

# RARE DECAYS

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Prof. George E. Kalmus Fest

Particle Physics: from the bubble chamber to the LHC, and beyond

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# SETTING THE SCENE

- ◉ Quark mixing and CP-Violation has been a very active area of investigation over the past decades
- ◉ Owing to the last round of experiments in K and B mesons, our understanding is now completely compatible with the existence of “just” one phase in the Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa mixing matrix
- ◉ The precision of the tests in the quark sector is improving thanks to the interplay of theory and experiments
- ◉ Flavour transitions are so sensitive to short distance mechanisms that we need to press for quantitative tests of the Standard Model (SM)
- ◉ Since the “directly” accessible energy frontier is limited (LHC for now) it is important to try explore the “zepto-universe”,  $O(10^{-21} \text{ m})$  “indirectly”

# QUARKS AND LEPTONS

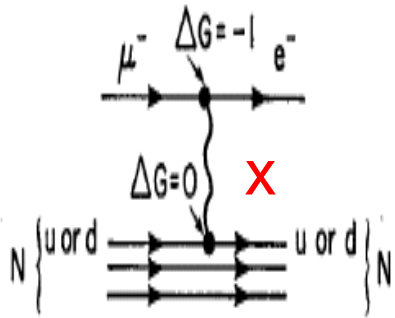
- ◉ FLAVOUR Encompasses quarks, charged and neutral leptons...
- ◉ But they are very different!
- ◉ Charged Lepton mixing is absent because of the quasi degeneracy of the neutrino masses
- ◉ For charged leptons the gauge base and the mass base are the same
- ◉ Neutrino mixing may or may not be irrelevant to charged lepton flavor violation
- ◉ In SM the weak charged current for leptons is diagonal. The “accidental” lepton flavour conservation is built to be conserved by construction

# Puzzling replication of generations

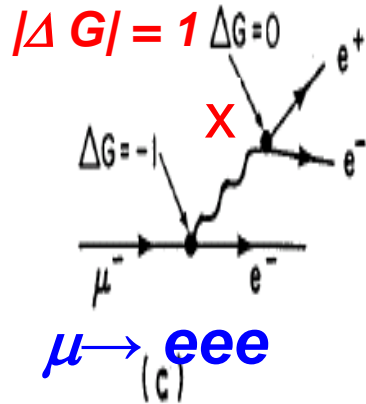
•Foreseen in many extensions of SM:

- Generation-Changing gauge interactions (Cahn, Harari (1980))
- Left-Right symmetry
- Technicolor
- Compositeness
- Super-symmetry

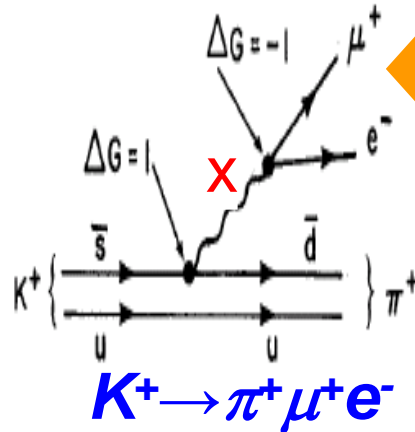
$\mu$ -e conversion



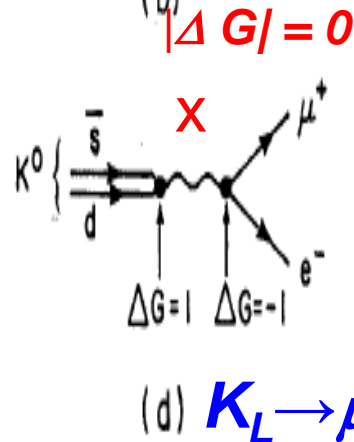
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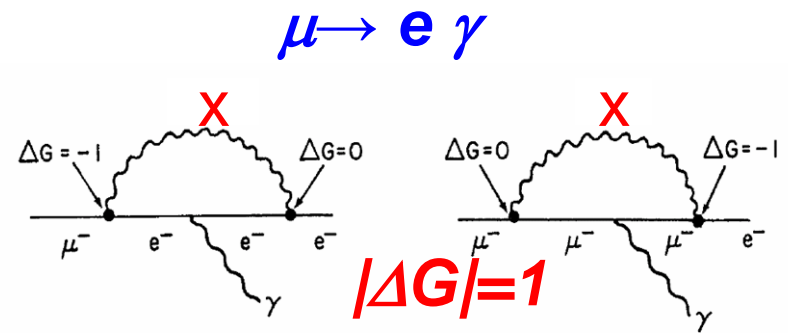
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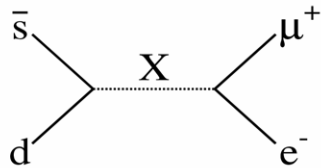
(d)



# Lower bounds for generation-changing bosons ( $g_X/g_W \sim 1$ )

$$\frac{Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ e^-)}{Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \nu)} = 16 \frac{1}{\sin^2 \theta_C} \left( \frac{g_X}{g_W} \right)^4 \left( \frac{M_W}{M_X} \right)^4$$

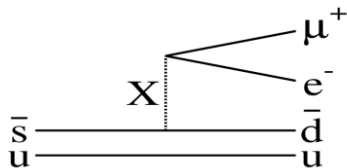
**E871**



$$B(K_L^0 \rightarrow \mu^\pm e^\mp) < 4.7 \times 10^{-12}$$

>150 TeV/c<sup>2</sup>

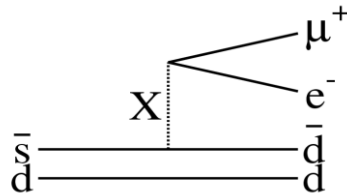
**E865**



$$B(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \mu^+ e^-) < 1.2 \times 10^{-11}$$

>80 TeV/c<sup>2</sup>

**KTeV**



$$B(K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ e^-) < 3.2 \times 10^{-10}$$

>37 TeV/c<sup>2</sup>

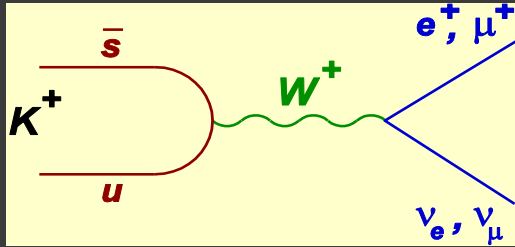
# CHARGED LEPTON FLAVOUR VIOLATION: STATE OF THE ART AND EXPECTATIONS

Channel	Current limit (90%CL)	experiment	Future Expectation (SES)	When [my estimate]
$\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$	$< 5.7 \cdot 10^{-13}$	MEG (PSI)		
		MEG-2 (PSI)	$5 \cdot 10^{-14}$	2020
$\mu \rightarrow e e e$	$< 1 \cdot 10^{-12}$	SINDRUM (PSI)		
		Mu3e (PSI)	$10^{-16}$	2020
$\tau \rightarrow \mu \gamma$	$< 4.4 \cdot 10^{-8}$	BABAR		
		BELLE II	$2 \cdot 10^{-9}$	2023
$\mu - e$ conv	$< 7 \cdot 10^{-13}$	SINDRUM II (Au)		
		Mu2e / COMET	$2 \cdot 10^{-17}$	2025

# Related Topic: Lepton Universality

$$R_K = K_{e2} / K_{\mu2}$$

SM

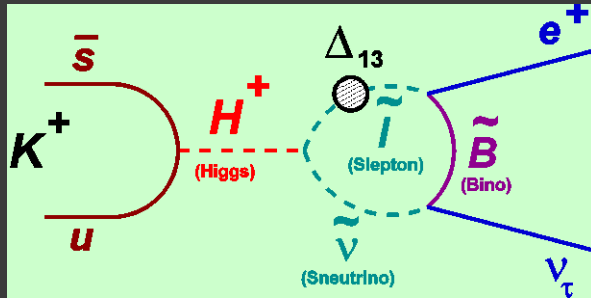


$$R_K = \frac{\Gamma(K^\pm \rightarrow e^\pm \nu)}{\Gamma(K^\pm \rightarrow \mu^\pm \nu)} = \frac{m_e^2}{m_\mu^2} \cdot \left( \frac{m_K^2 - m_e^2}{m_K^2 - m_\mu^2} \right)^2 \cdot (1 + \delta R_K^{\text{rad. corr.}})$$

$$R_K^{\text{SM}} = (2.477 \pm 0.001) \times 10^{-5}$$

Cirigliano & Rosell PRL 99 (2007) 231801

BSM,  
LFV



e.g. Masiero, Paradisi Petronzio  
PRD 74 (2006) 011701,  
JHEP 0811 (2008) 042

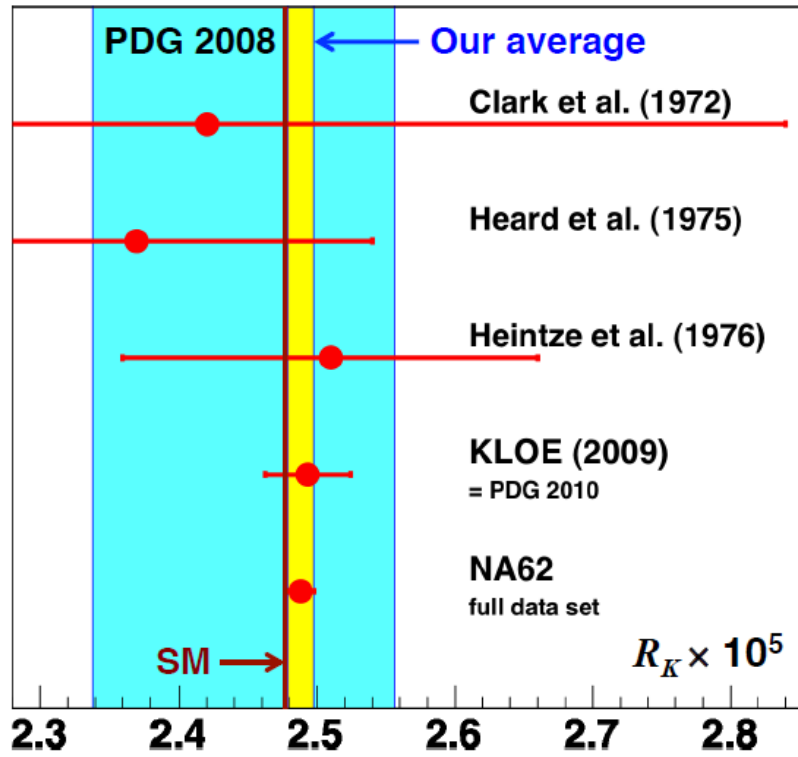
$$R_K^{\text{LFV}} \approx R_K^{\text{SM}} \left[ 1 + \left( \frac{m_K^4}{M_{H^\pm}^4} \right) \left( \frac{m_\tau^2}{M_e^2} \right) |\Delta_{13}|^2 \tan^6 \beta \right]$$

Example:

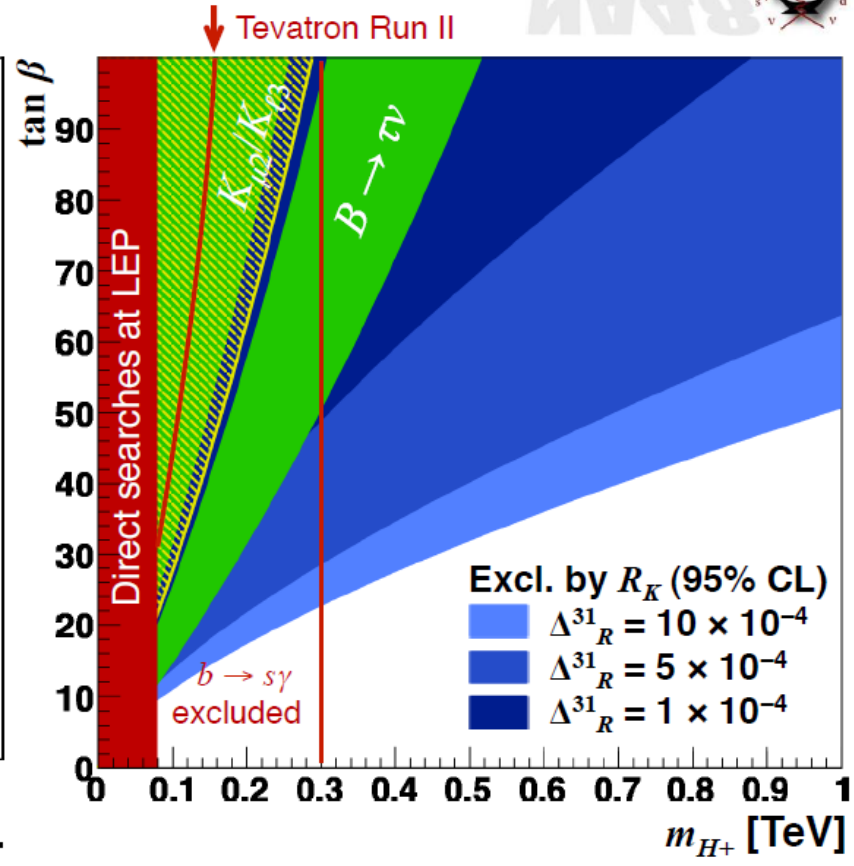
$$(\Delta_{13} = 5 \times 10^{-4}, \tan \beta = 40, M_H = 500 \text{ GeV}/c^2)$$

$$R_K^{\text{MSSM}} = R_K^{\text{SM}} (1 + 0.013).$$

# $R_K$ : world average



Average	$R_K \times 10^5$	$\delta R_K / R_K$
PDG 2008	$2.447 \pm 0.109$	4.5%
<b>Current</b>	<b><math>2.488 \pm 0.009</math></b>	<b>0.4%</b>

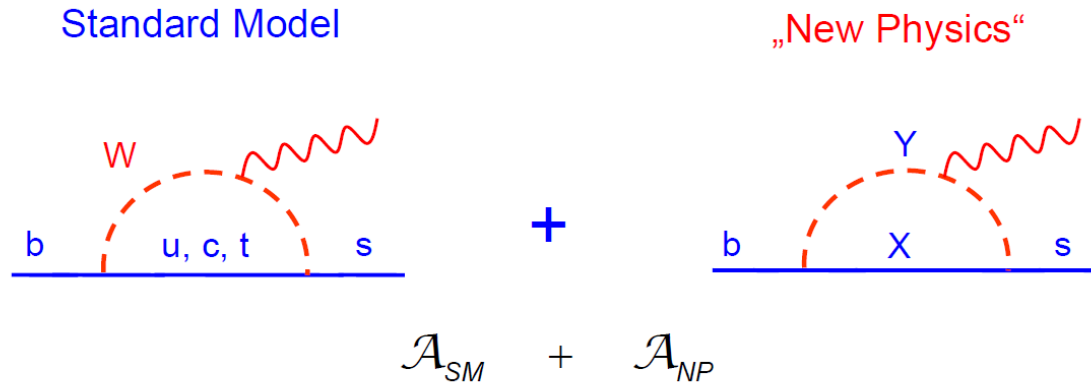


MSSM with  $R$  parity

$$R_K^{\text{LFV}} \approx R_K^{\text{SM}} \left[ 1 + \frac{m_K^4}{m_H^4} \frac{m_\tau^2}{m_e^2} |\Delta_R^{31}|^2 \tan^6 \beta \right]$$



# PROMISE OF NEW PHYSICS IN LOOPS



$$A_{SM} + A_{NP} = K_{SM} \frac{\alpha_W}{4\pi} \frac{F_{CKM}}{M_W^2} + K_{NP} L \frac{F_{NP}}{\Lambda^2}$$

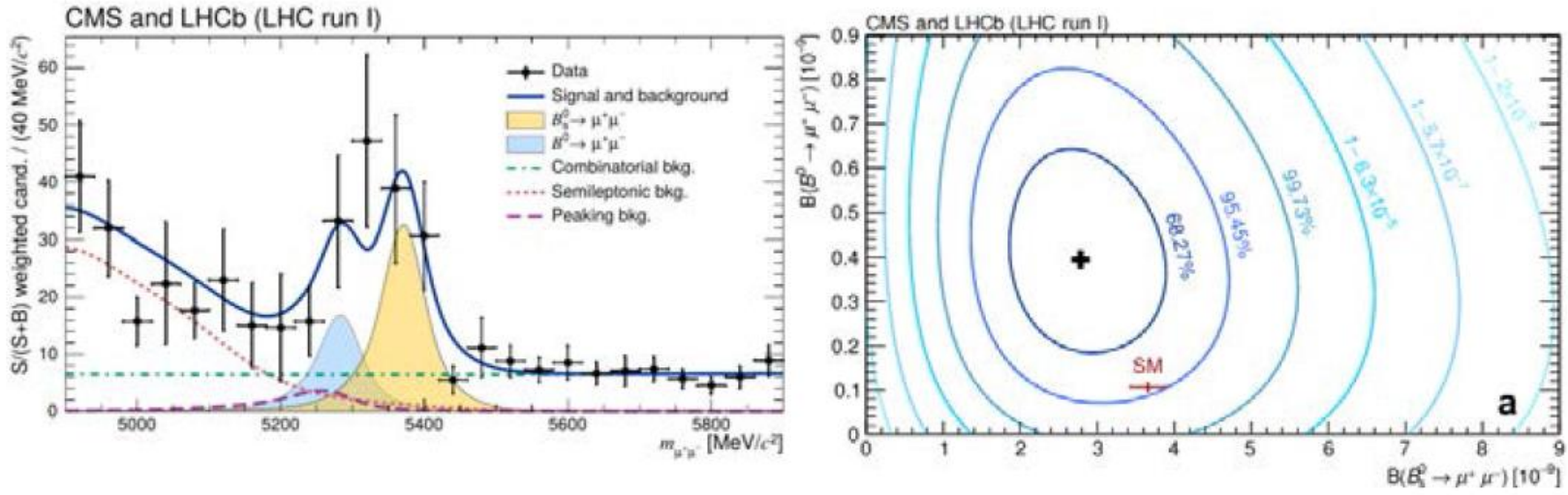
- $L$  is a possible loop factor
- $K_{NP} \sim K_{SM}$
- $F_{NP}$  is the NP Flavour coupling
- If  $L > \alpha_W/4\pi$  and  $F_{NP} > F_{SM}$  we can extract the NP scale  $\Lambda$

Operator	Bounds on $\Lambda$ in TeV ( $c_{NP} = 1$ )		Bounds on $c_{NP}$ ( $\Lambda = 1$ TeV)		Observables
	Re	Im	Re	Im	
$(\bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu d_L)^2$	$9.8 \times 10^2$	$1.6 \times 10^4$	$9.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$3.4 \times 10^{-9}$	$\Delta m_K; \epsilon_K$
$(\bar{s}_R d_L)(\bar{s}_L d_R)$	$1.8 \times 10^4$	$3.2 \times 10^5$	$6.9 \times 10^{-9}$	$2.6 \times 10^{-11}$	
$(\bar{c}_L \gamma^\mu u_L)^2$	$1.2 \times 10^3$	$2.9 \times 10^3$	$5.6 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-7}$	$\Delta m_D;  q/p _D, \phi_D$
$(\bar{c}_R u_L)(\bar{c}_L u_R)$	$6.2 \times 10^3$	$1.5 \times 10^4$	$5.7 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.1 \times 10^{-8}$	
$(\bar{b}_L \gamma^\mu d_L)^2$	$6.6 \times 10^2$	$9.3 \times 10^2$	$2.3 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.1 \times 10^{-6}$	$\Delta m_{B_d}; \sin(2\beta)$ from $B_d \rightarrow \psi K$
$(\bar{b}_R d_L)(\bar{b}_L d_R)$	$2.5 \times 10^3$	$3.6 \times 10^3$	$3.9 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.9 \times 10^{-7}$	
$(\bar{b}_L \gamma^\mu s_L)^2$	$1.4 \times 10^2$	$2.5 \times 10^2$	$5.0 \times 10^{-5}$	$1.7 \times 10^{-5}$	$\Delta m_{B_s}; \sin(\phi_s)$ from $B_s \rightarrow \psi \phi$
$(\bar{b}_R s_L)(\bar{b}_L s_R)$	$4.8 \times 10^2$	$8.3 \times 10^2$	$8.8 \times 10^{-6}$	$2.9 \times 10^{-6}$	

# B RARE DECAYS

- Few meson decays are particularly clean theoretically and so suppressed in the Standard Model that they provide a window to very short distance
- For B's I will just mention one example and the prospects for the next decades

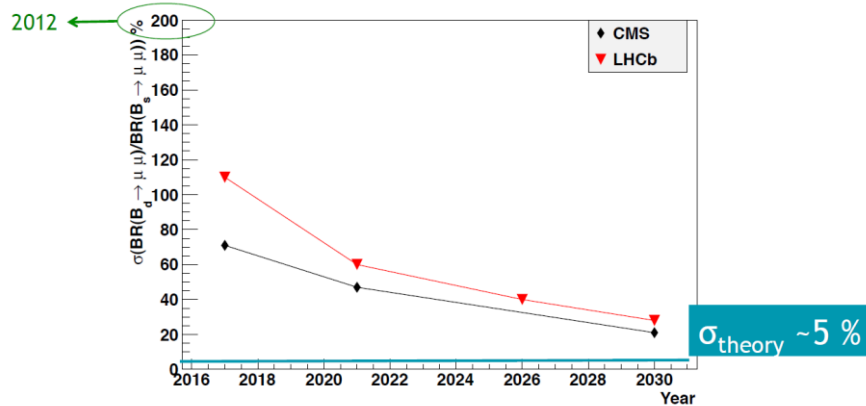
# The very rare decay $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$



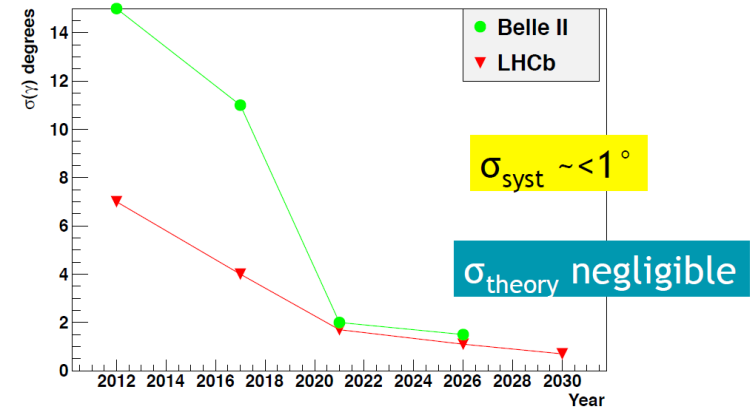
- Observation of  $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$  using combined CMS and LHCb dataset [arxiv:1411.4413], submitted to Nature
- $\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (2.79_{-0.60}^{+0.66} {}_{-0.19}^{+0.26}) \times 10^{-9}$ ,  $6.2\sigma$  sign. ( $7.6\sigma$  expected)
- $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.94_{-1.41}^{+1.58} {}_{-0.24}^{+0.31}) \times 10^{-10}$ ,  $3.2\sigma$  sign. ( $0.8\sigma$  expected)
- SM predictions [Bobeth et al., PRL 112 (2014) 101801]
  - $\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (3.66 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-9}$ , compatible at  $1.2\sigma$
  - $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) = (1.06 \pm 0.09) \times 10^{-10}$ , compatible at  $2.2\sigma$

# ECFA STUDY ON HEAVY FLAVOUR

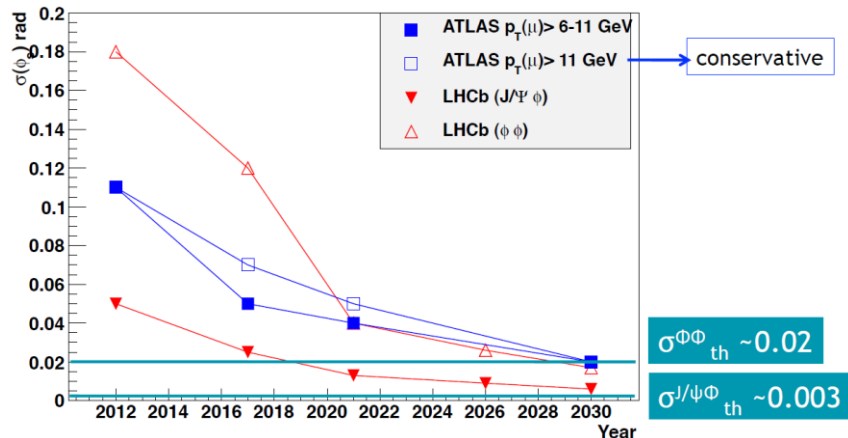
$$\text{BR}(B_d \rightarrow \mu + \mu^-) / \text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu + \mu^-)$$



Expected precision on  $\gamma$  from tree decays

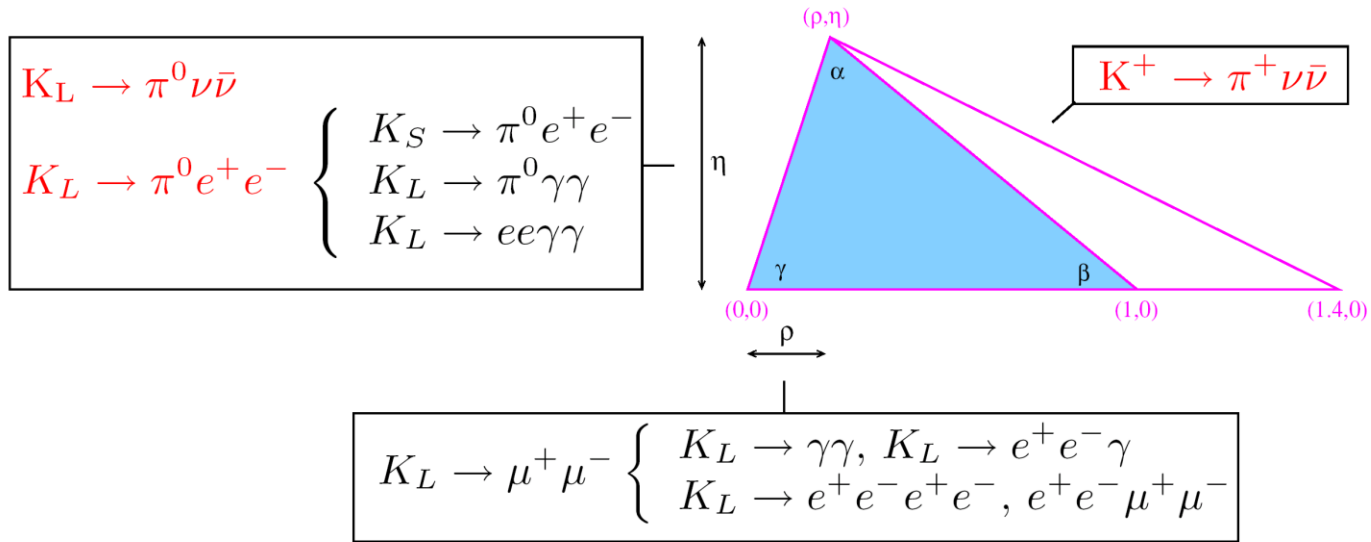


Expected precision on  $\phi_s$  (rad)

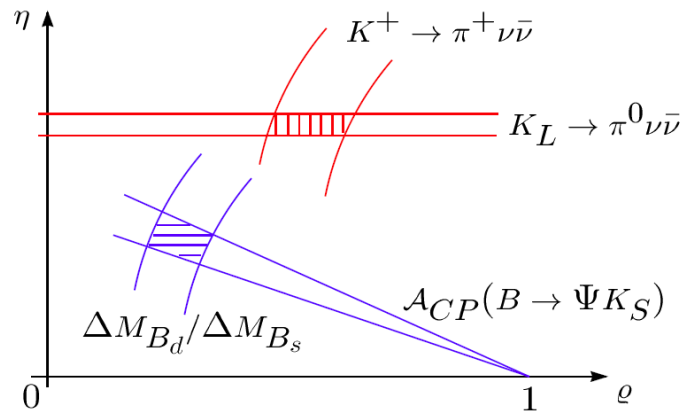


- 2025 appears to be the time for a good harvest
- A crossroad for B physics...

# KAON RARE DECAYS



- K physics alone can fully constrain the CKM unitarity triangle.
- Comparison with B physics can provide description of NP flavour dynamics



# KAON RARE DECAYS AT CERN

- Once the epsilon' / epsilon programme was well underway, at CERN we asked ourselves what could be done on rare kaon decays given our expertise and the SPS
- George came to CERN in 1998 to become Chairman of the SPC and he joined NA48 to explore the above mentioned possibility

# CHAIRS OF THE CERN SPC

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1954 - 1957 October	Prof. W. Heisenberg	Germany
1958 - 1960	Prof. E. Amaldi	Italy
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At the SPS Committee

# GUESTS AT THE INAUGURAL SPS CEREMONY VISIT THE LAB



As it appears, George had been thinking about what to do with the SPS since a long time



# FUTURE RARE DECAY SESSION

Thursday 11 Feb. 1999

Start 9.00

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|--|---|-----|
| 1. Review actions from Dec. 98 NA 48RD W/S   | <u>George Kalmus</u>  | 10' |
| 2. Competitiveness of a "Minimally" upgraded NA48 expt. for "one star" rare decays | <u>George Kalmus</u>  | 10' |
| 3. Other NA48RD items  |   |     |
| a) More on $K^0_L \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ b/g's                                 | Victoria Martin   | 20' |
| b) $K^0_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$ b/g's                                     | Adrian Bevan/Matt Needham                                     | 15' |
| c) Progress report on TRD  | <del>A. Satta</del><br>Yuri Potrebennikov )<br>Mauro Savrie ) | 15' |
| d) Other contributions   |   | 15' |
| 4. COFFEE                    10.25--10.45  |   |     |
| 5. $K \rightarrow \pi, \nu, \text{nubar}$ at CERN                                  |   |     |
| a) Physics and competition   | <u>George Kalmus</u>  | 20' |
| b) $K^0_L \rightarrow \pi^0, \nu, \text{nubar}$ Thoughts on feasibility            | Bernard Peyaud  | 20' |
| c) $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+, \nu, \text{nubar}$ Thoughts on feasibility              | <u>George Kalmus</u>  | 15' |
| 6. Some comments on $K^+ / - \rightarrow 3\pi$ asymmetry                           | <u>George Kalmus</u>  | 5'  |
| 7. Discussion  |   | 15' |
- END    12.00

Above you see the names of some UK dream team students on NA48, here the others: R.S. Dosanjh, T.J. Gershon, E. Olaiya, R. Sacco

# NA48 RD WORKSHOP

## SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS FROM THE NA48 RARE DECAY WORKSHOP 30 NOV - 2 DEC 1998

George Kalmus

### 1. Aims of the Workshop :

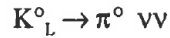
- a) To identify the physics case(s) for performing a rare decay search (primarily in  $K_L^0$  decays) and estimate the sensitivity needed to achieve the goals.
- b) To examine all the factors which might limit the ambitions identified in a). In particular to examine questions relating to the beam, triggering and signal extraction. Also to identify areas in the hardware which will need to be upgraded/replaced in order to achieve the maximum rate deliverable by an upgraded beam.
- c) To involve and motivate a significant number of people in the definition and possible realisation of a competitive rare decay programme of intrinsic interest based on the present NA48 detector.

I believe that all these aims were met at some (useful) level. In particular I was gratified by the number of people who contributed to the workshop.

This was the first time we used videoconferencing in NA48....  
There was a lot of “Hello, Hello, can you hear us....??”

# MICHELIN STARS FOR KAONS

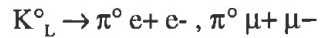
Heinrich gave the following Michelin ratings for the physics, and I am in broad agreement with him



This rate can be well calculated, the short distance (direct CP violating) amplitude is expected to be  $\gg$  than the long distance (indirect CP violating + CP conserving).

The B.R. is calculated to be  $(3.1 \pm 1.3) \times 10^{-11}$  where the error is not theoretical but dominated by experimental input according to the standard model and

the value of  $\eta$  (Wolfenstein representation of CKM triangle) can be directly determined from the  $\epsilon$ .



