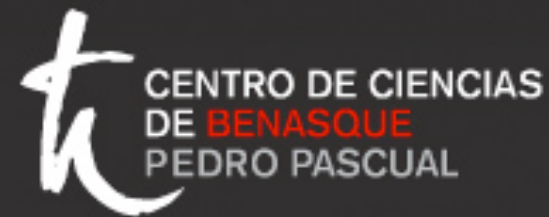




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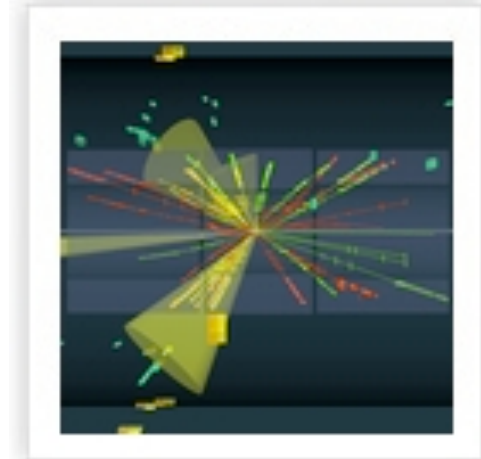
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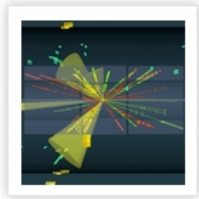


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### Outline of Course:

- Flavour physics, the core of the Standard Model
- Mixing and CPV in b-quark
- Mixing and CPV in charm
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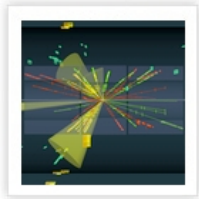


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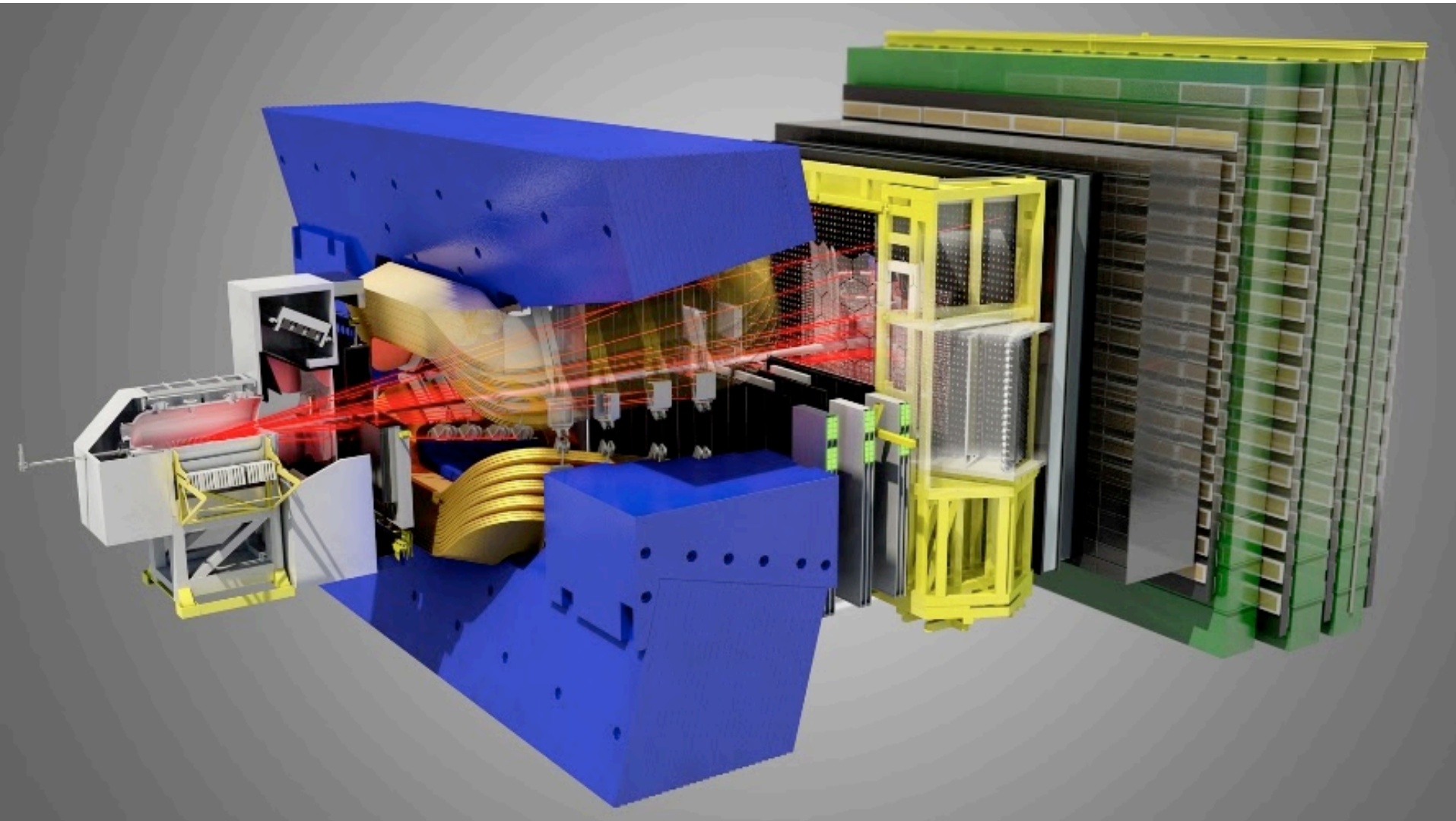
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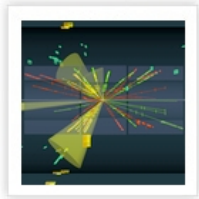
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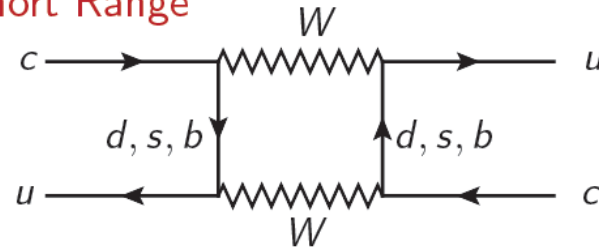


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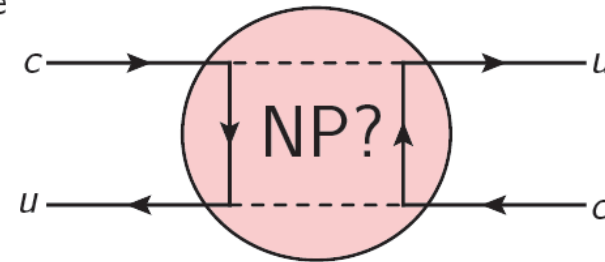
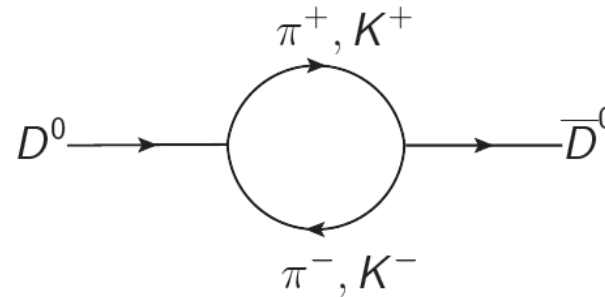
## Charm Mixing in the SM

- ▶ Only up-type quark system with mixing/CPV
- ▶ Mixing enters at 1 loop level in SM, GIM and CKM suppressed
- ▶ Non-perturbative long-range effects may dominate short-range interactions, difficult to calculate
- ▶  $x, y$  expected to be small in short and long range limits, CPV expected to be  $\mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$  in SM
- ▶ If enhancement of CPV is seen, could be caused by New Physics (NP)

### Short Range



### Long Range

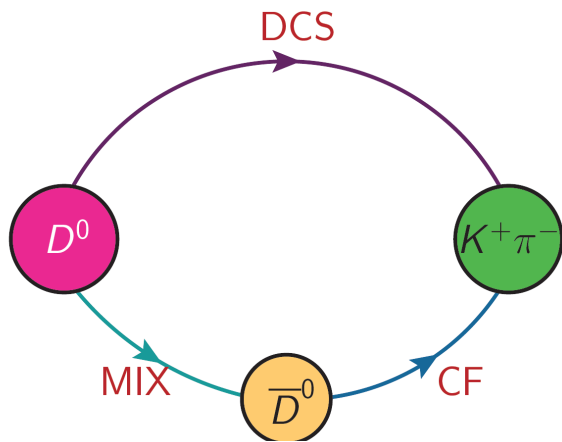


**Mixing Hamiltonian** :  $H = \mathbf{M} - i/2\mathbf{\Gamma}$  ( $2 \times 2$  matrices) induces mass eigenstates:

$$|D_{1,2}\rangle = p|D^0\rangle + q|\bar{D}^0\rangle \quad x = (m_2 - m_1)/\Gamma = \Delta m/\Gamma \quad y = (\Gamma_2 - \Gamma_1)/2\Gamma = \Delta\Gamma/2\Gamma \quad \Gamma = (\Gamma_2 + \Gamma_1)/2$$



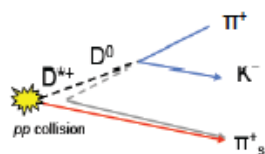
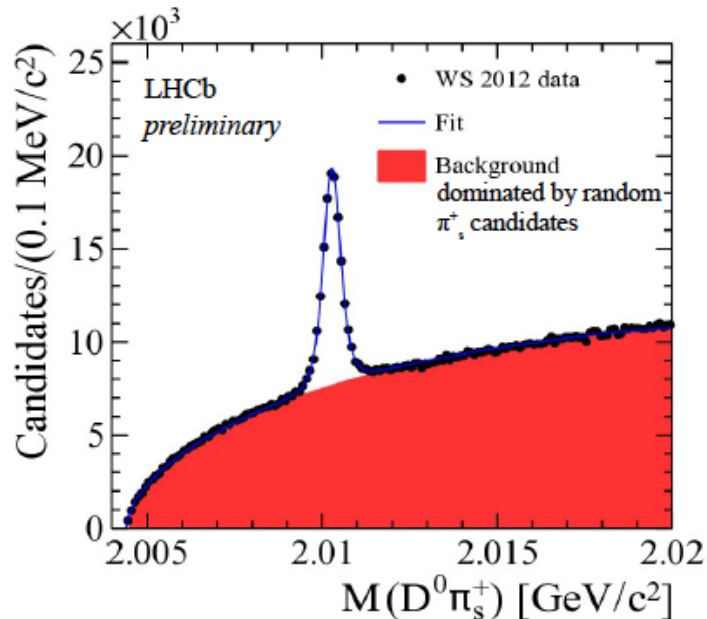
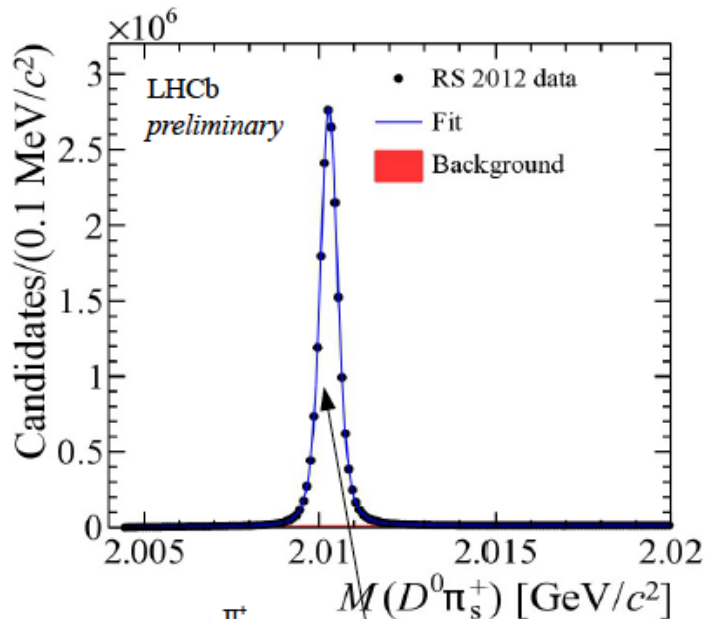
# D<sup>0</sup> mixing from prompt D<sup>\*+</sup> → D<sup>0</sup> π<sup>+</sup><sub>s</sub>



$D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 (K^- \pi^+) \pi_s^+$  ,  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 (K^+ \pi^-) \pi_s^+$   
 where pion charge tags D<sup>0</sup> flavour

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Mass resolution at ~  
 0.3 MeV/c<sup>2</sup> due to D<sup>\*</sup>  
 vertex being well  
 constrained to  
 measured PV position

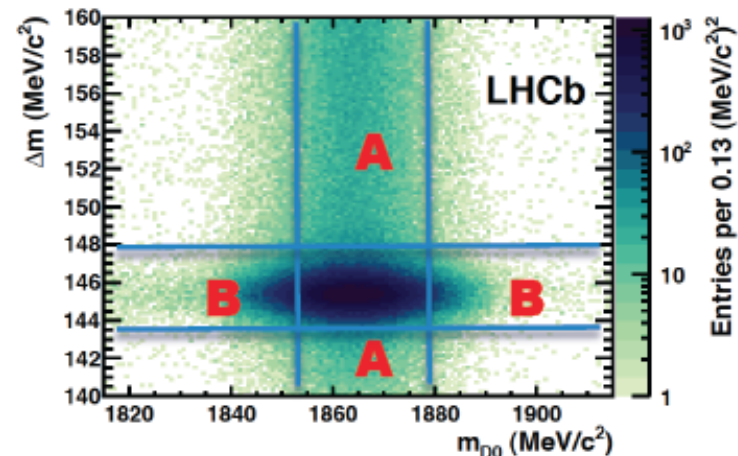
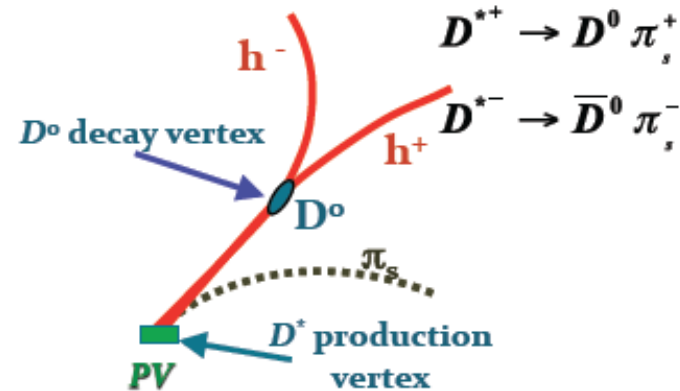
Example fits with part of full data. In  
 total ~54 M RS candidates and ~0.23 M  
 WS candidates are collected.

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# $D^{*0} \rightarrow D^0(f)\pi_s^+$ flavour tagging

## Background characterization

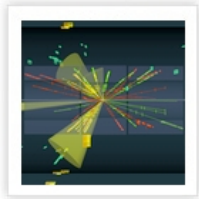
- The  $D^0$  flavour is determined by the sign of the slow pion in the decays  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0(f)\pi_s^+$
- Signal and background discrimination by the  $D^0$  invariant mass and delta mass ( $\Delta m = m_{D^{*+}} - m_{D^0}$ )
- Partially reconstructed charm background modelled using simulation



**A** random slow pion bkg  
**B** combinatorial bkg + specific bkg



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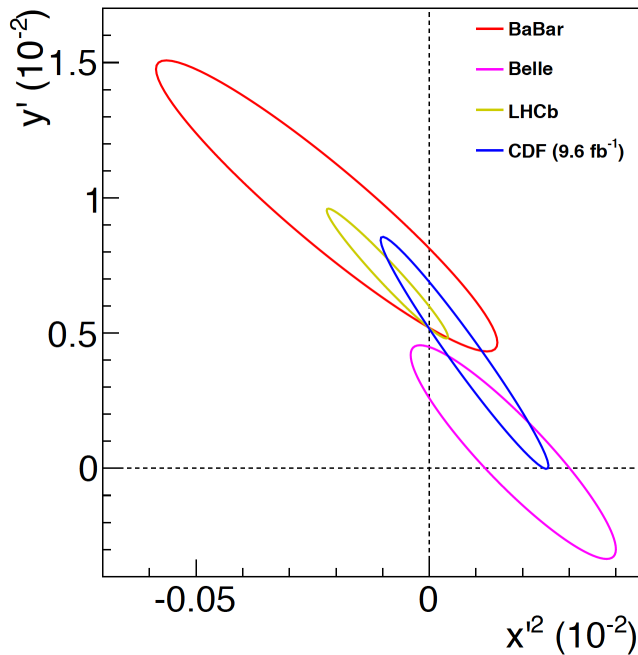


# Charm Mixing

Ratio of wrong-sign to right-sign decay rates:

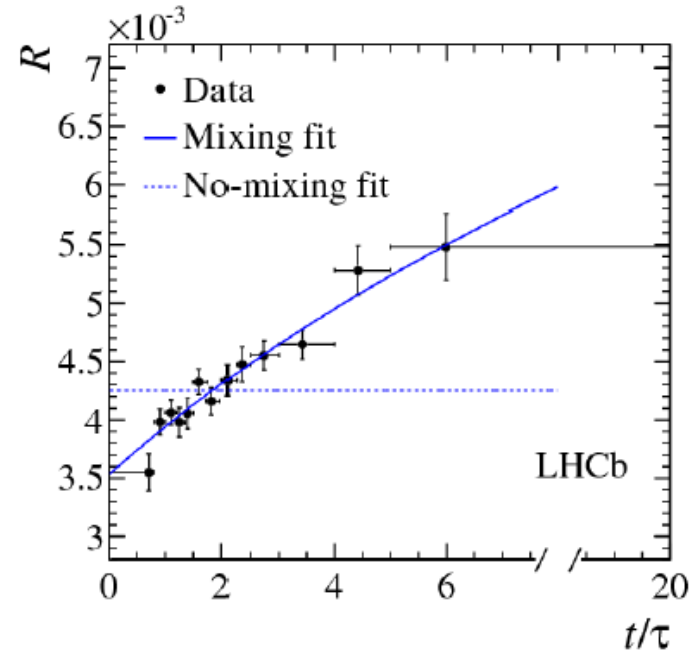
$$R(t) \approx R_D + \underbrace{\sqrt{R_D} y'}_{\text{interference}} \frac{t}{\tau} + \underbrace{\frac{x'^2 + y'^2}{4}}_{\text{mixing}} \left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)^2$$

decay
interference
mixing



$\delta$  strong phase difference between CF and DCS :  
 $x' = x \cos(\delta) + y \sin(\delta)$      $y' = y \cos(\delta) - x \sin(\delta)$

LHCb 1 fb<sup>-1</sup> datasample



CDF: 6.1  $\sigma$ ; CDF Public Note 10990,

LHCb: 9.1  $\sigma$ ; Phys. Rev. Lett 110 (2013) 101802

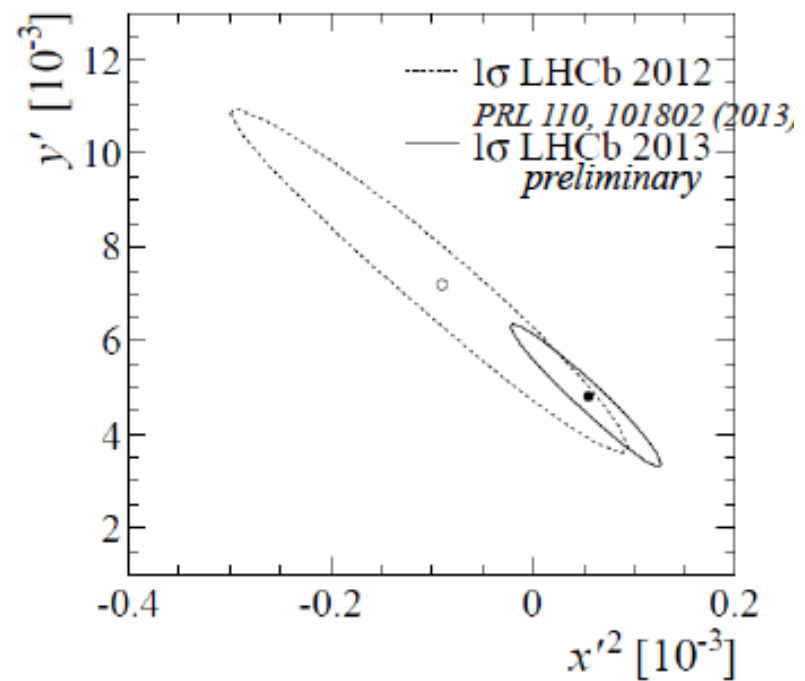
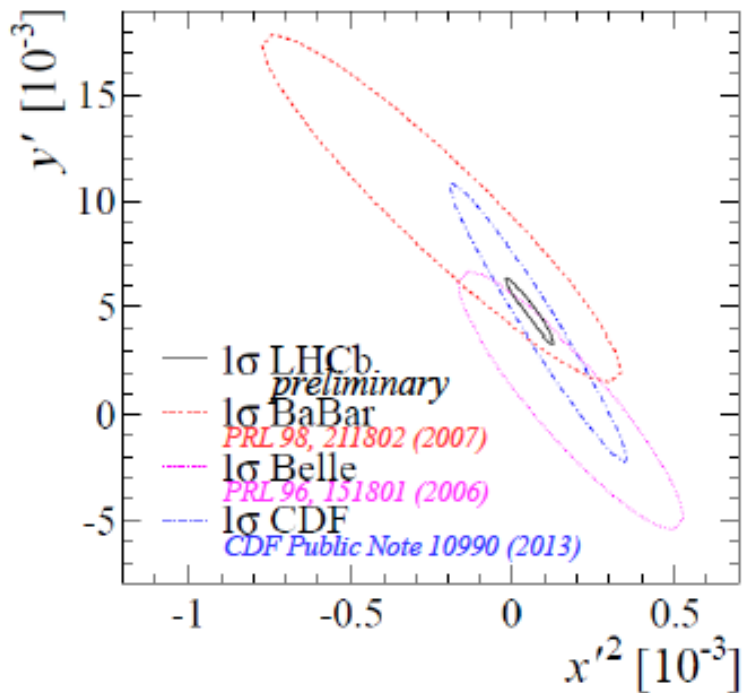
Babar: 3.9  $\sigma$ ; Phys. Rev. Let 98 (2007) 211802

Belle: 2.0  $\sigma$ ; Phys. Rev. Lett 96 (2006) 151801

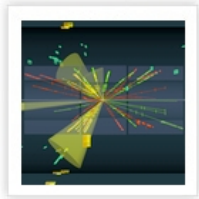
# Latest LHCb results on charm mixing

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- The current LHCb results are consistent with other results, and provide an update to the previous ones



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# CPV in charm mixing

- Allowing for CPV, the WS/RS ratios are expressed separately for  $D^0$  and  $\bar{D}^0$ :

- $$R^+(t) = R_D^+ + \sqrt{R_D^+} y'^+ t + \frac{(x'^+)^2 + (y'^+)^2}{4} t^2,$$
$$R^-(t) = R_D^- + \sqrt{R_D^-} y'^- t + \frac{(x'^-)^2 + (y'^-)^2}{4} t^2.$$

Mixing measurements on  $R_D^\pm$ ,  $x'^{2\pm}$ , and  $y'^\pm$  in  $D^{*\pm}$ , and look for the differences

$$x'^\pm = \left( \frac{1 \pm A_M}{1 \mp A_M} \right)^{1/4} (x' \cos \phi \pm y' \sin \phi)$$
$$y'^\pm = \left( \frac{1 \pm A_M}{1 \mp A_M} \right)^{1/4} (y' \cos \phi \mp x' \sin \phi)$$

$$A_D = \frac{R_D^+ - R_D^-}{R_D^+ + R_D^-}$$

CPV in WS decay amplitude  
**(Direct CPV)**

$$A_M = \frac{|q/p|^2 - |p/q|^2}{|q/p|^2 + |p/q|^2}, \quad \phi = \arg \left( \frac{q}{p} \right).$$

CPV in mixing / interference between mixing and decay

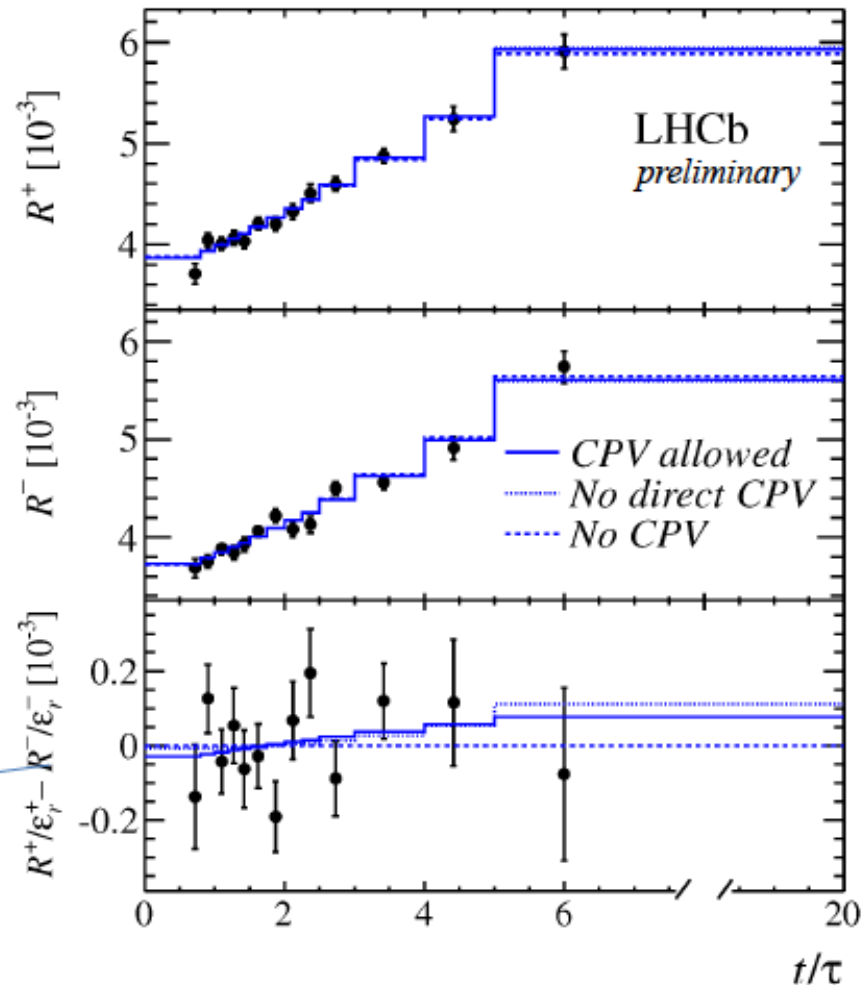


# LHCb results on charm mixing

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- Fits to the  $3\text{fb}^{-1}$  data for 3 different hypotheses on the CP symmetry

