



Search for New Physics in the B-sector at the LHC

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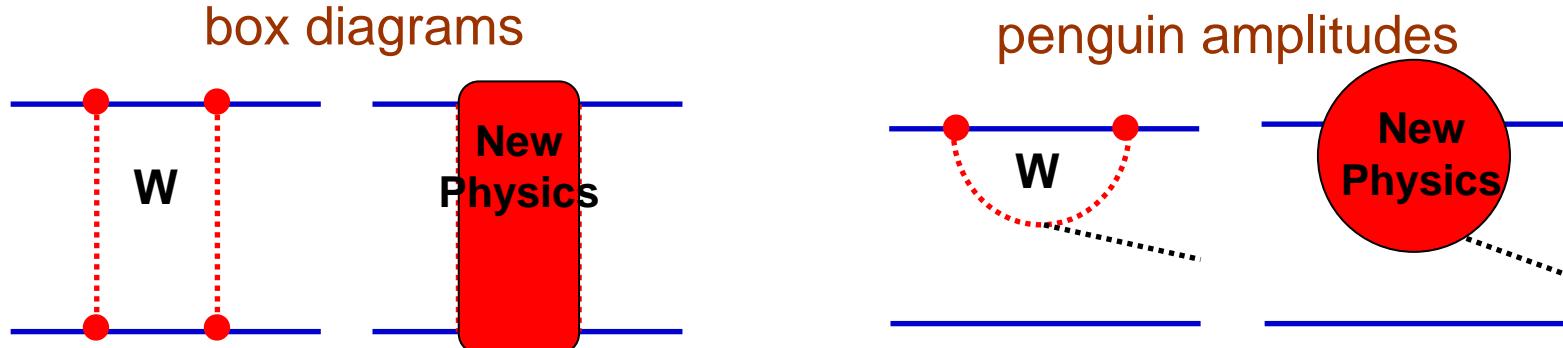
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Search for New Physics in the B sector

...precision test of the SM at loop level



Deviations from Standard Model:
absolute rates and CP asymmetries

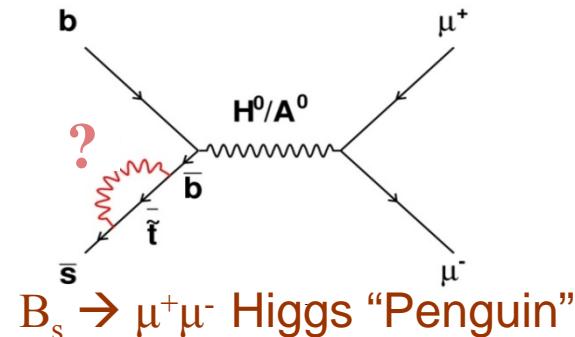
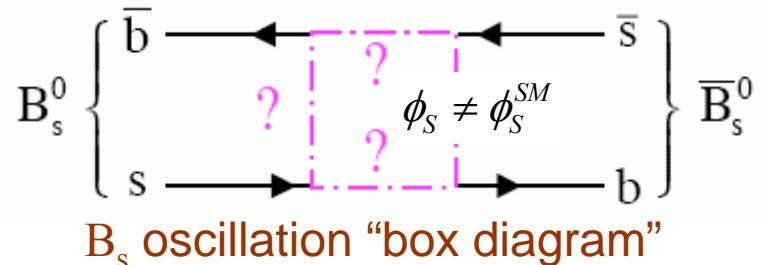
- Best probes: processes suppressed in SM
 - New Physics have large impact
 - measurement of CP violation and CKM phases as tools
- LHC as B-factory (e.g., 10^{12} b-quarks/ yr produced in LHCb)



Key Channels for New Physics searches

- Search for New Physics in:
 - CP violation in the B_s system:
 - “golden decay” $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$
 - penguin decay $B_s \rightarrow \phi \phi$
 - rare flavor changing neutral current decays
 - $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$
 - **angular asymmetries** $B_d \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$
 - photon polarization $B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma$
 - CKM angle γ

see also K. Toms:
“Heavy flavor decays in ATLAS”



d	s	b	
u	1	1	$e^{-i\gamma}$
c	1	1	1
t	$e^{-i\beta}$	$-e^{-i\phi_S/2}$	1

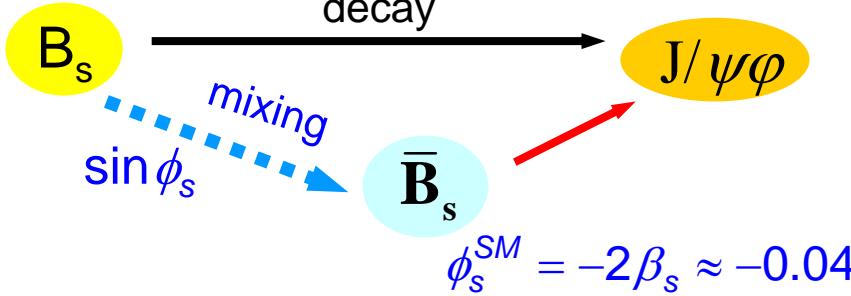
CKM phases to order λ^4



CP Violation in the B_s System

ϕ_s from $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$

decay



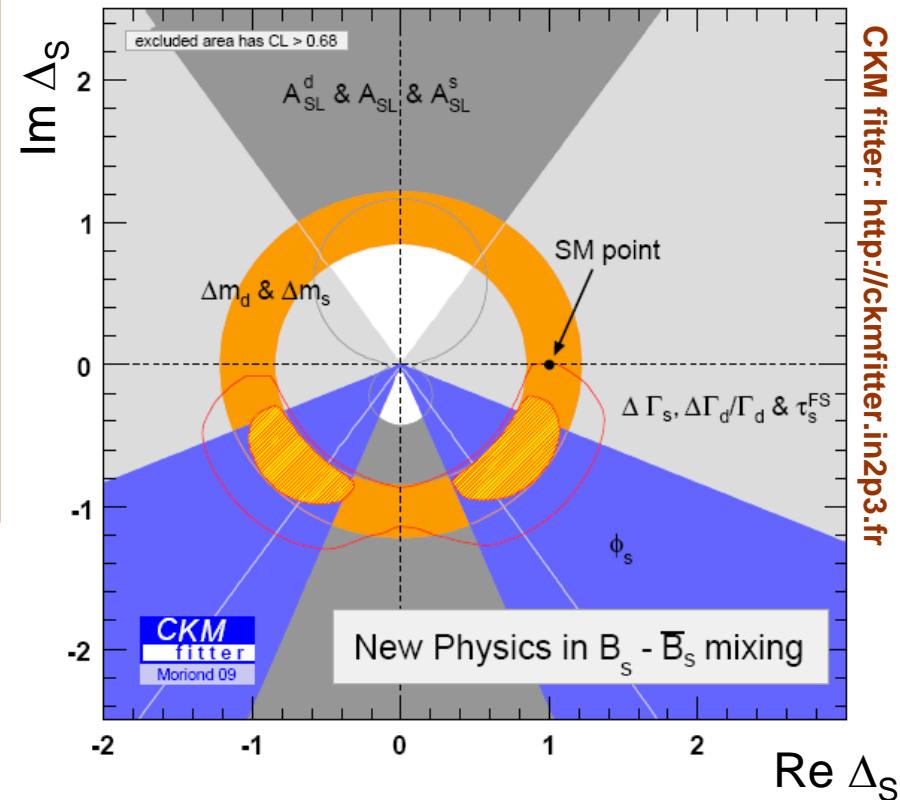
$$A_{CP}(t) = \frac{\Gamma(\overline{B}_S^0(t) \rightarrow f) - \Gamma(B_S^0(t) \rightarrow f)}{\Gamma(\overline{B}_S^0(t) \rightarrow f) + \Gamma(B_S^0(t) \rightarrow f)}$$

