



# Review of Unitarity Triangle and Spectroscopy Measurements with LHCb



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# Outline

- General introduction
- The LHCb detector and running conditions
- A review of LHCb's measurements of the Unitarity Triangle parameters
  - The angle  $\beta$
  - The triangle sides
  - The angle  $\gamma$
- Recent measurements on spectroscopy
- Summary and outlook

# The CKM matrix

- The CKM matrix is unitary, and reduces to three rotation angles and one phase.
- The Wolfenstein parameterisation is commonly used to expand in orders of  $\lambda$ , the sine of the Cabibbo angle:  $\lambda \sim 0.22$
- The phase gives rise to CP violation in the SM

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

- Measured magnitudes:

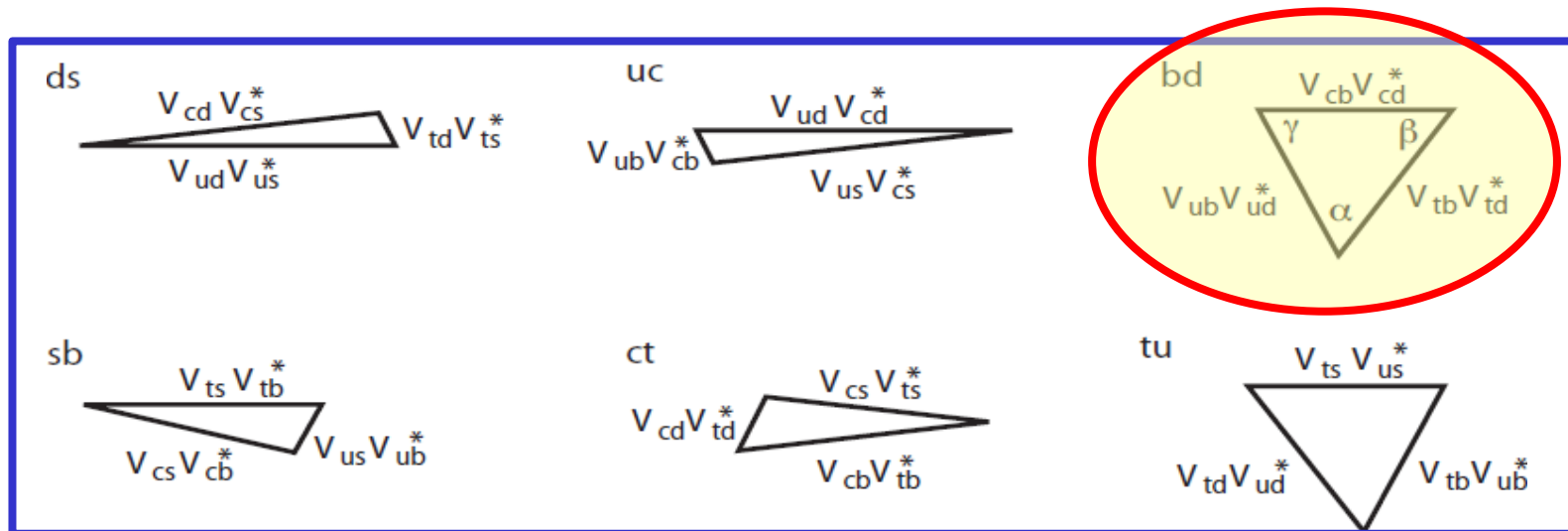
$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} 0.97434^{+0.00011}_{-0.00012} & 0.22506 \pm 0.00050 & 0.00357 \pm 0.00015 \\ 0.22492 \pm 0.00050 & 0.97351 \pm 0.00013 & 0.0411 \pm 0.0013 \\ 0.00875^{+0.00032}_{-0.00033} & 0.0403 \pm 0.0013 & 0.99915 \pm 0.00005 \end{pmatrix}$$

<http://pdg.lbl.gov/2016/reviews/rpp2016-rev-ckm-matrix.pdf>

# The Unitarity Triangle

- 6 unitarity conditions of the CKM matrix
- Gives 6 triangles in the complex plane
- 2 of these triangles do not have a side much shorter than the other two:

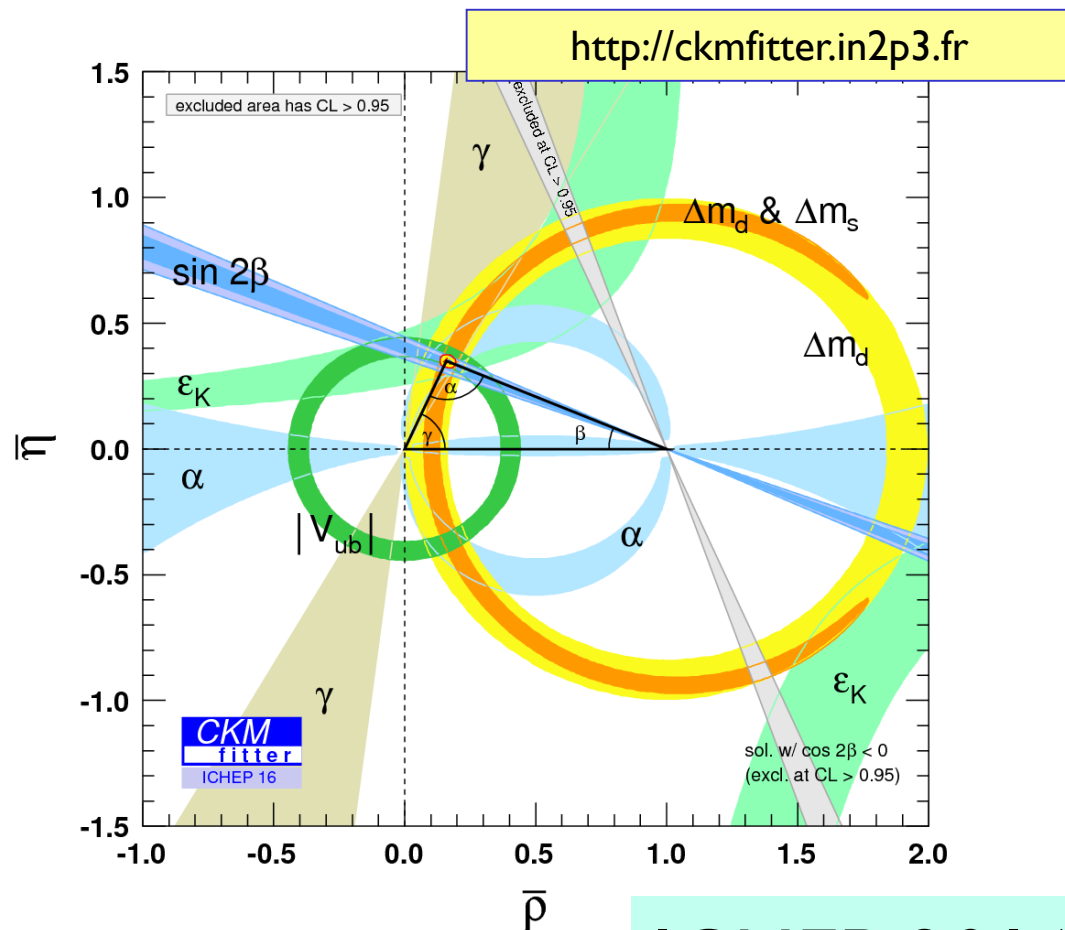
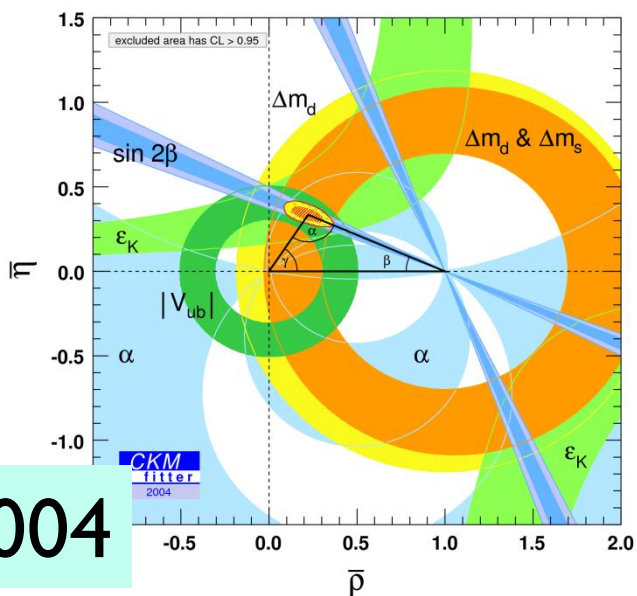
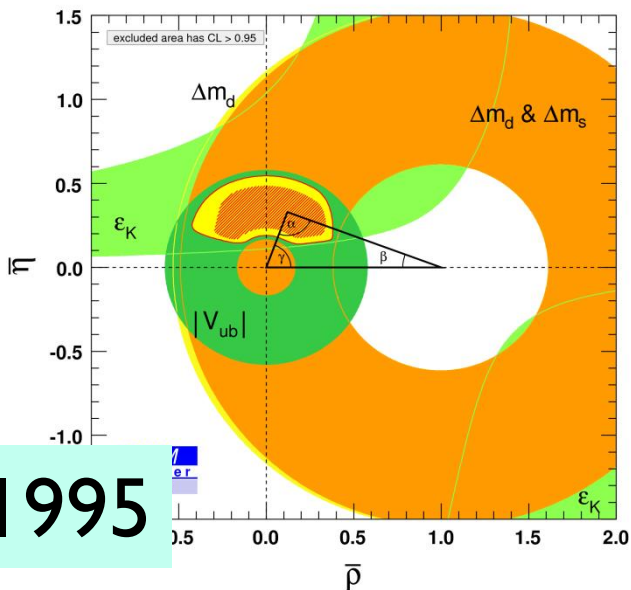
$$(V_{ub}^* V_{ud} + V_{cb}^* V_{cd} + V_{tb}^* V_{td}) = 0 \quad (V_{ud}^* V_{td} + V_{us}^* V_{ts} + V_{ub}^* V_{tb}) = 0$$



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# Unitarity triangle measurements

- Amazing progress in the last 20 years; the SM remains intact, but still a whole lot still to learn

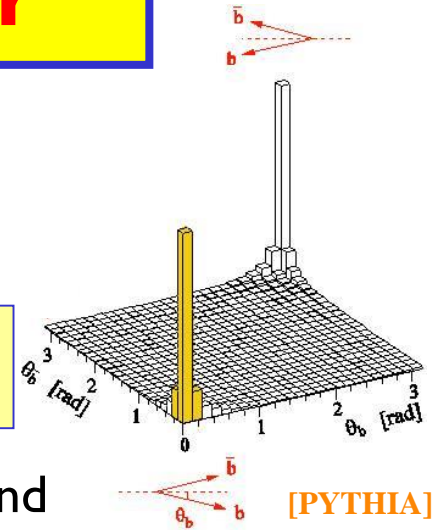


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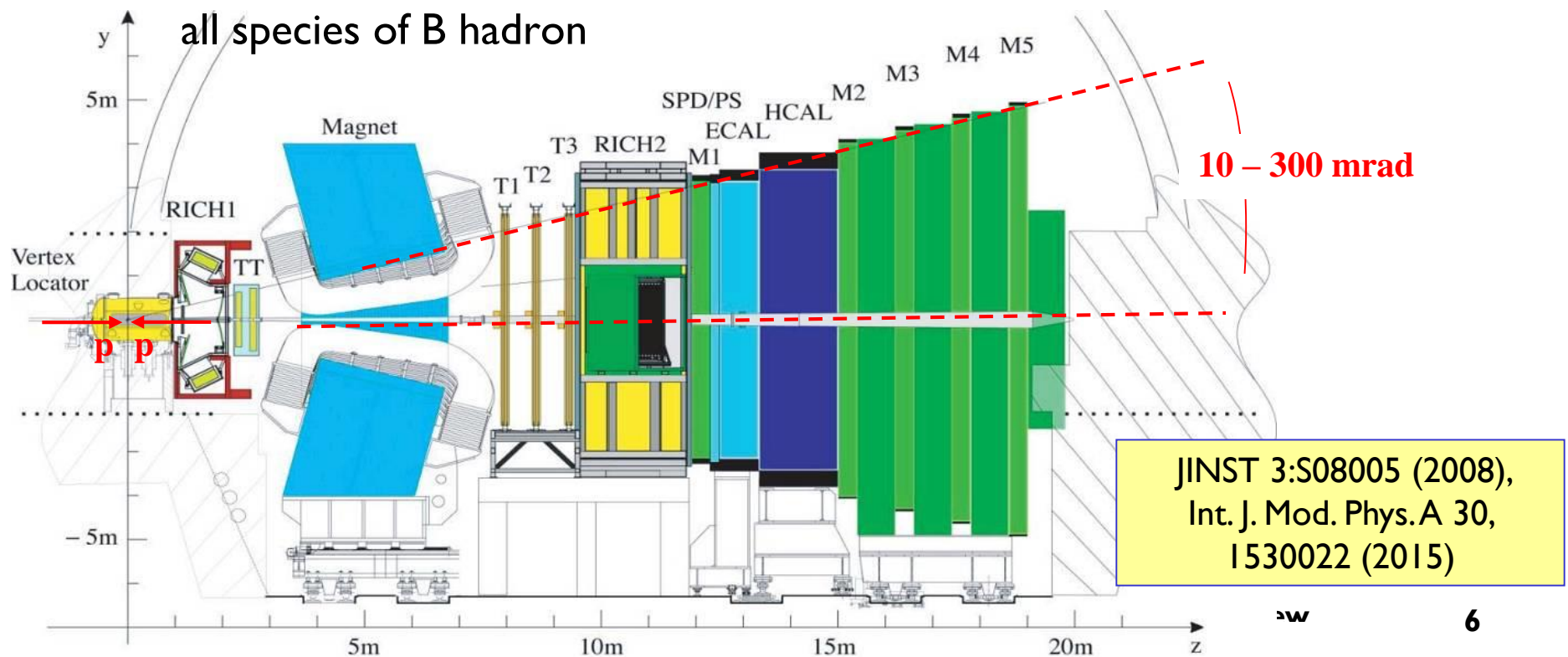
# LHCb forward spectrometer

- Forward-peaked production → LHCb is a forward spectrometer (operating in LHC collider mode)
- $b\bar{b}$  cross-section =  $72.0 \pm 0.3 \pm 6.8 \mu\text{b}$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$   
in the LHCb acceptance  $2 < \eta < 5$   
At  $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ :  $154.3 \pm 1.5 \pm 14.3 \mu\text{b}$

PRL 118, 052002  
(2017)



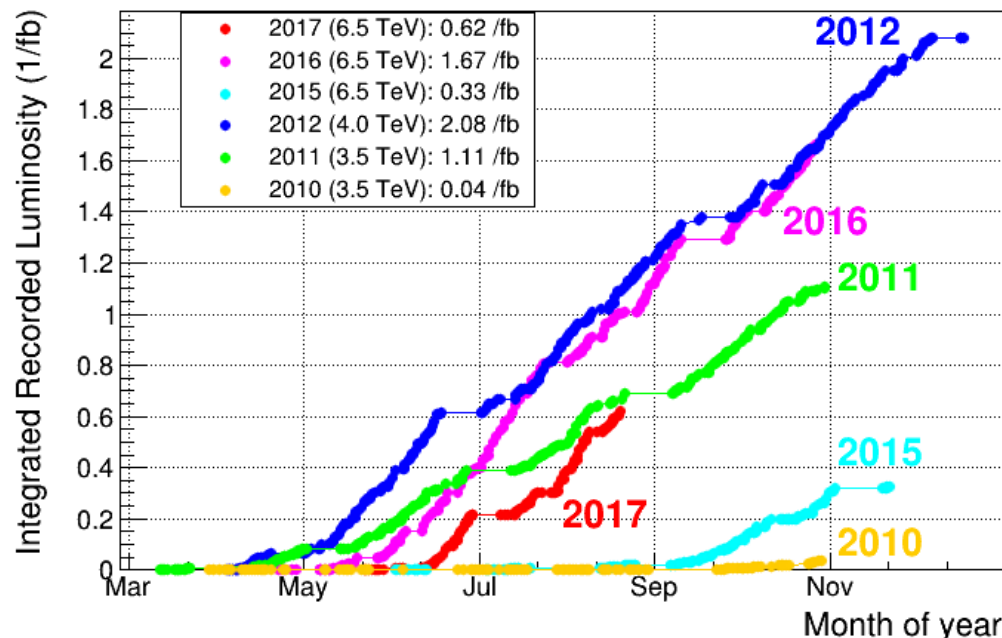
→ ~ 100,000  $b\bar{b}$  pairs produced/second ( $10^4 \times$  B factories) and all species of B hadron



