

# EXPERIMENTAL BASIS — 2

## LECTURE 1

- An example analysis
- How to design a good experiment
- Experiments

## LECTURE 2

- Triggers
- Techniques
- Soft skills
- The future

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# BLUF — BOTTOM LINE UP FRONT

- Experiments need triggers and hence choices
- Master analysis techniques
- ... and soft skills
- Look out for the future

# Triggering

# WHY DO HEP EXPERIMENTS HAVE A TRIGGER



Particle physics experiments have triggers to efficiently select and record the most interesting and relevant events among the vast amount of data generated in particle collisions.

In particle physics experiments, high-energy particles collide at extremely high rates, producing a large number of interactions. However, not all of these interactions are of interest to researchers. Many of them involve well-understood and less significant processes. Therefore, triggers are used to identify and capture the rare and interesting events that may indicate the presence of new particles or phenomena.

Triggers consist of sophisticated algorithms and electronic systems that quickly analyze the characteristics of each collision and make a rapid decision on whether to keep or discard the data. These algorithms are designed to select events that meet specific criteria, such as the production of certain particles or specific patterns of particle interactions. By using triggers, experiments can focus on recording the most promising events while discarding a significant portion of uninteresting background data, which helps manage the large data volumes and limited storage capabilities of the experimental apparatus.

In summary, triggers are essential in particle physics experiments to efficiently select and record the most relevant and intriguing events, allowing researchers to concentrate their analysis on the most promising data.

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$10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$  are  $1 \text{ nb}^{-1}/\text{s}$ . Assuming a non-empty rate of 30 MHz.

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For Belle II the game is to keep a  $\sim 100\%$  efficiency on signal.

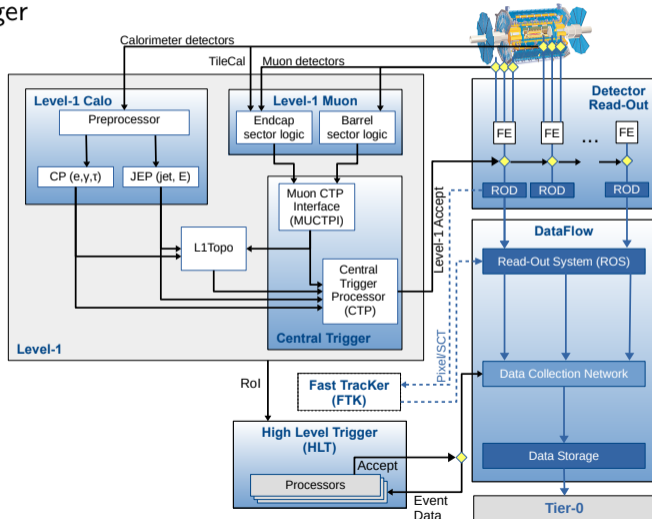
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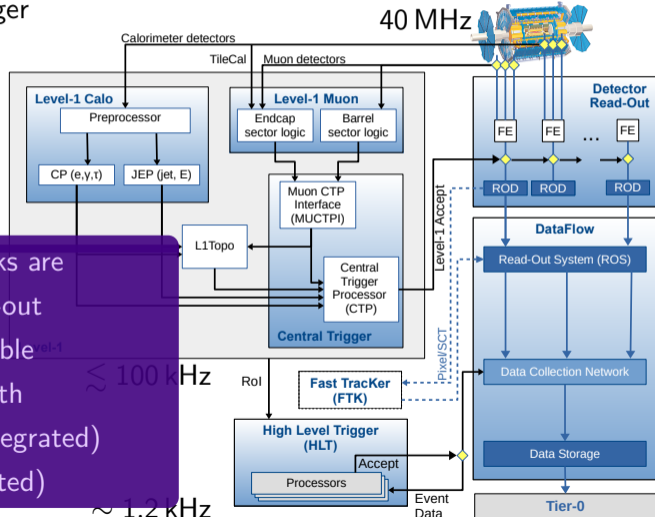
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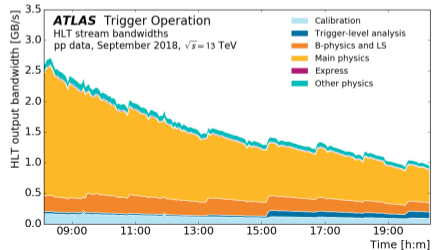
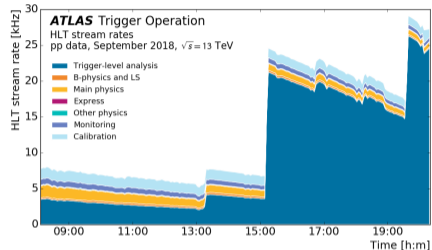
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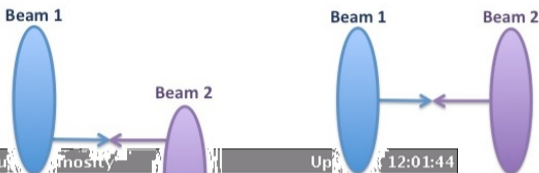
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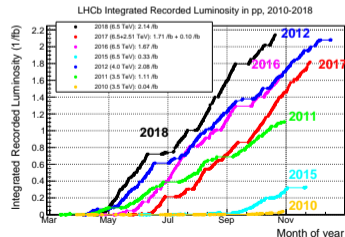
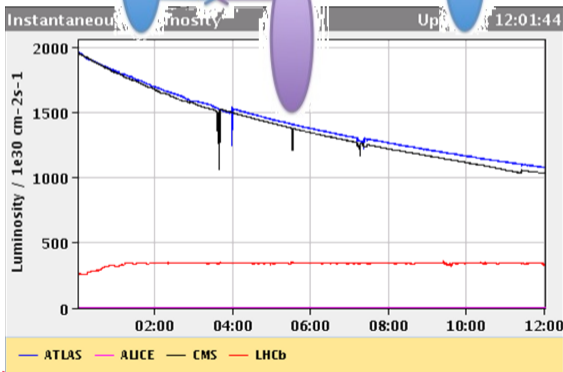
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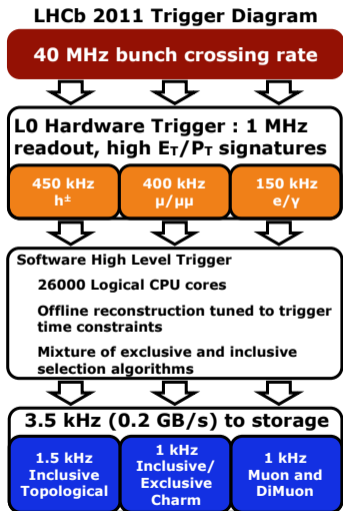
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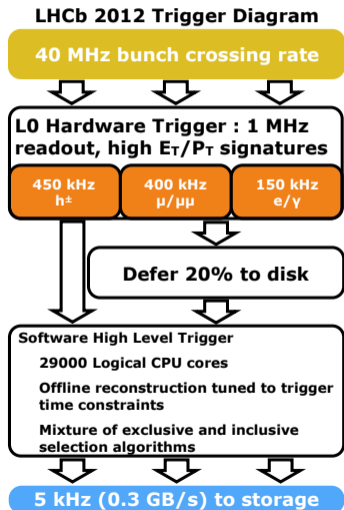
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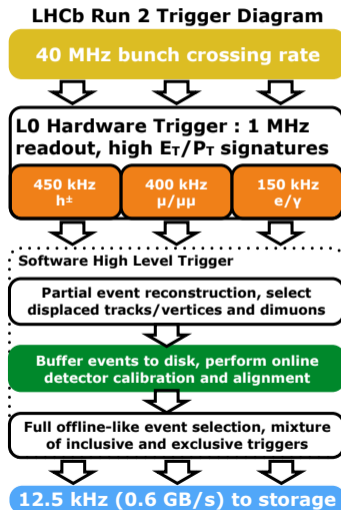
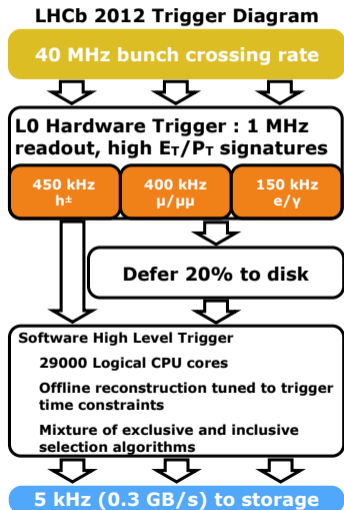


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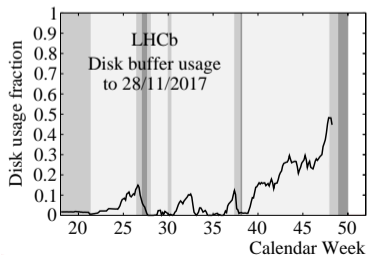




# LHCb TRIGGER IN RUN 2

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- Disk → more CPU. The full reconstruction can also be run during LHC downtime.



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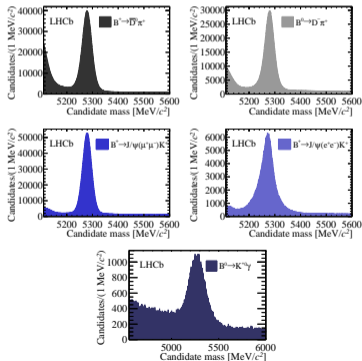
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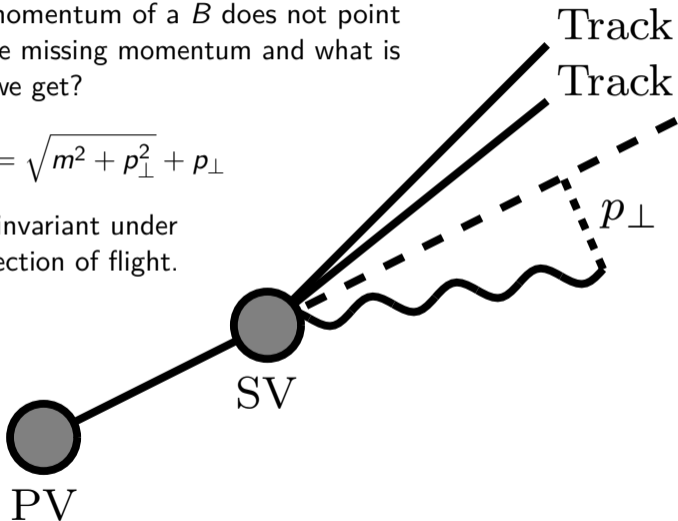


# CORRECTED MASS

The reconstructed momentum of a  $B$  does not point to the PV: what's the missing momentum and what is the minimum mass we get?

$$m_{\text{corr}} = \sqrt{m^2 + p_{\perp}^2} + p_{\perp}$$

Hint:  $p_{\perp}$  is Lorentz invariant under boosts along the direction of flight.





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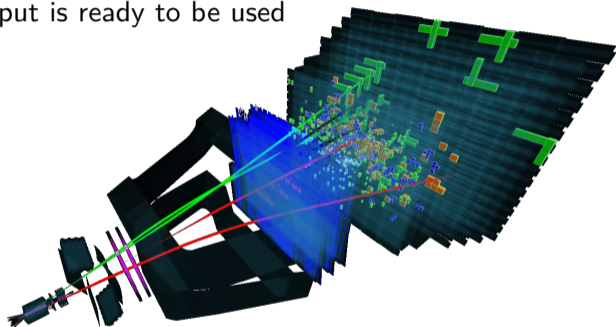


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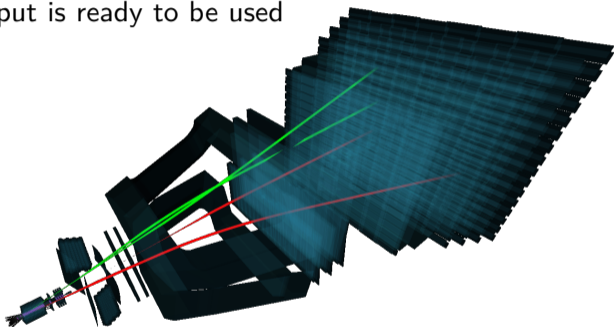


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## TIS/TOS METHOD

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**TOS** Event triggered on signal

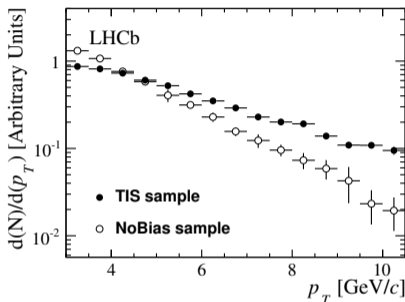
**TIS** Event triggered on rest of event

Candidates falling in both categories  
can be used to compute

$$\eta^{\text{TOS}} = \frac{N^{\text{TIS\&TOS}}}{N^{\text{TIS}}}.$$

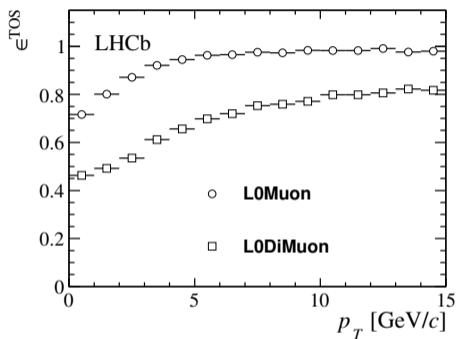
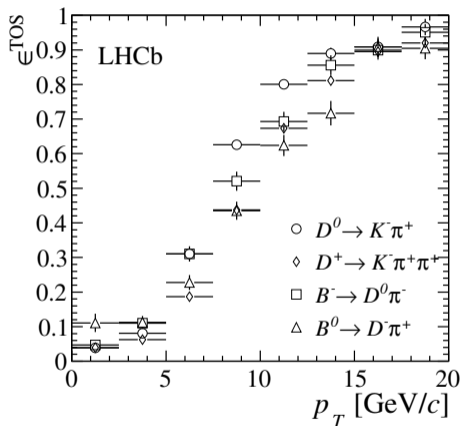
The total trigger efficiency is obtained  
from

$$\eta^{\text{TIS}} = \frac{N^{\text{TIS\&TOS}}}{N^{\text{TOS}}} \quad \rightarrow \quad \eta^{\text{trig}} = \frac{\eta^{\text{TIS}} N^{\text{trig}}}{N^{\text{TIS}}}$$



TIS events are harder than  
unbiased events.

# RUN 1 TRIGGER PERFORMANCE

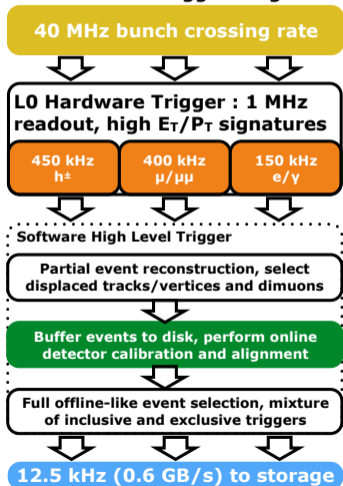


The L0 efficiency is reasonable for channels with muons, but low for hadrons

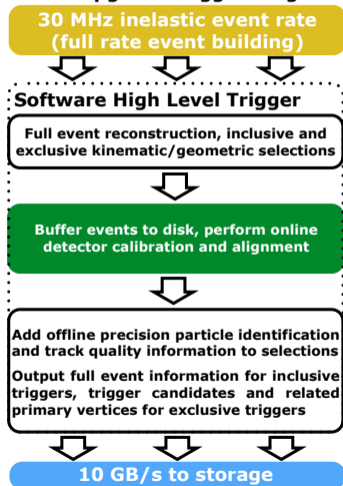


# LHCb TRIGGER IN RUN 3

## LHCb Run 2 Trigger Diagram



## LHCb Upgrade Trigger Diagram



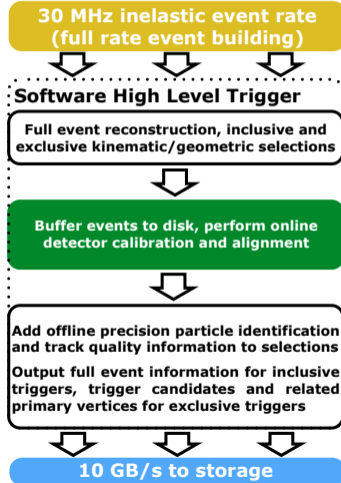


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## New in Run III: No hardware (L0) trigger

- 30 MHz non-empty events go to event filter farm
- Full event reconstruction at 30 MHz
- Full calibration of preselected events
- Offline-like selections
- 10 GB/s to storage (most of that TURBO)

