

# B Lifetimes and Mixing



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# Outline

1) Why Measure Lifetimes? — Why Measure Mixing?

2) Experimental Features

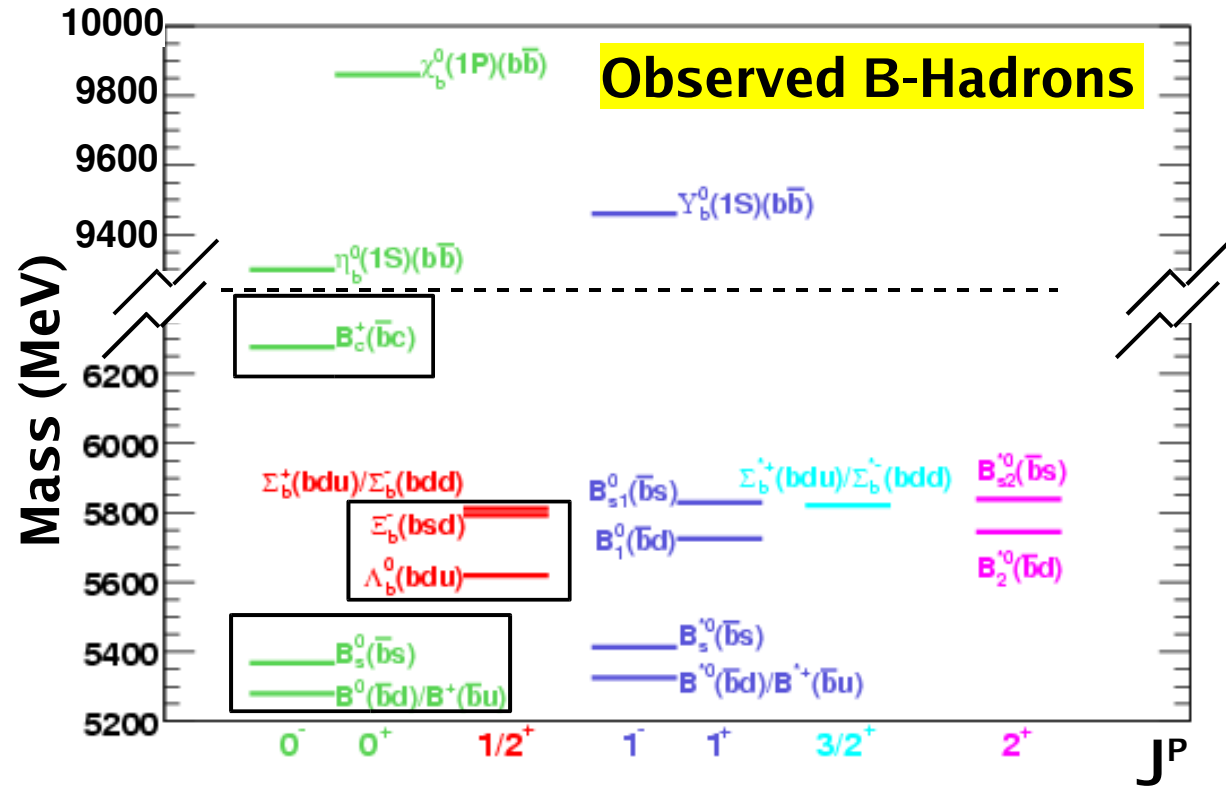
3) Lifetime Measurements

- $B^0$   $B^\pm$   $B_s$   $B_c$   $\Lambda_b$

4) Mixing Measurements

- $\Delta m_d$   $\Delta m_s$

5) Future Prospects



Note: concentrate on recent results (Tevatron), mention BaBar/Belle

See also:

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Rare Decays, Mixing, and  $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|$

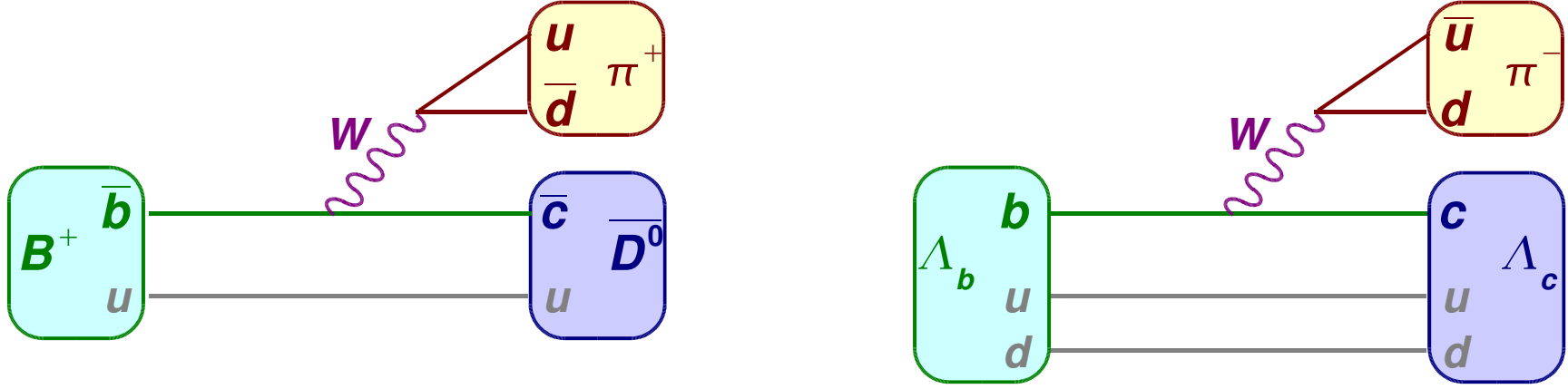
B States

CPV in the  $B_s$  System



# Weak B Lifetimes $\Rightarrow$ QCD Test

Light Quark Spectators  $\Rightarrow$  equal lifetimes for all weakly decaying B-hadrons



Differences evaluated using Heavy Quark Expansion

$$\frac{\tau_1}{\tau_2} = 1 + \underbrace{\left( \frac{\Lambda_{QCD}}{m_b} \right)^2 \Gamma_2}_{\text{meson / baryon differences}} + \underbrace{\left( \frac{\Lambda_{QCD}}{m_b} \right)^3 \left[ \Gamma_3^{(0)} + \frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} \Gamma_3^{(1)} + \dots \right]}_{\text{spectator effects}} + \left( \frac{\Lambda_{QCD}}{m_b} \right)^4 \left[ \Gamma_4^{(0)} + \dots \right] + \dots$$

Also: important input to EW B measurements – mixing,  $\Delta\Gamma$ , etc.



# EW Symmetry Breaking $\Leftrightarrow$ Mixing

EW Sym. Breaking  $\Rightarrow$  CKM Matrix  $\Rightarrow$  Different Quark Eigenstates

**Weak**

$$i \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} |B^0(t)\rangle \\ |\bar{B}^0(t)\rangle \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} M - i\frac{\Gamma}{2} & M_{12} - i\frac{\Gamma_{12}}{2} \\ M_{12} - i\frac{\Gamma_{12}}{2} & M - i\frac{\Gamma}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} |B^0(t)\rangle \\ |\bar{B}^0(t)\rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

**CP**

$$|B^{odd/even}\rangle = |B^0\rangle \pm |\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

**Mass**

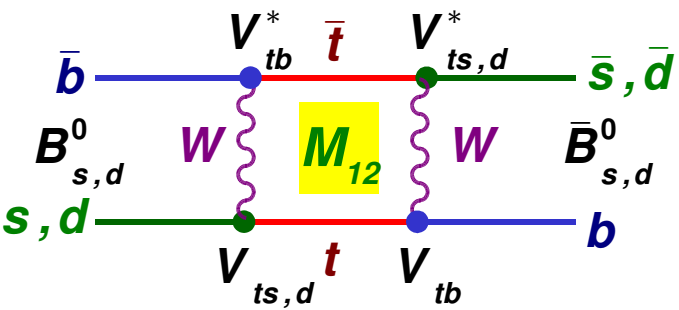
$$|B^{H,L}\rangle = p|B^0\rangle \pm q|\bar{B}^0\rangle$$

In the SM all this described by:

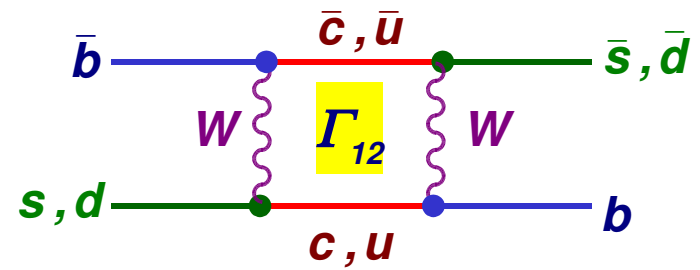
- 3 angles + 1 CPV phase

**Beyond the SM**

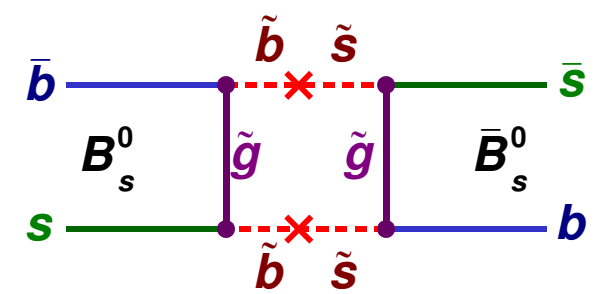
- *much* less constrained



**sens. to New Phys**



**less sens. to New Phys**



**SUSY example**



# Observables & Expectations

## Observables

$$\Delta m = M_H - M_L \quad \sim 2 |M_{12}|$$

$$\Delta \Gamma_{CP} = \Gamma_{\text{even}} - \Gamma_{\text{odd}} \quad \sim 2 |\Gamma_{12}|$$

$$\Delta \Gamma = \Gamma_L - \Gamma_H = \Delta \Gamma_{CP} \cos \phi$$

$$\phi = \arg(-M_{12}/\Gamma_{12})$$

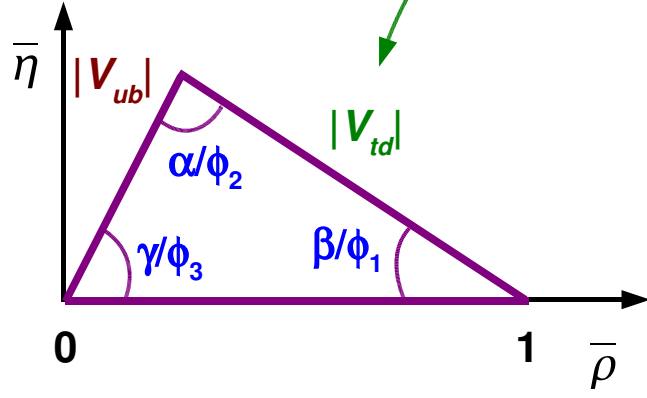
$$2\beta_s = -\arg[(V_{tb}/V_{ts}^*)^2 / (V_{cb}/V_{cs}^*)^2]$$

| Meson | $\Delta m/m$          | $\Delta \Gamma/\Gamma$ | $\phi$   | $2\beta$ |
|-------|-----------------------|------------------------|----------|----------|
| $K^0$ | $7.0 \times 10^{-15}$ | $\sim 1$               | $0.007$  | $\sim 0$ |
| $D^0$ | $7.1 \times 10^{-15}$ | $0.006$                | $\sim 0$ | $\sim 0$ |
| $B_d$ | $6.4 \times 10^{-14}$ | $0.004$                | $-0.091$ | $0.76$   |
| $B_s$ | $2.4 \times 10^{-12}$ | $0.147$                | $-0.004$ | $0.04$   |