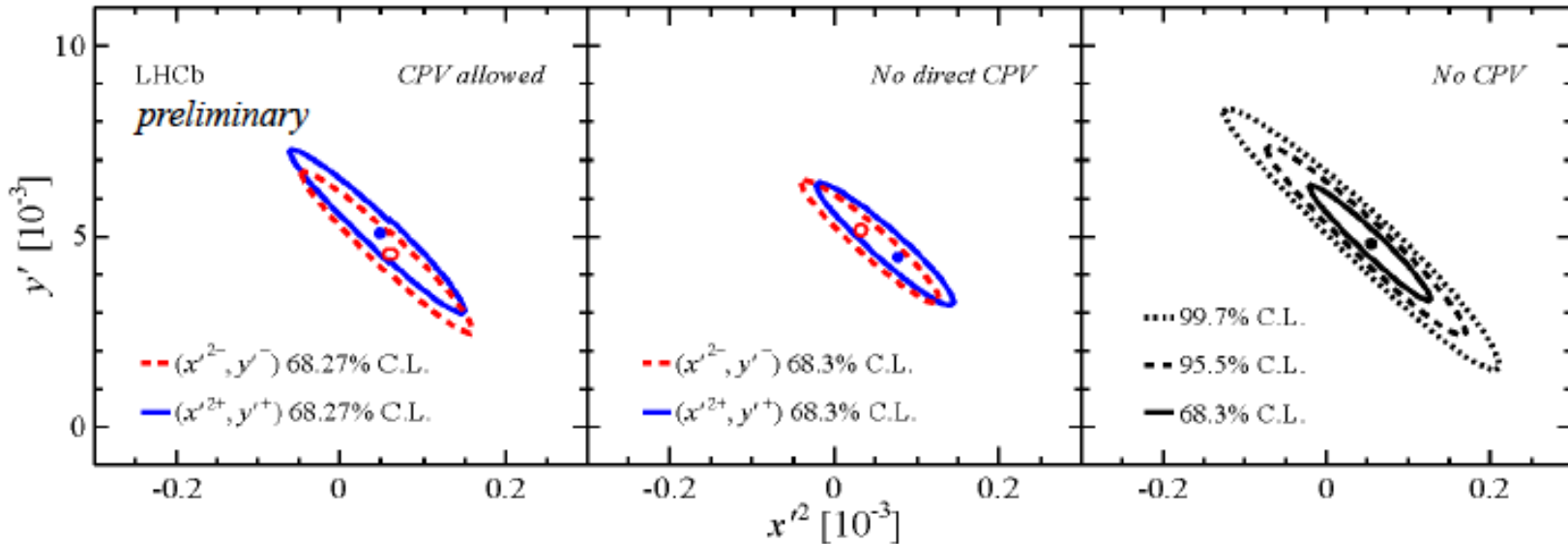
Efficiency corrected differences between the WS/RS ratios of  $D^{*\pm}$



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# LHCb results on charm mixing CPV

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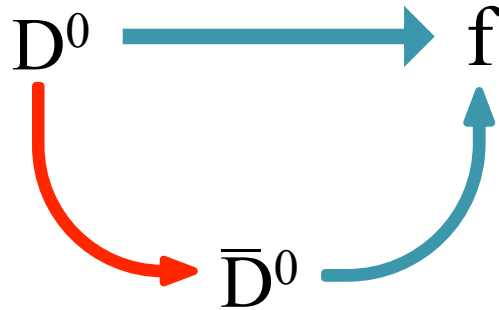


| LHCb preliminary                   |             |                   | Uncertainties are statistical and systematic combined |             |                   |                     |             |                   |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|---|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| Direct and indirect $CP$ violation |             |                   | no direct $CP$ violation                              |             |                   | no $CP$ violation   |             |                   |
| $R_D$                              | $[10^{-3}]$ | $3.568 \pm 0.066$ | $R_D$   | $[10^{-3}]$ | $3.568 \pm 0.066$ | $R_D$               | $[10^{-3}]$ | $3.568 \pm 0.066$ |
| $A_D$                              | $[10^{-2}]$ | $-0.7 \pm 1.9$    | $y'^+$  | $[10^{-3}]$ | $4.78 \pm 1.07$   | $y'$                | $[10^{-3}]$ | $4.81 \pm 1.00$   |
| $y'^+$                             | $[10^{-3}]$ | $5.1 \pm 1.4$     | $x'^{2+}$   | $[10^{-5}]$ | $6.4 \pm 5.5$     | $x'^2$              | $[10^{-5}]$ | $5.5 \pm 4.9$     |
| $x'^{2+}$                          | $[10^{-5}]$ | $4.9 \pm 7.0$     | $y'^-$  | $[10^{-3}]$ | $4.83 \pm 1.07$   | $\chi^2/\text{ndf}$ |             | $86.41/101$       |
| $y'^-$                             | $[10^{-3}]$ | $4.5 \pm 1.4$     | $x'^{2-}$   | $[10^{-5}]$ | $4.6 \pm 5.5$     |                     |             |                   |
| $x'^{2-}$                          | $[10^{-5}]$ | $6.0 \pm 6.8$     | $\chi^2/\text{ndf}$                                   |             | $85.99/99$        |                     |             |                   |
| $\chi^2/\text{ndf}$                |             | $85.87/98$        |   |             |                   |                     |             |                   |

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$$A_f(D^0 \rightarrow f)$$

$$\bar{A}_f(\bar{D}^0 \rightarrow f)$$



$$\lambda_f = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f} = -\eta_{CP} \left| \frac{q}{p} \right| \left| \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f} \right| e^{i\phi}$$

$\phi$  : phase difference between decay and mixing

$$\eta_{CP} = \pm 1$$

CP violation in MIXING

$$\left| \frac{q}{p} \right|^2 \approx 1 + A_m \quad \left| \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f} \right|^2 \approx 1 + A_d$$

DIRECT CP violation

- since  $x = \Delta m/\Gamma$ ,  $y = \Delta\Gamma/2\Gamma$  are very small, perturbations to single exponential are tiny
- they can be measured in precision experiments

$$\Gamma(D^0(t) \rightarrow f) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-\Gamma t} |A_f|^2 \left\{ (1 + |\lambda_f|^2) \cosh(\Delta\Gamma t) + (1 - |\lambda_f|^2) \cos(\Delta\Gamma t) + 2 \operatorname{Re}(\lambda_f) \sinh(\Delta\Gamma t) - 2 \operatorname{Im}(\lambda_f) \sin(\Delta m t) \right\}$$

$$\Gamma(\bar{D}^0(t) \rightarrow f) \quad \lambda_f \rightarrow 1/\lambda_f \quad \operatorname{Im} \lambda_f \rightarrow -\operatorname{Im} \lambda_f$$

# Charm indirect CPV observables

$$a_{CP}^{dir} = -\frac{1}{2}A_d \quad a_{CP}^{ind} = -\frac{1}{2}A_m y \cos\phi + x \sin\phi \quad \text{INDIRECT : particular theoretical interest}$$

Effective lifetime:  $1/\Gamma_{eff} \rightarrow$  fit to a single exponential parameter:  $e^{-\Gamma_{eff} t}$

$D^0$  and  $\bar{D}^0$  can be tagged at  $t=0$  (both at  $e^+e^-$  and hadron colliders)

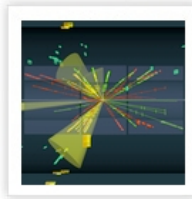
$$y_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma_{eff} + \bar{\Gamma}_{eff}}{2\Gamma} - 1 \approx \eta_{CP} \left[ \left(1 - \frac{1}{8}A_m^2\right)y \cos\phi - \frac{1}{2}A_m x \sin\phi \right]$$

$\rightarrow$  least affected by direct CPV

$$A_\Gamma = \frac{\Gamma_{eff} - \bar{\Gamma}_{eff}}{\Gamma_{eff} + \bar{\Gamma}_{eff}} \approx \eta_{CP} \left( -a_{CP}^{dir} y \cos\phi - a_{CP}^{ind} \right)$$

$\rightarrow$  a contribution from direct CPV still exists, at the level  $10^{-4}$

see M. Gersabeck et al. arXiv:1111:6515 (2012), A. L. Kagan and M. D. Sokoloff PR D80: 076008 (2009)



# Charm direct CPV

## Asymmetry in decay rate (time integrated):

$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(D^0) - \Gamma(\overline{D^0})}{\Gamma(D^0) + \Gamma(\overline{D^0})} \approx a_{CP}^{dir} - A_{\Gamma} \frac{\langle t \rangle}{\tau_D}$$

$\langle t \rangle$  : average decay time  
of the observed candidates

$$\frac{\langle t \rangle}{\tau_D} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 1 \text{ for B-factory experiments} \\ 2.083 \pm 0.001 \text{ for LHCb} \\ 2.53 \pm 0.02 \text{ for CDF} \end{array} \right.$$

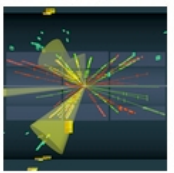
$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(K^+ K^-) - A_{CP}(\pi^+ \pi^-) \quad \text{reduce experimental systematic uncertainties}$$

$$\Delta A_{CP} = \Delta a_{CP}^{dir} \left( 1 + y \cos \phi \frac{\langle t \rangle}{\tau_D} \right) + \left( a_{CP}^{ind} + \overline{a_{CP}^{dir}} y \cos \phi \right) \frac{\Delta \langle t \rangle}{\tau_D}$$

small negligible

→  $\Delta A_{CP}$  : largely a measure of DIRECT CPV (while some contribution from indirect)





# $\Delta A_{CP}$ from $D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-$ decays

Time dependent asymmetry for  $D^0$  decays to a CP eigenstate :

$$A_{CP}(f;t) = \frac{\Gamma(D^0(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{D}^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(D^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{D}^0(t) \rightarrow f)} = a_{CP}^{dir}(f) + \frac{\langle t \rangle}{\tau} a_{CP}^{ind}$$



- Measure  $\Delta A_{CP}$  between  $D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-$  and  $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$  decays
- Assume equal decay time acceptance for  $K^+K^-$  and  $\pi^+\pi^-$
- Two datasets:
  - **Prompt** :  $D^{*+} \rightarrow (D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-) \pi^+_{soft}$
  - **Secondary** :  $B \rightarrow (D^0 \rightarrow h^+h^-) \mu^- X$

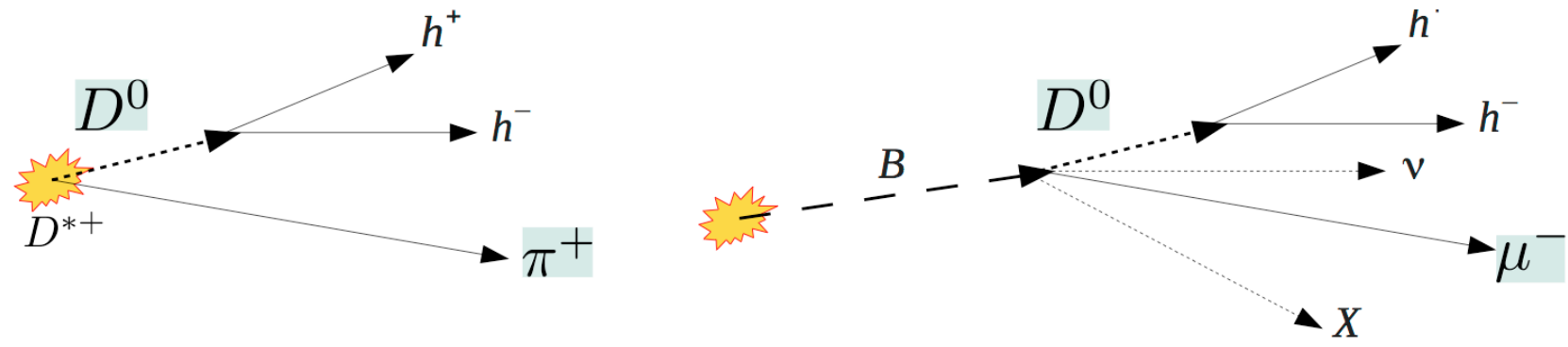
**Update**  
**New result**

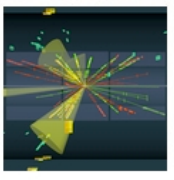
Little overlap  
 between them  
 (statistics and systematics)

- In both cases assume:

$$\Delta A_{CP} = A_{CP}(K^-K^+) - A_{CP}(\pi^-\pi^+) = \left[ a_{CP}^{dir}(K^-K^+) - a_{CP}^{dir}(\pi^-\pi^+) \right] + \frac{\Delta \langle t \rangle}{\tau_D} a_{CP}^{ind} \approx A_{raw}(K^-K^+) - A_{raw}(\pi^-\pi^+)$$

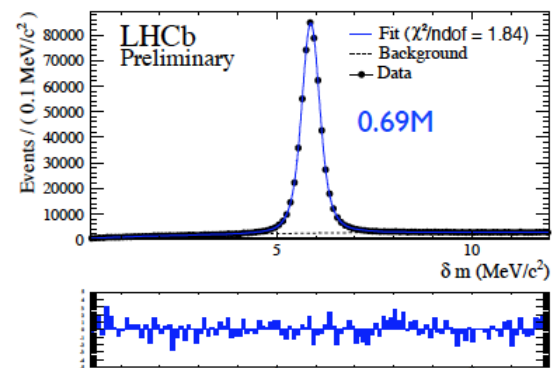
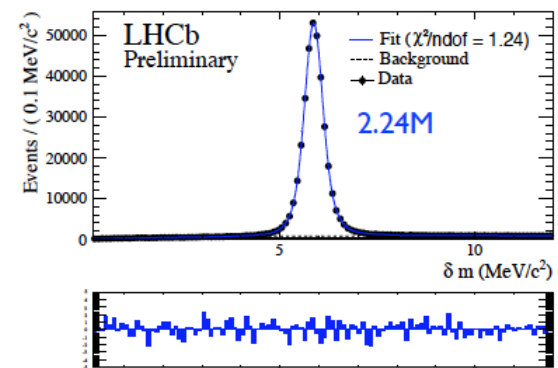
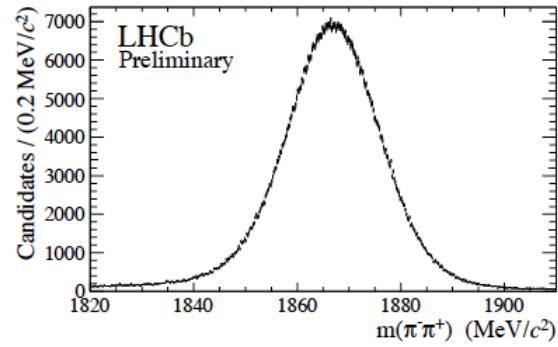
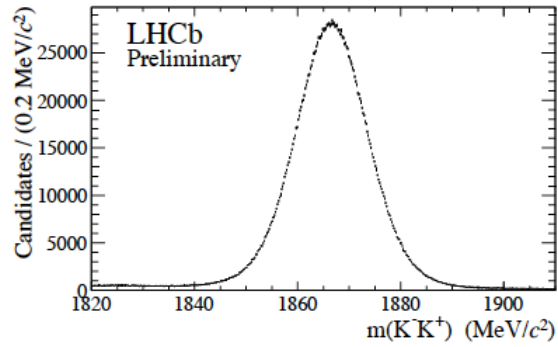
- Insensitive to indirect CP violation  $\rightarrow$  universal to both final states





# $\Delta A_{CP}$ from prompt $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+_s$

$$\Delta A_{CP} = \left[ a_{CP}^{dir}(K^- K^+) - a_{CP}^{dir}(\pi^- \pi^+) \right] + \frac{\Delta \langle t \rangle}{\tau_D}$$



$K^+ K^-$

$\pi^+ \pi^-$

Raw asymmetry given by:

- $A_{raw}(t) = A_{CP}(t) + A_D(t) + A_D(\pi_s^+) + A_P(D^{*+})$
- To first order  $A_D(f)=0$  with  $f$ =self-conjugate
- $A_D(\pi_s^+)$ , and  $A_P(D^{*+})$  depend on  $D^{*+}$  kinematics
- Soft pion constrained to primary vertex

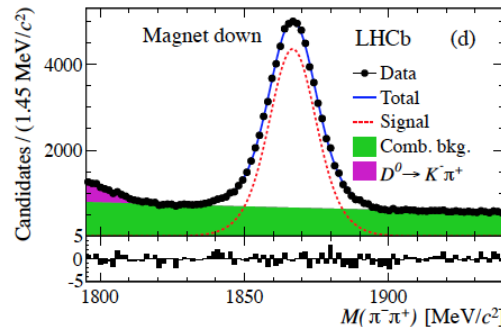
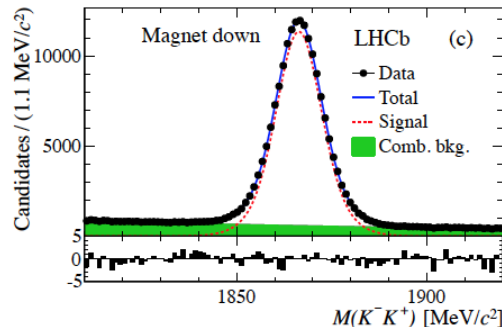
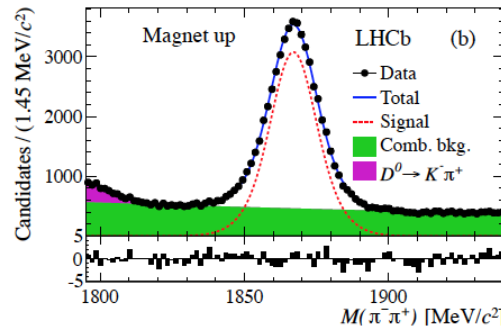
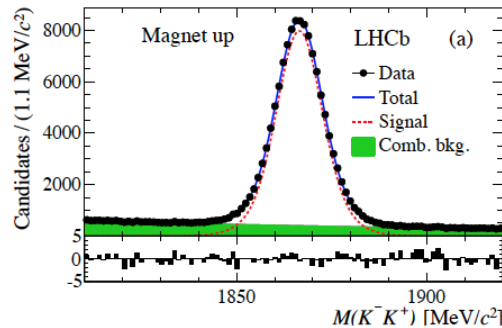
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$\Delta A_{CP} = -0.34 \pm 0.15$  (stat)  $\pm 0.10$  (syst) %

# $\Delta A_{CP}$ in $D \rightarrow h^+h^-$ from $B \rightarrow D^0\mu X$

## $D^0$ flavour tagged from the muon charge

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$K^+ K^-$  (559k)

$\pi^+ \pi^-$  (222k)

LHCb [ $1.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (2011)]  $\Delta A_{CP} =$   
 (+0.49 ± 0.30 (stat) ± 0.14 (syst))%

It does not confirm the direct CPV  
 observed in other analyses

- Raw asymmetry can be approximated to  $A_{raw} = A_{CP} + A_D^\mu + A_P^B$
- $A_P^B$  is the  $b/\bar{b}$  production asymmetry, independent of the final state particles
- Re-weight  $D^0(p_T, \eta)$  distributions to account for differences in  $A_D^\mu$  between the  $\pi\pi$  and  $KK$  final states



# Combined $\Delta A_{CP}$ from $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ LHCb

- **Naive LHCb combination** (assuming negligible indirect CPV):

|                  |                             |               |
|------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| $D^{*+}$ -tagged | $-0.34 \pm 0.15 \pm 0.10\%$ | (preliminary) |
| Muon-tagged      | $+0.49 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.14\%$ |               |
| Combination      | $-0.15 \pm 0.16\%$          | (preliminary) |

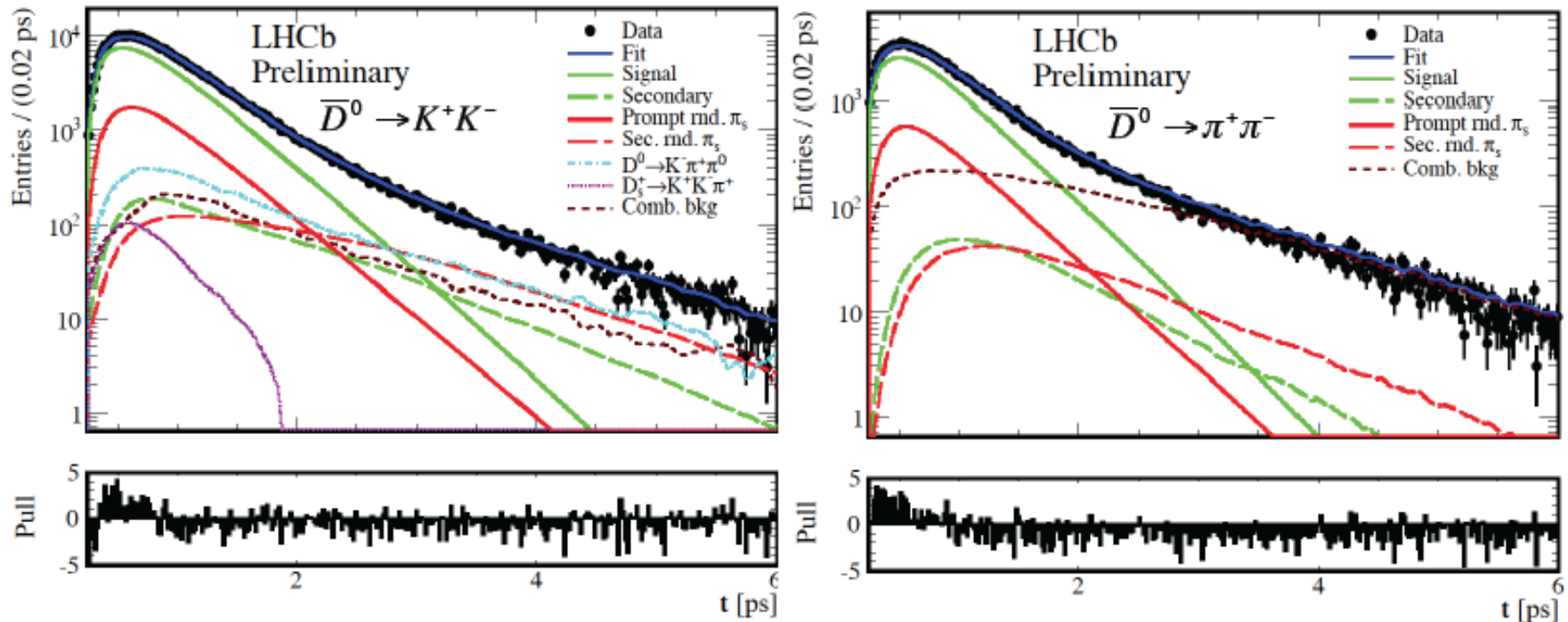
- The results are  $2.2\sigma$  apart (compatible at 3% level)
- More on tape -- total of  $3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  recorded before LSI
- Work in progress to isolate  $A_{CP}(\pi^+ \pi^-)$  and  $A_{CP}(K^+ K^-)$

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# $A_{\Gamma}$ results : $D^0$ lifetime fit

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- Measurement of the lifetime for each final state and each  $D^0$  flavour



$$A_{\Gamma}(KK) = (-0.35 \pm 0.62_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.12_{\text{syst}}) 10^{-3} \quad \text{LHCb}$$

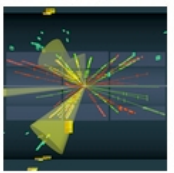
$$A_{\Gamma}(\pi\pi) = (0.33 \pm 1.06_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.14_{\text{syst}}) 10^{-3} \quad \text{preliminary}$$

No evidence for CP violation

No difference between the two final states

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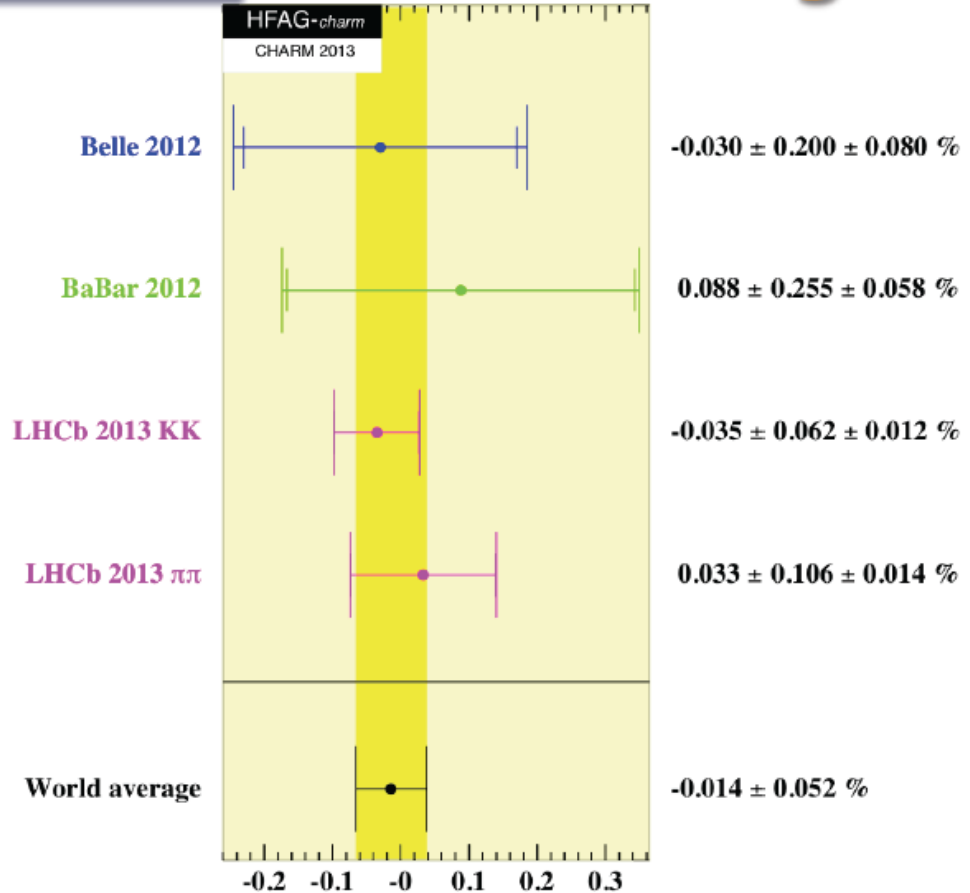
# HFAG average for $A_\Gamma$

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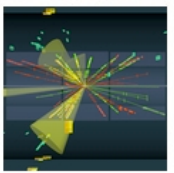
New