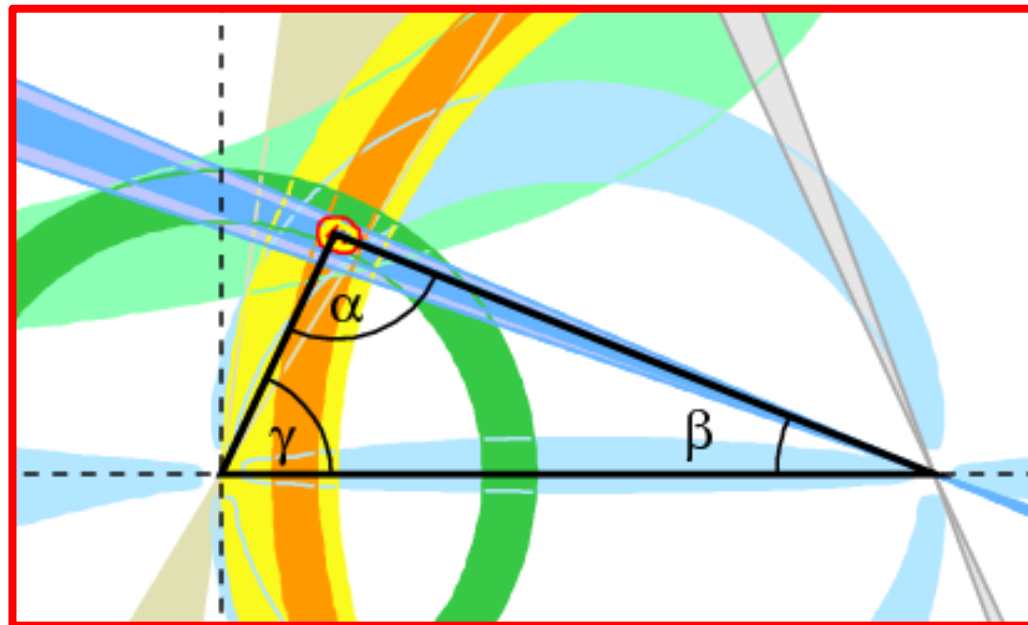
# LHCb data taking

- Nominal luminosity =  $2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  (50 times less than ATLAS/CMS) : moreover, LHCb learned to run at  $>2$  times this
  - $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @ 7 TeV in 2010-11
  - $2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @ 8 TeV in 2012
  - $2.6 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  @ 13 TeV in 2015-17

LHCb Integrated Recorded Luminosity in pp, 2010-2017

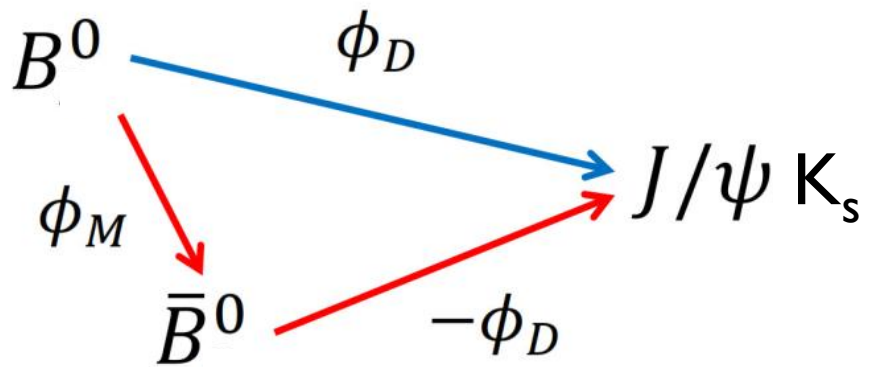


# The angle $\beta$

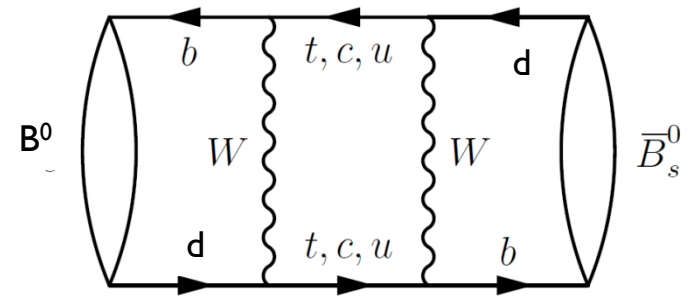
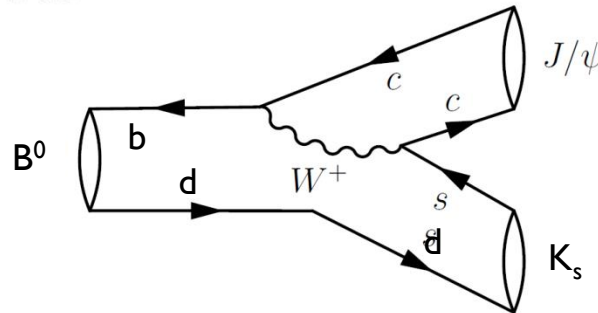




# Measurement of angle $\beta$



$$\beta \equiv \arg \left[ -\frac{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*}{V_{td}V_{tb}^*} \right]$$



- Interference between  $B^0$  decay to  $J/\psi K_s^0$  directly and via  $B^0 \bar{B}^0$  oscillation gives rise to a CP violating phase

$$\phi = \phi_{\text{Mixing}} - 2\phi_{\text{Decay}} = 2\beta$$

# LHCb measurement of $\sin(2\beta)$

$\sin(2\beta)$  from  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$

Phys. Rev. Lett 115,031601 (2015)

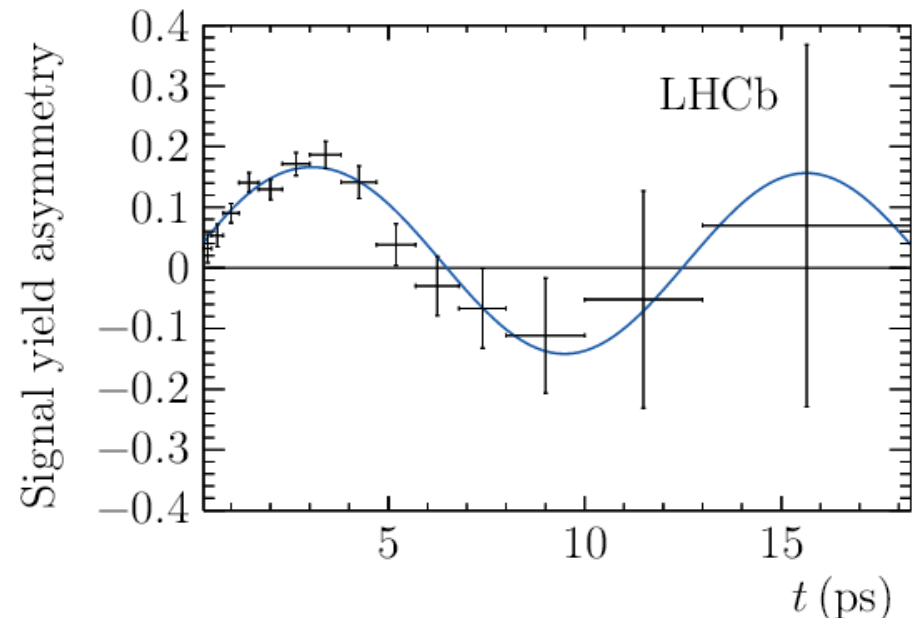
$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{A}_{J/\psi K_S^0}(t) &\equiv \frac{\Gamma(\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0) - \Gamma(B^0(t) \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0)}{\Gamma(\bar{B}^0(t) \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0) + \Gamma(B^0(t) \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0)} \\ &= S_{J/\psi K_S^0} \sin(\Delta m_d t) - C_{J/\psi K_S^0} \cos(\Delta m_d t). \end{aligned}$$

where  $S_{J/\psi K_S} = \sin(2\beta)$  assuming  $C_{J/\psi K_S} (\equiv \text{penguin contribution}) = 0$

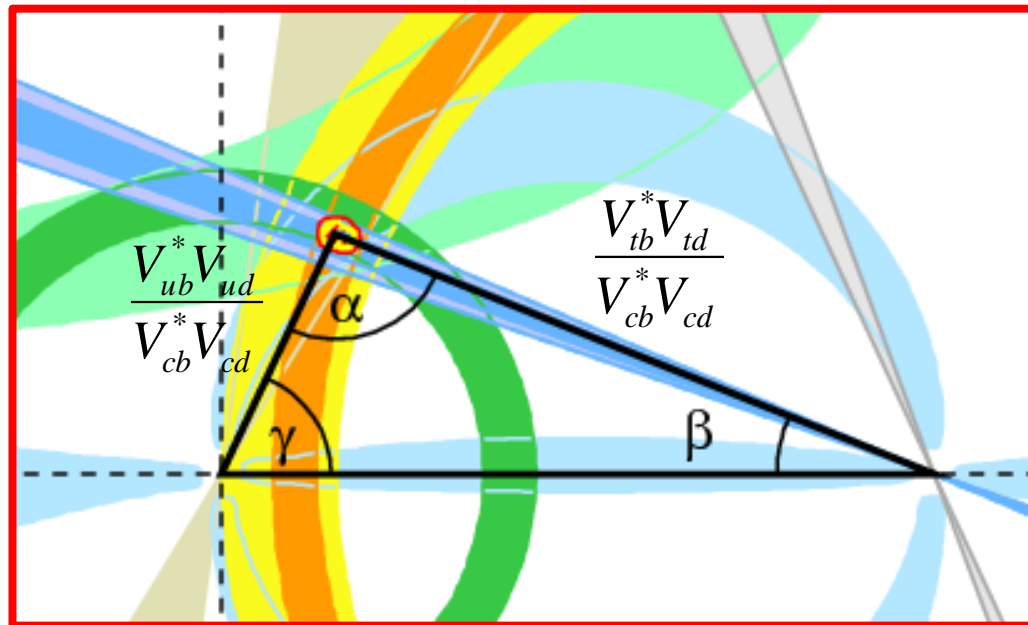
$$S_{J/\psi K_S} = 0.731 \pm 0.035 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.020 \text{ (syst)}$$

$$C_{J/\psi K_S} = 0.0308 \pm 0.032 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.005 \text{ (syst)}$$

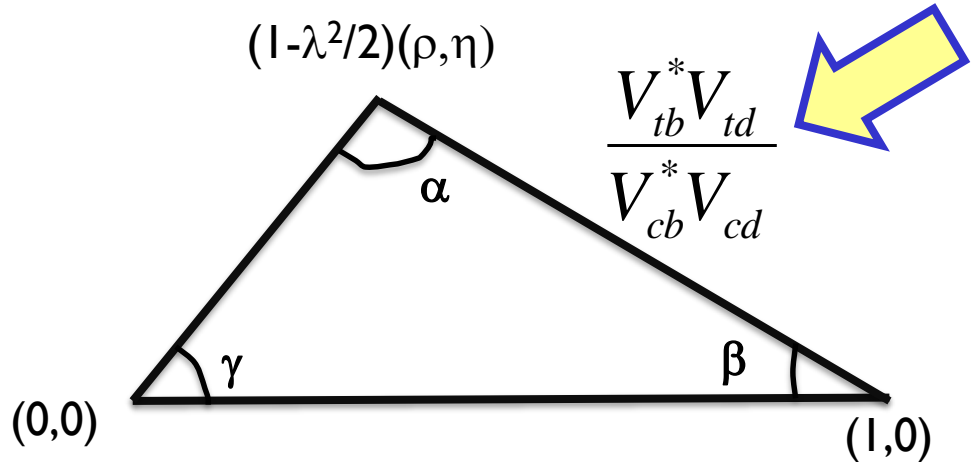
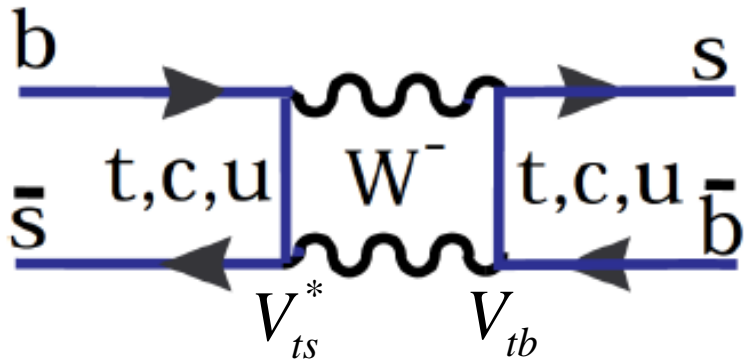
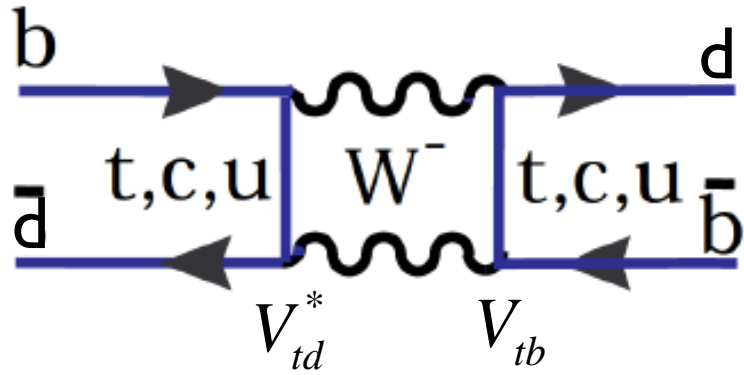
World average from all modes :  
 $\sin(2\beta) = 0.69 \pm 0.02$   
(HFLAV EPS2016)



# The sides of the triangle



# B<sub>(s)</sub> mixing for side opposite to $\gamma$



$$\Delta m_d = \frac{G_F}{6\pi^2} \cdot m_W^2 \cdot \eta_b \cdot S_0\left(\frac{m_t^2}{m_W^2}\right) \cdot m_{B_d} \cdot f_{B_d}^2 \cdot \hat{B}_{B_d} \cdot |V_{tb}|^2 |V_{td}|^2$$

Fermi constant  $\rightarrow$  perturbative QCD  $\rightarrow$  "Inami-Lim function" for box diagram  
 $\Delta m_d$   $\leftarrow$   $m_W$  (W-boson mass)  $\leftarrow$   $m_{B_d}$  ( $B_d$  mass)  $\leftarrow$   $f_{B_d}^2$  (decay constant)  $\leftarrow$   $\hat{B}_{B_d}$  ("bag parameter")

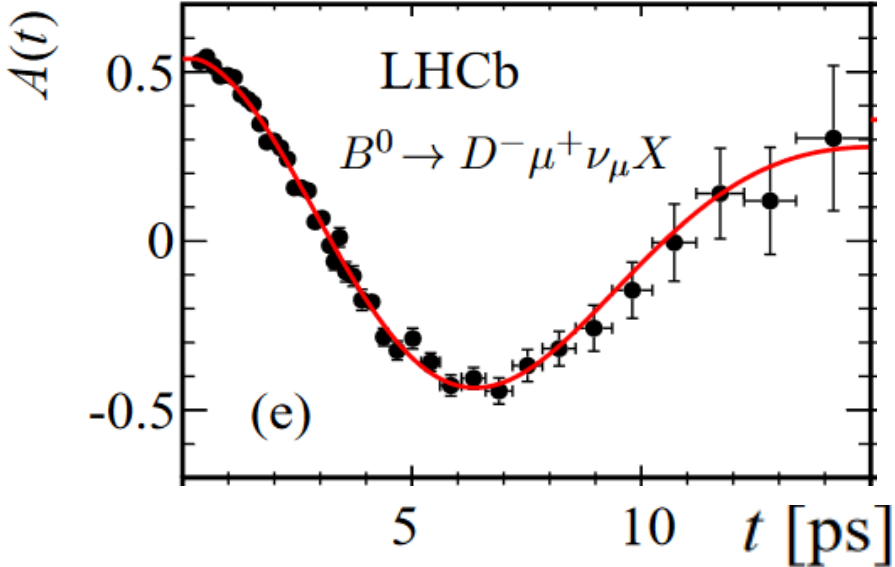
- Mixing loop dominated by the top
- Length of side from ratio of  $B_d$  and  $B_s$  : mixing frequencies extracted with input from lattice QCD (systematics cancel)

$$\left| \frac{V_{tb}^* V_{td}}{V_{cb}^* V_{cd}} \right| \approx \frac{|V_{td}|}{|V_{ts}|} \times \frac{1}{|V_{cd}|}$$

$\sim \sqrt{\frac{\Delta m_d}{\Delta m_s}}$

# B<sub>(s)</sub> mixing at LHCb

$$\frac{N(B^0 \rightarrow B^0) - N(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}^0)}{N(B^0 \rightarrow B^0) + N(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}^0)}$$

