



CP violation in the $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ decay at LHCb

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Outline



LHCb detector

Phenomenology and New Physics

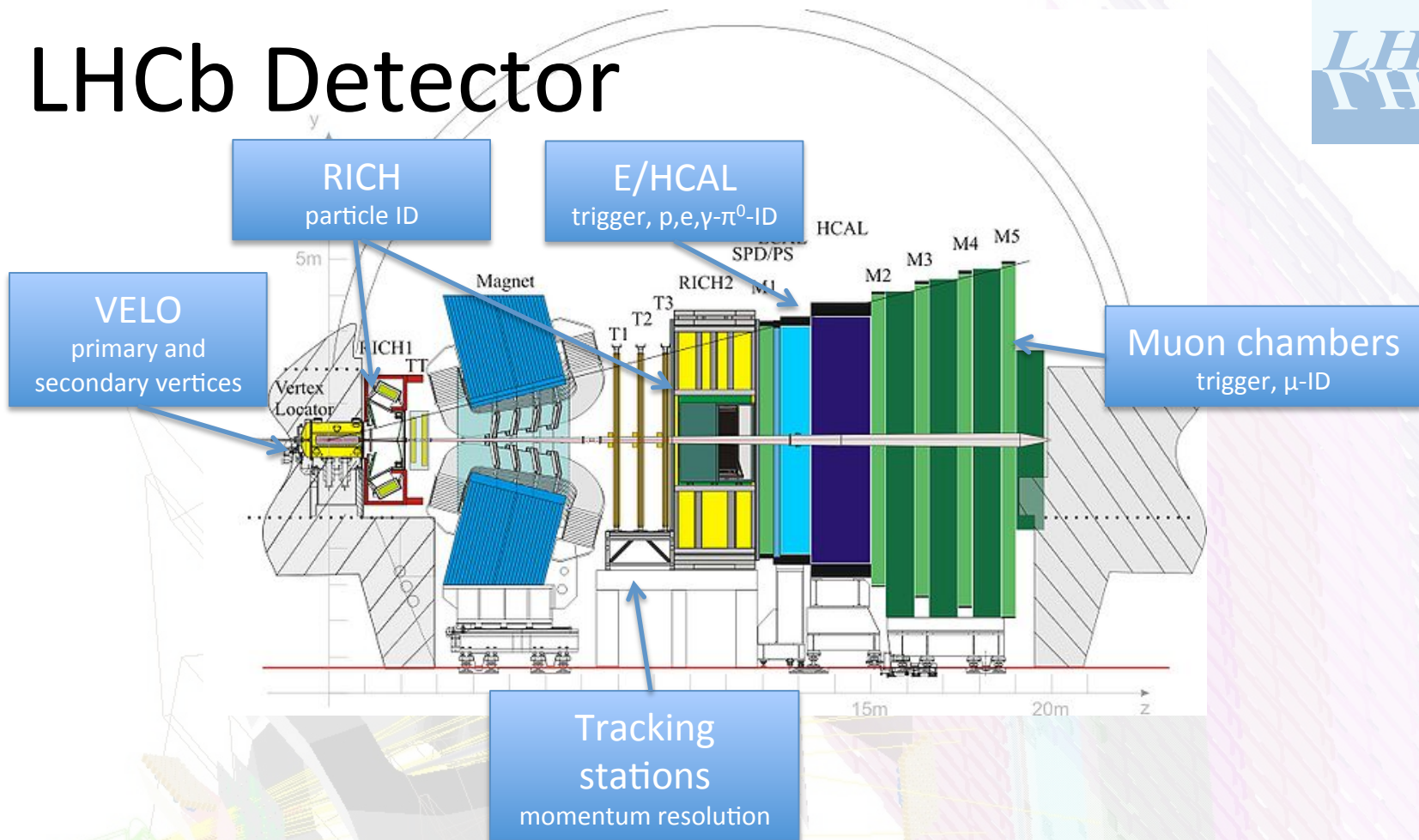
$B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ analysis ingredients

Results

New for 2013

LHCb-PAPER-2013-007, [arXiv:1303.7125](https://arxiv.org/abs/1303.7125)