### Beyond the SM

$$\phi = \phi^{\text{SM}} + \phi^{\text{NP}}$$

$$2\beta = 2\beta^{\text{SM}} - \phi^{\text{NP}}$$

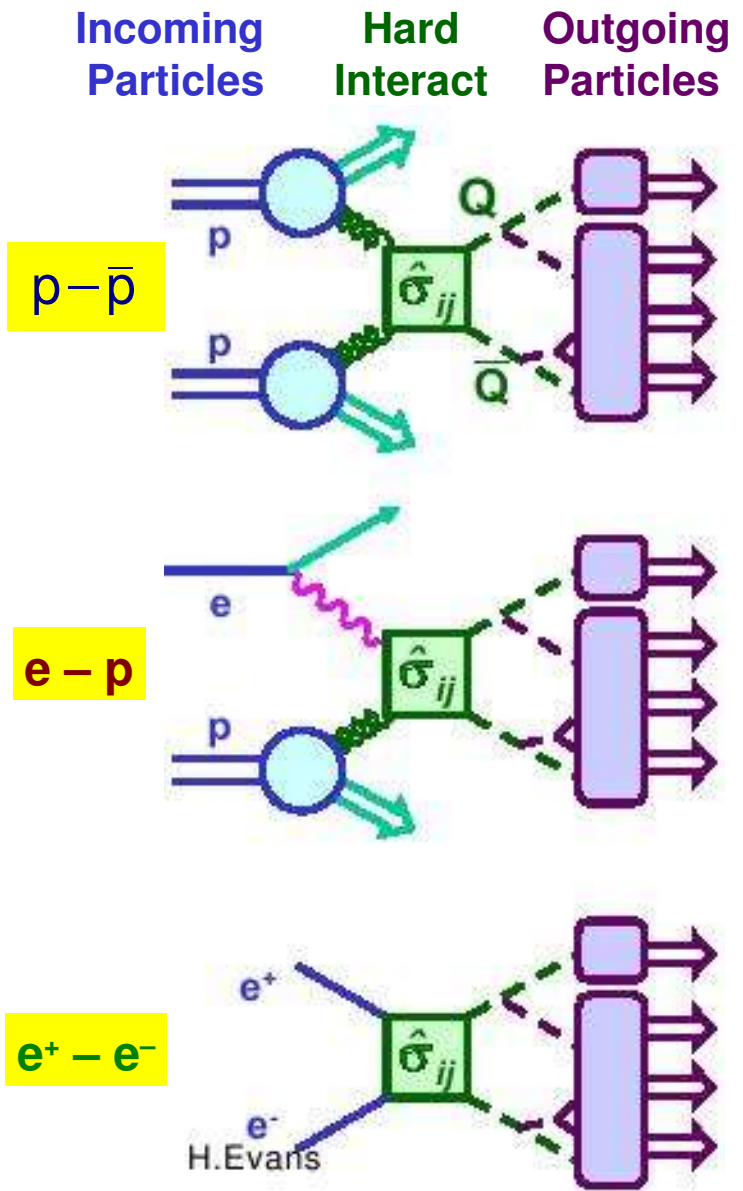


$$\frac{\Delta m_d}{\Delta m_s} = \frac{M_{Bd}}{M_{Bs}} \frac{f_{Bd}^2 B_{Bd}}{f_{Bs}^2 B_{Bs}} \left| \frac{V_{td}}{V_{ts}} \right|^2$$

ratio reduces uncertainty  
10.7% → 3.4%



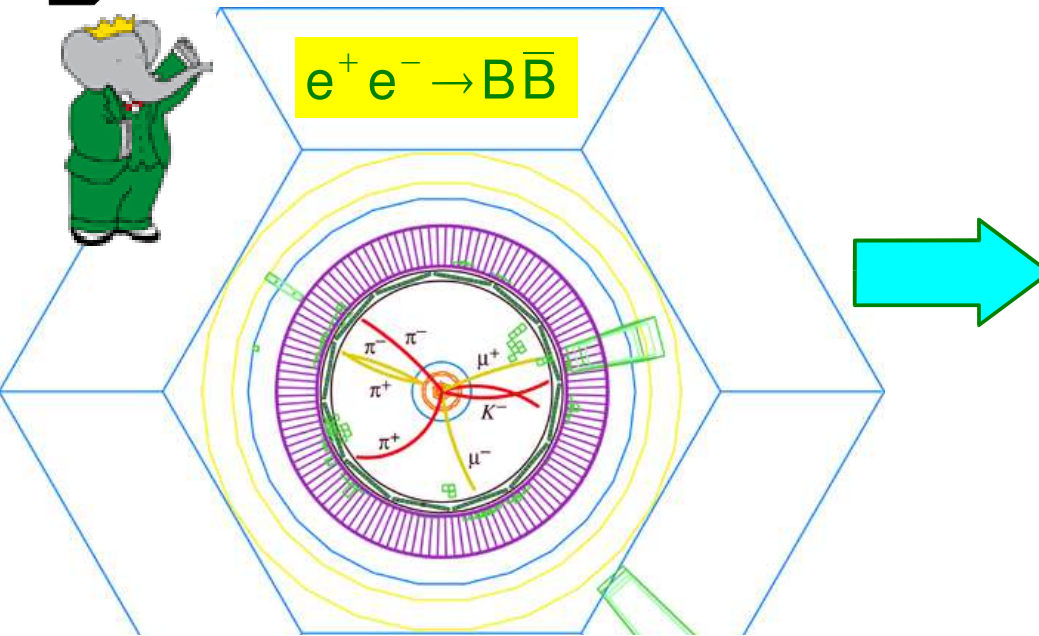
# b's in the Wild



| Machine                           | $\sqrt{s}$<br>(TeV) | $\sigma(bb)$<br>( $\mu b$ ) | Rate*<br>(Hz) | $\langle L \rangle$<br>(mm) | B's        |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| LHC<br>(Atlas,CMS,LHCb)           | 14                  | 500                         | 50K           | 1.5                         | all        |
| Tevatron<br>(DØ,CDF)              | 1.96                | 100                         | 6K            | 0.5                         | all        |
| HERA<br>(H1,Zeus)                 | 0.32                | ~0.010                      |               | $\delta > 0.1$              | all        |
| Z-Fact<br>(LEP, SLC)              | 0.09<br>(to 0.20)   | 0.007                       | 0.035         | 3                           | all        |
| B-Factories<br>(BaBar,Belle,CLEO) | 0.01                | 0.001                       | 20            | 0.3                         | $B_d, B^+$ |

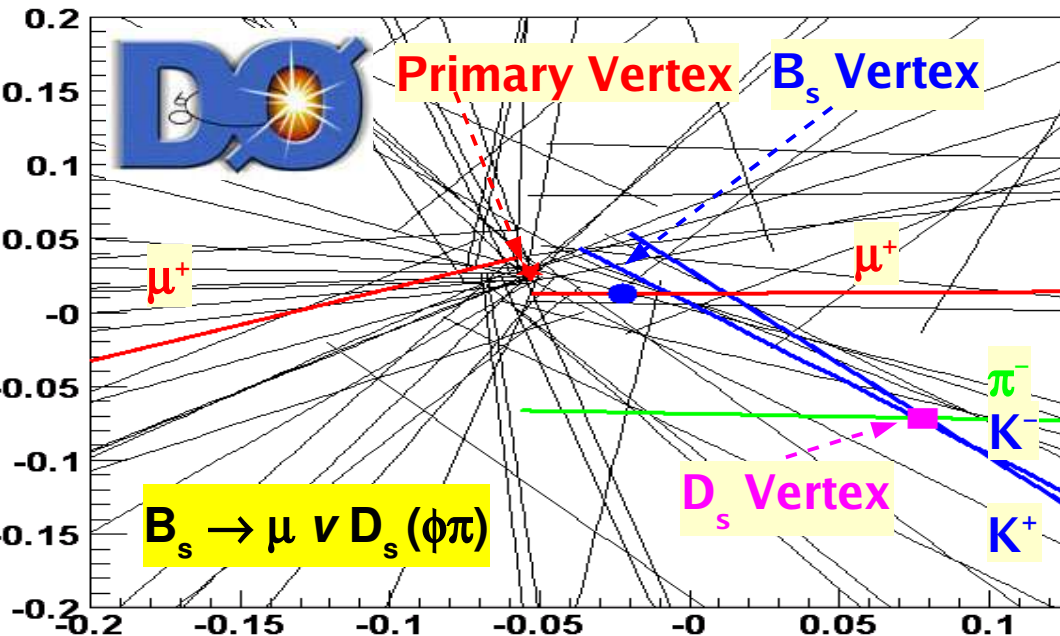
\* in acceptance

# Broad Experimental Challenges



## Lifetime Analysis Overview

- Record Events Trigger
- Reconstruct B PID/Tracking
- Est. B momentum Tracking
  - corr. for missing particles
- Meas. Decay Length Vertexing
  - determine resolution
- Est. Proper Time
- Est. Backgrounds
  - sidebands and MC
- Fit for Lifetime (& other par's)
  - include resolutions, corrections, backgrounds, etc.



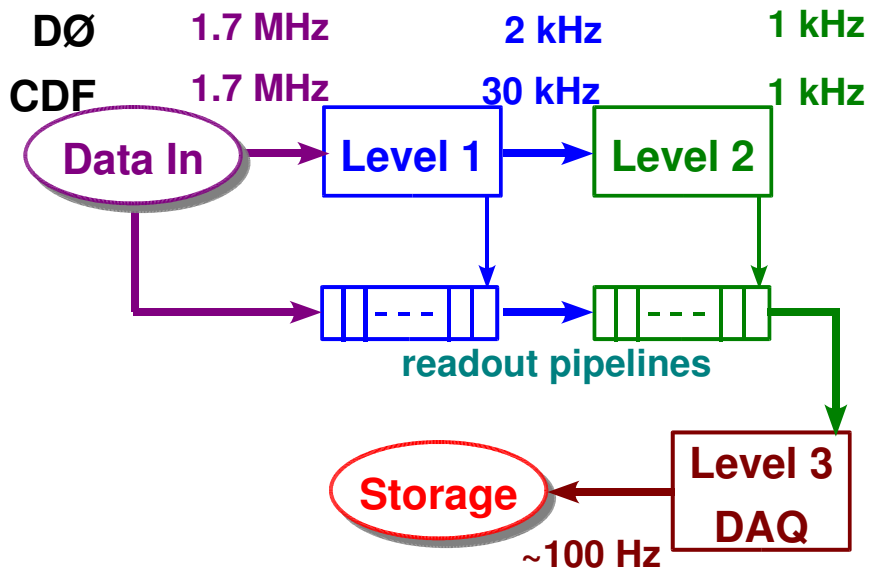


# Triggering

Triggers are central to Tevatron B-Physics analyses

- *b*-event rate in accept ~6 kHz
- $\sigma(bb)/\sigma(\text{inelastic}) \sim O(10^{-3})$
- can only trigger (efficiently) on *specific* decay modes

## 3 Level Trigger Systems



| Trigger              | CDF  | DØ   |
|----------------------|--|--|
| 2-Track              | $P_T(\text{trk}) > 2.0 \text{ GeV}$<br>$0.12 < d_0 < 1 \text{ mm}$<br>$\Sigma P_T > 5.5 \text{ GeV}$ | —  |
| <i>l</i> + Displ Trk | $P_t^l > 4, P_t^{\text{trk}} > 2 \text{ GeV}$<br>$0.12 < d_0 < 1 \text{ mm}$                         | —  |
| 1-Muon               | —  | $P_T > 3, 4, 5 \text{ GeV}$ or<br>$P_T > 5 \text{ GeV} \ \& \ d_0/\sigma(d_0) > 3$<br>(luminosity dependent) |
| 2-Muon               | $P_T(\mu's) > 1.5 \text{ GeV}$   | $P_T(\mu's) > 2.0 \text{ GeV}$   |





