



The first decade and the next decade of the Large Hadron Collider beauty experiment



- Physics Highlights
- LHCb Upgrade I

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Introduction

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Potential Matter.—A Holiday Dream.

WHEN the year's work is over and all sense of responsibility is left us, who has not occasionally set his fancy free to dream of the unknown, perhaps the unknowable? And what is it that more frequently crosses our dreams than what is so palpably before us in our serious moments of consciousness—the universal law of gravitation. We can leave our spectroscopes and magnets at home, but we cannot fly from the mysterious force which causes the rain-drops to fall from the clouds, and the children to tumble down the staircase. What is gravity? We teach our students to accept the fact and not to trouble themselves with its cause—most excellent advice—but this is not true, and we are not satisfied.

tional velocity of our system cannot be self-generated. If dynamics overboard, or if pressed by creation, we know that a system of bodies is not angular momentum. Why, and how could it have been if attractive forces only? The fact is found in the law which, according to Poincaré, is explained by gravitation. The atom and the atom combination, because at such a overpower gravitational might thus be filled unknown. Gravity is practically not such as a meteorite flying established, the matter is on the other

AUGUST 18, 1898]

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cannot be self-gene

1. Live Frog taken out of a Snake.

ROSE HAIG THOMAS.

“may be interested to hear of another incidence of a (frog) returning alive from the stomach of a snake”

“out slid the frog; rather off-colour, and not very happy looking”

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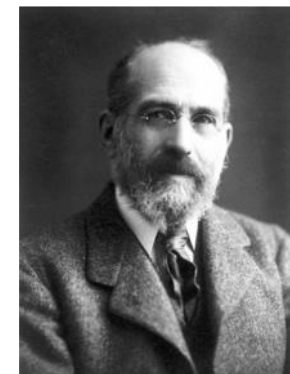
2.

Potential Matter.—A Holiday Dream.

“Surely something is wanting in our conception of the universe... positive and negative electricity, north and south magnetism...”

◆ Matter Antimatter Symmetry

“matter and antimatter may further co-exist in bodies of small mass”



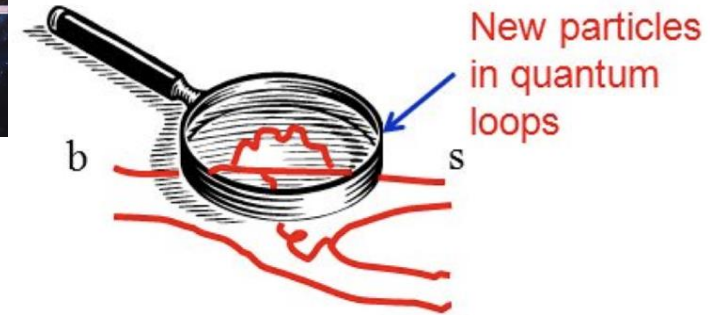
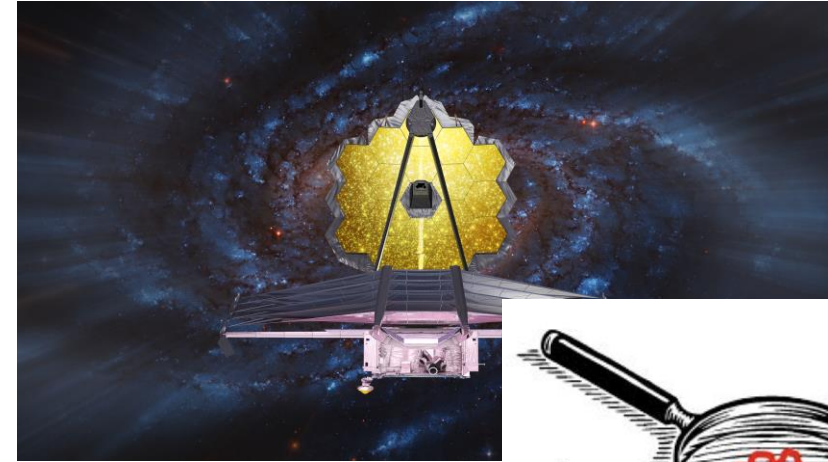
ARTHUR SCHUSTER.

Do dreams ever come true?

Physics exploration at the LHC



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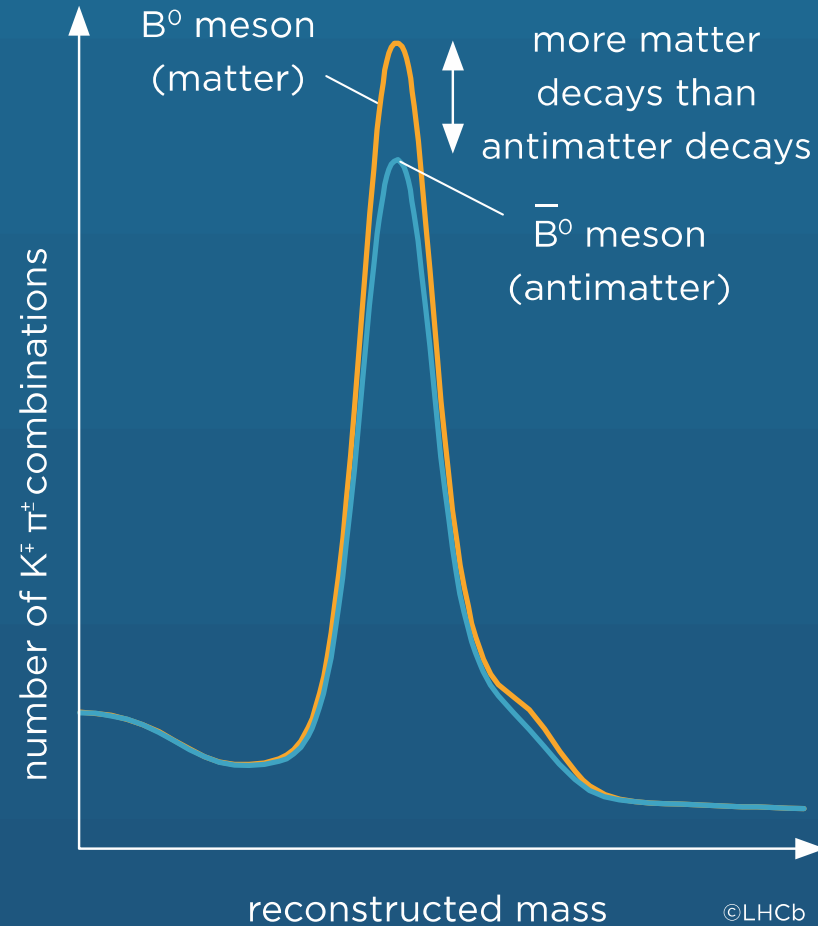


- **Energy**
- Directly produce new particles and observe from their decays.

- **Intensity**
- Precision measurements and compare with theory

Matter & Antimatter at LHCb

CP VIOLATION



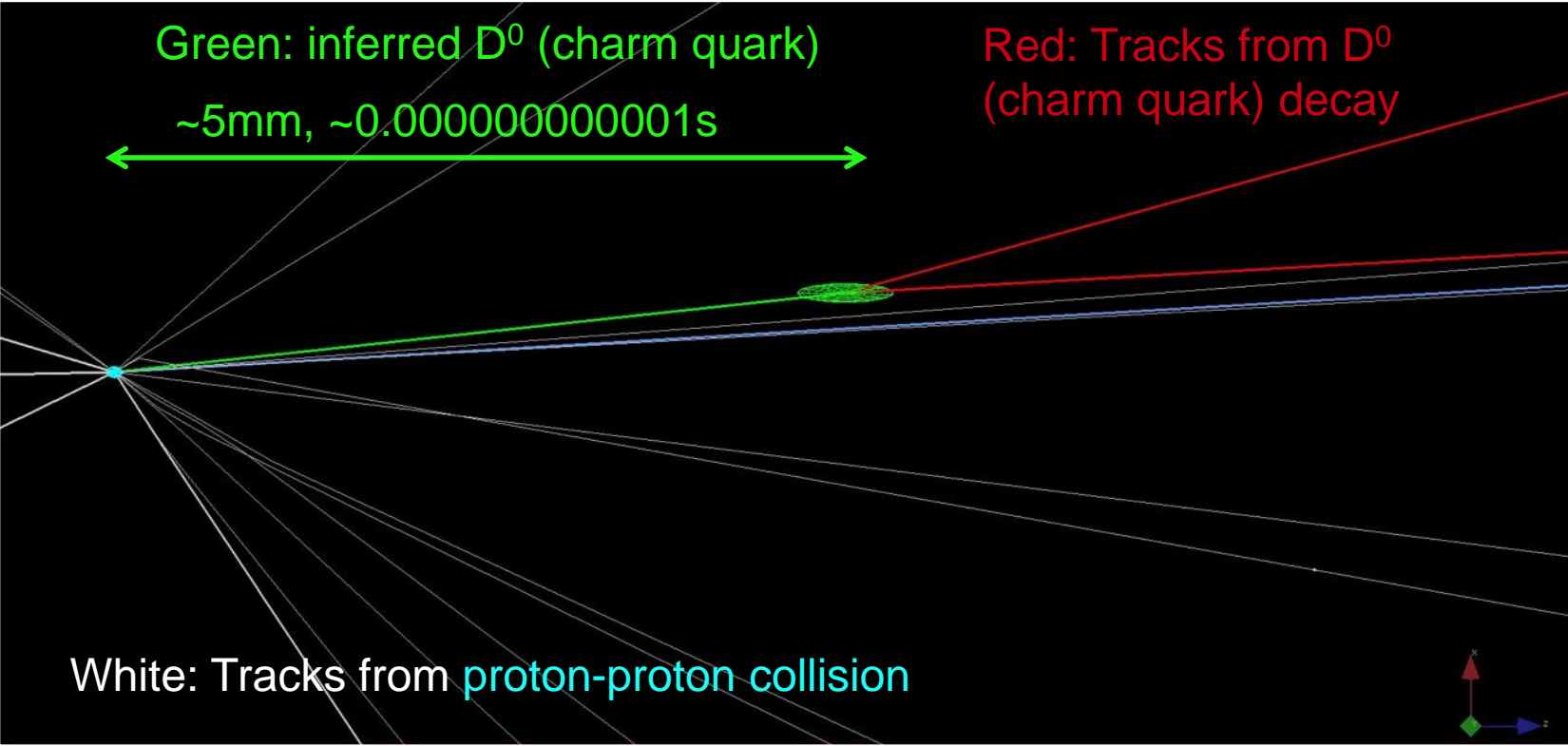
Fundamental difference between matter and antimatter

Far too small to explain matter dominance over antimatter in the universe

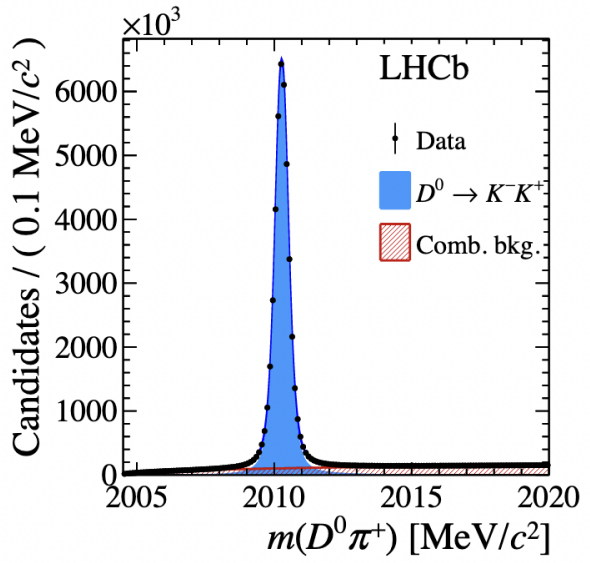
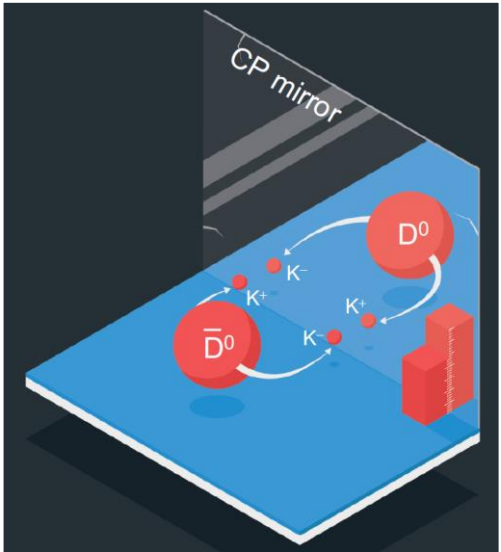
Embedded in SM as an 'add-on' mechanism

Delicately broken symmetry allows to search for new physics phenomena

Observation of *CP* Violation in Charm Decays



70 million decays observed



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Featured in Physics

Observation of *CP* Violation in Charm Decays

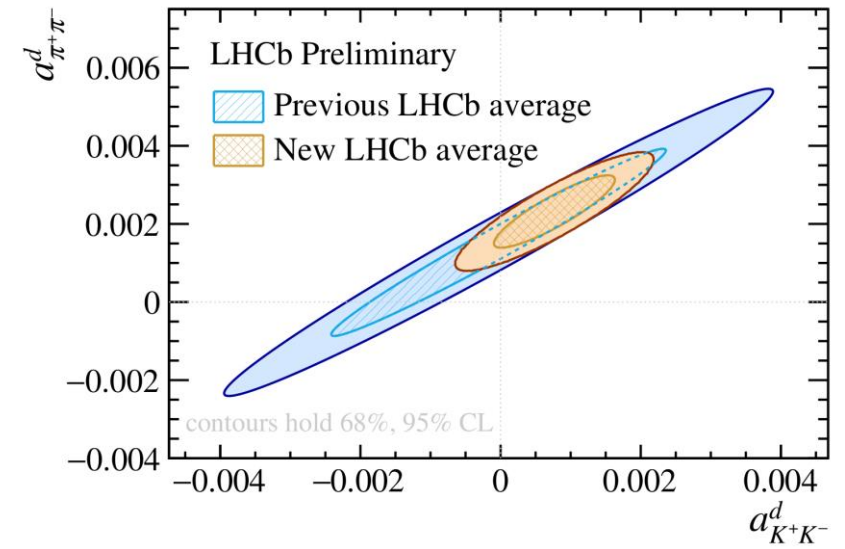
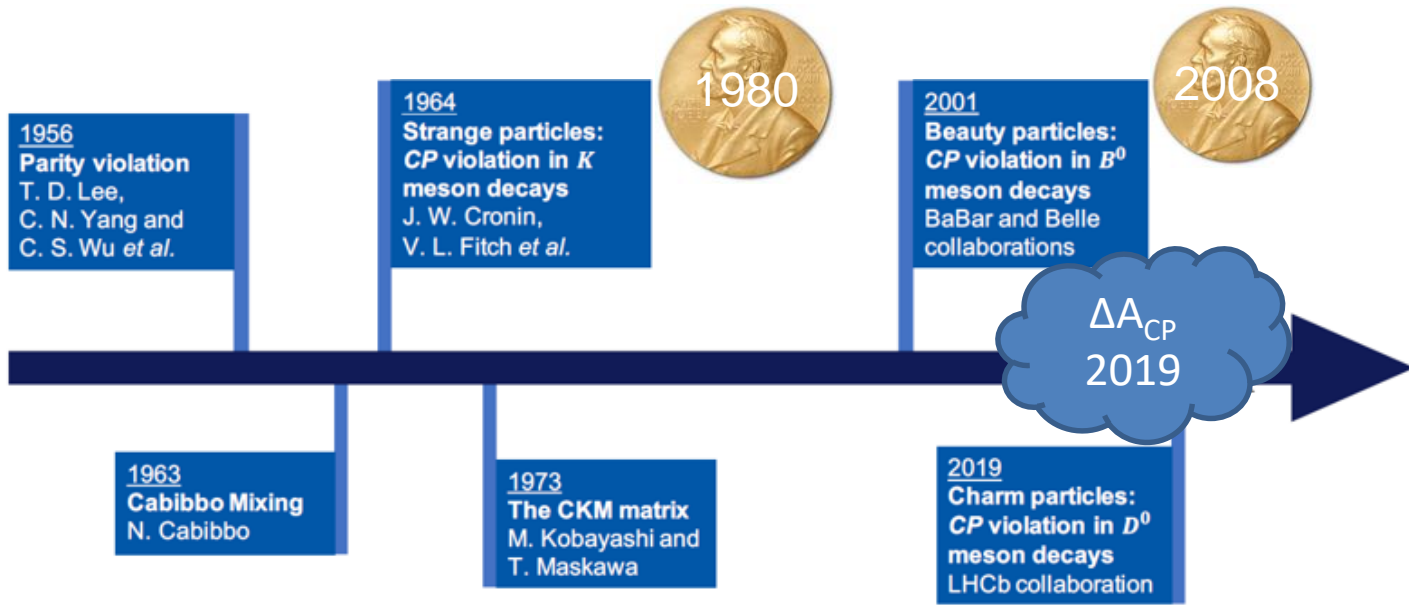
R. Aaij *et al.**
(LHCb Collaboration)

