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- **What's new in RPP 2014**
- **Heavy Flavor Averaging Group Activities (HFAG)**
- **Prospects for 2016 Edition**

B Overseers: Alex Cerri (Sussex, GB) and Wei-Ming Yao

Encoders: Y. Kwon (Yonsei, Korea), J. Smith (retired), M. Kreps (Warwick, UK), **Paula Eerola (Helsinki, Finland) is replacing Jim.**

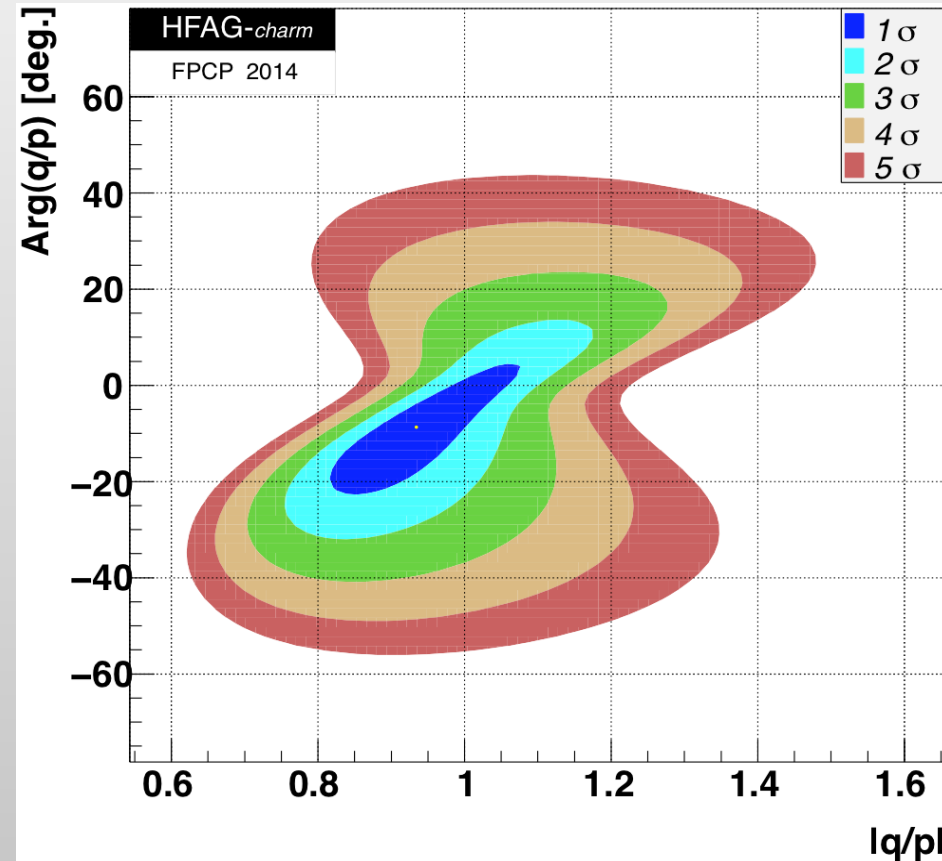
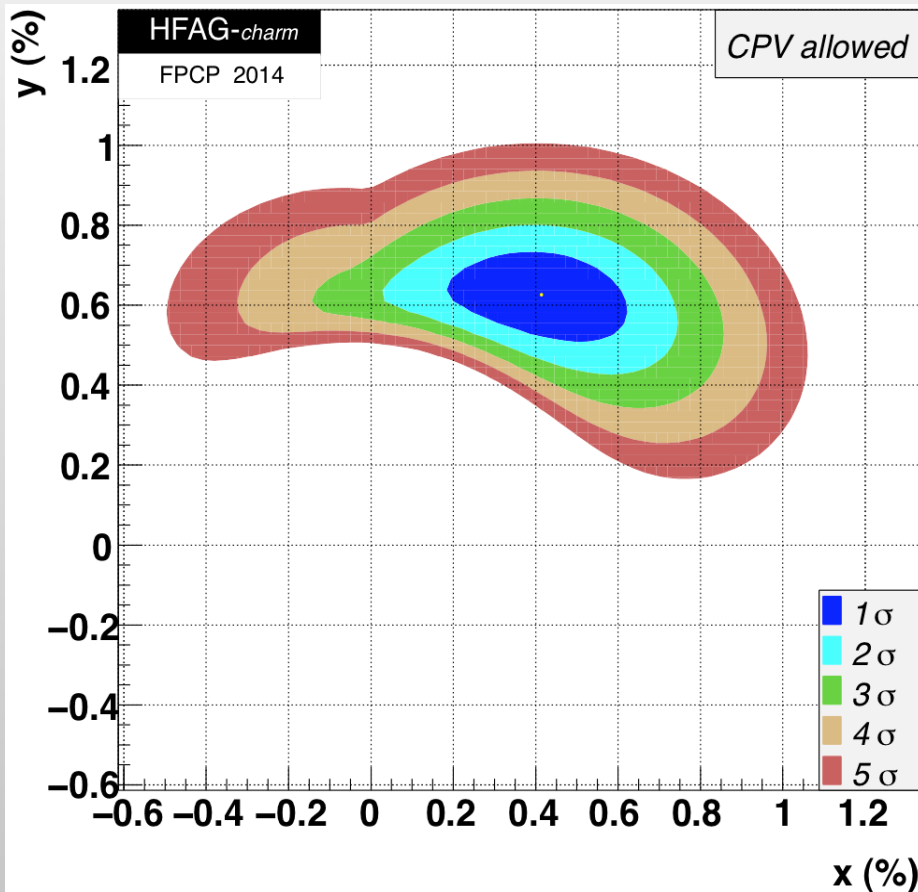
Charm Overseers: Charles Wohl and Wei-Ming Yao (D-mix)

Encoders: J. Rademacker (Bristol, UK) and D. Asner (PNNL, US)

Top Overseer: Wei-Ming Yao; encoder: K. Hagiwara (KEK, Japan)

- Charm measurements are steady in RPP.
- 31 papers and 149 measurements were encoded for this edition.
- **Highlights:**
 - Including updated D^0 - D^0 bar mixing and CPV from LHCb.
 - **All data are consistent with SM.**
- **Excellent mini reviews:**
 - Leptonic decays of charmed pseudo-scalar mesons (J. L. Rosner and S. Stone)
 - $D\bar{D}$ bar mixing (D. Asner)
 - D_s^+ Branching fractions (J. L. Rosner and C.G. Wohl)

- D0-D0bar mixing has been observed, but no CPV observed yet.
- $x=\Delta m/\Gamma$, $y=\Delta\Gamma/\Gamma$ and q/p are CPV parameters.