LHCb Detector



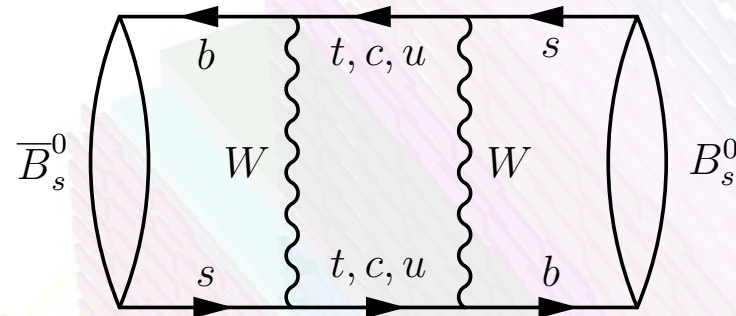
- LHCb is a forward arm spectrometer (pseudo-rapidity range: $2 < \eta < 5$),
- Accurate decay time resolution through vertex locator (VELO),
- Accurate particle ID provided by RICH detectors.

Why B_s Physics?



Mixing

There could be new physics contributions, that would manifest as new contributions in B_s mixing diagrams ([arXiv:1008.1593](https://arxiv.org/abs/1008.1593))

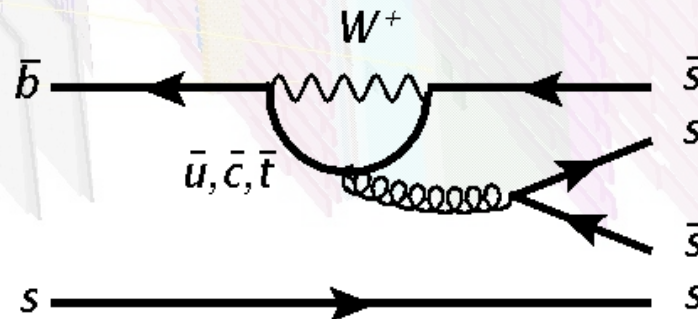


Large effects are ruled out through existing measurements of $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

Decay

New contributions could also appear in penguin diagrams ([hep-ph/0007328](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0007328), [arXiv:1212.6486v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/1212.6486v1)).

Loop suppressed \rightarrow need large datasets to measure



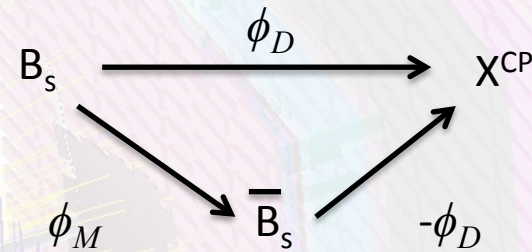
Now becoming accessible.

Why $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$?

$B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ is an example of a flavour changing neutral current interaction (FCNC)
 $b \rightarrow sss \Rightarrow$ can only occur through penguin diagrams and higher orders.

Measure ϕ_s , defined as the CP violation interference between mixing and decay:

i.e.
$$\phi_s = \phi_M - 2\phi_D$$



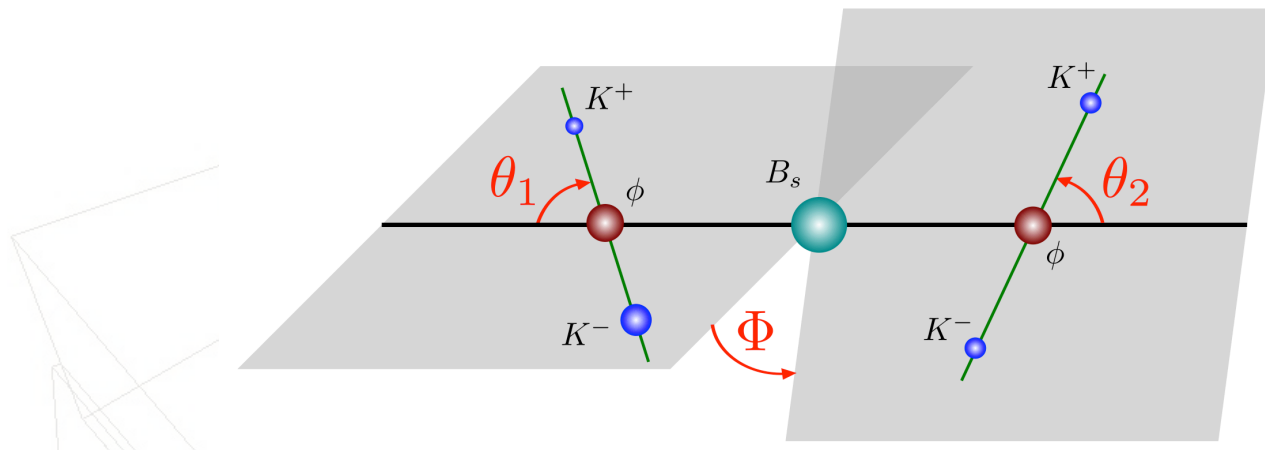
$\Rightarrow B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ is sensitive to new physics in mixing and decay as both B_s and \bar{B}_s can decay to $\phi\phi$.

