

Precision Measurements of Weak Interaction Parameters

CKM and CP Violation at Belle and Belle II

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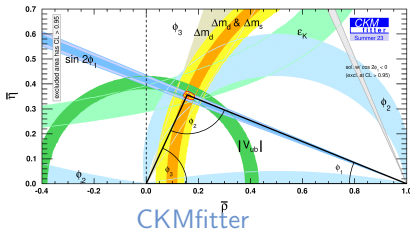


CKM MATRIX & UNITARITY TRIANGLE

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

- Overconstrain UT apex through diverse measurements
- goal: precise measurement of all UT angles and sides
- Test the Standard Model and probe BSM
 - Tree-dominated decays: Provide clean SM constraints
 - Loop-dominated decays: Sensitive to BSM contributions



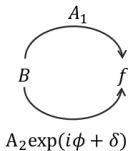
ϕ_1	$(22.5^{+0.5}_{-0.4})^\circ$
ϕ_2	$(86.2^{+3.9}_{-3.5})^\circ$
ϕ_3	$(65.9^{+3.3}_{-3.5})^\circ$
$ V_{cb} $	$(41.6^{+0.2}_{-0.6}) \times 10^{-3}$
$ V_{ub} $	$(3.73^{+0.04}_{-0.05}) \times 10^{-3}$

CHARGE-PARITY VIOLATION (CPV)

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ \lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

DIRECT CPV

- Originates from interference between two amplitudes



INDIRECT CPV

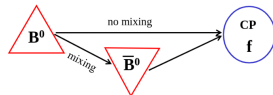
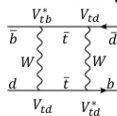
- Measured through interference between mixing and decay
- Time-dependent CPV (TDCPV)

$$A_{CP}^{B \rightarrow f}(\Delta t) \equiv \frac{\Gamma(B^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(\bar{B}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(B^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(\bar{B}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow f)}$$

$$= \mathbf{S} \cdot \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - \mathbf{C} \cdot \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$

$\mathbf{S} = |\sin(2\phi)| = \text{Mixing induced CPV}$
 $\mathbf{C} = \text{Direct CPV}$

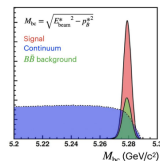
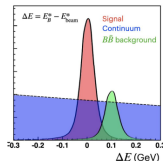
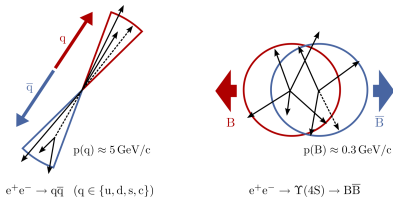
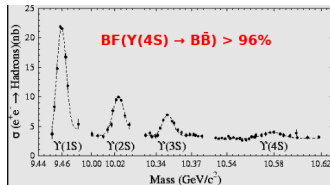
$B^0 - \bar{B}^0$ mixing



Angle	Relation	Measurement Channels	Tree/Loop	CPV Type
$\phi_2(\alpha)$	$\arg\left(-\frac{V_{td}V_{tb}^*}{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}\right)$	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi, B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+\rho^-$	Mixed (Tree/Loop)	TDCPV
$\phi_3(\gamma)$	$\arg\left(-\frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*}\right)$	$B^+ \rightarrow D^0 K^+$ with various D^0 decays	Tree-dominated	Direct

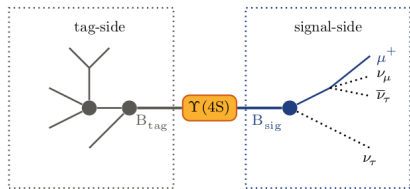
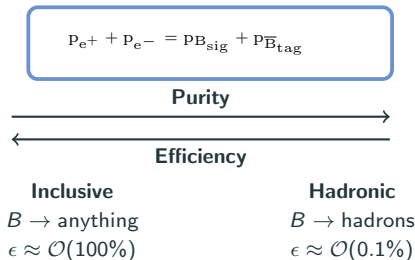
B PHYSICS AT BELLE II

- e^+e^- collision at $\Upsilon(4S)$ [10.58 GeV]
 - Coherent production of $B\bar{B}$ pairs
 - Clean environment
- Dominant background: $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$
- Spherical $B\bar{B}$ events can be discriminated from jet-like $q\bar{q}$
- Continuum suppression using Multivariate Analysis (MVA)
- Kinematic constraints: well-known beam energy
 - ΔE : Reconstructed B and beam energy difference
 - M_{bc} : Beam constrained mass