- Most charm baryons are observed, but limited by $B(\Lambda_c \rightarrow pK\pi) = 5.0 \pm 1.3\%$ (26%).
- Recent Belle measured $B(\Lambda_c \rightarrow pK\pi) = 6.84^{+0.32}_{-0.40}\%$ with precision of 5.3% using $e^+e^- \rightarrow D^{(*)} p\bar{b} \pi^+ \Lambda_c^+$ (Zupanc et al. PRL 113 (2014) 042002), **big step forward!**

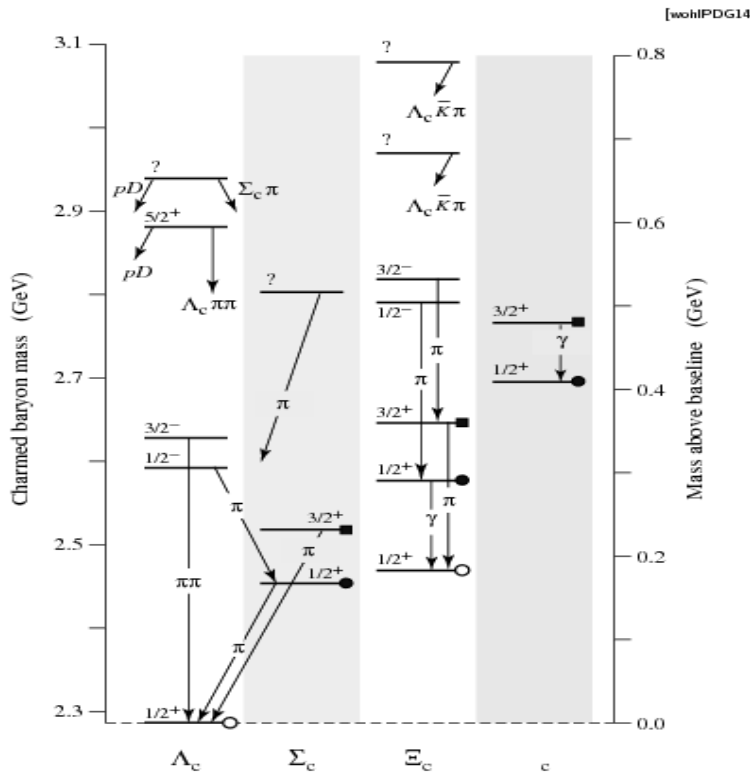


Figure 1. There are a lot of established c baryons, 17 in all.

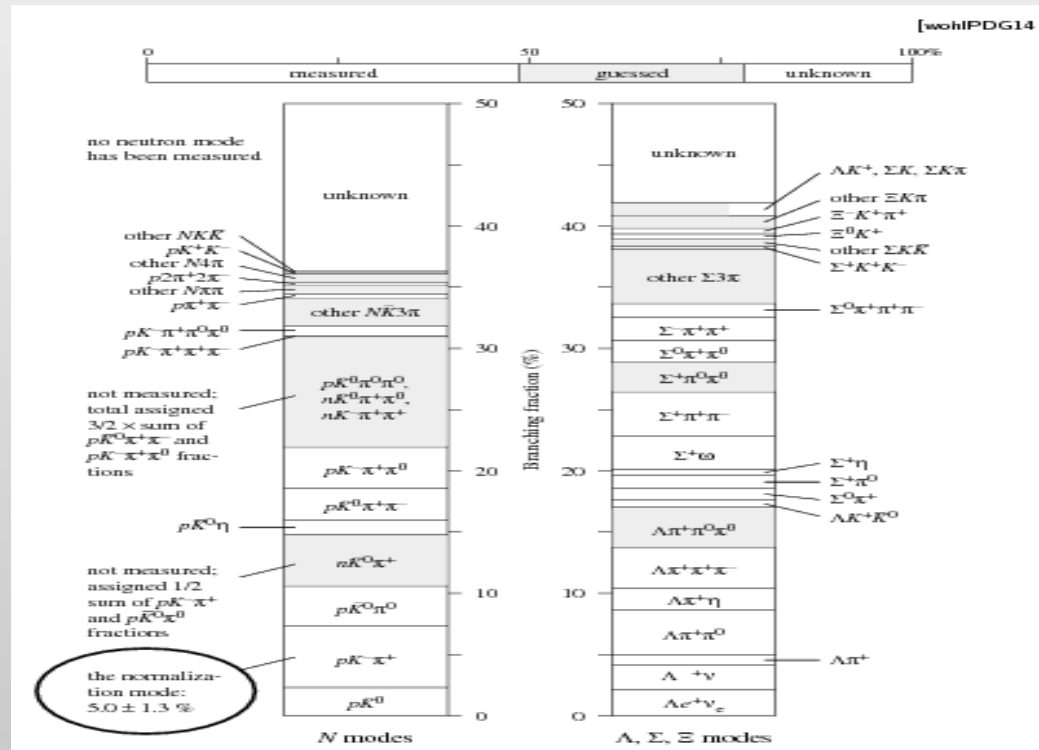
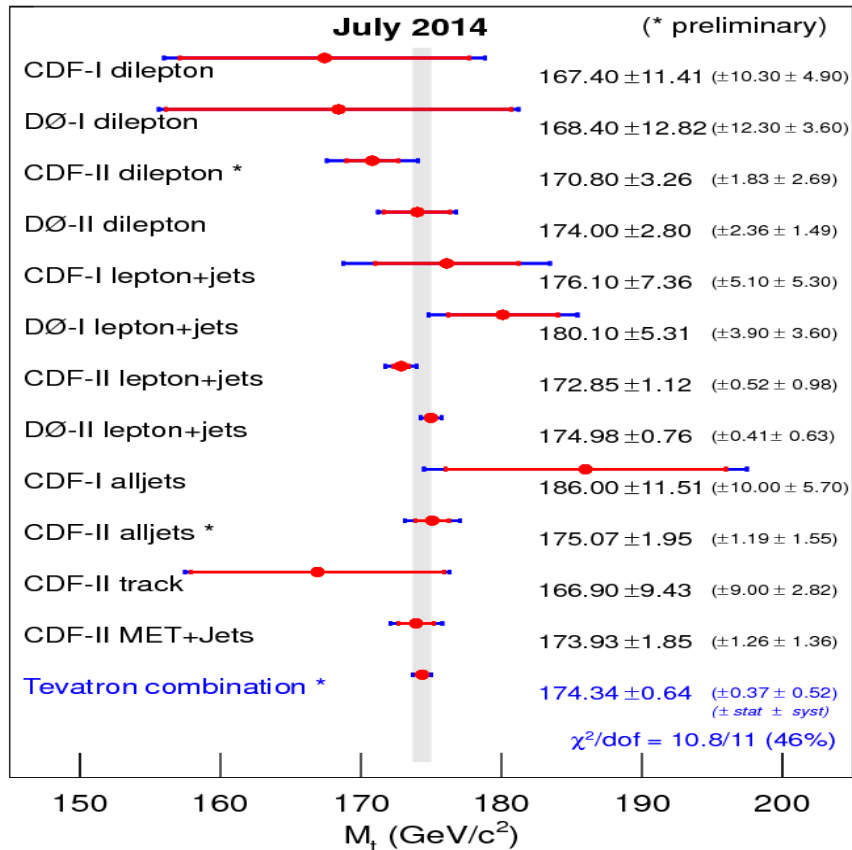


Figure 2. The Λ_c branching fractions for the 2002–2014 Reviews. The normalization fraction is from two discordant, model-dependent measurements, with a $\pm 26\%$ error.

