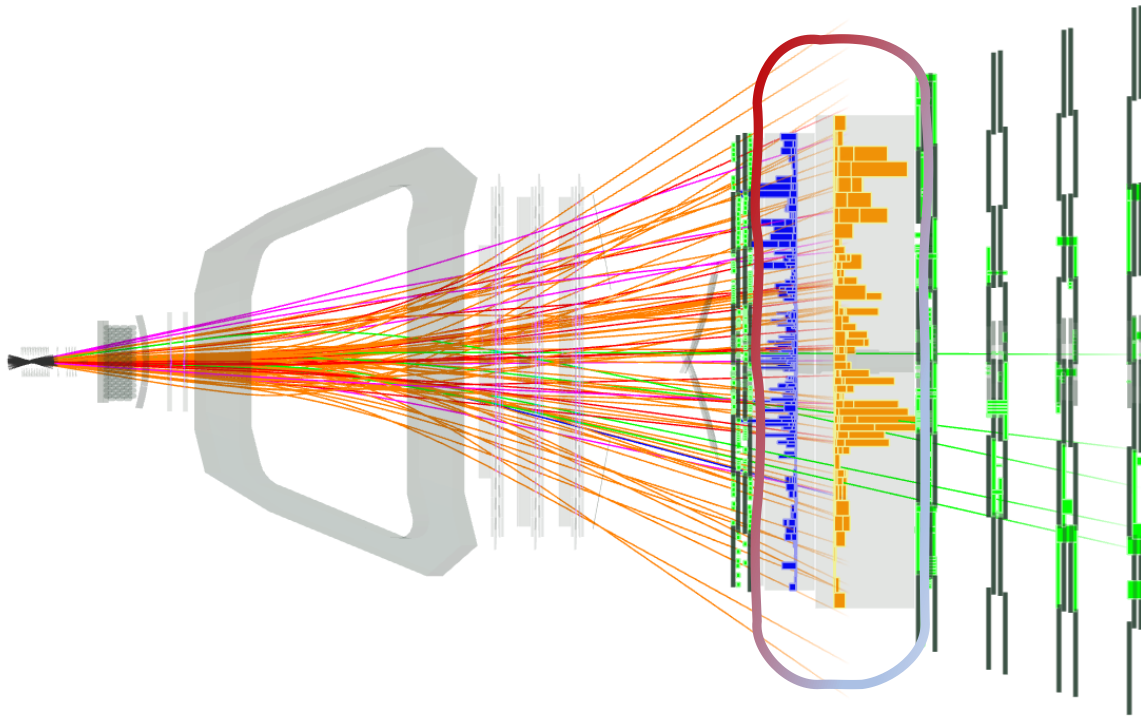
Excellent time (50 fs) and Impact Parameter resolution (20 μm);

Precise tracking: $\delta p/p \sim 0.5 - 1\%$ (up to 200 GeV);

Hadronic identification 2-100 GeV/c

Energy measurement

- Electromagnetic calorimeter used for the measurement of electron and photon energy
- Hadron calorimeter – helps to distinguish hadrons



CPV in Standard Model

CPV in Standard Model

Track reconstruction*

* see additional slides!