FULL EVENT INTERPRETATION (FEI)

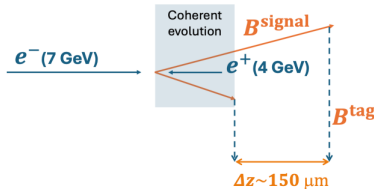
- Essential tool for decays with missing kinematic information
 - eg: Decay involving neutrinos
- FEI algorithm reconstructs second B meson (B_{tag}) in $\sim 10k$ channels
- Infer kinematics of signal B using well known initial state of $\Upsilon(4S)$



Computing and Software for Big Science (2019)

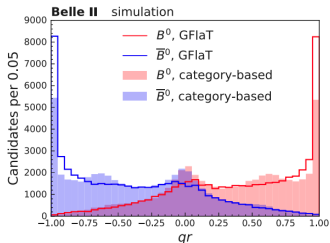
FLAVOR TAGGING

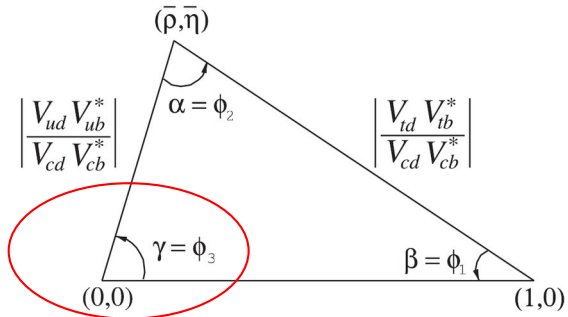
- Distinguish between B^0 and \bar{B}^0
- Signatures of flavor-specific decays grouped into 13 categories
- Quantum correlation allows identification of signal B flavor based on tag B
- $\epsilon = (31.68 \pm 0.45)\%$



Graph-neural-network flavor tagging (GFlaT) [PhysRevD.110.012001](#)

- Updated from category-based algorithm
- Improved performance by accounting for correlations between final-state particles
- $\epsilon = (37.40 \pm 0.43 \pm 0.36)\%$
 - 18% increase in efficiency

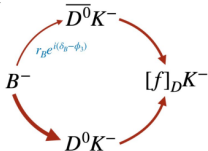




ANGLE $\phi_3(\gamma)$

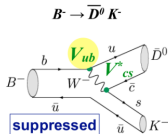
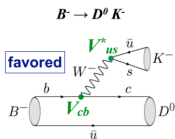
ϕ_3 is the phase between $b \rightarrow u\bar{c}s$ and $b \rightarrow c\bar{u}s$ transitions

Accessible using $B \rightarrow DK$



$$\frac{A^{\text{suppr.}}(B^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^-)}{A^{\text{favor.}}(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-)} = r_B e^{i(\delta_B - \phi_3)}$$

- Common final states give access to phase via interference
- Tree level: No (large) BSM
- SM benchmark



Method	Decay Mode
GLW	$D^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-, K_s^0 \pi^0$ (CP eigenstates)
BPGGSZ	Self-conjugate multi-body decay, e.g., $D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 h^+ h^-$
GLS	$D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0 K^\pm \pi^\mp$ (singly Cabibbo-suppressed decays)
ADS	$D^0 \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp$

ϕ_3 : Belle + Belle II combination

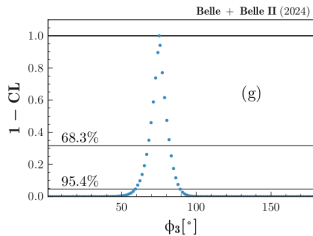
B decay	D decay	Method	Data set (Belle + Belle II)[fb ⁻¹]
$B^+ \rightarrow Dh^+$	$D \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^0, K^- K^+$	GLW	711 + 189 BelleII
$B^+ \rightarrow Dh^+$	$D \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-, K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	ADS	711 + 0
$B^+ \rightarrow Dh^+$	$D \rightarrow K_s^0 K^- \pi^+$	GLS	711 + 362 BelleII
$B^+ \rightarrow Dh^+$	$D \rightarrow K_s^0 h^- h^+$	BPGGSZ (m.i.)	711 + 128 BelleII
$B^+ \rightarrow Dh^+$	$D \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^0$	BPGGSZ (m.i.)	711 + 0
$B^+ \rightarrow D^* K^+$	$D^* \rightarrow D\pi^0, D \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^0, K_s^0 \phi,$ $K_s^0 \omega, K^- K^+, \pi^- \pi^+$	GLW	210 + 0
$B^+ \rightarrow D^* K^+$	$D^* \rightarrow D\pi^0, D\gamma, D \rightarrow K_s^0 \pi^- \pi^+$	BPGGSZ (m.d.)	605 + 0