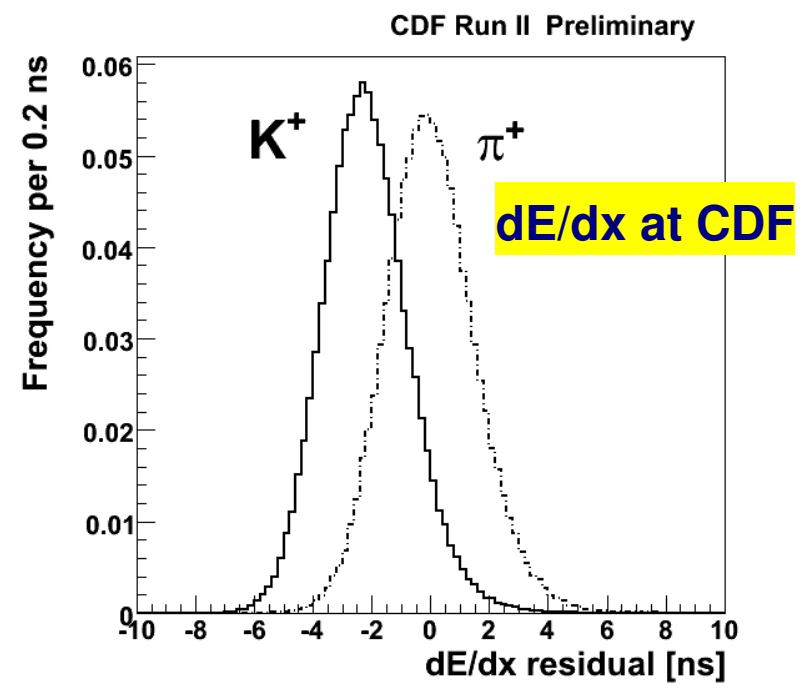
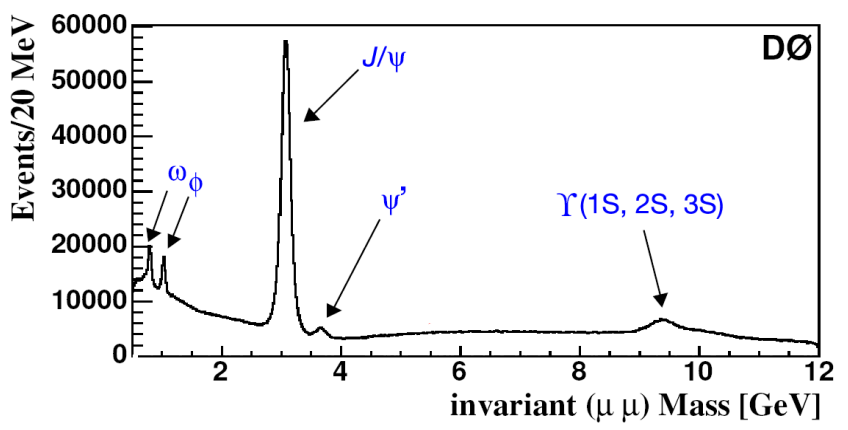
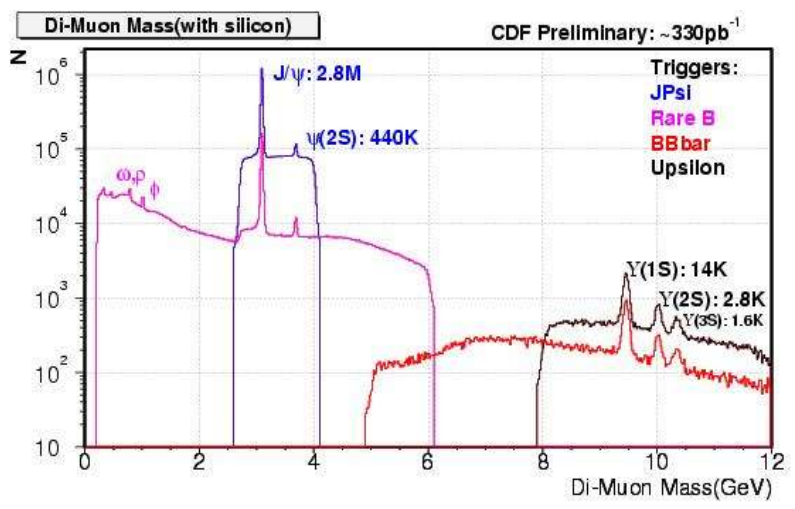
# B-Reconstruction: Particle ID

**Muons: a workhorse at the Tevatron**

**$\pi/K$  Separation: hadronic final state**

|            | Coverage       | Shielding         |
|------------|----------------|-------------------|
| <b>DØ</b>  | $ \eta  < 2.0$ | 12-18 $\lambda_1$ |
| <b>CDF</b> | $ \eta  < 1.0$ | $>5 \lambda_1$    |

|              | Method                   | Sep.   | Range              |
|--------------|--------------------------|--|--------------------|
| <b>CDF</b>   | dE/dx (& TOF)            | $>1.4\sigma$                                   | $2 < p_T < 10$ GeV |
| <b>BaBar</b> | DIRC                     | $>2.7\sigma$                                   | $p < 4.2$ GeV      |
| <b>Belle</b> | aerogel<br>(dE/dx & TOF) | $\epsilon(K) > 80\%$<br>fake( $\pi$ ) $< 10\%$ | $p < 4$ GeV        |

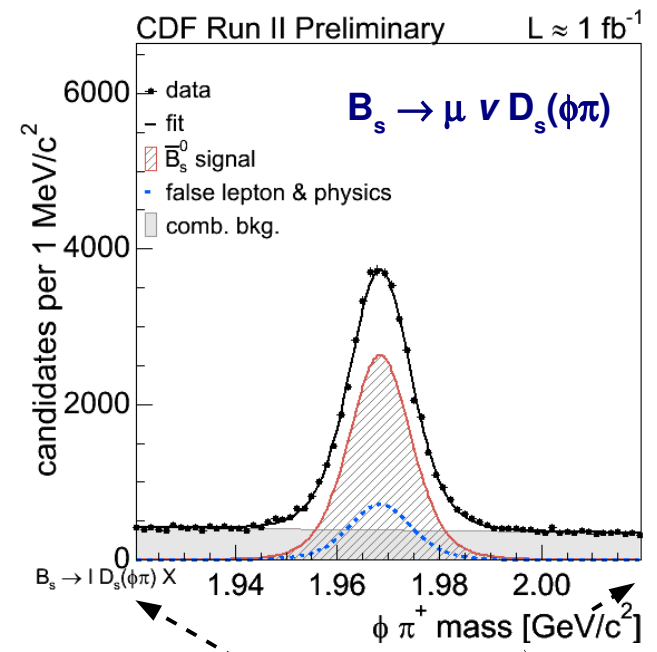




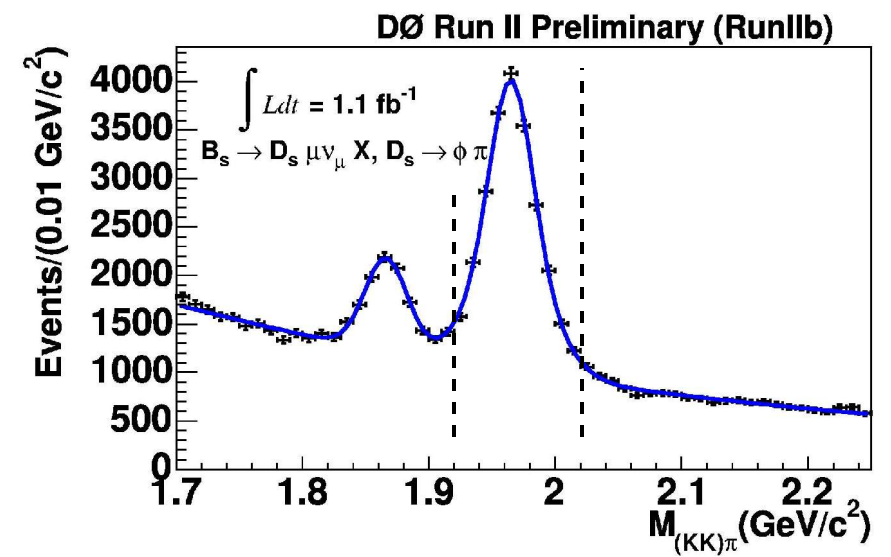
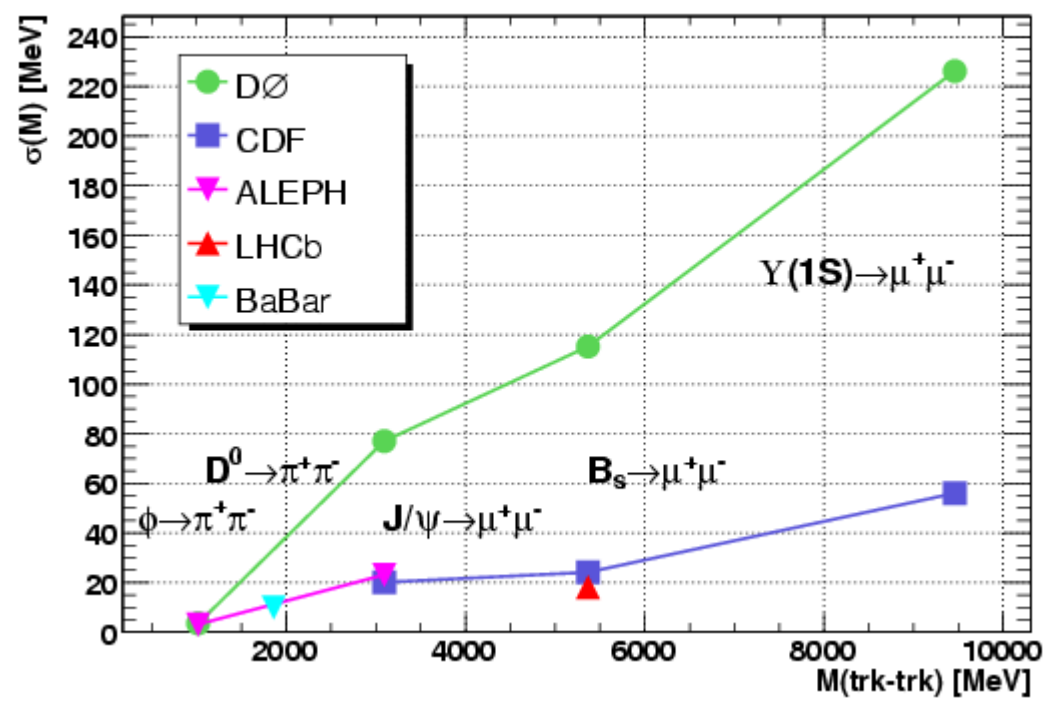
# Tracking: Mass Resolution

| Exp | B     | Radii [cm] | $ \eta $ Range | <Space Pts> |
|-----|-------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| CDF | 1.4 T | 1.5 – 137  | $< 2.0$        | $> 100$     |
| D0  | 2.0 T | 2.8 – 52   | $< 3.0$        | 20          |

1.7 w/ Layer 0  $\longrightarrow$  25% gain in proper t res



## 2-Track Mass Resolution



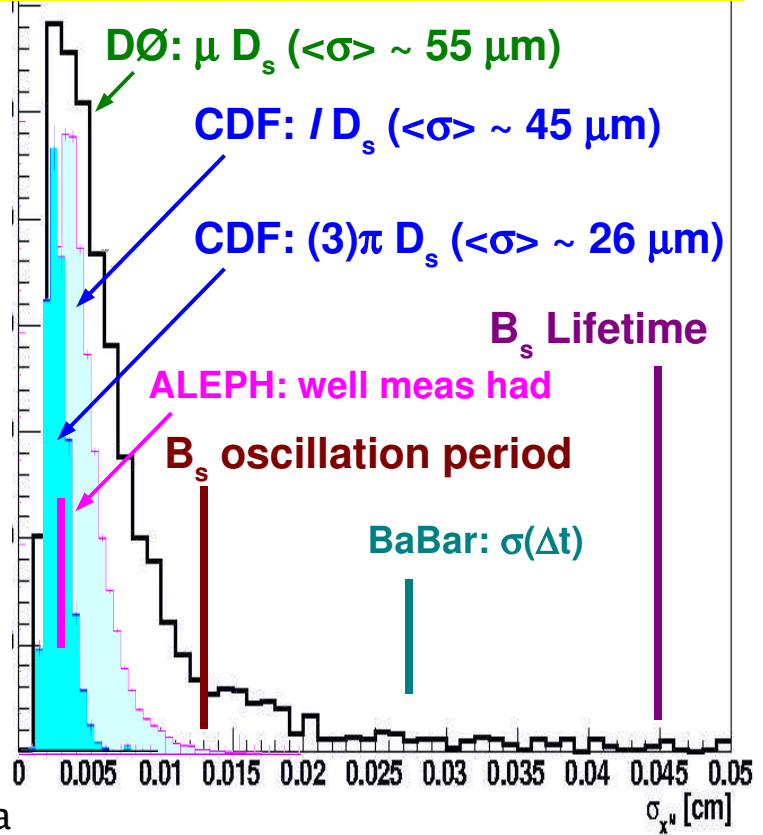


# Tracking: Time Resolution

| Exp | B     | Radii [cm] | $ \eta $ Range | <Space Pts> |
|-----|-------|------------|----------------|-------------|
| CDF | 1.4 T | 1.5 – 137  | < 2.0          | >100        |
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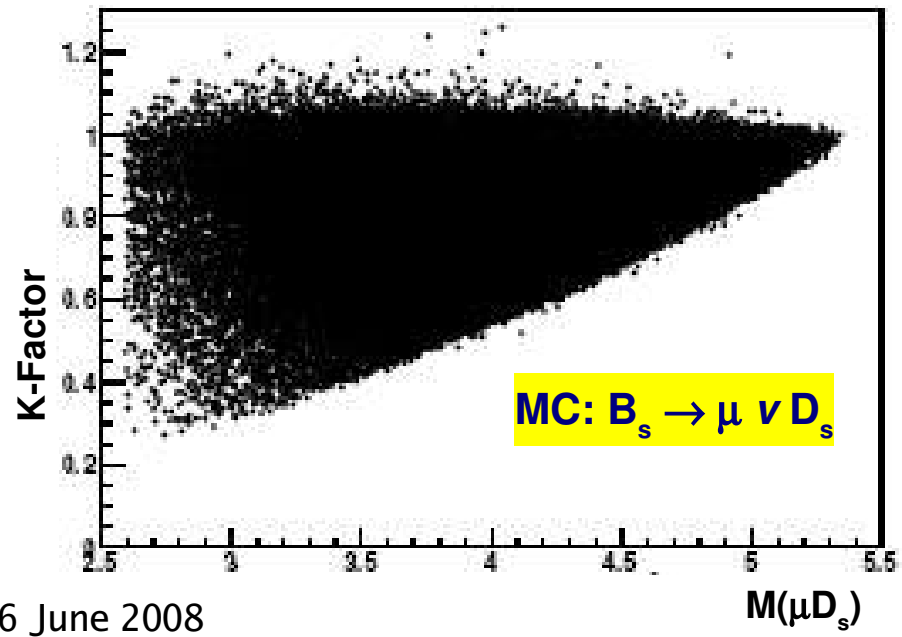
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## (pseudo) Proper Time Resolution