This decay has 3 components which in the standard model are (for  $\pi^0 e^+ e^-$ )

Direct CP violating

$$\text{B.R.} = (4.9 \pm 2.1) \times 10^{-12}$$

Indirect CP violating

$$\text{B.R.} = 10^{-12} - 10^{-11}$$

CP conserving

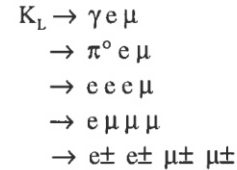
$$\text{B.R.} = \text{few} \times 10^{-12}$$

My understanding is that a) and b) are coherent and can interfere thus affecting the rate, but c) is not coherent with a) or b) and therefore there is no interference term.

The direct CP violating component is reasonably well calculated but the indirect and CP conserving component are not, and require additional experimental information e.g.  $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  for a better determination.

Nevertheless a measurement of this branching ratio would give information on direct CP violation especially if combined with the measurement of  $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ . So, any B.R. substantially greater than  $10^{-11}$  would be a clear indication of both direct CP violation and new physics (e.g. SUSY).

Finally, there was a category of decays not discussed at the workshop and, therefore no "star" rating was given. These were the Lepton Family Violating (LFV) decays.



I find it very difficult to give a star rating to these decays, since if one finds any of them then the rating is \*\*\*\* (only restaurant with this rating is in Stockholm!)



# NA48 RD WORKSHOP

## E) Signal Extraction and Simulation

Several channels were worked on, but the effort has largely concentrated, rightly, on the channel  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  where two backgrounds were expected to be troublesome.

The conclusion reached was that for the decay  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  there was an essentially irreducible background from the decay  $K_L^0 \rightarrow e^+ e^- \gamma\gamma$ . In the limit when the  $\gamma\gamma$  invariant mass is that of a  $\pi^0$  two decays are kinematically indistinguishable.

According to simulation, using cuts on the  $\gamma\gamma$  invariant mass, that are already challenging, the rate of the b/g channel cannot be reduced to below about  $10^{-10}$  and only this when the signal acceptance has been cut to 3 %.

It is very important that this result be checked independently.

At a level of a  $10^{-11}$  SES for  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  (which we might reach in 1 year operation at 3 % acceptance) we would expect 10 b/g events. This realistically limits our ability to measure the  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  B.R. to  $\lesssim 10^{-10}$ .

Clearly a disappointment.

Work is continuing on  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$ , although first indications are also not too hopeful for this decay.

**And so we decided to focus on  $K_S$  first!**

# NA48/1 Status Report

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**CERN-NA48/1: Cambridge, CERN, Chicago, Dubna,  
Edinburgh, Northwestern, Ferrara,  
Florence, Mainz, Orsay, Perugia, Pisa, Saclay, Siegen,  
Turin, Warsaw, Wien**



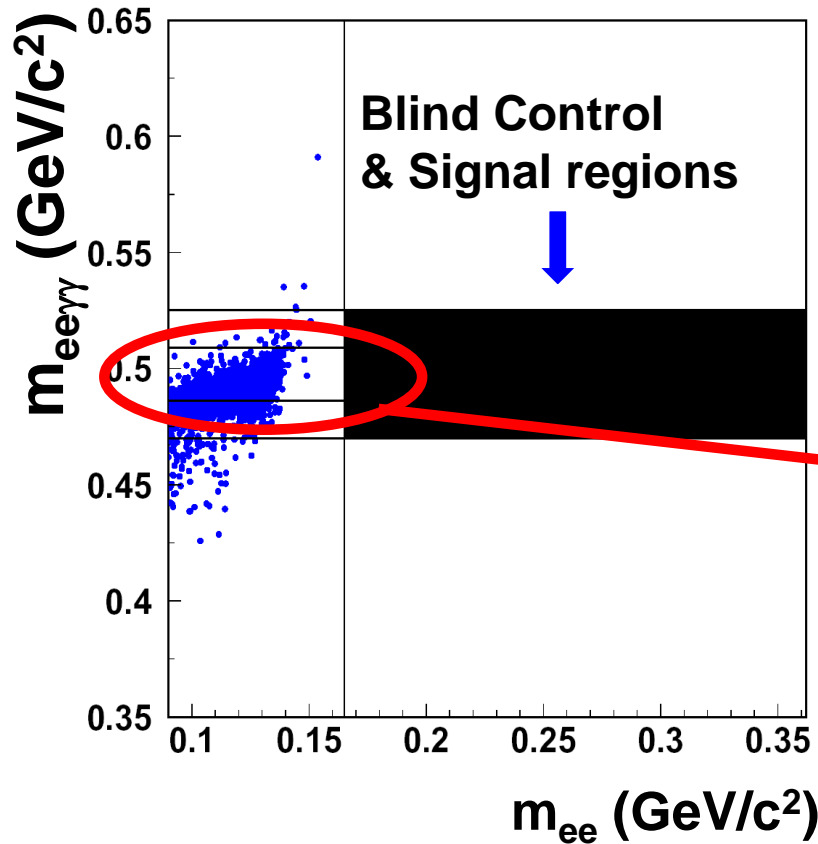
# Collaboration Issues

- 114 Scientific authors
  - Monthly analysis meetings
  - Insist on independent analyses
  - 12 PhD Students (either finished or quite advanced analyses)
    - Matthias Behler (Mainz)
    - Marco Clemencic (Torino)
    - Teresa Fonseca (Northwestern)
    - Guillaume Gouge (Saclay)
    - Andreas Hirstius (Mainz)
    - Ermanno Imbergamo (Perugia)
    - Venelin Kozhuharov (Dubna)
    - Peter Marouelli (Mainz)
    - Ulrich Moosbrugger (Mainz)
    - Mitesh Patel (Cambridge)
    - Mauro Piccini (Perugia)
    - Mark Slater (Cambridge)
- + Several Master/Diploma theses

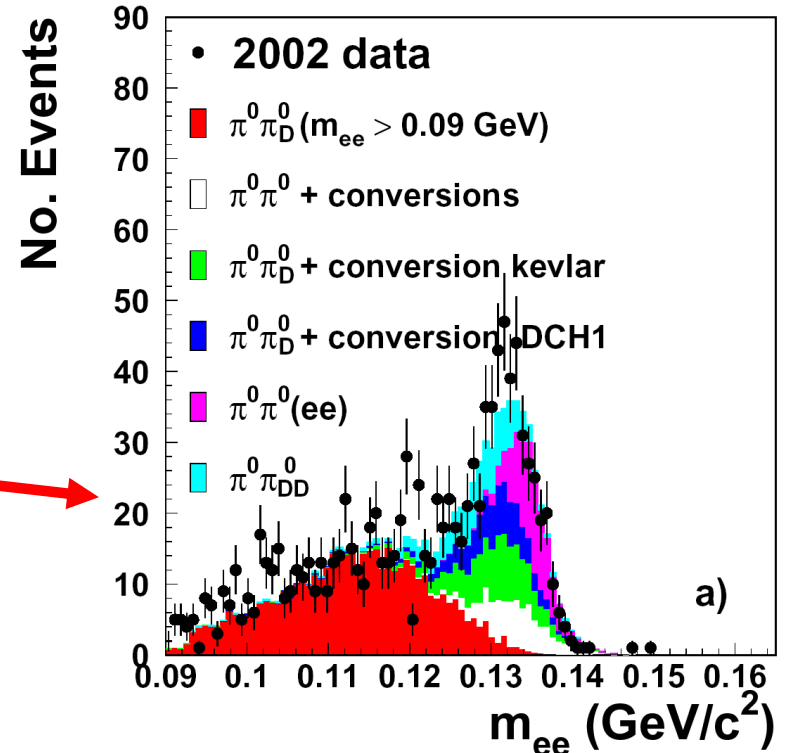
Analysis Co-ordinator  
Cristina Lazzeroni

# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

## $e^+e^-$ (Odd Sign) DATA

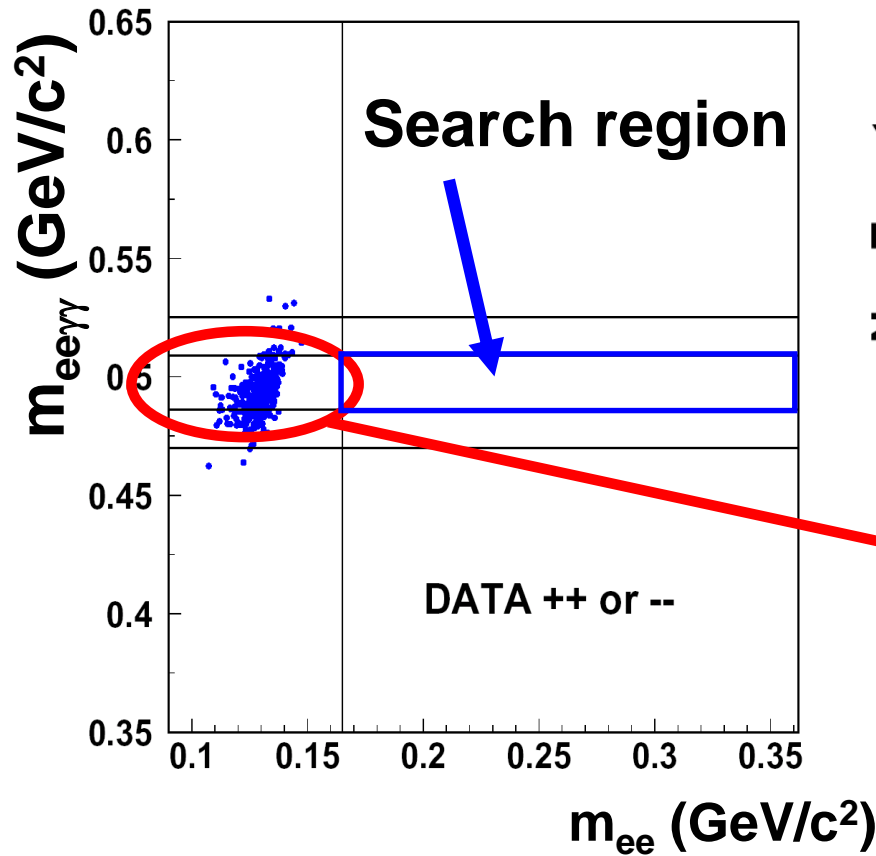


## $e^+e^-$ DATA vs. MC

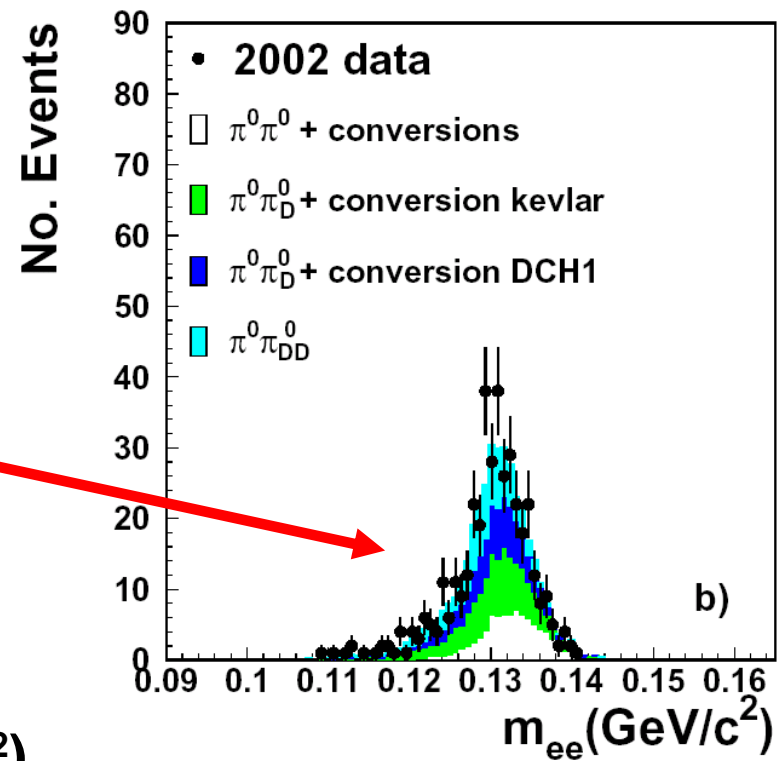


# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

## $e^+e^+$ (Same Sign) DATA



## $e^+e^+$ DATA vs. MC





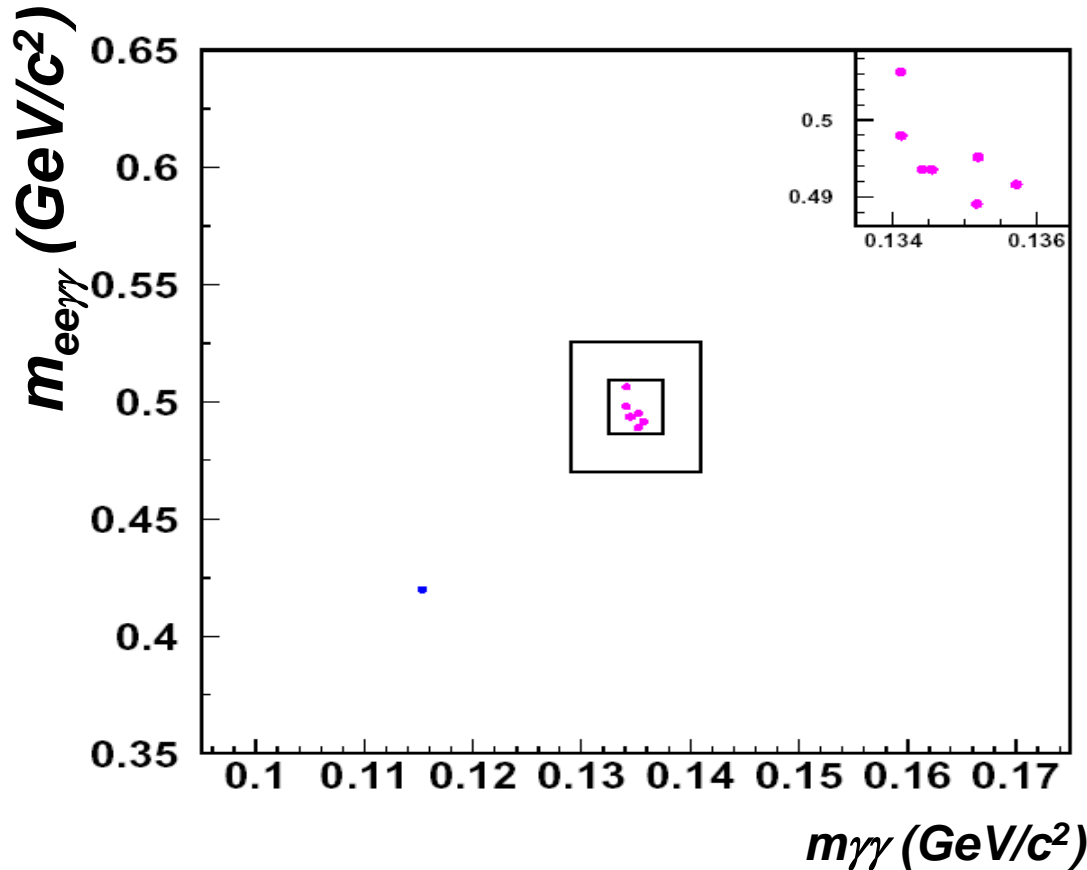
# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

## SUMMARY OF BACKGROUNDS:

Source	Control Region	Signal region
$K_S \rightarrow \pi^0_D \pi^0_D$	0.03	<0.01
$K_{L,S} \rightarrow ee\gamma\gamma$	0.11	0.08
$\pi e\nu + \pi^0(\pi^0)$	0.19	0.07
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.15<sup>+0.10</sup><sub>-0.04</sub></b>

- Many other sources investigated and found to be negligible (e.g. neutral cascade decays)
- **Blind analysis:** Control and signal region remained masked until the study of the background was finished

# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$



• **7 candidates in the signal region**

• **0 in control region**

• **Background 0.15**

The probability that all 7 events are background is  $\sim 10^{-10}$



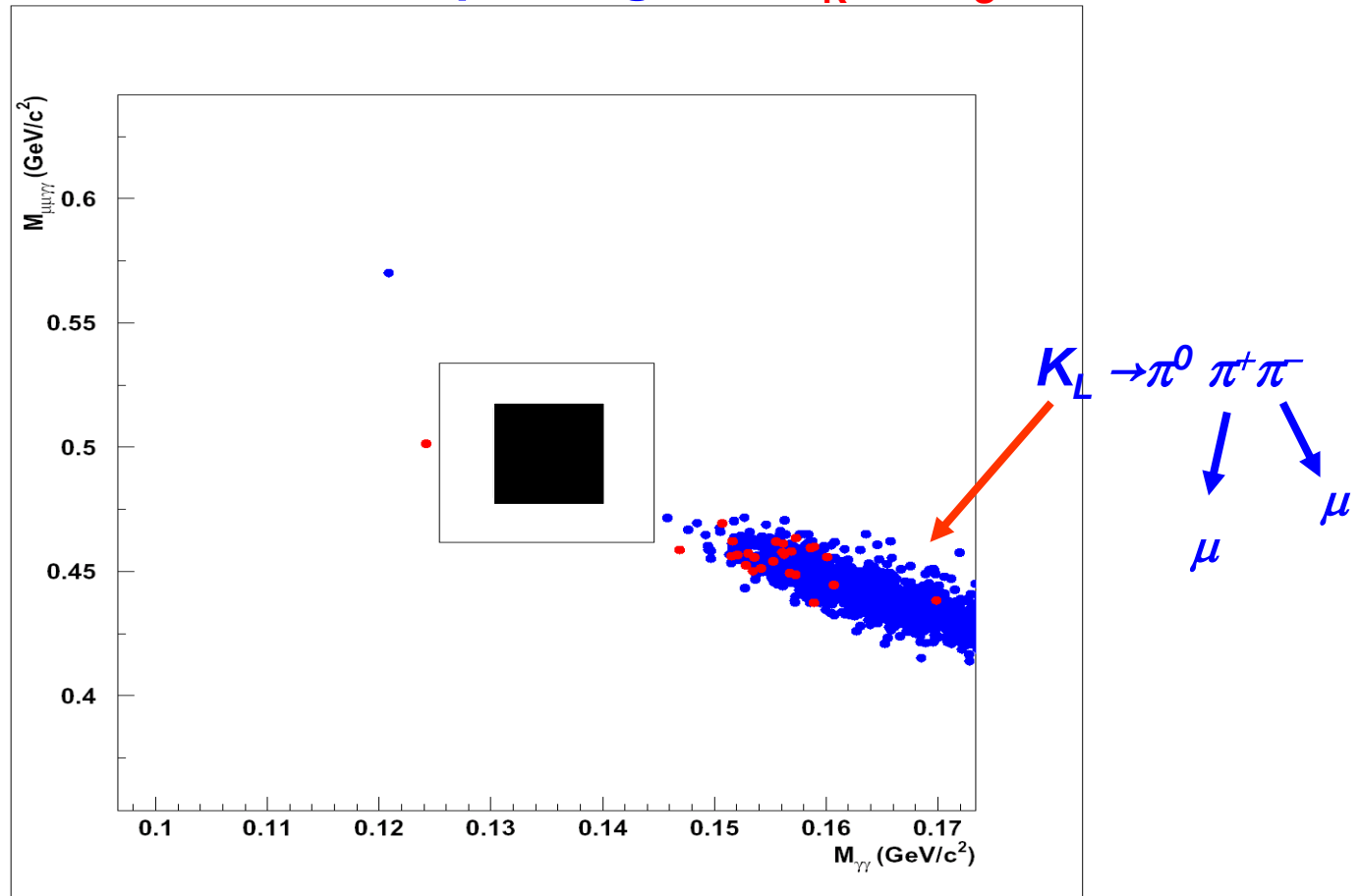
**First observation of  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$**

# Backgrounds to $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$

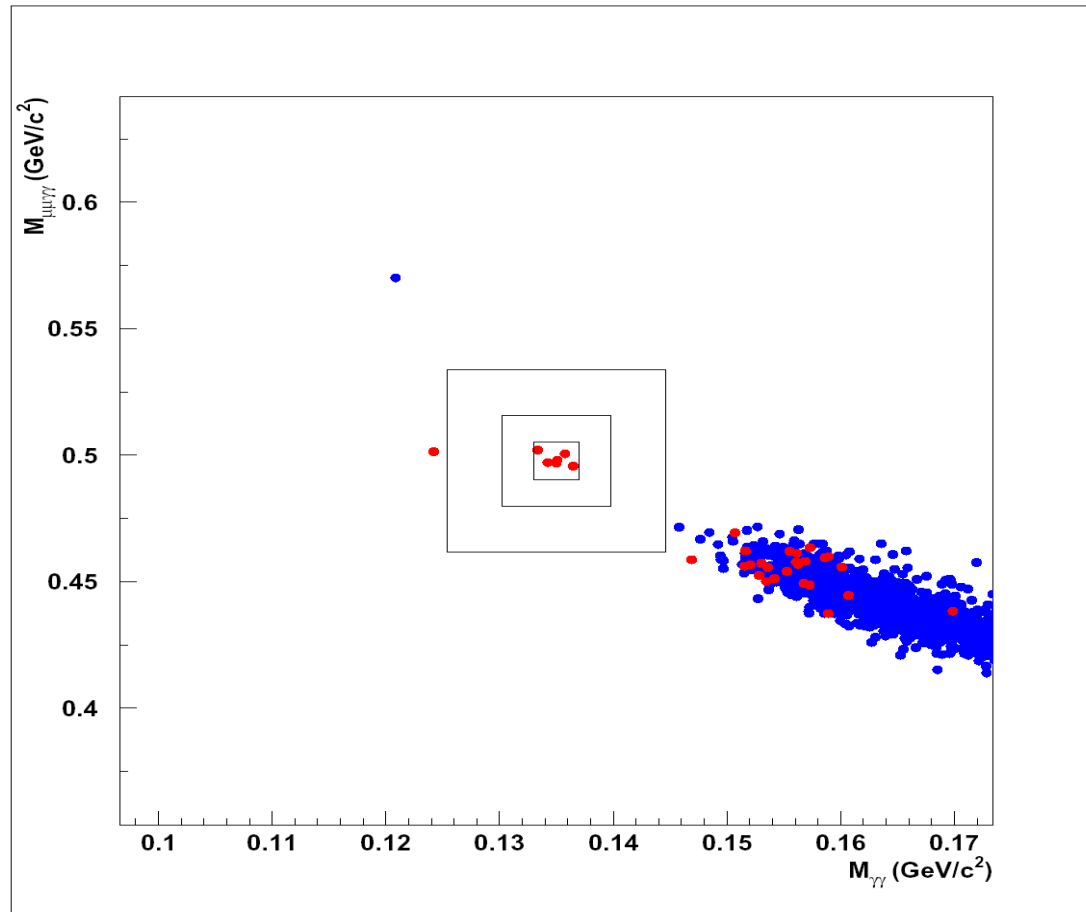
Source of Background	Expectation in signal region (# events)
$K_L \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	---
$K_{L,S} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \gamma\gamma$	0.04
Neutral hyperons	---
Accidentals	0.20
In time background	---
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.24</b>

# Ready to open box?

The red dots are the events passing  $0 < \tau_K < 3 \tau_S$

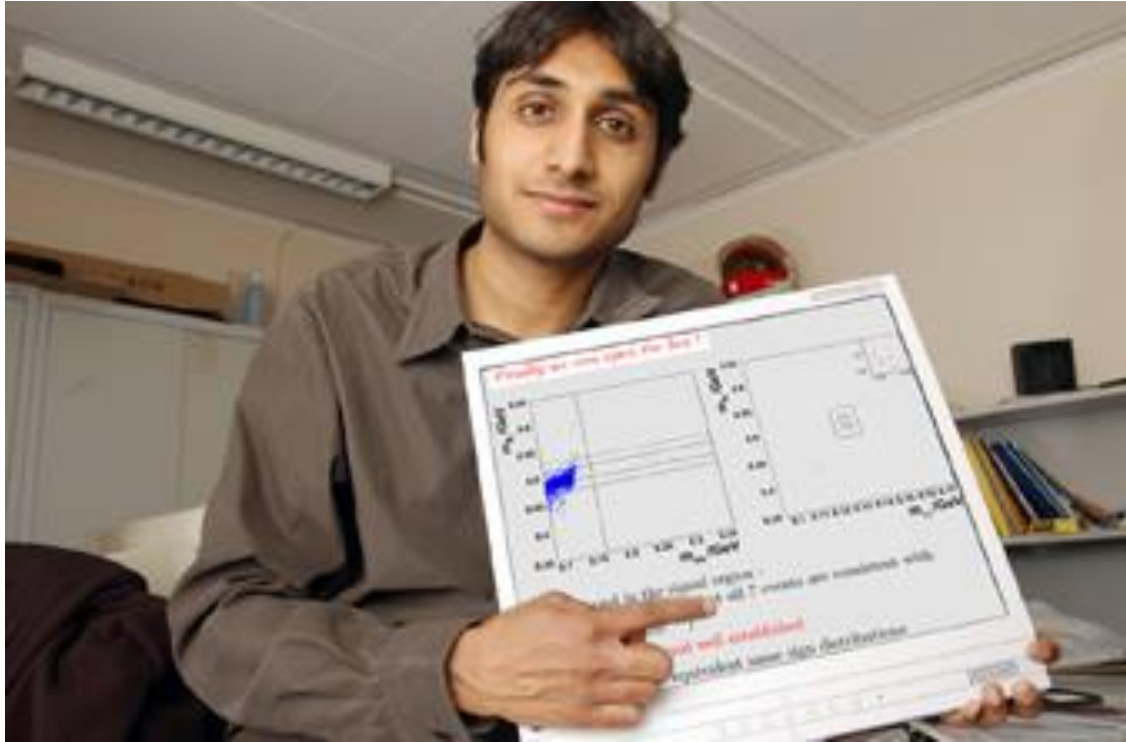


# Six candidates!!



# UNCOVERING THE VERY RARE

CERN BULLETIN 20/2004



“Physicists working on the NA48/1 experiment at CERN have made the first observation of the decay of the short-lived neutral kaon into a neutral pion and a muon- anti-muon pair. The decay, only recently presented at the winter conferences, occurs at a frequency of just a few parts per billion! Last year NA48/1 published the result of a decay into a pion and a positron electron pair. Together, for the first time, these two decays allow the prediction of the CP violation present in equivalent long-lived neutral kaon decays.”

FUTURE CERN KAON PROGRAMME

GEORGE KALMUS

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# KAON99

1. PRESENTLY FORESEEN CERN PROGRAMME FIG 1

2. DEVELOPMENT OF NA48 ? FIG 2

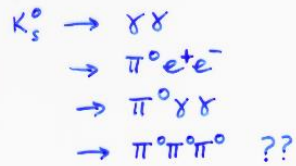
$K_L^0$

- "RARE" DECAYS



- "MEDIUM RARE" DECAYS

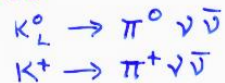
$K_S^0$  + HYPERONS



$K^+/K^-$



3. BEYOND NA48



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	BEAM	$P_p$ GeV/c	CYCLE SEC/SEC	PROTONS/PULSE ON TARGET	TOTAL DECAYS PER YEAR (120 DAYS, $E=0.5$ ) IN ACCEPTED P AND Z RANGE	SES (SINGLE EVENT SENSITIVITY) ASSUMING 10% ACCEPTANCE	ESTIMATED INSTANTANEOUS RATES IN DETECTOR COMPARED TO PRESENT NA48
1	$K_L^0$	450	2.5/14.4	$1.5 \times 10^{12}$	$6.7 \times 10^{10}$	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	1
2	$K_L^0$	400	5.0/19.2	$4 \times 10^{12}$	$3.3 \times 10^{11}$	$3 \times 10^{-11}$	3
3	$K_L^0$	400	5.0/19.2	$1.2 \times 10^{13}$	$1 \times 10^{12}$	$10^{-11}$	10
4	$K_L^0$	400	5.0/19.2	$2.4 \times 10^{13}$	$2 \times 10^{12}$	$5 \times 10^{-12}$	20
5	$K_S^0$	450	2.5/14.4	$3 \times 10^7$	$8.7 \times 10^7$	$1.2 \times 10^{-7}$	$\ll 1$
6	$K_S^0$	400	5.0/19.2	$1 \times 10^{10}$	$3.3 \times 10^{10}$	$3 \times 10^{-10}$	$< 3$
7	$K^+ + K^-$	400	5.0/19.2	$1 \times 10^{12}$	$(6.3 + 3.5) \times 10^{10}$	$(1.5 + 3) \times 10^{-10}$	2
8	$K_L^0$	400	5.0/19.2	$1 \times 10^{12}$	$8.3 \times 10^{10}$	$1.2 \times 10^{-10}$	2

TABLE 1. SOME PARAMETERS OF POSSIBLE BEAMS THAT COULD BE  
INSTALLED IN THE PRESENT NA 48 BEAM LINE  
(FOR SOME ADDITIONAL INFORMATION SEE "NOTES")



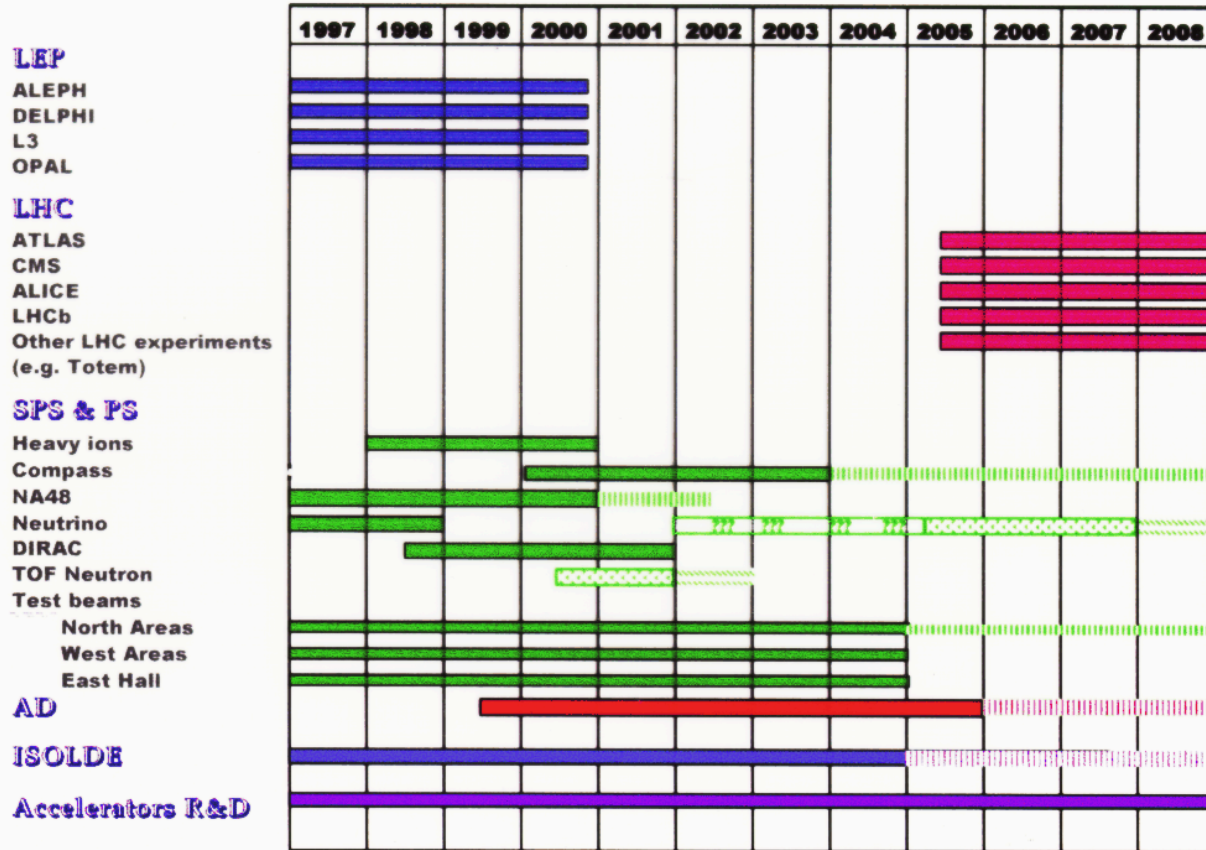
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## NOTES ON BEAMS

- ① **BEAM 1** AND **BEAM 5** ARE THE TWO BEAMS CURRENTLY RUNNING SIMULTANEOUSLY FOR NA48. THE PROTONS USED FOR **BEAM 5** ARE CHANNELLED TO THE  $K_S^0$  TARGET BY MEANS OF A BENT CRYSTAL.
- ② **BEAM 2** IS AN UPGRADE OF THE PRESENT  $K_L^0$  BEAM, IN WHICH THE  $K_S^0$  BEAM OPTION HAS BEEN REMOVED, THE V AND H ACCEPTANCES INCREASED AND THE PROTON INTENSITY INCREASED. THE PROTON MOMENTUM HAS BEEN REDUCED FROM 450 TO 400 GeV/c TO OBTAIN A HIGHER DUTY CYCLE. THIS WOULD REQUIRE MODEST MODIFICATIONS
- ③ **BEAMS 3** AND **4** ARE SIMILAR TO **BEAM 2** BUT WOULD REQUIRE CONSIDERABLE MODIFICATIONS TO HANDLE THE HIGHER PROTON FLUX ON TARGET
- ④ **BEAM 6** IS A STAND ALONE  $K_S^0$  BEAM, THE BENT CRYSTAL BEING REPLACED BY A MAGNET
- ⑤ **BEAM 7** IS A  $60 \pm 6$  GeV/c  $K^+$  AND  $K^-$  UNSEPARATED BEAM. THE 2 CHARGED BEAMS TRAVEL DOWN THE DECAY PIPE COINCIDENT IN BOTH TIME AND SPACE.
- ⑥ **BEAM 8** IS A  $K_L^0$  BEAM WHICH CAN BE RUN SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH **BEAM 7**.