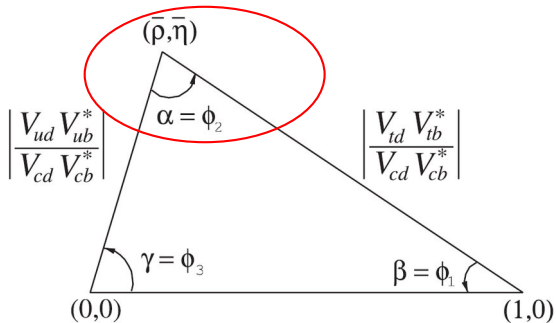
- **First combination of all Belle and Belle II ϕ_3 measurements**
- 59 input observables and 18 free parameters
- Belle + Belle II is improving the precision!

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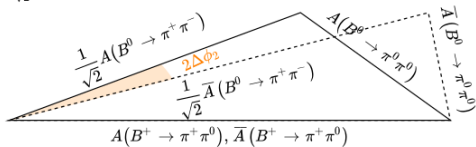
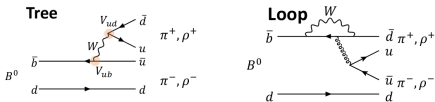
Experiment	ϕ_3 (°)
Belle + Belle II	(75.2 ± 7.6)
LHCb LHCb-CONF	(64.6 ± 2.8)

Dominated by LHCb





EXTRACTION OF ϕ_2 : ISOSPIN ANALYSIS



- TDCPV measurement
- $b \rightarrow u\bar{u}d$: sensitive to ϕ_2
- $b \rightarrow d$ loop contributions add an extra phase $\Delta\phi_2$
- Interference of tree and loop:
 $S = \sin(2\phi_2 + 2\Delta\phi_2), C \neq 0$

Key Observables:

$\pi^+\pi^-, \rho^+\rho^-$	BF, S , C
$\pi^+\pi^0, \rho^+\rho^0$	BF, A_{CP}
$\pi^0\pi^0, \rho^0\rho^0$	BF, A_{CP} or C
	S (only for $\rho^0\rho^0$)

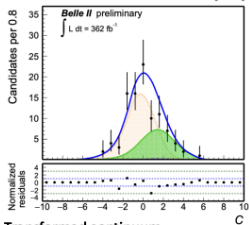
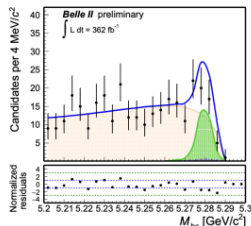
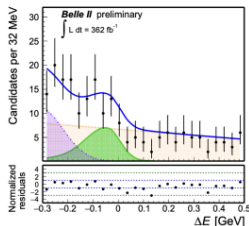
- Isospin symmetry allows for separating tree and penguin contributions
- Determining ϕ_2 from $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$ requires BFs and A_{CP} of $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$, $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0$
- $\pi^0\pi^0, \rho^+\rho^0, \rho^+\rho^-$ requires π^0 reconstruction:
 - Belle II has an advantage.
- $\rho\rho$ with smaller loop contribution dominates ϕ_2 precision

$$\phi_2 : B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$$

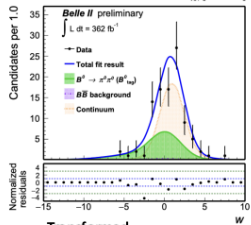
- Experimentally challenging: 4 photons and no tracks
- Updated measurements of BF and A_{CP} with full Run-1 statistics:
 - GFlat for flavor tagging
 - MVA dedicated for photon selections
- Fit to four variables

	$BF \times 10^{-6}$	A_{CP}
BelleII	$1.26 \pm 0.20 \pm 0.12$	$-0.06 \pm 0.30 \pm 0.05$
WA	1.59 ± 0.26	0.30 ± 0.20