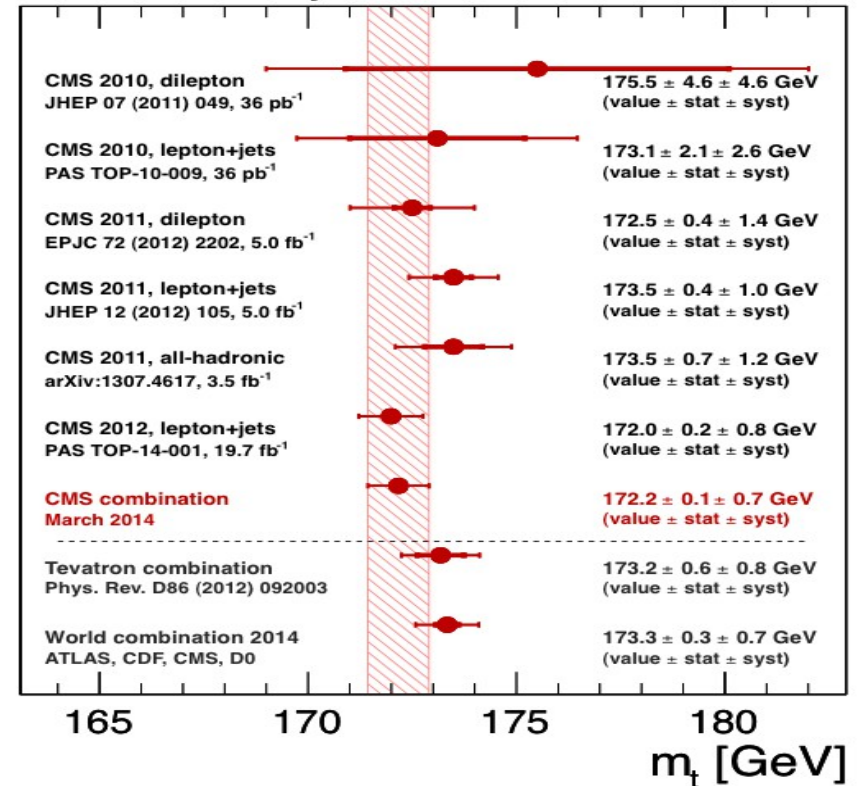
- Top physics and searches with top become more productive in LHC era.
- 51(t)+15(t',b') papers and 89 measurements were encoded for this edition.
- **Highlights:**
 - Including most precise top mass measurements from LHC and Tevatron experiments.
 - **All data are consistent with SM.**
- **Excellent mini review:**
 - The Top Quark (T.M. Liss, F. Maltoni and A. Quadt)
 - Major revision, theory part is strengthened by Fabio.

- Uncertainty on top mass measurement is $< 0.4\%$, but what's exactly measured?
- There are some tensions between Tevatron (174.34 ± 0.64 GeV) and LHC measurements ($172.2 \pm 0.1 \pm 0.7$ GeV).

Mass of the Top Quark

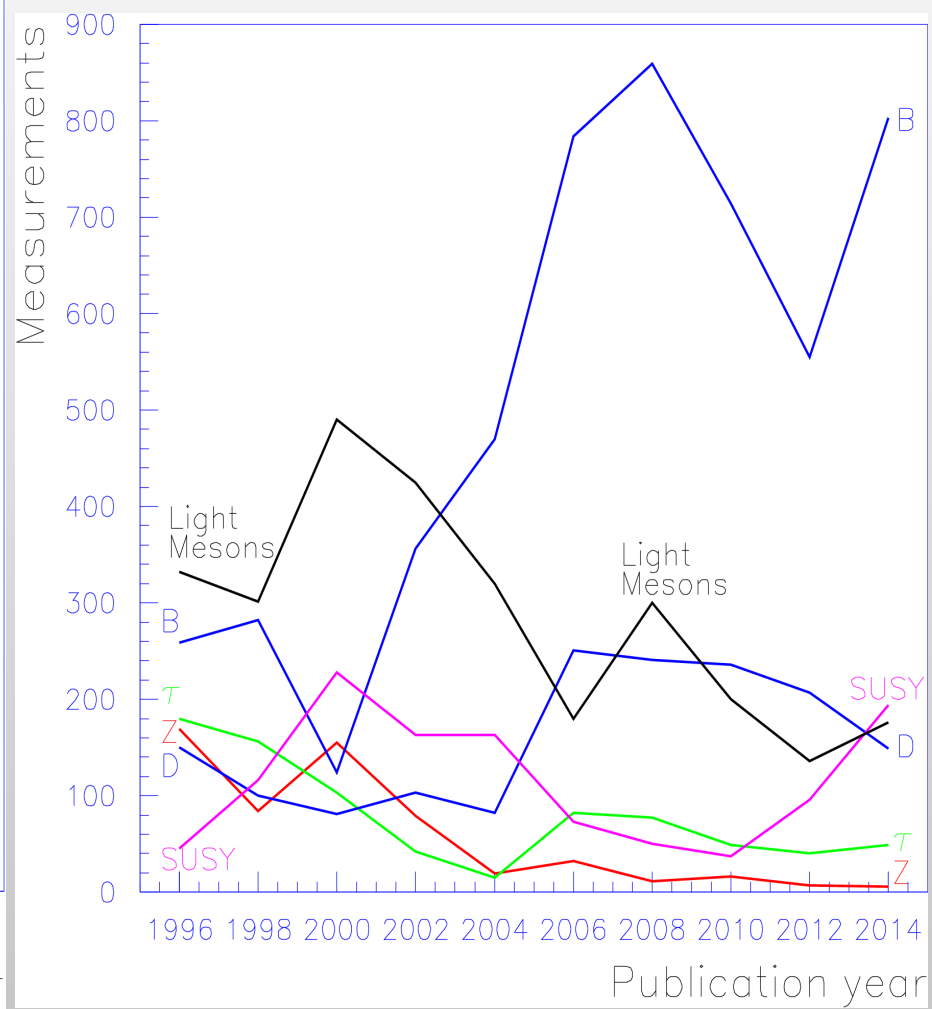
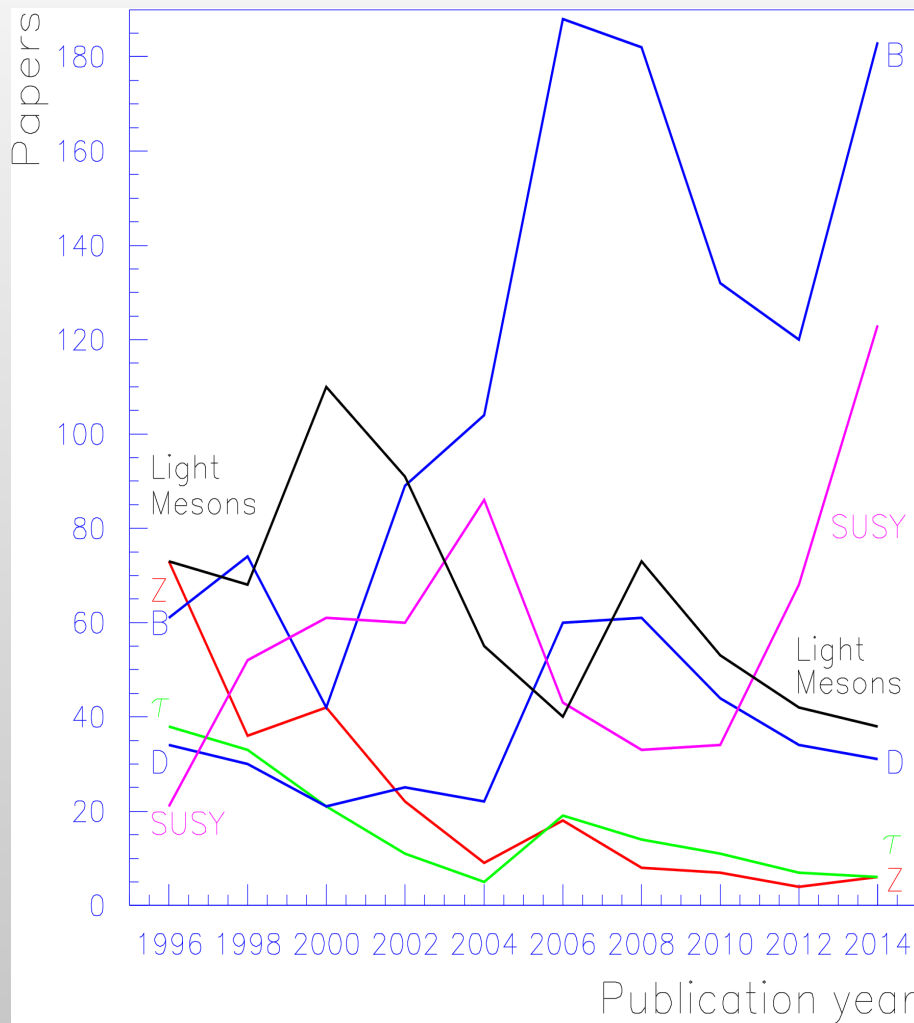