# CERN PROGRAMME, CIRCA 1999

...no trace of kaon programme after mid 2002...



Presented by George at KAON99 at University of Chicago

# YOU CAN READ GEORGE CONCLUSIONS PAPER IN THE PROCEEDINGS

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## Future CERN Kaon Program

George Kalmus

### 57.1 Introduction

The scientific program of CERN foreseen at present is summarized in fig. 57.1.

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
LEP												
ALPH												
DELPHI												
L3												
OPAL												
LHC												
ATLAS												
CMS												
ALICE												
LHCb												
Other LHC experiments (e.g. Totem)												
SPS & PS												
Heavy ions												
Compass												
NA48												
Neutrino												
DIRAC												
TOP Neutron												
Test beams												
North Area												
West Area												
East Hall												
AD												
ISOLDE												
Accelerators R&D												

Figure 57.1: The scientific program of CERN.

It can be seen that NA48 continues through the year 2000. Beyond that, it might be extended to 2002 if a good enough scientific case can be made. NA48 is the only component of the CERN program containing a  $K$  decay element.

NA48 was designed primarily to measure  $\epsilon'/\epsilon$ , but it was foreseen that it would address various rare decay modes as well. Results from some of these have been presented by Wronka and Köpke at this conference.

## Kaon Physics

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The University of Chicago Press  
2001

Proceedings of Kaon 1999

	(GeV/c)	(sec/sec)	on target	total decays per year (120 days, $\epsilon = 0.5$ ) in accepted $P$ and $Z$ range	SES (Single event sensitivity) assuming 10% acceptance	Estimated instantaneous rates in detector compared to present NA48
1 $K_L^0$	450	2.5/14.4	$1.5 \times 10^{12}$	$6.7 \times 10^{10}$	$1.5 \times 10^{-10}$	1
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Table 57.1: Some parameters of beams that could be installed in the present NA48 beam line (For additional information see 'Notes')

About a year ago a study started within the NA48 collaboration to determine whether the experiment and its beam could be modified in such a way as to allow very rare  $K_L^0$  decay modes to be sought. (The guidelines were that changes to the present NA48 setup should neither be too costly nor take too much time or effort.) In particular the channel  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$  was targeted. The conclusion of this study was that it appeared to be possible, but not without some effort, to modify the experimental conditions so as to be able to reach a single-event sensitivity (SES) of  $O(10^{-11})$  per running year in a typical channel.

This is a factor of about 30 lower than the present NA48 running conditions would allow, and is entering the interesting range for  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ , where the standard model branching ratio is expected to be  $O(10^{-11})$ . Recent studies [1, 2, 3], however, point out that the branching ratio for this channel might be enhanced to levels above  $10^{-10}$ . A detailed study of backgrounds to this channel showed that the irreducible background due to  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma e^+ e^-$ , as was pointed out by Greenlee [4], was at a level of  $10^{-10}$  under the NA48 experimental conditions.

There is an ongoing study looking into less rare  $K_L^0$  decay modes as well as  $K_S^0$  modes and hyperon decays. A separate study is also being made into the feasibility of measuring the asymmetry in the Dalitz plot of  $K^+/K^-$  decays into 3 pions. A beam capable of transporting simultaneously  $K^+$  and  $K^-$  down the present beam line has been designed.

Table 57.1 gives some of the parameters of beams that have been studied and would fit into the existing beam line without a major rebuild.

A decision by NA48 on which direction to follow after this year's running will be taken this autumn and presented to the SPS committee for approval.

There have also been some thoughts on the possibility of attacking the most interesting channels:  $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$  and  $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ . However, the conclusion reached was that neither of these very challenging experiments could be seriously attempted without a completely new setup. My appraisal

of the situation at CERN at present is that it would require the push from a sizeable community with considerable resources to launch such an ambitious program.

## 57.2 Notes on Beams

- 1) Beam 1 and beam 5 are the two beams currently running simultaneously for NA48. The protons used for beam 5 are channeled to the  $K_S^0$  target by means of a bent crystal.
- 2) Beam 2 is an upgrade of the present  $K_L^0$  beam, in which the  $K_S^0$  beam option has been removed, the  $V$  and  $H$  acceptances have been increased, and the proton intensity has been increased. The proton momentum has been reduced from 450 to 400 GeV/c to obtain a higher duty cycle. This would require modest modifications.
- 3) Beams 3 and 4 are similar to beam 2 but would require considerable modifications to handle the higher proton flux on target.
- 4) Beam 6 is a stand-alone  $K_S^0$  beam, the bent crystal being replaced by a magnet.
- 5) Beam 7 is a  $60 \pm 6$  GeV/c  $K^+$  and  $K^-$  unseparated beam. The 2 charged beams travel down the decay pipe coincident in both time and space.
- 6) Beam 8 is a  $K_L^0$  beam that can be run simultaneously with beam 7.

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- [2] A.J. Buras and L. Silvestrini, Nucl. Phys. B **546**, 299 (1999).
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$$Br(K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu})$$

## HOLY GRAIL OF FLAVOUR PHYSICS?

### Why it is so special:

1. Apart from a small admixture ( $\epsilon_K \sim 2.228 \cdot 10^{-3}$ ),  $K_L^0$  is a CP eigenstate. Neglecting the CP-even state we can write:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu} | A | K^0 \rangle &\sim V_{td} V_{ts}^* X(x_t) + P_c(X) V_{cd} V_{cs}^* \\ \langle \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu} | A | \bar{K}^0 \rangle &\sim V_{td}^* V_{ts} X(x_t) + P_c(X) V_{cd}^* V_{cs} \end{aligned} \quad |K_L^0\rangle \sim \frac{K^0 - \bar{K}^0}{\sqrt{2}}$$

2. In taking the difference, the charm part (which is almost real) drops off and only the imaginary part of the top contribution remains!

$$\langle \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu} | A | K_L^0 \rangle \sim \text{Im} V_{td} V_{ts}^* X(x_t)$$

3. The main experimental background ( $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$ ) is suppressed by CP conservation!
4. The very long life time of the  $K_L^0$  makes the interesting partial width “measurable” ( $Br \sim O(10^{-11})$ )

# $Br(K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu})$

Formulas from A.J. Buras et al. RMP 80, 2008

$$Br(K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}) = \kappa_L \times \left( \frac{\text{Im} \lambda_t}{\lambda^5} X(x_t) \right)^2$$

$$\kappa_L = (2.231 \pm 0.013) \times 10^{-10} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{0.225} \right]^8$$

Numerical example:

$$\lambda_i = V_{id} V_{is}^*$$

$$\text{Im} V_{td} V_{ts}^* = \sin \beta_K |V_{td} V_{ts}^*| \sim 1.29 \times 10^{-4}$$

$$X(x_t) \sim 1.44$$

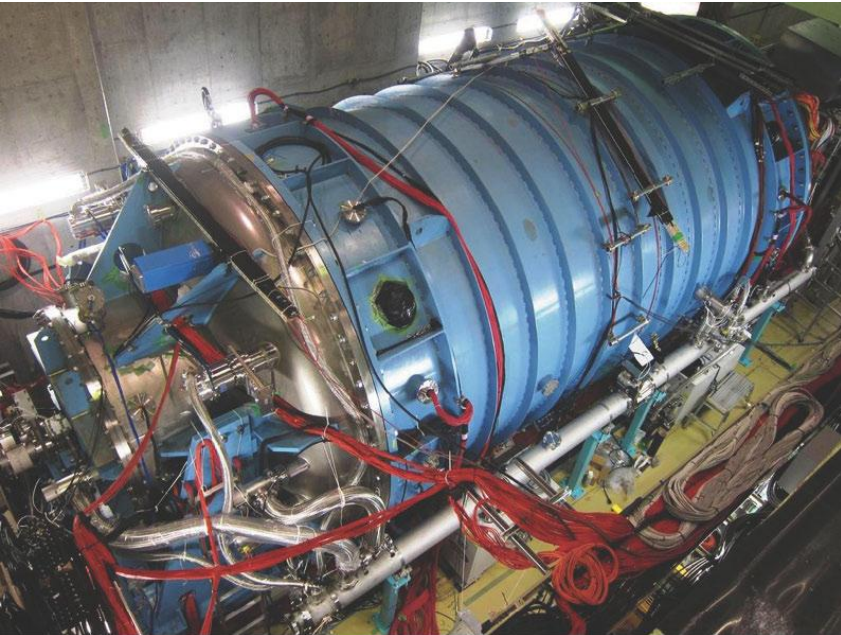
$$\lambda = \frac{|V_{us}|}{\sqrt{|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2}}$$

$$Br(K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}) \sim 2.3 \times 10^{-11}$$

**EXPERIMENT: BR < 2.6 10<sup>-8</sup> 90%CL (E391a - KEK)**

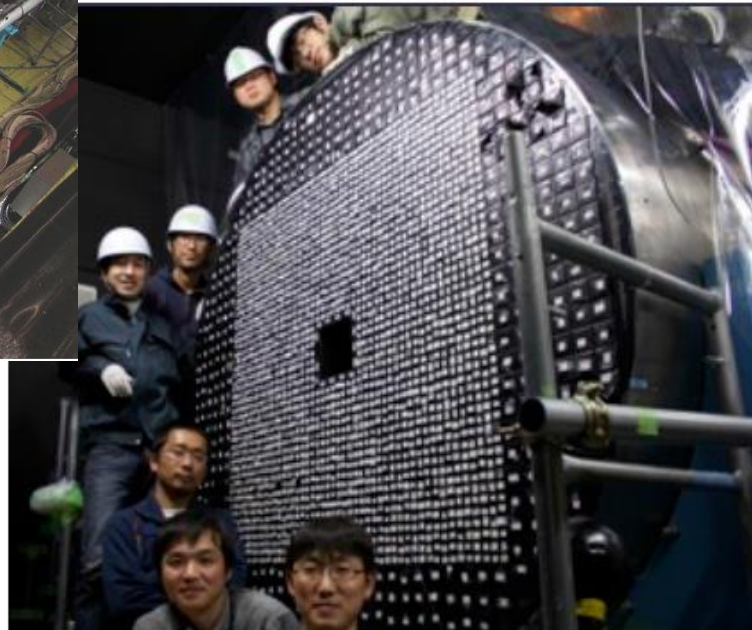
**NEXT EXPERIMENT: KOTO (E14, J-PARC)**

# KOTO - JPARC



Vacuum tank from E391a

Pure CsI recovered from  
FNAL KTeV Experiment



Current SES based on 100 h run in 2013 (Preliminary):  $1.29 \times 10^{-8}$

Expect “nominal” beam intensity in 2017



# $Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu})$

$$Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = \kappa_+ (1 + \Delta_{EM}) \times$$

$$\left[ \left( \frac{\text{Im } \lambda_t}{\lambda^5} X(x_t) \right)^2 + \left( \frac{\text{Re } \lambda_c}{\lambda} P_c(X) + \frac{\text{Re } \lambda_t}{\lambda^5} \right)^2 \right]$$

$$\kappa_+ = (5.173 \pm 0.025) \times 10^{-11} \left[ \frac{\lambda}{0.225} \right]^8$$

$$\lambda = \frac{|V_{us}|}{\sqrt{|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2}}$$

$$\kappa_+ = r_{K^+} \cdot \frac{3\alpha^2 Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ \nu)}{2\pi^2 \sin^4 \theta_W} \cdot \lambda^8$$

$$\lambda_i = V_{id} V_{is}^*$$

$$Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu})$$

(MY NUMEROLOGY)

$$Br(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) \propto 1.56 \times 10^{-4} \times$$

$$\left[ |V_{td} V_{ts}^*|^2 X(x_t)^2 + 2\lambda^5 P_c(X) |V_{td} V_{ts}^*| X(x_t) \cos \beta_K + \lambda^{10} P_c(X)^2 \right] \approx$$

$$\left[ 4.40 + 3.68 + 0.87 \right] \times 10^{-11} =$$

$$8.95 \times 10^{-11}$$

The charm- top-quark interference term is comparatively large

$$\cos \beta_K = \cos \beta - \beta_s \approx 0.94$$

$$|V_{td} V_{ts}^*| \sim 3.69 \times 10^{-4} \quad (\text{PDG 2014})$$

$$X(x_t) \sim 1.44 \quad (\text{Buras et al.})$$

$$P_c(X) = 0.41 \pm 0.05 \quad (\text{Buras et al.})$$

For this set of values the  $m_c$  the parametric uncertainty is:

$$\delta Br / Br \sim 0.68 \delta P_c / P_c$$

# CHARGED K BEAMS

## “Stopped”

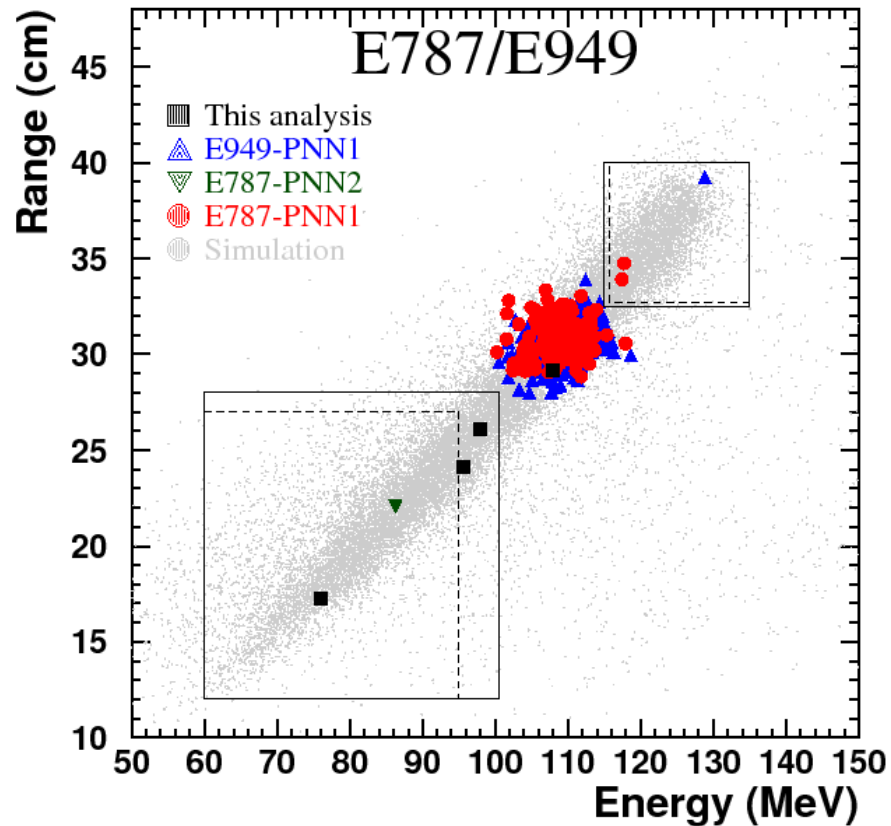
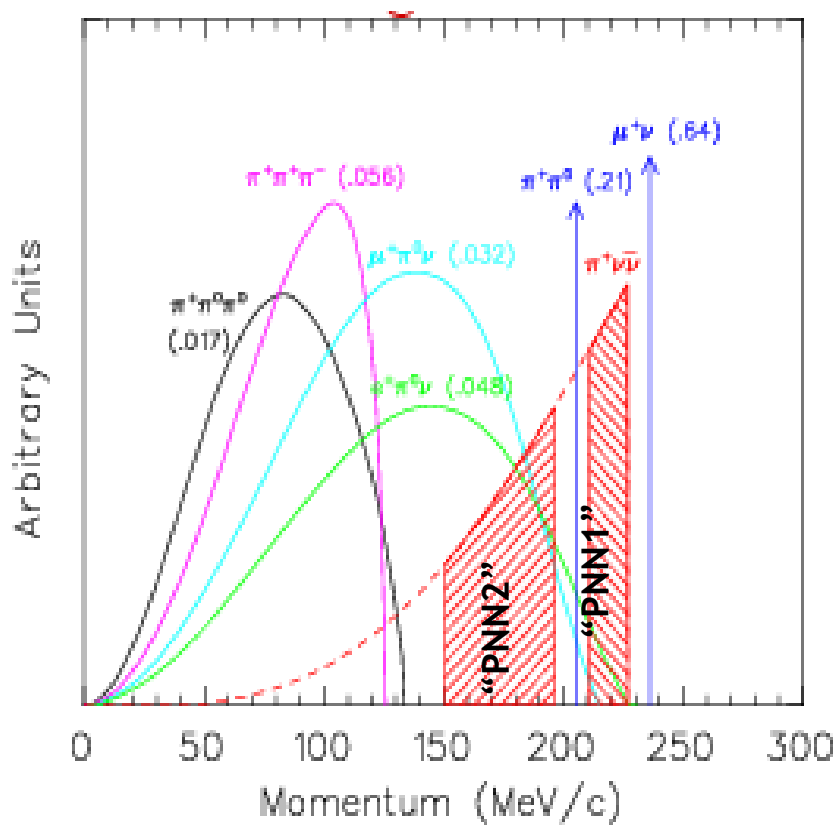
- Work in Kaon frame
- High Kaon purity (Electro-Magneto-static Separators)
- Compact Detectors

## “In-Flight”

- Decays in vacuum (no scattering, no interactions)
- RF separated or Unseparated beams
- Extended decay regions

Exp	Machine	Meas. or UL 90% CL	Notes
	Argonne	$< 5.7 \times 10^{-5}$	Stopped; HL Bubble Chamber
	Bevatron	$< 5.6 \times 10^{-7}$	Stopped; Spark Chambers
	KEK	$< 1.4 \times 10^{-7}$	Stopped; $\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \rightarrow e^+$
E787	AGS	$(1.57^{+1.75}_{-0.82}) \times 10^{-10}$	Stopped
E949	AGS	$(1.73^{+1.15}_{-1.05}) \times 10^{-10}$	Stopped; PPN1+PPN2
NA62	SPS		In-Flight; Unseparated

# STATE OF THE ART: E787/E949 DECAYS AT REST



$$B(K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}) = (1.73^{+1.15}_{-1.05}) \times 10^{-10}$$

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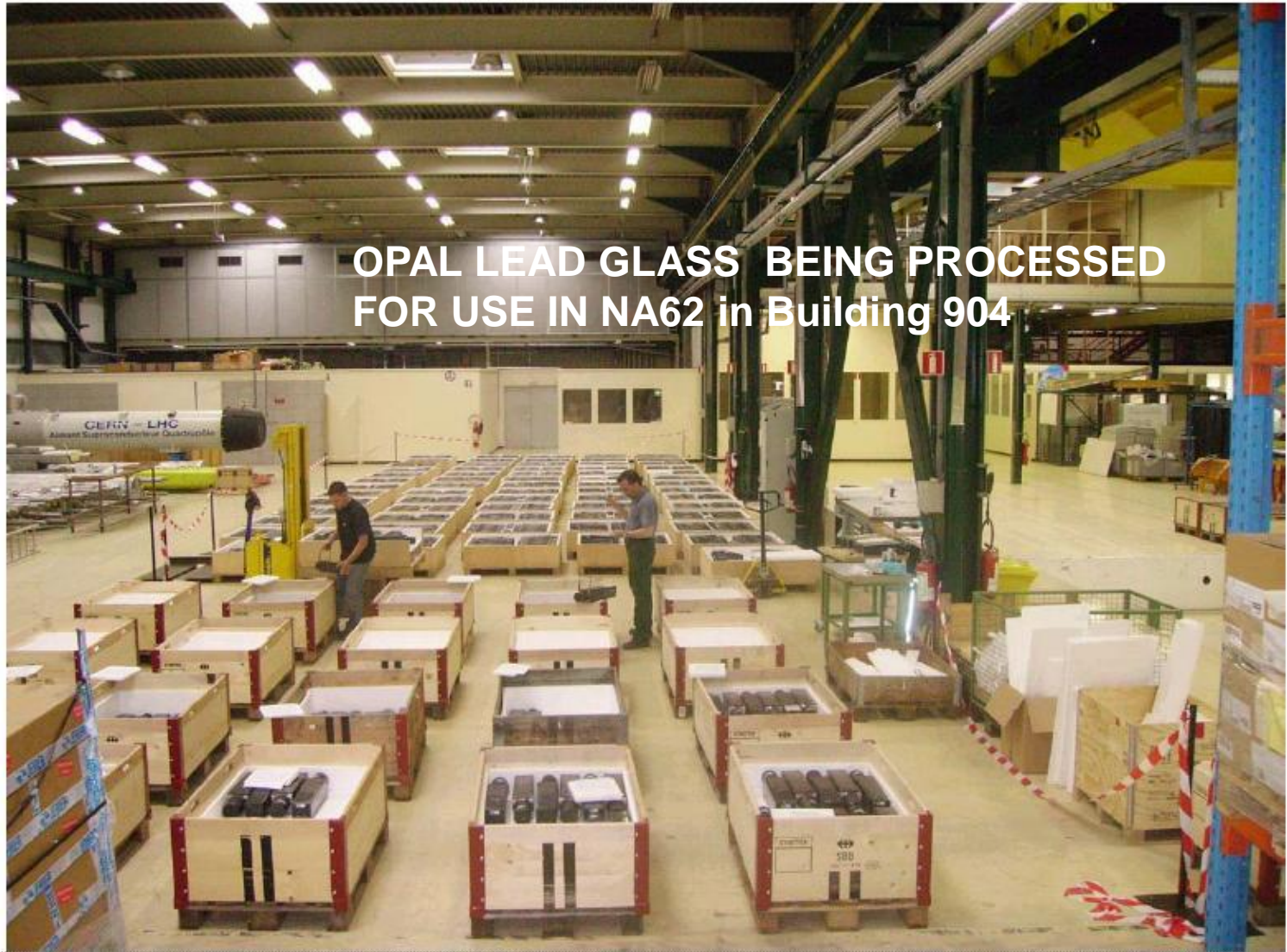
# Proposal to Measure the Rare Decay $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ at the CERN SPS

CERN, Dubna, Ferrara, Florence, Frascati,  
Mainz, Merced, Moscow, Naples,  
Perugia, Protvino, Pisa, Rome, Saclay,  
San Luis Potosi, Sofia, Turin

# A LOT OF HELP FROM GEORGE WAS NEEDED TO TURN THIS PROPOSAL INTO REALITY...

- ◉ Seminars in the UK...
- ◉ ...after dinner scientific discussion at the Royal Society...
- ◉ And most of all...a phone call around Christmas 2006 when George kindly asked to look at CERN for some 3 inch phototubes to shield the Dark Matter detector in Daresbury from cosmic rays...
- ◉ ...I asked Pippa Wells about the **OPAL** ones...
- ◉ ...She pointed me towards Kawamoto-san....

# Large Angle Photon Veto



# NA62 @ SPSC117

14/3/2015

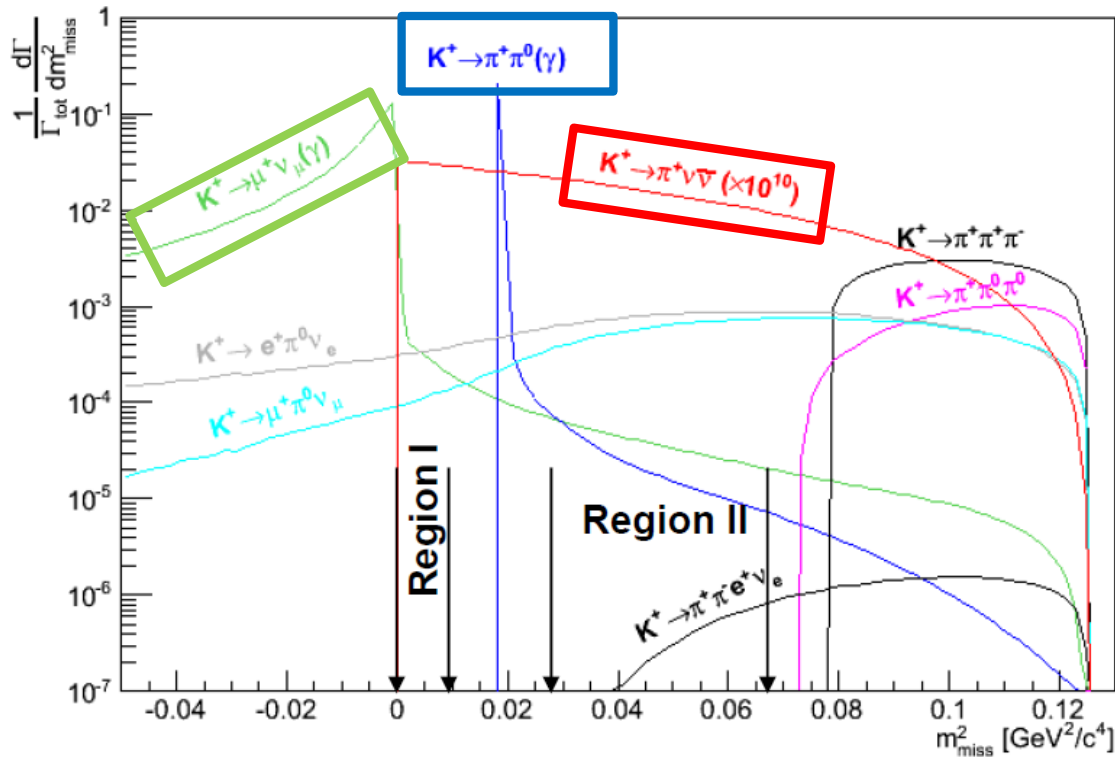
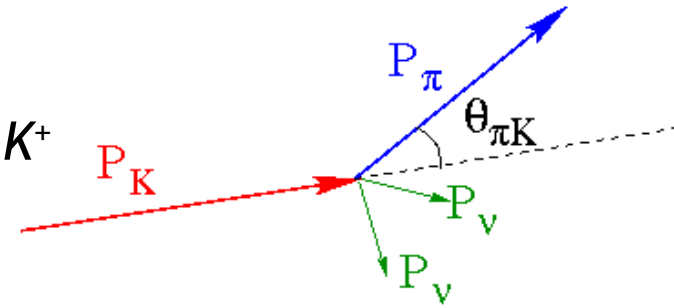


## 235 Collaborators



# NA62 IN-FLIGHT TECHNIQUE

- Calorimetry to veto extra particles
- Very light trackers to reconstruct the  $K^+$  and the  $\pi^+$  momenta
- Full particle identification



$$m_{\text{miss}}^2 = (P_K - P_{\pi^+})^2$$

# $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ Analysis Sensitivity (MC)

Decay	event/year
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu \bar{\nu}$ [SM] (flux $4.5 \times 10^{12}$ )	45
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$	5
$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu$	1
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^+ \pi^-$	< 1
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- e^+ \nu$ + other 3 tracks decays	< 1
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0 \gamma$ (IB)	1.5
$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu \gamma$ (IB)	0.5
$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ (\mu^+) \nu$ , others	negligible
<b>Total background</b>	<b>&lt; 10</b>

# NA62 EXPERIMENT IN ECN3



- Picture taken just before starting commissioning
- Beam time 2014: October 6 - December 15

# NA62 DETECTOR STATUS



SM

View of ECN3

LAV 1-5 in TTC8



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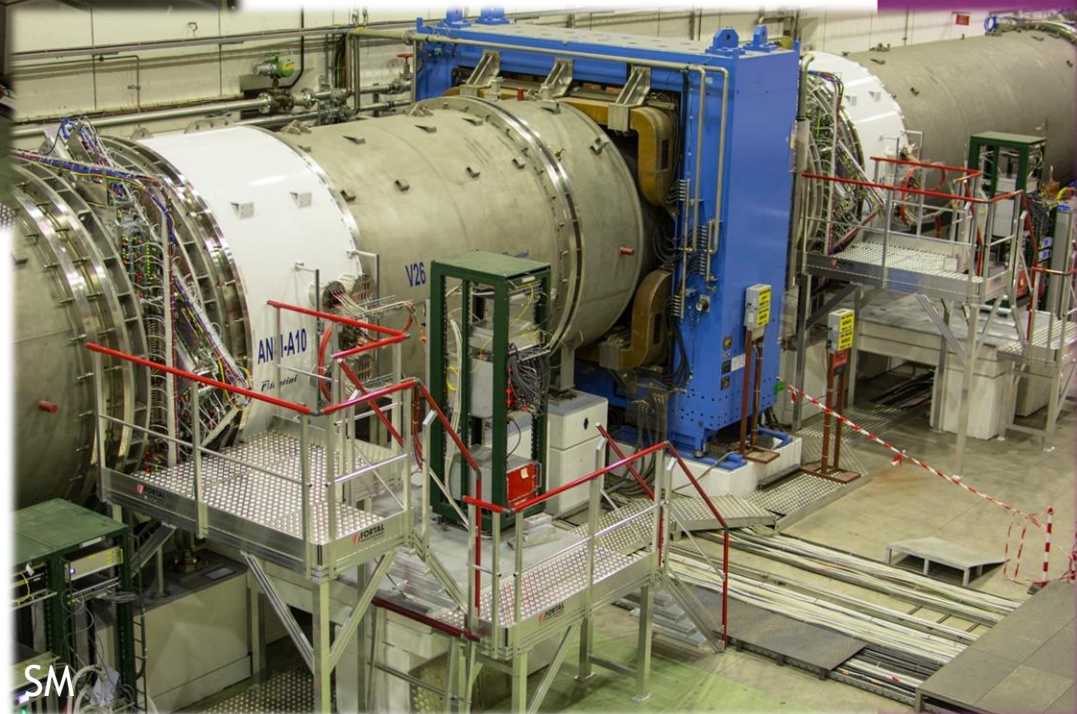
# NA62 DETECTOR STATUS