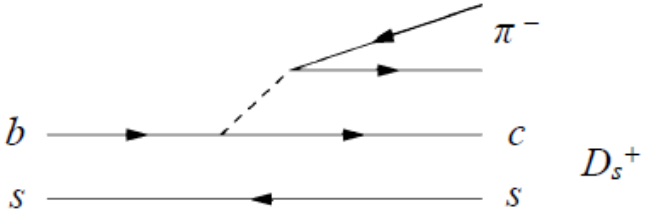
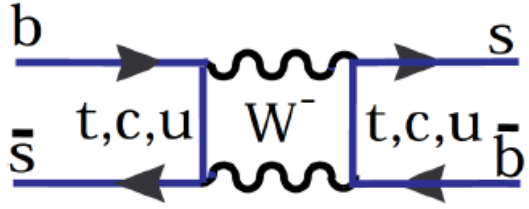


$$\Delta m_d = (505.0 \pm 2.1 \pm 1.0) \text{ ns}^{-1}$$

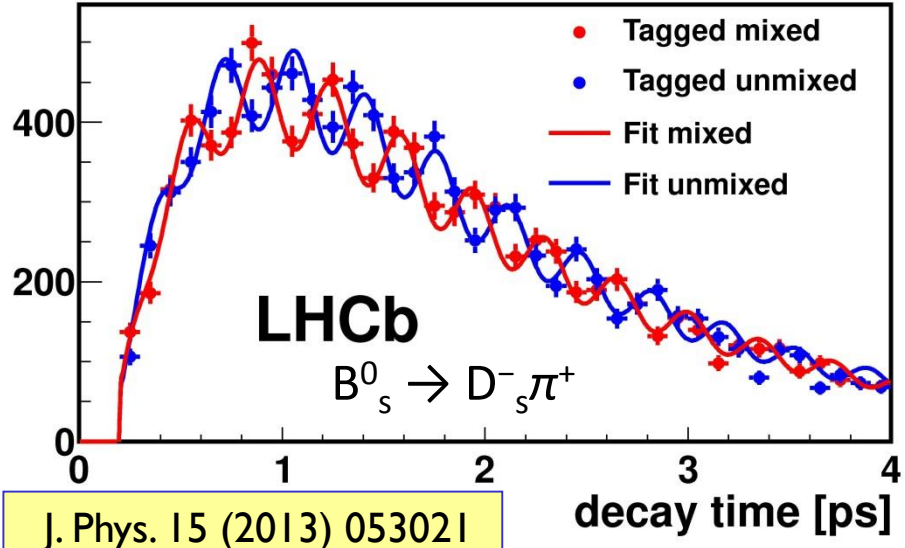
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$$|V_{td}/V_{ts}| = 0.215 \pm 0.001 \pm 0.011$$

<http://pdg.lbl.gov/2016/reviews/rpp2016-rev-ckm-matrix.pdf>



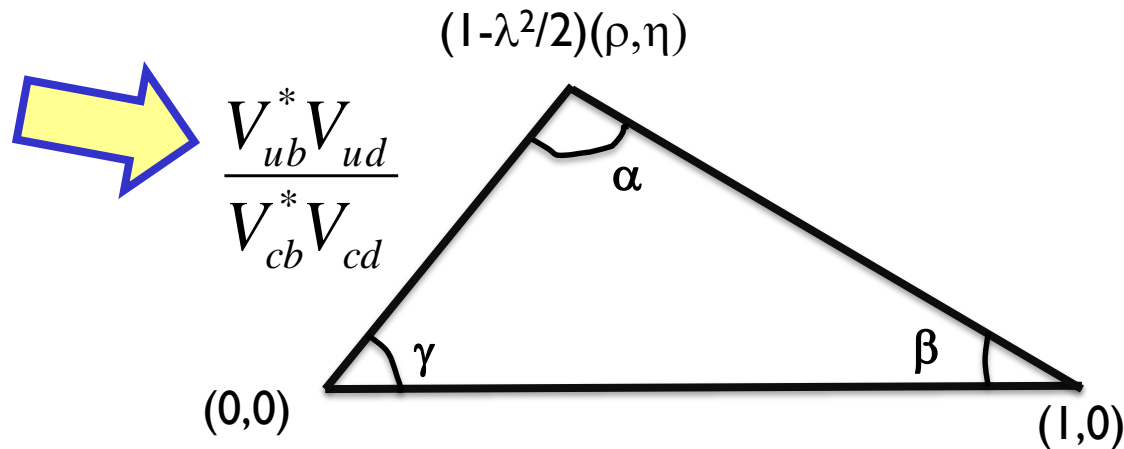
# candidates / 0.2 ps



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

Mixing measurements now dominated by LHCb (L-QCD systematics to be improved)

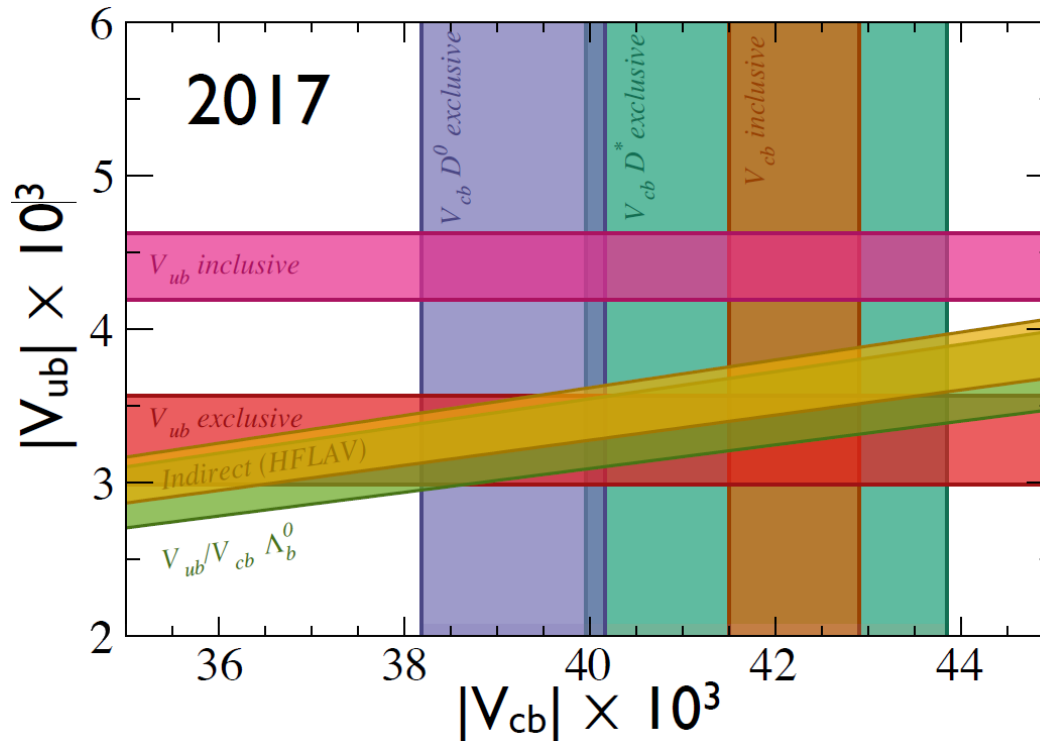
# $|V_{ub}|$ measurement for side opposite to $\beta$



- Closure test of UT mainly limited by  $|V_{ub}|$
- Side opposite to  $\beta$  proportional to  $|V_{ub}| / |V_{cb}|$
- $V_{ud}$  and  $V_{cd}$  very well known.  $|V_{cb}|$  known to better than 3%
- $|V_{ub}|^2$  is directly proportional to the decay rate  $B \rightarrow X_u \ell \nu$  and then calculated using HQET

# Inclusive vs exclusive measurements of $|V_{ub}|$

- Babar & Belle drive the current measurements of  $|V_{ub}|$  which have an internal inconsistency between
  - ◆ Exclusive measurement:  $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \mu^+ \nu$
  - ◆ Inclusive measurement:  $B^0/B^+ \rightarrow X_u \mu^+ \nu$

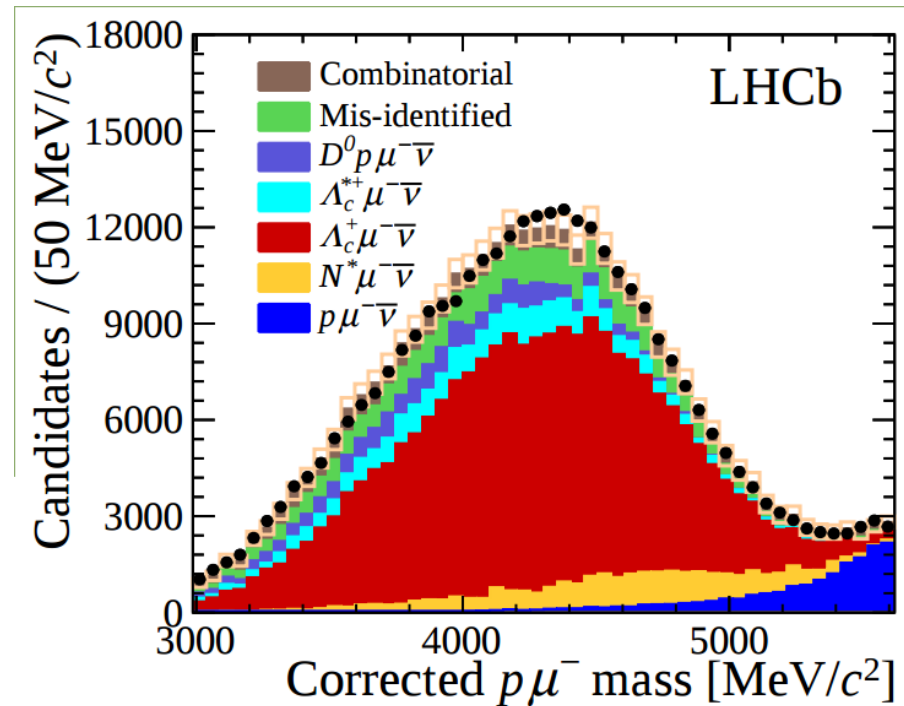


Grinstein, Kobach, PLB771 (17) 359

Bigi, Gambino, Schacht, PLB 769 (17) 441

# LHCb measurement of $|V_{ub}|$

- $|V_{ub}| / |V_{cb}|$  difficult at hadron colliders due to presence of neutrino
- LHCb measures  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p \mu^- \nu$
- Measurement relies on  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow p$  form factors from the lattice)

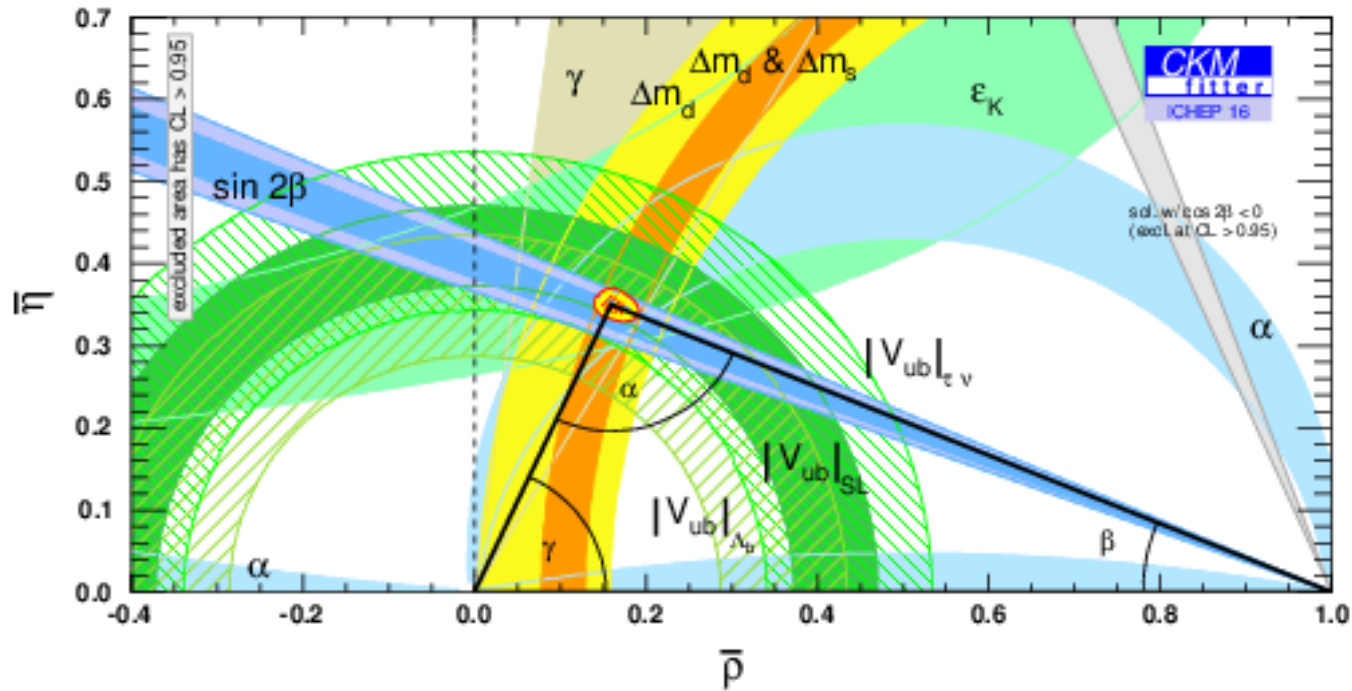
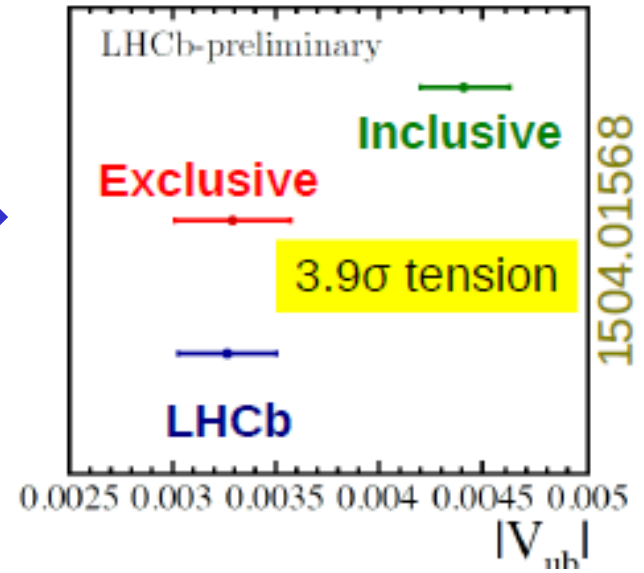
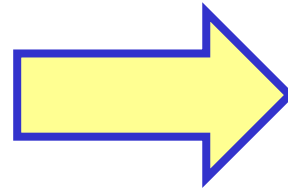


$$|V_{ub}| = (3.27 \pm 0.15(\text{exp}) \pm 0.17(\text{theory}) \pm 0.06 (|V_{cb}|) \times 10^{-3}$$

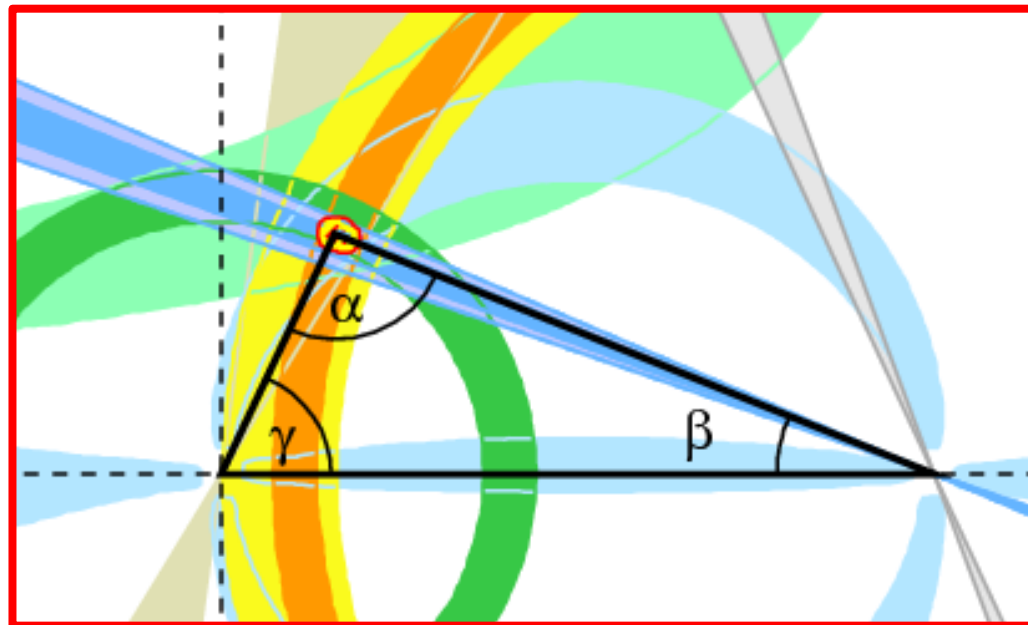
Nature Physics 10 (2015) 1038



Tension between inclusive and exclusive  $|V_{ub}|$  persists: limits the precision on UT side



