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Topics

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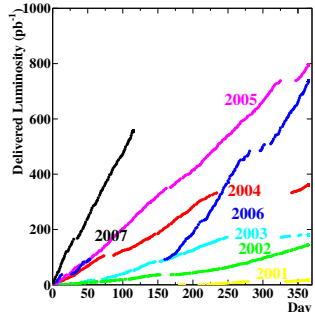
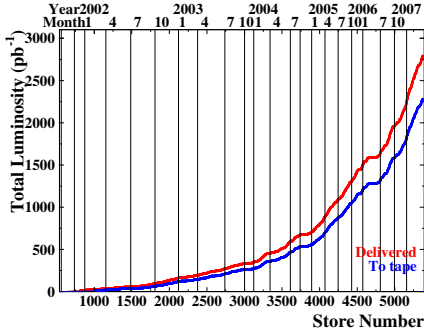
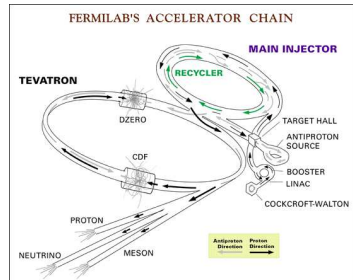
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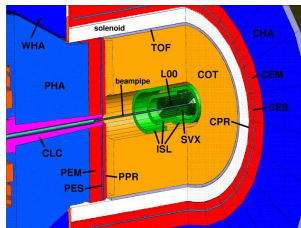
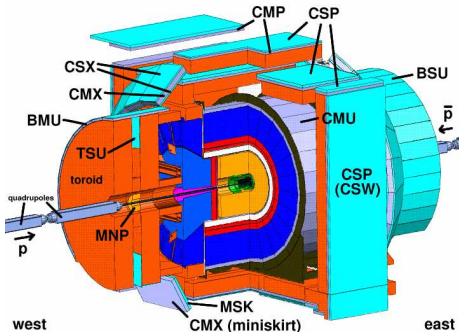
- Tevatron and CDF overview
- Heavy flavor triggers
- Recent results
 - B_s oscillations
 - Σ_b observation
 - Lifetimes
 - $B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- h$
 - $B \rightarrow h^+ h'^-$
- Conclusions

Tevatron

- $p\bar{p}$ collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 1.96$ TeV
- Peak luminosity $\sim 3 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- CDF II collected $> 2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - Analyses today use $\sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
 - $\sim 2 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ analyzed for the summer

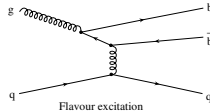
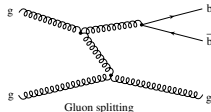
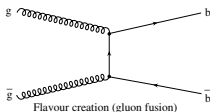
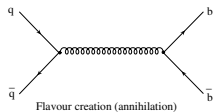


CDF II Detector



- Good tracking resolution, $\sigma(p_T)/p_T^2 \sim 0.1\% \text{ GeV}^{-1}$
 - Precise mass resolution
- Silicon Vertex Detector
 - Excellent vertex resolution
 - Crucial for triggering
- Large acceptance and good ID for leptons
- Kaon/pion separation
 - dE/dX in the COT
 - Time of Flight

Heavy Flavor Physics at Tevatron



- ✓ Large $b\bar{b}$ pair production cross-section: $\sim 100 \mu\text{b}$
 - 10^4 interactions/s at peak luminosity
- ✓ All b species produced: $B_U, B_d, B_s, B_c, \Lambda_b, \Sigma_b, \dots$
 - Branching ratios of rare decays are $O(10^{-6})$ or lower
- ✗ Inelastic background (QCD): $\sim 1000 \times \sigma(b\bar{b})$
- ✗ Low acceptance for opposite side B
- ➡ Trigger is challenging!