$$\Delta a_{CP}^{dir} = (-15.7 \pm 2.9) \times 10^{-4},$$

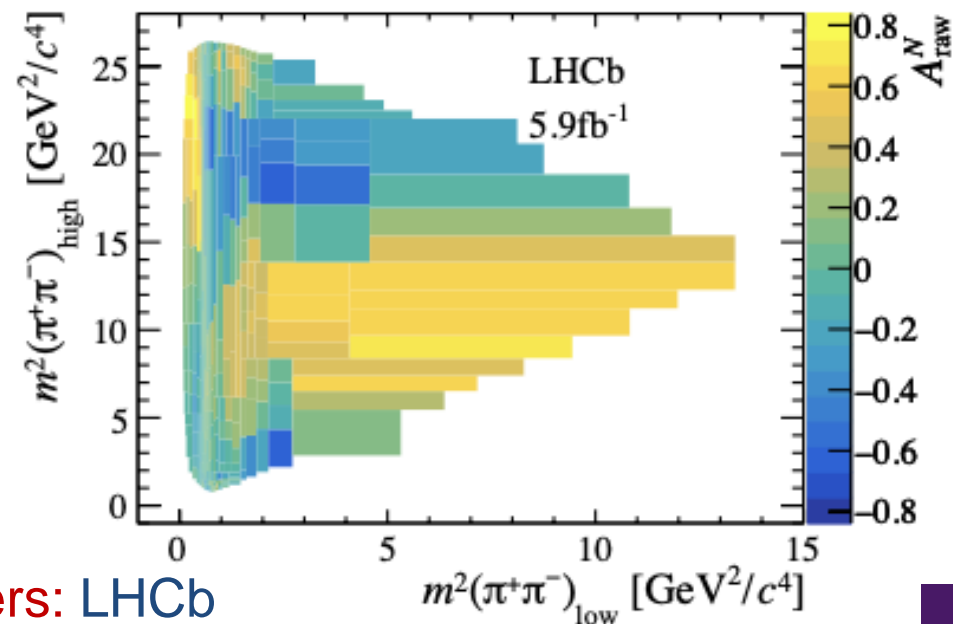
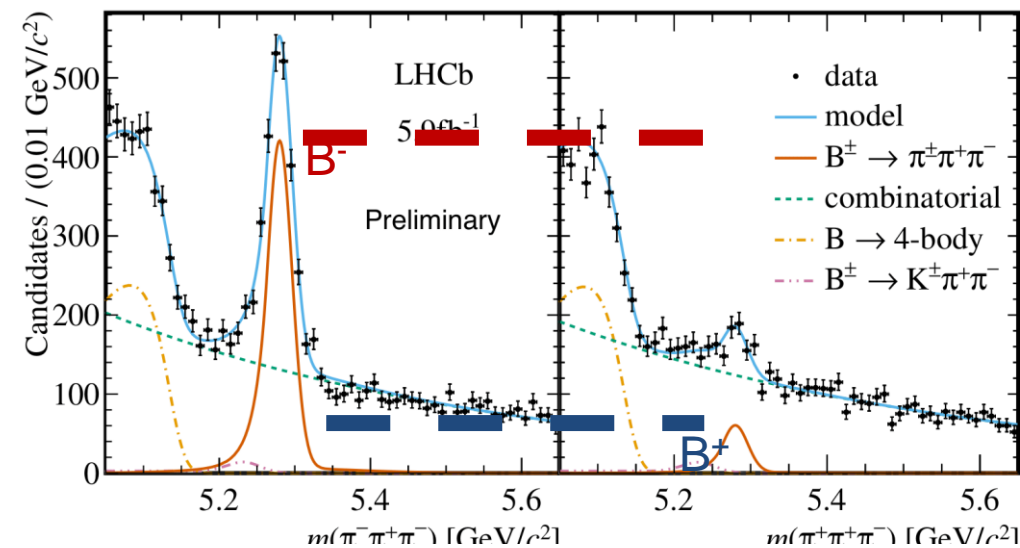
1 in 1000 difference
Upper end of SM predictions
separate into
two decay channels

New !

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- CP Violation discovered in three different B^\pm 3-body decays
 - $B^\pm \rightarrow K^\pm K^+ K^-$, $B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm \pi^+ \pi^-$, $B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm K^+ K^-$
- Largest CP asymmetry ever observed
 - **75%** in selected phase space region
 - 7 times more B^- contribution than B^+
- In different phase space regions flips between more B^+ or more B^-
- Understanding relationships between different decays
 - Cancellations needed as particle anti-particle lifetimes are same



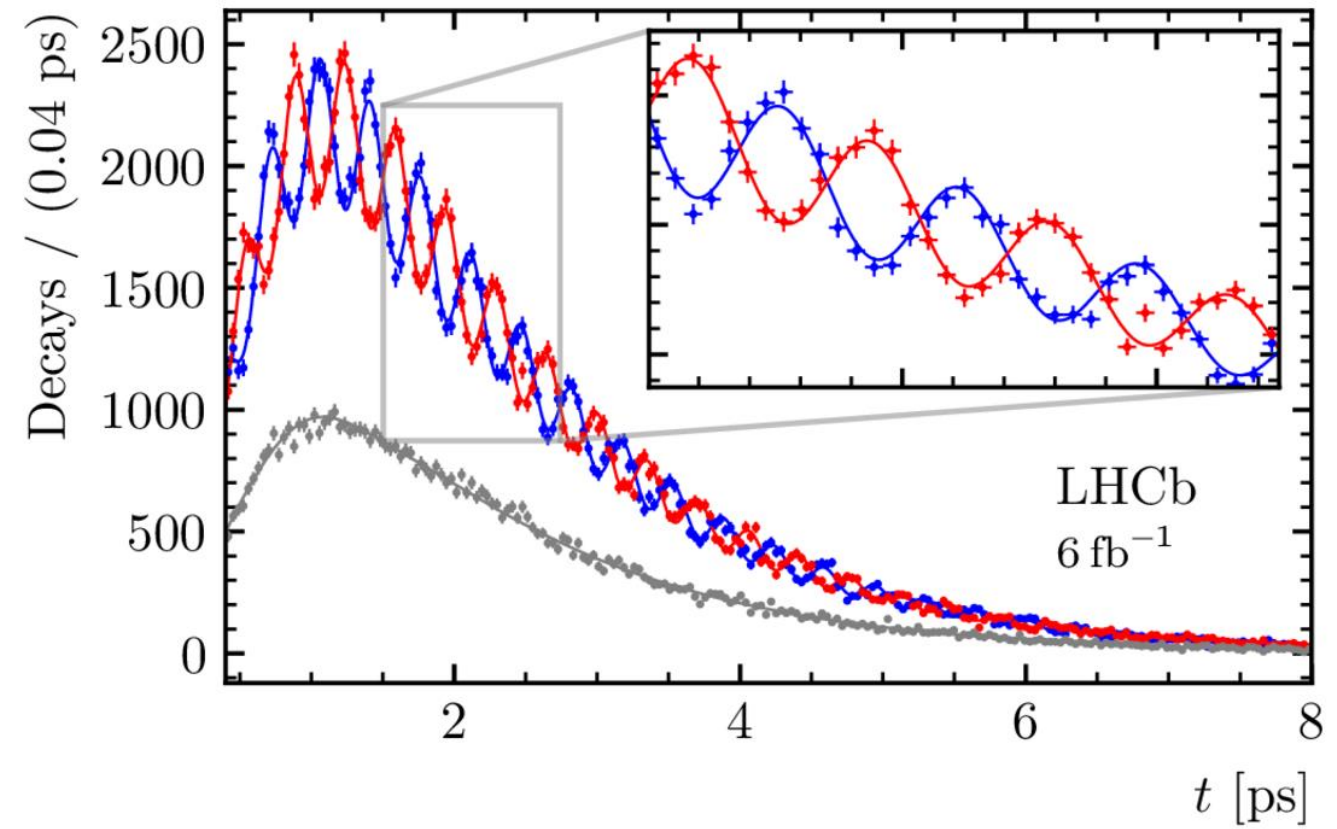
LHCb Recent Results: 3 Trillion Hz of Quantum Mechanics



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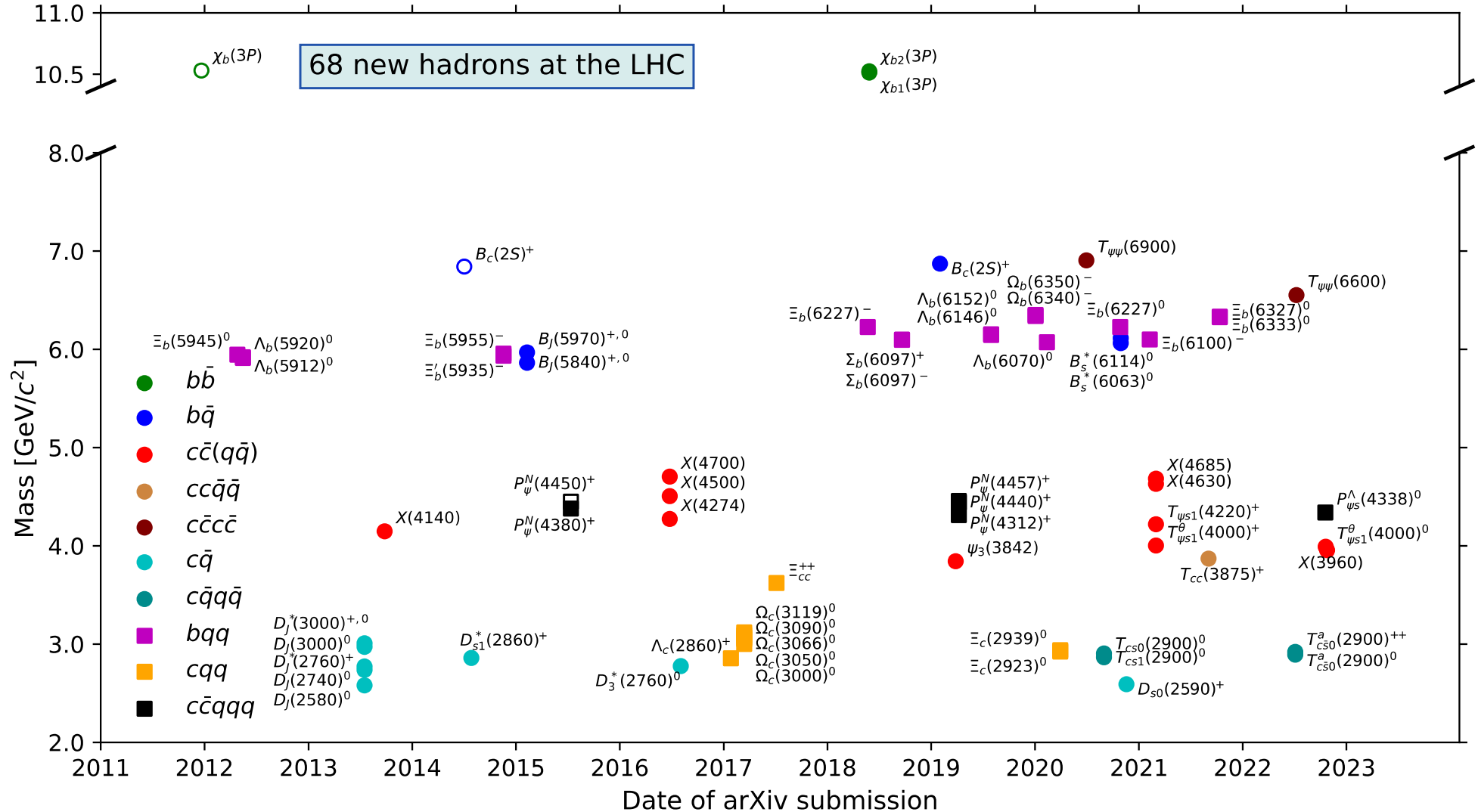
- Fascinating Quantum Mechanics
 - B_s particle anti-particle oscillations
- Clear oscillations - text book plot !
- Precision: 3×10^{-4} , LHCb Legacy Δm_s

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



New particle discoveries

- 68 particles discovered at LHC
- 60 at LHCb



Hadrons

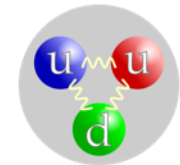
- Many many particles containing quarks, hadrons, known:

- Proton, neutron, pion, kaon.....
- Ground states and excited states,
- most are unstable
- Classify:

Mesons: 2 quarks (quark antiquark).

