Flavour Physics in the LHC Era Lecture 2 of 3

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 What do we hope to learn from current and future heavy flavour experiments?

Today hope to cover Part 2 & start Part 3

(but let's see how we go)

What do we know about heavy quark flavour physics as of today?



CKM Matrix : parametrizations

- Many different possible choices of 4 parameters
- PDG: 3 mixing angles and 1 phase

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{12}c_{13} & s_{12}c_{13} & s_{13}e^{-i\delta} \\ -s_{12}c_{23} - c_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{12}c_{23} - s_{12}s_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & s_{23}c_{13} \\ s_{12}s_{23} - c_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & -c_{12}s_{23} - s_{12}c_{23}s_{13}e^{i\delta} & c_{23}c_{13} \end{pmatrix}$$

• Apparent hierarchy: $s_{12} \sim 0.2$, $s_{23} \sim 0.04$, $s_{13} \sim 0.004$

- Wolfenstein parametrization (expansion parameter $\lambda \sim \sin \theta_{c} \sim 0.22$)

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{O}\left(\lambda^4\right)$$

• Other choices, eg. based on CP violating phases

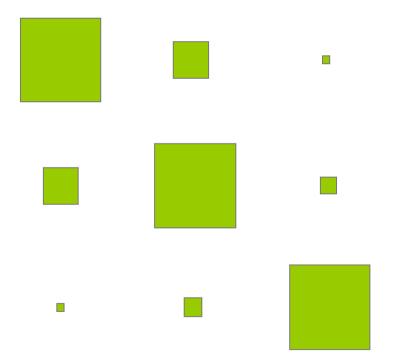
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Hierarchy in quark mixing

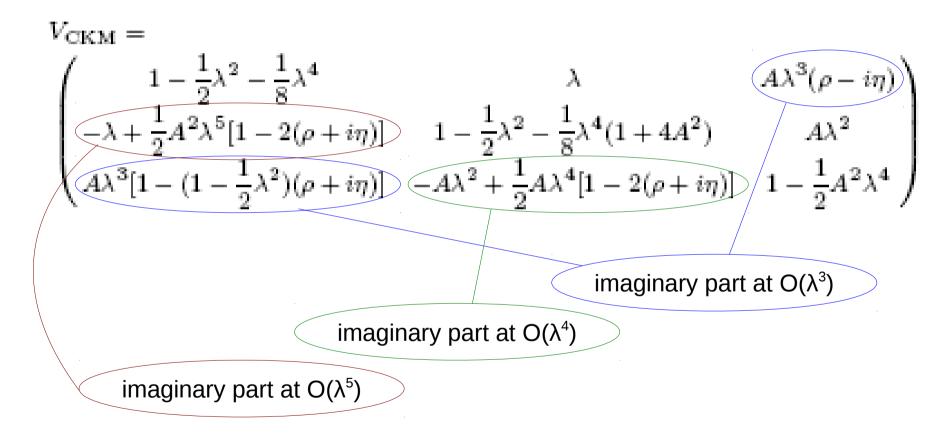
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Very suggestive pattern No known underlying reason Situation for leptons (vs) is completely different



CKM matrix to $O(\lambda^5)$



Remember – only *relative* phases are observable



Unitarity Tests

• The CKM matrix must be unitary

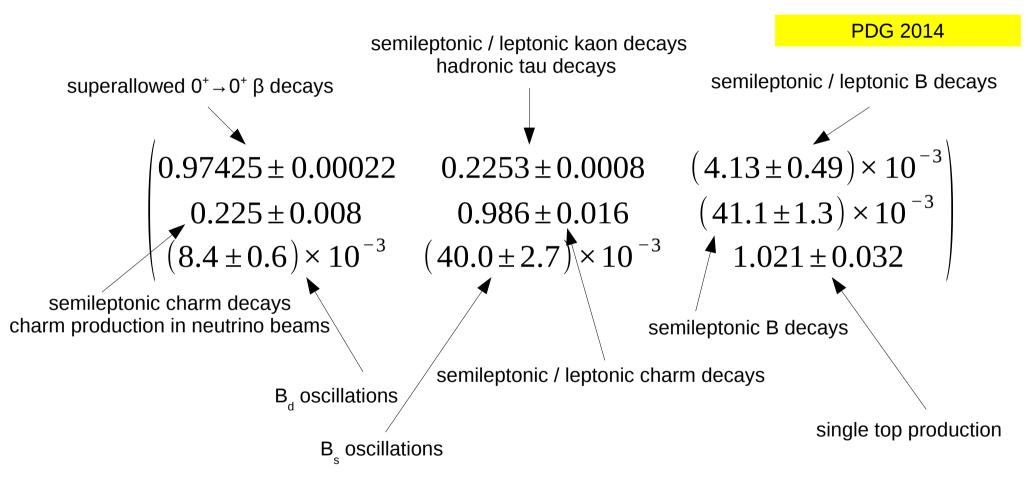
$$V_{CKM}^{+}V_{CKM} = V_{CKM}V_{CKM}^{+} = 1$$

• Provides numerous tests of constraints between independent observables, such as

$$|V_{ud}|^{2} + |V_{us}|^{2} + |V_{ub}|^{2} = 1$$
$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^{*} + V_{cd}V_{cb}^{*} + V_{td}V_{tb}^{*} = 0$$



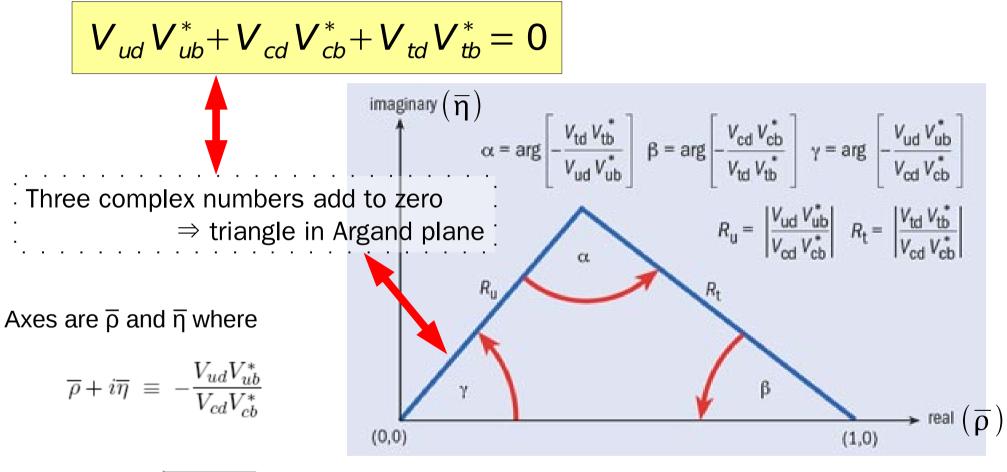
CKM Matrix – Magnitudes



theory inputs (eg., lattice calculations) required



The Unitarity Triangle



$$\rho + i\eta = \frac{\sqrt{1 - A^2 \lambda^4} (\overline{\rho} + i\overline{\eta})}{\sqrt{1 - \lambda^2} [1 - A^2 \lambda^4 (\overline{\rho} + i\overline{\eta})]}$$

Predictive nature of KM mechanism

In the Standard Model the KM phase is the sole origin of CP violation

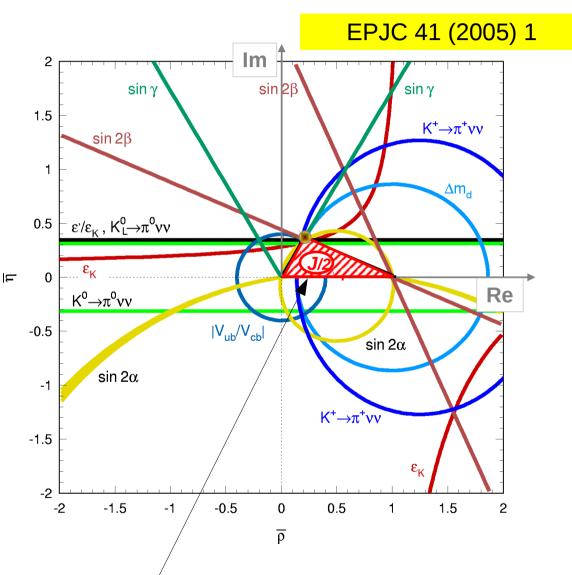
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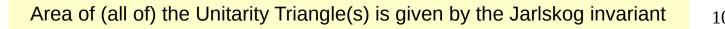
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all measurements must agree on the position of the apex of the Unitarity Triangle