Trigger Strategies

Di-muon

$$J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu, B \rightarrow \mu\mu$$

- $p_T(\mu) > 1.5 \text{ GeV}$

One displaced track + lepton

$$B \rightarrow \ell\nu X$$

- $p_T(\ell) > 4.0 \text{ GeV}$
- $p_T(\text{track}) > 2.0 \text{ GeV}$
- $120 < d_0 < 1000 \mu\text{m}$

Two displaced tracks

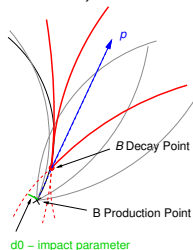
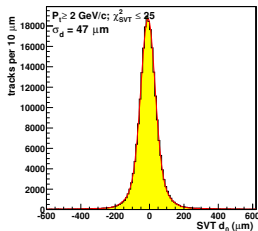
$$B \rightarrow hh, \Sigma_b, B_s \text{ mixing}$$

- $p_T > 2.0 \text{ GeV}$
- $\sum p_T > 5.5 \text{ GeV}$
- $120 < d_0 < 1000 \mu\text{m}$

Silicon Vertex Trigger (SVT)

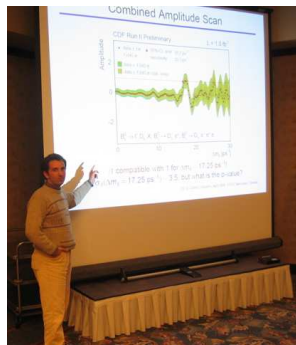
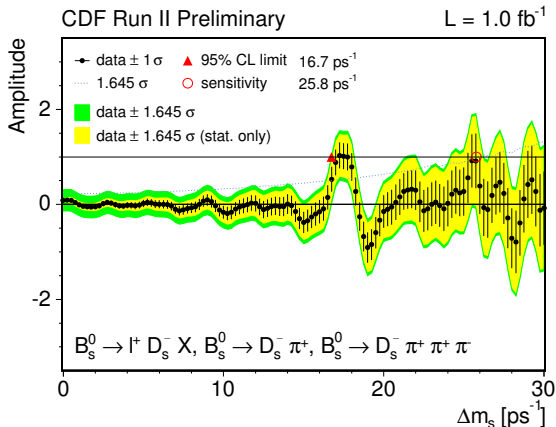
- Exploits long B lifetimes
- d_0 resolution $\sim 50 \mu\text{m}$ (includes beam width)
- Very fast response at L2

Sketch of a B Decay



B_s Oscillations

Last Year in FPCP 2006



Evidence of B_s oscillations at 3σ significance shown

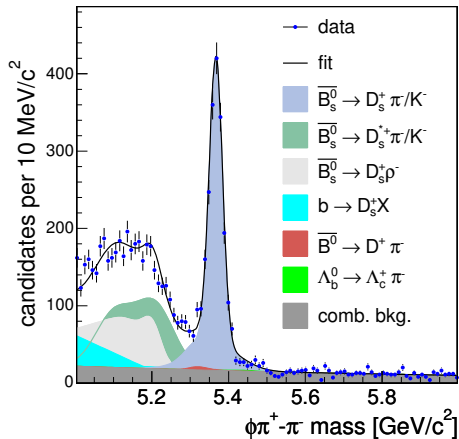
$$\Delta m_s = 17.31_{-0.18}^{+0.33}(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst.}) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

B_s Oscillations

Improvements

Are we able to reach a 5σ observation with the same data sample of 1fb^{-1} but improved techniques?

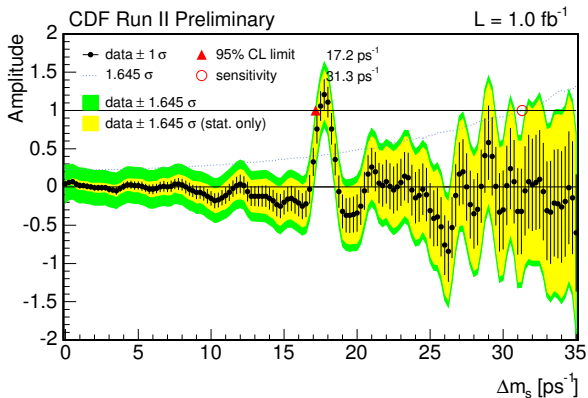
CDF Run II Preliminary $L = 1.0\text{fb}^{-1}$



- PID information to reject background from D^- mass missassignments
- New trigger paths for semileptonic analysis: 37,000 \rightarrow 61,500
- Neural Network selection for hadronic modes: 3,600 \rightarrow 5,600
- Inclusion of partially reconstructed hadronic modes: 3,100
- Neural Network to combine OS taggers: 15 % improvement in ϵD^2
- Neural Network SSK tagger: 8 % improvement in ϵD^2