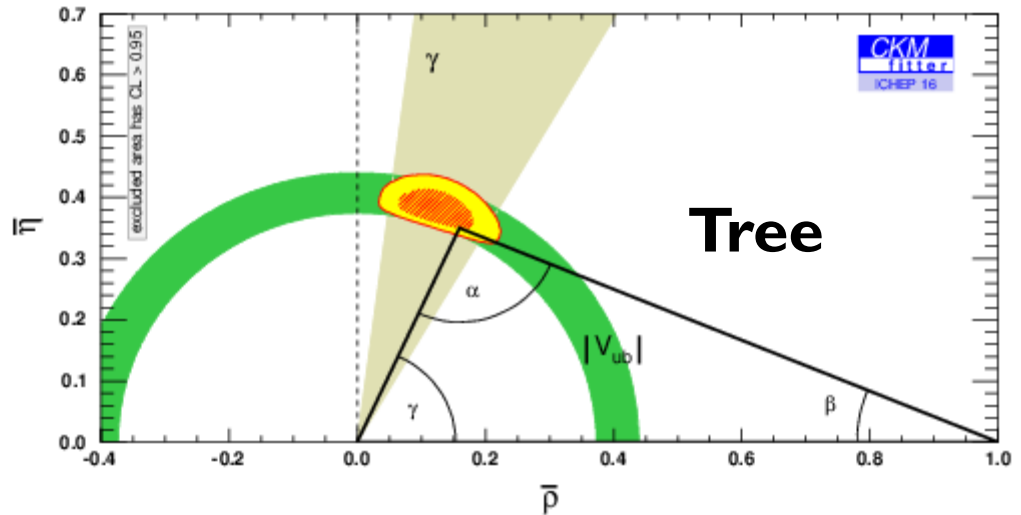
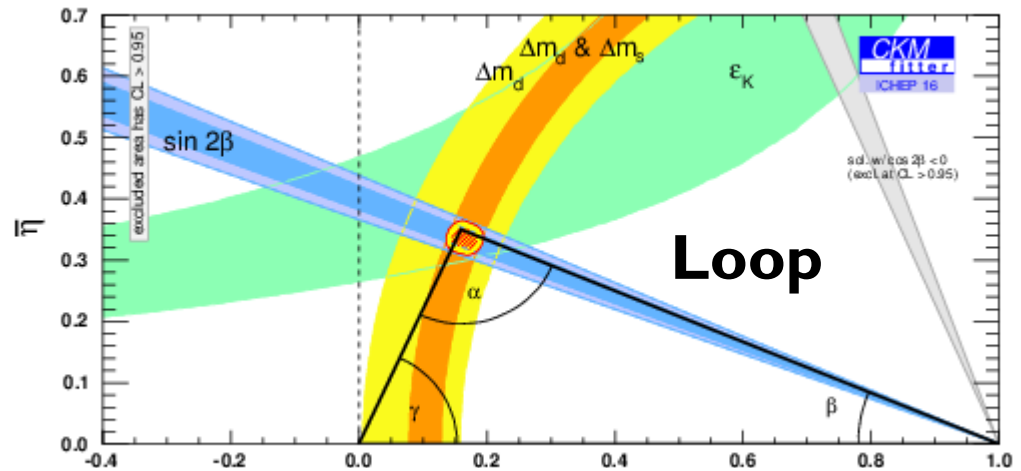
# The angle $\gamma$



# $\gamma$ – why this is a key measurement

- Loop processes are very sensitive to the presence of New Physics
- Constraints on the triangle apex largely come from **loop** decay measurements
- Large uncertainty on  $\gamma$ , the only angle accessible at tree level : **forms a SM benchmark\***
- $\gamma$  measurement theoretically very clean

JHEP 01 (2014) 051, PRD 92(3):033002 (2015)



\* assuming no significant New Physics in tree decays

<http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr>

# $\gamma$ : Indirect vs direct determinations

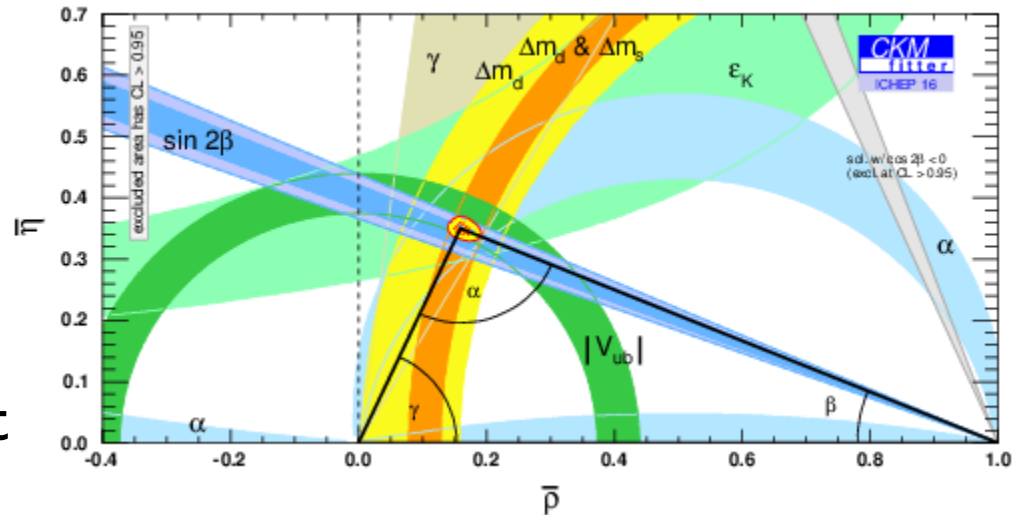
$$\gamma \equiv \arg \left[ - \frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \right]$$

Combination of all direct measurements (summer 2016)

$$\gamma = (72.2^{+5.3}_{-5.8})^\circ$$

<http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr>

Reaching degree level precision from direct measurements is crucial



Determination from CKM fit excluding all direct measurements of  $\gamma$

$$\gamma = (65.3^{+1.0}_{-2.5})^\circ$$

EPJC (2016) 76 197

Uncertainties from LQCD, expect to reduce over the next decade

# Several methods to measure $\gamma$

- $B^\pm$  (and  $\bar{B}^0$ ) decays : the “time-integrated”, direct CP-violation modes  $B^\pm \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^\pm$

- GLW

Gronau & London, PLB 253 (1991) 483,  
Gronau & Wyler PLB 265 (1991) 172

- ADS

Atwood, Dunietz & Soni PRL 78 (1997) 3257,  
Atwood, Dunietz & Soni PRD 63 (2001) 036005

- GGSZ

Giri, Gronau, Soffer & Zupan, PRD 68 (2003) 054018

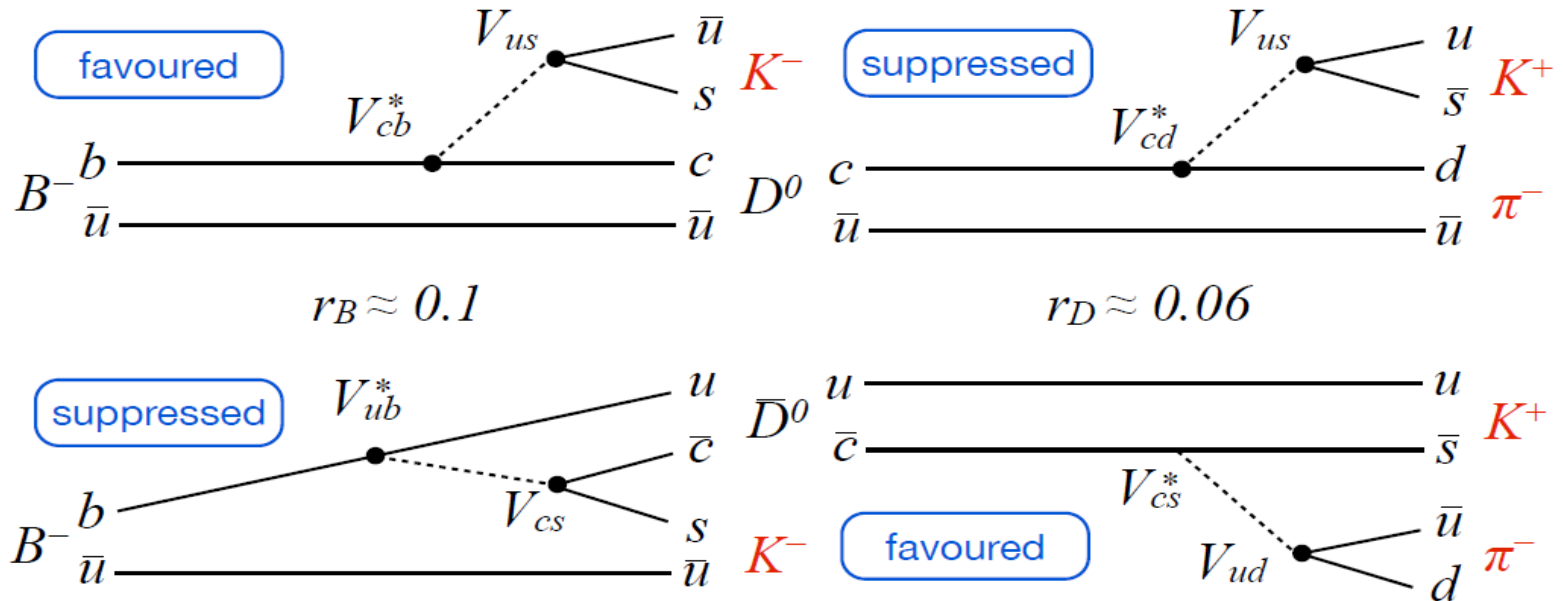
Focus on new  
measurements

- $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s K$  time dependent analysis

Dunietz & Sachs Phys. Rev. D37(1988) 3186,  
R. Aleksan, I. Dunietz & B. Kayser, Z. Phys. C54 (1992) 653

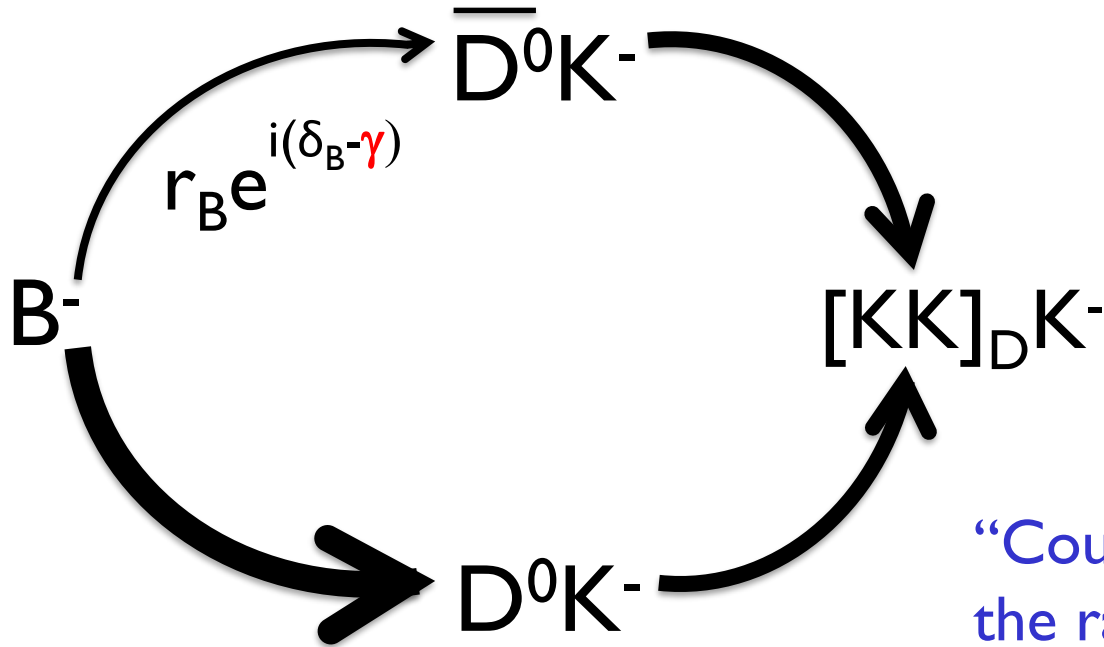
# The time-integrated mode: $B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-$

$$\gamma \equiv \arg \left[ -\frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \right] \quad (\text{and charge conjugate mode } B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^+)$$



- Interference possible if  $\bar{D}^0$  and  $D^0$  decay to **same** final state
- Branching fraction for favoured B decay  $\sim 10^{-4}$ 
  - Measurements require high statistics

# “GLW” method



- Method where  $D^0$  and  $\overline{D}^0$  decay to CP eigenstates
- Eigenstates are equally accessible to  $D^0$  and  $\overline{D}^0$
- $r_B, \delta_B$  hadronic parameters to be determined alongside  $\gamma$  ( $r_B \sim 0.1$ )

“Counting experiment” : observe the rate of  $B^-$  vs.  $B^+$  decays

Weak phase changes sign for equiv  $B^+$  diagram, thickness of arrows indicate relative strengths

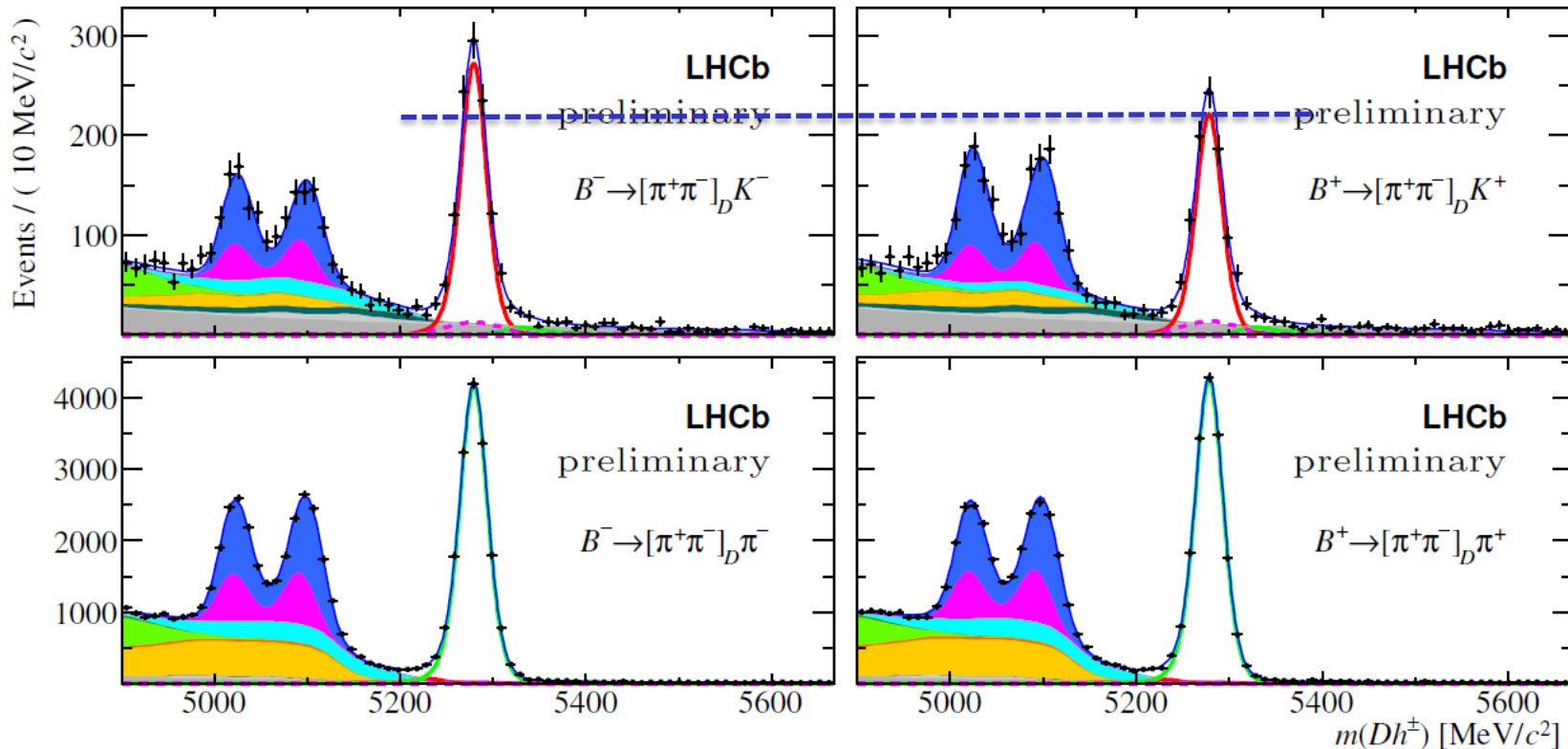
$$\frac{N(B^-) - N(B^+)}{N(B^-) + N(B^+)} = A_{CP^+} = \frac{1}{R_{CP^+}} 2r_B (2F_+ - 1) \sin(\delta_B) \sin(\gamma)$$

$$\frac{N(B \rightarrow [KK]_D K) \times \Gamma(D \rightarrow K\pi)}{N(B \rightarrow [K\pi]_D K) \times \Gamma(D \rightarrow KK)} = R_{CP^+} = 1 + r_B^2 + 2r_B (2F_+ - 1) \cos(\delta_B) \cos(\gamma)$$

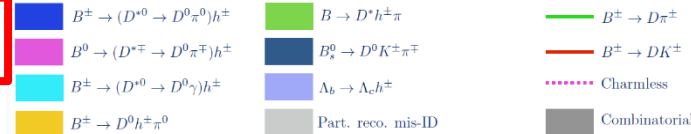
For  $CP^+$  eigenstates e.g  $KK, \pi\pi, F_+ = 1$  ; For non  $CP$  eigenstates,  $F_+$  measured at CLEO

# $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}(\pi \pi)h$ (where $h = K, \pi$ )

3.0 fb<sup>-1</sup> Run 1 + 2.0 fb<sup>-1</sup> Run 2 results



$$A_K^{\pi\pi} = +0.115 \pm 0.025 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.007 \text{ (syst)}$$