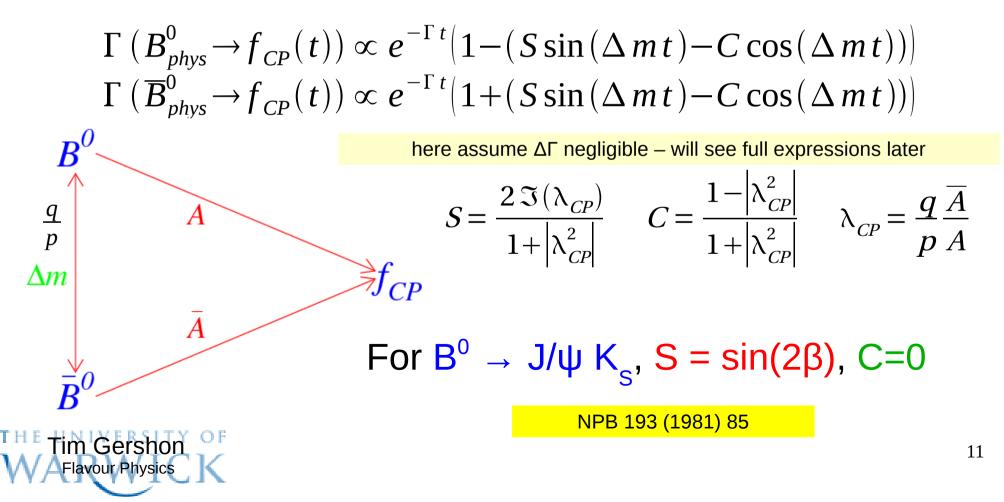
(Illustration shown assumes no experimental or theoretical uncertainties)





Time-Dependent CP Violation in the $B^0 - \overline{B}^0$ System

 For a B meson known to be 1) B⁰ or 2) B
⁰ at time t=0, then at later time t:



Categories of CP violation

• Consider decay of neutral particle to a CP eigenstate $\lambda_{CP} = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\overline{A}}{A}$

$$\frac{|\underline{q}| \neq 1}{|\underline{A}| \neq 1}$$

CP violation in mixing

CP violation in decay

$$\Im\left(\frac{q}{p}\frac{\overline{A}}{A}\right) \neq 0$$

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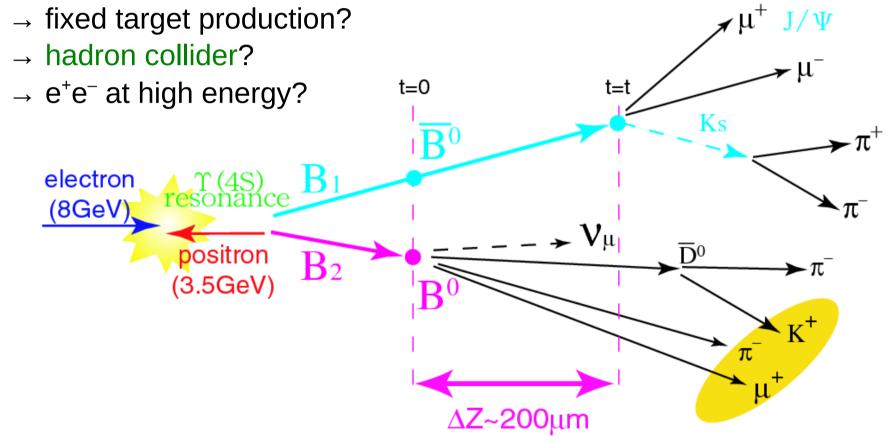
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CP violation in interference between mixing and decay

Asymmetric B factory principle

To measure t require B meson to be moving

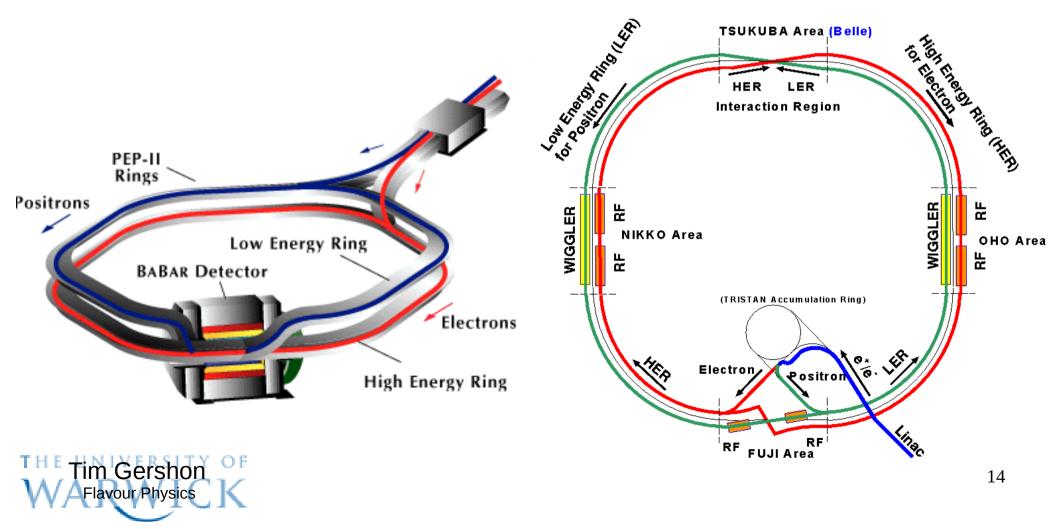
- \rightarrow e⁺e⁻ at threshold with asymmetric collisions (Oddone)
- Other possibilities considered