## HFAG Average for $A_\Gamma$

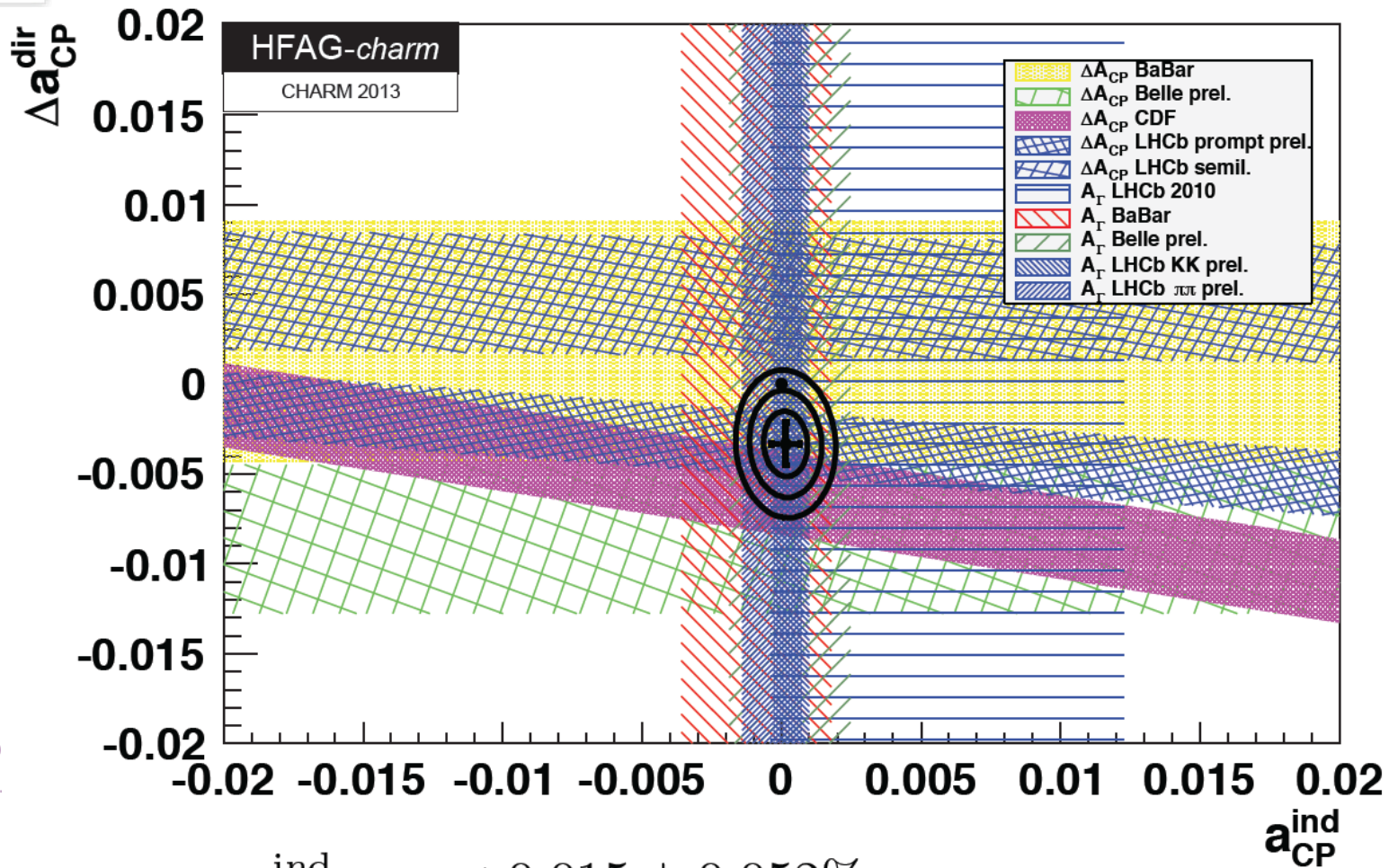


If  $A_\Gamma \neq 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  CP violation

S. Borghi at CHARM 2013



# $a_{CP}^{dir}$ versus $a_{CP}^{ind}$ in $D^0$ meson



$$a_{CP}^{ind} = +0.015 \pm 0.052\%$$

$$a_{CP}^{dir} = -0.333 \pm 0.120\%$$

Compatible with no CPV at 2.0% CL

M. Charles at CHARM 2013 Manchester

# Direct CPV in $D^+ \rightarrow \Phi\pi^+ / K^0_S\pi^+$

## Searches for CPV in $D^+ \rightarrow \Phi\pi^+$

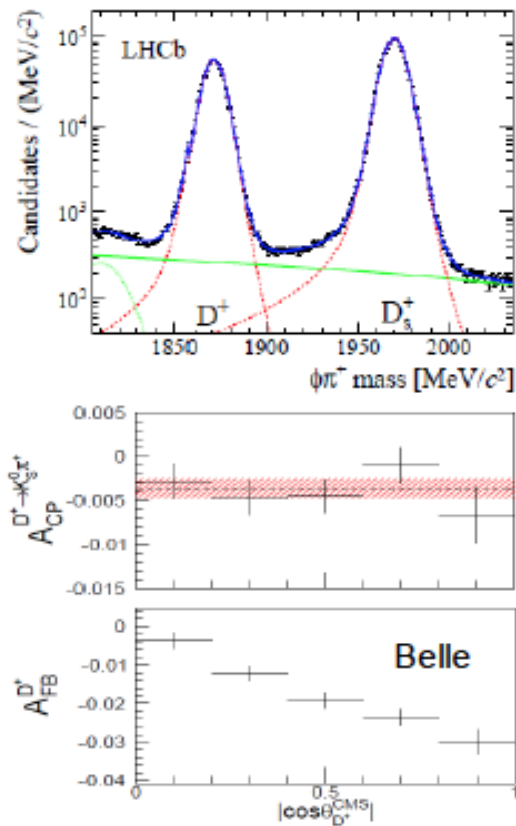
$(-0.04 \pm 0.14 \pm 0.14)\%$  **LHCb** [JHEP 06 (2013) 112]  
 $(+0.51 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.05)\%$  **Belle** [PRL 108 (2012) 071801]  
 $(-0.3 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.5)\%$  **BaBar** [PRD 87 (2012) 052010]

## Searches for CPV in $D^+ \rightarrow K^0_S\pi^+$

$(-0.363 \pm 0.094 \pm 0.067)\%$  **Belle** [PRL 109 (2012) 021601]  
 $(-0.44 \pm 0.13 \pm 0.10)\%$  **BaBar** [PRD 83 (2011) 071103]

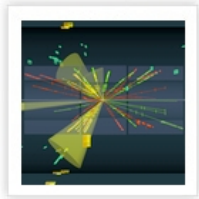
This is significant! *But* it is driven by  $K^0$  CPV, and value is entirely consistent with this single source

(Also see JHEP 02 (2013) 098 for  $K^0_S K^+$  result)

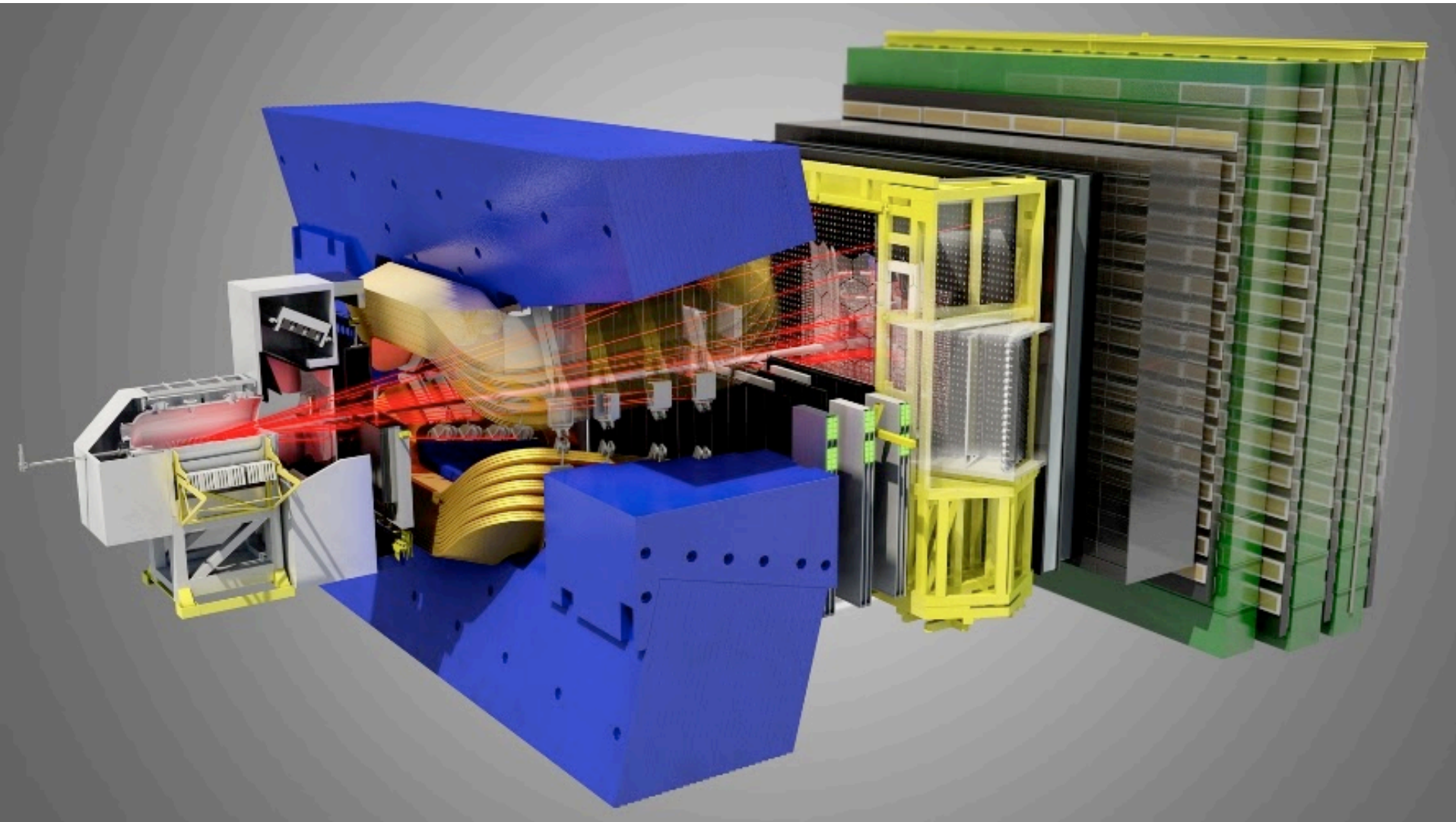


Even in SCS modes searches now at per-mille precision. Prospects of direct CPV revealing clear sign of NP receding. But still of *great* interest to find a non-0 signal.

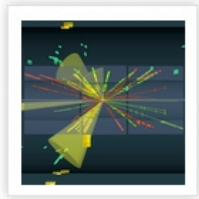
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# Rare decays





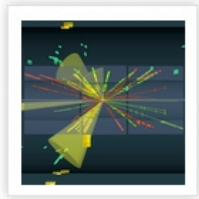


# Rare decays

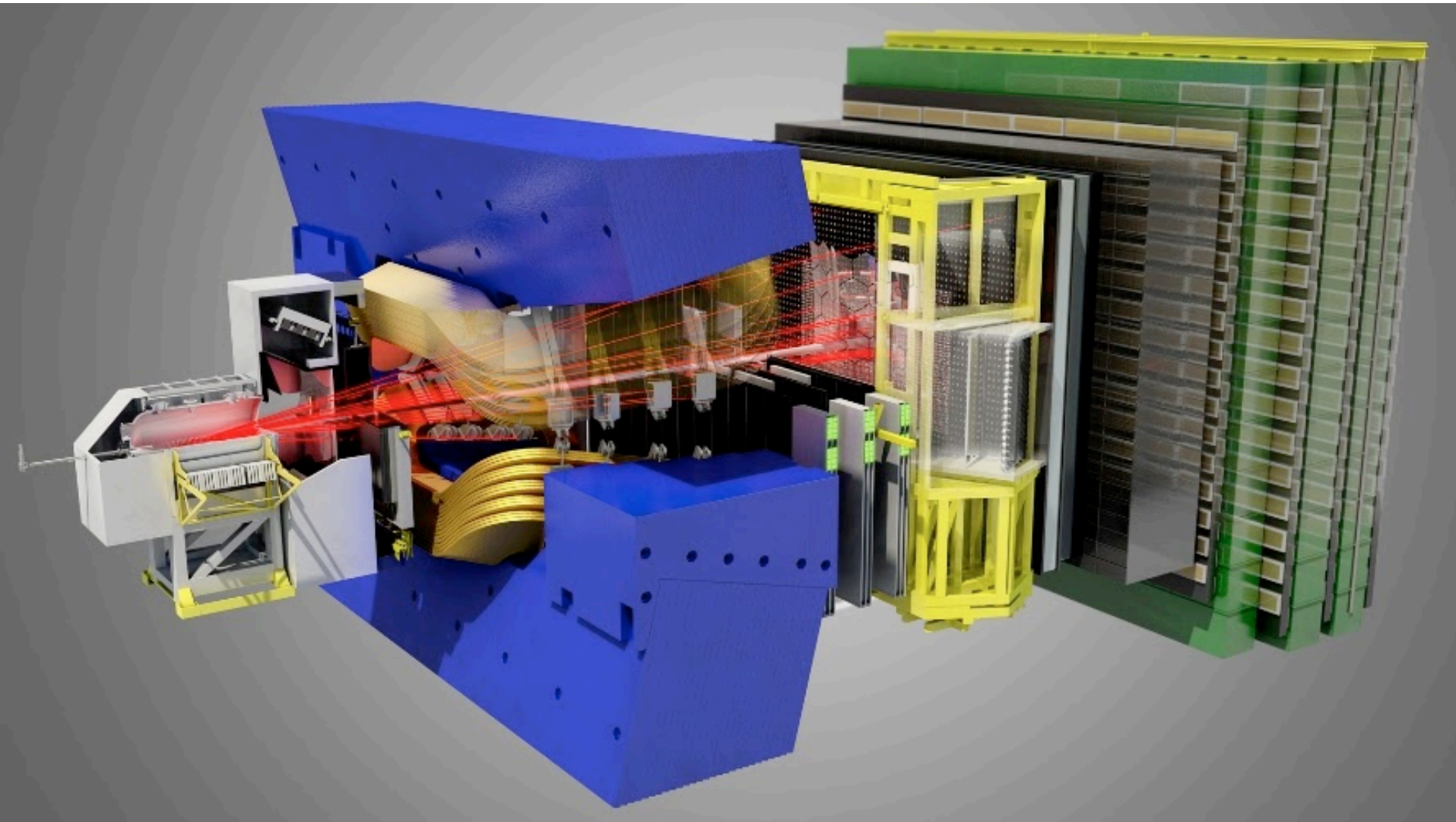
## Rare decays probe fundamental principles of the SM

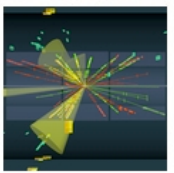
- $B_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$
- $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$  transitions  
 $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*1+1-}, B^+ \rightarrow K^{+1+1-}, B_s \rightarrow \phi^{1+1-}, \Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda\mu^+\mu^-, B^0 \rightarrow X_s^{1+1-}$
- $B \rightarrow K\pi\pi\gamma$
- $B_{(s)} \rightarrow e^+\mu^-$
  
- $D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$
- $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+\mu^+\mu^-$
- $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^-\mu^+\mu^+$
  
- $\tau^- \rightarrow \mu^-\mu^+\mu^-$
- $\tau^- \rightarrow p\mu^-\mu^-, \tau^- \rightarrow p\mu^+\mu^-$





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





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

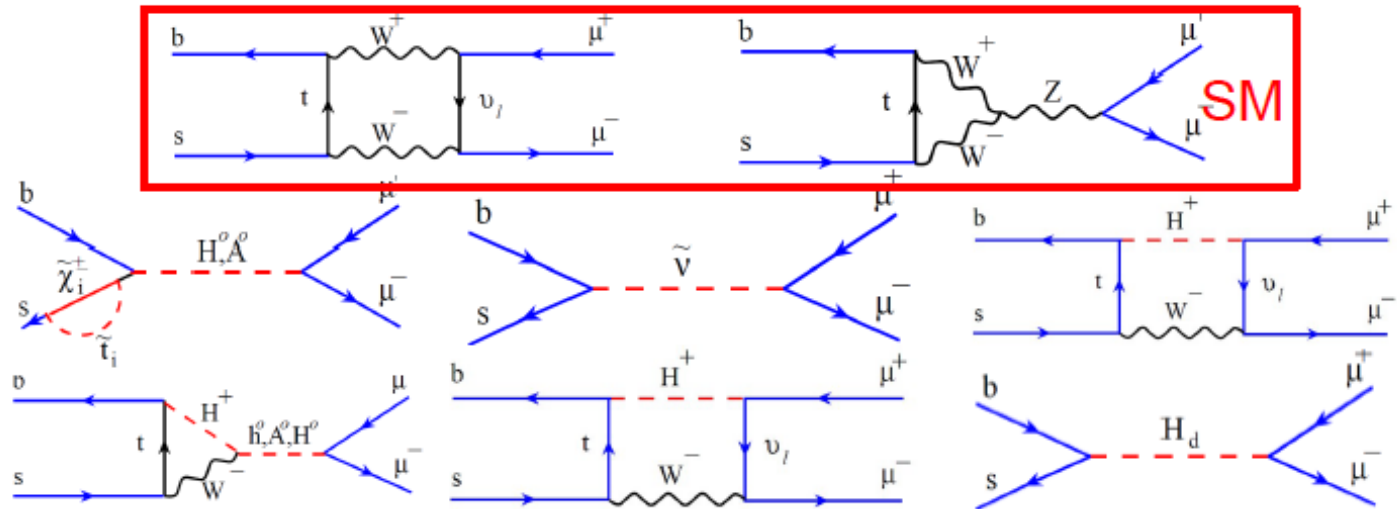
The two very rare decays  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  and  $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  have drawn much interest !

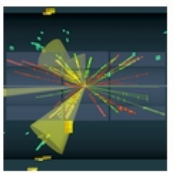
Easy to predict SM branching fraction with great precision

$$\text{BF}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{\text{SM}} = 3.56 \pm 0.30 \times 10^{-9} \text{ (time averaged)}$$

$$\text{BF}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)_{\text{SM}} = 0.10 \pm 0.01 \times 10^{-9}$$

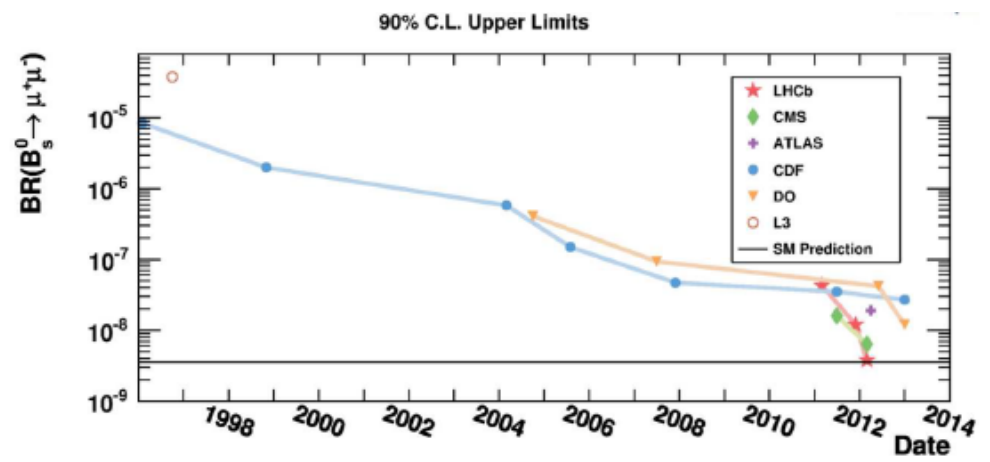
Sensitive to the scalar sector of flavour couplings



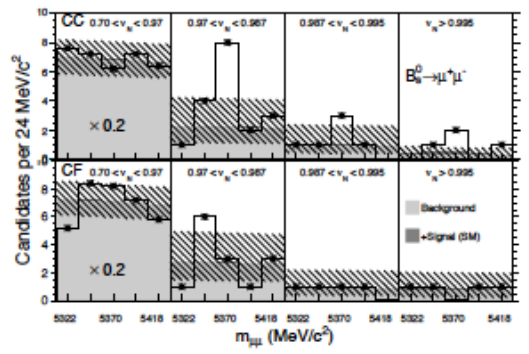


# Quest for $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

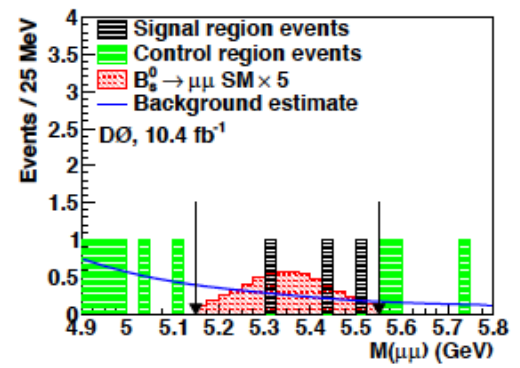
- LHCb: Phys Rev Lett 110 (2013) 021801 ( $2.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
  - CMS: J. High Energy Phys 04 (2012) 033 ( $5.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
  - ATLAS: ATLAS-CONF-2013-076 ( $5.0 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
  - CDF: Phys. Rev. D 87, 072003 (2013) ( $9.7 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
  - D0: Phys. Rev. D 87 07.2006 (2013) ( $10.4 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- S. Hansemann-Menzemer at EPS2013



CC: two central muons  
CF: one forward muon

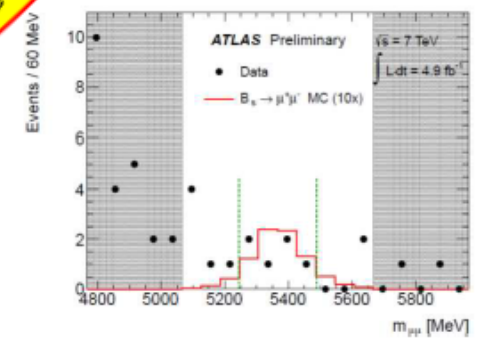


95% CL:  
 $\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 3.1 \times 10^{-8}$

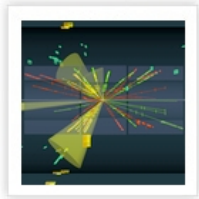


95% CL:  
 $\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 1.5 \times 10^{-8}$

new @ EPS2013

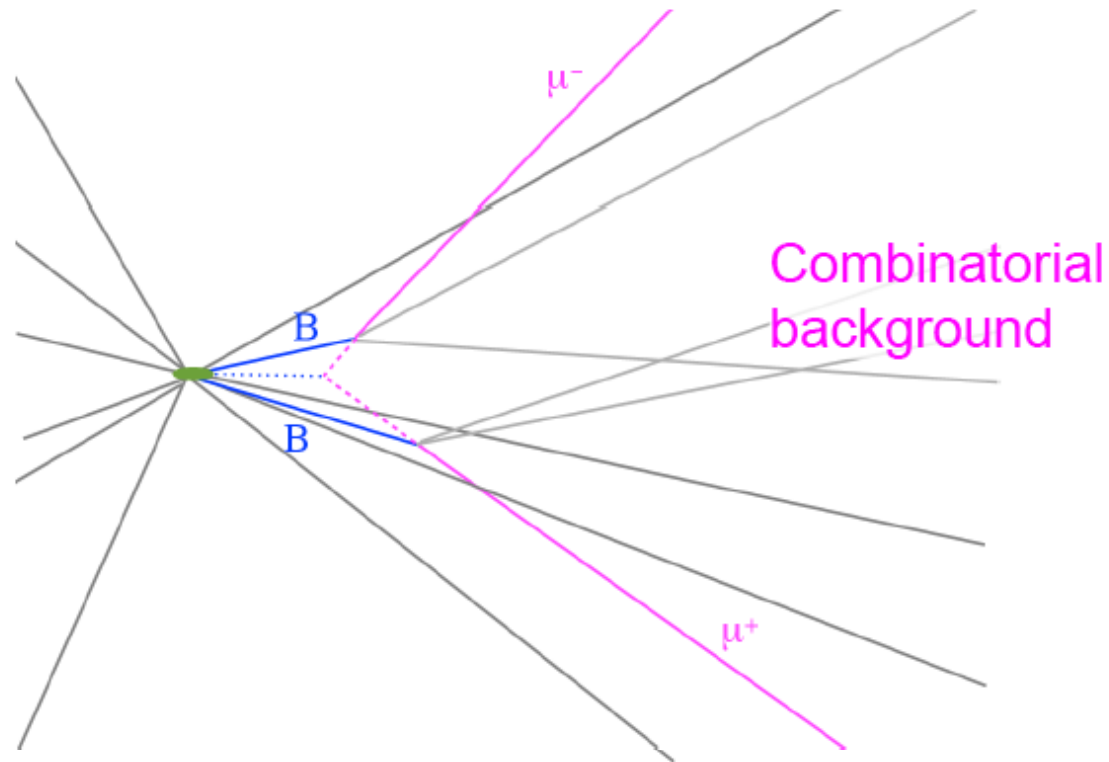


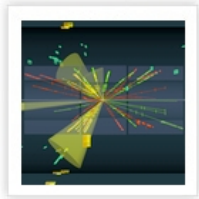
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## Decay topology is simple

Challenge is to keep trigger and selection efficiency high, while rejecting combinatorial background

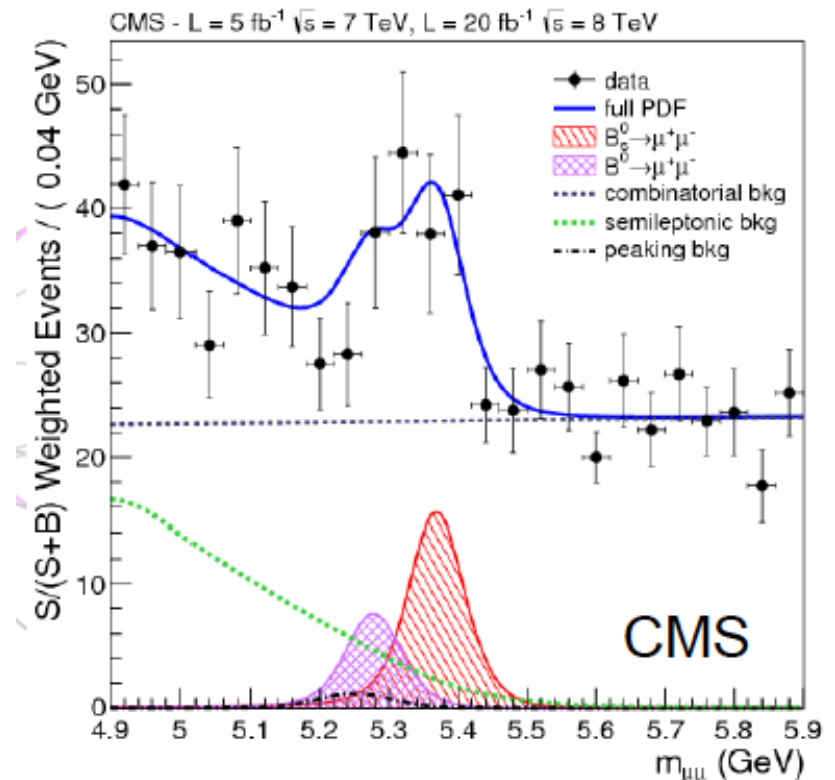




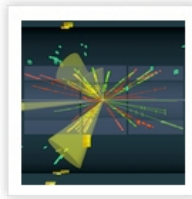
# Combined result $B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