Baryons: 3 quarks

More ?



charge	PARTICLES			
QUARKS	+2/3	up	charm	top
	-1/3	down	strange	bottom

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A SCHEMATIC MODEL OF BARYONS AND MESONS *

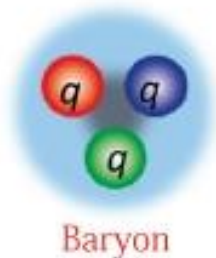
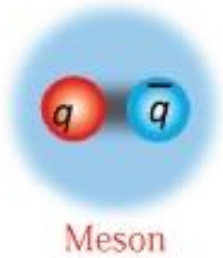
M. GELL-MANN

California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California

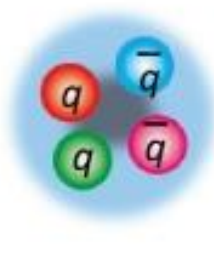
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A simpler and more elegant scheme can be constructed if we allow non-integral values for the charges. We can dispense entirely with the basic baryon b if we assign to the triplet t the following properties: spin $\frac{1}{2}$, $z = -\frac{1}{3}$, and baryon number $\frac{1}{3}$. We then refer to the members $u^{\frac{2}{3}}$, $d^{-\frac{1}{3}}$, and $s^{-\frac{1}{3}}$ of the triplet as "quarks" q and the members of the anti-triplet as anti-quarks \bar{q} . Baryons can now be constructed from quarks by using the combinations (qqq) , $(qqq\bar{q}\bar{q})$ etc., while mesons are made out of $(q\bar{q})$, $(qq\bar{q}\bar{q})$, etc. It is assuming that the lowest baryon configuration (qqq) gives just the representations 1, 8, and 10 that have been observed, while

Standard Hadrons



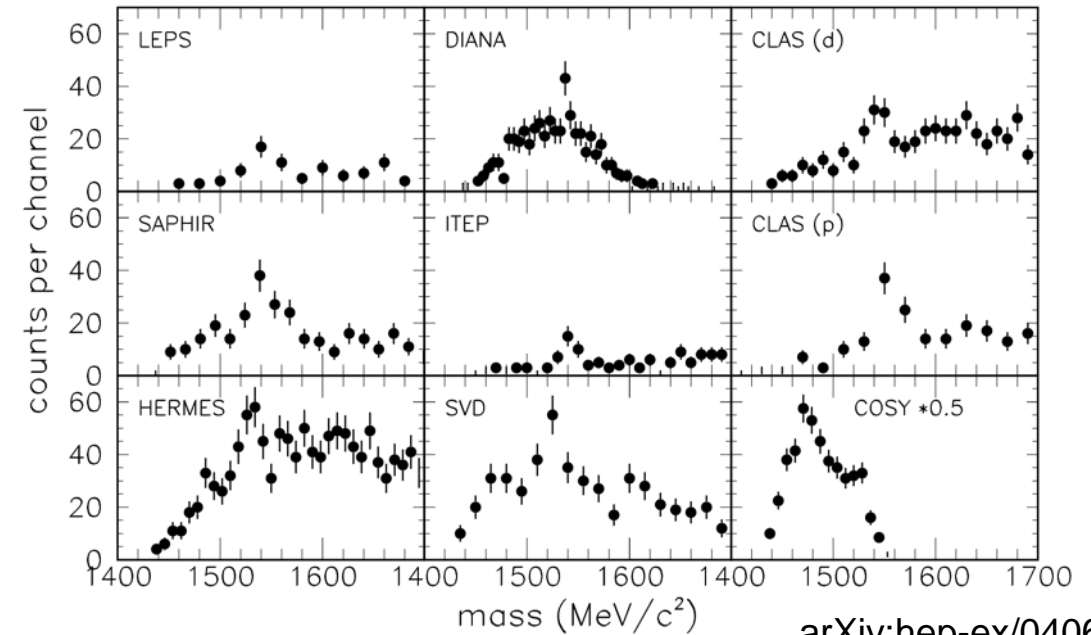
Exotic Hadrons



A note on history of exotic hadrons

- Claimed but not confirmed pentaquarks.....

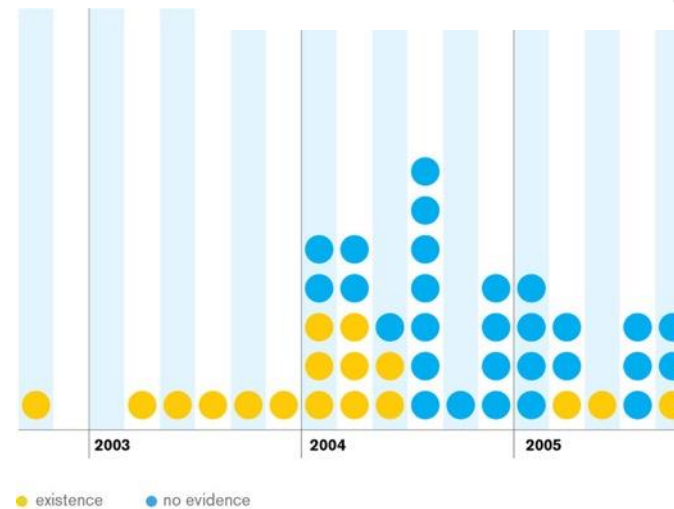
“Observation” of a pentaquark



arXiv:hep-ex/0406077

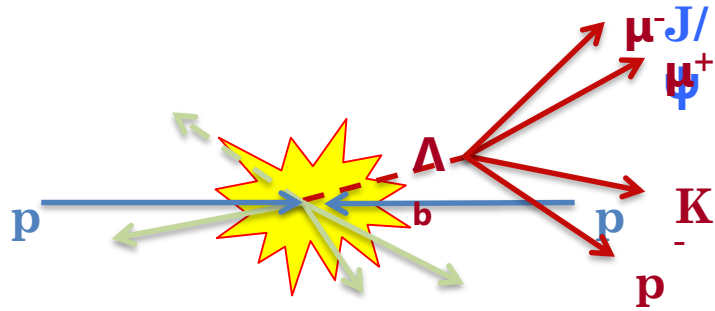
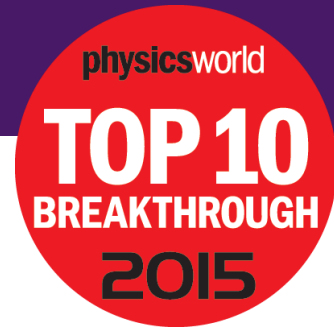
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Photoproduction on Nuclei Θ^+	LEPS-C	CLAS-d1	LEPS-d	LEPS-d2	CLAS-d2
Photoproduction on Proton pK_s^0		SAPHIR			CLAS g1
Photoproduction on Proton $nK^+K^-\pi^+$		CLAS-p			
Exclusive $K + (N) \rightarrow pK_s^0$		DIANA			BELLE
HEP Electromagnetic: $\Theta^+ \rightarrow pK_s^0$		Hermes	ZEUS	FOCUS	BaBar1
Neutrinos			BC	SPHINX	BaBar2
$p + A \rightarrow pK_s^0 + X ; p + p \rightarrow pK_s^0 \Sigma^+$		COSY-TOF	MINR	HyperCP	SVD2
Other Θ^+ Upper Limits		BES J,Y	HERA-B	ALEPH	WA99
			CD		
$p + p$ (or A) $\rightarrow \Xi^{*++} + X$; etc.		NA49/CERN	WA99	HERA-B	BaBar1
HEP Electromagnetic prod. Ξ^{*++}			ALEPH	Hermes	E69D
Inclusive $\Theta^{*++} \rightarrow pK^+$		Hermes	ZEUS	FOCUS	COMPASS
Inclusive $\Theta^{*0} \rightarrow D^{*0} p$		H1/HERA	ALEPH	FOCUS	STAR/RHIC
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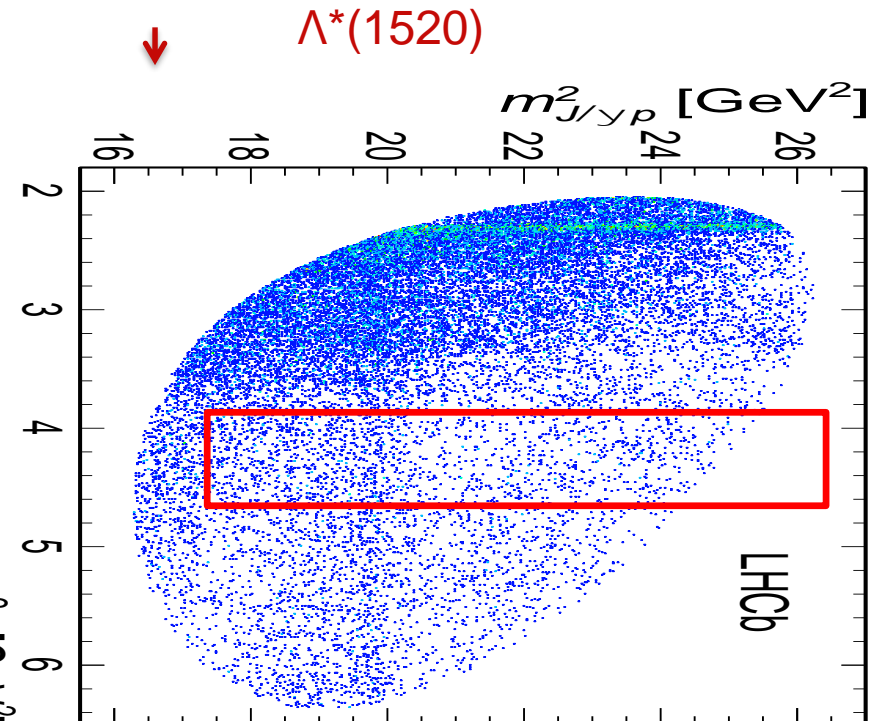
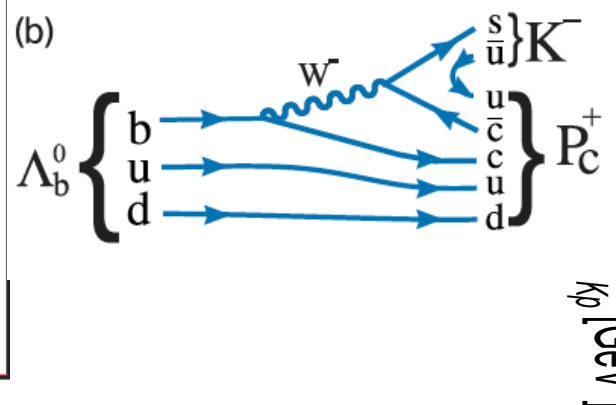
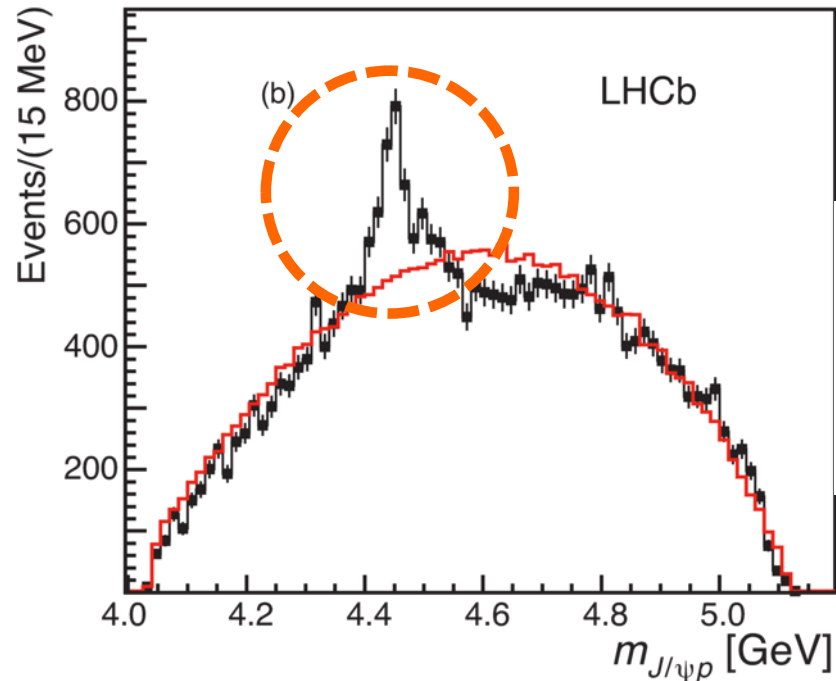


Pentaquarks at LHCb

[LHCb: PRL 115 (2015) 072001]

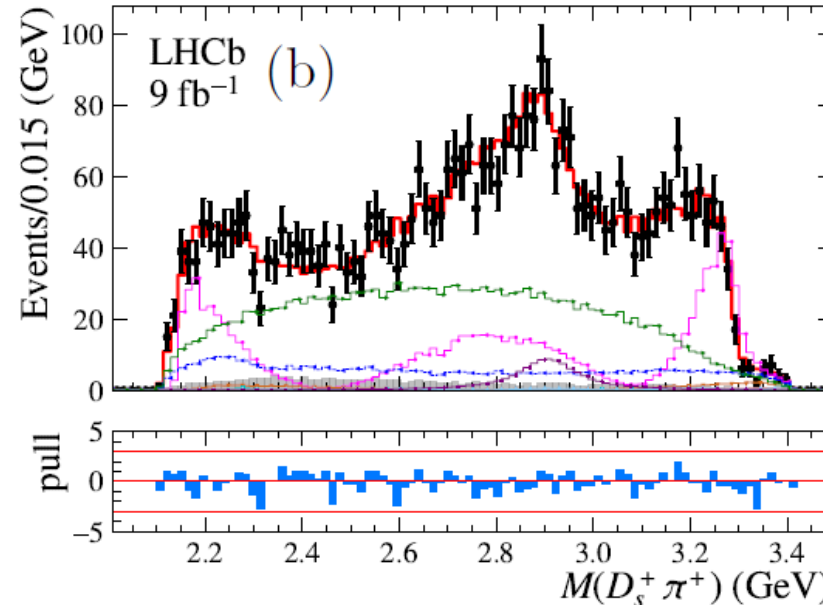
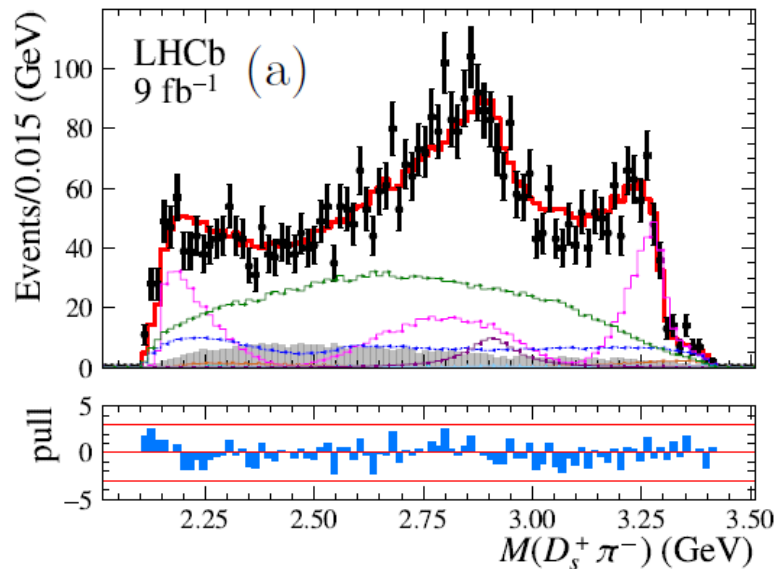
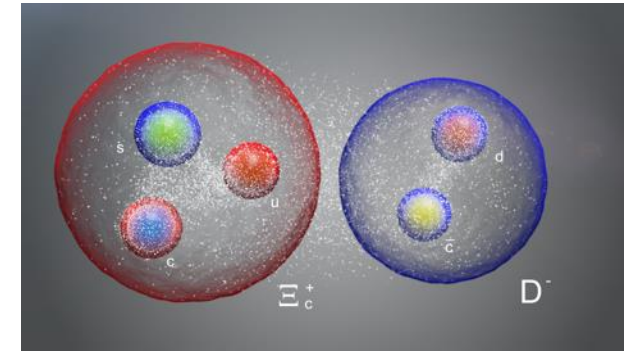
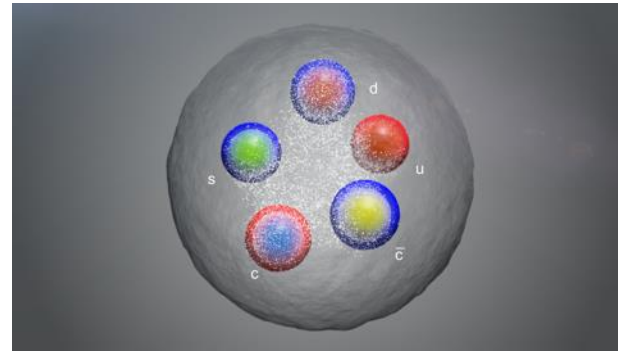
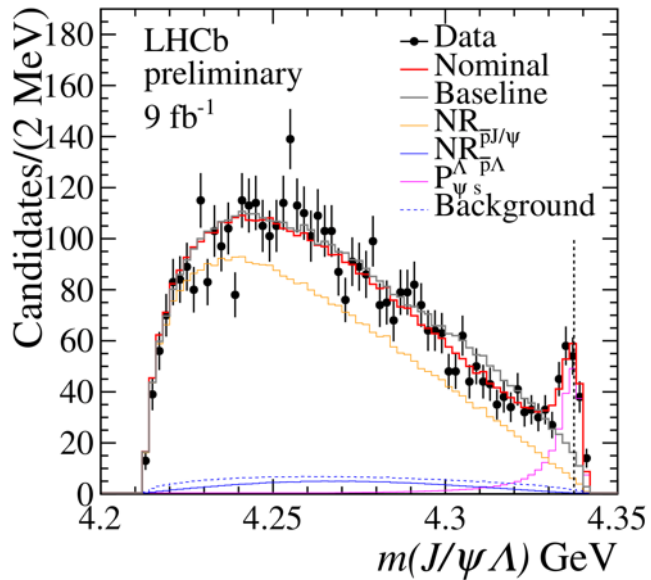