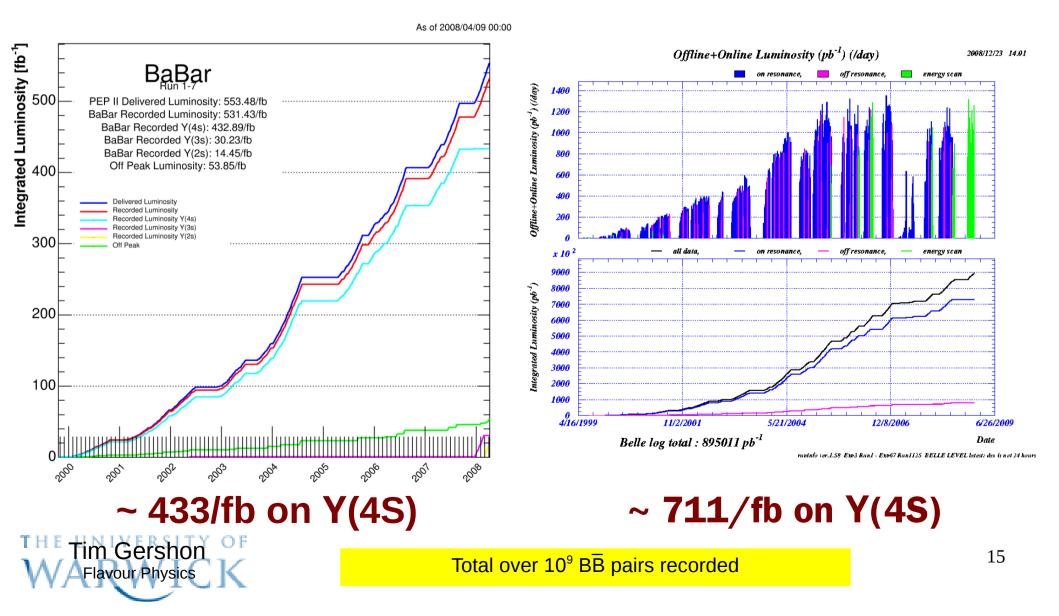
Asymmetric B Factories

PEPII at SLAC 9.0 GeV e^{-} on 3.1 GeV e^{+} 8.0 GeV e^{-} on 3.5 GeV e^{+}

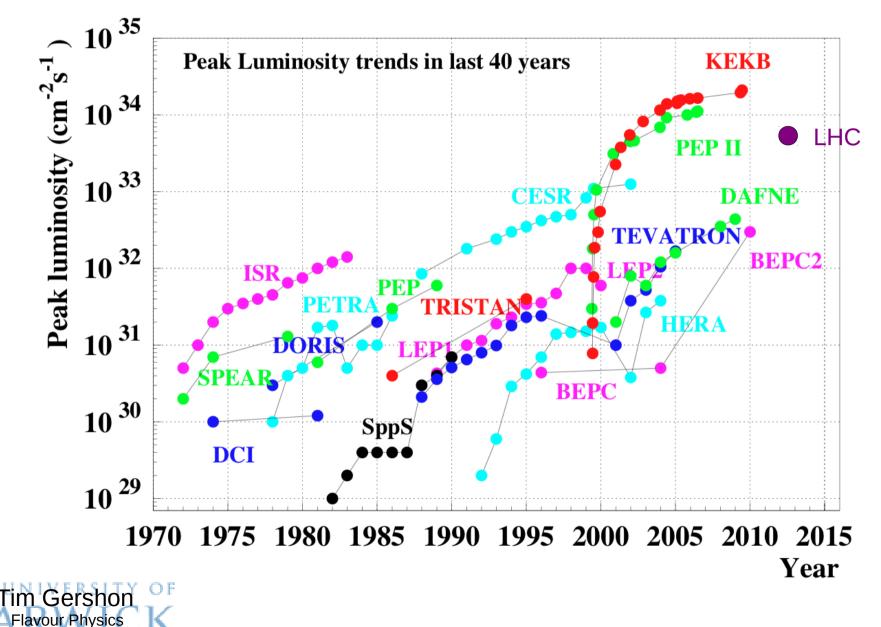
KEKB at KEK



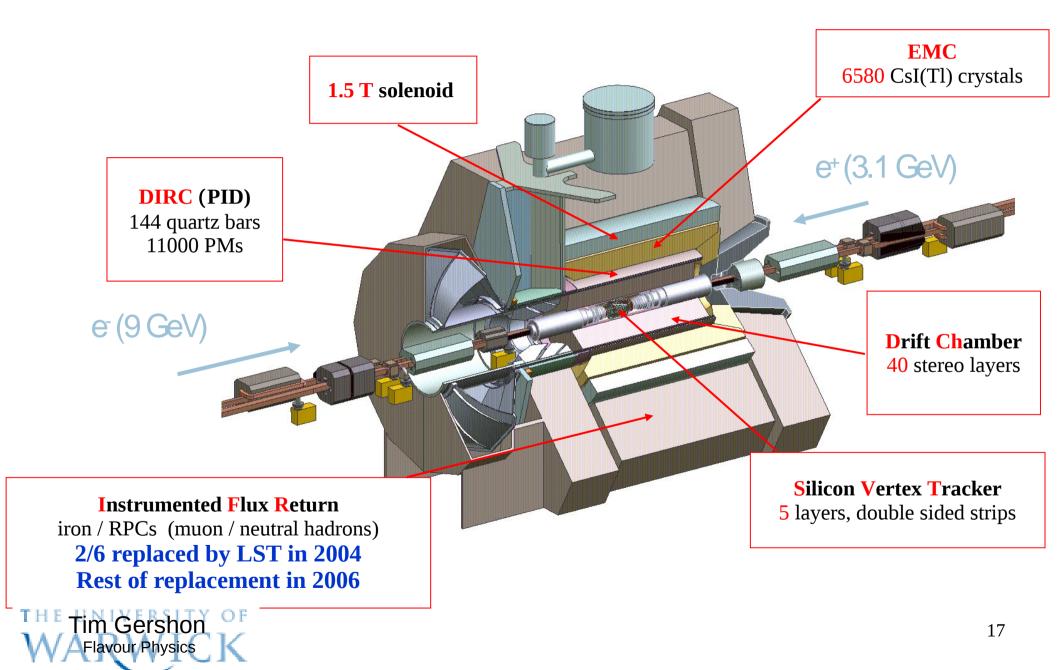
B factories – world record luminosities



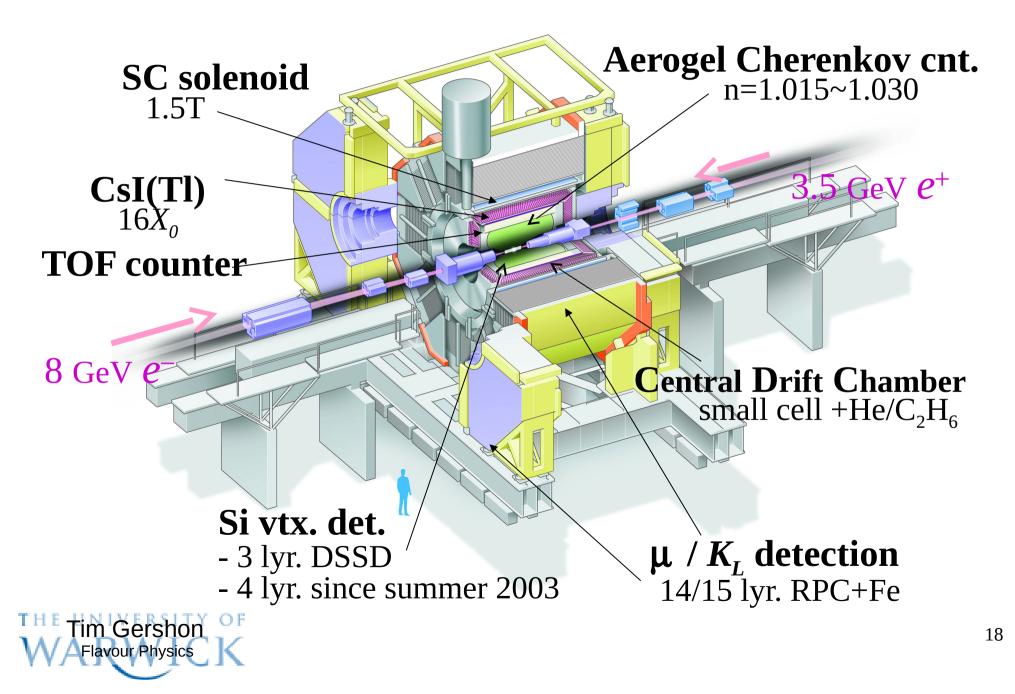
World record luminosities (2)



BaBar Detector

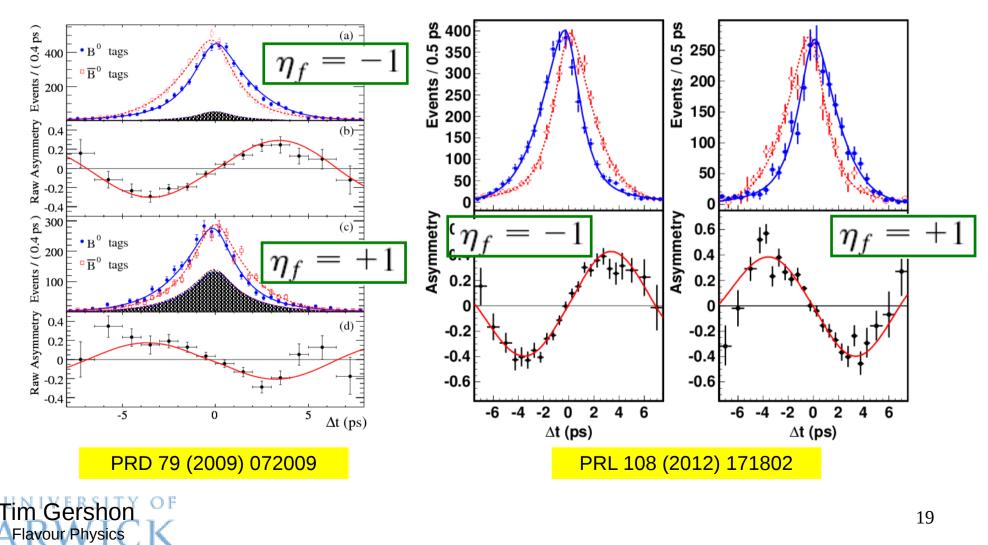


Belle Detector



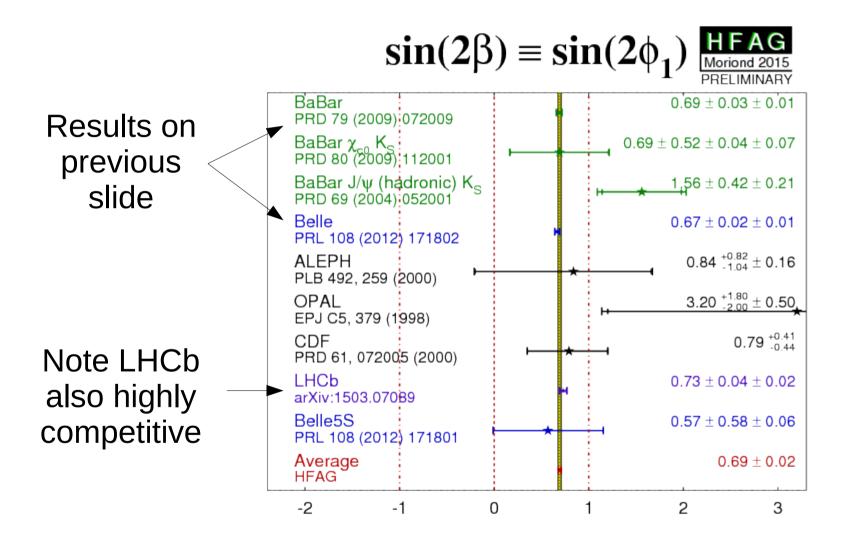
Results for the golden mode $B^0 \to J/\psi K^0$