### LHCb Upgrade Trigger Diagram

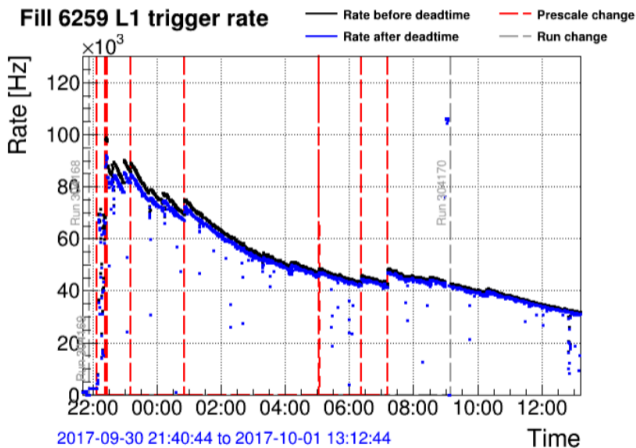


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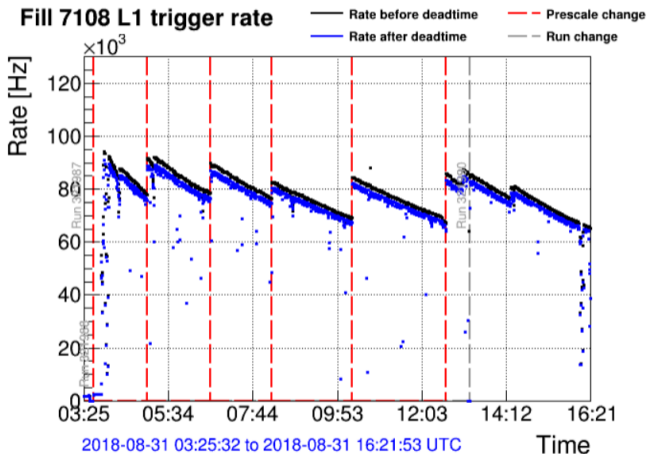






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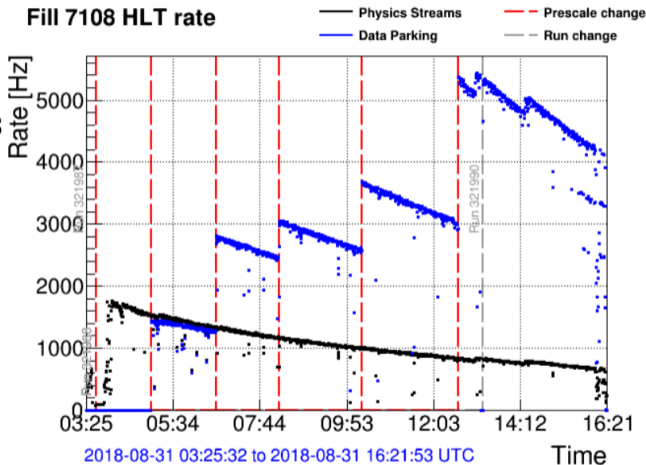
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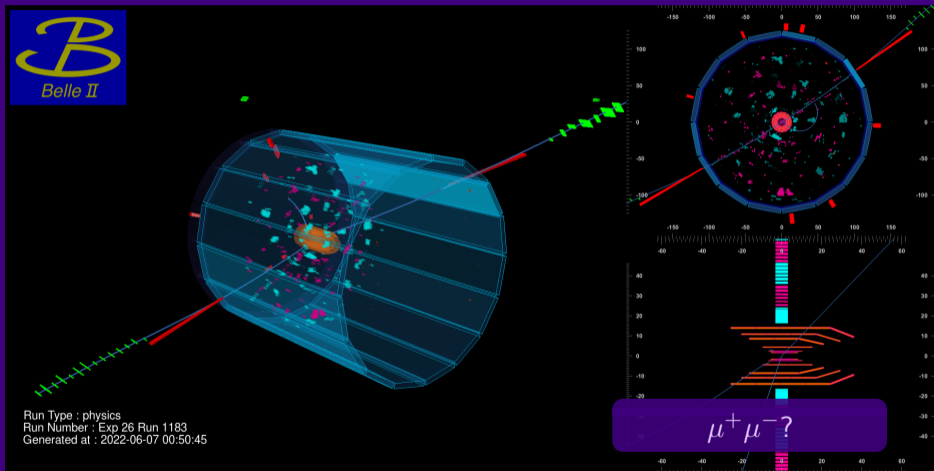


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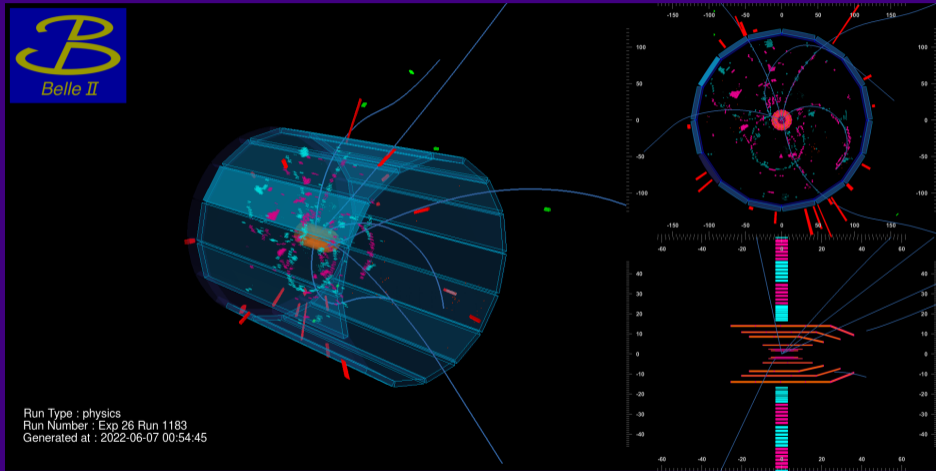
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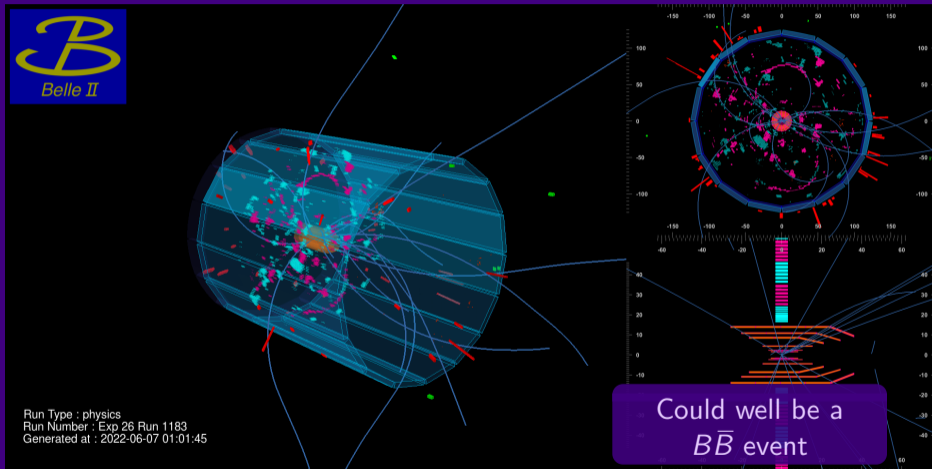
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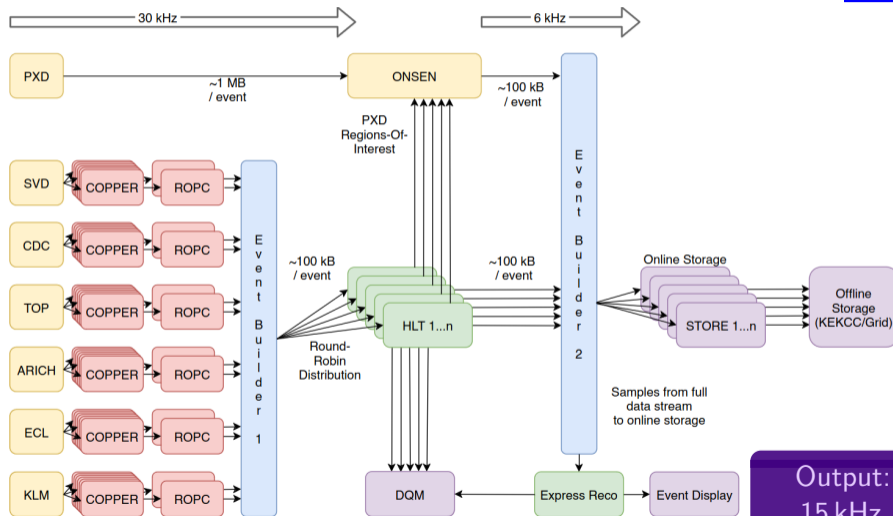


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# TRIGGER



# Techniques

- ① Full-event Tagging
- ② Flavour Tagging
- ③ Blinding
- ④ Uncertainties
- ⑤ Dalitz Plots
- ⑥ sPlot
- ⑦ Machine Learning
- ⑧ Fitting → Backup
- ⑨ Good computing practices

# Techniques

## ① Full-event Tagging



# $B^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$ BRANCHING FRACTION

$$\mathcal{B} = \frac{G_F^2 m_B m_\tau^2}{8\pi} \left( 1 - \frac{m_\tau^2}{m_B^2} \right) f_B |V_{ub}|^2 \tau_B$$

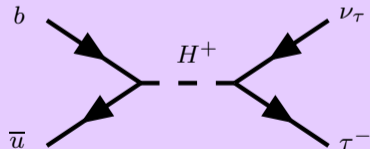
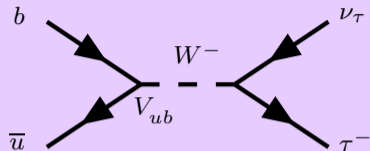
$$\stackrel{\text{SM}}{=} \left( 0.75 \begin{smallmatrix} +0.10 \\ -0.05 \end{smallmatrix} \right) \cdot 10^{-4}$$

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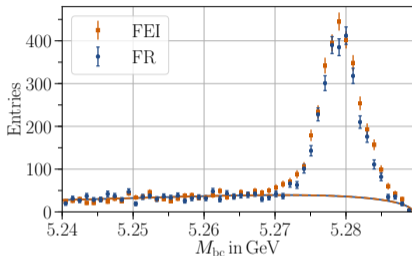
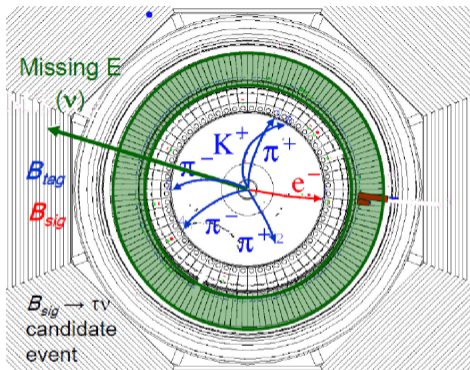
(For  $B^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$ , replace  $m_\tau$  by  $m_\mu$ )

Higgs-mediated diagram **reduces**  
(small  $\tan \beta$ ) or **enhances** the  $\mathcal{B}$ :

$$\frac{\mathcal{B}_{\text{MSSM}}}{\mathcal{B}_{\text{SM}}} = \left( 1 - \frac{m_B^2}{m_{H^\pm}^2} \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{1 + \epsilon \tan \beta} \right)^2$$



## FULL EVENT INTERPRETATION

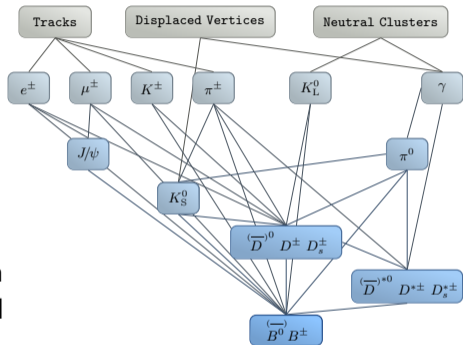
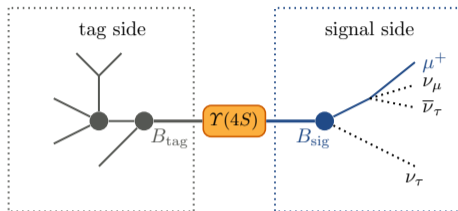


Tag  $B$  mass with FEI [Keck et al.]  
and FR [Feindt et al, NIM A654 (2011) 432]

The tag  $B$  is fully reconstructed ( $B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 (\rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+) \pi^+$ ), which completely determines the 4-momentum of the signal  $B$  ( $B^- \rightarrow \tau^- (\rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu} \nu) \bar{\nu}$ )

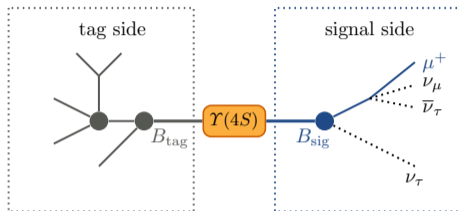


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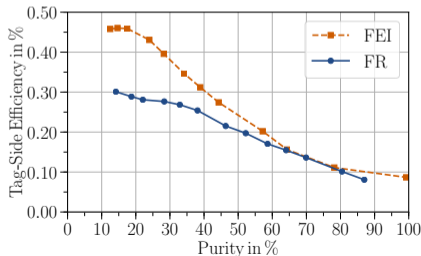
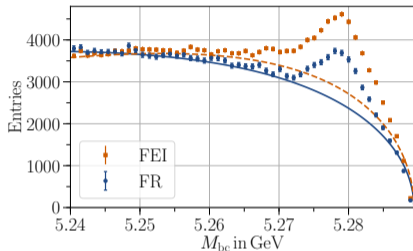
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It surpasses the Belle full reconstruction algorithm (FR) [Feindt et al, NIM A654 (2011) 432]



$B^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$ 

Using full Belle sample (772 million  $B\bar{B}$ ), reconstruct  $B^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$

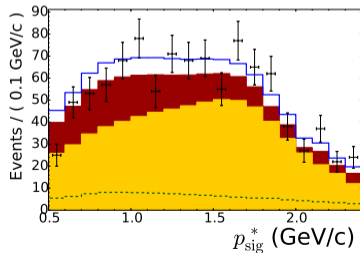
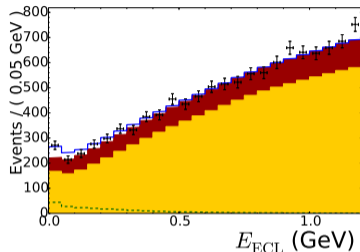
- Use semileptonic tag of the other  $B$
- Consider  $\tau^+$  decays to  $e^+$ ,  $\mu^+$ ,  $\pi^+$ ,  $\rho^+$  (all with 1 charged track)
- See  $220 \pm 50$  decays ( $3.8\sigma$ )

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu) = (1.25 \pm 0.28 \pm 0.27) \times 10^{-4}$$

Combine with hadronic tagging [PRL 110 (2013) 131801] to get

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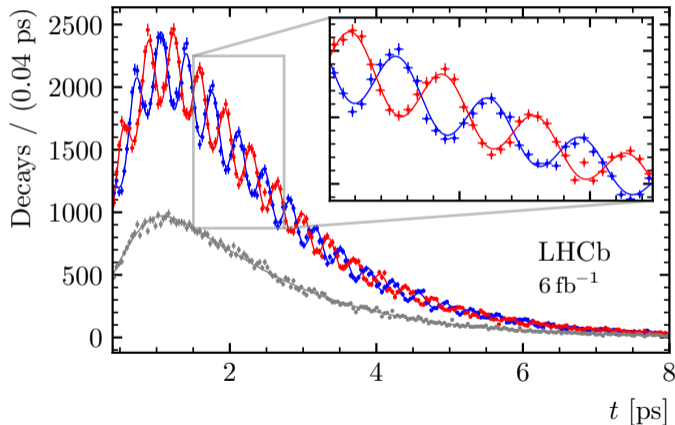
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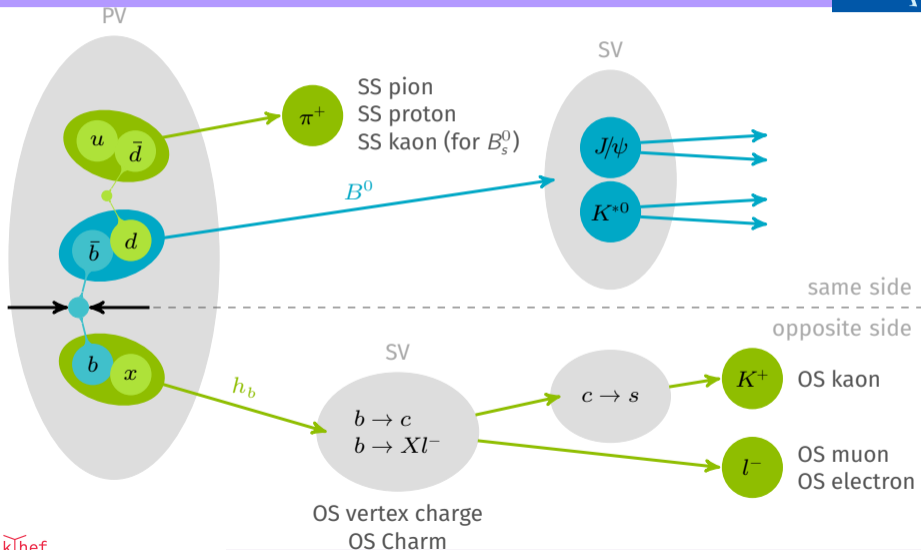

 $\Delta m_s$  WITH  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$ 

—  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$  —  $\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$  — Untagged



380k  $B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^- \pi^+$  in 6 fb<sup>-1</sup> Run 2 data  $\rightarrow \Delta m_s = 17.7656 \pm 0.0057$  ps<sup>-1</sup>

# FLAVOUR TAGGING AT THE LHC





# FLAVOUR TAGGING

We start with a sample of  $N$   $B$  and  $\bar{B}$  mesons. We need flavour tagging to know their flavour at origin.

$N^{\text{tag}}$  of those have a tagging decision, with  $\eta^{\text{tag}} = \frac{N^{\text{tag}}}{N}$ . The remaining  $N^{\text{tag}} - N$  are not useful for  $CP$  violation but may be used for other observables.