Observation of J/ψ p resonances consistent with pentaquark states in Λ_b
 $\rightarrow J/\psi$ p K^- decays



Chris Parkes, Antimatter Matters: LHCb

- Pentaquark in different decay channel, containing the strange quark



Isospin partners

- Pair of tetraquarks at the same mass

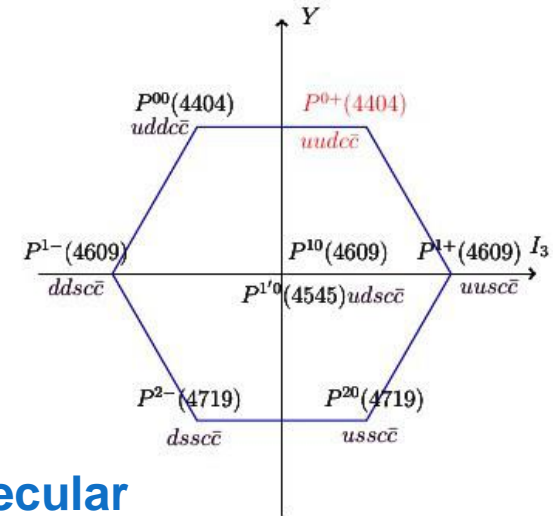
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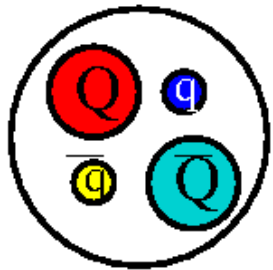
Exotic Hadrons: Tetraquarks & Pentaquarks

- We have observed quite a collection of exotic hadrons in recent years
- Starting to understand that they can be placed in multiplets
 - Families of related exotic hadrons

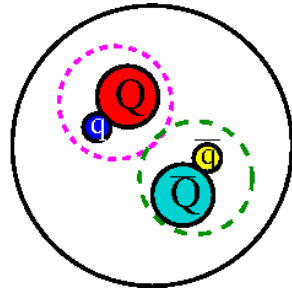
- Many models of the quark configurations
 - Molecule-like ? Tightly bound ?



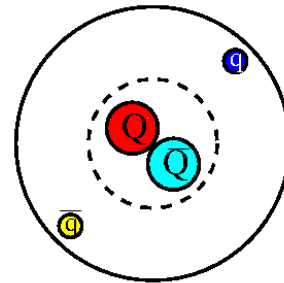
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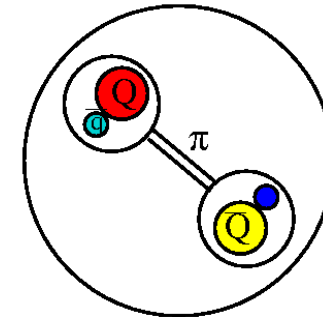
diquark model



hydro-charmonium model



molecular model



– New observations will allow us to disentangle their nature

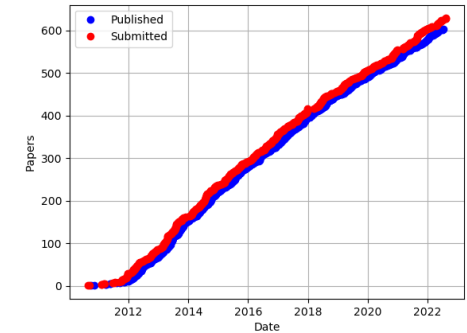
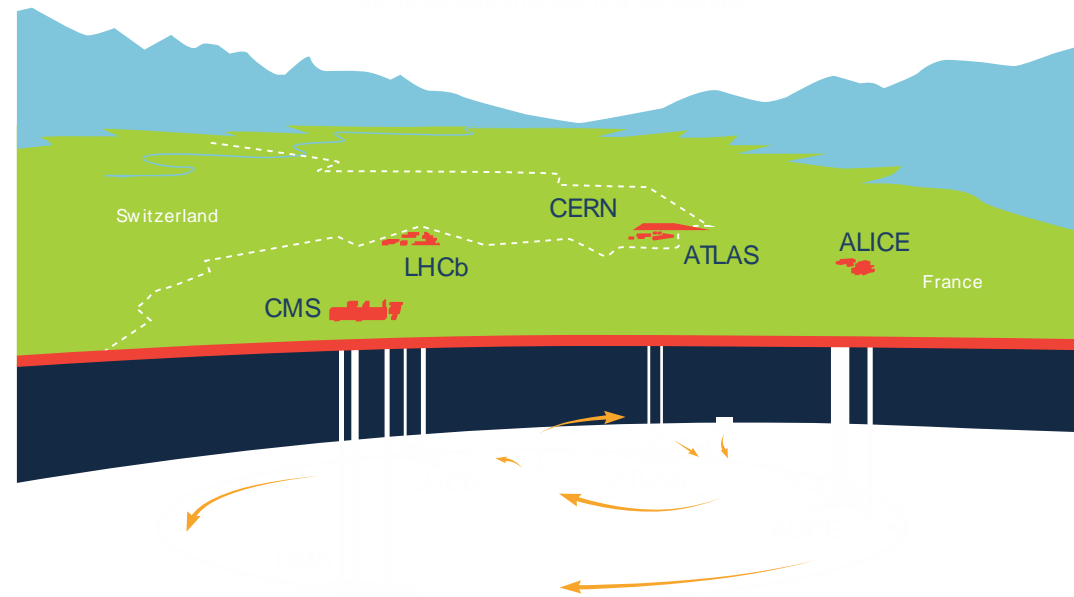
LHCb Collaboration & Detector

LHCb Community

THE LARGE HADRON COLLIDER



- 1065 members
- 96 Institutes
- 21 Countries

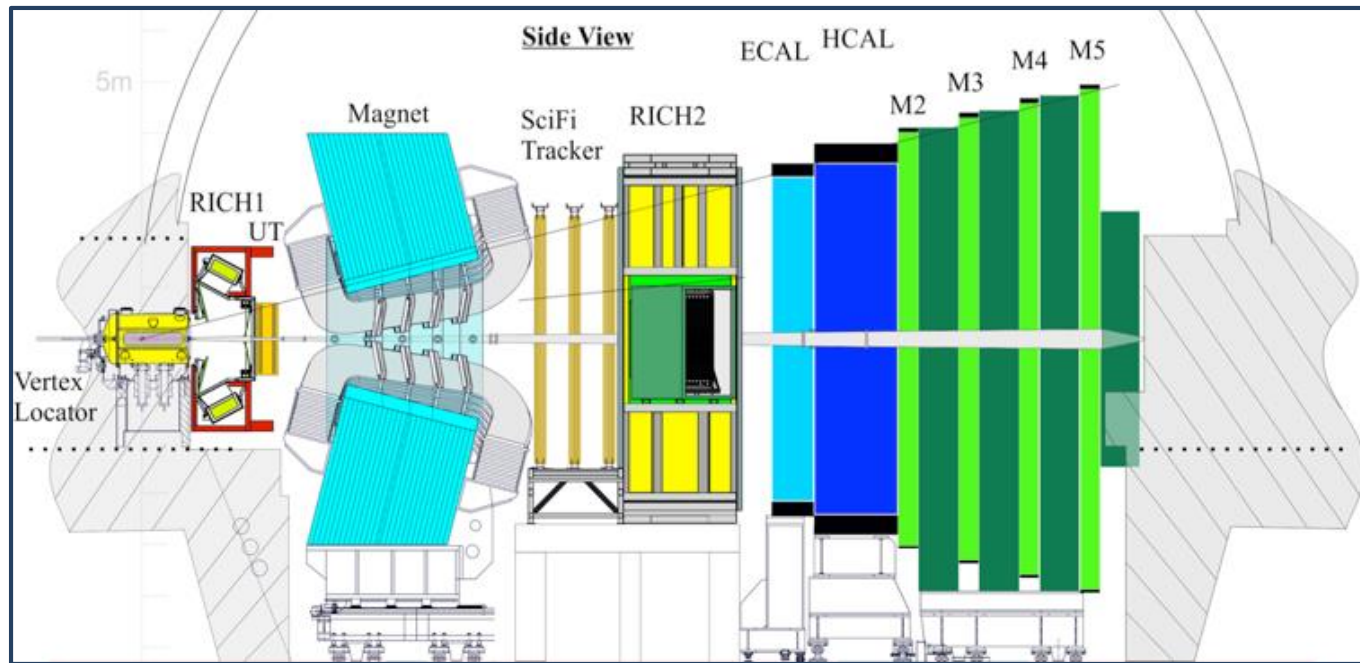


- 646 papers
- ~ 1/week

- One of four large experiments at the CERN Large Hadron Collider
- Detector is designed, built, operated and data analysed by the full international collaboration
- Collaboration is organized in projects and working groups

Upgrade I

- All sub-detectors read out at 40 MHz for a **fully software trigger**

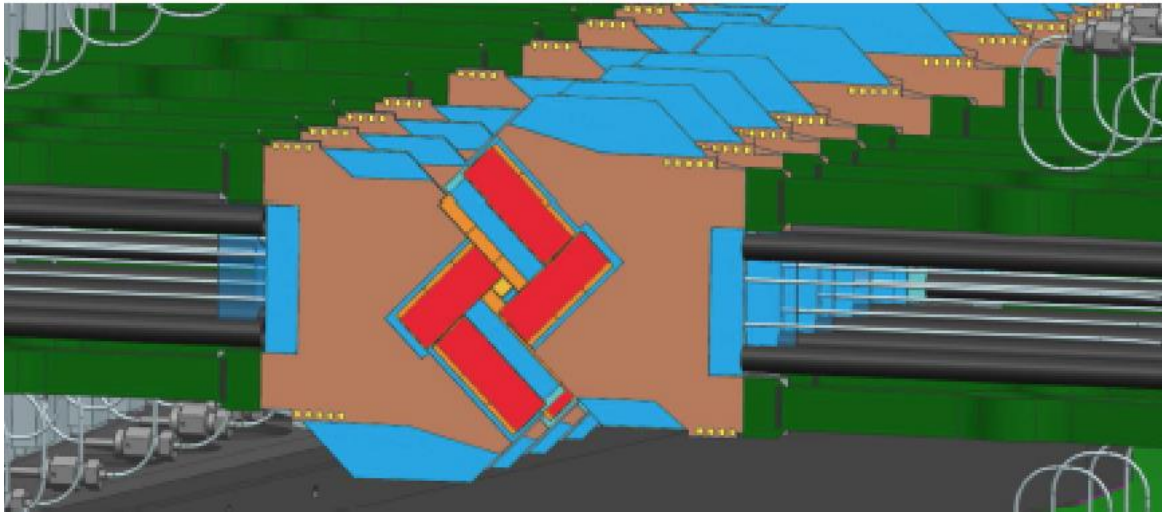


- Target $L_{\text{peak}} = 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, pile-up ~ 5

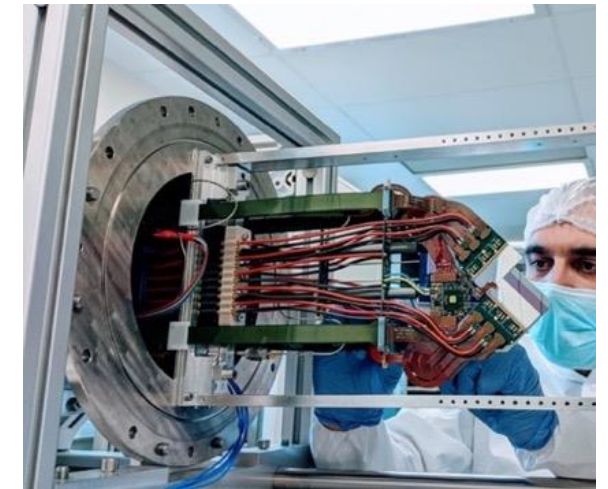


- Pixel detector **VELO** with silicon microchannel cooling 5mm from LHC beam
- New **RICH** mechanics, optics and photodetectors
- New silicon strip upstream tracker **UT** detector
- New **SciFi** tracker with 11,000 km of scintillating fibres
- New electronics for **muon** and **calorimeter** systems

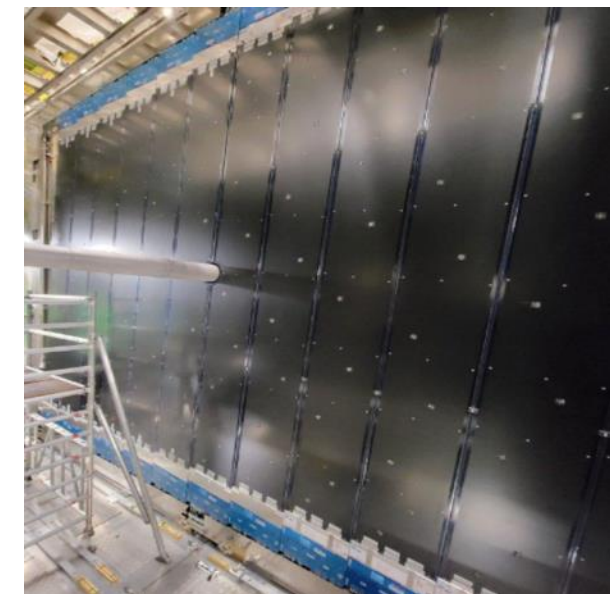
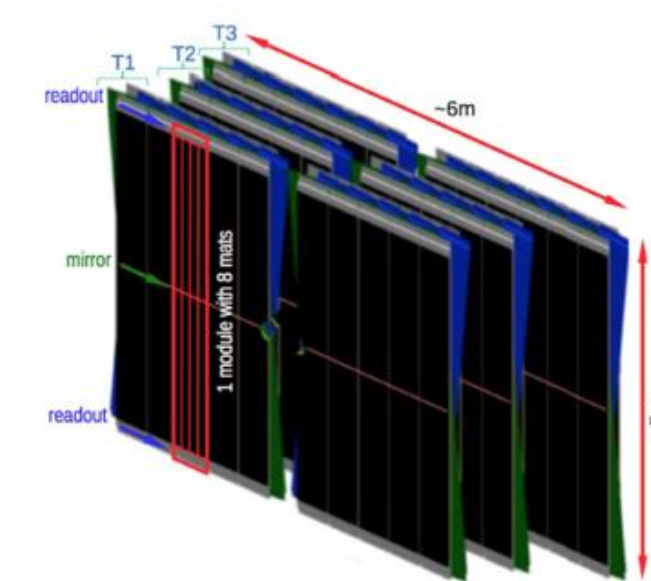
Major project
installed for
operation in Run 3