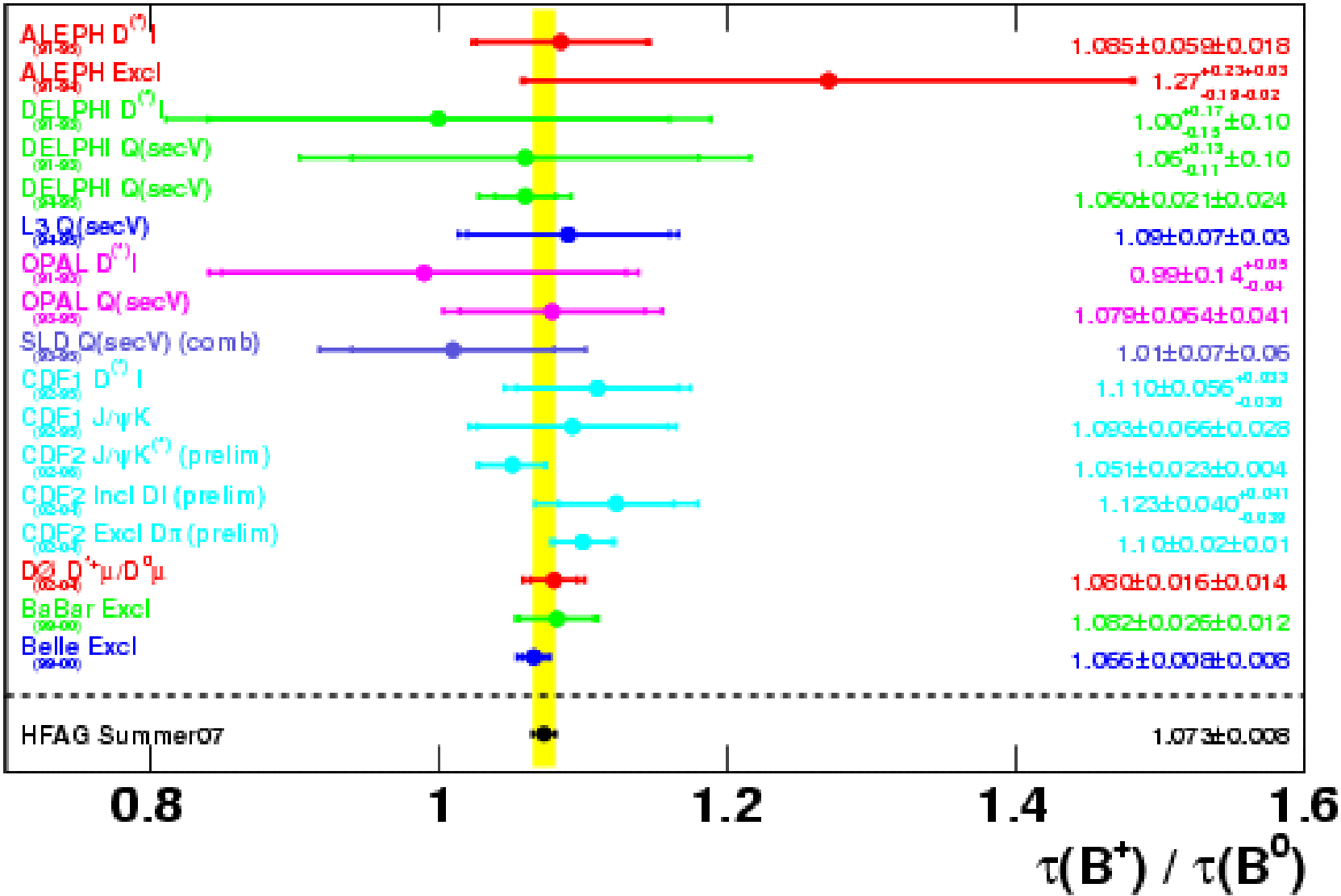
## missing $\nu$ : semi-leptonic decays

$$ct = M_B \frac{L_{xy}^{meas}}{P_T^{meas}} K \quad \left( K = \frac{P_T^{meas}}{P_T^B} \right)$$





# B<sup>0</sup> and B<sup>+</sup> Lifetimes





# $B_s$ Lifetime

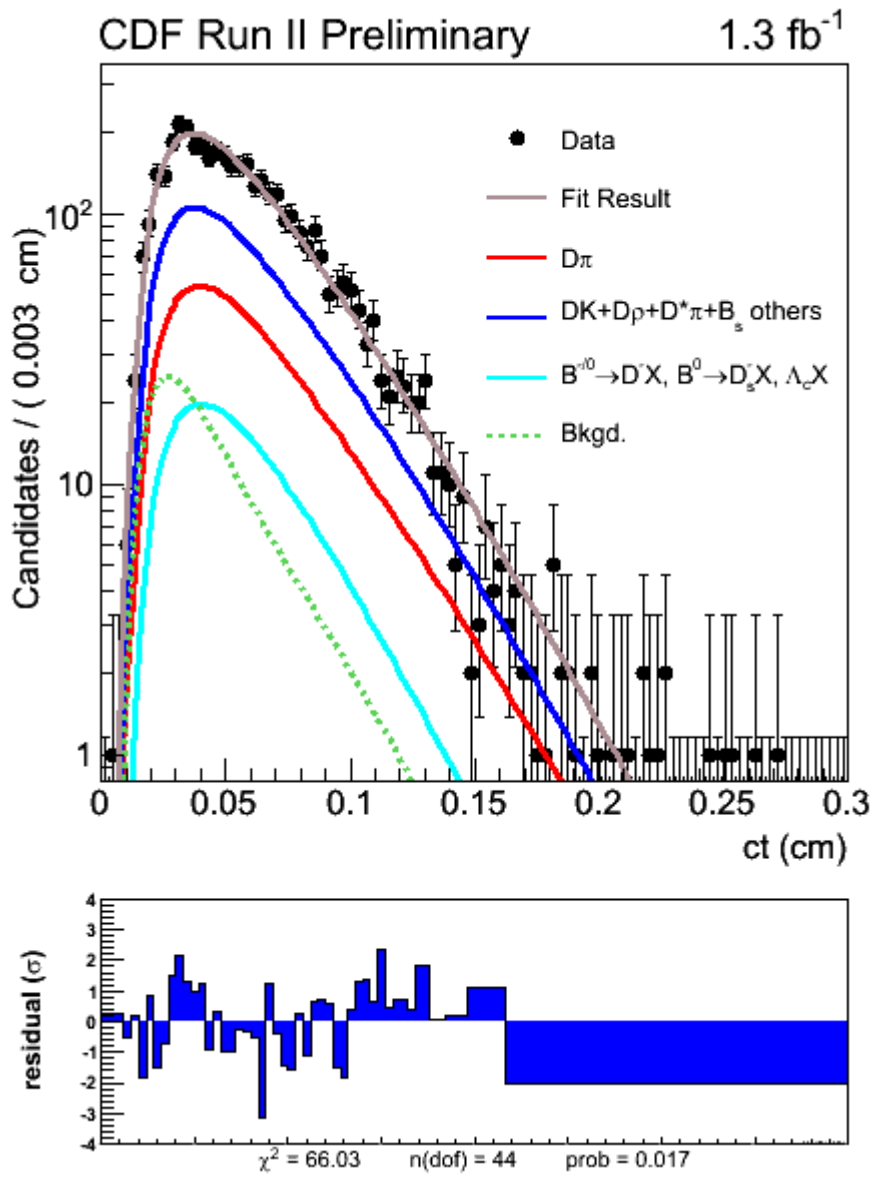
$\Delta\Gamma_s \neq 0 \Rightarrow$  different  $B_s$  lifetime measurements mean different things

- 1)  $B_s \rightarrow$  Anything      unknown mix of  $\Gamma_{\text{odd}}$  and  $\Gamma_{\text{even}}$ 
  - no longer used
  
- 2)  $B_s \rightarrow$  Flavor Specific      50% CP-odd – 50% CP-even
  - $D\bar{0}$       semi-lept: PRL 97, 241801 (2006)
  - CDF      semi-lept: prelim (2005) &  $B_s \rightarrow \pi D_s$ : prelim (2008)
  
- 3)  $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$       fit for CP components
  - $D\bar{0}$       arXiv:0802.2855 (2008)
  - CDF      arXiv:0712.2348 (2007)
  
- 4)  $B_s \rightarrow$  CP Specific      100% odd or even
  - CDF       $B_s \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ : prelim (2006)