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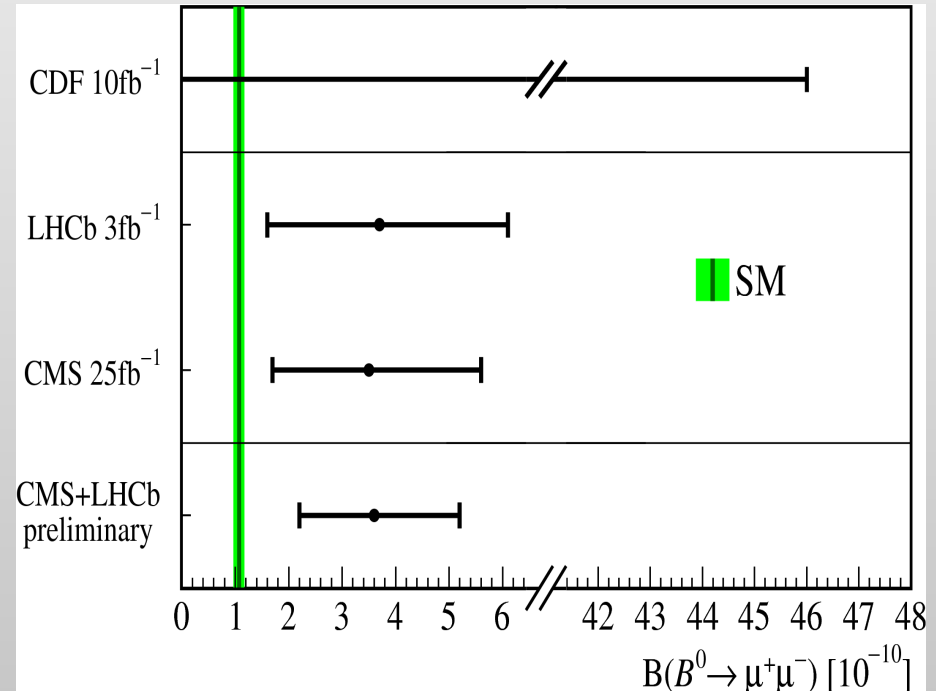
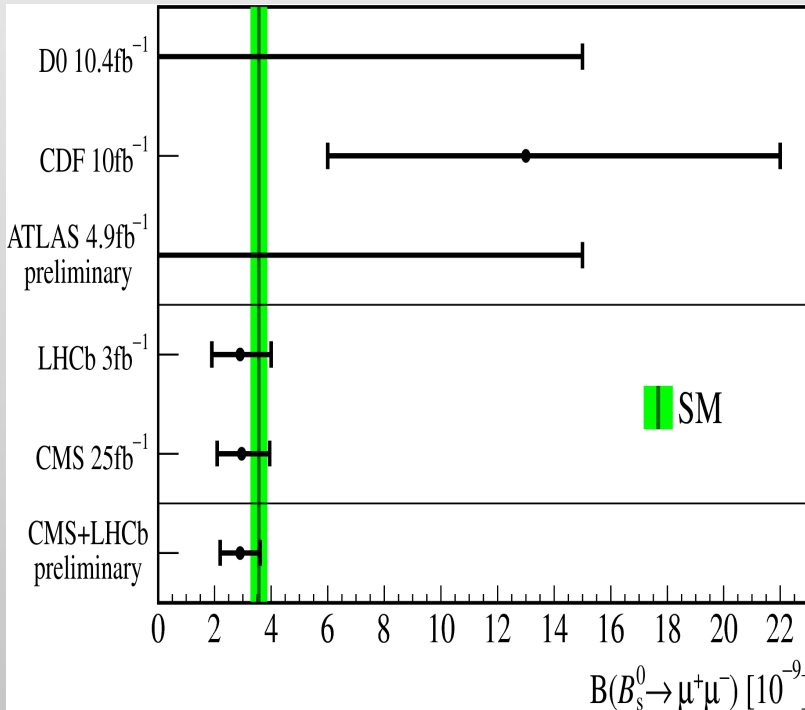
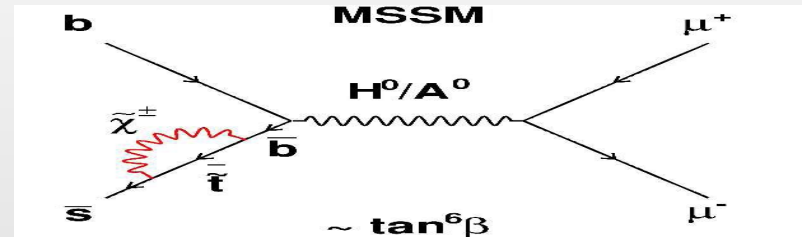


- **B physics continues to be one of the most productive fields in RPP.**
- **183 papers and 803 measurements were encoded for this edition.**
- **Highlights:**
 - Including first observation of $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ from LHCb and CMS.
 - Many more precised measurements and fewer anomalies.
 - **Unfortunately, all data are consistent with SM.**
- **Excellent mini reviews:**
 - B production and decays (Kwon, Kreps, and Smith)
 - $B\bar{B}$ mixing (Schneider)
 - V_{cb}/V_{ub} determinations (Kowalewski and Mannel)
 - B Polarization (Gritsan and Smith)

B's are going strong, thanks for the success of LHC experiments !