- World best BF
- A_{CP} comparable with WA
- Paper in preparation



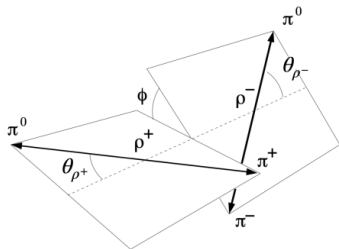
Transformed continuum suppression output



Transformed wrong flavor tag probability

$$\phi_2 : B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$$

- Small contribution from loops: gives most stringent constraints on ϕ_2
- Reconstruction: $\rho \rightarrow \pi^+ (\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$
- MVA to identify real photons in π^0
- $q\bar{q}$ suppressed by TabNet ([arxiv:1908.07442](https://arxiv.org/abs/1908.07442))
- *Pseudoscalar* \rightarrow *Vector Vector* decay:
 - Longitudinal and two transverse polarization states
 - The fraction of longitudinal polarization f_L determines the sensitivity of the CPV parameters
 - f_L is extracted from the helicity angle θ_ρ

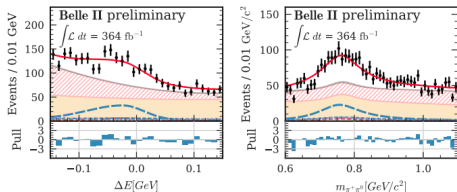


$$f_L = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\text{Long.})}{\mathcal{B}(\text{Long.}) + \mathcal{B}(\text{Trans.})}$$

$$\phi_2 : B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$$

- Improved precision by GFlat flavor-tagger and better selection criteria
- Fit to 6 observables to extract \mathcal{B} and f_L

— Long, signal - - - Self-crossfeed $q\bar{q}$ $\tau\tau$ † Data
- - - Trans. signal ⋯ Peaking backgrounds $B\bar{B}$ — Total

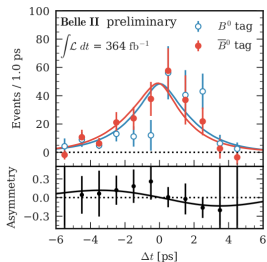


$$\mathcal{B} = \left(29.0^{+2.3}_{-2.2} \pm 3.1 \right) \times 10^{-6}$$

$$f_L = 0.921^{+0.024+0.017}_{-0.022-0.015}$$

$$S = (-0.26 \pm 0.19 \pm 0.08)$$

$$C = -0.02 \pm 0.12^{+0.06}_{-0.05}$$



$$\phi_2(B \rightarrow \rho\rho)$$

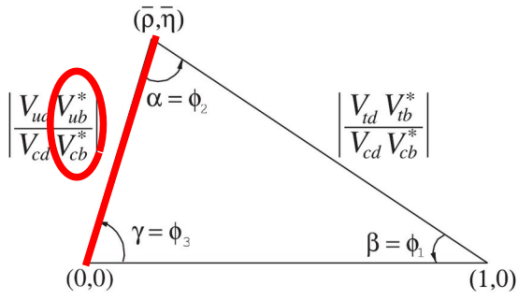
WA

$$\left(91.5^{+4.5}_{-5.4} \right)^\circ$$

WA + New Results

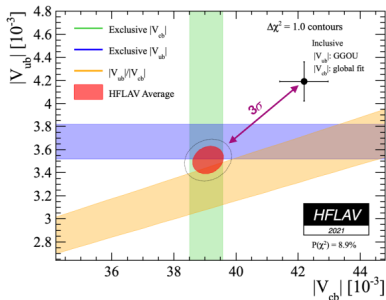
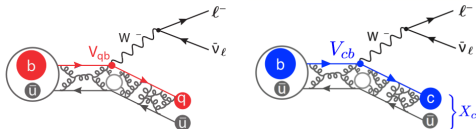
$$\left(92.6^{+4.5}_{-4.8} \right)^\circ$$

- 6% improvement by Belle II results!
- Consistent with previous measurements
- Paper in preparation



DETERMINATION OF $|V_{ub}|$ & $|V_{cb}|$

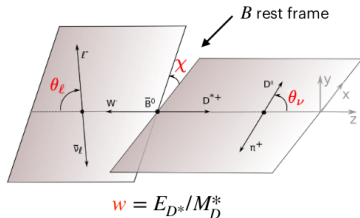
- $|V_{ub}|$ and $|V_{cb}|$ are important to constrain CKM unitarity
- Precisely measured via semileptonic B decays.
- Significant tension between inclusive & exclusive determinations