Isolation for the dimuon vertex is very important  
For ATLAS and CMS the higher integrated luminosity compensates for lower trigger efficiency

Both CMS and LHCb see  $B^0_s \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  at the  $4\sigma$  level  
CMS  $25 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
LHCb  $3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
Combination is above  $3\sigma$







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

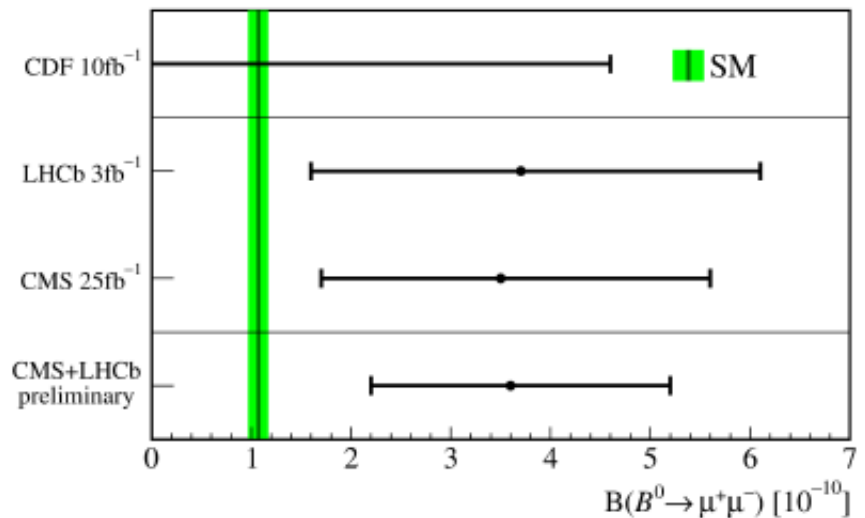
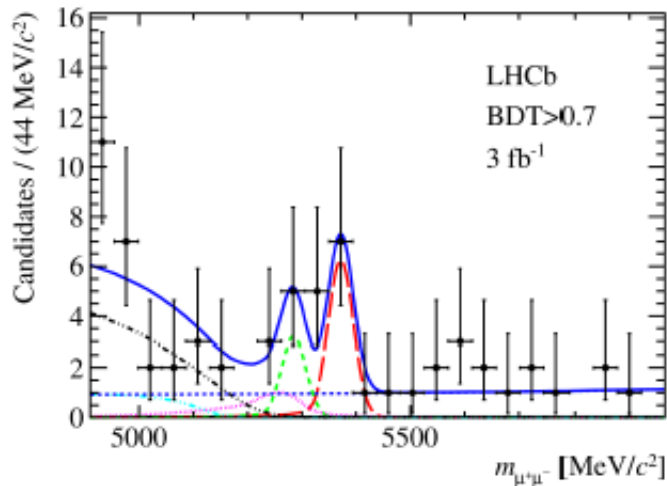
**Challenge now is to look for  $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$**

In the SM suppressed by  $|V_{ts}|^2 / |V_{td}|^2 \sim 25$

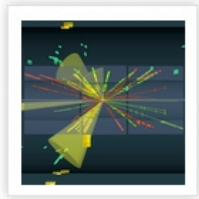
New physics not following this pattern may manifest itself as a higher  $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  rate

**Lower rate and peaking backgrounds now a real issue**

CMS:  $< 1.1 \cdot 10^{-9}$  at 95% CL      LHCb:  $< 0.7 \cdot 10^{-9}$  at 95% CL







# Combined result $B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

## Combined CMS and LHCb result

$$\text{BF}(B^0_s) = (2.9 \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-9}$$

## ATLAS limit on $5 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

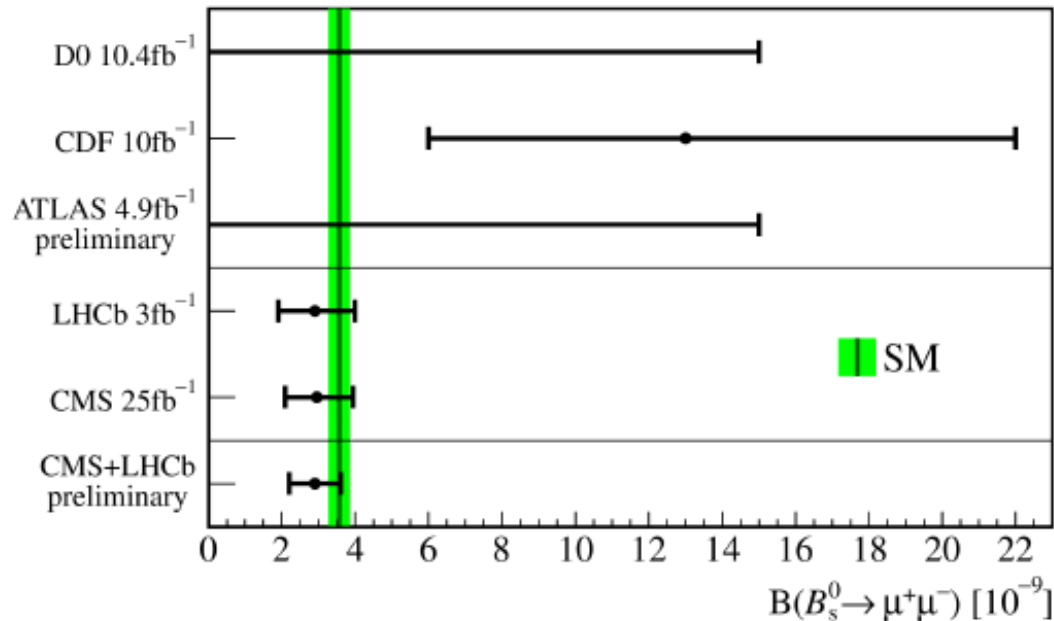
$$\text{BF}(B^0_s) < 15 \times 10^{-9} \text{ at 95\% CL}$$

LHCb : [Phys. Rev. Lett. 111, 101805 \(2013\)](#)

CMS : [arXiv: 1307.5025](#)

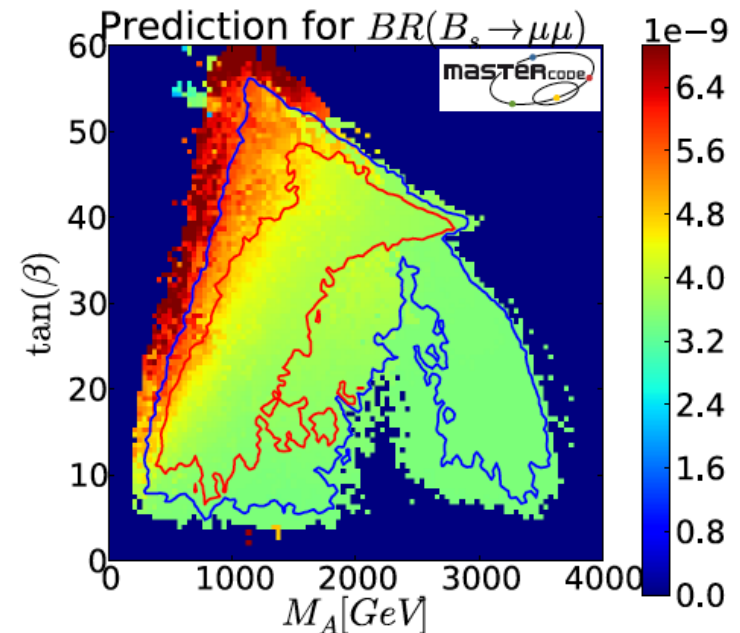
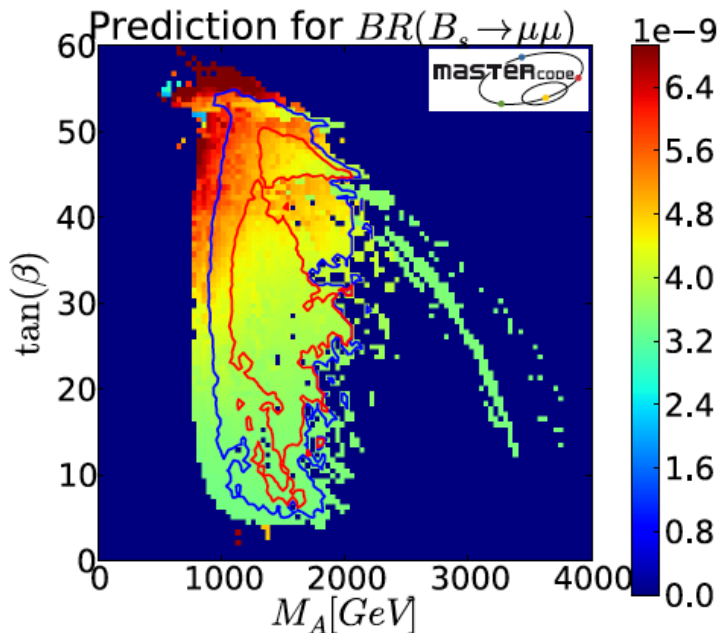
Comb : [LHCb-CONF-2013-076](#)

ATLAS : [ATLAS-CONF-2013-076](#)



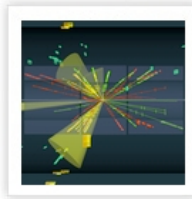
# $B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ constraining Supersymmetry

$BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  sets strong bounds on  $\tan\beta$ , at least in CMSSM, and reduces the phase space of Supersymmetry, complementary to direct searches. Higgs mass of 125 GeV included, as well as other electroweak and XENON100 data. Some scenarios of new Physics are removed. SUSY now confronted.

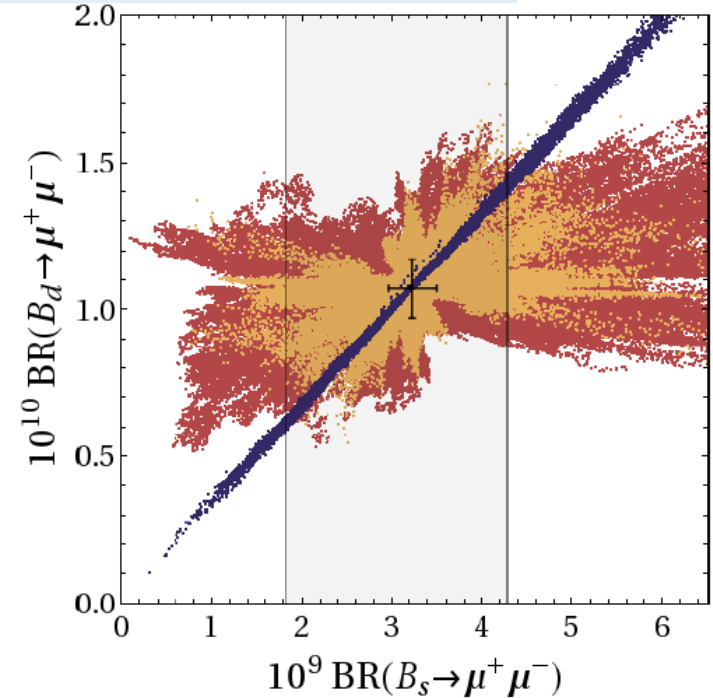
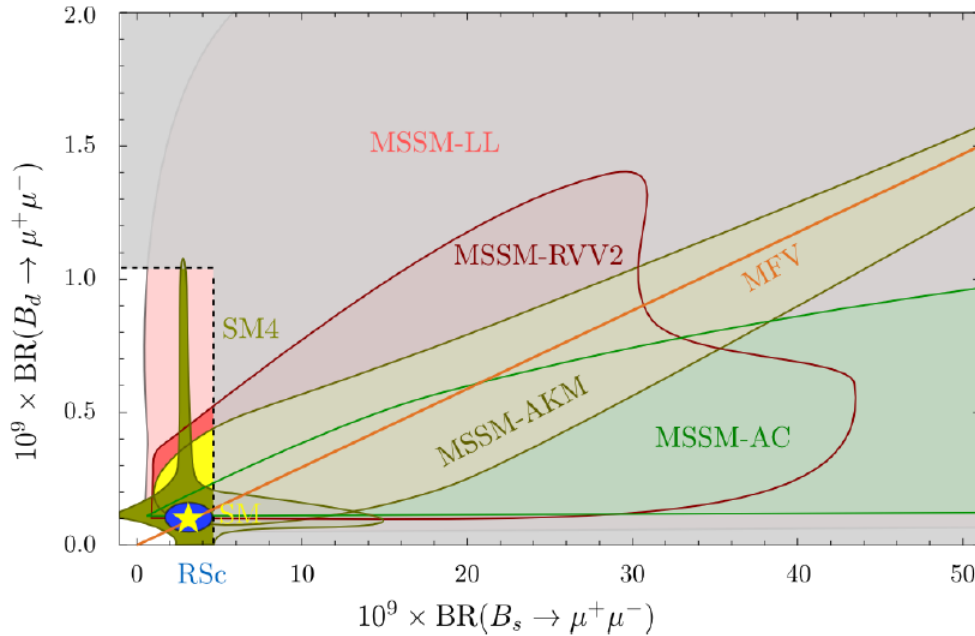


BR predictions in the CMSSM and in the CMSSM with non-universal Higgs masses NUHM1 (right). Allowed region regions of parameter space at 68% and 98% CL

O. Buchmueller et al., Eur. Phys. J. C 72 (2012) 2243 [arXiv:1207.7315]



# $B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ constraining SUSY and compositeness



**Large  $\tan\beta$  with light pseudoscalar Higgs in CMSSM is strongly disfavored.**

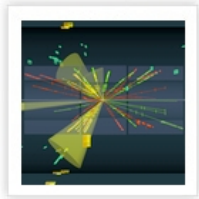
Now in the regime where more "natural"  $O(50\%)$  NP effects can be probed

**Straub arXiv:1302.4651**  
**Analysis of several models with partial compositeness**

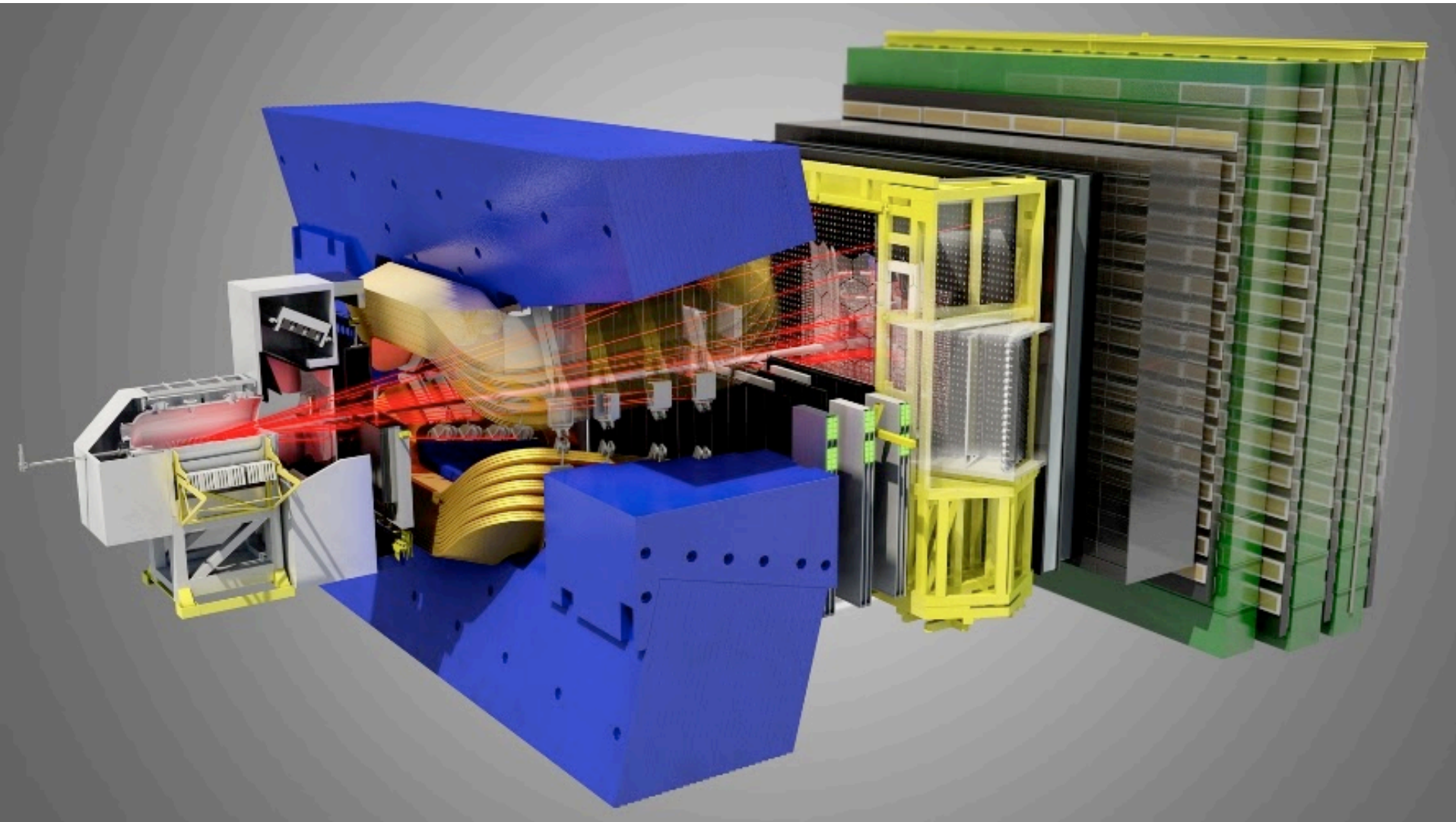
Now vital to measure:

- $BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  down to theory uncertainty (a few  $\times 10^{-10}$ )
- $BR(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$  to test "golden" relation between SM and MFV, distinguish between NP models

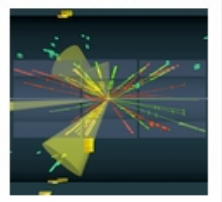
$$\frac{BR(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)}{BR(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)} \approx \frac{f_{B_s}^2 \tau_{B_s} |V_{ts}|^2}{f_{B_d}^2 \tau_{B_d} |V_{td}|^2} \approx 32$$



$$b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$$







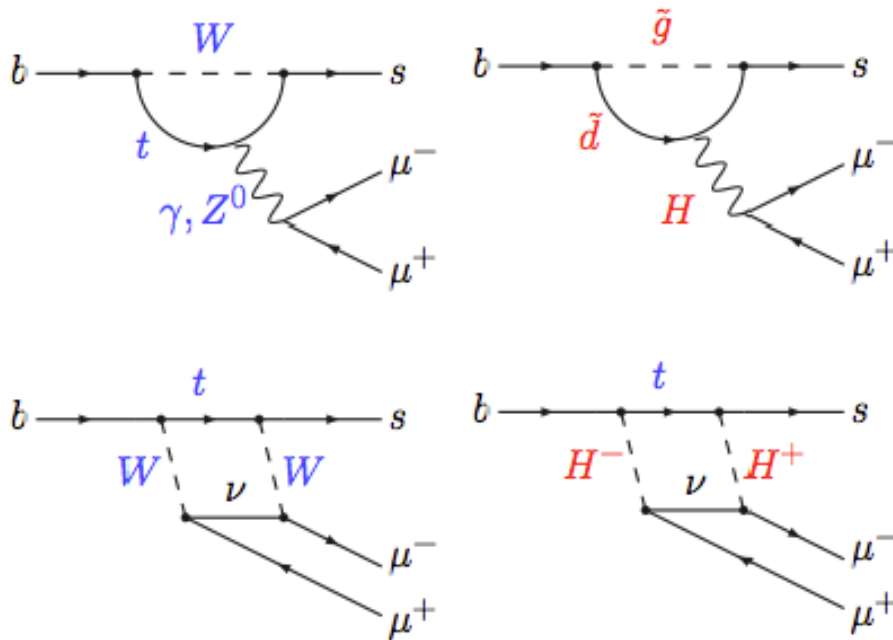
# $b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$

$$H = \frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \sum (C_i^{SM} + C_i^{NP}) O_i^{SM} + \sum \frac{c}{\Lambda_{NP}} O_{NP}$$

$b \rightarrow s\mu^+\mu^-$  rare processes where new physics can enter to modify SM amplitudes

$B^0 \rightarrow K^* \ell^+ \ell^-$  is the most prominent (large statistic and flavour specific) candidate

Studies in statistical limited  $B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$ ,  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \mu^-$  started



In the SM contribution from :

$$O_7 \sim m_b (\bar{s}_L \sigma_{\mu\nu} b_R) F_{\mu\nu}$$

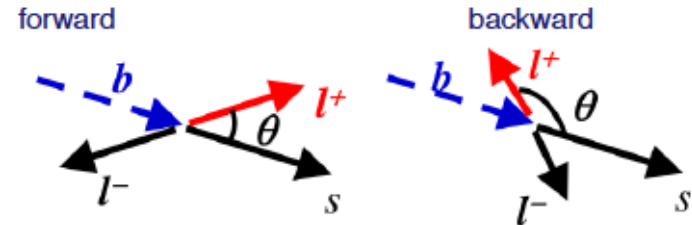
$$O_9 \sim (\bar{s} b)_{V-A} (\bar{\ell} \ell)_V$$

$$O_{10} \sim (\bar{s} b)_{V-A} (\bar{\ell} \ell)_A$$

$$B^0 \rightarrow K^*(K^+\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$$

One very famous variable:

$$A_{FB} \propto -\text{Re}[(2C_7^{eff} + \frac{q^2}{m_b^2}C_9^{eff})C_{10}]$$



Introduce 3 relative angles to describe angular distribution of final state particles.

Folding  $\phi \rightarrow \phi + \pi$  if  $\phi < 0$  increase sensitivity for some coefficients.

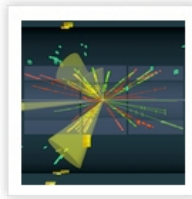
$$\text{e.g. } A_{FB} = \frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L)A_T^{Re}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d^3(\Gamma + \bar{\Gamma})}{d \cos \theta_\ell d \cos \theta_K d\phi} = & \frac{9}{32\pi} \left[ \frac{3}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K + F_L \cos^2 \theta_K + \frac{1}{4}(1 - F_L) \sin^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell \right. \\ & - F_L \cos^2 \theta_K \cos 2\theta_\ell + \frac{1}{2}(1 - F_L)A_T^{(2)} \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \cos 2\phi + \\ & \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}P_4' \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \cos \phi + \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}P_5' \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \cos \phi + \\ & \frac{1}{2}(1 - F_L)A_{Re}^T \sin^2 \theta_K \cos \theta_\ell + \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}P_6' \sin 2\theta_K \sin \theta_\ell \sin \phi + \\ & \left. \sqrt{F_L(1 - F_L)}P_8' \sin 2\theta_K \sin 2\theta_\ell \sin \phi + (S/A)_9 \sin^2 \theta_K \sin^2 \theta_\ell \sin 2\phi \right] \end{aligned}$$

**New: alternative folding give access to form factor independent parameters**

(arXiv:1106.3283, arXiv:1106.3283, arXiv:hep-ph/050206, arXiv:0807.2589, arXiv:1105.0376)

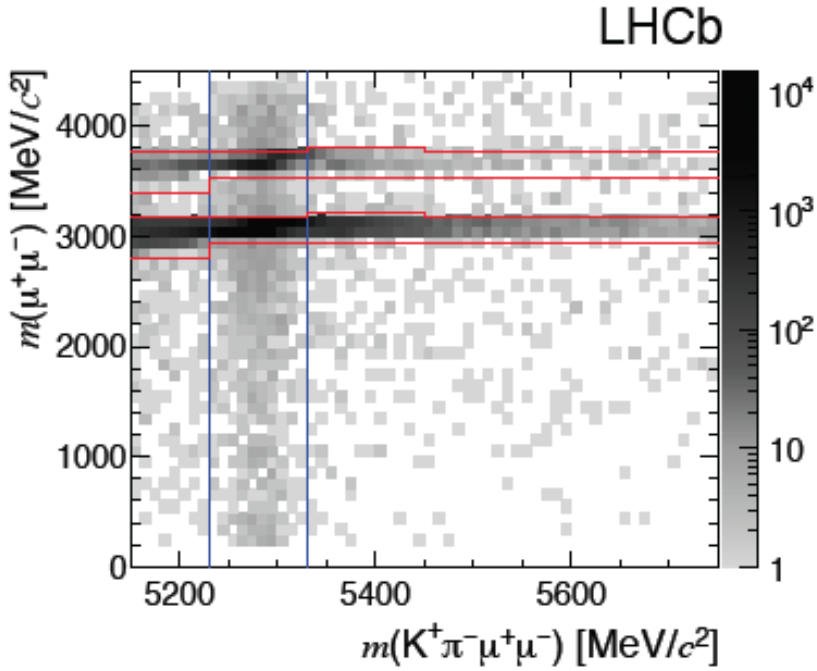




$$B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-$$

## Candidate selection $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$

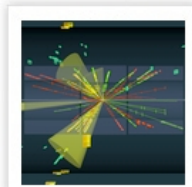
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- Candidates selected using a BDT
- (Tree-level) Charmonium resonances vetoed
- Exclusive and partially reconstructed background investigated and reduced to negligible level

**883 ± 34 evts**

Control modes  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*0}$  and  $D^* \rightarrow D(K\pi)\pi_s$