- $B_{s(d)} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ is highly suppressed in SM, sensitive to NP ($\sim \tan^6 \beta$).
- CMS and LHCb combination:
 - $B(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (2.9 \pm 0.7) \times 10^{-9}$ (6.2σ).
 - $B(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.6 \pm 1.6 - 1.4) \times 10^{-10}$ (3.2σ).

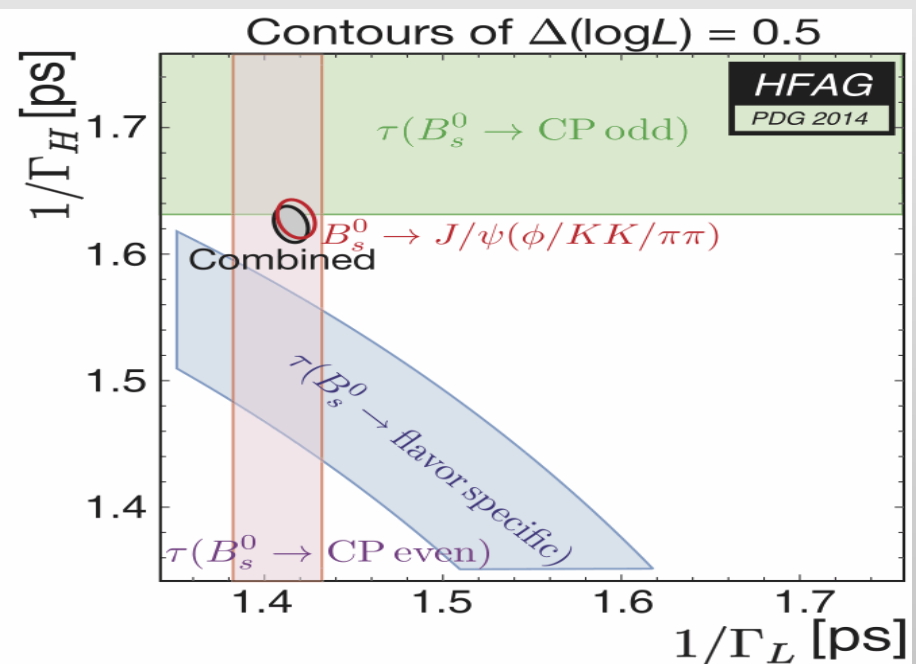
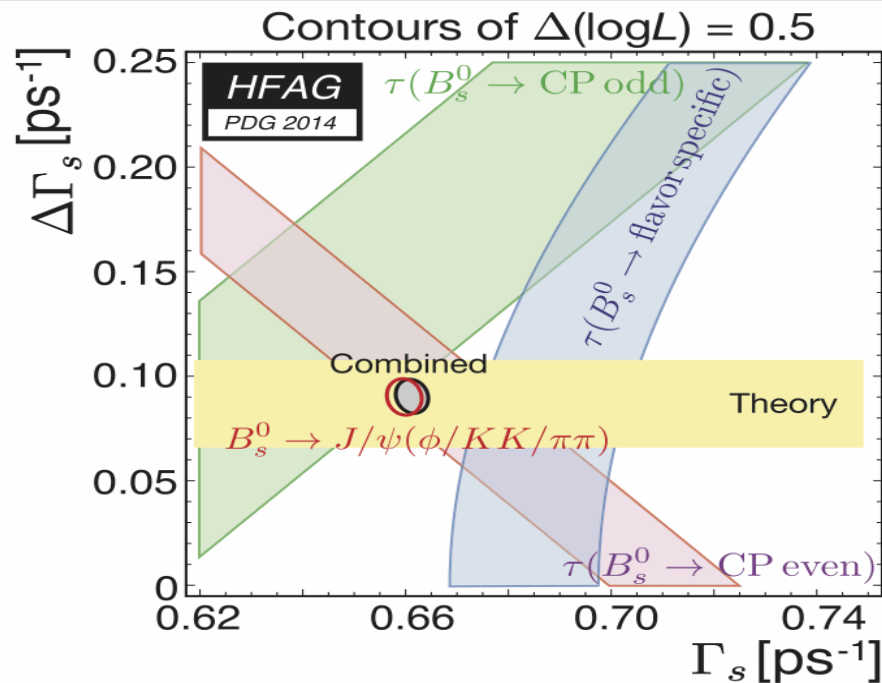


- B_s short and long states have been measured precisely.

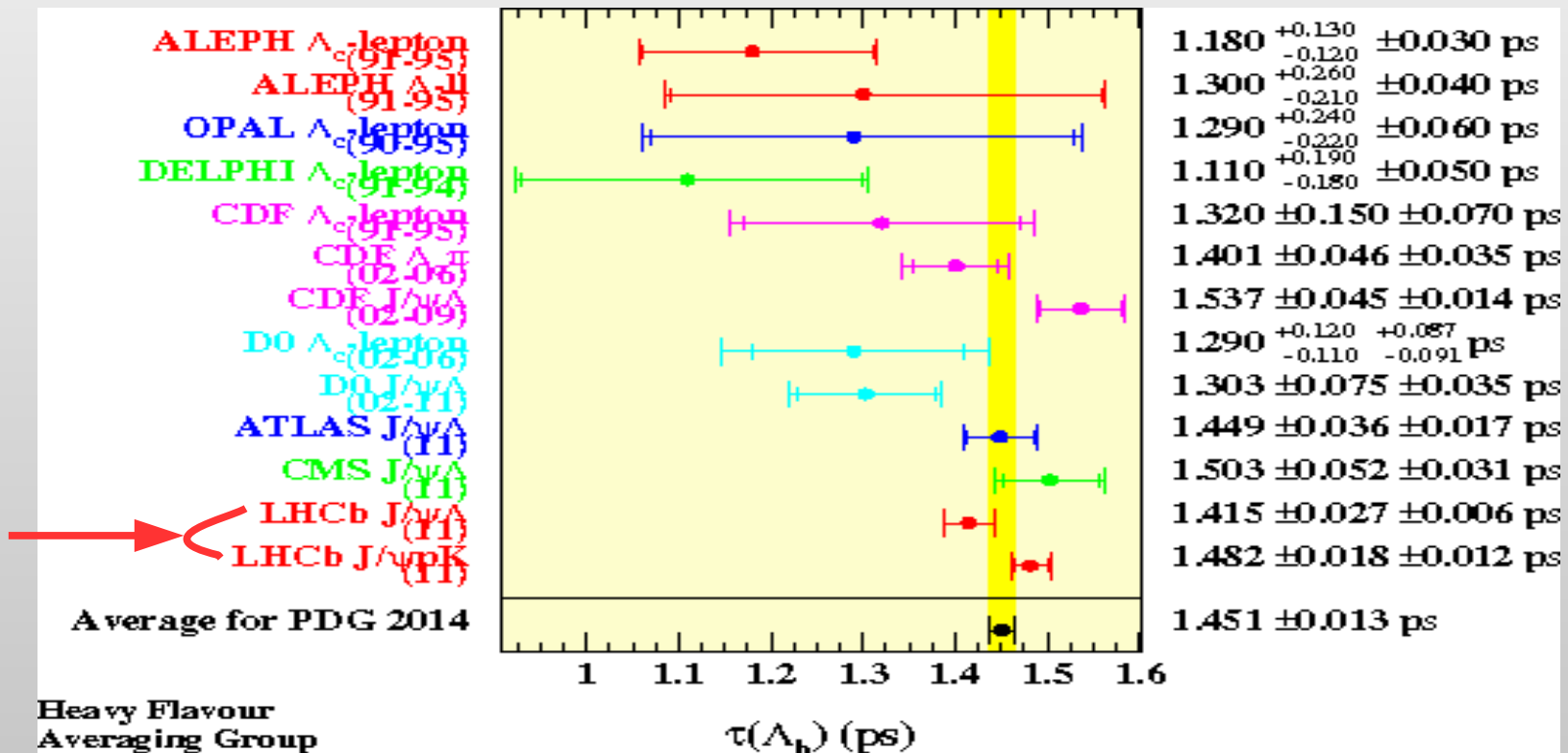
CP-odd final state	effective lifetime from single exponential fits
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi f_0, J/\psi \pi\pi$	1.656 ± 0.033 ps
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0$	1.75 ± 0.14 ps
Average of above	1.661 ± 0.032 ps