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Straw2 - LAV9

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RICH Straw 4 and LAV11

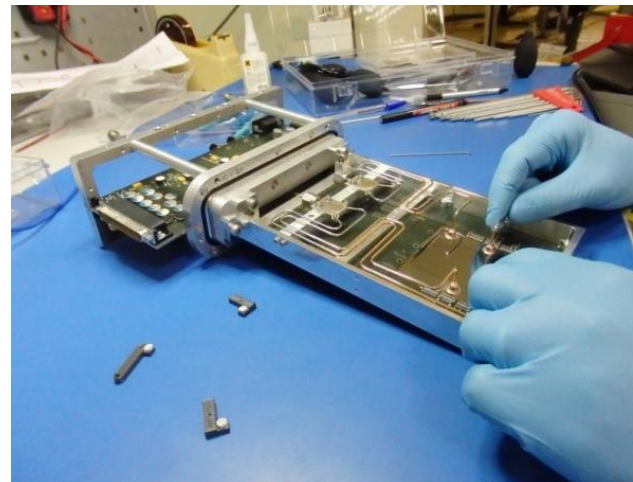
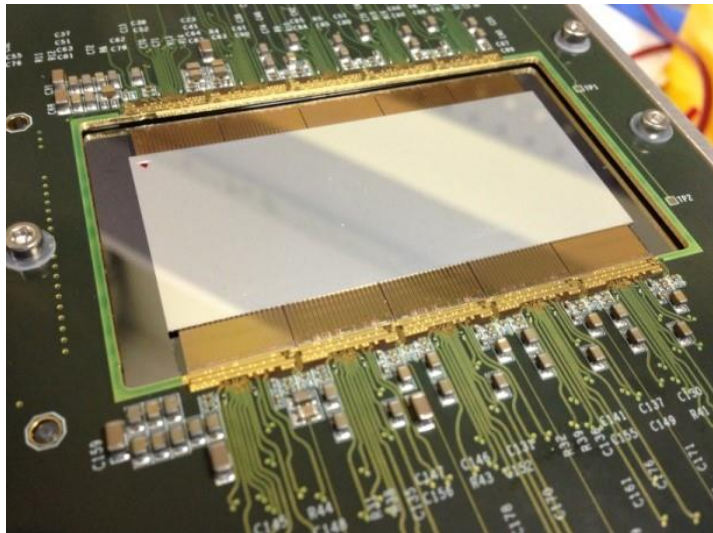
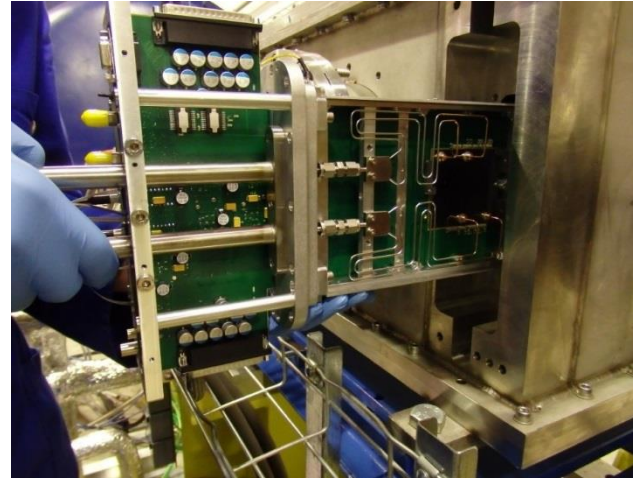
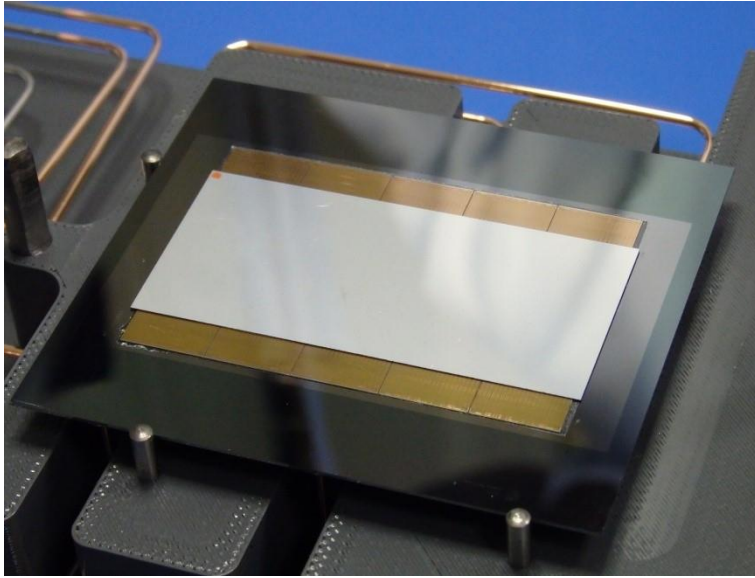


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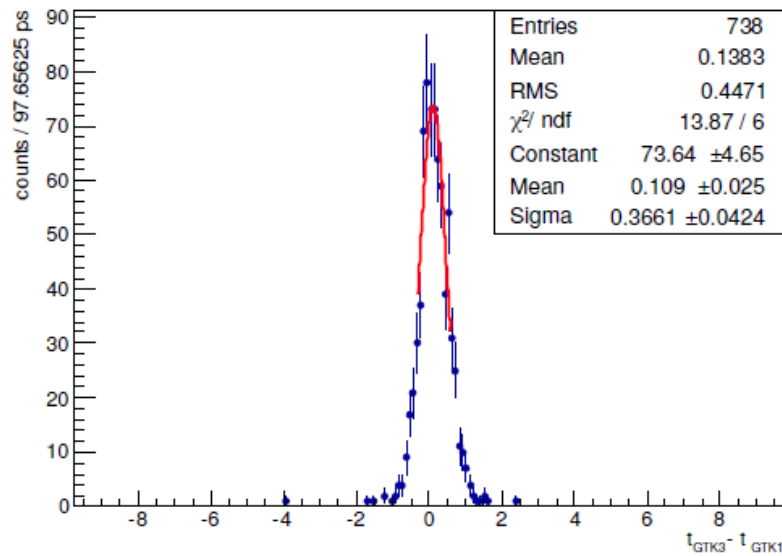
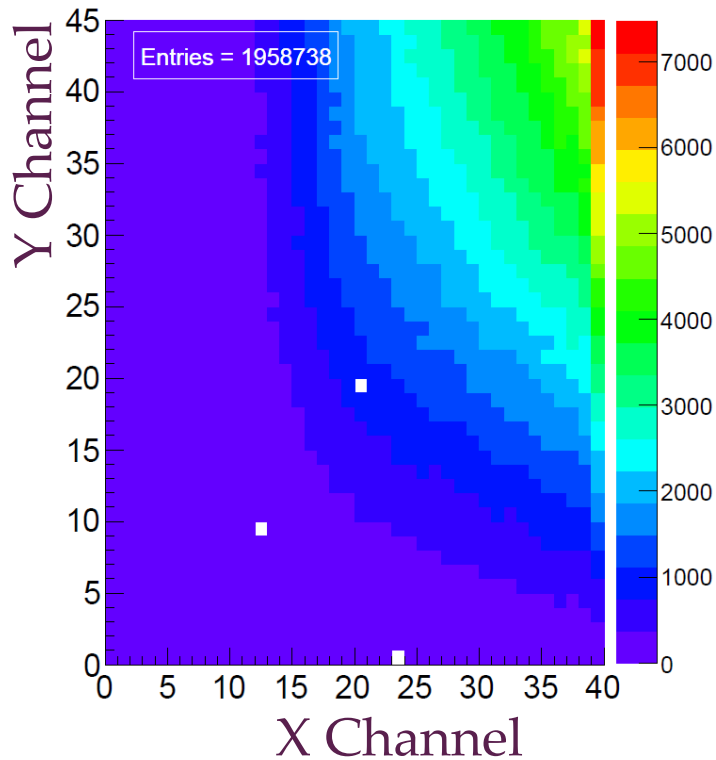
# GIGATRACKER (GTK)



CERN (PH-DT, PH-ESE, PH-SME, EN,...)  
Ferrara, Louvain-la-Neuve, Torino



# GIGATRACKER PERFORMANCE



After ToT correction

Time resolution ~ 260 ps / station  
In line with expectations for  
HV = 200 V

K12 Beam; Illumination of one GTK chip

# LARGE ANGLE VETOES



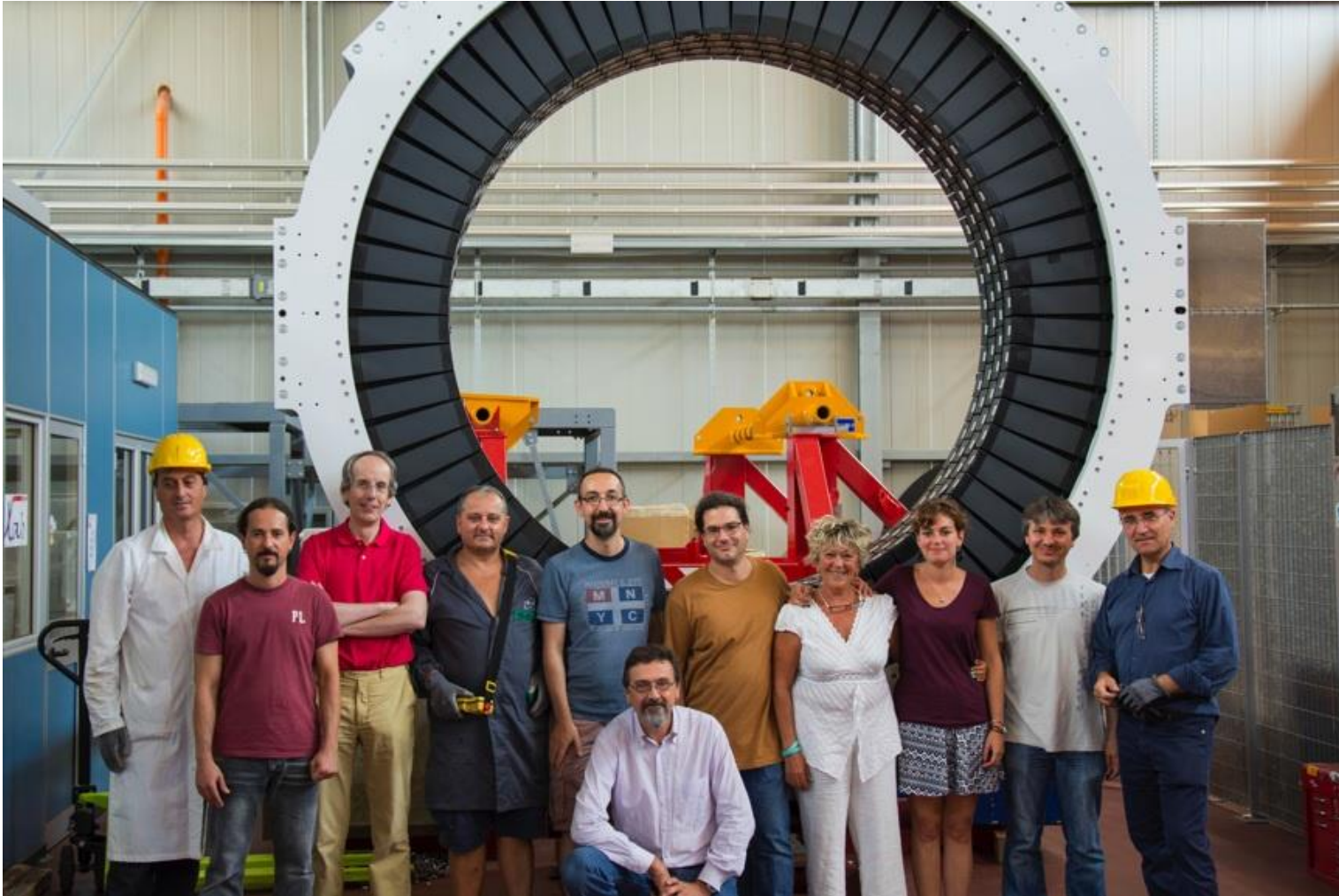
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A1-A11 in Vacuum (including PMTs)  
A12 in air

Lead Glass counters from the  
LEP-OPAL ECAL (~2500 blocks)

All stations Installed

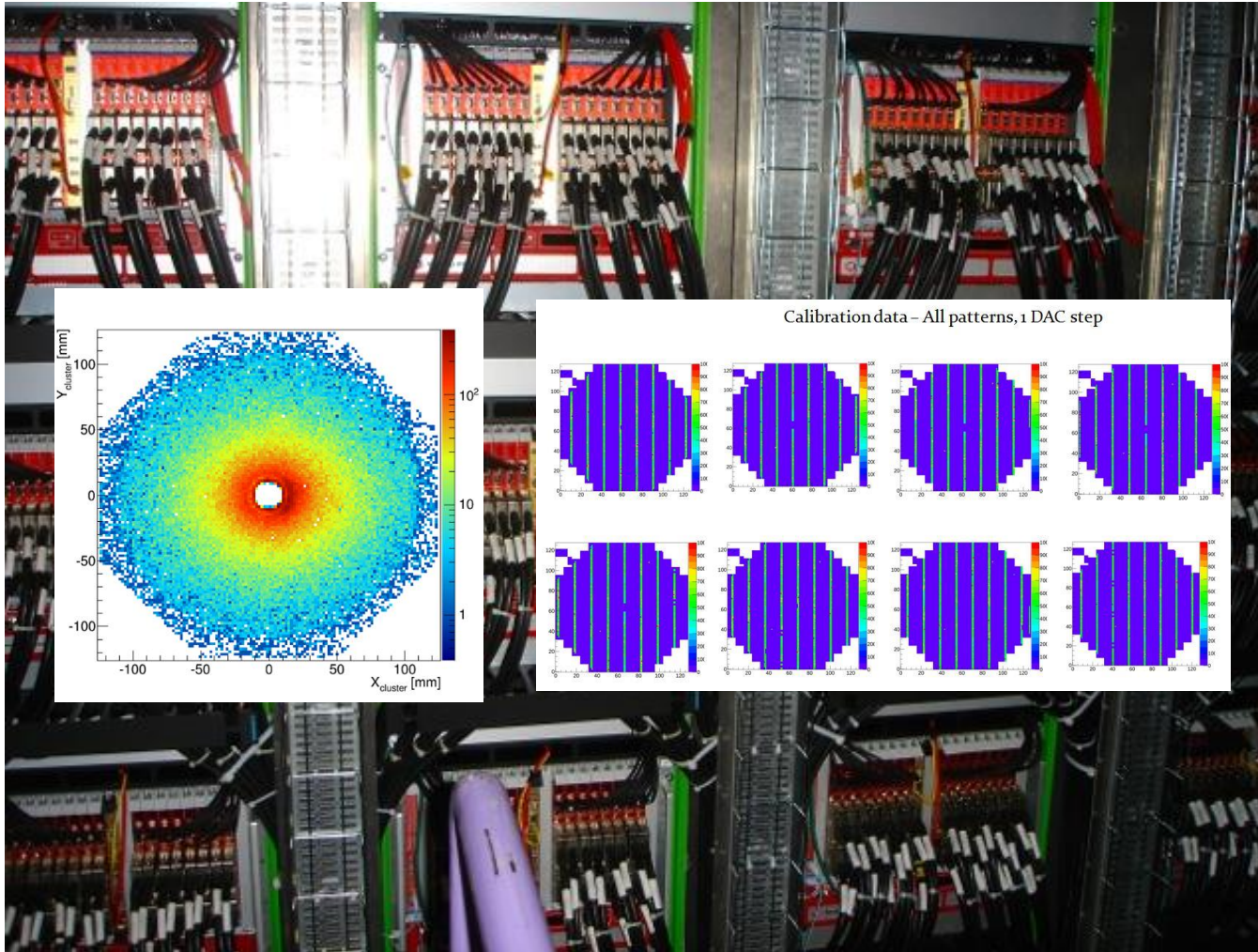


# COMPLETION OF THE LAST LAV



NA62 LAV: Frascati, Naples, Pisa & Rome 1 Collaboration

# LIQUID KRYPTON READ OUT

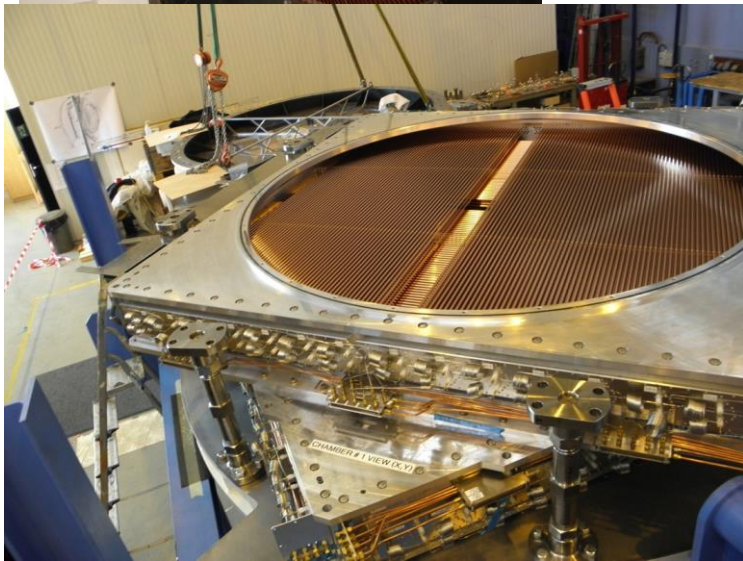
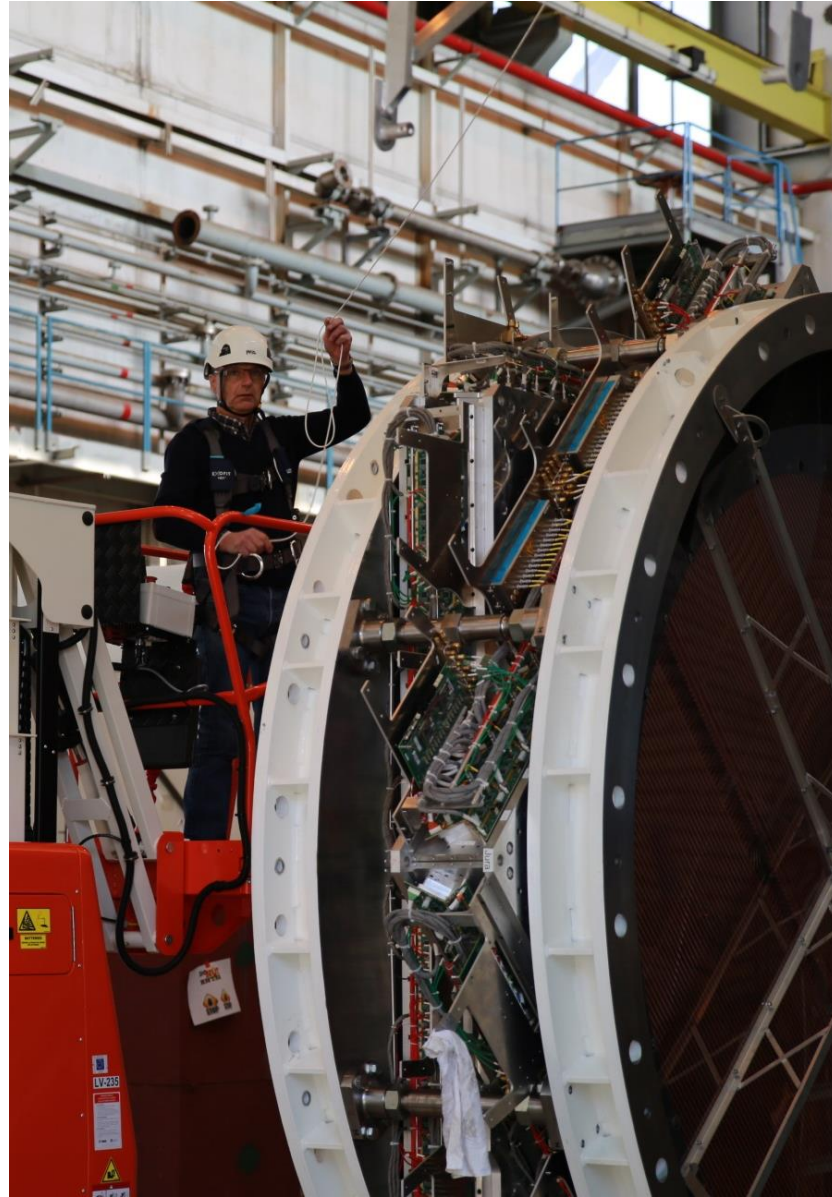
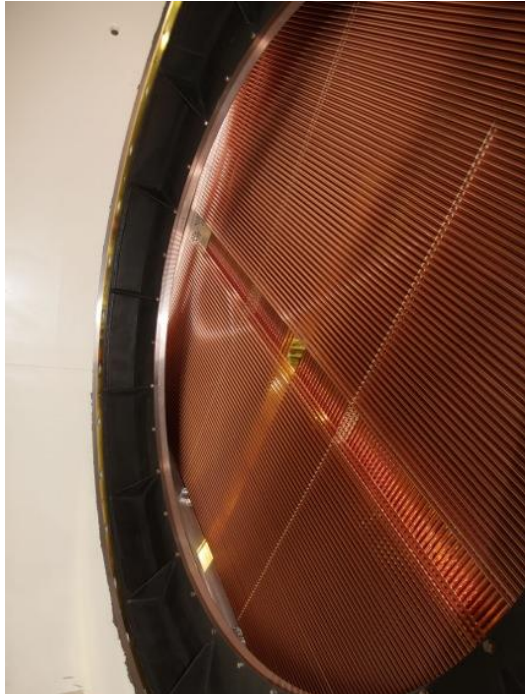


14 bit FADC, 40 Ms, 32 ch / module    **432 modules, 28 VME crates**

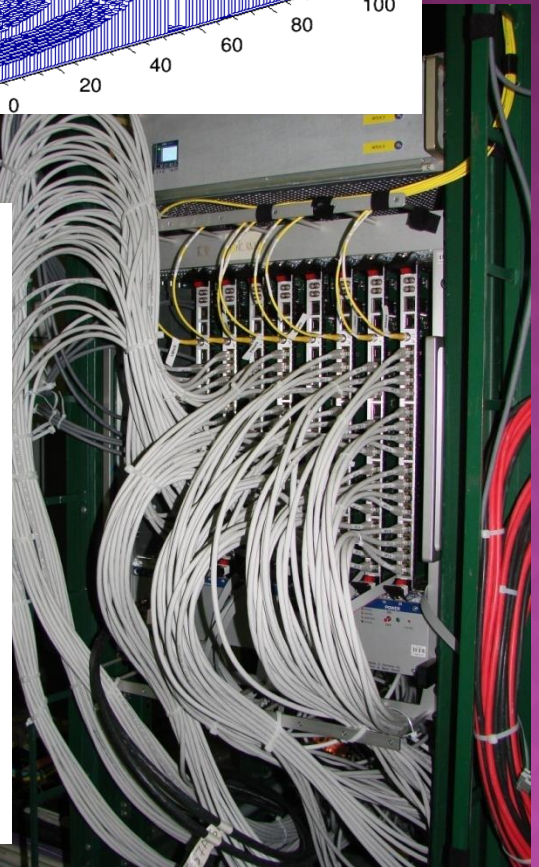
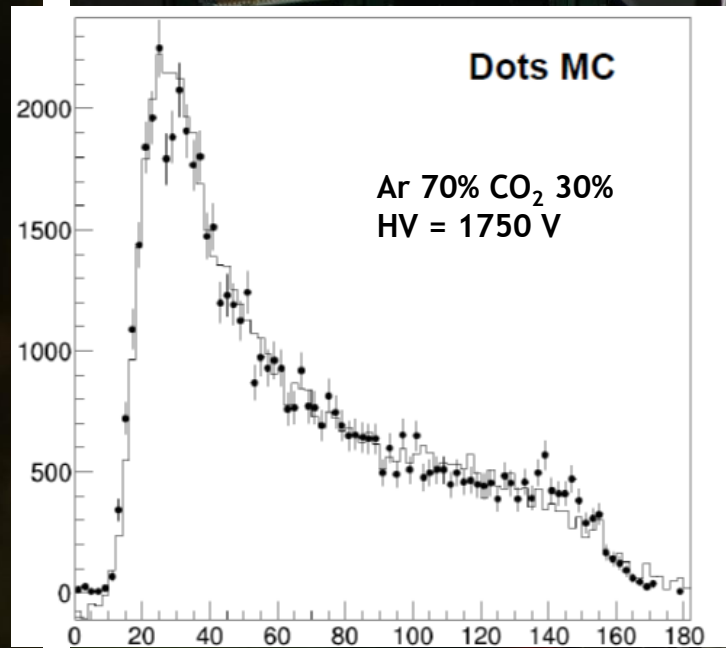
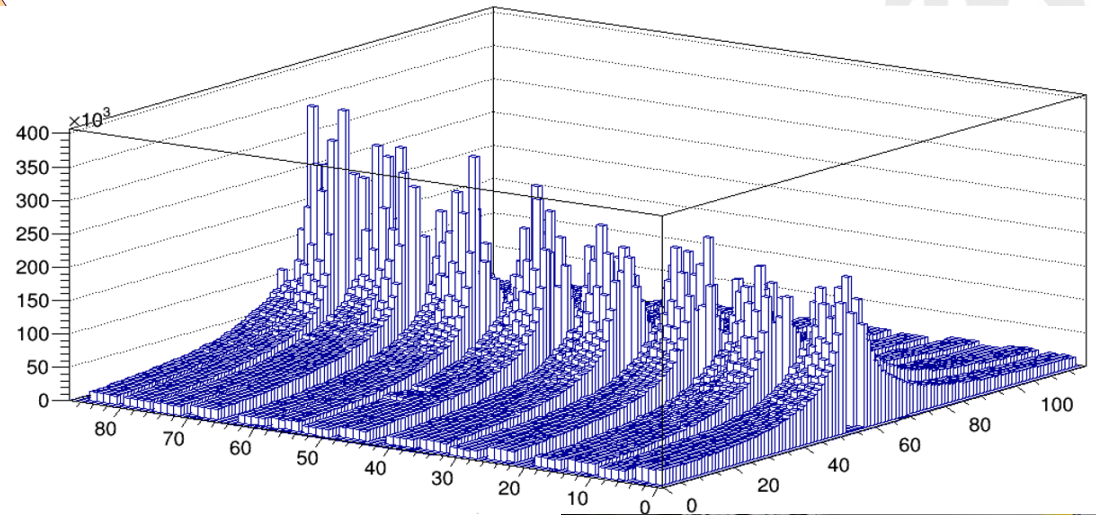
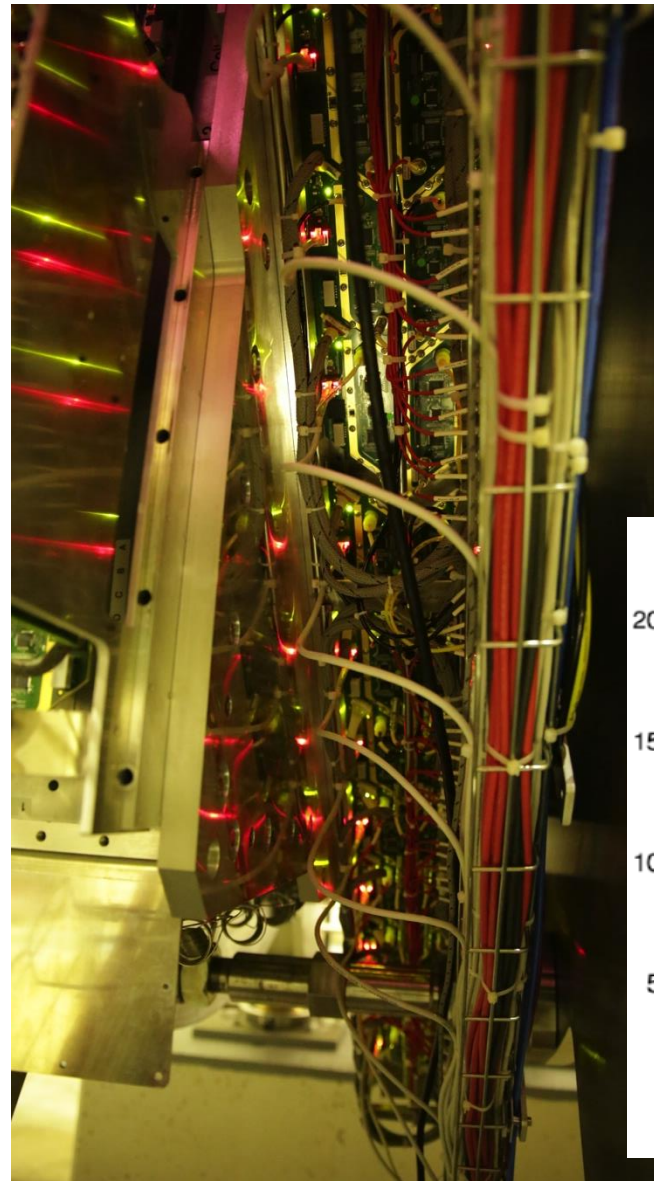
Specifications/Tender : CERN PH-ESE,PH-SME    Manufacturer: CAEN (ITALY)

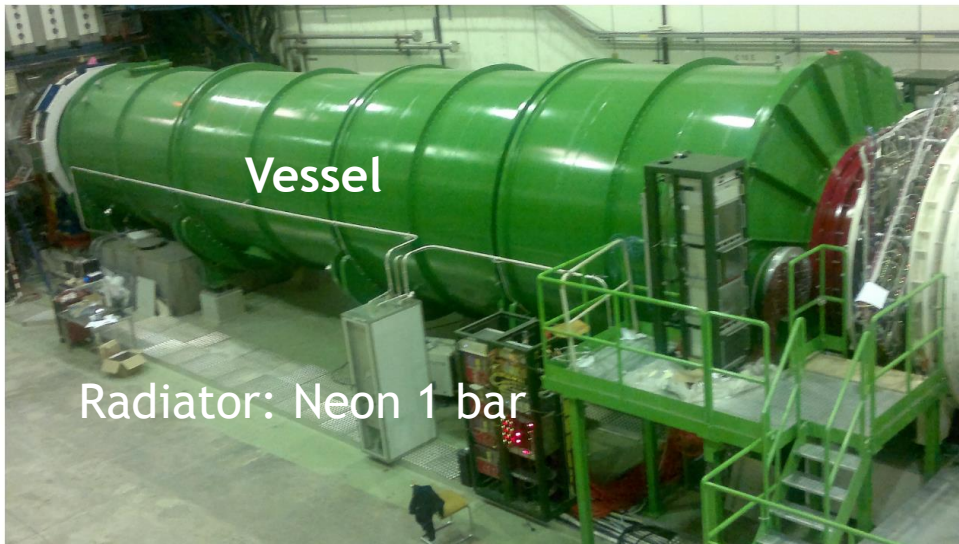
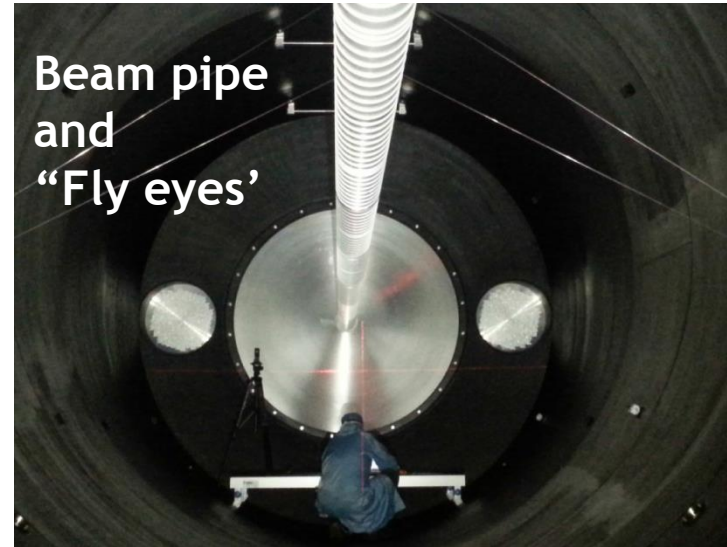
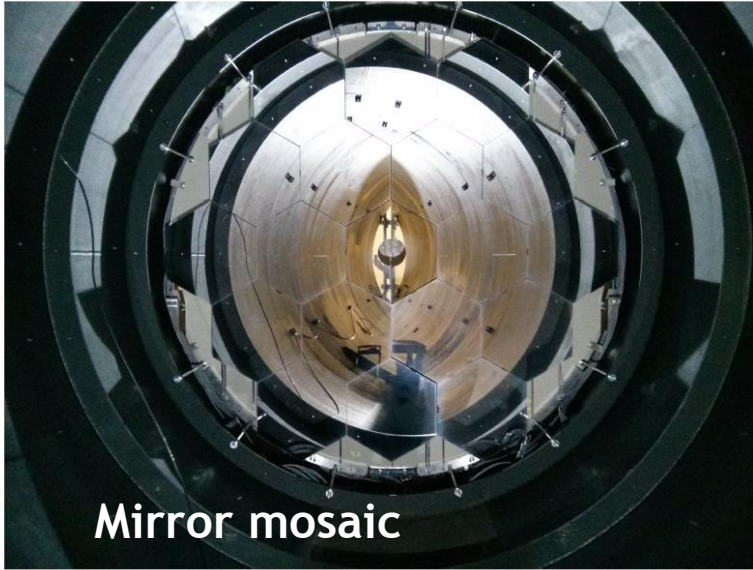
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CERN (PH-DT, PH-ESE, PH-SME) - JINR