B_s Oscillations

Results



Observed signal consistent with B_s oscillations at significance $> 5\sigma$

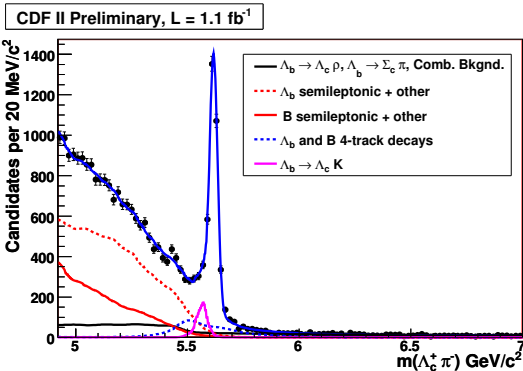
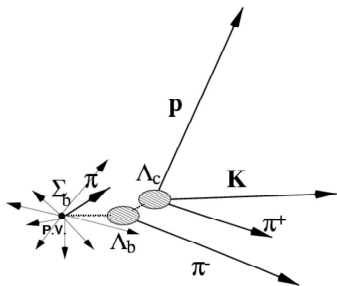
$$\Delta m_s = 17.77 \pm 0.10(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst.}) \text{ ps}^{-1}$$

$$\left| \frac{V_{td}}{V_{ts}} \right| = 0.2060 \pm 0.0007(\text{exp.})_{-0.0060}^{+0.0080}(\text{theor.})$$

Observation of New Σ_b Baryon

More details in Michal Krep's talk

- So far, Λ_b only established b-baryon
- Next accessible b-baryons are Σ_b ($J^P = \frac{1}{2}^+$) and Σ_b^* ($J^P = \frac{3}{2}^+$)



- World largest sample of Λ_b :
 $\sim 3000 \Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda_c^+ \pi^-$, $\Lambda_b^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+$
- Search for $\Sigma_b^{(*)\pm} \rightarrow \Lambda_b^0 \pi^\pm$
 - Combine Λ_b with a prompt track

Observation of New Σ_b Baryon

Results

- Four peaks consistent with $\Sigma_b^{(*)\pm}$ states found in signal region

- $> 5\sigma$ significance level

- Unbinned likelihood fit:

$$m(\Sigma_b^-) = 5816_{-1.0}^{+1.0}(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.7(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

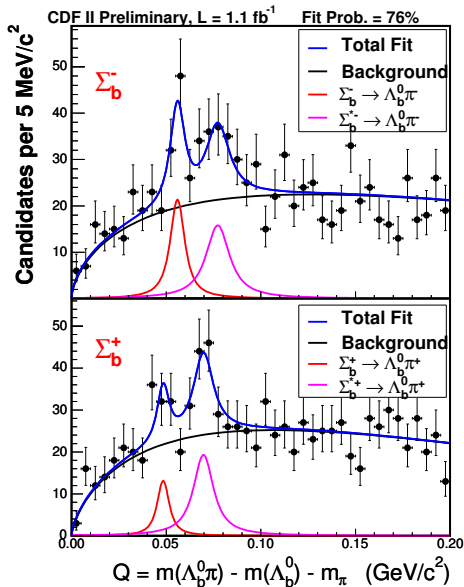
$$m(\Sigma_b^+) = 5808_{-2.3}^{+2.0}(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.7(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\Sigma_b^{*-}) = 5837_{-1.9}^{+2.1}(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.7(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

$$m(\Sigma_b^{*+}) = 5829_{-1.8}^{+1.6}(\text{stat.}) \pm 1.7(\text{syst.}) \text{ MeV}$$

Plans:

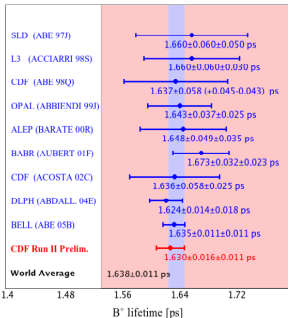
- Increase sample: alternate trigger paths, and adding other Λ_b modes
- Measure Σ_b properties: polarization, quantum numbers,...