CP-even final state	effective lifetime from single exponential fits
$B_s \rightarrow K^+ K^-$	1.452 ± 0.042 ps
$B_s \rightarrow D_s^+ D_s^-$	1.379 ± 0.031 ps
Average of above	1.405 ± 0.025 ps

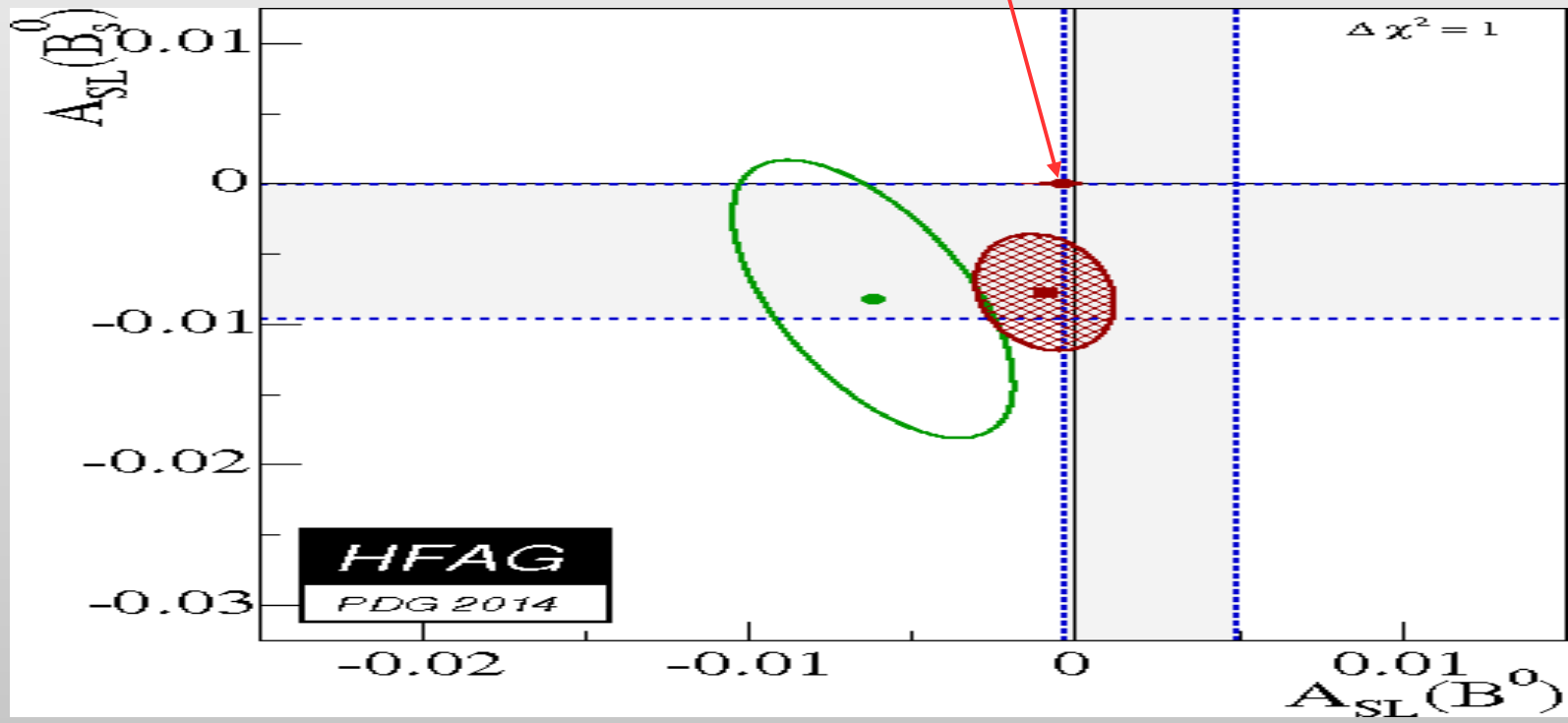
mixture of the two B _s mass eigenstates	effective lifetime from single exponential fits
$B_s \rightarrow$ flavour specific	1.465 ± 0.031 ps
$B_s \rightarrow D_s X$	1.469 ± 0.031 ps
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$	1.479 ± 0.012 ps