The fraction of wrongly tagged  $B$  is  $\omega$

$$N_B^{\text{tag}} = \eta(1 - \omega)N_B + \eta\omega N_{\bar{B}}$$

$$N_{\bar{B}}^{\text{tag}} = \eta(1 - \omega)N_{\bar{B}} + \eta\omega N_B$$

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The uncertainty is

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta A_{\text{true}}^{CP} &= \frac{\Delta A_{\text{meas}}^{CP}}{1 - 2\omega} = \frac{1}{1 - 2\omega} \sqrt{\frac{(1 - A_{\text{true}}^{CP})^2}{N^{\text{tag}}}} = \frac{1}{1 - 2\omega} \sqrt{\frac{(1 - A_{\text{true}}^{CP})^2}{\eta^{\text{tag}} N}} \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\eta^{\text{tag}}(1 - 2\omega)}} \Delta A_{\text{true}}^{CP} \end{aligned}$$

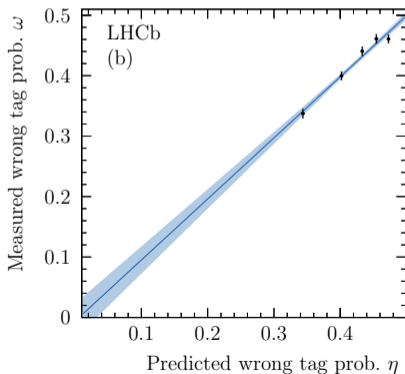
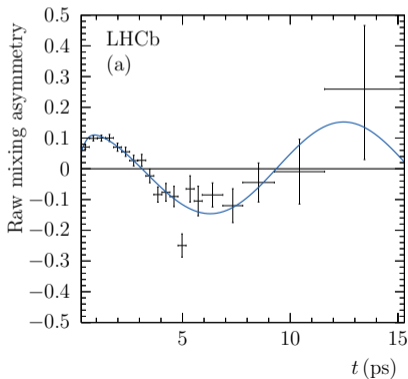
The effect of the imperfect tagging is the same as reducing the sample by a factor

$$\eta_{\text{eff}} = \eta^{\text{tag}}(1 - 2\omega)^2$$

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The wrong-tag fraction is calibrated on self-tagging control samples. Here  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^{*0} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)$  for  $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$  [LHCb, PRL 115 (2015) 031601, arXiv:1503.07089]



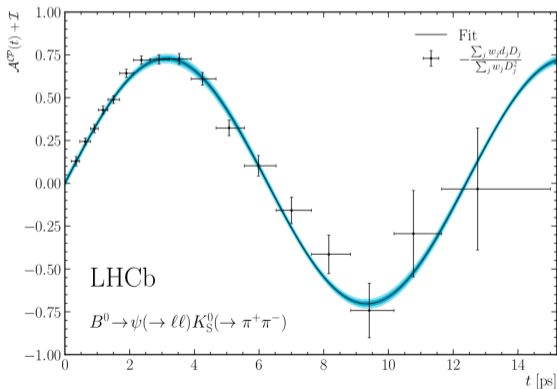
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[LHCb, LHCb-PAPER-2023-013, in preparation]



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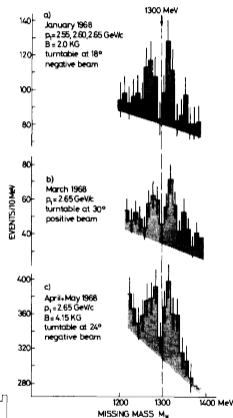
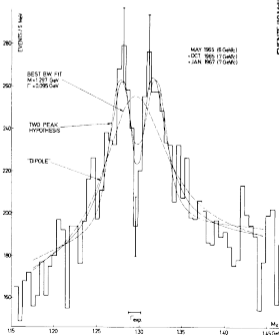
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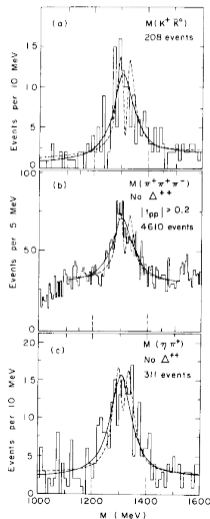
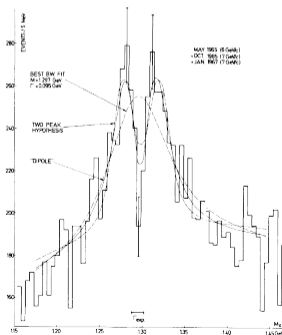
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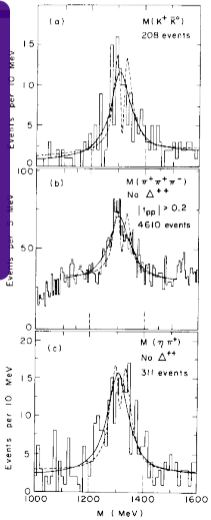
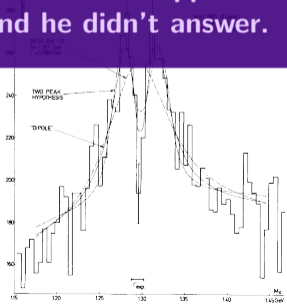
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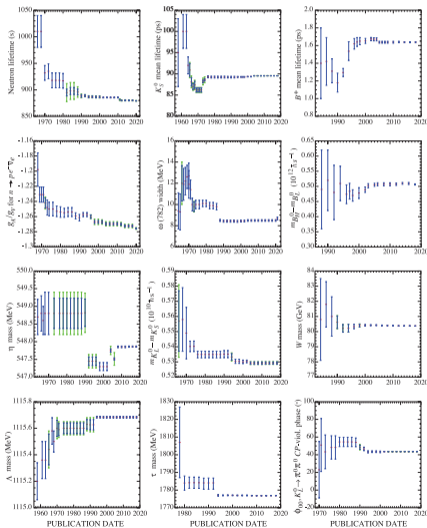
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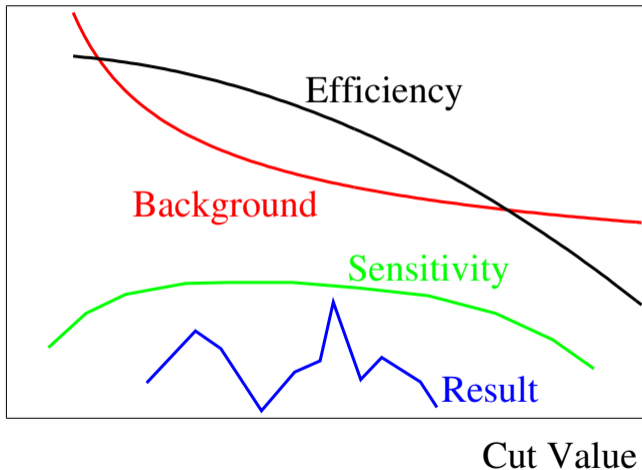
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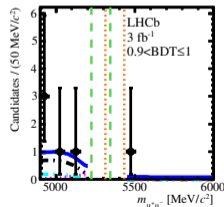
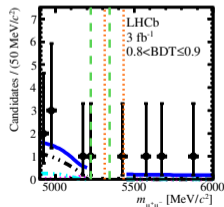
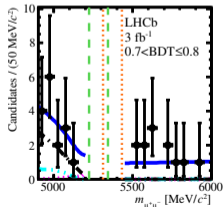
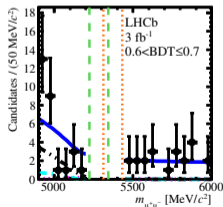
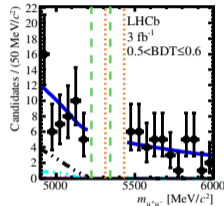
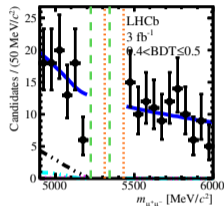
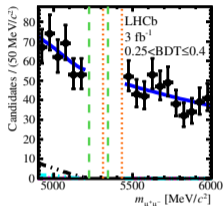
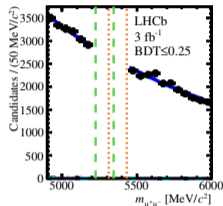
History plots show how precision has improved

But also how we are biased by previous results

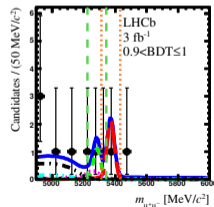
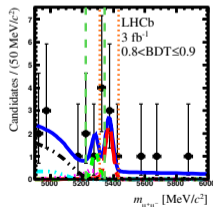
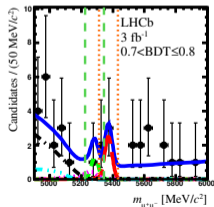
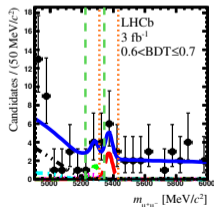
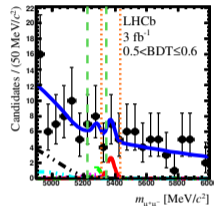
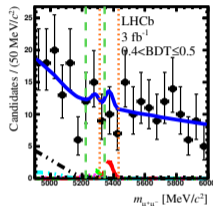
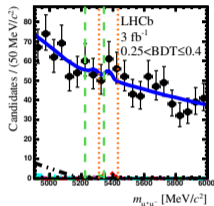
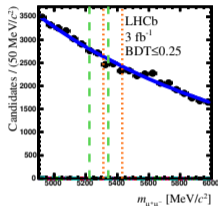


# BLIND ANALYSIS IN PARTICLE PHYSICS



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

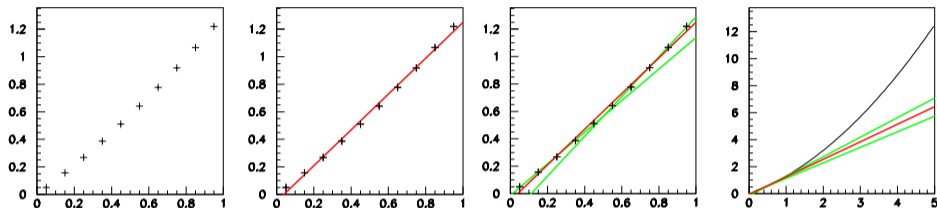
# $B_S^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ UNBLINDING



# Techniques

- ① Full-event Tagging
- ② Flavour Tagging
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- ④ Uncertainties

# UNCERTAINTIES: FACTS AND FICTIONS



The data, a straight line fit, two fits in subranges, the actual quadratic function.

Using the fits in subranges to set a systematic uncertainty overestimates by a lot the uncertainty on the slope, but wildly underestimates it in the larger range.

This illustrates the point that there is no 'correct' procedure for incorporation of a check that fails. If you fold it into the systematic errors this is almost certainly wrong, and should only be done when all other possibilities have been exhausted.



# UNCERTAINTIES: FACTS AND FICTIONS

**Once a bias is known, it can be corrected for:** an estimator with known bias can be trivially replaced by an unbiased estimator. If the bias is unknown and unsuspected then one can by definition do nothing about it. The match between 'bias' and 'systematic error' under our definition is the case where a bias is known to exist, but its exact size (systematic effect) is unknown (systematic uncertainty).

We apply this to the example of measurements with an expanding steel rule.

- 1 If the expansion coefficient is known, as are the two temperatures of calibration and actual measurement, then the measurements can be corrected and the bias is removed; the systematic effect is known exactly and there is no systematic error.
- 2 If the effect is ignored then this is a mistake. Hopefully consistency checks will be done and will (through statistical techniques) reveal a discrepancy for which the physicist will (through common sense, experience and intuition) realise the cause.
- 3 If the effect is known to exist but the temperature at which the actual measurements was taken was not recorded, and one can only give the laboratory temperature to within a few degrees, that is a systematic uncertainty on a systematic effect, and a systematic error in the accepted sense.

# UNCERTAINTIES: FACTS AND FICTIONS

The following should be printed in large letters and hung on the wall of every practising particle physicist.

- I Thou shalt never say 'systematic error' when thou meanest '**systematic effect**' or 'systematic mistake'.
- II Thou shalt not add uncertainties on uncertainties in quadrature. If they are larger than chickenfeed thou shalt generate more **Monte Carlo** until they shrink to become so.
- III Thou shalt know at all times whether what thou performest **is a check** for a mistake or an evaluation of an uncertainty.
- IV Thou shalt not incorporate successful check results into thy total systematic error and make thereby **a shield behind which to hide thy dodgy result**.
- V Thou shalt not incorporate failed check results unless thou art truly at thy wits' end.
- VI **Thou shalt say what thou doest**, and thou shalt be able to justify it out of thine own mouth; not the mouth of thy supervisor, nor thy colleague who did the analysis last time, nor thy local statistics guru, nor thy mate down the pub.

Do these, and thou shalt flourish, and thine analysis likewise.

# Techniques

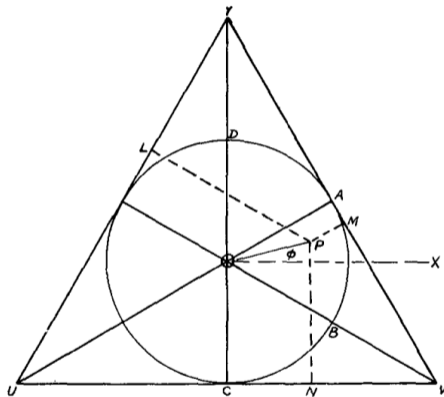
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# BREIT-WIGNER

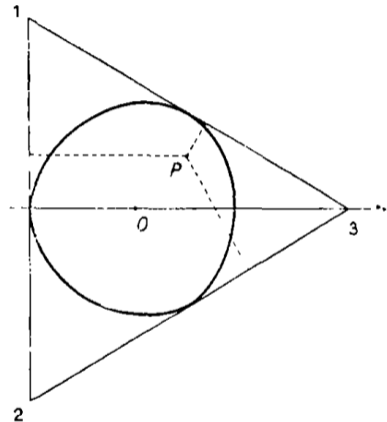
For narrow resonances far away from the threshold, the Breit-Wigner parametrisation is suitable

$$\mathcal{A}(s) = \frac{\alpha}{M_{\text{BW}}^2 - s - i\sqrt{s}\Gamma_{\text{BW}}} \simeq \frac{\alpha}{M_{\text{BW}}^2 - s - iM_{\text{BW}}\Gamma_{\text{BW}}} \quad [\text{PDG}]$$

# DALITZ PLOTS



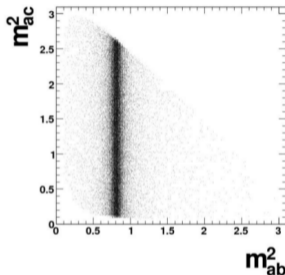
Dalitz plot



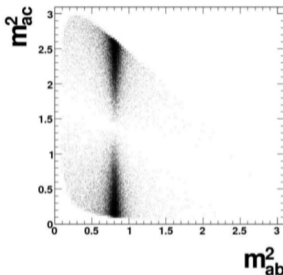
Fabri plot, with relativistic corrections

## DALITZ PLOT

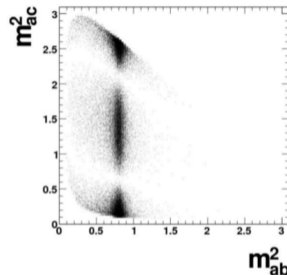
Spin-0



Spin-1



Spin-2



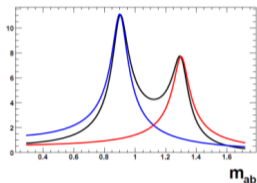
$A \rightarrow abc$  where  $A$  has spin  $S$  and  $a, b, c$  are spinless, the decay amplitude will have zeroes corresponding to a Legendre polynomial.

$$A \sim \mathcal{A}_{BW} P_S(\cos \theta)$$

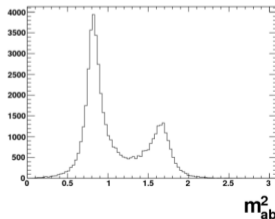
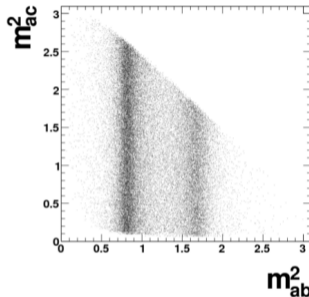
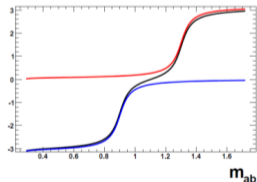
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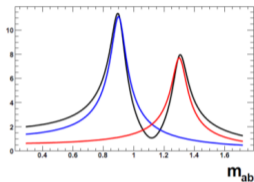
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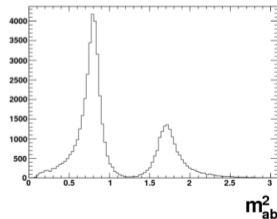
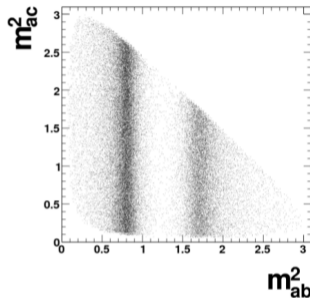
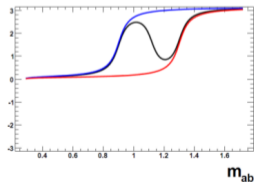
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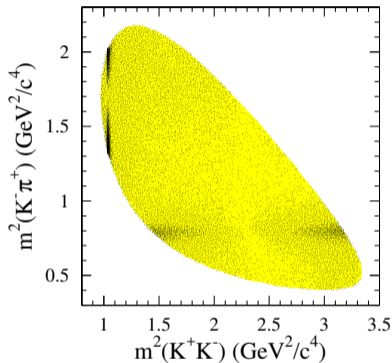