Exclusive $ V_{xb} $	Inclusive $ V_{xb} $
Exclusive $ V_{ub} $: $\bar{B} \rightarrow \pi \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$	Inclusive $ V_{ub} $: $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_u \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$
Exclusive $ V_{cb} $: $\bar{B} \rightarrow D \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell, \bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$	Inclusive $ V_{cb} $: $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_c \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$
$\mathcal{B} \propto V_{qb} ^2 f^2$ $f \rightarrow$ Form Factors	$\mathcal{B} = V_{qb} ^2 \left[\Gamma(b \rightarrow q \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell) + \frac{1}{m_{c,b}} + \alpha_s + \dots \right]$ Heavy Quark Expansion

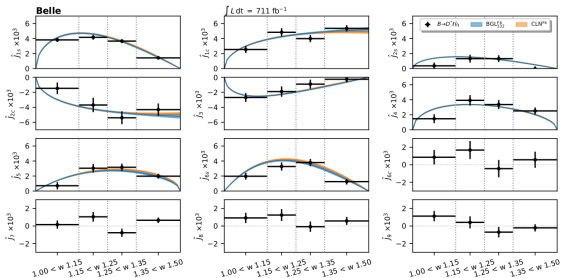
$|V_{cb}|$ from $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$

- $|V_{cb}|$ from angular analysis of $B \rightarrow D^* \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$
- Full Belle dataset (711 fb^{-1}) with hadronic B tagging
- Reconstruct both charged and neutral B
 - $\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell, D^{*+} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^+ / D^+ \pi^0$
 - $B^- \rightarrow D^{*0} \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell, D^{*0} \rightarrow D^0 \pi^0$



- Four-dimensional differential decay rate for $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$ can be expressed in terms of 12 functions
- Angular coefficients obtained from data in bins of the hadronic recoil parameter $w = \frac{m_B^2 + m_{D^*}^2 - q^2}{2m_B m_{D^*}}$
- Measure 12 angular coefficients J_i in four bins of w
- Determine signal yields by fitting the mass of undetected neutrinos in the event: $M_{\text{miss}}^2 = \left(\mathbf{p}_{e^+} + \mathbf{p}_{e^-} - \mathbf{p}_{B_{\text{tag}}} - \mathbf{p}_{D^*} - \mathbf{p}_\ell \right)^2$

$|V_{cb}|$ from $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* l \bar{\nu}_l$



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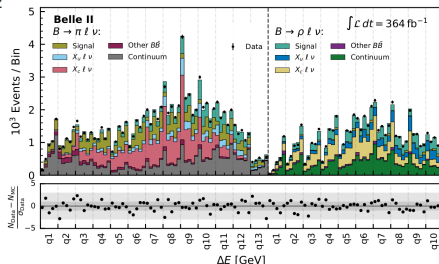
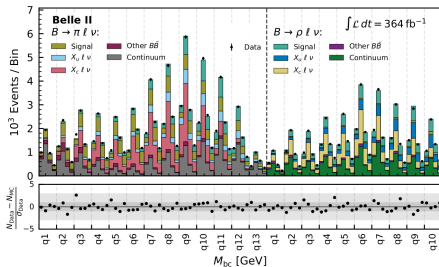
$$|V_{cb}|_{\text{BGL}} = (41.0 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{cb}|_{\text{CLN}} = (40.9 \pm 0.3 \pm 0.4 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-3}$$

- Agrees with the latest and most precise determinations of inclusive $|V_{cb}|$
- Results in agreement with fits to 1D partial rates on the same data set [PhysRevD.108.012002](#) as well as on Belle II data [arXiv:2310.01170v2](#)

$|V_{ub}|$ from $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell$ & $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu_\ell$

- The rates of $b \rightarrow u$ decays is proportional to $|V_{ub}|^2$
- Full Belle II Run1 dataset of 364 fb⁻¹, untagged
- Extract signal yields from fit to binned MC templates
 - 2 kinematic variables in bins of q^2 simultaneously for $\pi \ell \nu$ and $\rho \ell \nu$
 - $q^2 = (P_B - P_{\pi/\rho})^2$
- Background suppressed using BDTs
- Total branching ratio is the sum of all the partial ΔB_i in each q^2 bin