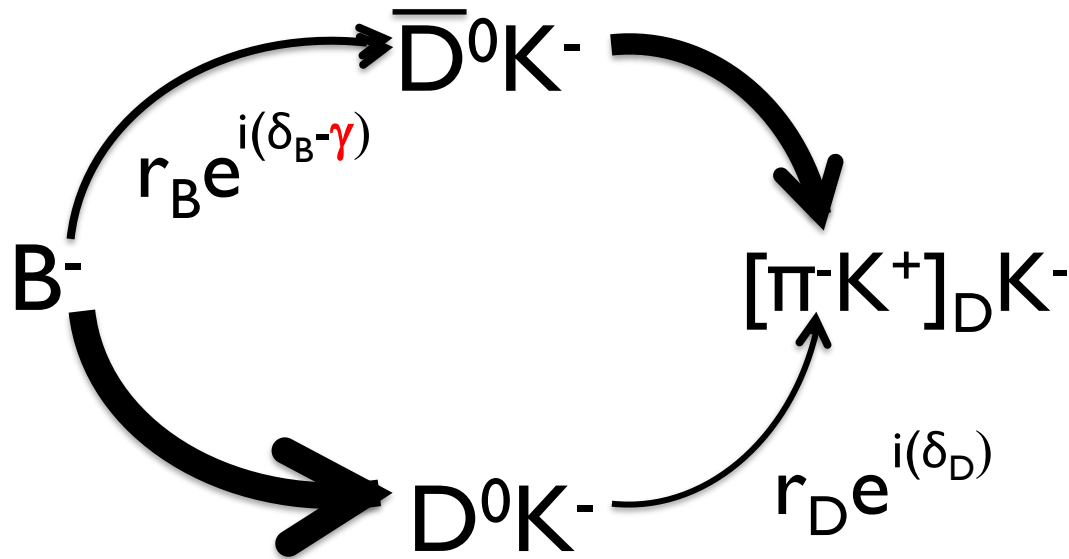


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Almost **5 $\sigma$**  in single mode



# “ADS” method



Weak phase changes sign for equivalent  $B^+$  diagram

$$\frac{N(B^-) - N(B^+)}{N(B^-) + N(B^+)} = A_{ADS} = \frac{1}{R_{ADS}} 2r_B r_D \sin(\delta_B + \delta_D) \sin(\gamma)$$

$$\frac{N(B^\pm \rightarrow [\pi^\pm K^\mp]_D K^\pm)}{N(B^\pm \rightarrow [K^\pm \pi^\mp]_D K^\pm)} = R_{ADS} = r_B^2 + r_D^2 + 2r_B r_D \cos(\delta_B + \delta_D) \cos(\gamma)$$

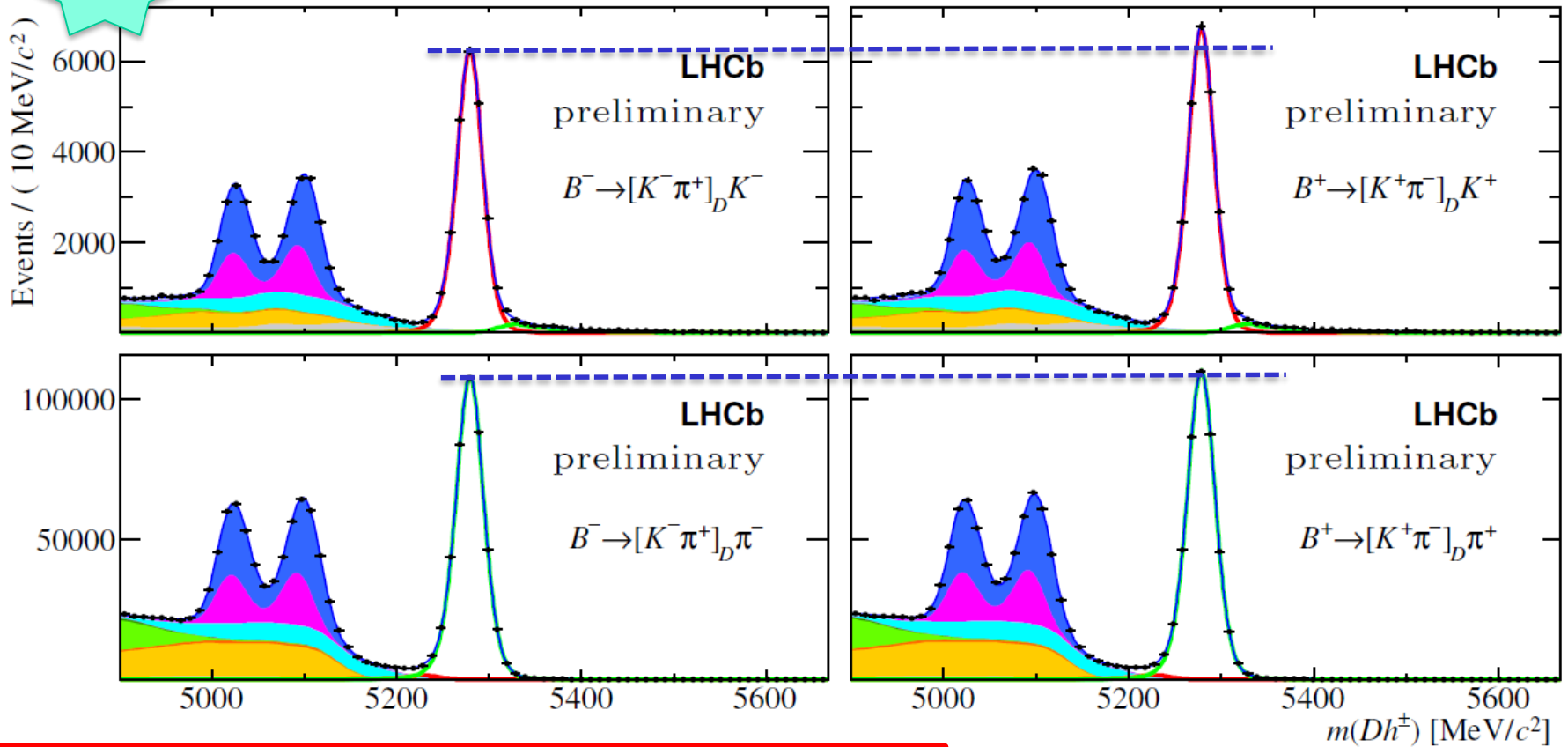
Again, a counting experiment : observing the rate of  $B^-$  vs.  $B^+$  decays

- Decay into flavour-specific final states
- Larger interference effects than for GLW as both amplitudes of similar sizes.
- $r_B, \delta_B$  hadronic parameters again to be determined alongside  $\gamma$  ( $r_B \sim 0.1$ )
- Additional two parameters  $r_D, \delta_D$  . External inputs from charm mixing ( $r_D \sim 0.06$ )

# B → D<sup>(\*)</sup>(K π)h (where h = K, π)

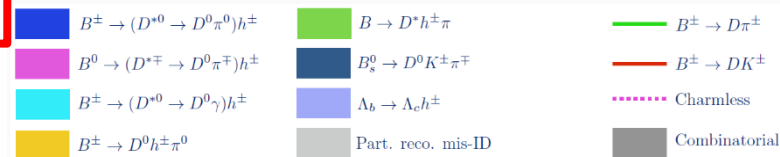
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3.8σ



$$A_K^{K\pi} = -0.019 \pm 0.005 \text{ (stat)} \pm 0.002 \text{ (syst)}$$

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# Combination from different modes

- Includes the following updates since last combination:
  - $B^\pm \rightarrow D^0 K^{*\pm}$  ADS/GLW [LHCb-CONF-2016-014] **NEW**
  - $B^\pm \rightarrow D^{*0} K^{*\pm}$  ADS/GLW [LHCb-PAPER-2017-021] **NEW**
  - $B_s^0 \rightarrow D^+ K^-$  TD [LHCb-CONF-2016-015] **1 fb<sup>-1</sup> → 3 fb<sup>-1</sup>**
  - $B^\pm \rightarrow D^0 K^\pm$  GLW [LHCb-PAPER-2017-021] **3 fb<sup>-1</sup> → 5 fb<sup>-1</sup>**

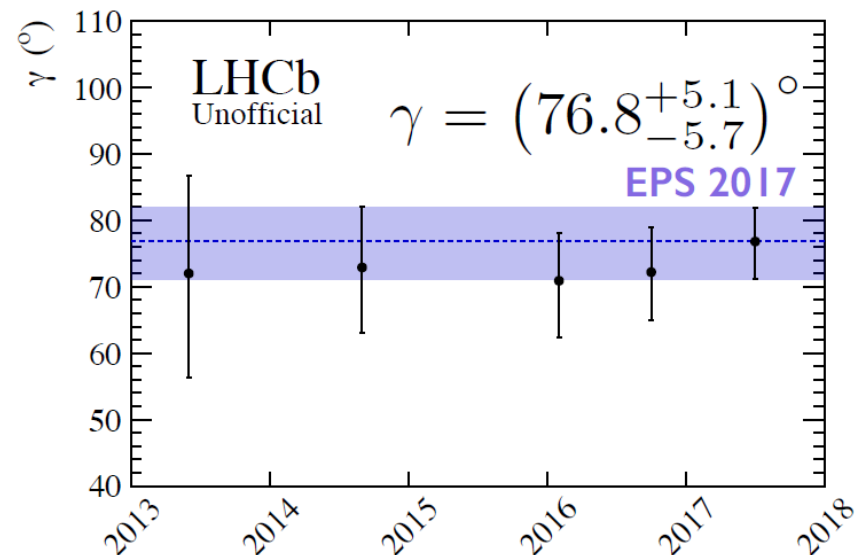
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$$\gamma = (76.8_{-5.7}^{+5.1})^\circ \text{ (preliminary)}$$

Dominates HFLAV average  $\gamma = (76.2_{-5.0}^{+4.7})^\circ$

BaBar :  $\gamma = (69_{-16}^{+17})^\circ$  PRD 87 (2013) 052015

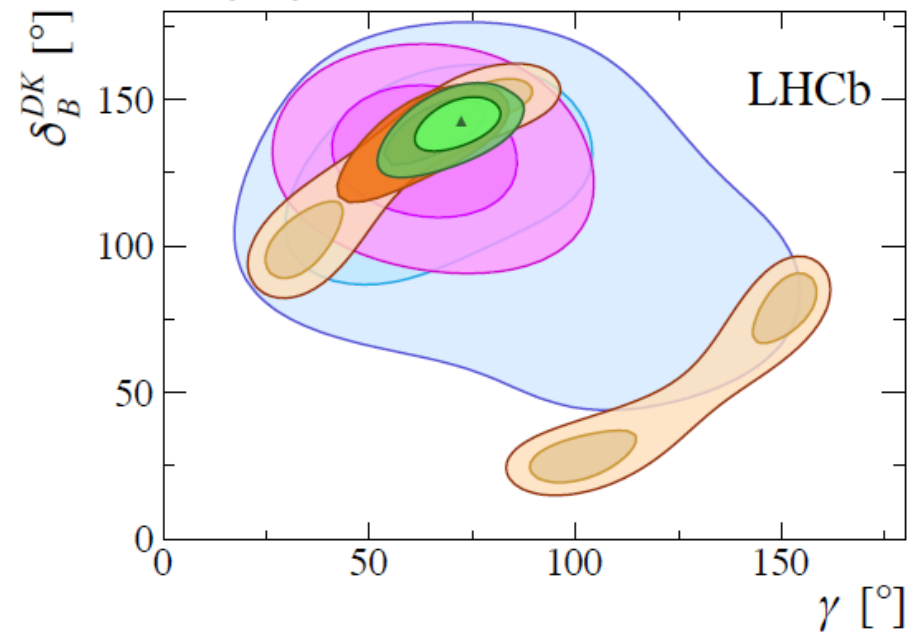
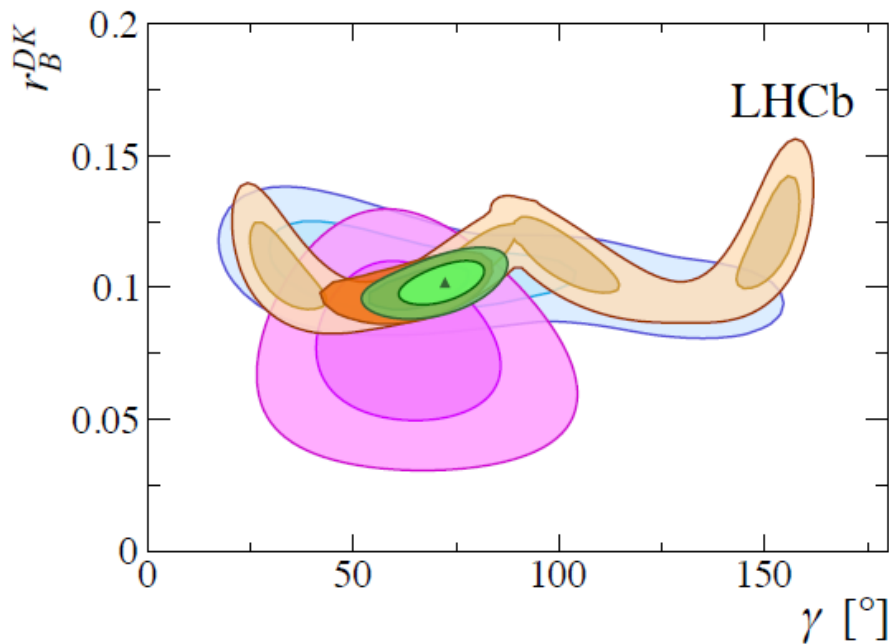
Belle:  $\gamma = (73_{-14}^{+15})^\circ$  arXiv:1301.2033



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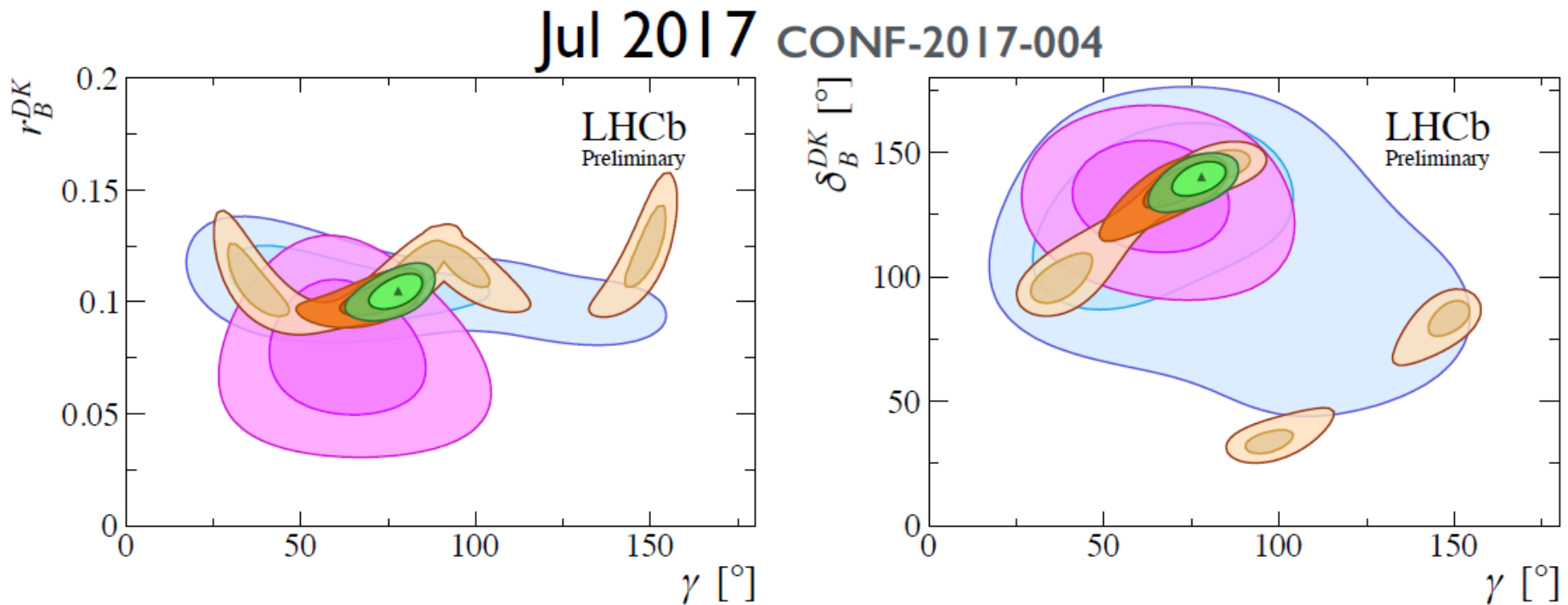
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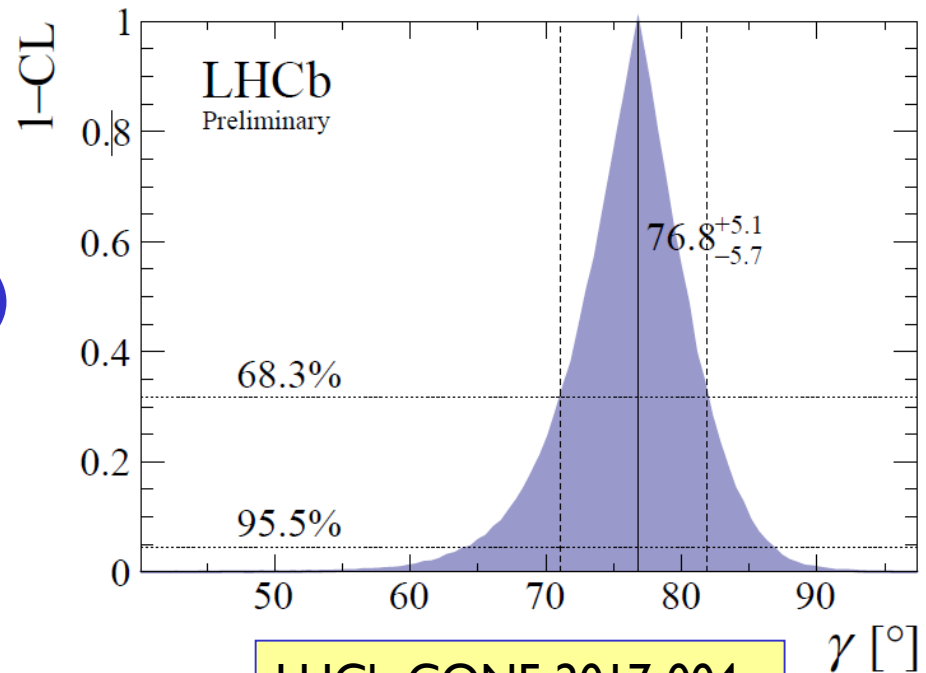
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# $\gamma$ prospects : Run 1 $\rightarrow$ Run 2 $\rightarrow$ upgrade