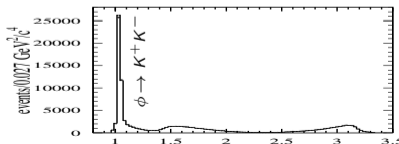
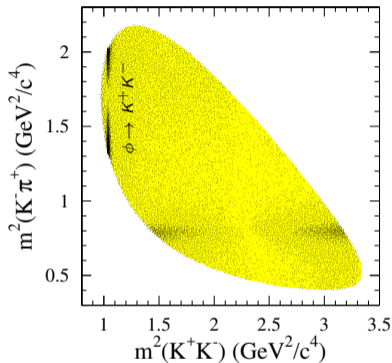
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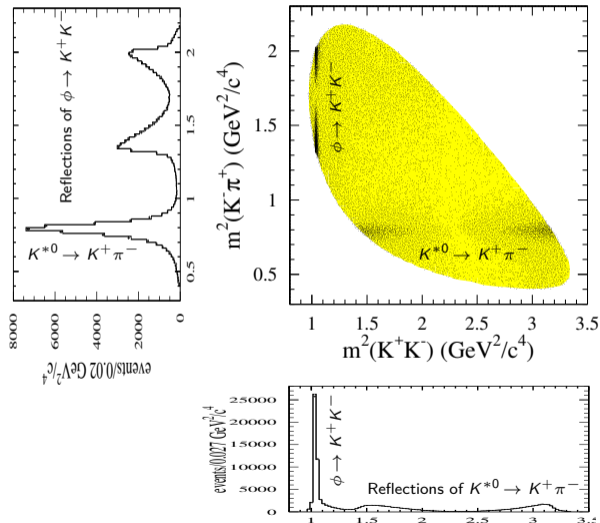


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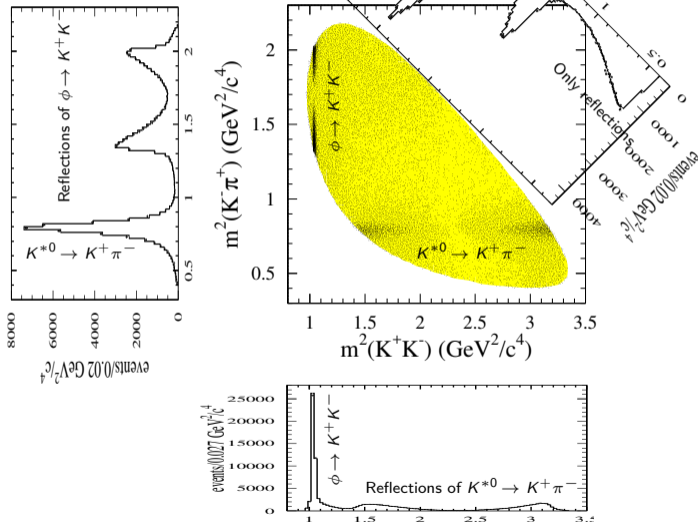
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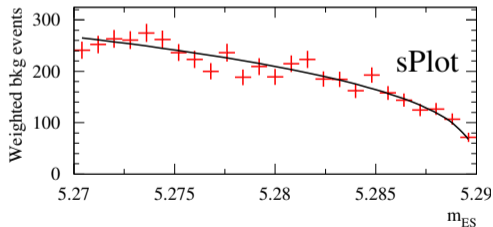
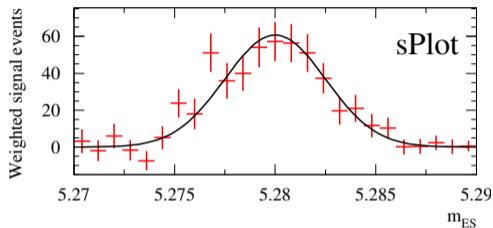


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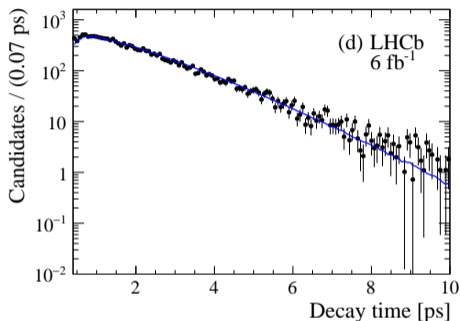
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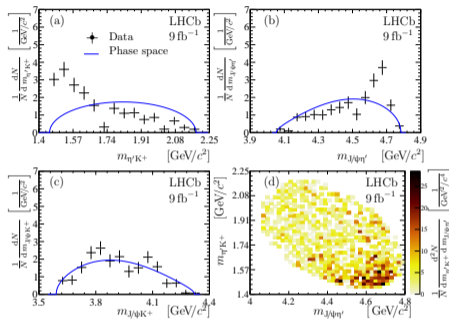


$$B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\phi \quad [\text{LHCb-PAPER-2023-001}]$$

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- 1 Fit signal only
- 2 Study distributions



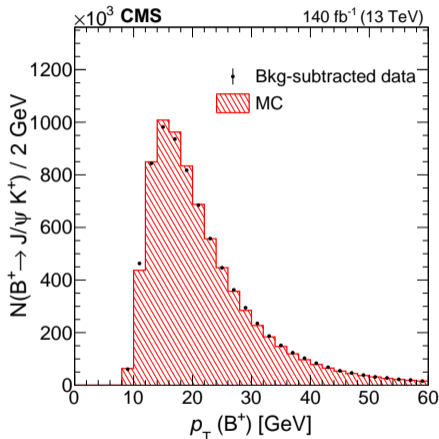
Dalitz distributions in  
 $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi\eta'K^+$  [arXiv:2303.09443]



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- ① Fit signal only
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- ③ Use signal to weight simulation



$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$  for  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  [CMS,

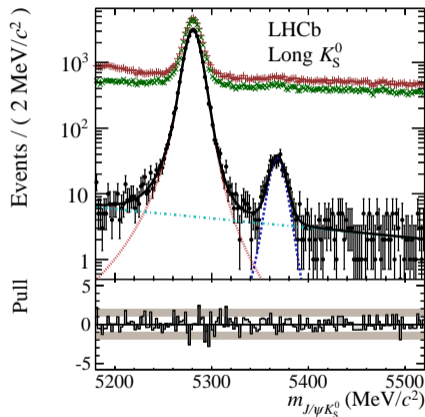
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sPlot determines weights from a fit, allowing to statistically subtract backgrounds (or signal)

- ① Fit signal only
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- ④ Use signal to train MVA

Warning: it assumes uncorrelated variables



$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$  selection using  
 $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$  [JHEP 06 (2015) 131]

# Techniques

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# WRITE A GBT IN PYTHON USING TENSORFLOW



In this example, we use the breast cancer dataset from scikit-learn. We split the data into training and testing sets and convert them into TensorFlow Dataset format.

We then define the feature columns using `tf.feature_column.numeric_column` for each numerical feature in the dataset.

Next, we define the Boosted Decision Trees classifier using `tf.estimator.BoostedTreesClassifier`. We specify the feature columns, the number of trees (`n_trees`), maximum tree depth (`max_depth`), and the learning rate.

To train the model, we call the `train` method of the estimator, passing the training data using an input function that shuffles the data and creates batches.

After training, we evaluate the model on the test set using the `evaluate` method of the estimator, passing the test data using an input function that creates batches.

Finally, we extract the accuracy from the evaluation result and print it.