BABAR

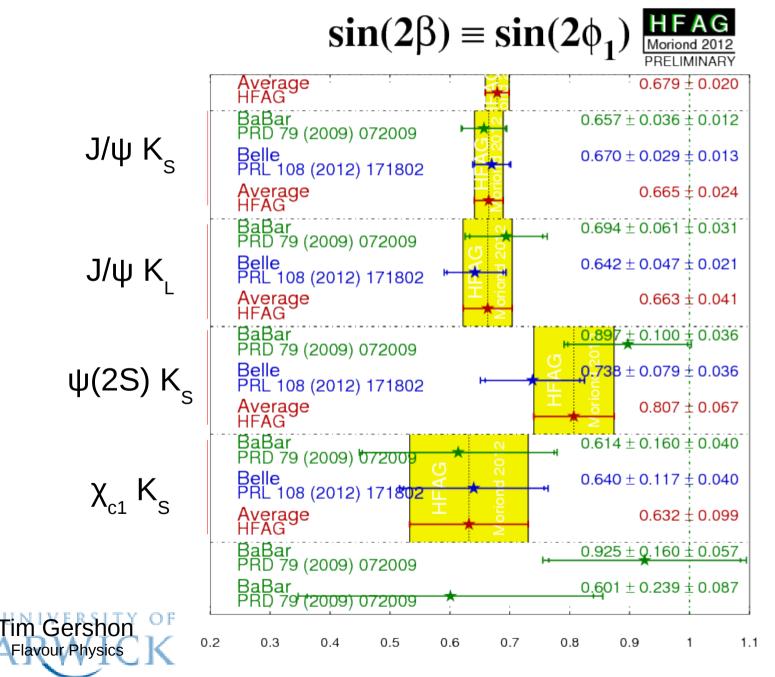


BELLE

Compilation of results



Compilation of B factory results



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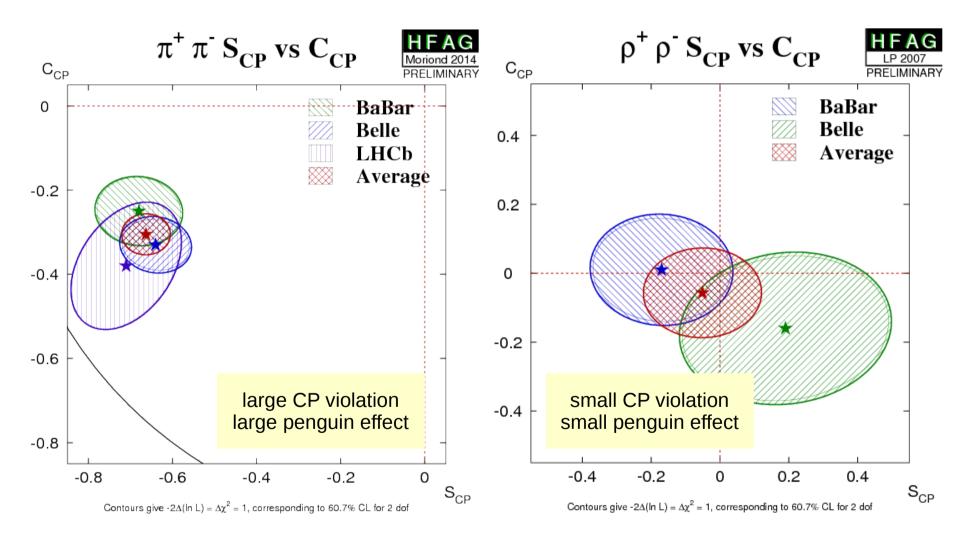
Measurement of α

- Similar analysis using $b \to u\bar{u}d$ decays (e.g. $B_d^0 \to \pi^+\pi^-$) probes $\pi (\beta + \gamma) = \alpha$
 - but b → duu penguin transitions contribute to same final states ⇒ "penguin pollution"
 - $C \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow CP$ violation in decay can occur
 - − S ≠ +η_{cP} sin(2α)
- Two approaches (optimal approach combines both)
 - try to use modes with small penguin contribution
 - correct for penguin effect (isospin analysis)

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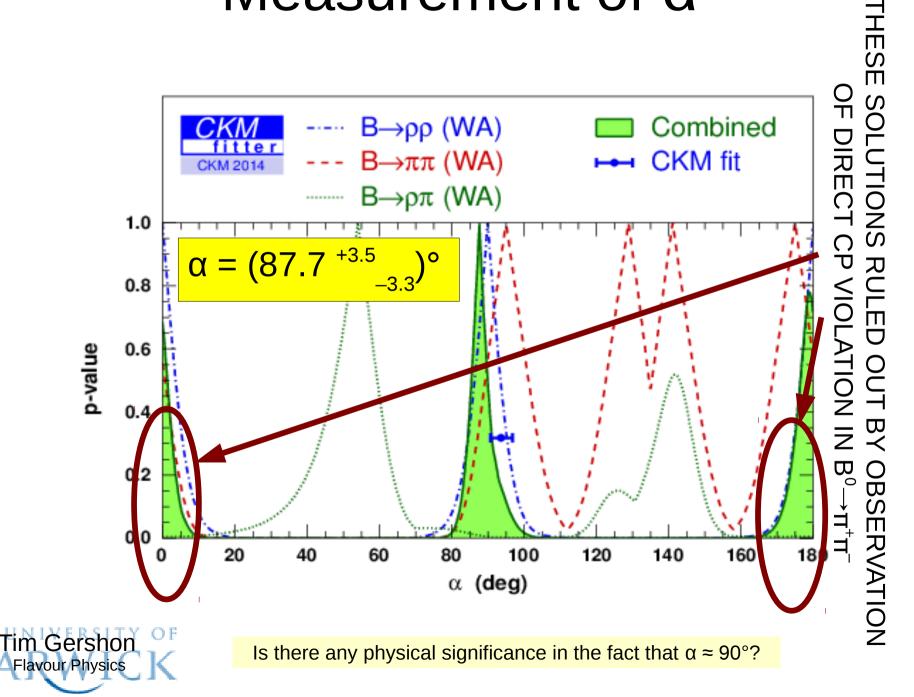
Experimental Situation

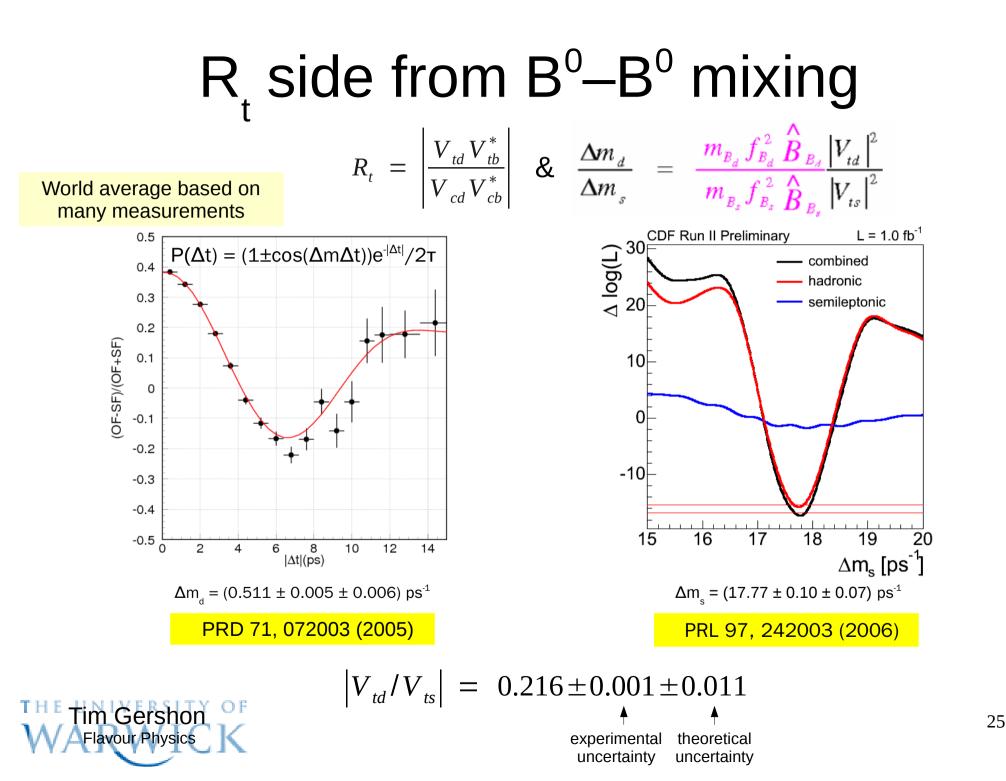


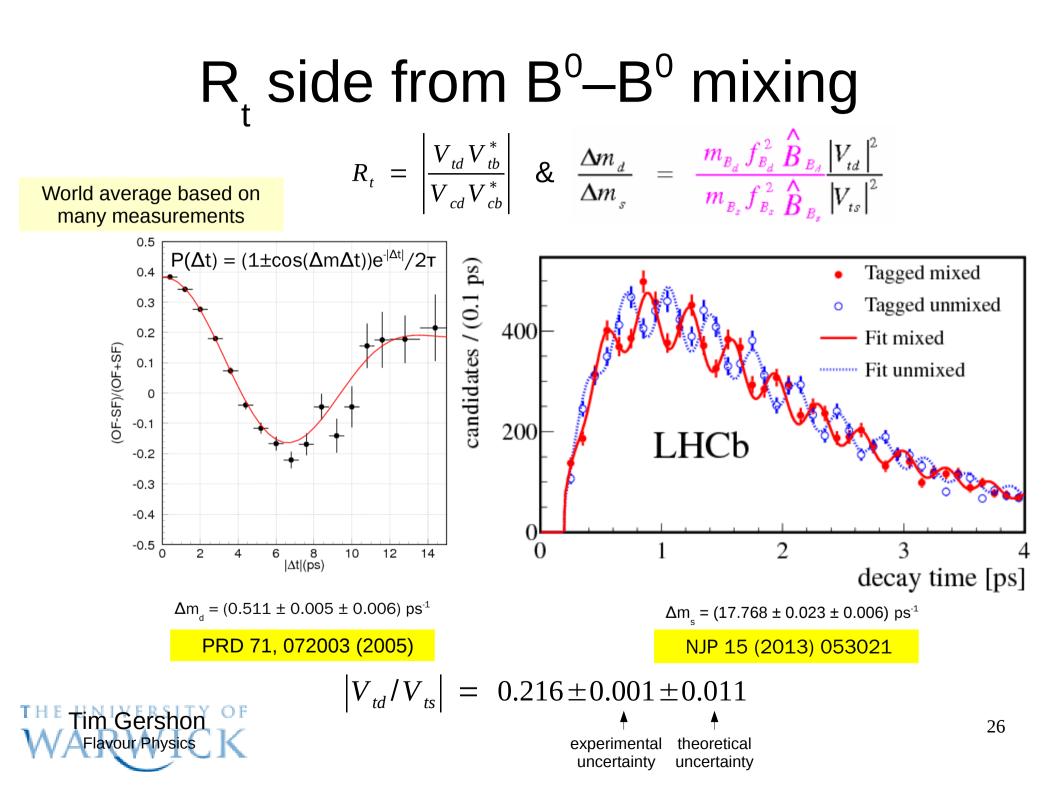
improved measurements needed!