$$\frac{\left\langle B_S^0 \left| H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM+NP}} \right| \overline{B}_S^0 \right\rangle}{\left\langle B_S^0 \left| H_{\text{eff}}^{\text{SM}} \right| \overline{B}_S^0 \right\rangle} = \text{Re}(\Delta_s^{\text{NP}}) + i \text{Im}(\Delta_s^{\text{NP}})$$

$$SM : \text{Re}(\Delta_s^{\text{NP}}) = 1, \text{Im}(\Delta_s^{\text{NP}}) = 0$$

A.Lenz, U.Nierste

New Physics in B_s mixing



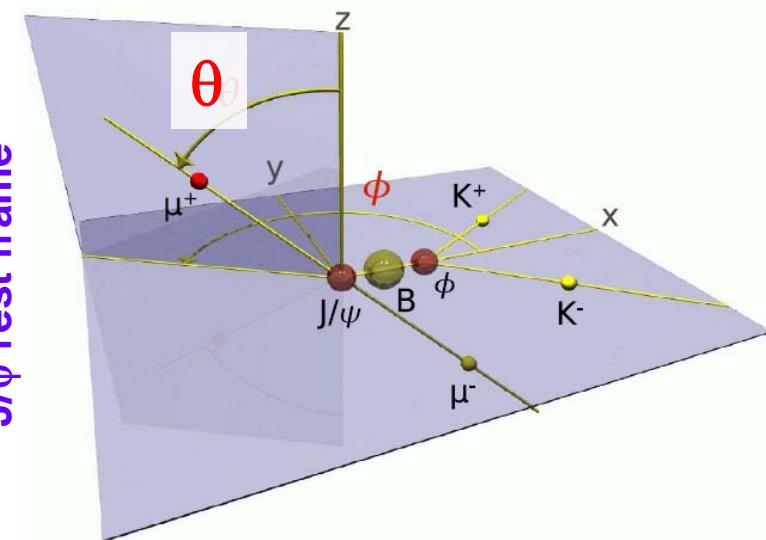
Tevatron measurement:
~ 2σ discrepancy from SM



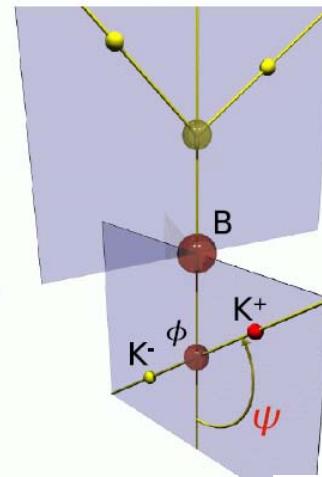
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ - analysis



Transversity basis:



ϕ rest frame

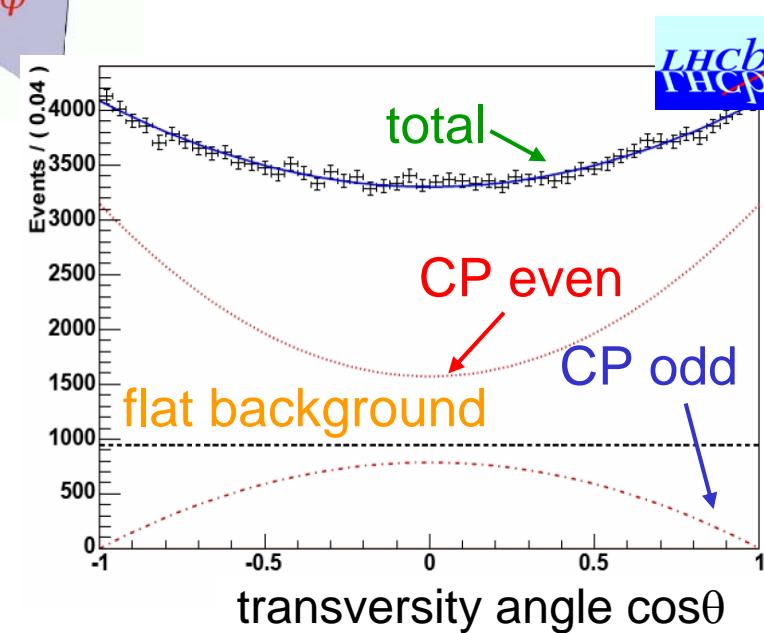


$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ is
vector- vector state:
 $L=0, 2 \rightarrow \text{CP-even}$
 $L=1 \rightarrow \text{CP-odd}$

J/\psi rest frame

Experimental challenge:

Simultaneous fit to time and angular distributions to distinguish between CP-odd and CP-even components.