Note: Make sure you have TensorFlow 2.x installed (pip install tensorflow) before running this code.

```
import tensorflow as tf
from sklearn.datasets import load_breast_cancer
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score

# Load the breast cancer dataset (example dataset from scikit-learn)
data = load_breast_cancer()
X = data.data
y = data.target

# Split the data into training and testing sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y,
                                                    test_size=0.2, random_state=42)

# Convert the data into TensorFlow Dataset format
train_dataset = tf.data.Dataset.from_tensor_slices((X_train, y_train))
test_dataset = tf.data.Dataset.from_tensor_slices((X_test, y_test))

# Define the feature columns
feature_columns = []
for i in range(X.shape[1]):
    feature_columns.append(tf.feature_column.numeric_column(str(i)))

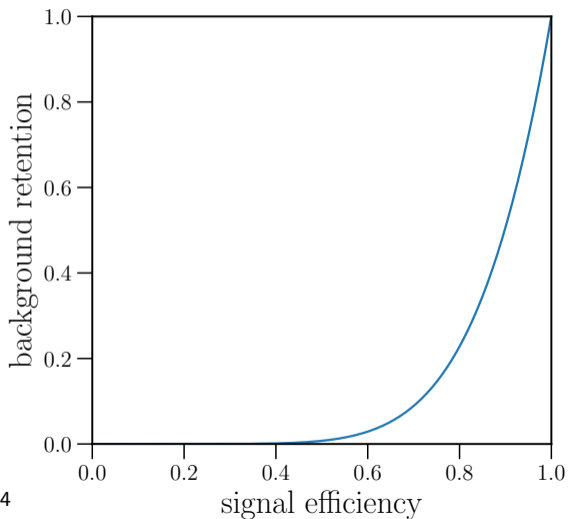
# Define the Boosted Decision Trees estimator
estimator = tf.estimator.BoostedTreesClassifier(
    feature_columns=feature_columns,
    n_trees=100,
    max_depth=3,
    learning_rate=0.1
)

# Train the Boosted Decision Trees model
estimator.train(input_fn=lambda: train_dataset.shuffle(1000).batch(32))

# Evaluate the model on the test set
eval_result = estimator.evaluate(input_fn=lambda: test_dataset.batch(32))
accuracy = eval_result['accuracy']
print("Accuracy: {:.2f}%".format(accuracy * 100))
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# ROC CURVE

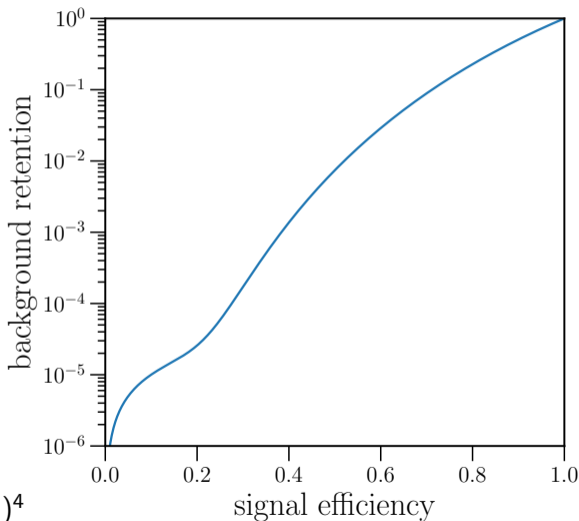
A random ROC curve



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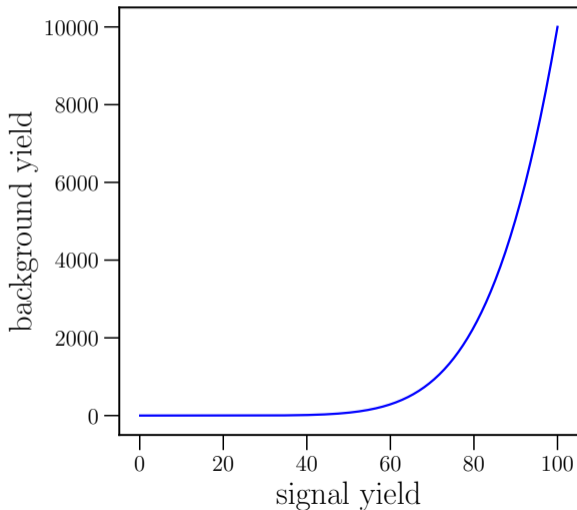


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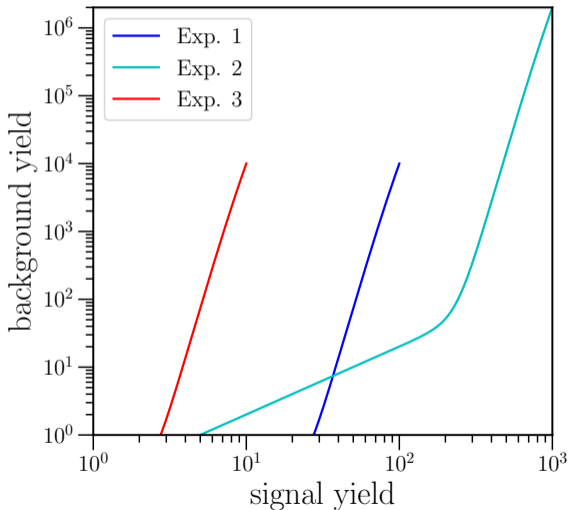
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# ROC CURVE

A random ROC curve

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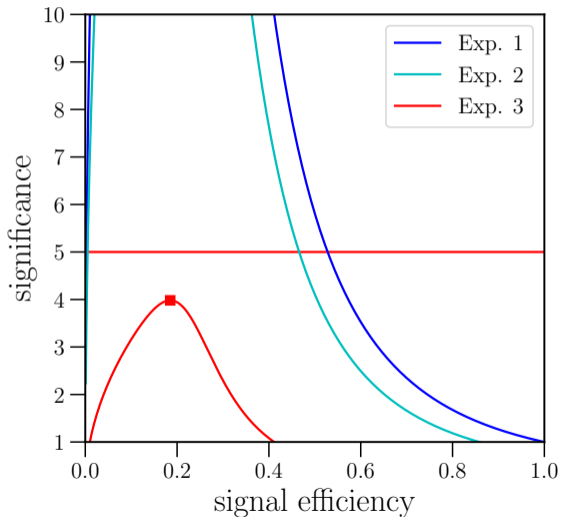


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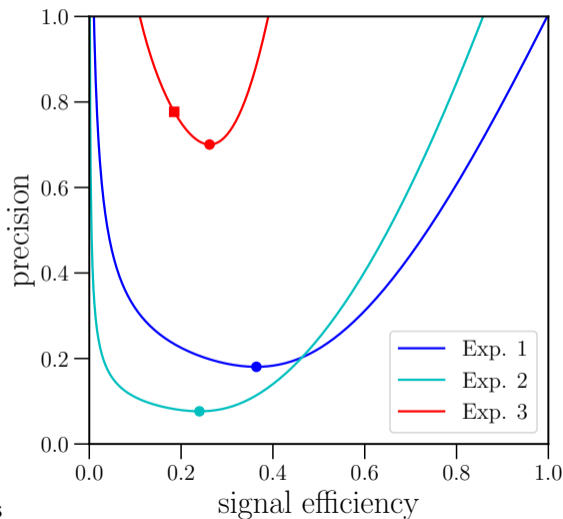


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- Significance versus cut
- Precision on  $S$  yield
  - The optimal point is not the same
  - The best precision is not at the best significance
  - I like to sit at the low edge of the plateau
    - study backgrounds



# SVEN SACHSALBER FINDS THE NEEDLE IN THE HAYSTACK



# IS AI IN HEP OVERRATED?



The role of AI in particle physics is certainly important, but whether it is overrated or not depends on who you ask and what specific application of AI you are considering.

On one hand, AI has already played a significant role in particle physics research, particularly in areas such as data analysis and simulation. For example, machine learning algorithms have been used to classify particle events in large particle accelerators like the Large Hadron Collider (LHC), enabling physicists to better identify interesting signals from background noise. AI has also been used to optimize simulations of particle interactions, allowing researchers to explore theoretical models more efficiently.

However, it is worth noting that AI is not a panacea for all problems in particle physics. While it can be a powerful tool for certain applications, it is not a substitute for theoretical or experimental expertise. Some experts in the field argue that AI should be seen as a complement to traditional methods, rather than a replacement for them.

Additionally, some applications of AI in particle physics have faced criticism or skepticism. For example, some researchers have raised concerns about the use of AI in making decisions about which data to analyze, arguing that such decisions should be made by human experts with a deep understanding of the physics involved. Others have expressed skepticism about the ability of AI to uncover truly new and unexpected physics, as opposed to simply optimizing existing methods.

Overall, the role of AI in particle physics is an ongoing and evolving area of research, and opinions on its usefulness may vary depending on the specific application and perspective of the individual researcher.

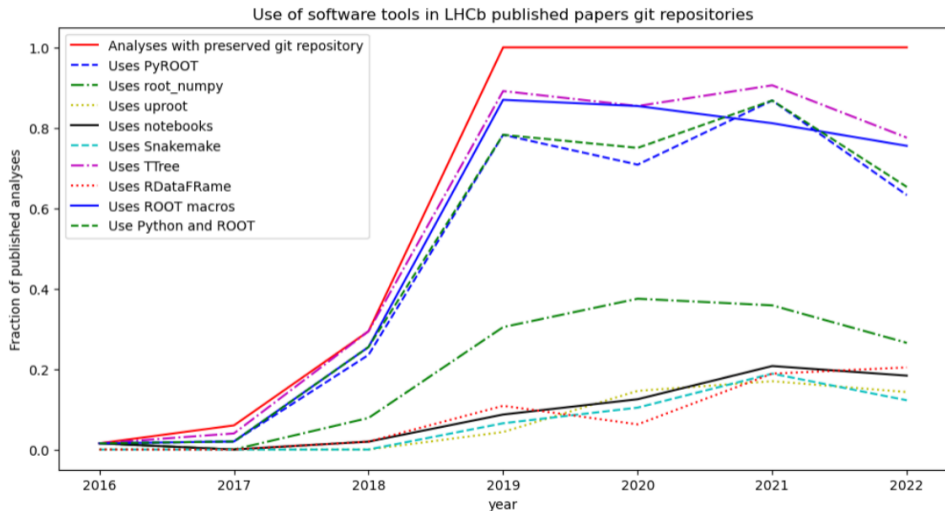
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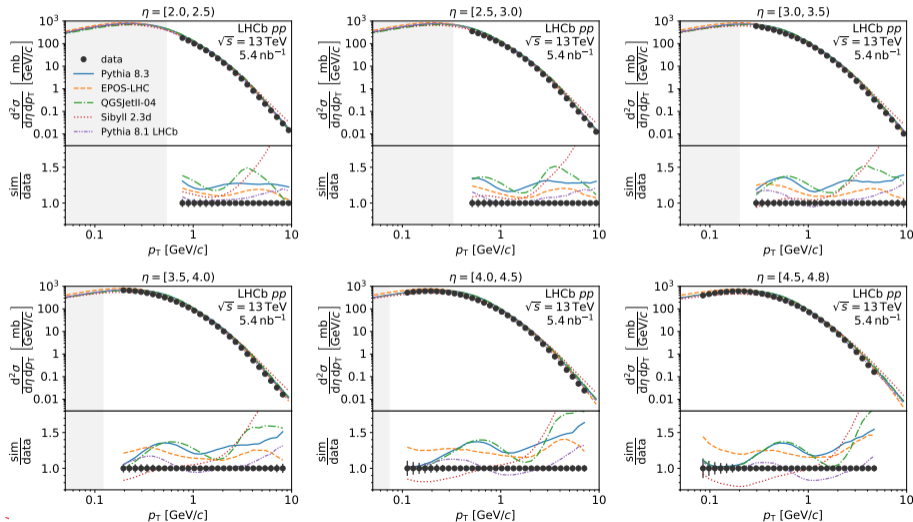
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## SOFTWARE TOOLS



# CHARGED MULTIPLICITY AT $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV





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# GOOD ENOUGH PRACTICES

## 1 Data Management

- 1 Save the raw data.
- 2 Create the data you wish to see in the world.
- 3 Create analysis-friendly data.
- 4 **Record all the steps used to process data.**
- 5 Anticipate the need to use multiple tables.
- 6 Submit data to a reputable DOI-issuing repository so that others can access and cite it.

## 2 Software

- 1 **Place a brief explanatory comment at the start of every program.**
- 2 **Decompose programs into functions.**
- 3 **Be ruthless about eliminating duplication.**
- 4 **Always search for well-maintained software libraries that do what you need.**
- 5 **Test libraries before relying on them.**
- 6 **Give functions and variables meaningful names.**
- 7 **Make dependencies and requirements explicit.**
- 8 **Do not comment and uncomment sections of code to control a program's behavior.**
- 9 **Provide a simple example or test data set.**
- 10 **Submit code to a reputable DOI-issuing repository.**

## 3 Collaboration

- 1 Create an overview of your project.
- 2 Create a shared public "to-do" list.
- 3 **Make the license explicit.**
- 4 **Make the project citable.**

# GOOD ENOUGH PRACTICES

## 4 Project Organization

- 1 Put each project in its own directory, which is named after the project.
- 2 Put text documents associated with the project in the `doc` directory.
- 3 Put raw data and metadata in a `data` directory, and files generated during cleanup and analysis in a `results` directory.
- 4 Put project source code in the `src` directory.
- 5 Put external scripts, or compiled programs in the `bin` directory.
- 6 Name all files to reflect their content or function.

## 5 Keeping Track of Changes

- 1 **Back up (almost) everything created by a human being as soon as it is created.**
- 2 **Keep changes small.**
- 3 Share changes frequently.
- 4 **Create, maintain, and use a checklist for saving and sharing changes to the project.**
- 5 Store each project in a folder that is mirrored off the researcher's working machine.
- 6 Use a file called `CHANGELOG.txt` to record changes, and
- 7 Copy the entire project whenever a significant change has been made, OR
- 8 **Use a version control system to manage changes**

## 6 Manuscripts

- 1 Write manuscripts using online tools with rich formatting, change tracking, and reference management, OR
- 2 **Write the manuscript in a plain text format that permits version control.**

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# Soft Skills



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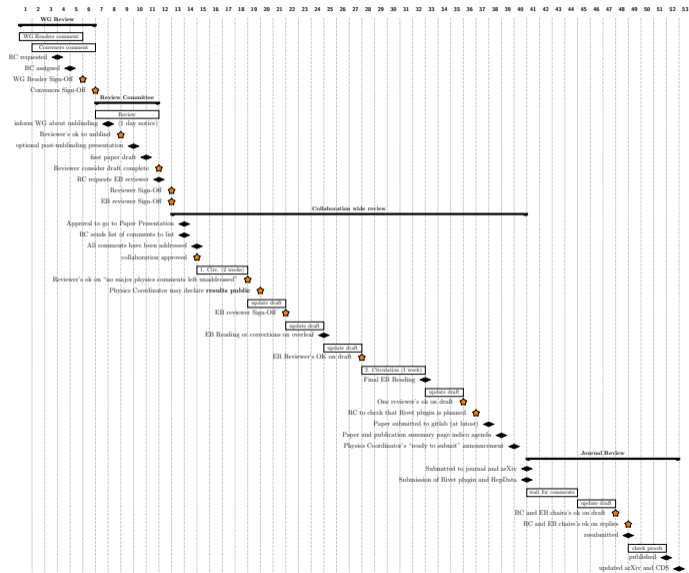
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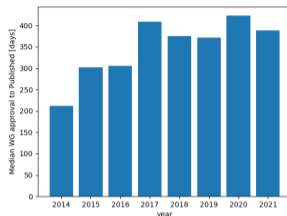
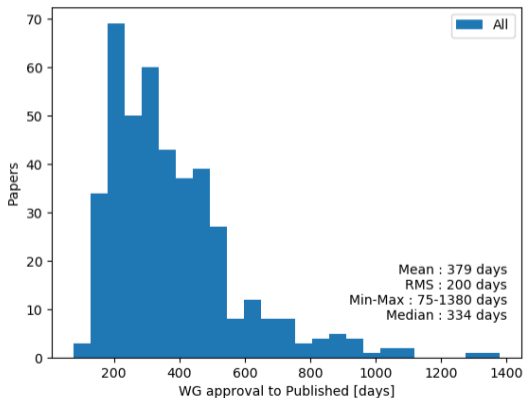
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[1] 2305.14854 (hep-ph) [score: 0.83]

**A global analysis for determined and undetermined hadronic two body weak decays of anti-triplet charmed baryons**

Zhi-Peng Xing - Xiao-Gang He - Fei Huang - Chang Yang

Comments: 9pages, 2 figures, 3 tables