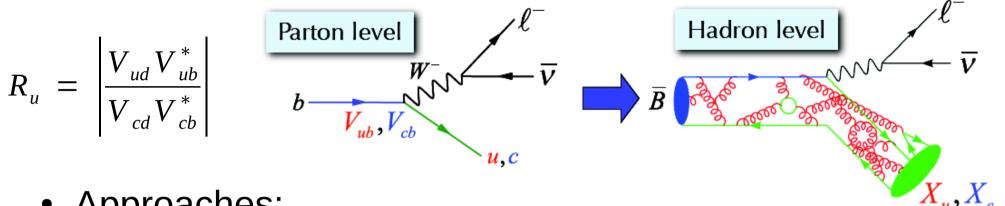
Measurement of α







$\mathbf{R}_{_{\mathrm{u}}}$ side from semileptonic decays



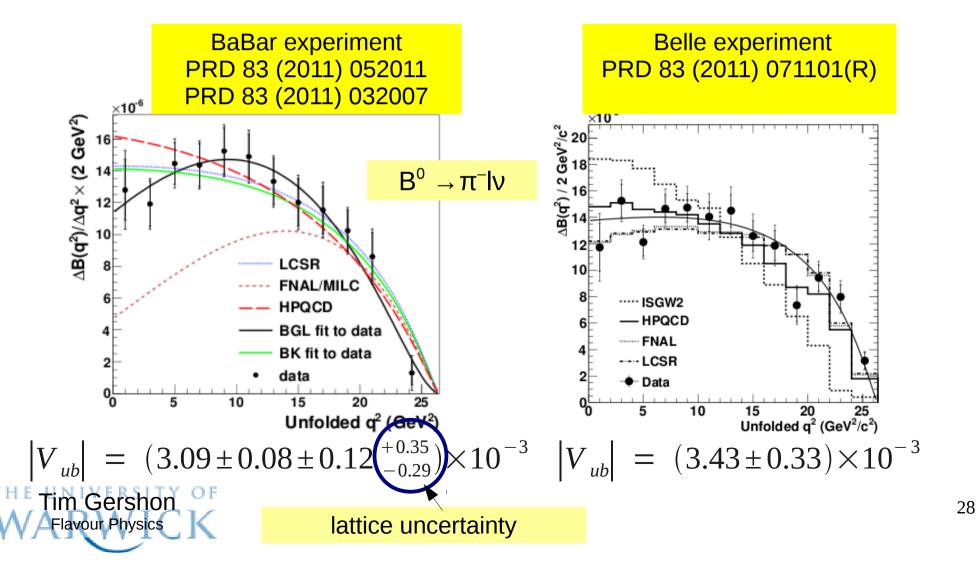
• Approaches:

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- exclusive semileptonic B decays, eg. $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- e^+ \nu$
 - require knowledge of form factors
 - can be calculated in lattice QCD at kinematical limit
- inclusive semileptonic B decays, eg. B \rightarrow X $_{_{\rm II}}e^{\scriptscriptstyle +}\,\nu$
 - clean theory, based on Operator Product Expansion
 - experimentally challenging:
 - need to reject $b \rightarrow c$ background
 - cuts re-introduce theoretical uncertainties

$|V_{ub}|$ from exclusive semileptonic decays

Current best measurements use $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- I^+ \nu$ (recent competitive measurement form LHCb with $\Lambda_{h} \rightarrow p\mu\nu$)



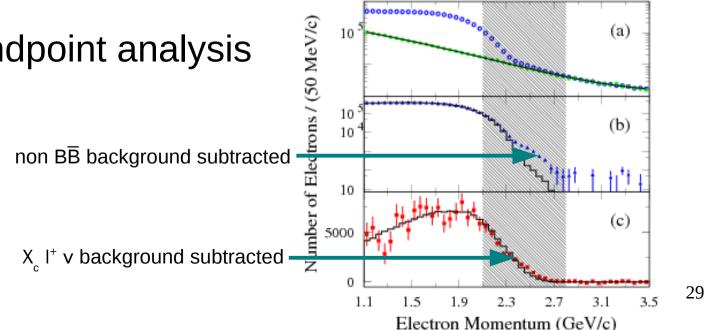
$[V_{ub}]$ from inclusive semileptonic decays

- Main difficulty to measure inclusive B \rightarrow X $_{..}$ I⁺ v
 - background from B \rightarrow X $_{c}$ I⁺ v
- Approaches

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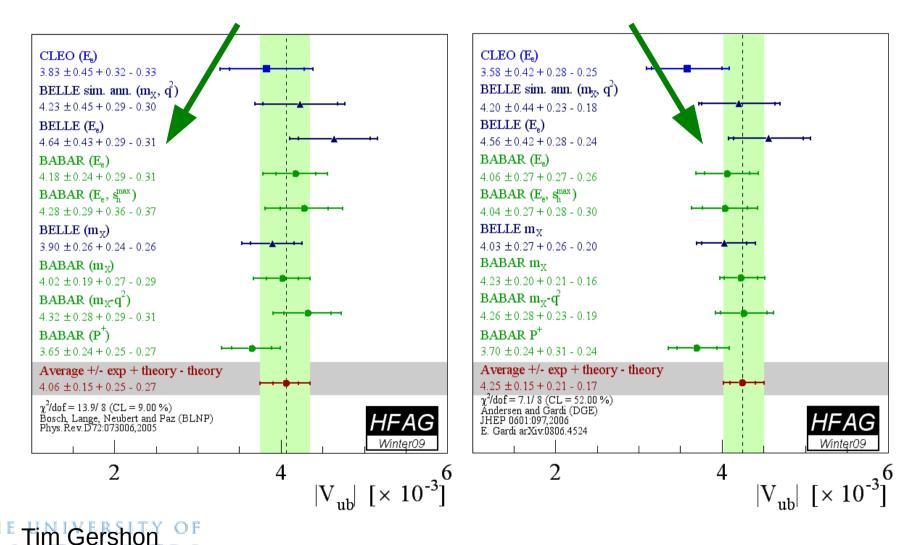
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- cut on E₁ (lepton endpoint), q^2 (lv invariant mass squared), $M(X_{i})$, or some combination thereof 000000000000
- Example: endpoint analysis



$[V_{ub}]$ inclusive - compilation

Different theoretical approaches (2 of 4 used by HFAG)



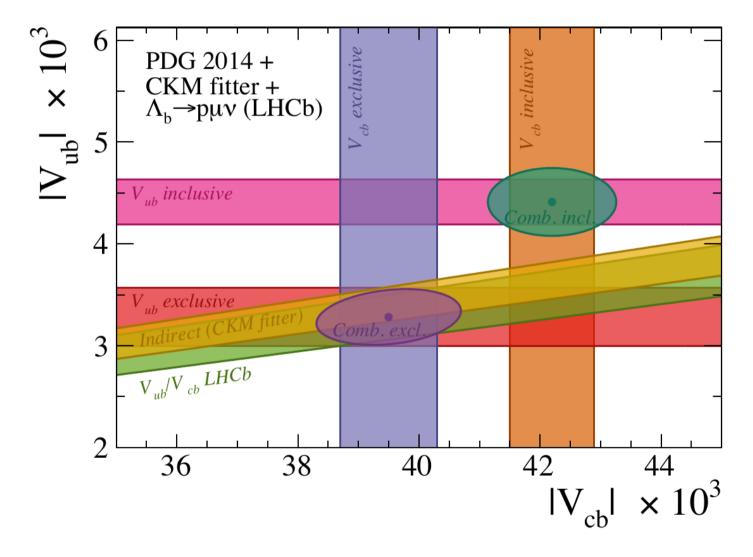
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V_{ub} average

- Averages on $|V_{_{\rm ub}}|$ from both exclusive and inclusive approaches
 - exclusive: $|V_{ub}| = (3.28 \pm 0.29) \times 10^{-3}$
 - inclusive: $|V_{ub}| = (4.41 \pm 0.15^{+0.15}) \times 10^{-3}$
 - slight tension between these results
 - in both cases theoretical errors are dominant
 - but some "theory" errors can be improved with more data
 - PDG2014 does naïve average rescaling due to inconsistency to obtain $|V_{ub}| = (4.13 \pm 0.49) \times 10^{-3}$



Inclusive vs. exclusive

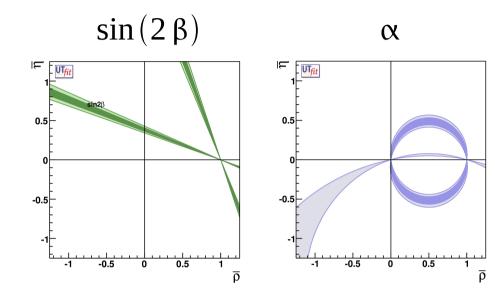


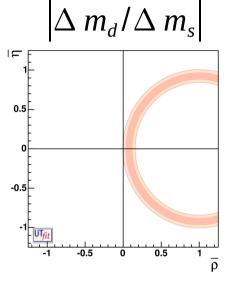
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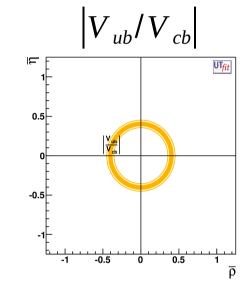
Discrepancies need to be understood!