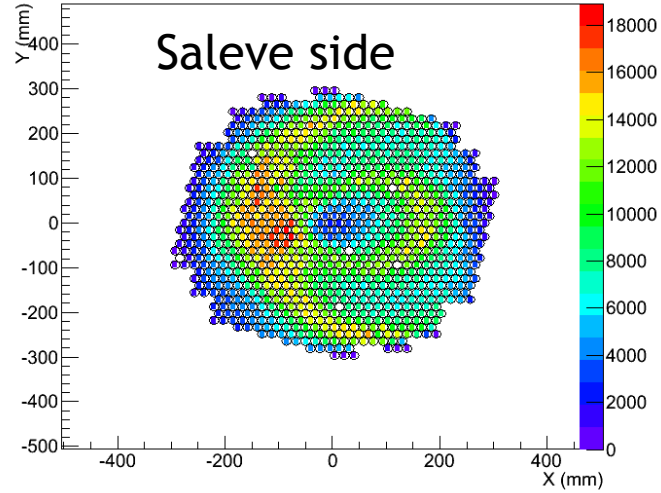
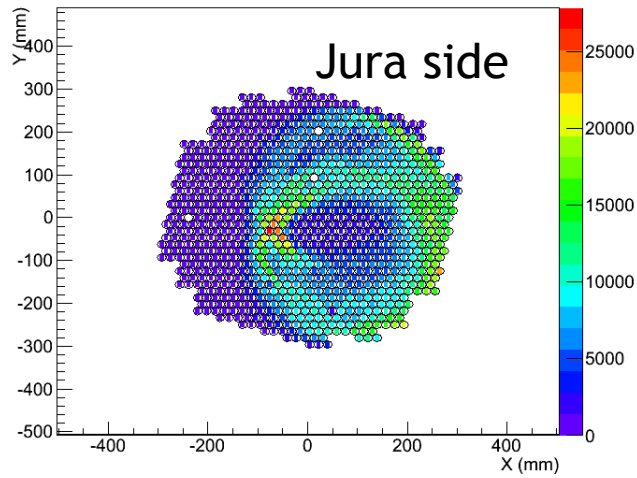


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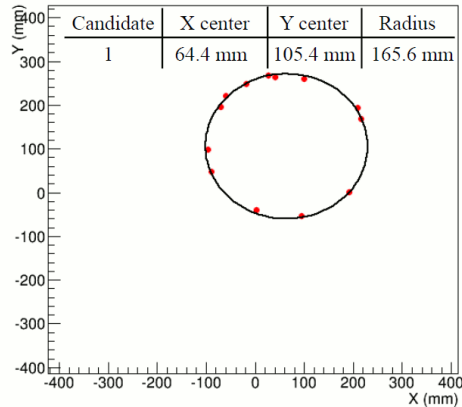




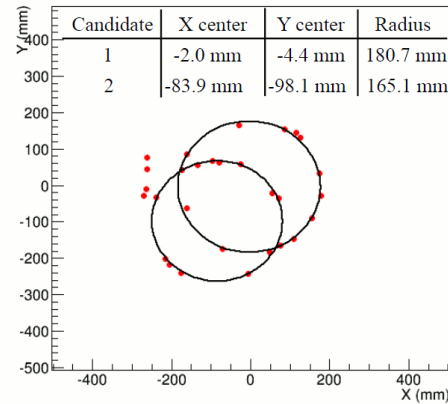
# RICH DATA



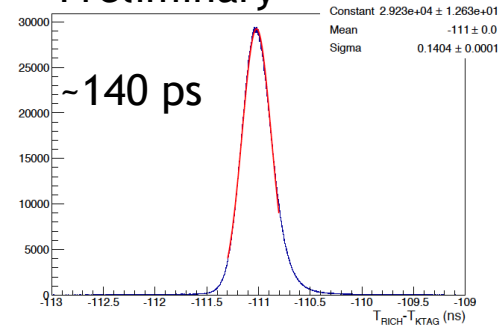
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Single event Saleve side



Preliminary

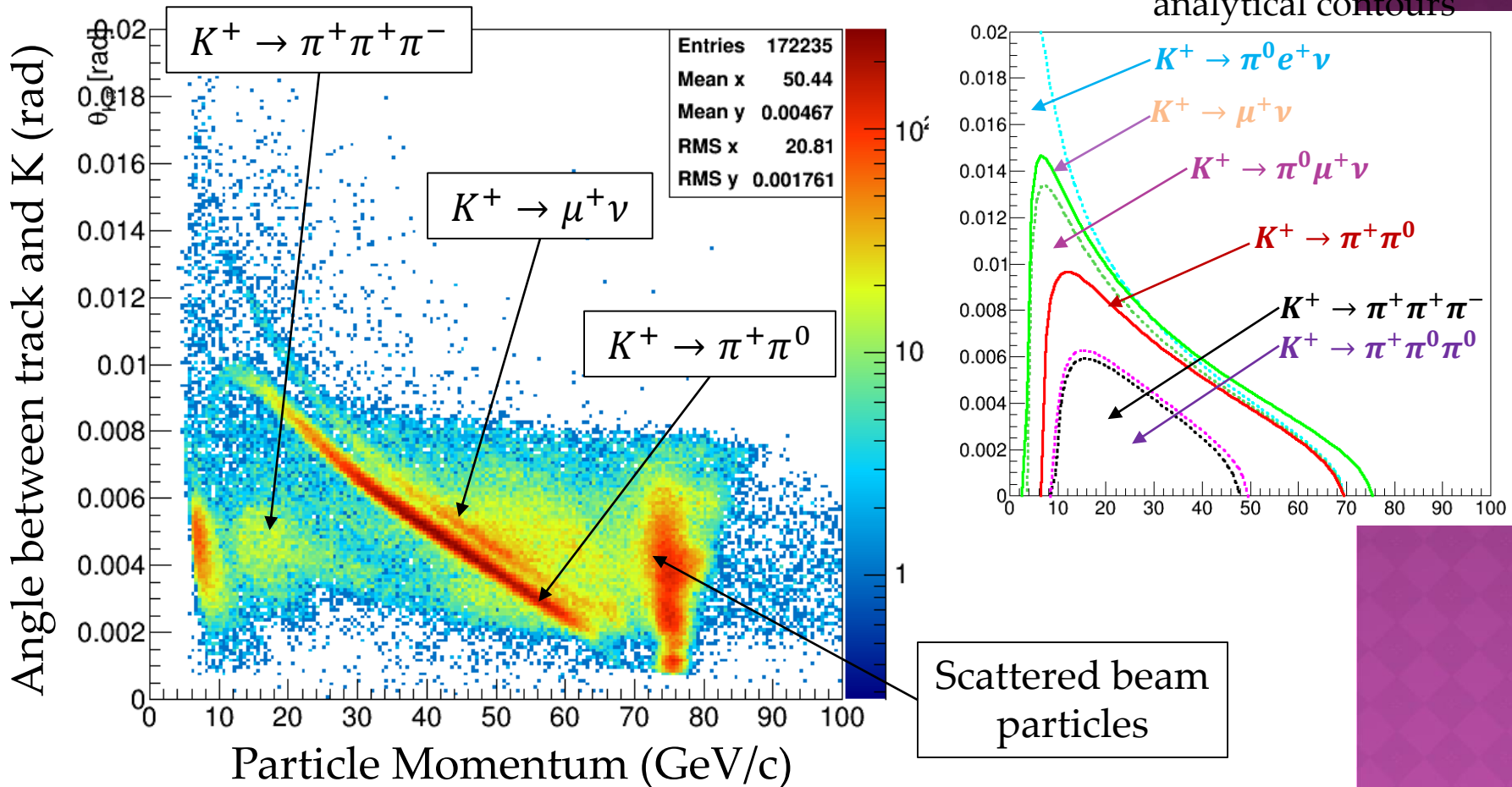


RICH-KTAG

# 2014 DATA QUALITY



- Events with only 1 track in the spectrometer reconstructed (within 40 ns)
- $10^2$  muon rejection at trigger level



CERN-EP Seminar by Giuseppe Ruggiero, March 10, 2015:

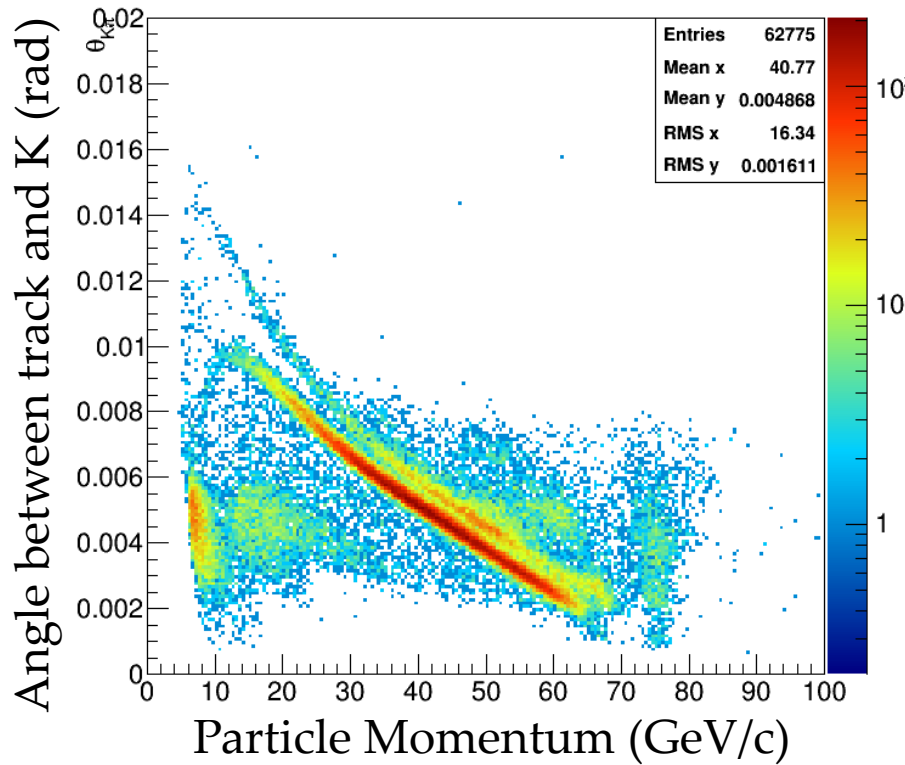
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/360237/>

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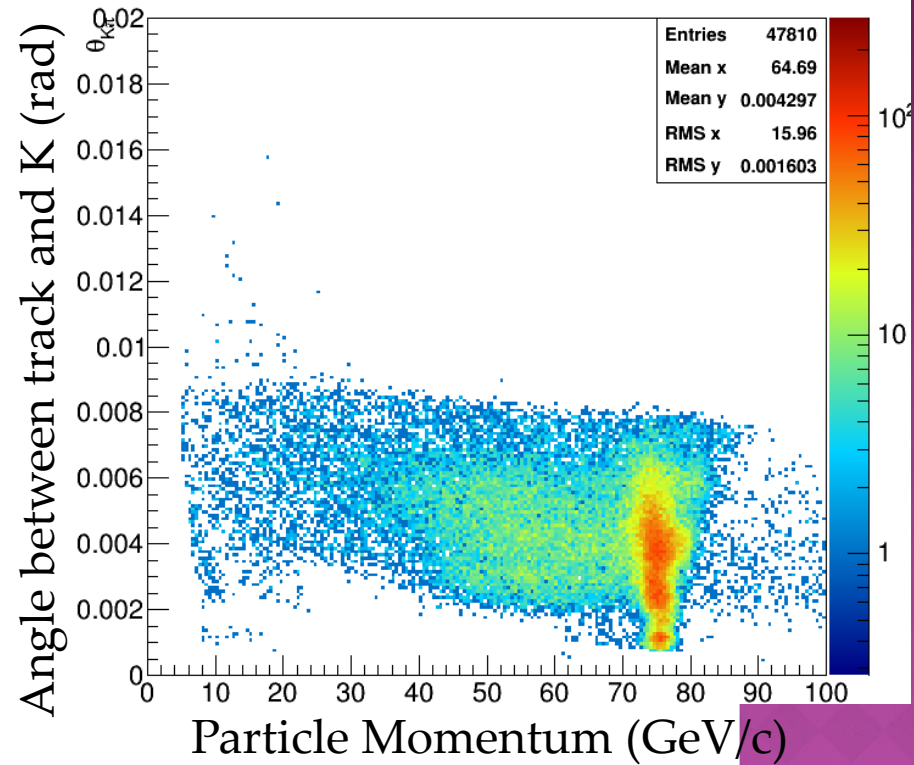


- Apply KTAG for kaon identification

KTAG candidate



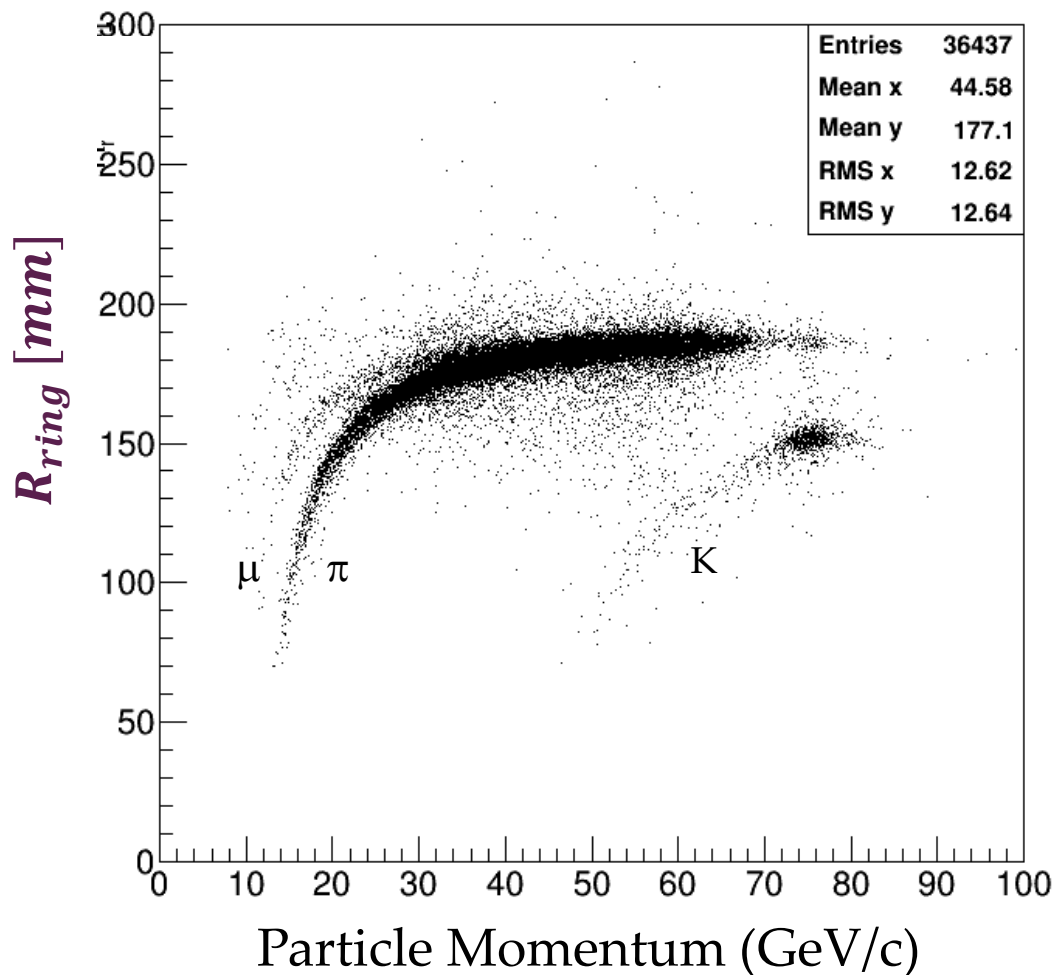
No KTAG candidate





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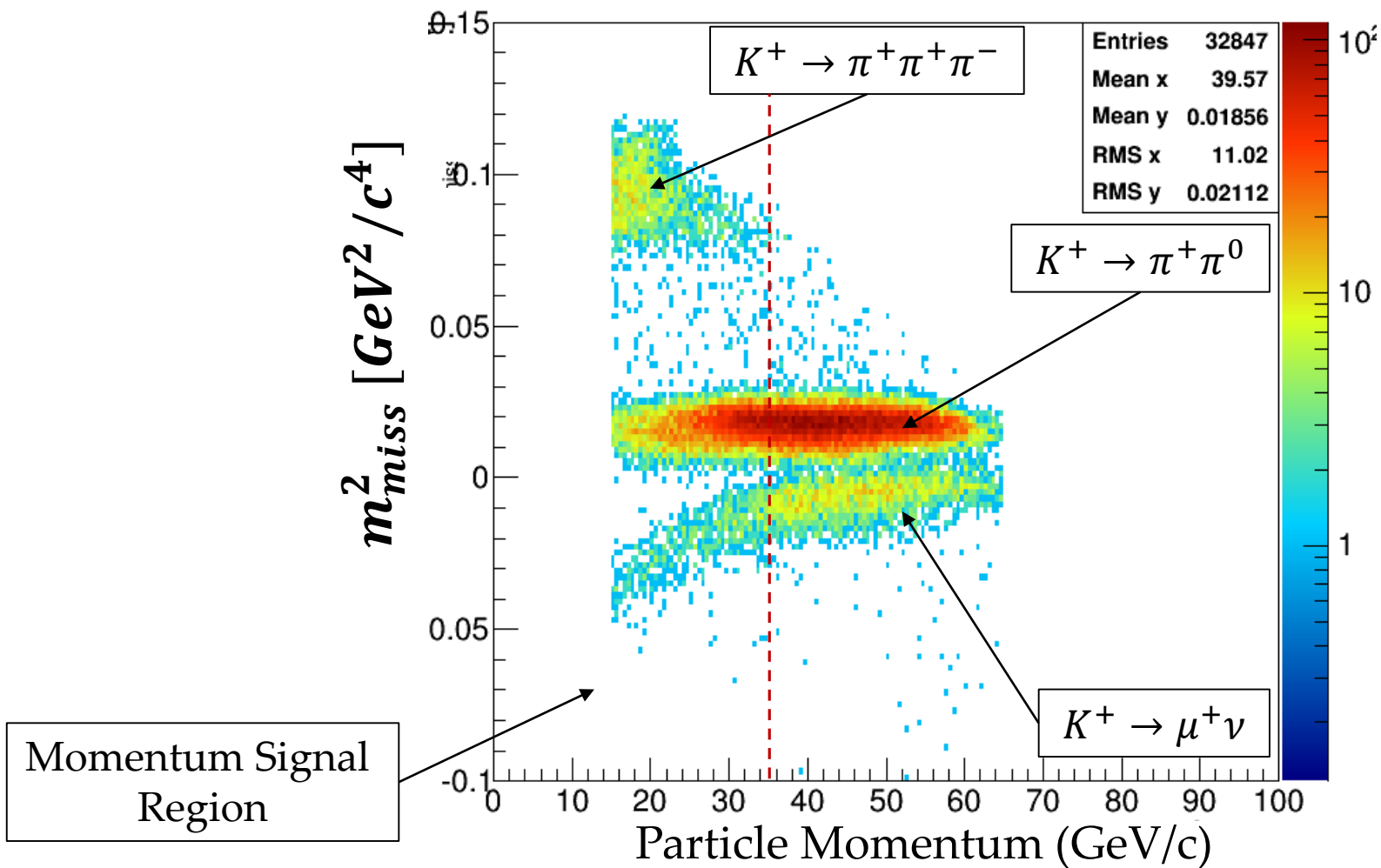
- Matching between track and RICH ring to study the particle content
- Positrons suppressed by the trigger



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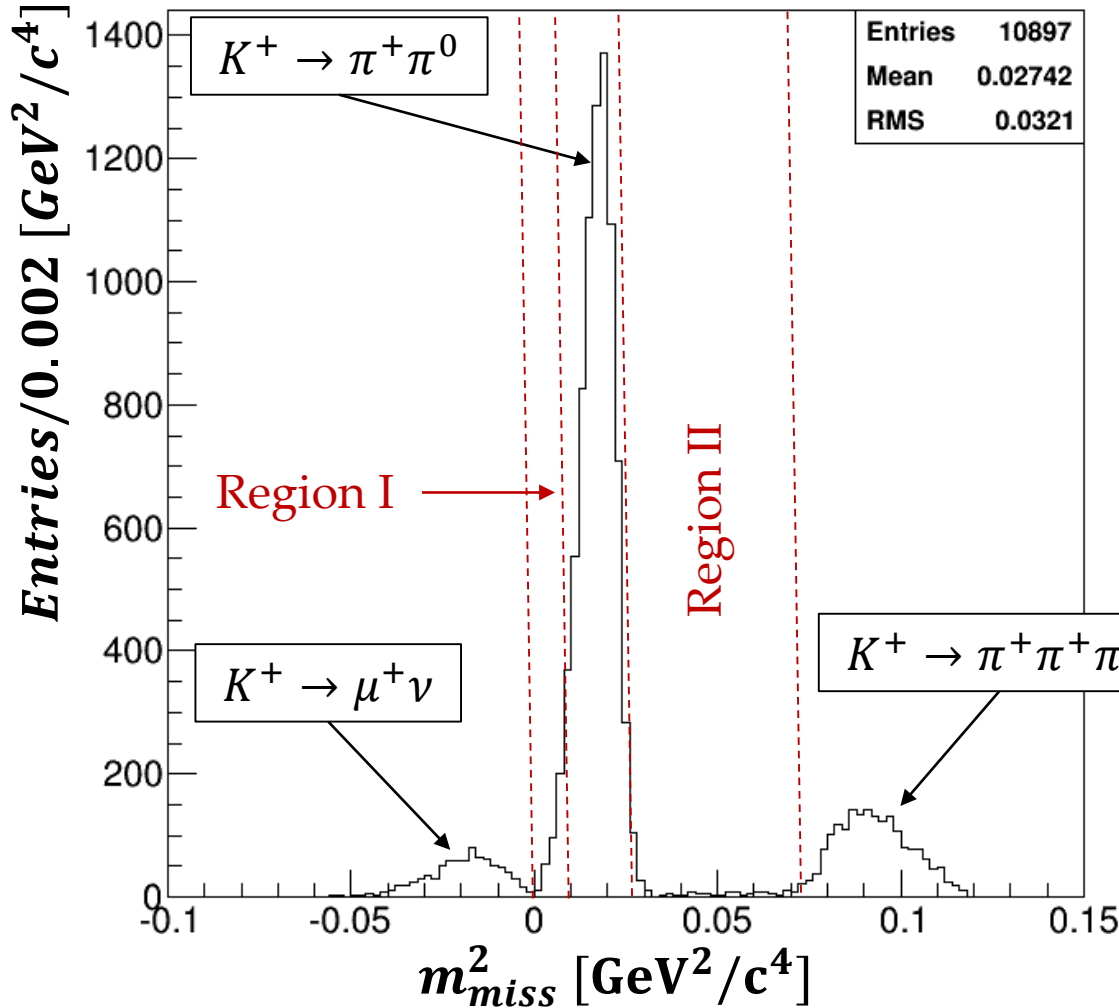
$$m_{miss}^2 = (P_K - P_{\pi^+})^2$$



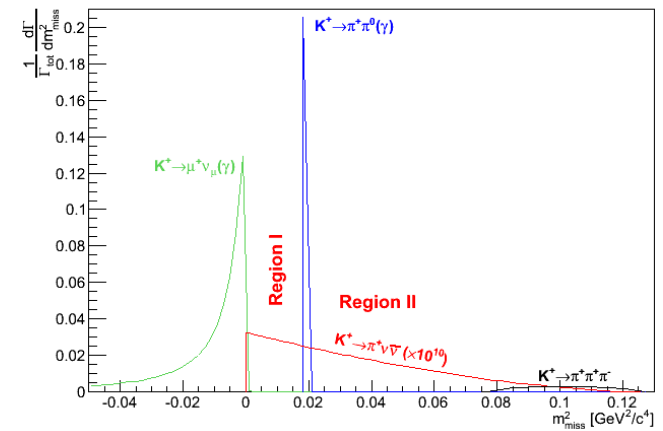
# 2014 DATA QUALITY



$P < 35 \text{ GeV}/c$



theoretical shapes



# CONTROL SAMPLES

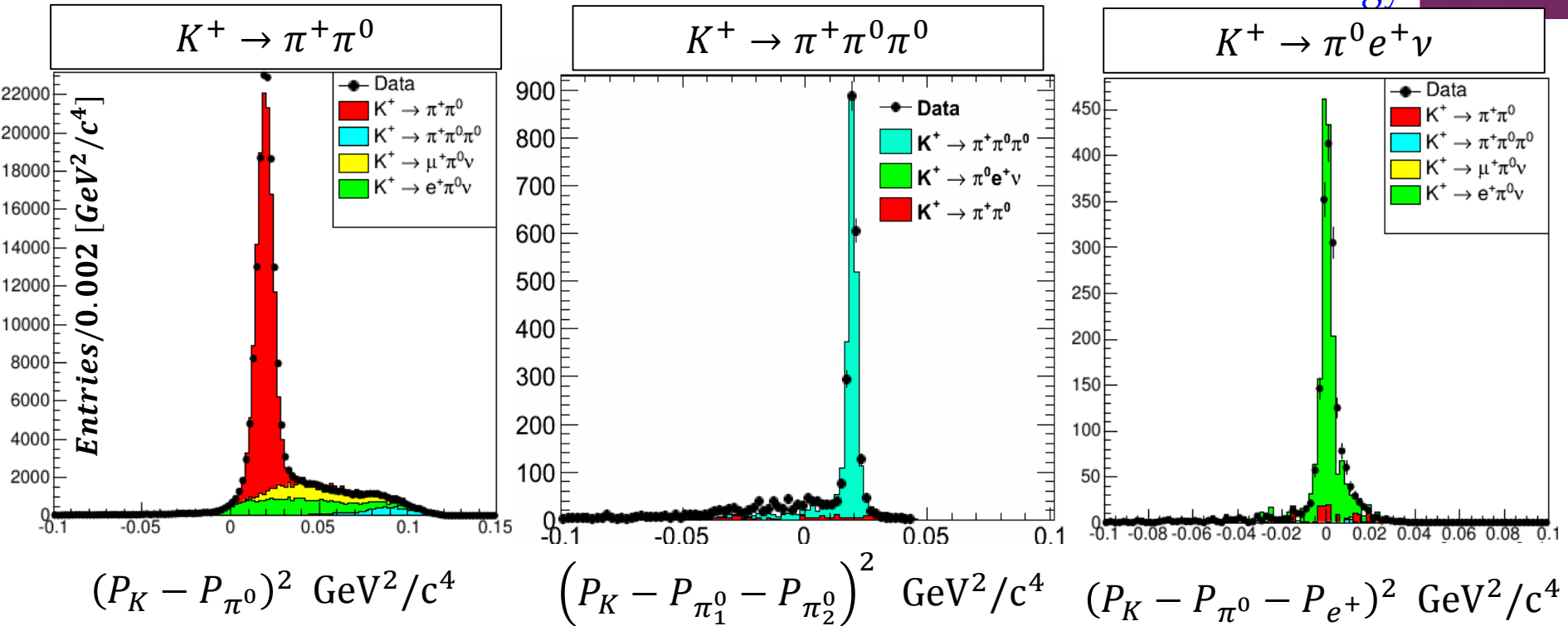


- ✗ Kaon decay modes reconstructed with the liquid Krypton calorimeter only (from minimum bias data)
- ✗ Useful to measure the kinematic suppression factor, particle ID efficiency ...

$\pi^0$  mass assumed

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and  $e^+$  energy



## EXPECTED NA62 PROTON RUNNING FOR UPCOMING YEARS (NOT EVEN DRAFT)

2015 ~ 22 weeks

2016 ~30 weeks

2017 ~25 weeks

2018 <8 weeks (booster cooldown → LINAC4)

2019 LS2connection to LINAC4)

NA62 immediate goal: Accumulate and analyze  
 $O(10^{13})$  good kaon decays before LS2

compatible with 10 y LHC plan shown at Moriond  
EW → next page

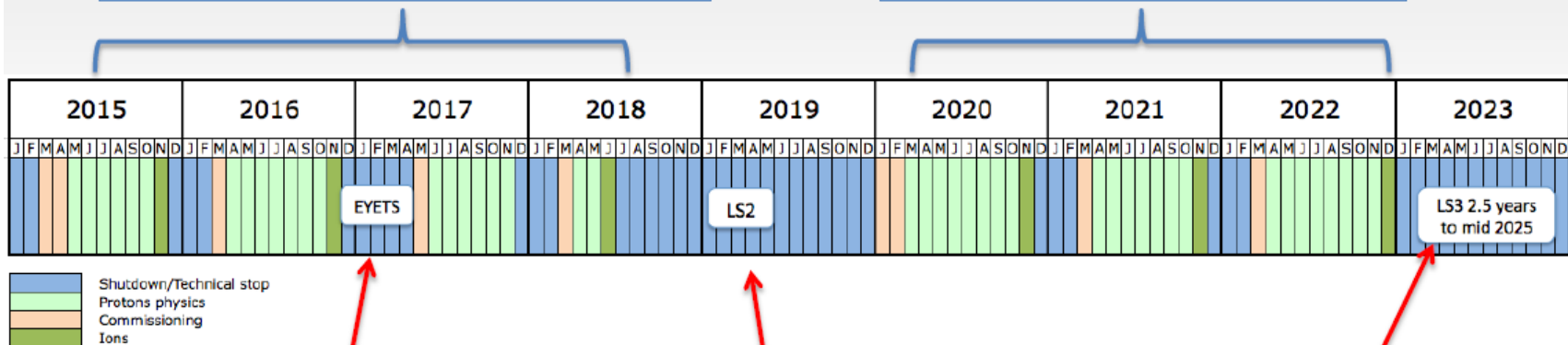
Mike Lamont  
Moriond EW

# 10 year plan

- Long years – 13 weeks Christmas stop
- Interspersed with long shutdown every 3 to 4 years
- Ions very much part of the plan

Run 2: 13 to 14 TeV c.m. with peak  
luminosity of  $\sim 1.7 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

Run 3: 14 TeV c.m. with peak  
luminosity of  $\sim 2 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$



**EYETS 19 weeks**  
Extended year end  
technical stop (CMS)

**LS2: 18 months**  
Connection of LINAC4  
LHC Injectors Upgrade

**LS3: 30 months**  
High Luminosity LHC

# George and I as co-authors of a CERN-TH preprint!

## KAON PHYSICS WITH A HIGH-INTENSITY PROTON DRIVER

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### 7 SOME CONSIDERATIONS ON USING THE PROTON DRIVER OF A MUON STORAGE RING (MSR) AS A KAON FACTORY

*G. Kalmus*

#### 7.1 Introduction

The purpose of this section is to explore the feasibility of using the proton driver of a possible MSR facility to produce kaon beams of intensity and characteristics that are not only competitive with those available elsewhere, but potentially even better.