A large amount of data on hadronic two body weak decays of anti-triplet charmed baryons  $T_{33}$  to an octet baryon  $T_8$  and an octet or singlet pseudoscalar meson  $P$ ,  $T_{33} \rightarrow T_8 P$ , have been measured. The SU(3) flavor symmetry has been applied to study these decays to obtain insights about weak interactions for charm physics. However not all such decays needed to determine the SU(3) irreducible amplitudes have been measured forbidding a complete global analysis. Previously, it has been shown that data from measured decays can be used to do a global fit to determine all except one parity violating and one parity conserving amplitudes of the relevant SU(3) irreducible amplitudes causing 8 hadronic two body weak decay channels involving  $\Xi_{cc}^{\pm}$  to  $\eta$  or  $\eta'$  transitions undetermined. It is important to obtain information about these decays in order to guide experimental searches. In this work using newly measured decay modes by BESIII and Belle in 2022, we carry out a global analysis and parameterize the unknown amplitudes to provide the ranges for the branching ratios of the 8 undetermined decays. Our results indicate that the SU(3) flavor symmetry can explain the measured data exceptionally well, with a remarkable minimal  $\chi^2/d.o.f.$  of 1.21 and predict 80 observables in 45 decays for future experimental data to test. We then vary the unknown SU(3) amplitudes to obtain the allowed range of branching ratios for the 8 undetermined decays. We find that some of them are within reach of near future experimental capabilities. We urge our experimental colleagues to carry out related searches.

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**Discriminating  $B \rightarrow D^* \ell' \nu$  form factors via polarization observables and asymmetries**

Marco Fedele - Monika Blanke - Andreas Crivellin - Syuhei Iguro - Ulrich Nierste - Silvano Simula - Ludovico Vittorio

Comments: 10 pages, 3 figures

Form factors are crucial theory input in order to extract  $|V_{cs}|$  from  $B \rightarrow D^{*} \ell' \nu$  decays, to calculate the Standard Model prediction for  $R(D^{*})$  and to assess the impact of New Physics. In this context, the Dispersive Matrix approach, a first-principle calculation of the form factors, using no experimental data but rather only lattice QCD results as input, was recently applied to  $B \rightarrow D^{*} \ell' \nu$ . It predicts (within the Standard Model) a much milder tension with the  $R(D^{*})$  measurements than the other form factor approaches, while at the same time giving a value of  $|V_{cs}|$  compatible with the inclusive value. However, this comes at the expense of creating tensions with differential  $B \rightarrow D^{*} \ell' \nu$  distributions (with light leptons). In this article, we explore the implications of using the Dispersive Matrix method form factors, in light of the recent Belle (II) measurements of the longitudinal polarization fraction of the  $D^*$  in  $B \rightarrow D^{*} \ell' \nu$  with light leptons,  $F_L^{\parallel}$ , and the forward-backward asymmetry,  $A_{FB}^{\ell'}$ . We find that the Dispersive Matrix approach predicts a Standard Model value of  $F_L^{\parallel}$  that is in significant tension with these measurements, while mild deviations in  $A_{FB}^{\ell'}$  appear. Furthermore,  $F_L^{\parallel}$  is very insensitive to New Physics such that the latter cannot account for the tension between Dispersive Matrix predictions and its measurement. While this tension can be resolved by deforming the original Dispersive Matrix form factor shapes within a global fit, a tension in  $R(D^{*})$  reemerges. As this tension is milder than for the other form factors, it can be explained by New Physics not only in the tau lepton channel but also in the light lepton modes.

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**Final-state interactions in the CP asymmetries of charm-meson two-body decays**

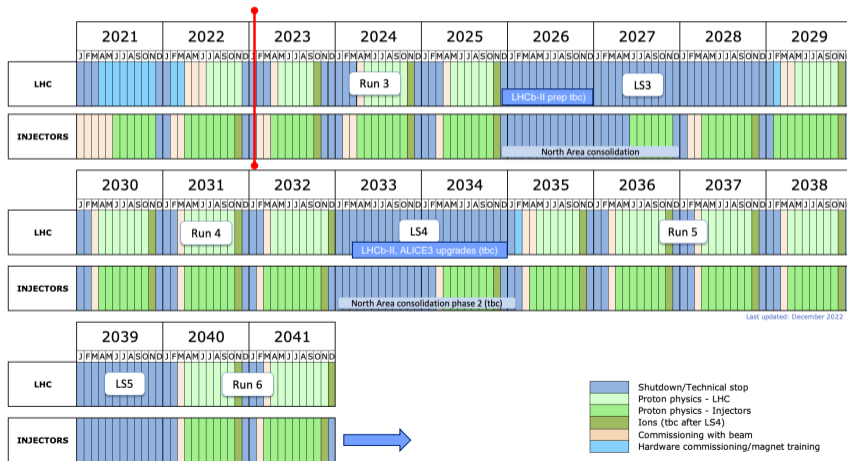
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# Outlook

(The sky is the limit)

# LHC SCHEDULE (JAN 2023)

## Indicative timeline



# THE P{H}YSICS CASE

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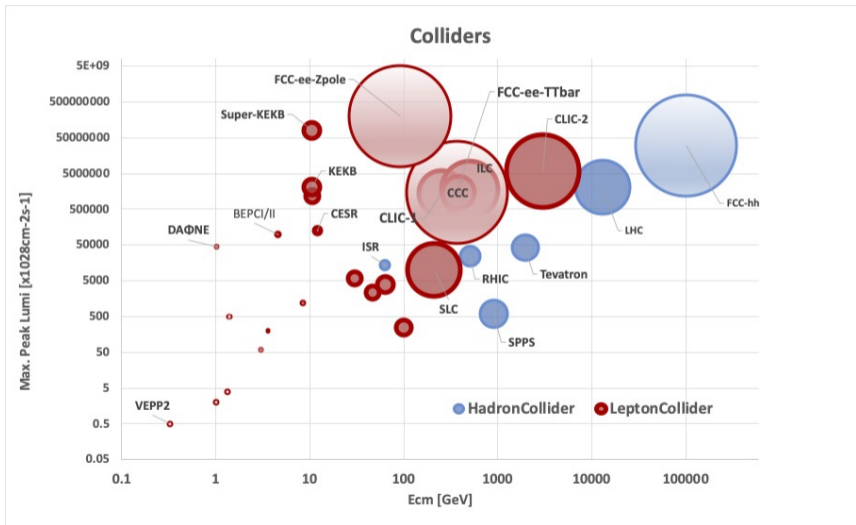
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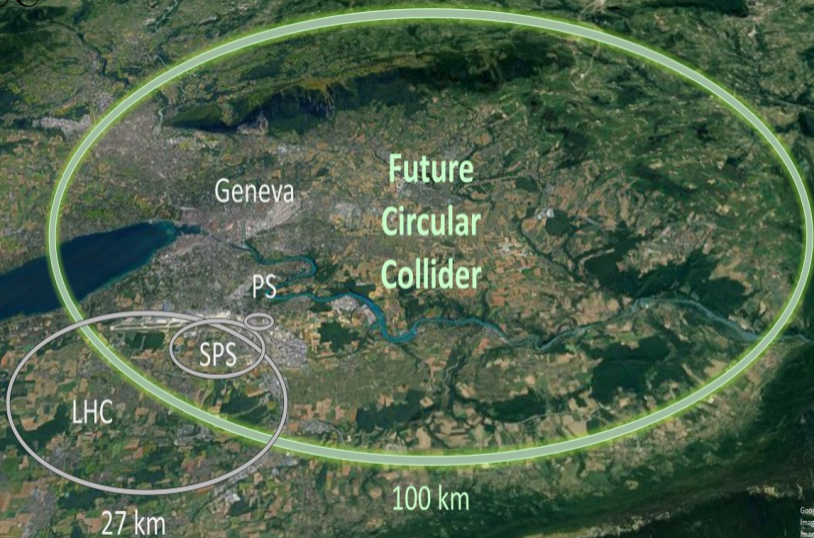
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CLIC	TDR, pre-constr'n		Construction	380 GeV		1.5 TeV
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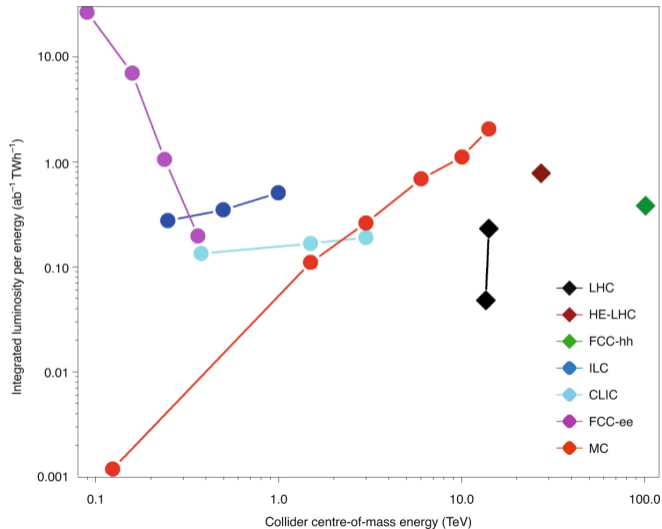


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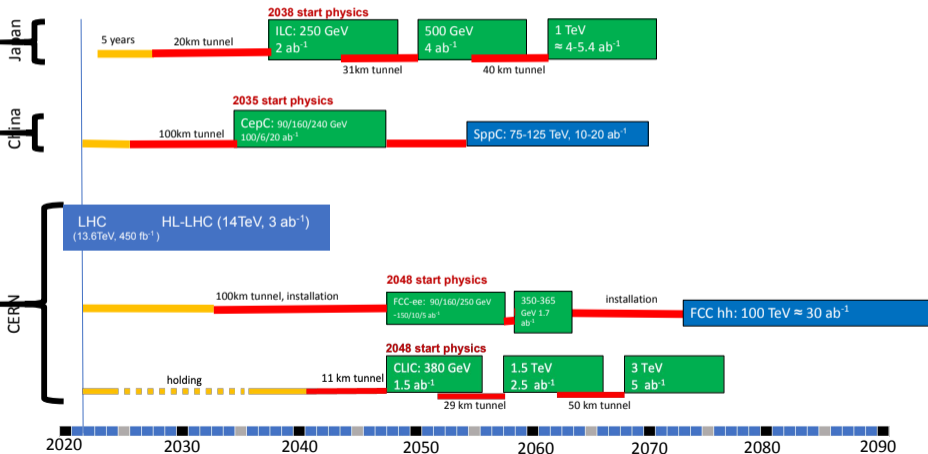
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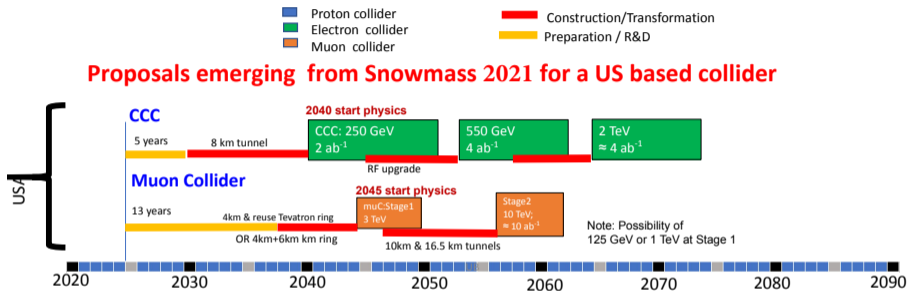
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# SNOWMASS ENERGY FRONTIER REPORT



# CERN ENVIRONMENT REPORT 2017–18



## About CERN

**>17 900** people

CERN employs around 3600 people and some 12 500 scientists from around the world use the Laboratory's facilities. The remainder is largely made up of associates and students (page 5).

## Energy

**1251 GWh**

CERN consumed 1251 GWh of electricity and 64.4 GWh of fossil fuel. The Laboratory commits to limiting rises in electricity consumption to 5% up to the end of 2024, while delivering significantly increased performance at its facilities (page 12).

## Emissions

**223 800 tCO<sub>2</sub>e**

CERN's direct greenhouse gas emissions were 192 100 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent. Indirect emissions arising from electricity consumption were 31 700 tCO<sub>2</sub>e. CERN's immediate target is to reduce direct emissions by 28% by the end of 2024 (page 14).

## Ionising Radiation

**< 0.02 mSv**

People living in the vicinity of CERN received an effective dose of between 0.7 and 0.8 millisieverts, mSv, from natural sources. CERN's activities added under 0.02 mSv to this, less than 3% of the naturally occurring background (page 16).

## Waste

**90% recycled**

CERN generated 10 000 tonnes of non-hazardous waste, 1000 tonnes of hazardous waste, and 1358 tonnes of radioactive waste. The Laboratory's objective is to increase recycling to 95% by the end of 2024 (page 16).

## AT A GLANCE

## CERN AND THE ENVIRONMENT IN 2018

## Noise

**70 dB(A)**

CERN has invested resources to keep noise at its perimeters below 70 dB(A) during the day and 60 dB(A) at night. This corresponds to the level of conversational speech (page 17).

## Knowledge Transfer

**18 domains**

CERN's 18 technology domains have several environmental applications including reducing air and water pollution, environmental monitoring, and more efficient energy distribution using superconducting technology (page 24).

**Total: 12 tCO<sub>2</sub>e /person**

## Environmental Incidents

**146 monitoring stations**

CERN operates a state-of-the-art environmental monitoring system consisting of 146 monitoring stations. The Organization reports quarterly on environmental issues to Host State authorities. No serious environmental incidents were recorded in 2018 (page 23).

## Biodiversity

**15** species of orchids

There are 15 species of orchids growing on CERN's sites. CERN land includes 258 hectares of cultivated fields and meadows, 136 hectares of forest and three wetlands (page 22).

## Water and Effluents

**3477** megalitres

CERN drew 3477 megalitres of water, mostly from Lake Geneva. The Laboratory commits to keeping its increase in water consumption below 5% up to the end of 2024, despite a growing demand for water cooling of polluted facilities (page 20).

# SESAME

The first accelerator powered by renewable energy

# Conclusion

- Experiments need triggers and hence choices
- Master analysis techniques
- ... and soft skills
- Look out for the future

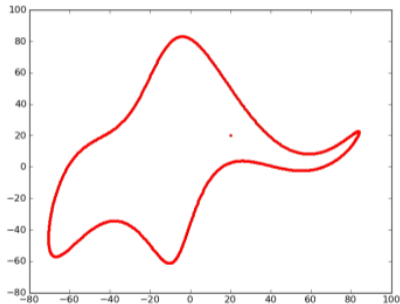


# Backup



# JOHN VON NEUMANN

With four parameters I  
can fit an elephant, and  
with five I can make him  
wiggle his trunk.



# ANYTHING CAN BE FITTED WITH ONE PARAMETER

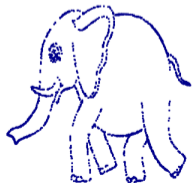
Any shape can be fitted by a single-parameter function

$$f_{\alpha}(x) = \sin^2(2^{x\tau} \arcsin \sqrt{\alpha})$$

with  $\alpha$  the parameter fitting a dataset in  $x \in [0 \dots n]$ ,  $f(x)$ , ( $\tau \in \mathbb{N}$  is a constant which controls the desired accuracy).

The reason is that a real number contains an infinite amount of information

$\alpha = 0.28495951 \dots$



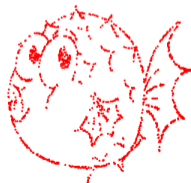