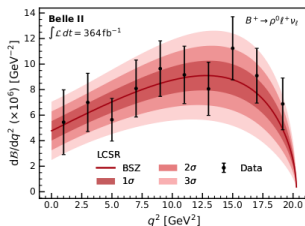
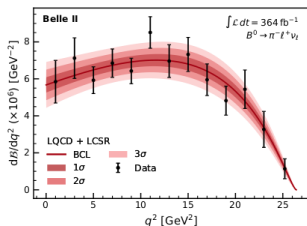
$|V_{ub}|$ from $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell$ & $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu_\ell$

arxiv:2407.17403 [PRD]

$$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = (1.516 \pm 0.042(\text{stat}) \pm 0.059(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$$

$$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu_\ell) = (1.625 \pm 0.079(\text{stat}) \pm 0.180(\text{syst})) \times 10^{-4}$$

Consistent with PDG



$$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- \ell^+ \nu_\ell : |V_{ub}| = (3.73 \pm 0.07(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst}) \pm 0.16(\text{theo})) \times 10^{-3} \text{ LQCD+LCSR constraints}$$

$$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \ell^+ \nu_\ell : |V_{ub}| = (3.19 \pm 0.12(\text{stat}) \pm 0.17(\text{syst}) \pm 0.26(\text{theo})) \times 10^{-3} \text{ LCSR constraints}$$

- Consistent with WA
- Comparable precision with Belle/Babar

SUMMARY

- Belle II has already recorded a total of 531 fb^{-1} of data
- Precise measurements of CKM angles and sides are crucial for increasing the constraining power of the Unitarity Triangle fit.
- The new GNN-based flavor tagger has achieved an 18% improvement in effective tagging efficiency
- ϕ_2 : $B \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$, $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$
 - New results with improved precision, the first ϕ_2 extraction with improved precision
- ϕ_3 : First combined Belle and Belle II analysis, achieving improved sensitivity
- Belle and Belle II continue to produce updated and improved measurements of $|V_{cb}|$ and $|V_{ub}|$

Thank You!

BACKUP

$\phi_3 : B^\pm \rightarrow D_{CP} K^\pm$ in Belle + Belle II Data

Observables: Direct CPV in β Ratio

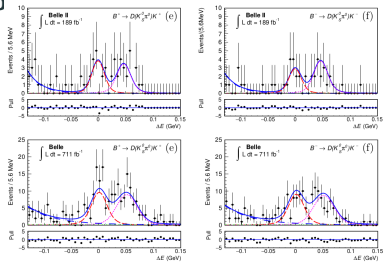
- $\mathcal{A}_{CP\pm} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^-) - \mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^+)}{\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^-) + \mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^+)}$
- $\mathcal{R}_{CP\pm} \equiv \frac{\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^-) + \mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow D_{CP\pm} K^+)}{(\mathcal{B}(B^- \rightarrow D_{\text{flav}} K^-) + \mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \bar{D}_{\text{flav}} K^+))/2}$
- D_{CP+} : CP-even decay ($D \rightarrow K^+ K^-$)
- D_{CP-} : CP-odd decay ($D \rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^0$)
- D_{flav} : Flavor-specific decay ($D \rightarrow K^\pm \pi^\mp$)

$$\mathcal{R}_{CP\pm} = 1 + r_B^2 \pm 2r_B \cos \delta_B \cos \phi_3$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP\pm} = \pm 2r_B \sin \delta_B \sin \phi_3 / \mathcal{R}_{CP\pm}$$

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GLW method



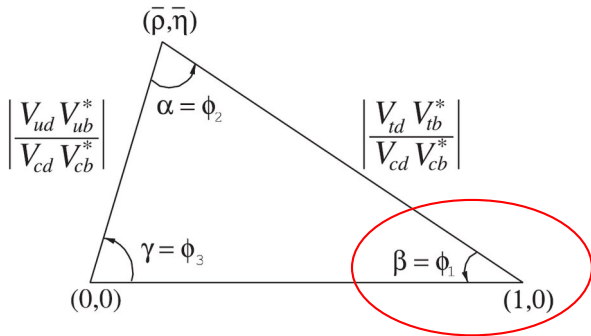
$$\mathcal{R}_{CP+} = 1.164 \pm 0.081 \pm 0.036,$$

$$\mathcal{R}_{CP-} = 1.151 \pm 0.074 \pm 0.019,$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP+} = (+12.5 \pm 5.8 \pm 1.4)\%,$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{CP-} = (-16.7 \pm 5.7 \pm 0.6)\%,$$