Table 5: Comparison of proton intensities from existing, projected and proposed machines.

	Beam Energy (GeV)	Beam Current ( $\mu\text{A}$ )	Cycle Rate Hz	p/Pulse	p/sec
CERN PS	26	1.6	0.5	$2 \times 10^{13}$	$10^{13}$
BNL AGS	24(30)	$\sim 5$	0.3	$10^{14}$	$3 \times 10^{13}$
FNAL MI (2002?)	120	1.6	0.33	$3 \times 10^{13}$	$10^{13}$
JHF (2006/7?)	50	10	0.16	$4 \times 10^{14}$	$6 \times 10^{13}$
KEK	12	0.16	0.25	$4 \times 10^{12}$	$10^{12}$
KAON (Defunct)	30	100	10	$6 \times 10^{13}$	$6 \times 10^{14}$
CERN MSR source (201N?)	24	160	15	$7 \times 10^{13}$	$10^{15}$

Table 6 gives the characteristics of beams available at the Brookhaven AGS operating at 24 GeV [79].

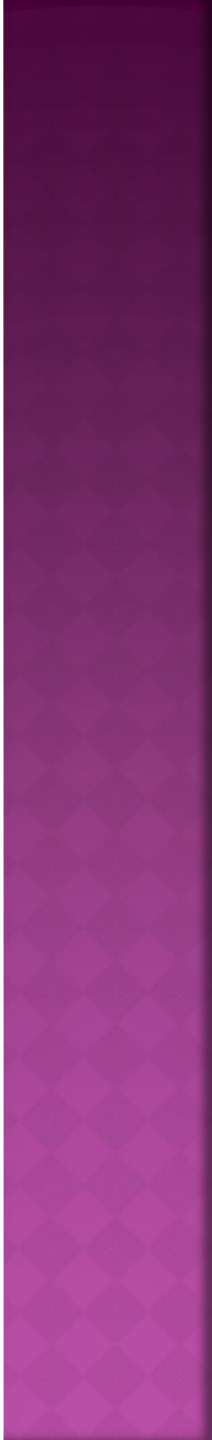
George also explored innovative options to make more kaons...

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY PROF. KALMUS!!

- ⦿ The rare decay program you identified at CERN 15 years ago is well under way...
- ⦿ ...it is now time for you to be back at CERN...
- ⦿ ...in order to launch a programme for the next 15 years!!!

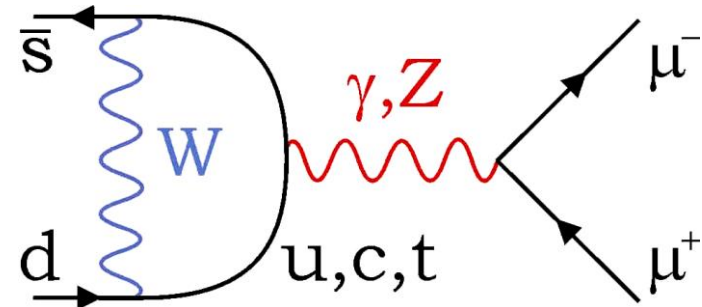


SPARE



# $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ and $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$

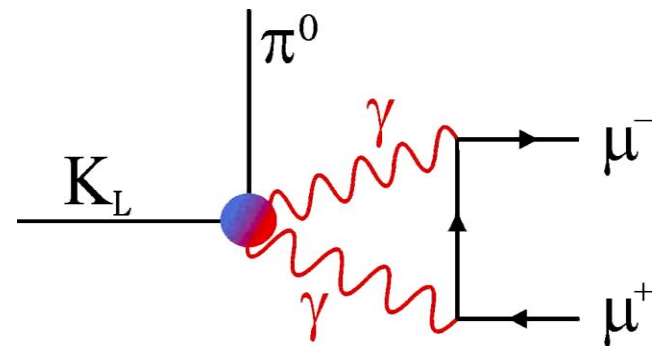
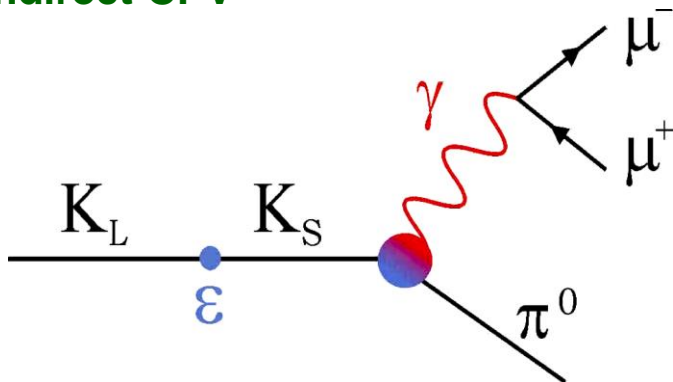
## Study Direct CP-Violation



Direct CPV

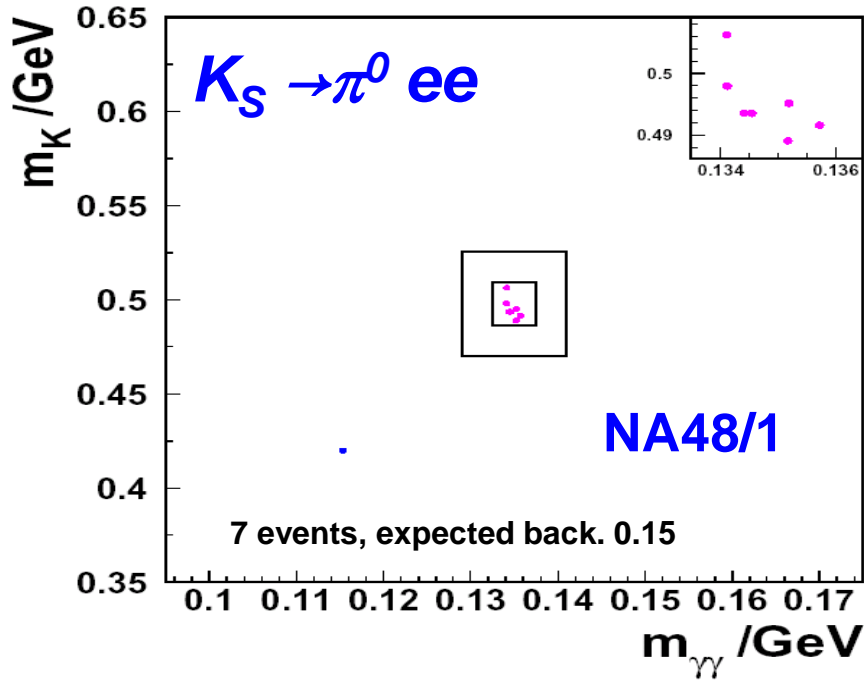
- NA48/1 has measured the Indirect CP-Violating Contribution for both modes
- S-L Constructive Interference preferred
- CP-Conserving Contributions are negligible

Indirect CPV



CPC

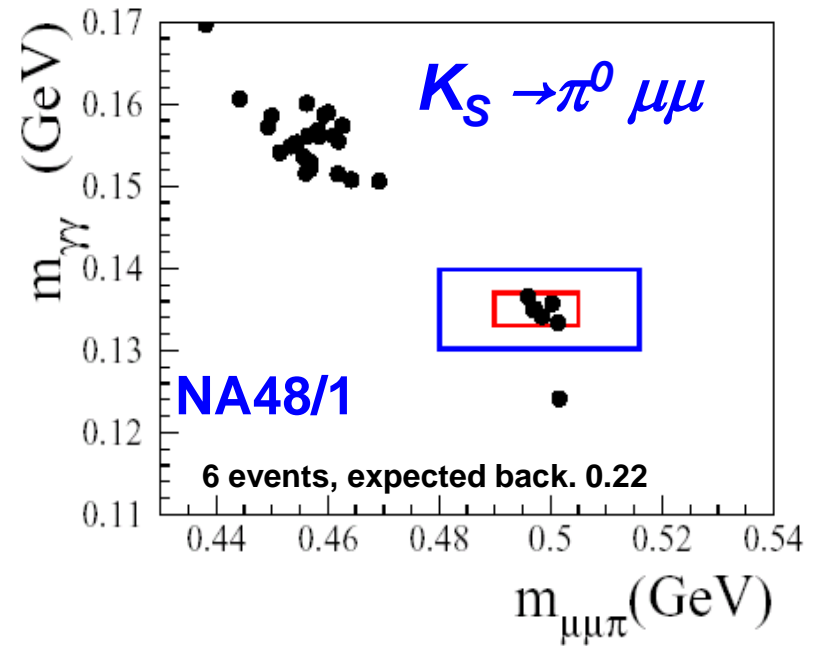
# $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+e^-$ and $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+\mu^-$



$$BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee) \times 10^{-9} = 5.8^{+2.8}_{-2.3(\text{stat})} \pm 0.8(\text{syst})$$

$$|a_s| = 1.06^{+0.26}_{-0.21(\text{stat})} \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$$

PLB 576 (2003)



$$BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu) \times 10^{-9} = 2.9^{+1.4}_{-1.2(\text{stat})} \pm 0.2(\text{syst})$$

$$|a_s| = 1.55^{+0.38}_{-0.32(\text{stat})} \pm 0.05(\text{syst})$$

PLB 599 (2004)

# $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 ee (\mu\mu)$ : SM Branching Ratios

Thank to the NA48/1 measurements, the KL BR can now be predicted

(Isidori, Unterdorfer, Smith)  $Br(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-) (\times 10^{-12})$

## Constructive

$$B_{e^+e^-} = 3.7_{-0.9}^{+1.1} \times 10^{-11}$$

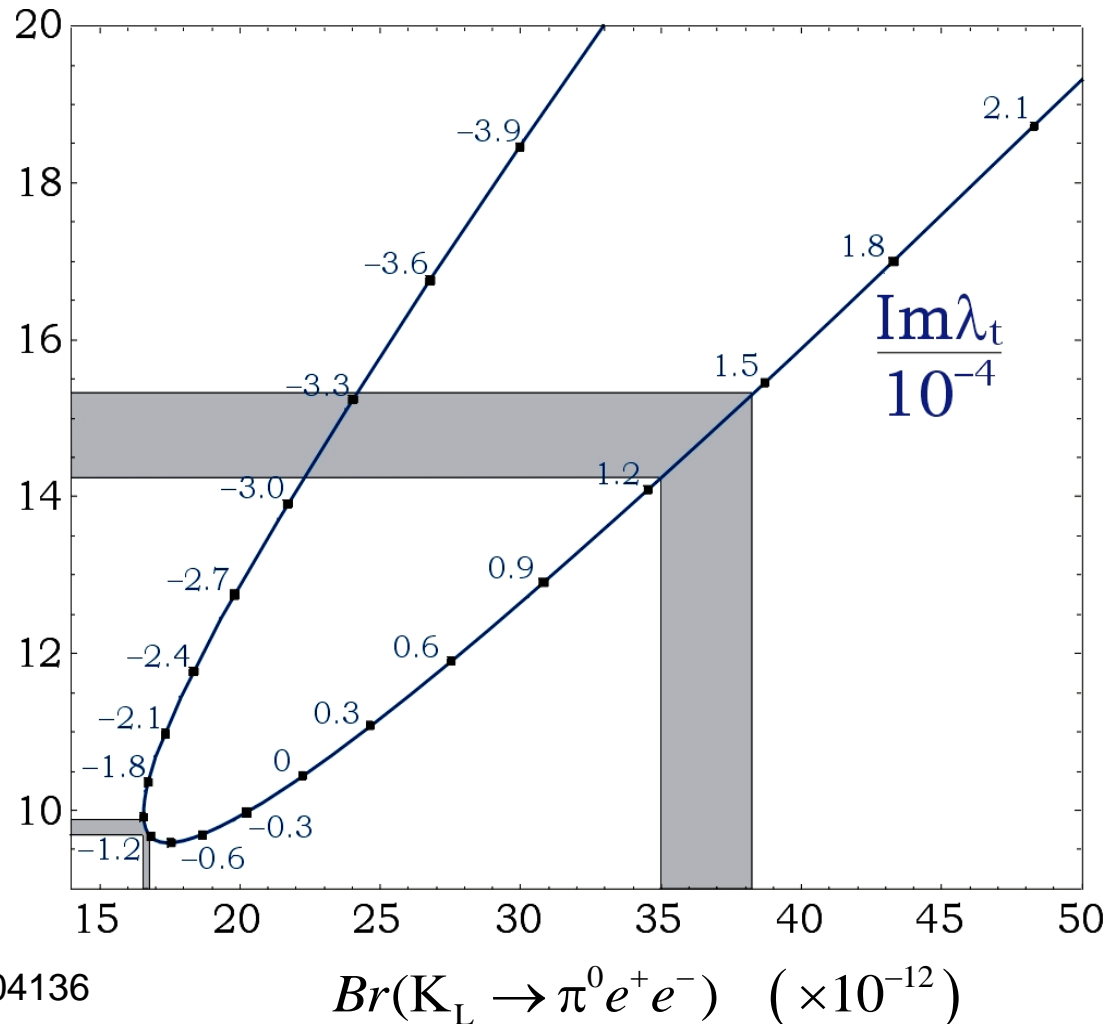
$$B_{\mu^+\mu^-} = 1.5_{-0.3}^{+0.3} \times 10^{-11}$$

now favored by two independent analyses\*

## Destructive

$$B_{e^+e^-} = 1.7_{-0.6}^{+0.7} \times 10^{-11}$$

$$B_{\mu^+\mu^-} = 1.0_{-0.2}^{+0.2} \times 10^{-11}$$



\*G. Buchalla, G. D'Ambrosio, G. Isidori, Nucl.Phys.B672,387 (2003)

\*S. Friot, D. Greynat, E. de Rafael, hep-ph/0404136

# Quark masses and mixing

- The masses and mixings of quarks have a common origin in the standard model (SM): they arise from the **Yukawa** interactions with the **Higgs** condensate

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = -Y_{ij}^d \overline{Q}_{Li}^I \phi d_{Rj}^I - Y_{ij}^u \overline{Q}_{Li}^I \epsilon \phi^* u_{Rj}^I + \text{h.c.}$$

- When  $\phi$  acquires a **VEV** we get the masses of the quarks
- The diagonalization yields the **physical states**. As a result the charged currents couples to the physical quarks as:

$$\frac{-g}{\sqrt{2}} (\overline{u}_L, \overline{c}_L, \overline{t}_L) \gamma^\mu W_\mu^+ V_{\text{CKM}} \begin{pmatrix} d_L \\ s_L \\ b_L \end{pmatrix} + \text{h.c.},$$

- $V_{\text{CKM}}$  is a 3 x 3 complex matrix known as the **Cabibbo, Kobayashi, Maskawa** matrix

# Types of CP-Violation

$$|M_L\rangle \propto p|M^0\rangle + q|\bar{M}^0\rangle$$

$$|M_H\rangle \propto p|M^0\rangle - q|\bar{M}^0\rangle$$

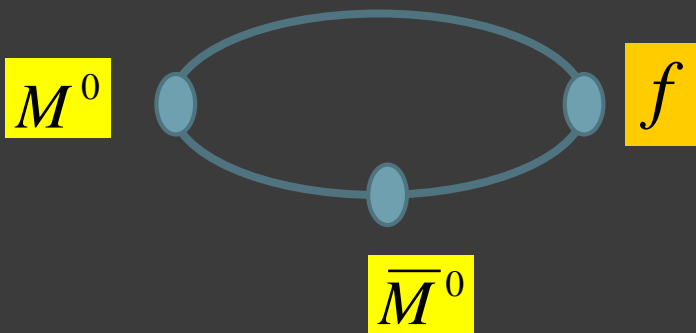
$\Delta F = 2$

$$A_f = \langle f | H | M \rangle, \quad \bar{A}_f = \langle f | H | \bar{M} \rangle$$

$$A_{\bar{f}} = \langle \bar{f} | H | M \rangle, \quad \bar{A}_{\bar{f}} = \langle \bar{f} | H | \bar{M} \rangle$$

$\Delta F = 1$

1. CP Violation in mixing  $|q/p| \neq 1$  (indirect)
2. CP Violation in decays  $|\bar{A}_{\bar{f}}/A_f| \neq 1$  (direct)
3. CP Violation in the interference



$$\text{Im} \lambda_f \neq 0$$

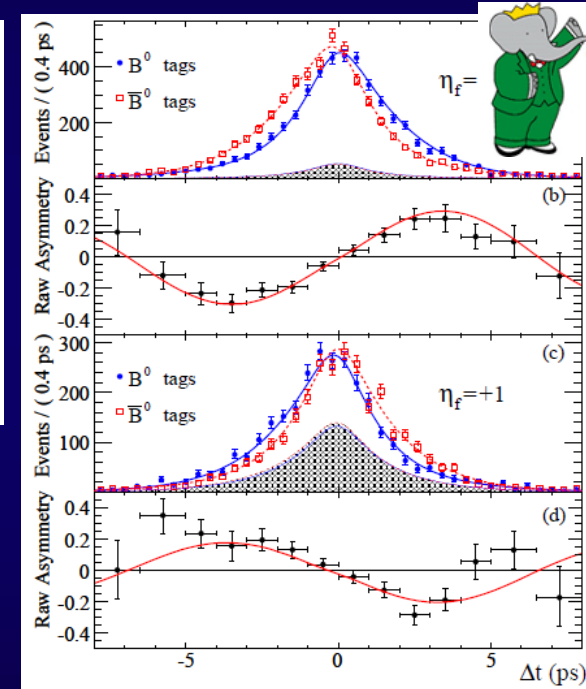
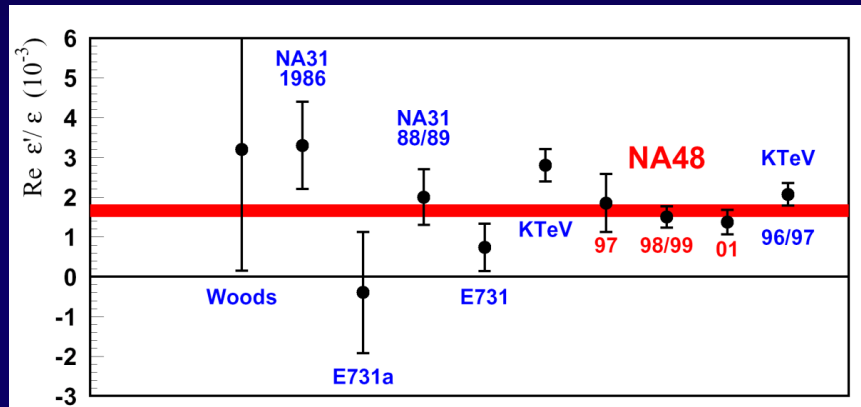
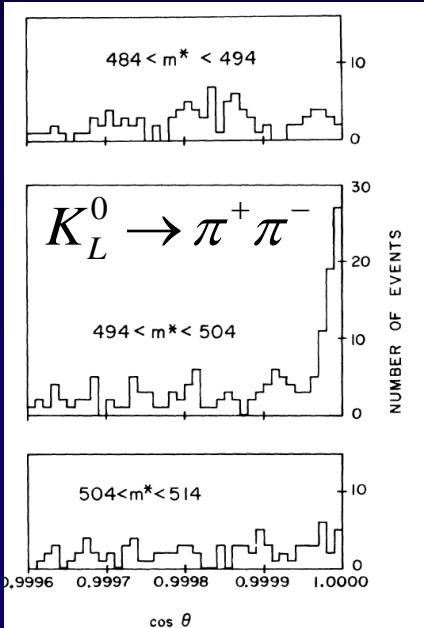
$$\lambda_f \equiv \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}_f}{A_f}$$

# CP Violation



BaBar + Belle:  
 $\sin 2\beta = 0.672 \pm 0.023$

$$\text{Re } \epsilon'/\epsilon = (1.68 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-3}$$



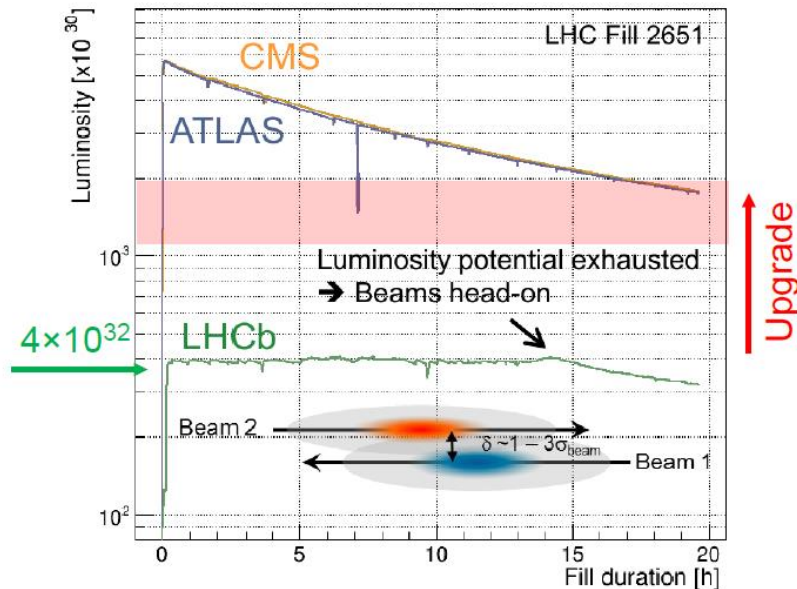
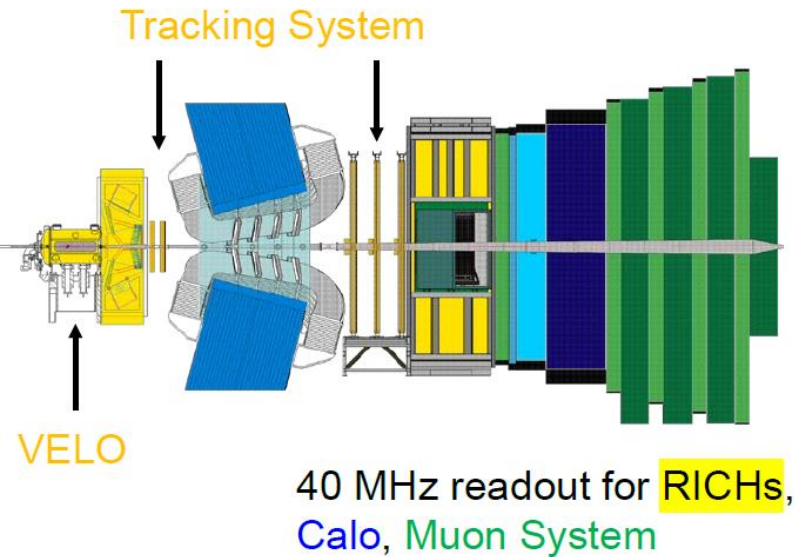
V.L.Fitch      R.Turlay  
 J.W.Cronin   J.H.Christenson  
*Phys. Rev. Lett.* 13 (1964) 138.

$$\frac{\Gamma(K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) - \Gamma(\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)}{\Gamma(K^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) + \Gamma(\bar{K}^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)} \sim (5.5 \pm 0.5) \times 10^{-6}$$

Mixing

Decay

Interference



## LHCb Upgrade:

- Increased levelled luminosity
- Fully efficient software trigger
- Upgrade Vertex LOcator and Tracker



# LHCb UPGRADE POTENTIAL

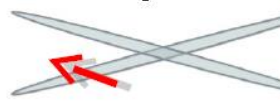
Type	Observable	LHC Run 1	LHCb 2018	LHCb upgrade	Theory
$B_s^0$ mixing	$\phi_s(B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi)$ (rad)	0.05	0.025	<b>0.009</b>	$\sim 0.003$
	$\phi_s(B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi f_0(980))$ (rad)	0.09	0.05	<b>0.016</b>	$\sim 0.01$
	$A_{sl}(B_s^0)$ ( $10^{-3}$ )	2.8	1.4	<b>0.5</b>	0.03
Gluonic penguin	$\phi_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\phi)$ (rad)	0.18	0.12	<b>0.026</b>	0.02
	$\phi_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\bar{K}^{*0})$ (rad)	0.19	0.13	<b>0.029</b>	$< 0.02$
	$2\beta^{\text{eff}}(B^0 \rightarrow \phi K_S^0)$ (rad)	0.30	0.20	<b>0.04</b>	0.02
Right-handed currents	$\phi_s^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma)$	0.20	0.13	<b>0.030</b>	$< 0.01$
	$\tau^{\text{eff}}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma)/\tau_{B_s^0}$	5%	3.2%	<b>0.8%</b>	0.2%
Electroweak penguin	$S_3(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-; 1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.04	0.020	<b>0.007</b>	0.02
	$q_0^2 A_{\text{FB}}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\mu^+\mu^-)$	10%	5%	<b>1.9%</b>	$\sim 7\%$
	$A_I(K\mu^+\mu^-; 1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2/c^4)$	0.14	0.07	<b>0.024</b>	$\sim 0.02$
	$\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B^+ \rightarrow K^+\mu^+\mu^-)$	14%	7%	<b>2.4%</b>	$\sim 10\%$
Higgs penguin	$\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$ ( $10^{-9}$ )	1.0	0.5	<b>0.19</b>	0.3
	$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$	220%	110%	<b>40%</b>	$\sim 5\%$
Unitarity triangle angles	$\gamma(B \rightarrow D^{(*)}K^{(*)})$	$7^\circ$	$4^\circ$	<b><math>1.1^\circ</math></b>	negligible
	$\gamma(B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^\mp K^\pm)$	$17^\circ$	$11^\circ$	<b><math>2.4^\circ</math></b>	negligible
	$\beta(B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_S^0)$	$1.7^\circ$	$0.8^\circ$	<b><math>0.31^\circ</math></b>	negligible
Charm	$A_\Gamma(D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-)$ ( $10^{-4}$ )	3.4	2.2	<b>0.5</b>	–
$CP$ violation	$\Delta A_{CP}$ ( $10^{-3}$ )	0.8	0.5	<b>0.12</b>	–

Courtesy Ulrich Uwer

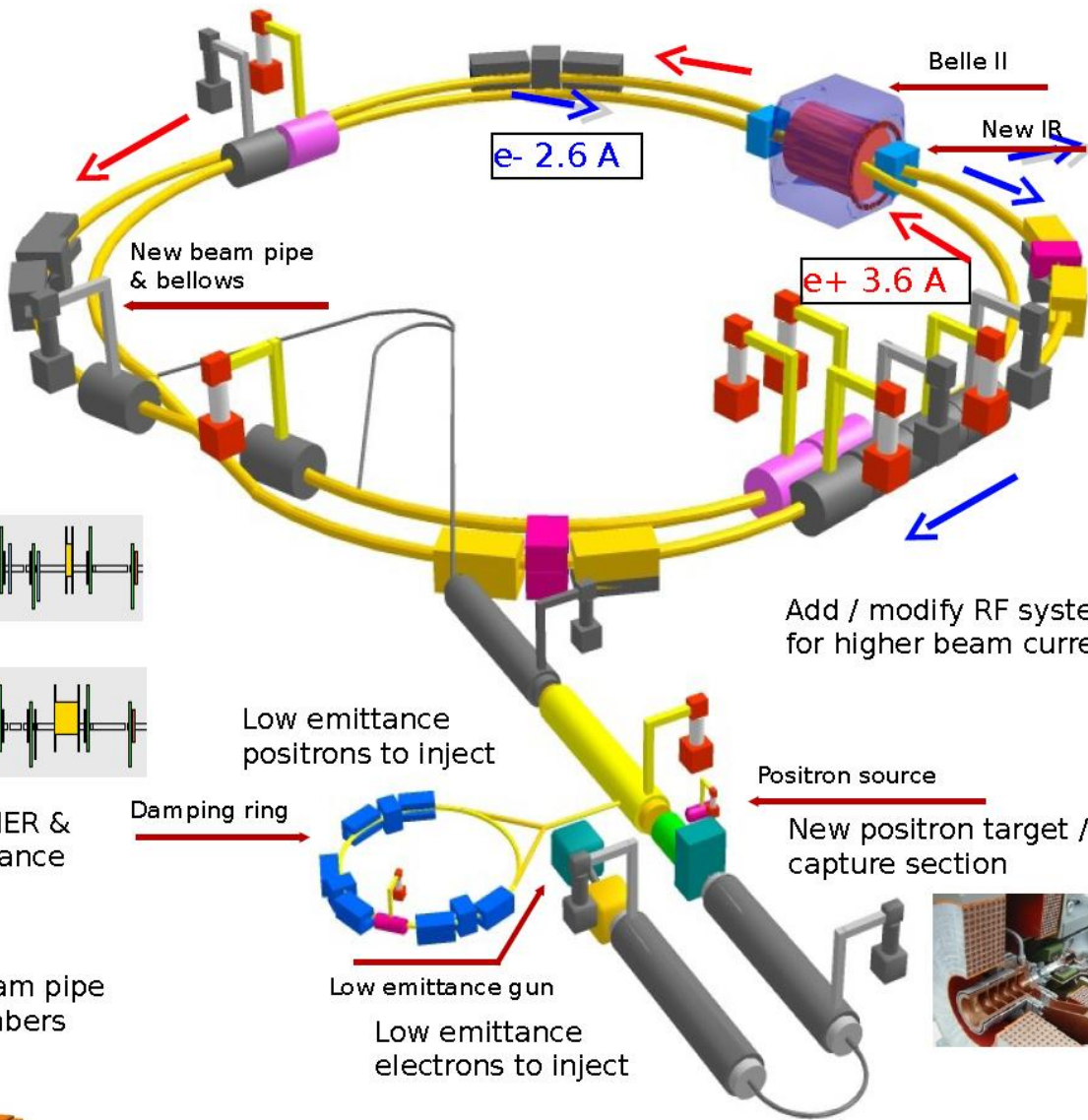
# KEKB to SuperKEKB



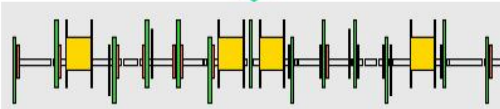
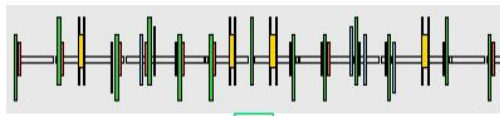
Colliding bunches



New superconducting / permanent final focus quads near the IP

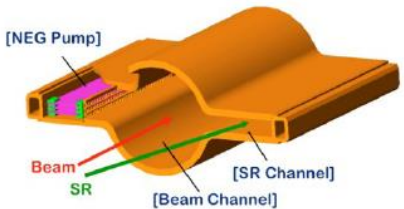


Replace short dipoles with longer ones (LER)



Redesign the lattices of HER & LER to squeeze the emittance

TiN-coated beam pipe with antechambers



**To obtain x40 higher luminosity**

## Examples of Belle II Expectation

Observable	SM theory	Current measurement (early 2013)	Belle II * (50 ab <sup>-1</sup> )
$S(B \rightarrow \phi K^0)$	0.68	$0.56 \pm 0.17$	$\pm 0.018$
$S(B \rightarrow \eta' K^0)$	0.68	$0.59 \pm 0.07$	$\pm 0.011$
$\alpha$ from $B \rightarrow \pi\pi, \rho\rho$		$\pm 5.4^\circ$	$\pm 1^\circ$
$\gamma$ from $B \rightarrow DK$		$\pm 11^\circ$	$\pm 1.5^\circ$
$S(B \rightarrow K_S \pi^0 \gamma)$	$< 0.05$	$-0.15 \pm 0.20$	$\pm 0.035$
$S(B \rightarrow \rho \gamma)$	$< 0.05$	$-0.83 \pm 0.65$	$\pm 0.07$
$A_{CP}(B \rightarrow X_{s+d} \gamma)$	$< 0.005$	$0.06 \pm 0.06$	$\pm 0.005$
$A_{SL}^d$	$-5 \times 10^{-4}$	$-0.0049 \pm 0.0038$	$\pm 0.001$
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$	$1.1 \times 10^{-4}$	$(1.64 \pm 0.34) \times 10^{-4}$	$\pm 3\%$
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow \mu \nu)$	$4.7 \times 10^{-7}$	$< 1.0 \times 10^{-6}$	$\gg 5\sigma$
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)$	$3.15 \times 10^{-4}$	$(3.55 \pm 0.26) \times 10^{-4}$	$\pm 6\%$
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow K^{(*)} \nu \bar{\nu})$	$3.6 \times 10^{-6}$	$< 1.3 \times 10^{-5}$	$\pm 30\%$
$\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow X_s \ell^+ \ell^-)$ ( $1 < q^2 < 6 \text{ GeV}^2$ )	$1.6 \times 10^{-6}$	$(4.5 \pm 1.0) \times 10^{-6}$	$\pm 0.10 \times 10^{-6}$
$A_{FB}(B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0} \ell^+ \ell^-)$ zero crossing	7%	18%	5%
$ V_{ub} $ from $B \rightarrow \pi \ell^+ \nu$ ( $q^2 > 16 \text{ GeV}^2$ )	9% $\rightarrow$ 2%	11%	2.1%

Courtesy: Youngjoon Kwon @ Beauty2014  
Snowmass (arXiv:1311.1076) + BPAC 2014 update(\*)

# $K_{L,S} \rightarrow \pi^0 ee (\mu\mu)$

- **Short Distance (Direct CP-Violation)**

- From Standard Model fit:  $Im \lambda_t = (1.36 \pm 0.12) 10^{-4}$
- $B(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 ee)_{CPV-dir} = (3.2 \pm 0.4) \times 10^{-12}$  ( hep-ph/0308008)

- **Indirect CP-Violation**

- $BR(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 ee)_{CPV-ind} \sim 1/330 BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee)$

 **Essential to measure  $BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee)$**

- **CP-Conserving contribution**

- $BR_{CPC} < 3 \times 10^{-12}$  ( hep-ph/0308008)
  - They fix the 3 counter-terms from  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \gamma\gamma$  and  $K_S \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

  
**measured by NA48 and NA48/1**

# Main 2008 Activities

- Activities during the past year focused on engineering the solution to use the OPAL barrel Lead glass for a “All-in-vacuum design”
- In particular it was shown that
  - The blocks and photomultipliers can work in vacuum
  - The outgassing is tolerable
  - The design for installation in ECN3 is viable
- A major setback due to the floods in a storage area is being recovered
- Prototypes were beam tested
- The order for a full size ring was made (functional prototype)
- The Read-out electronics was defined

# The flood

- In April, because of heavy rain, dirty water flooded the storage area in BB5
  - Half of the lead glass blocks were touched on part of their surface
- The CERN insurance is providing support for cleaning, recovery and validation of those blocks
  - There are about 1800 blocks to be recovered
  - The cleaning rate is 30/week
  - The blocks are cleaned, cabled and tested in a dark box with a LED pulser

# OPAL Lead Glass Recovery Procedure



- ½ of blocks touched by flood water
- Some blocks (~9%) were broken by the thermal shock
- Other blocks require polishing



Careful recovery procedure underway to make sure that all the needed (2496 blocks) will be available

# TATSUYA NAKADA'S DESPERATE FLAVOUR QUESTIONS

- ◉ My really desperate questions concerning the flavour are:
  - ◉ **Why do we have “three” families?**
  - ◉ **Why are the two mass matrices “as they are”?**
- ◉ I am not sure whether I will see the solution before I die (SUSY may answer many important questions, but not those).