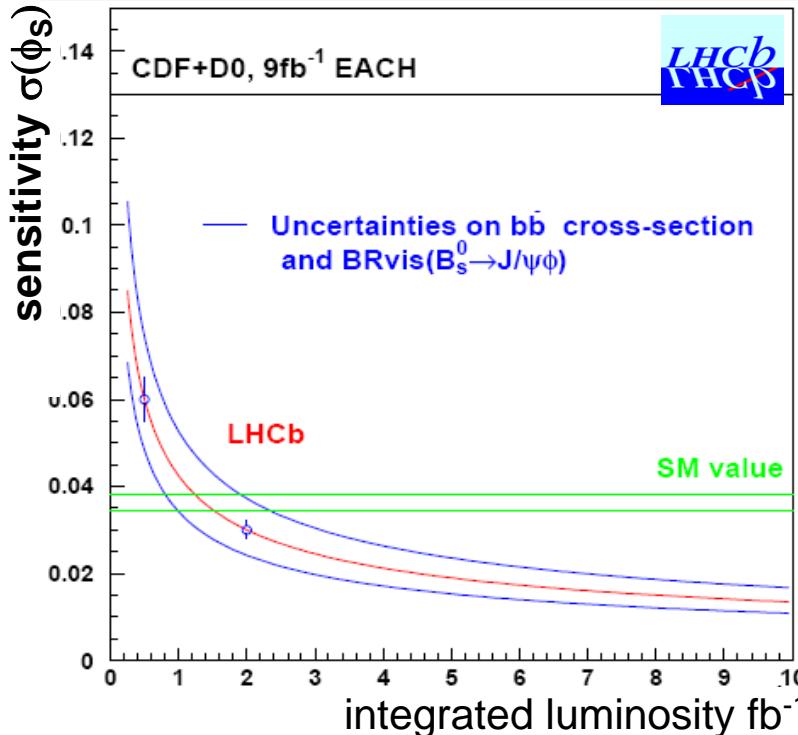




ϕ_s Sensitivity

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LHCb sensitivity to ϕ_s



ATLAS : $\sigma(\phi_s) = 0.16 (2.5\text{fb}^{-1})^*$

CMS: $\sigma(\phi_s) = 0.18 (2.5\text{fb}^{-1})^*$

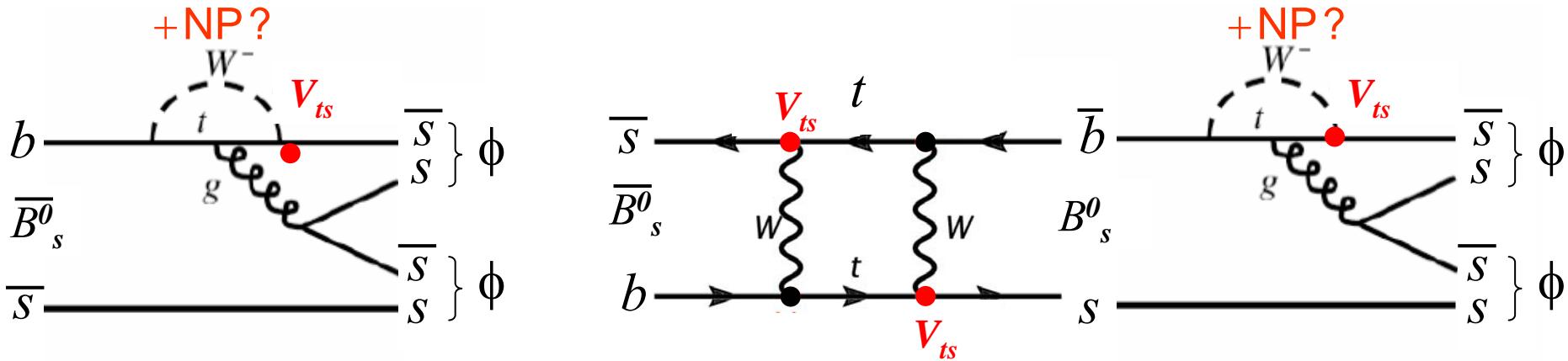
Pure CP eigenstates:
small yield, large bkg.

CP eigenstates	Decay	Yield (2 fb^{-1})	$\sigma(\phi_s)$
	$J/\psi \eta_{\gamma\gamma}$	8.5 k	0.109
	$J/\psi \eta_{\pi\pi\pi}$	3 k	0.142
	$J/\psi \eta'_{\pi\pi\eta}$	2.2 k	0.154
	$J/\psi \eta'_{\rho\gamma}$	4.2 k	0.08
	$\eta_c \phi$	3 k	0.108
	$D_s^+ D_s^-$	4k	0.133
	All CP eig	-	0.046
	$J/\psi \phi$	117k	0.030

*O. Leroy: "NP search in $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ and $B_s \rightarrow \phi \phi$ (includes ATLAS and CMS sensitivities)", talk at "Flavor as a window to NP at the LHC", May 2008



ϕ_s in Penguin decays: $B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi$



- V_{ts} both in mixing and decay: phases cancel
 $\phi_{B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi} = \phi_s - \phi_{\text{decay}} = 0 \Rightarrow \text{zero CP asymmetry}$
- Angular analysis similar to $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$

• Yield (2 fb⁻¹): 3100 evts, B/S < 0.8



2 fb⁻¹ (10 fb⁻¹)
 $\sigma(\phi_{B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi}) \approx 0.11 \text{ (0.05)}$



Effective Hamiltonian

- Operator Product Expansion: effective Hamiltonian

$$H_{eff} = -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} V_{CKM} \sum_{i=1}^{10} C_i \times O_i$$

SM:

i=1,2	tree
i=3-6,8	g penguin
i=7	γ penguin
i=9,10	EW penguin

Wilson coefficients: short distance
calculated perturbatively in SM and beyond

Local Operator:
Long-distance/non-pert.



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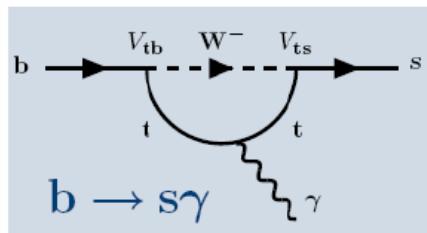
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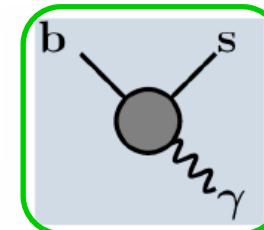
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- Example: main contribution to $b \rightarrow s \gamma$



$$\sim V_{tb} V_{ts}^* \times C_7(m_B) \times$$



$$O_7 \sim m_b (\bar{s}_L \sigma^{\mu\nu} b_R) F_{\mu\nu}$$

- New Physics as modified coefficients C_i
 - modified: branching ratios, angular asymmetries, polarizations



Rare decays: $B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

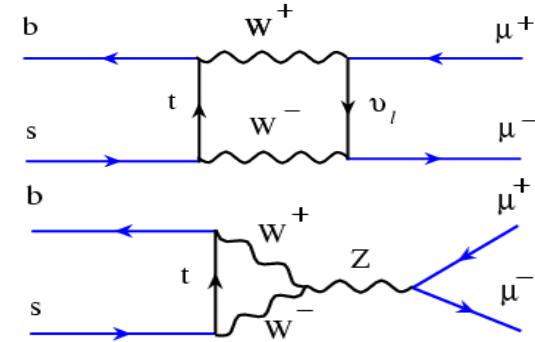
- $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$: very rare loop decay, sensitive to New Physics
 - $\text{BR} \sim (3.37 \pm 0.31) \times 10^{-9}$ in SM
 - can be strongly enhanced in SUSY

$$BR^{MSSM}(B_q \rightarrow l^+l^-) \propto \frac{m_b^2 m_l^2 \tan^6 \beta}{M_{A0}^4}$$

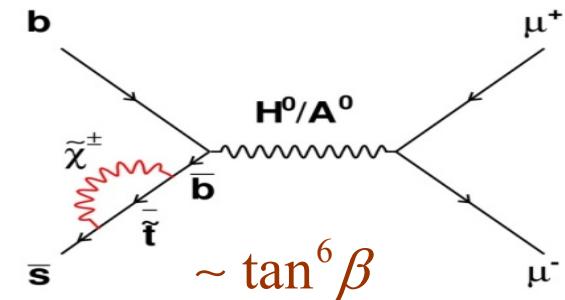
- Main issue: background rejection
 - events in LHCb / 2fb^{-1} :
 $b \rightarrow \mu, \bar{b} \rightarrow \mu$: 5×10^9 (also $b \rightarrow c \rightarrow \mu$)
 - $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu \quad 240 \text{ (SM)}$
- Selection variables
 - muon ID
 - di- μ mass ($\sigma(m_{\mu\mu}) \sim 18\text{MeV}$)
 - B-vertex topology

(hep-ph/707.3954)

Standard Model:



SUSY (MSSM):