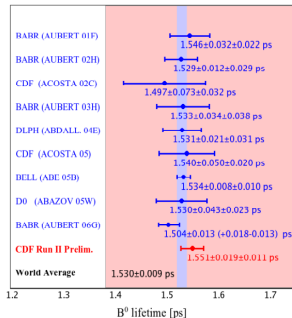
Lifetimes Measurements

- Update on B^+ , B^0 , B_s and Λ_b lifetimes using exclusive decays containing a J/ψ

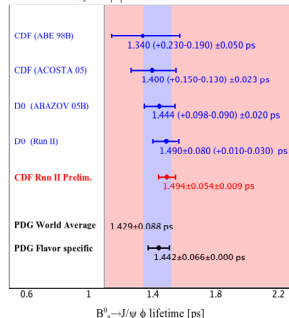
B^+ lifetime measurements



B^0 lifetime measurements



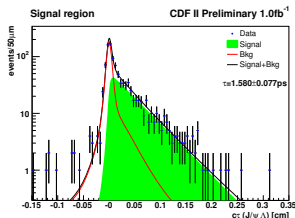
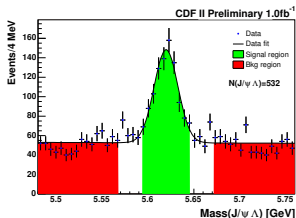
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$ lifetime measurements



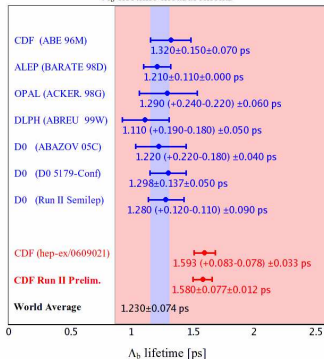
➔ Measurement for B_s more precise than PDG value

- Next:** Measure $\sin 2\beta$ on $B^0 \rightarrow J/\psi K_s$ and $B_s \rightarrow J/\psi \phi$

Λ_b Lifetime in $J/\psi\Lambda$



Λ_b lifetime measurements

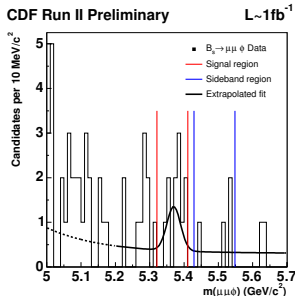
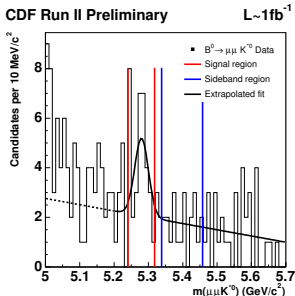
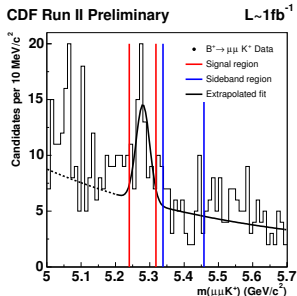


$$\tau(\Lambda_b) = 1.580 \pm 0.077(stat) \pm 0.012(syst) ps$$

- Most precise measurement
- Consistent with independent CDF result
- $\sim 3\sigma$ above world average
- Need more experimental inputs
- Plan to use $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \Lambda_C \pi$ sample

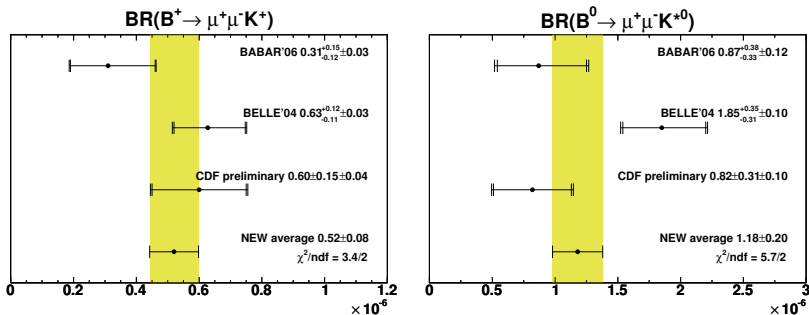
$B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- h$