- Run 1 target of  $8^\circ$  attained : (analyses now mostly complete)
- Run 2 data incoming
- Run 2 : target  $4^\circ$  ( $7\text{-}8 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- LHCb Upgrade : target  $0.9^\circ$  ( $\sim 50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )

$$\gamma = (76.8^{+5.1}_{-5.7})^\circ \text{ (preliminary)}$$

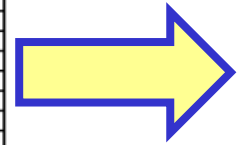
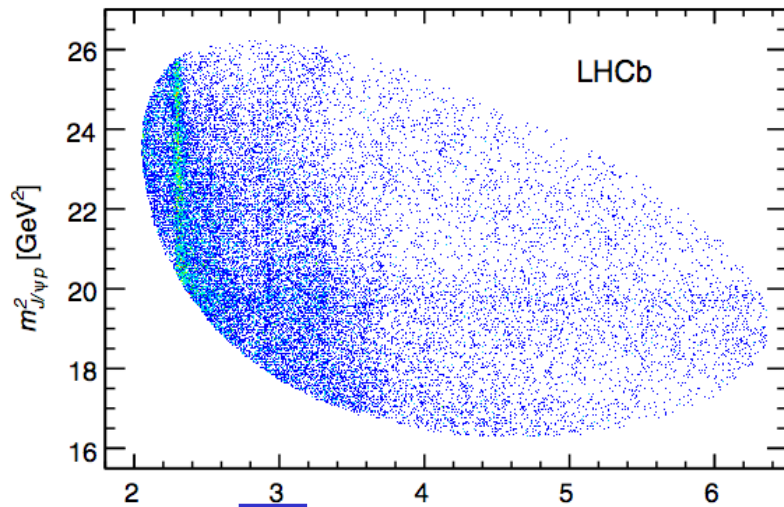


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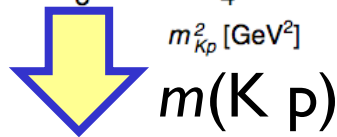
# **Spectroscopy highlights**

# Pentaquarks

Observed in 2015 → LHC Run I data : 3 fb<sup>-1</sup>

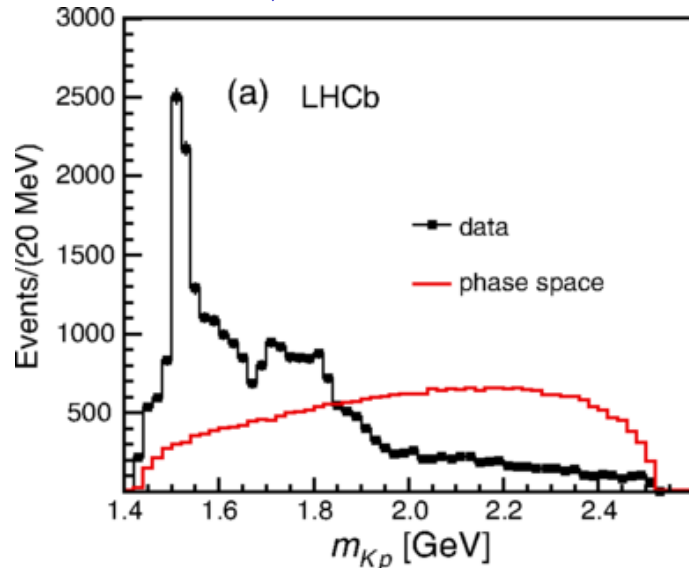
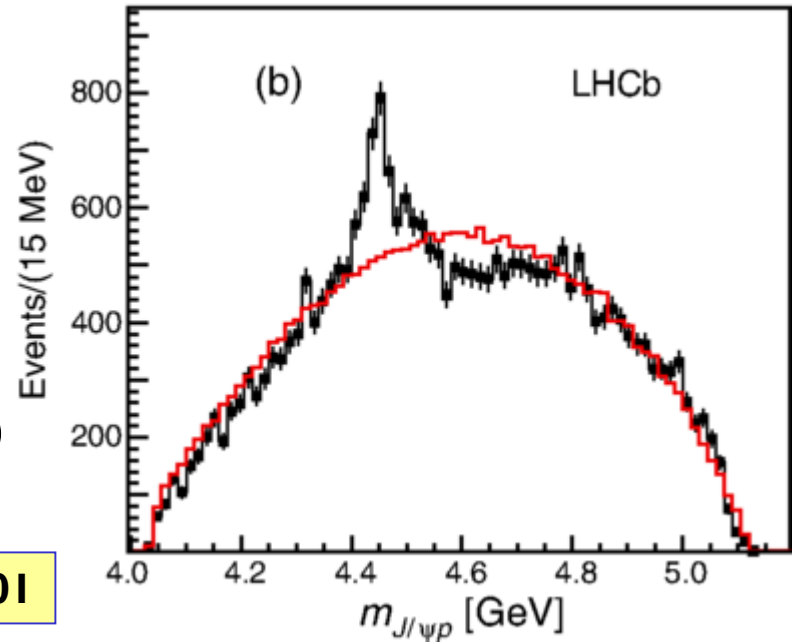


$m(J/\psi p)$



$m(K p)$

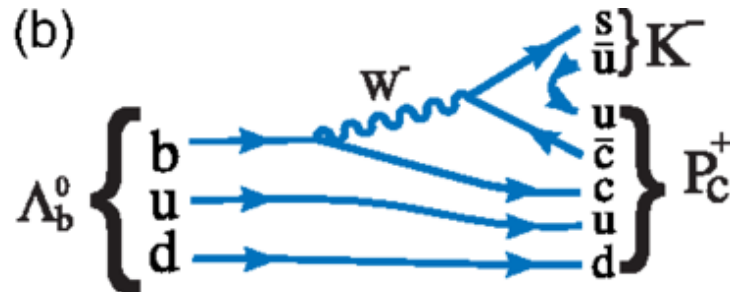
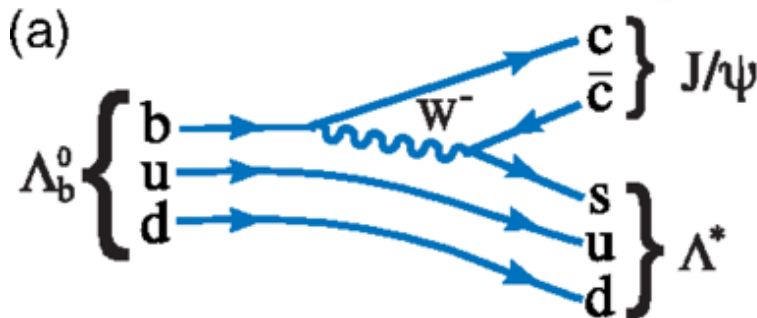
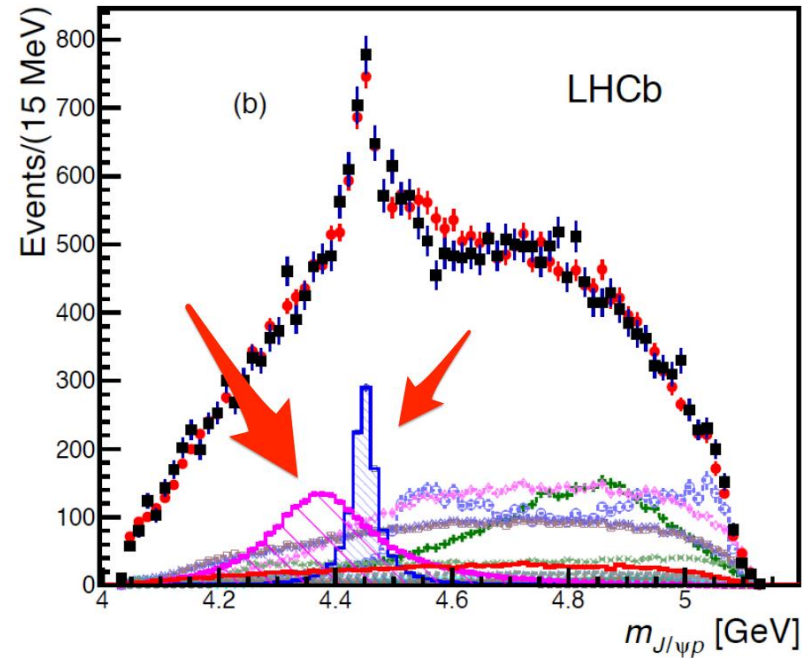
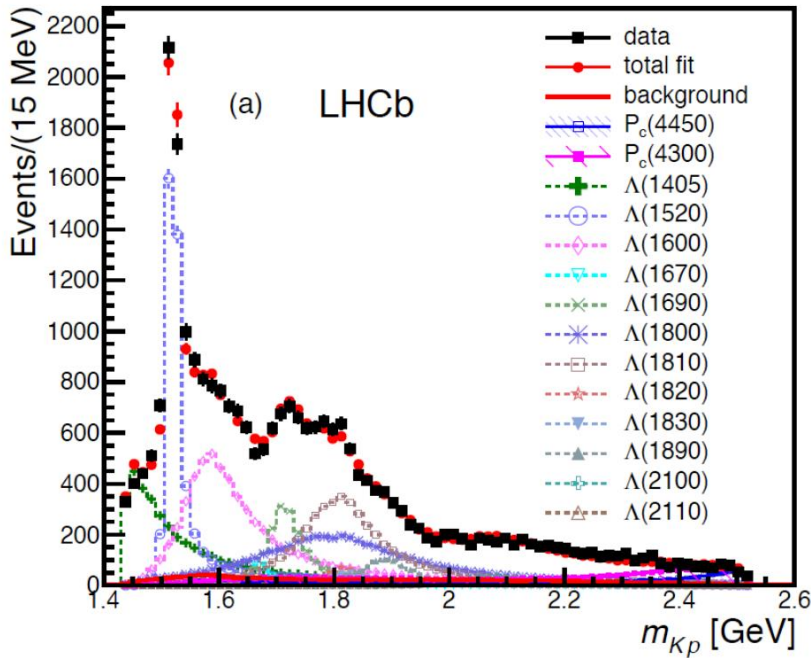
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- Observation of unexpected narrow resonance in mass spectrum of  $(J/\psi p)$  where  $\Lambda_b \rightarrow (J/\psi p) K^-$
- Consistent with pentaquarks: allowed by QCD, but not observed after 50 years of searching.



# Pentaquarks – full amplitude analysis



$P_c^+(4380)$ :  $M = 4380 \pm 8 \pm 29$  MeV ,  $\Gamma = 205 \pm 18 \pm 86$  MeV

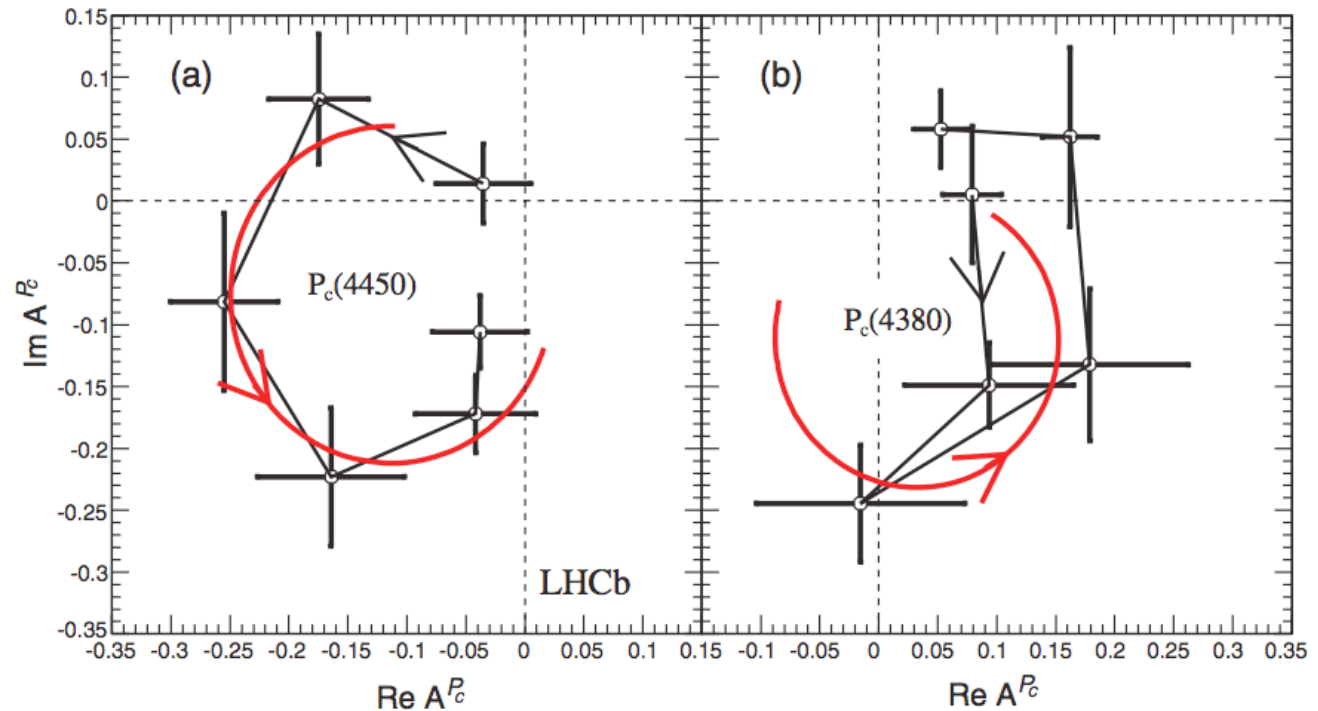
$P_c^+(4450)$ :  $M = 4449.8 \pm 1.7 \pm 2.5$  MeV ,  $\Gamma = 39 \pm 5 \pm 19$  MeV

9  $\sigma$

12  $\sigma$

# Pentaquarks $J^P$ assignments

Argand diagram



- The preferred  $J^P$  assignments are of opposite parity, with  $P_c^+(4380)$  having  $3/2^-$  and the  $P_c^+(4450)$  having  $5/2^+$
- Good evidence for the resonant character of  $P_c^+(4450)$   
Too large errors for  $P_c^+(4380)$  : hard to make a definitive conclusion

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# Pentaquarks in $\Lambda_b \rightarrow (J/\psi p) K^-$

- Search for additional Pentaquark candidates in other production channels
- $\Lambda_b \rightarrow (J/\psi p) \pi^-$  (Cabbibo suppressed  $\approx 15$  times smaller statistics)