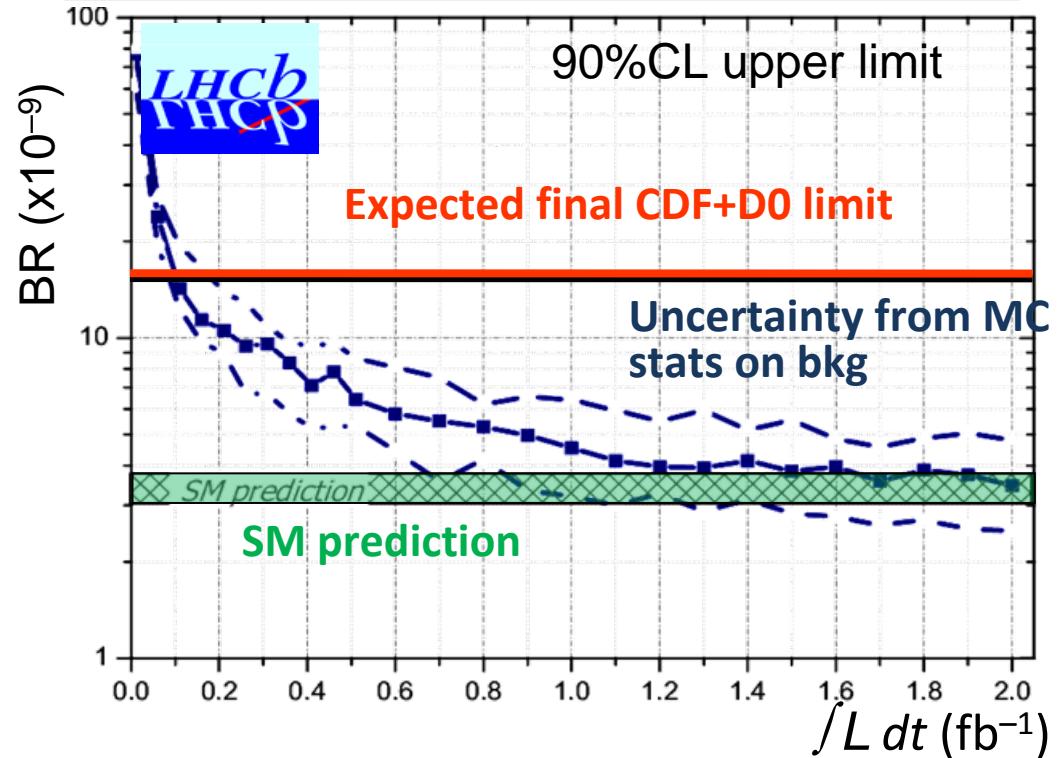
2 fb^{-1}

$\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) < 4.7 \times 10^{-8}$
 (90% CL) (PRL 100.101202)



$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$: LHCb Prospects

Exclusion



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Exclusion @ 90% CL

- reach SM prediction: 2fb^{-1}

Observation:

- Evidence (3σ): 3fb^{-1}
- Discovery (5σ): 10fb^{-1}

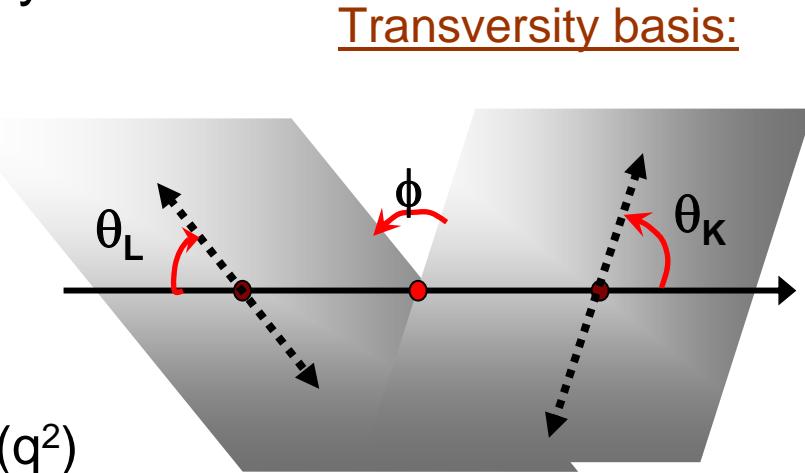
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talk at "Flavor as a window to NP at the LHC", May 2008

** K. Ulmer: Prospects for Measurements of Rare B Decays and Other Heavy Flavour Physics at CMS, proceedings of the BEACH2008 conference



Angular observables in $B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$

- Decay distribution parameterized by
 - three transversity angles θ_k, θ_L, ϕ
 - dimuon invariant mass $s = m_{\mu\mu}^2$
- Experimental observables (sensitive to C_7, C_9, C_{10})
 - forward backward asymmetry $A_{FB}(q^2)$
 - theoretically clean: A_{FB} zero crossing point S_0
 - fraction of longitudinal K^* polarization F_L
- Analysis:
 - **binned counting**: robust, only A_{FB} accessible (and S_0)
 - **fit to angular distribution** (needs knowledge of acceptances)
 - opens window to many angular observables