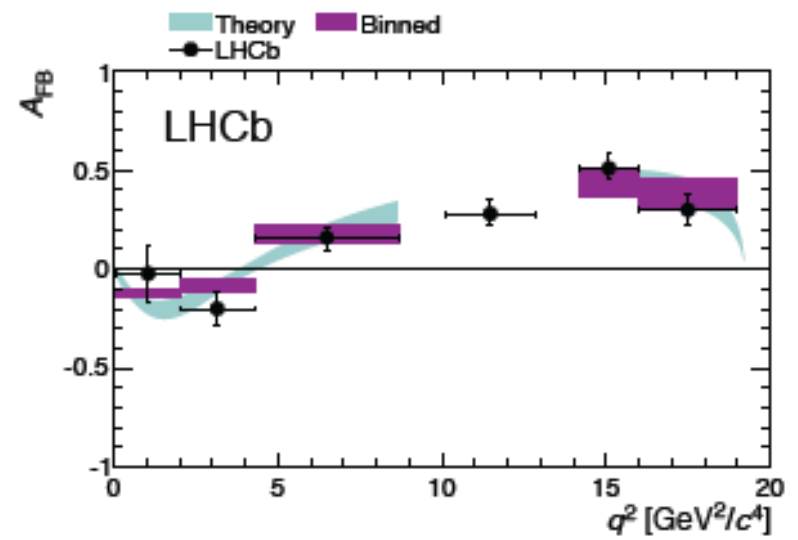
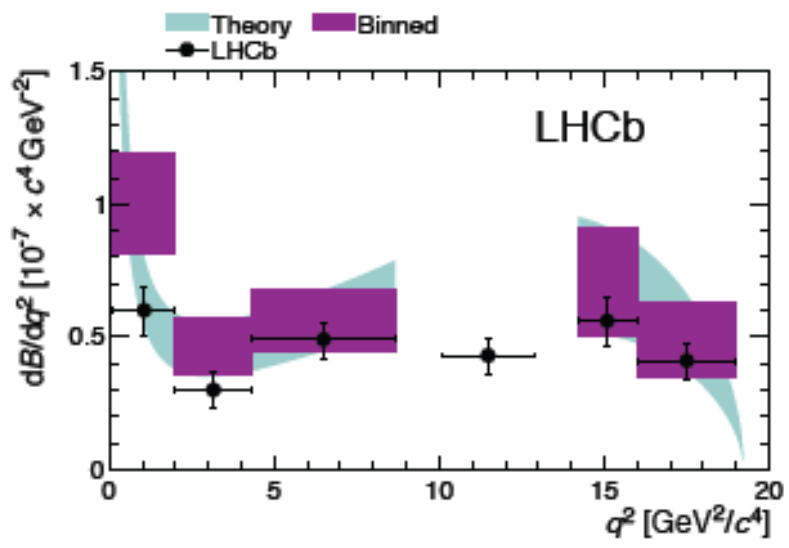


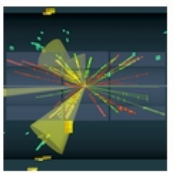
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- Results accord with the SM predictions (Bobeth et al., JHEP 01 (2012) 107)
- First measurement of the zero-crossing point of  $A_{FB}$  (error is stat+sys) (SM predictions in range 3.9-4.4 GeV<sup>2</sup>/c<sup>4</sup>)



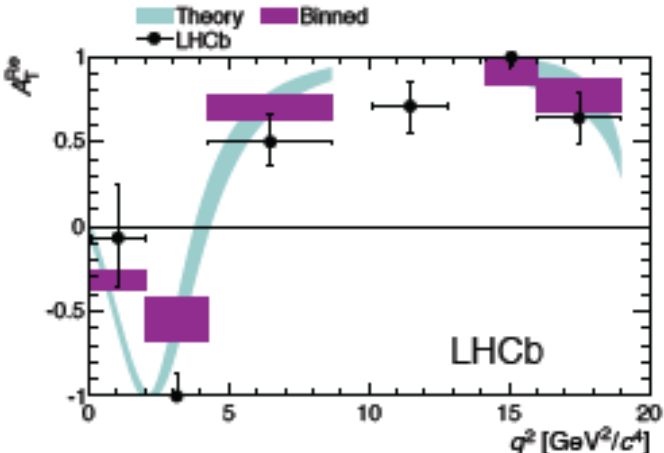
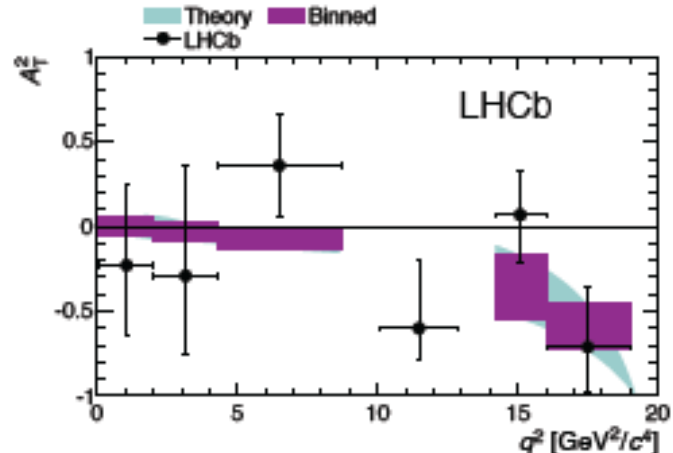
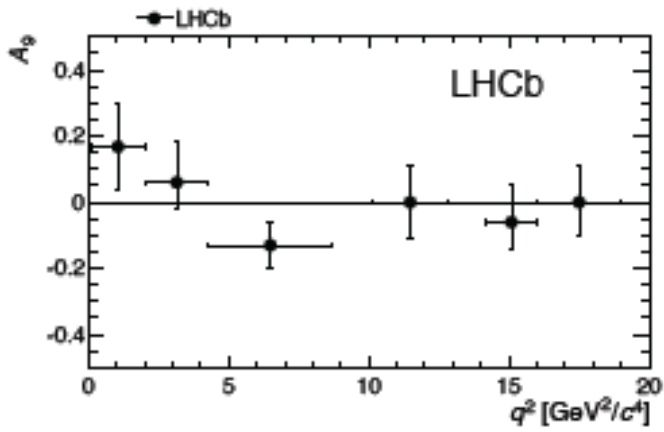
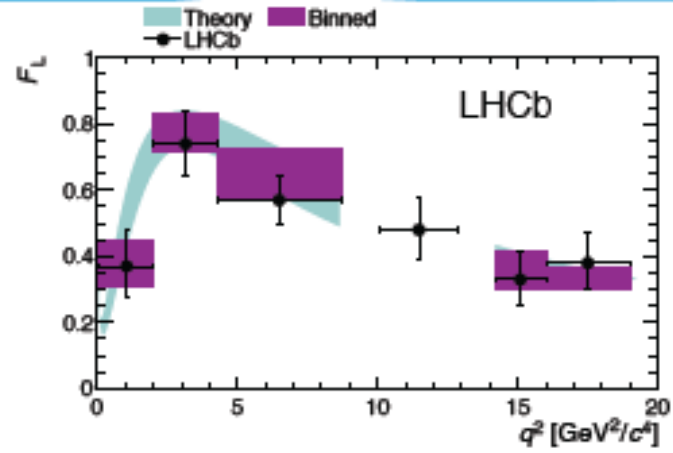
$$q_0^2 = 4.9 \pm 0.9 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$$





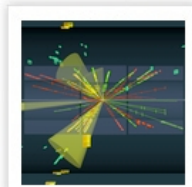
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Good agreement with SM predictions  
 Bobeth-Hiller-Van Dyk (2011): form-factor from Ball-Zwicky (2005):  
 Consistent with Matias et al.(2013)

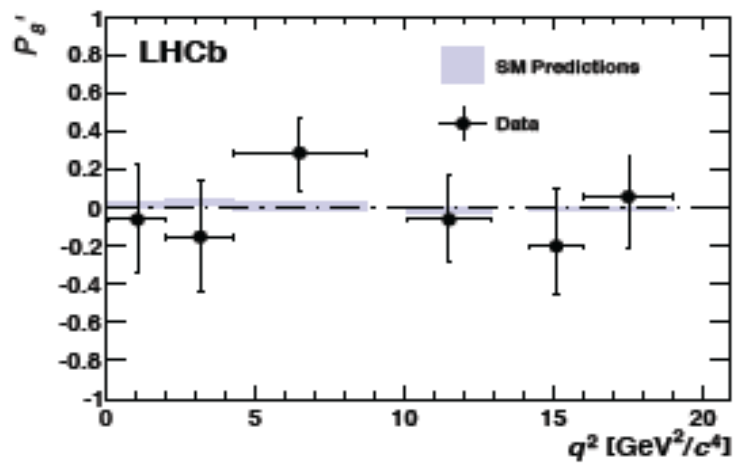
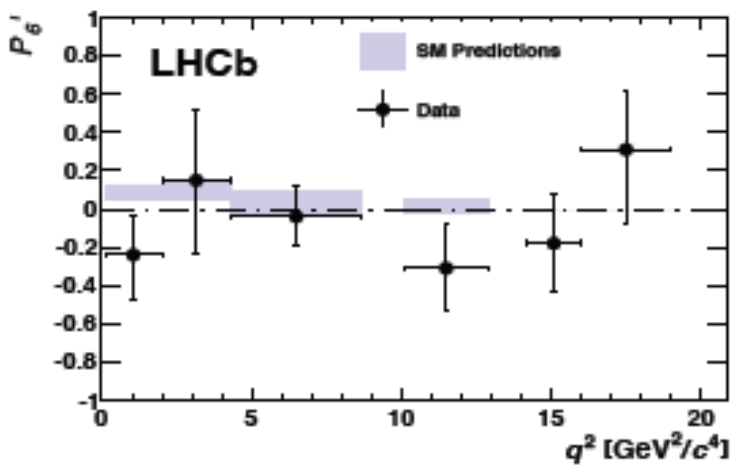
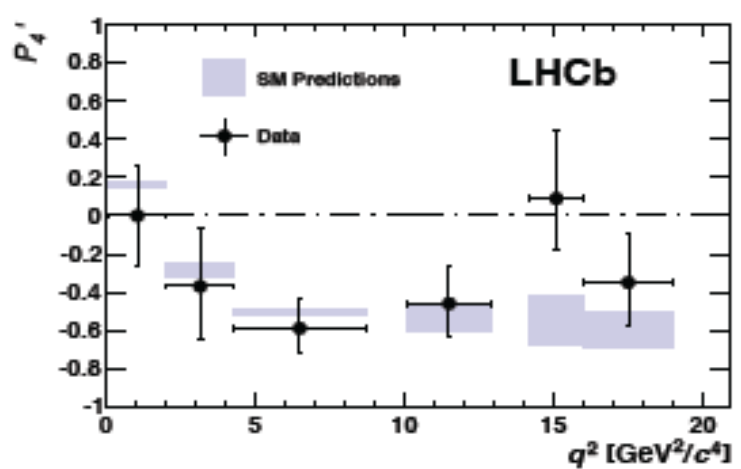


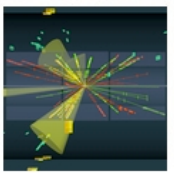


LHCb-PAPER-2013-037 arXiv:1308.1707 (1fb<sup>-1</sup>)

First measurement of new observables

- Results accord with SM predictions  
 J. Matías et al., JHEP 05 (2013) 137  
 arXiv: 1303.5794



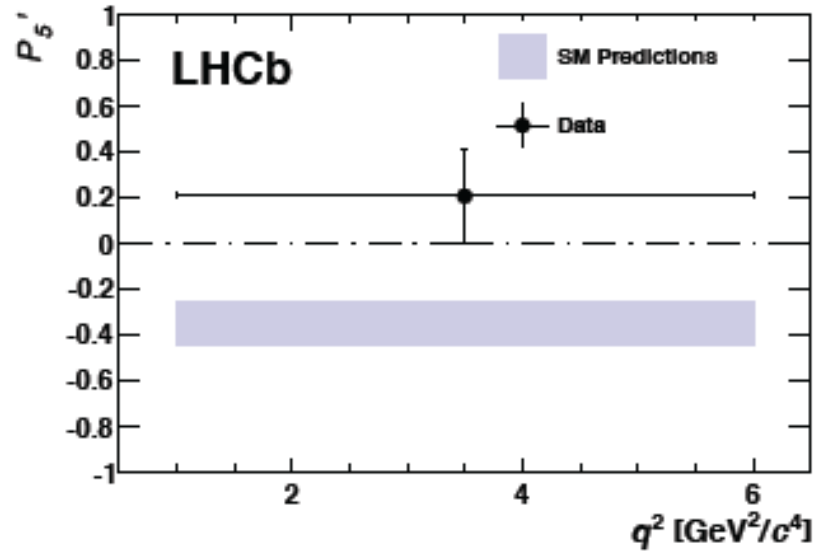
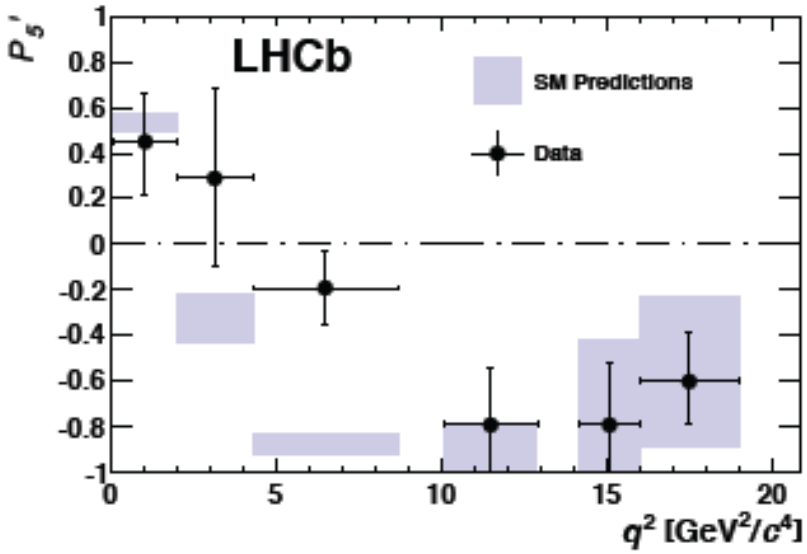


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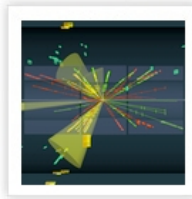


First measurement of new observables

- Local discrepancy of 3.7σ in 3<sup>rd</sup> bin of P<sub>5</sub>' (wrt J. Matías at al., arXiv:1303.5794)
- 2.5σ discrepancy in theoretically clean 1 < q<sup>2</sup> < 6 GeV<sup>2</sup>/c<sup>4</sup> bin
- 0.5% probability to observe 3.7σ deviation in 24 independent measurements



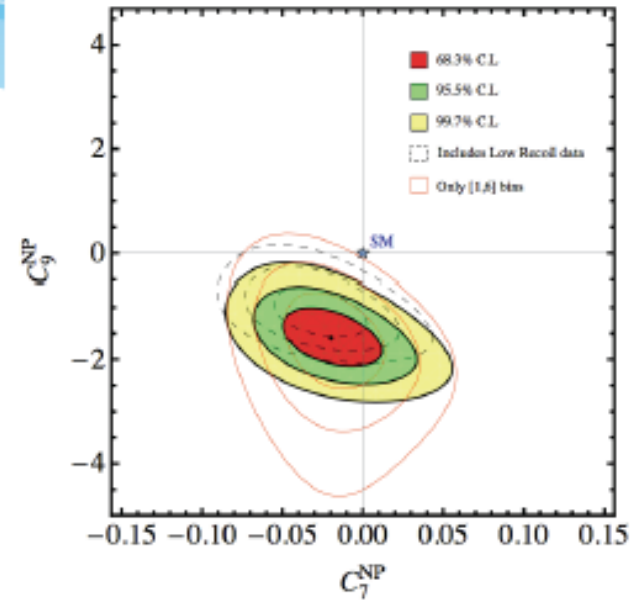
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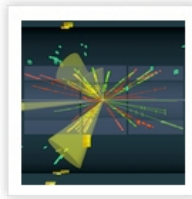
- Descotes-Genon et al. (arXiv:1307.5683) explain the discrepancy in  $P_5'$  and other smaller deviations through a large New Physics contribution to the Wilson coefficient of the semileptonic operator  $O_9$



- Predictions for the first two bins and  $1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4$  are also given by Jäger et al. (JHEP 05 (2013) 043)
- Leads to a larger theoretical uncertainty wrt J. Mathias et al.
- Measurements with higher statistics and further theoretical studies are necessary to draw more definitive conclusions

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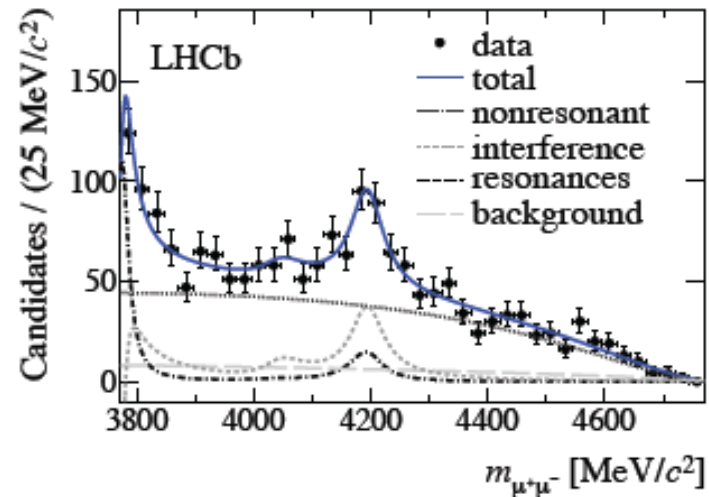
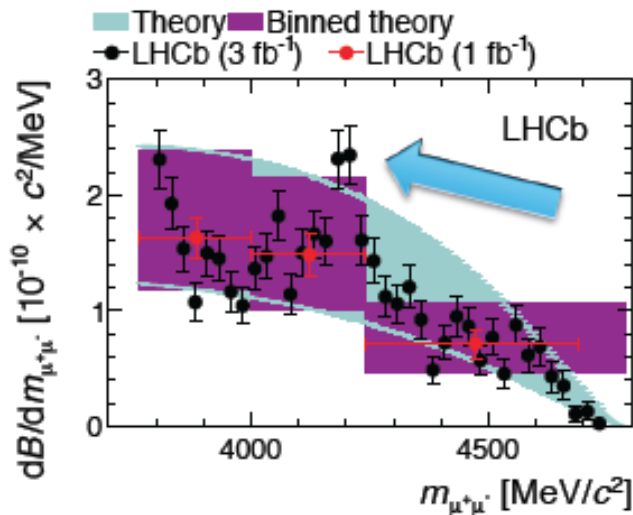




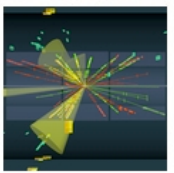
$$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$$

## New resonant structure in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ at high $q^2$

- Resonance compatible with the  $\psi(4160)$  meson
- Larger than theoretical estimates
- First observation of both  $B^+ \rightarrow \psi(4160) K^+$  and  $\psi(4160) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$
- Could complicate further  $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$  measurements at high  $q^2$

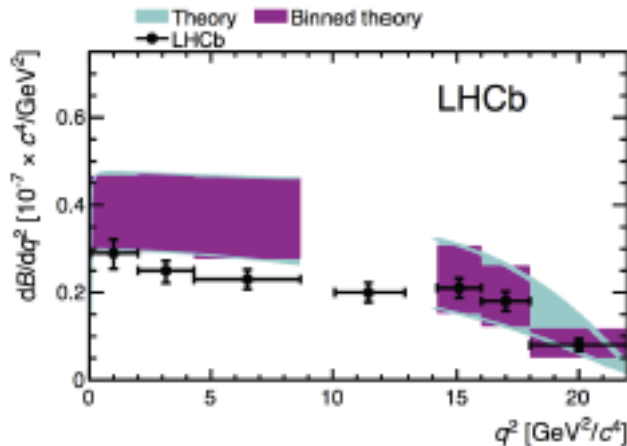


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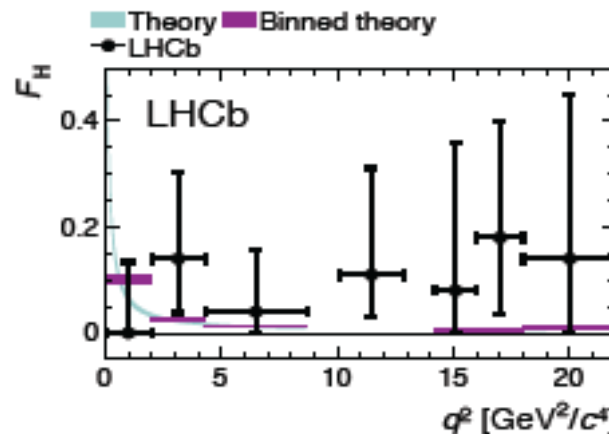
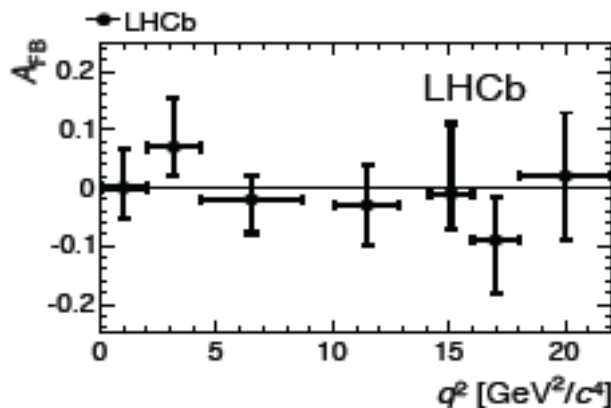
# $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$

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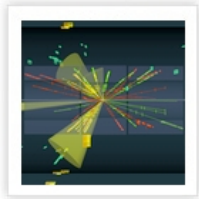


- Differential angular distribution described by single angle  $\theta_l$
- $A_{FB}$  and  $F_H$  consistent with SM prediction of zero

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma[B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-]}{d\cos\theta_l} = \frac{3}{4}(1 - F_H)(1 - \cos^2\theta_l) + \frac{1}{2}F_H + A_{FB} \cos\theta_l$$



sensitive to  $O_P$  and  $O_S$



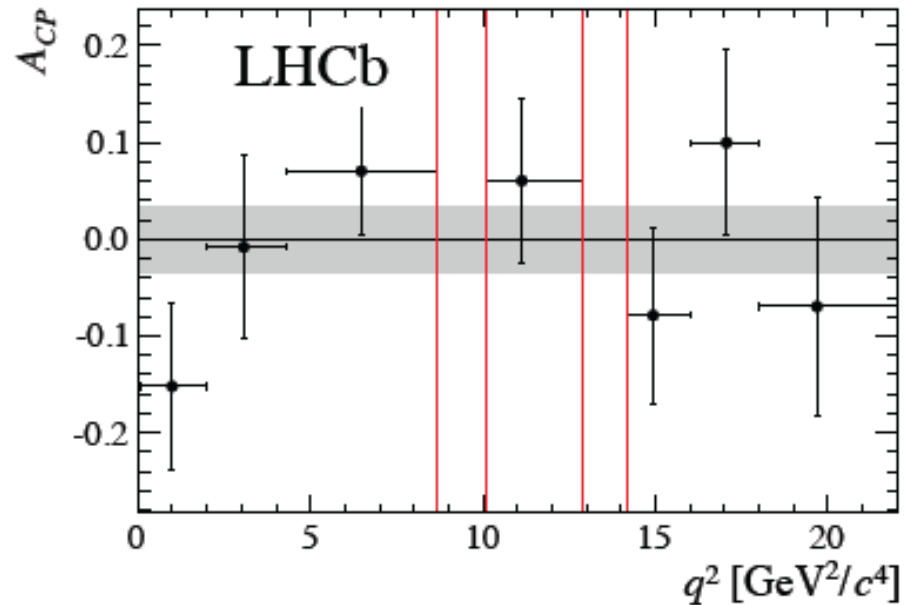
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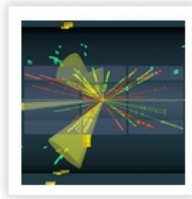
## $A_{CP}$ in $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$

$$A_{CP} = \frac{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \mu^-) - \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)}{\Gamma(B^- \rightarrow K^- \mu^+ \mu^-) + \Gamma(B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)} = -0.0004 \pm 0.033 \pm 0.005 \pm 0.007$$

- Control channel  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$  used to account for production and detection asymmetries
- Left-Right asymmetry accounted for by averaging magnet polarity
- Result consistent with SM prediction



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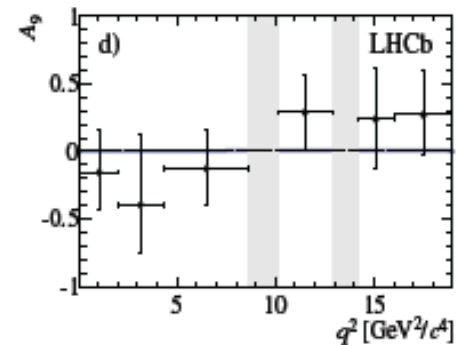
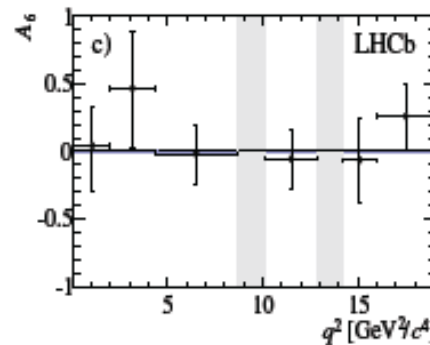
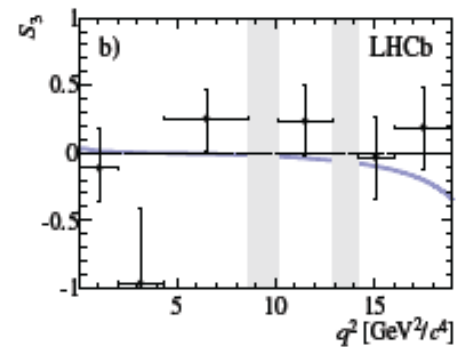
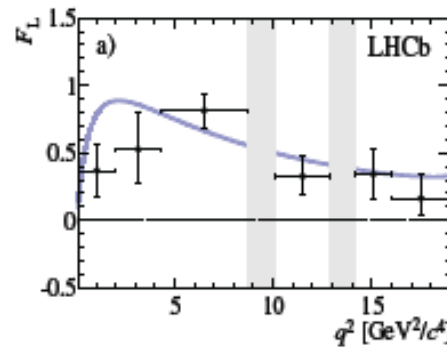
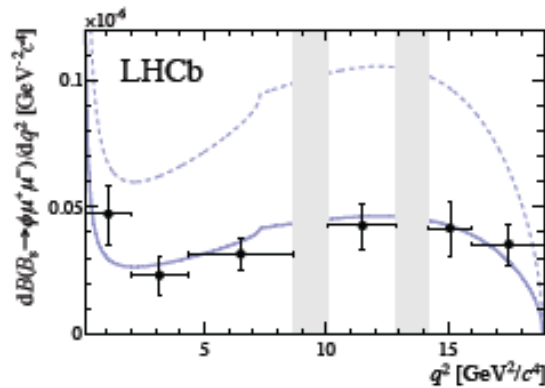


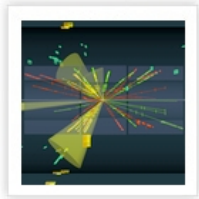
$$B_s \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$$

arXiv:1305.2168 (1fb<sup>-1</sup>)

$$B_s^0 \rightarrow \Phi(\rightarrow K^+ K^-) \mu^+ \mu^-$$

- Branching fraction lower than SM theory predictions (blue dotted line)
- First angular analysis of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi \mu^+ \mu^-$
- All observables are consistent with SM expectation