- $b \rightarrow s \mu^+ \mu^-$ transition requires FCNC, strongly suppressed in SM
 - New physics models allow significant deviations
- Search for $B^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- K^+$, $B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- K^{*0}$, $B_S^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \phi$
- Normalize each signal to analogous $B \rightarrow J/\psi h$ decays
 - Many systematic uncertainties cancel in the ratio



$B \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- h$

Results



- Good agreement and similar uncertainty for B-Factories & CDF
- Found $B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \phi$ excess with 2.4σ significance
 - **Most stringent limit on B_s mode** (Bayesian approach)

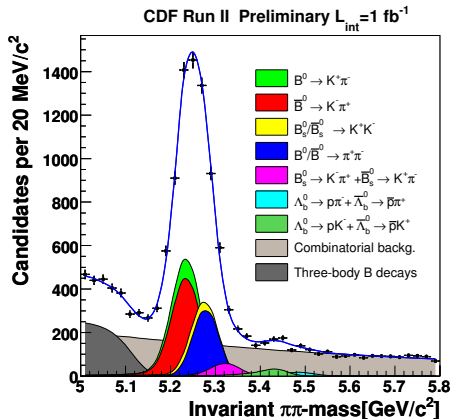
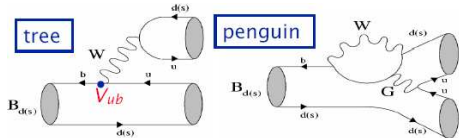
$$\frac{\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \phi)}{\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi \phi)} < 2.30 \times 10^{-3} \text{ at 90\% CL}$$

- **Plans:** NN-based selection, incorporate additional channels:
 $B_d \rightarrow \mu\mu K_s$, $B^+ \rightarrow \mu\mu K^{*+}$ and $\Lambda_b \rightarrow \mu\mu \Lambda$

Charmless Two-Body B Decays: $B^0 \rightarrow h^+ h'^-$

- Very rich physics: BR and CP asymmetries
 - Useful for probing CKM matrix
 - Sensitive to new physics
- Invariant mass under $\pi\pi$ hypothesis
 - Excellent mass resolution but still several overlapping modes
- Likelihood fit performed to separate signal components
 - Information from mass, kinematics and particle ID (dE/dX)

→ More details in Simone Donati's talk



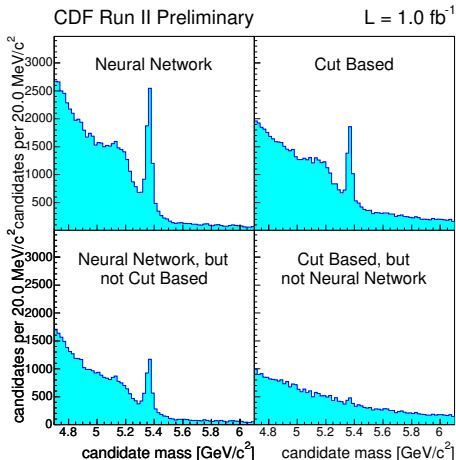
- First observation of 3 new rare decays (first charmless decays of Λ_b)
 - $N_{raw}(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) = 230 \pm 34(stat.) \pm 16(syst.) \quad (8\sigma)$
 - $N_{raw}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p \pi^-) = 110 \pm 18(stat.) \pm 16(syst.) \quad (6\sigma)$
 - $N_{raw}(\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p K^-) = 156 \pm 20(stat.) \pm 11(syst.) \quad (11\sigma)$
- CP asymmetry measurement on B^0 system
 - $A_{CP} = \frac{N(B^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) - N(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)}{N(B^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) + N(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)} = 0.086 \pm 0.023(stat.) \pm 0.009(syst.)$
- First measurement of CP asymmetry on B_s system
 - $A_{CP} = \frac{N(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-) - N(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)}{N(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-) + N(B_s^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+)} = 0.39 \pm 0.15(stat.) \pm 0.08(syst.)$
- No significant signal found for $B^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-$ and $B_s \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$
 - $\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow K^+ K^-) < 0.7 \times 10^{-6}$ at 90% CL
 - $\mathcal{B}(B_s \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) < 1.36 \times 10^{-6}$ at 90% CL
- **Coming next:** measure time-dependent asymmetry of $B_d \rightarrow \pi\pi$ and $B_s \rightarrow KK$

Conclusions

- Heavy flavor physics program at CDF is being **very productive**
- Complementary and competitive with *B*-Factories
- **Great results** obtained so far
 - Observation of B_s oscillations
 - Σ_b baryon discovery
 - New *B* hadron decays
 - ...
- New results with **larger dataset coming soon**, stay tuned!