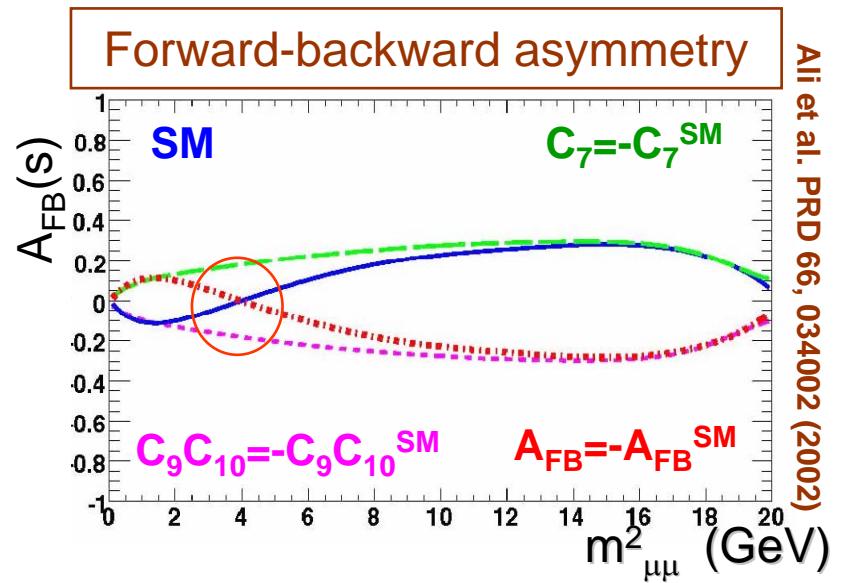


$B^0 \rightarrow K^* \mu^+ \mu^-$ - LHCb prospects



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Channel	Yield (2 fb ⁻¹)	B/S
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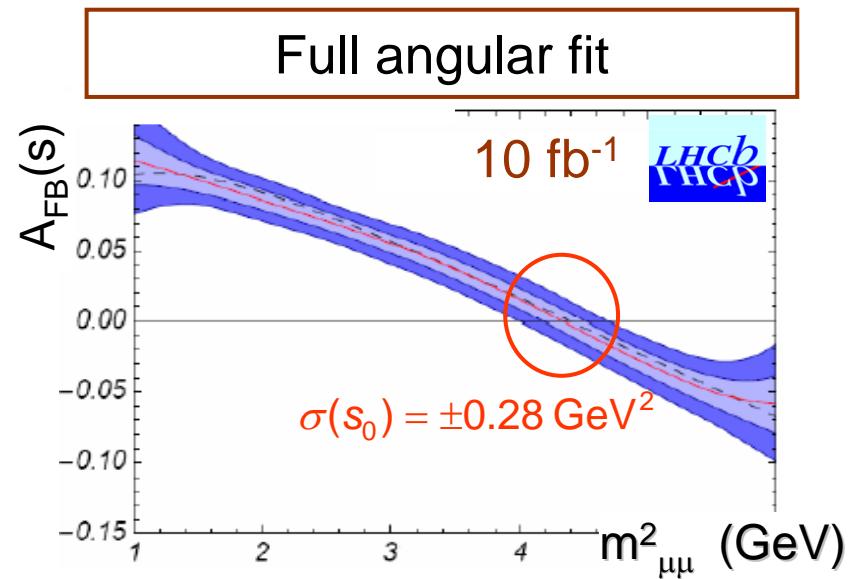
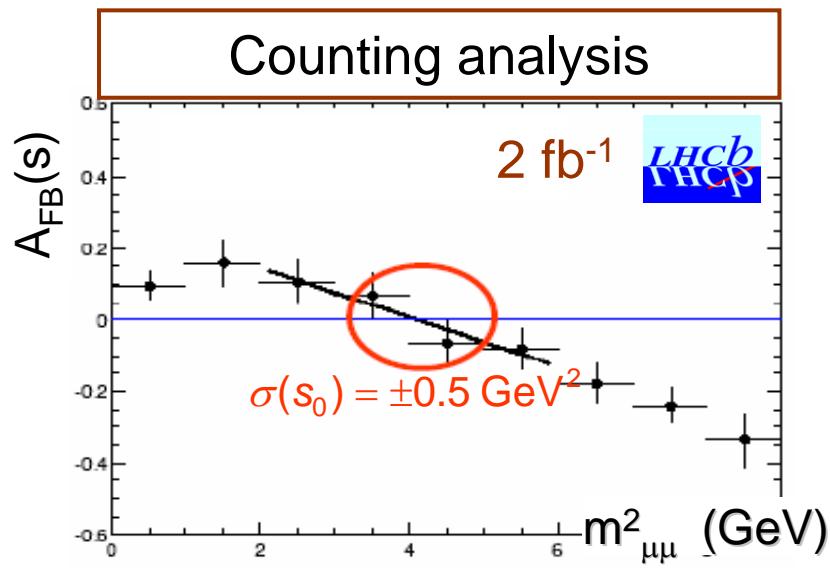
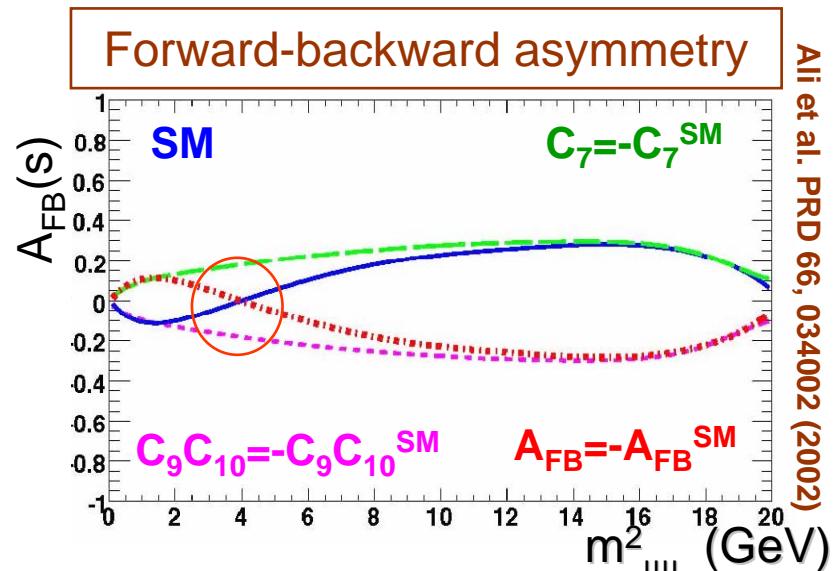
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Sensitivity: 2fb^{-1} 10fb^{-1}
 A_{FB} : $\sigma(S_0) = 0.5\text{GeV}^2$ (0.28GeV^2)

ATLAS: 4.8% on A_{FB} (30fb^{-1})*



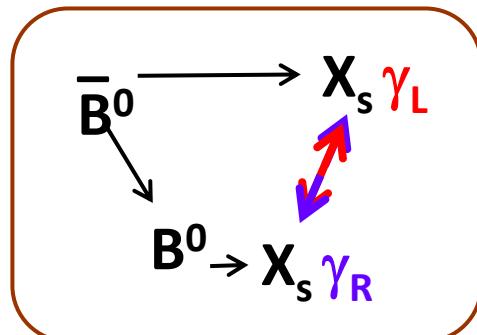
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Radiative $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ penguins

- Magnitude C_7 well constrained by $\text{BR}(b \rightarrow s\gamma)$ (BABAR, Belle)
- Photon polarization accessible with time dependent CP asymmetry:
 $C_7 = C_{7L} + C_{7R}$
 - SM dominated by C_{7R} : $B^0 \rightarrow s \gamma_R$
wrong helicity C_{7L} : $B^0 \rightarrow s \gamma_L$
 - naively in SM: $C_{7L}/C_{7R} \sim m_s/m_b \sim 0.02$
(additional corrections small)
[\(hep-ph/0612081\)](#)

Time dependent CP asymmetry:



only interference
between states
with **same γ**
polarization
→ suppressed by
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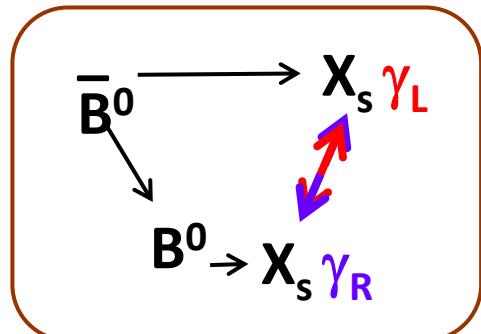


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Time dependent CP asymmetry to determine photon polarization

$$A_{\text{CP}}(t) = -\frac{A^{\text{dir}} \cos(\Delta m_q t) + A^{\text{mix}} \sin(\Delta m_q t)}{A^\Delta \sinh(\Delta \Gamma_q t / 2) - \cosh(\Delta \Gamma_q t / 2)}$$

$$B_s \rightarrow \phi \gamma$$

SM: $A^{\text{dir}} = 0$ (no direct CPV)
 $A^{\text{mix}} = \sin 2\psi \sin \phi \sim 0$
 $A^\Delta = \sin 2\psi \cos \phi \sim 0$