- Contributions from:

$$N^* \rightarrow p \pi^-$$

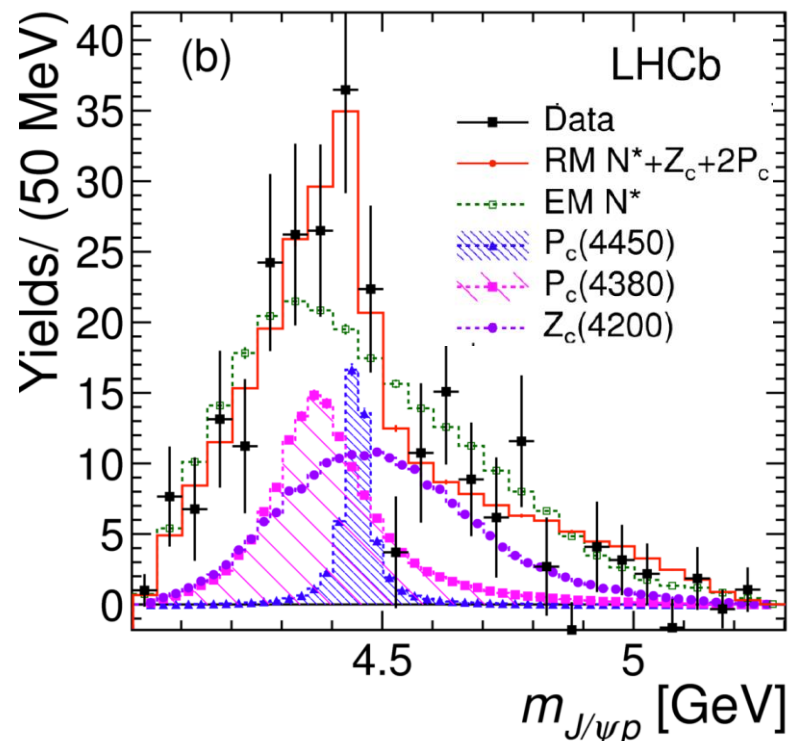
$$P_c(4380)^+ \rightarrow J/\psi p$$

$$P_c(4450)^+ \rightarrow J/\psi p$$

$$Z_c(4200)^- \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^-$$

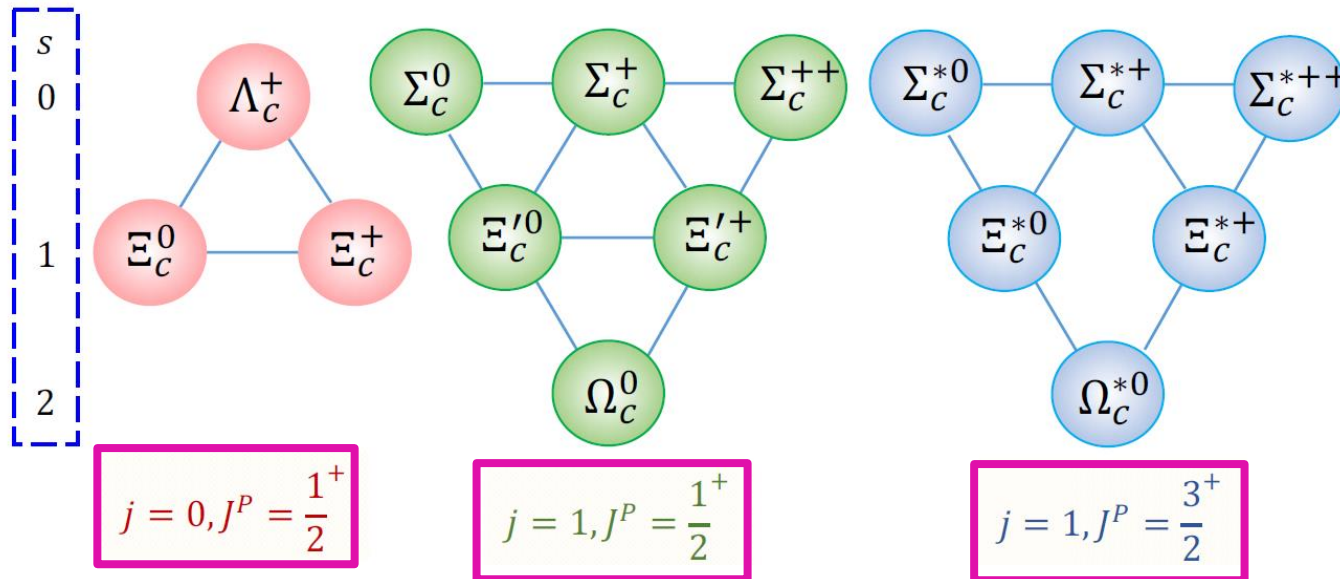
- Fit with 2 pentaquarks +  $Z_c(4200)$  tetraquark : favoured by  $3\sigma$  compared to no exotic contributions

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# Observation of $\Omega_c$ excited states

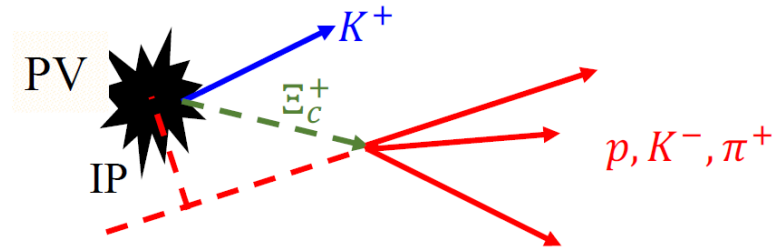
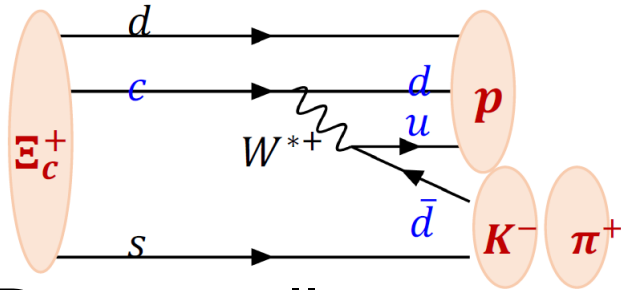
- Single charmed baryons predicted to form SU(3) baryon multiplets:  $3 \otimes 3 = \bar{3} \oplus 6$  (Jaffe, Phys. Rep. 409 (2005) 1)
- All ground states have been observed, as have excited states  $\Lambda_c$ ,  $\Sigma_c$  and  $\Xi_c$



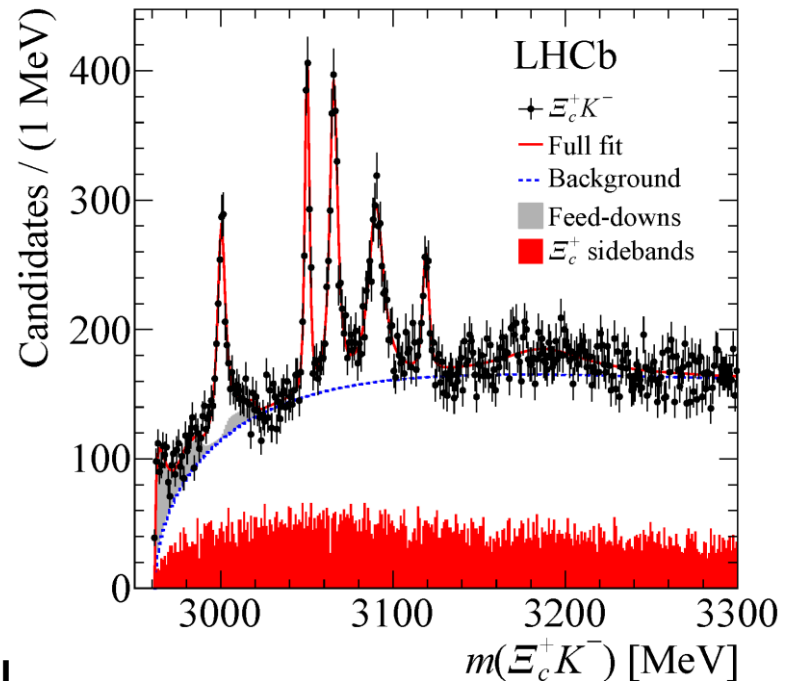
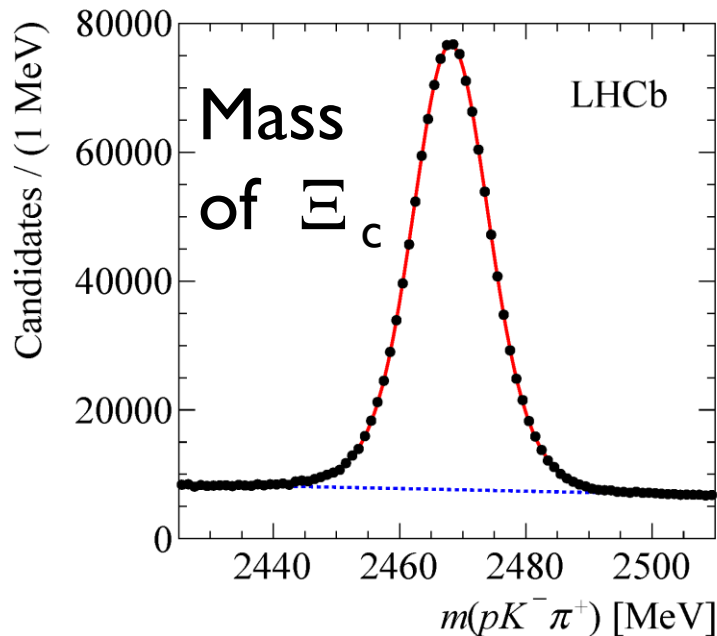
- LHCb:  $3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  Run I +  $0.3 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  Run II  $pp$  collisions data

# Observation of five new narrow $\Omega_c^0$ excited states

- Decay :  $\Omega_c^{0*} (css) \rightarrow \Xi_c^+ (csu) K^- ; \Xi_c^+ (csu) \rightarrow pK^-\pi^+$



- Decay well separated from primary vertex  $\tau(\Xi_c) \approx 45$  ps



# Masses and widths

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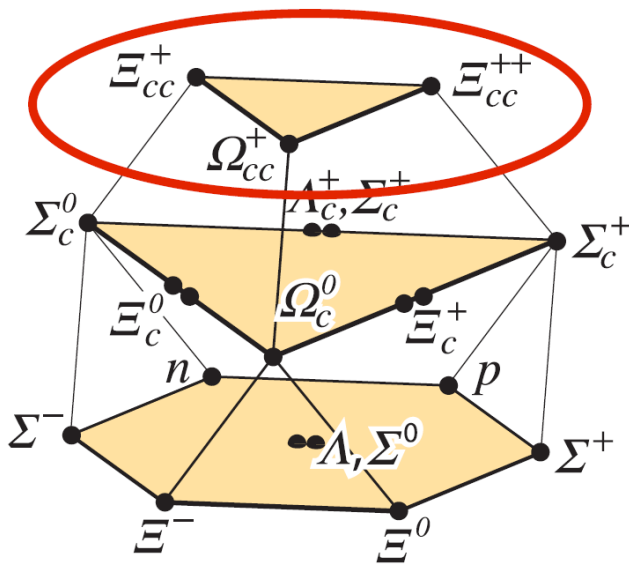
Resonance	Mass ( MeV)	$\Gamma$ ( MeV)
$\Omega_c(3000)^0$	$3000.4 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.1^{+0.3}_{-0.5}$	$4.5 \pm 0.6 \pm 0.3$
$\Omega_c(3050)^0$	$3050.2 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.1^{+0.3}_{-0.5}$	$0.8 \pm 0.2 \pm 0.1$ < 1.2 MeV, 95% CL
$\Omega_c(3066)^0$	$3065.6 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.3^{+0.3}_{-0.5}$	$3.5 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.2$
$\Omega_c(3090)^0$	$3090.2 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.5^{+0.3}_{-0.5}$	$8.7 \pm 1.0 \pm 0.8$
$\Omega_c(3119)^0$	$3119.1 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.9^{+0.3}_{-0.5}$	$1.1 \pm 0.8 \pm 0.4$ < 2.6 MeV, 95% CL
$\Omega_c(3188)^0$	$3188 \pm 5 \pm 13$	$60 \pm 15 \pm 11$

- 5 narrow states & evidence for 6th broader state at high mass
- Assignment of  $J^P$  states in the quark model (see backup slides)  
(M. Karliner, J.L. Rosner, PR D95, 114012 (2017) )
- Suggestion the 2 narrowest states might be pentaquarks ?  
(Michał Praszalowicz et al Phys.Rev. D96 (2017) 014009 )
- Confirmation of states awaits spin-parity assignments

# Search for the doubly charmed baryon $\Xi_{cc}^{++}$

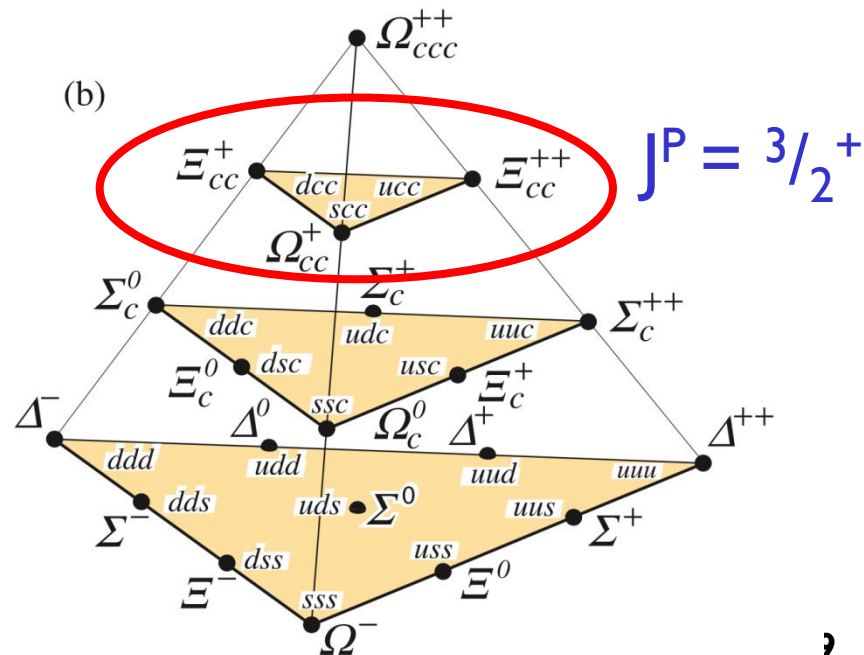
- The quark model predicts three weakly decaying  $C = 2$   $J^P = 1/2^+$  states:  $\Xi_{cc}^+$  ( $ccd$ ),  $\Xi_{cc}^{++}$  ( $ccu$ ), and  $\Omega_{cc}^+$  ( $ccs$ )
- $J^P = 1/2^+$  states decay weakly with a  $c$  quark to lighter quarks
- $J^P = 3/2^+$  states expected to decay to  $1/2^+$  states via strong or EM interaction

$J^P = 1/2^+$



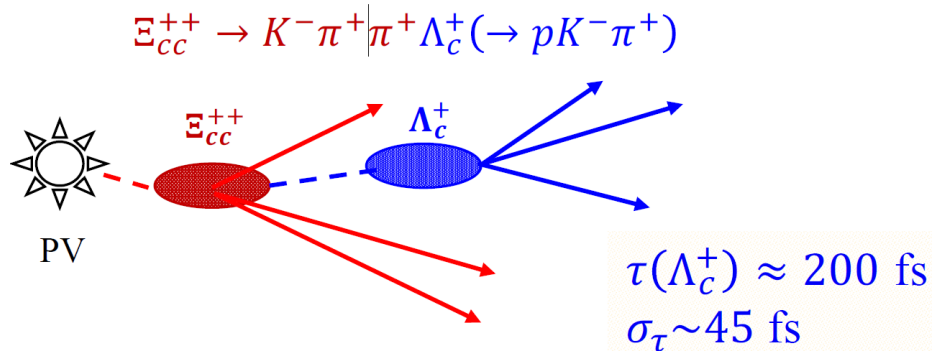
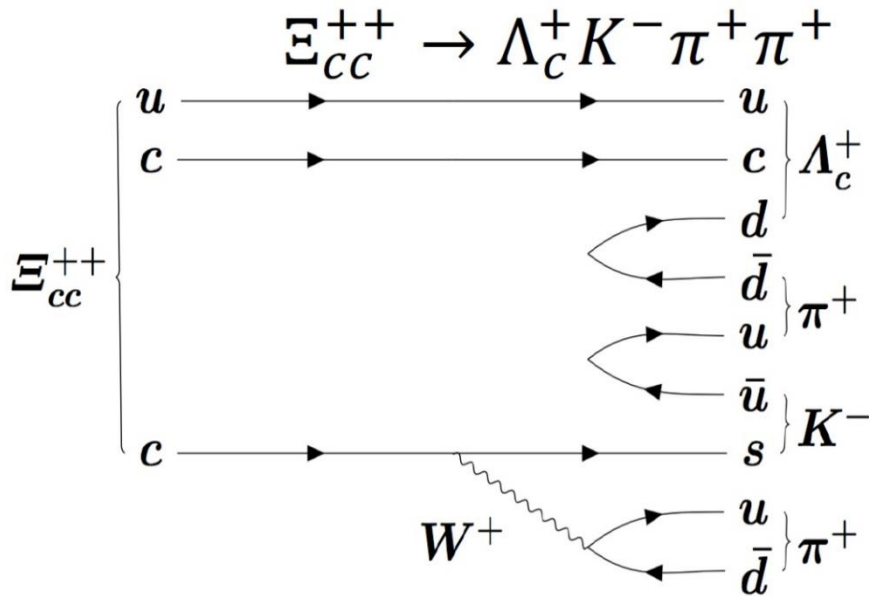
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# Decay mode of $\Xi_{cc}^{++}$

- Search in decay mode :  $\Xi_{cc}^{++} \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$  Branching fraction can be significant (10%) (Yu et al., arXiv:1703.09086)
- Run 2 data sample:  $\sqrt{s}=13$  TeV,  $\sim 1.7$  fb $^{-1}$