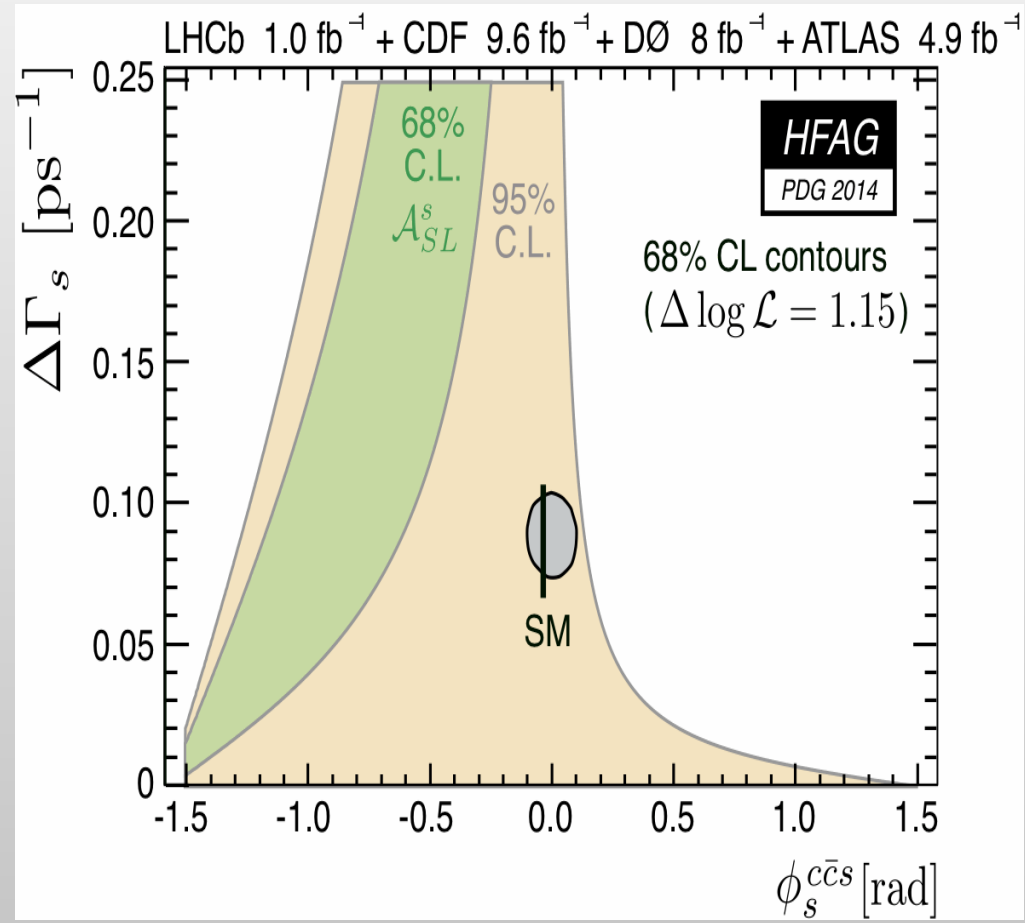
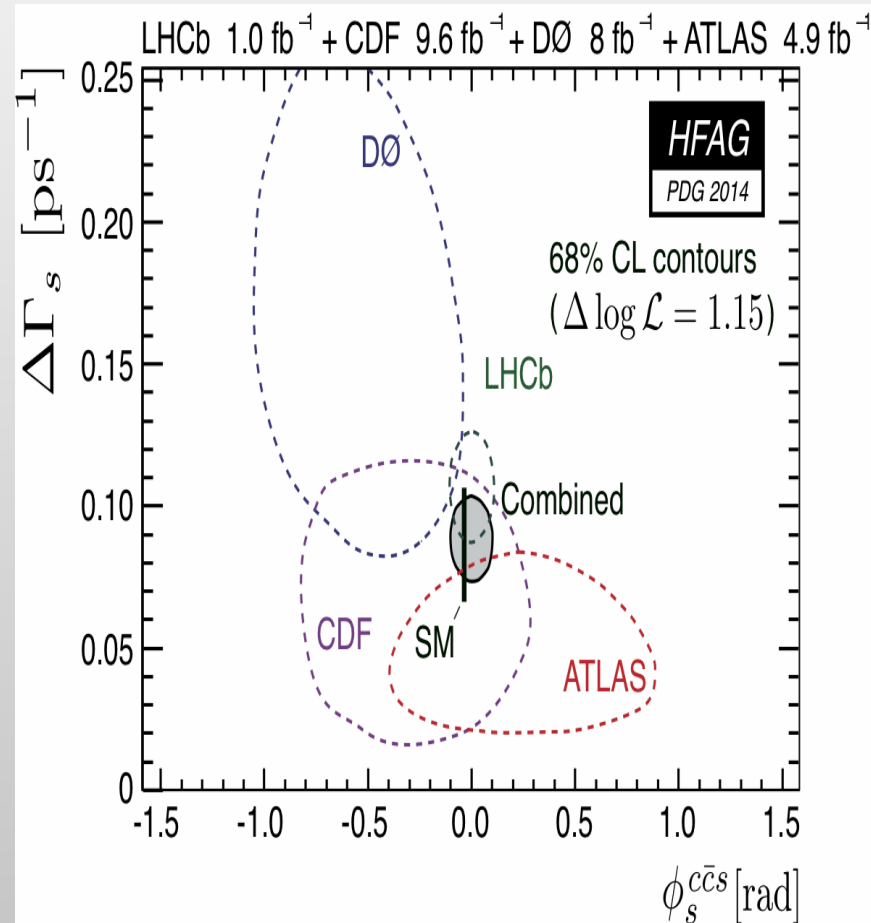
- A long-standing mystery of the Λ_b lifetime is resolved.
 - $\tau(\Lambda_b) = 1.451 \pm 0.013$ (ps)
 - $\tau(\Lambda_b)/\tau(B_0) = 0.955 \pm 0.009$, close to 1 by HQE prediction.



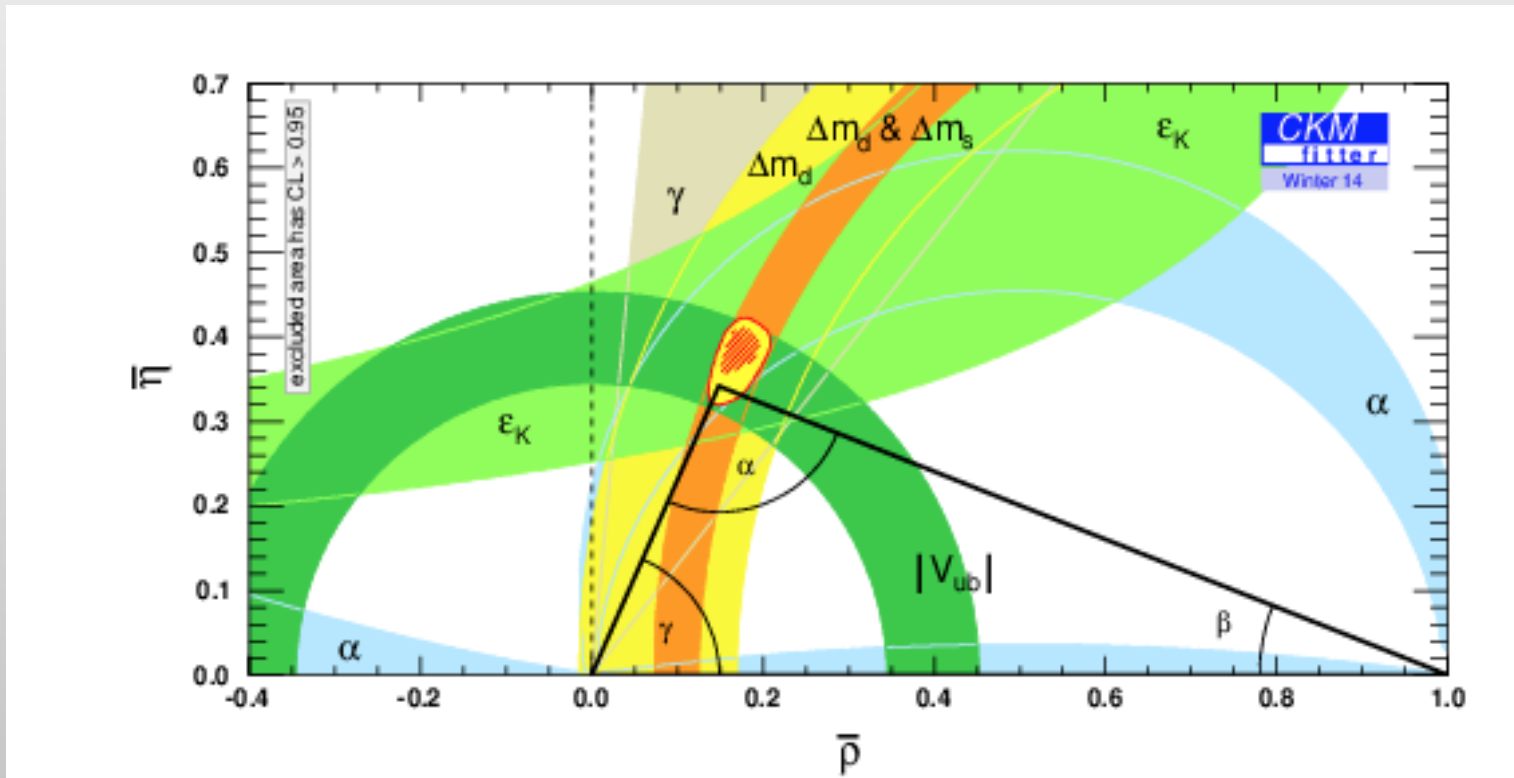
- $a_{sl}(B_{d,s}) = (N^{++} - N^{--}) / (N^{++} + N^{--})$
 - D0 measurement (green) is 3σ from SM.
 - World average (red):
 - $a_{sl}(B_0) = -0.0009 \pm 0.0021$
 - $a_{sl}(B_s) = -0.0077 \pm 0.0042$ ($< 2\sigma$ from SM)