→ $\tan \psi = |A(b \rightarrow s\gamma_R)| / |A(b \rightarrow s\gamma_L)|$

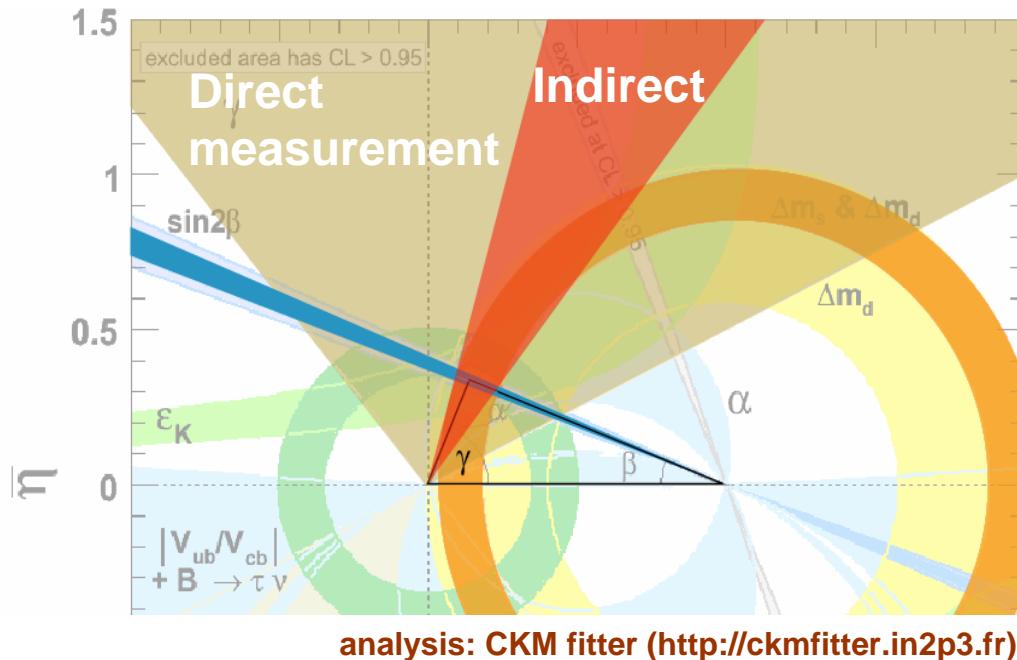


2 fb⁻¹: $\sigma(A^\Delta) = 0.22$ $\sigma(A^{\text{dir,mix}}) = 0.11$

→ $\sigma(\psi) \approx 0.11$ Fraction of “wrongly” polarized photons



CKM Angle γ



$$\begin{matrix} u \\ c \\ t \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} d & s & b \\ 1 & 1 & e^{-i\gamma} \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ e^{-i\beta} & -e^{-i\phi_s/2} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

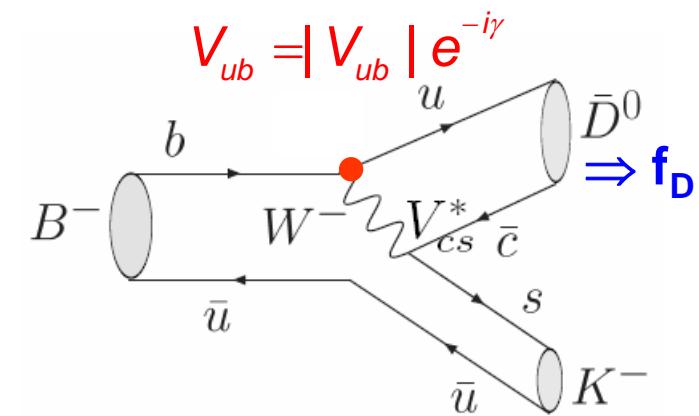
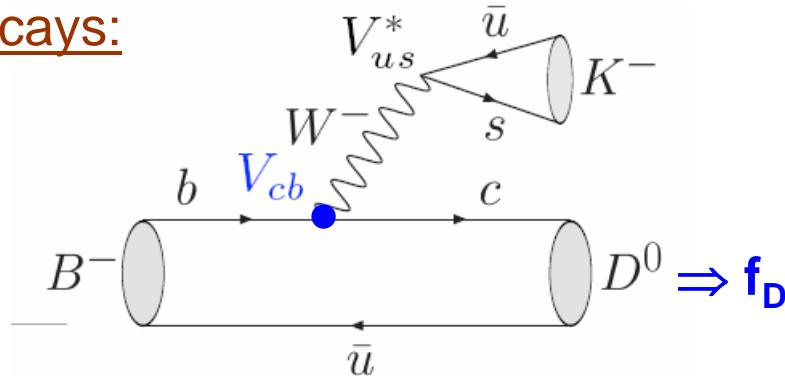
CKM phases to order λ^4

- A lot of pioneering work from B factories
- No significant constraints from direct measurements yet
→ measure γ in tree and loop decays



γ from $B \rightarrow D K$ Tree Decays

Tree decays:



$$\frac{A(B^- \rightarrow \bar{D}^0 K^-)}{A(B^- \rightarrow D^0 K^-)} = r_B e^{i\delta_B} e^{-i\gamma}$$

ADS (Atwood,Dunietz,Soni) method:

Common flavour state $f_D = (K^+ \pi^-)$

Note: $D^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$ doubly Cabibbo suppr.

GLW (Gronau,London,Wyler) method:

f_D is a CP eigenstate, $f_D = K^+ K^-, \pi^+ \pi^-$

GGSZ (Giri, Grossman, Soffer, Zupan)

Use Dalitz decays $D^0 \rightarrow K_s \pi^+ \pi^-$

2 fb⁻¹

sensitivity each: $\sigma_\gamma = 11^\circ - 13^\circ$

combined: $\sigma_\gamma = 4.3^\circ - 6.1^\circ$

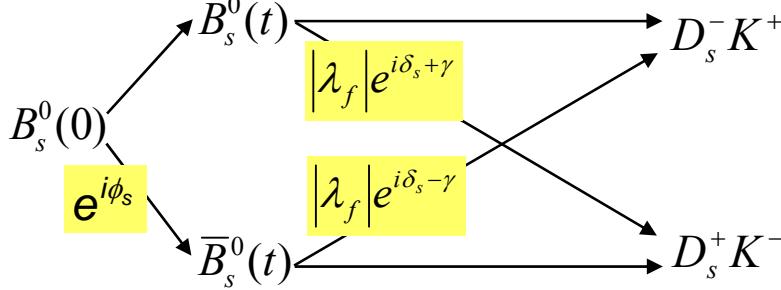


γ from Time Dependent Asymmetries

Tree b->c & b->u decays interfere through B_s mixing

LHCb
TWCp

2 fb⁻¹



Time dependent
CP asymmetry:

$$\phi_s + \gamma$$

Use $B_s \rightarrow D_s \pi$ to determine
tagging dilution simultaneously

$\phi_s + \gamma$	9°-12°
Δm_s	0.007 ps ⁻¹

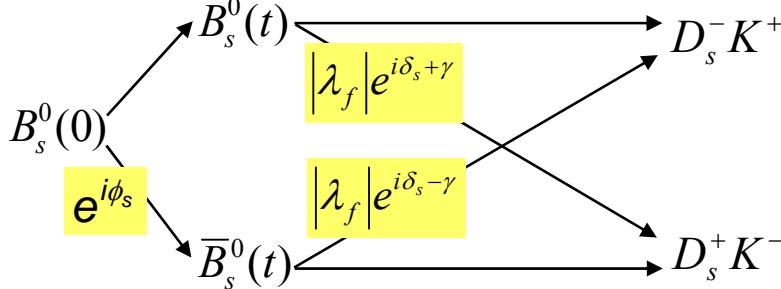


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Tree Level Processes



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Combination of all tree
level methods:
(sensitivity depends on δ_B)