3σ evidence for $\mathcal{A}_{CP-} \neq \mathcal{A}_{CP+}$



ANGLE $\phi_1(\beta)$

Time-dependent CPV

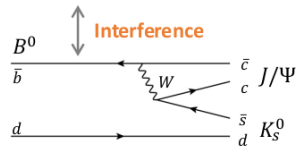
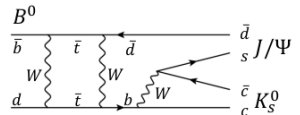
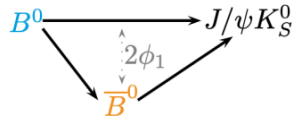
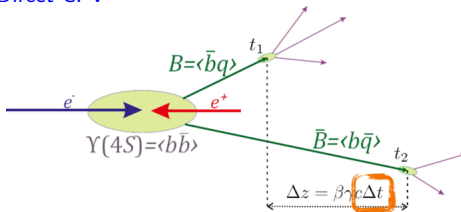
- Oscillation-induced CPV as a function of Δt
- Boosted CMS to measure Δt from decay length

$$\mathbf{A}_{\text{CP}}^{\text{B} \rightarrow \text{f}}(\Delta t) \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\text{B}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow \text{f}) - \Gamma(\bar{\text{B}}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow \text{f})}{\Gamma(\text{B}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow \text{f}) + \Gamma(\bar{\text{B}}^0(\Delta t) \rightarrow \text{f})}$$

$$= \mathbf{S} \cdot \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - \mathbf{C} \cdot \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$

$\mathbf{S} = |\sin(2\phi_1)| = \text{Mixing induced CPV}$

$\mathbf{C} = \text{Direct CPV}$



$$\phi_1 : B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$$

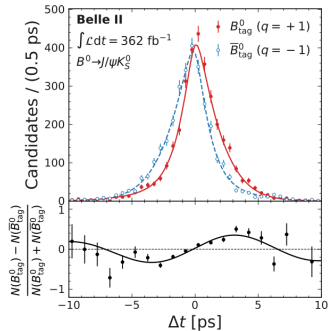
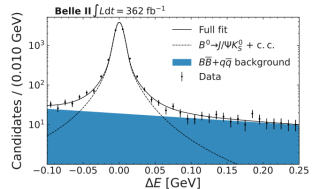
- $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$ transition
- Uses the GFlat flavor-tagging algorithm
- Yield extraction fit to ΔE
- Fit background-free Δt for parameters of interest
- Improved statistical uncertainty 8% (S) and 7% (C) compared to category-based FBBDT flavor tagger

$$S = 0.724 \pm 0.035 \pm 0.009$$

$$\rightarrow \phi_1 = (23.2 \pm 1.5 \pm 0.6)^\circ$$

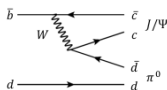
$$C = -0.035 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.029$$

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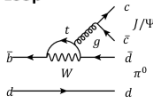


$$\phi_1 : B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \pi^0$$

Tree



Loop



- CKM & color-suppressed tree-level $b \rightarrow c\bar{c}d$
- Constrain the loop contributions in $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K^0$ ($b \rightarrow c\bar{c}s$) to determine ϕ_1
- Fit ΔE & $m(\ell\ell)$ for background subtraction and extract yields
- Fit Δt to extract CPV parameters
- 1st 5 σ observation TDCPV in this mode

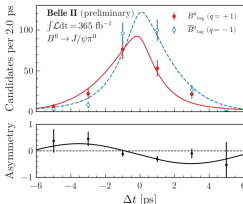
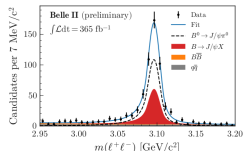
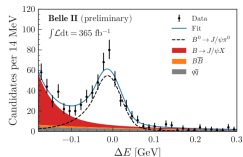
$$\text{BF} = (2.00 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.10) \times 10^{-5}$$

$$\text{S}_{\text{CP}} = -0.88 \pm 0.17 \pm 0.03$$

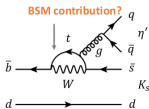
$$\text{C}_{\text{CP}} = 0.13 \pm 0.12 \pm 0.03$$