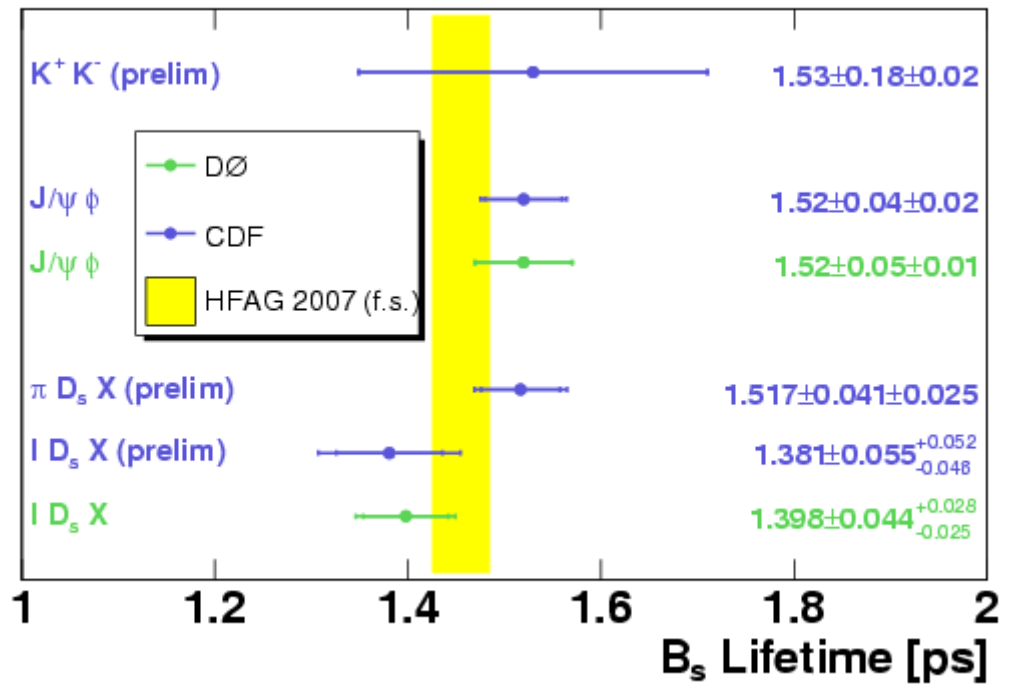


# Recent $B_s$ Lifetime Results

## CDF: Full & Partial Reco $B_s \rightarrow \pi D_s X$

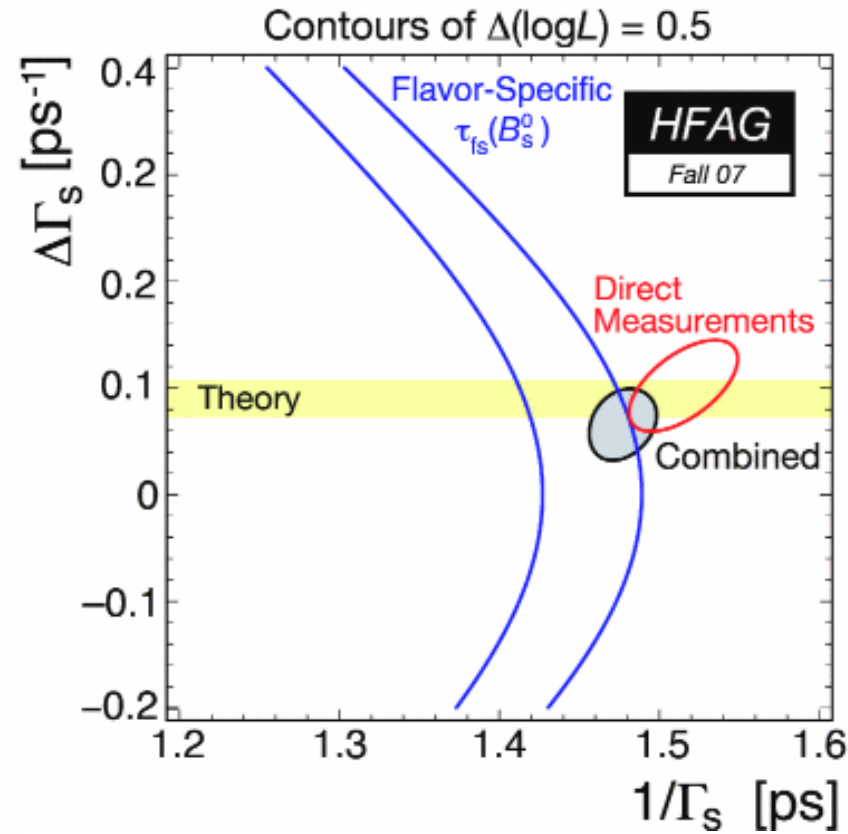
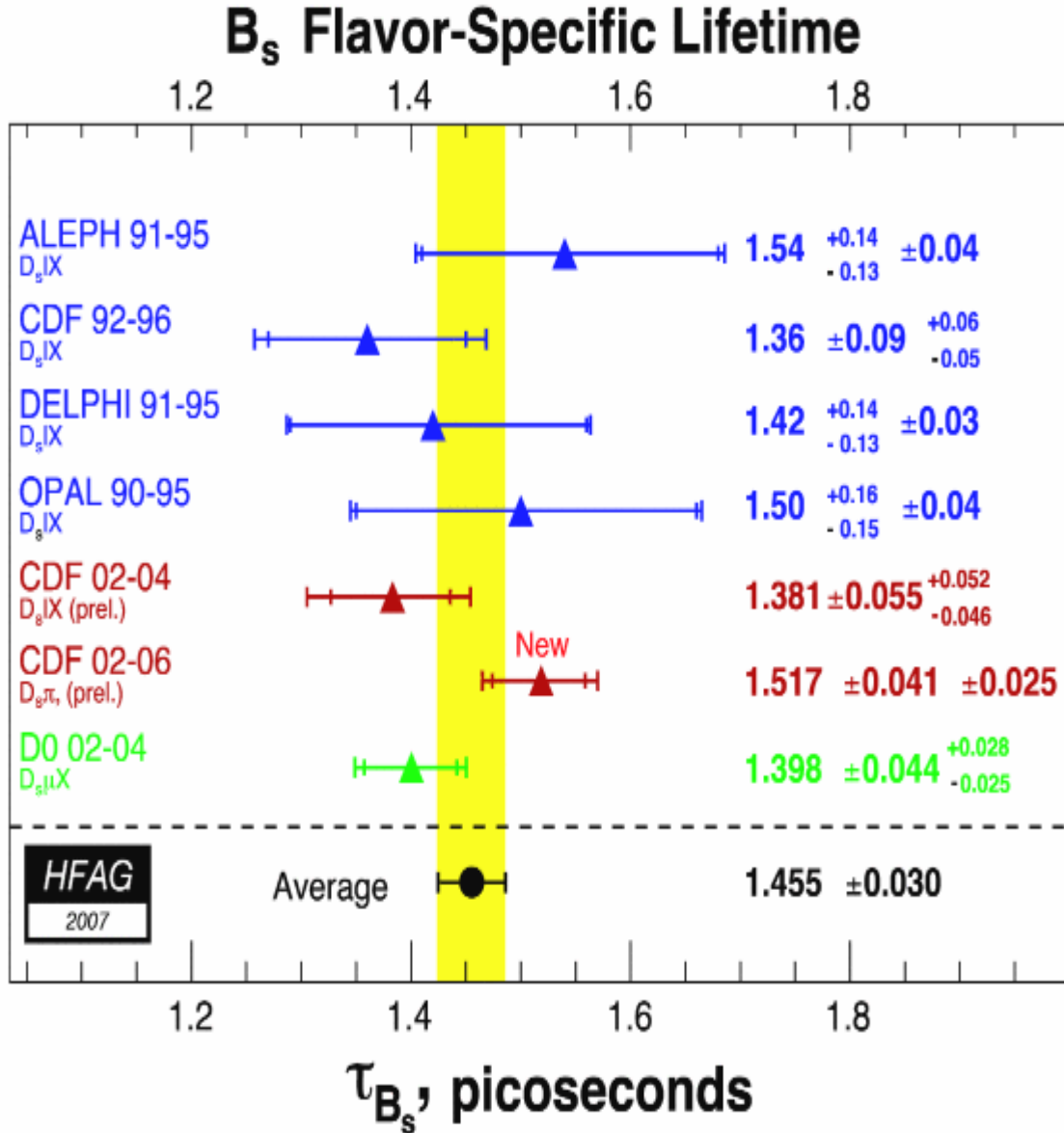


| Mode                              | Lumi (fb <sup>-1</sup> ) | Cand's | Signal     |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|------------|
| CDF K <sup>+</sup> K <sup>-</sup> | 0.36                     | 3219   | 718 ± 55   |
| CDF J/ $\psi$ $\phi$              | 1.7                      | 2500   |            |
| DØ J/ $\psi$ $\phi$               | 2.8                      | 48047  | 1976 ± 65  |
| CDF h D $_s$                      | 1.3                      | 5566   | 3340.3     |
| CDF / D $_s$                      | 0.36                     | 2297   | 1155 ± 27  |
| DØ / D $_s$                       | 0.4                      |        | 5176 ± 242 |





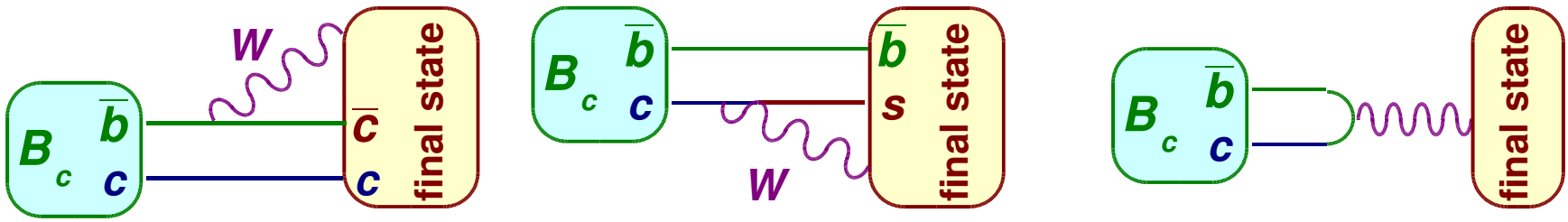
# B<sub>s</sub> Flavor Specific Lifetimes





# B<sub>c</sub> Lifetime Measurements

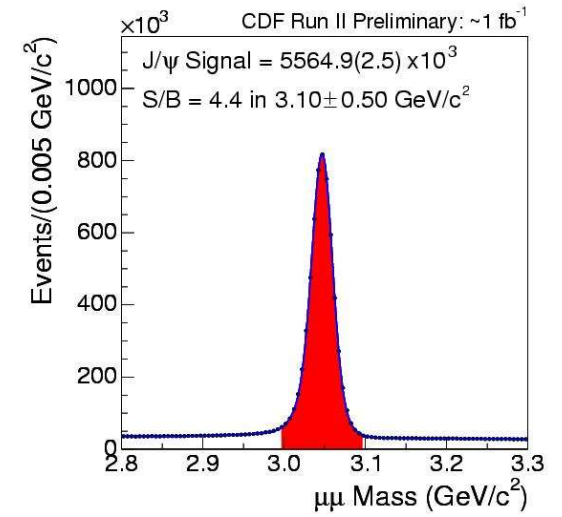
Two heavy quarks ⇒ Increased decay possibilities



– theory predicts:  $\tau(B_c) \sim \tau(B) / 3$

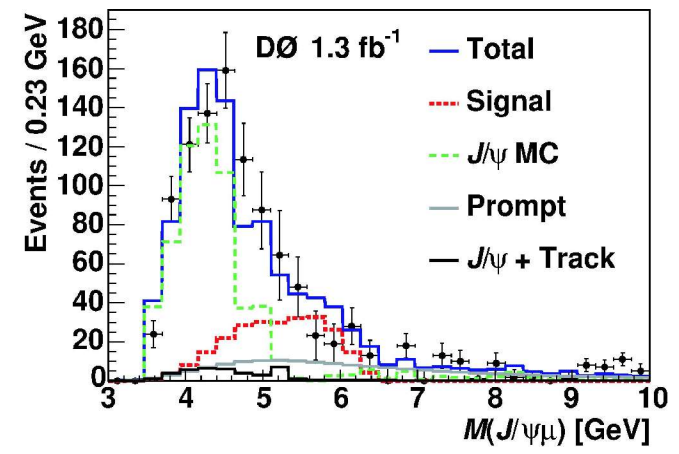
## New Analyses: B<sub>c</sub> → J/ψ(μ<sup>+</sup>μ<sup>-</sup>) ≠ X

- CDF J/ψ μ, e prelim
- DØ J/ψ μ arXiv:0805.2614



| Mode      | Lumi (fb <sup>-1</sup> ) | Cand's | Signal   |
|-----------|--------------------------|--------|----------|
| CDF J/ψ μ | 1                        | 572    | 257 ± 12 |
| J/ψ e     |                          | 1935   | 659 ± 44 |
| DØ J/ψ μ  | 1.3                      | 14753  | 881 ± 80 |

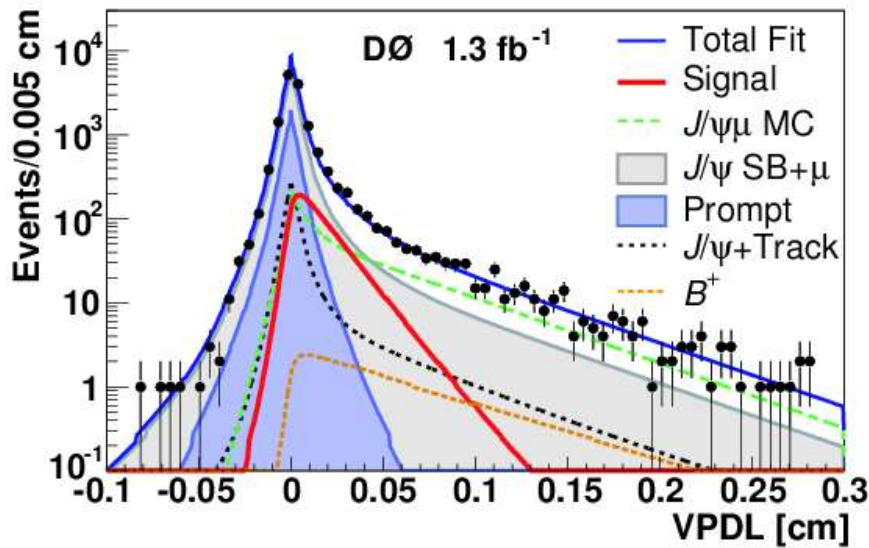
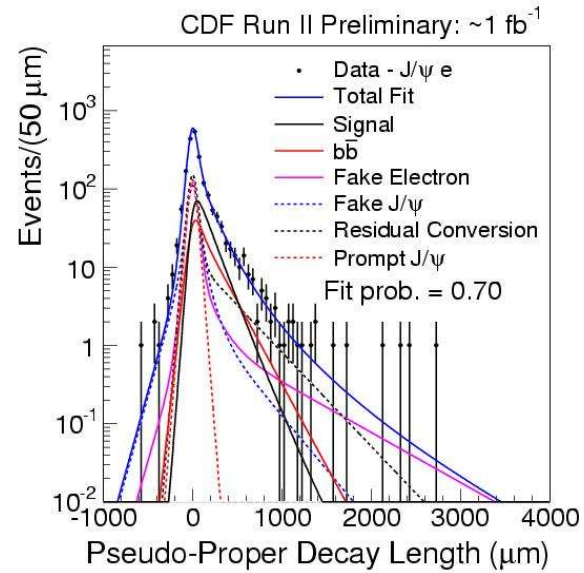
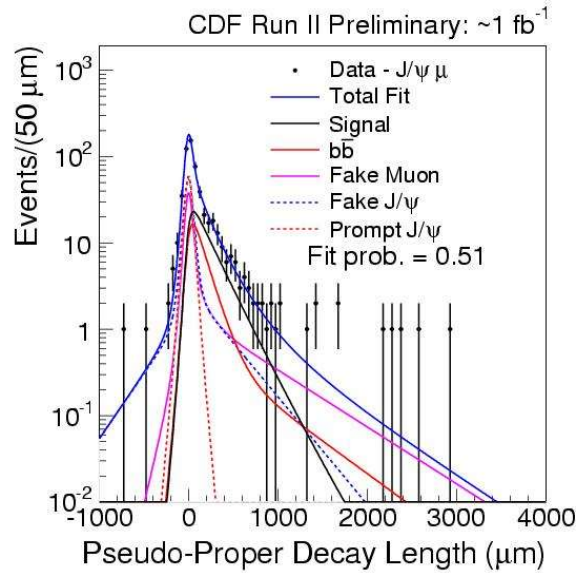
B<sub>c</sub> +  
prompt J/ψ