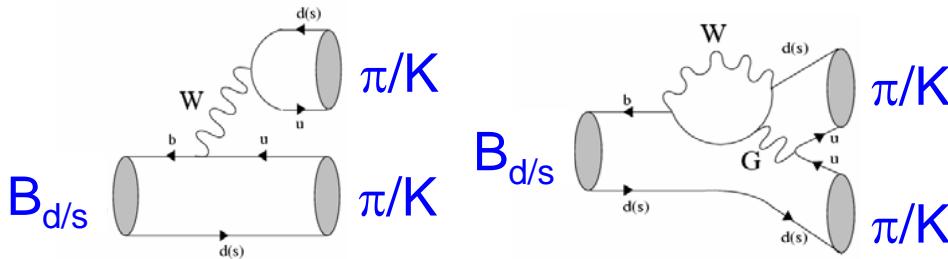
	0.5 fb ⁻¹	2 fb ⁻¹	10 fb ⁻¹
$\sigma(\gamma)$ (°)	7.8 – 10.1	3.9 – 5.1	1.9 – 2.7

2 – 3° reachable after 5 yr



γ from $B \rightarrow h^+h^-$ Loop Decays

Loop Processes



γ from interference between mixing tree (**T**) and penguin (**P**) amplitudes

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Crucial: **P/T** ratio

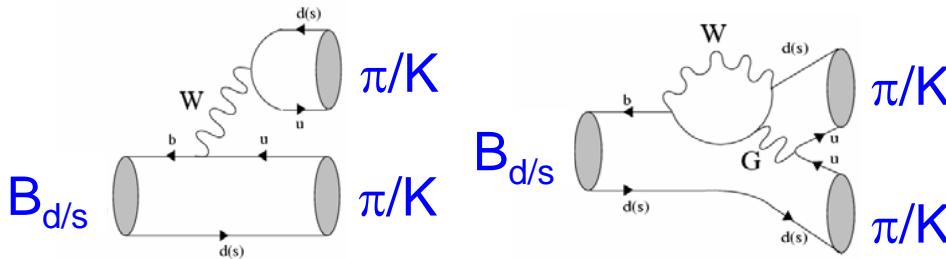


Uspin constraint: $7 - 10^\circ$ (2fb^{-1})
 $d_{\pi\pi} = d_{KK} \pm 20\%$ $\sim 5^\circ$ (10 fb^{-1})



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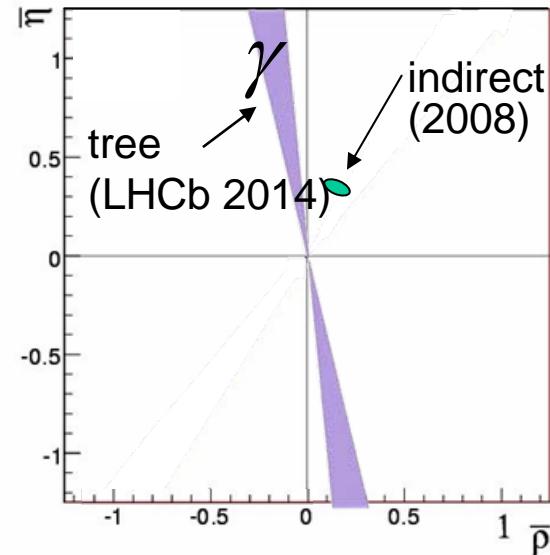
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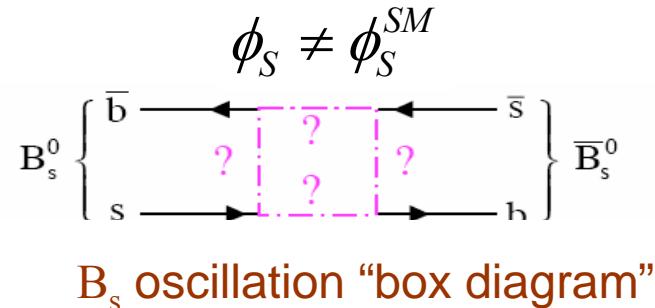
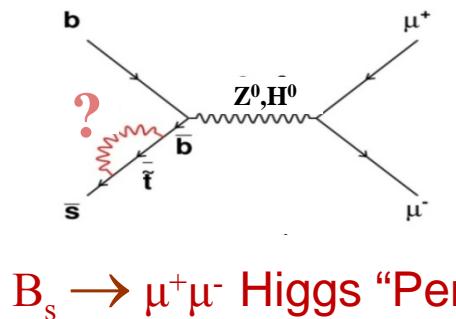
Possible scenario after 5 years (10fb^{-1}) of LHC running
→ **γ from Trees comparable to loops**





Conclusion

- There is room for sizeable effects of New Physics:



- LHCb will try to map-out effects of New Physics
 - ATLAS, CMS also have competitive B-Physics programs
- Interesting results can come early (0.5 fb^{-1})
 - $\phi_S (B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi)$ w/ precision of 0.06
 - Limit for $\text{BR}(B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu) < 10^{-8}$
 - γ from trees w/ precision 8 – 10°



Backup Slides



LHCb – Key Properties

- High statistics

- $L \sim 2 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$
- $\sim 10^{12} \text{ bb events / year}$ (2 fb^{-1})
- 50 kHz bb-events
- $B^\pm, B^0, B_s, B_c, \Lambda_b \dots$

- Tracking & Vertexing

- B Mass resolution: $\sim 15\ldots20 \text{ MeV}$
- Proper time resolution: $\sim 40 \text{ fs}$

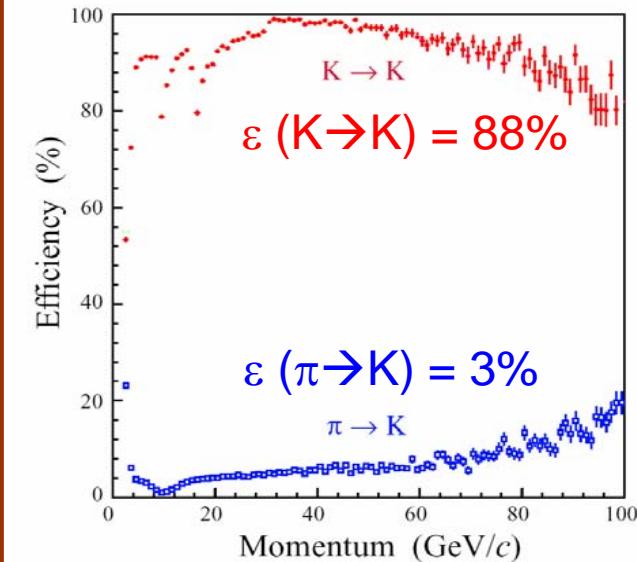
- Particle identification

- π/K separation over $2 \text{ GeV} < p < 100 \text{ GeV}$

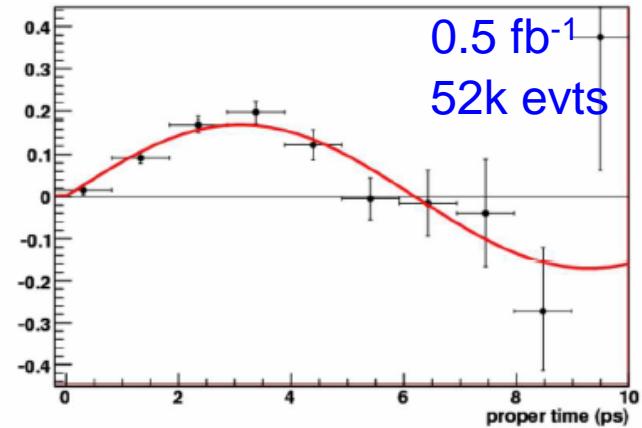
- Trigger (2 kHz to tape)