Tatsuya Nakada, Experimental Summary, Rencontres du Vietnam, Quy Nhon (Vietnam) , July 27 - August 2, 2014

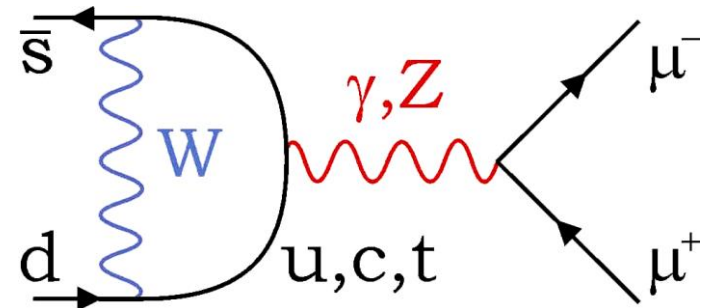


# FLAVOUR IN A NUTSHELL

- ⊙ Gauge invariance, renormalizability and particle content of the Standard Model (SM) imply the absence of the Flavour Changing Neutral Current (FCNC) transitions in the lepton sector and their strong suppression in the quark sector (absent at tree level).
- ⊙ If the SM is just an effective theory up to a scale  $\Lambda$ , the  $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$  invariance is not sufficient to protect the absence of FCNC from higher order operators suppressed by some power of  $\Lambda$
- ⊙ Consistency between the SM and the data implies that either  $\Lambda$  is huge or that dangerous interactions are absent because of symmetries of the new theory

# $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+ e^-$ and $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-$

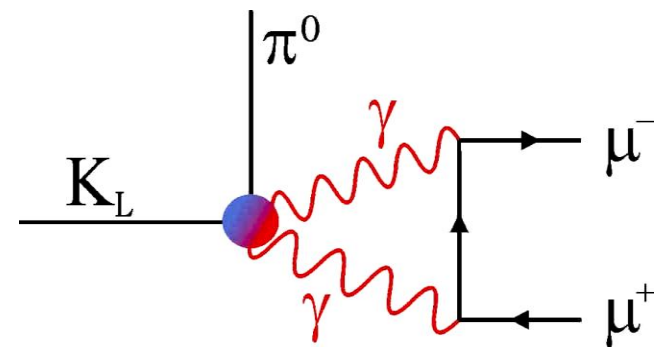
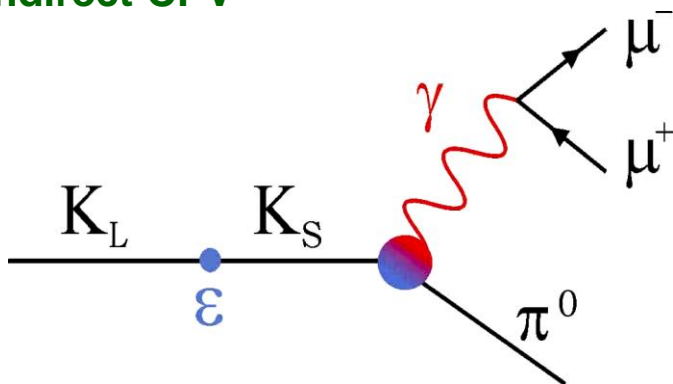
## Study Direct CP-Violation



Direct CPV

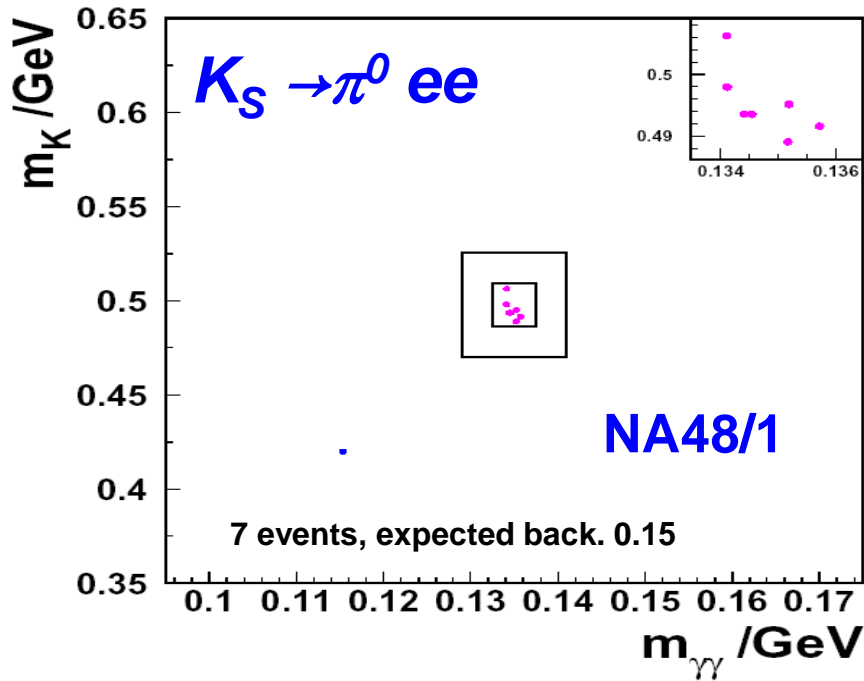
- **NA48/1** has measured the **Indirect CP-Violating Contribution** for both modes
- **S-L Constructive Interference** preferred
- **CP-Conserving Contributions** are **negligible**

Indirect CPV



CPC

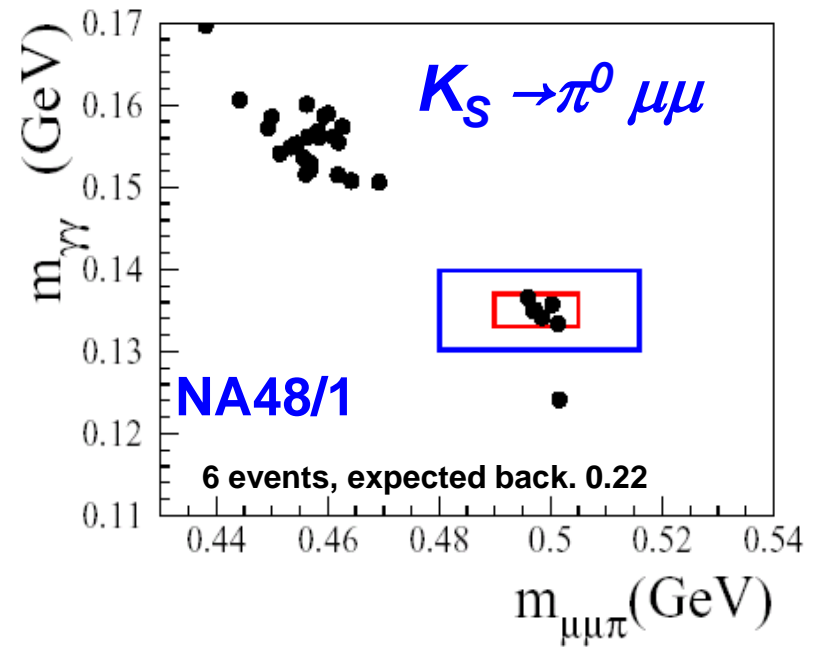
# $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 e^+e^-$ and $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+\mu^-$



$$BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee) \times 10^{-9} = 5.8^{+2.8}_{-2.3(\text{stat})} \pm 0.8(\text{syst})$$

$$|a_s| = 1.06^{+0.26}_{-0.21(\text{stat})} \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$$

PLB 576 (2003)



$$BR(K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu) \times 10^{-9} = 2.9^{+1.4}_{-1.2(\text{stat})} \pm 0.2(\text{syst})$$

$$|a_s| = 1.55^{+0.38}_{-0.32(\text{stat})} \pm 0.05(\text{syst})$$

PLB 599 (2004)

# $K_L^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 ee (\mu\mu)$ : SM Branching Ratios

Thank to the NA48/1 measurements, the KL BR can now be predicted

(Isidori, Unterdorfer, Smith)  $Br(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu^+ \mu^-) (\times 10^{-12})$

## Constructive

$$B_{e^+e^-} = 3.7_{-0.9}^{+1.1} \times 10^{-11}$$

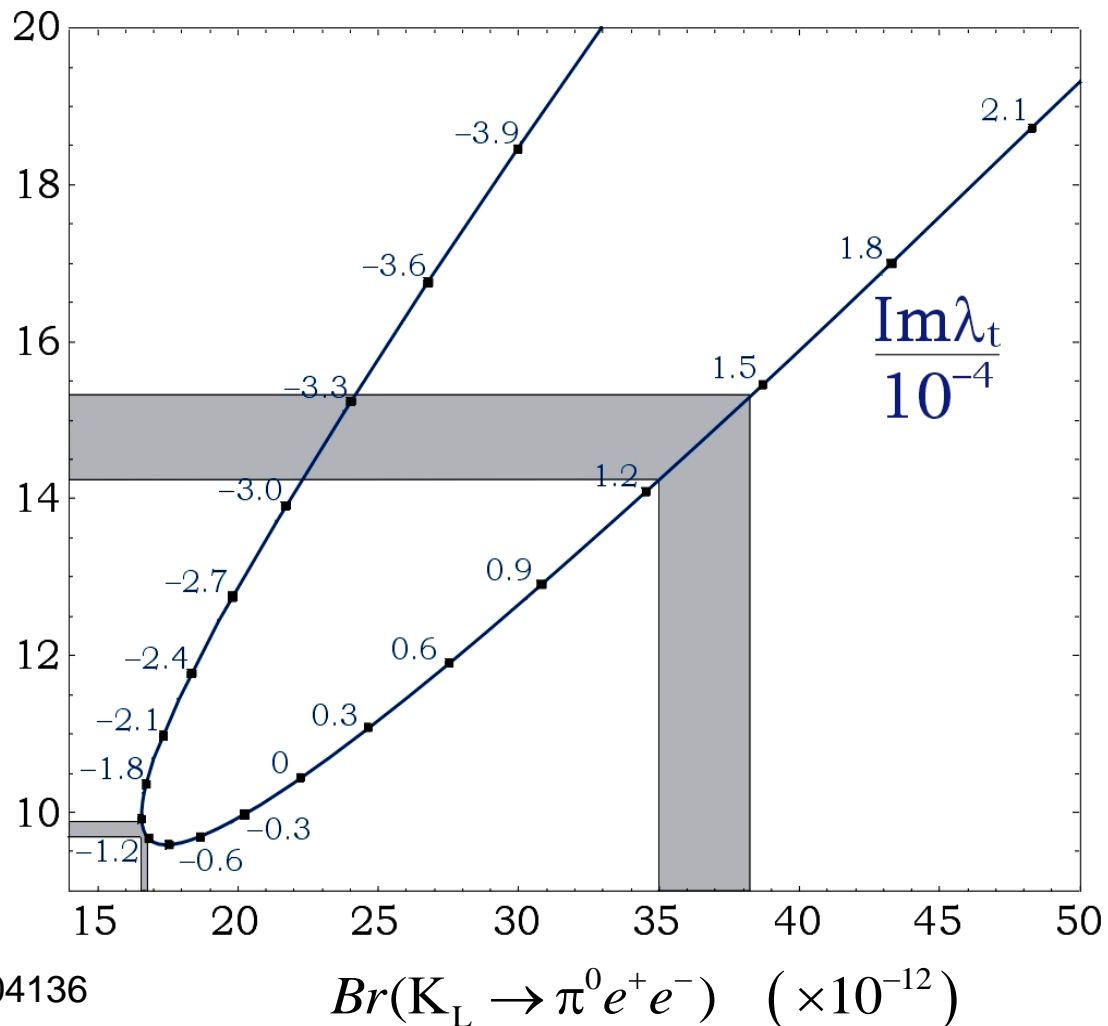
$$B_{\mu^+\mu^-} = 1.5_{-0.3}^{+0.3} \times 10^{-11}$$

now favored by two independent analyses\*

## Destructive

$$B_{e^+e^-} = 1.7_{-0.6}^{+0.7} \times 10^{-11}$$

$$B_{\mu^+\mu^-} = 1.0_{-0.2}^{+0.2} \times 10^{-11}$$



\*G. Buchalla, G. D'Ambrosio, G. Isidori, Nucl.Phys.B672,387 (2003)

\*S. Friot, D. Greynat, E. de Rafael, hep-ph/0404136

# Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa (CKM) Quark Mixing

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

PDG 2014

If  $V$  is unitary:

$n \times n$  real parameter

$2n-1$  unphysical phases

$n(n-1)/2$  rotation angles

$(n-1)(n-2)/2$  complex phases

$$|V_{ud}| = 0.97425 \pm 0.00022$$

$$|V_{us}| = 0.2253 \pm 0.0008$$

$$|V_{cd}| = 0.225 \pm 0.008$$

$$|V_{cs}| = 0.986 \pm 0.016$$

$$|V_{cb}| = (41.1 \pm 1.3) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{ub}| = (4.13 \pm 0.49) \times 10^{-3}$$

$$|V_{tb}| = 1.021 \pm 0.032$$

$0^+ \rightarrow 0^+$  super-allowed nuclear  $\beta$  decays

Kaon semi-leptonic and leptonic decays

semi-leptonic D decays and neutrino/antineutrino

Average of semi-leptonic D and leptonic  $D_s$  decays

Combination of exclusive and inclusive B decays

Comb. of exclusive and inclusive charmless B decays\*

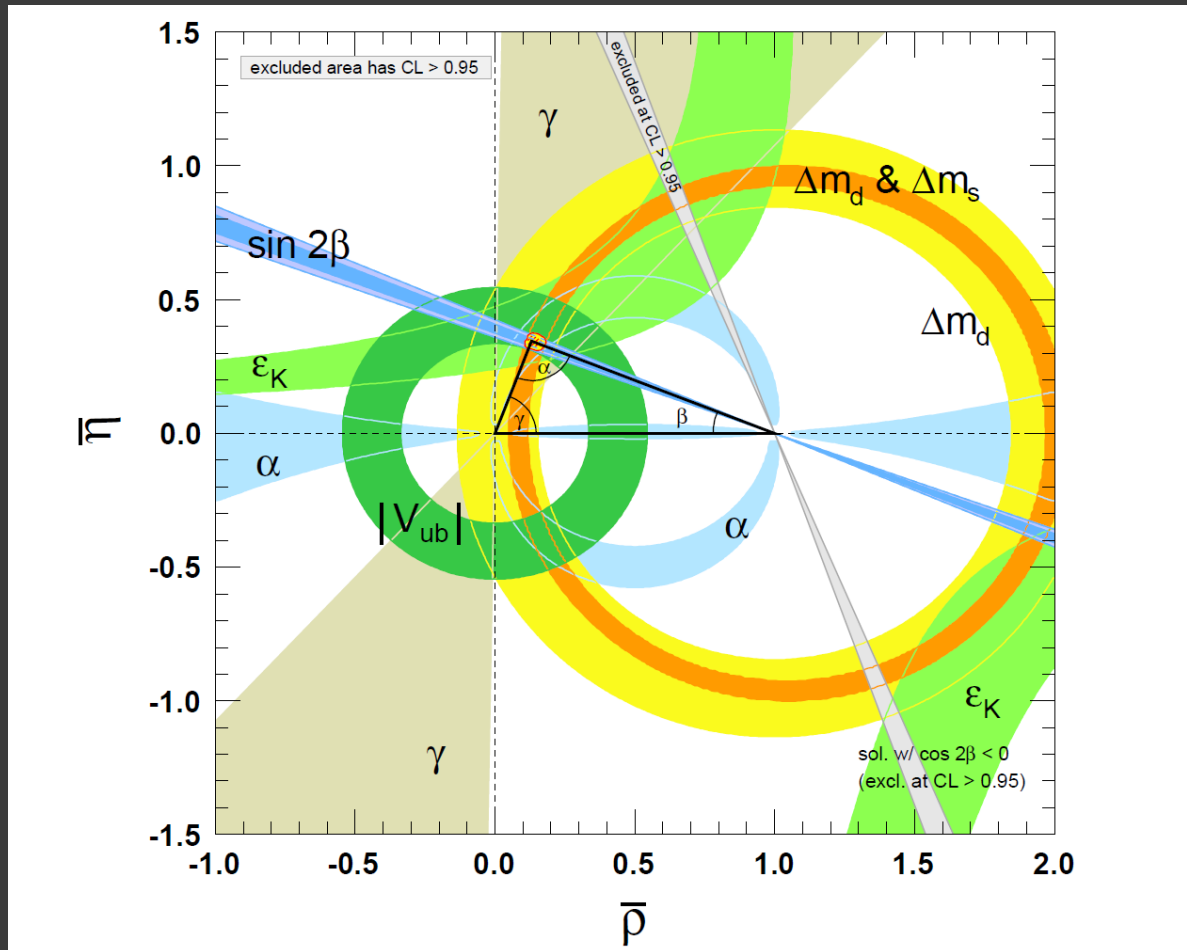
Single top-quark production cross-section

$V_{td}$  &  $V_{ts}$  accessible from FCNC processes (loops)

\*But tension inclusive and exclusive determinations (see later)

# Constraints on the CKM triangle

PDG 2014



The unique measure of CP-Violation in the SM is the area of the Unitarity Triangle (Jarlskog invariant  $J$ )

$$J = (3.06^{+0.21}_{-0.20}) \times 10^{-5}$$

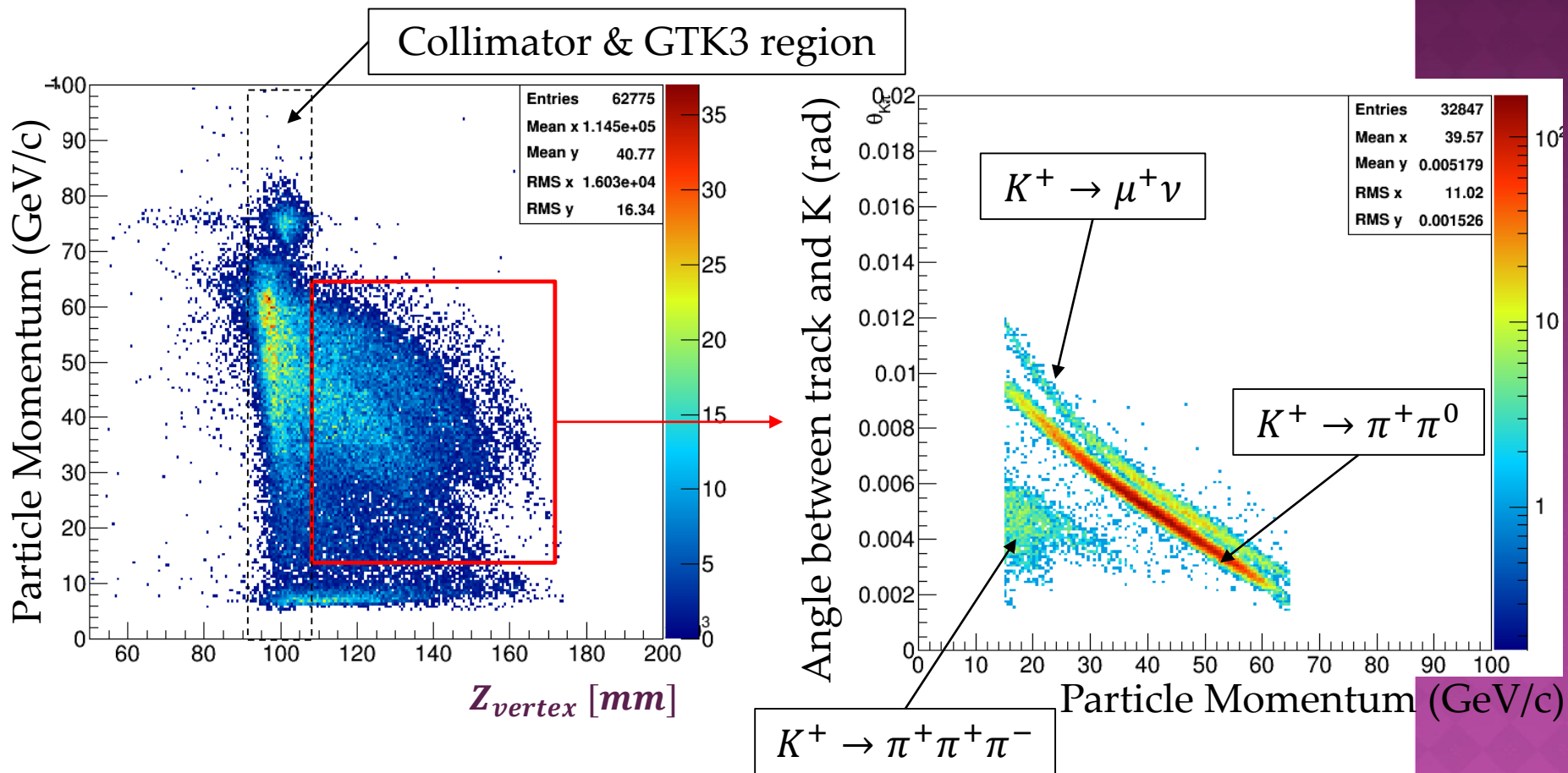
# SEARCH FOR NEW PHYSICS

- ◉ Discoveries are almost always anticipated by arguments and indirect evidence:
  1. GIM: Charm@GeV
  2. Limits of Fermi theory: --> W,Z @ ~100 GeV
  3. CP-Violation--> 3<sup>rd</sup> generation of quarks
  4. Flavor, EW fit:  $m(\text{top}) \sim 170$  GeV
  5. EW fit:  $m(\text{H}) = 100 \pm 30$  GeV
- ◉ Now the guidance from indirect evidence is lacking...we are left with arguments:
  - Hierarchy problem: NP close to EW scale
  - WIMP miracle: NP close to EW scale
  - Unification of gauge couplings
- ◉ So....while increasing the energy probed by direct searches, we need to seek for indirect evidence

# 2014 DATA QUALITY



- Use track origin to suppress the background from kaon interactions
- Decay vertex from the intersection between the track and the nominal K direction



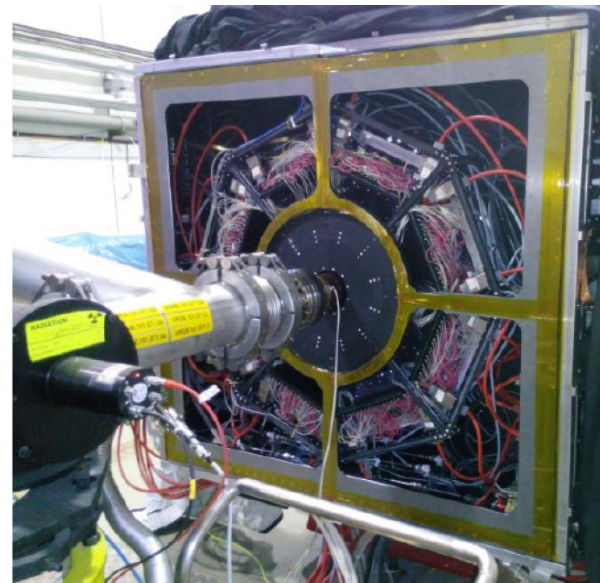
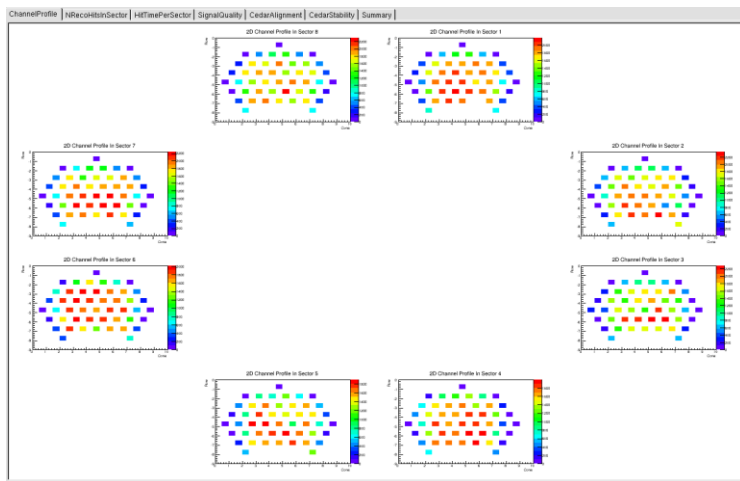


# Search for $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$

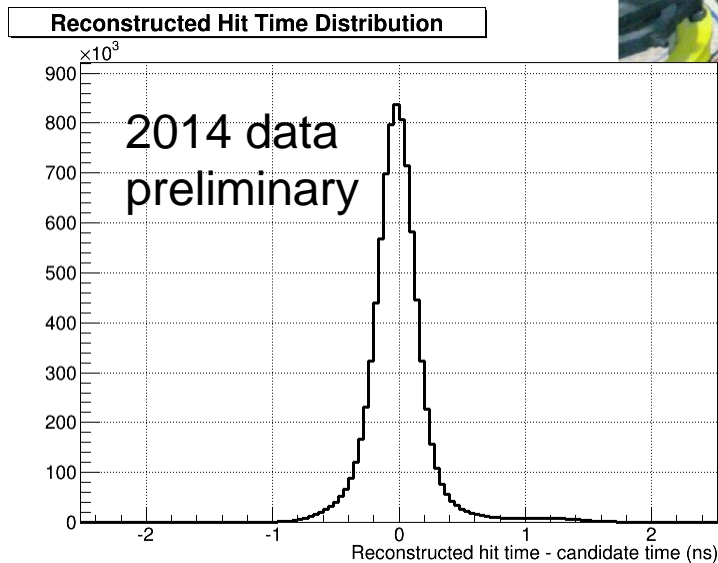
- The considerations made before for  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$  apply also to  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$  but the CP-conserving contributions need more attention
- A measurement of  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$  is quite complementary to the  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$  one
  - Different backgrounds
  - Larger acceptance (no Dalitz background)
  - In principle one can relate  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \mu\mu$  and  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$  to extract the form factor (for example the  $a_S$  and  $b_S$  parameters)

# KTAG

Birmingham, Bristol, Liverpool



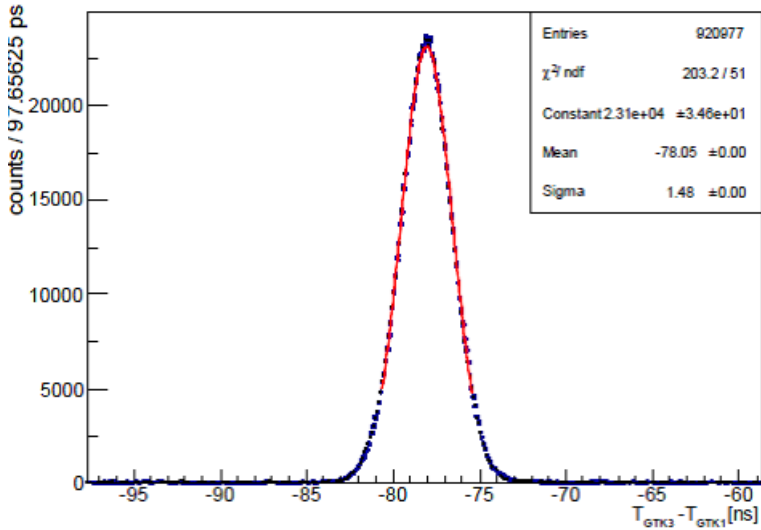
Kaon timing



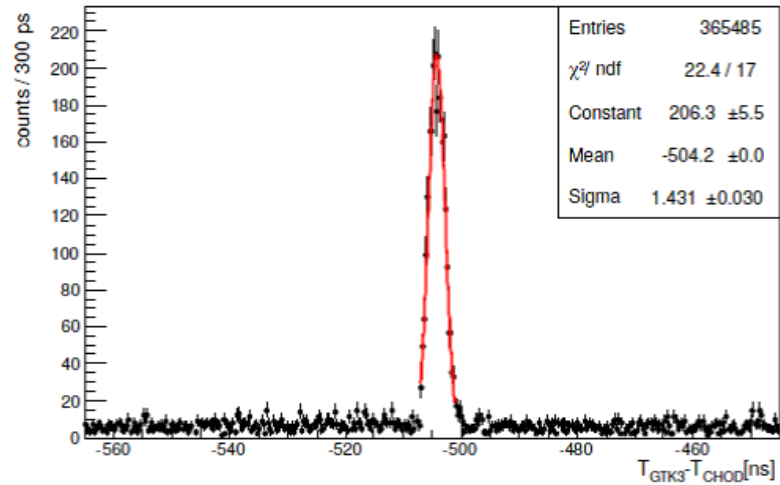
$$\sigma_{PM}(t) \sim 280 \text{ ps}$$
$$\langle N_{PM} \rangle \sim 18$$
$$\sigma_K(t) < 80 \text{ ps}$$

Reconstructed hit time – candidate time [ns]