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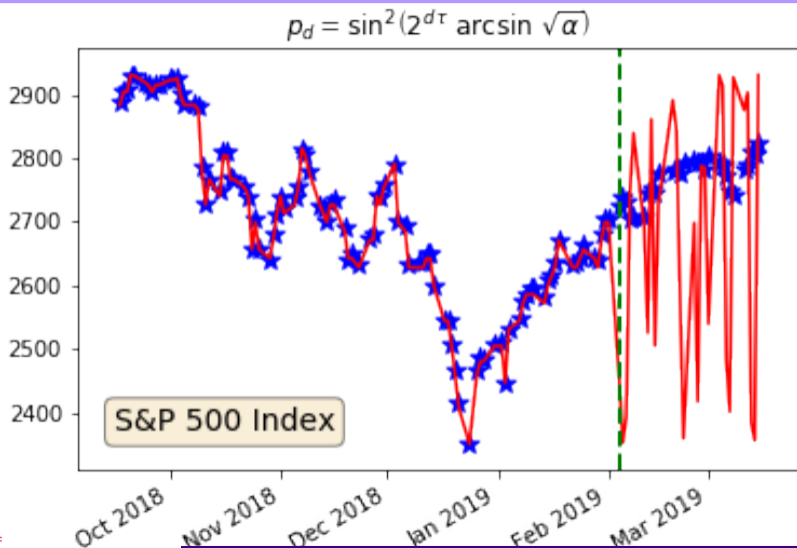
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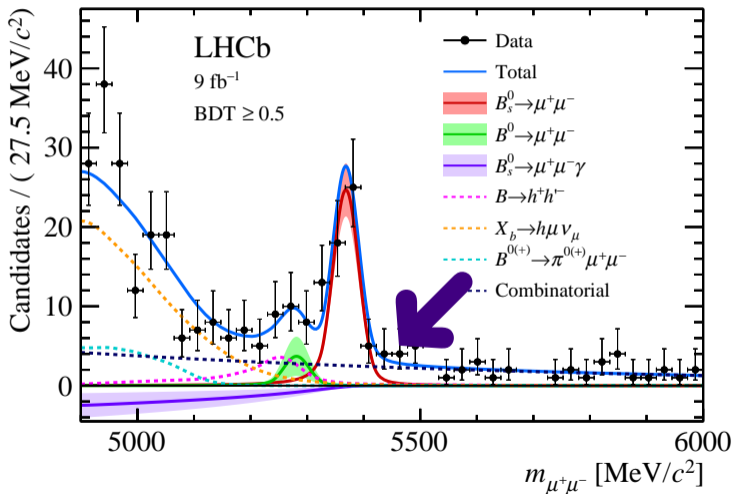
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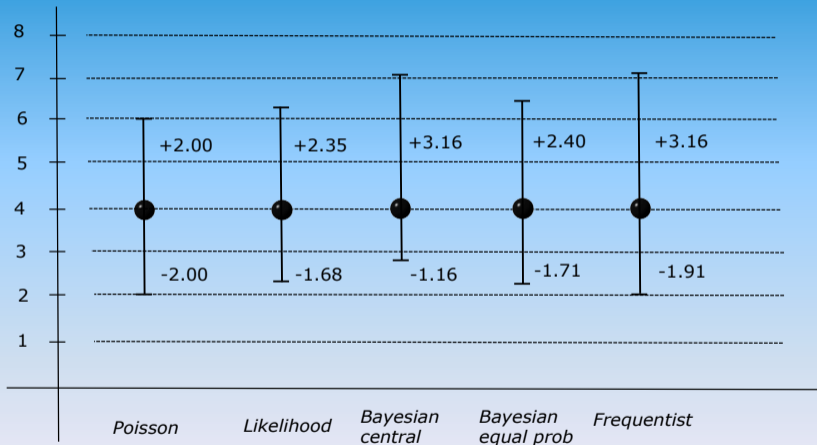
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## ASYMMETRIC UNCERTAINTIES IN ROOFIT

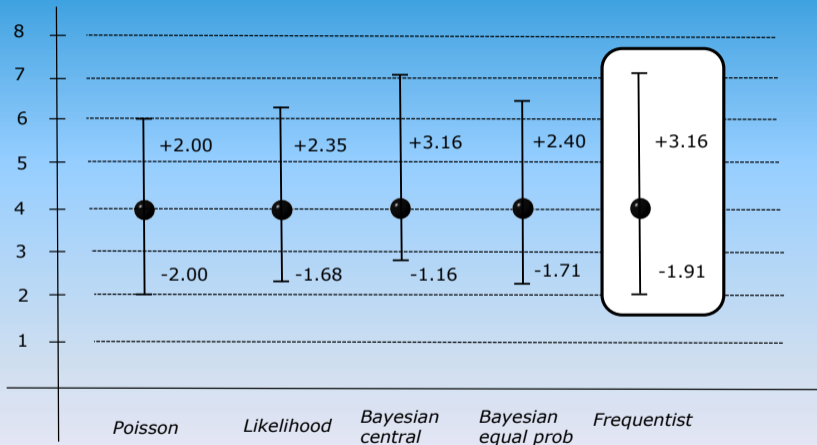


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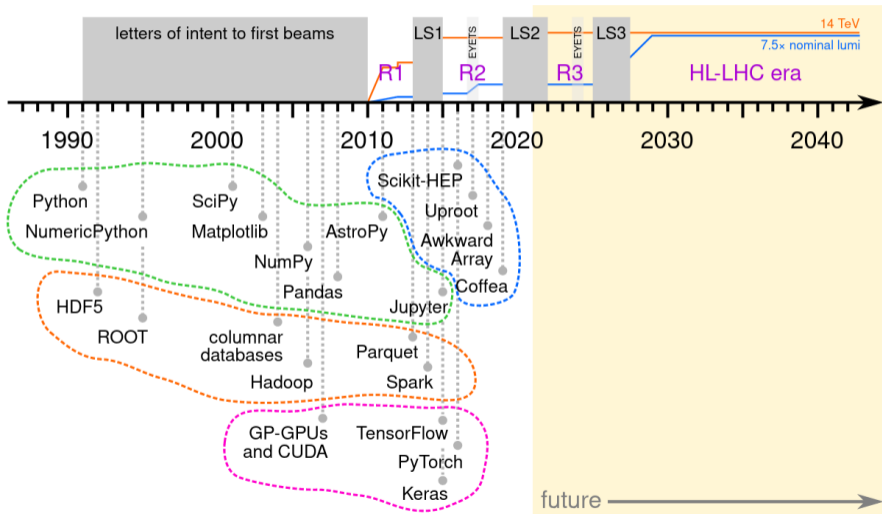
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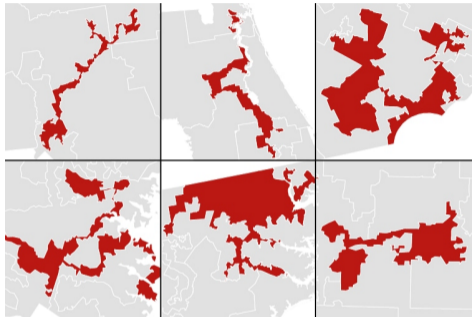
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# PYTHON IN HEP



# OVERTRAINING IS GERRYMANDERING

	Underfitting	Just right	Overfitting
Symptoms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• High training error</li> <li>• Training error close to test error</li> <li>• High bias</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training error slightly lower than test error</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Very low training error</li> <li>• Training error much lower than test error</li> <li>• High variance</li> </ul>
Regression illustration			
Classification illustration			
Deep learning illustration			
Possible remedies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complexity model</li> <li>• Add more features</li> <li>• Train longer</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Perform regularization</li> <li>• Get more data</li> </ul>



[Washington Post, 2014]



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Science meets politics: overtraining in Machine Learning classification is basically Gerrymandering. Both introduce a bias. Difference: in science we flag it as 'undesired' and try to avoid it or correct for it  
[kaggle.com/getting-started...](https://kaggle.com/getting-started)  
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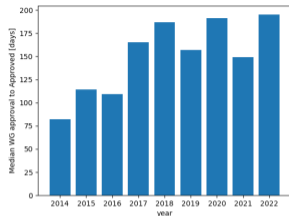
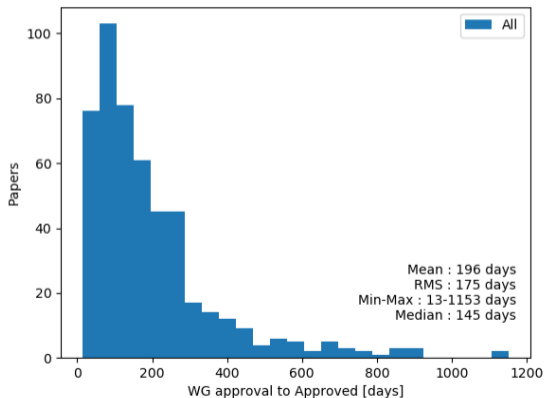
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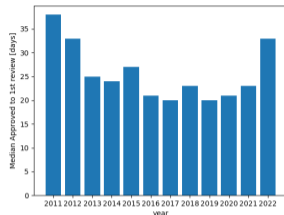
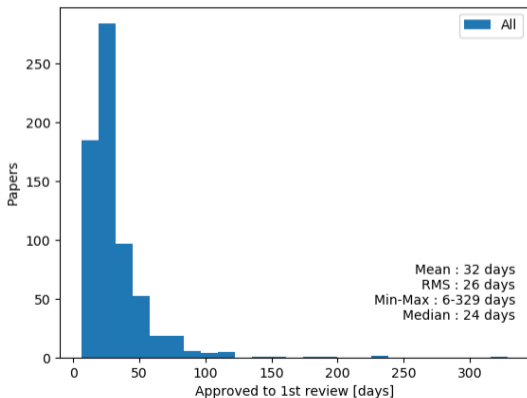
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Step	[Days]
Review	145
1st circ.	
EB reading	
2nd EB	
Final version	
Submission	
EB process	
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
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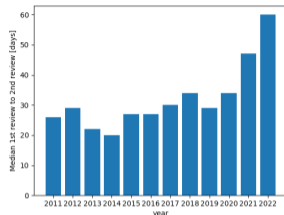
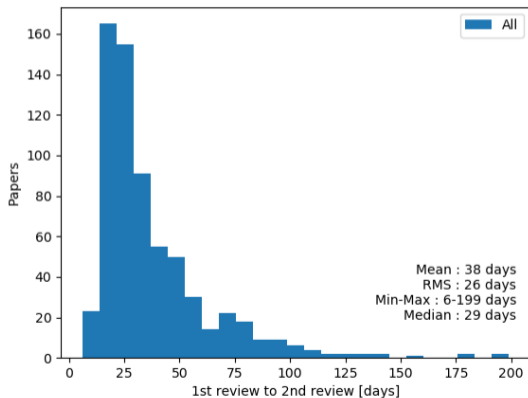
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Step	[Days]
Review	145
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Submission	
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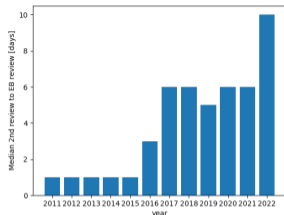
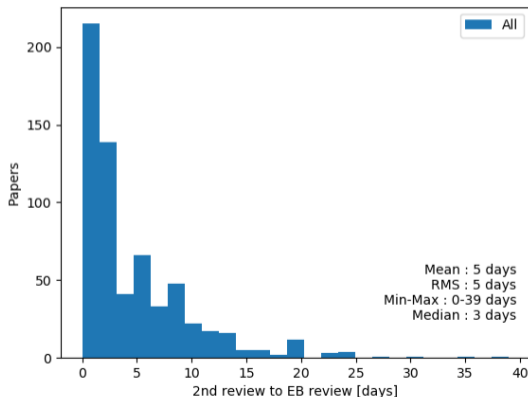
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Step	[Days]
Review	145
1st circ.	24
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2nd EB	
Final version	
Submission	
EB process	
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
<b>Total</b>	

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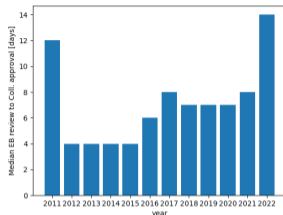
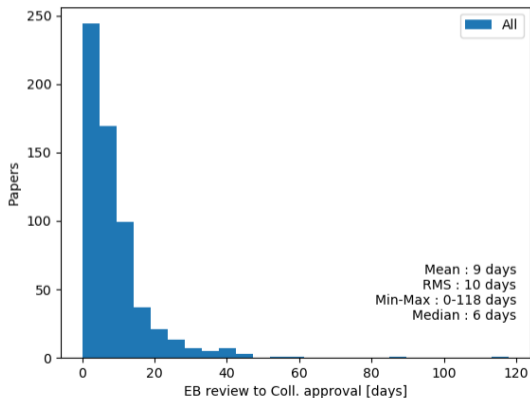
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Step	[Days]
Review	145
1st circ.	24
EB reading	29
2nd EB	3
Final version	
Submission	
EB process	
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
<b>Total</b>	

# HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE

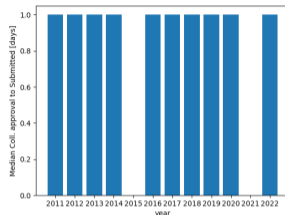
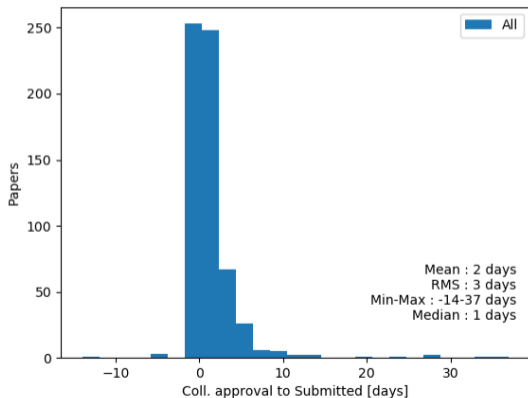
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Step	[Days]
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1st circ.	24
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Final version	6
Submission	
EB process	
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
Total	

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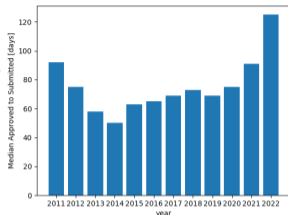
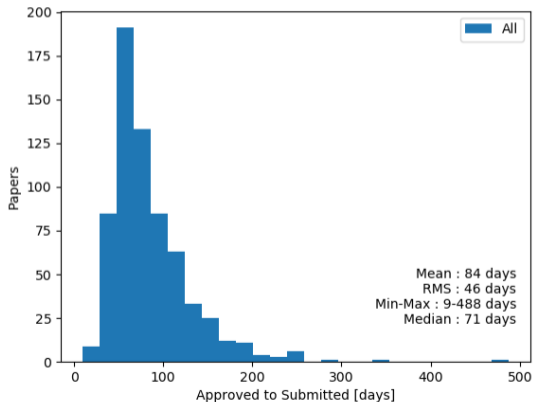
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Step	[Days]
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EB reading	29
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Submission	1
EB process	
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
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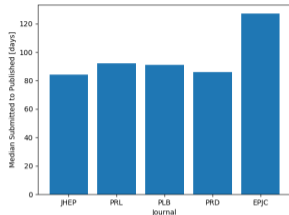
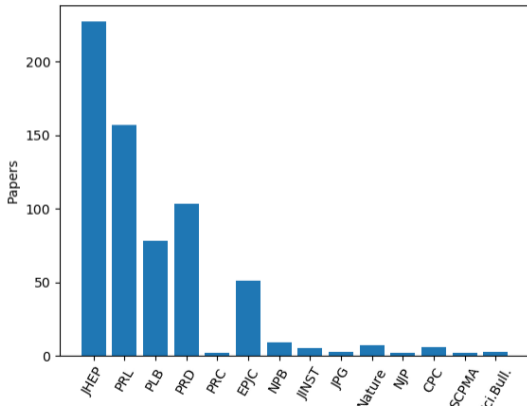
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Step	[Days]
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EB reading	29
2nd EB	3
Final version	6
Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
<b>Total</b>	

# HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE

From this moment, we don't control the timing any more. We submit the paper to one of these journals.

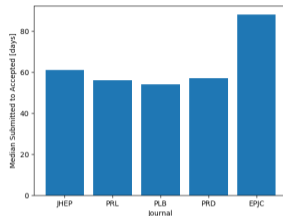
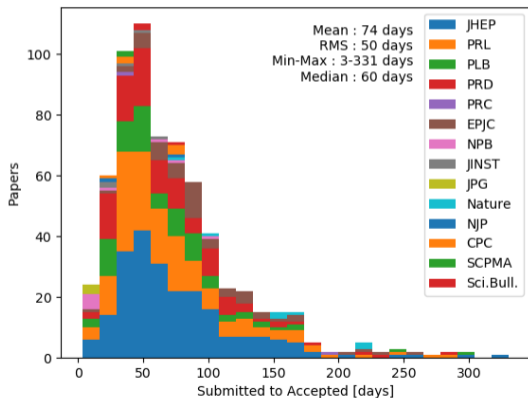


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EB reading	29
2nd EB	3
Final version	6
Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	
Proofs	
Journal	
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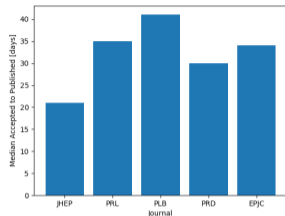
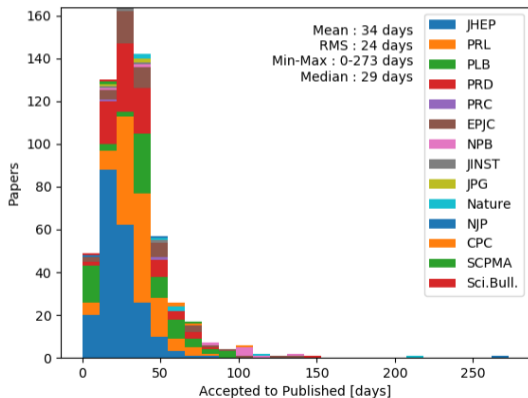
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Step	[Days]
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EB reading	29
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Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	60
Proofs	
Journal	
<b>Total</b>	

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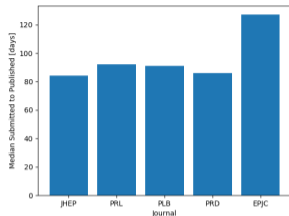
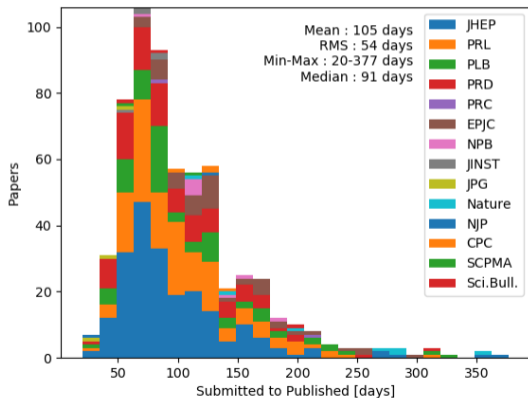
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Step	[Days]
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Final version	6
Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	60
Proofs	29
Journal	
<b>Total</b>	

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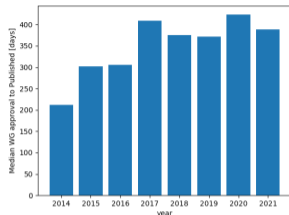
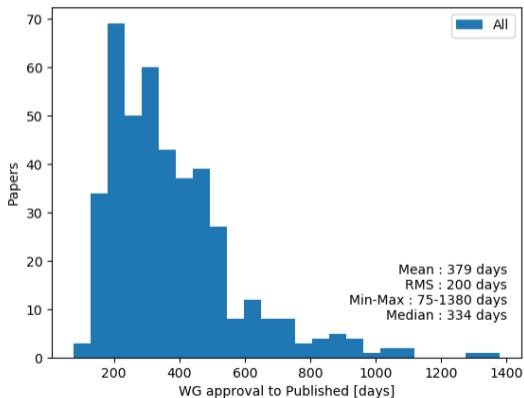
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Step	[Days]
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1st circ.	24
EB reading	29
2nd EB	3
Final version	6
Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	60
Proofs	29
Journal	91
<b>Total</b>	

# HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE

(left) Distribution of time from WG approval to publication, (right) median. The grand total.

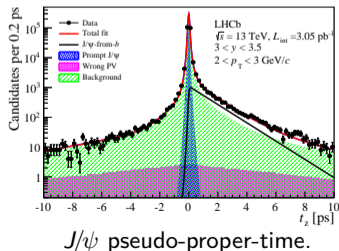


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EB reading	29
2nd EB	3
Final version	6
Submission	1
EB process	71
Peer review	60
Proofs	29
Journal	91
<b>Total</b>	<b>334</b>



# TURBO STREAM

- 5 kHz of 12 kHz go to TURBO:
- Only trigger information is saved: tracks and vertices that caused the event to trigger
  - ➔ No raw event — no offline reconstruction
- ✓ Smaller events, faster analysis
- Used for high-yield exclusive trigger lines :
  - ✓  $J/\psi$  [JHEP 10 (2015) 172]
  - ✓ charm [JHEP 03 (2016) 159]
  - ✓ spectroscopy [PRL 119 (2017) 112001]
- Most of the events will be saved by TURBO from Run 3 [LHCb-TDR-016, 2014]



[B]



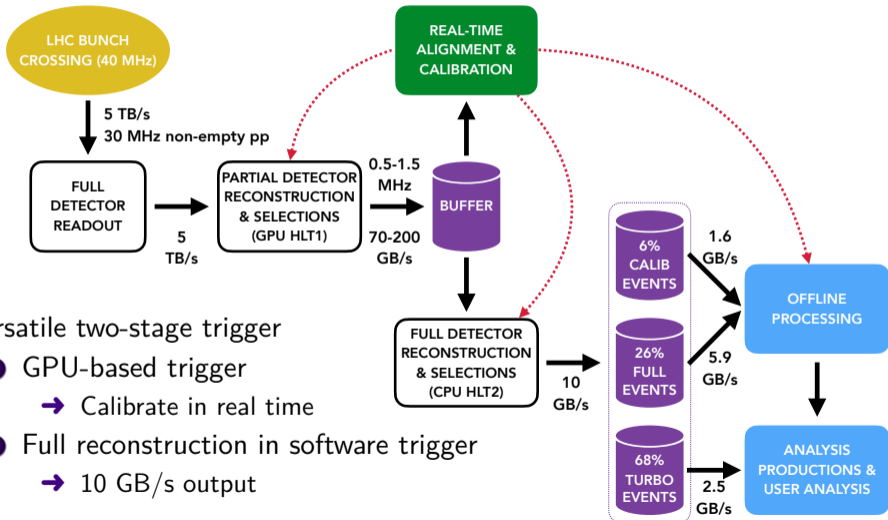
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[B]

# LHCb DATAFLOW IN RUN 3



## Versatile two-stage trigger

- 1 GPU-based trigger
  - Calibrate in real time
- 2 Full reconstruction in software trigger
  - 10 GB/s output

# OPERATIONS STATISTICS RUN 1–2



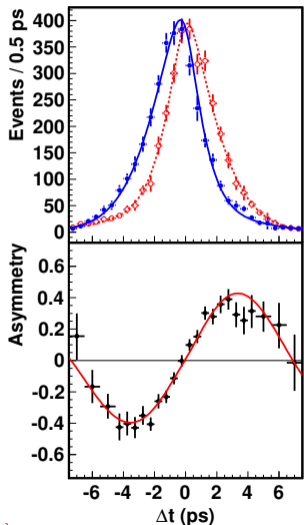
Quantity		unit	TDR	2011	2012	Run 1	2015	2016	2017	2018	Run 2	Tot/Avg
Peak Luminosity	$\mathcal{L}_{\text{peak}}$	$\mu\text{b}^{-1}/\text{s}$	280	461	492	480	302	422	453	493	447	458
Average Luminosity	$\mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	$\mu\text{b}^{-1}/\text{s}$	200	250	330	298	140	240	280	310	268	278
Seconds of running	$t$	$10^6 \text{ s}$	10.0	4.3	6.2	10.5	1.6	6.9	4.6	6.9	20.0	30.5
Integrated luminosity	$\int \mathcal{L} dt$	$\text{fb}^{-1}$	2.0	1.1	2.1	3.2	0.5	1.9	1.5	2.5	6.4	9.6
Bunches	$N_b$		2600	1320	1320	1320	1710	2036	2332	2332	2193	1905
Energy	$E$	TeV	14	7	8	8	13	13	13	13	13	11
Inelastic cross-section	$\sigma_{\text{inel}}$	mb	80	64	67	66	77	77	77	77	77	73