In $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$, resulting from a $b \rightarrow s\bar{s}s$ transition, the SM prediction is 0.00 ± 0.02 rad

Analysis Details



$B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ is a $P \rightarrow VV$ decay \Rightarrow Final state a mixture of CP-even and CP-odd eigenstates \rightarrow need angular analysis to disentangle them.



To obtain greatest sensitivity to CP violation, need to be able to resolve B_s oscillations \Rightarrow requires observation of the B_s decay time.

Therefore analysis requires good understanding of efficiencies as a function of decay time and angular observables:

- Selections such as impact parameter give lower efficiency at short decay times.
- Shape of LHCb detector means high values of $|\cos\theta_i|$ are less efficient.

These are taken from simulation.

Analysis Details



- PDF has 15 terms (6 P-wave and 9 S-wave).
- $F(t, \cos\theta_1, \cos\theta_2, \Phi) = \sum_i K_i(t) f_i(\cos\theta_1, \cos\theta_2, \Phi)$, where:

i	K_i	f_i
1	$ A_0(t) ^2$	$4 \cos^2 \theta_1 \cos^2 \theta_2$
2	$ A_{\parallel}(t) ^2$	$\sin^2 \theta_1 \sin^2 \theta_2 (1 + \cos 2\Phi)$
3	$ A_{\perp}(t) ^2$	$\sin^2 \theta_1 \sin^2 \theta_2 (1 - \cos 2\Phi)$
4	$Im(A_{\parallel}^*(t) A_{\perp}(t))$	$-2 \sin^2 \theta_1 \sin^2 \theta_2 \sin 2\Phi$
5	$Re(A_{\parallel}^*(t) A_0(t))$	$\sqrt{2} \sin 2\theta_1 \sin 2\theta_2 \cos \Phi$
6	$Im(A_0^*(t) A_{\perp}(t))$	$-\sqrt{2} \sin 2\theta_1 \sin 2\theta_2 \sin \Phi$
7	$ A_{SS}(t) ^2$	$\frac{4}{9}$
8	$ A_S(t) ^2$	$\frac{4}{3} (\cos \theta_1 + \cos \theta_2)^2$
9	$Re(A_S^*(t) A_{SS}(t))$	$\frac{8}{3\sqrt{3}} (\cos \theta_1 + \cos \theta_2)$
10	$Re(A_0(t) A_{SS}^*(t))$	$\frac{8}{3} \cos \theta_1 \cos \theta_2$
11	$Re(A_{\parallel}(t) A_{SS}^*(t))$	$\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 \cos \Phi$
12	$Im(A_{\perp}(t) A_{SS}^*(t))$	$-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{3} \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 \sin \Phi$
13	$Re(A_0(t) A_S^*(t))$	$\frac{8}{\sqrt{3}} \cos \theta_1 \cos \theta_2 (\cos \theta_1 + \cos \theta_2)$
14	$Re(A_{\parallel}(t) A_S^*(t))$	$\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 (\cos \theta_1 + \cos \theta_2) \cos \Phi$
15	$Im(A_{\perp}(t) A_S^*(t))$	$-\frac{4\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{3}} \sin \theta_1 \sin \theta_2 (\cos \theta_1 + \cos \theta_2) \sin \Phi$

P-wave ($\phi\phi$)

CP-even S-wave (f_0f_0)

CP-odd S-wave (ϕf_0)

$f_0f_0 - \phi f_0$ interference

$\phi\phi - f_0f_0$ interference

$\phi\phi - \phi f_0$ interference

With this, can fit for:

Polarisation fractions A_i , CP-conserving strong phases, δ_i , and CP-violating phase, ϕ_s

Analysis Ingredients



Example time dependent term:

Flavour-tagging

B_s oscillation frequency

$$\Im(A_{\parallel}(t)^* A_{\perp}(t)) = |A_{\parallel}| |A_{\perp}| \{ (1 - 2\omega) e^{-\Gamma_s t} [\sin \delta_1 \cos(\Delta m_s t) - \cos \delta_1 \sin(\Delta m_s t) \cos \phi_s] - \frac{1}{2} \cos \delta_1 (e^{-\Gamma_H t} - e^{-\Gamma_L t}) \sin \phi_s \}$$

B_s decay rates

B_s decay rates ($\Gamma_s = [\Gamma_H + \Gamma_L]/2$ & $\Delta\Gamma_s = \Gamma_L - \Gamma_H$): Gaussian constraints to the values measured in the $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ decay (LHCb-PAPER-2013-002).

Time resolution: Convolve our PDF with Gaussian function of width 40fs, where the width is found from simulation.

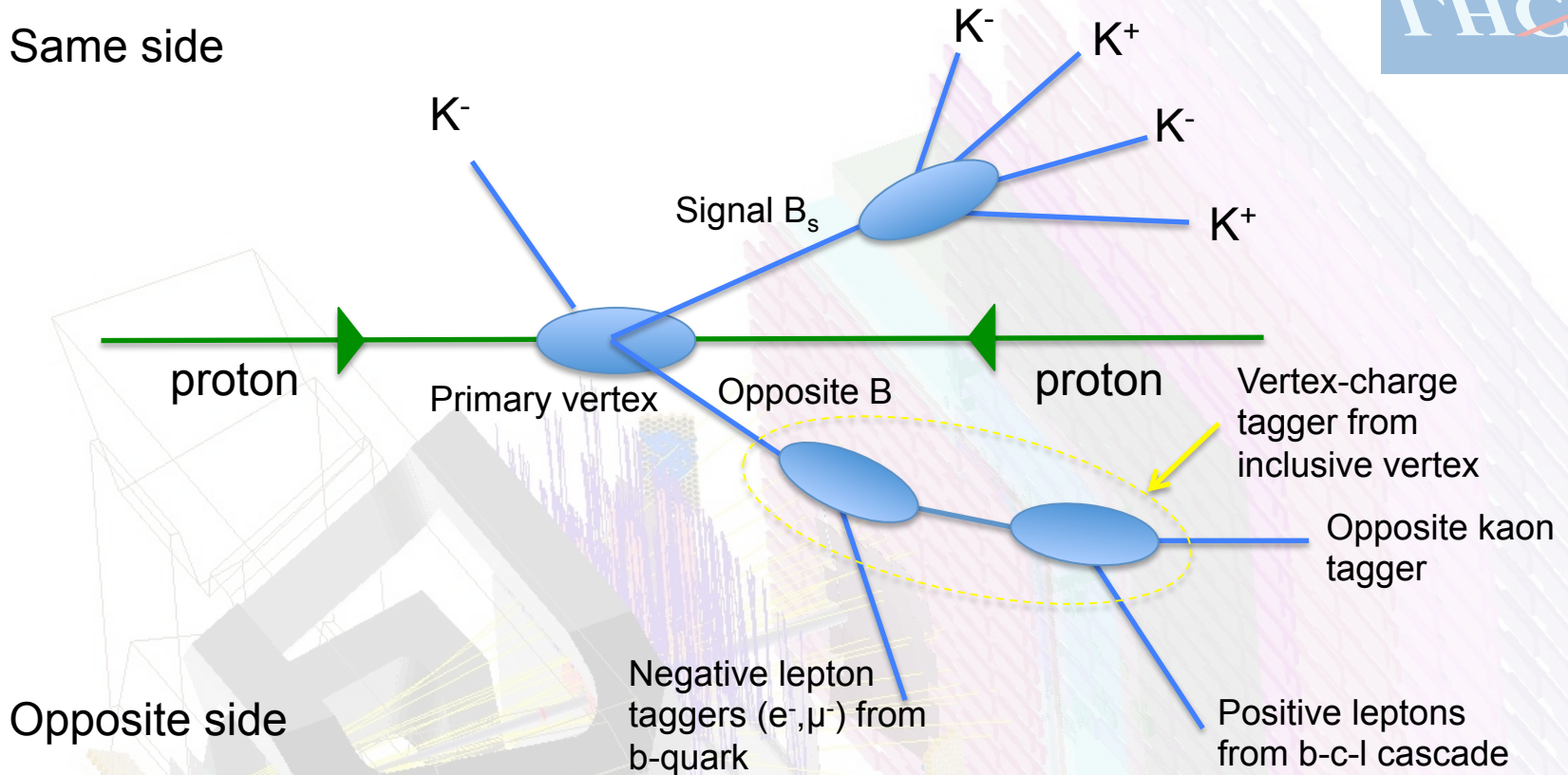
B_s oscillation frequency: Gaussian constraint to LHCb value (LHCb-CONF-2011-050)