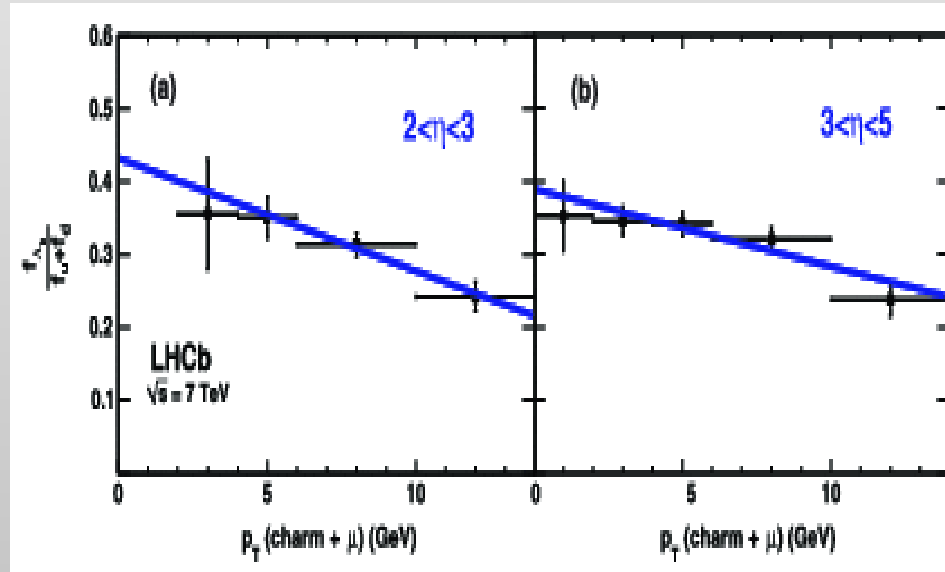
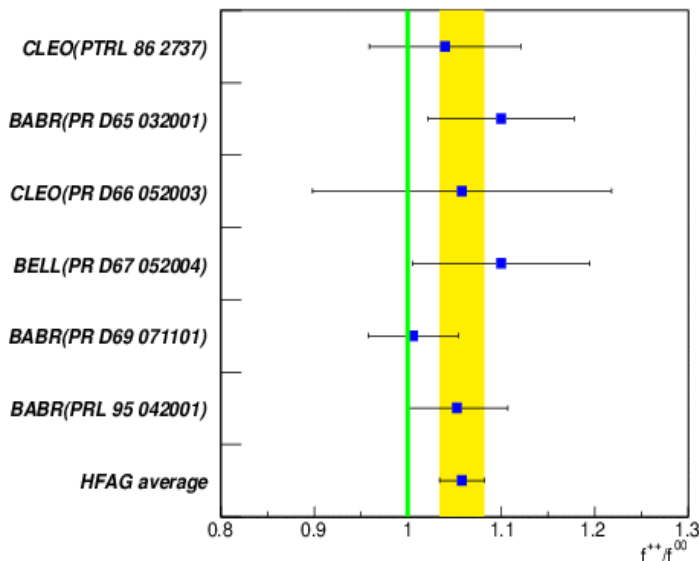
- $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ measures B_s mixing phase $-2\beta_s(\varphi_s)$, **Sensitive to NP at loop.**
- CDF, D0, LHCb, and ATLAS updated results, is consistent with SM.



- Most CKM elements are measured based on branching ratios or decay asymmetry with some help of theoretical assumptions.
- B section provides: Δm_d , Δm_s , φ_1 , φ_2 , φ_3 , V_{cb} , V_{ub} , V_{ts}/V_{td}
- They are discussed in mini-review or CKM review



- The B production fractions are required for precision measurement of BR.
- At B factories: $f = B(Y(4S) \rightarrow B^+B^-) / B(Y(4S) \rightarrow B^0B^0)$ is measured to be 1.058 ± 0.024 , about 2σ higher than what is assumed 1.0 in the listing. We may have to rescale the existing measurements once the value of f is 3σ from 1.0.
- The b fractions above $Y(4S)$ might be collider dependent (Pt).



- **The PDG averaging method is not designed for handling correlations in statistical and systematic errors between measurements and experiments.**
- **Have to rely heavily on the outside working groups and their expertise to provide the best averages for PDG that use only published results.**
- **HFAG provided their averages for PDG for many years**, whose combination procedure takes all known correlations into account as well as re-scaling each individual measurements using the common set of input parameters before averaging.
- **HFAG consists of 7 subgroups:** B lifetime/Mixing, Semileptonic B decays, Unitarity Triangle, Rare B Decays, $b \rightarrow c$ Decays, Charm, and τ physics.
- **Details see the slides from HFAG (Alan Schwartz, Tim Gershon).**

- Continue to work with HFAG, LHC working groups to provide the world best parameters for B, charm and top.
- Planning for data driven minireviews:
 - Update existing mini-reviews for B, charm and Top.
 - **Add New mini-review on $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ physics.**
- All data are consistent with SM, but BSM may show up soon!
- We will continue to meet the challenges in 2016.