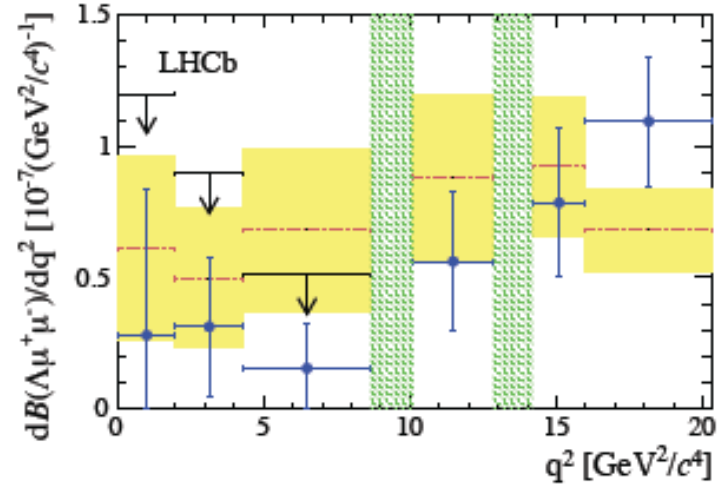
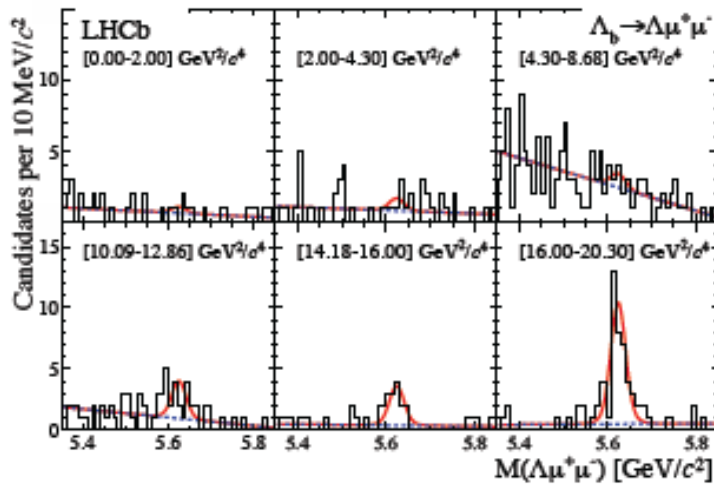




$$\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \mu^-$$

arXiv:1306.2577 (1fb<sup>-1</sup>)  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda(p\pi^-)\mu^+\mu^-$

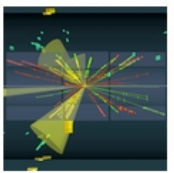
- Baryon decays more theoretically complex
- Yield of  $78 \pm 12$   $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu^+ \mu^-$  decays observed, mostly in  $q^2$  regions above  $J/\psi$  mass
- $\Lambda_b \rightarrow J/\psi \Lambda$  normalization mode



- Limits set at low  $q^2$
- Good agreement with SM expectation

(Detmold et al., Phys.Rev. D87 (2013) 074502)

$$BR(\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda \mu \mu) = (0.96 \pm 0.16(\text{stat}) \pm 0.13(\text{syst}) \pm 0.21(\text{norm})) \times 10^{-6}$$



# $B \rightarrow X_s l^+ l^-$

Less theoretical uncertainties for inclusive  $B \rightarrow X_s ll$  analysis

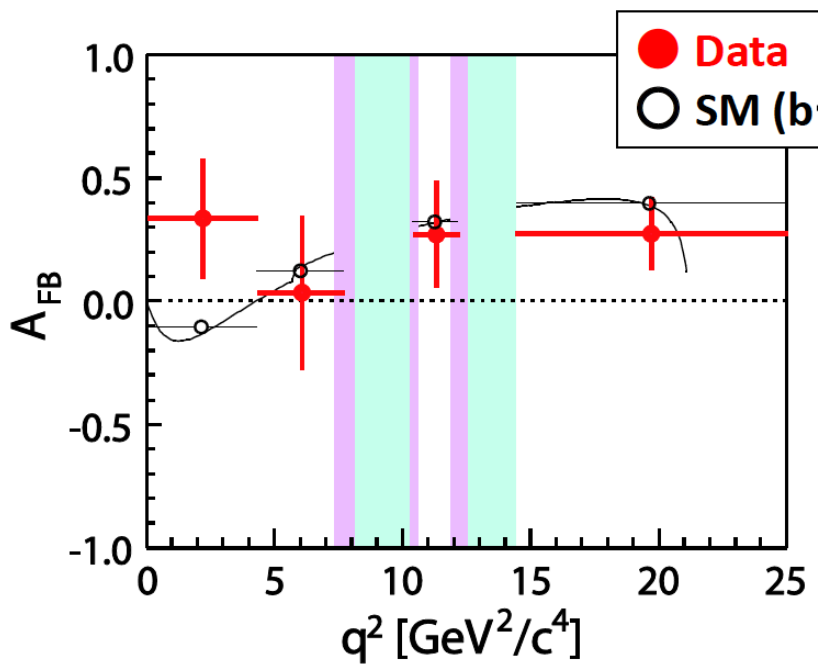
Semi-inclusive analysis from adding many exclusive channels  
 $X_s = K^\pm/K_s^0 + n\pi$  with  $n=1,2,3,4$  (at most one  $\pi^0$ )  $l = e^-$  or  $\mu^-$



36 ( $18 \times 2$ ) modes studied

20 ( $10 \times 2$ ) modes used for final result

$\equiv$  50% of all  $X_s$



Total signal yields

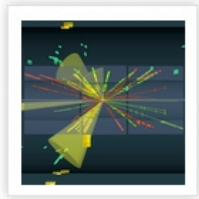
$$N_{sig}^{ee} = 139.9 \pm 18.6 \text{ (stat)}$$

$$N_{sig}^{\mu\mu} = 160.8 \pm 20.0 \text{ (stat)}$$

Results consistent with the SM

Y. Sato at EPS 2013

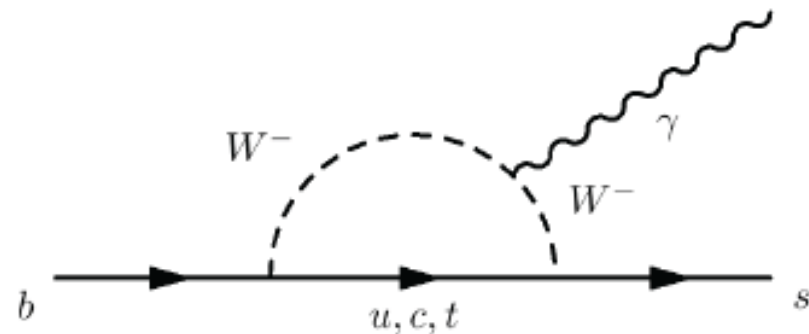




# Results $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$

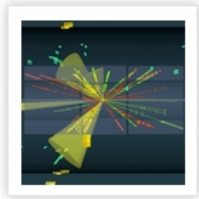
## Radiative B decays

- $b \rightarrow s \gamma$  is a FCNC process
- In SM emitted photons in such decays are predicted to be predominately left handed since the recoil s quark that couples to the W boson is left handed



The photon polarization is defined as:

$$\lambda_\gamma \equiv \frac{|c_R|^2 - |c_L|^2}{|c_R|^2 + |c_L|^2}$$

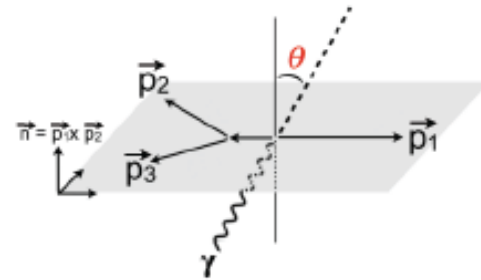


# Results $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$

## $B \rightarrow K_{\text{res}} \gamma \rightarrow K \pi \pi \gamma$

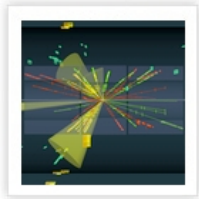
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- For decays of the type  $B \rightarrow K_{\text{res}} \gamma \rightarrow K \pi \pi \gamma$ , the photon polarization can be studied through the angular correlations of the daughters of the  $K_{\text{res}}$
- For a single resonance,  $A_{\text{ud}}$  is proportional to  $\lambda_\gamma$
- If the helicity amplitude  $J$  is known,  $\lambda_\gamma$  can be determined from a measurement of  $A_{\text{ud}}$



$$A_{\text{ud}} \equiv \frac{\int_0^1 d\cos\tilde{\theta} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\tilde{\theta}} - \int_{-1}^0 d\cos\tilde{\theta} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\tilde{\theta}}}{\int_{-1}^1 d\cos\tilde{\theta} \frac{d\Gamma}{d\cos\tilde{\theta}}} = \frac{3}{4} \lambda_\gamma \frac{\int ds ds_{13} ds_{23} \text{Im} [\vec{n} \cdot (\vec{J} \times \vec{J}^*)]}{\int ds ds_{13} ds_{23} |\mathcal{J}|^2}$$

Theory input needed!

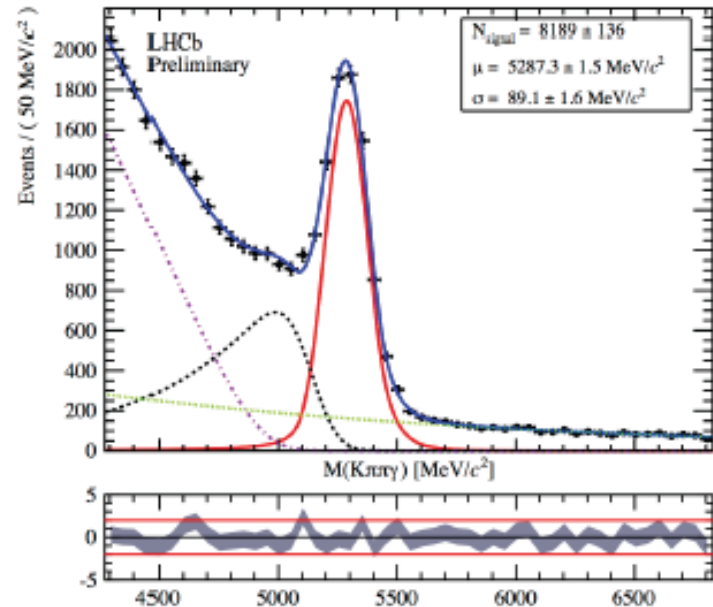


# Results $B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^+ \pi^- \gamma$

## $B \rightarrow K\pi\pi\gamma$

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- Inclusive CP asymmetry measured for first time
- $A_{CP}$  compatible with zero
- $A_{ud}$  measured for the first time
- Result 4.5 $\sigma$  from zero
- Evidence of photon polarization in  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  decays
- If theoretical predictions existed, first measurement of  $\lambda_\gamma$  possible



$$\mathcal{A}_{CP} = -0.007 \pm 0.015 \text{ (stat)}_{-0.011}^{+0.012} \text{ (syst)} \quad \mathcal{A}_{ud} = -0.085 \pm 0.019 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.004 \text{ (syst)}$$

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## Constraints on new physics

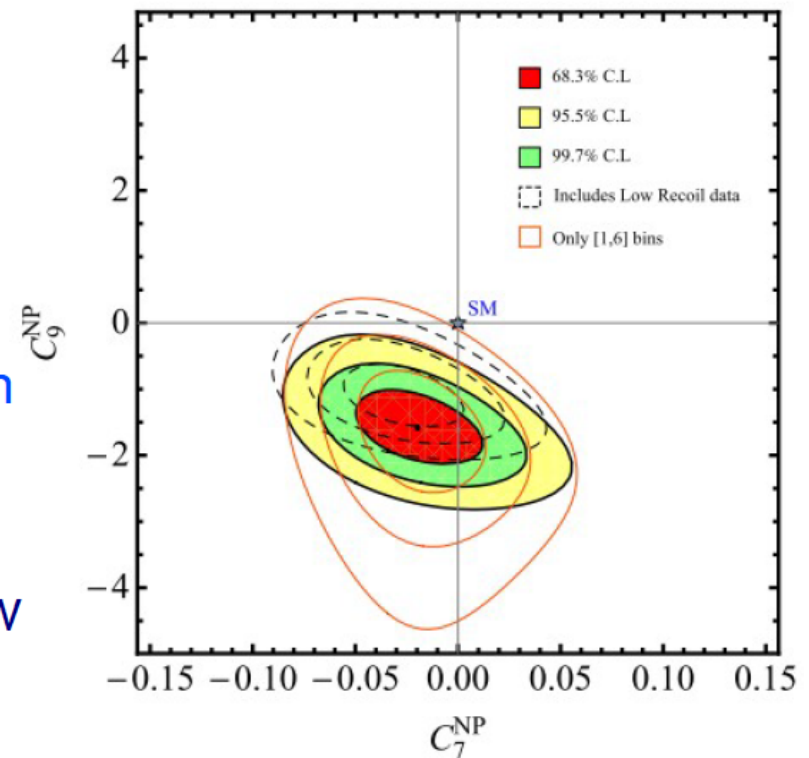
Results from  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu \mu$ ,  $B \rightarrow \mu \mu$ ,  
 $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$  and  $B \rightarrow K^* \gamma$  combined  
to put constraints on New  
Physics

Treated as effective  
interactions from NP at mass  
scale above  $m_W$

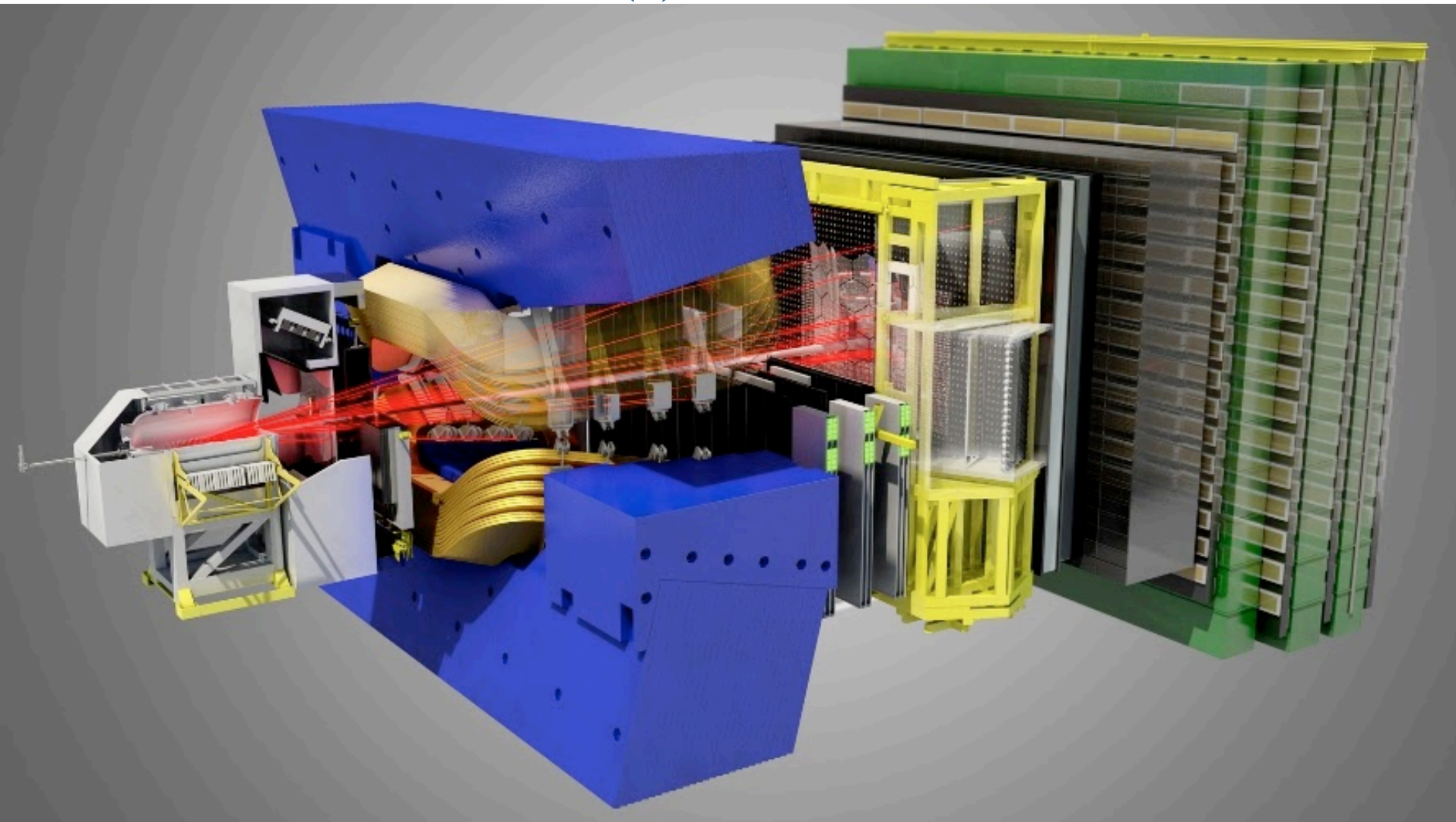
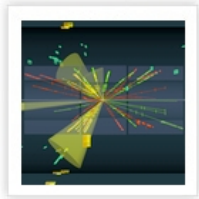
Indicates a significant deviation  
in  $C_9$  (dileptonic vector  
operator)

Will be very interesting to follow  
more experimental data and  
other phenomenological  
interpretations

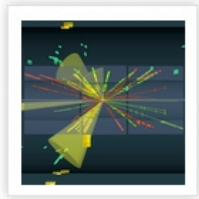
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U. Egede at Mass 2013, Aug. 2013, Odense, DK





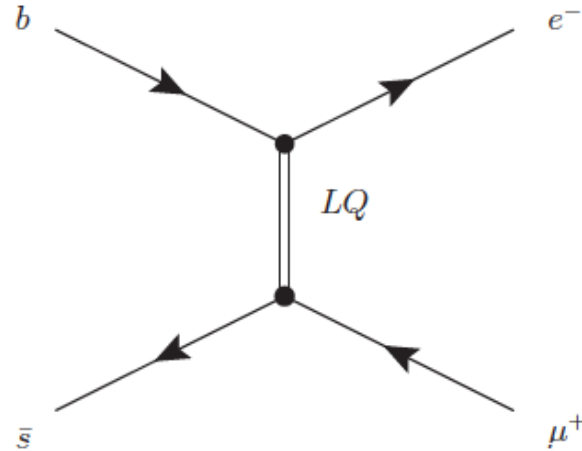


# Search for $B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-$

$$B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-$$

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- ▶ Charged LFV process are forbidden in the SM ( $\sim 10^{-54}$ )
- ▶ Decays like  $B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow e \mu$  are allowed in model with a local gauge symmetry between leptons and quarks like the Pati-Salam model [Phys. Rev. D 10 (1974) 275.]
  - ▶ new interaction between lepton and quarks mediated by a spin-1 gauge boson (LQ)

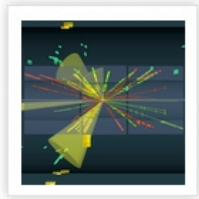


- ▶ limits from CDF [Phys. Rev. Lett. 102 (2009) 201901]:

$$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow e^\pm \mu^\mp) < 2.0(2.6) \cdot 10^{-7} @ 90(95)\% \text{ CL}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow e^\pm \mu^\mp) < 6.4(7.9) \cdot 10^{-8} @ 90(95)\% \text{ CL}$$



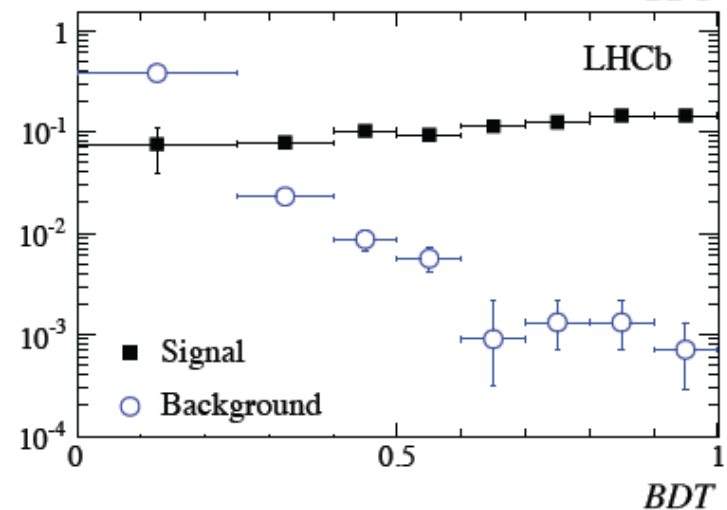
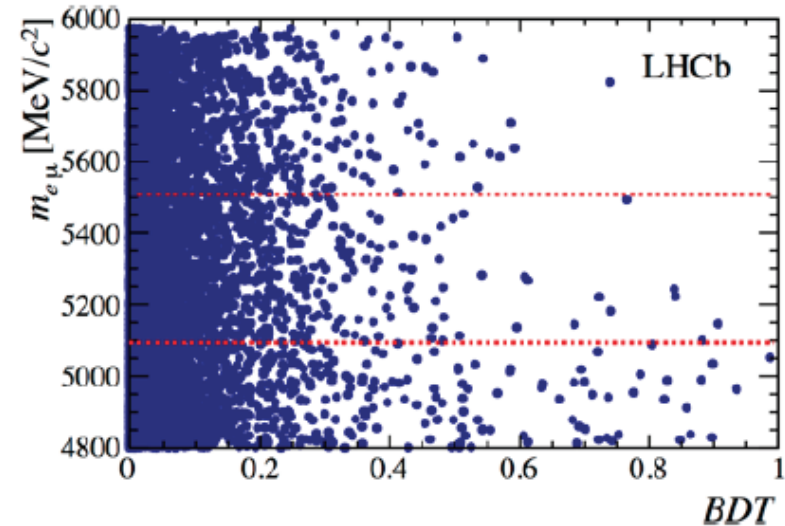


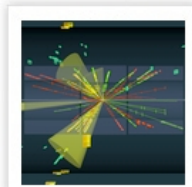
# Search for $B^0_s \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-$

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## Analysis strategy

- ▶ Blind analysis based on  $1\text{fb}^{-1}$  of data recorded in 2011 ( $\sqrt{s} = 7\text{TeV}$ )
- ▶ Analysis inherited from  $B^0_{(s)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$
- ▶ Events studied in  $m_{e\mu}$  vs BDT plane
- ▶ Normalized to  $B_d \rightarrow K\pi$  yield in data
- ▶ Upper limit on BF evaluated using the CLs method



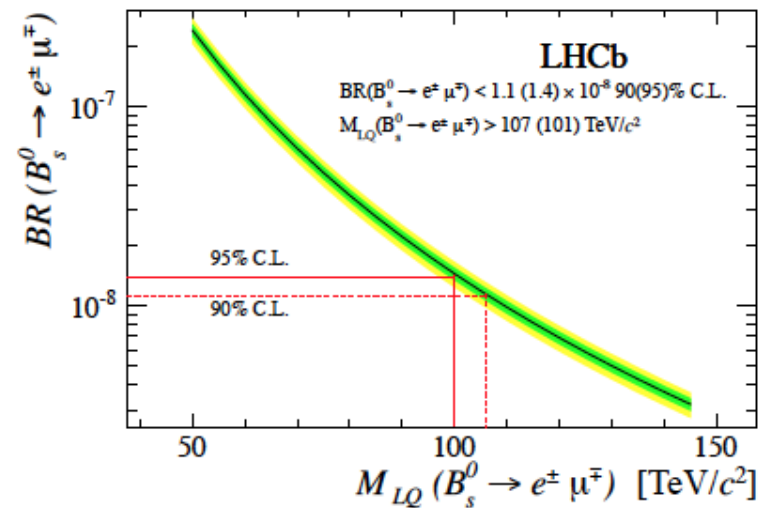
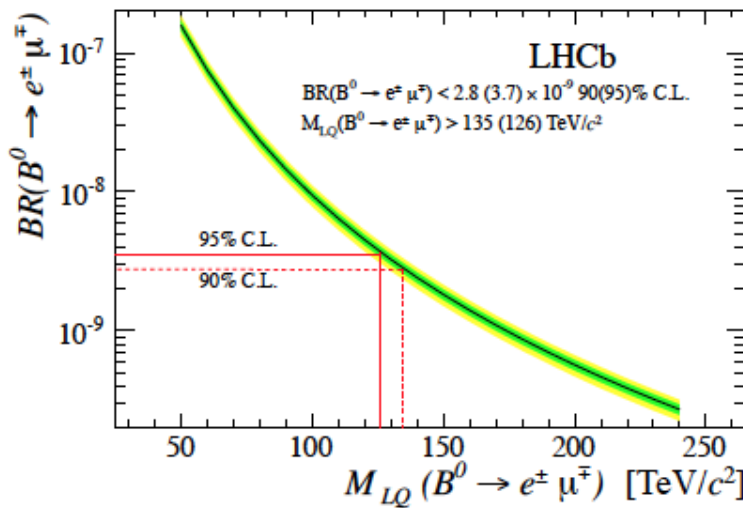


# Search for $B_s^0 \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-$

## Pati-Salam Lepto-quark mass bounds

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ATLAS/CMS : same generation leptoquarks < 0.5 – 1.0 TeV/c<sup>2</sup> (direct searches)



▶ CDF measurements:

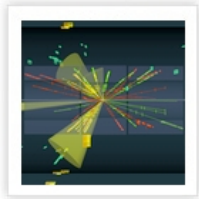
$$m_{LQ}(B_s \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-) > 47.8(44.9) \text{ TeV}/c^2 @ 90(95)\% \text{CL},$$

$$m_{LQ}(B_d \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-) > 59.3(56.3) \text{ TeV}/c^2 @ 90(95)\% \text{CL}$$