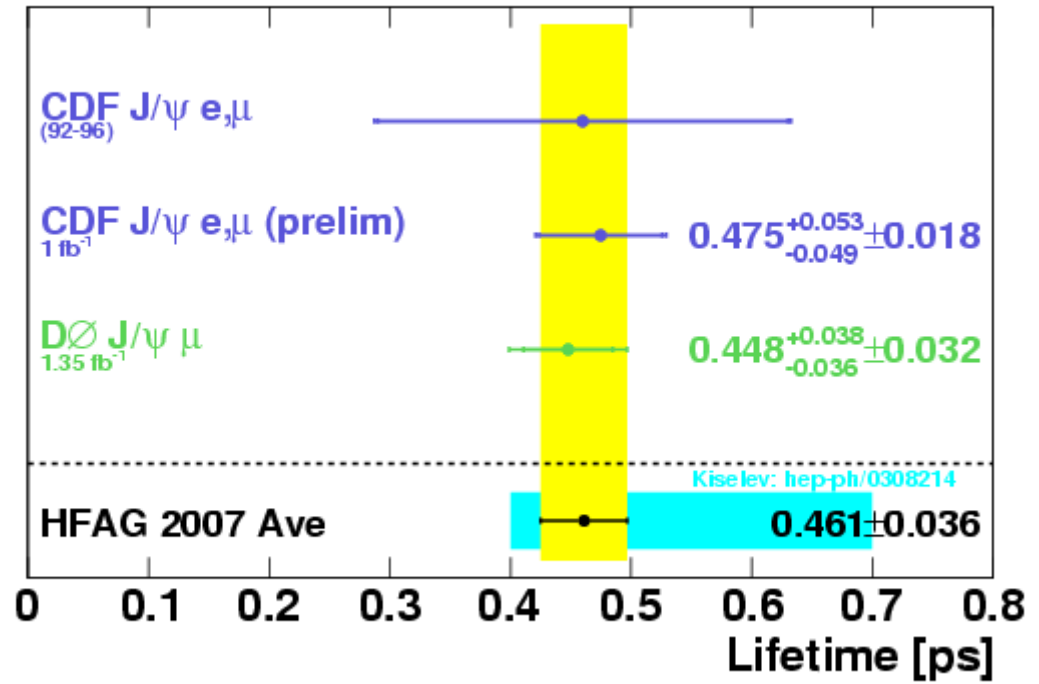




# B<sub>c</sub> Lifetime Measurements



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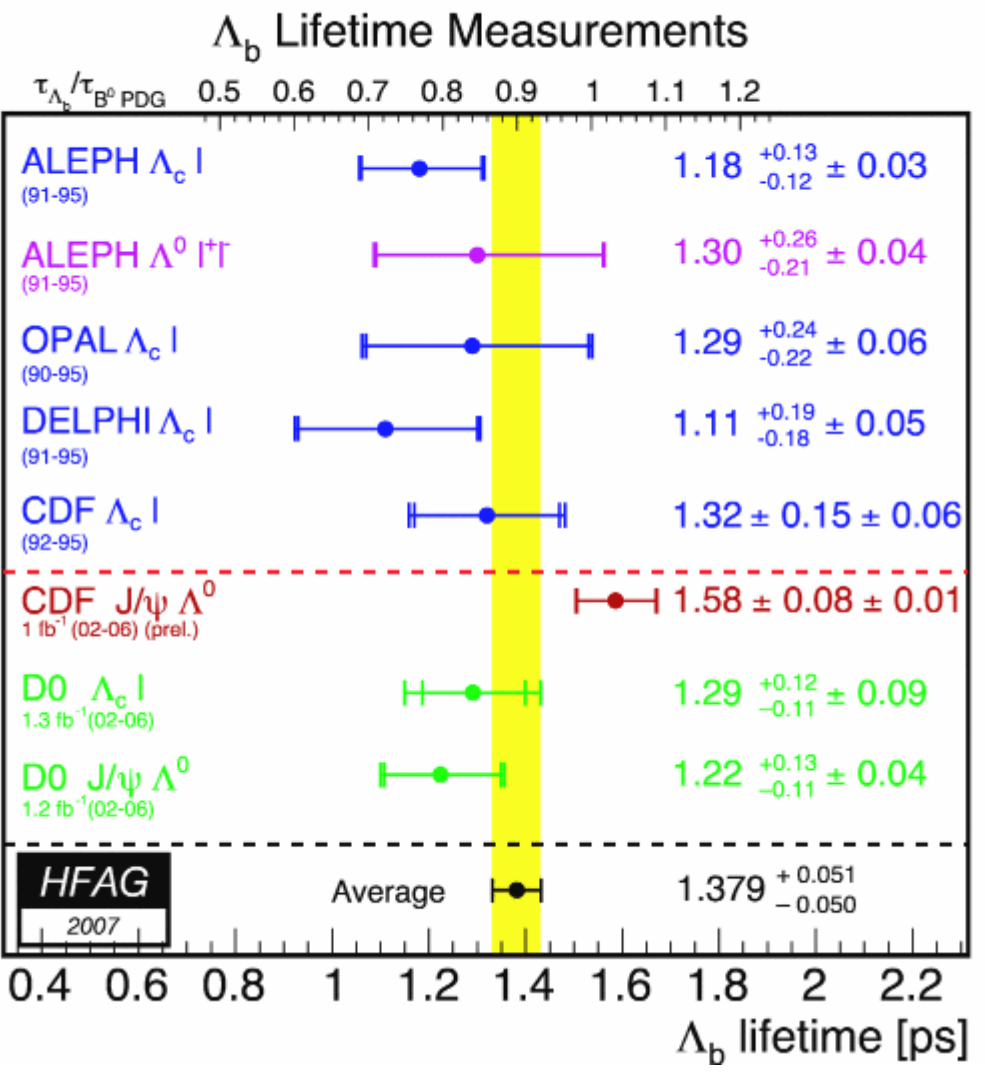
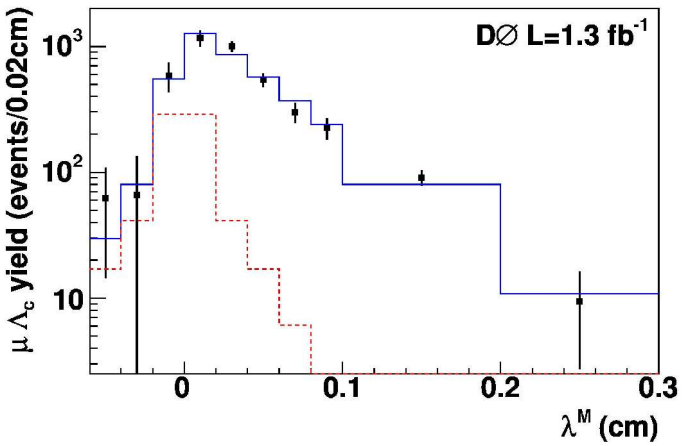
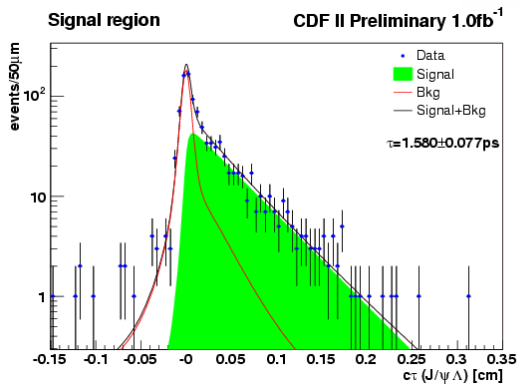
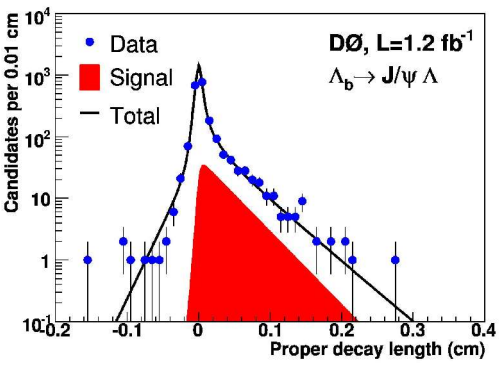




# $\Lambda_b$ Lifetime Measurements

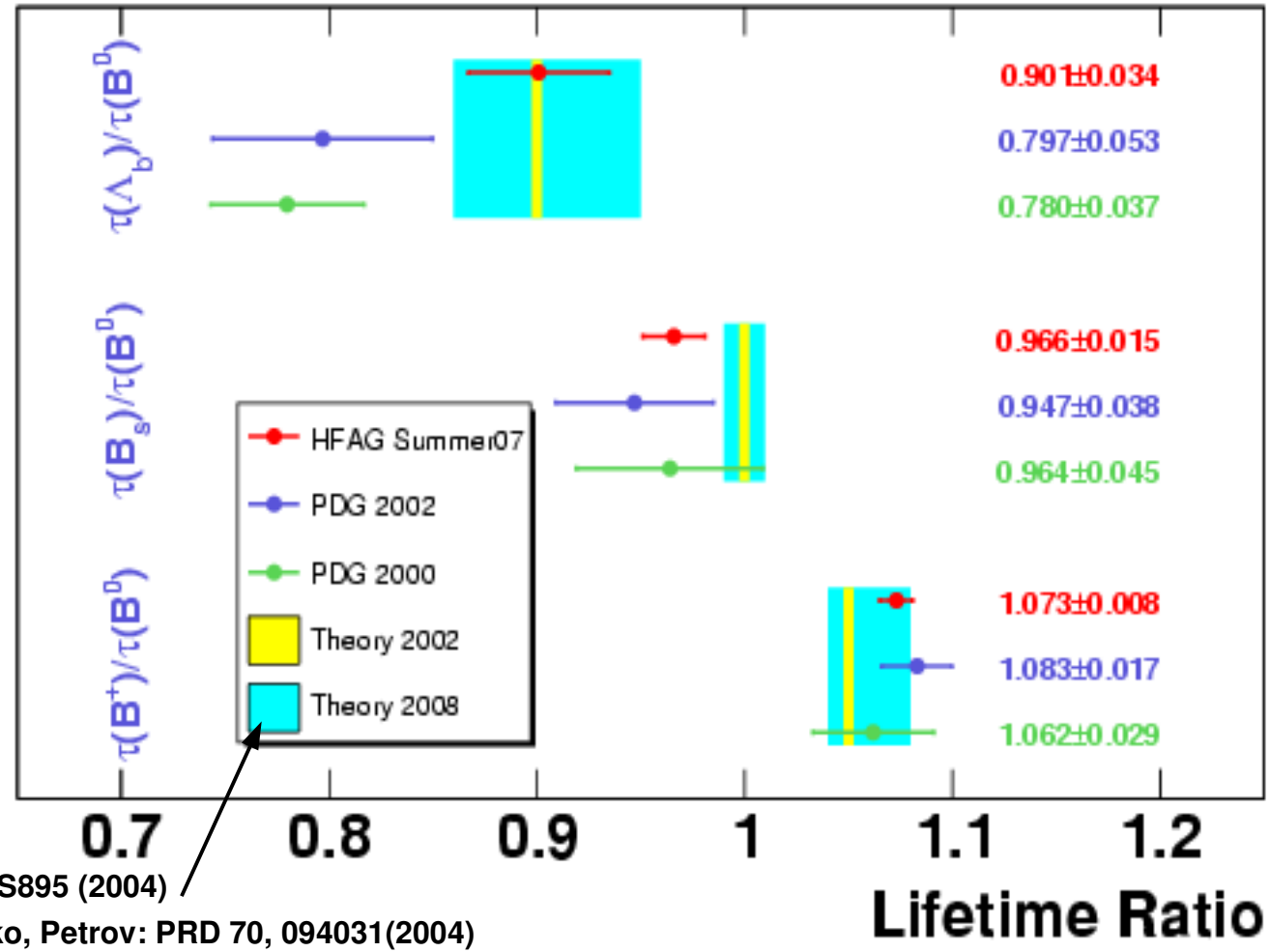
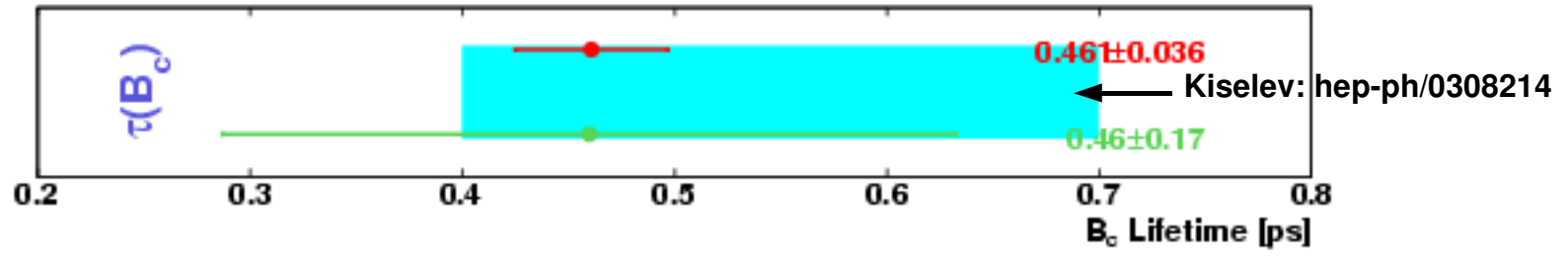
## Recent $\Lambda_b$ Lifetime Analyses

| Mode                                   | Lumi (fb <sup>-1</sup> ) | Signal     |
|--|--------------------------|------------|
| CDF $J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-) \Lambda(p\pi)$ | 1.0                      | 557 ± 40   |
| DØ $J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-) \Lambda(p\pi)$  | 1.2                      | 171 ± 20   |
| $\mu \Lambda_c(K_S p) X$               | 1.3                      | 3727 ± 499 |