Flavour-tagging: Opposite side and same-side algorithms used (explained soon).

Analysis Ingredients: Flavour-tagging



Same side



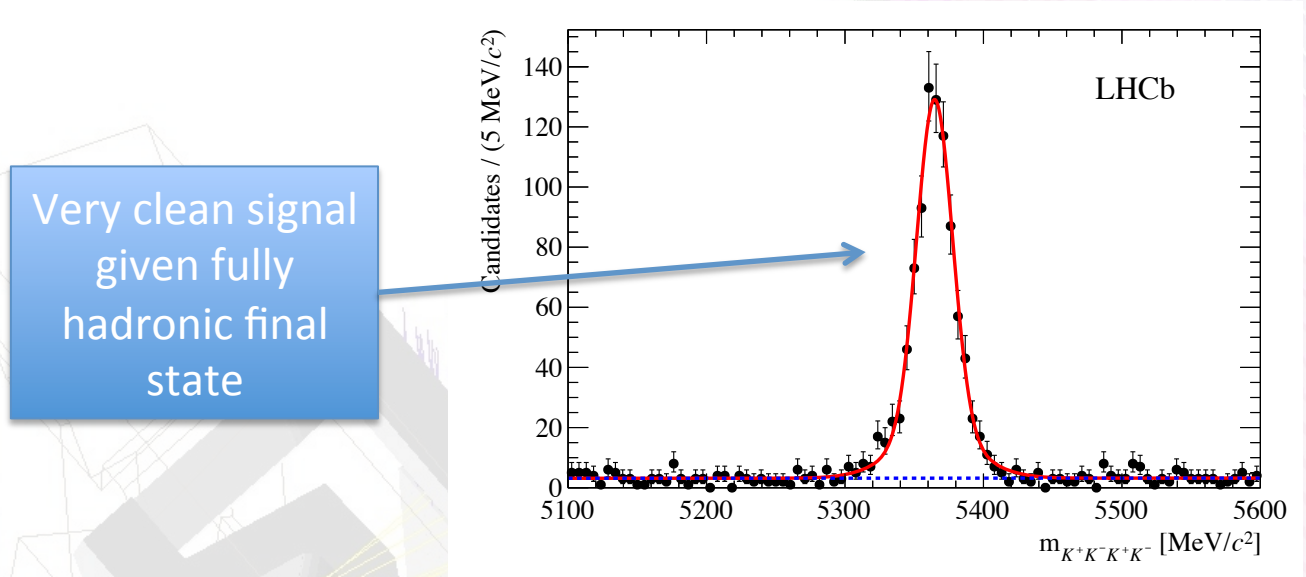
Event-by-event incorrect tag probability calibrated mainly from $B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$ (OS) and $B_s^- \rightarrow D_s^- \pi$ (SSK) \Rightarrow calibration parameters constrained in fitting.

$$\text{Total tagging power} = \epsilon(1-2\omega)^2 = (3.20 \pm 0.48)\%$$

Results: Dataset



880 events observed in $K^+K^-K^+K^-$ final state using 1.0 fb^{-1} LHCb data.



Very clean signal given fully hadronic final state

Events triggered mainly by looking for good quality tracks consistent with ϕ mass and exploiting general kinematics of B decays.

Multivariate offline selections use kinematic variables and track quality to separate signal from background.