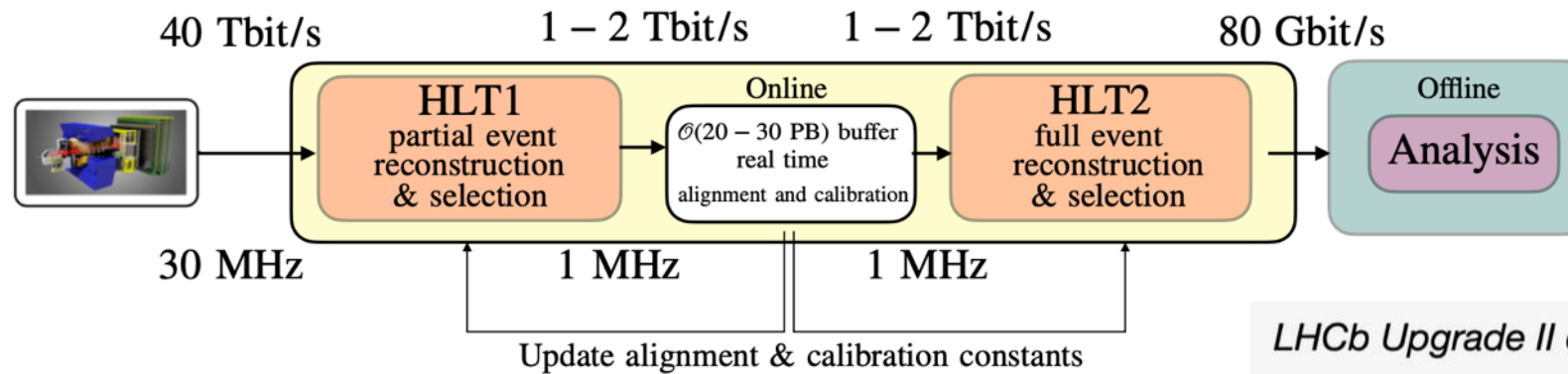
- Hybrid Pixel Detectors (**55 μm pitch**)
- Close to the LHC beam (**5.1 mm**)
 - retracted/**reinserted** each fill
- Innovative **silicon microchannel** substrate
 - Bi-phase **CO₂** cooling
- **Installation completed May 2022, now commissioning**



- Large scale tracking stations after magnet
- Scintillating Fibres
 - 250 μ m diameter, 2.5m long
- Signal readout by SiPMs
 - Operate at -40 C
- 12 layers of mats
- 6 layers of fibres in each mat
 - 12,000 km of fibre !
- **Installation completed March '22, now commissioning**

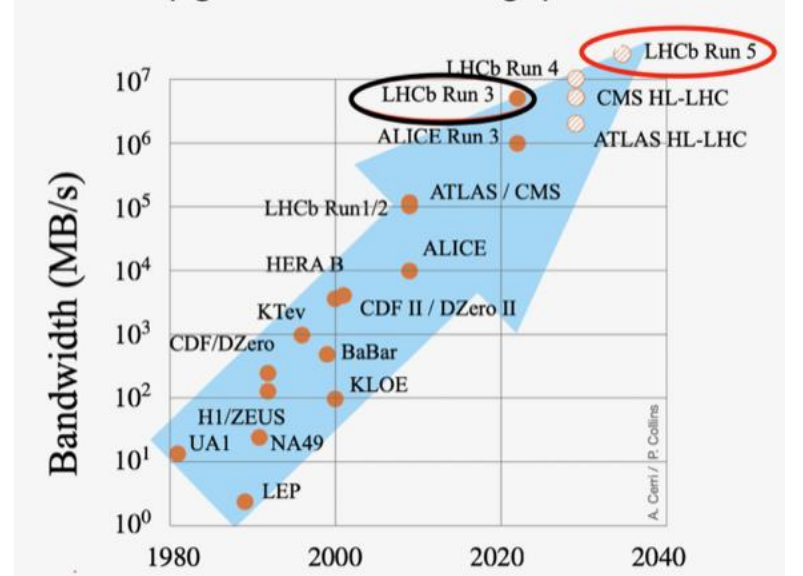


- All sub-detectors read out at 40 MHz for a **fully software trigger**
- Factor of ~ 10 increase expected in hadronic yields at Run 3



- 30 MHz of inelastic collisions reduced to ~1MHz by the first trigger (tracking/vertexing and muon ID) running on **GPUs**
 - ~ 200 cards
- Highest throughput of any HEP experiment

LHCb Upgrade II data throughput: 200 Tb/s



- Online Align and Calib means...
- Optimal quality reconstruction online in trigger

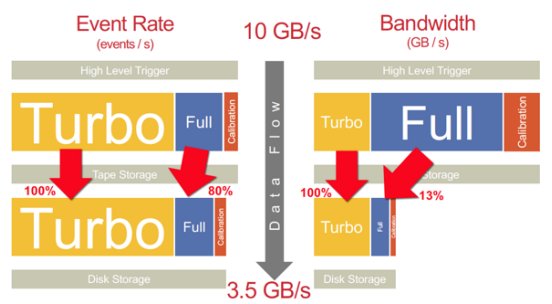
- No need for re-reconstruction
- No need to keep raw data

• Benefits:

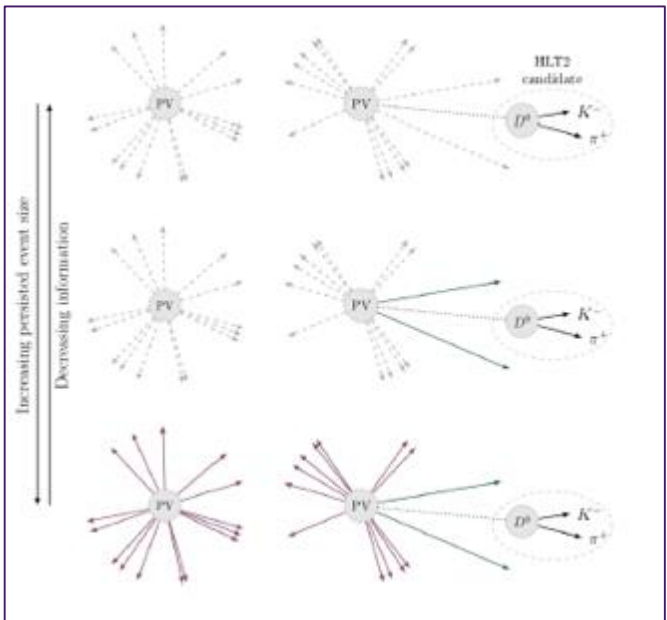
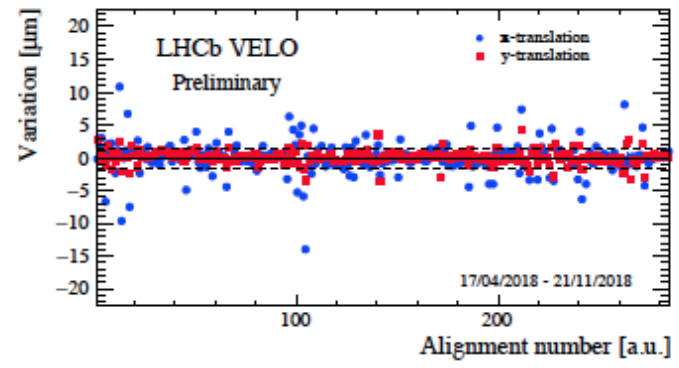
- Expansion of physics programme
- Large reduction in computing resources (raw data 200kB, triggered objects 15kB)

• Risks:

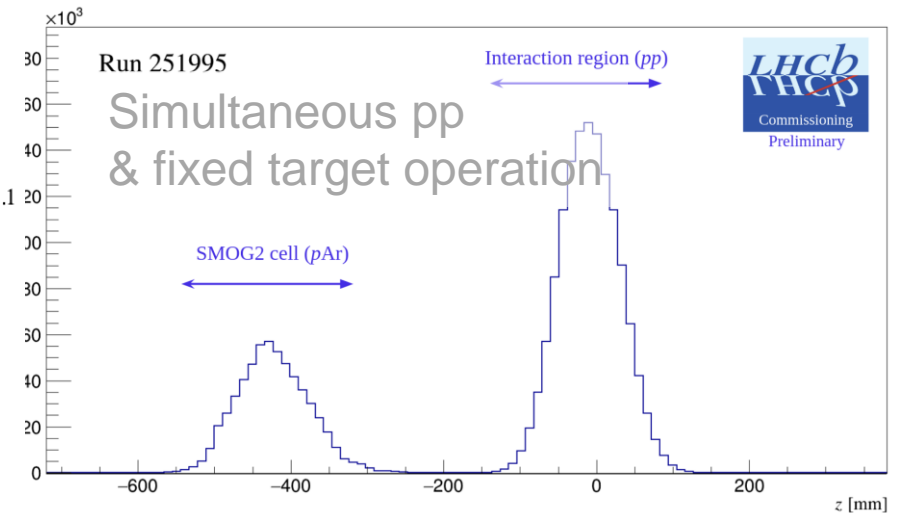
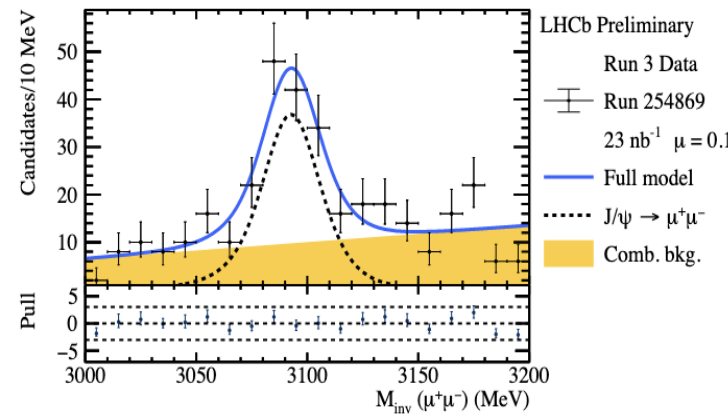
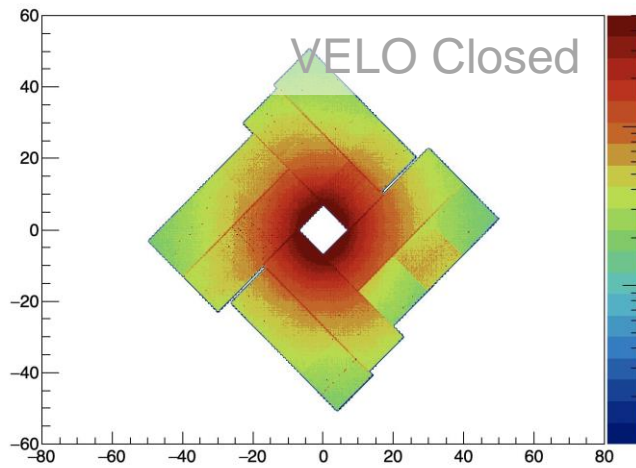
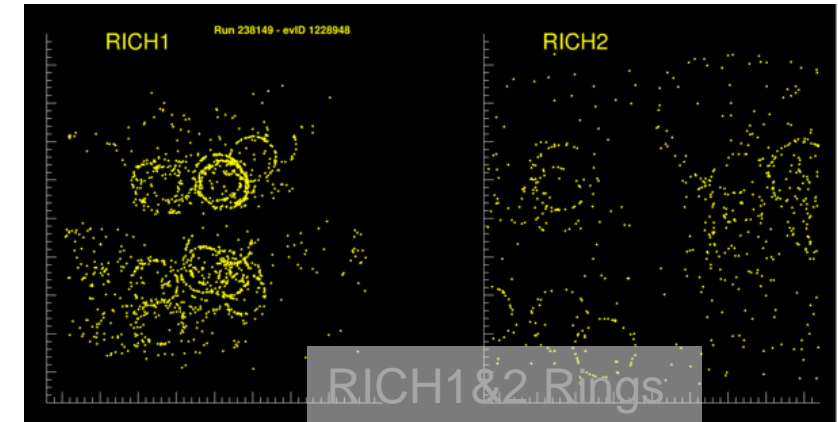
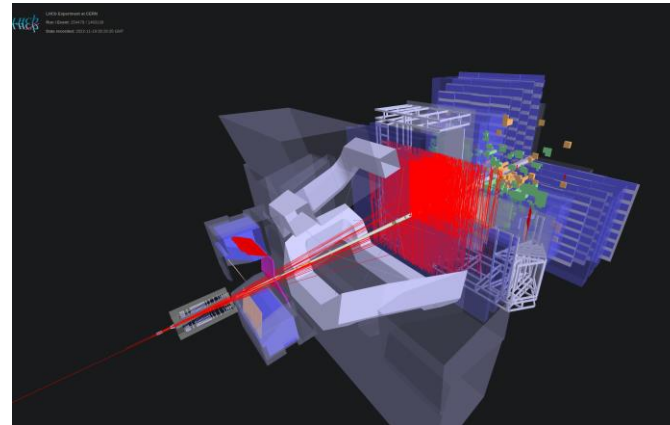
- Reprocessing not possible in case of errors



e.g. VELO alignment performed online in 7mins in Run2



- Selective persistence
 - Only signal decay tracks....
 - those in cone around...
 - those from same PV....
 - All tracks in event....
 - All ECAL clusters....



- Commissioning proceeding well – recent milestones include:
 - Full VELO closing, first alignment, first fixed target operation
 - GPU based trigger operation with track reconstruction

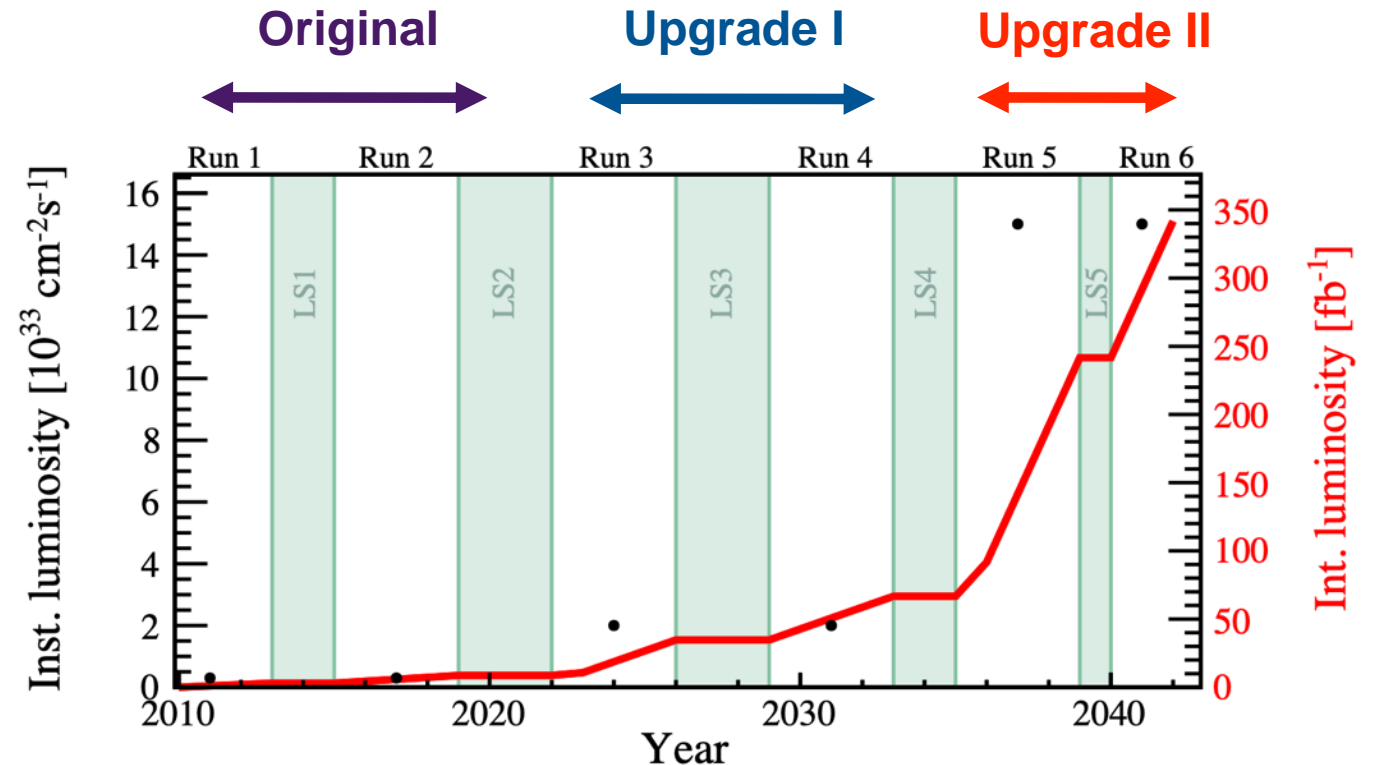
- Physics programme limited by detector, NOT by LHC
- Hence, clear case for an ambitious plan of upgrades