# Lifetime Summary



Tarantino: EPJ C33, S895 (2004)

Gabbiani, Onischenko, Petrov: PRD 70, 094031(2004)

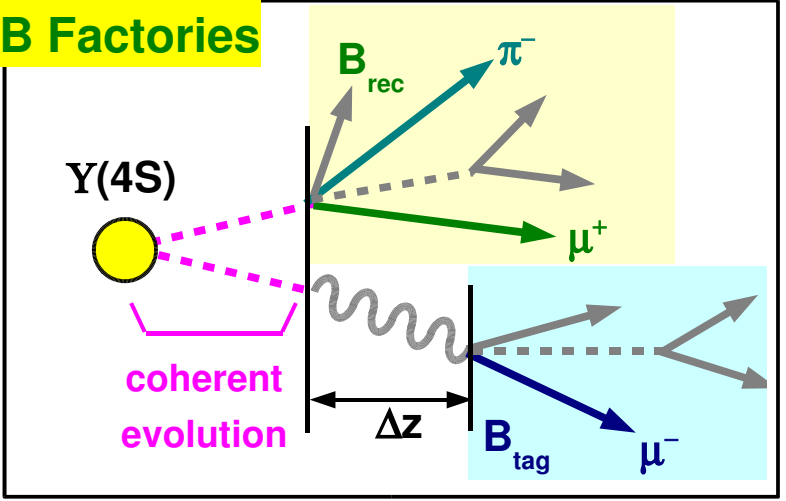
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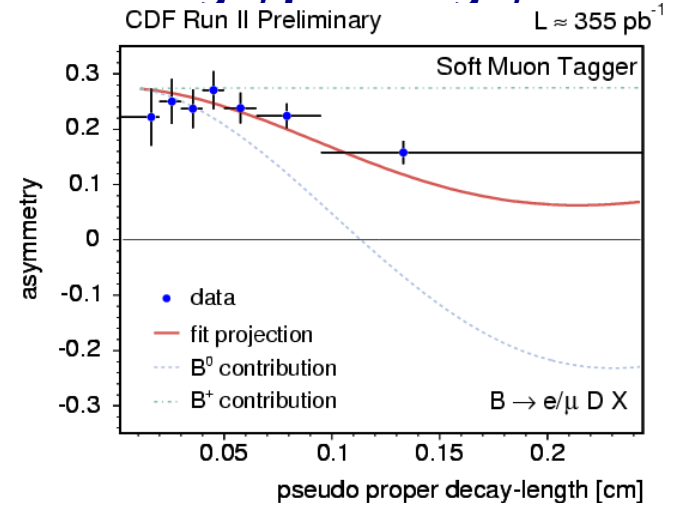
# Flavor Tagging for Mixing

## B Factories

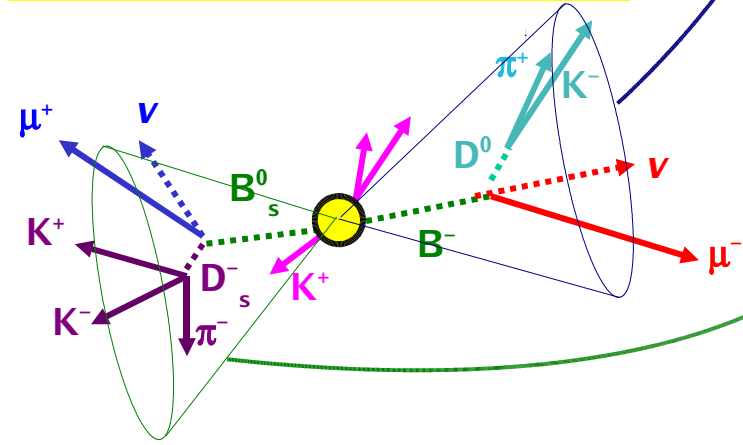


## Opposite Side Tag

- lepton sign, vertex charge, jet charge,...
- measure in  $B_d$  mixing

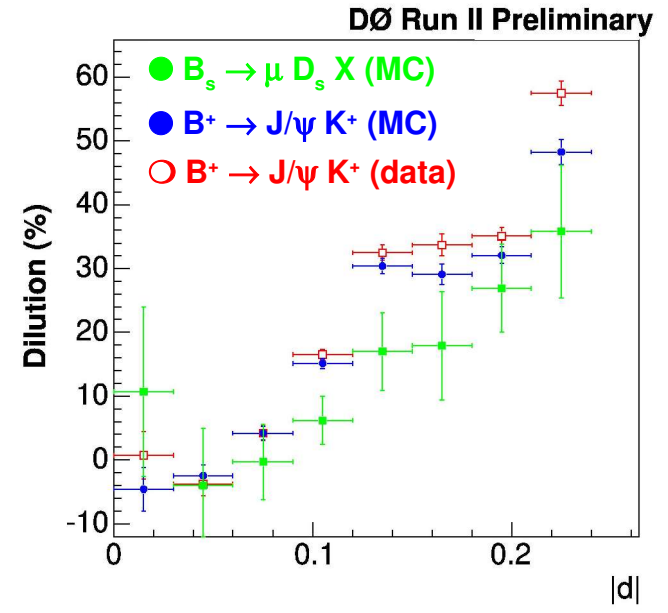


## Hadron Colliders & $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$



## Same Side Tag

- "Kaon" charge, jet charge,...
- calib using control sample data vs MC
- check using consist  $B_{d,s}$  mixing ( $A = 1$ )

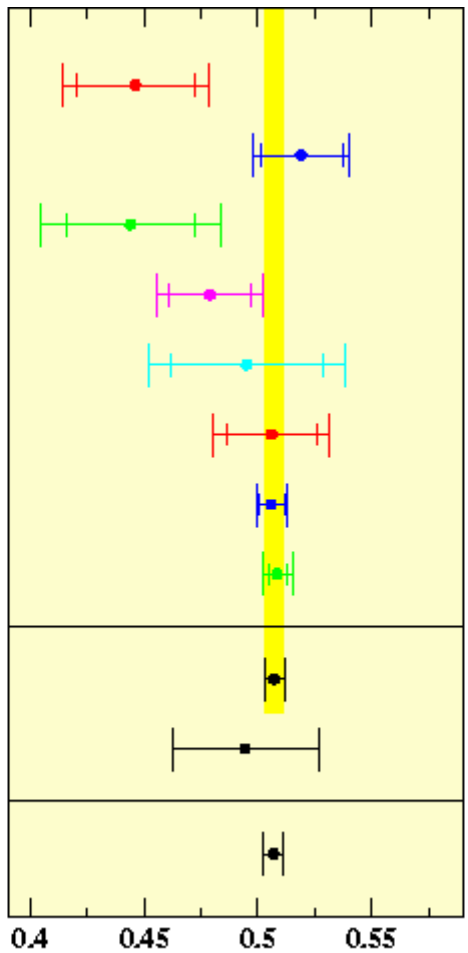


$$\langle \text{Significance} \rangle = \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon D^2}{2} \frac{S}{\sqrt{S+B}} \exp\left[\frac{-(\Delta m \sigma_t)^2}{2}\right]}$$



# B<sub>d</sub> Mixing

- ALEPH (3 analyses)
- DELPHI\* (5 analyses)
- L3 (3 analyses)
- OPAL (5 analyses)
- CDF1\* (4 analyses)
- D0 (1 analysis)
- BABAR\* (4 analyses)
- BELLE\* (3 analyses)



- $0.446 \pm 0.026 \pm 0.019 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.519 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.011 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.444 \pm 0.028 \pm 0.028 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.479 \pm 0.018 \pm 0.015 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.495 \pm 0.033 \pm 0.027 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.506 \pm 0.020 \pm 0.016 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.506 \pm 0.006 \pm 0.004 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.509 \pm 0.004 \pm 0.005 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.507 \pm 0.005 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.494 \pm 0.032 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
- $0.507 \pm 0.005 \text{ ps}^{-1}$

Average of above after adjustments

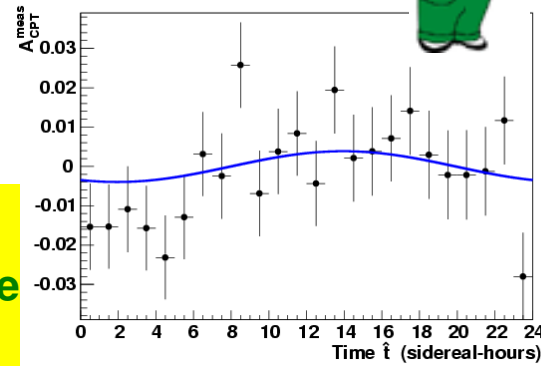
CLEO+ARGUS ( $\chi_d$  measurements)

World average for PDG 2008

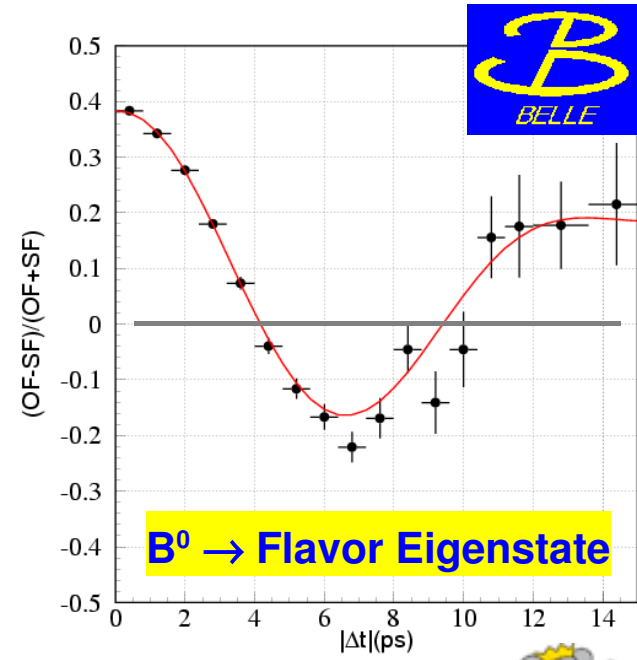
\* HFAG average without adjustments

$\Delta m_d \text{ (ps}^{-1}\text{)}$

**CPT Test using sidereal dependence of B<sup>0</sup> mixing**

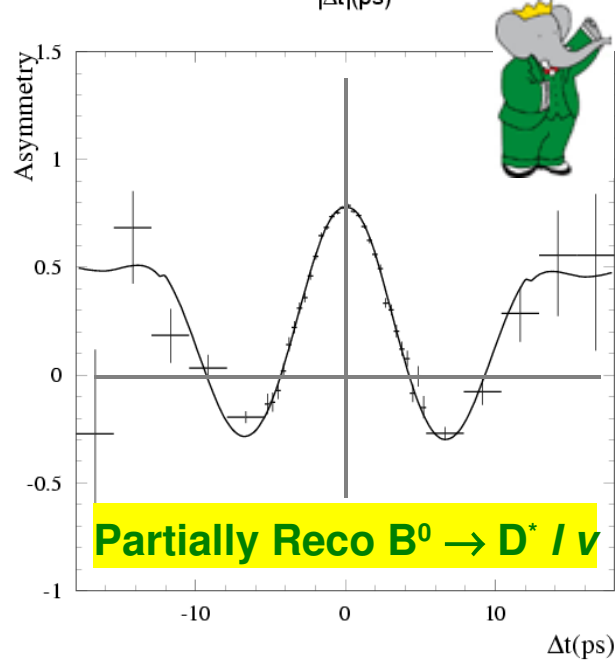


PRL 100, 131802 (2008)



**B<sup>0</sup> → Flavor Eigenstate**

PRD 71, 072003 (2005)