Partial summary

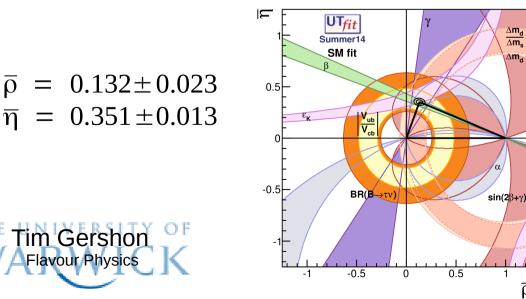




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Adding a few other constraints we find



Consistent with Standard Model fit

some "tensions"

Still plenty of room for new physics

Flavour physics at hadron colliders

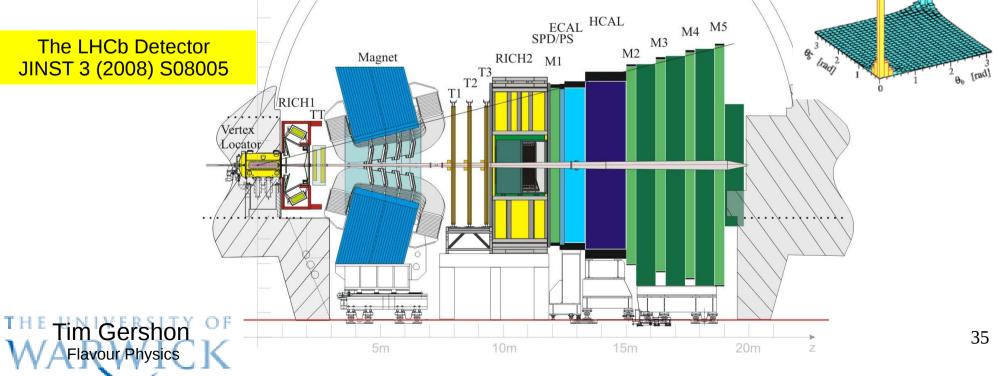
	$e^+e^- \to \Upsilon(4S) \to B\bar{B}$	$p\bar{p} \rightarrow b\bar{b}X$	$pp \rightarrow b\bar{b}X$
	PEP-II, KEKB	$(\sqrt{s} = 2 \text{ TeV})$ Tevatron	$(\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV})$ LHC
Production cross-section	1 nb	$\sim 100\mu b$	$\sim 500\mu b$
Typical <i>b</i> b̄ rate	10 Hz	$\sim 100\mathrm{kHz}$	$\sim 500\mathrm{kHz}$
Pile-up	0	1.7	0.5 - 20
b hadron mixture	B^+B^- (50%), $B^0\overline{B}^0$ (50%)	B^+ (40%), B^0	$(40\%), B_s^0 (10\%),$
		Λ_b^0 (10%), others (< 1%)	
b hadron boost	small ($\beta \gamma \sim 0.5$)	large ($\beta \gamma \sim 100$)	
Underlying event	$B\bar{B}$ pair alone	Many additional particles	
Production vertex	Not reconstructed	Reconstructed from many tracks	
$B^0 - \overline{B}^0$ pair production	Coherent (from $\Upsilon(4S)$ decay)	Incoherent	
Flavour tagging power	$\varepsilon D^2 \sim 30\%$	$arepsilon D^2 \ \sim 5\%$	



Geometry

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- In high energy collisions, bb pairs produced predominantly in forward or backward directions
- LHCb is a forward spectrometer



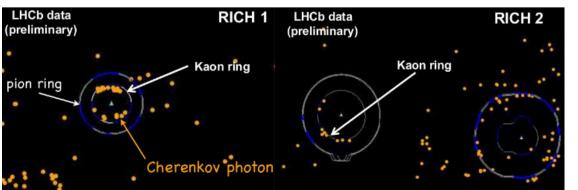
LHCb detector features

- Tracking and calorimetry
 - basic essentials of any collider experiment!
 - muon chambers
- VELO
 - reconstruct displaced vertices
- RICH
- particle ID (K/ π separation)
- Trigger

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- fast and efficient



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IP_x Resolution Vs 1/p₋

√s = 7 TeV

→ 2011 Data → Simulation

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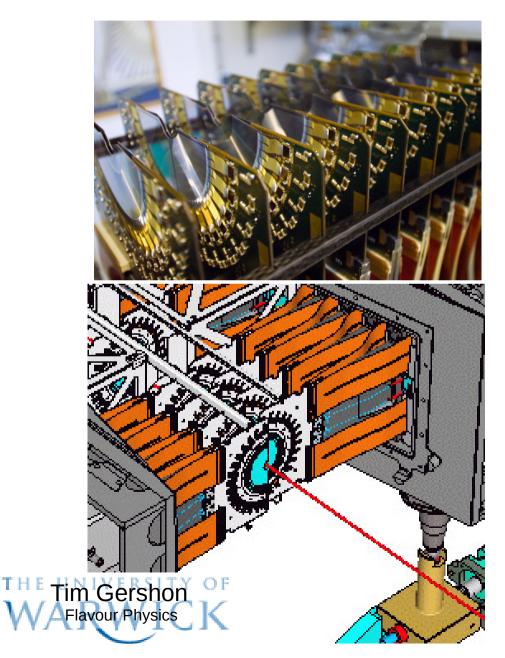
LHCb VELO Preliminary 2011 Data: σ = 13.2 + 24.7/p_ μ m

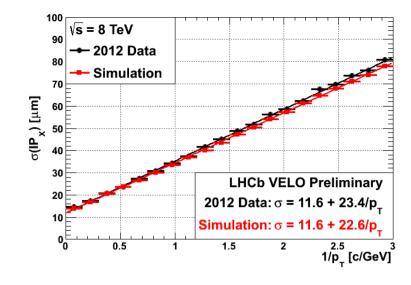
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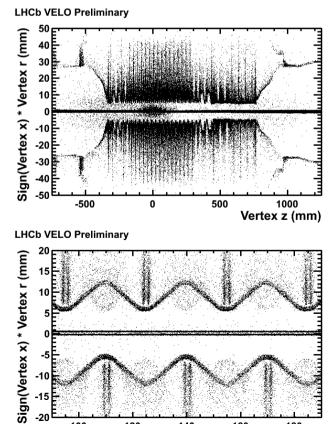
Simulation: $\sigma = 11$

VELO





Material imaged used beam gas collisions



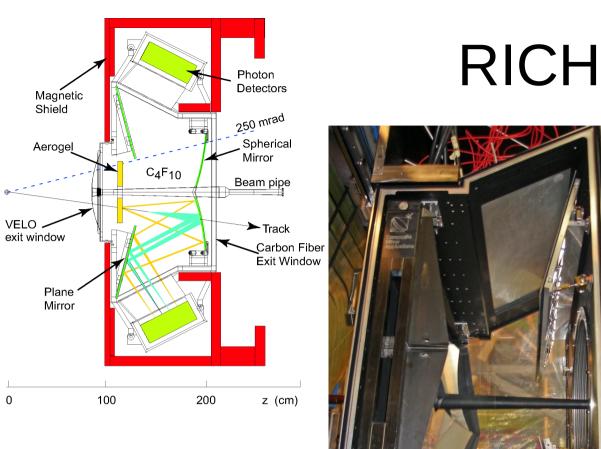
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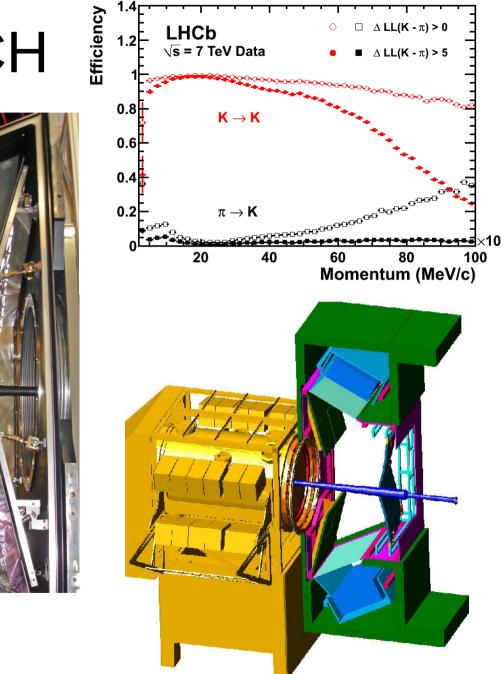
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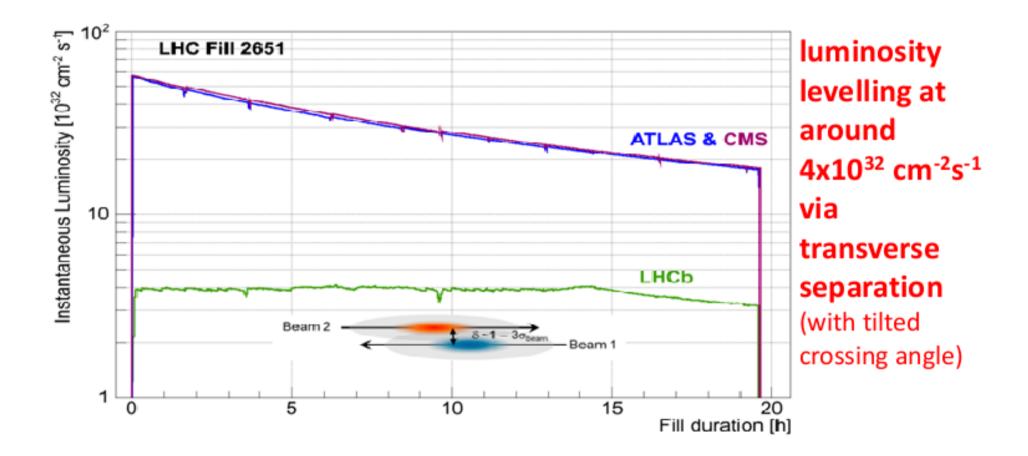