Charged multiplicity	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta}$		6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
$b\bar{b}$ cross-section (acc.)	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}$	$\mu\text{b}$	150	72	83	79	144	144	144	144	144	122
$pp$ interactions/BX	$\mu = \frac{\mathcal{L}\sigma_{\text{inel}}}{f_{\text{LHC}}N_b}$		0.55	1.08	1.49	1.32	0.56	0.81	0.82	0.91	0.83	0.99
Non-empty rate	$f_{\text{LHC}}N_b(1 - e^{-\mu})$	MHz	12.3	9.8	11.5	10.8	8.3	12.7	14.7	15.7	14.0	12.9
Avg. MB rate	$\sigma_{\text{inel}}\mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	MHz	16.0	16.0	22.1	19.7	10.8	18.5	21.6	23.9	20.7	20.3
MB events	$\sigma_{\text{inel}}\int \mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}} dt$	$10^{12}$	160	70	141	113	38	146	116	192	149	137
Peak particle flow	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta}\sigma_{\text{inel}}\mathcal{L}_{\text{peak}}$	$10^6$	134	177	198	189	140	195	209	228	207	201
Irradiation	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta}\sigma_{\text{inel}}\int \mathcal{L} dt$	$10^{15}$	1.0	0.4	0.8	1.3	0.2	0.9	0.7	1.2	3.0	4.2
$b\bar{b}$ rate	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}\mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	kHz	30	18	27	24	20	35	40	45	39	34
$b\bar{b}$ yield	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}\int \mathcal{L} dt$	$10^9$	300	79	174	254	72	274	216	360	922	1175
Output rate	$\lambda_{\text{HLT}}$	kHz	2.0	2.6	4.5	3.7	10.4	6.1	7.5	5.8	6.6	5.7
Stored events (bkk)	$\lambda_{\text{HLT}}t$	$10^9$	20	11	28	39	17	42	35	40	133	172
Event size	$S_{\text{ev}}$	kB	2	53	59	56	48	55	58	58	56	56
HLT B/W	$S_{\text{ev}}\lambda_{\text{HLT}}$	MB/s	5	136	263	212	501	333	438	333	371	319
Total storage	$S_{\text{ev}}\lambda_{\text{HLT}}t$	EB	0.1	0.6	1.6	2.2	0.8	2.3	2.0	2.3	7.4	9.6



# OPERATIONS STATISTICS RUN 3



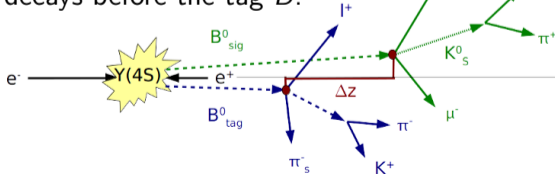
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Average Luminosity	$\mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	$\mu\text{b}^{-1}/\text{s}$	298	268	2000		
Seconds of running	$t$	$10^6 \text{ s}$	10.5	20.0	5.0		
Integrated luminosity	$\int \mathcal{L} dt$	$\text{fb}^{-1}$	3.2	6.4	5.0		
Bunches	$N_{\text{b}}$		1320	2193	2808		
Energy	$E$	TeV	8	13	14		
Inelastic cross-section	$\sigma_{\text{inel}}$	mb	66	77	80		
Charged multiplicity	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta}$		6	6			
$b\bar{b}$ cross-section (acc.)	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}}$	$\mu\text{b}$	79	144			
$pp$ interactions/BX	$\mu = \frac{\mathcal{L}\sigma_{\text{inel}}}{f_{\text{LHC}}N_{\text{b}}}$		1.32	0.83	5.07		
Non-empty rate	$f_{\text{LHC}}N_{\text{b}}(1 - e^{-\mu})$	MHz	10.8	14.0	31.4		
Avg. MB rate	$\sigma_{\text{inel}}\mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	MHz	19.7	20.7	160.0		
MB events	$\sigma_{\text{inel}} \int \mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}} dt$	$10^{12}$	113	149	400		
Peak particle flow	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta} \sigma_{\text{inel}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{peak}}$	$10^6$	189	207			
Irradiation	$\frac{dN_{\text{ch}}}{d\eta} \sigma_{\text{inel}} \int \mathcal{L} dt$	$10^{15}$	1.3	3.0			
$b\bar{b}$ rate	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{avg}}$	kHz	24	39			
$b\bar{b}$ yield	$\sigma_{b\bar{b}} \int \mathcal{L} dt$	$10^9$	254	922			
Output rate	$\lambda_{\text{HLT}}$	kHz	3.7	6.6	10.8		
Stored events (bkk)	$\lambda_{\text{HLT}} t$	$10^9$	39	133	54		
Event size	$S_{\text{ev}}$	kB	56	56	61		
HLT B/W	$S_{\text{ev}} \lambda_{\text{HLT}}$	MB/s	212	371	659		
Total storage	$S_{\text{ev}} \lambda_{\text{HLT}} t$	EB	2.2	7.4	3.3		



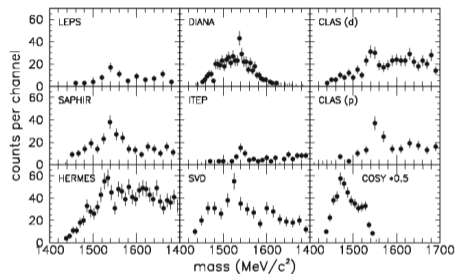
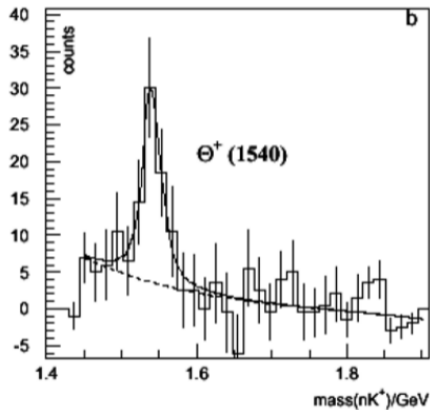
The  $B^0$  and  $\bar{B}^0$  originate from a  $\Upsilon(4S)$  resonance. They are produced in a quantum-entangled state of a superposition of  $B^0$  and  $\bar{B}^0$ . The flavour of the one is only fixed once the other decays.

Unlike at the LHC, the clock only starts at the time the other  $B$  decays.

- The difference in flight time is relevant
- This difference can be negative, if the signal  $B$  decays before the tag  $B$ .



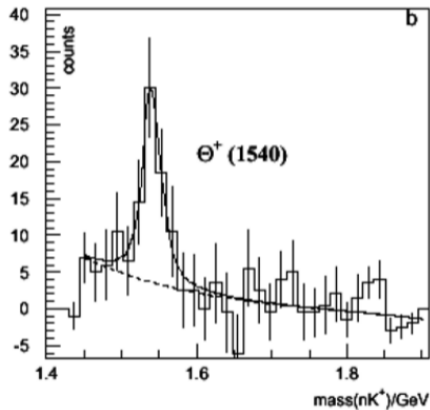
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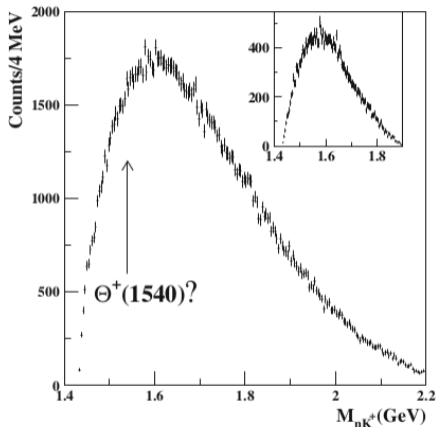
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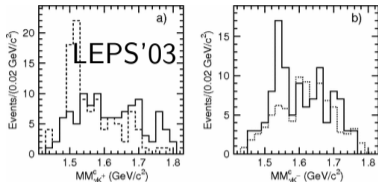


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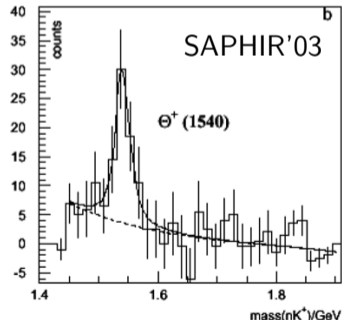


CLAS [PRL 96 (2006) 042001]

# THE $\Theta(1540)^+$ PENTAQUARK



In 2003 a  $uudd\bar{s}$  state was allegedly found in data from LEPS [Nakano et al., PRL 91 (2003) 012002], DIANA [Phys.Atom.Nucl. 66 (2003) 1715], CLAS [PRL 91 (2003) 252001], SAPHIR [PLB 572 (2003) 127].



**EXOTIC BARYONS**  
Minimum quark content:  $\Theta^+ = uudd\bar{s}$ ,  $\Phi^{--} = ssdd\bar{u}$ ,  $\Phi^+ = ssu\bar{u}$ .

$\Theta(1540)^+$

$$I(J^P) = 0(?^?)$$

It is difficult to deny a place in the Summary Tables for a state that six experiments claim to have seen. Nevertheless, we believe it reasonable to have some reservations about the existence of this state on the basis of the present evidence.

Mass  $m = 1539.2 \pm 1.6$  MeV

Full width  $\Gamma = 0.90 \pm 0.30$  MeV

PDG2004

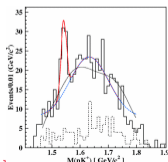
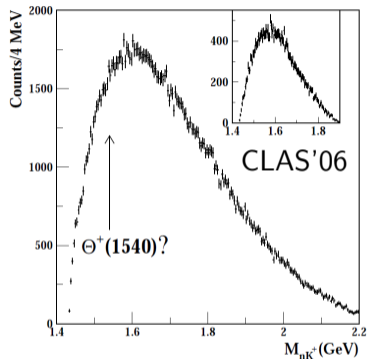
$NK$  is the only strong decay mode allowed for a strangeness  $S=+1$  resonance of this mass.

$\Theta(1540)^+$ DECAY MODES	Fraction ( $\Gamma_i/\Gamma$ )	$p$ (MeV/c)
$NK$	100%	270

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Ni

# THE $\Theta(1540)^+$ PENTAQUARK



CLAS'03 [PRL 91 (2003) 252001]

In 2003 a  $uudd\bar{s}$  state was allegedly found  
In 2006 CLAS reported from a large-yield dedicated run and failed to find the particle  
[PRL 96 (2006) 042001]

Read *On the conundrum of the pentaquark* by Hicks [EPJH 37 1 (2012)] **Allegedly 6 experiments?**

Citation: W.-M. Yao et al. (Particle Data Group), J. Phys. G 33, 1 (2006) (URL: <http://pdg.lbl.gov>)

$\Theta(1540)^+$

$I(J^P) = 0(?^?)$  Status: \*

OMITTED FROM SUMMARY TABLE

PENTAQUARK UPDATE

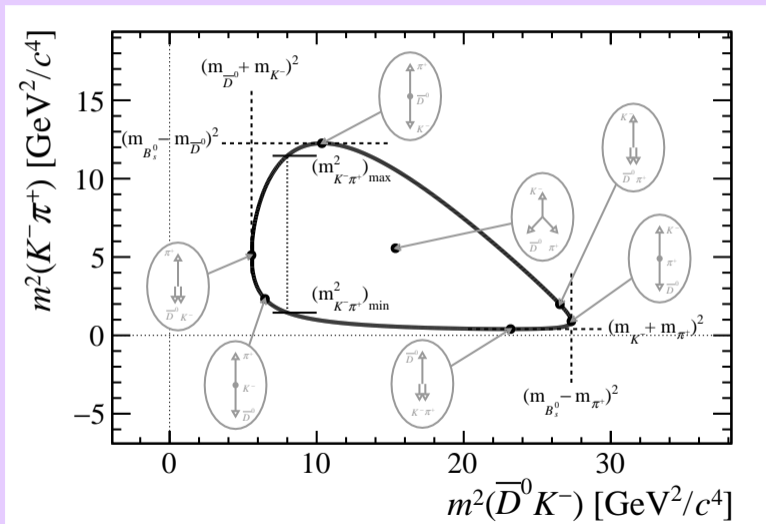
PDG2006

Written February 2006 by G. Trilling (LBNL).

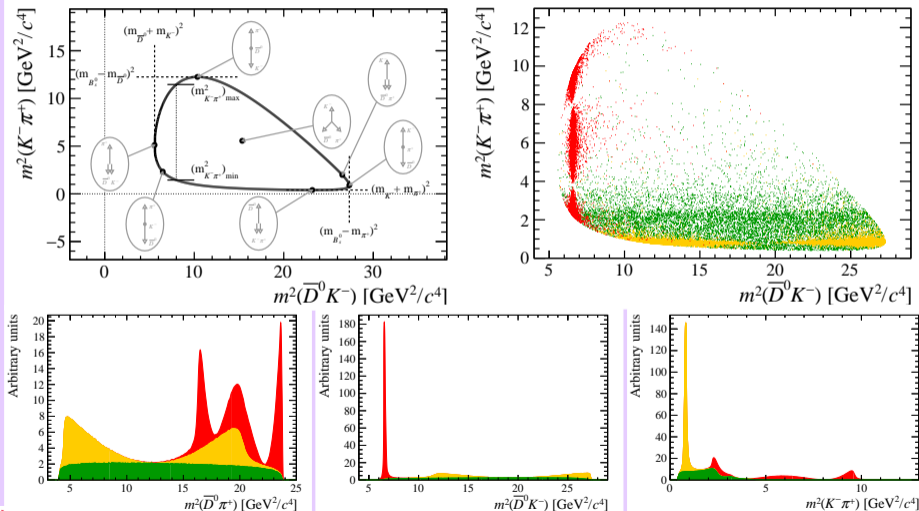
In 2003, the field of baryon spectroscopy was almost revolutionized by experimental evidence for the existence of baryon states constructed from five quarks (actually four quarks and an antiquark) rather than the usual three quarks. In a 1997

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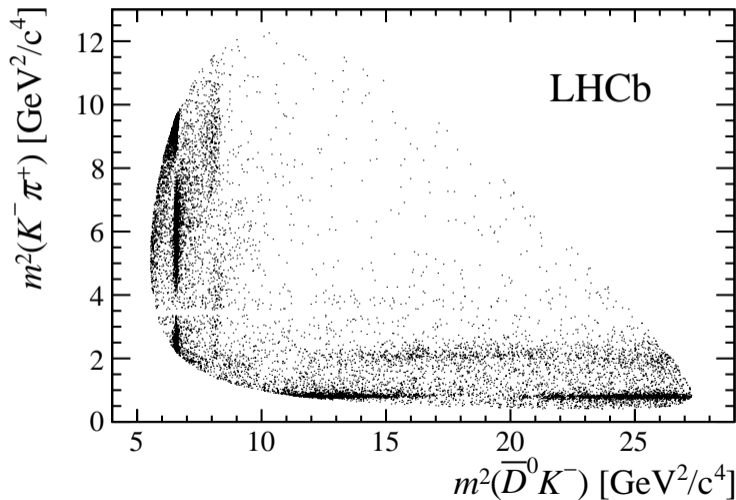
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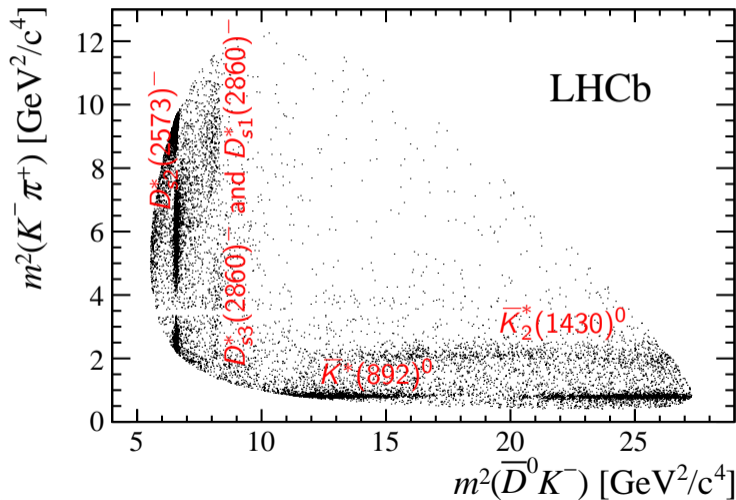
## DALITZ PLOTS





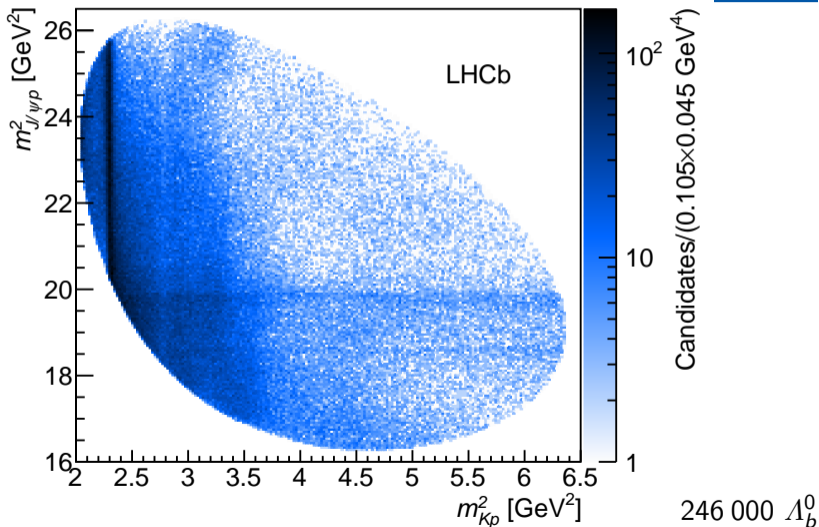
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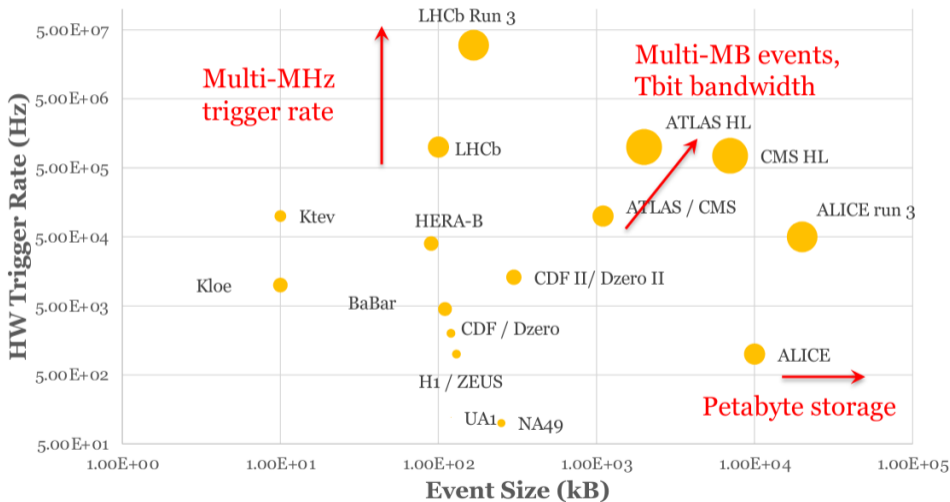
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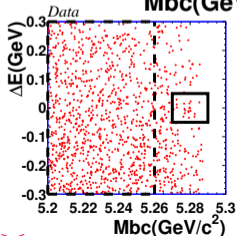
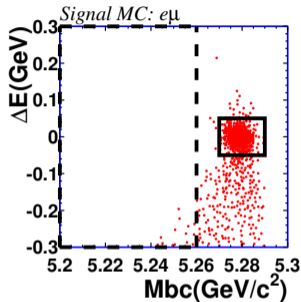
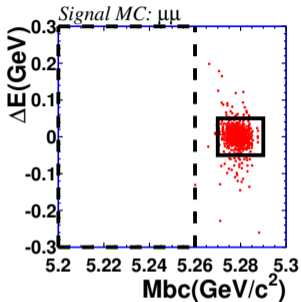
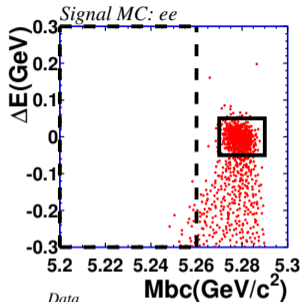
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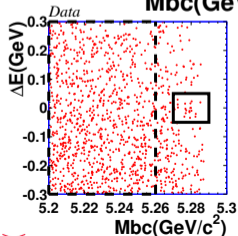
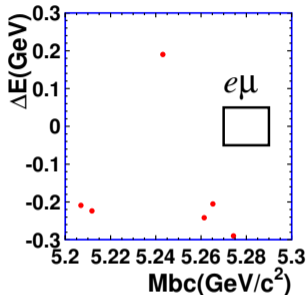
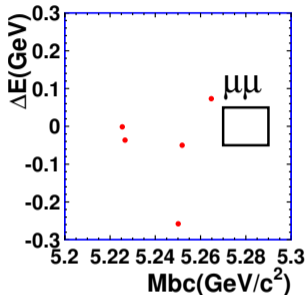
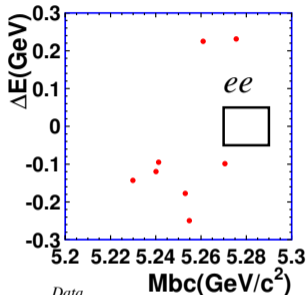
## OBSERVATION OF NARROW PENTAQUARKS



# EVENT SIZES AND RATES



$B \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-$  SEARCH AT BELLE

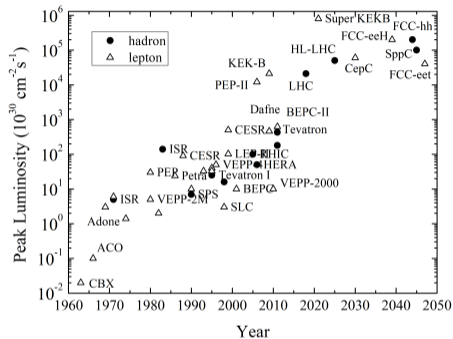
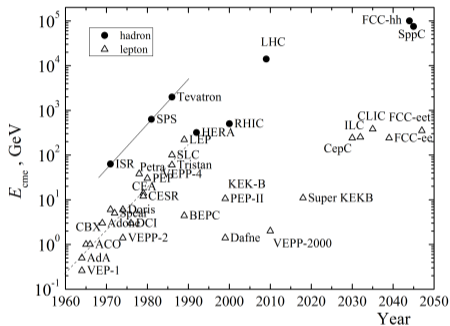
$B \rightarrow l^+ l^-$  SEARCH AT BELLE

$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow e^+ e^-) < 1.9 \times 10^{-8}$$

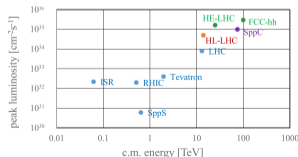
$$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 1.6 \times 10^{-7}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow e^\pm \mu^\mp) < 1.7 \times 10^{-7}$$

# COLLIDERS



Each decade, energy increases by a factor 5 and luminosity by a factor 7



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