- Most precise and comparable with previous measurements

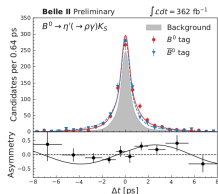
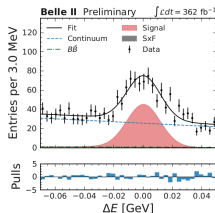
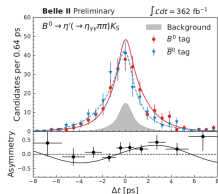
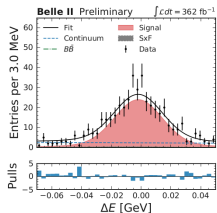
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$$\phi_1 : B^0 \rightarrow \eta' K_S$$



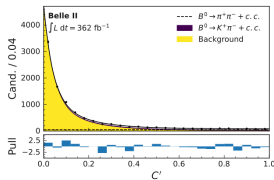
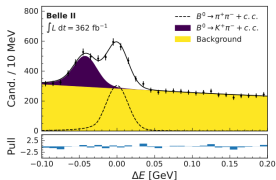
- Dominated by the Loop process: BSM could shift S & C
- Relatively large BF and limited contribution from tree amplitudes compared to other $b \rightarrow sq\bar{q}$
- $\eta' \rightarrow \eta(\gamma\gamma)\pi\pi$ & $\eta' \rightarrow \rho(\pi\pi)\gamma$
- SM prediction:
 - $|\sin(2\phi_1) - S_{\eta' K_S}| = 0.01 \pm 0.01$
 - $C_{\eta' K_S} = 0$
- Fits to ΔE , M_{bc} , C_{BDT} & Δt
- Agreement with WA and compatible with Belle/Babar precision



	Measured	WA
$S_{\eta' K^0}$	$0.67 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.04$	0.64 ± 0.05
$C_{\eta' K^0}$	$-0.19 \pm 0.08 \pm 0.03$	-0.08 ± 0.04

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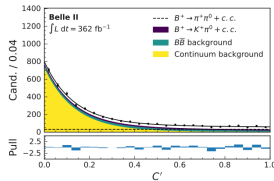
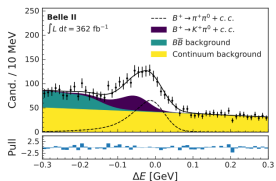
$\phi_2 : B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$ and $B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$



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- Good agreement with previous measurements
- Sensitivity is comparable with Belle using only half of Belle's data!

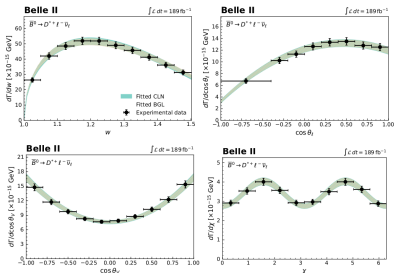
$$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-: \text{BR} = (5.83 \pm 0.22 \pm 0.17)10^{-6}$$



$$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0: \text{BR} = (5.10 \pm 0.29 \pm 0.27)10^{-6}$$

$$A_{CP} = -0.081 \pm 0.054 \pm 0.008$$

$|V_{cb}|$ from $\bar{B} \rightarrow D^* \ell \bar{\nu}_\ell$



- Using 189 fb^{-1} of Belle II data
- Partial decay rates are reported as a function of the recoil parameter and three decay angles

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} e^- \bar{\nu}_e) = (4.917 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.216)\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} \mu^- \bar{\nu}_\mu) = (4.926 \pm 0.032 \pm 0.231)\%$$

$$\mathcal{B}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow D^{*+} \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell) = (4.922 \pm 0.023 \pm 0.220)\%$$

$$|V_{cb}|_{\text{BGL}} = (40.57 \pm 0.31 \pm 0.95 \pm 0.58) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{cb}|_{\text{CLN}} = (40.13 \pm 0.27 \pm 0.93 \pm 0.58) \times 10^{-3}$$

- Signal extraction with fit to $\cos \theta_{B\gamma}$ and ΔM in bins of w , $\cos \theta_\ell$, $\cos \theta_\nu$ and χ
- Good agreement with the world average of the exclusive and inclusive determinations
- Agrees with the recent Belle measurement [PhysRevD.108.012002](https://arxiv.org/abs/1808.07502)