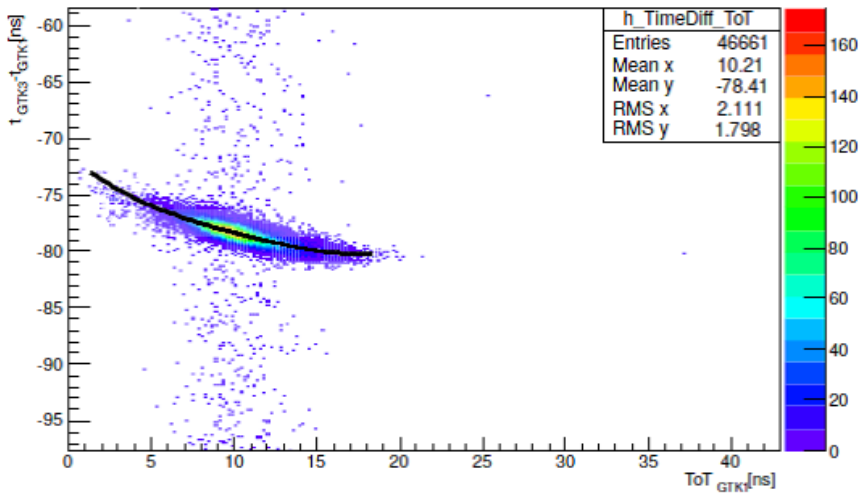
# GTK analysis



GTK3 – GTK1 Before any correction



GTK3 – CHOD



ToT is used to correct for  
The slewing of the  
signal

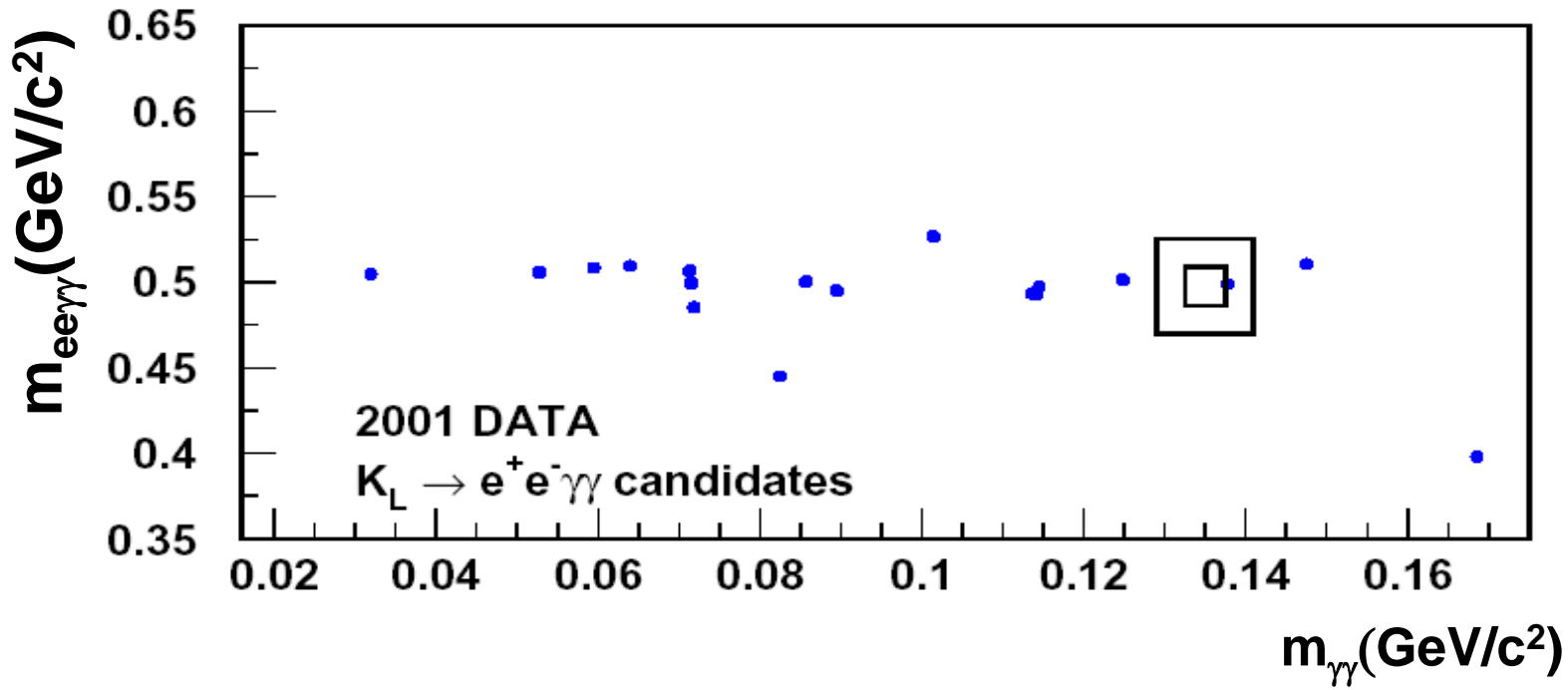
GTK3-GTK1 vs. ToT GTK1 (pixel  
29 33)

# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

Background from  $K_{L,S} \rightarrow ee\gamma\gamma$ :

measured using **NA48  $K_L$  data from 2001**

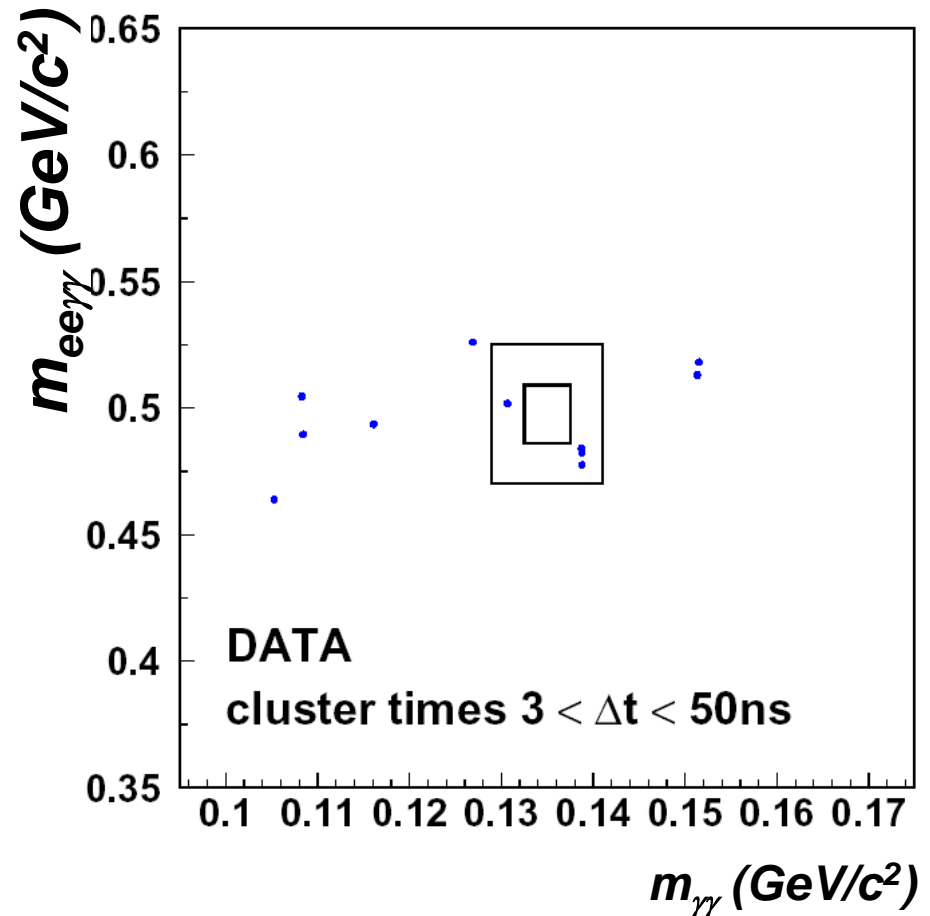
$N(K_L \rightarrow ee\gamma\gamma, 2001) \approx 10 \times N(K_{L,S} \rightarrow ee\gamma\gamma, 2002)$



# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

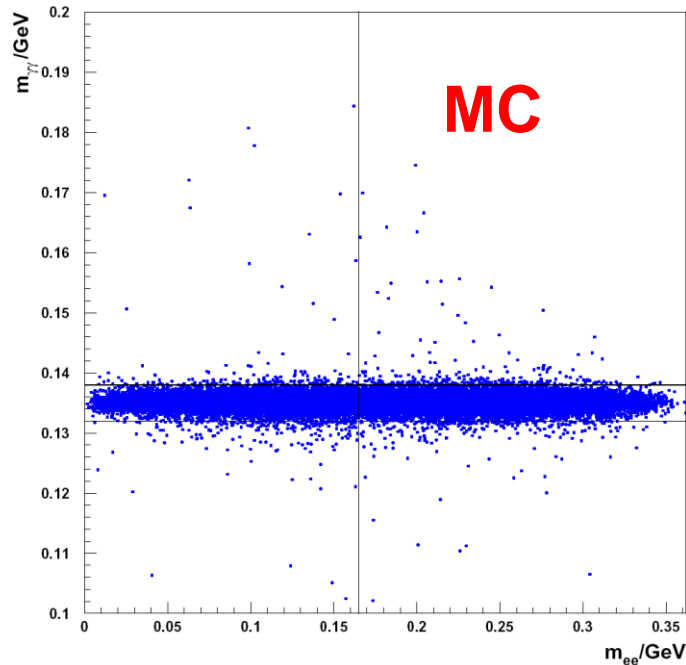
## Accidental backgrounds

- DC proton beam
- Read out window:  $\sim 200\text{ns}$
- Use time side band to measure background from time-overlapping fragments from different decays
- Major component:
  - $e\pi\nu + \pi^0(\pi^0)$
  - Confirmed relaxing E/P cuts

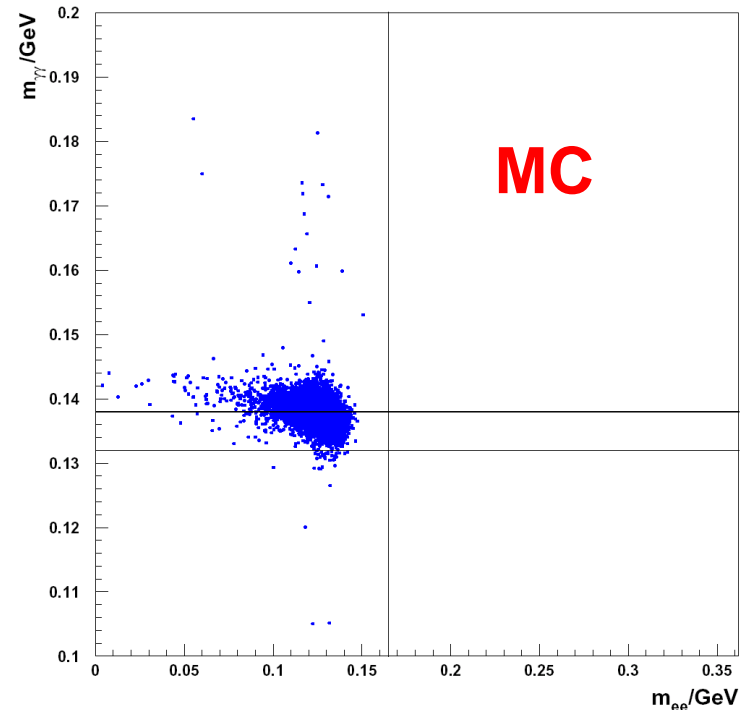


# $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$

$K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$



$K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0_{D \rightarrow \gamma\gamma} ee(\gamma)$



- To reject the  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0_{D \rightarrow \gamma\gamma} ee(\gamma)$  decays that may mimic  $K_S \rightarrow \pi^0 ee$  if a  $\gamma$  is lost, a cut  $m_{ee} > 0.165 \text{ GeV}/c^2$  is applied

# KOTO experiment

- Study of  $K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu}$  @ J-PARC 30 GeV Main Ring.
- Successor to the E391a experiment
- Goal is to observe few SM events.



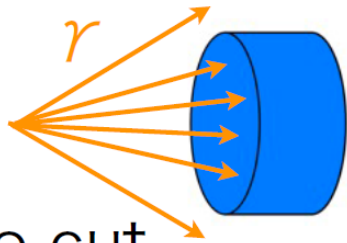
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As presented by Koji Shiomi at CKM 2014 (Vienna)

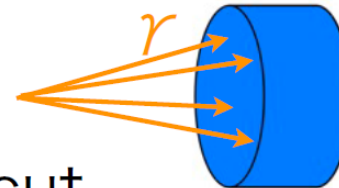
## Veto detector performance

- 4 cluster samples

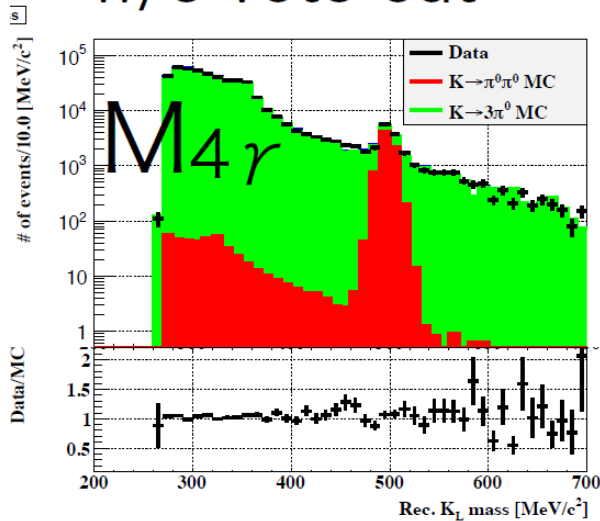
BR( $K_L \rightarrow 3\pi^0$ )  
=20%



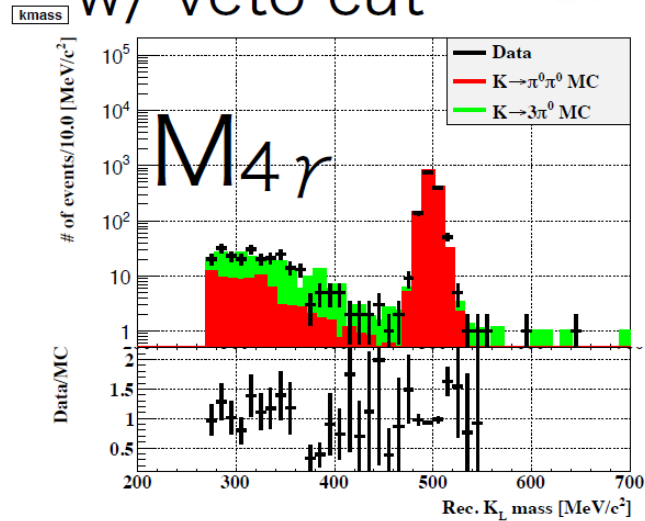
BR( $K_L \rightarrow 2\pi^0$ )  
=  $8.6 \times 10^{-4}$



w/o veto cut



w/ veto cut



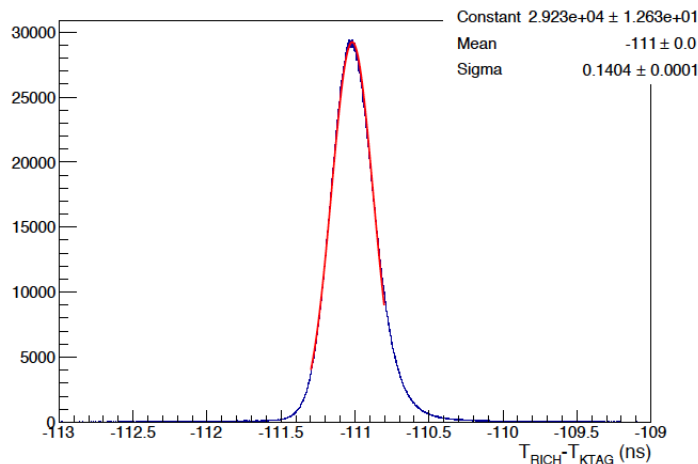
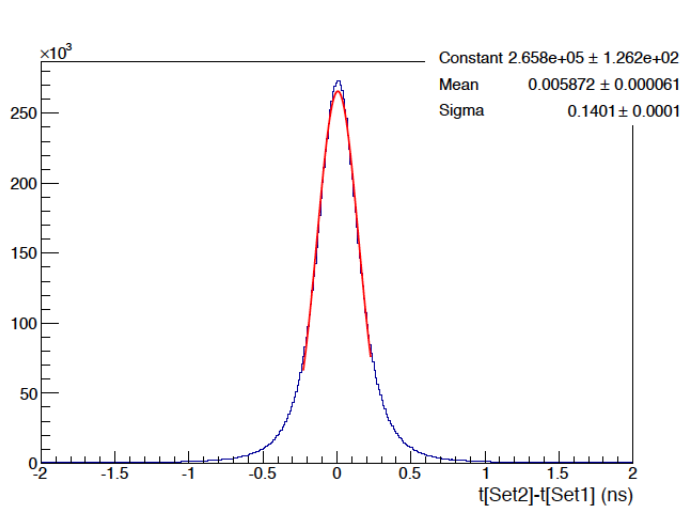




# RICH TIME RESOLUTION



For each event, average time of half of the hits - average time of the other half  
 $\sigma = 140 \text{ ps} = 2 \text{ times the event time resolution}$

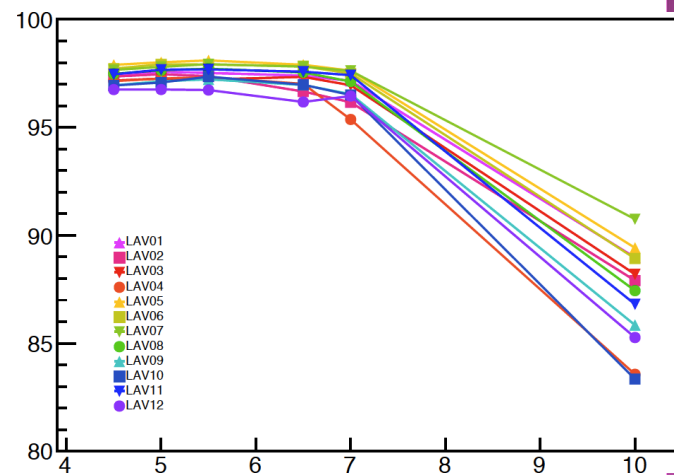
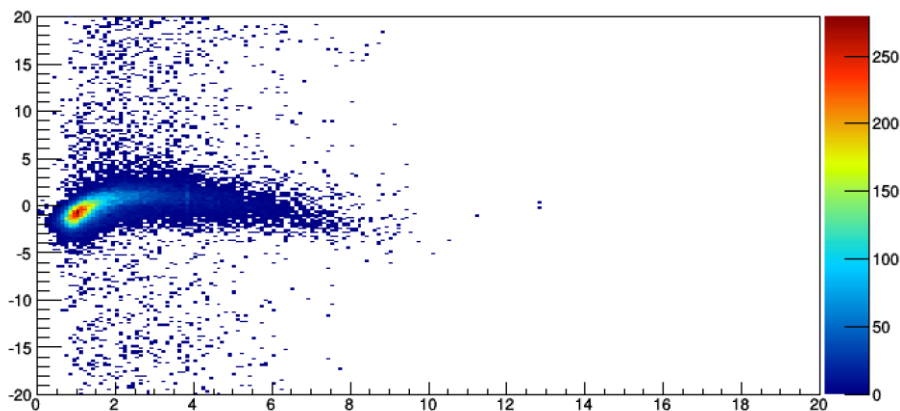
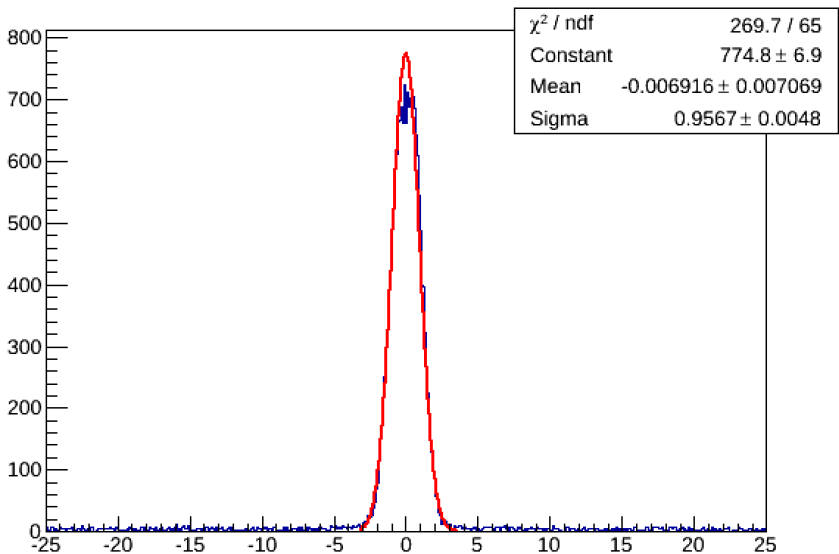


RICH event time resolution  $\sim 70 \text{ ps}$

# LARGE ANGLE VETOES (LAV)

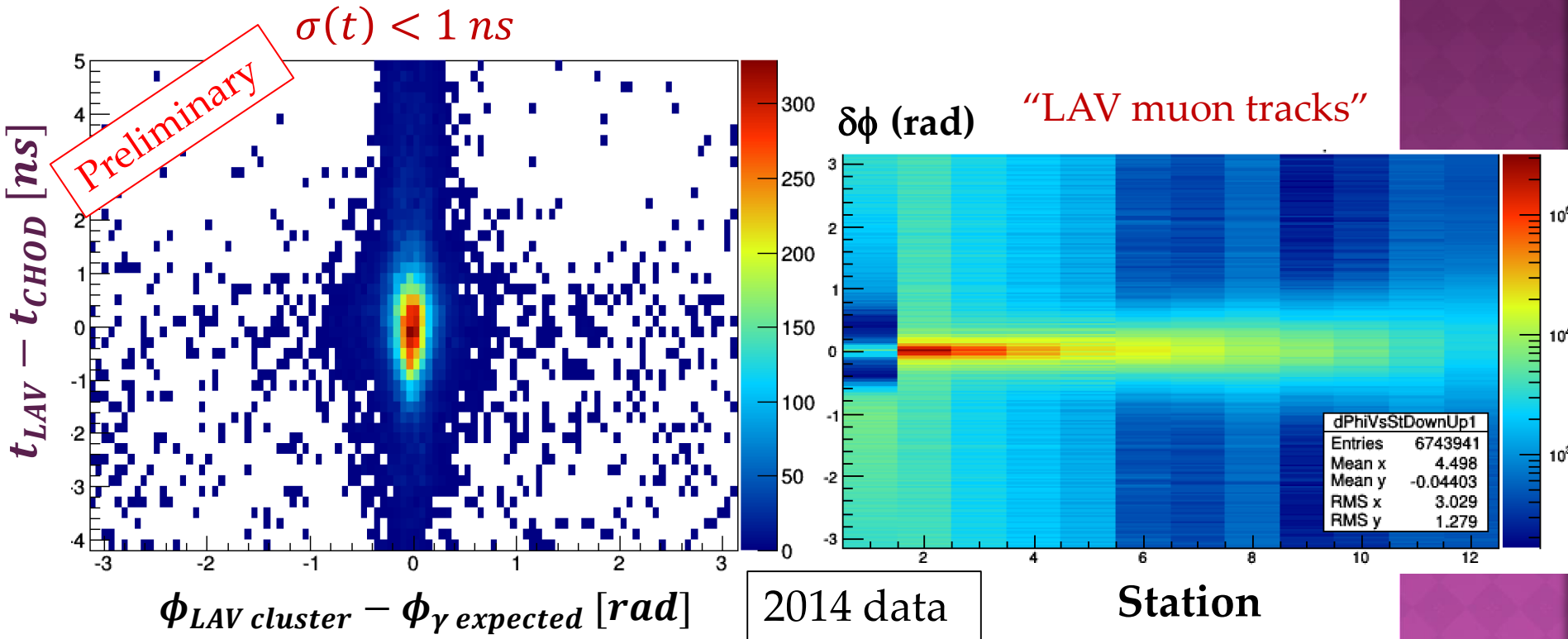


Frascati, Naples, Pisa, Rome I

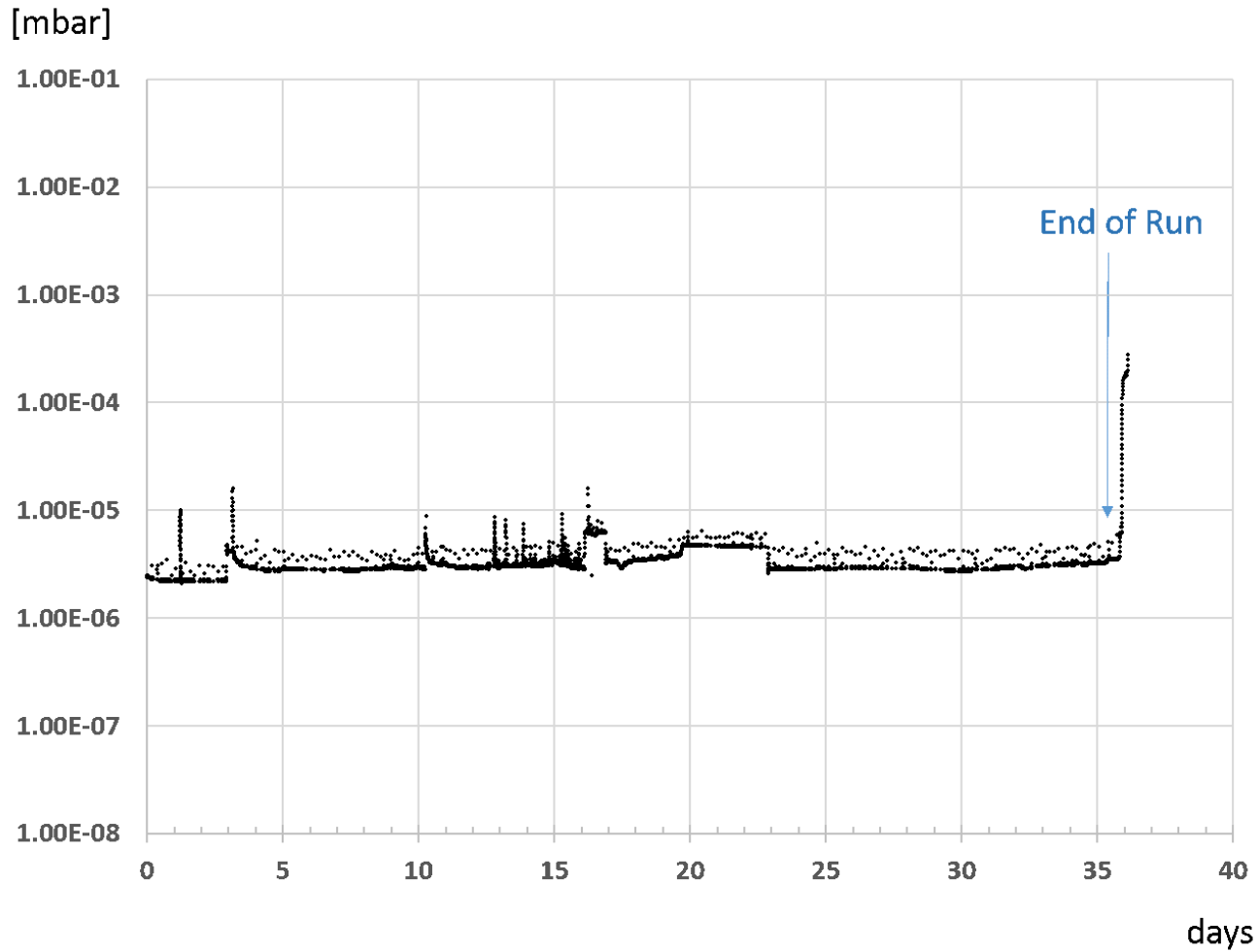


# LAV SIGNALS

- Photons predicted in LAV match with reconstructed LAV clusters.
  - $K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^0$  reconstructed using straw spectrometer only.
  - 1  $\gamma$  detected in the liquid Krypton calorimeter.
- LAVs' sensitive to muons



# VACUUM IN DECAY TANK



Very satisfactory performance

# A. Buras list of Flavour Superstars

Superstars of 2011 – 2015  
(Flavour Physics)

→ 2025

$$S_{\psi\phi}$$

$$\mathcal{CP} \text{ in } B_s^0 - \bar{B}_s^0$$

$$(B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi)$$

$\gamma$   
from Tree  
Level  
Decays

$$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

$$(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$$

$$(B^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu_\tau)$$

$$\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$$

$$\tau \rightarrow \mu\gamma$$

$$\tau \rightarrow e\gamma$$

$$\mu \rightarrow 3e$$

$$\tau \rightarrow 3 \text{ leptons}$$

$$K^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \nu\bar{\nu}$$

$$(K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu\bar{\nu})$$

$$(B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-)$$

$$\varepsilon'/\varepsilon$$

(Lattice) \*)

$$\text{EDM's}$$

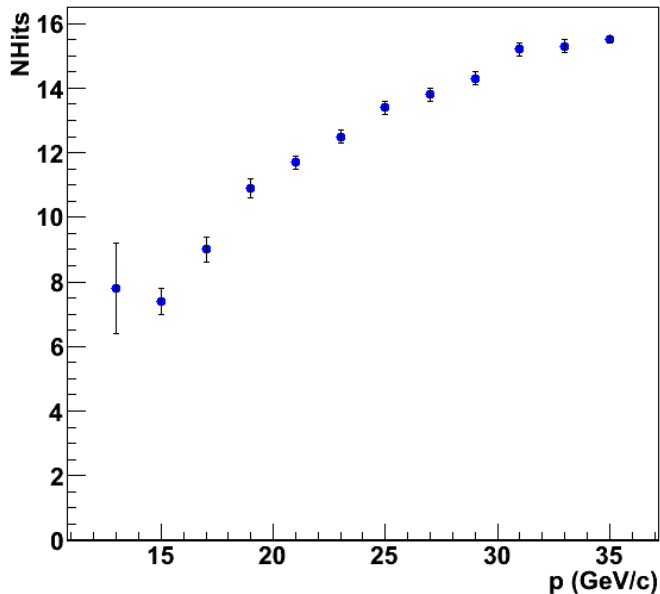
$$(g-2)_\mu$$

\*) Direct  $\mathcal{CP}$  in  
 $K_L \rightarrow \pi\pi$

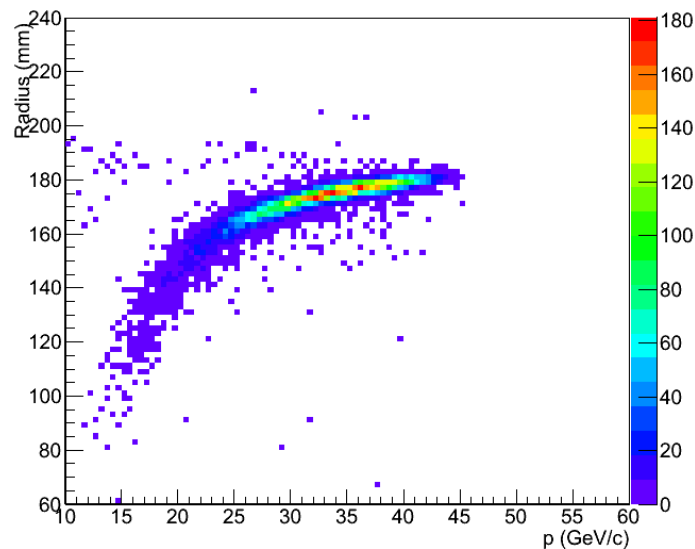
# RICH PERFORMANCE



NHits vs Momentum



Number of hits per ring as a  
Function of particle momentum



Cherenkov ring radius vs.  
particle momentum for  $\pi^+\pi^0$   
events (w/o spectrometer  
information)