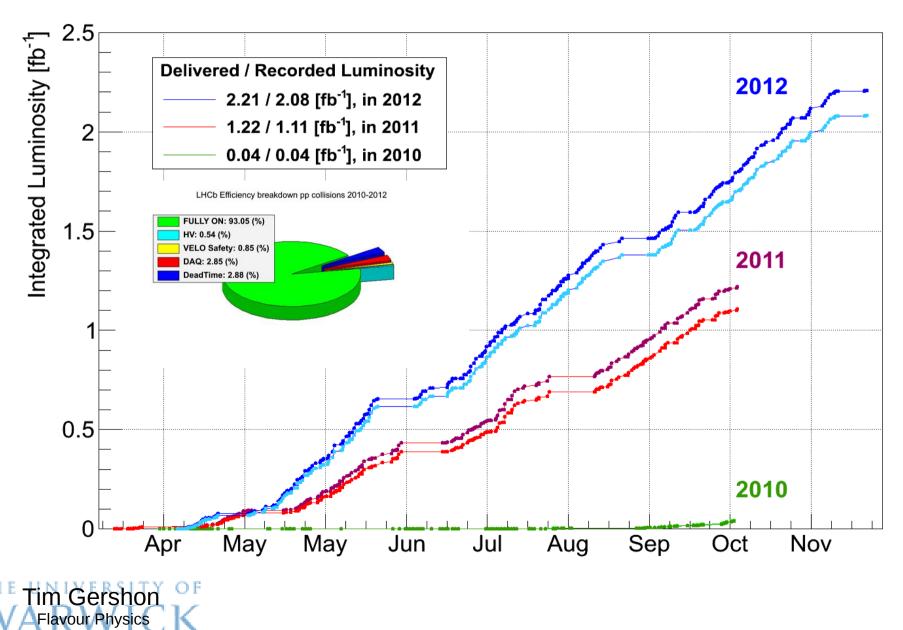
Luminosity levelling in LHCb



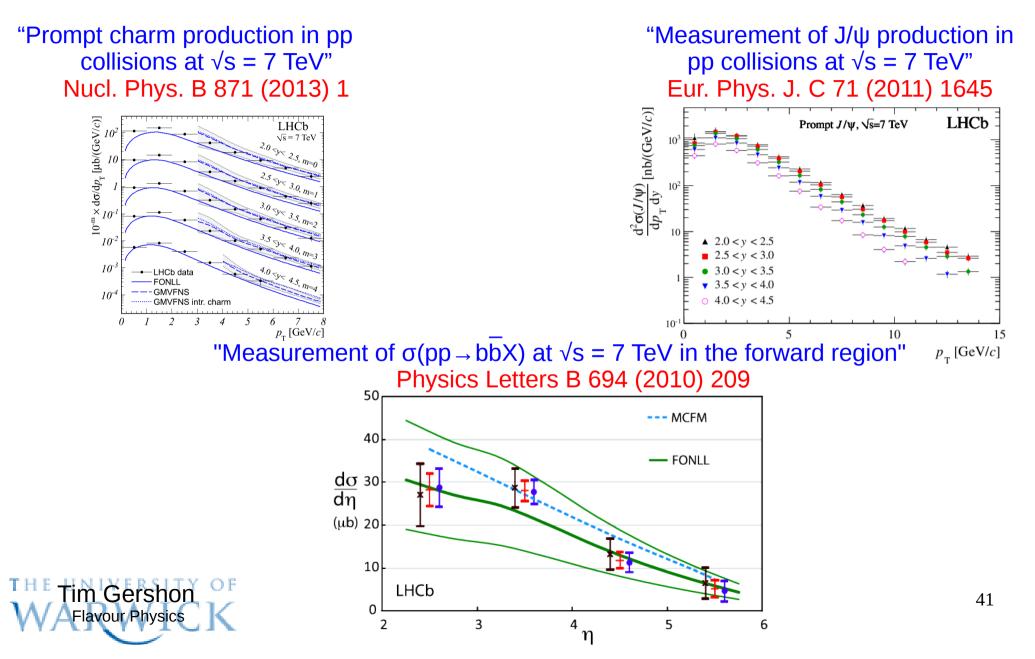
from C. Gaspar, via. F. Zimmerman



Run 1 data taking



Heavy flavour production @ LHCb



What does $\int Ldt = 1/fb$ mean?

• Measured cross-section, in LHCb acceptance $\sigma(pp \rightarrow b\overline{b}X) = (75.3 \pm 5.4 \pm 13.0) \ \mu b$

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PLB 694 (2010) 209
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• So, number of bb pairs produced

 $10^{15} \times 75.3 \ 10^{-6} \sim 10^{11}$

• Compare to combined data sample of e^+e^- "B factories" BaBar and Belle of ~ 10⁹ BB pairs

for any channel where the (trigger, reconstruction, stripping, offline) efficiency is not too small, LHCb has world's largest data sample

• p.s.: for charm, $\sigma(pp \rightarrow c\overline{c}X) = (6.10 \pm 0.93)$ mb

LHCb-CONF-2010-013



The all important trigger

Challenge is

- to efficiently select most interesting B decays
- while maintaining manageable data rates

Main backgrounds

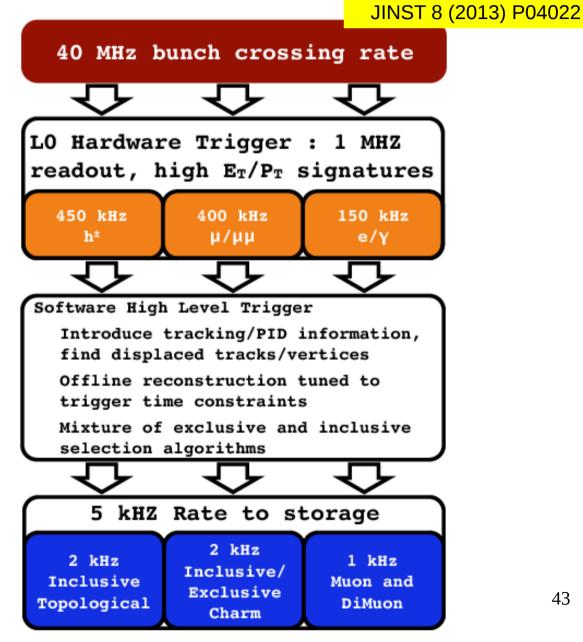
- "minimum bias" inelastic pp scattering
- other charm and beauty decays

Handles

- high p_r signals (muons)
- displaced vertices

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Spectroscopy

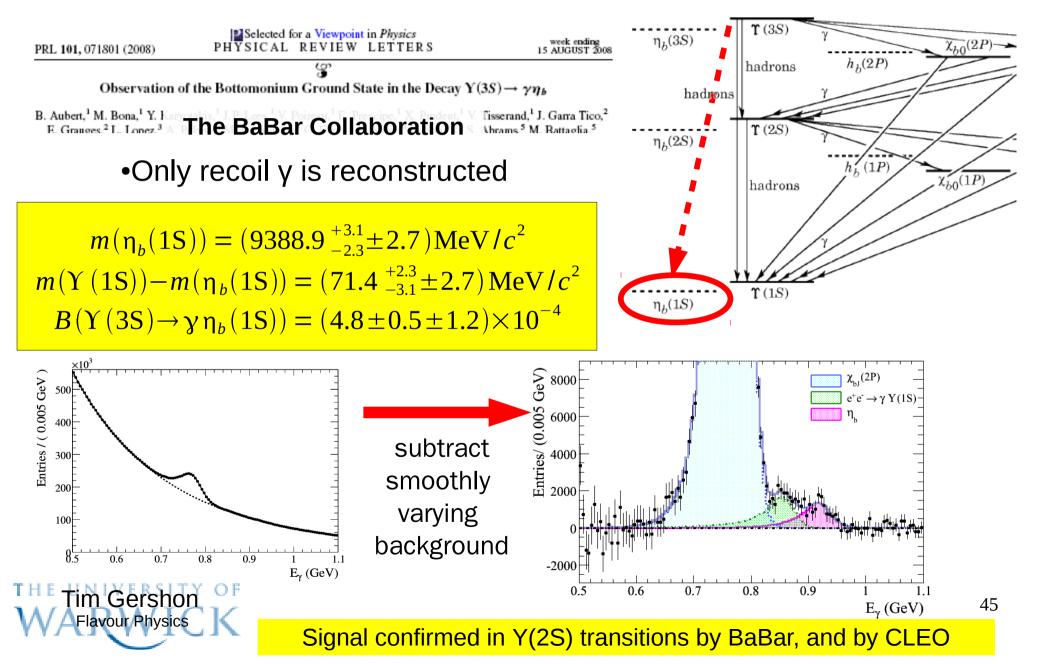
- I've talked about the headline items of flavour physics
 - CP violation, searches for new physics
 - what we tell the funding agencies, and the press
- But, much of the physics performed by flavour experiments is the study of properties of hadronic states
 - lifetimes, masses, decay channels, quantum numbers
 - and the discoveries of new ones