BACKUP

ANN-vs-Cut and Signal Yield

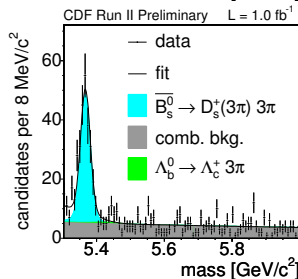
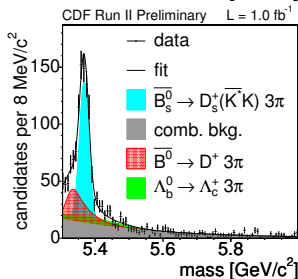
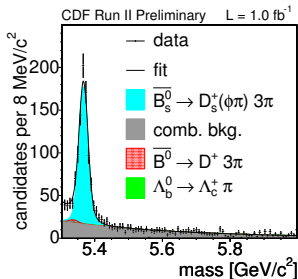
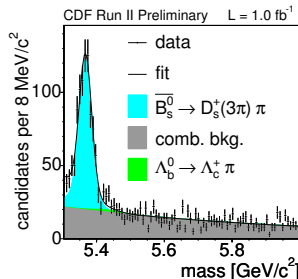
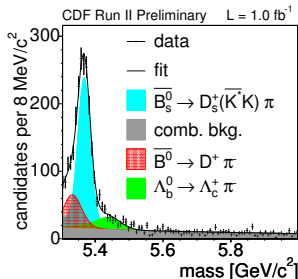
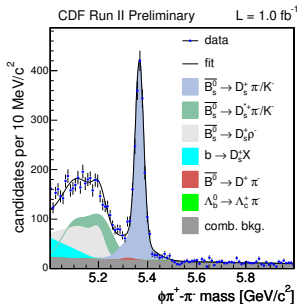


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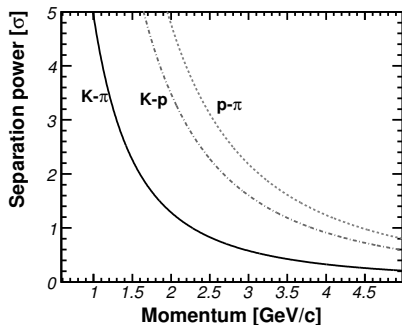
- Large signal with lower background
- Makes it possible to add a new mode
 $\bar{B}_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^+ \pi^- \pi^+ \pi^-$ with $D_s^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^+$

\bar{B}_s^0 Decay Chain	Signal	S/B	gain [%]
$D_s^+ [\phi \pi^+] \pi^-$	1900	11.3	13
$D_s^+ [K^{*0} K^+] \pi^-$	1400	2.0	35
$D_s^+ [(3\pi)^+] \pi^-$	700	2.1	22
$D_s^+ [\phi \pi^+] (3\pi)^-$	700	2.7	92
$D_s^+ [K^{*0} K^+] (3\pi)^-$	600	1.1	110
$D_s^+ [(3\pi)^+] (3\pi)^-$	200	2.6	new

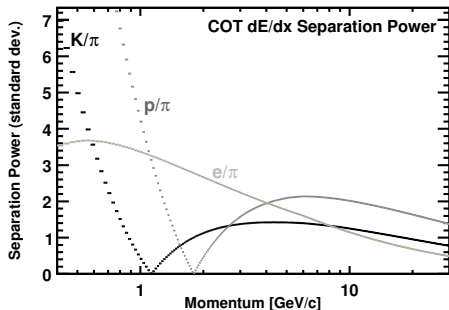
Mass Fits



TOF separation power



dE/dx separation power



Combined log likelihood:

$$CLL(K) = \log \left(\frac{P_{TOF}(K)P_{dE/dx}(K)}{f_p P_{TOF}(p)P_{dE/dx}(p) + f_\pi P_{TOF}(\pi)P_{dE/dx}(\pi)} \right)$$