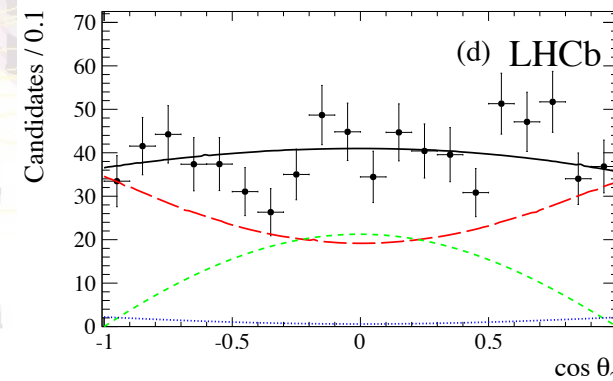
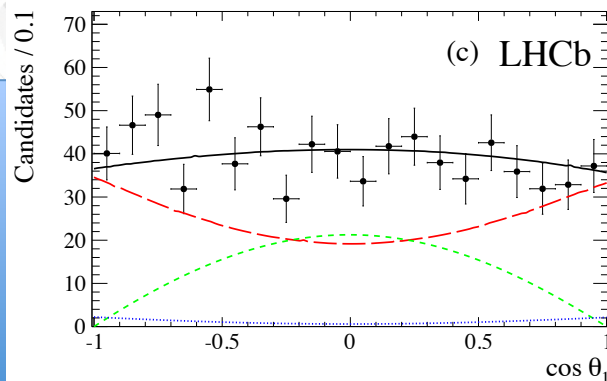
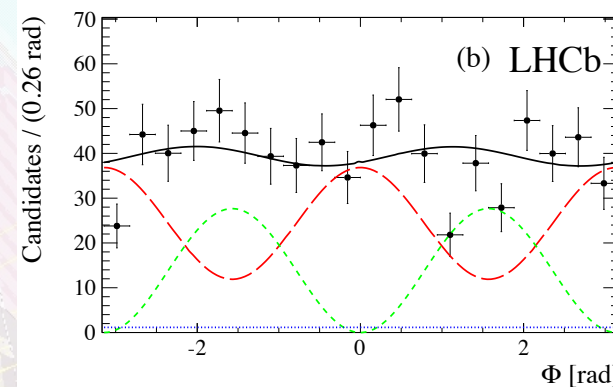
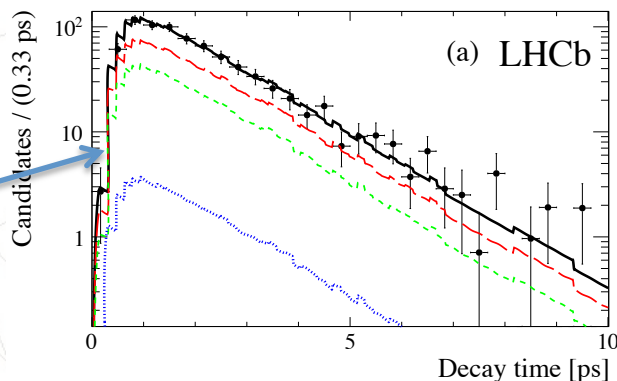
Low contamination from reflections from $B^0 \rightarrow \phi K^*$ due to small width of the ϕ resonance.

Results: Projections on to Observables



- Shown below are data and corresponding fit projected on to each of the phase space observables.
- Can separate fit by CP eigenstate.