- "High p_T " lepton, photon & hadron 1st level trigger w/ 1 MHz:
 $\mu/e/h/\gamma: 1.1/2.8/3.6/2.6 \text{ GeV}$

LHCb
THCP



Example: $\sin 2\beta(B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s)$





Outlook – LHCb beyond 10 fb⁻¹

LHCb upgrade

→ 100 fb⁻¹

- Run at 10× design luminosity: 2×10^{33}
- Needs detector and trigger upgrade
- Increase trigger efficiency for hadrons by at least a factor 2
- Accumulate data sample of 100 fb⁻¹

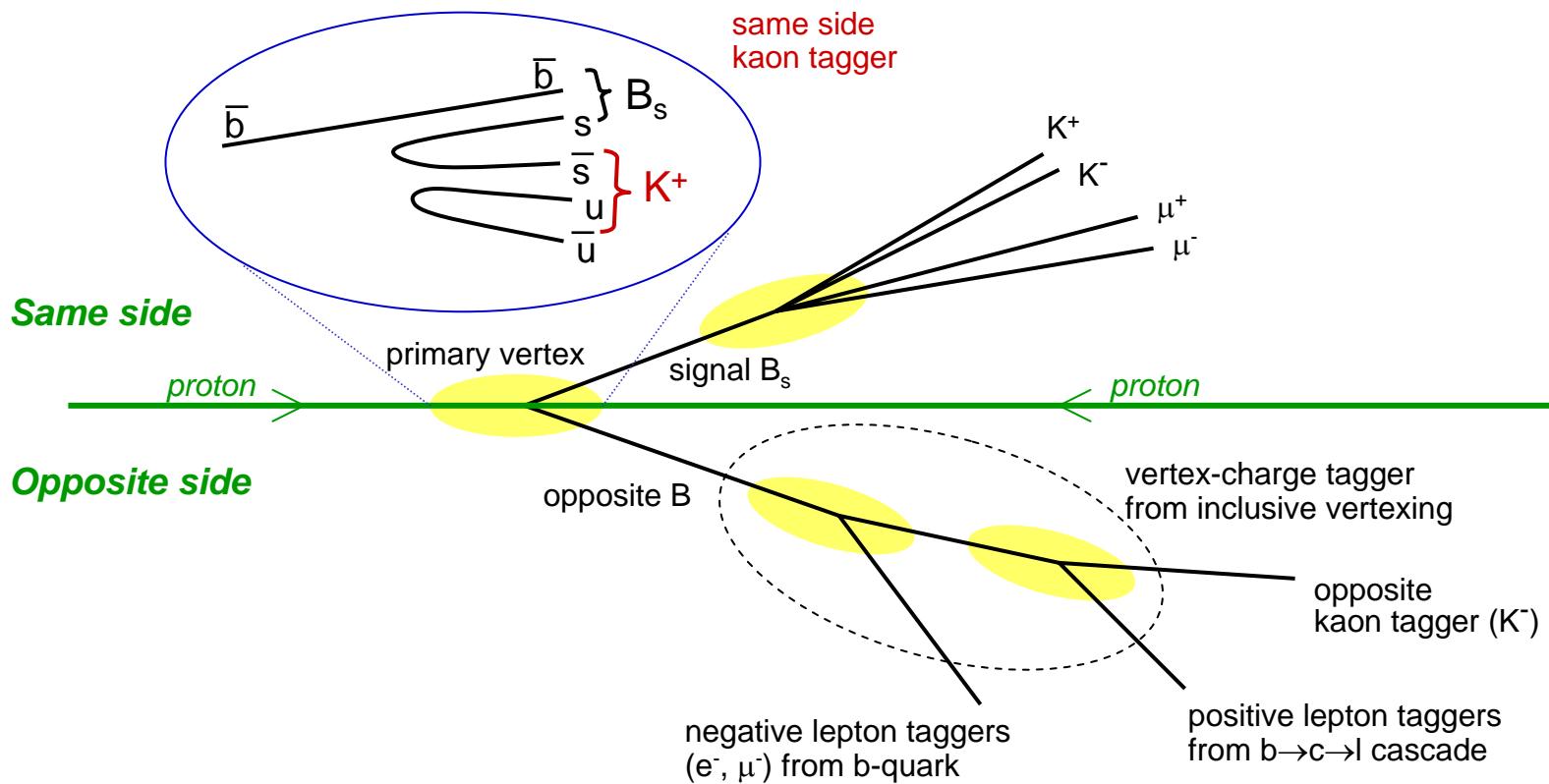
Physics case

- CPV in B_s mixing (tree and penguins)
- CKM angle γ with $\sim 1^\circ$ precision
- Chiral structure of $b \rightarrow s$ decays
- Lepton flavor violation in $\tau \rightarrow \mu\mu\mu$

Observable	100 fb ⁻¹	Sensitivity
$S(B_s \rightarrow \phi\phi)$		0.01 – 0.02
$S(B_d \rightarrow \phi K_S^0)$		0.025 – 0.035
$\phi_s (J/\psi\phi)$		0.003
$\sin(2\beta) (J/\psi K_S^0)$		0.003 – 0.010
$\gamma (B \rightarrow D^{(*)}K^{(*)})$		$< 1^\circ$
$\gamma (B_s \rightarrow D_s K)$		1 – 2°
$\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$		5 – 10%
$\mathcal{B}(B_d \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-)$		3σ
$A_T^{(2)}(B \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-)$		0.05 – 0.06
$A_{FB}(B \rightarrow K^{*0} \mu^+ \mu^-) s_0$		0.07 GeV ²
$S(B_s \rightarrow \phi\gamma)$		0.016 – 0.025
$A^{\Delta\Gamma_s}(B_s \rightarrow \phi\gamma)$		0.030 – 0.050
charm x'^2		2×10^{-5}
mixing y'		2.8×10^{-4}
CP y_{CP}		1.5×10^{-4}



Flavour tagging at LHCb (1)



$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$: efficiency $\varepsilon \sim 55.7\%$, mistag rate $\omega \sim 33.3\%$, $\varepsilon(1-2\omega)^2 \sim 6.2\%$

	Combined w_{OS} (%)	Combined OS $\varepsilon(1-2w)^2$ (%)	True performance (MC truth) after LO
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$	36.51 ± 0.24	3.32 ± 0.11	
$B_d \rightarrow J/\psi K^*$	36.15 ± 0.20	3.35 ± 0.09	
$B^+ \rightarrow J/\psi K^+$	36.00 ± 0.21	3.45 ± 0.10	