Approved March 2022

Precision timing < 50ps

CMOS tracking



- Still only at the start of our journey

Summary



Original
2009-2018



Upgrade I
2022-2032



Upgrade II
2033-

- LHCb physics

- ~650 papers so far, many more to come from Run 2 analysis
 - CP Violation discoveries
 - Exotic hadron discoveries

- LHCb Upgrade I

- Largest CERN particle physics project since LHC completion
 - Despite pandemic completed on-budget near-schedule



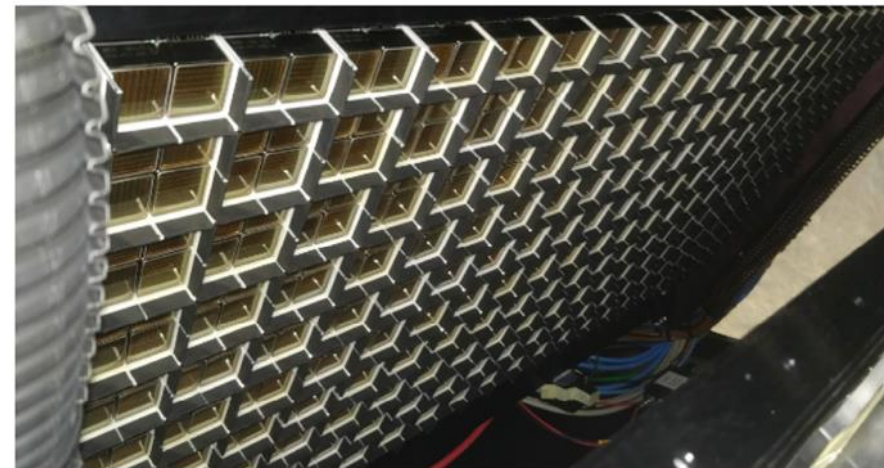
- LHCb Upgrade II

- project taking shape: Framework TDR approved, R&D setting path to future

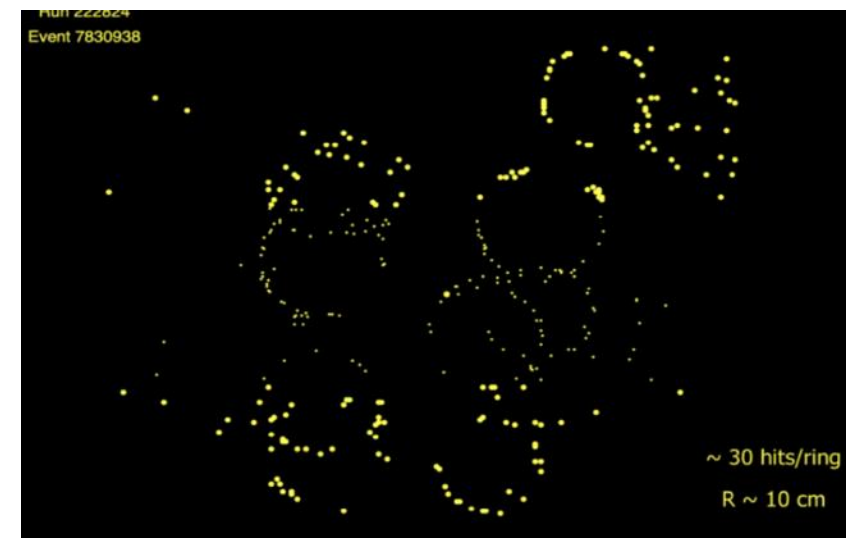
Backup

- Unique particle identification system, key for success of physics programme
- RICH1&2: new photodetector MaPMTs with Increased granularity and 40MHz readout
- RICH1: new design with new optical system with increased focal length, to halve occupancy
- **Installation successfully completed in February '22**
- **Detector commissioned & now in data taking**

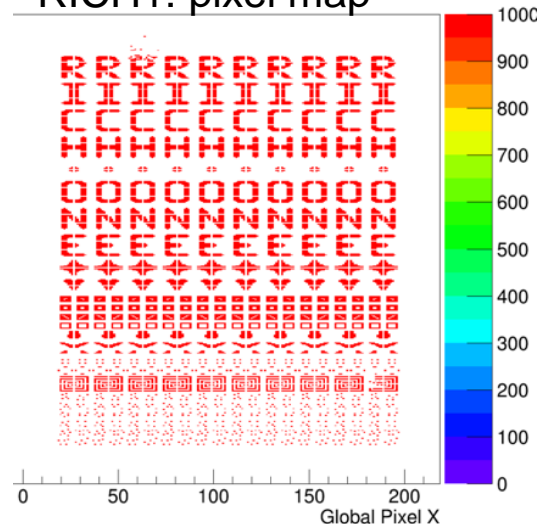
RICH1: MaPMTs installed upper side



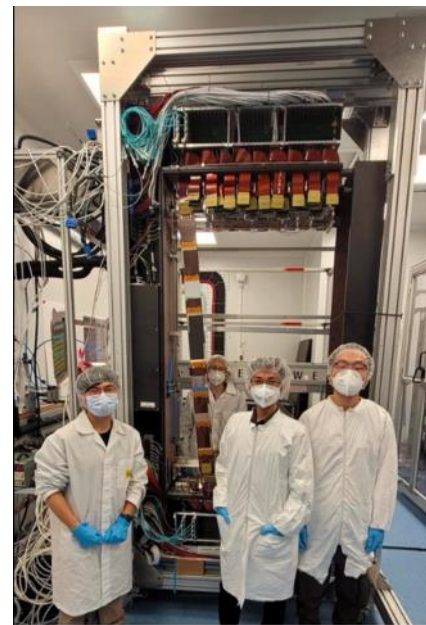
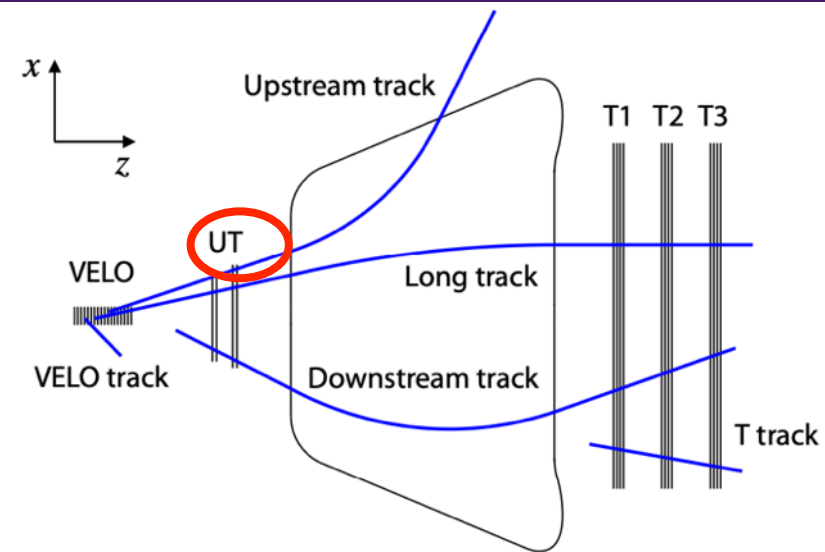
RICH2: first rings, LHC October '21 test



RICH1: pixel map



- 68 staves with silicon strips and integrated cooling, arranged in 4 planes
 - fast p_T determination for track extrapolation
 - reduce ghost track, and improve trigger bandwidth
 - long-lived particles decaying after VELO (K_S, Λ)
- Detector assembly ongoing at surface
 - services in the cavern completed, first stave mounted
- **Detector installation underway**



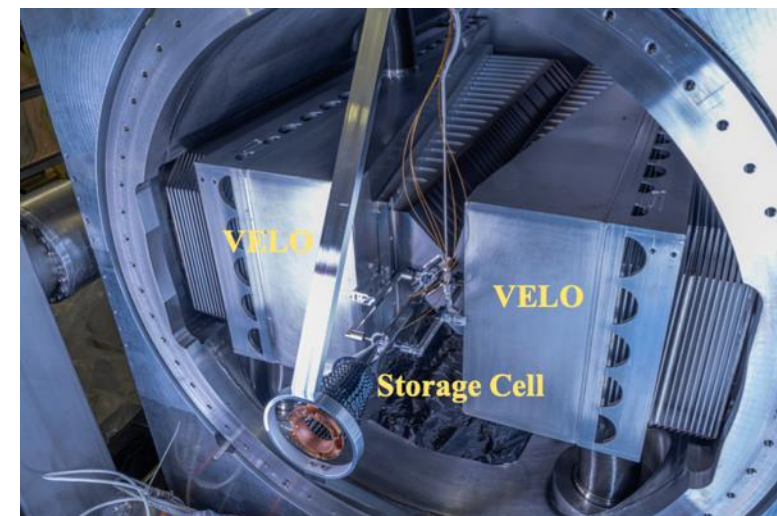
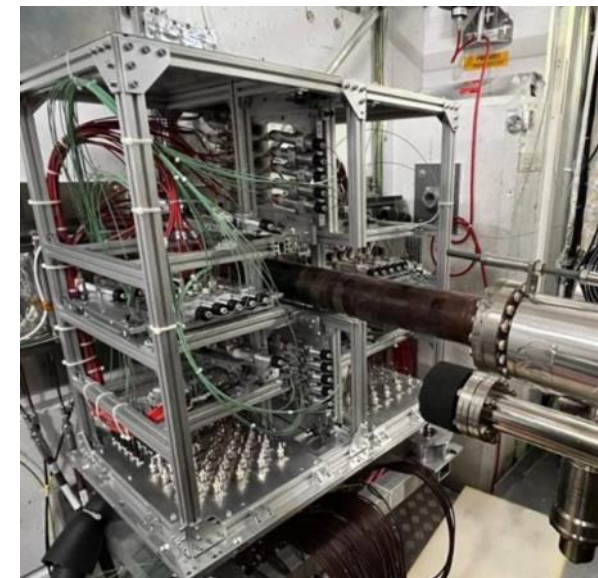
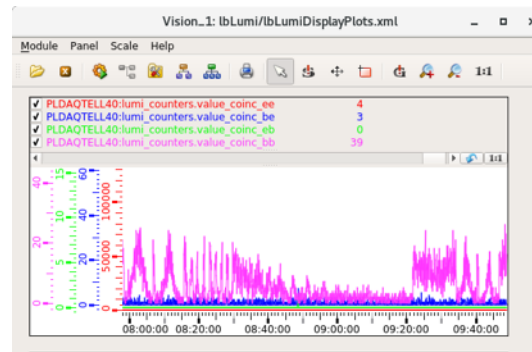
- Systems at the entrance of the VELO are ready to operate

- **PLUME luminometer**

- quartz tablets + PMTs
- online+offline per-bunch luminosity measurement
- **in Global data taking**

- **SMOG2 gas target**

- New storage cell for the gas upstream of the nominal IP
- Gas density increased by up to two orders of magnitude → much higher luminosity
- Gas targets: *He, Ne, Ar* + possibly *H₂, D₂, N₂, Kr, Xe*
- **Installed & tested**
- **Simultaneous p-p and p-gas data taking possible!**

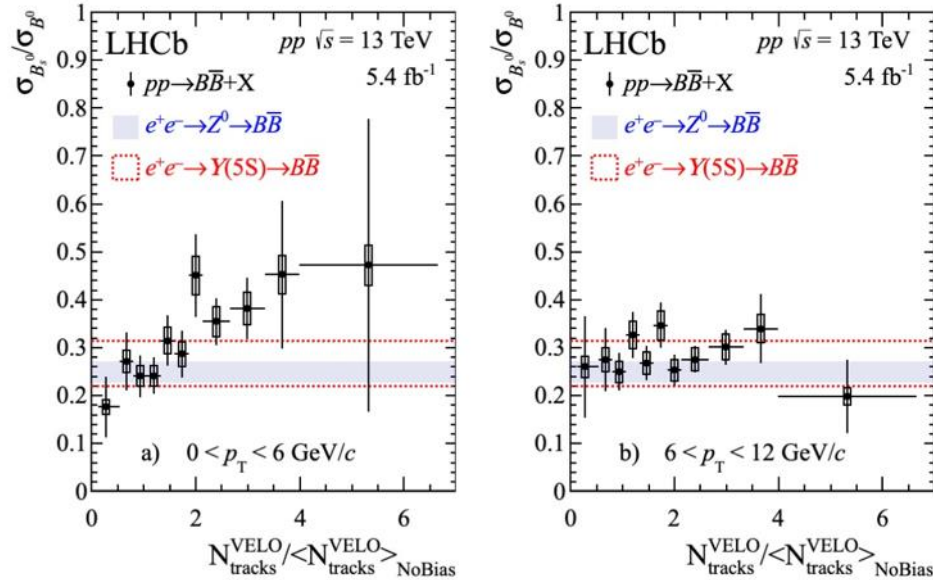




- Many new LHCb results released on QCD with pp, pPb, PbPb and fixed target programme for Quark Matter in Krakow

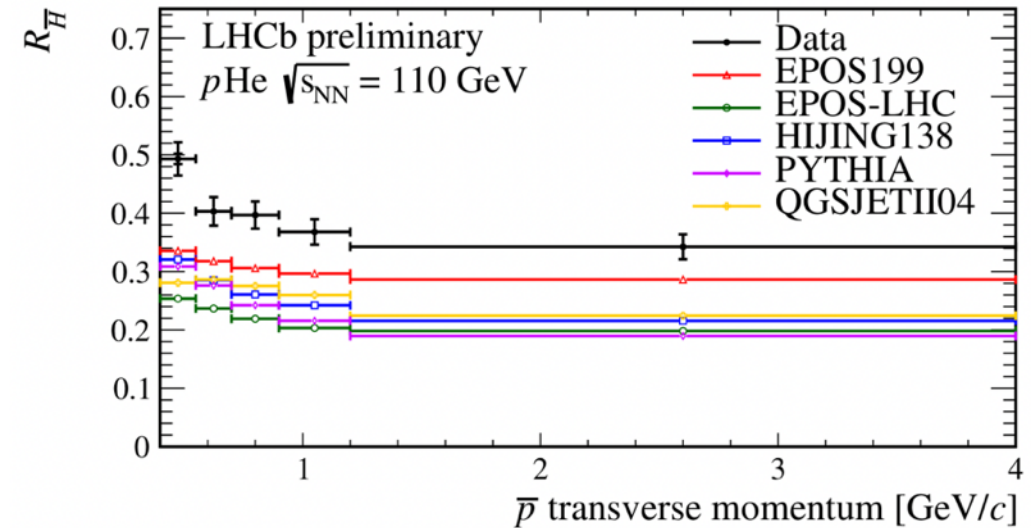
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- B_s^0/B^0 ratio vs multiplicity
 - evidence of a trend at low p_T
- Strangeness enhancement at high multiplicity