Time biasing selections cause low efficiency at short lifetimes



Projections background subtracted and include acceptances

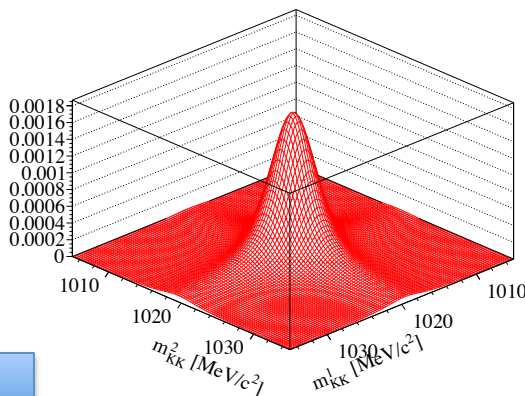
Total
 CP-even
 CP-odd
 S-wave

Results: S-wave Crosscheck

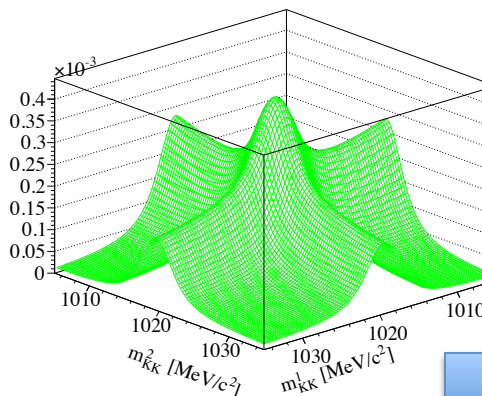


Although measured in angular and time dependent fit, also possible to measure S-wave using m_{KK} lineshapes (relativistic Breit-Wigner shape for P-wave, Flatté for S-wave).

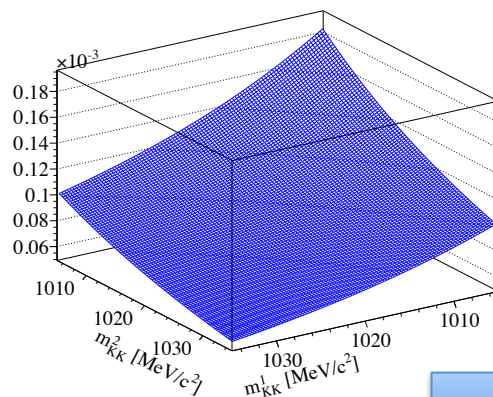
=> Do a 2D fit to m_{KK} vs. m_{KK} as a sanity check (ignores interferences)



$\phi\phi$



ϕf_0



$f_0 f_0$

=> Find total S-wave fraction of $(2.12 \pm 1.17)\%$

Results: ϕ_s



Parameter	Value	$\sigma_{\text{stat.}}$	$\sigma_{\text{syst.}}$
ϕ_s 68 % C.L. [rad]	(-2.37, -0.92)		0.22
$ A_0 ^2$	0.329	0.033	0.017
$ A_{\perp} ^2$	0.358	0.046	0.018
$ A_S ^2$	0.016	+0.024 -0.012	0.009
δ_1 [rad]	2.19	0.44	0.12
δ_2 [rad]	-1.47	0.48	0.10
δ_S [rad]	0.65	+0.89 -1.65	0.33

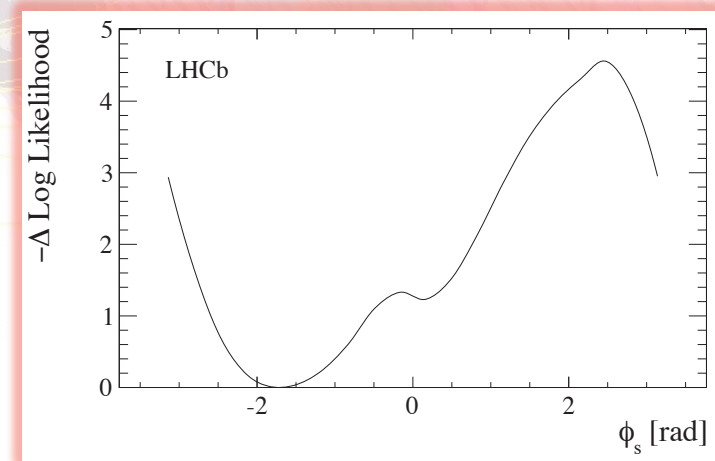
The dominant systematic uncertainties arise from time acceptance and S-wave

Statistical likelihood for ϕ_s shows non-parabolic behaviour → only a 68% C.L. is quoted.

Small dataset → Feldman Cousins analysis is used to provide a coverage corrected 68% C.L. including systematic uncertainties of

ϕ_s in the interval [-2.46, -0.76] rad

The p-value of the Standard Model hypothesis is 16%.



Summary

- A first time-dependent tagged analysis of CP violation in the interference between mixing and decay for the $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$ decay yields a 68% C.L of:

$[-2.46, -0.76]$ rad

- The p-value of the Standard Model hypothesis is 16%.
- Still 2fb^{-1} of 2012 LHCb data yet to analyse => eager to see what awaits with the full combined 2011+2012 dataset.