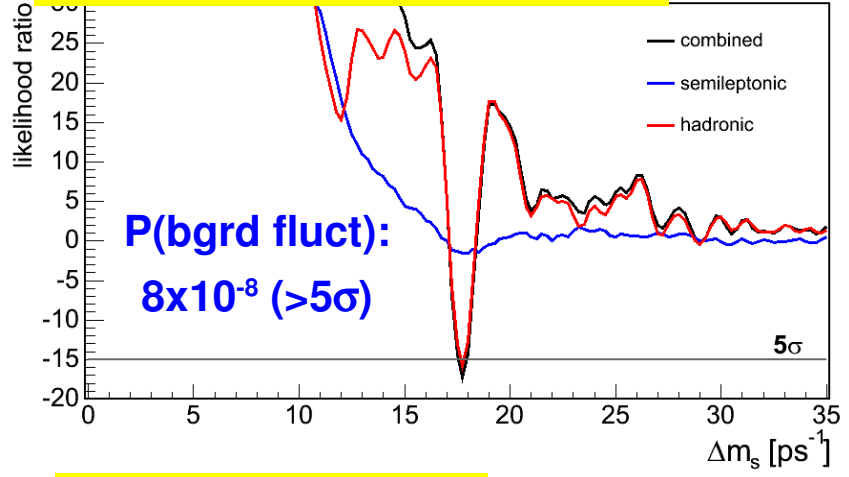
**Partially Reco B<sup>0</sup> → D\* / ν**

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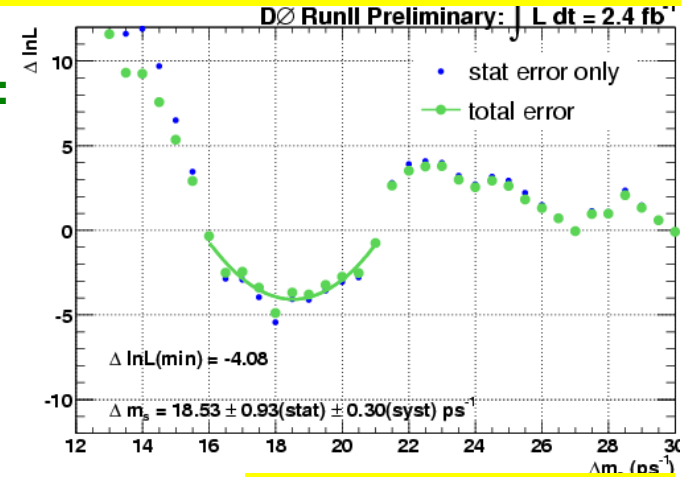
# B<sub>s</sub> Mixing

CDF: Combined – 1 fb<sup>-1</sup> – Sep. 2006



$\Delta m_s = 17.77$   
 $\pm 0.10 \pm 0.07 \text{ ps}^{-1}$

DØ prelim: Comb – 2.4 fb<sup>-1</sup> – Aug. 2007



P(bgnd fluct):  
 $4 \times 10^{-3} (2.9\sigma)$

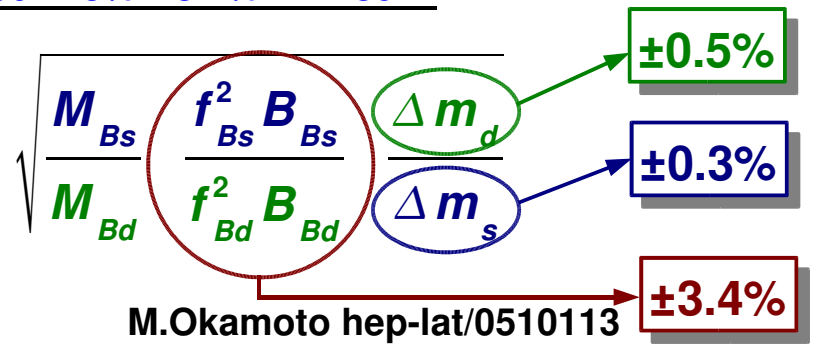
$\Delta m_s = 18.53$   
 $\pm 0.93 \pm 0.30 \text{ ps}^{-1}$

| Exp   | Mode                              | Sample | OST  | SST Sens [ps <sup>-1</sup> ] | $\langle \epsilon D^2 \rangle$ |
|-------|-----------------------------------|--------|------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ALEPH | Hadronic                          | 28.5   | 27%  | 13.6                         |                                |
| DØ    | $/ D_s(\phi\pi, K^*K, K_s^0 K)$   | 64,500 | 4.5% | 25.4                         |                                |
|       | $D_s(\phi\pi) \pi$                | 249    | 2.5% | 14.0                         |                                |
| CDF   | $/ D_s(\text{all})$               | 61,500 | 1.8% | 4.8%                         | 19.3                           |
|       | $D_s(\phi\pi, K^*K, 3\pi) (3)\pi$ | 8,700  | 1.8% | 3.7%                         | 30.7                           |

$\langle \text{CDF, DØ} \rangle$

$$\left| \frac{V_{td}}{V_{ts}} \right| = 0.2060 \pm 0.0012 (\text{exp})_{-0.0060}^{+0.0081} (\text{theor})$$

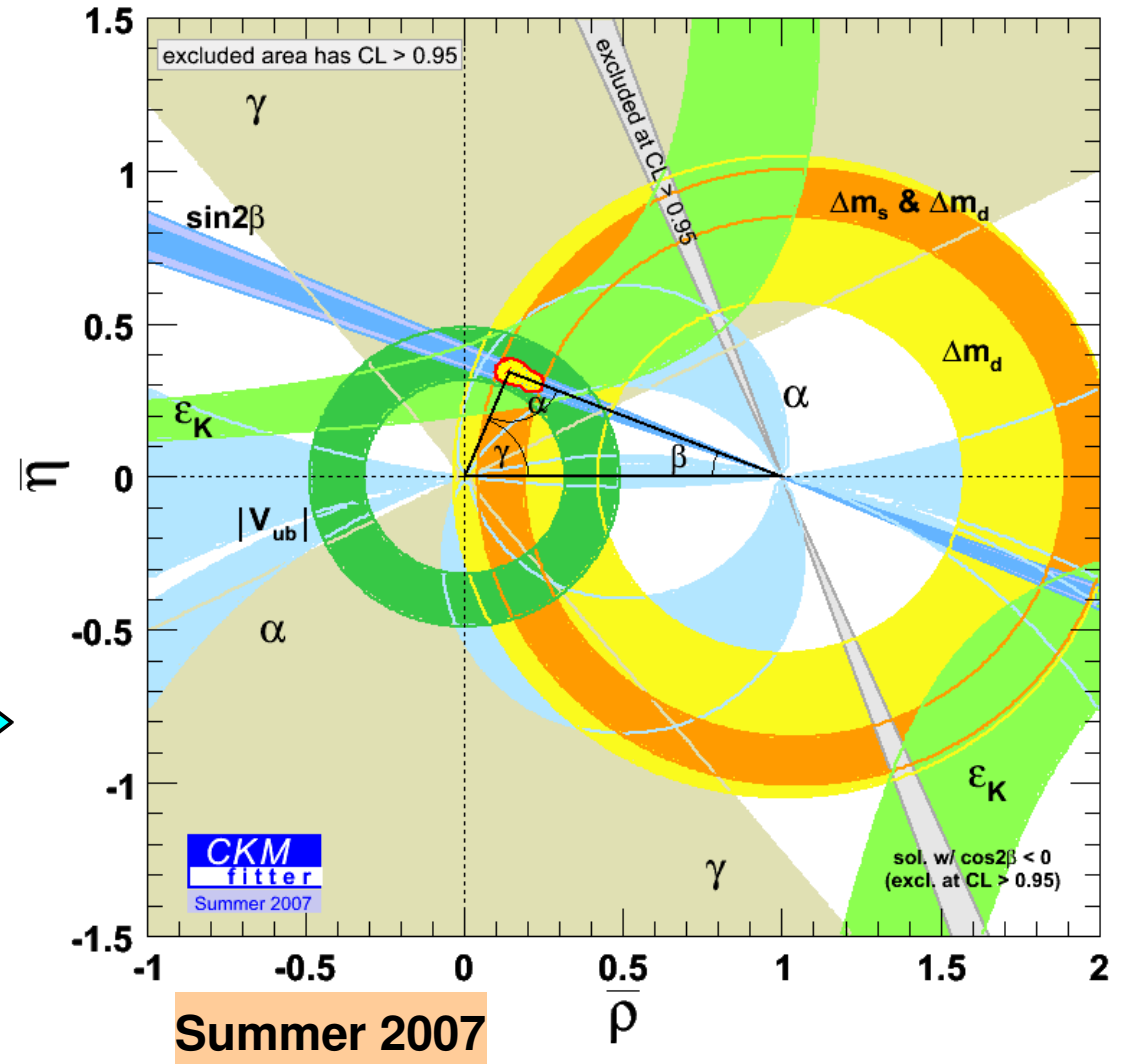
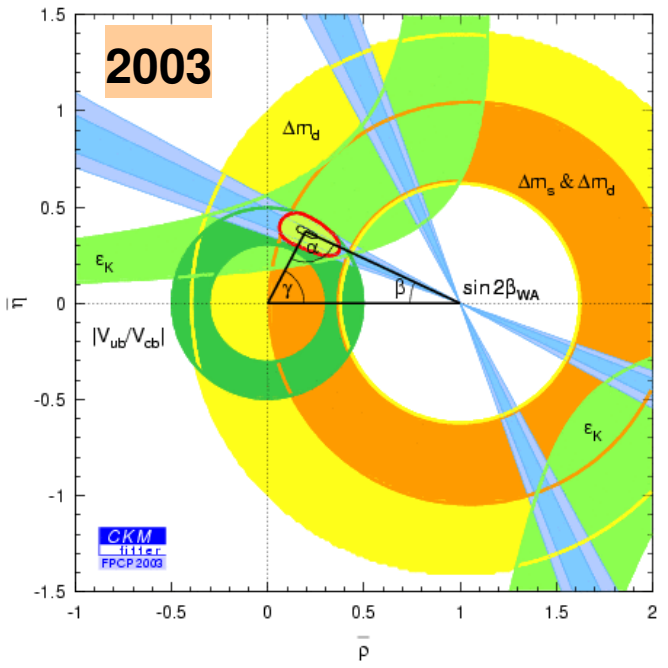
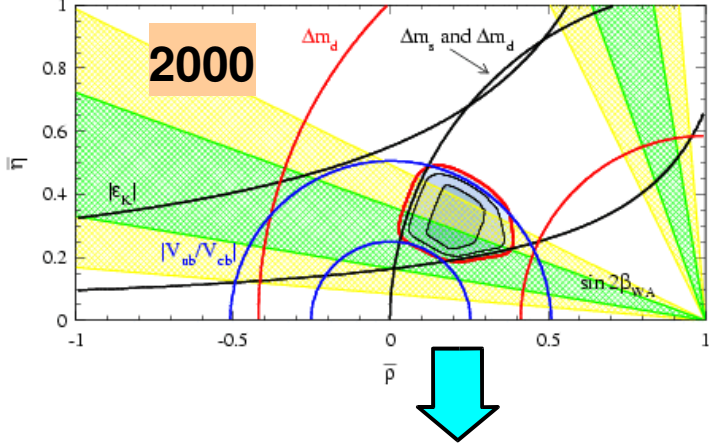
BaBar and Belle Ave:  $0.200 \pm 0.016 (\text{exp})_{-0.015}^{+0.016} (\text{theo}) \left( \frac{B \rightarrow \rho \gamma}{B \rightarrow K^* \gamma} \right)$





# Mixing and the U.T.

CKMFitter 2001: without  $\sin 2\beta$  constraint



**Consistent with Minimal Flavor Violation – but still room for Surprises !**



# Summary & Future Prospects

## Remarkable Progress in B Physics since start of B-Factories & Run II

| Measurement  | Improvement in Accuracy since 2000            |
|--------------|---|
| Lifetimes    | factor of ~2 + significant advances in theory |
| $B^0$ mixing | >factor of 3                                  |
| $B_s$ mixing | 1 <sup>st</sup> observation – 0.3% accuracy   |

## The Future

| Measurement                                  | Status  |
|--|---|
| $\tau(B^0)$                                  | systematics limited   |
| $\tau(B_s)$                                  | flavor specific: approaching syst limit<br>J/ $\psi$ $\phi$ analysis will continue as part of CPV studies |
| $B_c, \Lambda_b, \Xi_b, \dots$               | statistics limited – focus of future lifetime work  |
| $\Delta m_d, \Delta m_s ( V_{td} / V_{ts} )$ | dominated by theory error $\Rightarrow$ opportunity for lattice   |





# Backup Slides



# CKM Matrix and Mixing

$$V^{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Delta m_q = \frac{G_F^2}{6\pi^2} \eta_B S \left( \frac{M_t^2}{M_W^2} \right) M_W^2 M_{Bq} \hat{B}_{Bq} f_{Bq}^2 |V_{tb} V_{tq}^*|^2$$