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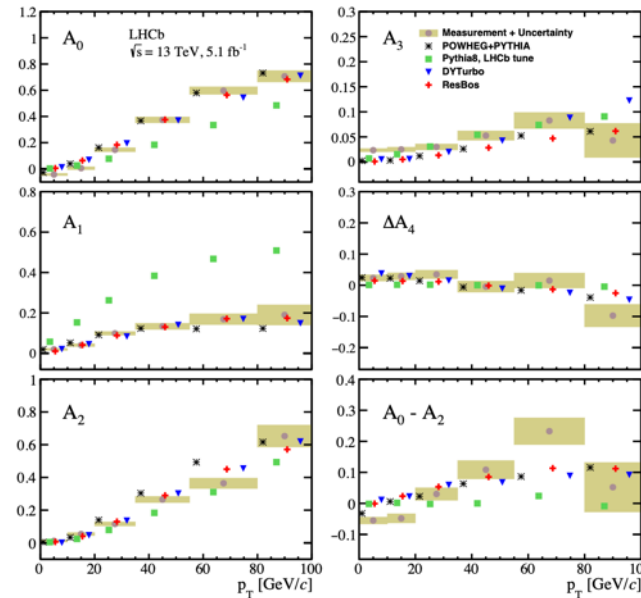
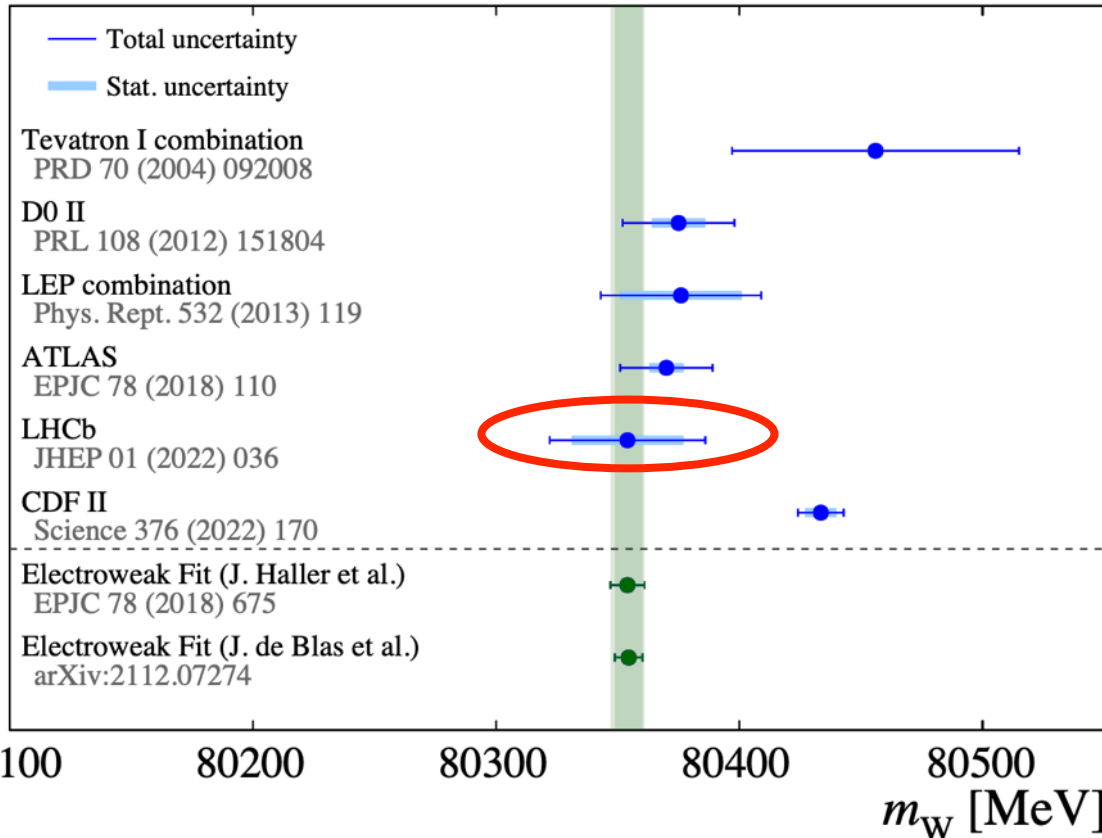


- LHCb gas injection system: p He collisions
- Detached \bar{p} from anti-hyperons decays
- Interpretation AMS/PAMELA data
- Predictions underestimate



- LHCb results in Precision Electroweak
- W mass – hot topic with recent CDF result
- Pathfinder LHCb result with 2016 data only

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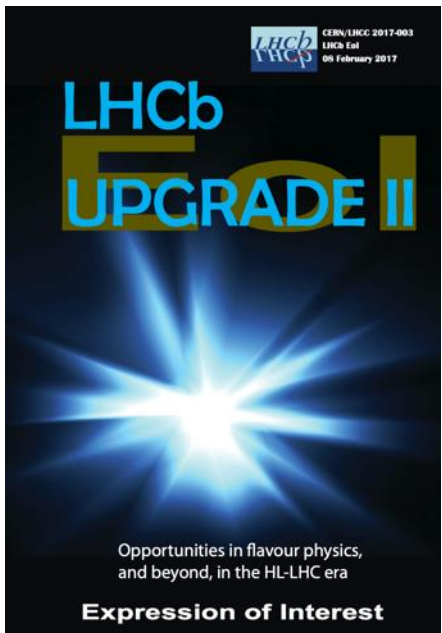
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- First measurement of the $Z \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ angular coefficients and differential cross section in the forward region

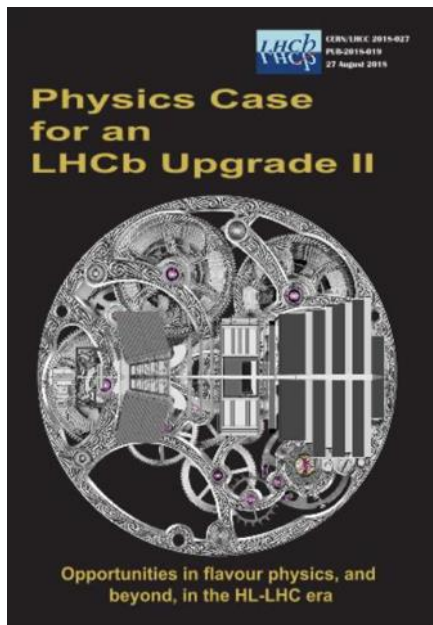
Expression of Interest

Physics case

Accelerator study



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LHCb Upgrades and operation at $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ luminosity –A first study

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"The recommendation to prepare a framework TDR for the LHCb Upgrade-II was endorsed, noting that LHCb is expected to run throughout the HL-LHC era."

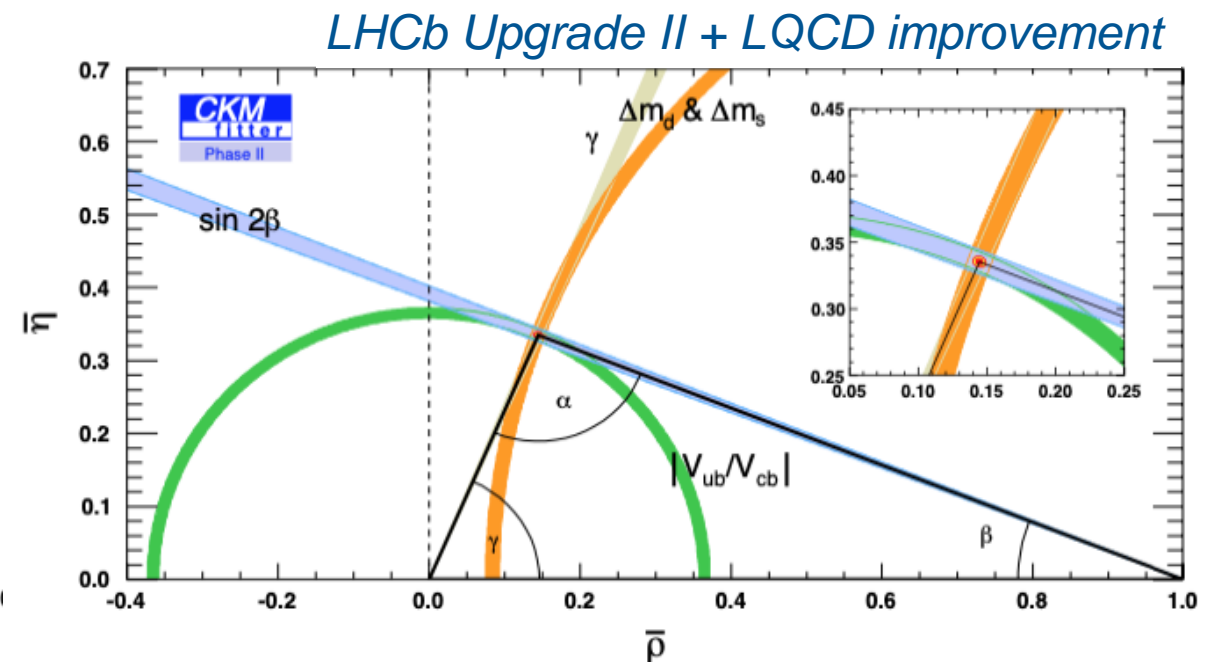
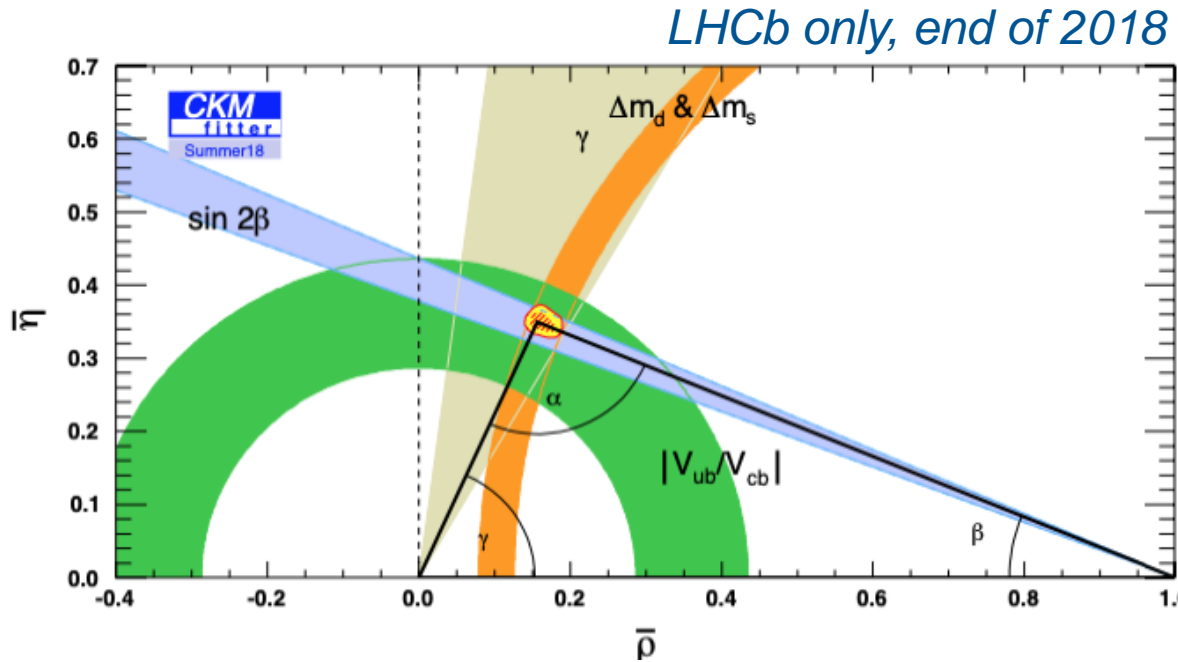
Approved March 2022
R&D programme followed
by sub-system TDRs

European Strategy Update 2020 *"The full potential of the LHC and the HL-LHC, including the study of flavour physics, should be exploited"*

Constraining the Unitarity Triangle

- Current data show no significant deviations from the SM on $\Delta F=2$ observables and many other flavour-changing processes
- Either NP is very heavy or it has a highly non trivial structure

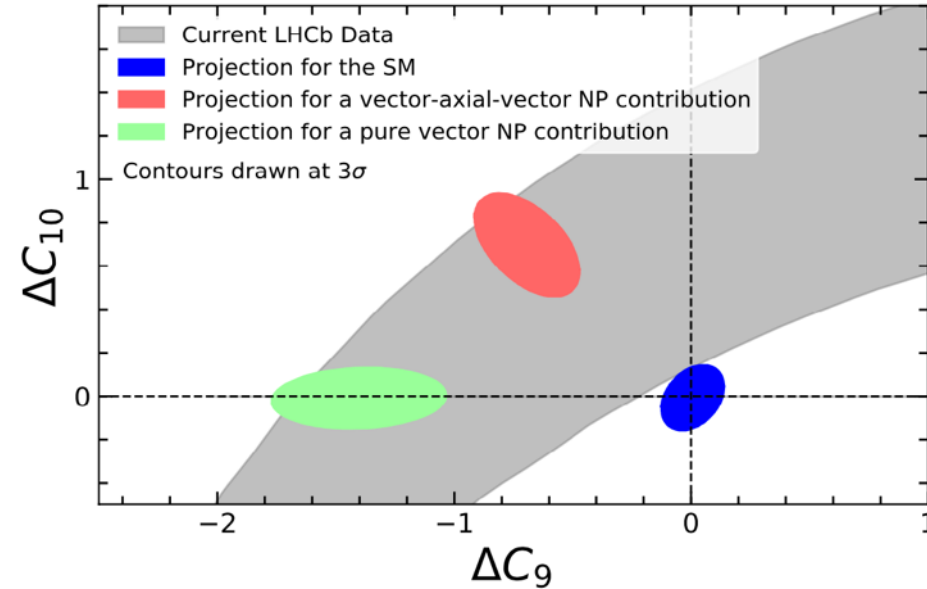
LHCb Upgrade II will test the CKM paradigm with unprecedented accuracy



Arguably the greatest likelihood of a further paradigm shifting discovery at the HL-LHC lies with flavour physics

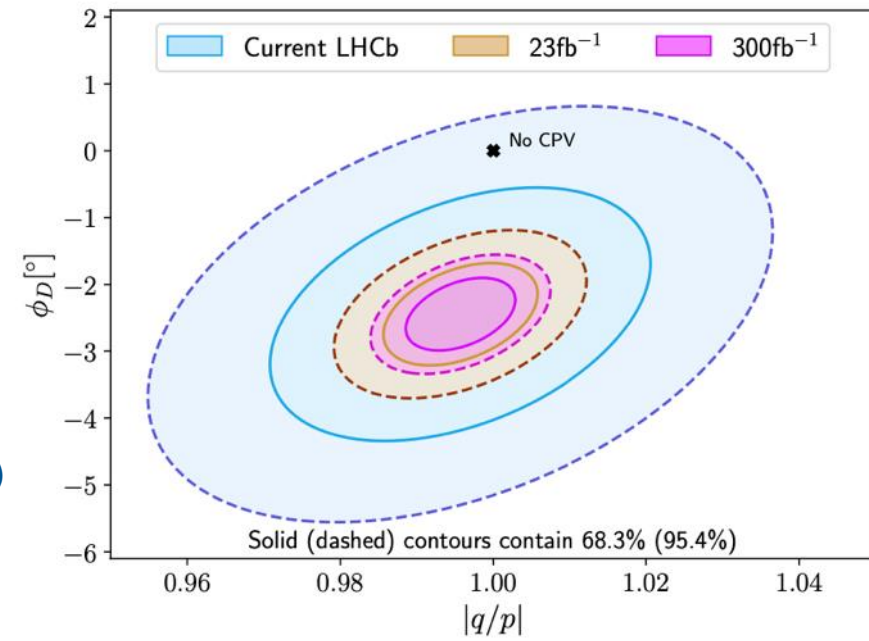
Lepton flavour universality

- Capability to discriminate between different NP scenarios, no limitations from theory