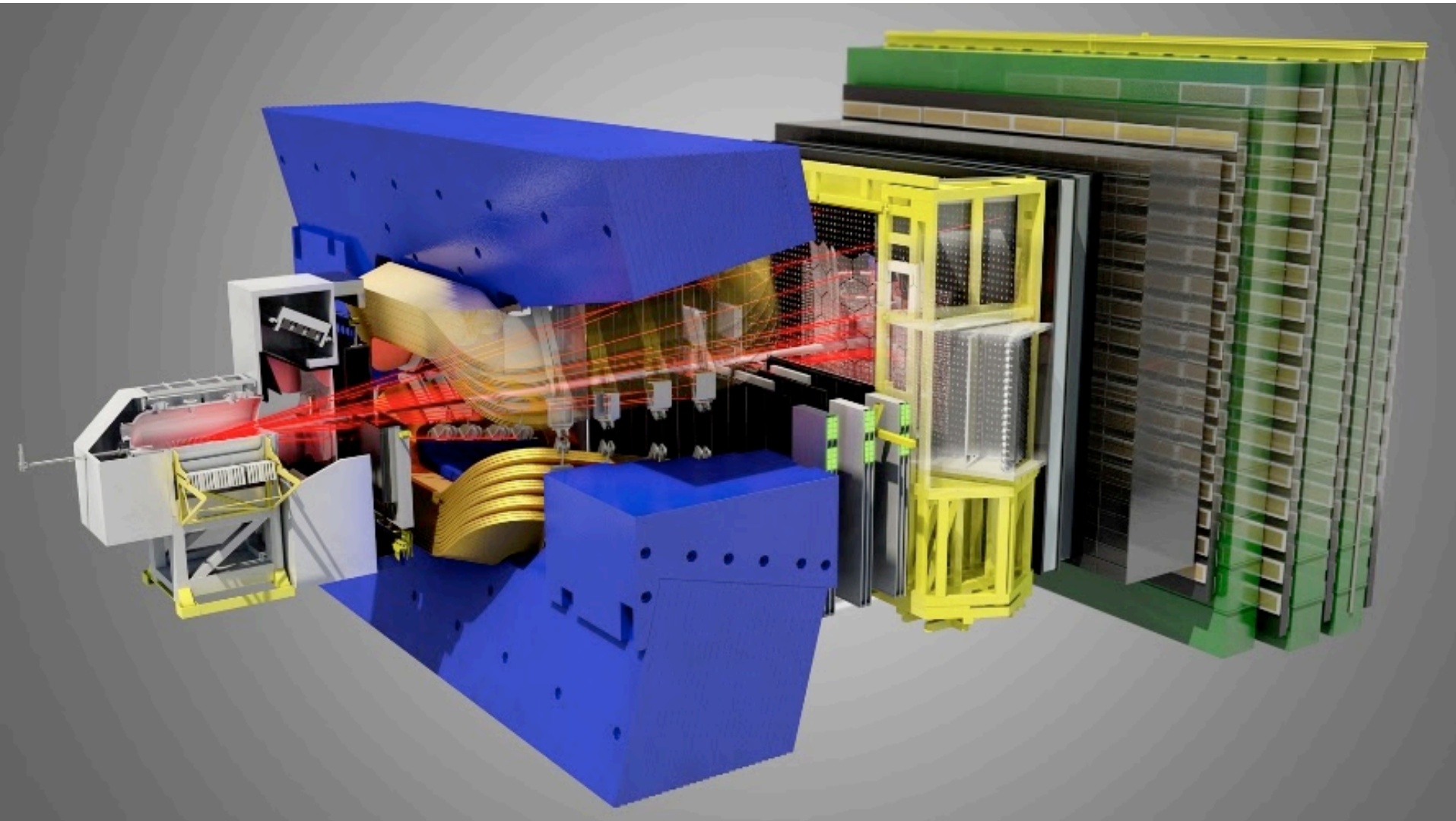
▶ LHCb new constraints:

$$m_{LQ}(B_s \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-) > 107(101) \text{ TeV}/c^2 @ 90(95)\% \text{CL},$$

$$m_{LQ}(B_d \rightarrow e^+ \mu^-) > 135(126) \text{ TeV}/c^2 @ 90(95)\% \text{CL}$$

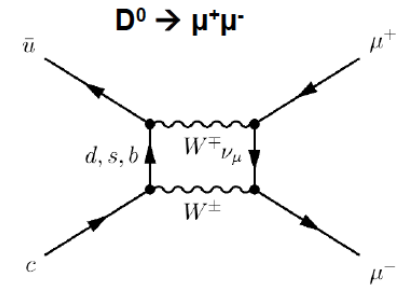
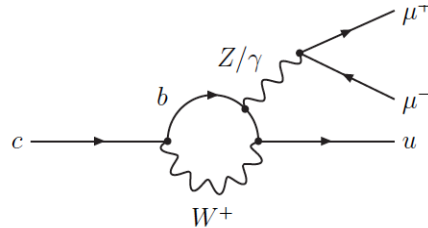


# Charm rare decays



# Charm rare decays - Motivations

$$c \rightarrow u \mu^+ \mu^-$$



- Suppression from GIM mechanism (down-type quarks in the loop)  
**Absence of very high-mass down-type quarks**
- Predictions harder because of non-negligible long distance contributions  
 (Burdman et al.) *Phys. Rev. Lett. D* 66, 014009 (2002)  
 $B(D^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu) \approx 3 \times 10^{-13}$       90% CL
- Current best limit is from Belle *Phys. Rev. D* 81, 091102 (2010)  
 $B(D^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu) < 1.4 \times 10^{-7}$       90% CL

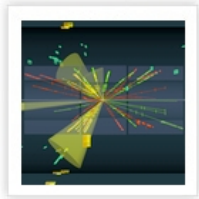
Decay is sensitive to:

- Supersymmetry with R-parity violation
- New spin 1 boson, V, Golowich et al. *Phys. Rev. D* 79 (2009) 114030.

$$B^V(D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = \frac{f_D^2 m_\mu^2 M_D}{32\pi M_V^4} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_\mu^2}{M_D^2}} (g_{V1} - g_{V2})^2 (g'_{V1} - g'_{V2})^2$$

$g_{V1}$  ( $g_{V2}$ ) and  $g'_{V1}$  ( $g'_{V2}$ ) coupling to left (right) handed quarks and leptons

- New spin 0 scalar, also proportional to  $1 / M_s^4$



# Charm rare decays

## General strategy at LHCb

- Use  $D^*$ -tagged sample :  $D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi_{\text{slow}}^+$

- Very rare means very high relative combinatorial background  
 → Use Multivariate Analysis

- Another difficulty with charm decays: very high peaking backgrounds (Ex:  $D \rightarrow \pi\pi > 10^6 \times D \rightarrow \mu\mu$ )

→ Use particle identification to fight against  $\pi \rightarrow \mu$  misID

- Normalized Measurements to help controlling the systematics

$$BF_{(signal)} = BF_{(norm)} \frac{\varepsilon_{(norm)}}{\varepsilon_{(signal)}} \frac{N_{(signal)}}{N_{(norm)}}$$

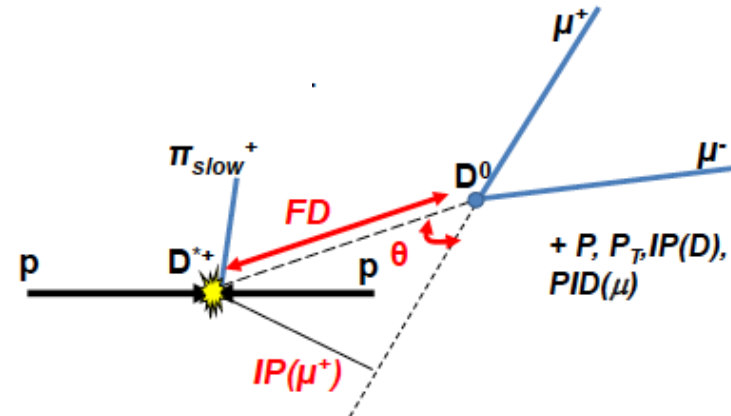
Ex. :  $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$   
 and  $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \varphi(\mu^+ \mu^-)$

- Efficiencies : simulations + extensive data-driven corrections & systematics

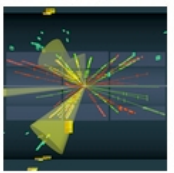
$J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ,  $D \rightarrow K\pi$ ,  $\Lambda \rightarrow p \pi$ ,  $K_s \rightarrow \pi\pi$  : reconstruction, PID, trigger efficiencies ...

- $\pi \leftrightarrow \mu$  misID rate: simulations and control from data:  $D \rightarrow K\pi$ , with  $\pi$  swapped with  $\mu$

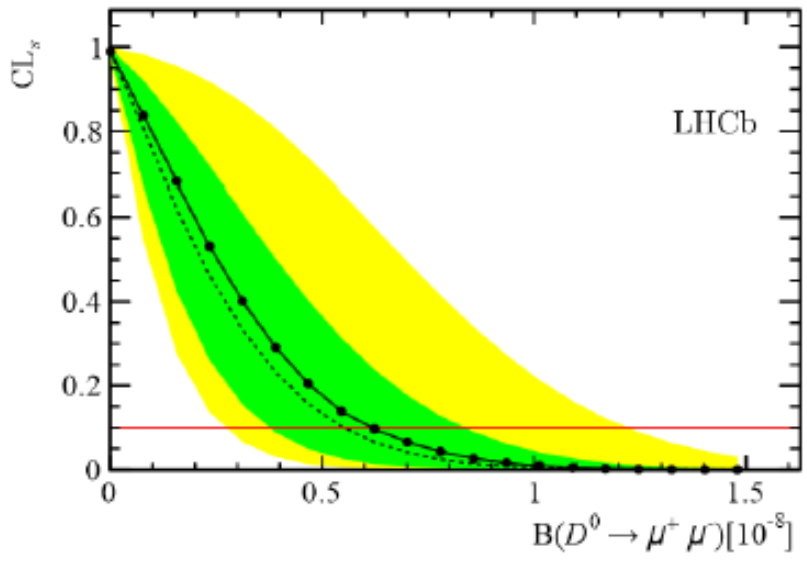
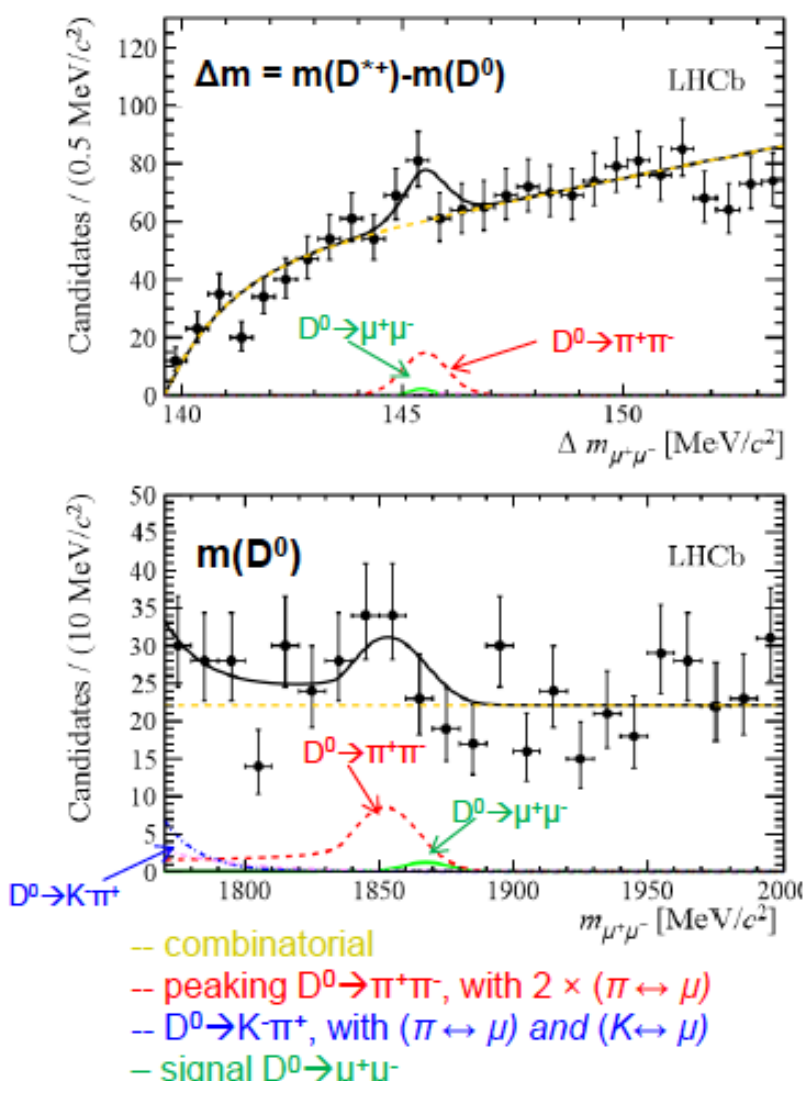
- Blind analyses, Upper limits from the CLs method [A. Read, J. Phys. G28 (2002)]







# $D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb



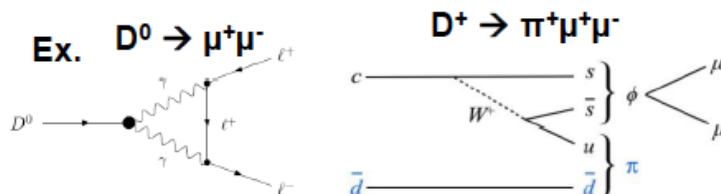
$BF(D^0 \rightarrow \mu\mu) < 6.2 (7.6) \cdot 10^{-9}$   
 @ 90% (95%) CL

- ✓ 20 times better than previous limit
- ✓ Still 2 orders of magnitude above the SM prediction

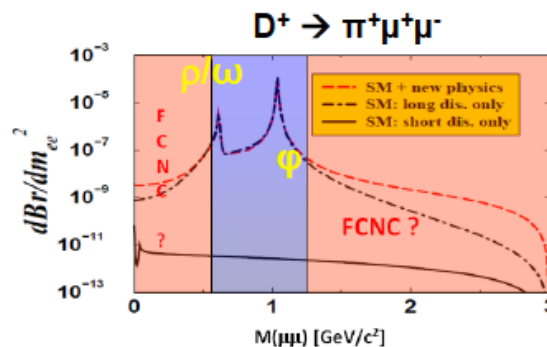


# Rare charm – General considerations

- Branching ratios dominated by long distance (LD) effects, via intermediate states



- The solution adopted by present searches is to measure BF's far from the resonances



- Recent literature suggests to use **asymmetries** (CP, T-odd, FB,...): **SD amplitudes** are more likely to compete with **LD** in an interference than in a BF. In that case, even the resonant regions are useful.

| Mode                       | T-odd asym | FB asym |
|----------------------------|------------|---------|
| $K^-\pi^+\mu^+\mu^-$ (CF)  | ~ 7%       | ~ 0.06% |
| $K^+\pi^-\mu^+\mu^-$ (DCS) | ~ 7%       | ~ 3%    |
| $K^+K^-\mu^+\mu^-$         | ~ 6%       | ~ 0.5%  |
| $\pi^-\pi^+\mu^+\mu^-$     | ~ 8%       | ~ 0.5%  |

Ex: arXiv:1209.4235v2

We measure the total BF's with present data to predict our future sensitivity (e.g. upgrade).

L. Cappiello et al. arXiv:1209.4235 (2013)  
 S. Fajfer et al. PRD87, 054026 (2013)  
 I. Bigi et al. JHEP03, 021 (2012)

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O. Kochebina at EPS2013

# Experimental status up to 2011

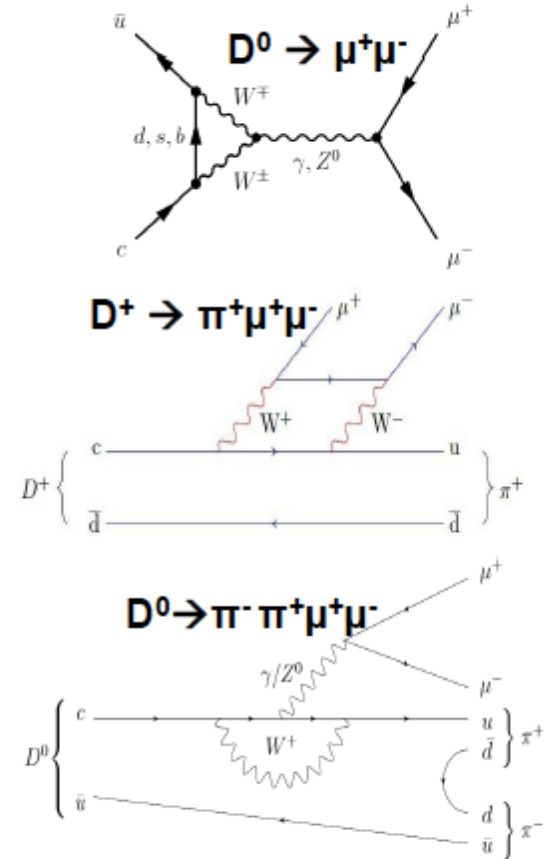
## Upper limits of BF, @90% CL

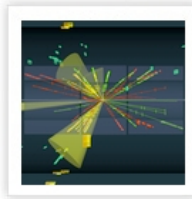
|   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| $D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$             | $1.4 \times 10^{-7}$ [1] |
| $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$       | $3.9 \times 10^{-6}$ [2] |
| $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$     | $2.6 \times 10^{-5}$ [3] |
| $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+$       | $2.0 \times 10^{-6}$ [4] |
| $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+$     | $1.4 \times 10^{-5}$ [4] |
| $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$   | $3.6 \times 10^{-4}$ [5] |
| $D^0 \rightarrow K^- K^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$     | $3.3 \times 10^{-5}$ [5] |
| $D^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ | $3.0 \times 10^{-5}$ [5] |

$\sim 10^{-5} - 10^{-6}$

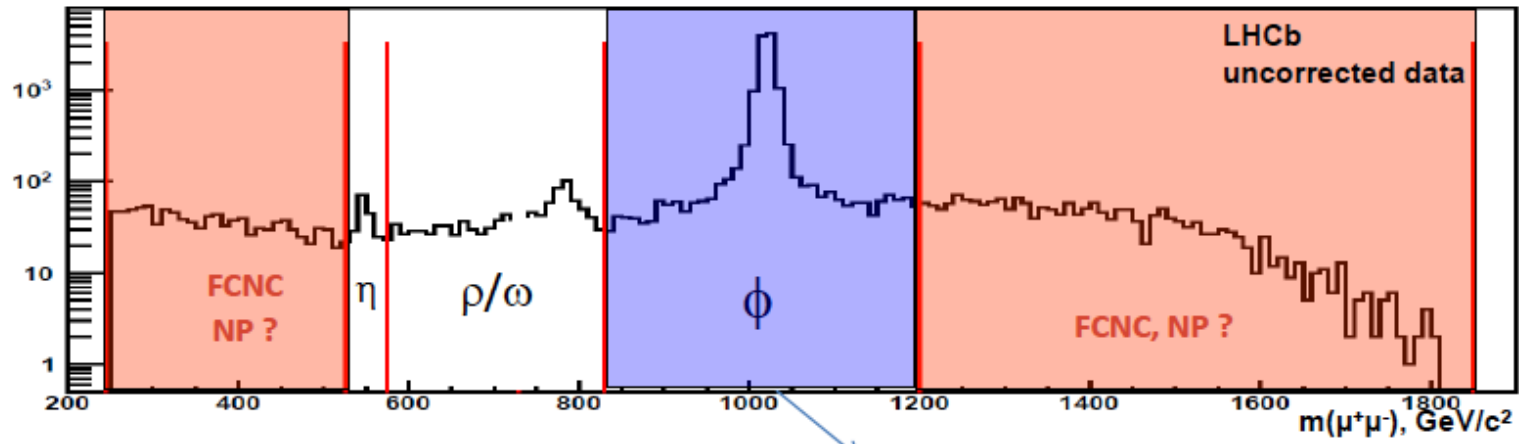
$\sim 10^{-4} - 10^{-5}$

- [1] Belle, PRD81,091102 (2010)  
 [2] D0, PRL 100,101801 (2008)  
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 [5] E791, PRL 86, 3969 (2001)

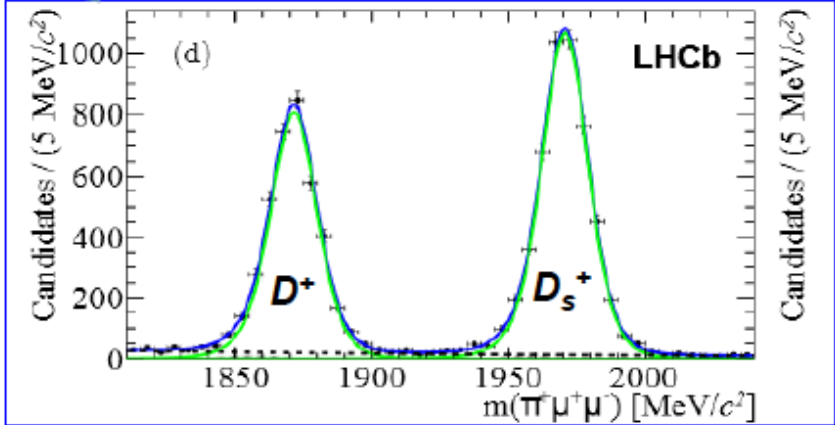


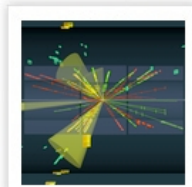


# $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb

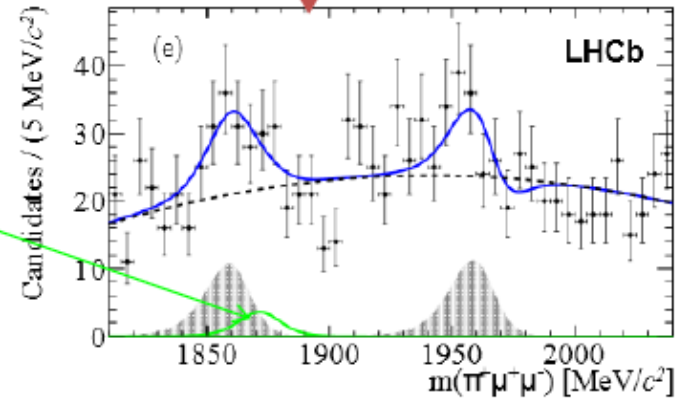
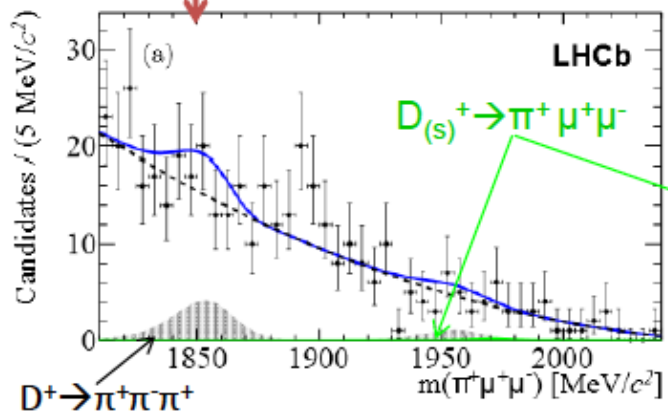
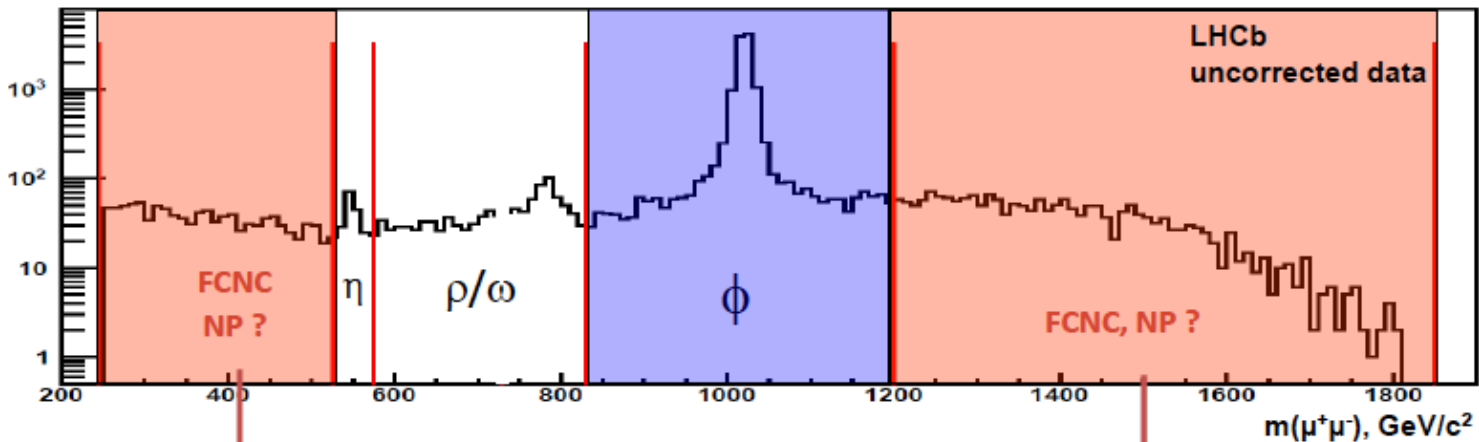


- $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \phi (\mu\mu^+)$  mode:
  - ◆ Normalization
  - ◆ “Standard candle”: provides a signal proxy to optimize the selection, constrain the PDF’s shape, study and correct data/MC...