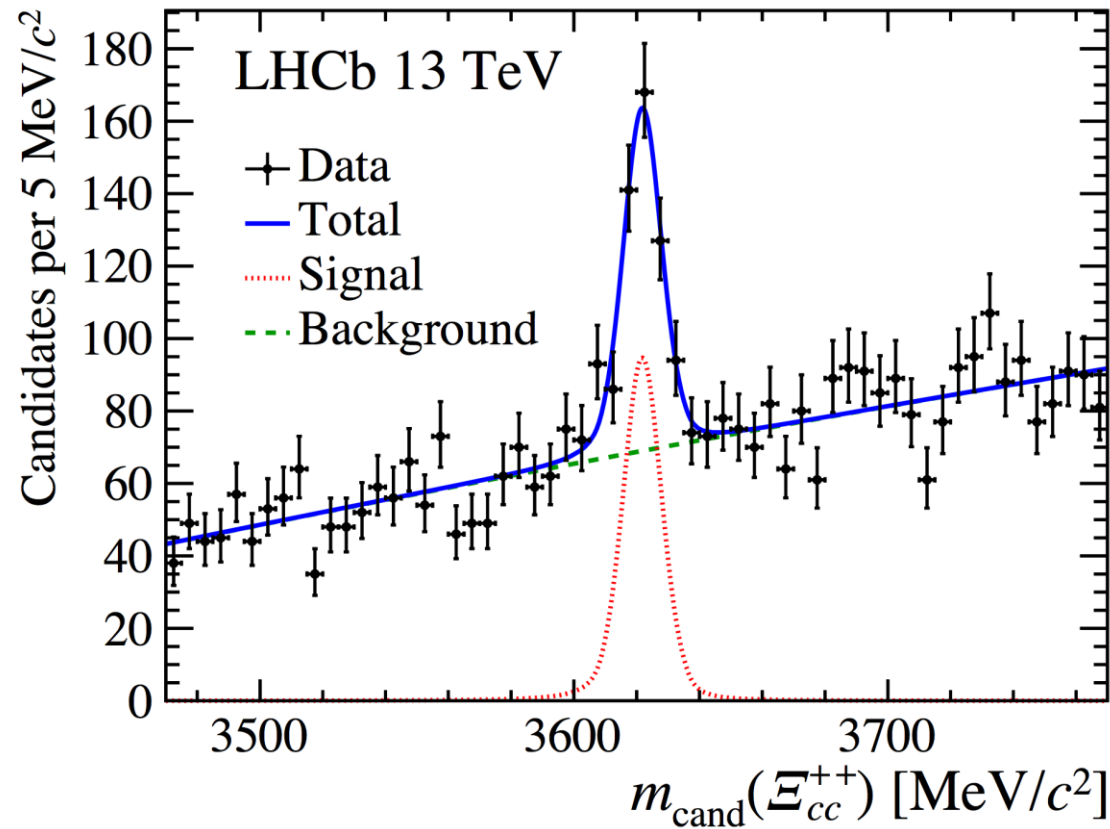
# Observation of $\Xi_{cc}^{++}$

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- $\Xi^{++}$  is  $\Lambda_c$ -mass corrected :

$$m_{\text{cand}}(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) = m(\Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+) - m(\Lambda_c^+) + m_{\text{PDG}}(\Lambda_c^+)$$

- Signal yield:  $313 \pm 33$  events
- Width  $6.6 \pm 0.8$  MeV, consistent with resolution
- Local significance  $> 12\sigma$
- Peaking structure remains significant ( $> 12\sigma$ ) after requiring minimum decay time,  $t > 5\sigma_t \rightarrow$  weak decay



$$m(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) = 3621.40 \pm 0.72(\text{stat}) \pm 0.27(\text{syst}) \pm 0.14(\Lambda_c^+) \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\Xi_{cc}^{++}) - m(\Lambda_c^+) = 1134.94 \pm 0.72(\text{stat}) \pm 0.27(\text{syst}) \text{ MeV}$$

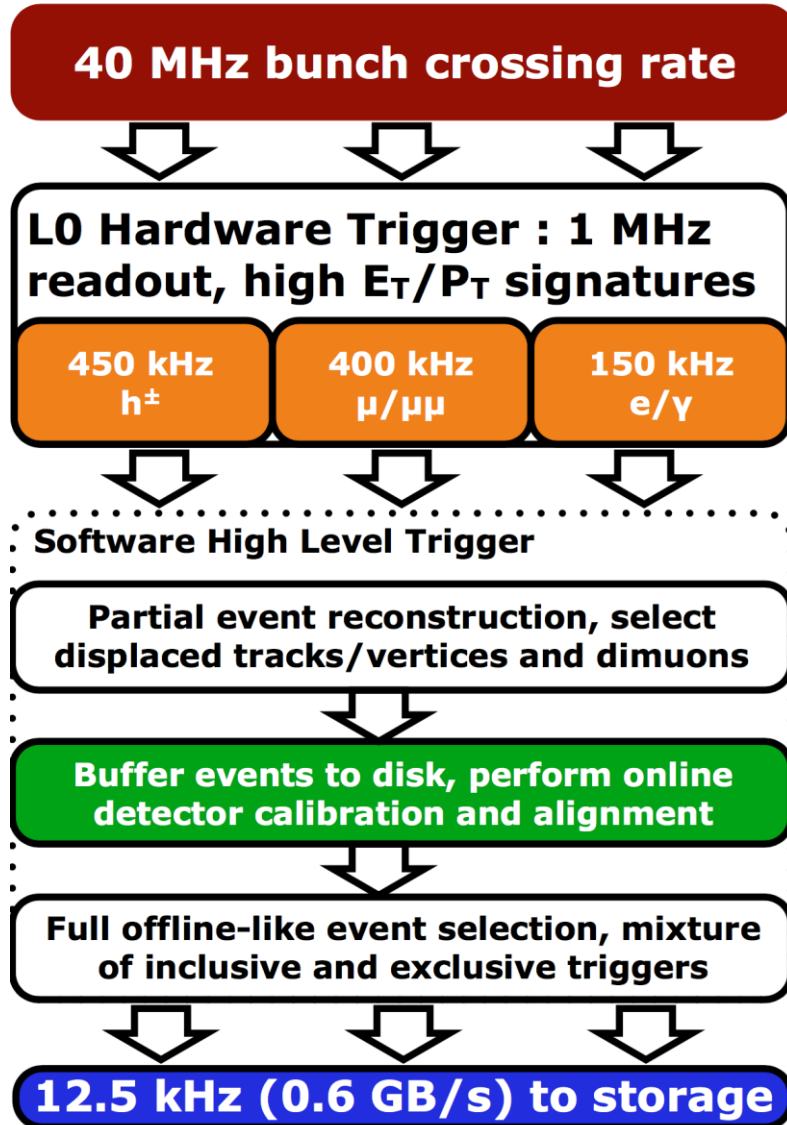
# Summary and Outlook

- The LHCb experiment is performing spectacularly well
- So far all UT measurements are in good agreement with the Standard Model  
→ new physics is becoming constrained in the flavour sector
- LHCb is a fantastic platform for spectroscopy measurements: charm baryonic resonance formation was not even in LHCb's original physics portfolio.
- Up to 2018 we expect 7-8 fb<sup>-1</sup> of data, much of this will be at  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV at ~twice the 8 TeV heavy-flavour production cross-section
- Still much room for new physics, but higher precision required  
→ preparing for LHCb Upgrade beyond 2020 !

# Spare Slides

# LHCb Run 2 trigger

## LHCb 2015 Trigger Diagram



- After LHCb's hardware trigger, events are buffered.
- LHCb's automated real-time alignment and calibration runs :
  - ◆ Full detector alignment and calibration in minutes.
- Full event reconstruction in software trigger
  - ◆ Exclusive decay modes and calibration modes fully reconstructed,
  - ◆ Results stored and used as basis for analysis.
- See LHCb-PROC-2015-011

# Measurement of $\alpha$

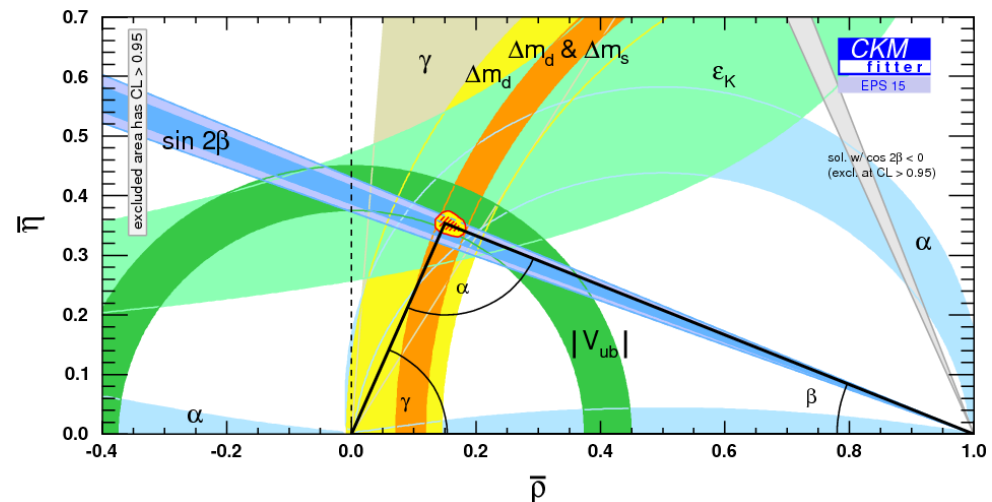
- Constraints on  $\alpha$  from  $B \rightarrow \pi \pi$ ,  $\rho \pi$  and  $\rho \rho$  (Babar and Belle)
- $\alpha = (87.6^{+3.5}_{-3.3})^\circ$  world average measurement
- Compared to the prediction from the global CKM fit (not including the  $\alpha$ -related measurements)

$$\alpha = (90.6^{+3.9}_{-1.1})^\circ$$

<http://ckmfitter.in2p3.fr>

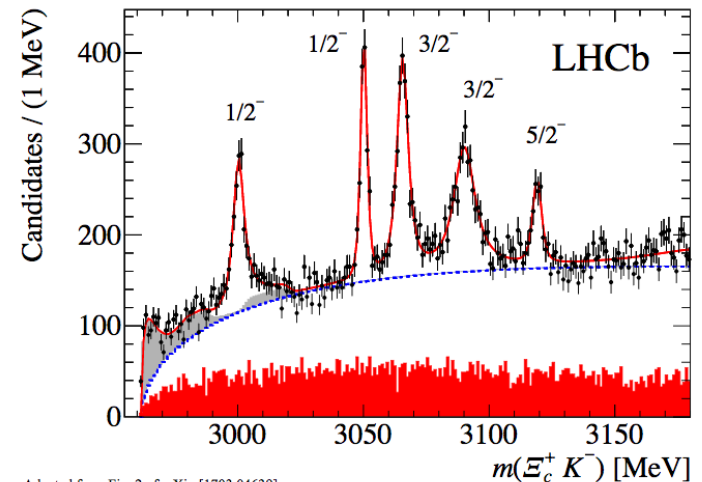
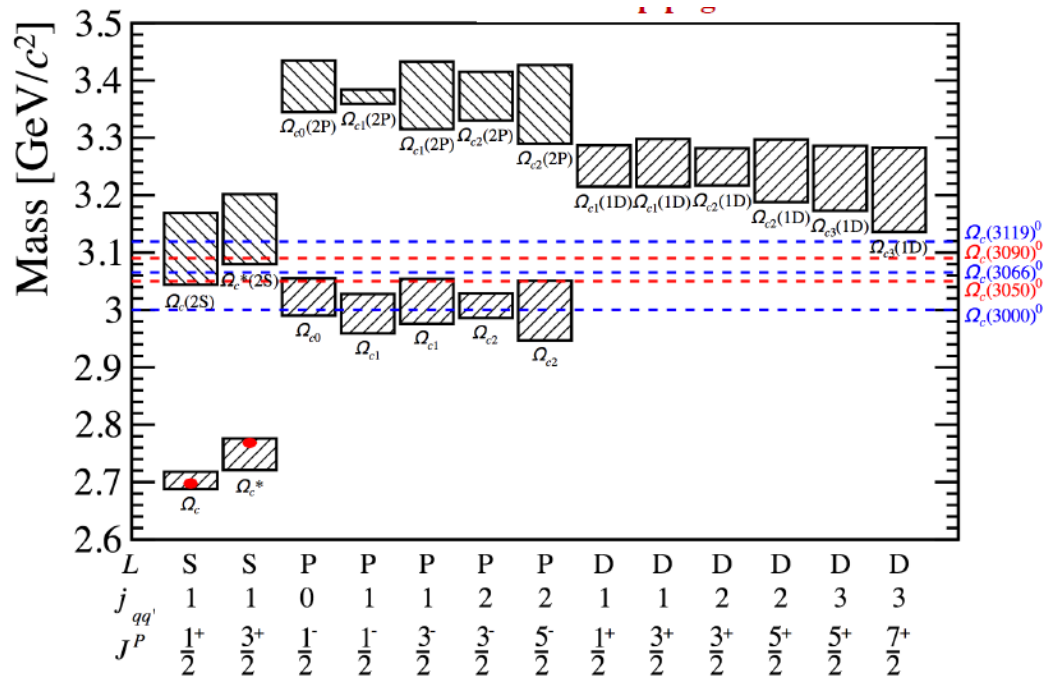
$$\alpha \equiv \arg \left[ -\frac{V_{td}V_{tb}^*}{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*} \right]$$

- As yet there has been no LHCb 'standalone' measurement of  $\alpha$
- LHCb can provide useful input to B-factories measurements to constrain alpha.



# Possible assignment of excited $\Omega_c$ states

- Matching between observed peaks and predictions requires spin-parity information



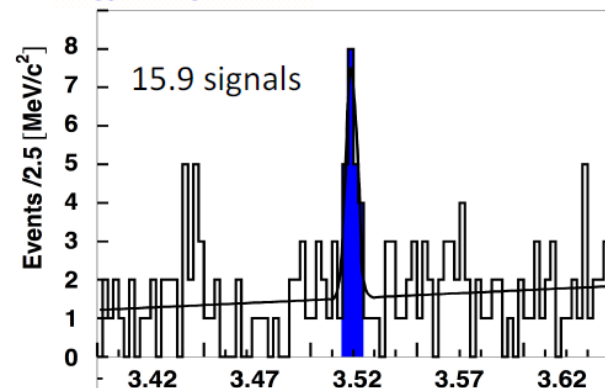
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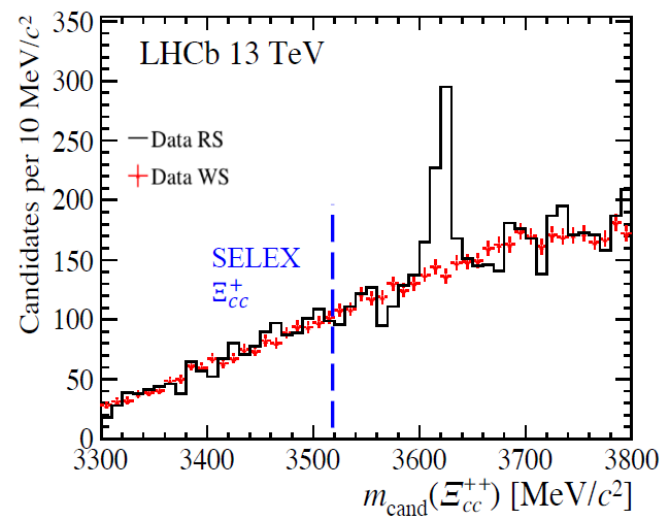
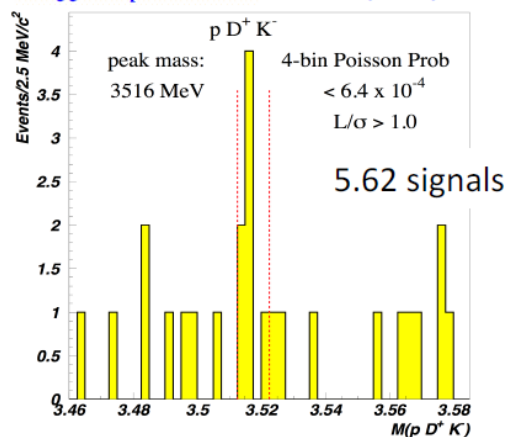
# Comparisons with SELEX

- SELEX (Fermilab E781) collides high energy hyperon beams ( $\Sigma^-$ ,  $p$ ) with nuclear targets, dedicated to study charm baryons
- Observed  $\Xi_{cc}^+$  ( $ccd$ ) in  $\Xi_{cc}^+ \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+$  and  $\Xi_{cc}^+ \rightarrow p D^+ K^-$  decays
- Large mass difference:  $m(\Xi_{cc}^{++})_{\text{LHCb}} - m(\Xi_{cc}^+)_{\text{SELEX}} = 103 \pm 2 \text{ MeV}$

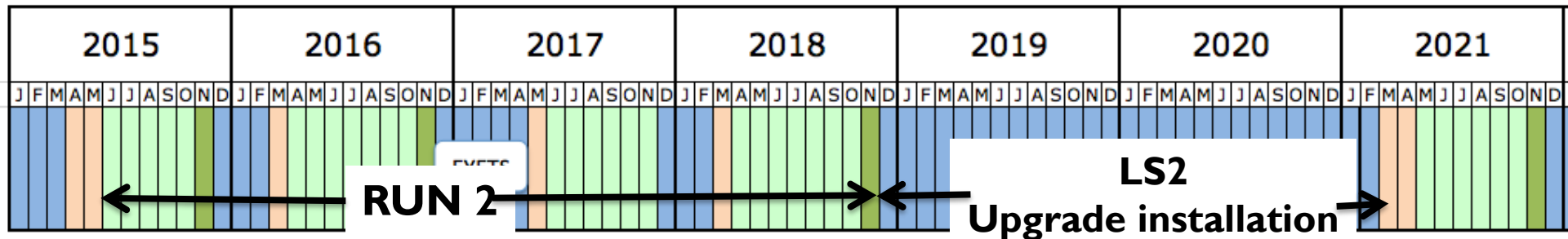
$\Xi_{cc}^+ \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ K^- \pi^+$  PRL 89 (2002) 112001



$\Xi_{cc}^+ \rightarrow p D^+ K^-$  PLB 628 (2005) 18



# LHCb Upgrade : timescale



- Full upgrade in LS2
- Run at higher luminosity from 2021 onwards  
 $(\sim 4 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} \rightarrow 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1})$
- L0 hardware trigger  $\rightarrow$  software trigger
  - Increase efficiency for hadronic modes
- External inputs will benefit from BES-III data

LHCb upgrade projection ( $50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) for  $\gamma$  is  $0.9^\circ$

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This precision will pin down all UT parameters : and hopefully New Physics