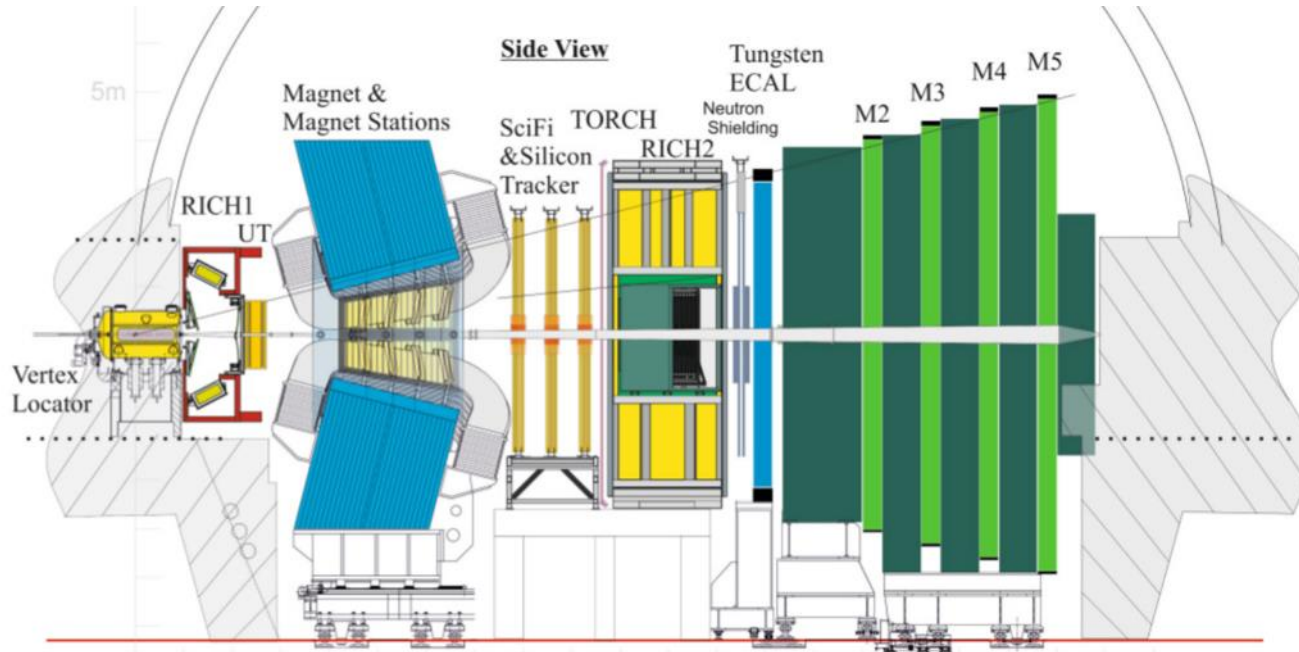
CP violation in charm

- LHCb Upgrade II is the only planned facility with a realistic possibility to observe CPV in charm mixing (at $>5\sigma$ if present central values are assumed)



The detector challenge

Targeting same performance as in Run 3, but with pile-up ~40!



Same spectrometer footprint, innovative technology for detector and data processing

Key ingredients:

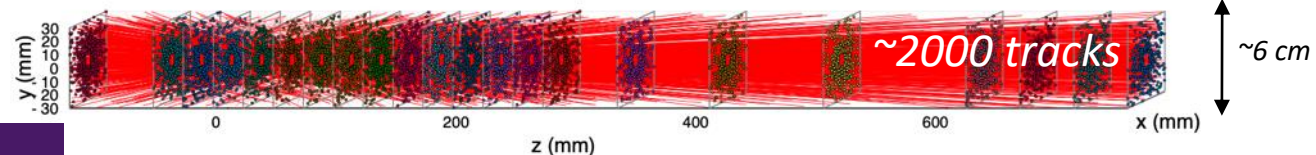
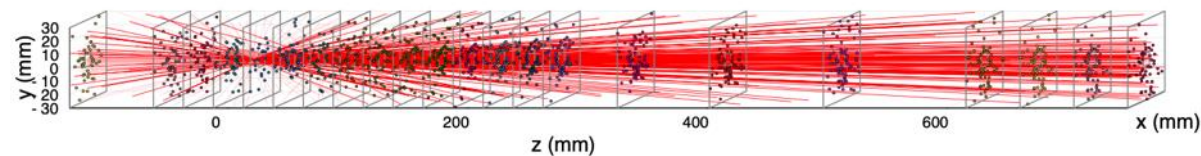
- granularity
- fast timing (few tens of ps)
- radiation hardness

Vertex LOcator (VELO)

Run 3: pile-up ~6

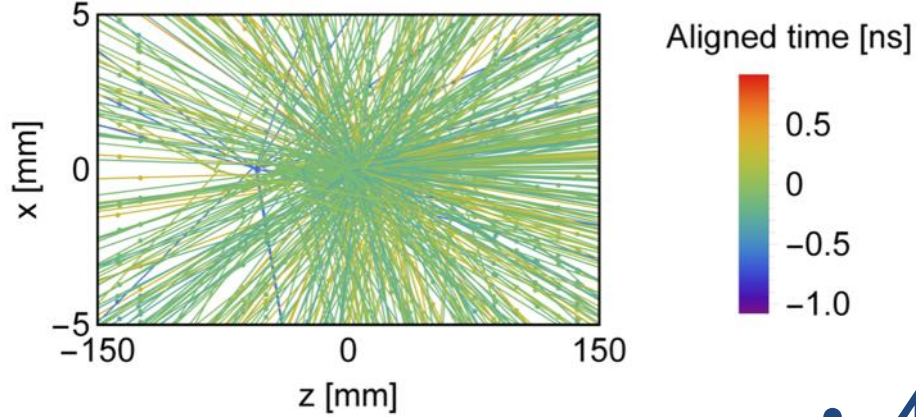


Upgrade II: pile-up ~42

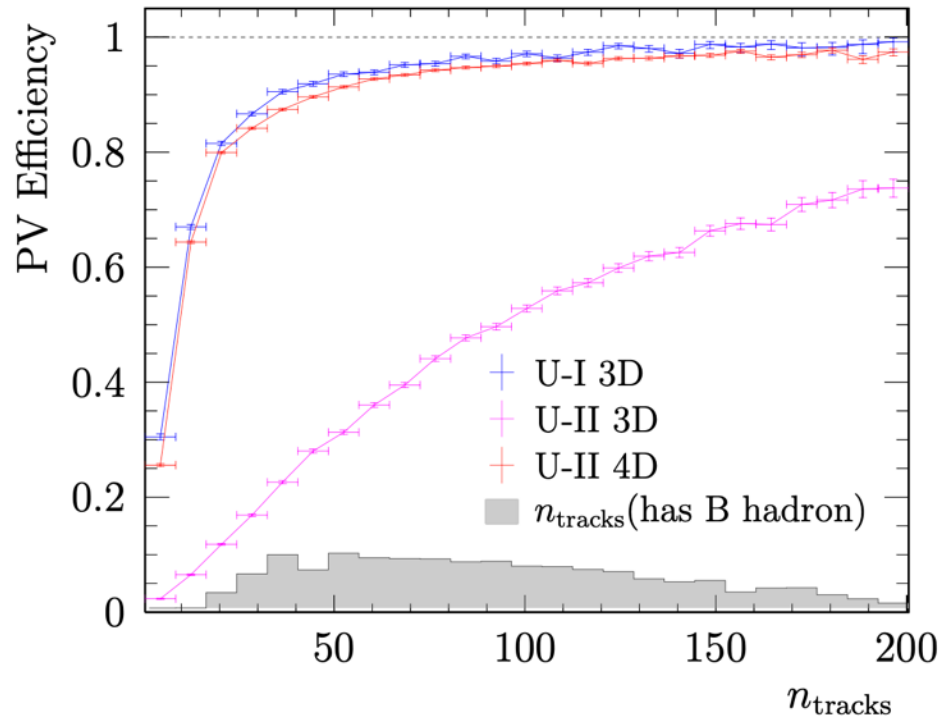
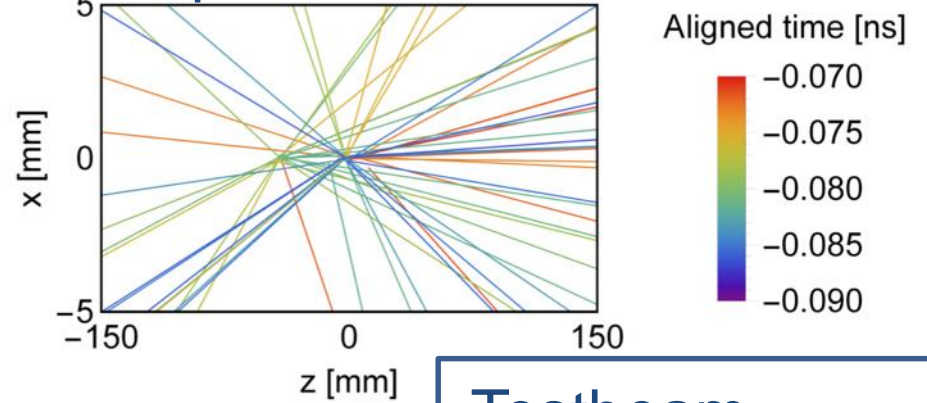


4D Vertexing: Precision Timing

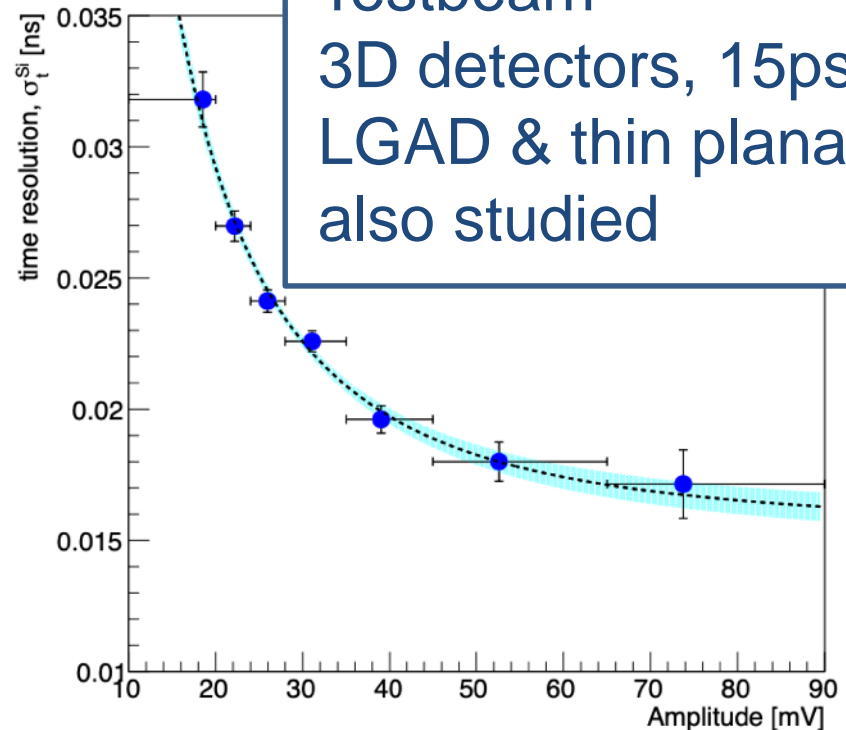
42 interactions



20ps time window



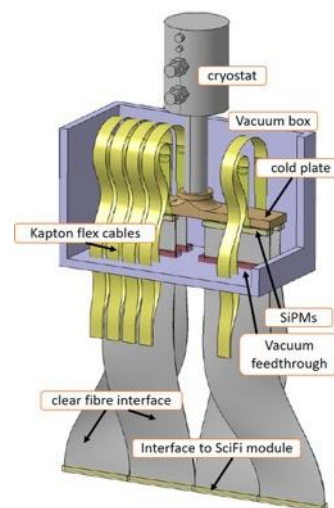
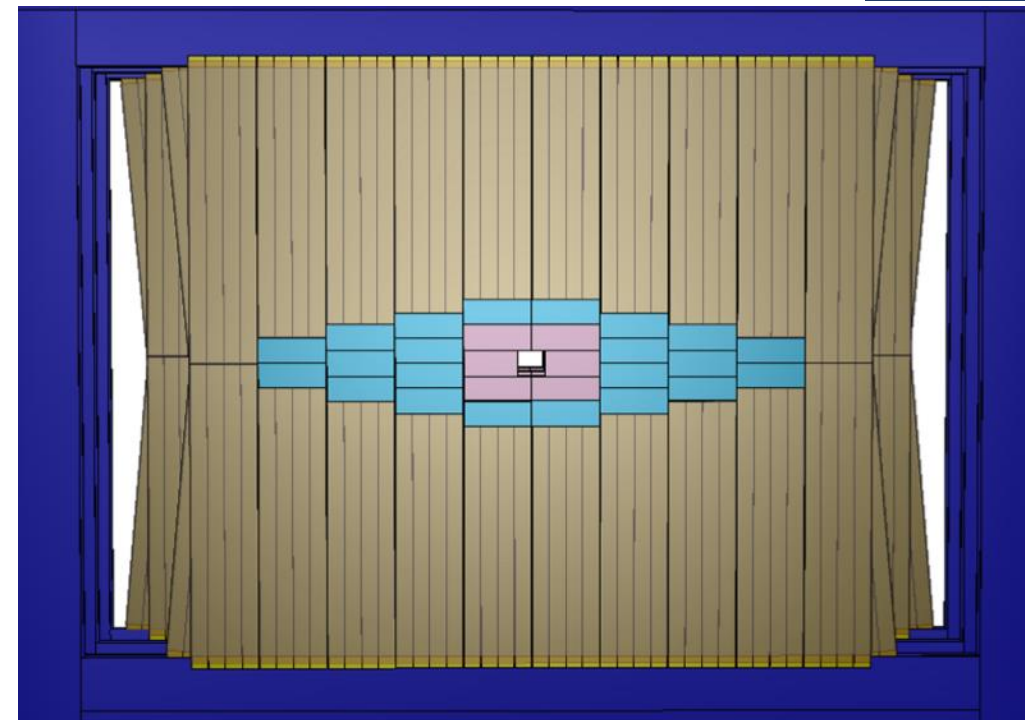
- 4D tracking
- Ensures similar performance to U1 at U2
 - ~ 50ps, 50 μm^2
- Extreme lifetime fluence
 - $6 \times 10^{16} n_{eq}$



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Tracker: Rad Hard DMAPs, first of kind at LHC

- Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors in the inner region ($50 \times 150 \mu m^2$)
 - Radiation requirements in UT
 $3 \times 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$
 - low-cost commercial process, low material budget
- Scintillating fibres in the outer region
 - radiation-hard fibres, cryogenic cooling, micro-lens enhanced SiPMs



HVMAPS at testbeam