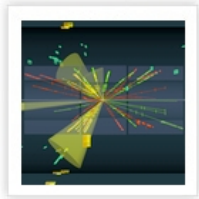




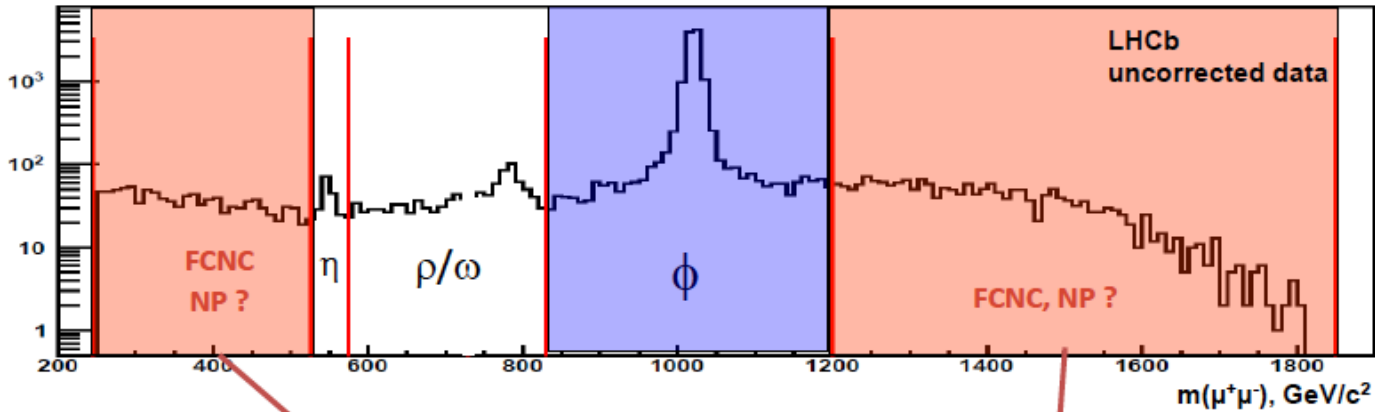
# $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb



- Peaking background :  $D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^+$  with double misID  $\pi \leftrightarrow \mu$ 
  - ◆ Shapes determined from data sample (loosened muon ID)
  - ◆ The fit is able to determine the yields



# $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-$ at LHCb

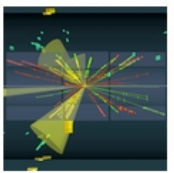


*Upper limits,  $\times 10^{-8}$  @ 90% (95%) CL*

|   |           |             |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| $BF(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)$   | 2.0 (2.5) | 2.6 (2.9)   |
| $BF(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-)$ | 6.9 (7.7) | 16.0 (18.6) |

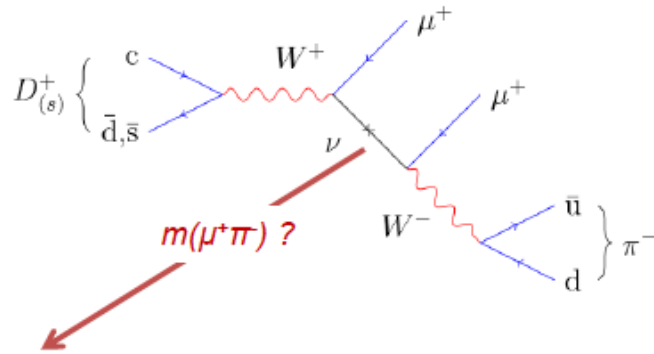
**Total:**  
 $BF(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) < 7.3 (8.3) \cdot 10^{-8}$  @ 90% (95%) CL  
 $BF(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ \mu^-) < 4.1 (4.8) \cdot 10^{-7}$  @ 90 % (95%) CL

- ✓ ~ 50 times better than previous limit
  - ✓ Still orders of magnitude above the SM prediction
- O.Kochebina at EPS2013



# Majorana neutrino with $D^+_{(s)} \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+$

- Searches in regions of  $m(\mu^+\pi^-)$  which is the mass of a potential majorana neutrino



| Region [MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ]              | 250 < M( $\mu\pi$ ) < 1140 | 1140 < M( $\mu\pi$ ) < 1340 | 1340 < M( $\mu\pi$ ) < 1540 | 1540 < M( $\mu\pi$ ) |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| $BF(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+)$   | 1.4 (1.7)                  | 1.1 (1.3)                   | 1.3 (1.5)                   | 1.3 (1.5)            |
| $BF(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+)$ | 6.2 (7.6)                  | 4.4 (5.3)                   | 6.0 (7.3)                   | 7.5 (8.7)            |

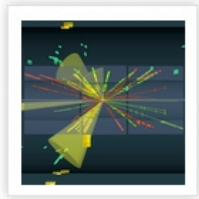
Total:

$$BF(D^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+) < 2.2 (2.5) \cdot 10^{-8} @ 90\% (95\%) CL$$

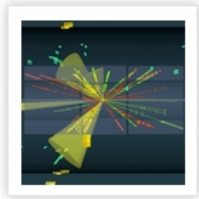
$$BF(D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \mu^+) < 1.2 (1.4) \cdot 10^{-7} @ 90\% (95\%) CL$$

✓ ~ 50 times better than previous limit

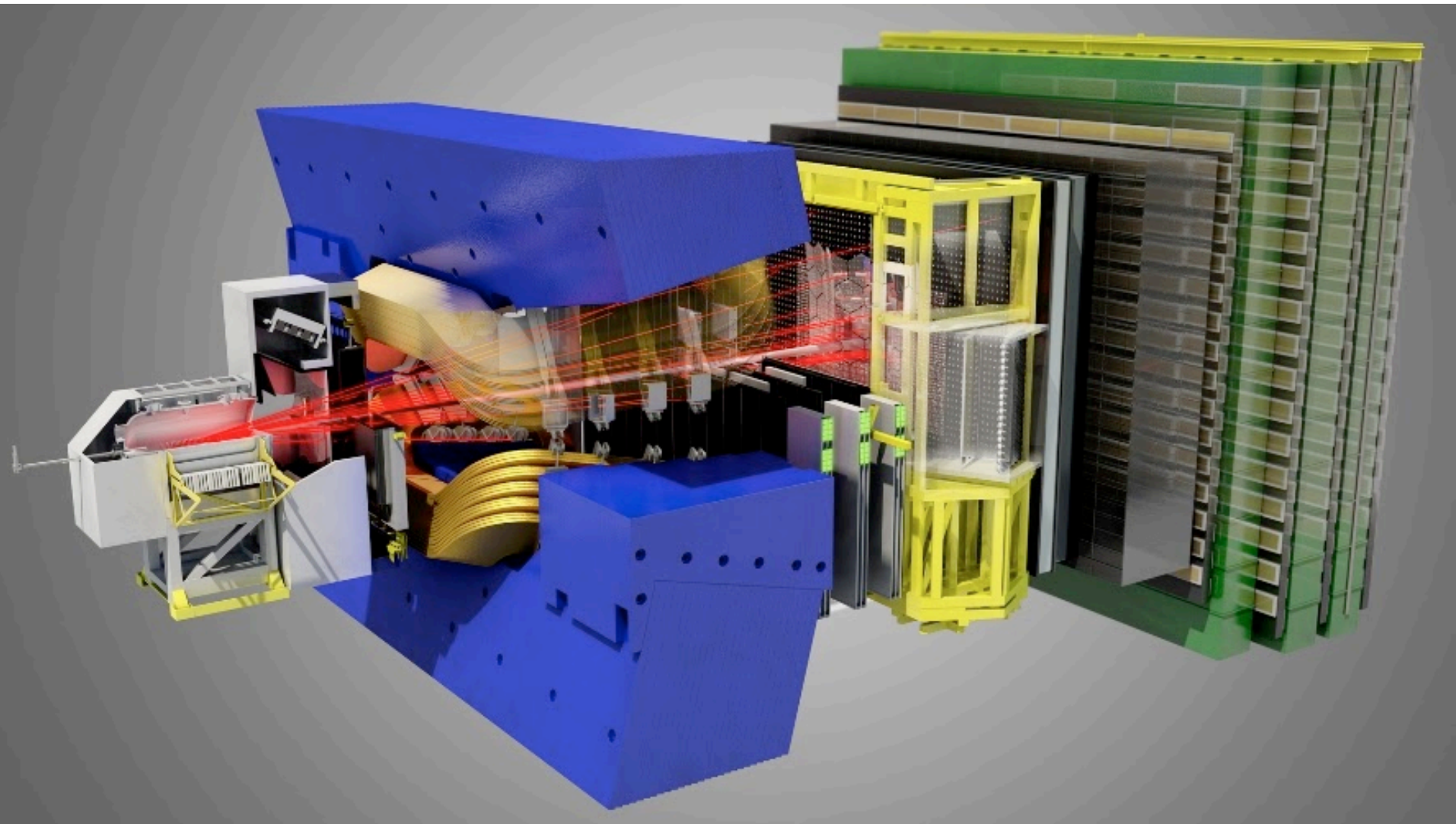




# BACKUP



# Rare $\tau$ decays



# Lepton Flavour Violation in $\tau^\pm \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \mu^\pm$

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## LFV decay $\tau \rightarrow \mu\mu\mu$

In SM only allowed via neutrino oscillations with **BR**  $\sim 10^{-54}$ . Some New Physics models predict significant enhancement:

BR  $\sim 10^{-10} - 10^{-8}$

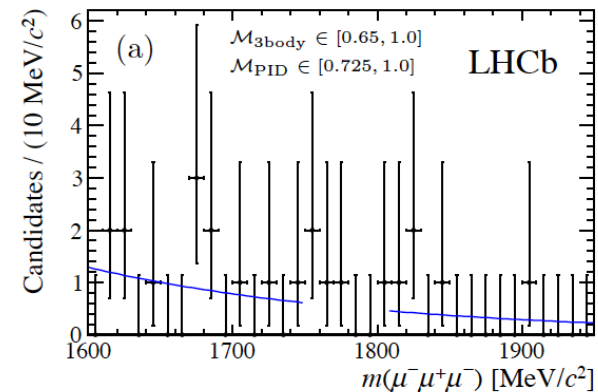
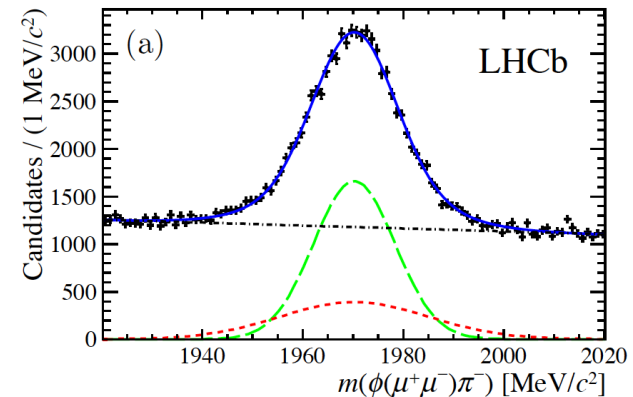
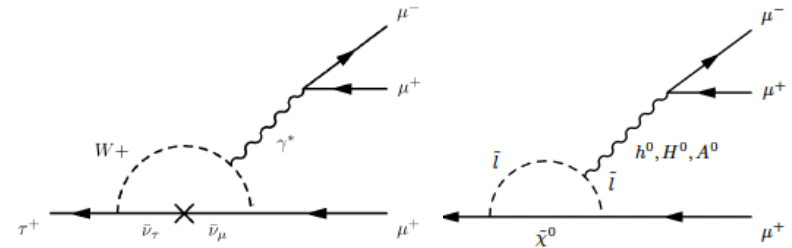
So far only measurements at  $e^+e^-$  colliders:  
**BR ( $\tau^\pm \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \mu^\pm$ )  $< 2.1 \times 10^{-8}$  (90% CL)**  
**is current best limit from Belle (782 fb $^{-1}$ )**  
**[Phys. Lett. B 687 (2010) 3]**

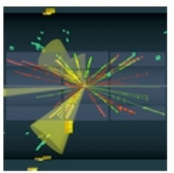
At LHC large  $\tau$  production cross section:  
 $\sim 80 \mu\text{b}$  (25% in LHCb acceptance)

$\sim 10^{11}$   $\tau$  decays/y in LHCb (from  $D_s \rightarrow \tau \nu_\mu$ )  
 Normalisation to  $D_s \rightarrow \phi(\mu\mu)\pi$

**BR  $< 8.0 \times 10^{-8}$  (90% CL)**  
**LHCb: 1.0 fb $^{-1}$**

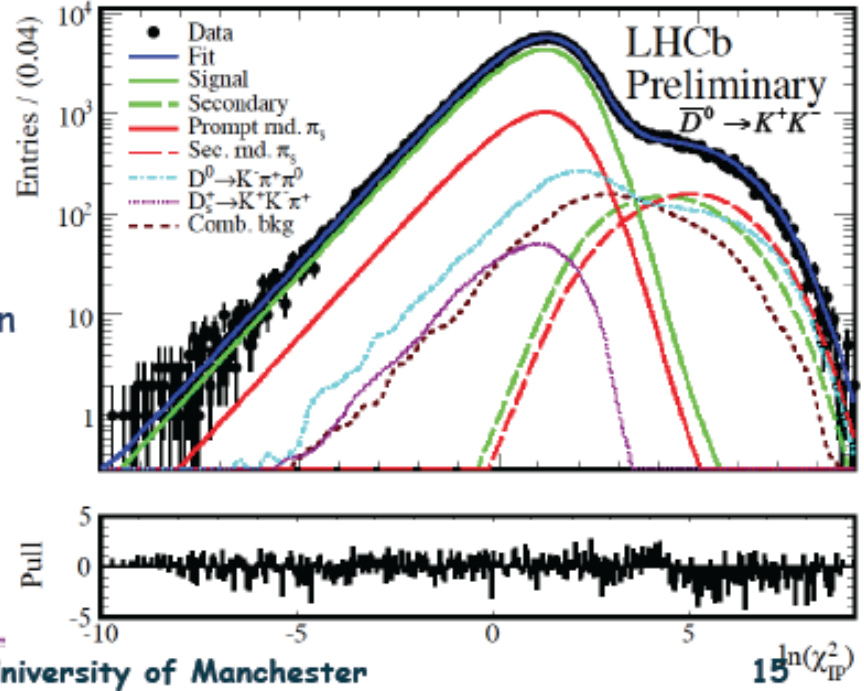
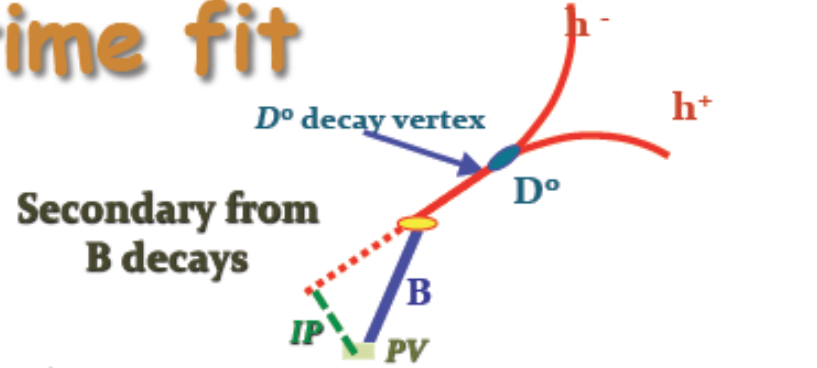
Proof of principle for a hadron collider:  
 Good prospects for future

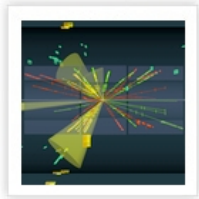




## 2<sup>nd</sup> step Lifetime fit

- Main background due to secondary  $D^0$ 
  - Dangerous background  $\rightarrow$  bias the lifetime measurement
  - Not distinguishable by the invariant mass distribution
  - Need statistical separation by  $\ln(\chi^2_{IP})$
- Simultaneous fit of proper time and  $\ln(\chi^2_{IP})$  to distinguish between prompt and secondary





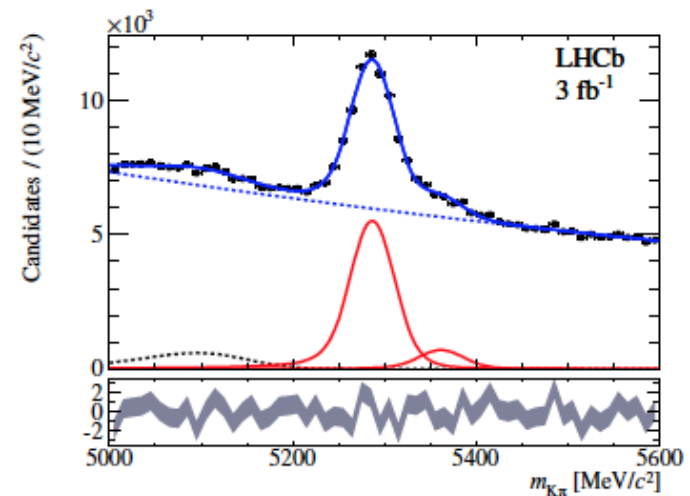
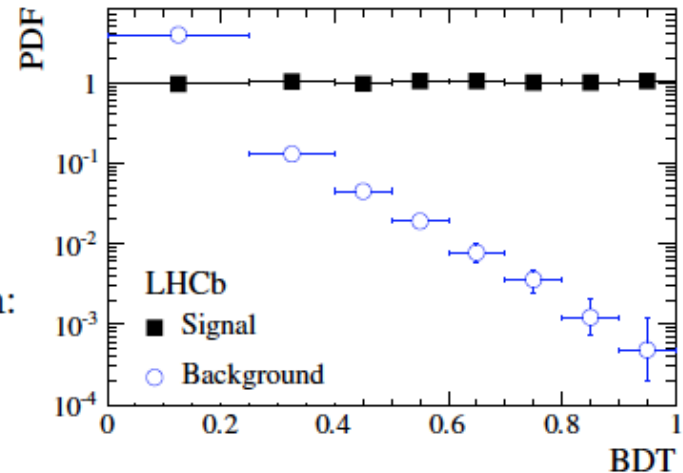
## Calibrations

[arXiv:1307.5024]

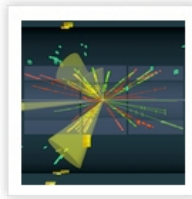
- ▶ BDT classifier PDFs are calibrated using:
  - $B \rightarrow hh'$  events for signal
  - mass sidebands  $B \rightarrow \mu\mu$  candidates for bkg
- ▶ Invariant mass:
  - signal described by a Crystal Ball function:
    - mean value calibrated with exclusive  $B \rightarrow hh'$  decays
    - resolution from di- $\mu$  resonance and exclusive  $B \rightarrow hh'$
  - background PDFs from data sidebands

$$\sigma_{B^0} = 22.8 \pm 0.4 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$

$$\sigma_{B^0_s} = 23.2 \pm 0.4 \text{ MeV}/c^2$$







# Updated results $B^0_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

## Normalization

[arXiv:1307.5024]

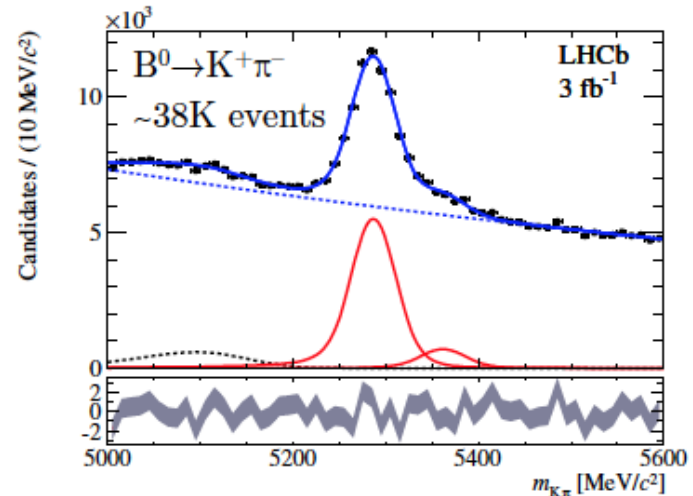
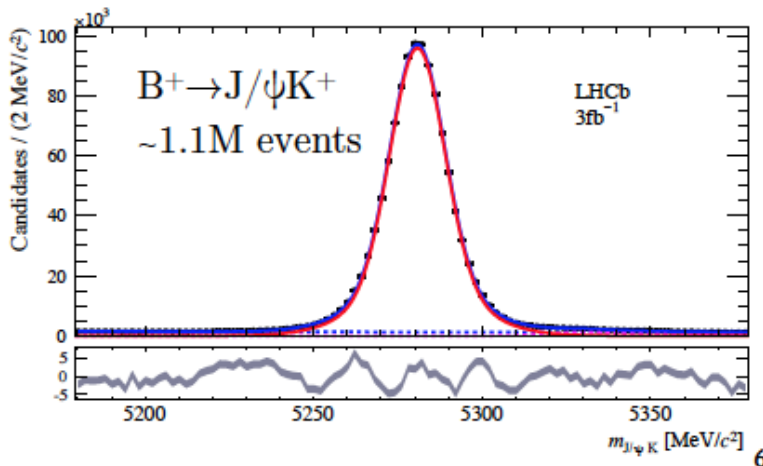
- ▶ Two control channels used for the normalization:  $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$  and  $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$

$$BR = BR_{\text{cal}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\text{cal}}^{\text{REC}} \epsilon_{\text{cal}}^{\text{SEL}}}{\epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{REC}} \epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{SEL}}} \times \frac{\epsilon_{\text{cal}}^{\text{TRIG}}}{\epsilon_{\text{sig}}^{\text{TRIG}}} \times \frac{f_{\text{cal}}}{f_{d(s)}} \times \frac{N_{B^0(s) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-}}{N_{\text{cal}}} = \alpha_{(s)} \times N_{B^0(s) \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-}$$

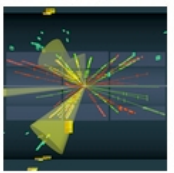
- ▶ From MC and x-checked on data
- ▶ Trigger efficiency from  $J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$  data
- ▶  $f_s/f_d$  from LHCb measurement (next slide)
- ▶ Using the SM signal we expect  $39.5 \pm 4.3 B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  and  $4.5 \pm 0.4 B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

$$\alpha_s = (9.41 \pm 0.65) \cdot 10^{-11}$$

$$\alpha = (2.40 \pm 0.09) \cdot 10^{-11}$$







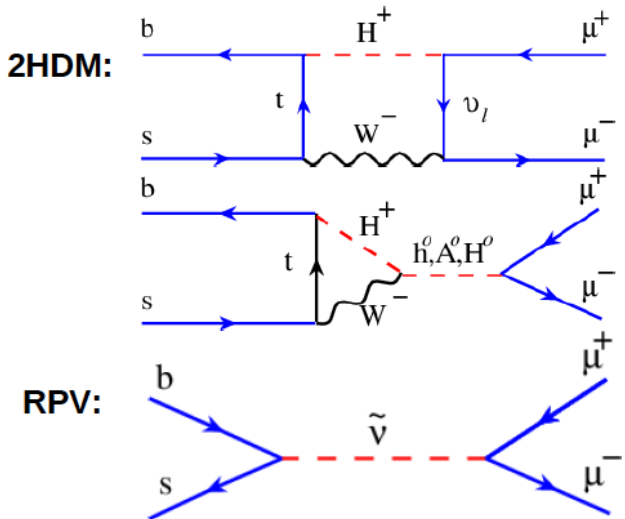
# Updated results $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

Doubly suppressed decay: **FCNC process** and **helicity suppressed**.

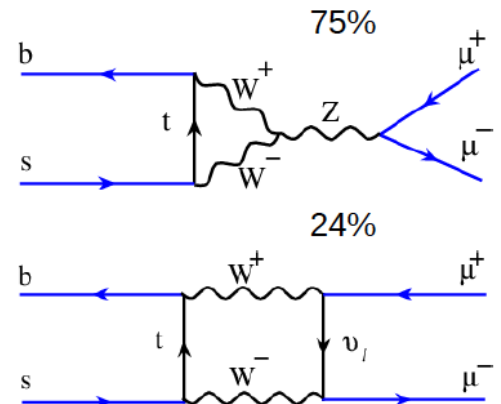
$$B(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) \propto \left(1 - \frac{4m_\mu^2}{m_{B_s}^2}\right) |C_S - C'_S|^2 + \left| (C_P - C'_P) + 2 \frac{m_\mu}{m_{B_s}} (C_{10} - C'_{10}) \right|^2$$

In MSSM:

$$C_{S,P}^{MSSM} \propto \frac{m_b^2 m_\mu^2 \tan^6 \beta}{M_A^4}$$



SM contributions:

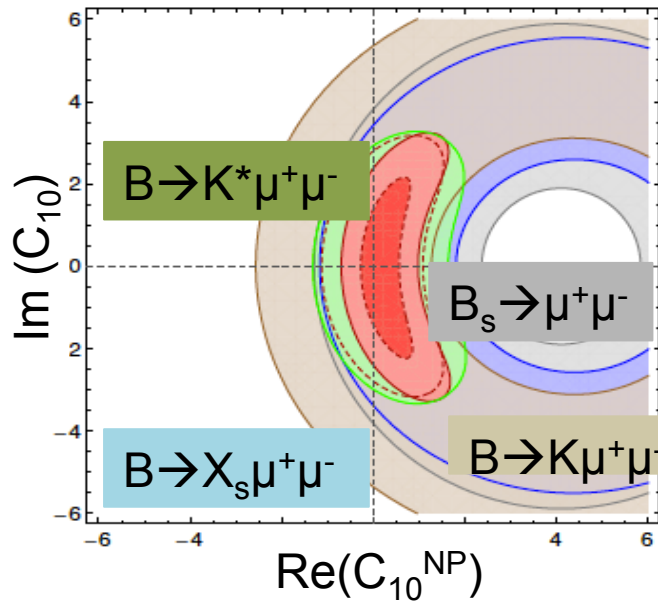


| Mode                          | SM                              |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ | $3.28 \pm 0.17 \times 10^{-9}$  |
| $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ | $1.07 \pm 0.10 \times 10^{-10}$ |

A.J.Buras et al: arXiv:1303.3820+PDG2013

sensitive to contributions in the **scalar/pseudo-scalar sector**  
 highly interesting to probe **extended Higgs** models and **high  $\tan\beta$**   
 limit or measurement of  $B_{s,d} \rightarrow \mu\mu$  strongly constrain  **$\tan\beta$  vs  $M_A$  plane**

arXiv:1206.0273



## Constraints on new physics

Measurements of  $B \rightarrow \mu\mu$ ,  $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$ ,  $B \rightarrow X_s \mu\mu$ ,  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  set limits on the mass scale of non-SM contributions

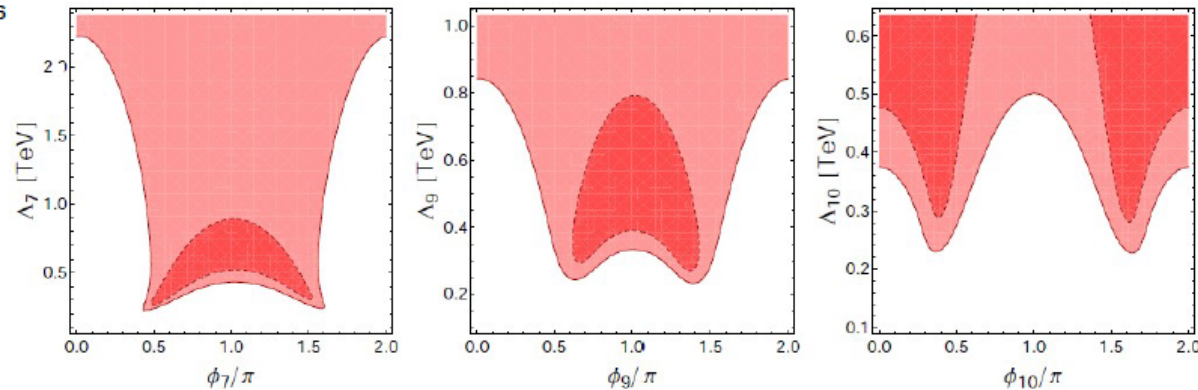
$$H_{\text{eff}} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \sum (C_i O_i + C'_i O'_i) + h.c.$$

Effective Hamiltonian relevant for  $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  and  $b \rightarrow sl^+l^-$

~ loop level CKM-like flavour violation

$$L = L_{SM} - \sum_{j=7,9,10} \frac{V_{tb} V_{ts}^* e^{i\phi_j}}{16\pi^2 \Lambda_j^2} O_j$$

Almannshofer, Paradisi, Straub  
 JHEP 04 (2012) 008 + updates



$$O_{10} = (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{l}\gamma^\mu \gamma_5 l) \quad O_9 = (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{l}\gamma^\mu l) \quad O_7 = \frac{m_b}{e} (\bar{s}\sigma_{\mu\nu} P_R b)(F^{\mu\nu})$$

Nothing with SM type flavour couplings below  $O(400 \text{ GeV})$