PRL 91 (2003) 262001 Most highly cited paper (>1000 citations) from BaBar or Belle

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Discovery of the lightest $b\overline{b}$ state – 2008



Why wasn't the $\eta_{\rm b}$ discovered at a hadronic experiment?

- Remember: Y(1S) discovered at FNAL in 1977
 - fixed target experiment: p on Be

PRL 39 (1977) 252

- $\eta_{_{b}}$ is lighter
- Hadron collisions produce all types of b hadrons
- So why couldn't the $\eta_{_{b}}$ be discovered, e.g., at the Tevatron?



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- So why couldn't the $\eta_{_b}$ be discovered, e.g., at the Tevatron?
- It's all about the trigger!
 - need clean signature for trigger and reconstruction
 - CDF search used $\eta_{\rm h}^{} \rightarrow J/\psi J/\psi$ decay, with predicted BF \sim 0!

CDF note 8448

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Digression on a digression: The "Oops Leon"

Observation of High-Mass Dilepton Pairs in Hadron Collisions at 400 GeV

D. C. Hom, L. M. Lederman, H. P. Paar, H. D. Snyder, J. M. Weiss, and J. K. Yob Columbia University, New York, New York 10027*

and

J. A. Appel, B. C. Brown, C. N. Brown, W. R. Innes, and T. Yamanouchi Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory, Botavia, Rilaois 60510⁺

and

D. M. Kaplan State University of New York at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, New York 1179-1* (Received 28 Sandary 1976)

We report preliminary results on the production of electron-position pairs in the mass range 2.5 to 20 GeV in 400-GeV p-Be interactions. 27 high-mass events are observed in the mass range 5.5-10.0 GeV corresponding to $\sigma = (f.2 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-55}$ cm² per nucleon. Clustering of 12 of these events between 5.8 and 6.2 GeV suggests that the data contain a new resonance at 6 GeV.

Homework exercise: 1. Read this paper 2. Do you find the "discovery" convincing? 3. Explain what's wrong

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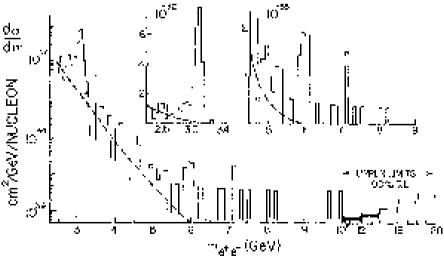
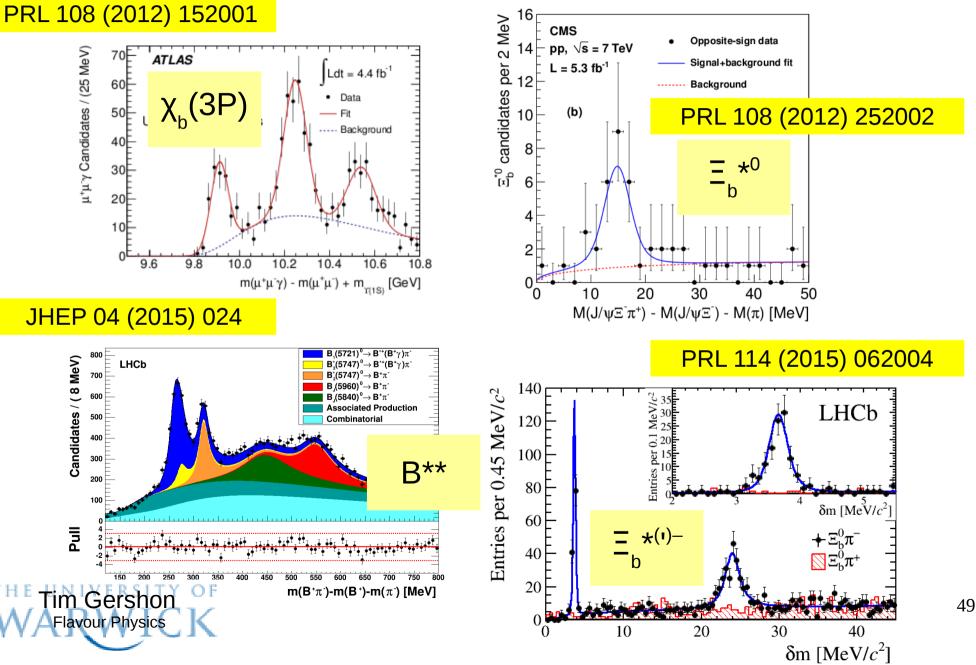


FIG. 2. Electron-positron mass spectrum: dc/dm per nucleon versus the effective mass. A linear A dependence is assumed. Note bin-width changes.

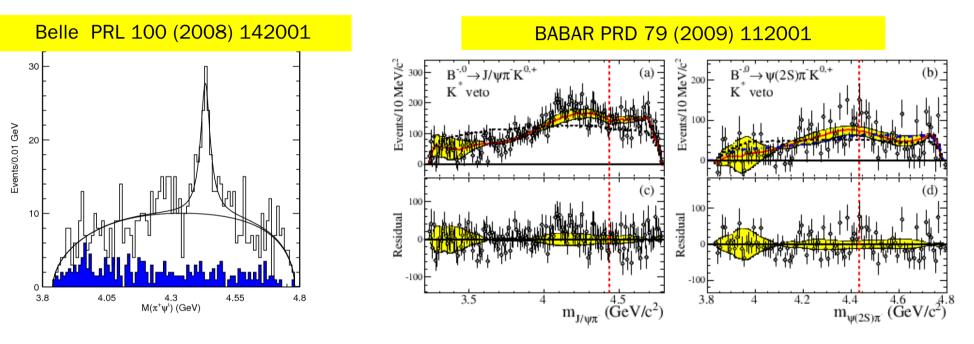
PRL 36 (1976) 1236

More new particles



The smoking gun exotic hadron: A charged charmonium-like state

 $B^0 \to Z(4430)^- K^+, \ Z(4430)^- \to \psi' \pi^-$



Clear peak Still there in more detailed analysis PRD 80 (2009) 031104

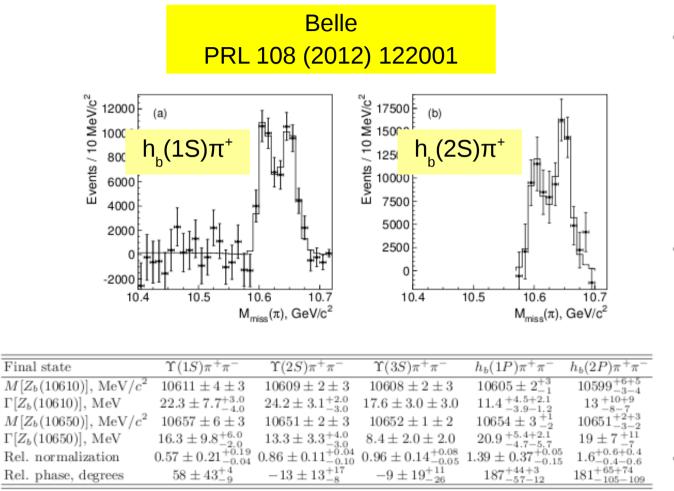
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Data consistent with $K\pi$ reflections Slight peak but no evidence for new state But also consistent with Belle

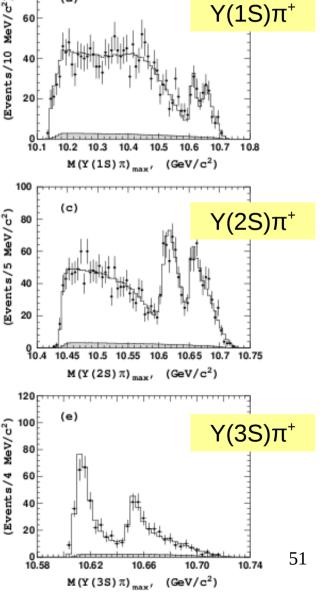
Need more experimental input (CDF, D0, ATLAS, CMS or LHCb)

Charged bottomonium-like states



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